

Supporting Information

A KI-Mediated Radical Anti-Markovnikov Addition of Simple Ketones/Esters to Unactivated Alkenes

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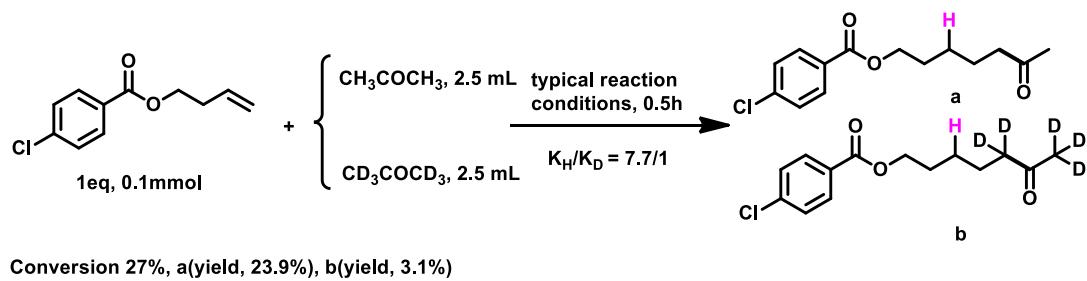
General Information

^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker advance III 400 spectrometer in CDCl_3 with TMS as internal standard. Mass spectra were determined on a Hewlett Packard 5988A spectrometer by direct inlet at 70 eV. High-resolution mass spectral analysis (HRMS) data were measured on a Bruker Apex II. Element analysis (EA) data were measured on a Vario EL. Electron paramagnetic resonance (EPR) data were measured on a Bruker A300 EPR spectrometer (X-band). All products were identified by ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, MS, HRMS, and Element Analysis. The starting materials were purchased from Energy Chemicals, Alfa Aesar, Acros Organics, J&K Chemicals, Adamas, or Aldrich and used without further purification.

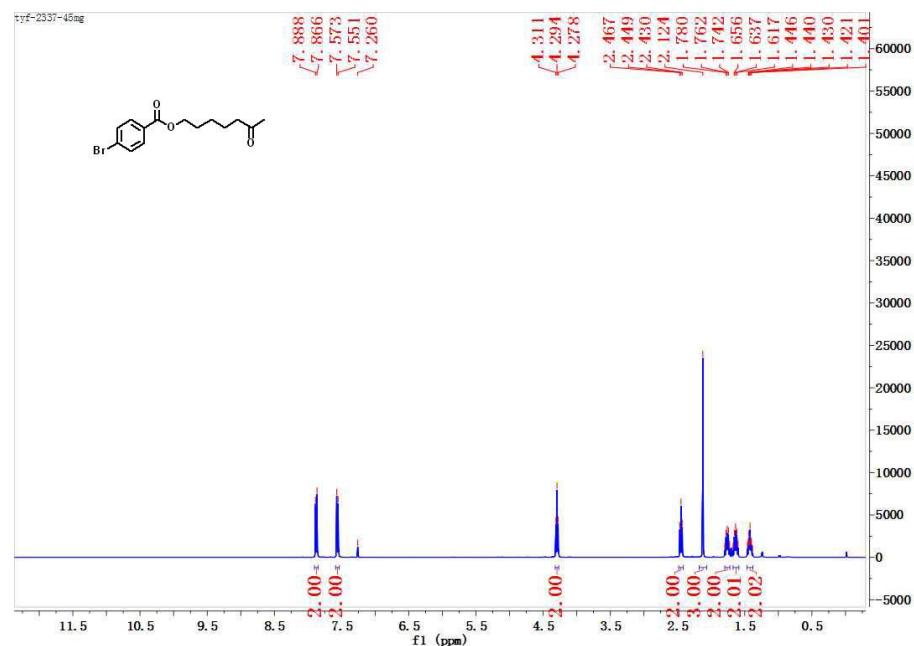
Typical procedure

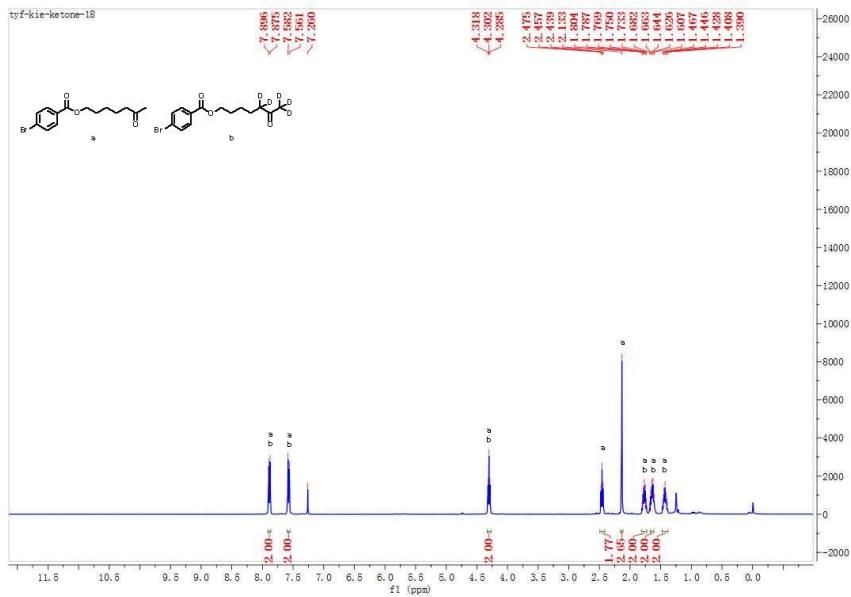
Reaction of ester with alkenes: A mixture of alkenes (1 equiv., 0.10 mmol), *tert*-butyl acetate (5 mL), KI (5 mol%, 0.005 mmol), and DTBP (3 equiv., 0.30 mmol) was heated at 130 °C (the measured temperature of the oil bath) for 8 hrs in a sealed tube (35 mL). After the reaction finished, the solvent was recycled and the residue was purified by column chromatography to afford the desired product.

Competing Kinetic Isotope Effect (KIE) Experiment:



¹H NMR





Note: The value of k_H/k_D was calculated from the ¹H NMR spectra above which should be the mixture of compound **a** and **b** (the KIE scheme). The sum of the integral of **a** and **b** at chemical shift 4.29 – 4.32 was integrated as 2.00 (both **a** and **b** keep the same double bond hydrogen). Compound **a** has 2 hydrogen atoms at chemical shift 2.44 – 2.48, while **b** has no H atoms. The amount of **a** could be defined as 1.77, on the other hand, the sum of **a** and **b** is 2.00, so the amount of **b** is 0.23 ($2.00 - 1.77 = 0.23$). As a result, $k_H/k_D = 1.77 / 0.23 = 7.7$.

Physical data and references for the following products:

All known compounds are determined by ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR and ³¹P NMR, MS analysis and compared with which were cited in the following references, and the new compounds were further confirmed by HRMS and/or element analysis.

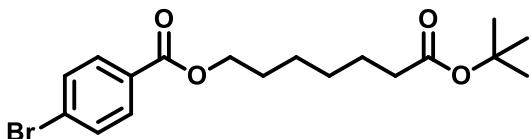
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Physical data for the following products:

1a. 7-(tert-butoxy)-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1).

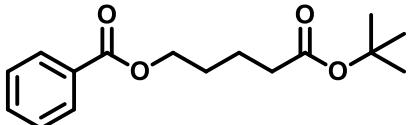


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.30 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.21 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.64 – 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 1.47 – 1.35 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.1, 165.9, 131.6, 131.1, 129.3, 127.9, 80.0, 65.2, 35.4, 28.7, 28.5, 28.1, 25.7, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₈H₂₅Br₁O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 407.0828, found 407.0825.

2a. 5-(tert-butoxy)-5-oxopentyl benzoate



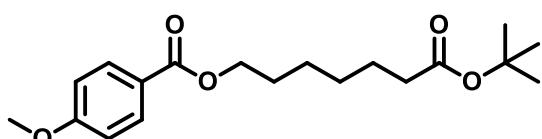
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.04 – 8.02 (m, 2H), 7.54 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.32 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.84 – 1.71 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 172.6, 166.5, 132.8, 130.4, 129.5, 128.3, 80.2, 64.5, 35.0, 28.1, 28.1, 21.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₂O₄ (M+ Na)⁺ 301.1410, found 301.1411.

3a. 7-(tert-butoxy)-7-oxoheptyl 4-methoxybenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



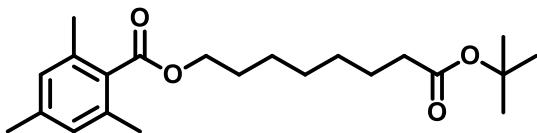
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.99 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.27 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 2.21 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.65 – 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.47 – 1.36 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.1, 166.4, 163.2, 131.5, 122.9, 113.5, 80.0, 64.6, 55.4, 35.5, 29.7, 28.7, 28.6, 28.1, 25.8, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₉H₂₈O₅ (M+Na)⁺ 359.1829, found 359.1832.

4a. 8-(tert-butoxy)-8-oxooctyl 2,4,6-trimethylbenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



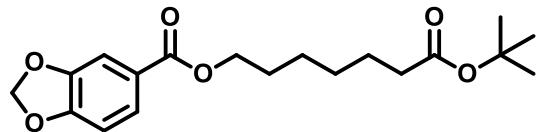
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.85 (s, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (s, 6H), 2.27 (s, 3H), 2.20 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.76 – 1.69 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.54 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.40 – 1.32 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 173.2, 170.3, 139.1, 135.0, 131.2, 128.3, 79.9, 64.9, 35.5, 28.9, 28.9, 28.6, 28.1, 25.9, 25.0, 21.1, 19.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₂₂H₃₄O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 385.2349, found 385.2353.

5a. 7-(tert-butoxy)-7-oxoheptyl benzo[d][1,3]dioxole-5-carboxylate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



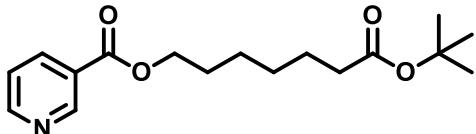
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^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 173.1, 166.0, 151.5, 147.7, 125.2, 124.5, 109.5, 107.9, 101.7, 80.0, 64.9, 35.5, 28.7, 28.6, 28.1, 25.8, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{26}\text{O}_6$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 373.1622, found 373.1630.

6a. 7-(tert-butoxy)-7-oxoheptyl nicotinate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



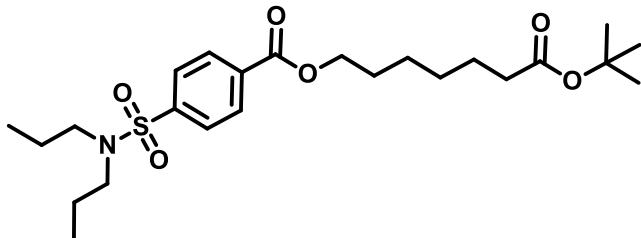
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^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 173.0, 165.2, 153.3, 150.8, 136.9, 123.2, 80.0, 65.4, 35.4, 29.6, 28.6, 28.4, 28.1, 25.7, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_1\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 330.1678, found 330.1680.

7a. 7-(tert-butoxy)-7-oxoheptyl 4-(N,N-dipropylsulfamoyl)benzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1).



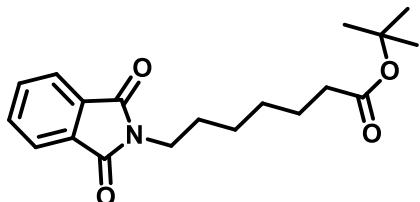
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.14 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.86 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.34 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.11 – 3.07 (m, 4H), 2.22 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.81 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.65 – 1.49 (m, 6H), 1.48 – 1.38 (m, 4H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 0.86 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 173.0, 165.3, 144.1, 133.7, 130.1, 126.9, 80.0, 65.6, 49.9, 35.4, 28.7, 28.5, 28.1, 25.7, 24.9, 21.9, 11.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{39}\text{NO}_6\text{S}$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 492.2390, found 492.2397.

8a. tert-butyl 7-(1,3-dioxoisooindolin-2-yl)heptanoate

A colorless solid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



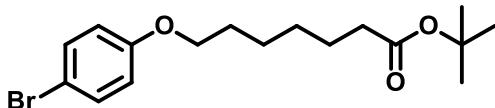
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.83 (dd, *J* = 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (dd, *J* = 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 2H), 3.67 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.19 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.69 – 1.65 (m, 2H), 1.58 – 1.55 (m, 2H), 1.42 (s, 9H), 1.36 – 1.33 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.1, 168.4, 133.8, 132.2, 123.1, 80.0, 37.9, 35.5, 28.6, 28.5, 28.1, 26.6, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₉H₂₅N₁O₄N(M+Na)⁺ 354.1676, found 354.1673.

9a. tert-butyl 7-(4-bromophenoxy)heptanoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



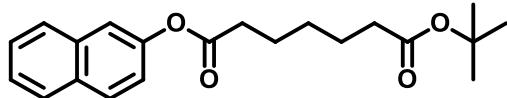
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.0, 157.7, 129.2, 125.2, 115.7, 79.9, 68.1, 35.4, 29.0, 28.7, 28.1, 25.7, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₅BrO₃(M+H)⁺ 357.1060, found 357.1063.

10a. 1-tert-butyl 7-naphthalen-2-yl heptanedioate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



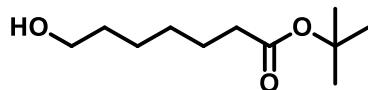
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.86 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.80 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.22 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.27 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.86 – 1.78 (m, 2H), 1.68 (dt, J = 15.2, 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.52 – 1.46 (m, 2H), 1.46 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.0, 172.2, 148.4, 133.8, 131.4, 129.3, 127.7, 127.6, 126.5, 125.6, 121.2, 118.5, 80.1, 35.4, 34.3, 28.6, 28.1, 24.7, 24.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₂₁H₂₆O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 365.1723, found 365.1711.

11a. tert-butyl 7-hydroxyheptanoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



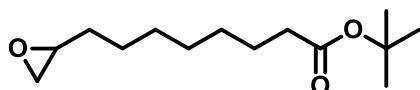
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.64 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.21 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.63 – 1.56 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.37 – 1.35 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.2, 80.0, 62.9, 35.5, 32.6, 28.8, 28.1, 25.4, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₁H₂₂O₃(M+Na₁)⁺ 225.1461, found 225.1458.

12a. tert-butyl 8-(oxiran-2-yl)octanoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 40/1).



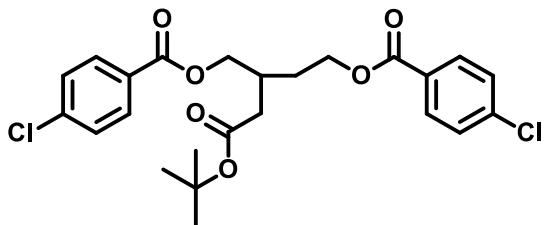
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.1, 79.8, 52.4, 47.0, 35.5, 32.4, 29.2, 29.1, 29.0, 28.1, 25.8, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{14}H_{26}O_3(M+Na)^+$ 265.1774, found 265.1771.

13a. 2-(2-(tert-butoxy)-2-oxoethyl)butane-1,4-diyil bis(4-chlorobenzoate)

A colorless solid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1).



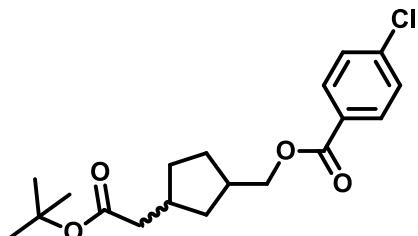
1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.94 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 4 H), 7.40 (dd, J = 8.0, 4.4 Hz, 4H), 4.44 (dd, J = 12.0, 6.0 Hz, 2H), 4.36 (d, J = 5.2 Hz, 2H), 2.56 – 2.53 (m, 1H), 2.49 – 2.37 (m, 2H), 1.96 (dt, J = 14.0, 6.8 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 171.2, 165.6, 165.5, 139.6, 139.5, 130.9, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 128.4, 81.0, 66.9, 62.9, 37.6, 32.4, 30.3, 28.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{24}H_{26}Cl_2O_6(M+Na)^+$ 503.0999, found 503.1007.

14a. (3-(2-(tert-butoxy)-2-oxoethyl)cyclopentyl)methyl 4-chlorobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 40/1)

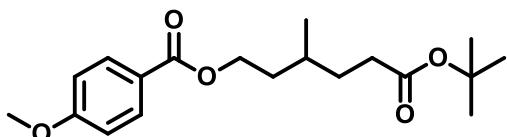


1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.97 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.20 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.51 – 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.39 – 2.31 (m, 1H), 2.25 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.96 – 1.89 (m, 2H), 1.74 – 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.52 – 1.22 (m, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.4, 165.8, 139.3, 130.9, 128.9, 128.7, 80.1, 69.0, 41.7, 37.5, 35.7, 35.1, 32.4, 29.2, 28.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{19}H_{25}Cl_1O_4N(M+Na)^+$ 375.1334, found 375.1331.

15a. 6-(tert-butoxy)-3-methyl-6-oxohexyl 4-methoxybenzoate

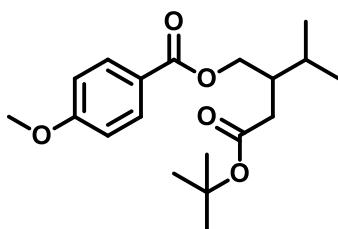


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.31 (td, *J* = 6.8, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 2.31 – 2.17 (m, 2H), 1.83 – 1.75 (m, 1H), 1.73 – 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.45 (m, 2H), 1.42 (s, 9H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 173.1, 166.3, 163.2, 131.5, 122.8, 113.5, 80.0, 62.9, 55.3, 35.4, 33.2, 31.9, 29.6, 28.0, 19.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₉H₂₈O₅ (M+ K)⁺ 375.1568, found 375.1567.

16a. 4-(tert-butoxy)-2-isopropyl-4-oxobutyl 4-methoxybenzoate



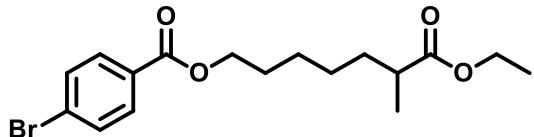
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.99 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.32 (dd, *J* = 11.2, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dd, *J* = 11.2, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 2.39 – 2.27 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.17 (m, 1H), 1.87 (td, *J* = 13.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 0.98 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 3H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 172.3, 166.3, 163.3, 131.6, 122.7, 113.6, 80.4, 65.3, 55.4, 40.4, 35.2, 28.8, 28.1, 19.6, 19.5.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₉H₂₈O₅ (M+ Na)⁺ 359.1829, found 359.1828.

17a. 7-ethoxy-6-methyl-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)

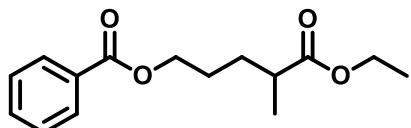


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 4.11 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.41 (dq, *J* = 14.0, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.79 – 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.69 – 1.63 (m, 1H), 1.47 – 1.40 (m, 5H), 1.24 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.14 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 176.7, 165.9, 131.6, 131.0, 129.3, 127.9, 65.2, 60.1, 39.5, 33.6, 28.5, 26.9, 25.9, 17.1, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₃Br₁O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 393.0672, found 393.0677.

18a. 5-ethoxy-4-methyl-5-oxopentyl benzoate



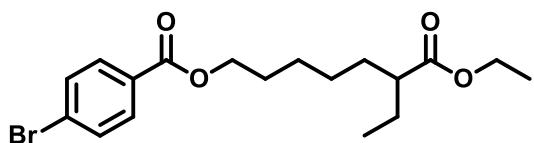
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.02 – 8.00 (m, 2H), 7.54 – 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.4, 2H), 4.11 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.52 – 2.43 (m, 1H), 1.84 – 1.72 (m, 3H), 1.60 – 1.53 (m, 1H), 1.22 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.16 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 176.2, 166.4, 132.7, 130.1, 129.4, 128.2, 64.6, 60.1, 39.1, 30.1, 26.4, 17.0, 14.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₅H₂₀O₄ (M+ Na)⁺ 287.1254, found 287.1257.

19a. 6-(ethoxycarbonyl)octyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



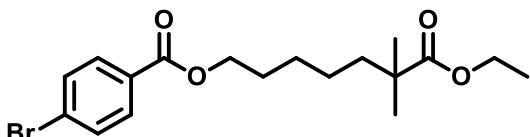
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 4.13 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.25 (dq, *J* = 9.6, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 1.75 (dt, *J* = 14.0, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.68 – 1.56 (m, 2H), 1.55 – 1.38 (m, 4H), 1.37 – 1.31 (m, 2H), 1.25 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 176.1, 165.7, 131.5, 131.0, 129.3, 127.8, 65.1, 59.9, 47.1, 31.8, 28.4, 27.0, 25.9, 25.4, 14.3, 11.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{25}\text{Br}_1\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 407.0828, found 407.0825.

20a. 7-ethoxy-6,6-dimethyl-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



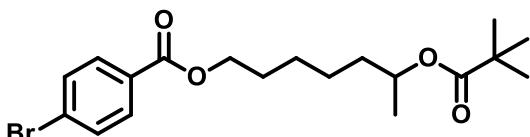
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.89 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 4.10 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.55 – 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.44 – 1.37 (m, 2H), 1.30 – 1.21 (m, 5H), 1.15 (s, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 177.9, 165.9, 131.6, 131.1, 129.3, 127.9, 65.2, 60.2, 42.1, 40.5, 28.5, 26.5, 25.1, 24.6, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{25}\text{Br}_1\text{O}_4\text{Na}_1$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 407.0828, found 407.0822.

21a. 6-(pivaloyloxy)heptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).

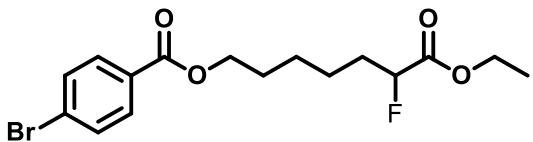


^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.92 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.90 (dq, J = 12.8, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.32 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 1.82 – 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.68 – 1.36 (m, 6H), 1.21 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.20 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 178.1, 165.9, 131.7, 131.1, 129.3, 127.9, 70.2, 65.2, 38.7, 35.7, 28.6, 27.1, 25.9, 25.1, 19.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{27}\text{Br}_1\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$)⁺ 421.0985, found 421.0990.

22a. 7-ethoxy-6-fluoro-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 50.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 4.24 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.95 – 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.81 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.59 – 1.45 (m, 4H), 1.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

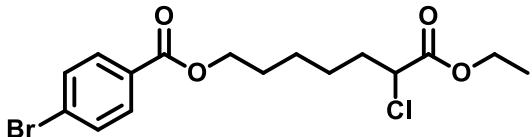
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 169.8 (d, *J* = 23.7 Hz), 165.8, 131.6, 131.0, 129.2, 127.9, 89.0 (d, *J* = 184.9 Hz), 65.0 (s), 61.4, 32.21 (d, *J* = 21.1 Hz), 28.4, 25.6, 24.1 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 14.1.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -191.86 – -192.25 (m, 1F).

HRMS (ESI,m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₀BrFO₄(M+NH₄)⁺ 392.0867, found 392.0868.

23a. 6-chloro-7-ethoxy-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)

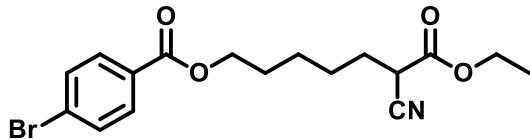


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.31 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 4.28 – 4.20 (m, 3H), 2.07 – 1.90 (m, 2H), 1.81 – 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.59 – 1.47 (m, 4H), 1.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 169.6, 165.8, 131.7, 131.0, 129.2, 128.0, 65.0, 62.0, 57.2, 34.7, 28.4, 25.6, 25.4, 14.0.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₀BrClO₄(M+Na)⁺ 413.0126, found 413.0131.

24a. 6-cyano-7-ethoxy-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate



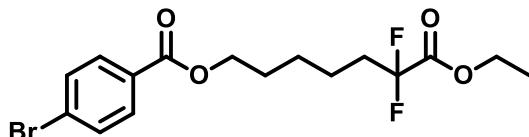
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.31 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 4.25 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.97 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.82 – 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.63 – 1.45 (m, 4H), 1.31 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 166.0, 165.8, 131.7, 131.0, 129.2, 128.0, 116.4, 64.8, 62.8, 37.5, 29.6, 28.3, 26.5, 25.4, 14.0.

HRMS(ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₀BrNO₄ (M+Na)⁺ 404.0468, found 404.0460.

25a. 7-ethoxy-6,6-difluoro-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1)



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.34 – 4.28 (m, 4H), 2.15 – 2.03 (m, 2H), 1.82 – 1.73 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.43 (m, 4H), 1.34 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

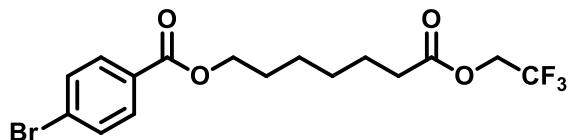
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.8, 164.1 (t, *J* = 33.0 Hz), 131.7, 131.0, 129.1, 128.0, 116.1 (t, *J* = 251.0 Hz), 64.9, 62.8, 34.3 (t, *J* = 23.4 Hz), 28.4, 25.6, 21.2 (t, *J* = 4.3 Hz), 14.0.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -105.98 (t, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 2F).

HRMS(ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₁₉BrF₂O₄(M+NH₄)⁺ 410.0773, found 410.0772.

26a. 7-oxo-7-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)heptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1).



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.46 (q, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.30 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.78 – 1.65 (m, 4H), 1.50 – 1.38 (m, 4H).

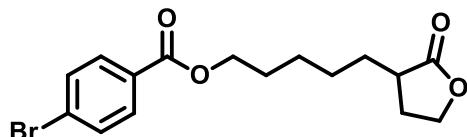
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 172.0, 165.9, 131.7, 131.1, 129.3, 128.0, 122.98 (q, *J* = 278.5 Hz), 65.1, 60.2 (q, *J* = 36.7 Hz), 33.5, 28.6, 28.5, 25.7, 24.5.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.86 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 3F).

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₁₈BrF₃O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 433.0233, found 433.0229.

27a. 5-(2-oxotetrahydrofuran-3-yl)pentyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1).



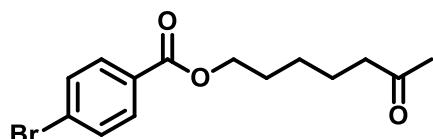
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.36 – 4.28 (m, 3H), 4.22 – 4.15 (m, 1H), 2.56 – 2.48 (m, 1H), 2.42 – 2.34 (m, 1H), 1.98 – 1.88 (m, 2H), 1.82 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.54 – 1.38 (m, 5H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 179.3, 165.7, 131.5, 130.9, 129.1, 127.8, 66.4, 64.9, 39.0, 30.0, 28.5, 28.3, 26.8, 25.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₁₉Br₁O₄ (M+Na)⁺ 377.0359 found 377.0355.

1b. 6-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1)



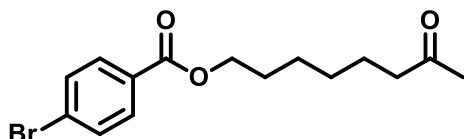
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.45 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.80 – 1.73 (m, 2H), 1.67 – 1.68 (m, 2H), 1.46 – 1.38 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 208.5, 165.8, 131.6, 131.0, 129.3, 127.9, 65.0, 43.4, 29.8, 28.5, 25.6, 23.3.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₄H₁₇BrO₃ (M+Na)⁺ 335.0253, found 335.0258.

2b. 7-oxooctyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



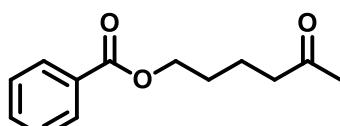
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.59 (dt, *J* = 14.8, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.47 – 1.40 (m, 2H), 1.38 – 1.31 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.1, 165.9, 131.6, 131.0, 129.3, 127.9, 65.2, 43.6, 29.9, 28.8, 28.5, 25.8, 23.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₅H₁₉BrO₃ (M+ Na)⁺ 349.0410, found 349.0414.

3b. 5-oxohexyl benzoate

A colorless after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



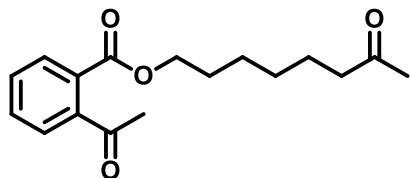
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 208.2, 166.5, 132.8, 130.3, 129.5, 128.3, 64.4, 42.9, 29.8, 28.1, 20.2.8

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₃H₁₆O₃ (M+NH₄)⁺ 238.1438, found 238.1437.

4b. 7-oxooctyl 2-acetylbenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1)



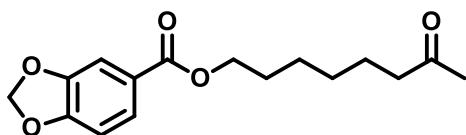
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.84 (dd, J = 7.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (td, J = 7.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (td, J = 7.6, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (dd, J = 7.6, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.42 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.76 – 1.68 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.54 (m, 2H), 1.44 – 1.28 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.0, 202.9, 166.9, 142.7, 131.9, 129.9, 129.6, 129.0, 126.3, 65.6, 43.5, 30.1, 29.8, 28.7, 28.2, 25.7, 23.5.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₂O₄ (M+H)⁺ 291.1591, found 291.1592.

5b. 7-oxooctyl benzo[d][1,3]dioxole-5-carboxylate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



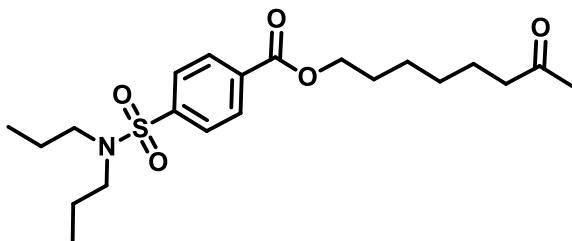
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.63 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.02 (s, 2H), 4.25 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.77 – 1.69 (m, 2H), 1.62 – 1.55 (m, 2H), 1.46 – 1.30 (m, 4H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 209.1, 165.9, 151.4, 147.6, 125.2, 124.4, 109.4, 107.9, 101.7, 64.8, 43.6, 29.9, 28.7, 28.5, 25.8, 23.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}_5$ ($\text{M} + \text{Na}$) $^+$ 315.1203, found 315.1207.

6b. 7-oxooctyl 4-(N,N-dipropylsulfamoyl)benzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



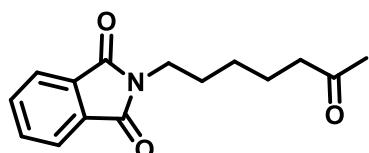
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.12 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.84 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 4.31 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.09 – 3.05 (m, 4H), 2.41 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.10 (s, 3H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.47 (m, 6H), 1.45 – 1.30 (m, 4H), 0.84 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 208.8, 165.2, 144.1, 133.7, 130.1, 126.9, 65.5, 49.9, 43.5, 29.8, 28.7, 28.4, 25.8, 23.5, 21.9, 11.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{33}\text{NO}_5\text{S}_1$ ($\text{M} + \text{Na}$) $^+$ 434.1972, found 434.1979.

7b. 2-(6-oxoheptyl)isoindoline-1,3-dione

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1).



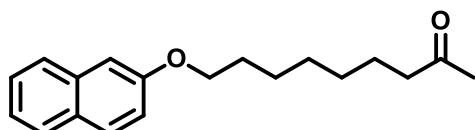
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.81 (dd, $J = 5.6, 3.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.69 (dd, $J = 5.6, 3.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.65 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.41 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.10 (s, 3H), 1.69 – 1.55 (m, 4H), 1.35 – 1.27 (m, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 208.6, 168.3, 133.8, 132.1, 123.1, 43.4, 37.7, 29.8, 28.3, 26.3, 23.2.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_1\text{O}_3$ ($\text{M} + \text{Na}$) $^+$ 282.1101, found 282.1096.

8b. 9-(naphthalen-2-yloxy)nonan-2-one

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



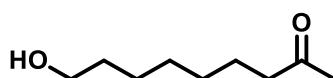
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.78 – 7.72 (m, 3H), 7.44 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.15 (dd, J = 11.2, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 4.07 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.88 – 1.81 (m, 2H), 1.64 – 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.55 – 1.48 (m, 2H), 1.44 – 1.32 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.1, 157.0, 157.0, 134.6, 129.2, 128.8, 127.6, 126.6, 126.2, 123.4, 118.9, 106.5, 67.9, 43.7, 29.8, 29.1, 29.1, 29.0, 25.9, 23.7.

HRMS(ESI,m/z): Calculated for C₁₉H₂₄O₂ (M+H)⁺ 285.1849, found 285.1848.

9b. 9-hydroxynonan-2-one

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



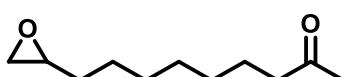
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.57 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.38 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 1H), 1.56 – 1.47 (m, 4H), 1.35 – 1.21 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.5, 62.7, 43.6, 32.5, 29.8, 29.1, 29.0, 25.4, 23.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₉H₁₈O₂ (M+ Na)⁺ 181.1199, found 181.1202.

10b. 9-(oxiran-2-yl)nonan-2-one

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



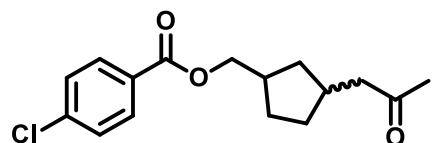
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.87 – 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.71 – 2.68 (m, 1H), 2.41 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.08(s, 3H), 1.55 – 1.20 (m, 12H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.2, 52.2, 47.0, 43.6, 32.3, 29.8, 29.2, 29.1, 28.9, 25.8, 23.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₁H₂₀O₂ (M+ Na)⁺ 207.1366, found 207.1369.

11b. (3-(2-oxopropyl)cyclopentyl)methyl 4-chlorobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)

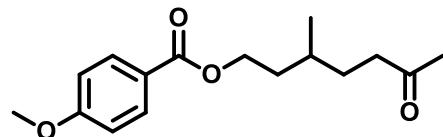


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.96 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.21 – 4.17 (m, 2H), 2.50 – 2.36 (m, 4H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.96 – 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.76 – 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.43 – 1.30 (m, 2H), 1.22 – 1.12 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 208.6, 165.8, 139.2, 130.9, 128.8, 128.6, 68.9, 49.8, 37.4, 35.2, 34.4, 32.6, 30.1, 29.1.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₁₉Cl₁O₃ (M+Na)⁺ 317.0915, found 317.0912.

12b. 3-methyl-6-oxoheptyl 4-methoxybenzoate

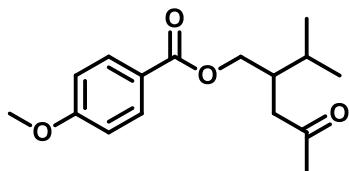


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.95 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.35 – 4.25 (m, 2H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 2.51 – 2.37 (m, 2H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.81 – 1.73 (m, 1H), 1.70 – 1.41 (m, 4H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 208.8, 166.3, 163.2, 131.4, 122.7, 113.5, 62.8, 55.3, 41.2, 35.3, 30.5, 29.8, 29.6, 19.2.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₂O₄ (M+ K)⁺ 317.1150, found 317.1149.

13b. 2-isopropyl-4-oxopentyl 4-methoxybenzoate



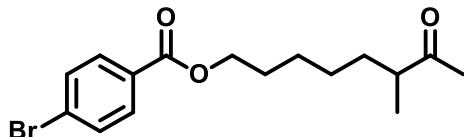
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, cdcl₃): δ 208.0, 166.3, 163.4, 131.5, 122.6, 113.6, 65.8, 55.4, 43.2, 39.1, 30.5, 28.9, 19.7, 19.5.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₂O₄ (M+ K)⁺ 317.1150, found 317.1149.

14b¹. 6-methyl-7-oxooctyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



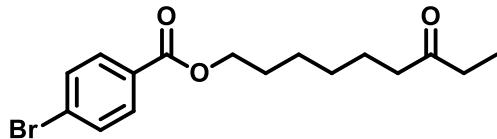
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.53 – 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.78 – 1.63 (m, 3H), 1.46 – 1.29 (m, 5H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 212.6, 165.9, 131.7, 131.1, 129.3, 127.9, 65.2, 47.1, 32.7, 28.5, 28.0, 26.9, 26.1, 16.3.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₁Br₁O₃ (M+Na)⁺ 363.0566, found 363.0573.

14b². 7-oxononyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



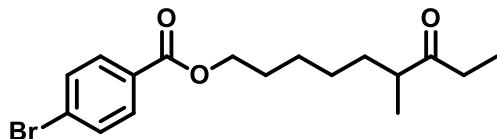
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.6, 165.9, 131.7, 131.1, 129.4, 127.9, 65.2, 42.2, 35.9, 28.9, 28.5, 25.9, 23.7, 7.8.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₆H₂₁BrO₃ (M+NH₄)⁺ 358.1012, found 358.1014.

15b. 6-methyl-7-oxononyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



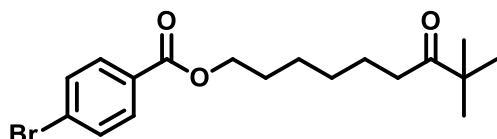
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.28 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.55 – 2.38 (m, 3H), 1.77 – 1.62 (m, 3H), 1.44 – 1.25 (m, 5H), 1.07 – 1.01 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 215.4, 165.9, 131.6, 131.0, 129.2, 127.9, 65.2, 46.0, 34.3, 32.9, 28.5, 27.0, 26.1, 16.6, 7.8.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₃BrO₃ (M+Na)⁺ 377.0723, found 377.0724.

16b. 8,8-dimethyl-7-oxononyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



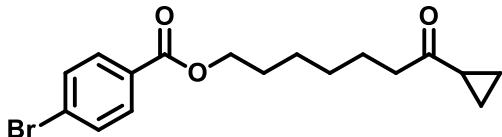
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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 216.0, 165.9, 131.6, 131.0, 129.2, 127.9, 65.2, 44.0, 36.2, 28.9, 28.5, 26.3, 25.9, 23.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₈H₂₅Br₁O₃ (M+Na)⁺ 391.0879, found 391.0884.

17b. 7-cyclopropyl-7-oxoheptyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



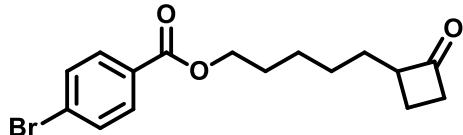
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.28 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.54 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.93 – 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.78 – 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.62 (dt, *J* = 14.4, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.47 – 1.29 (m, 4H), 0.98 – 0.93 (m, 2H), 0.85 – 0.83 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.0, 165.8, 131.6, 131.0, 129.2, 127.9, 65.2, 43.3, 28.8, 28.4, 25.8, 23.7, 20.3, 10.6.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₁₇H₂₁Br₁O₃ (M+Na)⁺ 375.0566, found 375.0572.

18b. 5-(2-oxocyclobutyl)pentyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.27 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 3.31 – 3.21 (m, 1H), 3.05 – 2.95 (m, 1H), 2.93 – 2.84 (m, 1H), 2.15 (ddd, *J* = 21.2, 10.4, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.57 (m, 4H), 1.53 – 1.36 (m, 4H), 1.23 – 1.89 (m, 1H).

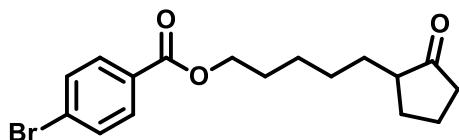
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29.3, 28.4, 26.6, 25.8, 16.8.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{16}H_{19}Br_1O_3$ ($M+Na$)⁺ 361.0410, found 361.0417.

19b. 5-(2-oxocyclopentyl)pentyl 4-bromobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



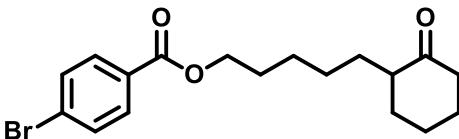
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.28 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.32 – 1.94 (m, 5H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.54 – 1.34 (m, 5H), 1.30 – 1.23 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.8, 131.6, 131.0, 129.2, 127.8, 65.1, 49.0, 38.1 29.5, 29.4, 28.4, 27.1, 26.0, 20.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{17}H_{21}Br_1O_3$ ($M+Na$)⁺ 375.0566 found 375.0573.

20b. 8-(oxiran-2-yl)octanenitrile

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1).



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.30 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.41 – 2.36 (m, 1H), 2.32 – 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.13 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.88 – 1.72 (m, 4H), 1.70 – 1.62 (m, 2H), 1.47 – 1.30 (m, 5H), 1.24 – 1.17 (m, 1H).

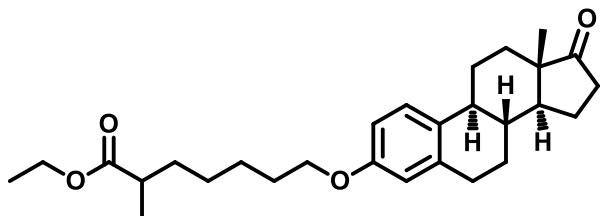
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 213.3, 165.9, 131.7, 131.1, 129.4, 127.9, 65.3, 50.7, 42.0, 33.9, 29.3, 28.6, 28.0, 26.9, 26.2, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $C_{18}H_{23}Br_1O_3$ ($M+H$)⁺ 367.0903, found 367.0902.

28a.

ethyl

**2-methyl-7-((8R,9S,13S,14S)-13-methyl-17-oxo-7,8,9,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-decahydr
o-6H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl)oxy)heptanoate**



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.18 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.63 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.12 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.91 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.91 – 2.87 (m, 2H), 2.53 – 2.38 (m, 3H), 2.30 – 2.22 (m, 1H), 2.18 – 1.93 (m, 4H), 1.79 – 1.34 (m, 14H), 1.25 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.14 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.90 (s, 3H).

