

*Supporting Information for*

**Asymmetric transfer hydrogenation of cycloalkyl vinyl ketones to allylic alcohols catalyzed by ruthenium amido complexes**

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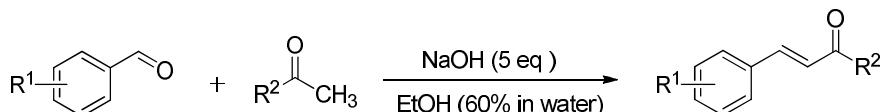
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## 1. General Information

Unless otherwise noted, all reagents, catalysts and solvents were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. Column Chromatography was performed with silica gel (200-300 mesh). NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker ADVANCE III (400 MHz) spectrometers. Melting point were determined using a X-4 made by Peking Taike Apparatus Co. Ltd. CDCl<sub>3</sub> was the solvent used for the NMR analysis, with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard. Chemical shifts were reported up field to TMS (0.00 ppm) for <sup>1</sup>H NMR and relative to CDCl<sub>3</sub> (77.0 ppm) for <sup>13</sup>C NMR. HPLC analysis was conducted on a Waters 2489 Series instrument with chiral column OJ-H, AD-H, AS-H and OD-H. Optical rotations were measured on a MCP-500. Melting point was determined using a X-4 made by Peking Taike Apparatus Co. Ltd. HRMS spectra were acquired using an Agilent 6210 ESI/TOF mass spectrometer.

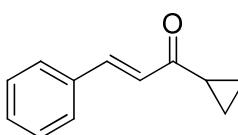
## 2. General Procedure for the Synthesis of (*E*)- $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ketones <sup>[1]</sup>



To a solution of sodium hydroxide (1.5 g) in an aqueous ethanol (25 mL, 60%), the ketone (5 mmol) was added dropwise, and then the aldehyde (5 mmol) was added dropwise. The mixture was stirred at 60 °C for a period of time, when the reaction was complete monitored by TLC, the mixture was cooled to room temperature. The mixture was concentrated and extracted with ethyl acetate (3×20 mL). The combined organic phase was washed with water, dried over anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1) to give the desired product. Compound **2a-2z**, **2aa-2ad** were prepared according to this procedure, compound **2ae** was purchased.

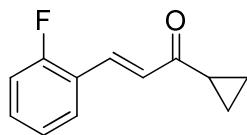
## 3. Analytical Data of the Products

### (*E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-one (**2a**)



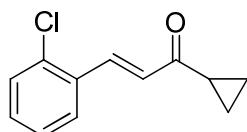
White solid; m.p. 51-52 °C, 90% yield (774 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.66 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 2H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 3H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.33-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.19 (m, 2H), 1.04-0.99 (m, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.12, 142.03, 134.71, 130.36, 128.95, 128.31, 126.46, 19.68, 11.41.

**(E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(2-fluorophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2b**)**



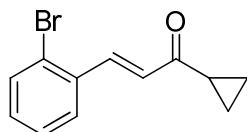
Colourless oil; 92% yield (855 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.89 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.56-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.42-7.38 (m, 1H), 7.23-7.12 (m, 2H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.34-2.28 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.19 (m, 2H), 1.06-1.01 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.34, 134.47 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1C), 131.69 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1C), 129.02 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1C), 128.75 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1C), 124.50 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz, 1C), 116.22 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz, 1C), 29.72, 19.61, 11.48.

**(E)-3-(2-chlorophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2c**)**



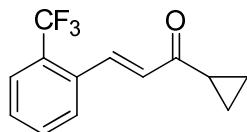
Colourless oil, 85% yield (850 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.02 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.69-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.39-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.29-7.25 (m, 1H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.38-2.32 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.20 (m, 2H), 1.07-1.03 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.99, 140.50, 134.77, 133.47, 131.25, 129.33, 127.78, 127.74, 125.74, 19.25, 11.61.

**(E)-3-(2-bromophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2d**)**



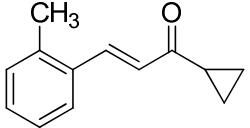
Colourless oil, 85% yield (1.06 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.06 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71-7.69 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 2.37-2.32 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.19 (m, 2H), 1.06-1.01 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.05, 137.87, 135.26, 132.99, 131.08, 130.21, 129.11, 127.58, 127.14, 19.29, 11.61.

**(E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2e**)**

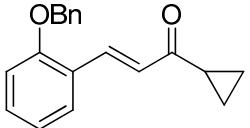


White solid; m.p. 59-60 °C, 95% yield (1.14 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.03 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.99-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.63-7.59 (m, 1H), 7.54-7.50 (m, 1H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.36-2.29 (m, 1H), 1.24-1.20 (m, 2H), 1.07-1.02 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.82, 137.48 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1C), 132.96 (d, *J* = 163.6 Hz, 1C), 130.68, 129.39 (d, *J* = 38.7 Hz, 1C), 128.90, 127.84, 126.19 (q, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1C), 125.37, 122.65, 19.22, 11.65.

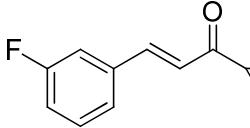
**(E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(o-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2f**)**

 Colourless oil; 87% yield (809 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.95 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.63-7.24 (m, 3H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.31-2.25 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.20 (m, 2H), 1.05-1.00 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.17, 139.53, 138.09, 133.67, 130.86, 130.08, 127.37, 126.37, 126.35, 19.98, 19.86, 11.47.

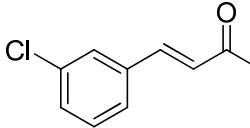
**(E)-3-(2-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2g**)**

 Colourless oil; 80% yield (648 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.08 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 7.6 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51-7.42 (m, 4H), 7.40-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.05-7.00 (m, 3H), 6.98 (s, 2H), 2.28-2.22 (m, 1H), 1.18-1.16 (m, 2H), 1.00-0.96 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.62, 137.40, 136.63, 131.54, 128.90, 128.70, 128.11, 127.30, 127.18, 124.09, 121.17, 112.80, 70.49, 19.48, 11.17.

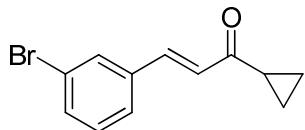
**(E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3-fluorophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2h**)**

 Colourless oil; 90% yield (855 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.59 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.28 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 2.8 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.14-7.09 (m, 1H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.29-2.24 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.05-1.01 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.87, 163.03 (d, *J* = 254.2 Hz, 1C), 140.51 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1C), 137.00 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1C), 130.49 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 1C), 127.47, 124.34 (d, *J* = 0.7 Hz, 1C), 117.15 (d, *J* = 21.4 Hz, 1C), 114.35 (d, *J* = 21.8 Hz, 1C), 19.93, 11.59.

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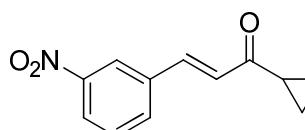
 Colourless oil; 92% yield (947 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.56 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 2H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 17.6 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 10.4 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.29-2.23 (m, 1H), 1.22-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.05-1.00 (m, 2H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.77, 140.25, 136.59, 134.93, 130.17, 130.15, 127.90, 127.49, 126.52, 19.97, 11.60.

*(E)*-3-(3-bromophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2j**)



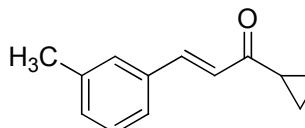
Colourless oil; 92% yield (1.15 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.75 (s, 1H), 7.74-7.50 (m, 3H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.28-2.24 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.05-1.01 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.77, 140.16, 136.86, 133.07, 130.85, 130.44, 127.49, 126.97, 123.06, 20.00, 11.63.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3-nitrophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2k**)



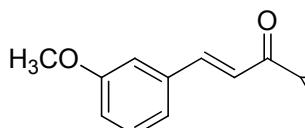
Colourless oil; 80% yield (868 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.46 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 8.28 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 1.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 8.26 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 0.8 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.91-6.61 (m, 2H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 2.31-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.25-1.22 (m, 2H), 1.09-1.05 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.47, 148.72, 138.86, 136.57, 133.97, 130.00, 128.76, 124.51, 122.44, 20.30, 11.87.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(m-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2l**)



Colourless oil; 75% yield (697 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.63 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.31-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.22-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.03-0.99 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.16, 142.24, 138.59, 134.66, 131.21, 128.95, 128.83, 126.28, 125.52, 21.37, 19.64, 11.34.

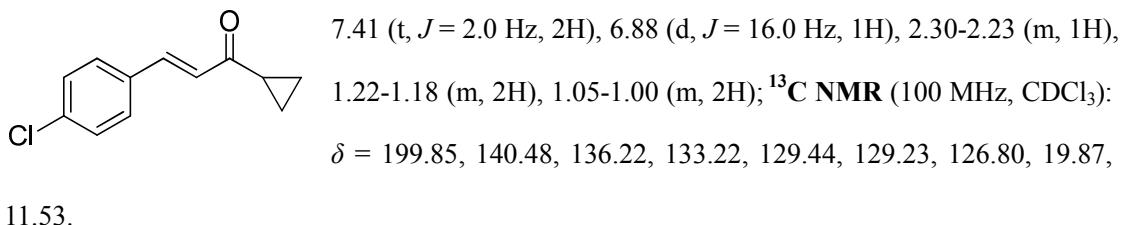
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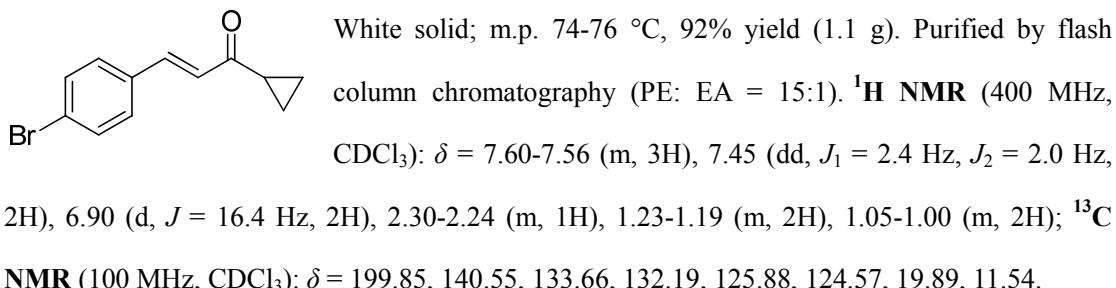
Colourless oil; 70% yield (707 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.62 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.19-7.12 (m, 1H), 6.99-6.96 (m, 1H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 2.32-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.22-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.04-0.99 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.14, 159.92, 141.97, 136.10, 129.93, 126.75, 121.03, 116.21, 113.11, 55.33, 19.64, 11.42.

*(E)*-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2n**)

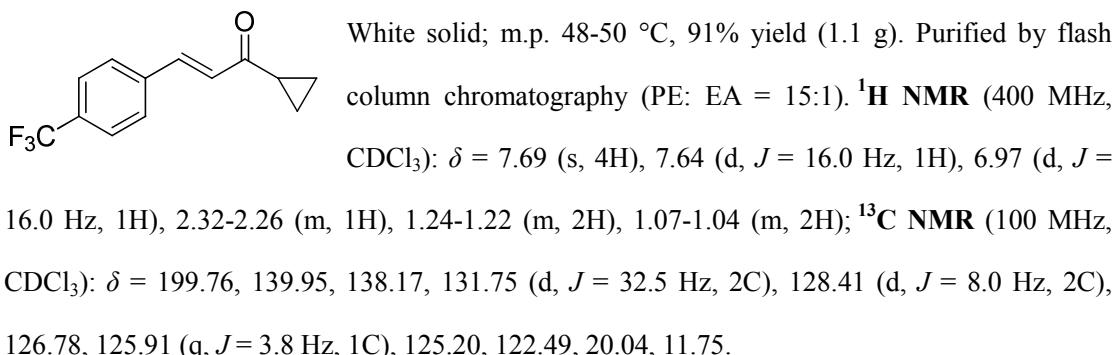
White solid; m.p. 56-58 °C, 91% yield (972 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.59 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 2H),



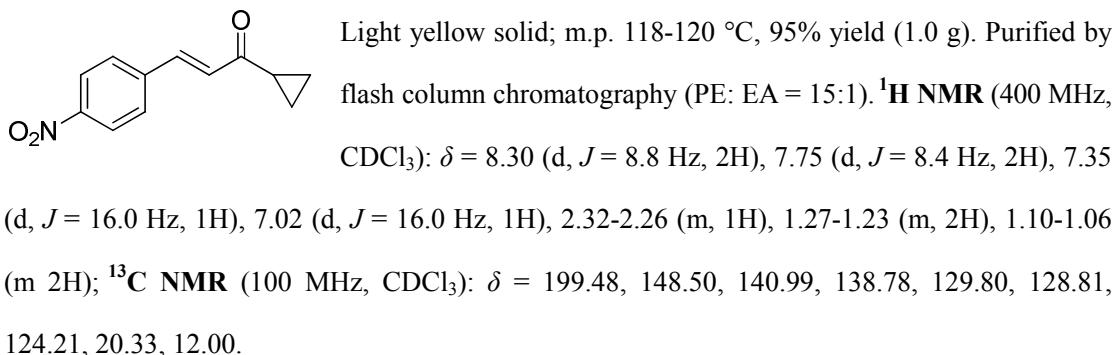
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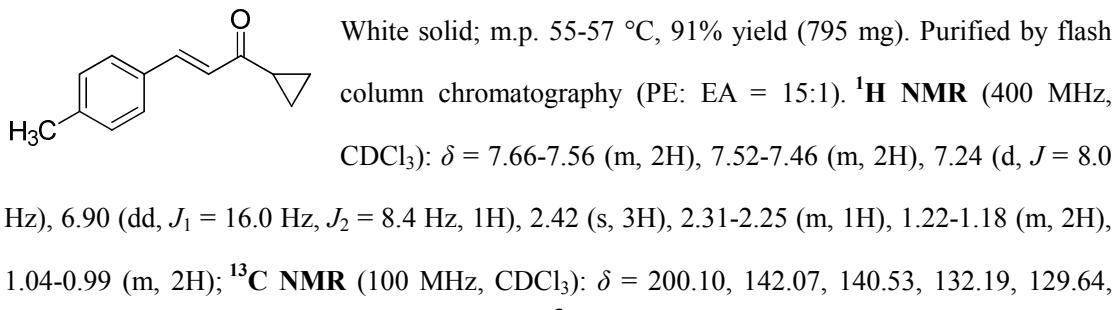
(*E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2p**)



(*E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(4-nitrophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2q**)

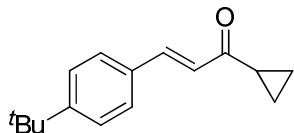


(*E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(p-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2r**)



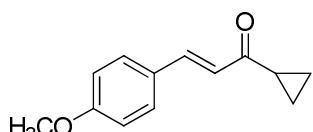
128.30, 125.56, 21.51, 19.57, 11.23.

*(E)*-3-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2s**)



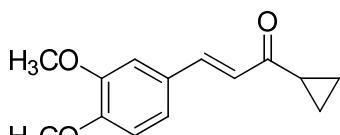
White solid; m.p. 59-61 °C, 65% yield (724 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.65 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.33-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.37 (s, 9H), 1.22-1.18 (m, 2H), 1.03-0.99 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.20, 153.95, 142.00, 131.95, 128.17, 125.93, 125.75, 34.93, 31.19, 19.55, 11.31.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2t**)



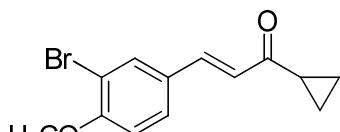
White solid; m.p. 68-70 °C, 90% yield (909 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.63 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 2.30-2.24 (m, 1H), 1.21-1.17 (m, 2H), 1.02-0.97 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.04, 161.48, 141.79, 129.99, 127.39, 124.32, 114.40, 99.98, 55.42, 19.57, 11.17.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2u**)



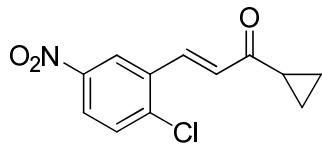
White solid; m.p. 88-90 °C, 75% yield (870 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.61 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.8 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 6H), 2.32-2.25 (m, 1H), 1.20-1.17 (m, 2H), 1.02-0.98 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 119.98, 151.22, 142.08, 127.65, 124.62, 123.01, 111.08, 109.69, 56.00, 55.92, 19.46, 11.20.

*(E)*-3-(4-bromo-3-methoxyphenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2v**)



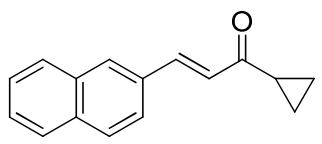
White solid; m.p. 68-69 °C, 85% yield (1.19 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 7.82 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.55-7.49 (m, 2H), 6.94 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.79 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 2.27-2.21 (m, 1H), 1.20-1.14 (m, 2H), 1.02-0.99 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.81, 157.44, 140.17, 132.73, 129.32, 128.74, 125.29, 112.33, 111.88, 56.40, 19.86, 11.39.

*(E)*-3-(2-chloro-5-nitrophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-one (**2w**)



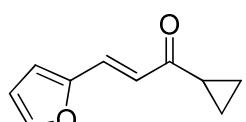
White solid; m.p. 116-117 °C, 90% yield (1.10 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 8.58 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.8 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.8, 1H), 7.99 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.35-2.29 (m, 1H), 1.28-1.24 (m, 2H), 1.12-1.08 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.23, 146.81, 141.52, 135.19, 134.67, 131.24, 130.93, 124.97, 122.44, 20.40, 12.14.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2x**)



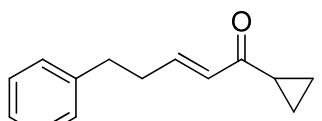
Yellow oil; 75% yield (832 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 8.50 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 8.25 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (t, *J* = 8.0, 2H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.64-7.52 (m, 3H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 2.39-2.32 (m, 1H), 1.30-1.25 (m, 2H), 1.10-1.05 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.03, 138.86, 133.73, 132.12, 131.70, 130.61, 128.93, 128.81, 126.89, 126.27, 125.51, 125.04, 123.40, 20.09, 11.60.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-3-(furan-2-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (**2y**)



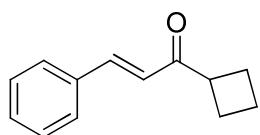
Red oil; 80% yield (648 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.68 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (s, 1H), 2.18 (s, 1H), 1.16 (t, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 0.97 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 4.0 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 3.6 Hz); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 199.75, 151.25, 144.79, 128.18, 123.47, 115.61, 112.51, 20.19, 11.27.

*(E)*-1-cyclopropyl-5-phenylpent-2-en-1-one (**2z**)



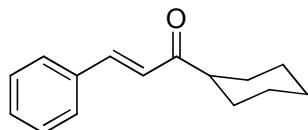
Light yellow oil; 80% yield (800 mg). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 15:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 3H), 7.01-6.94 (m, 1H), 6.27 (td, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.8 Hz, *J*<sub>3</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.85 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.63-2.58 (m, 2H), 2.18-2.11 (m, 1H), 1.12-1.10 (m, 2H), 0.96-0.93 (m, 2H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 200.26, 145.60, 140.84, 130.84, 128.52, 128.37, 126.21, 34.52, 34.23, 18.79, 11.07.

**(E)-1-cyclobutyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-one (**2aa**)**



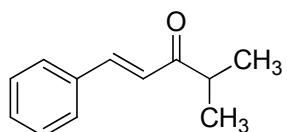
Colourless oil, 81% yield (1.32 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 30:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.60-7.54 (m, 3H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 3H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (p, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H), 2.42-2.23 (m, 4H), 2.12-1.88 (m, 2H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 201.37, 142.64, 134.70, 130.35, 128.93, 128.22, 124.77, 43.90, 24.74, 18.05.

**(E)-1-cyclohexyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-one (**2ab**)**



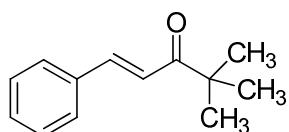
Colourless oil, 79% yield (1.08 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 30:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.45-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.61 (d, *J* = 16 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.98 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz 1H), 1.84-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.60-1.51 (m, 1H), 1.36-1.04 (m, 6H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 203.20, 142.25, 134.79, 130.30, 128.91, 128.28, 124.75, 49.45, 28.75, 25.94, 25.80.

**(E)-4-methyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**2ac**)**



Colourless oil, 71% yield (0.64 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 30:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.68 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.61-7.59 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.42 (t, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 3H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (p, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 6H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 203.85, 142.44, 134.71, 130.36, 128.93, 128.29, 124.48, 39.31, 18.53.

**(E)-4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**2ad**)**



Colourless oil, 73% yield (0.74 g). Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 30:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.75 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 7.63-7.61 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 3H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 16 Hz, 1H), 1.67-1.66 (m, 1H), 1.23 (s, 9H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 204.20, 142.92, 134.96, 130.22, 128.87, 128.30, 120.75, 43.27, 26.35.

#### 4. General Procedure for the Synthesis of Racemic (*E*)-Allylic Alcohols

The (*E*)- $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ketone (0.2 mmol) was dissolved in 1.0 mL of MeOH, and NaBH<sub>4</sub> solid (0.4 mmol) was added slowly. The mixture was stirred until the starting material was disappeared. And then 5.0 mL of H<sub>2</sub>O was added slowly, the residue was extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic layer was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and evaporated in vacuo. The

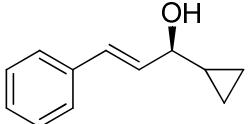
residue was purified by silica gel column to give the racemic (*E*)-allylic alcohol.

## 5. General Procedure for Asymmetric Transfer Hydrogenation of (*E*)- $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ketones

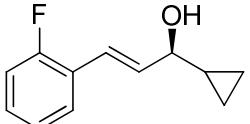
Under nitrogen atmosphere, the catalyst (0.01 mmol) and (*E*)- $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ketone (0.2 mmol) were added into a 10 mL of Schlenk tube, then 2 mL FA/TEA (5:2) azeotrope was added by a syringe. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 24 h. After the reaction was complete, 5 mL of H<sub>2</sub>O was added. The mixture was extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate, and the combined organic layer was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was further purified by silica gel column chromatography. The ee values of all compounds were determined by HPLC with a chiral column.

## 6. Analytical Data of the Chiral Allylic Alcohols

(*S,E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-ol (**3a**)

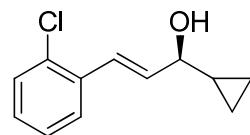
  
Colourless oil; 90% yield (31.32 mg), 81% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.44 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.65 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 15.6 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (s, 1H), 1.15-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.60 (m, 2H), 0.48-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.40-0.35 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 136.81, 130.98, 130.04, 128.59, 127.63, 126.53, 77.09, 17.70, 3.27, 2.26. **HPLC** (Chiracel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 9.06 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 14.37 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>ONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 197.0937. Found: 197.0938.

(*S,E*)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(2-fluorophenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3b**)

  
Colourless oil; 85% yield (22.0 mg), 77% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.53-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.27-7.21 (m, 1H), 7.15-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.58 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.40-0.36 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 161.55, 159.07, 133.59, 133.55, 128.90, 128.82, 127.52, 127.48, 124.64, 124.52, 124.10, 124.07, 122.45, 122.41, 115.84, 115.62, 77.20, 17.62, 3.28, 2.26. **HPLC** (Chiracel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 11.06 min (major), t<sub>R</sub>

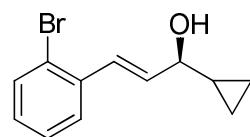
= 14.63 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 215.0843. Found: 215.0841.

**(S,E)-3-(2-chlorophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3c)**



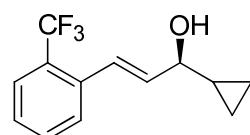
Colourless oil; 90% yield (37.4 mg), 85% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.59-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.11 (m, 1H), 6.96 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.75-3.71 (m, 1H), 1.98 (s, 1H), 1.17-1.11 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.59 (m, 2H), 0.51-0.45 (m, 1H), 0.41-0.36 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 136.71, 134.00, 132.93, 128.90, 128.88, 127.49, 127.13, 123.76, 76.92, 17.60, 3.33, 2.26. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 16.94 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 35.15 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 231.0547. Found: 231.0548.

**(S,E)-3-(2-bromophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3d)**



Colourless oil; 89% yield (44.8 mg), 83% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.57 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 7.6 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 7.6 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.02 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.74-3.70 (m, 1H), 2.28 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.57 (m, 2H), 0.50-0.45 (m, 1H), 0.40-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 134.96, 133.92, 133.16, 129.68, 128.60, 126.92, 126.85, 126.19, 76.69, 17.57, 3.35, 2.26. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 14.87 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 27.86 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 275.0042. Found: 275.0040.

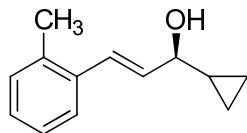
**(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3e)**



Colourless oil; 84% yield (40.6 mg), 86% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.68-7.74 (m, 2H), 7.54-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.38-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.02 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35-6.29 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.74-3.70 (m, 1H), 2.21 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.58 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.39-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 136.10, 136.08, 135.39, 131.83, 127.50, 127.30, 126.03, 126.01, 125.72 (q, J = 5.6 Hz, 1C), 76.81, 17.49, 3.23, 2.09. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5

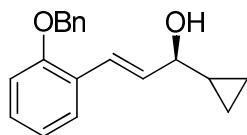
(v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 8.25 min (major),  $t_R$  = 11.25 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{13}H_{14}F_3O$  ( $[M+H]^+$ ): 243.0991. Found: 243.0989.

*(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(o-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3f)*



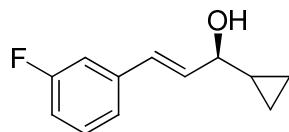
Colourless oil; 75% yield (28.2 mg), 80% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  **$^1H$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.51 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.22-7.18 (m, 3H), 6.85 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.24 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (t,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 1.89 (s, 1H), 1.17-1.30 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.69 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.45 (m, 1H), 0.41-0.36 (m, 1H);  **$^{13}C$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 135.92, 135.54, 132.27, 130.29, 127.91, 127.53, 126.11, 125.72, 77.26, 19.86, 17.76, 3.30, 2.19. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 16.30 min (major),  $t_R$  = 30.46 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{13}H_{16}ONa$  ( $[M+Na]^+$ ): 211.1093. Found: 211.1092.

*(S,E)-3-(2-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3g)*



Colourless oil; 70% yield (39.2 mg), 70% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  **$^1H$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.55-7.38 (m, 6H), 7.27-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.05-6.96 (m, 3H), 6.41 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (s, 2H), 3.71 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.90 (s, 1H), 1.14-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.64-0.57 (m, 2H), 0.46-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.38-0.35 (m, 1H);  **$^{13}C$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 137.15, 131.76, 128.67, 128.59, 127.91, 127.30, 127.07, 126.24, 125.11, 121.06, 112.59, 77.44, 70.37, 17.61, 3.24, 2.16. **HPLC** (Chiralcel AD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_R$  = 14.16 min (minor),  $t_S$  = 16.19 min (major). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{19}H_{20}O_2Na$  ( $[M+Na]^+$ ): 303.1356. Found: 303.1357.

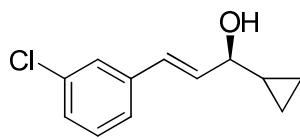
*(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3-fluorophenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3h)*



Colourless oil; 85% yield (32.6 mg), 85% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  **$^1H$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.32-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.12 (m, 1H), 6.99-6.94 (m, 1H), 6.62 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.70-3.66 (m, 1H), 1.88 (s, 1H), 1.14-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.59 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.42 (m, 1H), 0.39-0.34 (m, 1H);  **$^{13}C$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 163.10 (d,  $J$  = 243.6 Hz, 1C), 139.23 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1C), 132.39, 130.00 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 1C), 128.80 (d,  $J$  = 2.6 Hz, 1C), 122.42 (d,  $J$  = 2.8 Hz, 1C), 114.38 (d,  $J$  = 21.3 Hz, 1C), 112.92 (d,  $J$  =

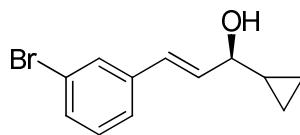
21.5 Hz, 1C), 76.83, 17.71, 3.27, 2.29. HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 10.76 min (major),  $t_R$  = 15.19 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{12}H_{13}FONa$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 215.0843. Found: 215.0839.

*(S,E)-3-(3-chlorophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3i)*



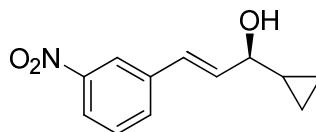
Colourless oil; 92% yield (38.2 mg), 85% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.31-7.23 (m, 3H), 6.60 (d,  $J$  = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (t,  $J$  = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 1.84 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.07 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.59 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.39-0.35 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 138.75, 134.51, 132.53, 129.78, 128.55, 127.52, 126.40, 124.76, 76.81, 17.71, 3.26, 2.29. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 11.64 min (major),  $t_R$  = 17.42 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{12}H_{13}ClONa$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 231.0547. Found: 231.0545.

*(S,E)-3-(3-bromophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3j)*



Colourless oil; 90% yield (45.3 mg), 84% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.57 (t,  $J$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.40-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.30 (m, 1H), 7.20 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68-3.64 (m, 1H), 2.08 (s, 1H), 1.13-1.07 (m, 1H), 0.65-0.60 (m, 2H), 0.47-0.43 (m, 1H), 0.37-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 139.06, 132.64, 130.41, 130.08, 129.33, 128.42, 125.21, 122.76, 76.77, 17.68, 3.29, 2.29. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 12.90 min (major),  $t_R$  = 20.41 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{12}H_{13}BrONa$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 275.0042. Found: 275.0043.

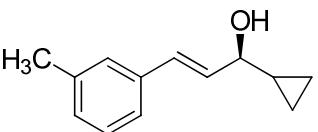
*(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3-nitrophenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3k)*



Colourless oil; 87% yield (38.1 mg), 85% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.30 (t,  $J$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 8.14-8.11 (m, 1H), 7.74-7.72 (m, 1H), 7.53 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.52 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 3.72-3.69 (m, 1H), 1.88 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.69-0.65 (m, 2H), 0.50-0.47 (m, 1H), 0.42-0.38 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 148.64, 138.74, 134.33, 132.41,

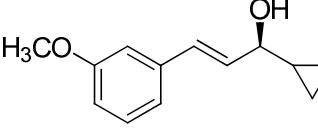
129.47, 127.45, 122.13, 121.03, 76.62, 17.77, 3.33, 2.39. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 19.92 min (major),  $t_R$  = 25.26 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{12}H_{13}NO_3Na$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 242.0788. Found: 242.0786.

**(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(m-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3l)**



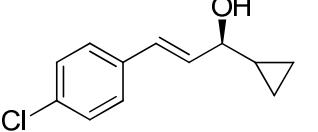
Colourless oil; 72% yield (27.1 mg), 74% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.27-7.25 (m, 3H), 7.11 (dd,  $J_1$  = 4.4 Hz,  $J_2$  = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.62 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.11 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.58 (m, 2H), 0.50-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.41-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 138.12, 136.76, 130.81, 130.14, 128.49, 128.43, 127.24, 123.71, 77.13, 21.44, 17.69, 3.26, 2.24. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 11.55 min (major),  $t_R$  = 18.60 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{13}H_{16}ONa$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 211.1093. Found: 211.1092.

**(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3m)**



Colourless oil; 80% yield (32.6 mg), 81% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.28 (dd,  $J_1$  = 13.2 Hz,  $J_2$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (t,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 6.85-6.82 (m, 1H), 6.61 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (dd,  $J_1$  = 15.6 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.70-3.66 (m, 1H), 2.15 (s, 1H), 1.15-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.56 (m, 2H), 0.48-0.43 (m, 1H), 0.38-0.33 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 159.80, 138.31, 131.41, 129.86, 129.55, 119.22, 113.31, 111.79, 76.93, 55.24, 17.66, 3.26, 2.25. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 10.65 min (major),  $t_R$  = 14.88 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{13}H_{16}O_2Na$  ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 227.1043. Found: 227.1041.

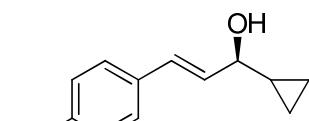
**(S,E)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3n)**



Colourless oil; 91% yield (37.8 mg), 79% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.58-8.56 (m, 1H), 7.68-7.63 (m, 1H), 7.35-7.32 (m, 1H), 7.17-7.14 (m, 1H), 6.86 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 6.73 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.74-3.70 (m, 1H), 2.56 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.07 (m, 1H), 0.64-0.59 (m, 2H), 0.49-0.44 (m, 1H),

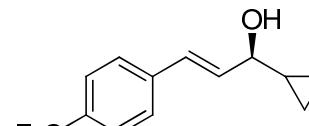
0.40-0.35 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 155.35, 149.42, 136.60, 135.96, 129.19, 122.16, 121.79, 76.48, 17.57, 3.34, 2.33. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 99:1 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 41.33 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 46.20 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 231.0547. Found: 231.0546.

(S,E)-3-(4-bromophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (**3o**)



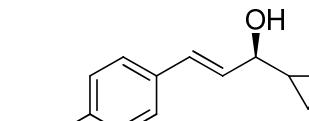
Colourless oil; 89% yield (44.8 mg), 79% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.47 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.58 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd,  $J_1$  = 15.6 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.90 (s, 1H), 1.14-1.07 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.60 (m, 2H), 0.47-0.43 (m, 1H), 0.38-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 135.78, 131.78, 131.66, 128.76, 128.05, 121.34, 76.93, 17.69, 3.27, 2.32. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 99:1.0 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 46.24 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 52.34 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 275.0042. Found: 275.0041.

(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3p**)



Colourless oil; 90% yield (43.5 mg), 82% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.60 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.69 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.47 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.99 (s, 1H), 1.15-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.67-0.62 (m, 2H), 0.50-0.45 (m, 1H), 0.40-0.36 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 140.37, 133.67, 129.35 (d,  $J$  = 32.1 Hz, 2C), 128.45, 126.64, 125.53 (dd,  $J$  = 39 Hz, 1C), 122.85, 76.79, 17.70, 3.29, 2.33. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 99:1.0 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 30.64 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 33.27 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>14</sub>F<sub>3</sub>O ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 243.0991. Found: 243.0992.

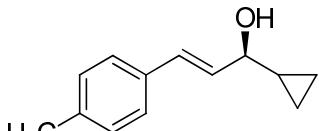
(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(4-nitrophenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3q**)



Yellow solid; m.p. 50-52 °C, 75% yield (32.8 mg), 78% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.22 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.75 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.4 Hz,  $J_2$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.91 (s, 1H), 1.16-1.08 (m, 1H), 0.69-0.65 (m, 2H), 0.51-0.47 (m, 1H), 0.42-0.37

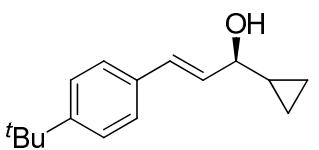
(m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 143.45, 135.92, 192.23, 127.61, 127.02, 124.02, 76.66, 17.74, 3.36, 2.43. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 99:1 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 41.36 min (minor), t<sub>R</sub> = 59.42 min (major). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>Na ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 242.0788. Found: 242.0786.

**(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(p-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (3r)**



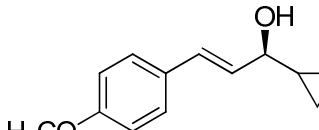
Colourless oil; 80% yield (30.0 mg), 78% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.33 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.63-6.55 (m, 1H), 6.33-6.25 (m, 1H), 3.67 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.38 (s, 1H), 1.14-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.64-0.57 (m, 2H), 0.46-0.43 (m, 1H), 0.37-0.33 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 137.44, 134.00, 130.01, 129.92, 129.27, 126.42, 77.11, 21.20, 17.68, 3.18, 2.20. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5.0 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 12.16 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 14.23 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 211.1093. Found: 211.1094.

**(S,E)-3-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (3s)**



Colourless oil; 70% yield (32.2 mg), 82% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.39 (s, 4H), 6.64 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.88 (s, 1H), 1.36 (s, 9H), 1.17-1.09 (m, 1H), 0.64-0.58 (m, 2H), 0.47-0.44 (m, 1H), 0.39-0.34 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 150.75, 134.02, 130.20, 129.86, 126.24, 125.50, 77.12, 34.60, 31.32, 17.71, 3.22, 2.17. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 8.71 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 10.94 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>22</sub>ONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 253.1563. Found: 253.1561.

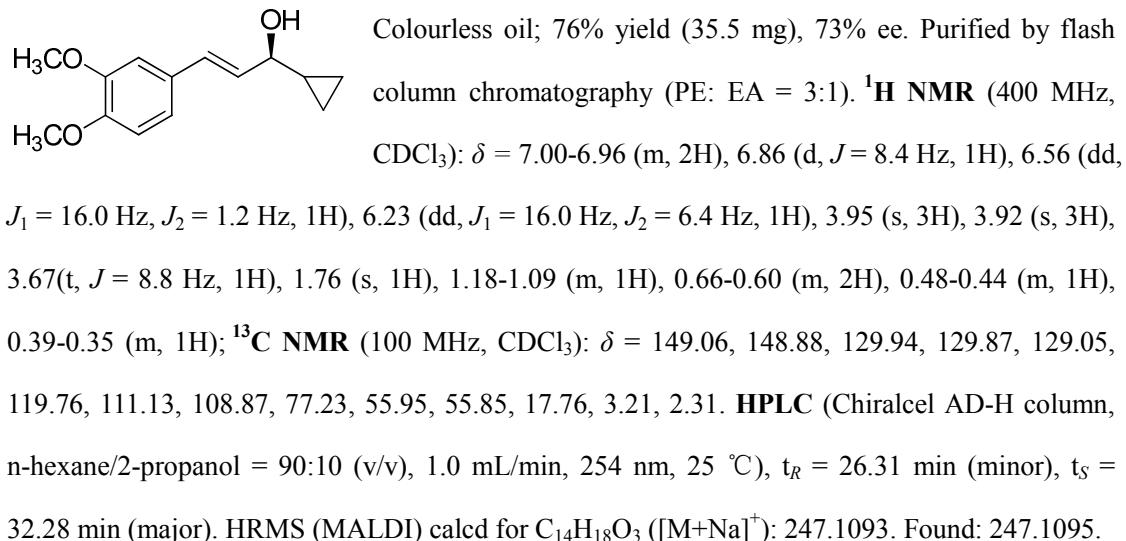
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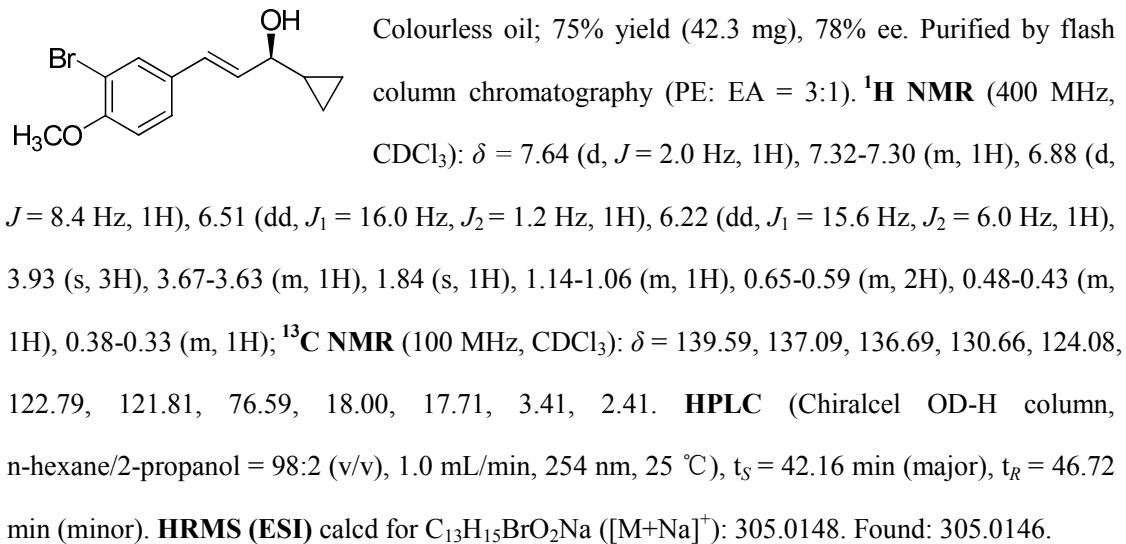
Colourless oil; 76% yield (31.0 mg), 73% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ = 7.37 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.58 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.20 (dd, J<sub>1</sub> = 16.0 Hz, J<sub>2</sub> = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.68-3.64 (m, 1H), 1.88 (s, 1H), 1.14-1.10 (m, 1H), 0.65-0.56 (m, 2H), 0.47-0.42 (m, 1H), 0.38-0.33 (m, 1H);

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 159.23, 129.66, 129.55, 128.78, 127.69, 113.99, 77.25, 55.32, 17.72, 3.22, 2.24. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 9.34 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 11.11 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Na ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 227.1043. Found: 227.1044.

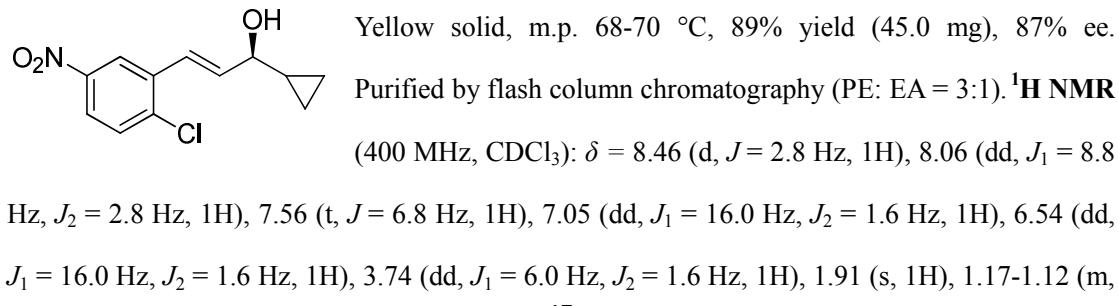
(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3u**)



(S,E)-3-(3-bromo-4-methoxyphenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (**3v**)

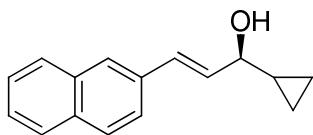


(S,E)-3-(2-chloro-5-nitrophenyl)-1-cyclopropylprop-2-en-1-ol (**3w**)



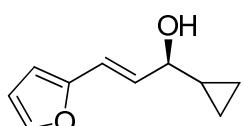
1H), 0.71-0.67 (m, 2H), 0.52-0.48 (m, 1H), 0.44-0.40 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 139.59, 137.09, 136.69, 130.66, 124.08, 122.79, 121.81, 76.59, 17.71, 3.41, 2.41. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>R</sub> = 15.64 min (minor), t<sub>S</sub> = 17.33 min (major). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>12</sub>ClNO<sub>3</sub>Na ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 276.0398. Found: 276.0397

(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3x**)



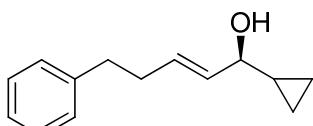
Colourless oil; 71% yield (31.8 mg), 82% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.13 (dd,  $J_1$  = 7.2 Hz,  $J_2$  = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (dd,  $J_1$  = 7.2 Hz,  $J_2$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.62 (t,  $J$  = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.52-7.43 (m, 3H), 7.37 (d,  $J$  = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16.0 Hz,  $J_2$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.87 (s, 1H), 1.21-1.12 (m, 1H), 0.65-0.61 (m, 2H), 0.51-0.43 (m, 1H), 0.42-0.37 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 134.61, 134.20, 133.62, 131.22, 128.55, 127.97, 127.20, 126.04, 125.79, 125.63, 123.90, 123.81, 77.20, 17.82, 3.32, 2.28. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80:20 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>S</sub> = 10.11 min (major), t<sub>R</sub> = 14.87 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ONa ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 247.1093. Found: 247.1091.

(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-3-(furan-2-yl)prop-2-en-1-ol (**3y**)



White oil; 60% yield (19.6 mg), 85% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1). **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 6.49-6.21 (m, 4H), 3.64 (t,  $J$  = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.20 (s, 1H), 1.10-1.02 (m, 1H), 0.62-0.54 (m, 2H), 0.45-0.41 (m, 1H), 0.38-0.25 (m, 1H); **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 125.53, 141.89, 141.85, 129.74, 118.24, 111.28, 111.25, 107.98, 76.46, 17.60, 17.56, 3.21, 2.17. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95:5 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C), t<sub>R</sub> = 10.40 min (major), t<sub>S</sub> = 11.38 min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>13</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 165.0910. Found: 165.0909.

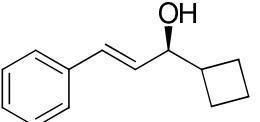
(S,E)-1-cyclopropyl-5-phenylpent-2-en-1-ol (**3z**) <sup>[2]</sup>



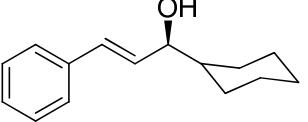
Colourless oil; 65% yield (26.2 mg), 83% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  $[\alpha]_D^{25} +21.5$  (*c* 1.0, MeOH), {In reference [2]:  $[\alpha]_D^{25} +28.2$  (*c* 1.41, MeOH), 98% ee, *S* configuration}. **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.35-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.25-7.22 (m, 3H), 5.79-5.59

(m, 2H), 3.48 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.76 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 2.45-2.39 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 1H), 1.04-0.99 (m, 1H), 0.59-0.51 (m, 2H), 0.39-0.34 (m, 1H), 0.30-0.24 (m, 1H);  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 141.78, 132.09, 130.87, 128.49, 128.32, 125.86, 76.99, 35.66, 34.07, 55.49, 17.56, 3.13, 2.07$ . **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S = 15.30$  min (major),  $t_R = 16.98$  min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{ONa}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ ): 225.1250. Found: 225.1251.

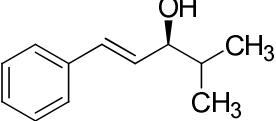
**(S,E)-1-cyclobutyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-ol (3aa)**

 Colourless oil; 89% yield (33.5 mg), 67% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 7.44\text{-}7.42$  (m, 2H), 7.38-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.65 (d,  $J = 16.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.24 (dd,  $J_1 = 16$  Hz,  $J_2 = 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.25 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.18-1.86 (m, 7H).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 136.82, 130.65, 130.26, 128.57, 127.61, 126.47, 125.63, 40.92, 24.43, 23.98, 18.01$ . **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S = 7.74$  min (major),  $t_R = 11.20$  min (minor). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{ONa}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ ): 211.1093. Found: 211.1092.

**(S,E)-1-cyclohexyl-3-phenylprop-2-en-1-ol (3ab)**

 Colourless oil; 86% yield (37.15 mg), 0% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 3:1).  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 7.66\text{-}7.60$  (m, 3H), 7.44-7.43 (m, 3H), 6.88 (dd,  $J_1 = 16.1$  Hz,  $J_2 = 2$  Hz, 1H), 2.74-2.68 (m, 1H), 1.96 (dd,  $J_1 = 27.6$  Hz,  $J_2 = 11.6$  Hz, 4H), 1.66 (s, 1H), 1.40 (m, 6H);  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 136.82, 131.24, 131.09, 128.58, 127.60, 126.45, 44.01, 28.93, 28.66, 26.53, 26.16, 26.10$ . **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S = 7.38$  min,  $t_R = 10.72$  min. **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{ONa}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ ): 239.1406. Found: 239.1407.

**(S,E)-4-methyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ol (3ac)**

 Colourless oil; 81% yield (28.5 mg), 39% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 25:1).  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 7.45\text{-}7.43$  (m, 4H), 7.29 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.64 (d,  $J = 16.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.30 (dd,  $J_1 = 16$  Hz,  $J_2 = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.08 (t,  $J = 8$  Hz, 1H), 1.92-1.84 (m, 1H), 1.03 (dd,  $J_1 = 16.0$  Hz,  $J_2 = 6.8$  Hz, 6H);  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 136.83, 131.22, 130.88, 128.60,$

127.62, 126.46, 34.13, 18.34, 18.0. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 7.33 min (minor),  $t_R$  = 10.22 min (major). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{12}H_{16}ONa$  ( $[M+Na]^+$ ): 199.1093. Found: 199.1092.

*(S,E)-4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ol (3ad)*

Colourless oil; 87% yield (33.1 mg), 81% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 25:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.45-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.37 (t,  $J$  = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (d,  $J$  = 16 Hz, 1H), 6.37 (dd,  $J_1$  = 16 Hz,  $J_2$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.99 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.02 (s, 9H); **13C NMR** (100 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 136.9, 131.86, 129.58, 128.59, 127.60, 126.47, 81.03, 35.35, 25.82. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 6.71 min (minor),  $t_R$  = 8.42 min (major). **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{13}H_{18}ONa$  ( $[M+Na]^+$ ): 213.1250. Found: 213.1249.

