

Acidic Hierarchical Zeolite ZSM-5 Supported Ru Catalyst with High Activity and Selectivity in Seleno-functionalization of Alkenes

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1. Figures

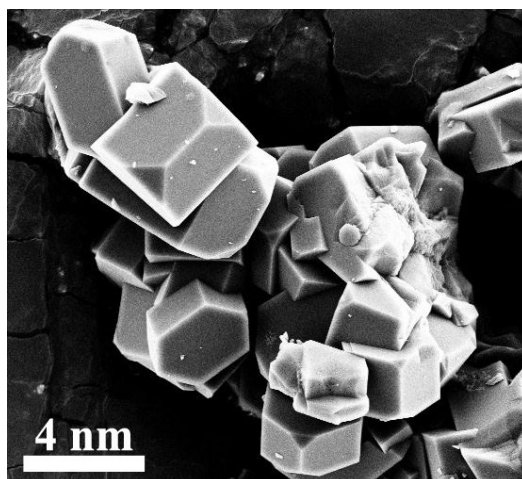


Fig. S1 SEM image of the microporous zeolite ZSM-5

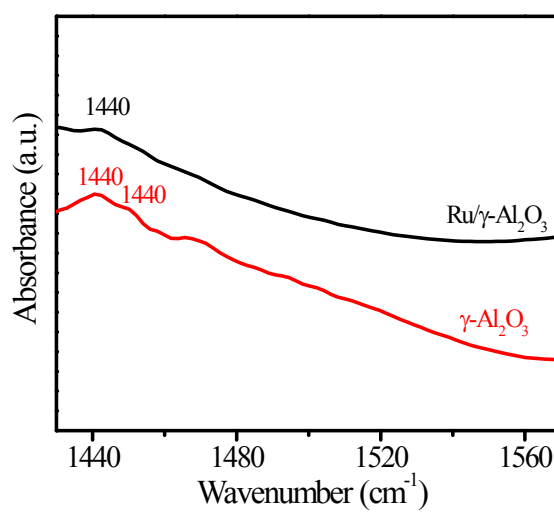


Fig. S2 Py-IR spectra of the γ -Al₂O₃ and Ru/ γ -Al₂O₃ samples.

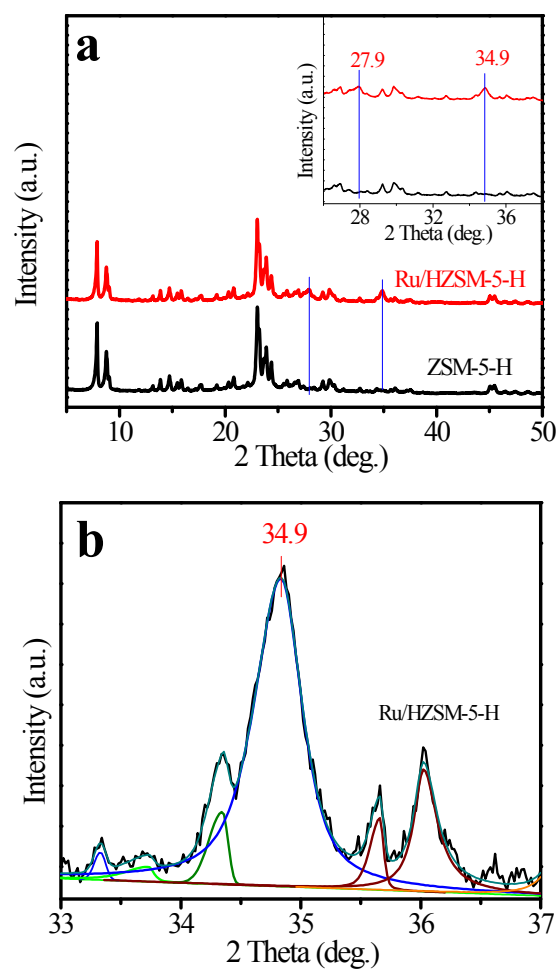


Fig. S3 (a) XRD patterns of ZSM-5-H and Ru/HZSM-5-H samples, and (b) the peak fitting of XRD patterns of Ru/HZSM-5-H between diffraction peaks at $2\theta=33$ - 37° .

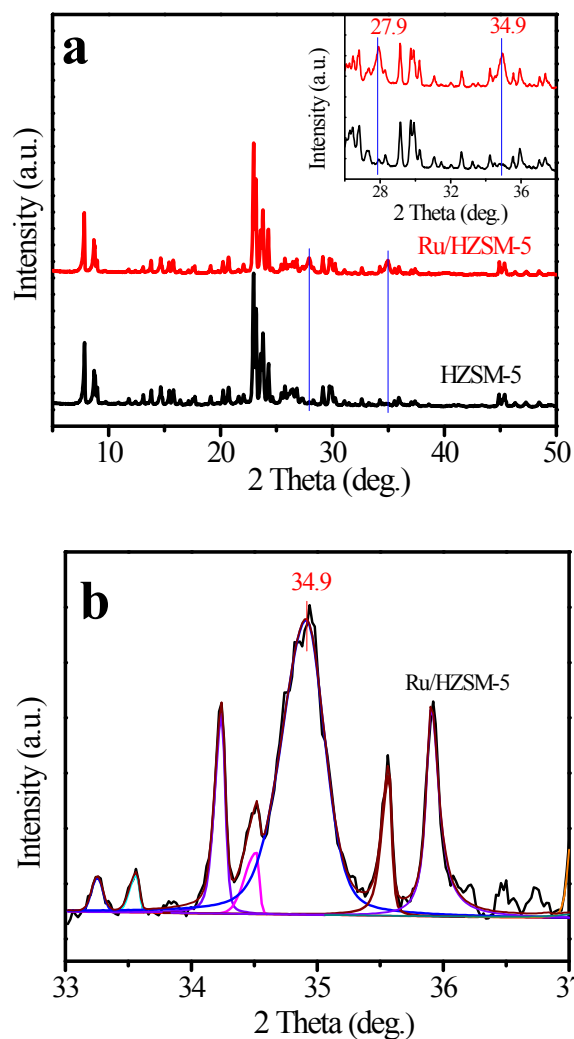


Fig. S4 XRD patterns of ZSM-5 and Ru/HZSM-5 samples, and (b) the peak fitting of XRD patterns of Ru/HZSM-5-H between diffraction peaks at $2\theta=33-37^\circ$

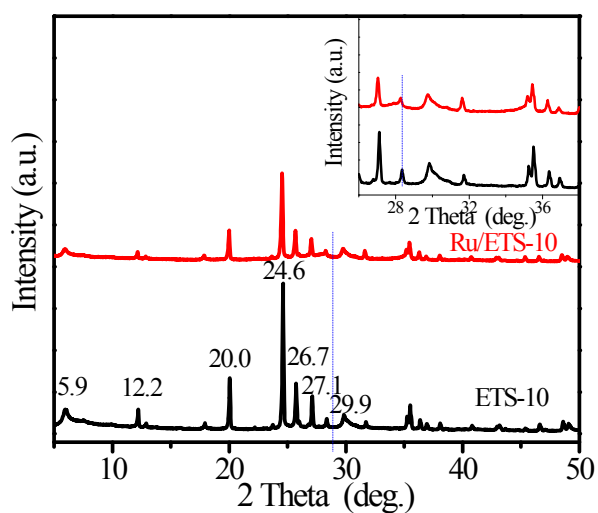


Fig. S5 XRD patterns of ETS-10 and Ru/ETS-10 samples.

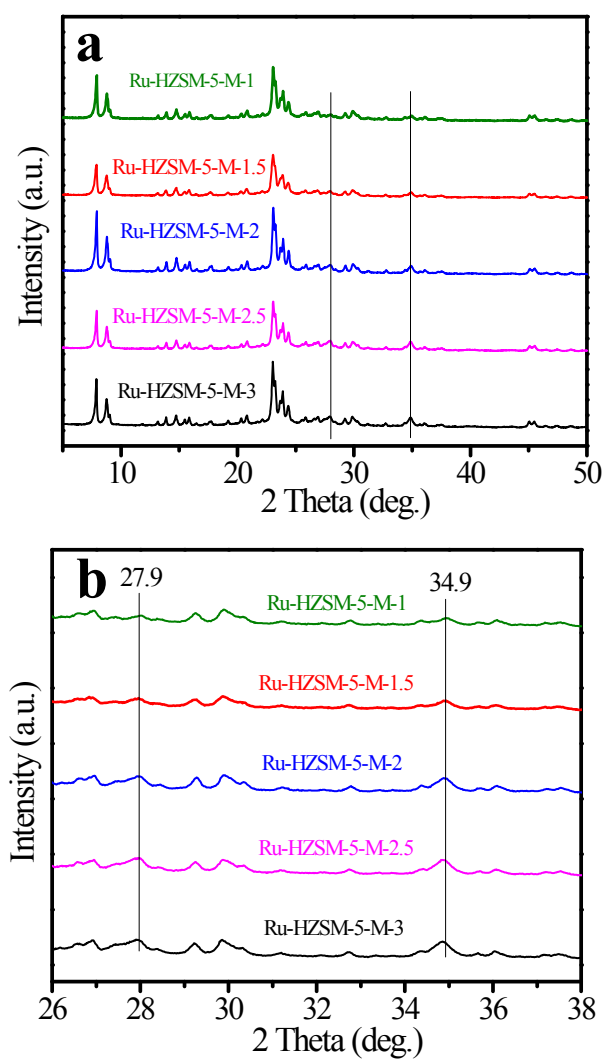


Fig. S6. XRD patterns of the HZSM-5-H supported Ru catalysts.

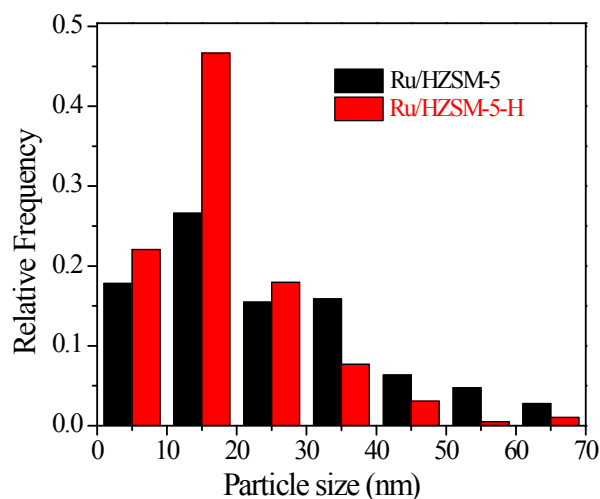


Fig. S7 The size distributions of the RuO₂ particles on the Ru/HZSM-5-H and Ru/HZSM-5 catalysts.

Discussion: The size distributions of the RuO₂ in the catalyst were also obtained by statistical analyses from at least 20 images of 150-200 RuO₂ particles from different regions of each catalyst. The average RuO₂ particle size ($D_{aver.}$) was also calculated according to following equation:

$$D_{aver.} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n d_i}{n_i}$$

where n_i is the number of the RuO₂ particles and d_i is the size of each RuO₂ particle. **Fig. S5** shows the size distributions of the RuO₂ particle size distribution on the Ru/HZSM-5 and Ru/HZSM-5-H sample. The particle size of RuO₂ on mainly ranges from 1 to 40 nm, while that on Ru/HZSM-5-H samples are mainly 1-30 nm. Based on the data in **Fig. S5**, the average RuO₂ particle size ($D_{aver.}$) was calculated, the $D_{aver.}$ is 17.9 nm on the Ru/HZSM-5-H, while that is 23.3 nm on Ru/HZSM-5 catalyst.

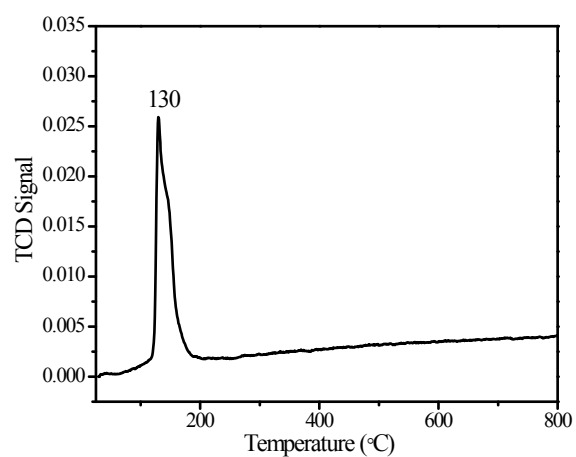


Fig. S8. H₂-TPR profile of the calcined Ru/HZSM-5-H catalyst.

Discussion: H₂-TPR profile shows one reduction peak at 130 °C, which should be attributed to the reduction of Ru species.

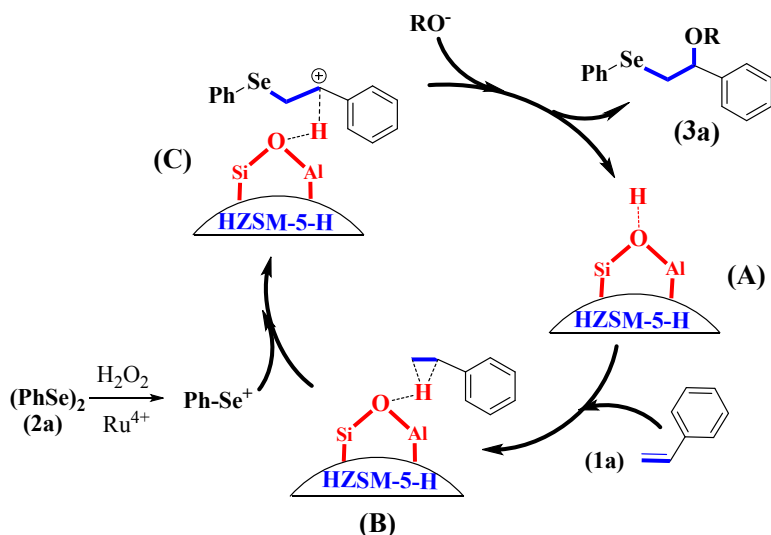


Fig. S9. Possible reaction mechanism on Ru/HZSM-5-H catalyst.

Discussion: The seleno-functionalization of styrene with hydroxyl, alkoxy and carboxy nucleophilic reagents on Ru/HZSM-5-H is illustrated in **Fig. S8**. Firstly, the C=C bond in styrene (**1a**) could be activated through the C=C bond interacting with H⁺ site on Ru/HZSM-5-H catalyst to form an intermediate **B**. Simultaneously, the Ru⁴⁺ species facilitate the transformation from diaryl diselenides (**2a**) to electrophilic selenium species under the H₂O₂ oxidizing agent, and electrophilic selenium species attack the activated C=C bond in styrene to form intermediate **C**. Finally, the nucleophilic reagents react with intermediate **C** to generate the final target product **3a**.

2. Tables

Table S1. Texture parameters of all catalyst samples.

Sample	S_{BET} (m ² /g) ^a	S_{ext} (m ² /g) ^b	V_{mic} (cm ³ /g) ^c	V_{meso} (cm ³ /g) ^d	Si/Al(Ti)
ZSM-5-H	460	208	0.11	0.47	36
ZSM-5	392	45	0.12	0.03	30
HZSM-5-H	408	167	0.08	0.45	35
HZSM-5	376	43	0.11	0.03	31
ETS-10	316	18	0.09	0.03	7
γ -Al ₂ O ₃	354	311	-	0.88	-
Ru/HZSM-5-H	392	162	0.08	0.40	-
Ru/HZSM-5	343	37	0.11	0.03	-
Ru/ETS-10	305	22	0.11	0.03	-
Ru/ γ -Al ₂ O ₃	359	332	0.02	0.83	-

^aBET surface area. ^bExternal surface area, including mesoporous surface area. ^cMicroporous volume. ^dMesoporous volume.

Table S2 Total acidities and the acidic sites distributions of the supports and catalysts

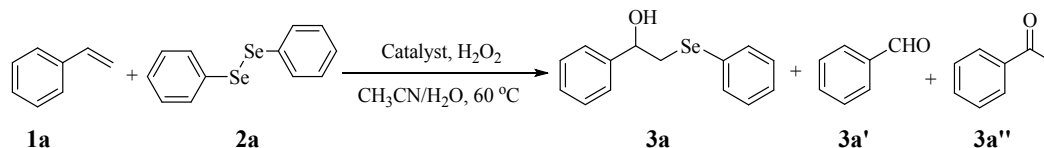
Catalyst	Weak acidic sites ($\mu\text{mol/g}$) ^a	Medium acidic sites ($\mu\text{mol/g}$) ^b	Strong acidic sites ($\mu\text{mol/g}$) ^c	Total acidic sites ($\mu\text{mol/g}$) ^d
$\gamma\text{-Al}_2\text{O}_3$	317	163	-	480
HZSM-5-H	227	153	120	500
HZSM-5	287	164	129	580
Ru/ $\gamma\text{-Al}_2\text{O}_3$	-	-	-	340
Ru/HZSM-5-H	-	-	-	420
Ru/HZSM-5	-	-	-	480

^a Weak acidic sites estimated from the relative area of the deconvoluted peak.

^b Medium acidic sites estimated from the relative area of the deconvoluted peak.

^c Strong acidic sites estimated from the relative area of the deconvoluted peak.

^d Total acidic site determined by titration technique.

Table S3. Hydroxyselenation of styrene with diaryl diselenide over a series of catalysts.

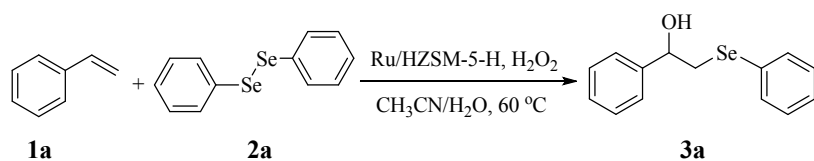
Entry	Catalyst	Conversion (%)	Selectivity (%)		
			3a	3a'	3a''
1	Ru/HZSM-5-H-1	70	85	8	7
2	Ru/HZSM-5-H-1.5	73	86	8	6
3	Ru/HZSM-5-H-2	90	80	5	15
4	Ru/HZSM-5-H-2.5	92	90	6	11
5	Ru/HZSM-5-H-3	94	94	4	2

^aReaction conditions: catalysts (25 mg), styrene **1a** (1.0 mmol), diaryl diselenides **2a** (0.6 mmol), H₂O₂ (1.5 mmol, 30% aqueous solution), acetonitrile (1 mL) and H₂O (1 mL) were placed in a sealed tube (10 mL). The reaction was proceeded at 60 °C for 7 h.

Table S4. Alkoxysulfenenylation of styrenes with diaryl disulfides in the presence of methanol over Ru/HZSM-5-H catalyst.^a

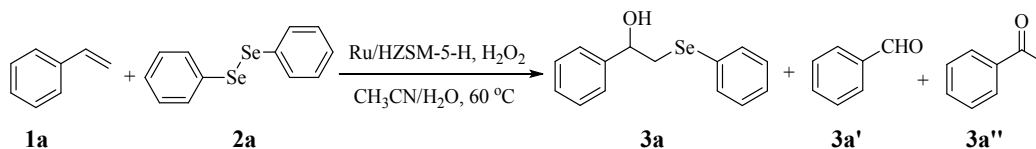
Entry	Alkenes	Products	Conv. (%)
1		 5a	75 (83)
2		 5b	82 (88)
3		 5c	88 (84)

^aReaction condition: 25 mg solid catalyst, styrene (1.0 mmol), diaryl disulfides (0.6 mmol), H₂O₂ (1.5 mmol), methanol (2.0 mL), 60 °C for 10 h. The data out of parenthesis is conversion, and in parenthesis is selectivity.

Table S5. The reusability of the catalyst. ^a

Entry	Recycle	Conversion (%)	Selectivity (%)
1	Run 1	94	95
2	Run 2	94	94
3	Run 3	92	93
4	Run 4	90	92
5	Run 5	89	91
6	Run 6	90	90
7	Run 7	90	91

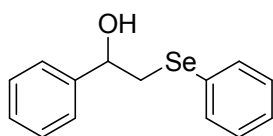
^a Reaction condition: 25 mg solid catalyst, styrene (1.0 mmol), diaryl diselenides (0.6 mmol), H₂O₂ (1.5 mmol), H₂O (1.0 mL), CH₃CN (1.0 mL), reaction time of 7 h. The yield was analyzed by LC. The spent catalyst was carefully collected, washed with acetonitrile 10 times, and dried at 120 °C for 10 h, and followed by calcination at 450 °C in air for next recycle.