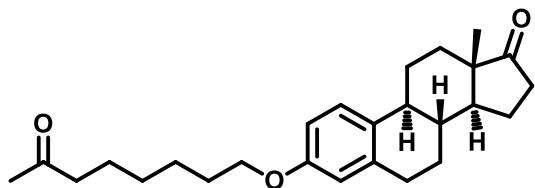
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 220.7, 176.8, 157.1, 137.6, 131.8, 126.2, 114.5, 112.1, 67.7, 60.1, 50.4, 48.0, 44.0, 39.5, 38.4, 35.8, 33.7, 31.6, 29.6, 29.2, 27.0, 26.5, 26.0, 25.9, 21.6, 17.1, 14.2, 13.8.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for C₂₈H₄₀O₄ (M+H)⁺ 441.2999, found 441.3006.

21b.

**(8R,9S,13S,14S)-13-methyl-3-((7-oxooctyl)oxy)-7,8,9,11,12,13,15,16-octahydro-6H-cy
clopenta[a]phenanthren-17(14H)-one**

A colorless solid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



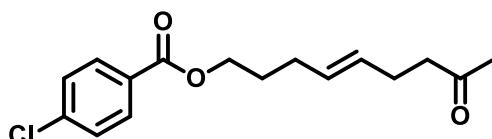
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.18 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.63 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.91 – 2.86 (m, 2H), 2.53 – 2.35 (m, 5H), 2.29 – 2.16 (m, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.11 – 1.93 (m, 3H), 1.79 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.67 – 1.50 (m, 5H), 1.50 – 1.43 (m, 3H), 1.41 – 1.31 (m, 2H), 0.90 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 220.8, 209.0, 157.1, 137.7, 131.9, 126.3, 114.5, 112.1, 67.7, 50.4, 48.0, 44.0, 43.6, 38.4, 35.9, 31.6, 29.8, 29.6, 29.1, 28.9, 26.6, 25.9, 25.9, 23.7, 21.6, 13.8.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{NH}_4$) $^+$ 414.3003, found 414.3002.

22b. (E)-8-oxonon-4-en-1-yl 4-chlorobenzoate

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



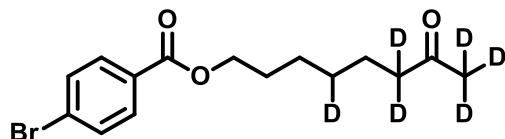
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^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 208.3, 165.7, 139.3, 130.9, 129.8, 129.6, 128.9, 128.7, 64.6, 43.4, 29.7, 28.9, 28.4, 26.7.

HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{Cl}_1\text{O}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 295.1095, found 295.1096.

23b.

A colorless liquid after purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10/1)



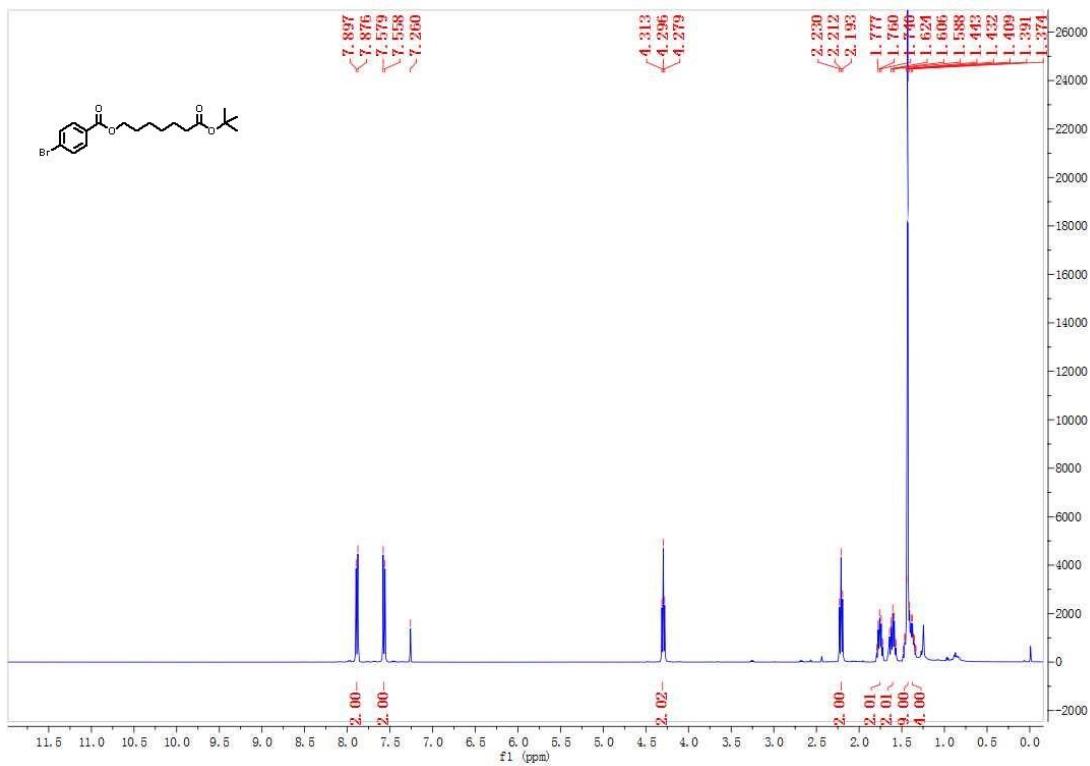
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^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 209.2, 165.9, 131.6, 131.0, 129.3, 127.9, 65.2, 43.0 – 42.5(m), 29.7, 28.7 – 28.1 (m), 28.4, 25.7, 23.4.

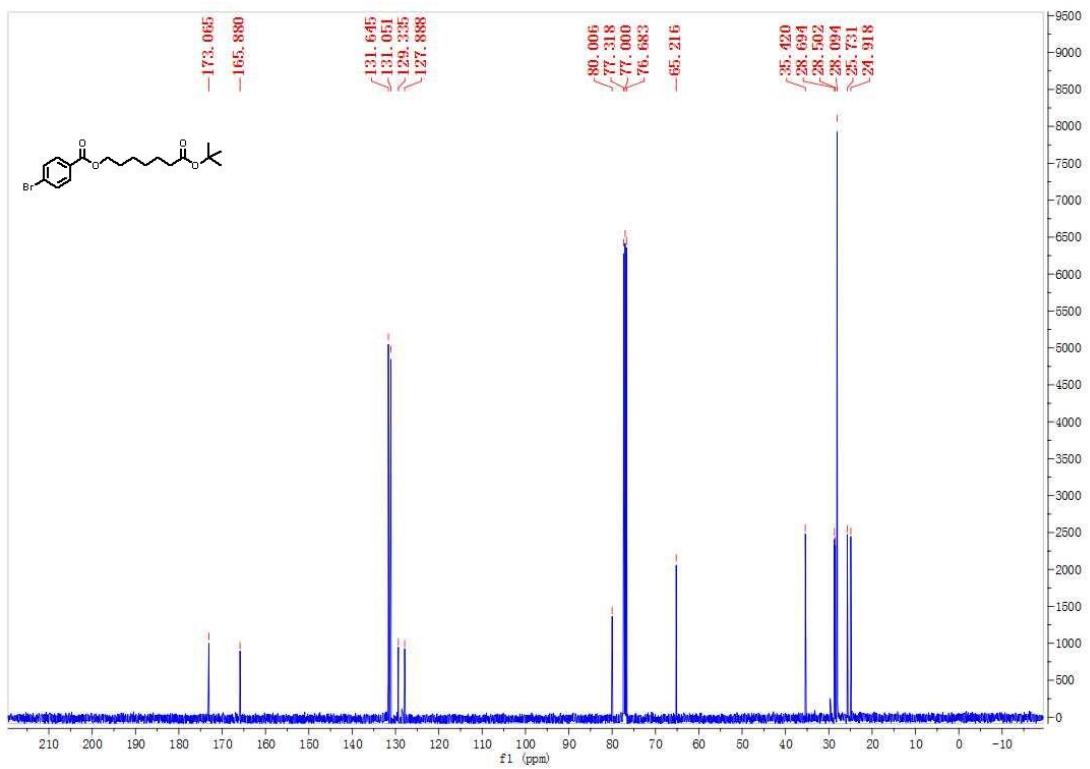
HRMS (ESI, m/z): Calculated for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{D}_6\text{BrO}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 355.0786, found 355.0791.

