

## Supporting Information For

# Post-Synthetic Modification of Tryptophan Containing Peptides via NIS Mediation

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## General Conditions

All reactions were run under an inert atmosphere (Ar) with flame-dried glassware using standard techniques for manipulating air-sensitive compounds. 1,4-dioxane were obtained through distillation over Calciumhydride. Commercial reagents were used as supplied or purified by standard techniques where necessary. The dipeptides **1a-1g**, tripeptides **11a-11b** and triazoles **2a-2m** were prepared according to the reported procedures.<sup>22</sup> The tetrapeptide **13** was bought from commercial source. Column chromatography was performed using 200-300 mesh silica with the proper solvent system according to TLC analysis using KMnO<sub>4</sub> stain and UV light to visualize the reaction components. Unless otherwise noted, nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were recorded on 400 MHz spectrometer. NMR data were reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, m = multiplet and bs = broad singlet), coupling constant in Hz and integration. Chemical shifts for <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded in parts per million from tetramethylsilane using the central peak of deuteriochloroform (77.0 ppm), hexadeuterodimethyl sulfoxide (39.5 ppm) as the internal standard. IR spectra were recorded on an FTIR spectrometer (KBr) and reported in reciprocal centimeters (cm<sup>-1</sup>). HRMS data were obtained using ESI ionization. Mp data were measured with micro melting point apparatus. Electronic absorption spectra were obtained on a Shimadzu UV-3600 UV-visible spectrometer; Photoluminescent spectra were recorded with a Hitachi F-4600 luminescence spectrometer with the excitation and emission slit widths at 2.5 nm. Analytical as well as semi-preparative reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatography (RP-HPLC) were performed on a LC3000 Binary chromatography system with a UV3000 UV-VIS Detector. The semi-preparative HPLC was performed with a Daisogel C18 10 μm 100 Å column (10 micron, 250 × 30 mm). The flow was 20 mL/min, with the mobile phase starting from 95% solvent A (0.1% TFA in water) and 5% solvent B (0.1% TFA in acetonitrile) (0–5 min) to 5% solvent A and 95% solvent B at 45 min. Analytical HPLC was performed using the same gradient system, but with a Gemini 5 μm C18 110A column (250 × 10 mm) and flow of 2 mL/min. Ultraviolet (UV) absorbance was monitored at 254 nm.

### General procedure for NIS mediated coupling reaction of dipeptide **1a** with phenyl **NH-1,2,3-triazole 2a**. (Condition A)

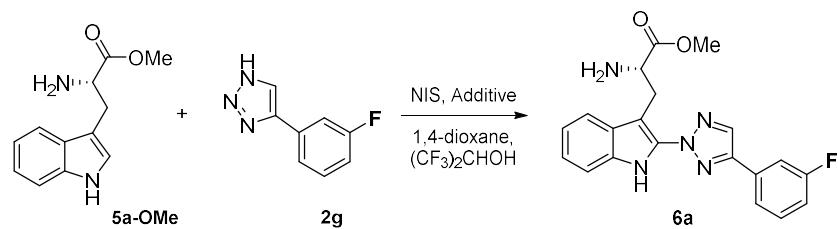
To a solution of peptide **1a** (20 mg, 0.05 mmol), 1,2,3-triazole **2a** (29 mg, 0.2 mmol) and (CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CHOH (0.3 mL) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL), was added dropwise a solution of NIS (*N*-iodosuccinimide, 4 mol equiv) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) in 2 hours. 1 hour later, the reaction mixture was quenched by the addition of saturated aqueous Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> solution (3 mL), then diluted with EtOAc (20 mL). The organic phase was washed with distilled water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.

Concentration of the reaction mixture in vacuum followed by flash column chromatography over SiO<sub>2</sub> (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>3</sub>OH = 50/1 to 10/1) afforded 24 mg **3a** as a colorless oil in 86% yield.

**General procedure for NIS mediated coupling reaction of the esterified trptophan **5a**-OMe with m-fluorophenyl NH-1,2,3-triazole **2g**. (Condition B)**

To a solution of peptide **2g** (20 mg, 0.05 mmol), 1,2,3-triazole **5a**-OMe (29 mg, 0.2 mmol), (CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CHOH (0.3 mL) and BF<sub>3</sub>.Et<sub>2</sub>O (56.25 μL, 4.5 mol equiv) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL), was added dropwise a solution of NIS (2.5 mol equiv) in 1,4-dioxane (0.5 mL) in 2 hours. 1.5 hour later, the reaction mixture was quenched by the addition of saturated aqueous Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> solution (1 mL). Concentration of the reaction mixture in vacuum followed by flash column chromatography over SiO<sub>2</sub> (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>3</sub>OH = 100/1 to 30/1) afforded the crude product, which was then purified through semi-preparative HPLC. The collected fractions were combined and lyophilized to give a fluffy white powder **6a** (14.6 mg, yield 77%); {HPLC condition: Daisogel C-18 10 μm 100 Å column (10 micron, 250 × 30 mm), 30×250 mm, flow: 20 mL/min; linear gradient : 2.25 % CH<sub>3</sub>CN (containing 1% CF<sub>3</sub>COOH) increased per minute; wavelength: 300 nm}.

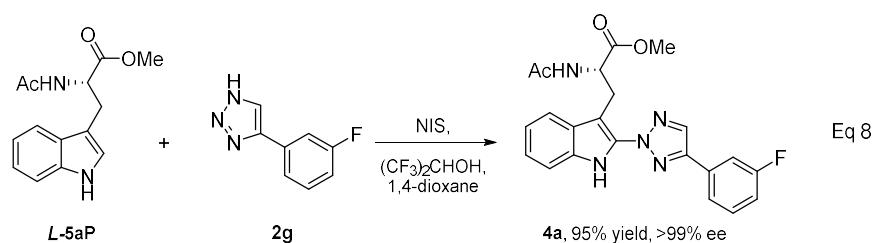
**Table 1:** Optimization studies of the NIS mediated Coupling reaction of peptide **5a-OMe** with triazole **2g**.<sup>a</sup>



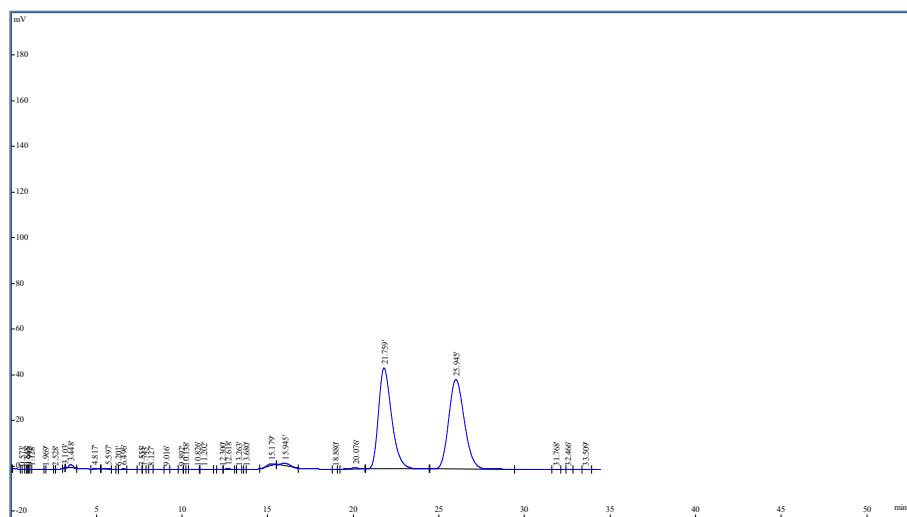
Entry	Additive	Volume [mL]	Time [h]	yield [%] <sup>b</sup>
1			1	trace
2	HCl(4M) <sup>c</sup>	0.25	1	<5%
3	CF <sub>3</sub> COOH	0.25	1	trace
4	CF <sub>3</sub> SO <sub>3</sub> H	0.25	1	<5%
5	BF <sub>3</sub> .Et <sub>2</sub> O	0.025	1	34
6	BF <sub>3</sub> .Et <sub>2</sub> O	0.056	1	72
7	BF <sub>3</sub> .Et <sub>2</sub> O	0.056	1.5	77
<sup>a</sup> 8 <sup>d</sup>	BF <sub>3</sub> .Et <sub>2</sub> O	0.056	1.5	trace

Unless noted, all reactions were carried out at 0.05 mmol scale in 2 mL 1,4-dioxane at rt with the addition of 2.5 mol equiv of NIS, 0.3 mL (CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CHOH (the ratio of **5a-OMe/2g** = 1/4). <sup>b</sup> Unless noted, the reaction yields were determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectral data of the crude products. <sup>c</sup> 4M HCl solution in 1,4-dioxane. <sup>d</sup> no (CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CHOH was added.

Racemization test experiment for the reaction of **L-5aP** with **2g**.



Racemic-4a's HPLC spectrum.



## **The absorption and emission spectra of products<sup>1</sup>**

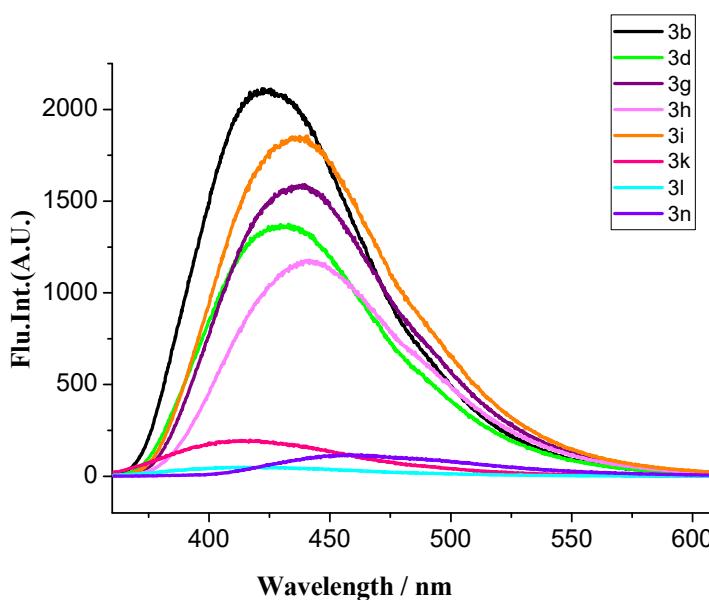
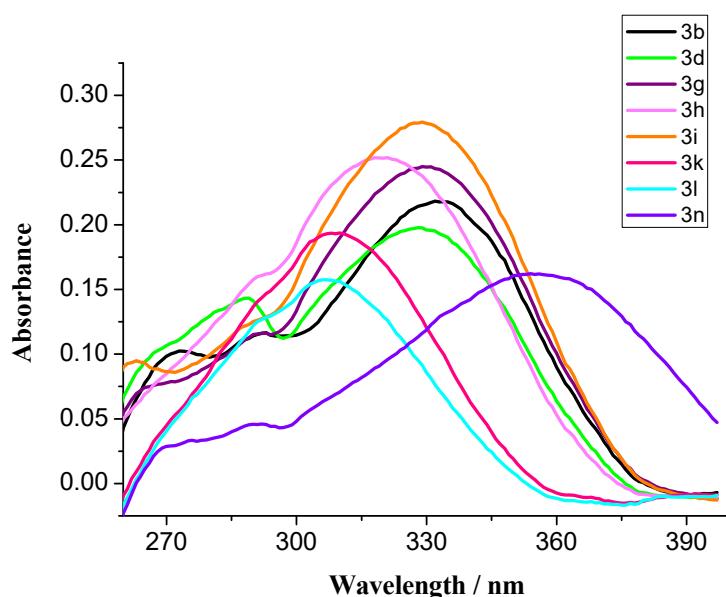
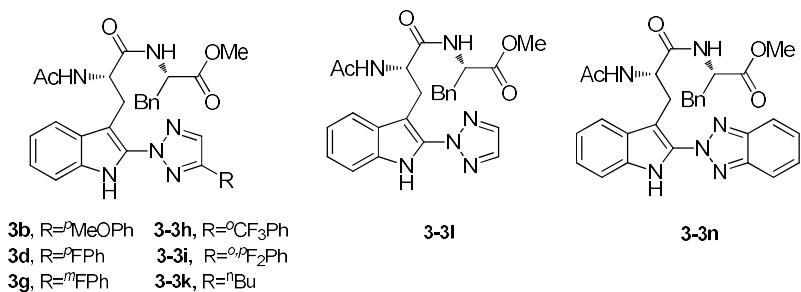
### **For the method to determine the fluorescence quantum yield:**

Fluorescence quantum yield was determined in DMF using optically matching solutions of 9,10-Diphenylanthracene ( $\Phi_f = 0.95$  in cyclohexane) as standard at an excitation wavelength of 350 nm and the quantum yield was calculated using the following equation:

$$\Phi_f = \Phi_r (A_r F_s / A_s F_r) (n_s^2 / n_r^2)$$

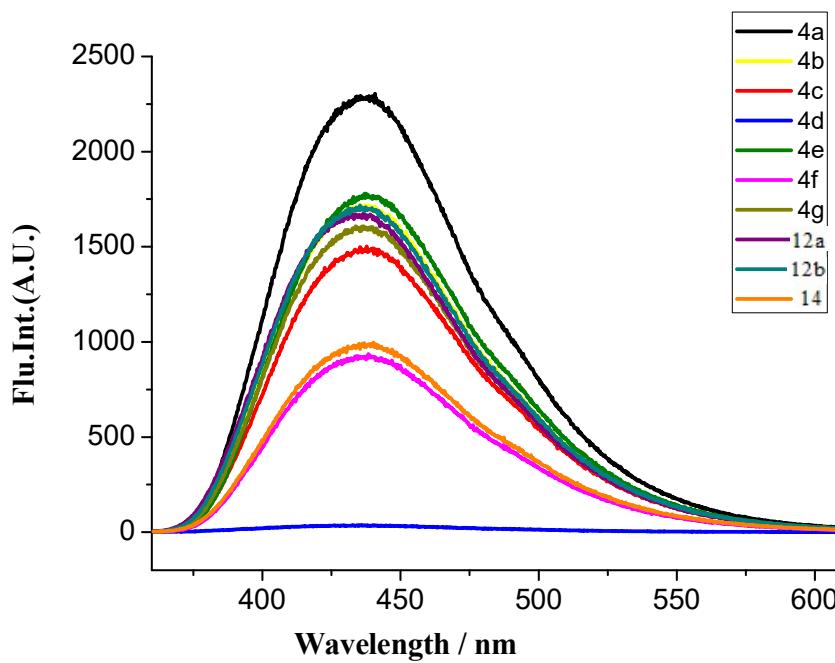
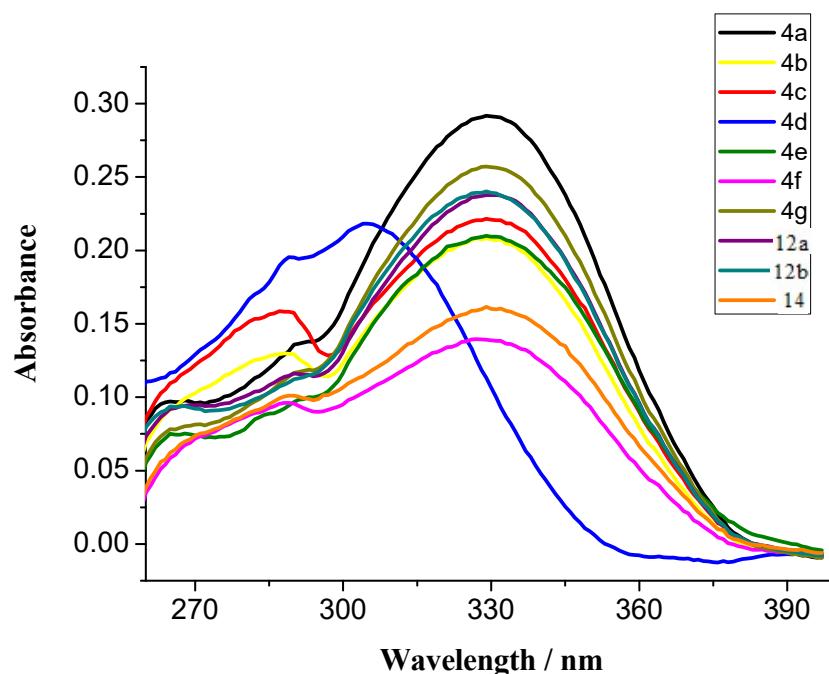
where, As and Ar are the absorbance of the sample and the reference, respectively, at the same excitation wavelength, Fs and Fr are the corresponding relative integrated fluorescence intensities, and n is the refractive index of the solvent.

The absorption and emission spectra of products **3(b, d, g, h, I, k, l, n)**:



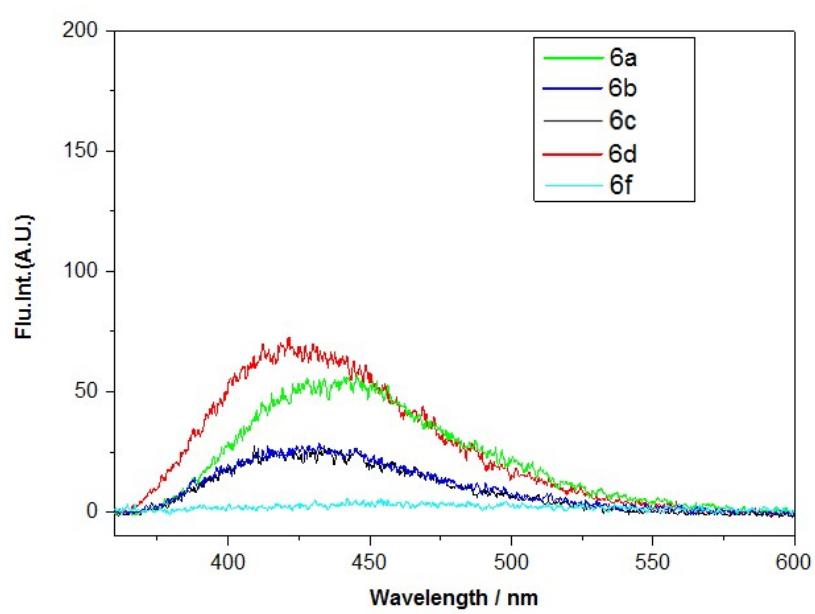
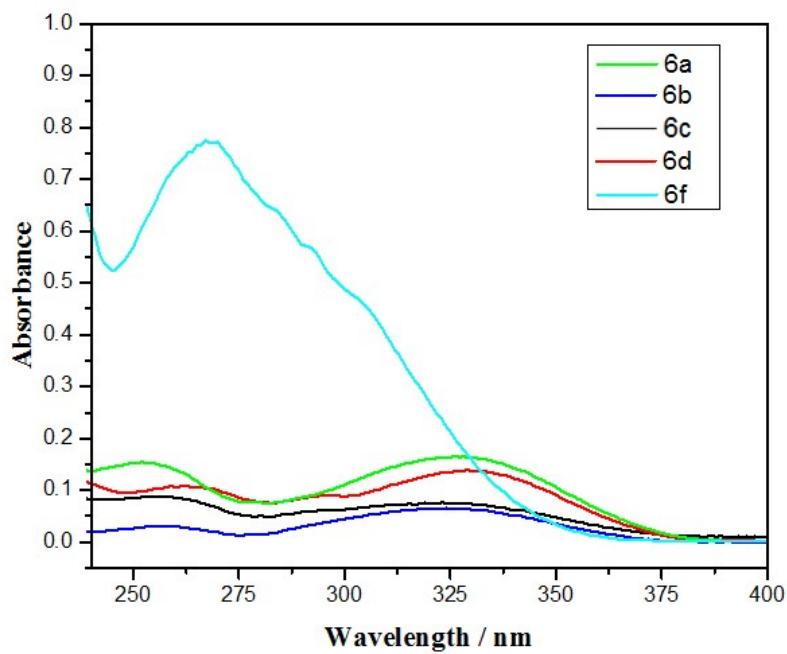
Sample preparation:  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , with 2.5 nm slit.

The absorption and emission spectra of products 4(a-g)、12(a-b)、14:



Sample preparation:  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , with 2.5 slit.

The absorption and emission spectra of products **6a**, **6b**, **6c**, **6d**, **6f**



Sample preparation:  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L in CH<sub>3</sub>OH, with 2.5 slit.

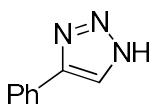
Table 2. Fluorescence quantum yield of products (DMF as solvent)

Entry	$\Phi_f$
<b>3a</b>	0.69
<b>3b</b>	0.78
<b>3c</b>	0.69
<b>3d</b>	0.63
<b>3e</b>	0.30
<b>3f</b>	0.47
<b>3g</b>	0.41
<b>3h</b>	0.44
<b>3i</b>	0.57
<b>3j</b>	0.58
<b>3k</b>	0.32
<b>3l</b>	0.13
<b>3m</b>	0.09
<b>3n</b>	0.03
<b>4a</b>	0.63
<b>4b</b>	0.57
<b>4c</b>	0.38
<b>4d</b>	0.10
<b>4e</b>	0.57
<b>4f</b>	0.39
<b>4g</b>	0.42
<b>12a</b>	0.57
<b>12b</b>	0.56
<b>14</b>	0.31

Table 3. Fluorescence quantum yield of products **3b** and **12a** in different solvents.

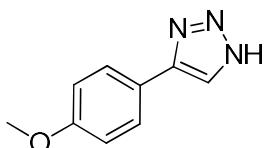
Solvent	Fluorescence quantum	Fluorescence quantum
	yield $\Phi_f(\text{3b})$	yield $\Phi_f(\text{12a})$
H <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.18
HOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	0.33	0.12
Petroleum ether	0.67	0.48
THF	0.55	0.21
CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	0.38	0.13
CH <sub>3</sub> CN	0.32	0.25
EtOAc	0.56	0.45
CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	0.71	0.41
CH <sub>3</sub> OH	0.22	0.05
<sup>i</sup> PrOH	0.29	0.07
Acetone	0.23	0.26
Toluene	0.60	0.22
1,4-Dioxane	0.53	0.41
Cyclohexanol	0.52	0.27
Cyclohexane	0.88	0.60
DMSO	0.47	0.37

## Characterization Data:



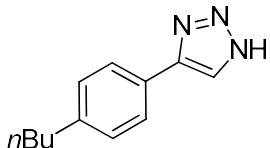
### 4-Phenyl-1H-1,2,3-triazole 2a:<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 8.34 (s, 1H), 7.89 (d, *J* = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.3Hz, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 146.5, 143.4, 131.1, 129.4, 128.6, 126.0.



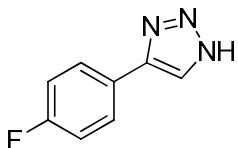
### 4-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole 2b:<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 7.99 (s, 1H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 7.6Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 7.8Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 160.1, 145.1, 144.1, 126.9, 122.1, 114.0, 54.3.



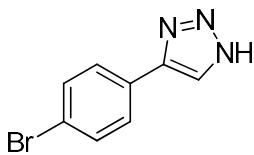
### 4-(4-Butylphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole 2c:<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 8.00 (s, 1H), 7.65 (d, *J* = 8.0Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.0Hz, 2H), 2.50 (t, *J* = 7.6Hz, 2H), 1.52-1.45 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.20 (m, 2H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 7.3Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 145.6, 143.2, 128.7, 128.4, 127.0, 125.6, 35.0, 33.3, 22.0, 13.0.



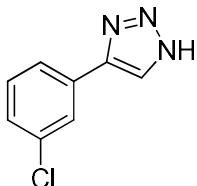
### 4-(4-Fluorophenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole 2d:<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 8.33(s, 1H), 7.91 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 5.6Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 8.8Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 162.4 (d, *J* = 243.3Hz), 145.5, 130.3, 128.0 (d, *J* = 7.7Hz), 127.6, 116.3 (d, *J* = 21.5Hz).



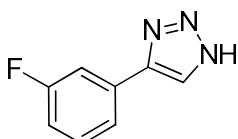
**4-(4-bromophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2e:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 8.38(s, 1H), 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.3Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.3Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 144.9, 132.3, 130.2, 128.0, 121.6.



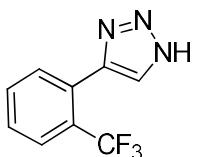
**4-(3-Chlorophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2f:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 8.44(s, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d, *J* = 7.7Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.9Hz, 1H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 8.1Hz, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO): δ 144.9, 134.2, 133.0, 131.3, 129.4, 128.3, 125.6, 124.5.



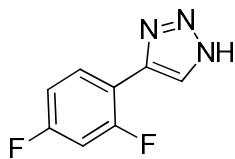
**4-(3-Fluorophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2g:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 8.15(s, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 7.6Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.8Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.05 -7.01 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 163.2 (d, *J* = 242.9Hz), 145.2, 132.4, 130.4 (d, *J* = 8.4Hz), 126.7, 121.3, 114.6 (d, *J* = 21.3Hz), 112.2 (d, *J* = 21.2Hz).



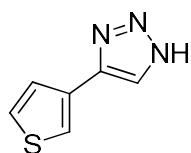
**4-(2-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2h:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.78 (m, 1H), 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.56 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD): δ 143.1, 131.9, 129.1, 128.7, 128.3 (d, *J* = 30.4 Hz), 127.7 (d, *J* = 30.1Hz), 125.9 (dd, *J* = 10.7, 5.3Hz), 124.1(d, *J* = 271.1Hz), 120.0;



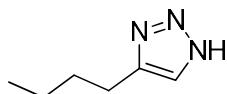
**4-(2,4-Difluorophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2i:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.00(s, 1H), 7.97-7.93 (m, 1H), 6.98-6.94 (m, 2H);  
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  162.7 (dd, *J* = 247.9, 12.3Hz), 159.5 (dd, *J* = 249.1, 11.5Hz), 139.3, 128.9, 127.2, 114.5, 111.5 (d, *J* = 21.6Hz), 103.8 (t, *J* = 25.9Hz).



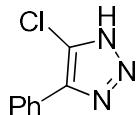
**4-(Thiophen-3-yl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2j:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.01 (s, 1H), 7.75-7.74 (m, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H);  
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  141.7, 130.8, 126.3, 125.5, 121.4.



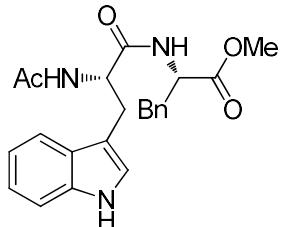
**4-Butyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2k:**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.51 (s, 1H), 2.75 (t, *J* = 7.6Hz, 2 H), 1.71-1.64 (m, 2H), 1.42-1.36 (m, 2H), 0.94 (t, *J* = 7.4Hz, 3H);  
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  144.0, 128.0, 31.1, 23.6, 21.9, 12.9.



**5-Chloro-4-phenyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole 2m:**<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  7.84 (d, *J* = 7.3Hz, 2H), 7.45(t, *J* = 7.1Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 7.2Hz, 1H);  
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  139.5, 132.3 128.6, 128.4, 127.9, 126.6.

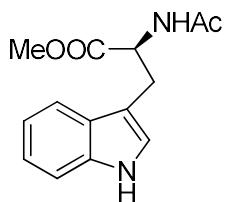


**(S)-Methyl**

**2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(1*H*-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenyl**

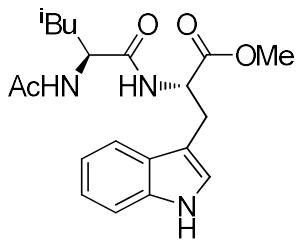
**propanoate 1a:**<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.58 (br, 1H), 7.64 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.17-7.14 (m, 4H), 7.08 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 6.91-6.89 (m, 2H), 6.57 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.52 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (q,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.69 (q,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.24 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.99 (dd,  $J$  = 13.8 Hz, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 2.90 (dd,  $J$  = 13.8 Hz, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 1.89 (s, 9H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  171.4, 171.2, 170.3, 136.2, 135.6, 129.2, 128.5, 127.5, 127.0, 123.5, 122.0, 119.6, 118.7, 111.4, 110.2, 53.8, 53.5, 52.3, 37.8, 28.2, 23.1.



**(S)-Methyl 2-acetamido-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 1b:**<sup>4</sup>

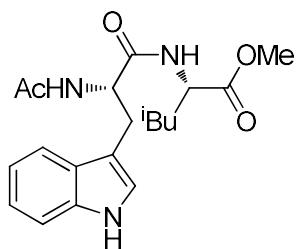
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  10.90 (br, 1H), 8.36 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (br, 1H), 7.09 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.57-4.51 (m, 1H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.18 (dd,  $J$  = 13.9 Hz, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (dd,  $J$  = 14.5 Hz, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 1.84 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  173.0, 169.9, 136.5, 127.5, 124.1, 121.4, 118.9, 118.4, 111.9, 109.9, 53.6, 52.2, 27.6, 22.7.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-4-methylpentanamido)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 1c:**<sup>5</sup>

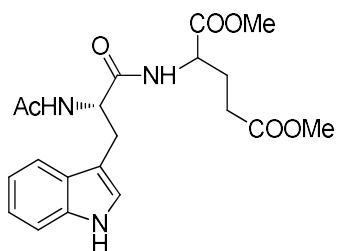
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  7.51 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.75-4.71 (m, 1H), 4.23 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.27 (d,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.17 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.84-1.76 (m, 1H), 1.51-1.45 (m, 1H), 1.16-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.88 (t,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  172.4, 172.3, 171.7, 136.5, 127.2, 123.2, 121.0,

118.4, 117.7, 110.8, 109.1, 57.7, 53.4, 51.2, 36.6, 27.0, 24.4, 21.0, 14.3, 9.9.



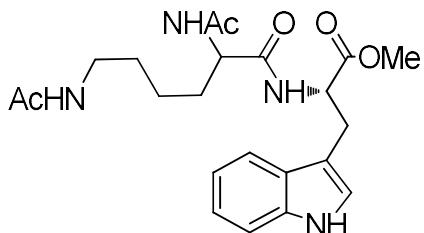
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-methylpentanoate 1d:**<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (major) 8.32 (br, 1H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (t, *J* = 7.16 Hz, 1H), 7.13-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.45 (d, *J* = 7.52 Hz, 1H), 6.38-6.33 (m, 1H), 4.82-4.77 (m, 1H), 4.42-4.36 (m, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.31-3.26 (m, 1H), 3.17-3.11 (m, 1H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.75 (br, 1H), 1.32-1.25 (m, 1H), 1.05-0.96 (m, 1H), 0.85-0.81 (m, 2H), 0.77 (s, 3H), 0.60 (d, *J* = 6.88 Hz, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  172.1, 171.8, 170.4, 136.3, 127.6, 123.5, 121.9, 119.5, 118.7, 111.3, 110.3, 56.8, 54.0, 52.0, 37.6, 28.5, 25.1, 23.1, 15.3, 11.6.



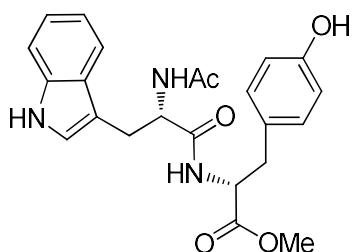
**Dimethyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)pentanedioate 1e:**<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (major isomer) 8.56 (br, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 7.84 Hz, 1H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.09-7.15 (m, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 4.76 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (d, *J* = 5.16 Hz, 1H), 4.82-4.71 (m, 1H), 4.46-4.41 (m, 1H), 3.61 (s, 3H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.27-3.22 (m, 1H), 3.19-3.14 (m, 1H), 2.32-2.16 (m, 2H), 2.12-2.03 (m, 1H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.91-1.82 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  173.2, 171.6, 170.5, 136.2, 127.7, 123.4, 122.0, 119.6, 118.5, 111.3, 110.1, 54.0, 52.4, 51.8, 29.7, 28.3, 27.0, 23.0.



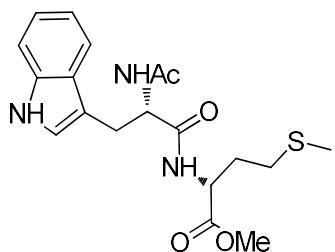
**(2S)-Methyl 2-(2,6-diacetamido hexanamido)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 1f:<sup>5</sup>**

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  9.55 (br, 1H), 7.55-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.21 (d,  $J = 7.72\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.16-7.12 (m, 2H), 7.02 (d,  $J = 8.56\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 6.12 (t,  $J = 5.52\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 4.85-4.81 (m, 2H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.39-3.35 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.23 (m, 2H), 3.10-3.07 (m, 1H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 1.86 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.69 (m, 1H), 1.62-1.53 (m, 2H), 1.42-1.37 (m, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  172.5, 171.7, 170.8, 170.5, 136.4, 127.3, 123.5, 122.0, 119.4, 118.2, 111.6, 109.4, 52.9, 52.5, 39.2, 32.2, 29.0, 27.5, 23.2, 23.0, 22.1, 21.9.



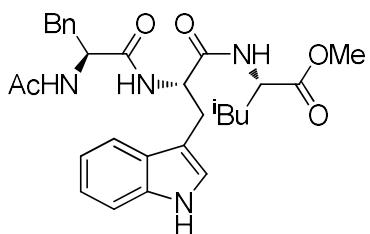
**(R)-methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoate 1g:<sup>5</sup>**

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$ ):  $\delta$  10.07 (br, 1H), 8.35 (s, 1H), 7.62-7.58 (m, 1H), 7.45-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.16 (d,  $J = 1.6\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.09-7.05 (m, 1H), 7.03-6.98 (m, 1H), 6.96-6.89 (m, 2H), 4.79-4.73 (m, 1H), 4.64-4.59 (m, 1H), 3.61 (s, 3H), 3.26-3.21 (m, 1H), 3.10-3.04 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.89-2.84 (m, 1H), 1.85 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$ ):  $\delta$  171.6, 171.3, 169.6, 156.2, 136.6, 130.3, 127.8, 127.2, 123.5, 121.1, 118.6, 118.4, 115.1, 111.2, 110.4, 53.9, 53.6, 51.3, 36.6, 27.5, 22.0.



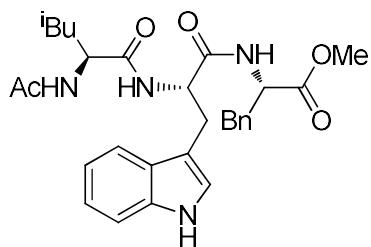
**(R)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-(methylthio)butanoate 1h:**<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.66 (br, 1H), 7.59 (d,  $J$  = 7.84 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J$  = 8.08 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (t,  $J$  = 7.32 Hz, 1H), 7.07-7.03 (m, 2H), 6.98 (d,  $J$  = 7.52 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (d,  $J$  = 7.72 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (q,  $J$  = 6.96 Hz, 1H), 4.57-4.52 (m, 1H), 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.25-3.15 (m, 2H), 3.34 (t,  $J$  = 7.36 Hz, 2H), 2.05-2.00 (m, 1H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.91 (s, 3H), 1.87-1.80 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  171.8, 171.7, 170.4, 136.2, 127.5, 123.5, 122.0, 119.5, 118.5, 111.3, 110.1, 54.0, 52.4, 51.6, 31.2, 29.7, 28.4, 23.1, 15.3.



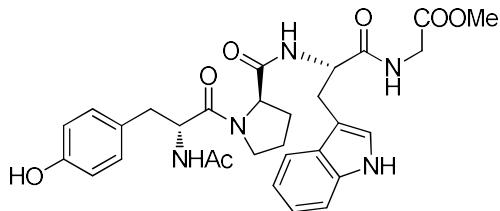
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-phenylpropanamido)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-methylpentanoate 11a:**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  7.52 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.25-7.16 (m, 5H), 7.09-7.06 (m, 2H), 6.99 (t,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (dd,  $J$  = 9.2 Hz, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (d,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.22 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dd,  $J$  = 14.6 Hz, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.06 (dd,  $J$  = 14.0 Hz, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 2.79 (dd,  $J$  = 13.9 Hz, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 1.78 (s, 3H), 1.42-1.28 (m, 2H), 1.19-1.08 (m, 1H), 0.89-0.83 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  172.3, 171.9, 171.8, 137.0, 136.6, 128.8, 128.0, 127.4, 126.3, 123.4, 120.9, 118.4, 117.9, 110.8, 109.1, 56.9, 54.6, 53.9, 50.9, 37.1, 37.0, 27.4, 24.9, 20.8, 14.4, 10.3.



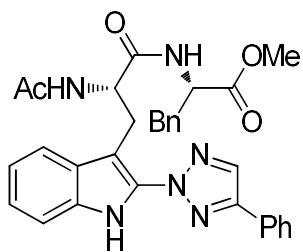
**(S)-Methyl2-((S)-2-((S)-2-acetamido-4-methylpentanamido)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 11b:**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD ):  $\delta$  7.56 (d,  $J = 7.84$ Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d,  $J = 8.12$ Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.09-7.05 (m, 4H), 7.01-6.97 (m, 1H), 4.68 (t,  $J = 7.04$ Hz, 1H), 4.58 (dd,  $J = 7.8$ Hz, 6Hz, 1H), 4.14 (d,  $J = 7.84$ Hz, 1H), 3.58 (s, 3H), 3.23-3.18 (m, 1H), 3.11-3.05 (m, 1H), 3.04-2.99 (m, 1H), 2.93-2.88 (m, 1H), 1.92(s, 3H), 1.75-1.68 (m, 1H), 1.44-1.35 (m, 1H), 1.12-1.01 (m, 1H), 0.82 (t,  $J = 7.44$ Hz, 3H), 0.76 (d,  $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  171.4, 171.3, 170.9, 135.9, 135.8, 128.2, 127.4, 126.7, 125.8, 122.7, 120.3, 117.8, 117.3, 110.2, 108.5, 57.4, 53.2, 53.1, 50.6, 36.4, 35.7, 26.9, 23.8, 20.4, 13.8, 9.3.



