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Supporting Information

For

Radical alkylation of isocyanides with amino acid-/peptide-derived Katritzky salts via photoredox catalysis

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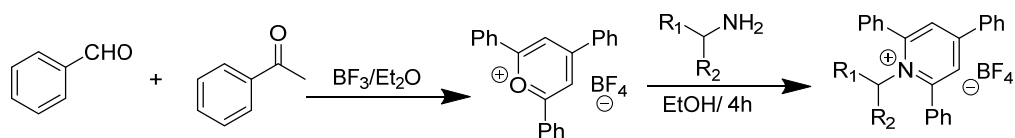
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1. General remarks

^1H NMR spectra were recorded on 400 or 600 MHz (100 or 150 MHz for ^{13}C NMR, 376 or 564 MHz for ^{19}F NMR) agilent NMR spectrometer with CDCl_3 as the solvent and tetramethylsilane (TMS) as the internal standard. Chemical shifts were reported in parts per million (ppm, δ scale) downfield from TMS at 0.00 ppm and referenced to the CDCl_3 at 7.26 ppm (for ^1H NMR) or 77.16 ppm (for ^{13}C NMR). ^{19}F NMR chemical shifts were determined relative to CFCl_3 at δ 0.00 ppm. Mass spectroscopy data of the products were collected on a GCT PremierTM (CI) and Agilent Technologies 1290 Infinity (ESI). Mass Spectrometer Infrared (FT-IR) spectra were recorded on a Varian 1000FT-IR, ν_{max} in cm^{-1} . Melting points were measured using SGW, X-4B and values are uncorrected. All commercially available reagents and solvents were used as received unless otherwise specified. The substrates were readily prepared according to known methods. (*Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2017**, 56, 12336; *Org. Lett.* **2013**, 15, 5520; *Org. Chem. Front.* **2017**, 4, 2049).

2. Synthesis of pyridinium salts



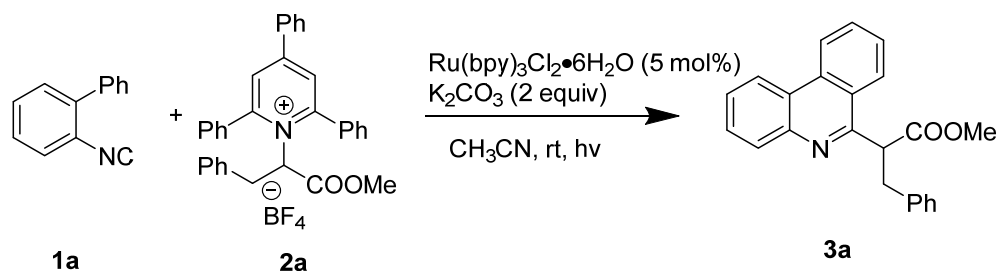
Synthesis of triphenylpyrylium tetrafluoroborate: Benzaldehyde (1 equiv) and acetophenone (2 equiv) were placed in a closed two-necked flask equipped with a magnetic stirrer, then boron trifluoride etherate (2.5 equiv) was added dropwise under argon treatment. The mixture was reacted at 100 °C for two hours and cooled to ambient temperature. Methyl *tert*-butyl ether was added to the reaction mixture and the resulting suspension stirred at ambient temperature. The solid was collected by filtration and washed with methyl *tert*-butyl ether. Recrystallization by acetone and methyl *tert*-butyl ether to get pure light yellow solid.

A closed flask equipped with a magnetic stirrer bar was charged with triphenylpyrylium tetrafluoroborate (1.0 equiv) and the corresponding primary amine (1.2 equiv). Ethanol (1.0 M) was added to the reaction vessel and the tube sealed. No precautions to protect the reaction mixture from air and moisture were taken. The reaction mixture was heated to 90 °C for 4 h and then cooled to ambient temperature. Methyl *tert*-butyl ether was added to the reaction mixture and the resulting suspension

stirred at room temperature. The solid was collected by filtration and washed with methyl *tert*-butyl ether. After the operations required the solids were dried under reduced pressure to obtain the analytically pure pyridinium salts.

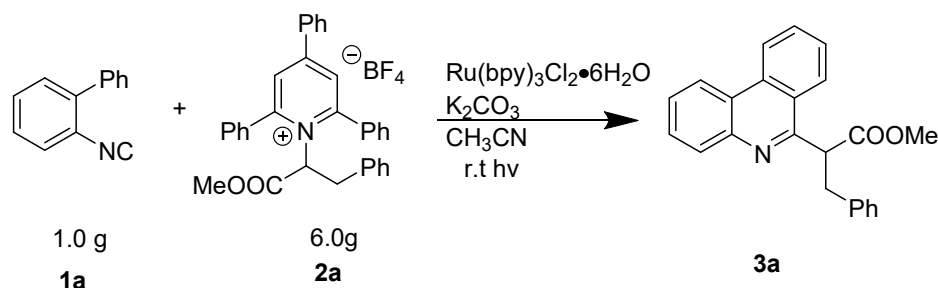
Amine hydrochlorides as starting materials: In case amine hydrochlorides were used as feedstocks for the pyridinium salts, the amine hydrochloride (1.2 equiv) was added to a clean and closed flask. Ethanol (1.0 M) and triethyl amine (1.2 equiv) were added. The resulting suspension was stirred for 30 min at ambient temperature. Triphenylpyrylium tetrafluoroborate (1.0 equiv) was added, the tube sealed and stirred for 4 h at 90 °C. Methyl *tert*-butyl ether was added to the reaction mixture and the resulting suspension stirred at room temperature for at least 1 h to complete the precipitation process. The solid was collected by filtration and washed with methyl *tert*-butyl ether. After the operations required the solids were dried under reduced pressure to obtain the analytically pure pyridinium salts. To remove water-soluble impurities, the collected solids were washed with water before washing with methyl *tert*-butyl ether.

3. Typical experimental procedure



To a solution of **1a** (27 mg, 0.15 mmol), **2a** (167.2 mg, 0.3 mmol), Ru(bpy)₃Cl₂·6H₂O (5.6 mg, 0.0075 mmol) in CH₃CN (2 ml) was added K₂CO₃ (41.5 mg, 0.3 mmol) at room temperature under N₂ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred for 12 hours upon 22W blue LEDs irradiation. The solvent was then removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 100:1 to 30:1) to give **3a** as a yellow solid (48 mg, 94% yield).

4. Gram-scale Reactions



To a solution of **1a** (1.0 g, 5.6 mmol), **2a** (6.0 g, 11.2 mmol), Ru(bpy)₃Cl₂·6H₂O (209 mg, 0.28 mmol) in CH₃CN (35 ml) was added K₂CO₃ (1.55 g, 11.2 mmol) at room temperature under N₂ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred for 12 hours upon 22W blue LEDs irradiation. The solvent was then removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 100:1 to 30:1) to give **3a** as a yellow solid (1.73 g, 90% yield).

5. Mechanistic studies

5.1 Fluorescence quenching experiment

Emission intensities were recorded using LS55 Luminescence Spectrometer for all experiments. Acetonitrile was degassed with argon for at least 30 minutes by ultrasonic treatment. All Ru(bpy)₃Cl₂·6H₂O solutions were excited at 450 nm and the emission intensity was collected at 580-630 nm. In a typical experiment, the CH₃CN solution of Ru(bpy)₃Cl₂·6H₂O (0.04 μM) was added the appropriate amount of quencher in a screw-top 1.0cm quartz cuvette. After degassing with argon for 10 min, the emission spectra of the samples were collected. The results showed that pyridinium salt **2a** quenched the photoexcited Ru(bpy)₃Cl₂·6H₂O effectively but isocyanobiphenyl **1a** did not.

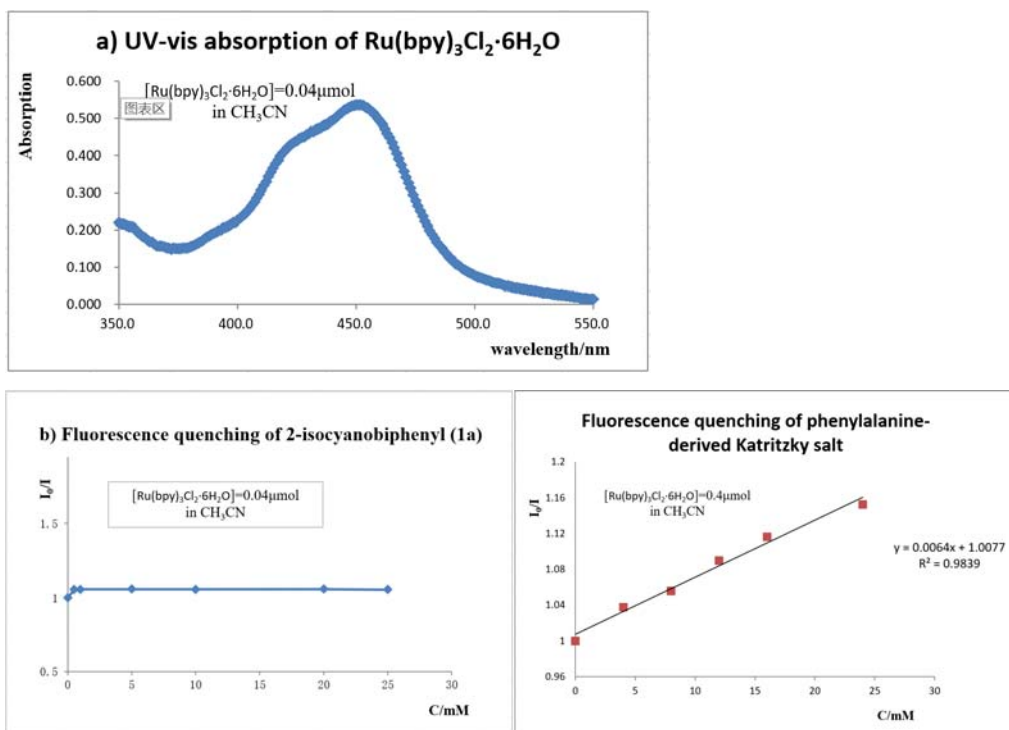
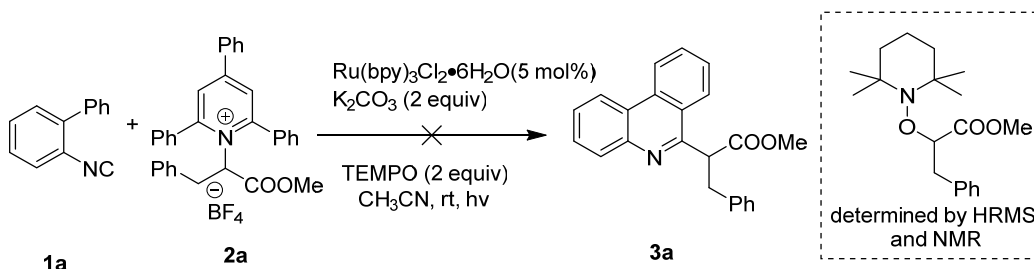


Figure S1. a) UV-vis absorption spectrum of $\text{Ru}(\text{bpy})_3\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$. b) $\text{Ru}(\text{bpy})_3\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ emission quenched by 2-isocyanobiphenyl **1a**. c) $\text{Ru}(\text{bpy})_3\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ emission quenched by Katritzky salt **2a**.

5.2 TEMPO-radical trapping experiment



When 2.0 equiv of TEMPO was added to the reaction of **1a** with **2a** under the standard conditions, no desired product (**3a**) was detected by TLC. A TEMPO-trapped product was determined by HRMS and NMR.

Methyl 3-phenyl-2-((2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidin-1-yl)oxy)propanoate: colorless oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.32 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 4.52 (dd, $J = 10.0, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.57 (s, 3H), 3.32 (dd, $J = 13.1, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.11 – 3.01 (m, 1H), 1.57 – 1.45 (m, 4H), 1.42 – 1.32 (m, 2H), 1.30 (s, 3H), 1.19 (s, 6H), 1.09 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.9, 135.8, 129.2, 128.2, 126.5, 86.4, 60.4, 59.3, 50.9, 40.1, 40.0, 38.4, 33.4, 32.7, 20.1, 19.9, 16.9; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 320.2226, found: 320.2234.

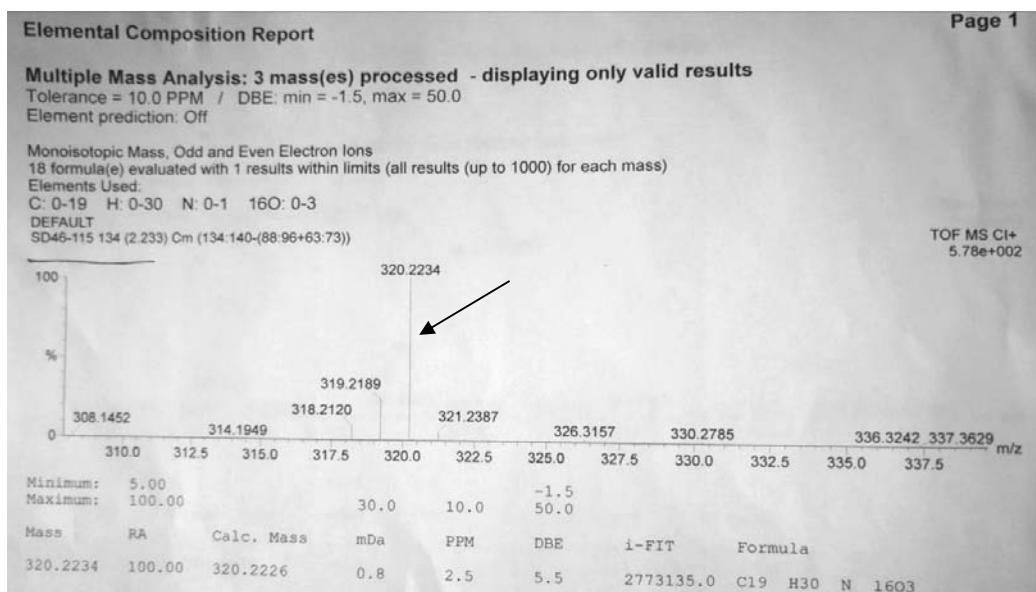


Figure S2. HRMS trace of the TEMPO trapping experiment.

5.3 Light on/off experiment

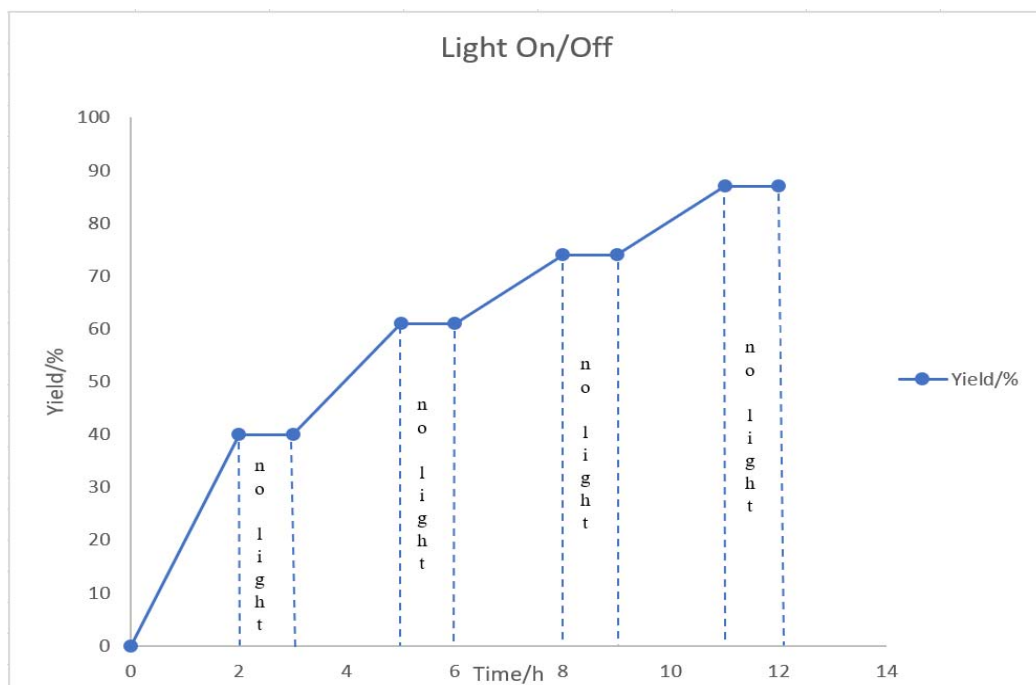
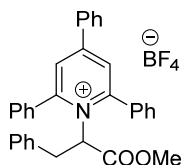


Figure S3. Profile of the reaction with the light on/off over time. Yield was determined by ^1H NMR.

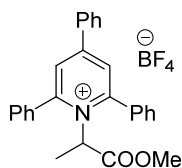
6 References for known products

Entry	References	Compounds
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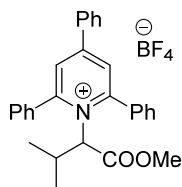
7 Characterization of the substrates and products



(1-Methoxy-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2a): ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.93 (s, 2H), 7.86 – 7.69 (m, 4H), 7.60 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.57 – 7.40 (m, 9H), 7.14 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 6.77 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.64 (dd, $J = 7.5, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.49 – 3.42 (m, 1H), 2.93 (dd, $J = 14.4, 8.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.0, 157.1, 157.0, 136.4, 133.8, 132.5, 132.4, 131.7, 129.8, 129.6, 129.2, 129.1, 128.72, 128.66, 128.0, 127.3, 70.3, 53.9, 37.8; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -152.80 (d, $J = 4.5$ Hz), -152.86 (d, $J = 3.5$ Hz).

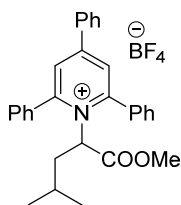


(1-Methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2b): ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.87 (s, 2H), 7.81 – 7.70 (m, 4H), 7.65 – 7.50 (m, 9H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.52 (q, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 1.46 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.9, 157.0, 156.8, 134.0, 132.7, 132.3, 131.5, 129.7, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.5, 127.9, 64.6, 53.8, 17.3; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -153.17 (s), -153.22 (s).

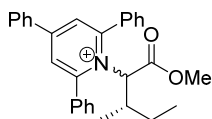


(1-Methoxy-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2c): ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.98 (s, 2H), 7.87 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.75 – 7.54 (m, 9H), 7.53 – 7.46 (m, 4H), 5.14 (d, $J = 10.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.12 – 2.01 (m, 1H), 0.73 (d, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 3H), 0.71 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz,

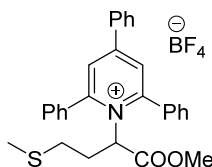
CDCl₃) δ 167.0, 157.2, 157.1, 133.1, 133.0, 132.0, 130.0, 129.6, 129.5, 129.0, 128.8, 127.9, 73.7, 53.9, 30.1, 22.4, 19.3; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -153.22 (s), -153.28 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₂₉H₂₈NO₂ [M-BF₄]⁺: 422.2115, found: 422.2114.



(1-Methoxy-4-methyl-1-oxopent-2-en-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2d): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 (s, 2H), 7.80 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (br, 2H), 7.62 – 7.52 (m, 7H), 7.51 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 5.46 (dd, *J* = 7.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 1.76 – 1.64 (m, 1H), 1.62 – 1.50 (m, 1H), 1.35 – 1.24 (m, 1H), 0.56 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H), 0.41 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.7, 156.8, 156.7, 133.7, 132.5, 132.3, 131.6, 129.6, 129.4, 129.1, 128.5, 127.9, 67.4, 53.9, 40.4, 26.1, 22.3, 20.7. ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -153.01 (s), -153.07 (s).

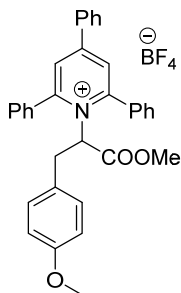


(1-Methoxy-3-methyl-1-oxopent-2-en-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2e): Two isomers, *d.r.*: 1.1:1; ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.00 (s, 2H), 7.93 – 7.87 (m, 2H), 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.65 – 7.58 (m, 7H), 7.56 – 7.46 (m, 5H), 5.32 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 0.5H)/5.18 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 0.6H), 3.77 (s, 1.6H)/3.74 (s, 1.3H), 2.02 – 1.93 (m, 0.6H)/1.75 – 1.66 (m, 0.9H), 1.41 – 1.34 (m, 0.6H)/1.01 – 0.91 (m, 0.9H), 1.30 – 1.18 (m, 1.6H)/0.50 – 0.43 (m, 1.3H), 0.84 (t, 2.3H)/0.70 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 0.82 – 0.75 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.0, 166.8, 157.10, 157.06, 133.1, 133.0, 131.9, 129.9, 129.8, 129.7, 129.4, 129.2, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 127.8, 73.5, 71.3, 53.93, 53.87, 36.0, 35.6, 27.8, 25.4, 18.5, 15.2, 11.1, 9.5; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -153.28 (s), -153.34 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₃₀H₃₀NO₂ [M-BF₄]⁺: 436.2271, found: 436.2270.

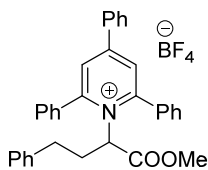


(1-Methoxy-4-(methylthio)-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.87 (s, 2H), 7.74 (dd, *J* = 31.7, 8.1 Hz, 4H), 7.63 – 7.50 (m, 7H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 5.92 (dd, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.37 – 2.16 (m, 3H), 1.95 – 1.85 (m, 1H), 1.84 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz,

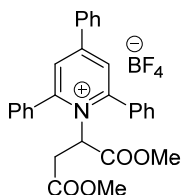
CDCl₃) δ 168.4, 156.9, 133.8, 132.5, 132.2, 131.5, 129.6, 129.1, 128.5, 66.7, 53.9, 31.4, 30.8, 14.7; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.74 (s), -152.79 (s).



1-(1-Methoxy-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2g): ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 (s, 2H), 7.84 – 7.68 (m, 4H), 7.59 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.56 – 7.50 (m, 5H), 7.50 – 7.36 (m, 4H), 6.67 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.60 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 5.58 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 6H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 14.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.89 (dd, *J* = 14.6, 7.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.8, 158.7, 156.9, 133.6, 132.5, 132.2, 131.6, 130.1, 129.7, 129.5, 129.2, 128.6, 128.0, 127.8, 114.0, 70.4, 55.3, 53.8, 36.9; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.75 – -152.79 (m), -152.80 – -152.85 (m); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₃₄H₃₀NO₃ [M-BF₄]⁺: 500.2220, found: 500.2217.

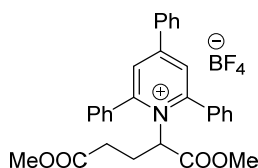


1-(1-Methoxy-1-oxo-4-phenylbutan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2h): ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 (s, 2H), 7.84 – 7.65 (m, 4H), 7.59 – 7.43 (m, 11H), 7.16 – 7.09 (m, 3H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 5.37 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.48 – 2.36 (m, 3H), 2.03 – 1.96 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.7, 157.1, 156.9, 138.7, 134.0, 132.6, 132.4, 131.5, 129.8, 129.2, 128.71, 128.65, 128.56, 128.1, 126.6, 68.1, 53.8, 33.5, 33.2; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.86 (s), -152.92 (s).

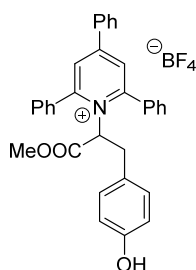


1-(1,4-Dimethoxy-1,4-dioxobutan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2i): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.93 (s, 3H), 7.79 (t, *J* = 11.8 Hz, 3H), 7.73 – 7.37 (m, 11H), 6.22 (d, *J* = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 3.38 (dd, *J* = 17.4 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 9.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.6, 167.74, 167.70, 157.4, 133.9, 132.5, 131.7, 129.8, 129.4, 128.6, 64.1, 54.1, 52.6, 36.0;

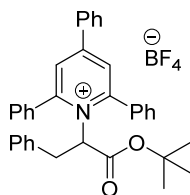
^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -152.78 (d, $J = 4.1$ Hz), -152.83 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_4$ $[\text{M-BF}_4]^+$: 452.1856, found: 452.1853.



1-(1,5-Dimethoxy-1,5-dioxopentan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2j): ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.93 (s, 2H), 7.83 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.80 – 7.52 (m, 11H), 7.49 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.60 (t, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 2.26 (tt, $J = 13.5, 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.21 – 2.14 (m, 2H), 2.06 (tt, $J = 14.6, 7.3$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.1, 168.2, 157.2, 133.7, 132.5, 132.4, 131.7, 129.8, 129.4, 128.6, 128.1, 67.6, 54.0, 51.8, 30.8, 27.0; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -153.06 (s), -153.11 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_4$ $[\text{M-BF}_4]^+$: 466.2013, found: 466.2012.

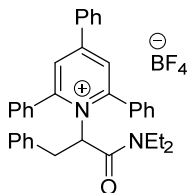


1-(3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2k): ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.92 (s, 2H), 7.86 – 7.83 (m, 2H), 7.79 – 7.46 (m, 13H), 6.62 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.44 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 5.60 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.15 (dd, $J = 14.8, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.89 (dd, $J = 14.8, 6.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.2, 157.1, 156.3, 132.9, 132.2, 131.9, 130.0, 129.8, 129.4, 128.7, 116.3, 70.9, 53.9, 36.7; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -151.85 (s), -151.90 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M-BF}_4]^+$: 486.2064, found: 486.2062.

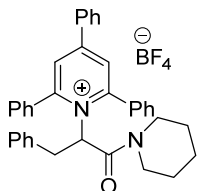


1-(tert-Butoxy)-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2l): ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.95 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.88 – 7.78 (m, 3H), 7.79 – 7.44 (m, 12H), 7.07 (dd, $J = 9.3, 5.7$ Hz, 3H), 6.83 – 6.76 (m, 2H), 5.55 (dd, $J = 8.3, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.45 – 3.39 (m, 1H), 2.48 – 2.41 (m, 1H), 1.35 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 167.84, 167.80, 156.8, 146.0, 137.3, 137.2, 134.0, 133.0, 132.4, 131.5, 129.8, 128.9, 128.6, 128.5, 127.0, 85.6, 72.0, 37.8, 27.8; ^{19}F

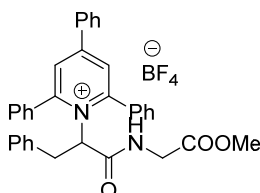
NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.65 (s), -152.70 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₃₆H₃₄NO₂ [M-BF₄]⁺: 512.2584, found: 512.2586.



1-(1-(Diethylamino)-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2m): ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.04 (br, 2H), 7.85 (s, 2H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.74 – 7.49 (m, 9H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 3H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 5.96 (dd, *J* = 9.5, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (dd, *J* = 14.3, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.23 – 3.04 (m, 2H), 2.96 – 2.85 (m, 1H), 2.26 – 2.10 (m, 2H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.37 (t, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.2, 157.7, 155.8, 145.8, 135.8, 133.9, 133.6, 132.4, 131.2, 129.9, 129.7, 129.0, 128.93, 128.87, 128.5, 128.4, 127.4, 70.9, 41.3, 40.6, 39.1, 12.8, 12.2; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.75 (s), -152.80 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₃₆H₃₅N₂O [M-BF₄]⁺: 511.2744, found: 511.2743.

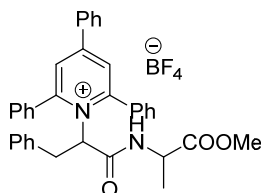


1-(1-Oxo-3-phenyl-1-(piperidin-1-yl)propan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-iumtetrafluoroborate (2n): ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.27 (br, 2H), 7.83 (s, 2H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.65 – 7.43 (m, 11H), 7.14 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.18 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.79 – 3.68 (m, 1H), 3.61 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 2.86 – 2.73 (m, 1H), 2.47 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 11.1 Hz, 1H), 1.98 – 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.62 – 1.51 (m, 1H), 1.47 – 1.38 (m, 1H), 1.34 – 1.08 (m, 3H), 0.67 – 0.53 (m, 1H), 0.28 – 0.13 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.9, 157.8, 155.4, 135.7, 134.6, 133.8, 132.3, 131.0, 129.9, 129.7, 129.5, 129.0, 128.4, 128.3, 127.6, 71.2, 46.1, 43.8, 39.6, 24.9, 24.5, 23.5; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -152.70 (s), -152.75 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd C₃₇H₃₅N₂O [M-BF₄]⁺: 523.2744, found: 523.2739.

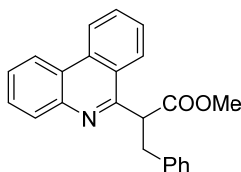


1-(1-((2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)amino)-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2o): ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 (s, 2H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (br, 2H), 7.61 – 7.36 (m, 11H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 6.69 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 5.74 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.01 – 3.88

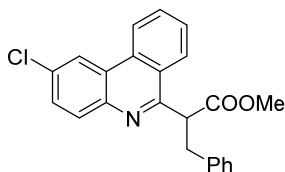
(m, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.26 – 3.15 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.3, 167.0, 157.9, 156.6, 135.6, 133.7, 132.63, 132.56, 131.6, 129.9, 129.7, 129.3, 129.2, 128.8, 128.5, 128.0, 127.8, 71.4, 52.4, 41.9, 36.6; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -152.45 (s), -152.50 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}-\text{BF}_4]^+$: 527.2329, found: 527.2330.



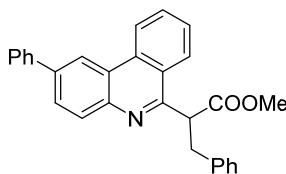
1-((1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)amino)-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2,4,6-triphenylpyridin-1-ium tetrafluoroborate (2p): Two isomers, *d.r.*: 1.3:1; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.94 (s, 2H), 7.83 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.77 – 7.71 (m, 3H), 7.65 – 7.51 (m, 10H), 7.19 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 6.77 – 6.72 (m, 2H), 5.79 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.3 Hz, 0.64H)/5.74 (dd, J = 8.1, 5.6 Hz, 0.5H), 4.35 – 4.25 (m, 1H), 3.74 (s, 1.3H)/3.63 (s, 1.7H), 3.65 (dd, J = 14.9, 4.3 Hz, 0.81H)/3.48 (dd, J = 15.0, 5.6 Hz, 0.64H), 2.85 (dd, J = 14.9, 8.2 Hz, 0.57H)/2.59 (dd, J = 14.9, 9.1 Hz, 0.75H), 1.33 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.3, 171.9, 167.7, 166.8, 157.4, 157.0, 156.8, 136.0, 136.0, 134.2, 133.2, 133.0, 132.4, 131.5, 129.8, 129.6, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 128.7, 128.6, 128.6, 128.6, 128.2, 128.0, 127.9, 71.7, 71.4, 52.70, 52.65, 49.4, 37.3, 37.2, 29.9, 17.7, 17.2; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -152.21 (s), -152.26 (s); HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}-\text{BF}_4]^+$: 541.2486, found: 541.2484.



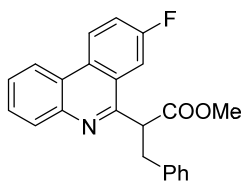
Methyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3a): Yellow solid; m.p. 126–127 °C; 94% yield (48 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.63 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.30 – 8.21 (m, 2H), 7.81 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.70 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.33 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (dd, J = 13.8, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.68 – 3.58 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.7, 157.4, 143.5, 139.8, 133.3, 130.5, 129.2, 128.7, 128.4, 127.6, 127.1, 126.4, 125.6, 125.2, 123.8, 122.7, 121.9, 52.36, 52.32, 37.2; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2918, 1745, 1722, 1161, 751; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 342.1494, found: 342.1489.



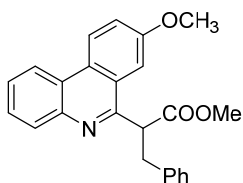
Methyl 2-(2-chlorophenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3b): Yellowish solid; m.p. 115-116 °C; 88% yield (49 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.51 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.47 (s, 1H), 8.25 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.15 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.71 – 7.65 (m, 2H), 7.29 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (dd, J = 14.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.60 (dd, J = 14.0, 6.6 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.6, 157.7, 142.0, 139.6, 133.0, 132.3, 131.9, 130.8, 129.3, 129.2, 128.5, 128.3, 126.5, 125.7, 125.4, 124.9, 122.7, 121.7, 52.4, 52.3, 37.1; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 1733, 1537, 1150, 766, 695; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{19}^{35}\text{ClNO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 376.1104, found: 376.1098.



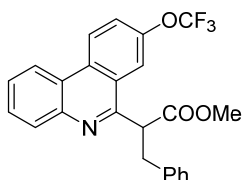
Methyl 3-phenyl-2-(2-phenylphenanthridin-6-yl)propanoate (3c): Yellow solid; m.p. 147-148 °C; 70% (42mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.76 – 8.66 (m, 2H), 8.31 – 8.21 (m, 2H), 7.96 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.85 – 7.73 (m, 3H), 7.66 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (dd, J = 13.9, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.62 – 3.57 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.7, 157.4, 143.0, 141.1, 140.0, 139.8, 133.4, 130.9, 130.5, 129.2, 129.1, 128.53, 128.47, 128.2, 127.74, 127.69, 126.4, 125.7, 125.4, 124.0, 122.7, 120.3, 52.40, 52.37, 37.2; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 1730, 1251, 1212, 1149, 760; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 418.1807, found: 418.1806.



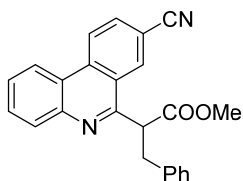
Methyl 2-(8-fluorophenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3d): White solid; m.p. 121-122 °C; 85% (46 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.54 (dd, J = 8.9, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 8.40 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.85 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (dd, J = 13.9, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.66 – 3.57 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.4, 161.5 (d, J = 248.5 Hz), 156.4 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 3.8 Hz), 143.2, 139.5, 130.6, 129.9, 129.2, 128.6, 128.5, 127.5, 126.6 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 7.6 Hz), 125.2 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 8.5 Hz), 123.4, 121.7, 119.6 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 23.8 Hz), 110.3 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 52.42, 52.35, 37.0; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -111.40 – -111.47 (m, 1F); FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2923, 2227, 1739, 1209, 757; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{19}\text{FNO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 360.1400, found: 360.1396.



Methyl 2-(8-methoxyphenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3e): Yellowish solid; m.p. 124-125 °C; 76% (42mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.48 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 8.40 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.17 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (dd, J = 9.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (t, J = 16.6, 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.86 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 3.75 (dd, J = 14.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.57 (dd, J = 14.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.8, 158.8, 156.5, 142.8, 139.9, 130.4, 129.2, 128.5, 127.7, 127.6, 127.1, 126.5, 126.4, 124.3, 124.0, 121.5, 121.1, 105.8, 55.6, 52.9, 52.3, 37.1; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2950, 1718, 1221, 1162, 703; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 372.1600, found: 372.1613.

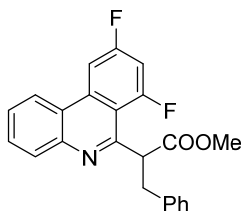


Methyl 3-phenyl-2-(8-(trifluoromethoxy)phenanthridin-6-yl)propanoate (3f): Yellowish solid; m.p. 98-99 °C; 67% (43 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.67 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 8.50 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.24 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.06 (s, 1H), 7.77 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (t, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (dd, 1H), 3.68 – 3.55 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3 , overlapping peaks) δ 172.4, 156.6, 148.0, 143.7, 139.4, 131.8, 130.7, 129.2, 128.5, 127.7, 126.6, 126.1, 125.0, 124.0, 123.1, 122.0, 122.0, 120.7 (q, J = 258.3 Hz), 117.0, 52.5, 37.1; ^{19}F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -57.77 (s, 3F). FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 3030, 1727, 1191, 1153, 760; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{19}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 426.1317, found: 426.1308.

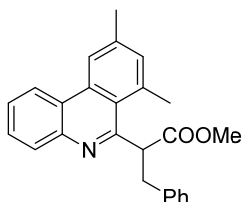


Methyl 2-(8-cyanophenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3g): Yellow solid; m.p. 166-167 °C; 65% (36 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.68 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 8.52 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.47 (s, 1H), 8.27 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.24 – 7.16 (m, 4H), 7.13 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (dd, J = 13.9, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.62 (dd, J = 13.9, 7.7 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.1, 156.7, 144.5,

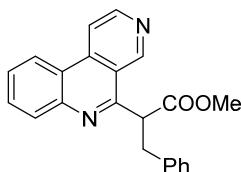
139.1, 135.8, 131.6, 131.2, 130.8, 130.6, 129.2, 128.6, 128.0, 126.7, 124.9, 123.9, 122.5, 118.6, 111.0, 52.6, 51.9, 37.2; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm⁻¹) 2923, 1727, 1144, 760, 697; HRMS (CI) calcd C₂₄H₁₉N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 367.1447, found: 367.1438.



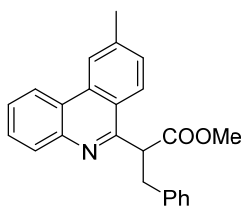
Methyl 2-(7,9-difluorophenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3h): Light green solid; m.p. 95-96 °C; 88% (49 mg); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.35 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 8.07 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.19 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 5.13 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.57 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.8, 163.1 (dd, J = 253.0, 14.1 Hz), 161.0 (dd, J = 256.7, 13.1 Hz), 154.7 (d, J = 6.4 Hz), 143.5, 139.9, 137.4 (dd, J = 10.5, 4.7 Hz), 130.6, 130.1, 129.5, 128.3, 127.7, 126.3, 122.4, 122.0 (t, J = 3.6 Hz), 112.5 (d, J = 11.7 Hz), 104.4 (dd, J = 21.9, 3.9 Hz), 104.1 (t, J = 28.1 Hz), 55.7, 52.2, 37.3; ¹⁹F NMR (564 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -103.02 (t, J = 11.8 Hz), -104.28 (dd, J = 20.3, 9.3 Hz); FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm⁻¹) 2917, 1745, 1150, 754, 700; HRMS (CI) calcd C₂₃H₁₈F₂NO₂ [M + H]⁺: 378.1306, found: 378.1302.



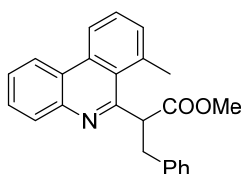
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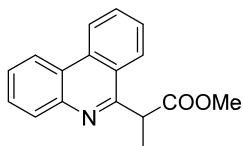
Methyl 2-(benzo[c][2,7]naphthyridin-5-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3j): Yellowish solid; m.p. 160-161 °C; 91% (47 mg); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.59 (s, 1H), 8.88 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 8.49 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.34 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 8.25 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.12 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.07 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.68 – 3.61 (m, 4H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.1, 157.2, 149.6, 148.4, 144.9, 139.2, 138.1, 131.0, 130.6, 129.2, 128.5, 127.7, 126.6, 122.5, 121.7, 120.3, 115.7, 52.5, 51.6, 37.1; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm⁻¹) 2920, 1730, 1144, 769, 700; HRMS (CI) calcd C₂₂H₁₉N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 343.1447, found: 343.1444.



