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Ruthenium-Catalyzed, 1, 2, 3-Triazole Directed Intermolecular C-H amidation of Arenes with Sulfonyl Azides

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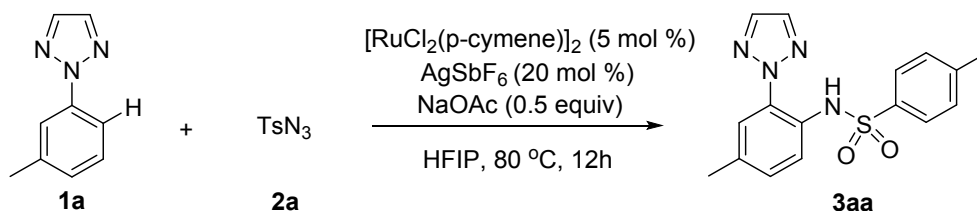
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1. General details

All the reactions were monitored by thin-layer chromatography (TLC) and were visualized using UV light. The product purification was done using silica gel column chromatography. Thin layer chromatography (TLC) characterization was performed with precoated silica gel GF254 (0.2mm), while column chromatography characterization was performed with silica gel (100-200mesh). ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard. ^1H NMR spectra were recorded at 400 or 600 MHz (Varian) and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded at 100 or 150 MHz (Varian). Chemical shifts are reported in ppm downfield from CDCl_3 ($\delta = 7.26$ ppm) for ^1H NMR and relative to the central CDCl_3 resonance ($\delta = 77.0$ ppm) for ^{13}C NMR spectroscopy. Coupling constants are given in Hz. Melting points were measured with YRT-3 melting point apparatus (Shantou Keyi Instrument & Equipment Co., Ltd., Shantou, China). High resolution mass spectroscopy data of the products were collected on a Waters Micromass GCT or a Bruker Apex IV FTMS instrument. Commercial $[\text{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})_2]_2$, AgSbF_6 , NaOAc , HFIP and other reagents were directly used without further purification.

2. General procedure for the synthesis of 3 (3aa as an example)

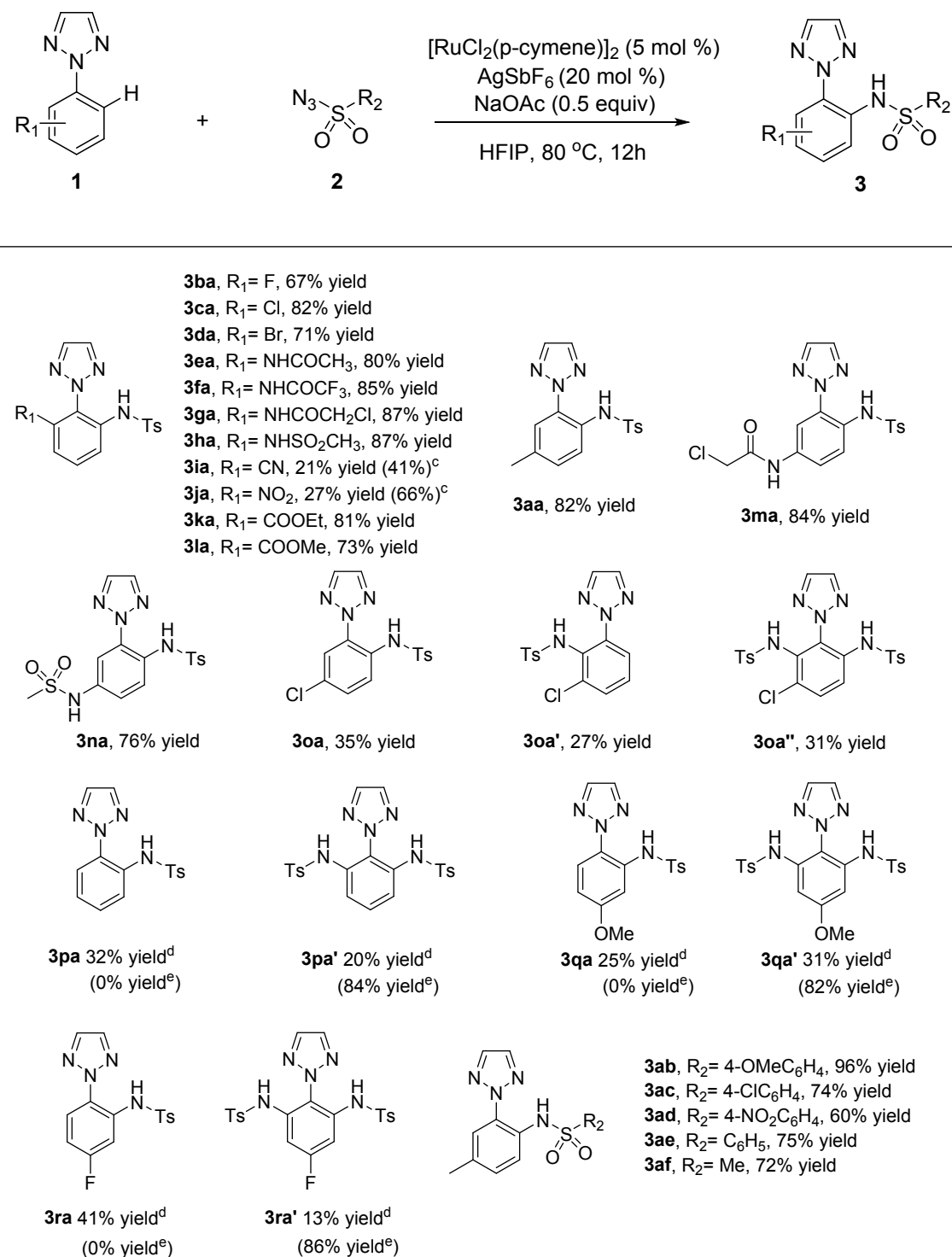


A 15ml sealed tube were charged with 2-(*m*-tolyl)-2*H*-1,2,3-triazole **1a** (31.8 mg, 0.2 mmol), 4-methylbenzenesulfonyl azide **2a** (59.5 mg, 0.3 mmol), $[\text{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})_2]_2$ (6.1 mg, 0.01 mmol), AgSbF_6 (13.7 mg, 0.04 mmol), NaOAc (8.2 mg, 0.1 mmol), and HFIP (1ml). The mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 12h, then cooled down to room temperature. The resulting mixture was filtered and washed with DCM. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuum and the resulting residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica (PE/EA=50/1) to afford the desired product **3aa** as a white solid (53.8 mg, 82% yield).

3. Study of substrate scope

The reaction conditions are optimized as follows: 5 mol % $[\text{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})]_2$, 20 mol % AgSbF_6 , 0.5 equiv NaOAc in HFIP at 80 °C for 12h. With the efficient conditions on hand, we then focused on the synthesis of 2-aryl-1,2,3-triazole derivatives. The results were summarized in Table S1. Initially, arenes with *ortho*-halide and *ortho*-amido substituents underwent the C-H amidation smoothly, giving higher yields than those with electron-withdrawing groups (Table S1, compound **3ba-3la**). Then the *meta*-substituted substrates were screened. Not surprisingly, the less hindered *ortho*-C-H bond of aryl ring had been exclusively functionalized for all the substrate except *meta*-chloro substituted substrate. (Table S1, compound **3aa**, **3ma-3na**). Reactions with *meta*-chloro substituted substrate resulted three separable regioisomeric products (Table S1, Compound **3oa**, **3oa'** and **3oa''**). Continued exploration on substrate scope showed that the reaction of *para*-substituted 2-aryl-1,2,3-triazole with TsN_3 provided mono- and di-amination products under the optimal conditions (Table S1, compound **3pa-3ra**, **3pa'-3ra'**). For example, the mono- and di-amination products **3pa** and **3pa'** were obtained in 32% and 20% yields, respectively (Table S1, compound **3pa** and **3pa'**). Interestingly, when the amount of TsN_3 was increased to 3.0 equiv, only diamination product was obtained (Table S1, compound **3pa'**). Thus, the modified conditions were then applied to other *para*-substituted compounds (Table 2, compound **3qa'** and **3ra'**). On the other hand, different sulfonyl azides have also been examined for compatibility in this reaction. Benzenesulfonylazides with functional groups at 4th position were well tolerated during the reaction. The corresponding *ortho*-amidated products were achieved in good to excellent yields (Table 2, compound **3ab-3ae**). The results revealed that electron-donating methoxy group could afford a higher yield than the electron-withdrawing groups. In addition, methane sulfonylazide was a suitable substrate for amidation, affording the **3af** in 72% yield (Table 2, compound **3af**).

Table S1 Substrate scope^{a,b}



^a Reactions were carried out with **1** (0.2 mmol), **2** (0.3 mmol), [RuCl₂(*p*-cymene)]₂ (5 mol %), AgSbF₆ (20 mol %) and NaOAc (0.5 equiv.) in HFIP at 80 °C for 12h.

^b Isolated yield.

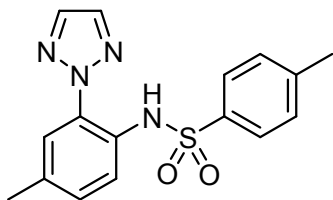
^c Yields based on the recovered starting material are list in the square brackets.

^d Reaction was carried out under the optimal conditions.

^e 0.6mmol TsN₃ is used.

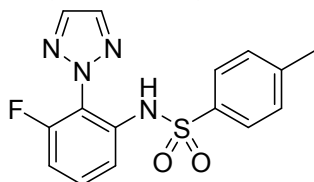
3. Spectroscopic characterization data of products

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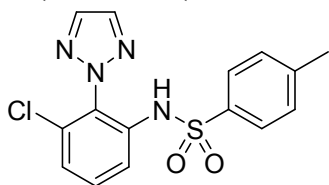
Yield 82%; white solid; m.p. 100-102°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.82 (s, 1H), 7.76 (s, 2H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.34 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.29 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.45, 135.95, 135.68, 134.75, 130.33, 129.38, 129.20, 126.53, 125.83, 124.71, 122.49, 21.33, 20.76; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₆H₁₆N₄O₂S+Na⁺ 351.0886, found 351.0887.

N-(3-Fluoro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3ba)



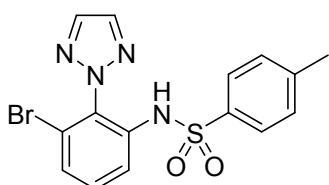
Yield 67%; white solid; m.p. 130-132°C (Lit. ¹ 130-132°C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.42 (s, 1H), 7.84 (s, 2H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.36 (m, 1H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.10-7.05 (m, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H).

N-(3-chloro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3ca)



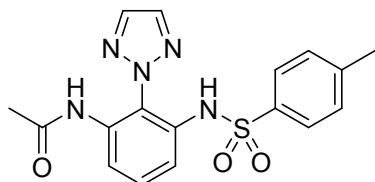
Yield 82%; white solid; m.p. 184-186°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.85 (s, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.41-7.32 (m, 5H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 145.20, 136.06, 135.41, 133.99, 131.28, 130.69, 129.71, 127.18, 126.78, 126.71, 122.06, 21.53; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₅H₁₃ClN₄O₂S+Na⁺ 371.0340, found 371.0342.

N-(3-bromo-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3da)



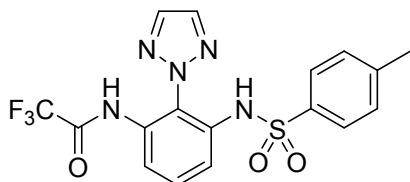
Yield 71%; white solid; m.p. 186-189°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.85 (s, 2H), 7.76 (dd, *J*₁ = 8.4 Hz, *J*₂ = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (dd, *J*₁ = 8.4 Hz, *J*₂ = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (s, 1H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 144.24, 136.11, 135.43, 134.24, 131.18, 131.13, 130.24, 129.75, 126.79, 122.44, 120.52, 21.55; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₅H₁₃BrN₄O₂S+Na⁺ 414.9835, found 414.9836.