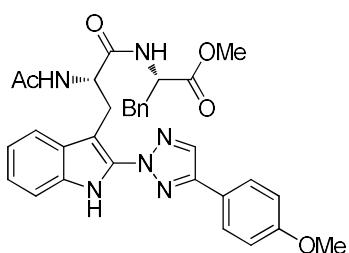
**methyl 2-((S)-2-((R)-1-((R)-2-acetamido-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoyl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxamido)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)acetate 13:**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  7.55 (d,  $J = 7.64$ Hz, 1H), 7.23 (d,  $J = 7.88$ Hz, 1H), 7.12 (s, 1H), 7.07 (d,  $J = 6.44$ Hz, 1H), 7.02 (d,  $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (d,  $J = 8.44$ Hz, 1H), 4.73-4.69 (m, 1H), 4.66-4.62 (m, 1H), 4.33-4.30 (m, 1H), 3.95 (d,  $J = 3.68$ Hz, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.68-3.64 (m, 1H), 3.38-3.33 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.25 (m, 1H), 3.23-3.17 (m, 1H), 2.95-2.86 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.51 (m, 2H), 1.85 (s, 3H), 1.81-1.69 (m, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  171.2, 170.8, 170.4, 170.0, 168.5, 155.0, 154.4, 135.0, 128.6, 126.0, 124.6, 122.0, 121.8, 119.6, 117.0, 116.3, 113.6, 109.6, 108.3, 107.4, 59.3, 53.5, 52.4, 49.7, 44.6, 39.0, 35.6, 34.2, 28.8, 27.0, 25.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>35</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>7</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 578.261; Found: 578.273.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-phenyl-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3a:**

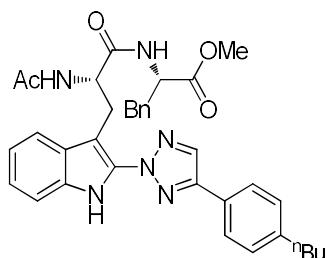
Obtained as a white solid in 87% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.0$  ( $c = 0.25$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 233-235 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  11.99 (br, 1H), 8.69 (s, 1H), 8.17 (d,  $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 8.07-8.03 (m, 3H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.53 (t,  $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.13 (m, 6H), 7.07 (t,  $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.73-4.67 (m, 1H), 4.47-4.41 (m, 1H), 3.47 (s, 3H), 3.35 (s, 1H), 3.19 (dd,  $J = 14.1$ Hz, 8.8Hz, 1H), 2.96 (dd,  $J = 13.7$ Hz, 6.1Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dd,  $J = 13.7$ Hz, 8.1Hz, 1H), 1.64 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  171.9, 171.8, 169.2, 148.7, 137.4, 133.6, 131.8, 129.6, 129.5, 128.6, 128.2, 126.9, 126.5, 122.8, 120.0, 119.9, 111.9, 100.8, 53.9, 53.8, 52.2, 37.2, 26.9, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3055, 2922, 1734, 1653, 1533, 1456, 1265, 975, 740 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>31</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 551.2407; Found: 551.2401.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3b:**

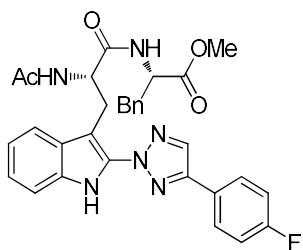
Obtained as a white solid in 69% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 30.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 105-107 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.42 (br, 1H), 8.09 (s, 1H), 7.69-7.64 (m, 3H), 7.49 (d,  $J = 6.76$ Hz, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 7.22 (t,  $J = 7.32$ Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.10-7.05 (m, 2H), 7.02 (d,  $J = 7.08$ Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d,  $J$

=8.52Hz, 2H), 4.89-4.84 (m, 1H), 4.82-4.79 (m, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.63-3.61 (m, 1H), 3.57 (s, 3H), 3.54-3.47 (m, 1H), 3.08-2.94 (m, 2H), 1.91 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  171.9, 171.7, 170.4, 160.1, 148.8, 135.6, 132.9, 132.2, 131.3, 129.3, 128.3, 127.4, 126.8, 122.8, 121.5, 120.5, 118.8, 114.3, 111.5, 55.2, 54.5, 53.1, 52.3, 38.3, 27.0, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3223, 3086, 2926, 1737, 1662, 1537, 1406, 1292, 1178, 974, 831, 742  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_6\text{O}_5$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 581.2507; Found: 581.2516.



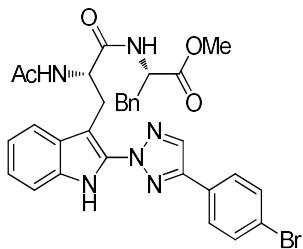
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(4-butylphenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3c:**

Obtained as a white solid in 72% yield,  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 40.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 244-246  $^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  11.97 (br, 1H), 8.63 (s, 1H), 8.16 (d,  $J = 7.56\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 8.03 (d,  $J = 8.36\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.95 (d,  $J = 8.04\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 7.92\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 8.08\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.24-7.13 (m, 6H), 7.07 (t,  $J = 7.6\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 4.72-4.67 (m, 1H), 4.48-4.42 (m, 1H), 3.47 (s, 3H), 3.45-3.43 (m, 1H), 3.21-3.16 (m, 1H), 2.99-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.91-2.85 (m, 1H), 2.64 (t,  $J = 7.56\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 1.64 (s, 3H), 1.61-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.28 (m, 2H), 0.90 (t,  $J = 7.32\text{Hz}$ , 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  171.9, 171.8, 169.2, 148.7, 143.9, 137.4, 133.6, 133.4, 131.8, 129.5, 129.4, 128.6, 128.1, 127.1, 126.9, 126.5, 122.7, 119.9, 111.9, 100.6, 53.9, 53.8, 52.1, 37.2, 35.1, 33.4, 26.8, 22.9, 22.2, 14.2; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3232, 3059, 2927, 1730, 1637, 1541, 1381, 1128, 975, 734, 617  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{39}\text{N}_6\text{O}_4$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 607.3027; Found: 607.3021.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(4-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3d:**

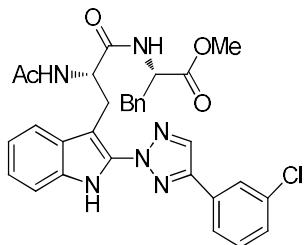
Obtained as a white solid in 54% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 28.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 250-252 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.50 (br, 1H), 8.20 (br, 1H), 7.72-7.68 (m, 2H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 7.84$  Hz, 1H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 1H), 7.14-7.08 (m, 3H), 7.05-6.98 (m, 6H), 4.89-4.81 (m, 2H), 3.63-3.59 (m, 1H), 3.56 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 1H), 3.05-2.94 (m, 2H), 1.98 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  172.2, 171.8, 170.3, 163.0 (d,  $J = 246.86$  Hz), 147.9, 135.4, 132.9, 132.5, 130.9, 129.3, 128.3, 127.8 (d,  $J = 8$  Hz), 126.8, 125.0, 122.6, 120.4, 118.6, 115.8 (d,  $J = 21.58$  Hz), 111.7, 99.0, 54.3, 53.0, 52.4, 38.5, 27.6, 23.0; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3250, 3070, 1737, 1654, 1539, 1413, 1386, 1220, 1157, 979, 742 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>30</sub>FN<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 569.2307; Found: 569.2316.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(4-bromophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3e:**

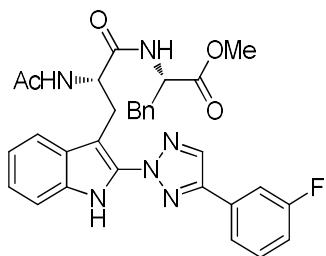
Obtained as a white solid in 81% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 29.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 244-246 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.71 (br, 1H), 8.36 (s, 1H), 7.58-7.52 (m, 3H), 7.45-7.40 (m, 3H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.04$  Hz, 1H), 7.21 (t,  $J = 7.28$  Hz, 1H), 7.15 (d,  $J = 8.28$  Hz, 1H), 7.11-7.05 (m, 3H), 7.01-6.97 (m, 3H), 4.94-4.86 (m, 2H), 3.68-3.63 (m, 1H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 3.51-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.03-2.92 (m, 2H), 2.05 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  172.2, 171.8, 170.2, 147.8, 135.4, 132.9, 132.6,

132.6, 131.9, 130.8, 129.3, 128.3, 127.6, 127.3, 126.8, 123.1, 122.6, 120.4, 118.6, 111.8, 99.0, 54.1, 52.9, 52.4, 38.8, 27.8, 23.1; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3230, 3080, 3053, 1735, 1654, 1539, 1390, 1215, 975, 748 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>30</sub>BrN<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 629.1506; Found: 629.1514.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-chlorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3f:**

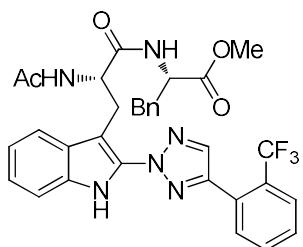
Obtained as a white solid in 73% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 46.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 223-224 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.41 (br, 1H), 7.67 (s, 1H), 7.57 (d,  $J = 7.56$  Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.04$  Hz, 1H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 7.22-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.08-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.98 (d,  $J = 7.12$  Hz, 3H), 4.91-4.88 (m, 1H), 4.86-4.82 (m, 1H), 3.64-3.59 (m, 1H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.44 (m, 1H), 3.04-2.94 (m, 2H), 2.08 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  172.7, 171.9, 170.6, 147.6, 135.4, 134.7, 133.2, 133.0, 130.7, 130.5, 130.0, 129.4, 128.8, 128.6, 128.4, 126.8, 125.6, 124.2, 122.5, 120.4, 118.6, 111.9, 99.0, 54.4, 53.0, 52.5, 38.8, 28.0, 23.1; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3236, 3051, 2991, 1735, 1651, 1537, 1456, 1396, 1274, 1012, 744 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>30</sub>ClN<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 585.2012; Found: 585.2013.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3g:**

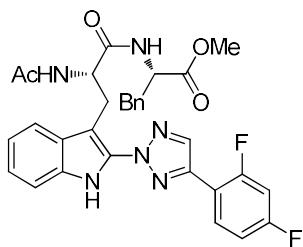
Obtained as a white solid in 90% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 44.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 247-249 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.58 (br, 1H), 8.35 (br, 1H), 7.59 (d,

*J* = 7.72Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 8.04Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.21 (m, 3H), 7.13-7.06 (m, 4H), 7.02-6.96 (m, 4H), 4.90-4.83 (m, 2H), 3.64-3.59 (m, 1H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.46 (m, 1H), 3.05-2.94 (m, 2H), 2.04 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  172.0, 171.7, 170.3, 162.9 (d, *J* = 244.29Hz), 147.7, 135.4, 132.9, 130.7 (d, *J* = 6.74Hz), 130.3 (d, *J* = 8.12Hz), 129.3, 128.2, 126.7, 122.7, 121.6, 120.4, 115.7 (d, *J* = 20.85Hz), 112.7 (d, *J* = 23.33Hz), 111.7, 99.2, 54.2, 52.9, 52.3, 38.5, 27.5, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3217, 3084, 2924, 1737, 1654, 1539, 1454, 1409, 1269, 972, 742  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{30}\text{FN}_6\text{O}_4$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 569.2307; Found: 569.2324.



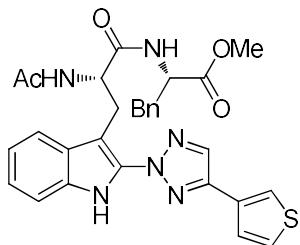
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3h:**

Obtained as a white solid in 78% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 24.5$  (*c* = 0.2,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 215-216 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  9.51 (br, 1H), 8.05 (br, 1H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 7.56Hz, 1H), 7.72-7.67 (m, 2H), 7.58-7.46 (m, 3H), 7.34 (d, *J* = 8.04Hz, 1H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.32Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.10 (m, 4H), 7.02-6.96 (m, 3H), 4.85-4.81 (m, 1H), 4.81-4.78 (m, 1H), 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.55 (d, *J* = 7.32Hz, 1H), 3.08-3.04 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.95 (m, 1H), 1.78 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  171.5, 170.7, 146.4, 135.7, 135.3, 133.0, 132.1, 131.8, 131.0, 129.3, 128.3, 127.9 (d, *J* = 4.35Hz), 126.9, 126.5(d, *J* = 4.35Hz), 122.1(d, *J* = 271.36Hz), 119.3, 111.4, 100.4, 54.6, 53.3, 52.2, 38.0, 26.3, 22.7; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3244, 3070, 1739, 1637, 1525, 1415, 1386, 1267, 977, 744  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{30}\text{F}_3\text{N}_6\text{O}_4$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 619.2275; Found: 619.2271.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(2,4-difluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3i:**

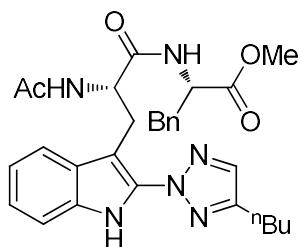
Obtained as a white solid in 75% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 15.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 281-282 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  12.04 (br, 1H), 8.45 (d,  $J = 3.44$ Hz, 1H), 8.26-8.20 (m, 1H), 8.17 (d,  $J = 7.64$ Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d,  $J = 8.48$ Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 7.92$ Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.48 (m, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 8.08$ Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.15 (m, 4H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 7$ Hz, 2H), 7.07 (t,  $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.73-4.67 (m, 1H), 4.45-4.40 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.48 (m, 1H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 3.22-3.16 (m, 1H), 2.97-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.88-2.83 (m, 1H), 1.64 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  171.9, 171.7, 162.9 (d,  $J = 248.32$ Hz), 160.1 (d,  $J = 250.41$ Hz), 142.5, 137.4, 135.0 (d,  $J = 9.96$ Hz), 133.6, 131.5, 130.6 (d,  $J = 3.89$ Hz), 130.5 (d,  $J = 4.39$ Hz), 129.5, 128.6, 128.1, 126.9, 122.9, 120.0, 114.3 (d,  $J = 12.91$ Hz), 113.1, 112.9, 112.0, 105.5, 105.3, 105.0, 101.1, 53.9, 53.7, 52.1, 37.2, 26.9, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3228, 3082, 1757, 1645, 1544, 1411, 1388, 1267, 1082, 985, 740 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>29</sub>F<sub>2</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 587.2213; Found: 587.2227.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(thiophen-3-yl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3j:**

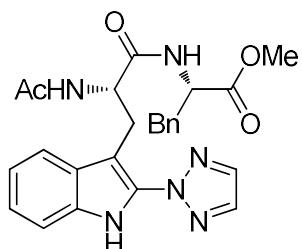
Obtained as a white solid in 87% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 32.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 251-253 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.49 (br, 1H), 8.05 (br, 1H), 7.67-7.63 (m, 2H), 7.46-7.41(m, 2H), 7.35-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.22 (t,  $J = 7.36$ Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.08 (m, 4H), 7.04-7.00 (m, 3H), 4.88-4.83 (m, 2H), 3.61-3.59 (m, 1H), 3.56 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 1H), 3.07-3.02 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.95 (m, 1H), 1.93 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  171.7, 171.6, 170.4, 145.0, 135.6, 132.9, 132.8, 131.2, 130.2, 129.3, 128.3, 128.2, 126.8, 126.7, 125.7, 122.9, 120.6, 119.0, 111.4, 99.4, 54.3, 53.1, 52.3, 38.3, 26.9, 23.0; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3221, 3086, 1739, 1653, 1521, 1411, 1390,

1215, 970, 742 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>29</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 557.1966; Found: 557.1969.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-butyl-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate 3k:**

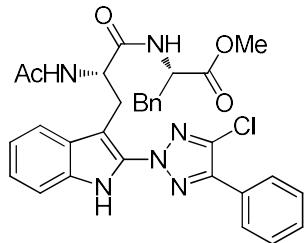
Obtained as a white solid in 46% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 24.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 74-77 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.98 (br, 1H), 7.68-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.19 (m, 4H), 7.18-7.14 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.02 (m, 3H), 4.84-4.79 (m, 1H), 4.71-4.66 (m, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.49-3.41 (m, 2H), 3.12-3.07 (m, 1H), 3.04-2.99 (m, 1H), 2.76 (t,  $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.80 (s, 3H), 1.74-1.67 (m, 2H), 1.47-1.38 (m, 2H), 0.97 (t,  $J = 7.32$ Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  171.5, 171.3, 170.8, 150.3, 135.9, 134.4, 132.7, 131.6, 129.3, 128.4, 127.9, 126.9, 123.4, 120.8, 119.2, 111.0, 99.8, 54.5, 53.3, 52.2, 38.0, 31.0, 25.6, 25.0, 22.8, 22.3, 13.8; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3209, 3089, 2922, 1734, 1647, 1521, 1456, 1274, 970, 750 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>35</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 531.2714; Found: 531.2721.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-3-(2-(2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-acetamido-3-phenylpropanoate 3m:**

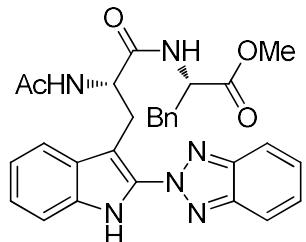
Obtained as a white solid in 76% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 23.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 104-106 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.27 (br, 1H), 7.79 (s, 2H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 7.92$ Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 7.28$ Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 8.08$ Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.13 (m, 3H), 7.05-7.01 (m, 3H), 4.86-4.81 (m, 1H), 4.77-4.72 (m, 1H), 3.63 (s,

3H), 3.47 (d,  $J = 7.28$  Hz, 2H), 3.09-3.04 (m, 1H), 3.03-2.99 (m, 1H), 1.85 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  171.6, 171.4, 170.7, 135.7, 135.5, 132.8, 131.3, 129.3, 128.4, 127.9, 126.9, 123.4, 120.7, 119.2, 111.3, 100.2, 54.4, 53.3, 52.3, 38.1, 26.4, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3215, 3086, 3005, 1739, 1653, 1521, 1415, 1386, 1259, 952, 748  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_6\text{O}_4\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 497.1908; Found: 497.1912.



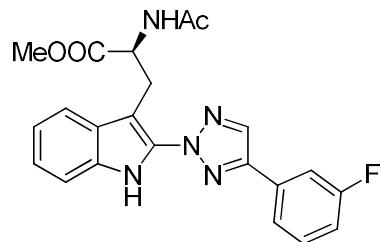
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-chloro-5-phenyl-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 3n:**

Obtained as a white solid in 88% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 74.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 205-207 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  9.04 (br, 1H), 7.99 (d,  $J = 6.96$  Hz, 2H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.47 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8$  Hz, 1H), 7.27-7.23 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.15 (m, 4H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 6.72$  Hz, 2H), 6.63 (d,  $J = 7.48$  Hz, 1H), 4.77-4.74 (m, 2H), 3.58 (s, 3H), 3.57-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.50-3.44 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.04 (m, 1H), 2.98-2.94 (m, 1H), 1.84 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  171.3, 170.9, 170.6, 144.2, 135.7, 132.8, 130.8, 129.7, 129.2, 129.0, 128.4, 127.8, 127.5, 127.1, 127.0, 123.9, 121.1, 119.6, 111.2, 100.6, 54.2, 53.3, 52.2, 38.0, 26.4, 23.0; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3203, 3095, 2926, 1726, 1649, 1539, 1454, 1409, 1392, 1273, 948, 738  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_6\text{O}_4\text{NaCl}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 607.1837; Found: 607.1841.



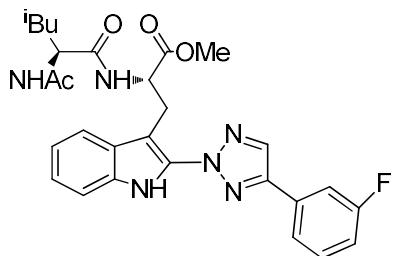
**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-3-(2-(2H-benzo[d][1,2,3]triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-acetamidopropyl)propanoate 3o:**

Obtained as a light-green solid in 77% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -45.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 169-171 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.50 (br, 1H), 7.83-7.81 (m, 2H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 7.92$  Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.38 (d,  $J = 8.08$  Hz, 1H), 7.29-7.24 (m, 1H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 4H), 7.07-7.03 (m, 3H), 4.89-4.81 (m, 2H), 3.66-3.61 (m, 2H), 3.58 (s, 3H), 3.11-3.07 (m, 1H), 3.04-2.99 (m, 1H), 1.80 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  171.5, 171.2, 170.7, 144.4, 135.8, 133.4, 131.5, 129.3, 128.4, 128.0, 127.8, 127.0, 124.4, 121.1, 119.7, 117.8, 111.4, 103.3, 54.5, 53.3, 52.2, 38.1, 26.6, 22.9; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3223, 3084, 2926, 1743, 1651, 1546, 1411, 1390, 1180, 946, 746 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>28</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Na [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 547.2070; Found: 547.2072.



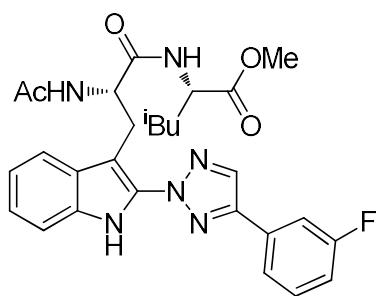
**(S)-Methyl 2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 4a:**

Obtained as a white solid in 98% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 42.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 212-214 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  12.09 (br, 1H), 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d,  $J = 7.76$  Hz, 1H), 7.90-7.86 (m, 2H), 7.63-7.57 (m, 2H), 7.41 (d,  $J = 8.04$  Hz, 1H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.18 (t,  $J = 7.32$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (t,  $J = 7.44$  Hz, 1H), 4.69-4.63 (m, 1H), 3.60 (dd,  $J = 13.92$  Hz, 7.28 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (s, 3H), 3.32 (dd,  $J = 13.92$  Hz, 7.48 Hz, 1H), 1.72 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  172.2, 169.1, 162.6 (d,  $J = 242.26$  Hz), 147.2, 133.5, 133.1, 131.4 (d,  $J = 8.74$  Hz), 131.1 (d,  $J = 9.62$  Hz), 128.6, 127.6, 122.5, 122.0, 119.7, 118.8, 115.8 (d,  $J = 20.89$  Hz), 112.6 (d,  $J = 23.01$  Hz), 111.6, 99.8, 52.7, 51.5, 26.1, 22.2; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3217, 3080, 1718, 1658, 1552, 1411, 1388, 1292, 1176, 972, 862, 738 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>FN<sub>a</sub> [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 444.1448; Found: 444.1443.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-4-methylpentanamido)-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 4b:**

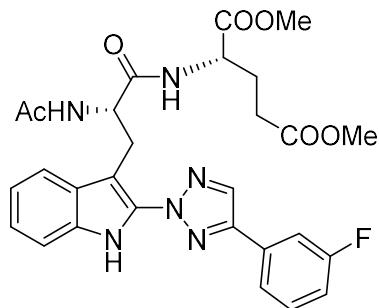
Obtained as a white solid in 91% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -38.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 108-112 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  12.10 (br, 1H), 8.79 (s, 1H), 8.55 (d,  $J = 6.84$  Hz, 1H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.12$  Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 8.96$  Hz, 1H), 7.62-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.41 (d,  $J = 8$  Hz, 1H), 7.31 (t,  $J = 7.92$  Hz, 1H), 7.18 (t,  $J = 7.36$  Hz, 1H), 7.08 (t,  $J = 7.48$  Hz, 1H), 4.67-4.61 (m, 1H), 4.22-4.17 (m, 1H), 3.60-3.54 (m, 1H), 3.40-3.35 (m, 1H), 3.33 (s, 3H), 1.79 (s, 3H), 1.66-1.59 (m, 1H), 1.34-1.30 (m, 1H), 1.03-0.95 (m, 1H), 0.77-0.74 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  172.4, 171.7, 169.4, 163.0 (d,  $J = 242.12$  Hz), 147.7, 134.1, 133.6, 131.8 (d,  $J = 9.44$  Hz), 131.7 (d,  $J = 9.59$  Hz), 127.8, 123.0, 122.5, 120.3, 119.2, 116.3 (d,  $J = 21.3$  Hz), 113.1 (d,  $J = 22.53$  Hz), 112.1, 99.7, 56.9, 53.3, 51.9, 37.2, 26.4, 24.6, 22.9, 15.5, 11.4; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3223, 3103, 2929, 1728, 1641, 1541, 1454, 1286, 1122, 977, 740 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>31</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>NaF [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 557.2289; Found: 557.2288.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-methylpentanoate 4c:**

Obtained as a white solid in 82% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, Major/Minor=66/34),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -18.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 197-199 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  (major isomer) 11.99 (br, 1H), 8.76 (s, 1H), 8.10 (t,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 8.28$  Hz, 3H), 7.60-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.37 (m, 1H),

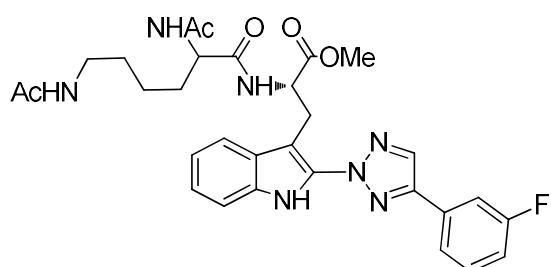
7.31-7.26 (m, 1H), 7.19-7.13 (m, 1H), 7.08-7.05 (m, 1H), 4.75-4.70 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.17 (m, 1H), 3.54-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 3.28-3.23 (m, 1H), 1.69 (s, 3H), 1.66-1.63 (m, 1H), 1.39-1.30 (m, 1H), 1.11-1.04 (m, 1H), 0.79-0.73 (m, 6H); (minor isomer) 11.97 (br, 1H), 8.75 (s, 1H), 7.95 (t,  $J = 8.24\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.78-7.66 (m, 3H), 7.60-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 1H), 7.19-7.13 (m, 1H), 7.08-7.05 (m, 1H), 4.84-4.78 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.17 (m, 1H), 3.56 (s, 3H), 3.41-3.39 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.23 (m, 1H), 1.76 (s, 3H), 1.66-1.63 (m, 1H), 1.39-1.30 (m, 1H), 0.99-0.95 (m, 1H), 0.62-0.58 (m, 3H), 0.51 (d,  $J = 6.72\text{Hz}$ , 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  172.3, 172.0, 171.8, 169.3, 169.1, 163.1 (d,  $J = 242.04\text{Hz}$ ), 147.6, 133.8, 133.7, 133.6, 132.1, 132.0 (d,  $J = 11.21\text{Hz}$ ), 131.7, 131.6 (d,  $J = 8.65\text{Hz}$ ), 129.1, 128.2, 123.0, 122.8, 122.6, 119.9, 116.2 (d,  $J = 20.96\text{Hz}$ ), 113.2 (d,  $J = 23.09\text{Hz}$ ), 111.9, 100.7, 100.3, 65.4, 56.9, 56.5, 53.8, 53.3, 51.9, 37.1, 36.4, 30.4, 27.1, 25.2, 22.9, 19.1, 15.6, 15.2, 14.0, 11.5, 11.4; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3172, 3055, 2960, 1732, 1658, 1539, 1456, 1406, 1269, 975, 862, 740  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_6\text{O}_4\text{FNa}$   $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 557.2289; Found: 557.2287.



**Dimethyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)pentanedioate 4d:**

Obtained as a white solid in 73% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, Major/Minor=78/22),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -26.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 116-118 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (major isomer) 10.12 (br, 1H), 8.66 (br, 1H), 7.88 (s, 1H), 7.50 (d,  $J = 7.84\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.42-7.30 (m, 5H), 7.21-7.13 (m, 3H), 4.93-4.90 (m, 1H), 4.76-4.75 (m, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 3.54-3.53 (m, 6H), 2.40-2.3 (m, 2H), 2.15 (s, 3H), 1.89-1.85 (m, 2H); (minor isomer) 9.71 (br, 1H), 8.10 (br, 1H), 7.67 (d,  $J = 7.72\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.50 (d,  $J = 7.84\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.05-7.01 (m, 5H), 6.86-6.83 (m, 3H), 4.93-4.90 (m,

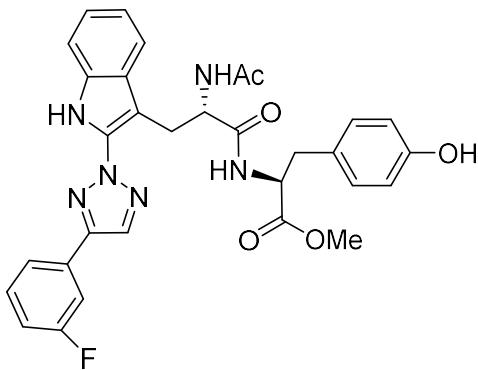
1H), 4.54-4.52 (m, 1H), 3.61 (s, 2H), 3.54-3.49 (m, 6H), 2.26-2.21 (m, 2H), 2.10-2.07 (m, 3H), 1.89-1.85 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  173.2, 172.9, 172.3, 171.9, 171.7, 170.8, 162.8 (d,  $J = 244.52\text{Hz}$ ), 148.0, 147.8, 133.0, 132.8, 131.2, 130.7 (d,  $J = 8.44\text{Hz}$ ), 130.6, 130.2 (d,  $J = 7.78\text{Hz}$ ), 128.4, 123.6, 122.6, 121.6, 120.8, 120.4, 119.3, 118.4, 115.6 (d,  $J = 21.14\text{Hz}$ ), 112.6 (d,  $J = 24.4\text{Hz}$ ), 111.9, 111.3, 100.5, 99.1, 54.7, 54.6, 52.6, 52.4, 51.7, 51.6, 50.9, 29.7, 29.5, 28.2, 27.7, 26.9, 26.4, 22.9, 22.8; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3228, 3082, 2924, 1732, 1645, 1537, 1413, 1386, 1267, 1209, 972, 862, 746  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_6\text{O}_6\text{FNa} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 587.2030; Found: 587.2034.



**(2S)-Methyl 2-(2,6-diacetamidohexanamido)-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 4e:**

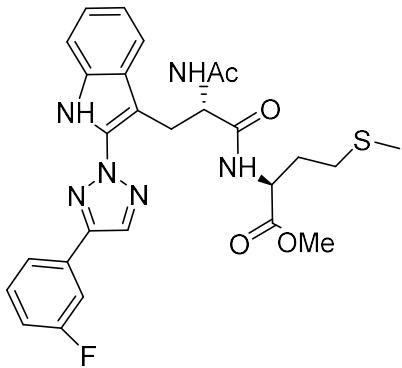
Obtained as a white solid in 87% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, ratio = 50/50),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -6.2$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 240-242 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  (one isomer) 12.09 (br, 1H), 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d,  $J = 7.68\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.90-7.84 (m, 2H), 7.82-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.68-7.59 (m, 2H), 7.41 (t,  $J = 7.32\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.30 (t,  $J = 8.4\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.20-7.15 (m, 1H), 7.10-7.07 (m, 1H), 4.84-4.79 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.16 (m, 1H), 3.64-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.52 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.92 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 6H), 1.61-1.49 (m, 1H), 1.38-1.28 (m, 2H), 1.16-1.07 (m, 3H), 0.97-0.95 (m, 1H); (another isomer) 12.08 (br, 1H), 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d,  $J = 7.68\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.90-7.84 (m, 2H), 7.82-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.68-7.59 (m, 2H), 7.41 (t,  $J = 7.32\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.30 (t,  $J = 8.4\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.20-7.15 (m, 1H), 7.10-7.07 (m, 1H), 4.68-4.63 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.16 (m, 1H), 3.64-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.36 (s, 3H), 2.87-2.84 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.73 (s, 3H), 1.61-1.49 (m, 1H), 1.38-1.28 (m, 2H), 1.16-1.07 (m, 3H), 0.97-0.95 (m, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  172.6, 172.5, 172.3, 172.2, 169.5, 169.4, 163.1 (d,  $J = 242.37\text{Hz}$ ), 147.7, 134.1, 134.0, 133.6 (d,  $J = 5.99\text{Hz}$ ), 131.9, 131.7 (d,  $J = 7.12\text{Hz}$ ),

131.5, 128.2, 127.9, 123.0, 122.5, 120.3, 120.2, 119.4, 119.2, 116.3 (d,  $J = 21\text{Hz}$ ), 113.1 (d,  $J = 22.43\text{Hz}$ ), 113.0, 112.1, 112.0, 99.9, 99.7, 53.2, 52.8, 52.6, 52.4, 52.2, 52.0, 38.8, 32.2, 32.1, 29.3, 29.2, 26.7, 26.5, 23.1, 23.0, 22.9, 22.8; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3267, 3053, 1749, 1662, 1541, 1425, 1398, 1373, 974, 862, 736  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{35}\text{FN}_7\text{O}_5$  [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 592.2678; Found: 592.2676.



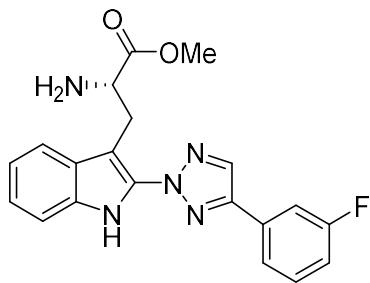
**(R)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoate 4f:**

Obtained as a white solid in 59% yield (Condition A),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 271-273 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  11.99 (br, 1H), 9.36 (s, 1H), 8.74 (s, 1H), 8.22 (d,  $J = 7.56\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 8.00 (d,  $J = 8.52\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 8.32\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 7.84\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.34-7.67 (m, 1H), 7.60-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.53 (s, 2H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 8.08\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.30-7.26 (m, 1H), 7.18-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.09-7.05 (m, 1H), 4.71-4.66 (m, 1H), 4.38-4.33 (m, 1H), 3.51-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 3.22-3.16 (m, 1H), 2.86-2.81 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.69 (m, 1H), 1.65 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  179.8, 171.8, 169.2, 163.1 (d,  $J = 273.48\text{Hz}$ ), 154.4, 147.6, 140.0, 133.9, 133.6, 132.0 (d,  $J = 7.71\text{Hz}$ ), 131.6 (d,  $J = 7.45\text{Hz}$ ), 129.1, 128.2, 122.9, 122.6, 119.9, 116.2 (d,  $J = 22.24\text{Hz}$ ), 113.3 (d,  $J = 17.84\text{Hz}$ ), 111.9, 100.9, 87.3, 53.9, 52.1, 35.1, 29.9, 27.3, 23.1; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3259, 3089, 2929, 1728, 1643, 1541, 1431, 1409, 1392, 1286, 1120, 948, 864, 744  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{28}\text{FN}_6\text{O}_4$  [M-H]<sup>-</sup>: 583.2111; Found: 583.2115.



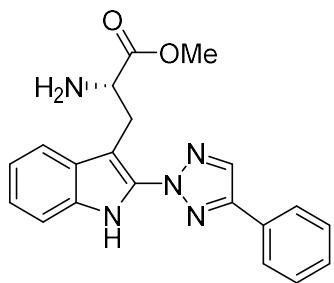
**(R)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-(methylthio)butanoate 4g:**

Obtained as a white solid in 80% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, ratio = 50/50),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -73.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 233-234 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (one isomer) 9.81 (br, 1H), 8.41 (br, 1H), 7.57 (t,  $J = 6.84$  Hz, 1H), 7.43 (t,  $J = 7.08$  Hz, 1H), 7.39-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.12 (t,  $J = 7.56$  Hz, 1H), 6.94-6.91 (m, 1H), 4.79-4.66 (m, 2H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.41 (m, 1H), 2.84-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.70-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.34-2.26 (m, 1H), 2.06 (s, 3H), 2.01-1.92 (m, 1H); (another isomer) 9.77 (br, 1H), 8.39 (br, 1H), 7.57 (t,  $J = 6.84$  Hz, 1H), 7.43 (t,  $J = 7.08$  Hz, 1H), 7.39-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.12 (t,  $J = 7.56$  Hz, 1H), 6.94-6.91 (m, 1H), 4.79-4.66 (m, 2H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.41 (m, 1H), 2.70-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.63-2.56 (m, 1H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.34-2.26 (m, 1H), 2.06 (s, 3H), 2.01-1.92 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  173.0, 172.9, 171.8, 171.7, 170.8, 163.2 (d,  $J = 243.25$  Hz), 147.7, 133.6, 133.5, 132.6, 131.7 (d,  $J = 8.59$  Hz), 131.5, 130.6 (d,  $J = 8.33$  Hz), 127.9, 122.5, 121.7, 119.7, 118.6, 115.3 (d,  $J = 21.27$  Hz), 112.4 (d,  $J = 23.42$  Hz), 111.1, 99.1, 54.8, 54.7, 51.5, 51.3, 50.7, 49.3, 36.7, 36.6, 26.0, 25.0, 24.8, 21.1; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3190, 3097, 2926, 1747, 1633, 1539, 1456, 1409, 1392, 1369, 1004, 970, 864, 742 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>29</sub>FN<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>SK [M+K]<sup>+</sup>: 591.1587; Found: 591.1795.



**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6a:**

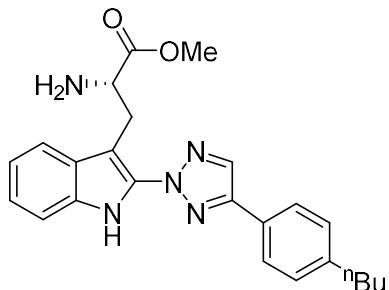
Obtained as a fluffy white powder in 77% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -50$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 107 –127 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.46 (s, 1H), 7.81-7.86 (m, 2H), 7.73 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.49 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.26 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.19-7.21 (m, 1H), 4.50 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.89-3.94 (m, 1H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.60-3.63 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  171.1, 164.2 (d,  $J = 237$  Hz), 138.4, 134.7, 134.4, 133.1, 132.2, 130.9, 124.4, 123.3, 121.7, 119.2, 117.0 (d,  $J = 21$  Hz), 113.9 (d,  $J = 24$  Hz), 112.8, 54.6, 53.5, 26.7. <sup>19</sup>F NMR (565 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD, CF<sub>3</sub>COOH as external standard): -114.5. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3363, 3192, 2922, 2851, 1739, 1650, 1620, 1589, 1423, 1207, 1135, 863, 722, 686, 523 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>18</sub>FN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Na [M+ Na]<sup>+</sup>: 402.1337; Found: 402.1322.



**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-phenyl-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6b:**

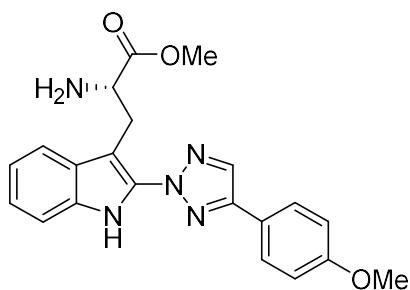
Obtained as a fluffy white powder in 71% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 25$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 130-150 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.42 (s, 1H), 8.04 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.56 (m, 4H), 7.26 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.18 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.51 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.88-3.94 (m, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.59-3.62 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  169.5, 148.5, 146.6, 138.6, 132.9, 129.5,

129.3, 129.0, 128.8, 126.0, 122.9, 120.3, 117.8, 111.4, 53.2, 52.2, 29.3. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3355, 3187, 2922, 2852, 1749, 1689, 1660, 1634, 1469, 1251, 1073, 978, 721, 528  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_5\text{O}_2\text{Na} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 384.1431; Found: 384.1425.



**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-(4-butylphenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6c:**

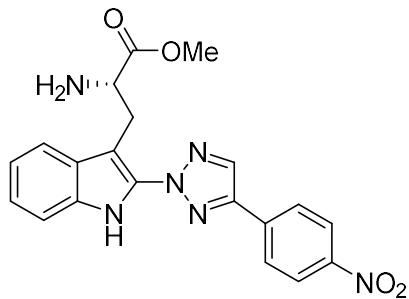
Obtained as a white solid in 42% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 125.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 109-112  $^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ):  $\delta$  8.38 (s, 1H), 7.93 (d,  $J = 8.1\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.0\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.48 (d,  $J = 8.0\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8.1\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 7.25 (t,  $J = 7.5\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.18 (t,  $J = 7.5\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 4.50 (t,  $J = 7.2\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 3.86-3.94 (m, 2H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 2.67-2.72 (m, 2H), 1.63-1.70 (m, 2H), 1.38-1.44 (m, 2H), 0.97 (t,  $J = 7.3\text{Hz}$ , 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ):  $\delta$  169.5, 167.9, 164.4, 133.6, 132.4, 130.8, 130.2, 129.8, 127.4, 119.7, 118.1, 117.6, 117.2, 69.3, 49.9, 40.3, 31.7, 30.7, 28.1, 25.1. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3441, 3381, 3253, 2991, 2881, 2777, 1792, 1732, 1624, 1436, 1087, 844, 766, 612, 569  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_5\text{O}_2\text{Na} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 440.2057; Found: 440.2045.



**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6d:**

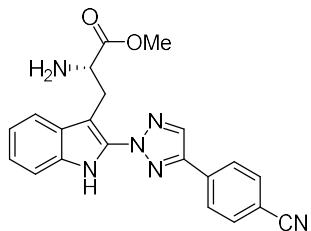
Obtained as a fluffy white powder in 55% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 200$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 138.0-140.5  $^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ):  $\delta$  8.33 (s, 1H), 7.96 (d,

*J* = 8.7Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.1Hz, 1H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 8.1Hz, 1H), 7.25 (t, *J* = 7.5Hz, 1H), 7.17 (t, *J* = 7.5Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.7Hz, 2H), 4.49 (t, *J* = 7.4Hz, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.46-3.52 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  169.7, 160.7, 149.3, 140.8, 133.5, 132.4, 129.4, 127.5, 122.7, 125.4, 120.2, 117.7, 114.3, 111.3, 65.5, 54.5, 53.4, 26.7. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3357, 3188, 3004, 2021, 2851, 1742, 1704, 1661, 1634, 1504, 1488, 1209, 1140, 695, 634 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>21</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 414.1537; Found: 414.1538.