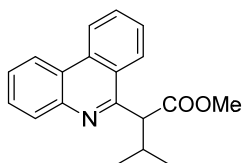
Methyl 2-(9-methylphenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3k): Yellowish solid; m.p. 88-90 °C; 44% (19 mg); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.54 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.43 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.14 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 13.9, 6.4 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.58 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.64 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.8, 157.3, 140.9, 139.9, 133.5, 130.5, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.6, 128.5, 126.9, 126.4, 125.5, 123.7, 123.4, 122.4, 122.0, 52.5, 52.4, 37.2, 22.3; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm⁻¹) 2923, 1742, 1191, 1159, 697; HRMS (CI) calcd C₂₄H₂₂NO₂ [M + H]⁺: 356.1651, found: 356.1649.



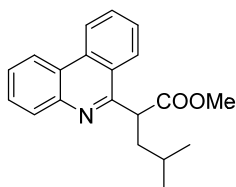
Methyl 2-(7-methylphenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (3k'): Yellow oil; 40% (17 mg); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.56 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.17 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.67 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.21 – 7.13 (m, 4H), 7.11 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 5.43 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.68 – 3.64 (m, 1H), 3.51 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.97 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.0, 158.4, 142.8, 139.7, 135.3, 135.0, 132.2, 129.9, 129.8, 129.1, 128.6, 128.3, 127.0, 126.2, 125.5, 123.9, 122.3, 121.3, 53.9, 52.3, 38.5, 26.2; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm⁻¹) 2917, 1721, 1173, 748, 698; HRMS (CI) calcd C₂₄H₂₂NO₂ [M + H]⁺: 356.1651, found: 356.1646.



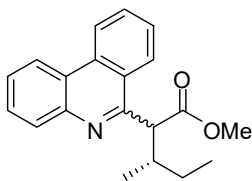
Methyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)propanoate (4a): White solid; m.p. 85-86 °C; 83% (33 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.65 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d, J = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.83 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (dt, J = 14.9, 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 1.80 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.3, 159.4, 143.6, 133.4, 130.5, 130.3, 128.7, 127.6, 127.0, 125.6, 124.8, 123.8, 122.8, 121.9, 52.3, 45.6, 16.6; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2950, 1724, 1221, 754, 727; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 266.1181, found: 266.1182.



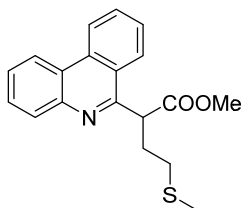
Methyl 3-methyl-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)butanoate (4b): Yellowish solid; m.p. 86-88 °C; 68% (30 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.67 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.56 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.41 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, J = 17.6, 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (d, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.16 – 3.06 (m, 1H), 1.23 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.83 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.9, 157.4, 143.8, 133.3, 130.5, 130.4, 128.7, 127.6, 127.0, 125.9, 123.7, 122.7, 122.0, 58.1, 52.1, 30.1, 21.6, 21.0; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2917, 1733, 1149, 757, 721; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 294.1494, found: 294.1499.



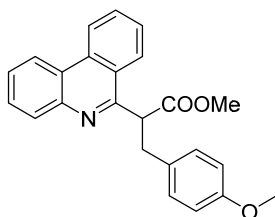
Methyl 4-methyl-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)pentanoate (4c): Yellow solid; m.p. 89-90 °C; 75% (35 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.67 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.55 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.28 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.18 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.38 – 2.28 (m, 1H), 2.17 – 2.07 (m, 1H), 1.76 – 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.01 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H), 0.99 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.6, 158.5, 143.7, 133.4, 130.5, 128.7, 127.6, 127.0, 125.6, 125.1, 123.8, 122.8, 121.9, 52.3, 49.2, 40.2, 26.6, 22.8, 22.7; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2938, 1718, 1162, 751, 724; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 308.1651, found: 308.1646.



Methyl 3-methyl-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)pentanoate (4d): Yellowish oil; 74% (34 mg); Two isomers, *d.r.*: 1.3:1; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.67 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 8.56 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 8.41 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 8.22 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.84 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.52 (d, $J = 10.0$ Hz, 0.44H)/4.50 (d, $J = 10.2$ Hz, 0.56H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 2.98 – 2.87 (m, 1H), 1.86 – 1.08 (m, 2H), 1.20 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 1.3H)/0.79 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1.7H), 1.06 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.7H)/0.84 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.9, 172.8, 157.4, 157.2, 143.8, 133.24, 133.22, 130.59, 130.53, 130.46, 128.7, 127.62, 127.59, 127.0, 125.99, 125.95, 125.8, 123.7, 122.7, 121.9, 56.8, 56.5, 52.12, 52.10, 36.1, 36.0, 28.1, 27.3, 17.4, 16.8, 11.5, 11.4; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2965, 1730, 1165, 754, 721; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 308.1651, found: 308.1651.

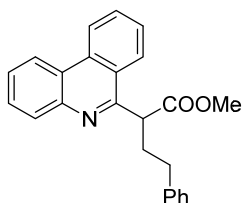


Methyl 4-(methylthio)-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)butanoate (4e): Yellow oil; 84% (42 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.68 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 8.56 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 8.34 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 8.15 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.86 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.76 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.66 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.96 (t, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.69 – 2.64 (m, 2H), 2.64 – 2.54 (m, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.1, 157.8, 143.6, 133.4, 130.6, 130.4, 128.8, 127.8, 127.1, 125.7, 125.2, 123.9, 122.8, 122.0, 52.4, 48.8, 32.6, 30.4, 15.5; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2923, 1748, 1724, 1127, 760; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 326.1215, found: 326.1211.

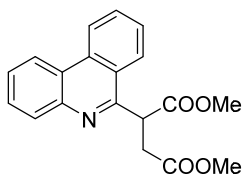


Methyl 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)propanoate (4f): Yellowish oil; 97% (60 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.65 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 8.55 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 8.25 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.21 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.83 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.75 (t, 1H), 7.70 – 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 4.94 (t, $J = 7.7, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.69 (dd, $J = 14.1, 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s,

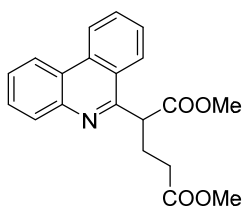
3H), 3.53 (dd, $J = 14.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.8, 158.2, 157.5, 143.6, 133.3, 131.9, 130.5, 130.2, 128.8, 127.6, 127.1, 125.7, 125.3, 123.9, 122.7, 122.0, 113.9, 55.3, 52.7, 52.4, 36.3; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 1730, 1510, 1245, 754, 721; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 372.1600, found: 372.1593.



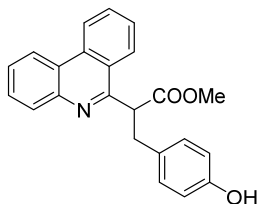
Methyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-4-phenylbutanoate (4g): Yellow solid; m.p. 90-91 °C; 92% (48 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.66 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.56 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 8.18 (d, 1H), 8.04 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.83 (t, 1H), 7.73 (t, 1H), 7.68 – 7.62 (m, 2H), 7.32 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 4.66 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.84 – 2.70 (m, 3H), 2.63 – 2.55 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.3, 158.0, 143.7, 141.6, 133.4, 130.5, 130.4, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 127.6, 127.1, 126.1, 125.7, 125.2, 123.8, 122.8, 122.0, 52.4, 49.9, 34.1, 32.9; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 1730, 1435, 1153, 760, 727; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 356.1651, found: 356.1649.



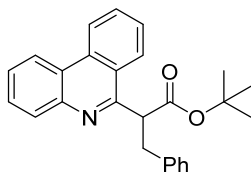
Dimethyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)succinate (4h): Yellowish oil; 98% (48 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.66 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.55 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 8.35 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.13 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.86 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.27 (t, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.49 (dd, $J = 17.1, 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.28 (dd, $J = 17.1, 6.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.7, 172.4, 156.7, 143.4, 133.4, 130.7, 130.4, 128.7, 127.7, 127.2, 125.8, 125.0, 123.9, 122.7, 122.0, 52.7, 52.1, 45.9, 35.5; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2953, 1727, 1153, 757, 727; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_4$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 324.1236, found: 324.1226.



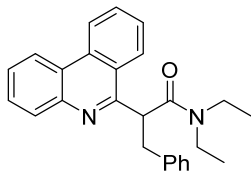
Dimethyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)pentanedioate (4i): Yellow oil; 88% (44 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.66 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.55 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.35 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.15 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (t, J = 19.9, 12.5 Hz, 1H), 7.77 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.65 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 2.71 – 2.58 (m, 2H), 2.57 – 2.45 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.8, 173.0, 157.8, 143.5, 133.3, 130.6, 130.4, 128.7, 127.7, 127.1, 125.7, 125.1, 123.8, 122.7, 122.0, 52.4, 51.7, 49.4, 31.8, 26.3; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2923, 2848, 1724, 1156, 697; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_4$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 338.1392, found: 338.1388.



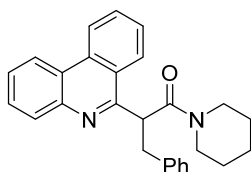
Methyl 3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)propanoate (4j): Yellow oil; 68% (36.1 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.66 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.58 – 8.54 (m, 1H), 8.25 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.19 (d, J = 8.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.87 – 7.81 (m, 1H), 7.75 – 7.63 (m, 3H), 7.05 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.60 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.92 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (dd, J = 14.1, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.49 (dd, J = 14.1, 6.9 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.1, 157.7, 154.5, 143.3, 133.5, 131.2, 130.7, 130.3, 130.2, 128.9, 127.7, 127.2, 125.8, 125.2, 123.9, 122.8, 122.1, 115.5, 53.3, 52.5, 36.4; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 358.1443, found: 358.1435.



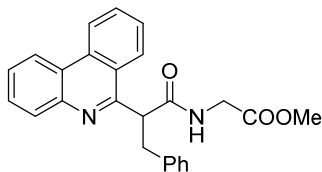
tert-Butyl 2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoate (4k): White solid; m.p. 147-148 °C; 94% (54 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.62 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.25 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.20 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (t, J = 13.6, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.66 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.31 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.89 – 4.84 (m, 1H), 3.71 (dd, J = 14.1, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (dd, J = 14.1, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 1.31 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 171.5, 158.1, 143.7, 140.2, 133.3, 130.5, 130.3, 129.3, 128.6, 128.4, 127.3, 126.9, 126.3, 125.8, 125.3, 123.8, 122.6, 122.0, 81.3, 53.2, 37.1, 28.1; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2971, 1635, 757, 724, 695; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 384.1964, found: 384.1970.



***N,N*-Diethyl-2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanamide (4l):** Yellow oil; 95% (57 mg); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.66 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.55 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.40 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.17 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.69 – 7.62 (m, 2H), 7.29 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.97 – 4.93 (m, 1H), 3.89 (dd, J = 13.9, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dq, J = 13.8, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, J = 14.0, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.25 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 3.07 (dq, J = 14.2, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.69 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.4, 159.1, 143.6, 140.7, 133.4, 130.5, 130.4, 129.2, 128.7, 128.3, 127.5, 127.0, 126.2, 125.7, 124.8, 123.6, 122.8, 121.9, 52.8, 41.6, 40.5, 38.2, 13.9, 12.7; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2938, 1629, 1218, 760, 695; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 383.2123, found: 383.2140.

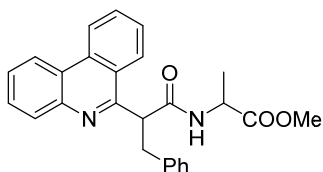


2-(Phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenyl-1-(piperidin-1-yl)propan-1-one (4m): Light yellow solid; m.p. 116-117 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; 98% (58 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.53 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.41 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.19 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 7.08 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.04 – 6.98 (m, 1H), 4.86 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (dd, J = 13.8, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 – 3.59 (m, 1H), 3.34 – 3.20 (m, 2H), 3.18 – 2.98 (m, 2H), 1.40 – 1.20 (m, 4H), 0.96 – 0.81 (m, 1H), 0.70 – 0.57 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.8, 159.0, 143.6, 140.7, 133.4, 130.5, 130.4, 129.4, 128.7, 128.4, 127.6, 127.0, 126.2, 125.6, 124.8, 123.6, 122.8, 121.9, 52.4, 46.7, 43.6, 38.1, 25.8, 25.6, 24.5; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2935, 1632, 1221, 763, 698; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 395.2123, found: 395.2140.



Methyl (2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoyl)glycinate (4n): Yellow oil; 72% (39 mg); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.61 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.56 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 8.48 (br, 1H), 8.27 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.69 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 6.98 (m, 5H), 4.98 (t, J = 8.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (dd, J = 18.5, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (dd, J = 18.5, 4.7

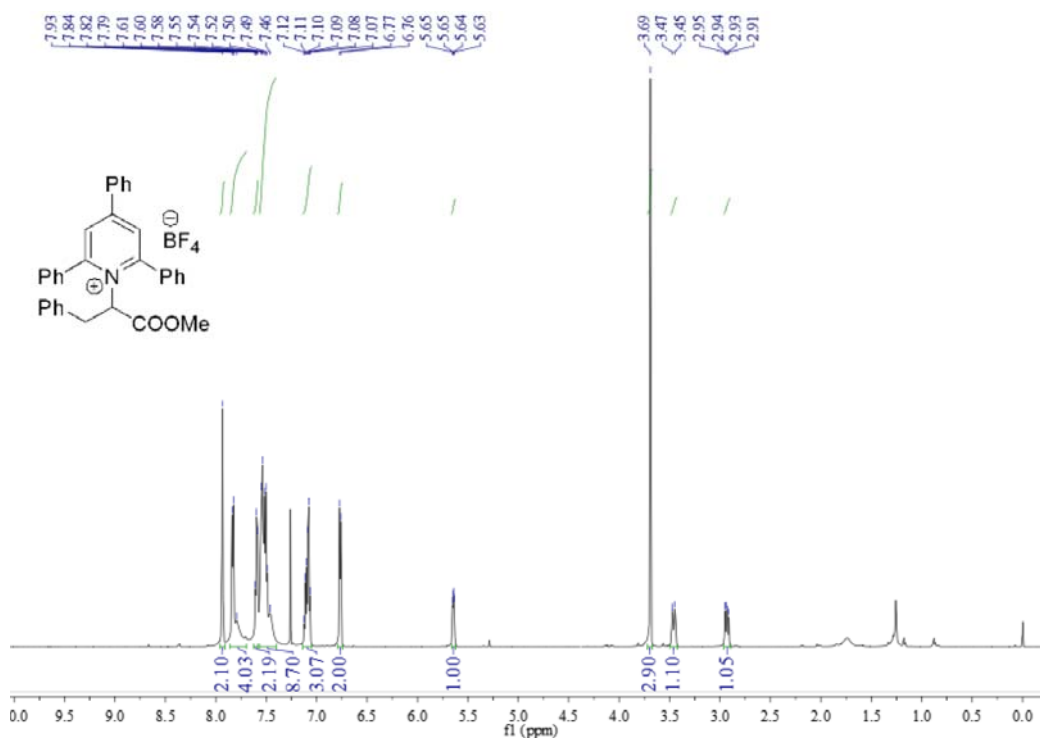
Hz, 1H), 3.76 – 3.67 (m, 4H), 3.63 (dd, $J = 13.3, 5.7$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.1, 170.4, 158.7, 142.9, 139.0, 133.1, 130.9, 129.9, 129.1, 129.0, 128.3, 127.7, 127.3, 126.4, 125.8, 125.6, 123.8, 122.5, 122.2, 52.5, 52.4, 41.7, 41.3; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 2923, 1754, 1206, 751, 692; HRMS (ESI) calcd $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 399.1709, found: 399.1703.



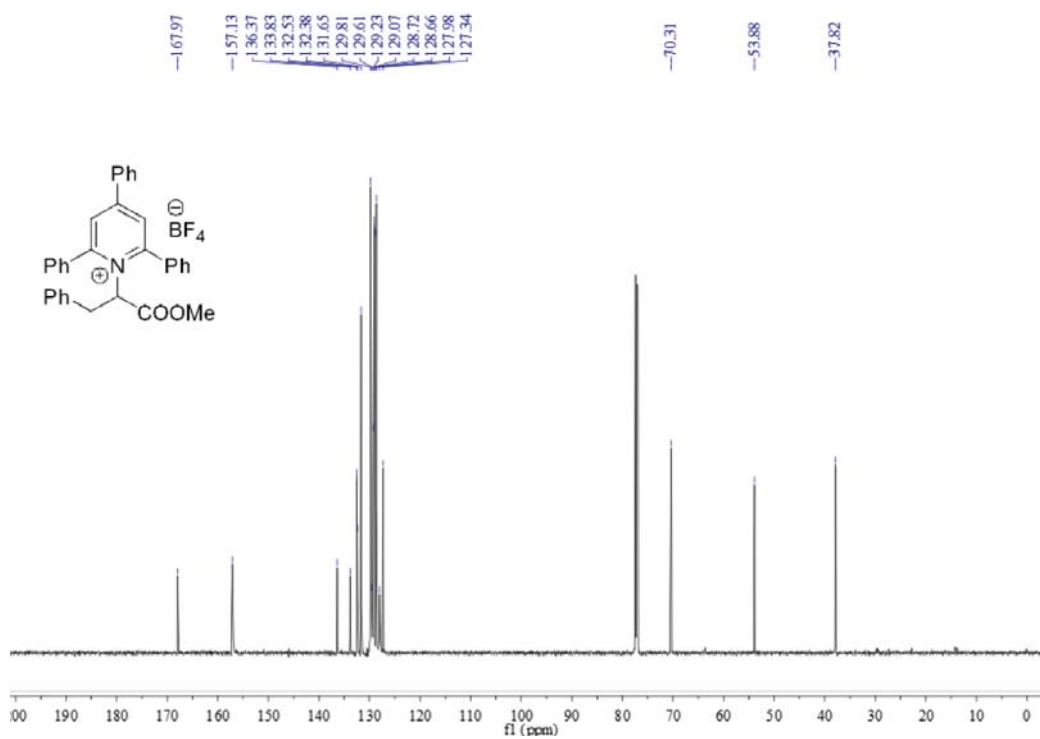
Methyl (2-(phenanthridin-6-yl)-3-phenylpropanoyl)alaninate (4o): Yellow solid; m.p. 163-165 °C; 80% (49 mg); Two isomers, *d.r.*: 1.2:1; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.75 (d, $J = 5.9$ Hz, 0.55H)/8.47 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 0.45H), 8.64 – 8.58 (m, 1H), 8.56 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 8.26 (t, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 8.22 – 8.12 (m, 1H), 7.79 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.69 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.58 (dd, $J = 14.4, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 6.96 (m, 5H), 4.93 (dd, $J = 14.7, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.62 – 4.52 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 1.4H)/ 3.57 (s, 1.7H), 3.74 – 3.59 (m, 2H), 1.46 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1.7H)/ 1.28 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1.3H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.6, 173.3, 171.39, 171.37, 158.8, 158.7, 142.9, 139.1, 138.8, 133.1, 133.0, 130.8, 129.8, 129.21, 129.17, 129.0, 128.3, 127.7, 127.3, 127.2, 126.5, 126.4, 125.7, 125.6, 125.5, 123.7, 122.53, 122.48, 122.2, 122.1, 52.6, 52.5, 52.3, 48.44, 48.38, 41.5, 41.3, 18.7, 18.4; FT-IR (thin film, KBr): ν (cm^{-1}) 1715, 1364, 1141, 754, 698; HRMS (CI) calcd $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$: 413.1865, found: 413.1872.

