

Supporting Information

Asymmetric synthesis of warfarin and its analogs catalyzed by C₂-symmetric squaramide-based primary diamines

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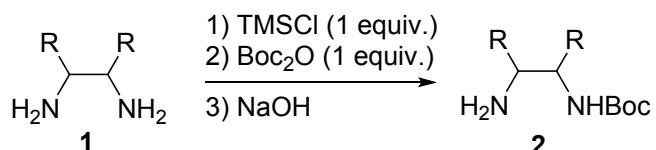
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1. General Remarks

The NMR ^1H and ^{13}C spectra were recorded by Bruker AM 300 in CDCl_3 and $\text{DMSO}-d_6$. The chemical shifts of ^1H and ^{13}C were measured relative to Me_4Si or CDCl_3 , respectively. The high resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were measured by Bruker microTOF II with electrospray ionization (ESI). The optical rotations were measured on a polarimeter and calibrated with a pure solvent as a blank. The HPLC analyses were performed on an HPLC system equipped with chiral stationary phase columns, detection at 220 or 254 nm. Silica gel 0.060 – 0.200 was used for column chromatography. Linalool-derived isoprenoid acids **12b** and **12c** were used as mixtures of isomers with regard to the double bond at C⁵ (*E/Z* ~4:1).

2. General procedure for selective mono-Boc protection of diamines **1**



TMSCl (0.01 mol, 1.26 mL) was added to MeOH and the resulting solution was stirred for 10 min at 0°C. Next, diamines **1** (0.01 mol) were added at 0°C. The mixture was stirred for 15 min at room temperature and the solution of $(\text{Boc})_2\text{O}$ (0.01 mol, 2.16 g) in MeOH (15 mL) was added dropwise for 10 min. The resulting solution was stirred for 1.5 h. The mixture was concentrated in *vacuo*. The residue was transferred to a filter and washed by diethyl ether (3×30 mL). The resulting pale-yellow solid was successively treated with the 3 N NaOH solution (25 mL) and water (3×10 mL). The product was dried in *vacuo* to afford mono-Boc amines **2** as colorless solids.

Tert-butyl ((1*R*,2*R*)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)carbamate (*R,R*-2a**) [1].**

Yield 2.65 g (85%) as colorless solid. Mp: 100–101°C. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +29.15$ (c 0.5, CHCl_3). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) δ 7.33 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.27 – 6.90 (m, 10H), 4.63 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.02 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 1.85 (br s, 2H), 1.44 – 0.95 (m, 9H) ppm.

Tert-butyl ((1*S*,2*S*)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)carbamate (*S,S*-2a**).**

Yield 2.69 g (86%) as colorless solid. Mp: 100–101°C. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -28.90$ (c 0.5, CHCl_3). The ^1H NMR spectra was identically (*R,R*-**2a**).

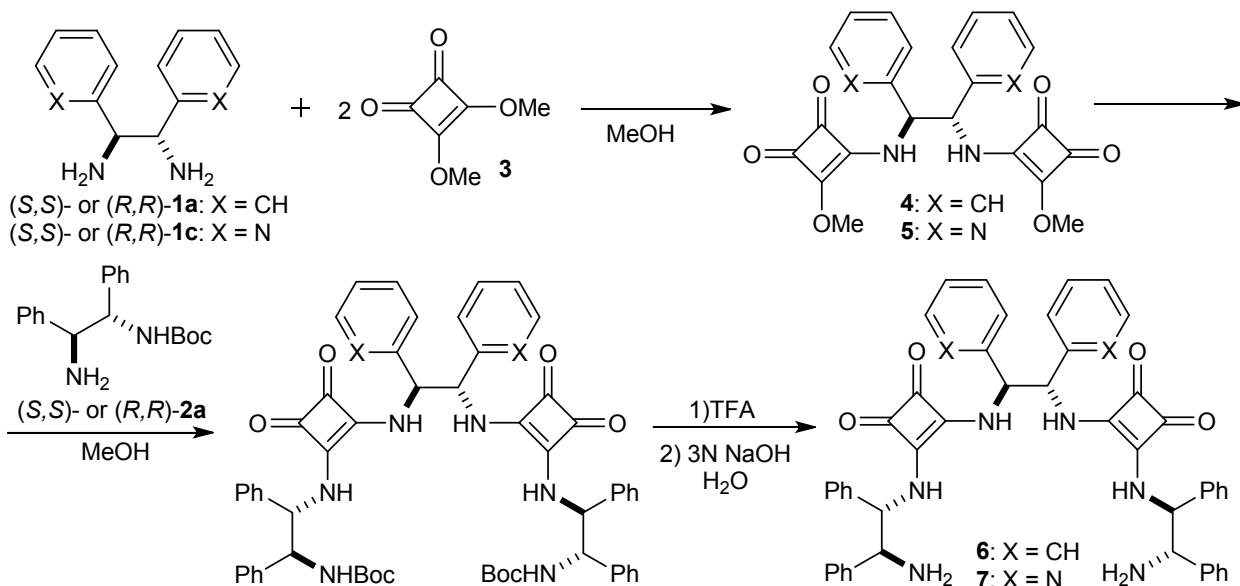
Tert-butyl ((1*R*,2*R*)-2-aminocyclohexyl)carbamate (*R,R*-2b) [2].

Yield 1.8 g (85%) as colorless solid. Mp: 113–115 °C. $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -32.16$ (c 0.5, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 6.62 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.96 – 2.78 (m, 1H), 2.31 (td, *J* = 10.3, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 1.82 – 1.68 (m, 2H), 1.65 – 1.52 (m, 2H), 1.38 (br s, 9H), 1.23 – 0.89 (m, 4H) ppm.

Tert-butyl ((1*S*,2*S*)-2-amino-1,2-di(pyridin-2-yl)ethyl)carbamate (*R,R*-2c).

Yield 2.45 g (78%) as colorless solid. Mp: 123–125 °C, ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.56 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 6.99 (m, 4H), 6.15 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.22 – 5.03 (m, 1H), 4.58 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 2H), 1.36 (s, 9H) ppm. ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 160.4, 159.3, 155.7, 148.9, 148.8, 136.2, 136.1, 122.1, 122.1, 121.9, 79.2, 60.2, 28.2 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₂N₄O₂: 315.1816; found 315.1809; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 337.1635; found 337.1631; [M + K]⁺ calcd 353.1374 found 353.1369.

3. Preparation of the catalysts 6 and 7



4,4'(((1*S*,2*S*)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-methoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (*S,S*-5).

(1*S,2S*)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diamine *S,S*-1c (627 mg, 2.93 mmol) and 3,4-dimethoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione 3 (975 mg, 6.15 mmol) were dissolved in methanol (5 mL) and stirred for 12 hours. The precipitate was filtered off, washed with MeOH (2 × 5 mL) and Et₂O (3 × 10 mL) and dried under reduced pressure (0.5 Torr) at 50 °C for 1 h to afford the amide compound *S,S*-5 as colorless solid. Yield 826 mg (65%) as colorless solid. Mp: 213–215 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ = 9.64 – 9.14 (m, 2H), 8.53 (br s, 2H), 7.66 (br s, 2H),

7.21 (br s, 4H), 5.98 (br s, 1H), 5.52 (br s, 1H), 4.25 (s, 6H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆): δ 189.0, 183.0, 177.7, 172.6, 172.3, 157.7, 157.1, 149.6, 137.3, 123.4, 62.2, 61.9, 61.1, 60.7, 60.5, 60.3 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₁₈N₄O₆: 435.1299; found 435.1295; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 457.1119; found 457.1115; [M + K]⁺ calcd 473.0858 found 473.0848.

4,4'-(*((1R,2R)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-methoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione*) (*R,R-5*).

Compound *R,R-5* was prepared similarly to *S,S-5* from *R,R-1c*. Yield 877 mg (69%) as colorless solid. Spectral data for *R,R-5* were identical to those for enantiomer *S,S-5*.

4,4'-(*((1S,2S)-1,2-Diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-methoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione*) (*S,S-4*).

Compound *S,S-4* was prepared similarly to *S,S-5* from *S,S-1a*. Yield 785 mg (62%) as colorless solid. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 9.92 – 9.31 (m, 2H, NH), 7.53 – 6.97 (m, 10H), 5.76 – 5.37 (m, 1H), 5.23 – 4.90 (m, 1H), 4.28 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H) ppm.

4,4'-(*((1R,2R)-1,2-diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-methoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione*) (*R,R-4*).

Compound *R,R-4* was prepared similarly to *S,S-5* from *R,R-1a*. Yield 835 mg (66%) as colorless solid. Spectral data for *R,R-4* were identical to those for enantiomer *S,S-4*.

Di-*tert*-butyl ((1*S*,1'*S*,2*S*,2'*S*)-((((1*S*,2*S*)-1,2-di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3,4-dioxocyclobut-1-ene-2,1-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(1,2-diphenylethane-2,1-diyl))dicarbamate (Boc-7a).

The suspension of the compounds *S,S-5* (204 mg, 0.47 mmol) and *S,S-2a* (320 mg, 1.03 mmol) in methanol (5 mL) was stirred for 12 hours. The precipitate was filtered off, washed with MeOH (3 × 10 mL) and Et₂O (3 × 10 mL) and dried under reduced pressure (0.5 Torr) at 50 °C for 1 h to afford the compound Boc-7a as colorless solid. Yield 350 mg (75%) as colorless solid. Mp: 241–245°C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 8.56 (s, 1H), 8.23 – 8.03 (m, 2H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 6.92 (m, 12H), 5.86 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.85 (t, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 1.10 (s, 9H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 183.1, 182.9, 168.7, 168.1, 167.7, 157.9, 157.7, 155.5, 149.7, 140.8, 140.4, 137.3, 128.6, 128.5, 128.3, 127.9, 127.6, 127.5, 124.0, 123.5, 78.6, 62.2, 60.9, 60.7, 59.2, 28.6 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₅₈H₅₈N₈O₈: 995.4450; found 995.4431; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 1017.4270; found 1017.4258.

Di-*tert*-butyl ((1*R*,1'*R*,2*R*,2'*R*)-((((1*R*,2*R*)-1,2-di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3,4-dioxocyclobut-1-ene-2,1-diyl))bis(azanediyl))bis(1,2-diphenylethane-2,1-diyl))dicarbamate (Boc-*ent*-7a).

Compound Boc-*ent*-7a was prepared similarly to Boc-7a from R,R-5 and R,R-2a. Yield 355 mg (76%) as colorless solid. Spectral data for Boc-*ent*-7a were identical to those for enantiomer Boc-7a.

Di-*tert*-butyl ((1*S*,1'*S*,2*S*,2'*S*)-((((1*R*,2*R*)-1,2-di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3,4-dioxocyclobut-1-ene-2,1-diyl))bis(azanediyl))bis(1,2-diphenylethane-2,1-diyl))dicarbamate (Boc-7b).

Compound Boc-7b was prepared similarly to Boc-7a from R,R-5 and S,S-2a. Yield 348 mg (75%) as colorless solid. Mp: 261-263°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 8.56 (s, 1H), 8.25 – 8.00 (m, 2H), 7.68 – 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.35 – 6.87 (m, 26H), 5.85 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (t, *J* = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 4.94 – 4.74 (m, 1H), 1.09 (s, 9H) ppm. ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 183.1, 182.9, 168.6, 168.1, 167.6, 157.8, 157.6, 155.4, 149.6, 140.7, 140.3, 137.3, 128.6, 128.5, 128.2, 127.9, 127.5, 127.4, 123.9, 123.4, 78.5, 62.1, 60.8, 60.6, 59.1, 28.5 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₅₈H₅₈N₈O₈: 995.4450; found 995.4429; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 1017.4270; found 1017.4248; [M + K]⁺ calcd 1033.4009 found 1033.3987.

Di-*tert*-butyl ((1*S*,1'*S*,2*S*,2'*S*)-((((1*S*,2*S*)-1,2-diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3,4-dioxocyclobut-1-ene-2,1-diyl))bis(azanediyl))bis(1,2-diphenylethane-2,1-diyl))dicarbamate (Boc-6a).

Compound Boc-6a was prepared similarly to Boc-7a from S,S-4 and S,S-2a. Yield 340 mg (72%) as colorless solid. Mp: 228-231°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 8.15 – 7.55 (m, 4H, NH), 7.49 – 6.78 (m, 32H), 5.71 – 5.45 (m, 2H), 5.03 – 4.85 (m, 2H), 4.17 (br s, 2H), 1.43 – 0.95 (m, 18H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₆₀H₆₀N₆O₈: 993.4545; found 993.4540.

Di-*tert*-butyl ((1*S*,1'*S*,2*S*,2'*S*)-((((1*R*,2*R*)-1,2-diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3,4-dioxocyclobut-1-ene-2,1-diyl))bis(azanediyl))bis(1,2-diphenylethane-2,1-diyl))dicarbamate (Boc-6b).

Compound Boc-6b was prepared similarly to Boc-7a from R,R-4 and S,S-2a. Yield 331 mg (70%) as colorless solid. Mp: 230-232°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- *d*₆) δ 8.15-7.60 (m, 4H, NH), 7.50-6.82 (m, 32H), 5.69-5.47 (m, 2H), 5.01-4.74 (m, 2H), 4.17 (bs s, 2H), 1.1-1.45 (m, 18H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₆₀H₆₀N₆O₈: 993.4545; found 993.4549.

(S,S)-4,4'-(((1S,2S)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-(((1S,2S)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)amino)cyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (7a).

Trifluoroacetic acid (0.5 mL) was added to compound Boc-**7a** (250 mg, 0.25 mmol). The resulting solution was stirred for 1 hour. Then the excess of trifluoroacetic acid was evaporated under reduced pressure (15 Torr). The residue was washed with 4 N NaOH (5mL), then with Et₂O (3 × 10 mL) and dried under reduced pressure (0.5 Torr) for 1 h to afford the compound **7a** as colorless solid, yield 227 mg (89%). Mp: 222–227°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆ + TFA) δ 8.89 – 8.39 (m, 7H), 8.29 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 8.10 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39 – 6.90 (m, 26H), 5.87 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 5.49 (t, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 2H), 4.74 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz, 2H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₄₈H₄₂N₈O₄: 795.3402; found 795.3395; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 817.3221; found 817.3214; [M + K]⁺ calcd 833.2961 found 833.2950.

(R,R)-4,4'-(((1R,2R)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-(((1R,2R)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)amino)cyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (*ent*-7a).

Compound *ent*-**7a** was prepared similarly to **7a** from Boc-*ent*-**7a**. Yield 225 mg (88%) as colorless solid. Spectral data for *ent*-**7a** were identical to those for enantiomer **7a**.

(S,S)-4,4'-(((1R,2R)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-(((1S,2S)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)amino)cyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (7b).

Compound **7b** was prepared similarly to **7a** from Boc-**7b**. Yield 230 mg (90%) as colorless solid. Mp: 227–230°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆ + TFA) δ 9.07 – 8.59 (m, 9H), 8.57 – 8.04 (m, 4H), 7.56 (br s, 2H), 7.45 – 6.64 (m, 26H), 5.93 (br s, 2H), 5.56 (br s, 2H), 4.96 (br s, 2H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₄₈H₄₂N₈O₄: 795.3402; found 795.3393; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 817.3221; found 817.3218; [M + K]⁺ calcd 833.2961 found 833.2955.

(S,S)-4,4'-(((1S,2S)-1,2-Diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-(((1S,2S)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)amino)cyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (6a).

Compound **6a** was prepared similarly to **7a** from Boc-**6a**. Yield 230 mg (90%) as light yellow solid. Mp: 280–283°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆ + TFA) δ 8.74 – 8.38 (m, 8H), 8.08 (br s, 2H), 7.41 – 6.83 (m, 40H), 5.62 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 5.48 (t, *J* = 9.8 Hz, 2H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₅₀H₄₄N₈O₄: 793.3497; found 793.3495.

(S,S)-4,4'-(((1*R*,2*R*)-1,2-Diphenylethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-(((1*S*,2*S*)-2-amino-1,2-diphenylethyl)amino)cyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione (6b).

Compound **6b** was prepared similarly to **7a** from Boc-**6b**. Yield 222 mg (89%) as light yellow solid. Mp: 267-270°C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆ + TFA) δ 8.87 – 8.42 (m, 8H), 8.16 (br s, 2H), 7.54 – 6.70 (m, 40H), 5.60 (br s, 3H), 5.47 (br s, 2H), 4.73 (br s, 2H) ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₅₀H₄₄N₈O₄: 793.3497; found 793.3493.

4. General procedure for asymmetric Michael addition

The mixture of 4-hydroxycoumarin **8a** or 4-hydroxy-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one **8b** (0.126 mmol), α,β -unsaturated ketone **9** (0.151 mmol), catalyst **7a** or *ent*-**7a** (10 mg, 12.6 μmol), AcOH (70 μL), and CH₂Cl₂ (300 μL) was stirred at ambient temperature for 24 h. The solvent and AcOH were removed under reduced pressure (15 Torr) and the residue was extracted with Et₂O (5 x 3 mL). The combined organic extracts were evaporated under reduced pressure (15 Torr). Corresponding products **10** or **11** were purified via flash-chromatography on silica gel (*n*-hexane/EtOAc 2:1).

4-Hydroxy-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (Warfarin) (10a). [3]

Yield 37 mg **10a** (96%) as colorless solid. Mp: 155-158°C. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.2$ (c 1, MeCN, 96% *ee*). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.67 (s, 0.16H), 7.96 – 7.74 (m, 1.42H), 7.59-7.39 (m, 1.67H), 7.39-7.13 (m, 8.47H), 4.77 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz, 0.16H), 4.30-4.13 (m, 1.23H), 3.90-3.78 (m, 0.36H), 3.37-3.30 (d, 0.19H), 2.53-2.35 (m, 1.50H), 2.29 (s, 0.32H) 2.07-1.95 (m, 0.74), 1.69-1.67 (m, 3H) ppm.

