

1-Bromoethene-1-Sulfonyl Fluoride (BESF) as a Connective SuFEx Hub: *In Situ* Generation and Syntheses of 3-Substituted Isoxazole-5-Sulfonyl Fluorides, 1-Substituted-1*H*-1,2,3-Triazole-4-Sulfonyl Fluorides, 2-Amino-1-Bromoethane-1-Sulfonyl Fluorides and 4-Bromo- β -Sultams

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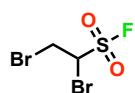
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General Methods

Unless otherwise stated, all reactions were performed with reagent grade solvents. All other reagents and solvents were obtained from commercial sources and used without further purification. The progress of reactions was monitored using thin layer chromatography (TLC) and visualised using UV light and stained using a basic KMnO_4 (potassium permanganate) solution. Flash column chromatography was performed using Biotage[®] SNAP cartridges with KP-Sil 50 μm as the stationary phase on a Biotage[®] Isolera[™] One. Petrol refers to petroleum spirit (b.p. 40-60 °C).

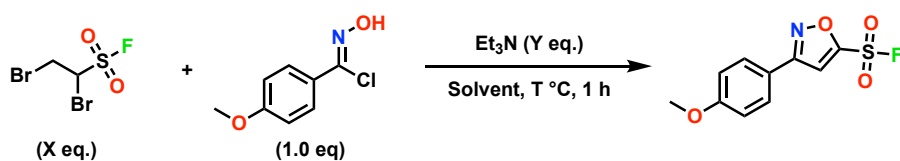
NMR spectra (^1H and ^{13}C) were recorded on Bruker Ascend[™] 400 (400 MHz) and Ultrashield[™] 500 PLUS (500 MHz) spectrometers, as dilute solutions in the stipulated solvent. All chemical shifts (δ) are reported in parts per million (ppm) with ^1H and ^{13}C NMR referenced to solvent signals [^1H NMR: CHCl_3 (7.27); ^{13}C NMR: CDCl_3 (77.16)] Coupling constants (J) are reported in Hertz (Hz) and recorded after averaging. The multiplicity of the ^1H NMR signals are designated by one of the following abbreviations: s=singlet, d=doublet, t=triplet, q=quartet, m=multiplet, br=broad signal. Infra-red spectra were obtained using a Agilent Cary 660 FTIR spectrometer in ATR mode, with the peaks recorded as $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$. HRMS were obtained using an Agilent 6530 accurate-mass Q-TOF LC/MS in electrospray ionisation (ESI) or a Bruker micrOTOF-Q in electron ionisation (EI) mode. Melting point data was collected using a Gallenkamp melting point apparatus.

Preparation of 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (1)¹



To a solution of ethenesulfonyl fluoride (540 μL , 6.52 mmol) in CHCl_3 (4.5 mL) was added bromine (1.00 mL, 19.5 mmol) and the solution heated to reflux for 3 h. The reaction mixture was cooled, diluted with Et_2O (30 mL) and washed with 10% $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3(\text{aq})$ until the organic fraction became clear and colourless and was then washed with H_2O (20 mL) and dried over anhydrous MgSO_4 . The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to yield the desired 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (1.53 g, 87%) which was used without further purification; ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.23 (dd, J = 8.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (dd, J = 11.9, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (ddd, J = 11.9, 8.5, 1.1 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 57.51 (d, J = 21.2 Hz), 28.41; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 47.3; IR ν_{max} (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3029, 2973, 1410, 1215, 802.

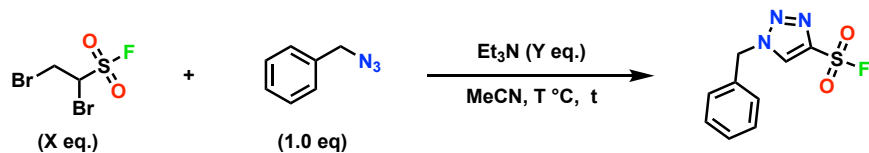
Table S-1 Optimisation of 3,5-isoxazole formation



Entry ^a	Solvent	T $^\circ\text{C}$	X eq.	Y eq.	Yield (%)
1	CH_2Cl_2	0 to r.t.	1.0	3.0	53
2	EtOAc	0 to r.t.	1.0	3.0	58
3	DMF	0 to r.t.	1.0	3.0	16
4	THF	0 to r.t.	1.0	3.0	67
5	THF	-78 to r.t.	1.0	3.0	64
6	THF	0 to r.t.	1.1	3.1	96
7	THF	0 to r.t.	1.2	3.2	95 ^b

[a] Isolated yields, reactions performed on 0.5 mmol and purified by column chromatography (8% EtOAc in petroleum ether); [b] Isolated without extensive chromatographic purification.

Table S-2 Optimisation of 1,4-triazole formation



Entry ^a	Solvent	T $^\circ\text{C}$	t (h)	X eq.	Y eq.	Yield (%)
1	MeCN	0 to r.t.	24	1	2	– ^b
2	MeCN	0 to 50	24	1	2	– ^c
3	MeCN	0 to 90	2	1	2	18
4	MeCN	0 to 90	2	3	2	62
5	MeCN	0 to 90	3	4	3	87

[a] Isolated yields; reactions performed on 0.25 mmol; [b] No product formed.

General Reaction Procedures

General Procedure A

To a solution of 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (1.2 mmol) in THF (2 mL) at 0 °C was added Et₃N (3.2 mmol) and stirred for 5 min. To the mixture was then added the desired *N*-hydroxyimidoyl chloride, warming to room temperature and stirred for a further 1 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O (5 mL), extracted with EtOAc (10 mL), washed with brine (20 mL) and H₂O (20 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and filtered. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to yield the crude compound.

General Procedure B

To a solution of 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (0.75 mmol) in MeCN (1 mL) at 0 °C was added Et₃N (1.0 mmol) and stirred for 5 min. To the mixture was then added the desired azide (0.25 mmol) and heated to 90 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, the crude reaction mixture was extracted with EtOAc (10 mL), washed with brine (20 mL) and H₂O (20 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and filtered. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the crude compound purified by flash column chromatography.

General Procedure C

To a solution of 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (13.5 µL, 0.10 mmol) in MeCN (0.5 mL) at 0 °C was added triethylamine (13.9 µL, 0.10 mmol) and stirred for 5 min. To the mixture was added the desired amine (0.10 mmol) and the solution was warmed to room temperature and stirred for 30 min. The reaction mixture was extracted with EtOAc (10 mL), washed with H₂O (10 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and filtered. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to yield the desired compound.

General Procedure D

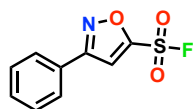
To a solution of 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (13.5 µL, 0.10 mmol) in MeCN (0.5 mL) at 0 °C was added triethylamine (13.9 µL, 0.10 mmol) and stirred for 5 min. To the mixture was then added the desired amine (0.10 mmol) and the solution heated to 50 °C for 30 min, followed by the addition of a solution of K₂CO₃ (14.0 mg, 0.10 mmol) in H₂O (100 µL). The solution was then stirred for a further 30 min at 50 °C and extracted into EtOAc (20 mL). The organic layer was washed with H₂O (10 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and the solvent removed under reduced pressure to yield the desired compound.

General Procedure E

To a solution of sulfonyl fluoride (0.10 mmol) and TBS-ether (0.10 mmol) in a solution of MeCN (0.4 mL) was added DBU (3 μ L, 0.02 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for the required amount of time. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was extracted into EtOAc (5 mL), then washed with brine (10 mL) and H₂O (10 mL). The aqueous layer was then extracted with EtOAc (5 mL), the organic fractions combined, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and filtered. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the crude compounds purified by flash column chromatography.

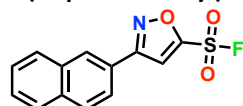
Experimental Data

3-Phenylisoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4a)²



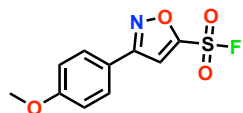
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was filtered through a pad of silica (30% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **4a** as a beige solid (193 mg, 85%). **m.p.** 52-53 °C (lit: 69-70 °C)²; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.87-7.81 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.50 (m, 3H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H); **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.4, 158.9 (d, *J* = 39.0 Hz), 131.7, 129.6, 127.2, 126.5, 110.3 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz); **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.5; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₉H₇FO₃S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 228.0131, *m/z* found 228.0179; **IR** *v* max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3706, 3146, 3119, 2966, 2922, 2862, 1428, 1213, 1054, 781, 766, 684, 628.

3-(Naphthalen-2-yl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4b)²



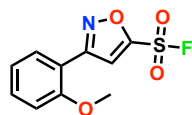
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was filtered through a pad of silica (30% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **4b** as a beige solid (262 mg, 95%). **m.p.** 86-88 °C (lit: 101-102 °C)²; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.28-8.24 (m, 1H), 8.01-7.88 (m, 4H), 7.65-7.57 (m, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.3, 158.8 (d, *J* = 38.7 Hz), 134.7, 133.1, 129.6, 128.8, 128.2, 128.1, 127.6, 127.4, 123.7, 123.4, 110.5 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz); **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.5; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₁₃H₉FO₃S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 278.0287, *m/z* found 278.0327; **IR** *v* max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3160, 2851, 1602, 1427, 1399, 1211, 901, 630.

3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4c)



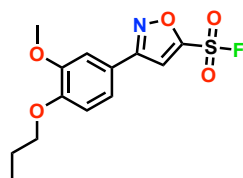
Following general procedure **A** (5.38 mmol of *N*-hydroxyimidoyl chloride used), the crude product was filtered through a pad of silica (30% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **4c** as a colourless solid (1.31 g, 95%). **m.p.** 52-53 °C; **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.79-7.74 (m, 2H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.07-6.99 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.9, 162.3, 158.5 (d, *J* = 38.5 Hz), 128.7, 118.7, 115.0, 110.2 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 55.6; **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.3; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₁₀H₉FO₄S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 258.0236, *m/z* found 258.0287; **IR** *v* max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2929, 2851, 1603, 1525, 1423, 1254, 1214, 1176, 1022, 799.

3-(2-Methoxyphenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4d)²



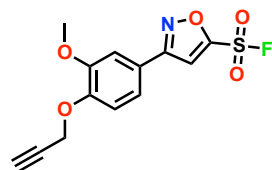
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (5% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4d** as a beige solid (154 mg, 60%). **m.p.** 56-60 °C (lit:76-77 °C)²; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.96 (dd, *J* = 7.7, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (ddd, *J* = 8.4, 7.4, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.13-7.08 (m, 1H), 7.08-7.04 (m, 1H), 3.96 (s, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.9, 157.5 (d, *J* = 38.1 Hz), 157.4, 133.1, 129.5, 121.4, 115.2, 114.0 (d, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 111.7, 55.8; **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.5; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₁₀H₉FO₄S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 258.0236, *m/z* found 258.0299; **IR** *v* max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3182, 2929, 2841, 1602, 1468, 1431, 1417, 1207, 1024, 786, 754, 626.

3-(3-Methoxy-4-propoxyphenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4e)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-20% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4e** as a colourless solid (196 mg, 63%). **m.p.** 92-93 °C; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 1.97-1.87 (m, 2H), 1.08 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.0, 158.5 (d, *J* = 38.4 Hz), 151.7, 150.2, 120.7, 118.7, 112.6, 110.3 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 109.7, 70.7, 56.4, 22.5, 10.6; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₁₃H₁₅FO₅S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 316.0655, *m/z* found 316.0690; **IR** *v* max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3164, 2973, 2944, 2882, 1599, 1525, 1469, 1434, 1268, 1229, 1207, 1126, 1008, 791.

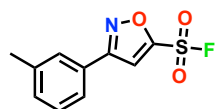
3-(3-Methoxy-4-(prop-2-yn-1-yloxy)phenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4f)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-20% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4f** as a colourless solid (32 mg, 34%). **m.p.** 98-100 °C; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ

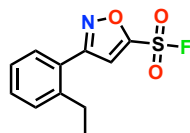
7.45-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.32 (dd, $J = 8.4, 2.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.85 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.97 (s, 3H), 2.57 (t, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.8, 158.6 (d, $J = 38.7$ Hz), 150.4, 149.7, 120.2, 120.0, 114.1, 110.1 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 109.9, 77.8, 76.4, 56.7, 56.2; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.4; HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{11}\text{FNO}_5\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 312.0342$, m/z found 312.0371; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3306, 2972, 2886, 1602, 1471, 1429, 1208, 1058, 1016, 793.

3-(*m*-Tolyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (**4g**)²



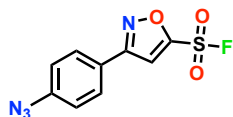
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (8% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4g** as a colourless solid (174 mg, 72%). **m.p.** 50-52 °C (lit: 129-130 °C)²; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.69-7.65 (m, 1H), 7.64-7.59 (m, 1H), 7.46 (d, $J = 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.45-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.39-7.35 (m, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.4, 158.7 (d, $J = 38.7$ Hz), 139.5, 132.5, 129.4, 127.7, 126.3, 124.3, 110.5 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 21.5; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.4. HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_9\text{FNO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 242.0287$, m/z found 242.0342; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3706, 2966, 2922, 2864, 1436, 1219, 1054, 787, 625.

3-(2-Ethylphenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (**4h**)



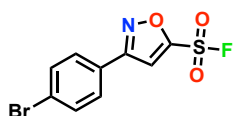
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was filtered through a pad of silica (10% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **4h** as a brown oil (246 mg, 96%); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.52-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.31 (m, 2H), 2.83 (q, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.8, 158.2 (d, $J = 38.7$ Hz), 143.6, 131.3, 130.0, 130.0, 126.6, 125.4, 112.9 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 27.0, 15.7; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.6; HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{11}\text{FNO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 256.0444$, m/z found 256.0500; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3155, 2973, 2936, 2876, 1438, 1215, 791, 762.

3-(4-Azidophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4i)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4i** as an orange solid (267 mg, 99%); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.87-7.80 (m, 2H), 7.45 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.21-7.14 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.5, 158.9 (d, J = 38.8 Hz), 143.7, 128.7, 122.9, 120.1, 110.2 (d, J = 3.6 Hz); $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.5; **IR** ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 2923, 2127, 2092, 1600, 1423, 1283, 1215, 1123, 801.

3-(4-Bromophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4j)²



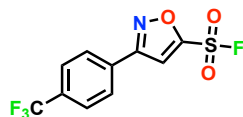
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4j** a colourless solid (218 mg, 71%). **m.p.** 90-91 °C (lit: 96-97°C)²; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.77-7.66 (m, 4H), 7.46 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.5, 159.2 (d, J = 38.9 Hz), 132.9, 128.6, 126.4, 125.3, 110.2 (d, J = 3.6 Hz); $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.6; **HRMS** (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{BrFNO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 305.9236, m/z found 305.9263; **IR** ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3098, 2918, 2851, 1592, 1432, 1418, 1213, 804, 783, 624.

3-(4-Fluorophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4k)



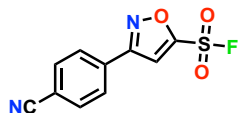
Following general procedure **A**, **4k** was isolated as an orange solid (232 mg, 95%). **m.p.** 61-64 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.88-7.80 (m, 2H), 7.45 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.29-7.19 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 164.9 (d, J = 253 Hz), 162.4, 159.1 (d, J = 39.0 Hz), 129.3 (d, J = 8.8 Hz), 122.7 (d, J = 3.6 Hz), 116.9 (d, J = 22.2 Hz), 110.2 (d, J = 3.6 Hz); $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.5, -107.4; **HRMS** (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{F}_2\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 246.0036, m/z found 246.0098; **IR** ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3417, 3110, 1602, 1425, 1235, 1216, 1330, 838, 788, 636.

3-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4l)



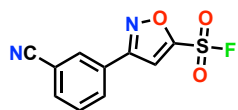
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (8% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4l** as a colourless solid (222 mg, 75%). **m.p.** 80-82 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.01-7.94 (m, 2H), 7.84-7.79 (m, 2H), 7.52 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.2, 159.5 (d, J = 39.3 Hz), 133.6 (q, J = 33.1 Hz), 129.8, 127.6, 126.6 (q, J = 3.7 Hz), 123.7 (q, J = 272.6 Hz), 110.3 (d, J = 3.6 Hz). $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.74, -63.14; **HRMS** (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{F}_4\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 296.0005, m/z found 296.0057; **IR** ν_{max} (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3707, 2966, 2922, 2864, 2845, 1439, 1322, 1114, 1064, 1053, 798, 626.

3-(4-Cyanophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4m)



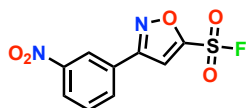
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (8% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4m** as a yellow solid (170 mg, 67%). **m.p.** 116-119 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.01-7.95 (m, 2H), 7.91-7.81 (m, 2H), 7.52 (d, J = 1.3 Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.9, 159.7 (d, J = 39.6 Hz), 133.3, 130.5, 127.8, 117.8, 115.5, 110.2 (d, J = 3.6 Hz); $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.8; **HRMS** (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{FN}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 253.0083, m/z found 253.0131; **IR** ν_{max} (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 2958, 2920, 2851, 2229, 1423, 1216, 630.

3-(3-Cyanophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4n)



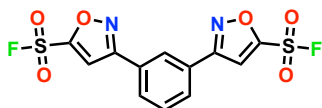
Following general procedure **A**, **4n** was isolated as a beige solid (245 mg, 97%). **m.p.** 113-116 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.19-8.13 (m, 1H), 8.10 (ddd, J = 7.9, 1.8, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.90-7.82 (m, 1H), 7.73-7.67 (m, 1H), 7.52 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.6, 159.7 (d, J = 39.5 Hz), 134.9, 131.2, 130.6, 130.6, 127.9, 117.6, 114.2, 110.0 (d, J = 3.6 Hz); $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.9; **HRMS** (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{FN}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 253.0083, m/z found 253.0141; **IR** ν_{max} (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3141, 3111, 3086, 2926, 2234, 1720, 1432, 1417, 1218, 909, 808, 729, 626.

3-(3-Nitrophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (**4o**)²



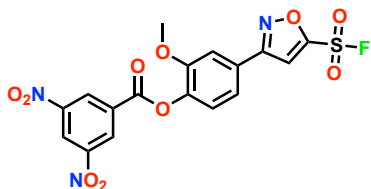
Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-20% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4o** as a yellow solid (177 mg, 65%). **m.p.** 64-66 °C (lit: 67-68 °C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.72-8.67 (m, 1H), 8.44 (ddd, *J* = 8.3, 2.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 8.23 (ddd, *J* = 7.8, 1.7, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.80-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.6, 159.9 (d, *J* = 39.7 Hz), 149.0, 132.7, 130.9, 128.2, 126.3, 122.3, 110.1 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.9; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₉H₆FN₂O₅S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 272.9981, *m/z* found 273.0036; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2961, 1928, 2851, 1528, 1438, 1349, 1255, 1216, 796.

3-(3-(5-(Fluorosulfonyl)isoxazol-3-yl)phenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (**4p**)



Following a modified version of general procedure **A**, where 1,2-dibromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (2.4 mmol) and Et₃N (6.4 mmol) were used, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4p** as a colourless solid (240 mg, 64%). **m.p.** 96-98 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.37-8.32 (m, 1H), 8.03 (dd, *J* = 7.8, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.3, 159.4 (d, *J* = 39.4 Hz), 130.8, 130.0, 127.9, 125.6, 110.3 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 64.8; **HRMS** (EI⁺): calculated for C₁₂H₆F₂N₂O₆S₂ [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 376.9714, *m/z* found 376.9744; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3152, 2956, 2923, 2852, 1439, 1420, 1396, 1246, 1212, 1311, 786, 744, 614.

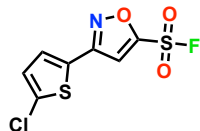
4-(5-(Fluorosulfonyl)isoxazol-3-yl)-2-methoxyphenyl 3,5-dinitrobenzoate (**4q**)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-20% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4q** as a beige solid (416 mg, 89%). **m.p.** 122-124 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.36-9.35 (m, 2H), 9.34-9.33 (m, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.5, 160.5, 159.2 (d, *J* = 39.0 Hz), 151.8, 149.0,

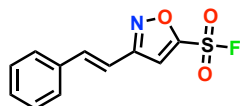
141.8, 132.8, 130.2, 126.2, 123.7, 123.2, 120.2, 111.0, 110.4 (d, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 56.4; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.7; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3111, 1742; 1548, 1437, 1345, 1283, 1213, 1174, 1149, 797, 717.

3-(5-Chlorothiophen-2-yl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4r)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was filtered through a pad of silica (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4r** as a brown amorphous solid (202 mg, 76%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.02 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 159.0 (d, $J = 39.4$ Hz), 157.8, 135.5, 129.1, 127.4, 126.1, 109.7 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.7; HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_4\text{ClFN}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}_2$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 267.9305$, m/z found 267.9367; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3105, 1711, 1579, 1434, 1415, 1211, 794.

(E)-3-Styrylisoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4s)²



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4s** as a beige solid (176 mg, 70%). **m.p.** 92-93 °C (lit: 94-95 °C)²; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.47-7.39 (m, 4H), 7.30 (d, $J = 16.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.15 (d, $J = 16.5$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.4, 158.2 (d, $J = 38.7$ Hz), 139.4, 134.8, 130.2, 129.2, 127.5, 113.4, 109.6 (d, $J = 3.5$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.3; HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_9\text{FNO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 254.0287$, m/z found 254.0341; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3703, 3136, 3093, 2971, 2923, 1639, 1430, 1208, 967, 898, 813, 787.

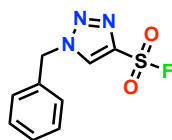
(E)-3-(2-Nitrostyryl)isoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride (4t)



Following general procedure **A**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (10% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **4t** as a colourless solid (136 mg, 46%). **m.p.** 109-111 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.11 (dd, $J = 8.1, 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, $J = 16.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.78-7.70 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.47 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.13 (d, $J = 16.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.9, 158.8 (d, $J = 39.2$ Hz), 148.1, 134.9, 134.0, 130.8,

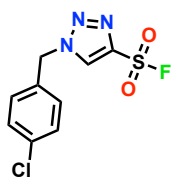
130.4, 128.9, 125.3, 118.4, 109.7 (d, $J = 3.4$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 64.6; HRMS (EI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_8\text{FN}_2\text{O}_5\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: $m/z = 299.0138$, m/z found 299.0166; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3706, 3155, 2967, 2922, 2865, 2844, 2360, 2341, 1524, 1435, 1348, 1209, 1055, 1014, 743, 621.

1-Benzyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride (6a)



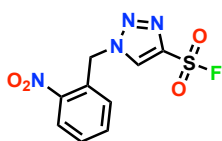
Following general procedure **B**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (30-60% Et_2O in petroleum ether) to obtain **6a** as a beige solid (52 mg, 87%). m.p. 76-77 °C; ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.11 (d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.49-7.43 (m, 3H), 7.40-7.32 (m, 2H), 5.65 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 140.5 (d, $J = 36.7$ Hz), 132.4, 130.0, 129.8, 128.8, 128.1 (d, $J = 3.1$ Hz), 55.5; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 66.4; HRMS (ESI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_8\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2\text{SNa}$ [$\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$]: $m/z = 264.0219$, m/z found 264.0014; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3112, 2923, 2852, 1423, 1402, 1203, 1102, 1047, 774, 716, 700.

1-(4-Chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride (6b)



Following general procedure **B**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (30-60% Et_2O in petroleum ether) to obtain **6b** as a beige solid (40 mg, 58%). m.p. 88-90 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.12 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.48-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 2H), 5.62 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 140.6 (only observed by HMBC), 136.3, 130.9, 130.1, 130.1, 128.0 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz), 54.7; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 66.4; HRMS (ESI^+): calculated for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_7\text{ClFN}_3\text{O}_2\text{SNa}$ [$\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$]: $m/z = 297.9829$, m/z found 297.9820; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3115, 1494, 1417, 1203, 1090, 804, 743.

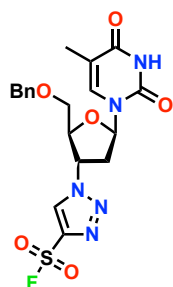
1-(2-Nitrobenzyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride (6c)



Following general procedure **B**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (30-60% Et_2O in petroleum ether) to obtain **6c** as a beige solid (40 mg, 56%). m.p. 122-124 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.51

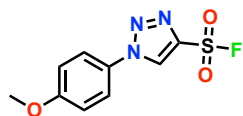
(d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.22 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.76 (td, $J = 7.6, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.67 (td, $J = 8.1, 7.5, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.49 (m, 1H), 6.00 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 147.9, 140.6 (d, $J = 37.1$ Hz), 135.0, 132.5, 131.3, 129.2 (d, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 128.0, 126.1, 52.1; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 66.5; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_7\text{FN}_4\text{O}_4\text{SNa}$ [$\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$]: $m/z = 309.0070$, m/z found 309.0085; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3126, 2923, 2853, 1519, 1417, 1341, 1206, 788, 728.

1-((2S,3S,5R)-2-((Benzyloxy)methyl)-5-(5-methyl-2,4-dioxo-3,4-dihydropyrimidin-1(2H)-yl)tetrahydrofuran-3-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride (6d)



Following general procedure **B** heating at 90 °C for 6 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-40% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **6d** as a grey solid (39 mg, 34%). **m.p.** 109-112 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.39 (d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.51-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.28 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 1H), 6.12 (dd, $J = 7.3, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.64 (dt, $J = 8.9, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.13 (s, 2H), 4.51-4.47 (m, 1H), 4.05 (dd, $J = 12.3, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.83-3.75 (m, 1H), 3.19-3.09 (m, 1H), 3.07-2.98 (m, 1H), 1.98 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.2, 151.1, 140.8 (only observed by HMBC), 136.6, 136.2, 129.4, 128.7 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 128.6, 128.0, 111.2, 90.6, 85.1, 61.9, 61.0, 44.7, 37.5, 13.4; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 66.5; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{FN}_5\text{O}_6\text{SNa}$ [$\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$]: $m/z = 488.1016$, m/z found 488.0936; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3471 3060, 2927, 2852, 1698, 1664, 1633, 1488, 1413, 1212, 1094, 800.

1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride (6e)



Following general procedure **B** heating at 90 °C for 6 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (15% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **6e** as a yellow solid (40 mg, 63%). **m.p.** 94-97 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.57 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.70-7.63 (m, 2H), 7.12-7.07 (m, 2H), 3.91 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.3, 140.7 (d, $J = 37.0$ Hz), 128.9, 126.5 (d, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 123.0, 115.4, 55.9; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz,

CDCl₃) δ 66.6; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₉H₈FN₃O₃Na [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 280.0168, m/z found 280.0022; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3134, 2918, 2850, 1611, 1517, 1420, 1252, 1213, 1030, 778.

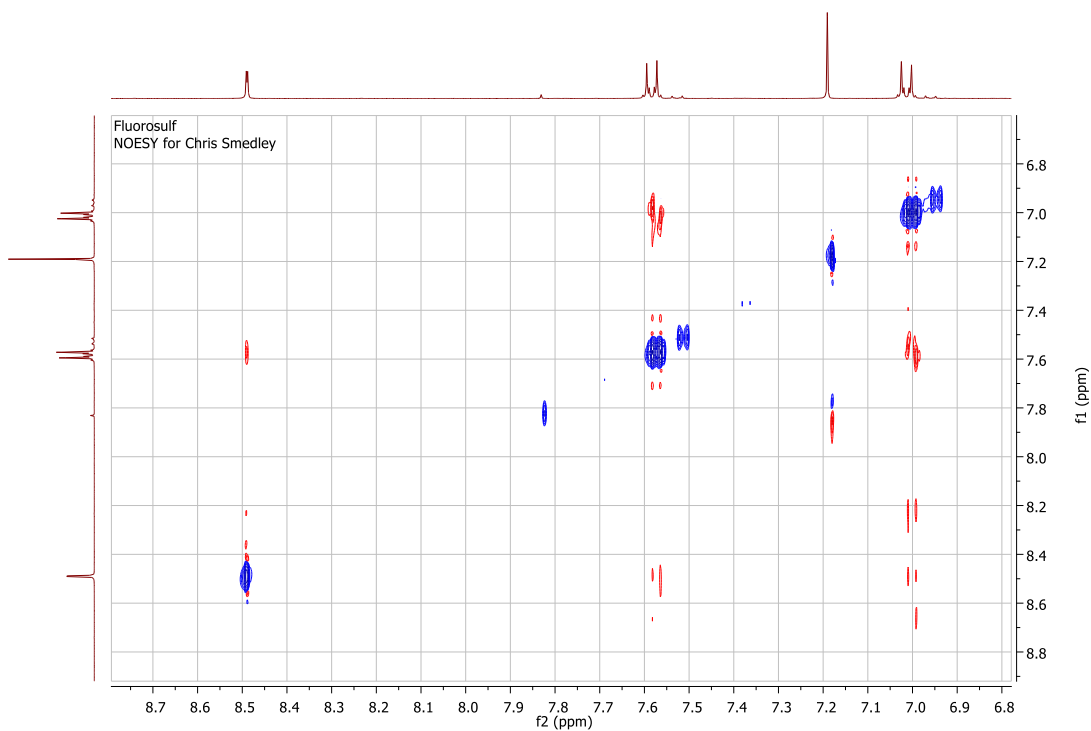
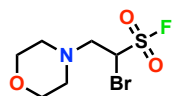


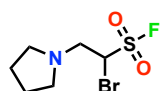
Figure S-1 Regiochemistry of 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride **6e** was determined by NOE correlation spectroscopy to show the 1,4-regioisomer and can be seen in the above spectra.

1-Bromo-2-morpholinoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (**7a**)



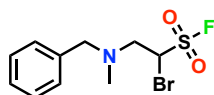
Following general procedure **C** (1.00 mmol of morpholine), **7a** was isolated as a brown oil (259 mg, 94%). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.17-5.08 (m, 1H), 3.76-3.70 (m, 4H), 3.35-3.27 (m, 1H), 3.18-3.09 (m, 1H), 2.67-2.61 (m, 4H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 66.9, 60.8, 56.0 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz), 53.6; **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 50.1; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₆H₁₁BrFNO₃S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 275.9700, m/z found 275.9702; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2958, 2858, 2818, 1419, 1205, 1112.

1-Bromo-2-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)ethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (7b)



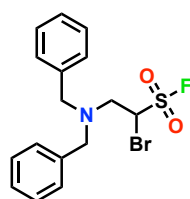
Following general procedure **C**, **7b** was isolated as a yellow oil (22 mg, 85%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.07 (dd, J = 7.9, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (ddd, J = 13.8, 5.5, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.28 (ddd, J = 13.8, 7.9, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 2.74-2.66 (m, 4H), 1.87-1.79 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 58.5, 57.6 (d, J = 15.6 Hz), 54.3, 24.1; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 48.8; HRMS (ESI $^+$): calculated for $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{BrFNO}_2\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 259.9751, m/z found 275.9747; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 2972, 2806, 1415, 1207.

2-(Benzyl(methyl)amino)-1-bromoethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (7c)



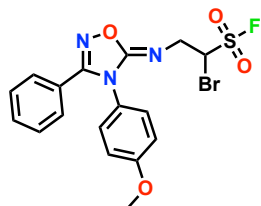
Following general procedure **C** (1.00 mmol of *N*-benzylamine), **7c** was isolated as a brown oil (303 mg, 99%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36-7.27 (m, 5H), 4.97 (dd, J = 7.6, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.74-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.40 (dd, J = 14.3, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.19 (ddd, J = 14.3, 7.6, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 137.6, 129.1, 128.6, 127.8, 62.5, 60.0, 57.0 (d, J = 14.9 Hz), 42.6; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 49.3; HRMS (ESI $^+$): calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{13}\text{BrFNO}_2\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 309.9907, m/z found 309.9798. IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 2954, 2802, 1454, 1410, 1206.

1-Bromo-2-(dibenzylamino)ethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (7d)



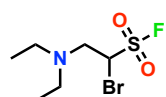
Following a modified general procedure **C** (reaction heated from 0 to 50 $^{\circ}\text{C}$), **7d** was isolated as a yellow oil (36 mg, 92%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.42-7.28 (m, 10H), 4.59 (dd, J = 8.0, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.81-3.69 (m, 4H), 3.53 (dd, J = 14.6, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (ddd, J = 14.6, 8.0, 2.6 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 137.8, 129.2, 128.8, 127.9, 59.7, 57.7, 57.5 (d, J = 14.8 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 48.3. HRMS (ESI $^+$): calculated for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{BrFNO}_2\text{S}$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]: m/z = 386.0220, m/z found 386.0119; IR ν max (ATR)/ cm^{-1} : 3064, 3030, 2807, 1453, 1415, 1208.

(E)-1-Bromo-2-((4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenyl-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5(4H)-ylidene)amino)ethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (7e)



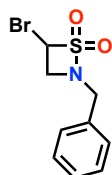
Following general procedure **C**, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (15-70% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **7e** as a colorless amorphous solid (32 mg, 71%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50-7.44 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.33 (m, 4H), 7.17-7.11 (m, 2H), 6.94-6.90 (m, 2H), 5.24-5.21 (m, 1H), 4.27 (ddd, *J* = 14.3, 5.9, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (ddd, *J* = 14.3, 7.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.2, 157.9, 156.5, 132.0, 129.0, 129.0, 128.6, 125.1, 122.7, 115.1, 58.6 (d, *J* = 17.3 Hz), 55.7, 49.5; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 48.4; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₇H₁₅BrFN₃O₄S [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 380.0162, *m/z* found 380.0164; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3062, 2906, 2839, 1698, 1513, 1410.

1-Bromo-2-(diethylamino)ethane-1-sulfonyl fluoride (7f)



Following general procedure **C**, **7f** was isolated as a yellow oil (21 mg, 81%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.98 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, *J* = 14.7, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (ddd, *J* = 14.7, 7.4, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 4H), 1.06 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 58.0 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 57.1, 47.8, 12.1; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 49.5; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for C₆H₁₃BrFNOS [M+H⁺]: *m/z* = 261.9907, *m/z* found 261.9773. IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2972, 2819, 2469, 1412, 1204.

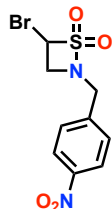
2-Benzyl-4-bromo-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (8a)¹



Following general procedure **D**, **8a** was isolated as a yellow oil (22 mg, 79%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.42-7.31 (m, 5H), 5.65 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 4.36-4.22 (m, 2H), 3.68 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.17 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 4.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 133.6, 129.1, 128.8, 128.6, 60.3, 50.9, 47.1; HRMS (EI⁺): calculated for

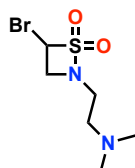
C₉H₁₁BrNO₂S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 275.9688, m/z found 275.9747; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3031, 2925, 2855, 1445, 1334, 1178.

4-Bromo-2-(4-nitrobenzyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (8b)



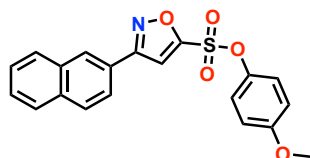
Following general procedure **D** (HCl salt of amine used with 1.0 equivalent extra of Et₃N), **8b** was isolated as a yellow amorphous solid (21 mg, 67%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.29-8.18 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 5.72 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (s, 2H), 3.79 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 148.1, 141.3, 129.3, 124.3, 60.7, 50.5, 47.7; HRMS (EI⁺): calculated for C₉H₉BrN₂O₄SNa [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 342.9359, m/z found 342.9633; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2924, 2853, 1604, 1518, 1343.

4-Bromo-2-(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (8c)



Following general procedure **D** (HCl salt of amine used with 1.0 equivalent extra of Et₃N), **8c** was isolated as a yellow oil (15 mg, 58%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.63 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.31-3.14 (m, 3H), 2.57 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 2.31 (s, 6H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 60.5, 57.2, 48.0, 45.5, 45.3; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2823, 2773, 1619, 1462, 1328, 1172. HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for C₆H₁₃BrN₂O₂S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 256.9954, m/z found 256.9954; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2947, 2823, 2773, 1619, 1328, 1172.

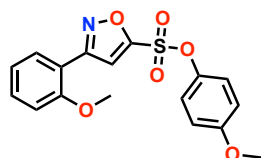
4-Methoxyphenyl 3-(naphthalen-2-yl)isoxazole-5-sulfonate (16a)



Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-20% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16a** as a colourless solid (28 mg, 74%). m.p. 80-81 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.25-8.20 (m, 1H), 7.99-7.87 (m, 4H), 7.64-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.09 (m, 2H), 6.91-6.84 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.8, 161.8, 158.9, 142.6, 134.5, 133.0, 129.3, 128.6, 127.9,

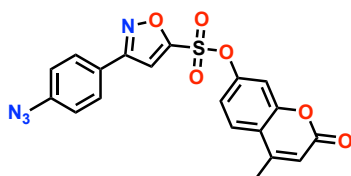
127.8, 127.3, 127.2, 124.1, 123.3, 123.0, 115.0, 109.4, 55.6; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₂₀H₁₅NO₅Na [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 404.0569, m/z found 404.0511; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2922, 1500, 1251, 1198, 1167, 1056, 1029, 879, 833.

4-Methoxyphenyl 3-(2-methoxyphenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonate (**16b**)



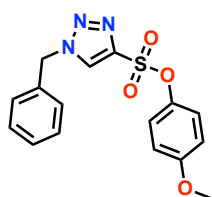
Following general procedure **E** stirring for 2 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-25% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16b** as a colourless gum (32 mg, 89%). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 (dd, J = 7.7, 1.8, 1H), 7.49 (ddd, J = 8.4, 7.4, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (s, 1H), 7.12-7.05 (m, 3H), 7.02 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.89-6.84 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.5, 160.5, 159.0, 157.4, 142.8, 132.7, 129.5, 123.2, 121.3, 115.8, 115.1, 113.0, 111.7, 55.8, 55.7; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₇H₁₅NO₆Na [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 384.0518, m/z found 384.0558; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2932, 2842, 1603, 1499, 1469, 1396, 1250, 1196, 1166, 1106, 1022, 871, 834.

4-Methyl-2-oxo-2H-chromen-7-yl 3-(4-azidophenyl)isoxazole-5-sulfonate (**16c**)



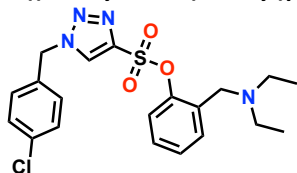
Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (30% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16c** as a yellow solid (33 mg, 79%). **m.p.** 118-120; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83-7.78 (m, 2H), 7.67-7.62 (m, 1H), 7.25 (s, 1H), 7.21-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.13 (m, 2H), 6.40-6.30 (m, 1H), 2.44 (d, J = 1.3 Hz, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.2, 161.6, 159.8, 154.2, 151.5, 150.8, 143.4, 128.7, 126.4, 123.2, 120.0, 119.9, 118.2, 115.8, 111.0, 109.3, 18.9; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₉H₁₂N₄O₆Na [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 447.0375, m/z found 447.0286; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2922, 2863, 2128, 1739, 1605, 1403, 1280, 1194, 1056, 1013.

4-Methoxyphenyl 1-benzyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonate (**16d**)



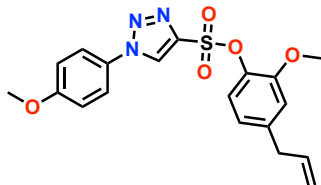
Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-25% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16d** as a yellow gum (26 mg, 74%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83 (s, 1H), 7.48-7.36 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.06-6.96 (m, 2H), 6.86-6.71 (m, 2H), 5.57 (s, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.6, 143.0, 143.0, 133.1, 129.6, 129.6, 128.4, 127.9, 123.4, 114.8, 55.7, 55.1; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₆H₁₅N₃O₄SNa [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 368.0681, m/z found 368.0697; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3136, 2924, 2853, 1499, 1382, 1251, 1192, 1167, 1139, 1029, 868, 836, 797, 718.

2-((Diethylamino)methyl)phenyl 1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonate (**16e**)



Following general procedure **E** stirring for 3 h before the addition of an extra 20 mol% DBU and stirred for a further 3 h. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-30% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16e** as a colourless solid (24 mg, 55%). m.p. 74-75 °C; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.59-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.42-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.26-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.22-7.14 (m, 4H), 5.56 (s, 2H), 3.53 (s, 2H), 2.47 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 148.2, 143.9, 135.9, 134.1, 131.5, 131.1, 129.9, 129.8, 127.8, 127.6, 127.5, 121.9, 54.4, 51.3, 47.3, 12.0; HRMS (ESI⁺): calculated for C₂₀H₂₄ClN₄O₃S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 435.1258, m/z found 435.1196; IR ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3141, 2964, 2924, 2855, 1494, 1450, 1379, 1184, 1137, 1089, 879, 772.

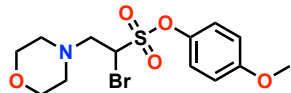
4-Allyl-2-methoxyphenyl 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-sulfonate (**16f**)



Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-30% EtOAc in petroleum ether) to obtain **16f** as a colourless solid (31 mg, 78%). m.p. 74-75 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.38 (s, 1H), 7.66-7.60 (m, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.09-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.79-6.74 (m, 1H), 6.75-6.71 (m, 1H), 5.99-5.87 (m, 1H), 5.13-5.07 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.38-3.34 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101

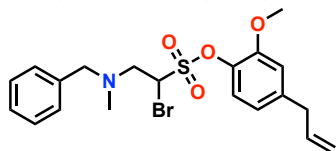
MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.9, 151.6, 144.3, 141.1, 136.8, 136.7, 129.3, 125.5, 124.0, 122.7, 121.0, 116.7, 115.3, 113.3, 55.9, 55.9, 40.2; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₉H₁₉N₃O₅Na [M+Na⁺]: m/z = 424.0943, m/z found 424.0933; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3153, 2941, 1598, 1520, 1383, 1248, 1196, 1113, 1030, 867, 828.

4-Methoxyphenyl 1-bromo-2-morpholinoethane-1-sulfonate (**16g**)



Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-60% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **16g** as a clear oil (25 mg, 66%). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.93-6.89 (m, 2H), 5.03-4.94 (m, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.77-3.68 (m, 4H), 3.37 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.14 (dd, *J* = 14.3, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 4H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.8, 142.8, 123.1, 115.1, 66.9, 60.6, 56.6, 55.8, 53.7; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₁₃H₁₈BrNO₅S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 380.0162, m/z found 380.0164; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 2965, 2817, 1719, 1607, 1502.

4-Allyl-2-methoxyphenyl 2-(benzyl(methyl)amino)-1-bromoethane-1-sulfonate (**16h**)



Following general procedure **E** stirring for 1 h, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (0-40% EtOAc in petrol) to obtain **16h** as a clear oil (33 mg, 73%). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-7.26 (m, 5H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 6.81-6.75 (m, 2H), 6.00-5.87 (m, 1H), 5.18 (dd, *J* = 9.7, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 5.15-5.07 (m, 2H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.78-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.50 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 3.38 (dt, *J* = 6.7, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 3.33-3.22 (m, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H); **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.3, 140.9, 138.2, 137.1, 136.7, 129.1, 128.6, 127.5, 123.8, 121.2, 116.7, 113.4, 62.4, 59.8, 59.6, 56.1, 42.4, 40.2; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): calculated for C₂₀H₂₅BrNO₄S [M+H⁺]: m/z = 454.0682, m/z found 454.0672; **IR** ν max (ATR)/cm⁻¹: 3233, 2361, 1708, 1611, 1567.

Theoretical Calculations

All calculations were performed using Gaussian 16³ revision A.03 unless noted. Geometry optimisations were performed using the M06-2X density functional⁴ and the def2-TZVP basis set.⁵ Harmonic vibrational frequencies were computed at the same level of theory in order to characterise the stationary points as minima, representing equilibrium structures, or transition states (TSs). For all TSs, intrinsic reaction coordinate (IRC) calculations⁶ were carried out to ensure the connectivity between the local minima along the reaction path. Vibrational frequencies were also utilised to determine corresponding thermochemical data (within the harmonic limit and determined at 1 atm and 298 K). In order to provide more accurate energetics, single-point calculations at the optimised geometries were performed at the MP2 level of theory⁷ with a def2-TZVPP basis set,⁵ inclusive of solvent effects using the polarisable continuum model (IEF-PCM) with Truhlar's SMD model⁸ with parameters for THF ($\epsilon = 7.4257$). Reported free energies were determined by adding the thermal corrections determined at the M06-2X/def2-TZVP level of theory (gas phase) to the MP2/def2-TZVPP solvent-corrected single point energies, which is labelled MP2/def2-TZVPP (SMD, THF)//M06-2X/def2-TZVP.

For the reaction of DBESF to BESF (Table S1), additional density functional theory (DFT), double-hybrid DSDPBEP86, spin-scaled MP2 and G2(MP2) calculations were carried out within Gaussian 16. DLPNO-CCSD(T)/cc-pVTZ⁹ calculations were carried out within ORCA.¹⁰ All calculations were carried out at the M06-2X/def2-TZVP geometries. All results consistently indicate that ΔG for the reaction of DBESF to form BESF + HBr is exergonic.

Table S-3: Relative energies (ΔG , kJ mol⁻¹) for the formation of BESF from DBESF at various methods and basis sets.

Method/Basis Set	ΔG (kJ mol ⁻¹)
M06-2X/def2-TZVP	28.7
MP2/def2-TZVPP	38.2
SCS-MP2/def2-TZVPP	27.9
SOS-MP2/def2-TZVPP	22.8
PBE0/def2-TZVPP	25.0
DLPNP-CCSD(T)/cc-pVTZ	21.8
DSDPBEP86/def2-TZVPP	17.5
B3LYP-D3/6-311+G(d)	32.5
B3LYP/6-311+G(d)	17.4
G2(MP2)	25.5

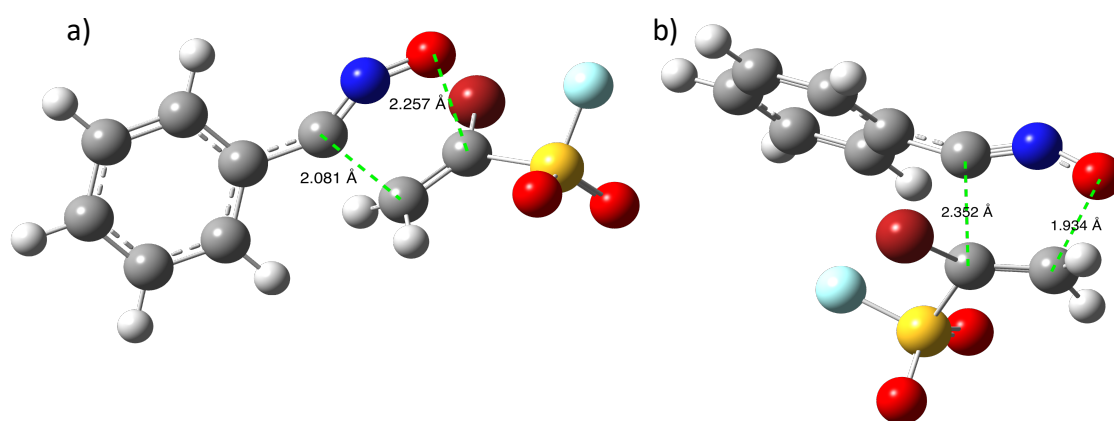


Figure S-2: Computed transition state interatomic distances (Å) for the formation of a) 3-phenylisoxazole-5-sulfonyl fluoride and b) 3-phenylisoxazole-4-sulfonyl fluoride.

Cartesian coordinates of M06-2X/def2-TZVP Optimised Geometries.