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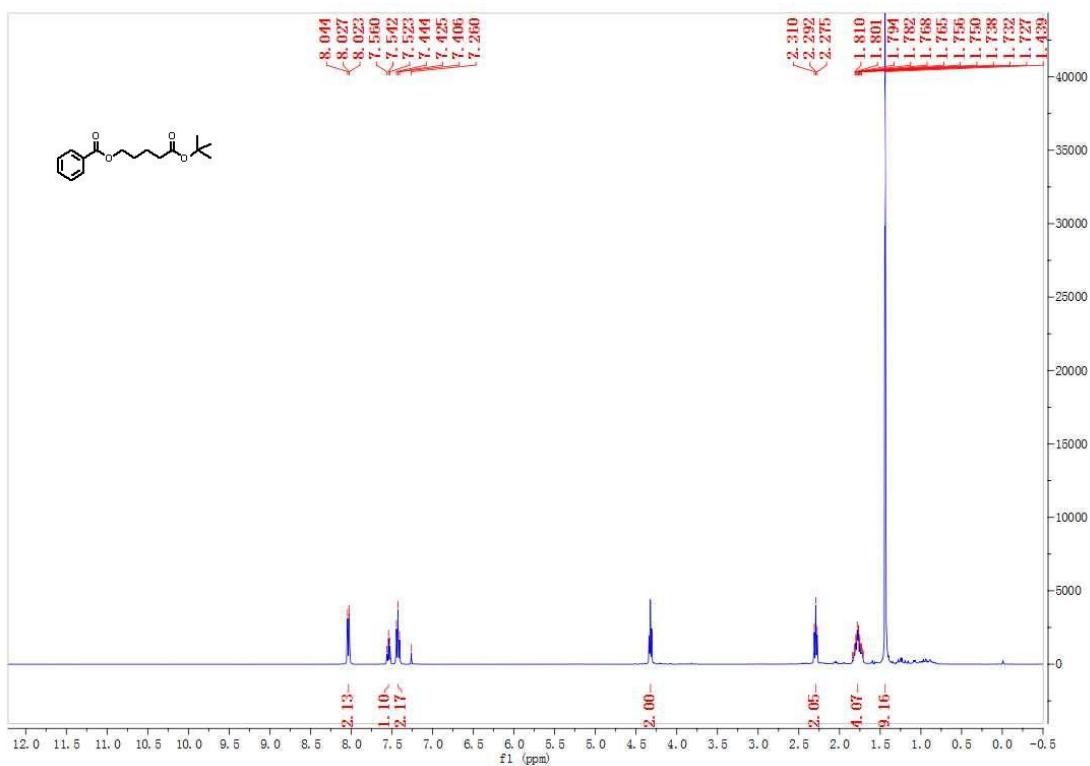
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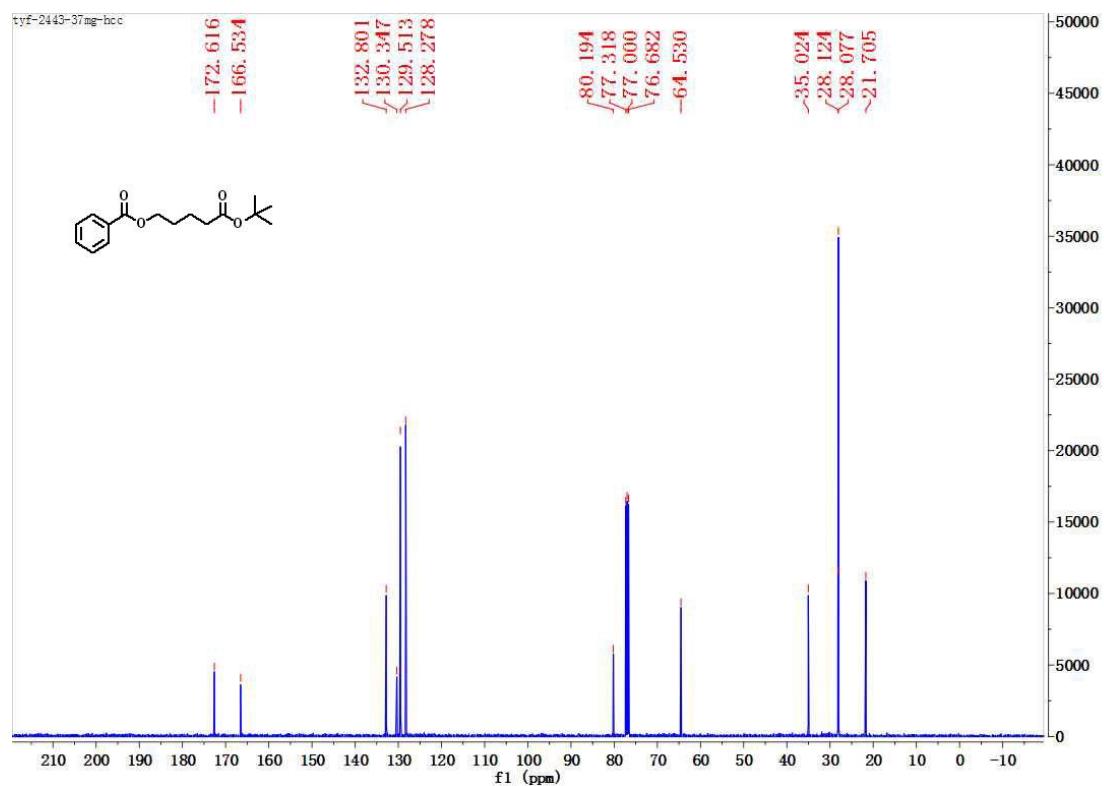
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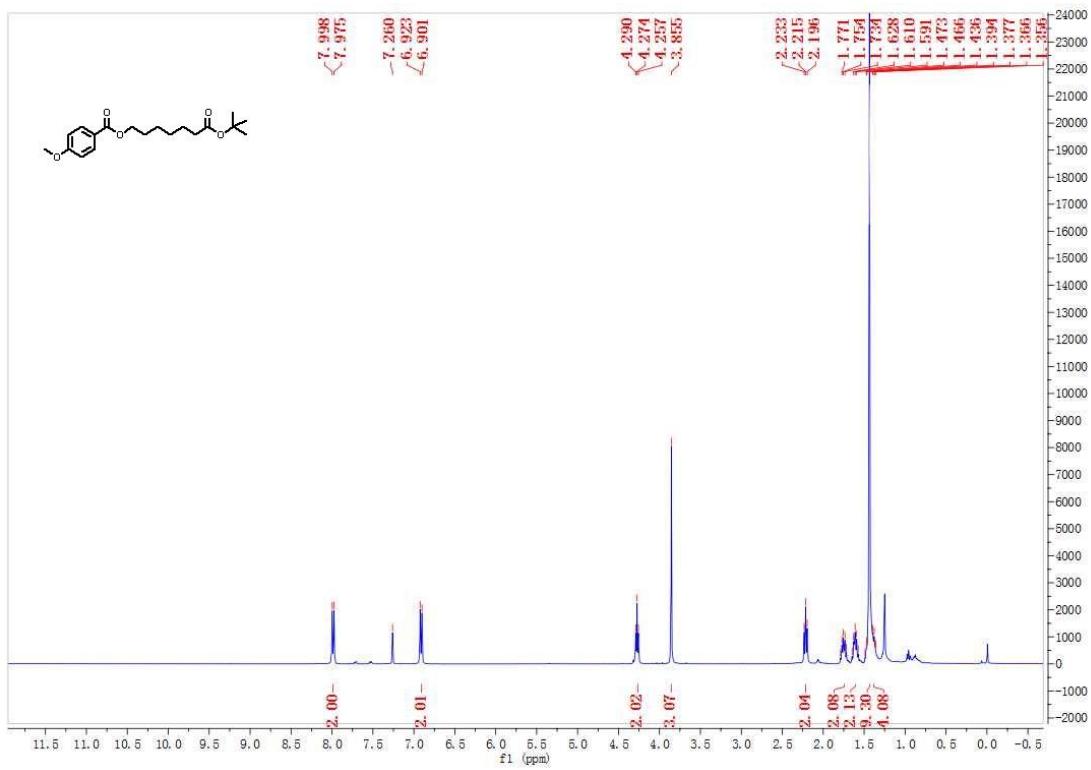
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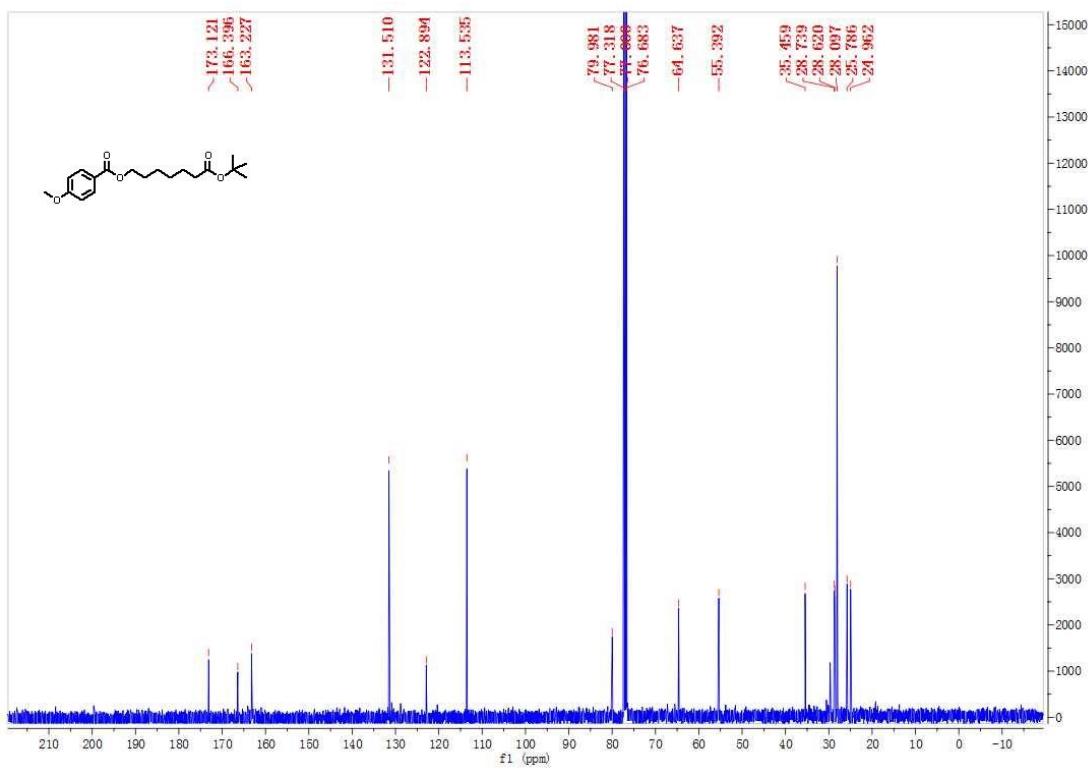
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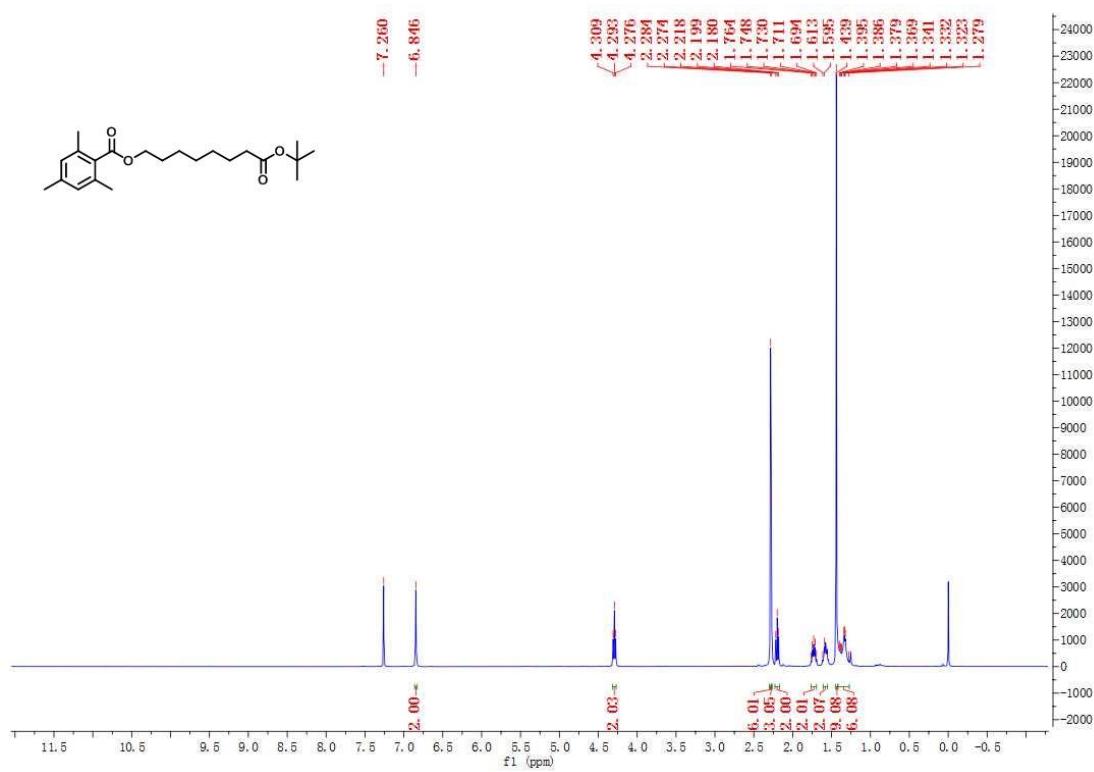
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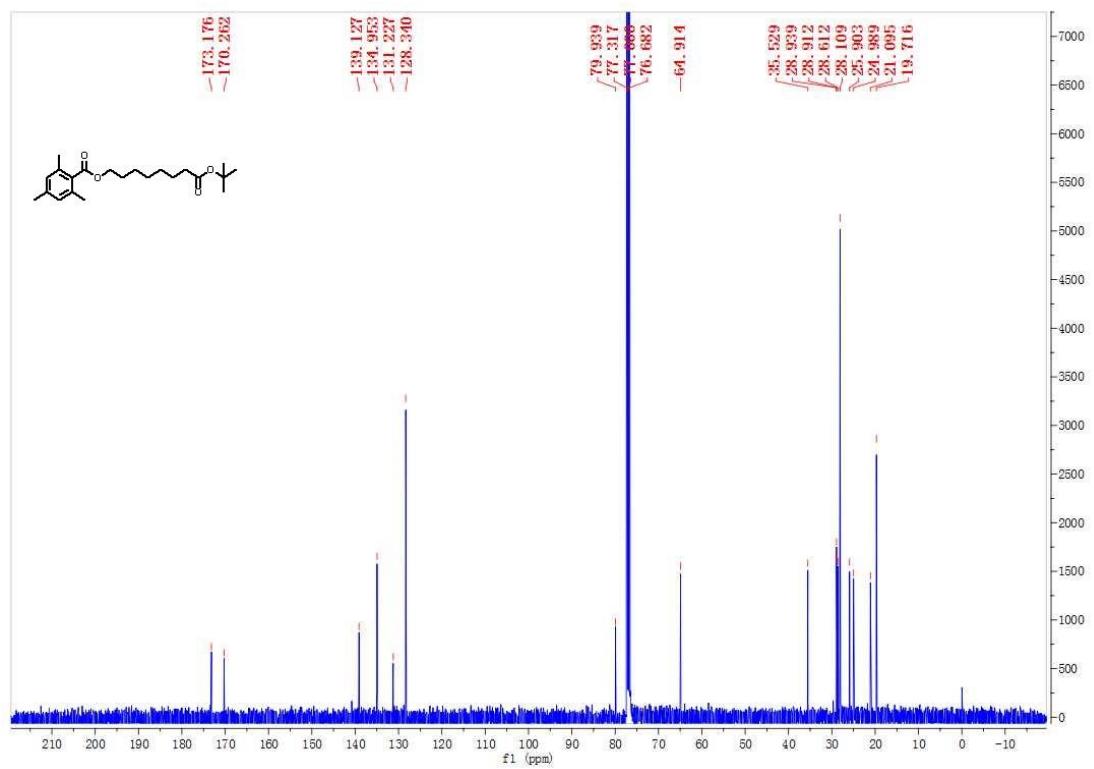
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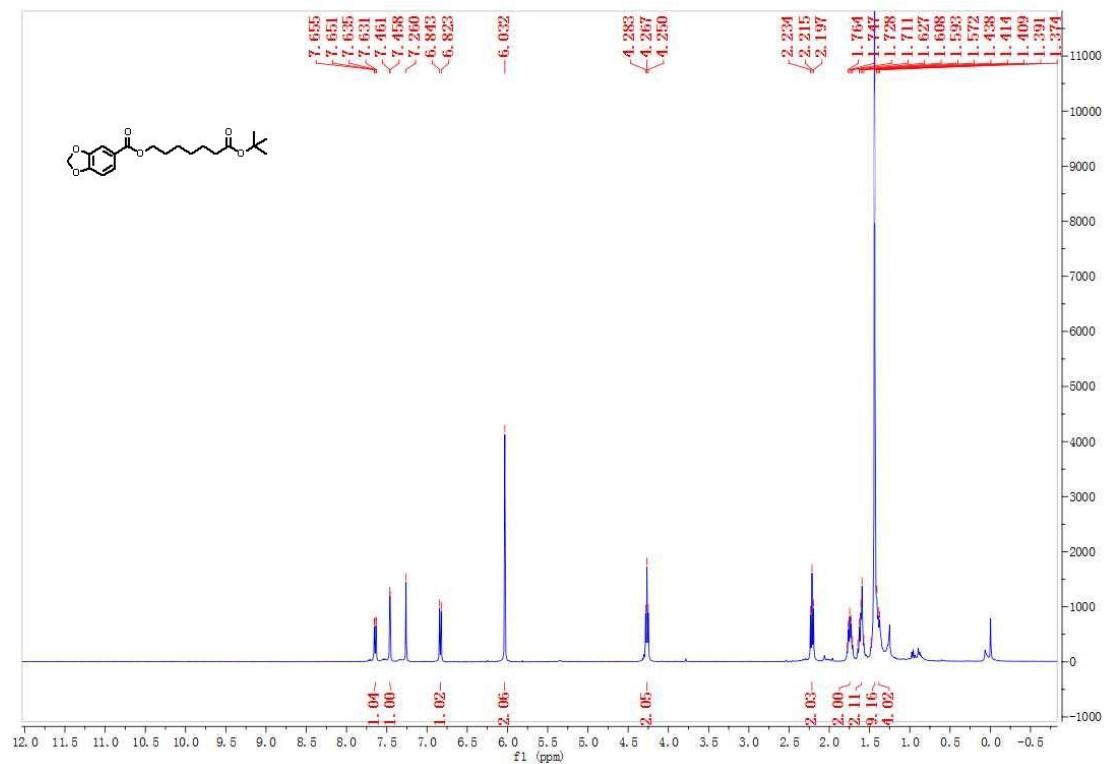
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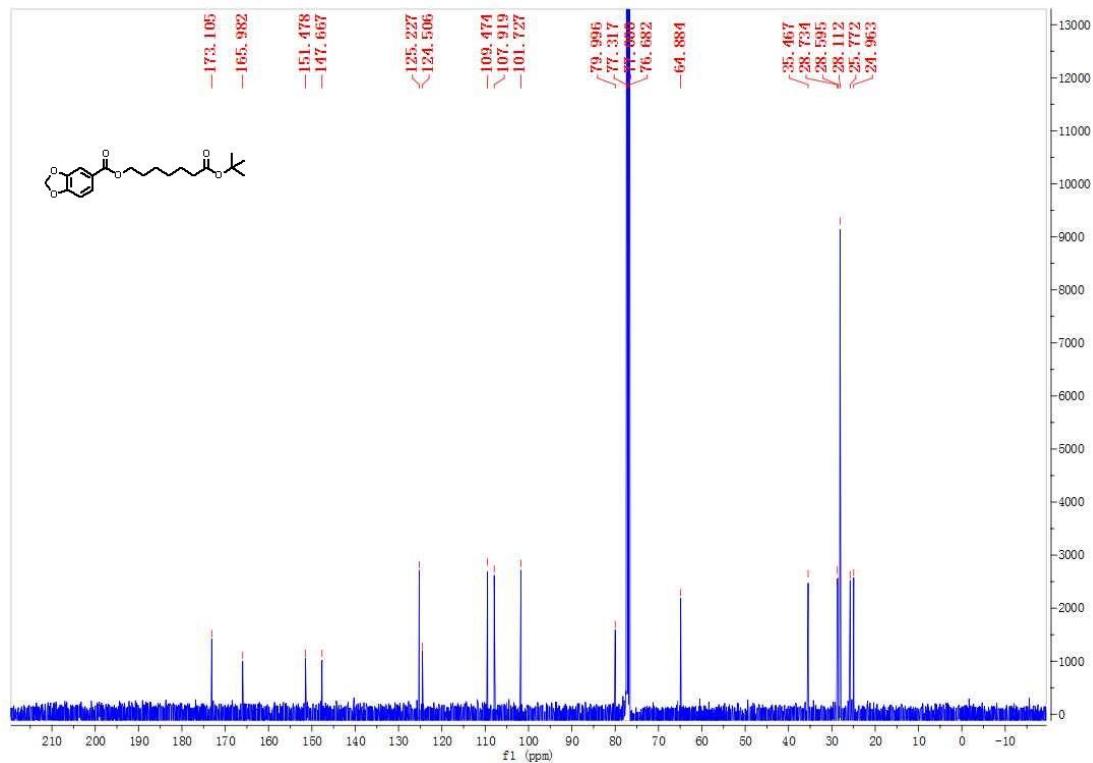
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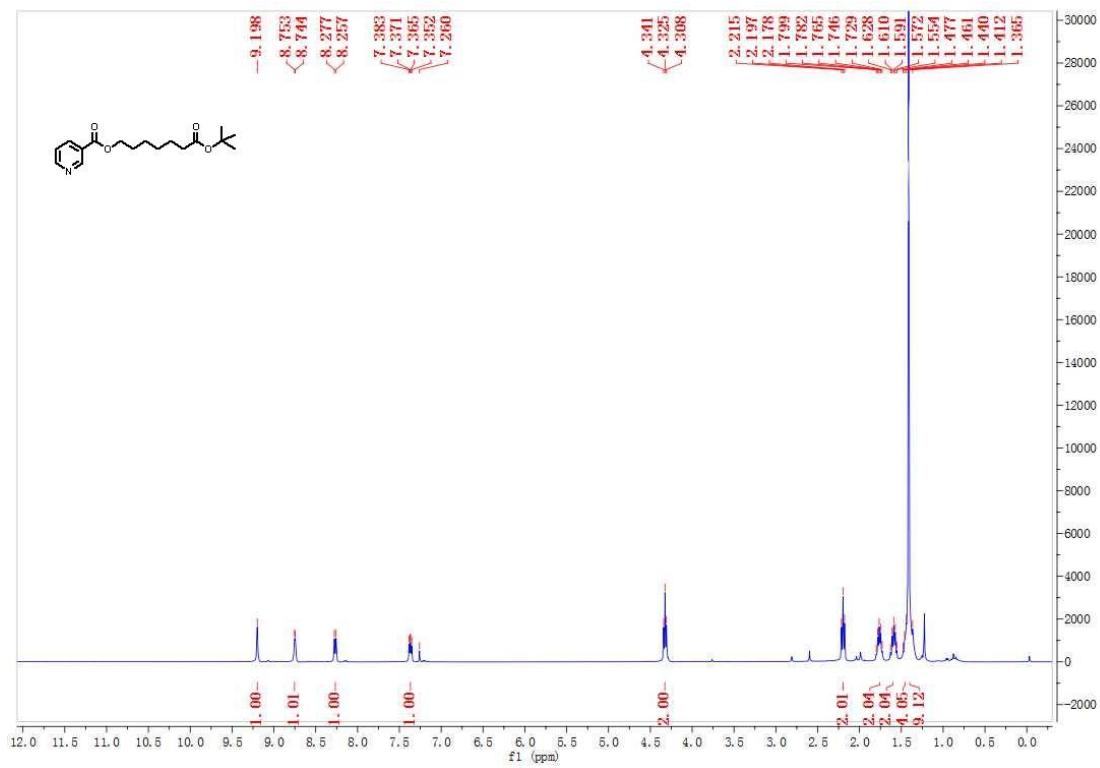
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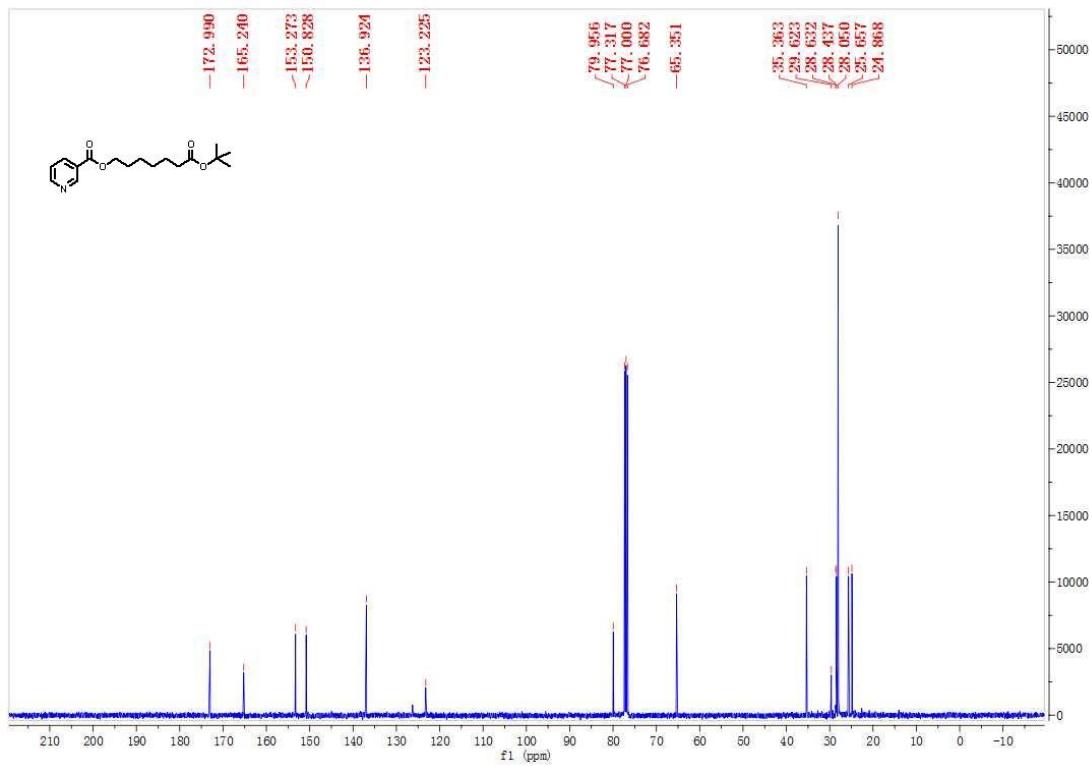
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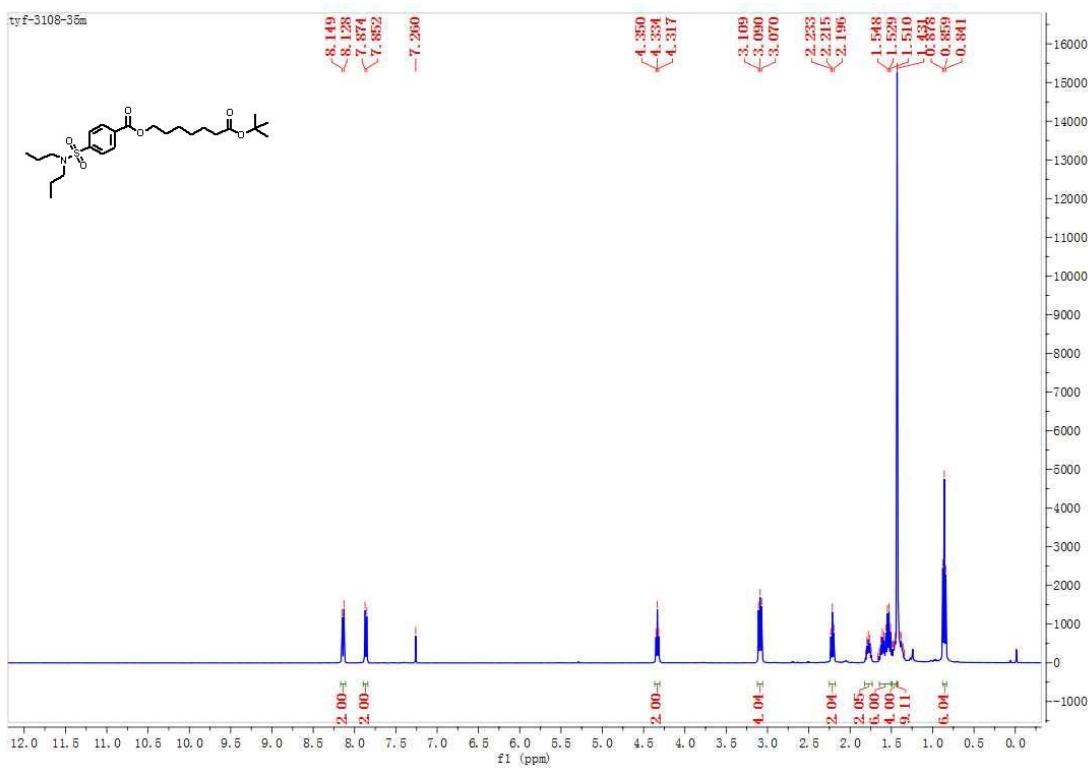
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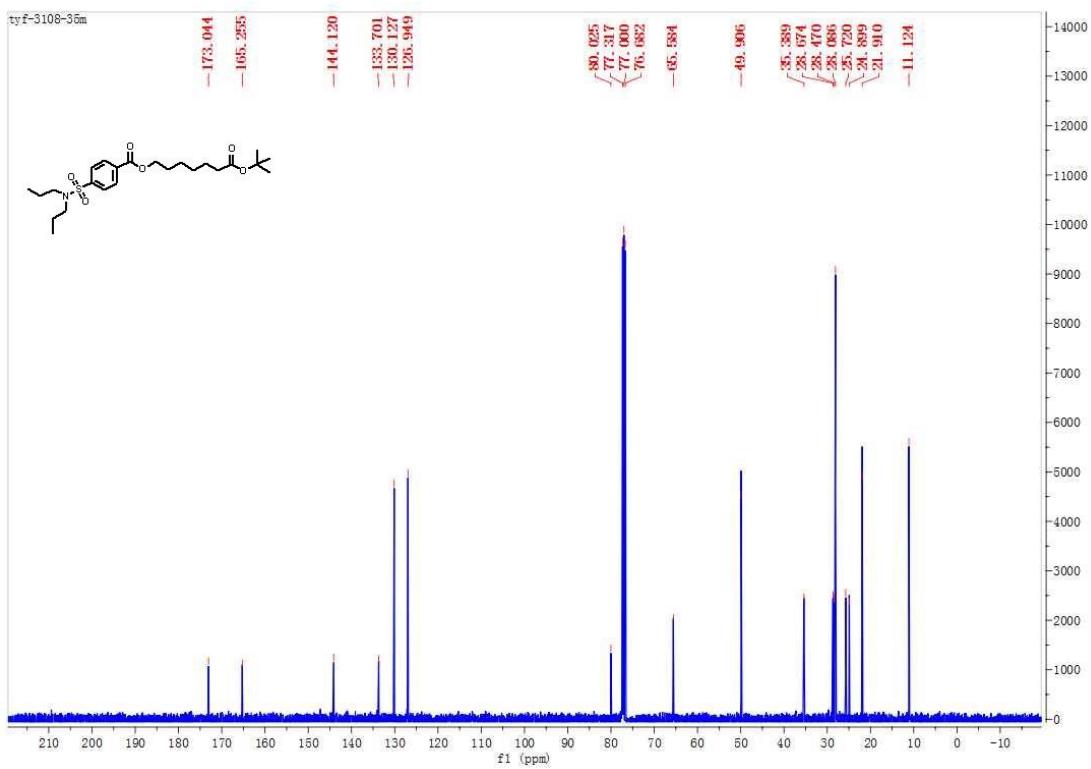
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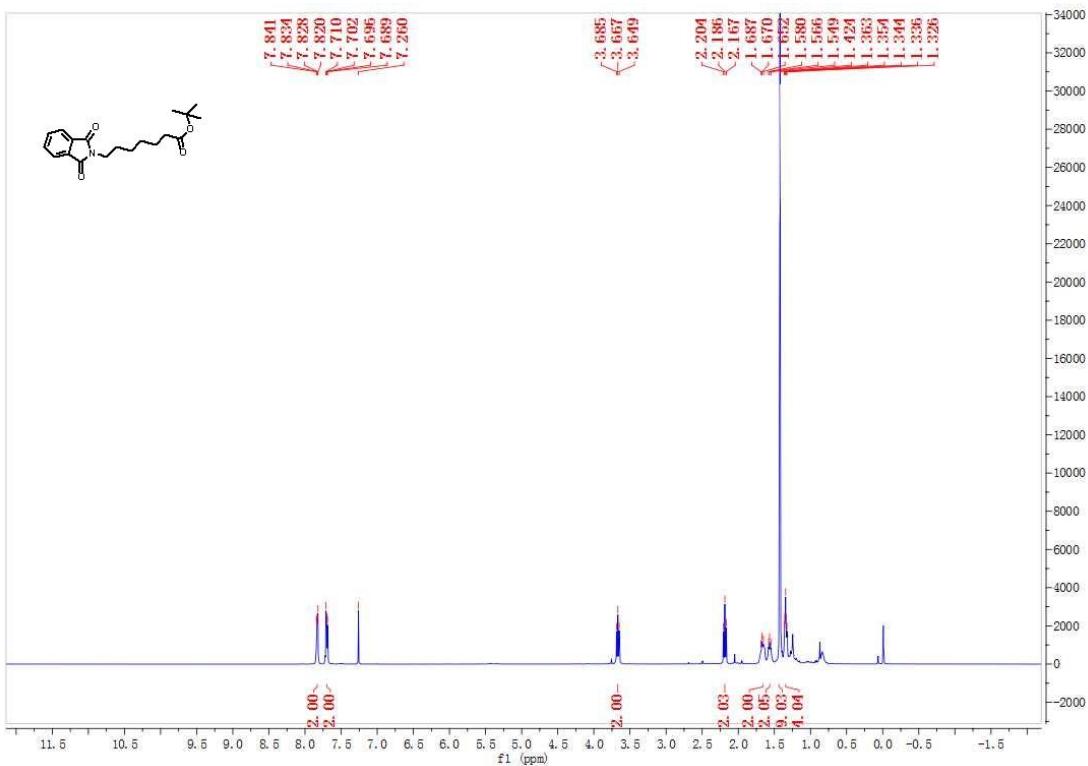
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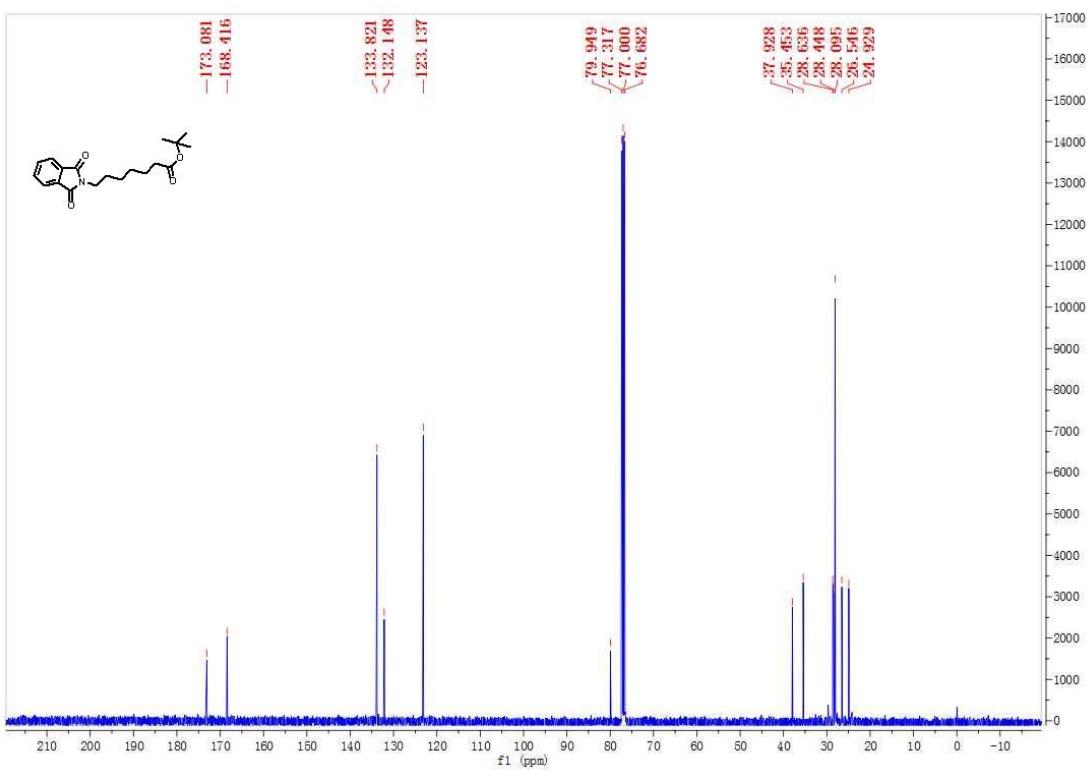
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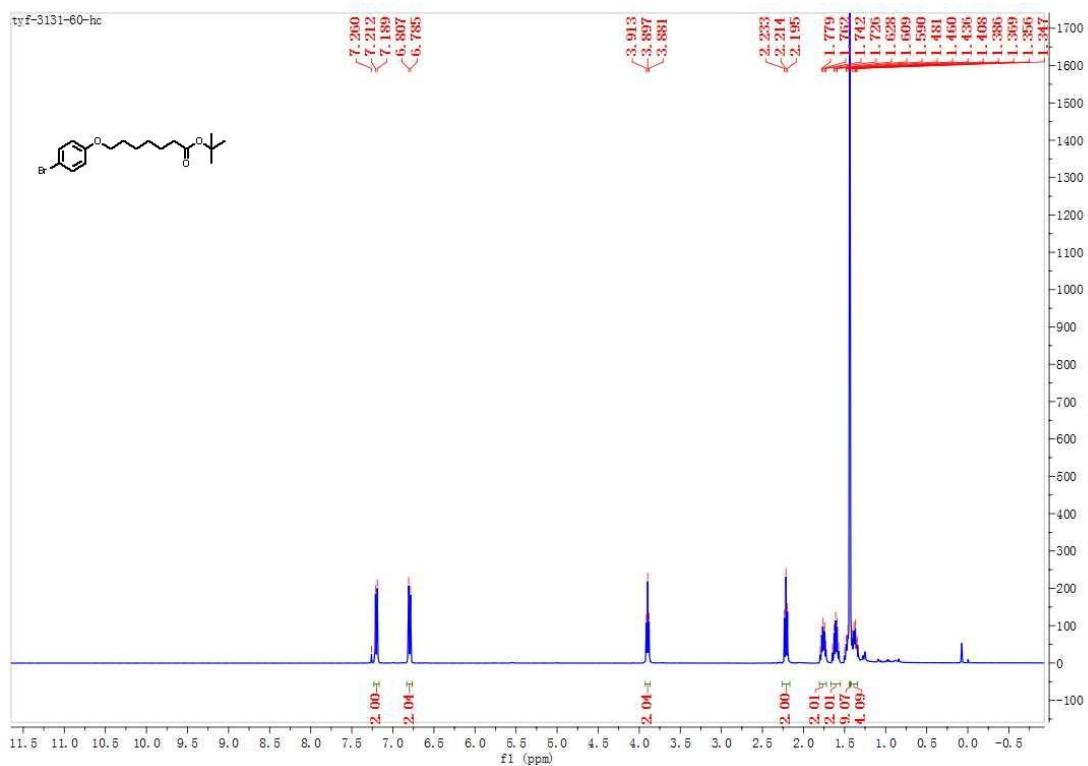
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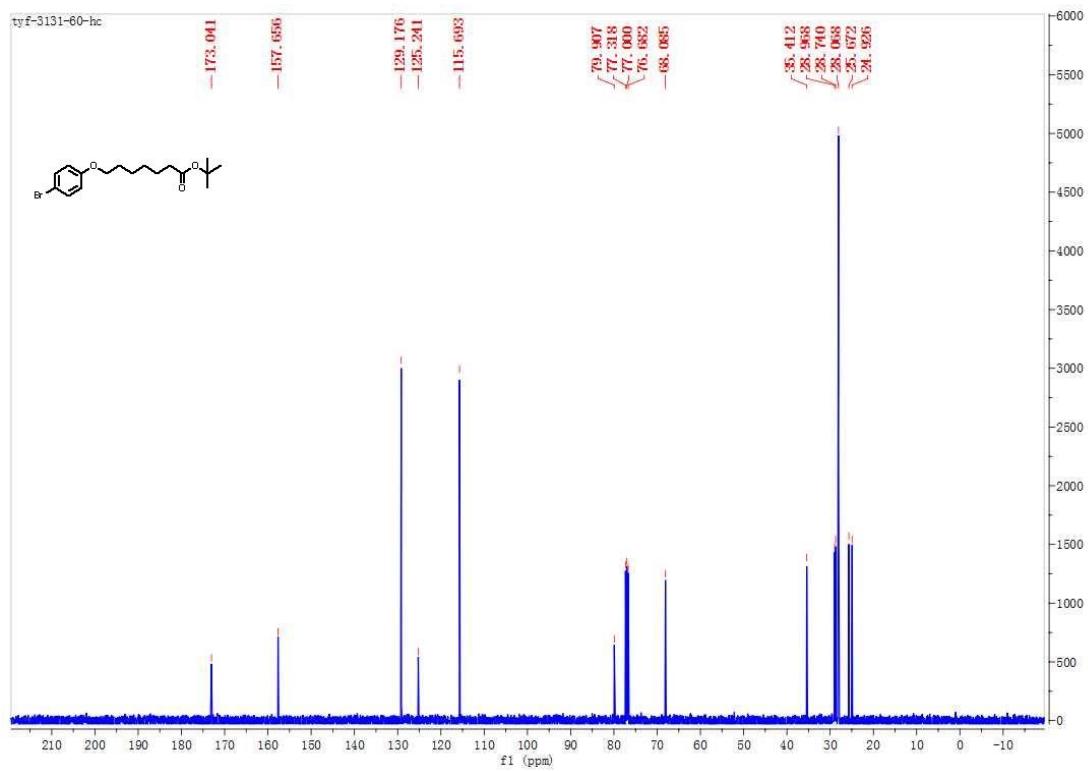
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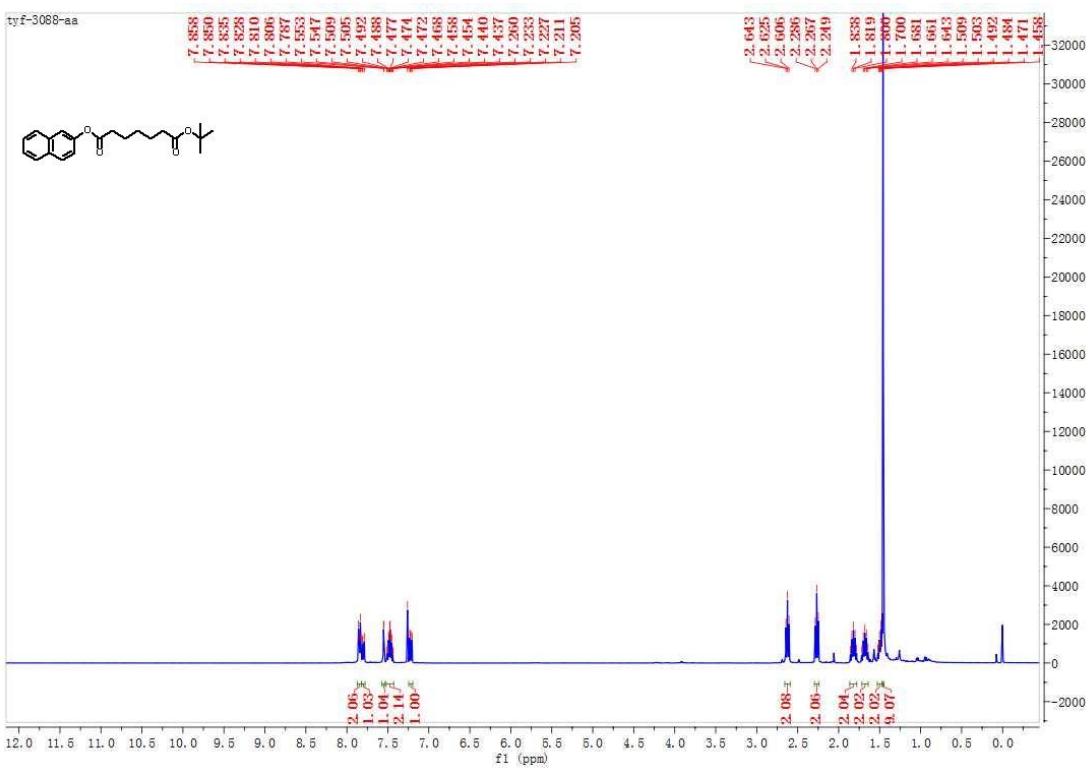
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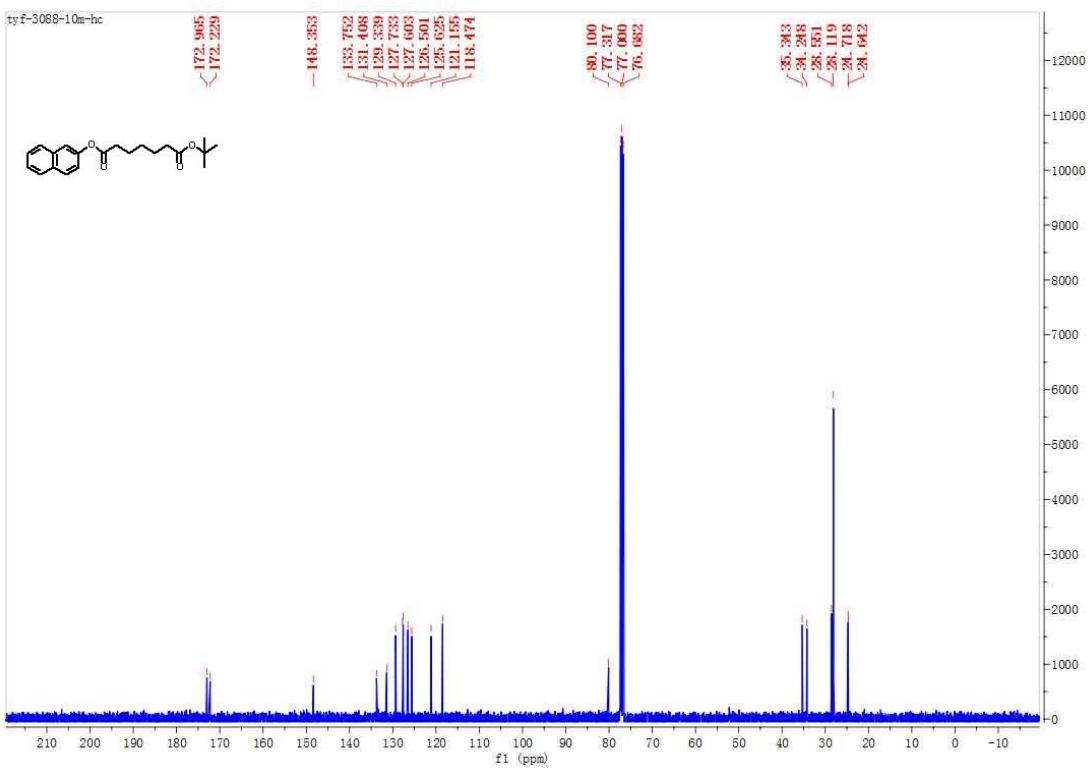