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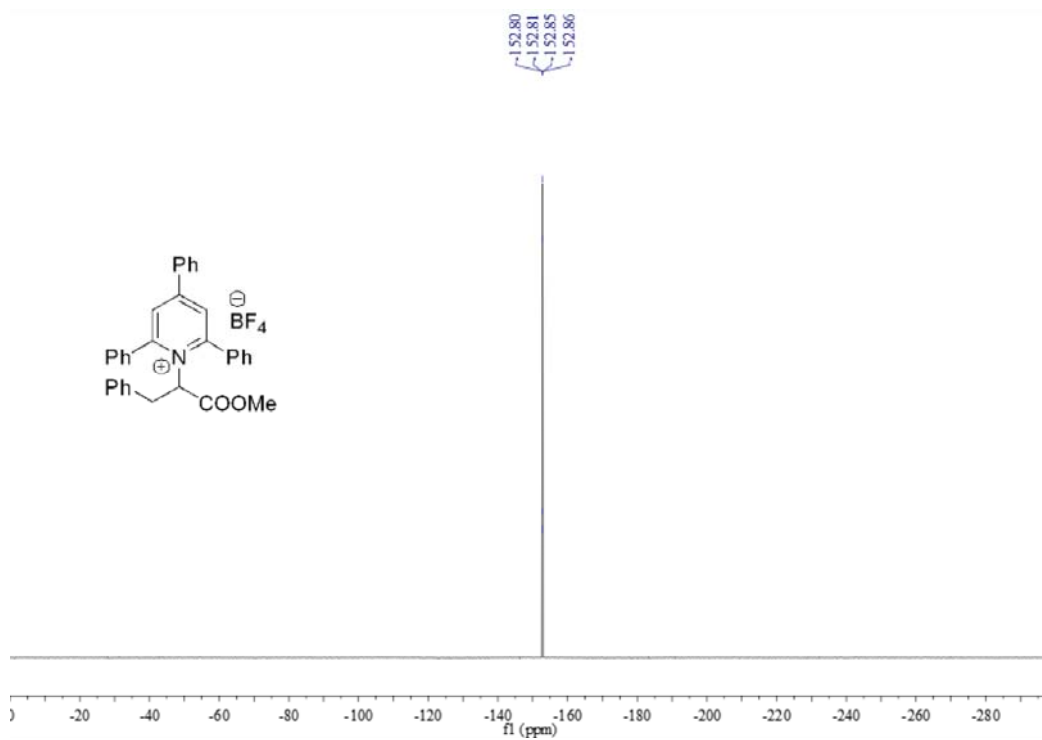
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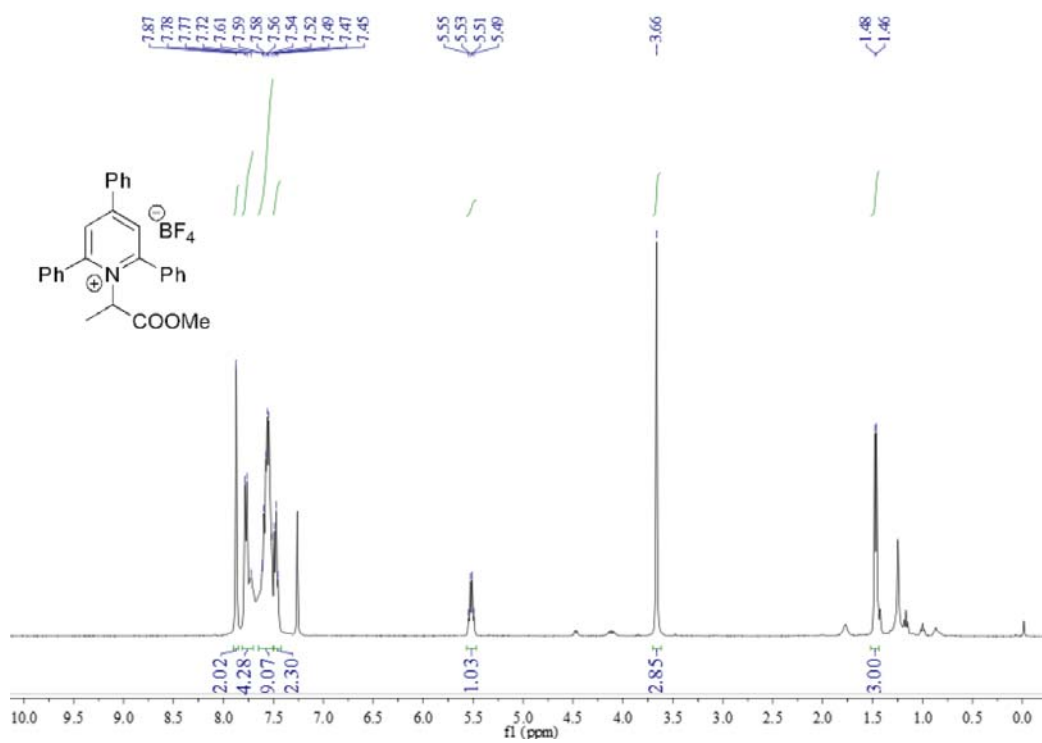
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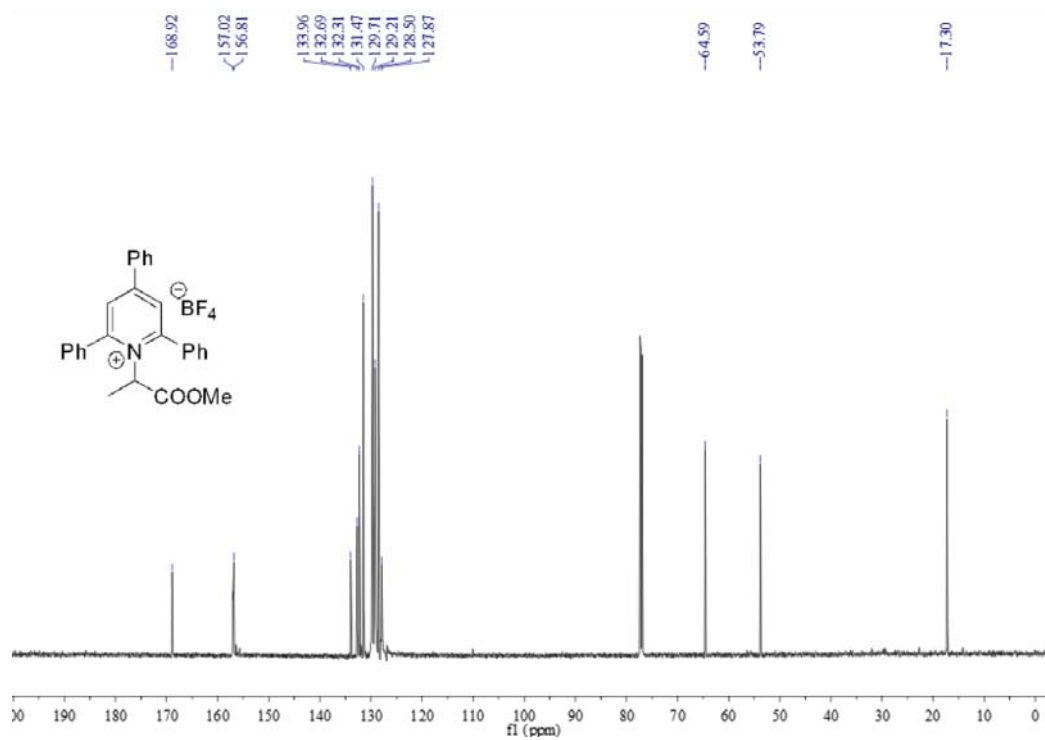
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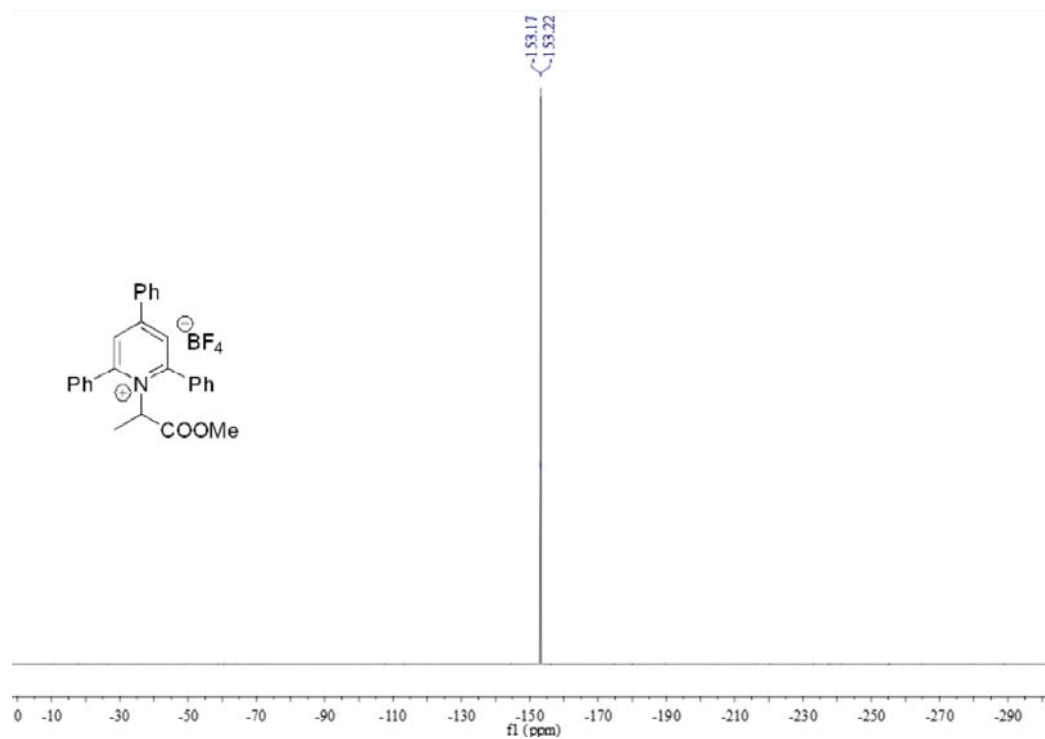
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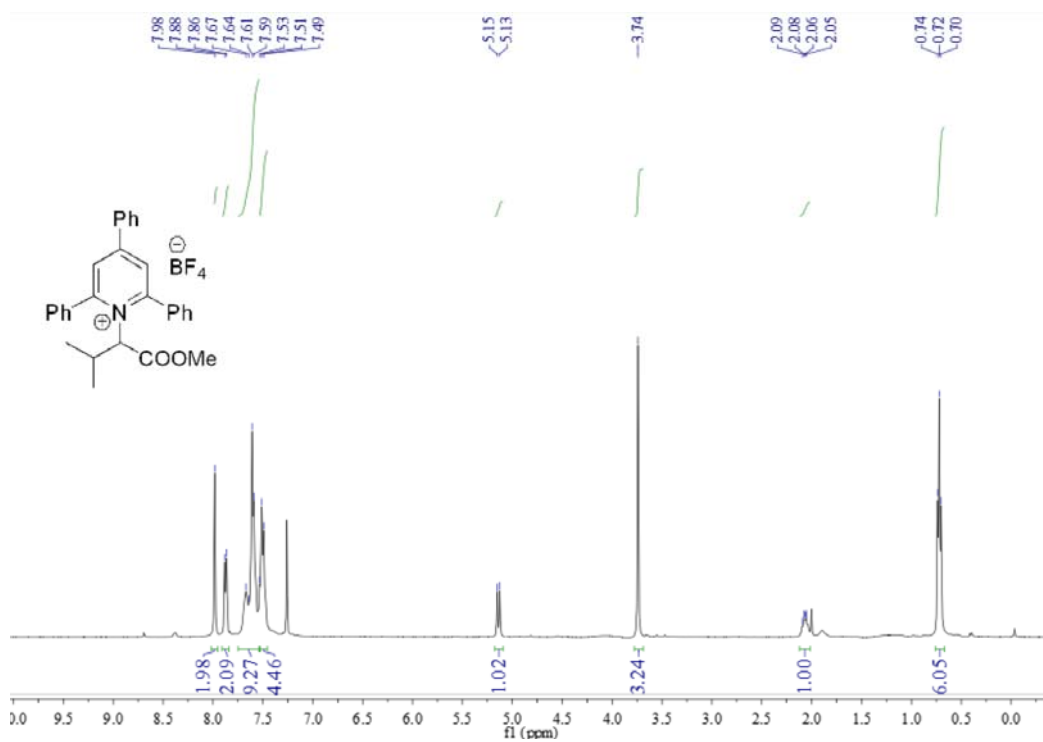
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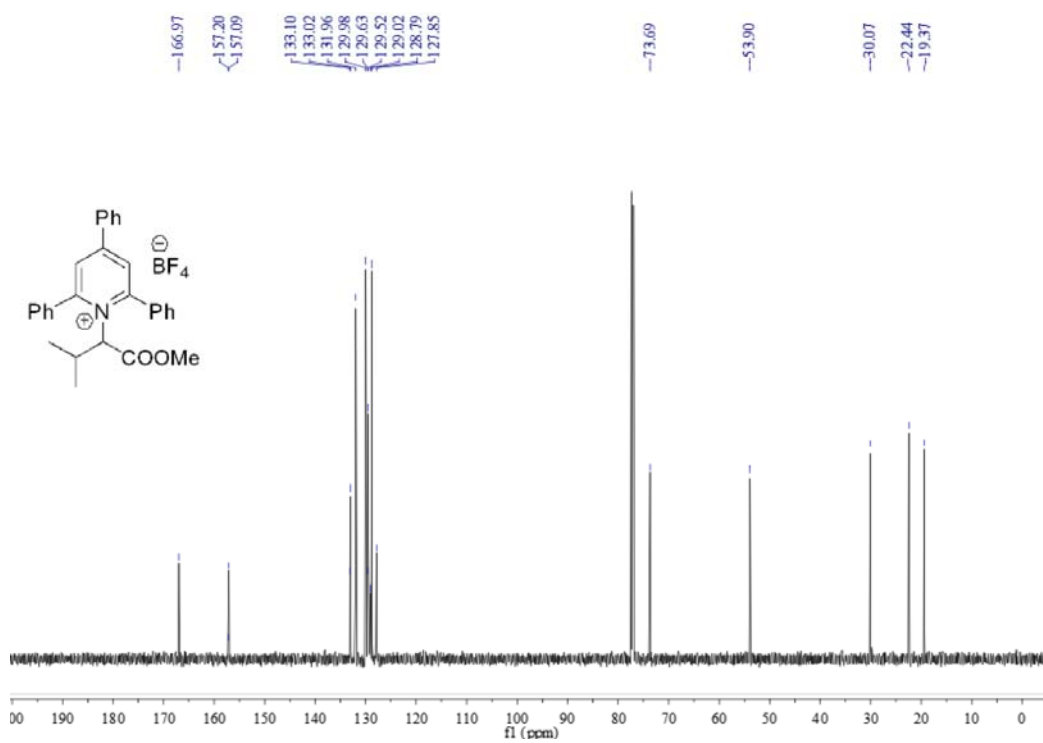
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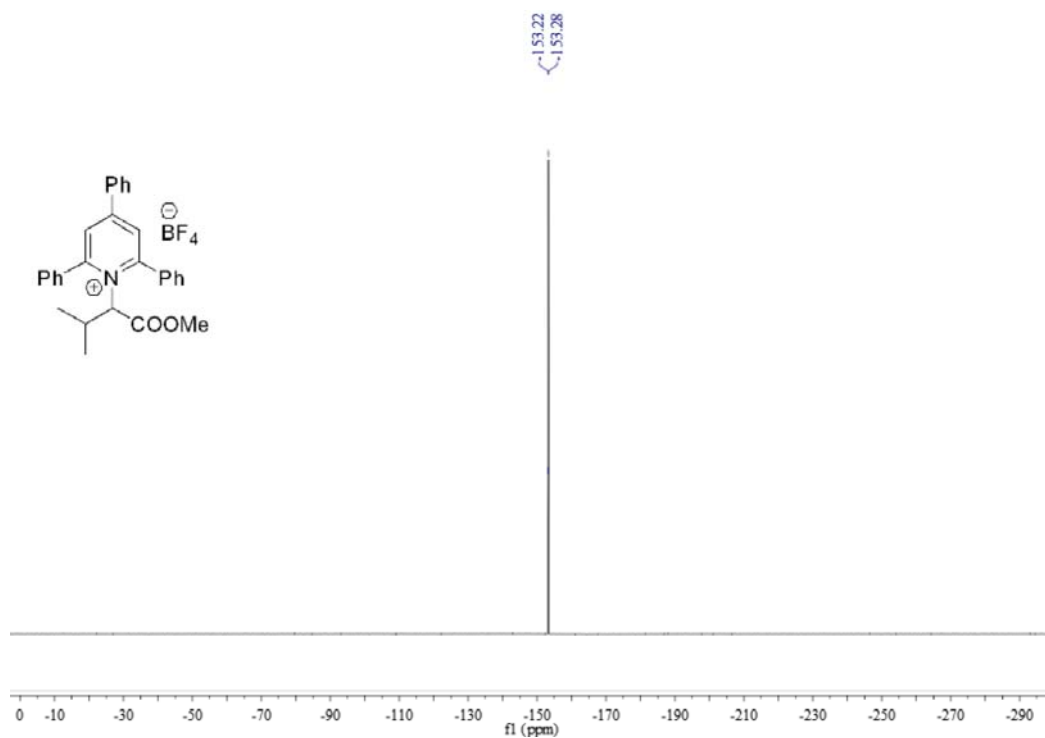
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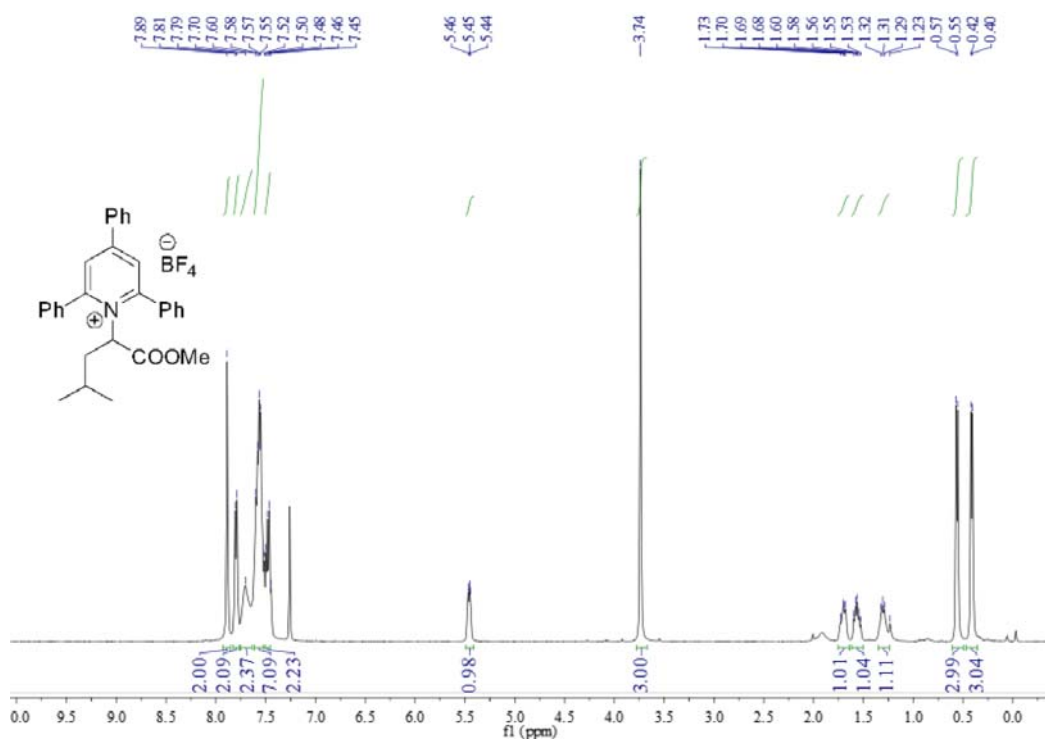
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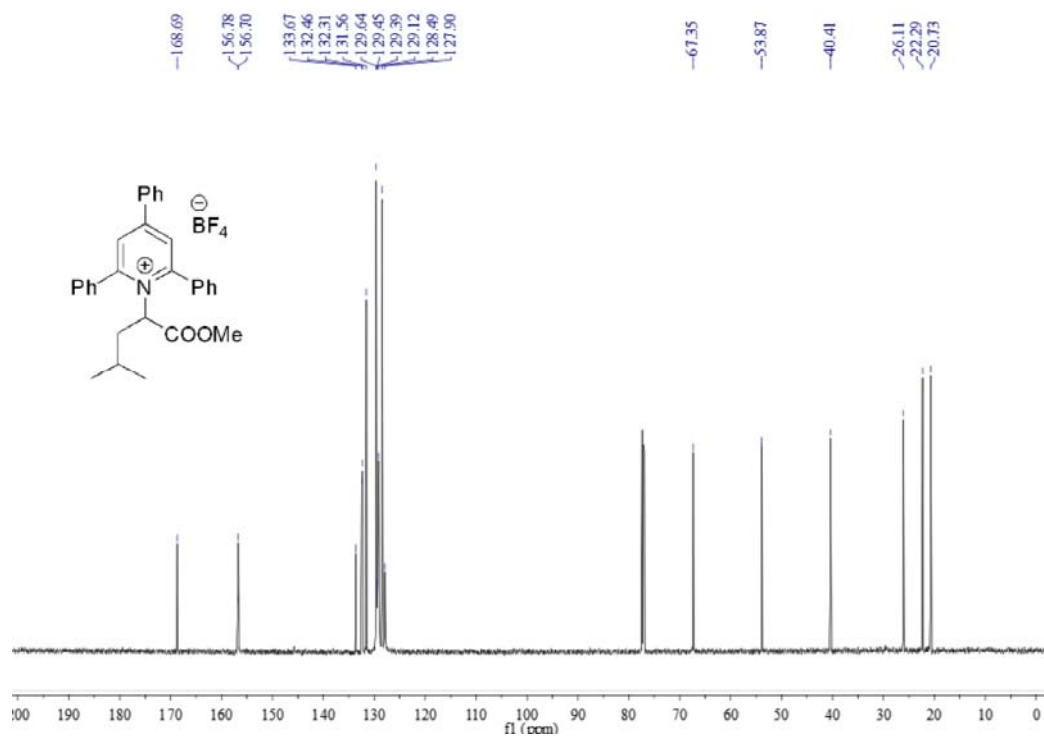
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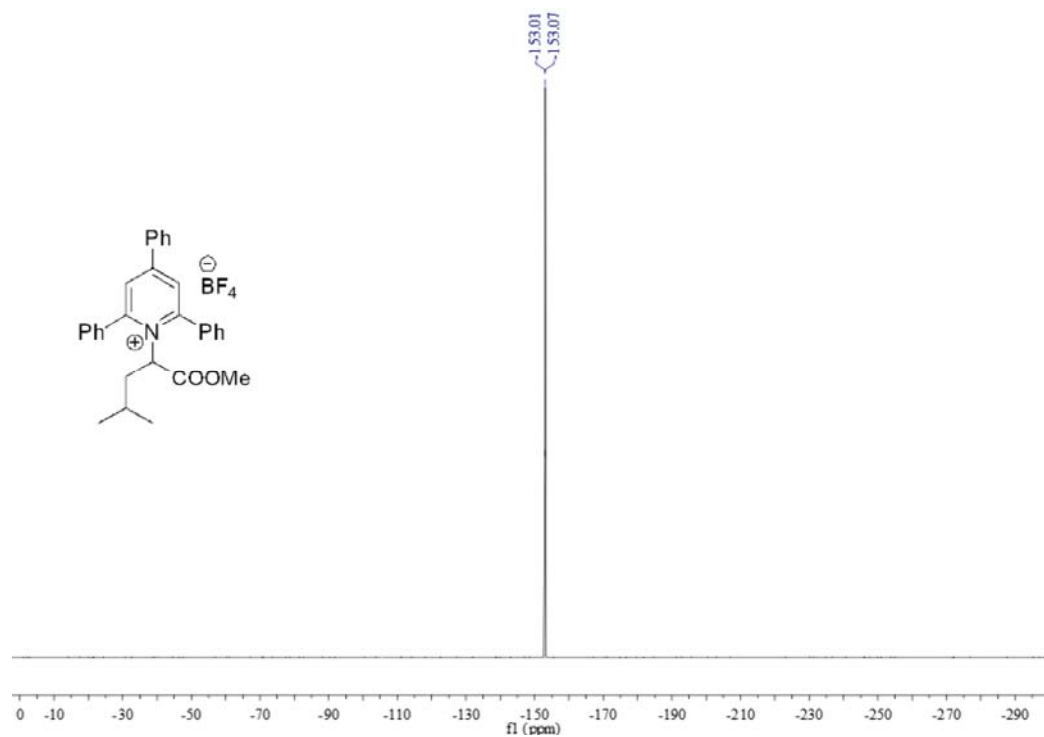
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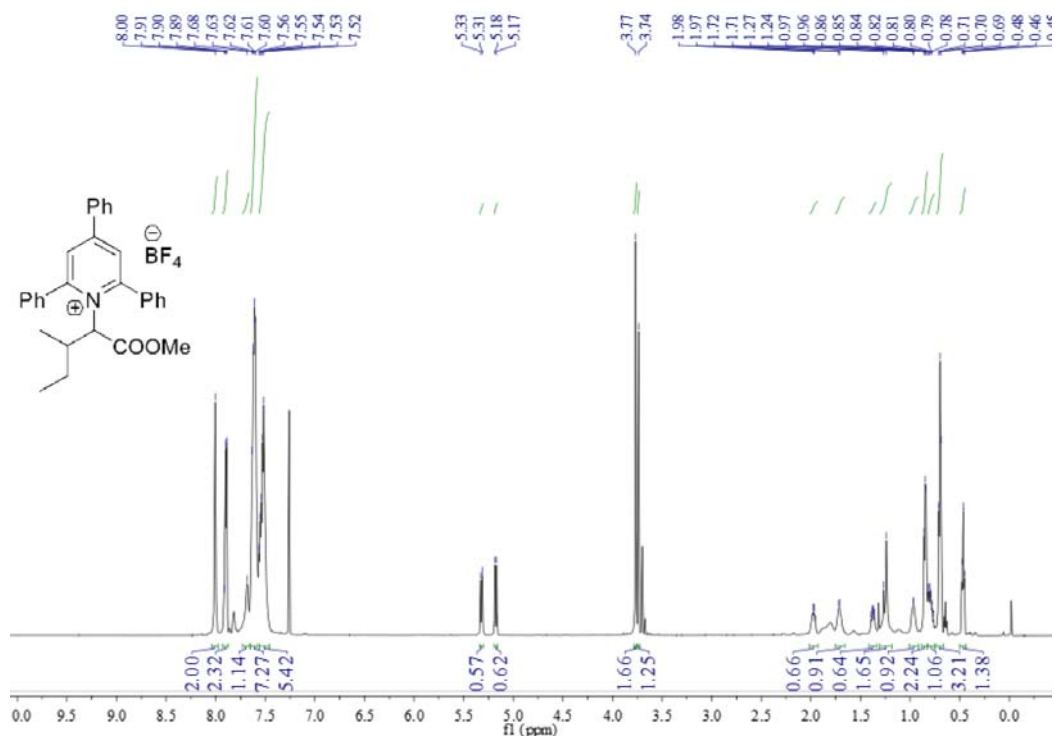
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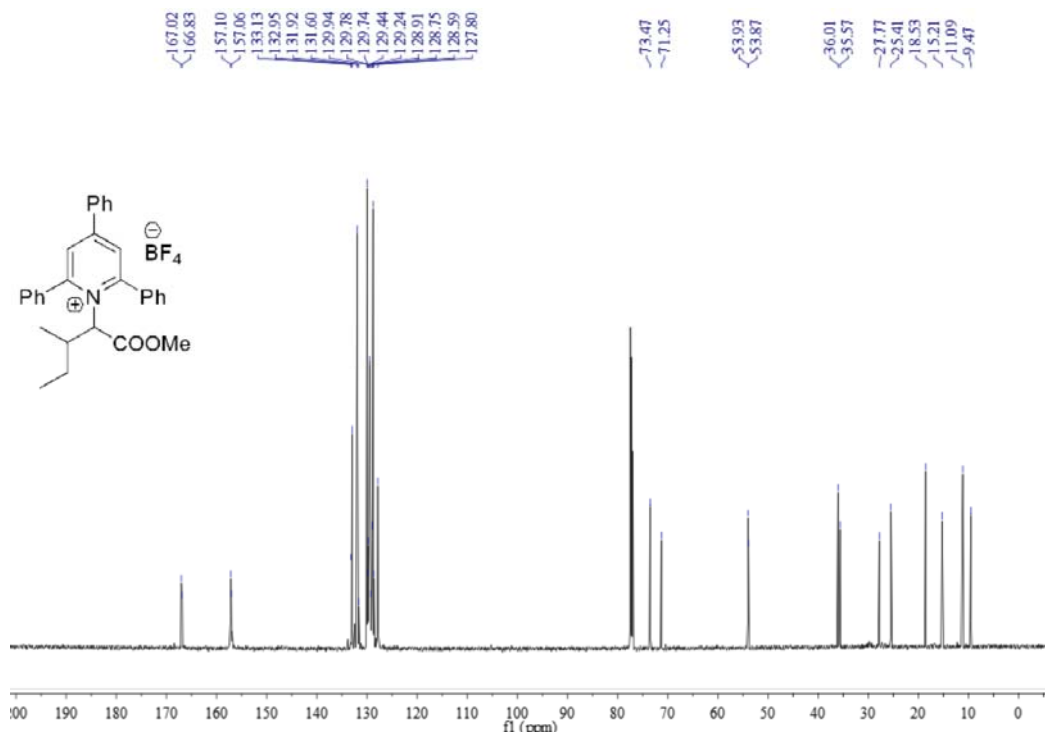
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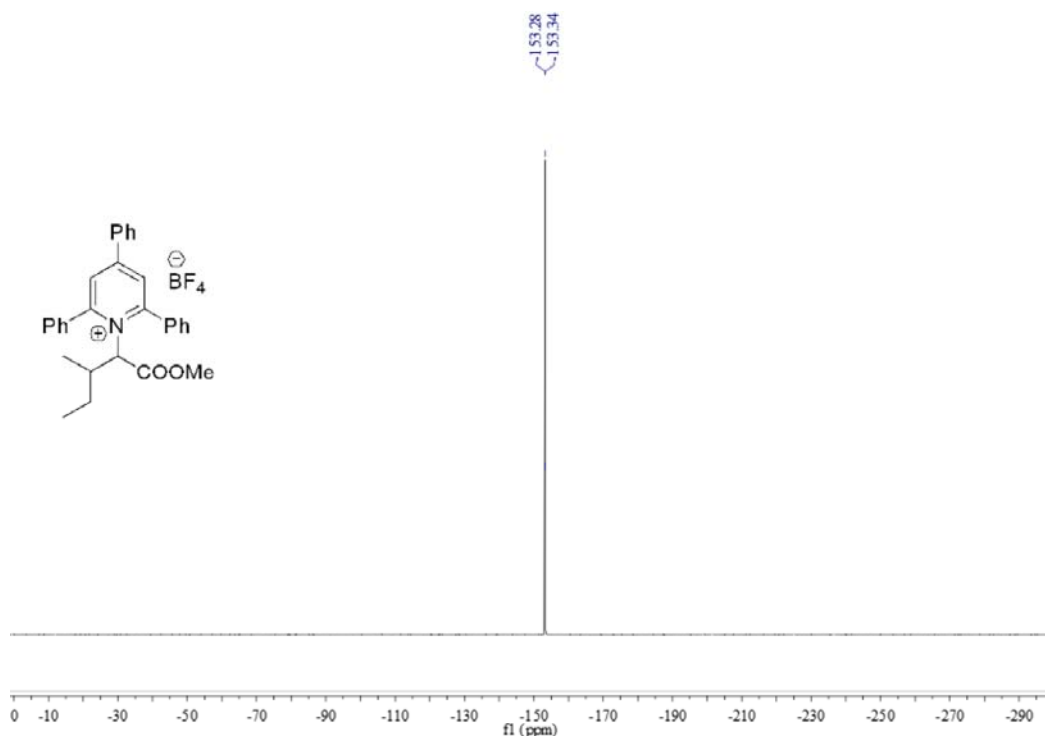
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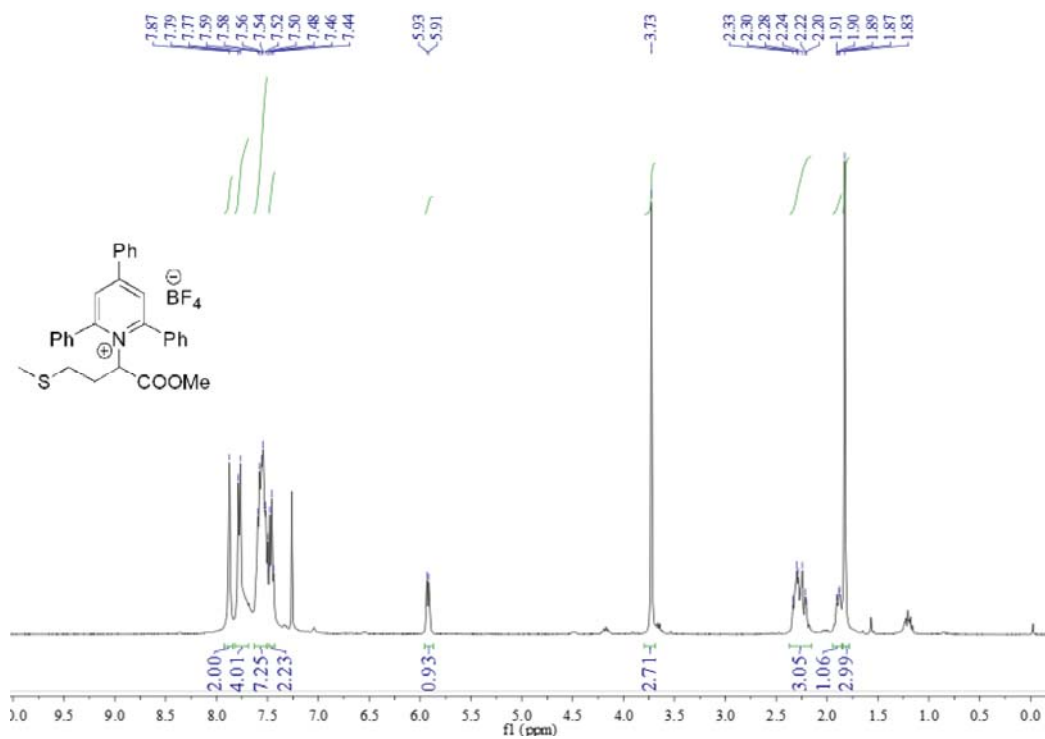
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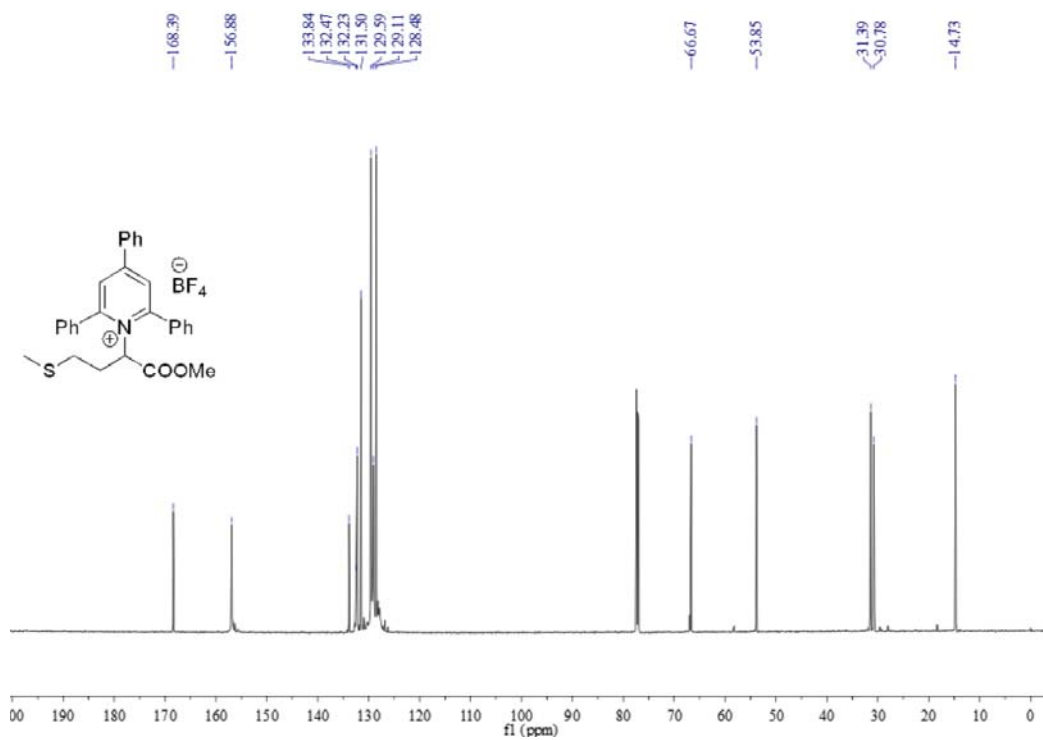
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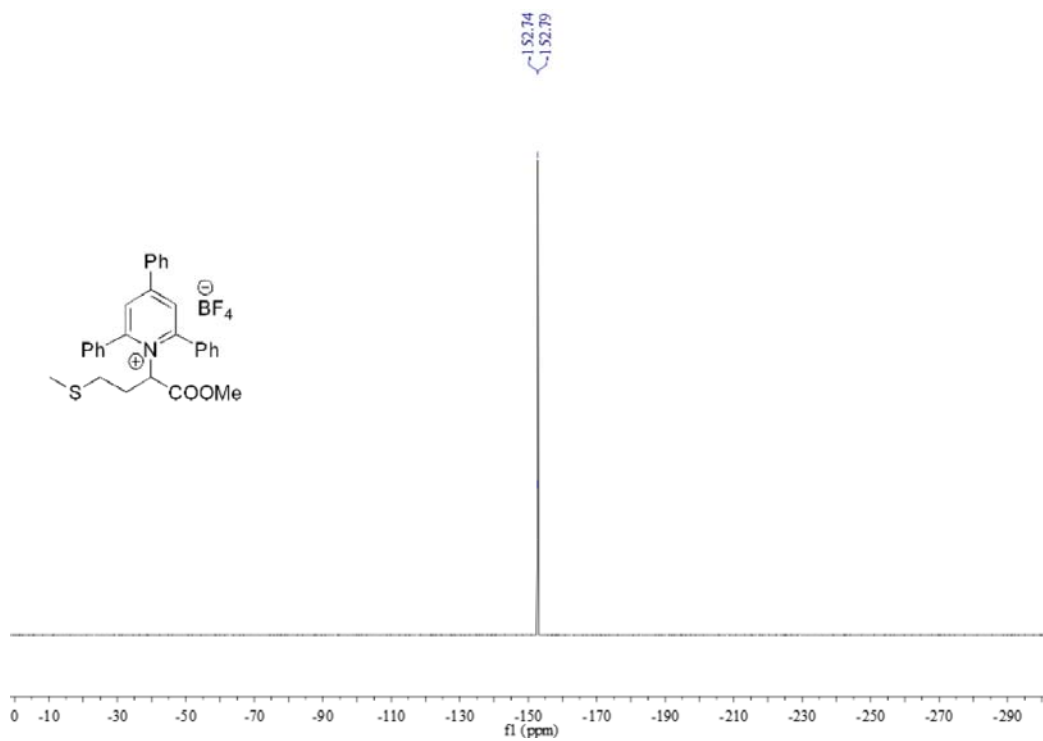
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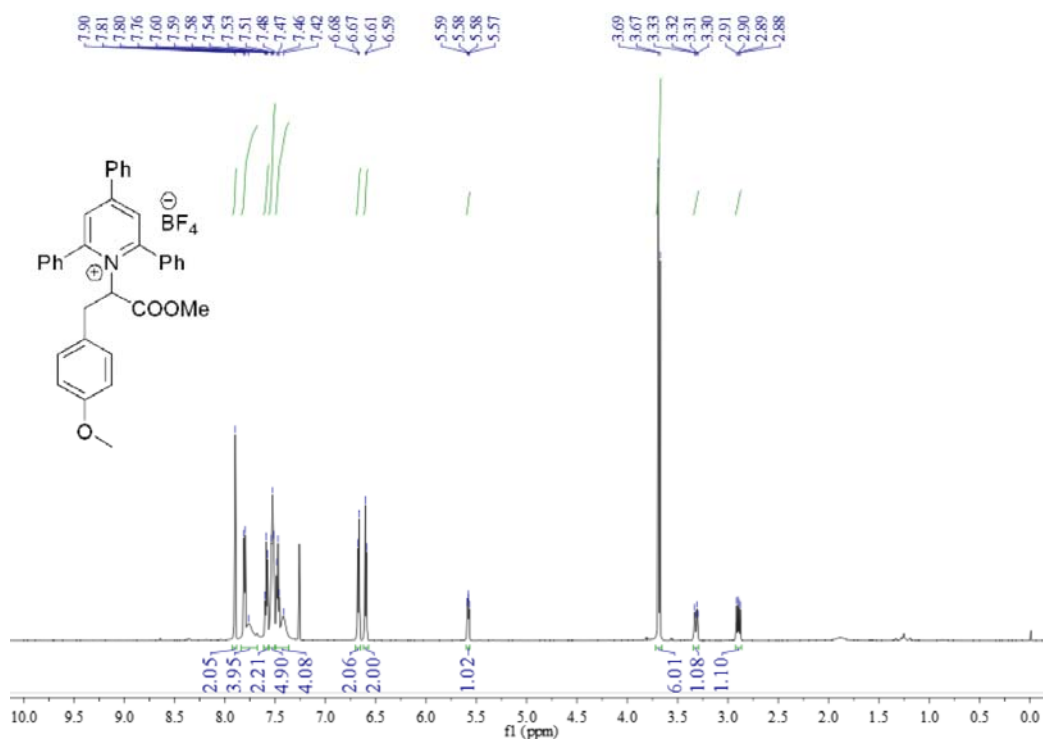