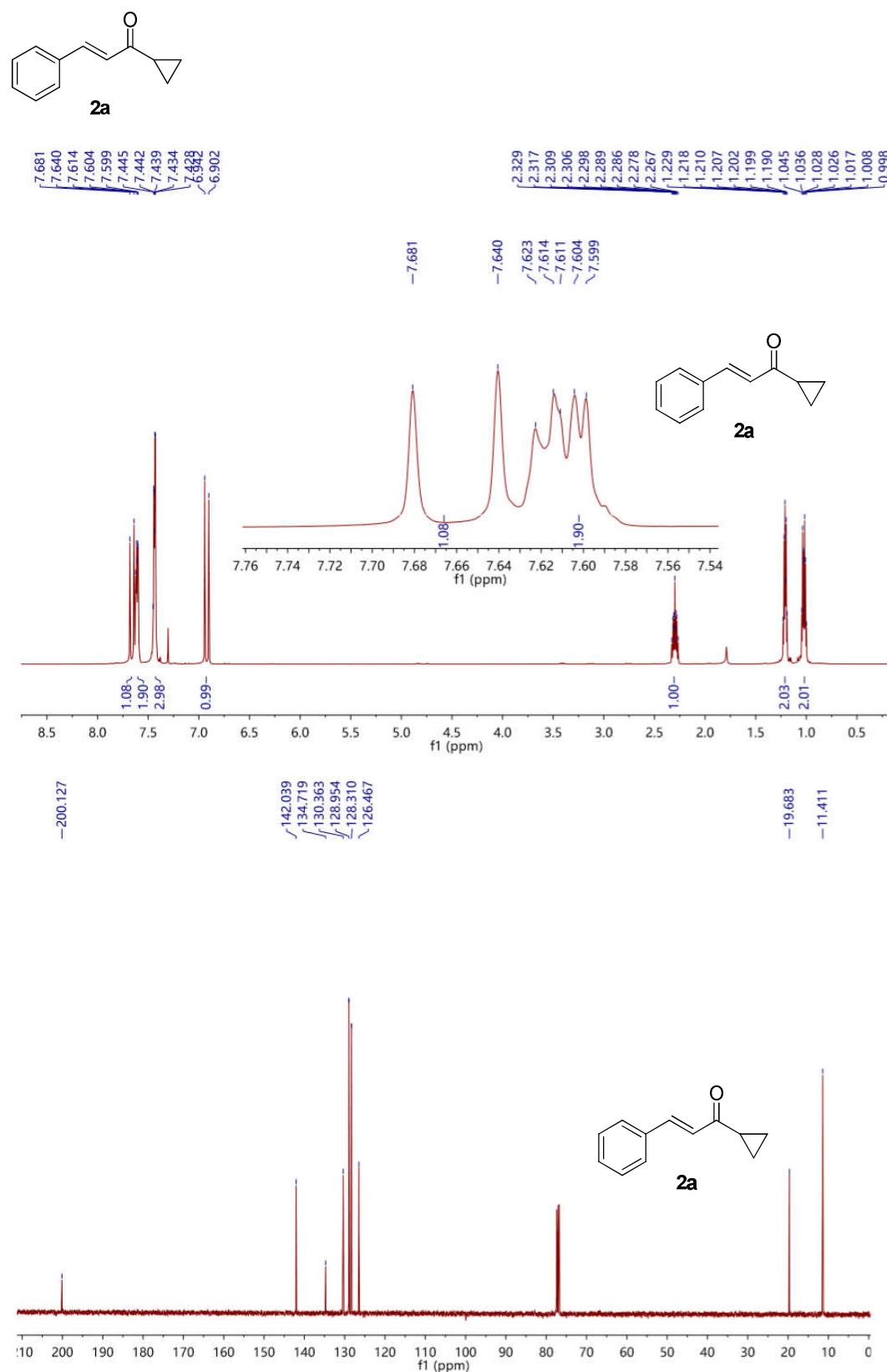
*(S,E)-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ol (3ae)*

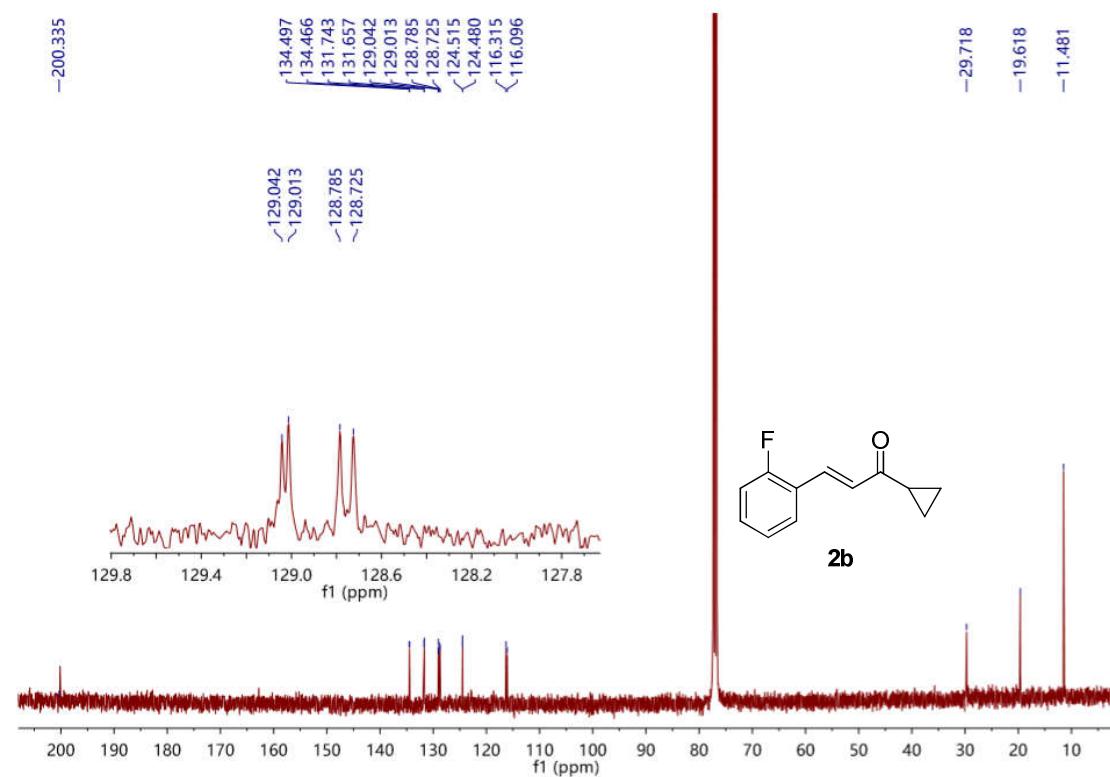
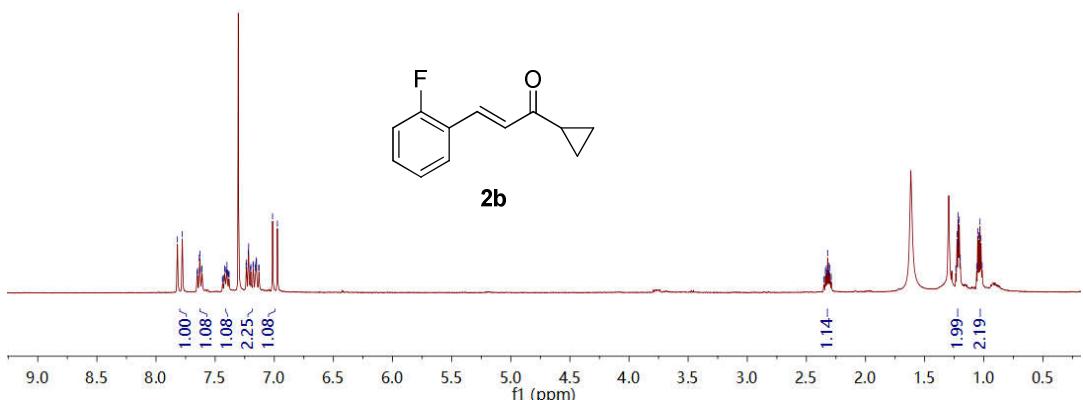
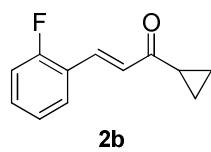
Colourless oil; 80% yield (25.9 mg), 0% ee. Purified by flash column chromatography (PE: EA = 25:1). **1H NMR** (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.49 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.39 (m, 4H), 7.12 (d,  $J$  = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 6.65 (d,  $J$  = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.46-4.42 (m, 1H), 1.49-1.22 (m, 2H), 0.89 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 3H); **3C NMR** (100 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 137.98, 128.66, 128.42, 128.28, 127.71, 127.37, 126.34, 126.23, 72.93, 31.49, 14.84. **HPLC** (Chiralcel OD-H column, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90:10 (v/v), 1.0 mL/min, 254 nm, 25 °C),  $t_S$  = 9.093 min,  $t_R$  = 14.392 min. **HRMS (ESI)** calcd for  $C_{11}H_{14}ONa$  ( $[M+Na]^+$ ): 185.0937. Found: 185.0935.

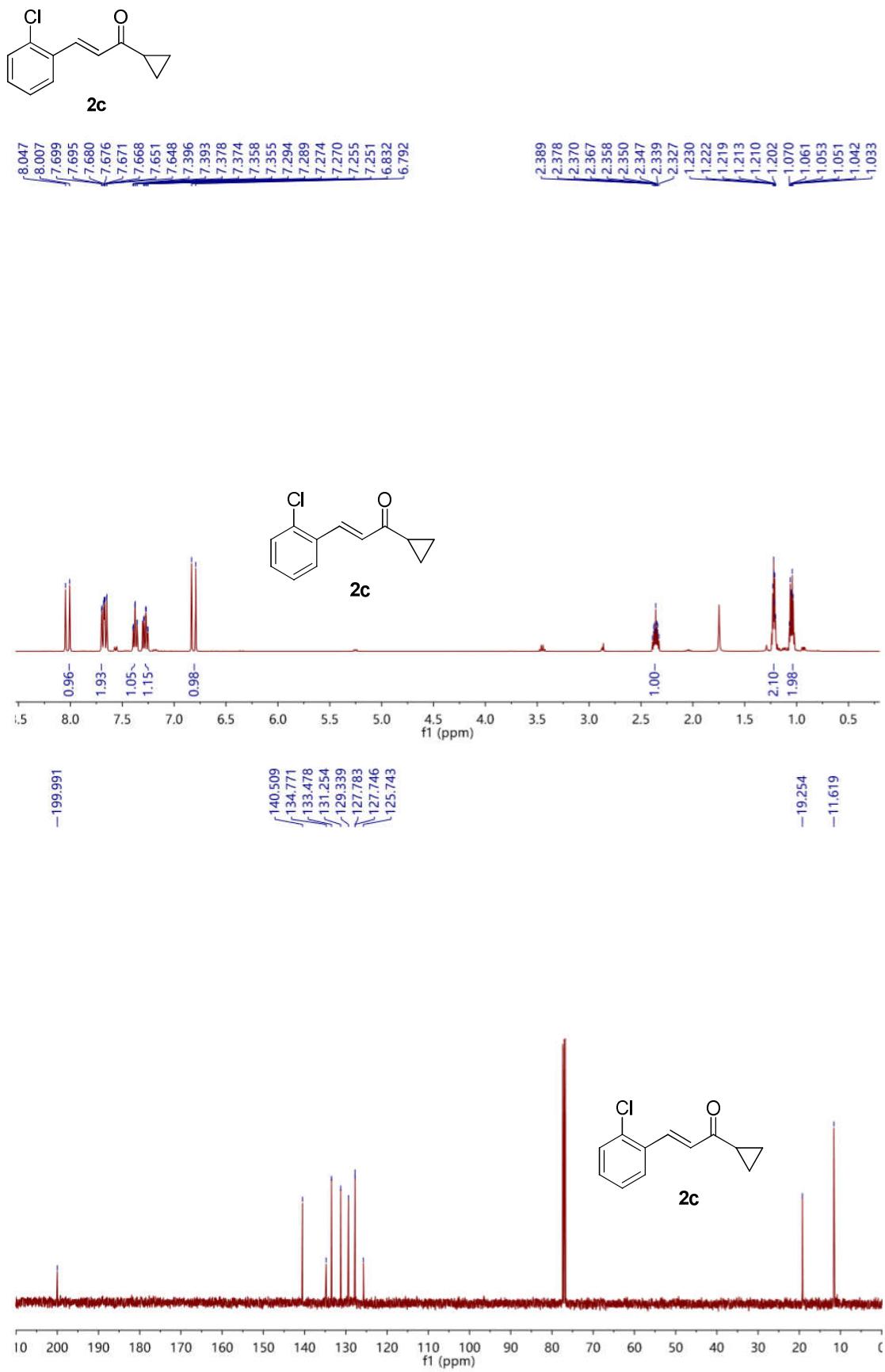
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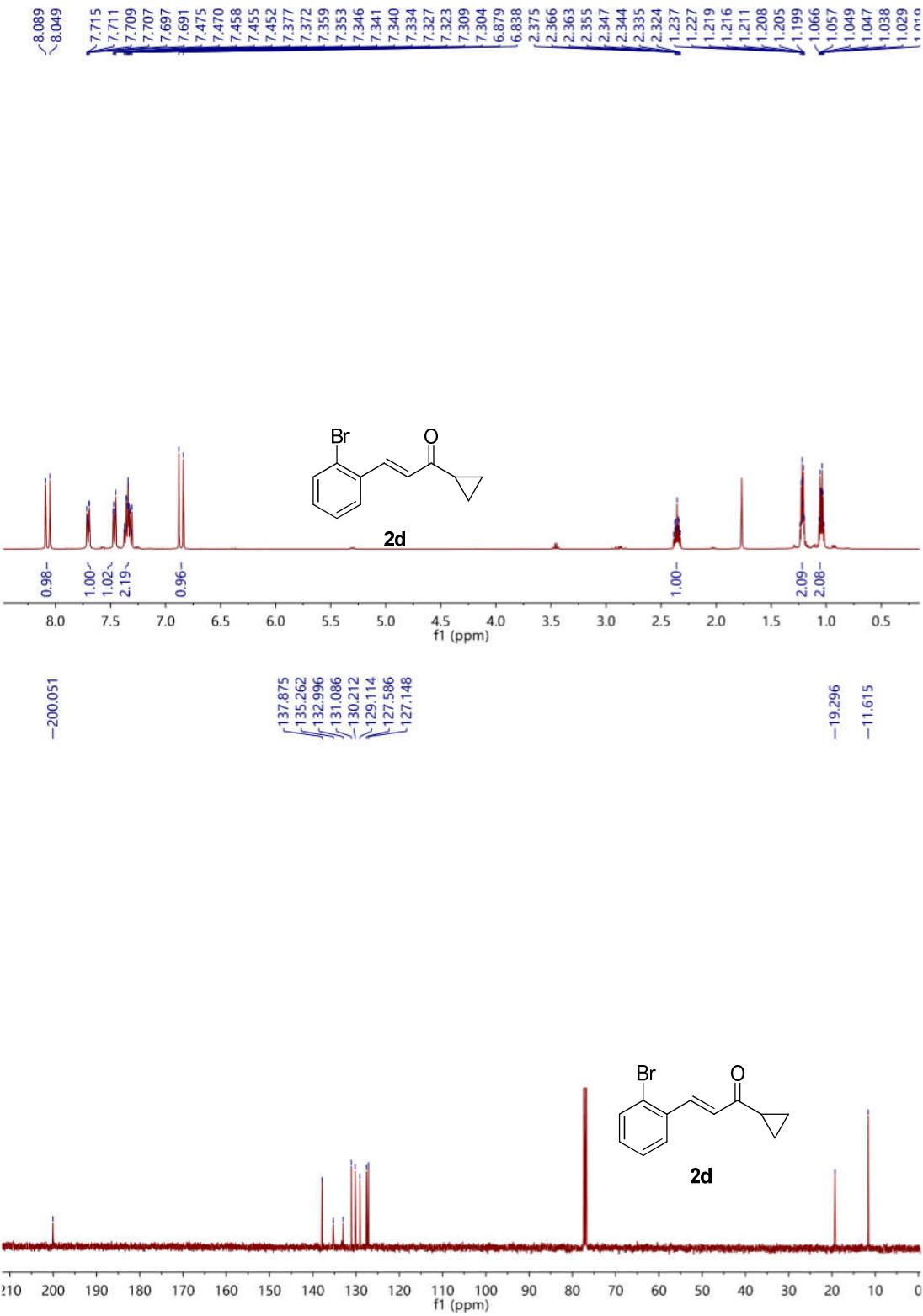
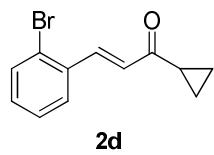
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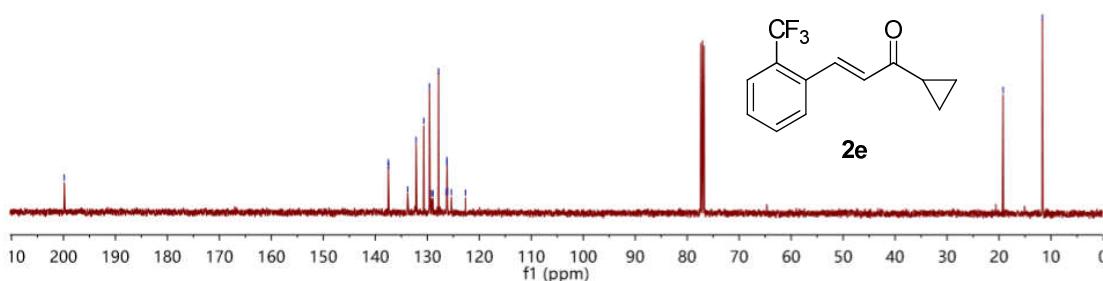
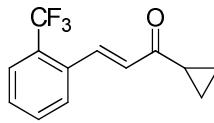
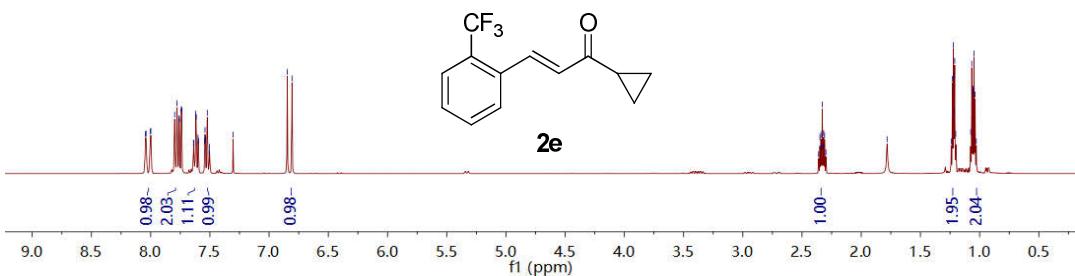
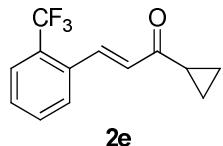
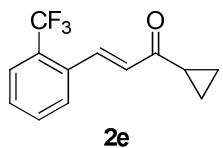
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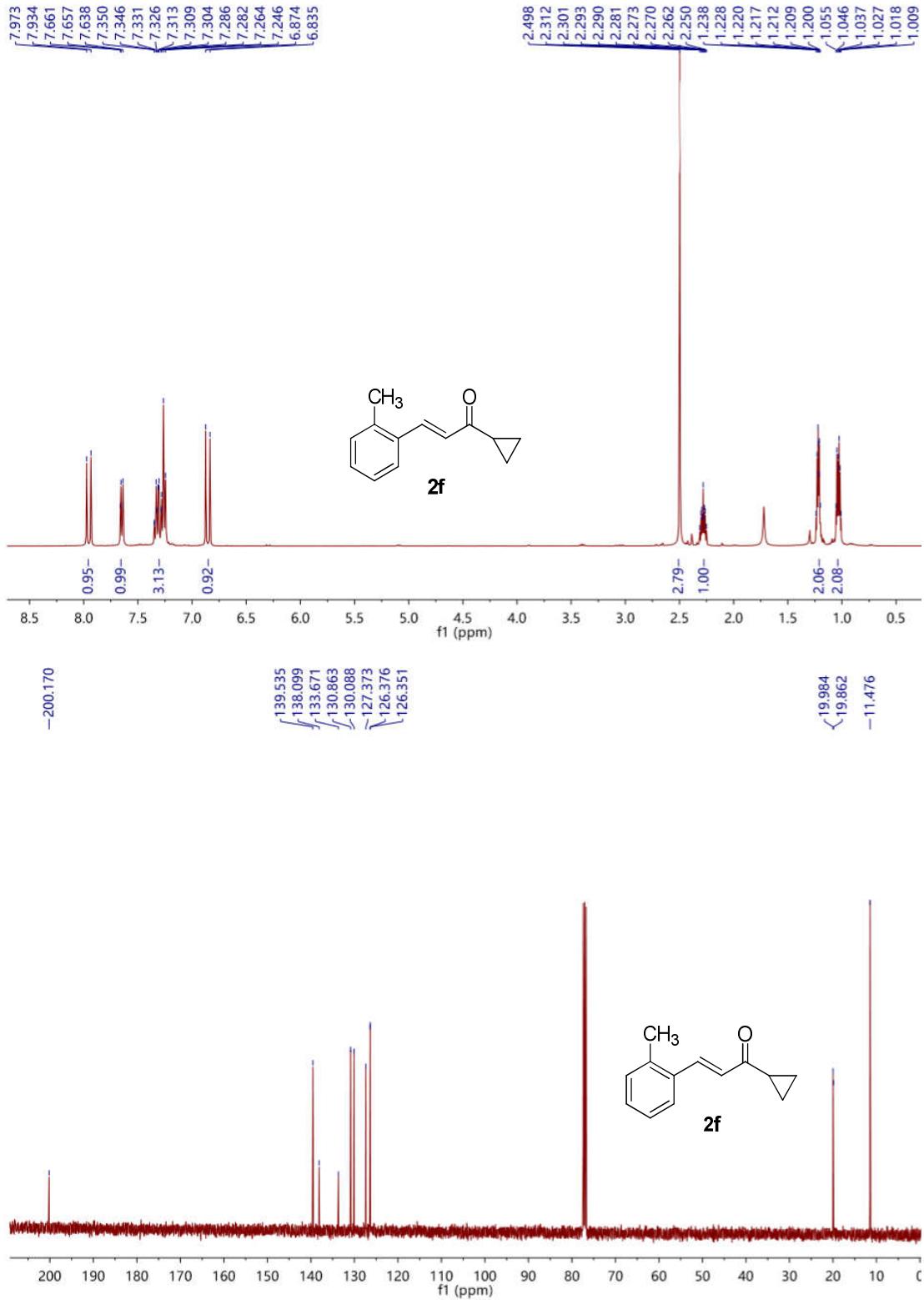
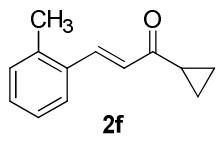


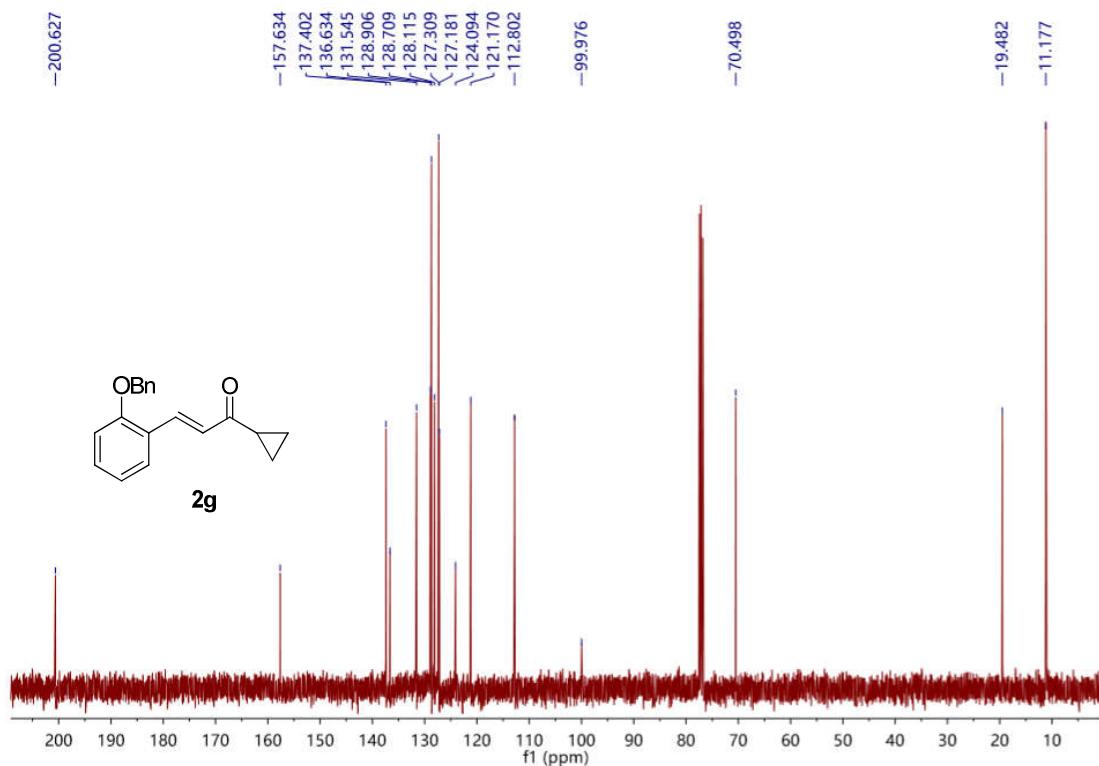
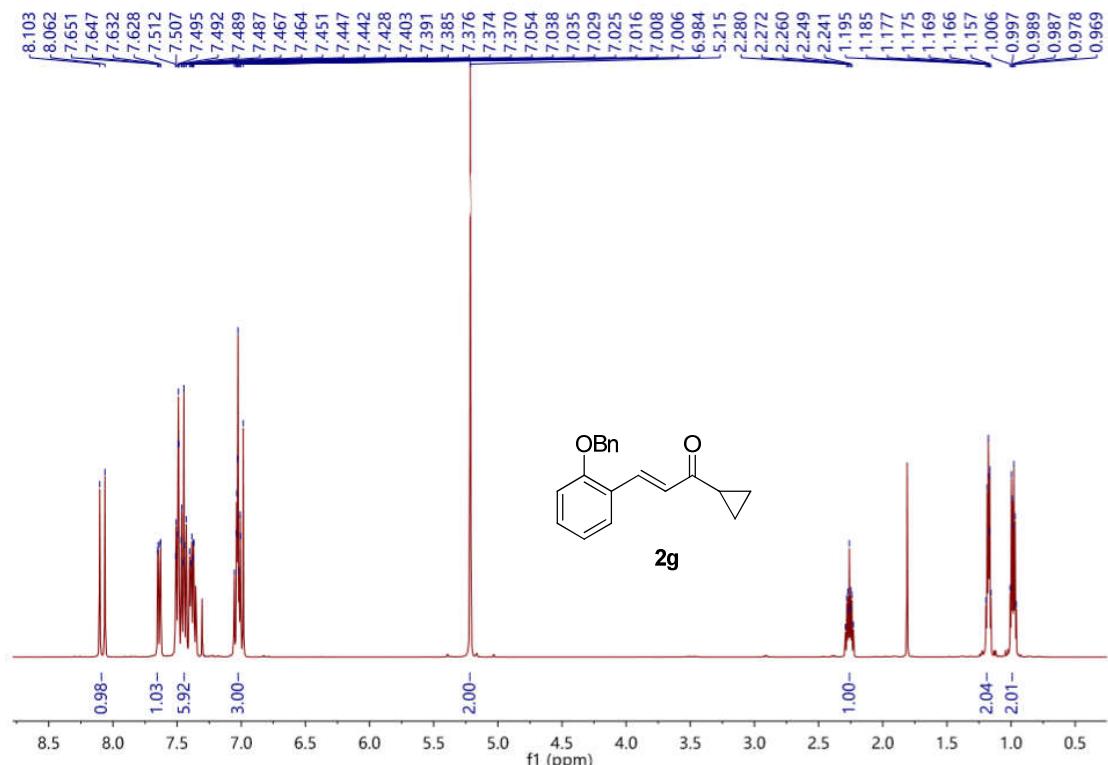
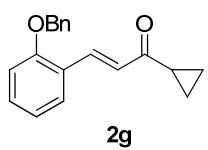


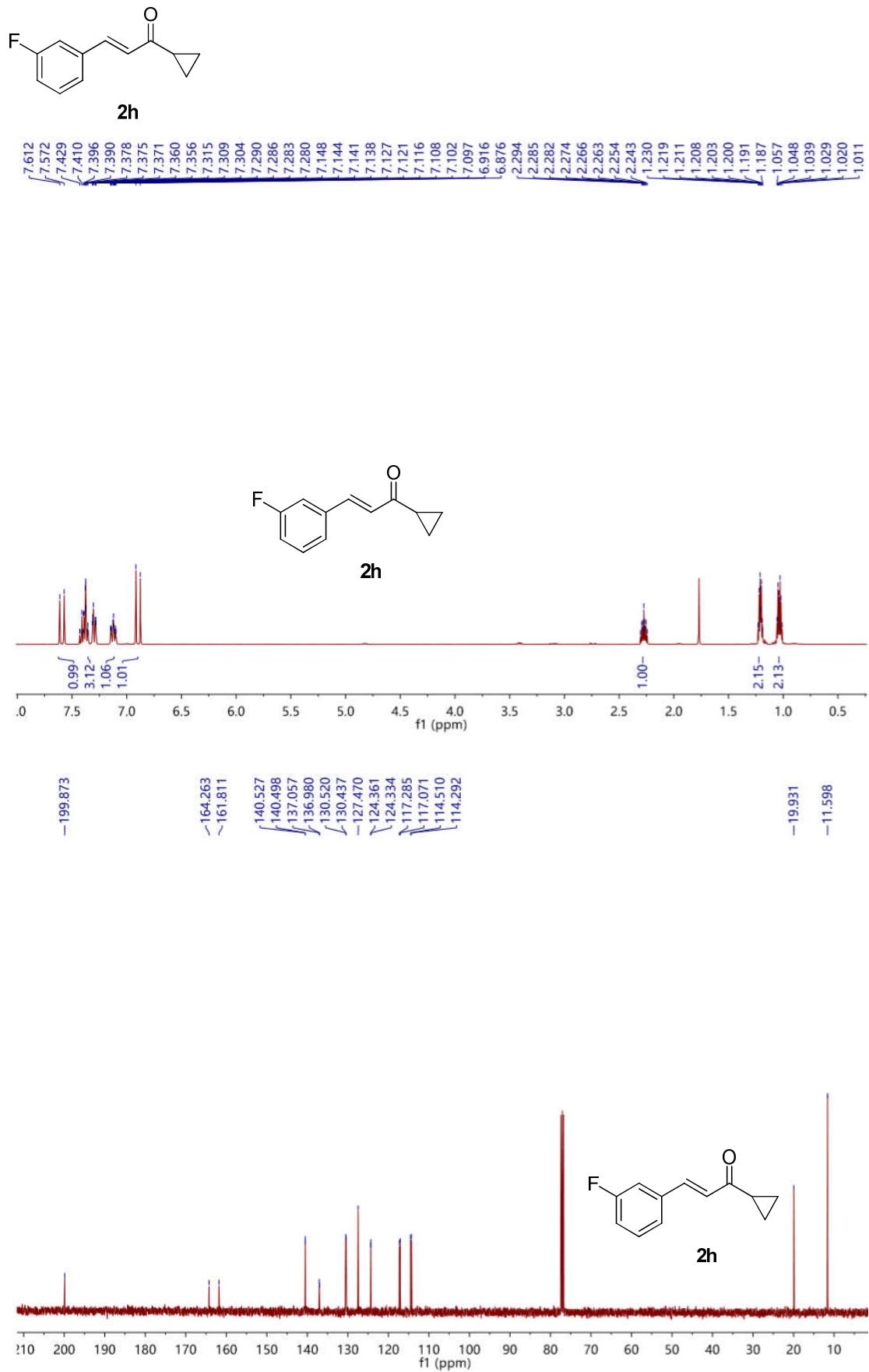


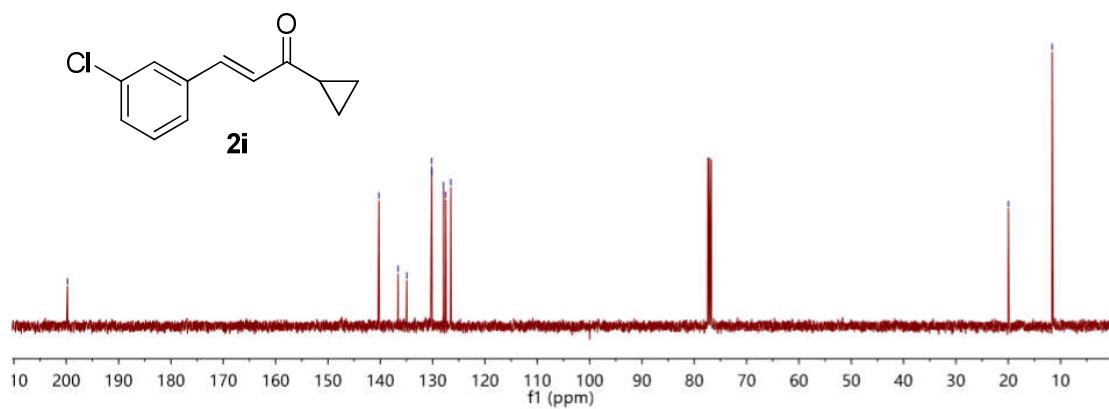
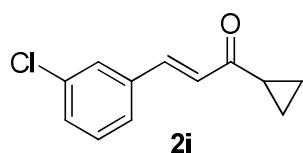
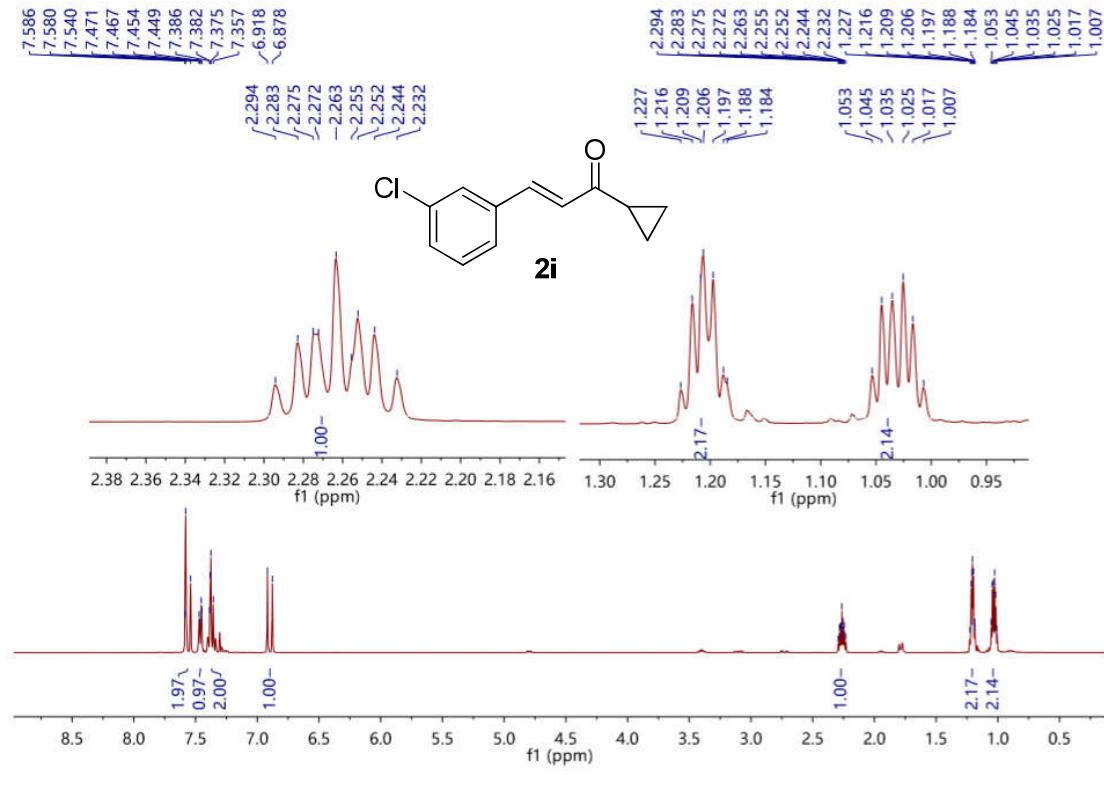
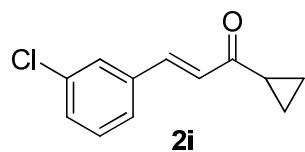


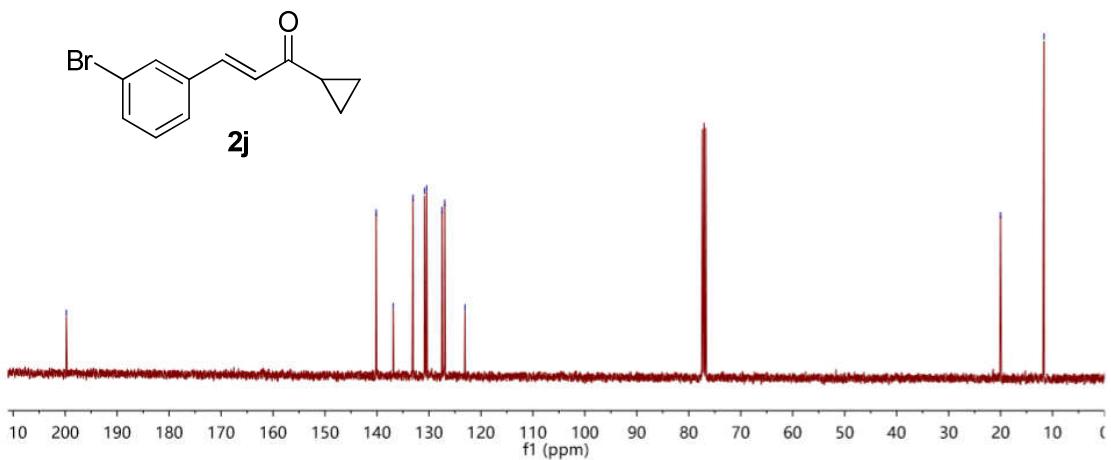
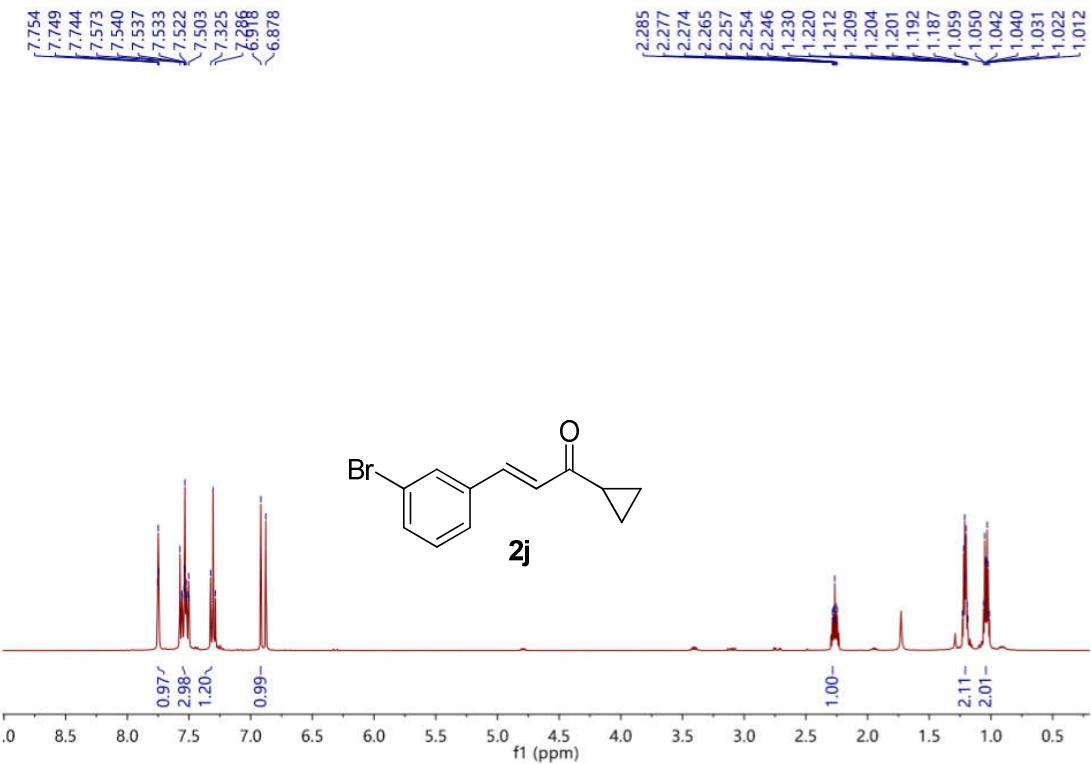
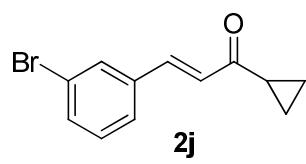


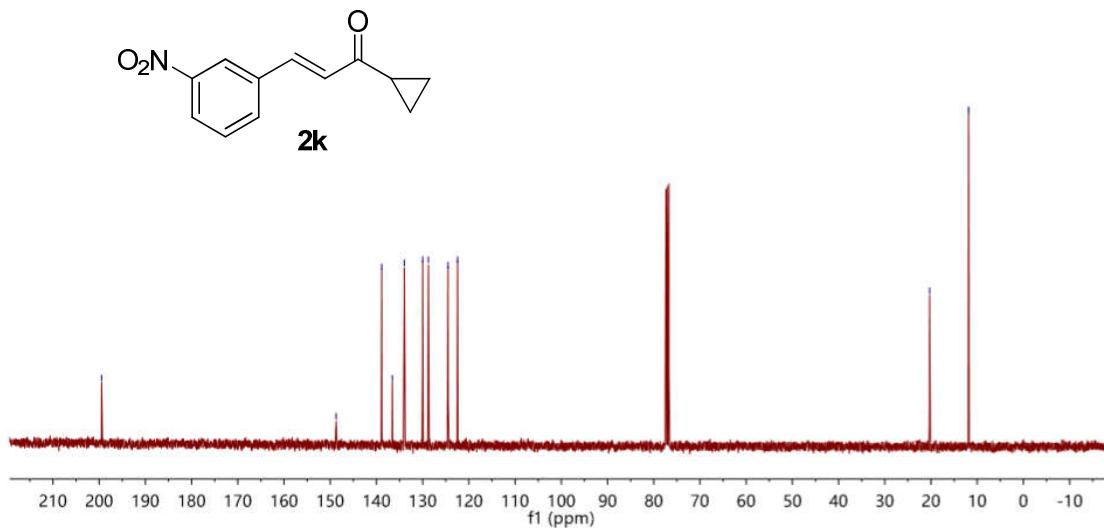
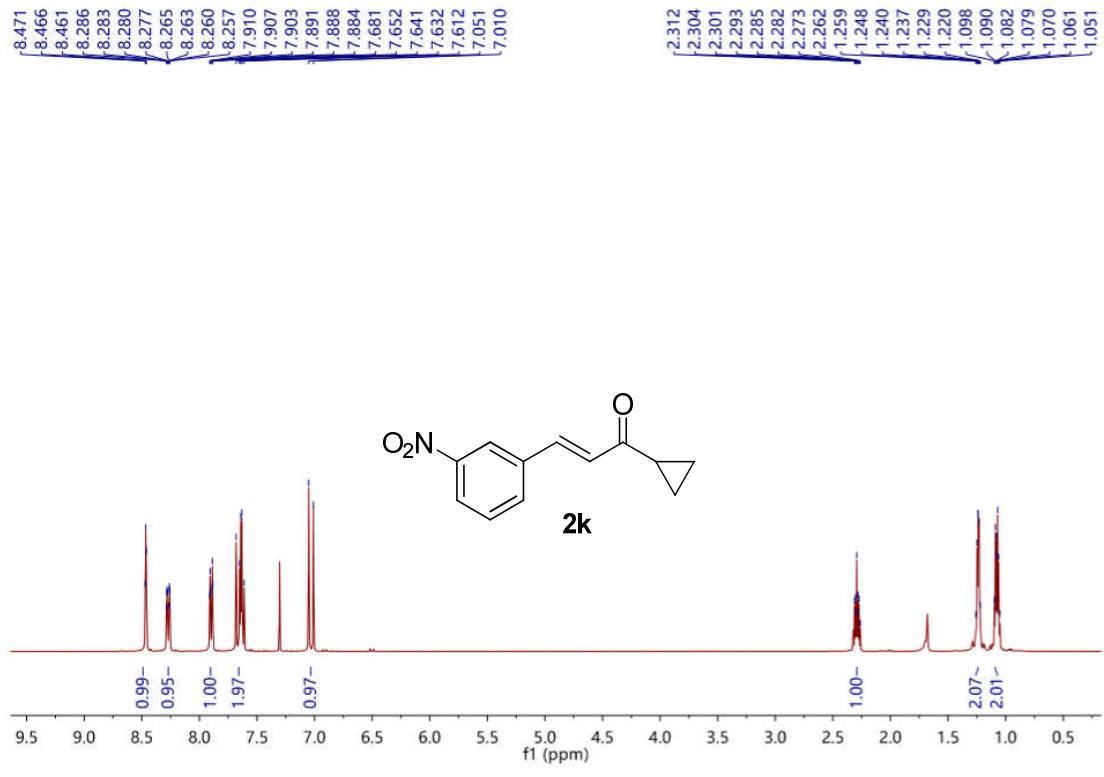
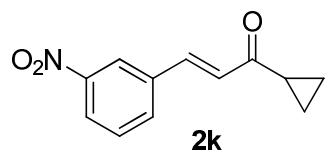


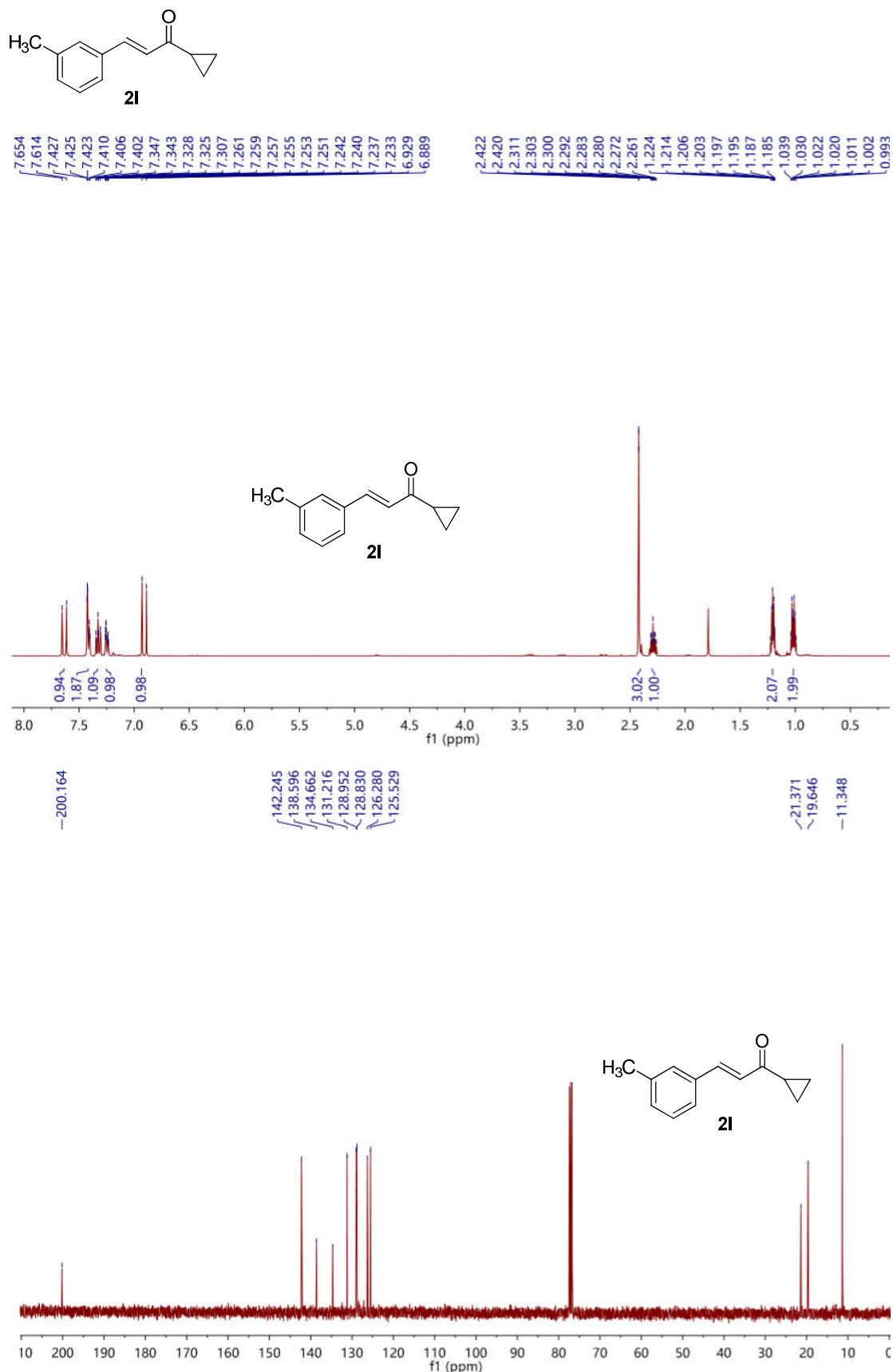


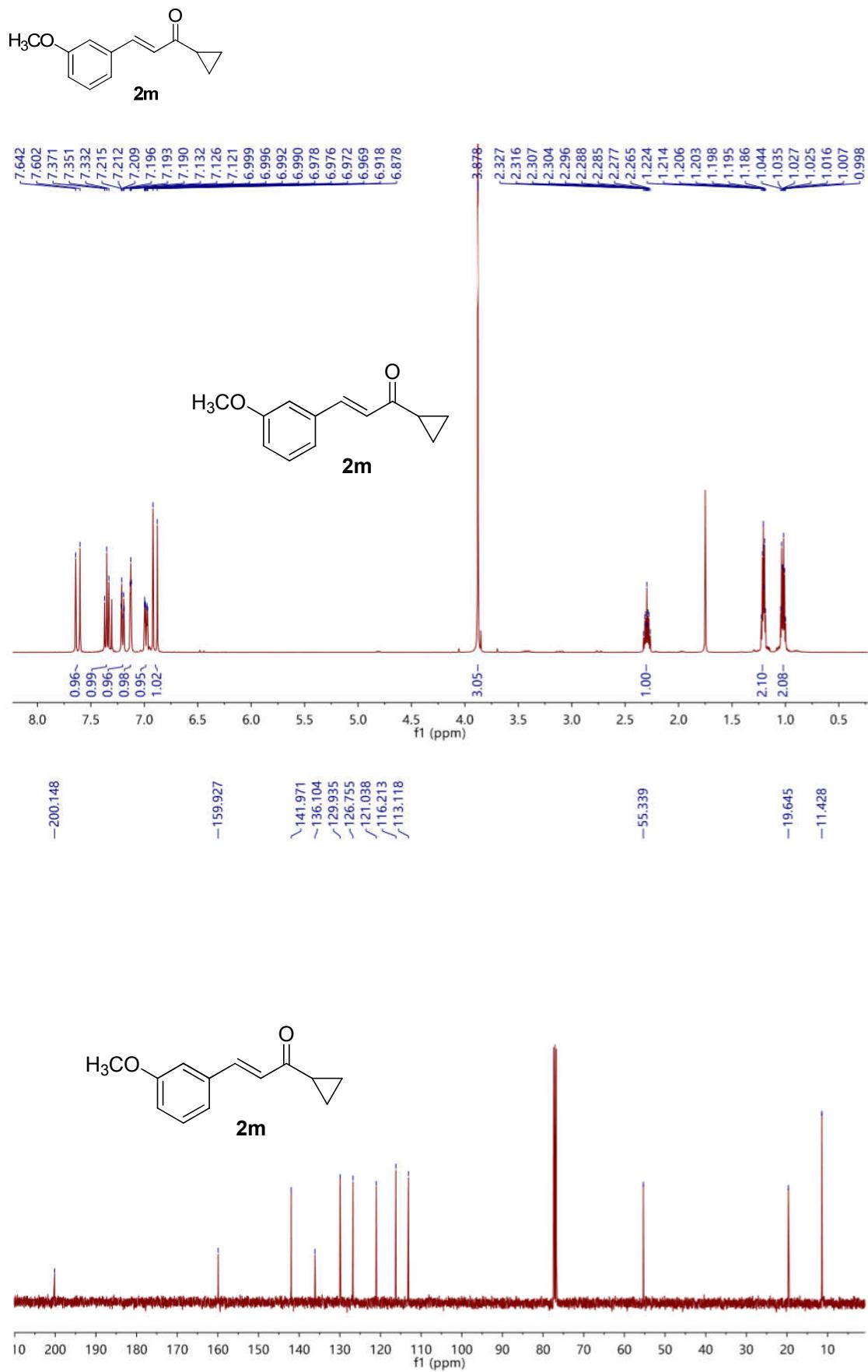


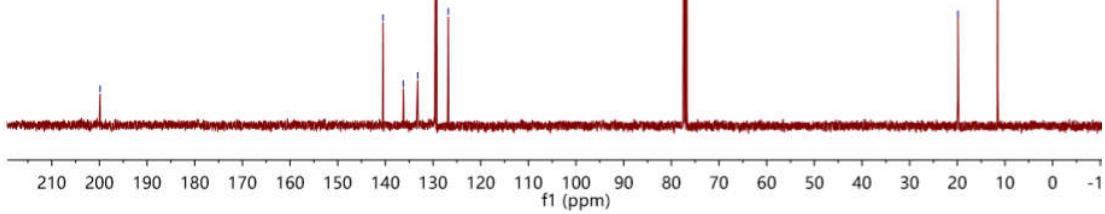
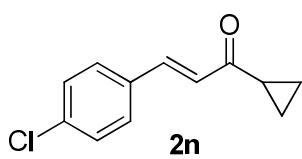
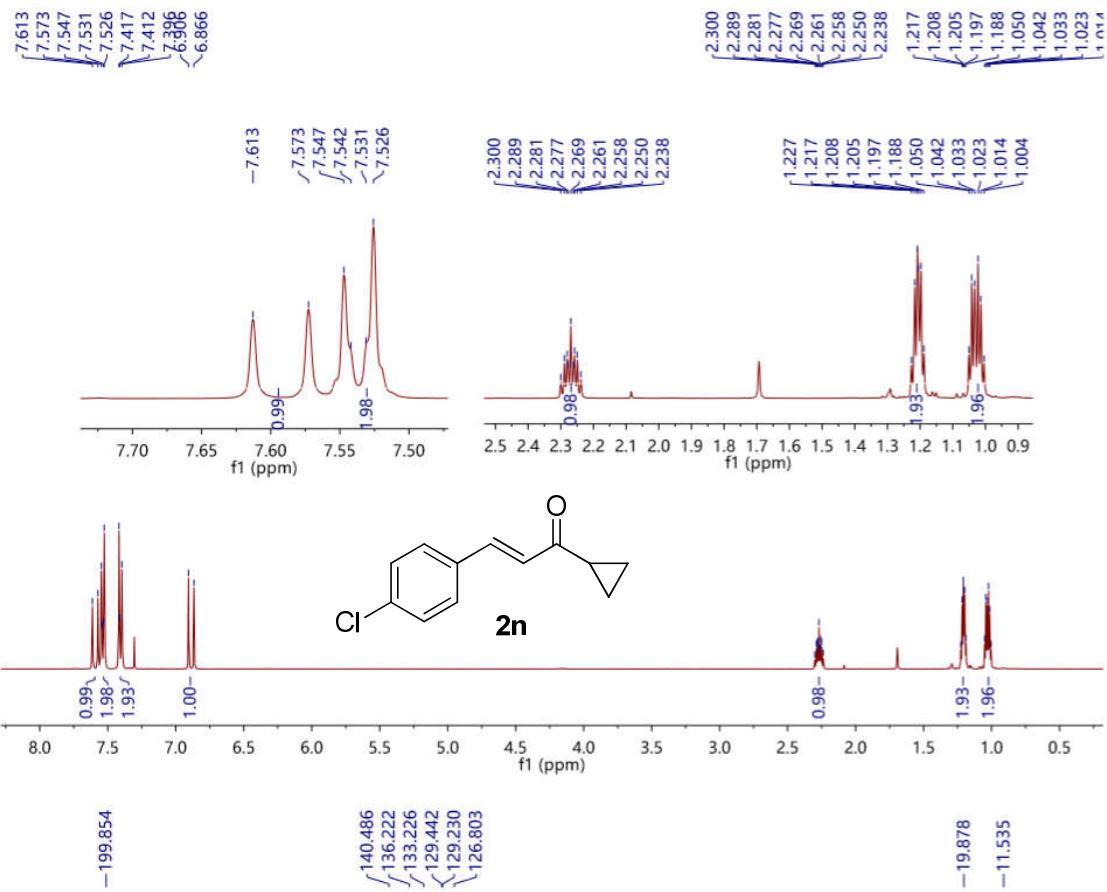
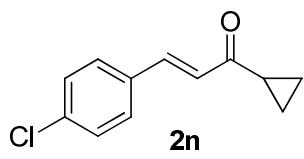