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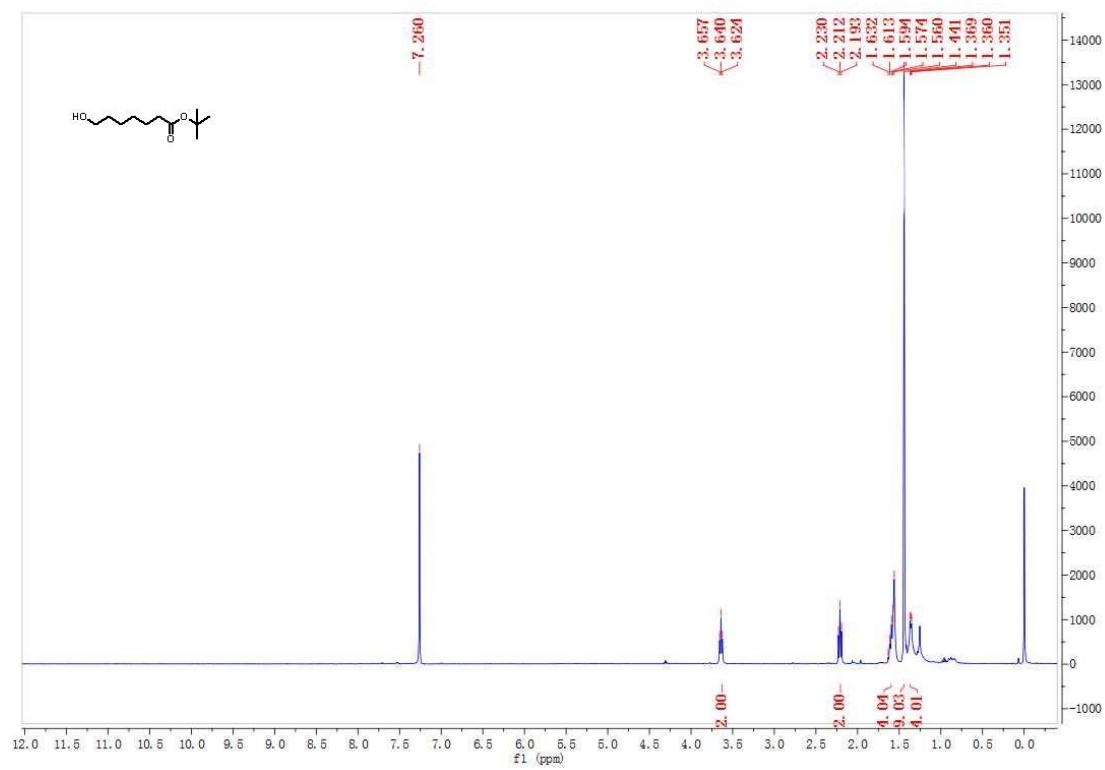
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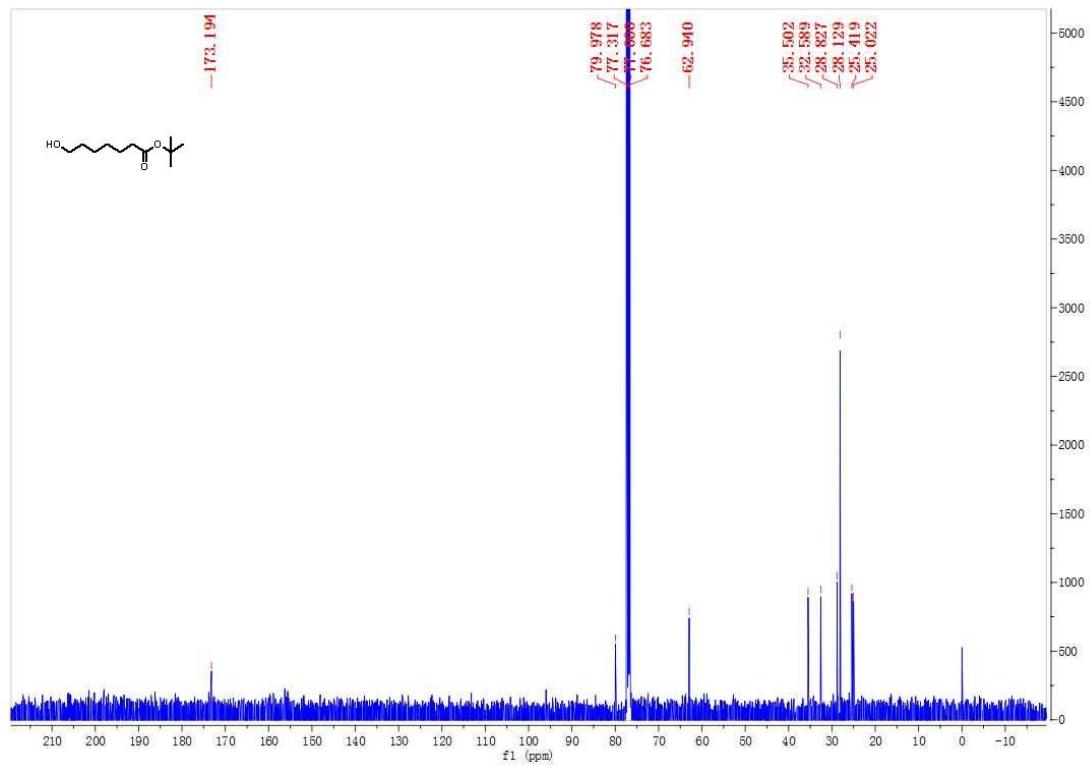
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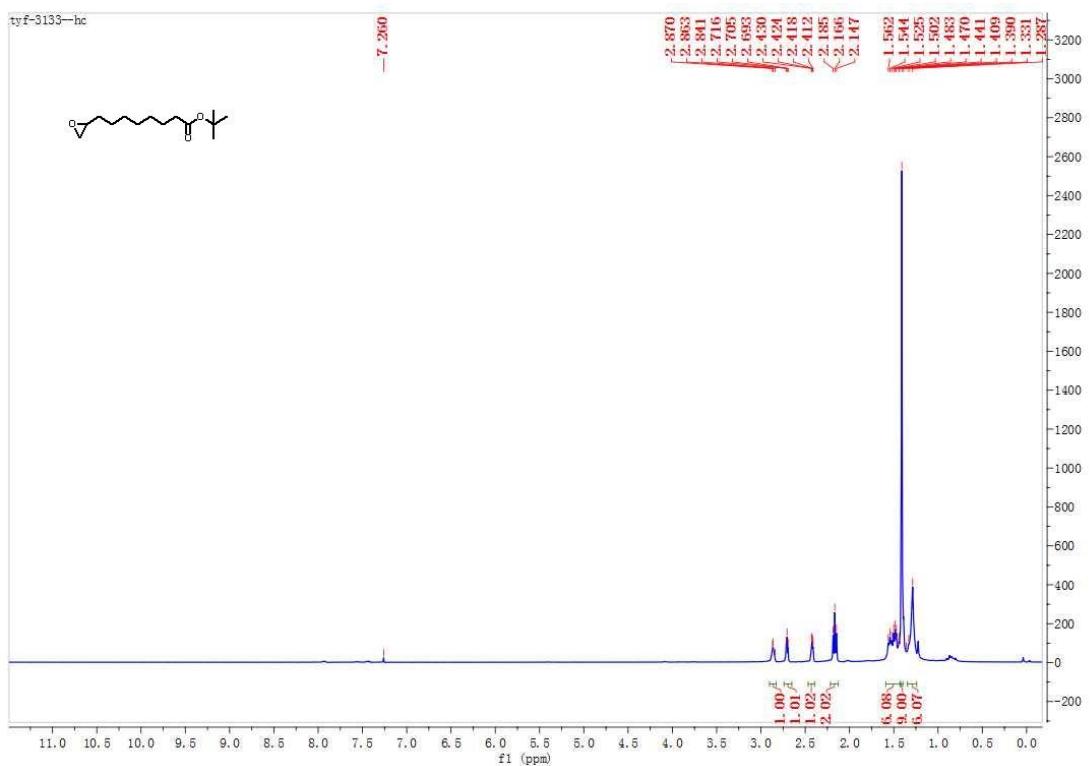
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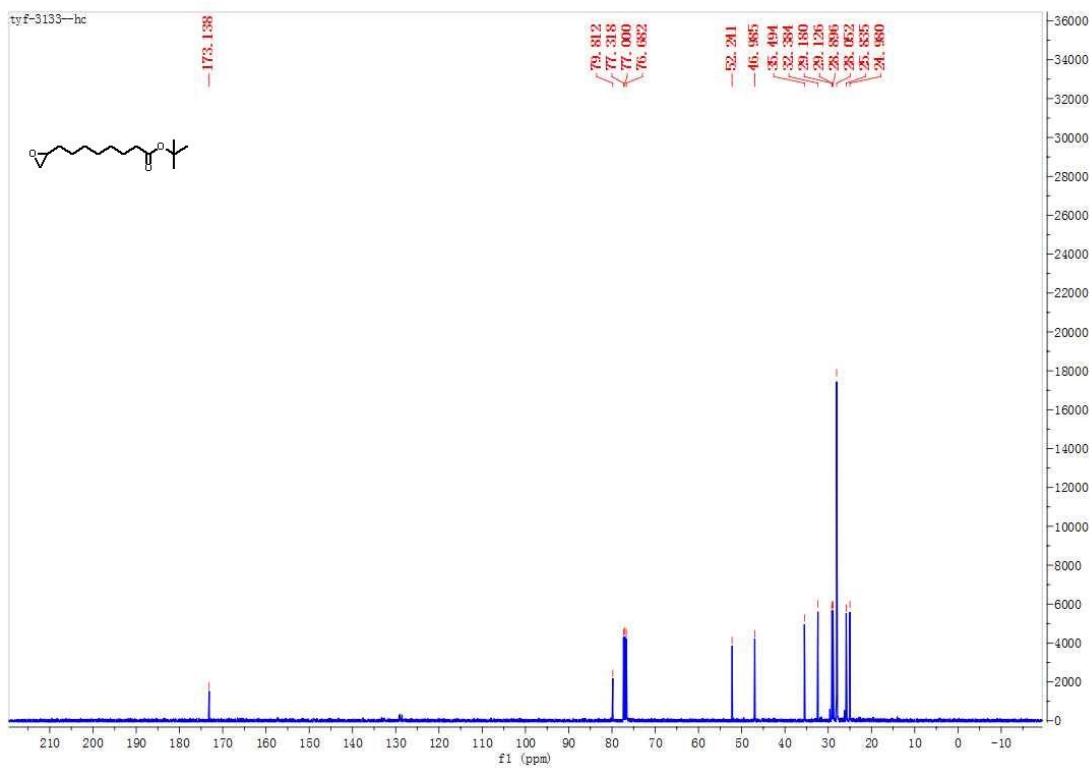
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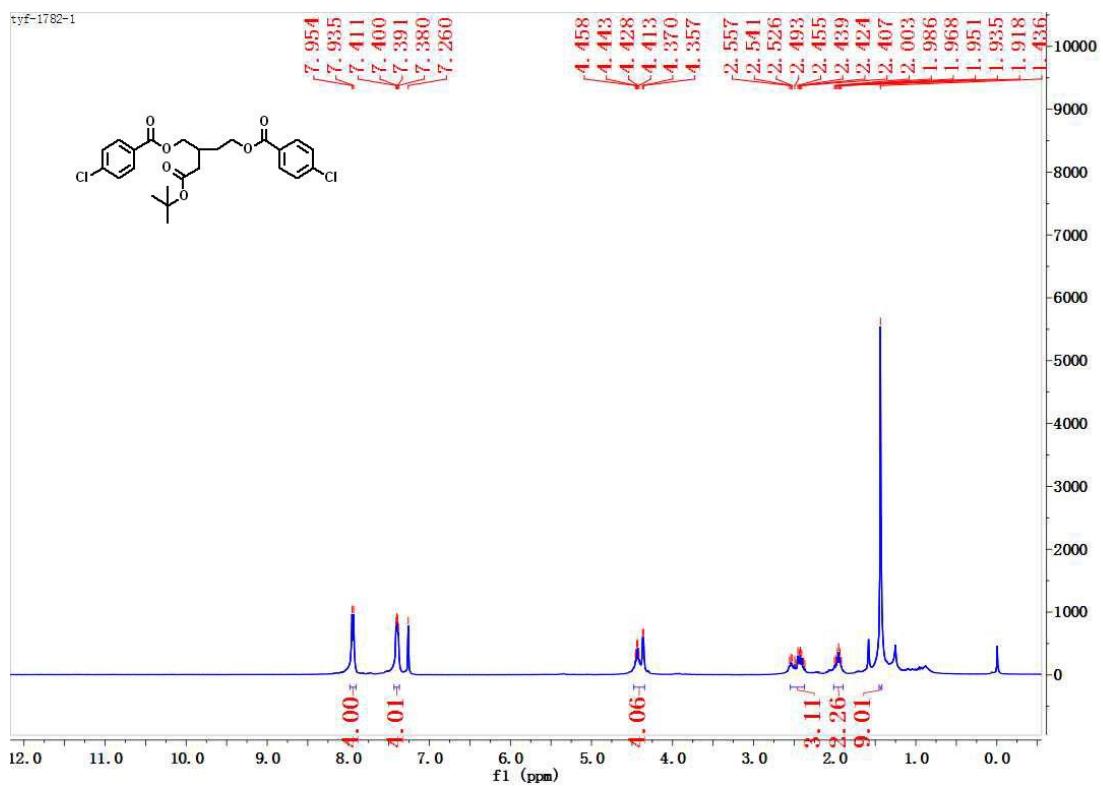
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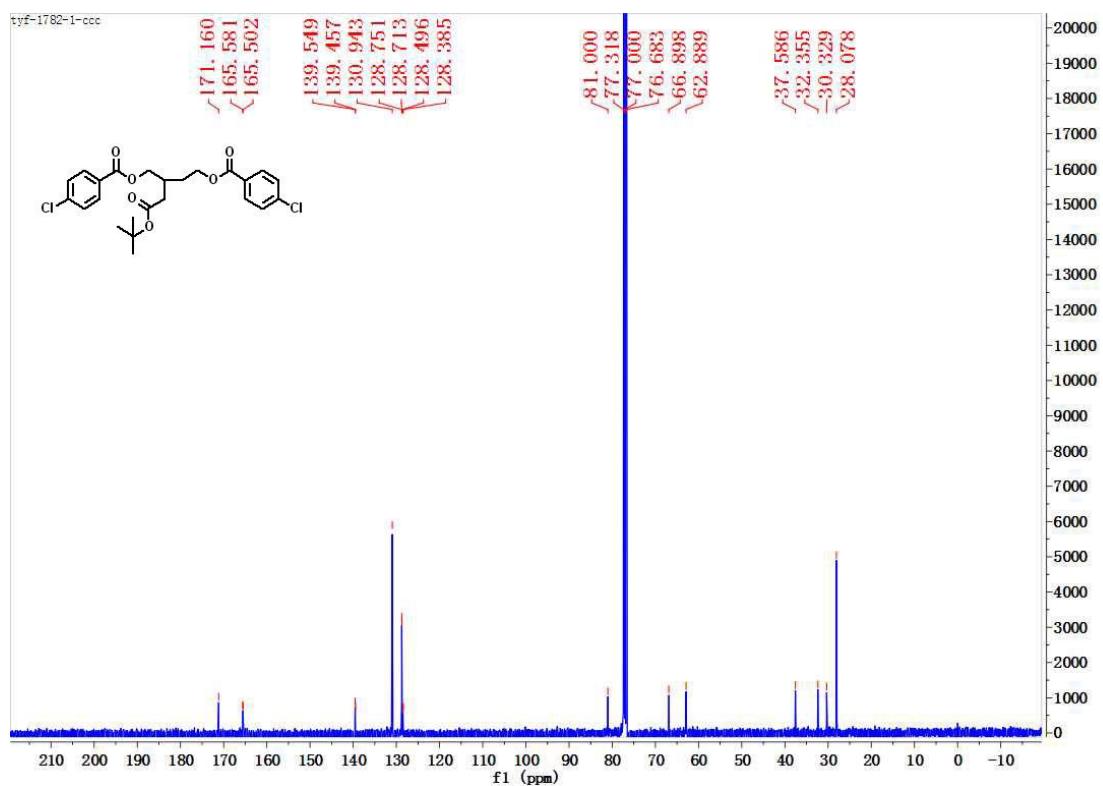
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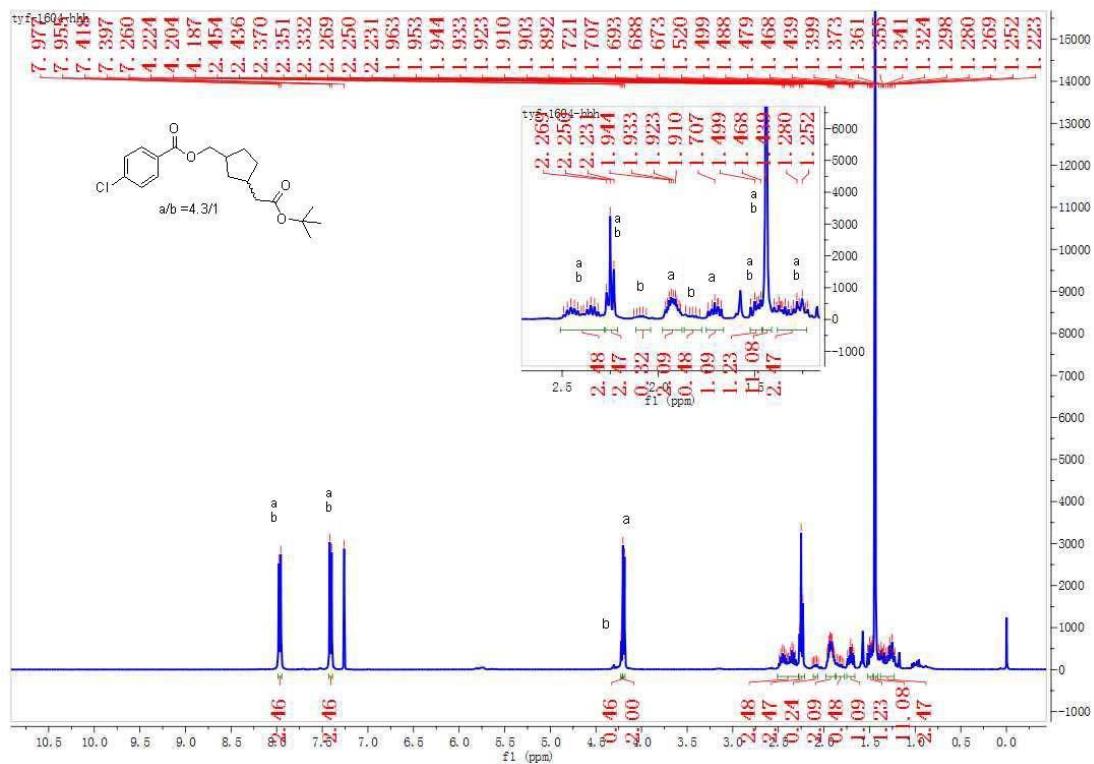
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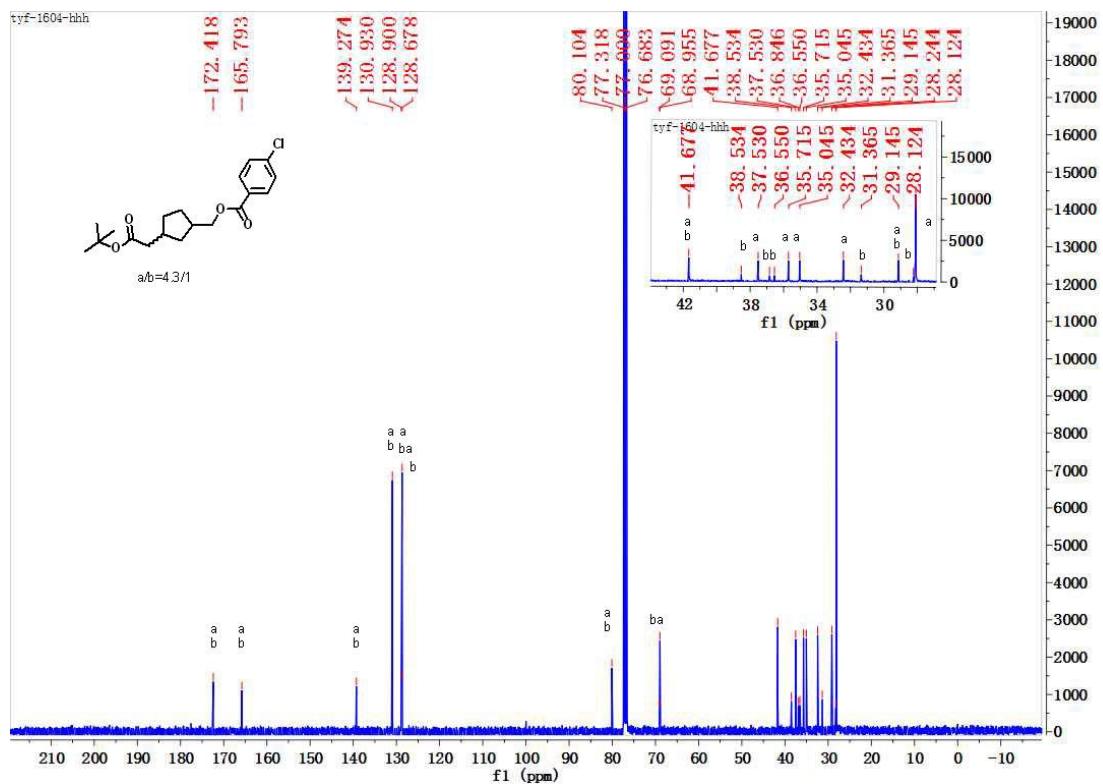
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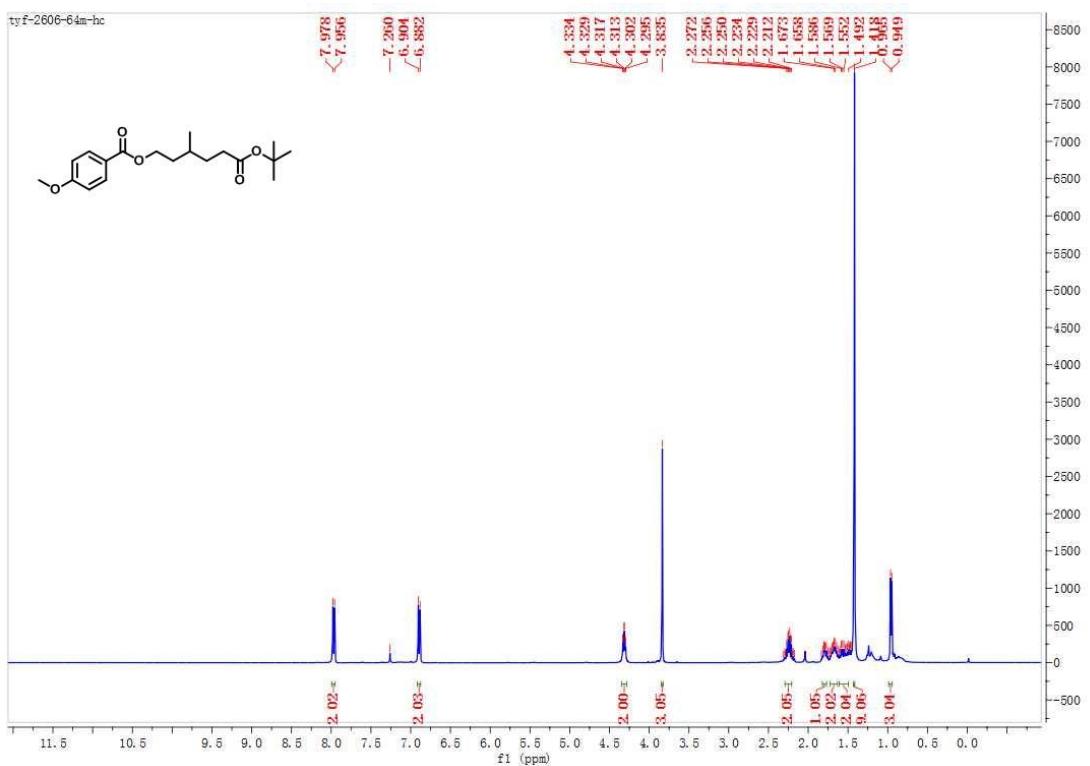
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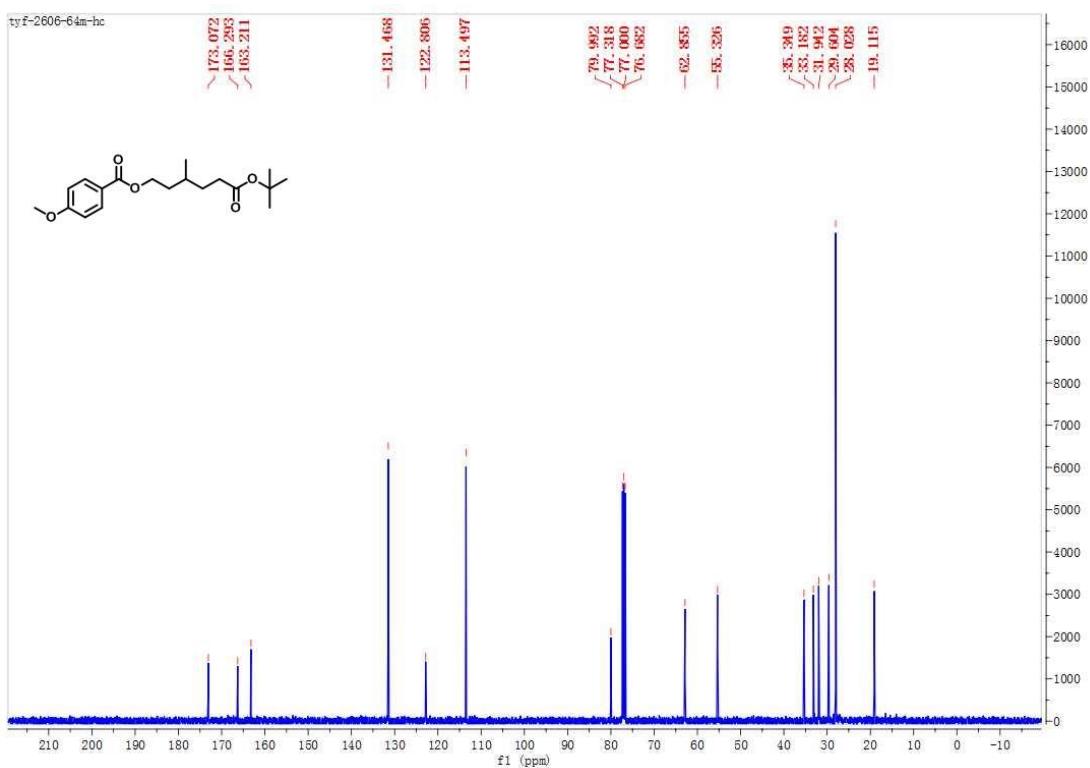
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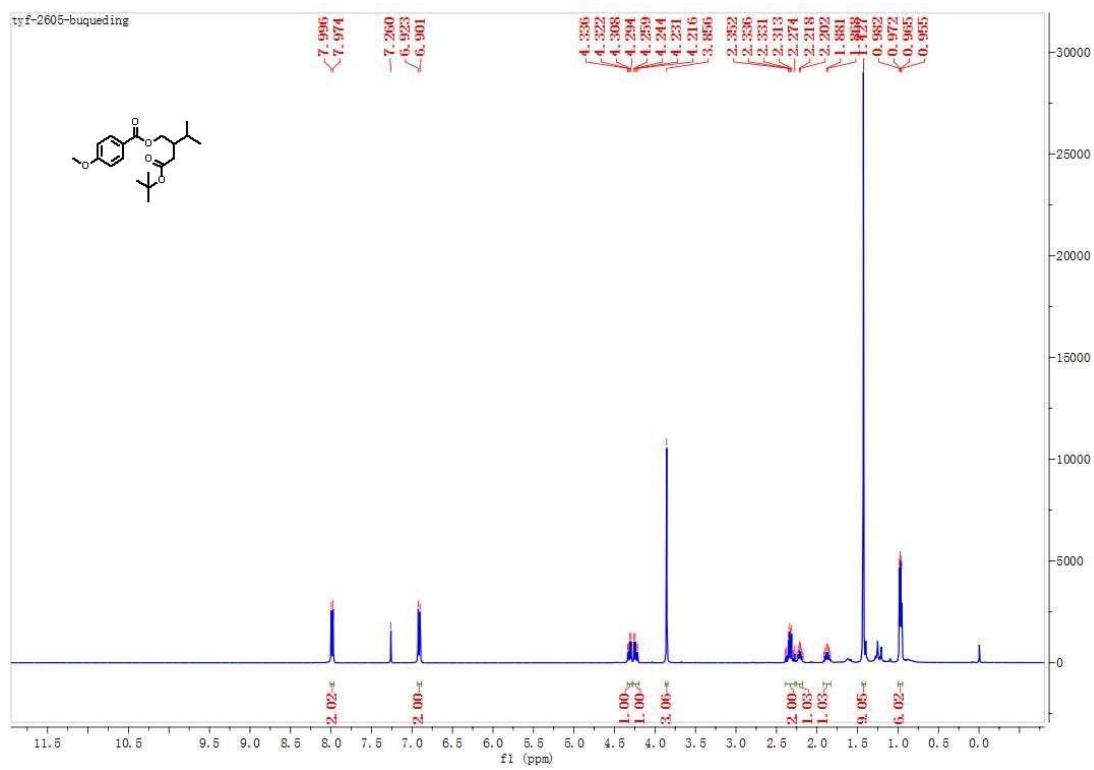
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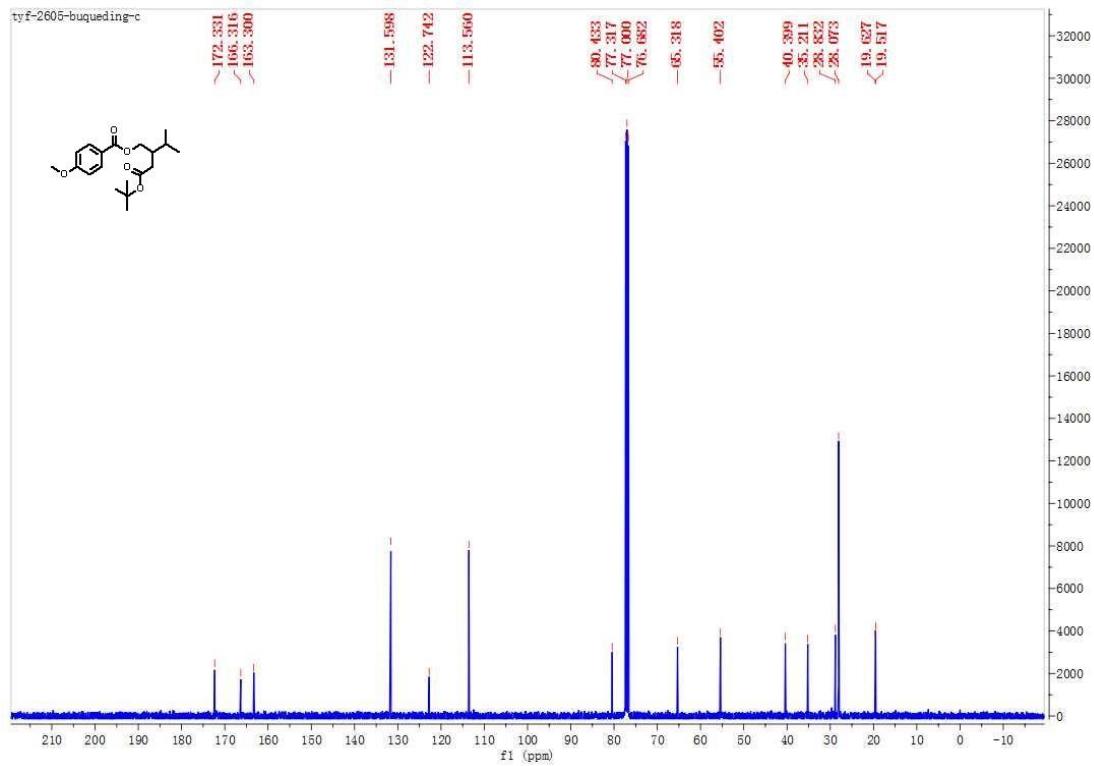
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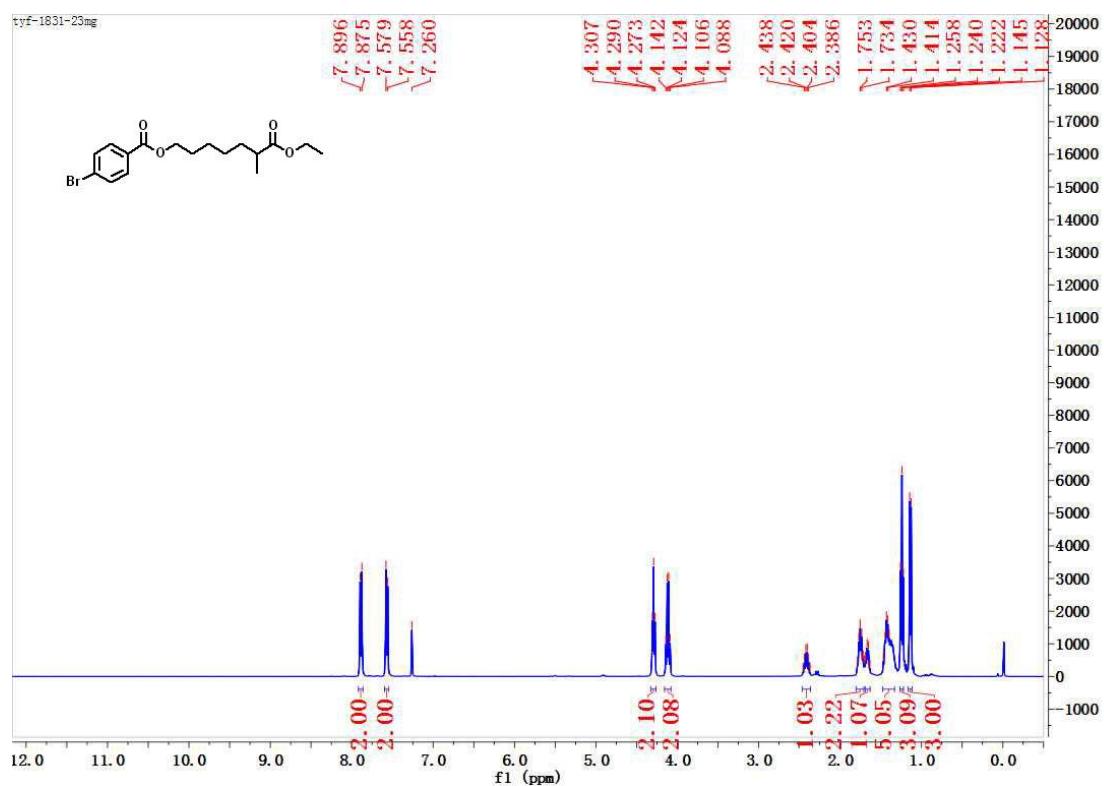
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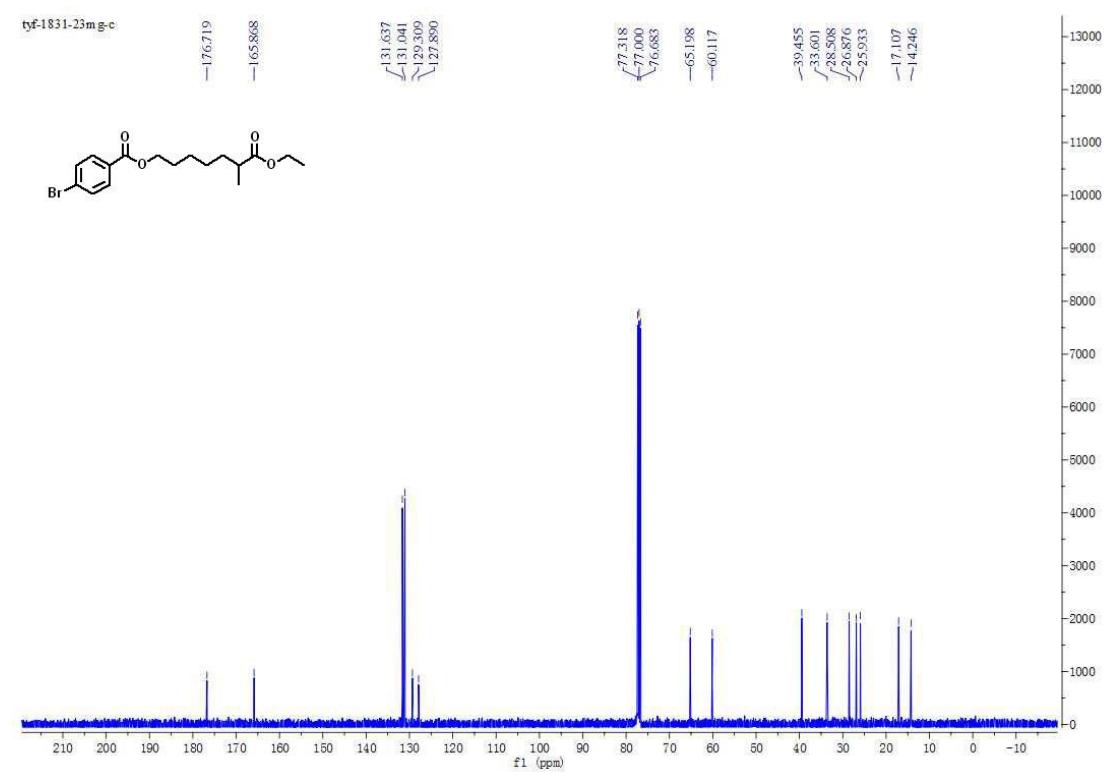
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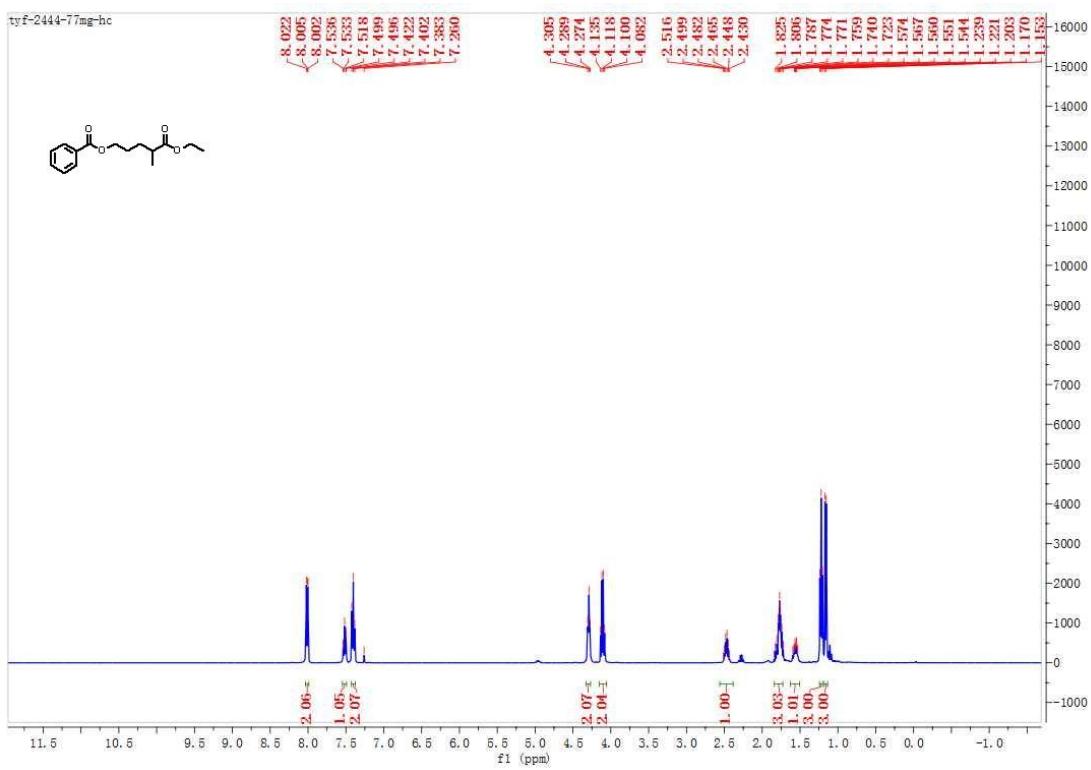
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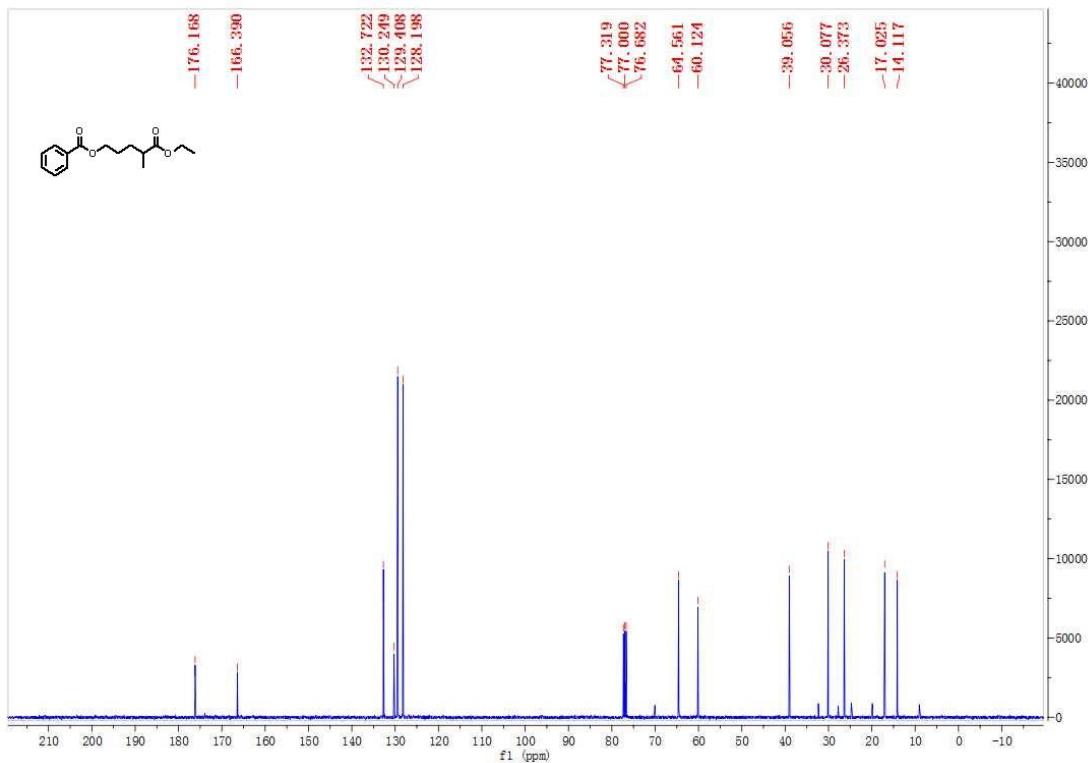
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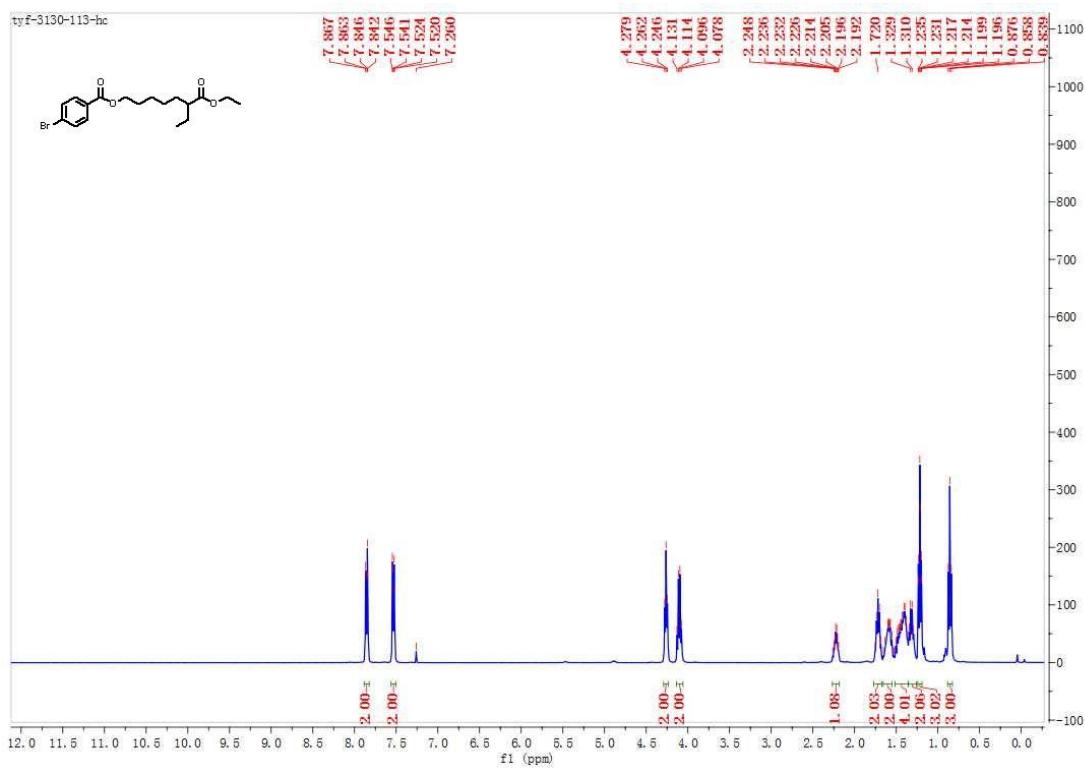
