

# Supporting Information

## Unprecedented thiocarbamidation of nitroarenes: A facile one-pot route to unsymmetrical thioureas

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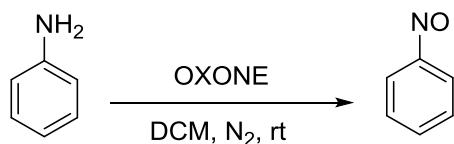
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## A. General Information

IR spectra were recorded on JASCO FT/IR-4600 in neat condition. NMR spectra were recorded using Bruker Spectrometer at 300, 400, 500, 600 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H spectra and at 75, 100, 125, 150 MHz for <sup>13</sup>C spectra in CDCl<sub>3</sub> and DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> solution. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were performed in methanol solvent on a Waters Micromass Q-tofMicromass spectrometer using electrospray ionization method. Melting points were determined by a LabX India digital melting point apparatus.

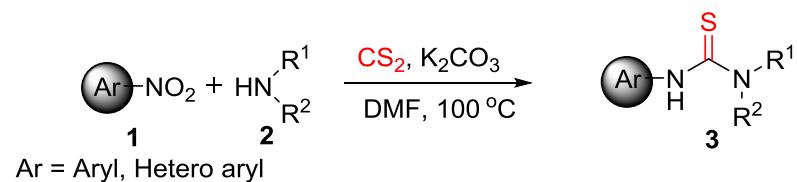
## B. Experimental Procedure for the Synthesis of Nitrosobenzene.<sup>[1]</sup>



Aniline (2 mmol, 0.186 g) was added into dichloromethane (5 ml) and stirred at room temperature for 5 min. Potassium peroxomonosulfate (oxone, 2.2 mmol, 1.35 g) was dissolved in water (5 ml) and added drop wise into the reaction mixture. After stirring for 30 min, the reaction mixture was extracted with dichloromethane (3×10 ml). The organic layer was dried with anhydrous sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give nitrosobenzene as a black-green oil (0.165 g, yield 77%).

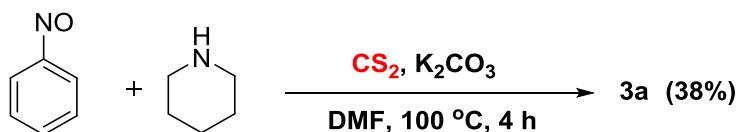
[1] Tian, X.; Zhang, C.; Xu, Q.; Li, Z.; Shao, X.; *Org. Biomol. Chem.* **2017**, *15*, 3320.

## C. General Experimental Procedure



2 mmol of CS<sub>2</sub> was added dropwise to a cooled solution of amine (1.2 mmol) in DMF (3 ml) at 0 – 5 °C. K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (1.5 mmol) was added to the resulting mixture and it was stirred for 5 min at 0 - 5°C. Nitroarene (1 mmol) was added to the reaction mixture followed by heating at 100 °C for the required time period (monitored by TLC) as mentioned in **Table 2**. After completion of the reaction, the crude product was obtained by usual work-up procedure using EtOAc and the crude was purified by column chromatography using EtOAc-hexane solvent mixture.

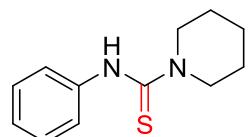
## D. Experimental Procedure of the Control Experiment with Nitrosobenzene



Nitrosobenzene (1 mmol, 107 mg) was added to a cooled mixture of piperidine (1.2 mmol, 102 mg),  $\text{CS}_2$  (2 mmol, 152 mg),  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (1.5 mmol, 207 mg) in DMF (2 ml) followed by stirring at 100 °C for 4 h (checked by TLC). After completion of the reaction, the crude product was obtained by usual work up procedure using EtOAc-water mixture. The crude product was purified by column chromatography using EtOAc-hexane solvents mixture to afford **3a** (83 mg, 38%).

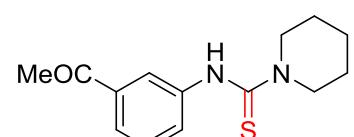
## E. Characterization Data of Synthesized Compounds

### **N-phenylpiperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3a)**



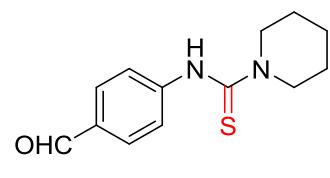
White solid (198 mg, 90% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.18 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 10/90, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v; melting point: 96°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3750, 3704, 3502, 2939, 1697, 1592, 1319, 1131, 854, 739  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.38 (s, 1H), 7.33-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 3.77-3.76 (m, 4H), 1.65 (s, 6H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz)  $\delta$  182.53, 140.38, 128.95, 124.77, 122.90, 50.80, 25.47, 24.08 ppm.

### **N-(3-acetylphenyl)piperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3b)**



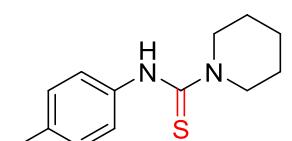
White solid (241 mg, 92% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.2 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 20/80, v/v; melting point: 140-142°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3553, 3462, 2687, 1669, 1482, 1397, 1266, 895, 727  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.74 (s, 1H), 7.69 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (m, 1H), 3.80-3.79 (m, 4H), 2.5 (s, 3H), 1.62 (s, 6H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz)  $\delta$  197.86, 181.69, 140.85, 137.44, 128.79, 128.65, 124.59, 123.22, 50.23, 26.61, 25.48, 24.02 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{OS} [\text{M}]^+$  262.1140; found 262.7686.

### N-(4-formylphenyl)piperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3c)



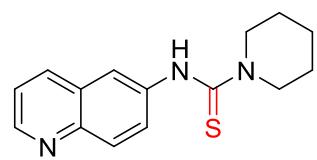
Yellow oil (198 mg, 80% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.16 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 20/80, v/v; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3845, 3628, 2884, 1694, 1471, 1262, 985, 763 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz)  $\delta$  9.88 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.19 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 2H), 3.80-3.79 (m, 4H), 1.68 (s, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)  $\delta$  190.92, 181.21, 145.89, 131.49, 130.72, 120.80, 50.96, 25.46, 23.89 ppm. HRMS: calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>2</sub>OS [M+H]<sup>+</sup> 249.0983; found 249.1951.

### N-(p-tolyl)piperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3d)



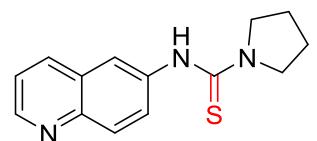
White solid (217 mg, 93% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.18 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 10/90, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v; melting point: 126-127°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3605, 3448, 2930, 1526, 1426, 1302, 1120, 1009, 812, 723 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.26 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.10 (m, 2H), 7.00 (d,  $J$  = 10Hz, 2H), 3.76-3.75 (m, 4H), 2.31 (s, 3H) 1.64 (s, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz)  $\delta$  182.97, 137.92, 134.88, 129.71, 123.40, 50.79, 25.57, 24.22, 21.00 ppm.

### N-(quinolin-6-yl)piperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3e)



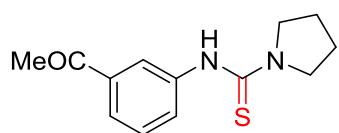
White solid (224 mg, 83% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.45 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 40/60, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 20/80, v/v; melting point: 155-156°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3740, 3543, 2943, 1547, 1495, 1252, 1005, 835, 718 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  8.82-8.80 (m, 1H), 8.03-8.00 (m, 2H), 7.55-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.44 (s, 1H), 7.36-7.33 (m, 1H), 3.83-3.82 (m, 4H), 1.66 (s, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)  $\delta$  169.74, 151.02, 147.67, 144.67, 131.58, 127.92, 124.18, 123.32, 122.88, 121.03, 49.72, 25.22, 24.13 ppm. HRMS: calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>17</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [M]<sup>+</sup> 271.1143; found 271.0937.

### N-(quinolin-6-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3f)



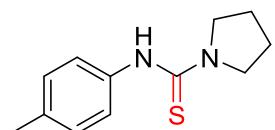
White solid (215 mg, 84% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.18 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 20/80, v/v; melting point: 156°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3697, 3457, 3170, 2884, 1549, 1263, 987, 894, 718 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)  $\delta$  8.88-8.87 (m, 1H), 8.09 (t,  $J$  = 3 Hz, 2H), 7.89 (d,  $J$  = 3 Hz, 1H), 7.79 – 7.76 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.29 (s, 1H), 3.74 (brs, 4H), 2.05 (s, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)  $\delta$  178.30, 150.03, 146.38, 137.57, 135.88, 129.74, 128.51, 128.45, 121.73, 121.53, 43.59, 25.94 ppm. HRMS: calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>15</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [M+H]<sup>+</sup> 258.0987; found 258.1922.

### N-(3-acetylphenyl)pyrrolidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3g)



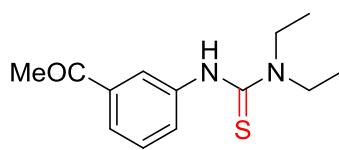
White solid (203 mg, 82% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.32 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 40/60, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 25/75, v/v); melting point: 118°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3733, 3434, 2982, 1696, 1546, 1267, 896, 745 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 600 MHz)  $\delta$  7.92-7.91 (m, 1H), 7.77-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.46-7.41 (m, 1H), 7.11 (s, 1H), 3.73 (brs, 4H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.05 (s, 4H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 150 MHz)  $\delta$  197.81, 177.97, 139.75, 137.47, 130.30, 128.69, 125.46, 124.76, 52.52, 48.11, 26.76, 26.26, 24.76 ppm. HRMS: calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>2</sub>OS [M+H]<sup>+</sup>249.0983; found 249.1790.

### N-(p-tolyl)pyrrolidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3h)



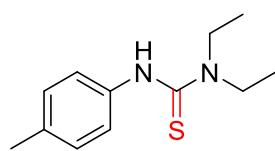
White solid (187 mg, 85% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.4 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 50/50, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 25/75, v/v); melting point: 166-168°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3731, 3334, 2883, 1520, 1394, 1285, 811, 726 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, 500 MHz)  $\delta$  8.78 (s, 1H), 7.24 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 3.62 (s, 4H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.00-1.93 (m, 4H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, 125 MHz),  $\delta$  177.68, 137.98, 133.32, 128.14, 125.71, 49.94, 24.85, 20.38 ppm.

### 3-(3-acetylphenyl)-1,1-diethylthiourea (Table 2, 3i)



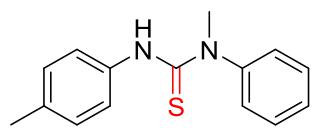
Brown solid (192 mg, 77% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.42 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 50/50, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 25/75, v/v); melting point: 110°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3667, 3497, 2976, 1685, 1428, 1263, 898, 736 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  7.83 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 4Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J$  = 8Hz, 1H), 7.39 (d,  $J$  = 4Hz, 1H), 7.28(s, 1H), 3.77-3.75 (m, 4H), 2.54 (s, 3H), 1.28 (t,  $J$  = 8Hz, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100MHz),  $\delta$  198.03, 180.45, 140.41, 137.53, 131.10, 128.76, 125.69, 125.35, 45.86, 26.91, 12.83 ppm. HRMS: calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>2</sub>OS [M+H]<sup>+</sup>251.1140; found 251.0291.

### 1,1-diethyl-3-(p-tolyl)thiourea (Table 2, 3j)



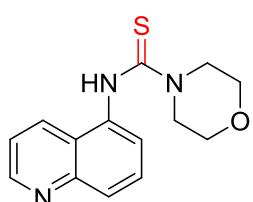
Yellow oil (177 mg, 80% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.32 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v); IR (neat)  $\nu$  3780, 3253, 2885, 1528, 1350, 1280, 828, 756 cm<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)  $\delta$  7.26-7.07 (m, 4H), 7.02 (s, 1H), 3.75-3.73 (m, 4H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.28 (m, 6H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)  $\delta$  180.52, 136.84, 135.33, 128.96, 125.92, 45.34, 20.75, 12.40 ppm.

### **1-methyl-1-phenyl-3-(p-tolyl)thiourea (Table 2, 3k)**



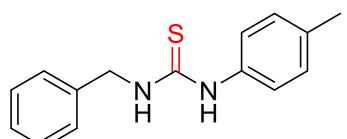
Yellow solid (212 mg, 83% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.44 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 10/90, v/v; melting point: 116-118°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3630, 3370, 2982, 2684, 1514, 1263, 1099, 816, 733  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.52 (t,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 7.12 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.30 (s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz)  $\delta$  182.08, 143.39, 136.95, 135.97, 130.84, 129.33, 128.79, 127.14, 125.92, 43.66, 21.07 ppm.

### **N-(quinolin-5-yl)morpholine-4-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3l)**



Yellow solid (237 mg, 87% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.34 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 50/50, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 25/75, v/v; melting point: 114°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3854, 3668, 2870, 1510, 1258, 875, 720  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz)  $\delta$  8.95 (s, 1H), 8.29 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d,  $J$  = 12 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (t,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t,  $J$  = 8Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J$  = 4 Hz, 1H), 3.84-3.83 (m, 4H), 3.74-3.71 (m, 4H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz)  $\delta$  185.37, 151.07, 149.11, 136.18, 131.08, 129.16, 128.58, 124.42, 122.73, 121.63, 66.23, 49.82 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{OS}$  [M+H] $^+$  274.0936; found 274.1769.

### **1-benzyl-3-(p-tolyl)thiourea (Table 2, 3m)**



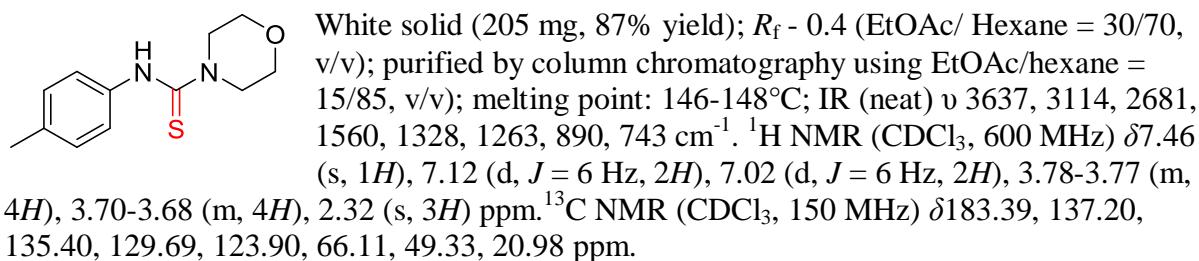
White solid (230 mg, 90% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.40 (EtOAc/ Hexane= 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v; melting point: 118°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3845, 3682, 3128, 2981, 1690, 1509, 1247, 814, 726  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz)  $\delta$  7.72 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.24 (m, 5H), 7.17 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 4.84 (d,  $J$  = 4 Hz, 2H), 2.31(s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 150 MHz)  $\delta$  180.31, 130.86, 130.18, 128.80, 127.74, 127.65, 125.63, 125.55, 49.46, 21.11 ppm.

### **N-(3-acetylphenyl)morpholine-4-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3n)**

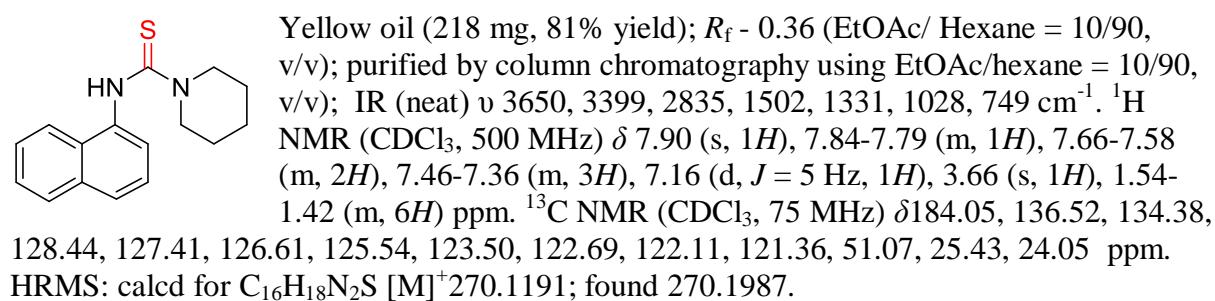


White solid (234 mg, 89% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.48 (EtOAc/ Hexane= 30/70, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v; melting point: 150-152°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3618, 3327, 2985, 1683, 1556, 1391, 1263, 895, 728  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 600 MHz)  $\delta$  7.76-7.72 (m, 2H), 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.53-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.43 (t,  $J$  = 12 Hz, 1H), 3.90-3.89 (m, 4H), 3.77-3.76 (m, 4H), 2.58 (s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 150 MHz)  $\delta$  197.87, 183.05, 140.36, 137.75, 129.10, 128.88, 125.39, 123.06, 66.16, 49.15, 26.79 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$  [M] $^+$  264.0932; found 264.0849.