HBr

E_e = -2573.00544477 (Hartrees)

0 1

35	0.000000	0.000000	0.039484
1	0.000000	0.000000	-1.381934

BESF

E_e = -5869.13992592 (Hartrees)

0 1

6	-0.746818	-0.922727	0.453062
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1	-0.598496	-1.984803	0.278282
16	1.902720	-0.775707	-0.15454
8	1.844168	-2.181664	-0.322058
8	2.858135	0.024705	-0.816396
6	0.242623	-0.122752	-0.371136
1	0.061380	-0.239321	-1.439675
35	-2.565799	-0.517346	-0.068563
35	0.209518	1.761844	0.021675
9	2.069168	-0.522151	1.375630

DBESF

E_e = -3296.11326837 (Hartrees)

0 1

6	-0.746818	-0.922727	0.453062
1	-0.652337	-0.694092	1.510484
1	-0.598496	-1.984803	0.278282
16	1.902720	-0.775707	-0.15454
8	1.844168	-2.181664	-0.322058
8	2.858135	0.024705	-0.816396
6	0.242623	-0.122752	-0.371136
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9	2.069168	-0.522151	1.375630

Ph-CNO

E_e = -397.355596546 (Hartrees)

0 1

6	-1.471362	0.000324	-0.000241
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1	2.581063	-2.141118	0.000102
1	3.818911	-0.000500	0.000251

TS1 - 3,5-isoxazole formation

E_e = -3693.39889214 (Hartrees)

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35	-2.027649	-1.800712	-0.247203
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6	-0.039193	0.108124	-0.978831
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TS1 – 3,4-isoxazole formation

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Intermediate - 3,5-isoxazole formation			
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Int1 – 3,4-isoxazole formation

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8	1.506154	1.233167	2.032109
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Product – 3,4-isoxazole

$E_e = -1120.53827903$ (Hartrees)

0 1

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Product – 3,5-isoxazole

$E_e = -1120.53131731$ (Hartrees)

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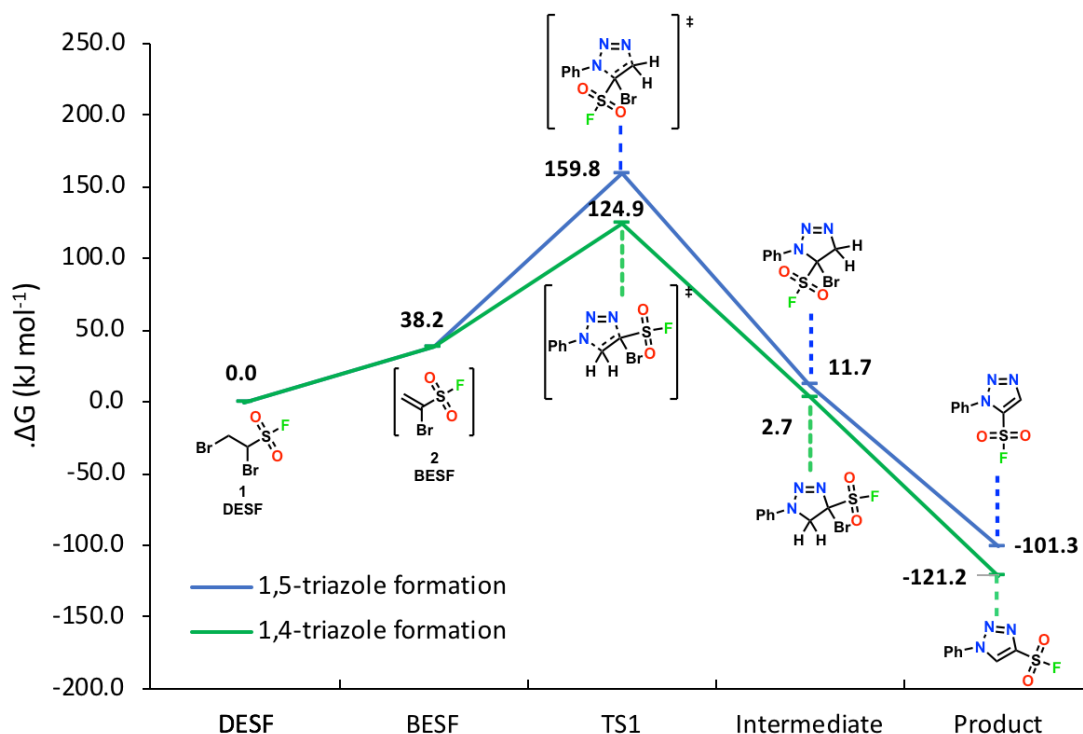


Figure S-3 Calculated free energy profile (ΔG , kJ mol^{-1}) of 1,4- and 1,5-triazole formation reactions at the MP2/def2-TZVPP(SMD,THF)//M06-2X/def2-TZVP level of theory.

Ph-N₃

$E_e = -393.538879144$ (Hartrees)

0 1

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TS1 – 1,5-triazole

$E_e = -3689.53345805$ (Hartrees)

0 1

16	1.090523	1.394180	0.84128
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8	0.316040	1.426965	2.07156
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TS1 – 1,4-triazole

$E_e = -3689.58601579$ (Hartrees)

0 1

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7	0.000010882	-0.000007371	0.000007370
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Intermediate – 1,4-triazole

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1	0.247033	-1.163464	-1.147054
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Intermediate – 1,5-triazole

$E_e = -3689.66879331$ (Hartrees)

0 1

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6	4.048727	0.601080	0.199682
1	2.668932	2.242020	0.192331
6	4.206673	-0.776521	0.125870
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Product – 1,4-triazole

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0 1

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Product – 1,5-triazole

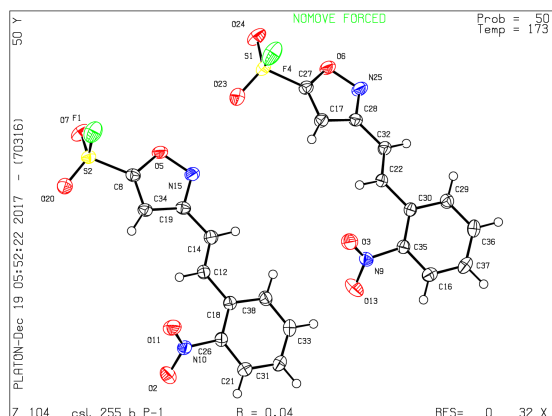
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Table S-4 X-ray data of structure 4t (CCDC 1839108)¹¹



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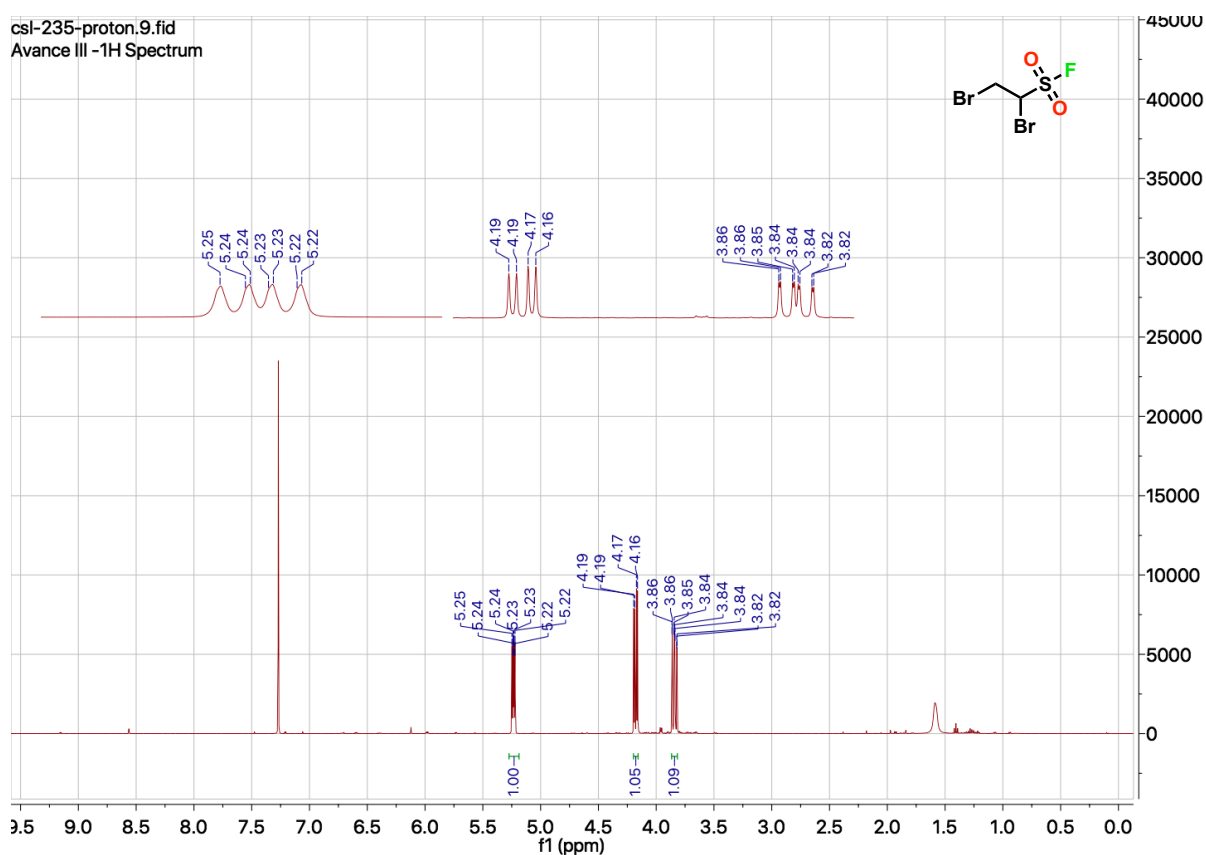
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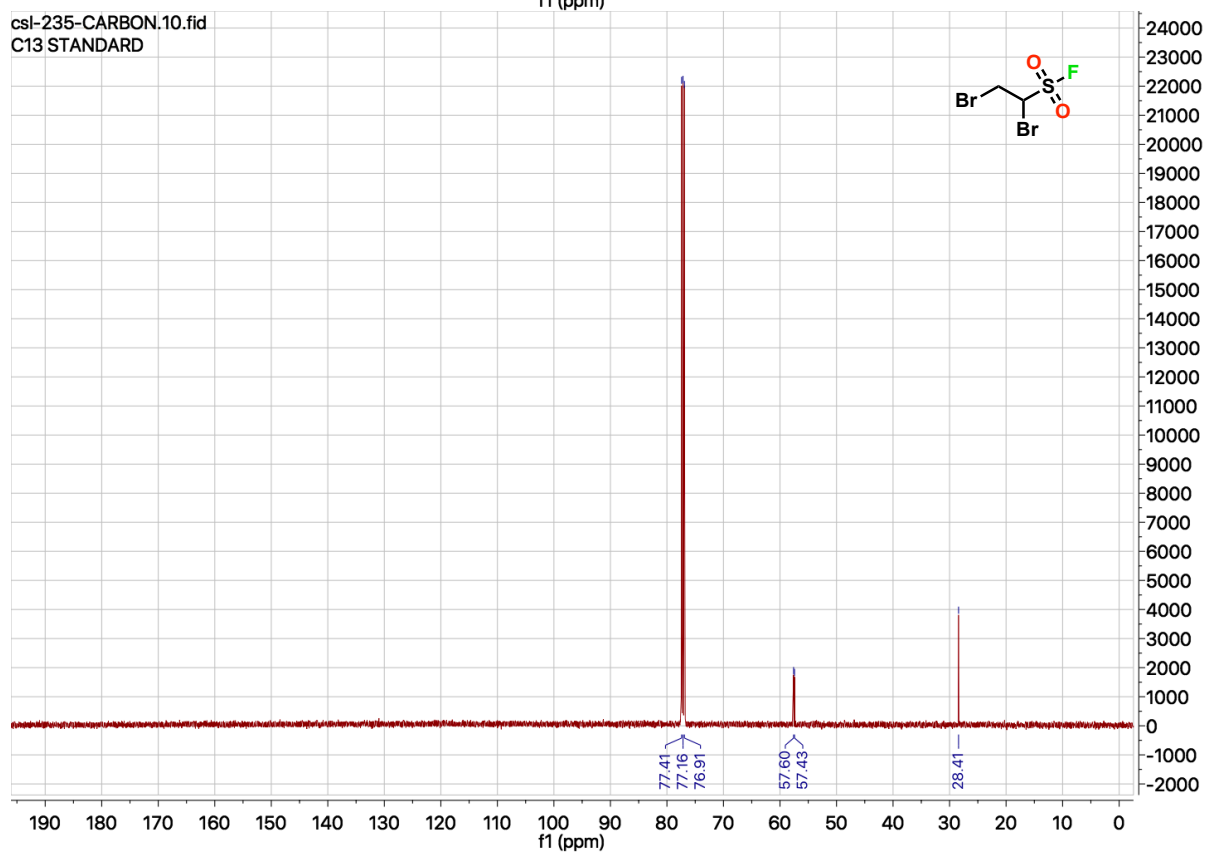
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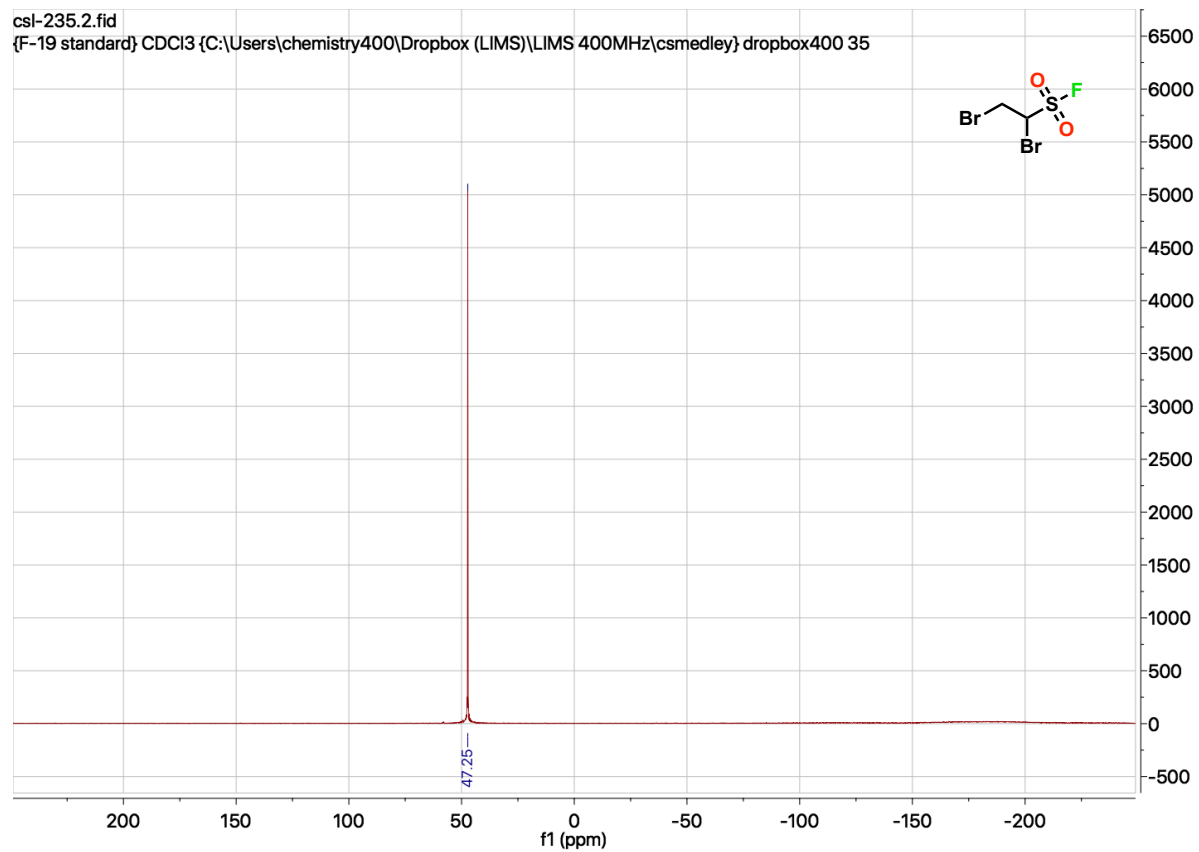


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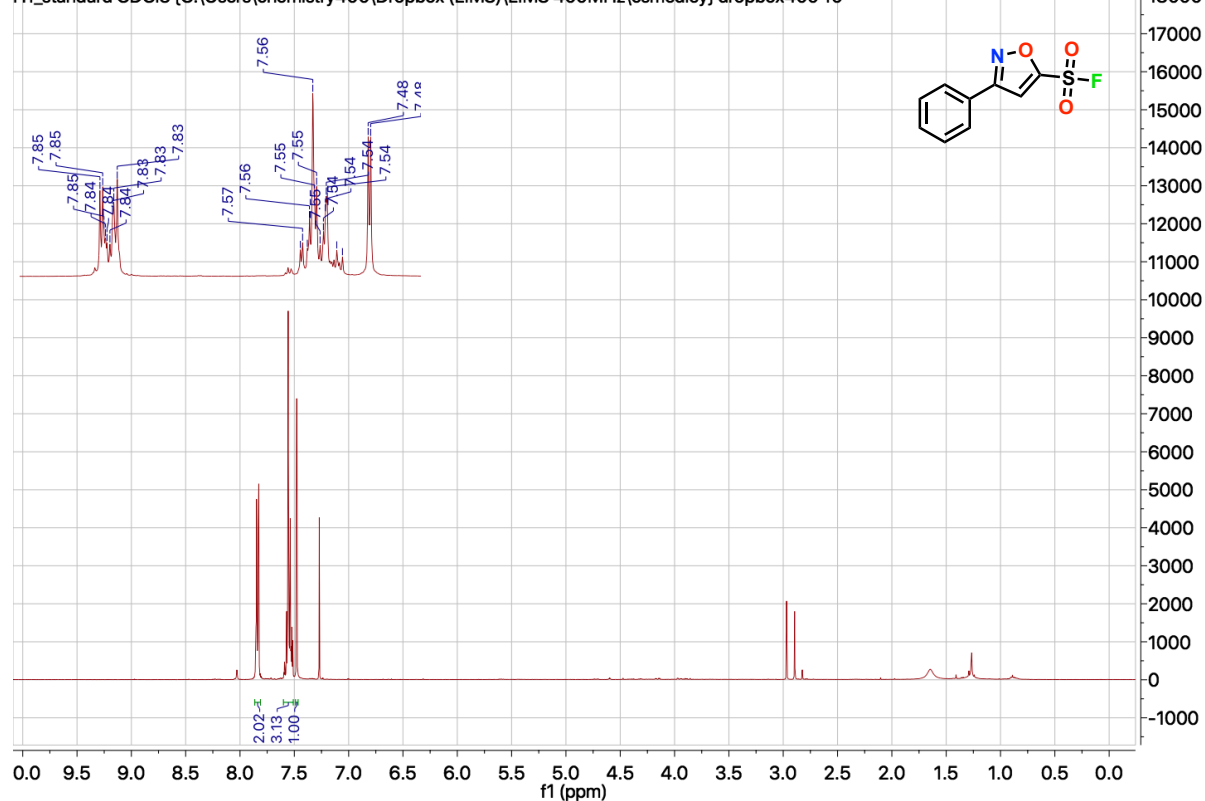
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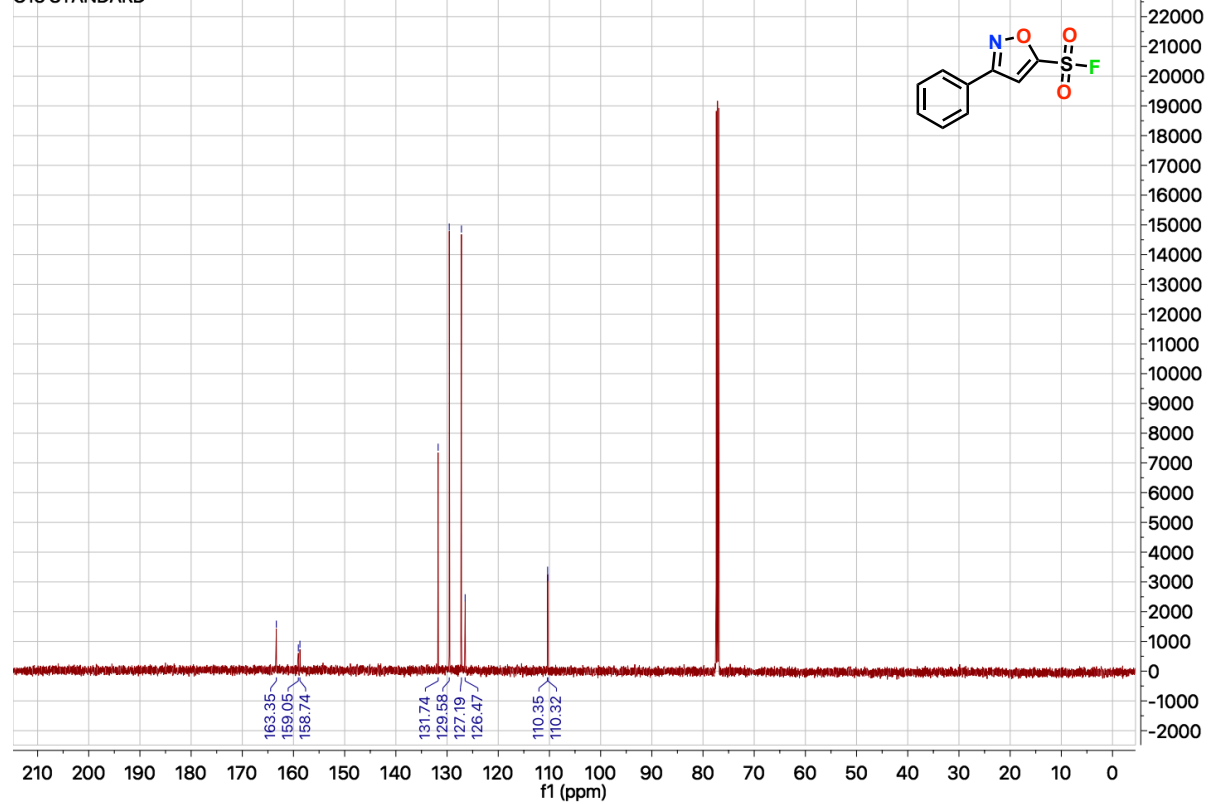
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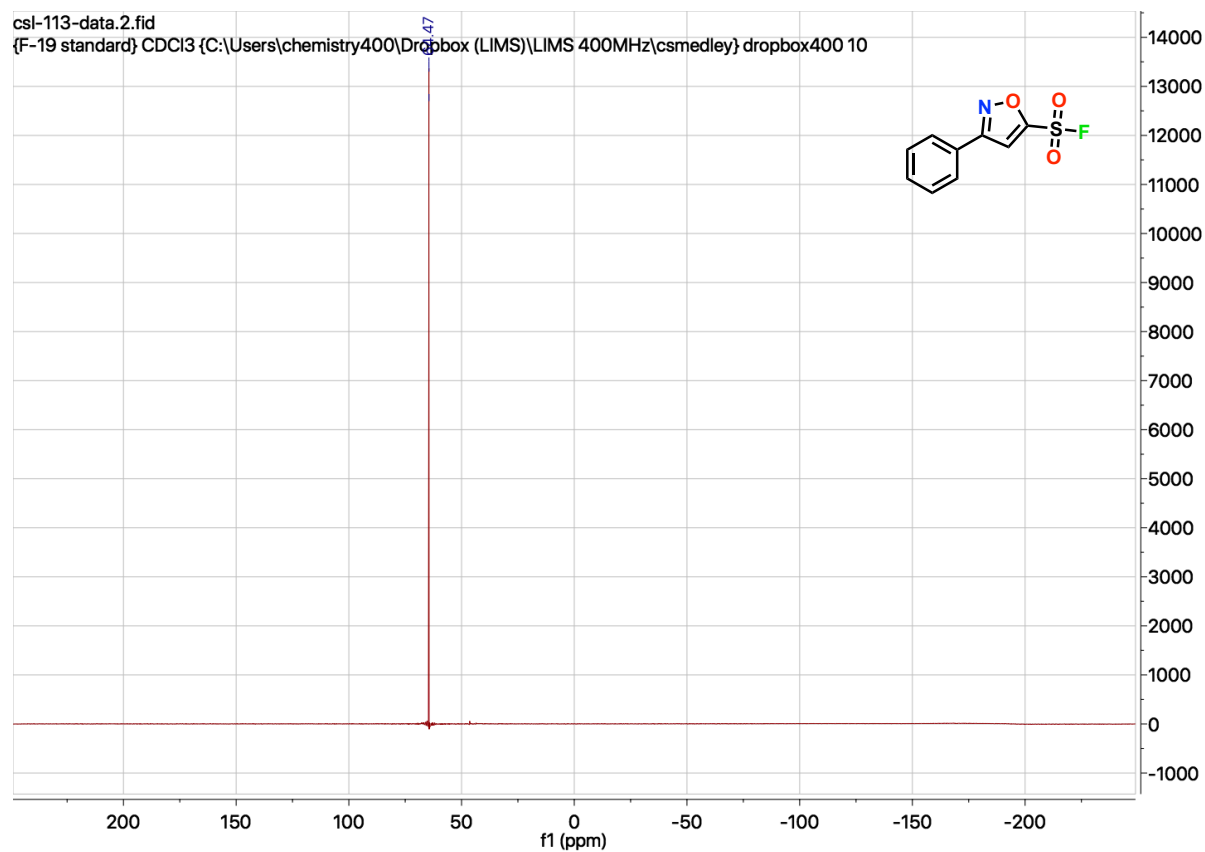
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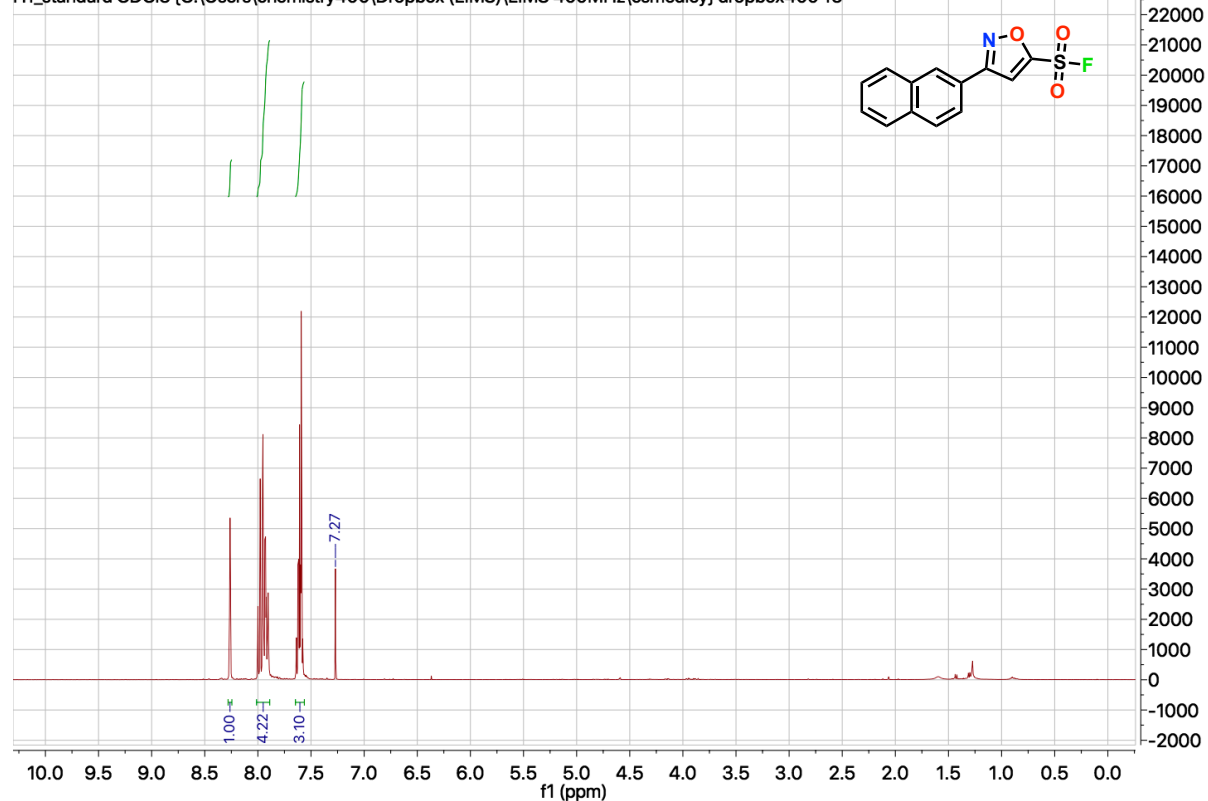
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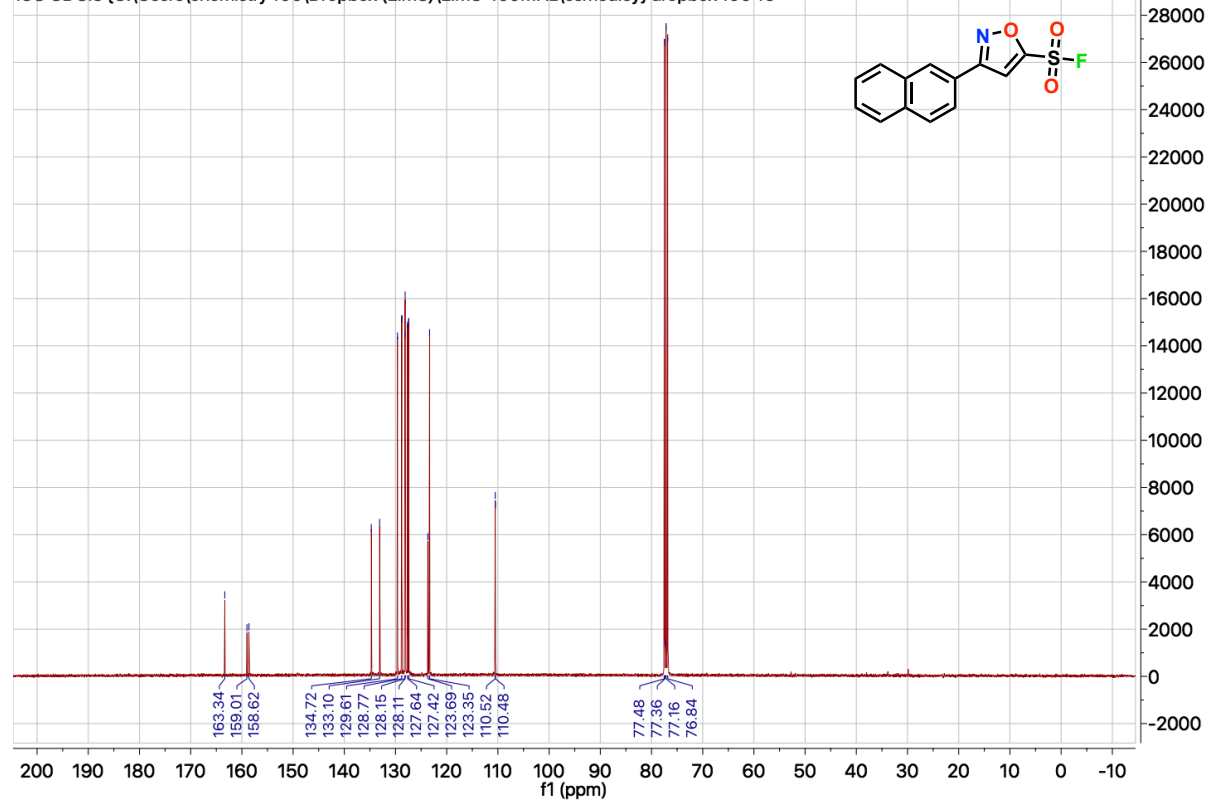
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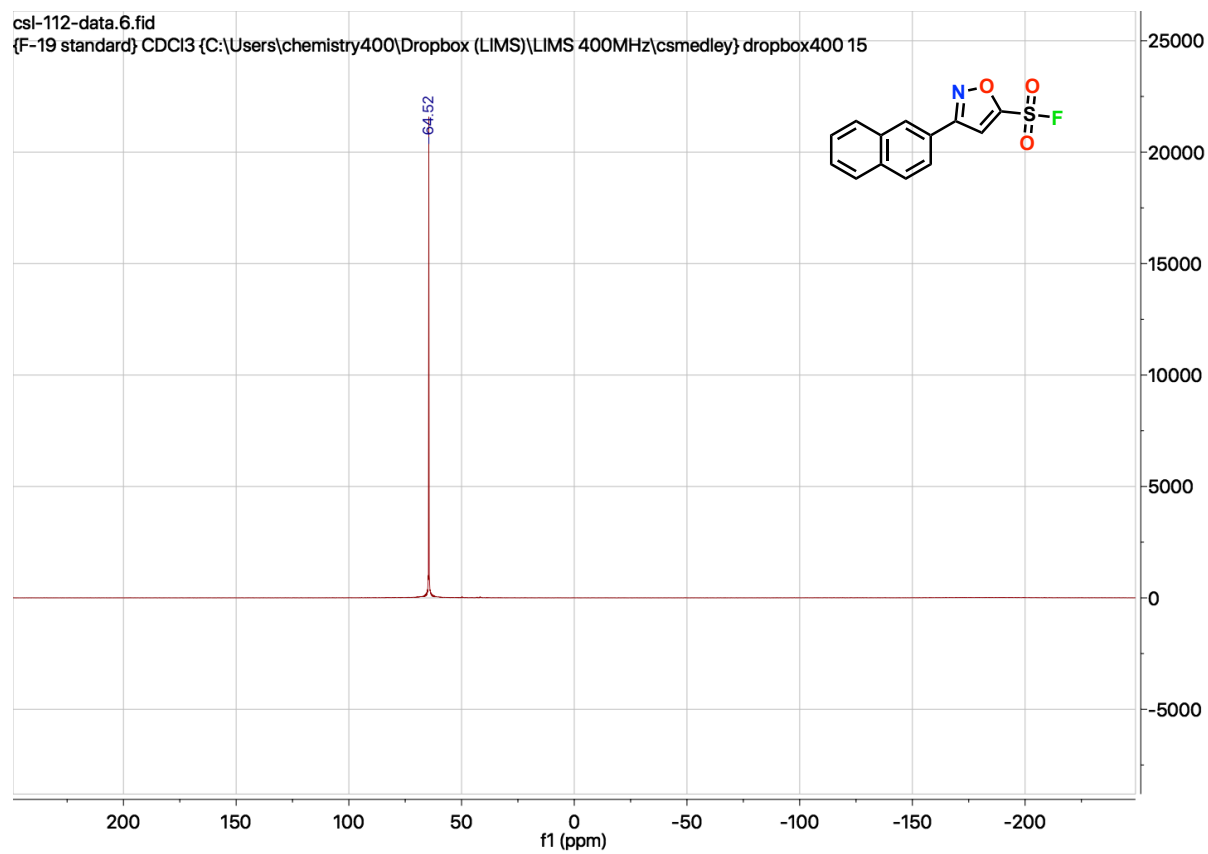
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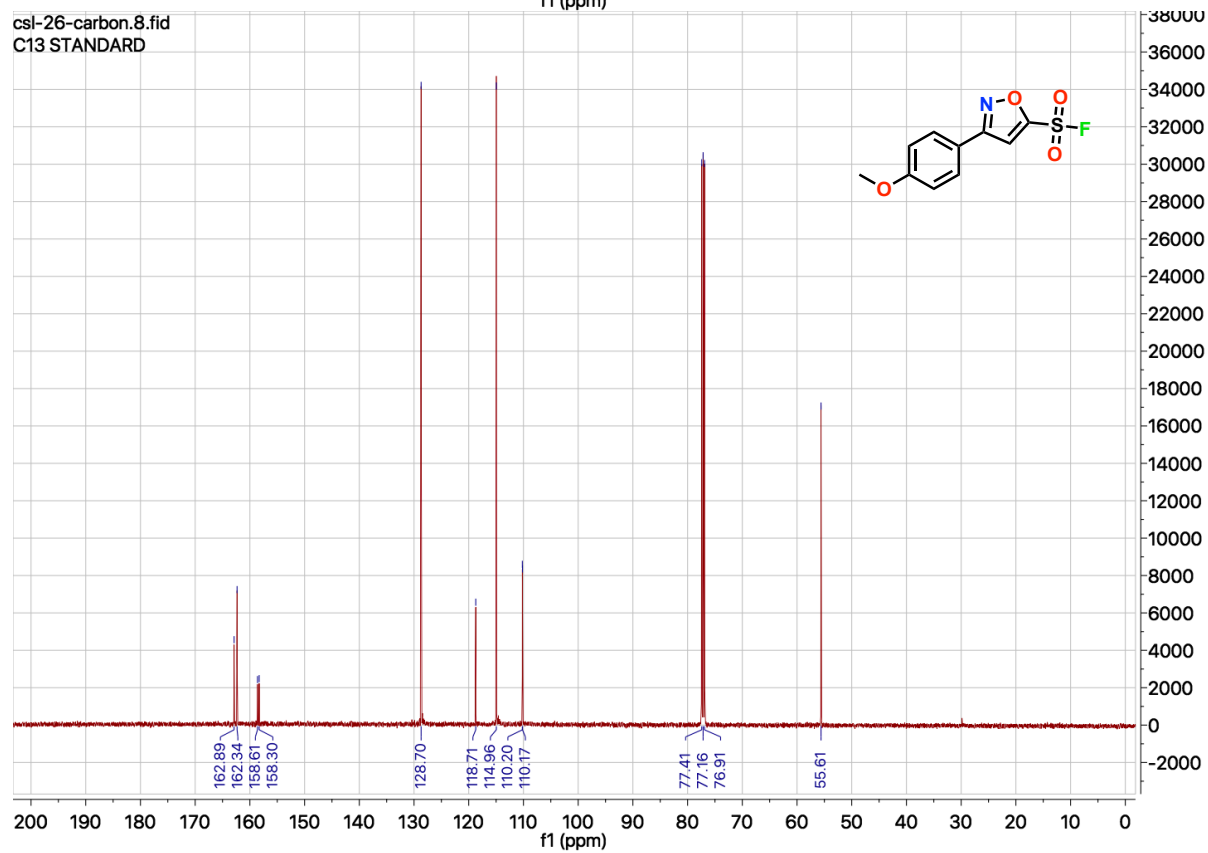
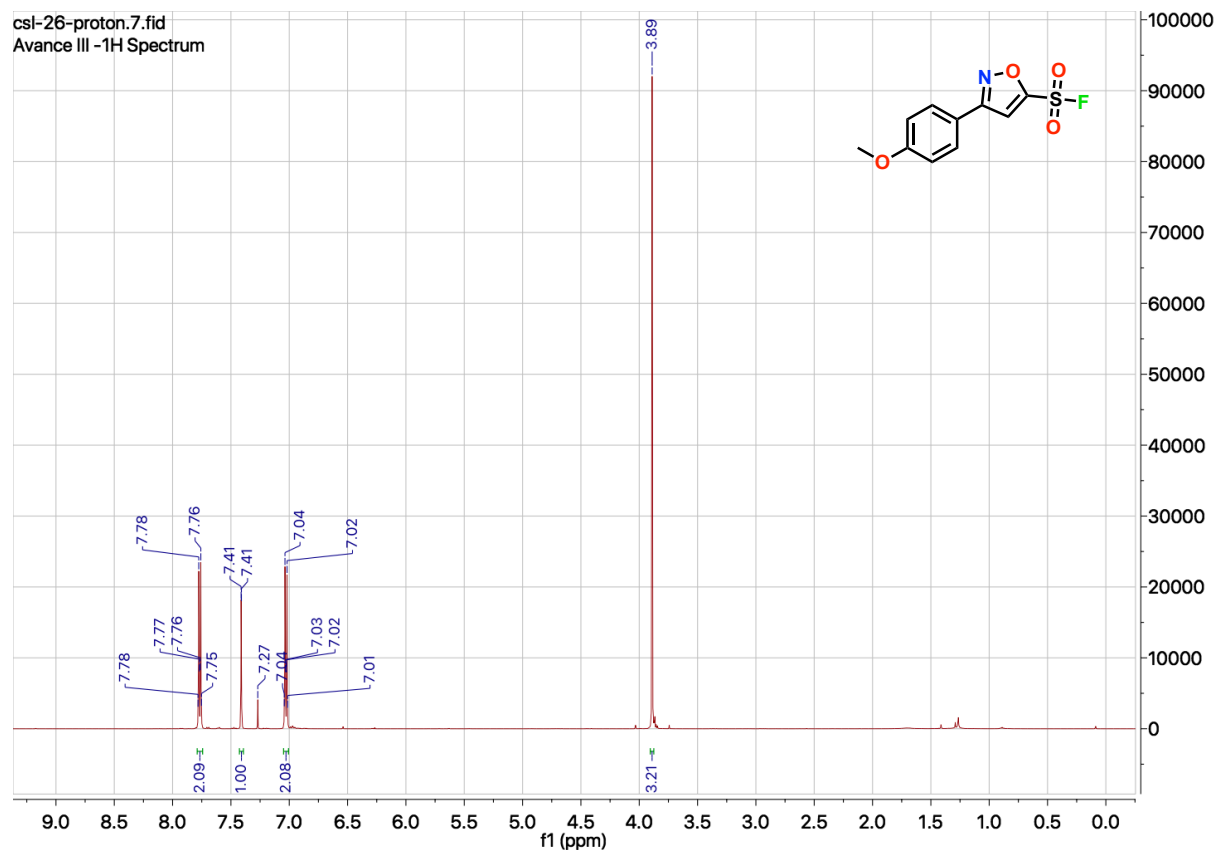
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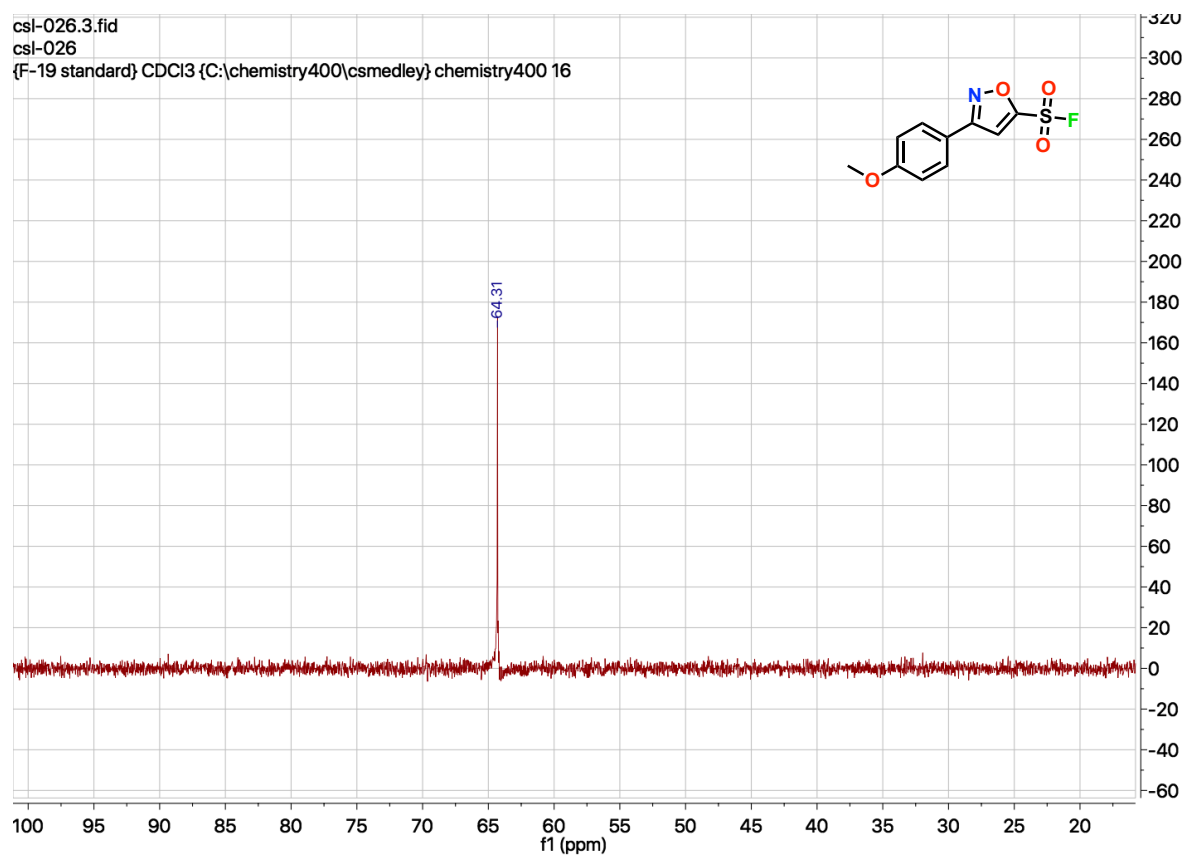


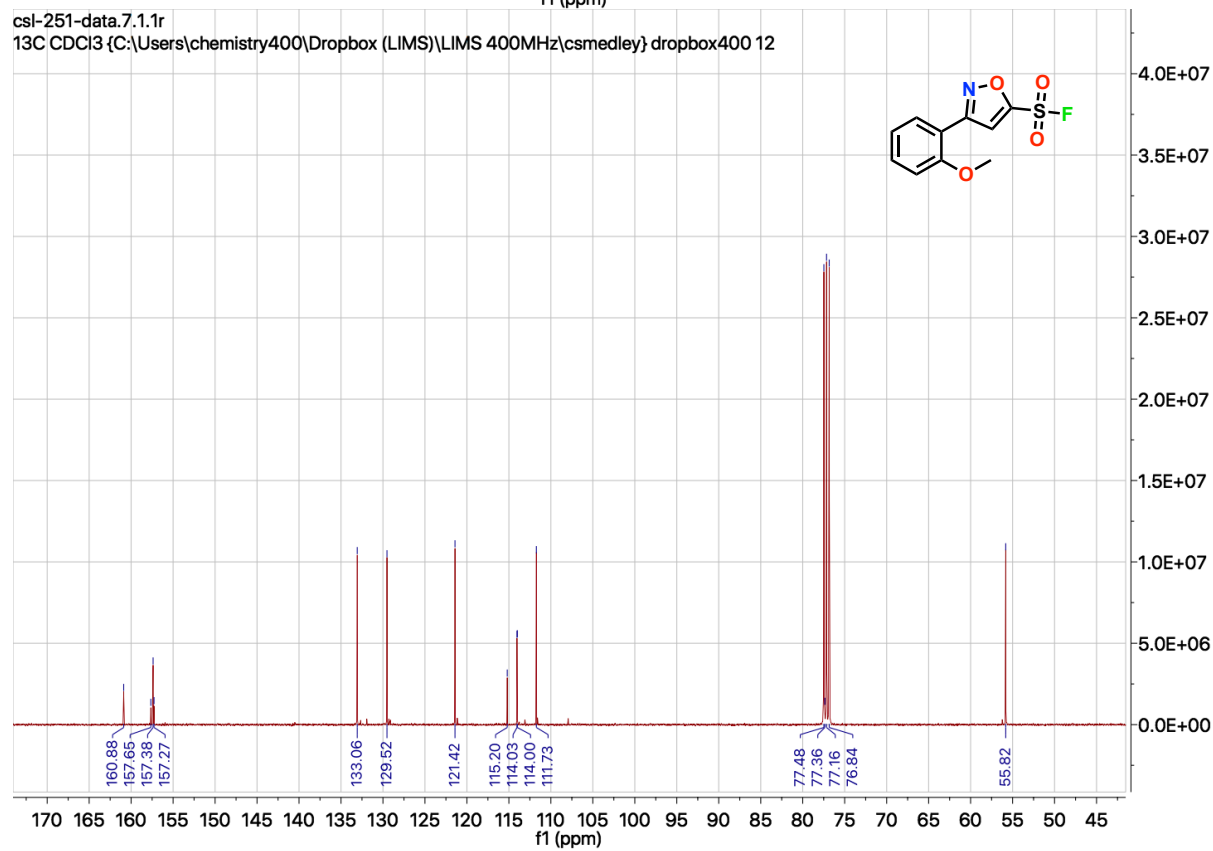
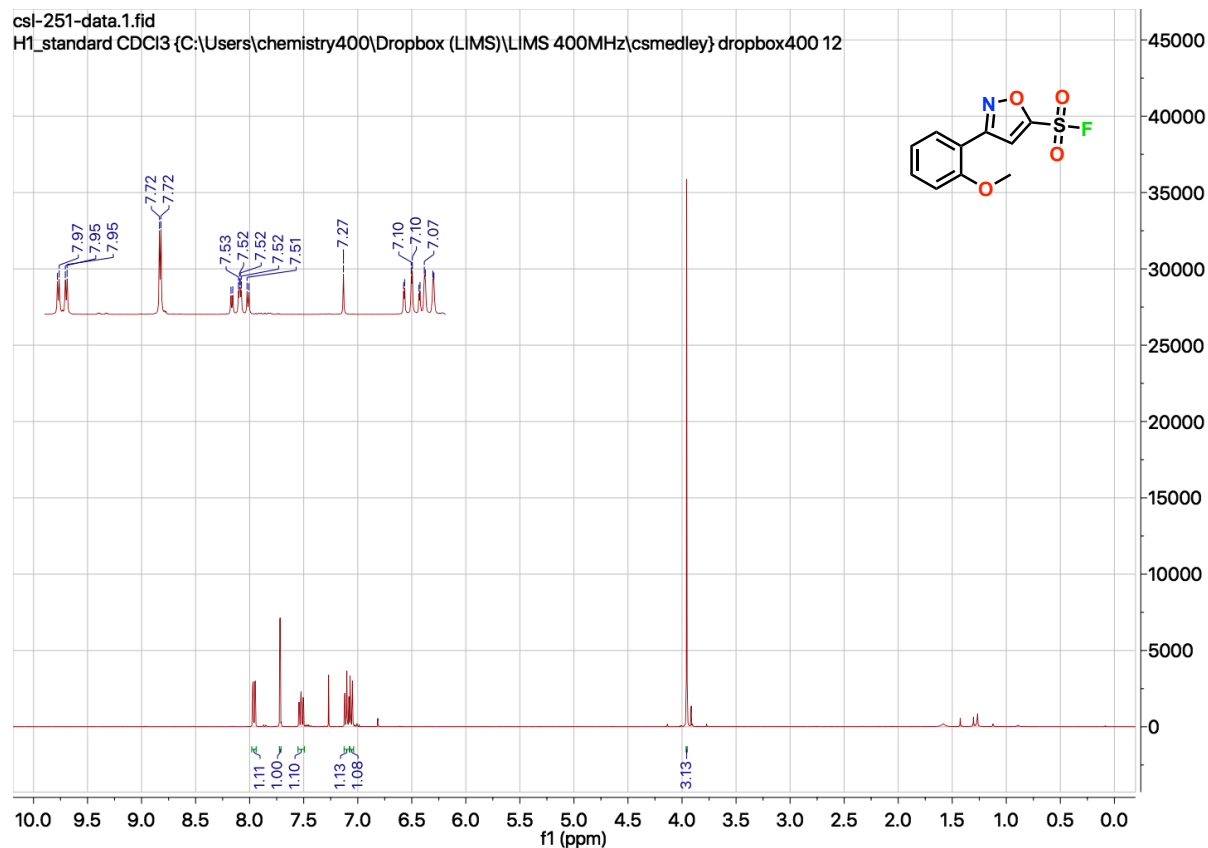