N-(3-((4-methylphenyl)sulfonamido)-2-(2*H*-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)acetamide (3ea)



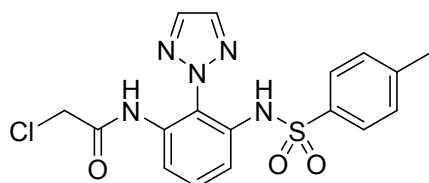
Yield 80%; white solid; m.p. 155-157°C; ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.11 (s, 1H), 8.75 (s, 1H), 8.14 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.87 (s, 2H), 7.51 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.04 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 168.02, 143.68, 135.53, 135.20, 131.62, 130.33, 129.54, 129.44, 126.39, 122.25, 121.04, 120.81, 24.75, 21.43; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₇H₁₇N₅O₃S+Na⁺ 394.0944, found 394.0944.

2,2,2-trifluoro-N-(3-((4-methylphenyl)sulfonamido)-2-(2*H*-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)acetamide (3fa)



Yield 85%; white solid; m.p. 112-114°C; ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.61 (s, 1H), 9.16 (s, 1H), 8.16 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (s, 2H), 7.67 (dd, *J*₁ = 8.4 Hz, *J*₂ = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.80 (q, *J* = 37.9 Hz), 143.96, 135.49, 135.36, 130.58, 129.68, 129.55, 128.73, 126.43, 122.85, 122.26, 120.29, 115.49 (q, *J* = 287.6 Hz), 21.45; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₇H₁₄F₃N₅O₃S+Na⁺ 448.0662, found 448.0662.

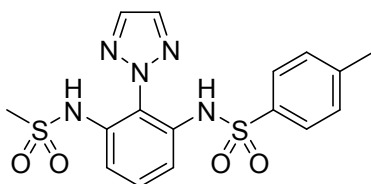
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Yield 87%; white solid; m.p. 90-92°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.18 (s, 1H), 8.79 (s, 1H), 8.13 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.87 (s, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.07 (s, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150

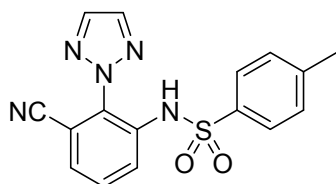
MHz, CDCl₃): δ 164.33, 143.80, 135.52, 135.42, 130.74, 130.60, 129.61, 129.50, 126.43, 122.60, 121.65, 120.44, 42.90, 21.45; HRMS (ESI): m/z [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₇H₁₆ClN₅O₃S+Na⁺ 428.0555, found 428.0553.

4-methyl-N-(3-(methylsulfonylamido)-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)benzenesulfonamide (3ha)



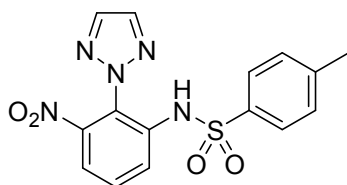
Yield 87%; white solid; m.p. 164-166°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.83 (s, 1H), 8.38 (s, 1H), 7.90 (s, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.07 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.68 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.96, 135.68, 135.37, 131.02, 130.78, 130.05, 129.51, 126.39, 123.34, 122.40, 120.61, 39.47, 21.44; HRMS (ESI): m/z [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₆H₁₇N₅O₄S₂+Na⁺ 430.0614, found 430.0618.

N-(3-cyano-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3ia)



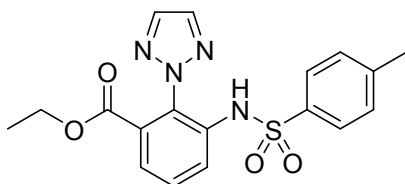
Yield 21%; white solid; m.p. 146-148°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.05 (s, 1H), 8.08-8.06 (m, 1H), 7.90 (s, 2H), 7.63-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.51 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 144.36, 136.43, 135.21, 131.87, 131.42, 129.72, 129.47, 129.34, 126.34, 115.70, 108.73, 21.49; HRMS (ESI): m/z [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₁₆H₁₃N₅O₂S+Na⁺ 362.0682, found 362.0679.

4-methyl-N-(3-nitro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)benzenesulfonamide (3ja)



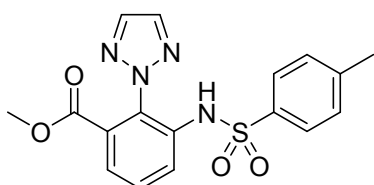
Yield 27%; white solid; m.p. 108-110°C (Lit. ¹ 109-110°C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.71 (s, 1H), 8.06 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (s, 2H), 7.67 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H).

Ethyl 3-((4-methylphenyl)sulfonamido)-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)benzoate (3ka)



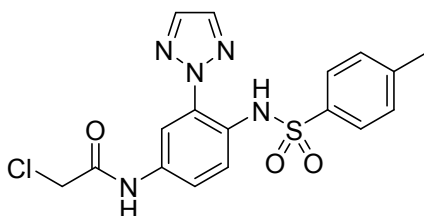
Yield 81%; colorless oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.51 (s, 1H), 7.95 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (s, 2H), 7.61 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.26 (m, 2H), 7.07 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.07 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.05 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.81, 143.96, 135.58, 135.45, 131.39, 129.86, 129.60, 129.50, 129.37, 127.09, 127.04, 126.39, 61.55, 21.44, 13.83; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_4\text{O}_4\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 409.0941, found 409.0940.

Methyl 3-((4-methylphenyl)sulfonamido)-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)benzoate (3la)



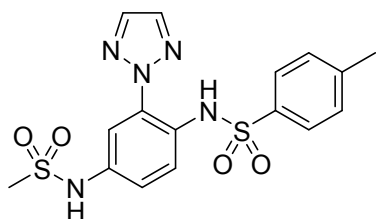
Yield 73%; white solid; m.p. 110-112°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.56 (s, 1H), 7.96 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (s, 2H), 7.60 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.61 (s, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 166.27, 143.98, 135.67, 135.47, 131.38, 129.83, 129.61, 129.46, 128.90, 127.22, 126.97, 126.41, 52.46, 21.45; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_4\text{O}_4\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 395.0784, found 395.0784.

2-chloro-N-(4-((4-methylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)acetamide (3ma)



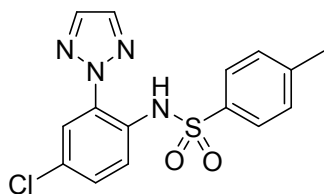
Yield 84%; white solid; m.p. 154-156°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.99 (s, 1H), 8.29 (s, 1H), 8.16 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.81-7.79 (m, 3H), 7.54 (dd, $J_1 = 8.8$ Hz, $J_2 = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 4.19 (s, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 163.98, 143.79, 135.52, 135.09, 134.34, 130.39, 129.37, 126.63, 125.08, 120.00, 113.59, 42.77, 21.40; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClN}_5\text{O}_3\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 428.0555, found 428.0554.

4-methyl-N-(4-(methylsulfonamido)-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)benzenesulfonamide (3na)



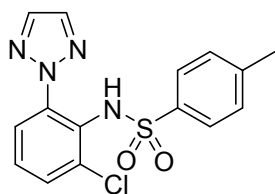
Yield 76%; white solid; m.p. 146-148°C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.08 (s, 1H), 7.82 (s, 2H), 7.81 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (dd, $J_1 = 8.8$ Hz, $J_2 = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.60 (s, 1H), 3.04 (s, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 143.96, 135.56, 135.25, 134.27, 130.61, 129.45, 126.67, 125.47, 125.29, 120.66, 114.17, 39.56, 21.41; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_5\text{O}_4\text{S}_2 + \text{Na}^+$ 430.0614, found 430.0614.

N-(4-chloro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (30a)



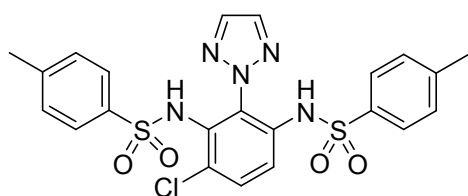
Yield 35%; white solid; m.p. 104-106°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.11 (s, 1H), 7.93 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.82 (s, 2H), 7.75 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.43 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.29 (dd, $J_1 = 8.8$ Hz, $J_2 = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 143.94, 135.63, 135.24, 130.78, 130.40, 129.47, 128.56, 127.14, 126.71, 125.01, 122.08, 21.44; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClN}_4\text{O}_2\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 371.0340, found 371.0341.

N-(2-chloro-6-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (30a')



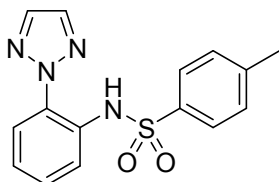
Yield 27%; white solid; mp. 164-166°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.67 (s, 1H), 7.63 (dd, $J_1 = 8.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.59 (s, 2H), 7.56 (dd, $J_1 = 8.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.02 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H).

N,N'-(4-chloro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1,3-phenylene)bis(4-methylbenzenesulfonamide) (30a'')



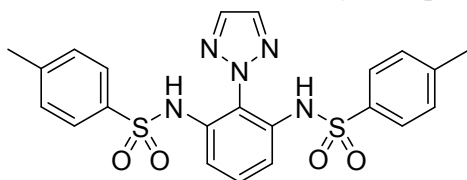
Yield 31%; white solid; m.p. 178-180°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.65 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.57 (s, 2H), 7.53 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H).

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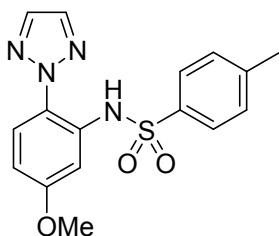
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N,N'-(2-(2*H*-1,2,3-Triazol-2-yl)-1,3-phenylene)bis(4-methylbenzenesulfonamide) (3pa')



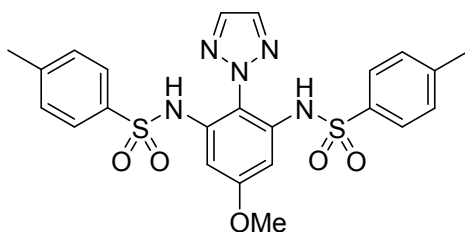
Yield 84% (0.6 equiv TsN₃ was used); white solid; m.p. 153-155°C (Lit.¹ 153-154°C); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.76 (s, 2H), 7.70 (s, 2H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 4H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 4H), 2.32 (s, 6H).

N-(5-methoxy-2-(2*H*-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3qa)



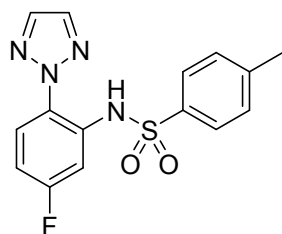
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N,N'-(5-methoxy-2-(2*H*-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1,3-phenylene)bis(4-methylbenzenesulfonamide) (3qa')



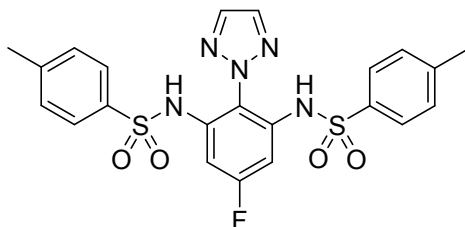
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N-(5-fluoro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3ra)



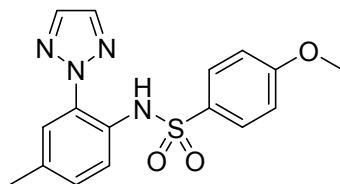
Yield 40% (under optimal conditions); white solid; m.p. 96-98°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.37 (s, 1H), 7.93-7.89 (m, 1H), 7.82 (s, 2H), 7.55-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.91-6.86 (m, 1H), 2.33 (s, 3H).