Table S6. Hydroxyselenation of styrene with diaryl diselenide over Ru/HZSM-5-H catalyst.^a

Entry	Catalyst	Conv. (%) ^b	Selectivity (%) ^c			Error bars	
			3a	3a'	3a''	Conv.	Selectivity
1	Ru/HZSM-5-H	94	95	2	3	0.41	0.48
2	Ru/HZSM-5-H	93	93	4	3		
3	Ru/HZSM-5-H	95	93	3	3		
4	Ru/HZSM-5-H	94	94	4	2		

^aReaction condition: 25 mg solid catalyst, styrene **1a** (1.0 mmol), diaryl diselenides **2a** (0.6 mmol), H₂O₂ (1.5 mmol), H₂O (1.0 mL), CH₃CN (1.0 mL), 7 h.

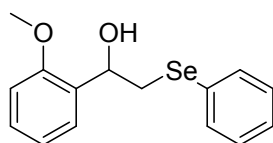
3. Analytical data



(3a) 1-phenyl-2-(phenylselenanyl)ethanol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.24-7.10 (m, 8H), 4.63 (dt, *J* = 3.2, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.18 (dd, *J* = 4.0, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H);

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 142.3, 132.9, 132.8, 129.1, 128.4, 127.8, 127.2, 125.7, 72.1, 38.2.

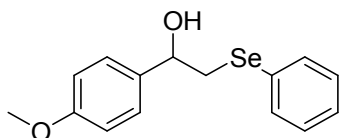


(3b) 1-(2-methoxyphenyl)-2-(phenylselenanyl)ethanol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.08 (m, 4H), 6.87

(t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.72 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.98-4.90 (m, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.35 (dd, $J = 4.0, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.07-2.95 (m, 2H);

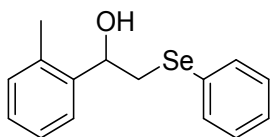
^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 155.9, 132.1, 130.3, 129.8, 128.8, 128.5, 126.6, 126.5, 120.6, 110.1, 68.7, 55.0, 35.8.



(3c) 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 5H), 6.90-6.82 (m, 2H), 4.73 (dt, $J = 3.3, 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 3.9, 12.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.17 (dd, $J = 9.3, 12.6$ Hz, 1H);

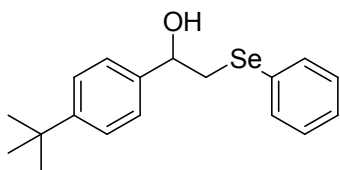
^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 159.2, 134.5, 133.0, 129.2, 128.1, 127.3, 127.0, 113.8, 71.8, 55.2, 38.3.



(3d) 2-(phenylselanyl)-1-(o-tolyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.60-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.52 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.21 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.92 (dt, $J = 2.4, 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd, $J = 2.8, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (dd, $J = 10.0, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.80 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.11 (s, 3H);

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 140.3, 134.3, 133.4, 130.3, 129.1, 128.8, 127.57, 127.52, 126.3, 125.0, 68.6, 37.4, 18.7.

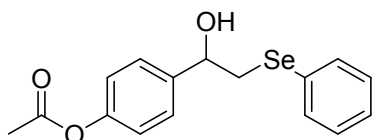


(3e) 1-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.36 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.29-7.21 (m, 5H), 4.75

(dt, $J = 3.2, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, $J = 3.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.18 (dd, $J = 9.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.77 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.30 (s, 9H);

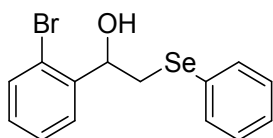
^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 150.8, 139.4, 132.9, 129.2, 129.1, 127.2, 125.5, 125.4, 72.0, 38.2, 34.5, 31.2.



(3f) 4-(1-hydroxy-2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl)phenyl acetate

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.48-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.26 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.21-7.15 (m, 3H), 6.97 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 4.65 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.20 (dd, $J = 3.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (dd, $J = 9.2, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.86 (s, 1H);

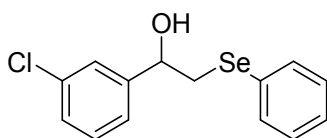
^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.4, 150.0, 140.0, 133.0, 129.2, 128.9, 127.3, 126.8, 121.5, 71.6, 38.2, 21.0.



(3g) 1-(2-bromophenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55-7.46 (m, 3H), 7.38 (dd, $J = 1.2, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.35-7.13 (m, 4H), 7.04-7.98 (m, 1H), 4.97 (dt, $J = 2.8, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.48-3.49 (m, 1H), 2.96 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.84 (dd, $J = 5.6, 8.8$ Hz, 1H);

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 141.2, 133.4, 133.3, 132.5, 129.0, 128.5, 127.7, 127.4, 127.2, 121.5, 70.7, 36.6.

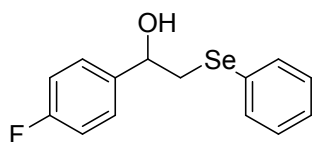


(3h) 1-(3-chlorophenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.49-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.08 (m, 7H), 4.62 (dt, $J = 3.2, 6.4$ Hz, 1H),

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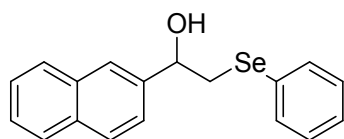
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(3i) 1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.47-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.14 (m, 5H), 6.92 (t, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 4.66-4.55 (m, 1H), 3.17 (dd, $J = 4.0, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.02 (dd, $J = 9.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.87 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H);

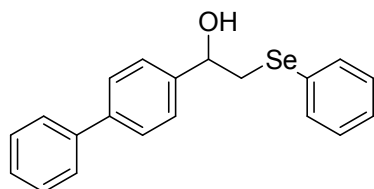
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(3j) 1-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.85-7.76 (m, 4H), 7.60-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.51-7.40 (m, 3H), 7.31-7.23 (m, 3H), 4.93 (dt, $J = 3.3, 6.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, $J = 3.6, 12.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.24 (dd, $J = 9.6, 12.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.95 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H);

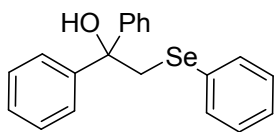
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(3k) 1-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.60-7.49i (m, 6H), 7.46-7.30 (m, 5H), 7.29-7.21 (m, 3H), 4.83-4.73 (m, 1H), 3.34 (dd, $J = 3.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.19 (dd, $J = 9.6, 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.88 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H);

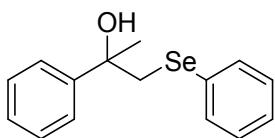
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(3l) 1,1-diphenyl-2-(phenylselanyl)ethanol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 4H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 4H), 7.25-7.17 (m, 5H), 3.86 (s, 2H), 3.57 (s, 1H);

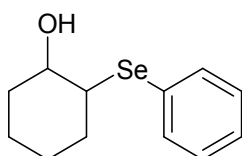
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(3m) 2-phenyl-1-(phenylselanyl)propan-2-ol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.38-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.24-7.16 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.06 (m, 4H), 3.50 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.84 (s, 1H), 1.52 (s, 3H);

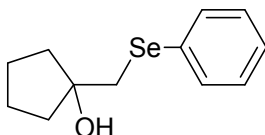
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(3n) 2-(phenylselanyl)cyclohexanol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.24 (m, 3H), 3.35 (td, *J* = 4.0, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 2.96-2.83 (m, 2H), 2.24-2.07 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.56 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.13 (m, 5H);

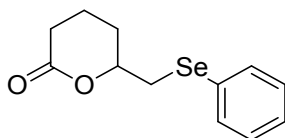
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(3o) 1-((phenylselanyl)methyl)cyclopentanol

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.10 (m, 3H), 3.17 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 2.26 (s, 1H), 1.81-1.59 (m, 4H), 1.58-1.43 (m, 4H);

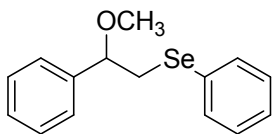
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 132.5, 130.7, 129.0, 126.8, 81.5, 42.0, 39.6, 23.9.



(3p) 6-((phenylselanyl)methyl)tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-one

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.47-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.15 (m, 3H), 4.23-4.29 (m, 1H), 3.19 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.96 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.55-2.42 (m, 1H), 2.41-2.26 (m, 1H), 2.11-2.01 (m, 1H), 1.88-1.64 (m, 2H), 1.56-1.41 (m, 1H);

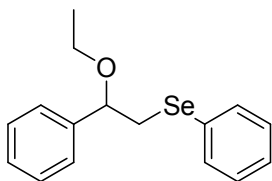
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.9, 132.6, 129.2, 129.1, 127.2, 79.6, 32.0, 29.2, 27.1, 18.2.



(4a) (2-methoxy-2-phenylethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 3H), 4.36 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (s, 3H), 3.12 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 12.4 Hz, 1H);

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.8, 132.5, 130.6, 128.9, 128.5, 128.0, 126.7, 126.6, 83.1, 57.0, 35.3.

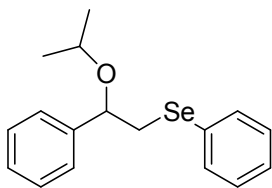


(4b) (2-ethoxy-2-phenylethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.24-7.17 (m, 2H), 4.48 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.47-3.29 (m, 3H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 1.19 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H);

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 141.6, 132.4, 130.8, 128.9, 128.4, 127.9, 126.6, 126.5, 81.3, 64.6,

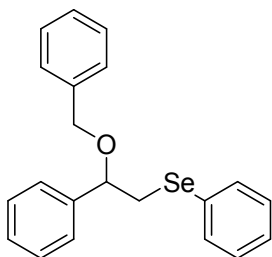
35.5, 15.2.



(4c) (2-isopropoxy-2-phenylethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.48 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.17 (m, 3H), 4.59 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.32 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.09 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 1.17 (d, *J* = 6.0, 3H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 3H);

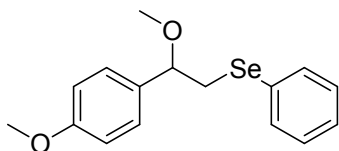
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(4d) (2-(benzyloxy)-2-phenylethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.48-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.26 (m, 10H), 7.25-7.14 (m, 3H), 4.63-4.52 (m, 1H), 4.50 (d, *J* = 11.6, 1H), 4.31 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.14 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 12.4 Hz, 1H);

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 141.0, 138.0, 132.4, 130.7, 128.9, 128.5, 128.3, 128.1, 127.8, 127.5, 126.8, 126.6, 80.7, 70.7, 35.4.

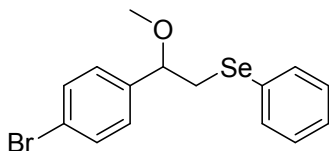


(4e) (2-methoxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.18 (m, 5H), 6.92-6.83 (m, 2H), 4.34-4.25 (dd, *J* = 5.4, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.36 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 12.3 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (s, 3H), 3.11 (dd, *J* =

5.4, 12.3 Hz, 1H);

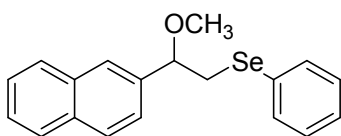
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(4f) (2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-methoxyethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50-7.41 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 3H), 7.19-7.15 (m, 2H), 4.32 (dd, *J* = 5.4, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 12.3 Hz, 1H), 3.22 (s, 3H), 3.08 (dd, *J* = 5.7, 12.6 Hz, 1H);

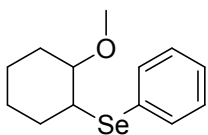
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(4g) (2-methoxy-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)ethyl)(phenyl)selane

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.84 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 7.73 (s, 1H), 7.54-7.38 (m, 5H), 7.24-7.15 (m, 3H), 4.55-4.46 (m, 1H), 3.47-3.34 (m, 1H), 3.27 (s, 3H), 3.20 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 12.4 Hz, 1H);

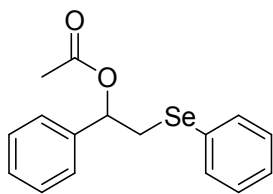
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.2, 133.2, 133.1, 132.6, 130.5, 128.9, 128.5, 127.8, 127.7, 126.8, 126.2, 126.1, 126.0, 124.0, 83.3, 57.0, 35.1.



(4h) (2-methoxycyclohexyl)benzene

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.19 (m, 3H), 3.37 (s, 3H), 3.32-3.11 (m, 2H), 2.21-2.07 (m, 1H), 2.05-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.79-1.67 (m, 1H), 1.67-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.55-1.40 (m, 1H), 1.31-1.22 (m, 2H);

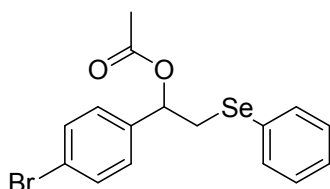
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 135.3, 128.9, 128.8, 127.4, 82.2, 56.4, 47.4, 32.1, 30.3, 25.7, 23.4,



(4i) 1-phenyl-2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl acetate

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.19 (m, 8H), 5.94 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (dd, *J* = 5.6, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.0 (s, 3H);

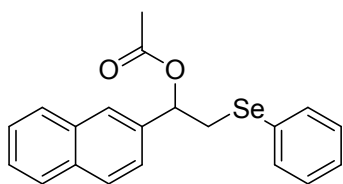
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.9, 139.3, 133.0, 129.7, 129.0, 128.5, 128.3, 127.2, 126.5, 75.1, 33.3, 21.0.



(4j) 1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl acetate

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49-7.39 (m, 4H), 7.28-7.20 (m, 3H), 7.20-7.12 (m, 2H), 5.87 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 12.9 Hz, 1H), 3.20 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 12.9 Hz, 1H), 1.99 (s, 3H);

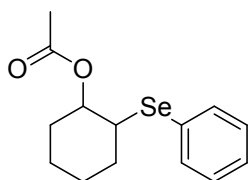
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(4k) 1-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl acetate

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.88-7.72 (m, 4H), 7.55-7.37 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.17 (m, 3H), 6.11 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, *J* = 5.6, 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (s, 3H);

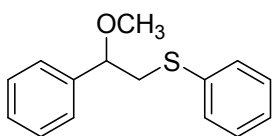
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(4l) 2-(phenylselanyl)cyclohexyl acetate

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.19 (m, 3H), 4.91-4.73 (m, 1H), 3.27-3.07 (m, 1H), 2.22-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.94 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 1.80-1.16 (m, 7H);

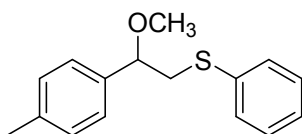
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.2, 134.9, 128.8, 128.4, 127.4, 75.3, 46.0, 32.2, 31.7, 25.7, 23.5, 21.0.



(5a) (2-methoxy-2-phenylethyl)(phenyl)sulfane

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-7.28 (m, 8H), 7.26-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.13 (m, 1H), 4.31 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 13.2 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (s, 3H), 3.16 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 13.2 Hz, 1H);

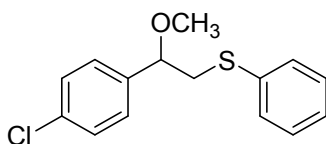
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.4, 136.4, 129.2, 128.8, 128.5, 128.1, 126.7, 125.9, 82.4, 57.0, 41.4.



(5b) (2-methoxy-2-(p-tolyl)ethyl)(phenyl)sulfane

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.28-7.10 (m, 7H), 4.28 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 13.2 Hz, 1H), 3.22 (s, 3H), 3.14 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 13.2 Hz, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.8, 137.3, 136.5, 129.18, 129.15, 128.7, 126.6, 125.8, 82.1, 56.8, 41.3, 21.1.

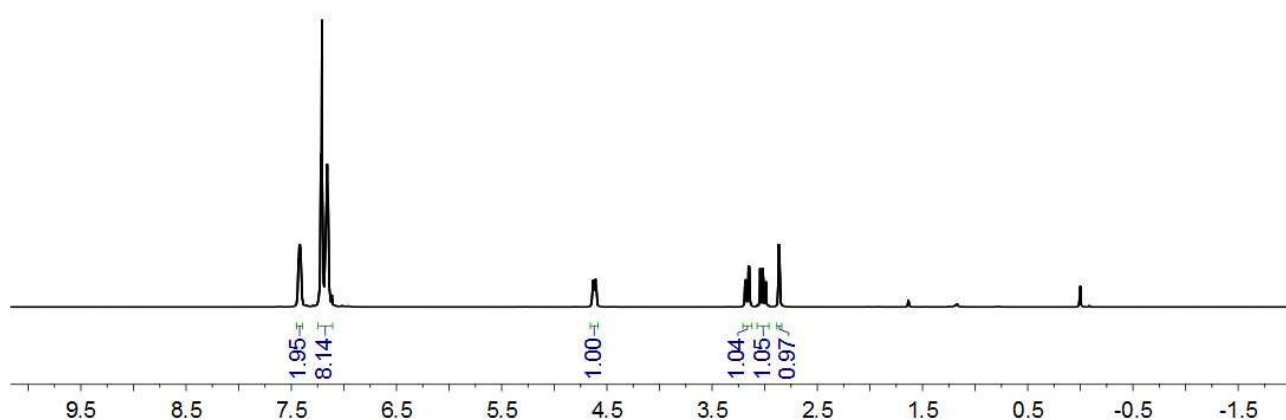
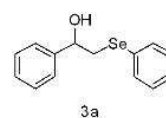