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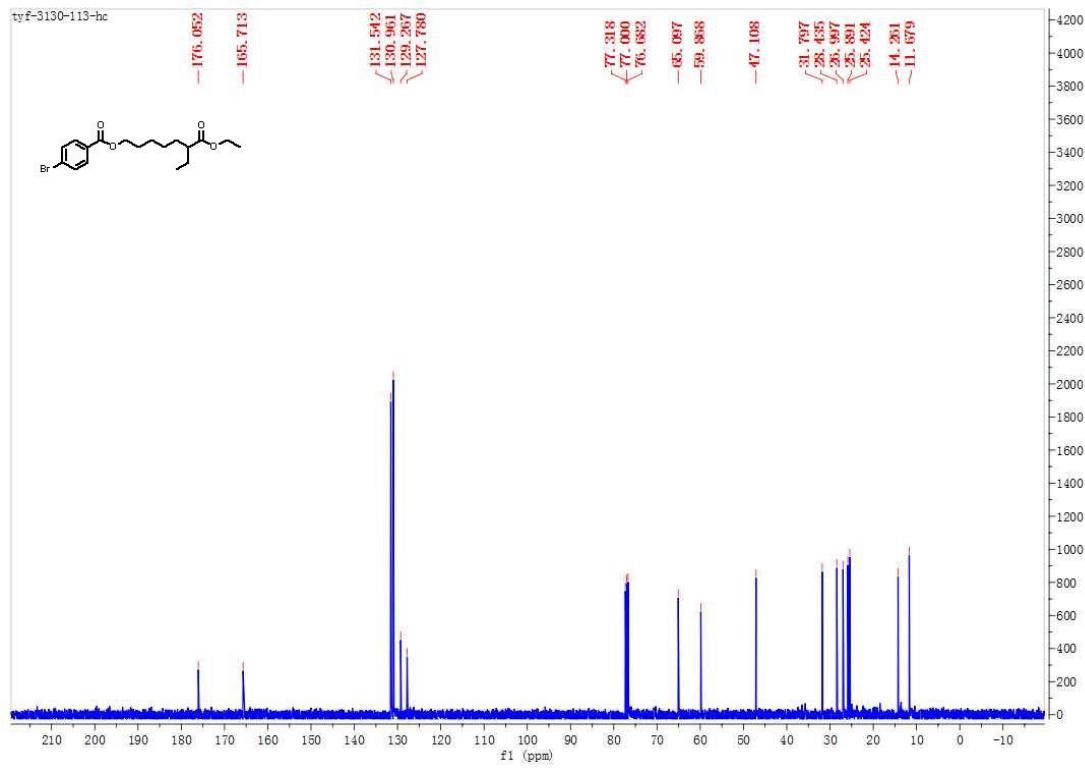
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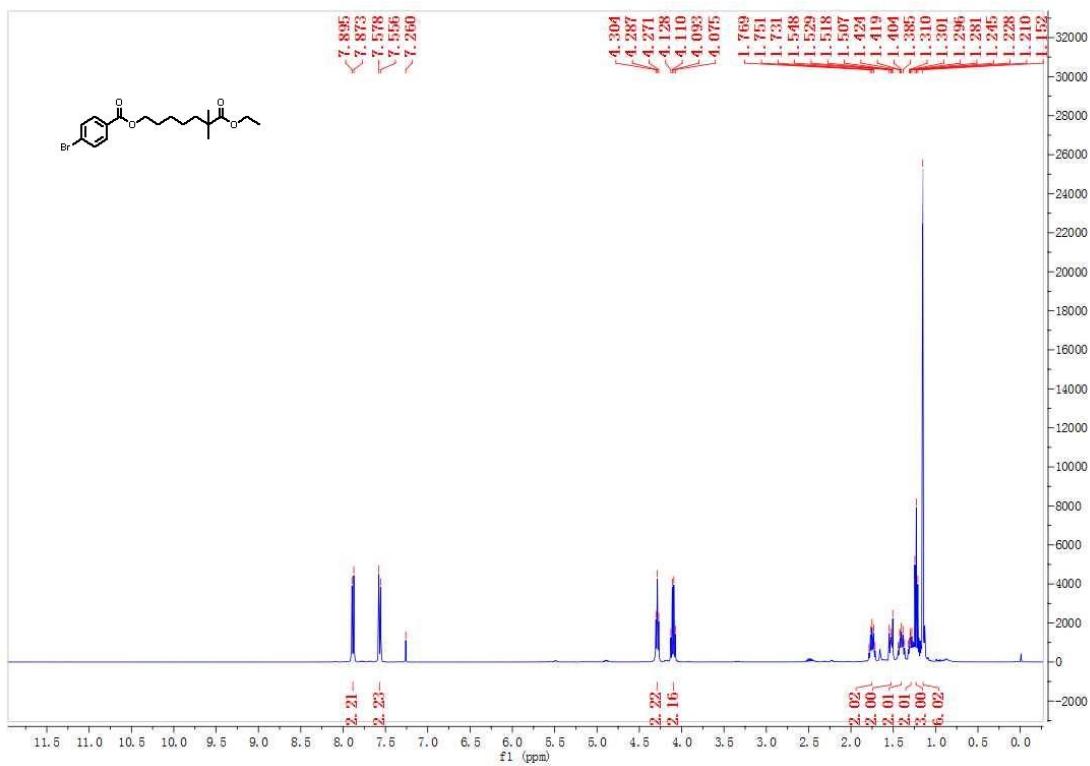
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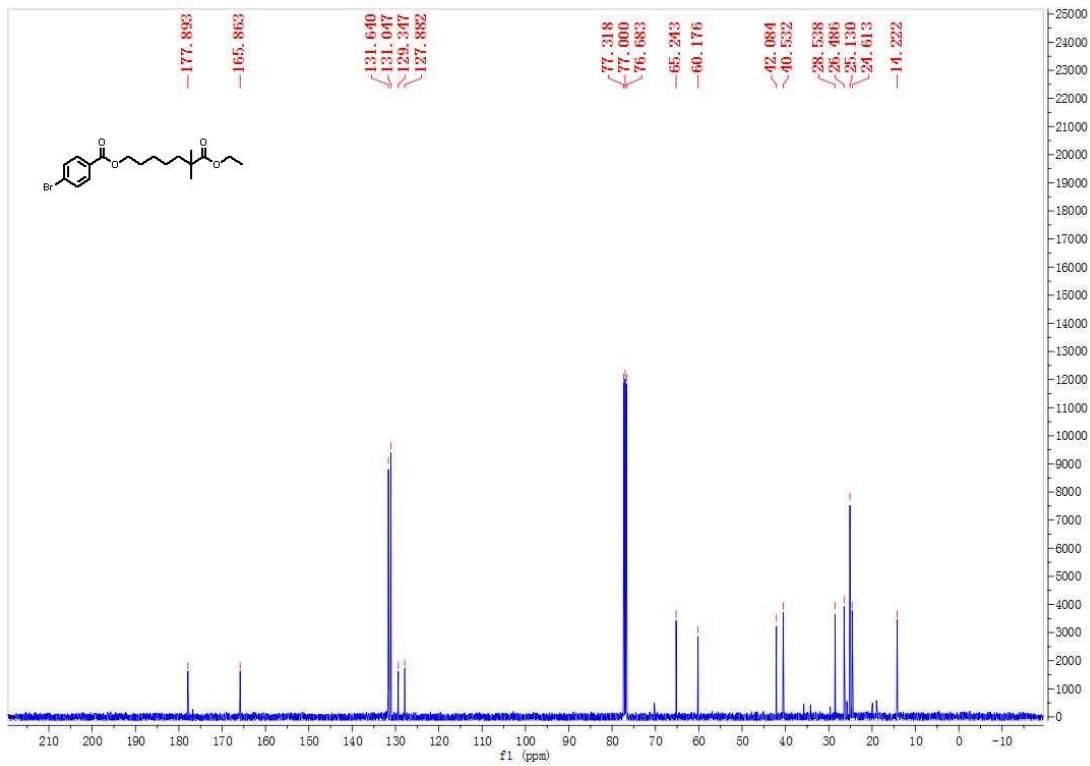
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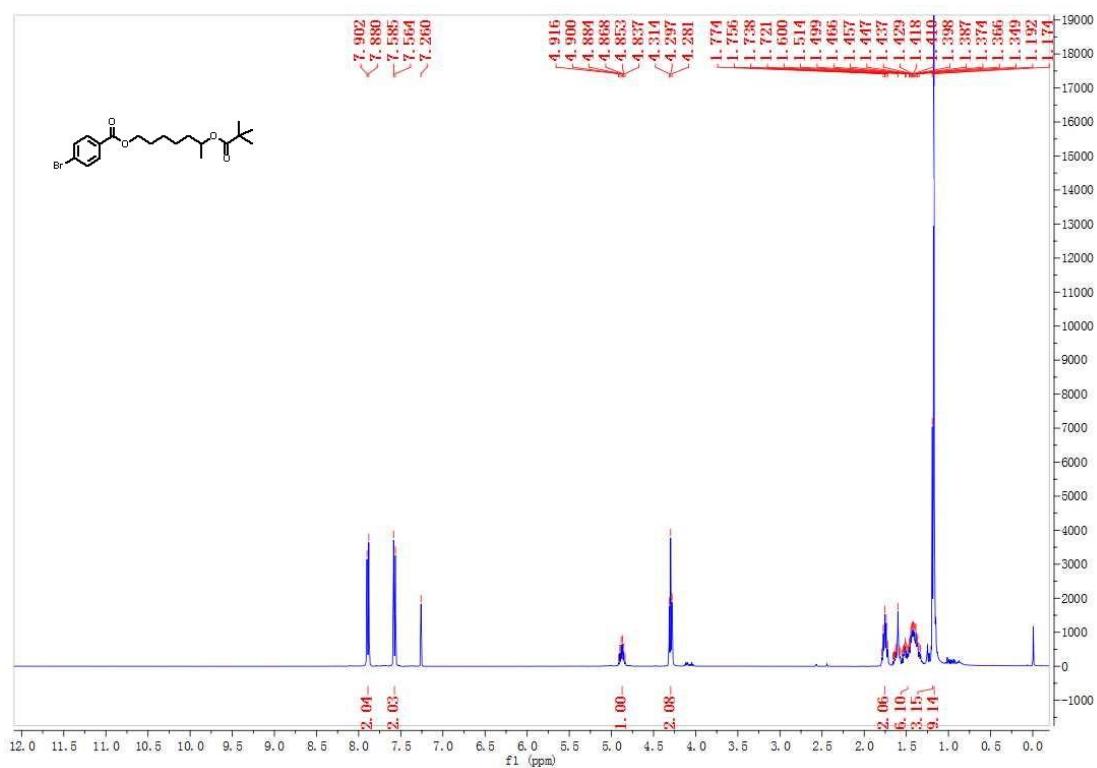
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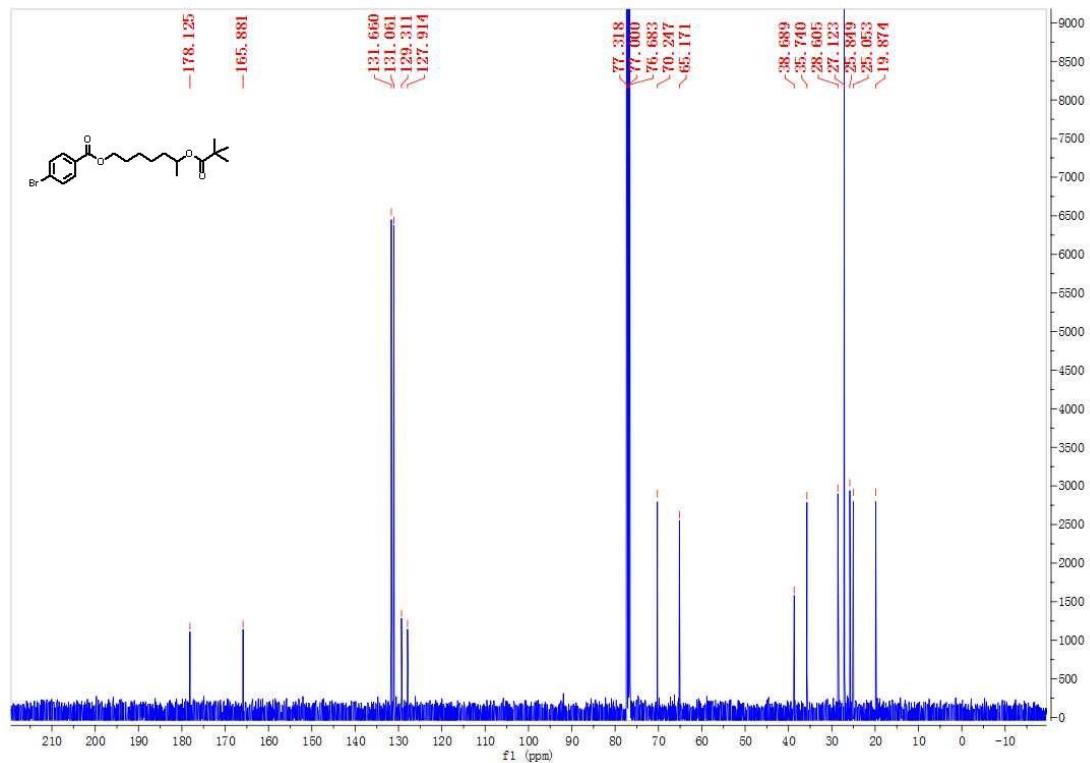
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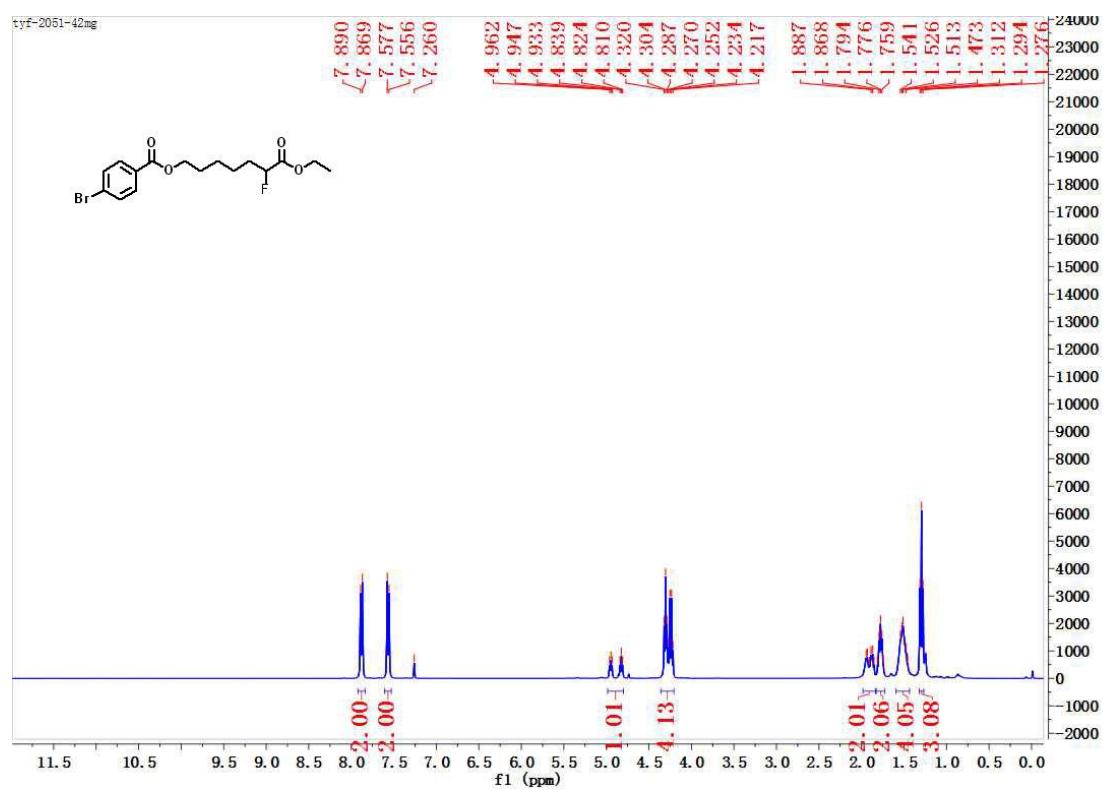
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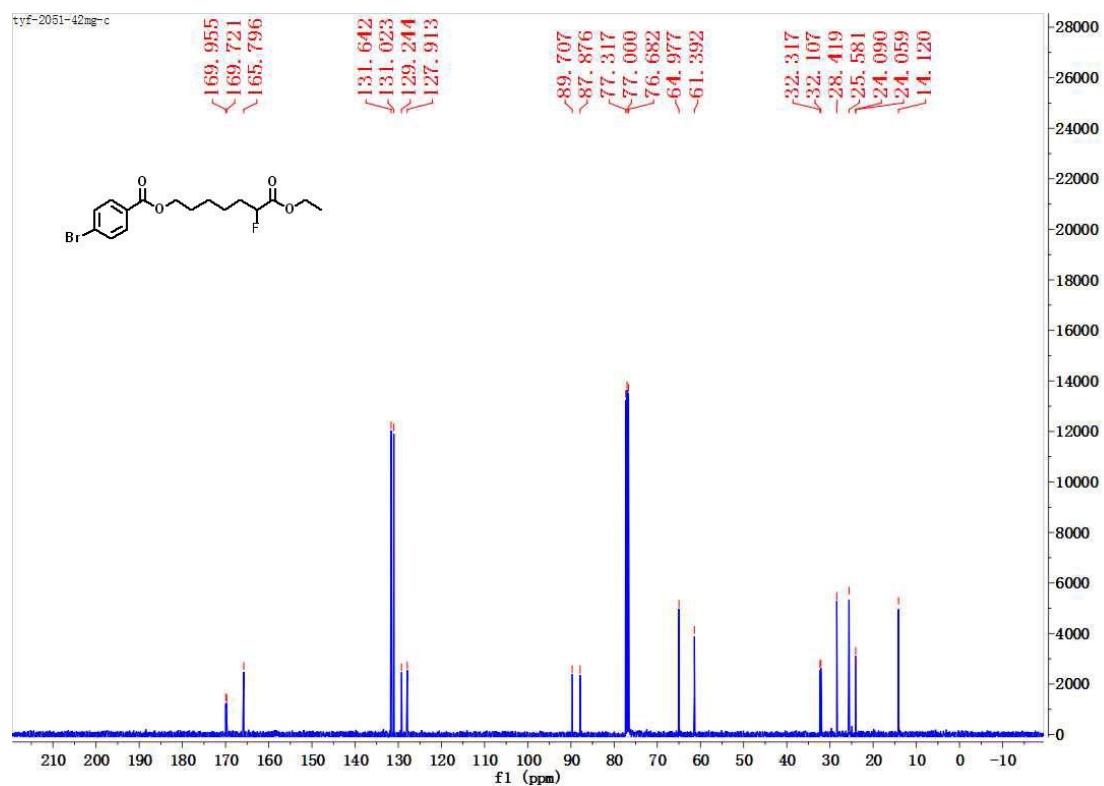
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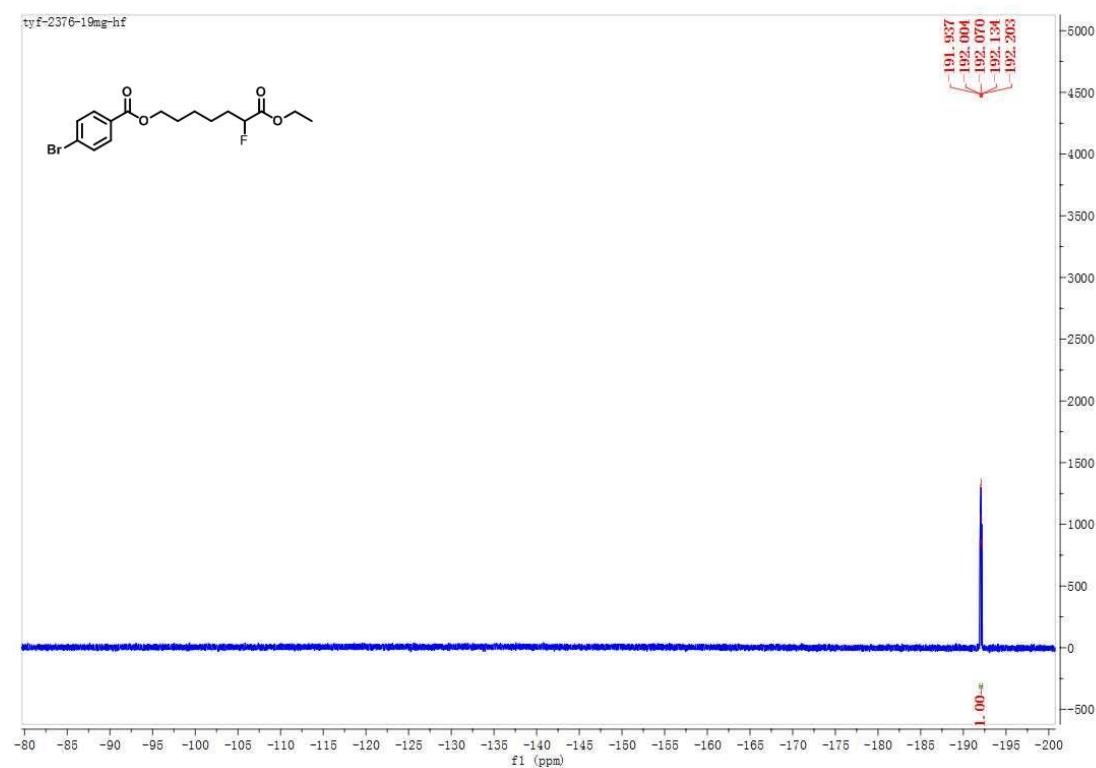
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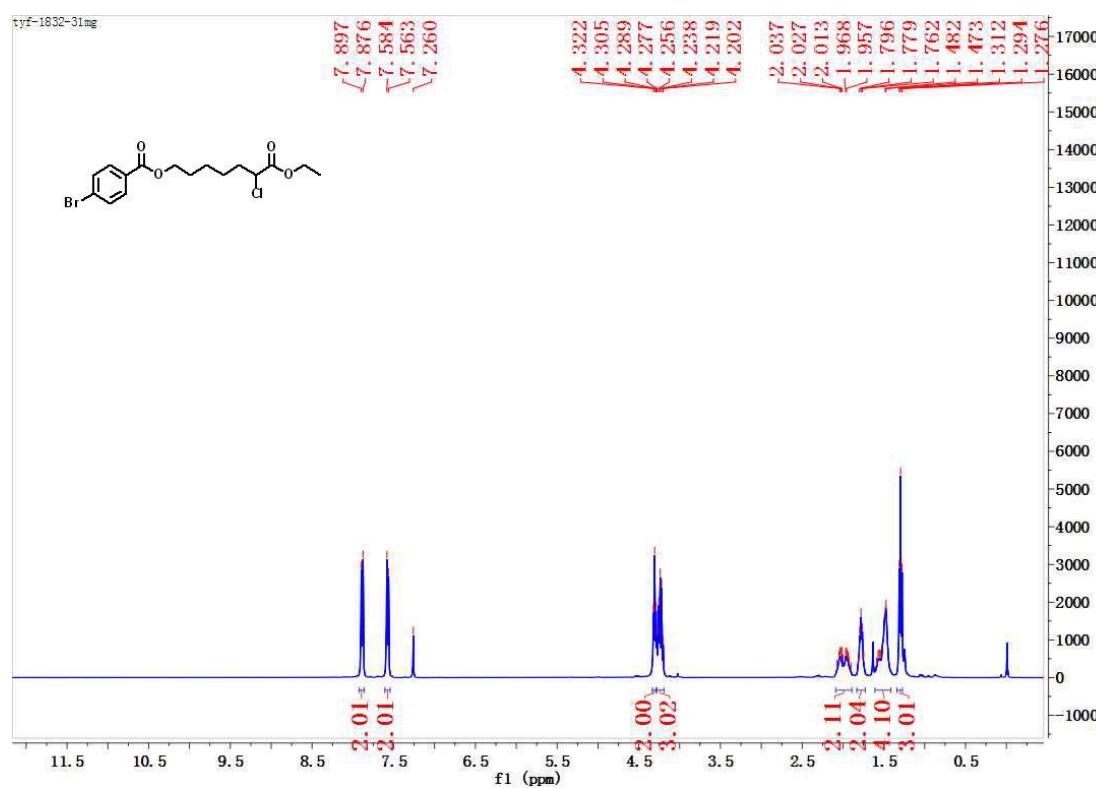
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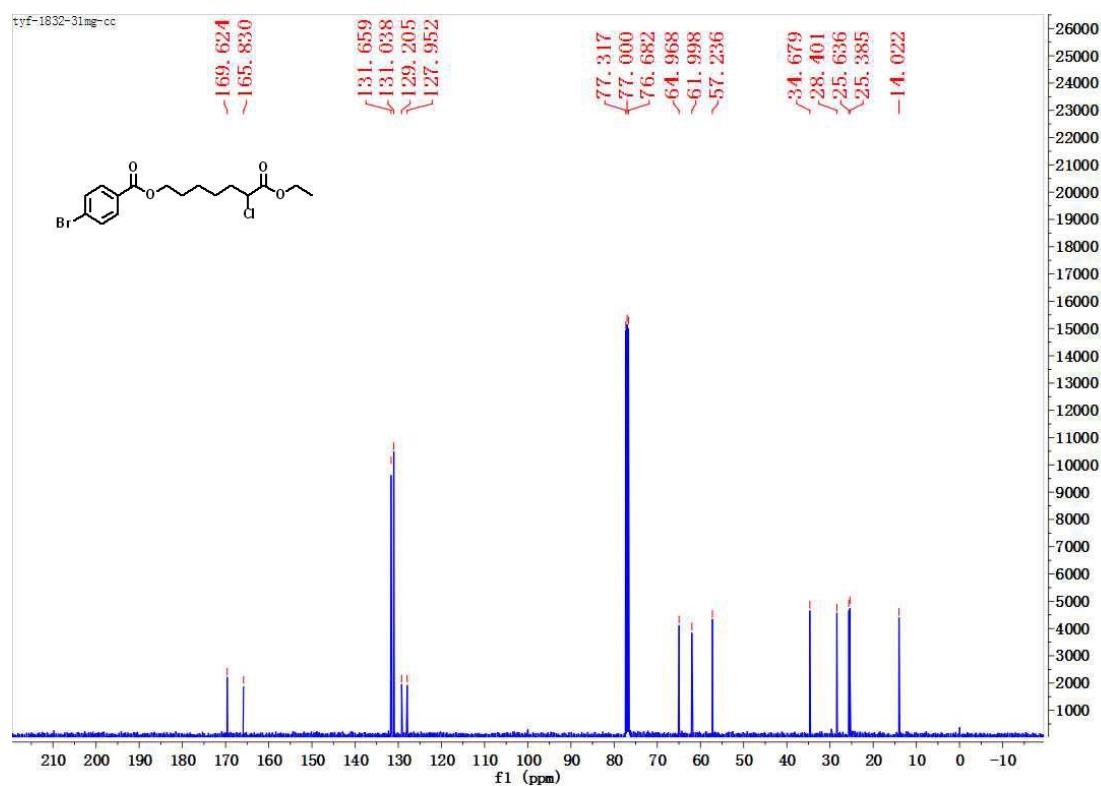
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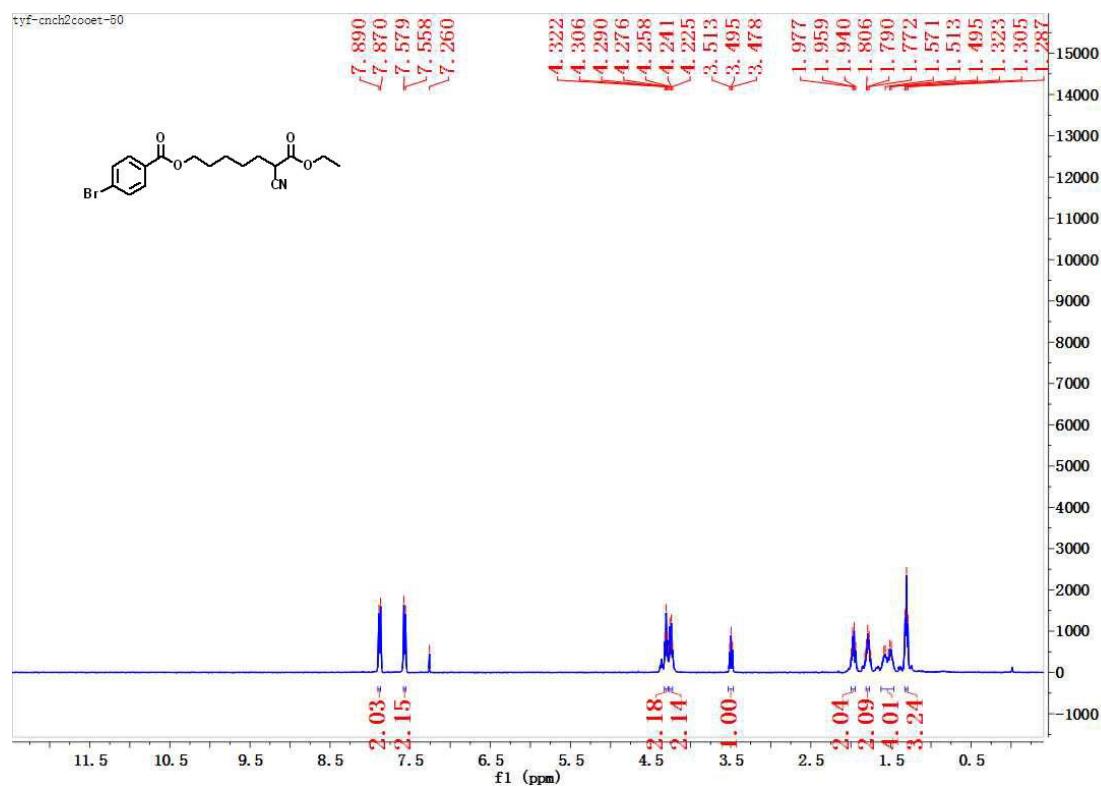
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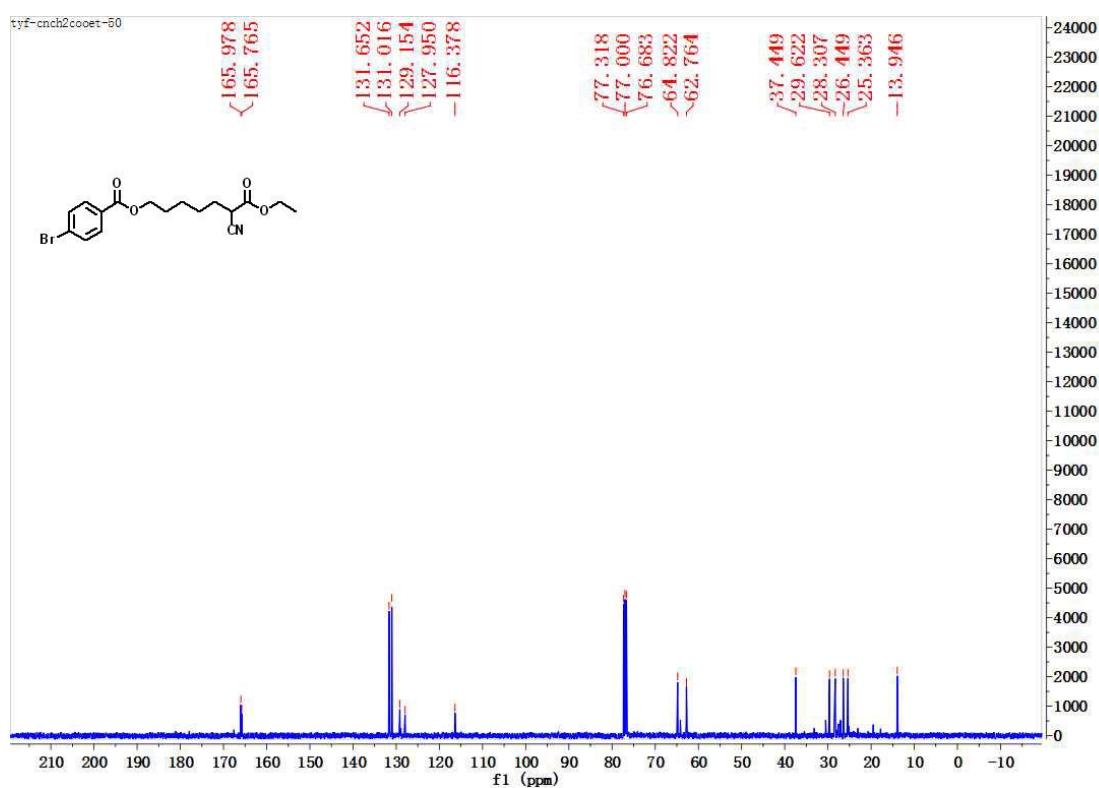
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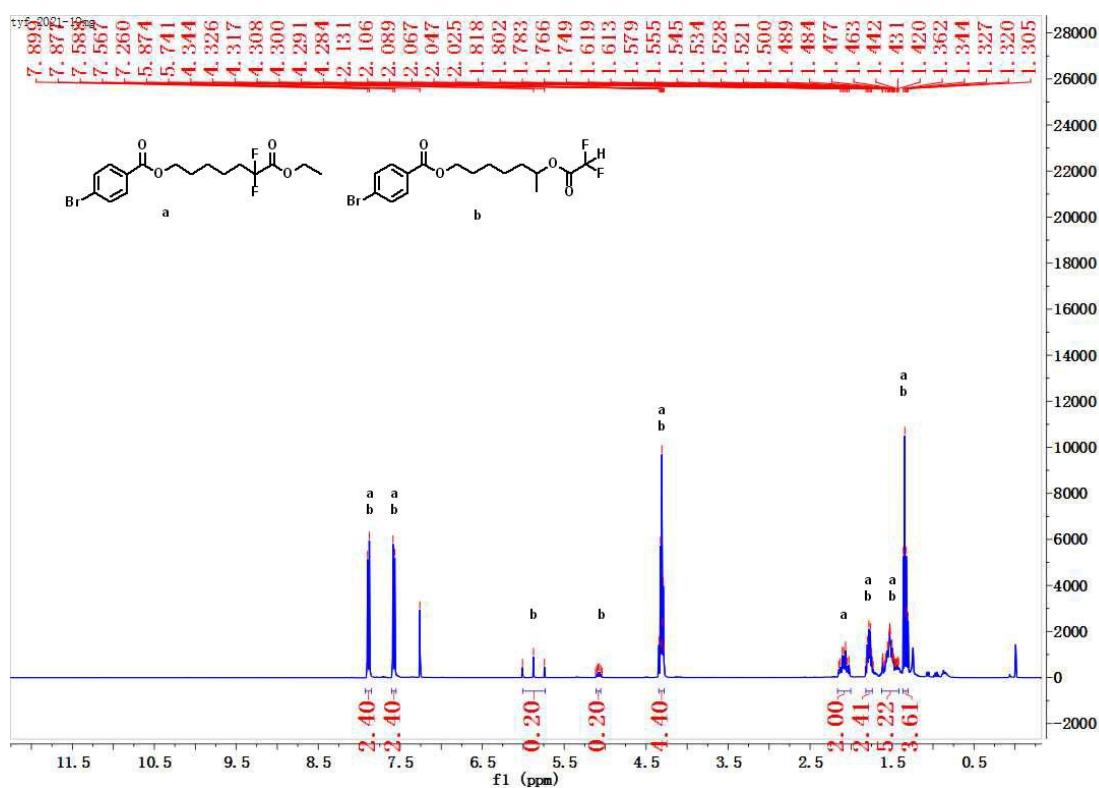
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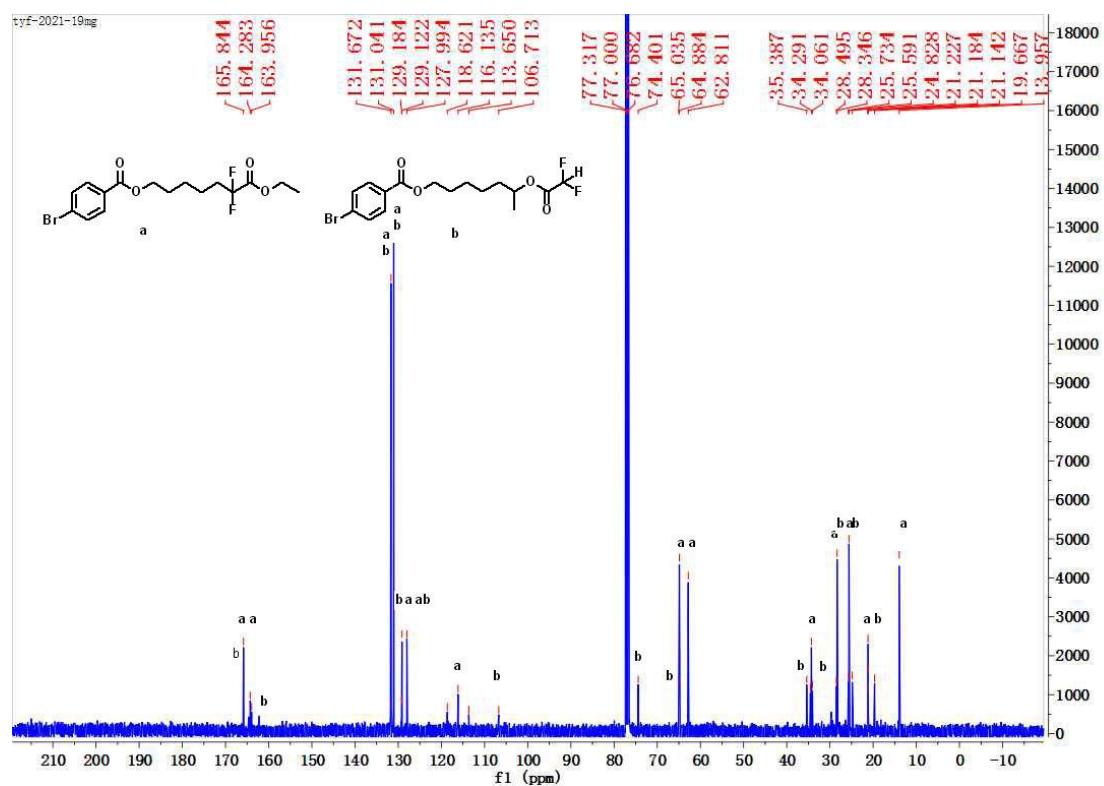
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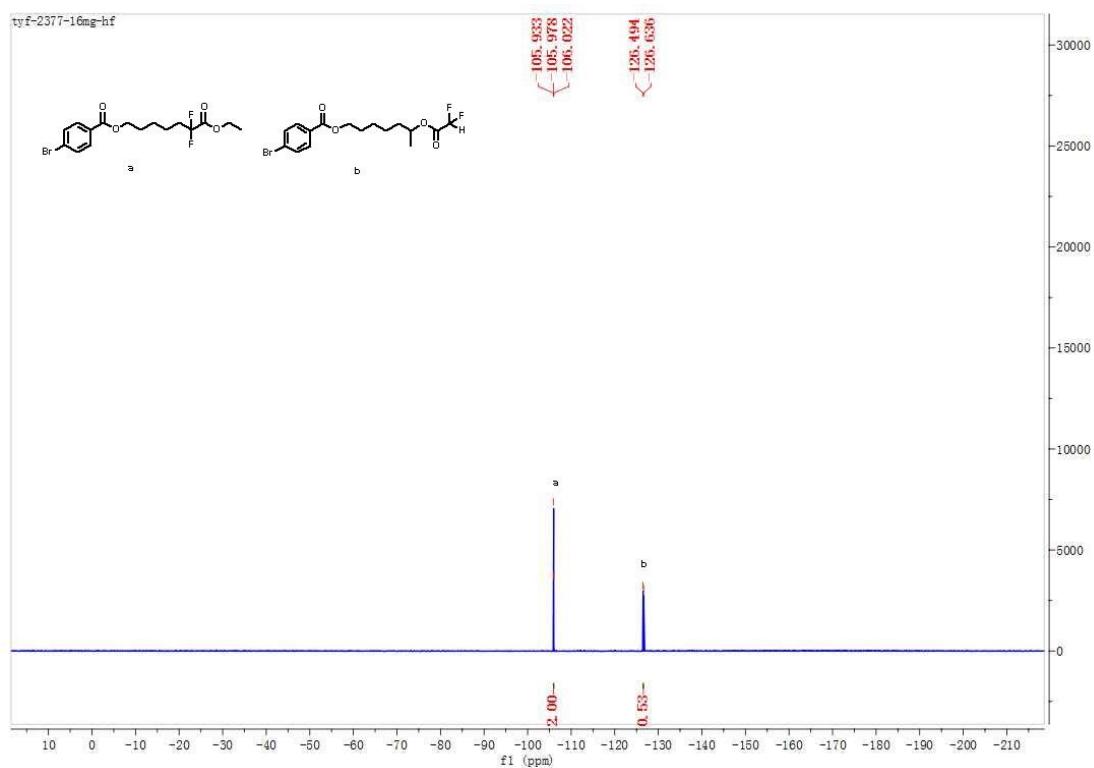
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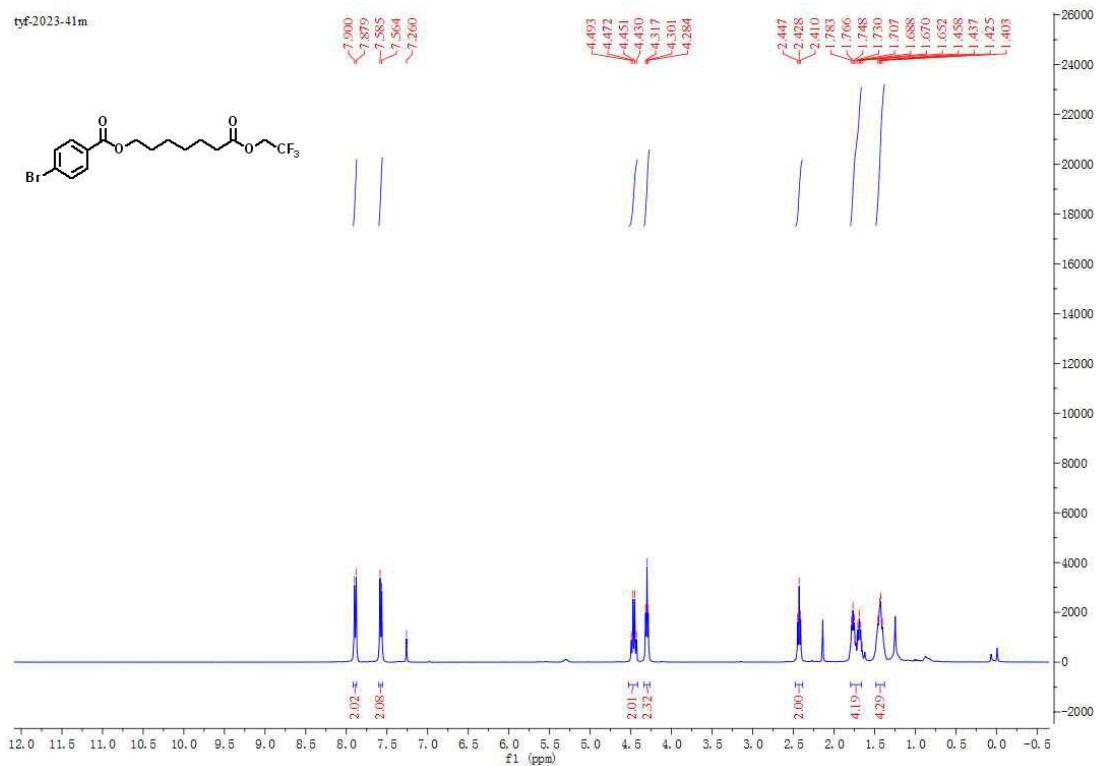
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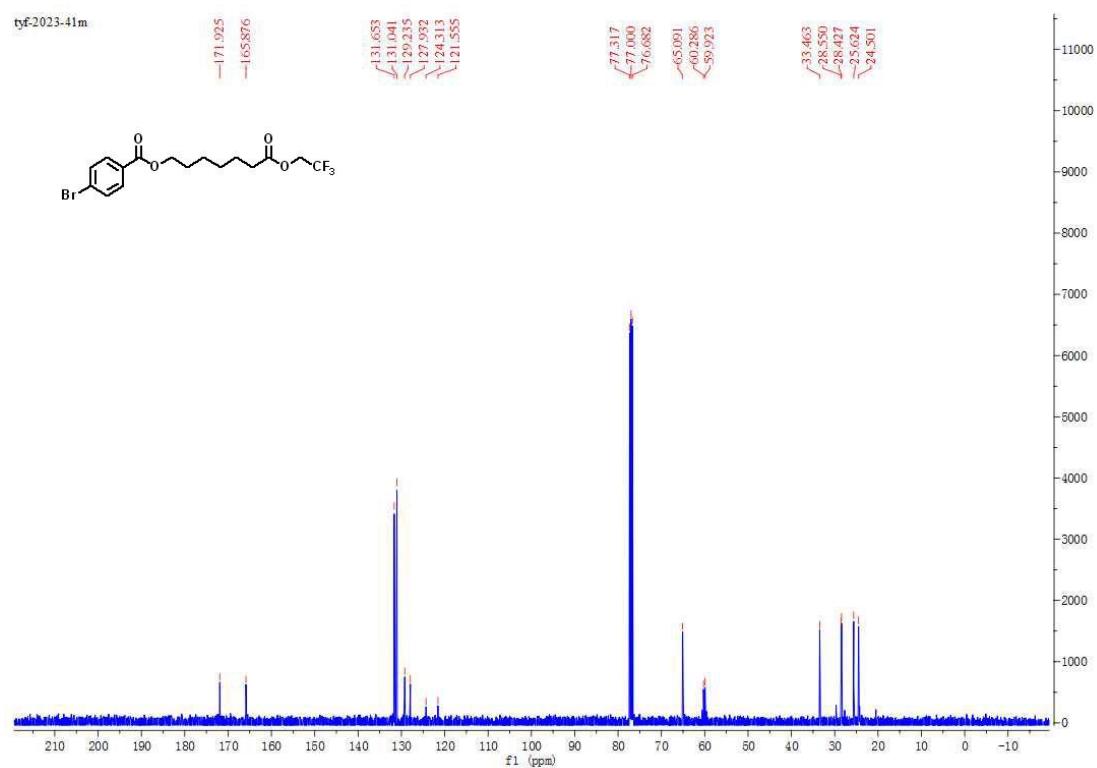
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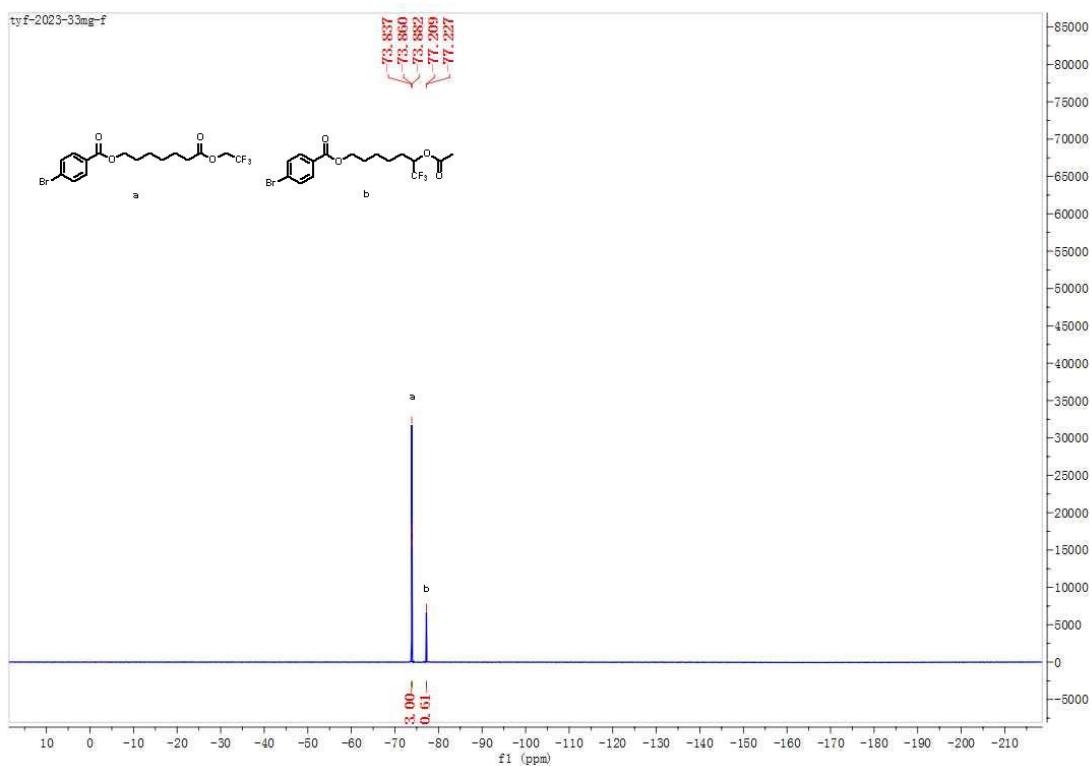