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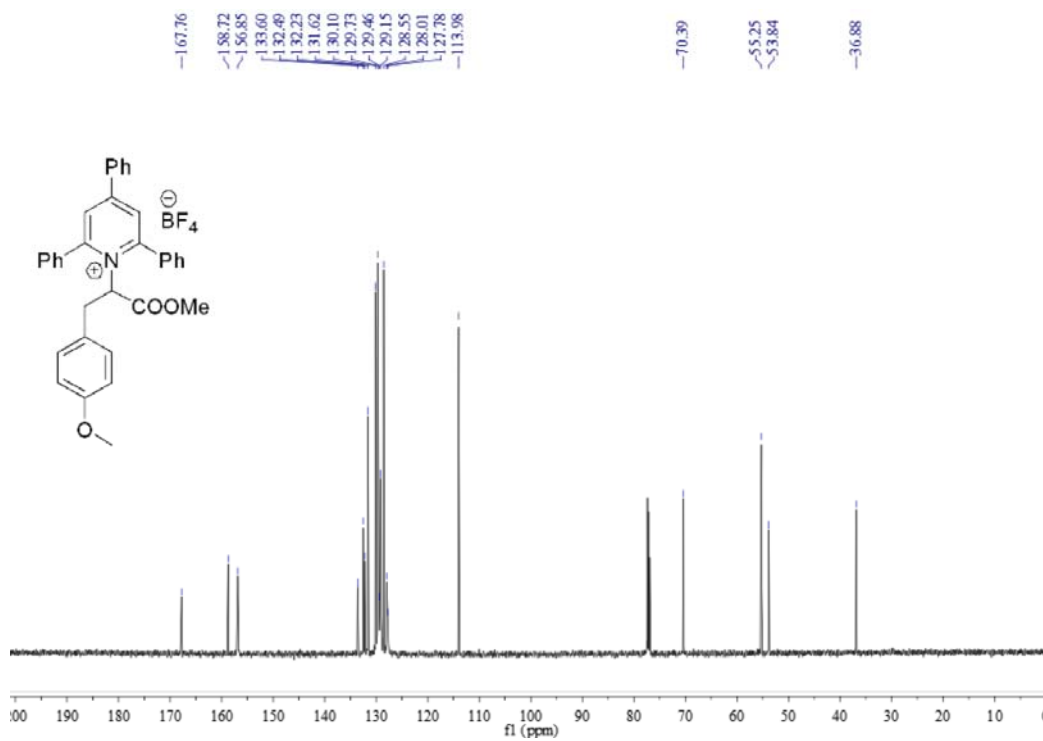
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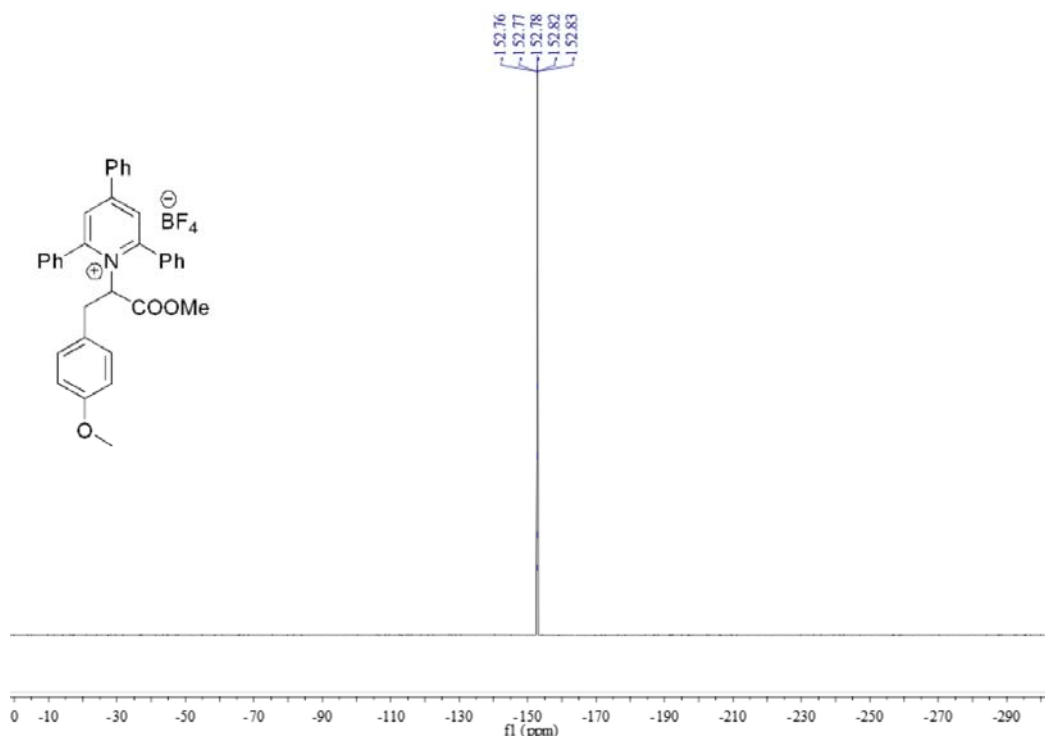
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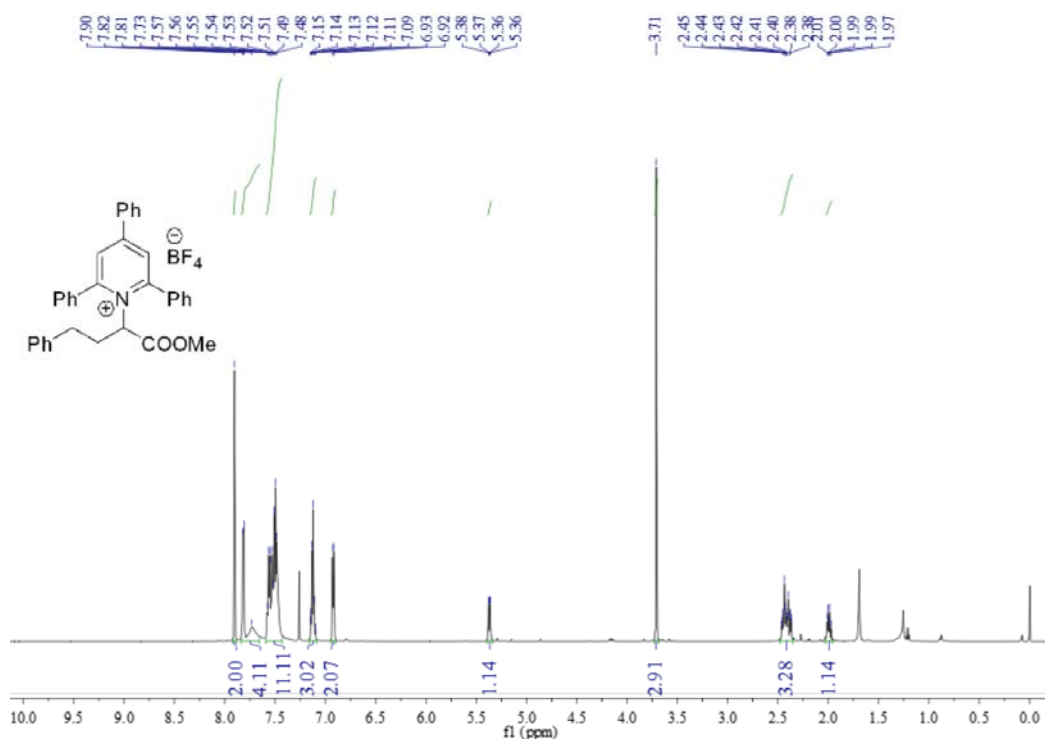
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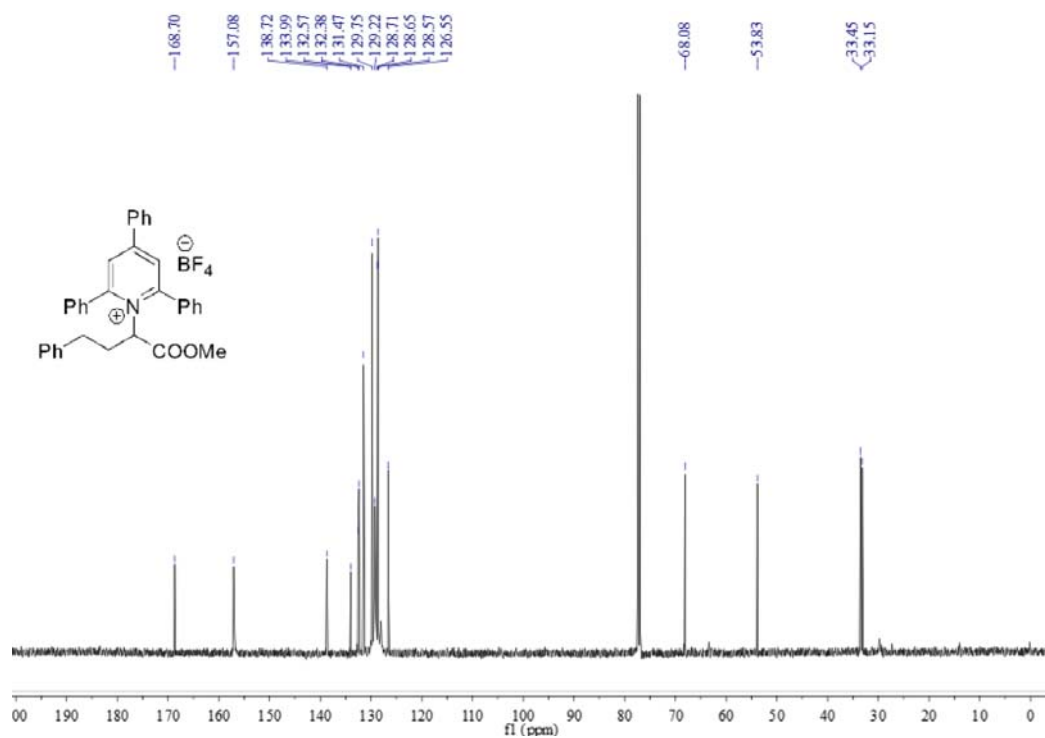
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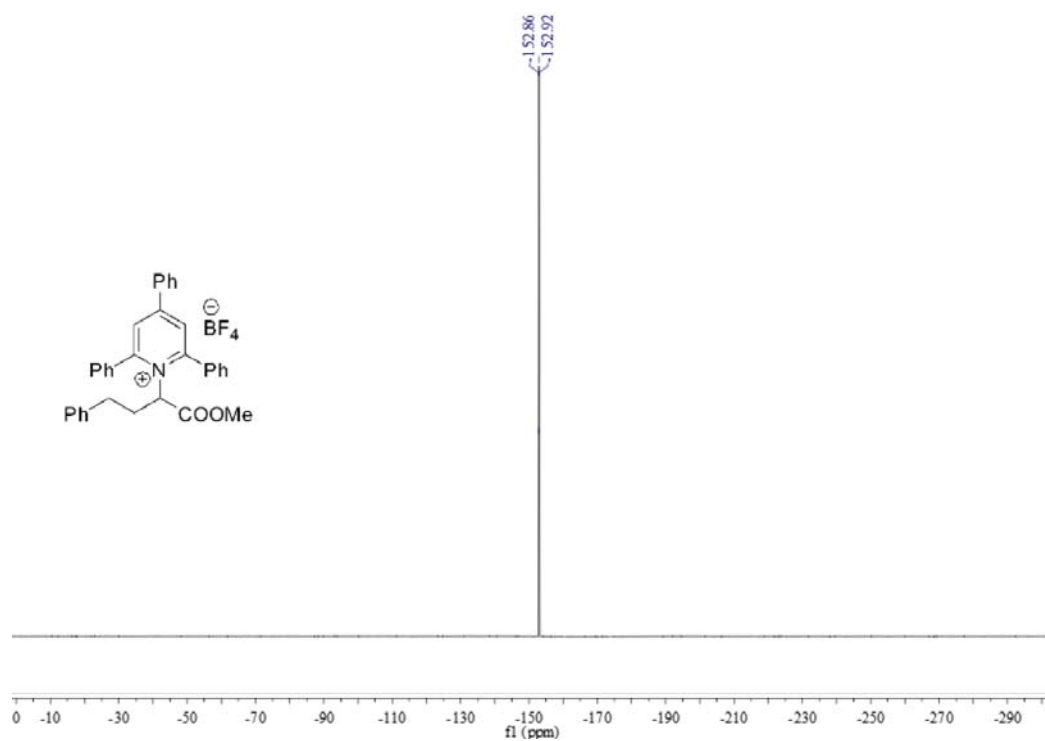
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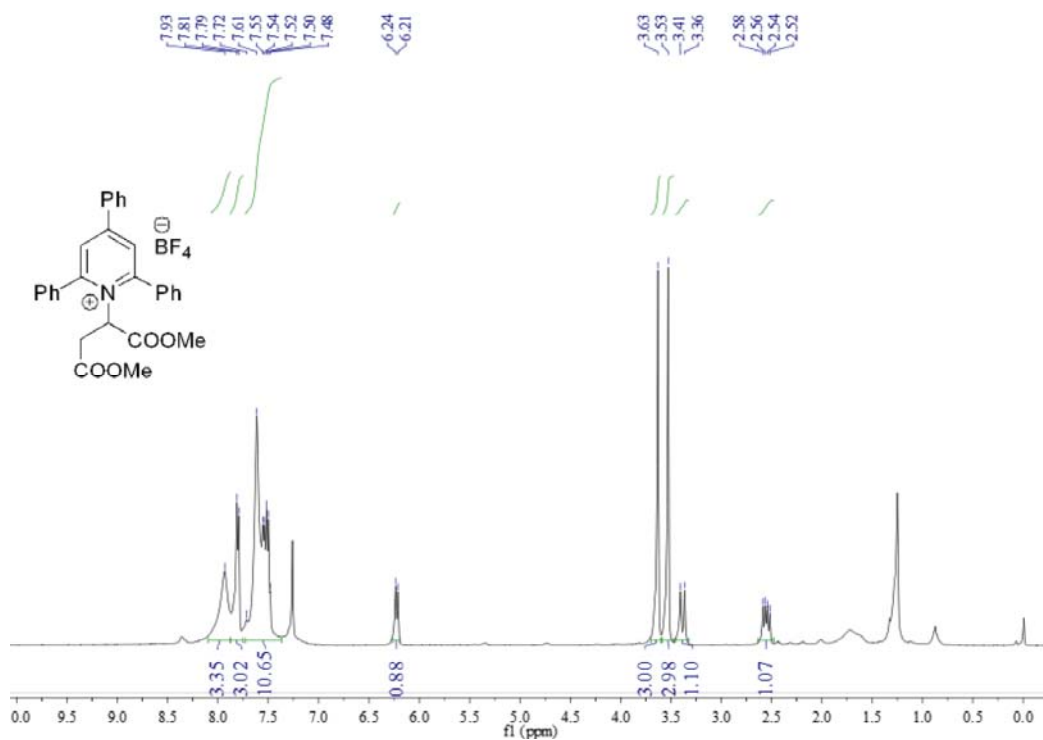
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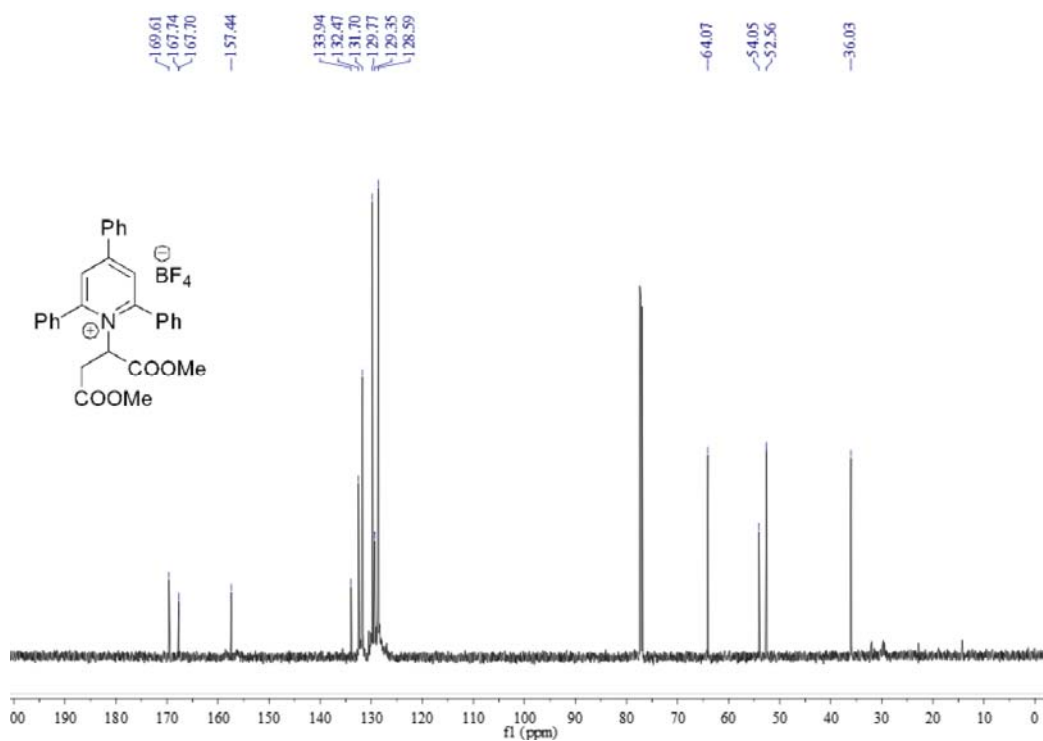
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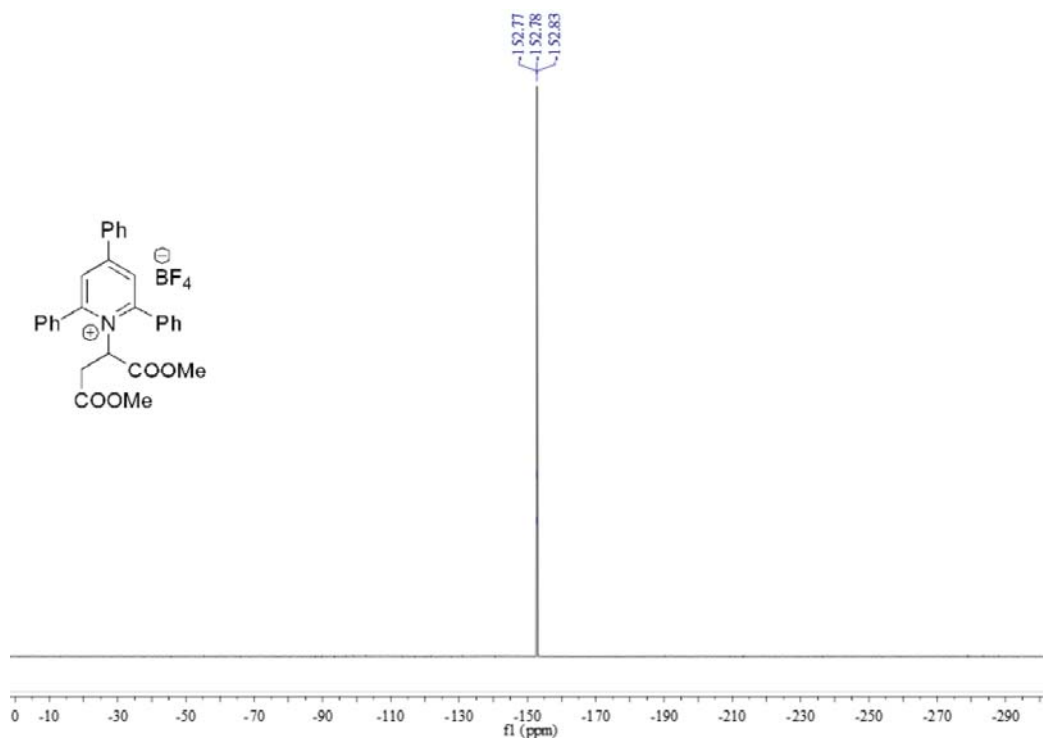
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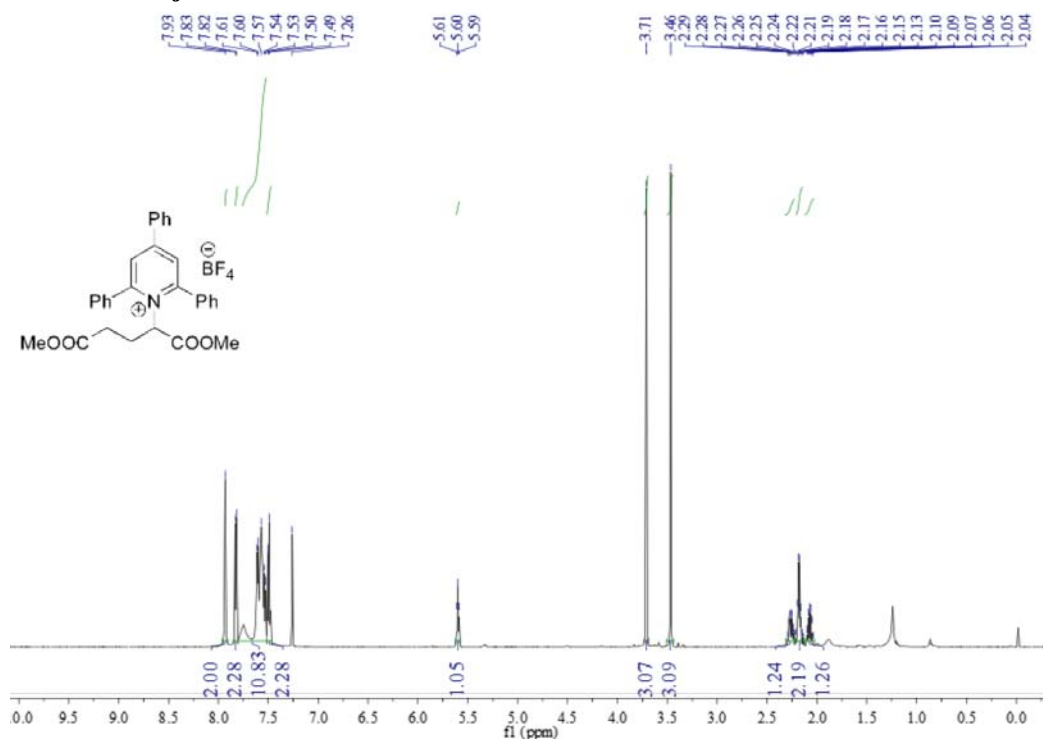
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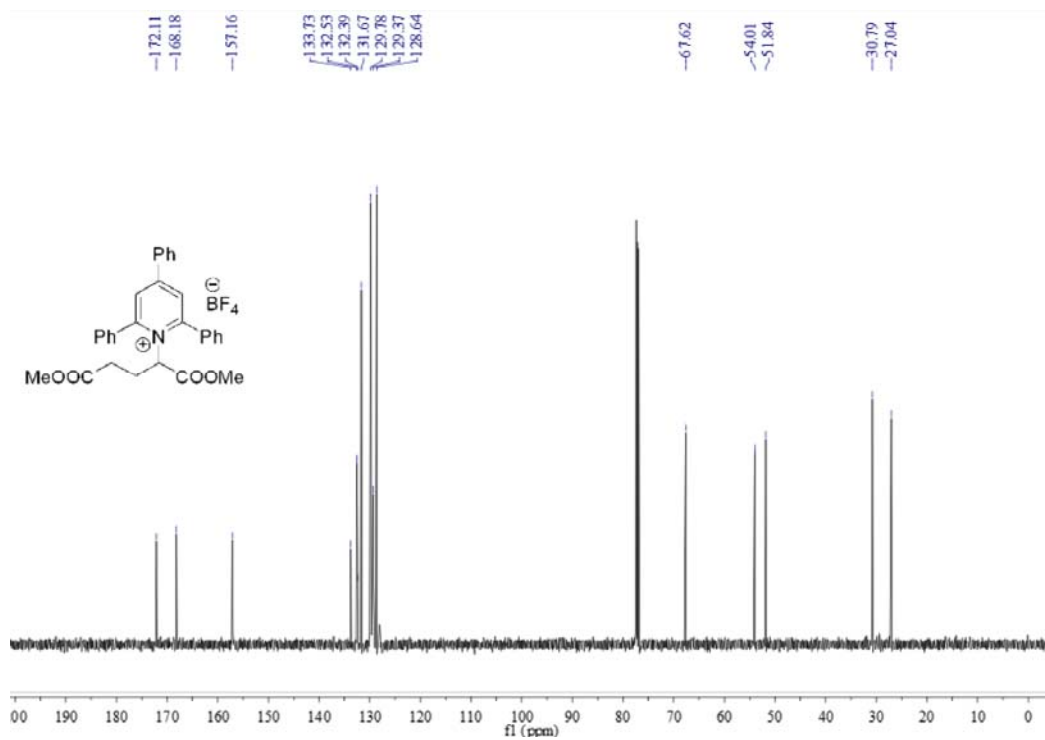
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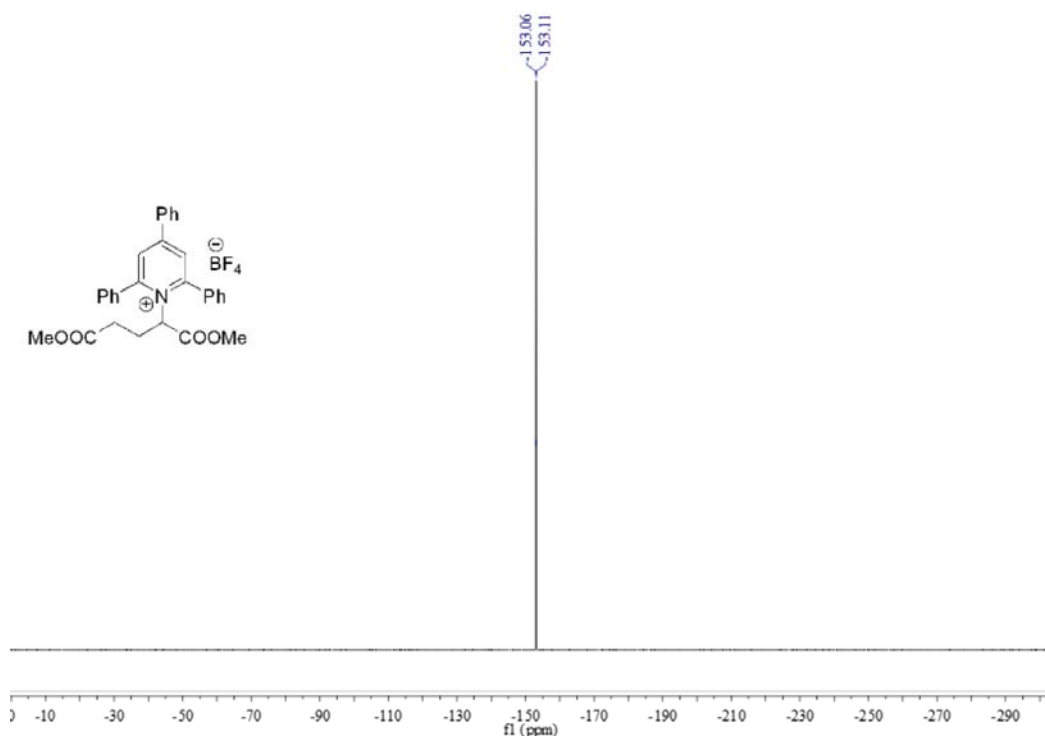
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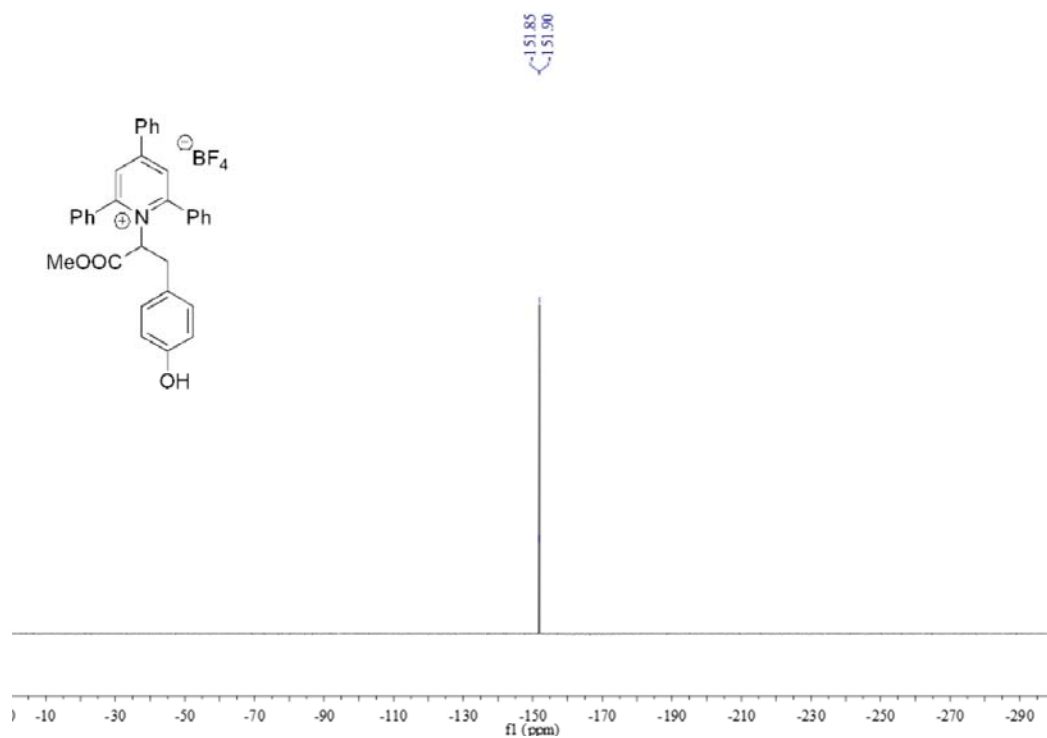
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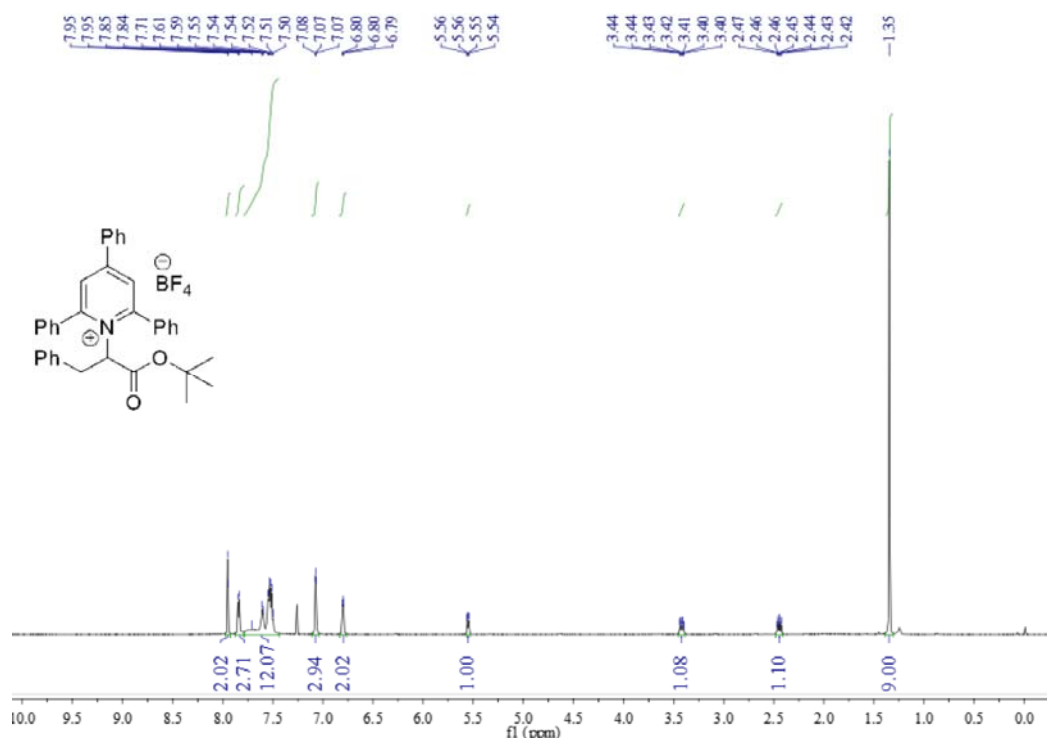
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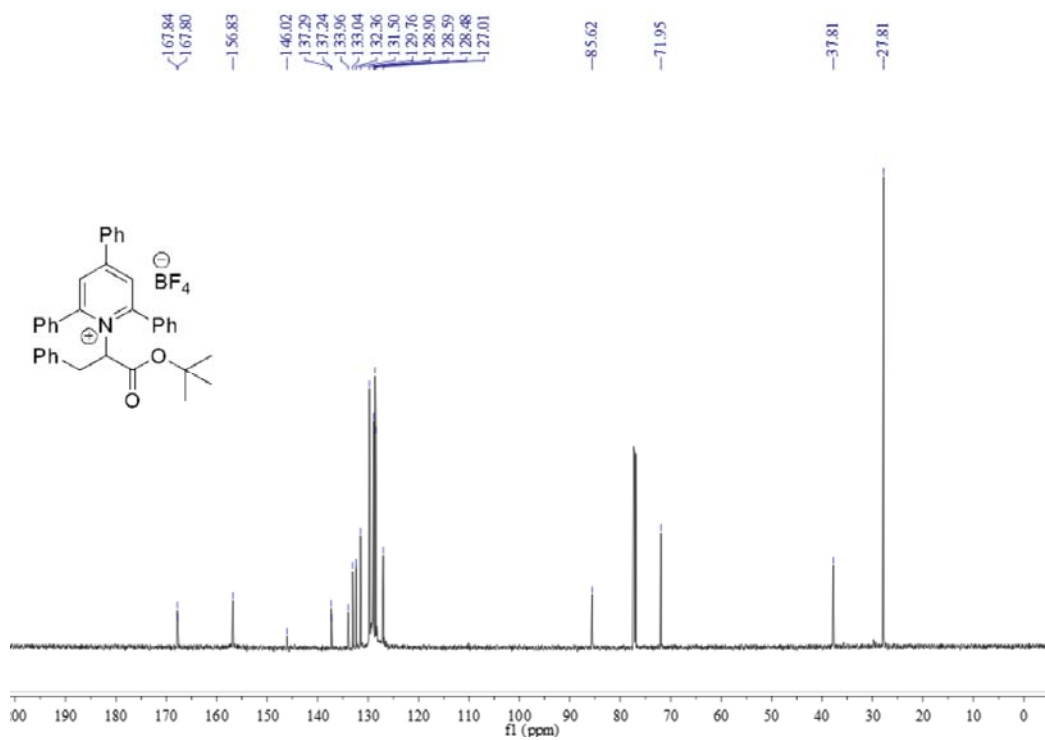
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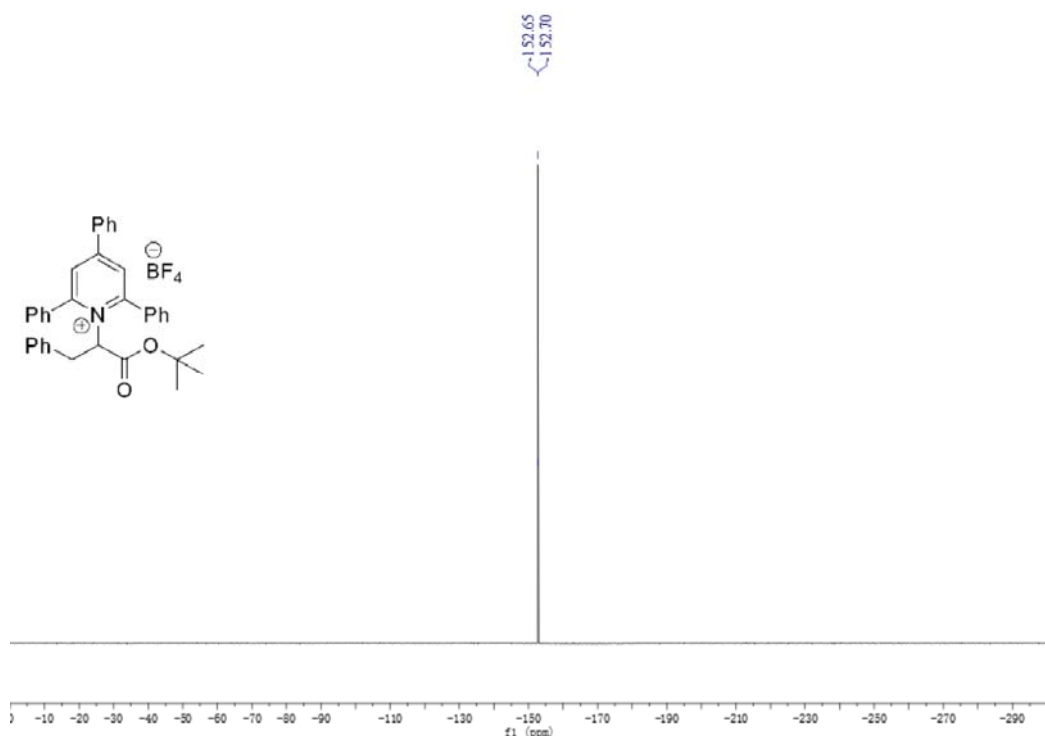
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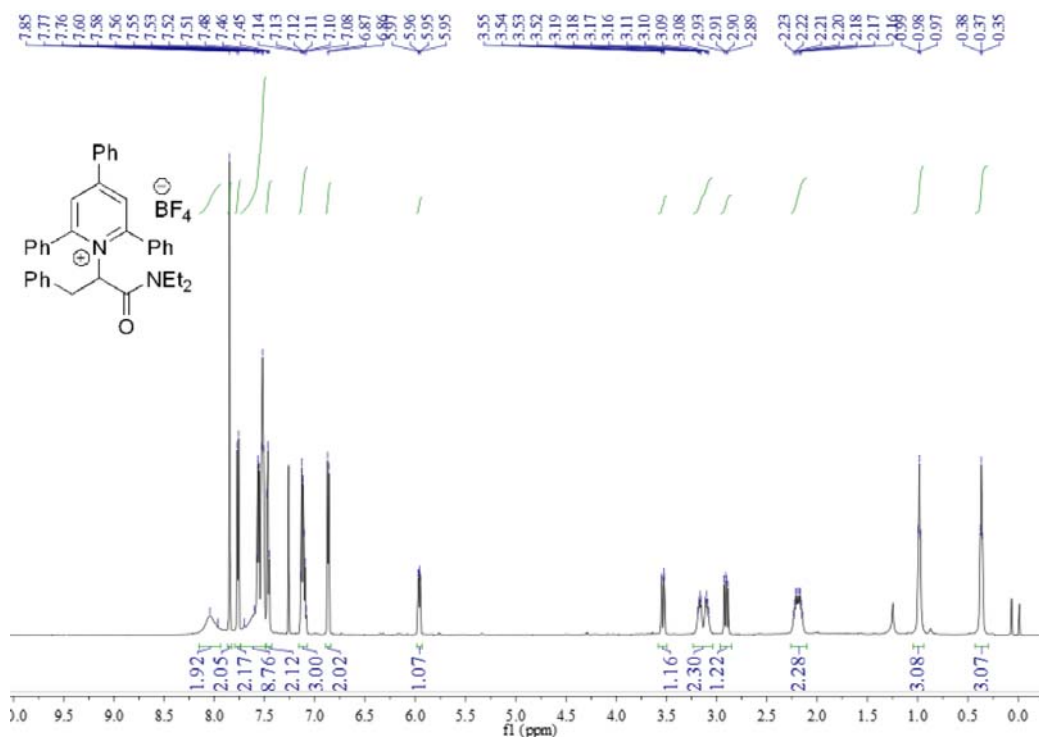
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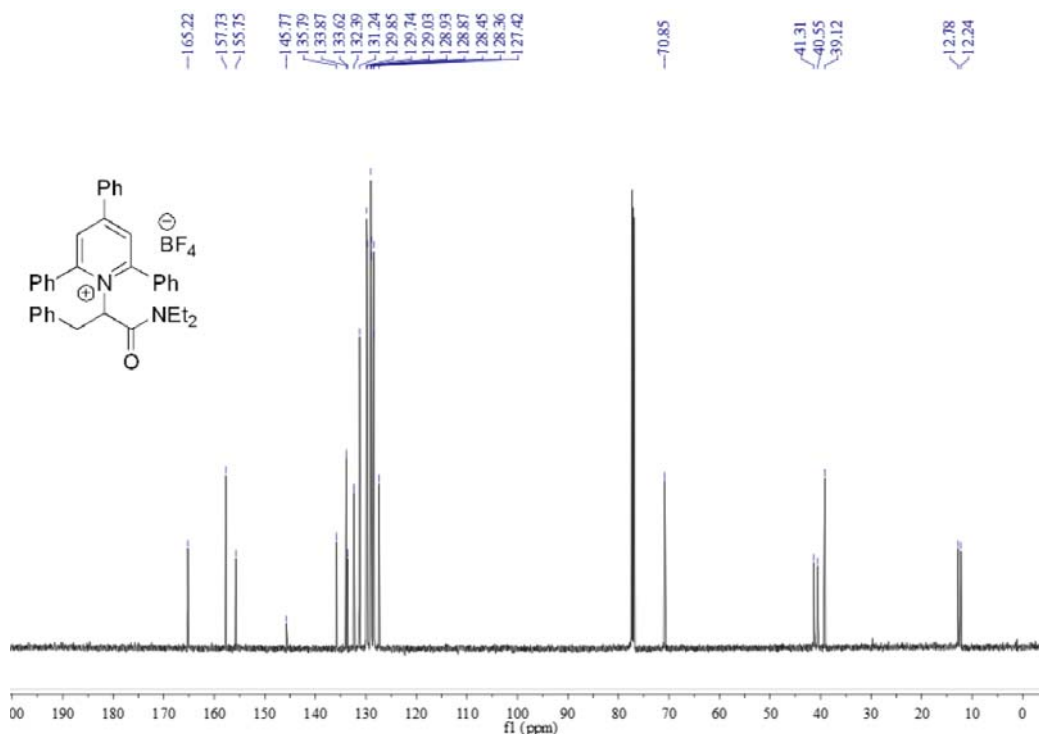