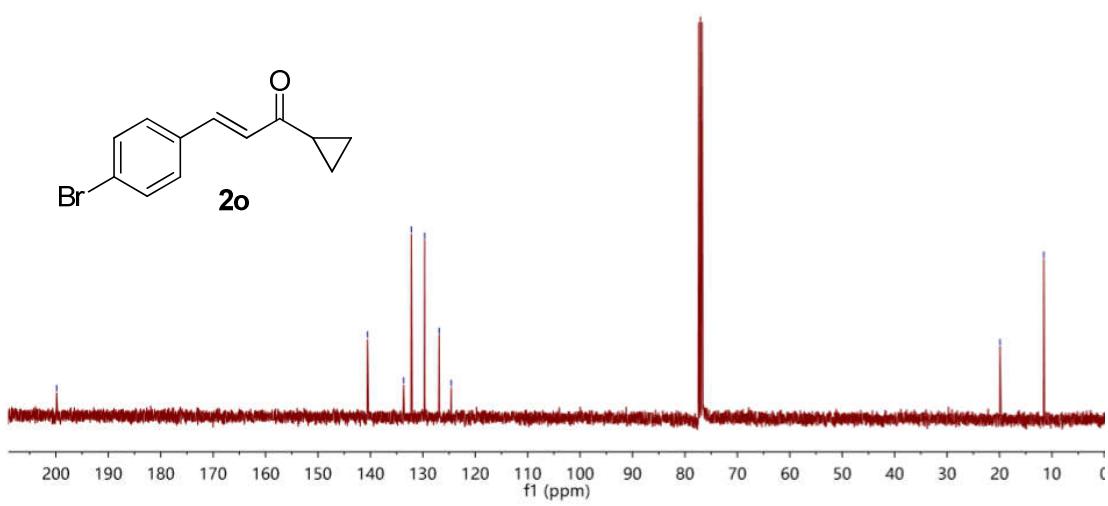
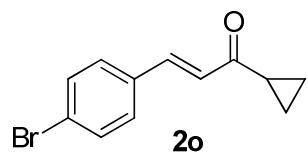
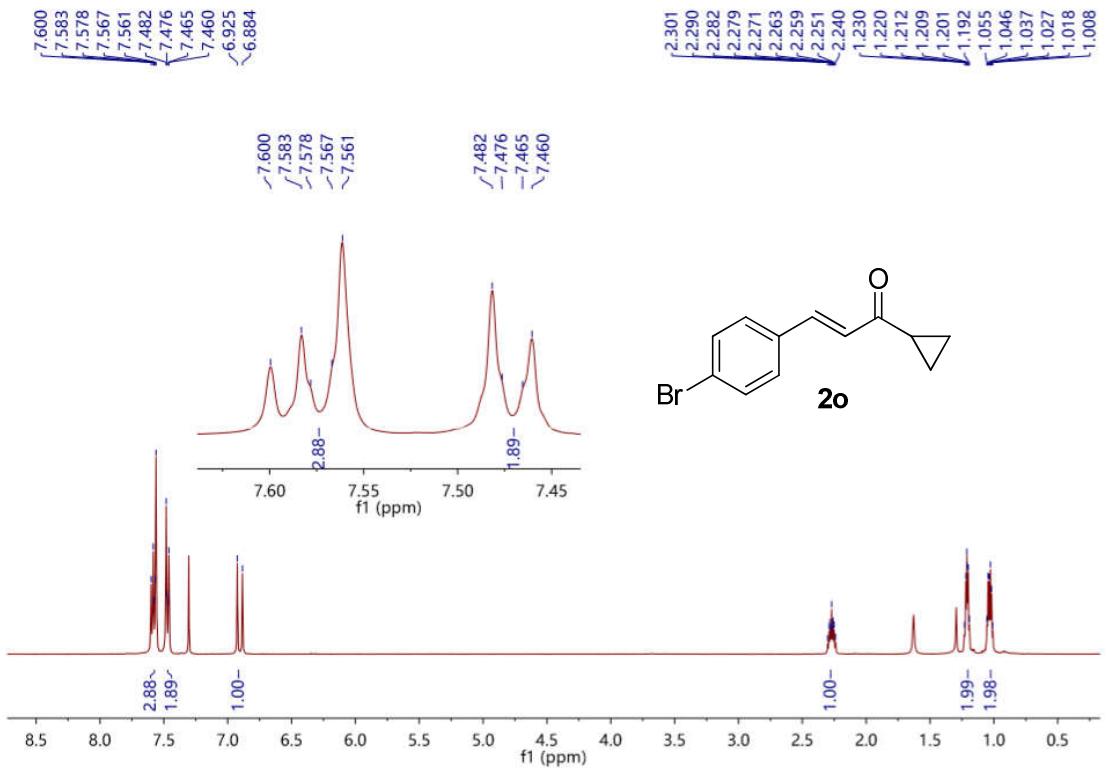
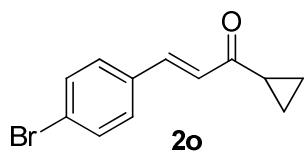


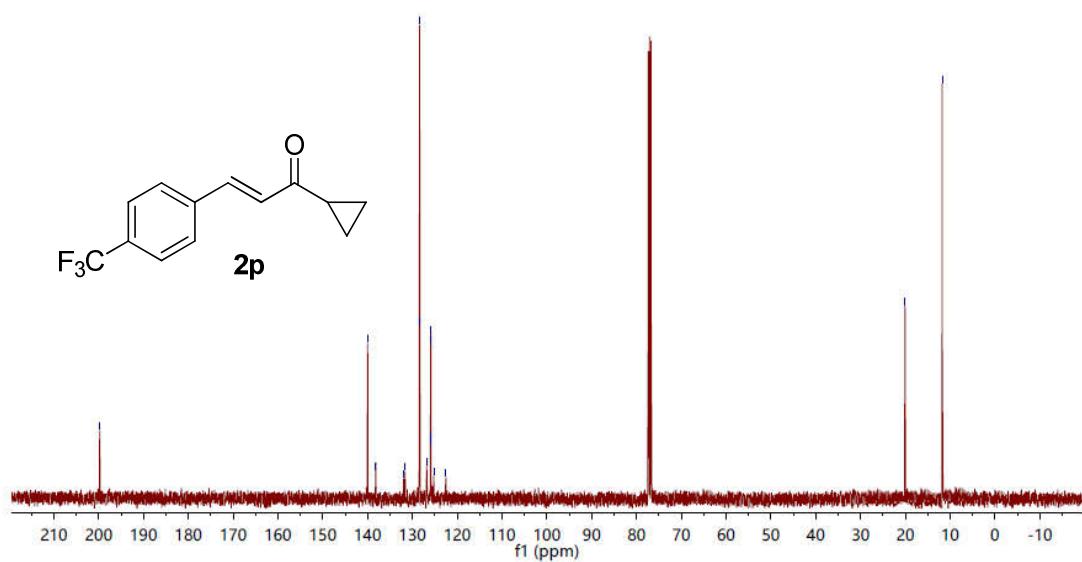
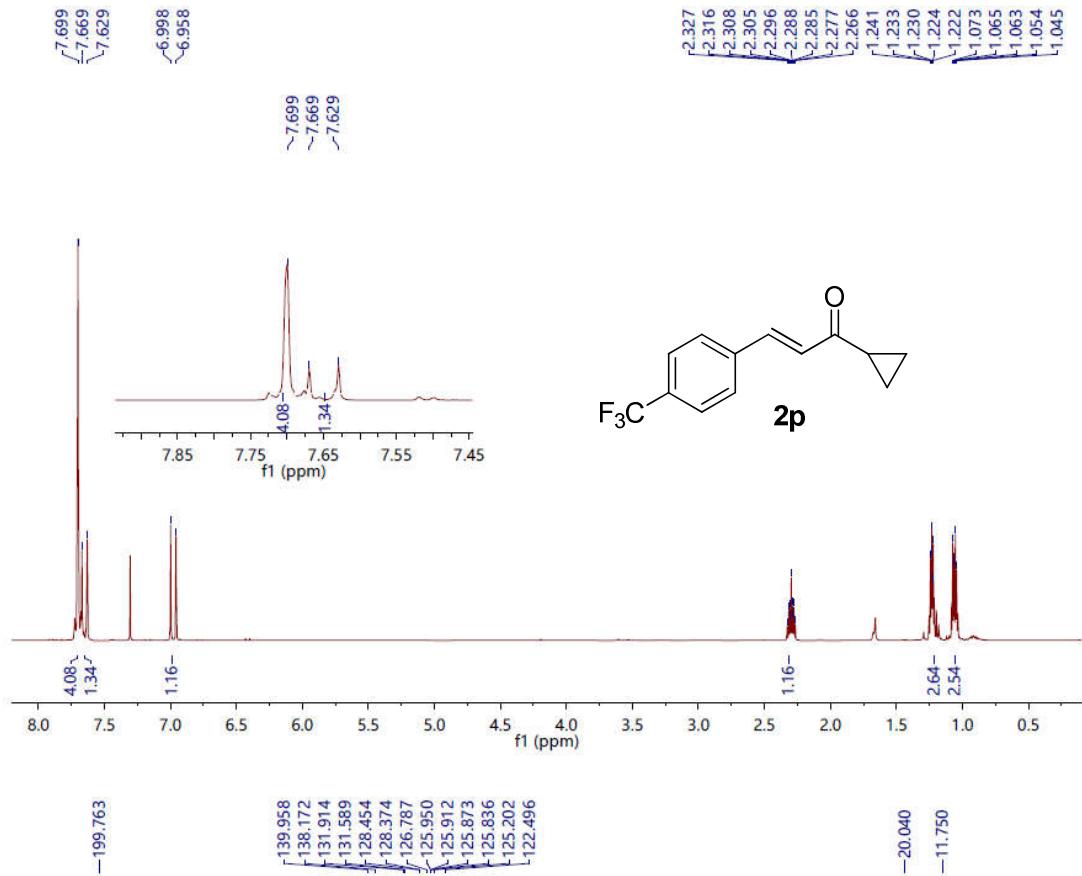
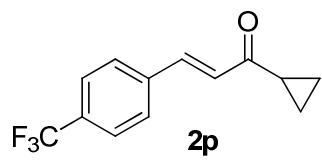


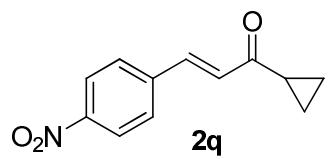






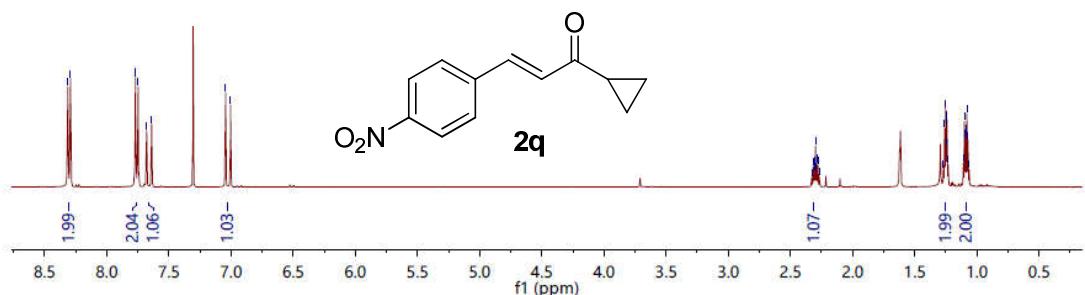




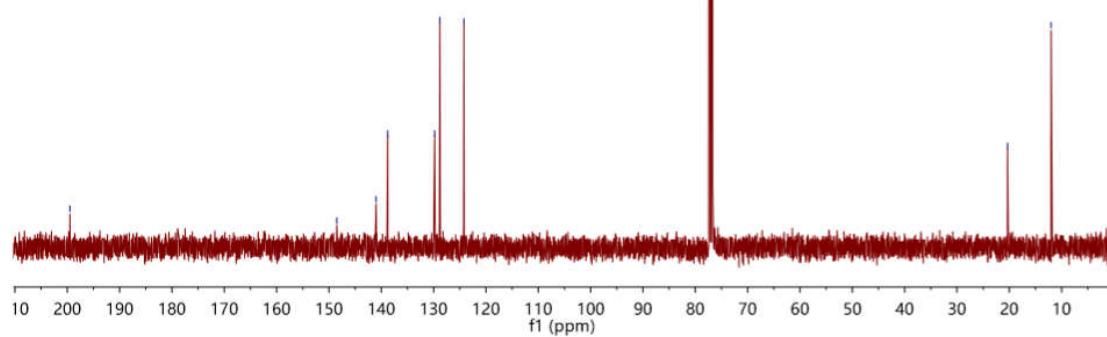
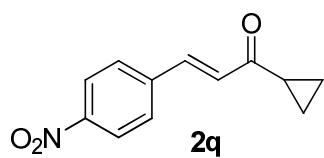


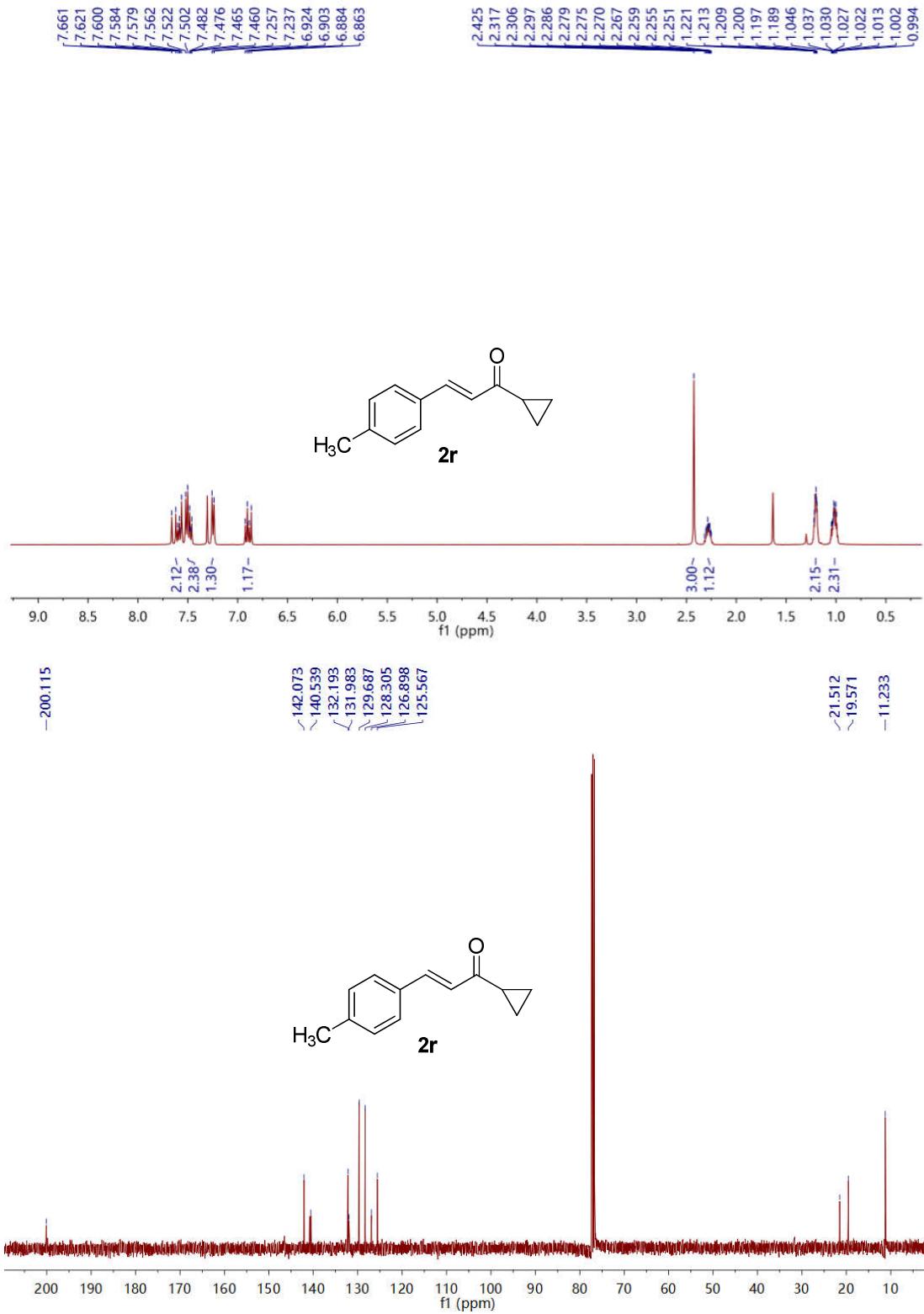
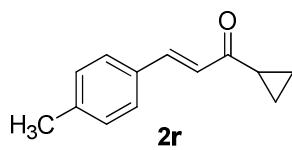
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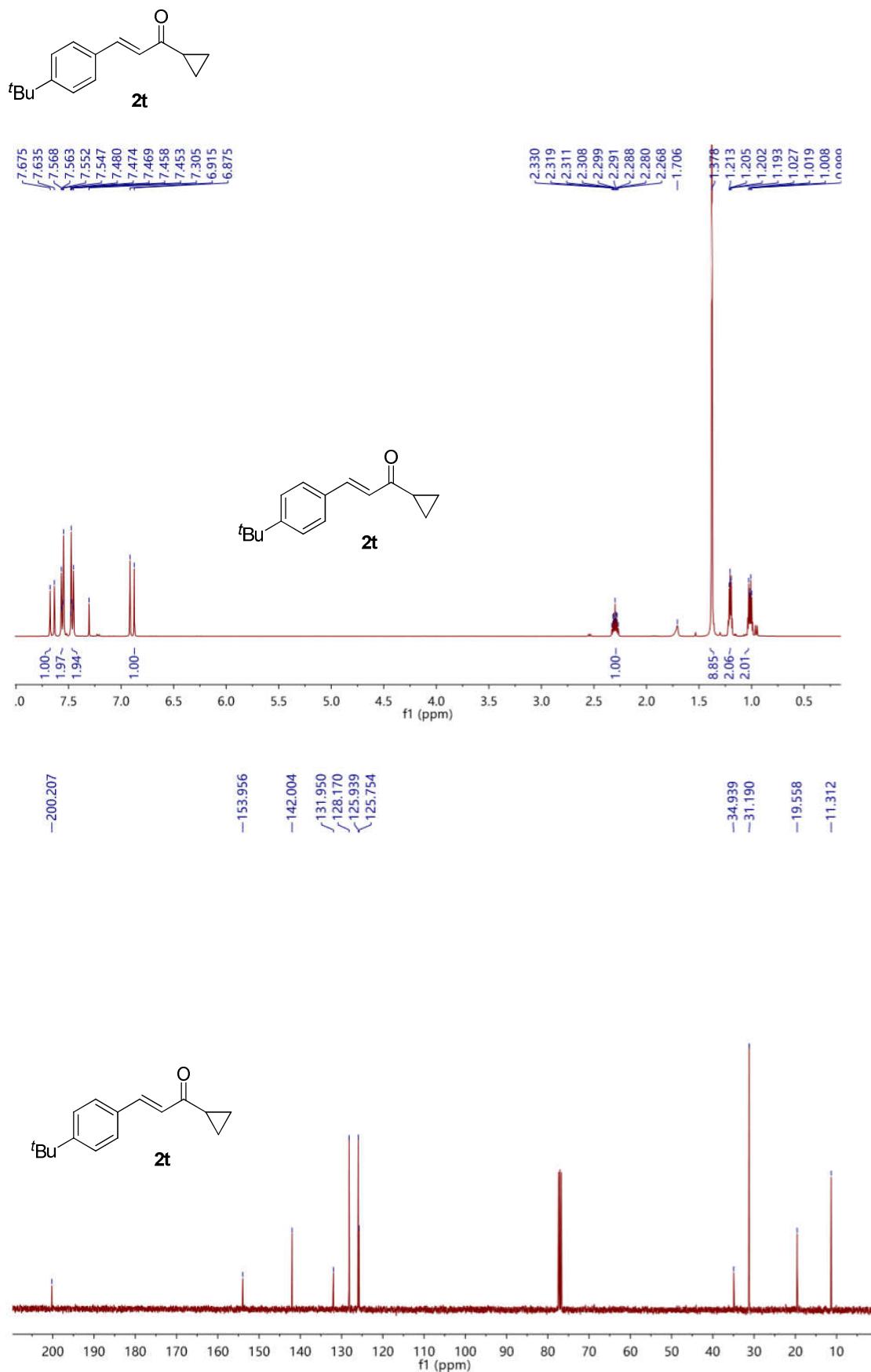
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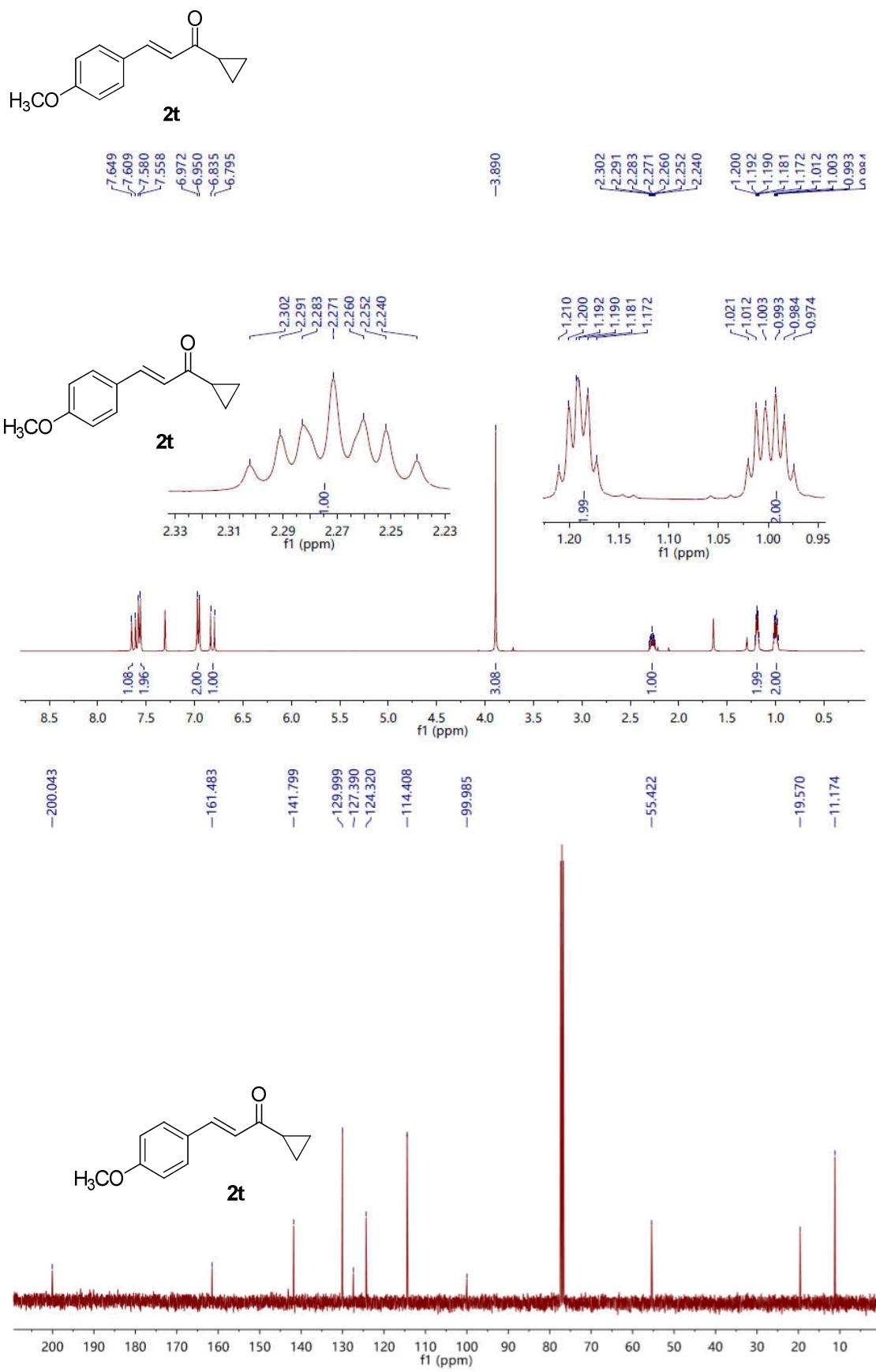


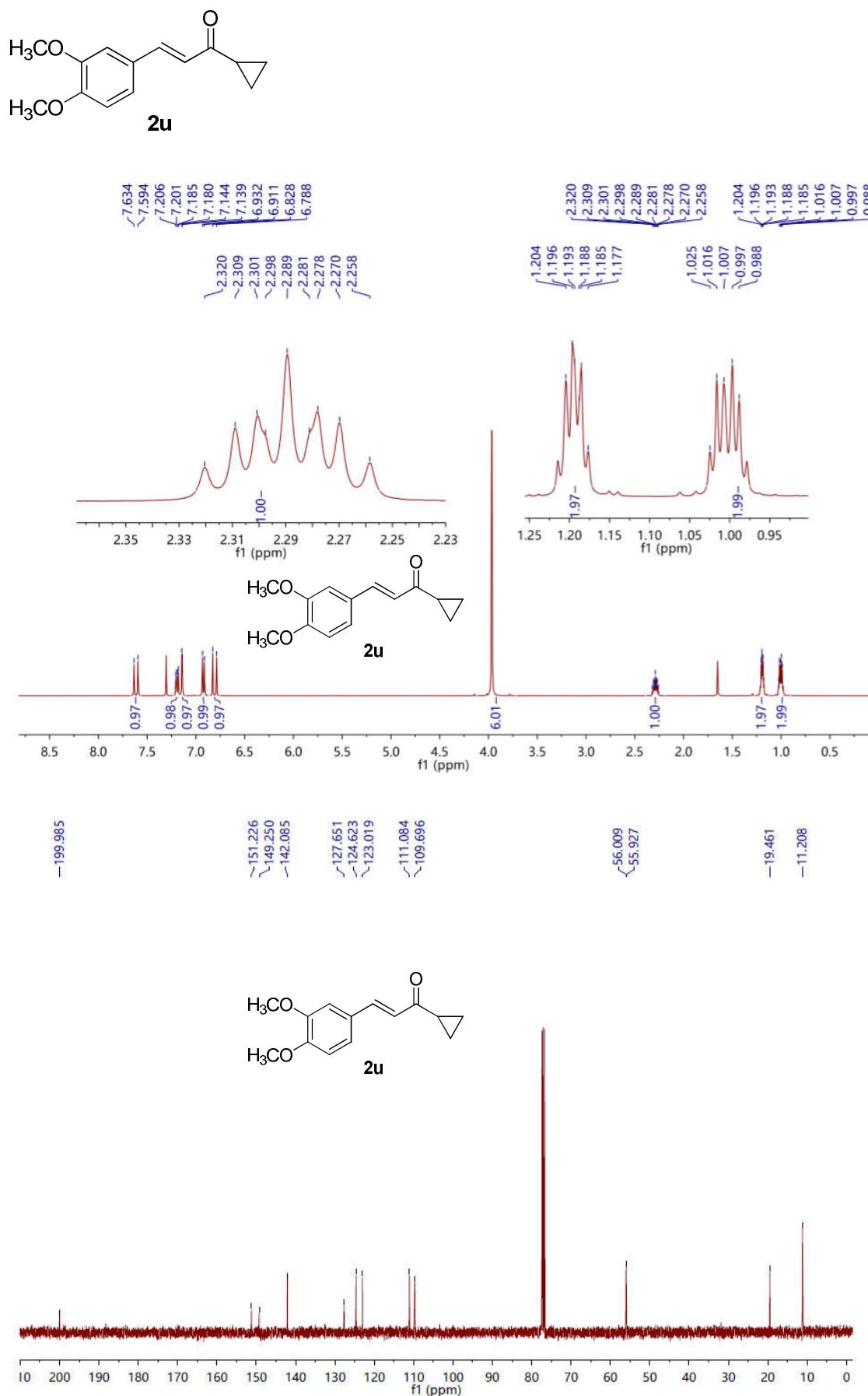
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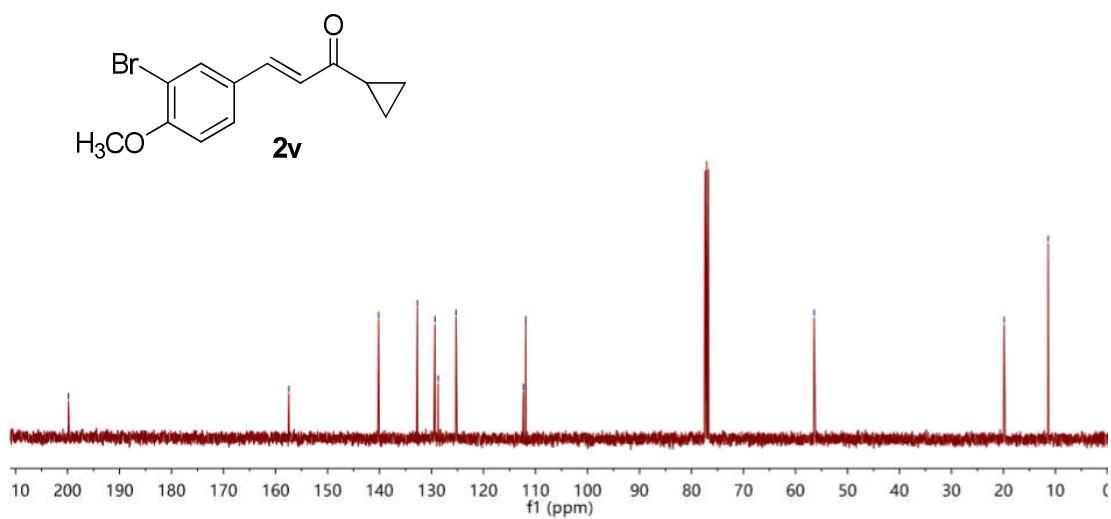
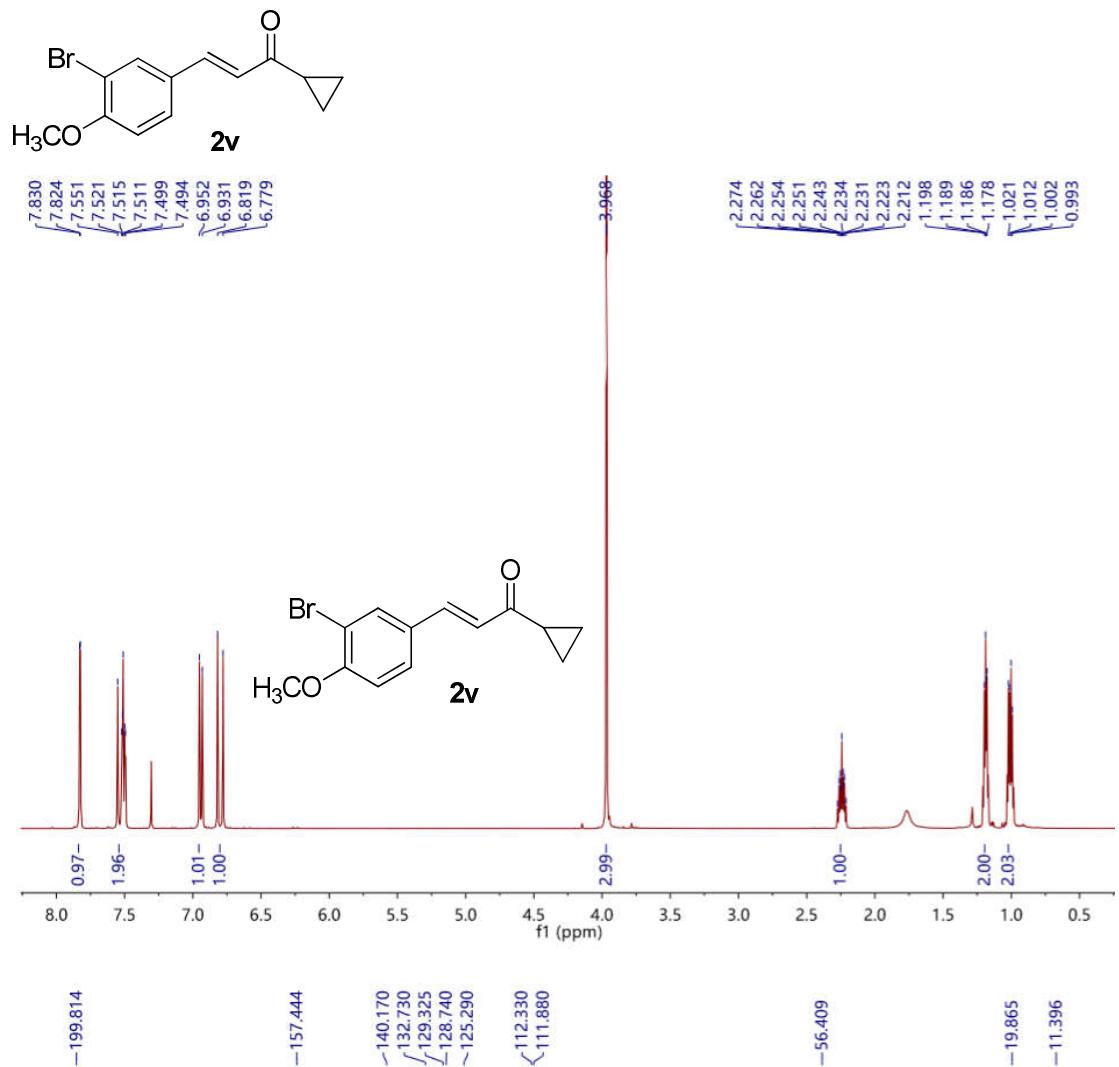


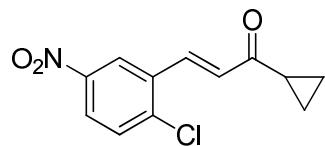




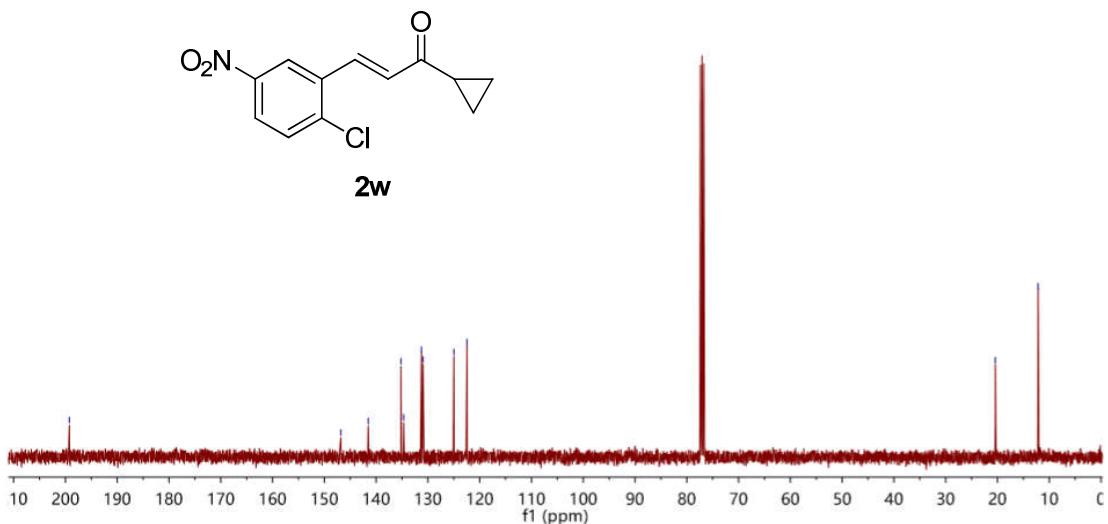
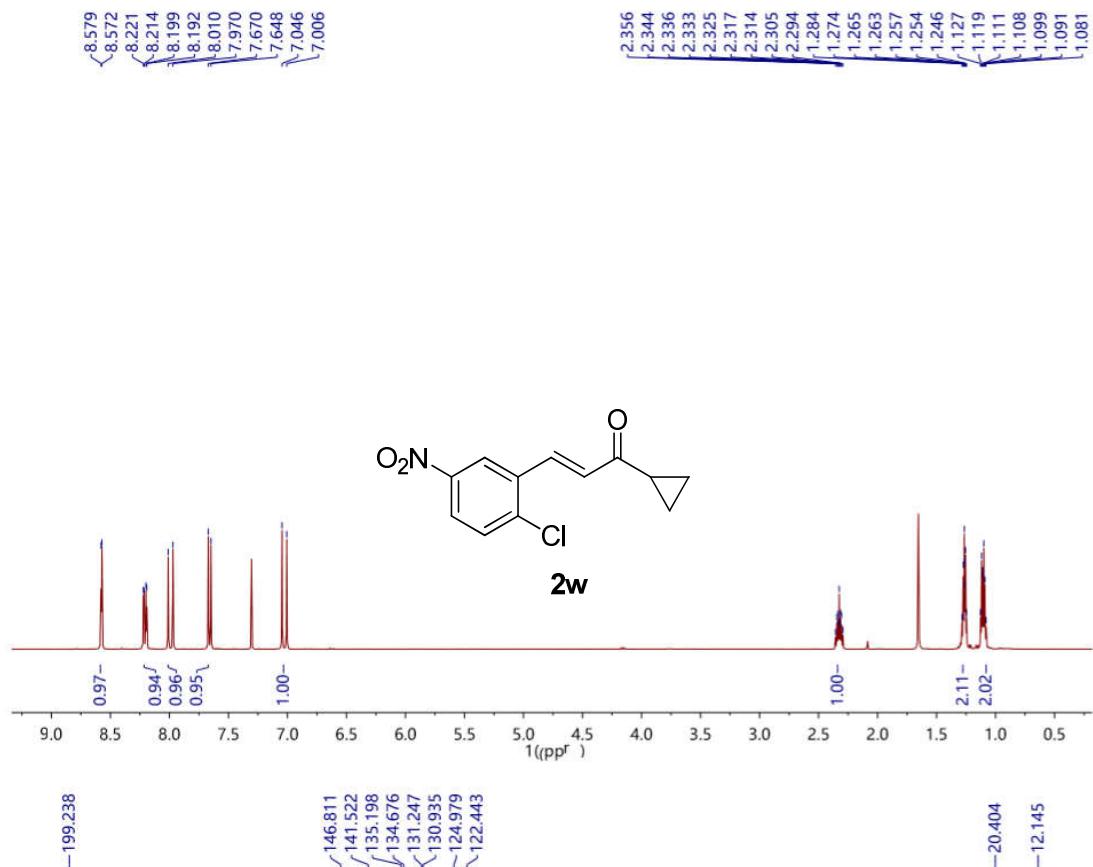


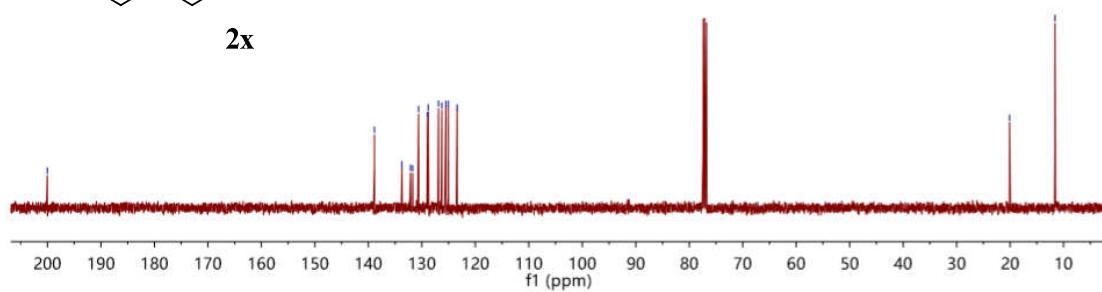
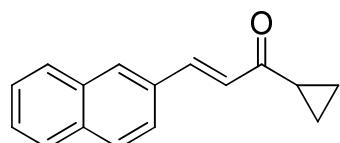
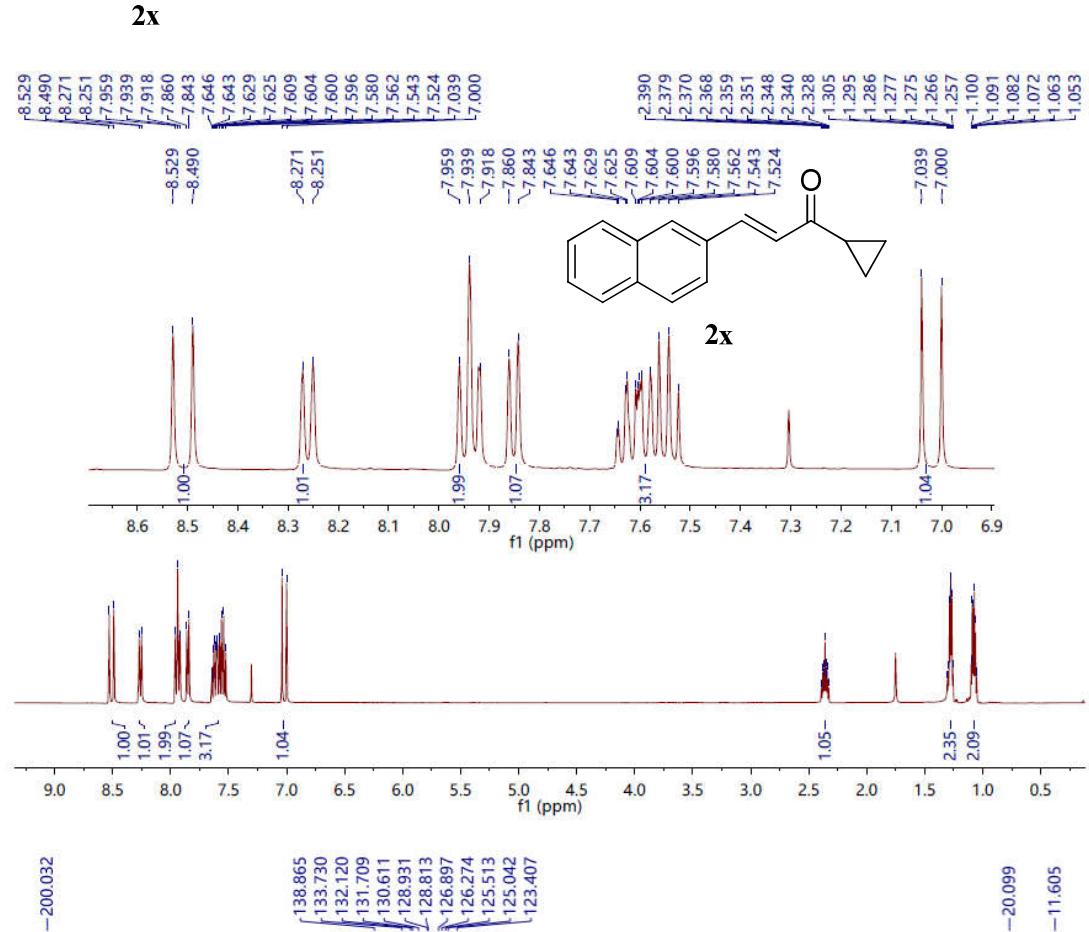
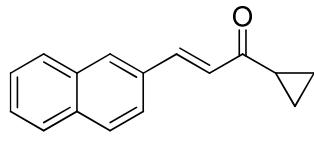


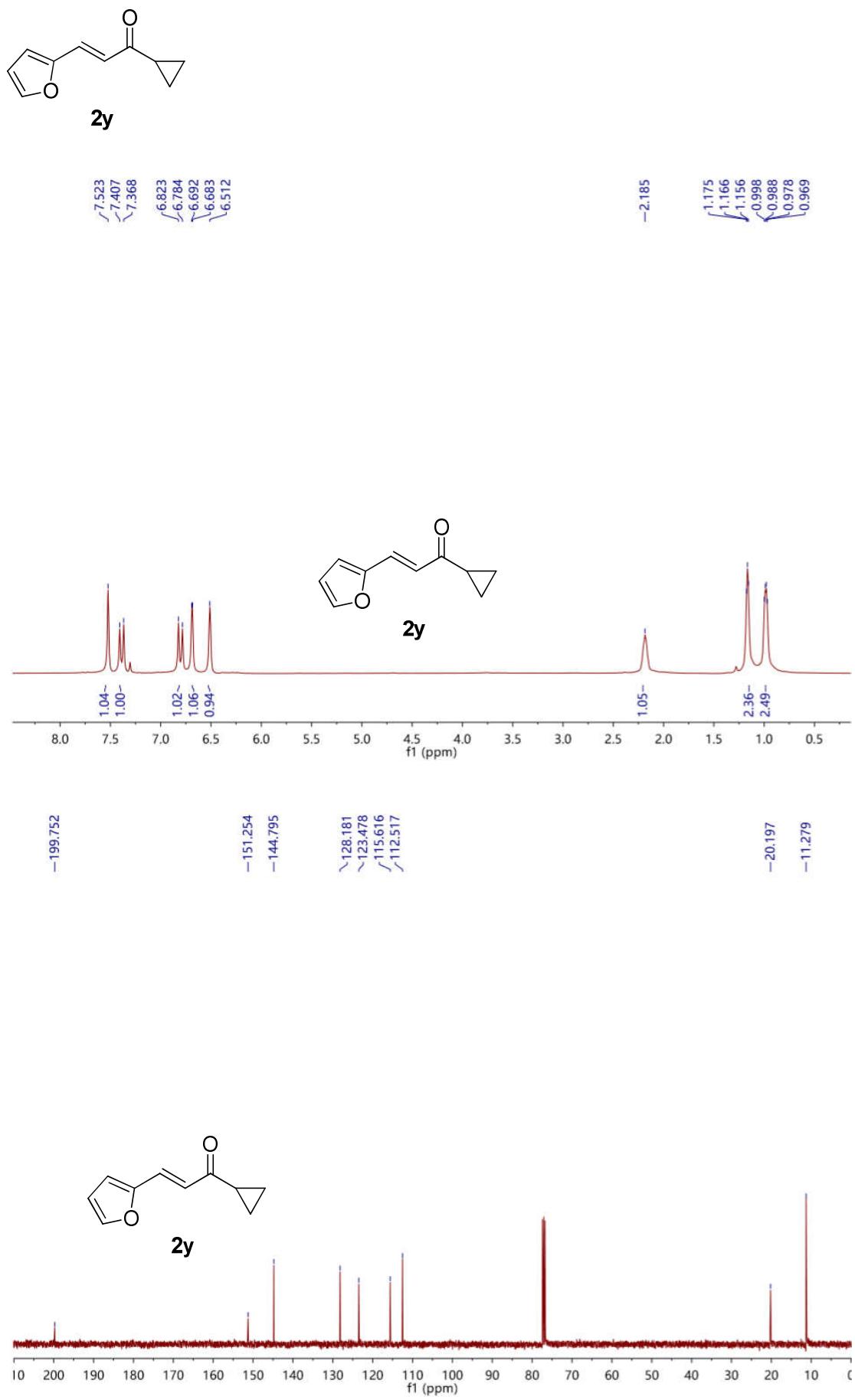


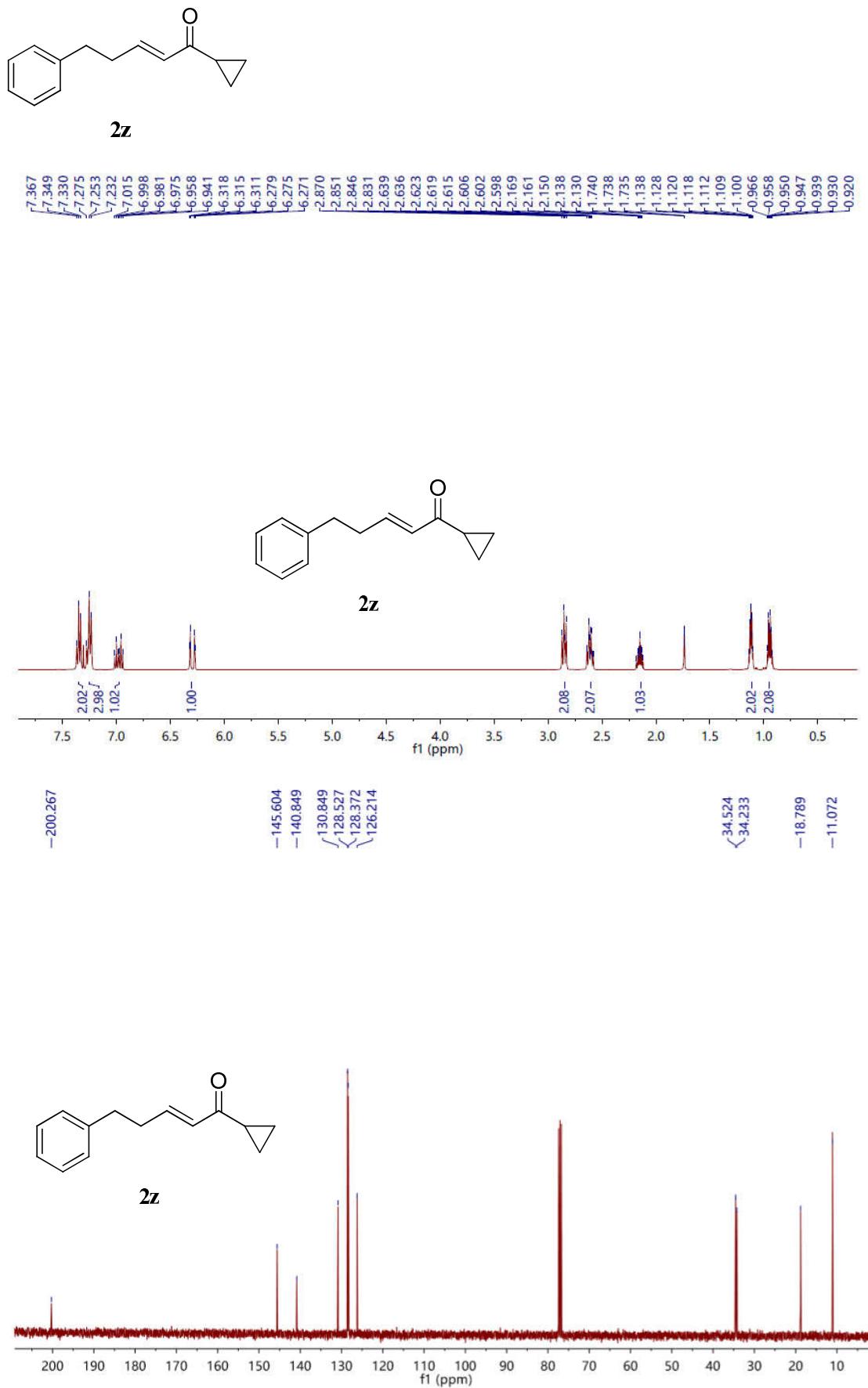


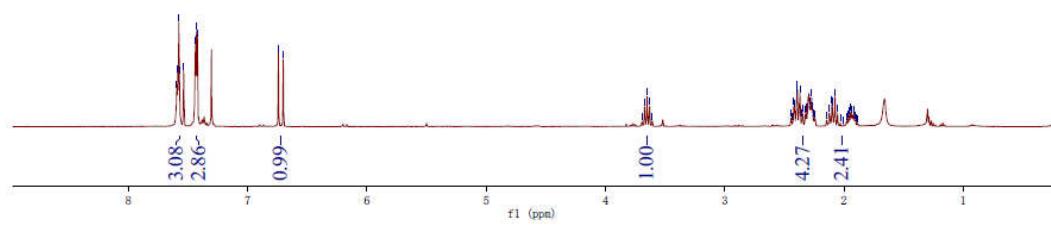
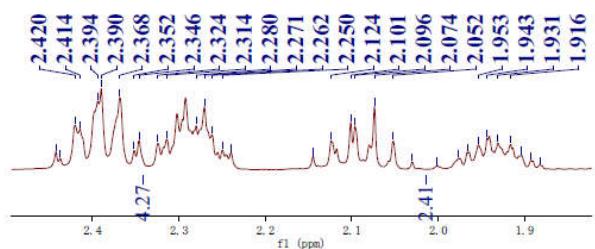
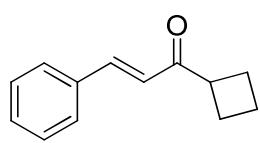
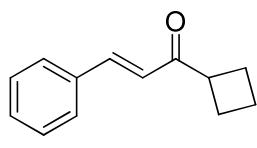
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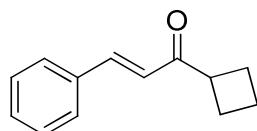