4-Hydroxy-3-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (10b). [3]

Yield 39 mg **10b** (93%) as colorless solid. Mp: 165-678°C. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +14.64$ (c 1, MeCN, 84 % *ee*). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.45 (s, 0.15H), 7.94-7.81 (m, 1.04H), 7.58-7.50 (m, 1.45H), 7.35- 7.14 (m, 4.59H), 6.89-6.83 (m, 2.15H), 4.66 (m, 0.17H), 4.26 (m, 0.50H), 4.13 (m, 0.53H), 3.79-3.78 (m, 3H), 2.57-2.38 (m, 1.83H), 2.29 (s, 0.53H), 1.72 - 1.69 (m, 2.70H) ppm.

3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-2H-chromen-2-one (10c). [3]

Yield 39 mg **10c** (91%) as colorless solid. Mp: 175-176°C. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +22.44$ (c 1, MeCN, 88 % *ee*). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.72 (0.18H), 7.90-7.81 (m, 1H), 7.59-7.44 (m, 1.29H), 7.37 – 7.14 (m, 6.64), 4.68 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 0.16H), 4.38 (br s, 0.41H), 4.22-4.05 (m, 1.10H), 3.91-

3.70 (m, 0.55H), 3.32-3.26 (m, 0.20H) 2.48-2.35 (m, 1.28H), 2.28 (s, 0.31H), 2.05 – 1.89 (m, 1.25H), 1.72 (s, 1.43H), 1.69 (s, 0.98H) ppm.

4-Hydroxy-3-(3-oxocyclohexyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (10d). [4]

Yield 29 mg **10c** (89%) as colorless solid. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +15.52$ (c 1, MeCN, 50 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 12.32 (br s, 0.47H) 7.83-7.74 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1.00H), 7.61-7.56 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1.00H), 7.36-7.30 (m, 2.00H), 3.19 (s, 0.66H), 2.30-2.19 (m, 1.00H), 2.12-1.99 (m, 2.00H), 1.87-1.79 (m, 2.00H), 1.64-1.57 (m, 2.00H), 1.41-1.35 (m, 1.00H) ppm.

4-Hydroxy-6-methyl-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-pyran-2-one (11a). [3]

Yield 33 mg **11a** (97%) as light yellow oil. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -30.25$ (c 1, CHCl₃, 94 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 – 6.83 (m, 5H), 5.88 (s, 0.4H), 5.79 (s, 0.6H), 4.80 – 4.47 (m, 0.4 H), 4.30 – 4.07 (m, 0.6H), 3.82 – 3.58 (m, 0.4H), 3.33 – 3.08 (m, 0.4H), 2.45 – 2.31 (m, 0.6H), 2.27 (s, 1.2H), 2.21 (s, 1.8H), 2.08 (s, 1H), 1.98 – 1.81 (m, 0.6H), 1.58 (s, 1.2H), 1.56 (s, 1.8H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.5, 164.8, 164.3, 161.4, 161.0, 143.2, 141.7, 128.9, 128.47, 128.1, 127.8, 127.0, 126.3, 101.1, 100.8, 100.2, 98.7, 60.4, 45.7, 42.6, 40.3, 34.9, 34.5, 33.9, 27.8, 27.2, 21.0, 19.7, 14.2 ppm. NMR HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₁₆O₄: 273.1121; found 273.1124.

4-Hydroxy-3-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one (11b).

Yield 36 mg **11b** (95%) as light yellow oil. $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -21.10$ (c 0.66, CHCl₃, 86 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 5.87 (s, 0.5H), 5.77 (s, 0.5H), 4.83 – 4.53 (m, 0.5H), 4.09 – 3.91 (m, 0.5H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.67 – 3.44 (m, 0.5H), 3.33 – 3.06 (m, 0.5H), 2.48 – 2.09 (m, 3.5H), 2.06 (s, 1H), 1.97 – 1.76 (m, 0.5H), 1.54 (s, 3H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 210.20, 171.28, 164.58, 164.24, 164.10, 163.62, 161.40, 160.99, 158.51, 158.00, 135.12, 133.25, 128.89, 128.64, 128.01, 114.50, 113.93, 113.51, 101.19, 101.02, 100.78, 100.71, 100.20, 98.78, 98.66, 60.44, 55.18, 45.92, 42.70, 40.11, 34.18, 33.74, 32.87, 30.14, 29.67, 27.92, 27.45, 21.03, 19.81, 19.71, 19.49, 14.17 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₁₈O₅: 303.1227; found 303.1231.

3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one (11c). [5]

Yield 37 mg **11c** (95%) as light yellow oil. $[\alpha]_D^{28} = -34.86$ (c 1, CHCl₃, 89 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 – 7.09 (m, 4H), 5.88 (s, 0.45H), 5.80 (s, 0.55H), 4.74 – 4.56 (m, 0.45H), 4.21 – 4.06 (m, 0.55H), 3.81 – 3.55 (m, 0.45H), 3.33 – 3.07 (m, 0.45H), 2.48 – 2.29 (m,

0.55H), 2.28 (s, 1.35H), 2.22 (s, 1.65H), 2.09 (s, 1H), 1.97 – 1.80 (m, 0.55H), 1.57 (d, J = 4.0 Hz, 3H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 209.60, 166.39, 165.57, 164.96, 164.60, 164.43, 163.97, 161.47, 161.05, 160.49, 143.20, 142.60, 141.75, 128.92, 128.46, 128.10, 127.88, 127.02, 126.89, 126.28, 104.11, 101.04, 100.87, 100.31, 98.86, 98.57, 60.49, 45.83, 42.70, 40.39, 35.06, 34.58, 34.06, 30.14, 27.80, 27.18, 19.80, 19.70, 19.55, 14.18 ppm. NMR HRMS (ESI): m/z [M] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClO}_4$: 307.0732; found 307.0728.

4-Hydroxy-6-methyl-3-(3-oxocyclohexyl)-2H-pyran-2-one (11d). [6]

Yield 25 mg **11d** (91%) as light yellow oil. $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +88.72$ (c 0.66, CHCl_3 , 63 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.77 (s, 1H), 4.32 (br s, 1H), 3.22 (s, 1H), 2.18 (s, 3H), 2.14 – 1.30 (m, 8H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 166.5, 164.4, 160.8, 101.8, 100.2, 99.9, 77.5, 77.1, 76.6, 38.4, 35.7, 28.5, 28.2, 19.8, 18.9 ppm. HRMS (ESI): m/z [M] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4$: 223.0965; found 223.0961.

5. Scaling catalytic reaction and catalyst recovery

The mixture of 4-hydroxycoumarin **8a** (1.62 g, 10.0 mmol), α,β -unsaturated ketone **9a** (1.75 g, 12.0 mmol), catalyst **7a** (0.79 g, 1.0 mmol), AcOH (0.57 mL), and CH_2Cl_2 (5 mL) was stirred at ambient temperature for 24 h. The solvent and AcOH were removed under reduced pressure (15 Torr) and the residue was extracted with Et_2O (5 x 30 mL). The combined organic extracts were evaporated under reduced pressure (15 Torr) to afford the product **10a**. After extraction of product **10a** with Et_2O , remained catalyst **7a** was dried under reduced pressure (1.0 Torr, 30 min). Fresh portions of **8a**, **9a**, AcOH and CH_2Cl_2 were added to the recovered catalyst and the reaction was re-performed.

6. General procedure for warfarin esterification

Warfarin **10a** (0.154 g, 0.5 mmol), acid **12** (0.5 mmol), DCC (0.11 g, 0.5 mmol), DMAP (*cat.*) and DCM (0.5 mL) were stirred for 24 h. The precipitate was filtered off and washed with DCM (3×5 mL). The combined organic washings were evaporated and the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluent: *n*-hexane/EtOAc, 4:1-2:1) to afford ester **13**.

2-Oxo-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-4-yl 2-acetoxybenzoate (13a).

Yield 0.2 g (85%) as colorless oil. $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +4.67$ (c, 0.2, CHCl_3 , 96 % ee). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) δ 7.85 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.05 (m, 11H), 4.06

– 3.82 (m, 1H), 3.00 – 2.69 (m, 1H), 2.16–2.06 (m, 1H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.94 (s, 3H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 168.9, 160.1, 157.7, 152.8, 143.3, 132.8, 128.8, 127.6, 126.7, 124.7, 123.1, 116.7, 115.1, 104.8, 103.0, 41.0, 34.9, 24.3, 22.1 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₂₈H₂₂O₇: 471.1438; found 471.1435; [M + NH₄]⁺ calcd 488.1704, found 488.1703.

2-Oxo-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-4-yl 5,9-dimethyldeca-4,8-dienoate (13b).

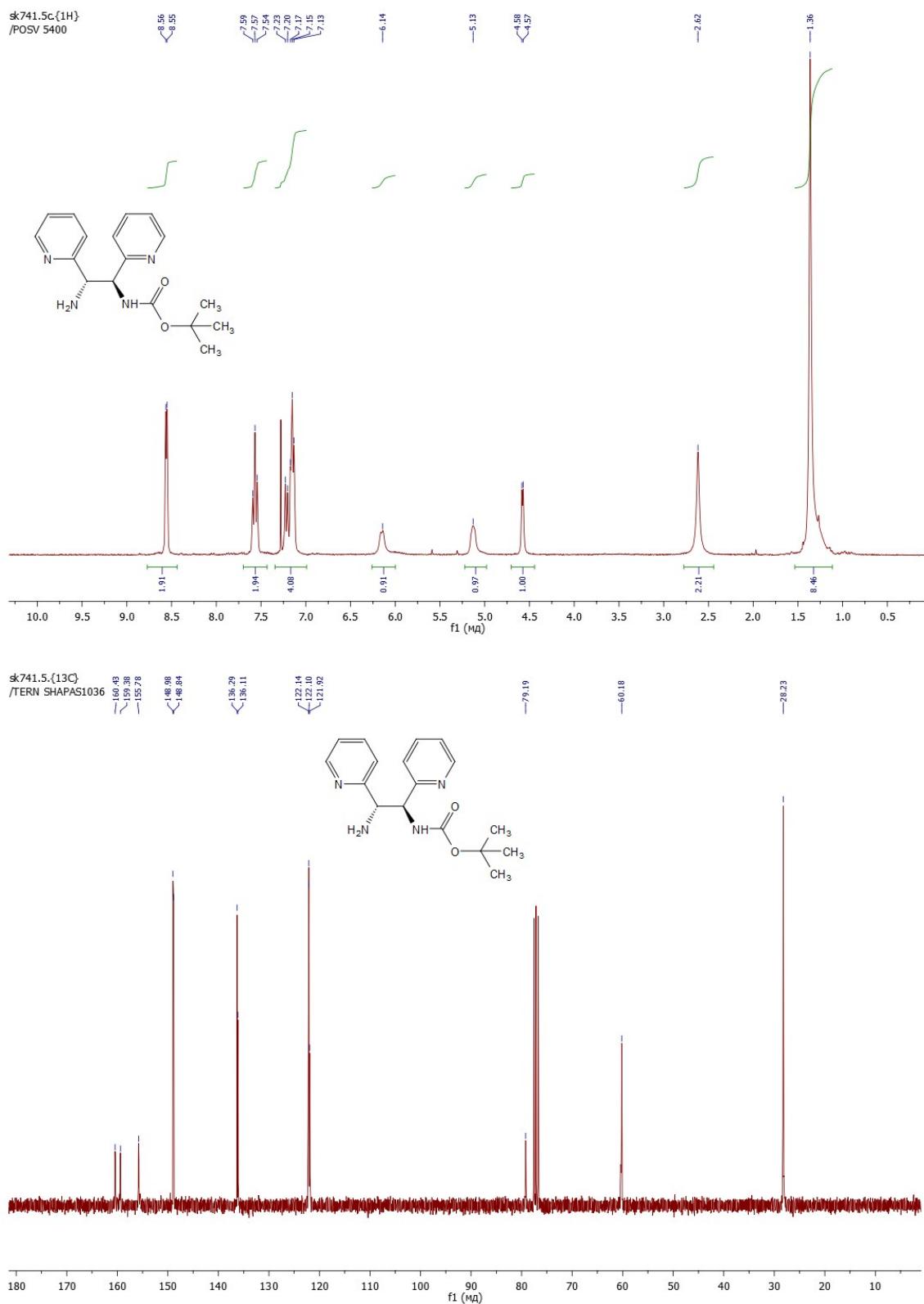
Yield 0.21 g (86%) as colorless oil. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 7.84 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.07 (m, 7H), 5.05 – 4.84 (m, 2H), 3.98 – 3.80 (m, 1H), 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.33 (m, 2H), 2.13 (m, 2H), 2.05 – 1.83 (m, 6H), 1.78 (m, 2H), 1.66 – 1.39 (m, 9H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 170.9, 160.0, 157.7, 152.7, 143.2, 136.5, 136.4, 132.8, 131.3, 131.1, 128.8, 127.5, 126.7, 124.6, 124.4, 123.2, 123.0, 122.4, 116.7, 115.1, 104.8, 102.9, 102.9, 41.2, 35.2, 35.1, 31.8, 26.5, 26.3, 25.9, 25.8, 24.2, 23.5, 23.4, 17.9, 17.8, 16.2 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₃₁H₃₄O₅: 487.2479; found 487.2469; [M + NH₄]⁺ calcd 504.2744, found 504.2734; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 509.2298, found 509.2288.

2-Oxo-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-4-yl **2-cyclohexyl-5,9-dimethyldeca-4,8-dienoate (13c).**

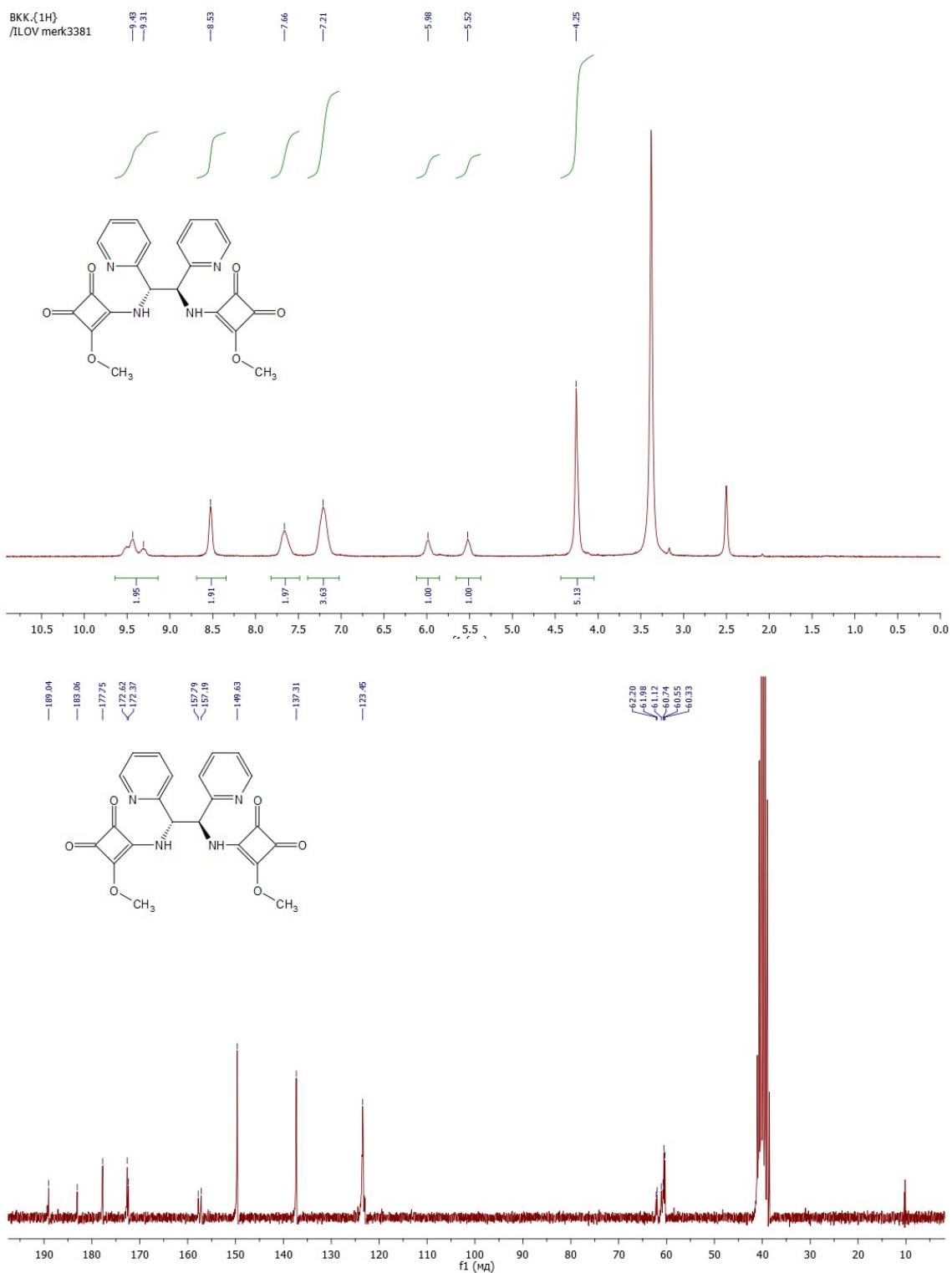
Yield 0.21 g (75%) as colorless oil. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 – 7.07 (m, 9H), 5.43 – 5.24 (m, 1H), 5.21 – 5.02 (m, 1H), 4.90 – 4.76 (m, 1H), 3.93 – 3.51 (m, 1H), 3.50 – 3.11 (m, 1H), 2.90 – 2.70 (m, 1H), 2.69 – 2.54 (m, 1H), 2.53 – 2.30 (m, 1H), 2.28 – 1.43 (m, 21H), 1.26 (m, 6H) ppm. ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.1, 171.8, 171.8, 160.9, 152.5, 140.0, 138.2, 131.7, 131.6, 128.3, 127.8, 127.7, 126.7, 124.1, 124.0, 123.7, 121.2, 121.1, 116.6, 116.1, 109.9, 77.5, 77.1, 76.7, 52.0, 45.2, 40.0, 39.9, 39.8, 37.5, 36.5, 36.5, 31.4, 31.2, 30.3, 29.9, 27.0, 26.6, 26.4, 26.3, 26.2, 25.7, 23.5, 22.4, 17.8, 17.7, 16.3 ppm. HRMS (ESI): *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₃₇H₄₄O₅: 569.3262, found 569.3257; [M + NH₄]⁺ calcd 586.3527, found 586.3524; [M + Na]⁺ calcd 591.3081, found 591.3076; [M + K]⁺ calcd 607.2820, found 607.2821.