N,N'-(5-fluoro-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1,3-phenylene)bis(4-methylbenzenesulfonamide) (3ra')



Yield 86% (0.6 equiv TsN₃ was used); white solid; m.p. 168-170°C; ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.91 (s, 2H), 7.79 (s, 2H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 6H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 4H), 2.35 (s, 6H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.55 (d, *J* = 249.2 Hz), 144.25, 135.22, 135.15, 132.21 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz), 129.65, 126.47, 126.37, 125.15, 119.41, 108.51 (d, *J* = 27.9 Hz), 21.49; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M + Na⁺] calcd for C₂₂H₂₀FN₅O₄S₂+Na⁺ 524.0833, found 524.0833.

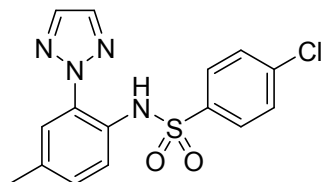
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Yield 96%; white solid; m.p. 106-108°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.81 (s, 1H), 7.77 (s,

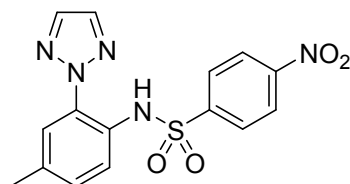
2H), 7.68 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.40 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.16 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.69 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 2.36 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 162.78, 135.92, 134.81, 130.37, 130.33, 129.41, 128.73, 125.96, 124.72, 122.53, 113.80, 55.45, 20.81; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_4\text{O}_3\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 367.0835, found 367.0832.

4-chloro-N-(4-methyl-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)benzenesulfonamide (3ac)



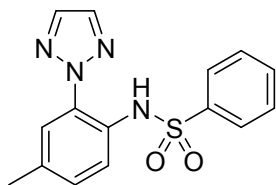
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N-(4-methyl-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)-4-nitrobenzenesulfonamide (3ad)



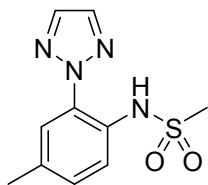
Yield 60%; white solid; m.p. 124-126°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.82 (s, 1H), 8.06 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.76 (s, 2H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 149.86, 144.05, 137.40, 135.09, 130.88, 129.76, 127.82, 125.68, 124.65, 123.81, 122.88, 20.93; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_5\text{O}_4\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 382.0580, found 382.0581.

N-(4-methyl-2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)phenyl)benzenesulfonamide (3ae)



Yield 75%; white solid; m.p. 98-100°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.80 (s, 1H), 7.75 (s, 2H), 7.69 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.46-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.38 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.23 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 138.58, 136.31, 134.84, 132.65, 130.61, 129.48, 128.61, 126.52, 125.68, 125.17, 122.56, 20.84; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 337.0730, found 337.0726.

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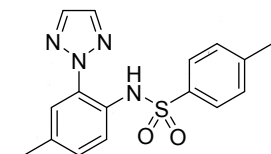
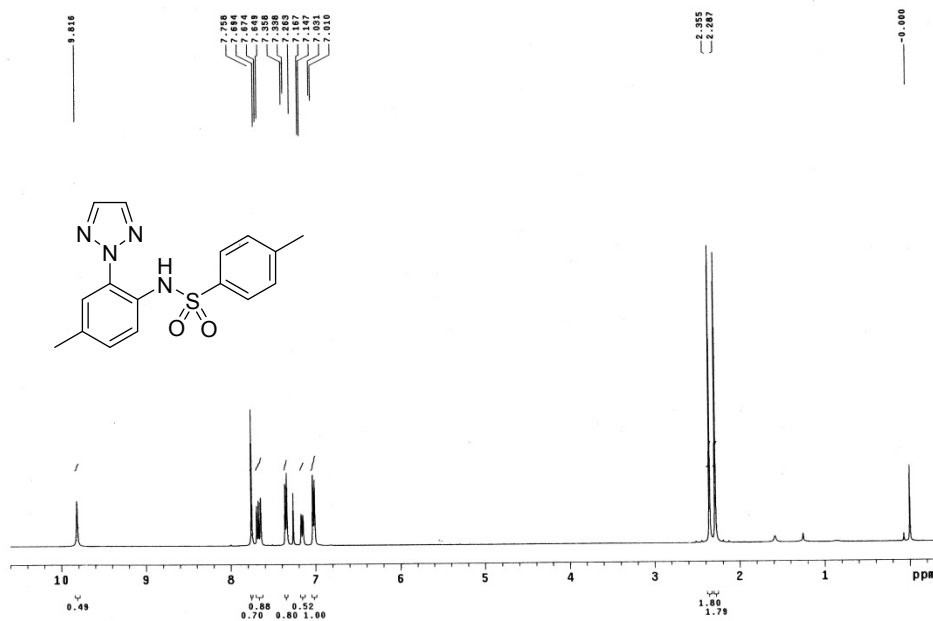
Yield 72%; white solid; m.p. 78-80°C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.69 (s, 1H), 7.91 (s, 2H), 7.70 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.22 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.81 (s, 3H), 2.42 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 135.73, 135.21, 129.76, 129.48, 126.13, 123.01, 122.83, 39.13, 20.80; HRMS (ESI): m/z $[\text{M} + \text{Na}^+]$ calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2\text{S} + \text{Na}^+$ 275.0573, found 275.0576.