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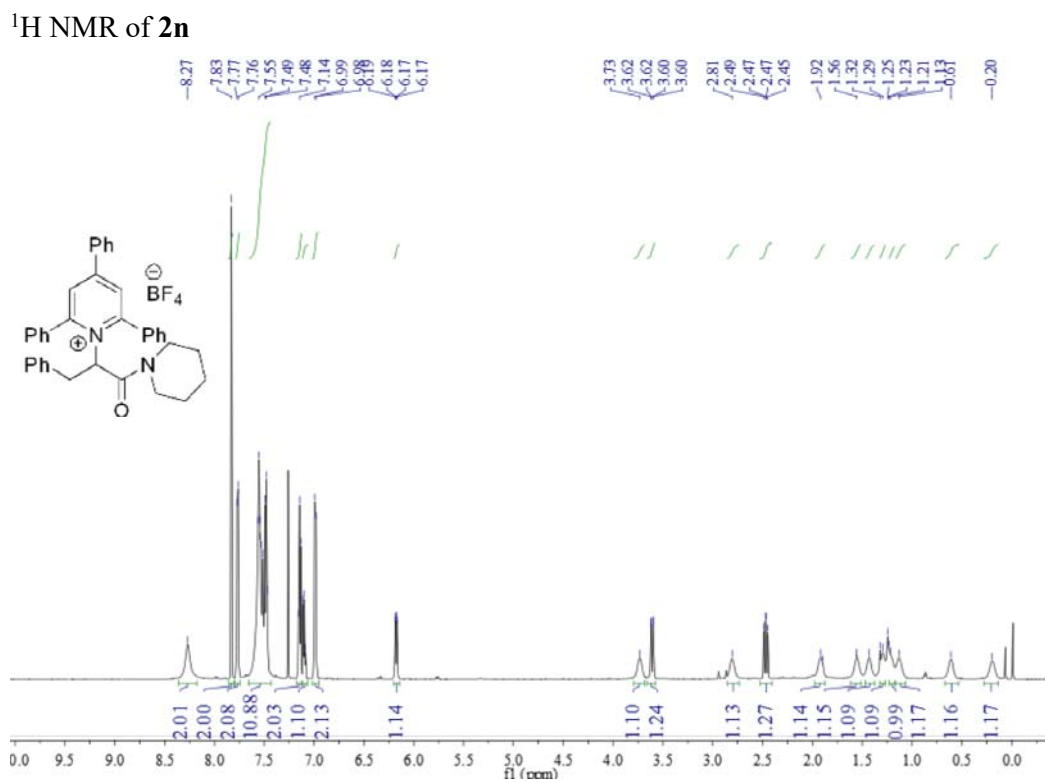
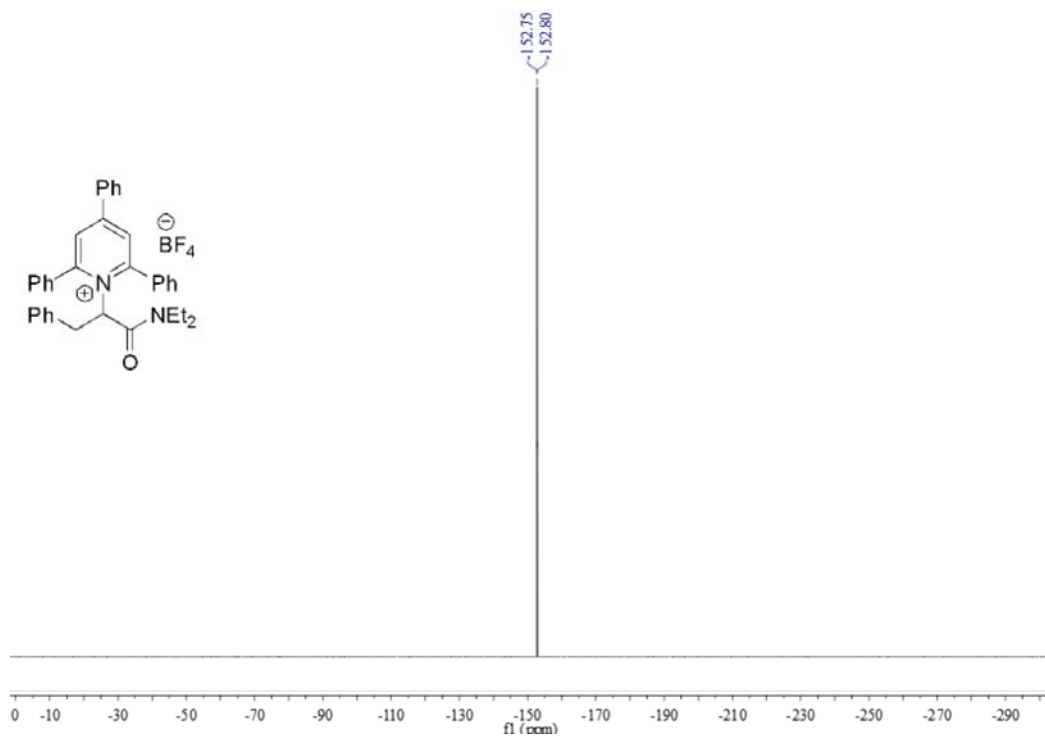
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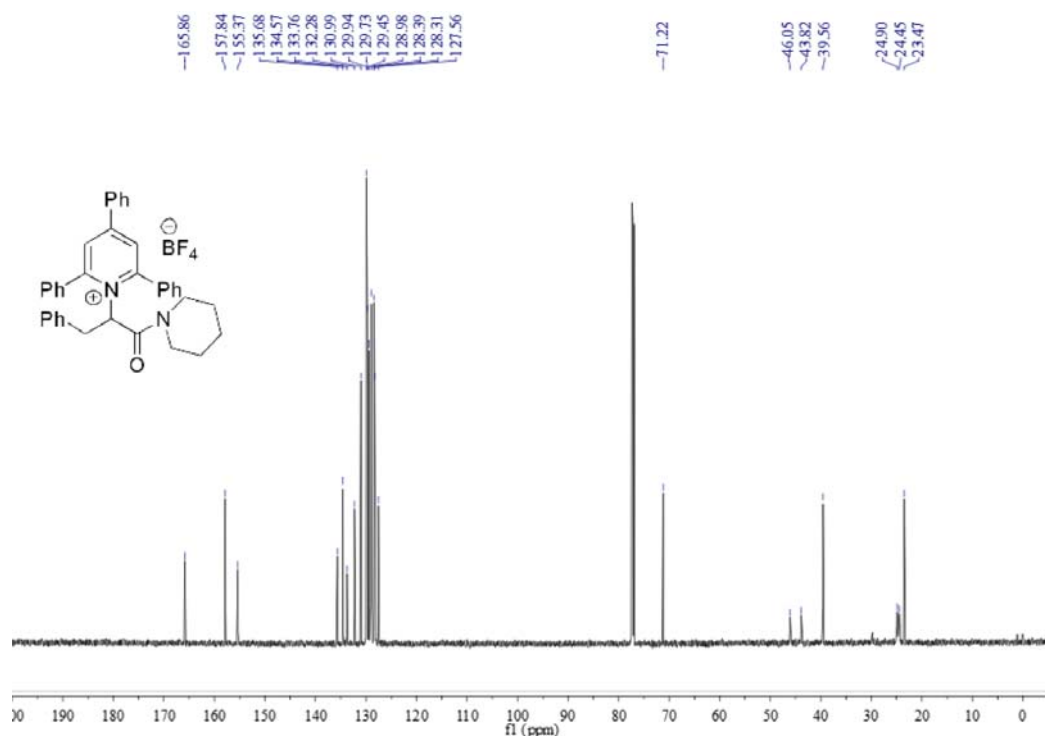
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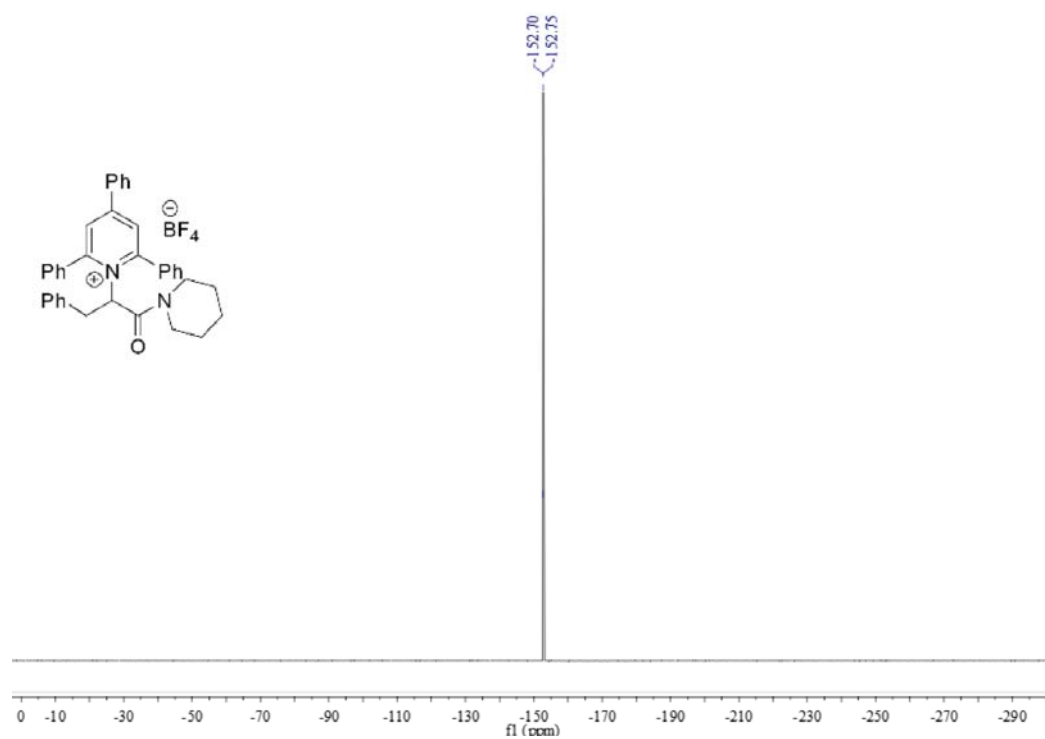
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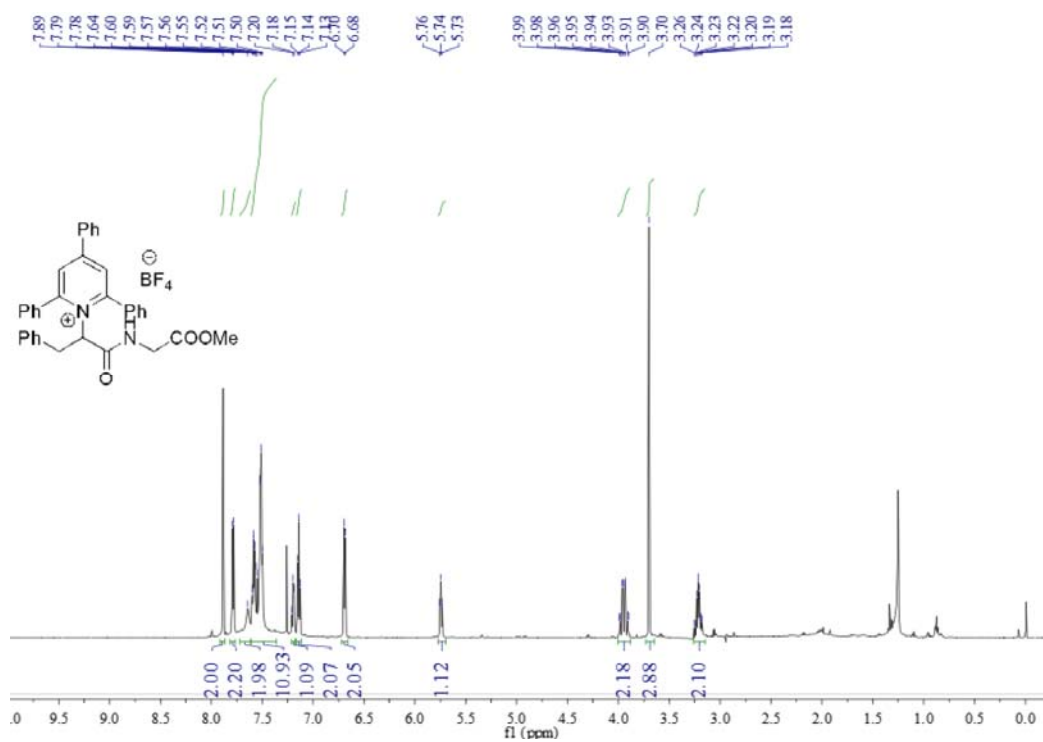
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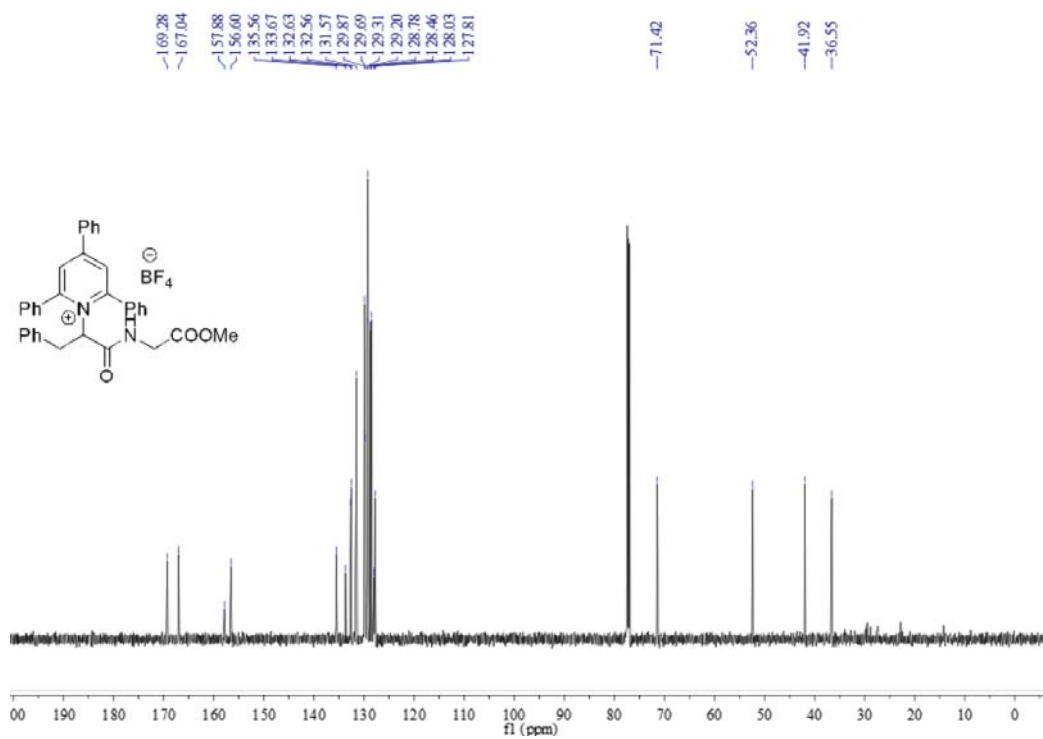
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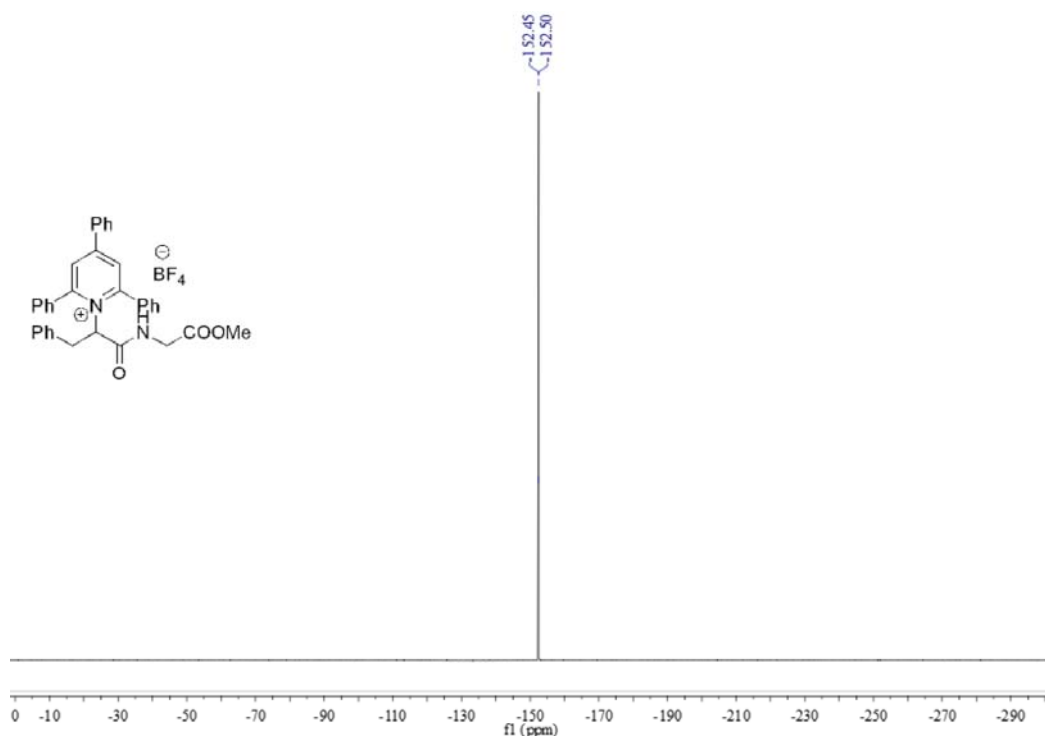
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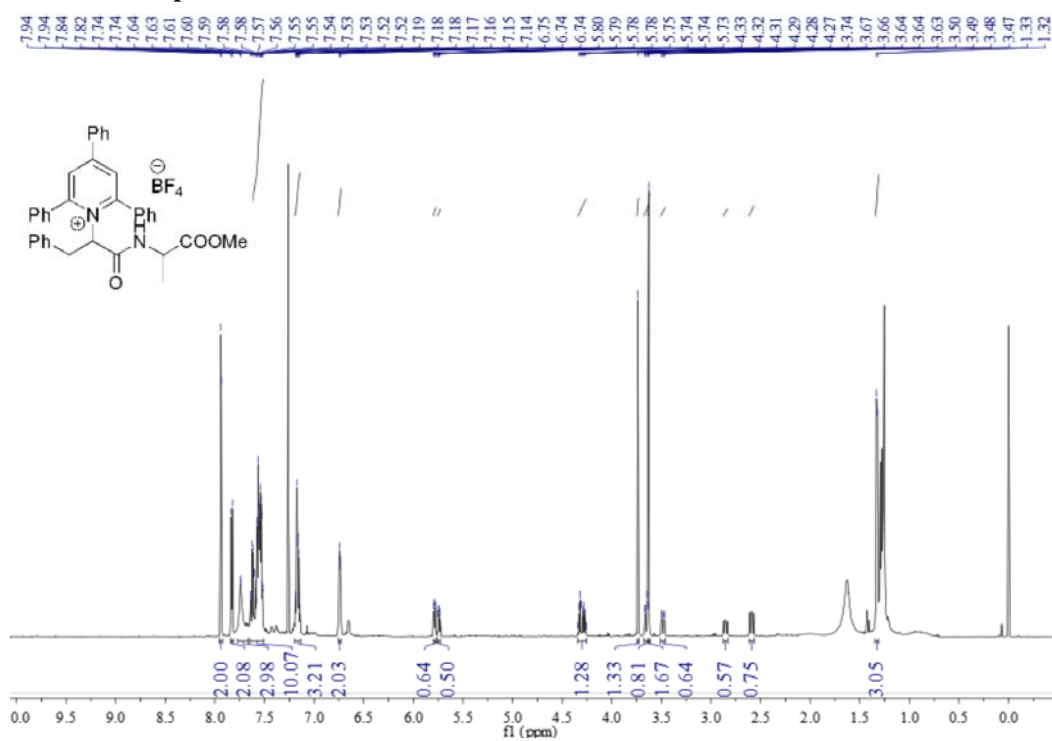
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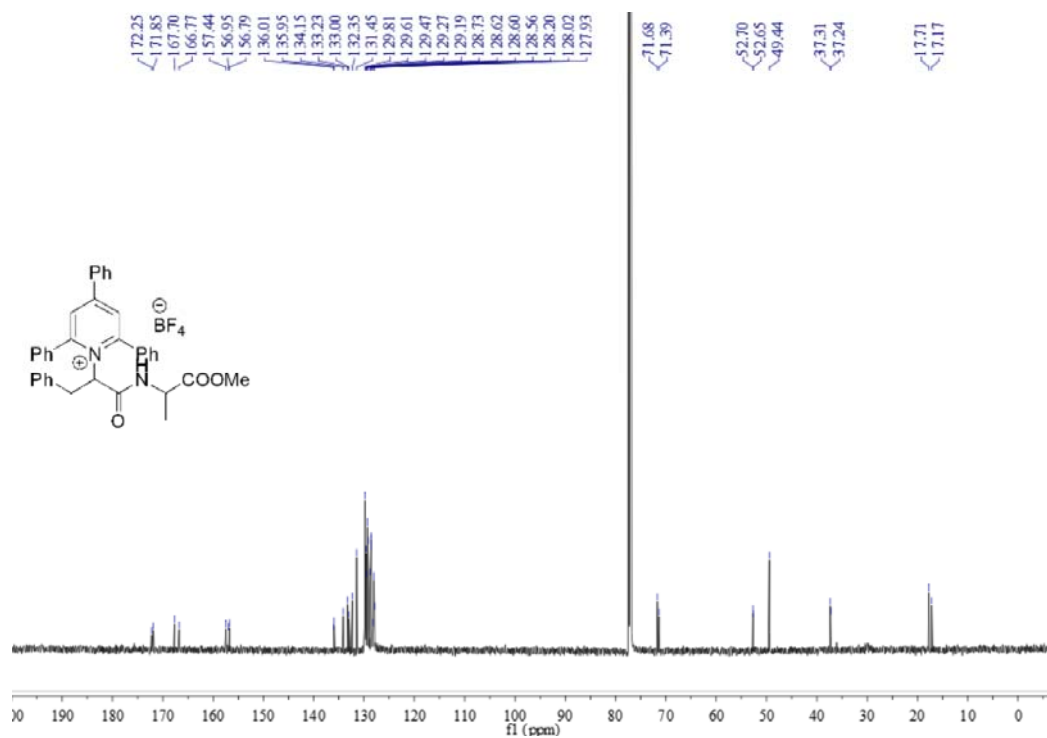
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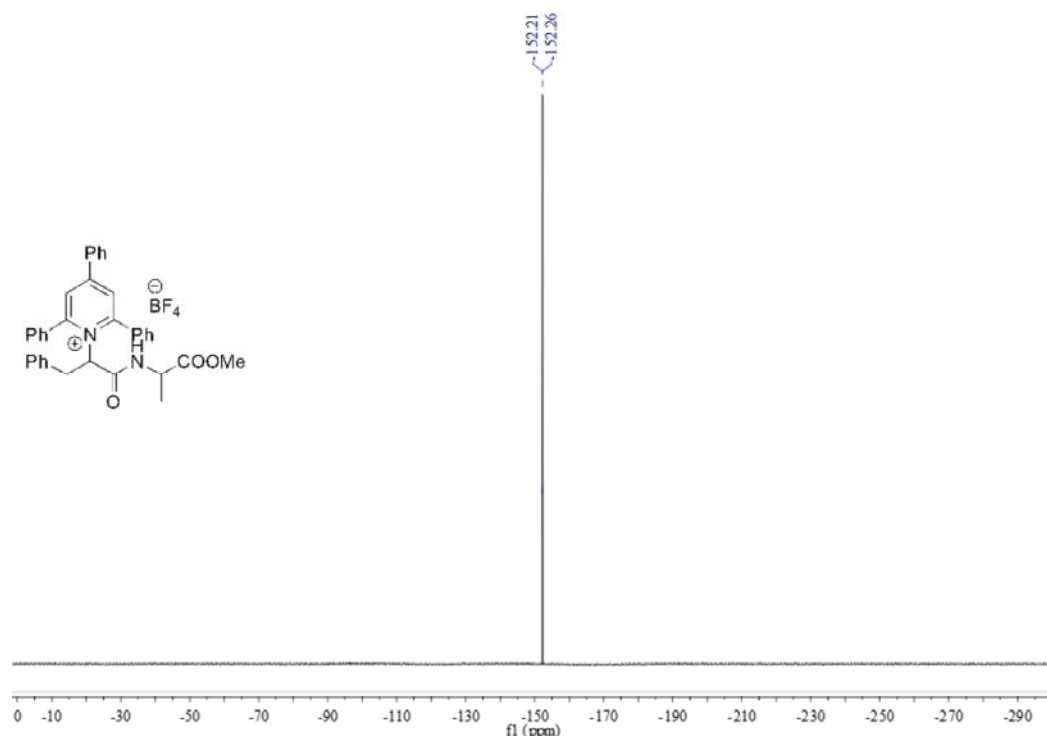
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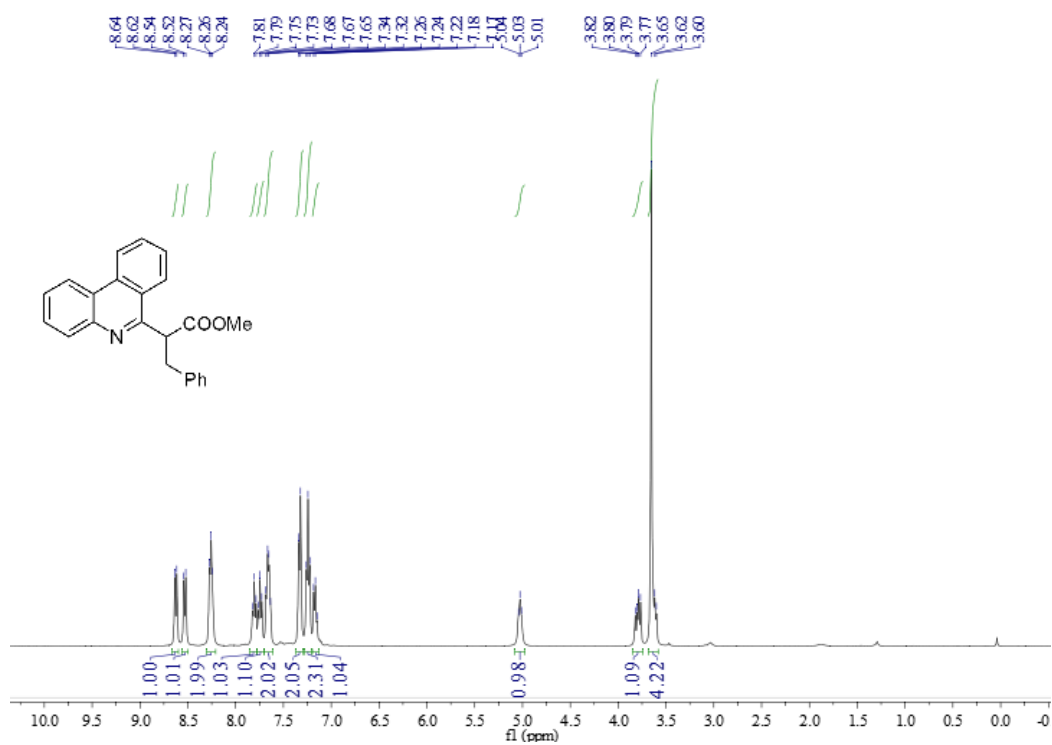
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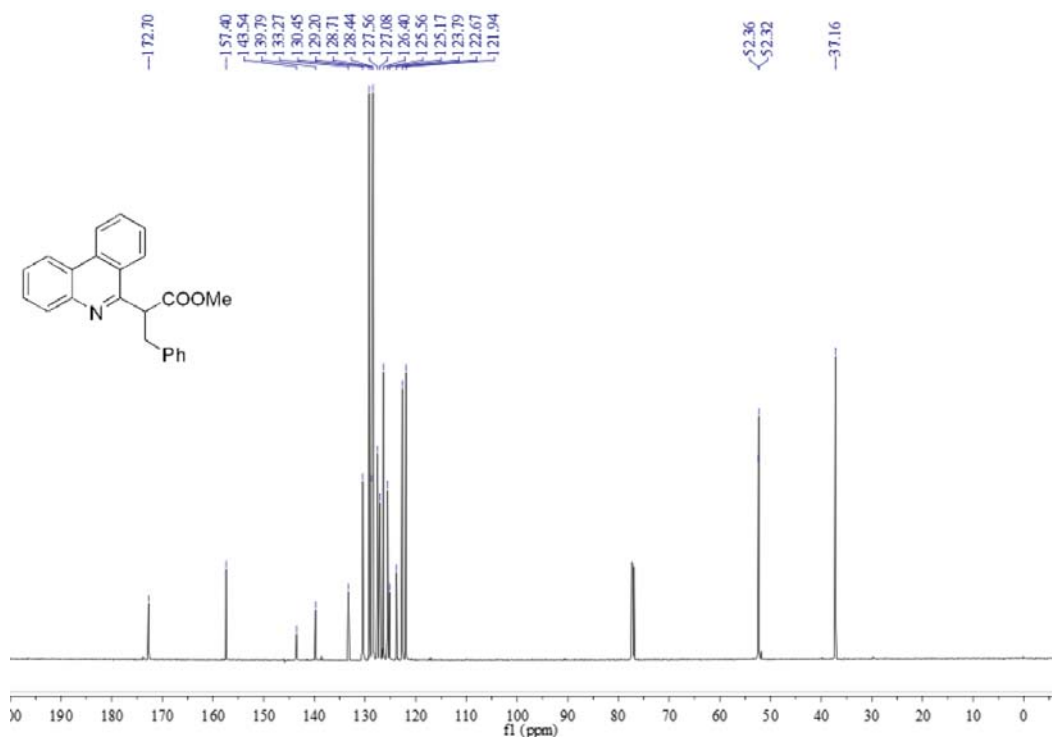
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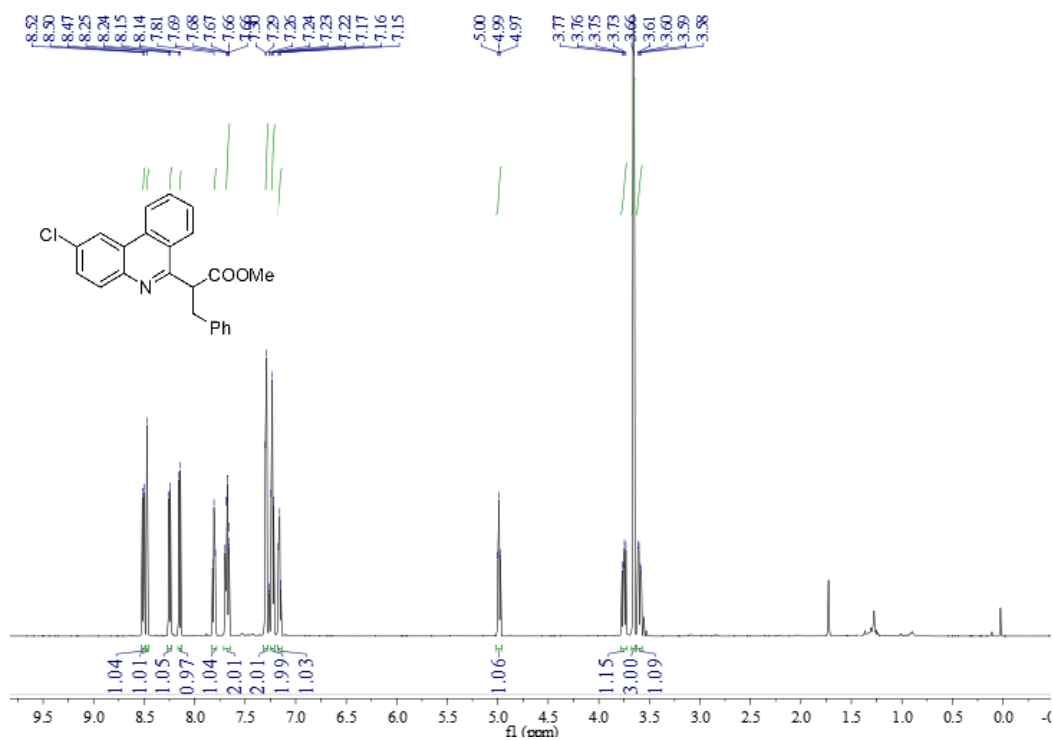
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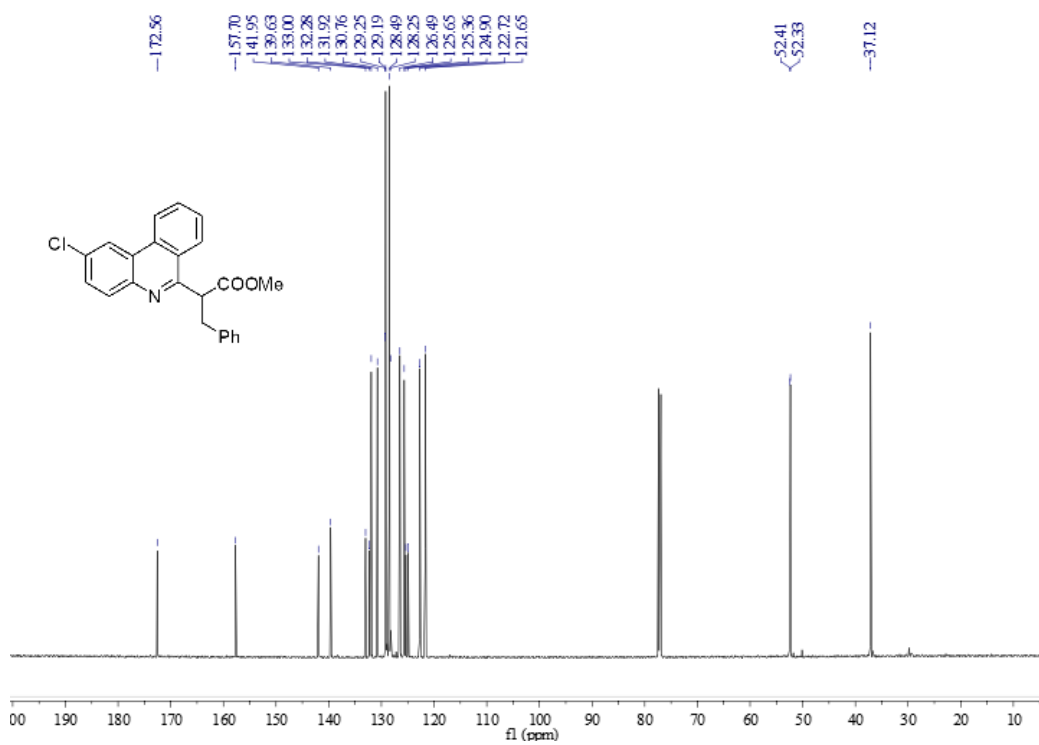
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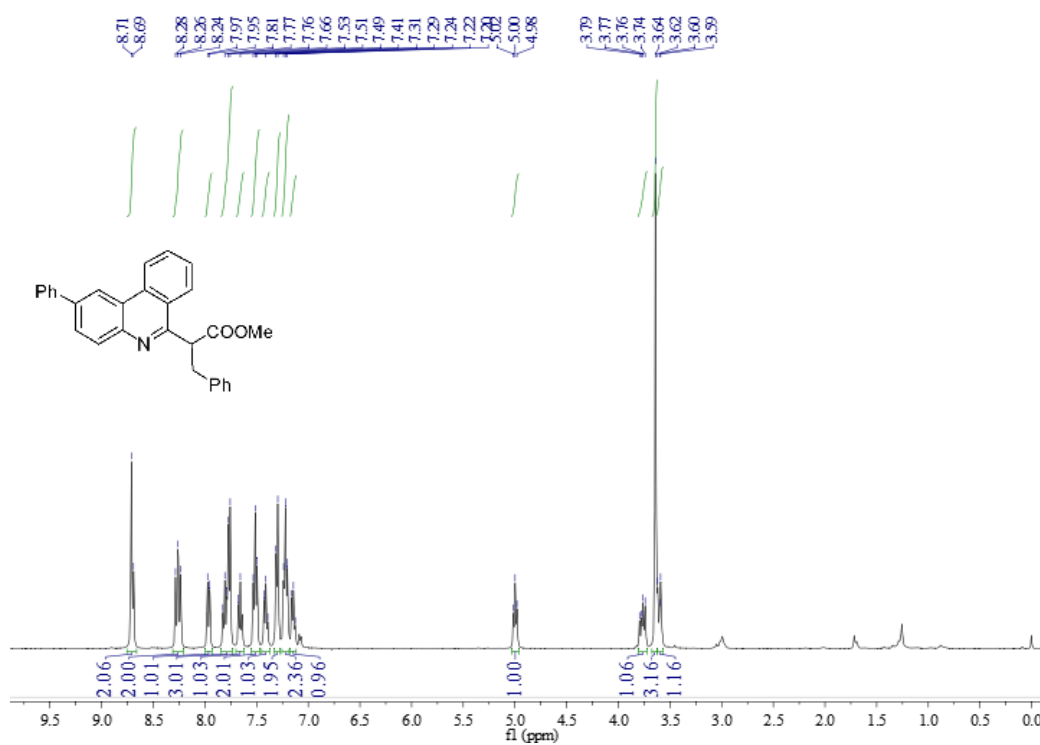
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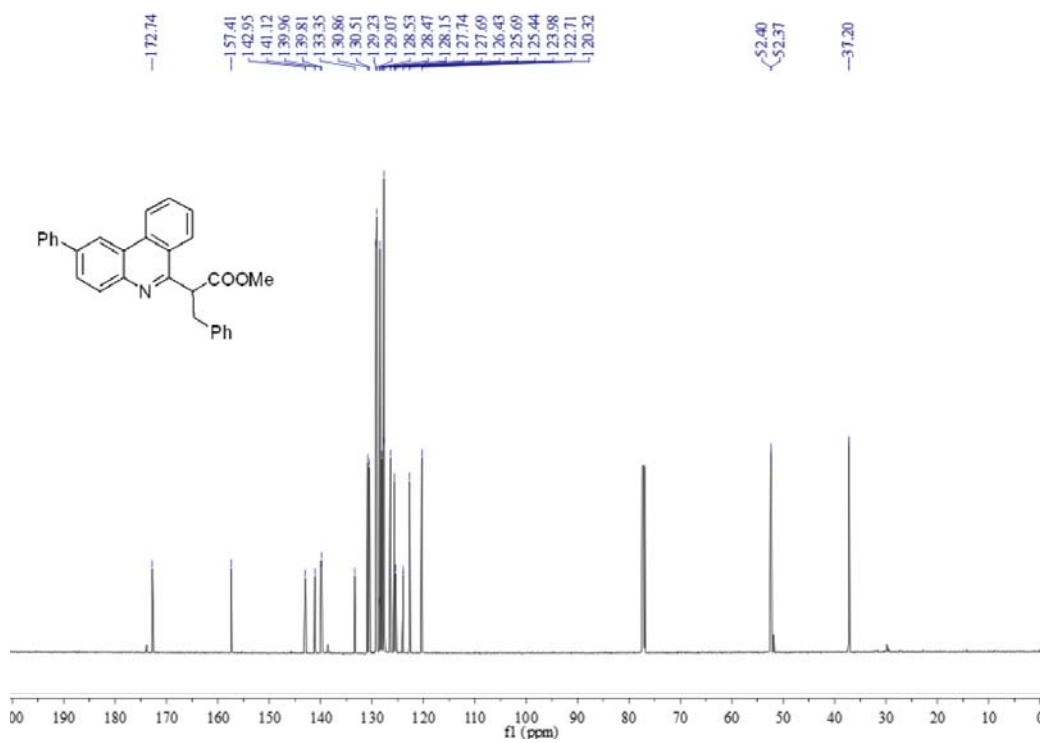
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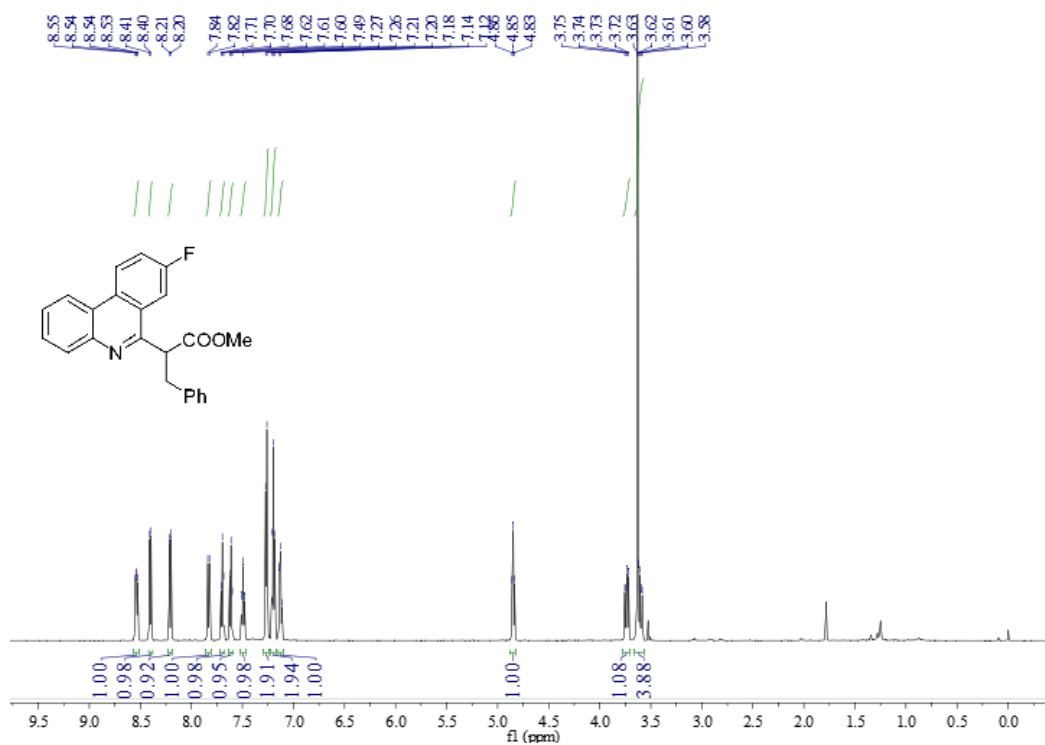