7. Pictures of ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra for novel compounds

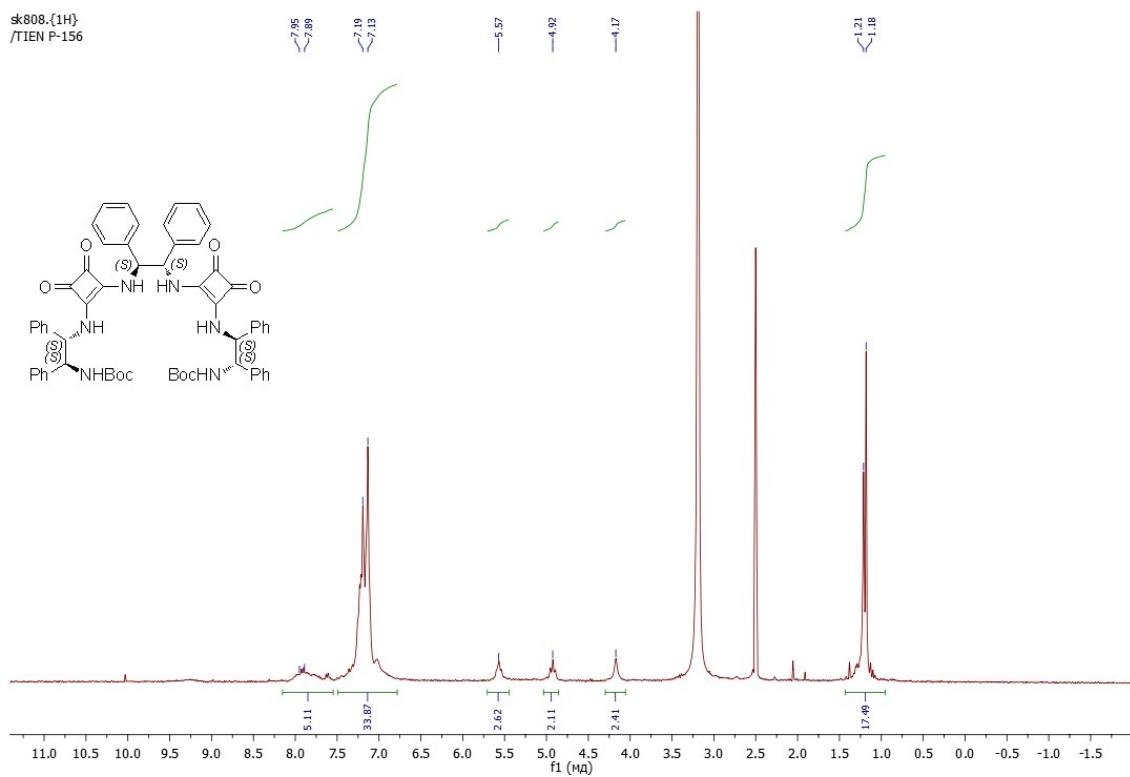
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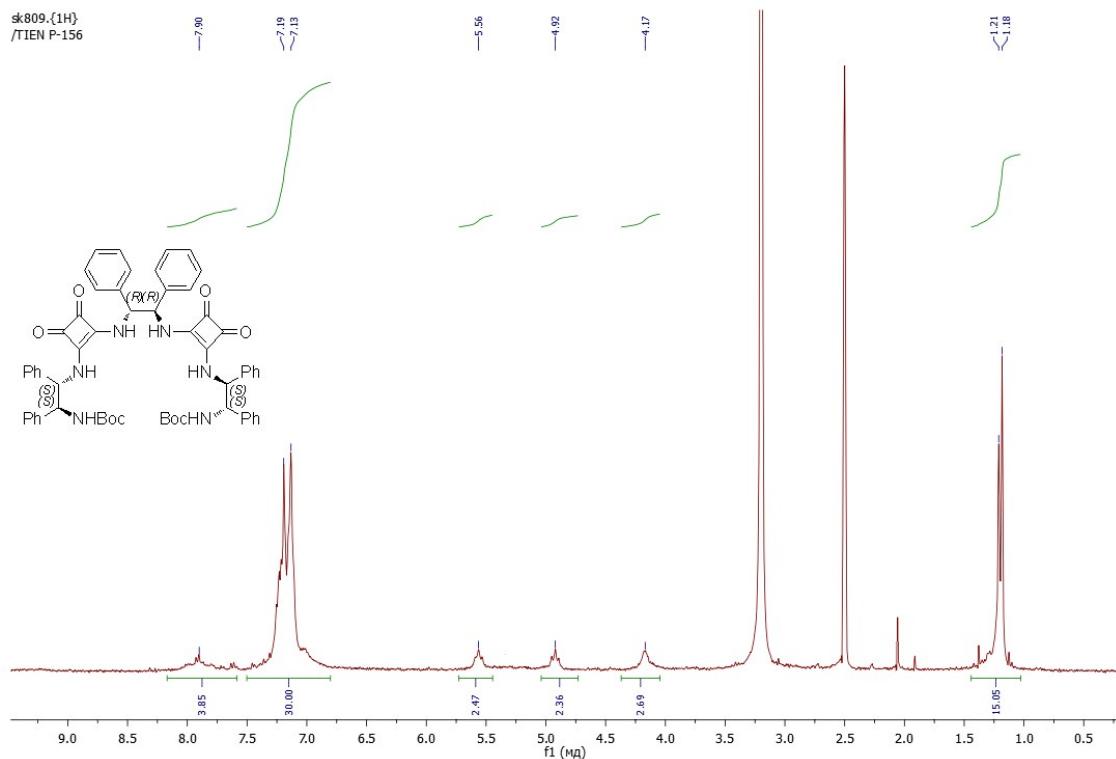
4,4'(((1*S*,2*S*)-1,2-Di(pyridin-2-yl)ethane-1,2-diyl)bis(azanediyl))bis(3-methoxycyclobut-3-ene-1,2-dione) (*S,S*-5).