4. References

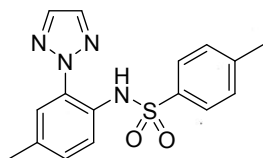
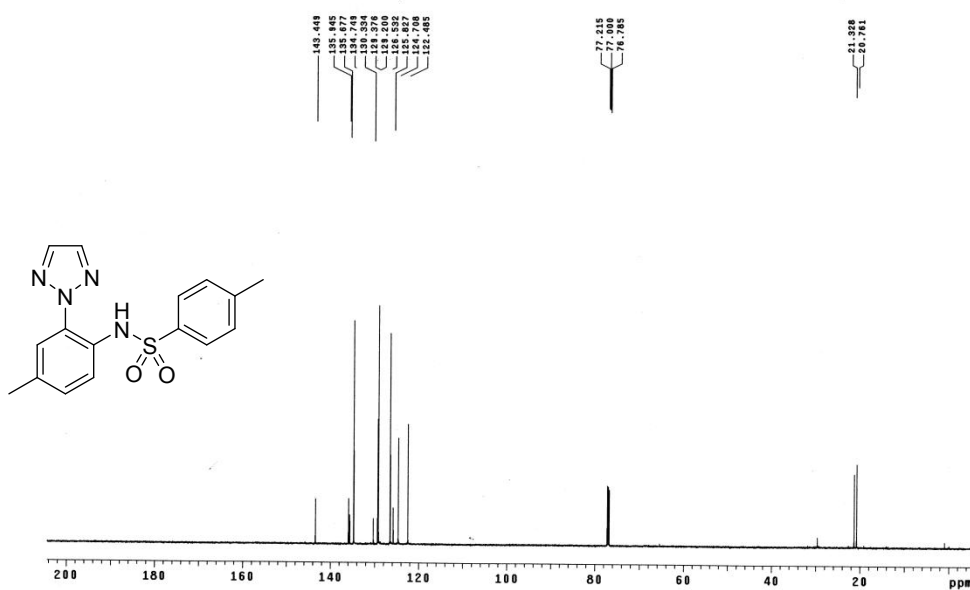
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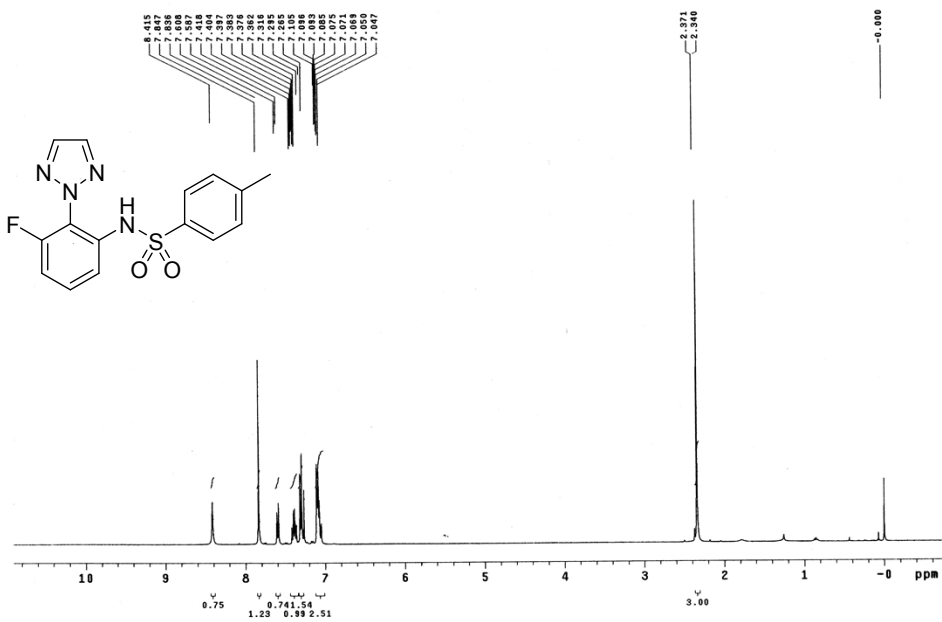
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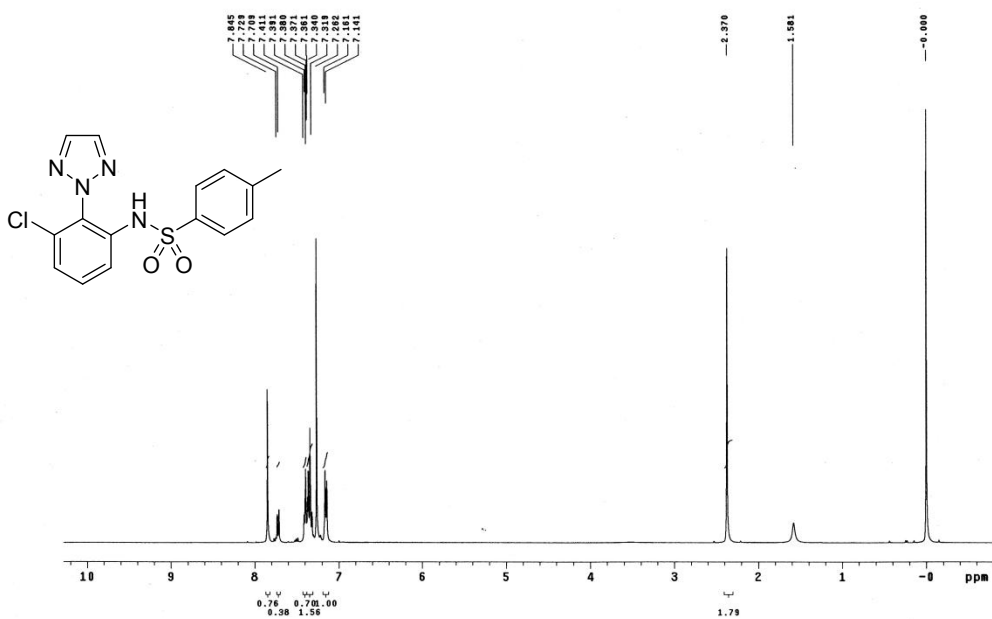
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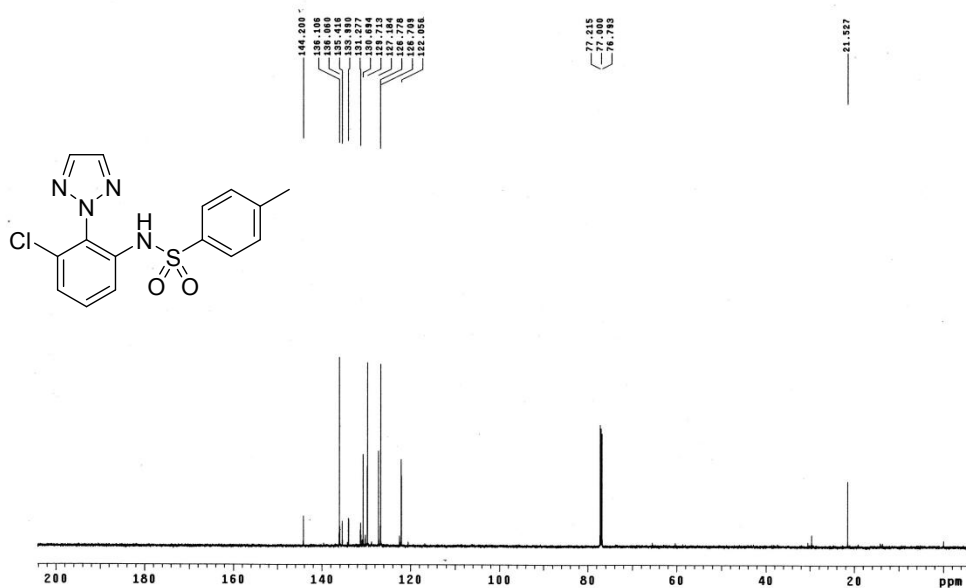
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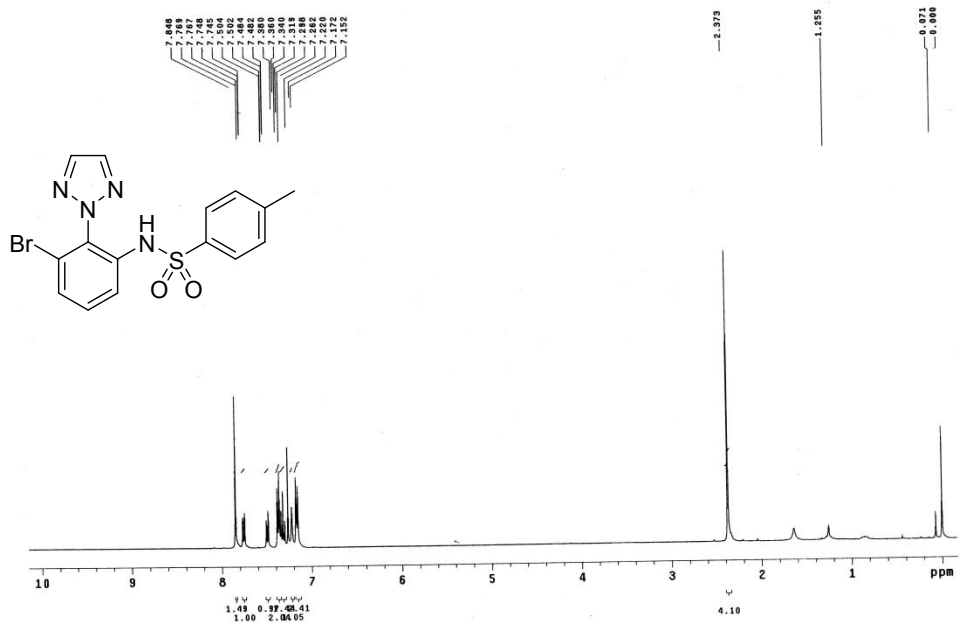