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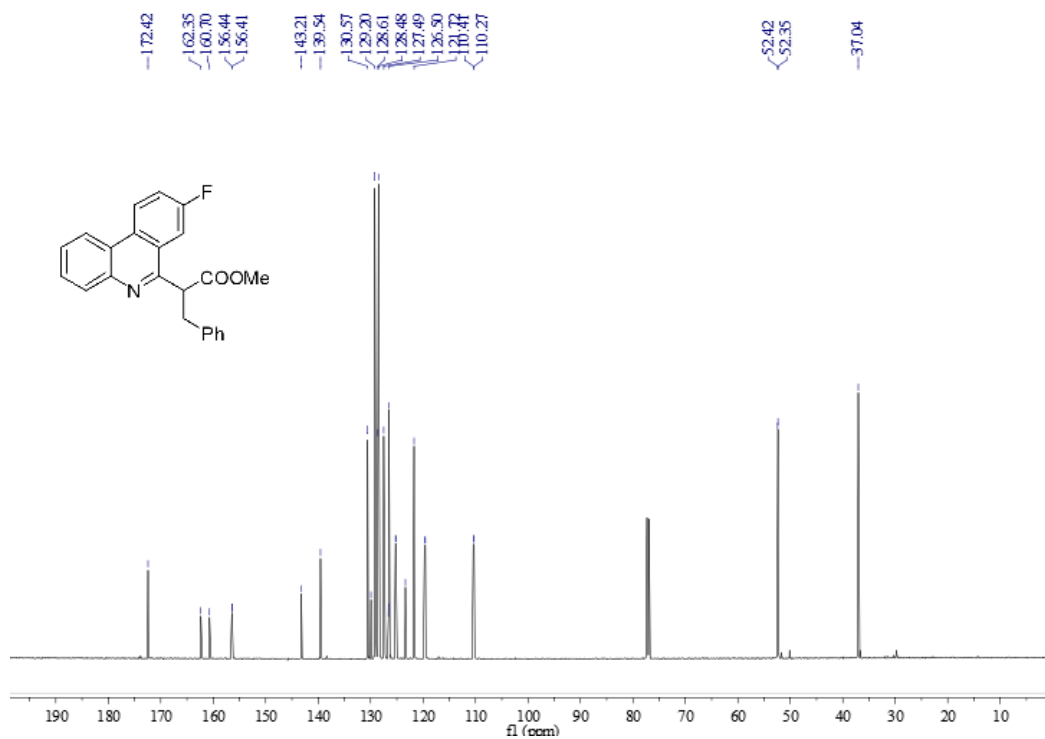
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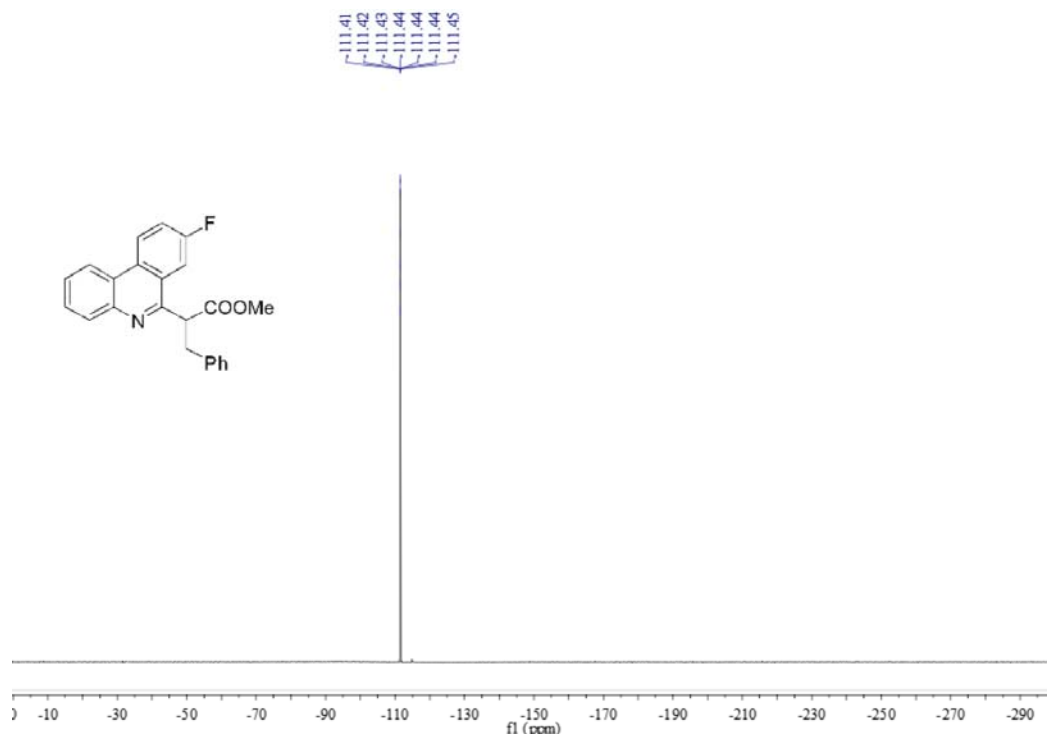
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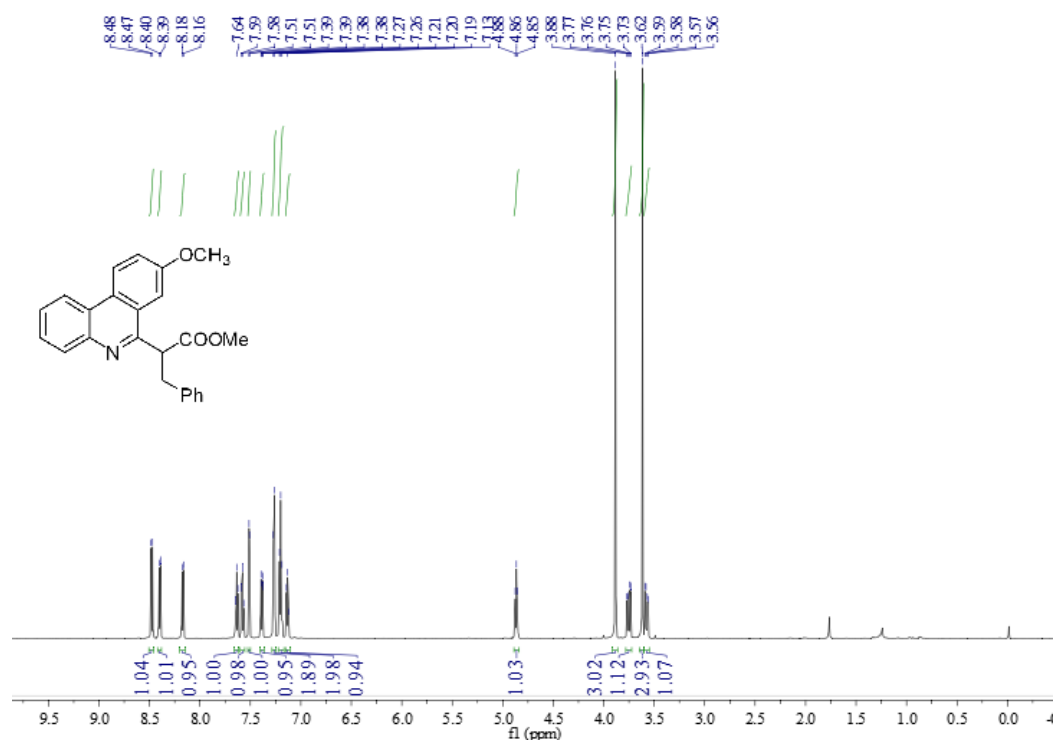
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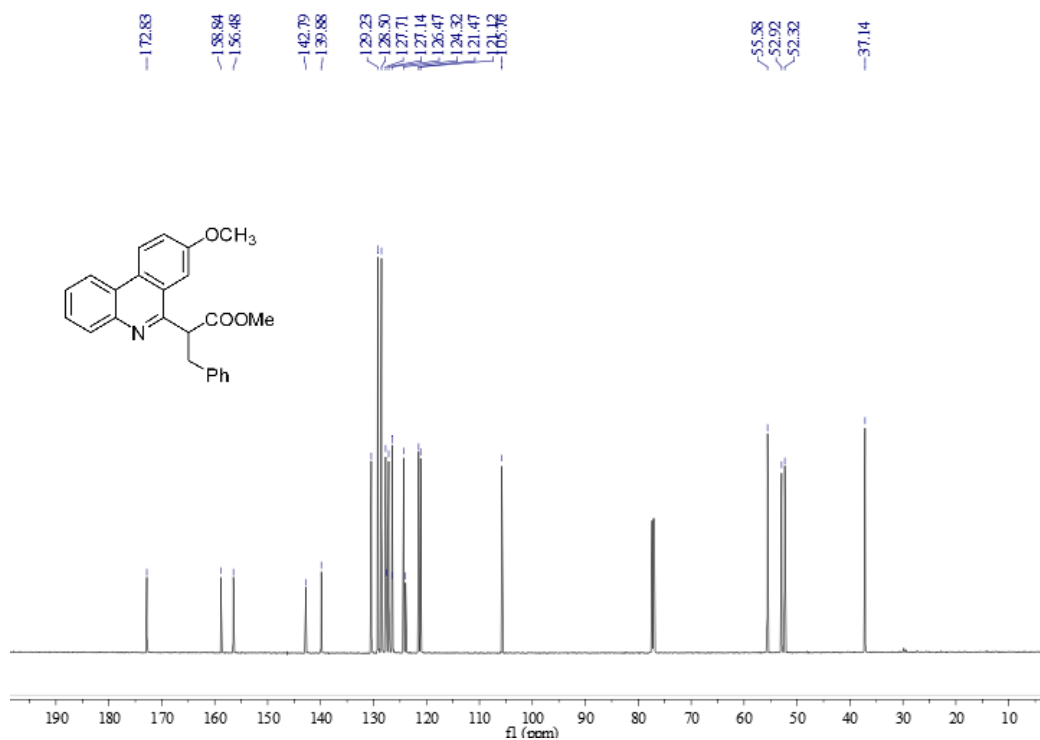
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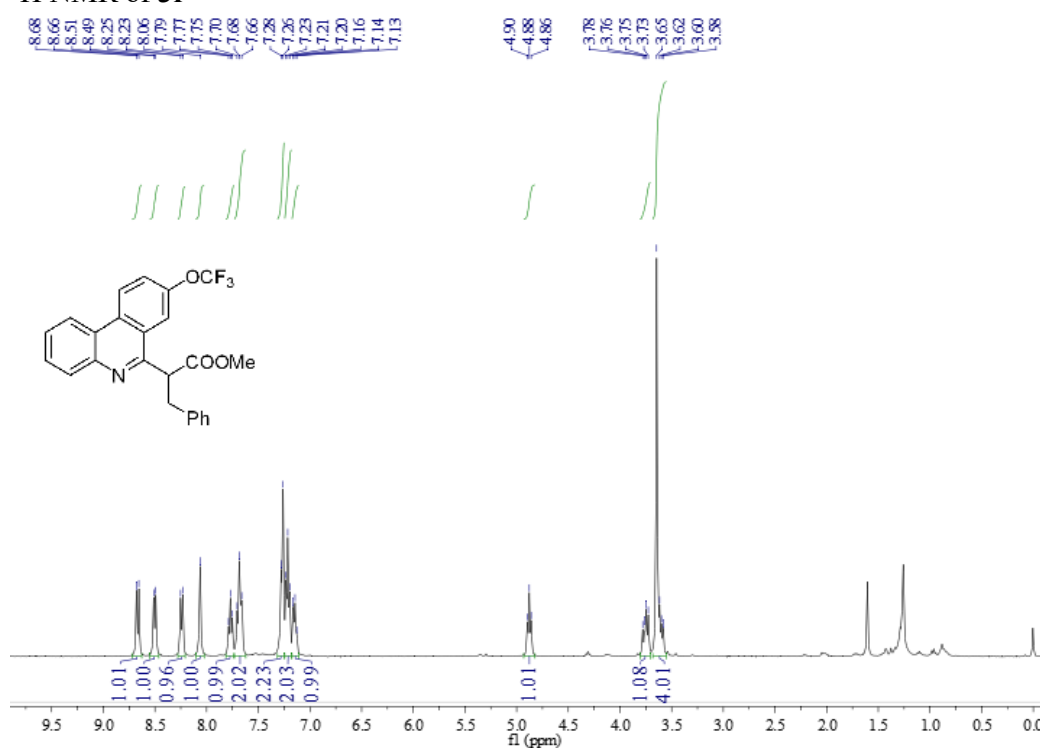
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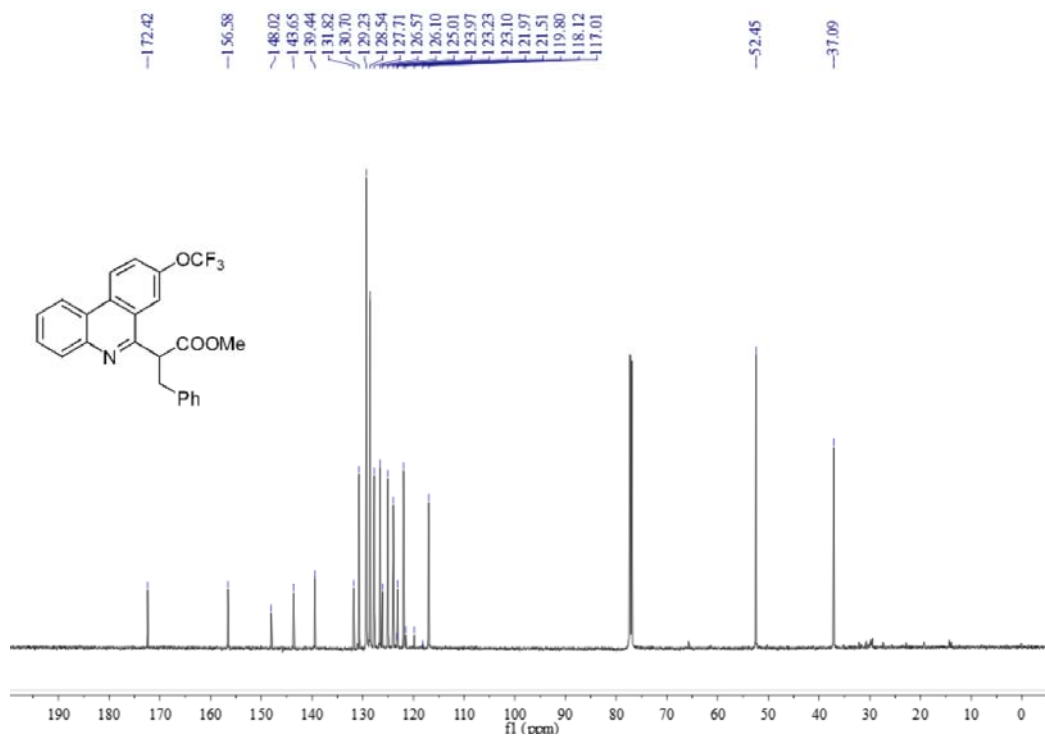
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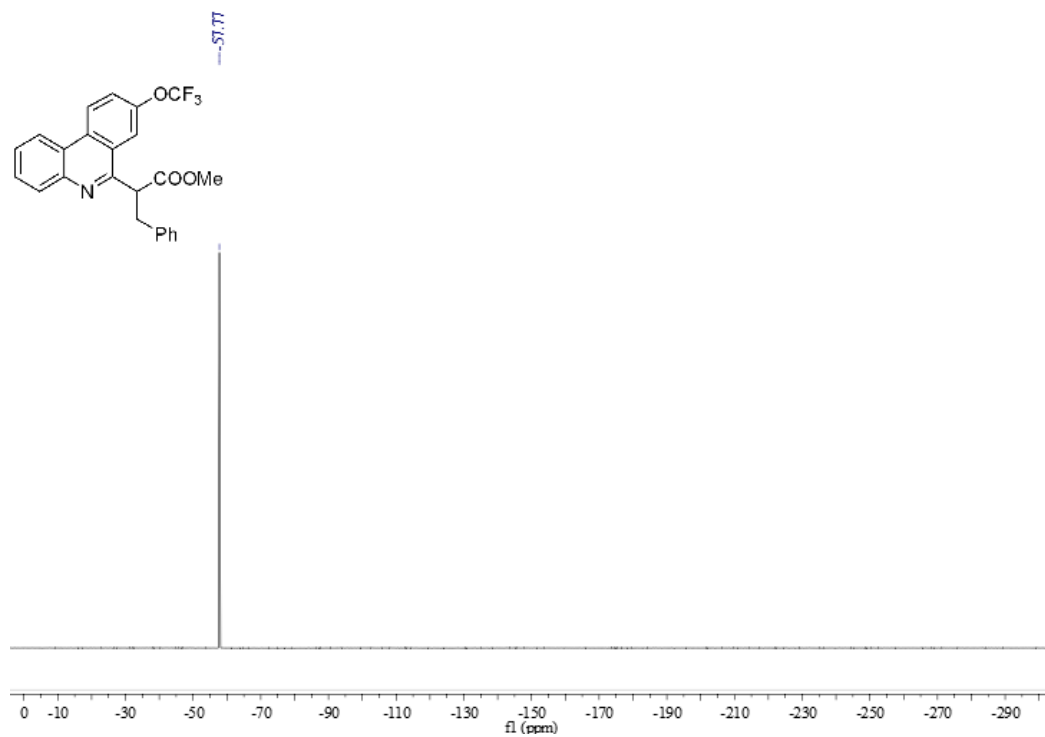
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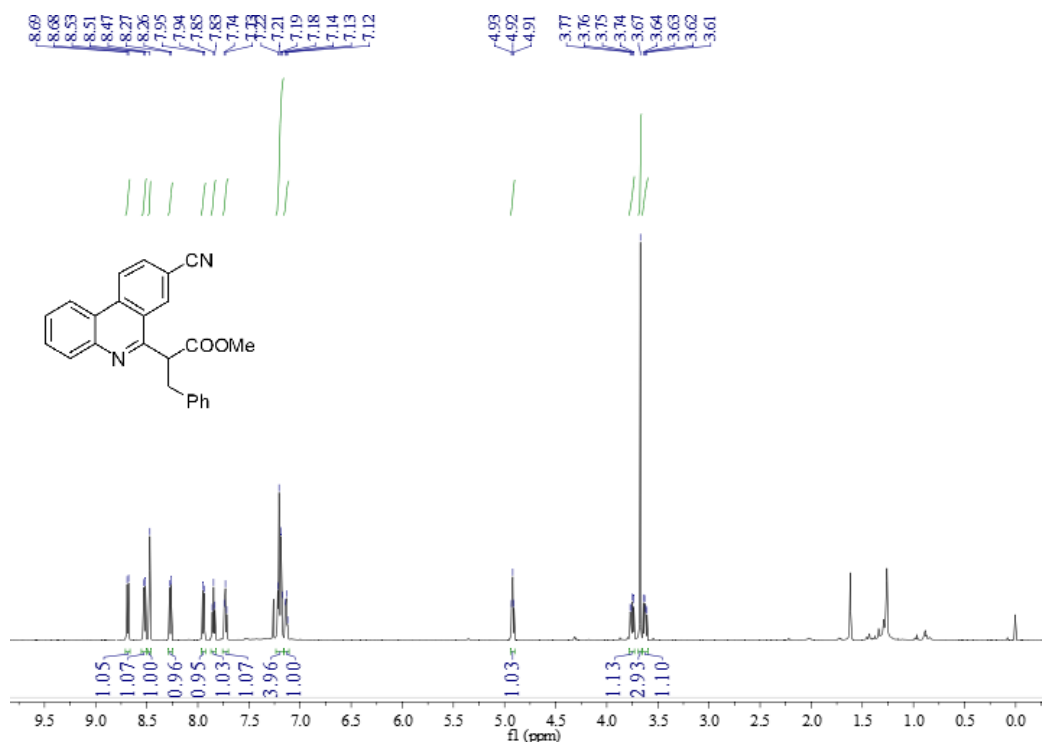
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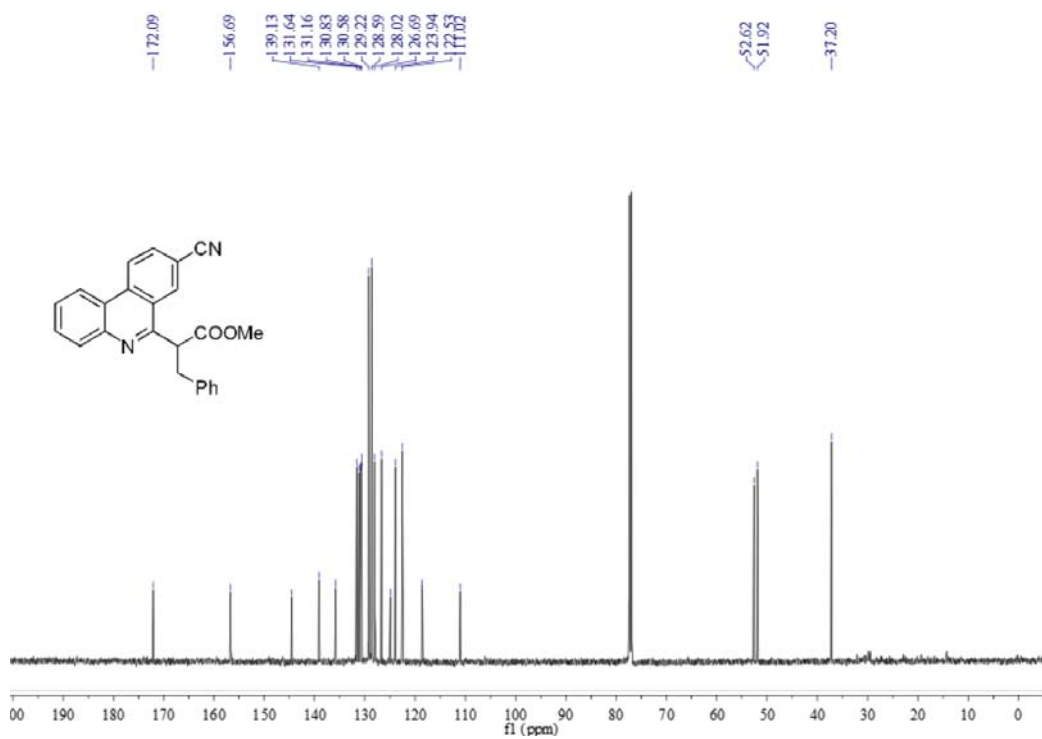
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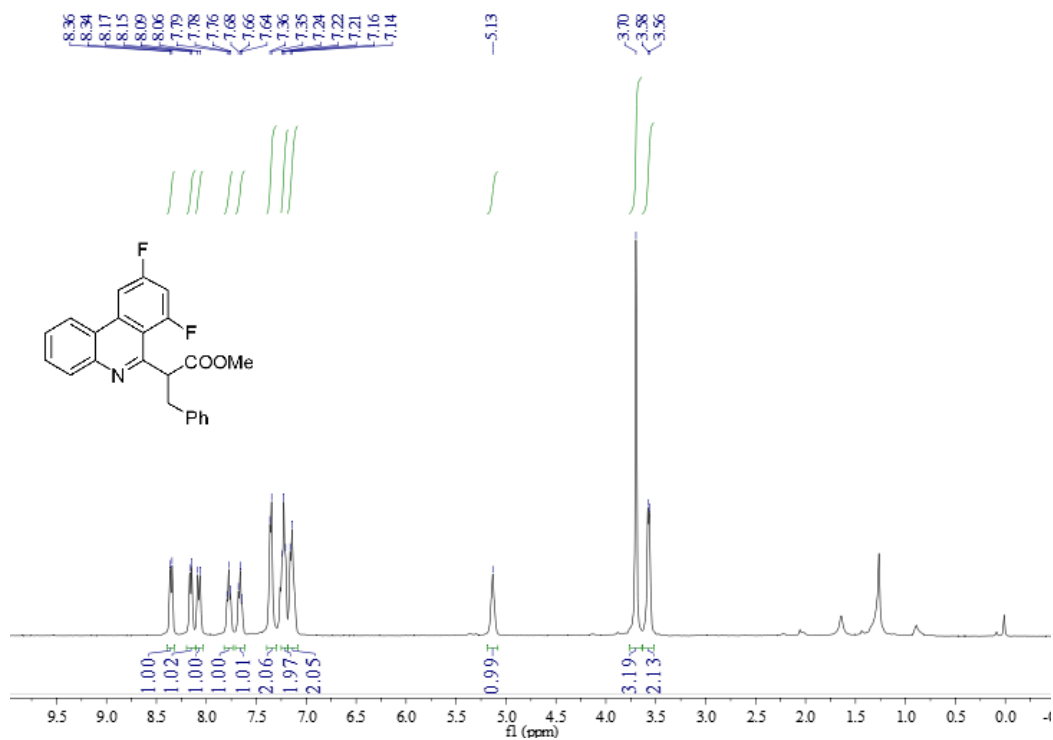
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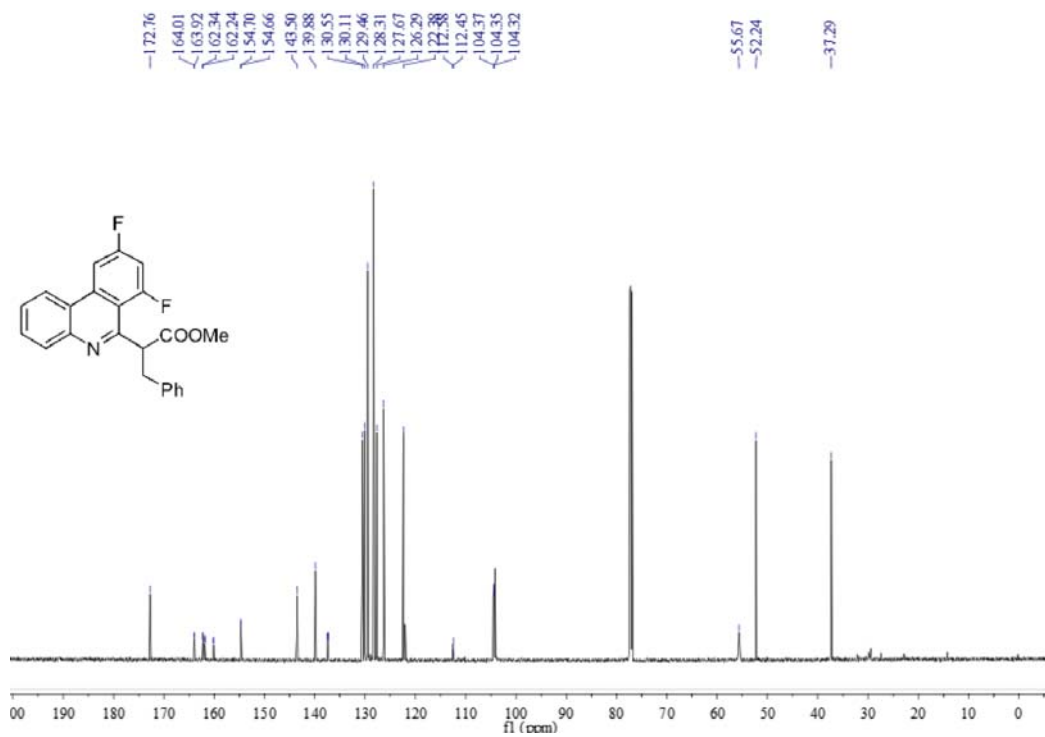
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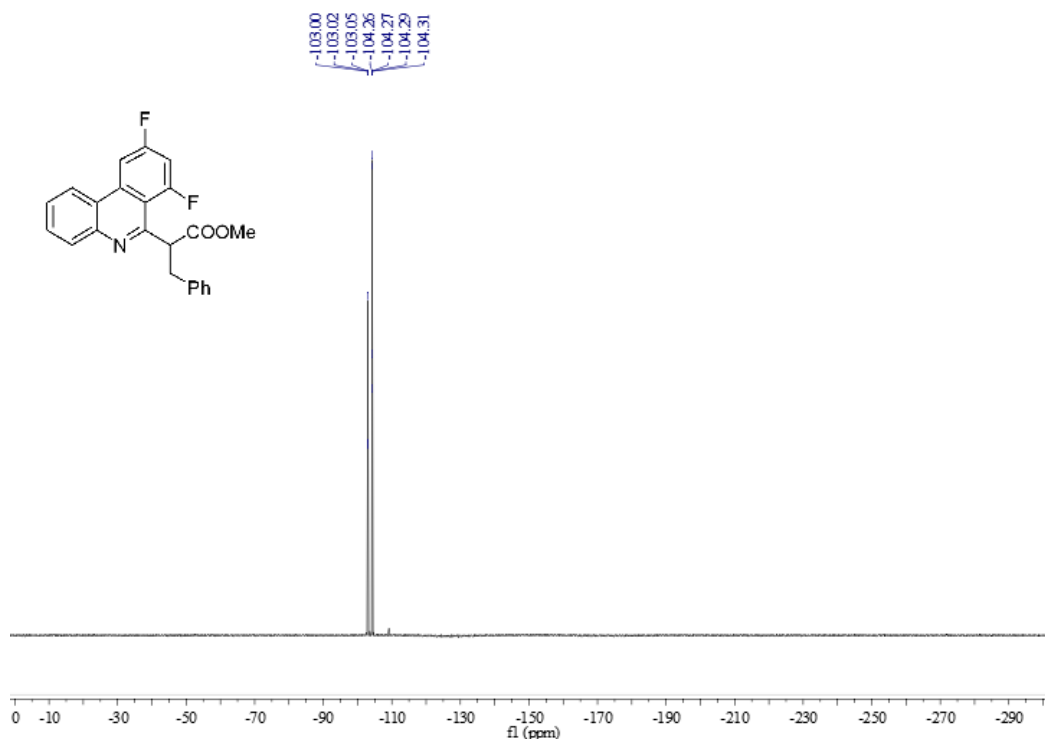
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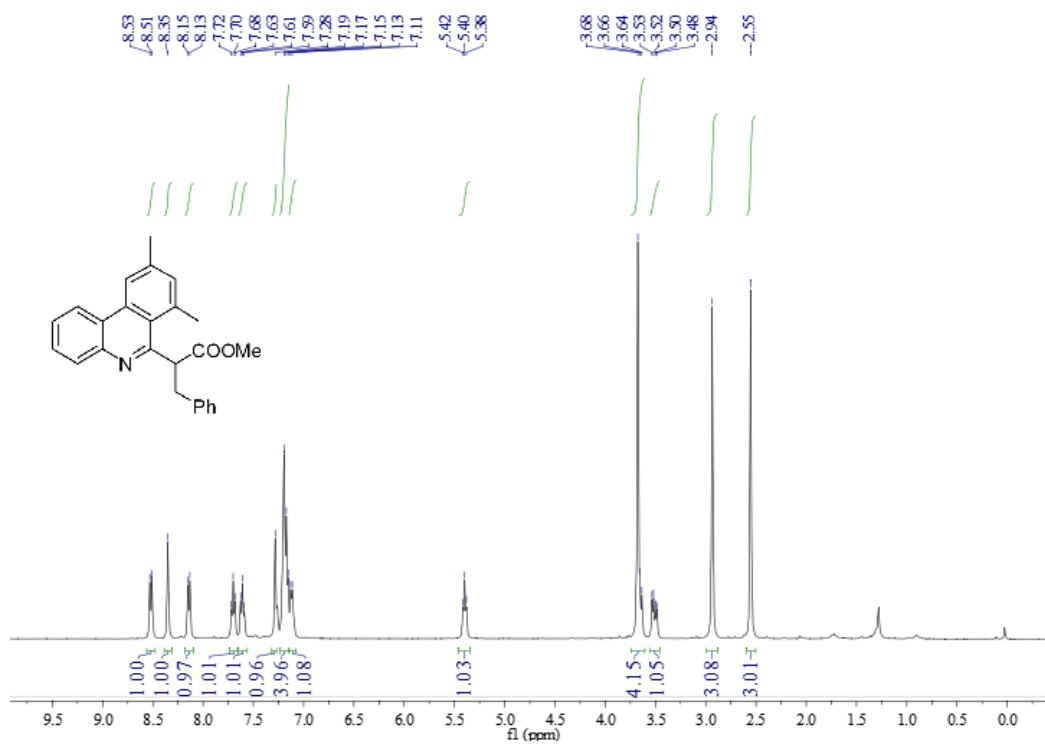
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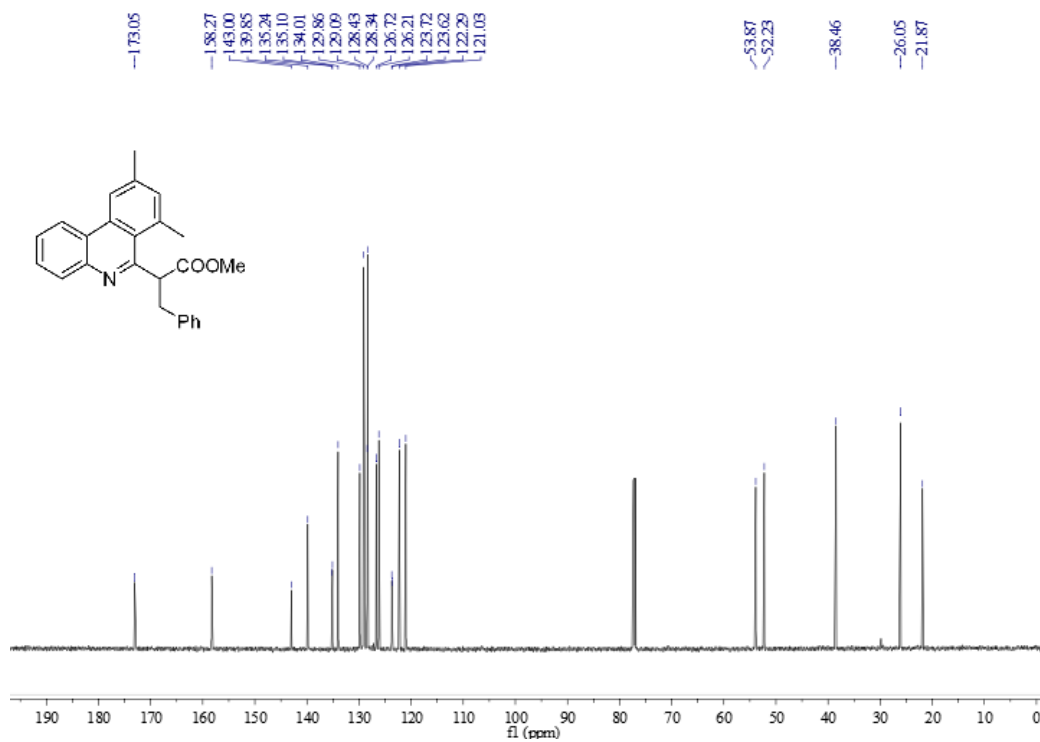
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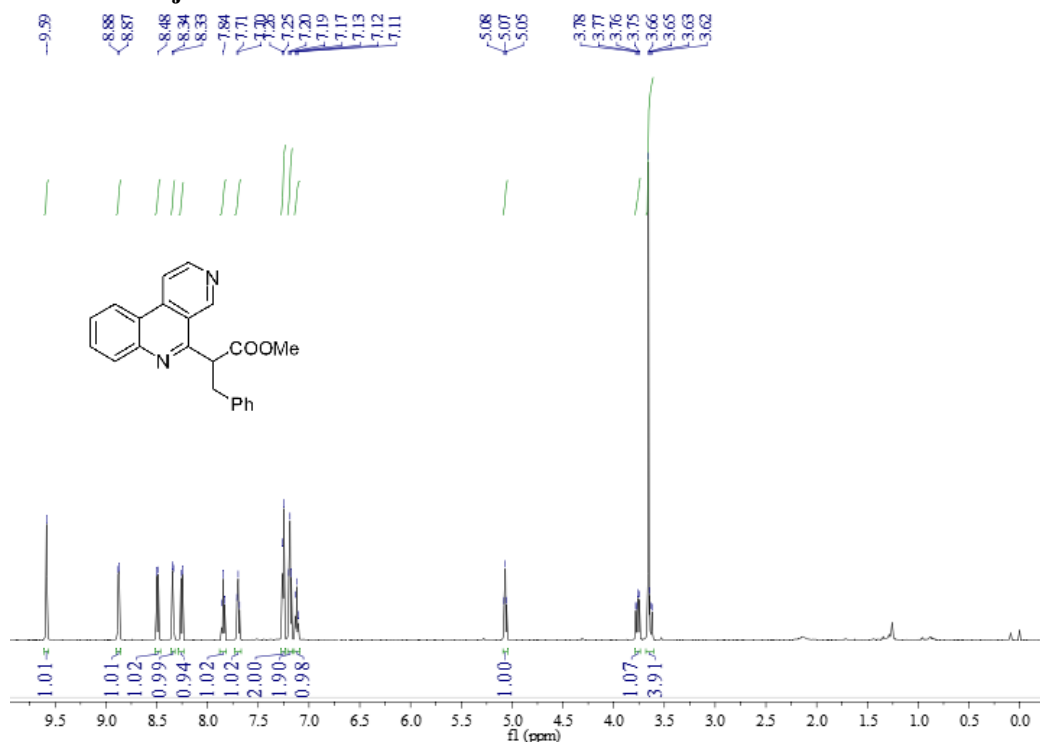
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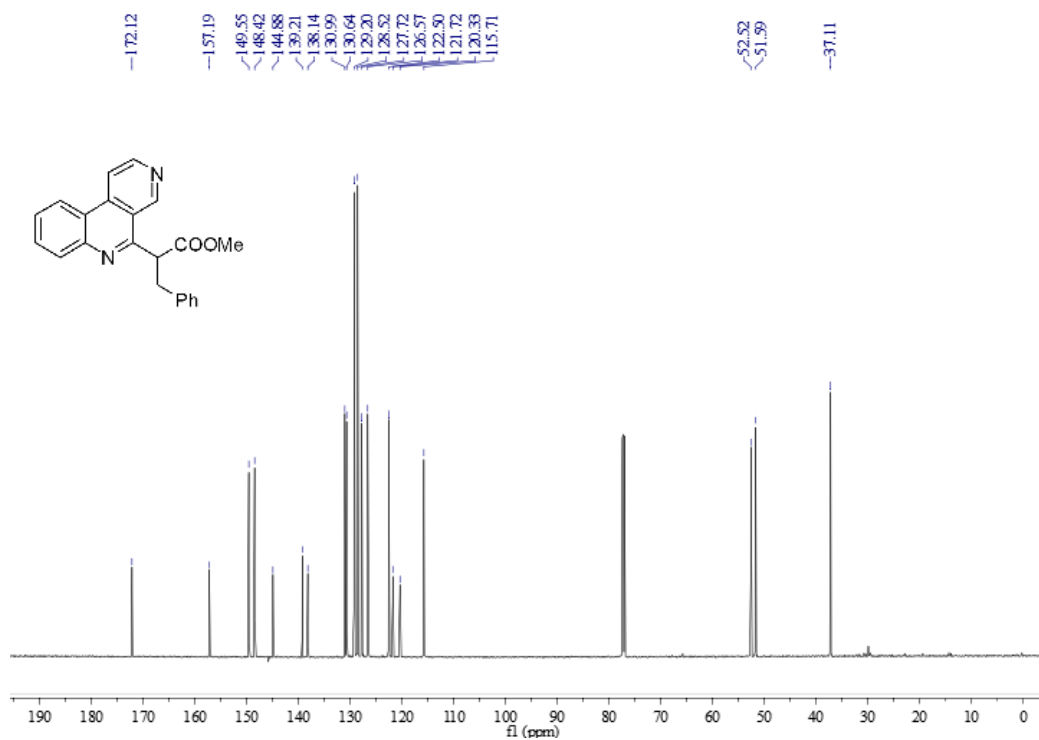
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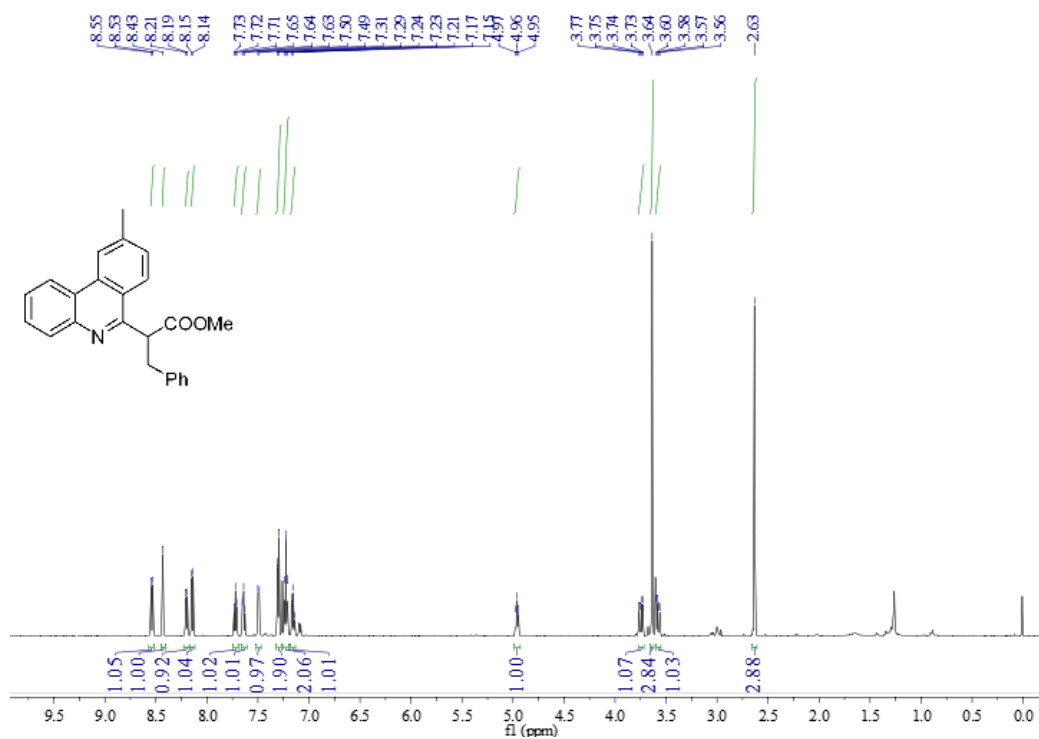