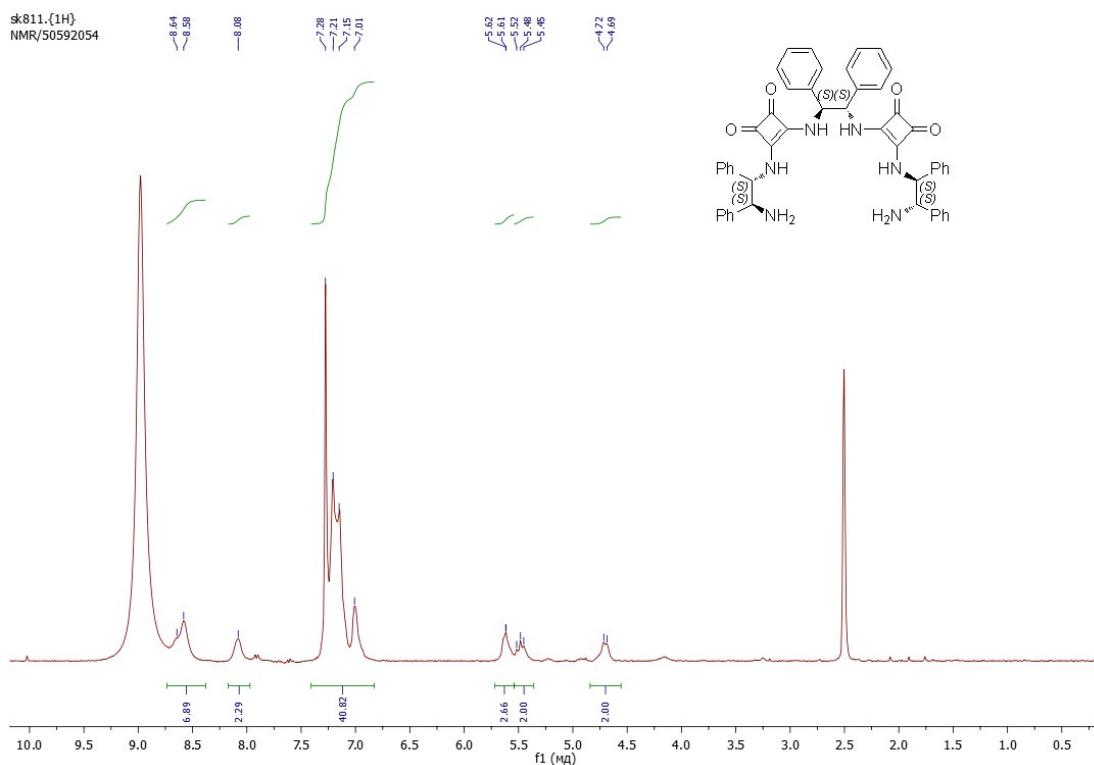
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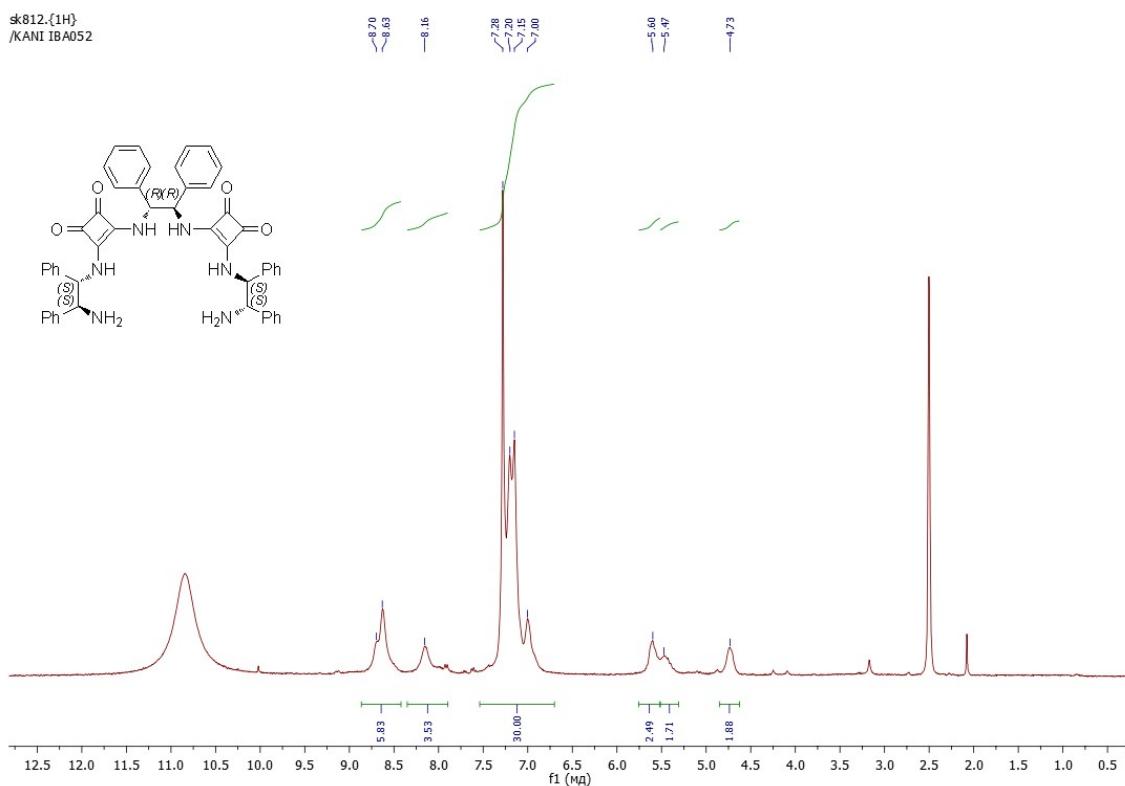
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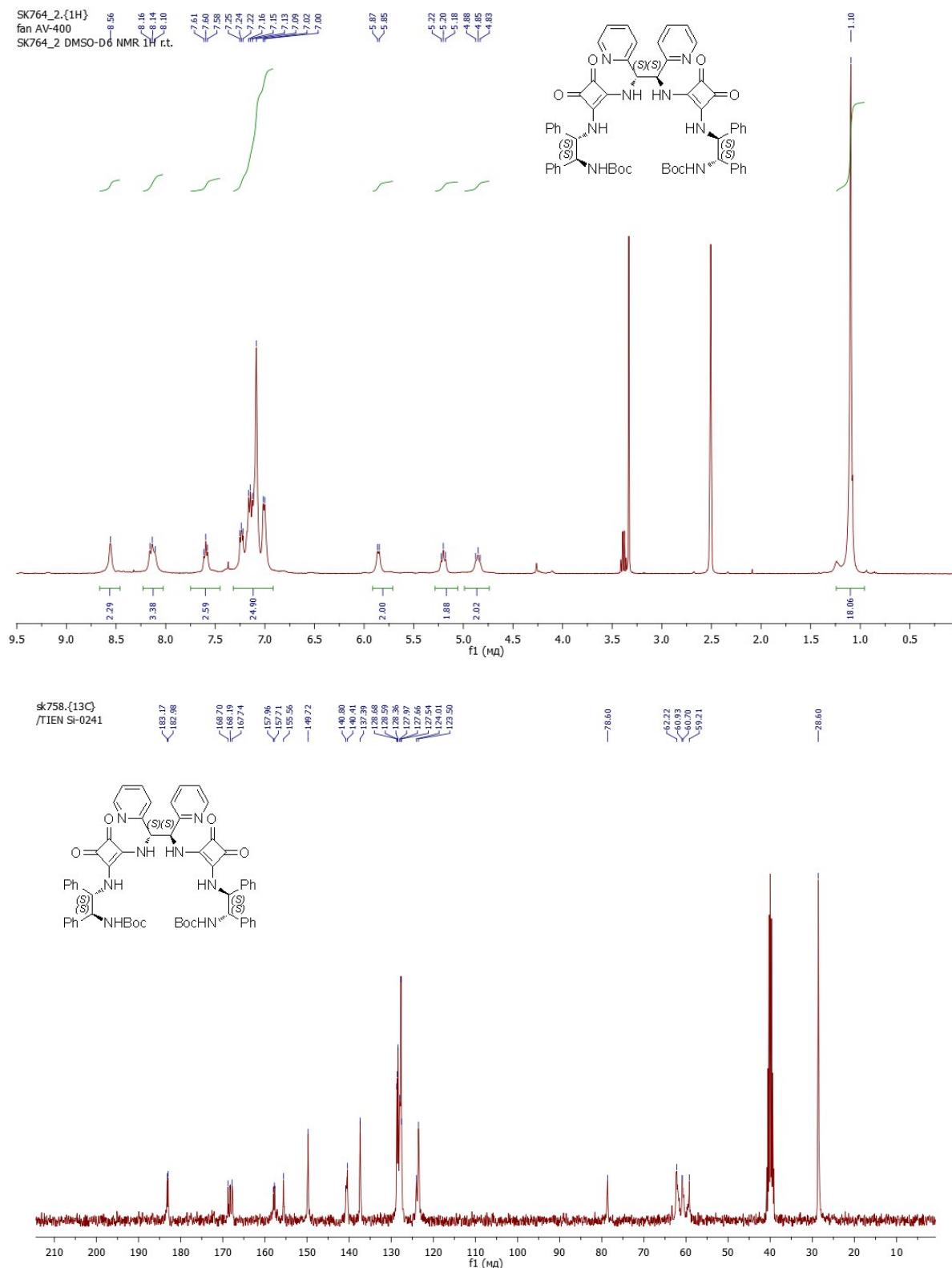
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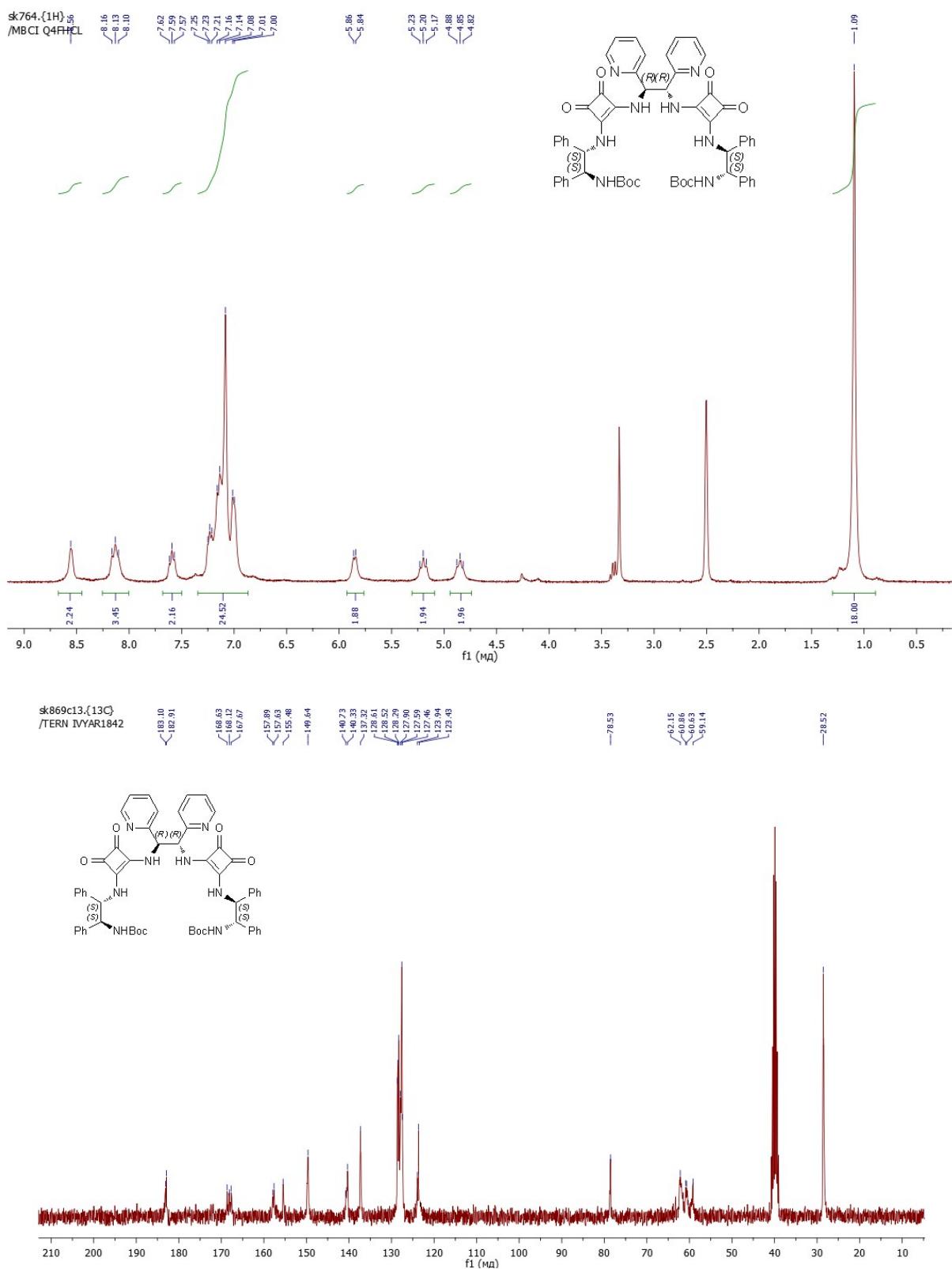
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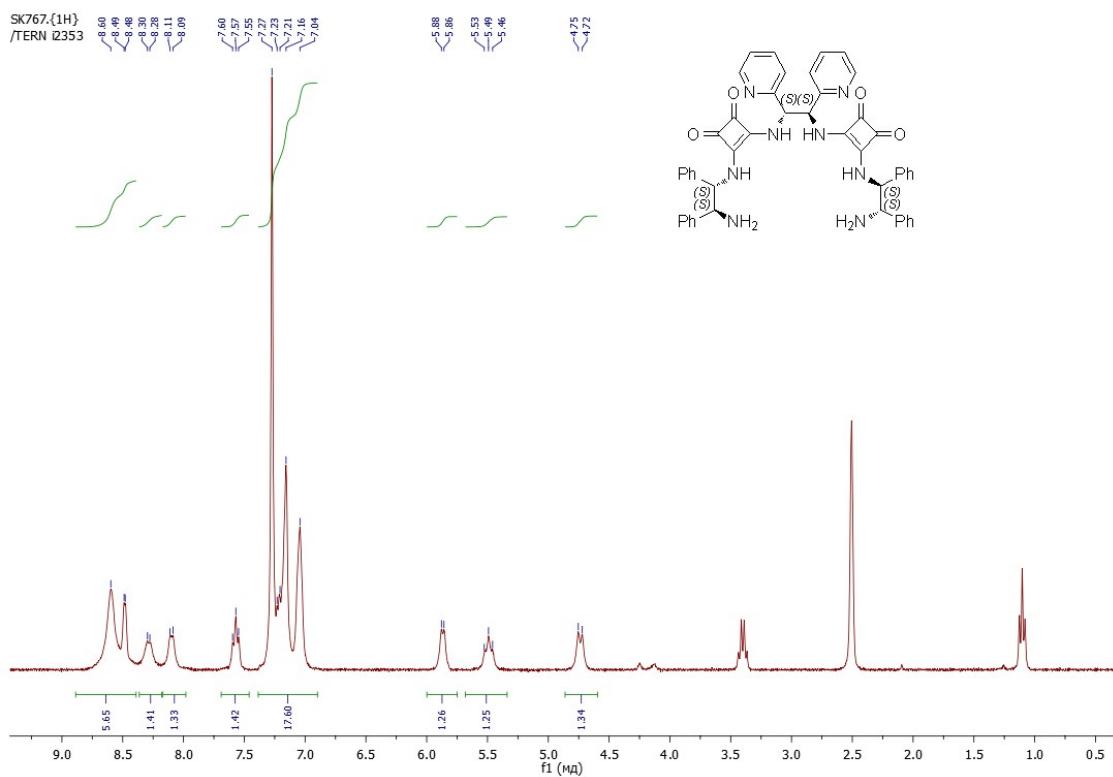
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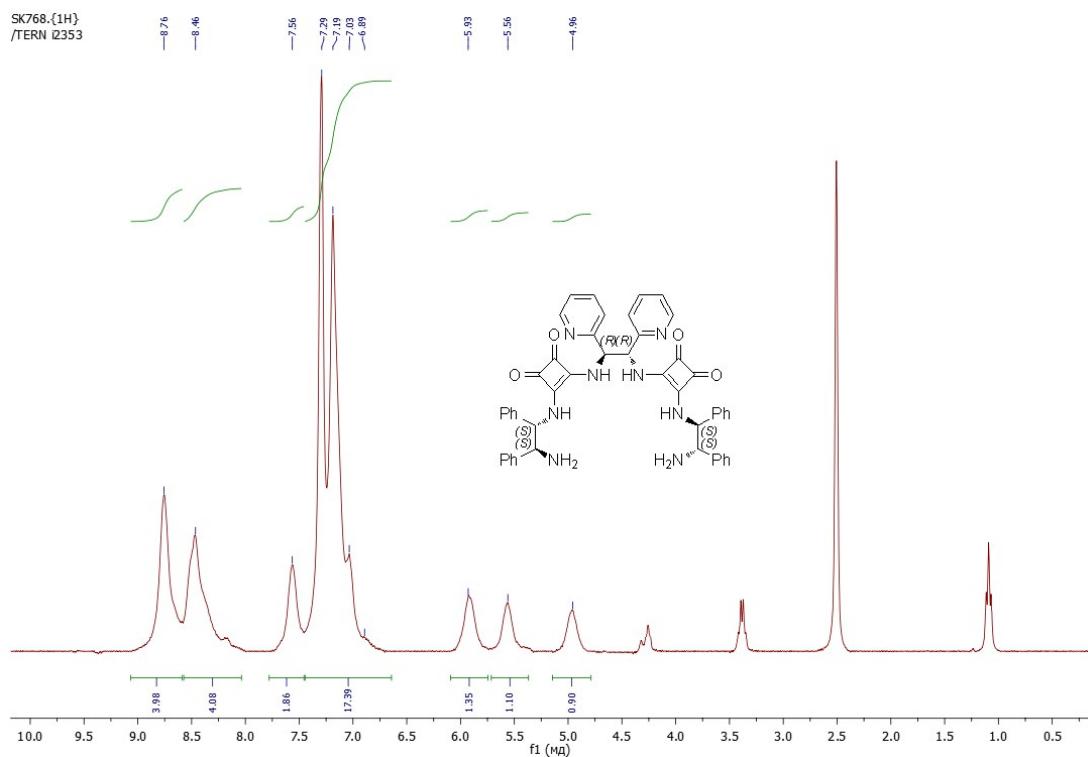
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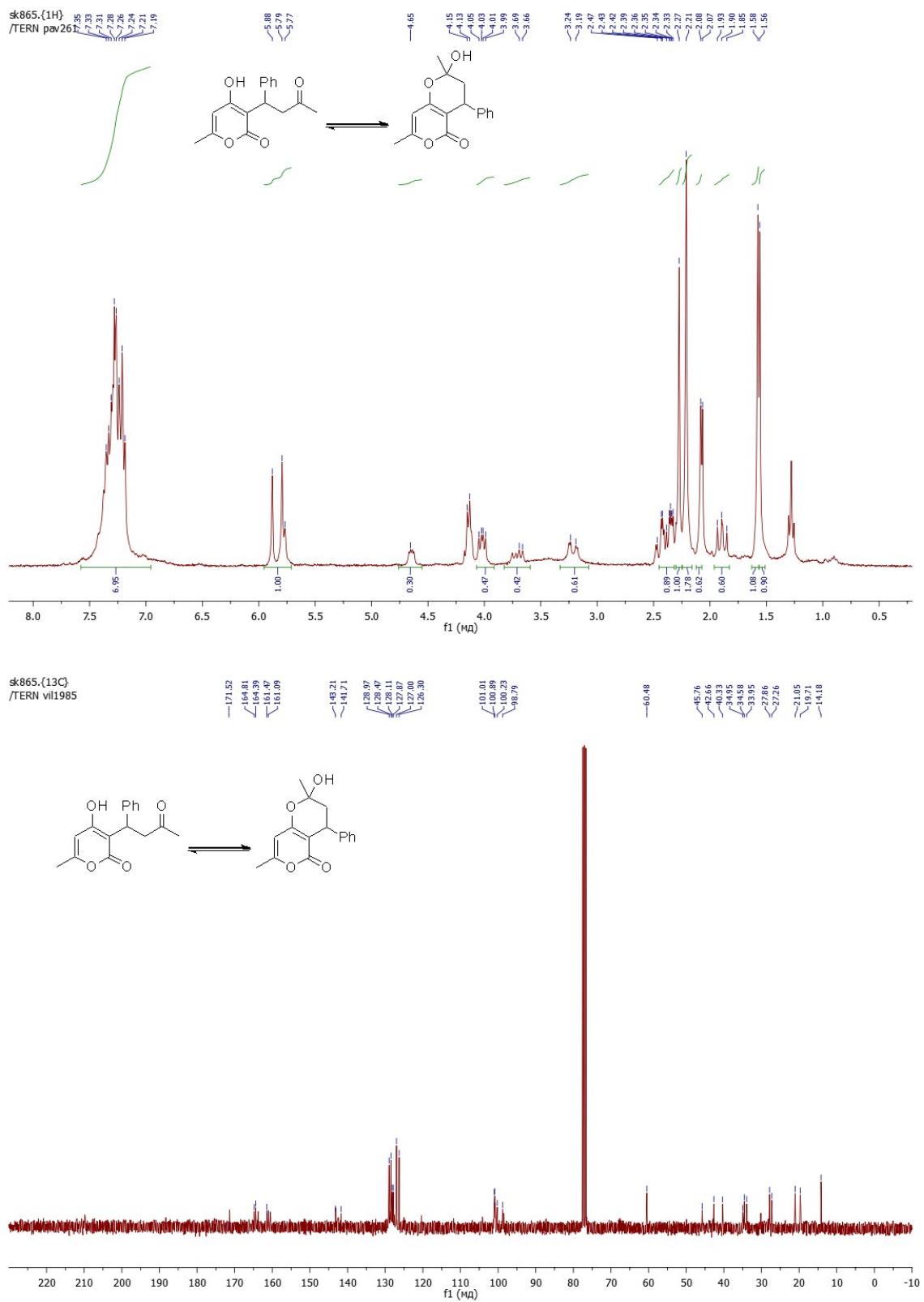
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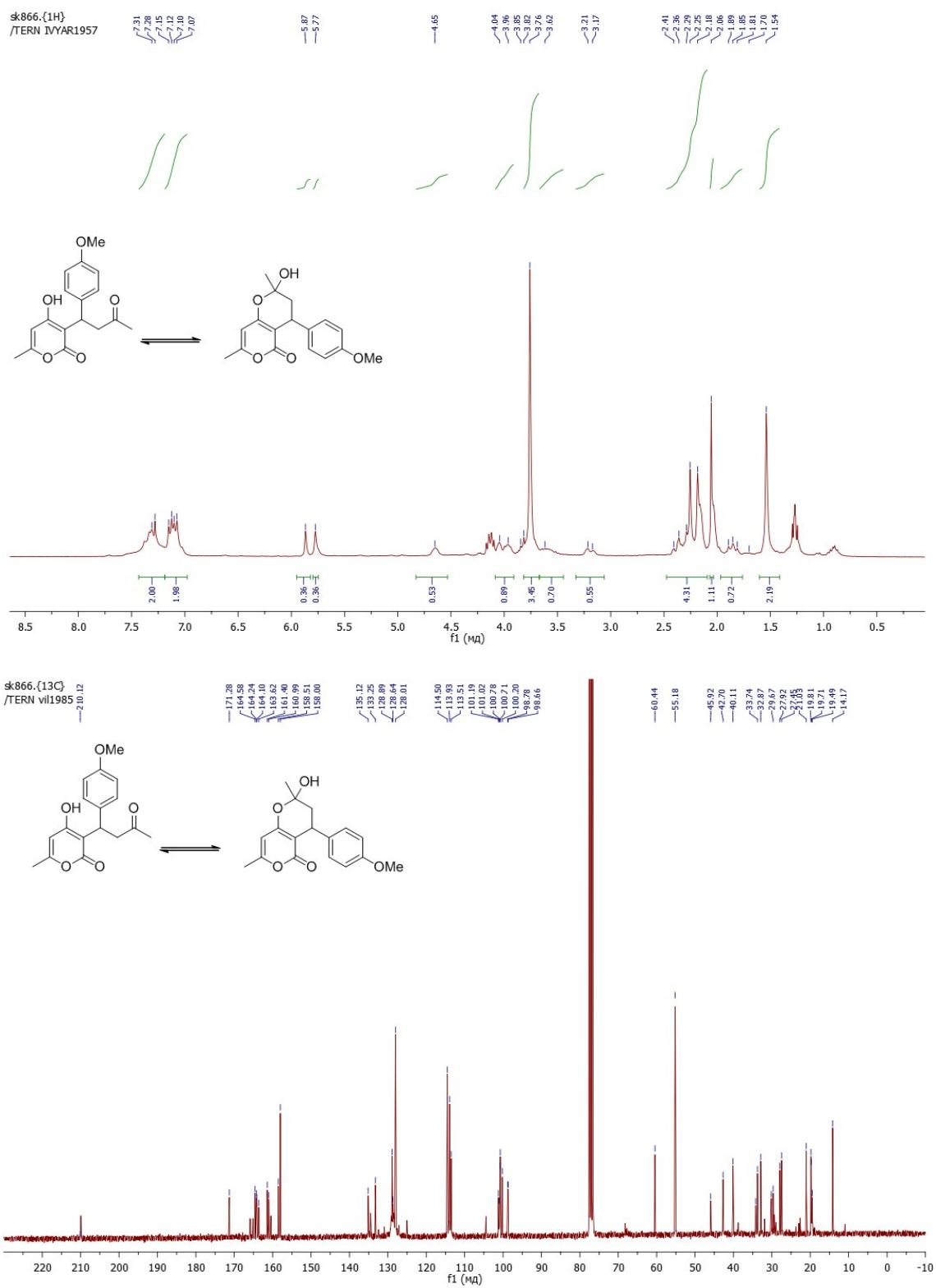
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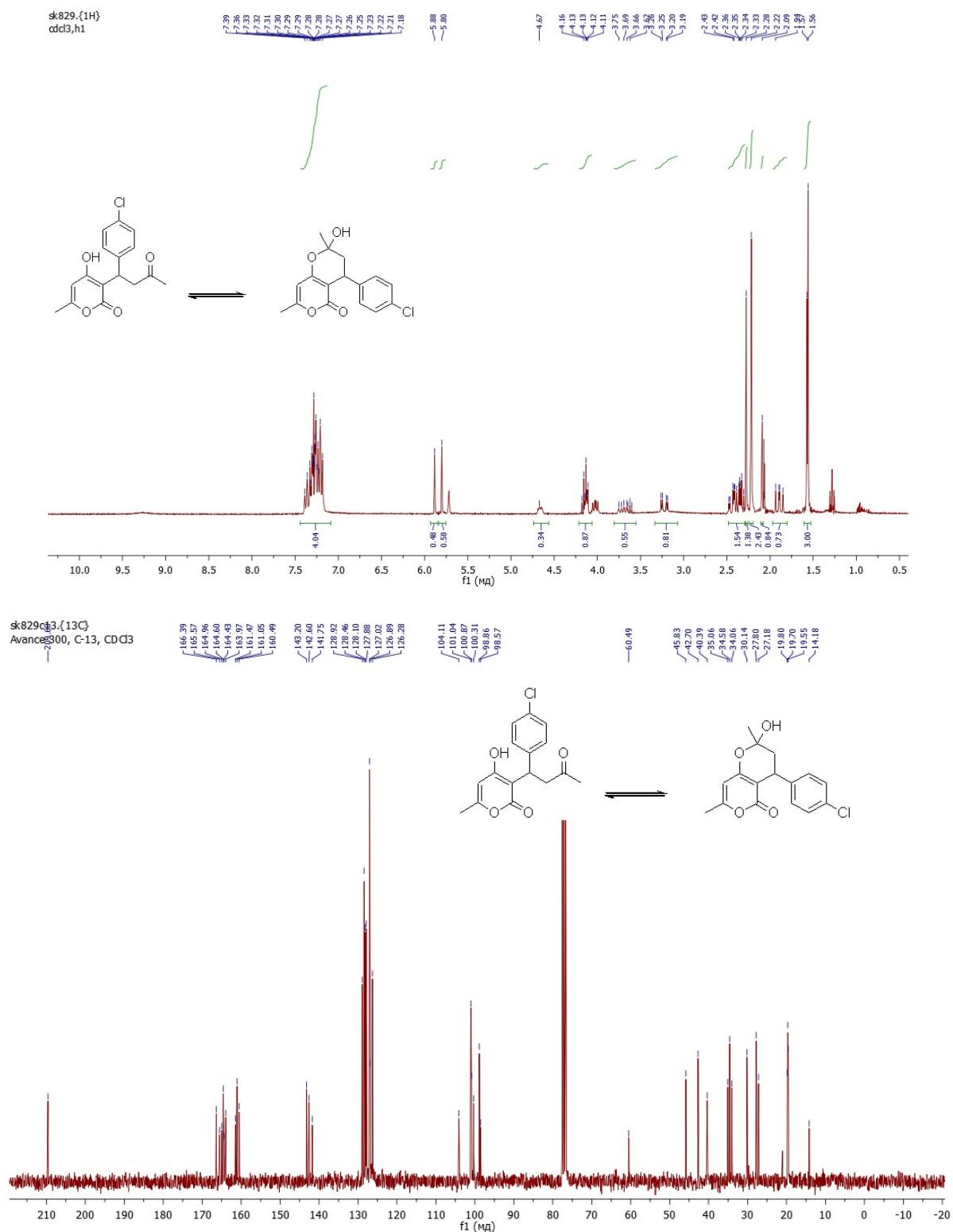
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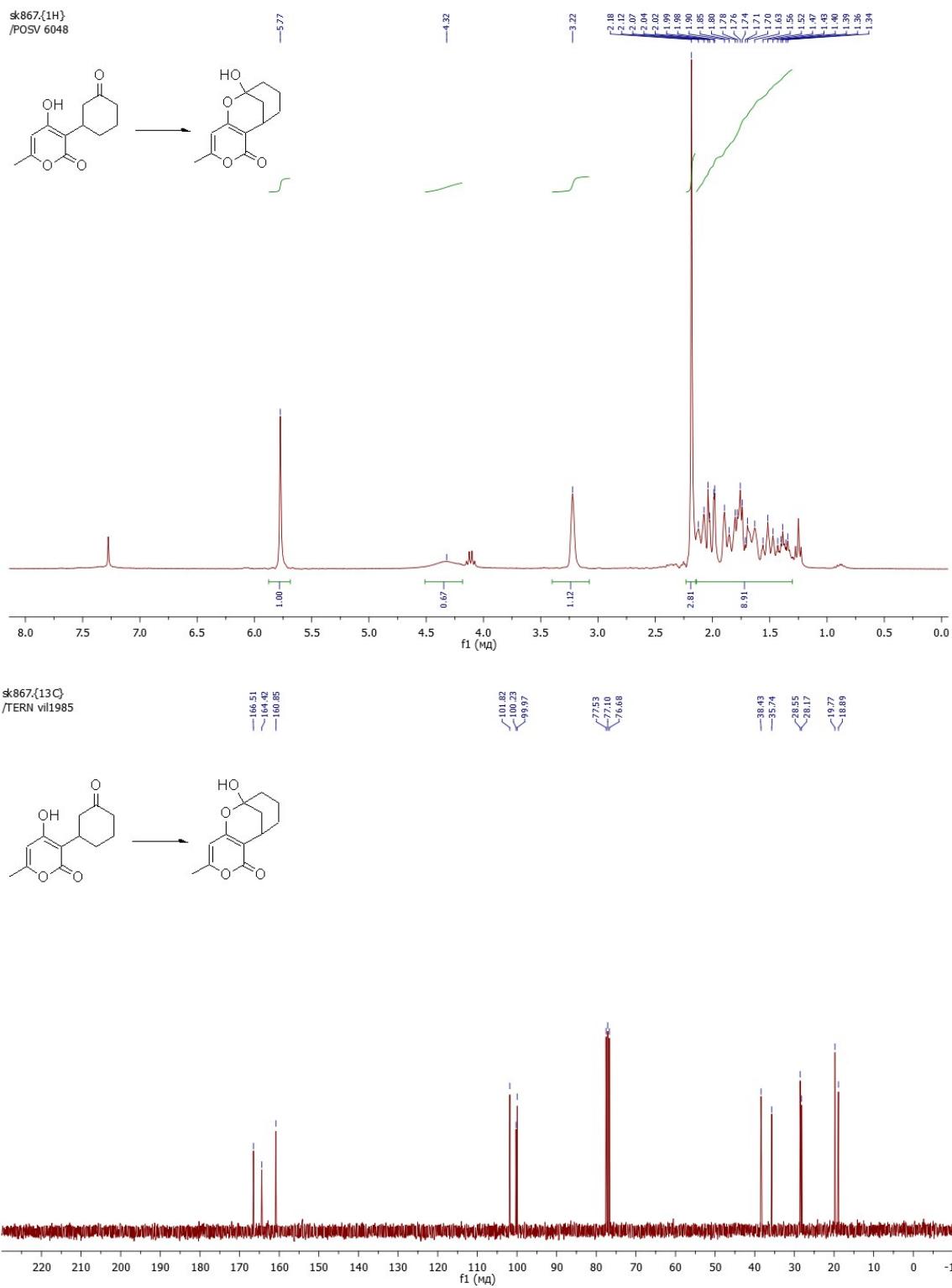
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3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one (11c).