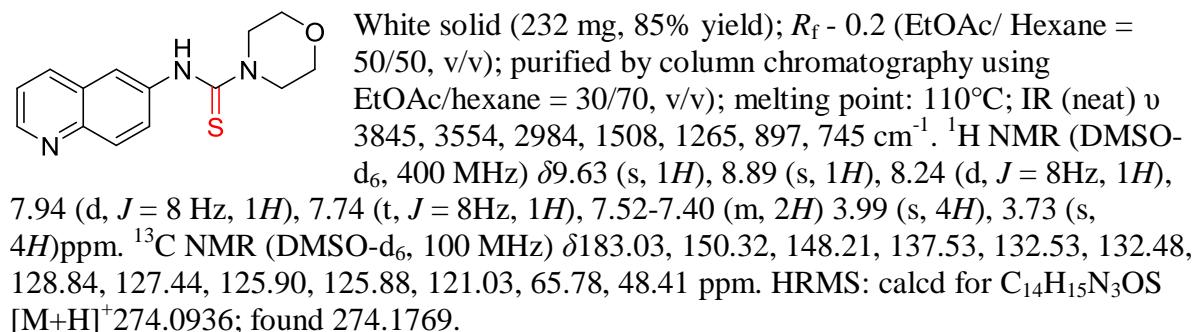
### N-(p-tolyl)morpholine-4-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3o)



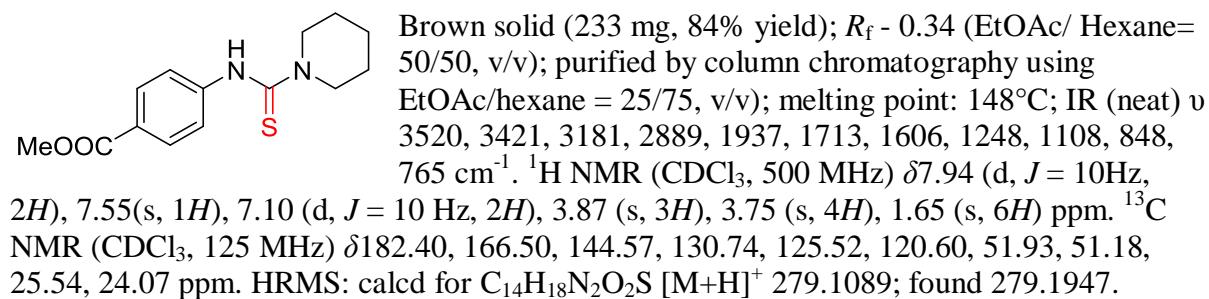
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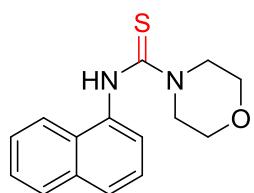
### N-(quinolin-6-yl)morpholine-4-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3q)



### methyl 4-(piperidine-1-carbothioamido)benzoate (Table 2, 3r)

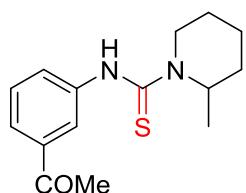


### N-(naphthalen-1-yl)morpholine-4-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3s)



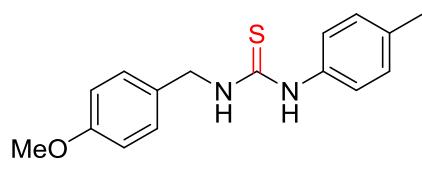
Yellow oil (212 mg, 78% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.24 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 30/70, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 20/80, v/v); IR (neat)  $\nu$  3550, 3280, 2848, 1524, 1420, 1320, 887, 750  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.97 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 1H), 7.90-7.87 (m, 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.43 (m, 4H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 3.84 (m, 4H), 3.67 (m, 4H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz)  $\delta$  185.45, 136.16, 134.58, 128.70, 128.40, 126.97, 126.83, 126.78, 125.66, 122.03, 121.64, 66.17, 50.09 ppm.

### N-(3-acetylphenyl)-2-methylpiperidine-1-carbothioamide (Table 2, 3t)



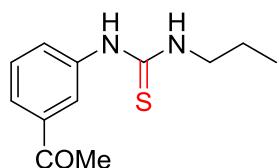
Yellow solid (248 mg, 90% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.42 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 30/70, v/v), purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/85, v/v); melting point: 122°C; IR (neat)  $\nu$  3751, 3617, 3177, 1685, 1567, 1310, 1262, 890, 743  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 500 MHz)  $\delta$  7.69-7.61 (m, 3H), 7.42 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (t,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 4.37 (d,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 1H), 3.07 (t,  $J$  = 10 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 1.75-1.48 (m, 6H), 1.23 (d,  $J$  = 5 Hz, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz)  $\delta$  197.88, 182.02, 140.97, 137.44, 128.91, 128.69, 124.66, 123.31, 52.00, 44.13, 29.94, 26.65, 25.42, 18.32, 15.46 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{OS} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$  299.1296; found 299.2150.

### 1-(4-methoxybenzyl)-3-(p-tolyl)thiourea (Table 2, 3u)



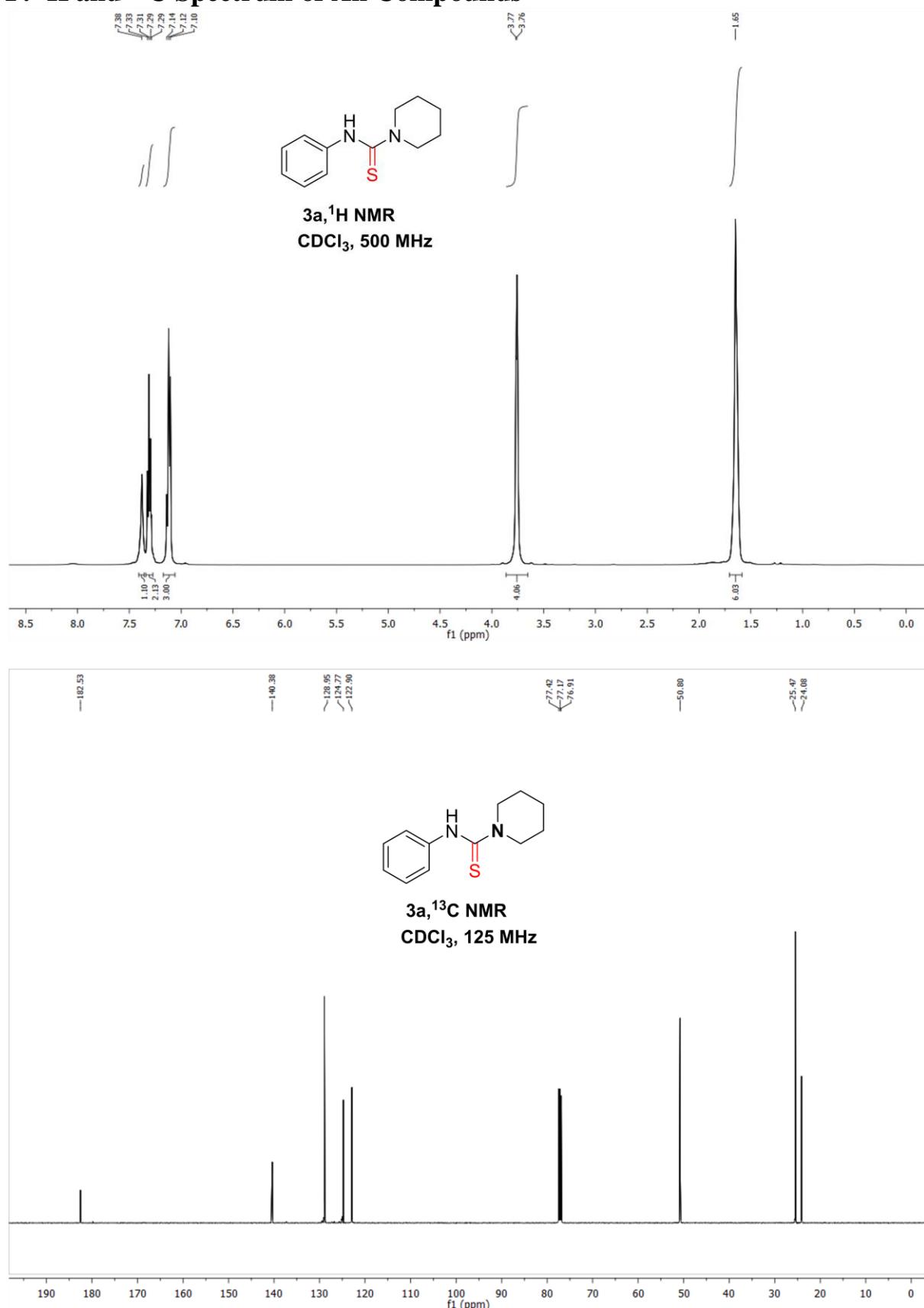
Yellow oil (243 mg, 85% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.46 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 20/80, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 15/75, v/v); IR (neat)  $\nu$  3851, 3217, 3067, 2945, 1592, 1566, 1462, 1132, 1022, 924, 812  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz)  $\delta$  7.74 (s, 1H), 7.27 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 2H), 6.18 (s, 1H), 4.83 (d,  $J$  = 4 Hz, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz)  $\delta$  179.31, 159.11, 137.23, 134.45, 133.32, 130.12, 128.70, 125.55, 113.95, 64.68, 55.34, 21.18 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{OS} [\text{M}]^+$  286.1140; found 286.1274.