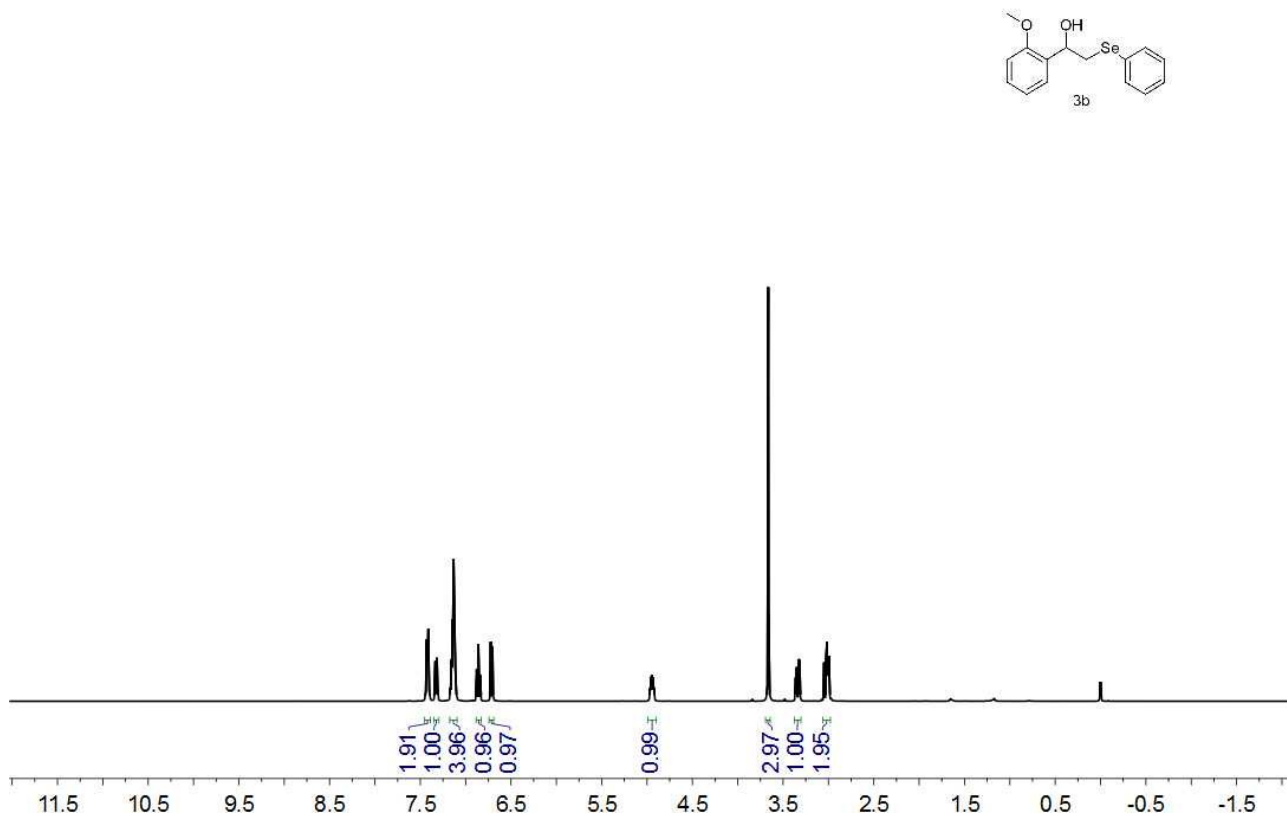
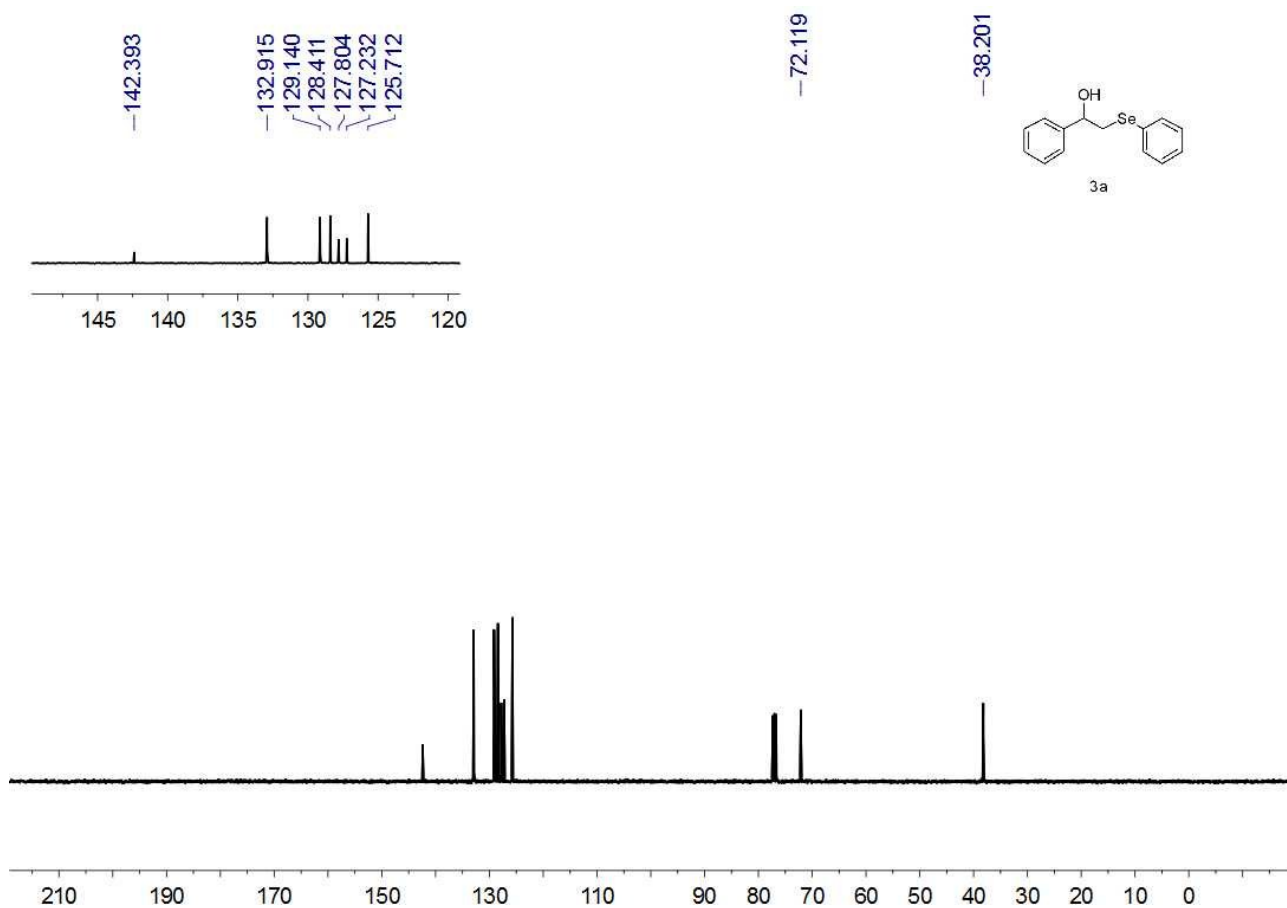
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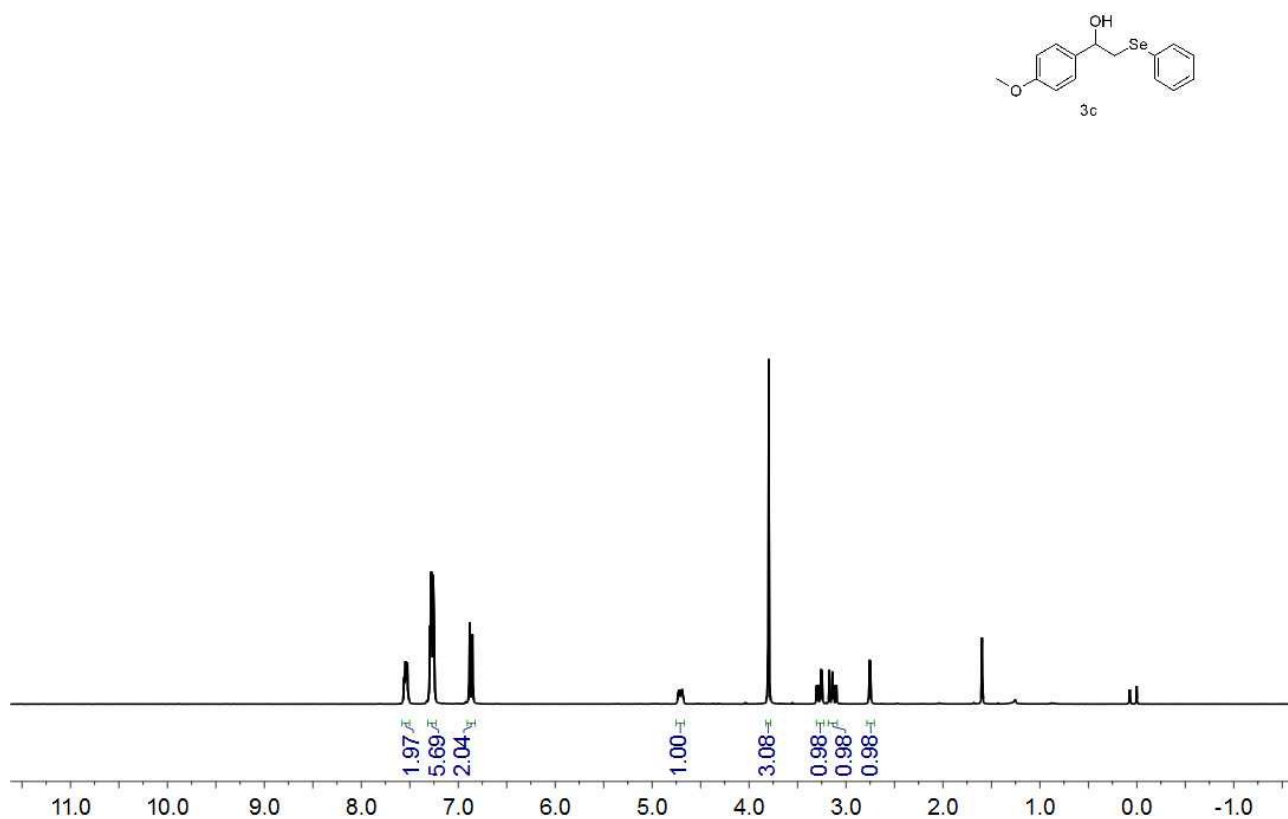
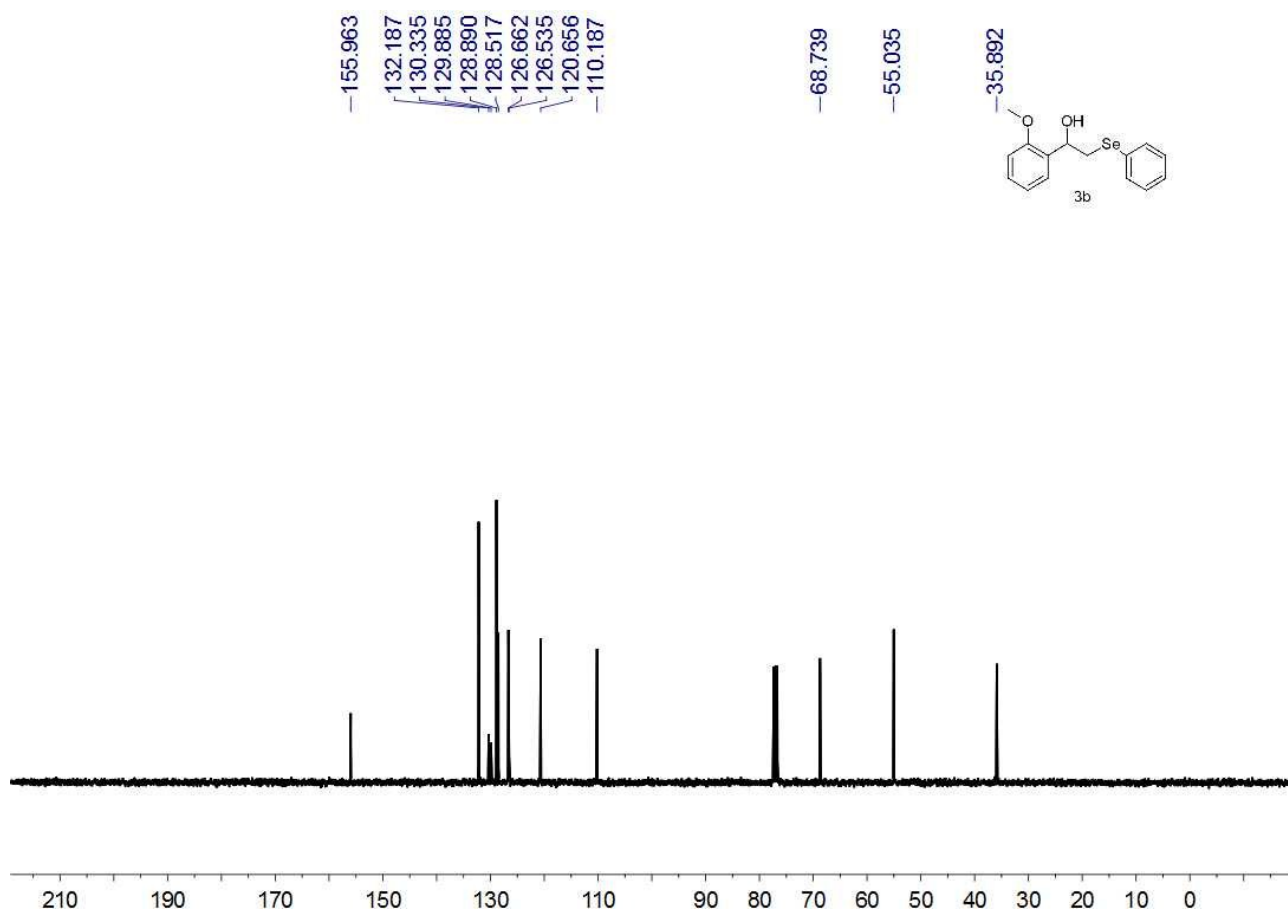
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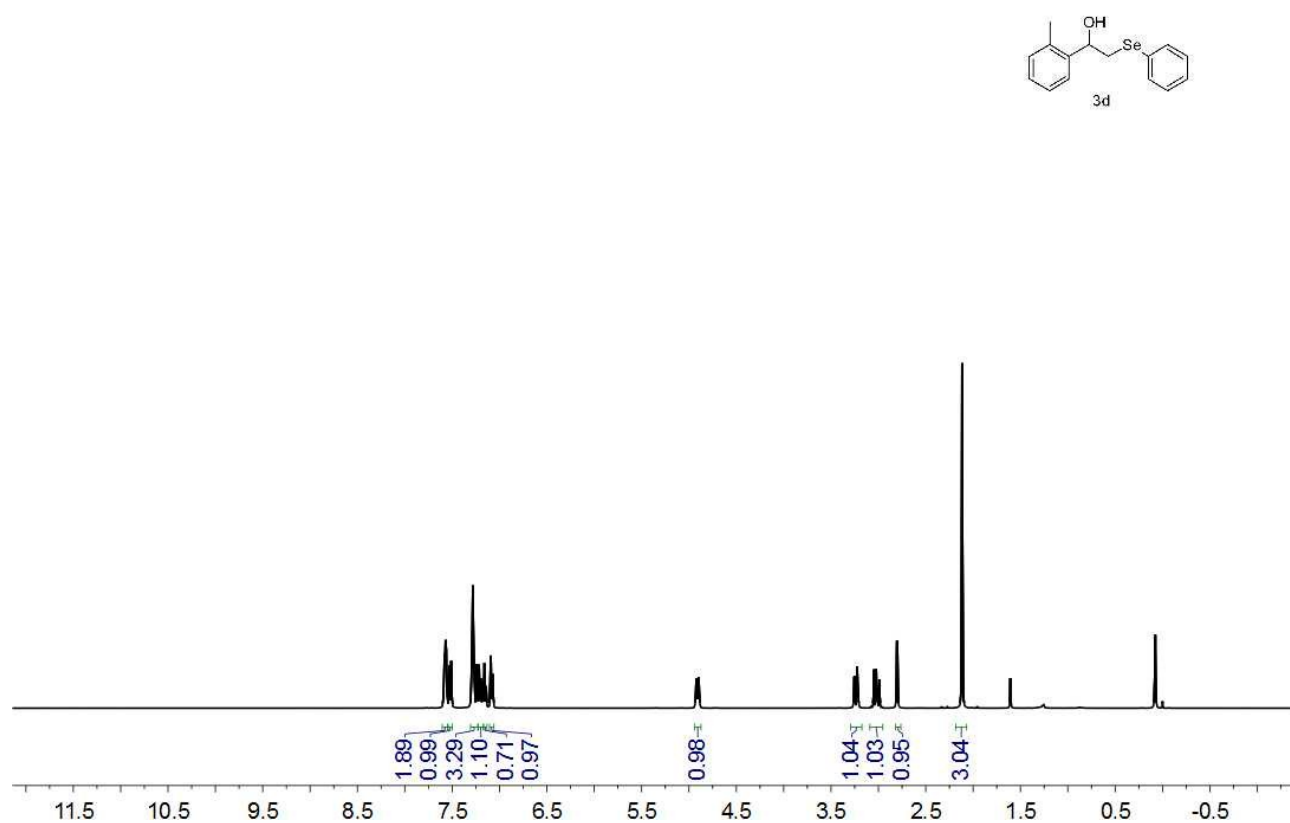
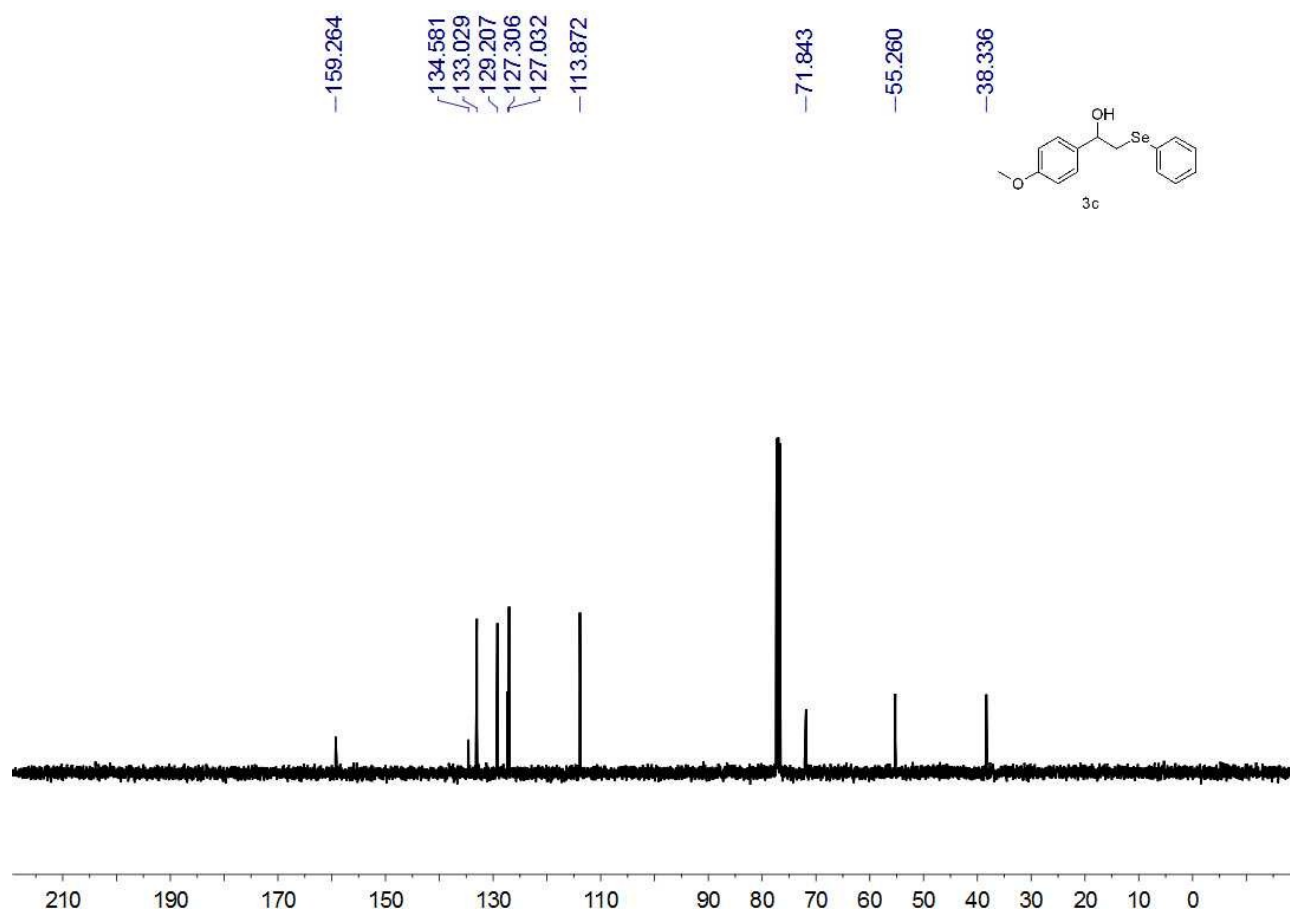
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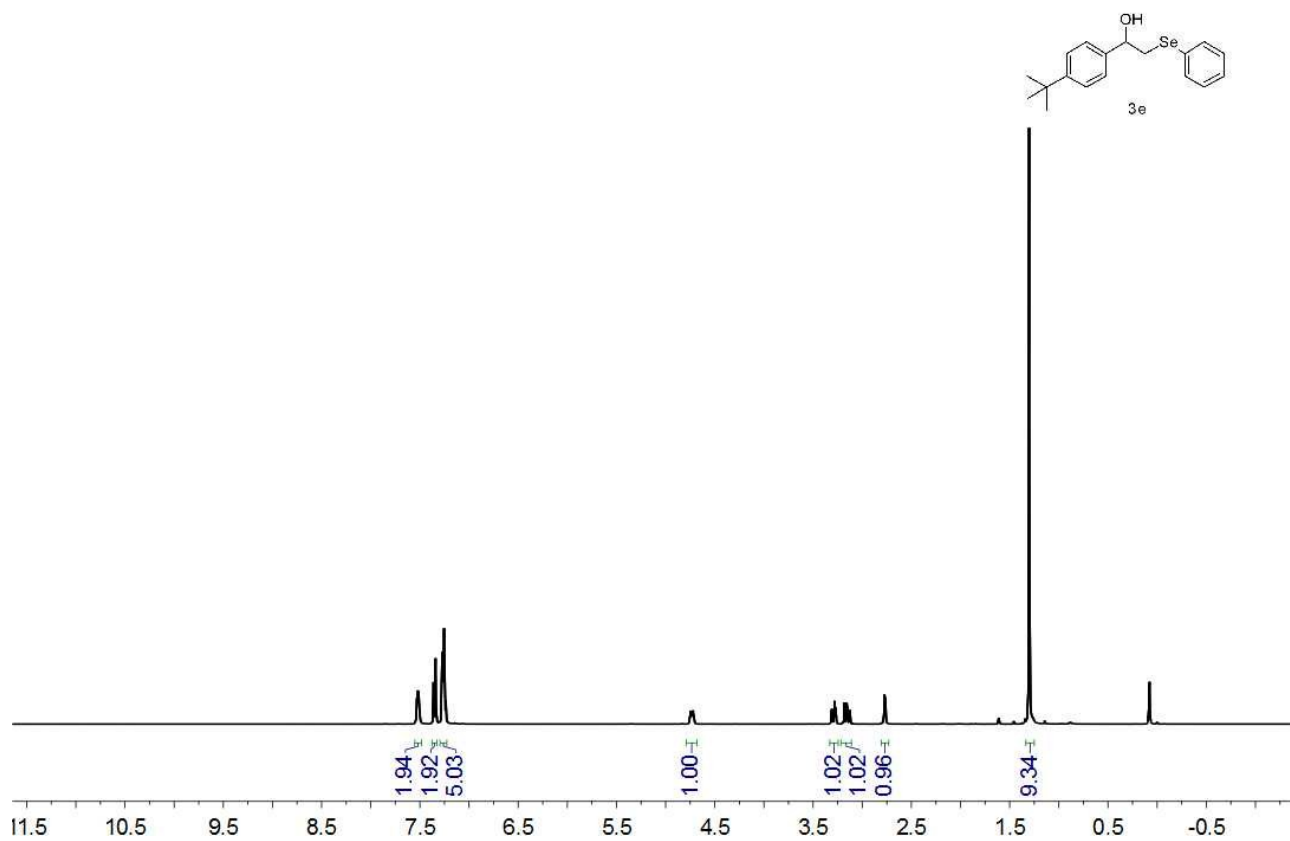
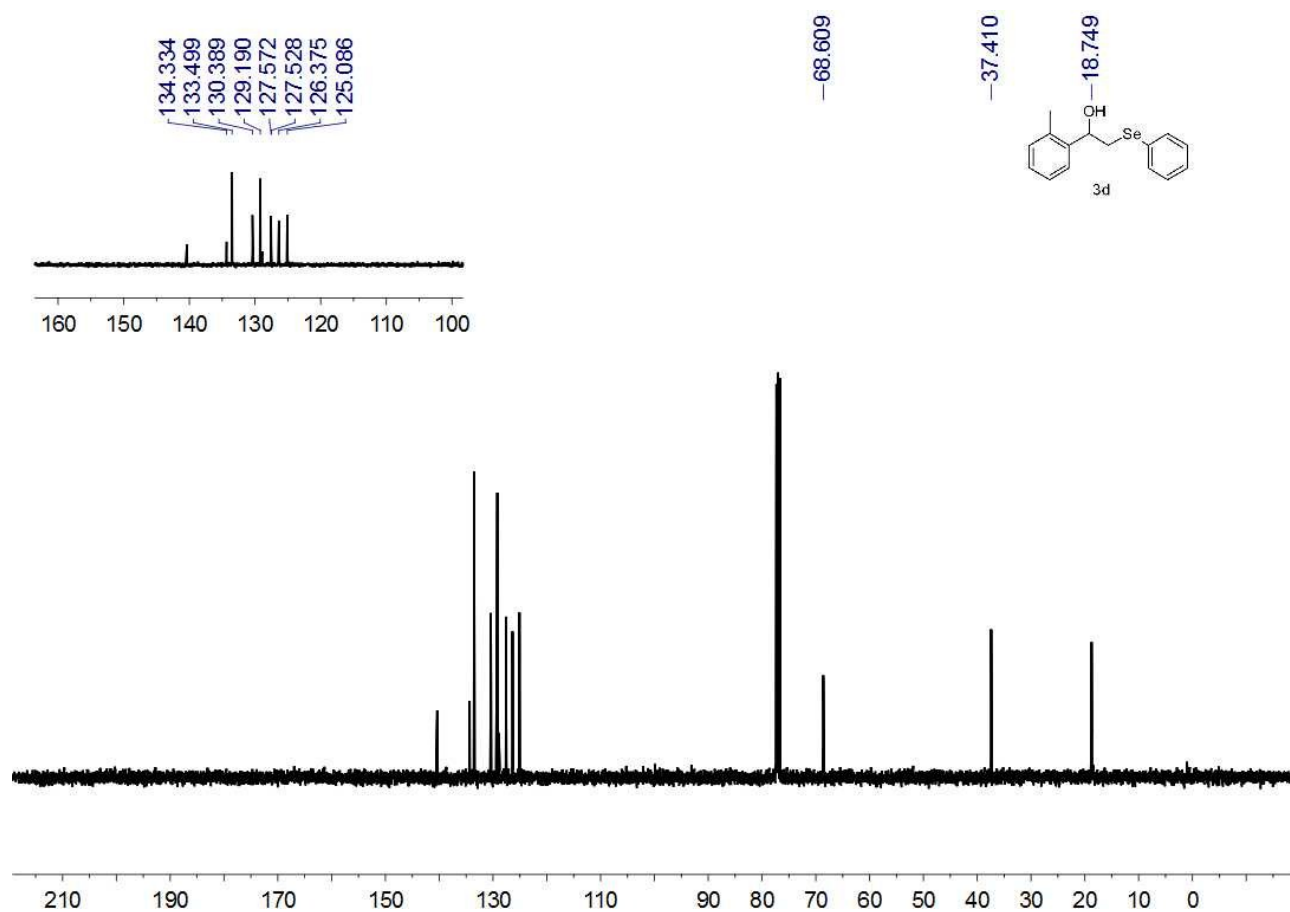
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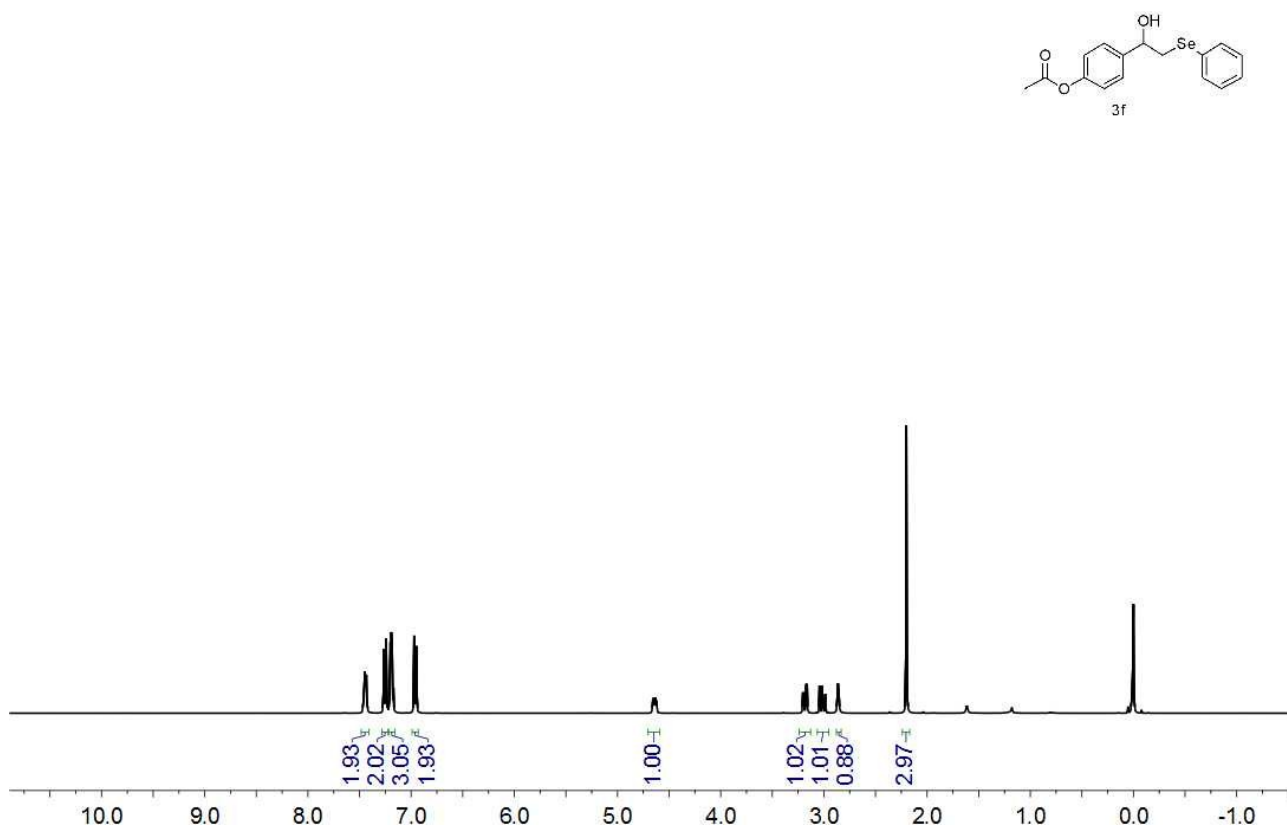
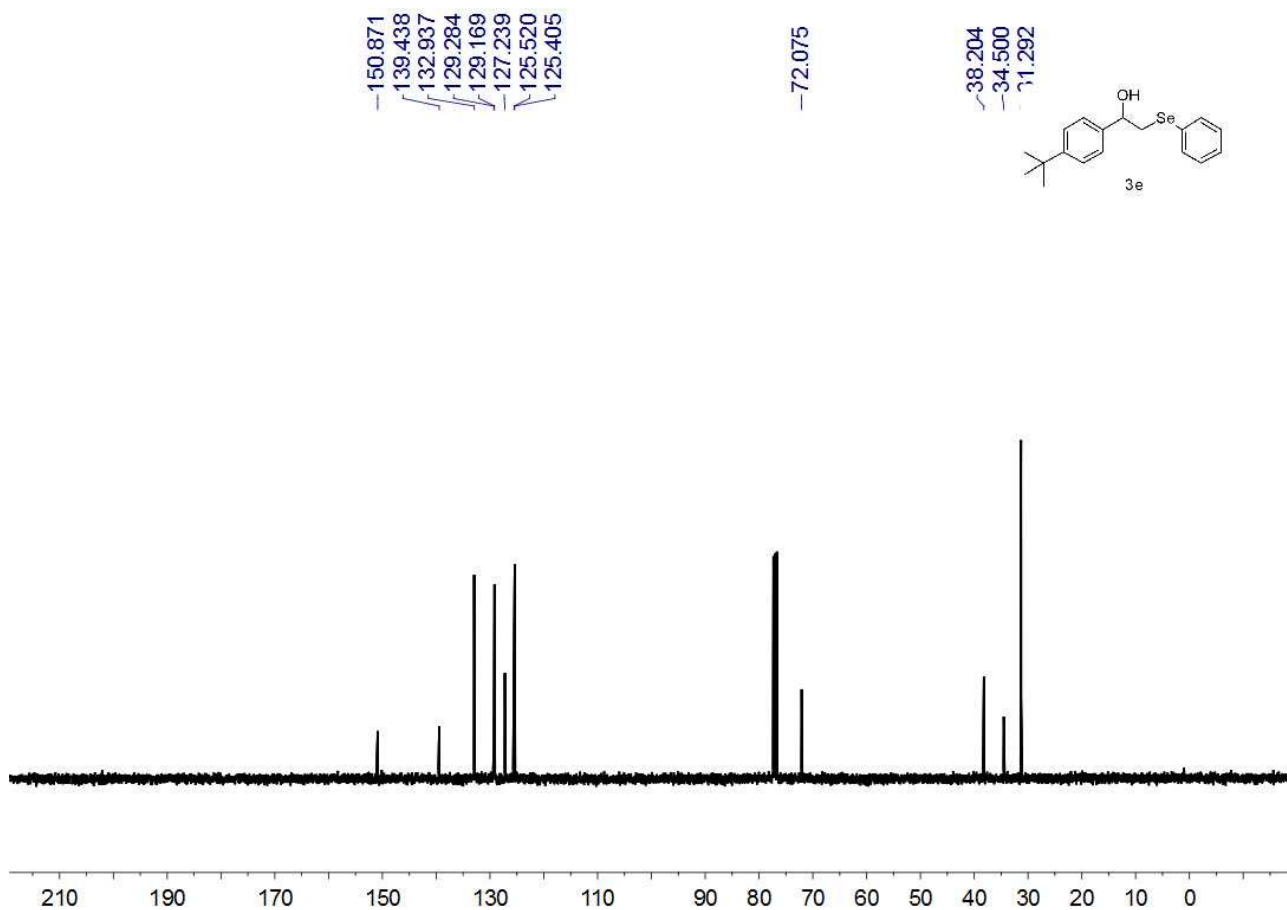