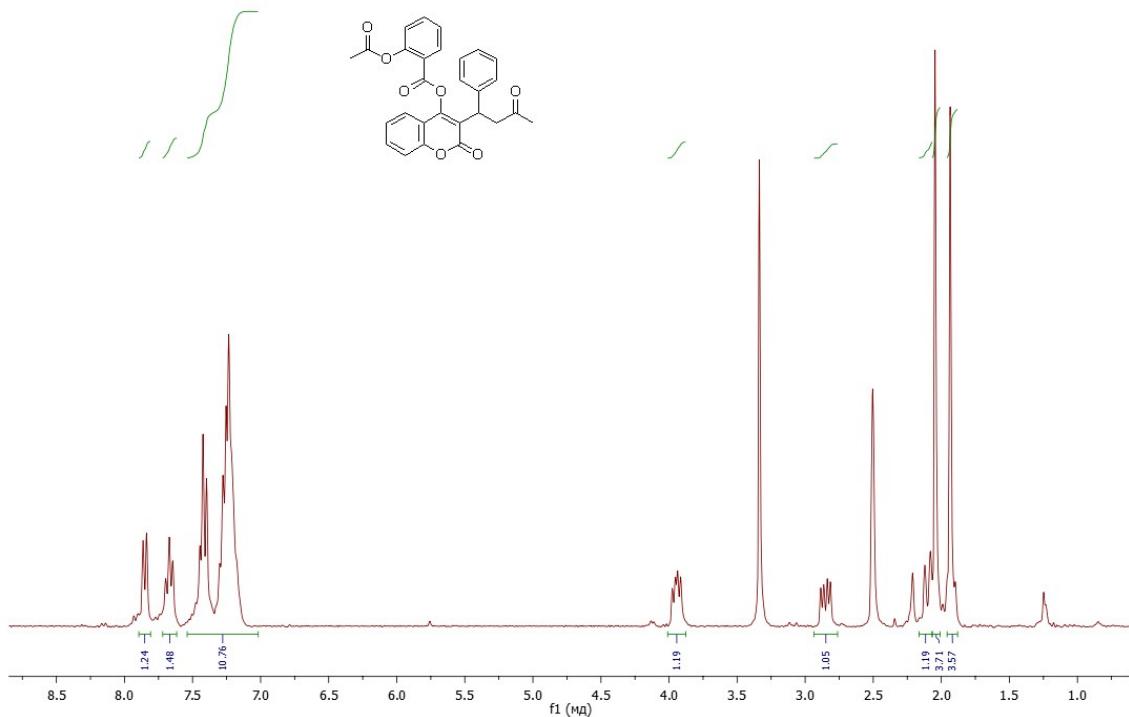
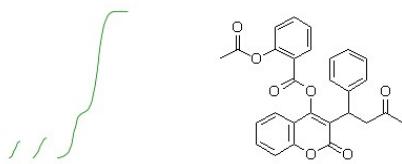


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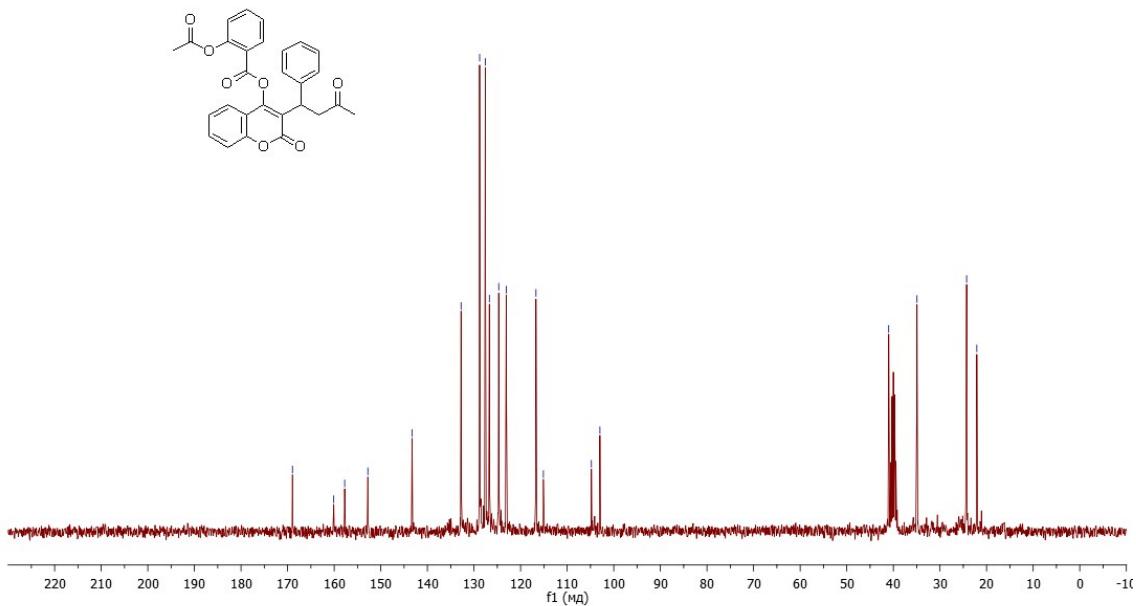
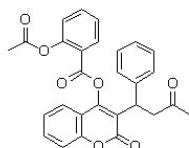


2-Oxo-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-4-yl 2-acetoxybenzoate (13a).

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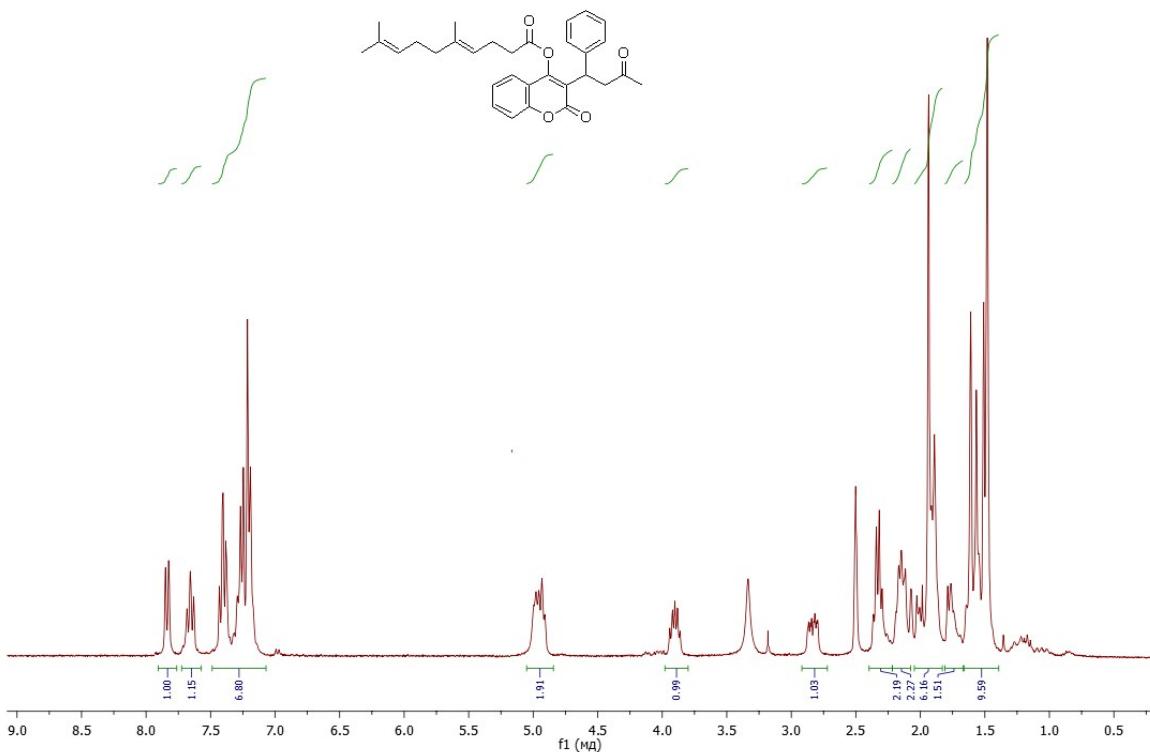


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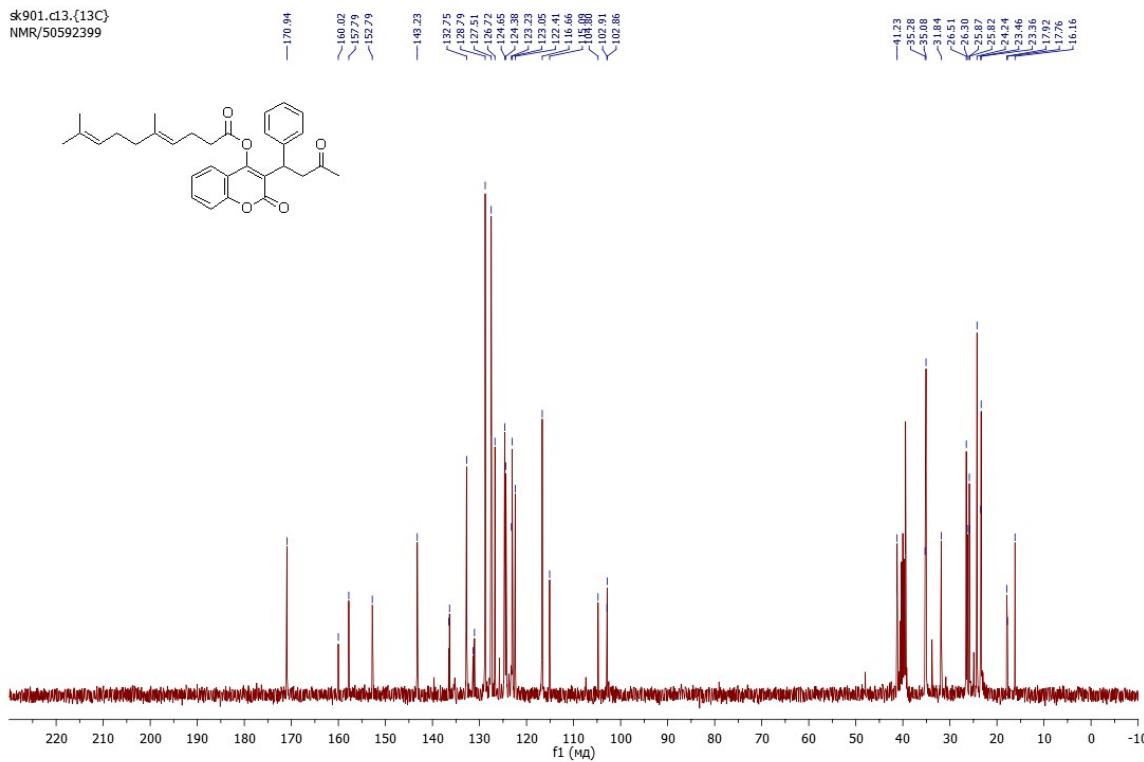


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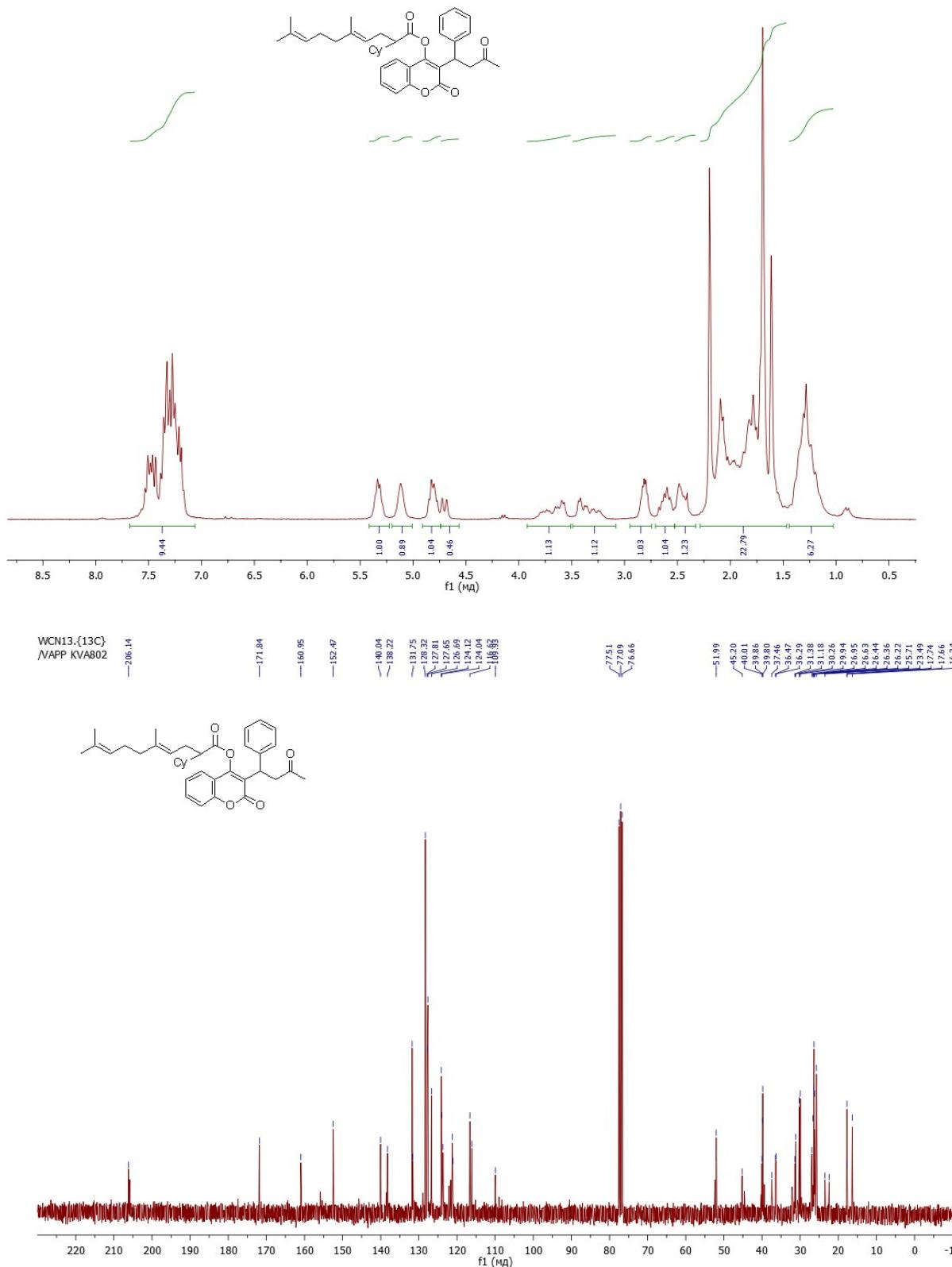