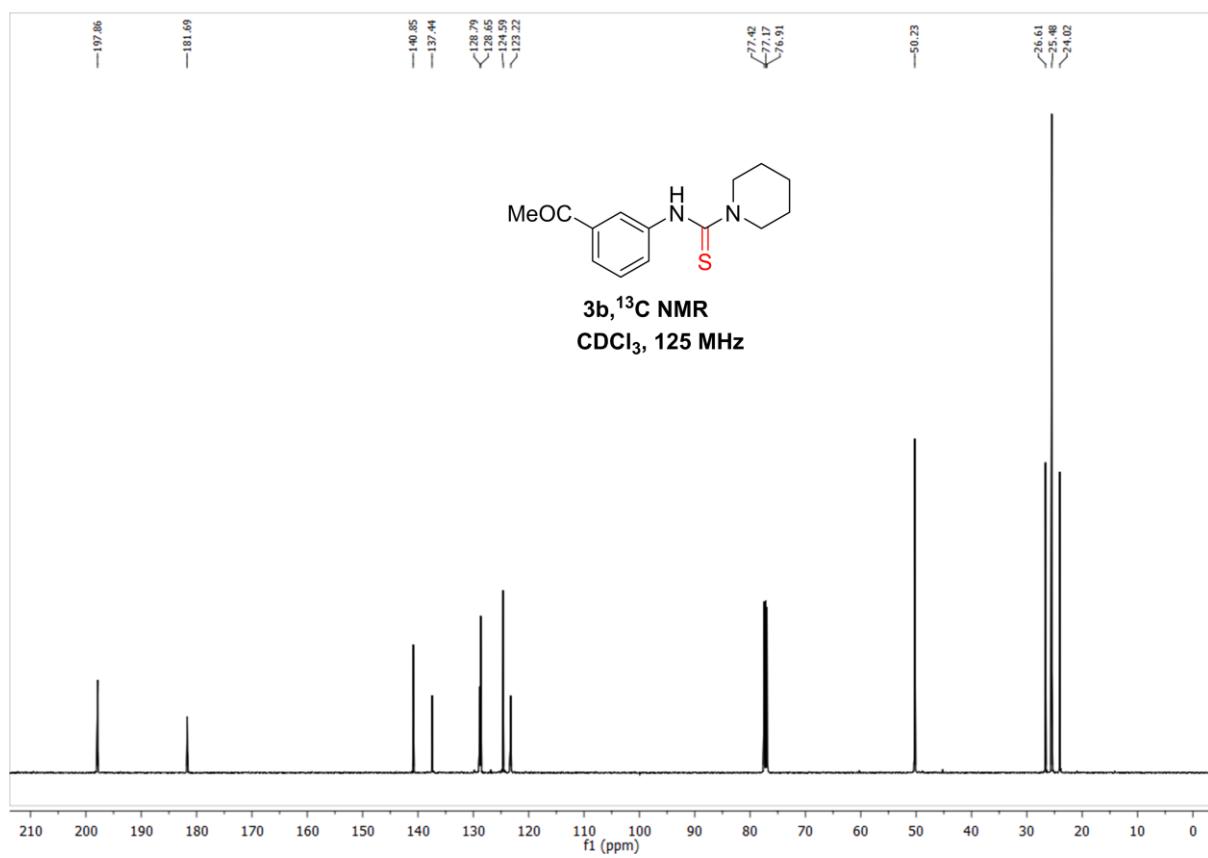
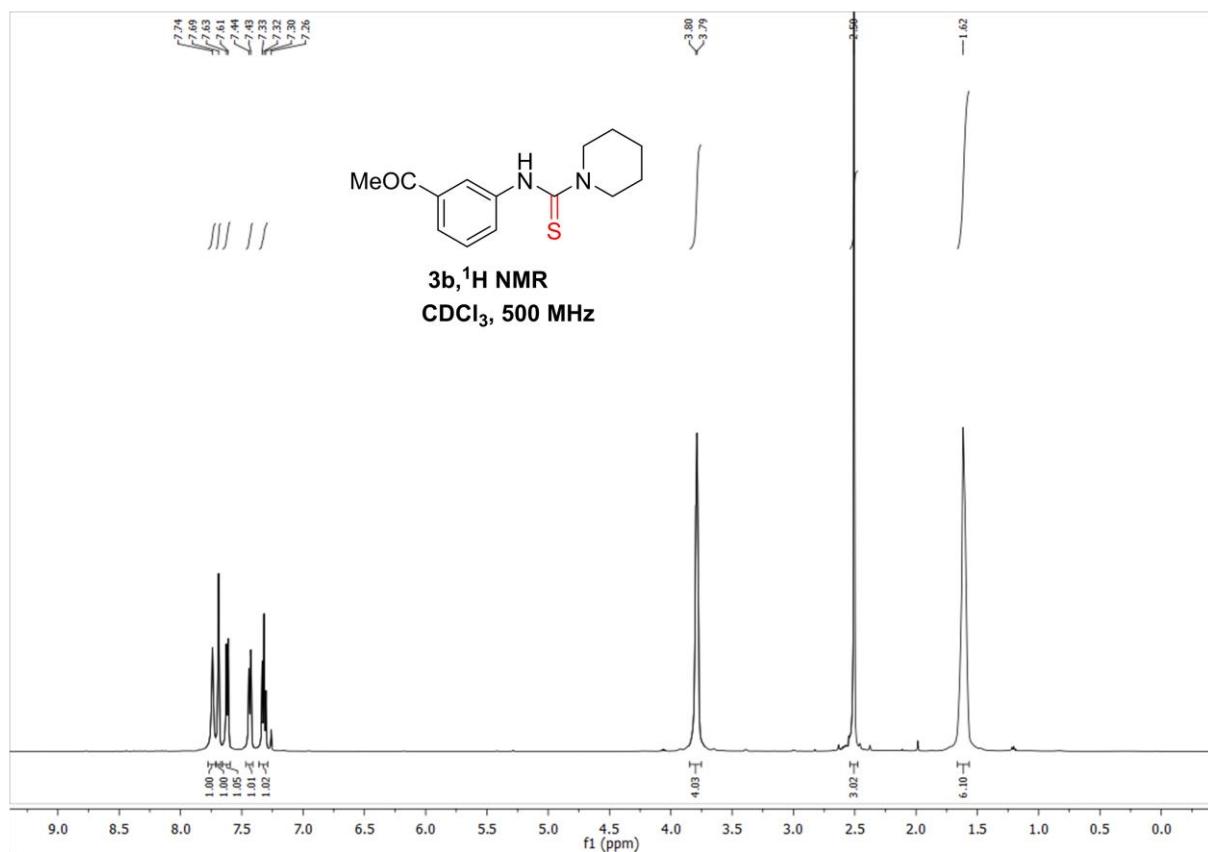
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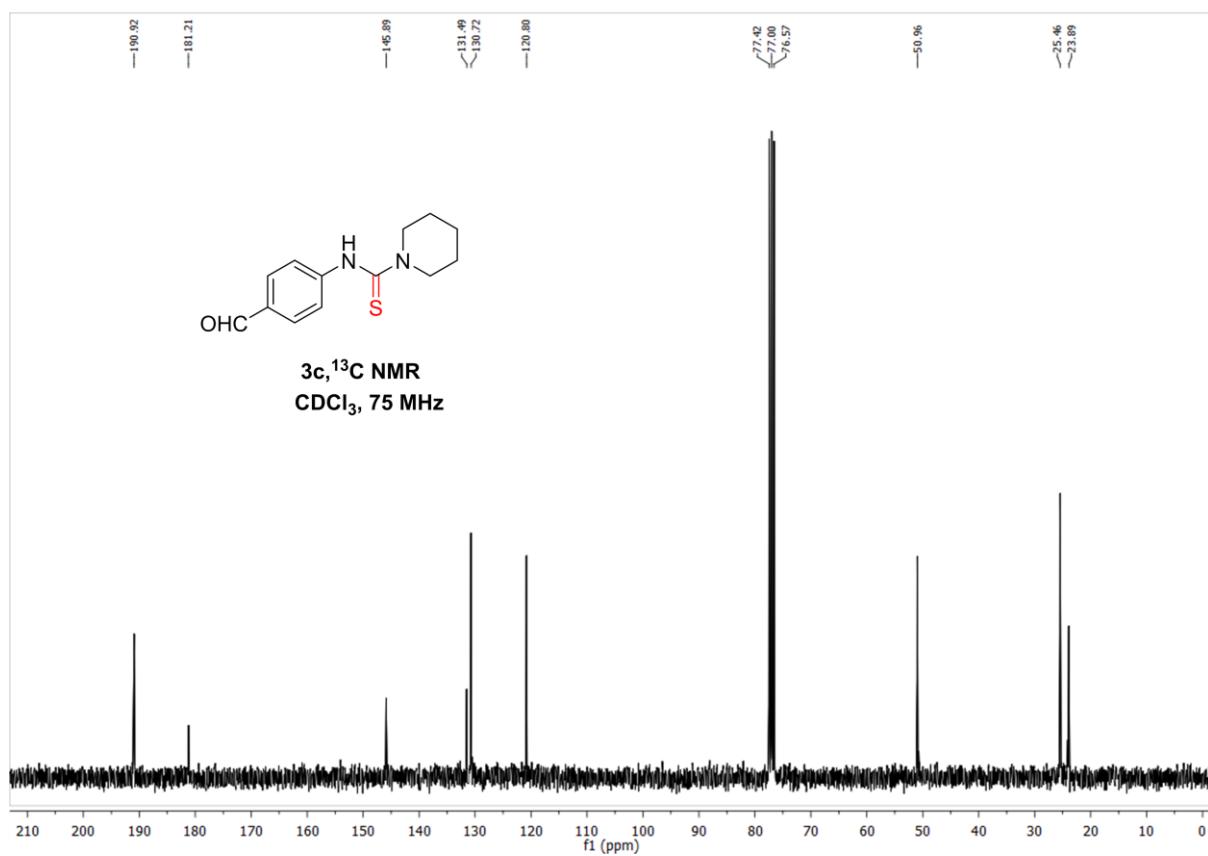
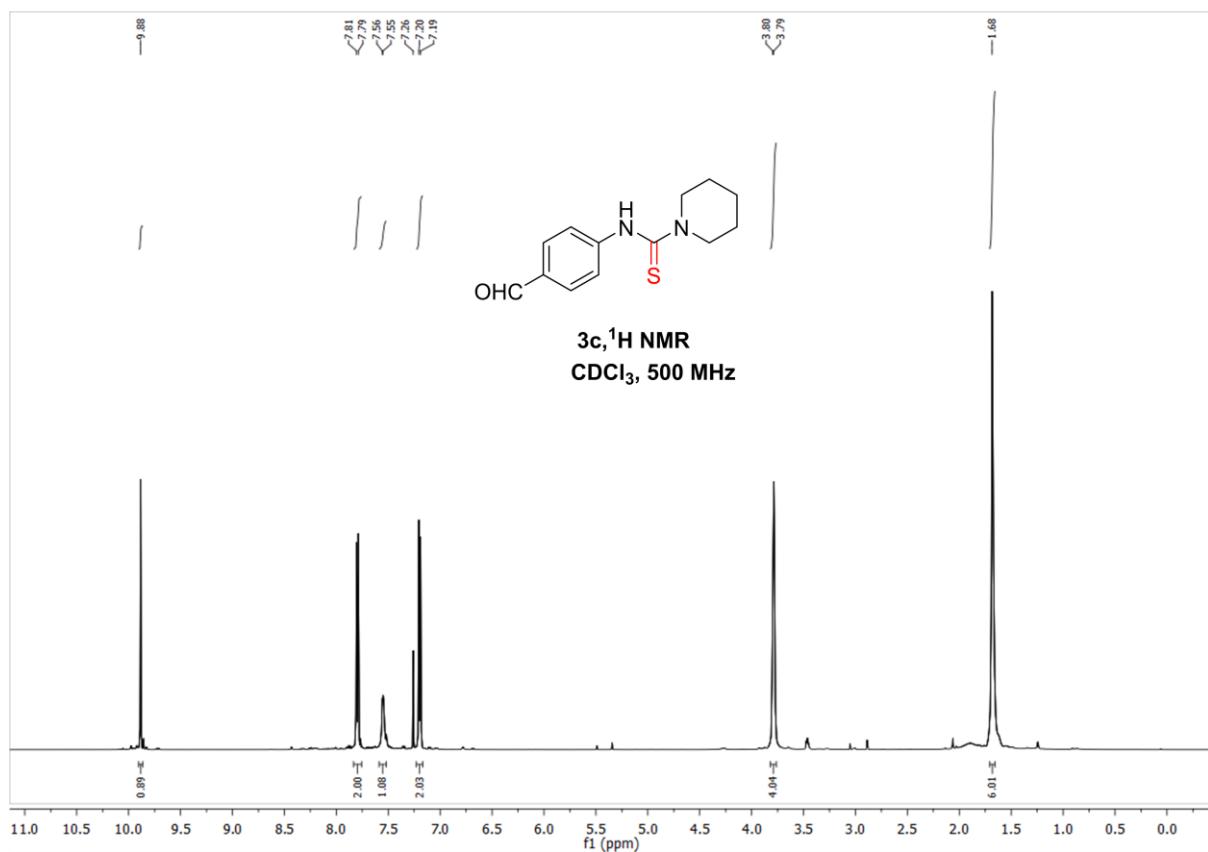


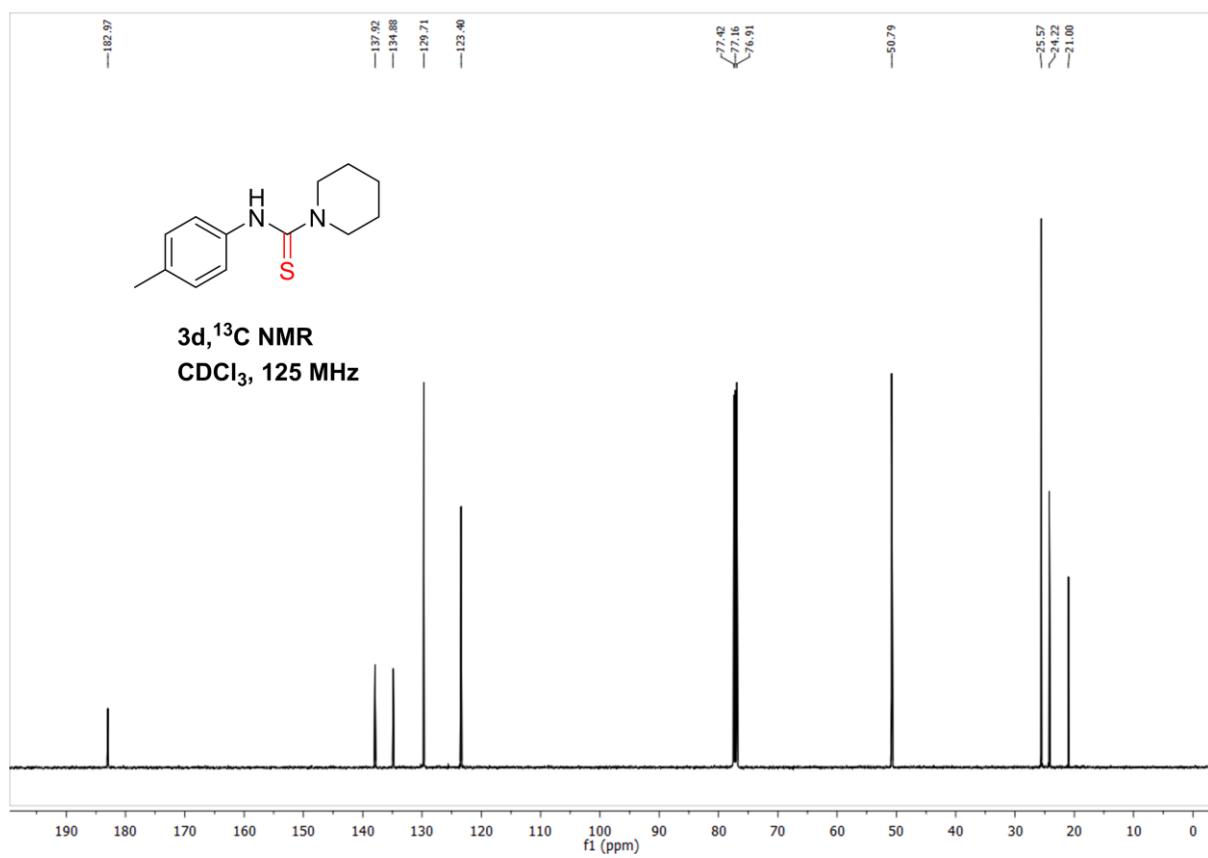
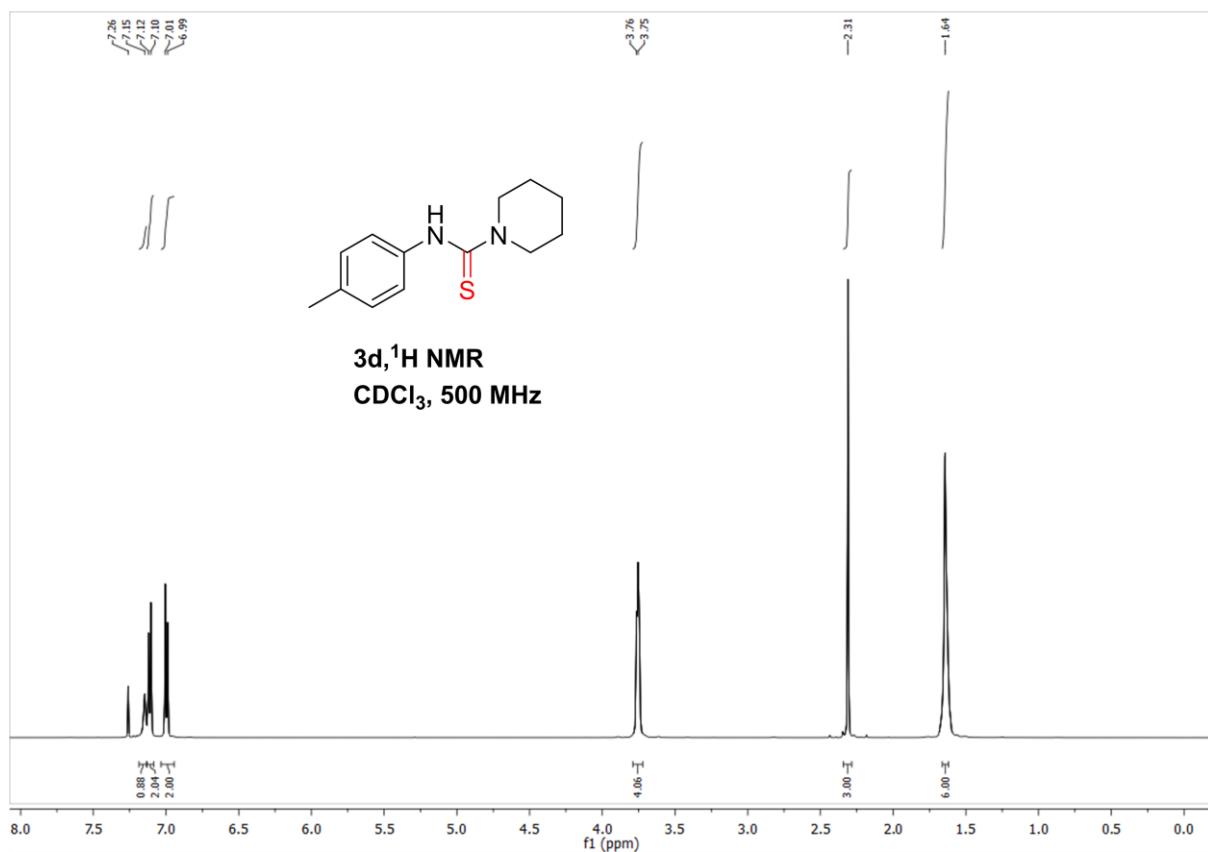
Yellow oil (207 mg, 88% yield);  $R_f$  - 0.62 (EtOAc/ Hexane = 30/70, v/v); purified by column chromatography using EtOAc/hexane = 10/90, v/v); IR (neat)  $\nu$  3782, 3644, 1572, 1340, 1254, 875, 812  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz)  $\delta$  7.94 (s, 1H), 7.82 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t,  $J$  = 8 Hz, 1H), 6.53 (s, 1H), 3.51 (m, 2H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 1.62-1.53 (m, 2H), 0.88 (t,  $J$  = 4 Hz, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz)  $\delta$  197.46, 180.87, 138.33, 138.05, 129.83, 129.18, 125.93, 124.08, 46.93, 26.66, 22.20, 11.36 ppm. HRMS: calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{OS} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  237.0983; found 237.9657.