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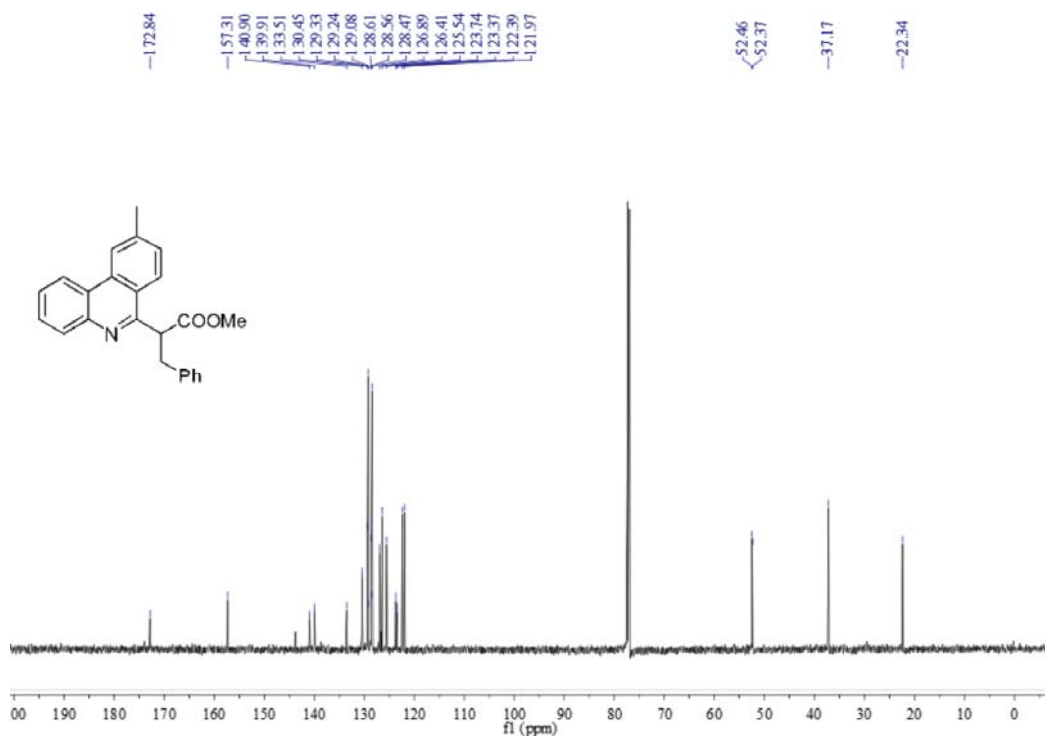
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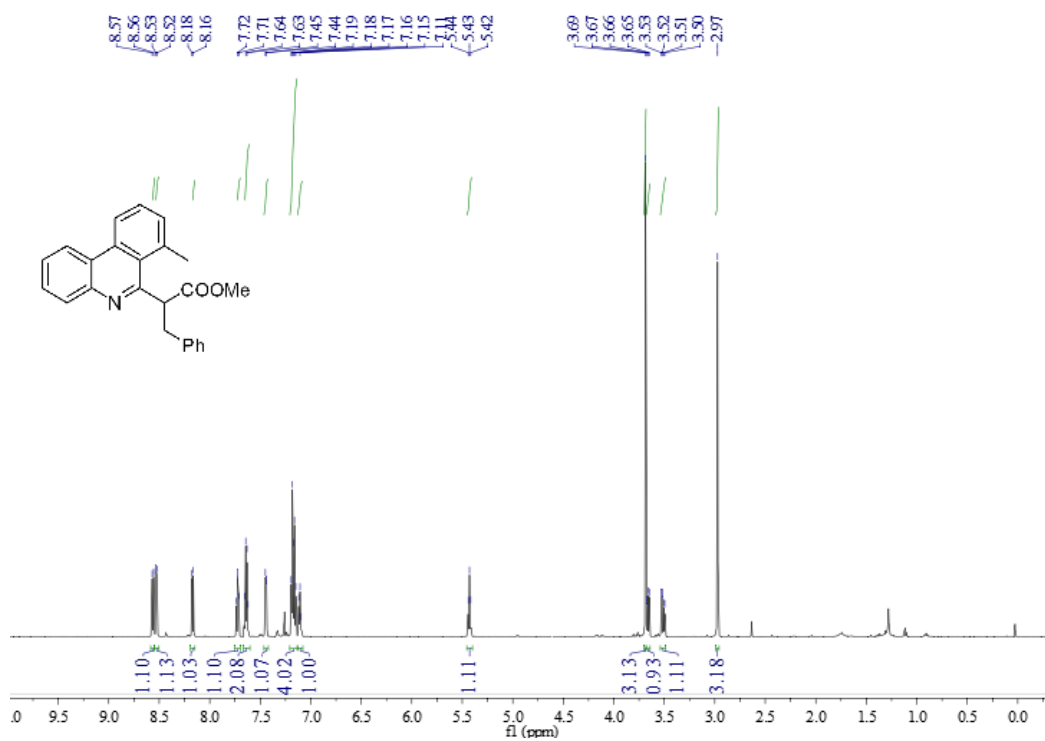
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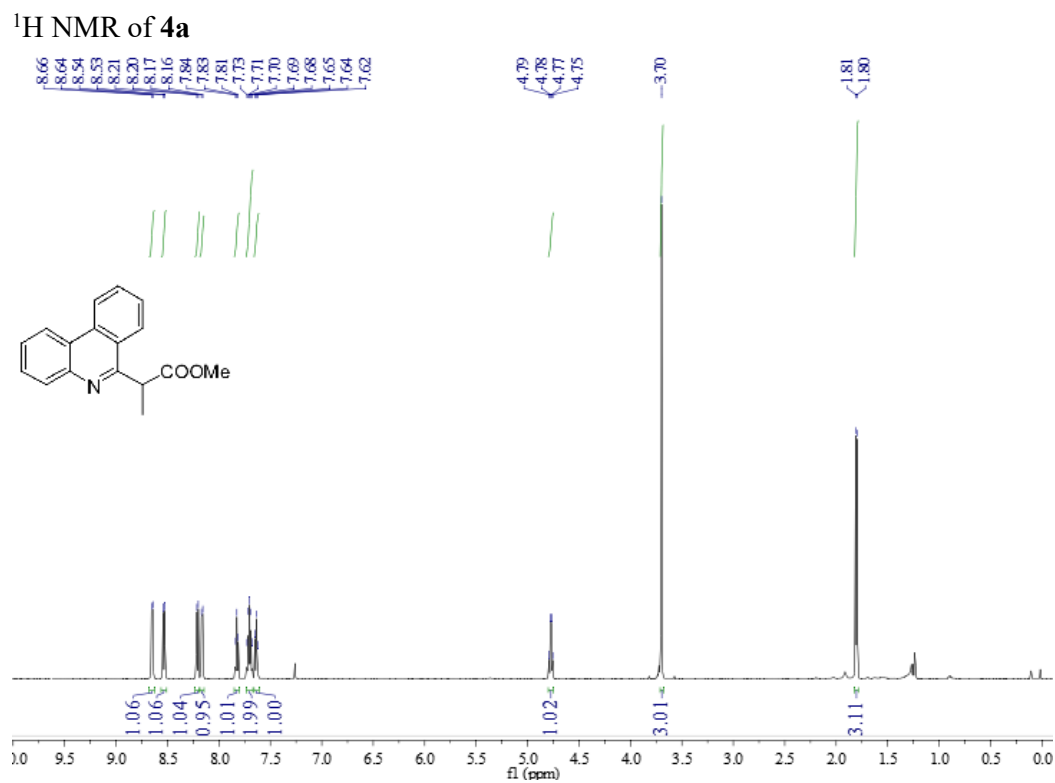
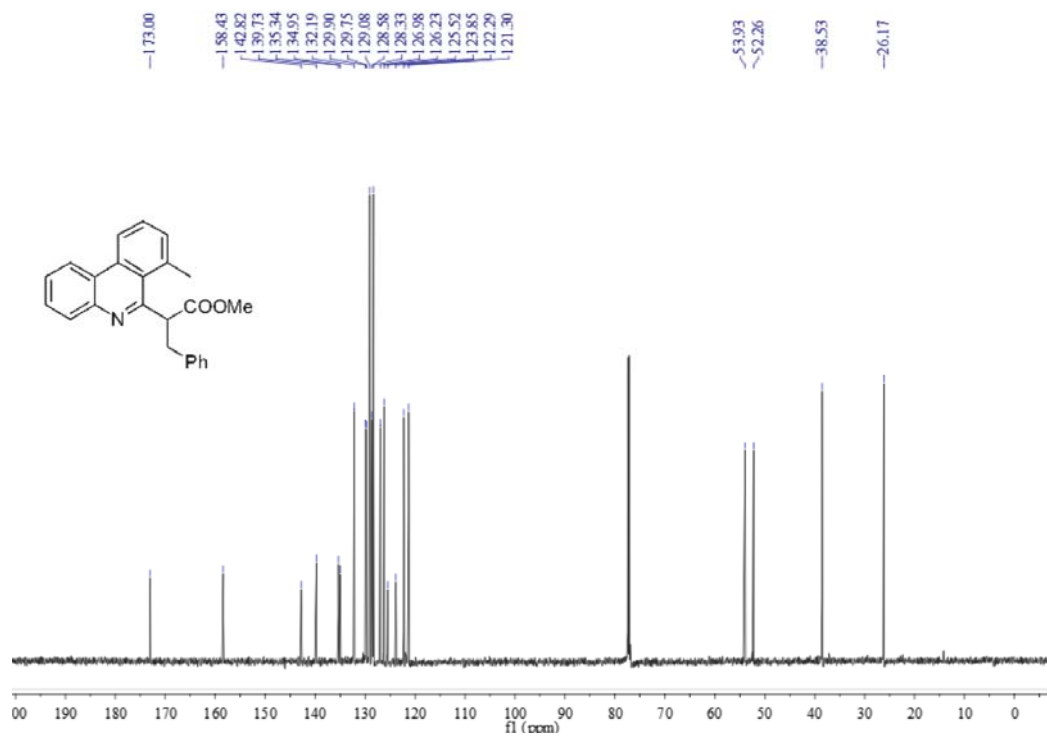
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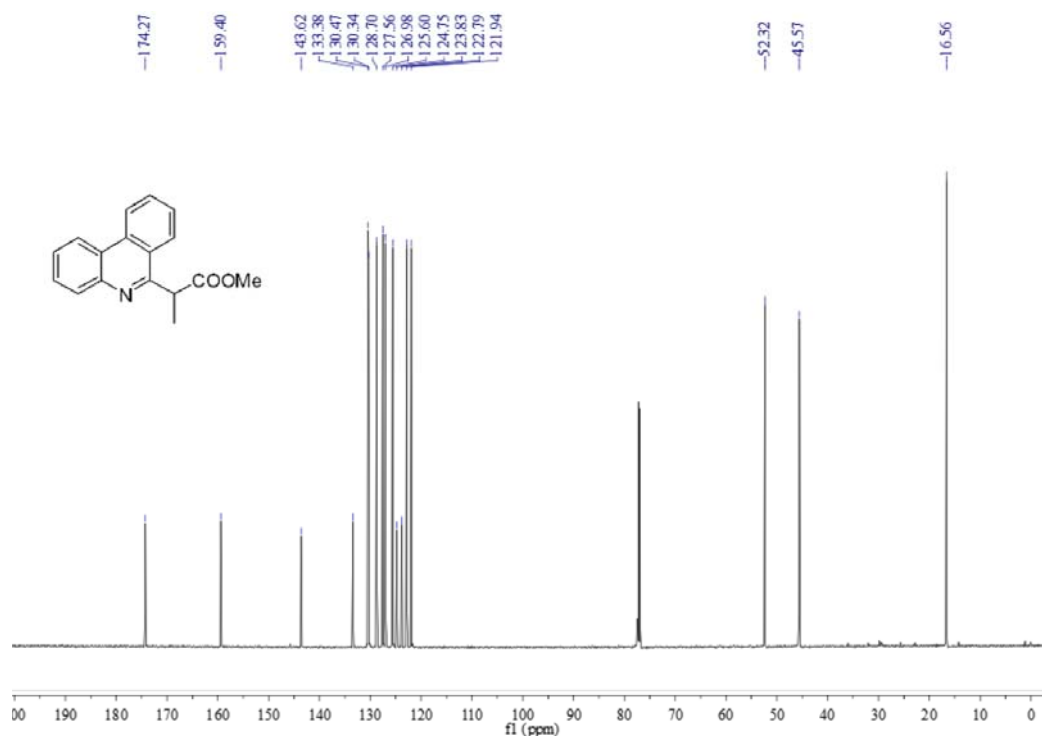
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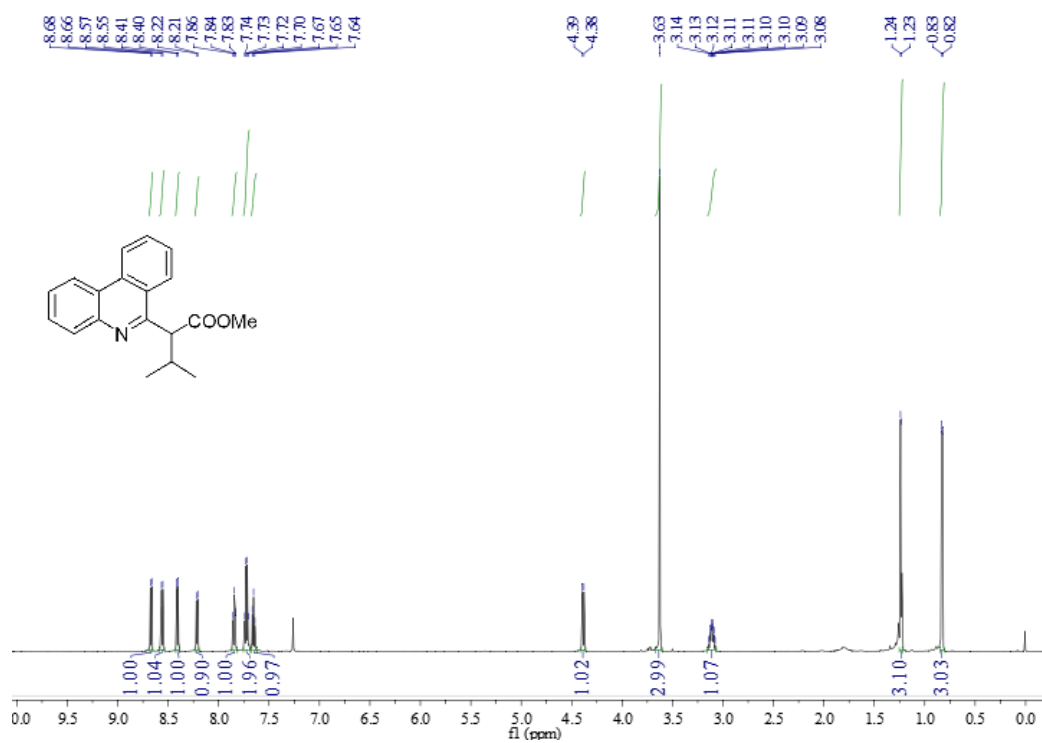
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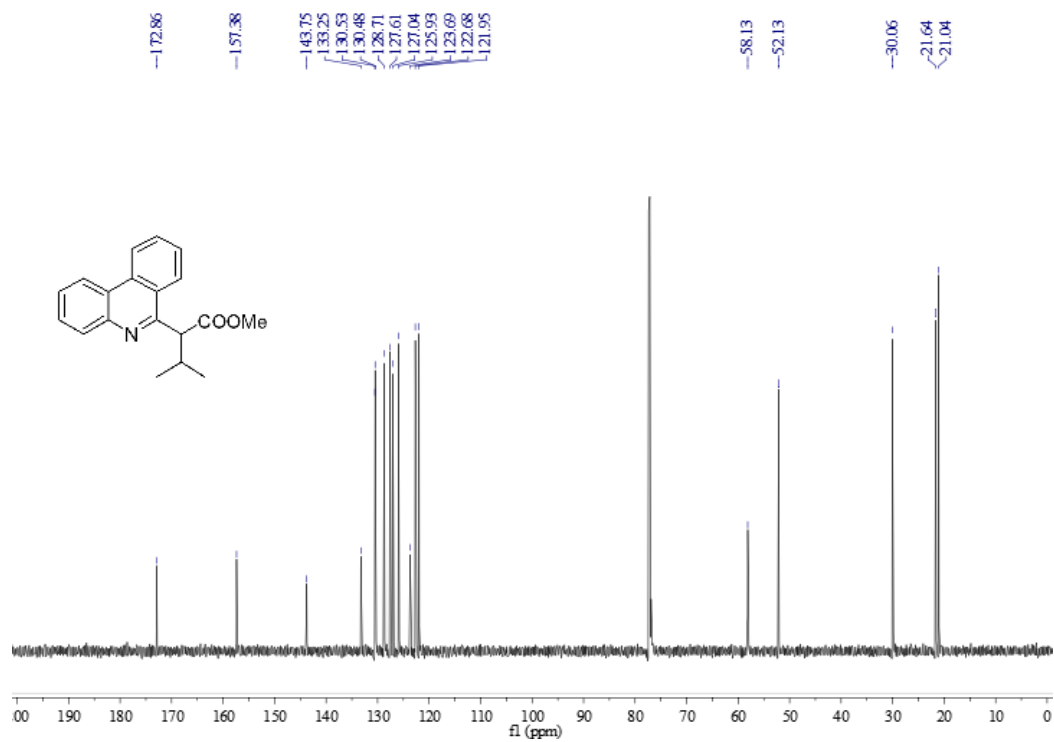
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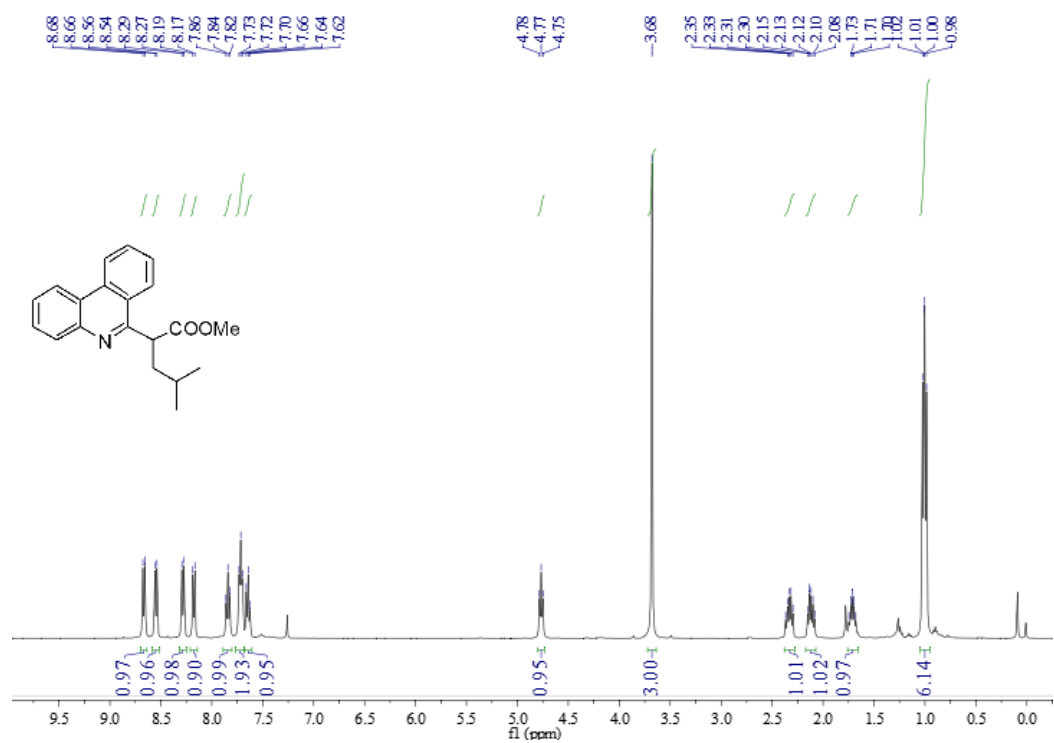
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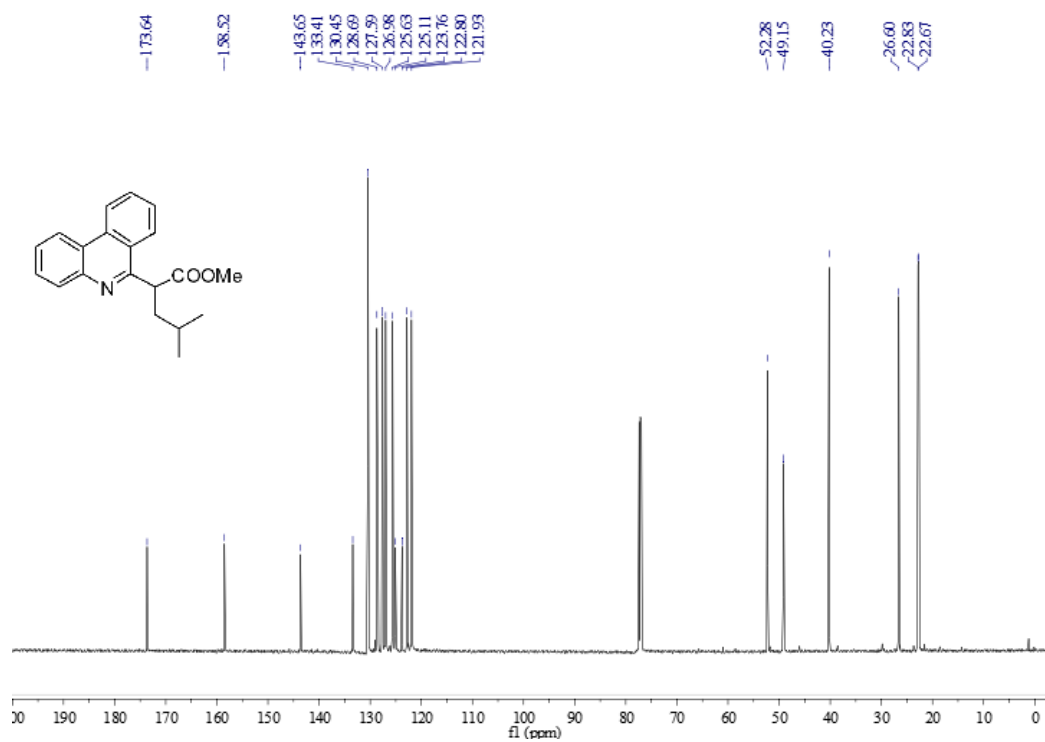
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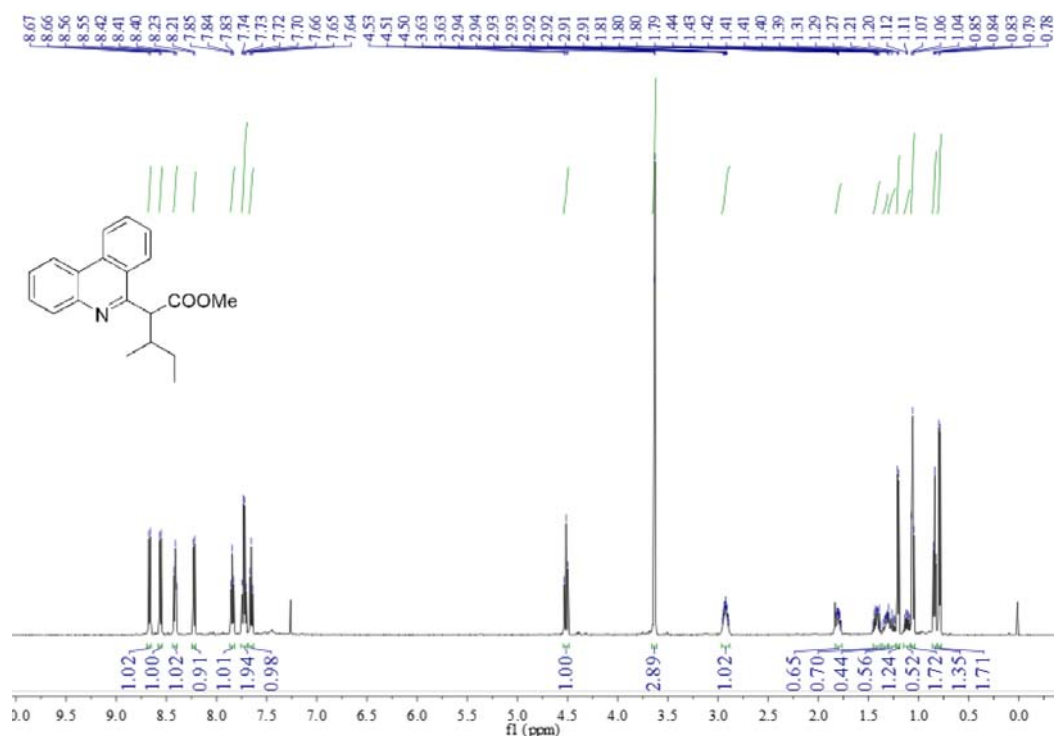
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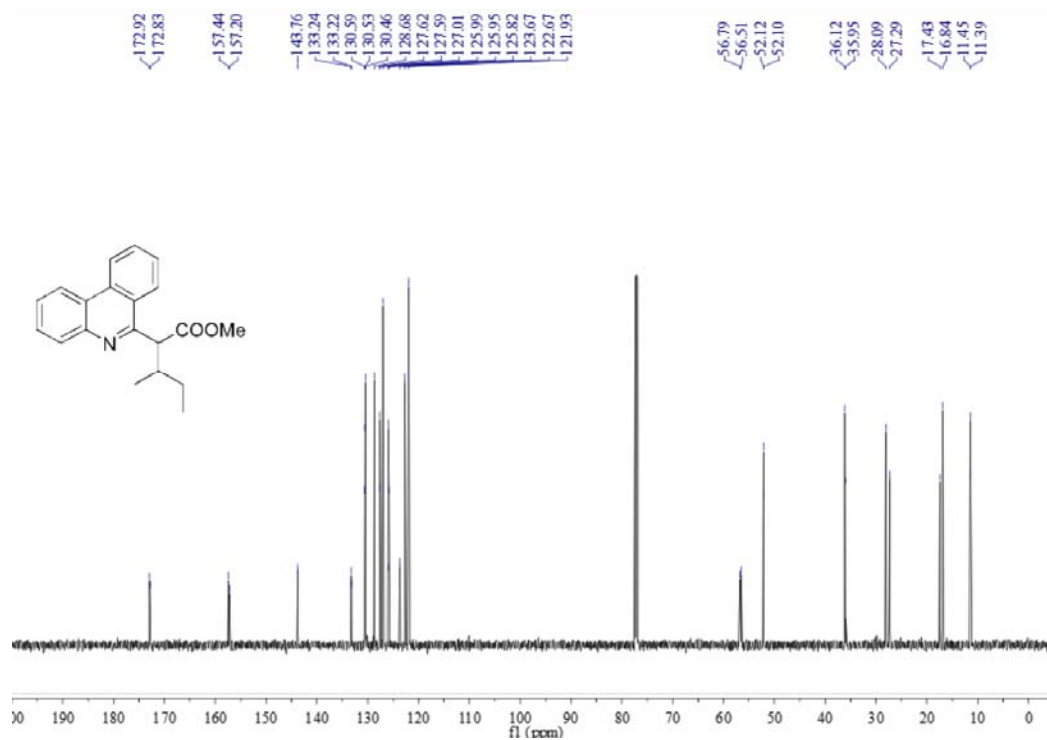
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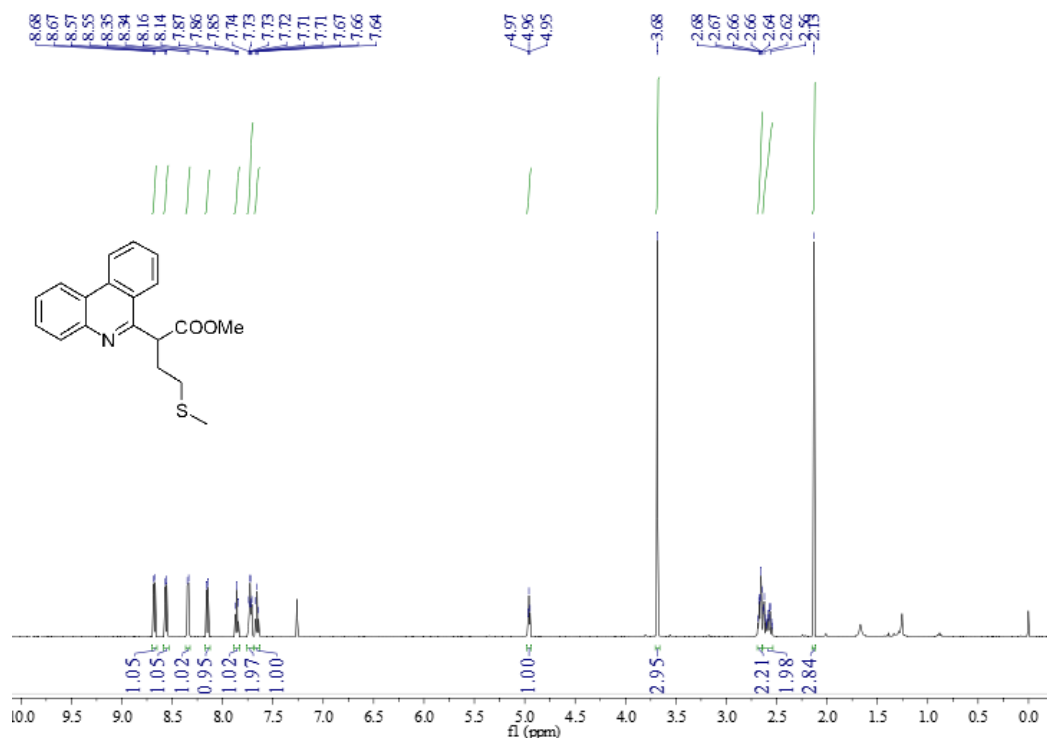
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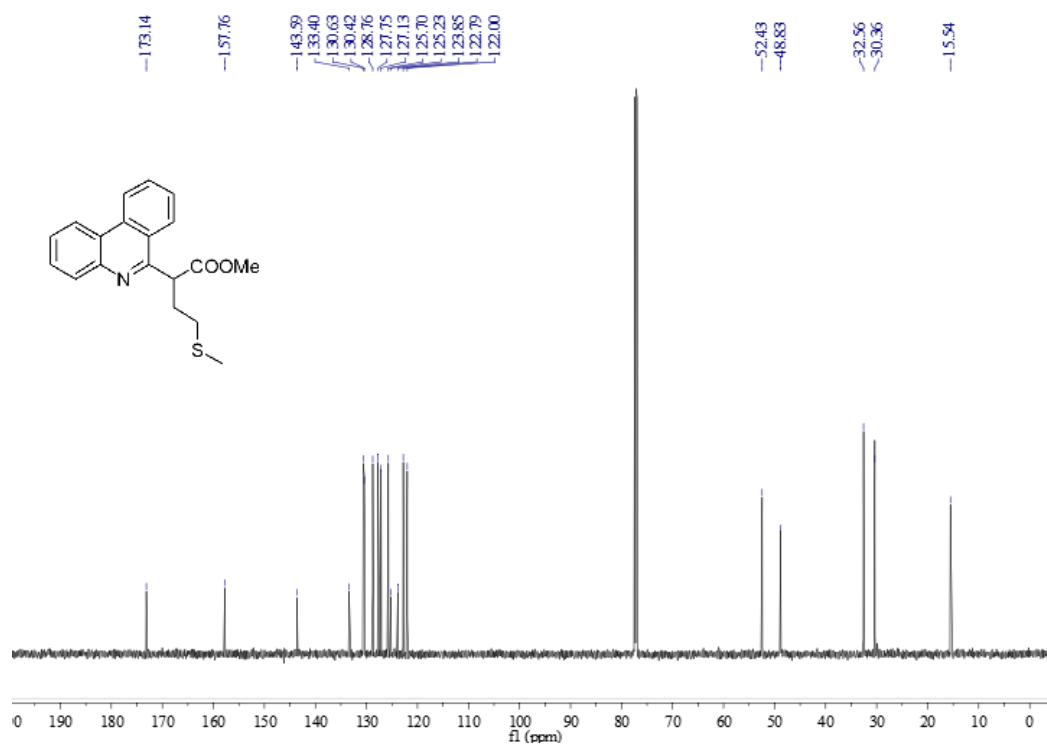
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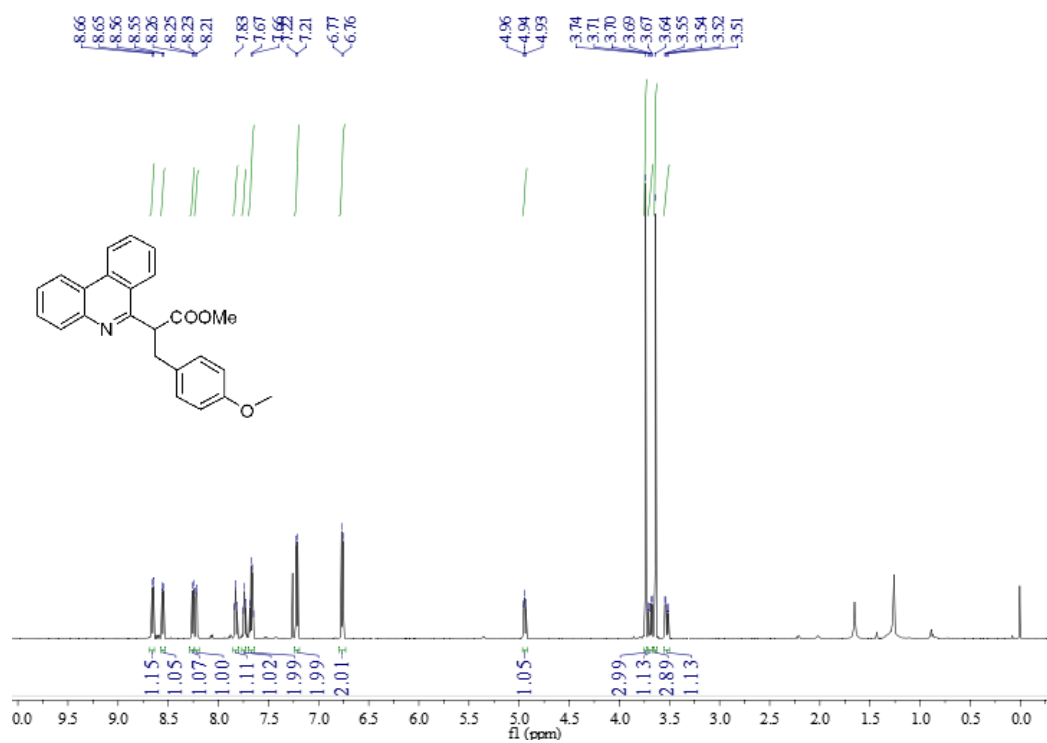
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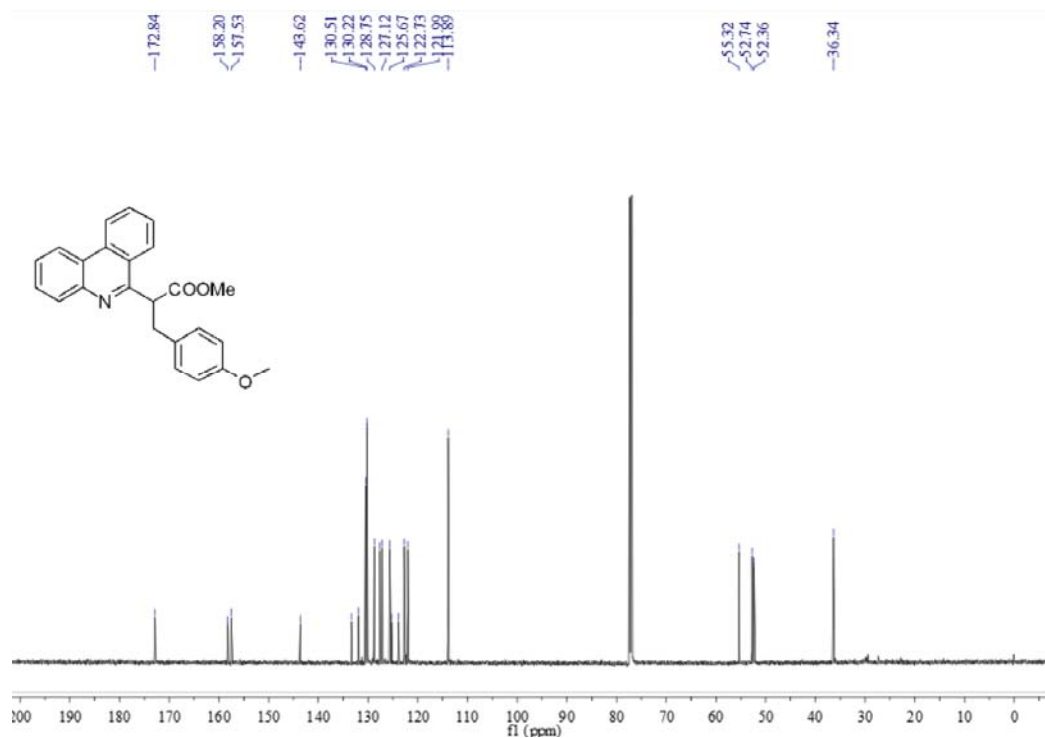
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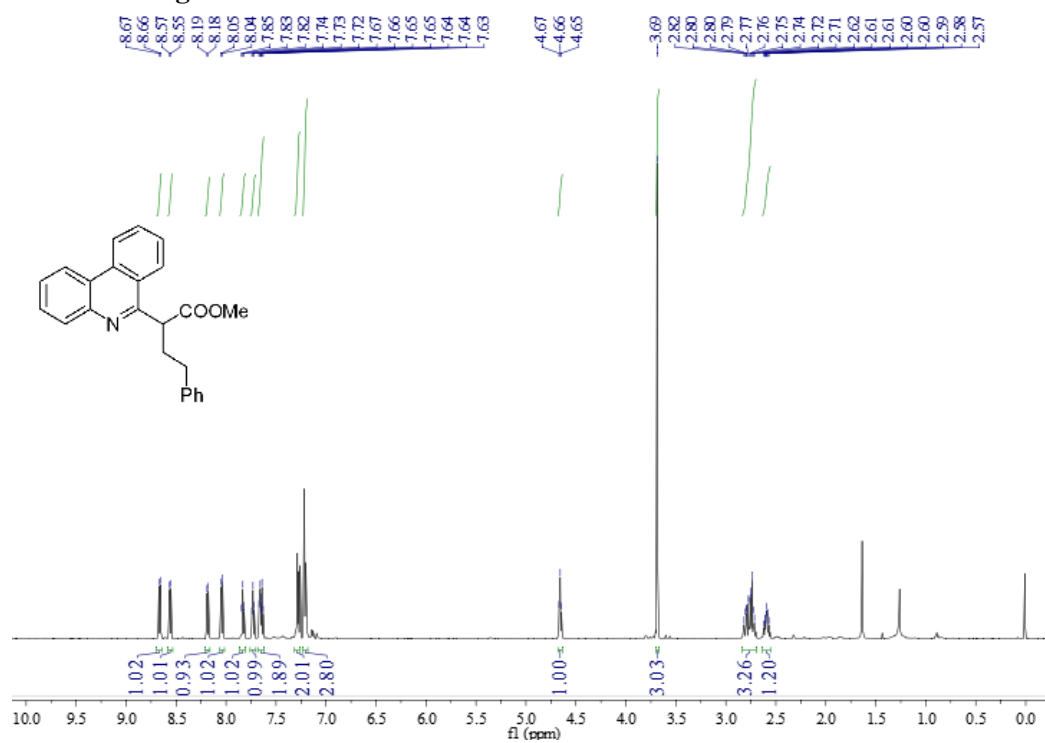
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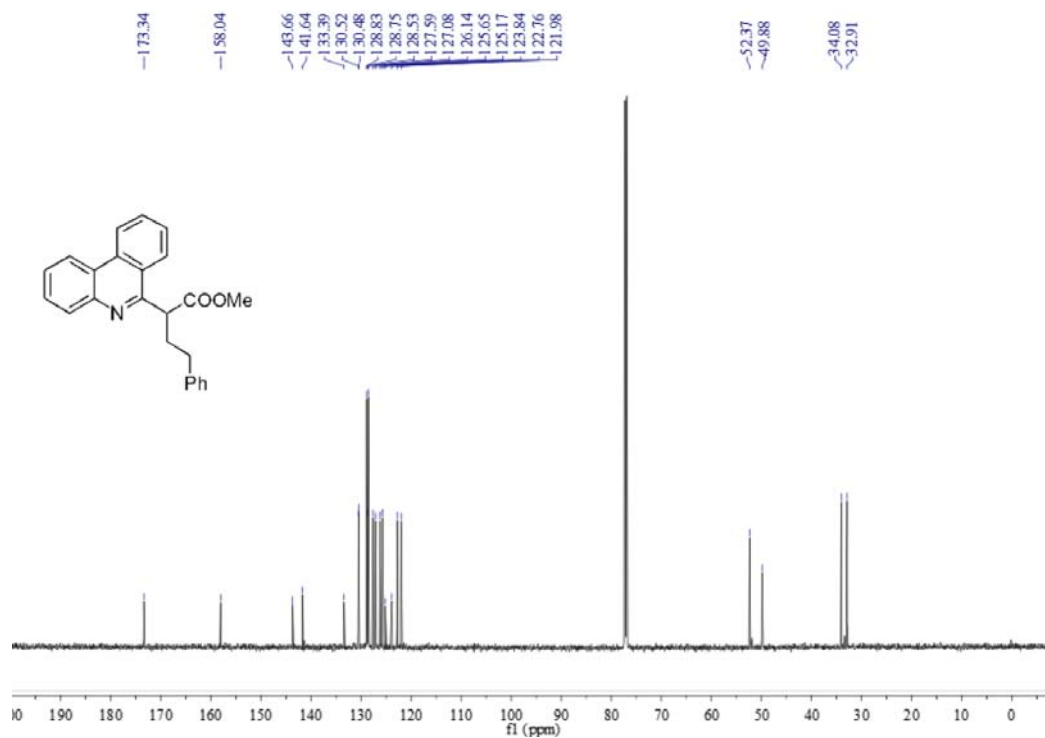
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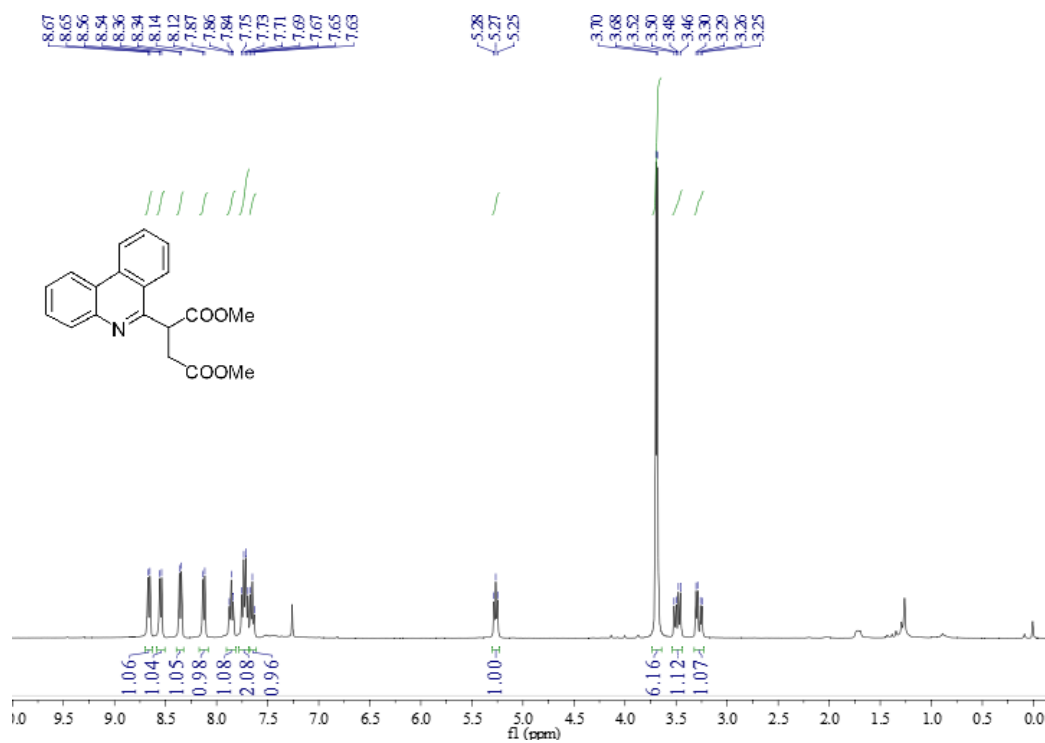