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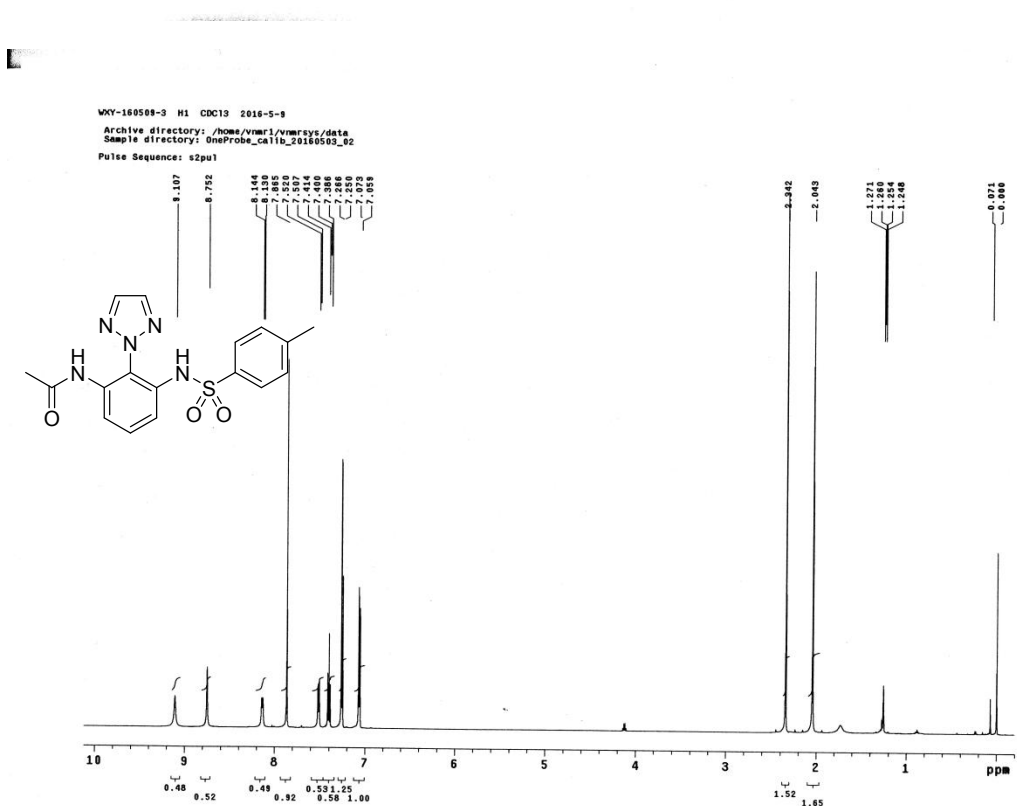
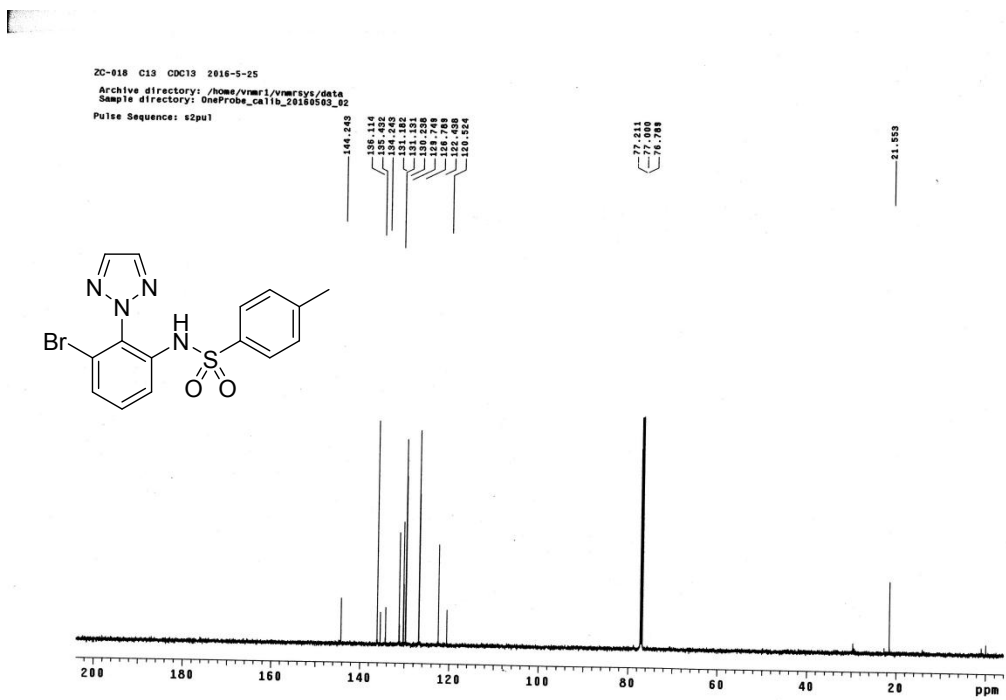


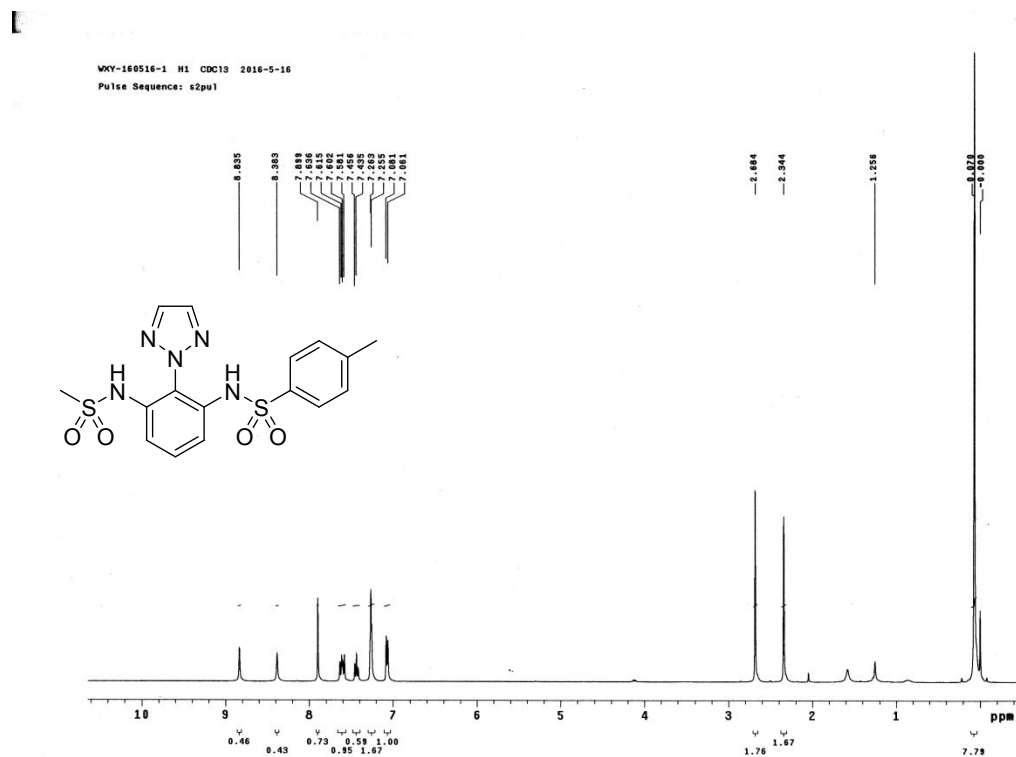
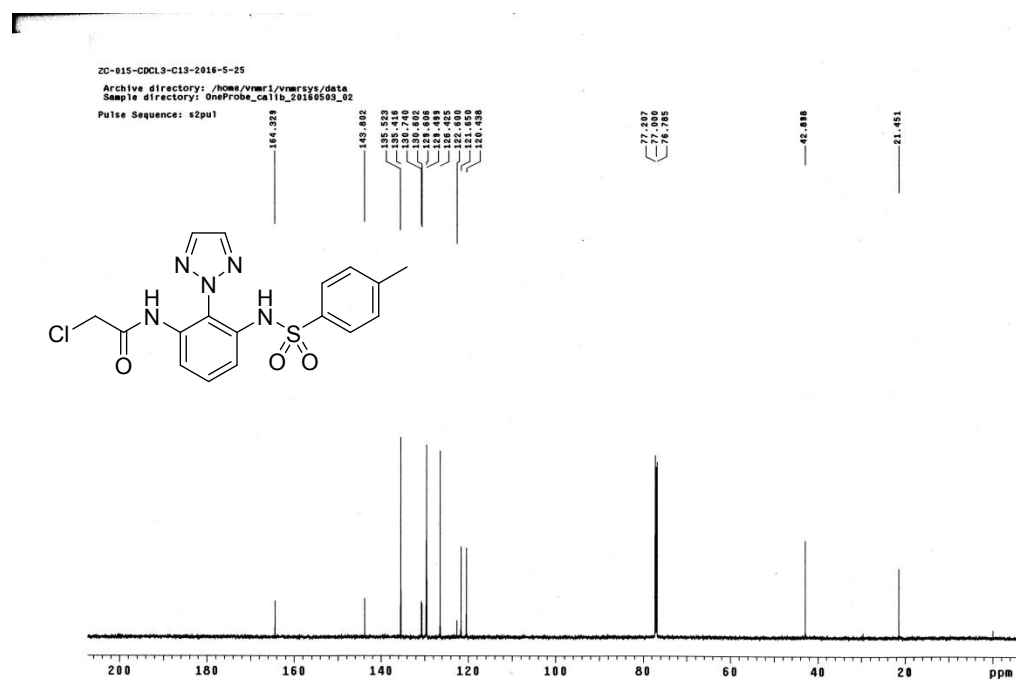
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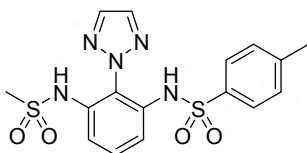
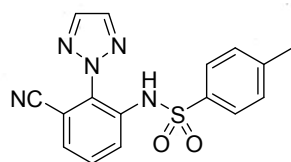
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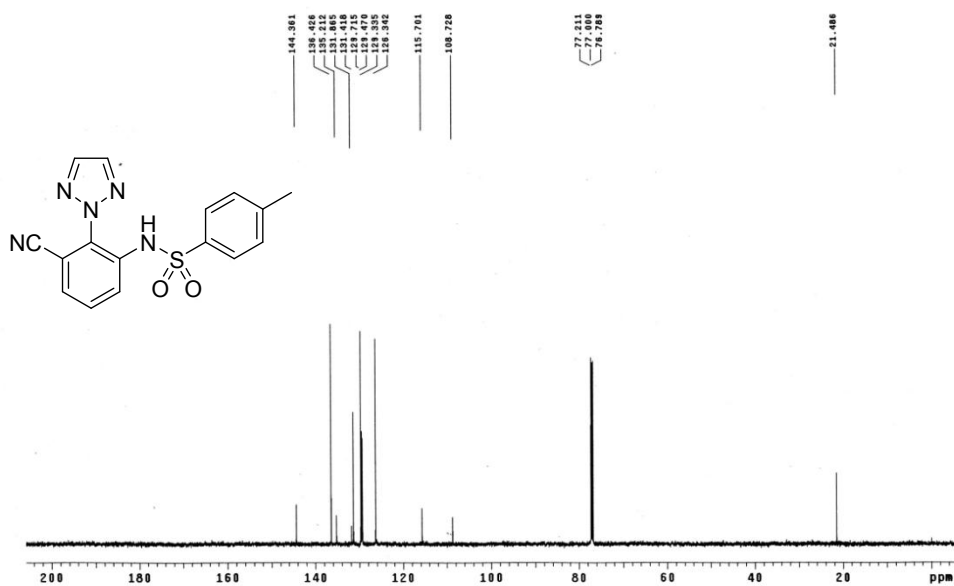