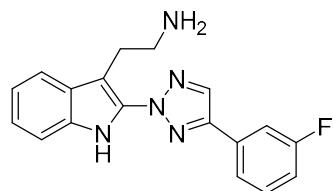
**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-(4-nitrophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6e:**

Obtained as a fluffy white powder in 83% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -40$  (*c* = 0.2, CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 128.4-130.3 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.99 (s, 1H), 8.37 (d, *J* = 9.0Hz, 2H), 8.21 (d, *J* = 9.0Hz, 2H), 7.65 (d, *J* = 8.1Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.1Hz, 1H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.7Hz, 1H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.7Hz, 1H), 4.42 (t, *J* = 7.2Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.58-3.61 (m, 1H), 3.47-3.53 (m, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  179.0, 145.7, 143.3, 142.6, 139.5, 134.2, 126.5, 124.0, 123.7, 122.7, 120.6, 118.4, 111.9, 53.4, 52.3, 25.0. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3351, 3183, 3004, 1827, 1691, 1659, 1648, 1521, 1470, 1027, 934, 721cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Na [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 429.1282; Found: 429.1285.



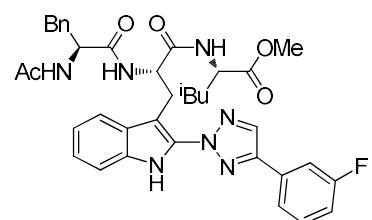
**Methyl (S)-2-amino-3-(2-(4-(4-cyanophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanoate 6f:**

Obtained a fluffy white powder in 82% yield (Condition B),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 125.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 127.6–135 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.96 (s, 1H), 8.16 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 8.02 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.50 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.24 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.43 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.58–3.62 (m, 1H), 3.47–3.52 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  169.1, 146.0, 134.4, 134.2, 132.7, 132.5, 129.4, 126.8, 126.1, 123.7, 122.3, 120.6, 118.3, 118.1, 111.8, 111.7, 54.6, 53.7, 28.1. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3305, 3187, 2921, 2850, 1747, 1704, 1648, 1634, 1470, 1422, 1245, 1024, 803, 721, 551 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Na [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 409.1383; Found: 409.1383.



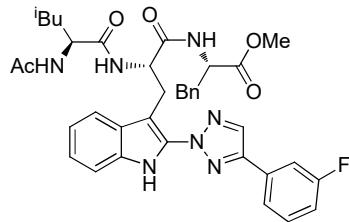
**2-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-amine 8:**

Obtained as a fluffy white powder in 87% yield (Condition B), M.p. 110–120°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  8.38 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.73–7.78 (m, 1H), 7.64 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.48–7.55 (m, 1H), 7.42 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.09–7.23 (m, 3H), 3.56 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2H), 3.34 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  163.0 (d,  $J = 245$  Hz), 133.6, 132.6, 132.0, 131.1, 130.7, 128.0, 122.5, 121.7, 119.6, 118.6, 115.3 (d,  $J = 21$  Hz), 112.6 (d,  $J = 22$  Hz), 111.0, 101.9, 39.7, 23.2. <sup>19</sup>F NMR (565 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD, CF<sub>3</sub>COOH as external standard): -114.5. IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3698, 3669, 2921, 2851, 2526, 2355, 2071, 1681, 1632, 1589, 1207, 1063, 804, 786, 647, 534 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>FN<sub>5</sub>Na [M+ Na]<sup>+</sup>: 344.1282; Found: 344.1280.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-((S)-2-acetamido-3-phenylpropanamido)-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-4-methylpentanoate 12a:**

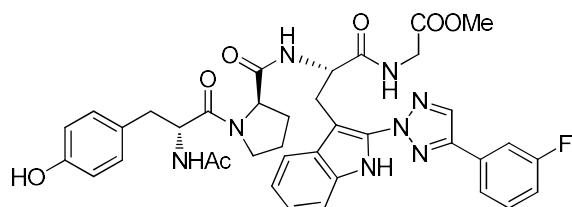
Obtained as a white solid in 71% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, ratio = 50/50),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.5$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 217-218 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  (one isomer) 12.01 (br, 1H), 8.75 (s, 1H), 8.20 (dd,  $J = 15.32\text{Hz}$ , 7.72Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d,  $J = 7.56\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.99 (d,  $J = 7.96\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.94-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.80-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.57-7.50 (m, 3H), 7.17-7.10 (m, 4H), 7.09-7.02 (m, 3H), 4.76-4.70 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.32 (m, 1H), 4.22-4.18 (m, 1H), 3.60-3.36 (m, 2H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 2.82-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.54 (m, 1H), 1.69-1.64 (m, 1H), 1.62 (s, 3H), 1.34-1.31 (m, 1H), 1.15-1.11 (m, 1H), 0.83-0.75 (m, 6H); (another isomer) 12.00 (br, 1H), 8.69 (s, 1H), 8.20 (dd,  $J = 15.32\text{Hz}$ , 7.72Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d,  $J = 7.56\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.99 (d,  $J = 7.96\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 7.94-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.80-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.40 (m, 3H), 7.17-7.10 (m, 4H), 7.09-7.02 (m, 3H), 4.76-4.70 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.32 (m, 1H), 4.22-4.18 (m, 1H), 3.60-3.36 (m, 2H), 3.43 (s, 3H), 2.82-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.54 (m, 1H), 1.69-1.64 (m, 1H), 1.62 (s, 3H), 1.34-1.31 (m, 1H), 1.15-1.11 (m, 1H), 0.83-0.75 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  171.7, 171.6, 171.4, 169.5, 163.1 (d,  $J = 242.88\text{Hz}$ ), 148.6, 147.6, 138.3, 133.9, 133.7, 133.5, 132.1 (d,  $J = 6.84\text{Hz}$ ), 132.0, 131.8, 131.6 (d,  $J = 8.77\text{Hz}$ ), 129.6, 129.5, 129.4, 129.1, 128.3, 128.2, 126.5, 122.8, 122.7, 122.6, 120.0, 116.2 (d,  $J = 23.22\text{Hz}$ ), 113.3 (d,  $J = 22.73\text{Hz}$ ), 111.9, 100.2, 100.0, 56.6, 54.4, 54.0, 51.9, 37.6, 37.1, 30.4, 25.2, 22.7, 15.6, 11.5; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3221, 3086, 2927, 1741, 1639, 1541, 1454, 1409, 1269, 970, 864, 740 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>41</sub>FN<sub>7</sub>O<sub>5</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 682.3148; Found: 682.3164.



**(S)-Methyl 2-((S)-2-((S)-2-acetamido-4-methylpentanamido)-3-(2-(4-(3-fluoro phenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)-3-phenylpropanoate 12b:**

Obtained as a white solid in 65% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, Major/Minor=72/28),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -1.2$  ( $c = 0.2$ , CH<sub>3</sub>OH); M.p. 276-278 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO):  $\delta$  (major isomer) 11.99 (br, 1H), 8.75 (s, 1H), 8.16-8.13

(m, 1H), 8.06 (d,  $J = 7$ Hz, 1H), 7.93-7.91 (m, 2H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.61-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 7.96$ Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.21 (m, 3H), 7.18-7.12 (m, 4H), 4.75-4.71 (m, 1H), 4.44-4.41 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.20 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.95 (m, 1H), 3.50 (d,  $J = 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 3.30-3.20 (m, 1H), 2.96-2.87 (m, 2H), 2.02-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.74 (s, 3H), 1.65-1.61 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.63 (m, 3H), 0.69 (d,  $J = 6.28$ Hz, 3H); (minor isomer) 11.99 (br, 1H), 8.69 (s, 1H), 8.37-8.36 (m, 1H), 8.27-8.22 (m, 1H), 8.01-7.97 (m, 2H), 7.72 (d,  $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.67-7.65 (m, 2H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 7.96$ Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 3H), 7.08-7.05 (m, 4H), 5.40-5.31 (m, 1H), 4.82-4.78 (m, 1H), 4.50-4.48 (m, 1H), 4.06-4.01 (m, 1H), 3.50 (d,  $J = 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 3.30-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.02-3.01 (m, 2H), 2.02-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.74 (s, 3H), 1.65-1.61 (m, 1H), 1.52-1.45 (m, 3H), 1.41-1.34 (m, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ ):  $\delta$  171.3, 171.2, 171.0, 169.1, 162.6 (d,  $J = 240.81$ Hz), 148.2, 147.1, 137.9, 133.4, 133.2, 133.1, 131.5, 131.4, 131.2 (d,  $J = 9.12$ Hz), 129.2, 129.0, 128.6, 127.9, 127.8, 126.1, 122.3, 119.5, 112.8 (d,  $J = 22.74$ Hz), 111.5, 99.8, 99.6, 56.2, 54.0, 53.5, 51.4, 37.1, 36.7, 30.0, 24.7, 22.3, 15.2, 13.5, 11.1; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3244, 3062, 2924, 1732, 1635, 1473, 1456, 1363, 1338, 972, 862, 744  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{41}\text{FN}_7\text{O}_5$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 682.3148; Found: 682.3164.



**Methyl 2-((S)-2-((R)-1-((R)-2-acetamido-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoyl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxamido)-3-(2-(4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)-1H-indol-3-yl)propanamido)acetate 14:**

Obtained as a white solid in 79% yield (Condition A) (mixture of conformational isomers, Major/Minor=75/25),  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.0$  ( $c = 0.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ); M.p. 170-172 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (major isomer) 9.21 (br, 1H), 8.07 (s, 1H), 7.66-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.47-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.38 (s, 2H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.17-7.09 (m, 3H), 6.41 (s, 1H), 5.77 (s, 1H), 4.94-4.90 (m, 1H), 4.78-4.72 (m, 1H), 4.30-4.28 (m, 1H), 4.15 (d,  $J = 5.96$ Hz, 1H), 3.89-3.84 (m, 1H), 3.71-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.58-3.56 (m, 1H),

3.14-3.12 (m, 1H), 2.53-2.50 (m, 1H), 2.44-2.39 (m, 1H), 1.85-1.81 (m, 6H); (minor isomer) 9.15 (br, 1H), 8.17 (s, 1H), 7.75-7.68 (m, 3H), 7.47-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.34 (s, 2H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.01-6.98 (m, 3H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 5.86 (s, 1H), 4.94-4.85 (m, 1H), 4.47-4.45 (m, 1H), 4.19 (d,  $J = 5.96\text{Hz}$ , 1H), 4.07-4.01 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.71-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.58-3.56 (m, 1H), 3.23-3.20 (m, 1H), 2.94-2.89 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.90 (m, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  171.6, 171.2, 170.8, 170.3, 169.9, 163.1 (d,  $J = 246.25\text{Hz}$ ), 152.6, 147.9, 147.7, 140.2, 132.9, 132.7 (d,  $J = 8.72\text{Hz}$ ), 132.0, 131.4, 130.8 (d,  $J = 7.62\text{Hz}$ ), 128.0, 123.7, 121.8, 120.8, 119.5, 116.3 (d,  $J = 19.97\text{Hz}$ ), 115.9, 113.1 (d,  $J = 23.05\text{Hz}$ ), 111.5, 100.0, 82.3, 60.7, 54.3, 52.3, 51.6, 47.4, 41.2, 35.5, 28.7, 25.9, 25.0, 22.8; IR (KBr):  $\nu$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 3257, 3045, 2924, 1747, 1635, 1591, 1417, 1384, 1228, 1047, 879, 748  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{40}\text{FN}_8\text{O}_9$  [M+FORMATE] $^-$ : 783.2908; Found: 783.2912.

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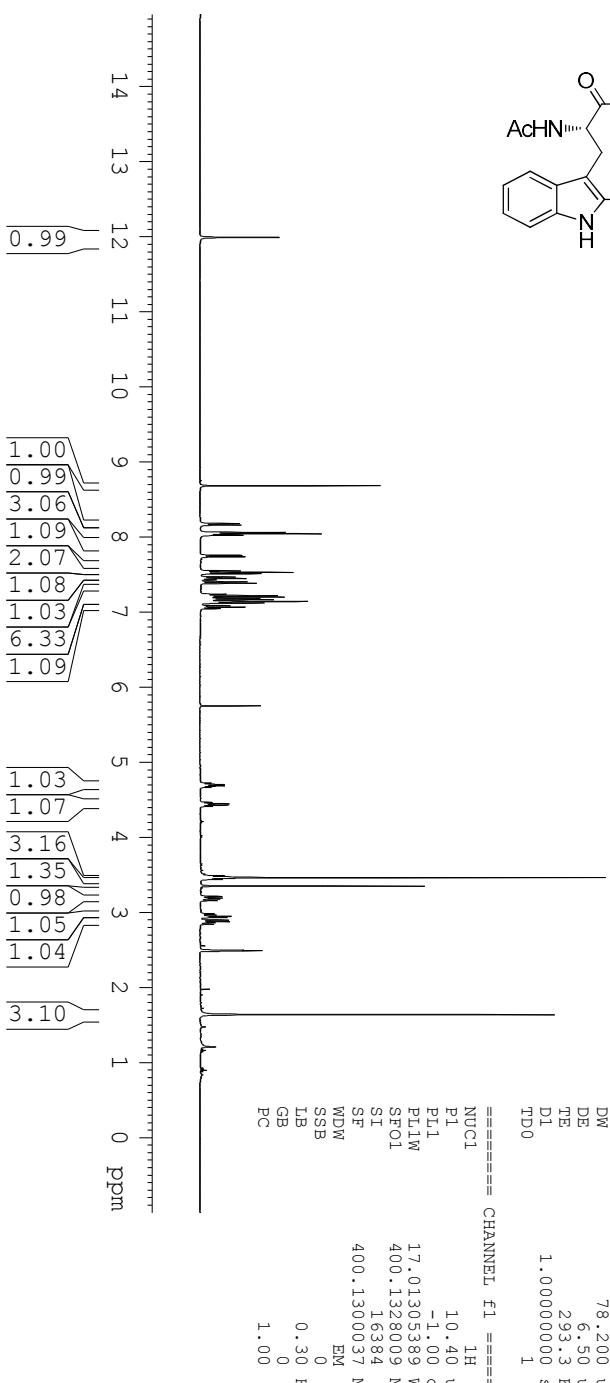
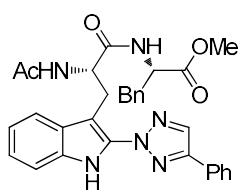
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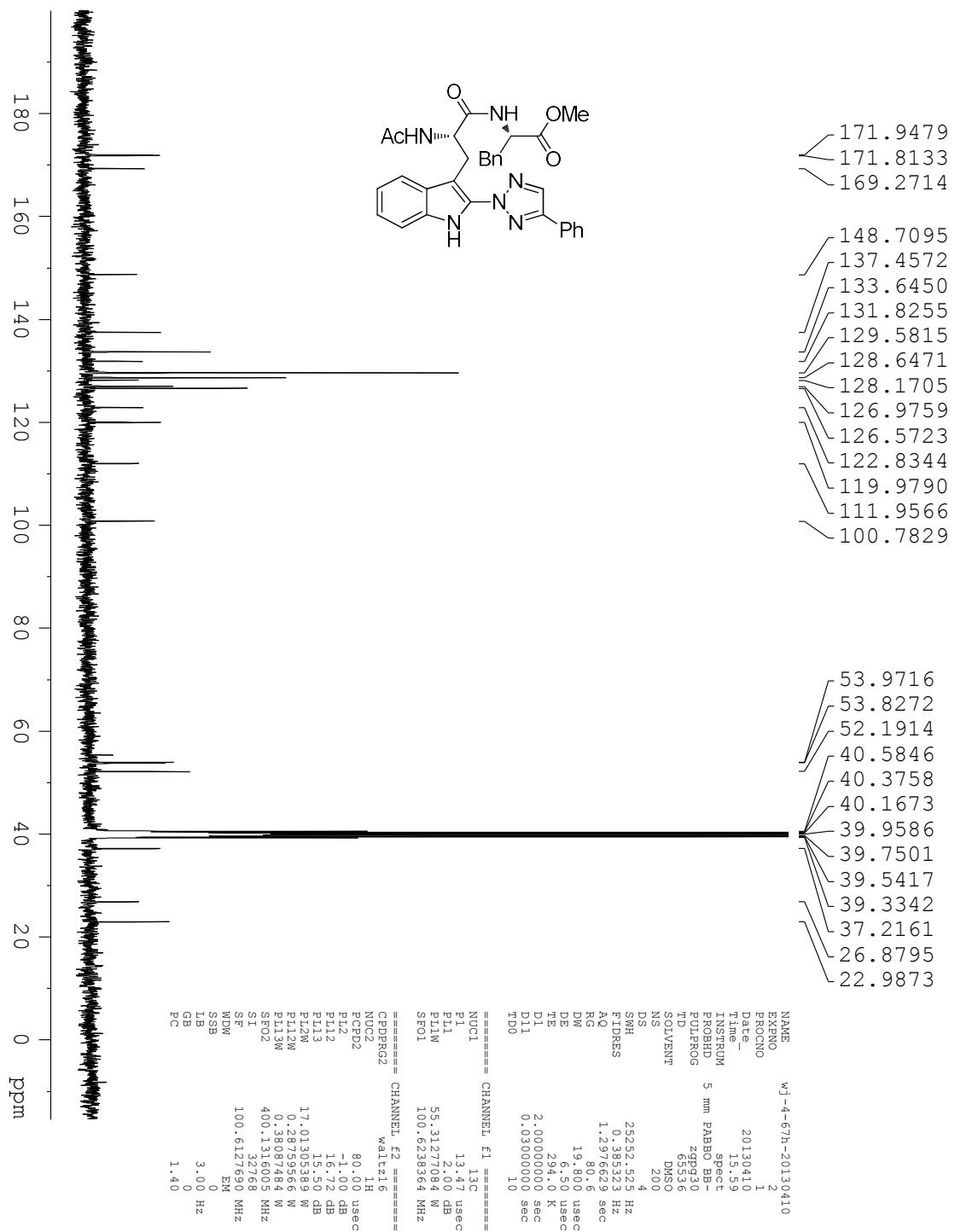
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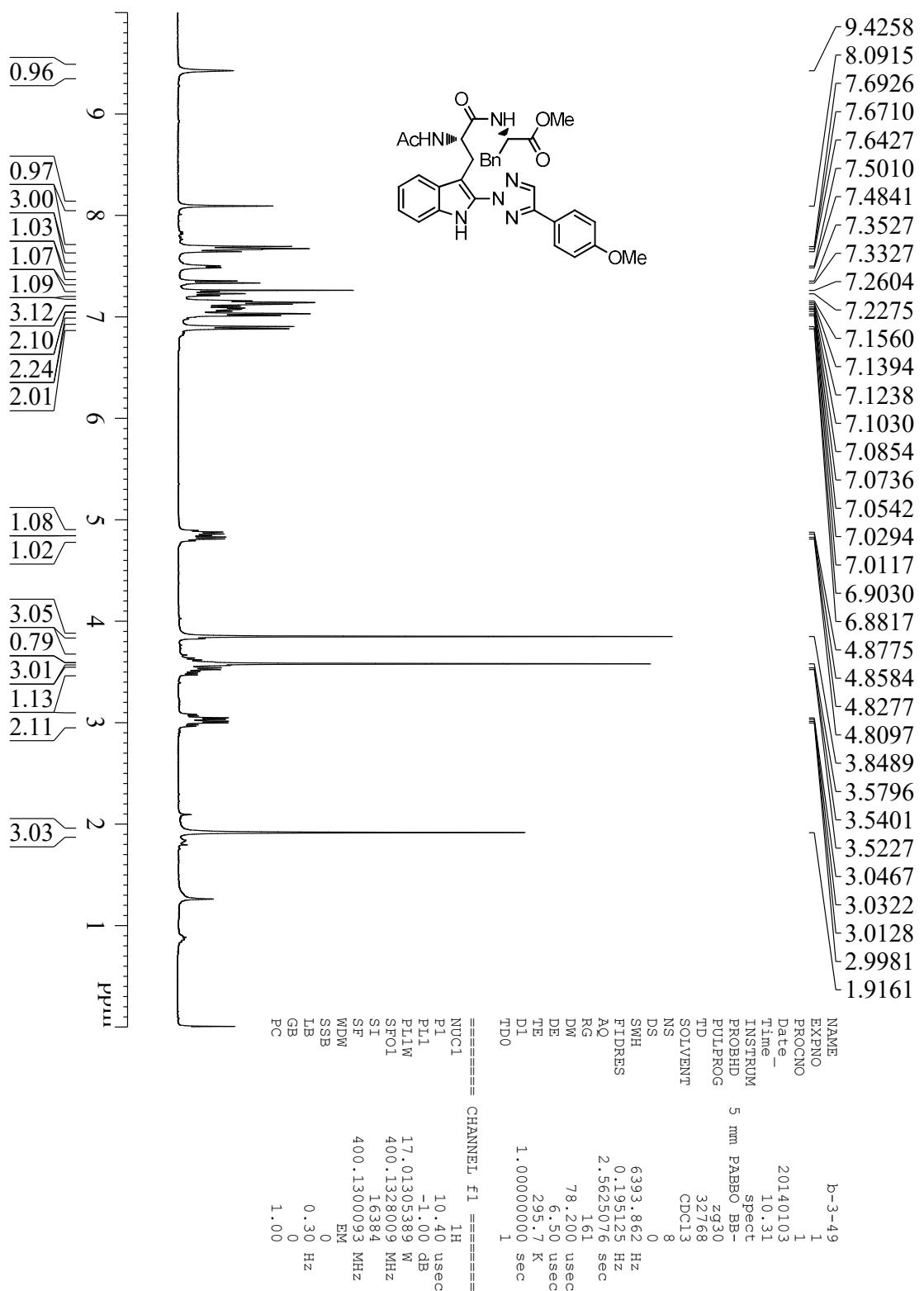
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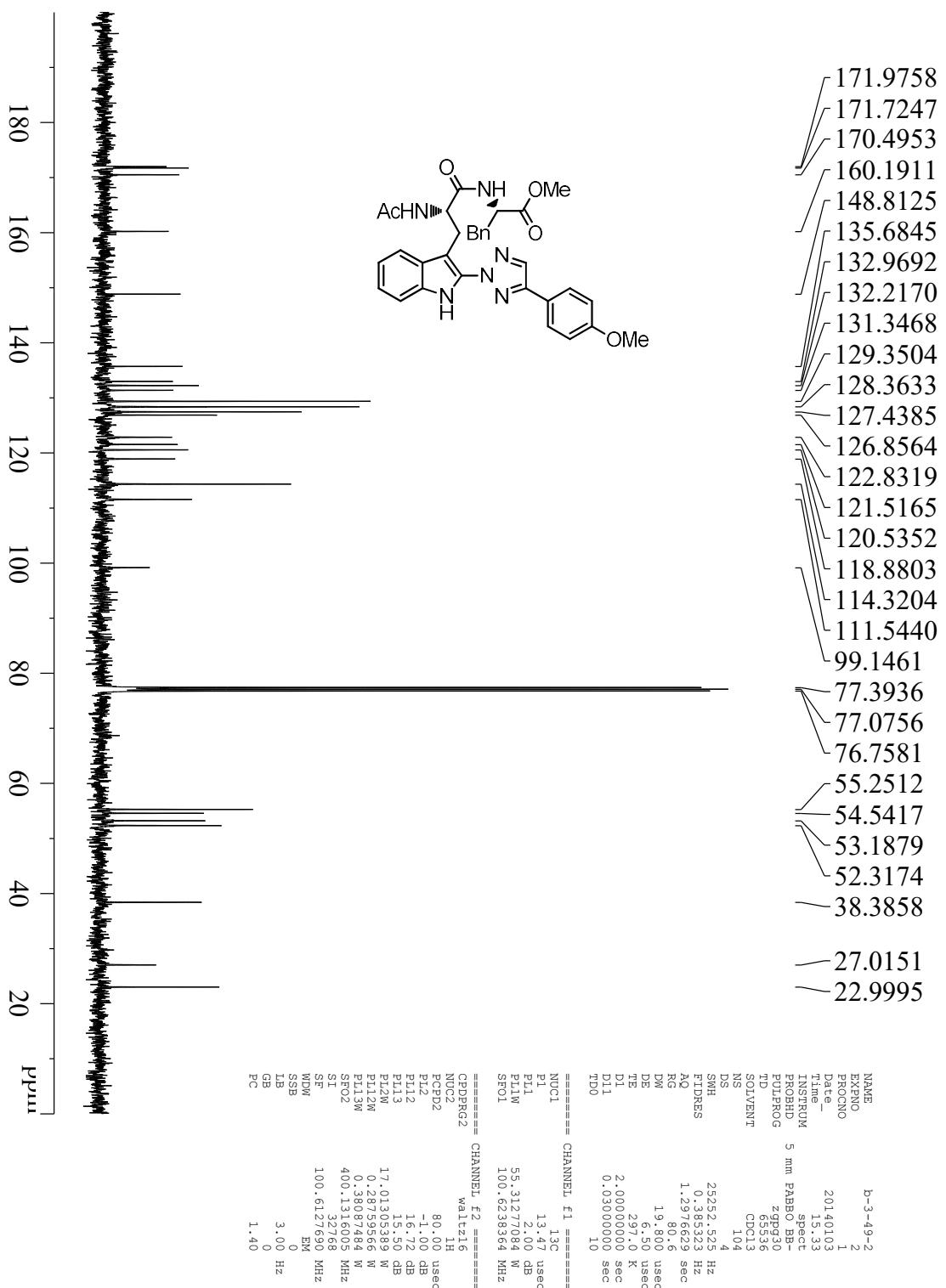
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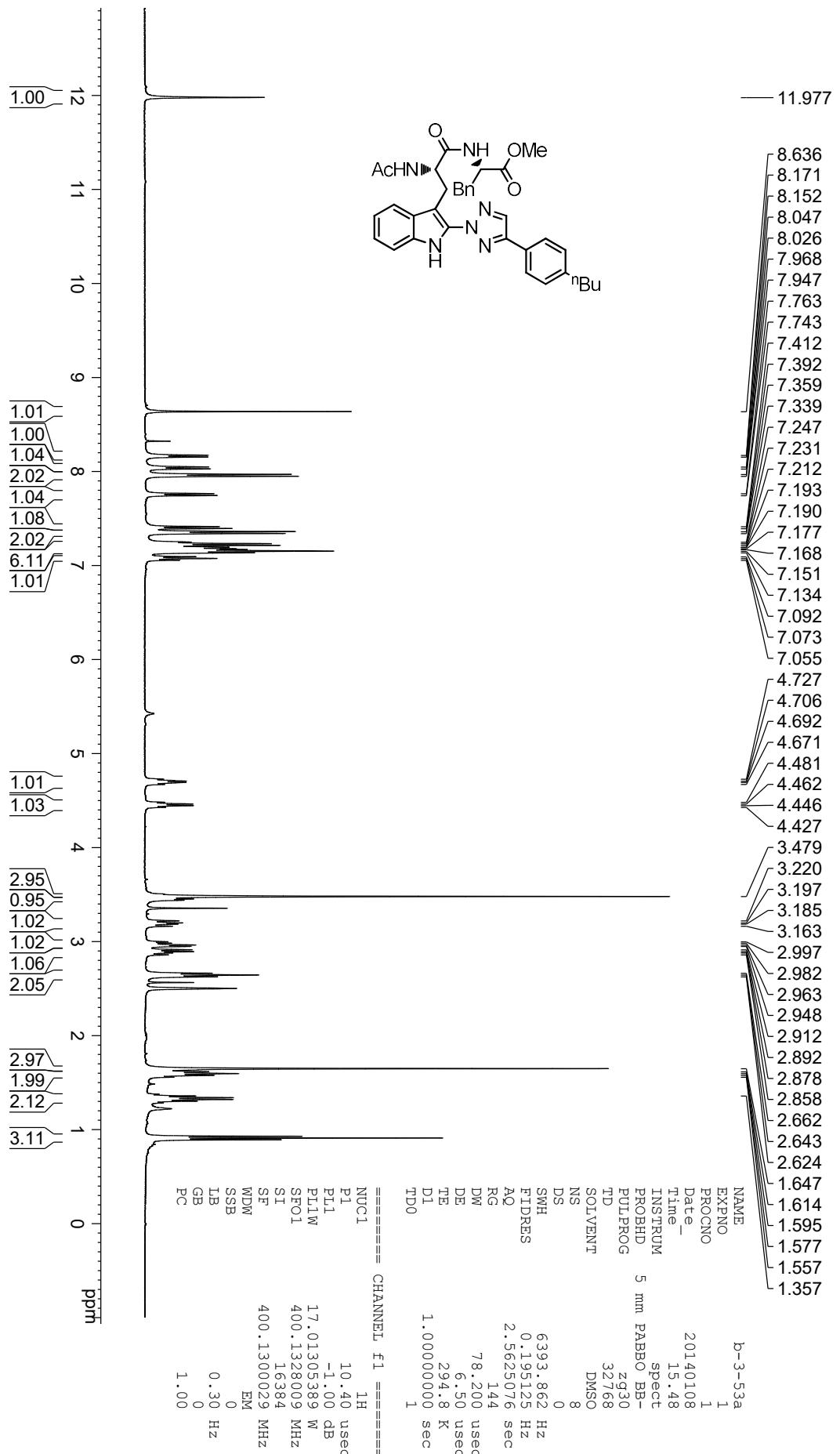
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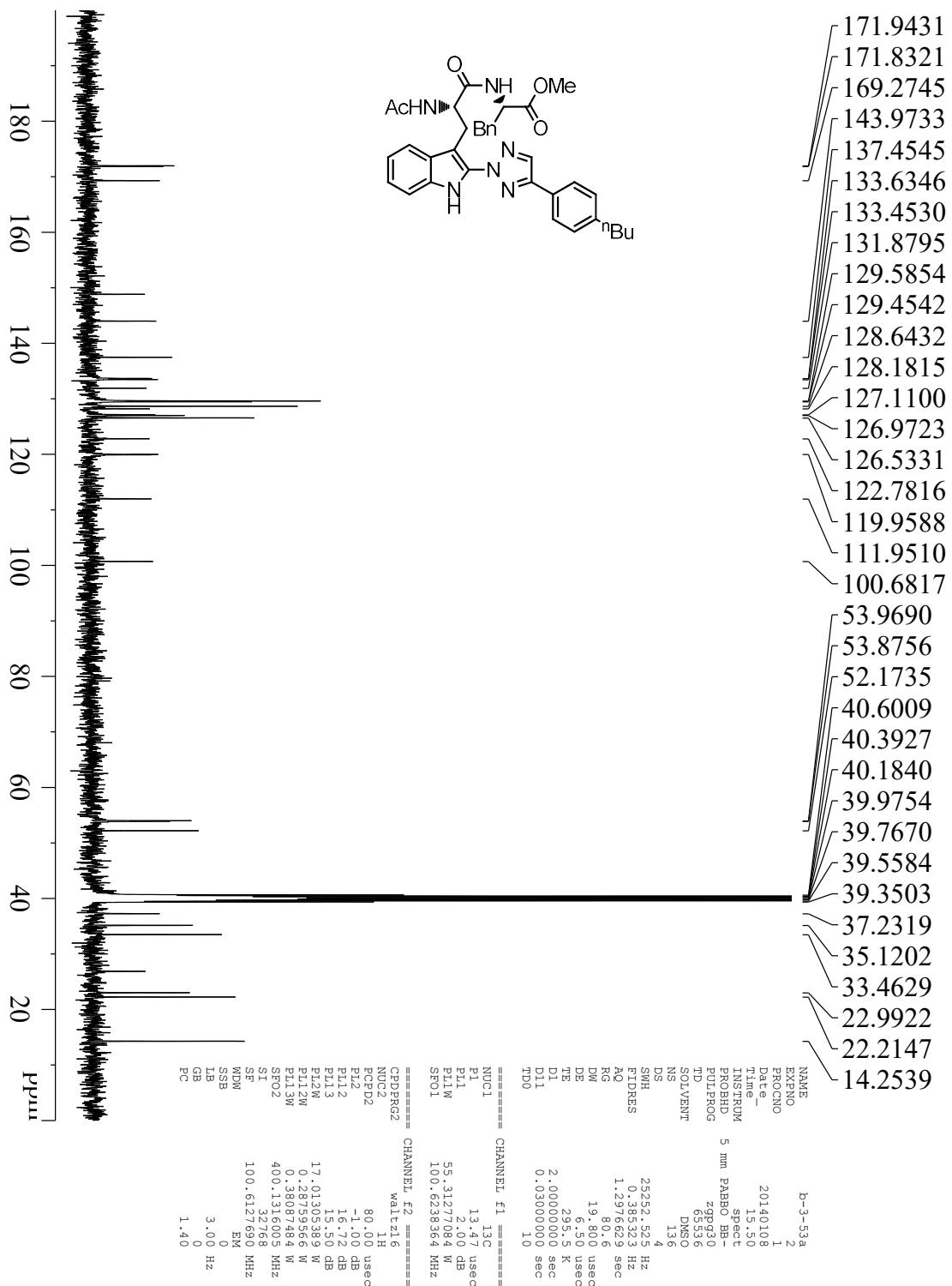