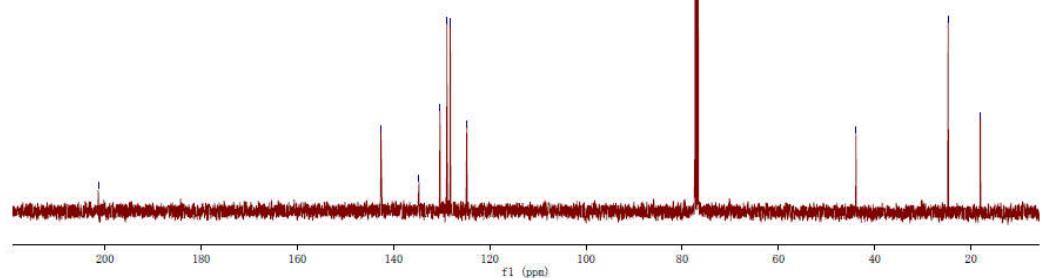


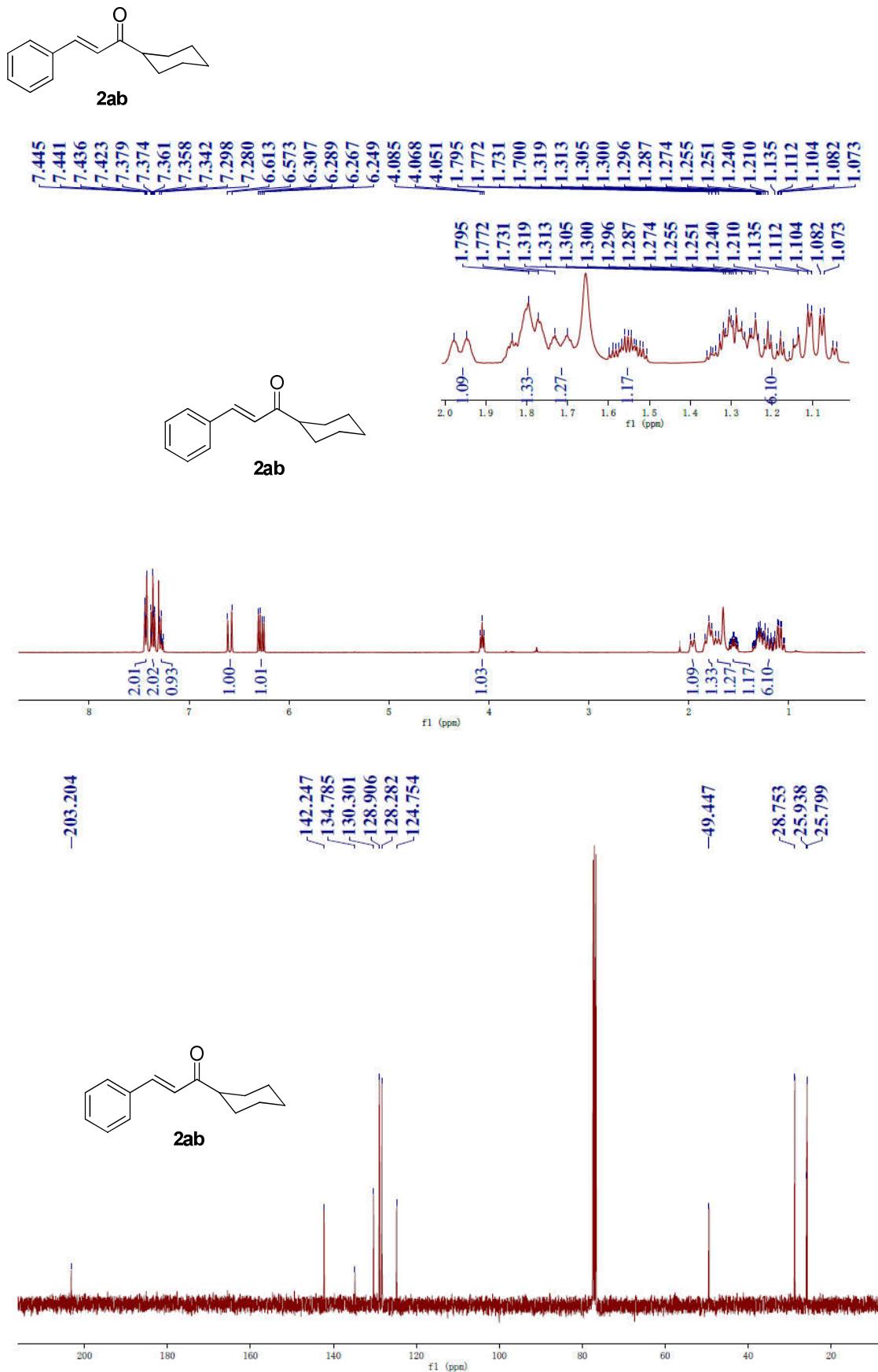
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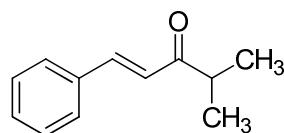
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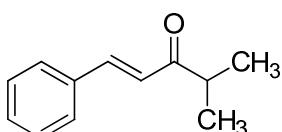
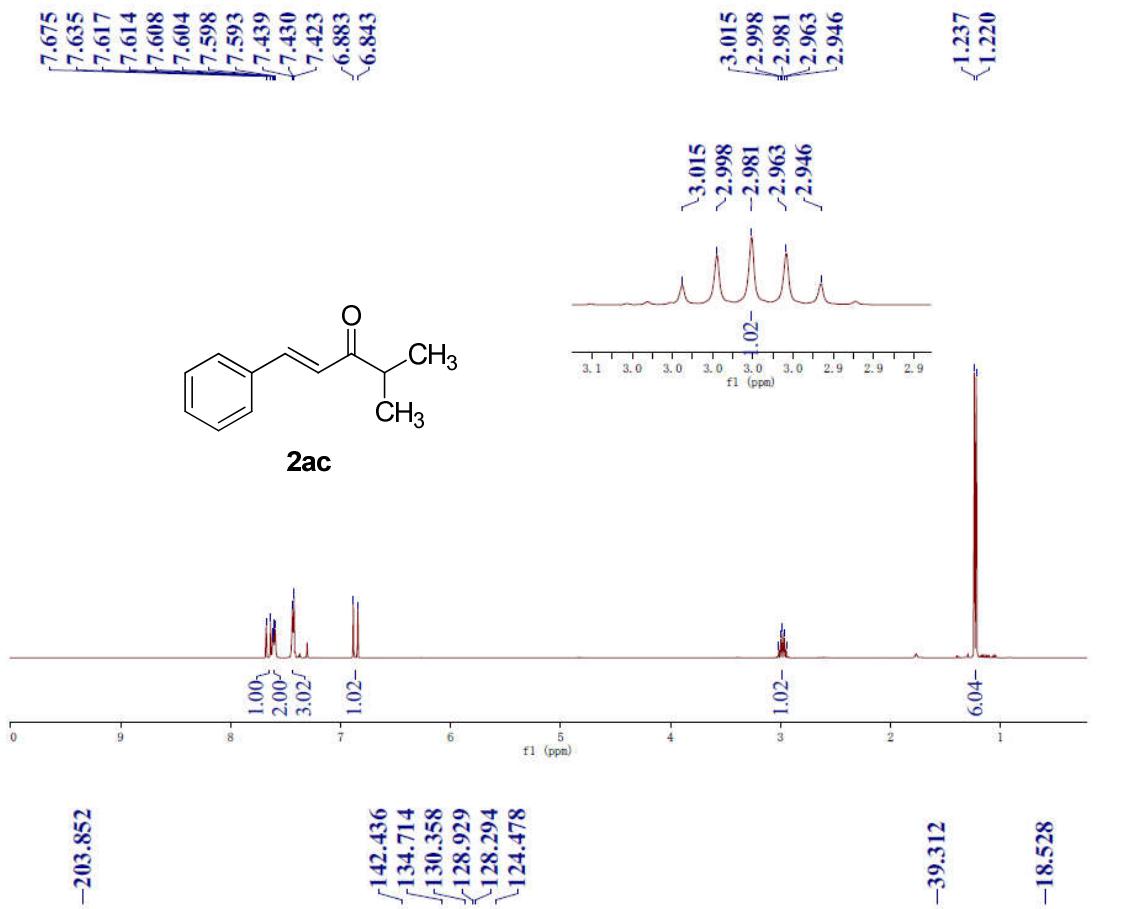
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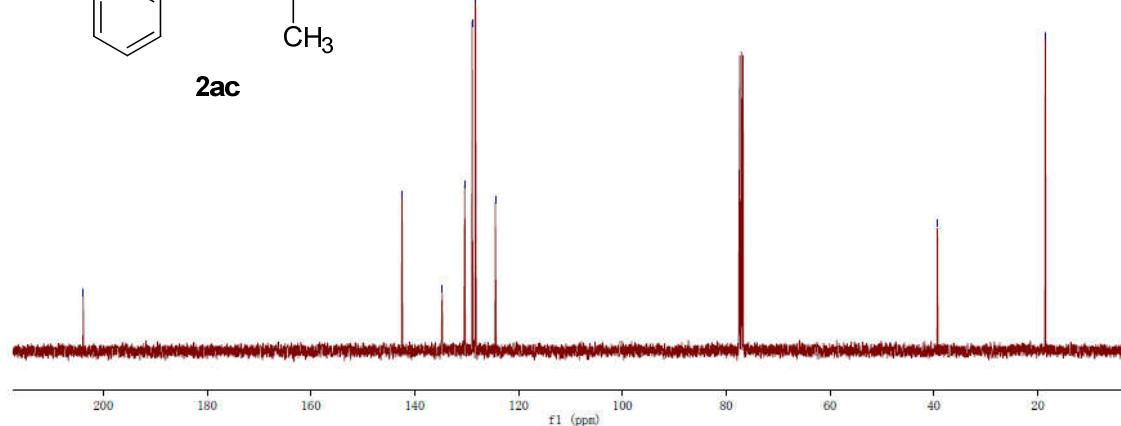


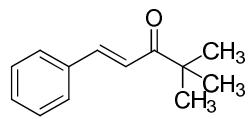


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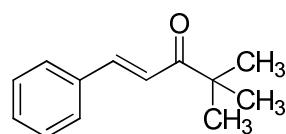
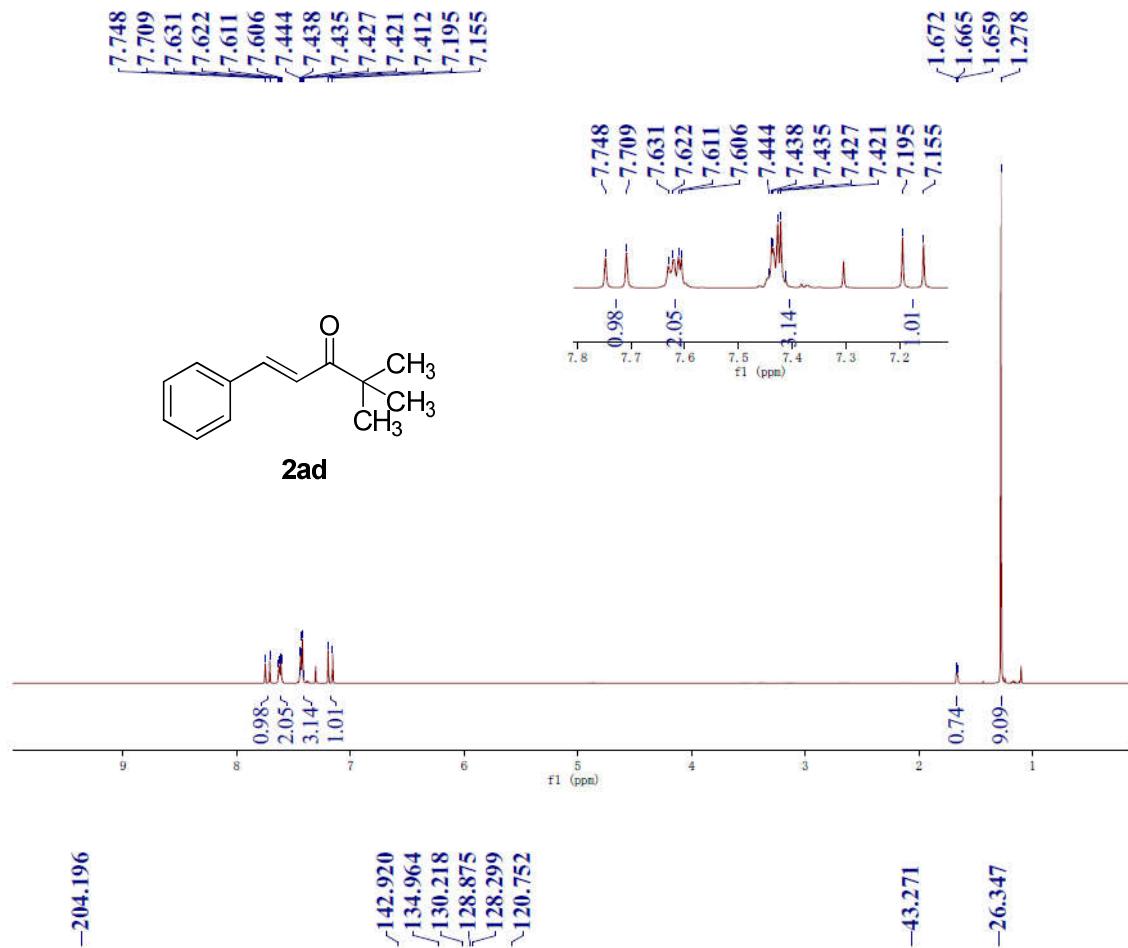


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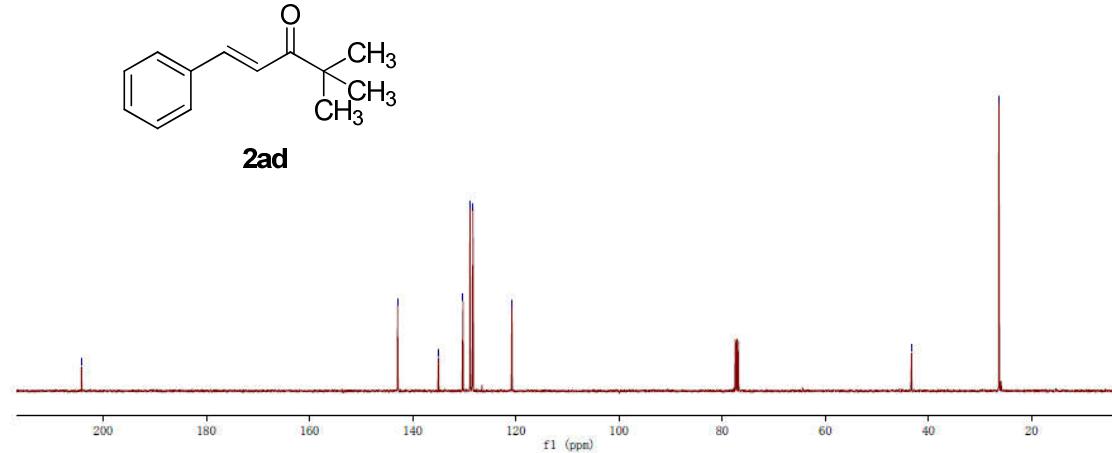


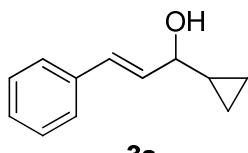


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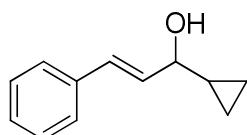
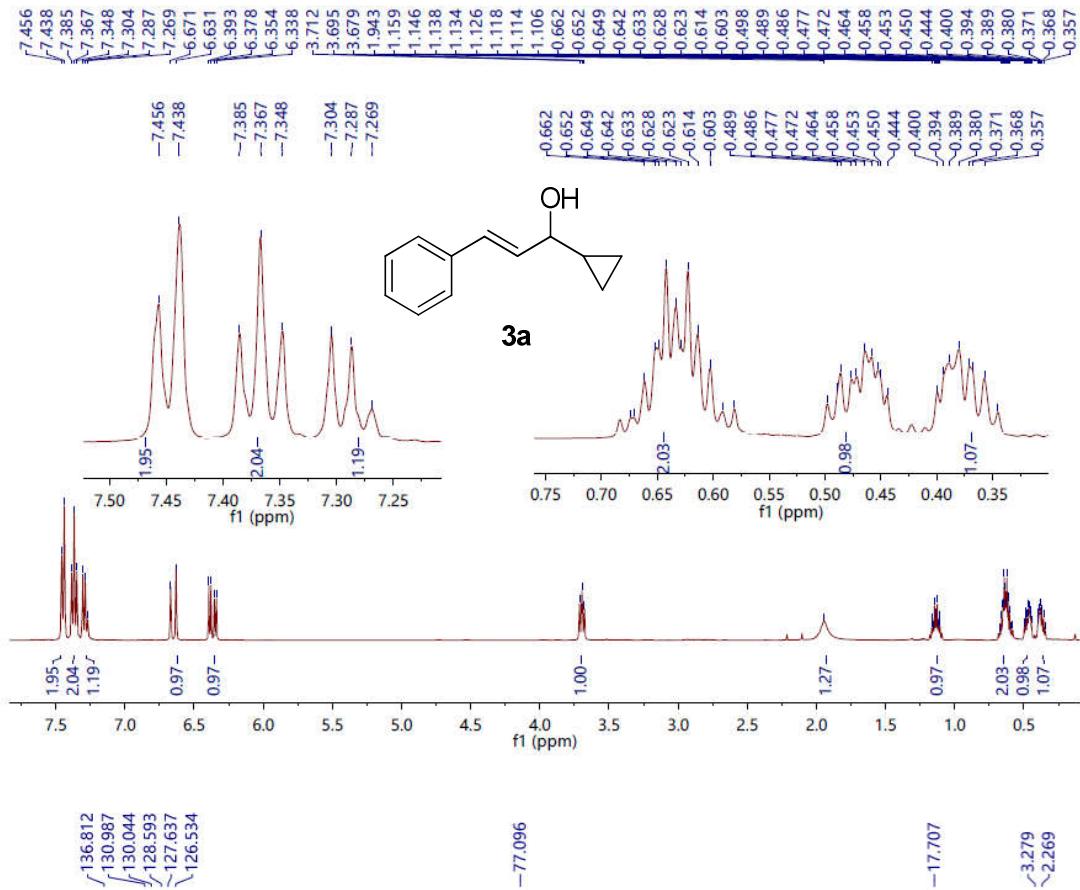


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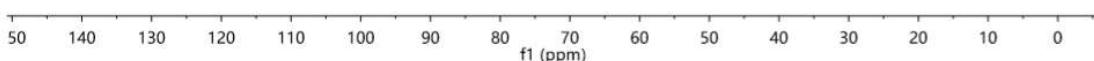


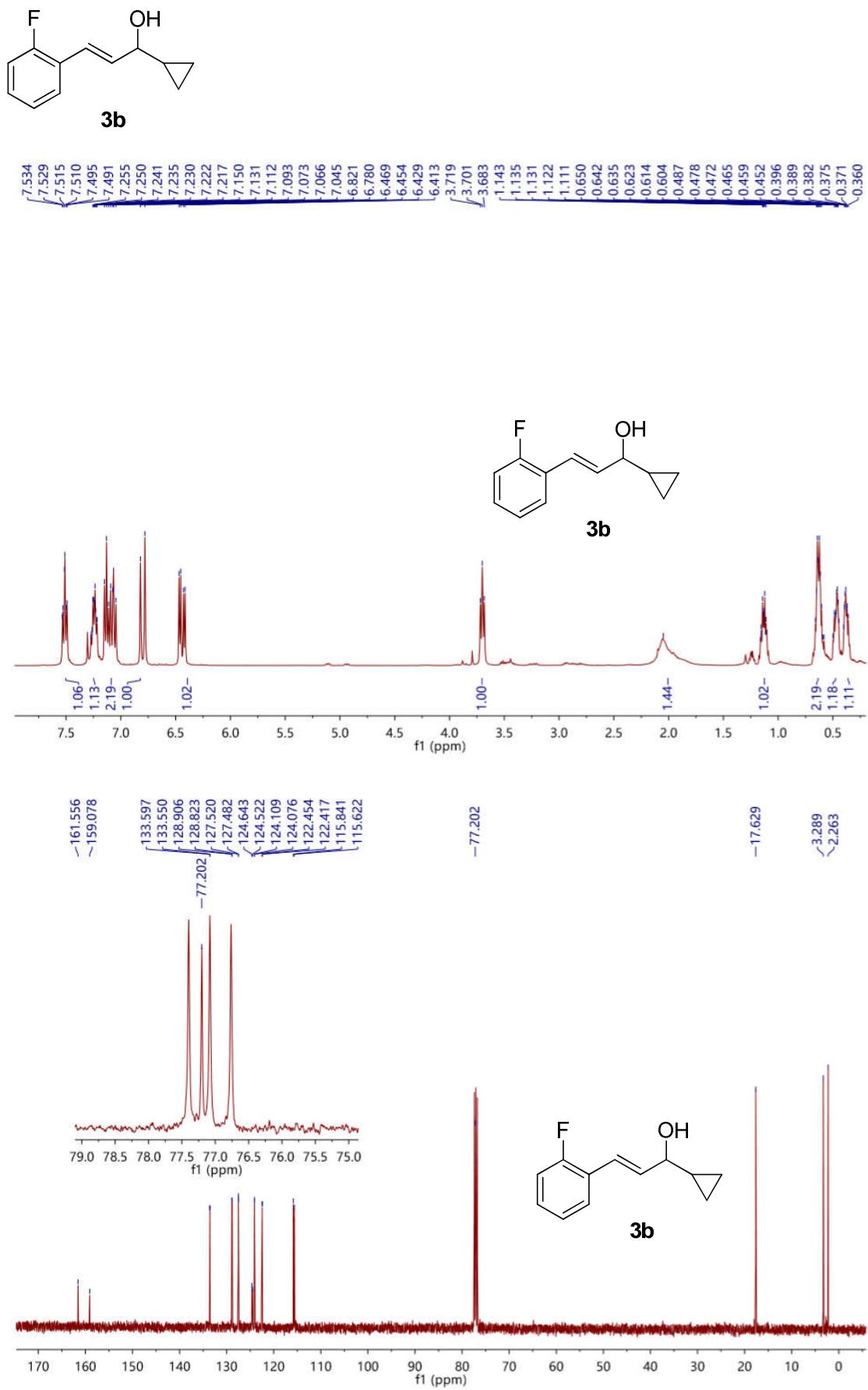


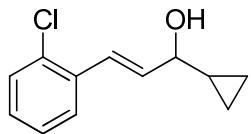
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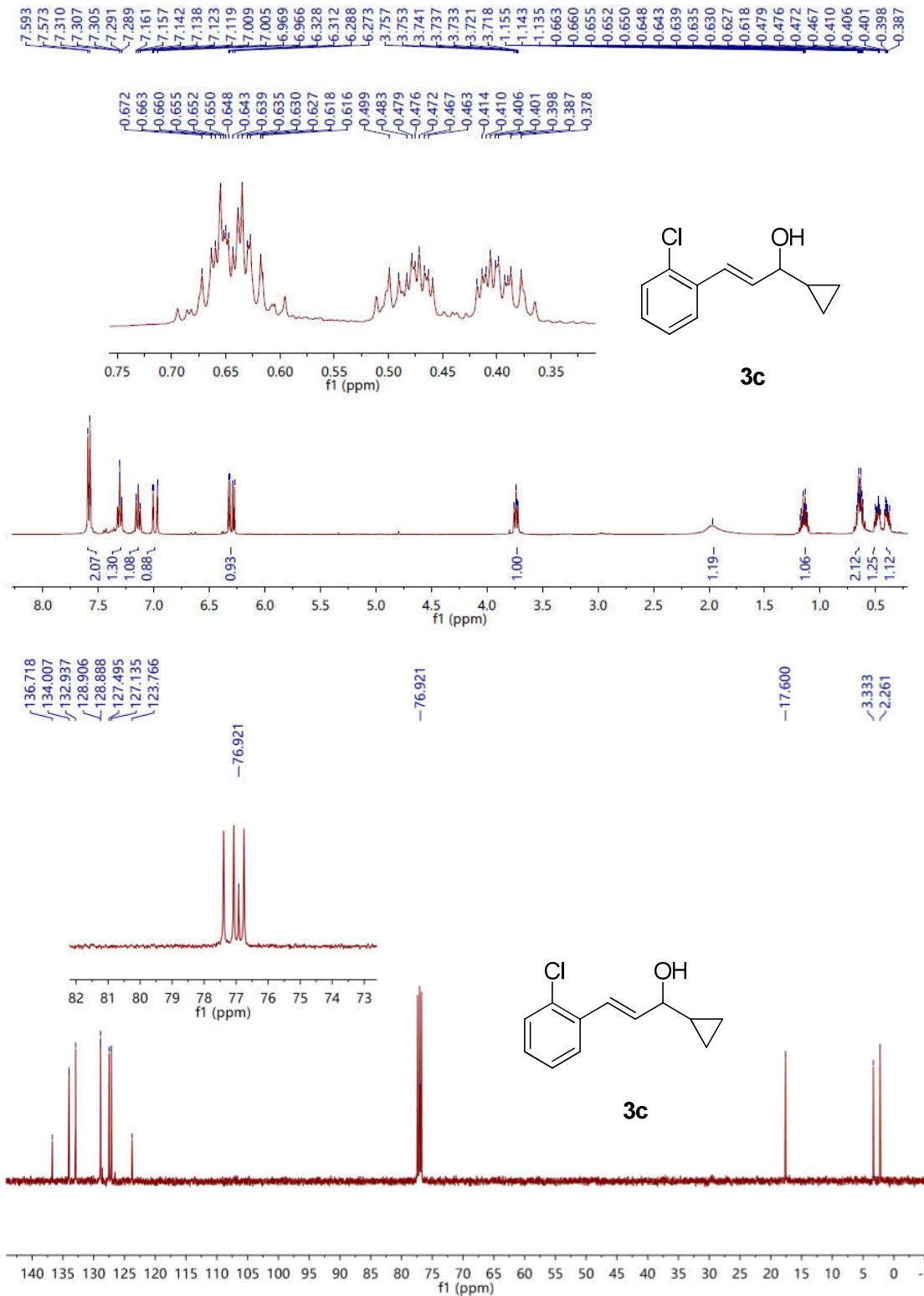
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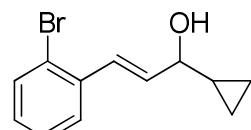
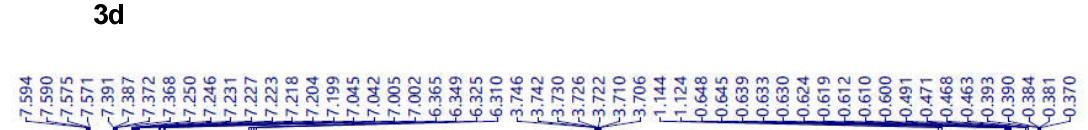
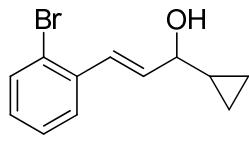




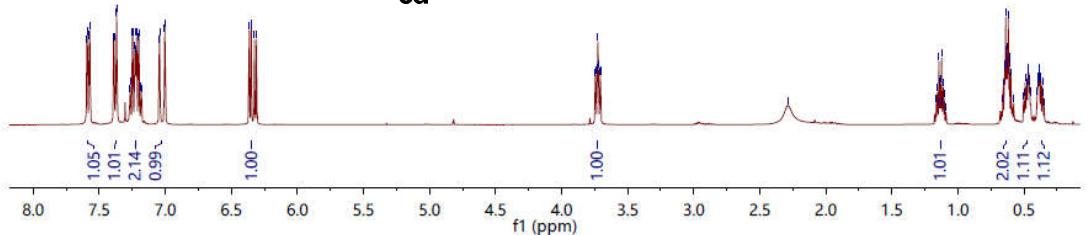


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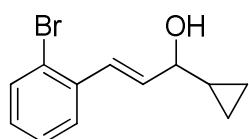




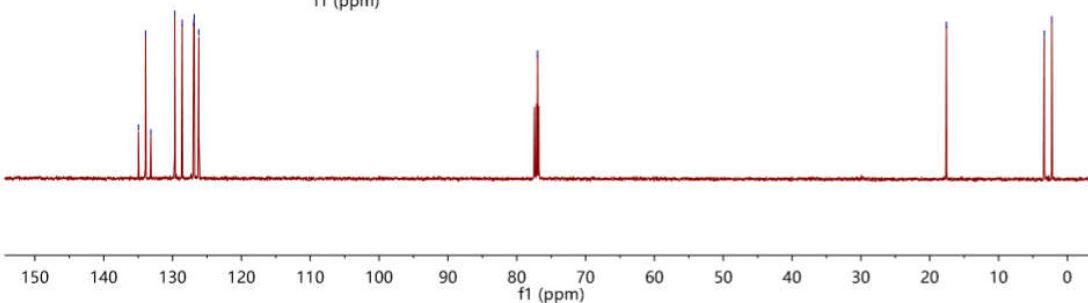
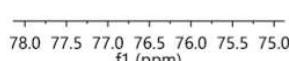
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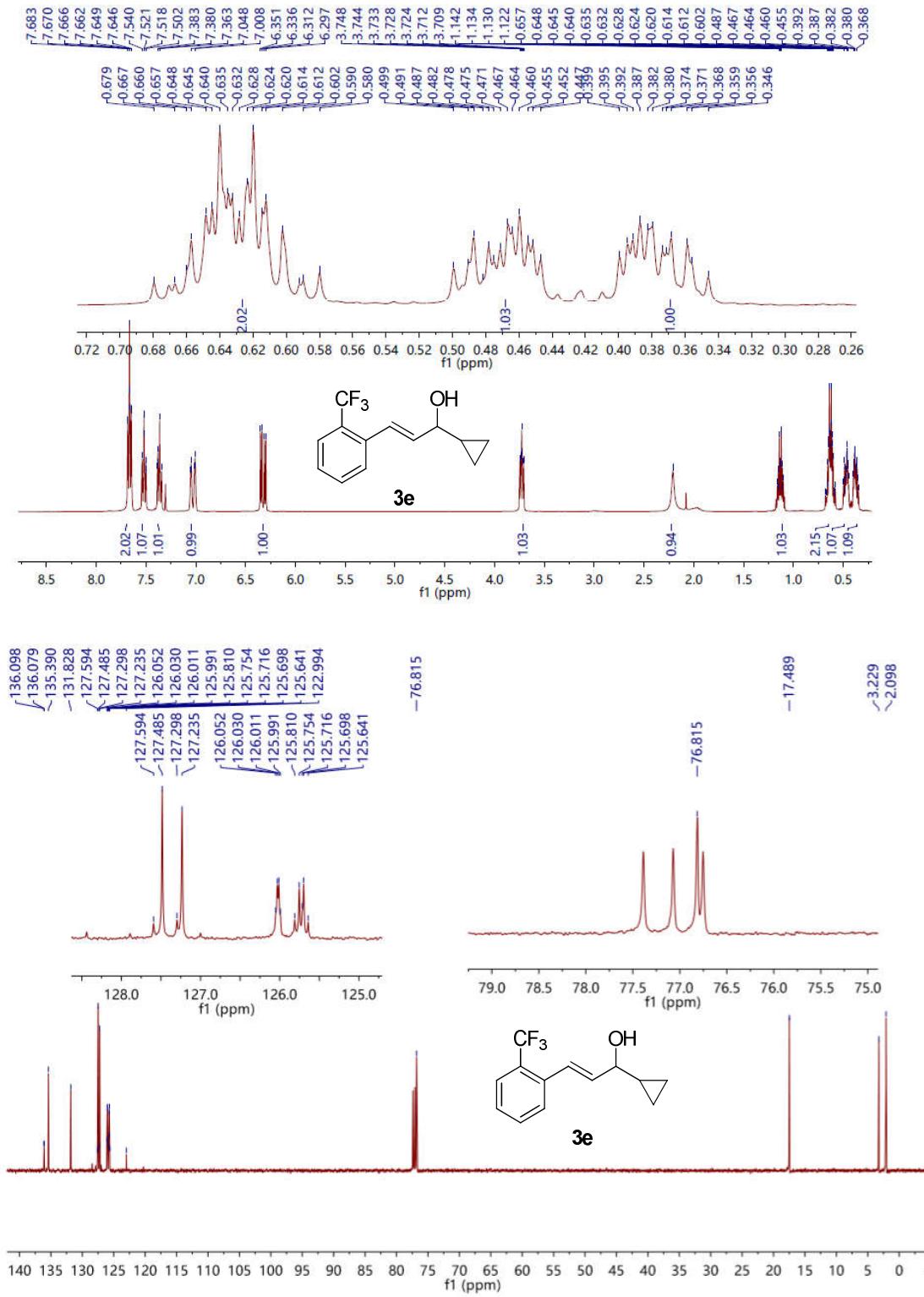
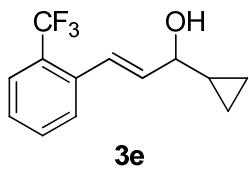


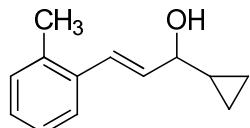
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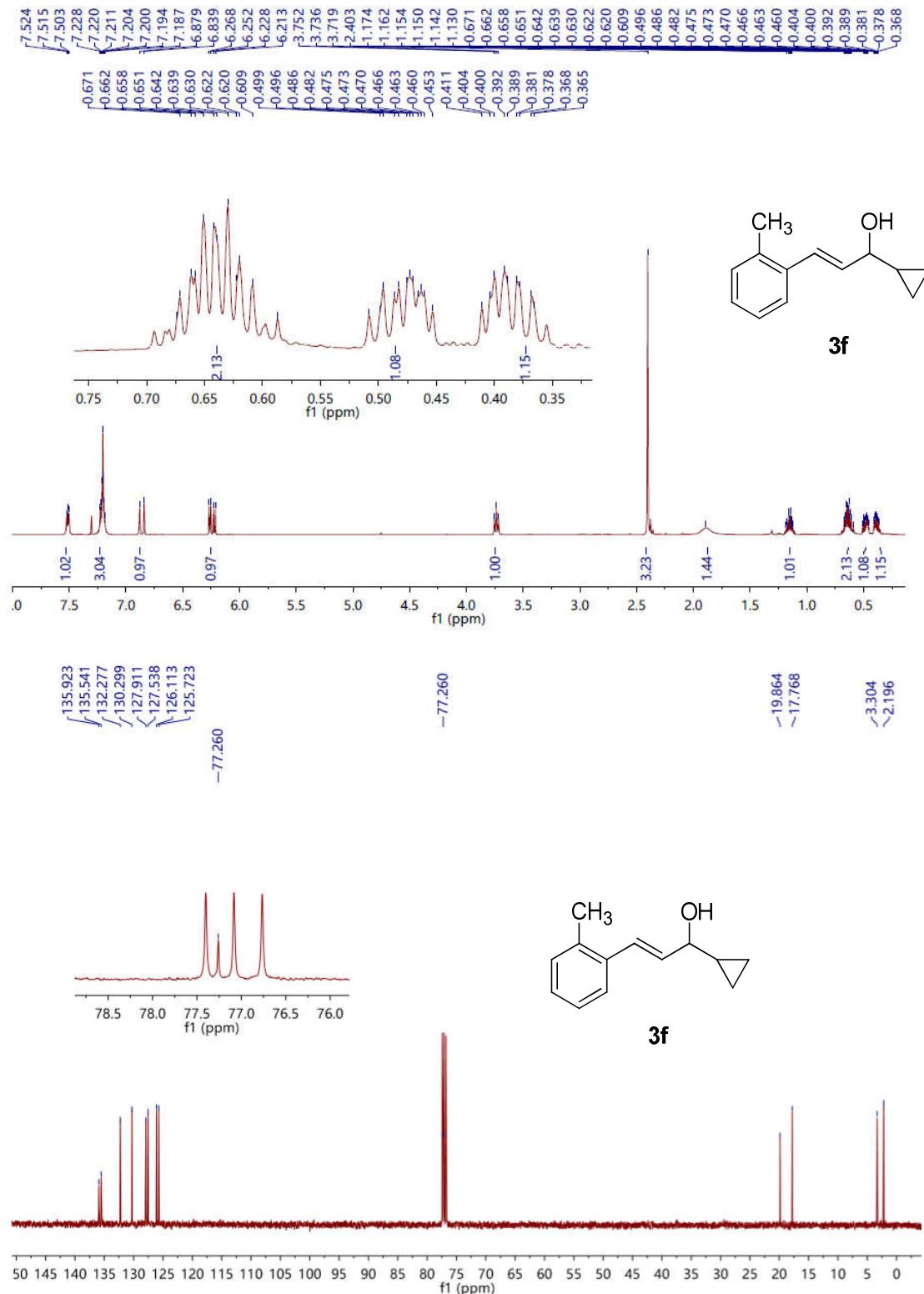
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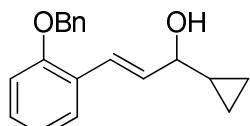




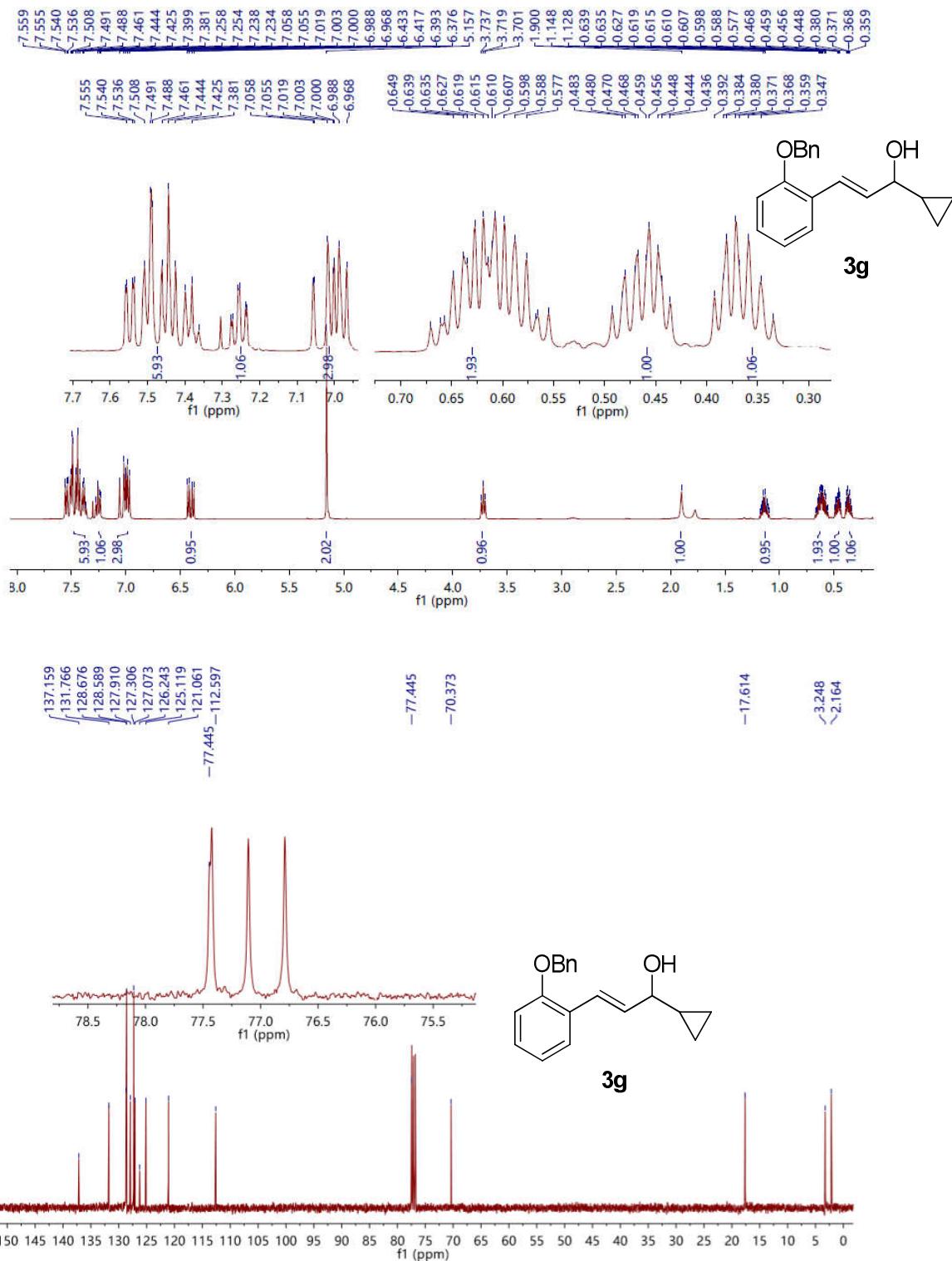


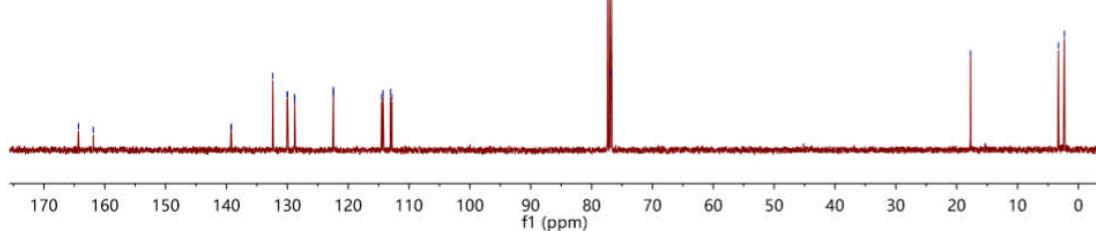
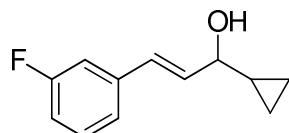
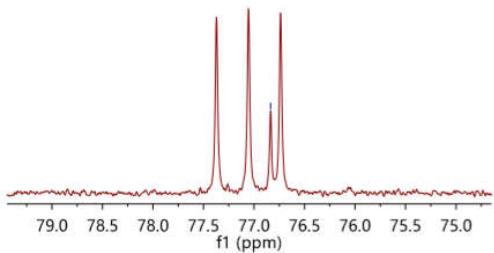
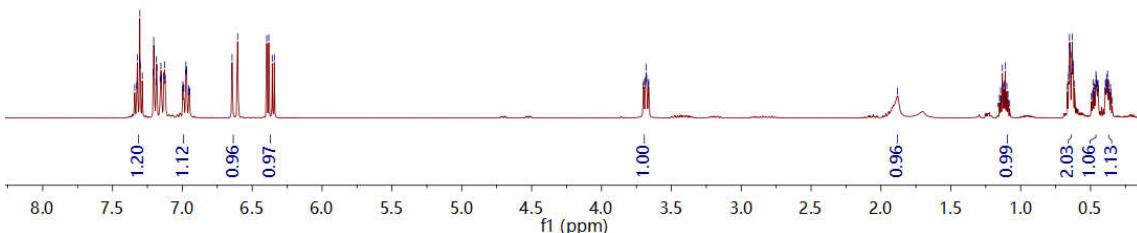
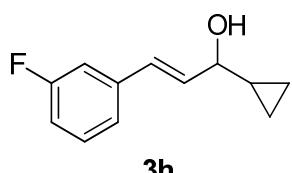
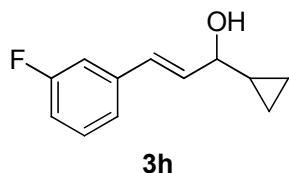
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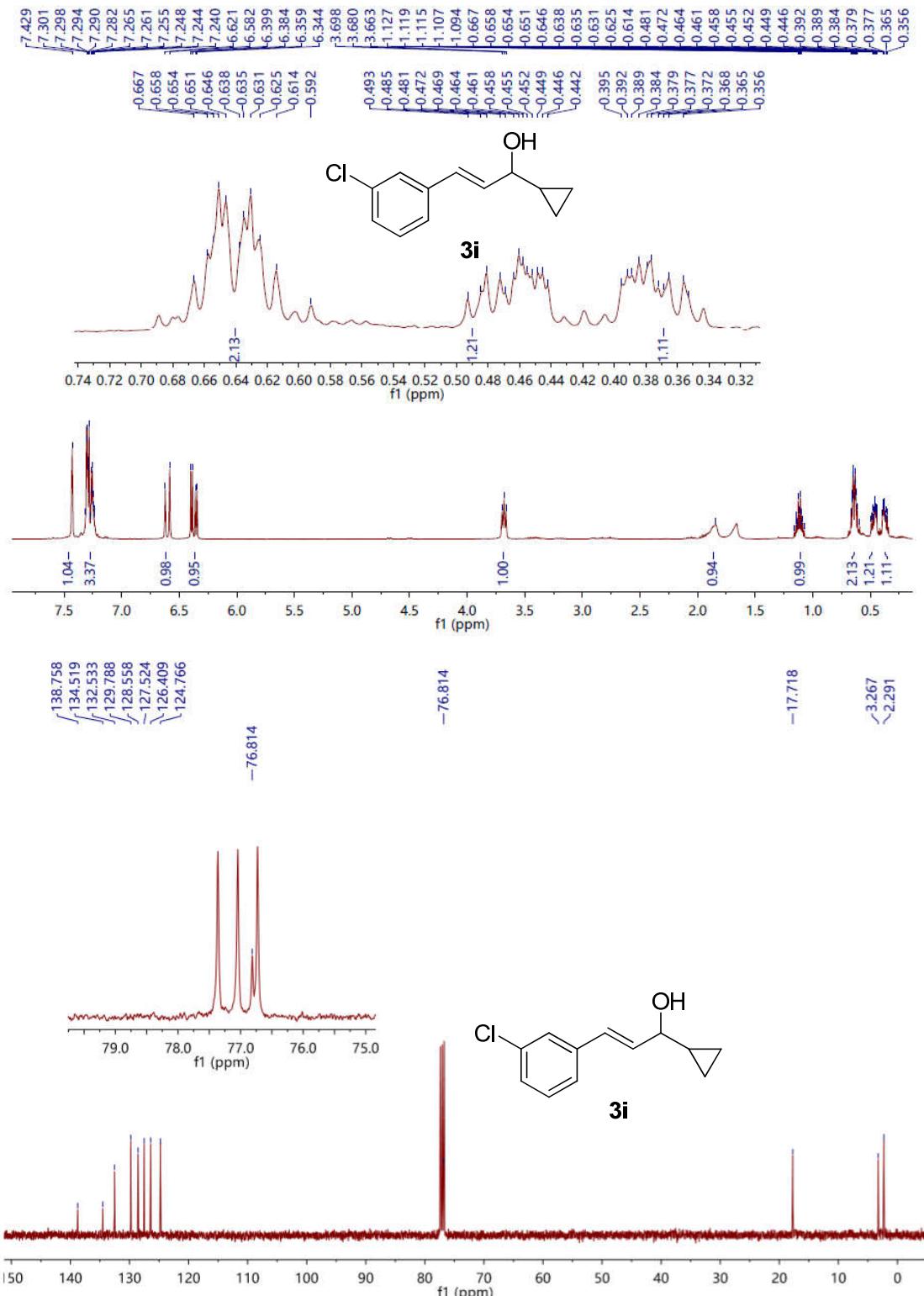
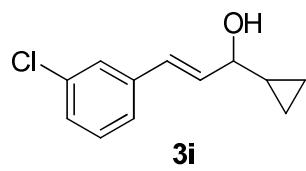


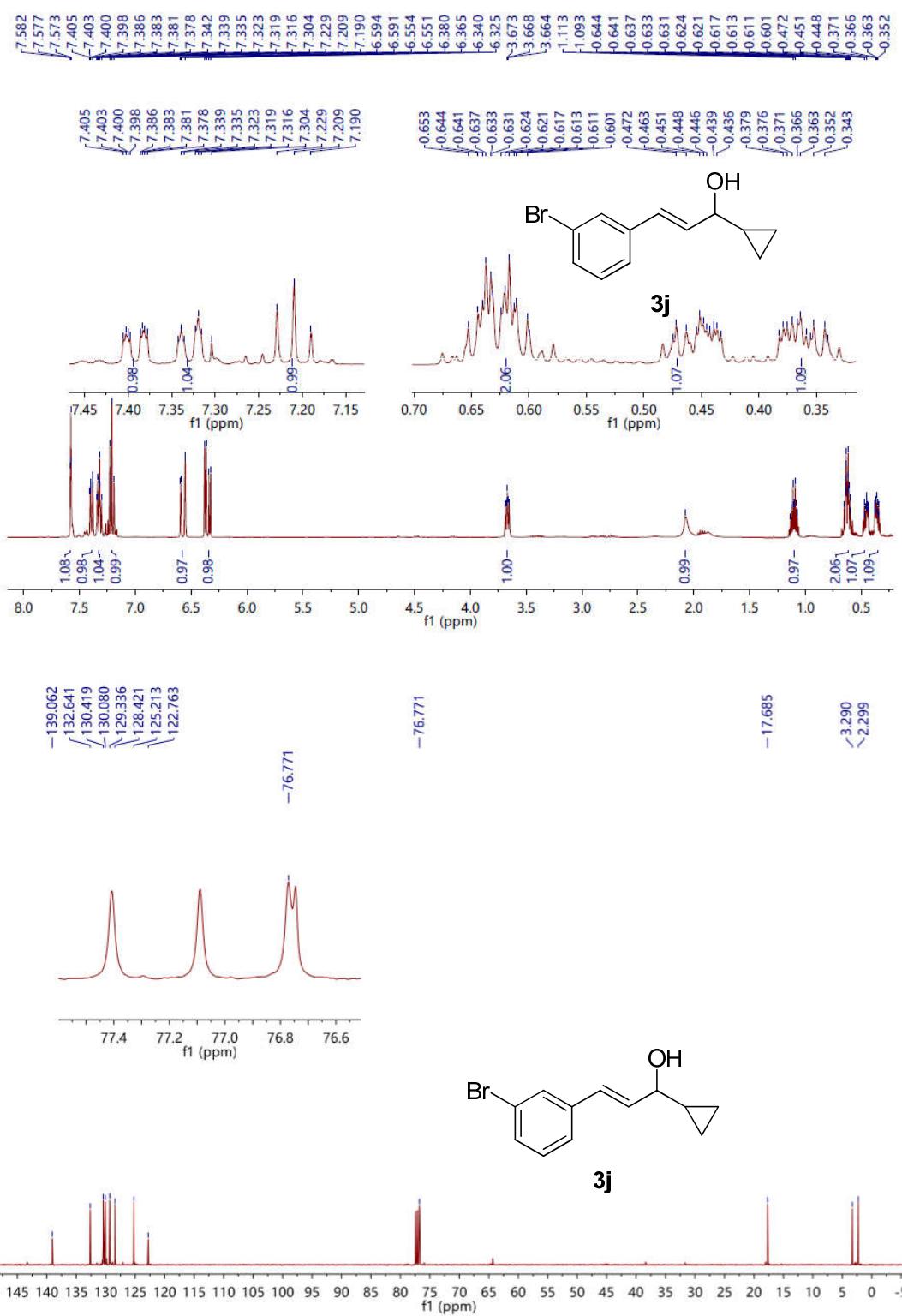
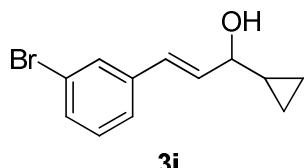