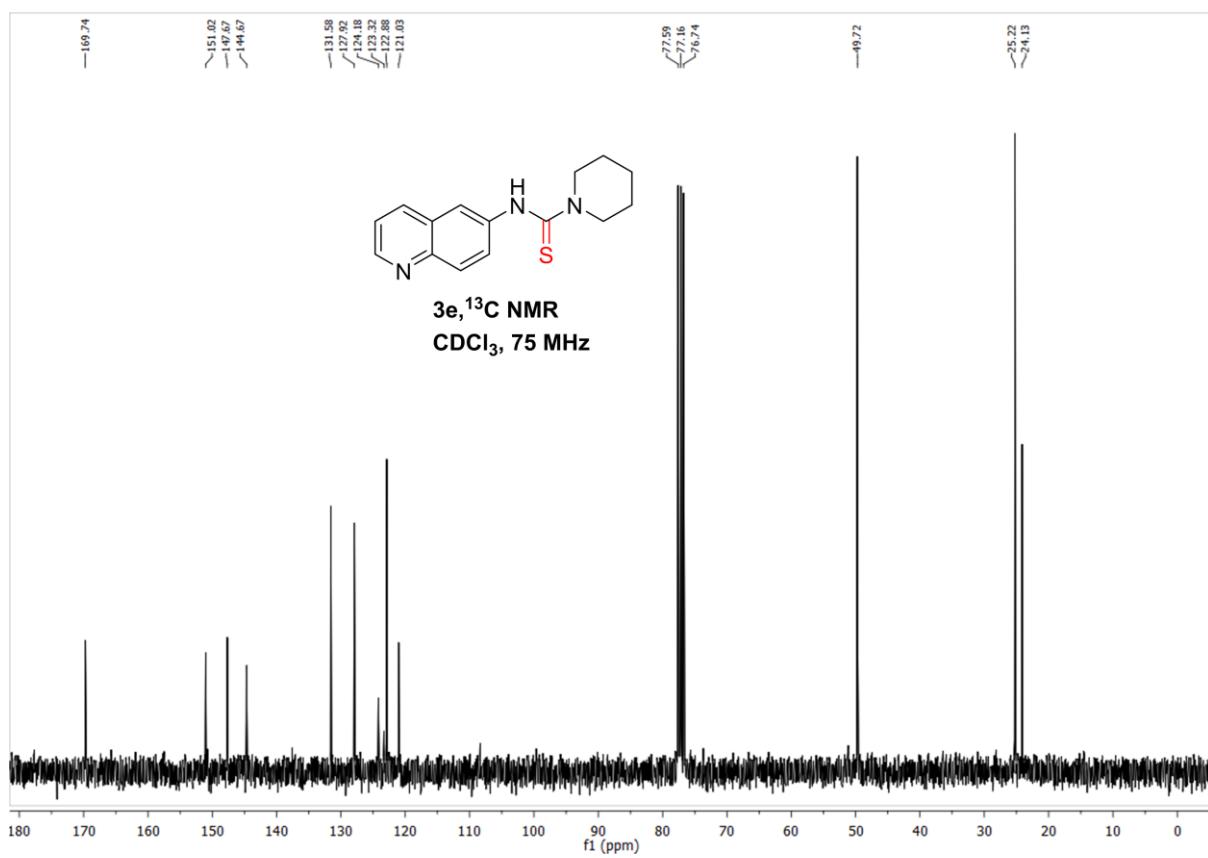
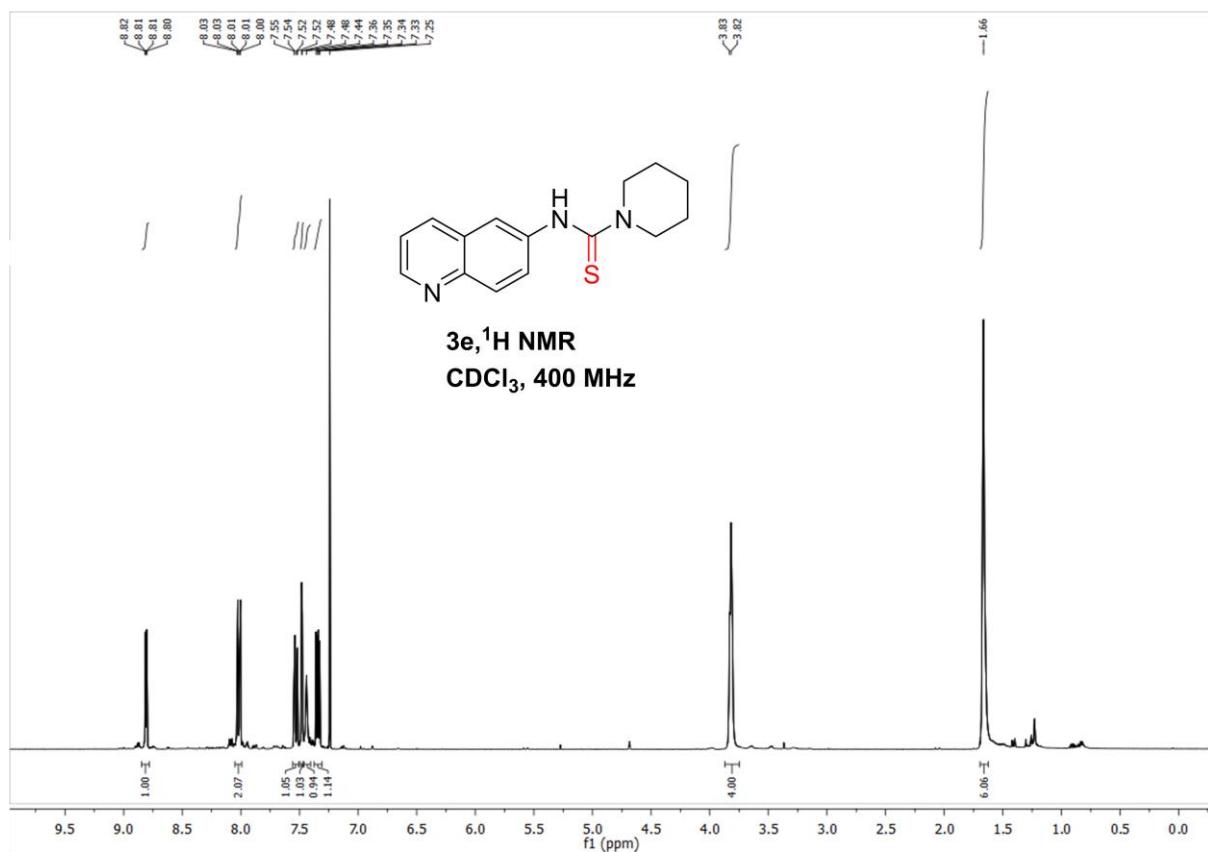
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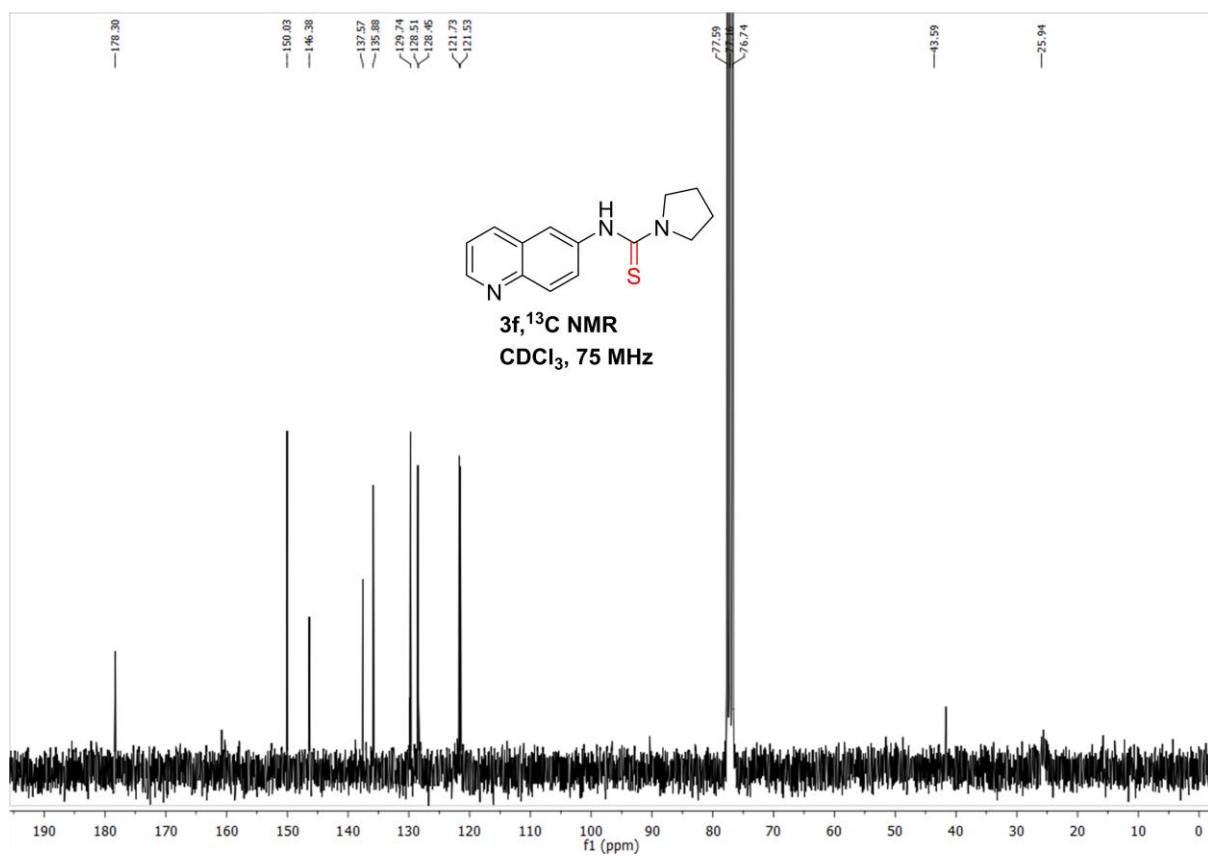
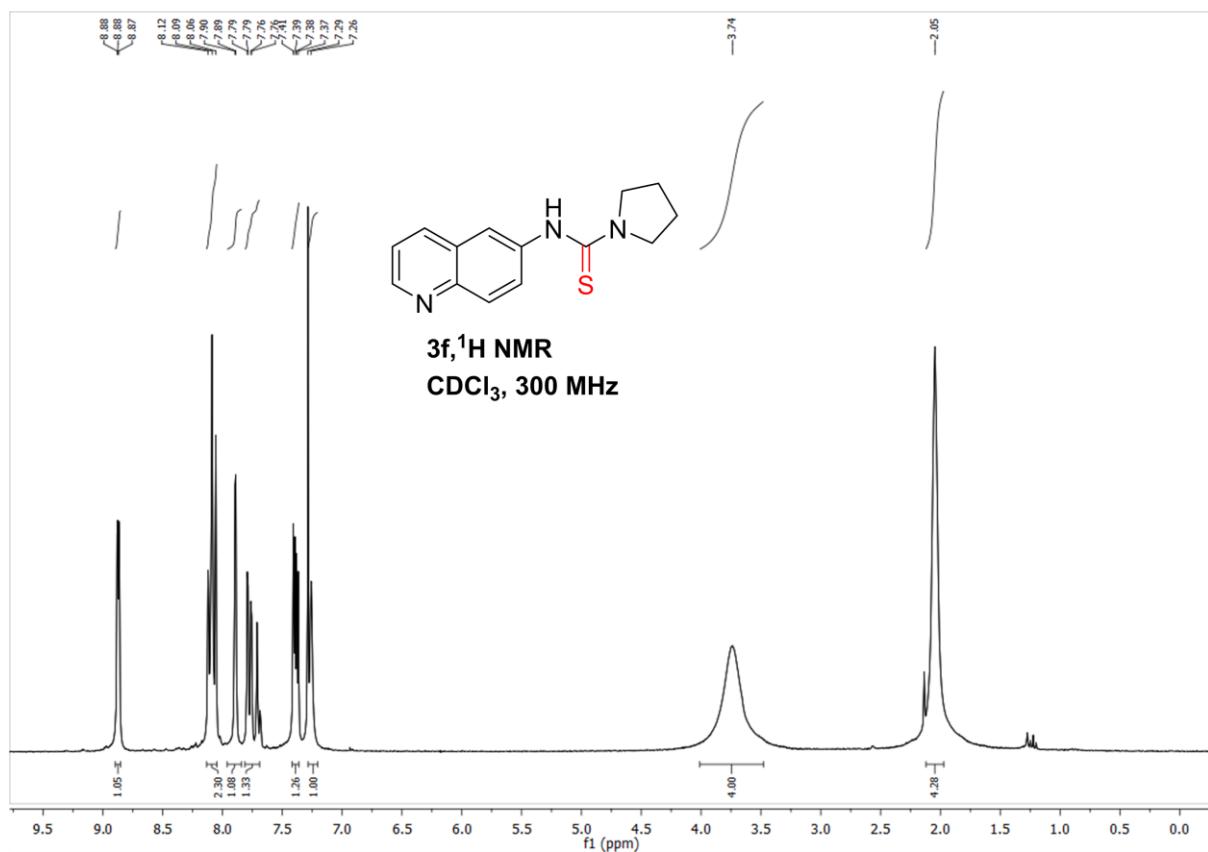