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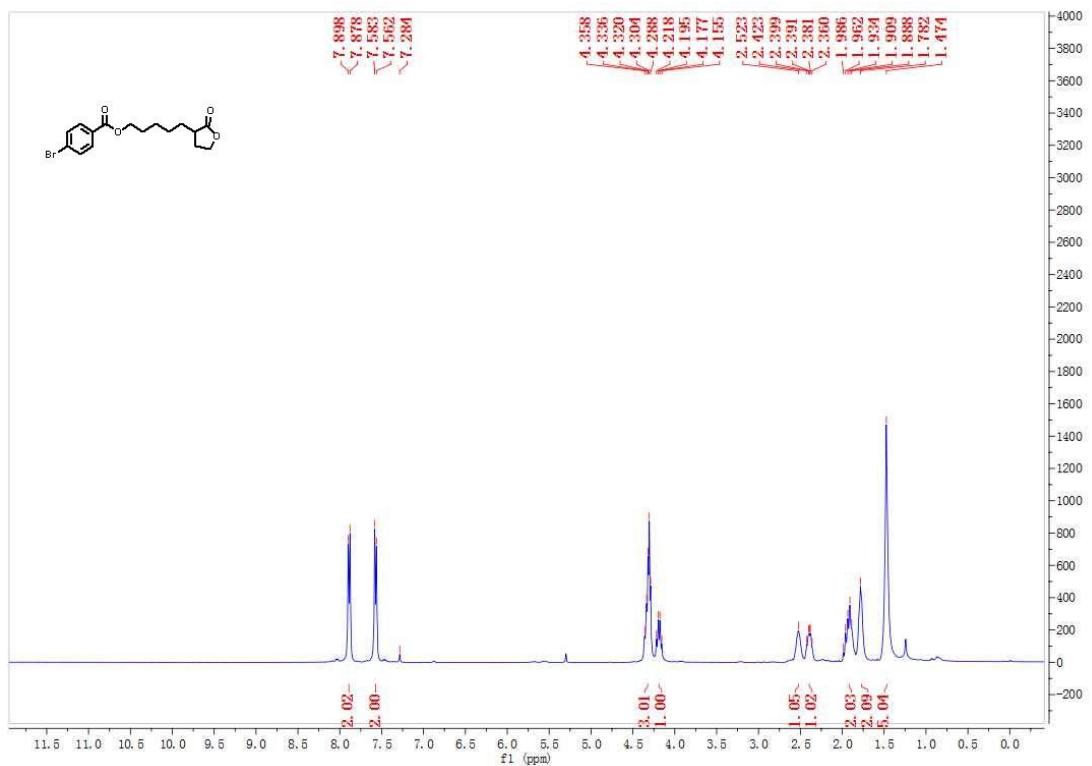
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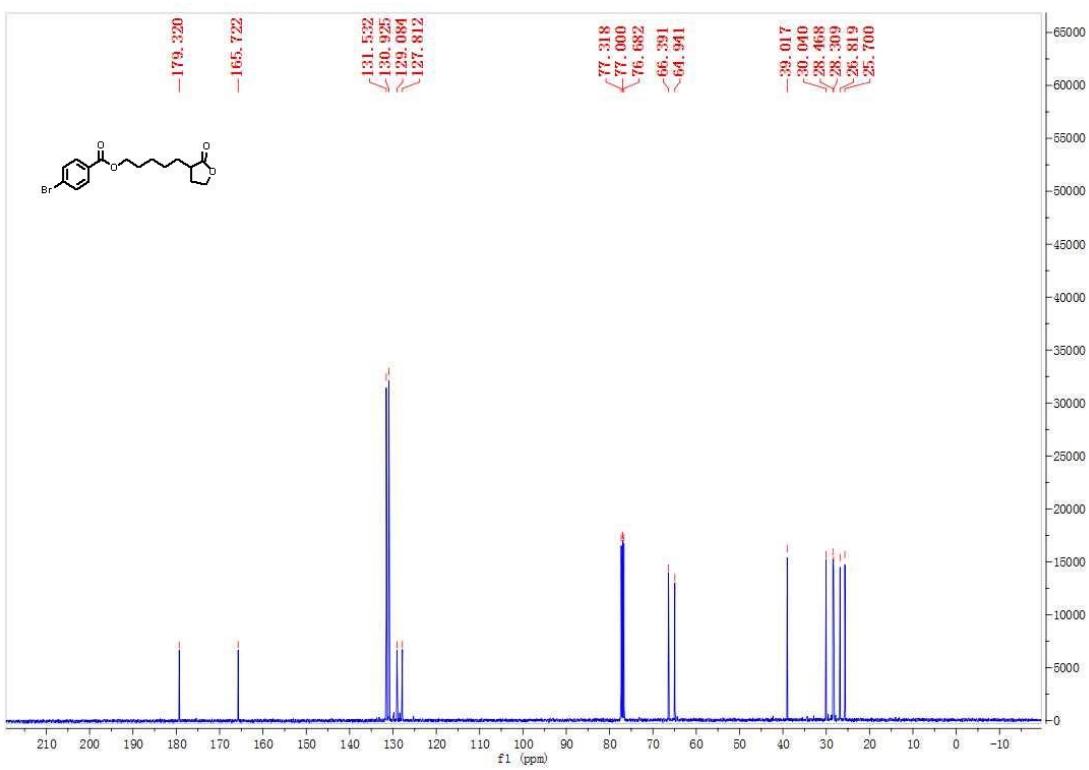
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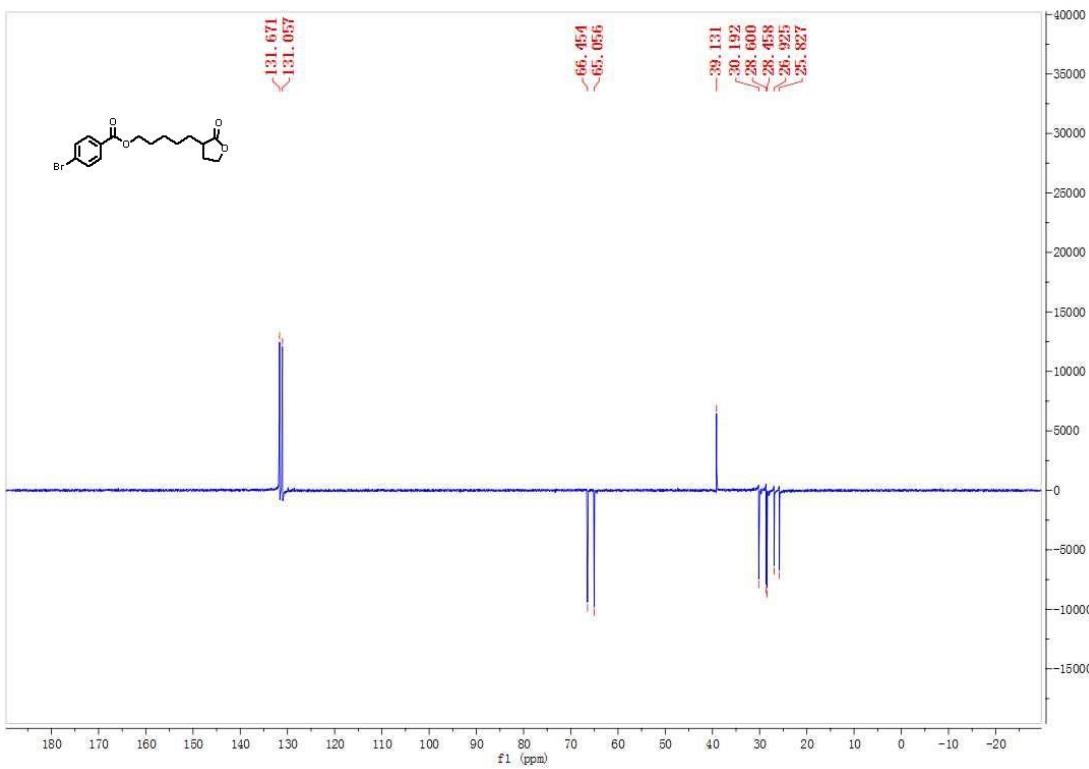
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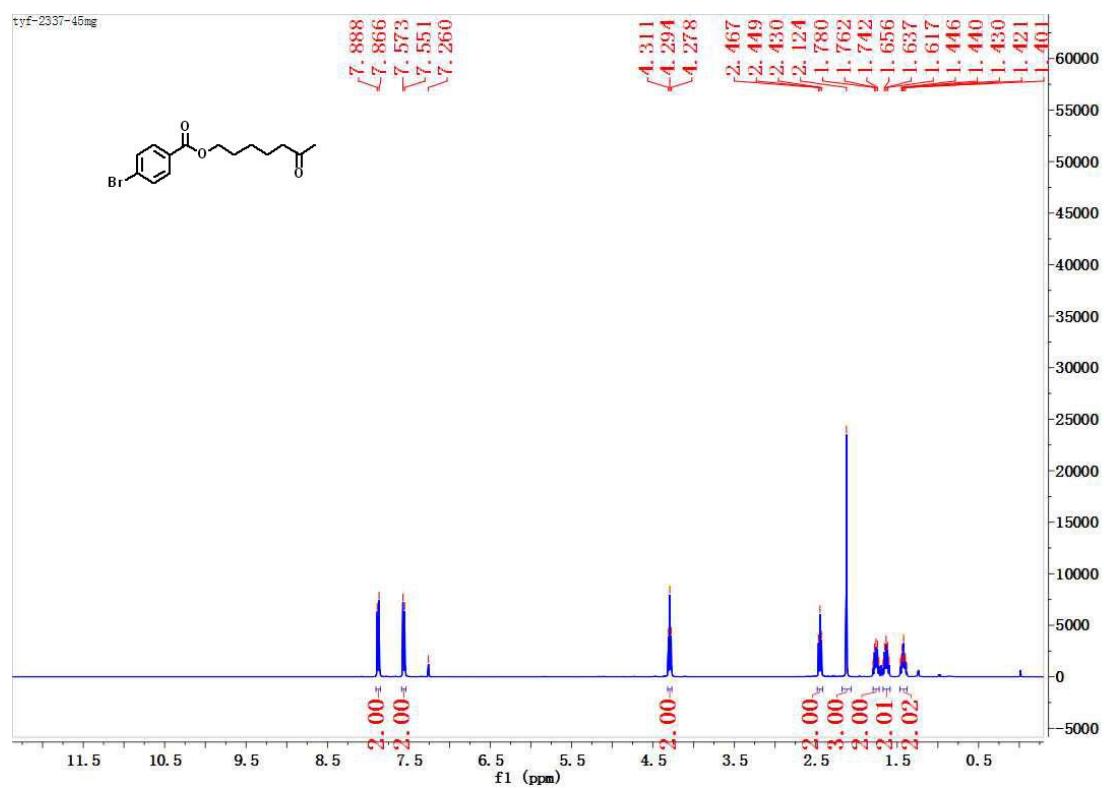
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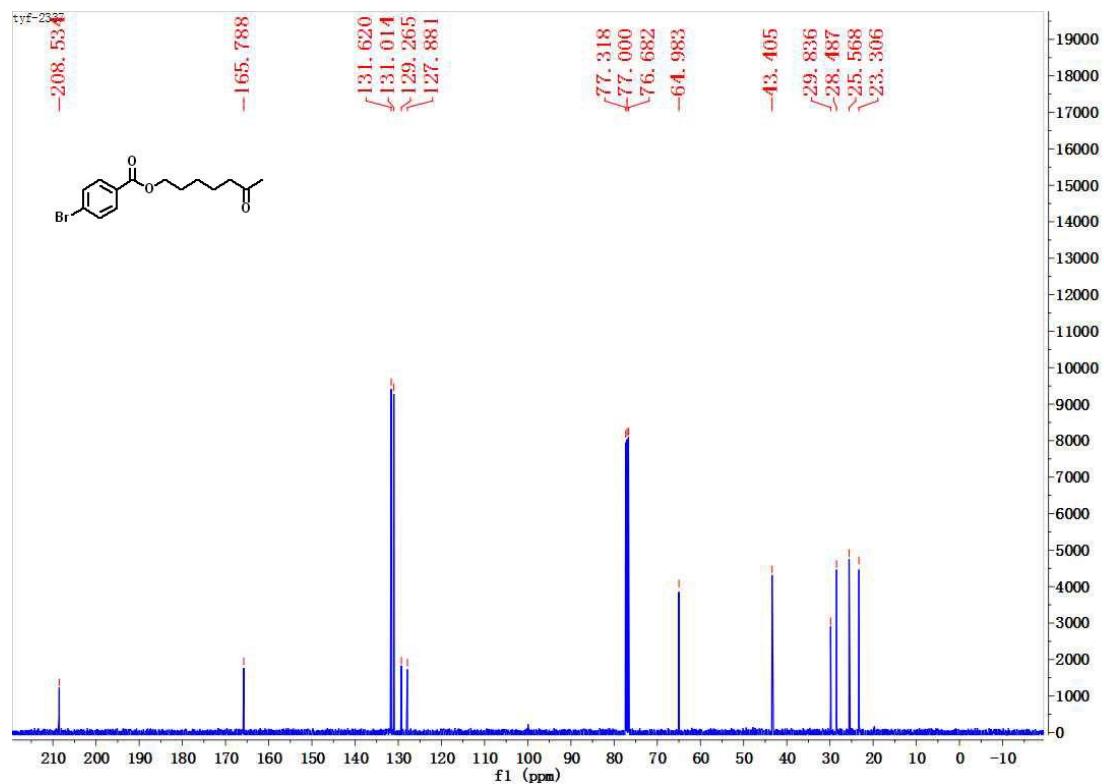
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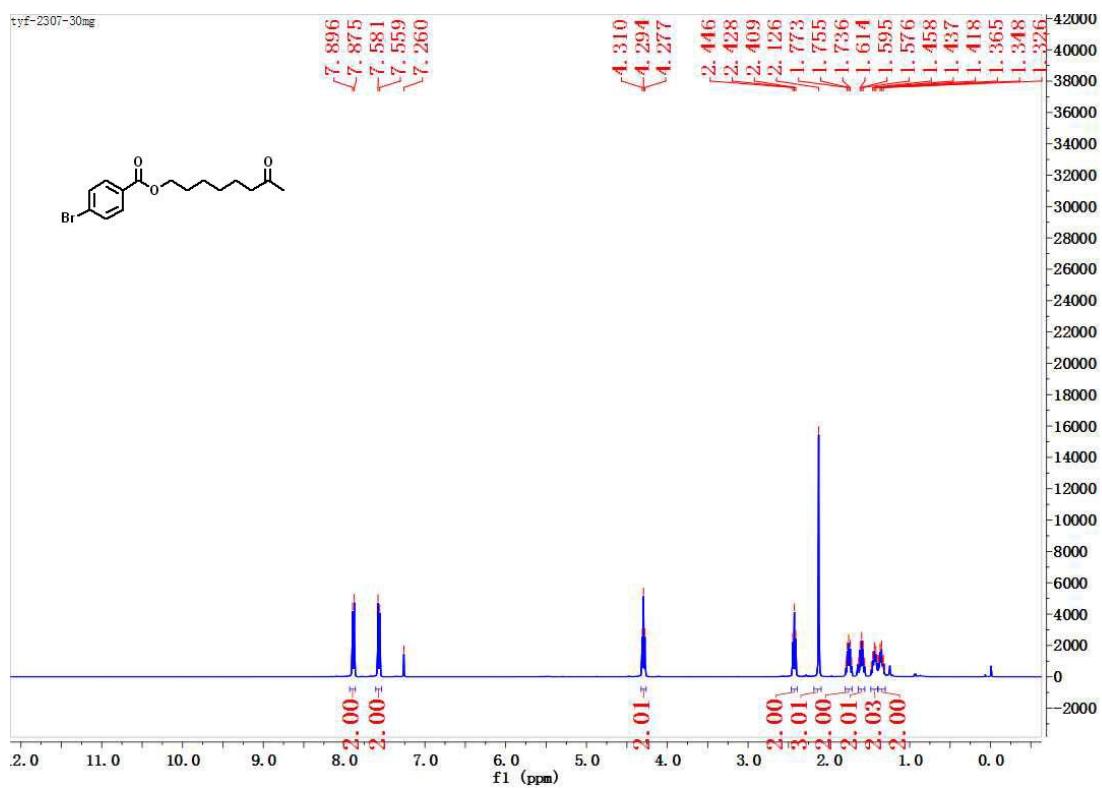
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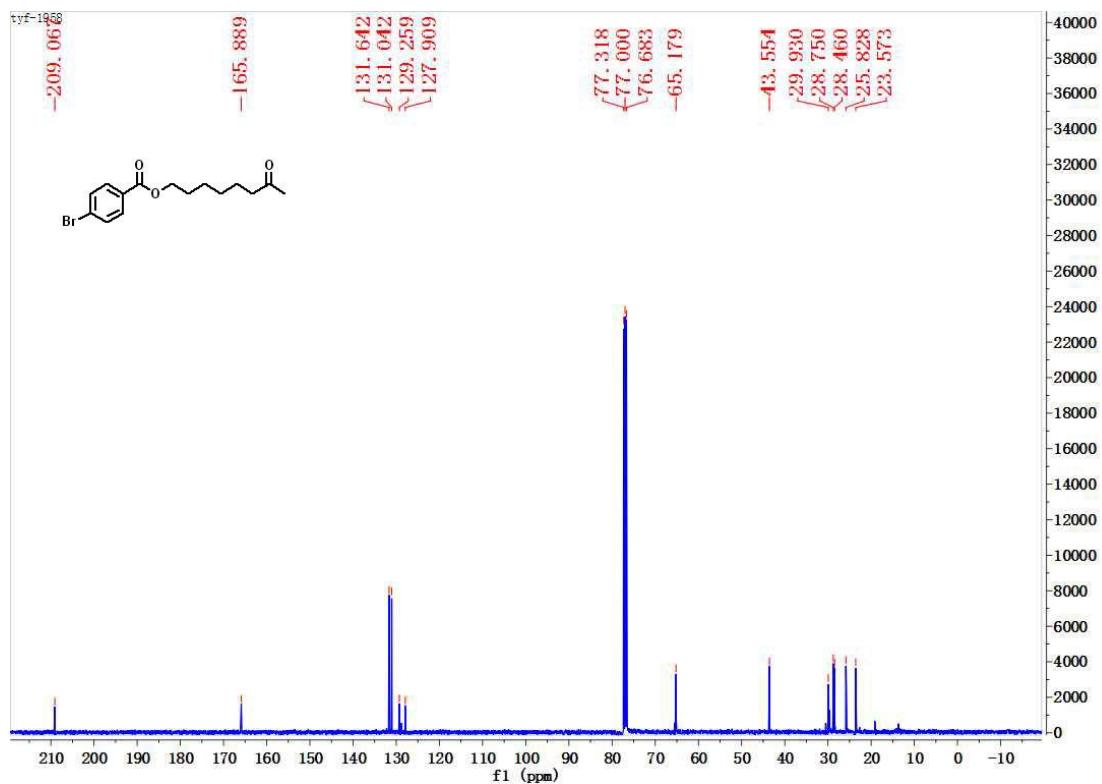
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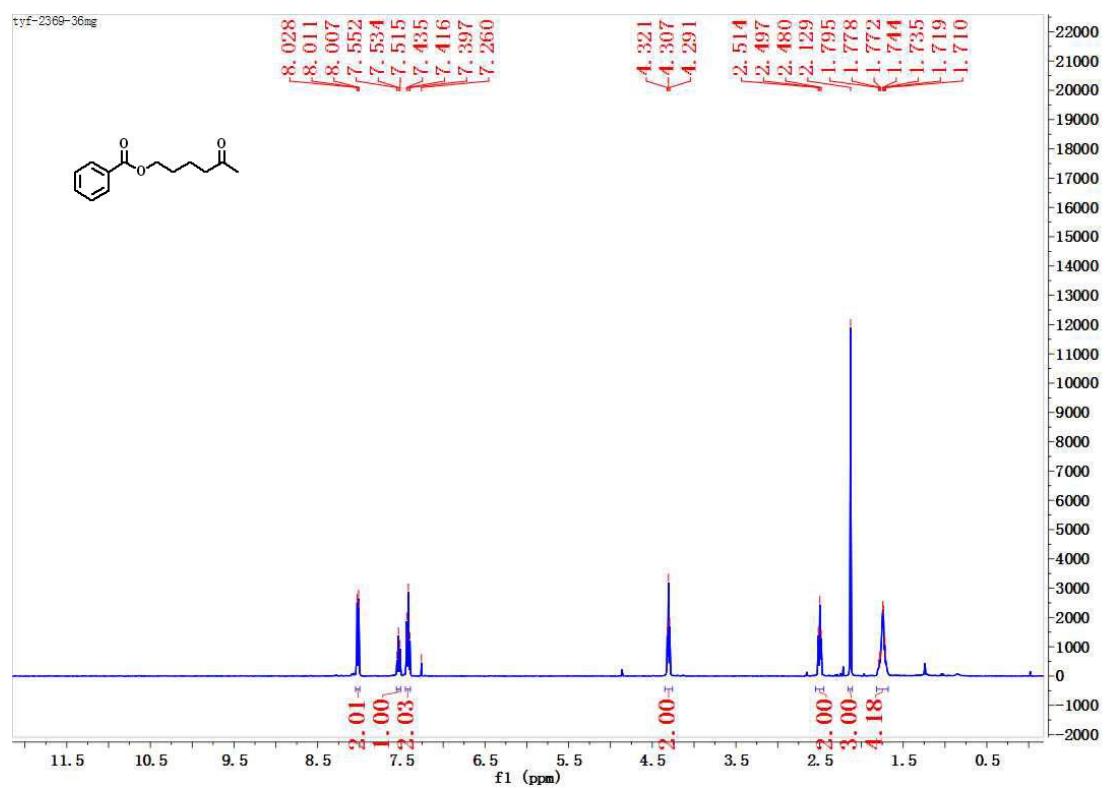
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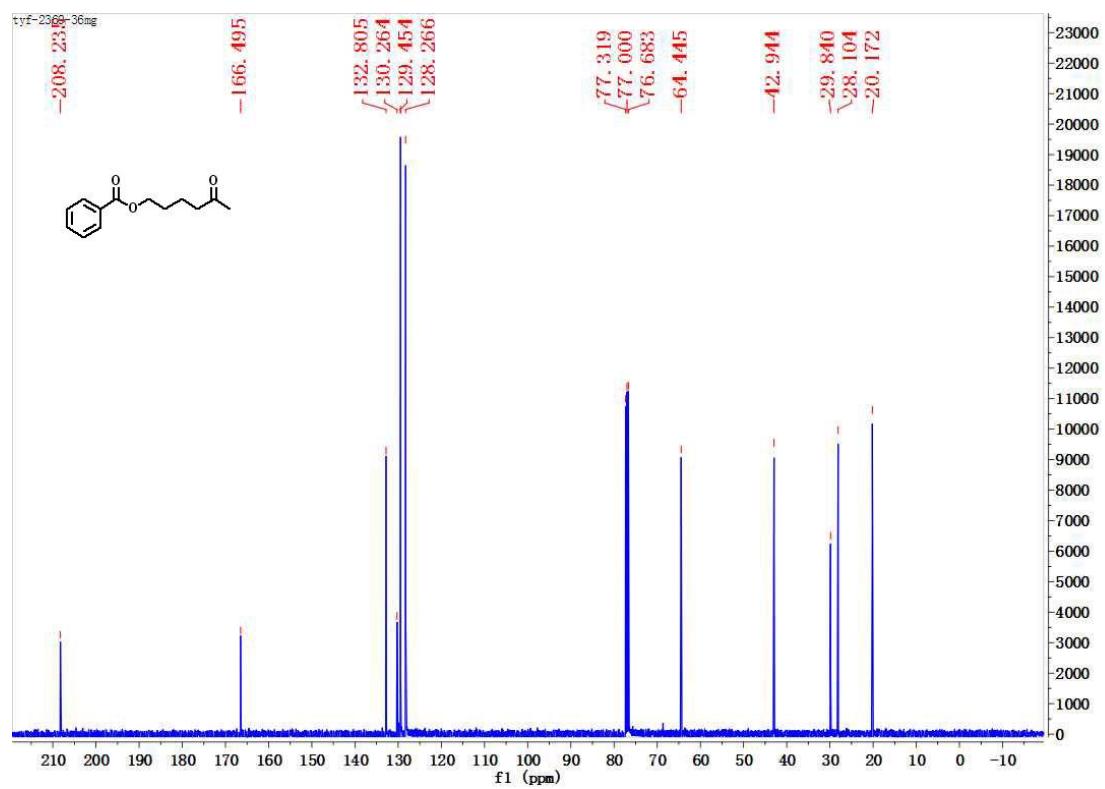
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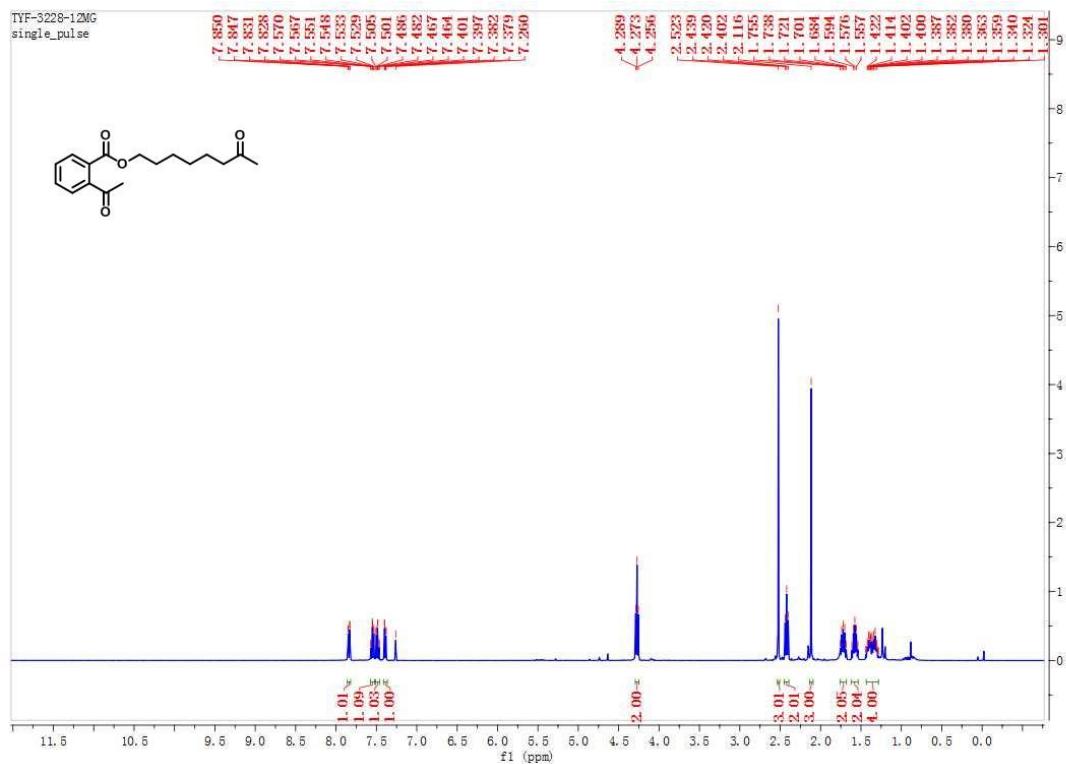
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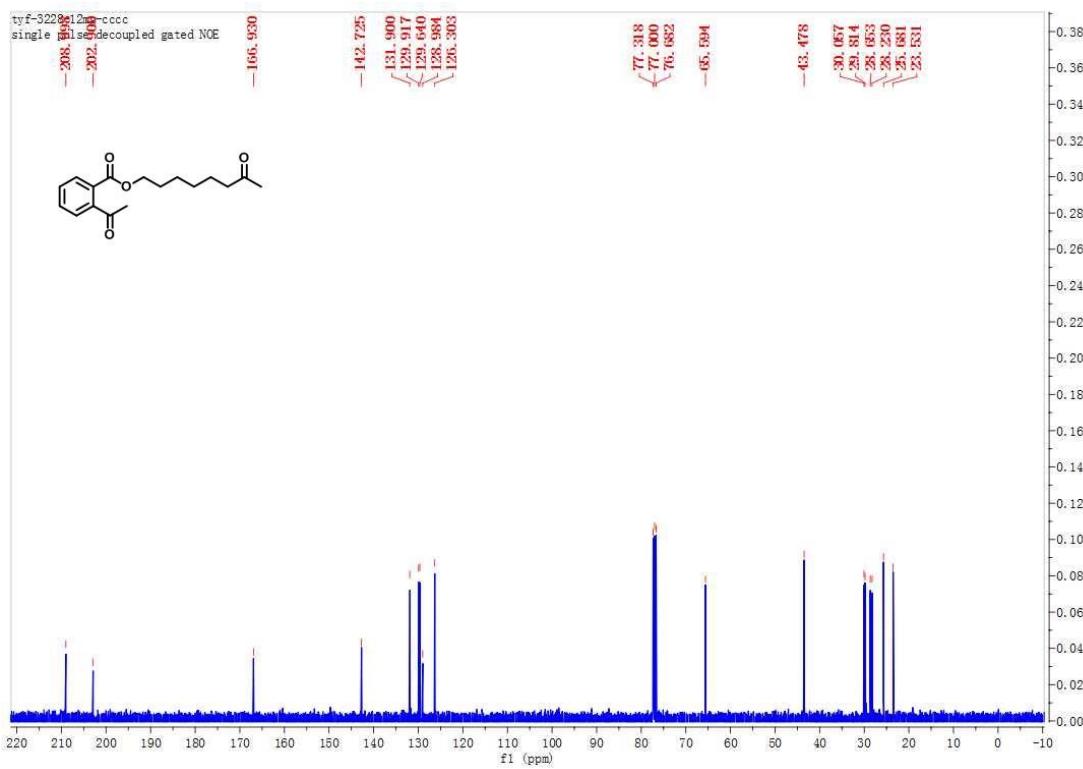
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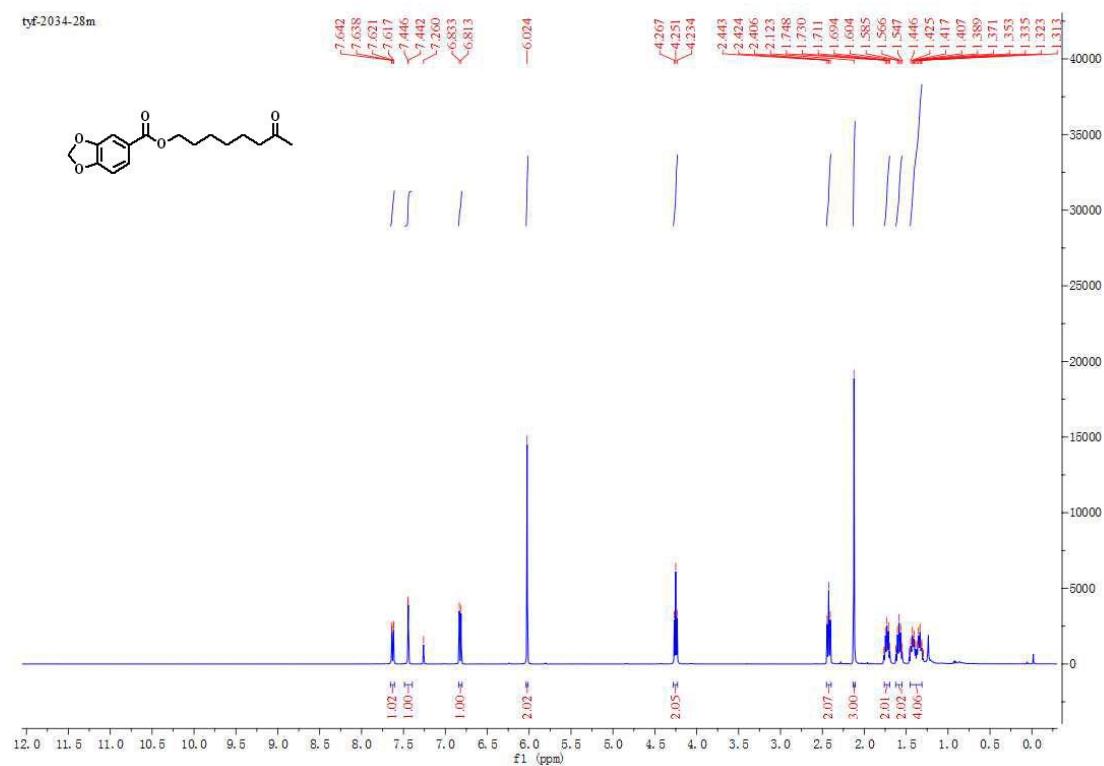
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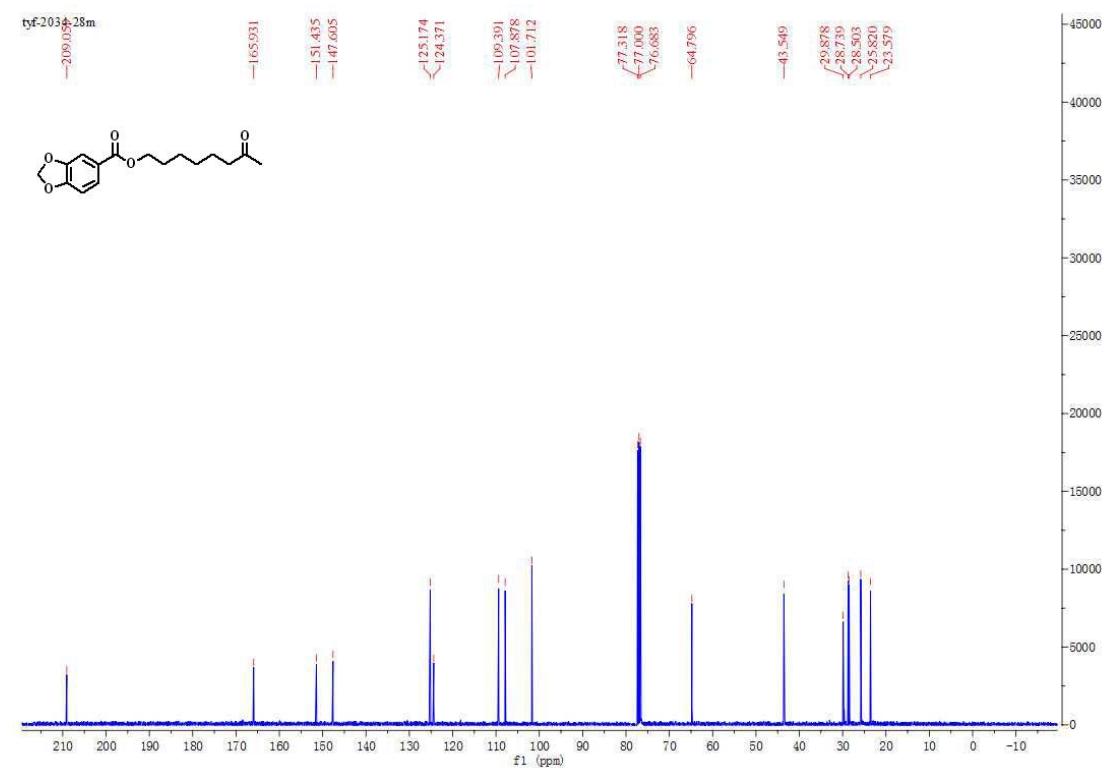
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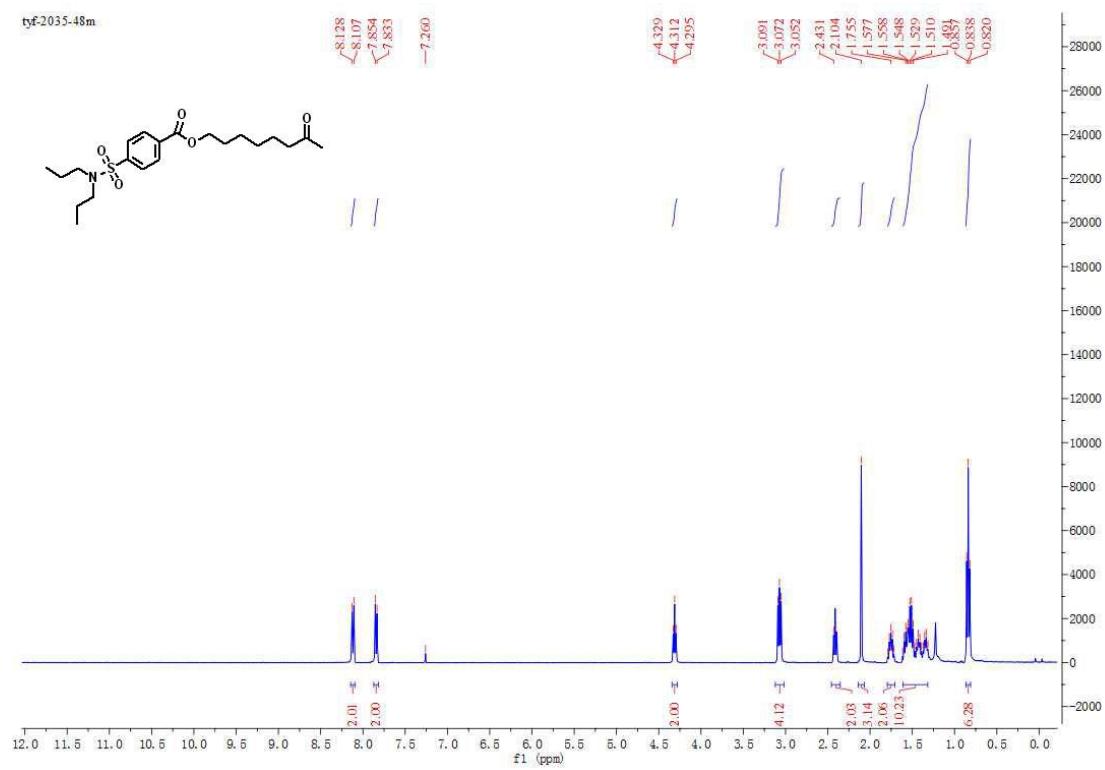
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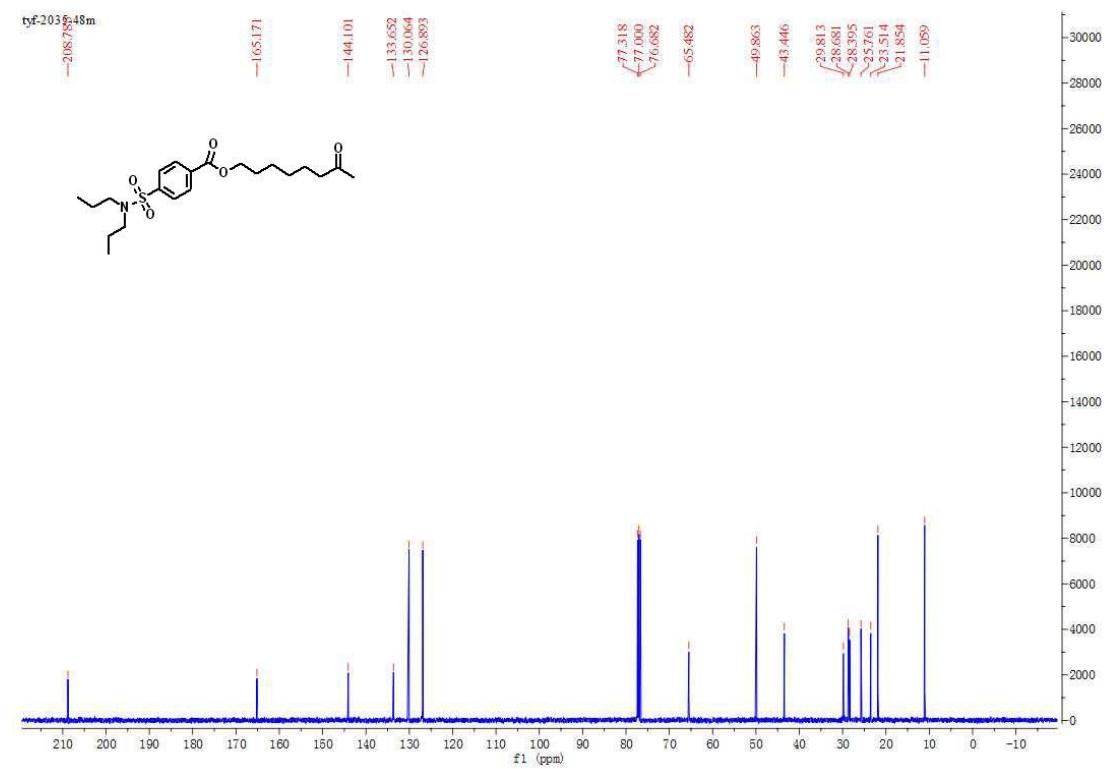
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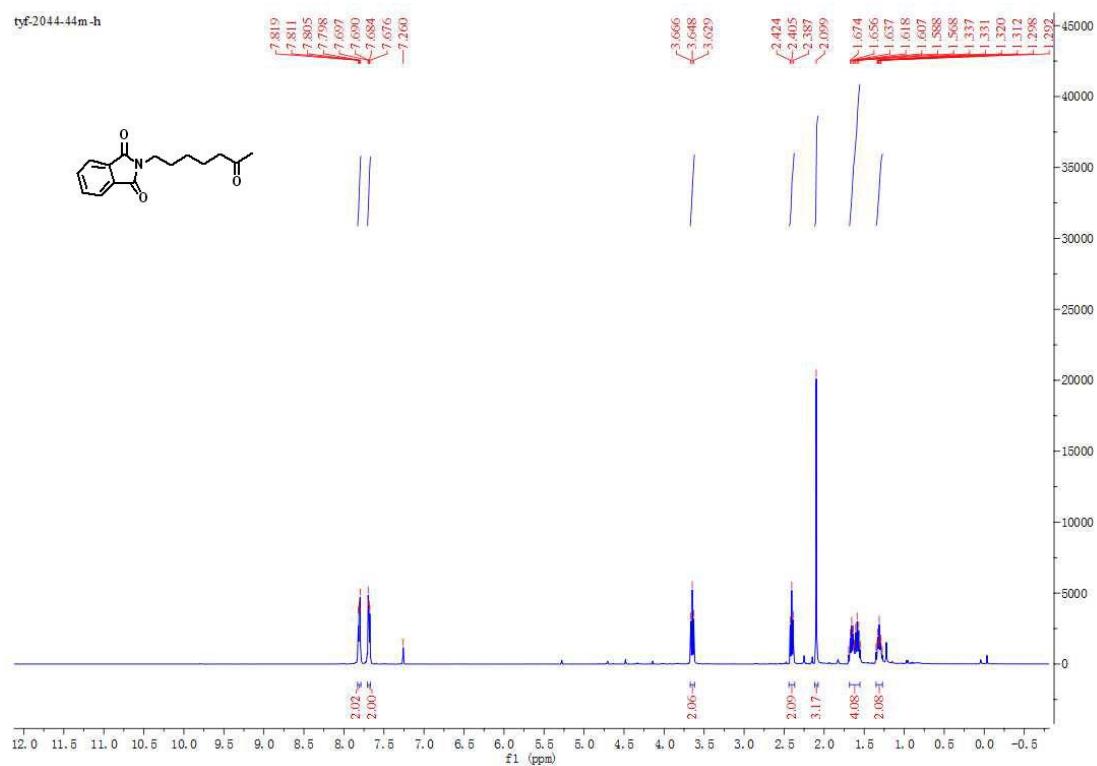
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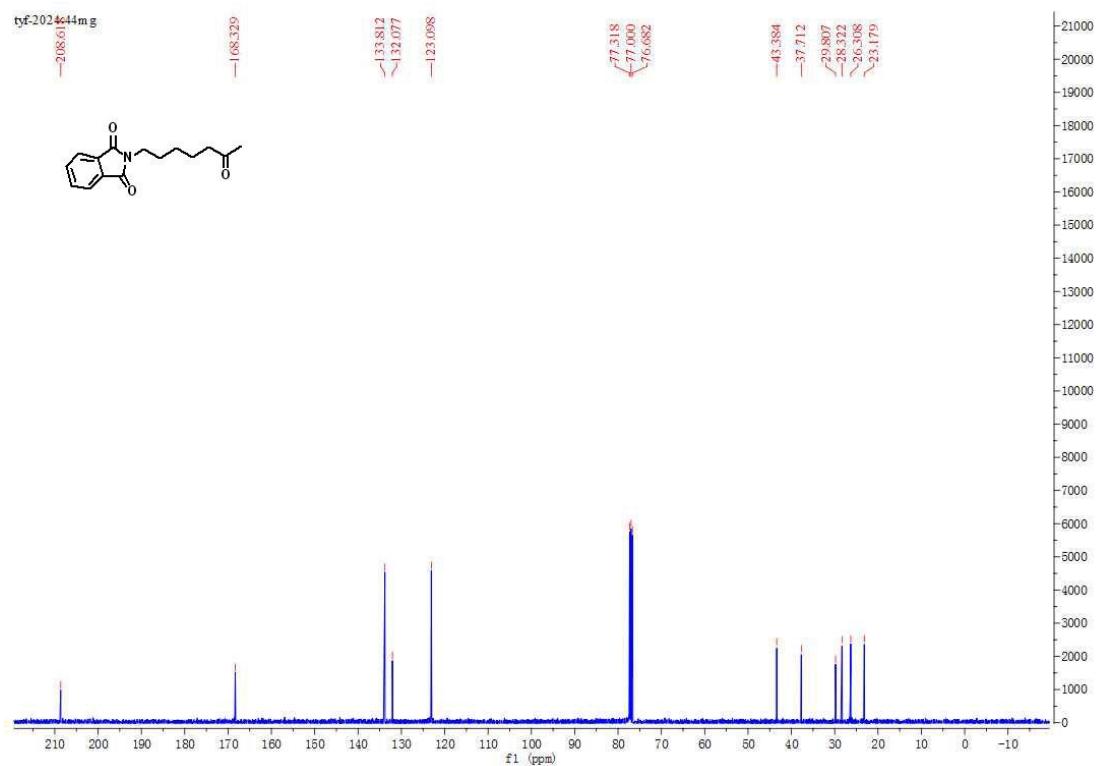
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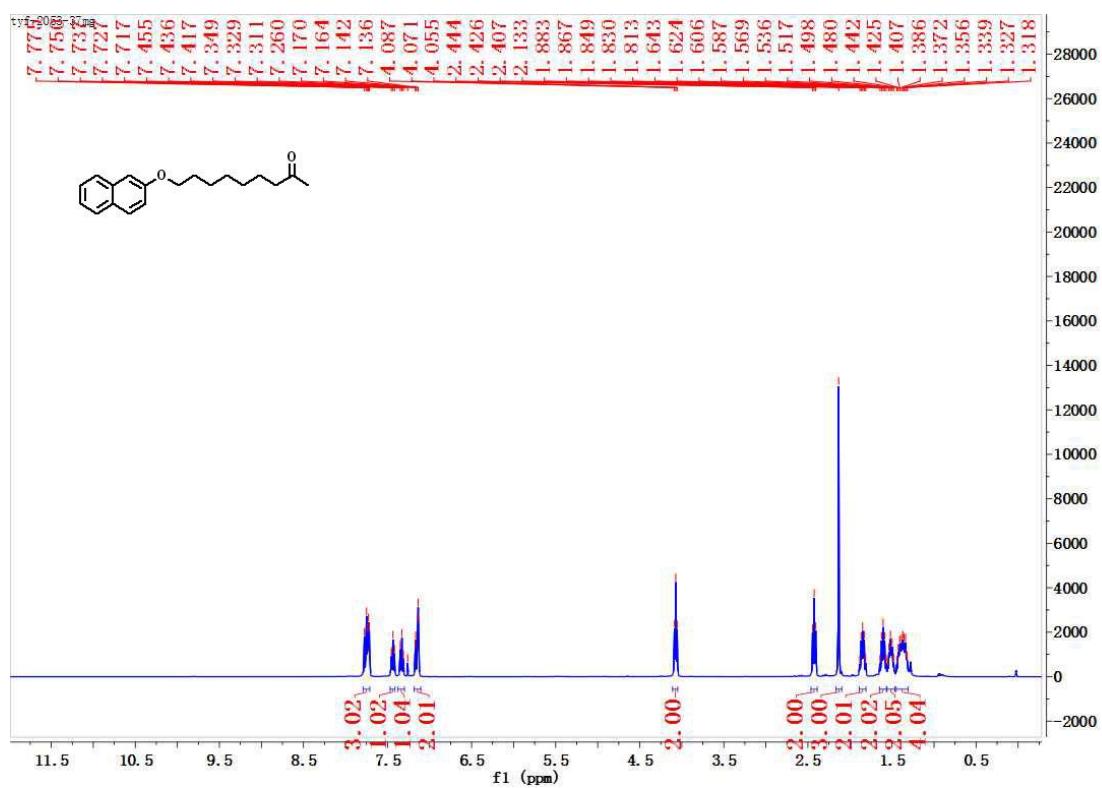