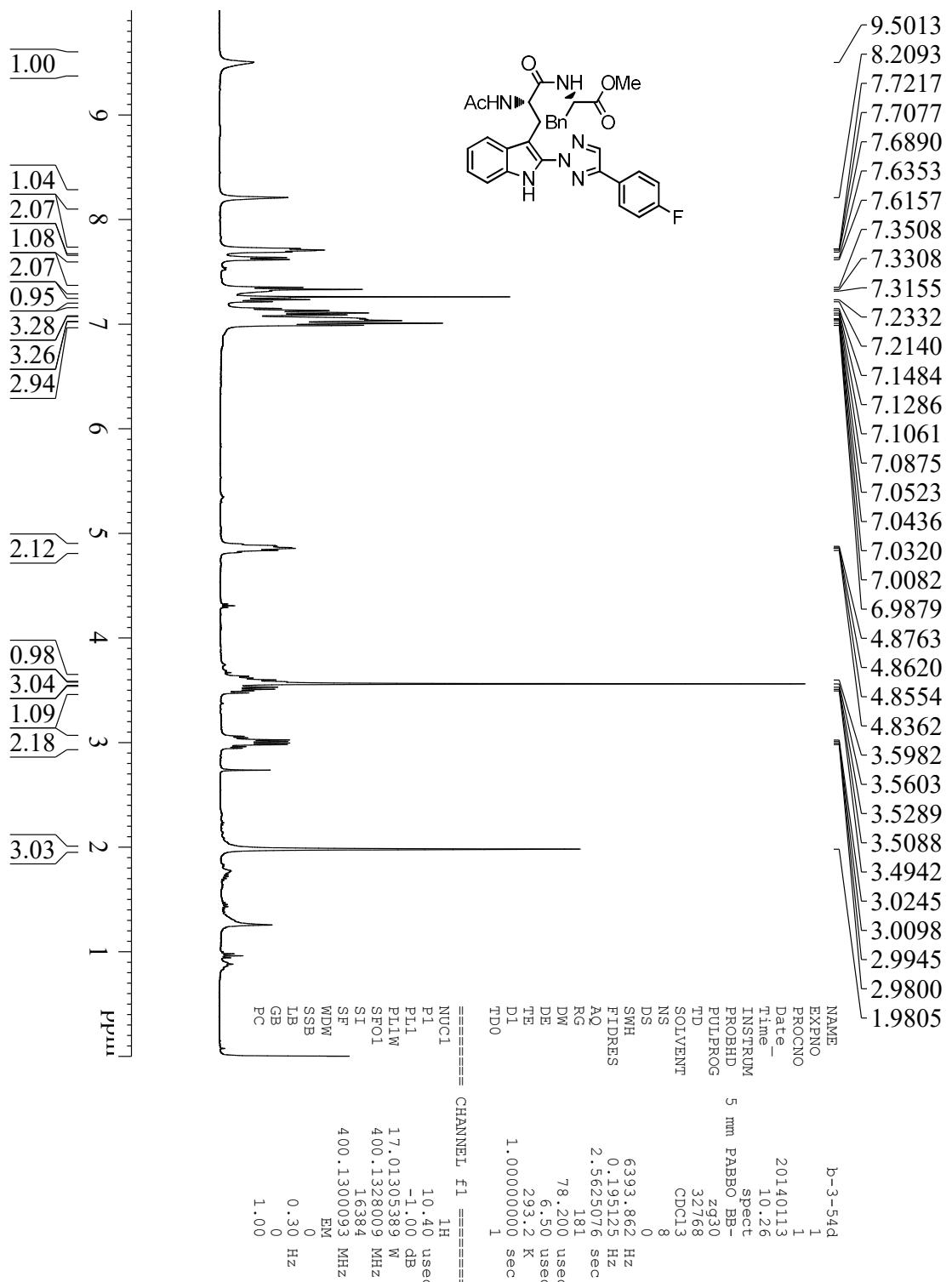


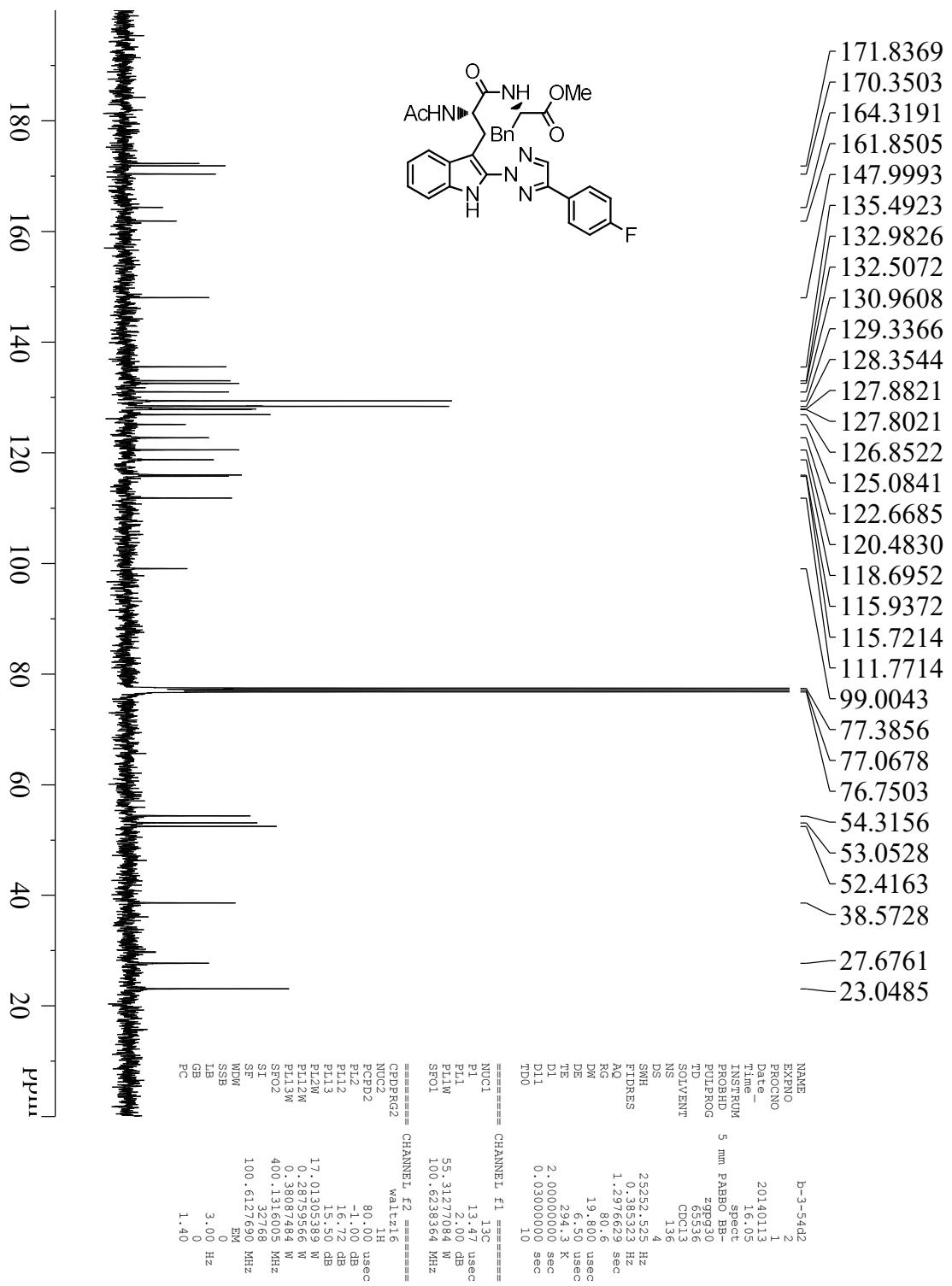


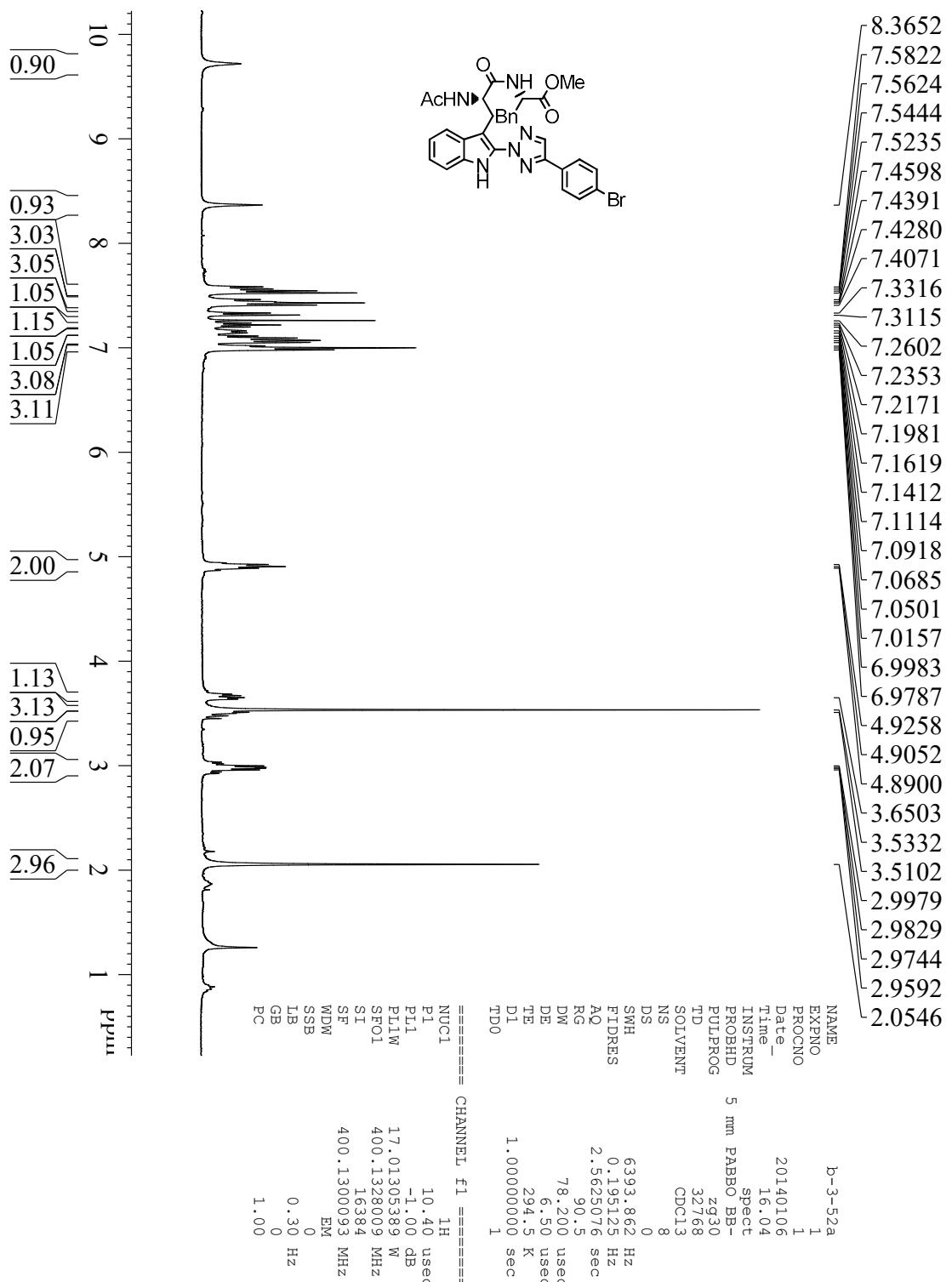


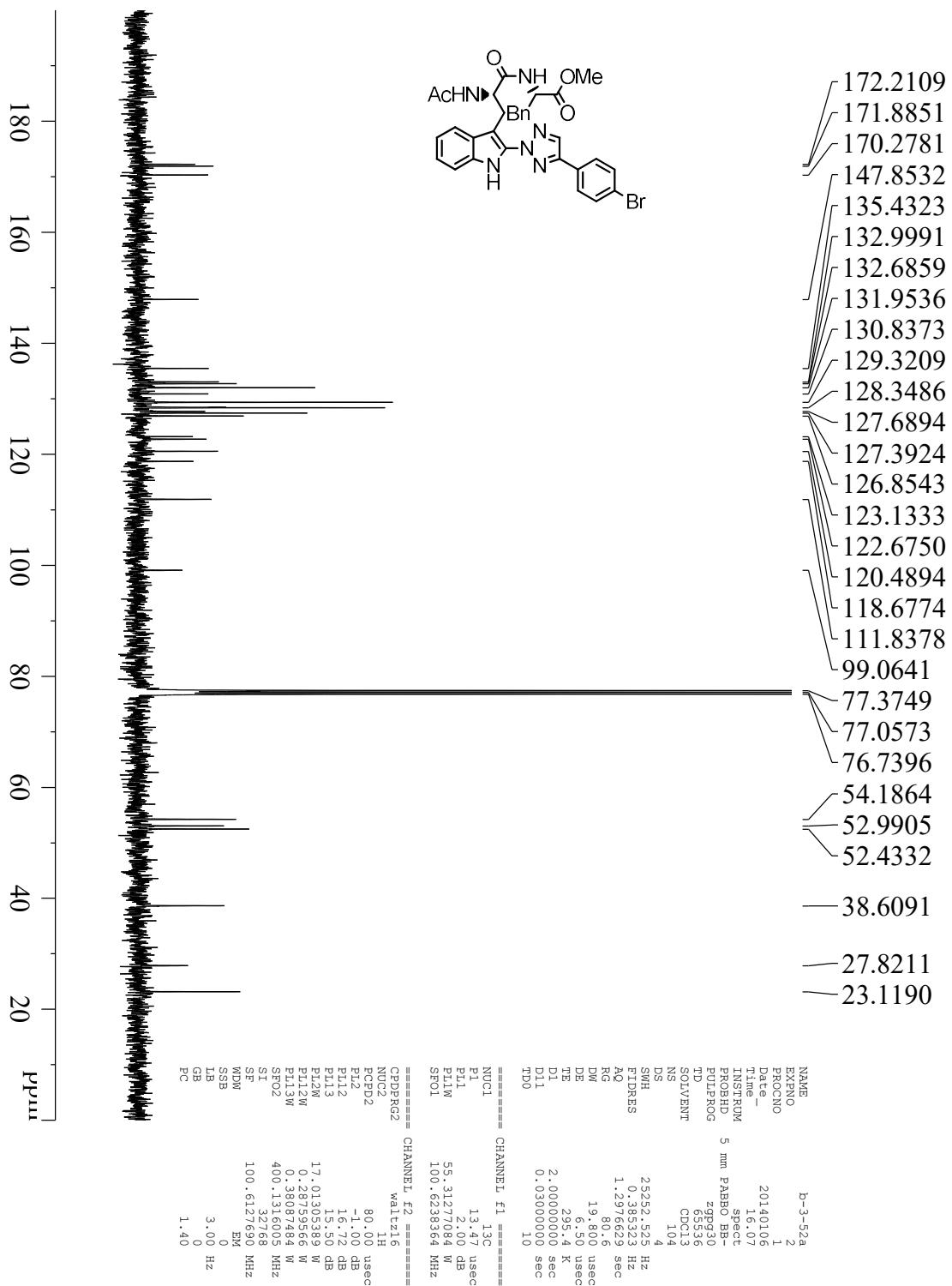


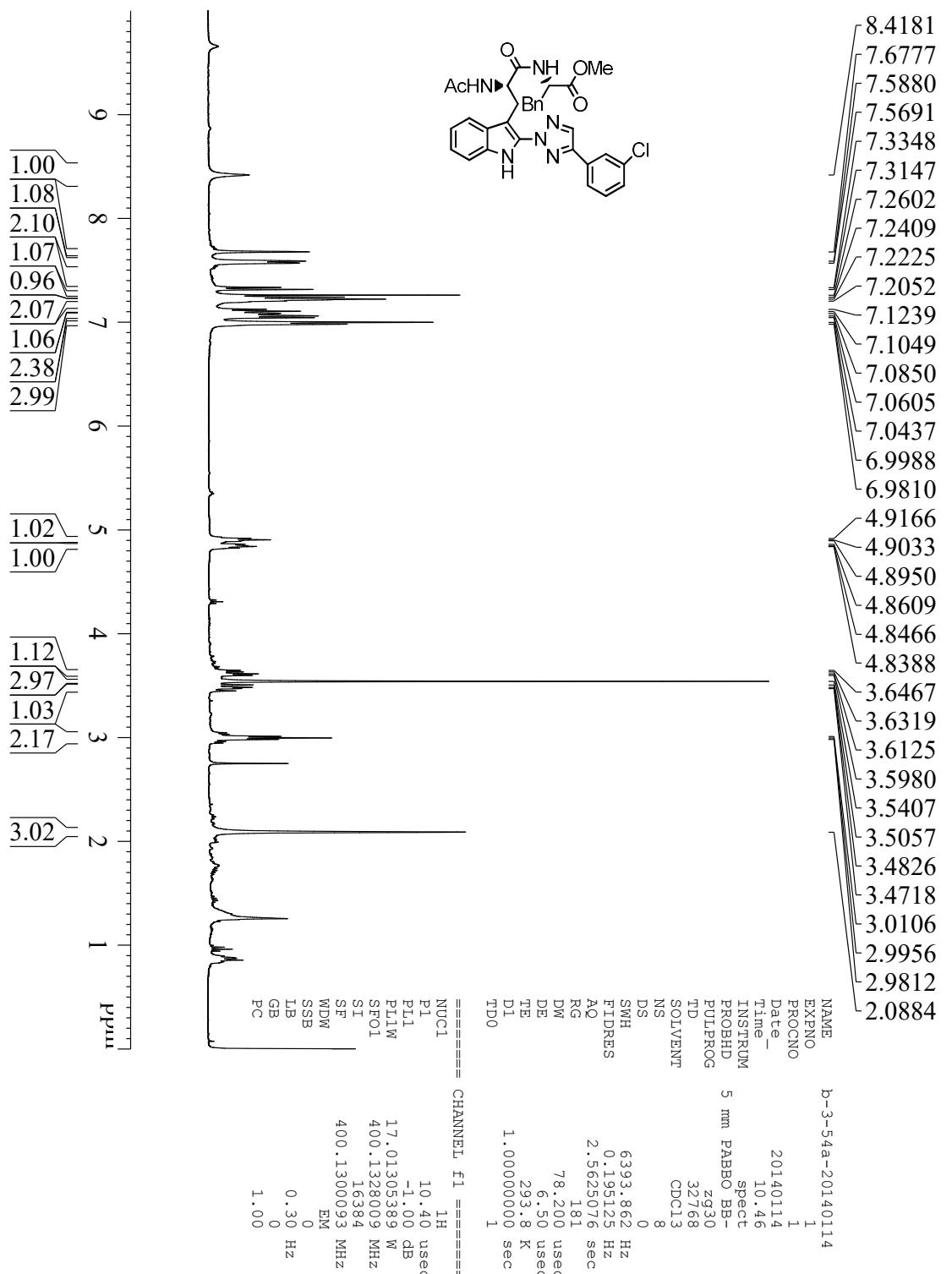


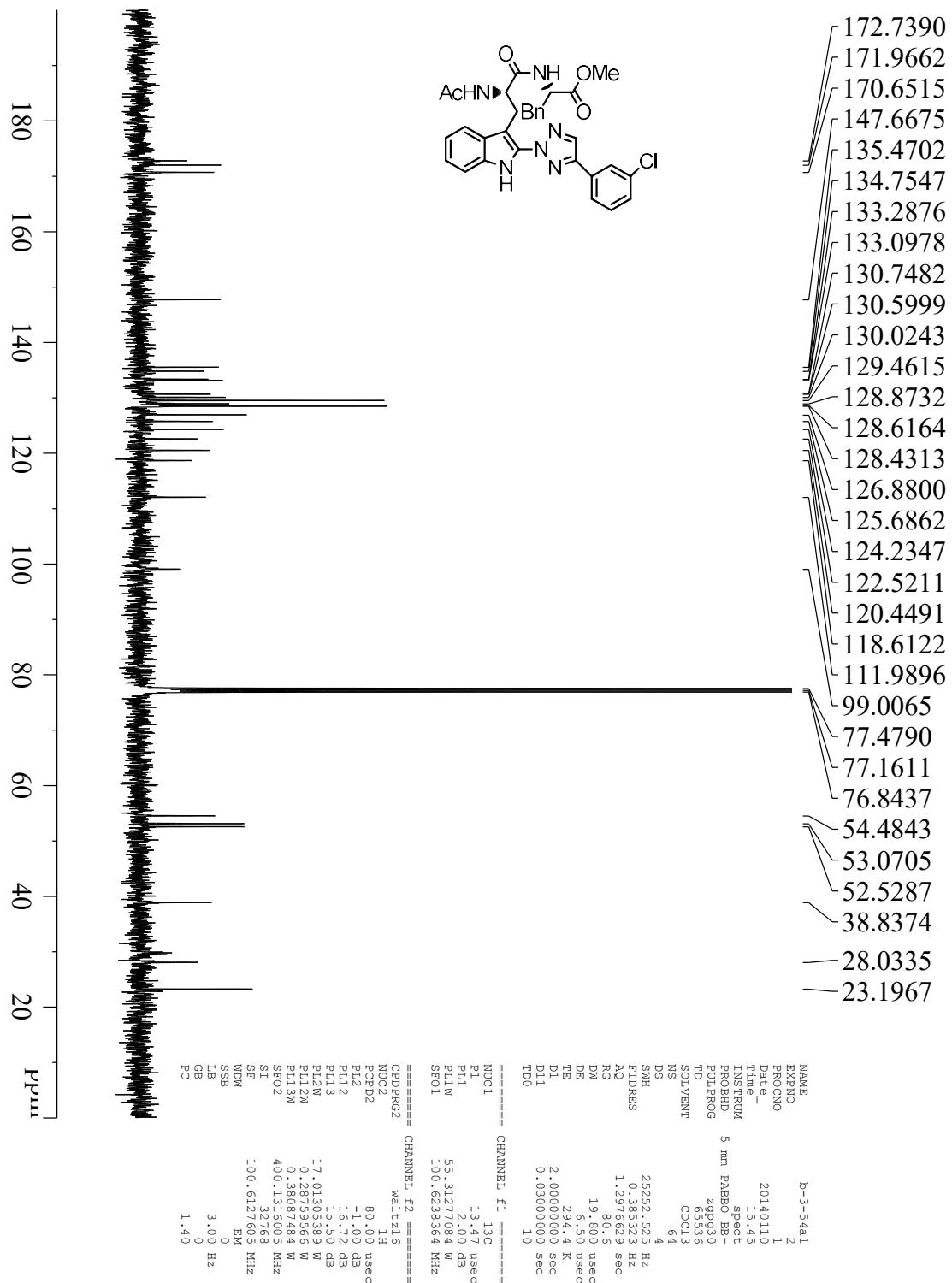


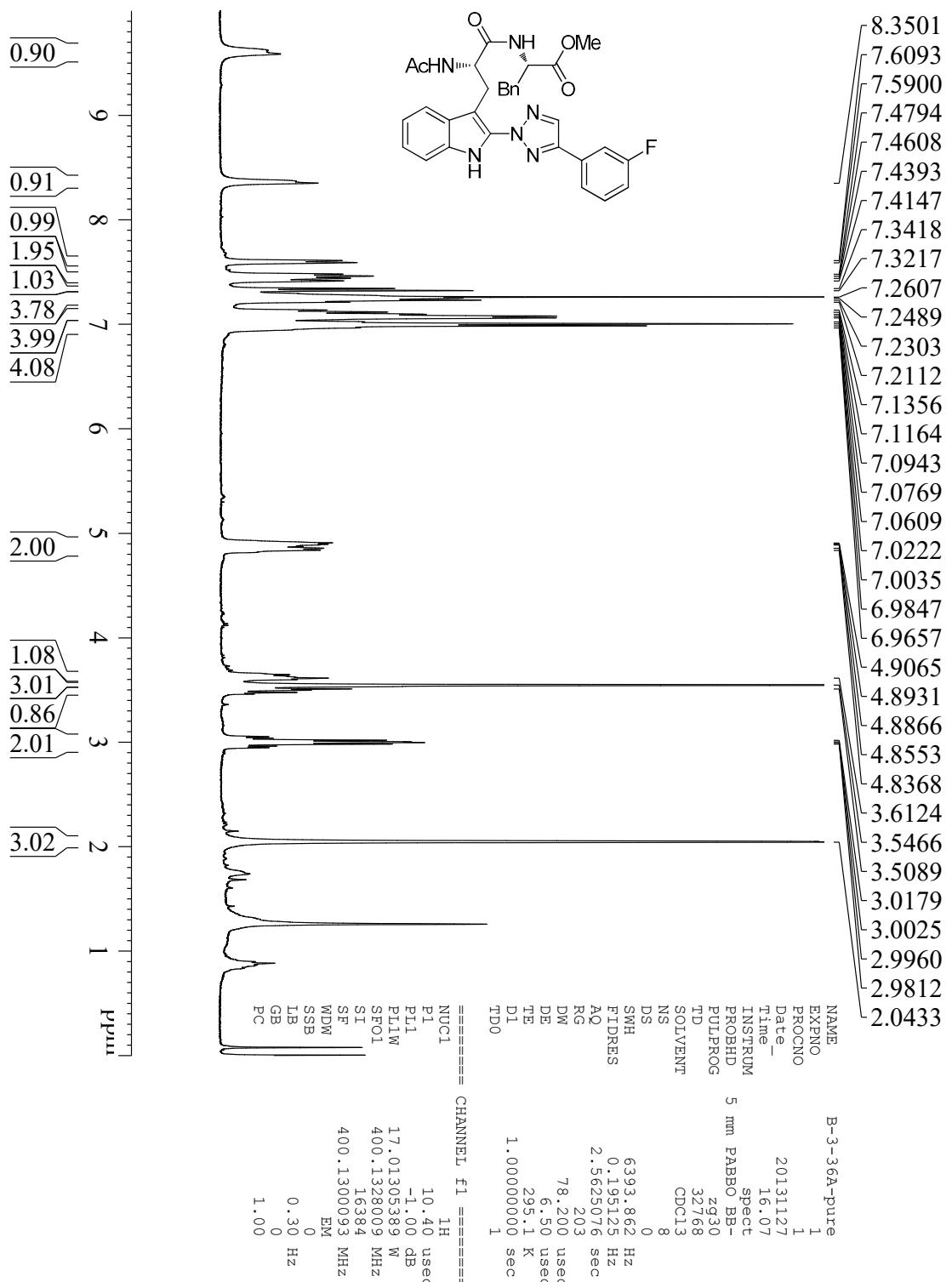


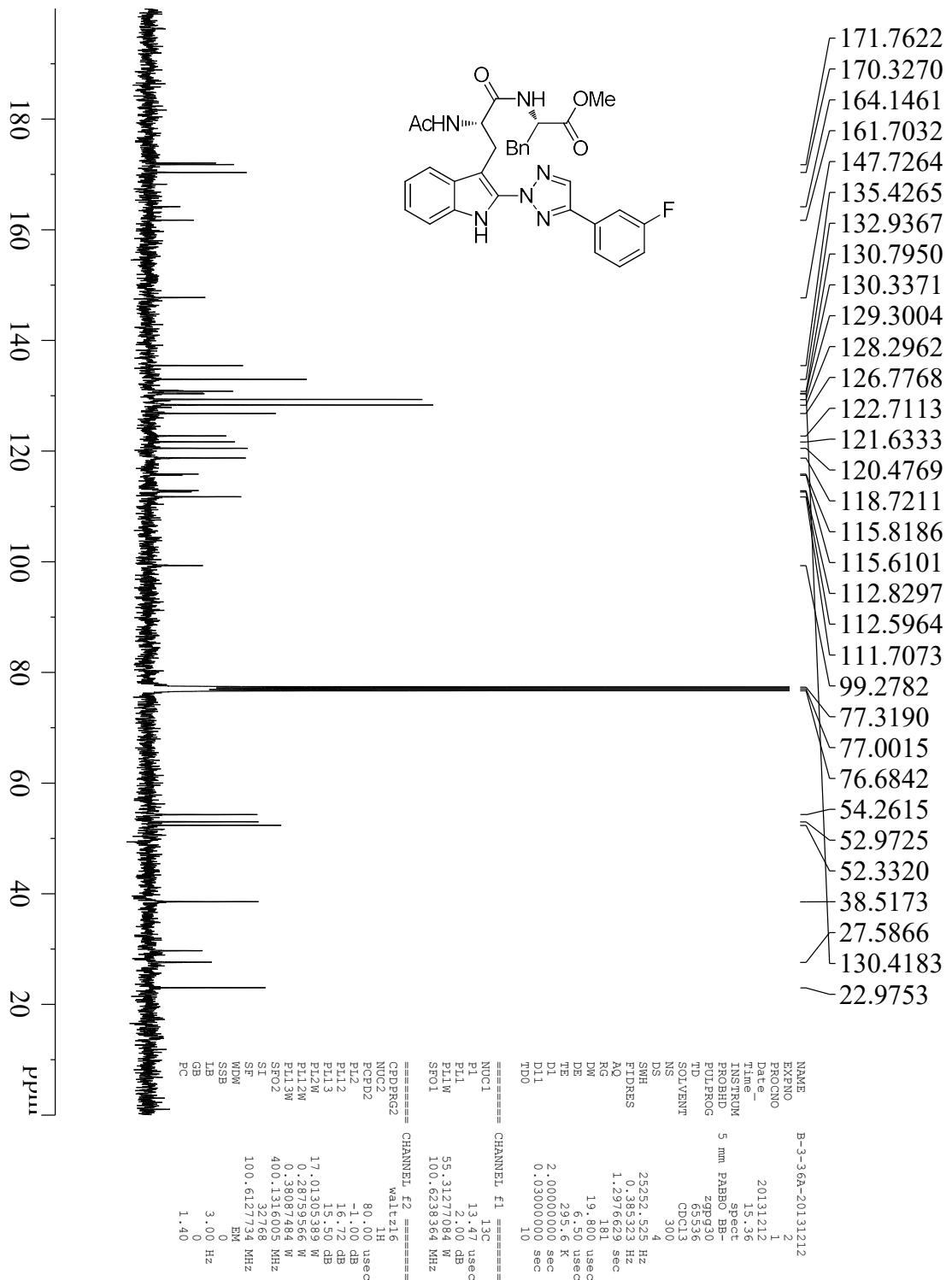


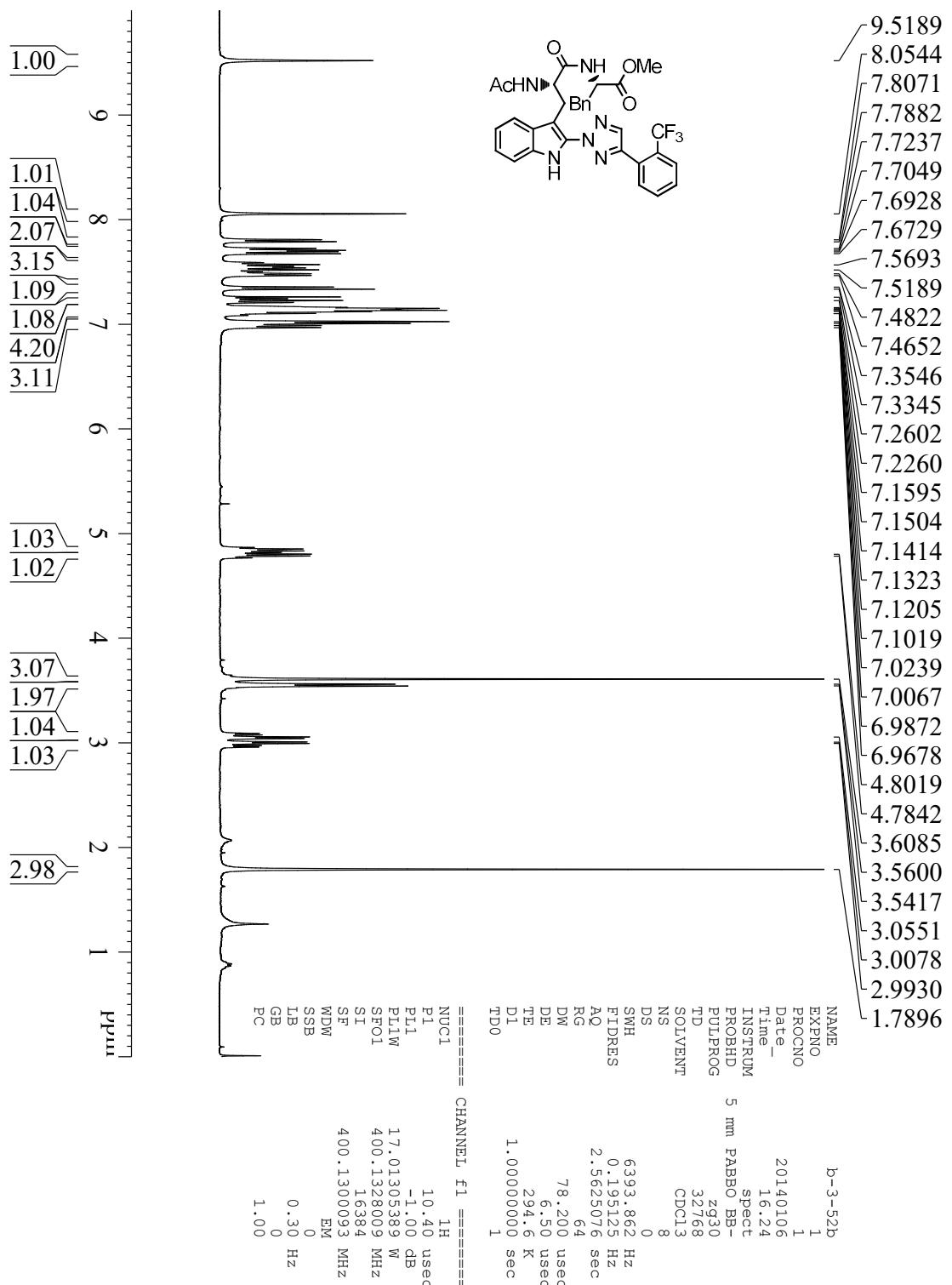


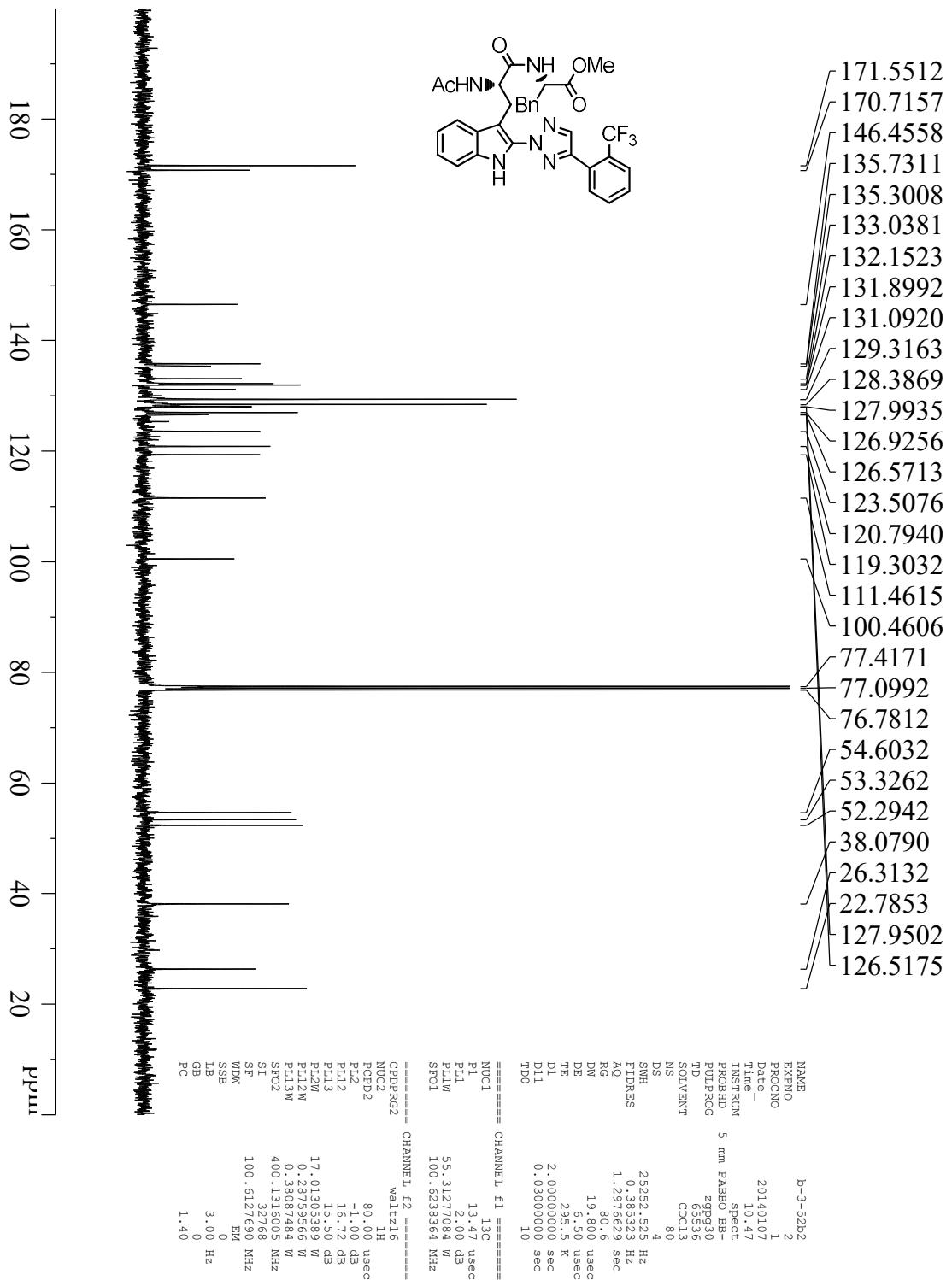


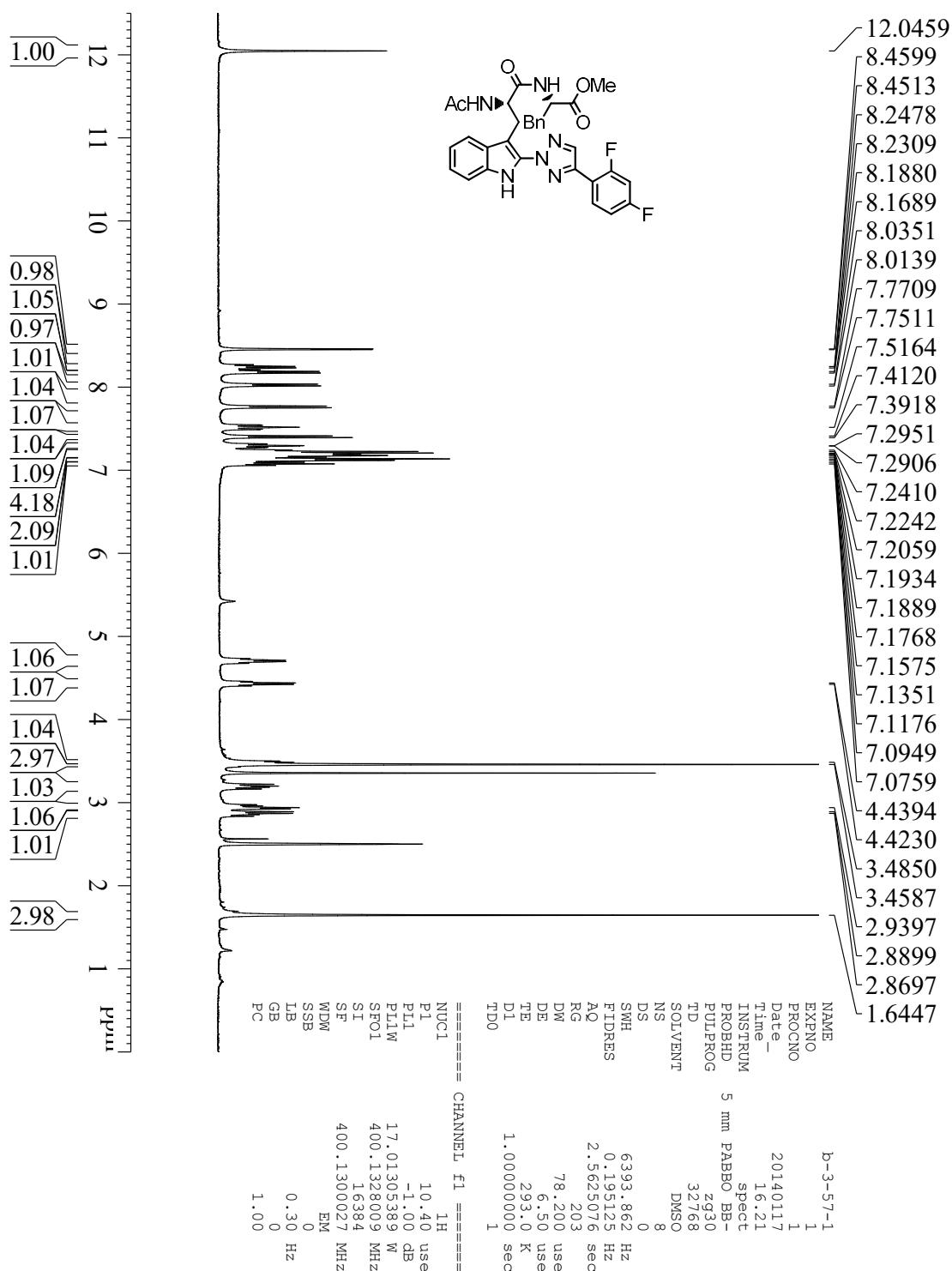


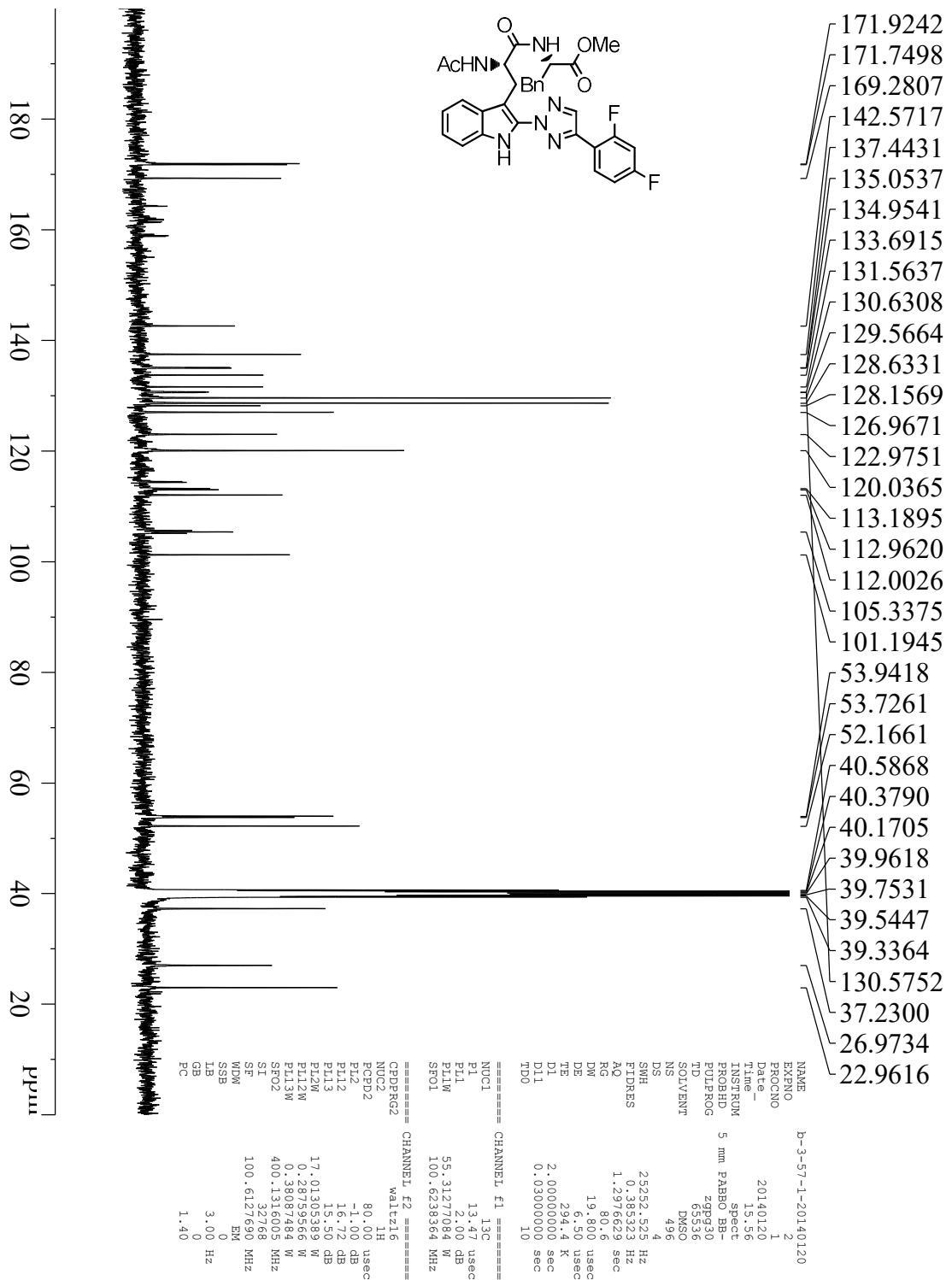