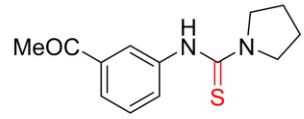




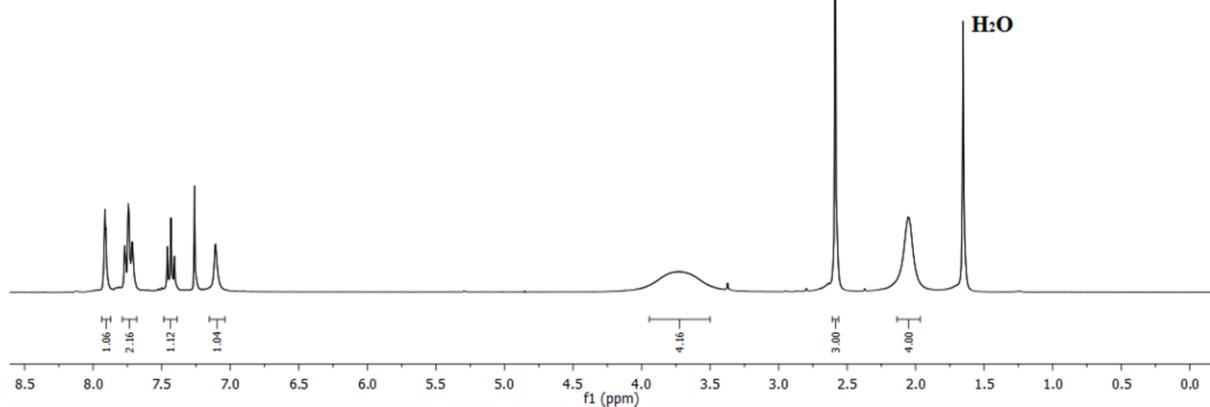




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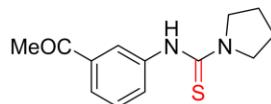
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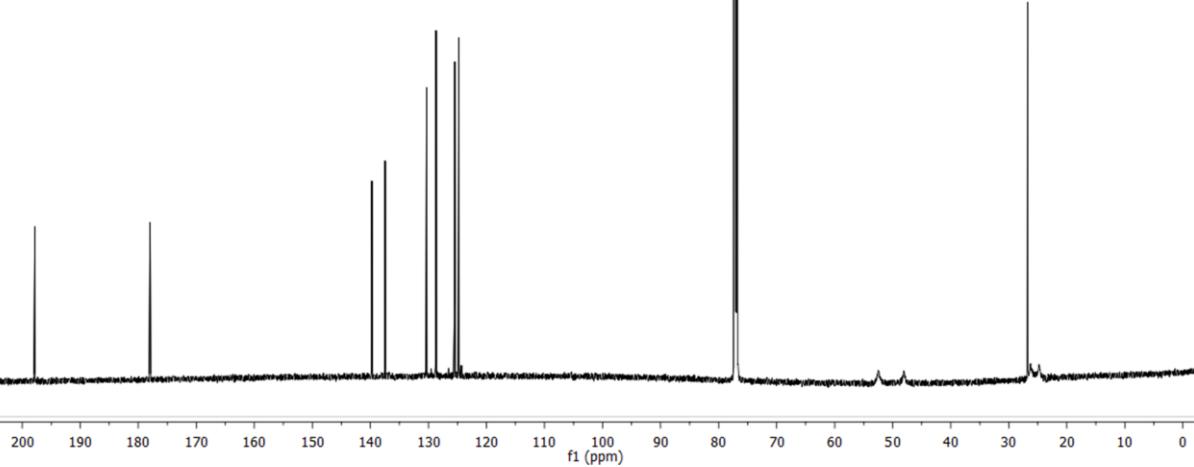
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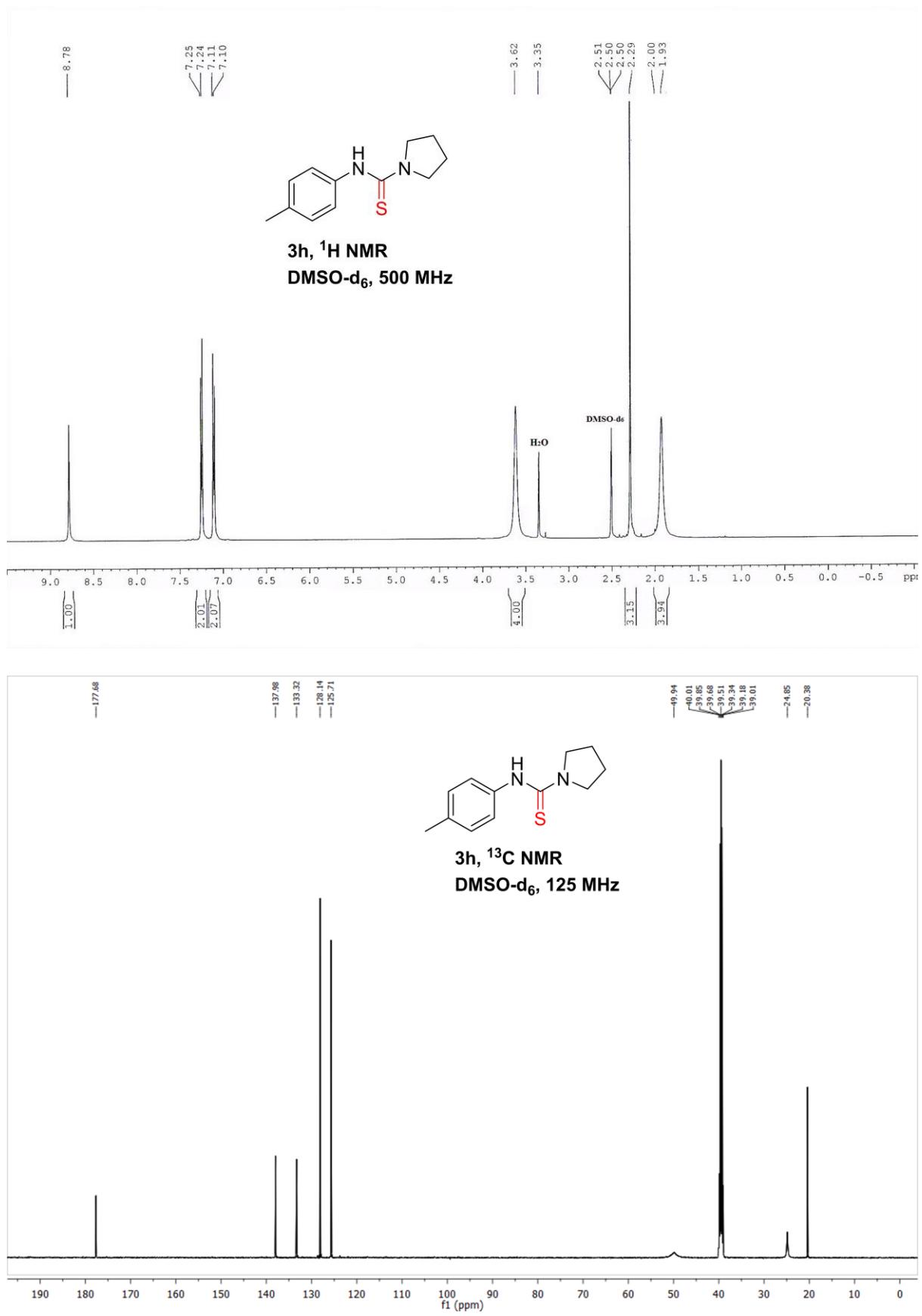
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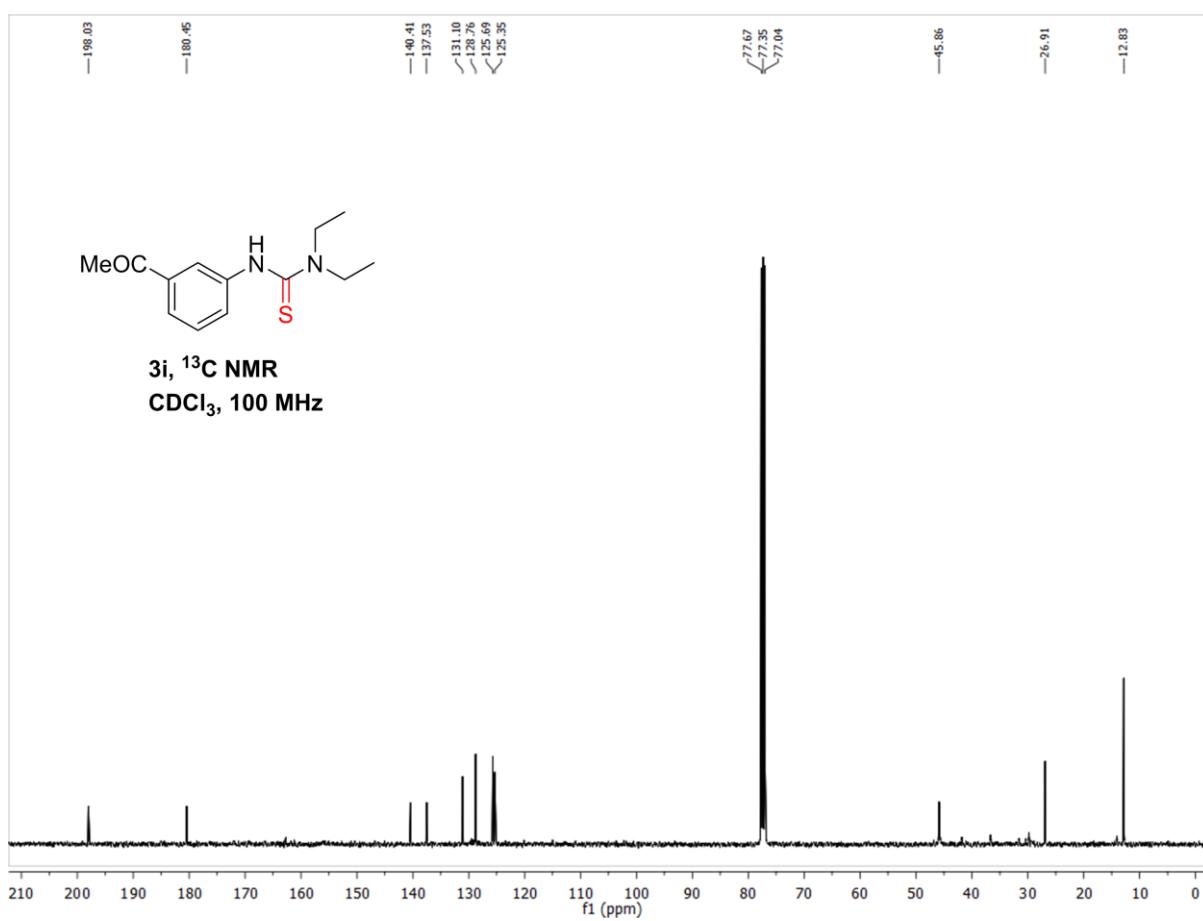
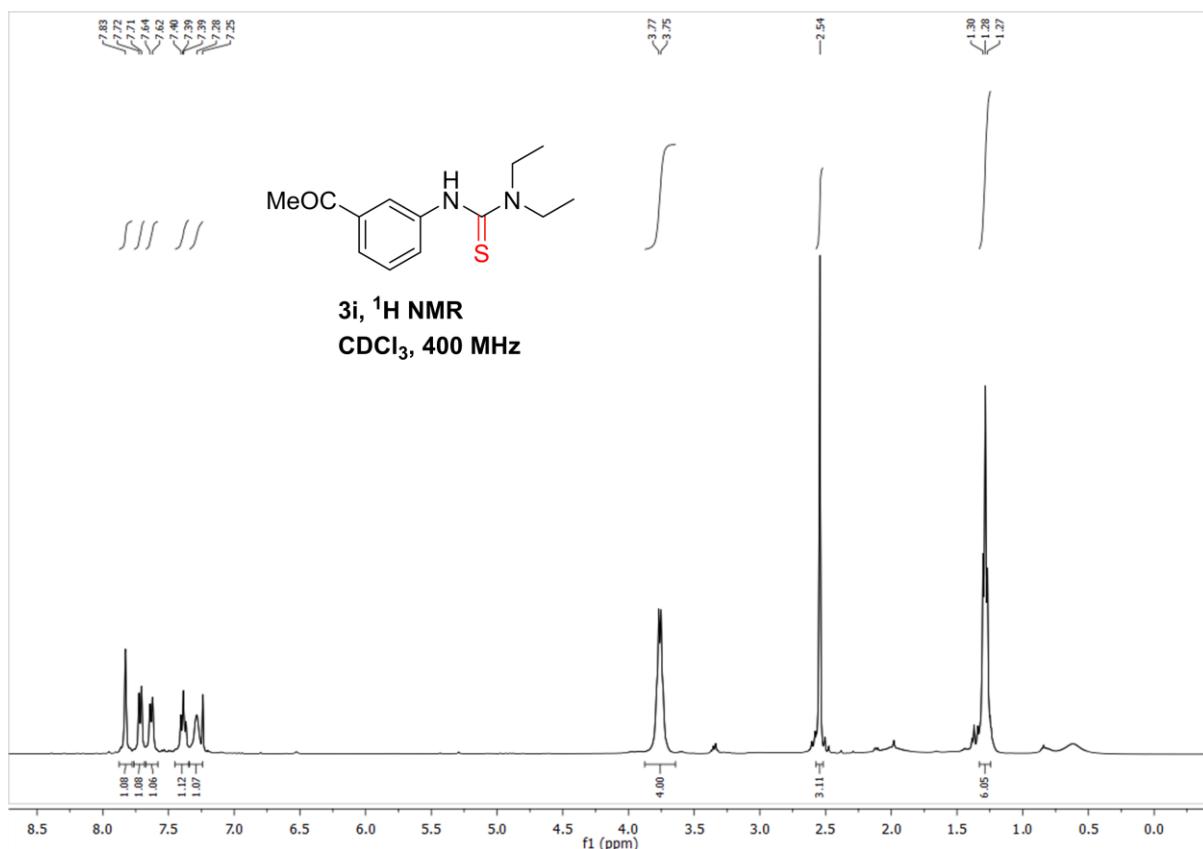
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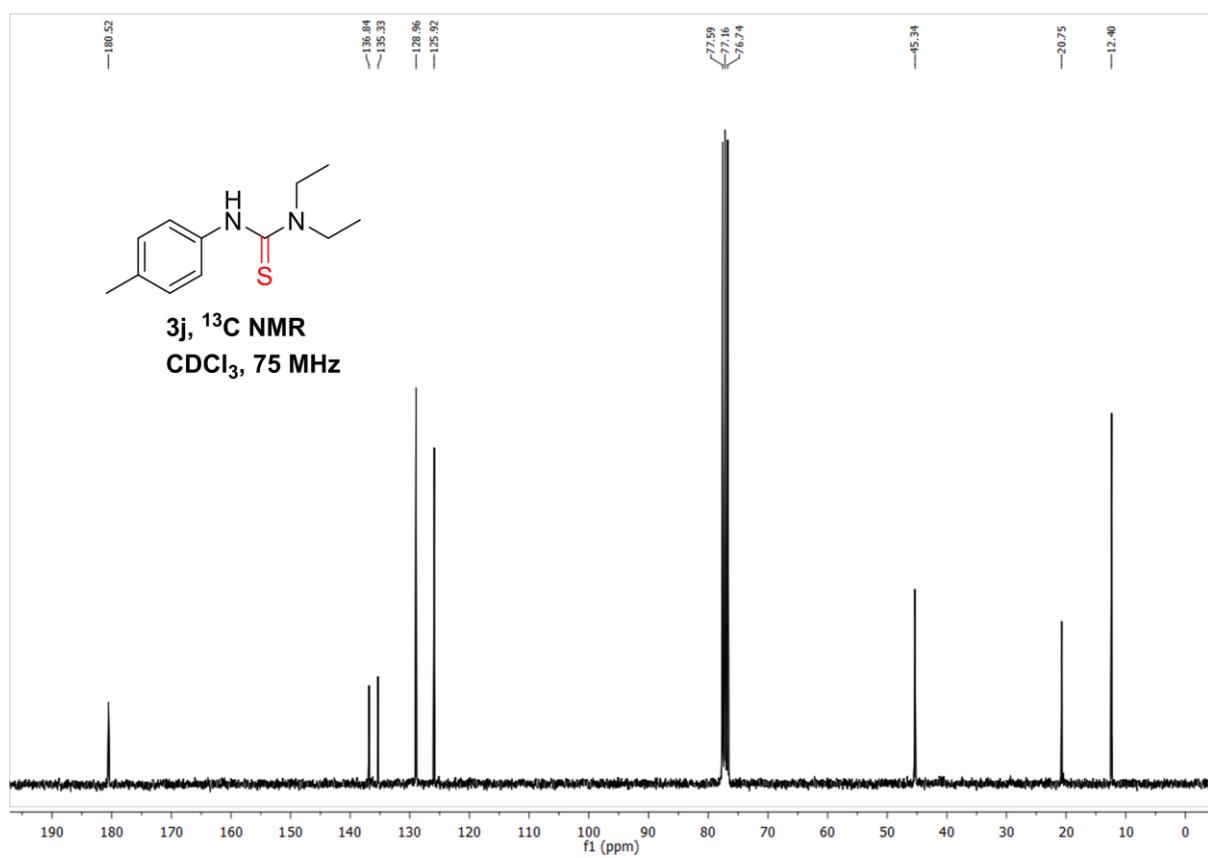
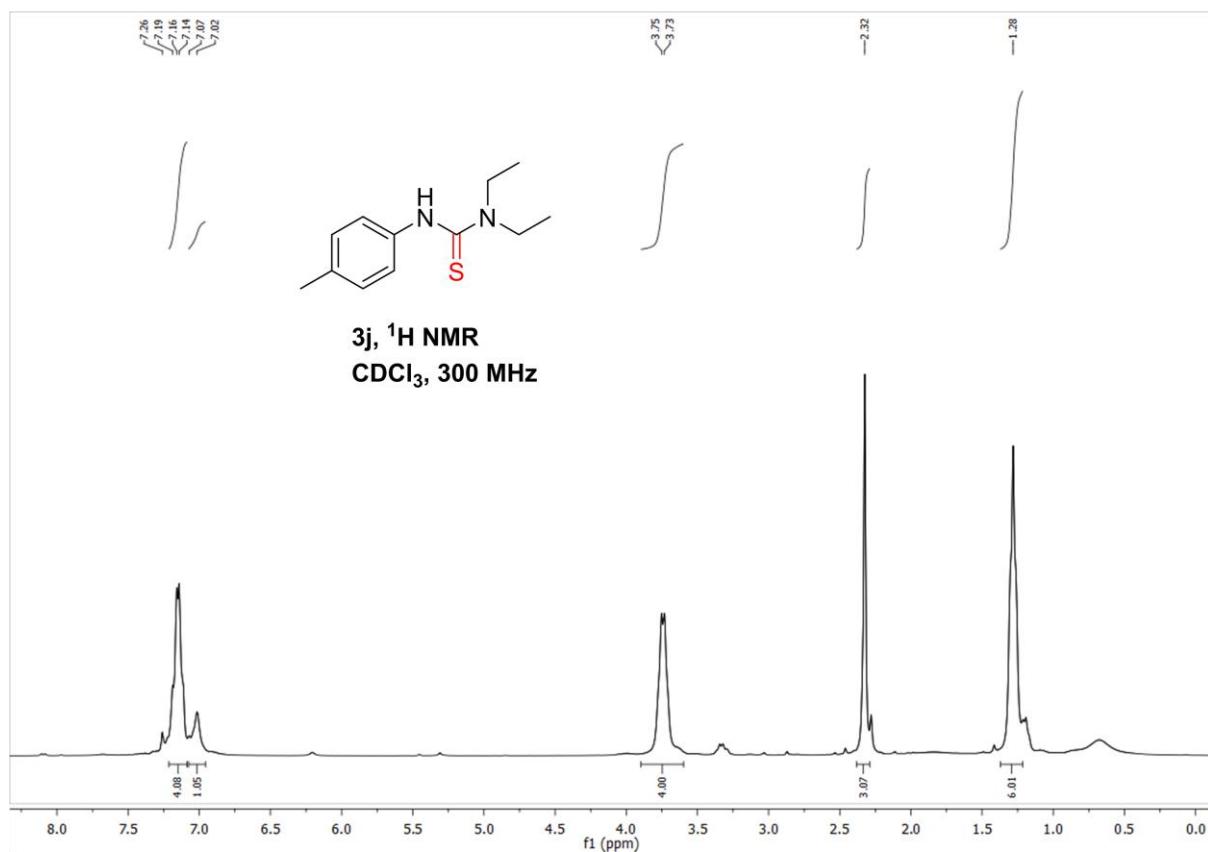