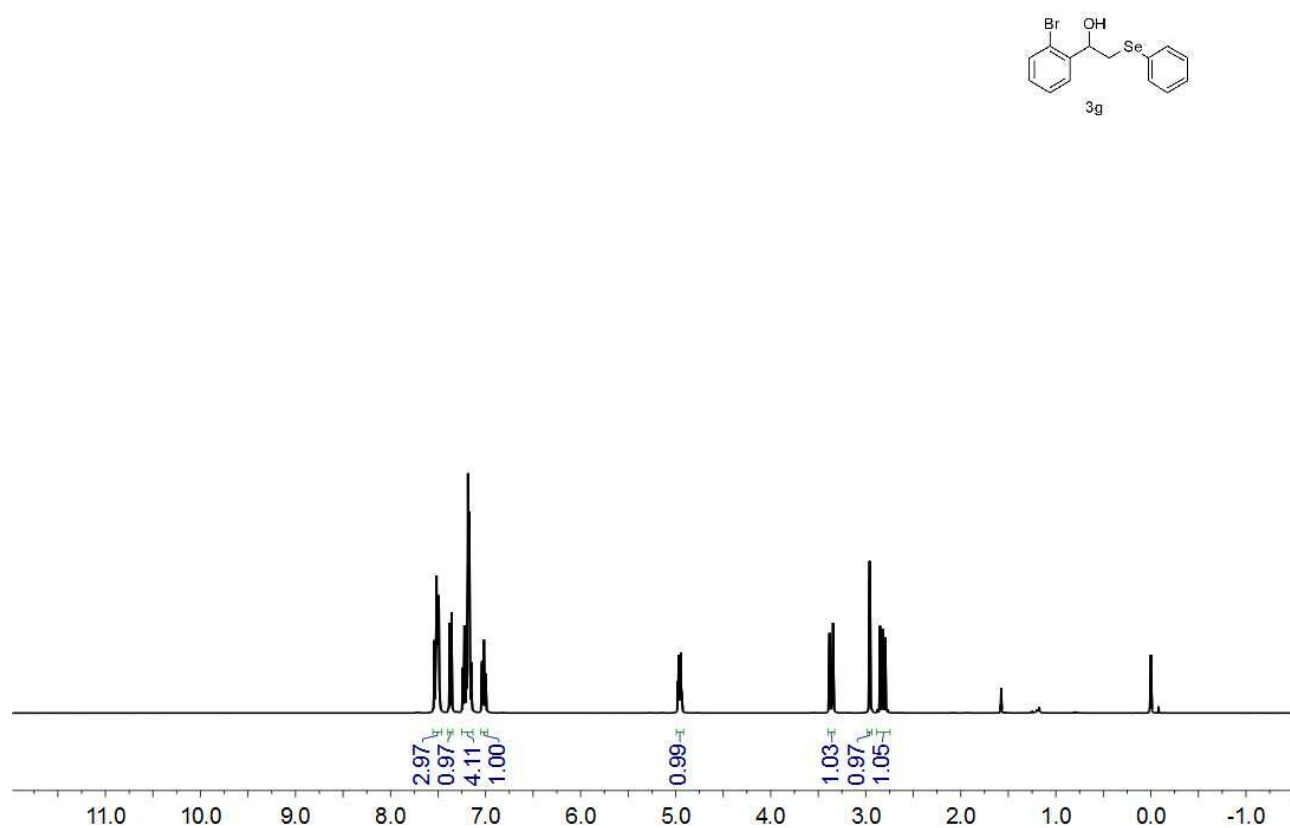
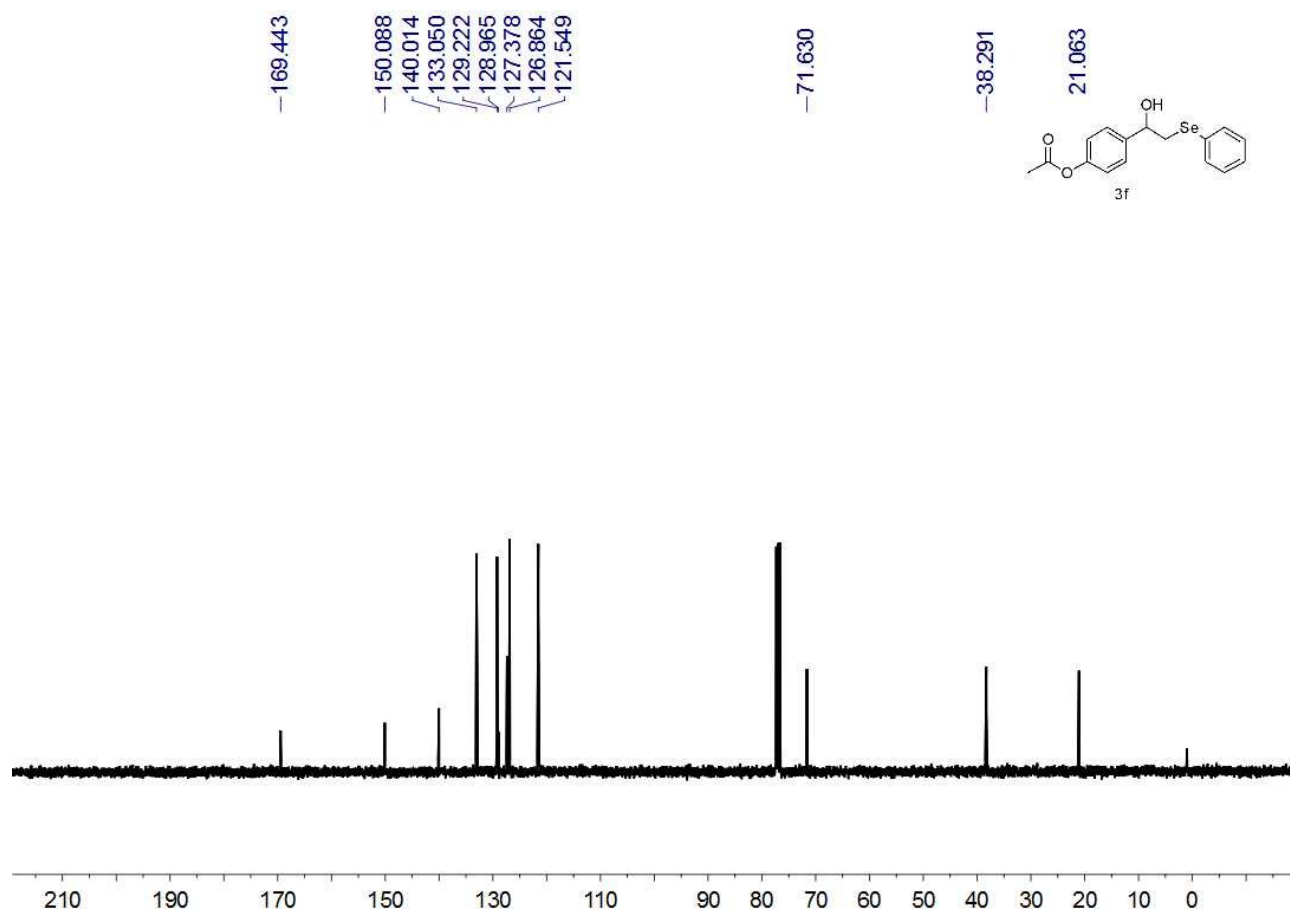