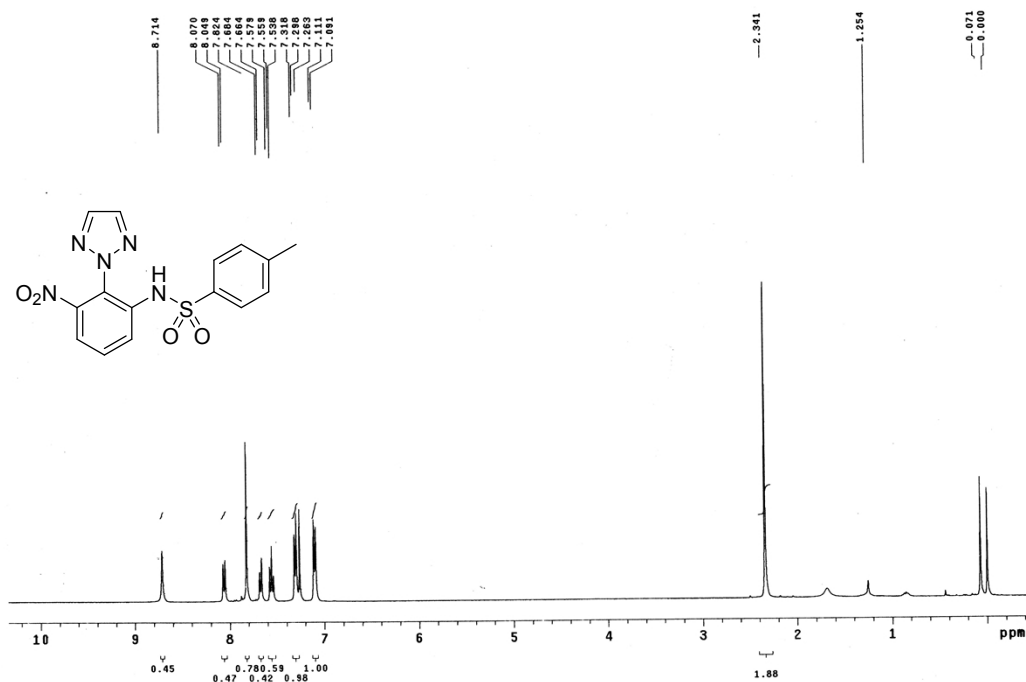
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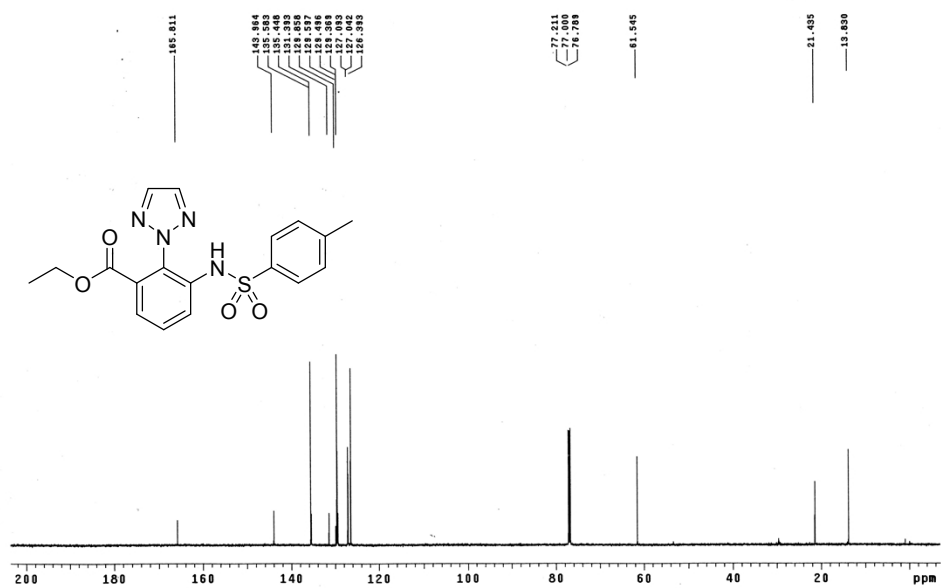
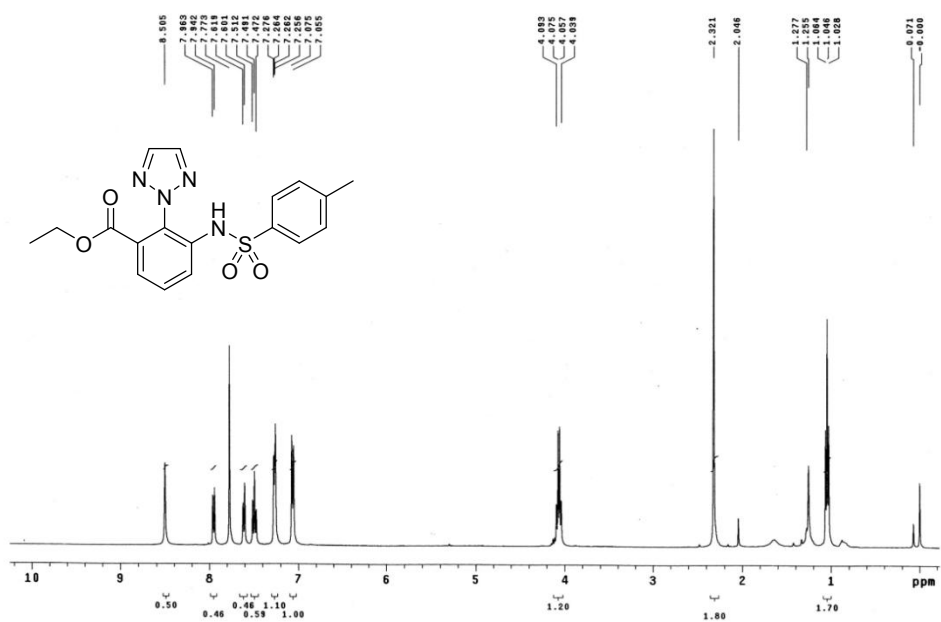
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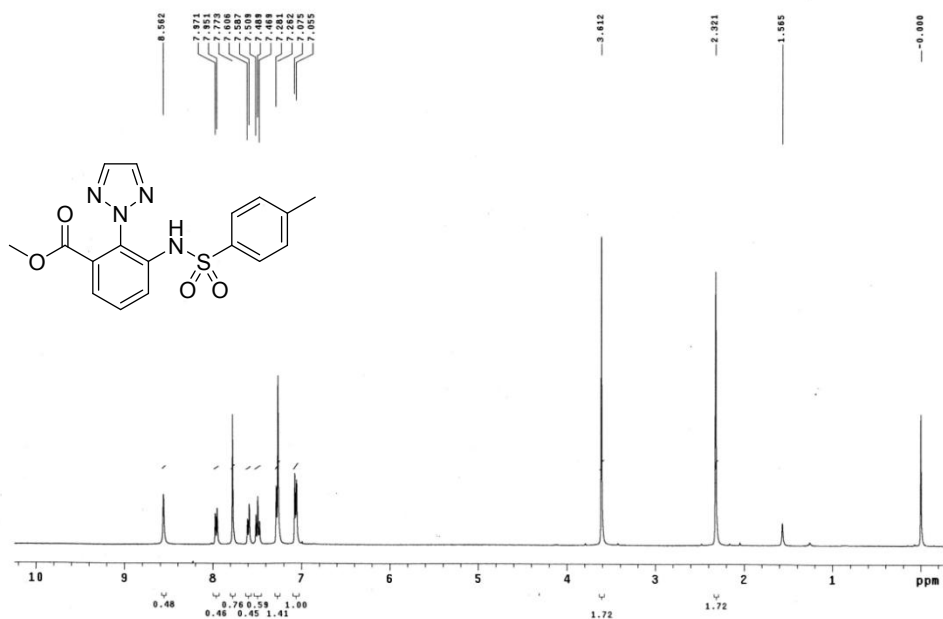
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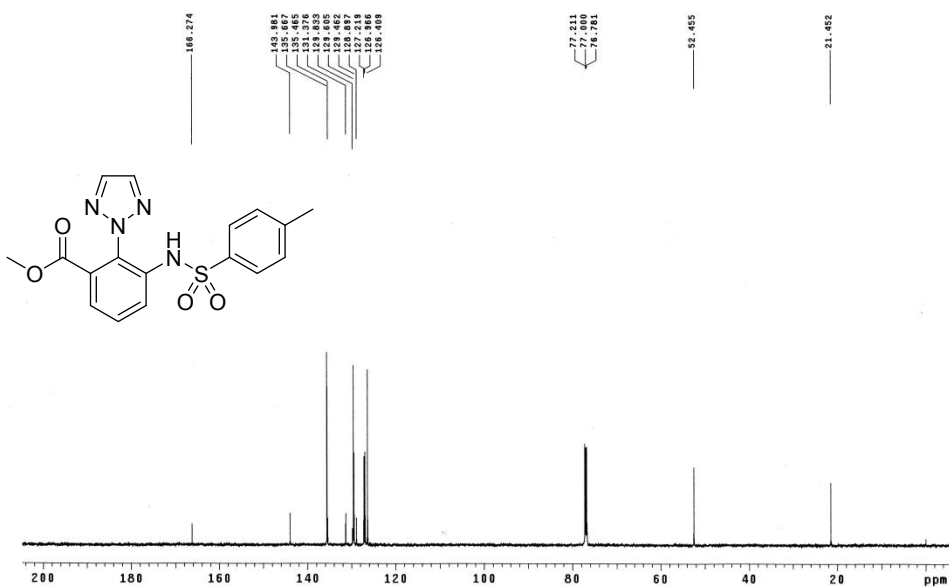
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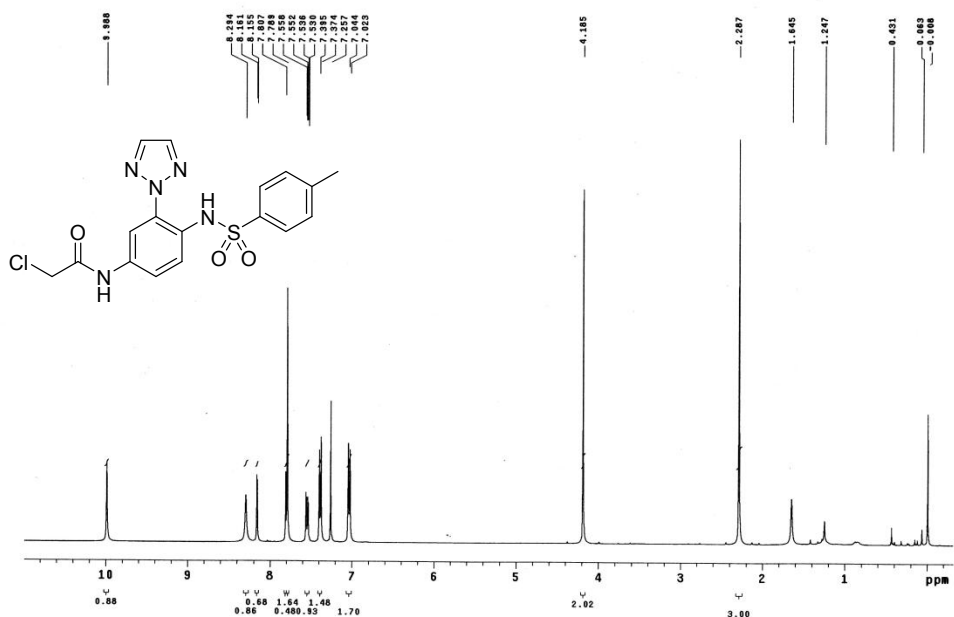
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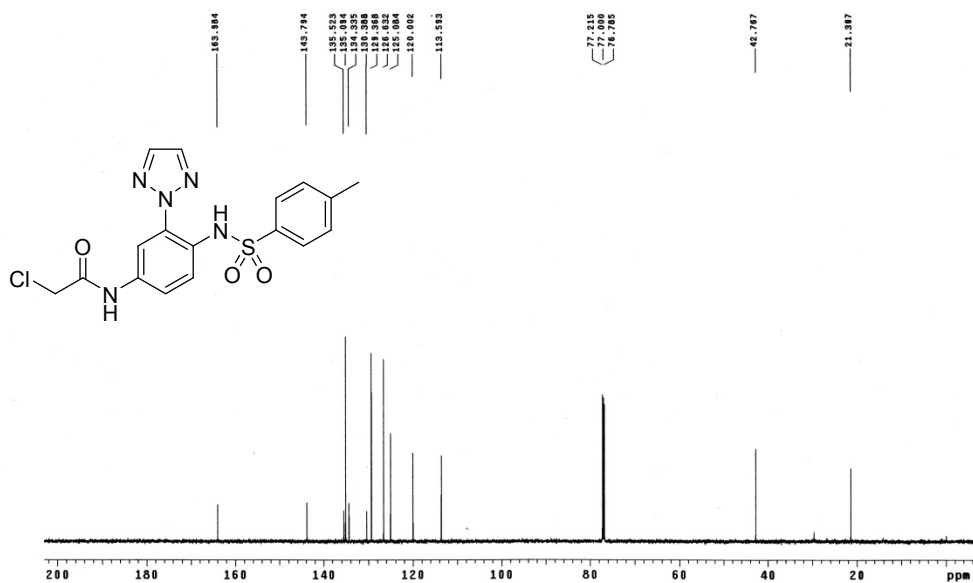
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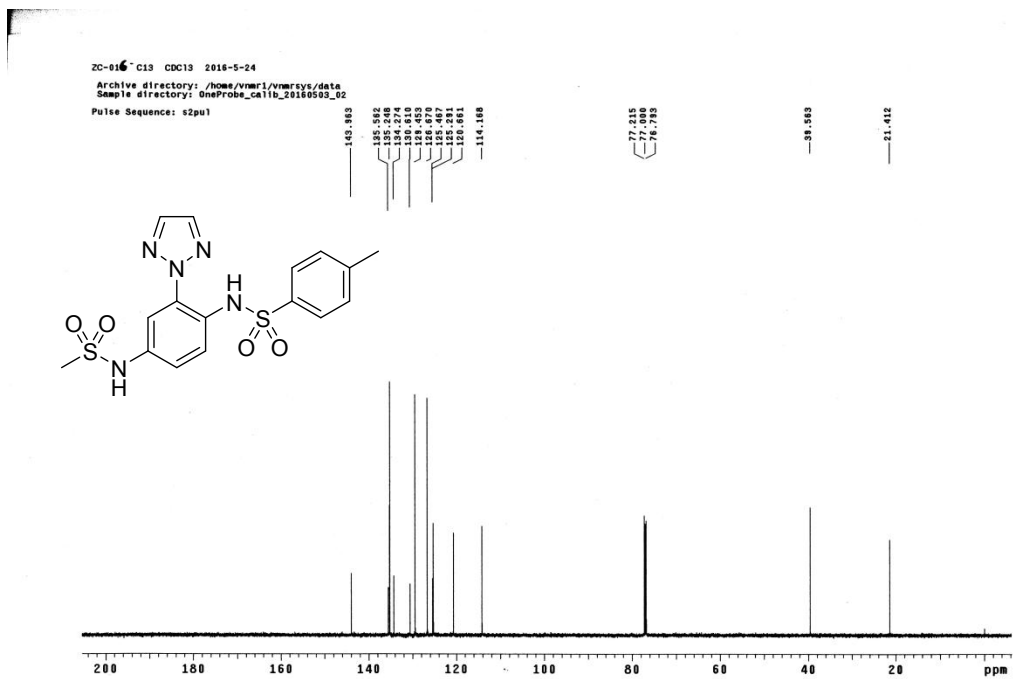
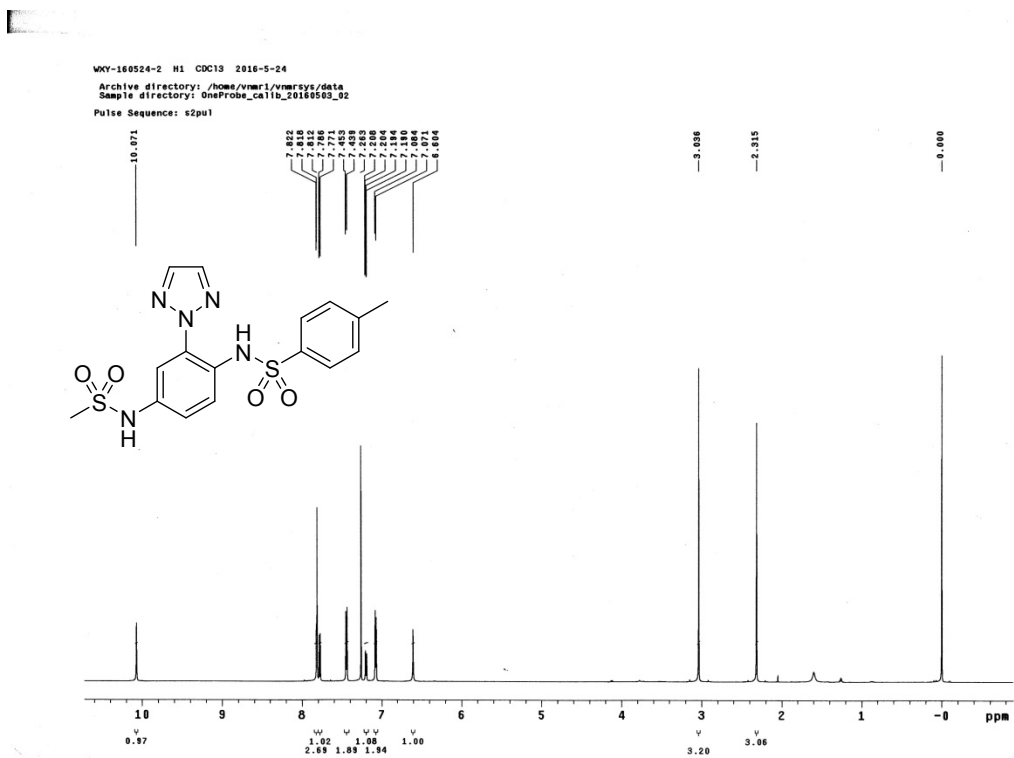