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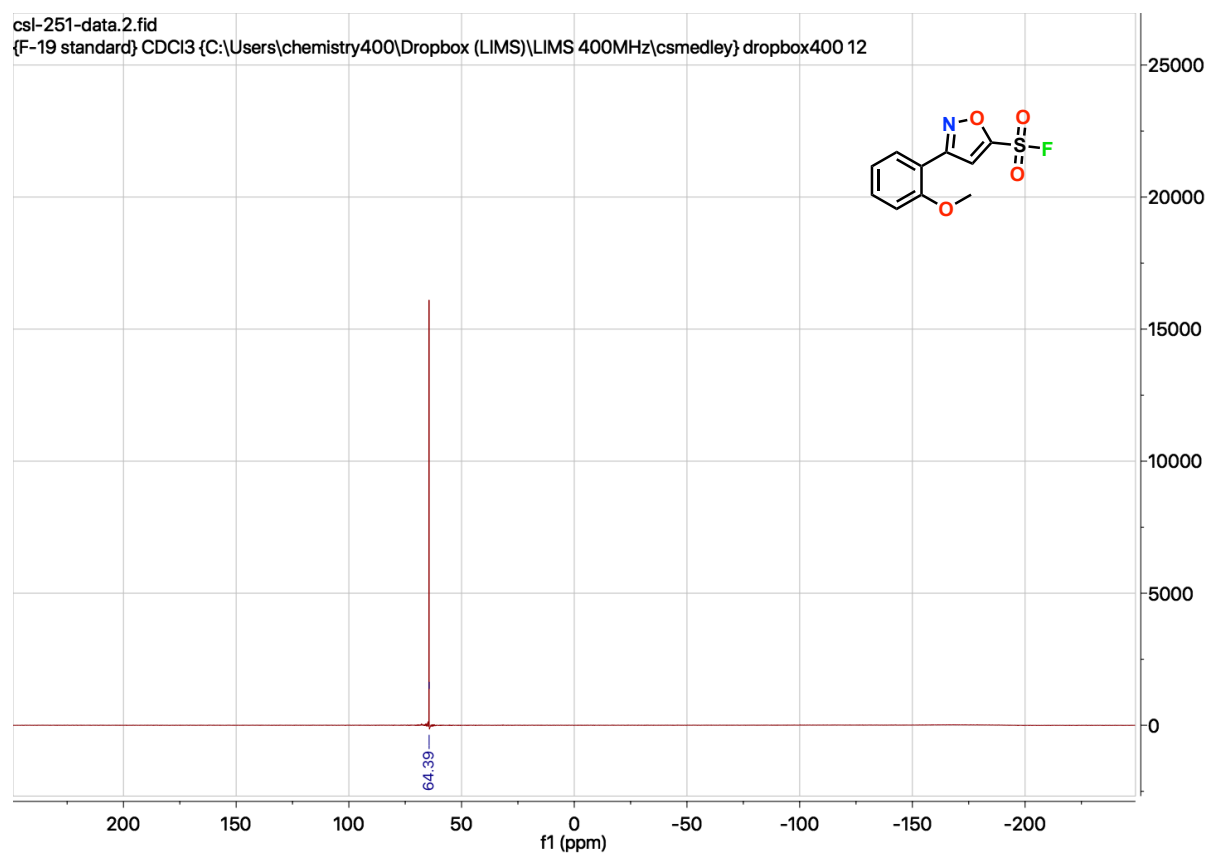
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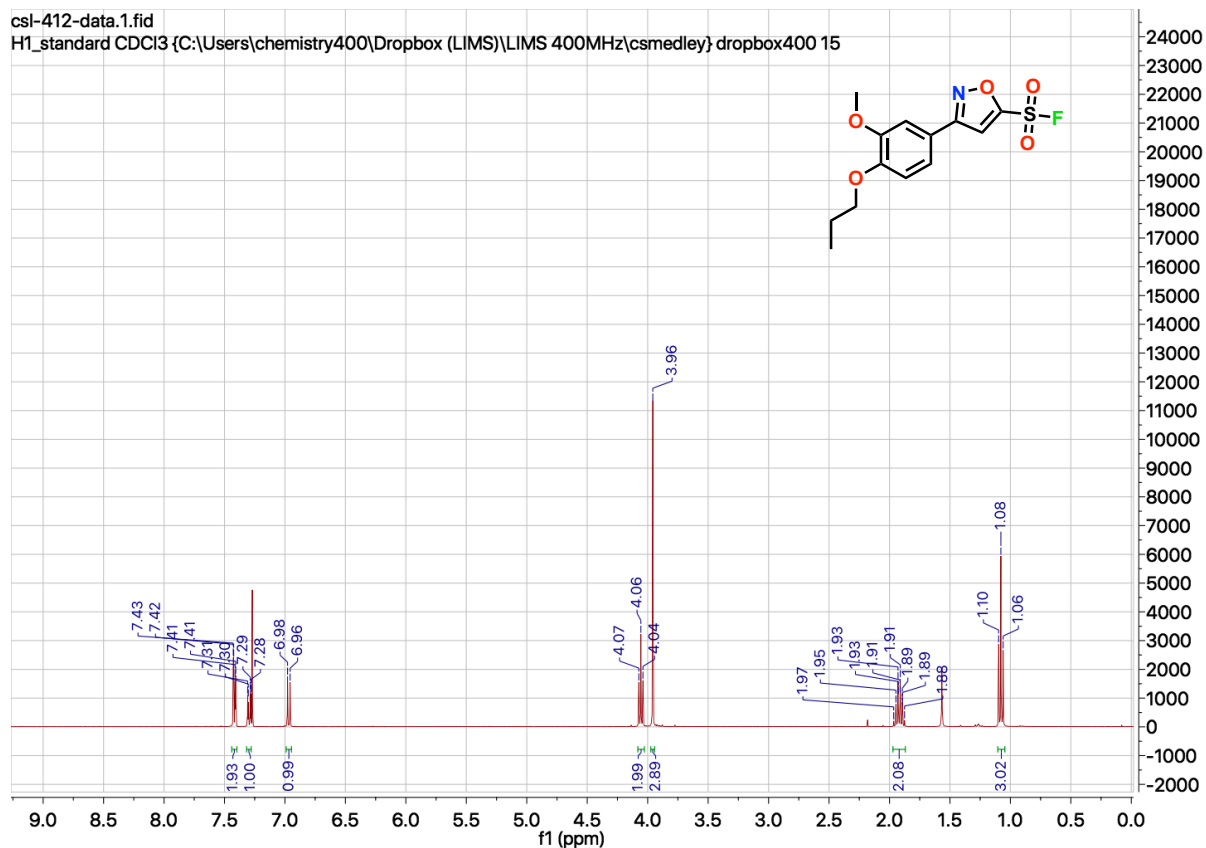


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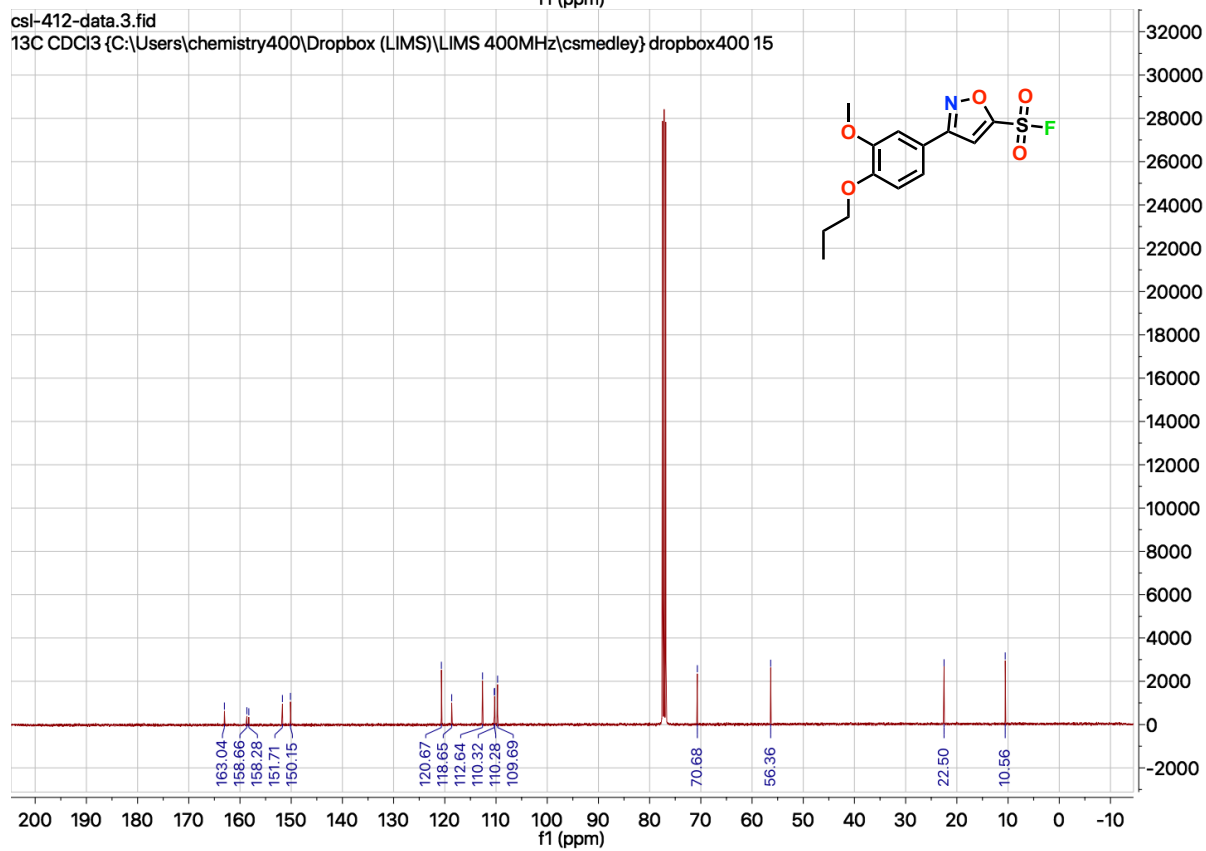
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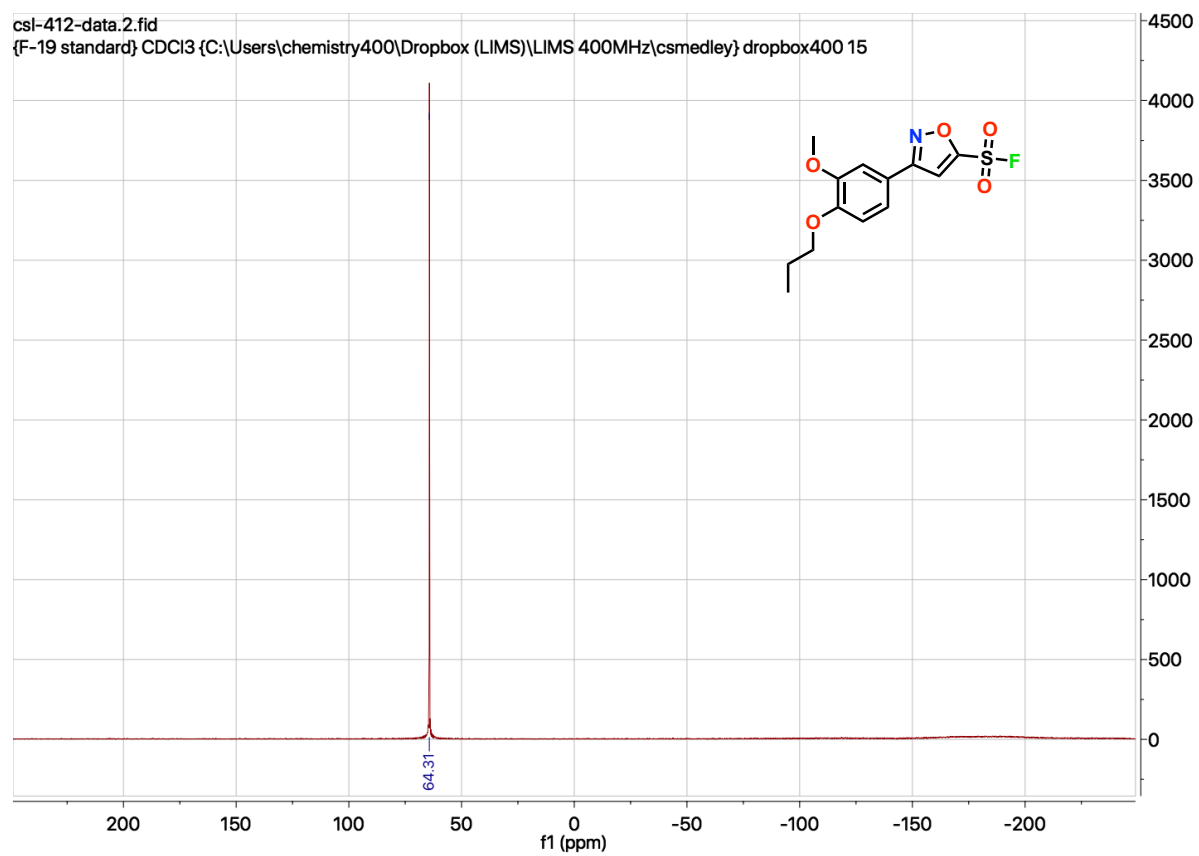


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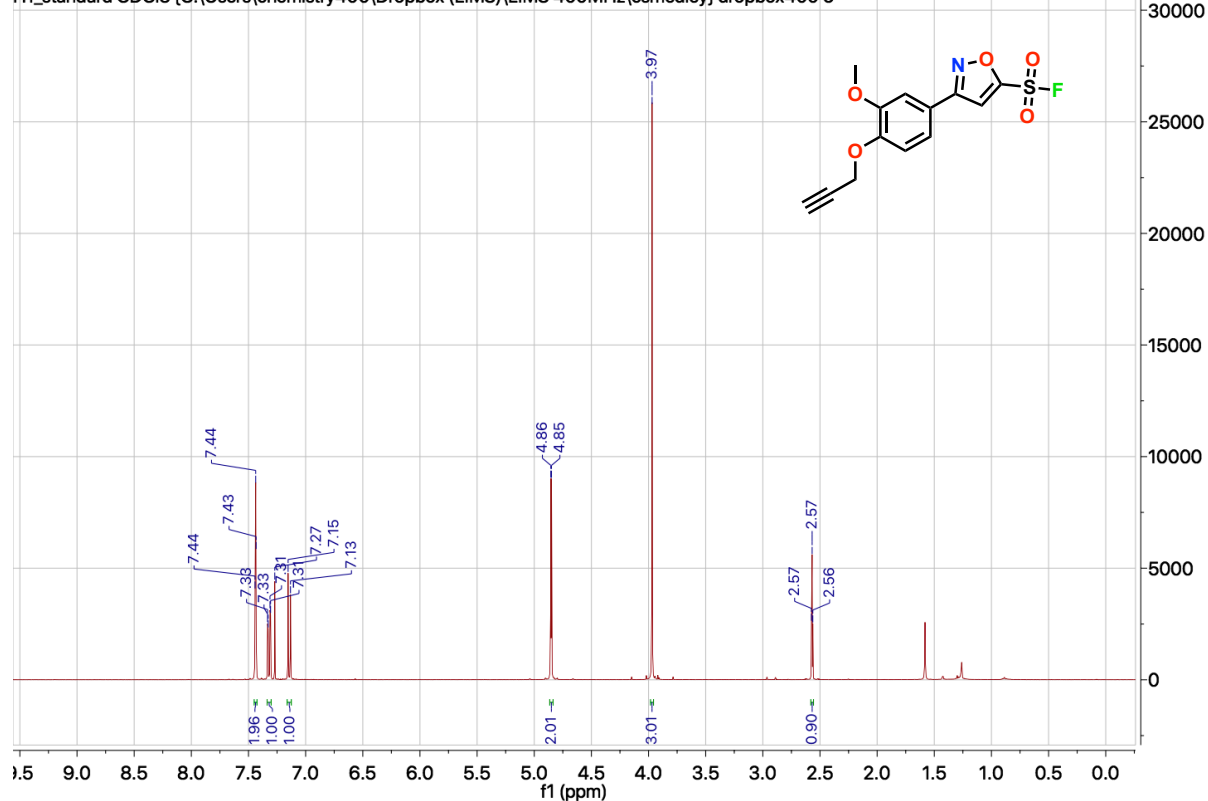
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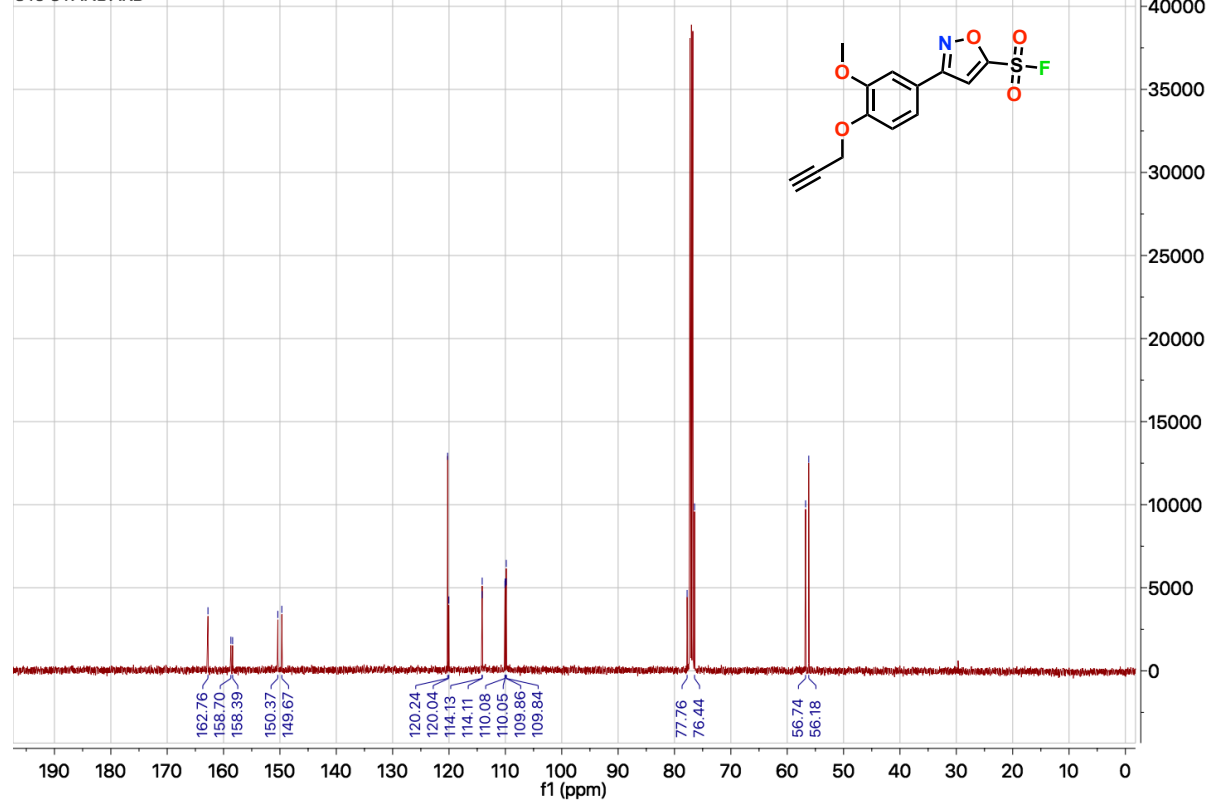
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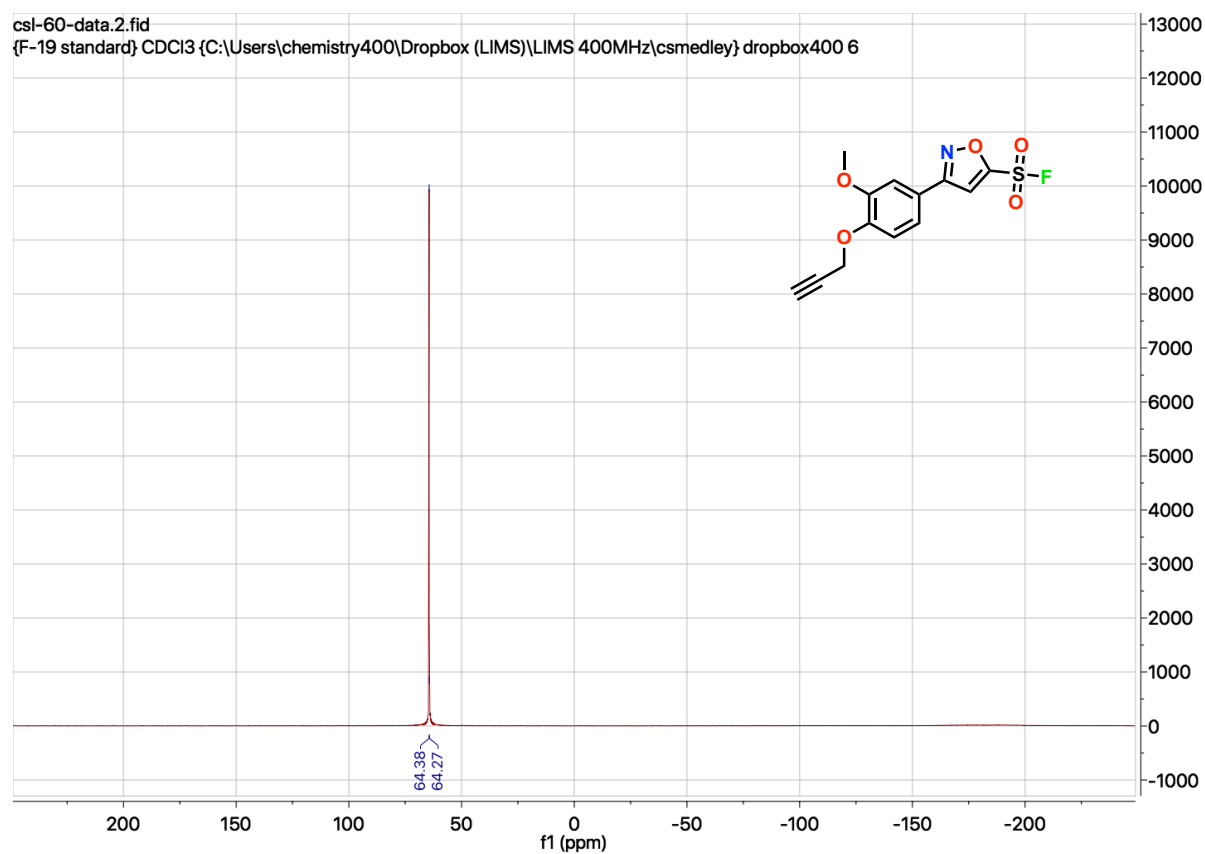
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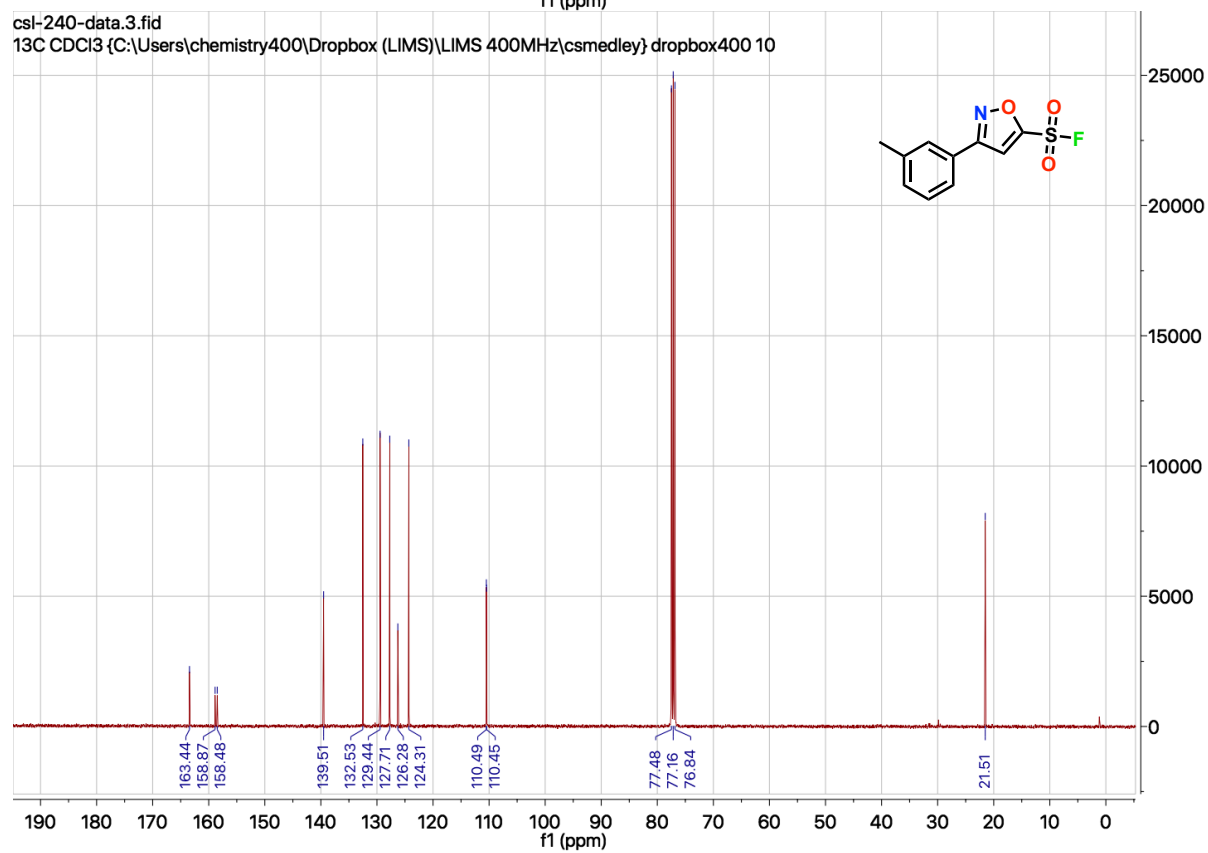
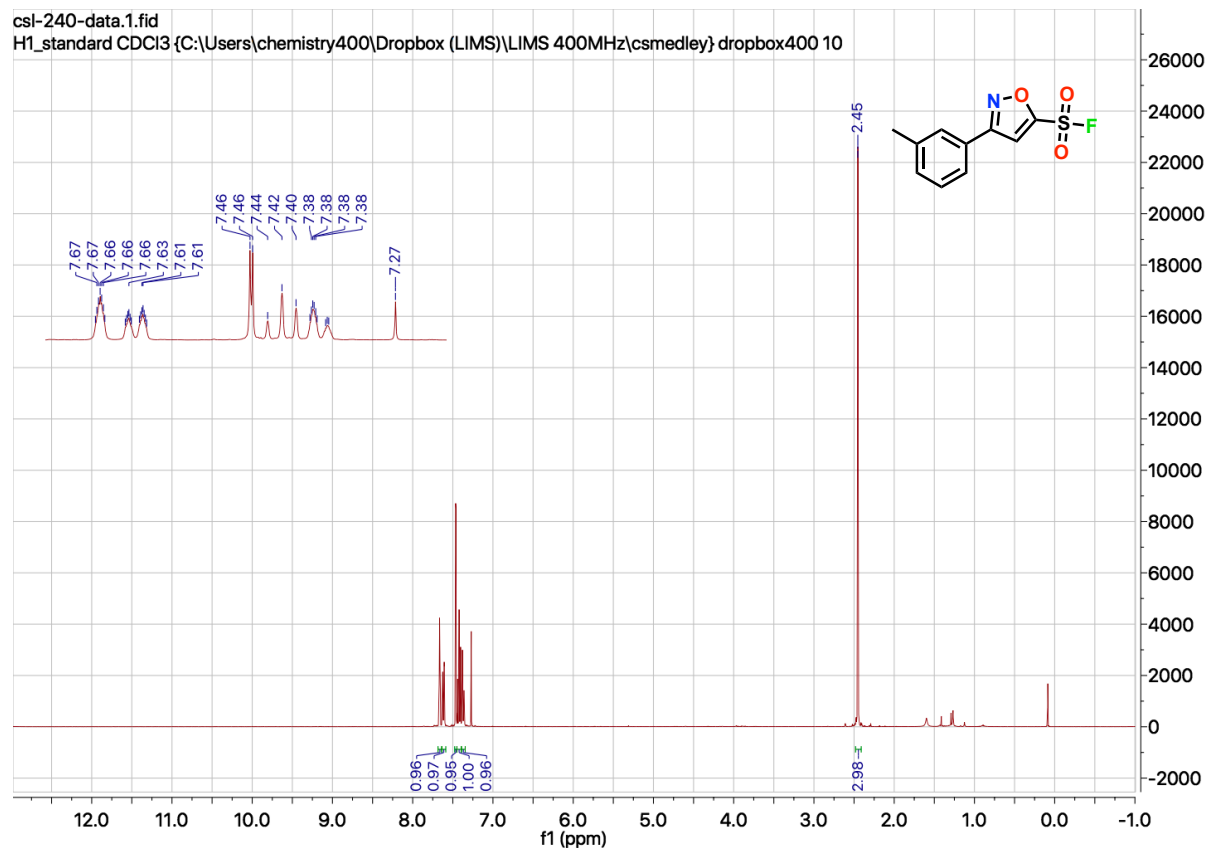
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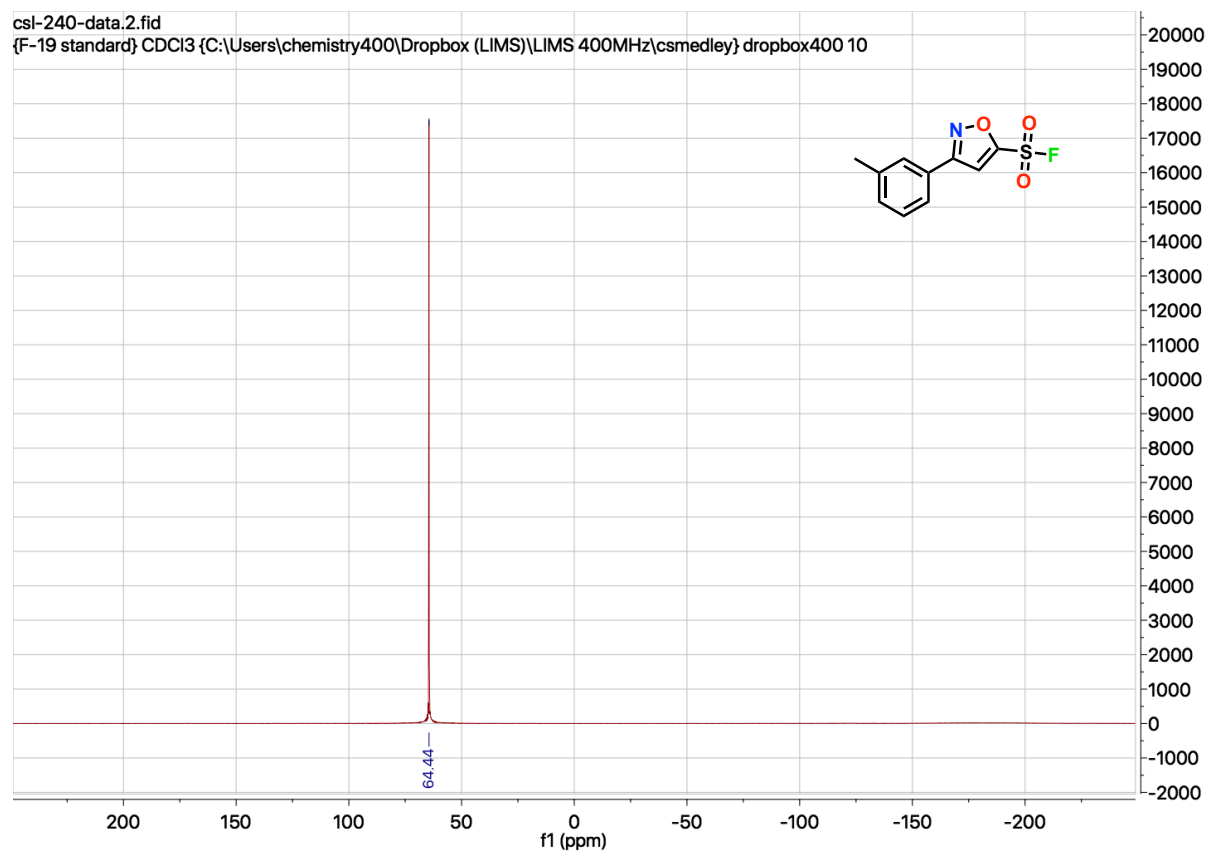
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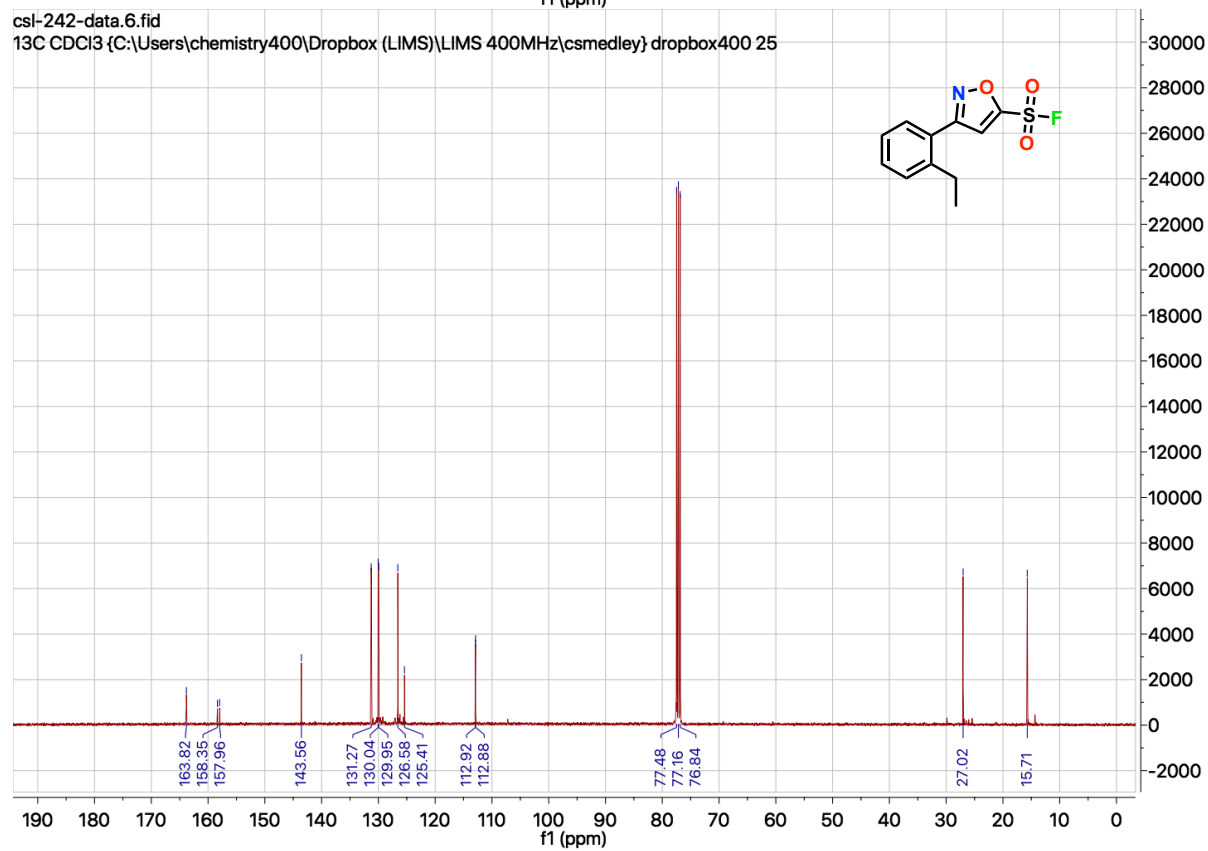
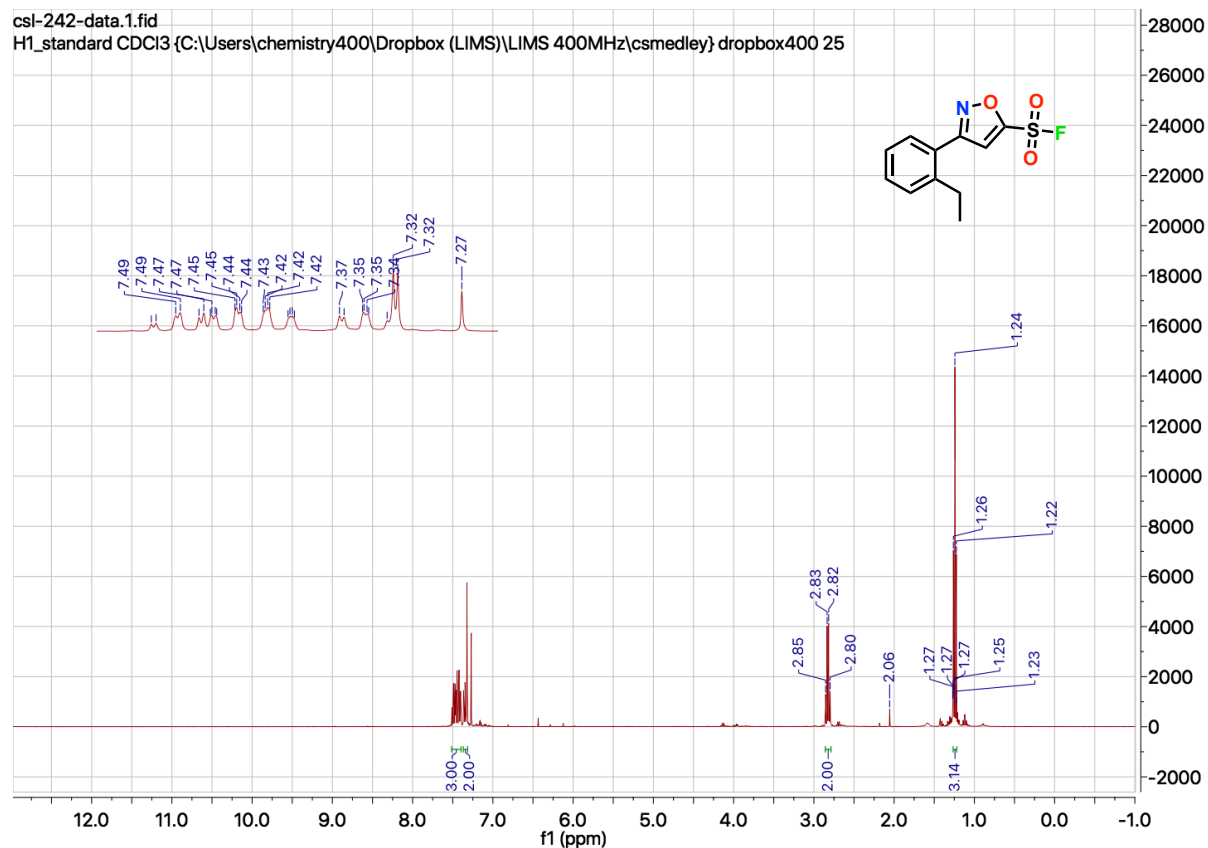




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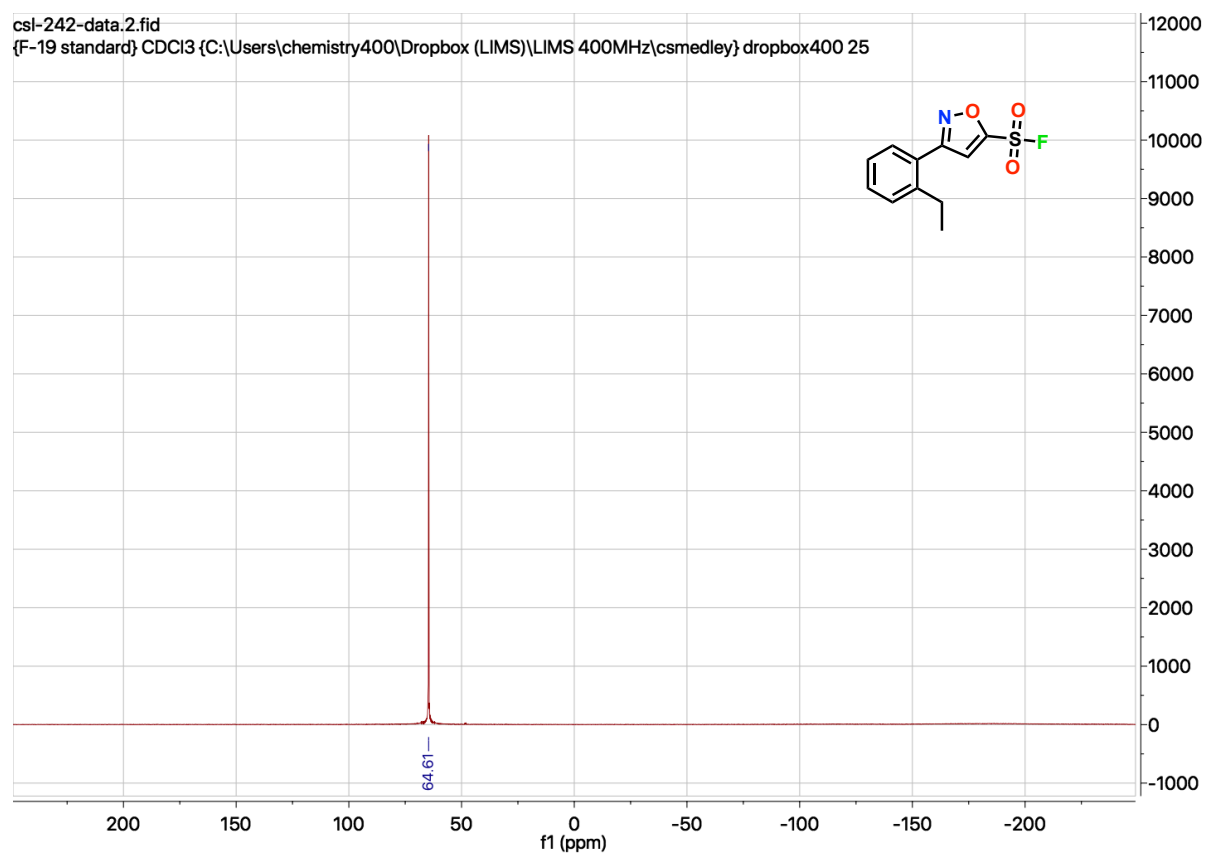
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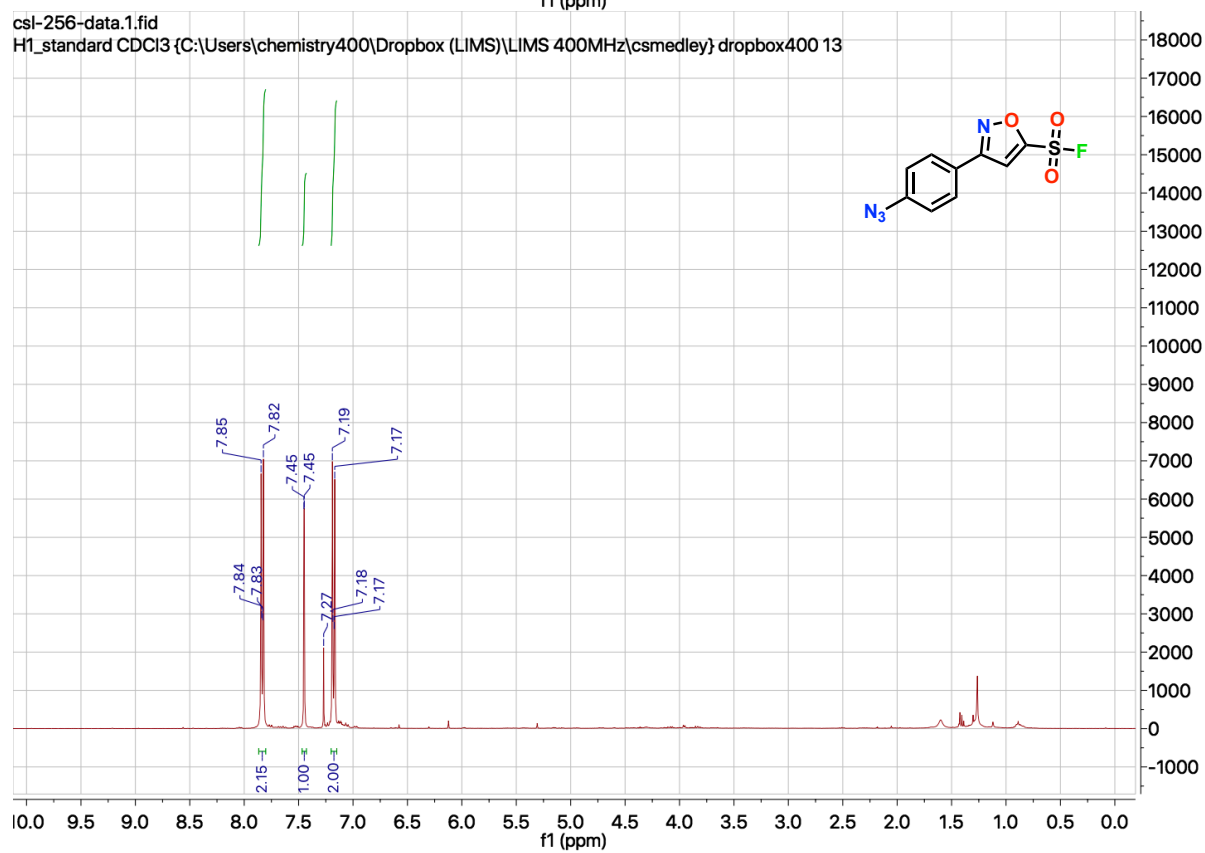
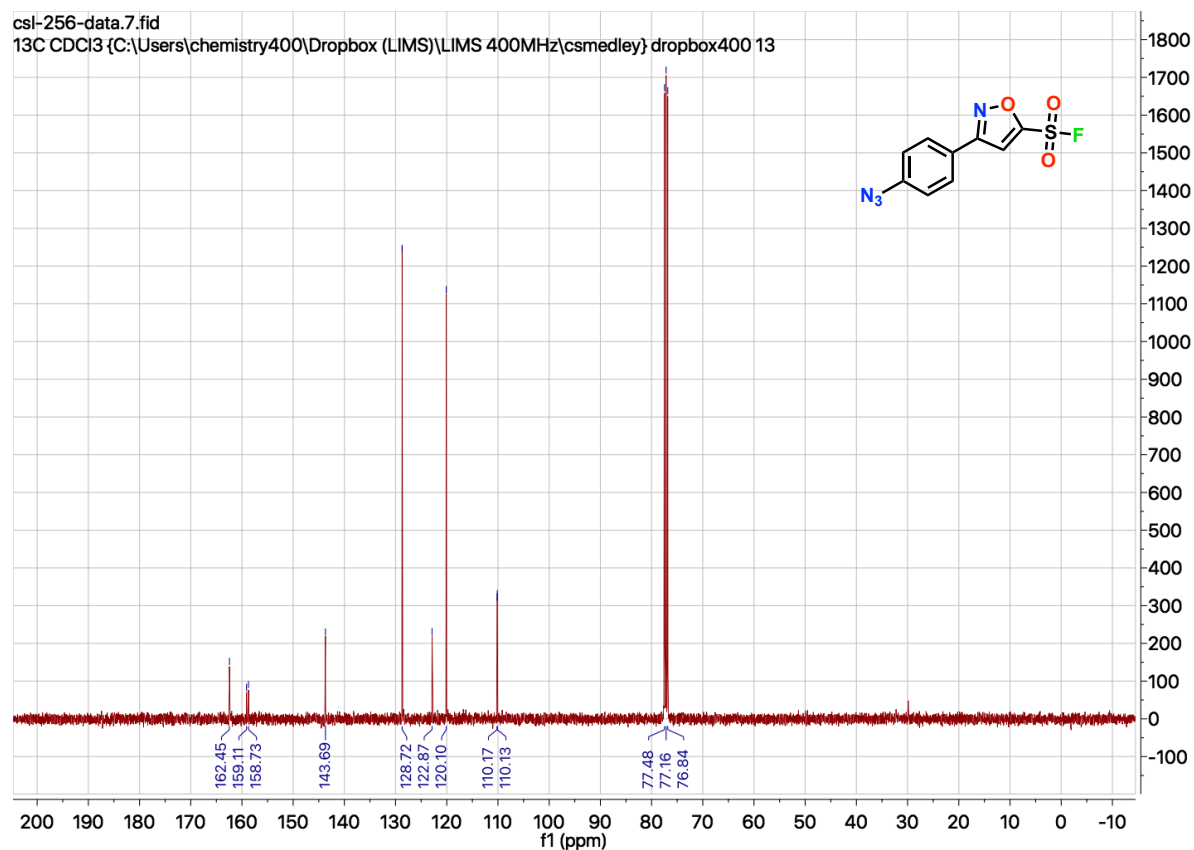