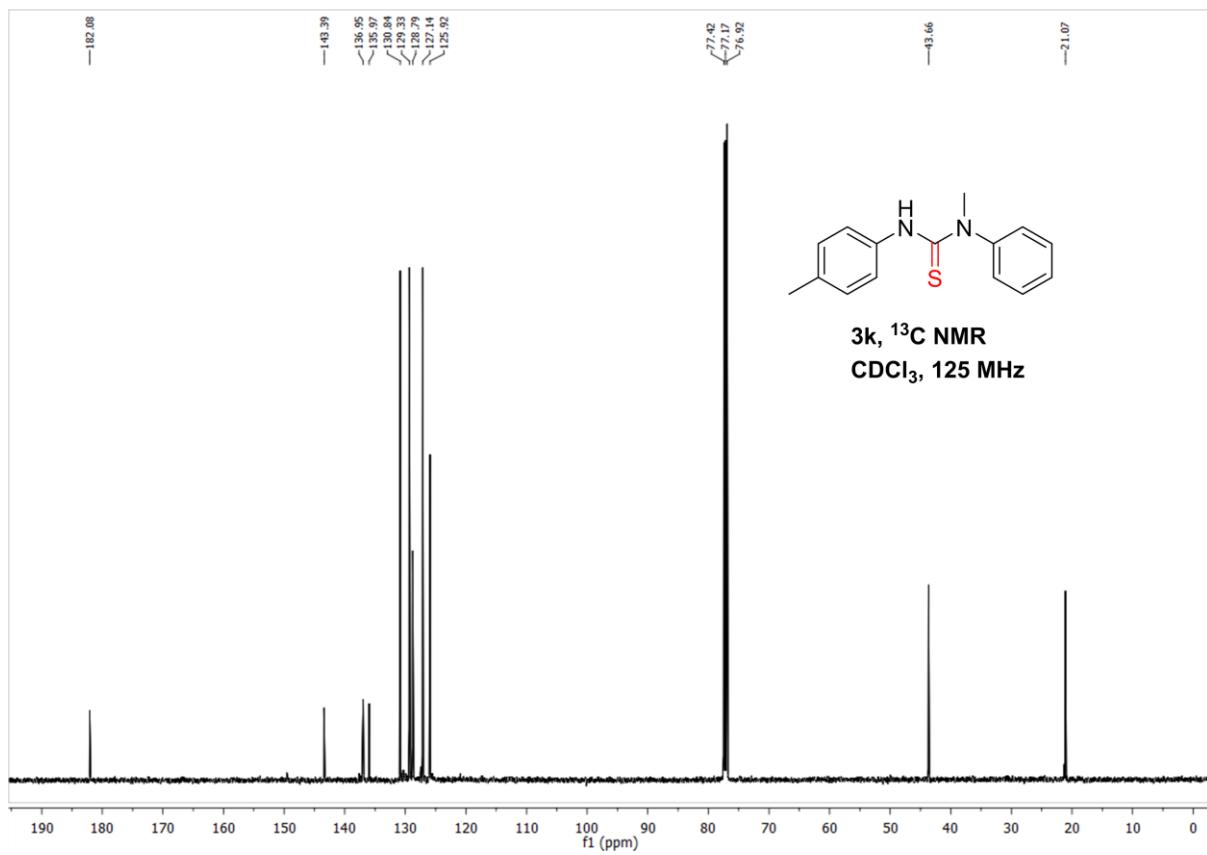
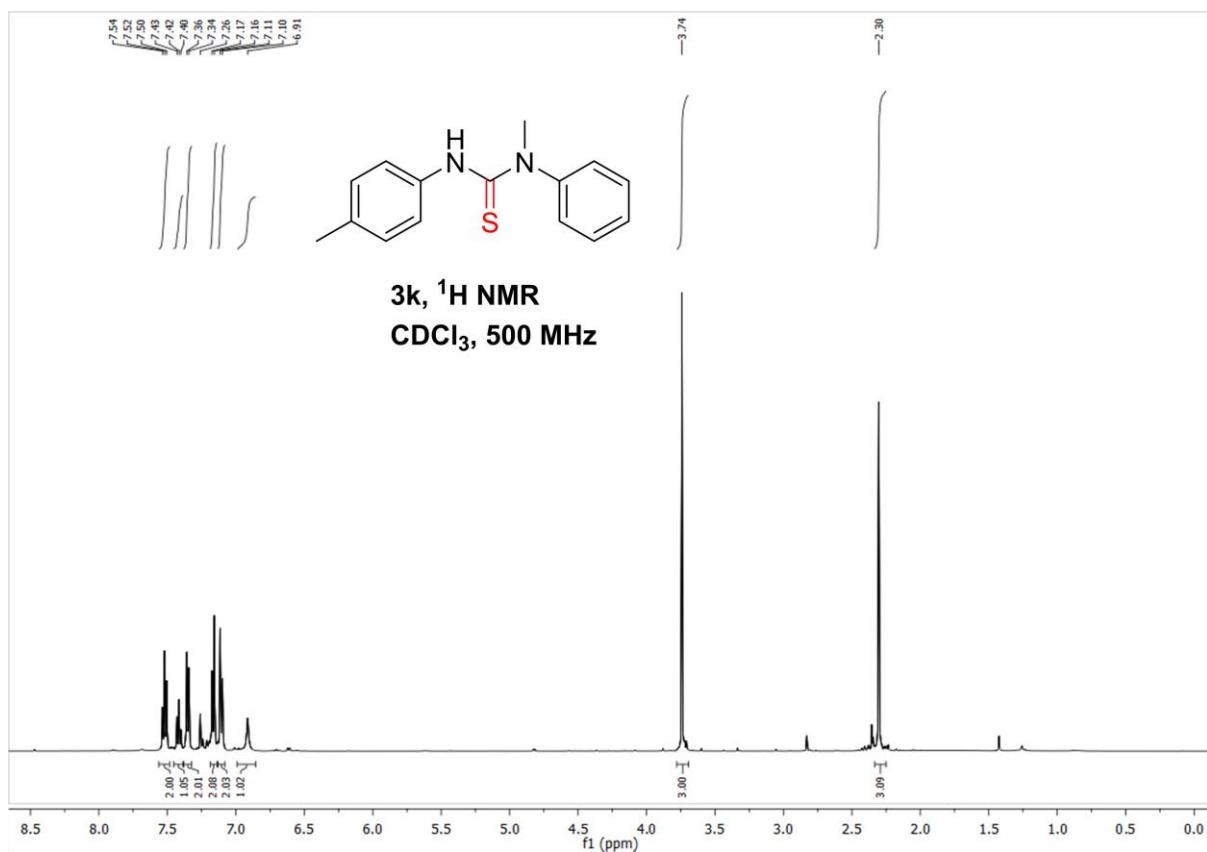
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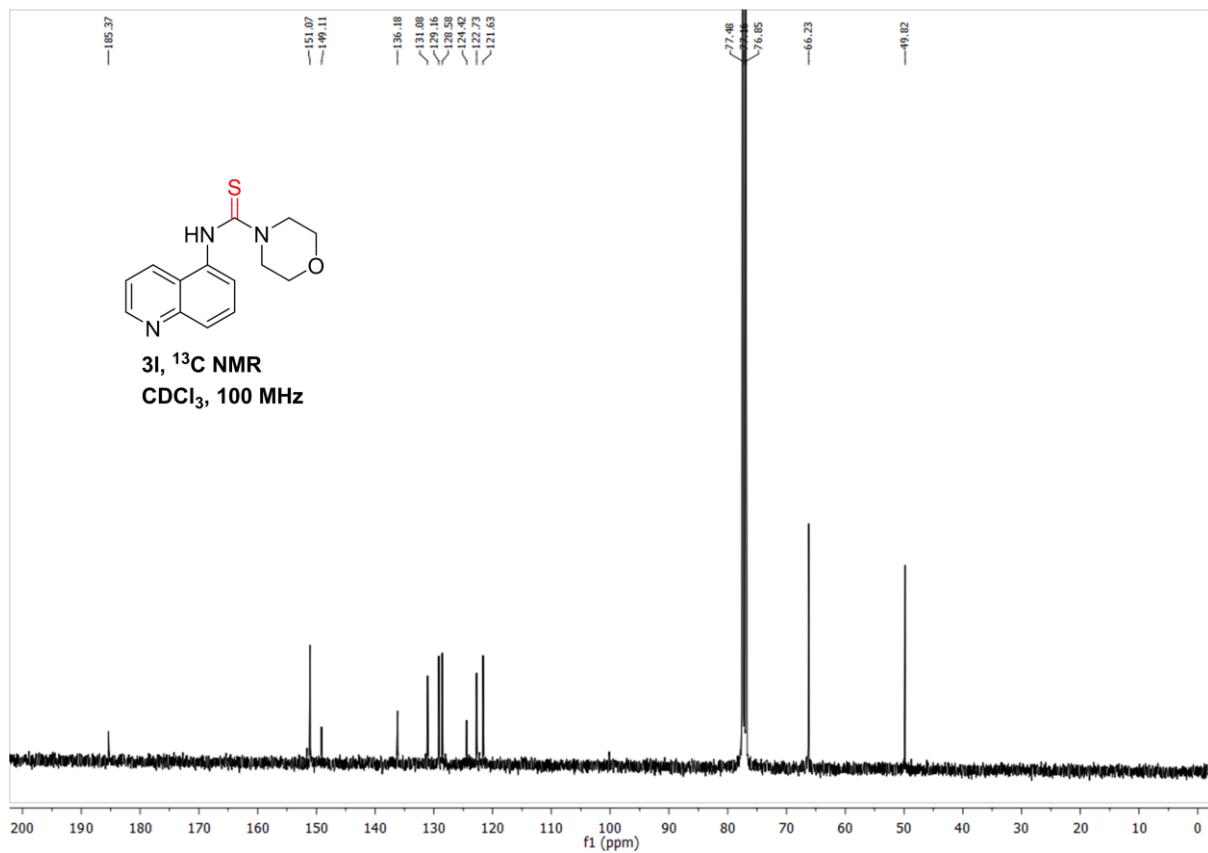
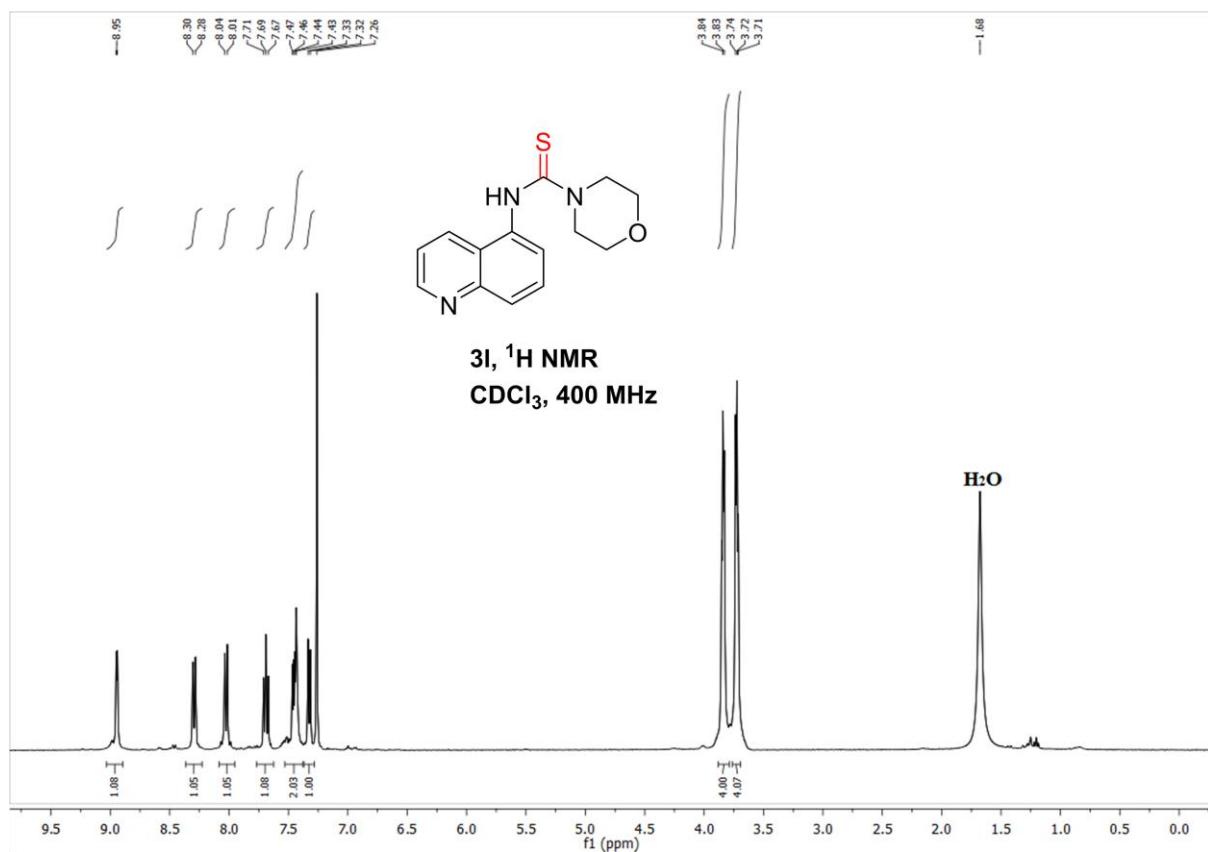