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Chemical structure: Cc1ccc(cc1)S(=O)(=O)Nc2ccccc2n3ccncc3

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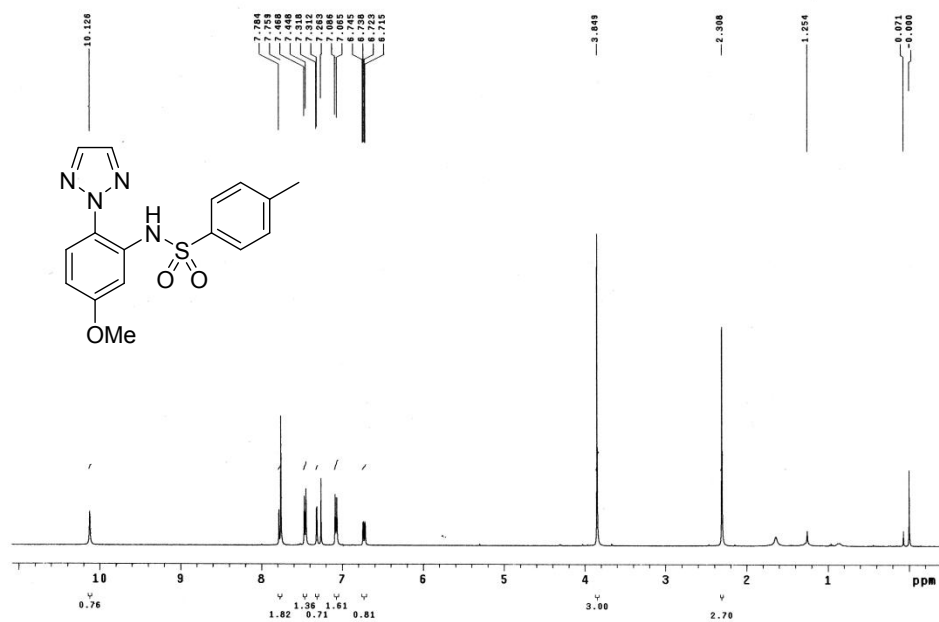
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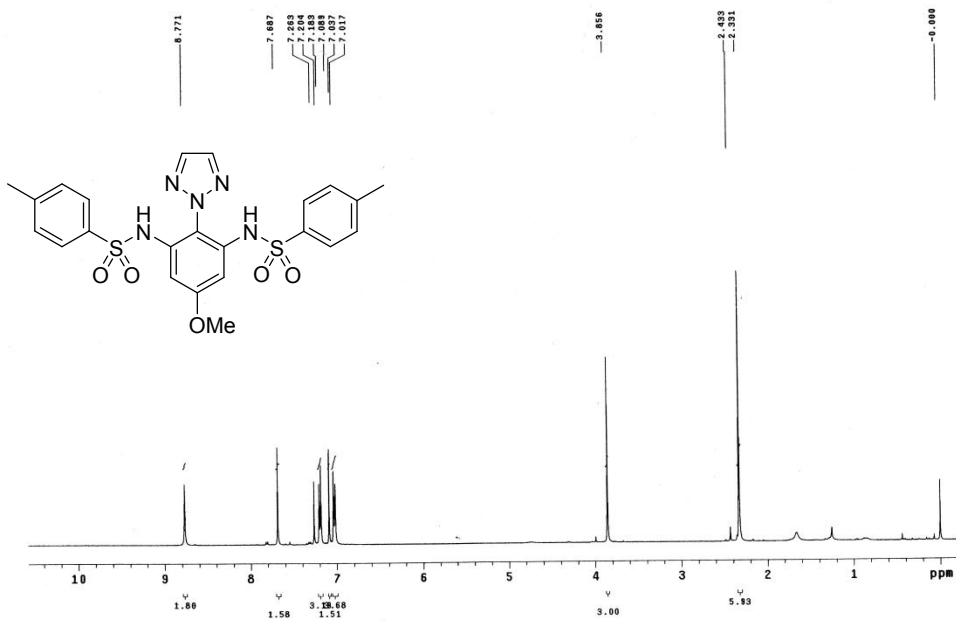
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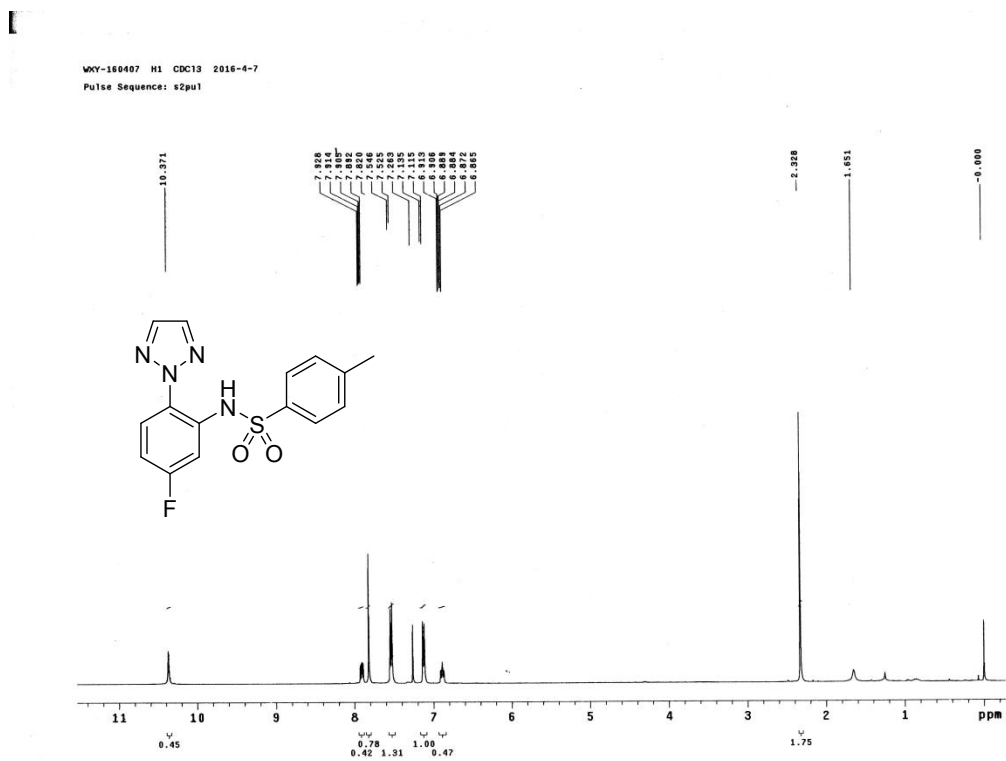
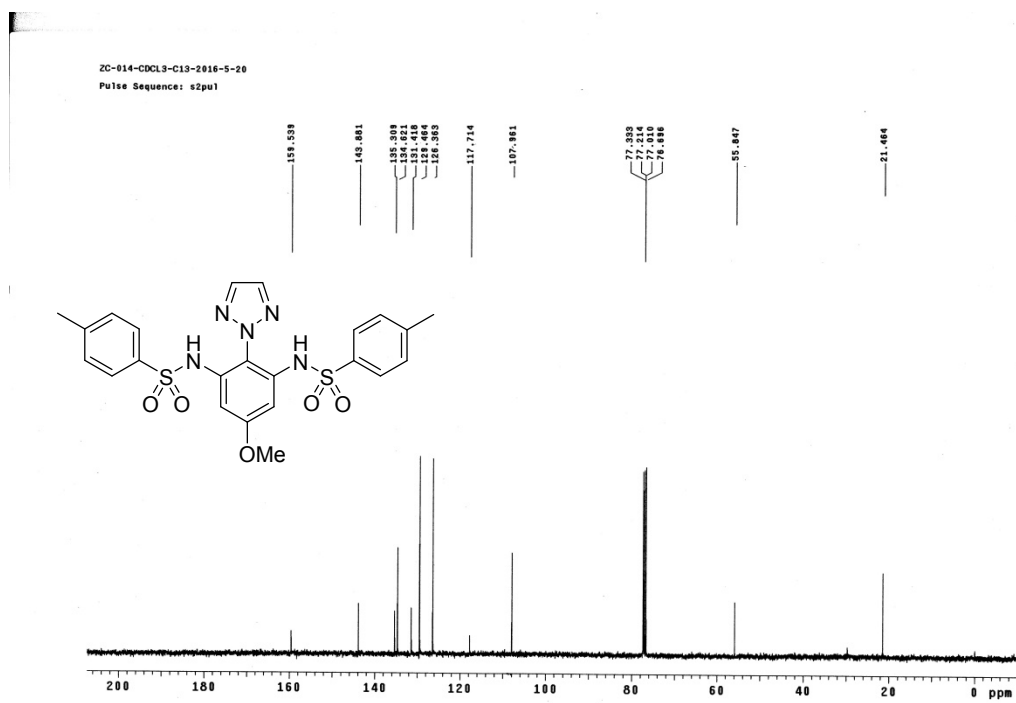
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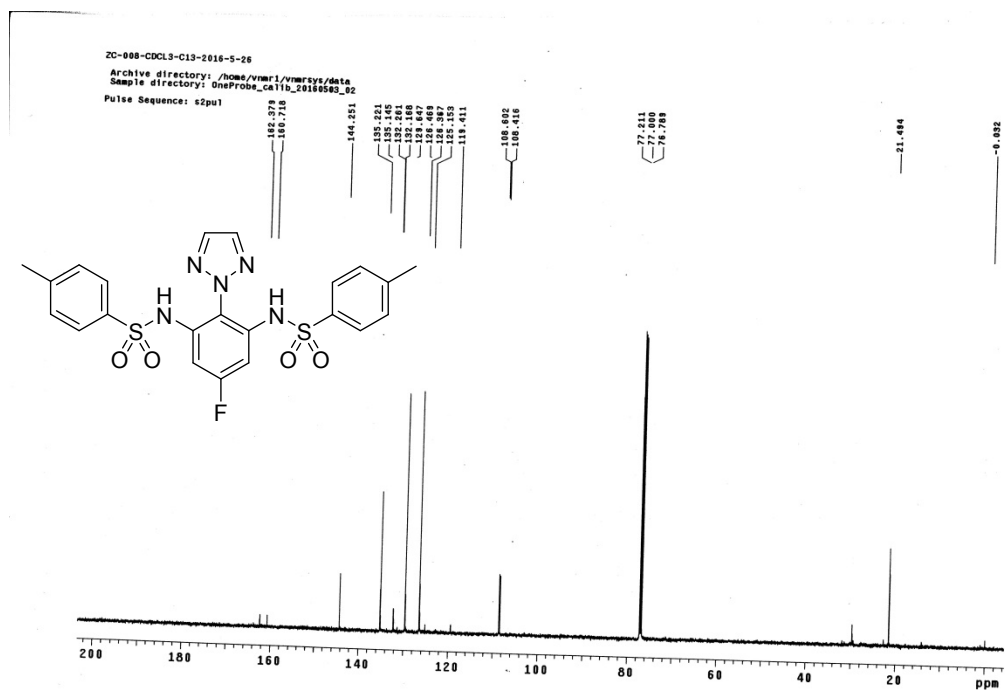
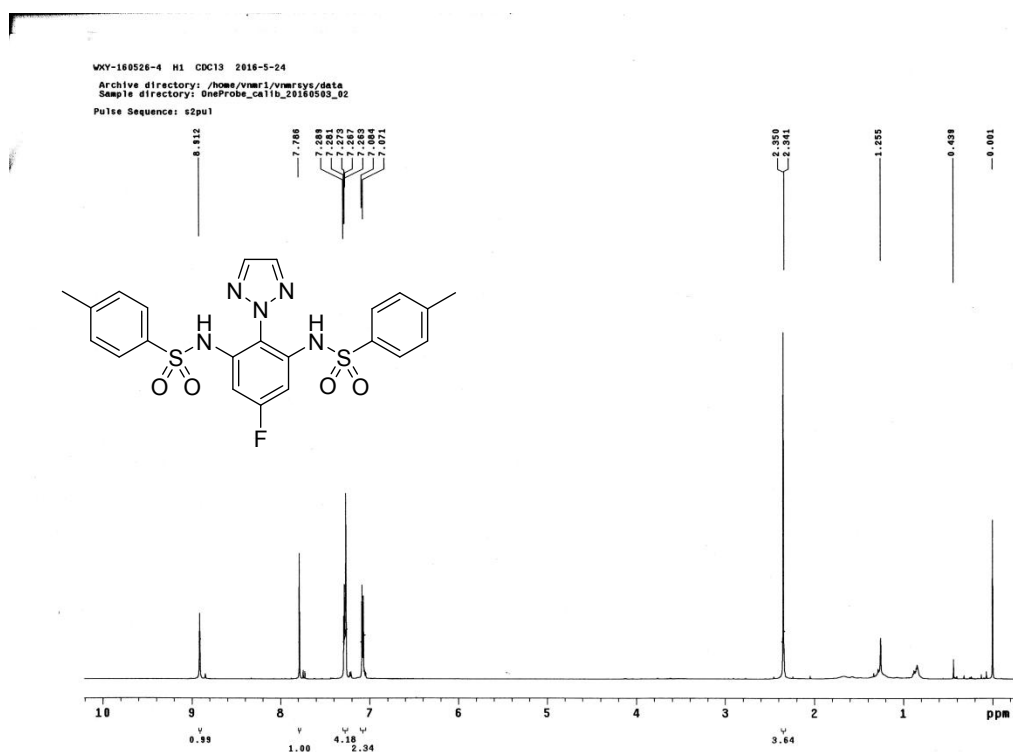
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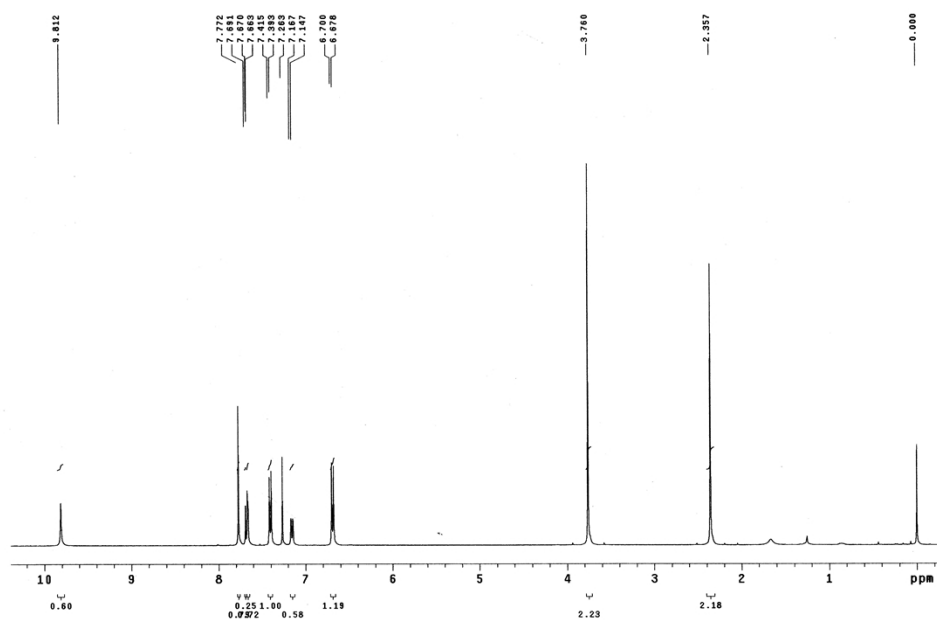
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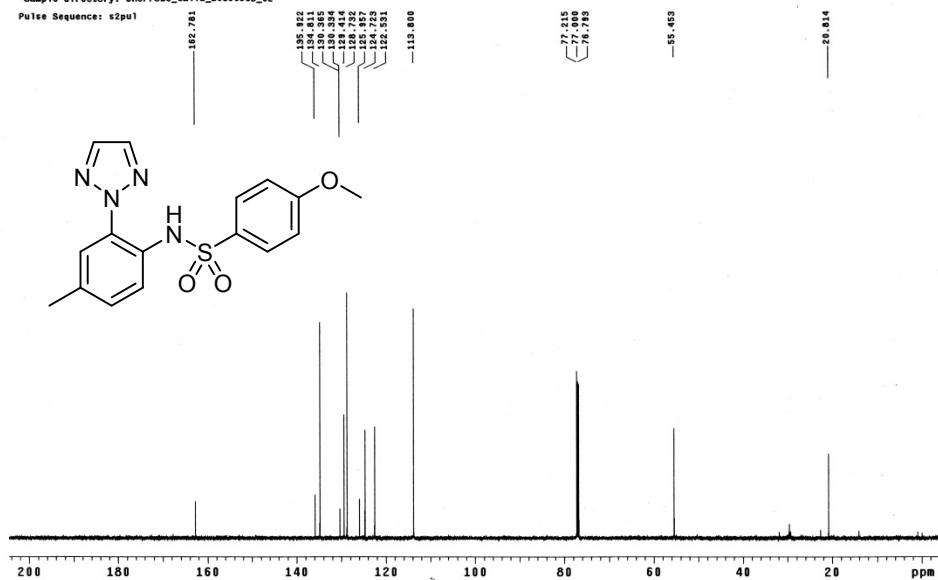