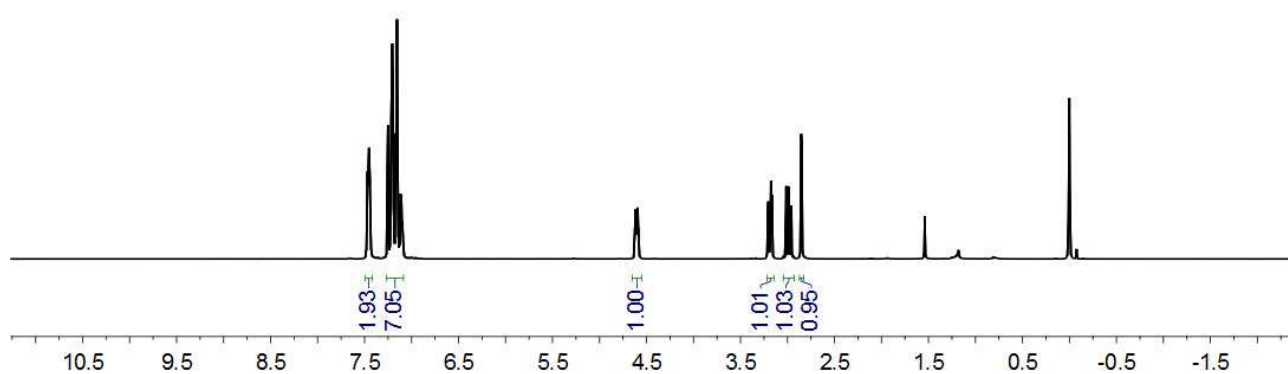
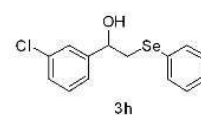
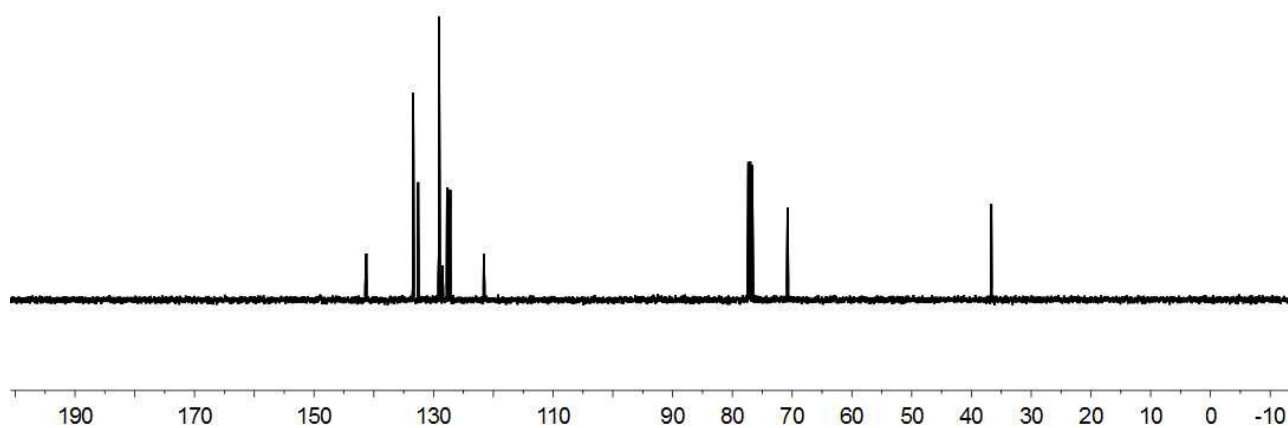
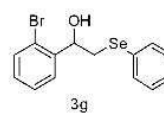


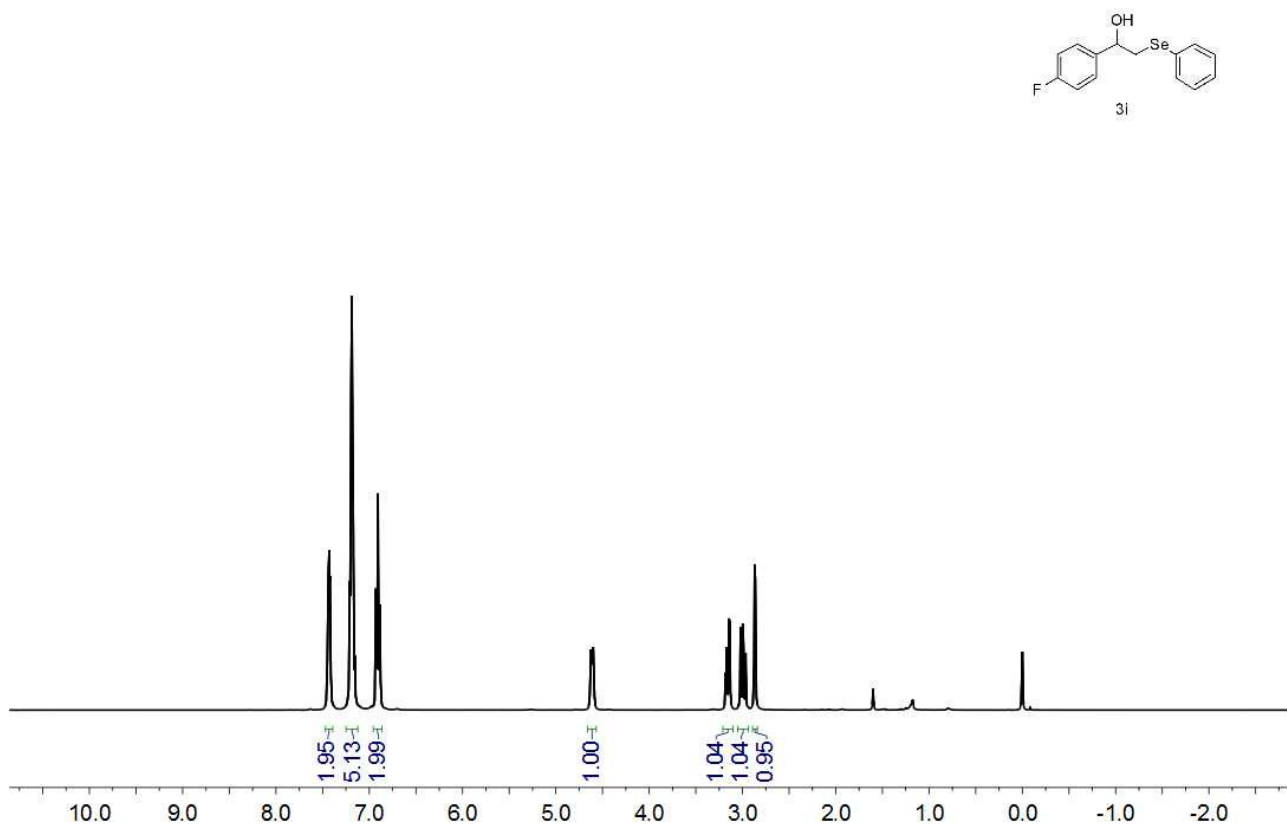
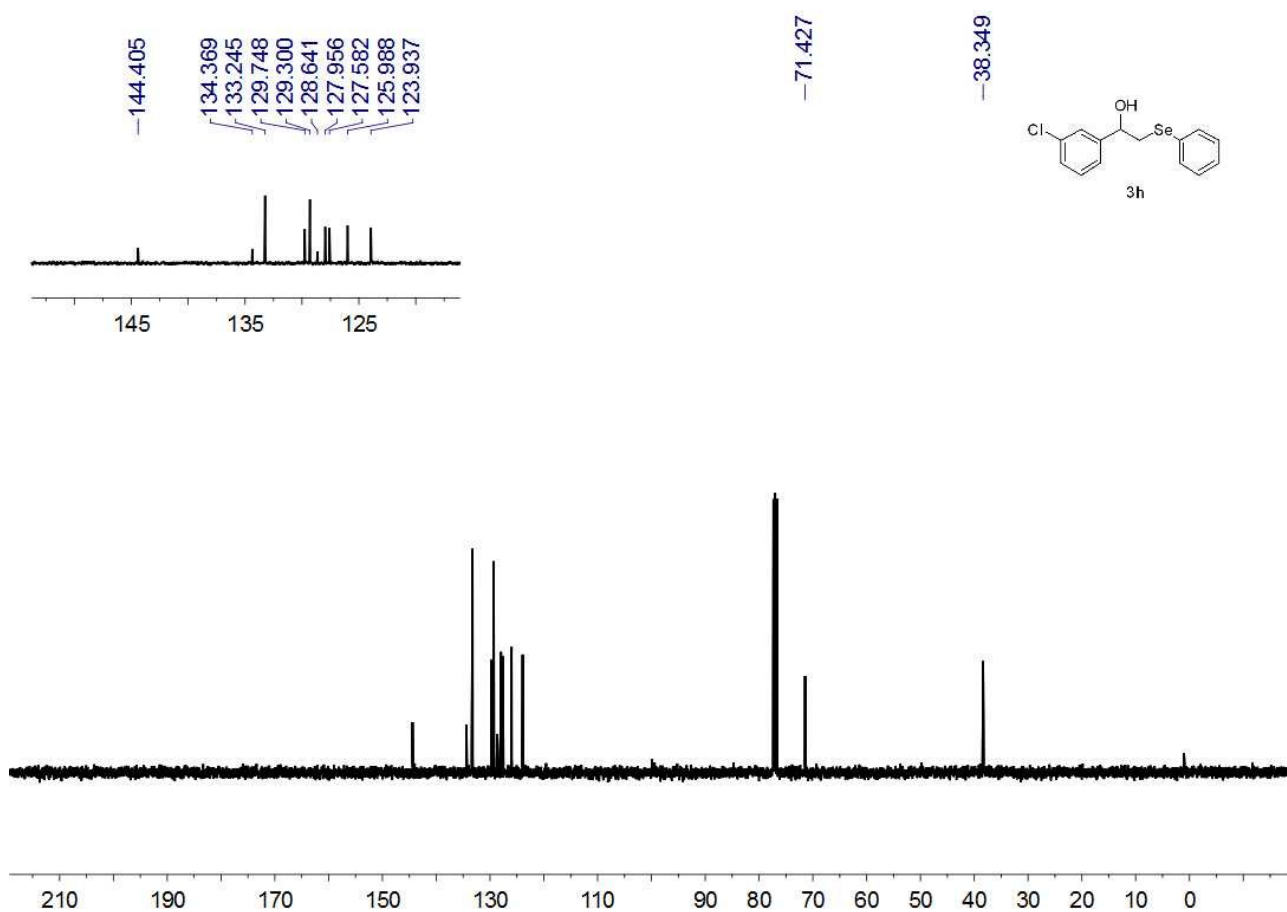