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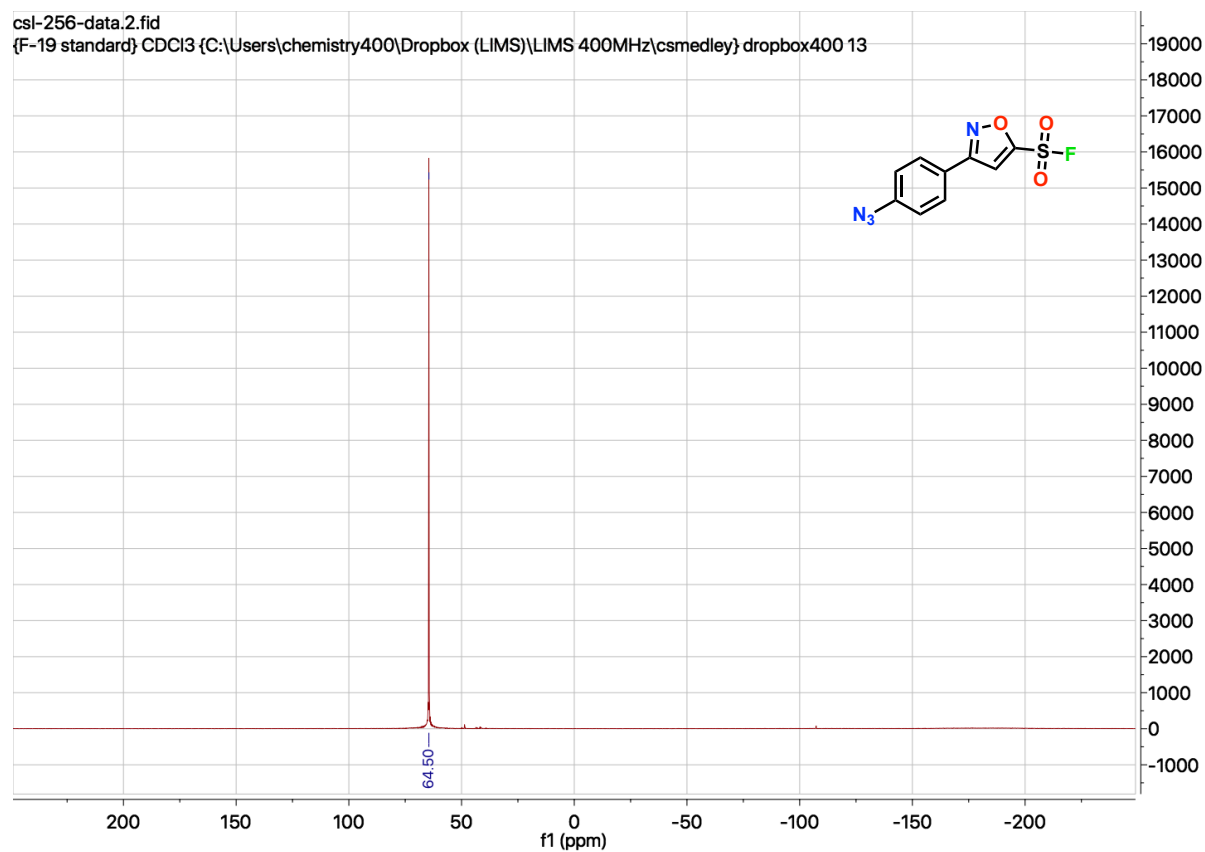
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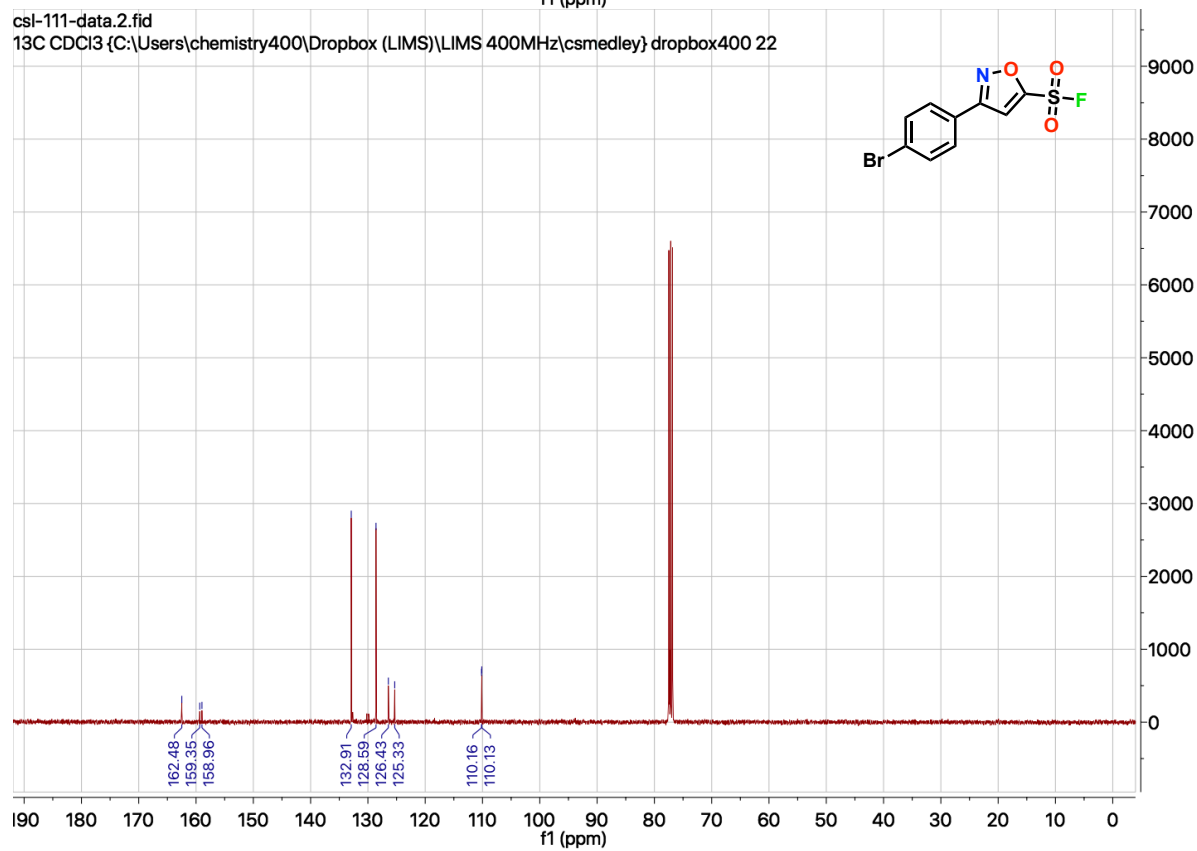
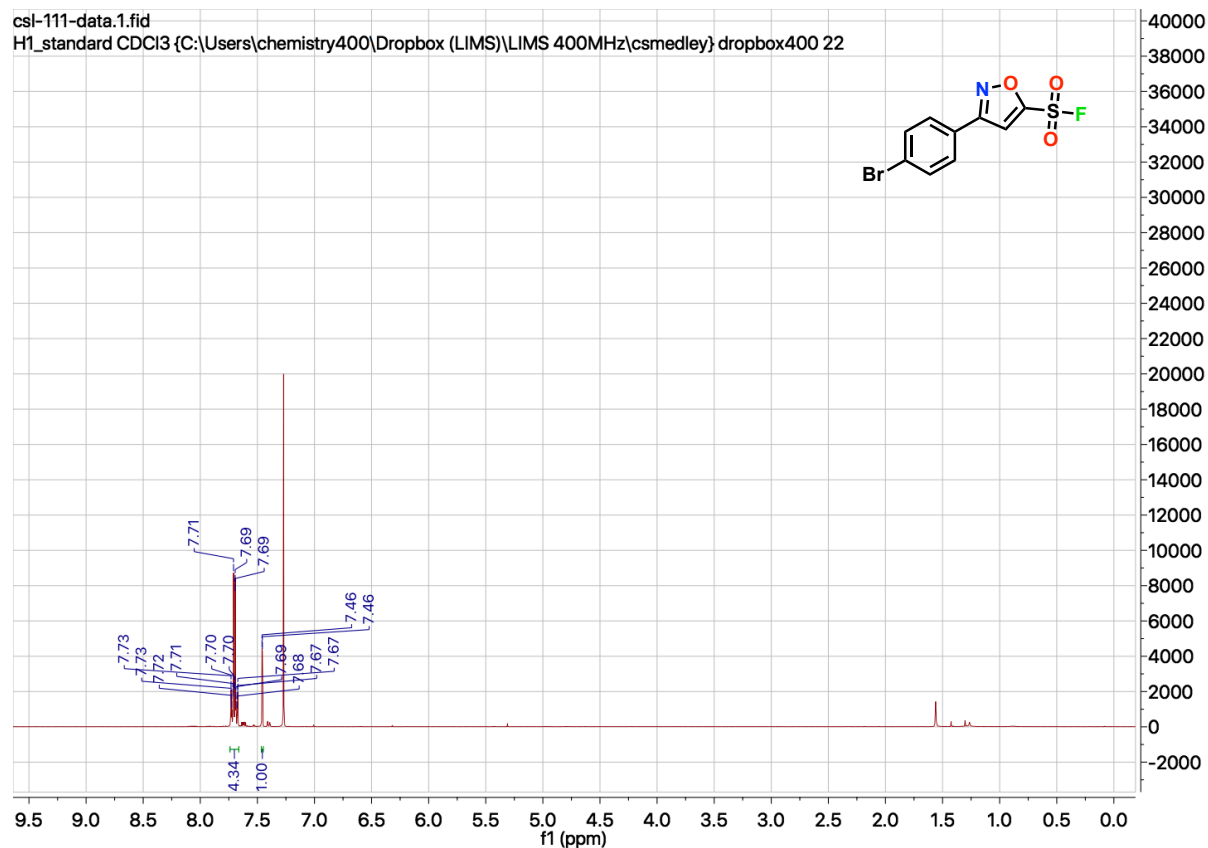




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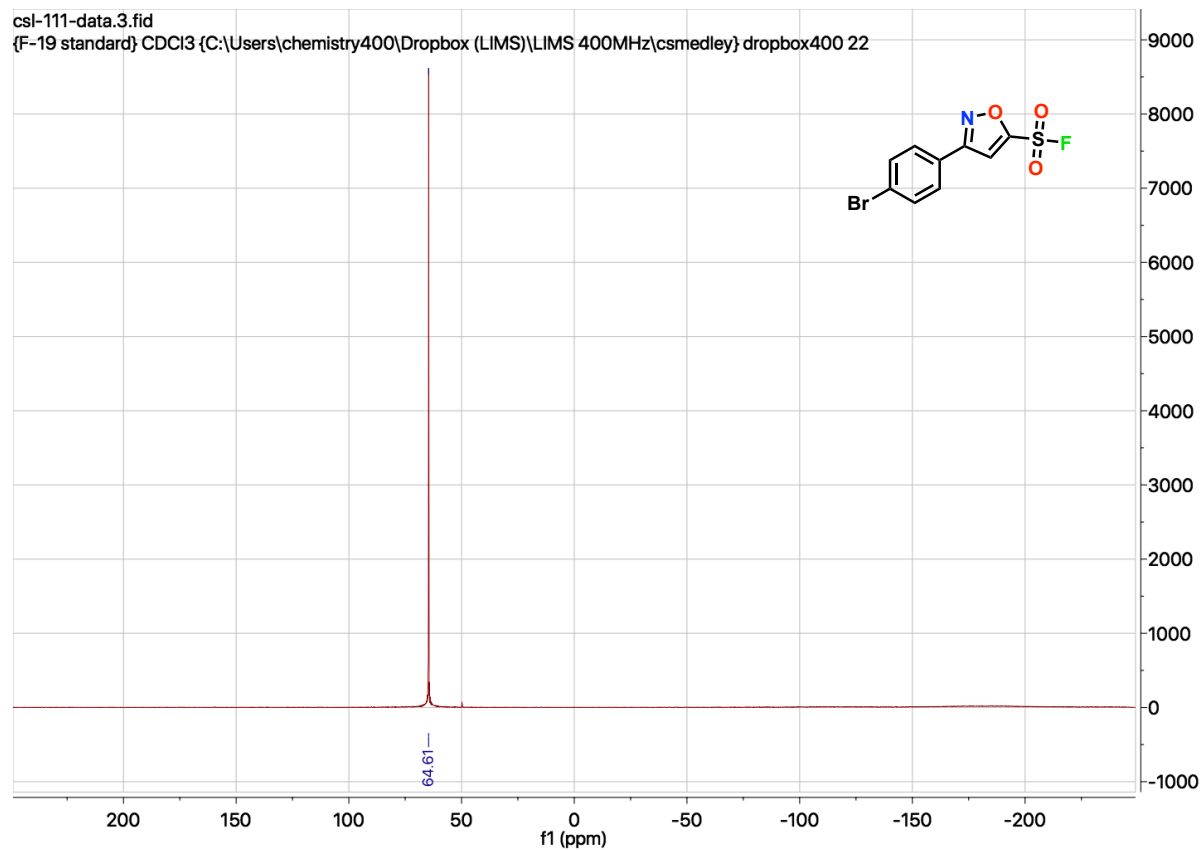
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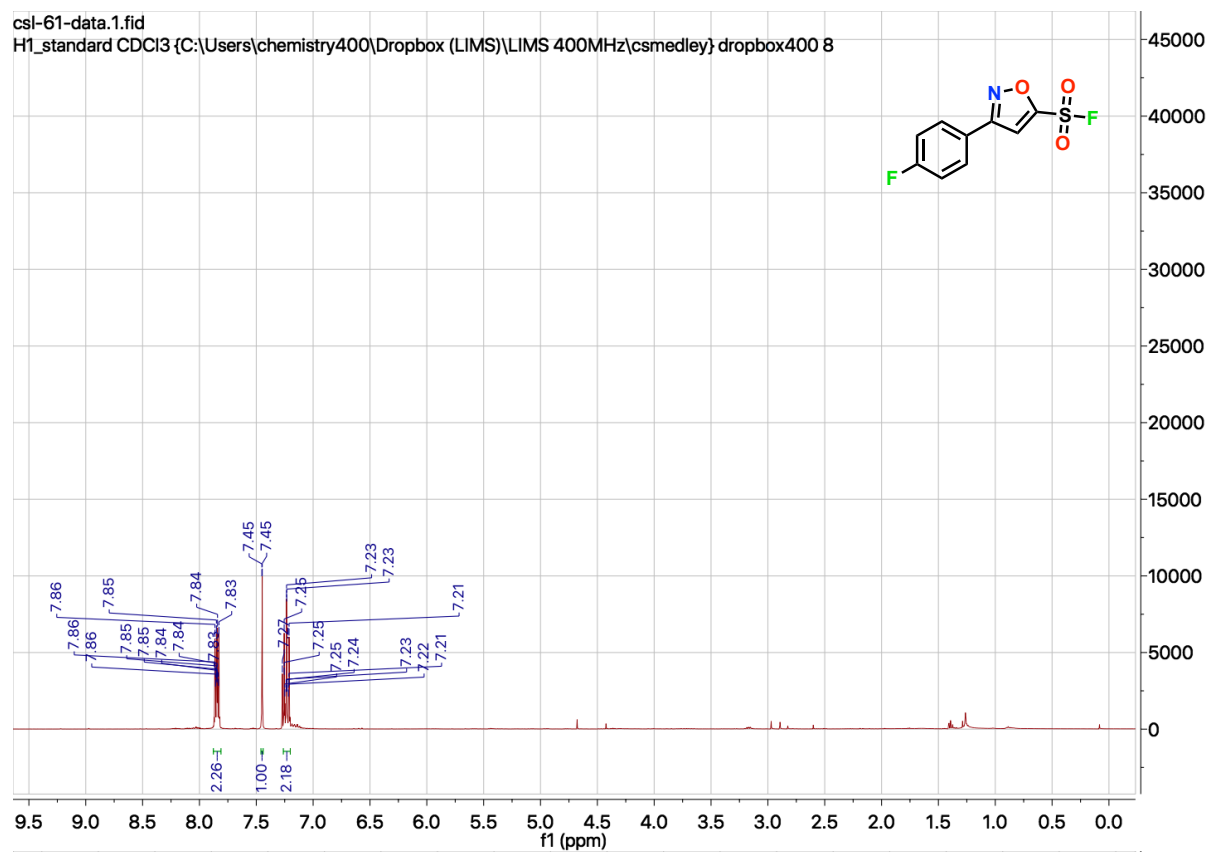
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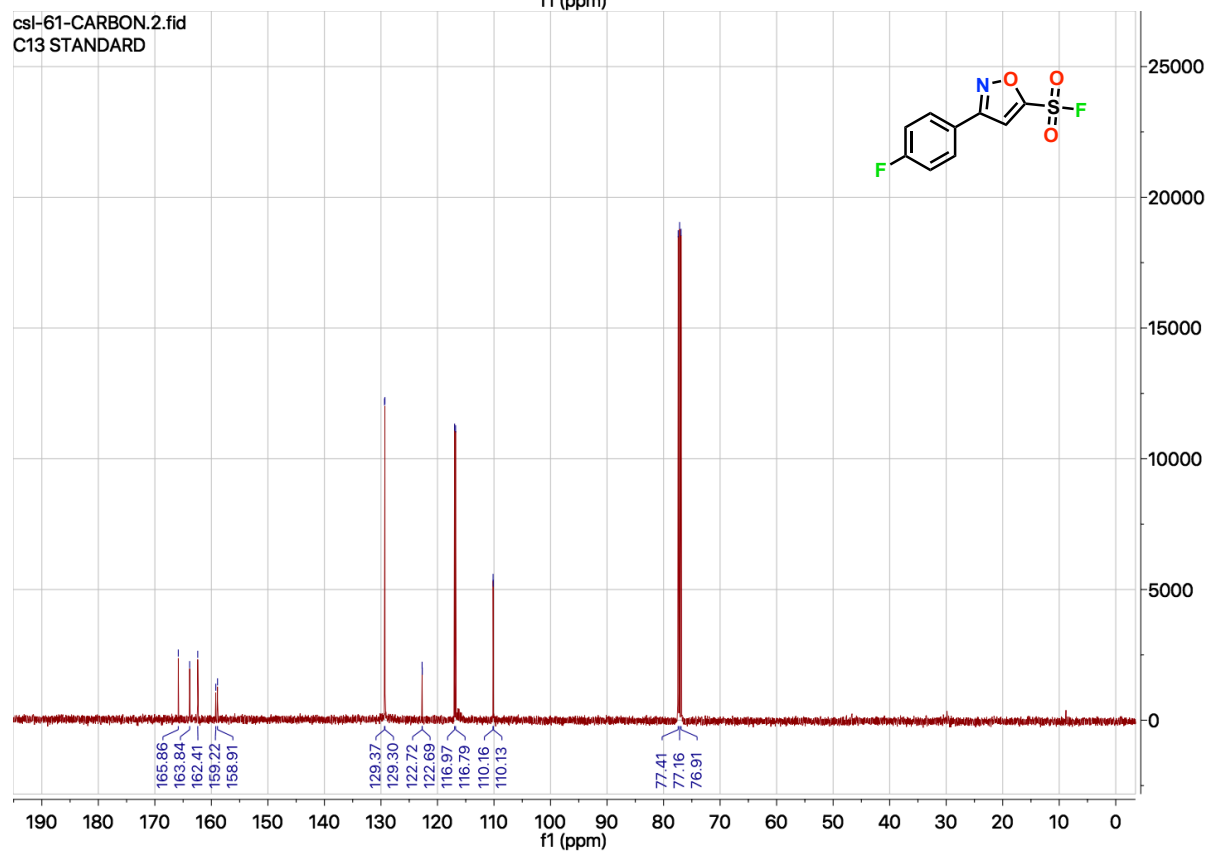
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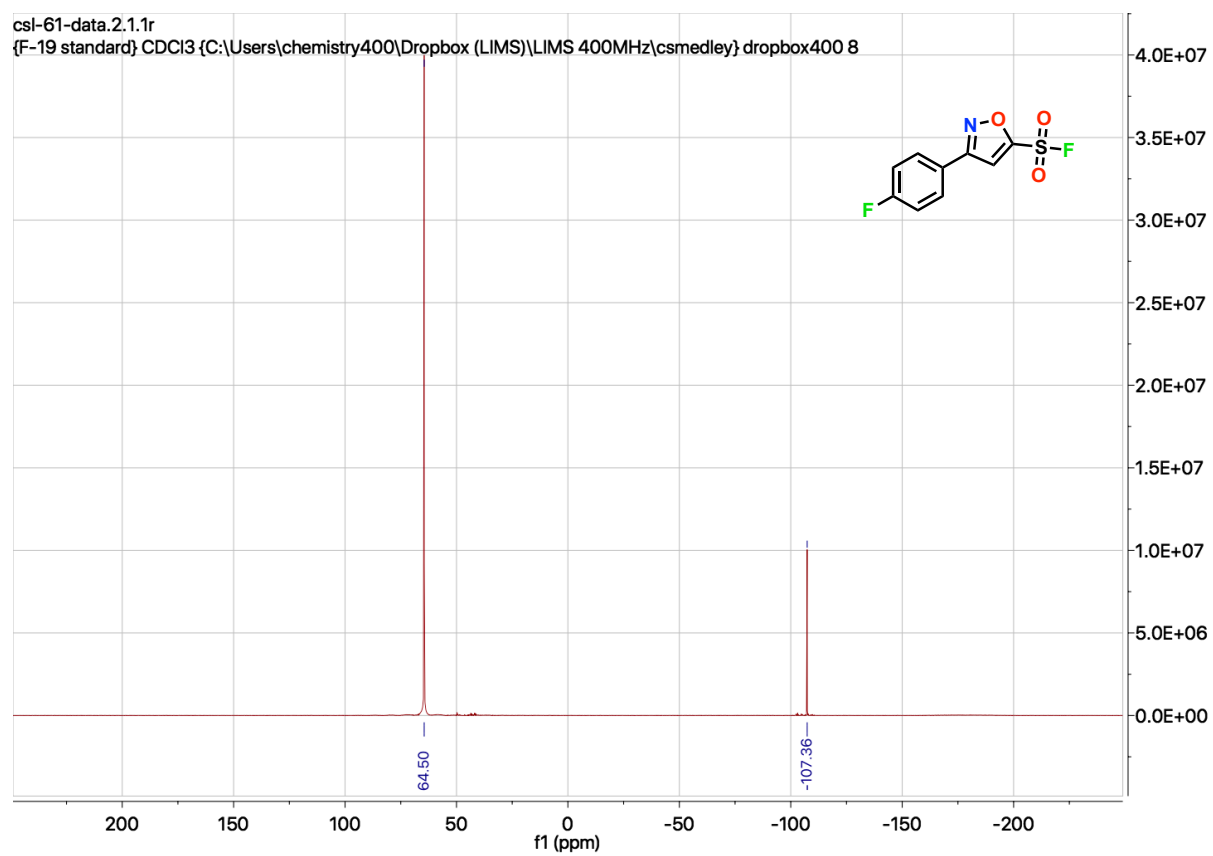
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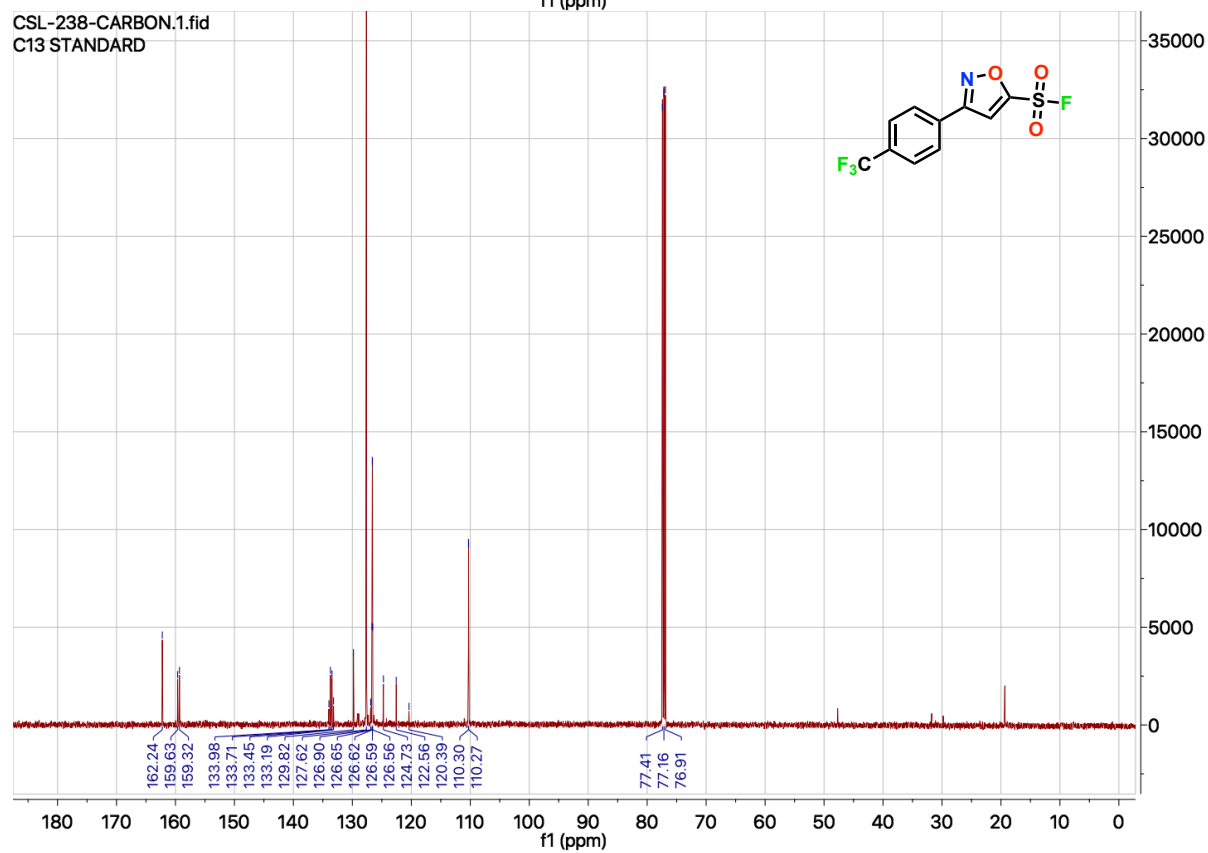
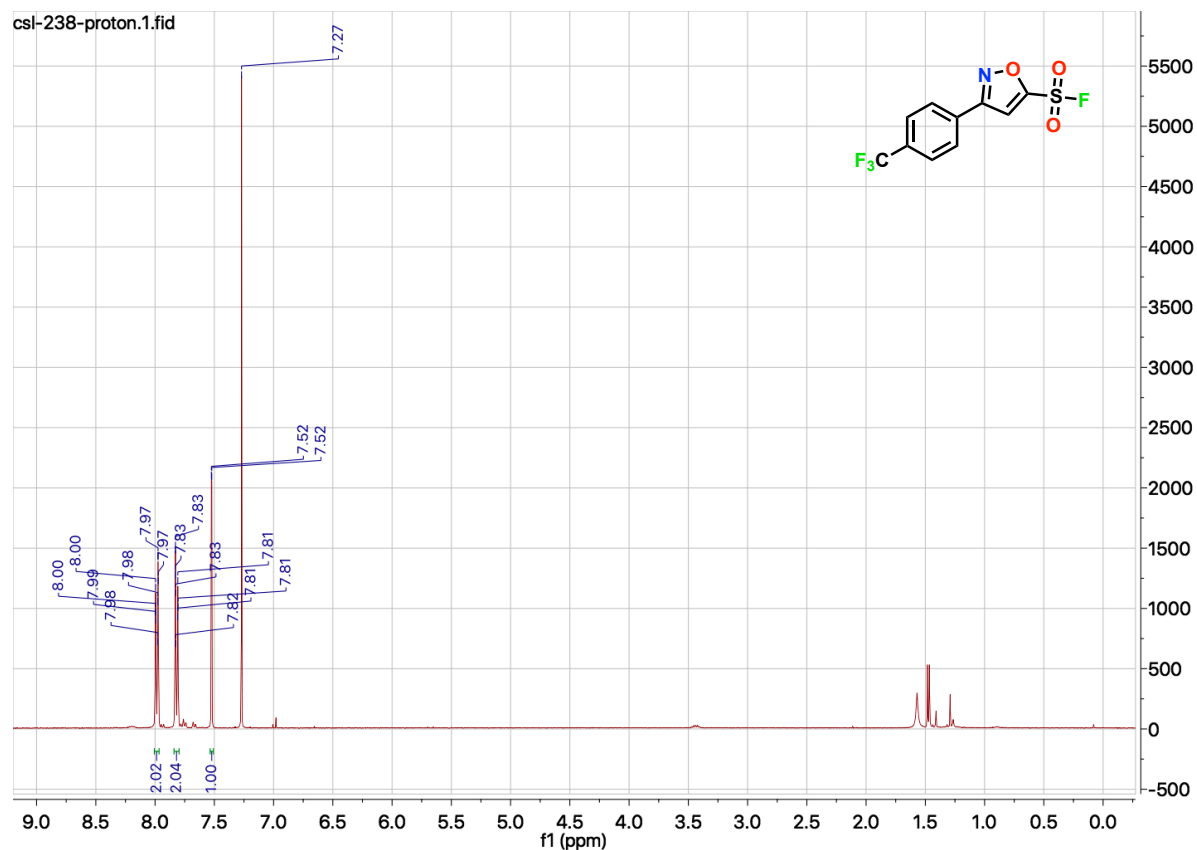
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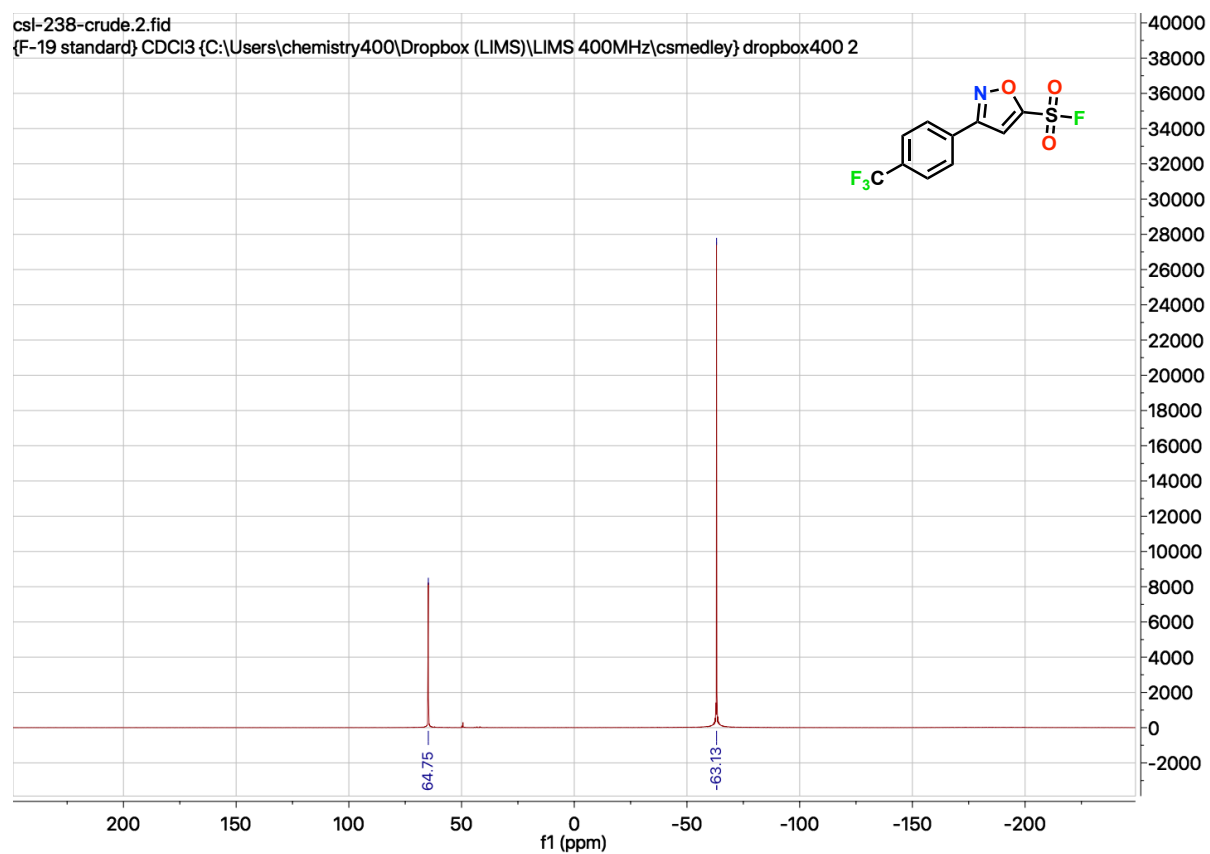
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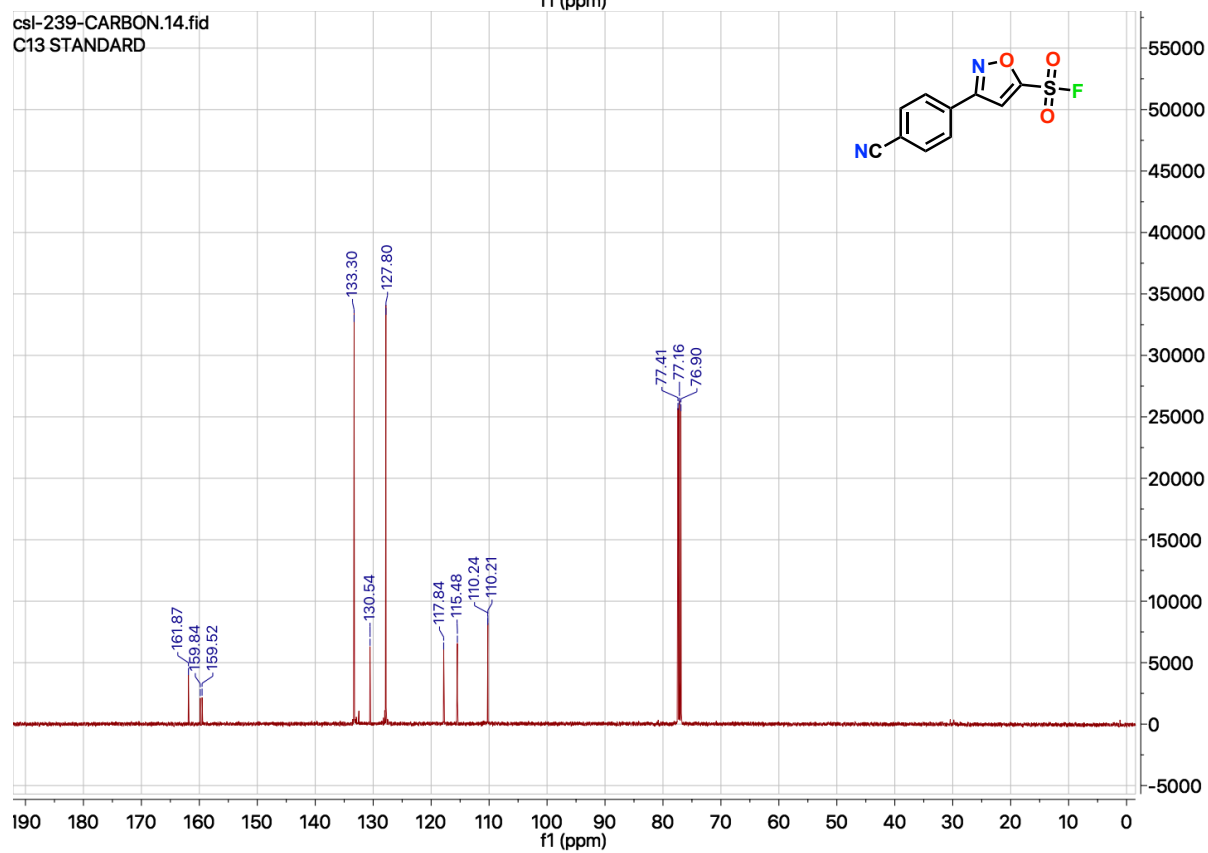
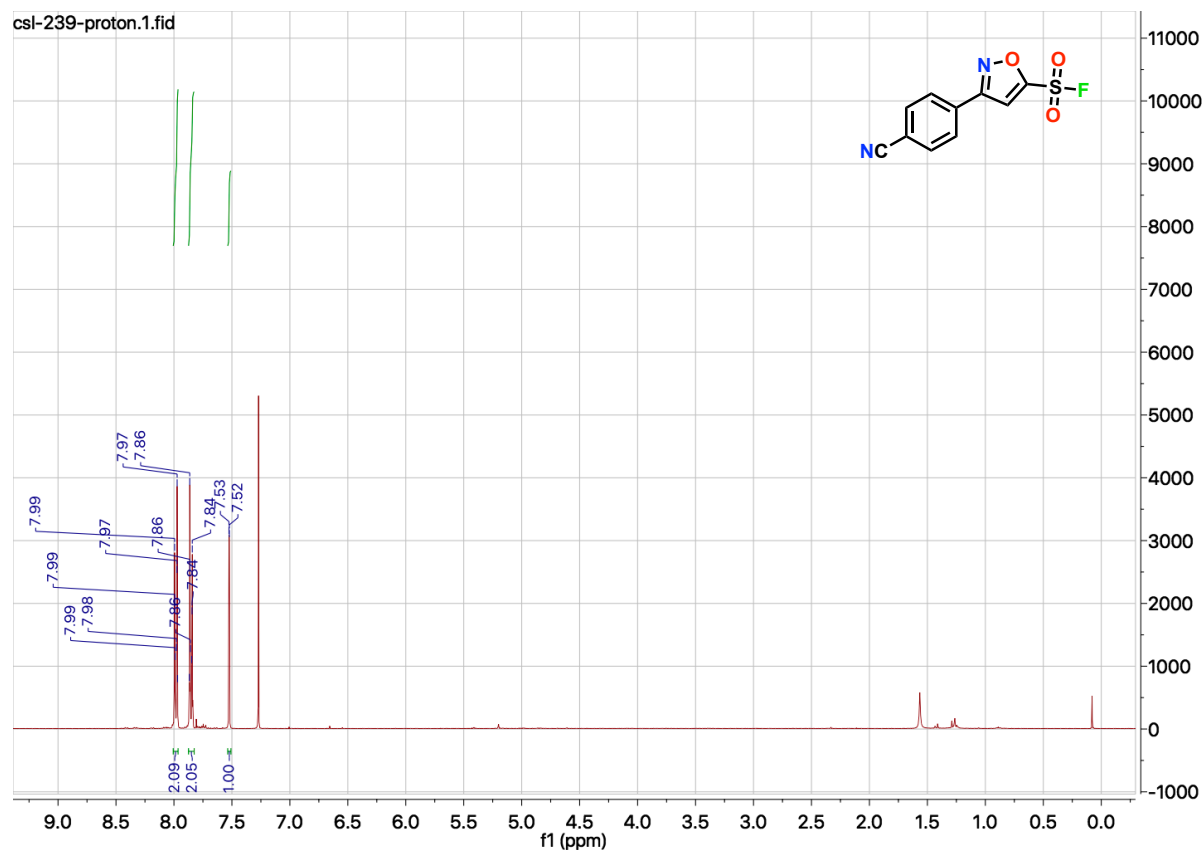


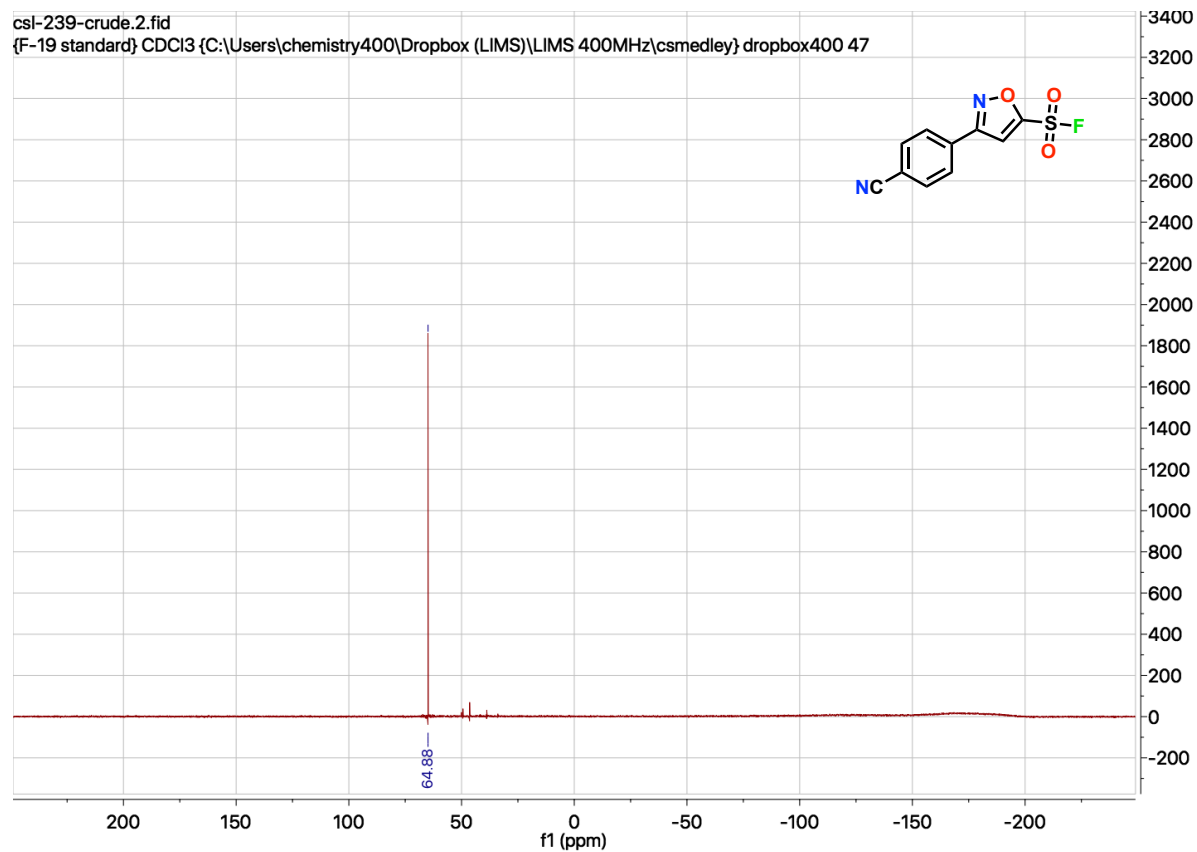


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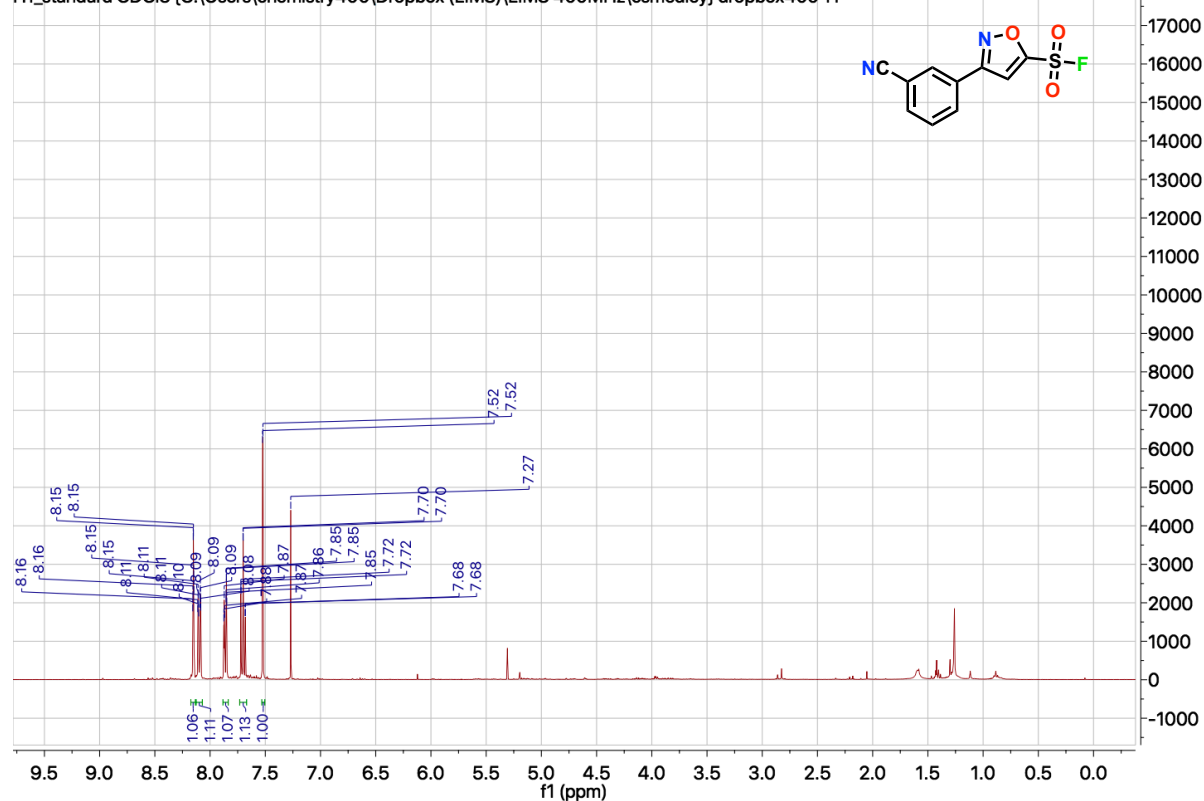