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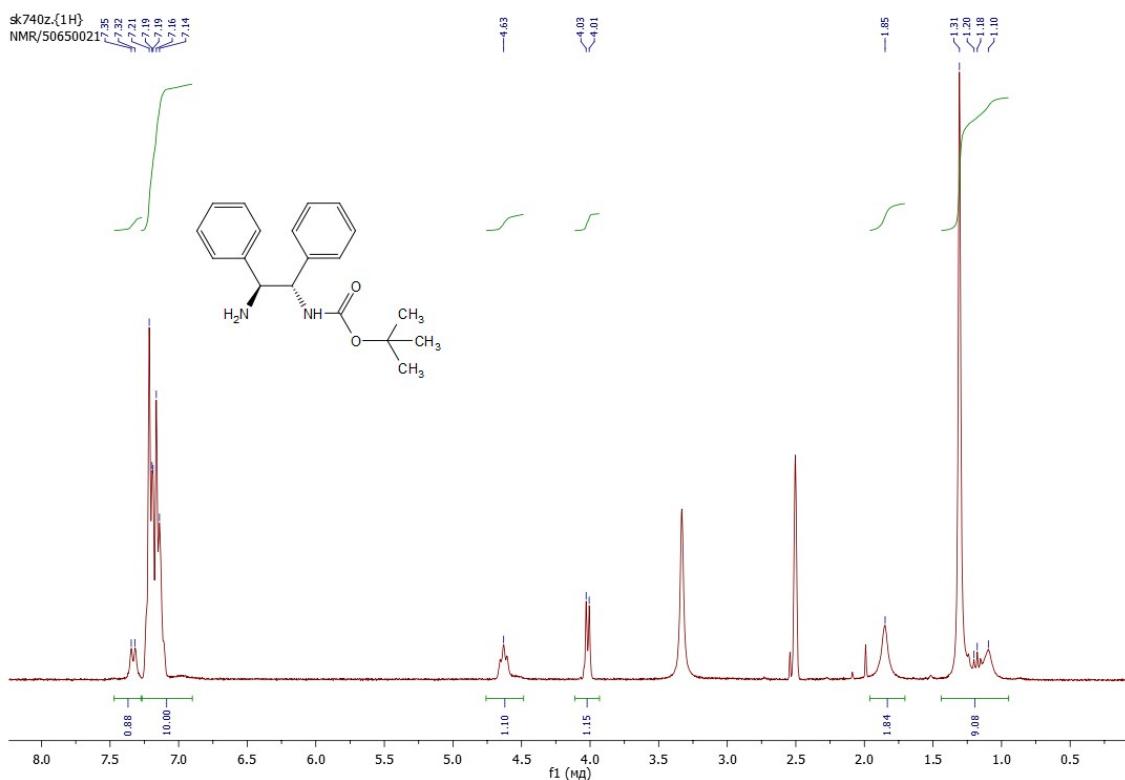
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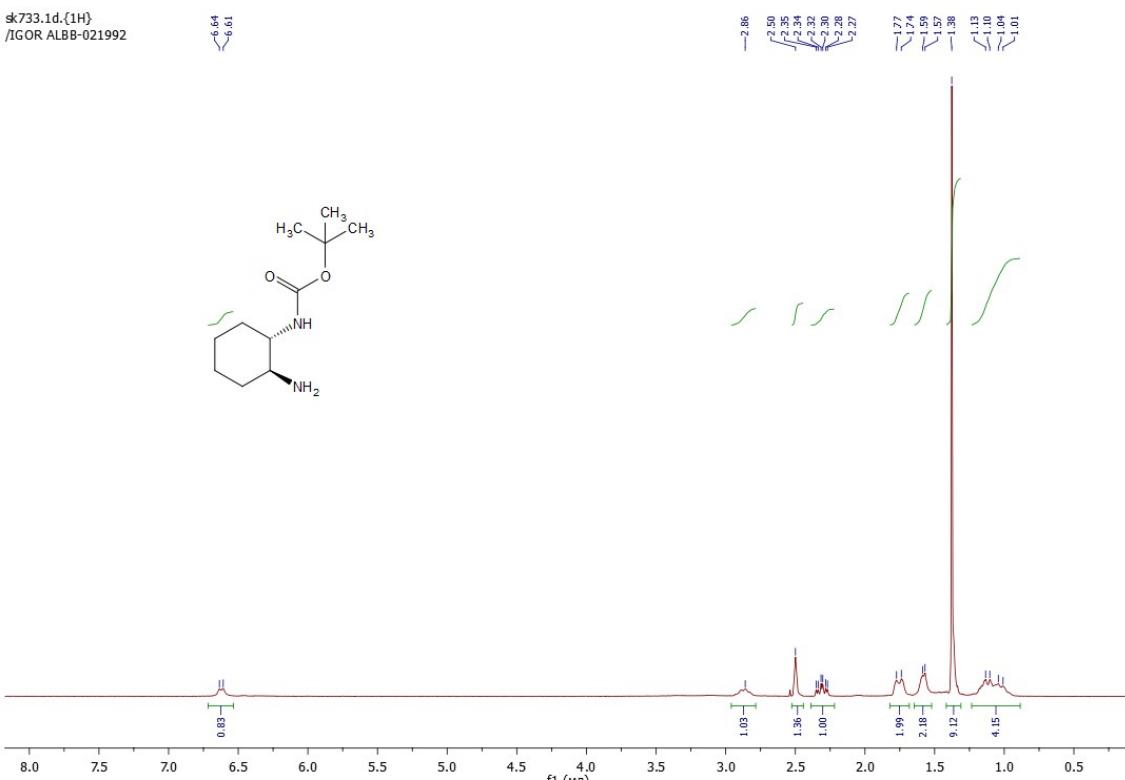


8. Pictures of ^1H NMR spectra for known compounds

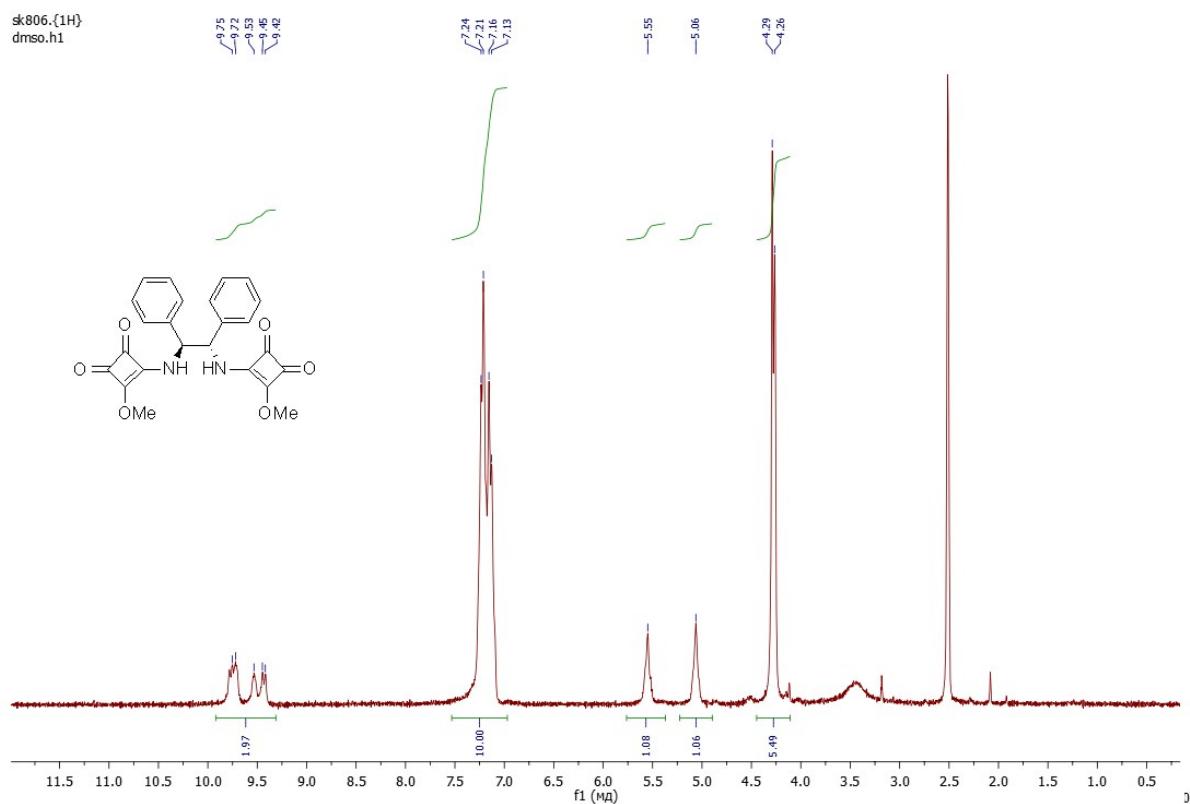
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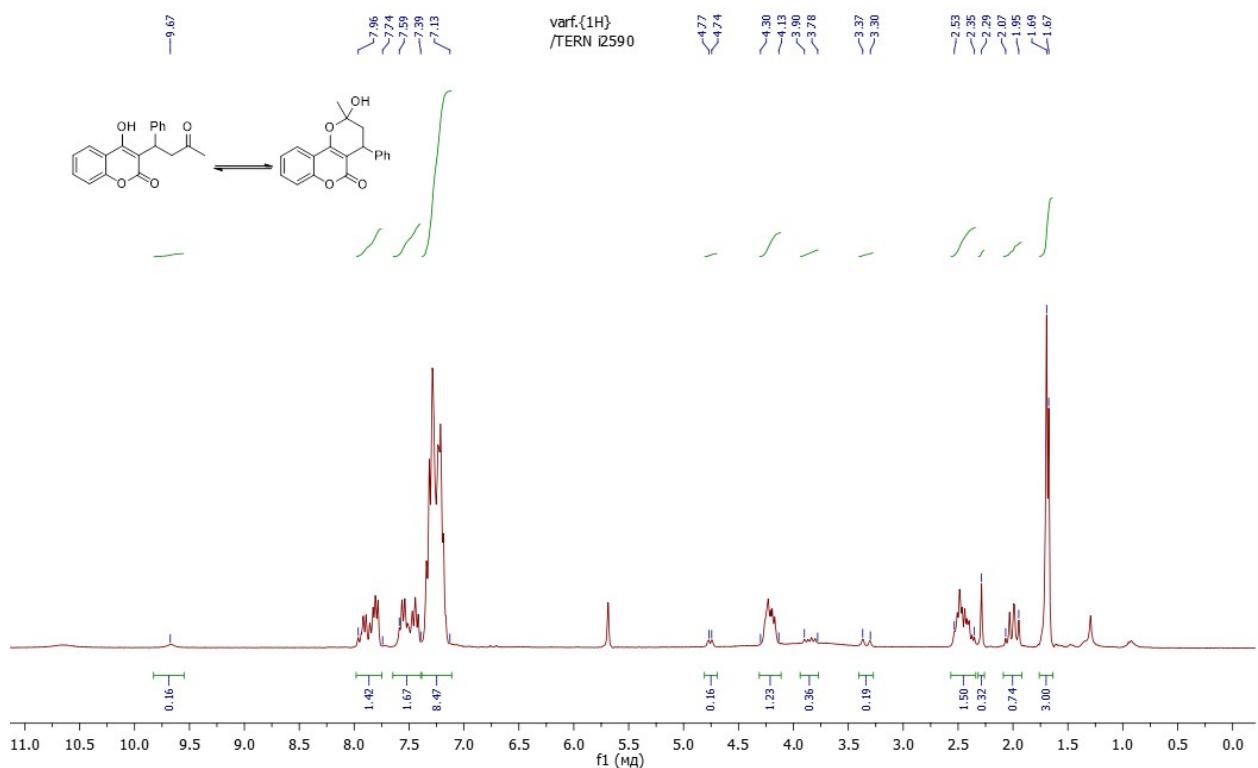
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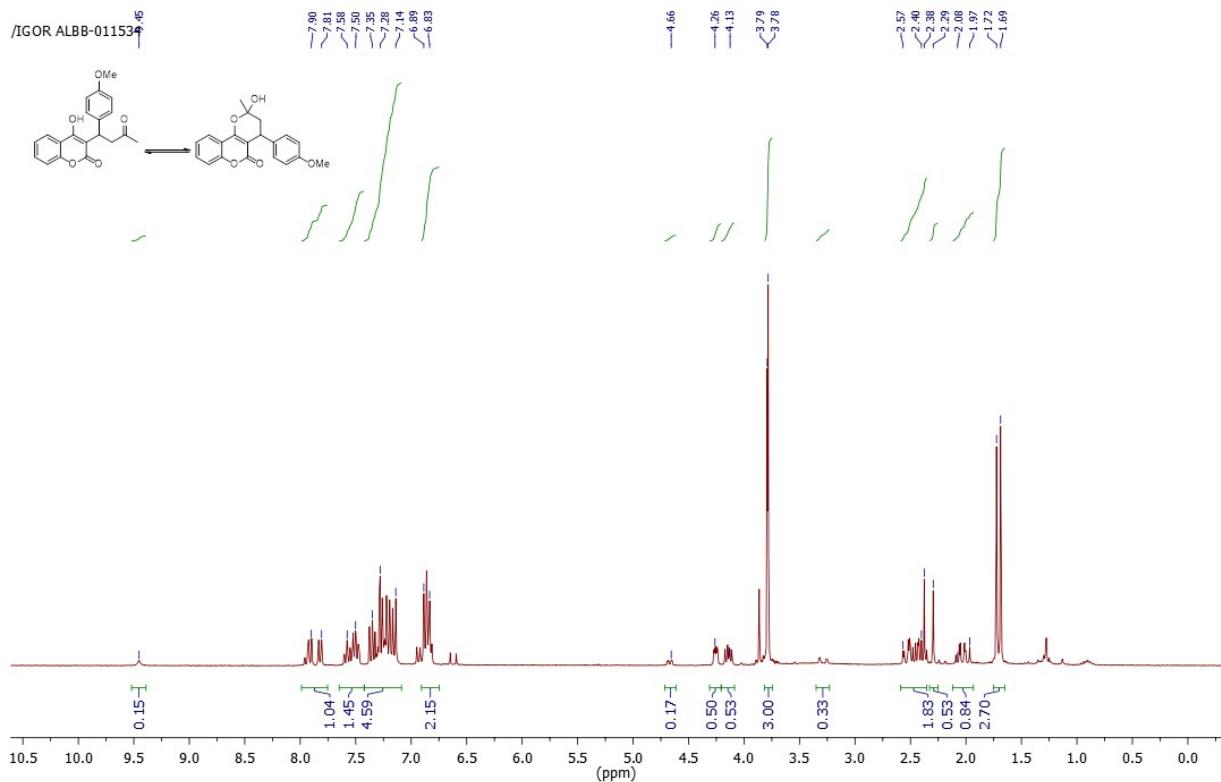
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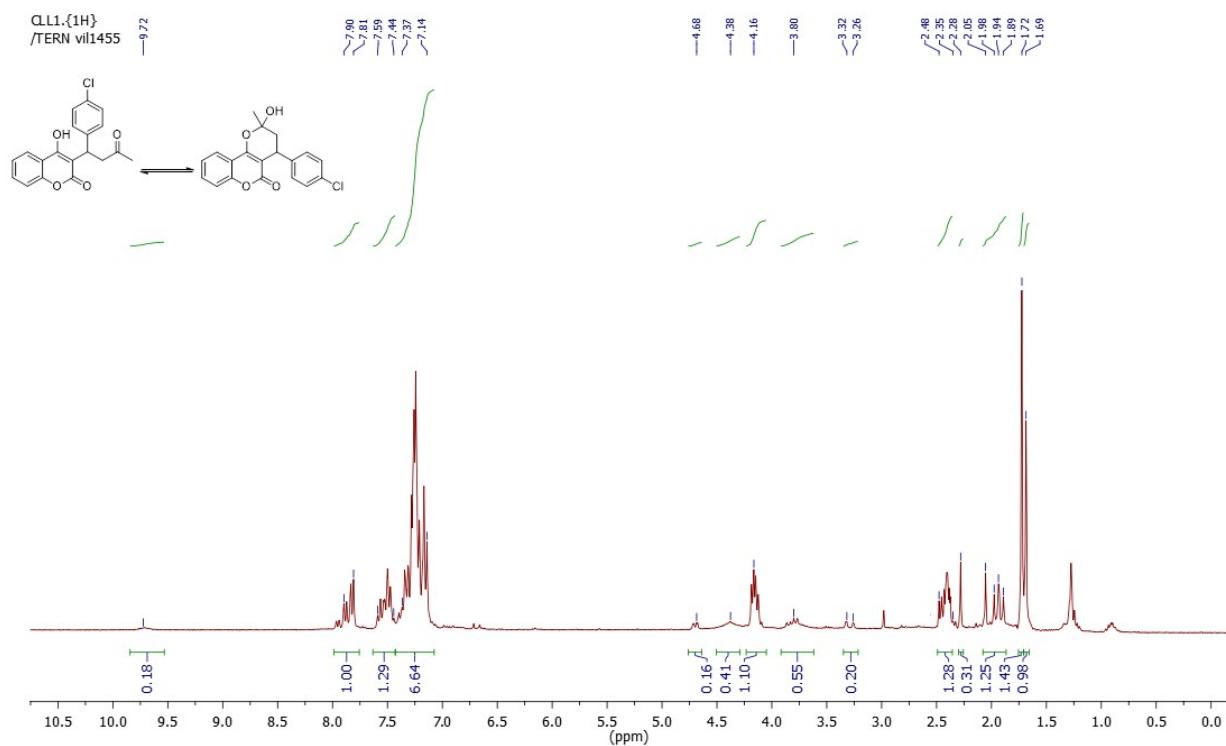
4-Hydroxy-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (Warfarin) (10a).