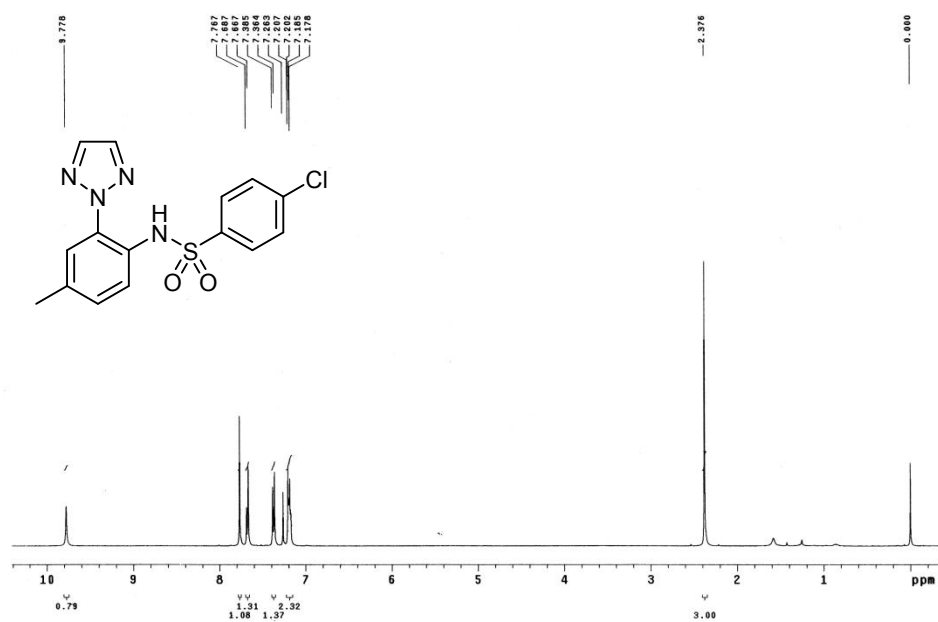
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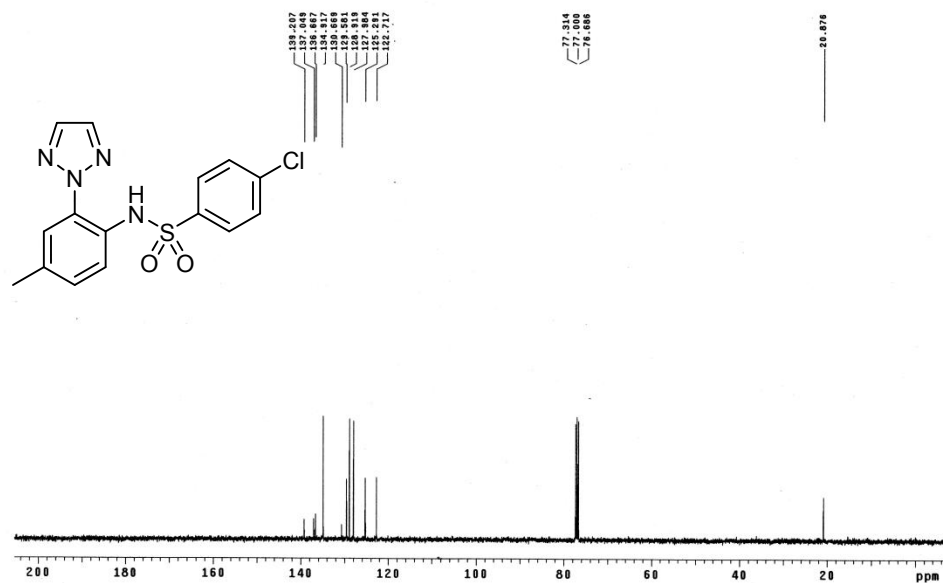
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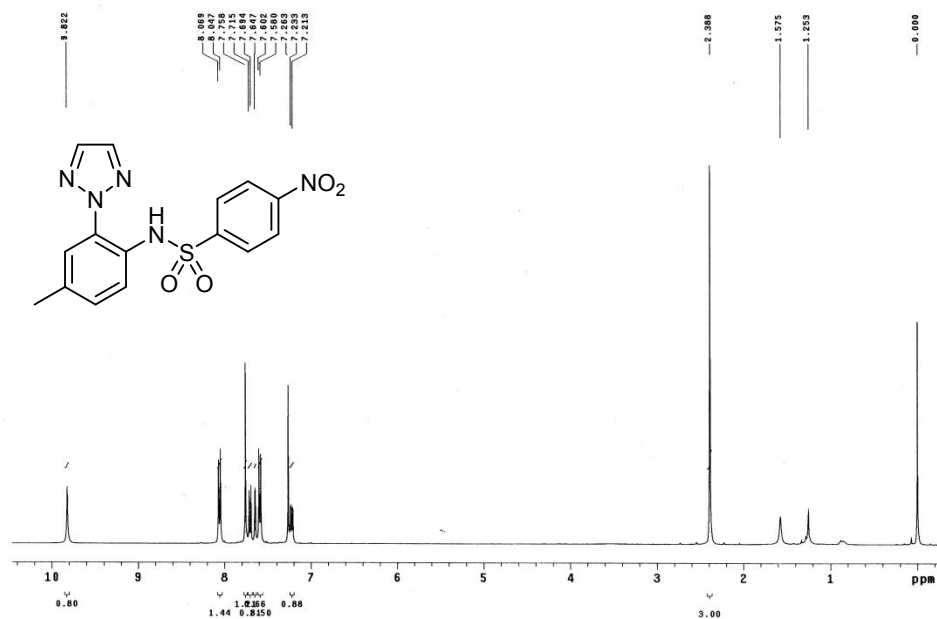
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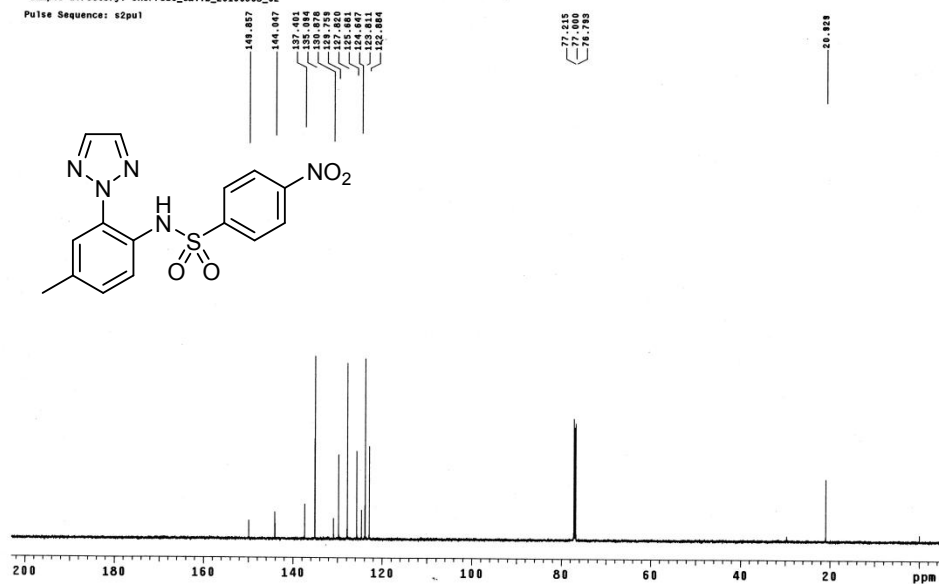


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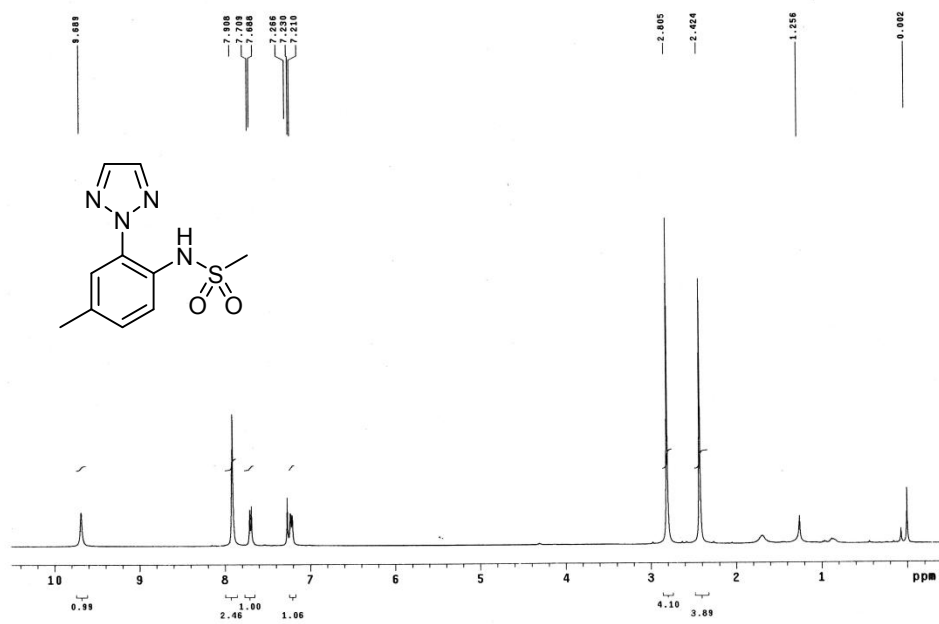
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WKY-160411-2-CDCL3-H1-2016-4-11
Pulse Sequence: s2pul



ZC-009 C13 CDCl3 2016-5-24
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Sample directory: OneProbe_calib_20160503_02
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