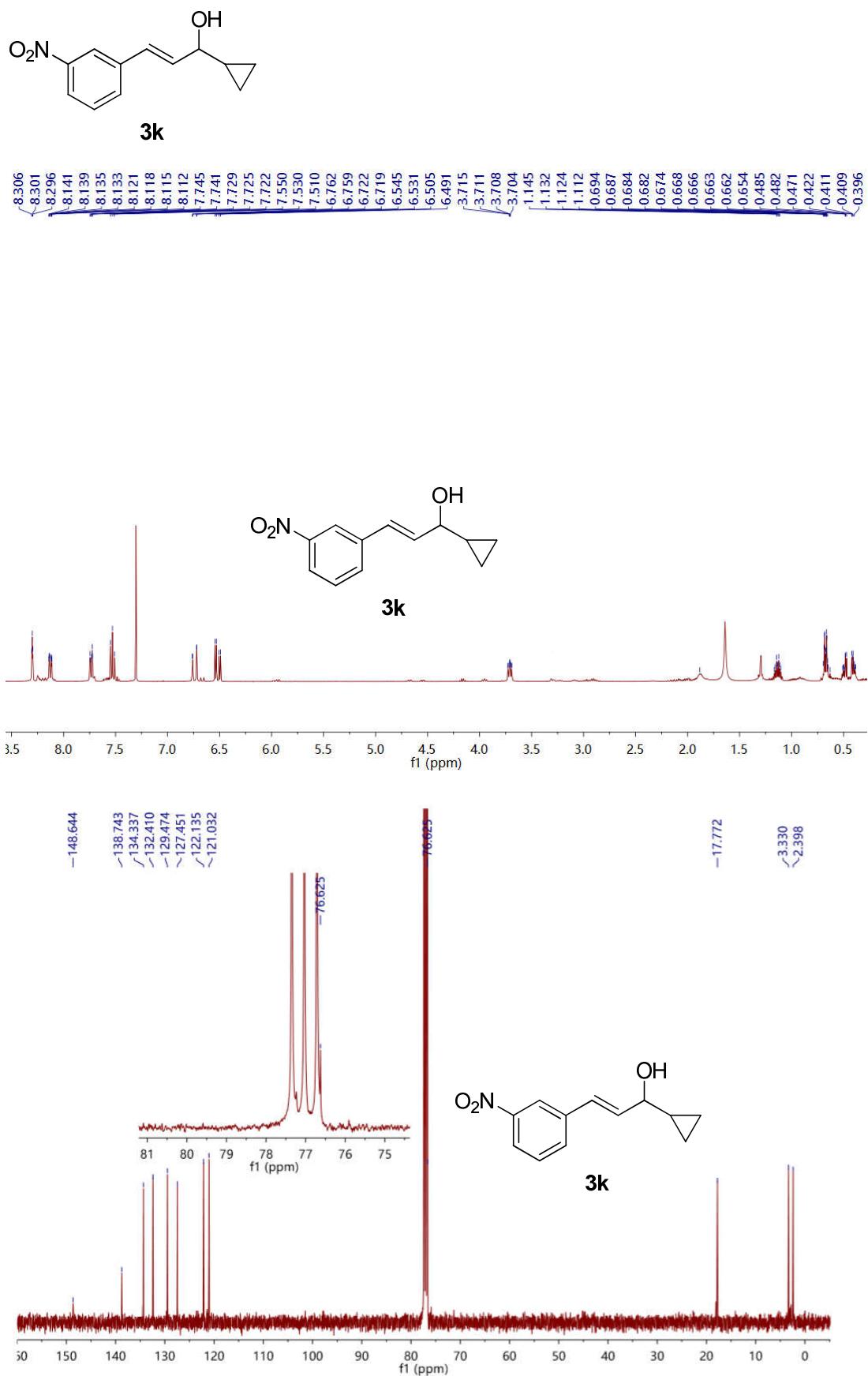
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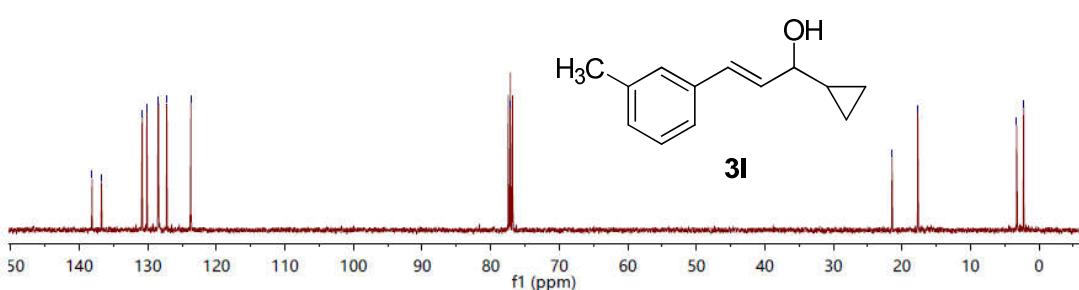
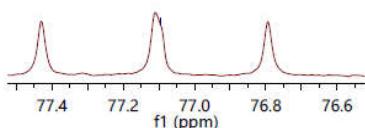
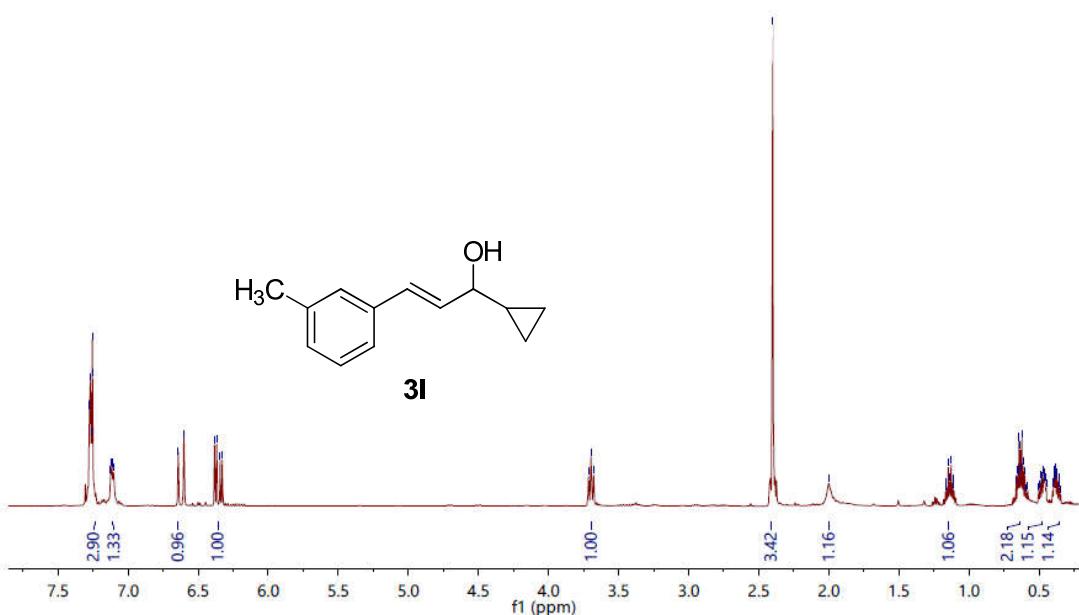
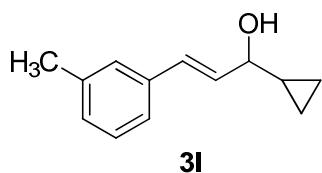


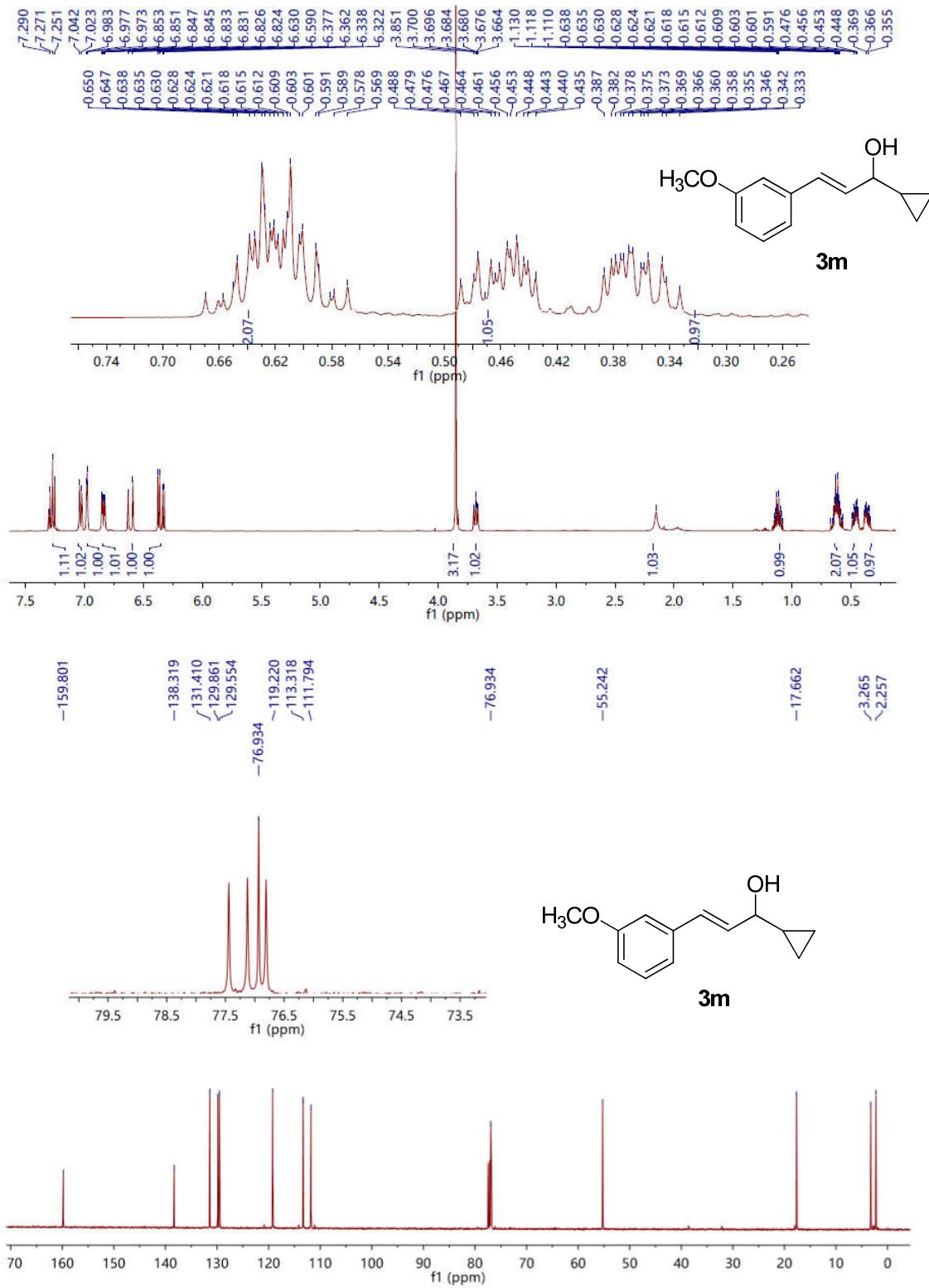
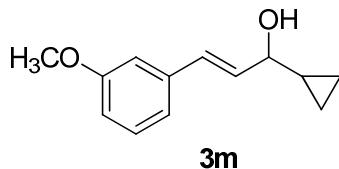


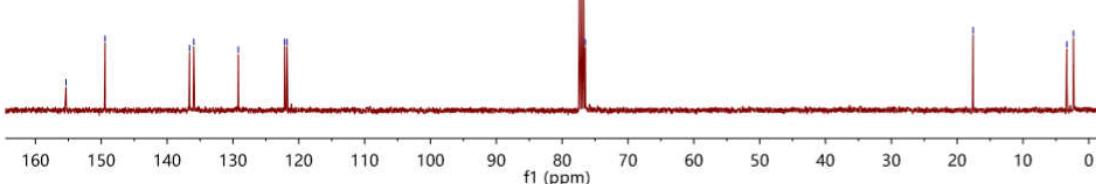
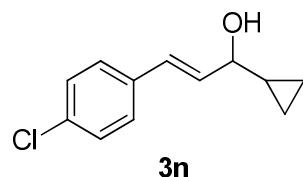
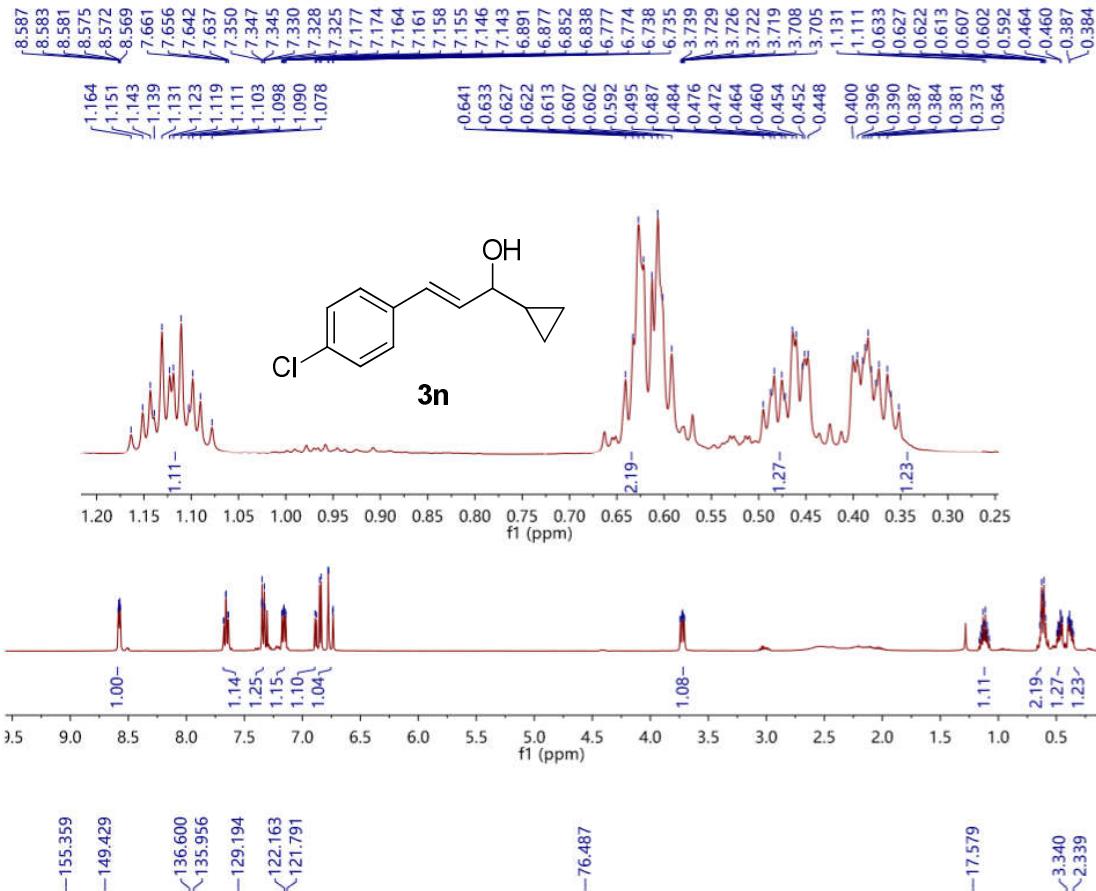
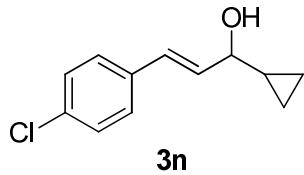


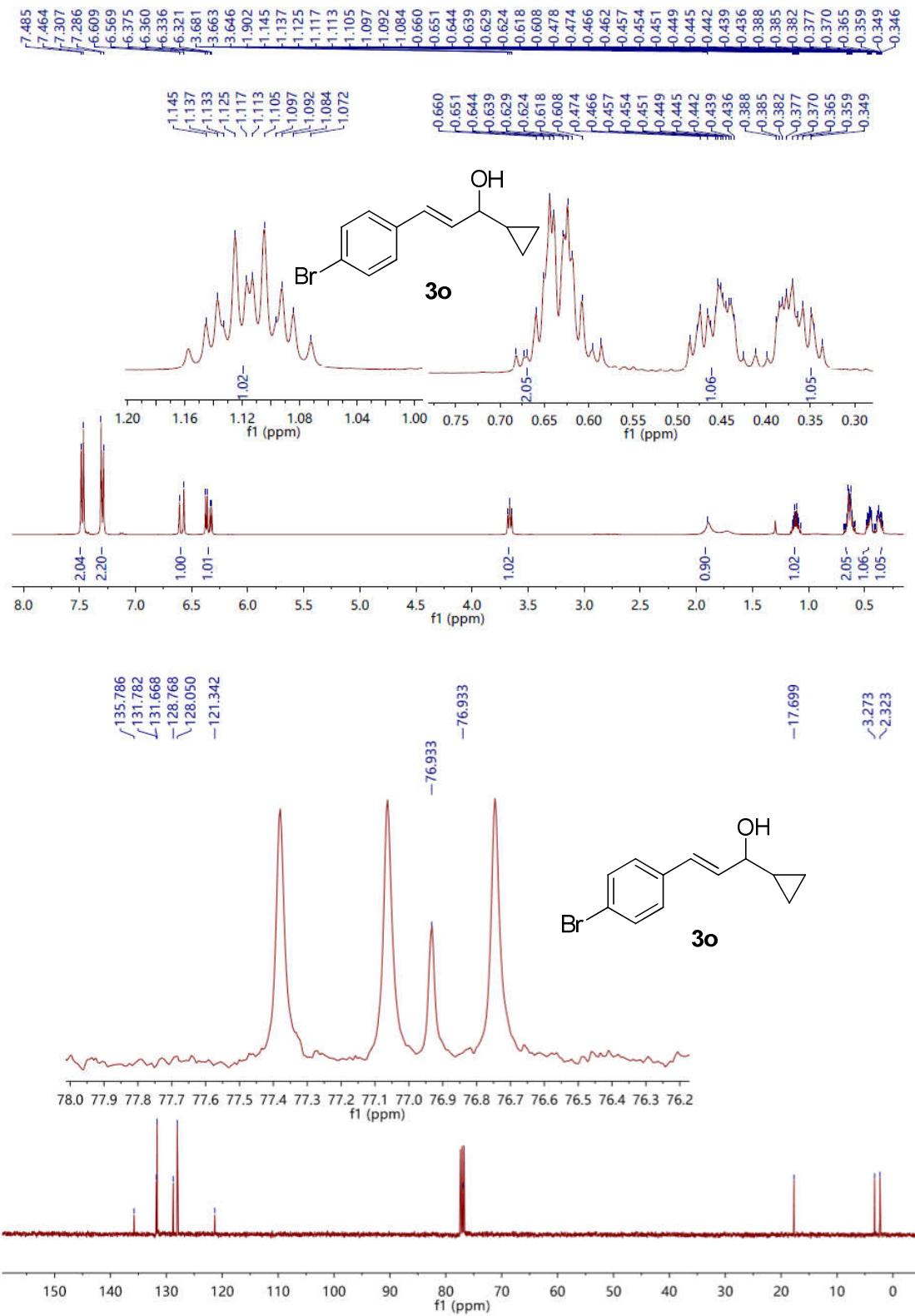
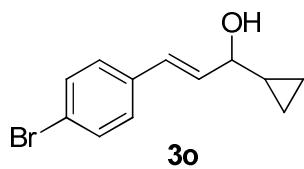


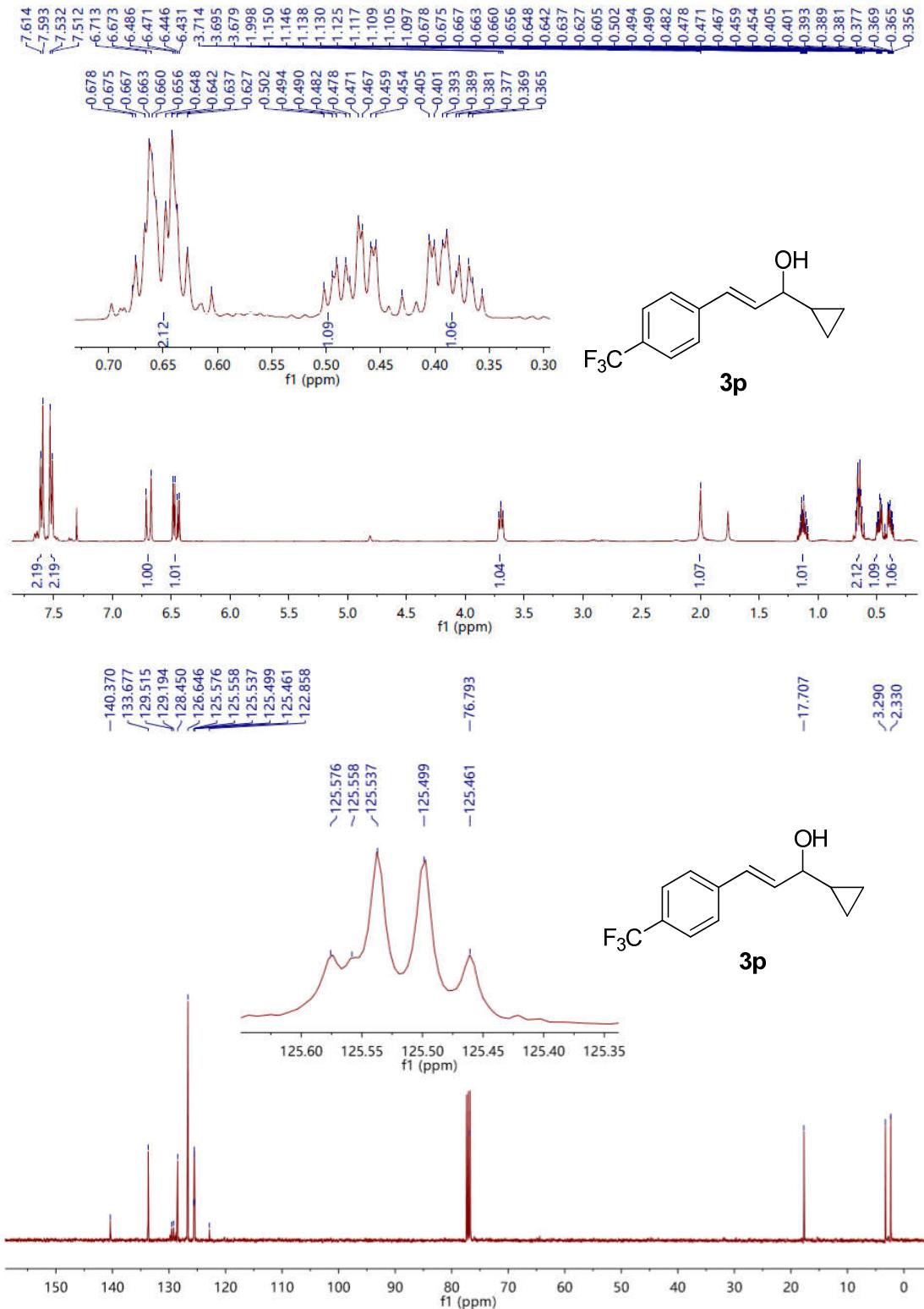
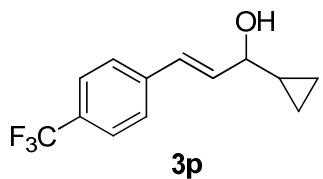


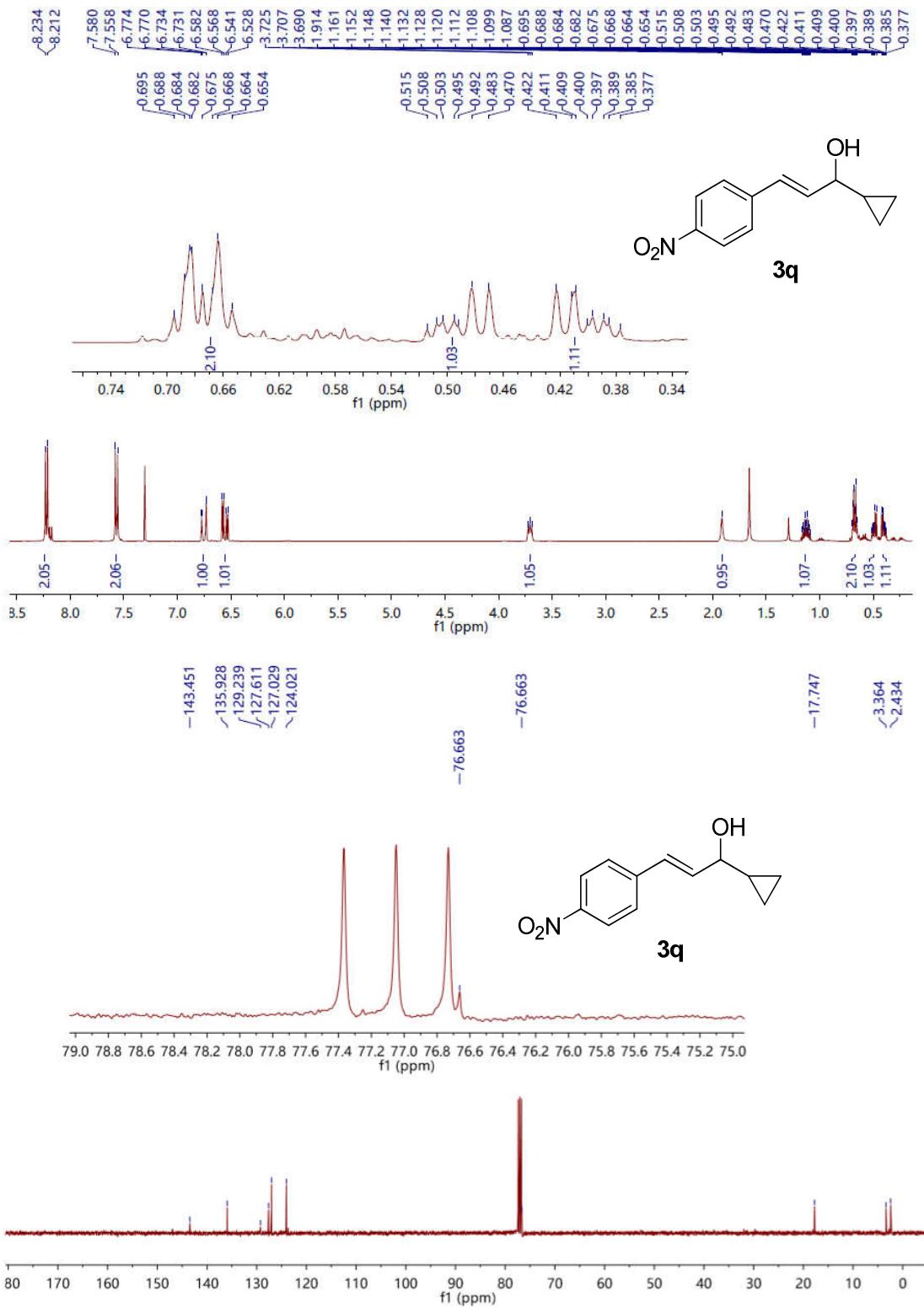
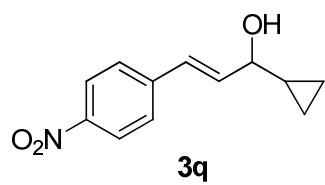


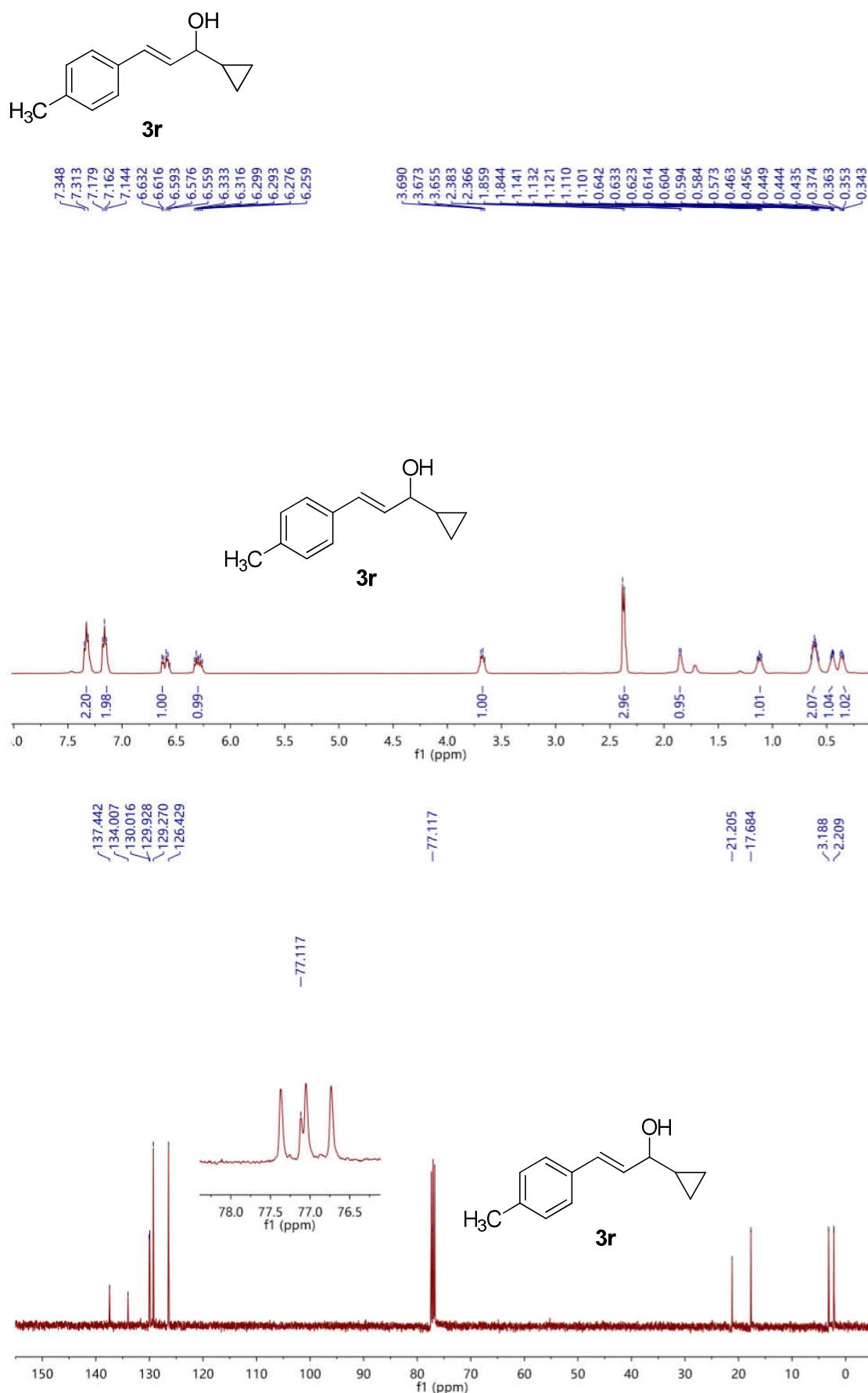


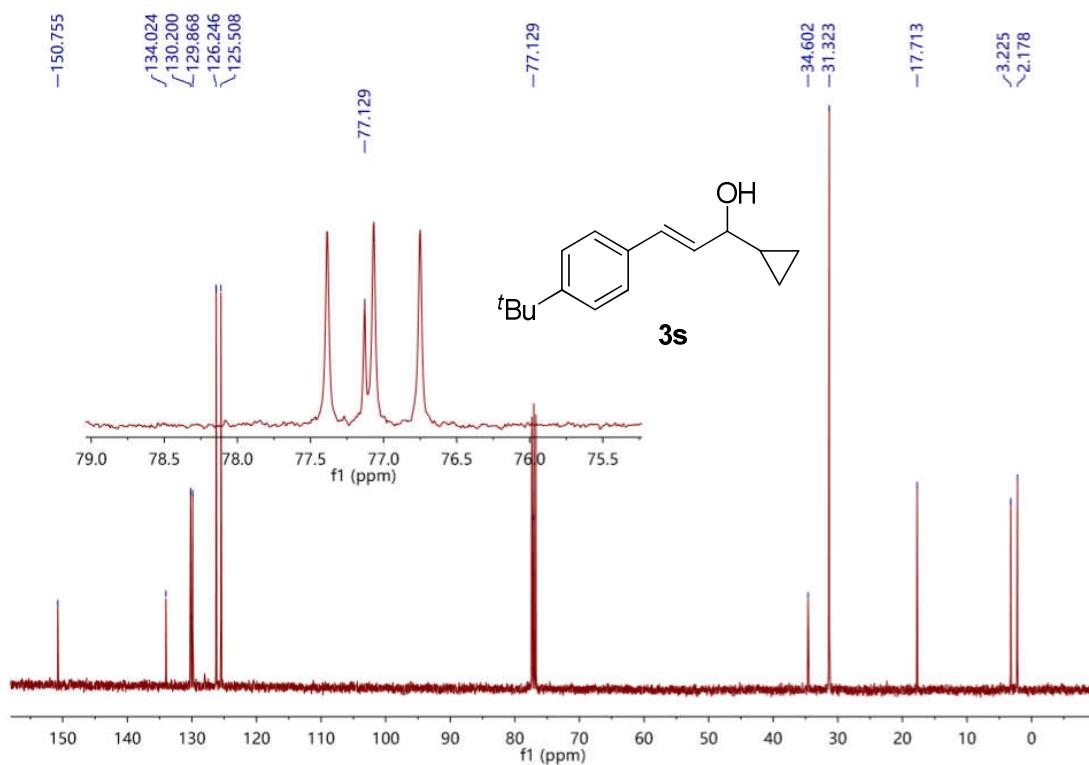
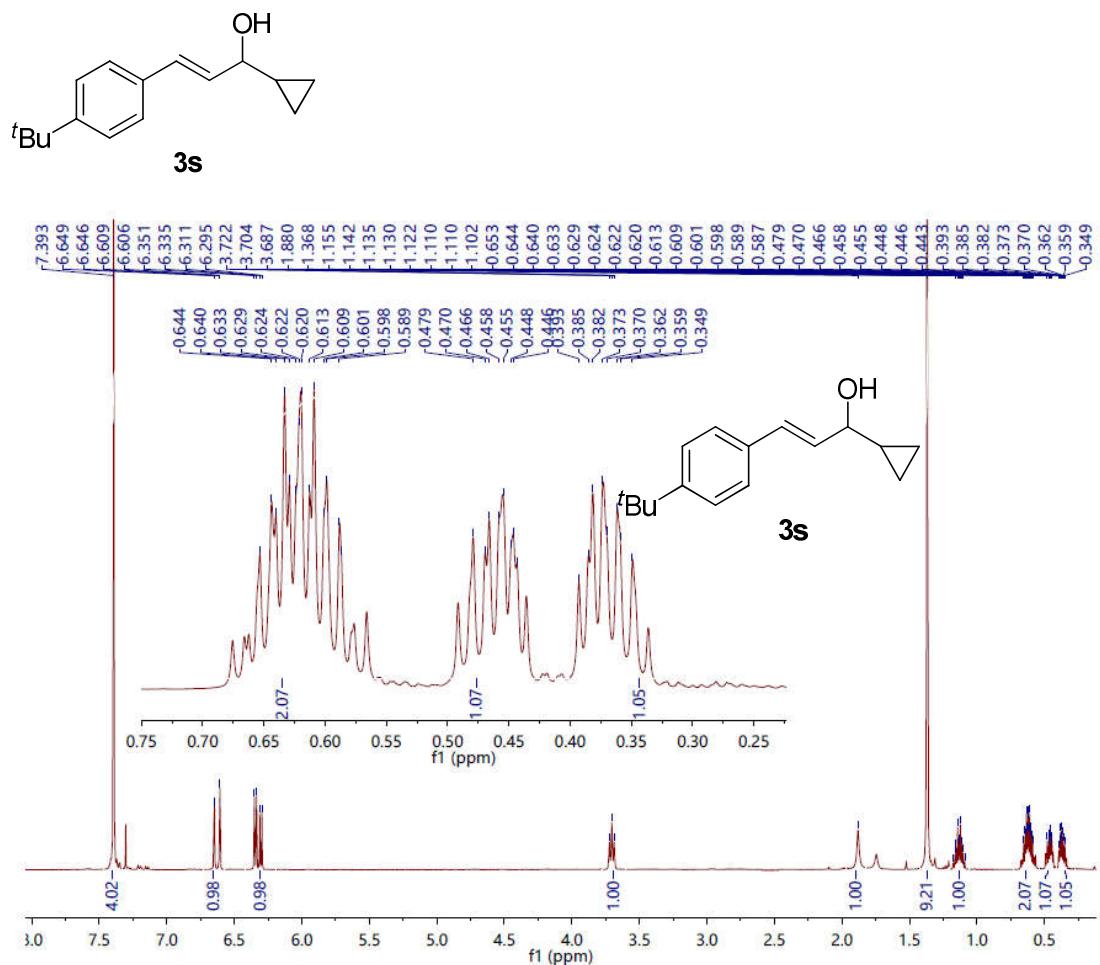


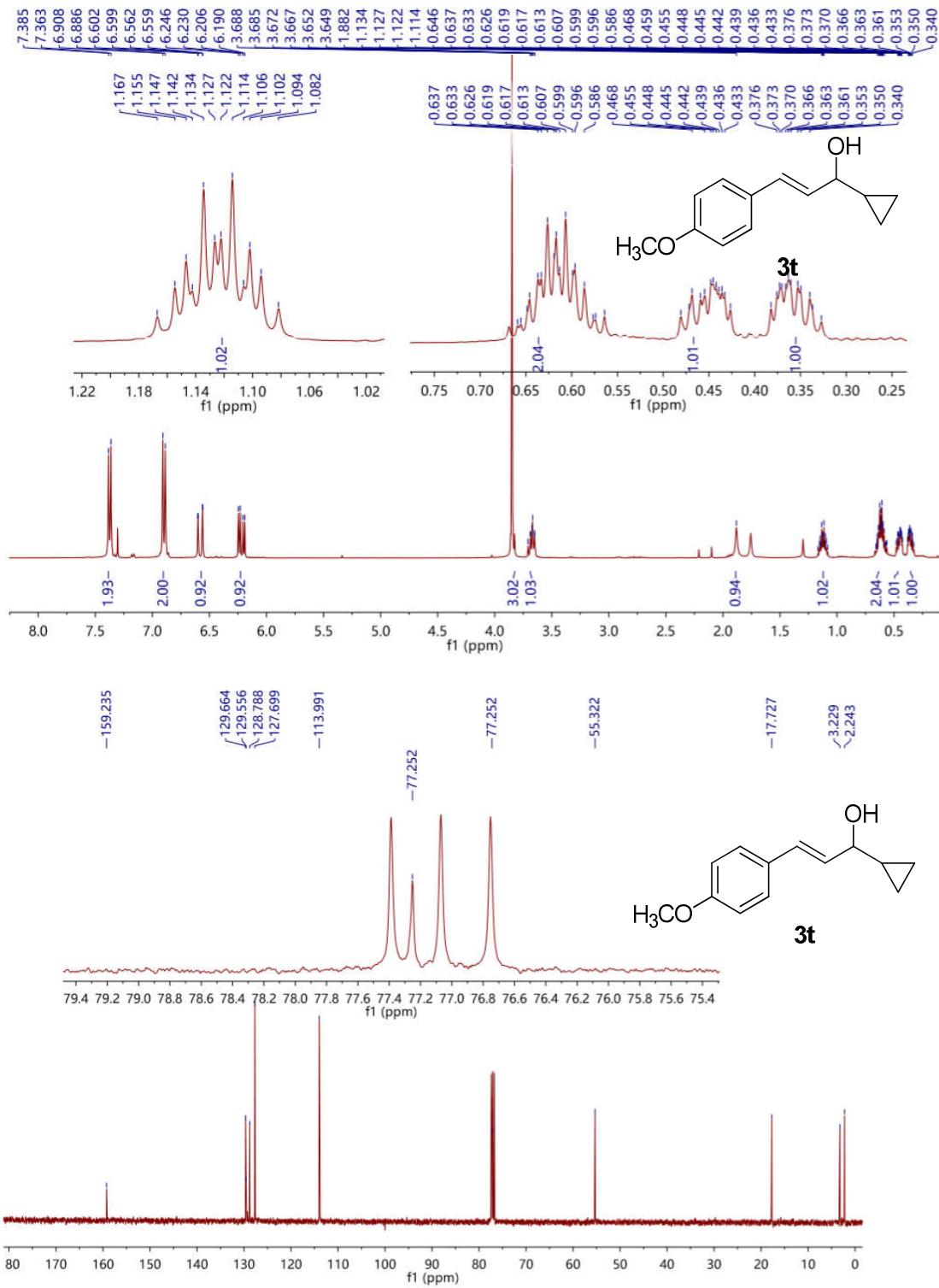
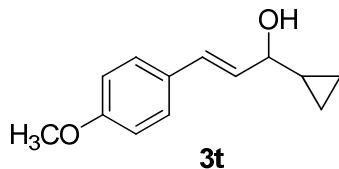


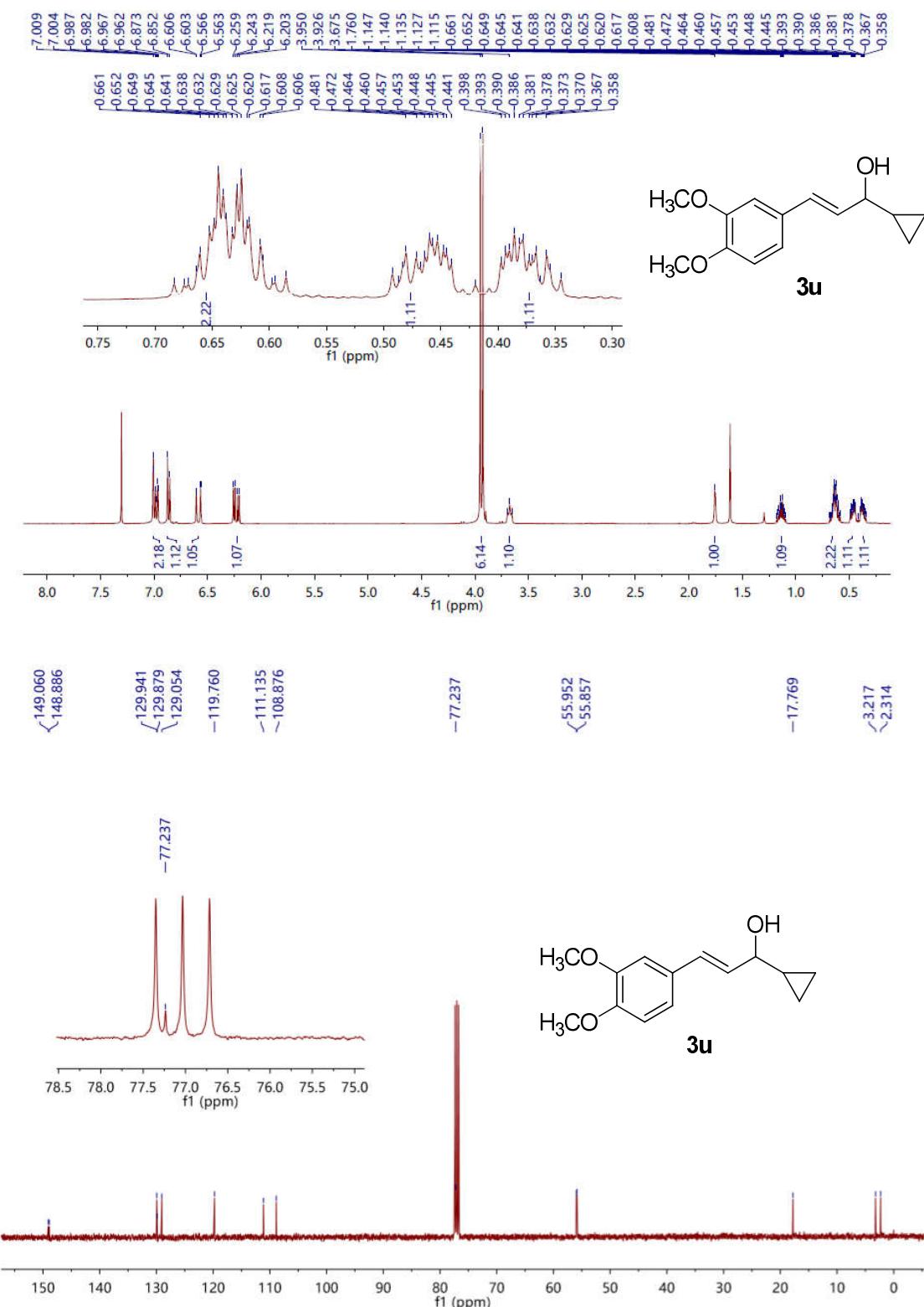
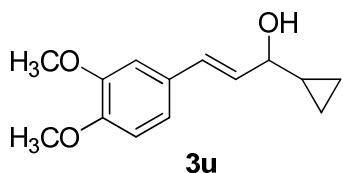


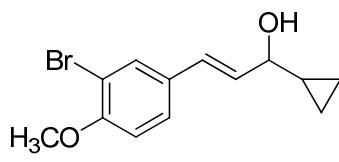




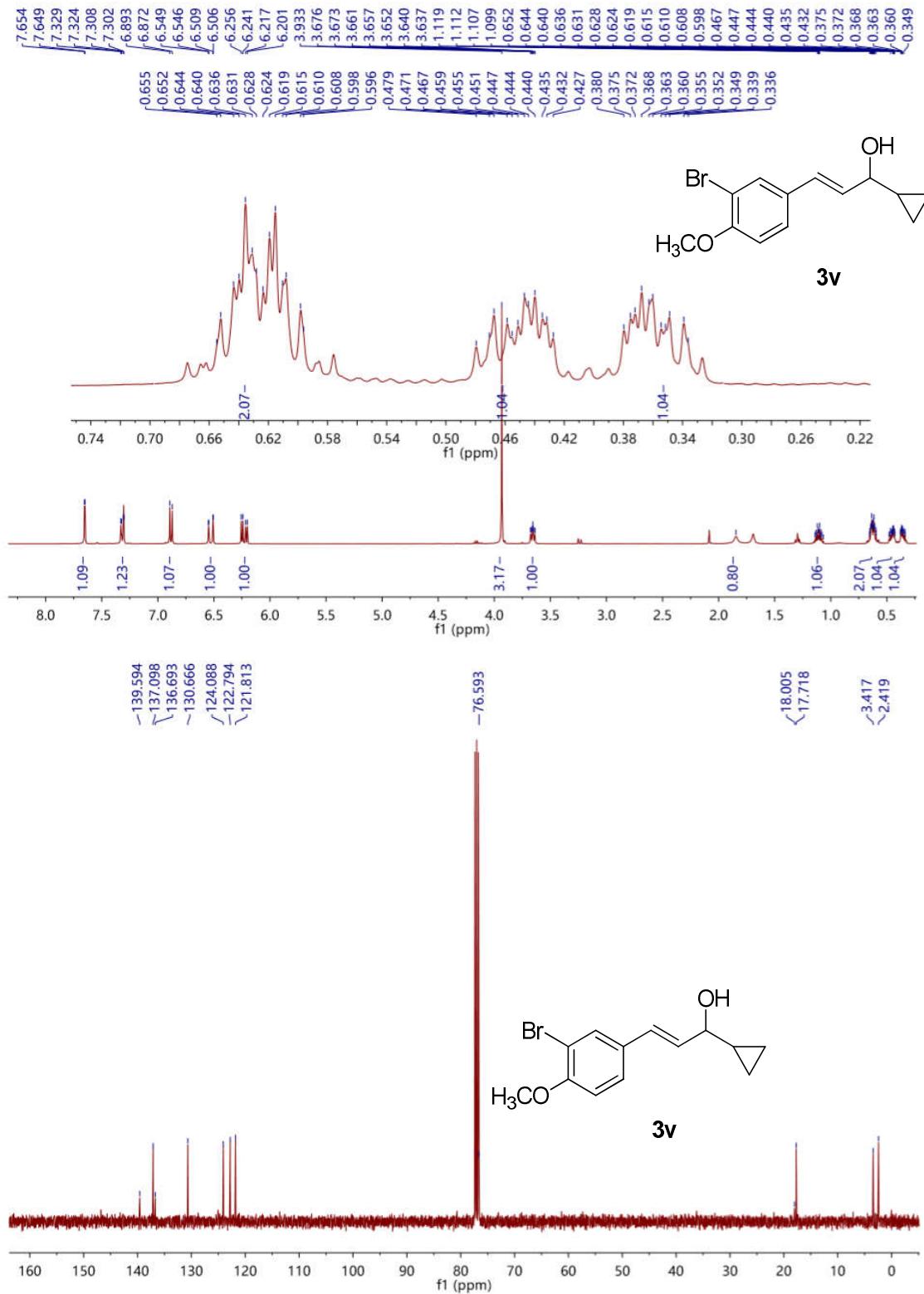


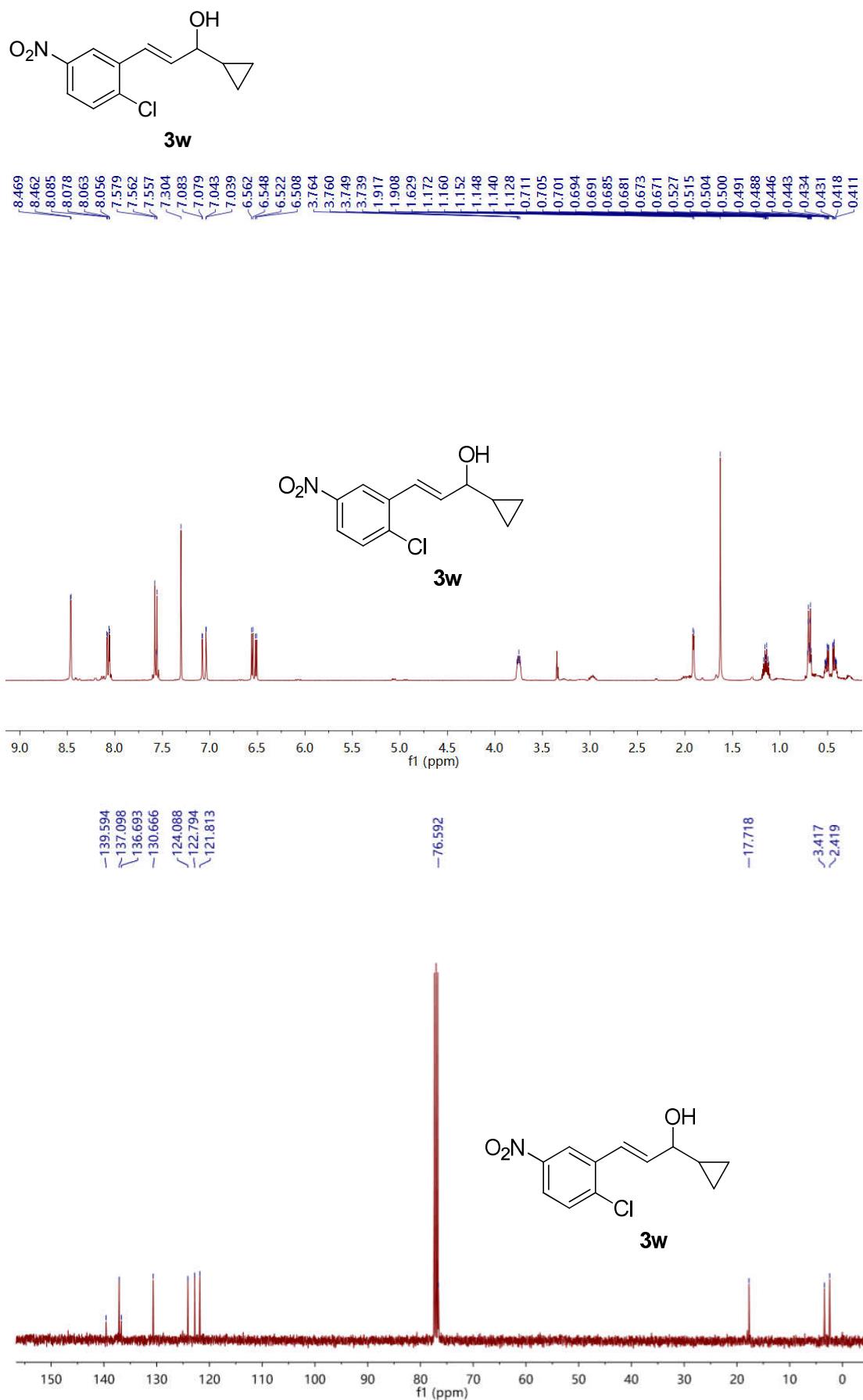


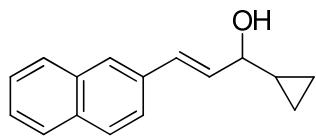




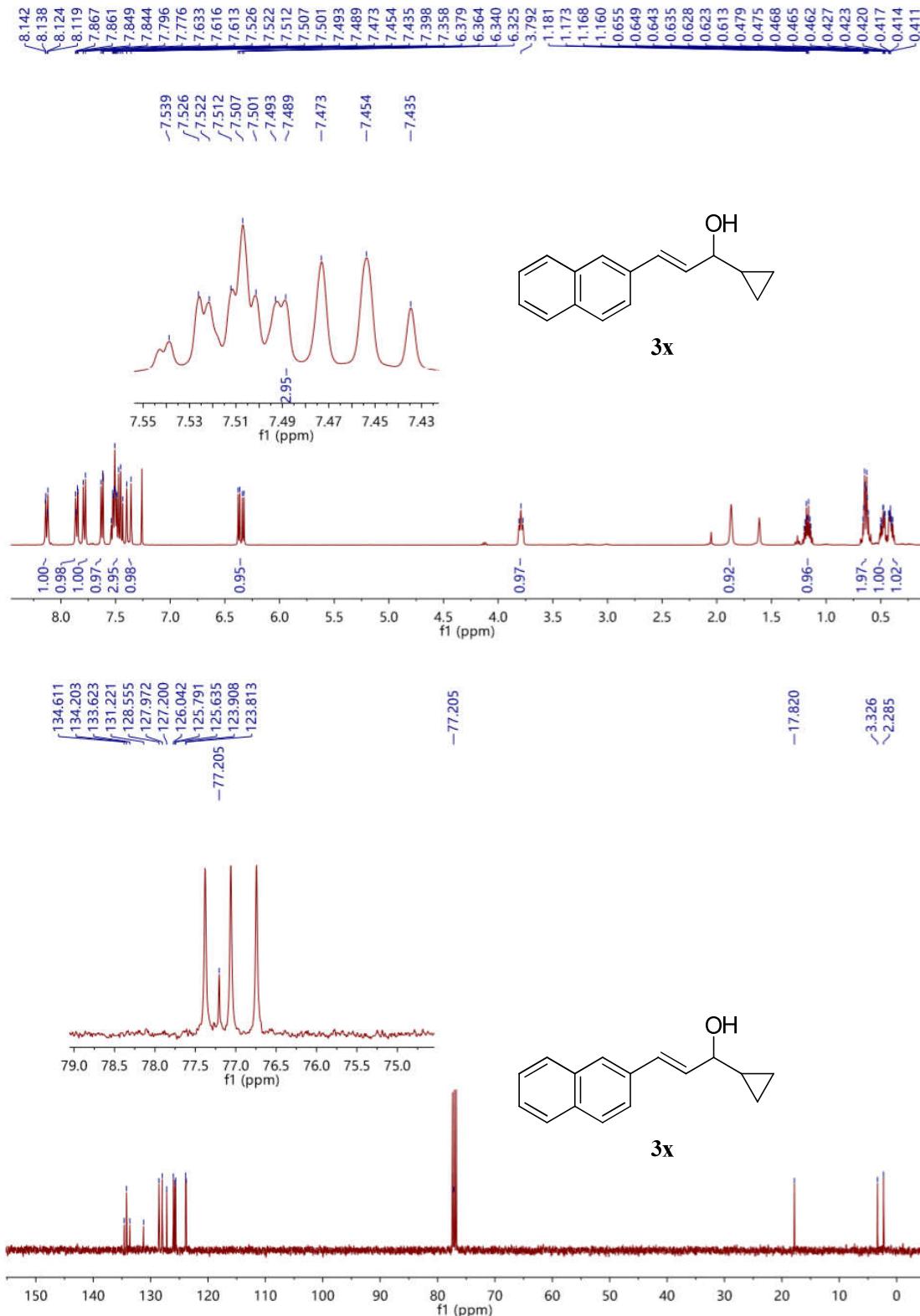
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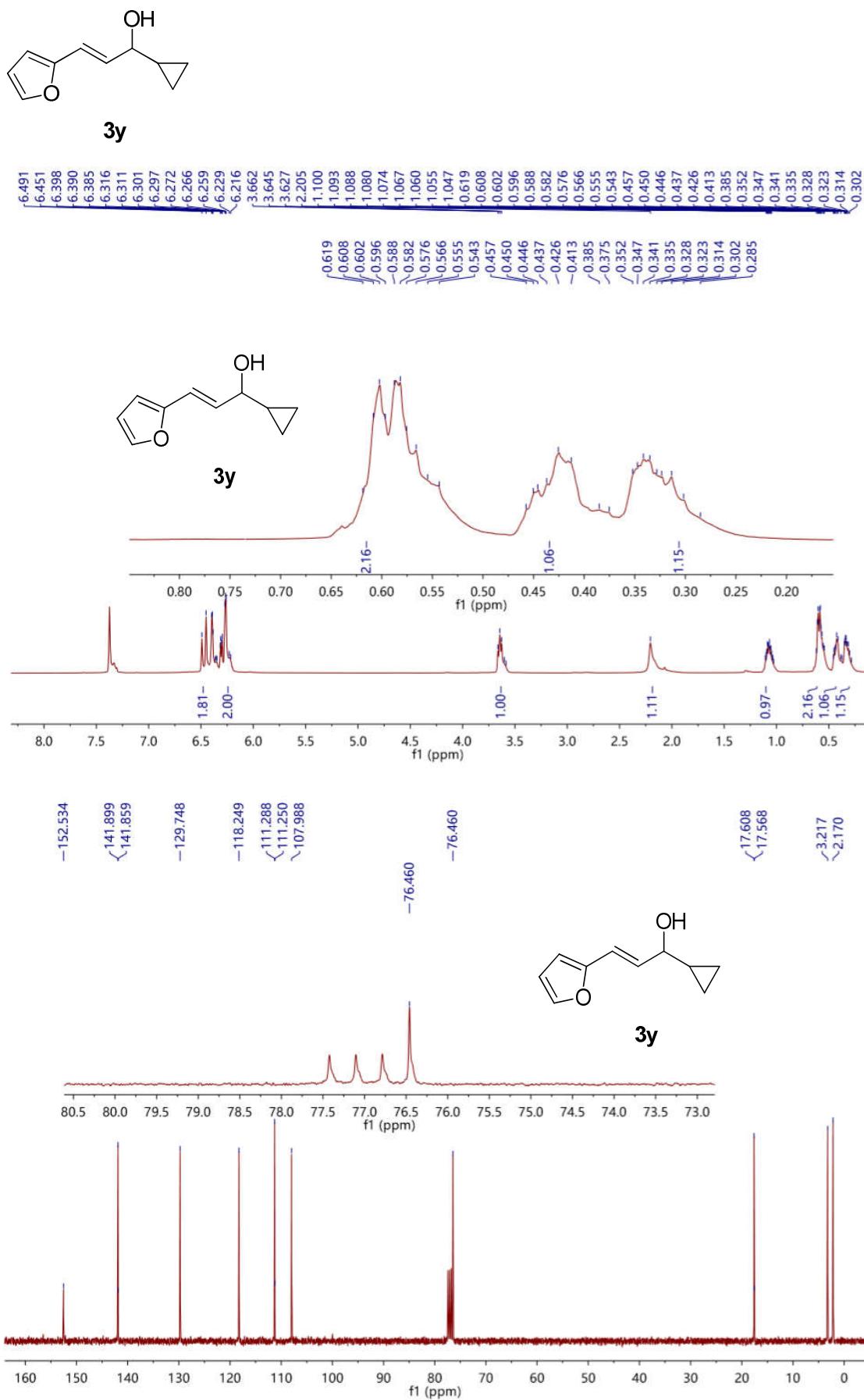