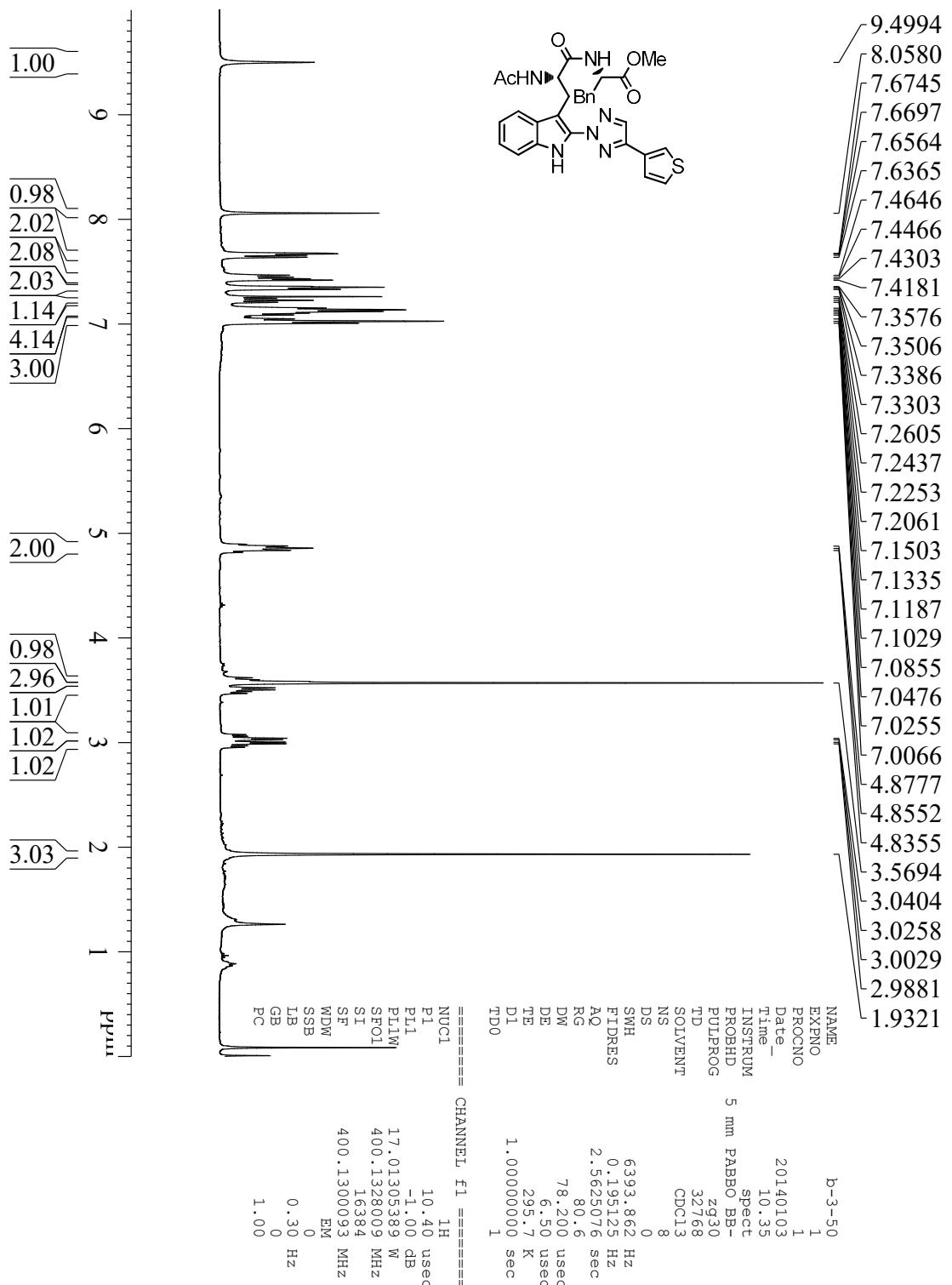


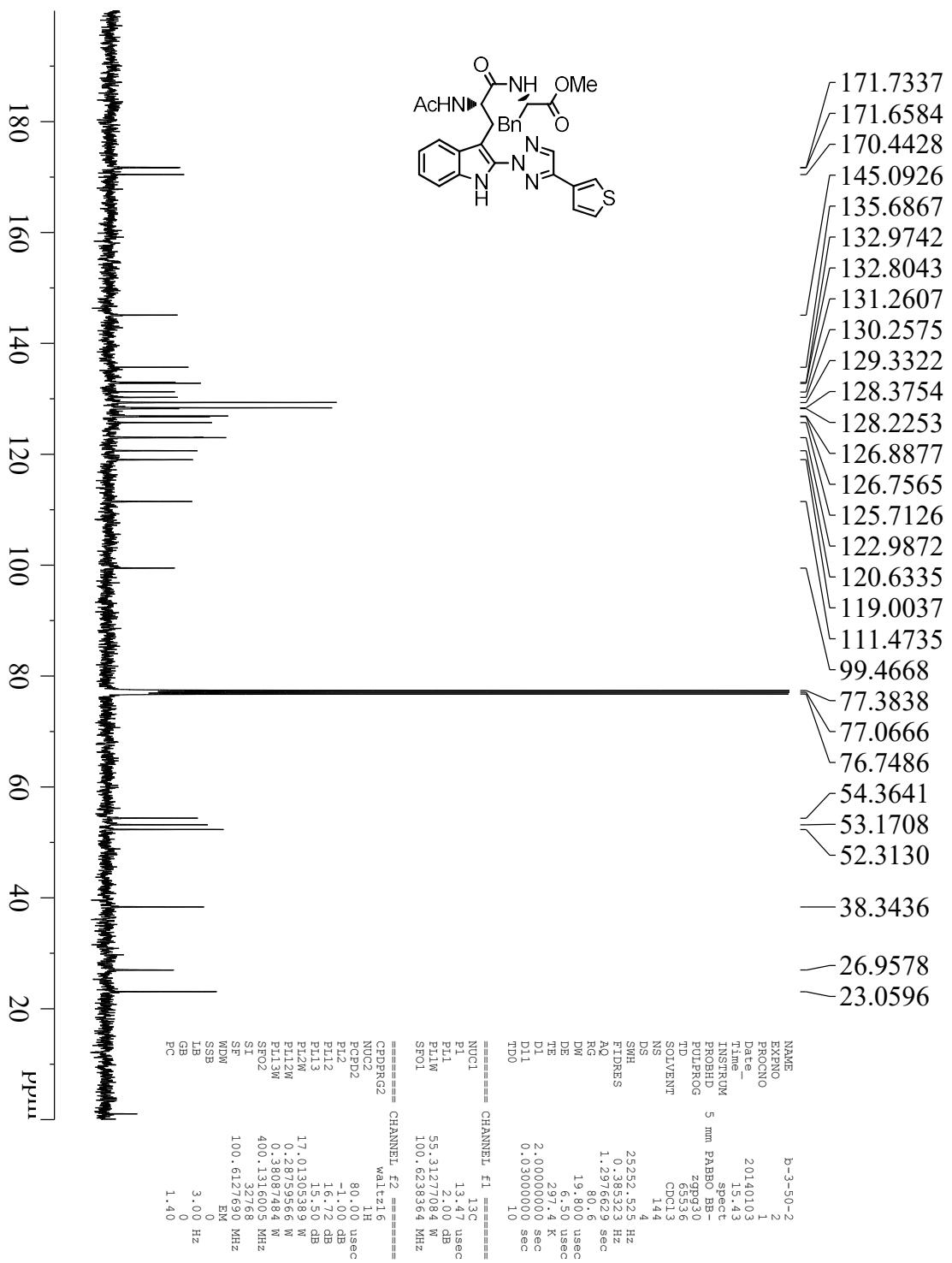


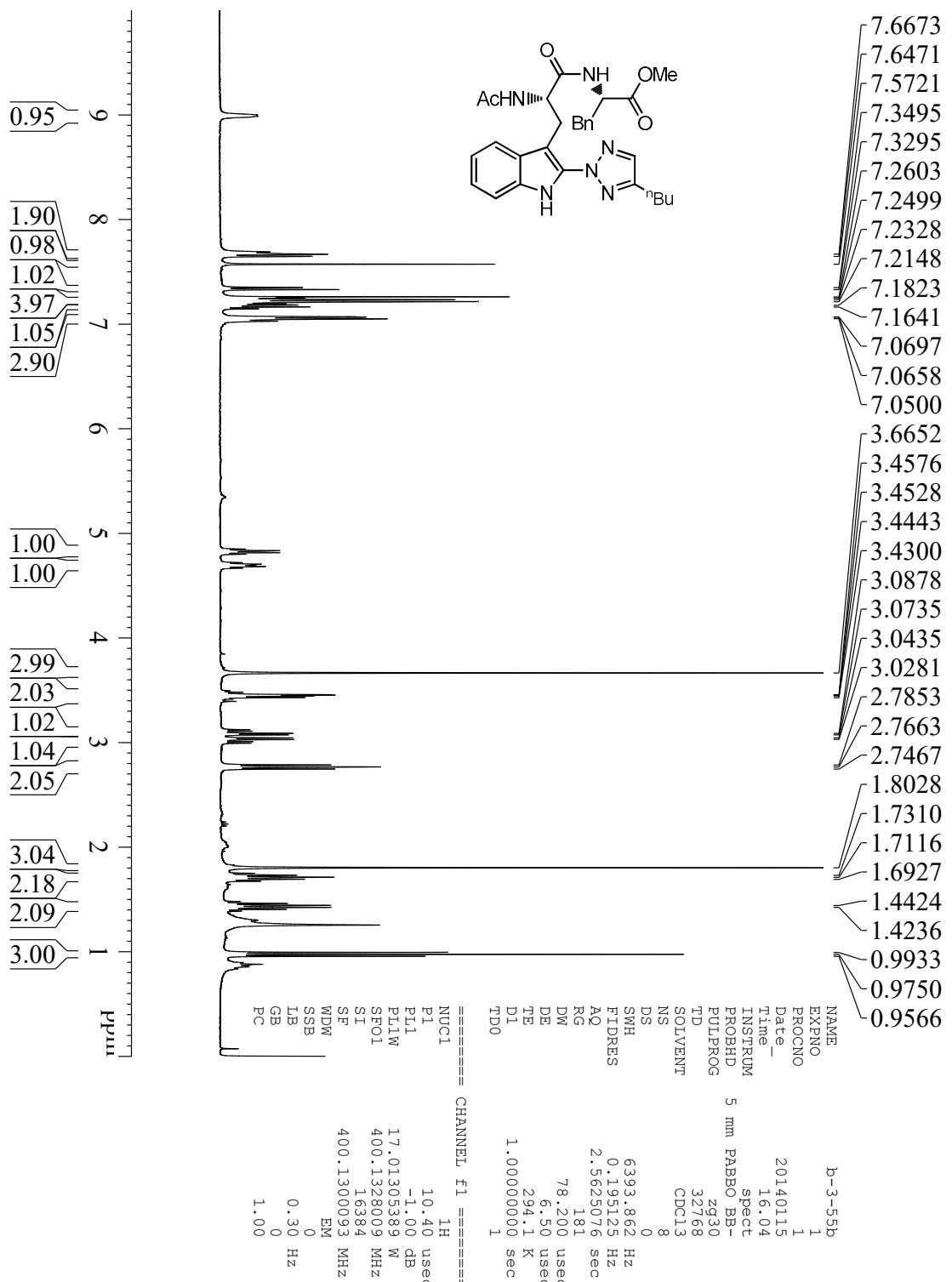


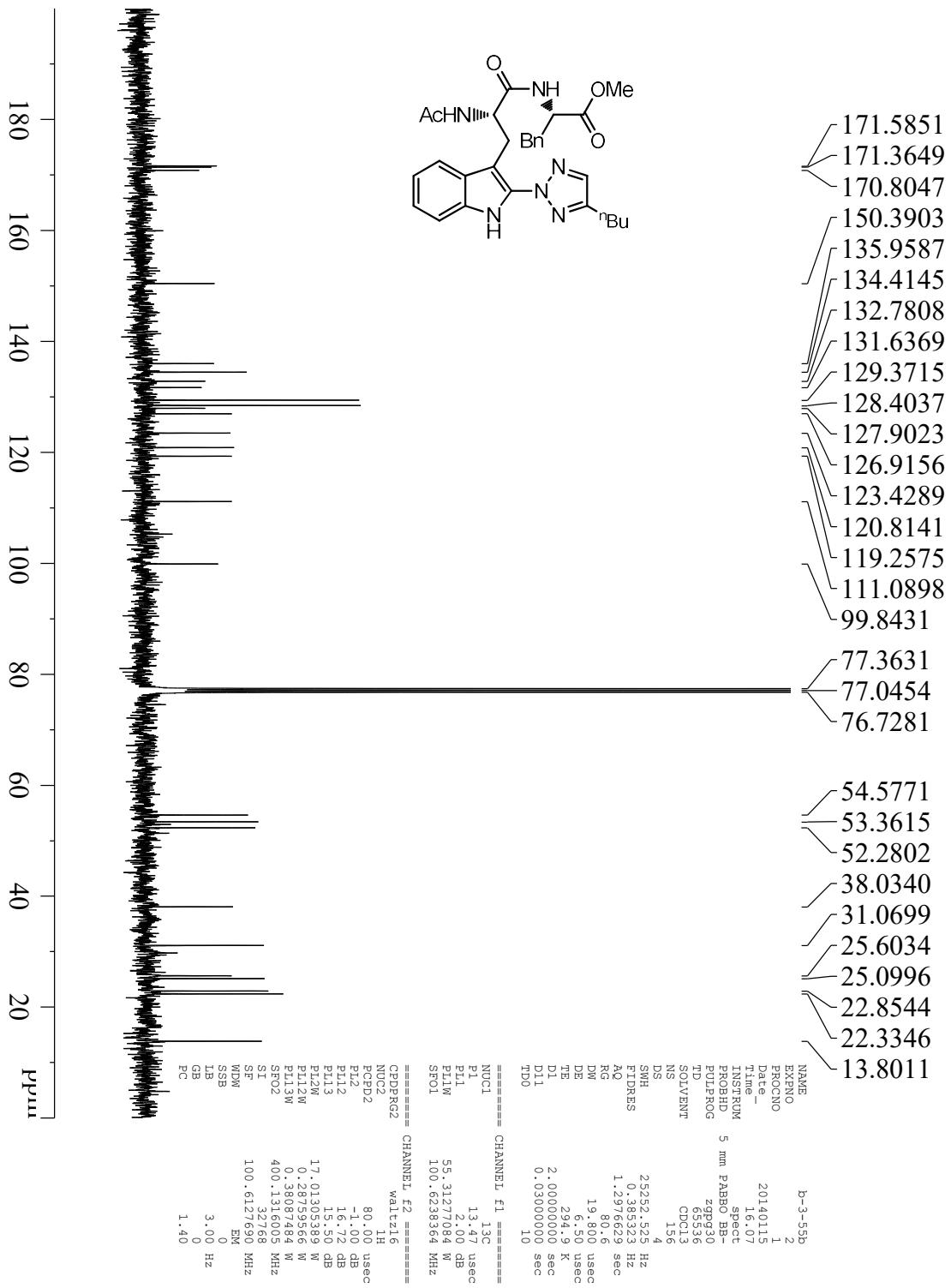


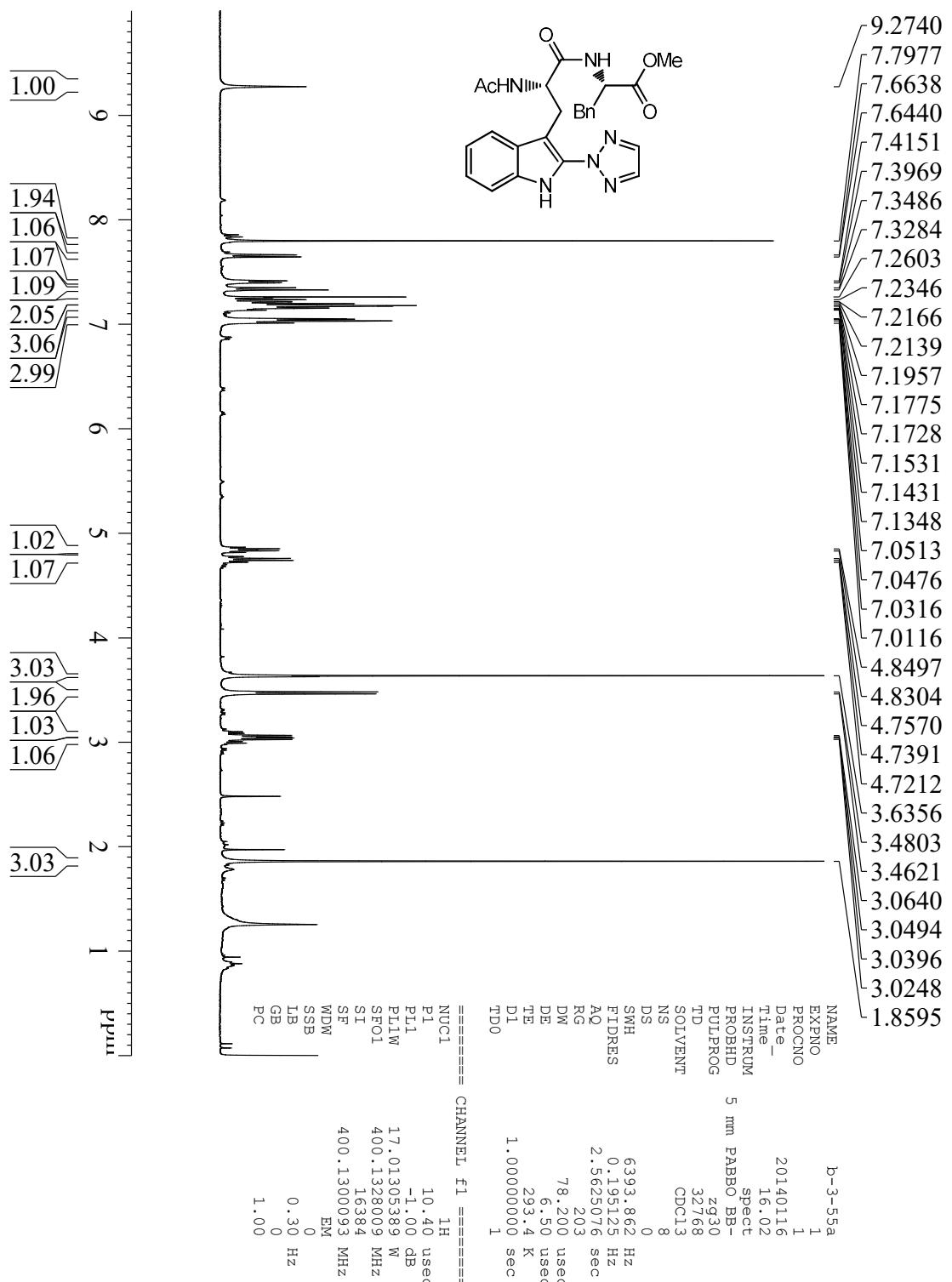


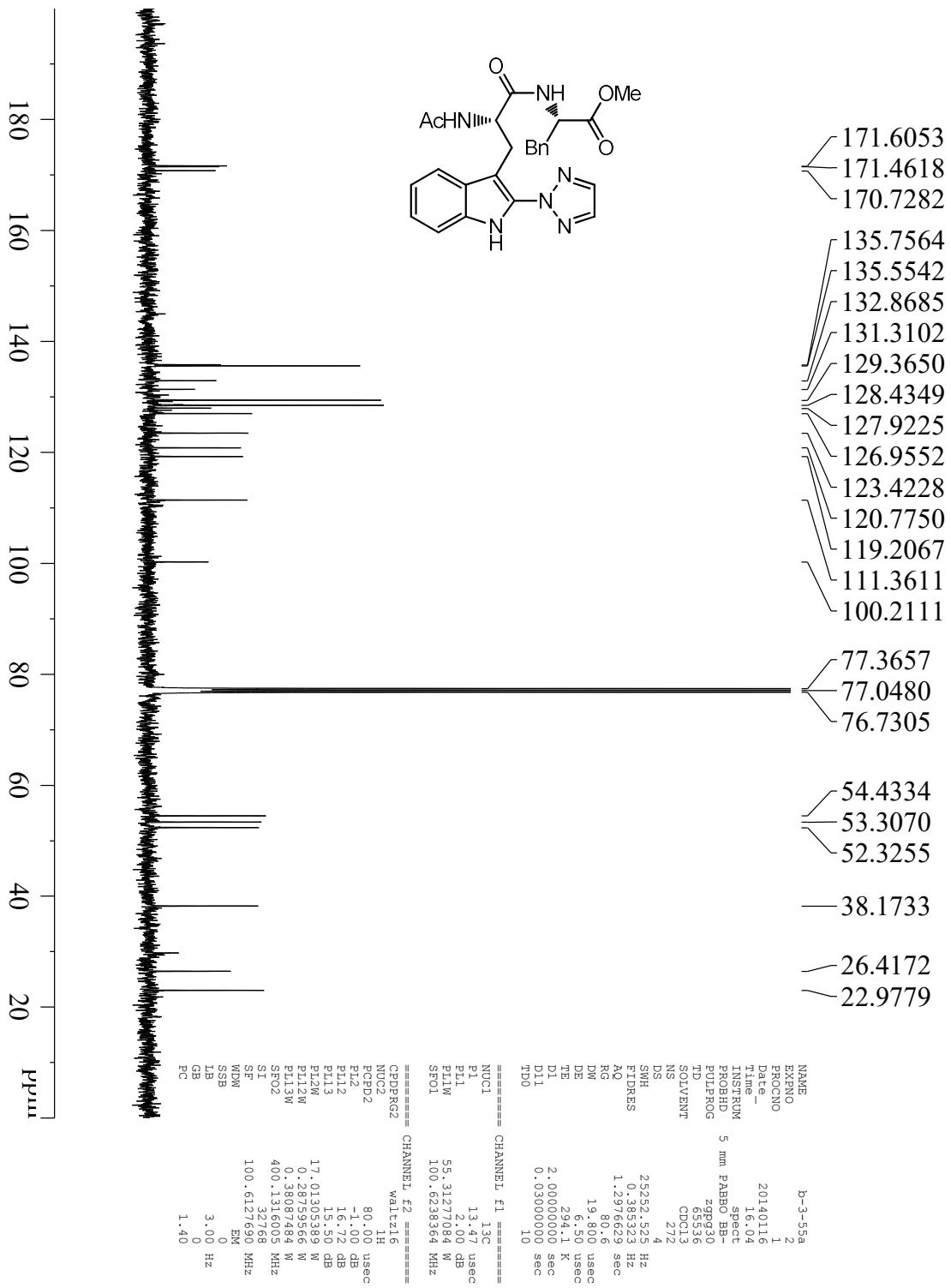


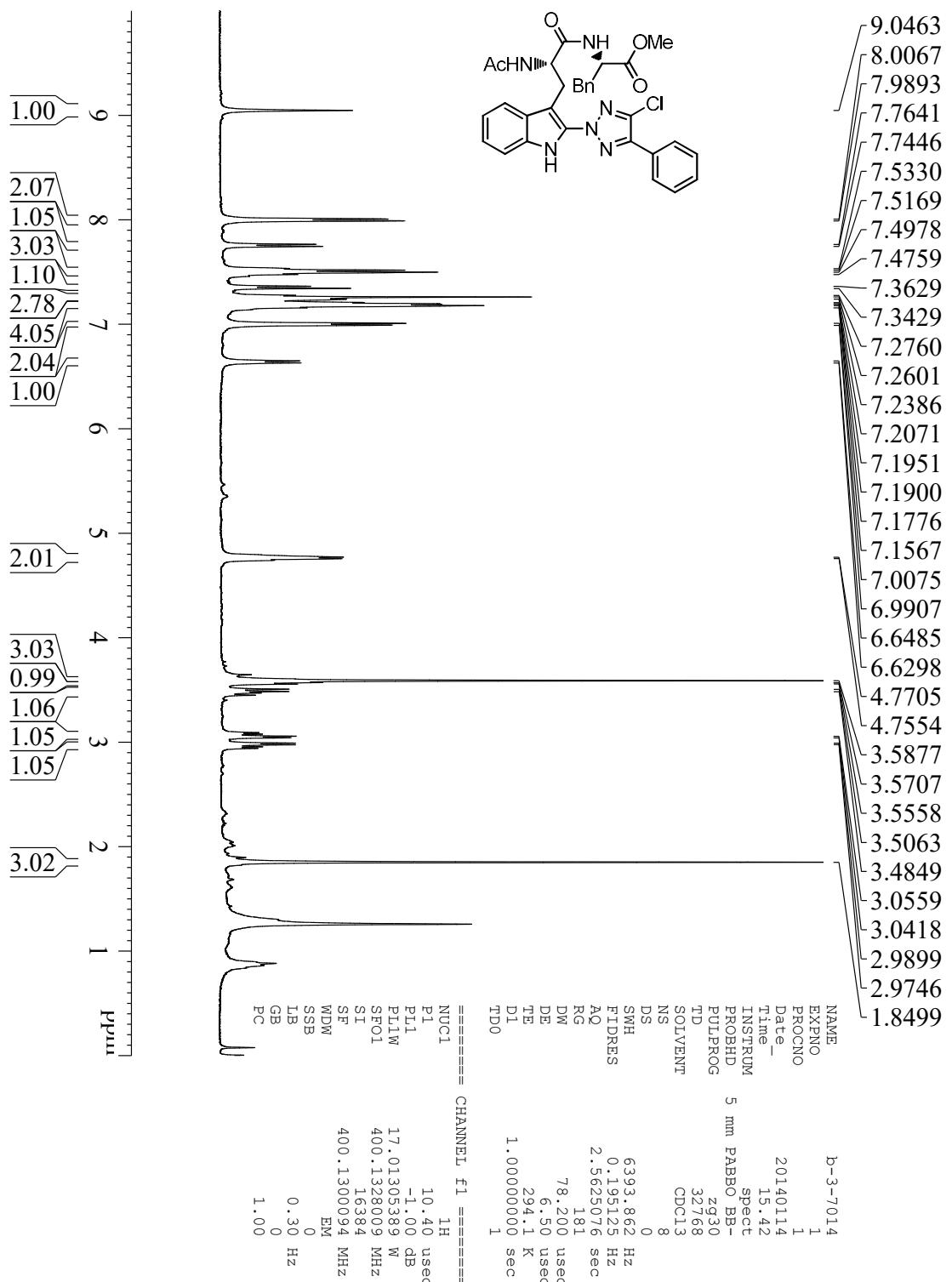


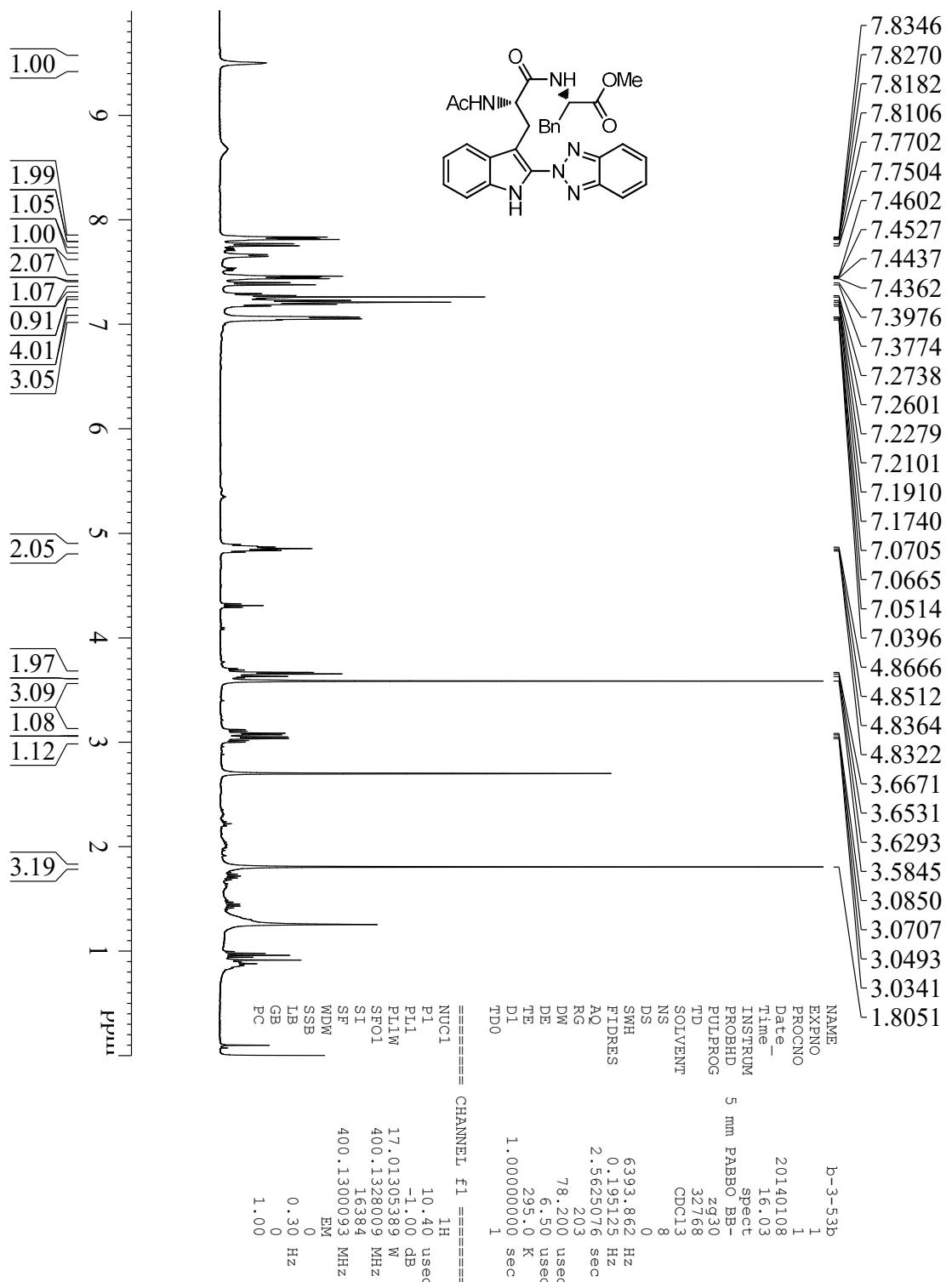


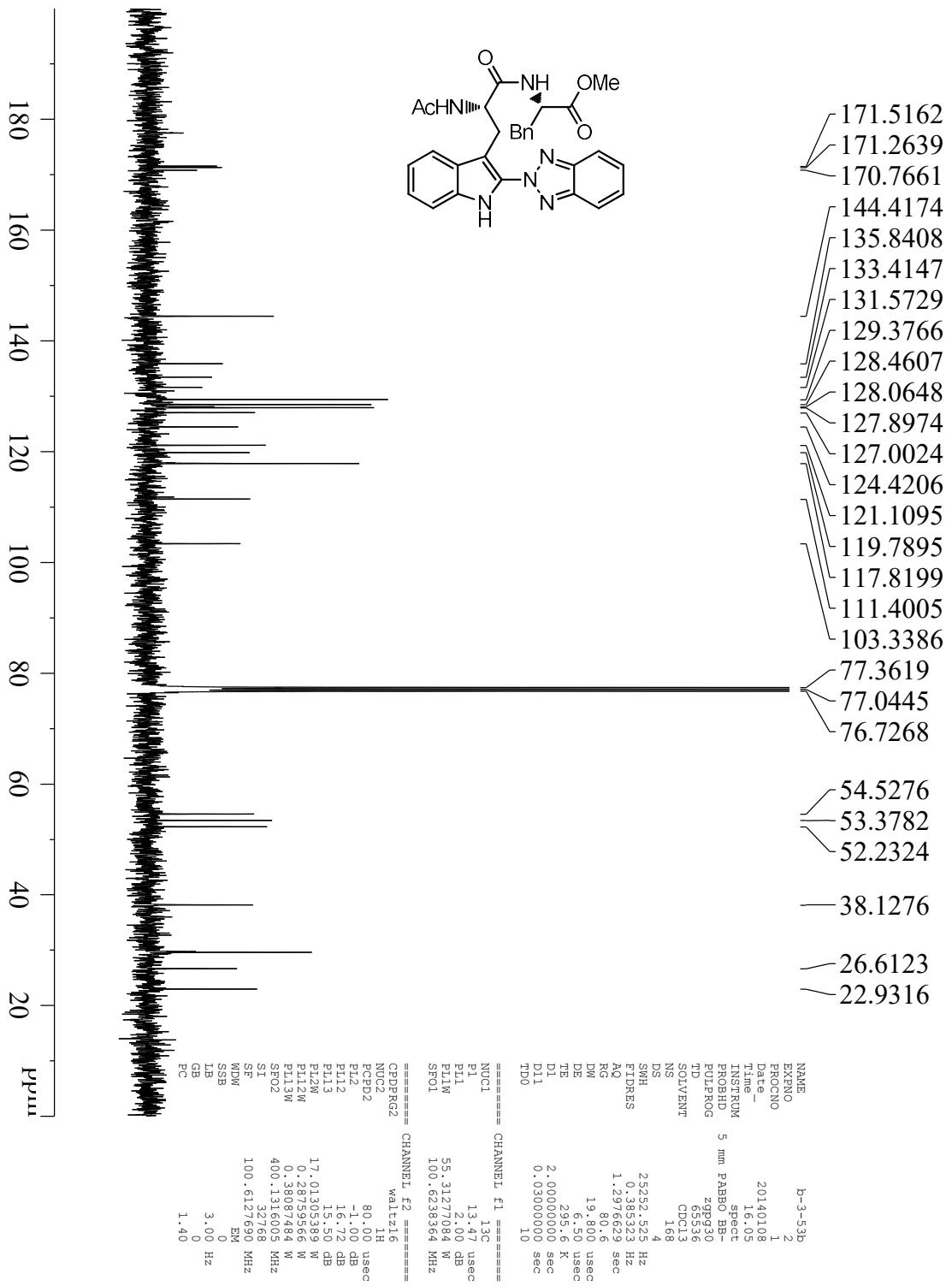


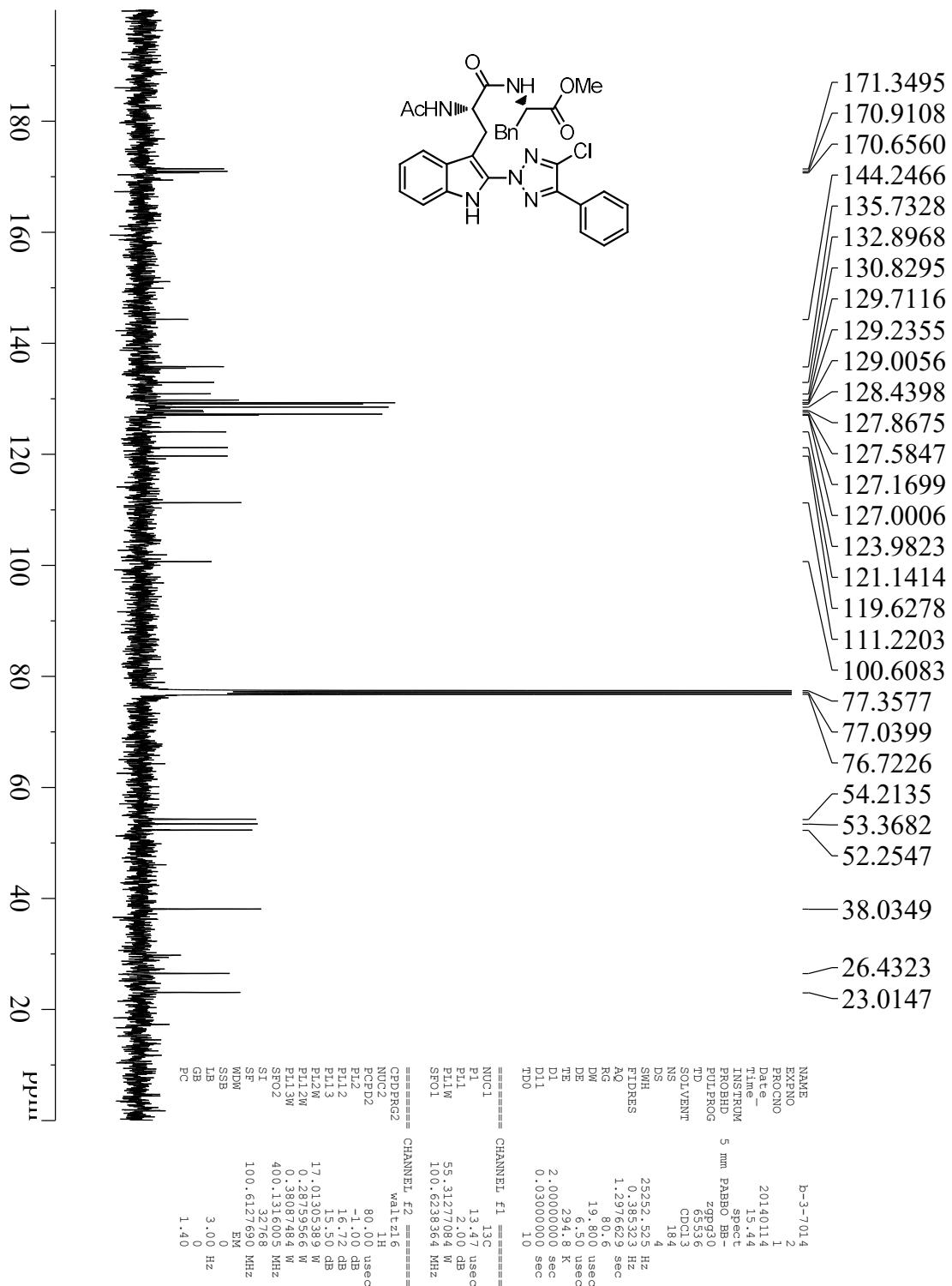


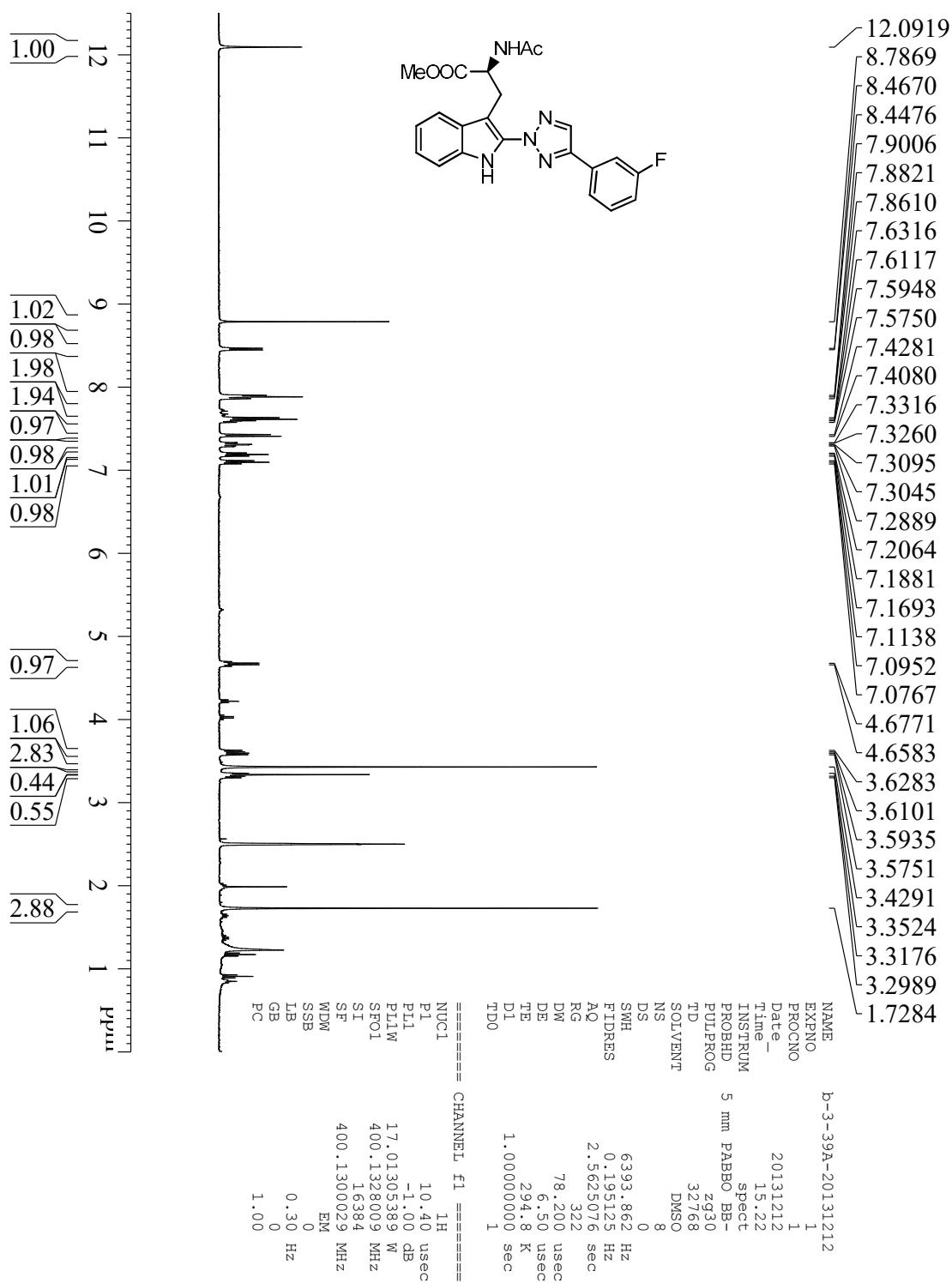