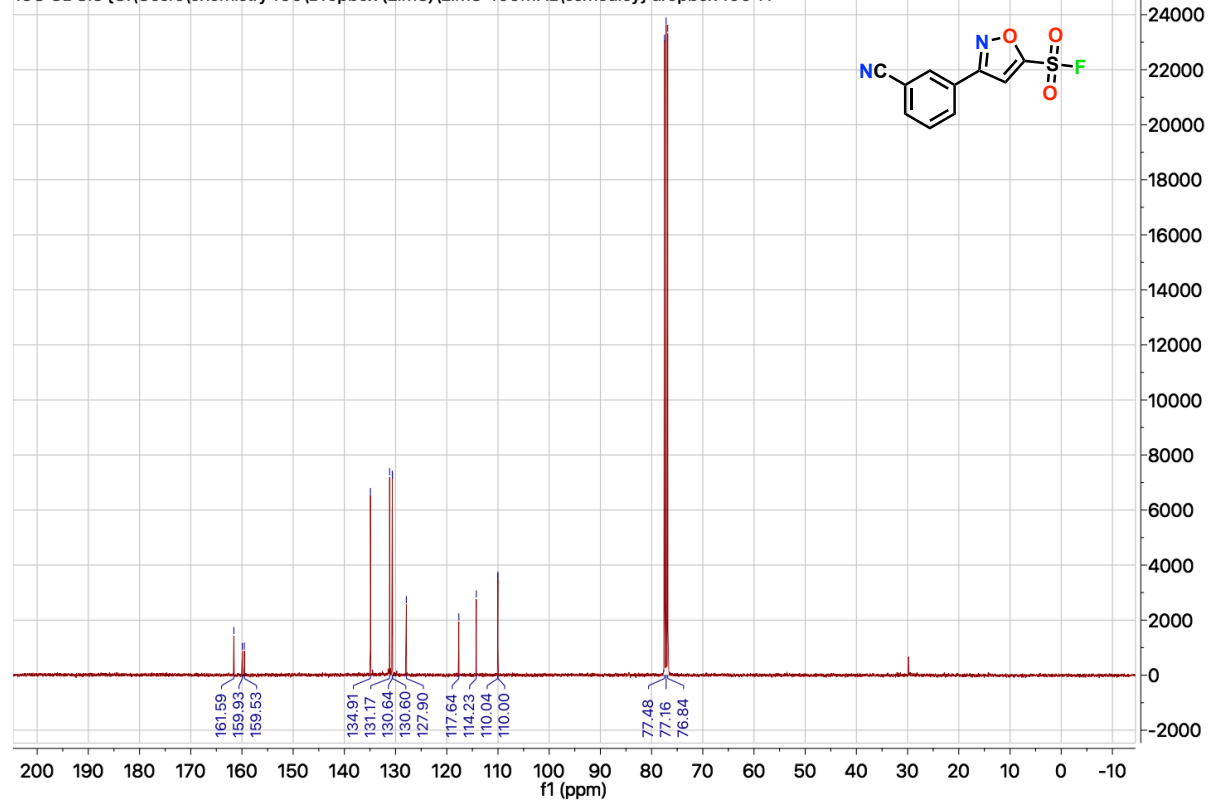
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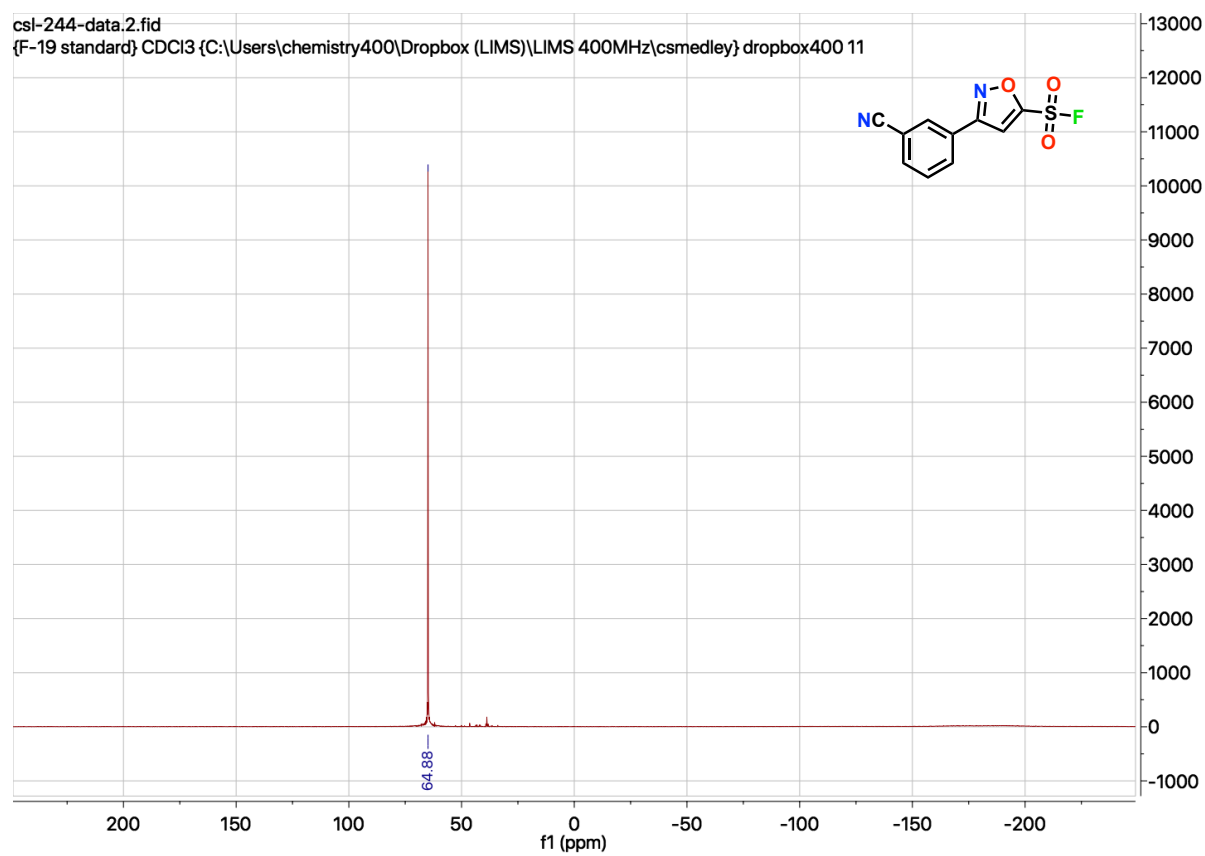
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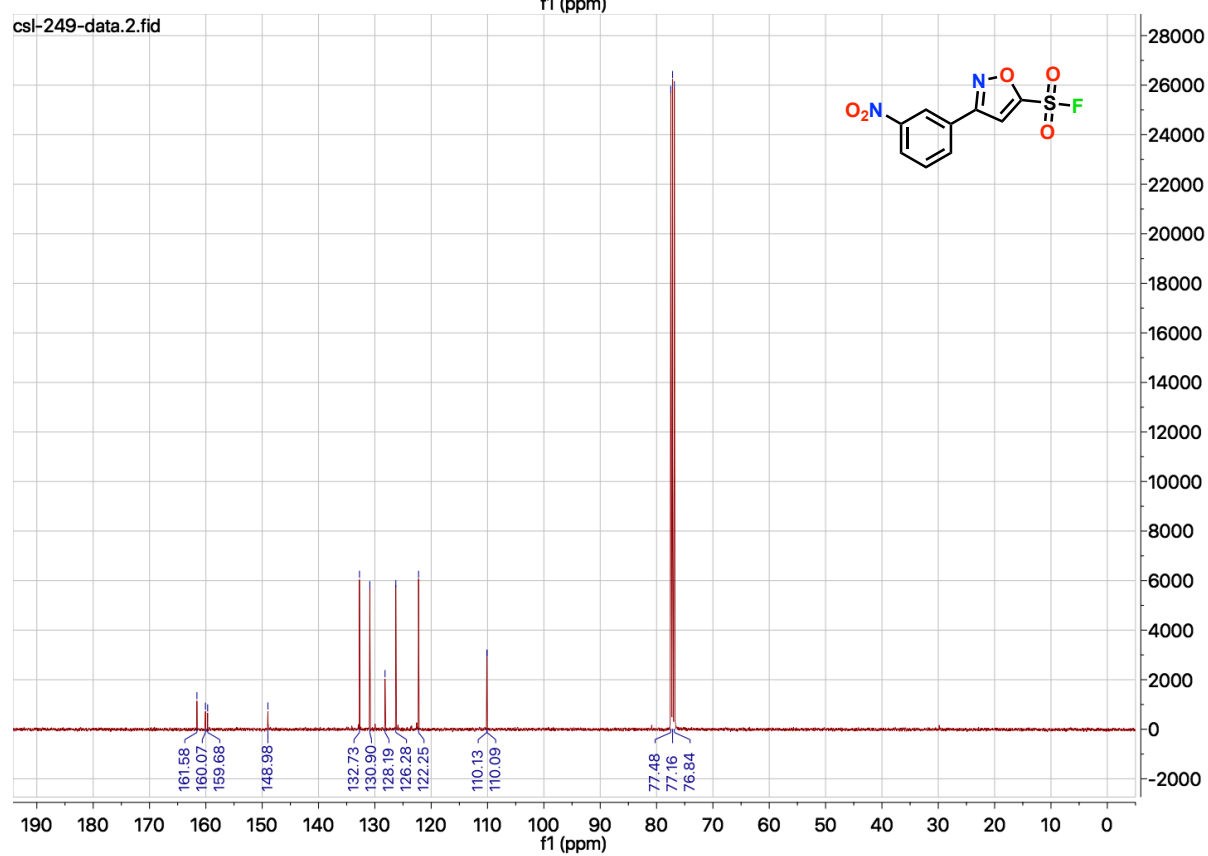
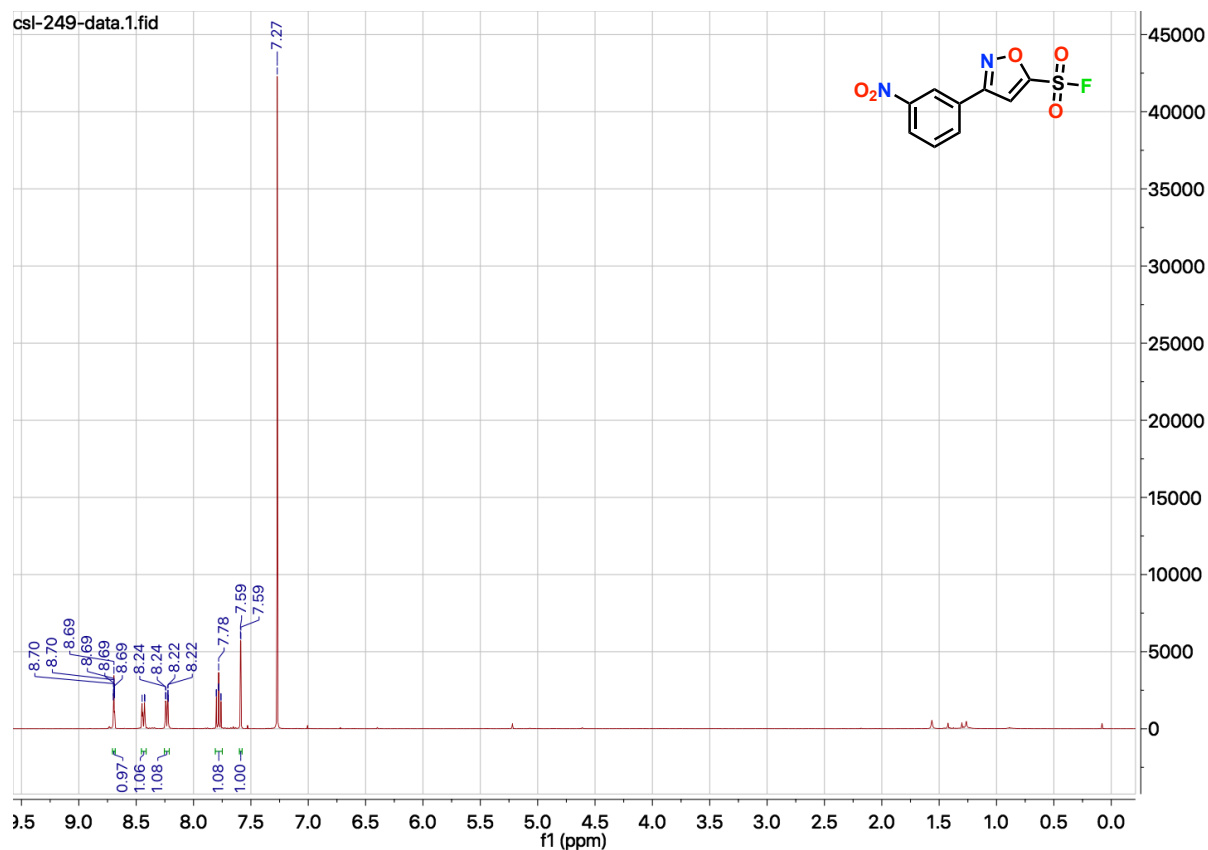
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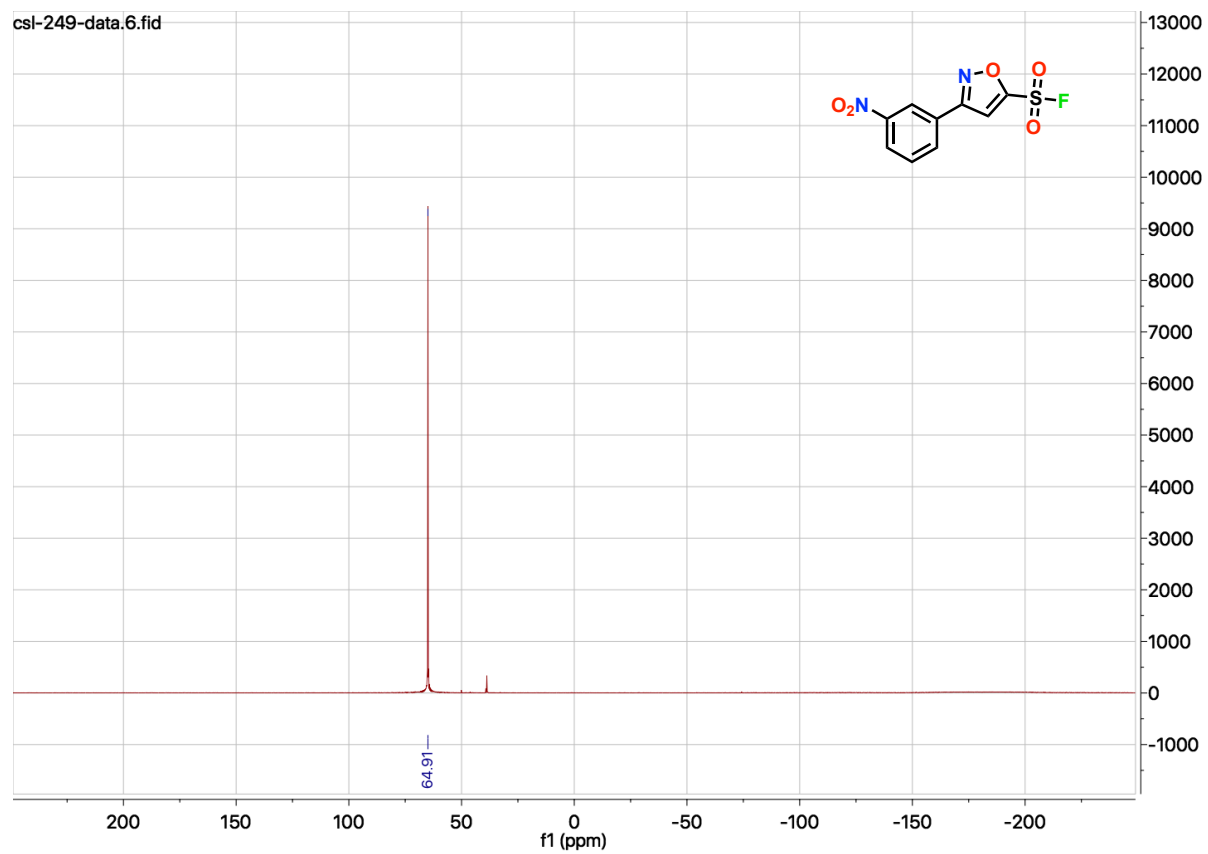


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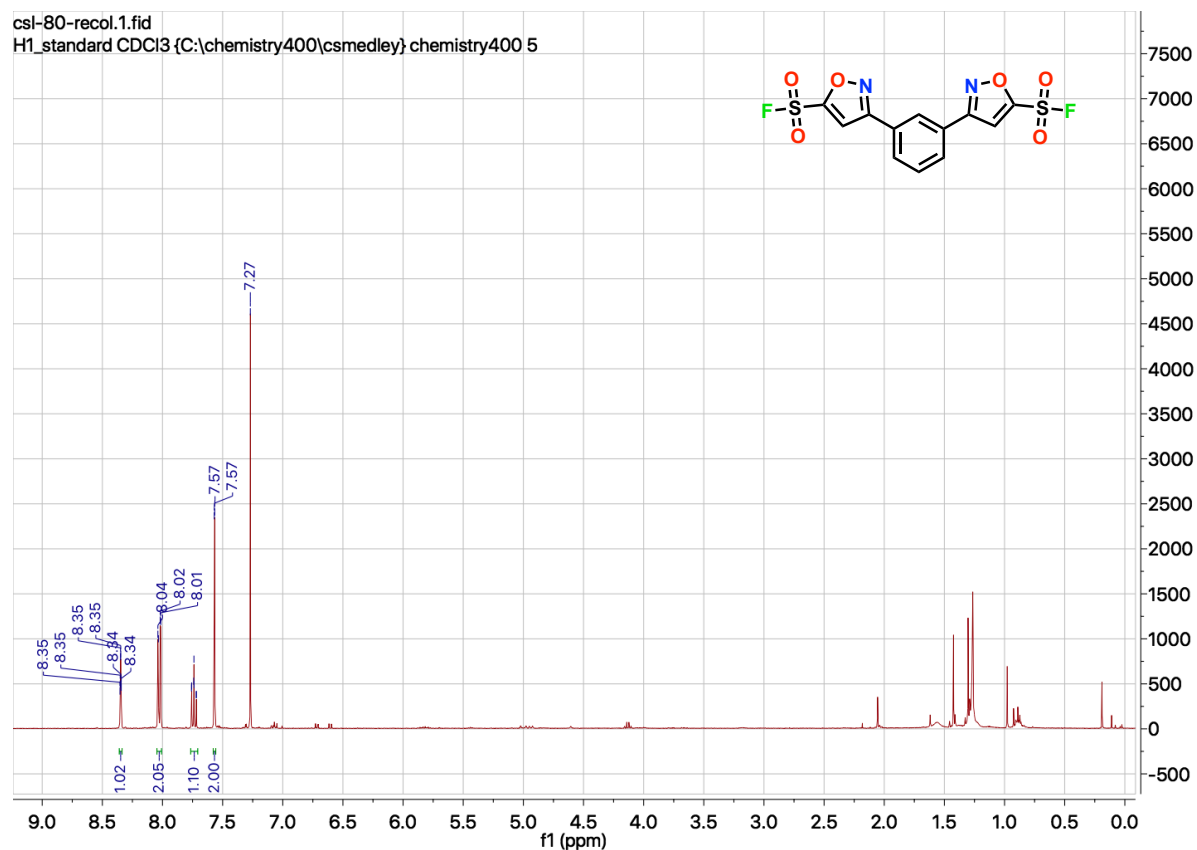
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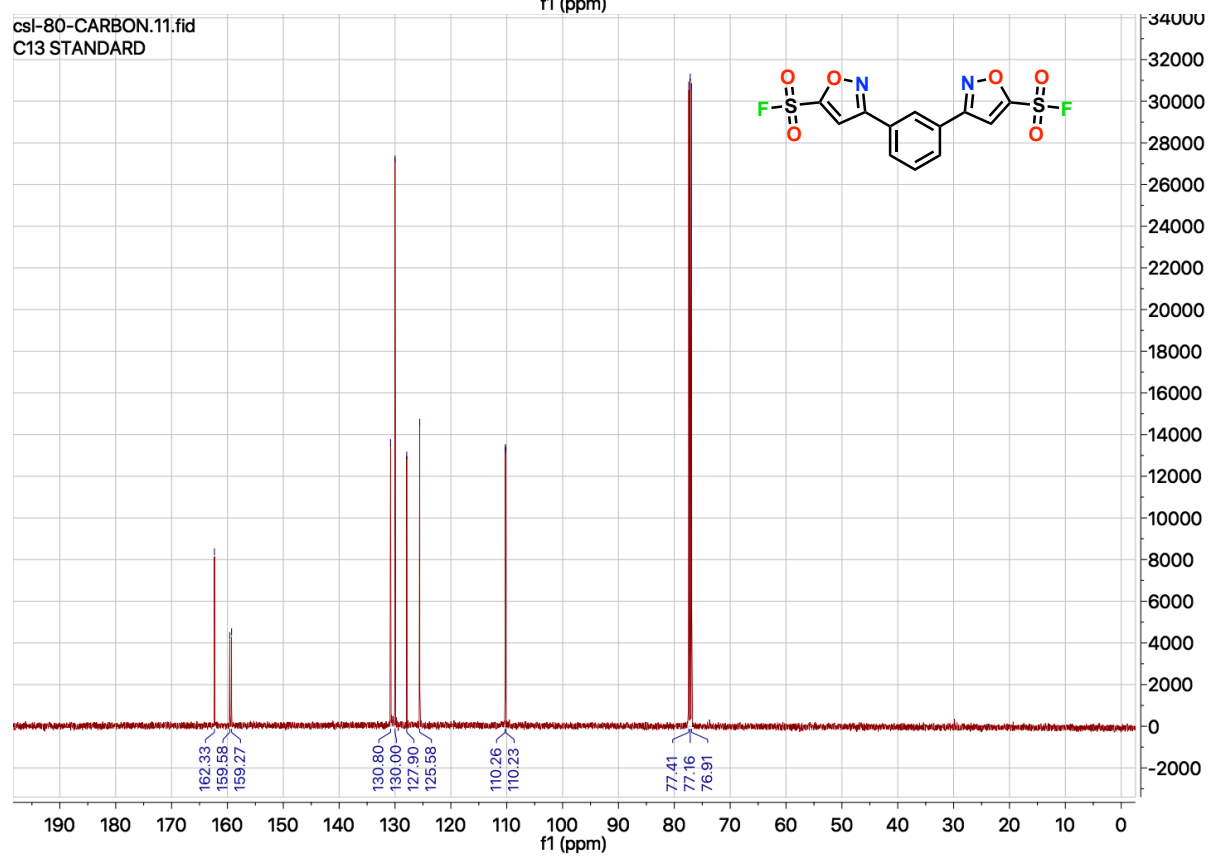




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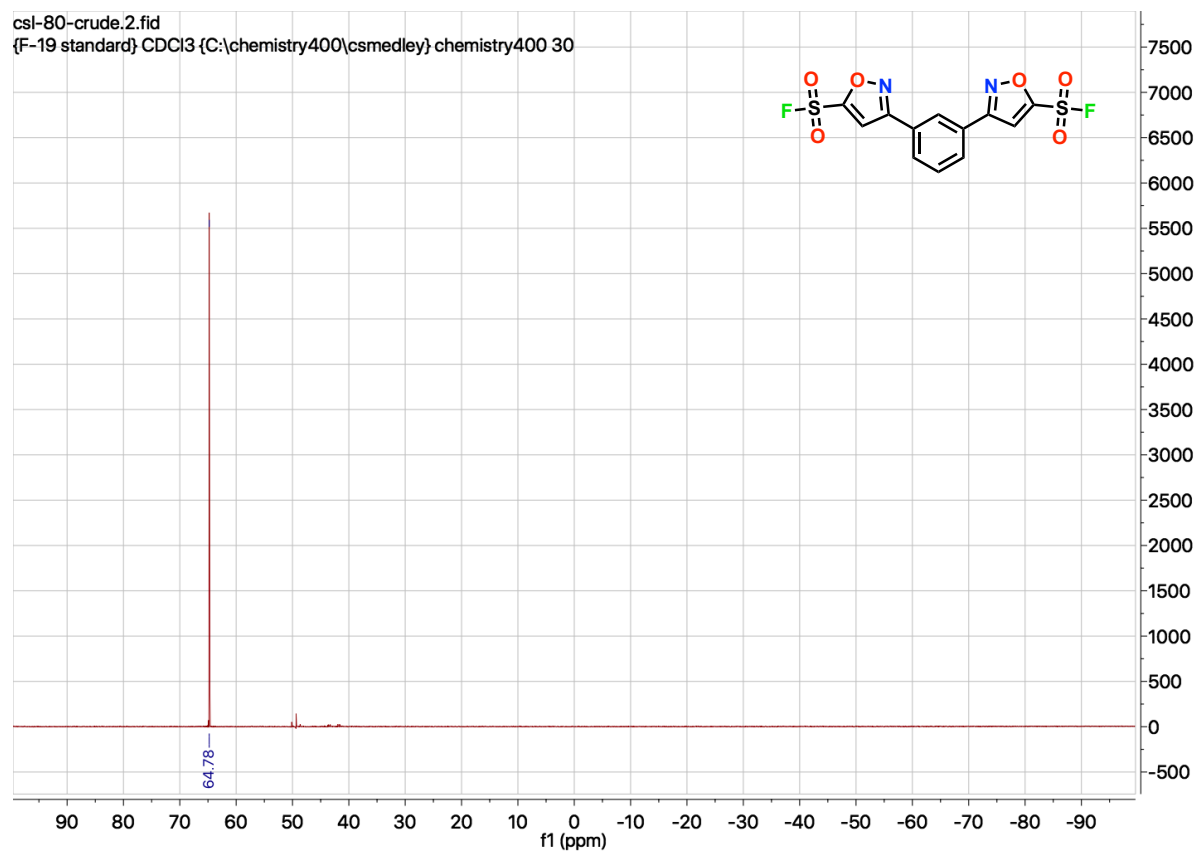


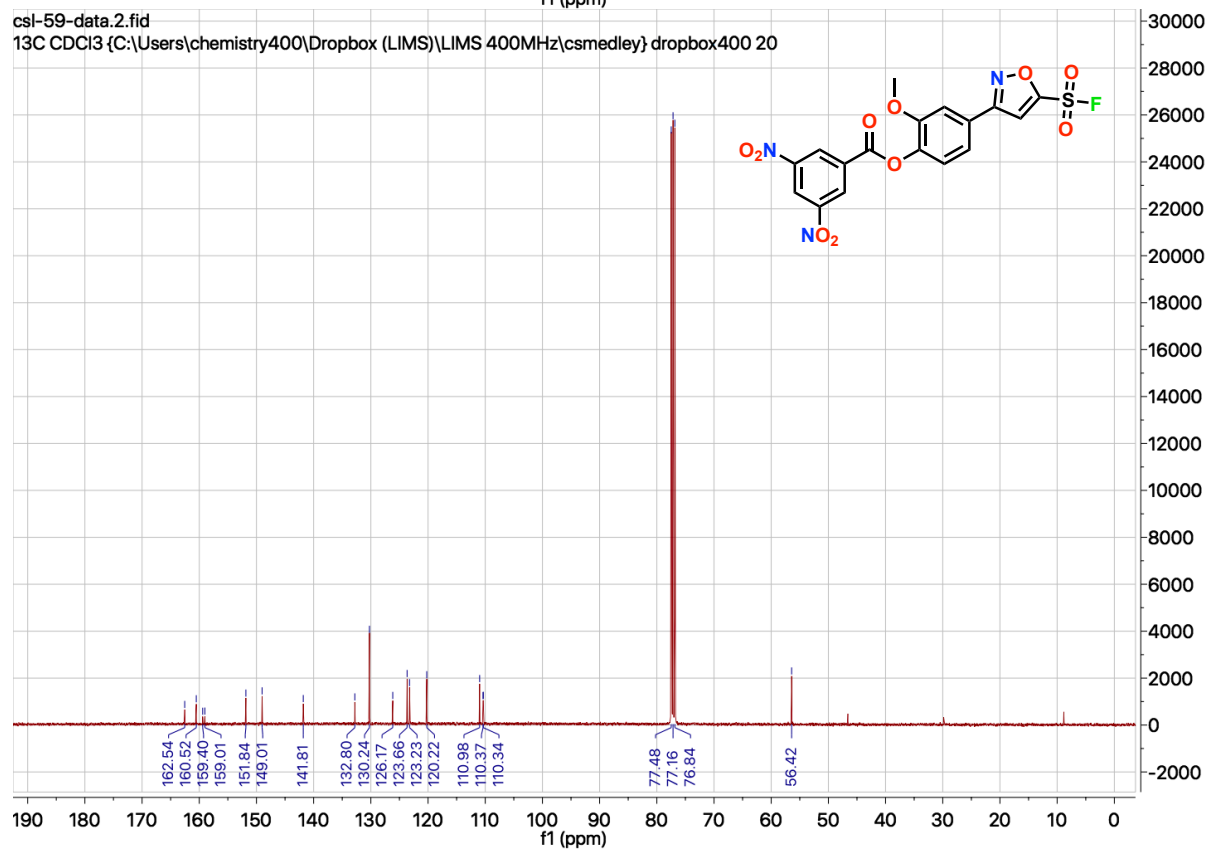
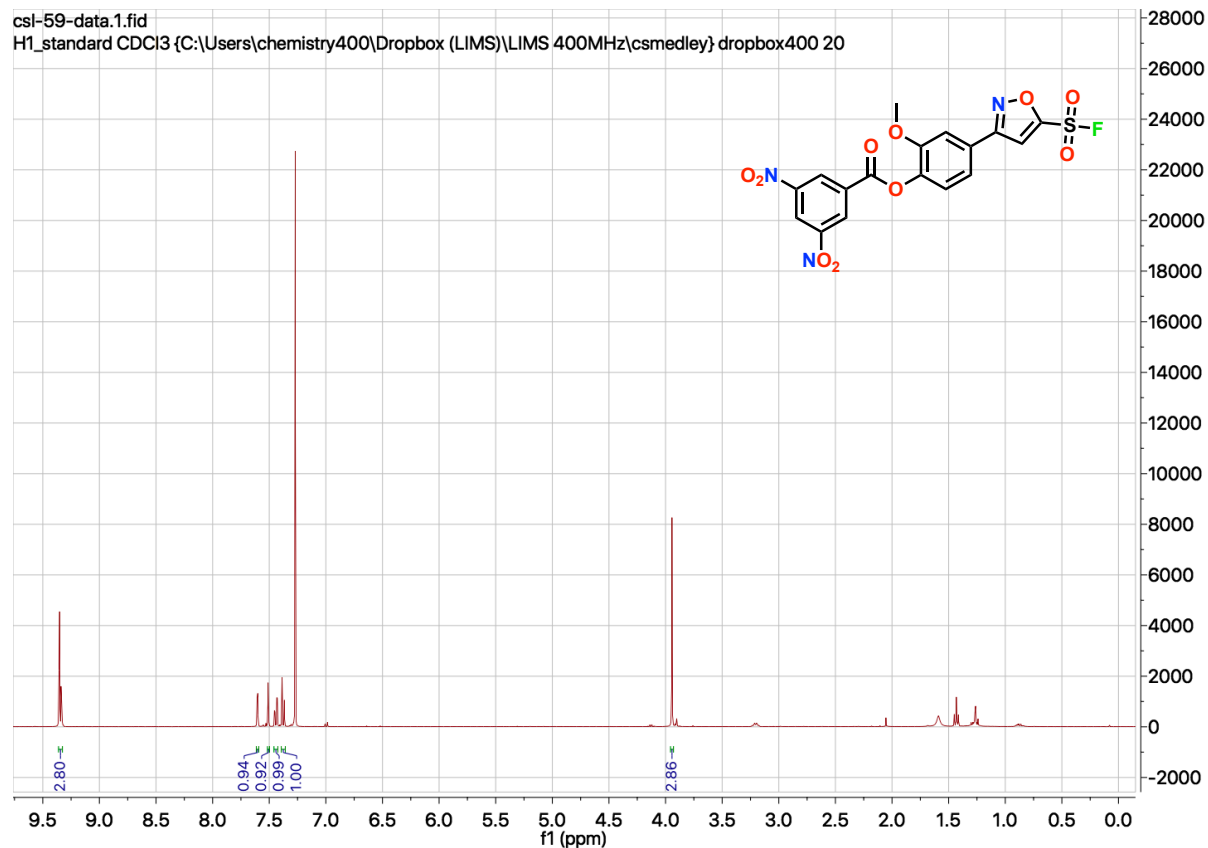
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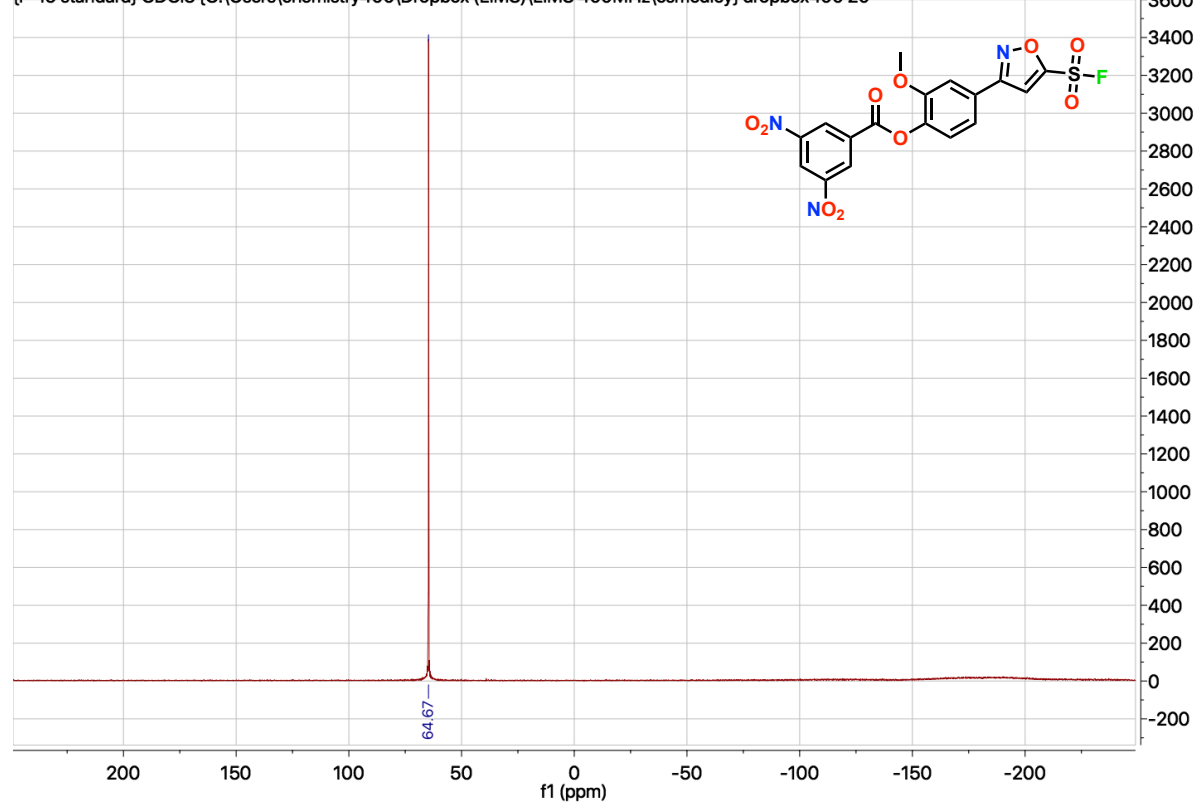
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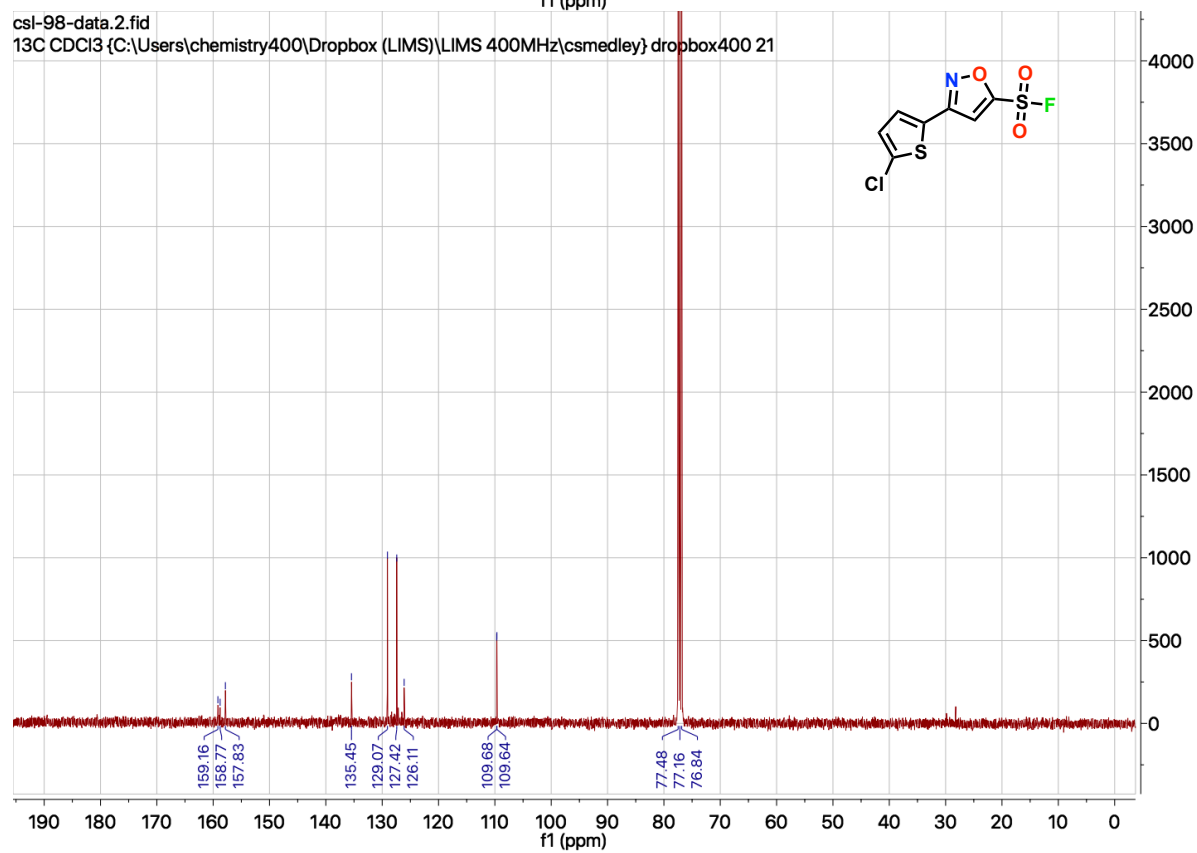
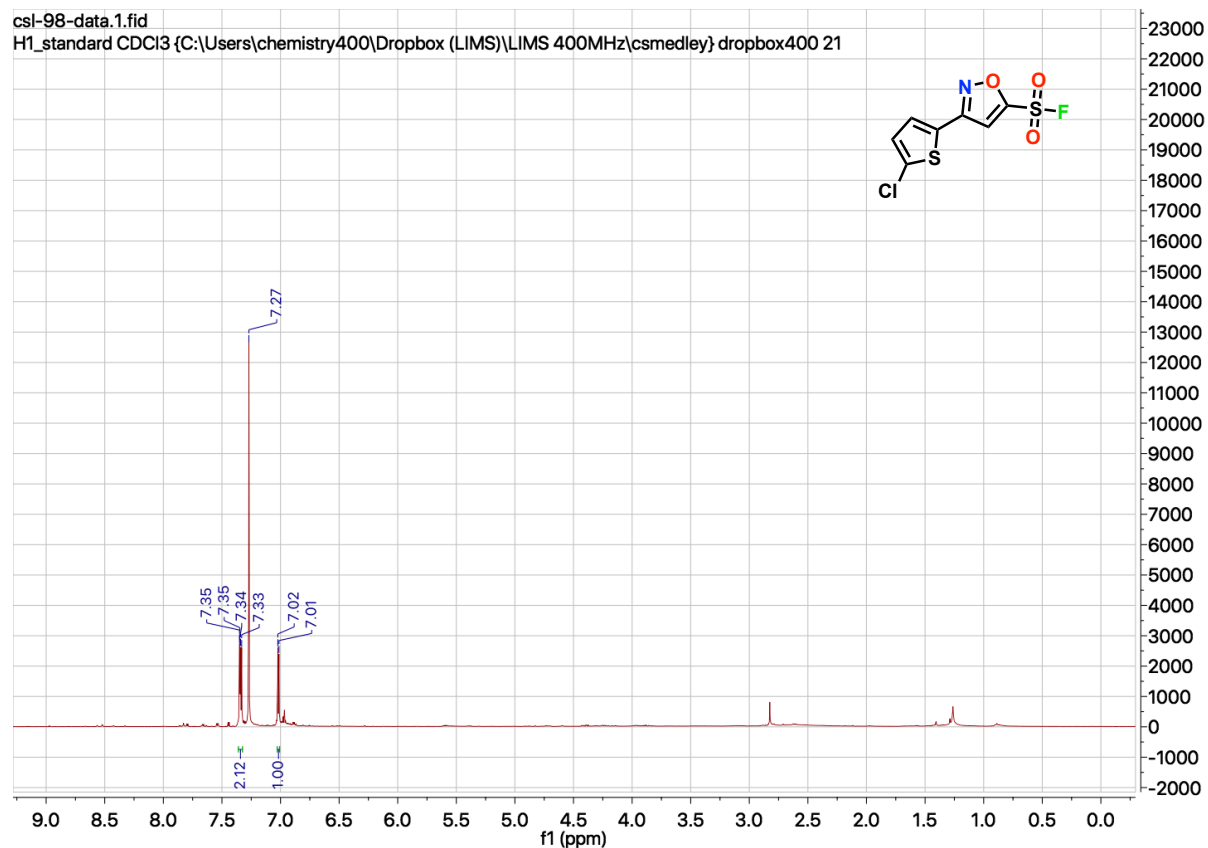