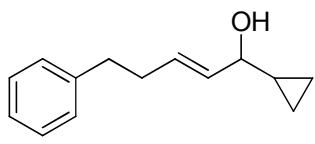




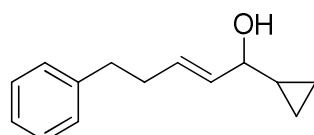
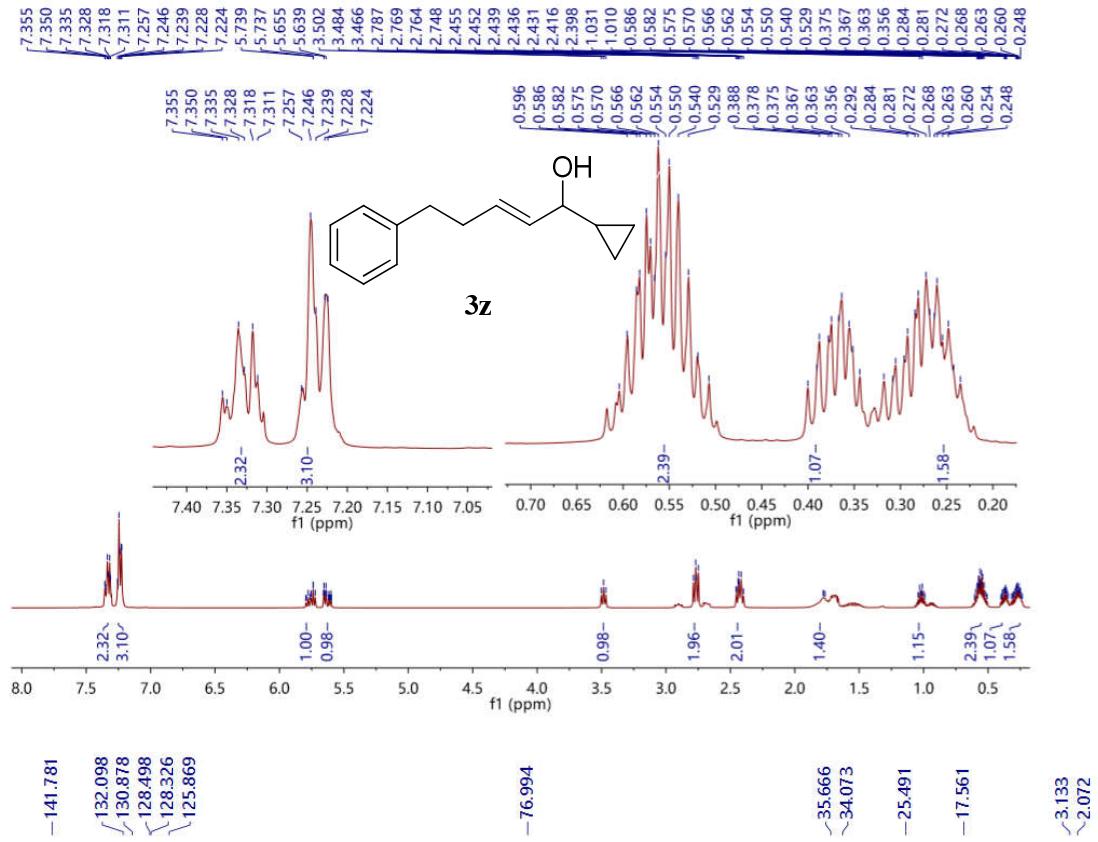
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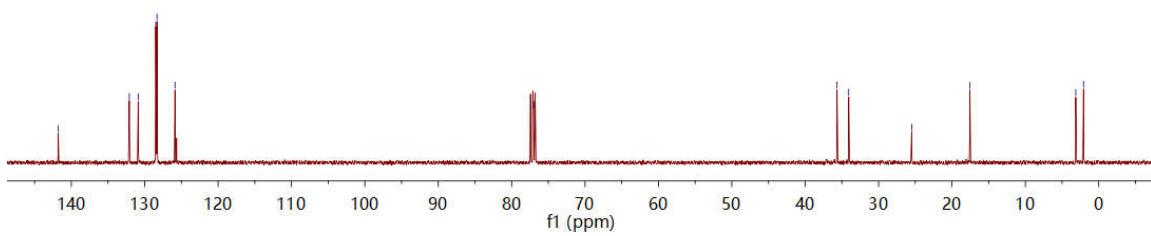


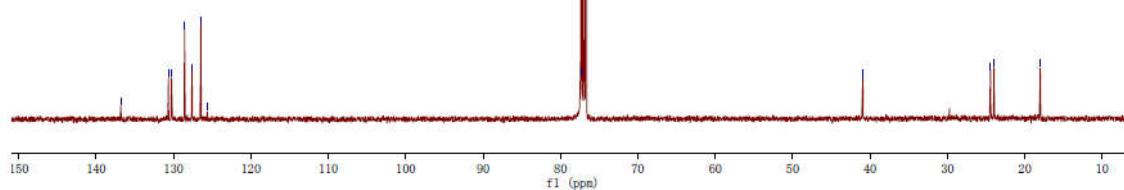
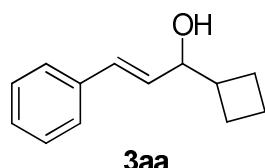
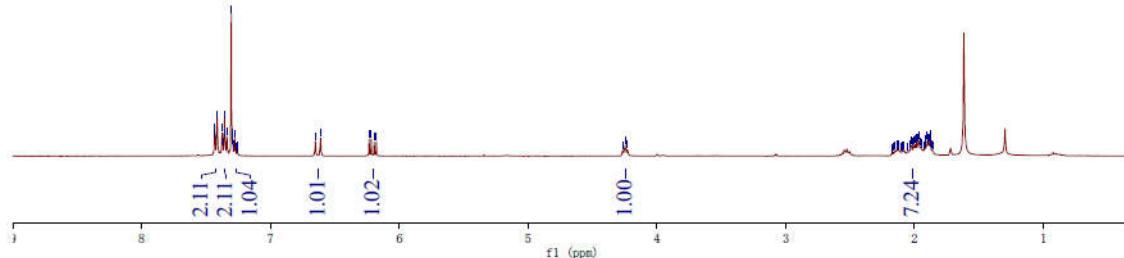
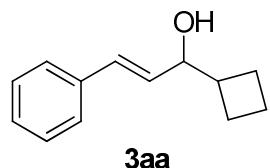
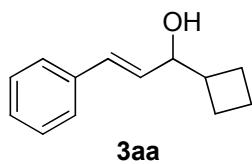


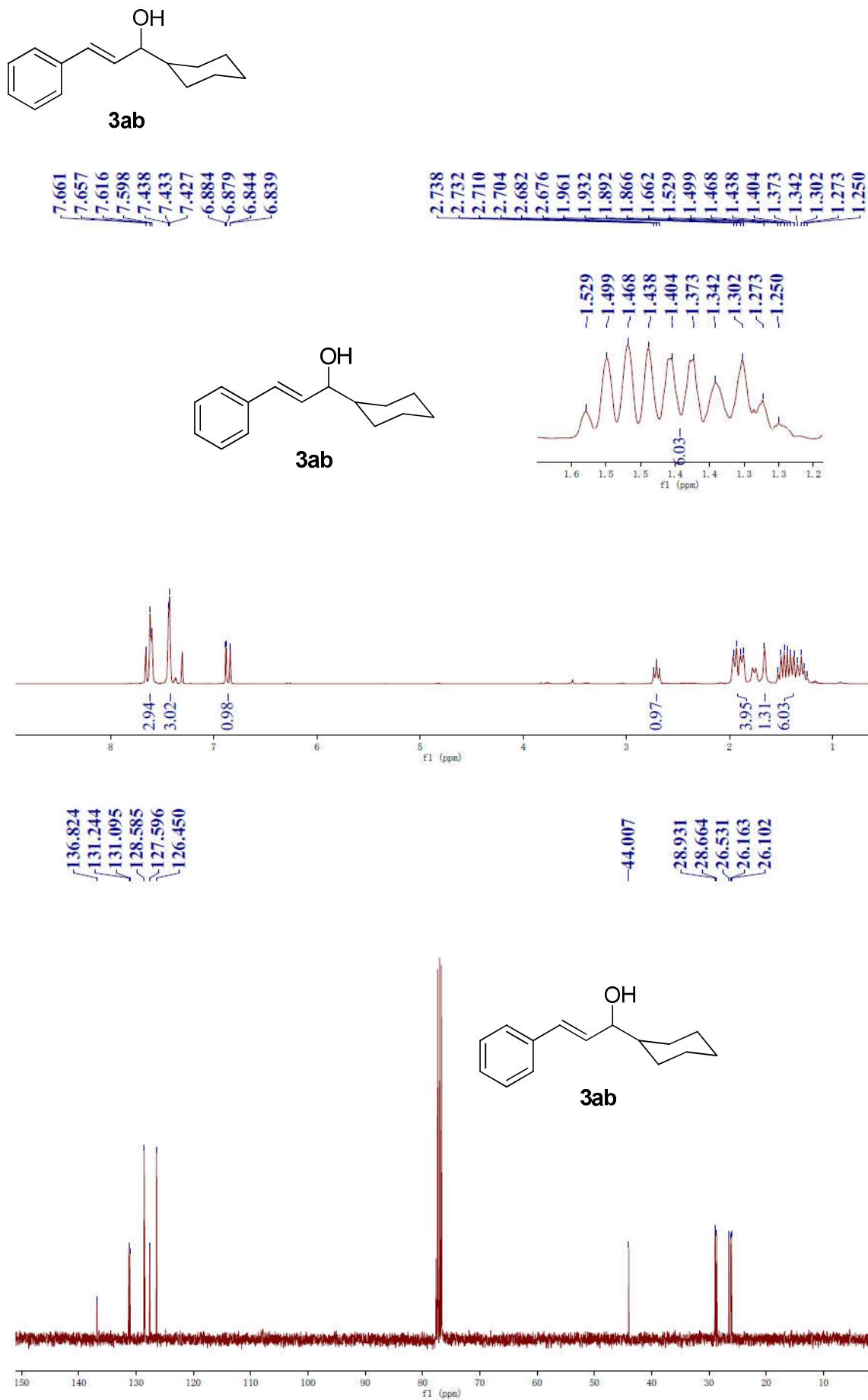
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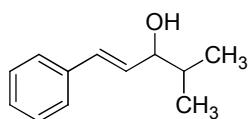


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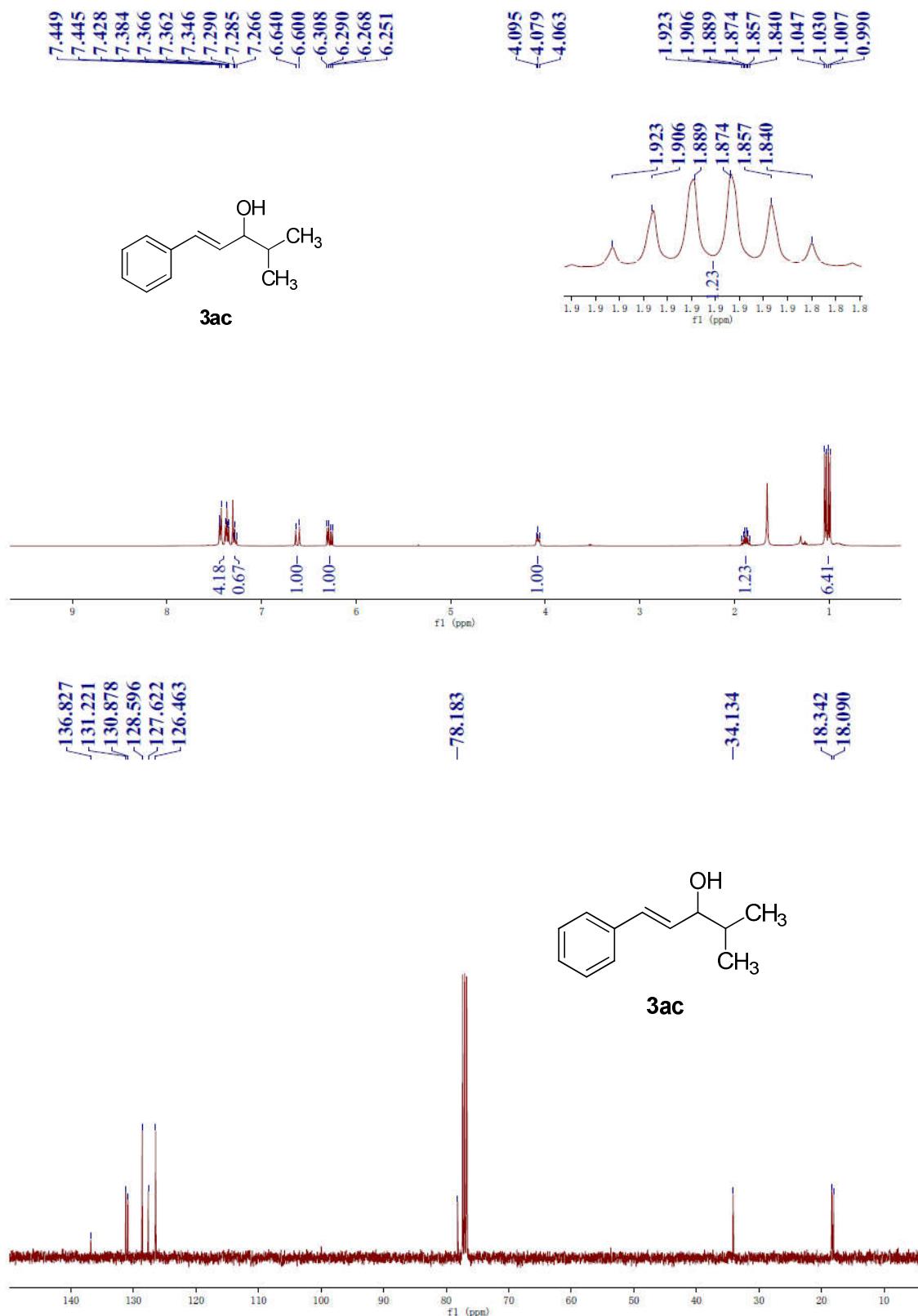


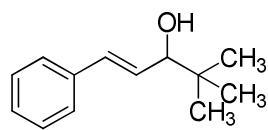




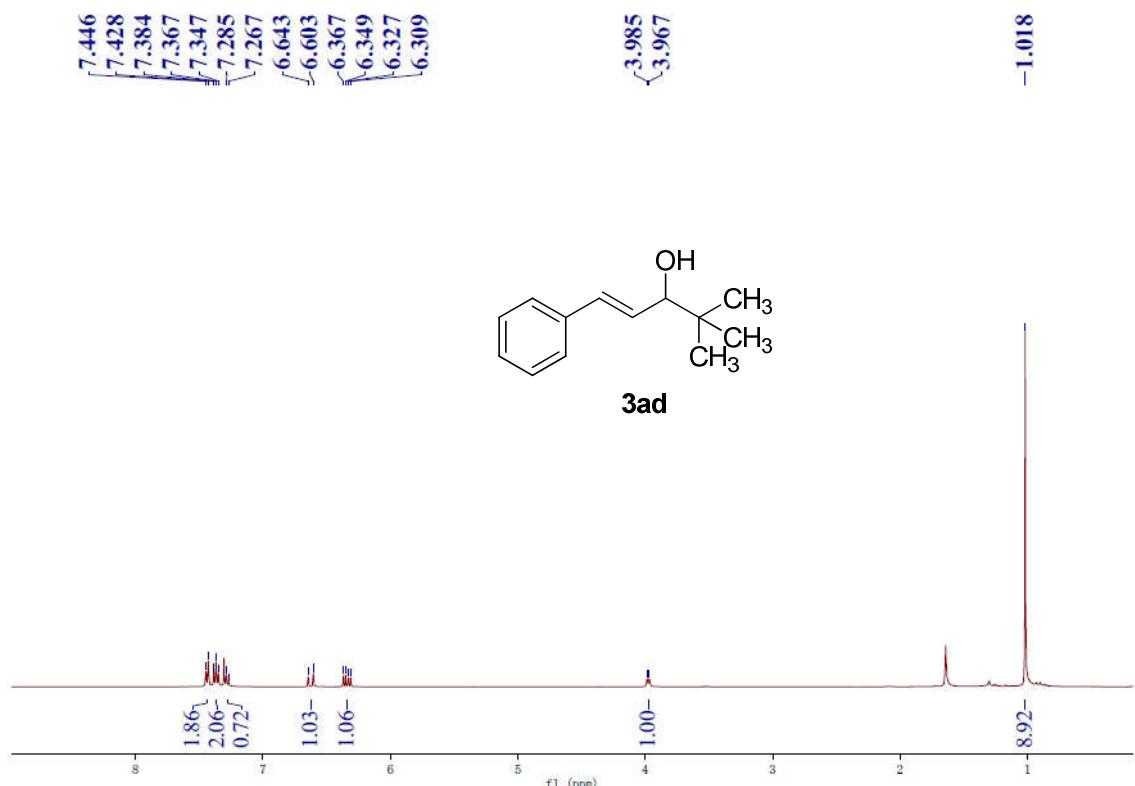


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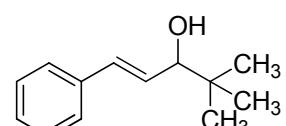


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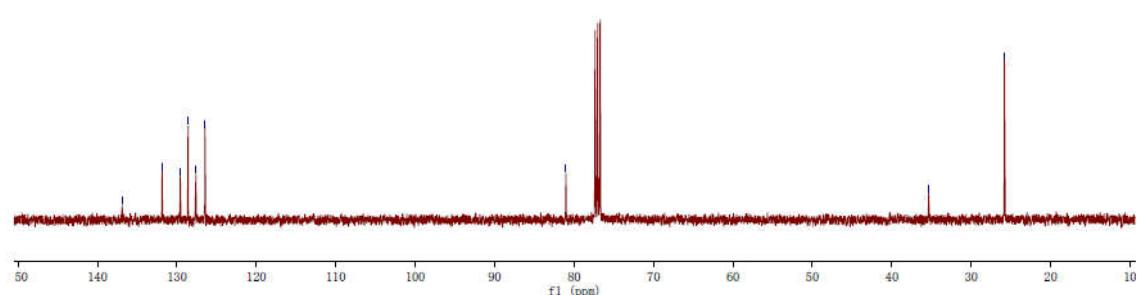
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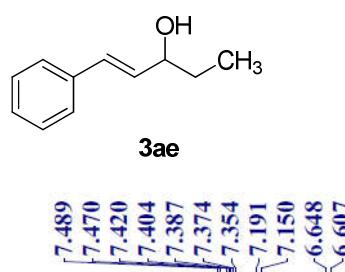
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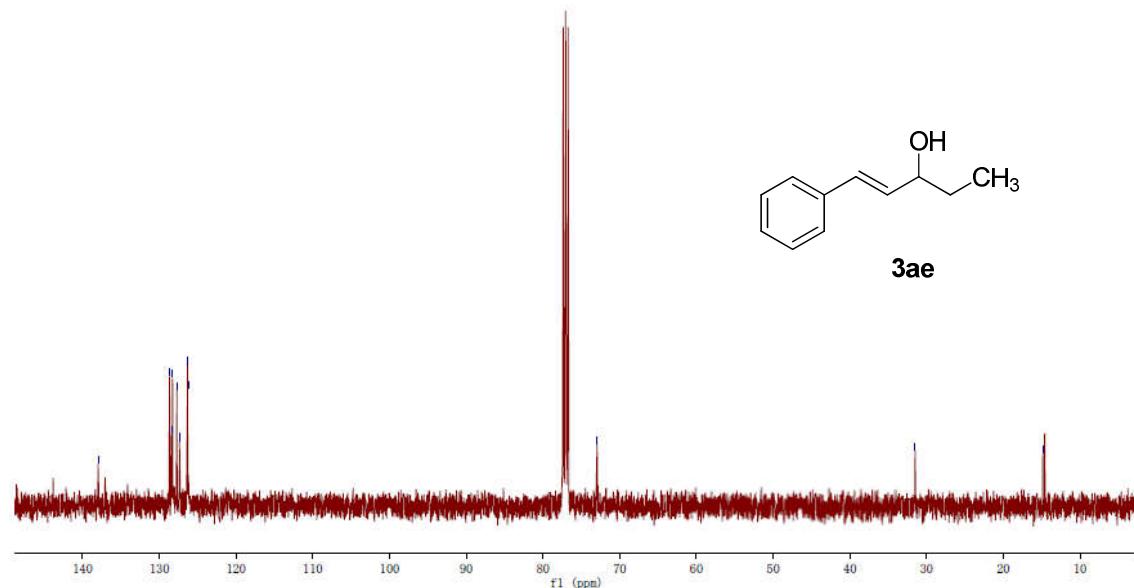
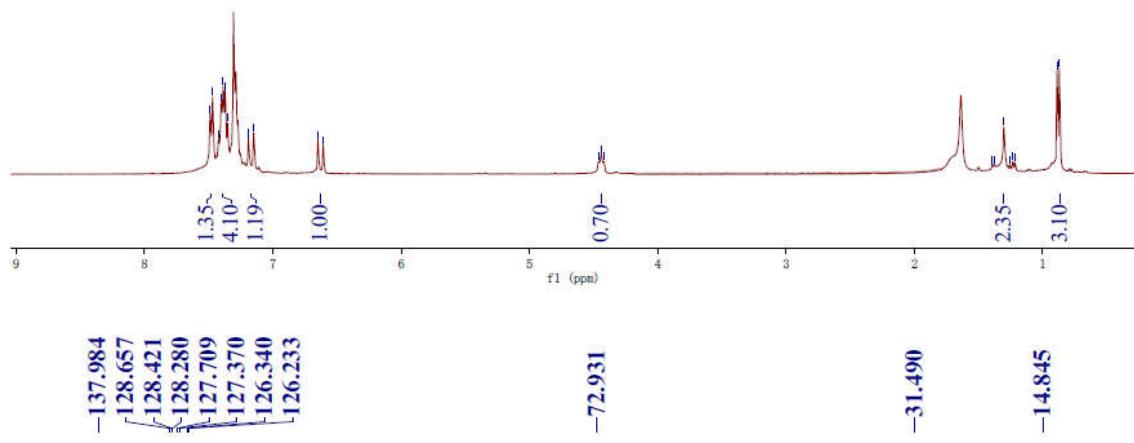
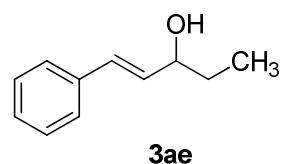


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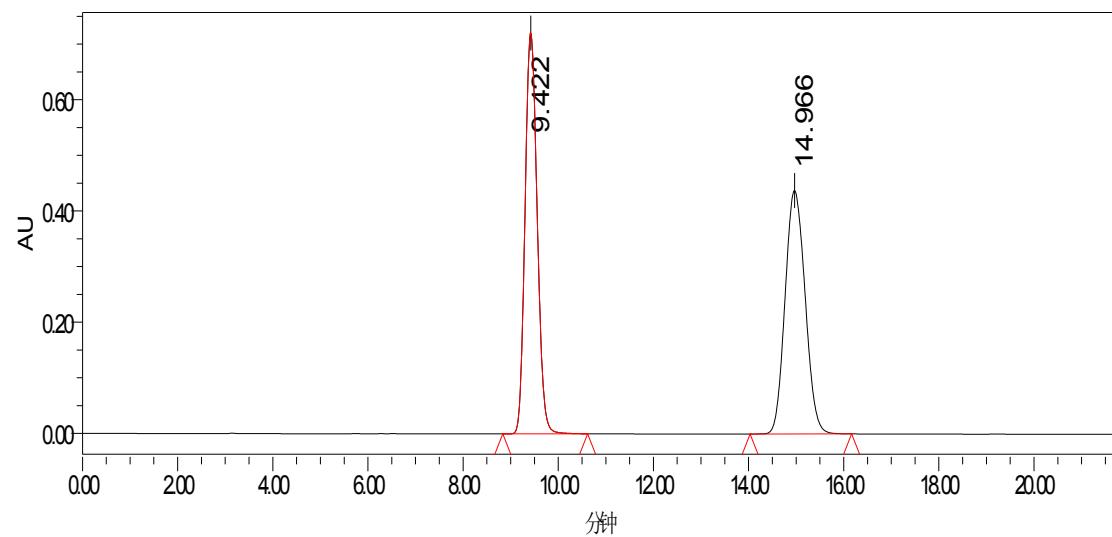
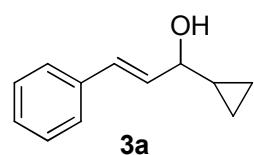