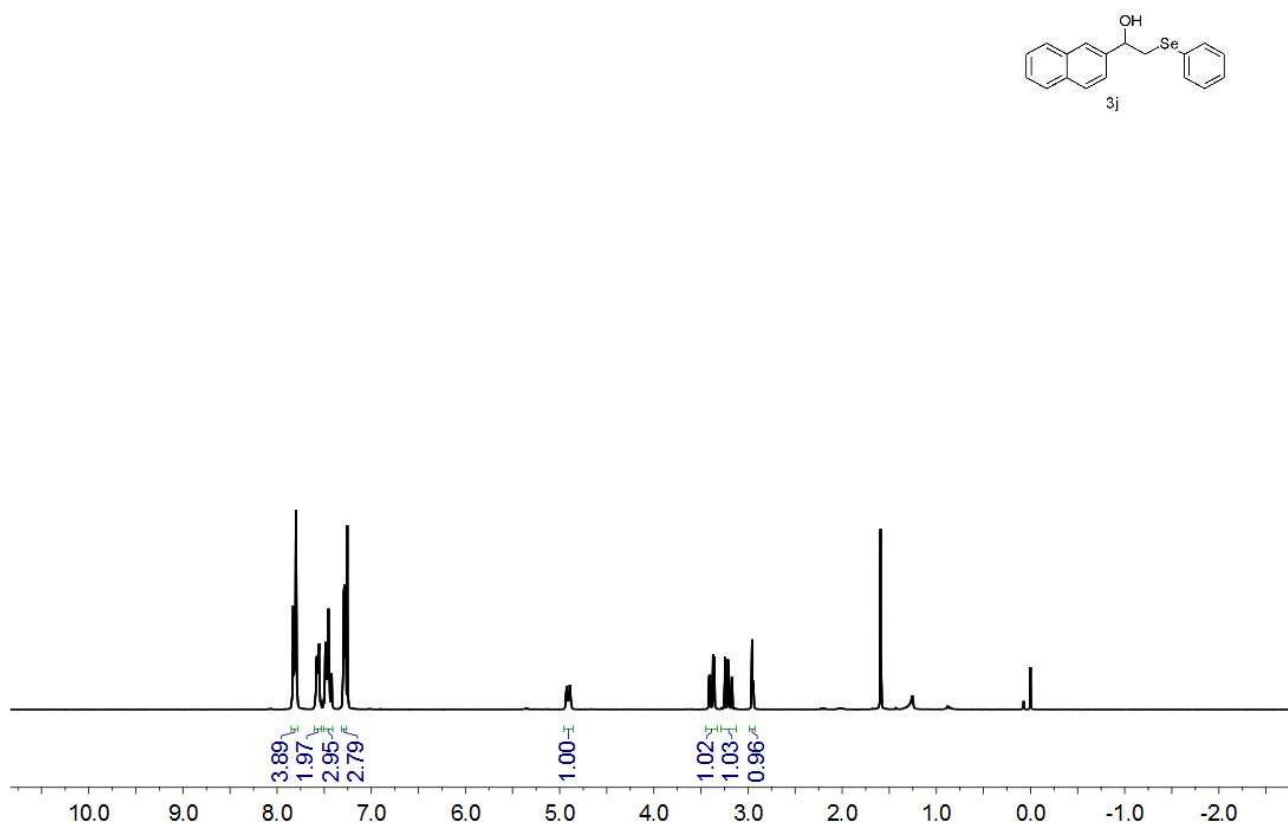
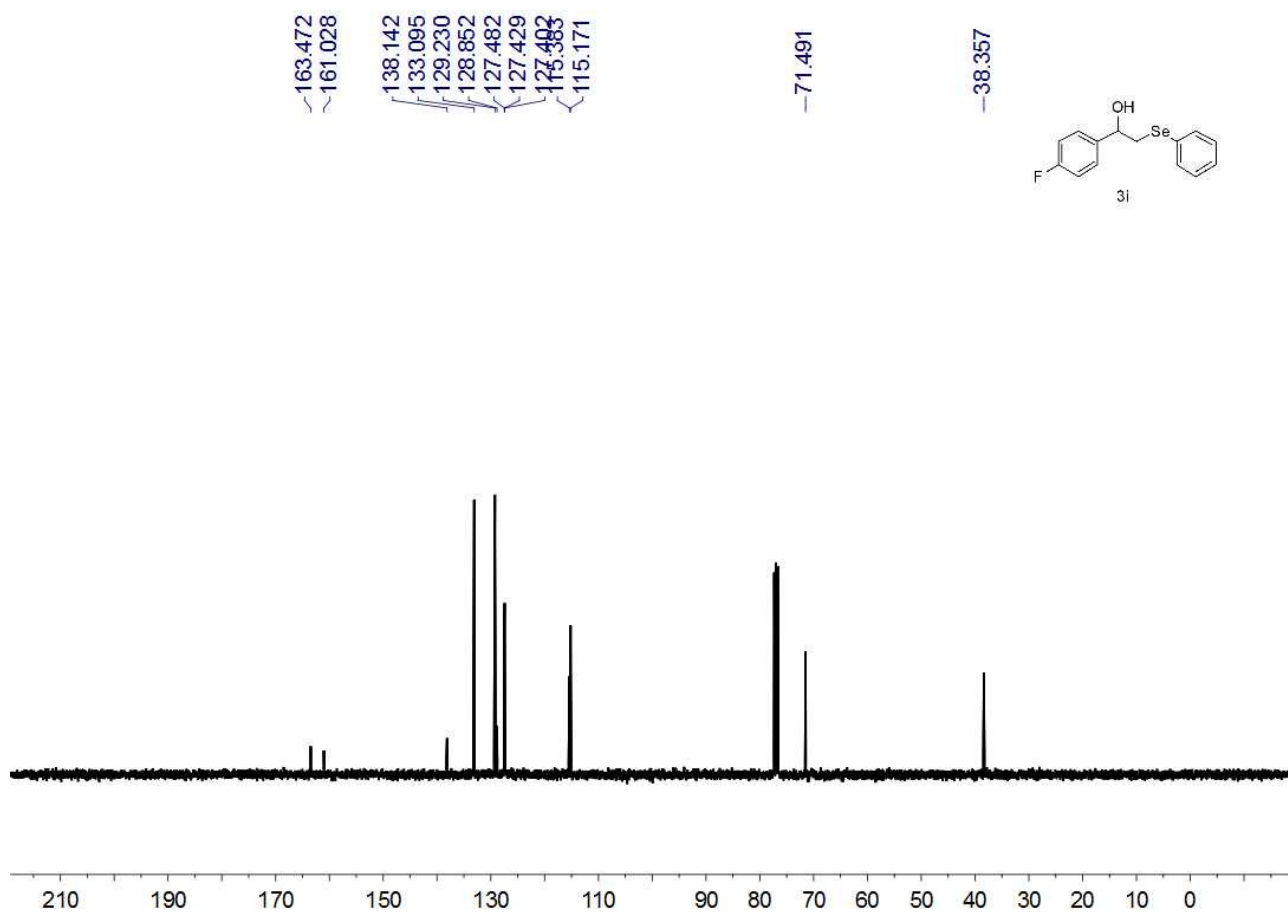
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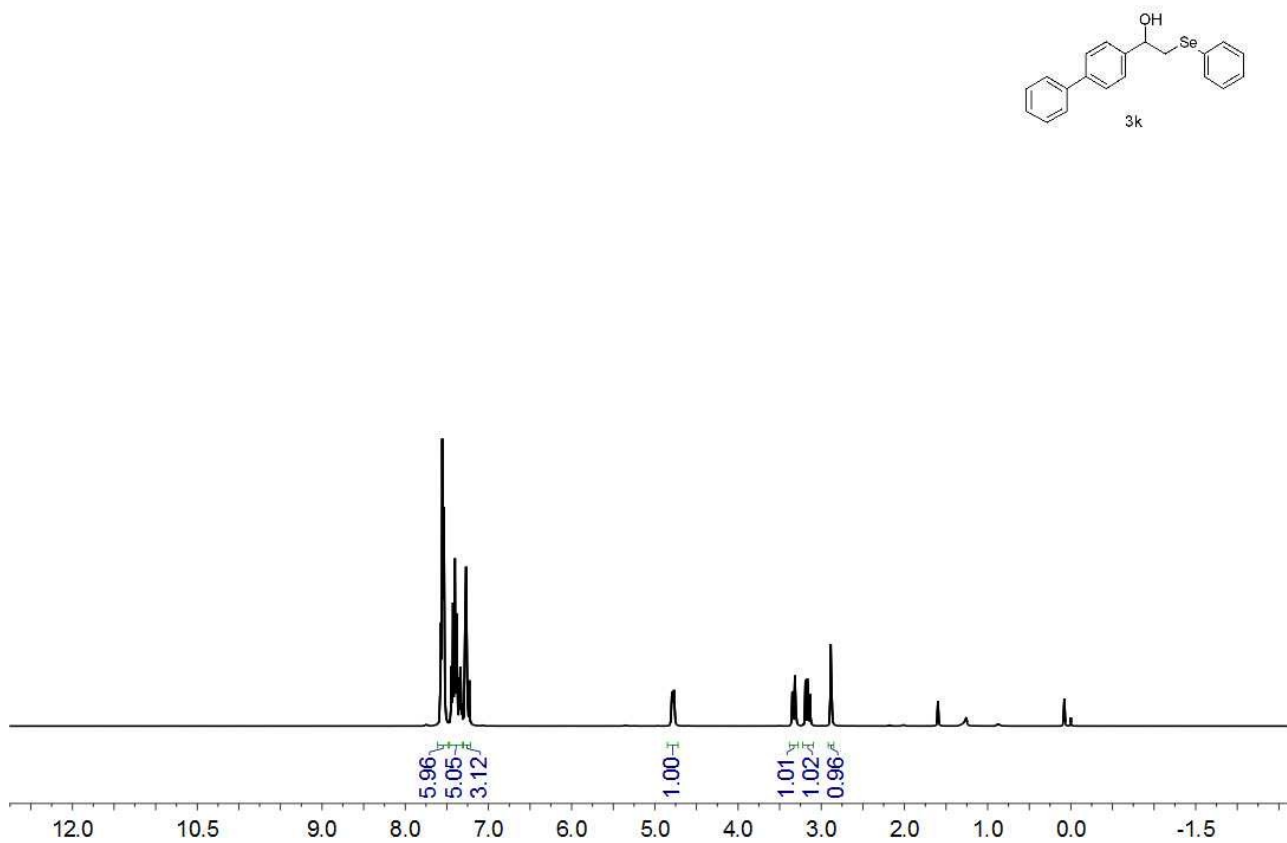
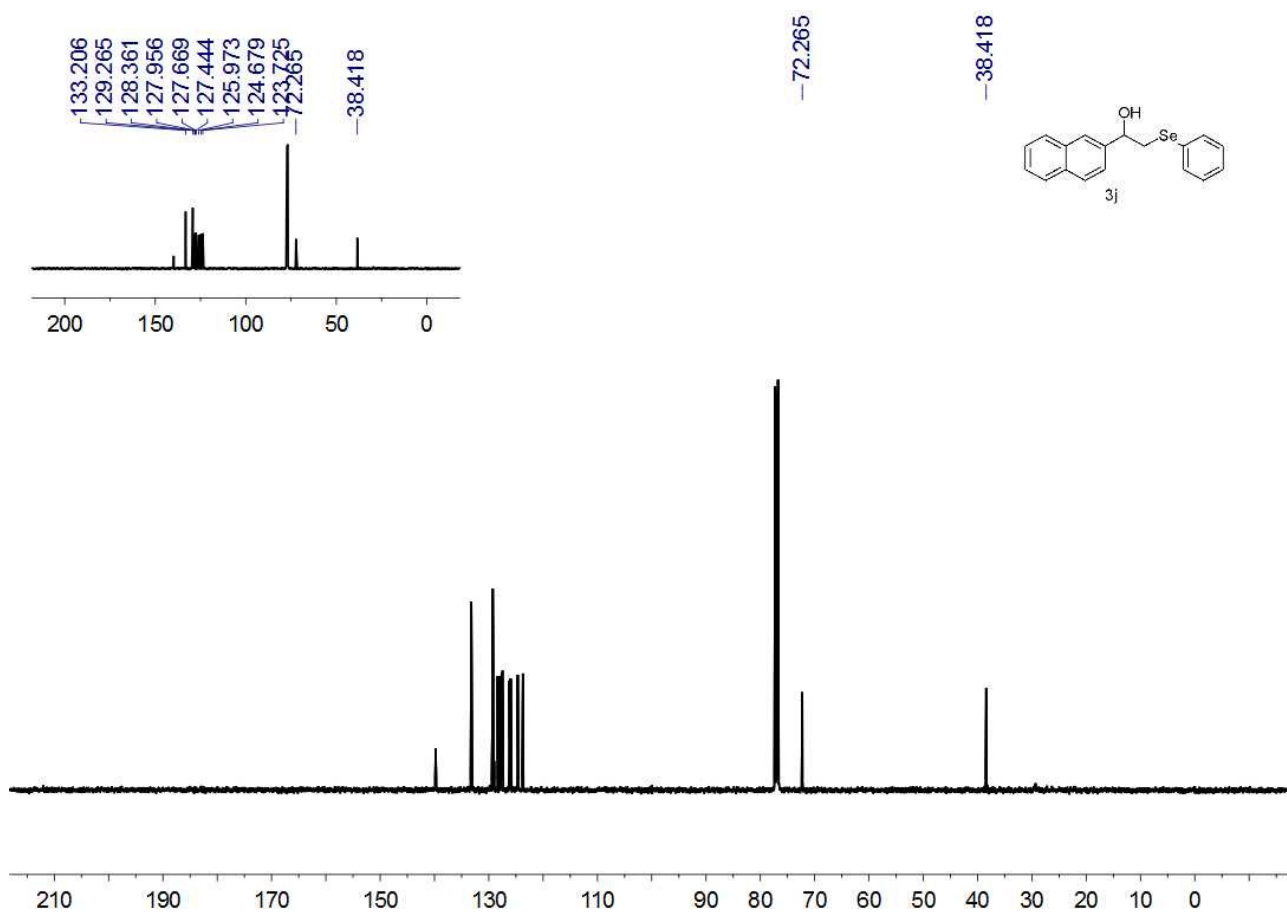
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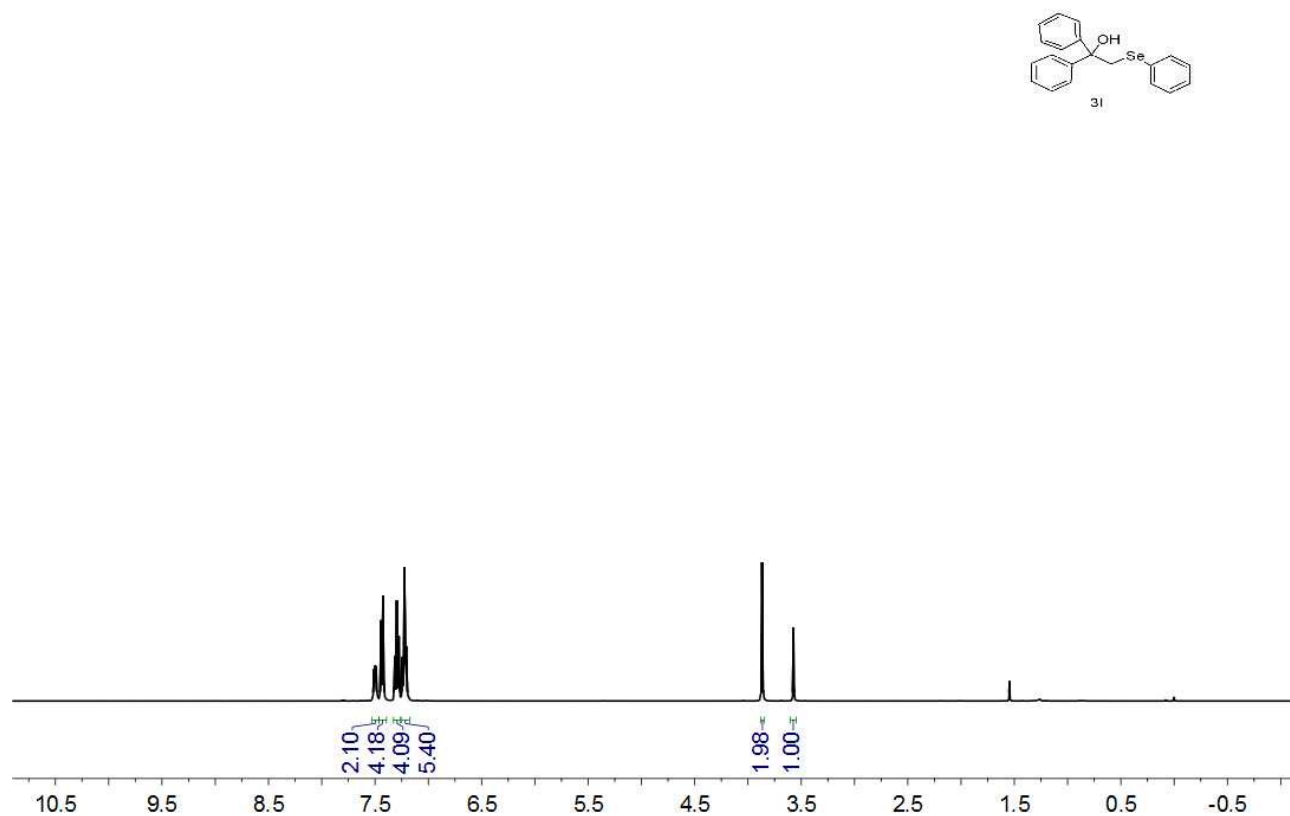
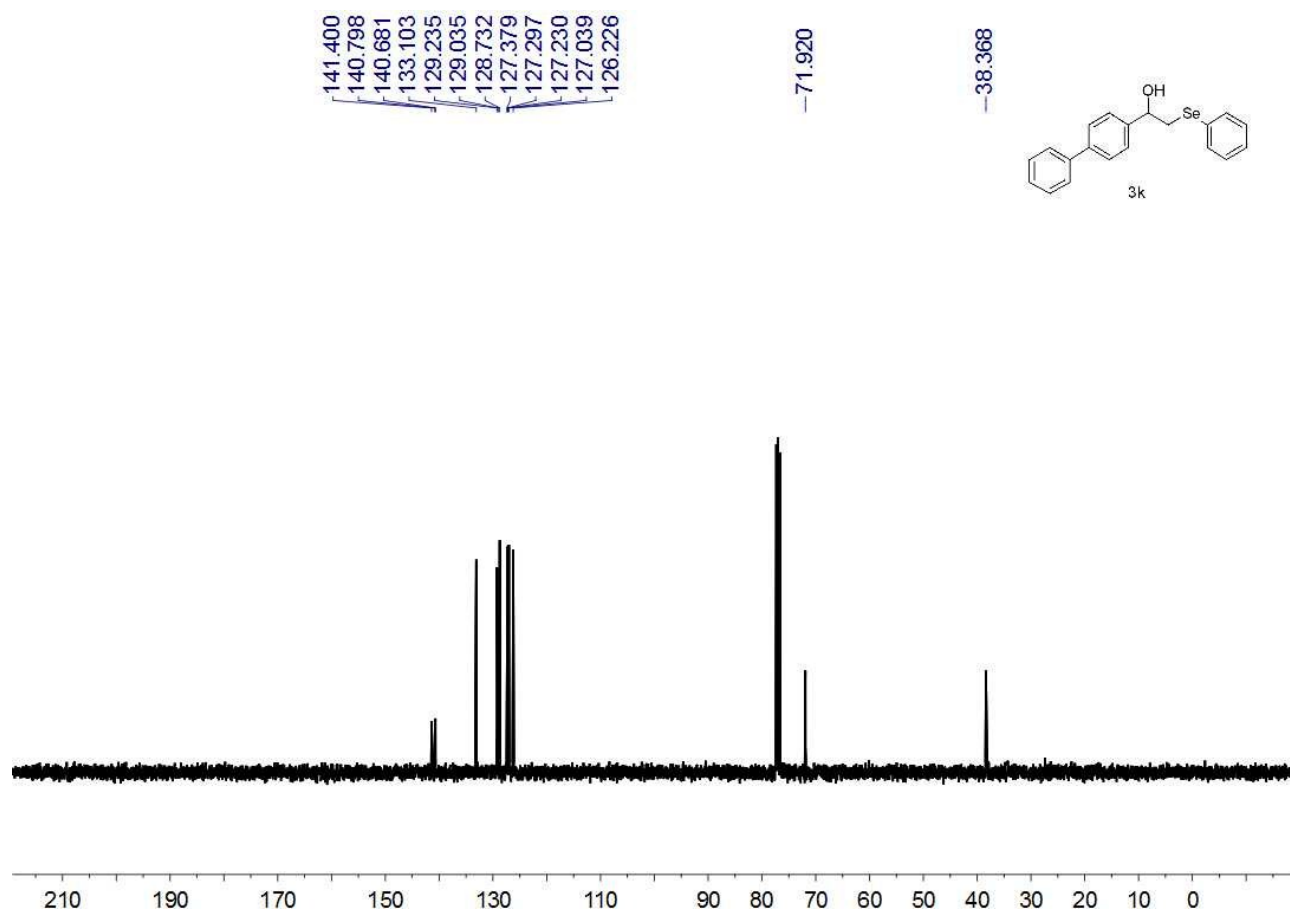
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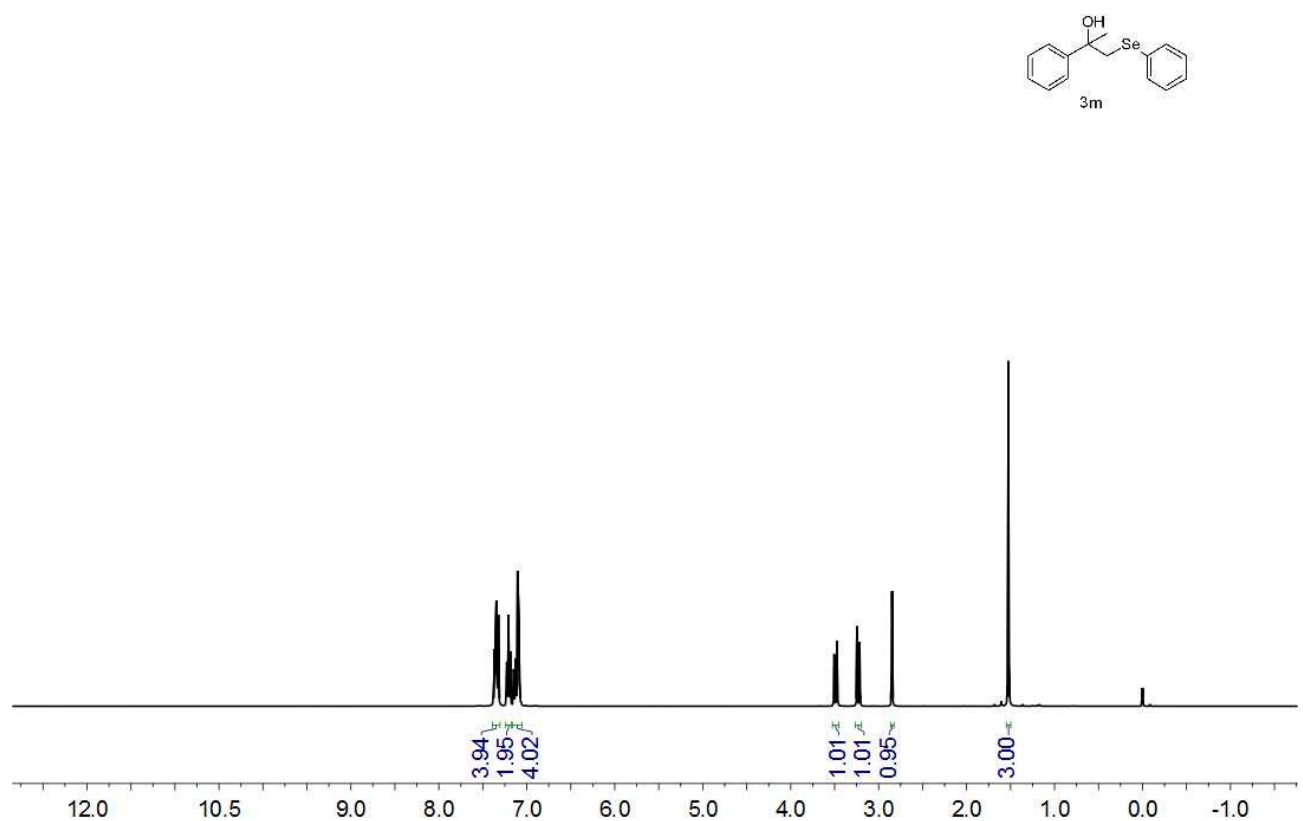
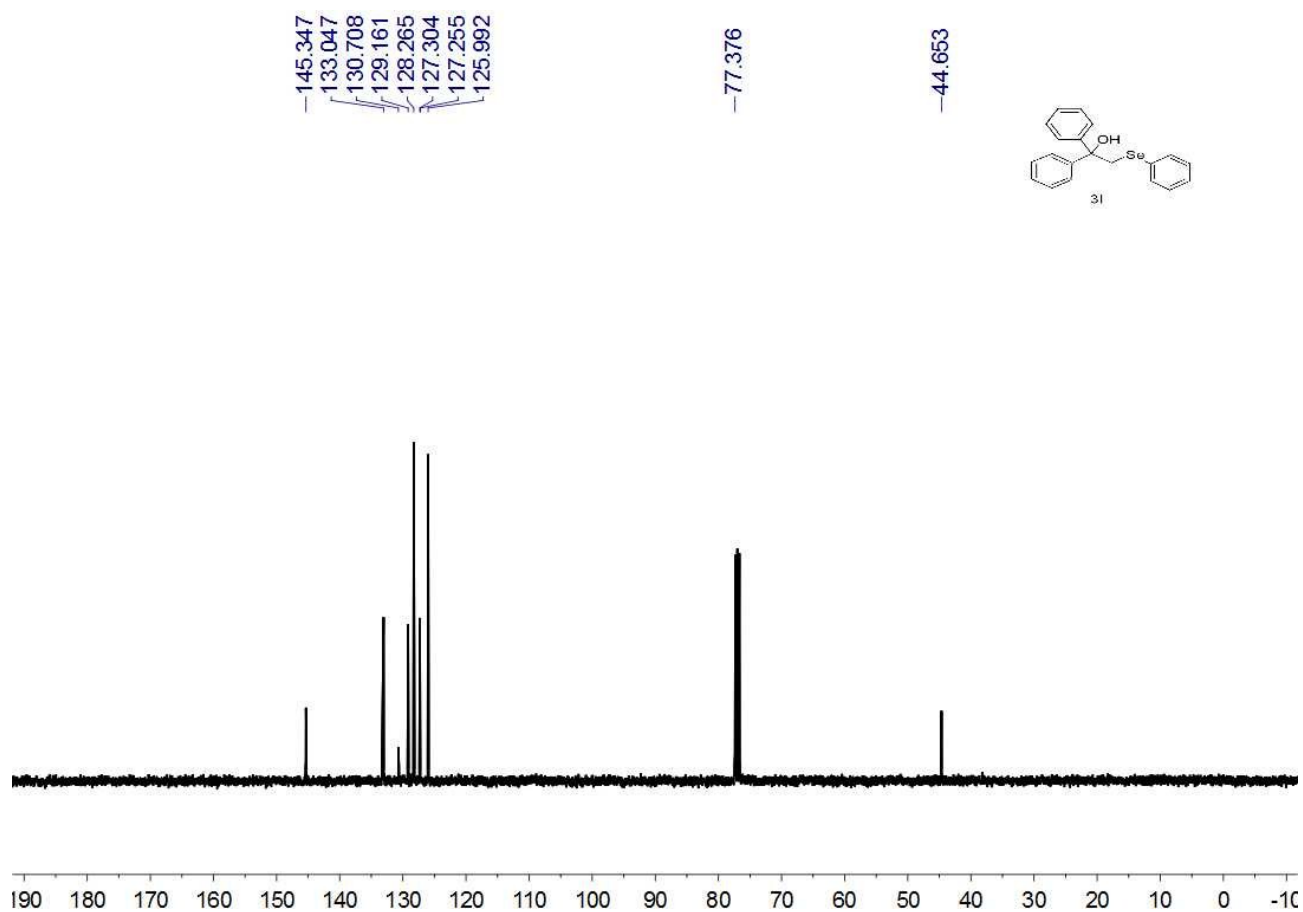