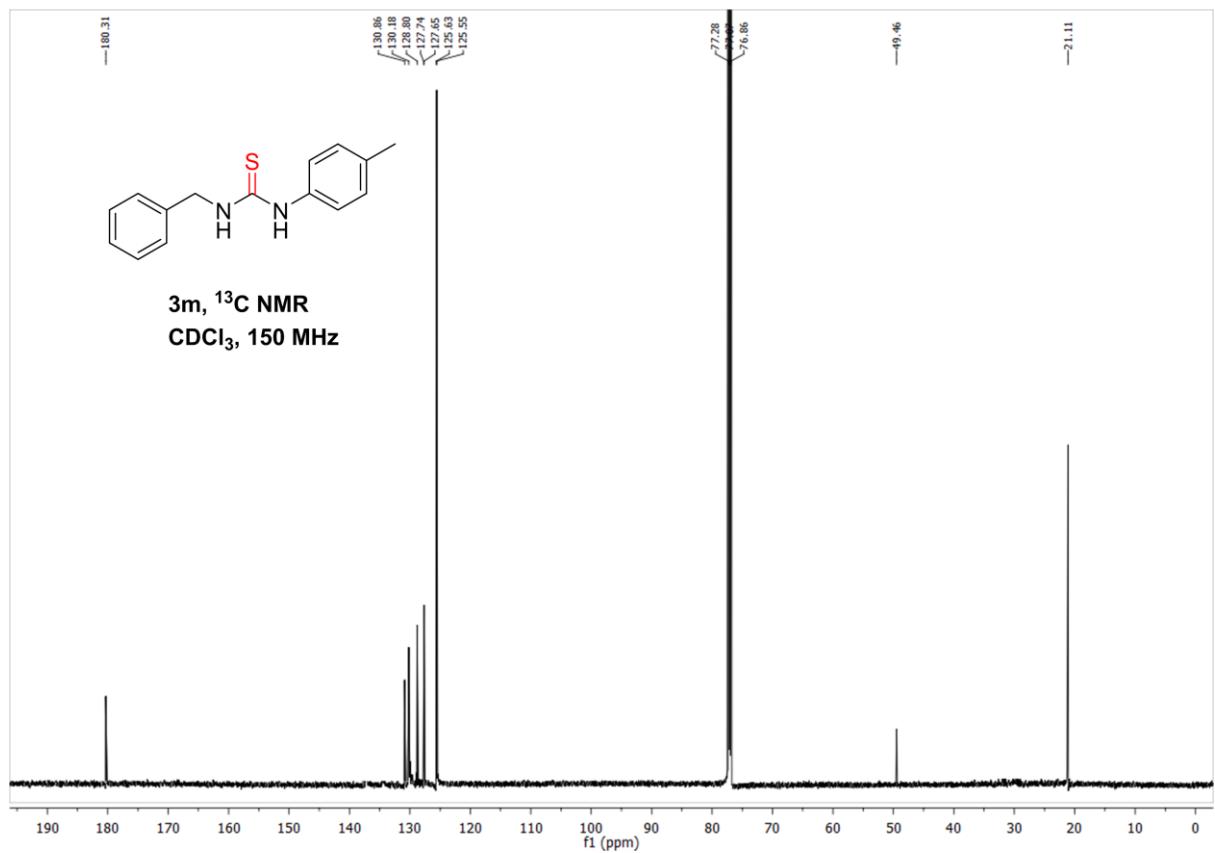
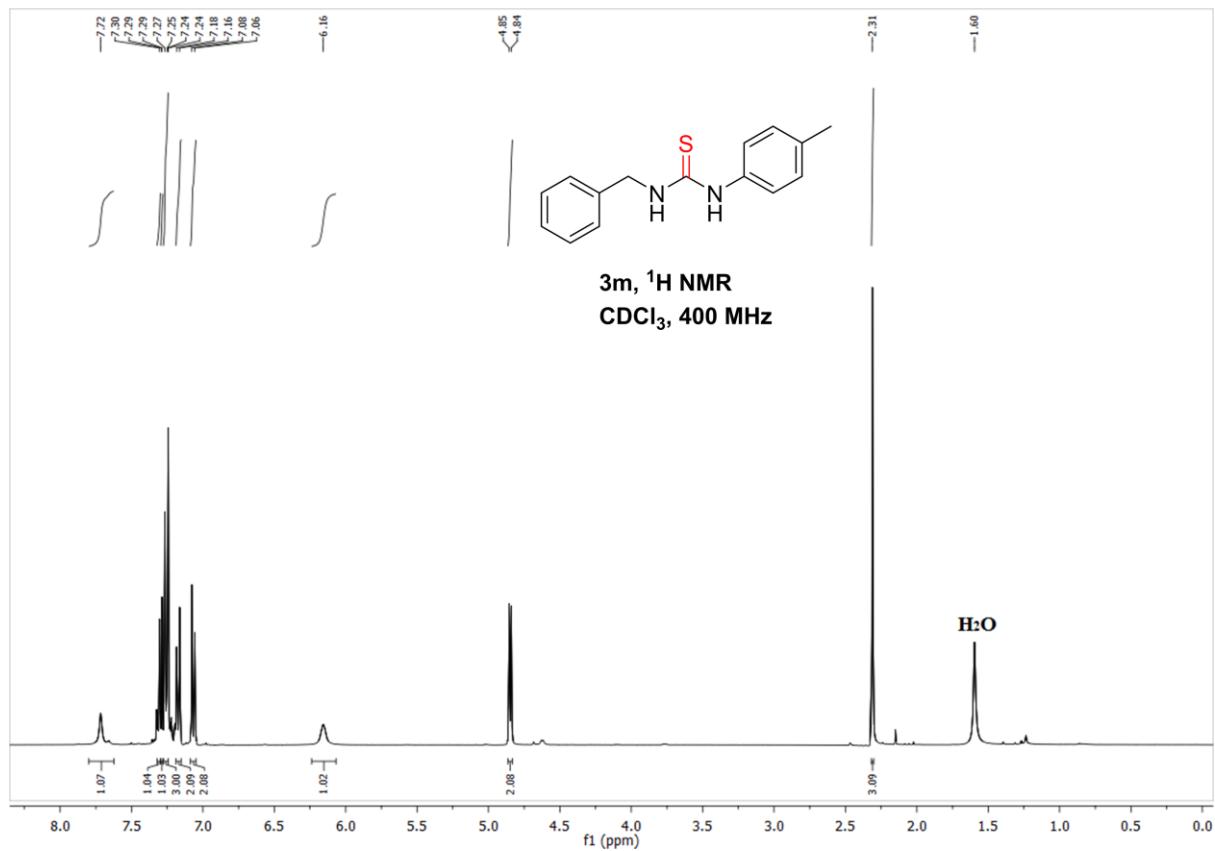


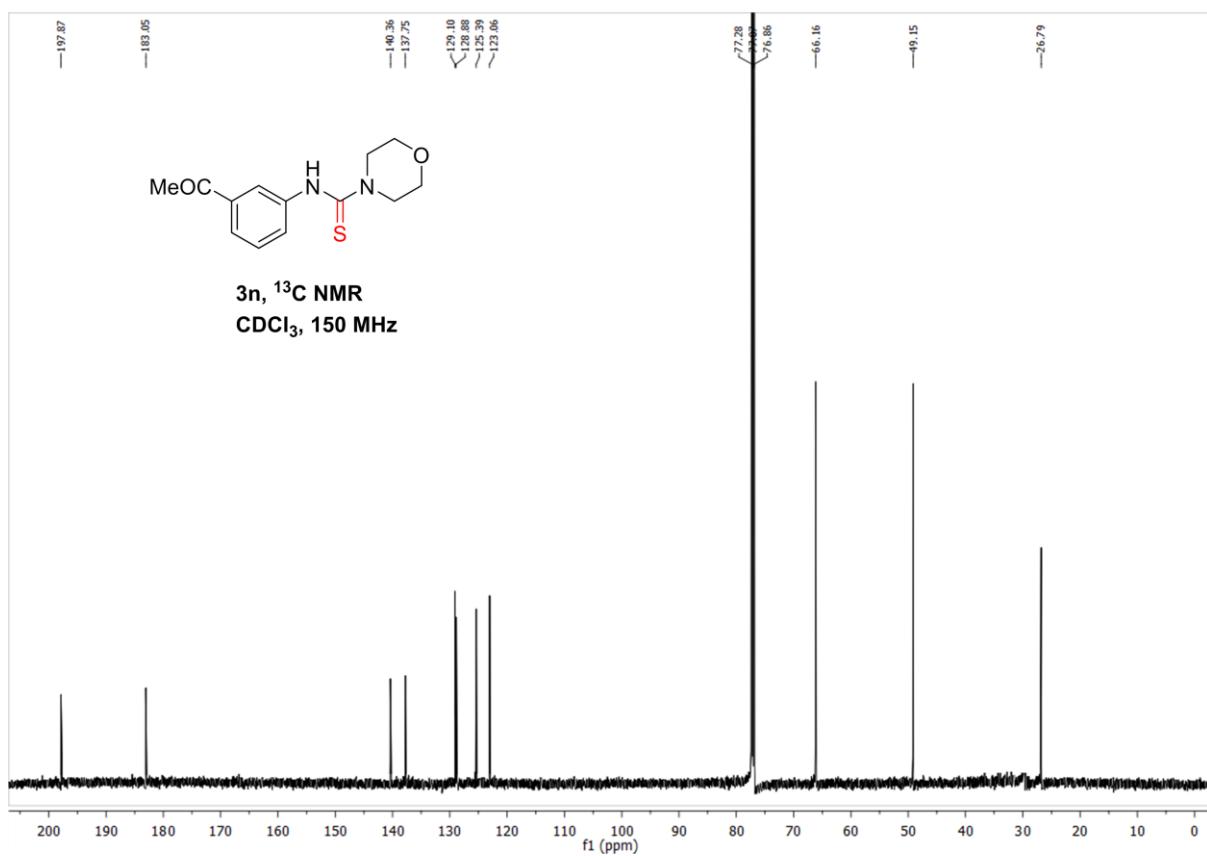
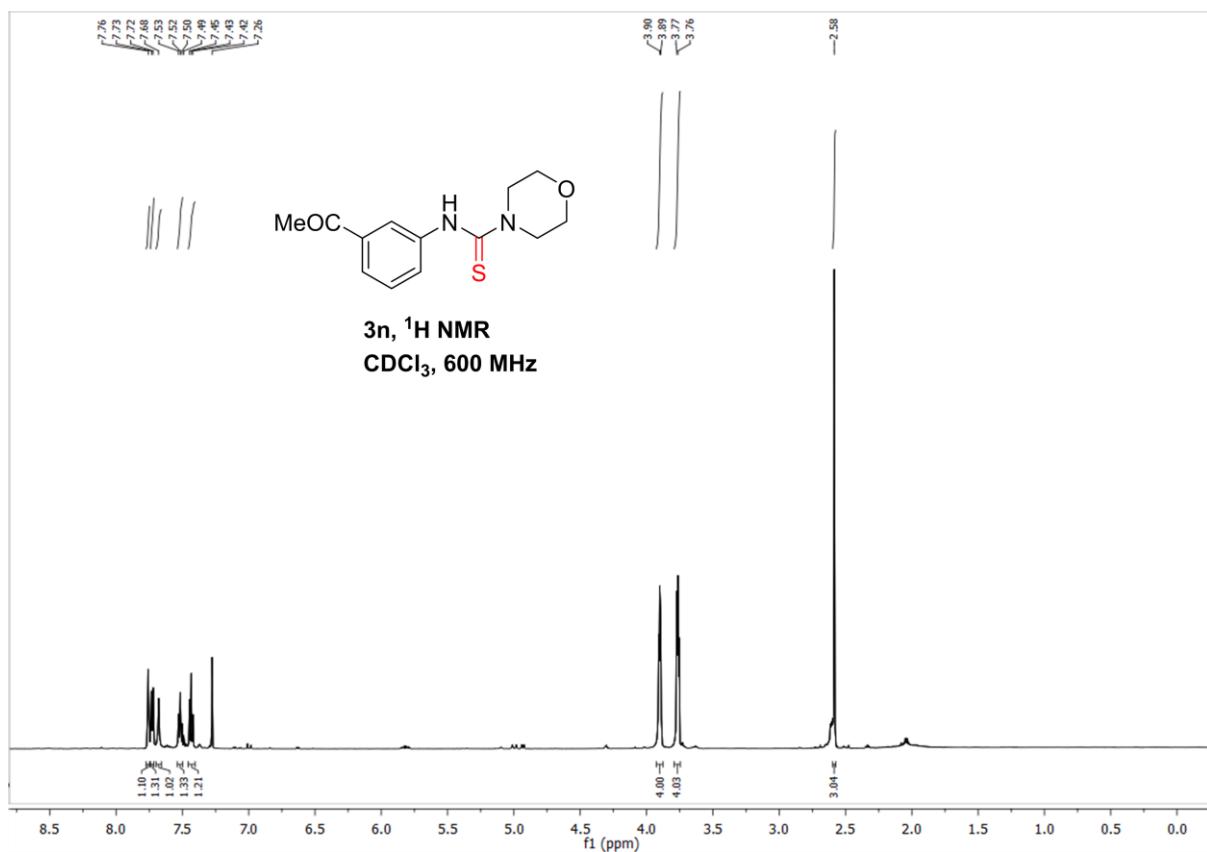


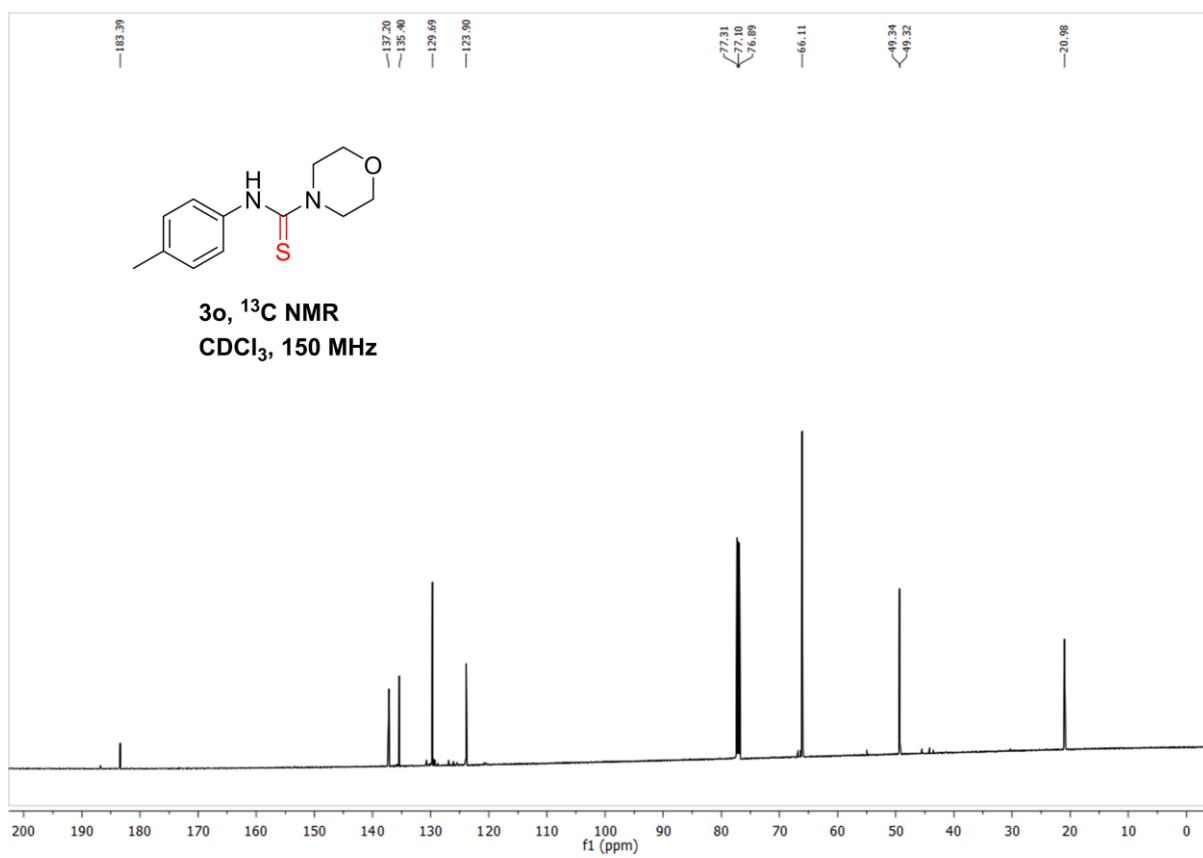
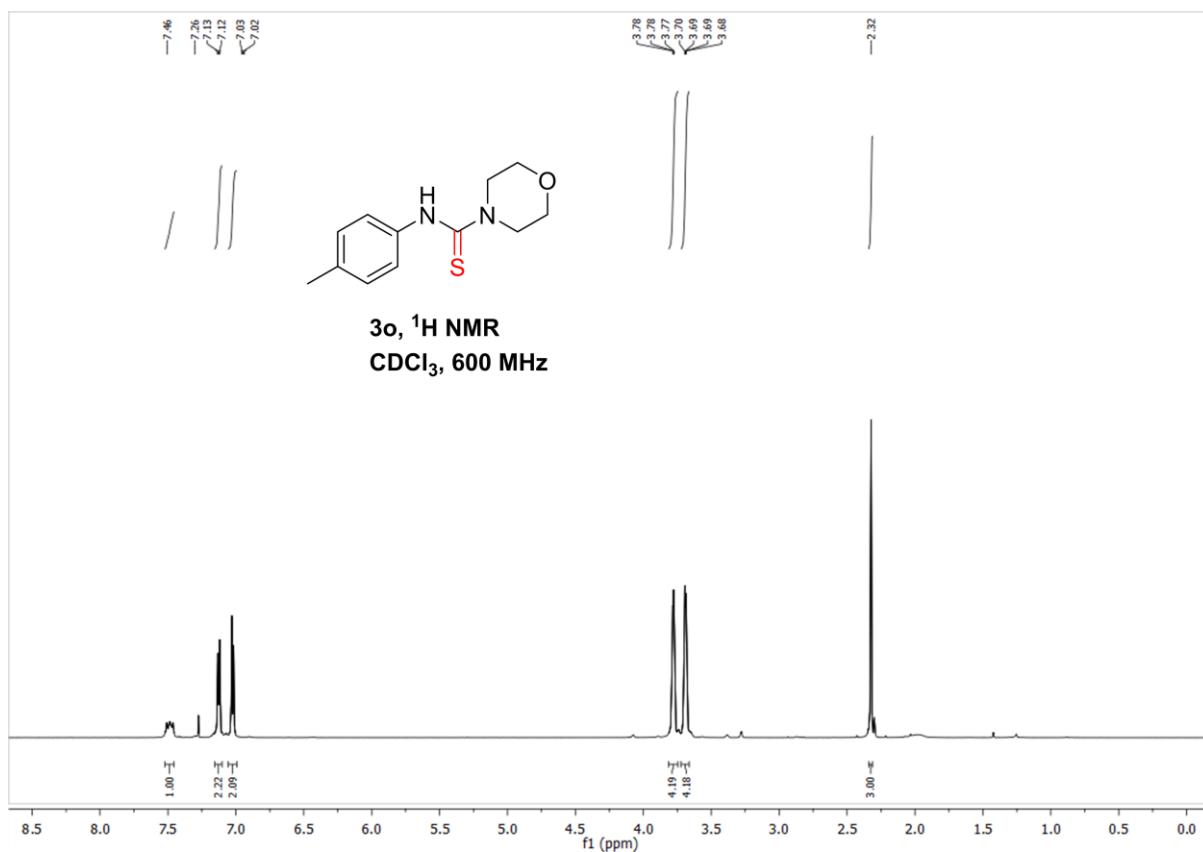