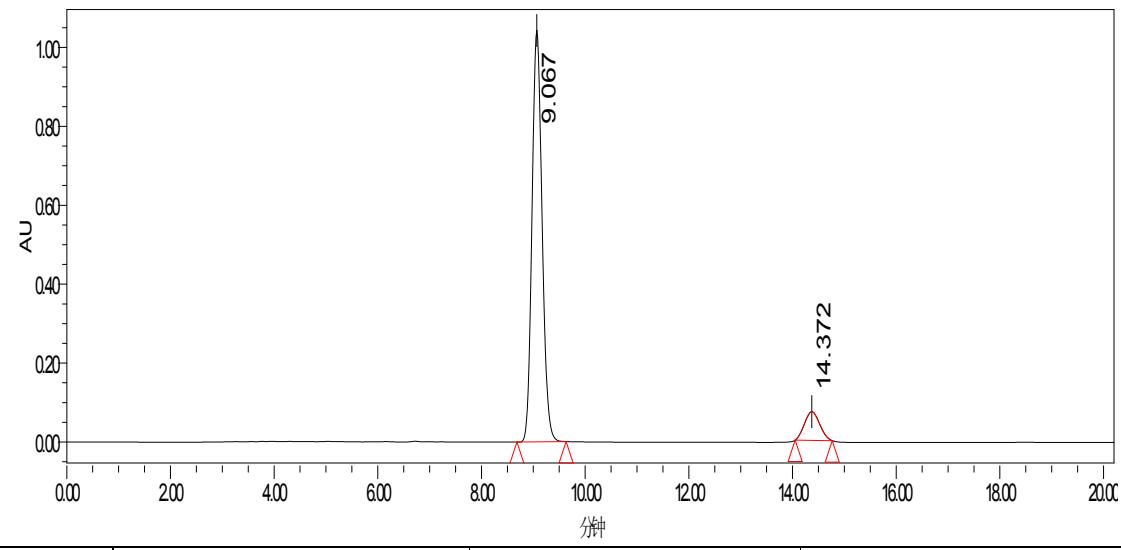
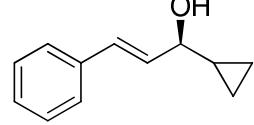
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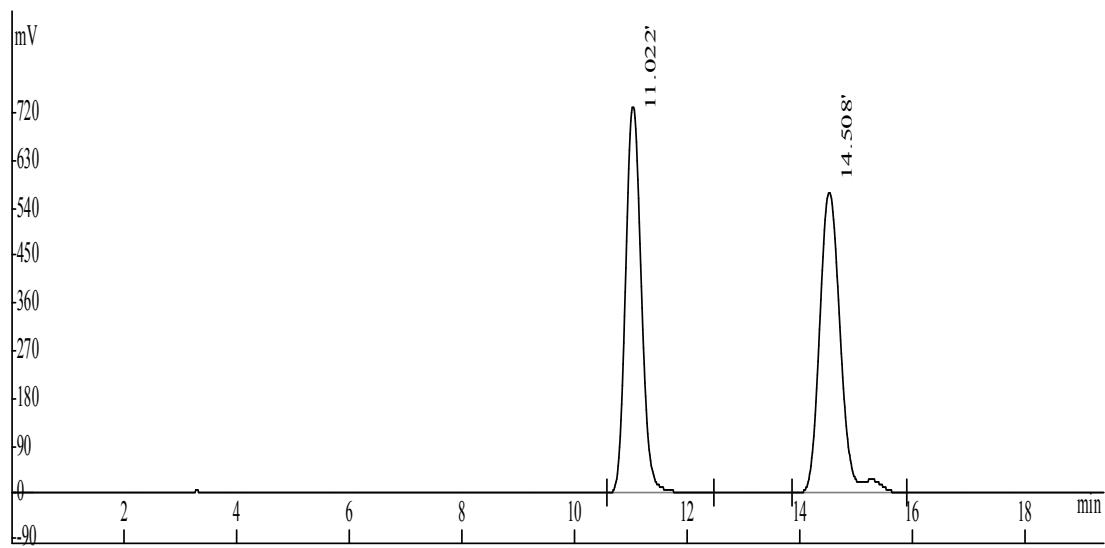
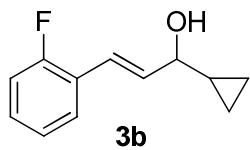
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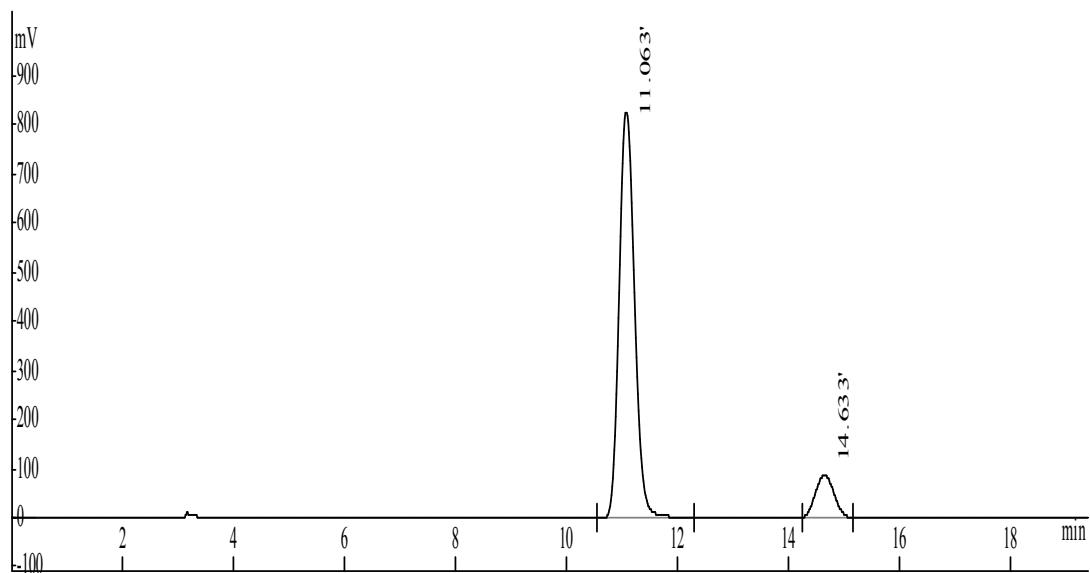
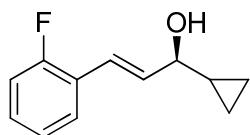
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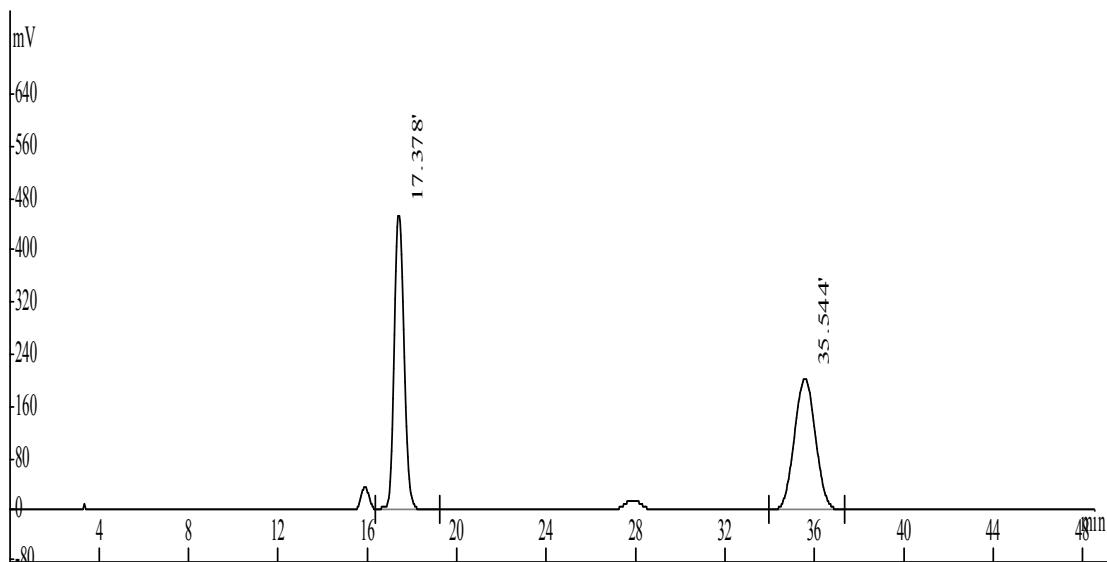
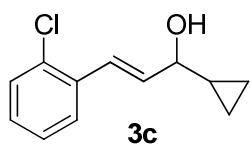
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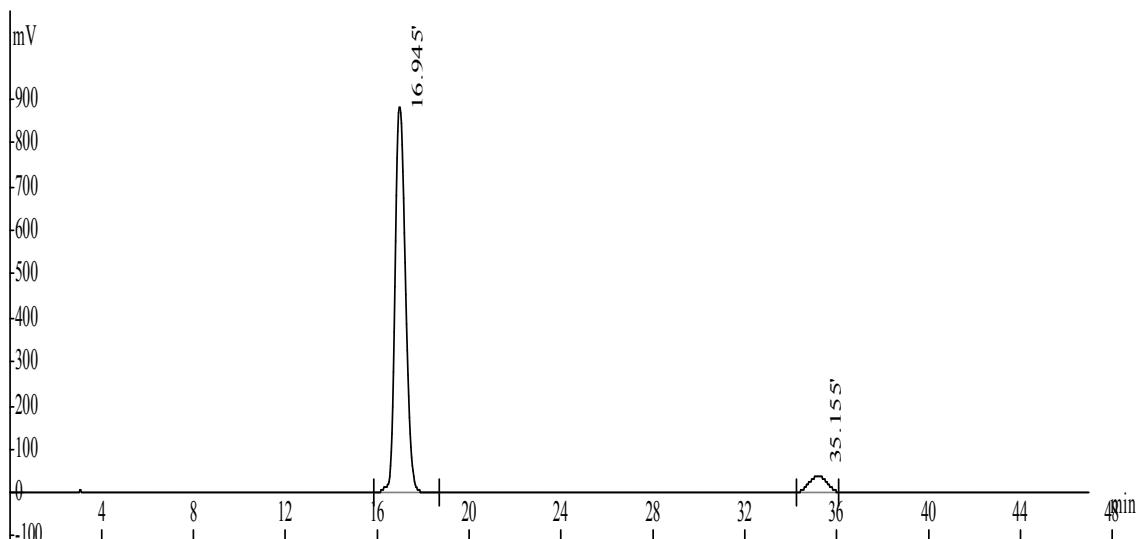
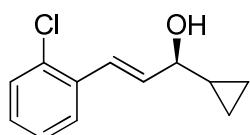
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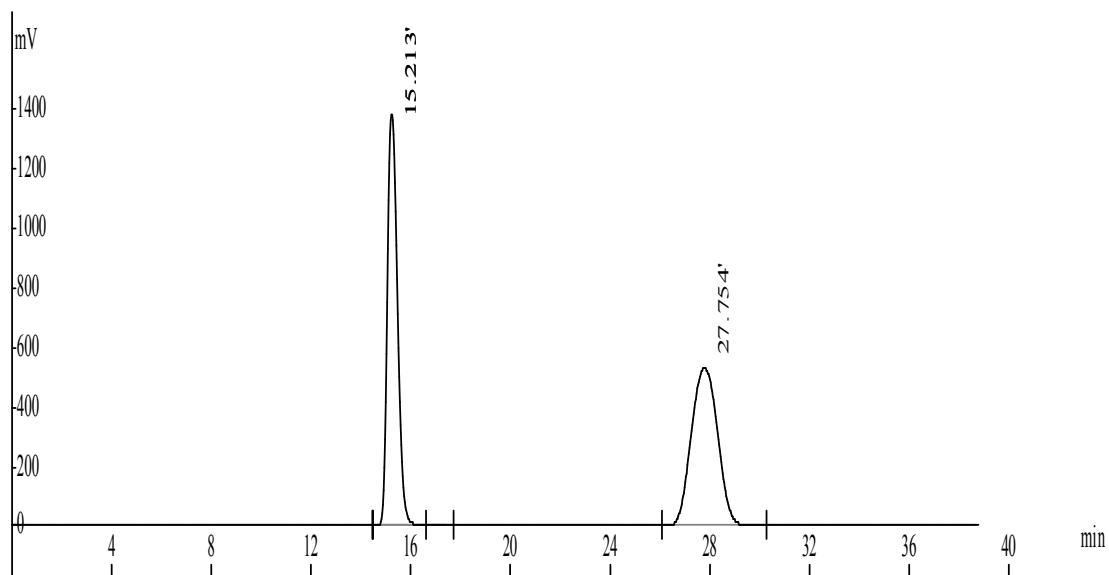
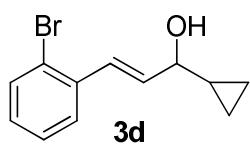
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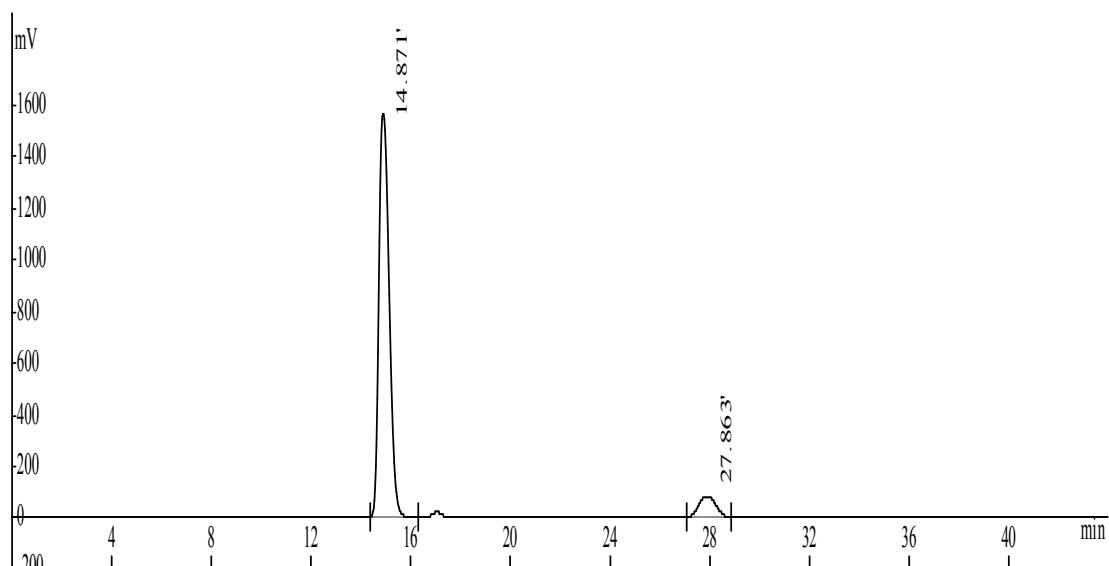
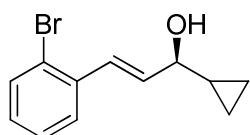
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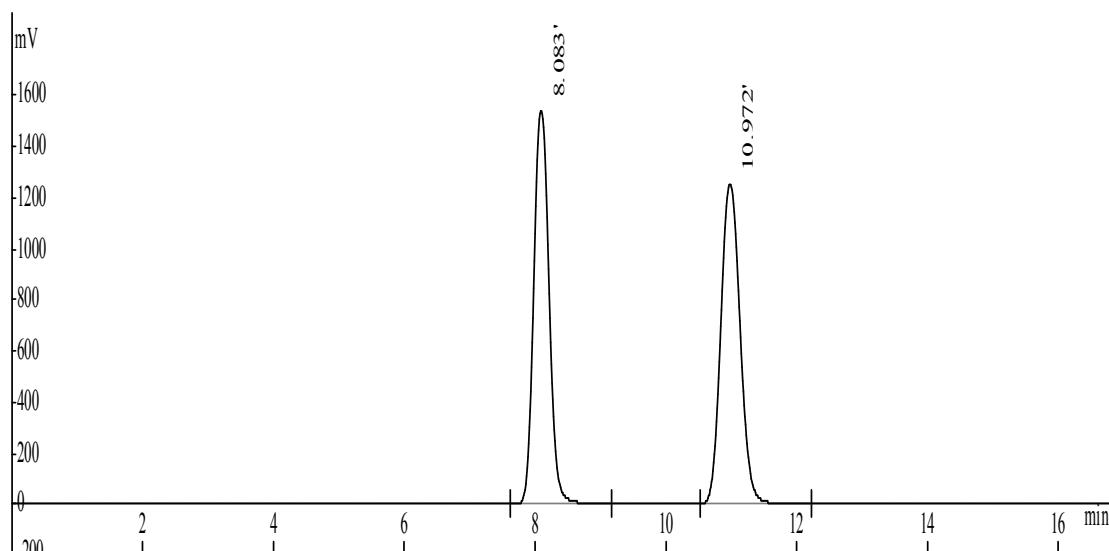
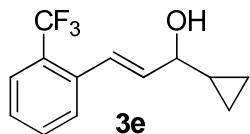
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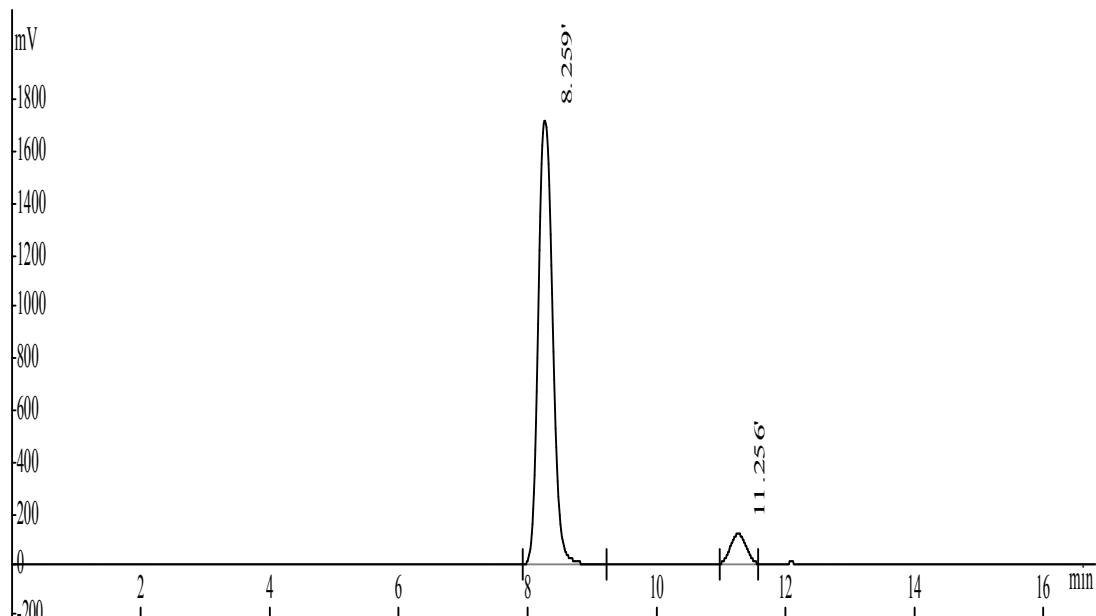
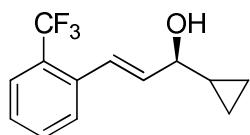
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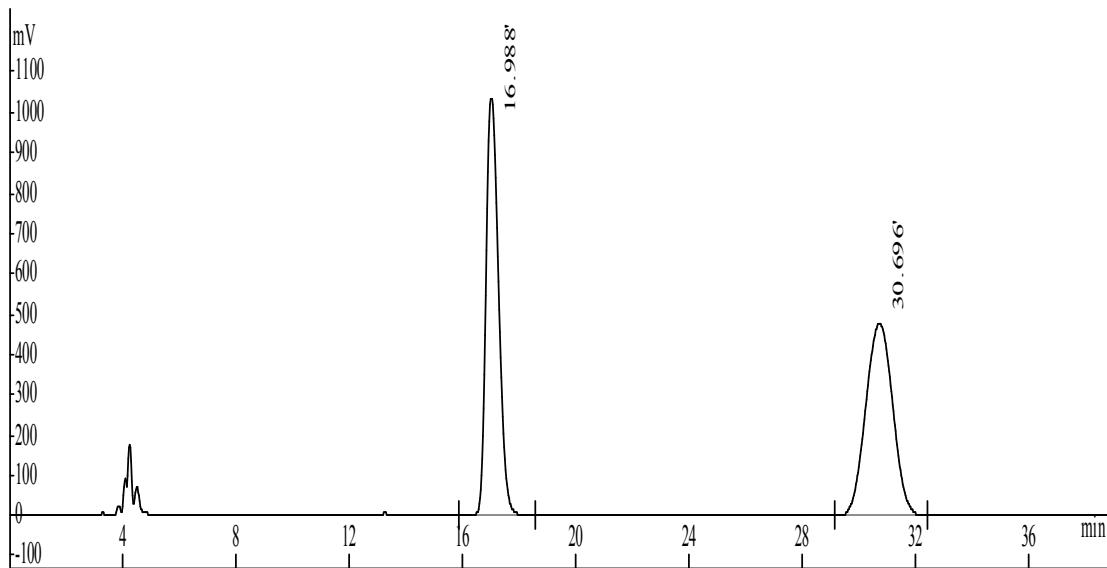
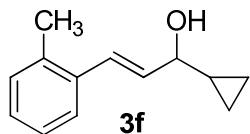
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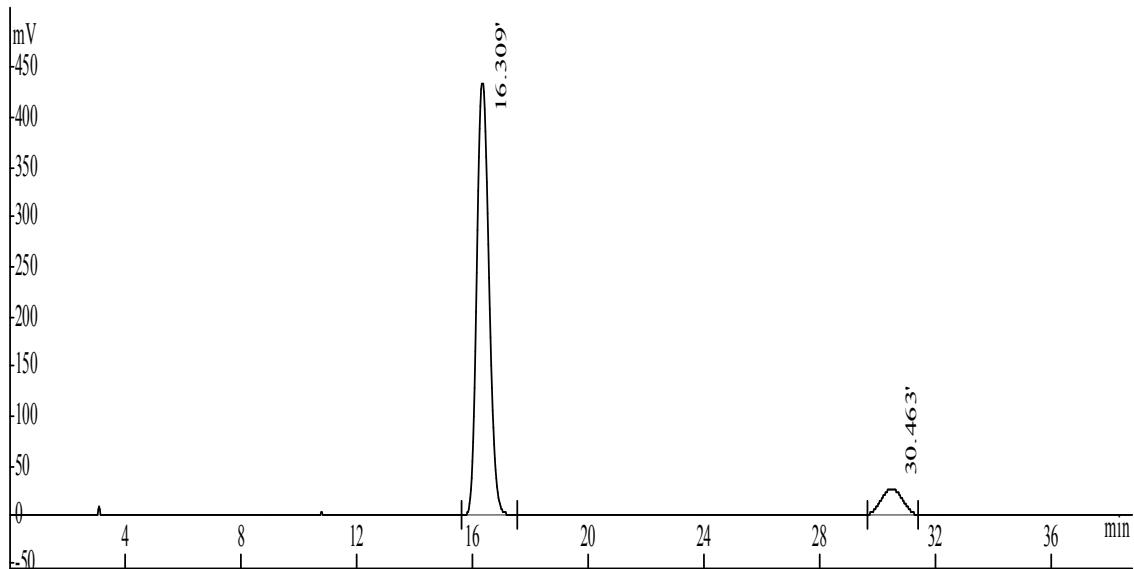
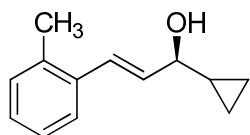
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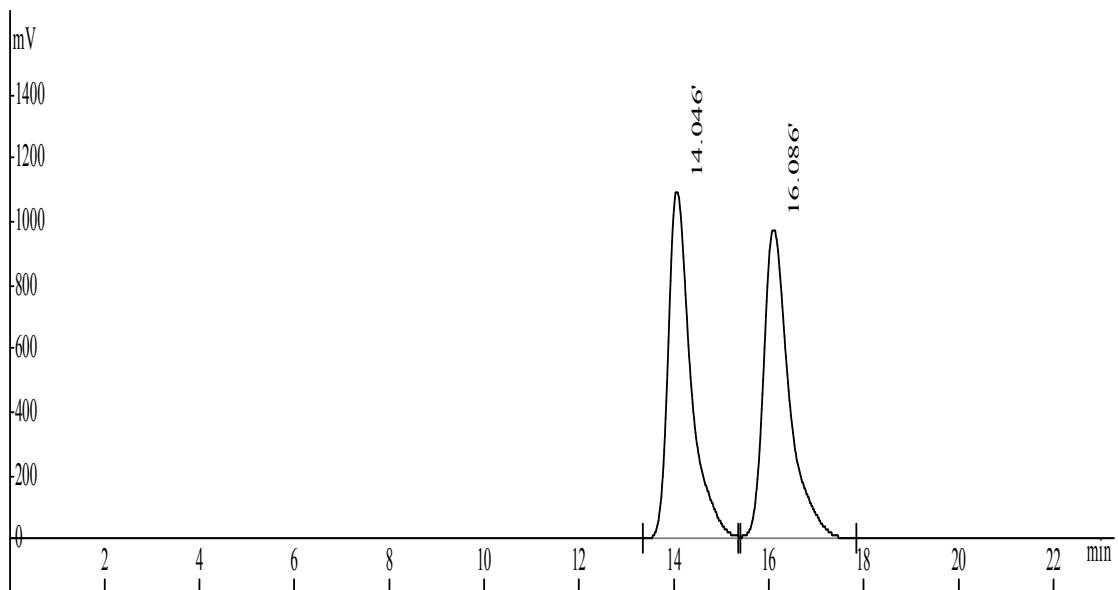
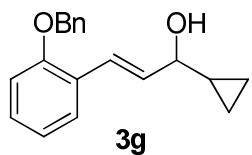
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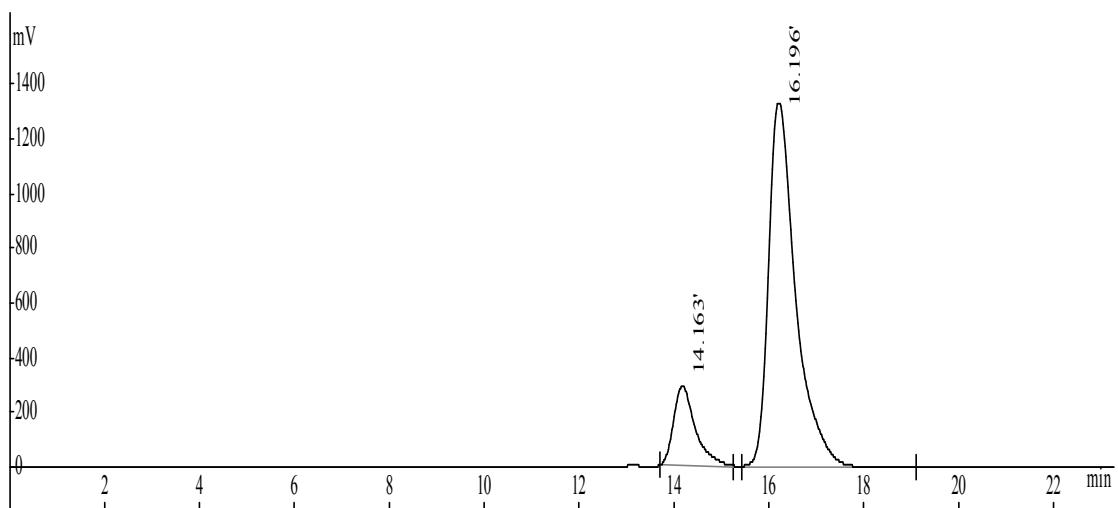
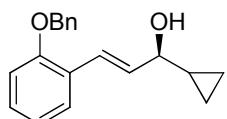
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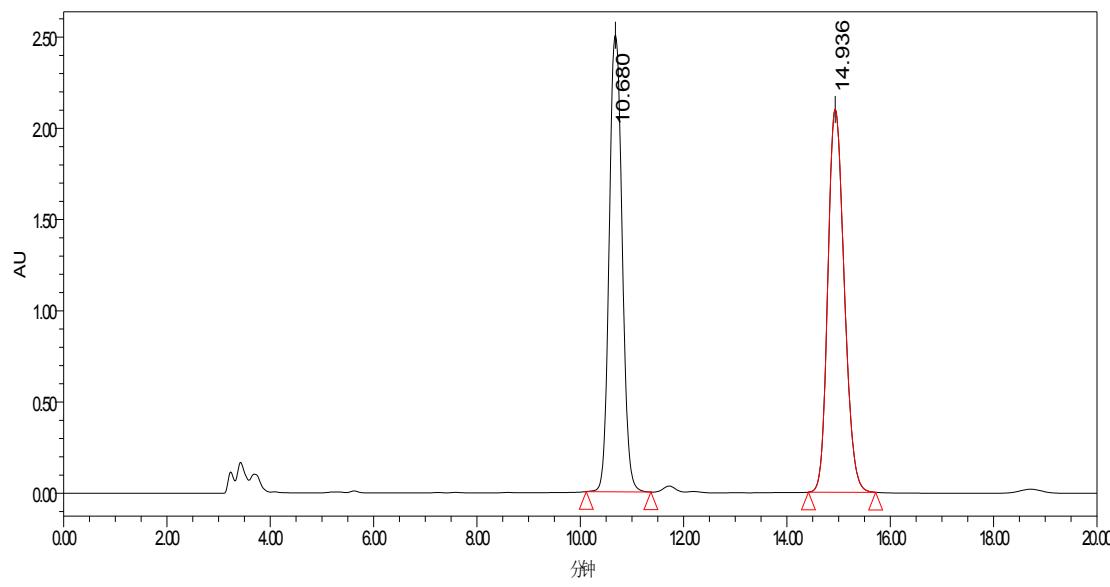
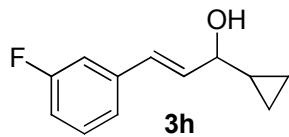
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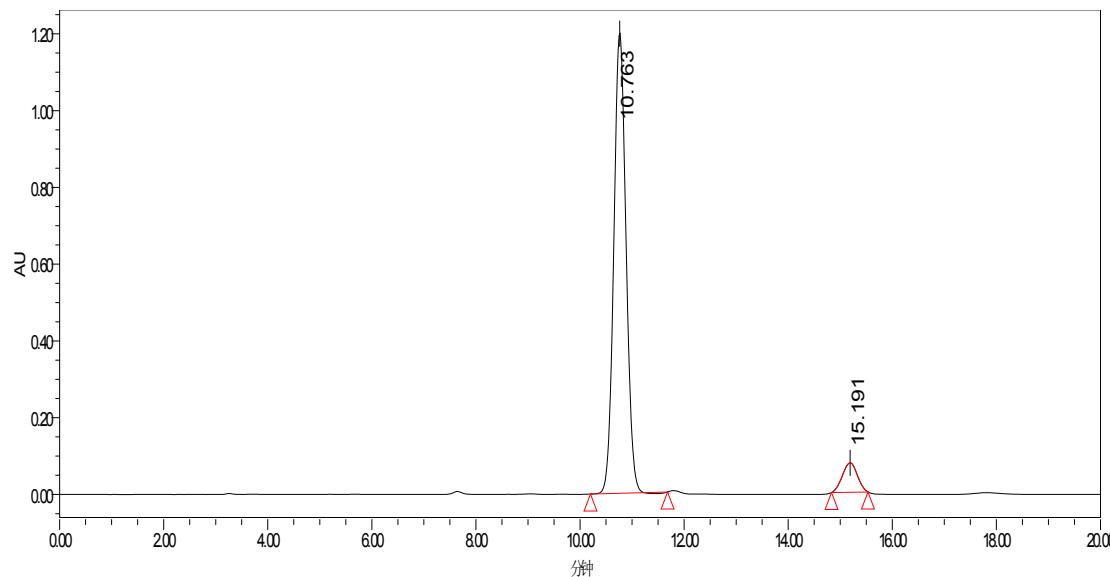
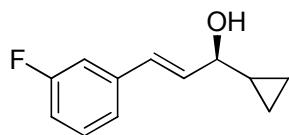
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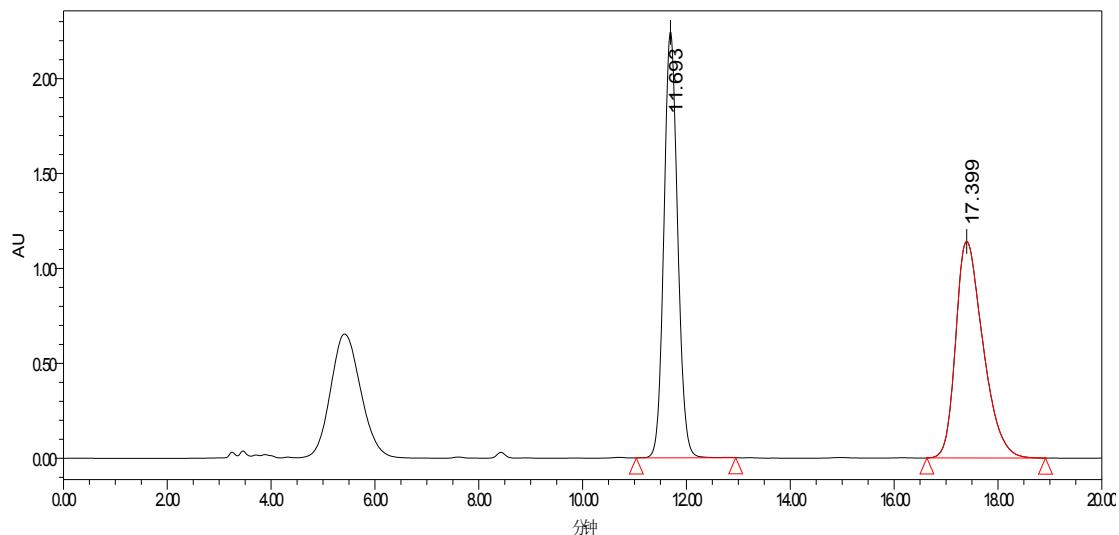
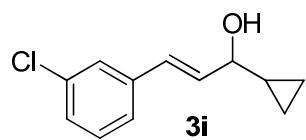
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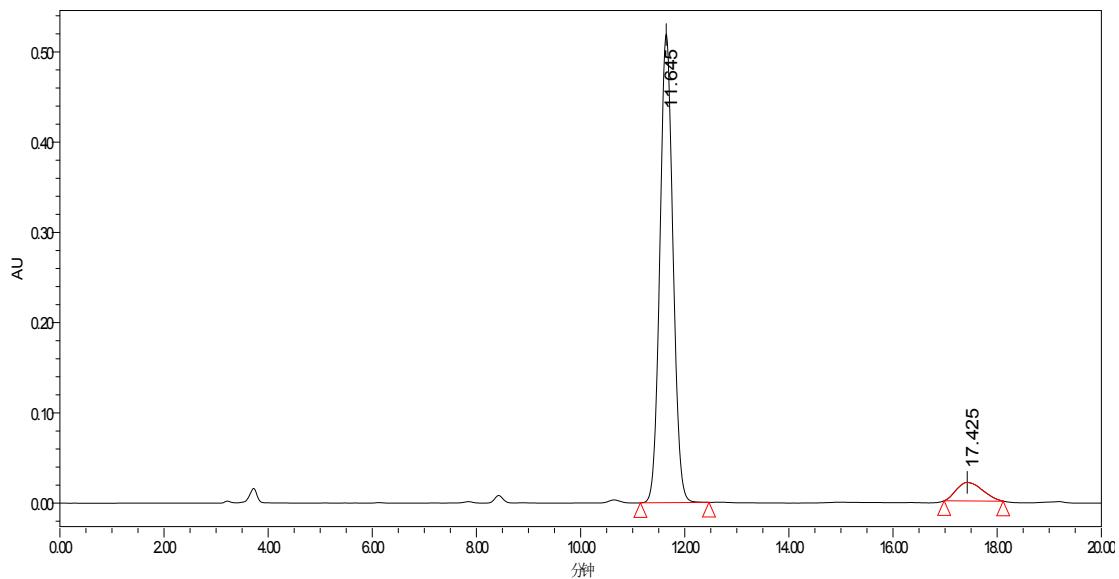
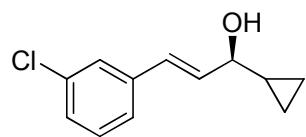
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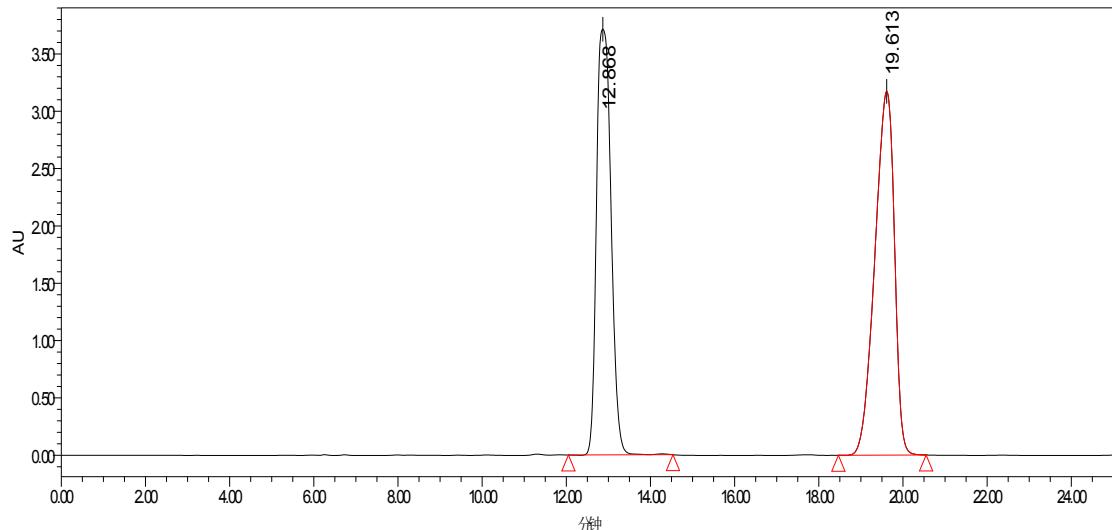
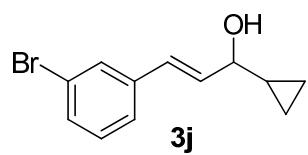
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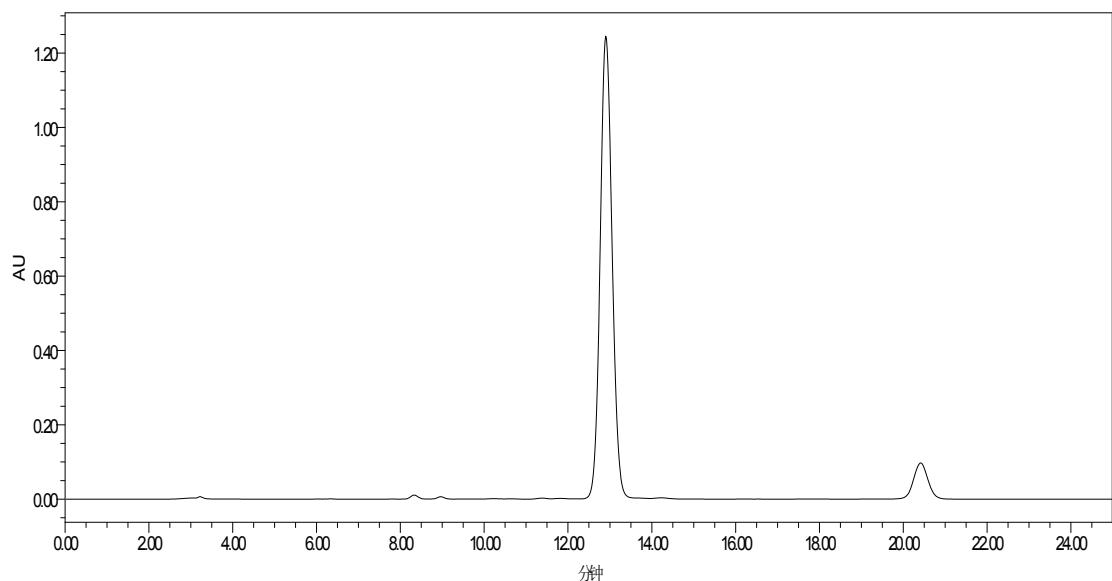
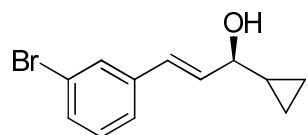
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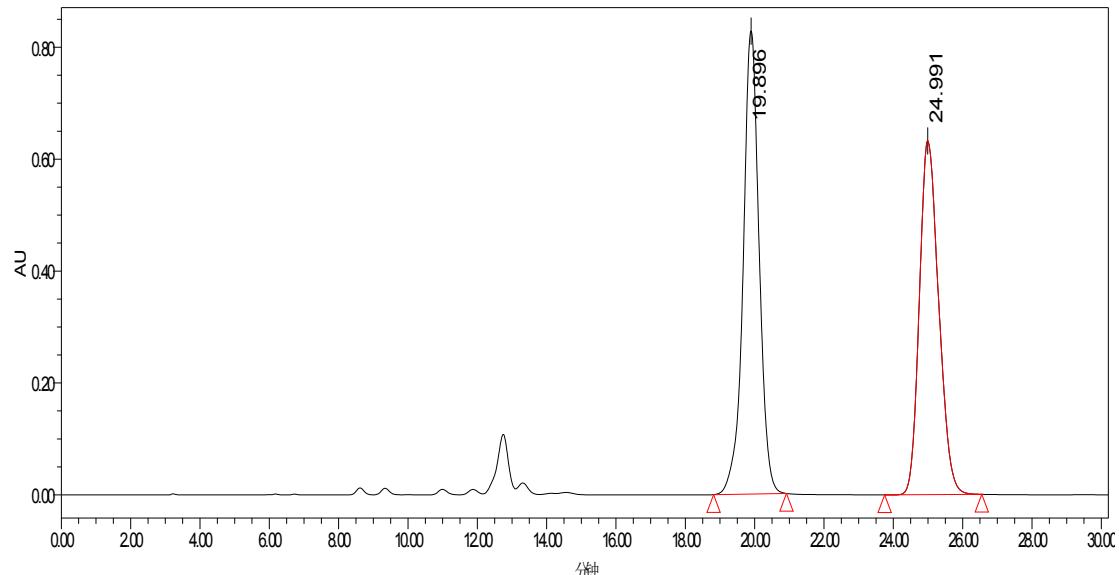
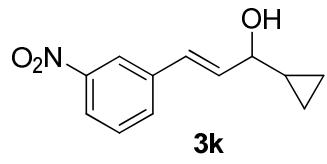
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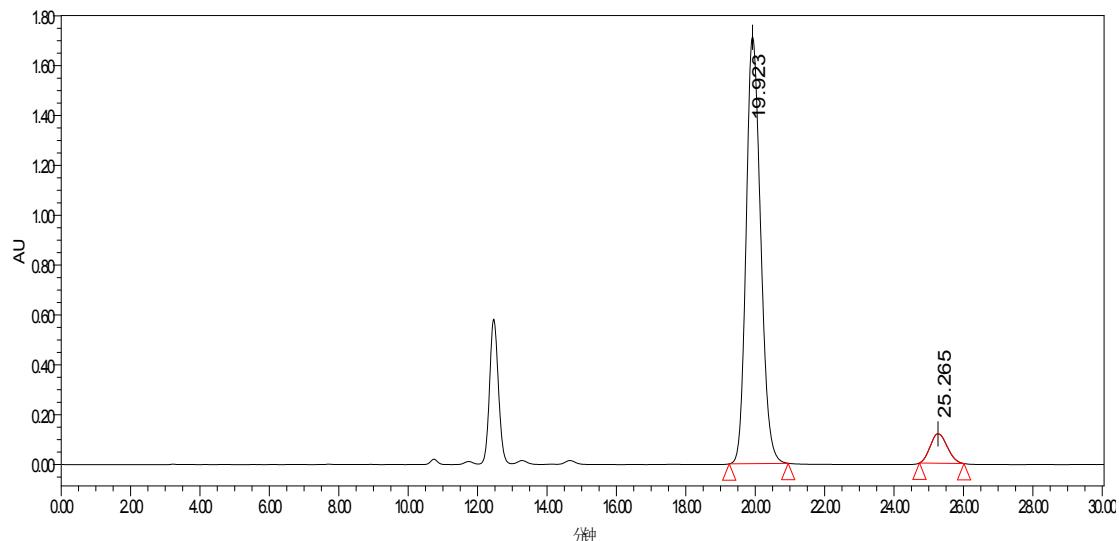
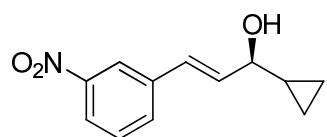
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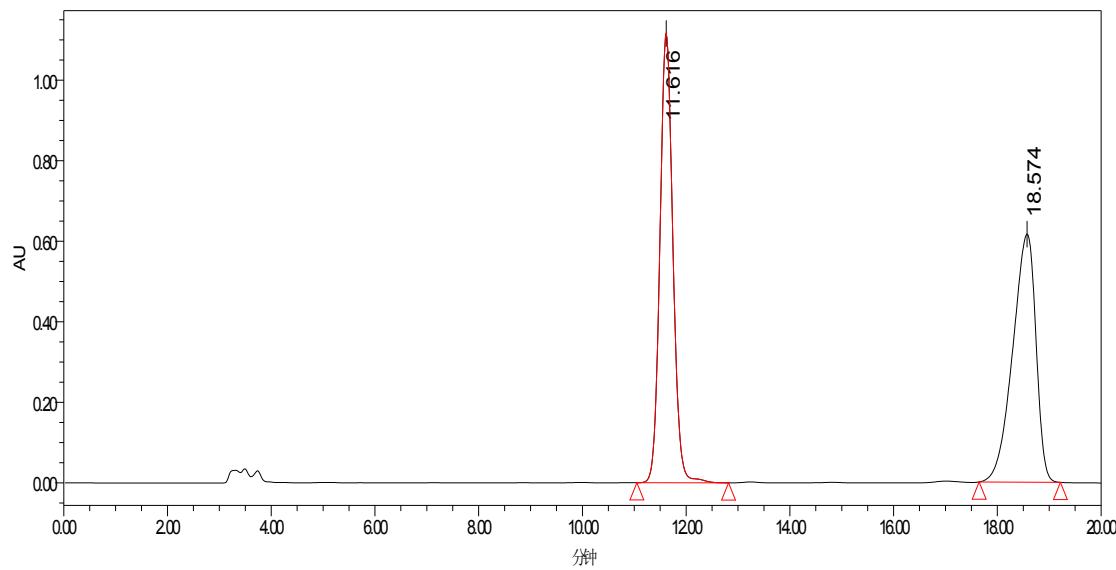
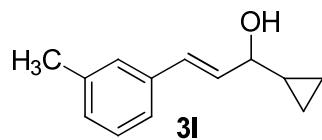
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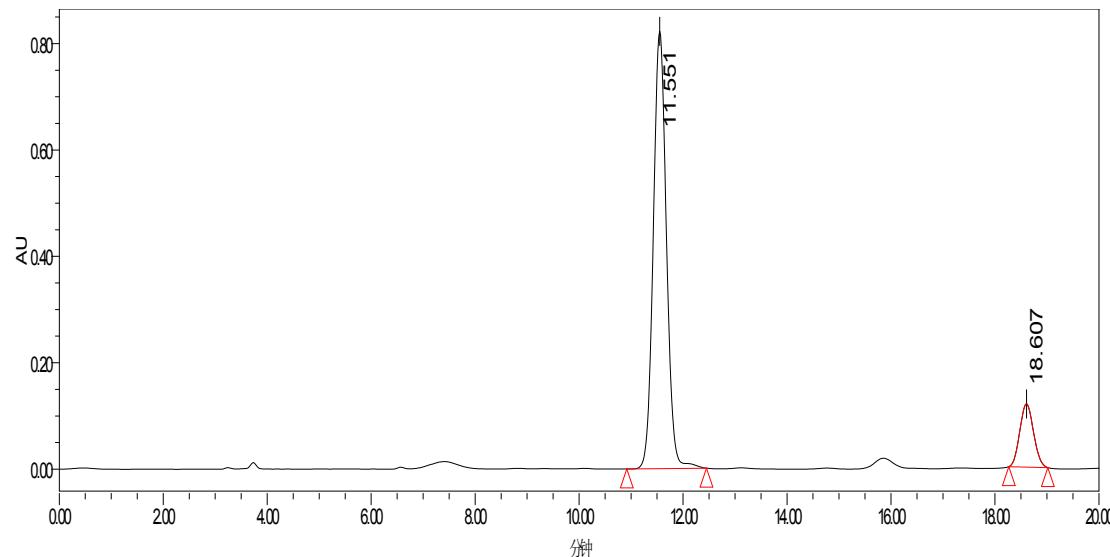
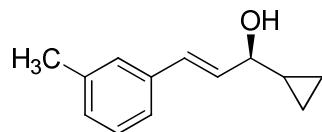
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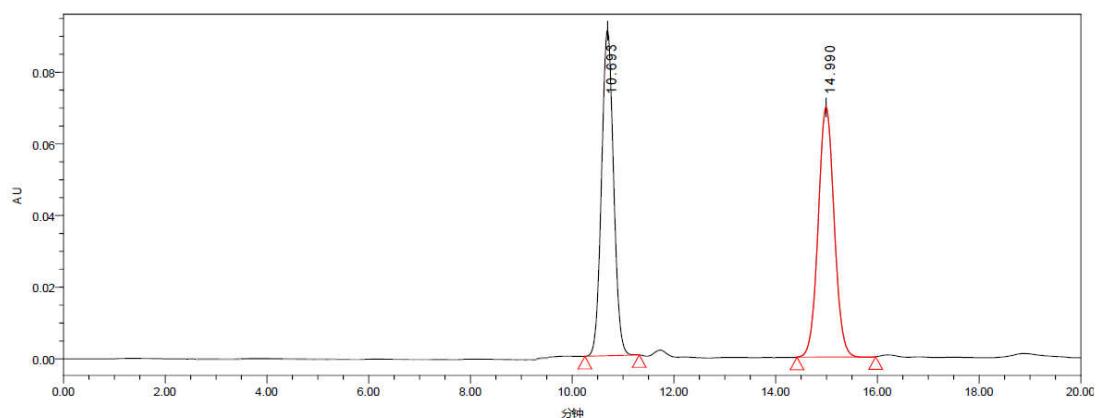
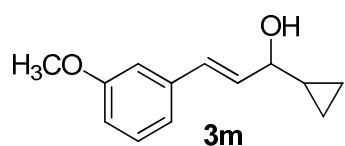
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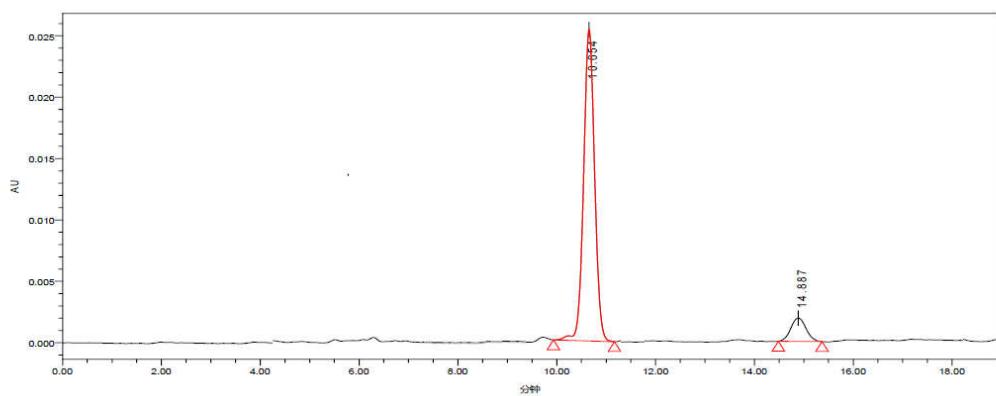
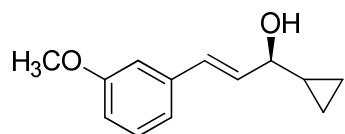
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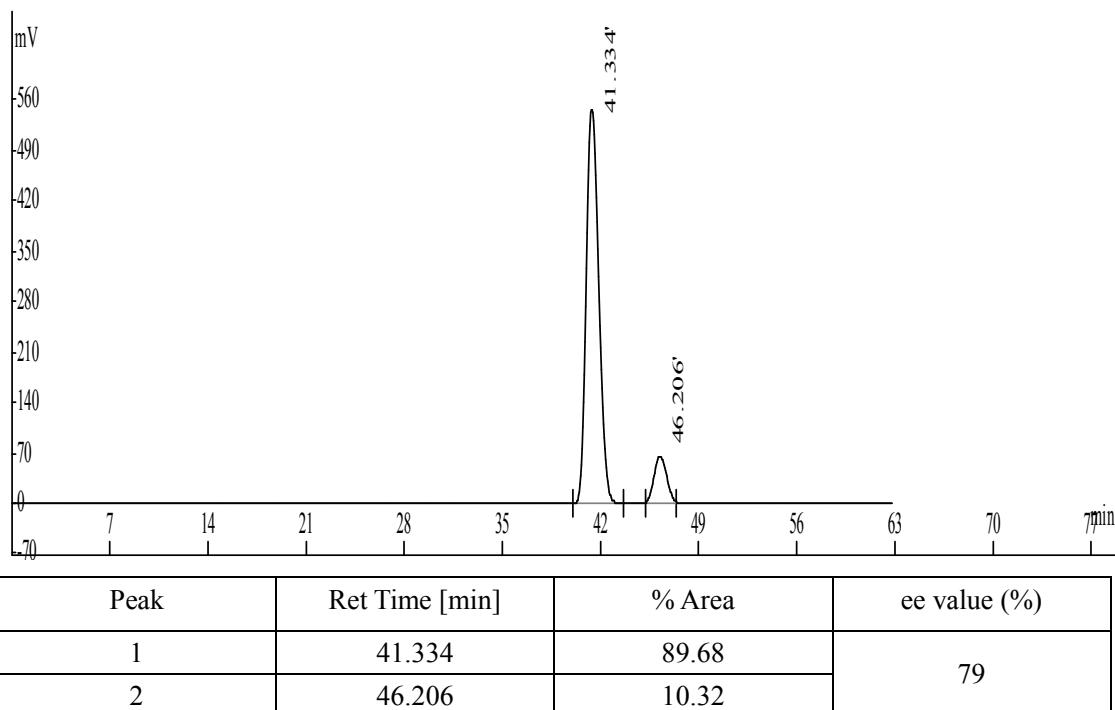
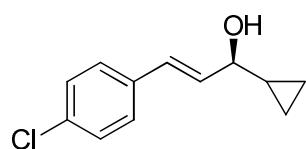
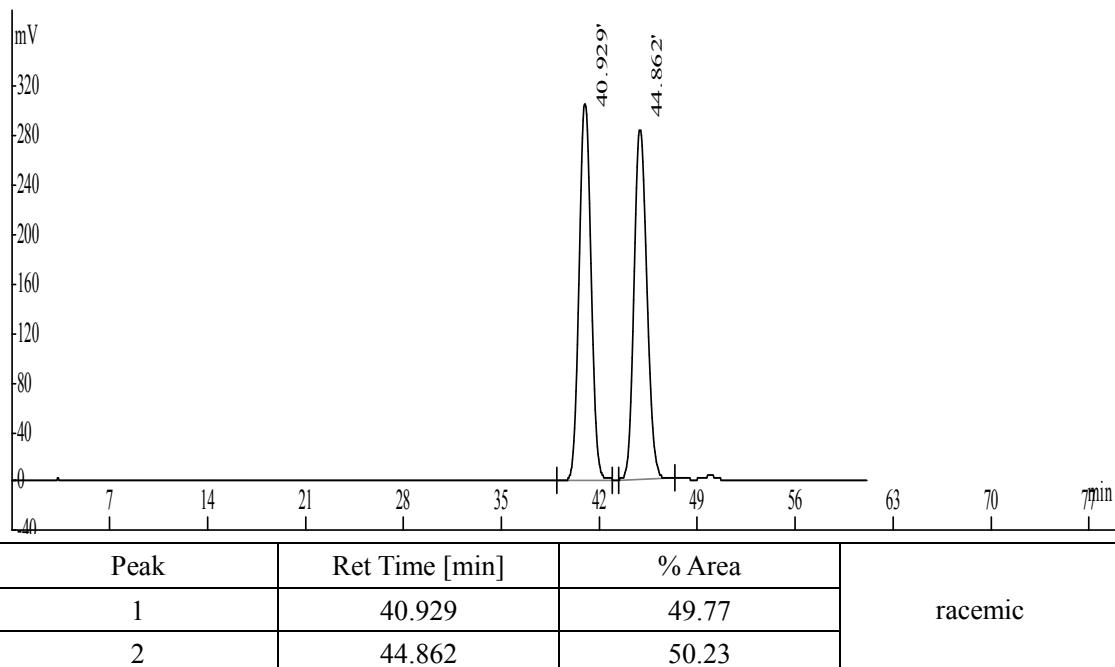
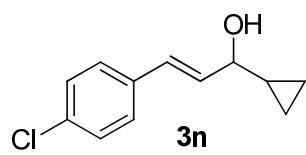
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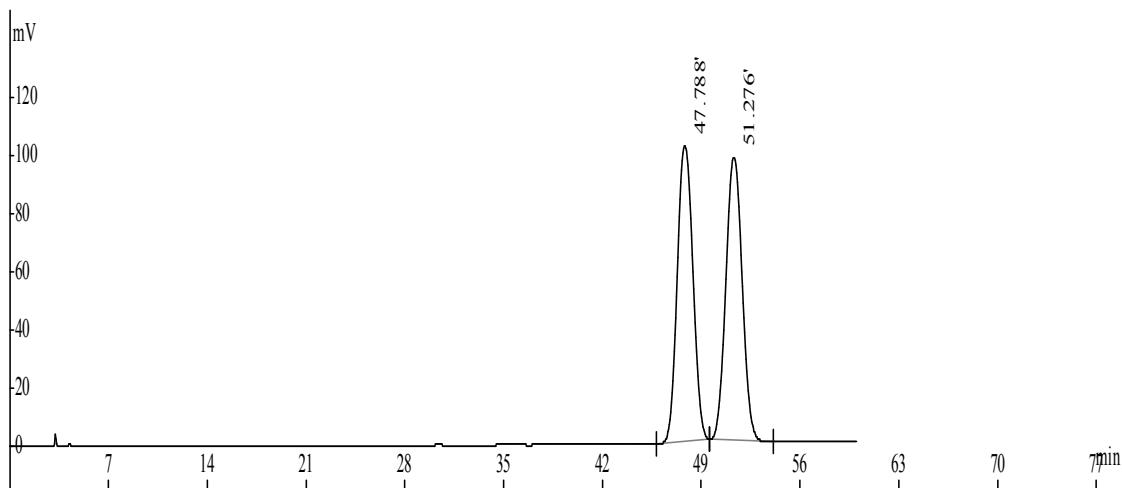
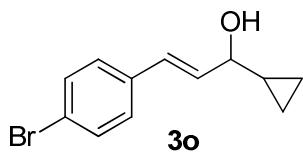


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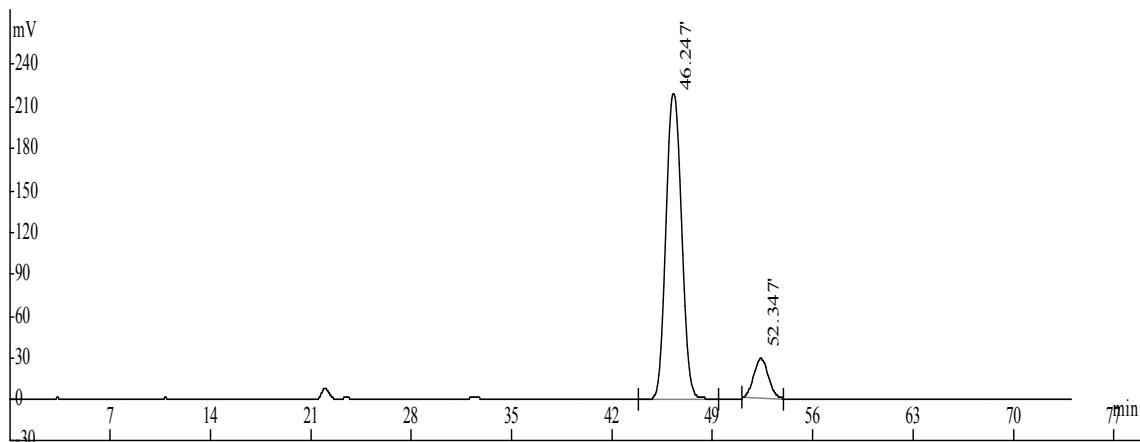
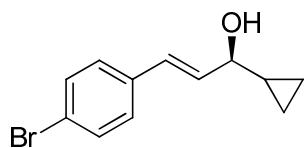


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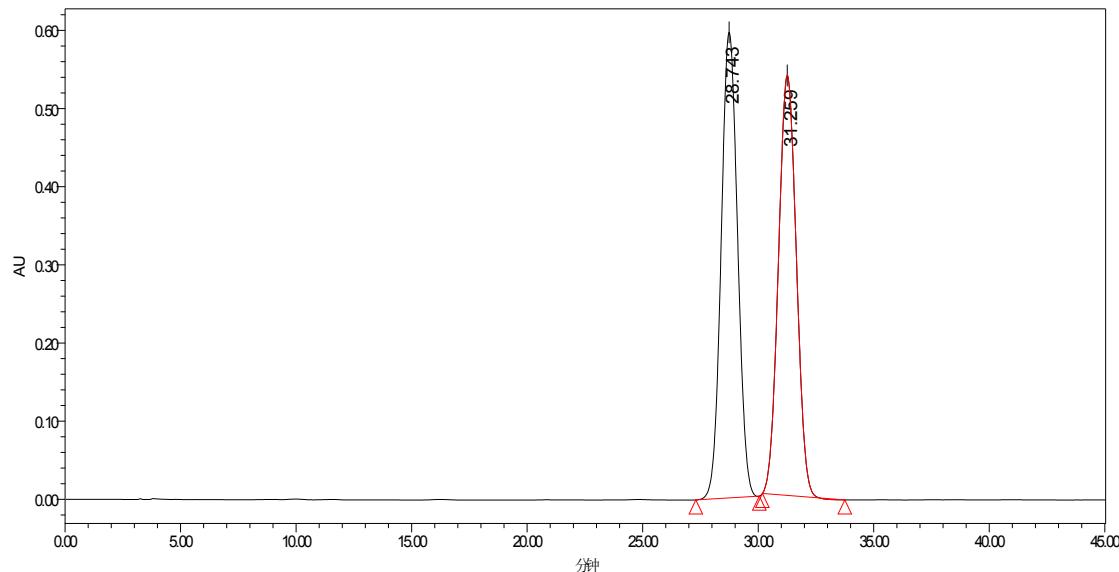
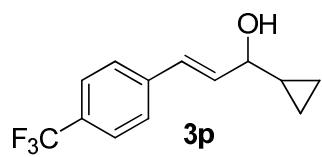




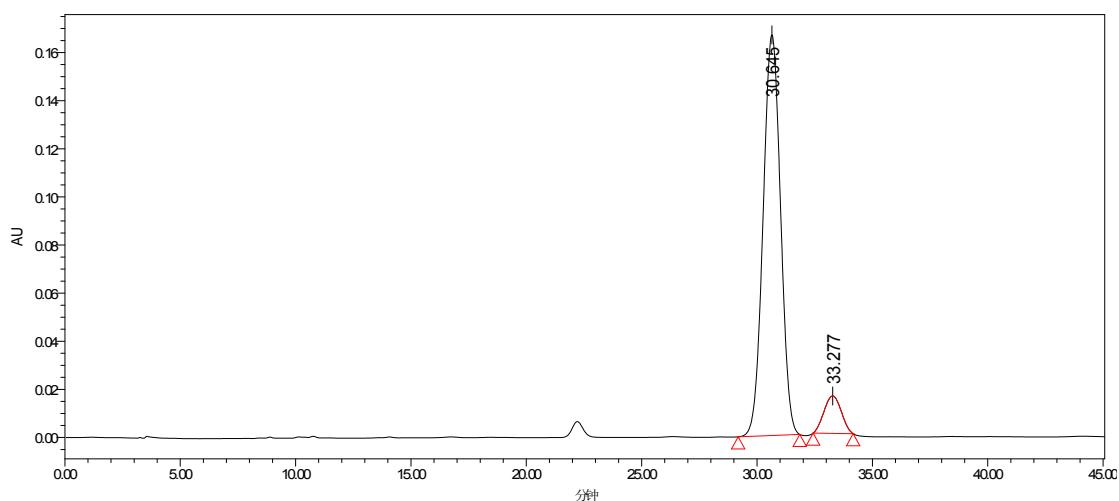
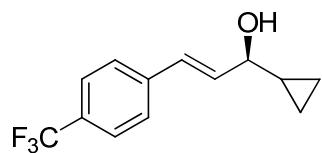
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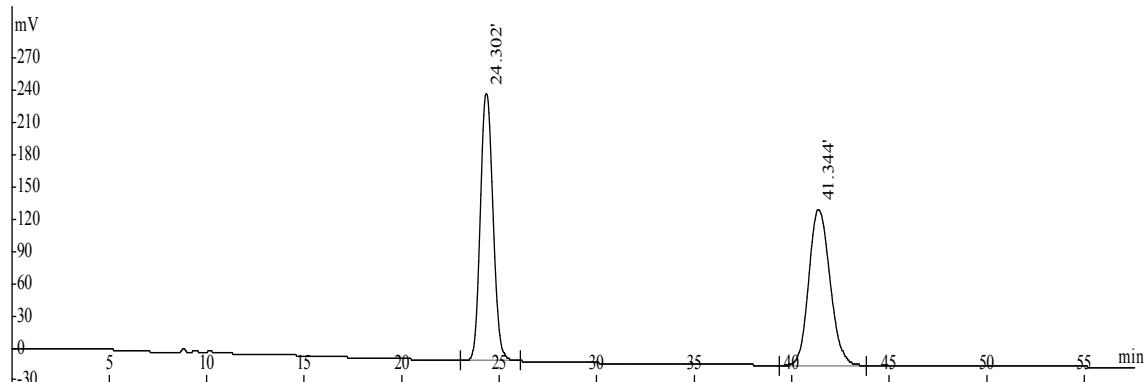
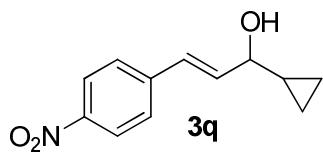
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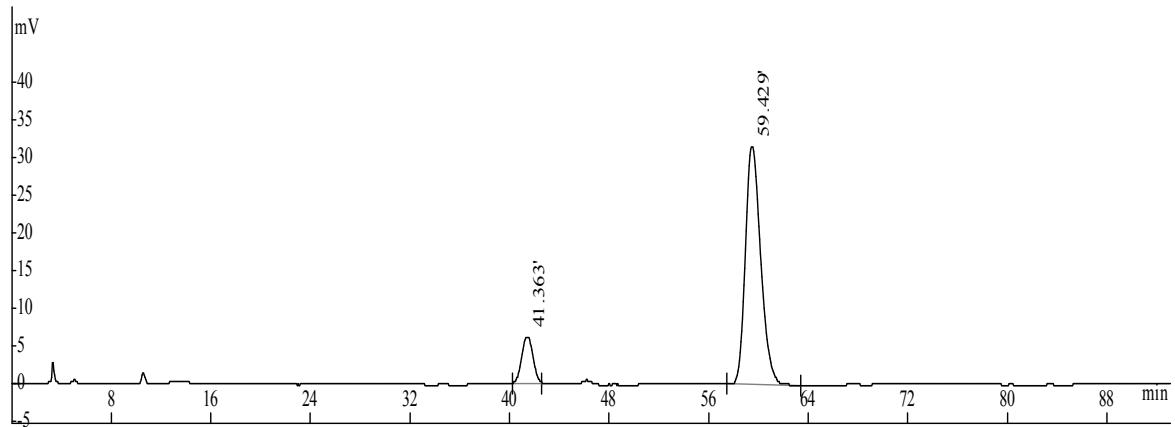
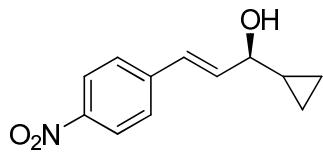
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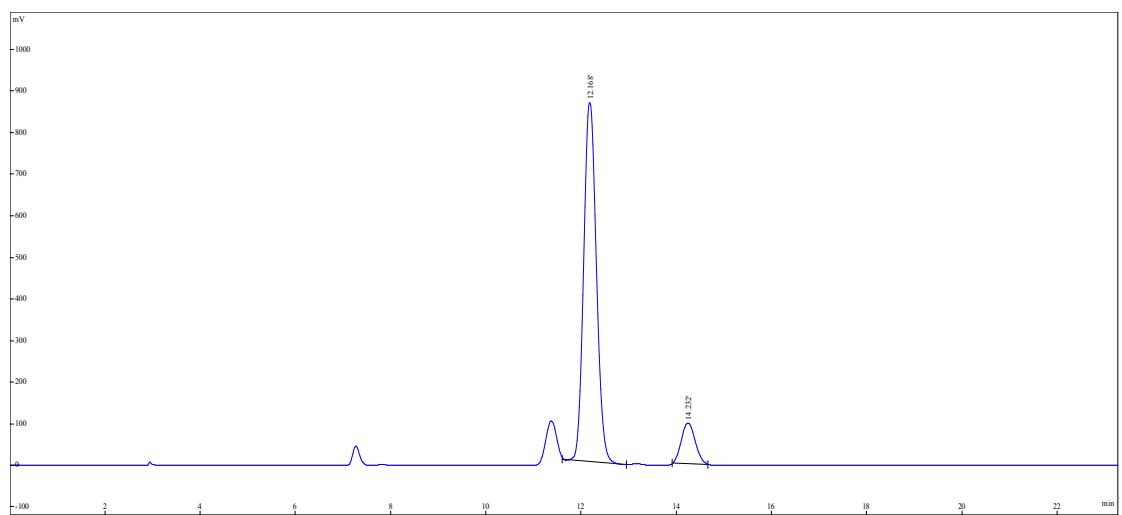
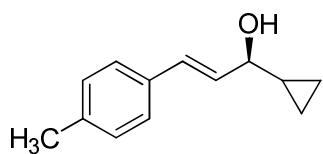
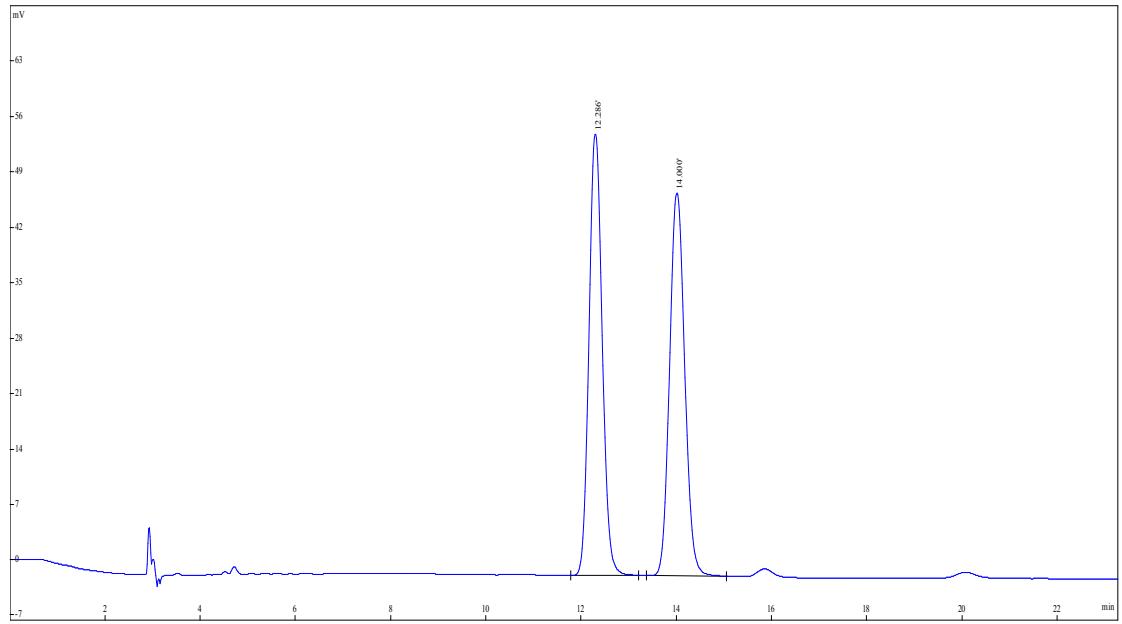
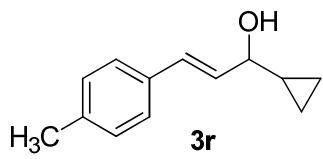
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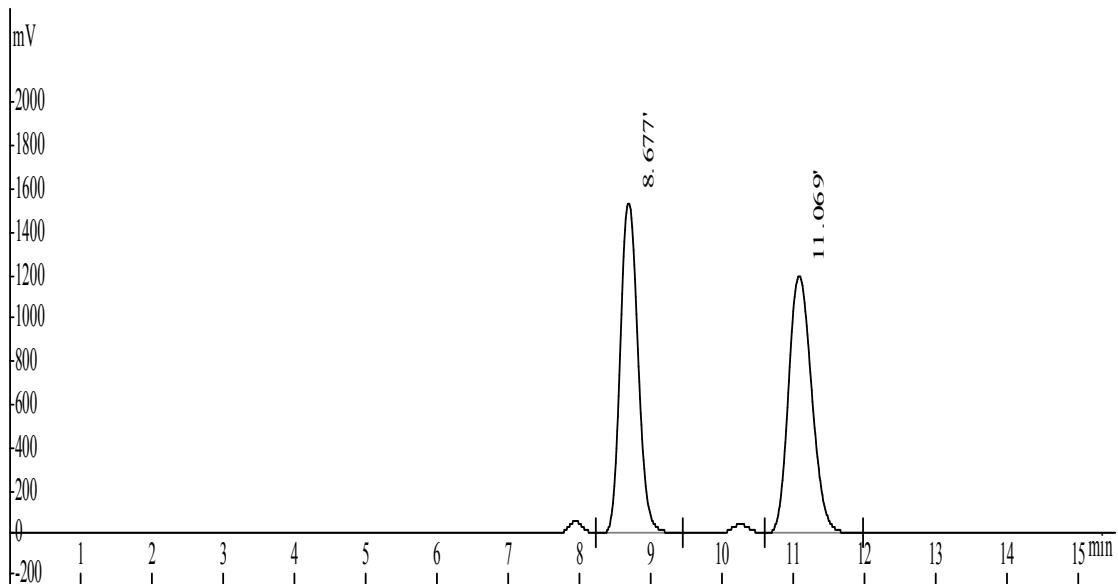
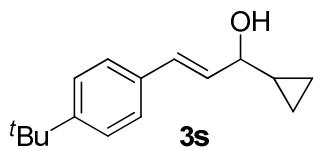
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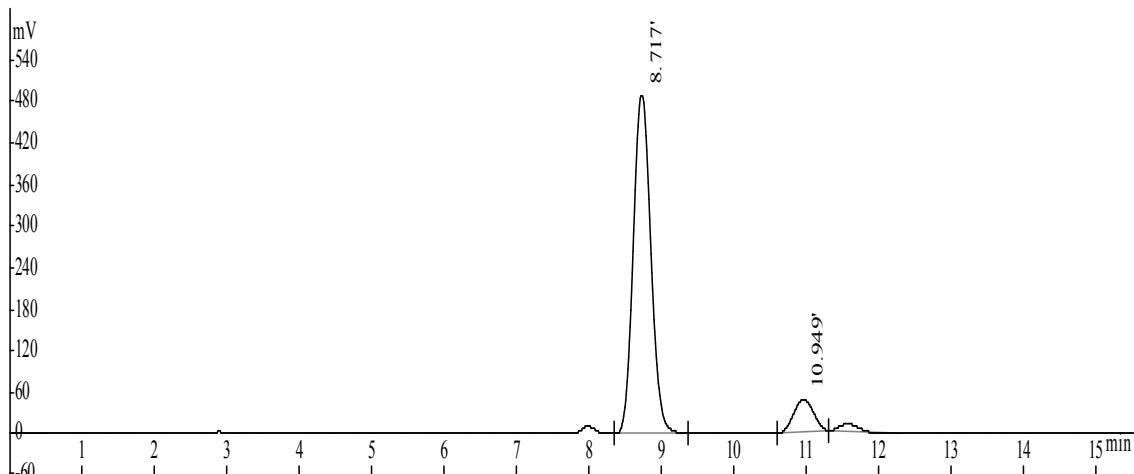
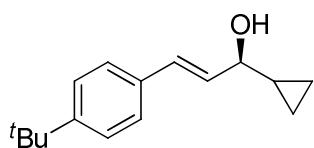
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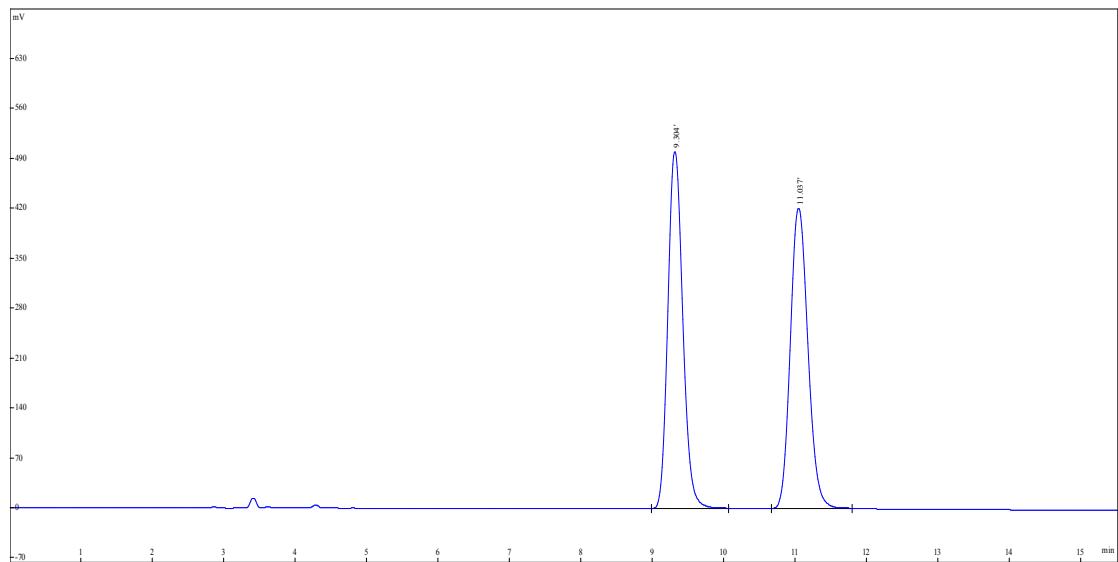
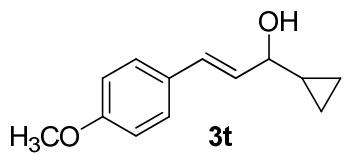
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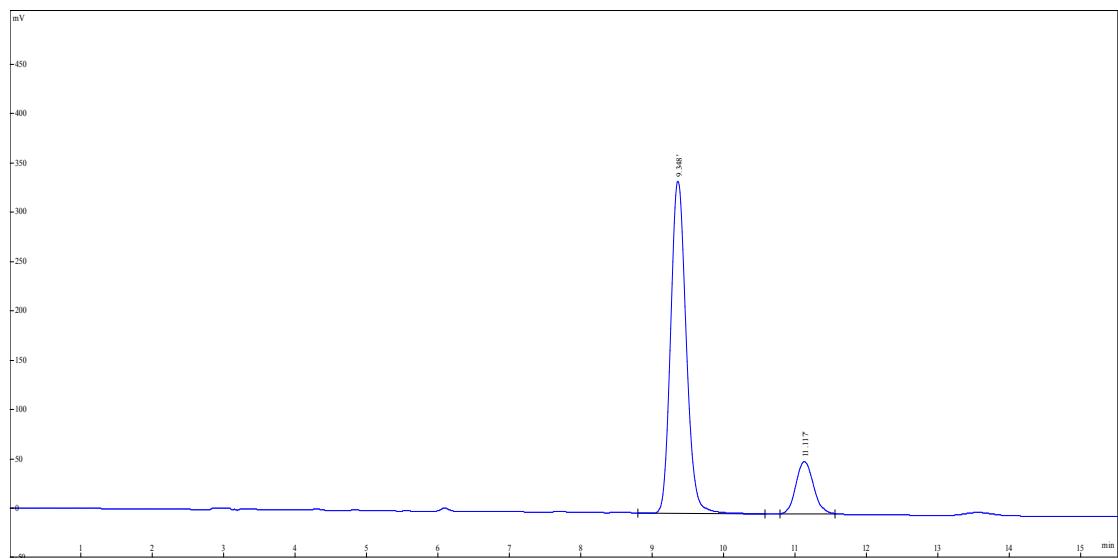
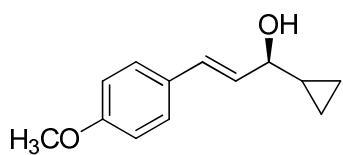
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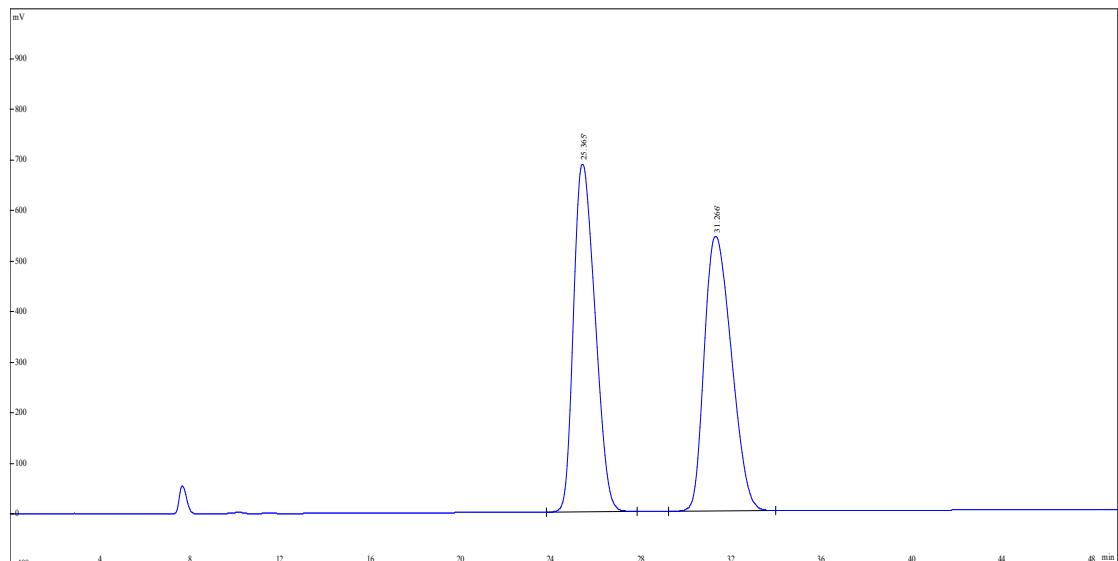
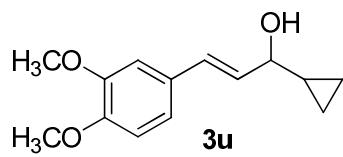
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1	8.717	91.12	82
2	10.949	8.88	