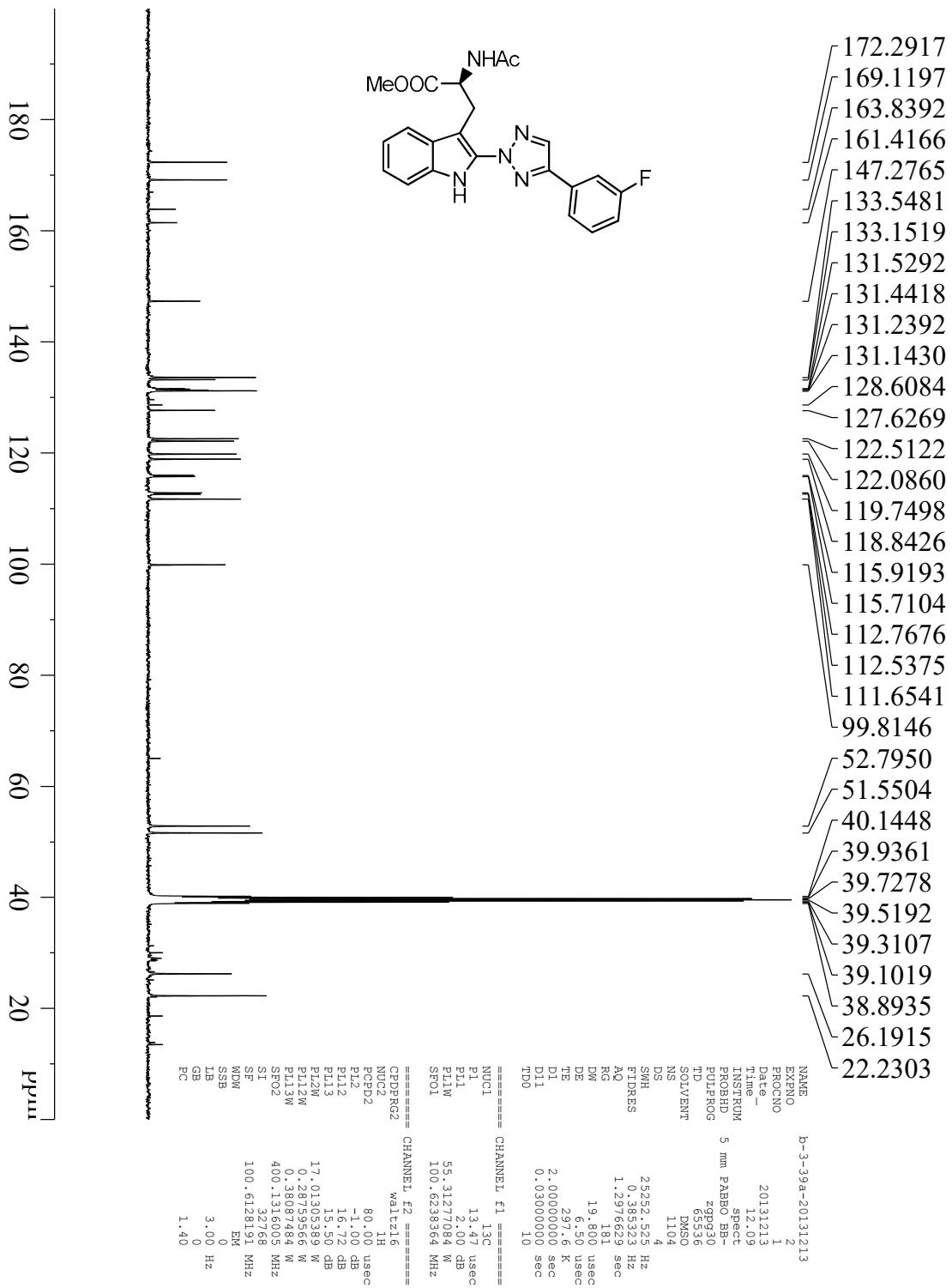


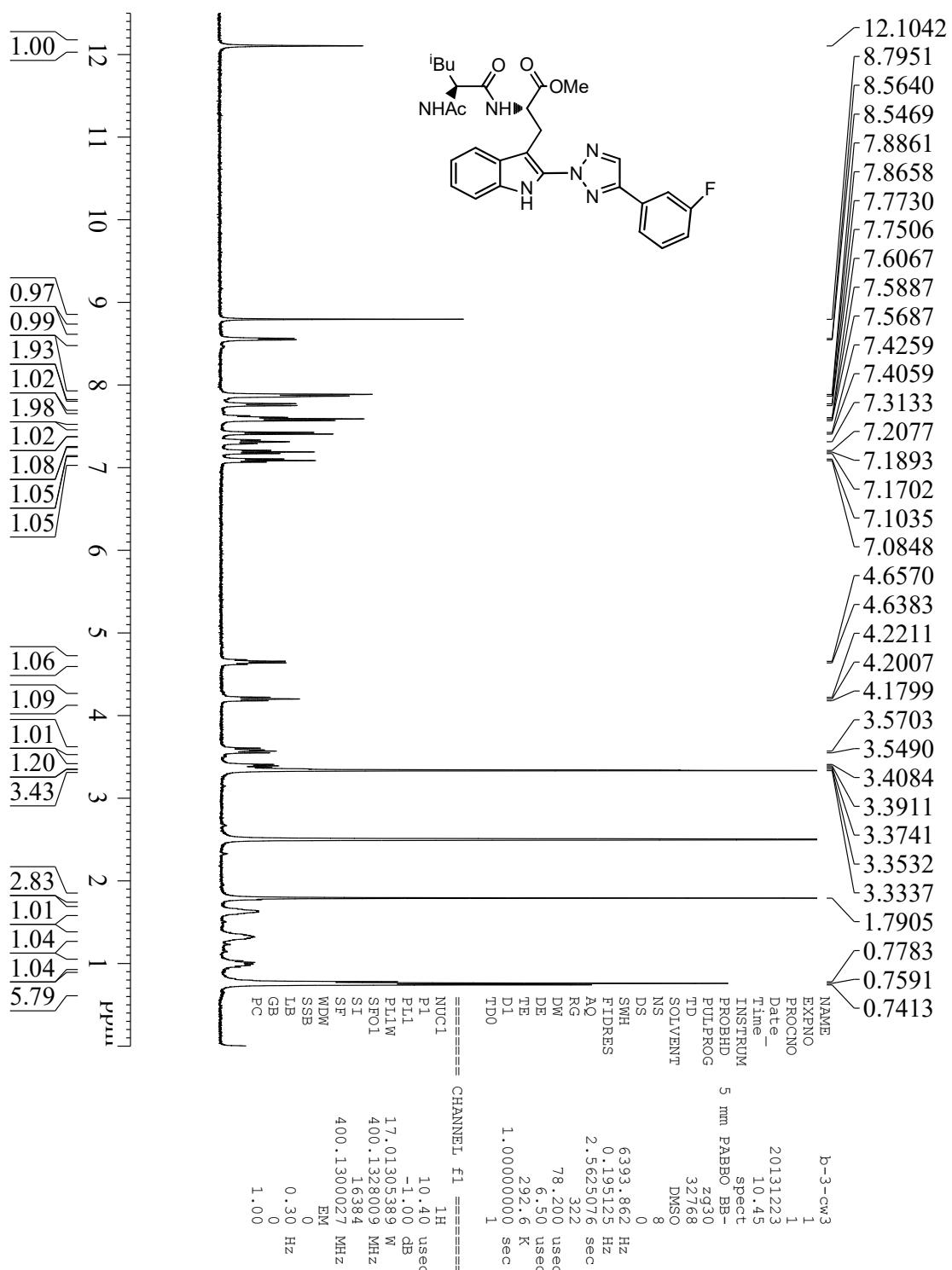


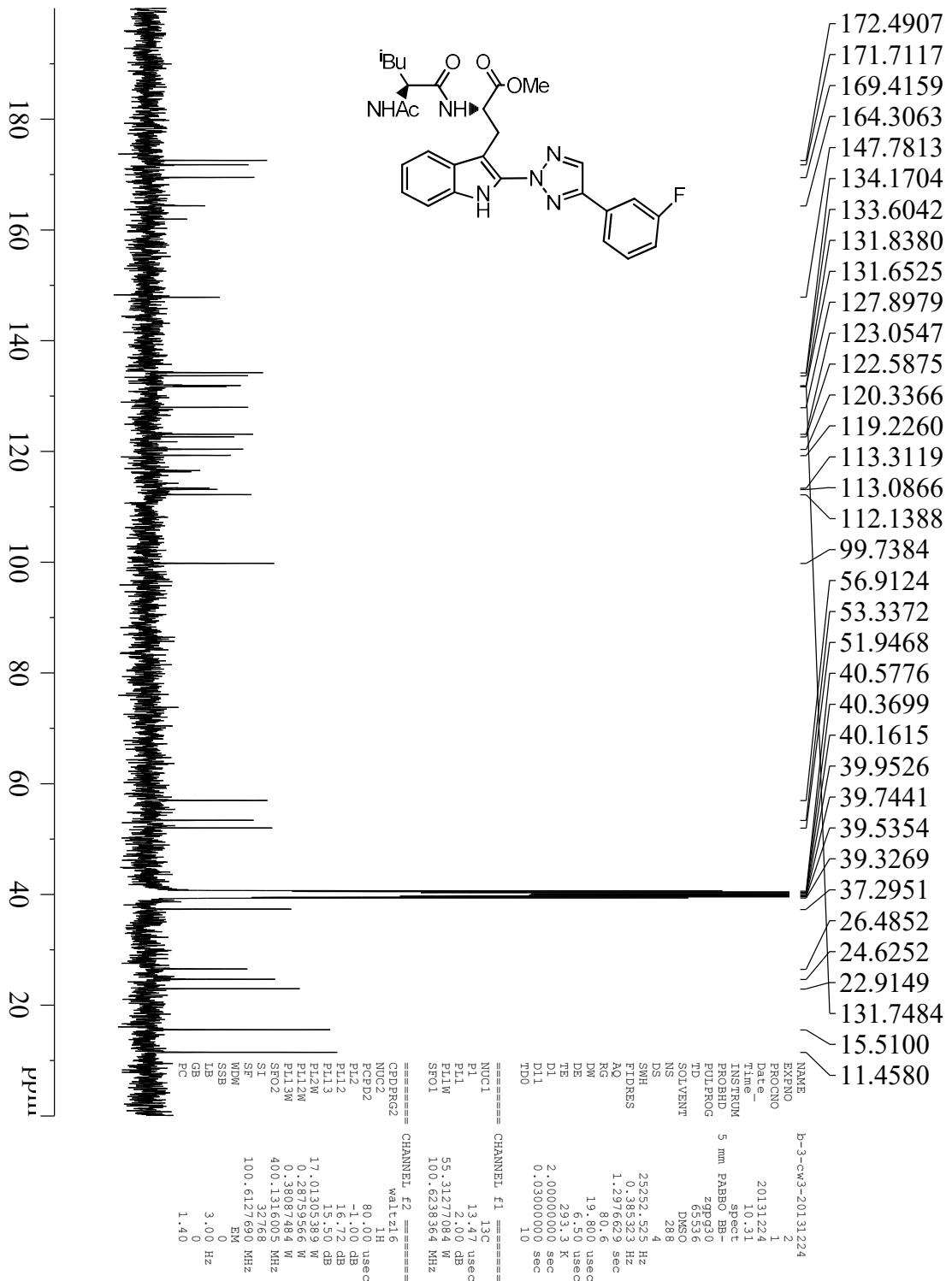


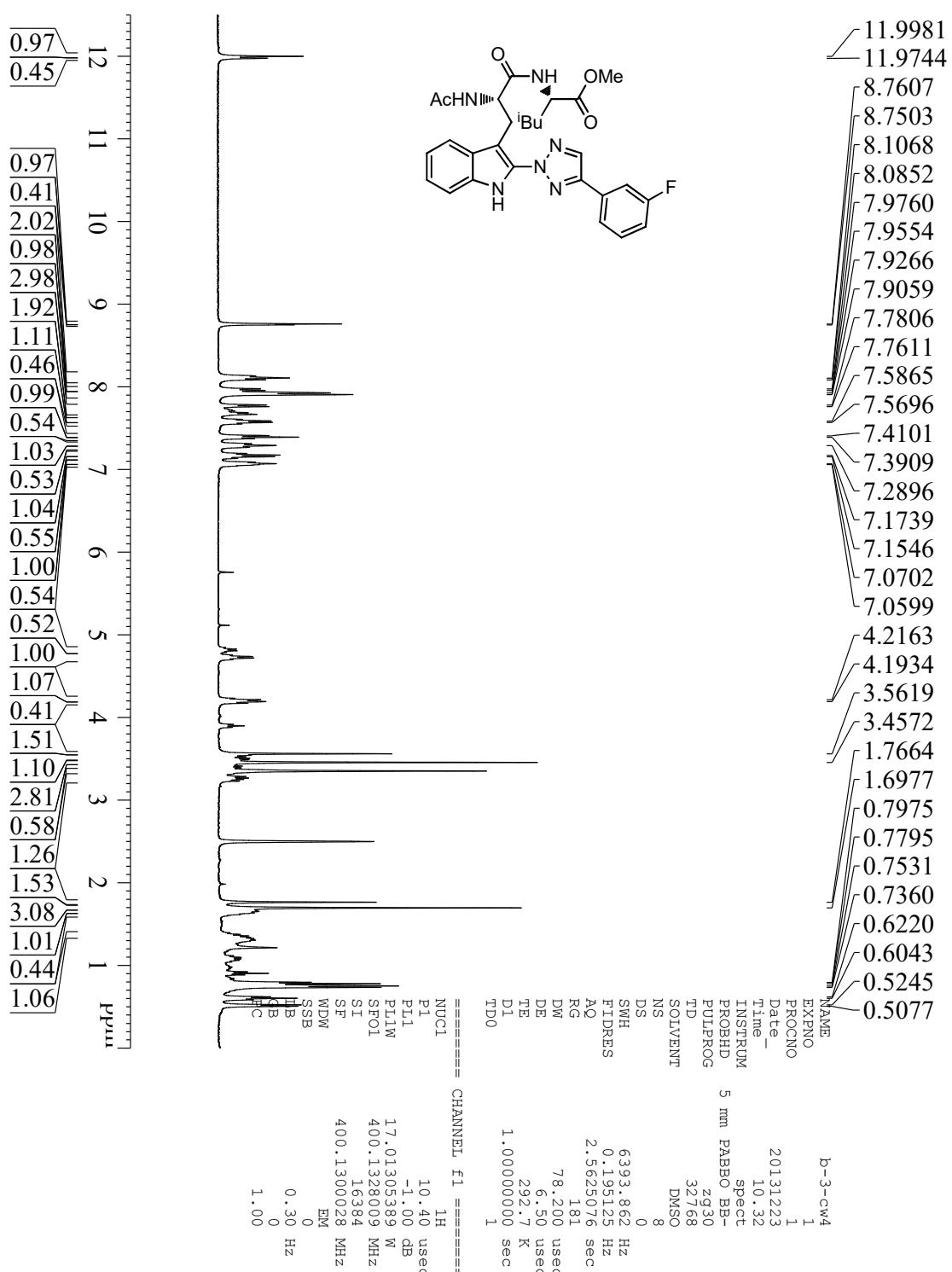


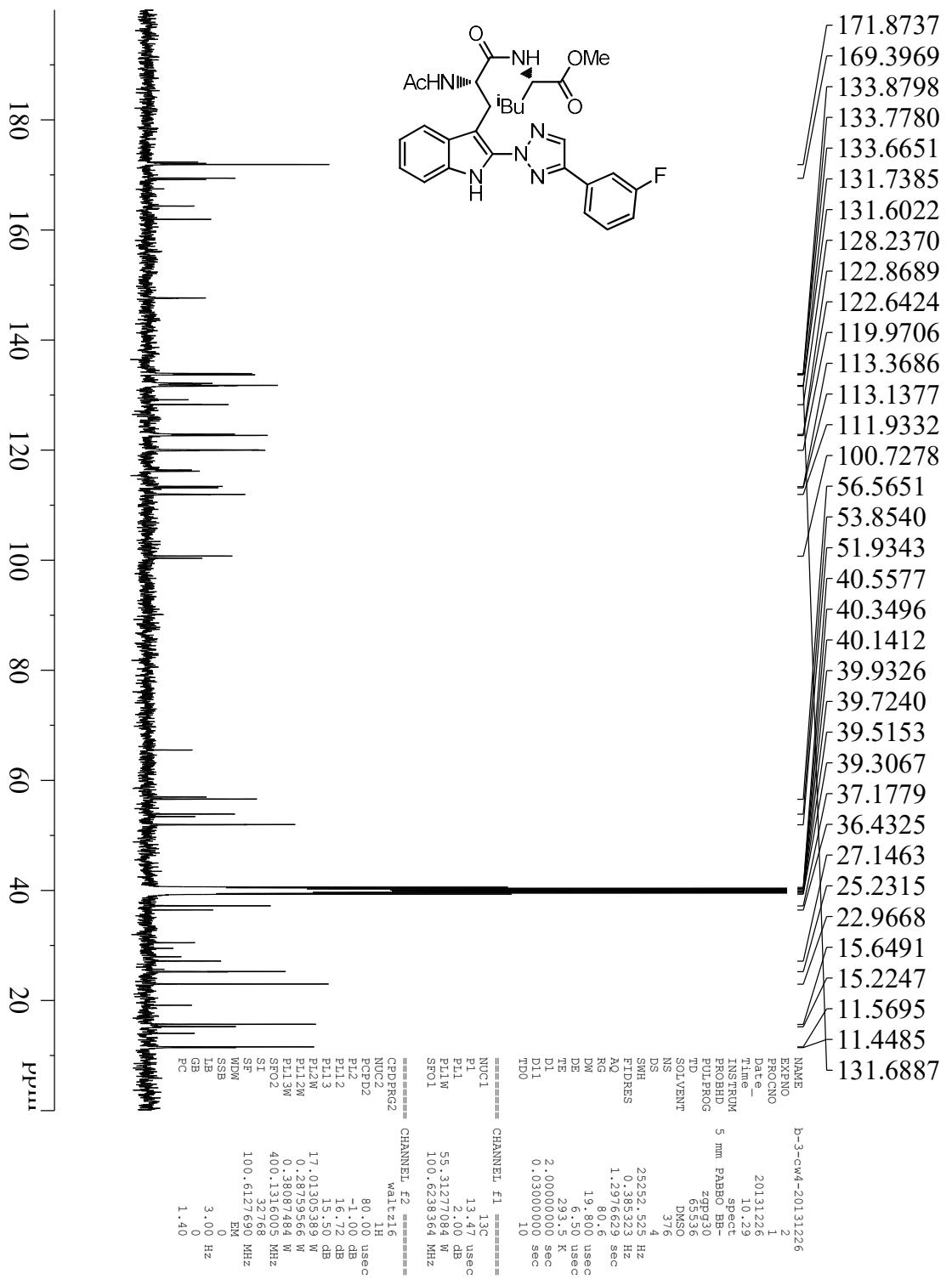


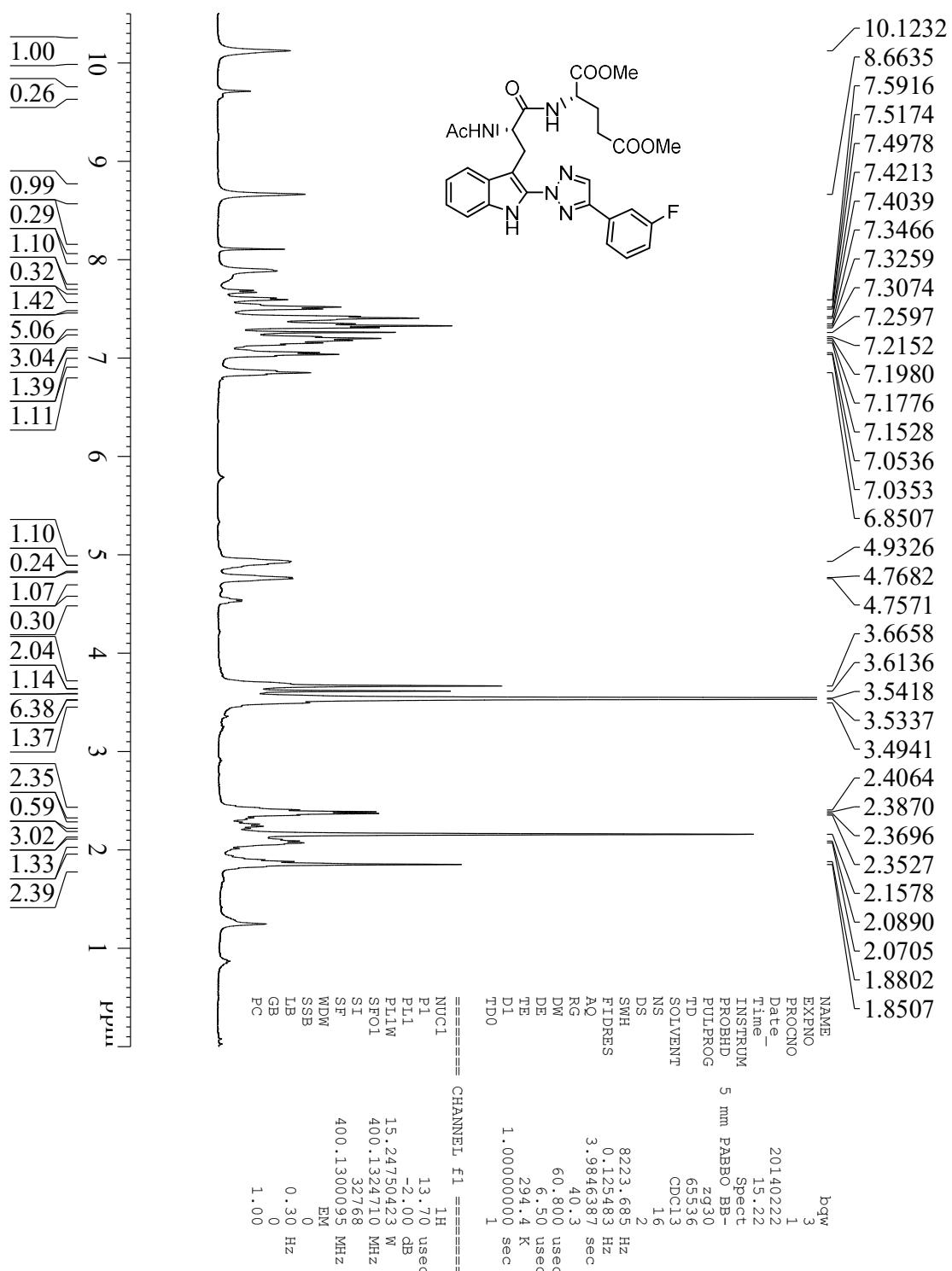


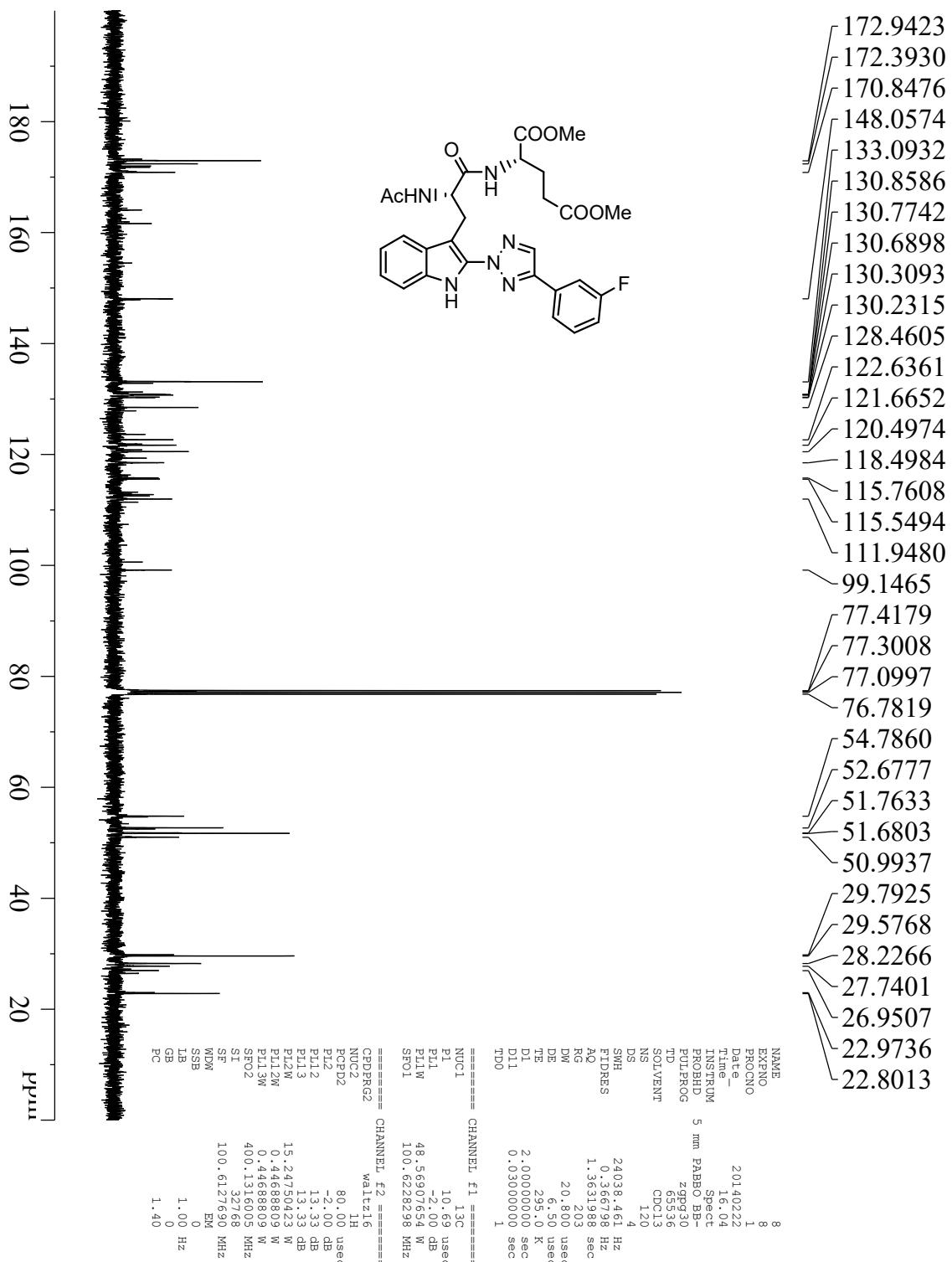


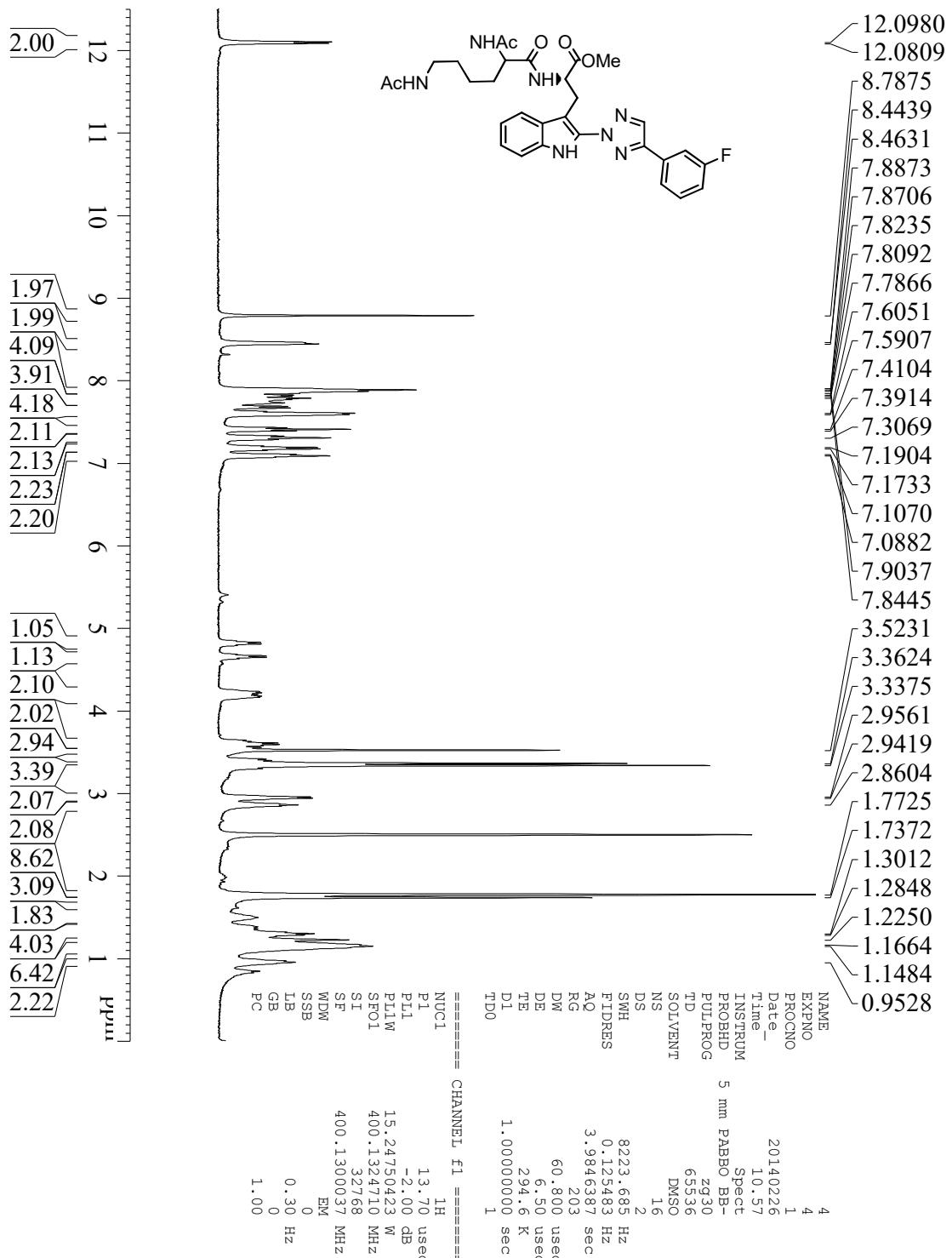


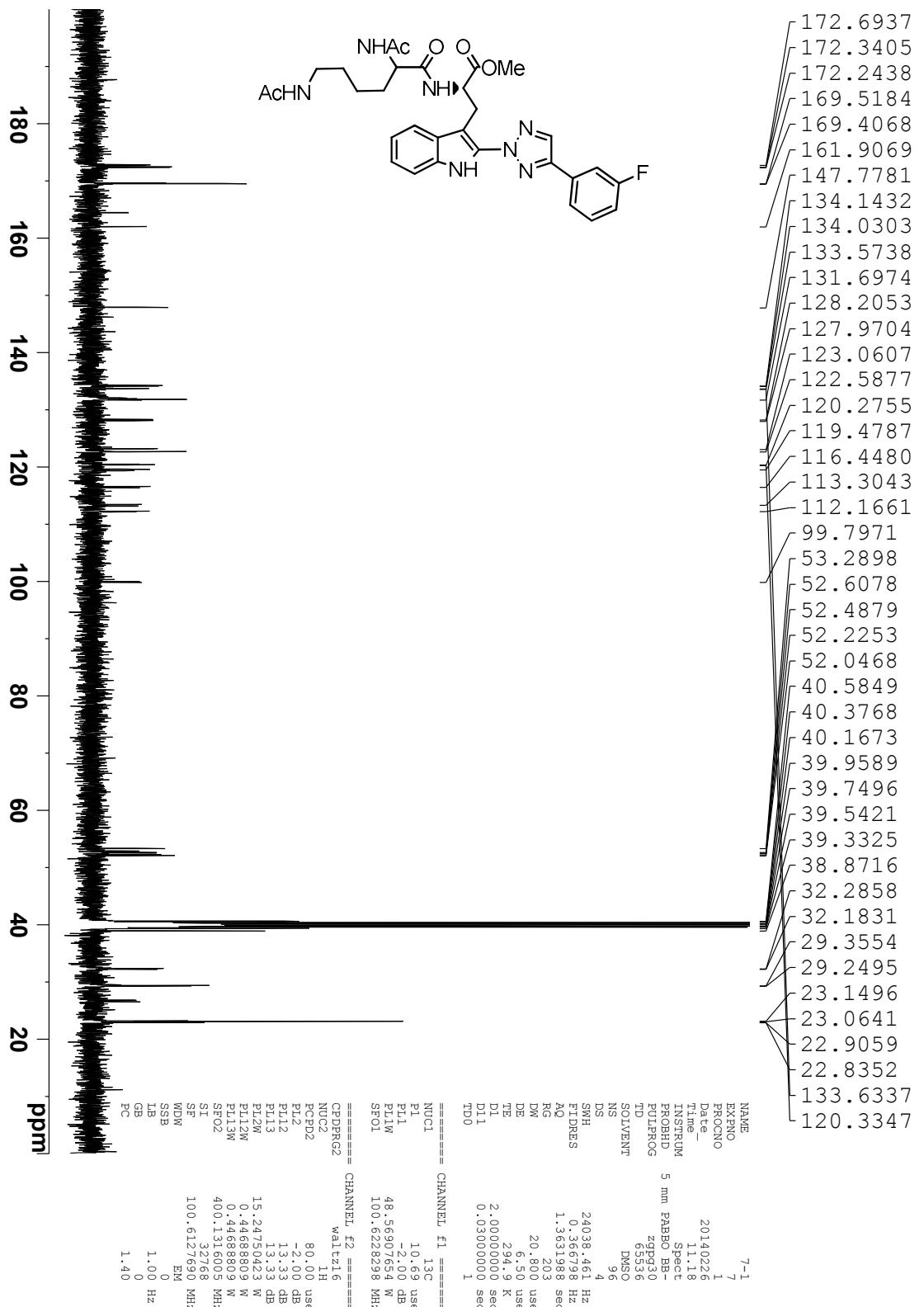


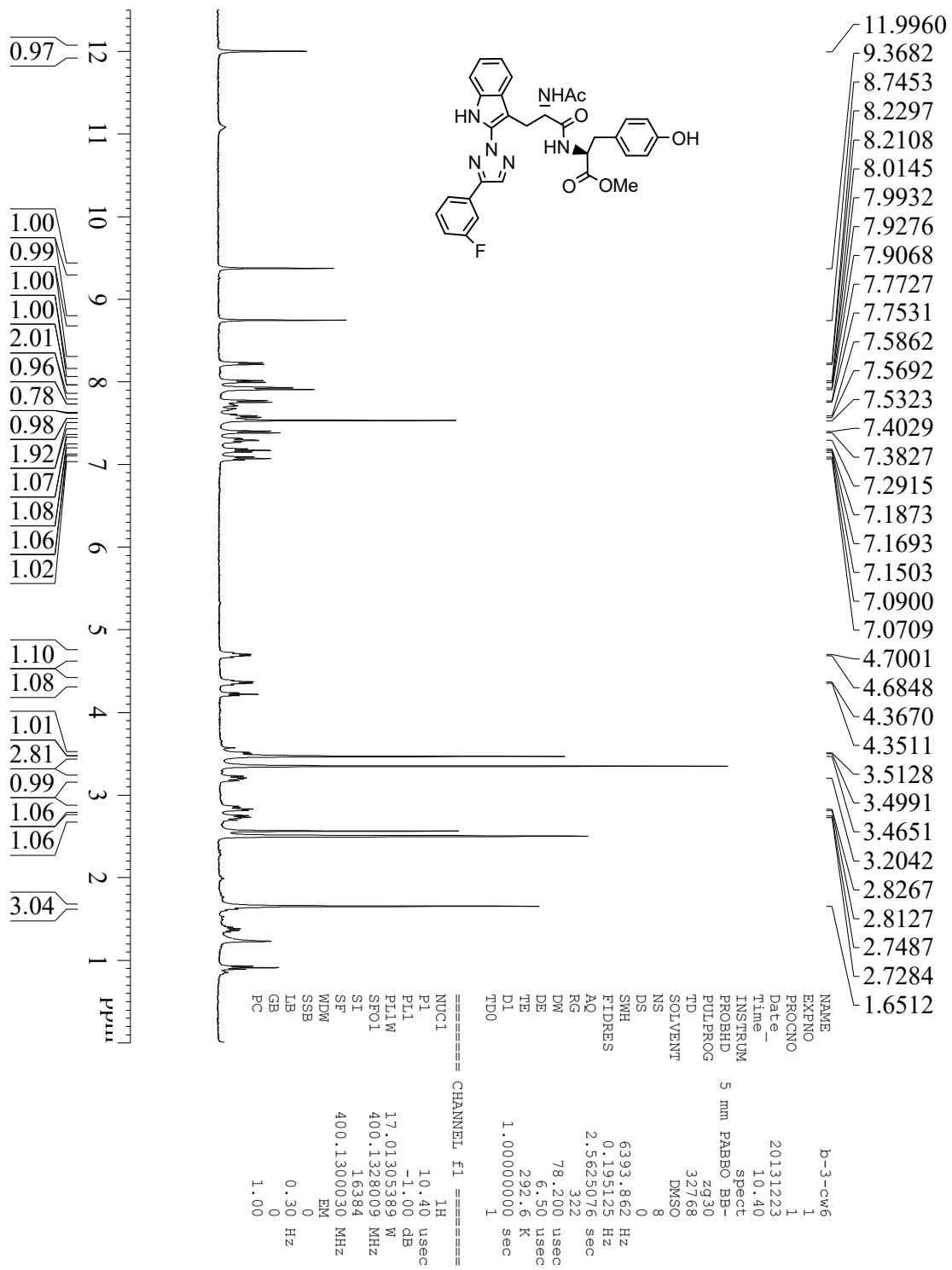


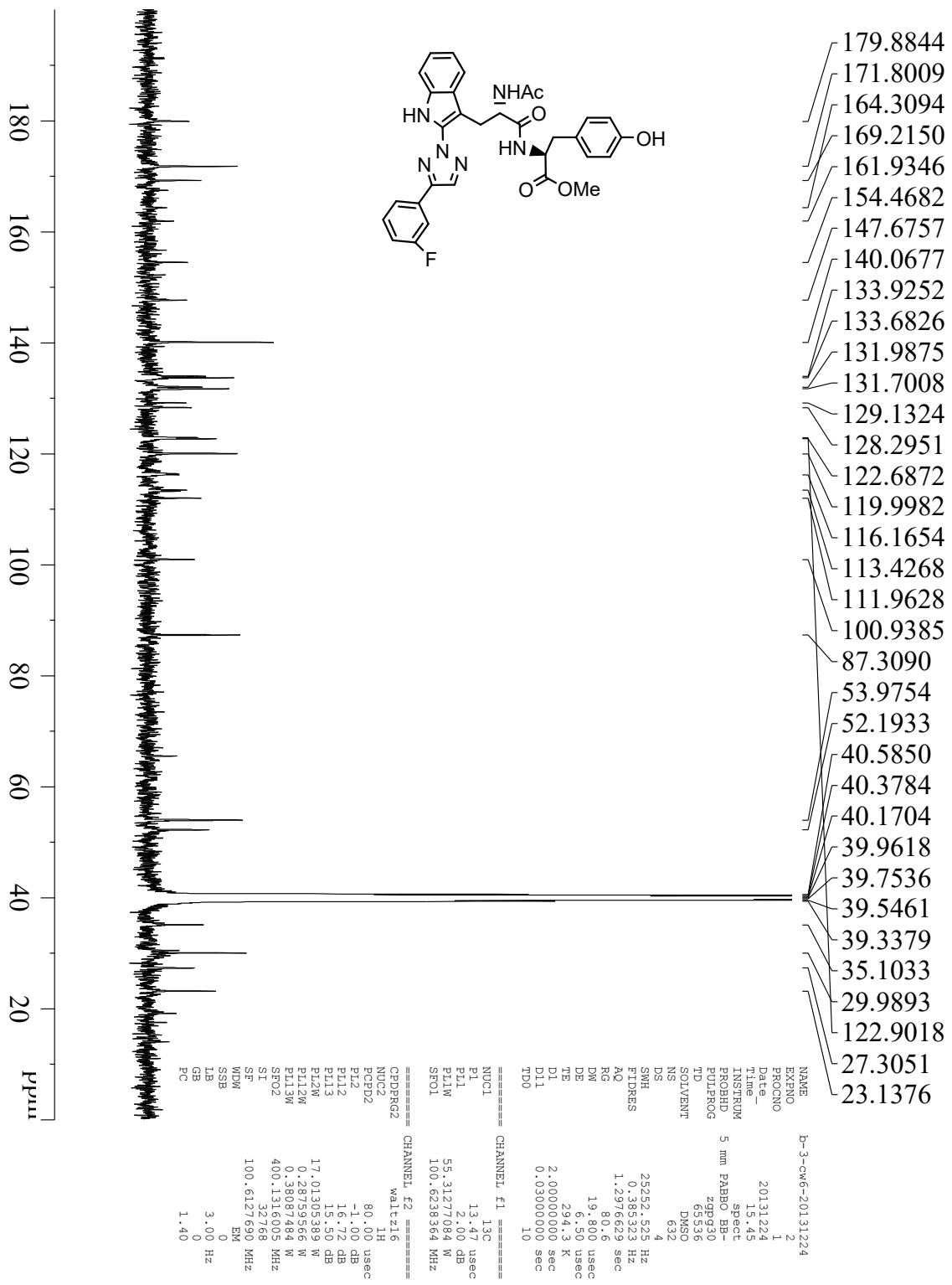


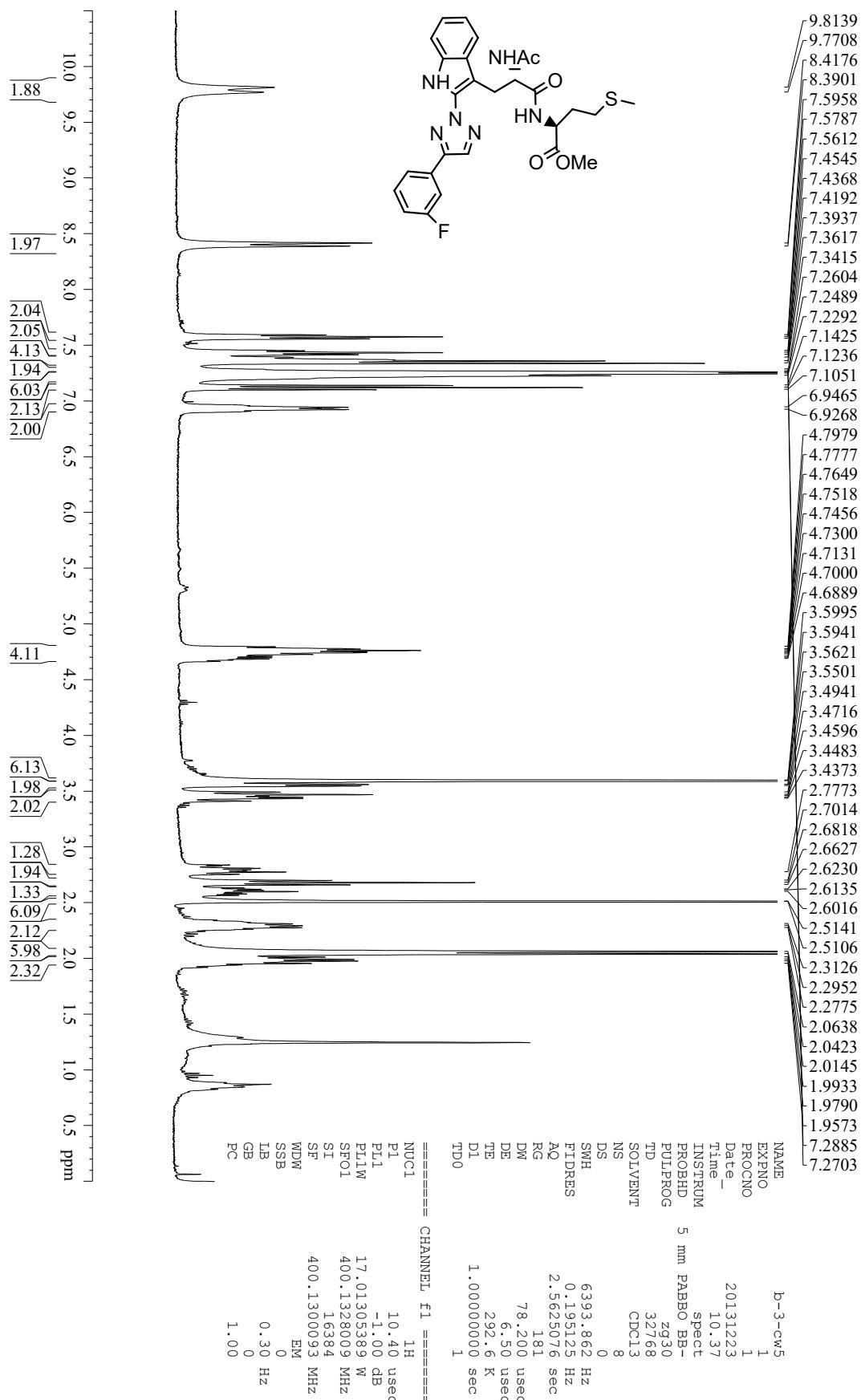