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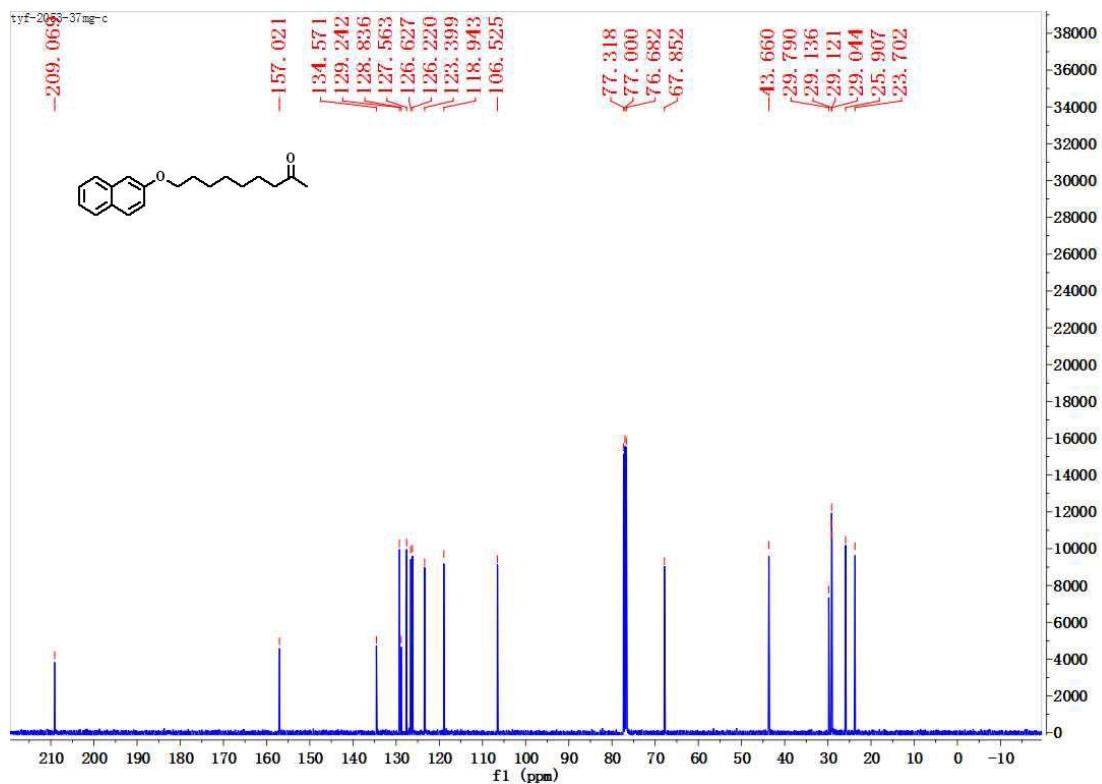
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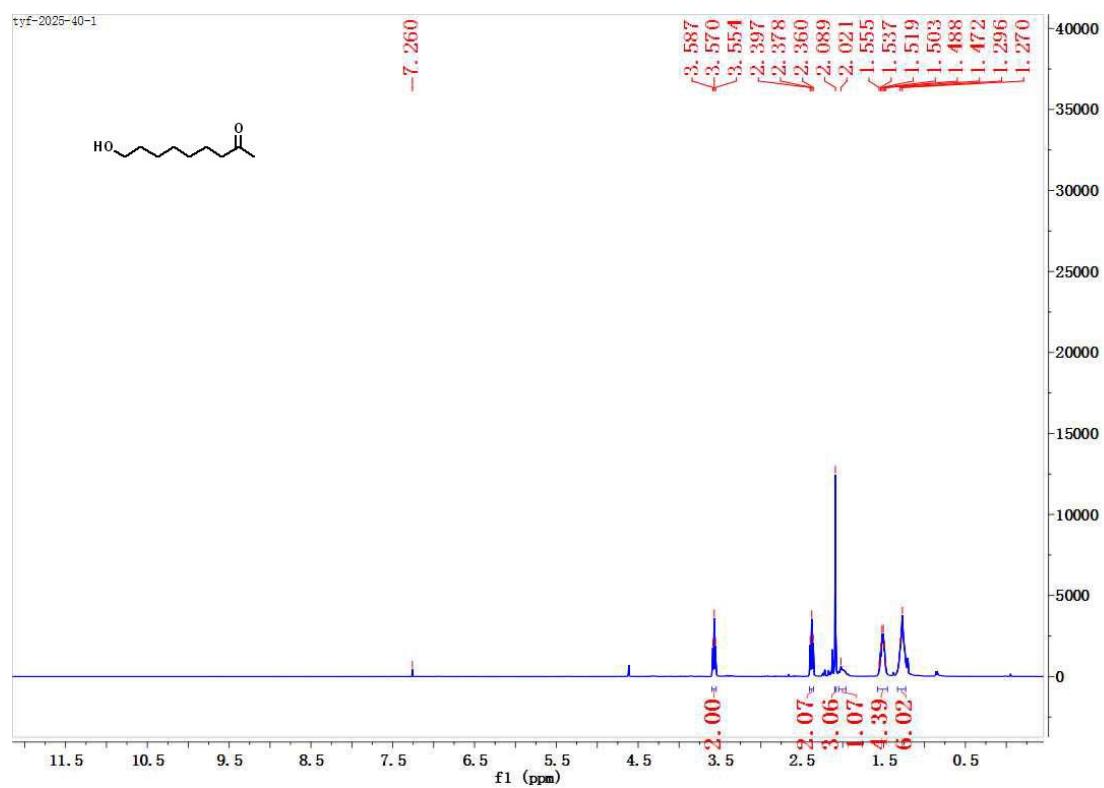
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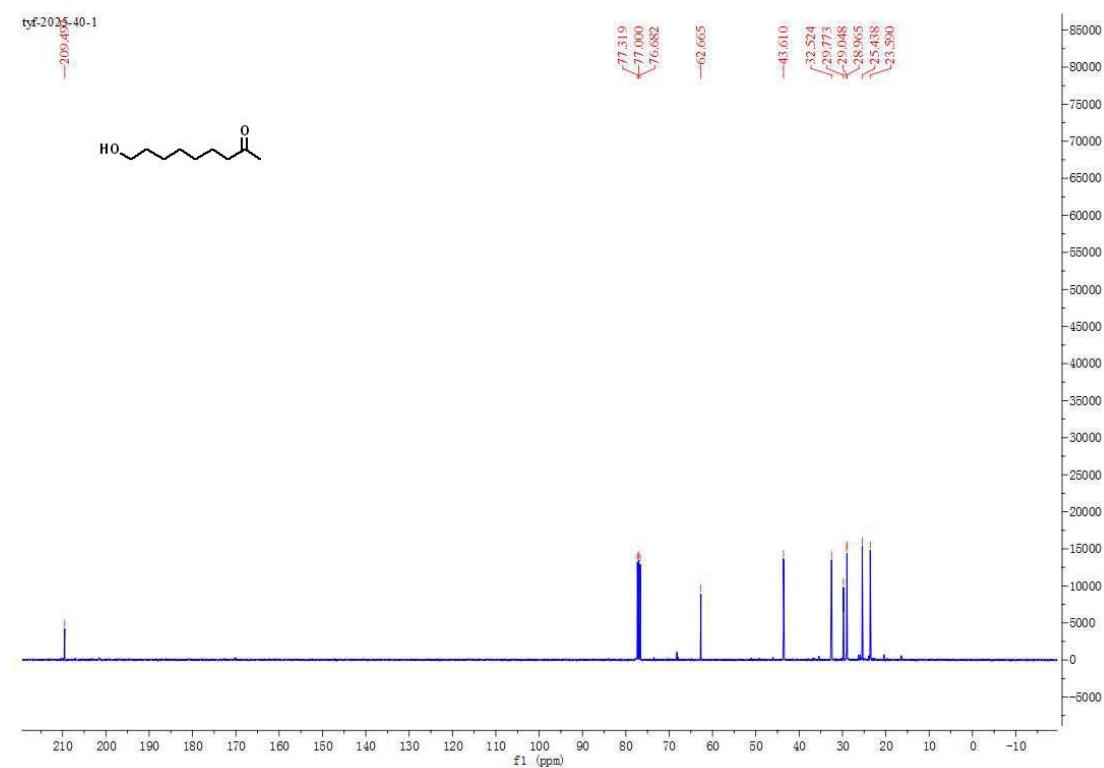
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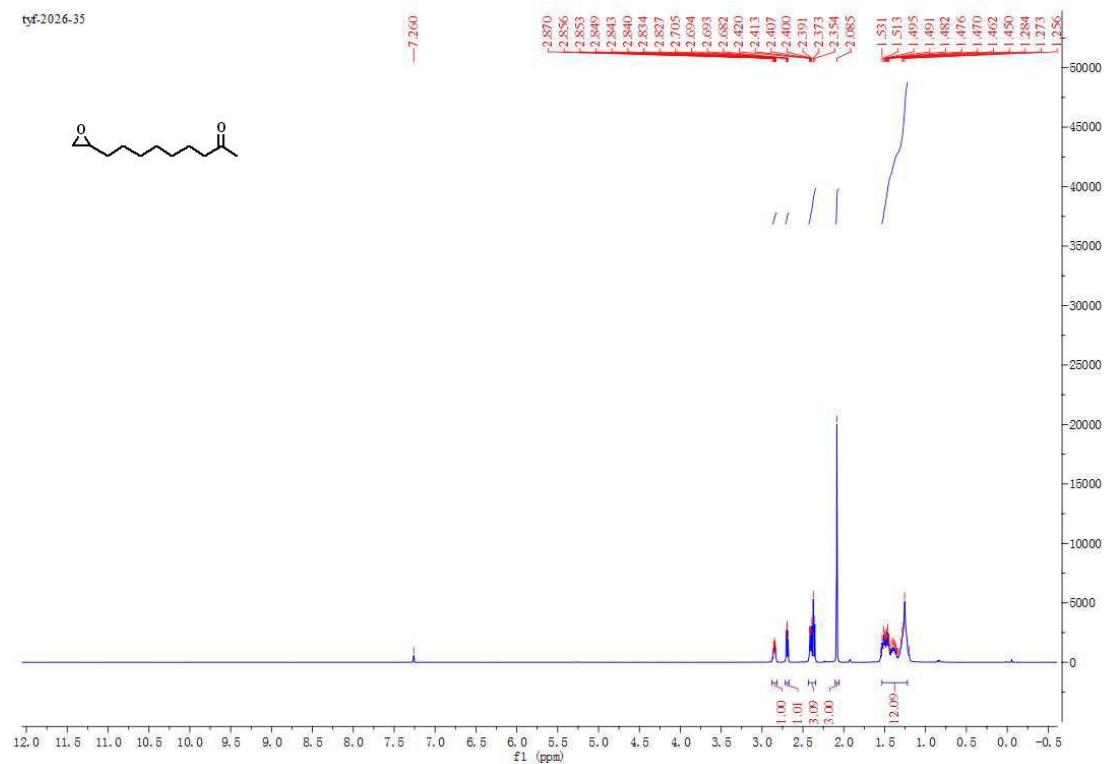
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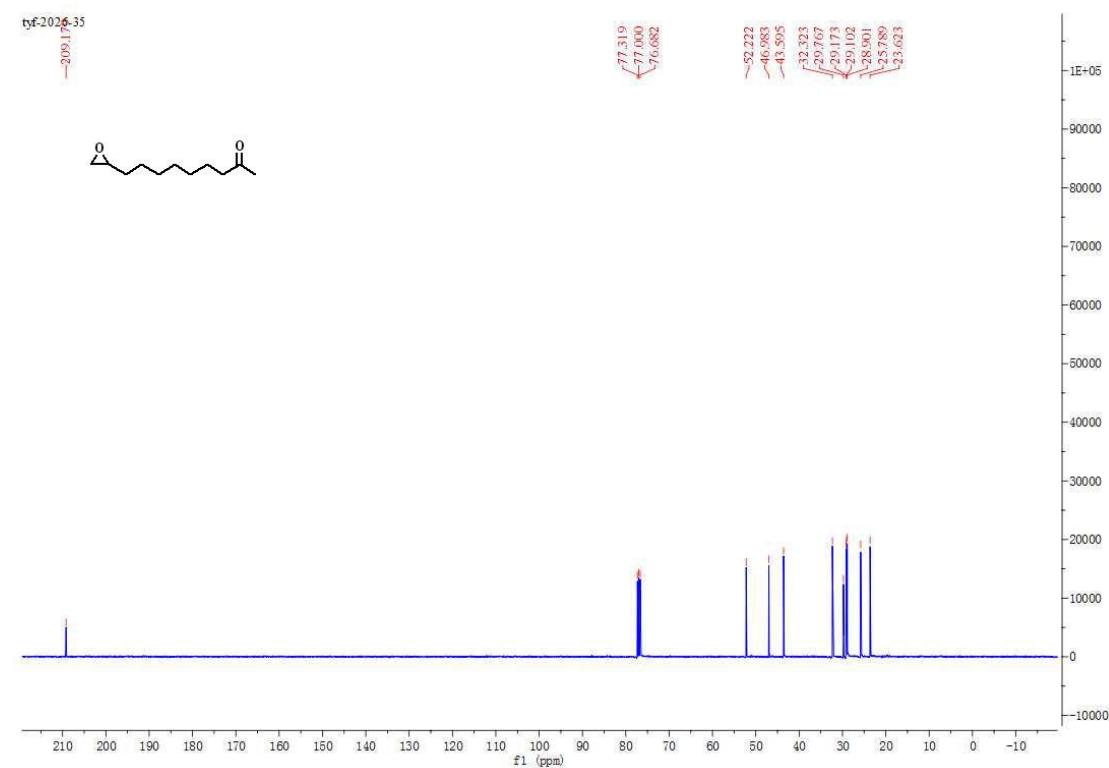
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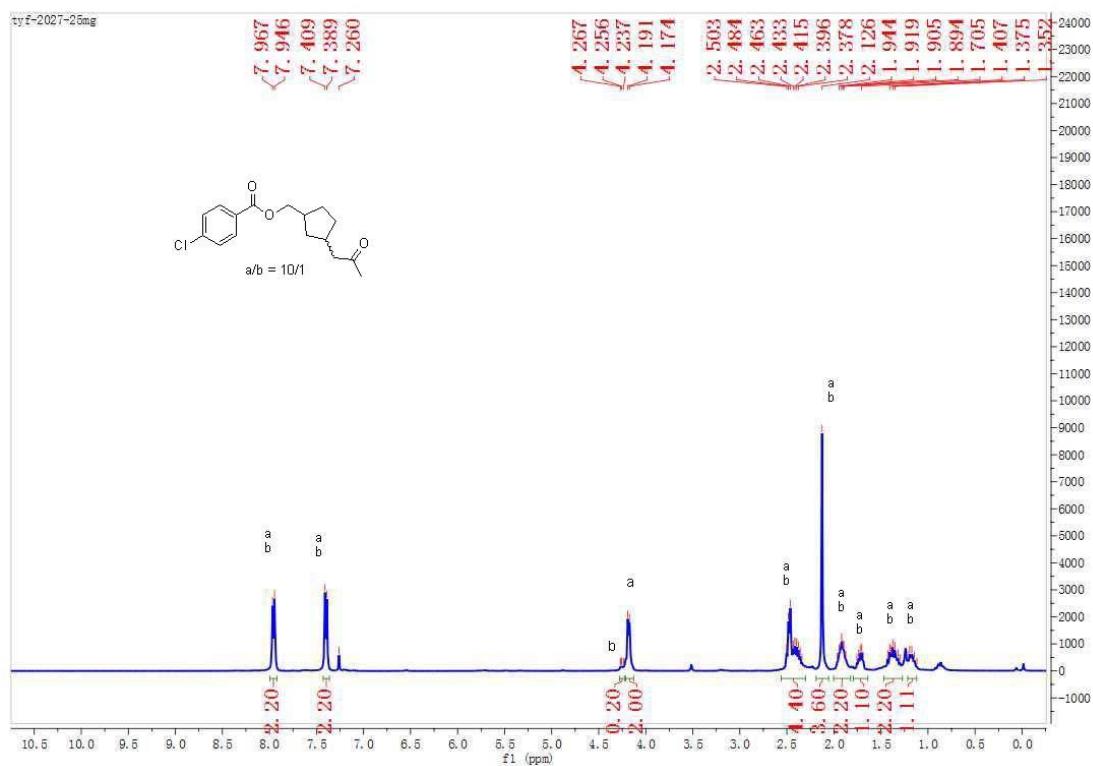
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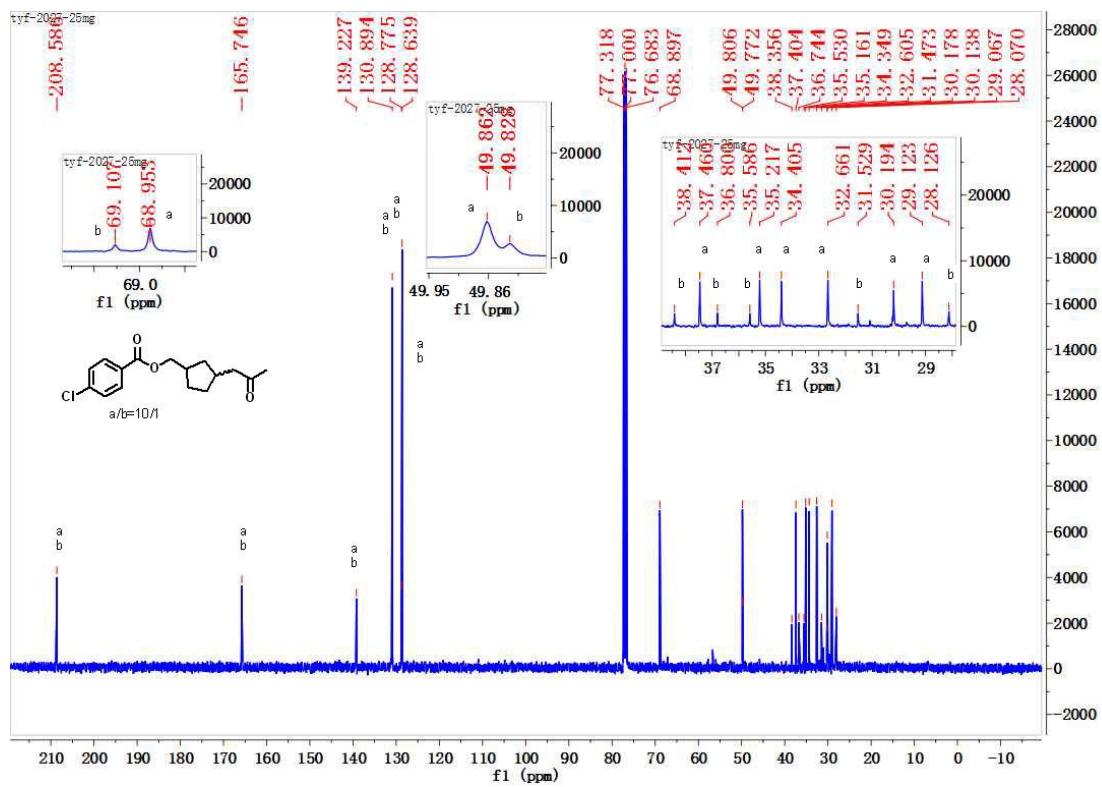
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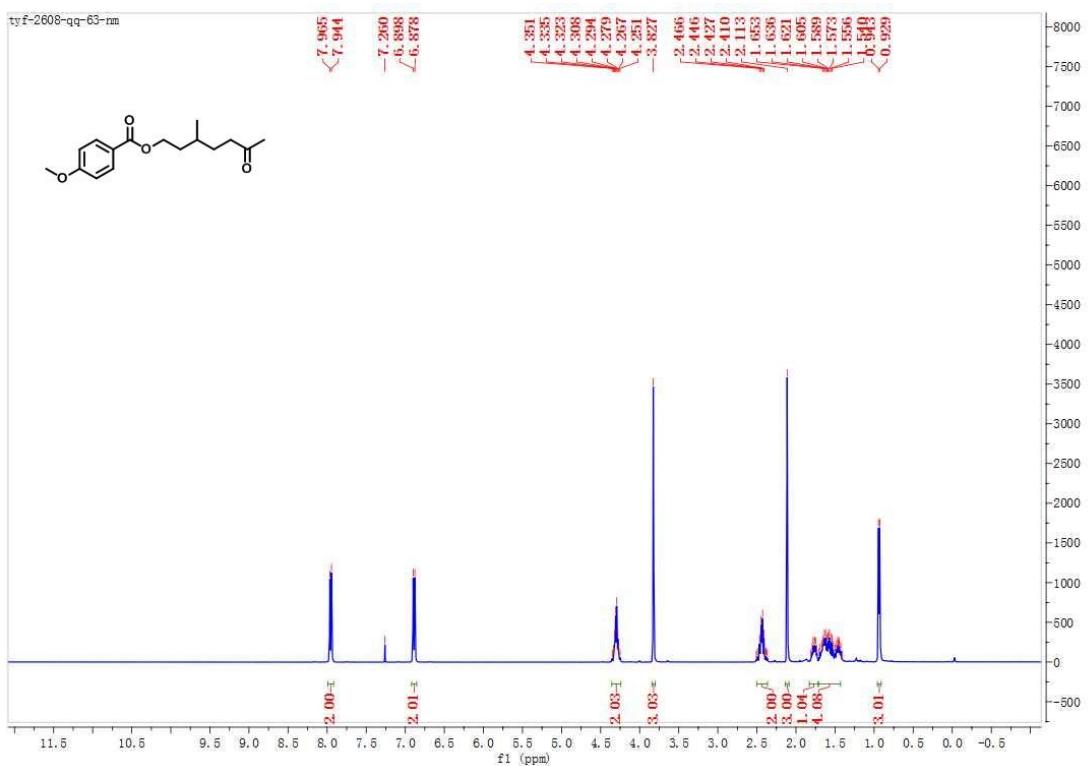
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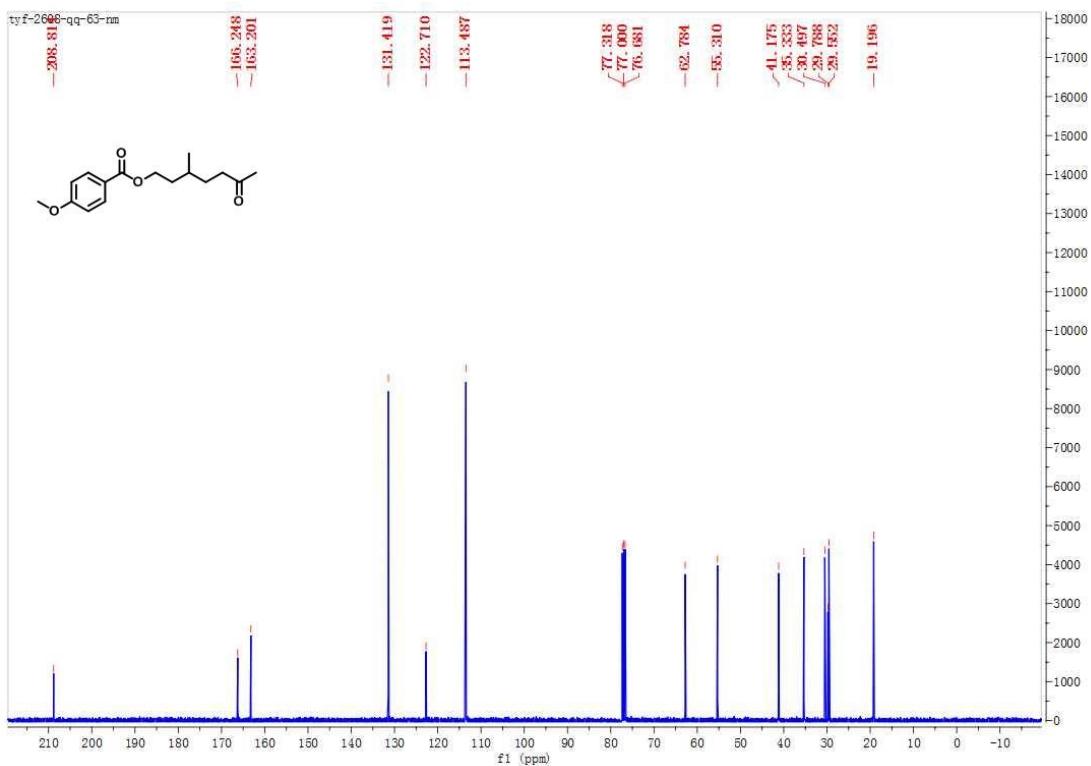
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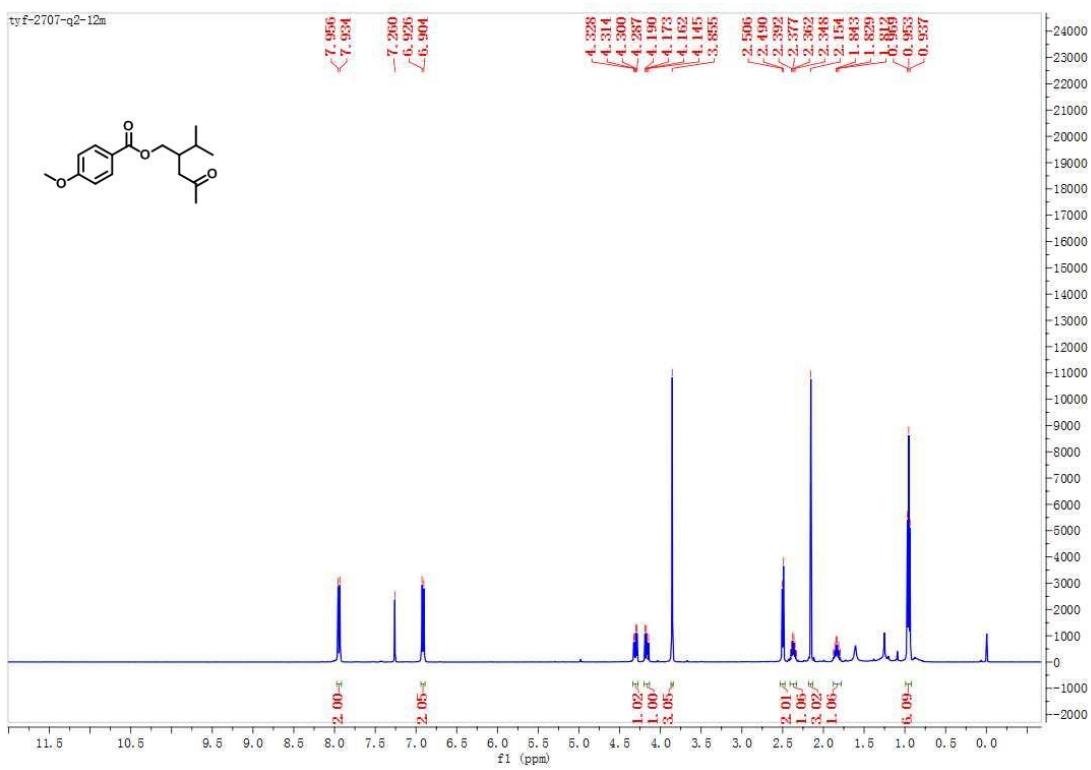
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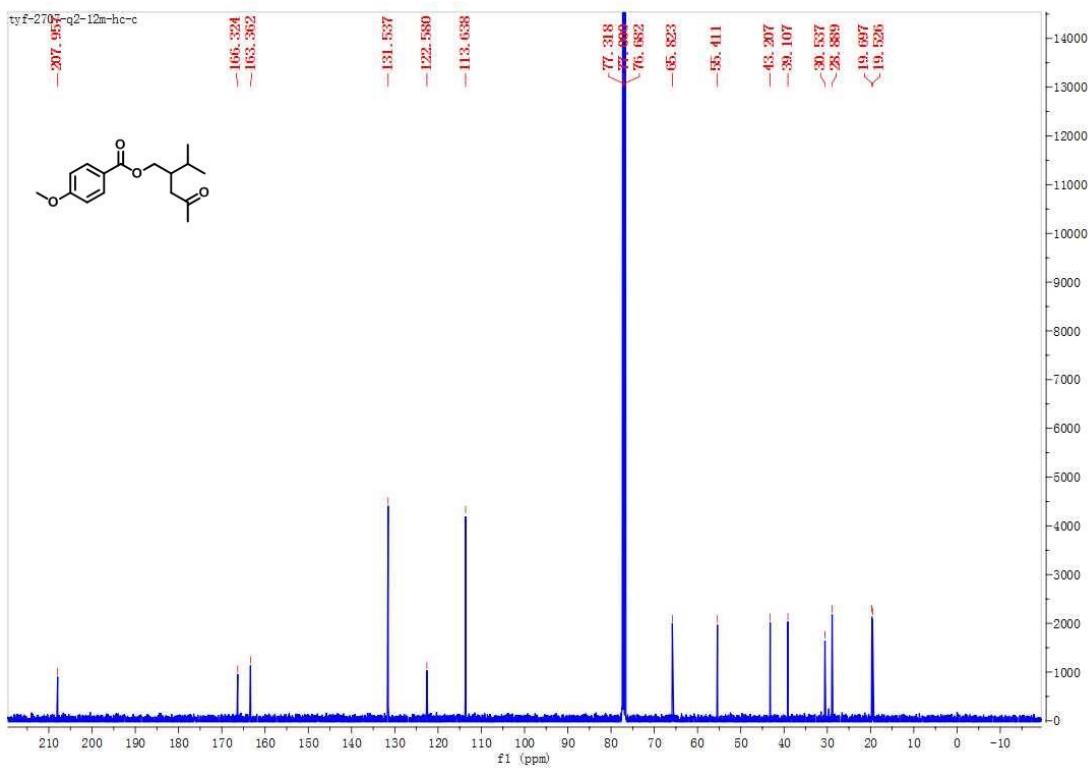
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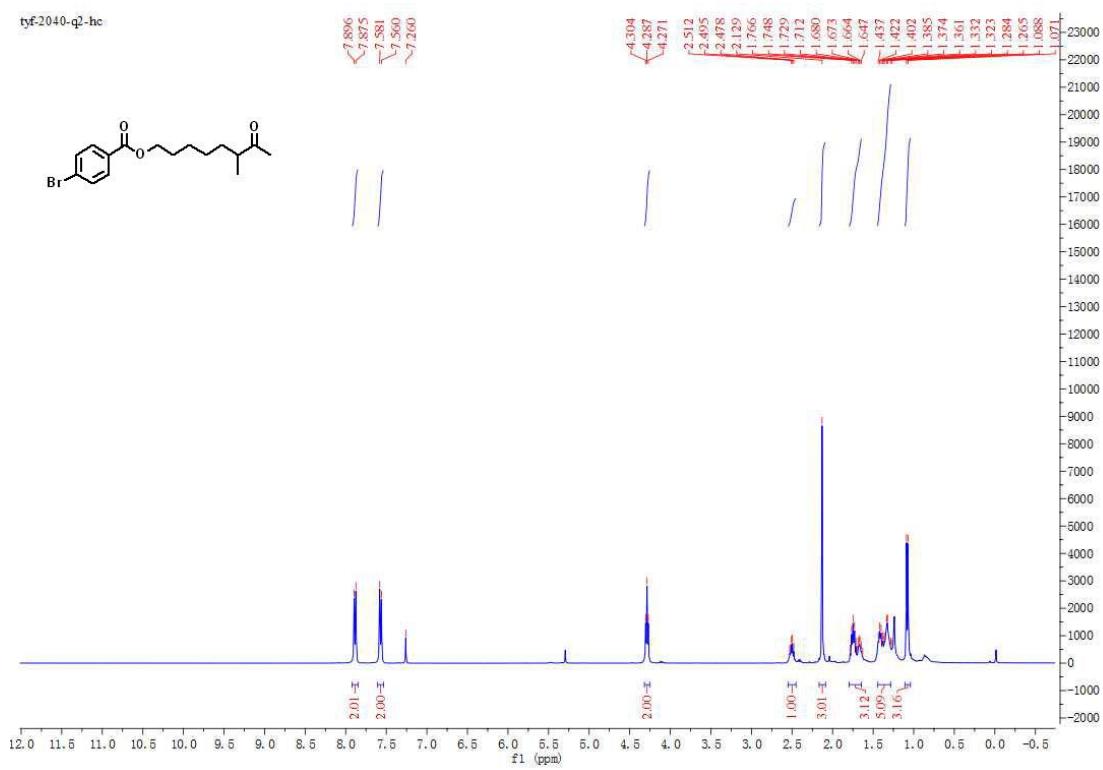
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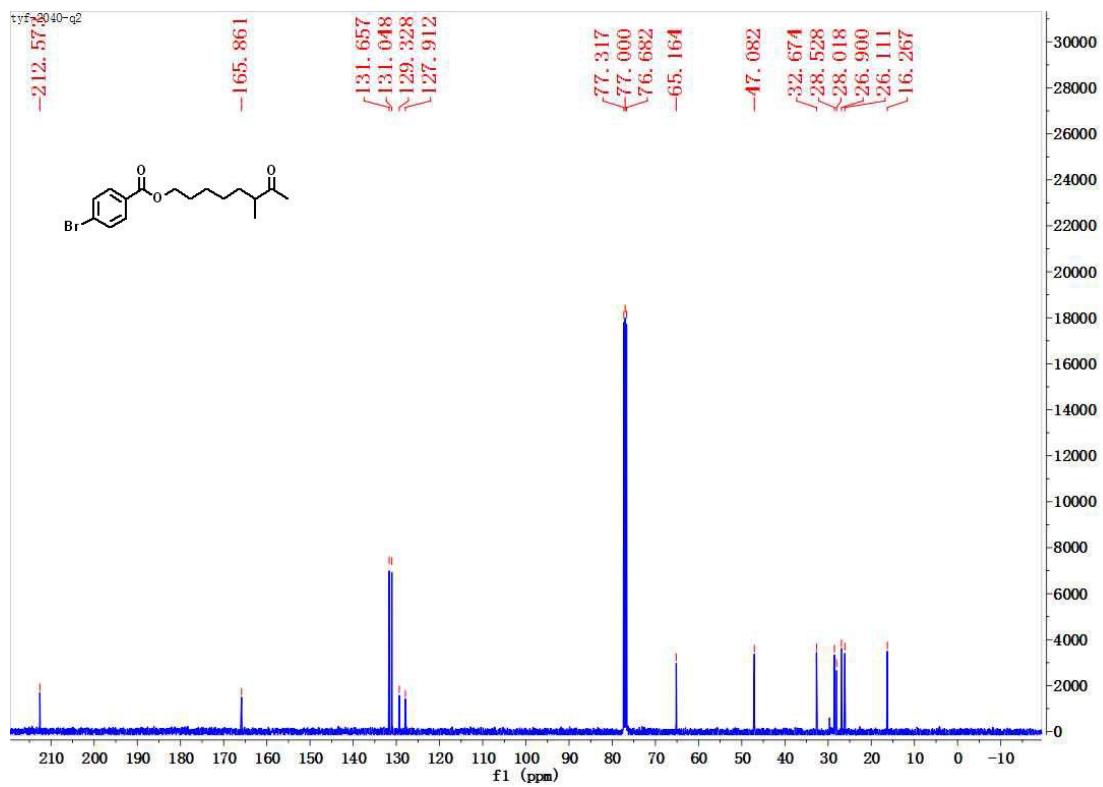
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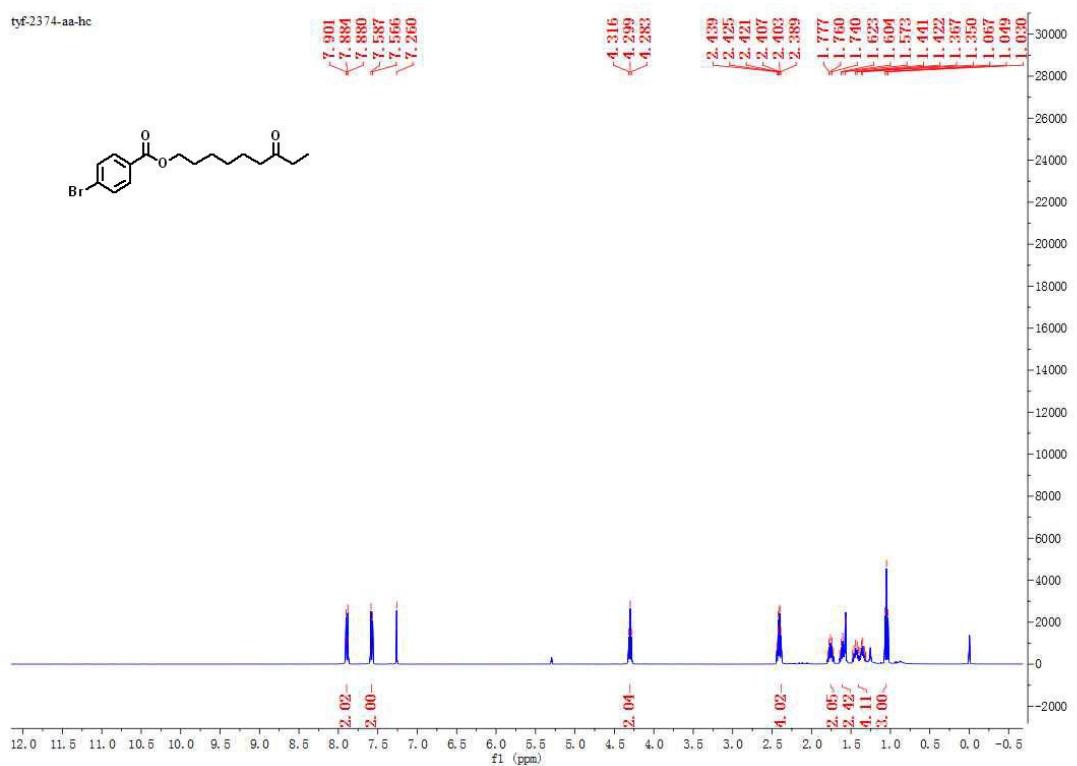
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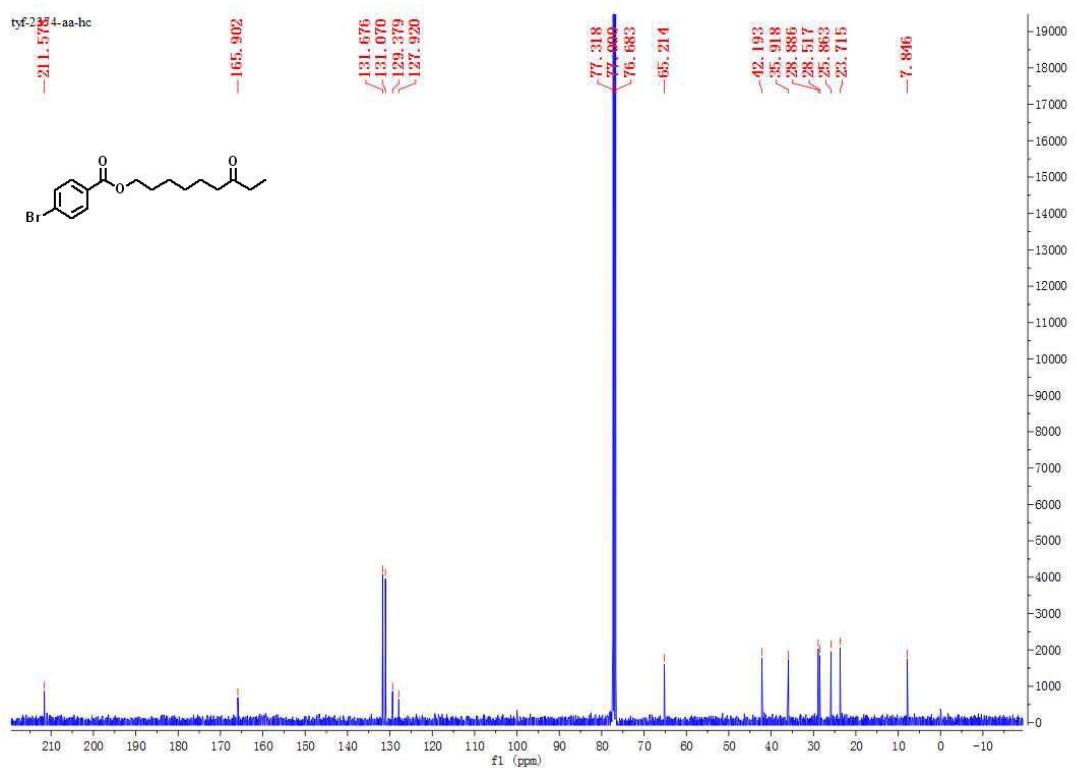
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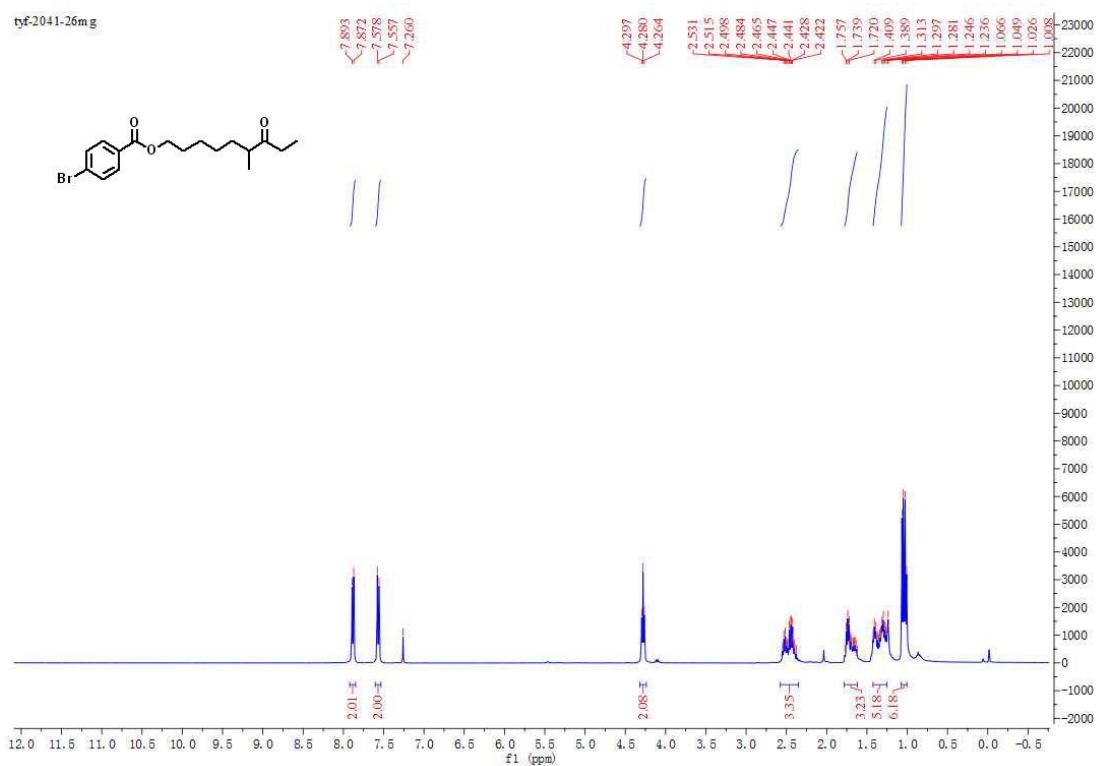
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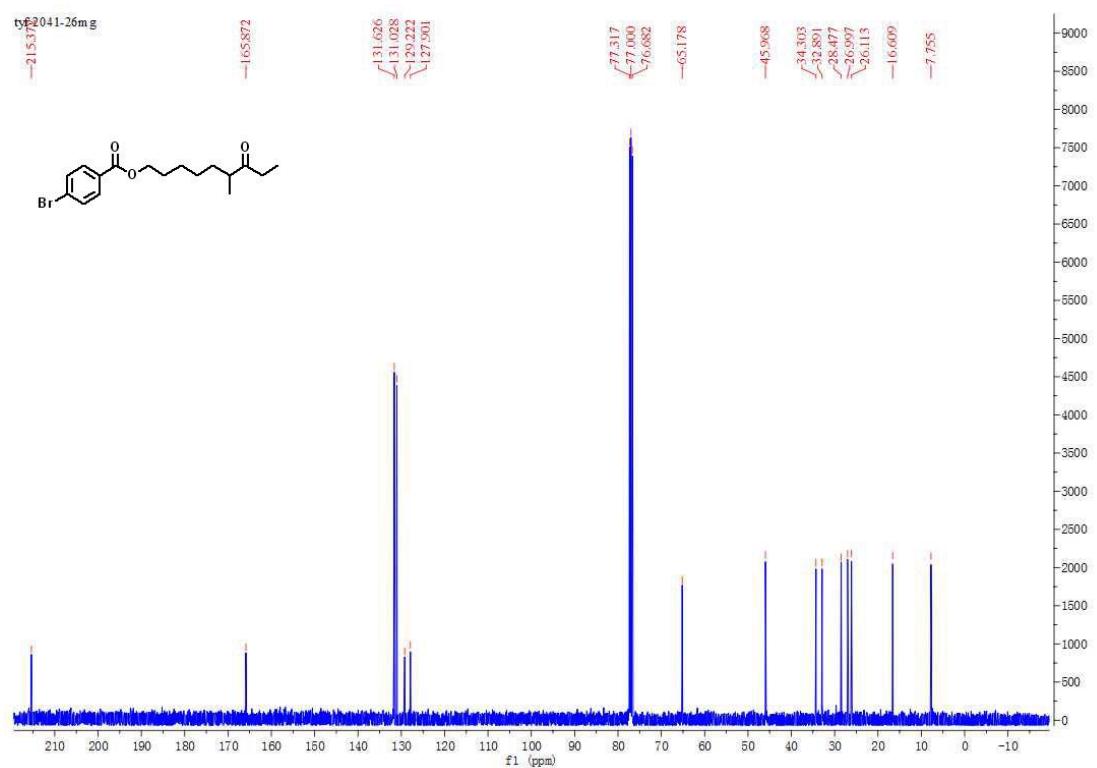
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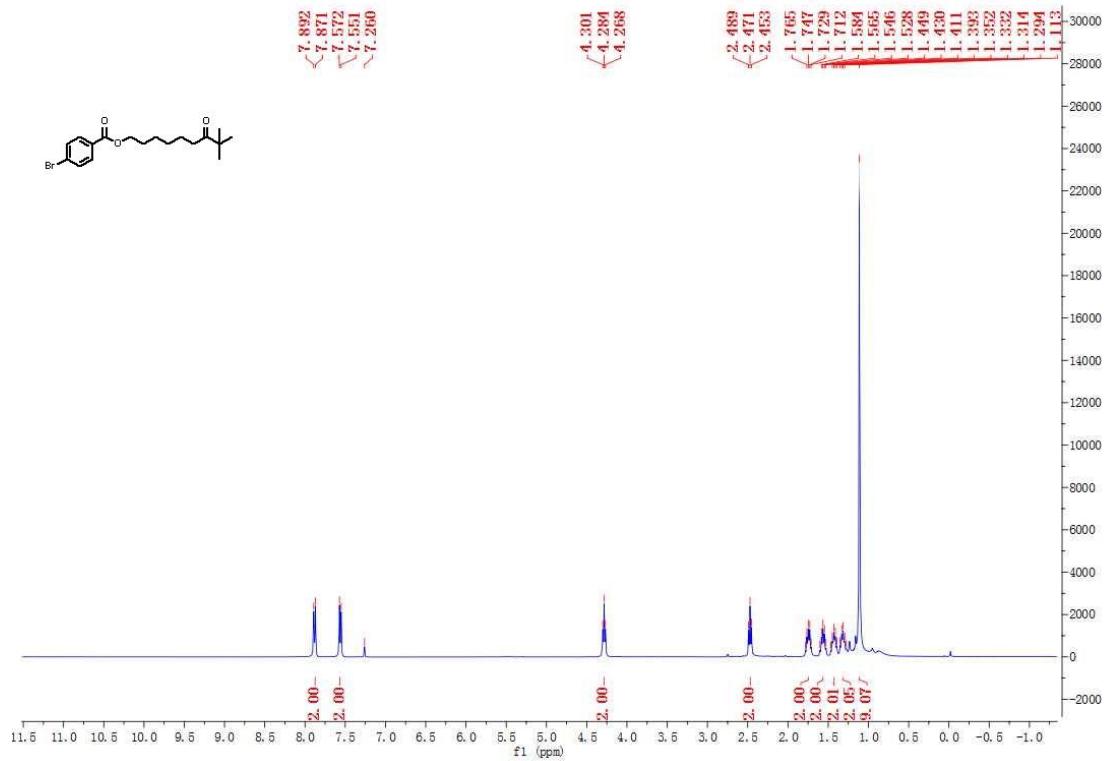