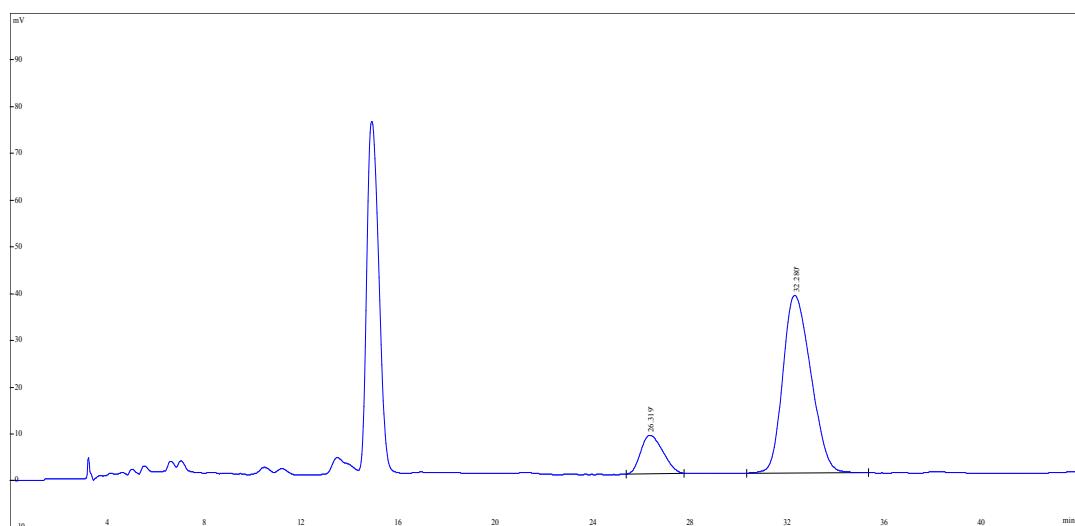
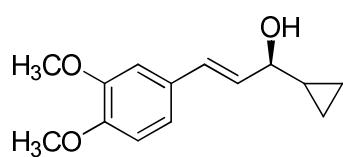
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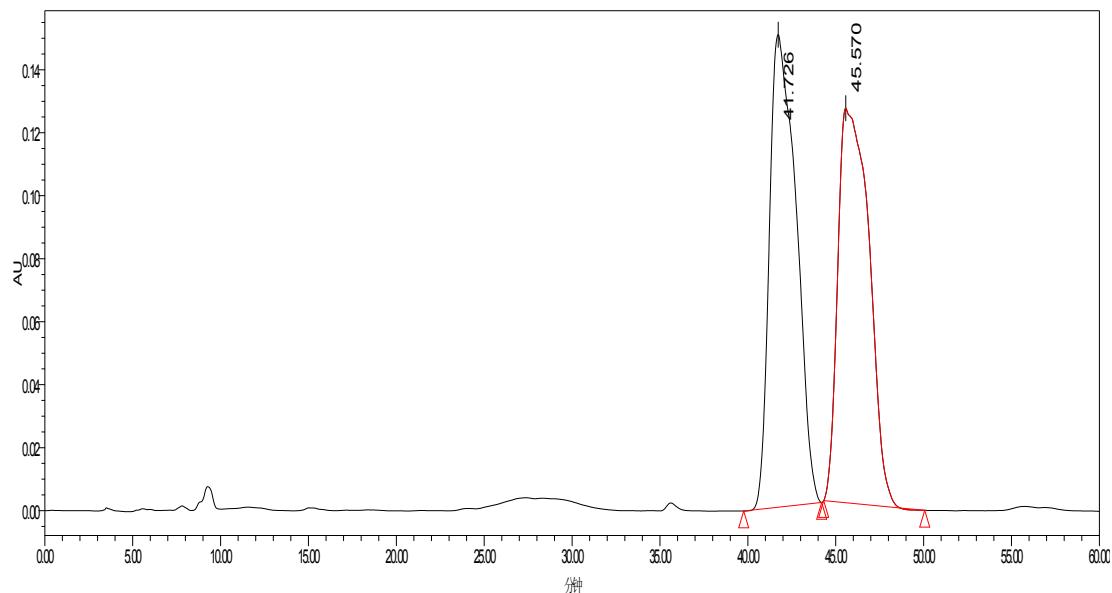
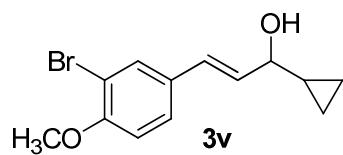
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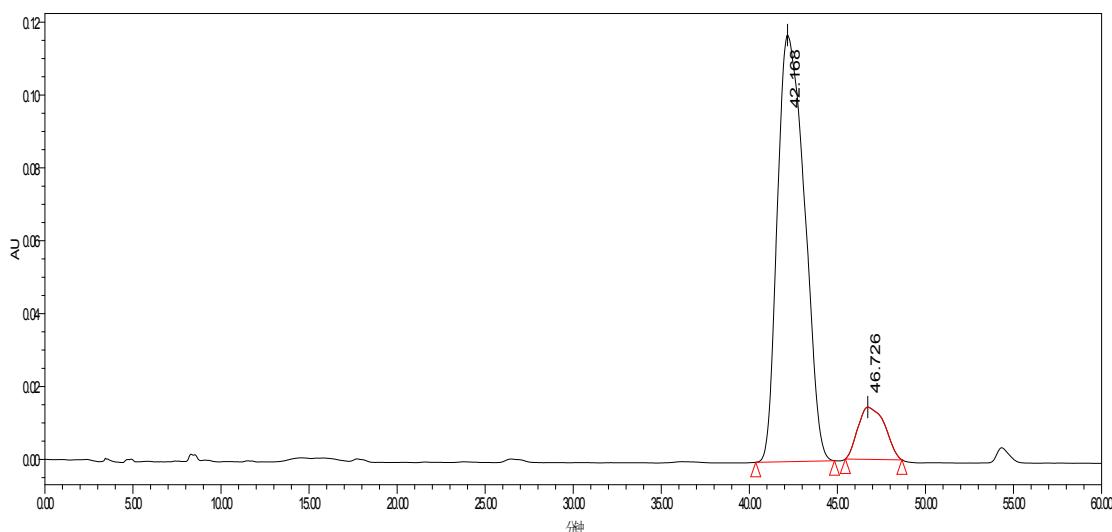
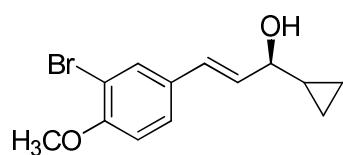
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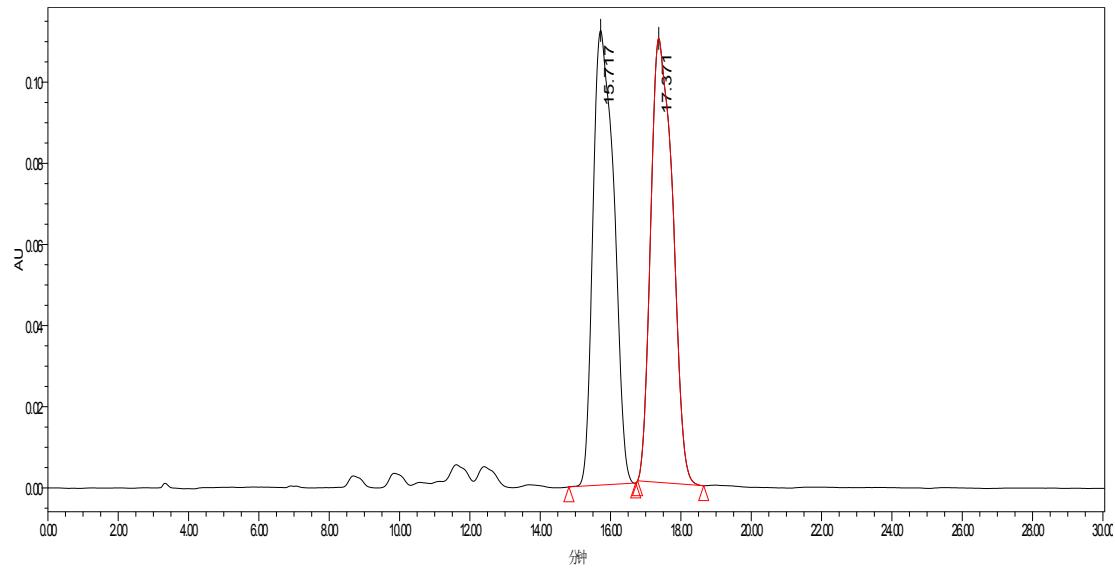
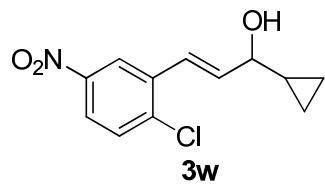
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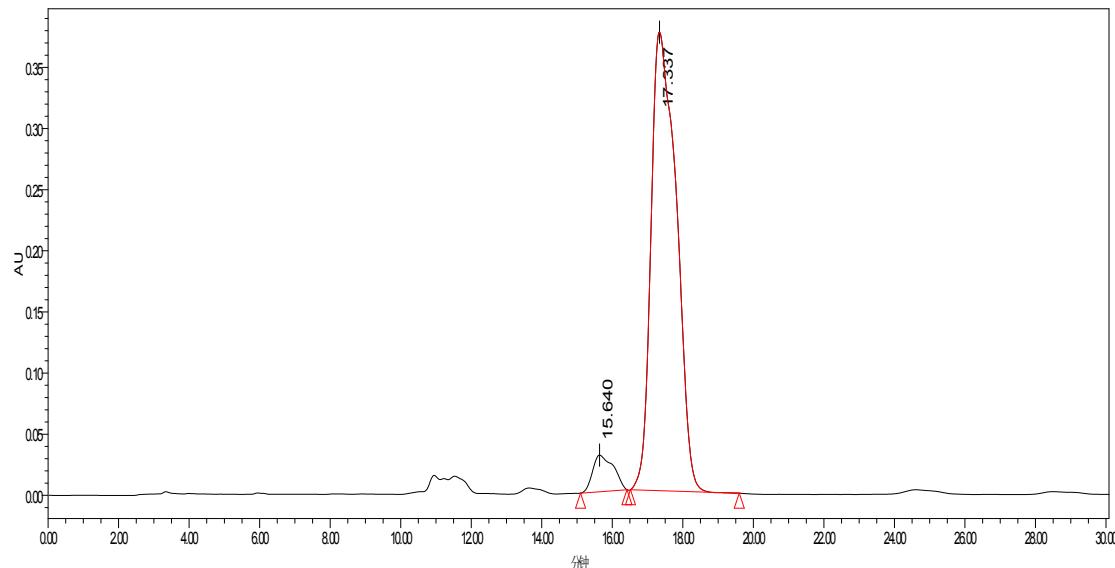
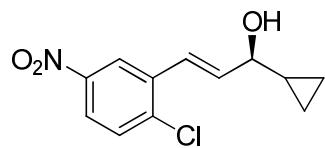
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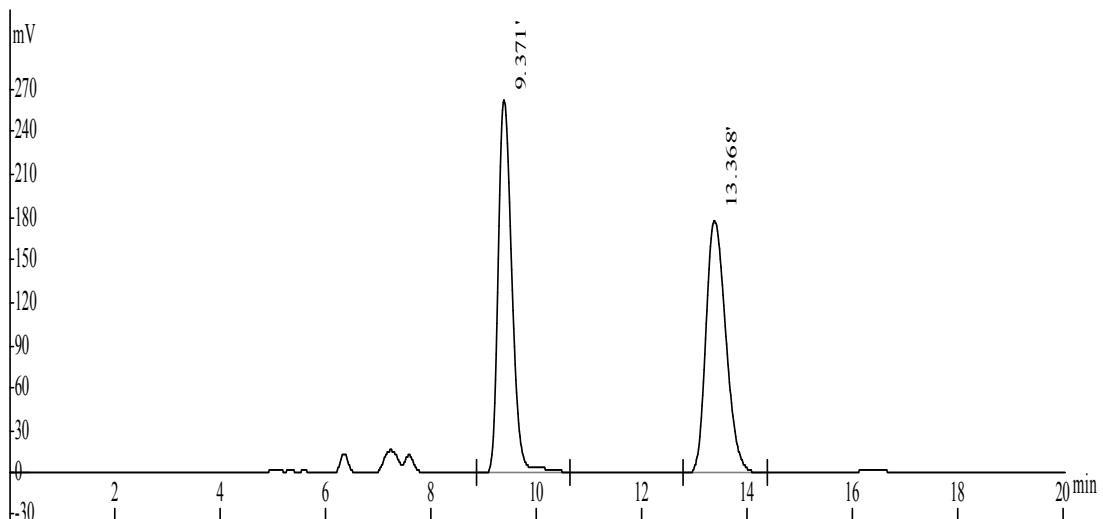
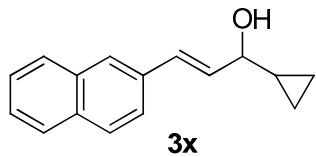
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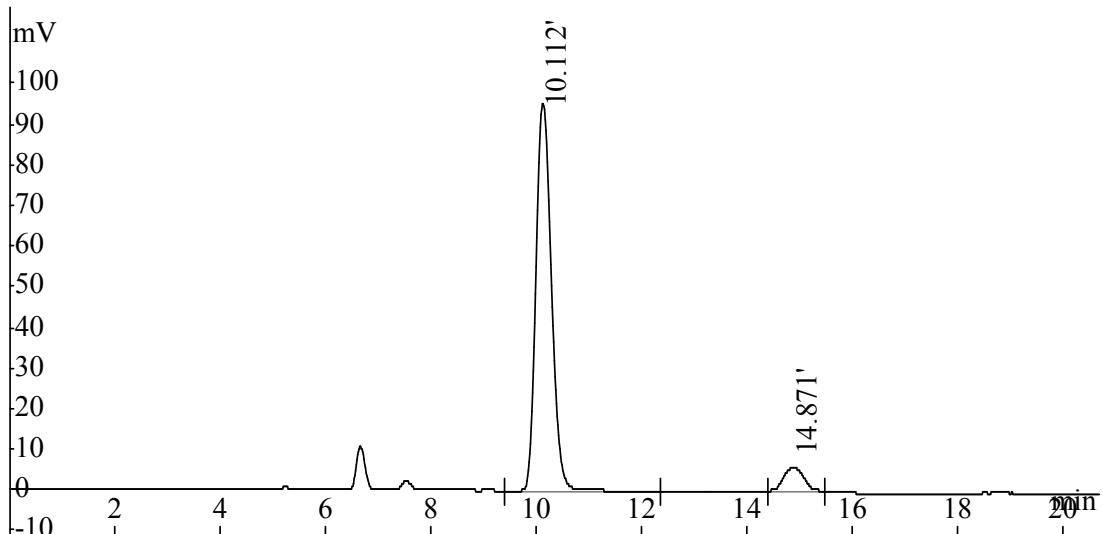
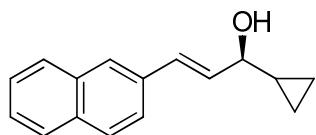
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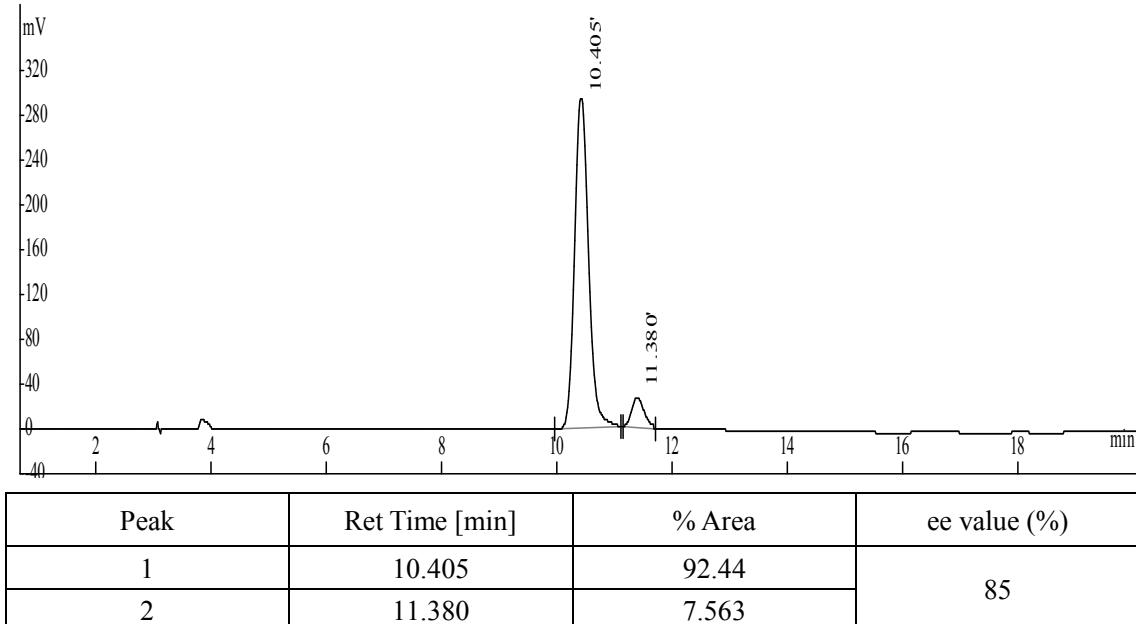
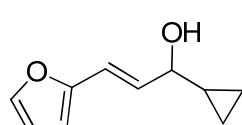
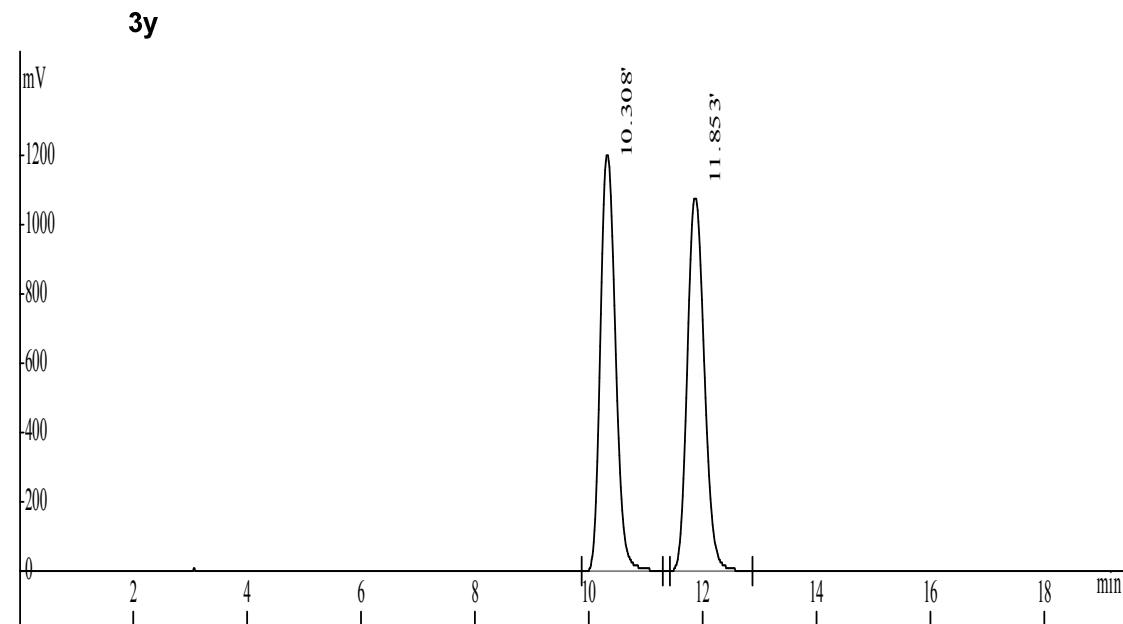
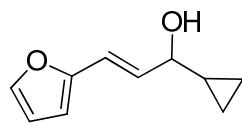
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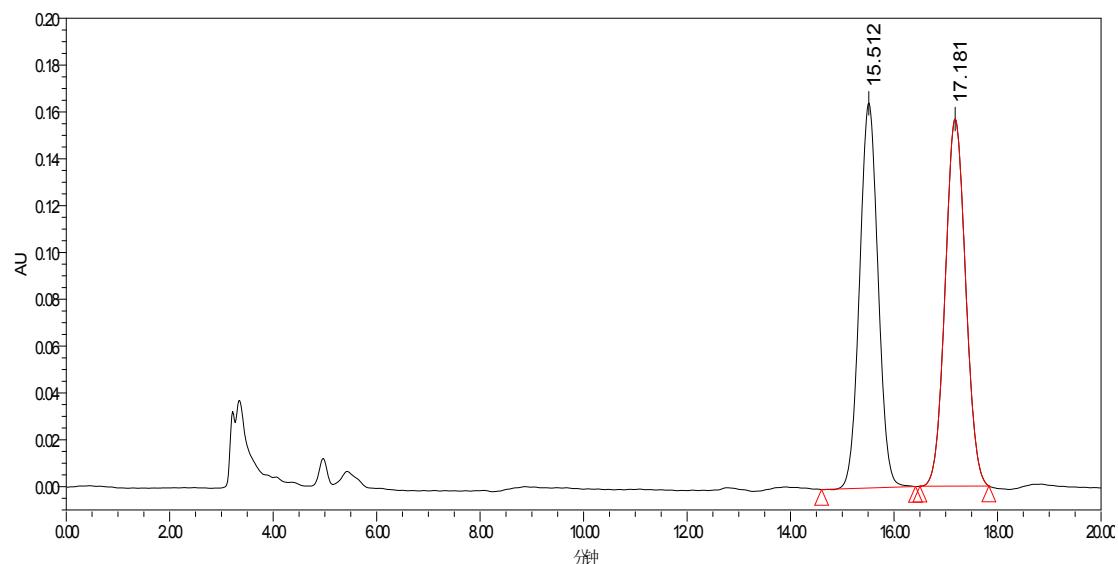
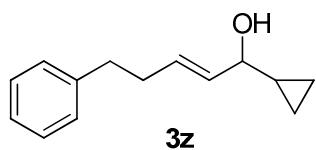


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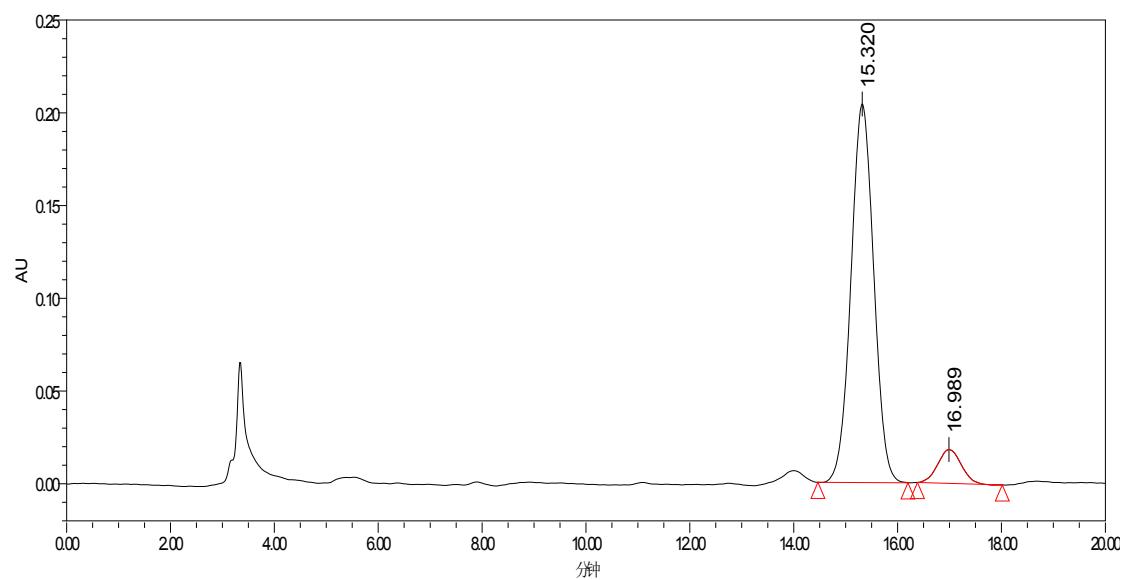
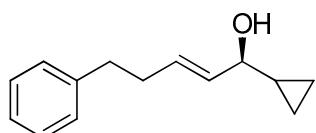


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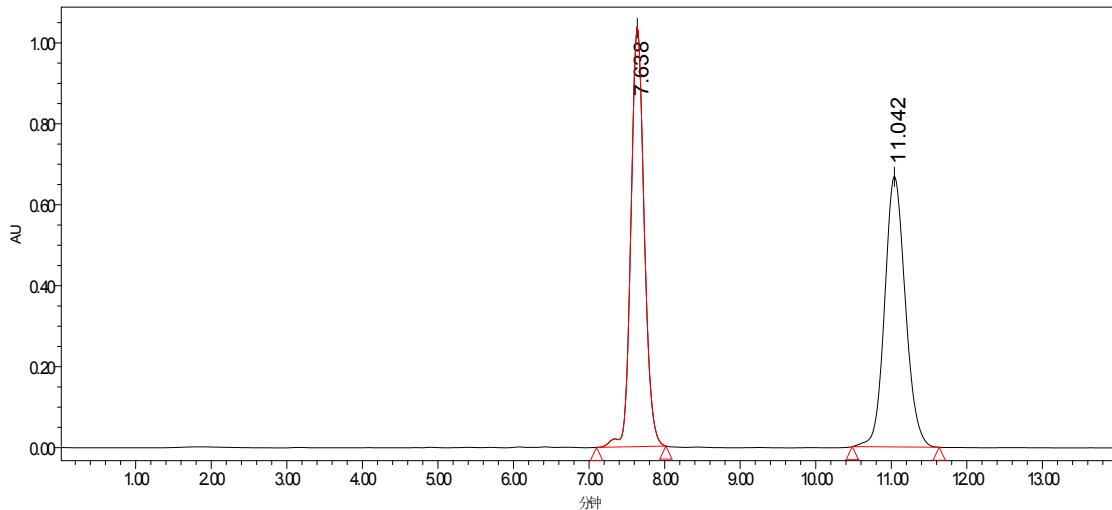
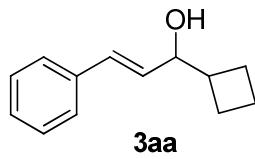




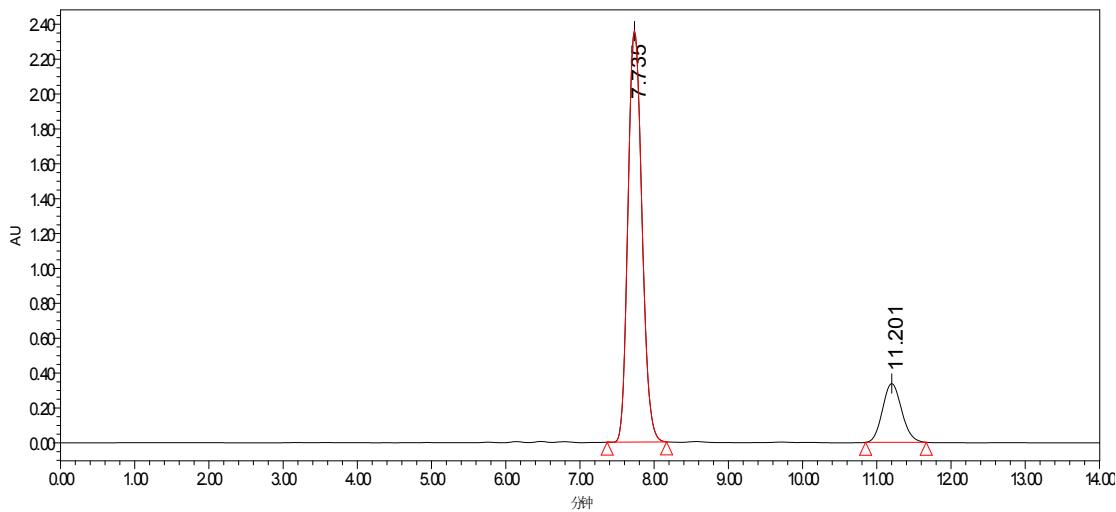
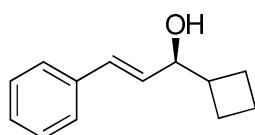
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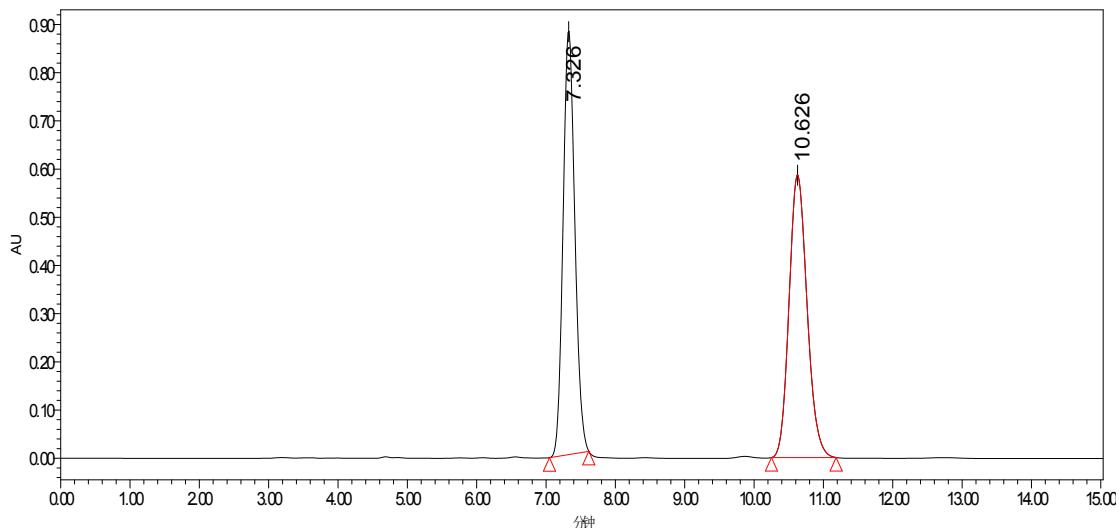
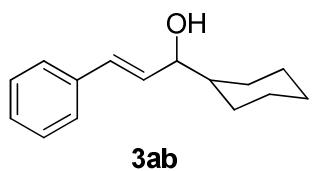
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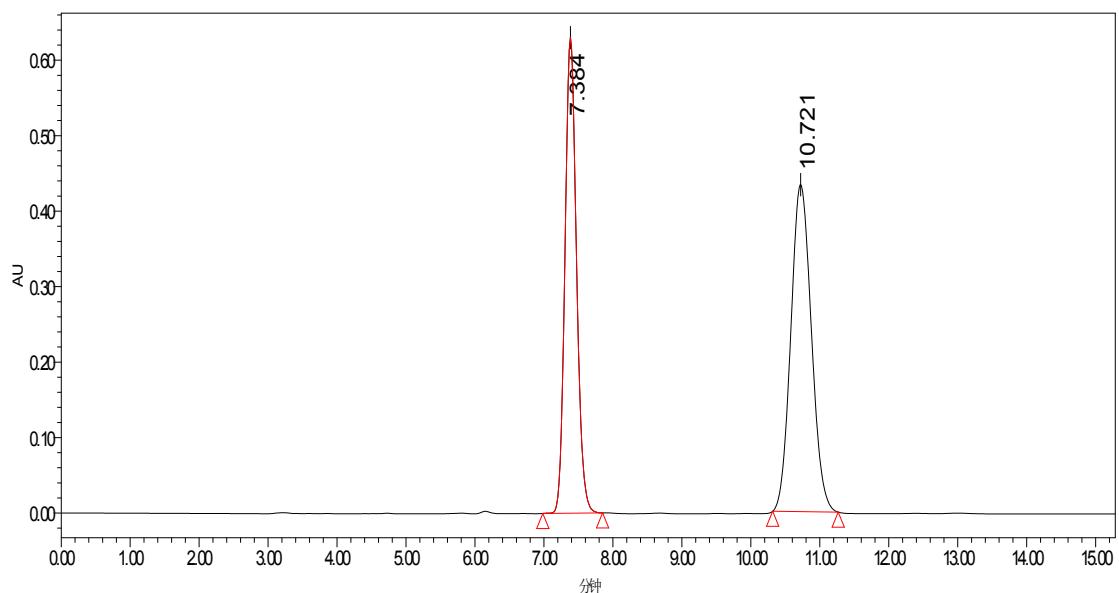
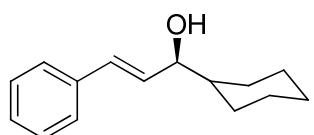
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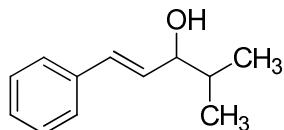
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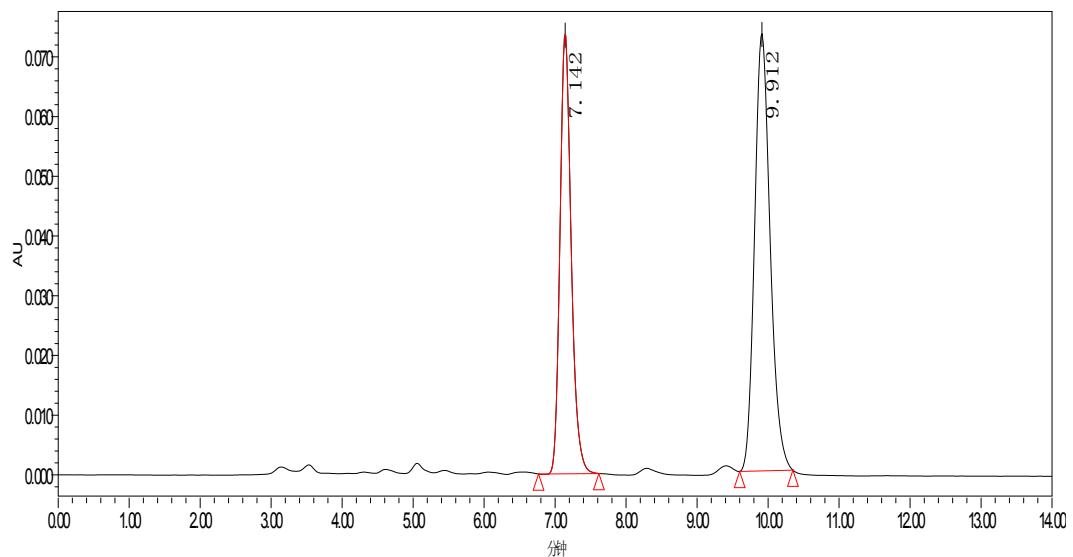
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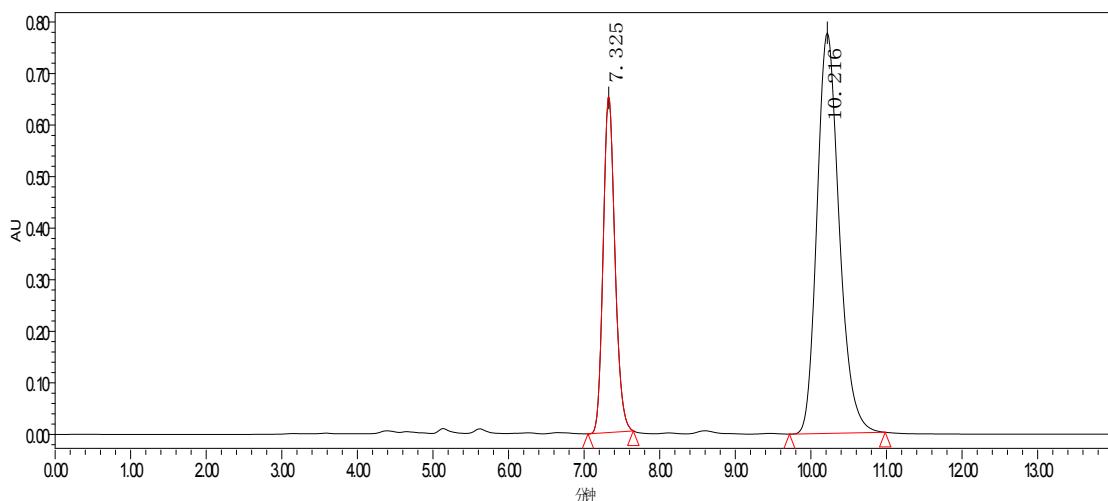
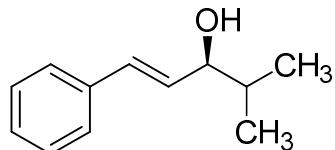
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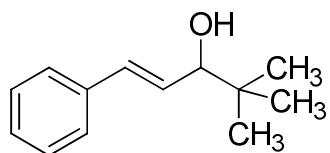
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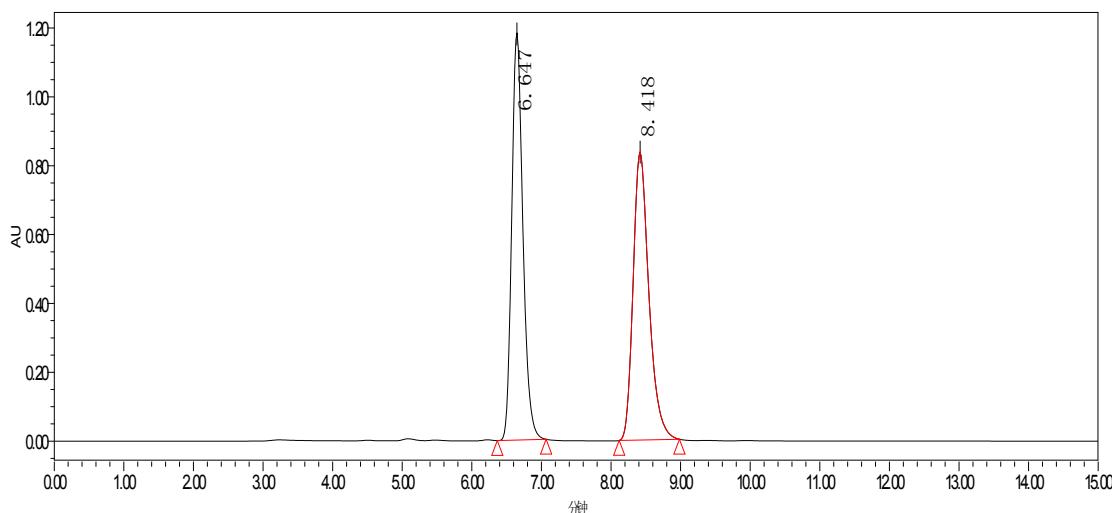
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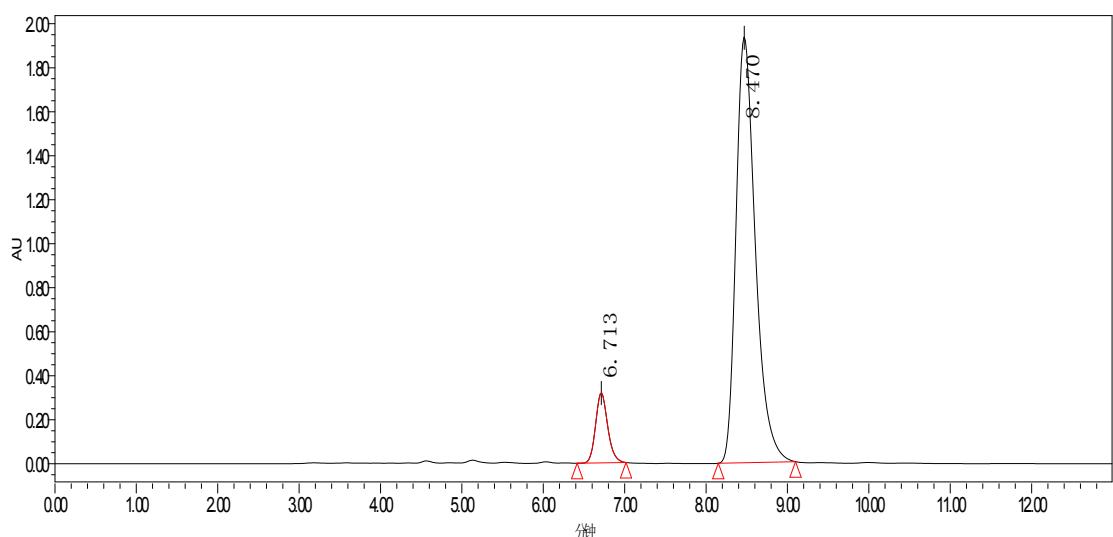
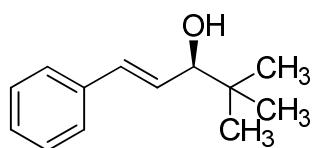
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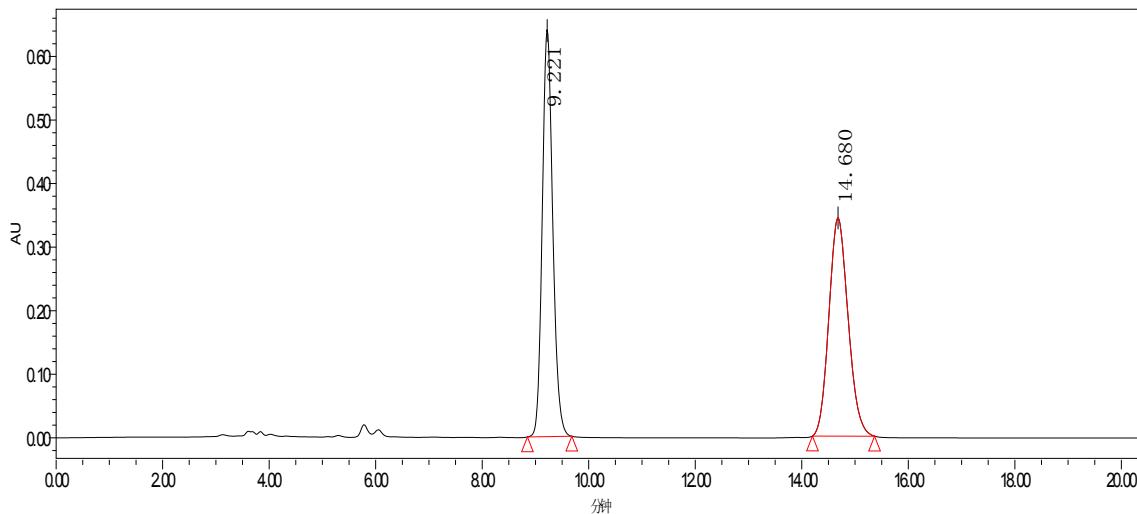
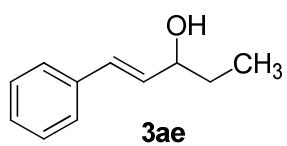
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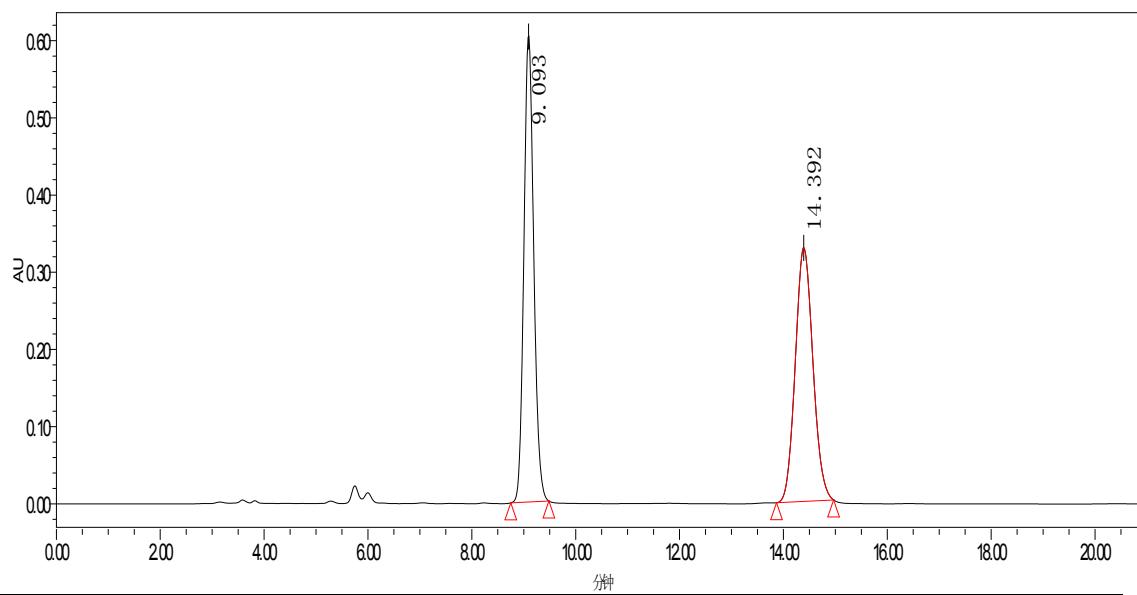
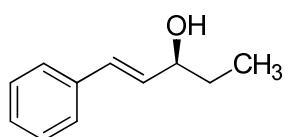
Peak	Ret Time [min]	% Area	
1	6.647	50.02	racemic
2	8.418	49.98	



Peak	Ret Time [min]	% Area	ee value (%)
1	6.713	9.32	81
2	8.470	90.68	



Peak	Ret Time [min]	% Area	
1	9.221	50.53	racemic
2	14.680	49.47	



Peak	Ret Time [min]	% Area	ee value (%)
1	9.093	50.64	0
2	14.392	49.36	