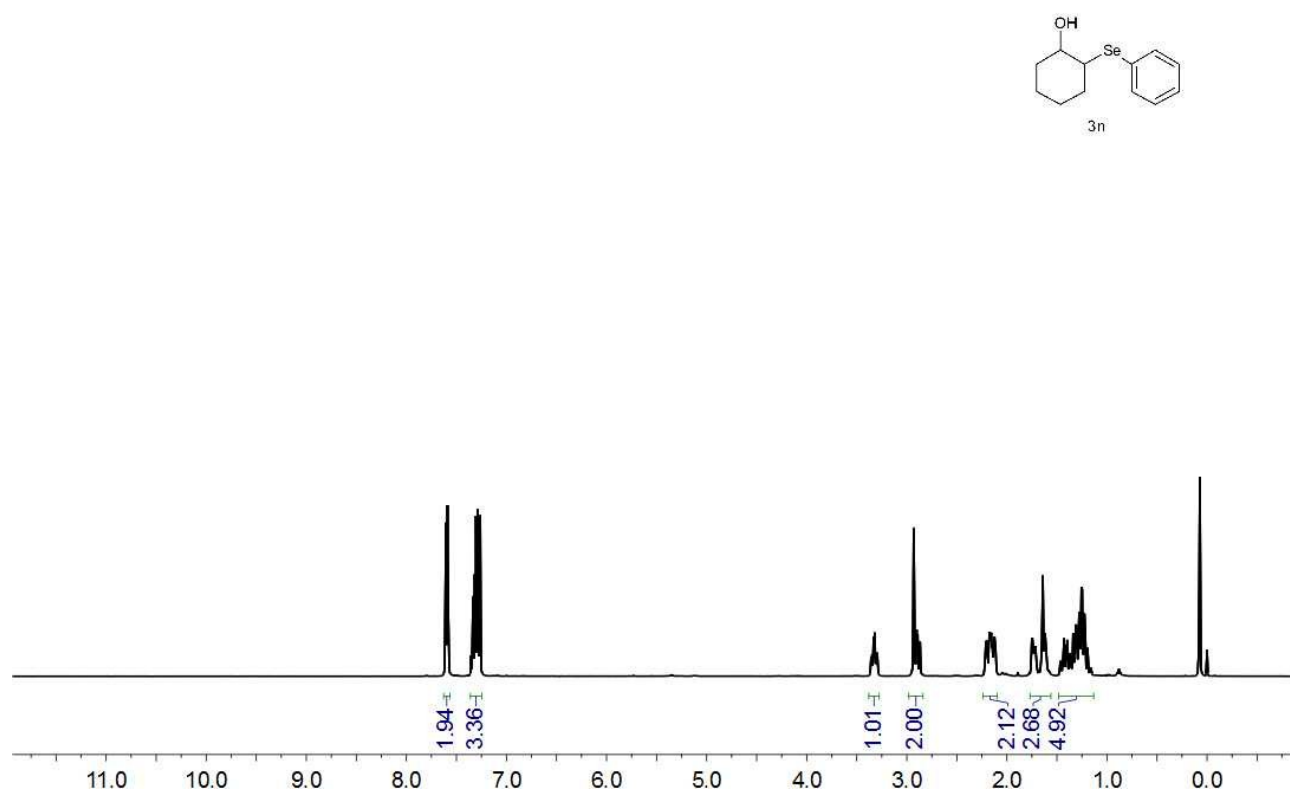
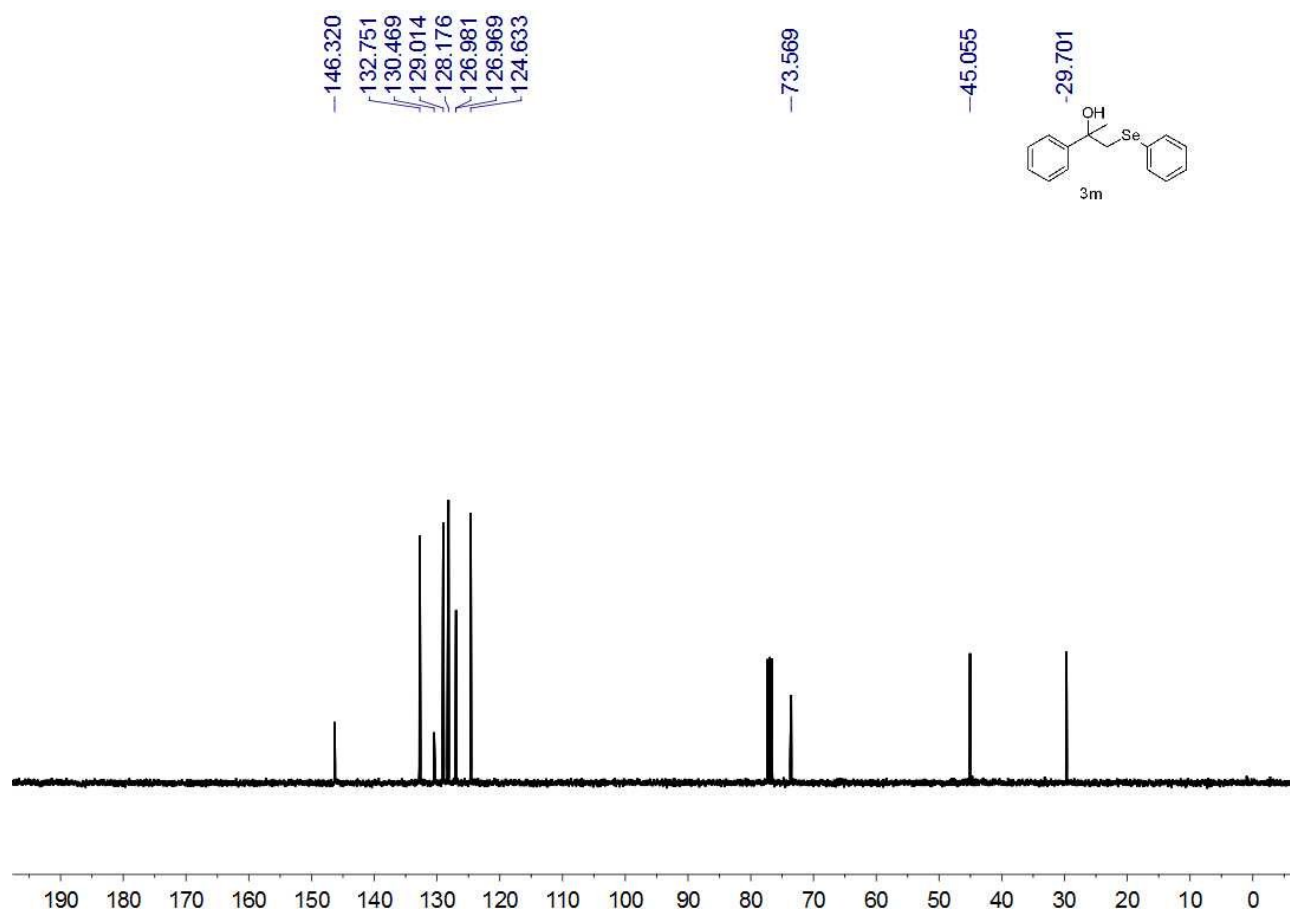


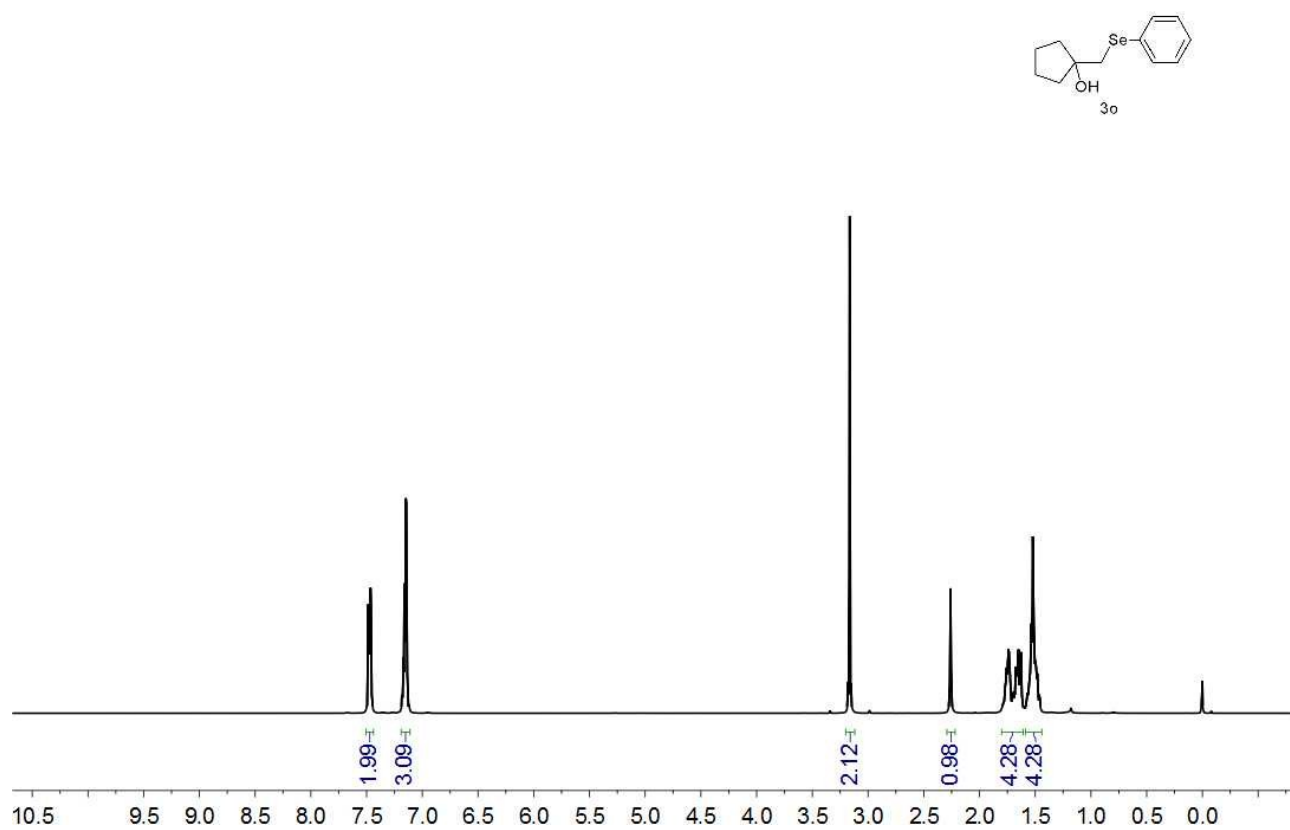
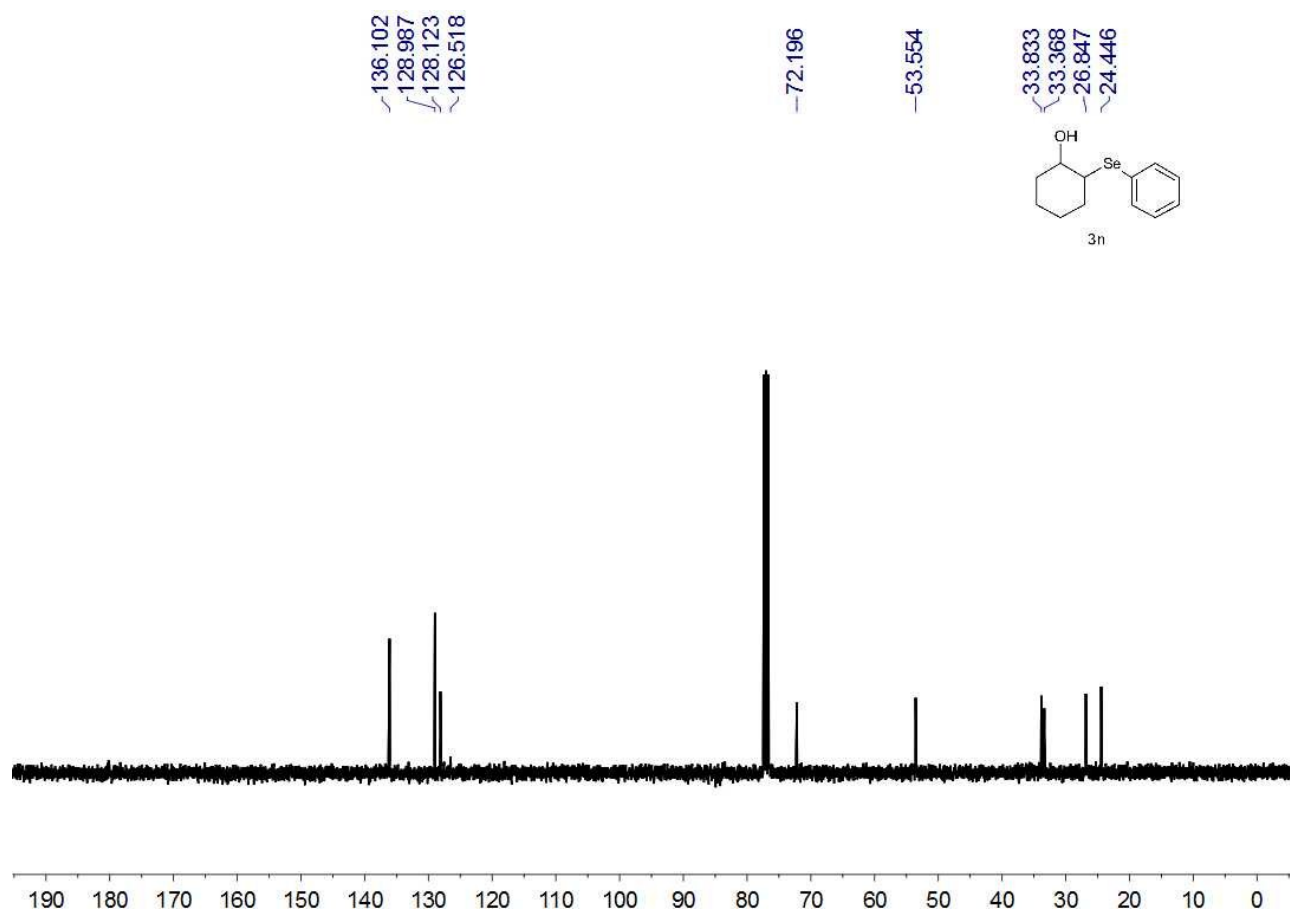


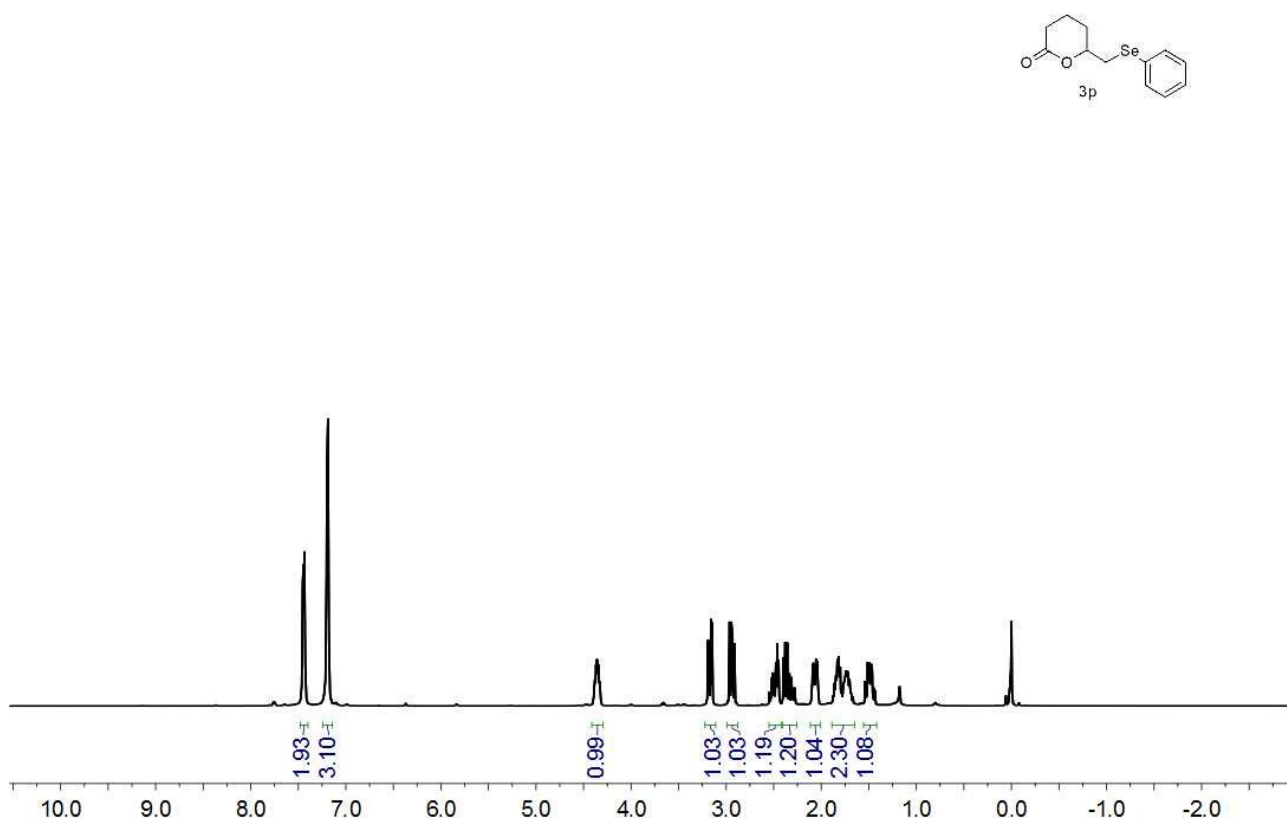
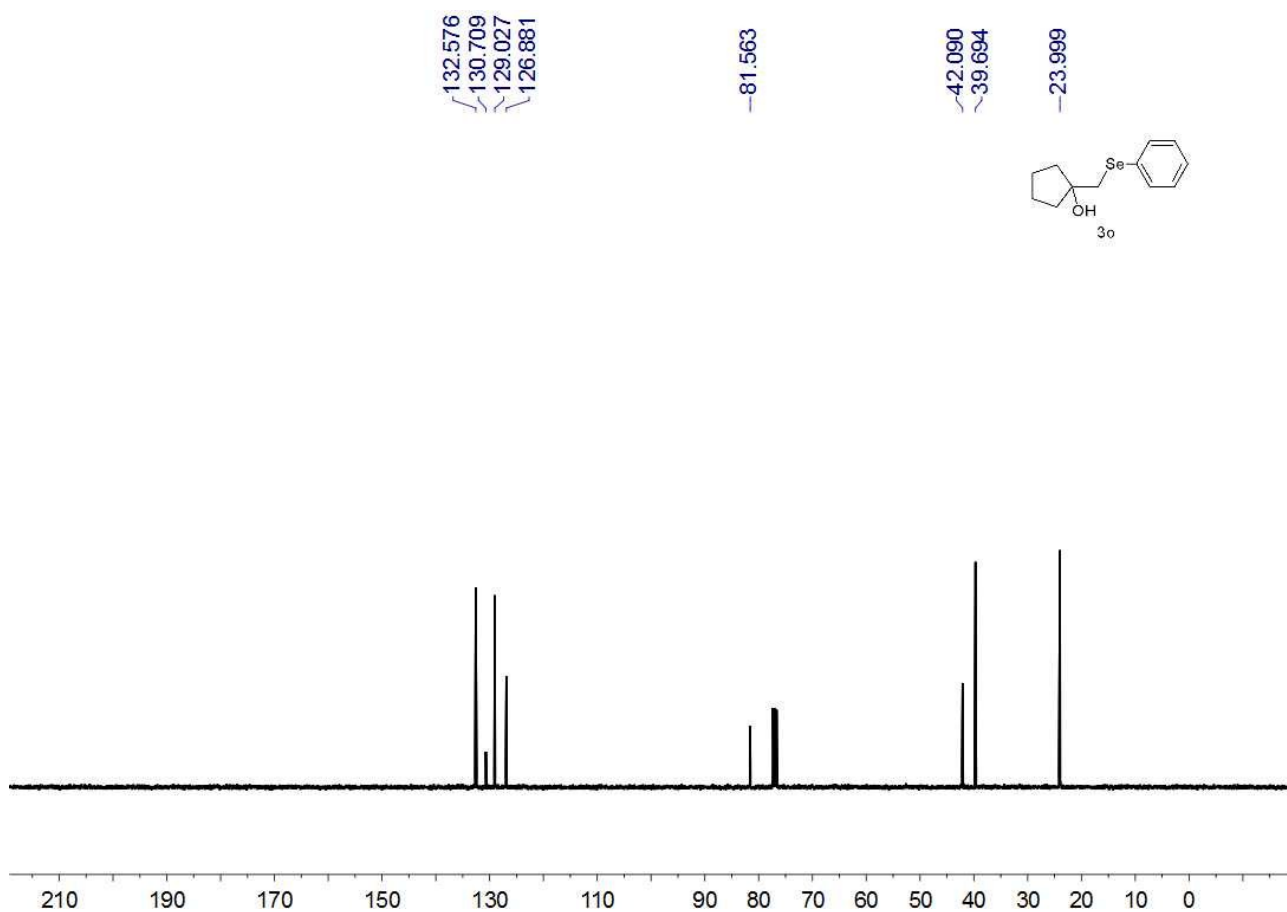