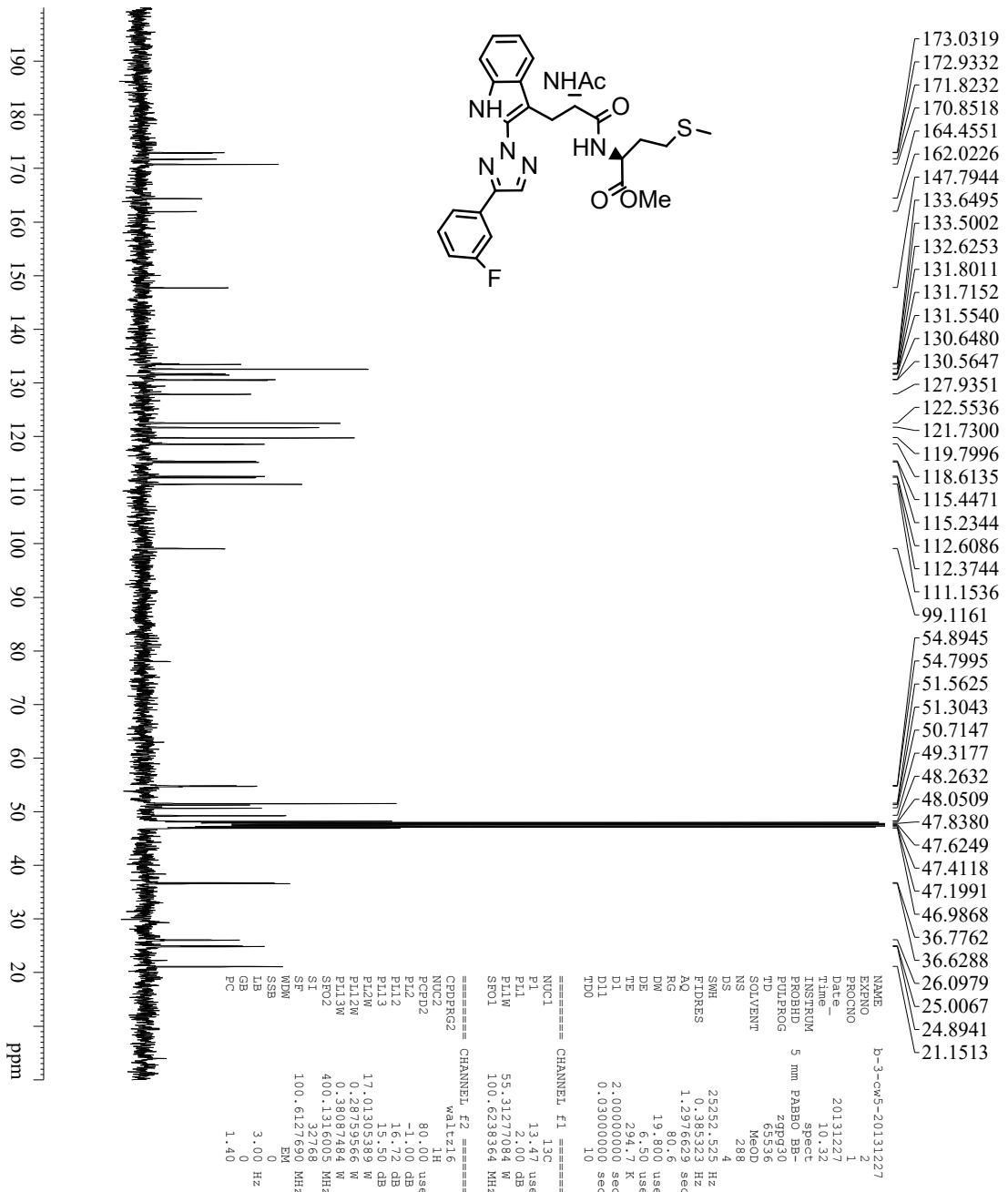


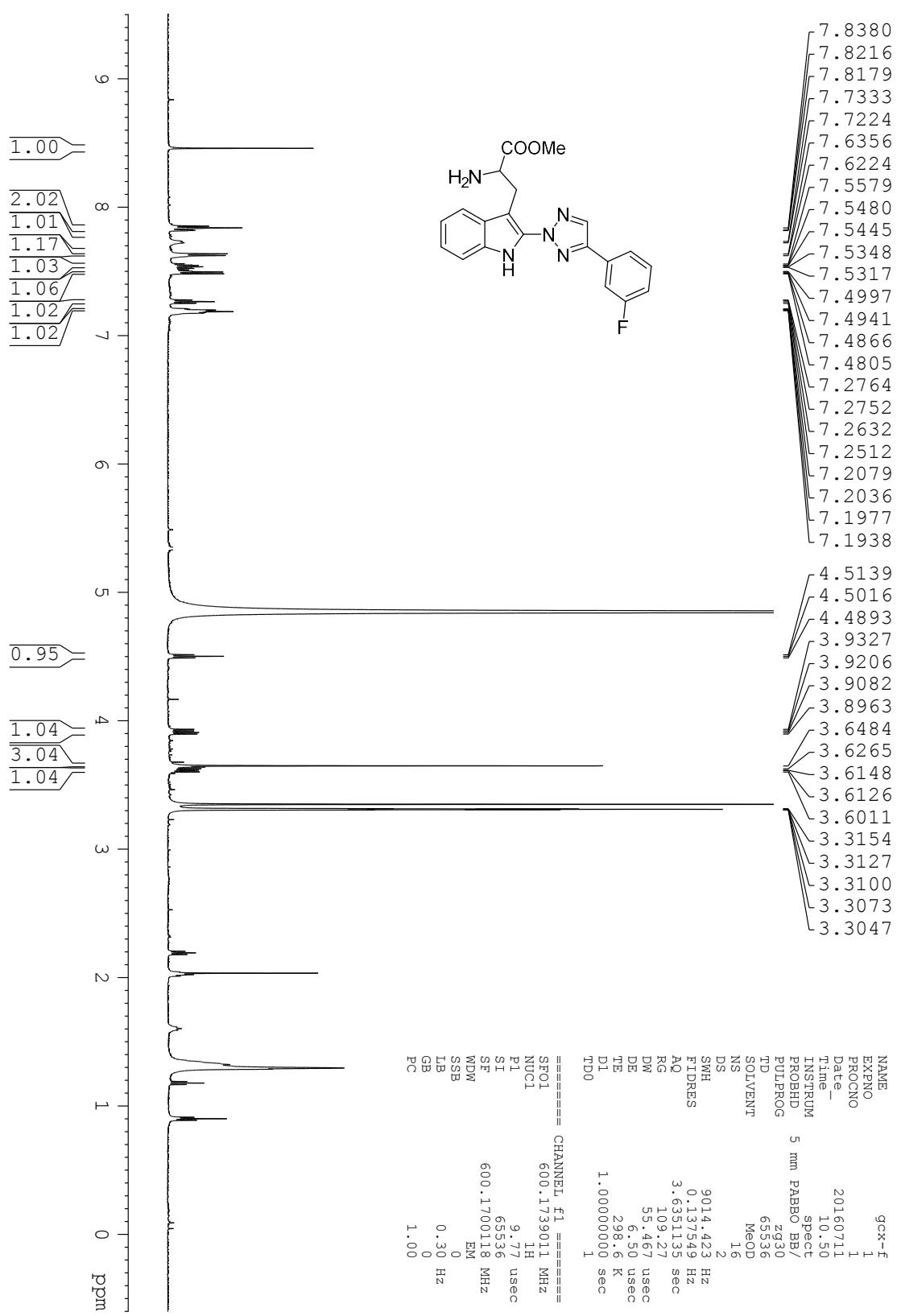


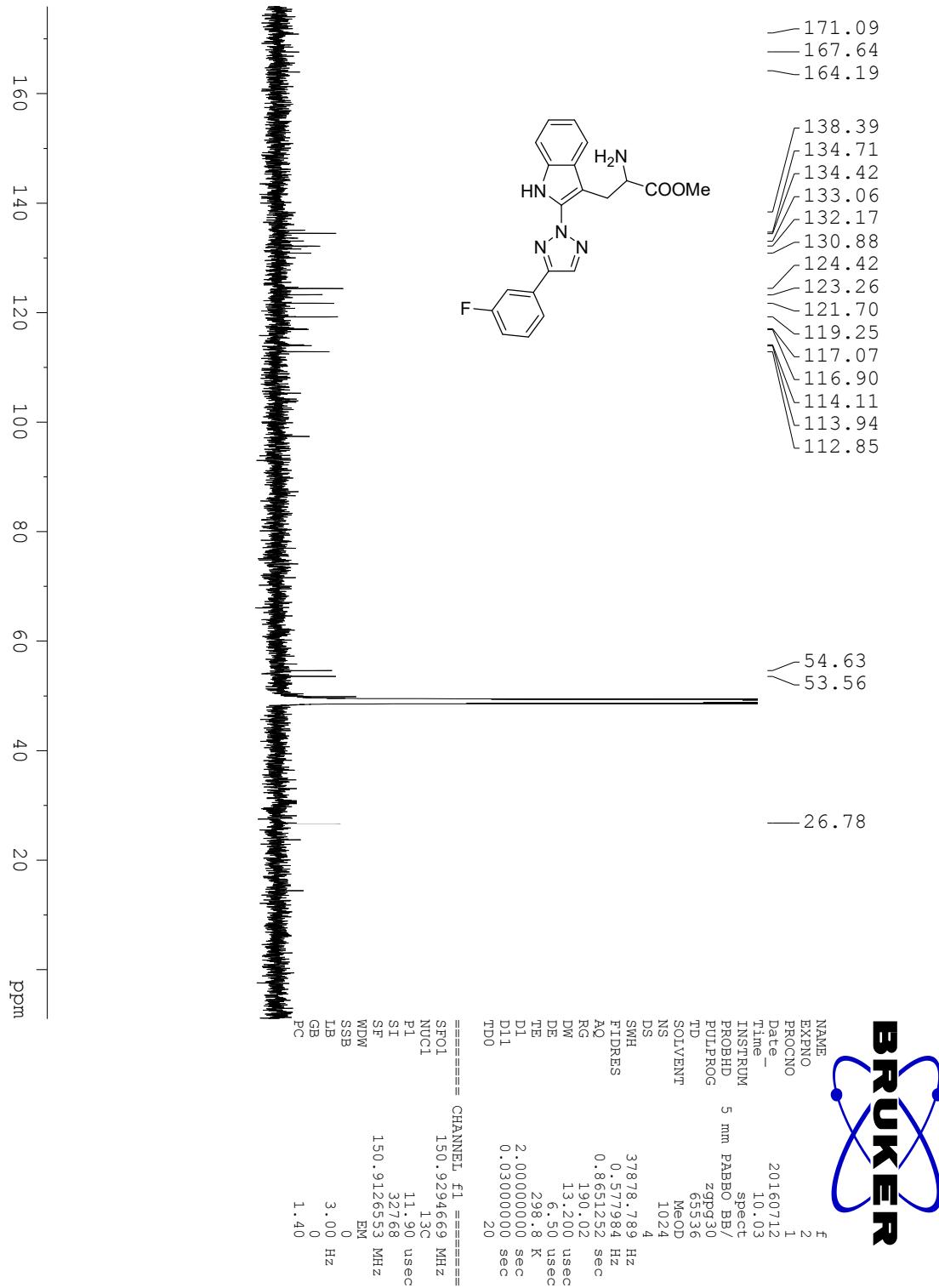


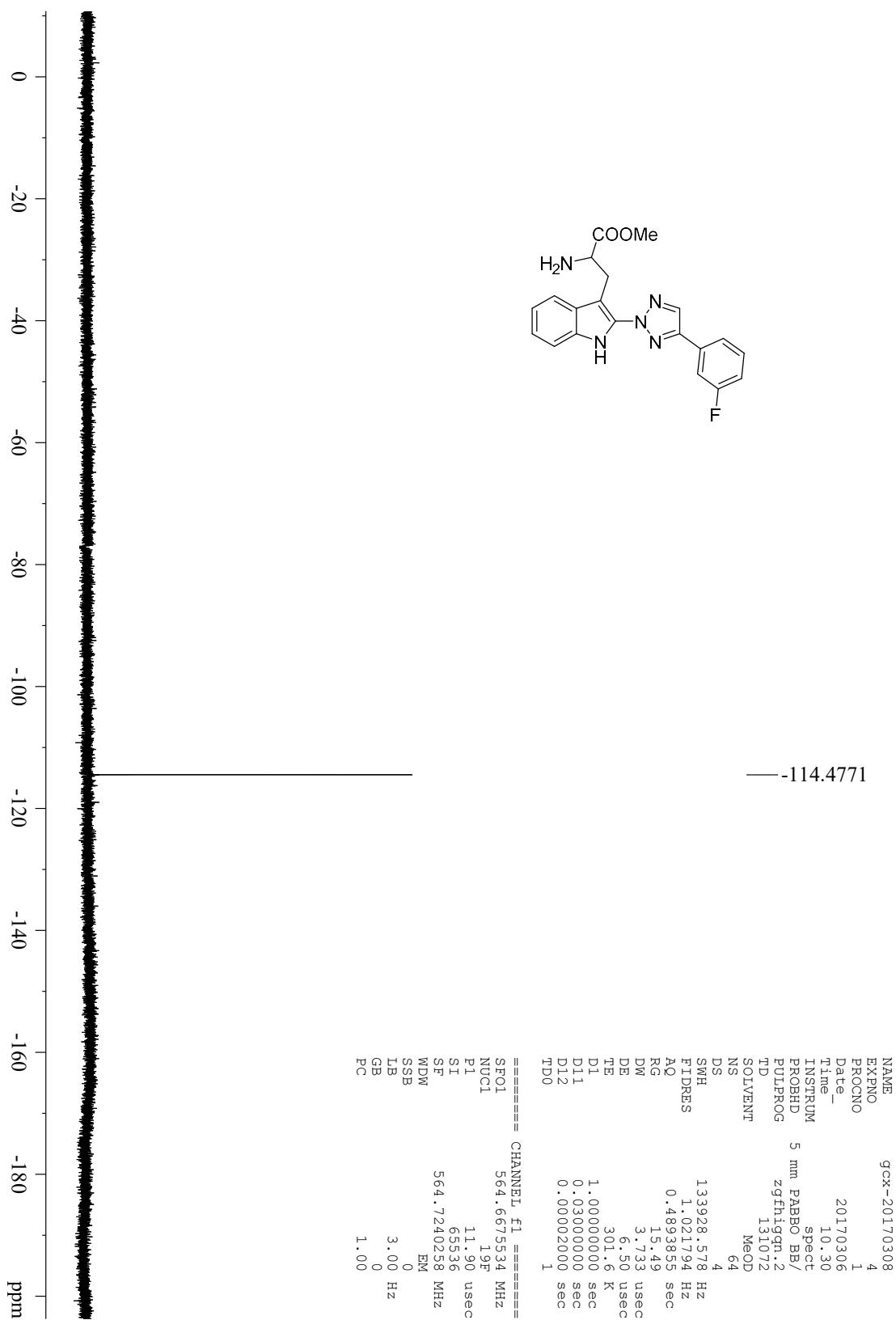


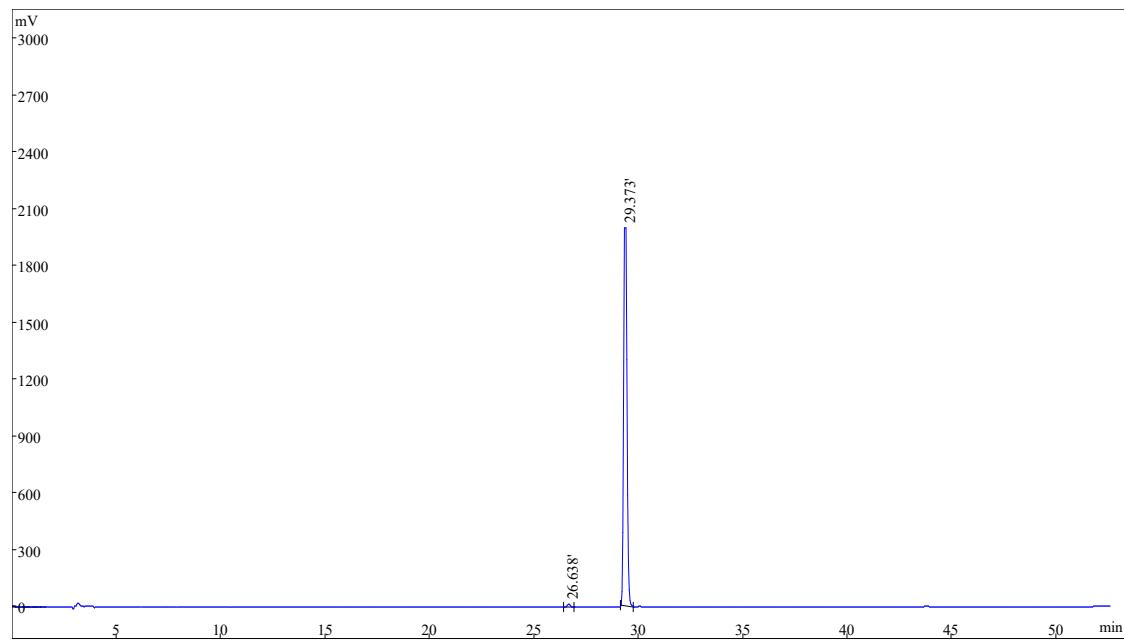




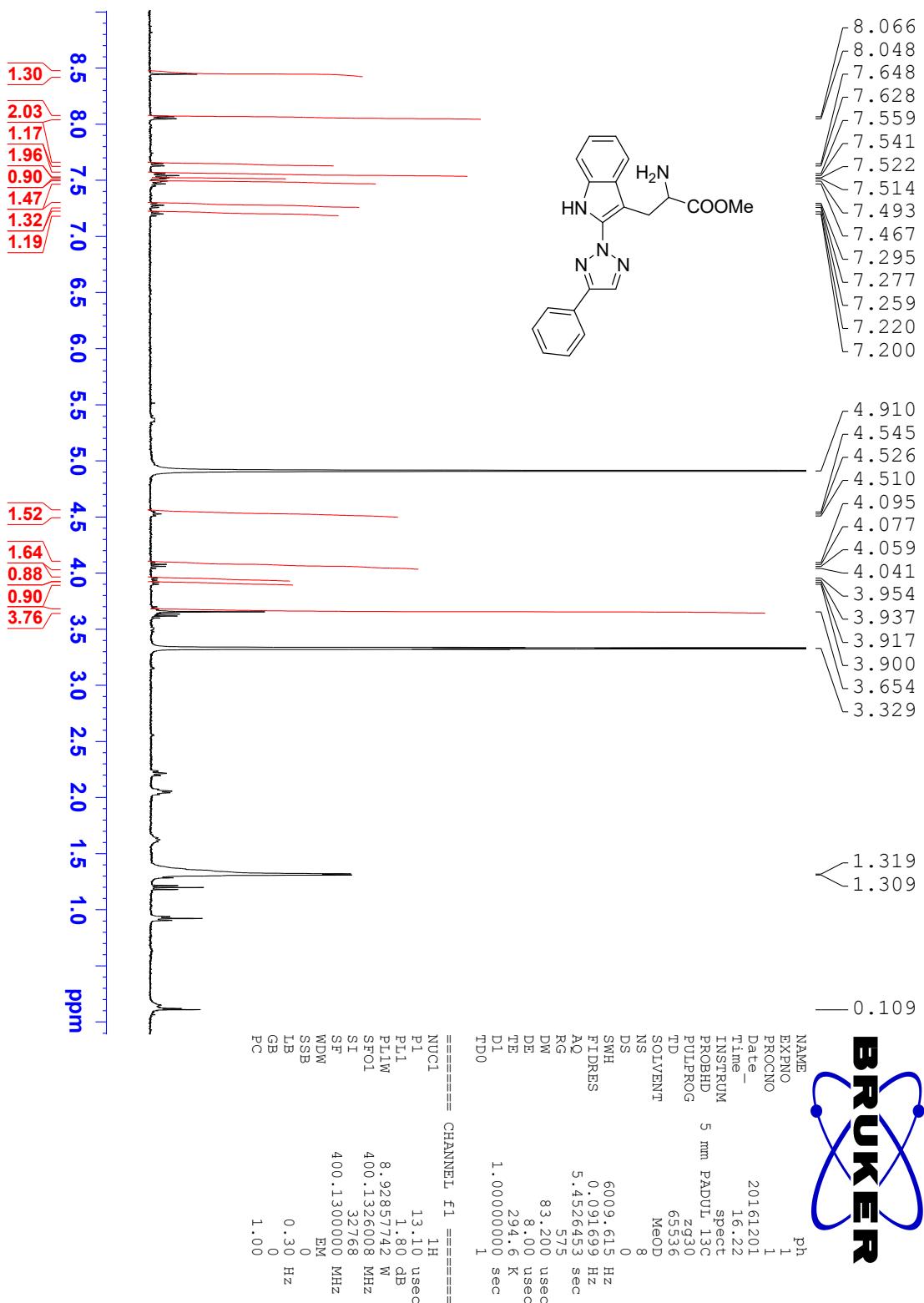


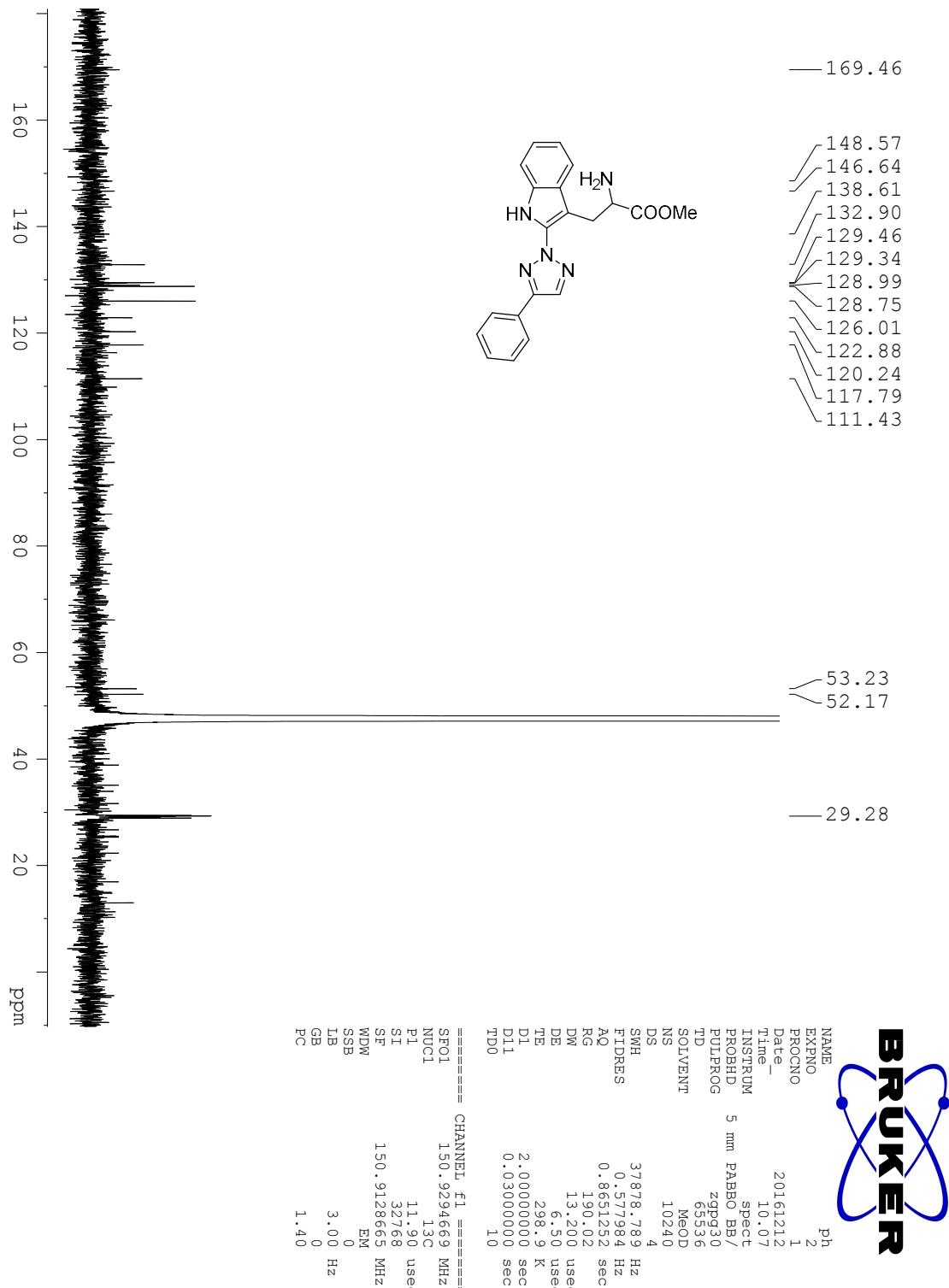


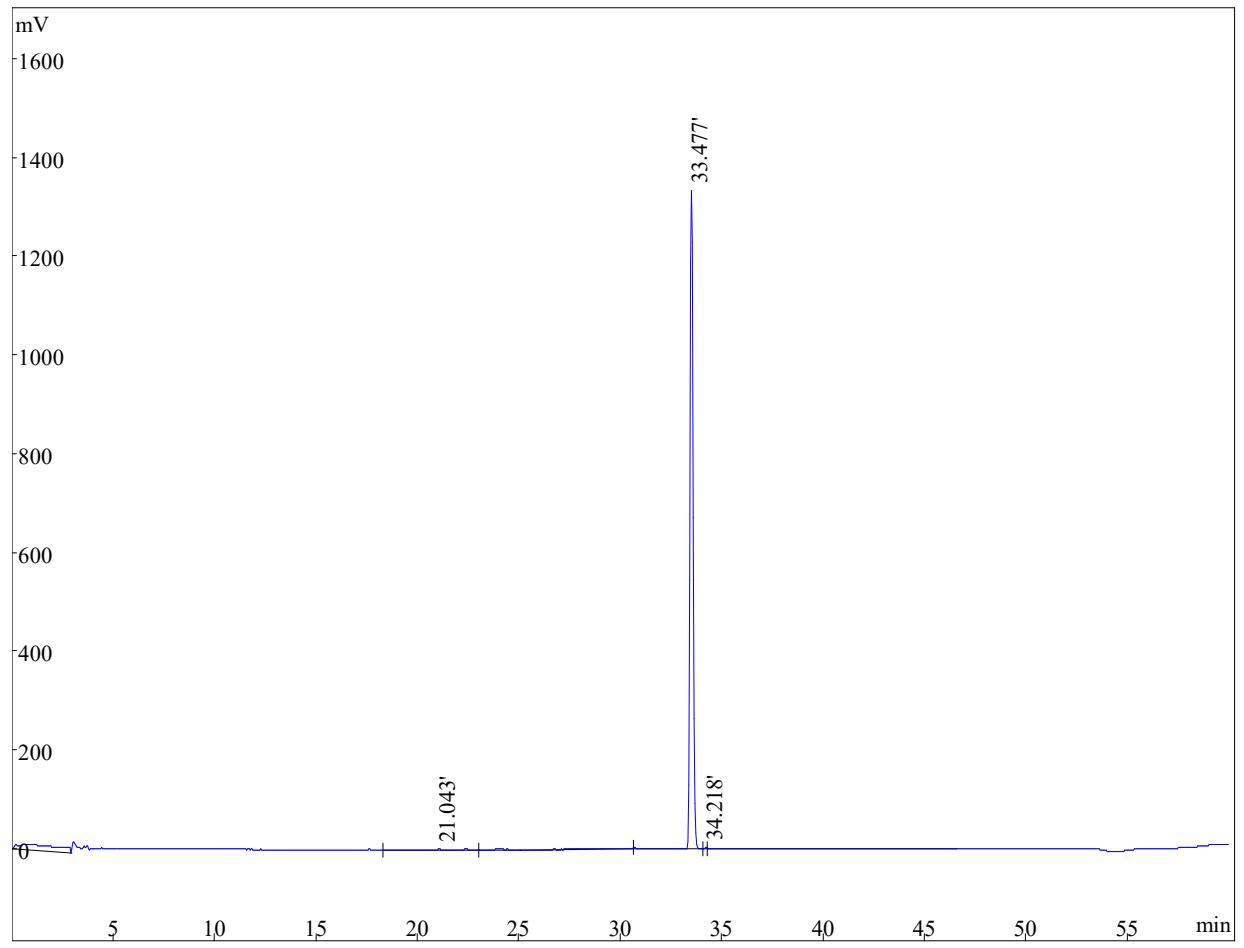




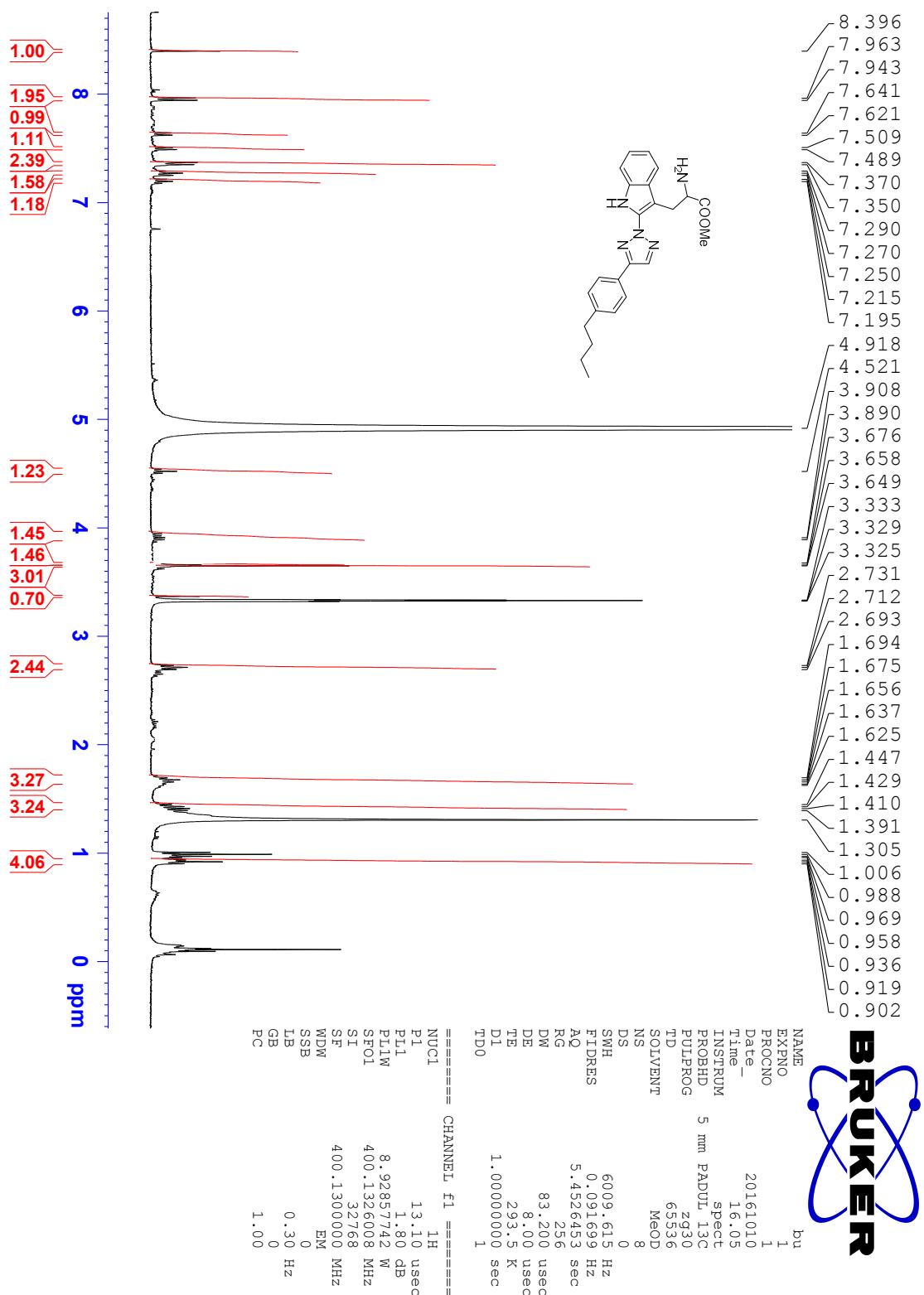
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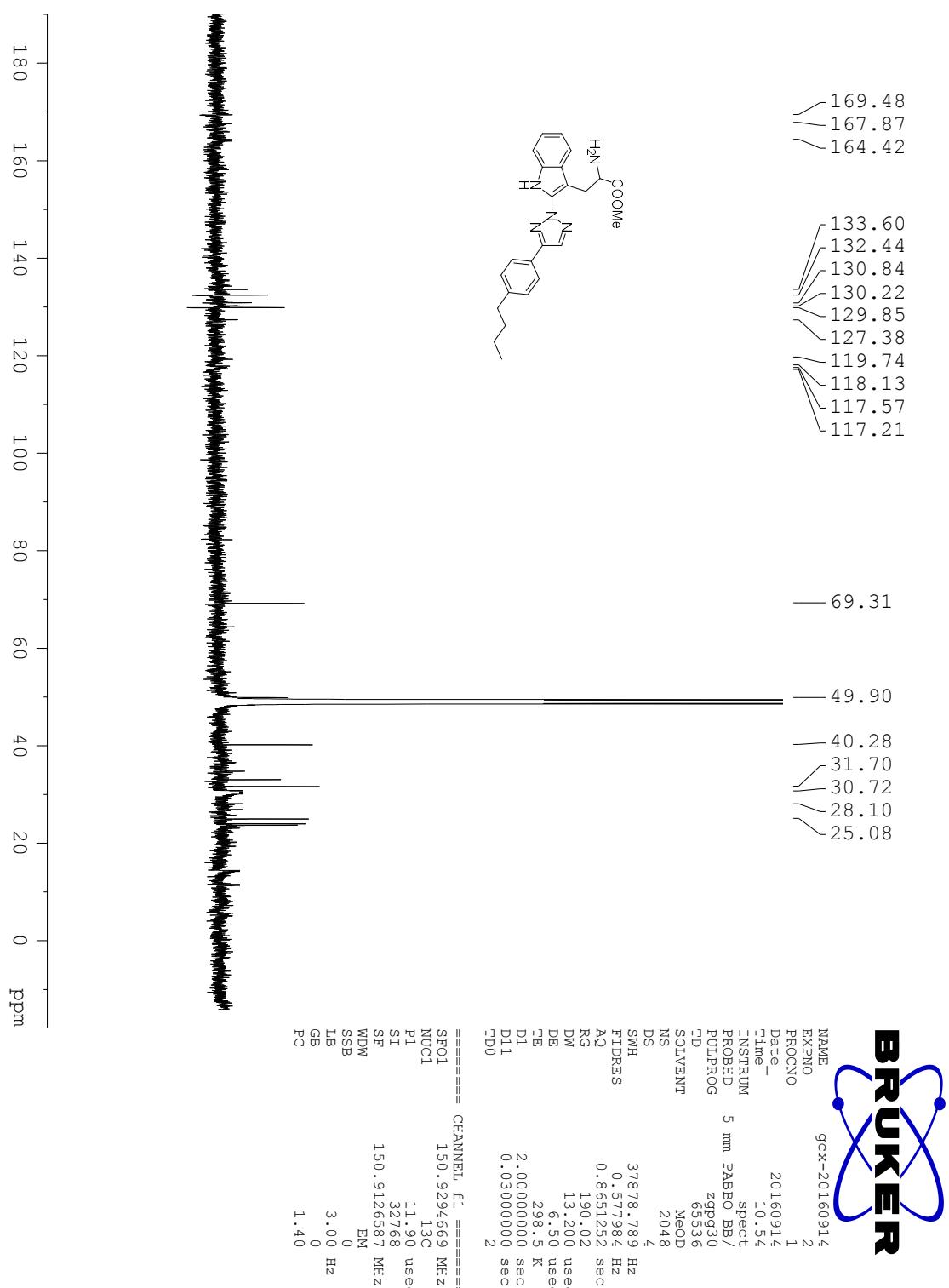