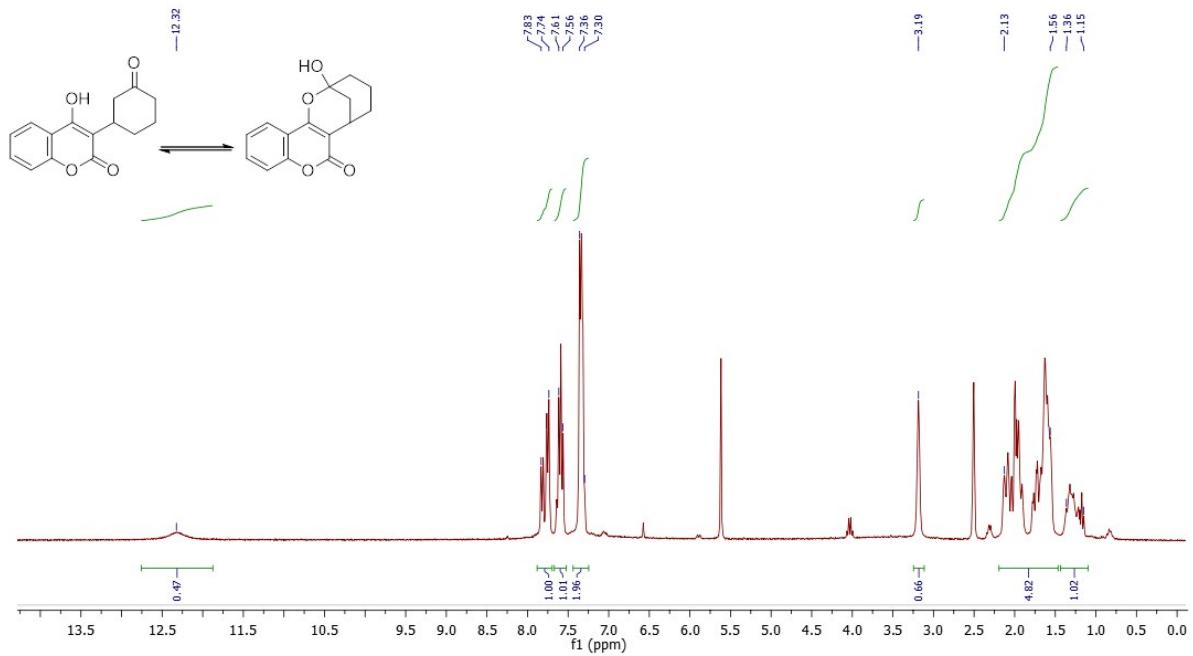
4-Hydroxy-3-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (10b).



3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-2H-chromen-2-one (Coumachlor) (10c).



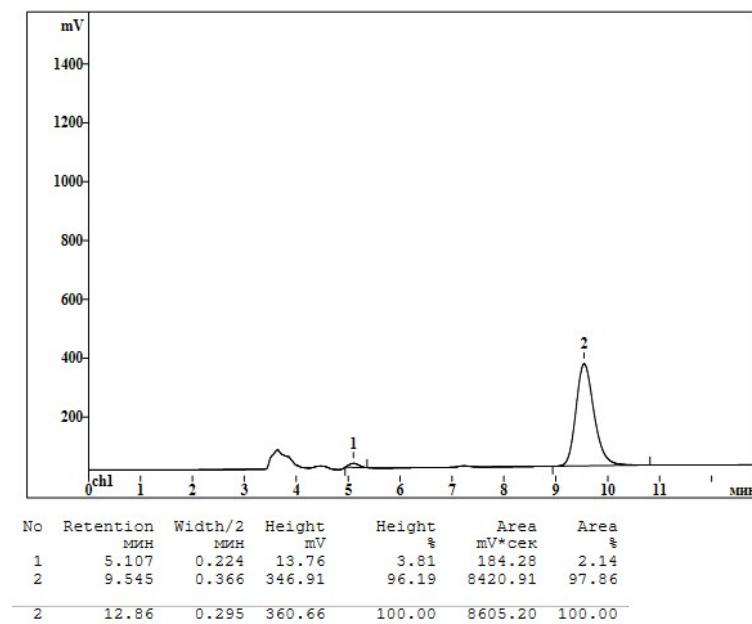
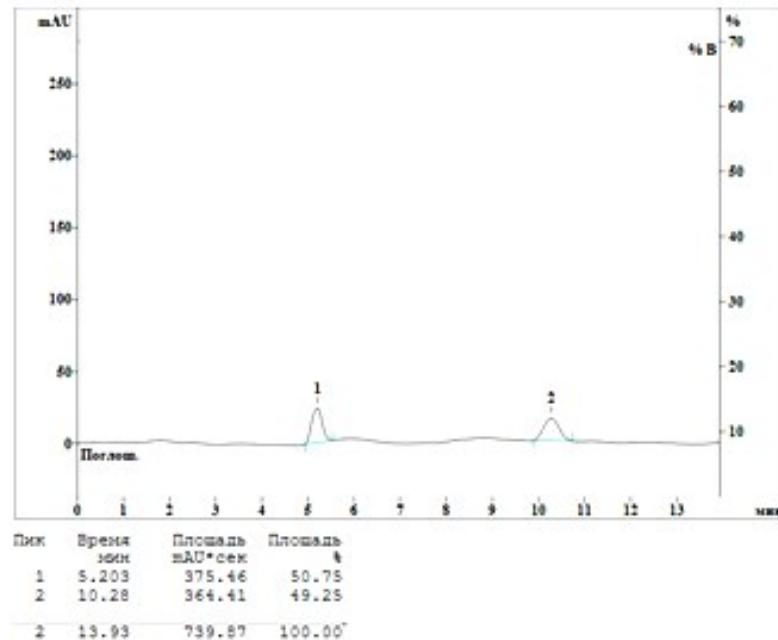
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9. HPLC data

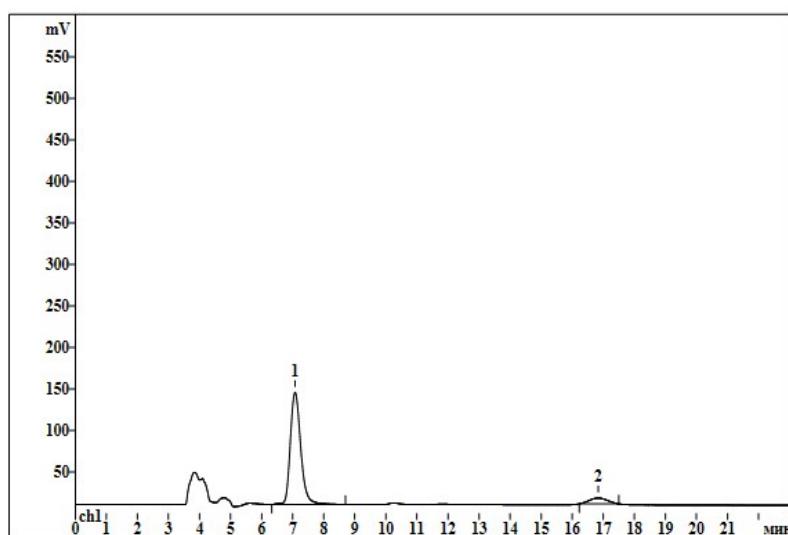
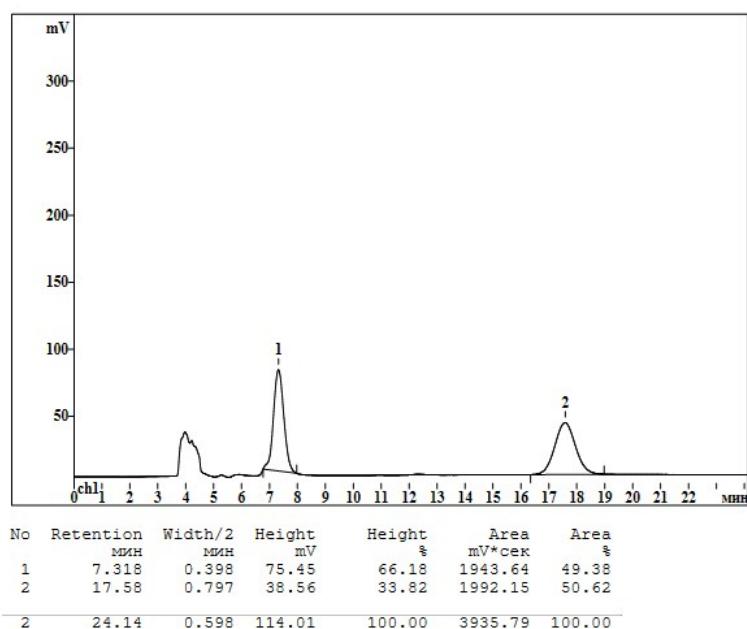
4-Hydroxy-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (Warfarin) (10a).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralcel AD-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; $\lambda = 254$ nm): $t_1 = 5.2$ min., $t_2 = 10.3$ min.



4-Hydroxy-3-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (10b).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralcel AD-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 7.07 min., t_2 = 18.84 min.

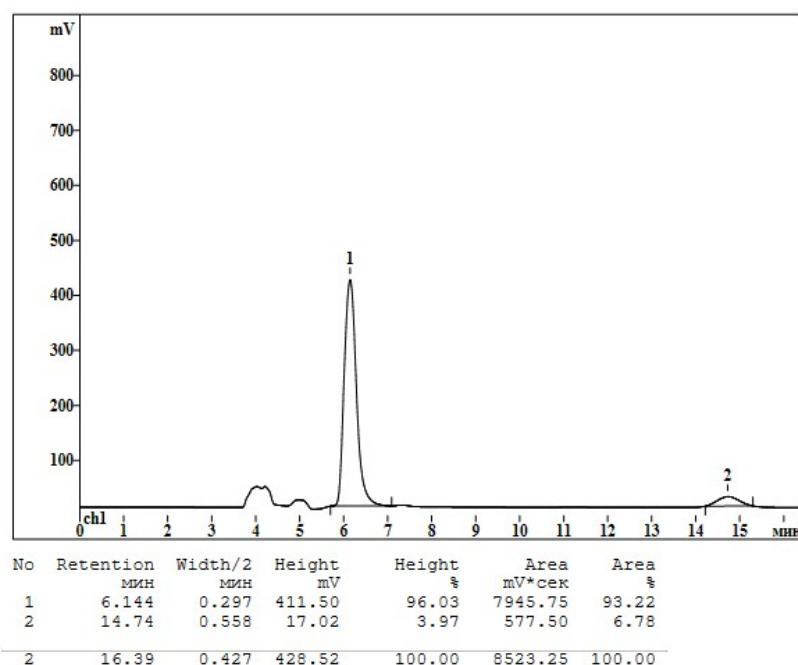
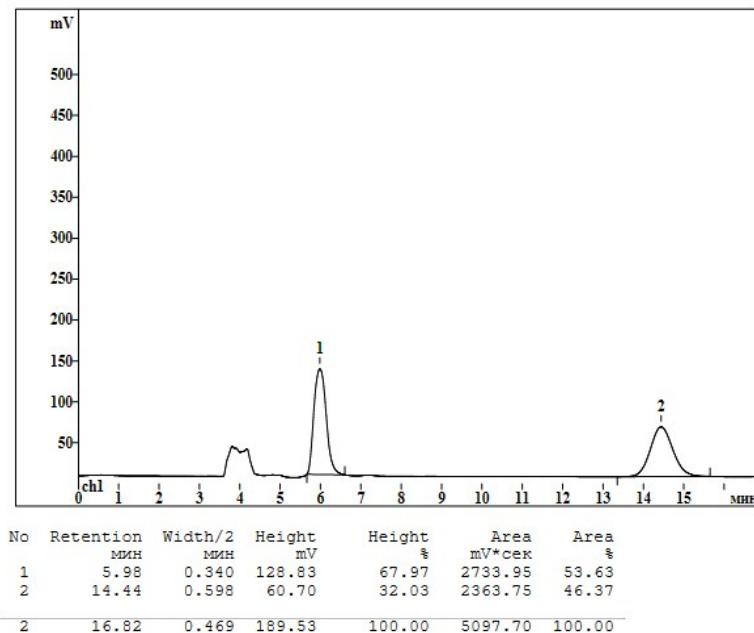


RESULTS
Quantitation method: Заказной
Standard component: Het

No	Retention MIN	Width/2 MIN	Height mV	Height %	Area mV*sec	Area %
1	7.074	0.351	134.84	95.06	3150.07	91.73
2	16.84	0.667	7.01	4.94	283.95	8.27
2	23.07	0.509	141.84	100.00	3434.01	100.00

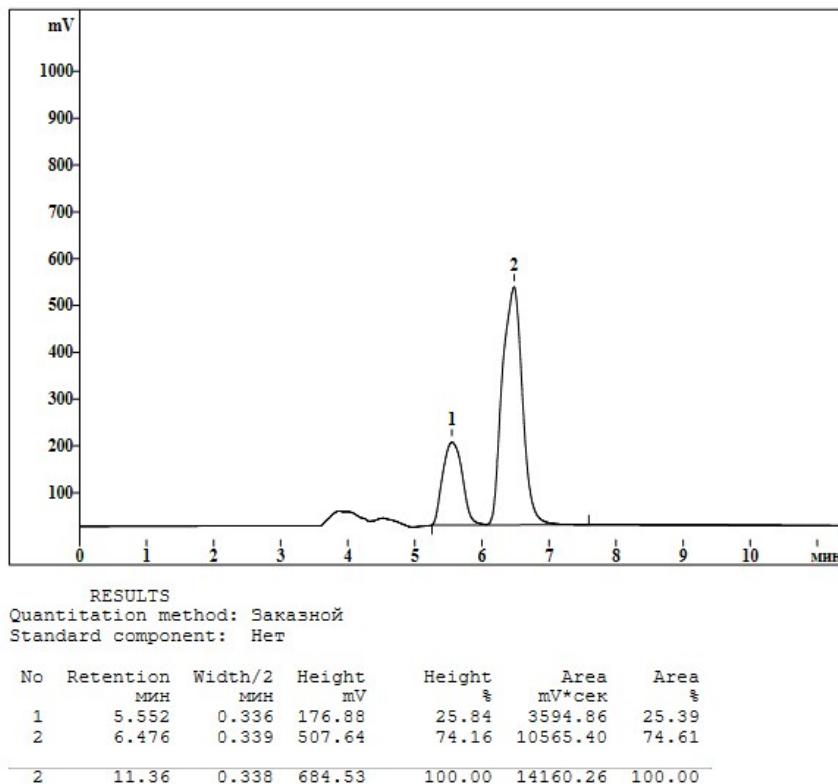
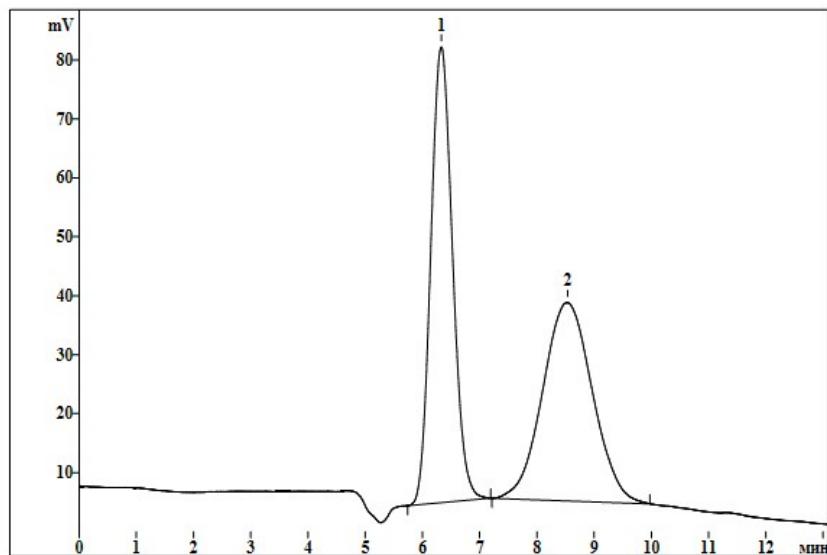
3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-2H-chromen-2-one (Coumachlor) (10c).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralcel OD-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 6.14 min., t_2 = 14.74 min.