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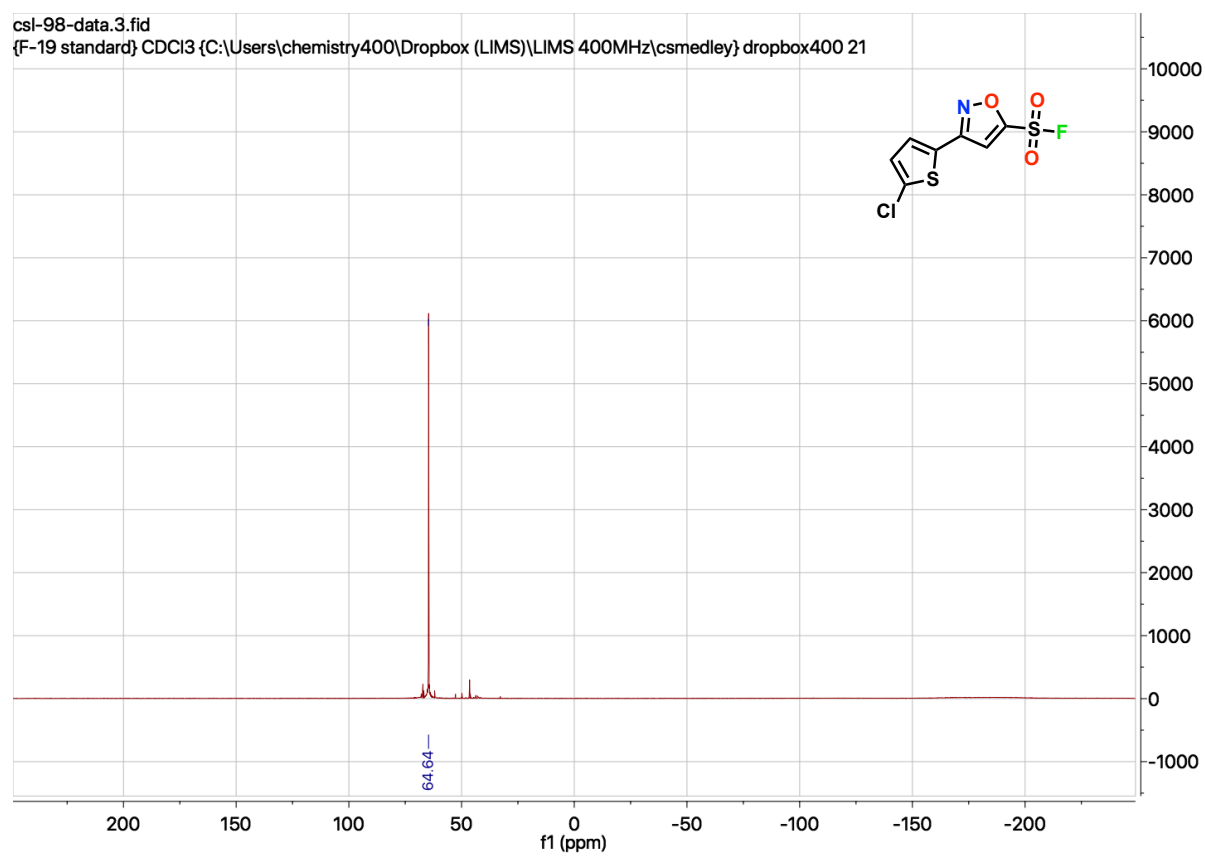
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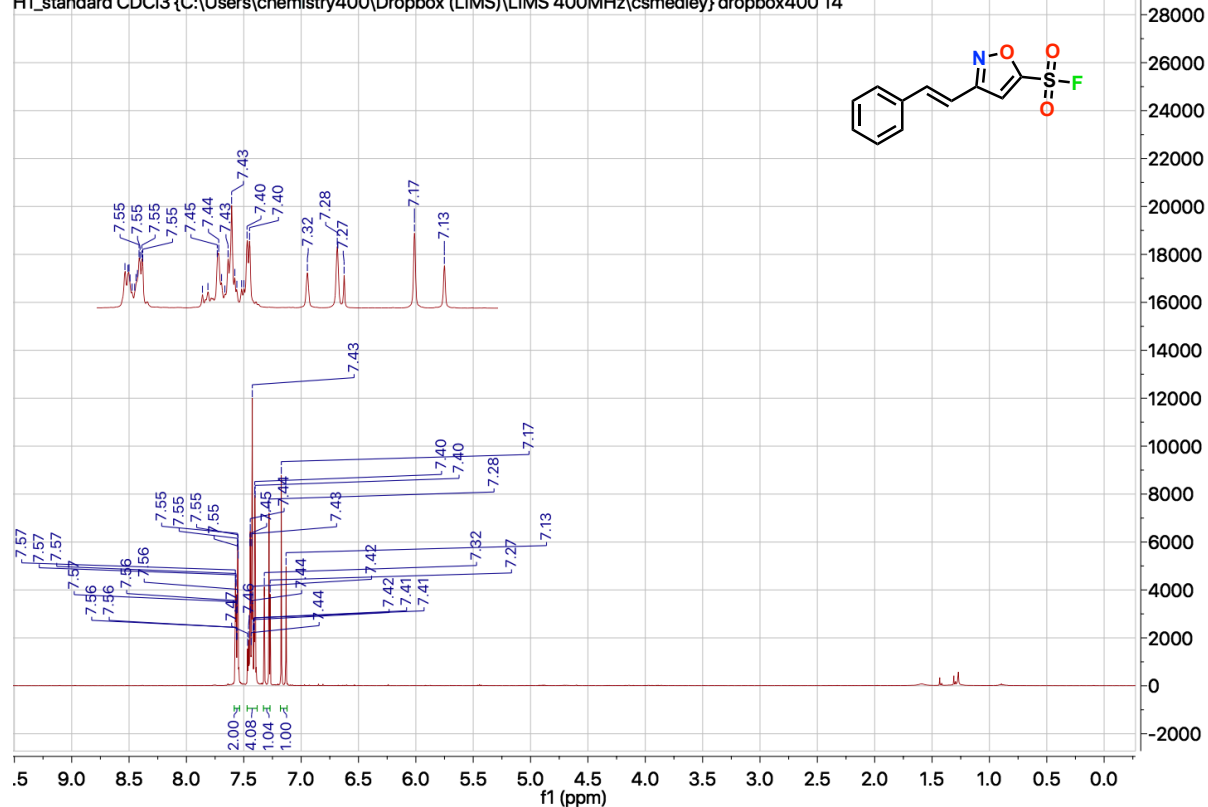
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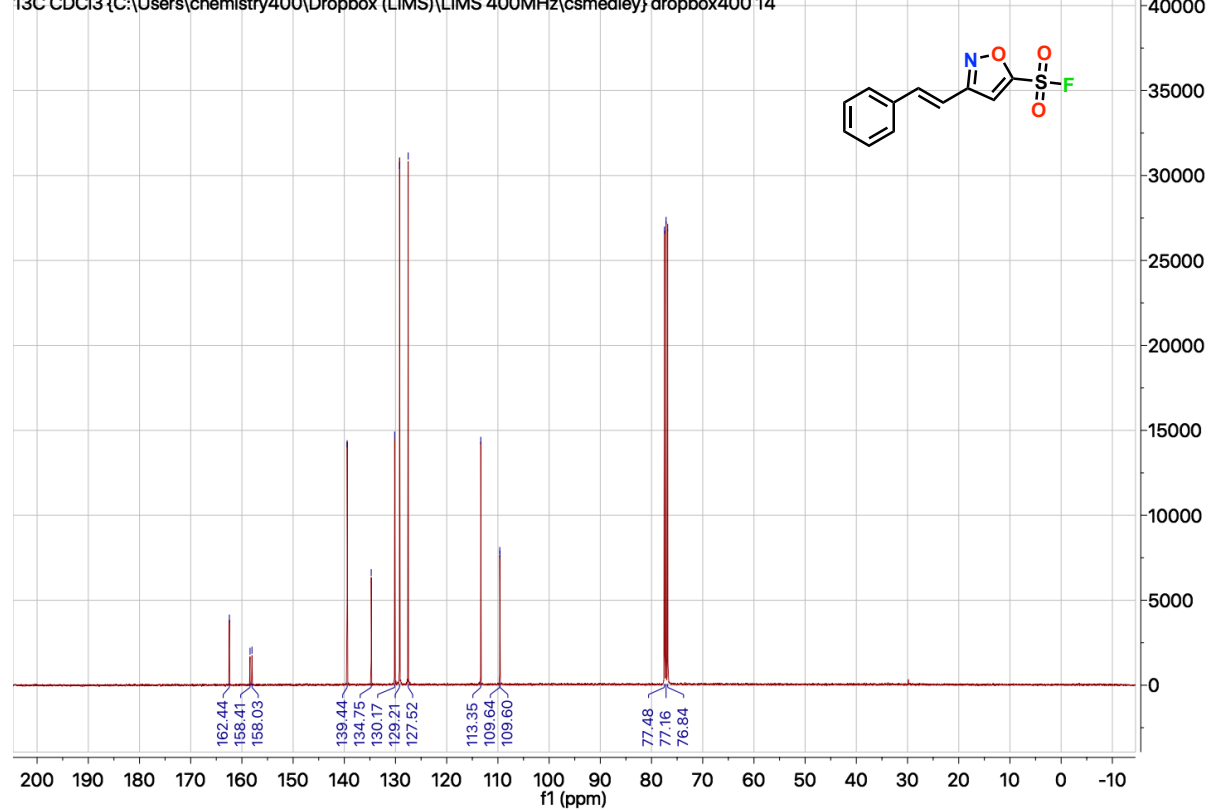
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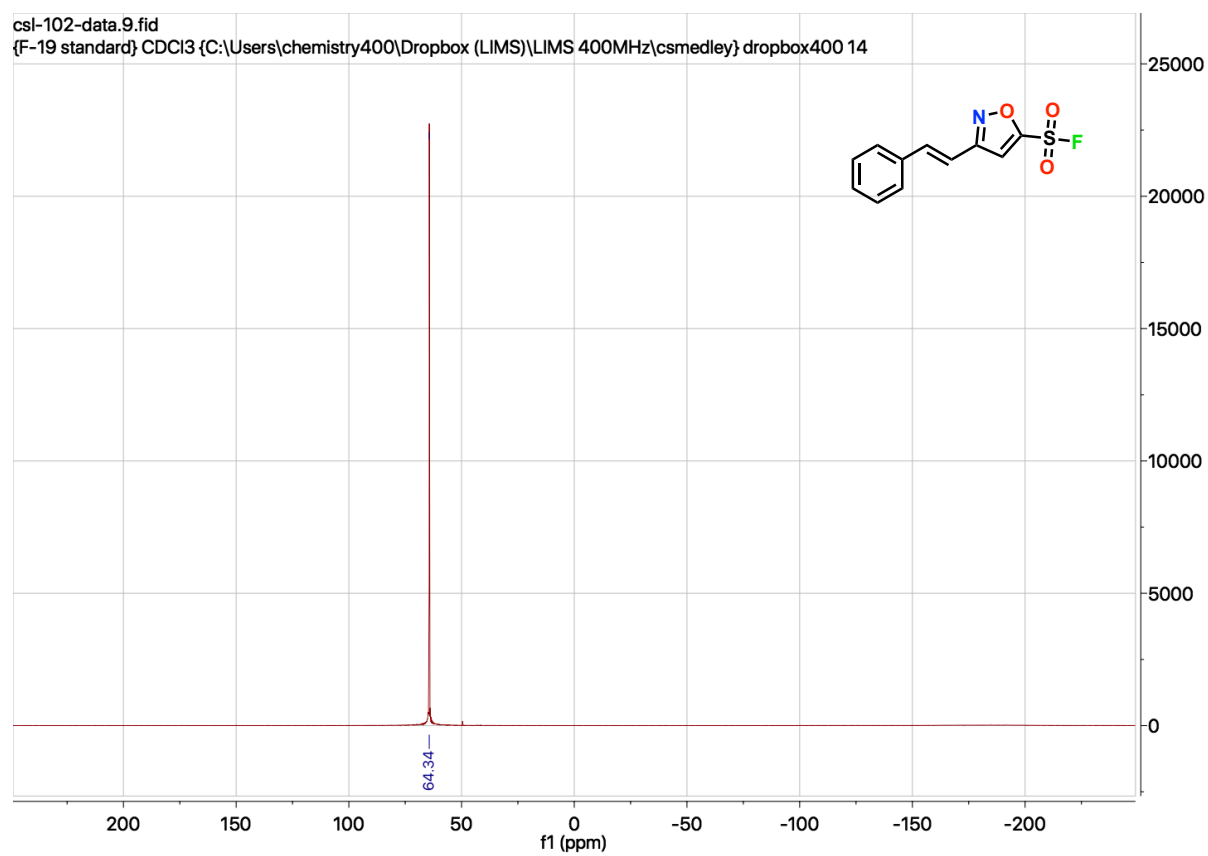
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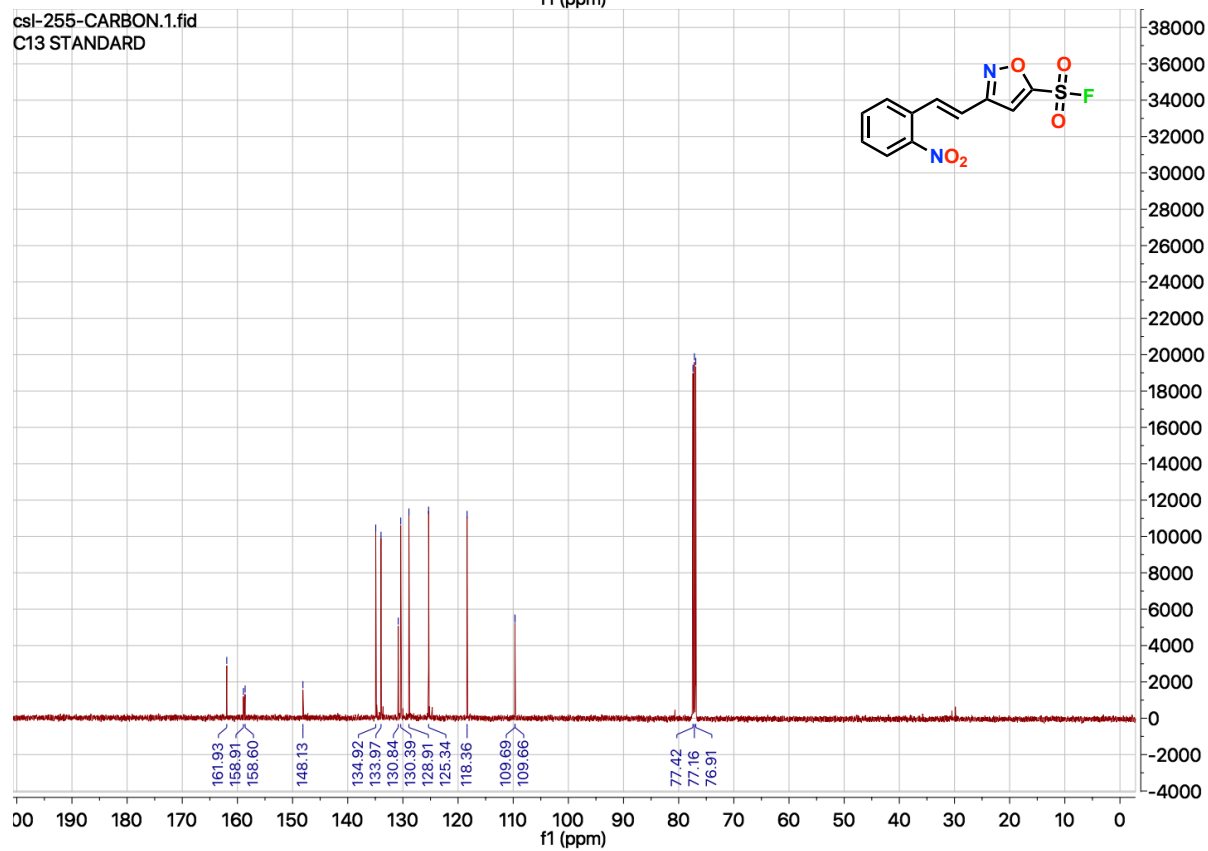
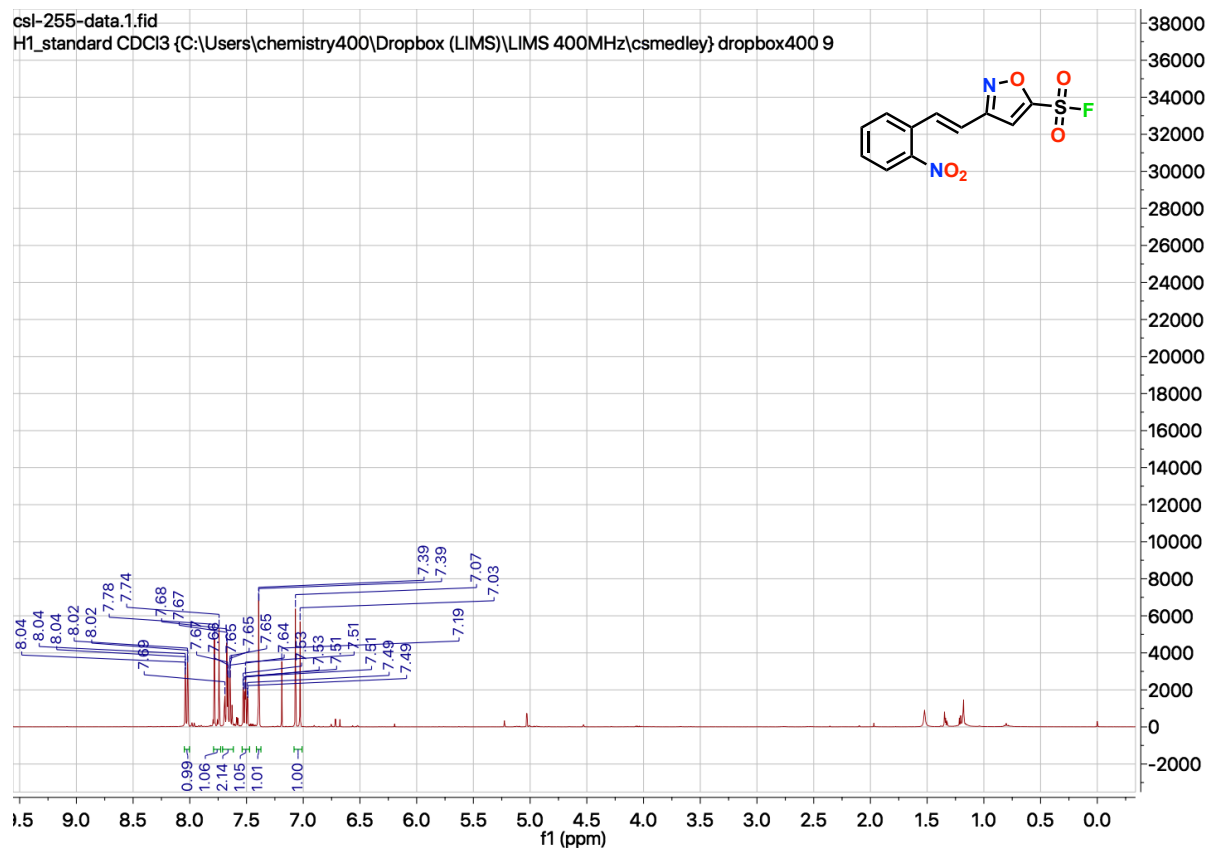
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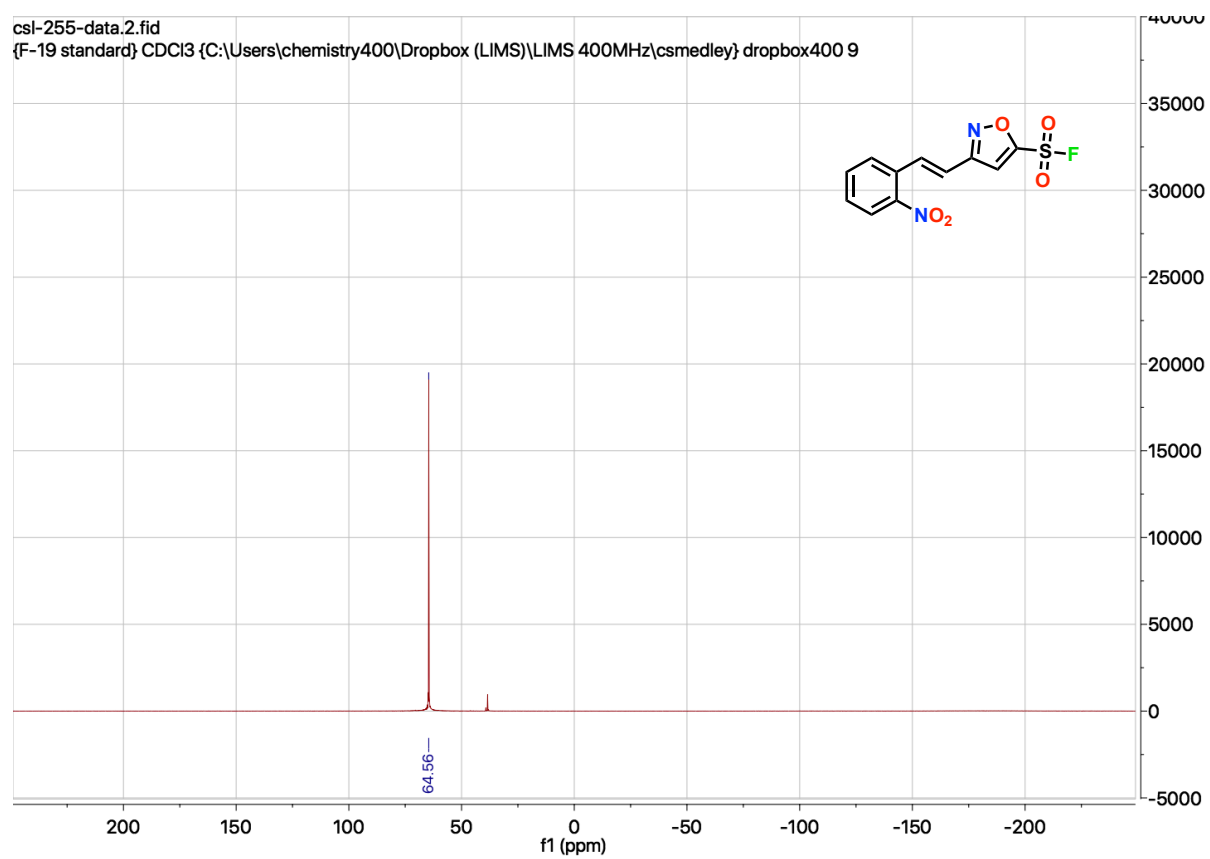
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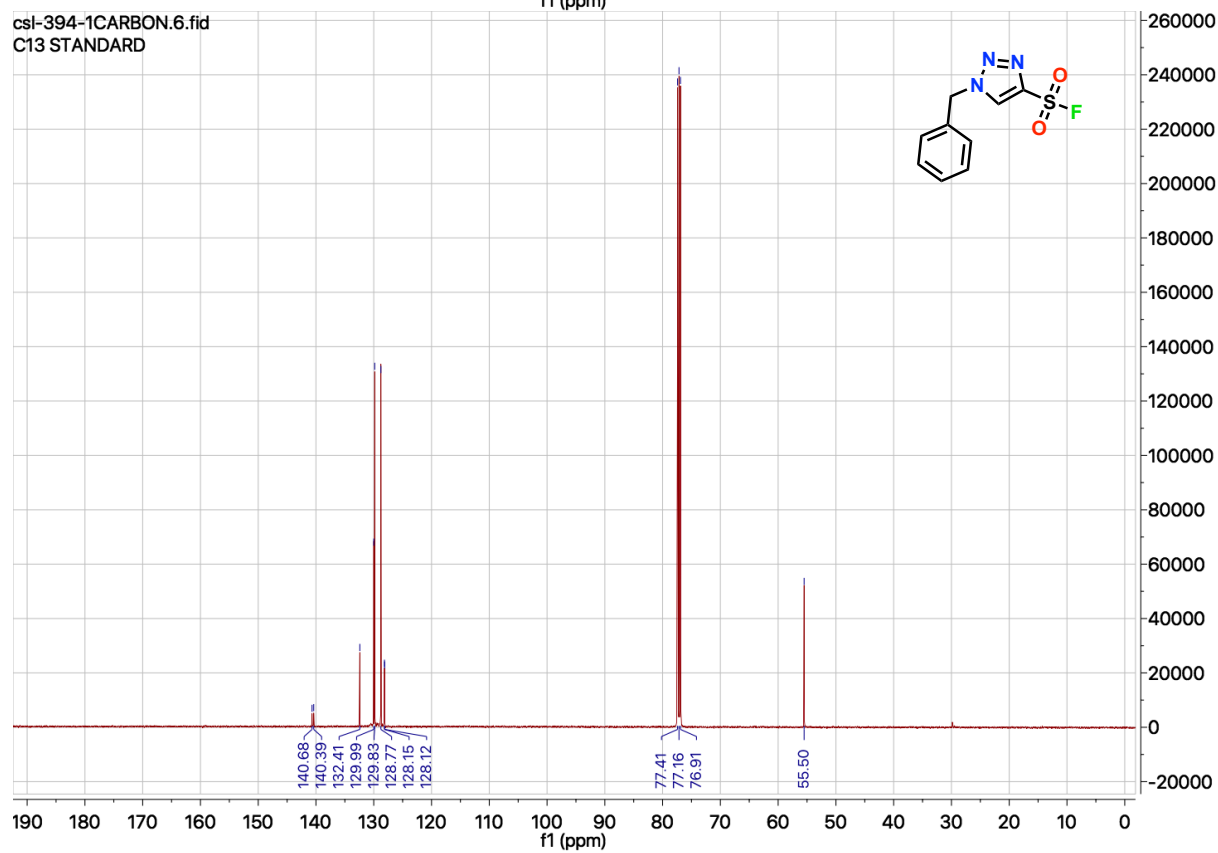
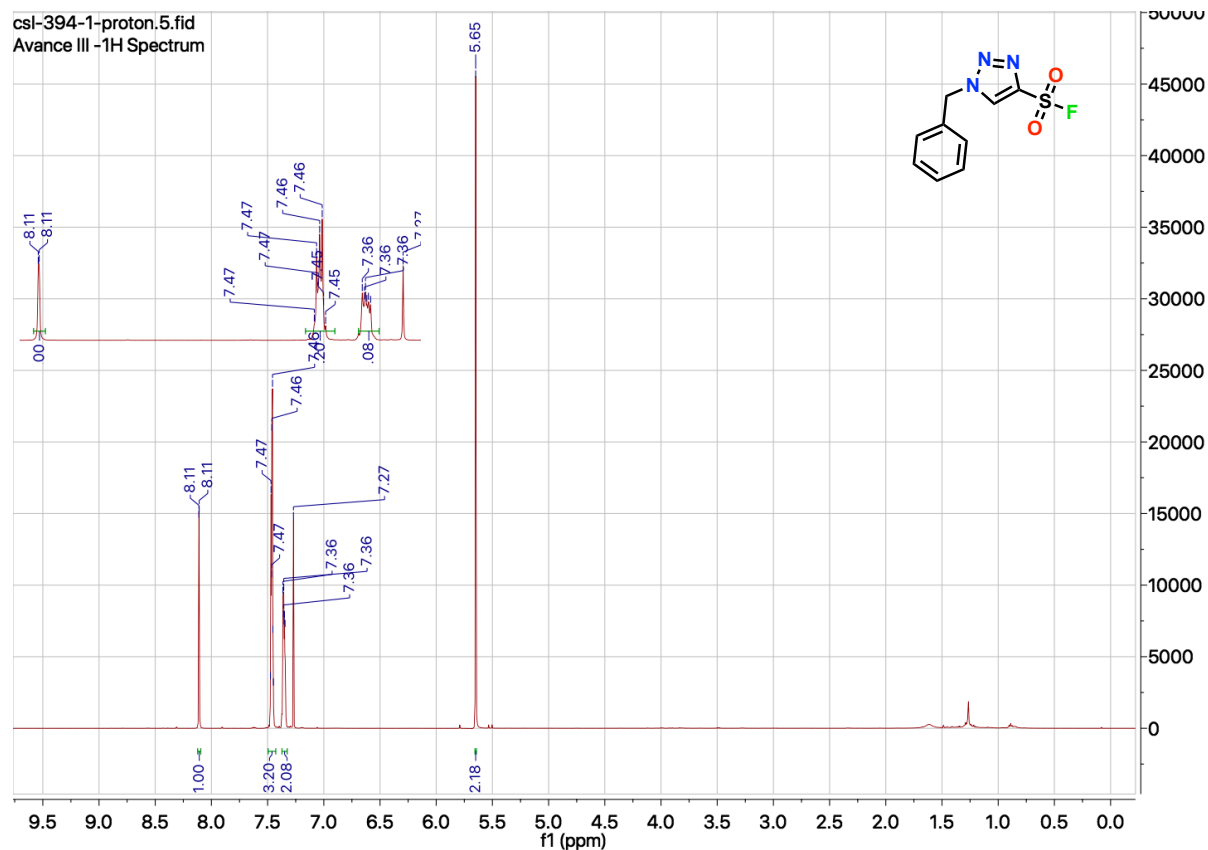




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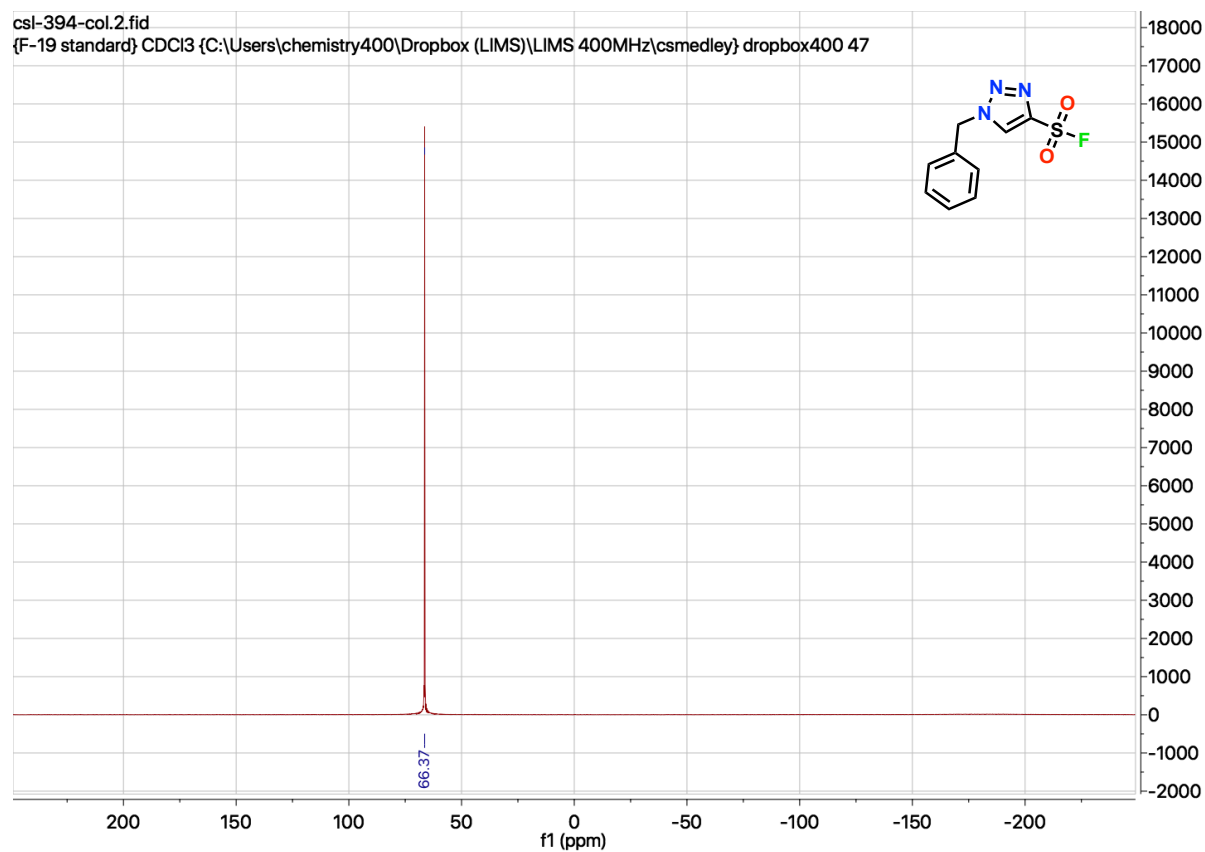
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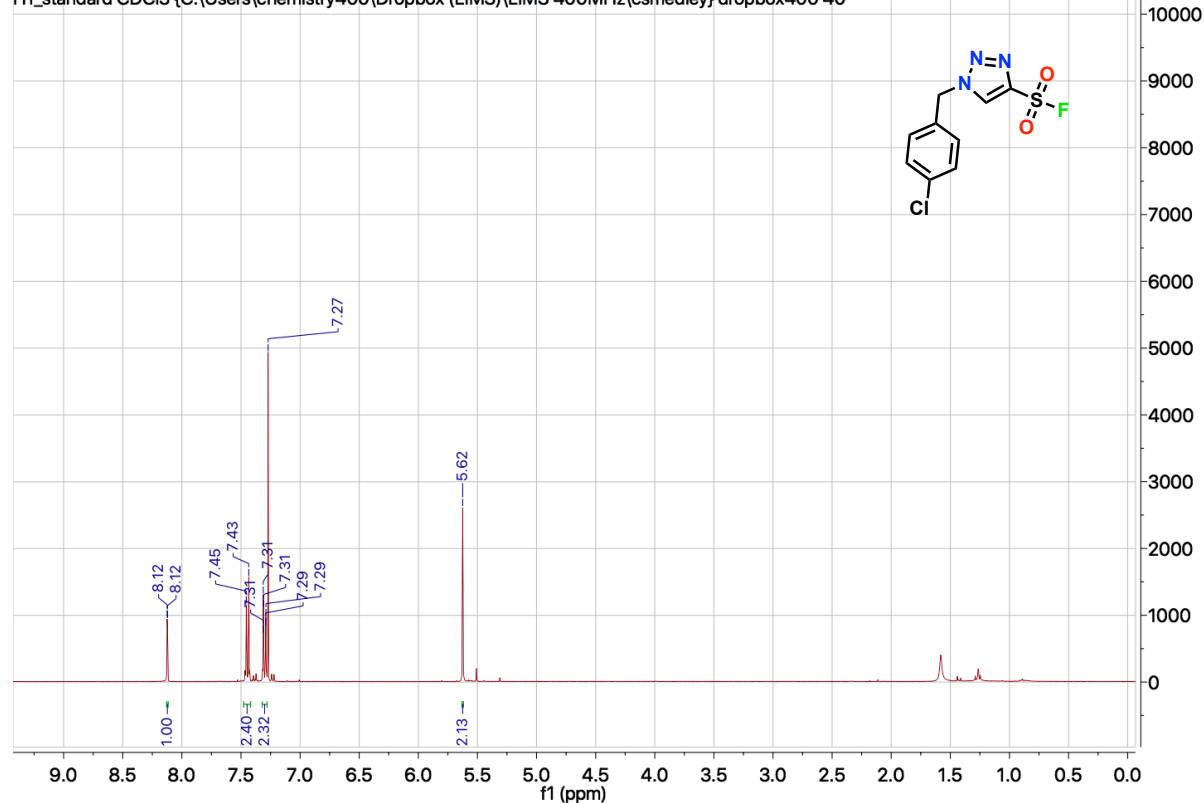
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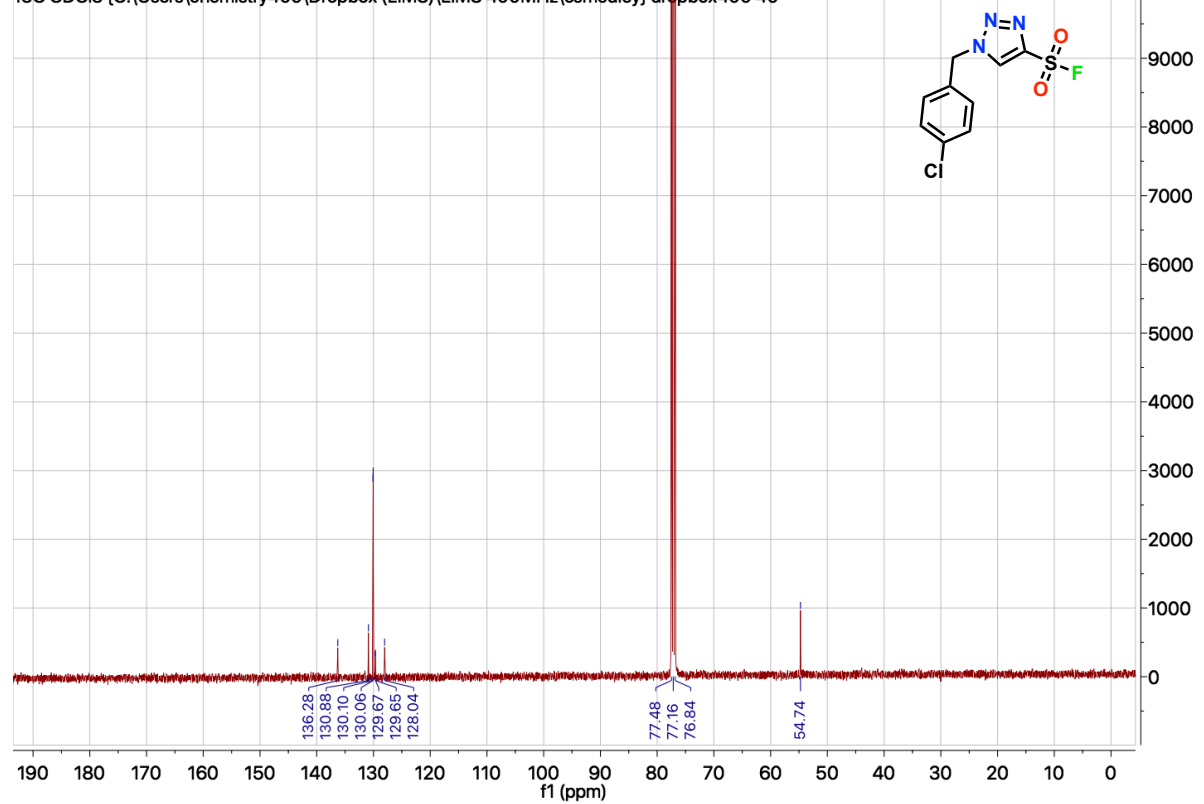
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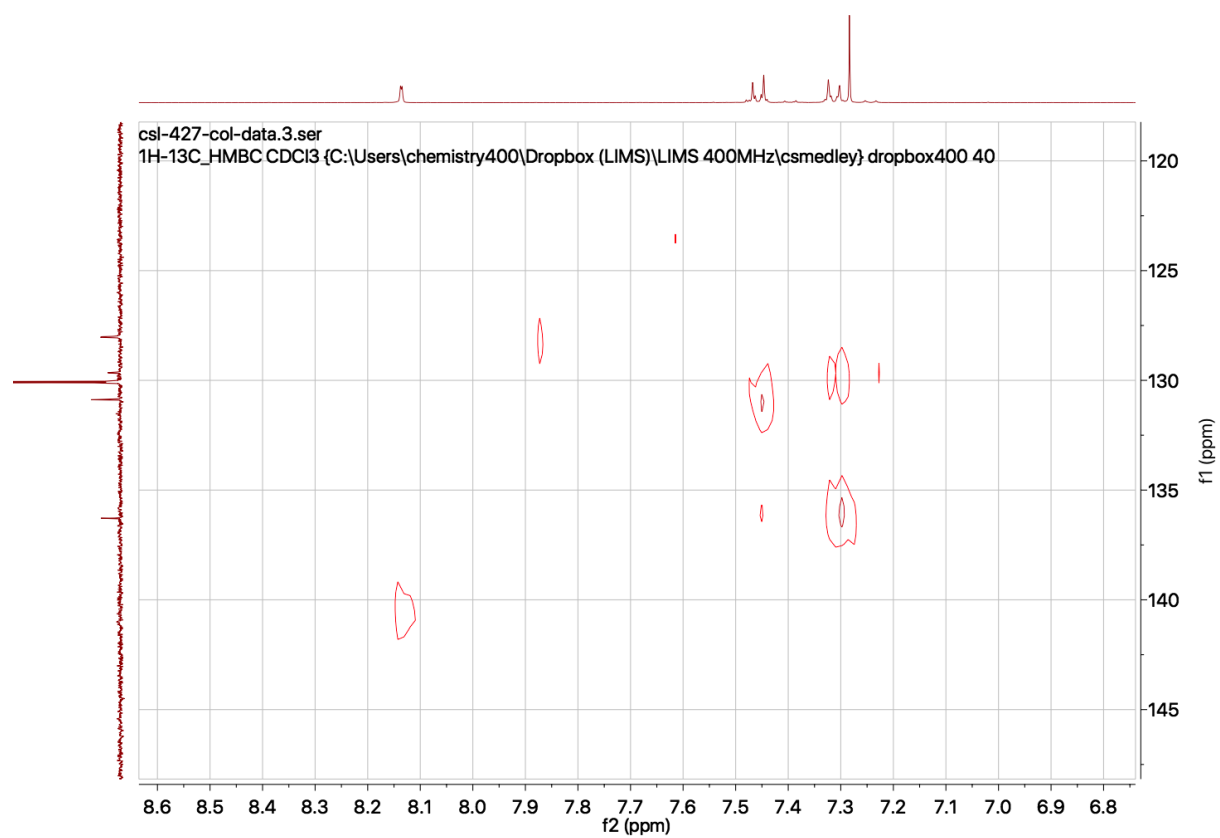
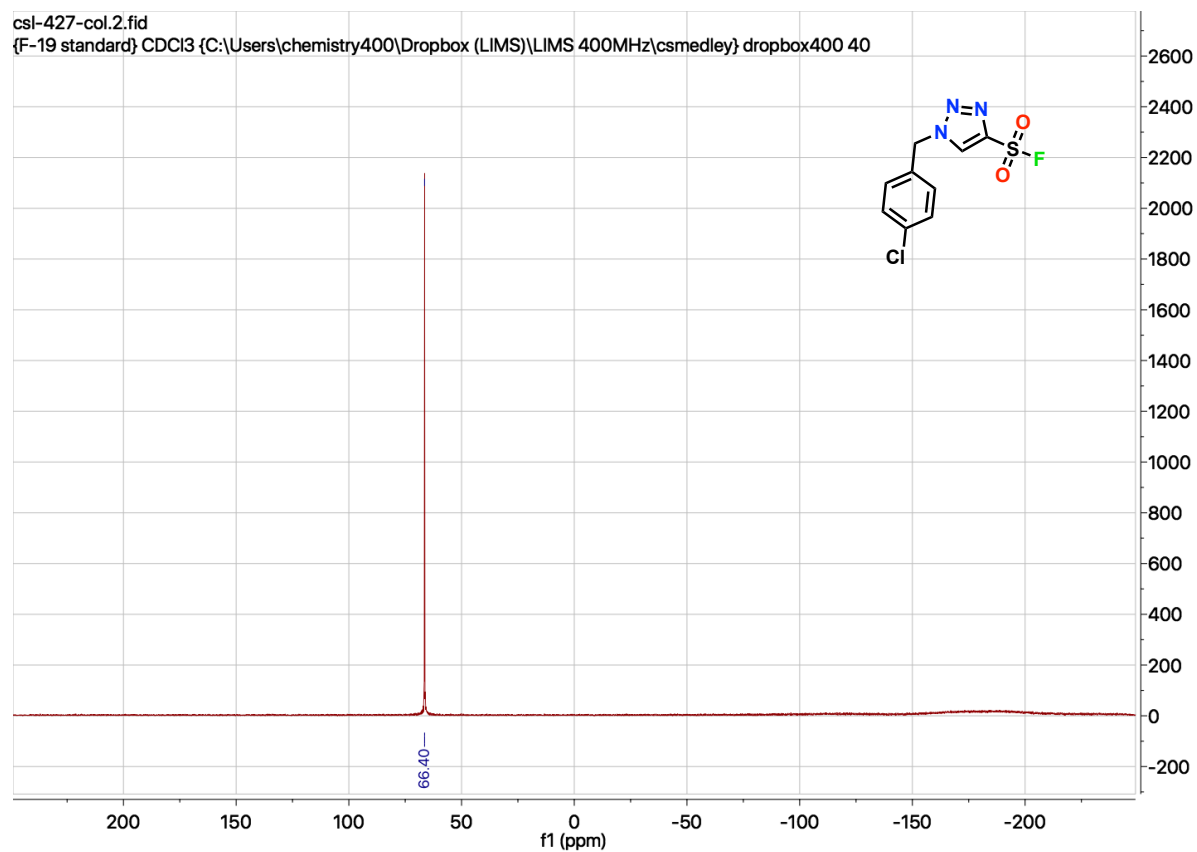
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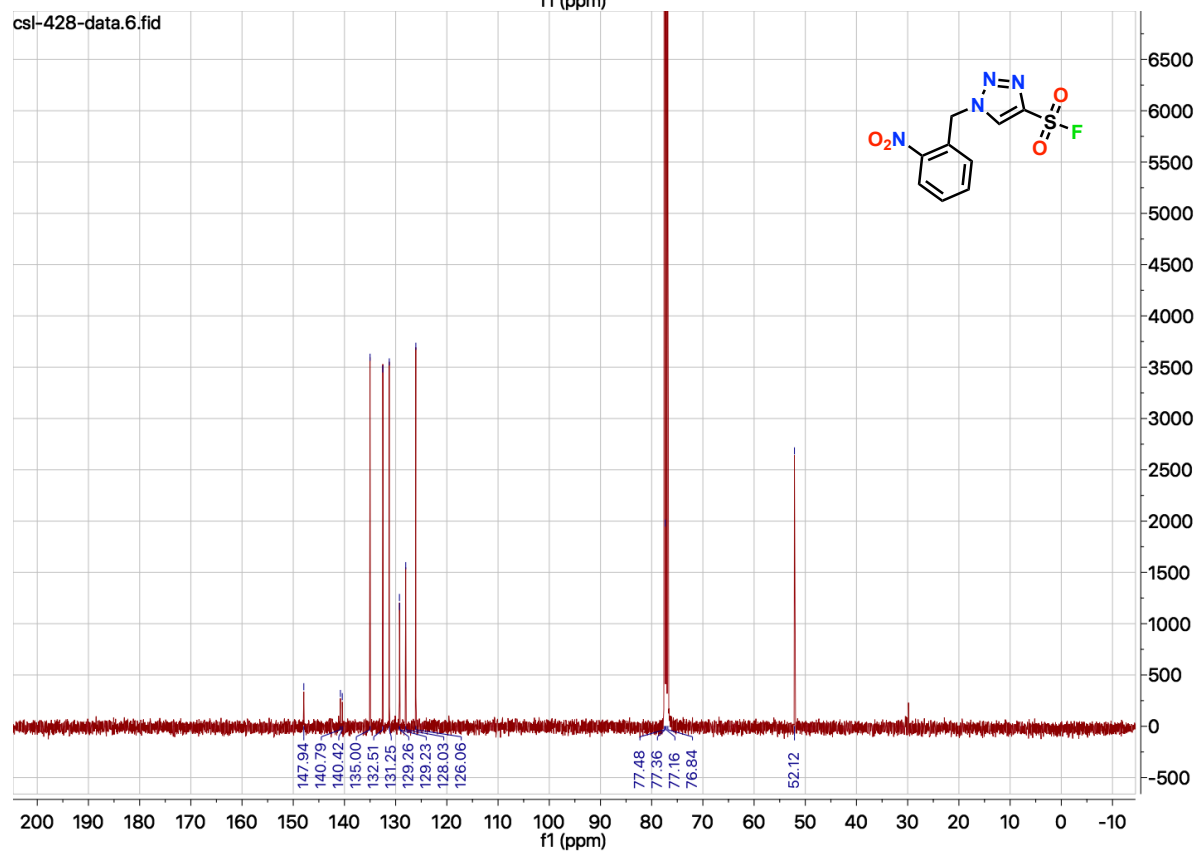
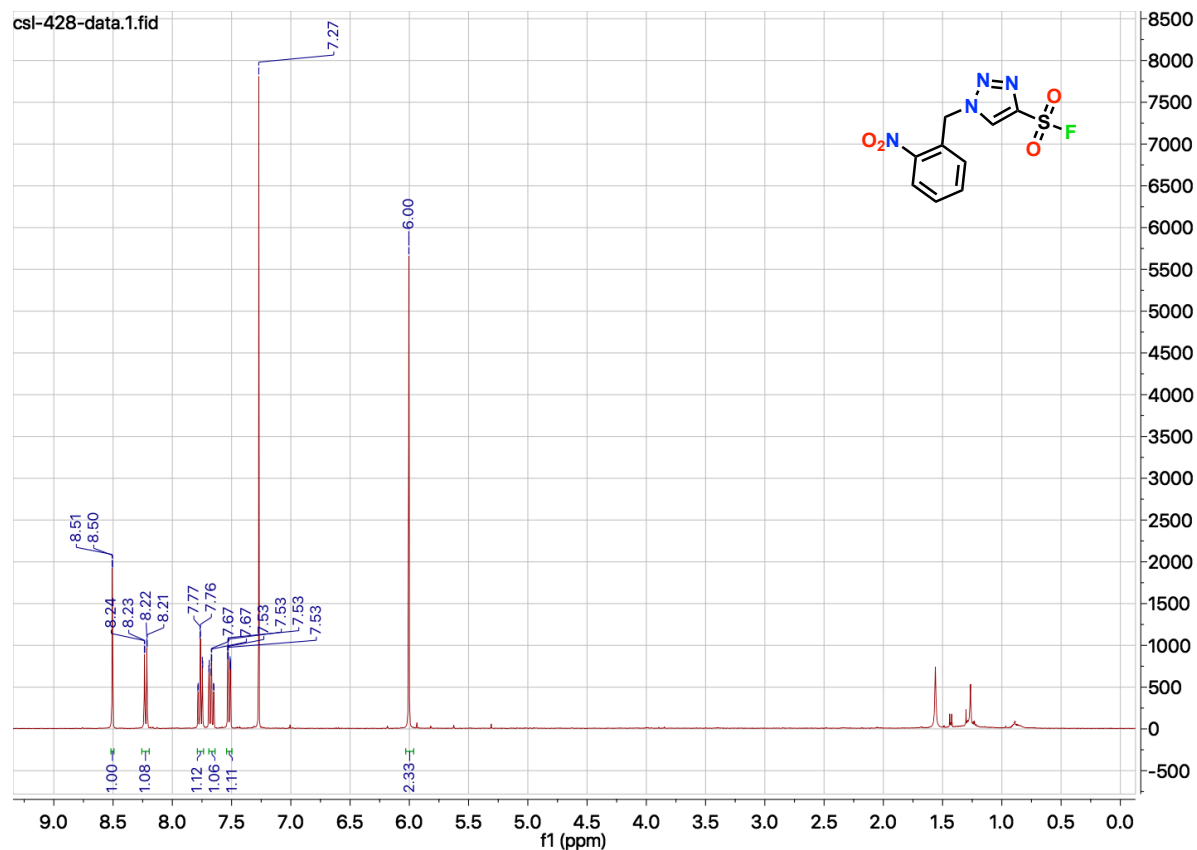


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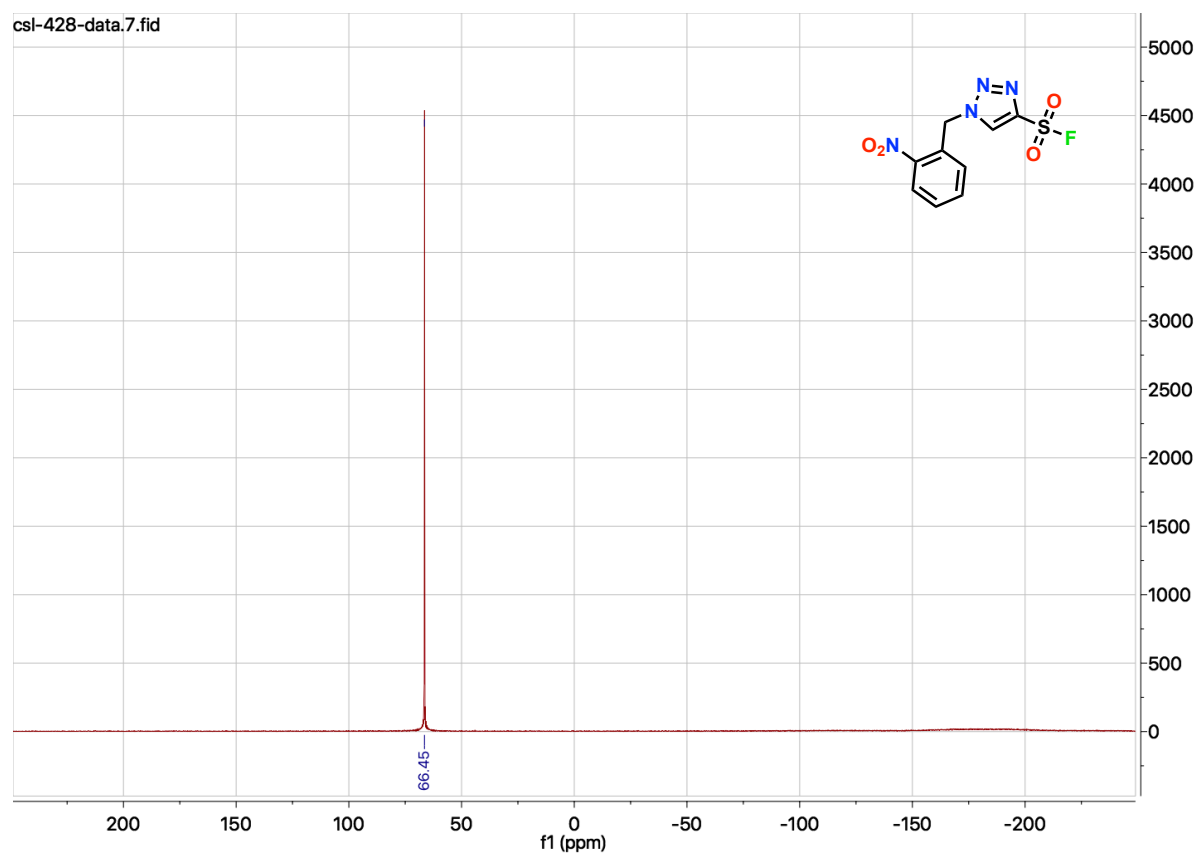
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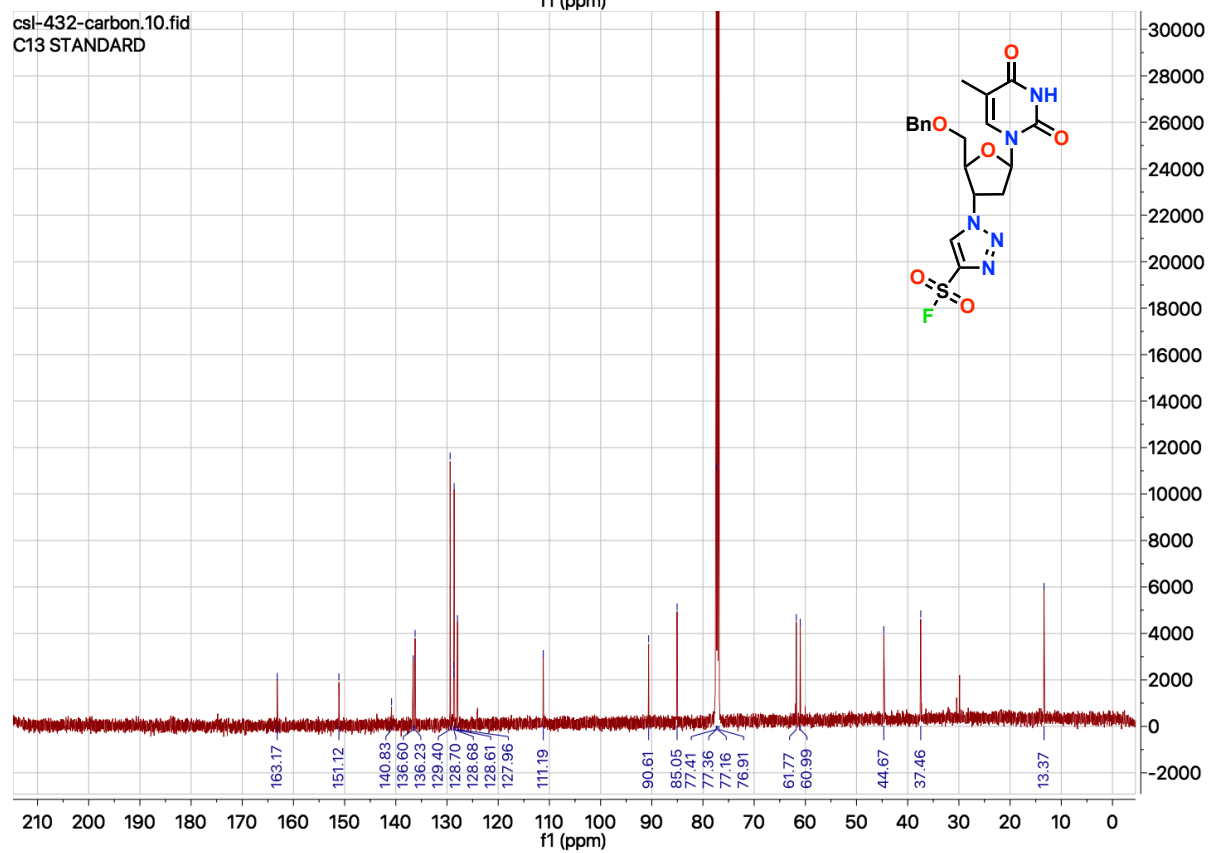
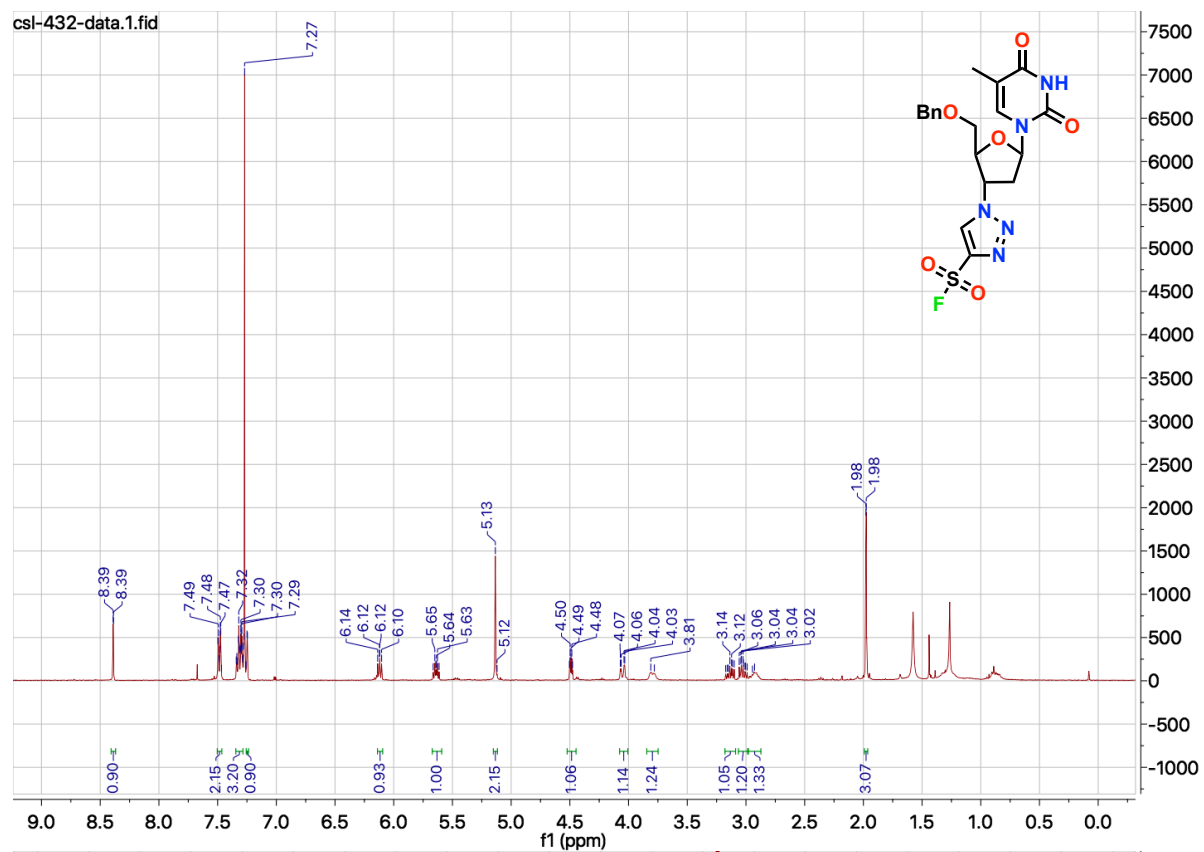