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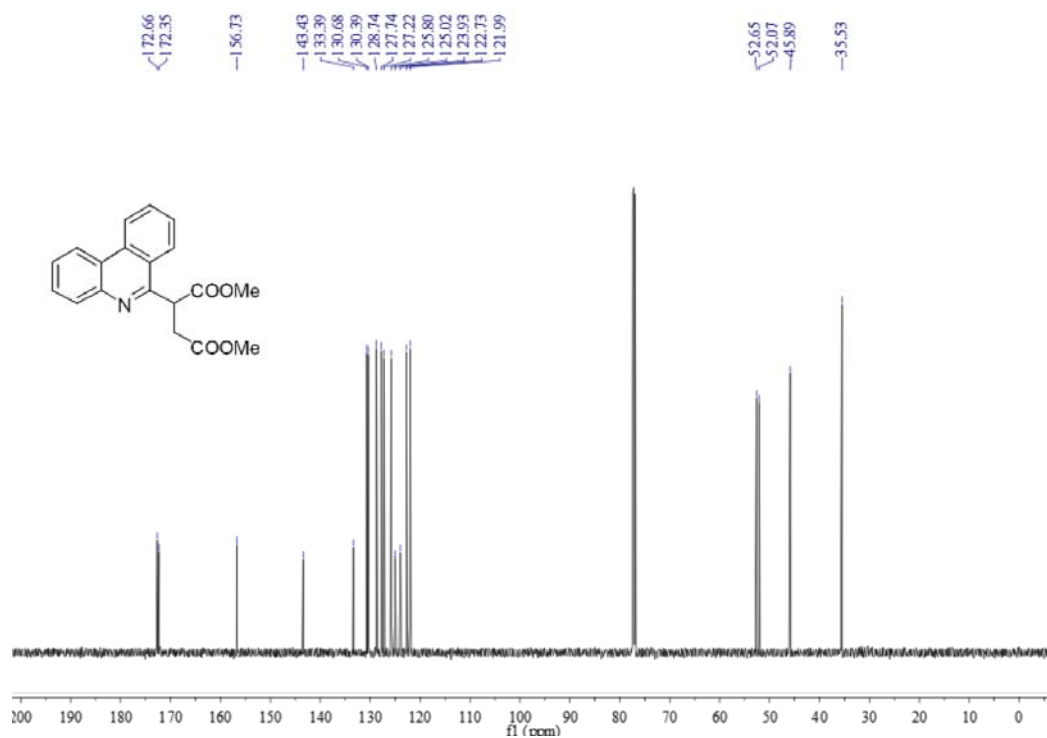
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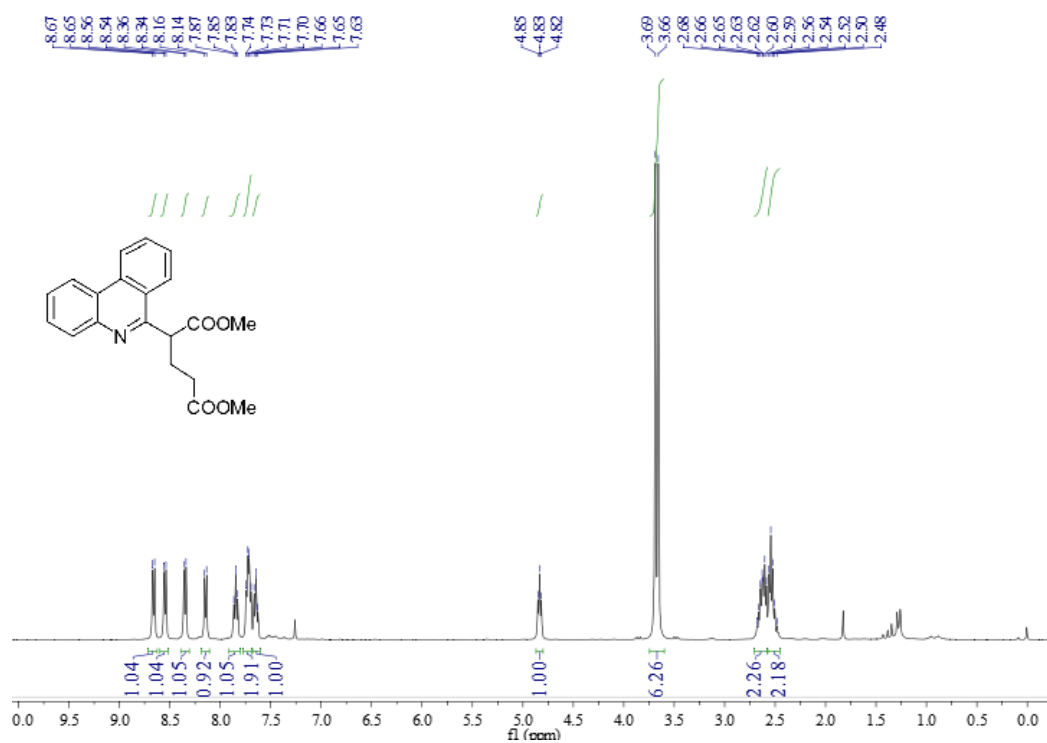
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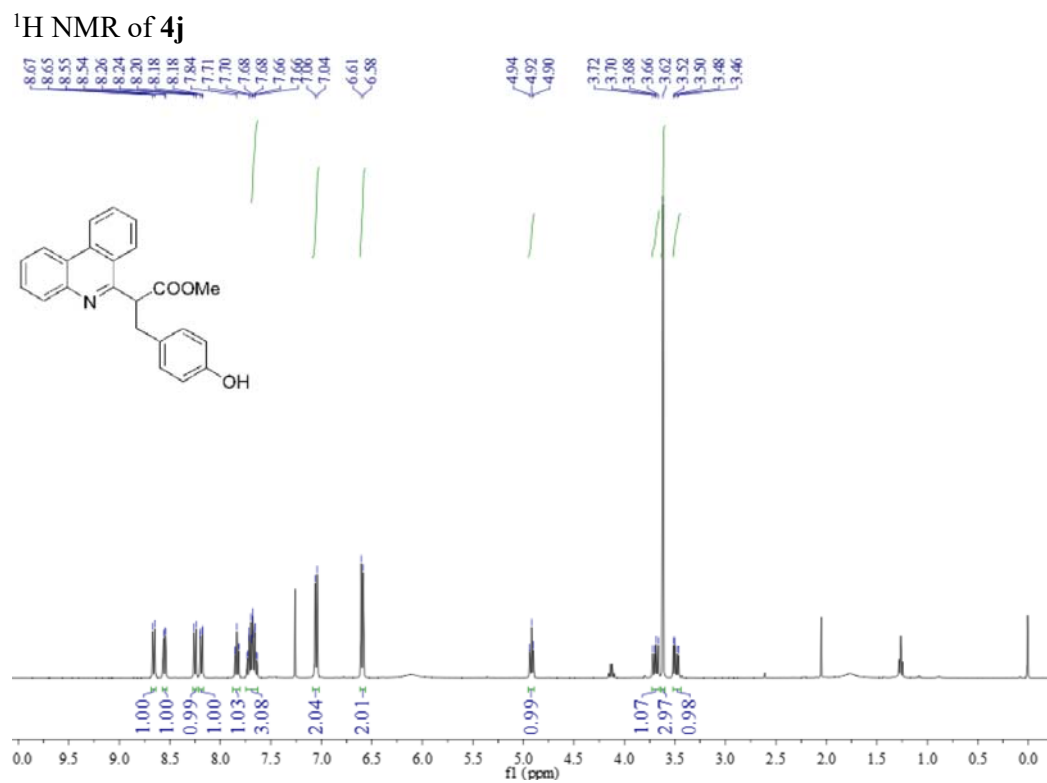
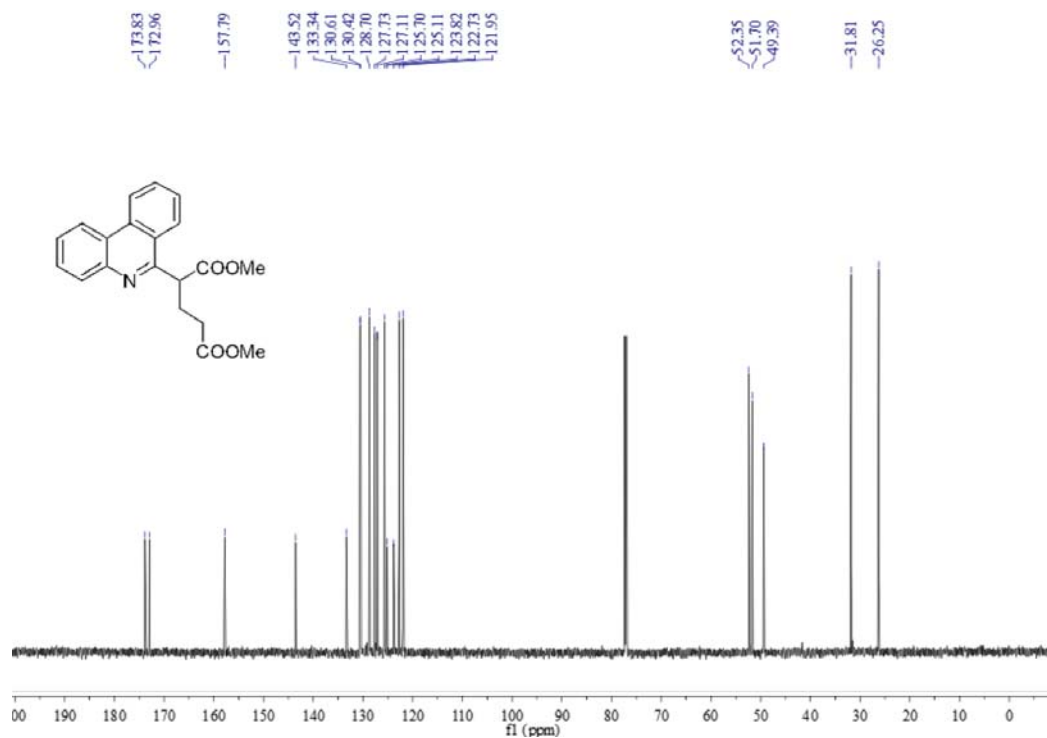
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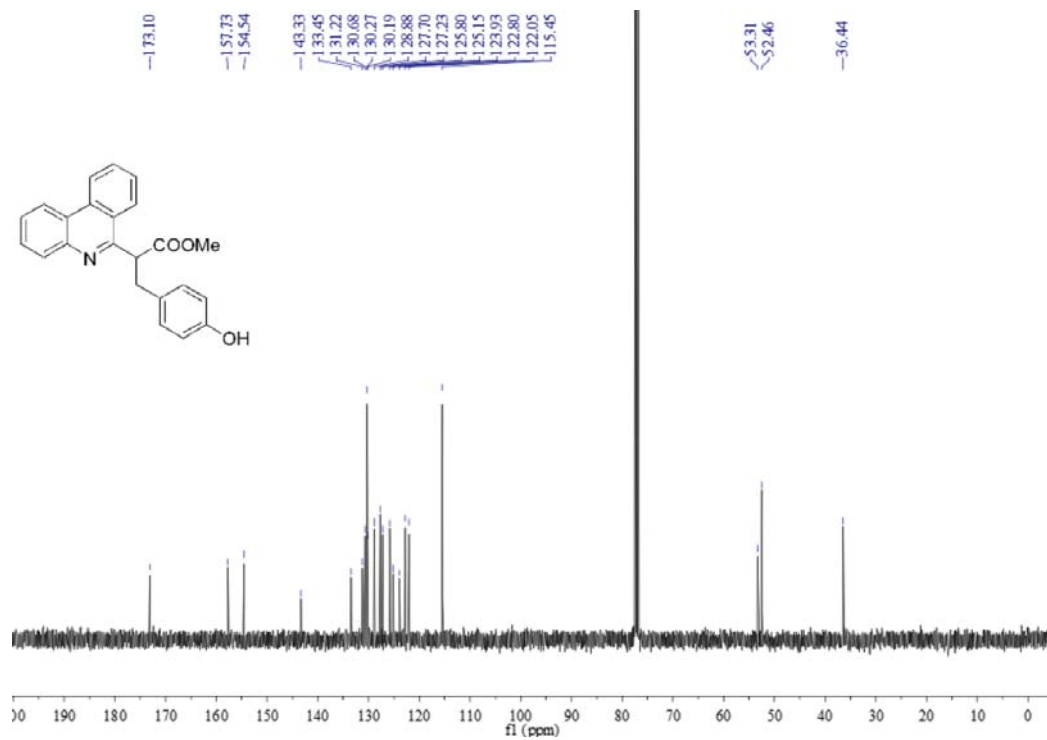
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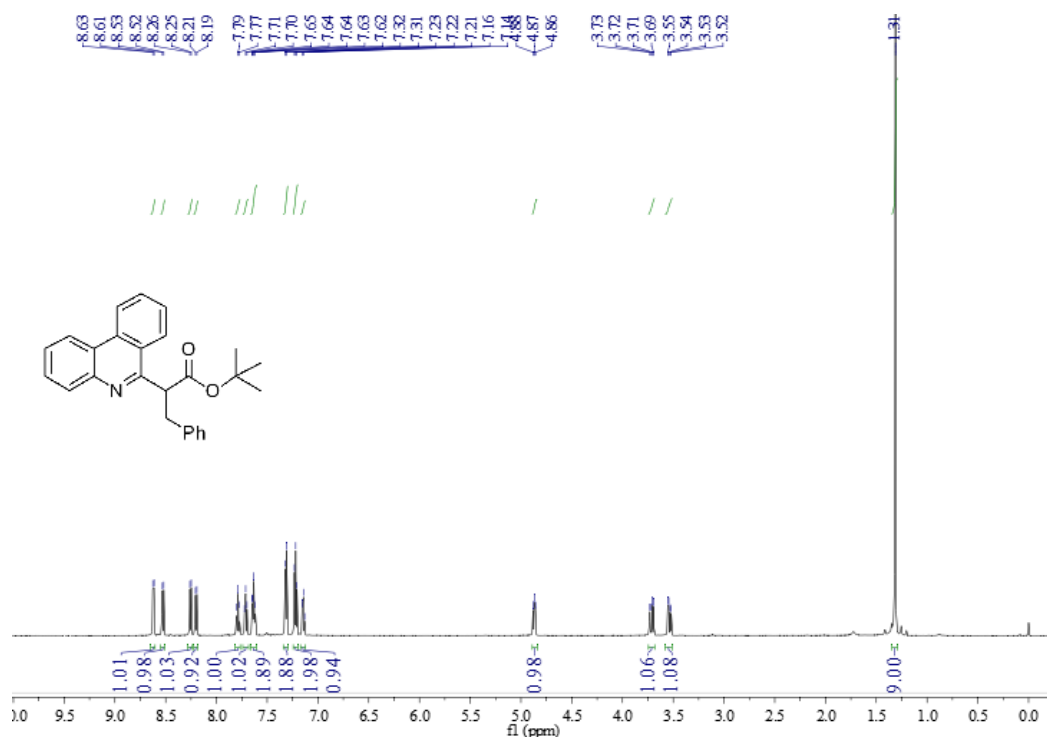
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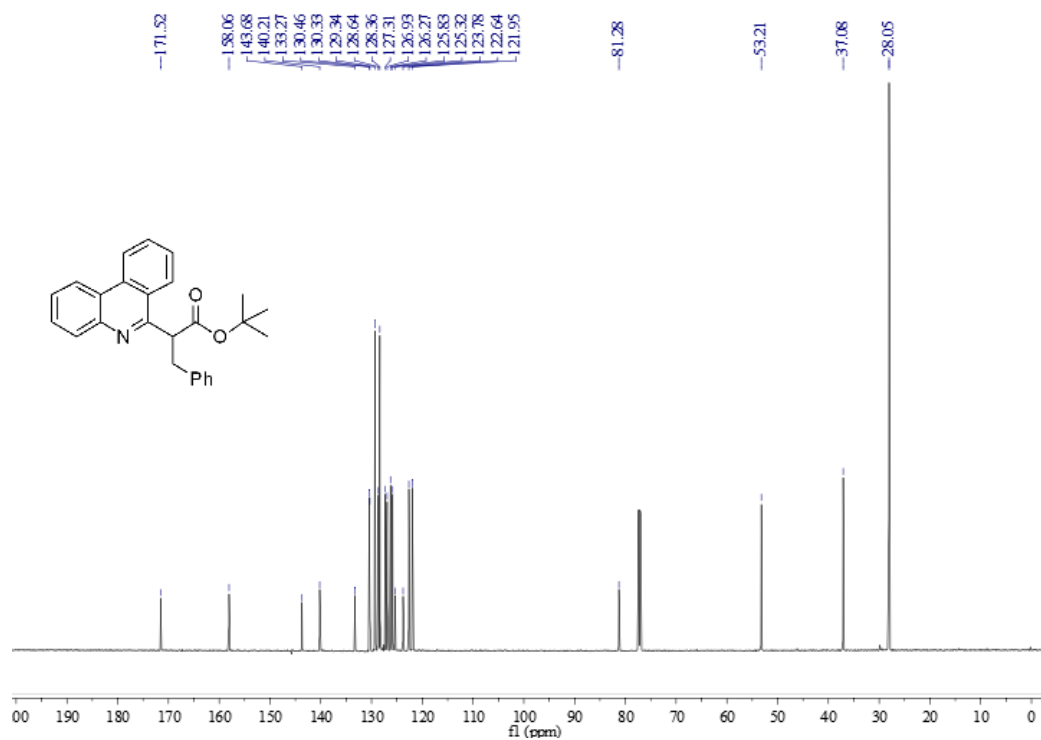
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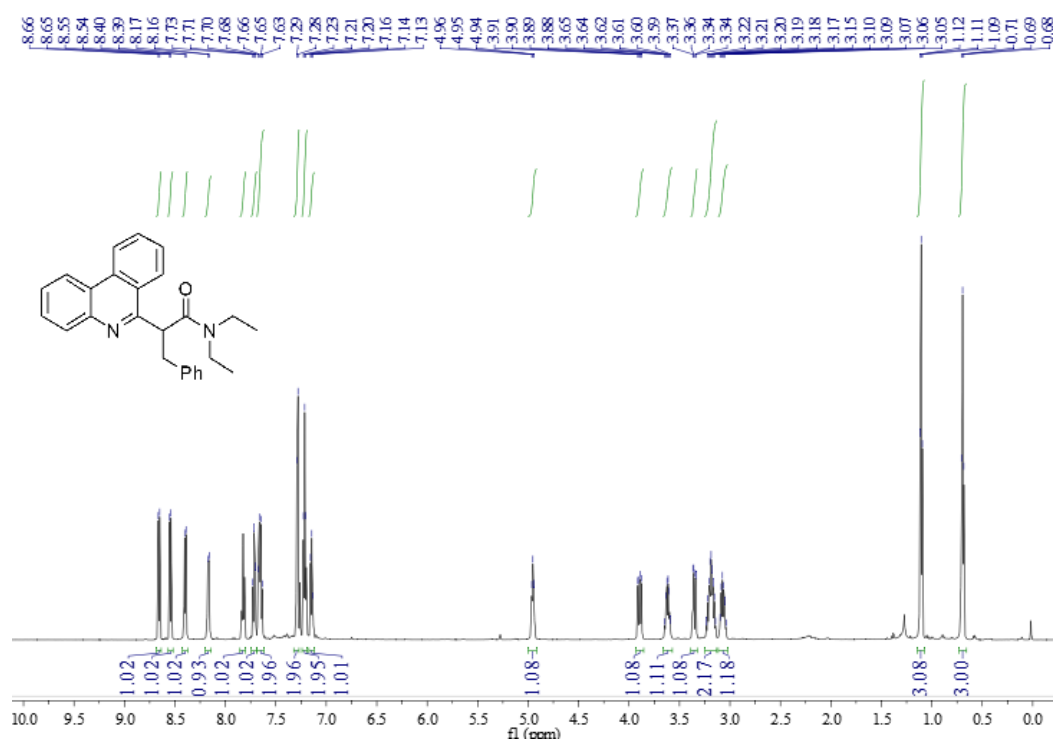
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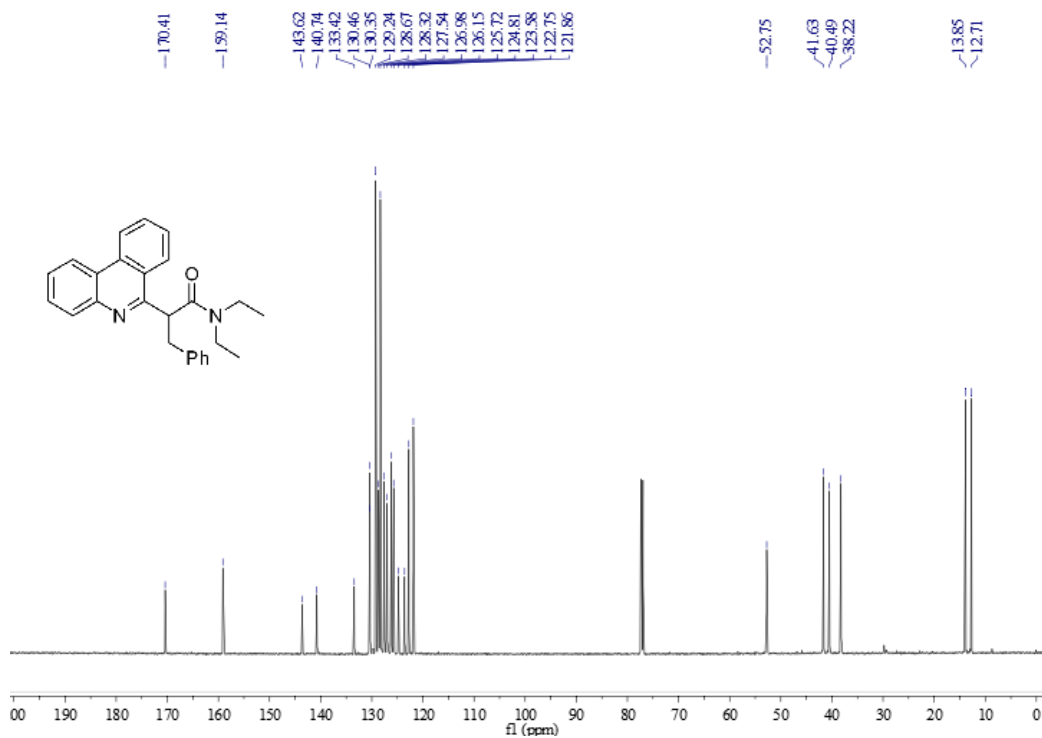
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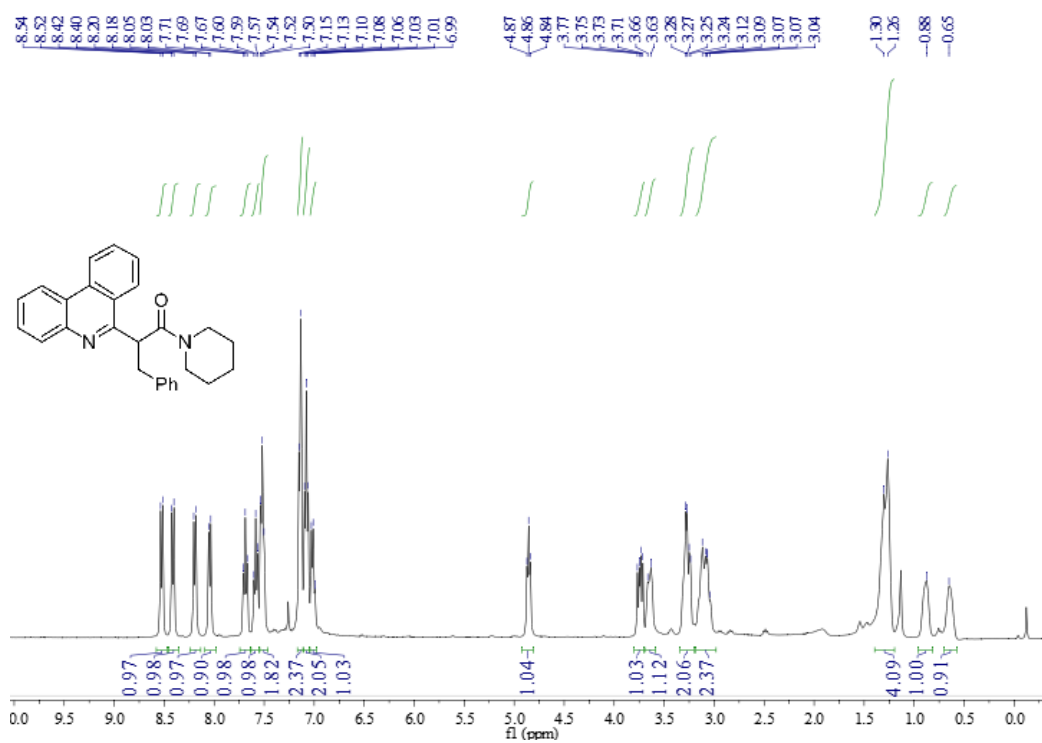
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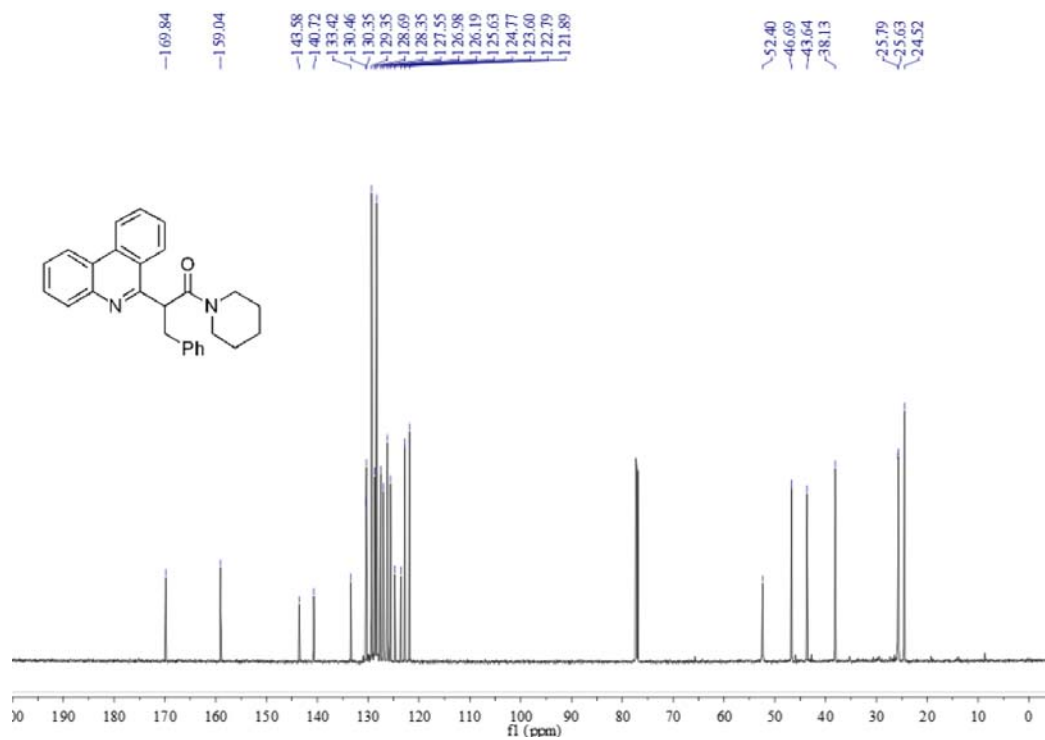
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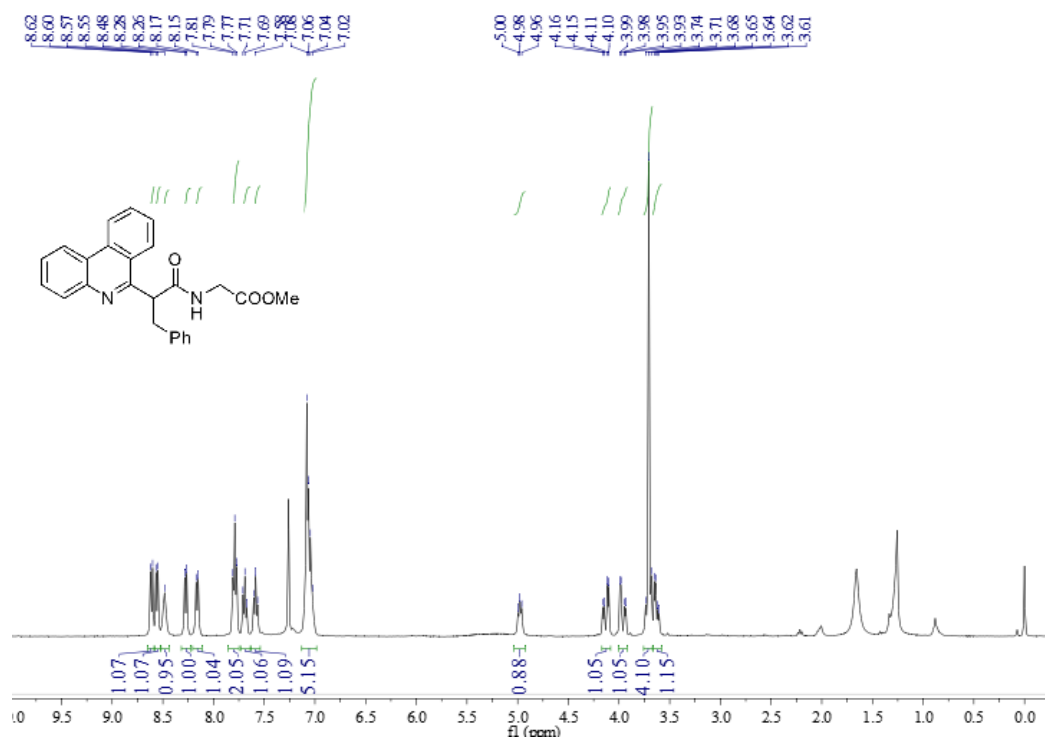
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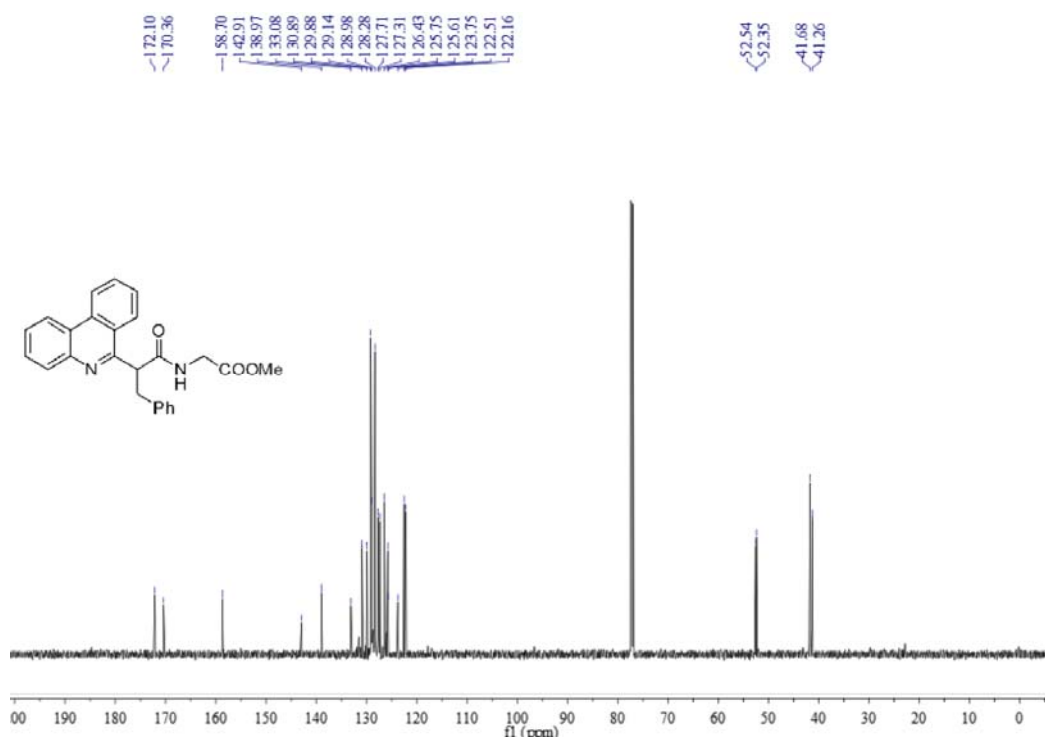
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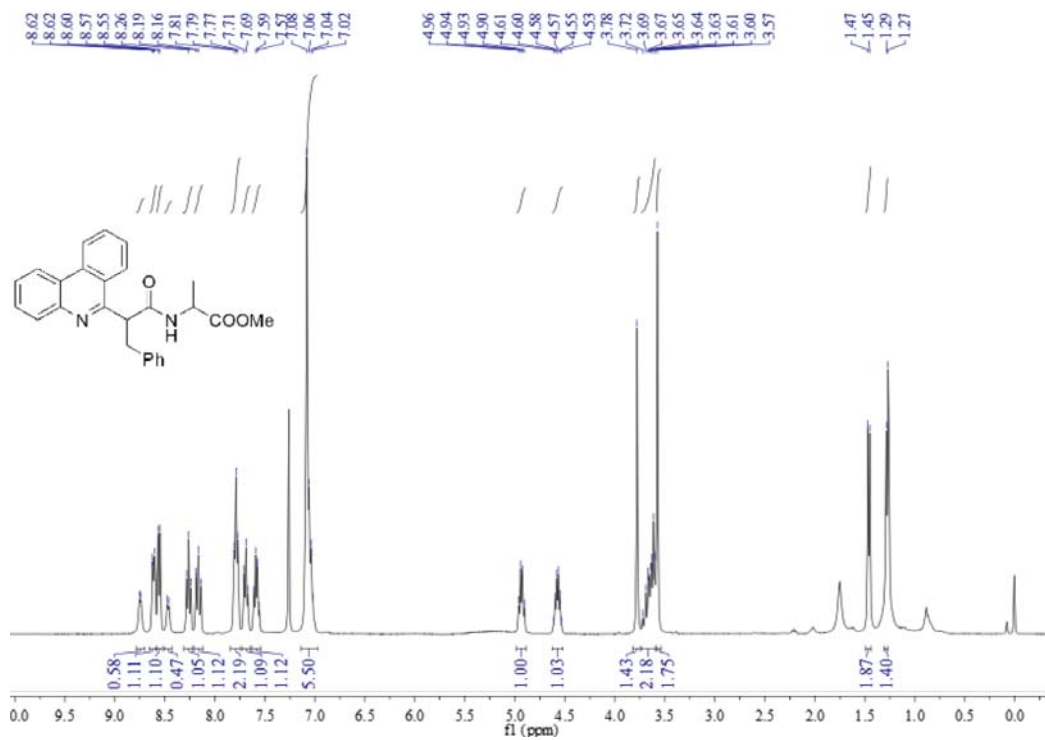
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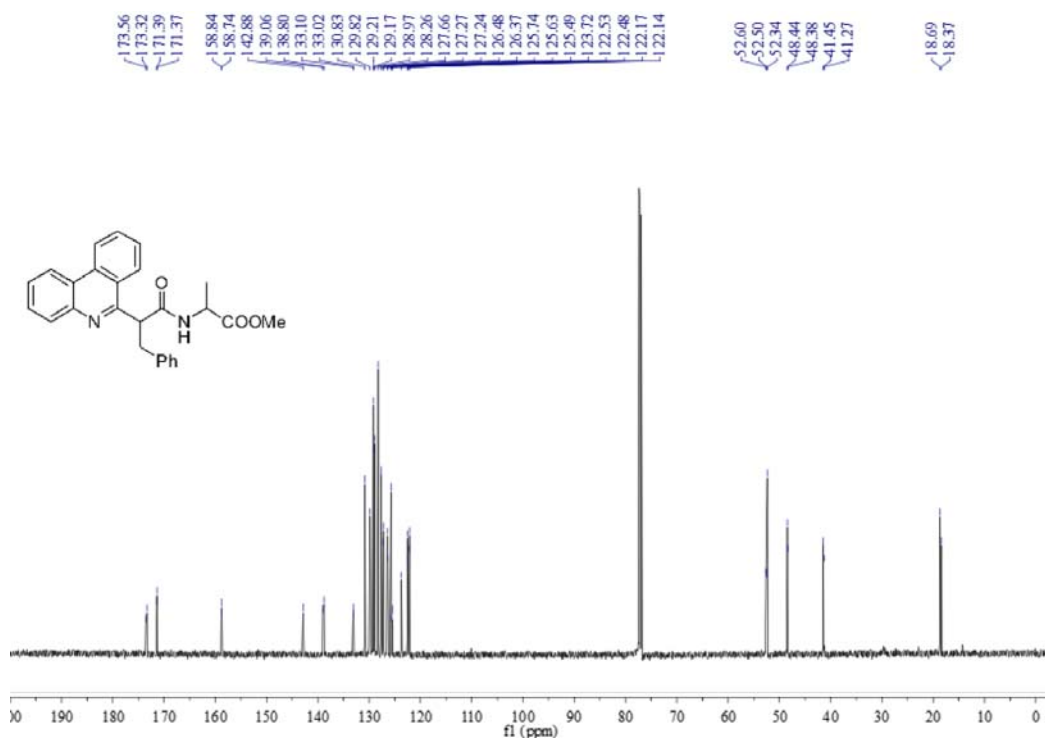
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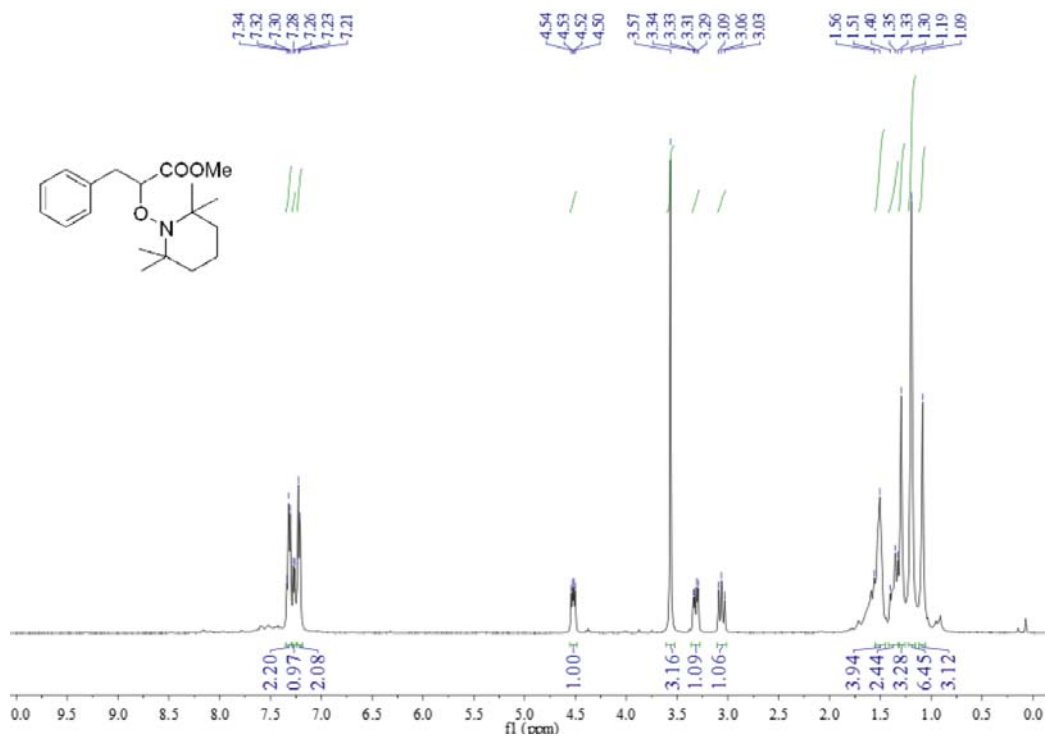
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¹H NMR of TEMPO-trapped product



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