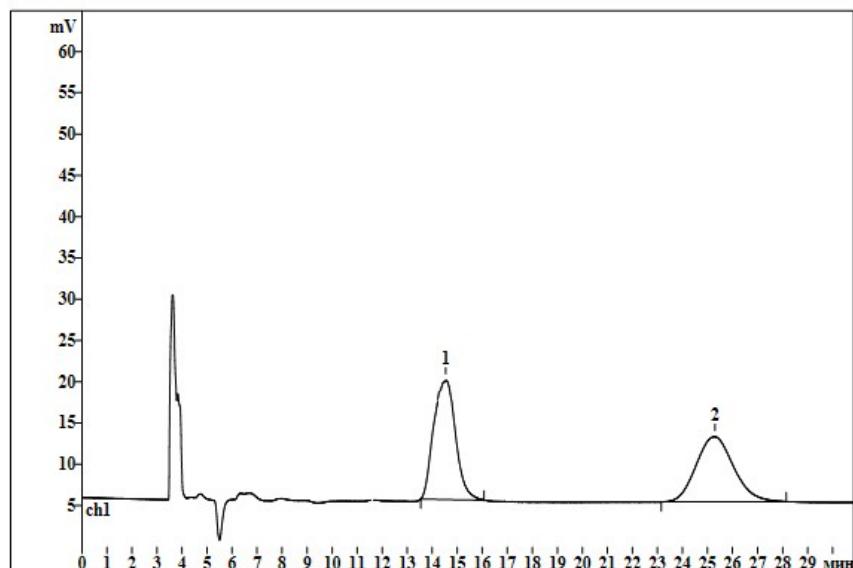
4-Hydroxy-3-(3-oxocyclohexyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (10d).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralcel OJ-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 220 nm): t_1 = 5.55 min., t_2 = 6.48 min.



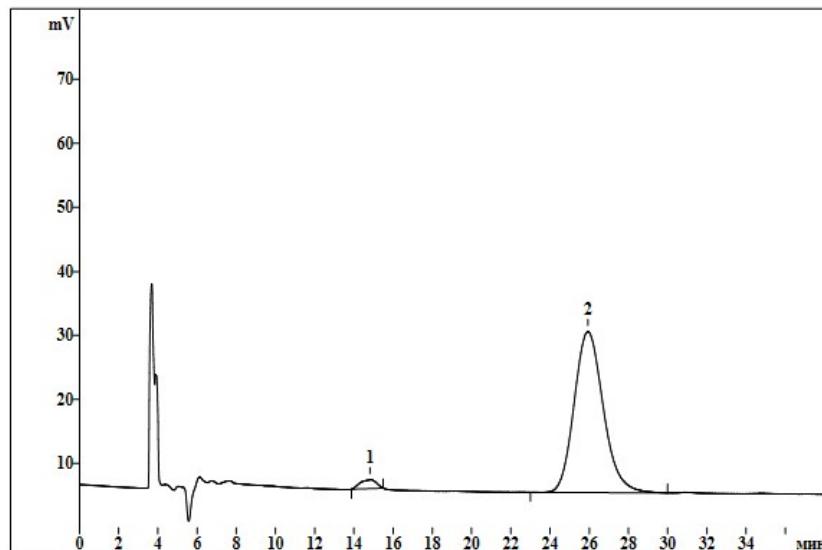
4-Hydroxy-6-methyl-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-pyran-2-one (11a).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralcel AD-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 90:10; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 220 nm): t_1 = 14.8 min., t_2 = 25.9 min.



RESULTS
Quantitation method: Заказной
Standard component: Нет

No	Retention мин	Width/2 мин	Height мВ	Height %	Area мВ*сек	Area %
1	14.55	1.152	14.58	64.91	1010.23	55.13
2	25.3	1.616	7.88	35.09	822.22	44.87
2	30.85	1.384	22.46	100.00	1832.46	100.00

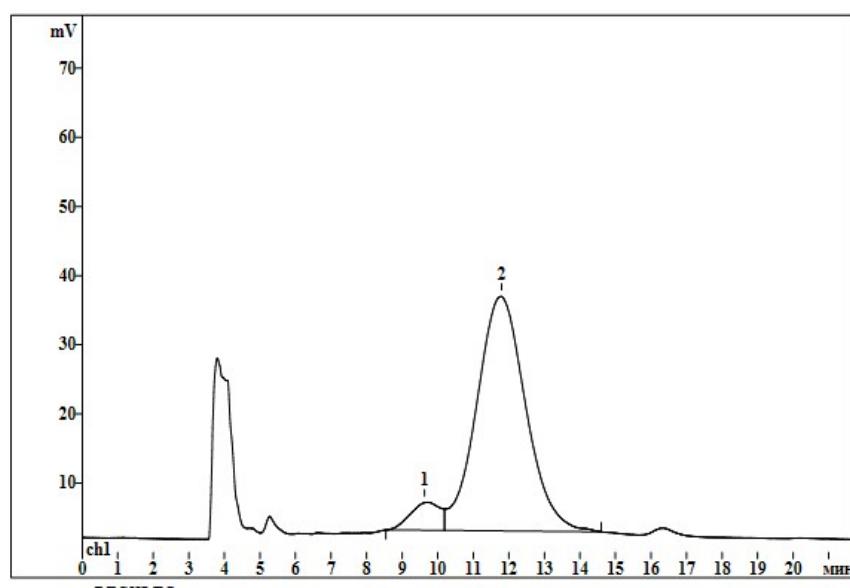
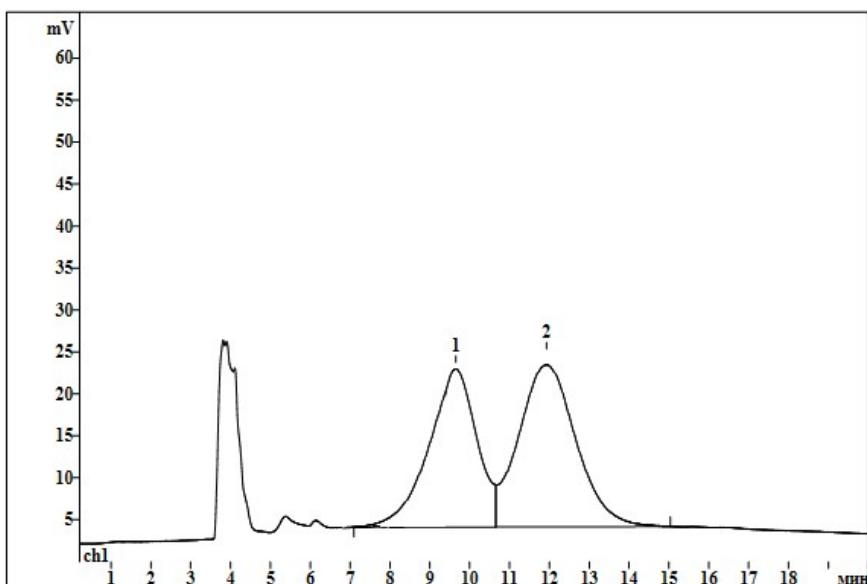


RESULTS
Quantitation method: Заказной
Standard component: Нет

No	Retention мин	Width/2 мин	Height мВ	Height %	Area мВ*сек	Area %
1	14.81	1.004	1.34	5.07	78.61	2.94
2	25.93	1.582	25.12	94.93	2596.03	97.06
2	38.06	1.293	26.46	100.00	2674.64	100.00

4-Hydroxy-3-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one (11b).

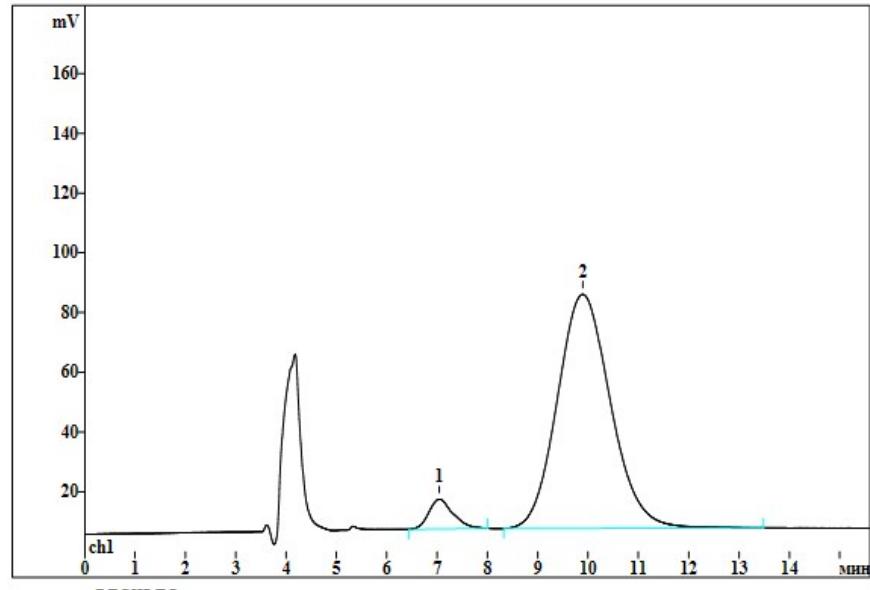
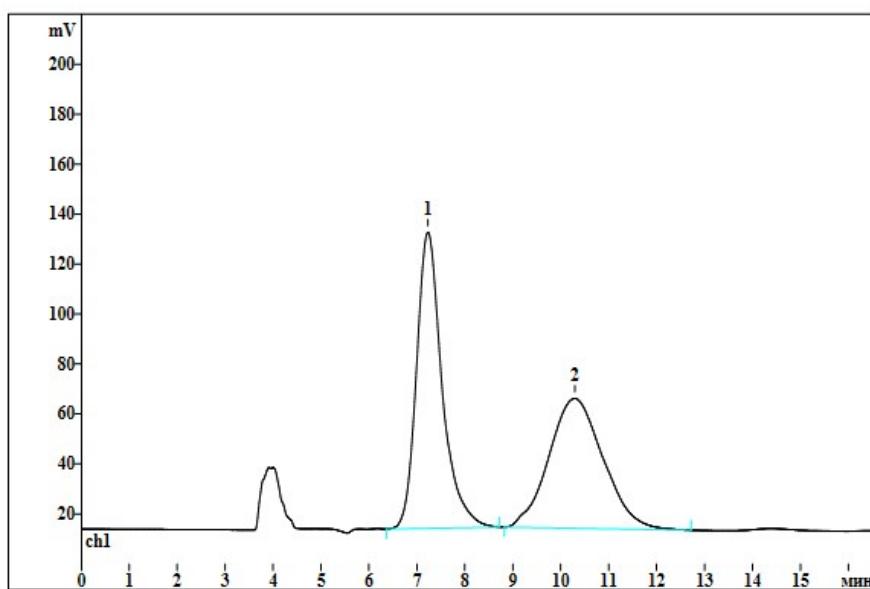
HPLC (Daicel Chiralpak AS-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 9.63 min., t_2 = 11.78 min.



No	Retention МИН	Width/2 МИН	Height мВ	Height %	Area мВ*сек	Area %
1	9.631	1.028	3.99	10.53	236.91	6.79
2	11.78	1.460	33.92	89.47	3251.07	93.21

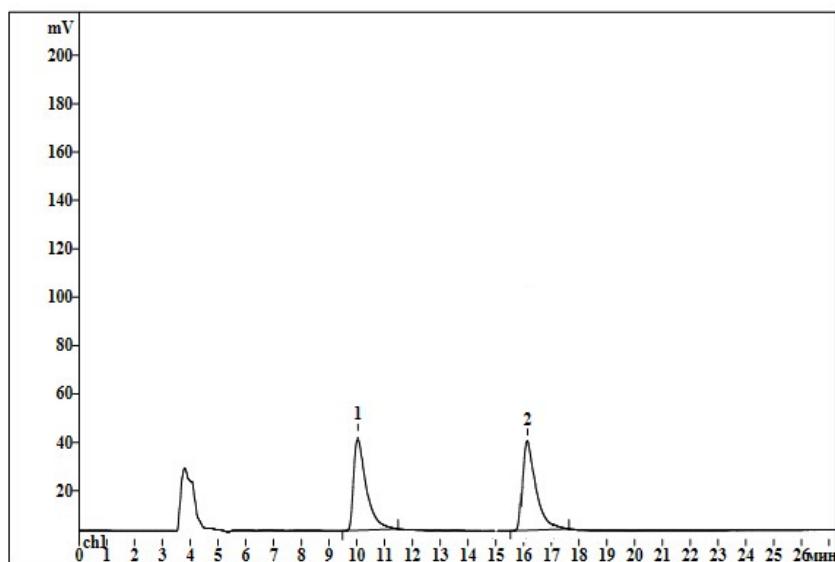
3-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-oxobutyl)-4-hydroxy-6-methyl-2H-pyran-2-one (11c).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralpak AS-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 7.22 min., t_2 = 10.29 min.



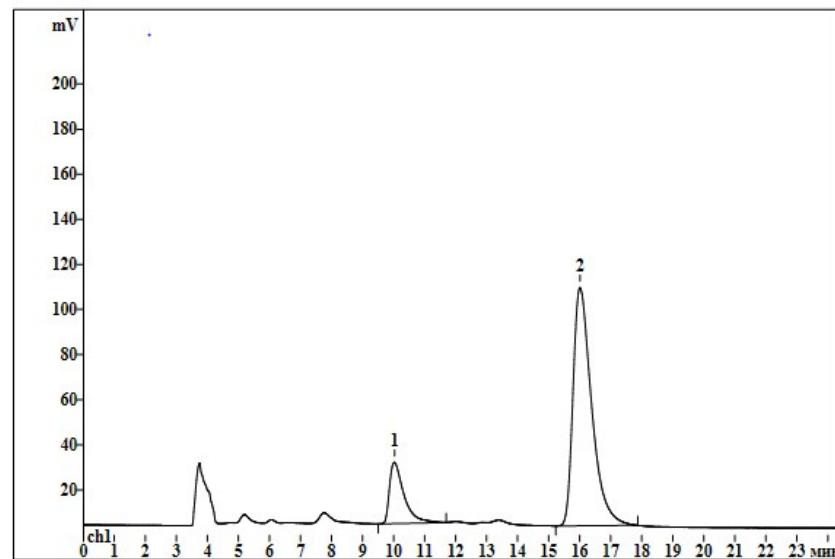
4-Hydroxy-6-methyl-3-(3-oxocyclohexyl)-2H-pyran-2-one (11d).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralpak AS-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 70:30; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 10.03 min., t_2 = 16.14 min.



RESULTS
Quantitation method: Заказной
Standard component: Нет

No	Retention мин	Width/2 мин	Height мВ	Height %	Area мВ*сек	Area %
1	10.03	0.470	37.47	42.14	1211.94	49.95
2	16.14	0.407	36.45	57.86	1214.16	50.05
2	27.28	0.438	73.92	100.00	2426.10	100.00

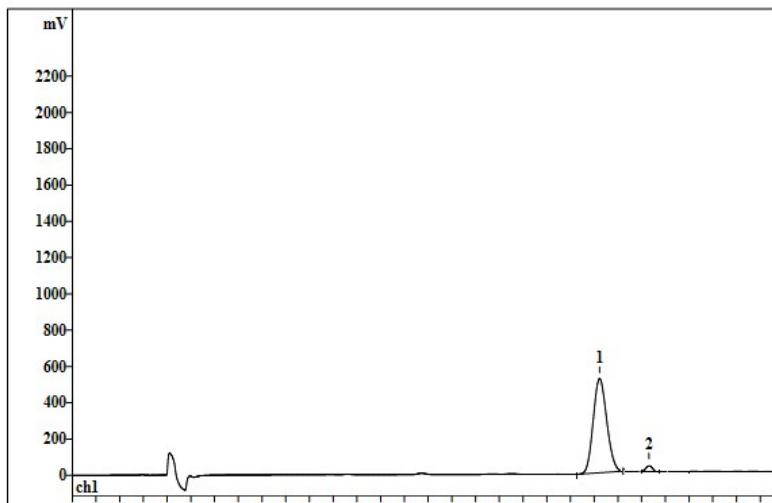
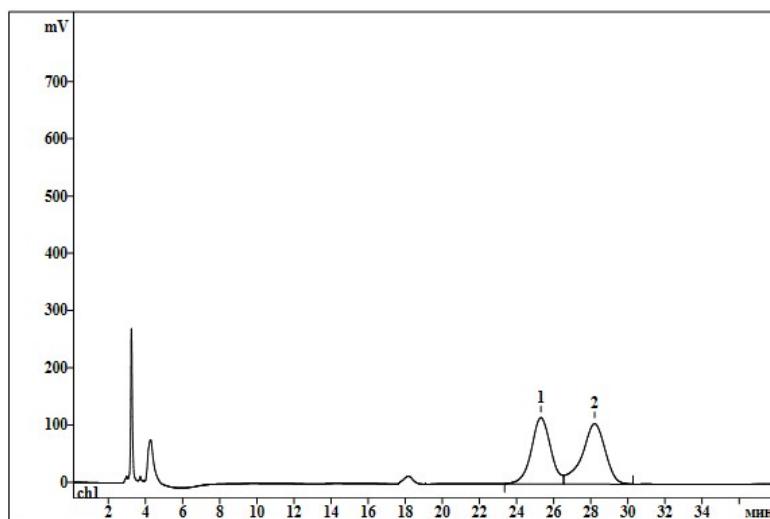


RESULTS
Quantitation method: Заказной
Standard component: Нет

No	Retention мин	Width/2 мин	Height мВ	Height %	Area мВ*сек	Area %
1	10.02	0.468	27.10	20.41	878.84	16.63
2	16.01	0.624	105.65	79.59	4405.09	83.37
2	24.4	0.546	132.74	100.00	5283.93	100.00

2-Oxo-3-(3-oxo-1-phenylbutyl)-2H-chromen-4-yl -2-acetoxybenzoate (13a).

HPLC (Daicel Chiralpak AS-H; *n*-hexane/2-propanol, 99:1; flow rate = 0.8 mL/min; λ = 254 nm): t_1 = 22.22 min., t_2 = 24.19 min.



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