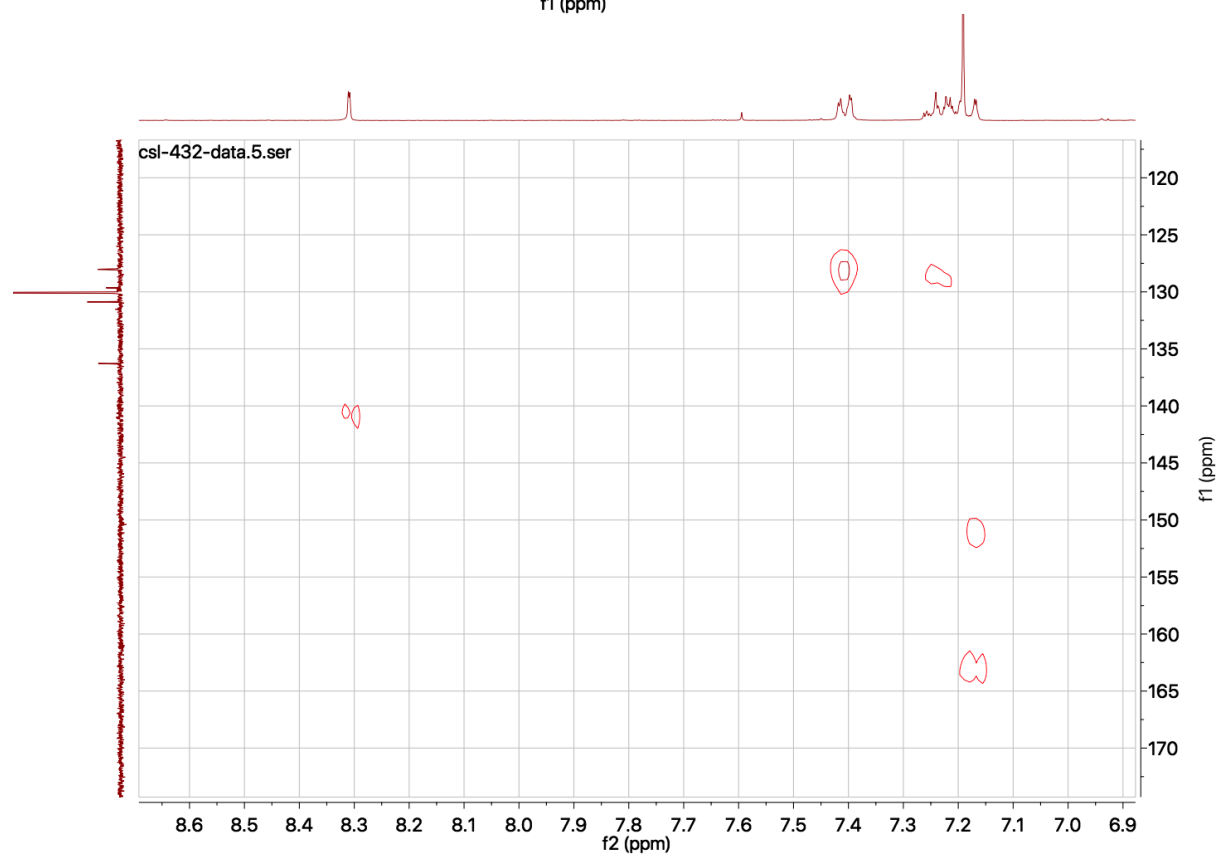
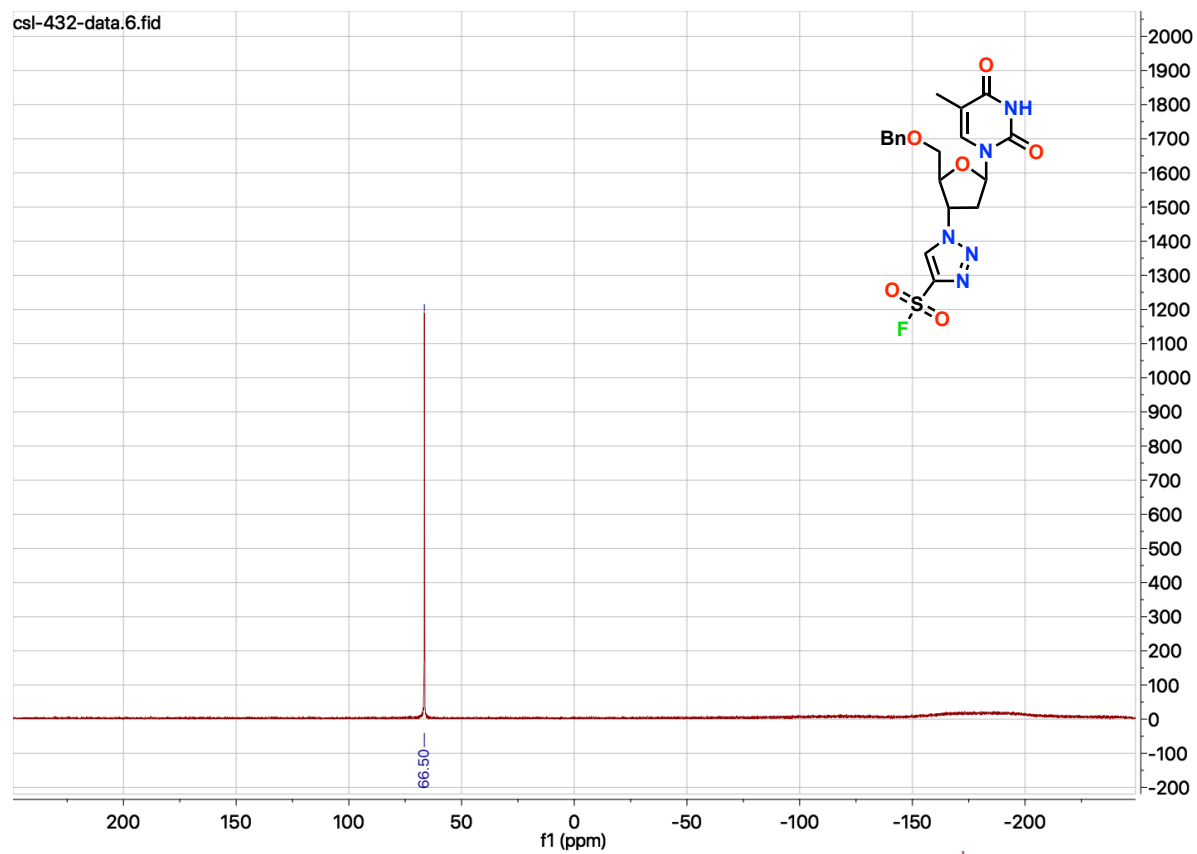


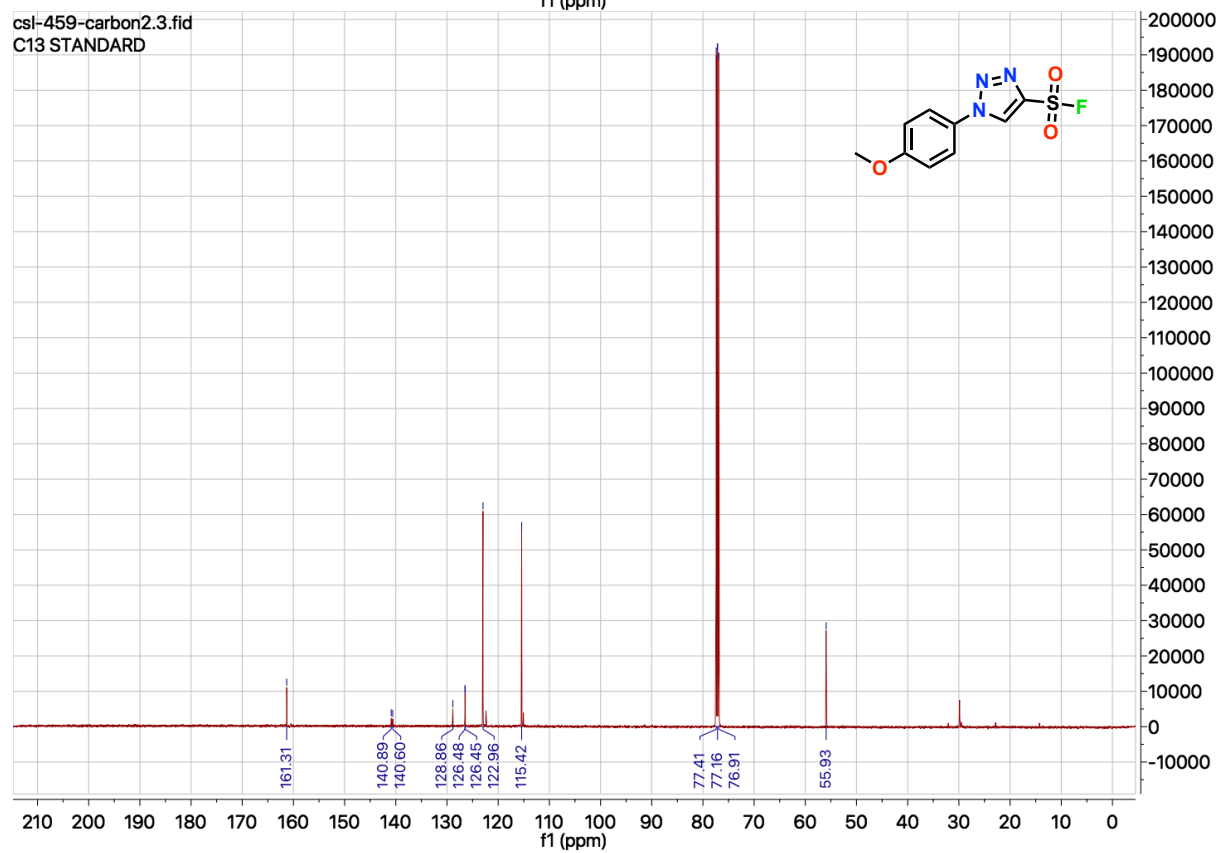
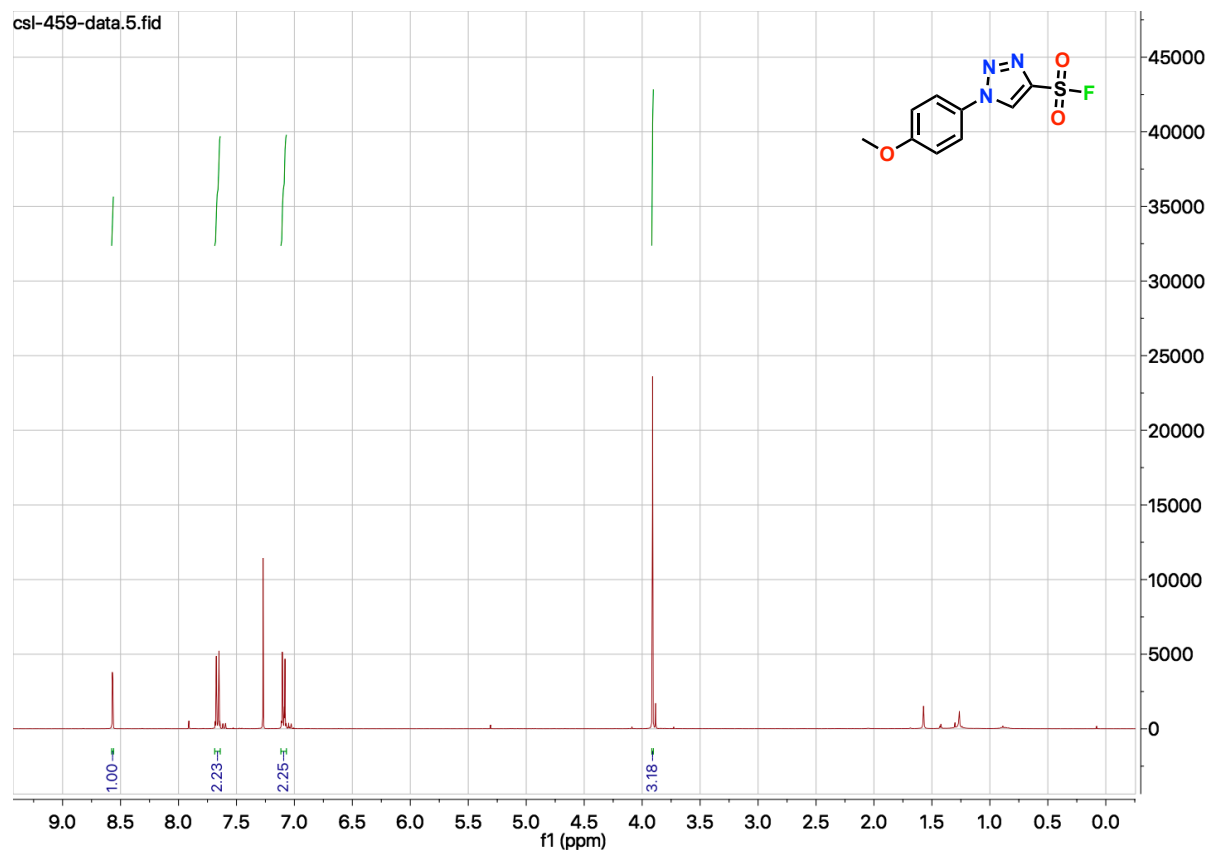


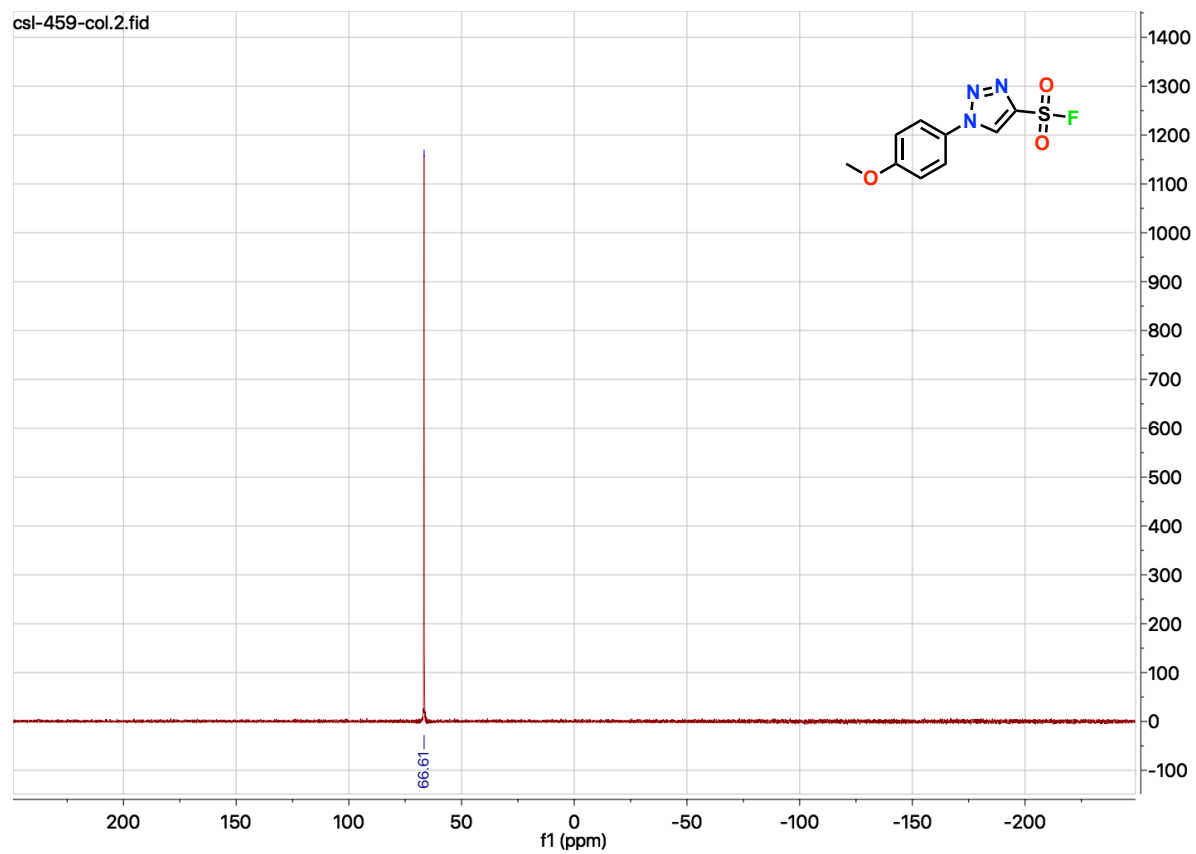
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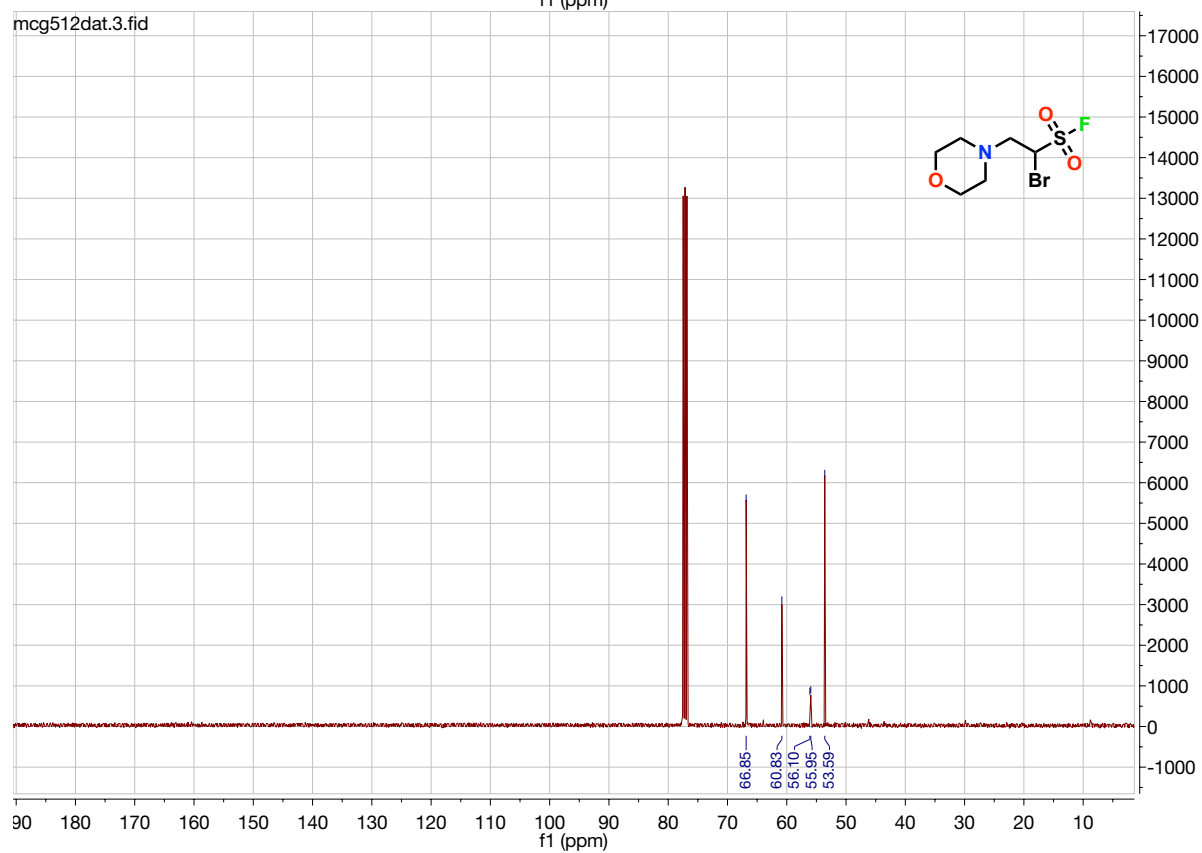
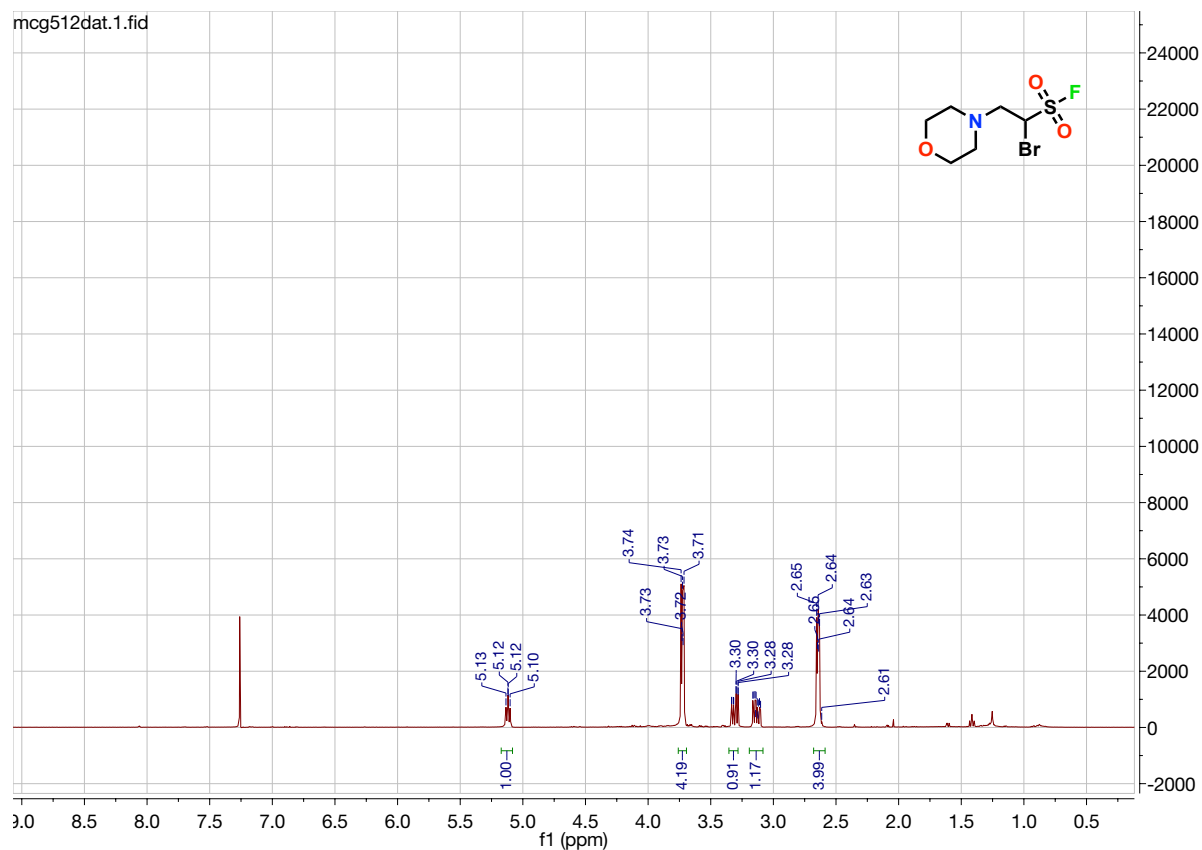


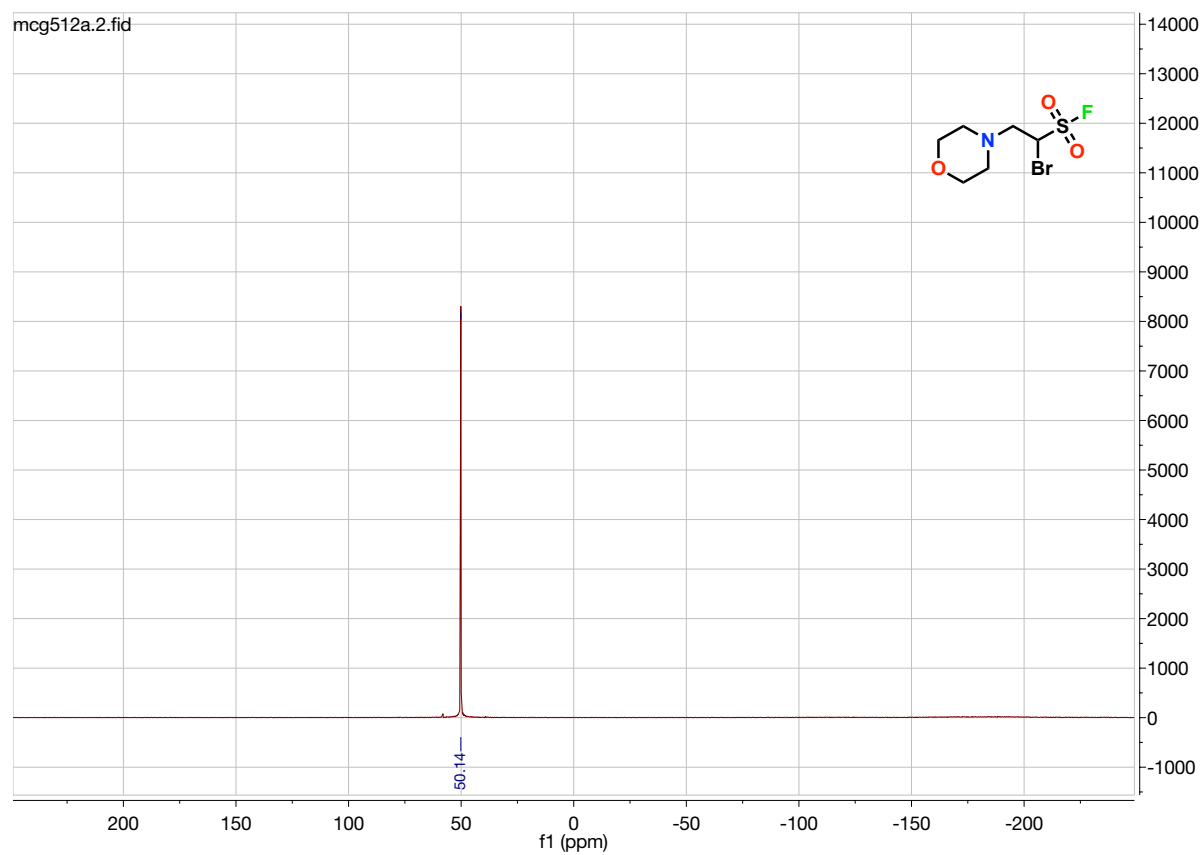


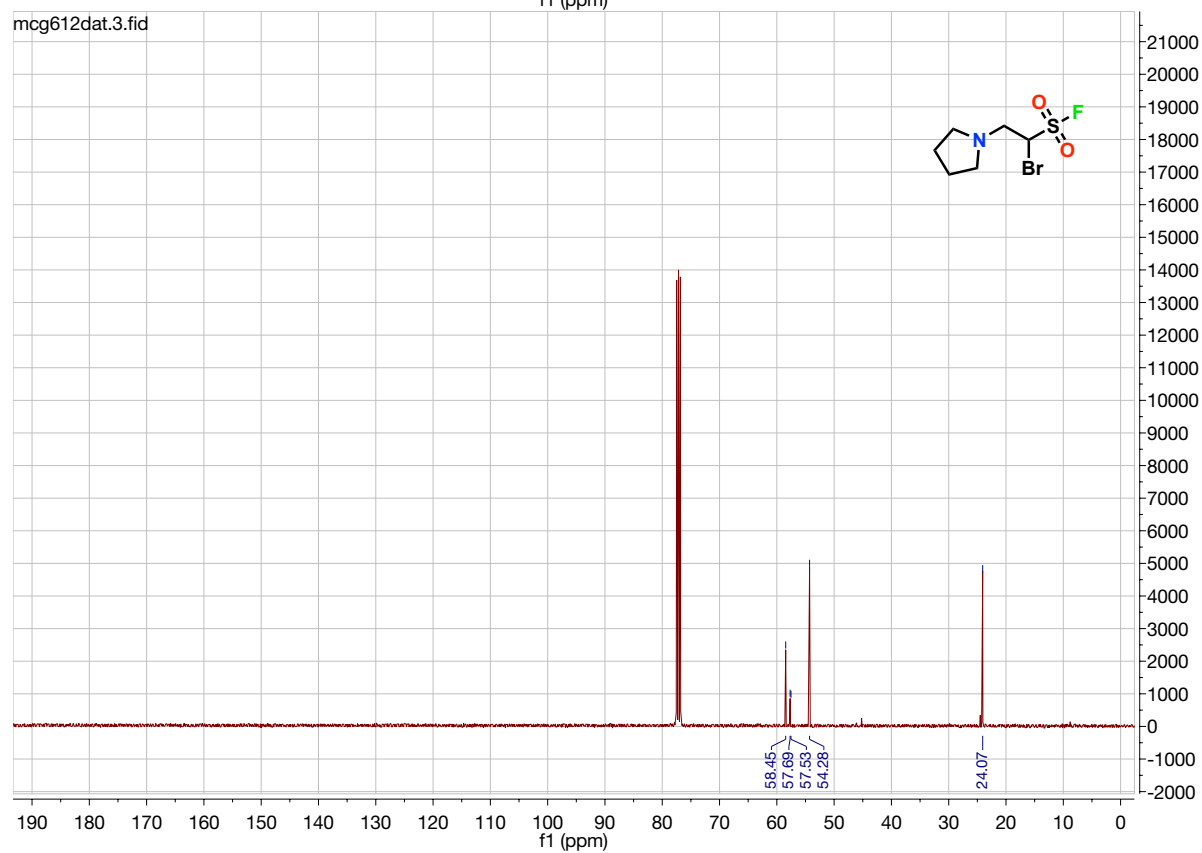
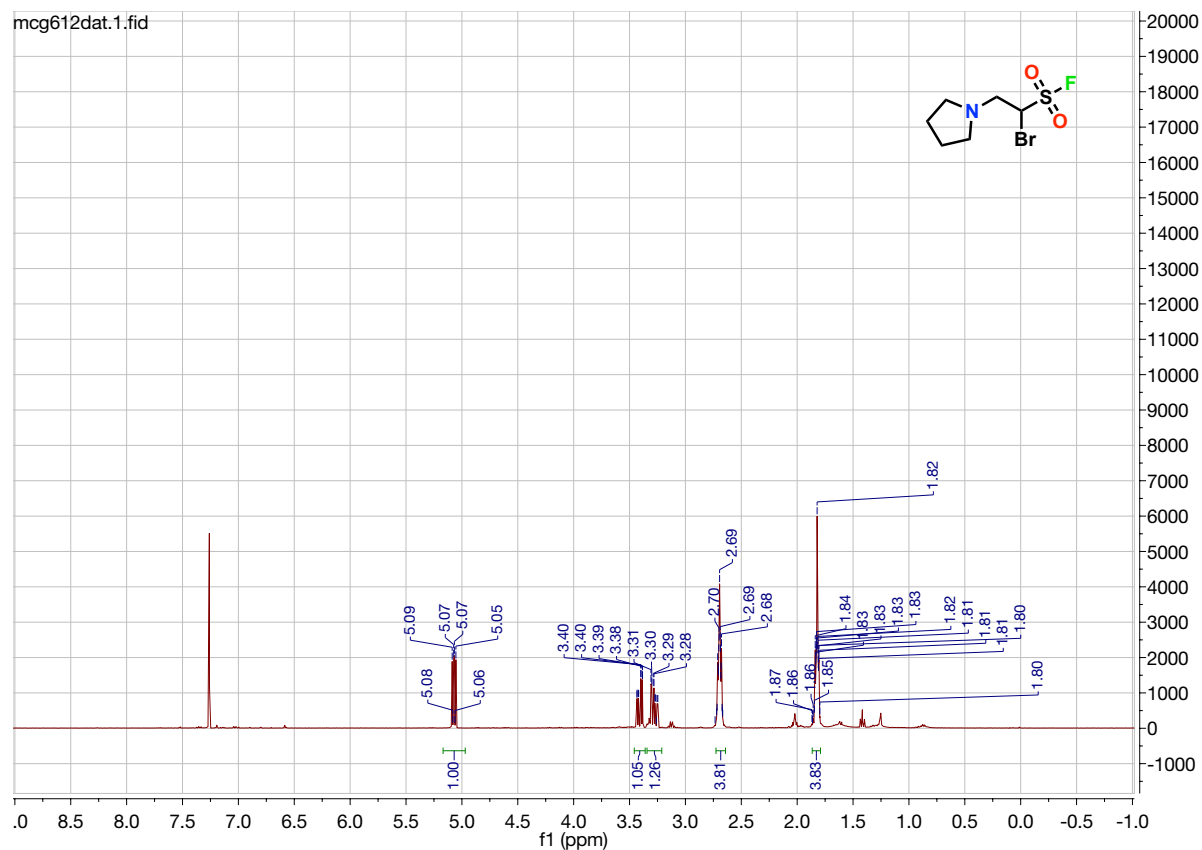


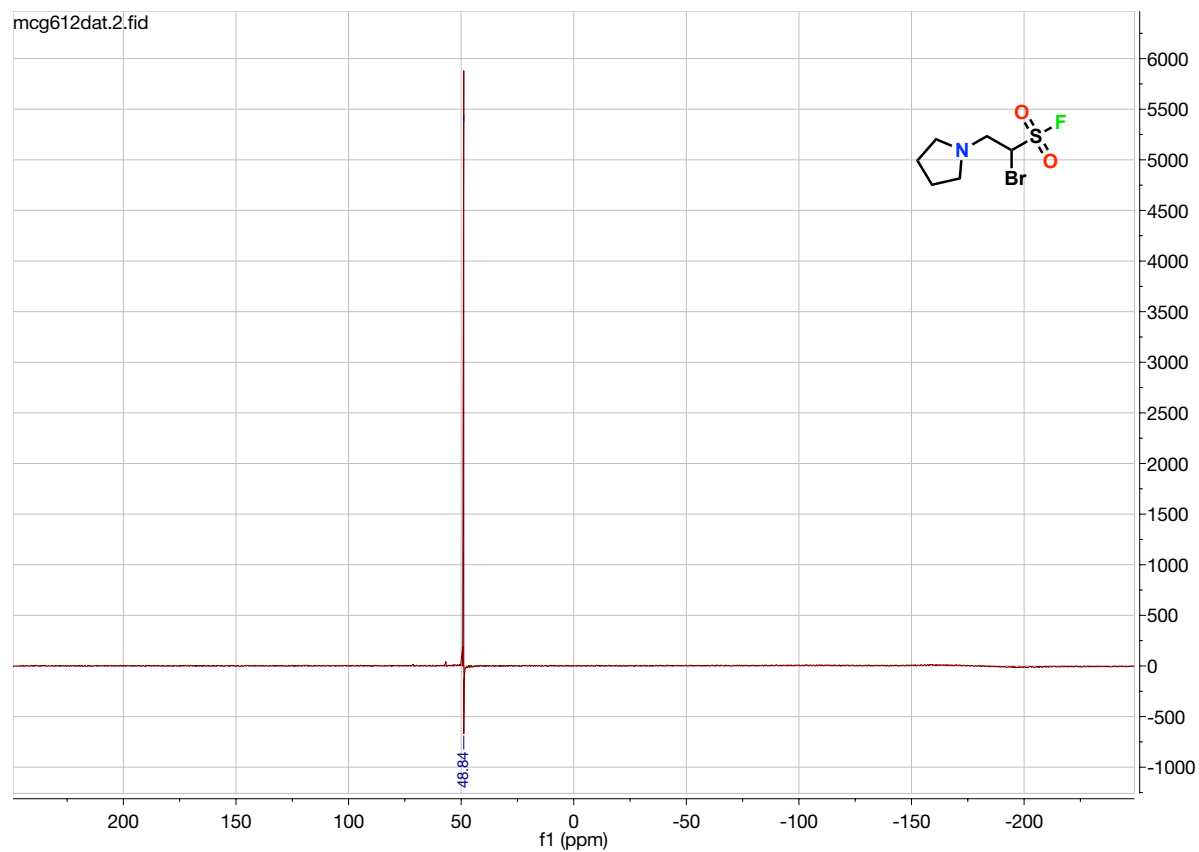


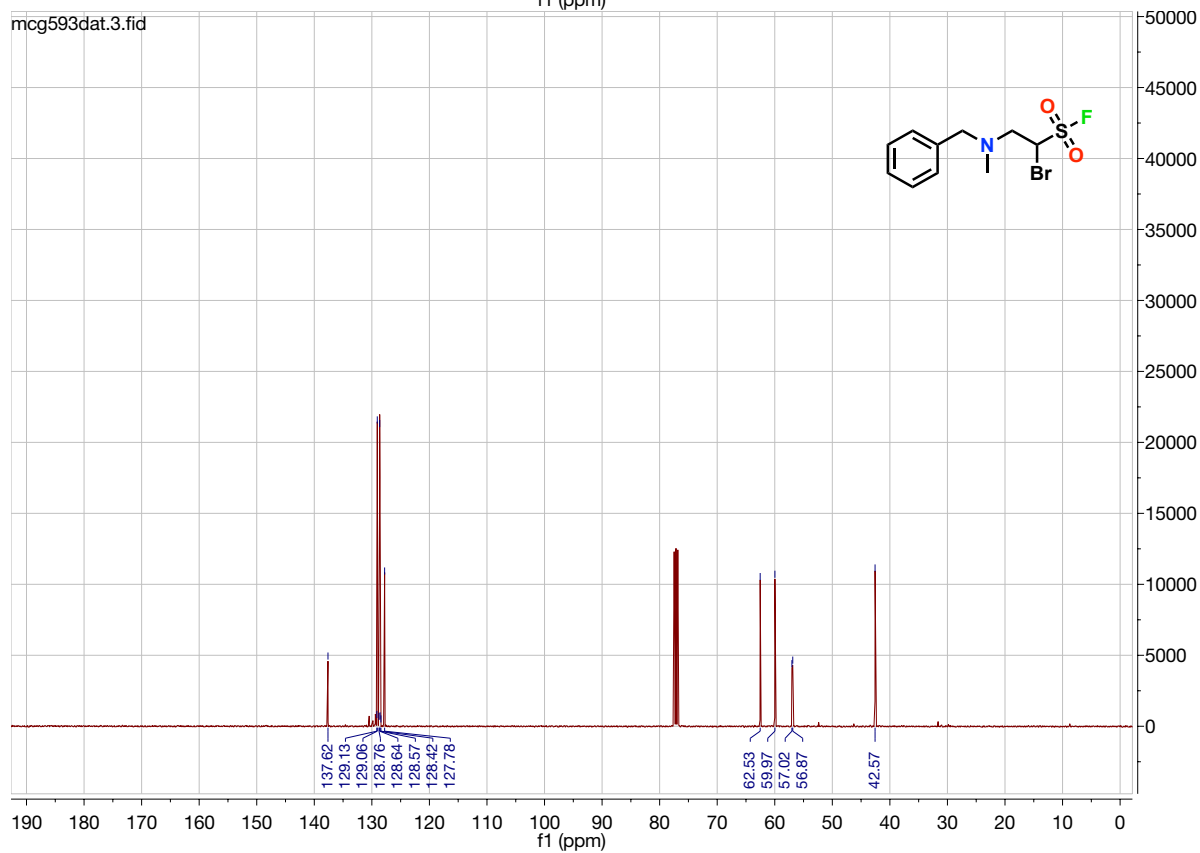
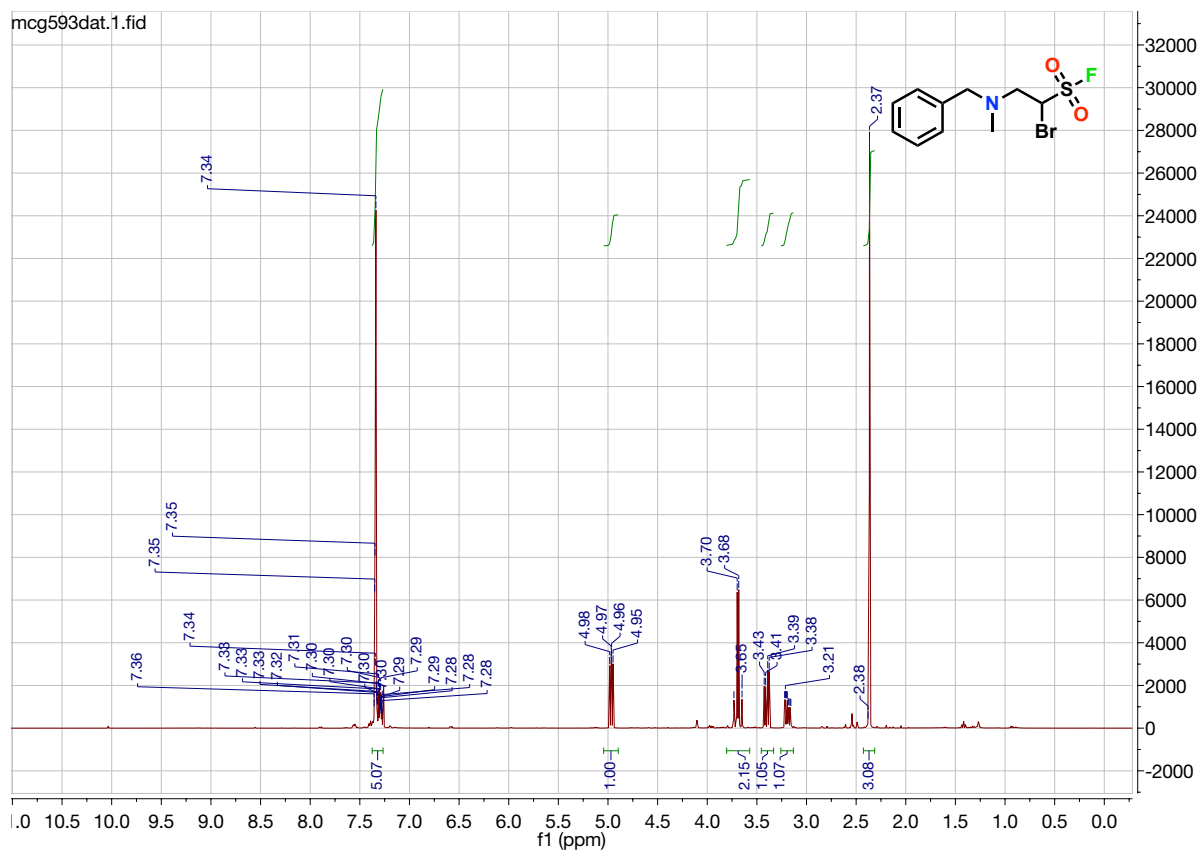


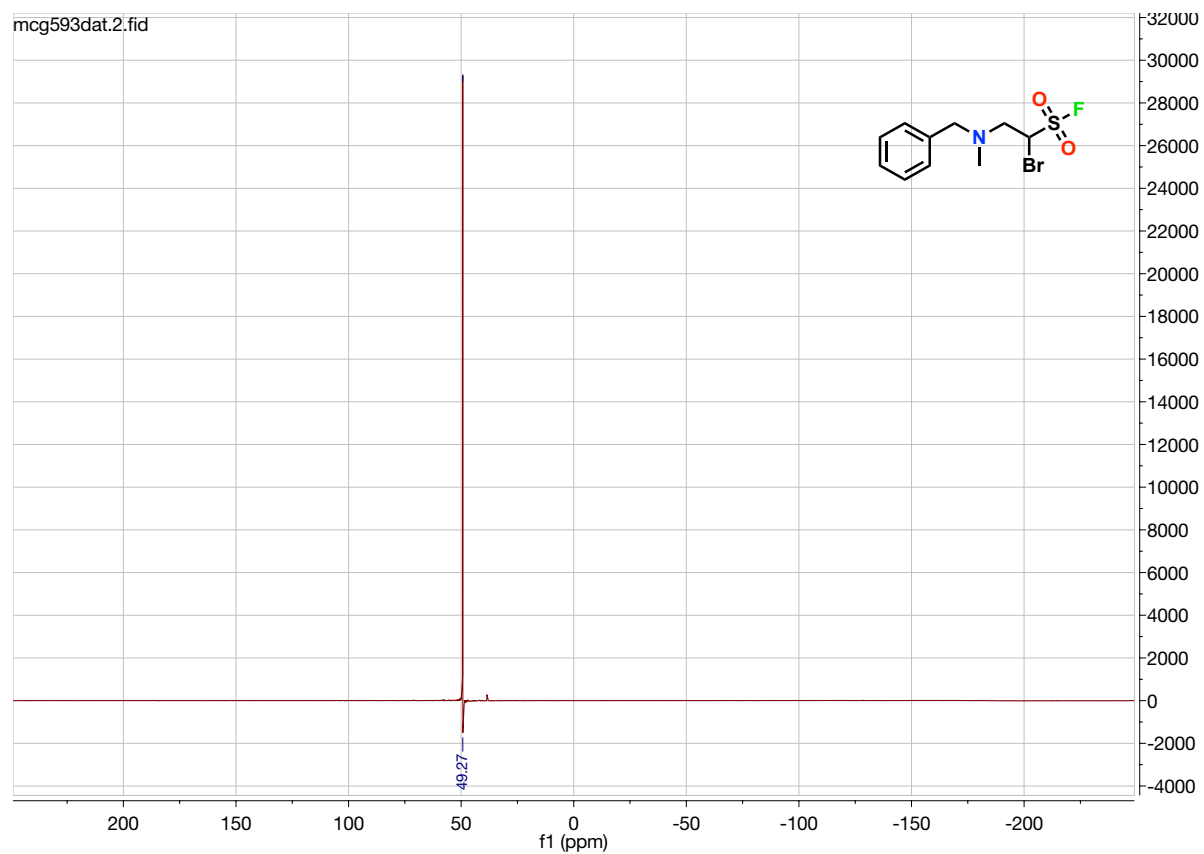


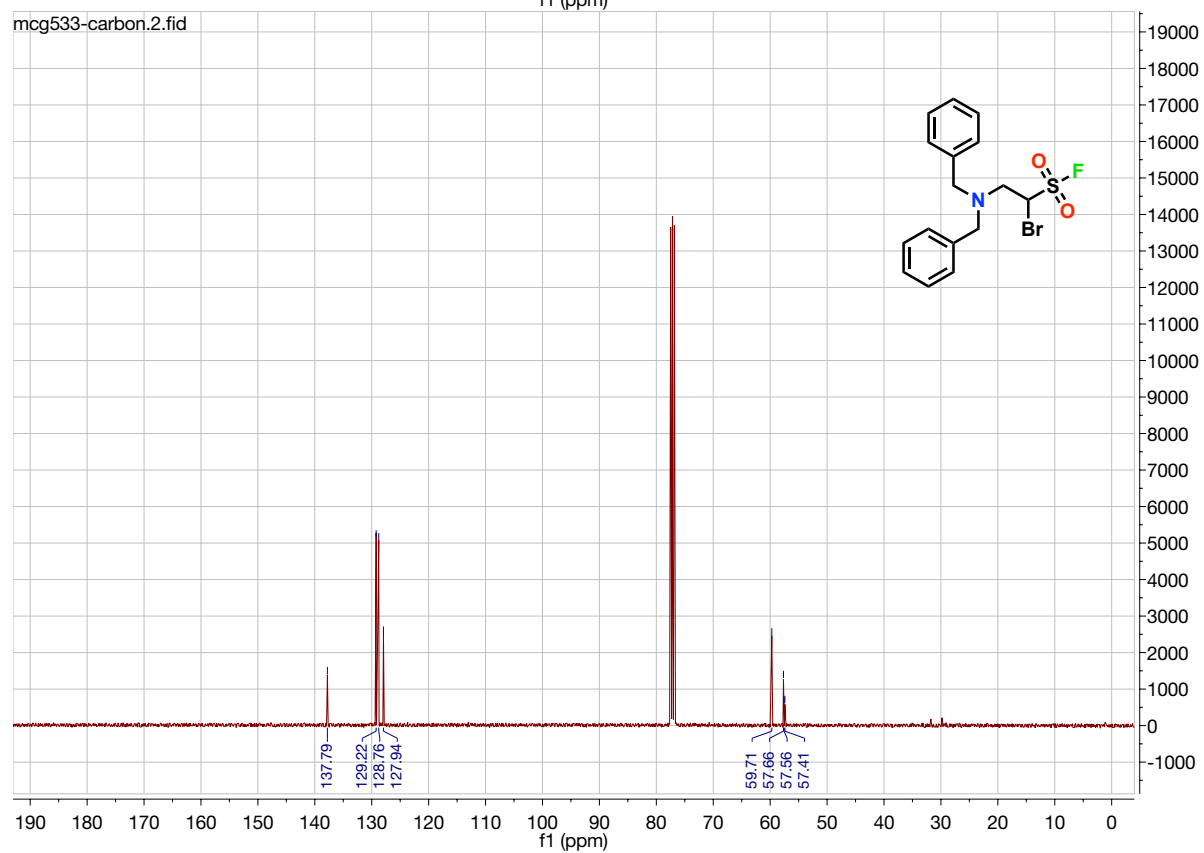
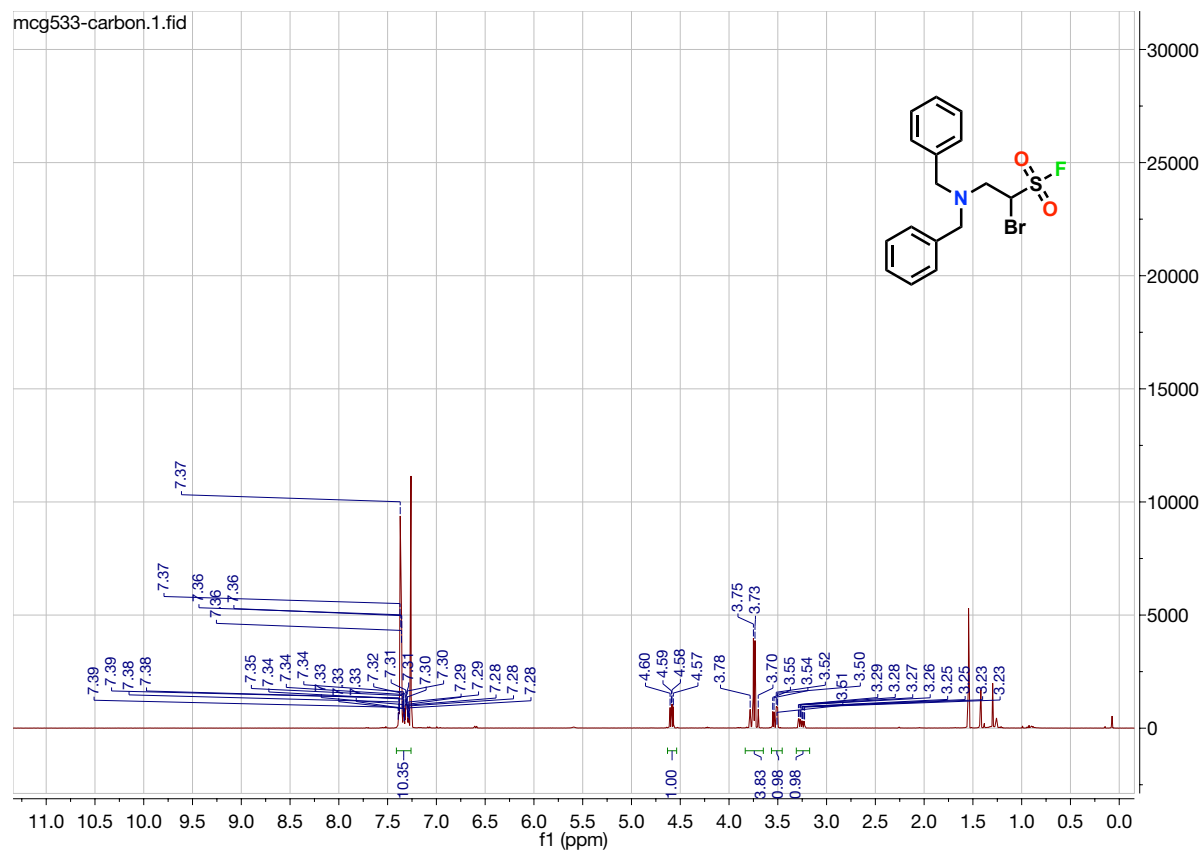