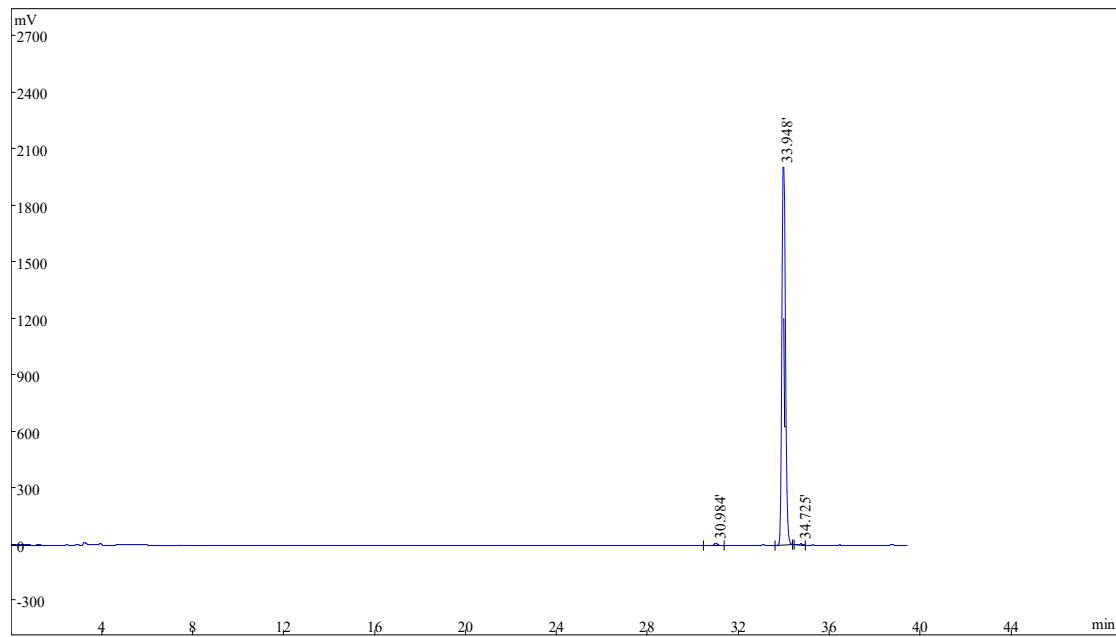




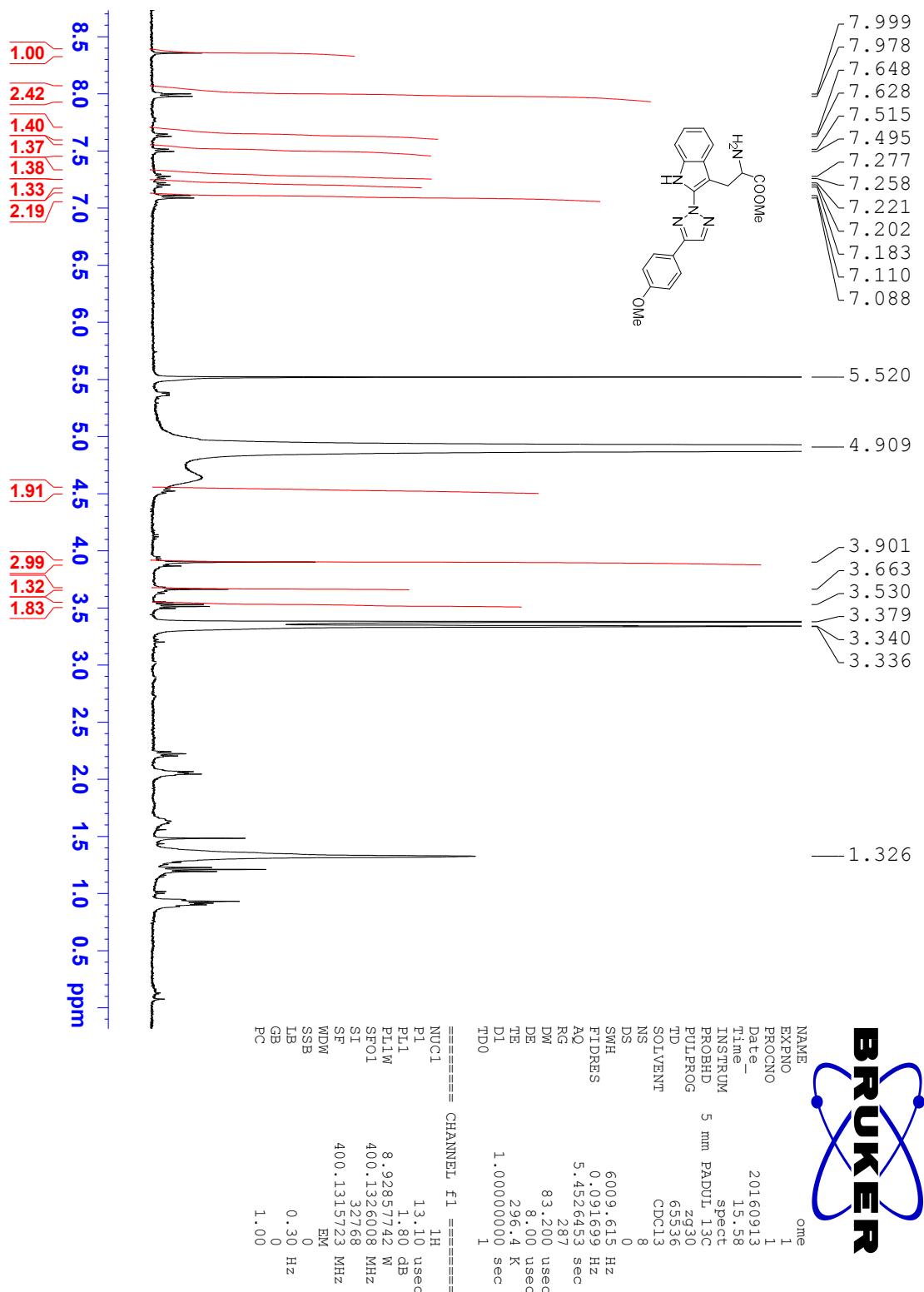
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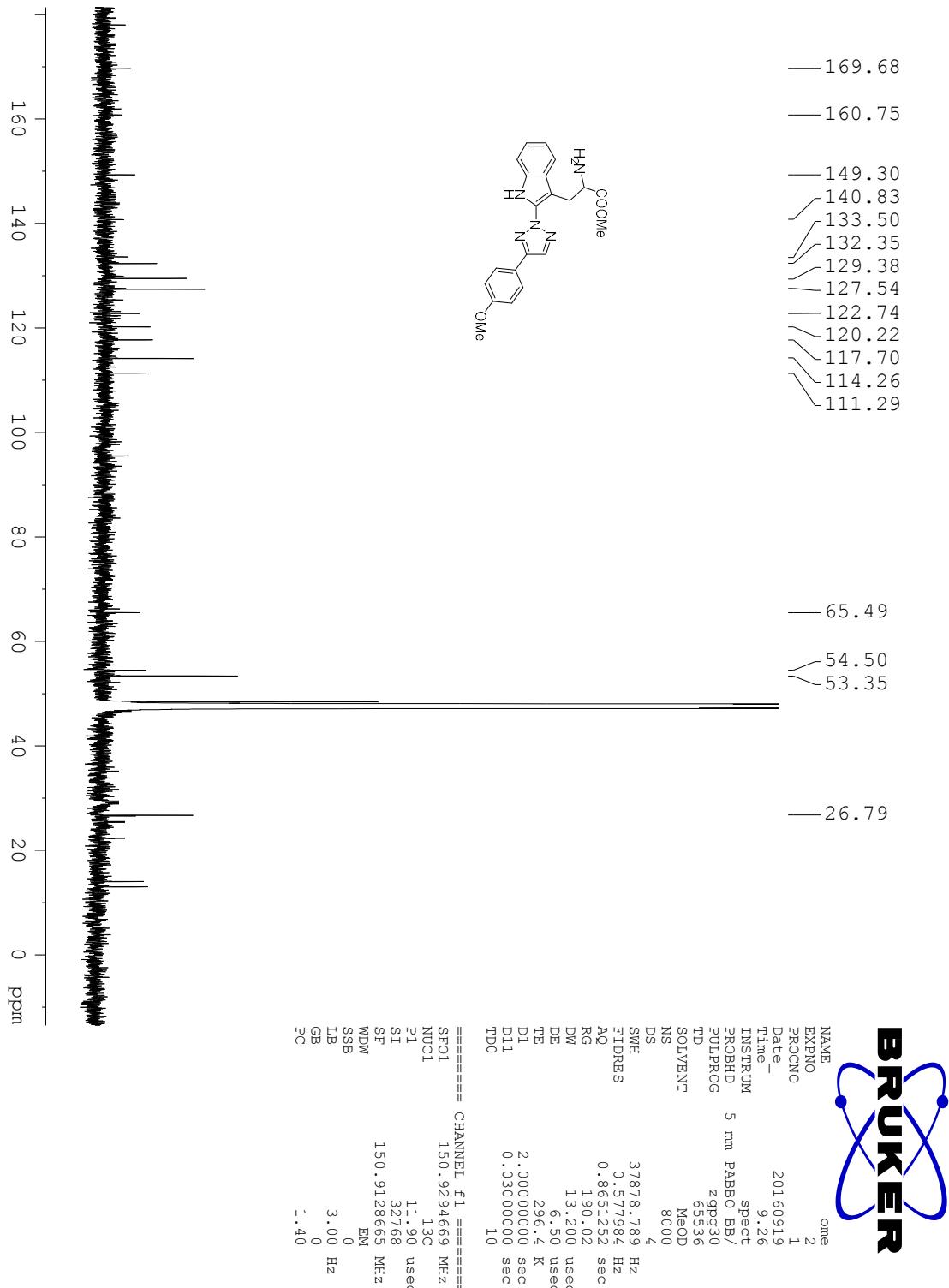




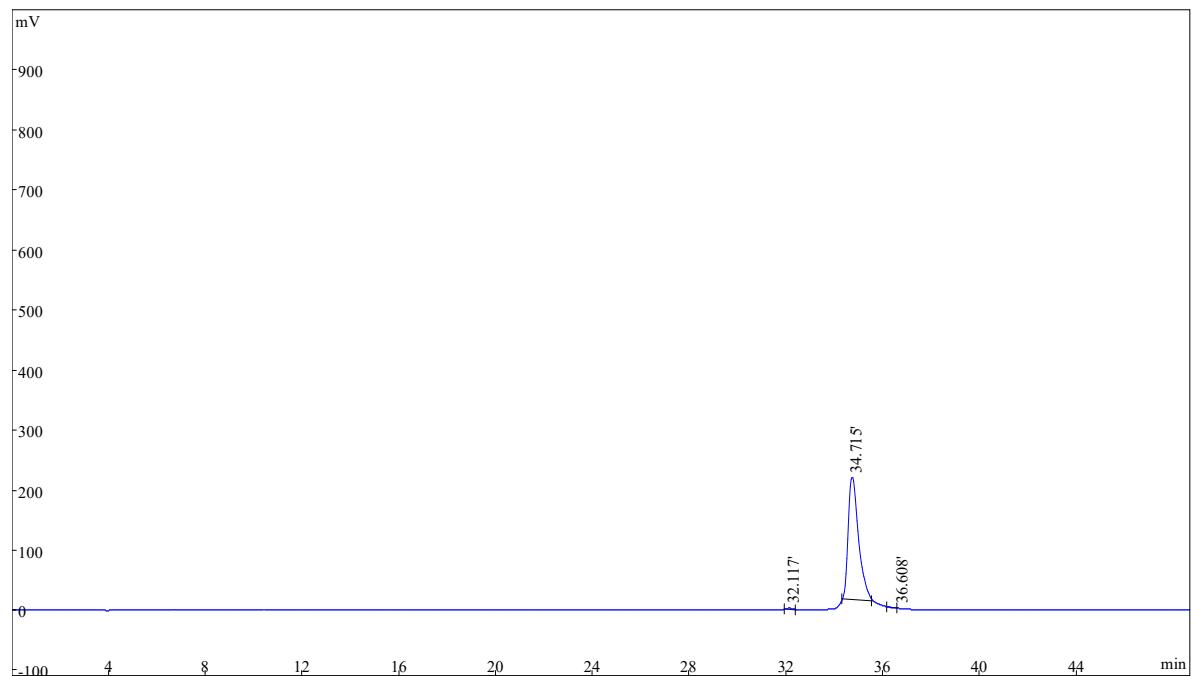


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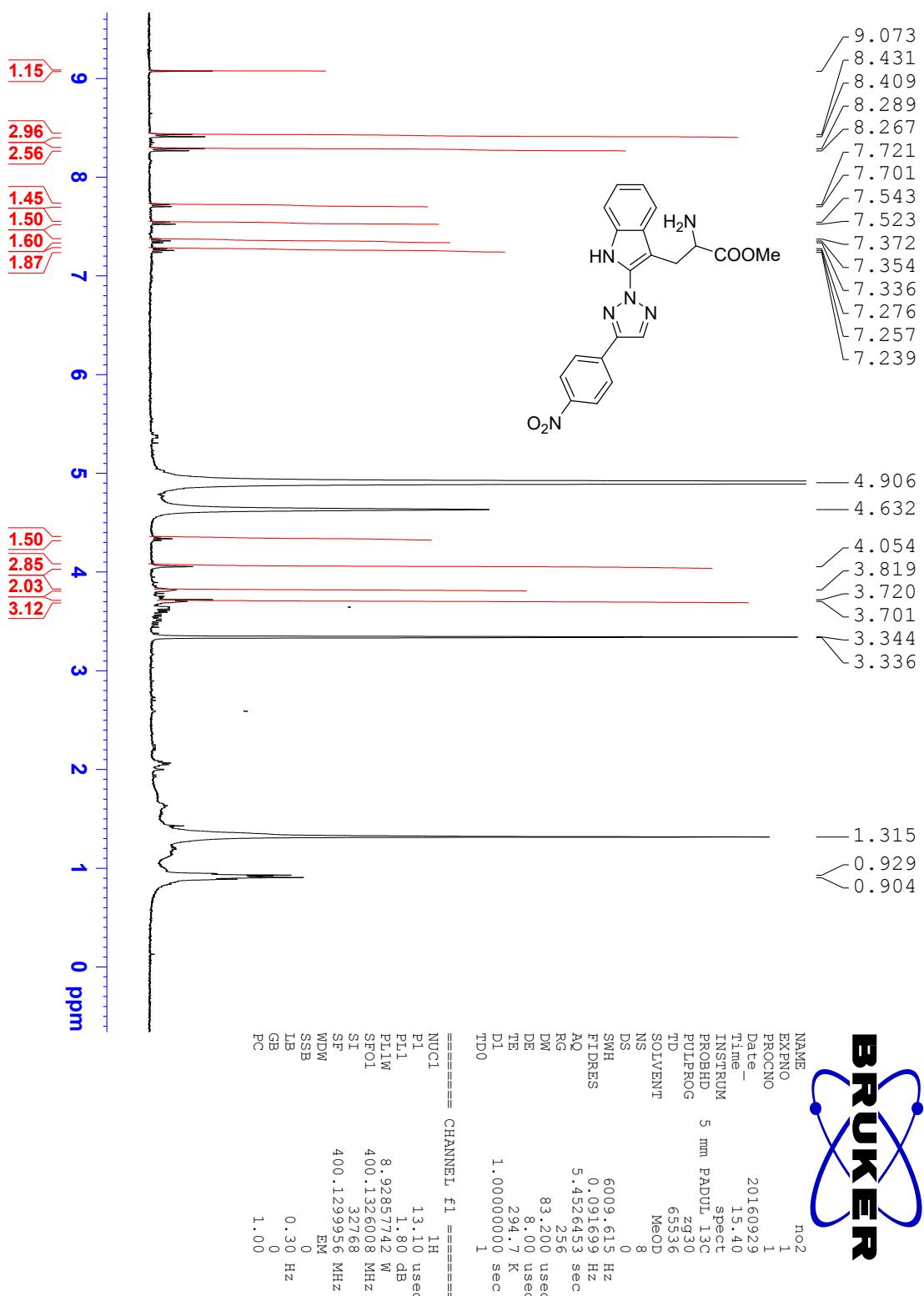


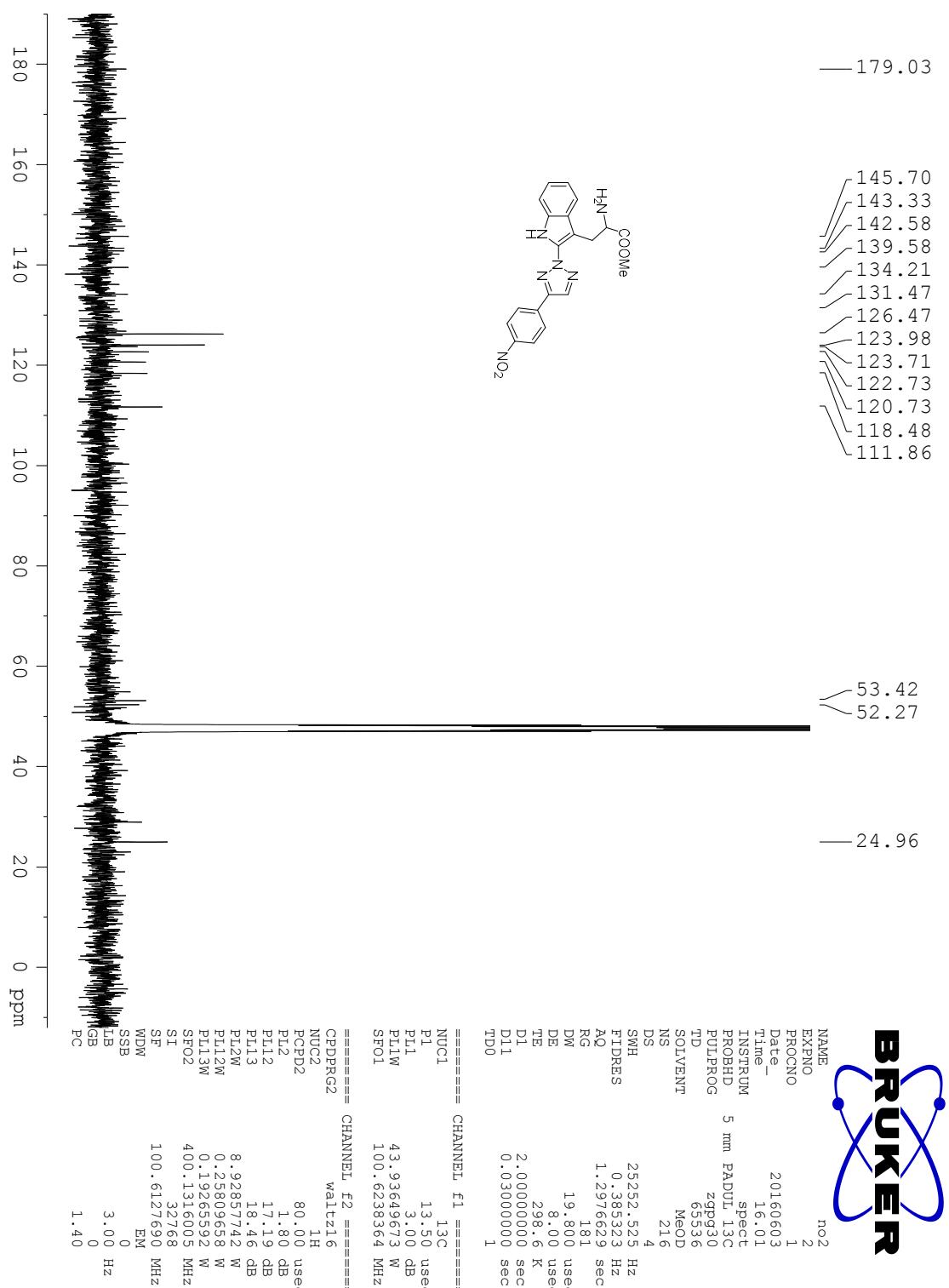


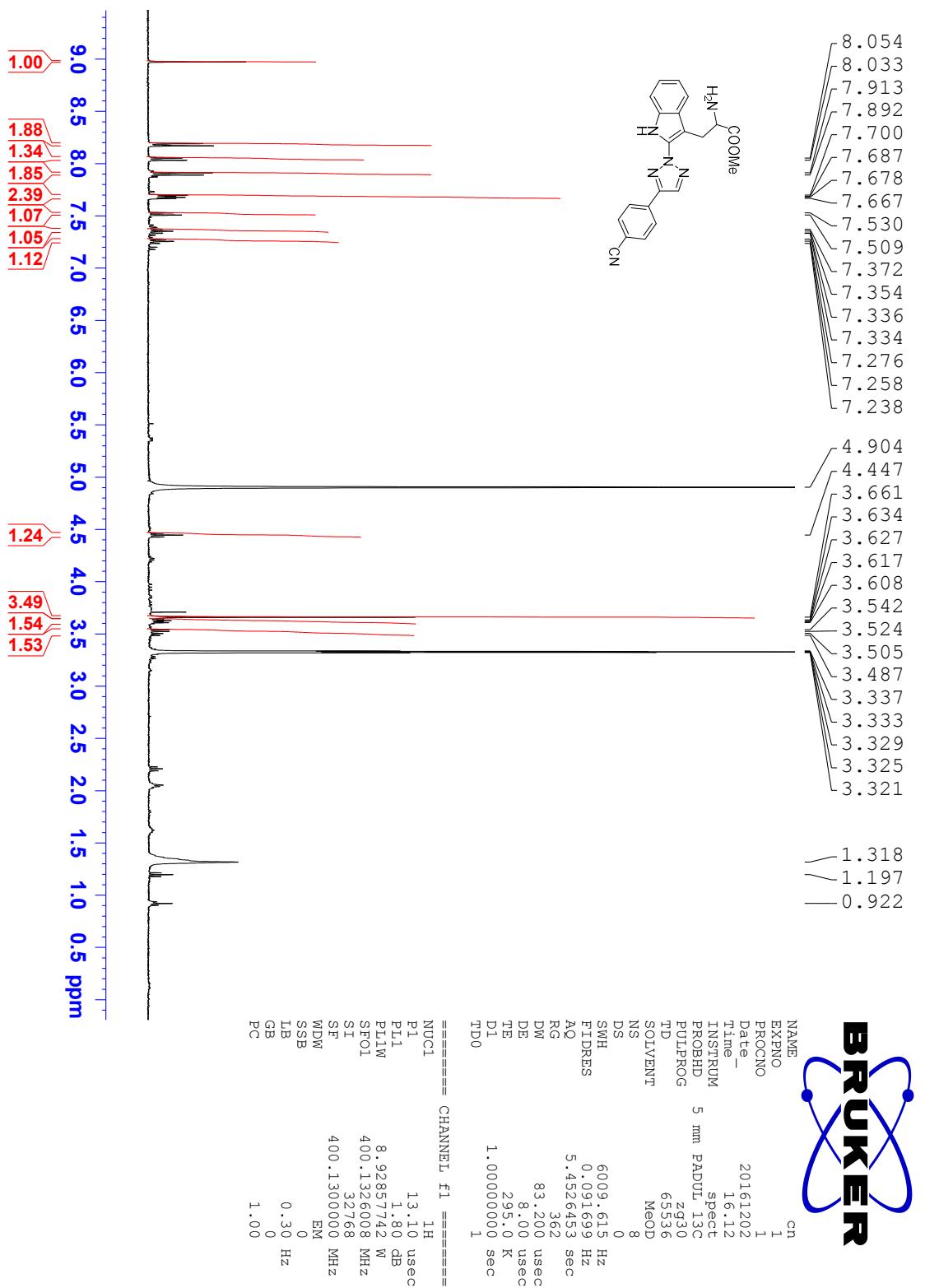
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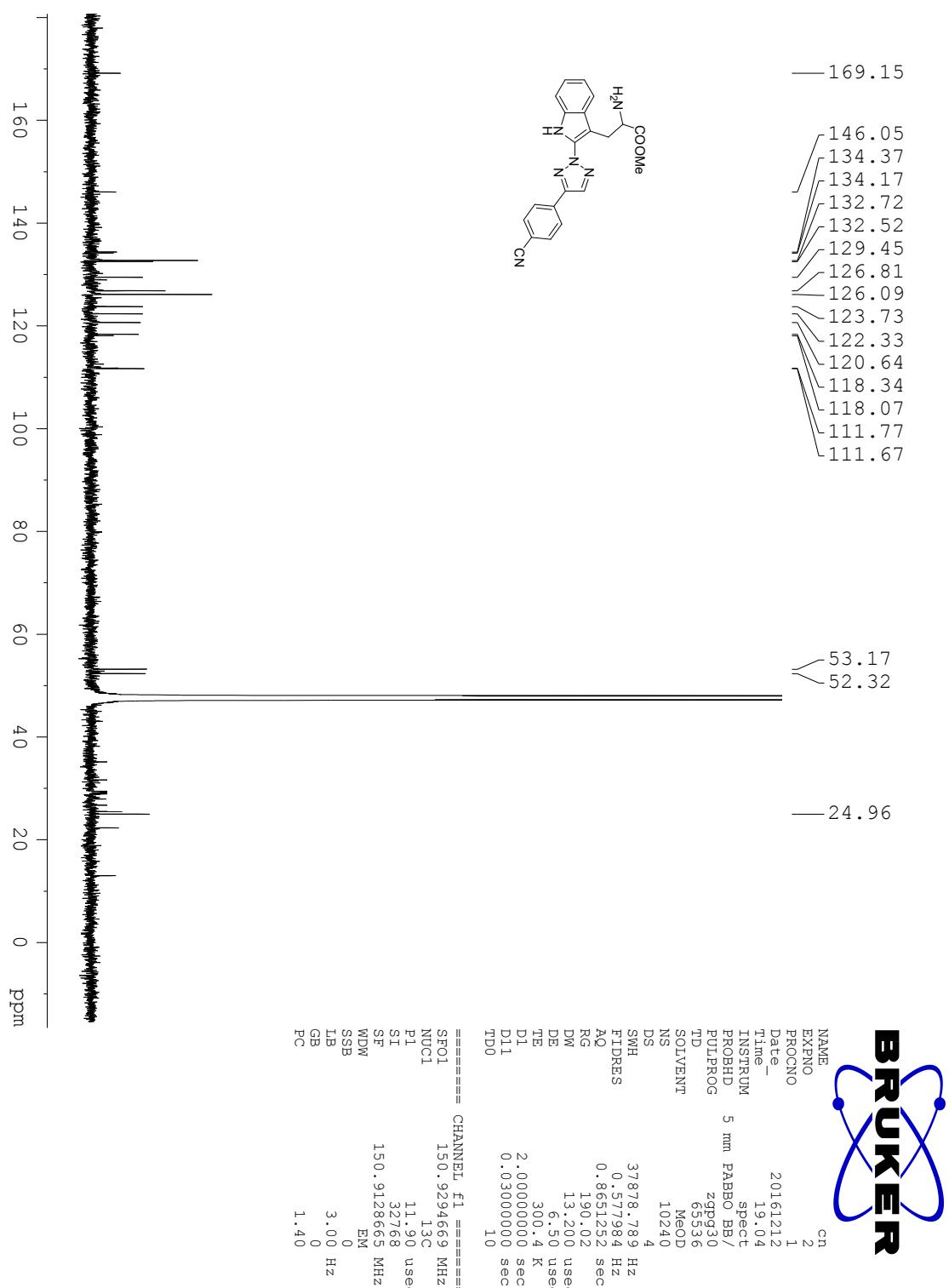


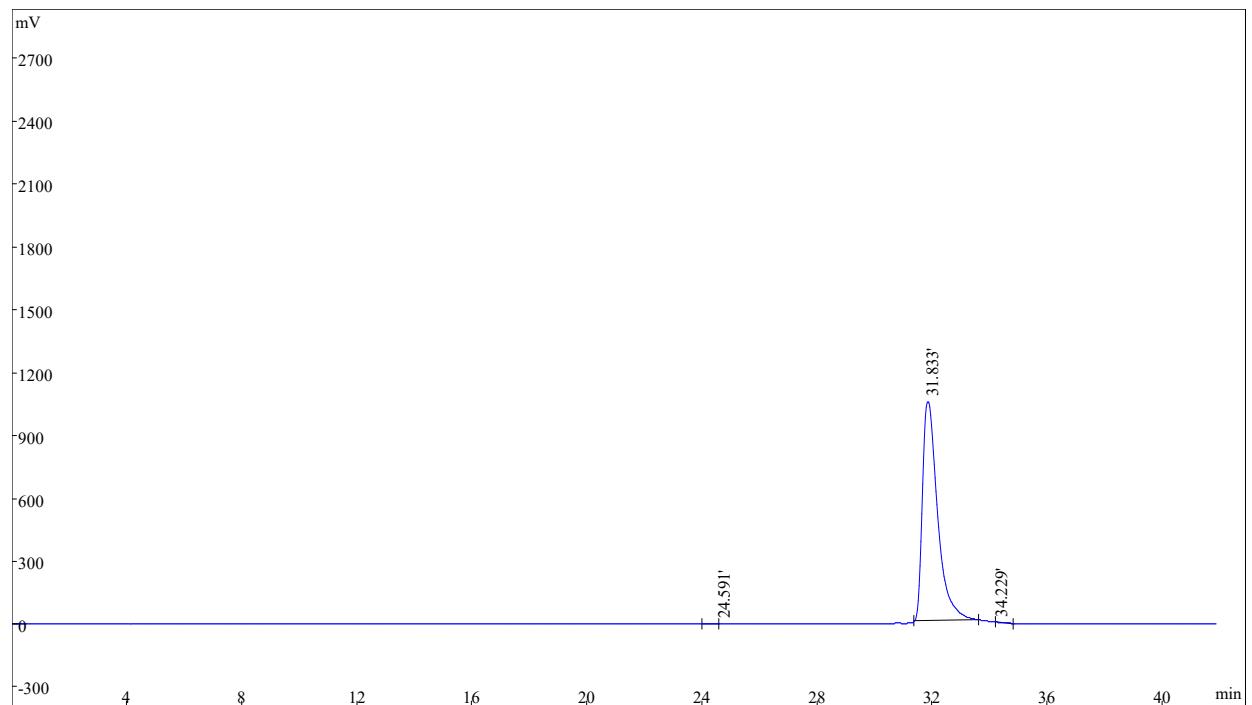
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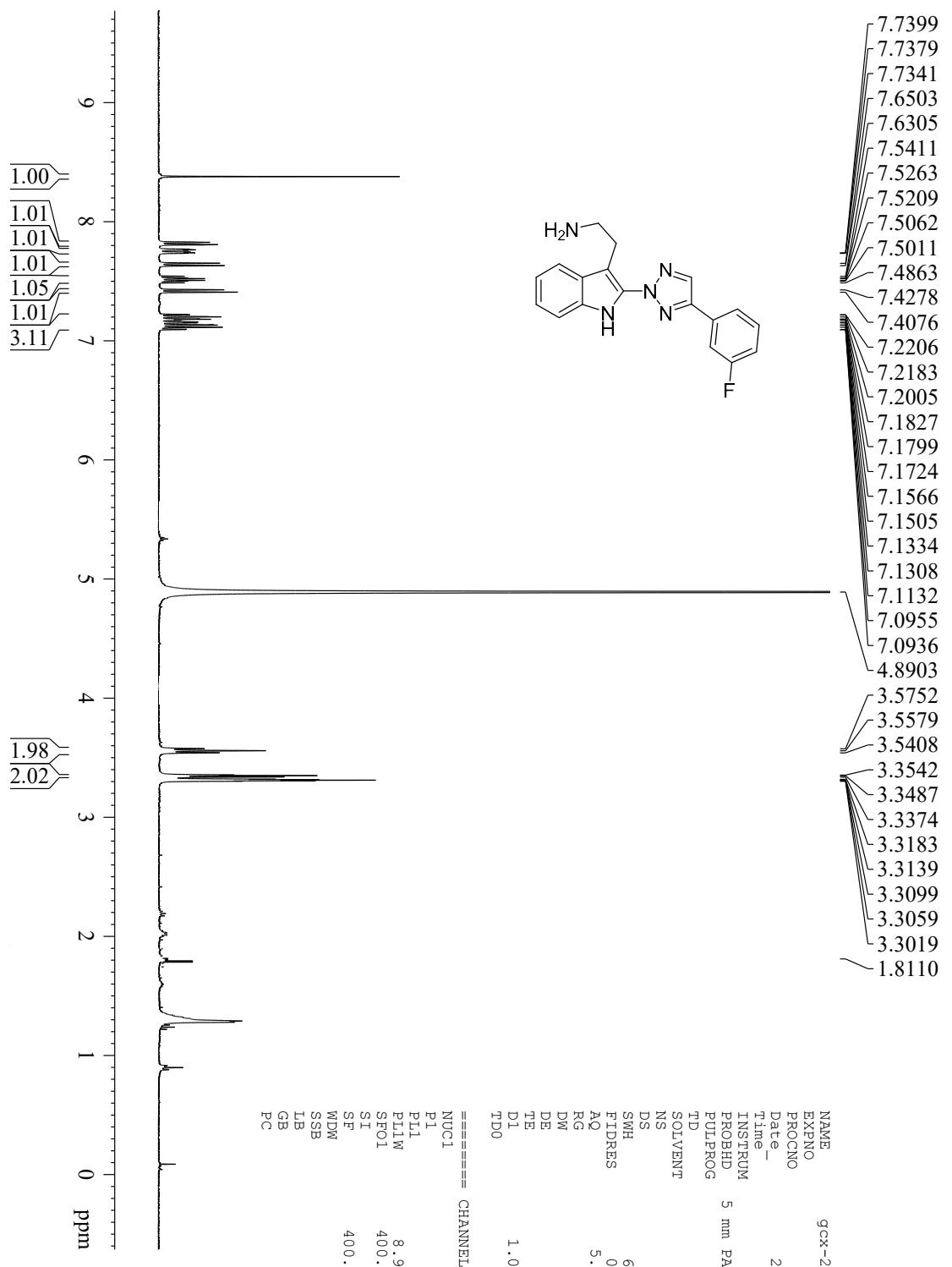


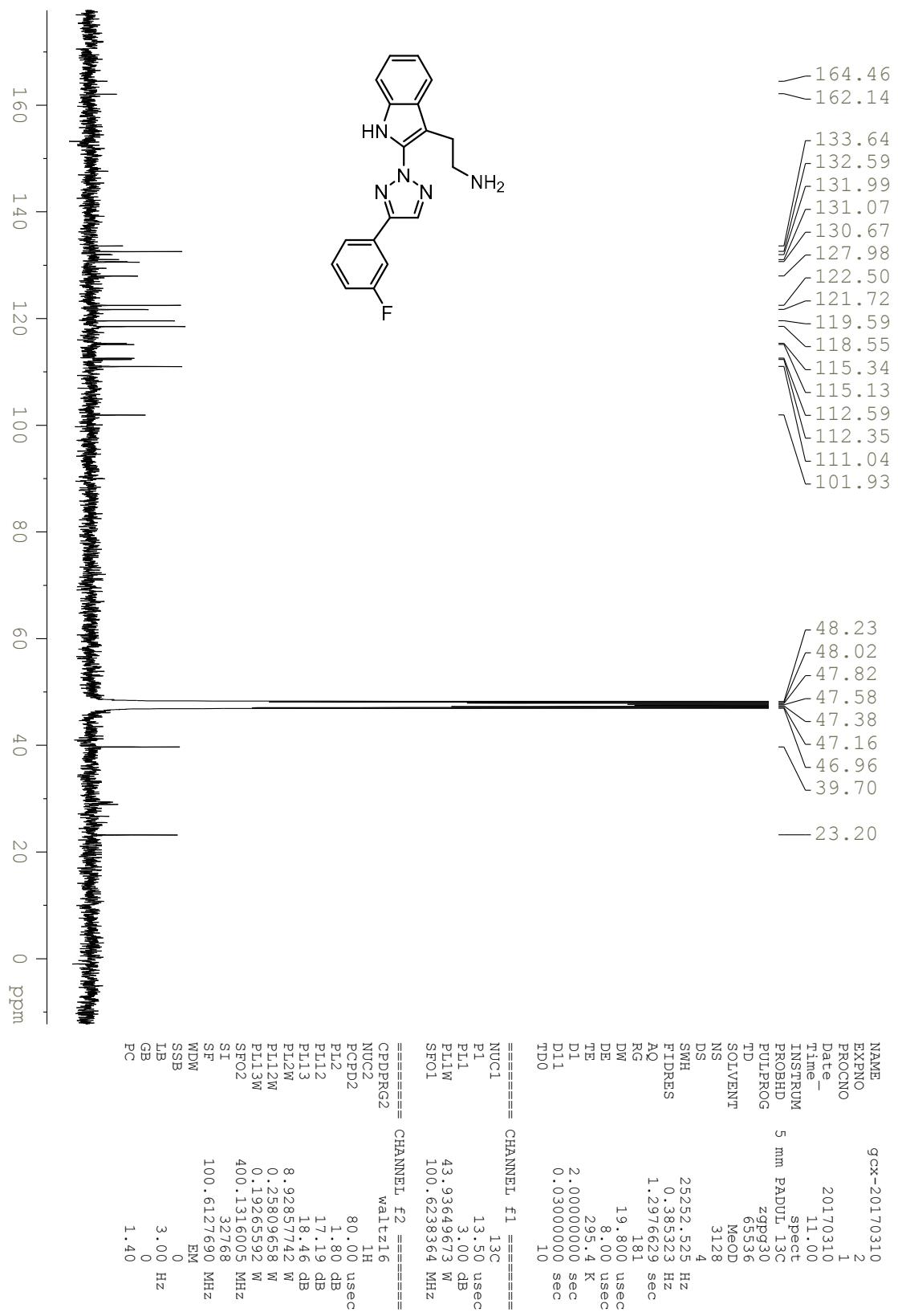






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