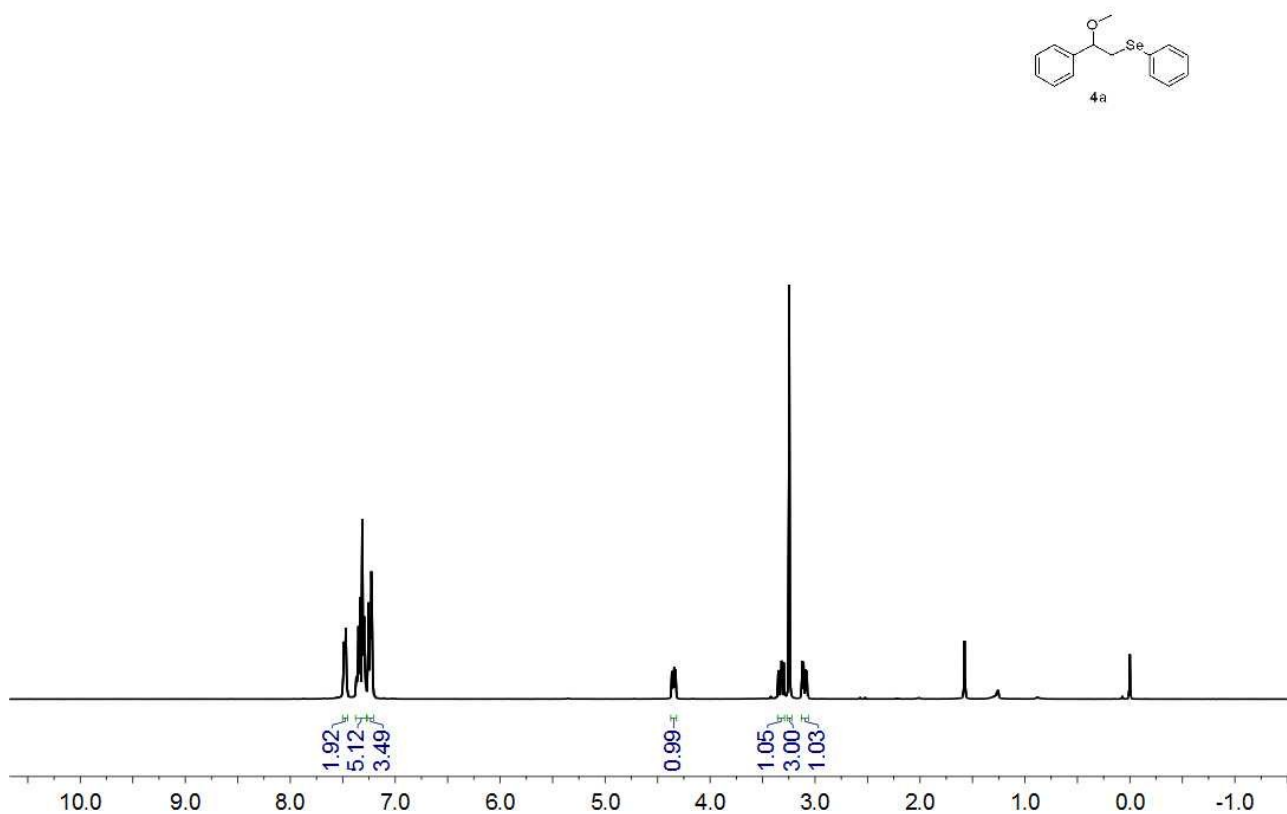
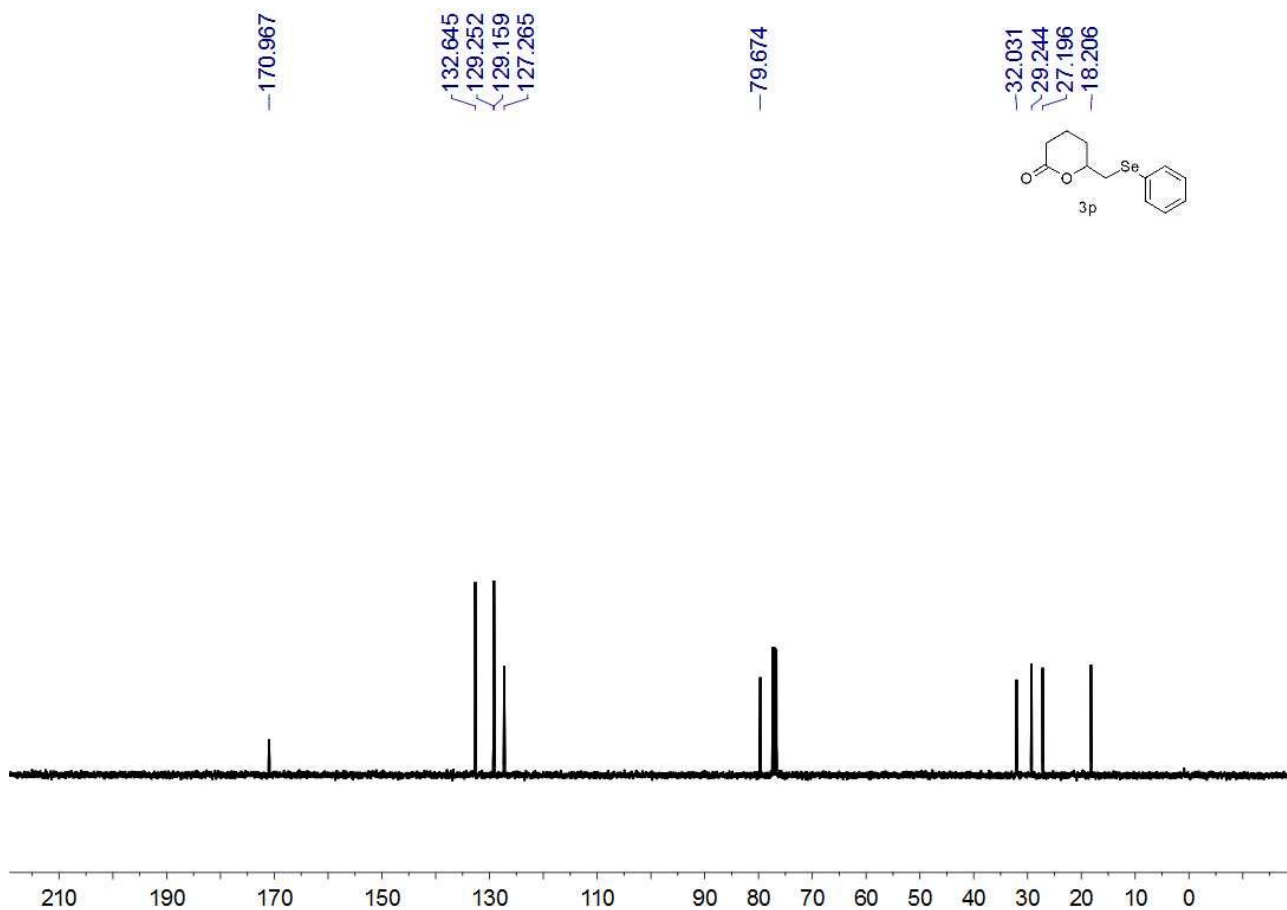


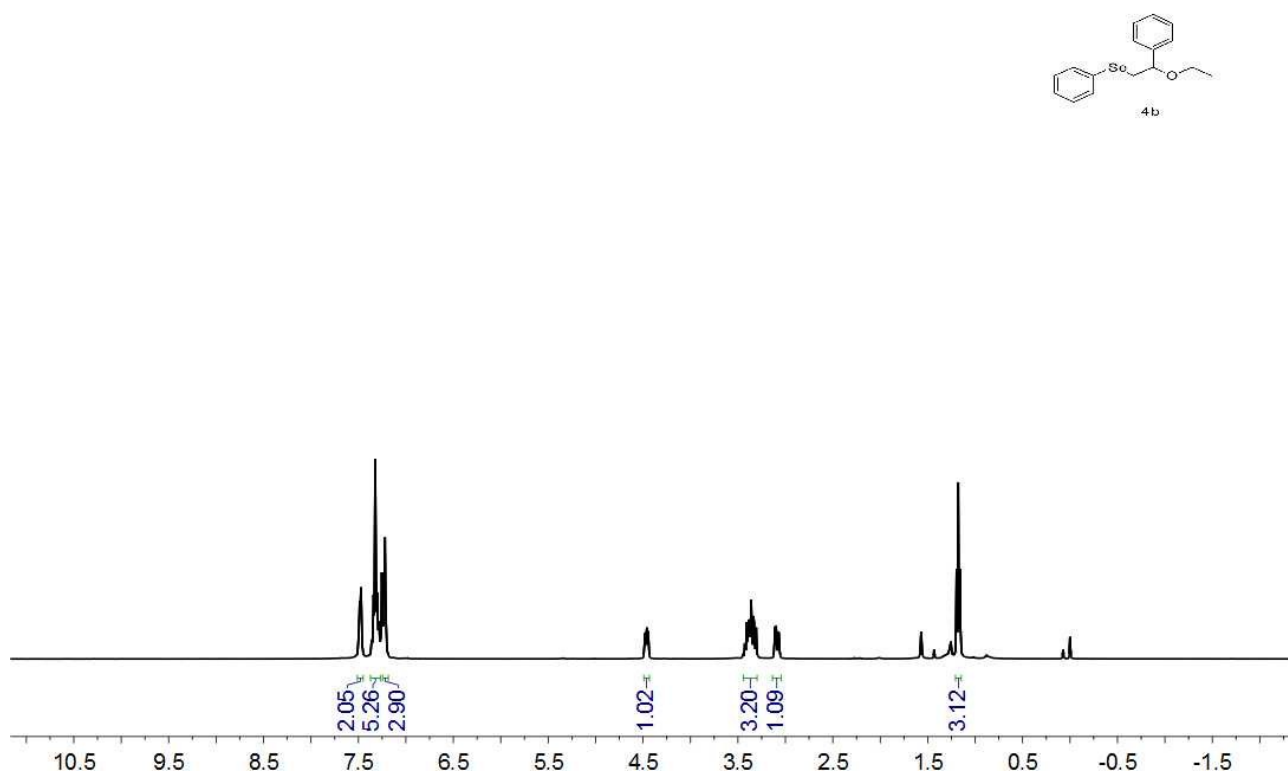
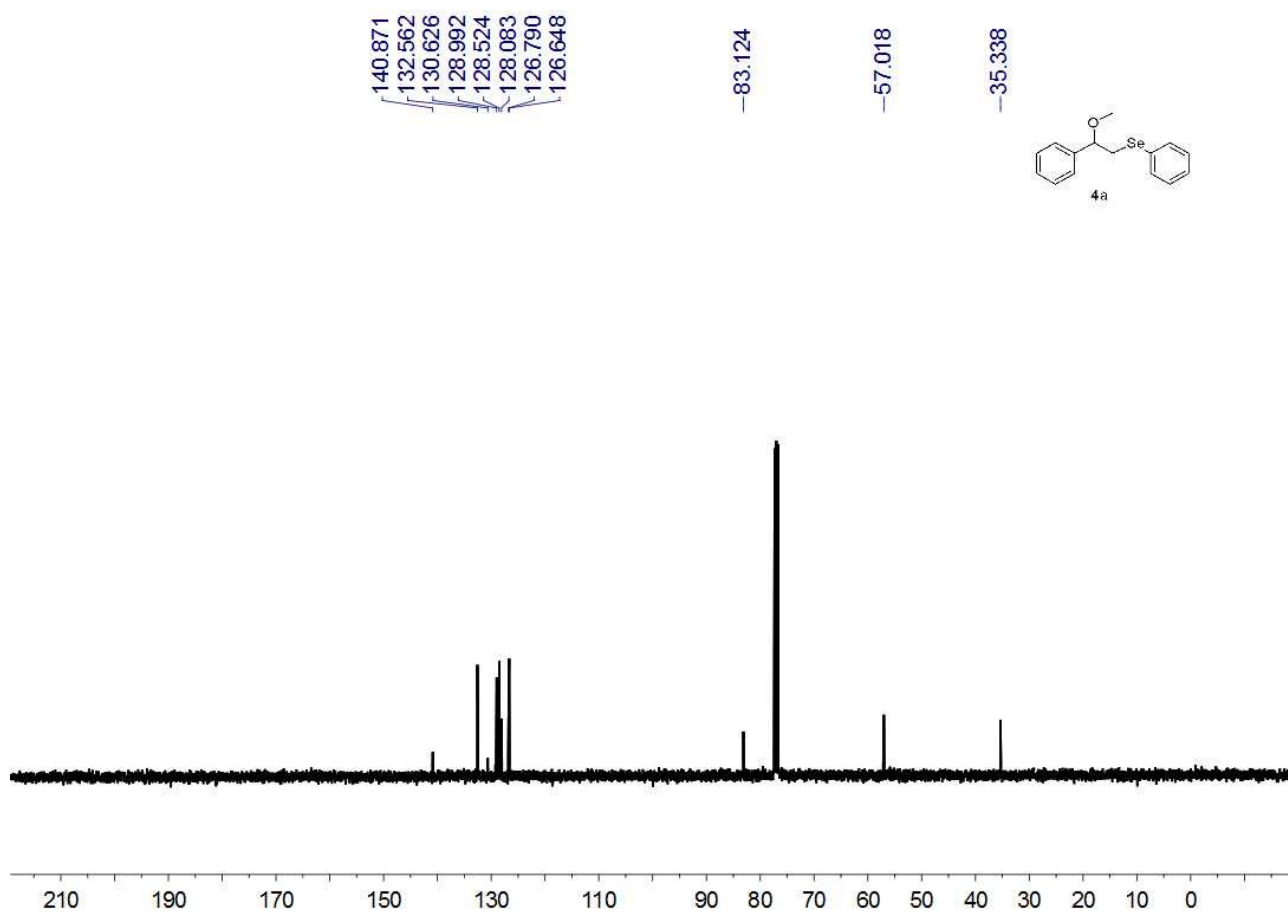


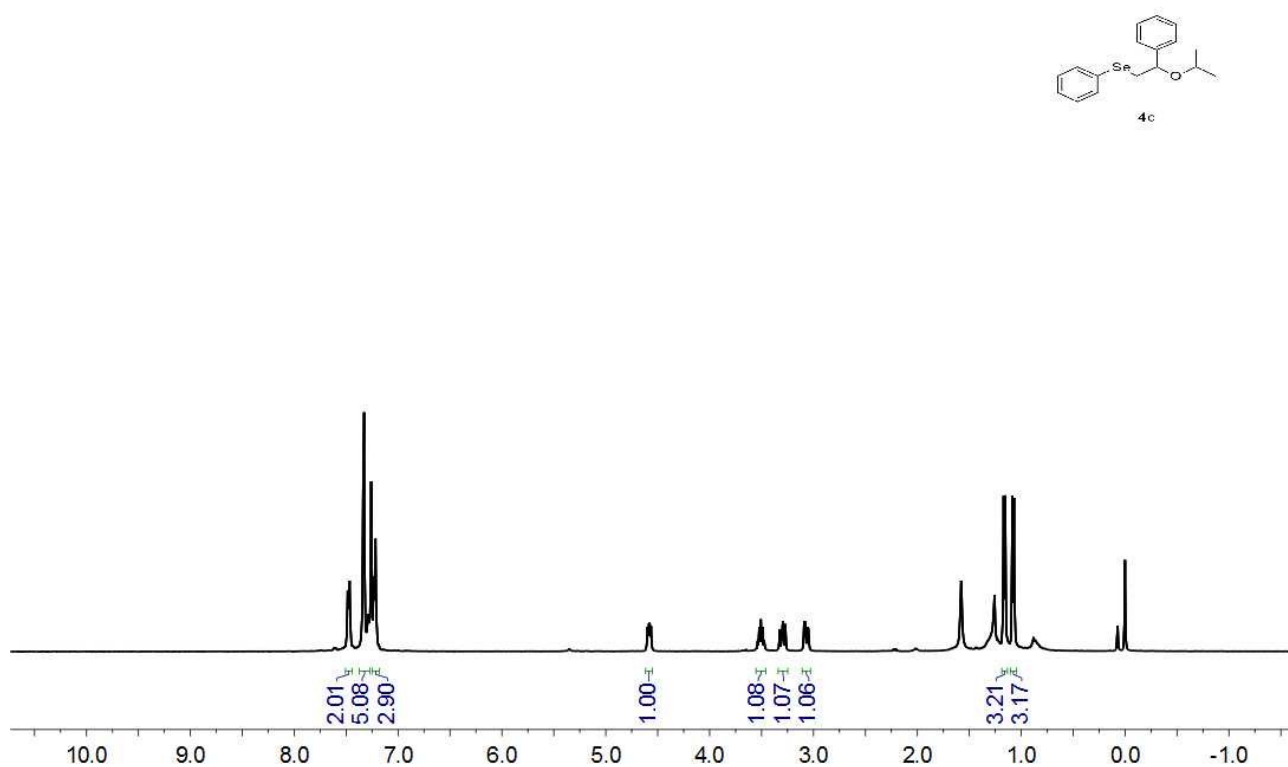
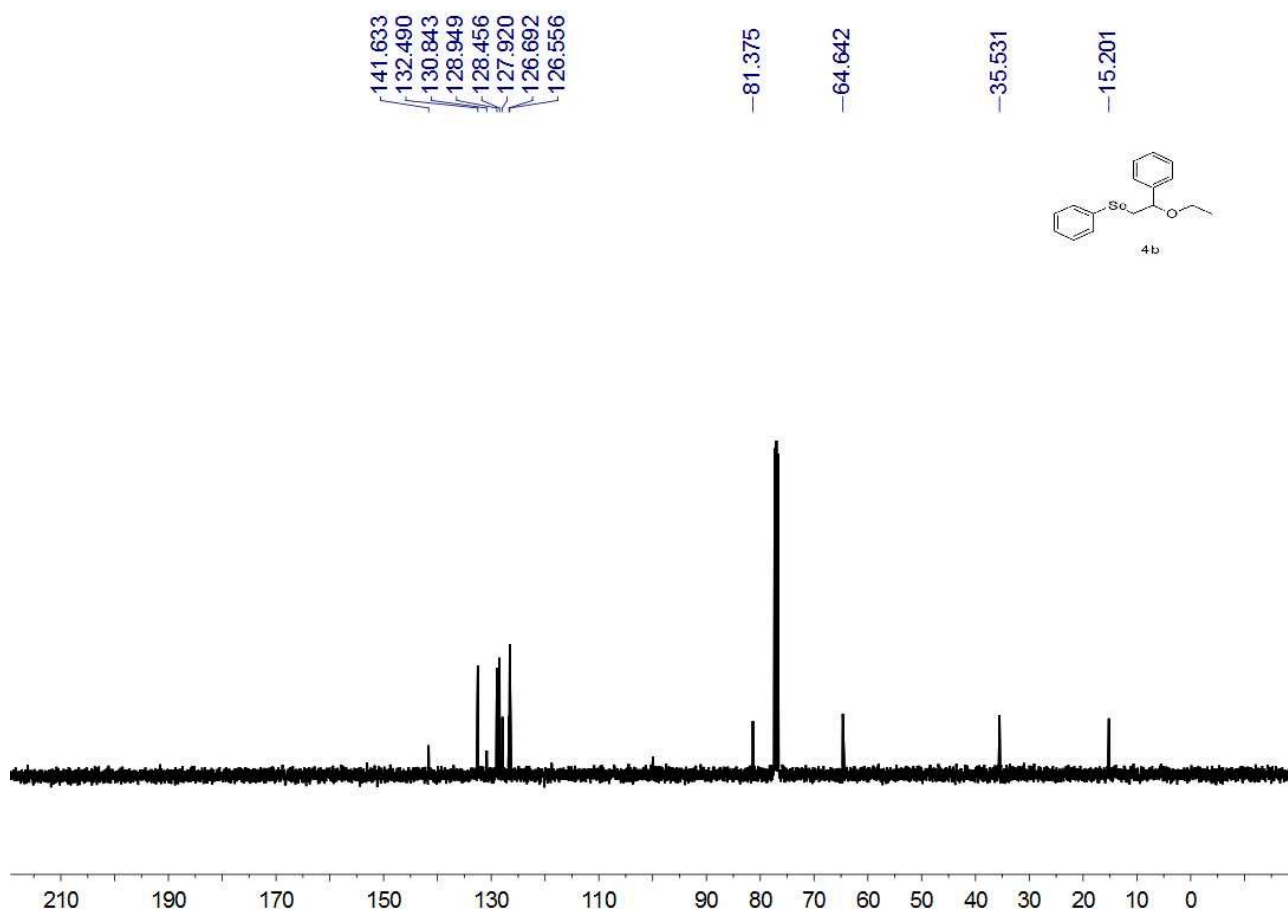












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