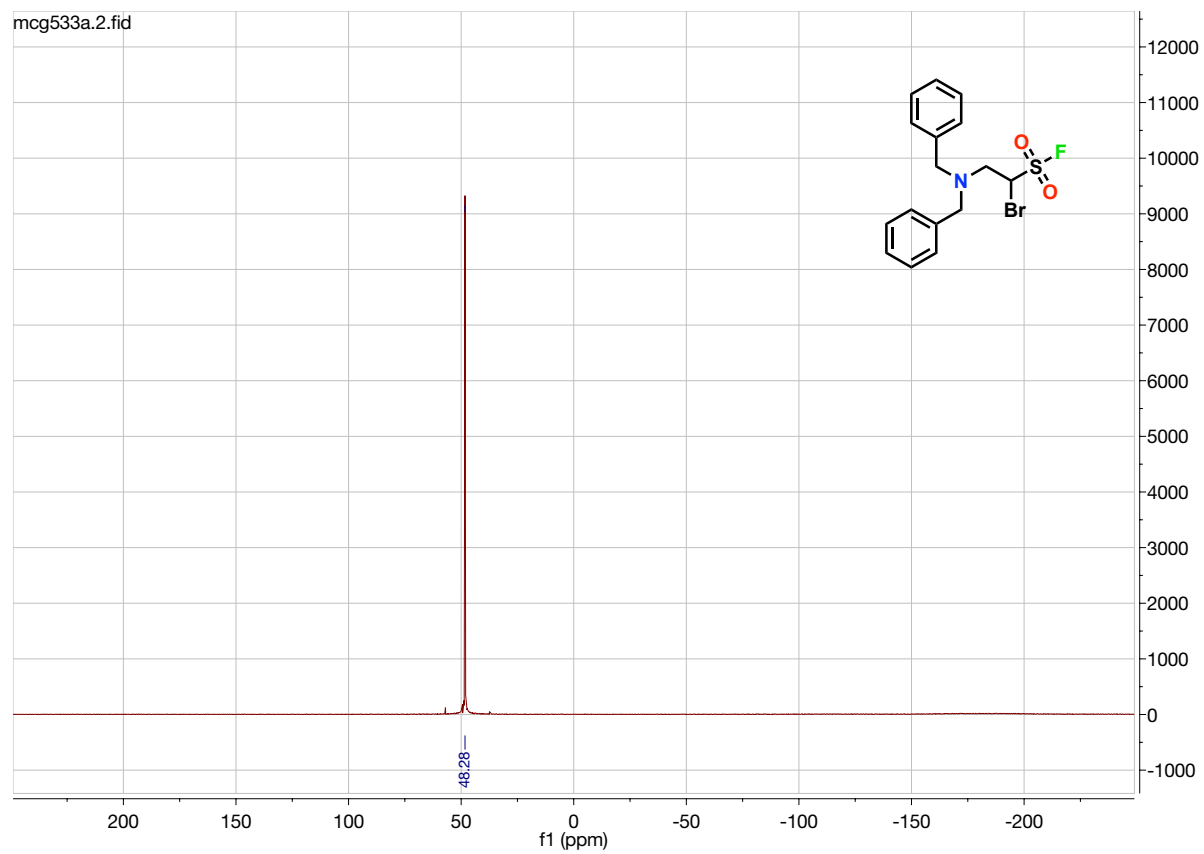


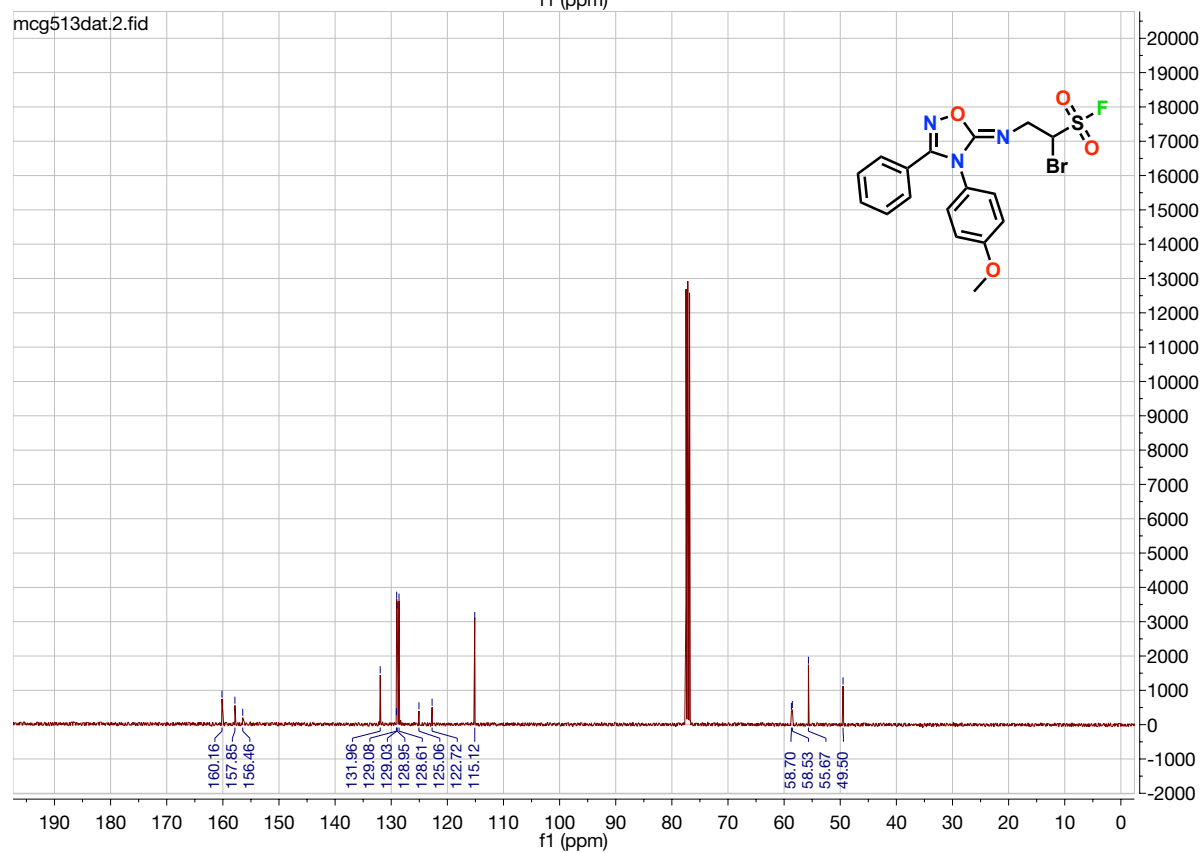
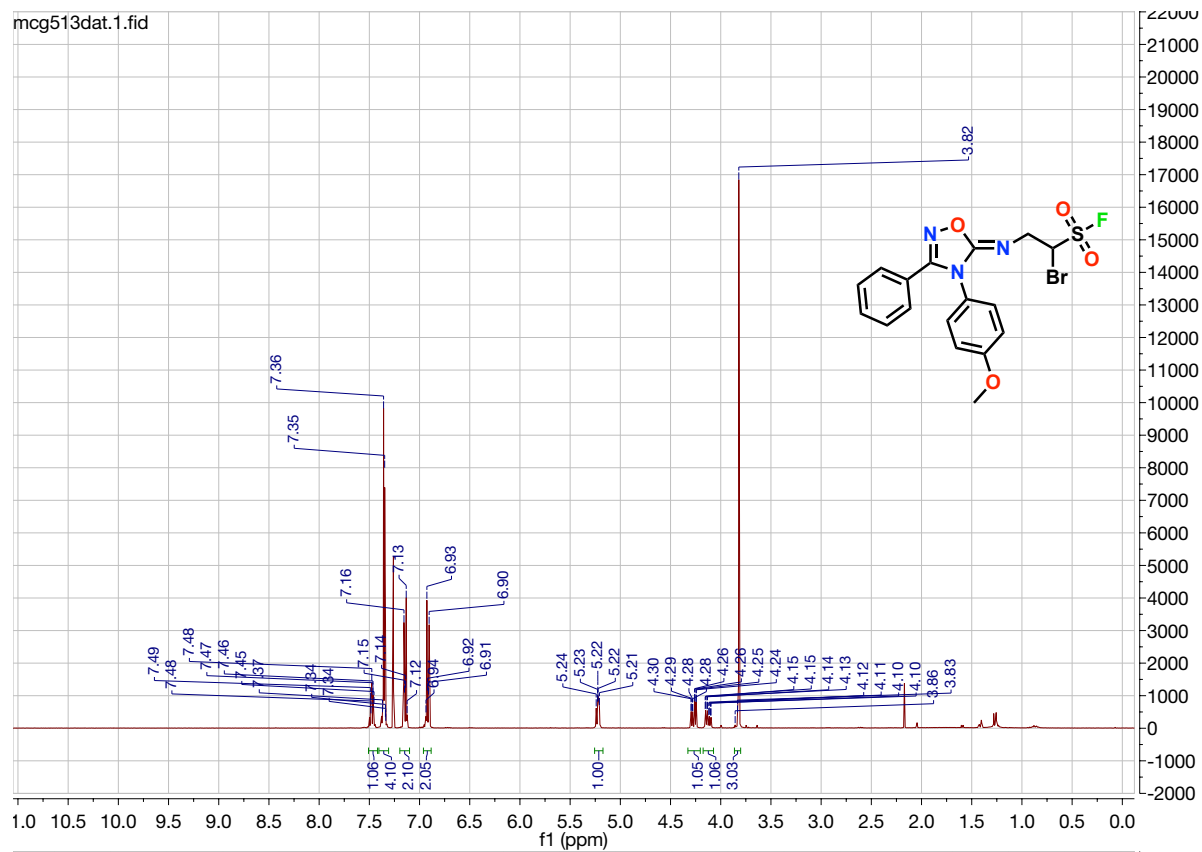


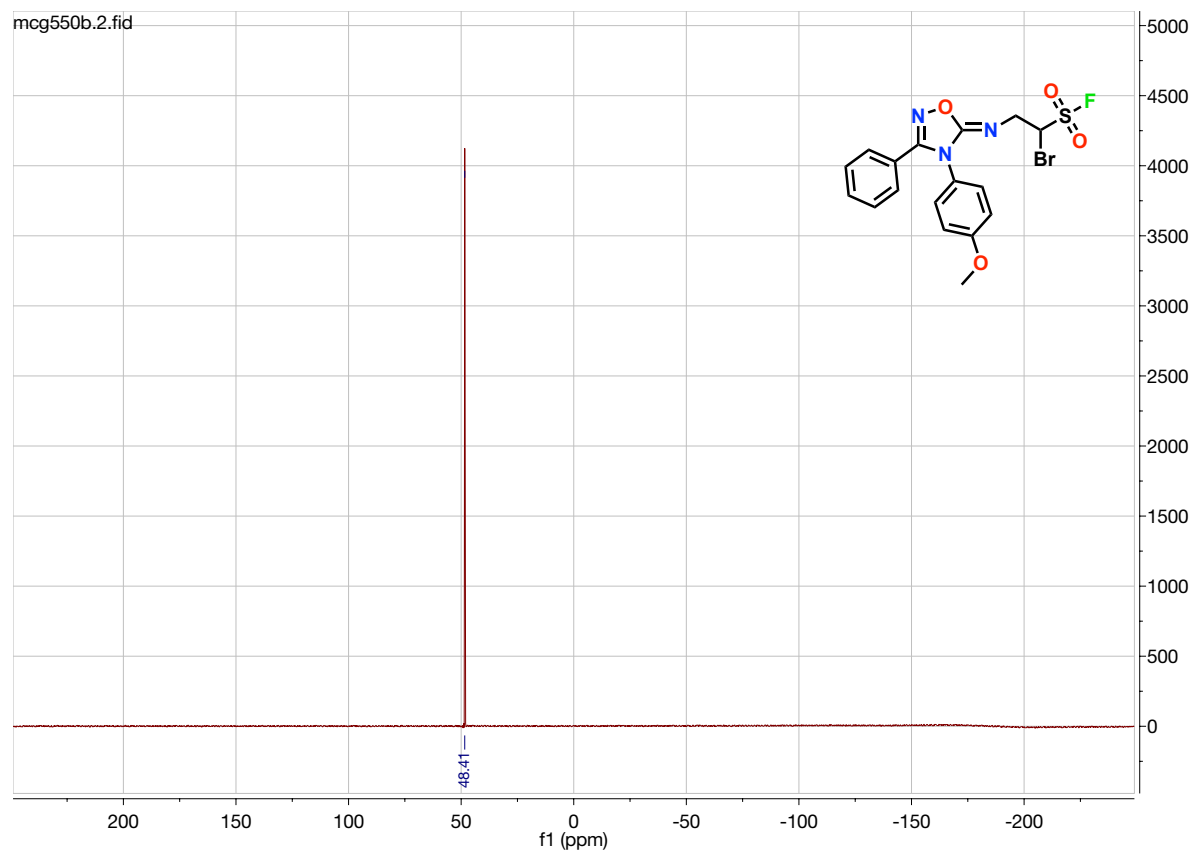


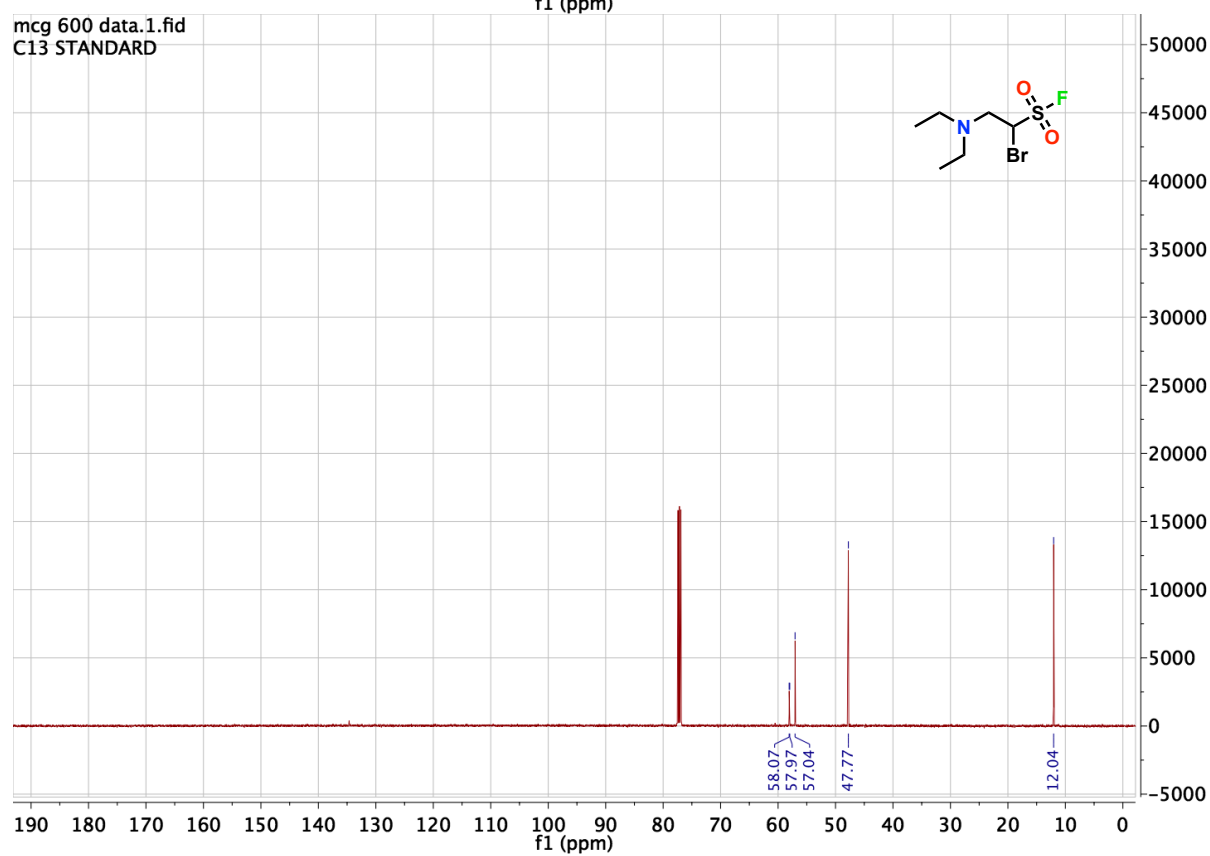
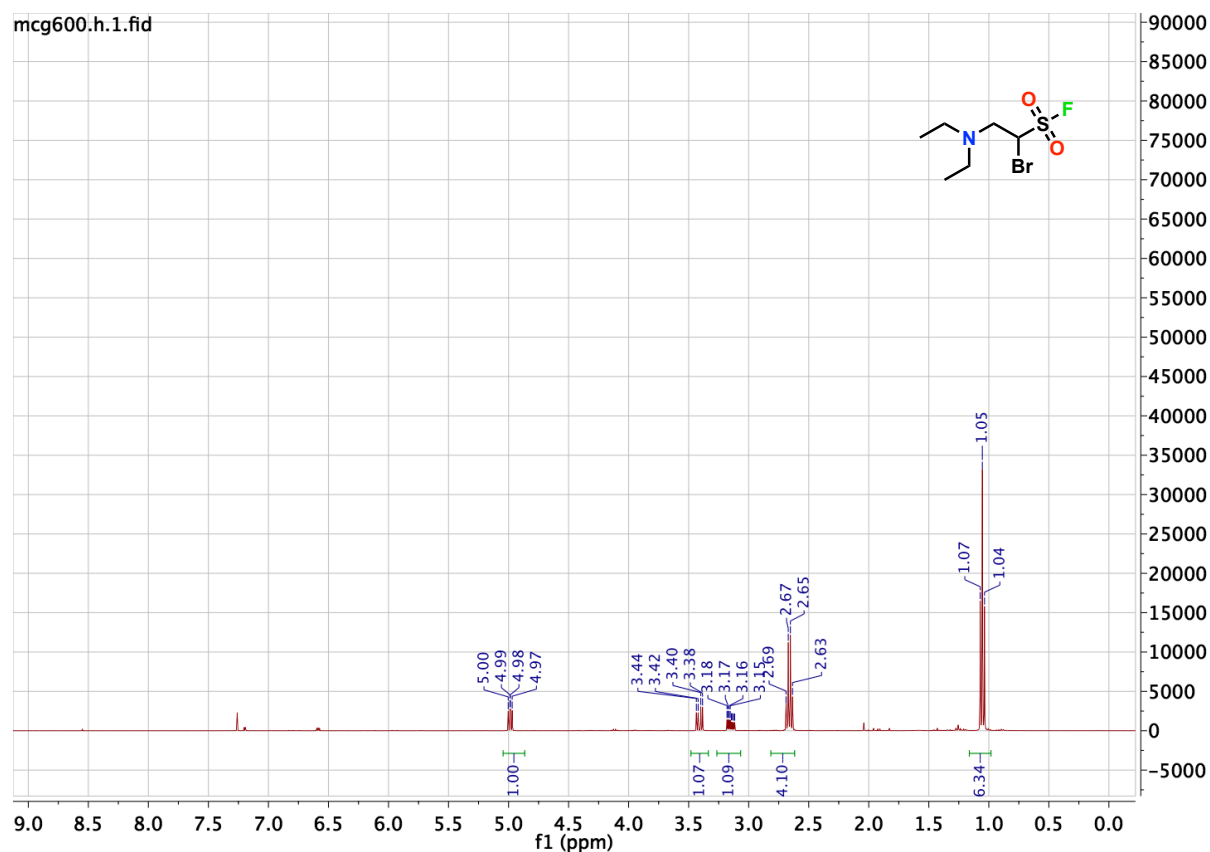


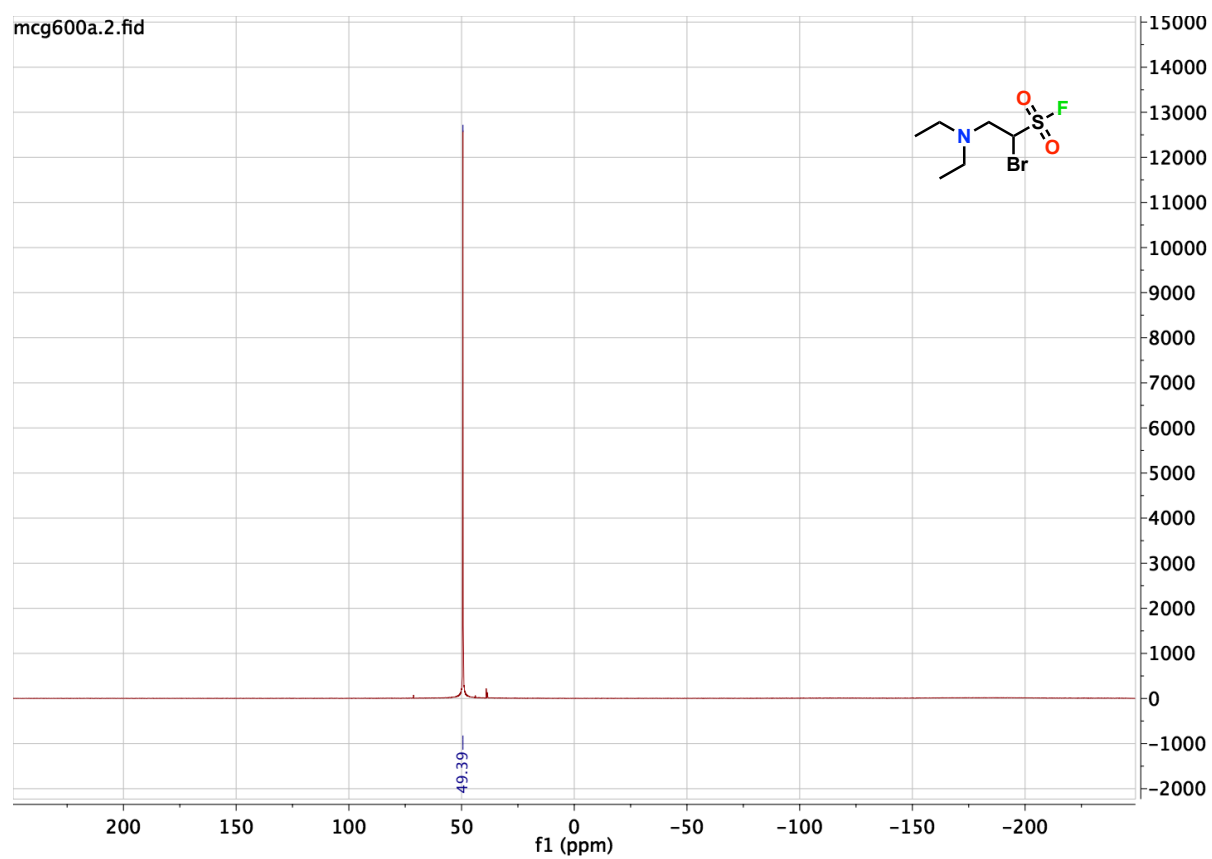


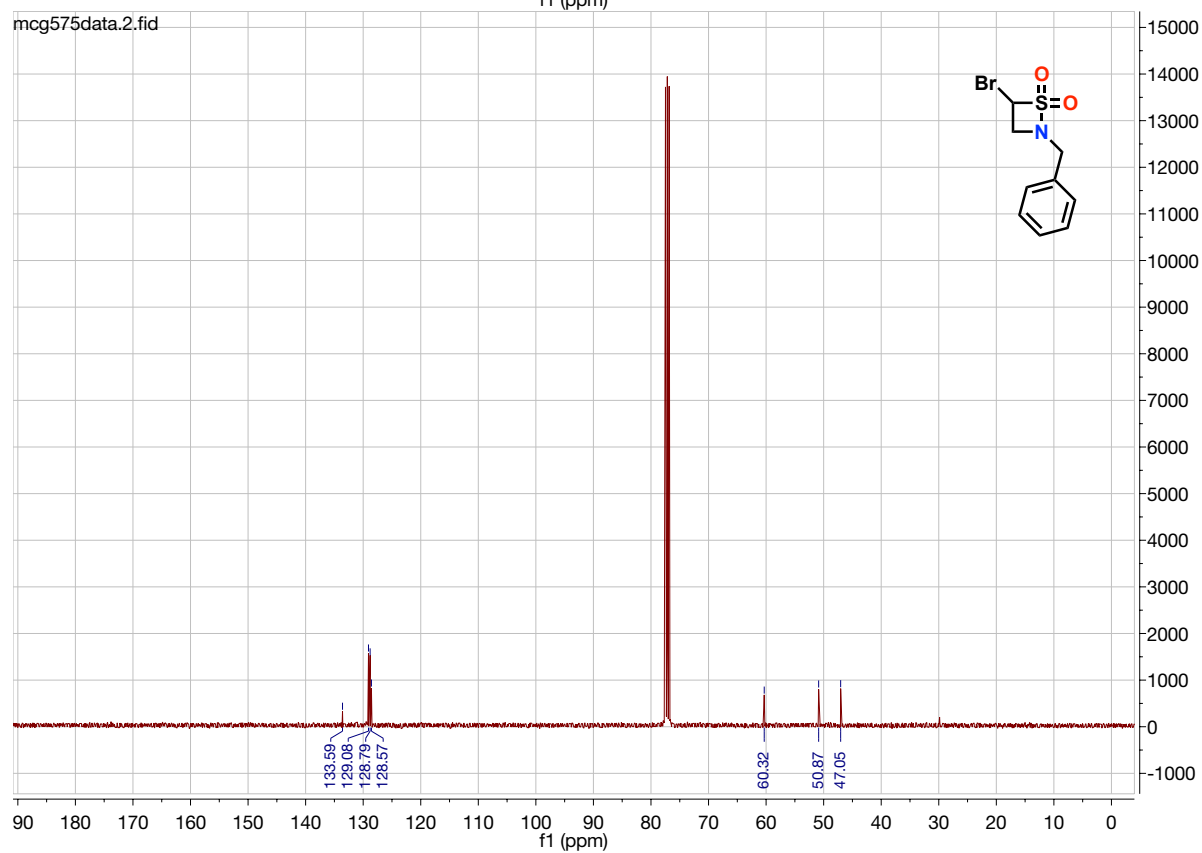
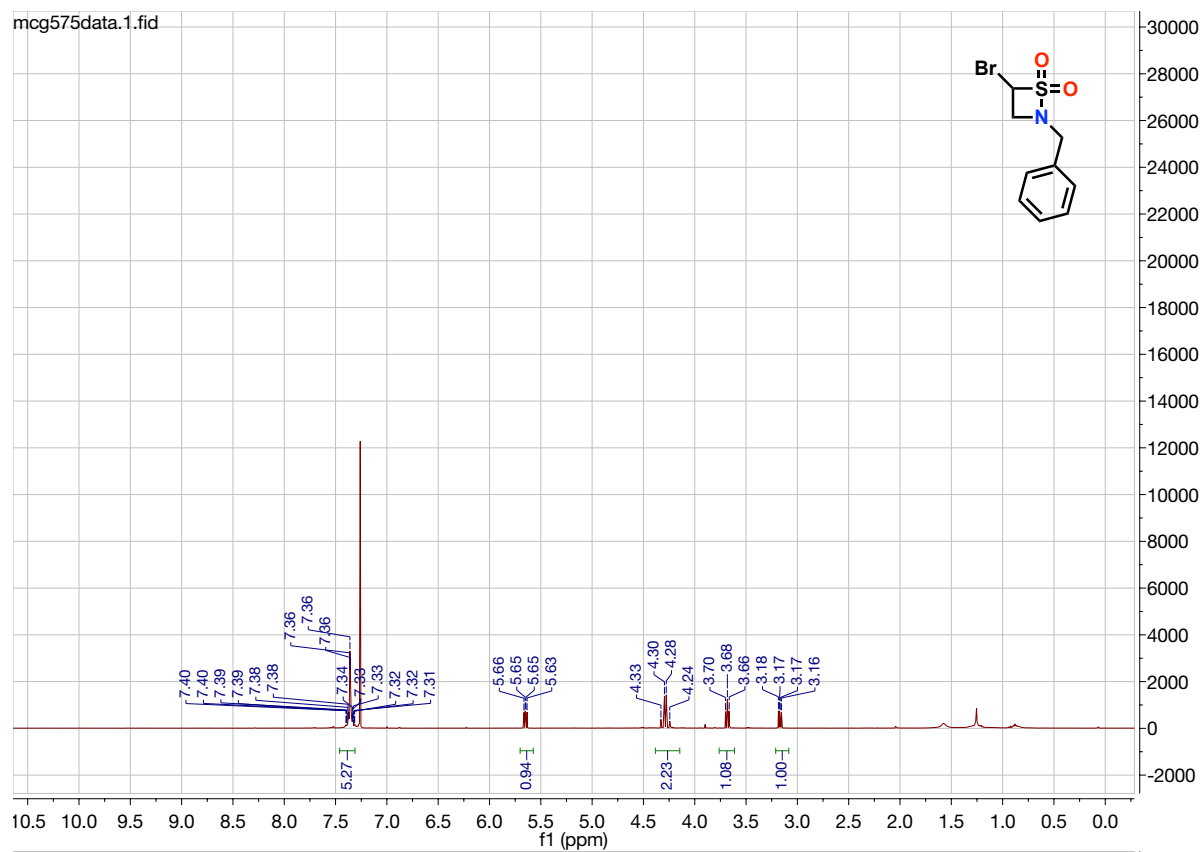


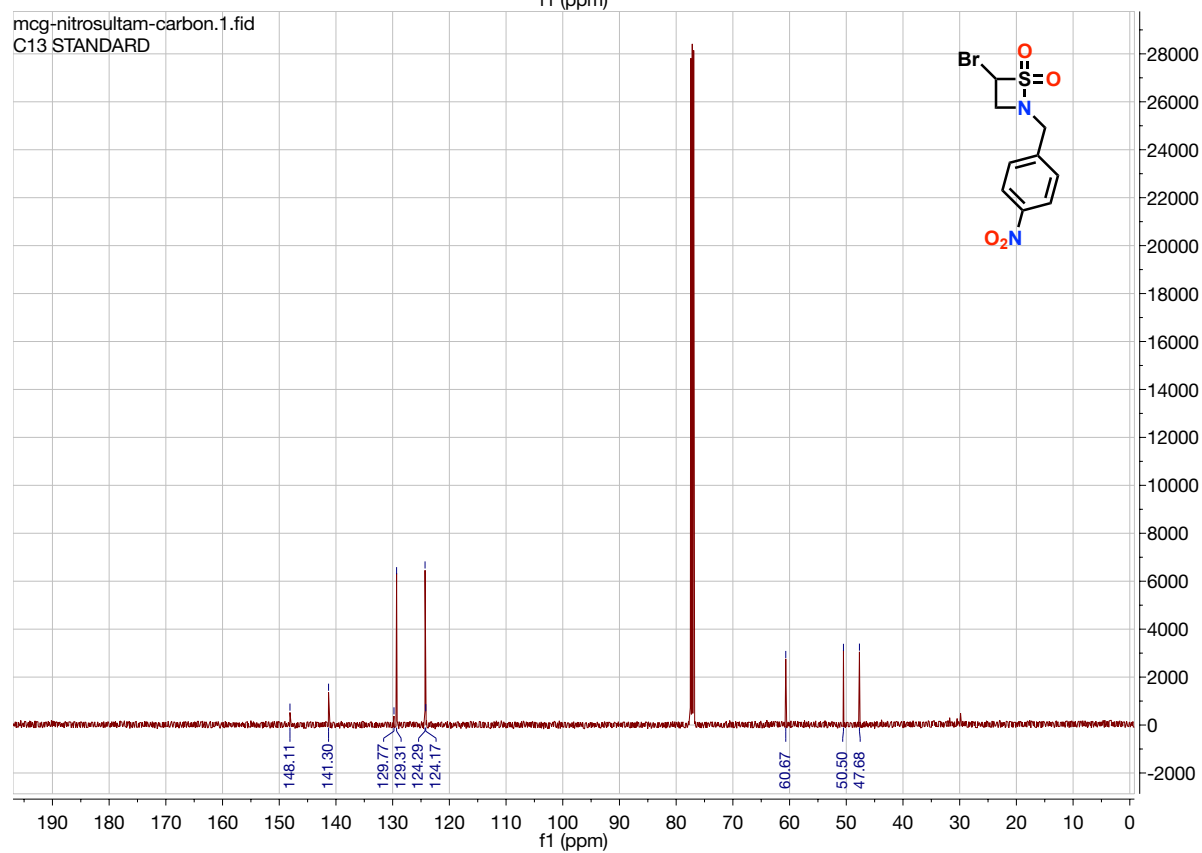
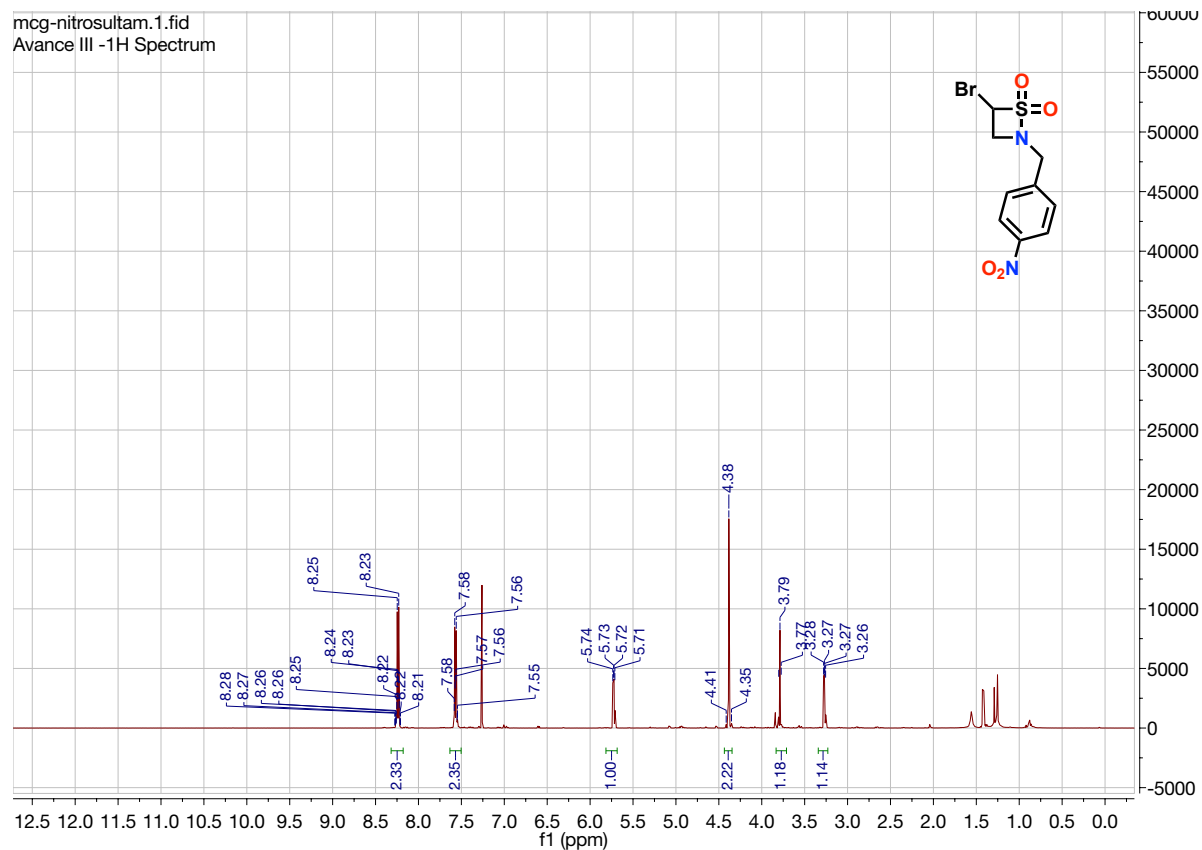


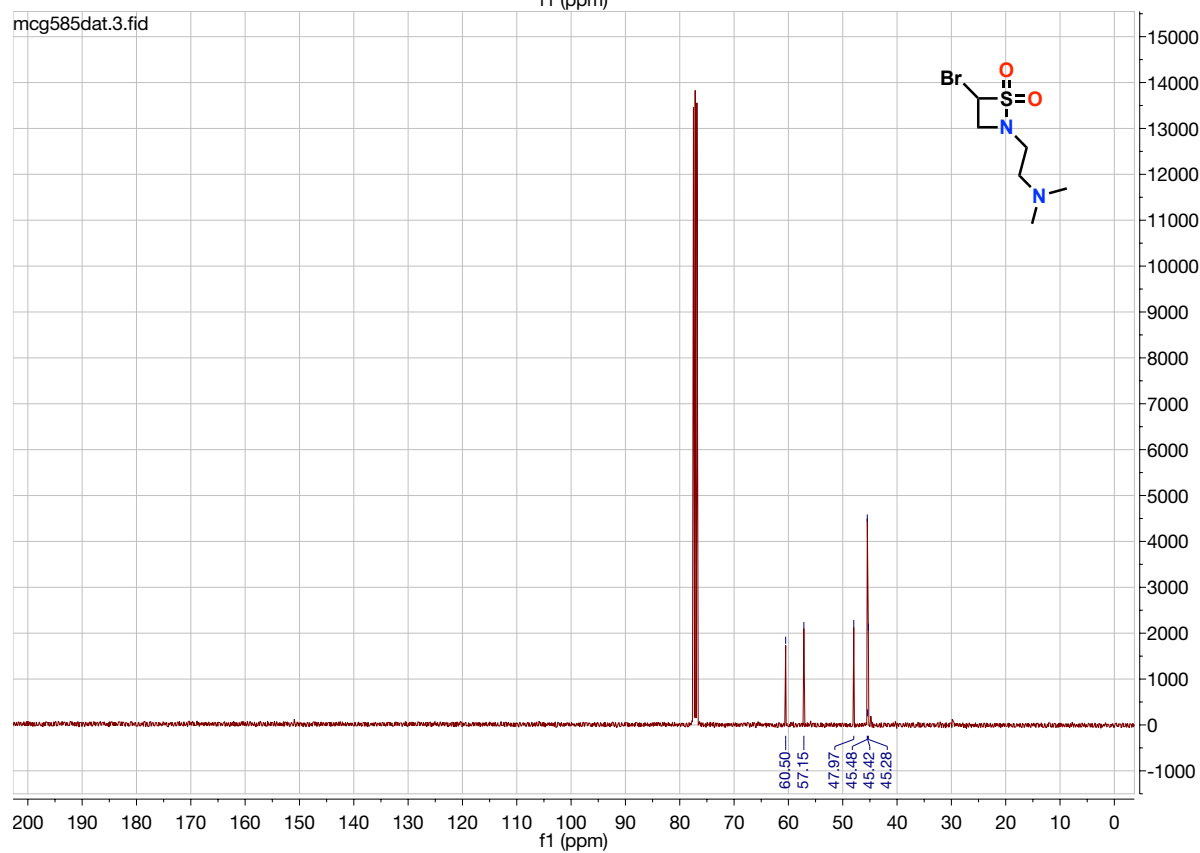
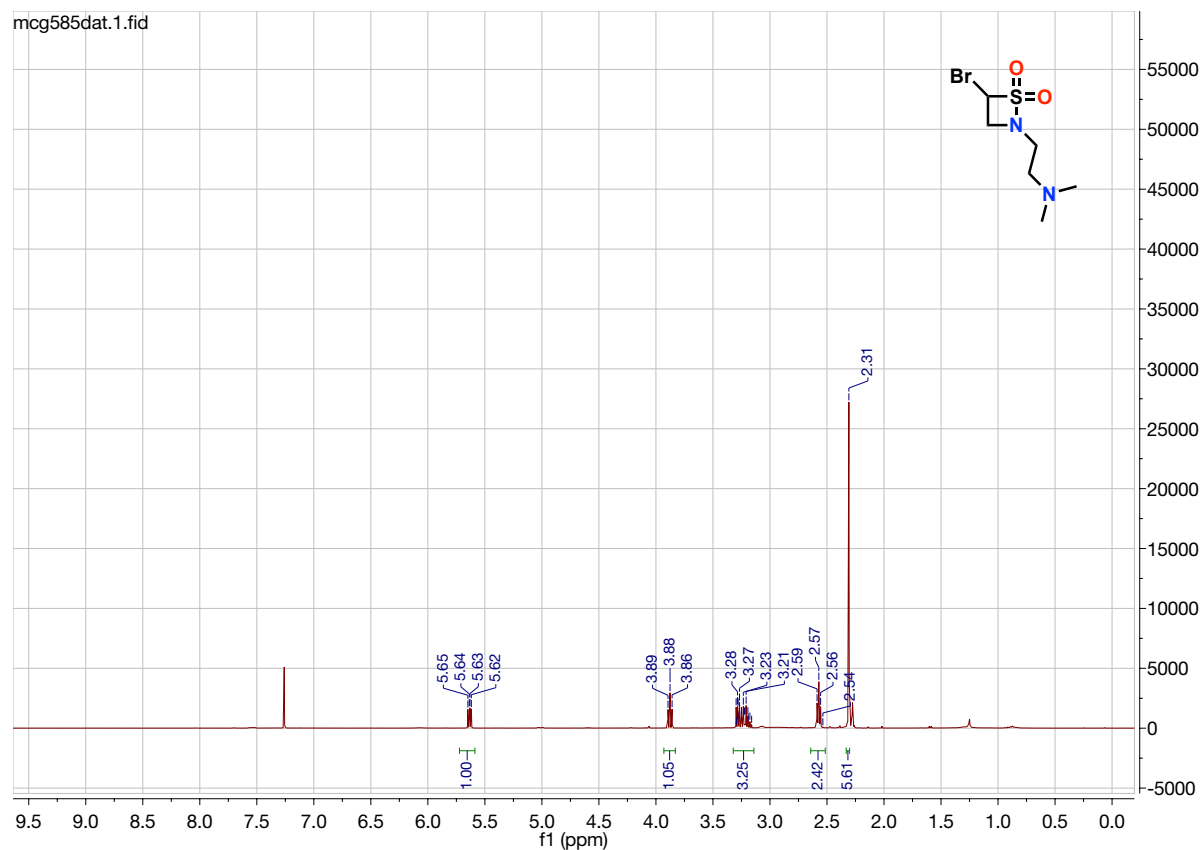




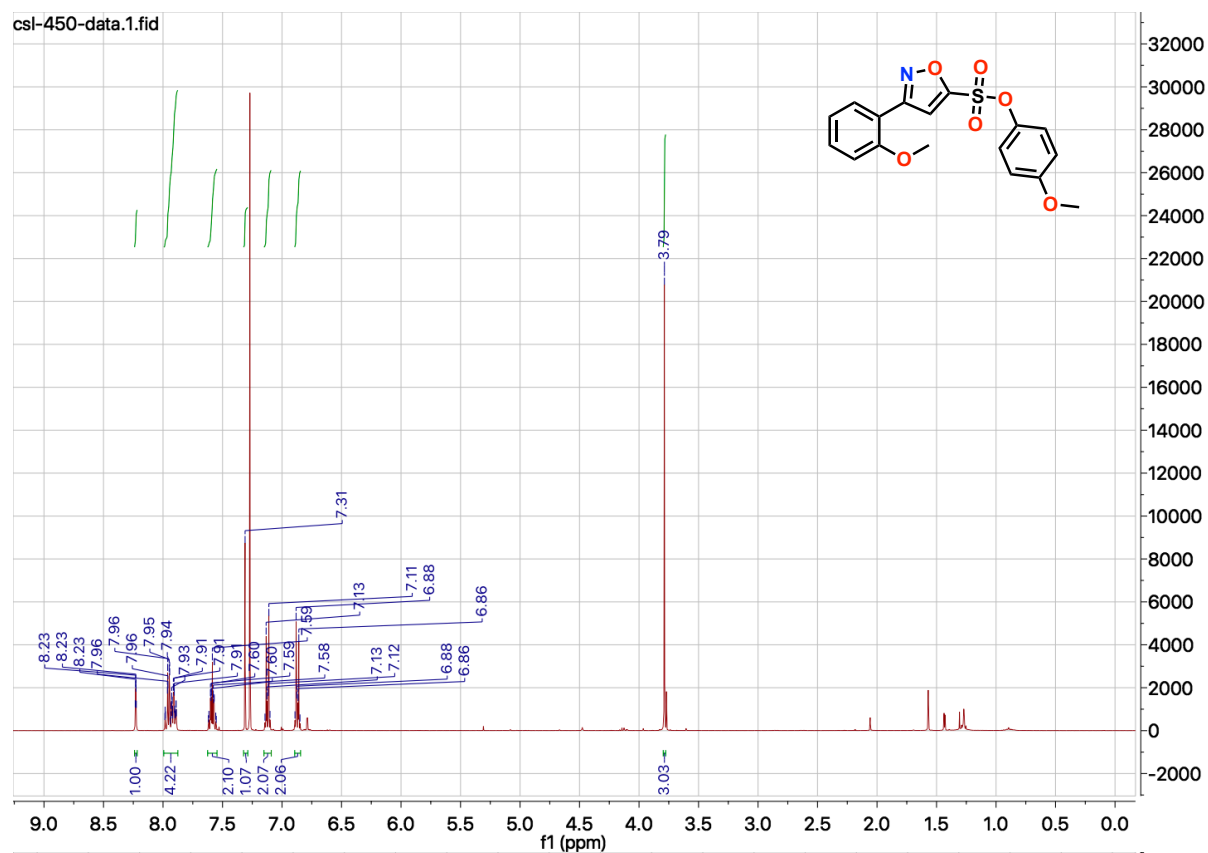








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