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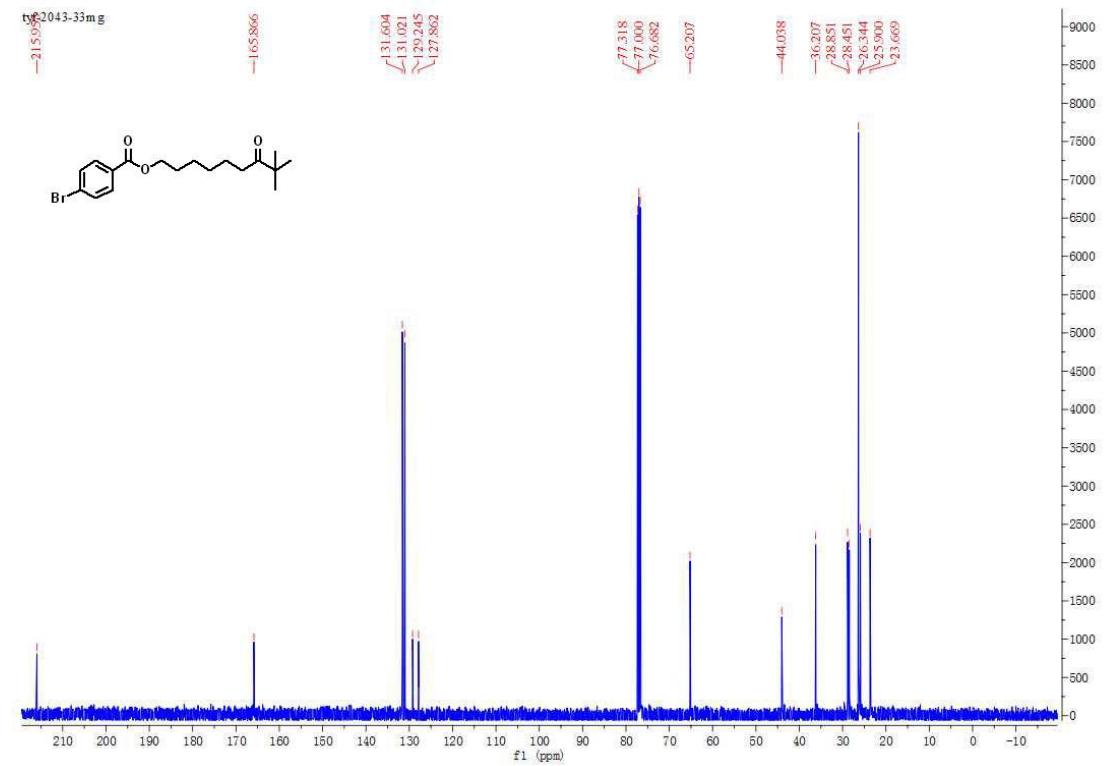
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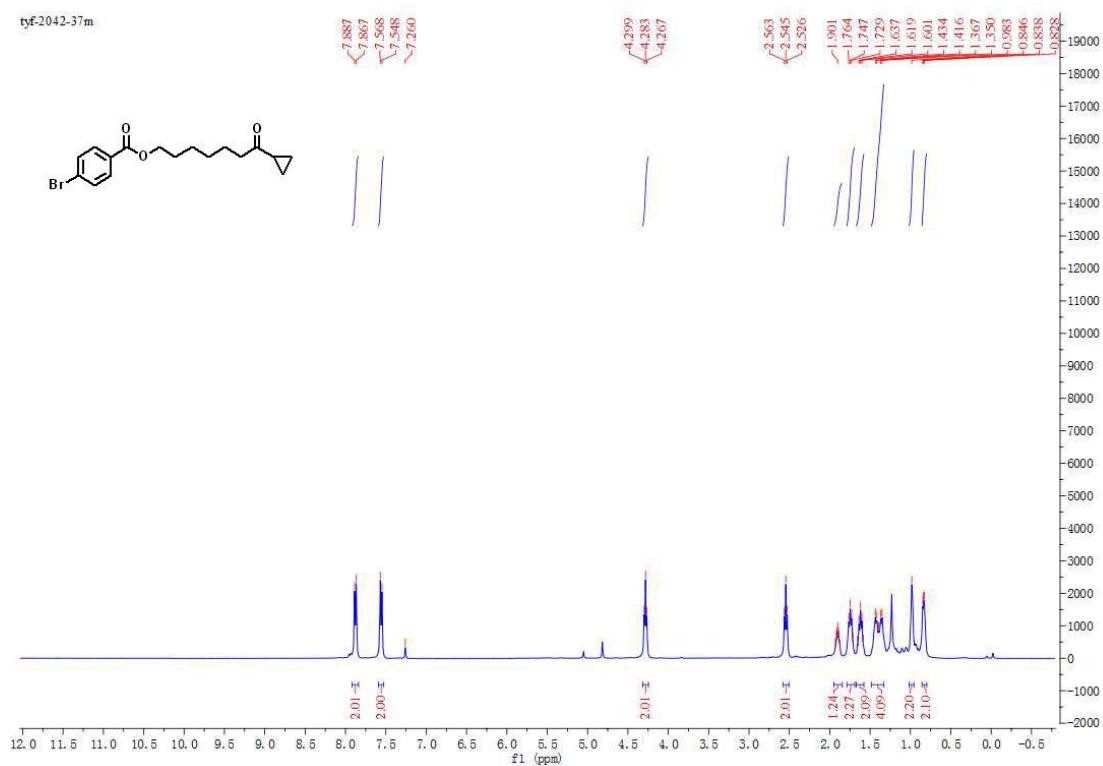
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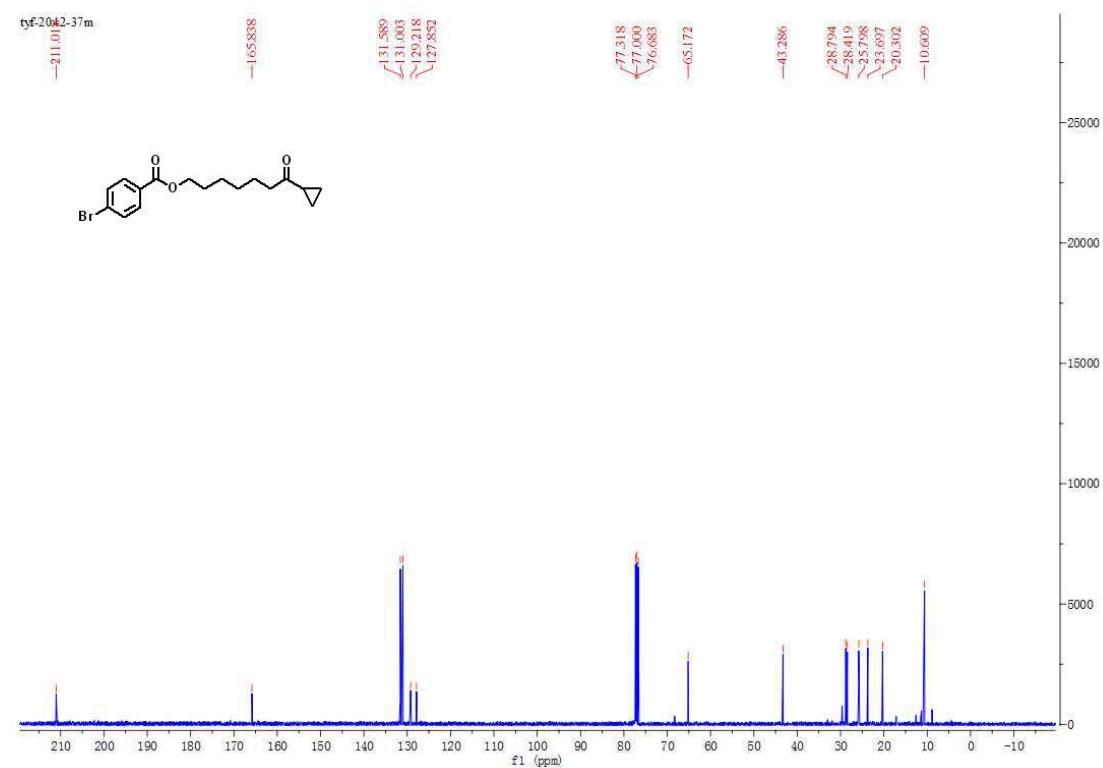
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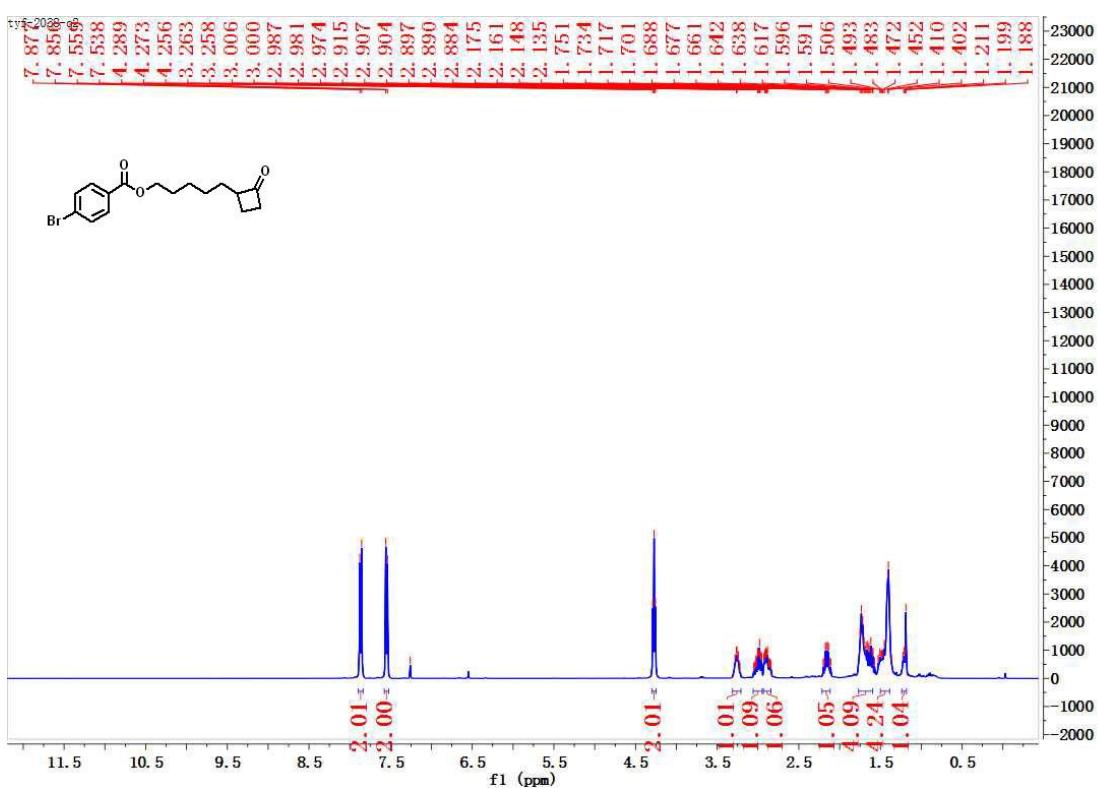
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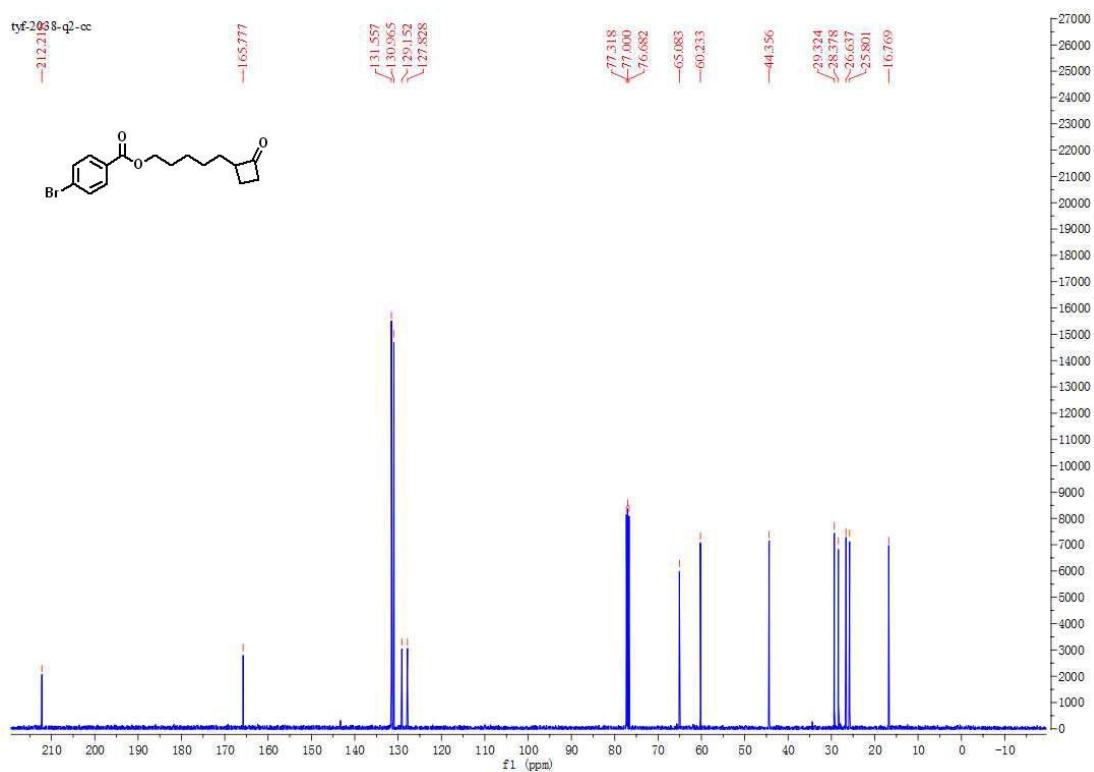
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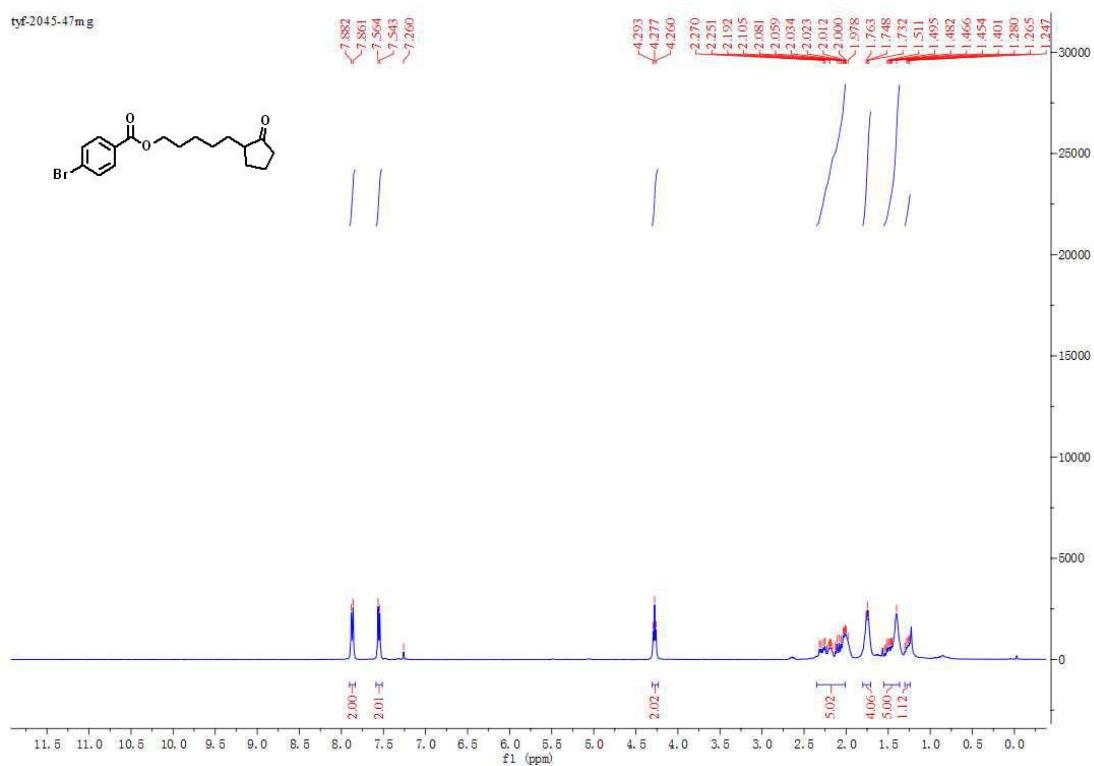
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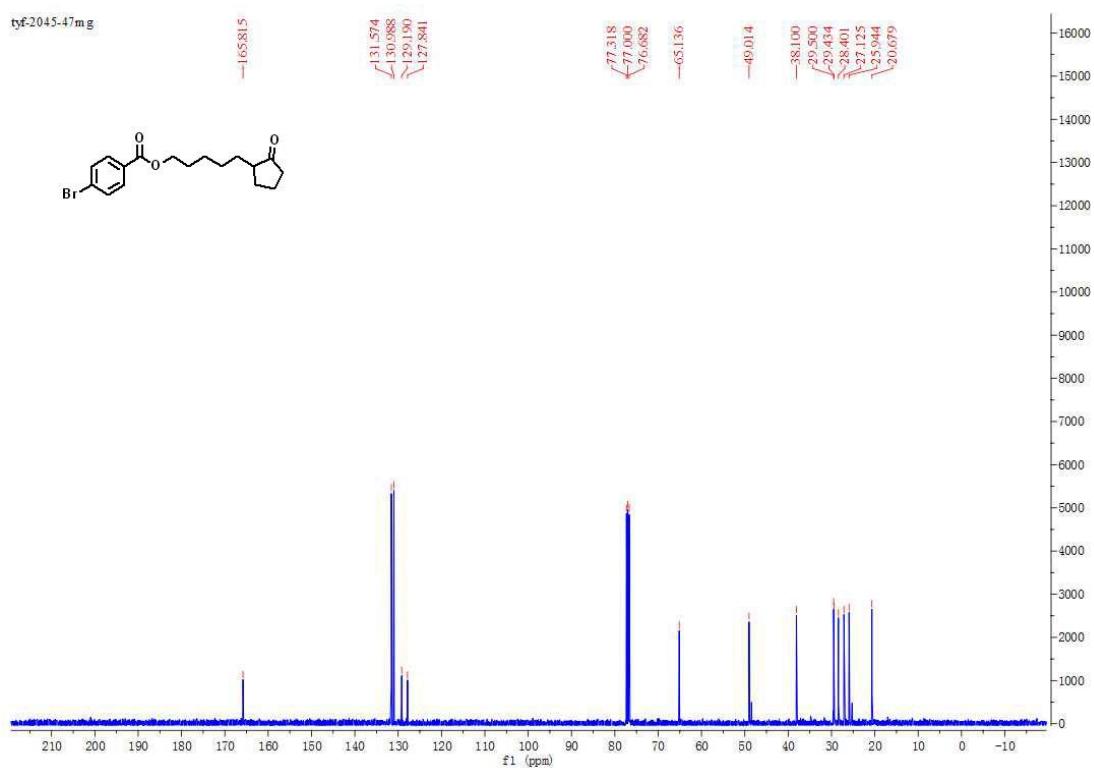
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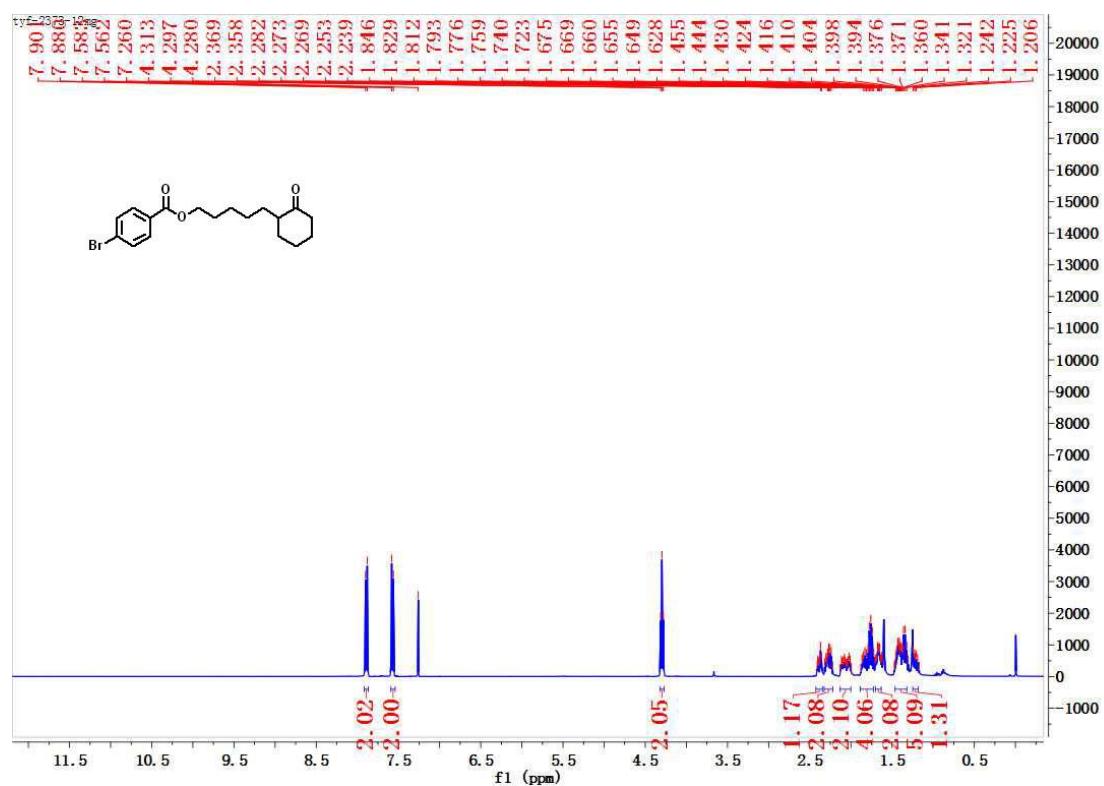
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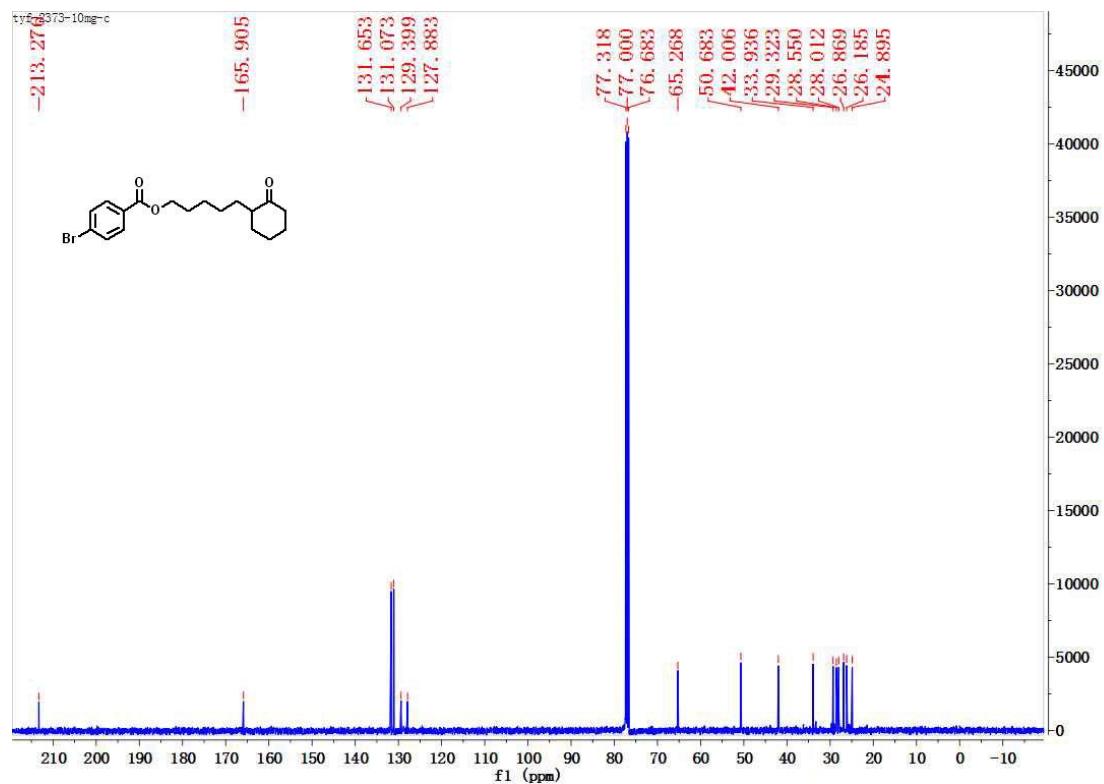
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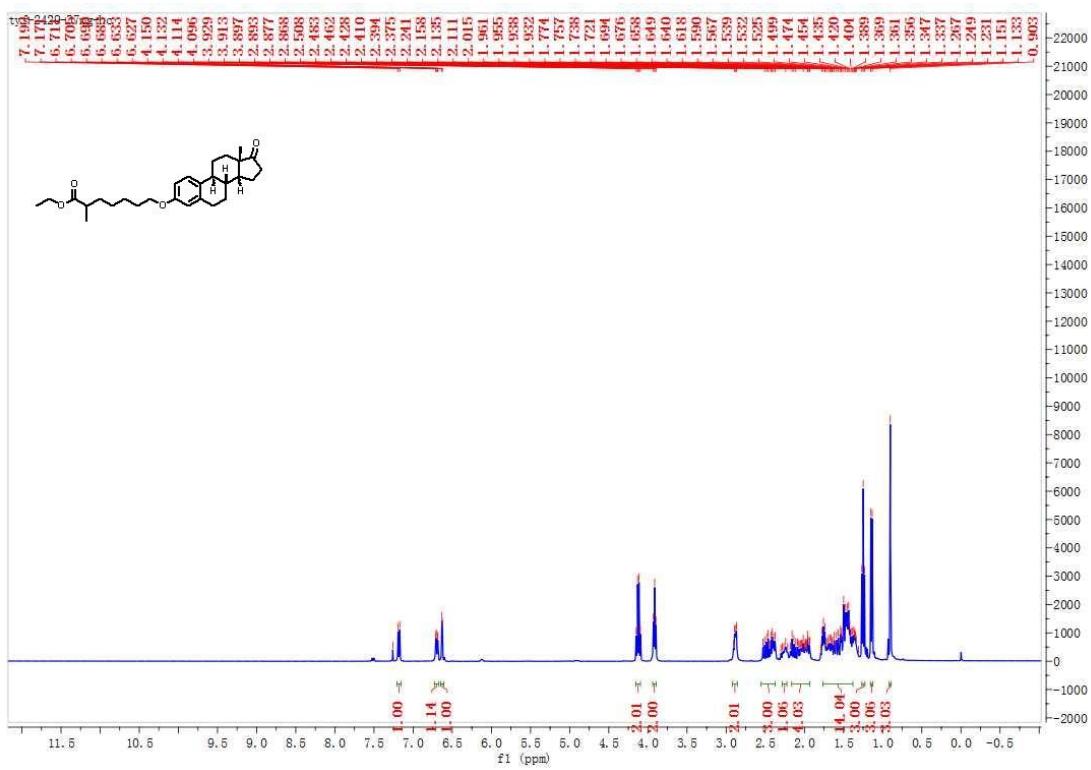
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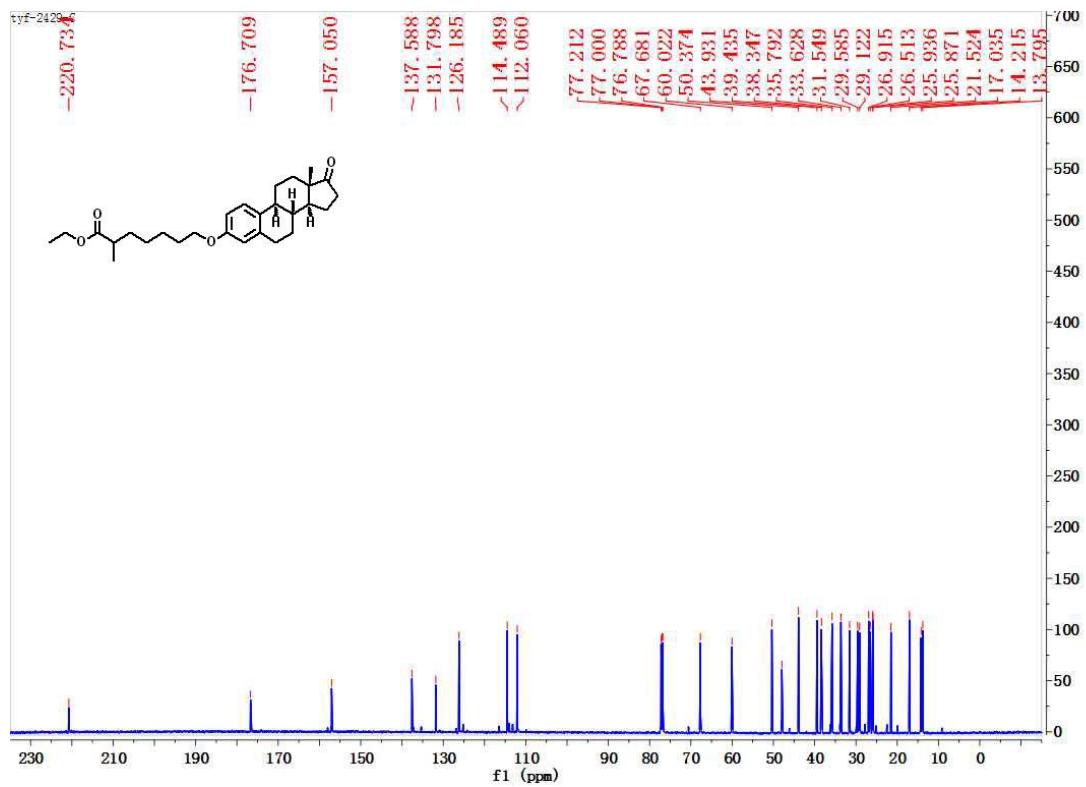
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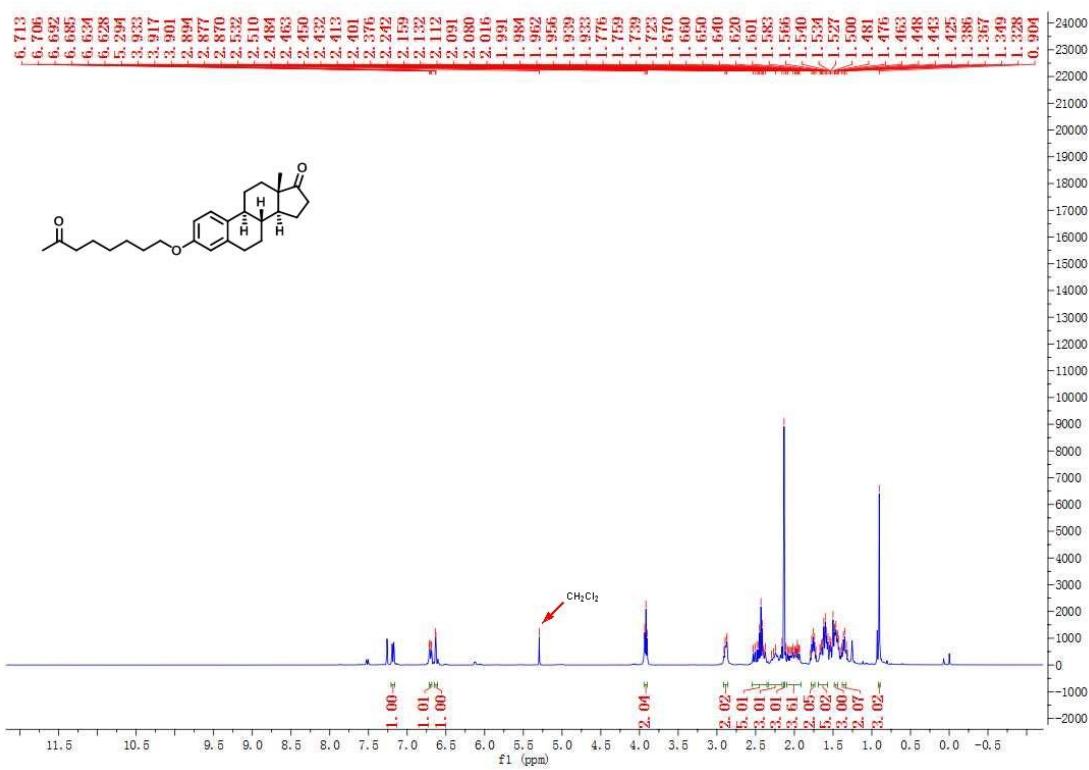
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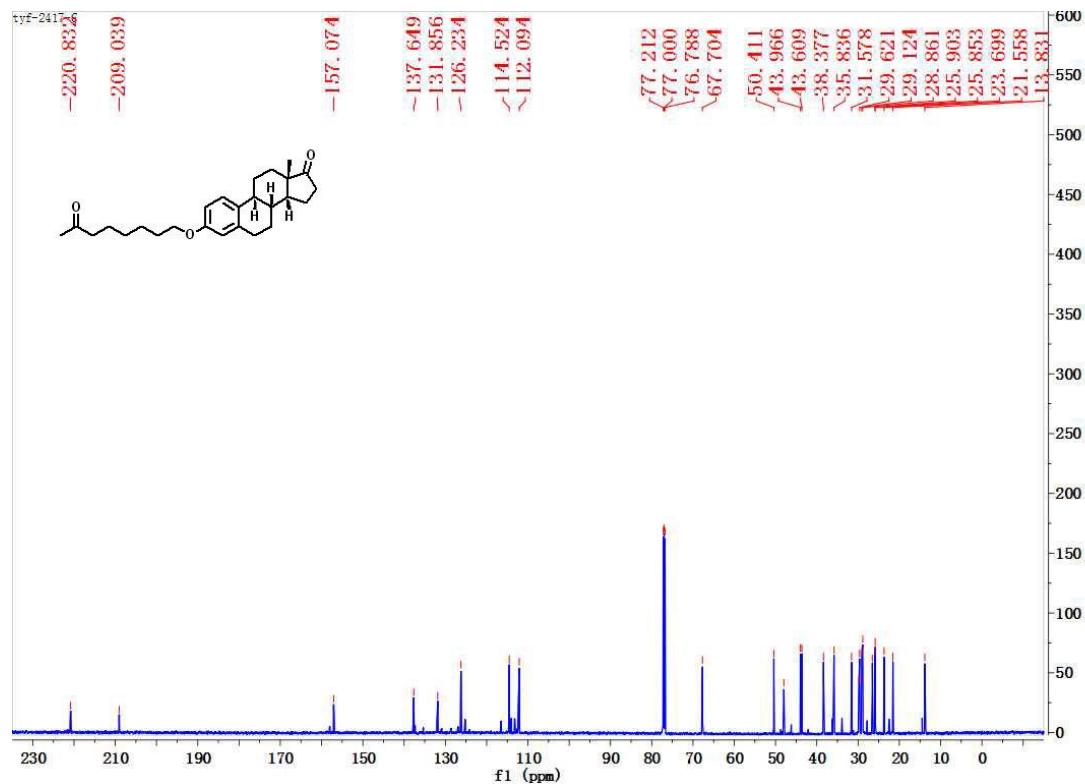
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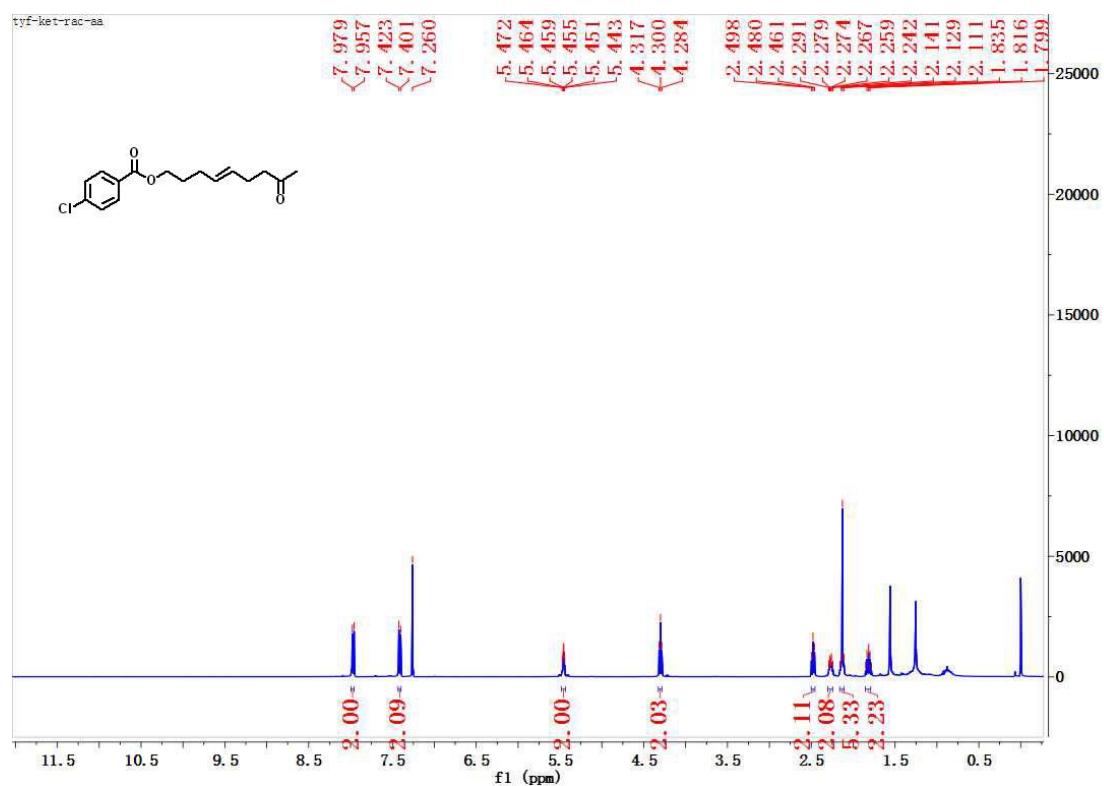
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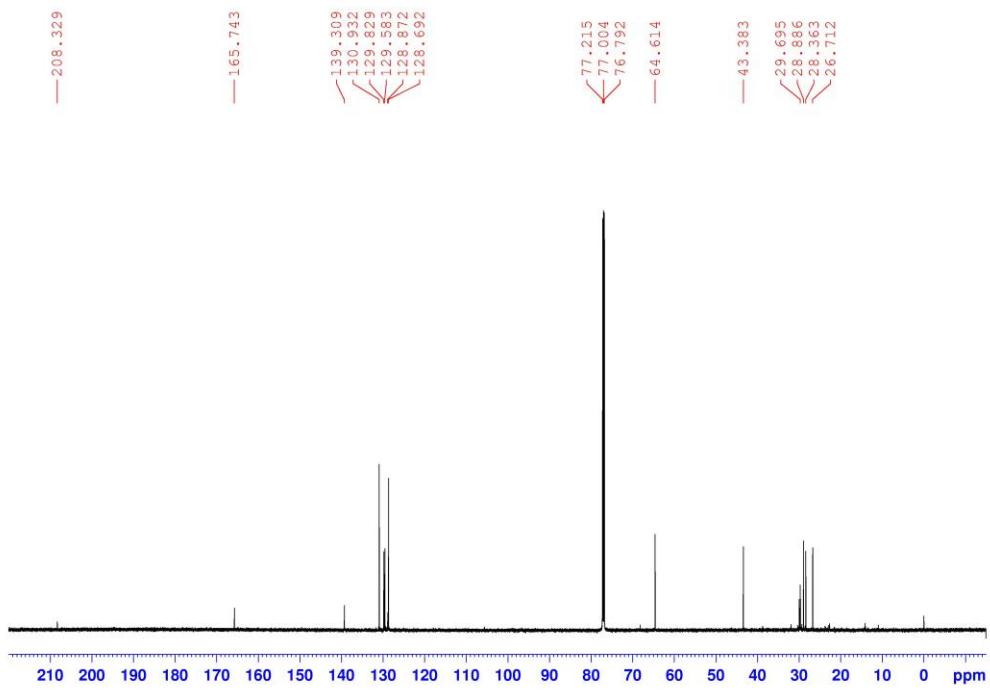
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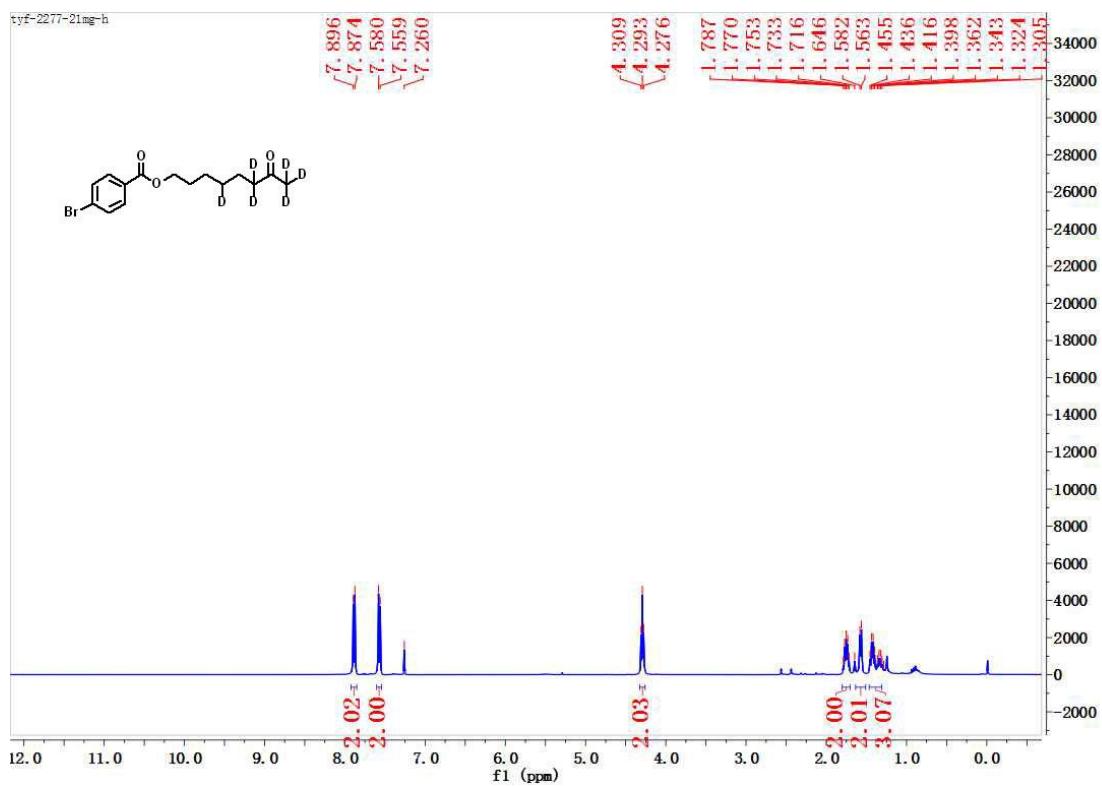
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23b-¹H NMR



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