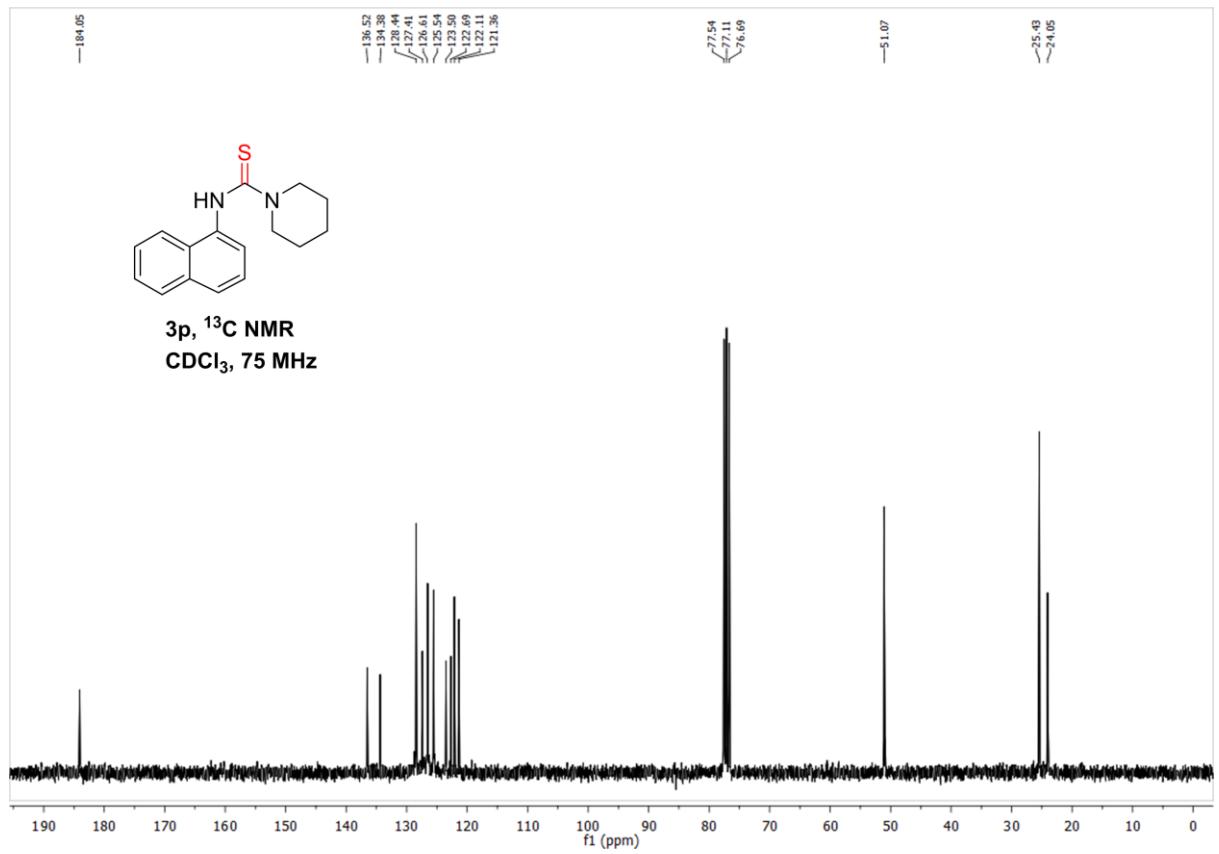
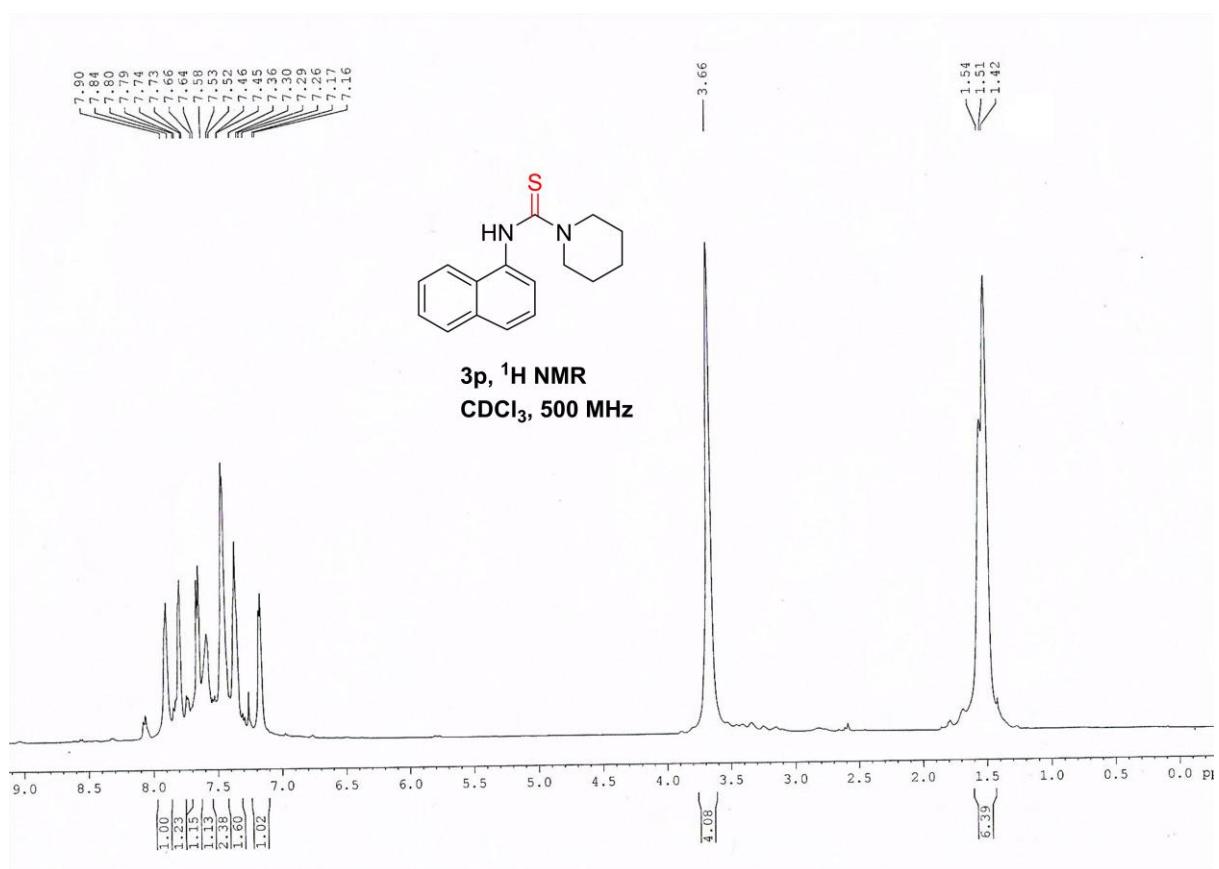


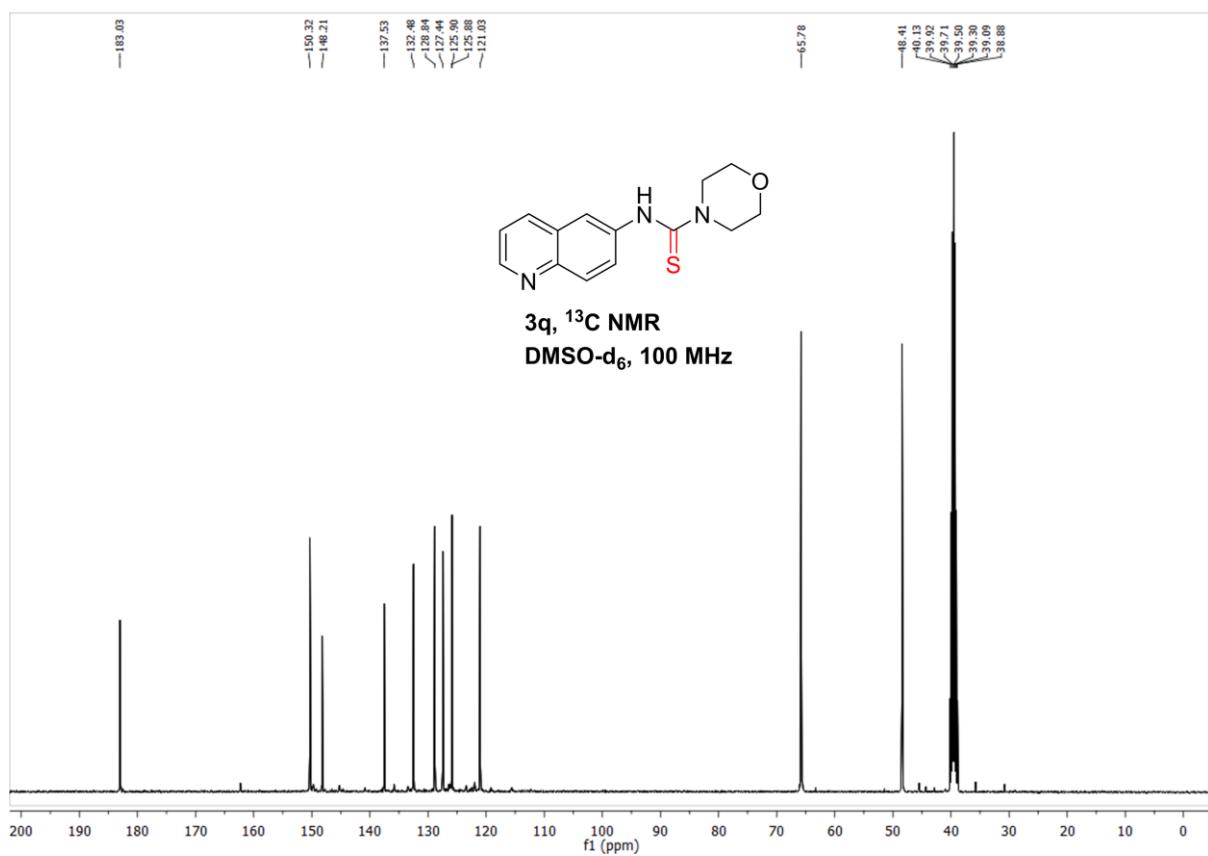
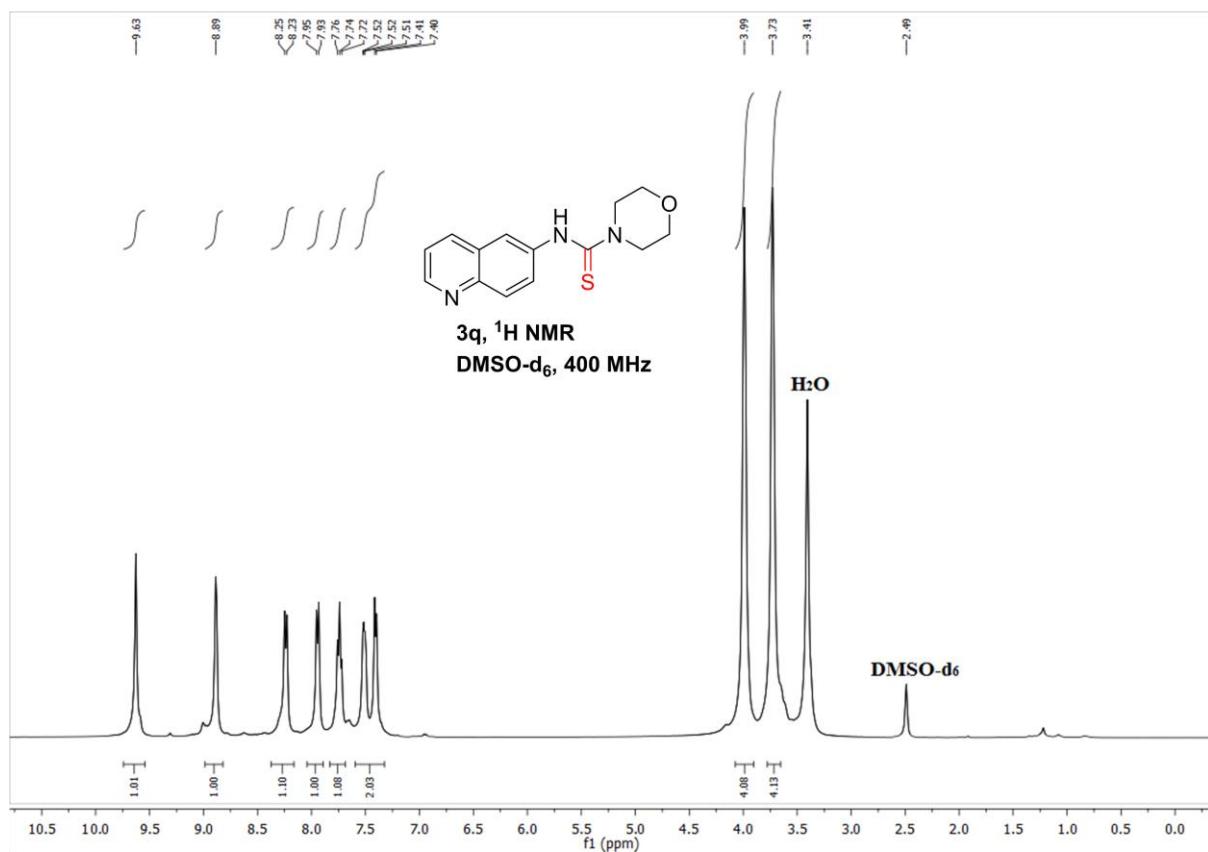


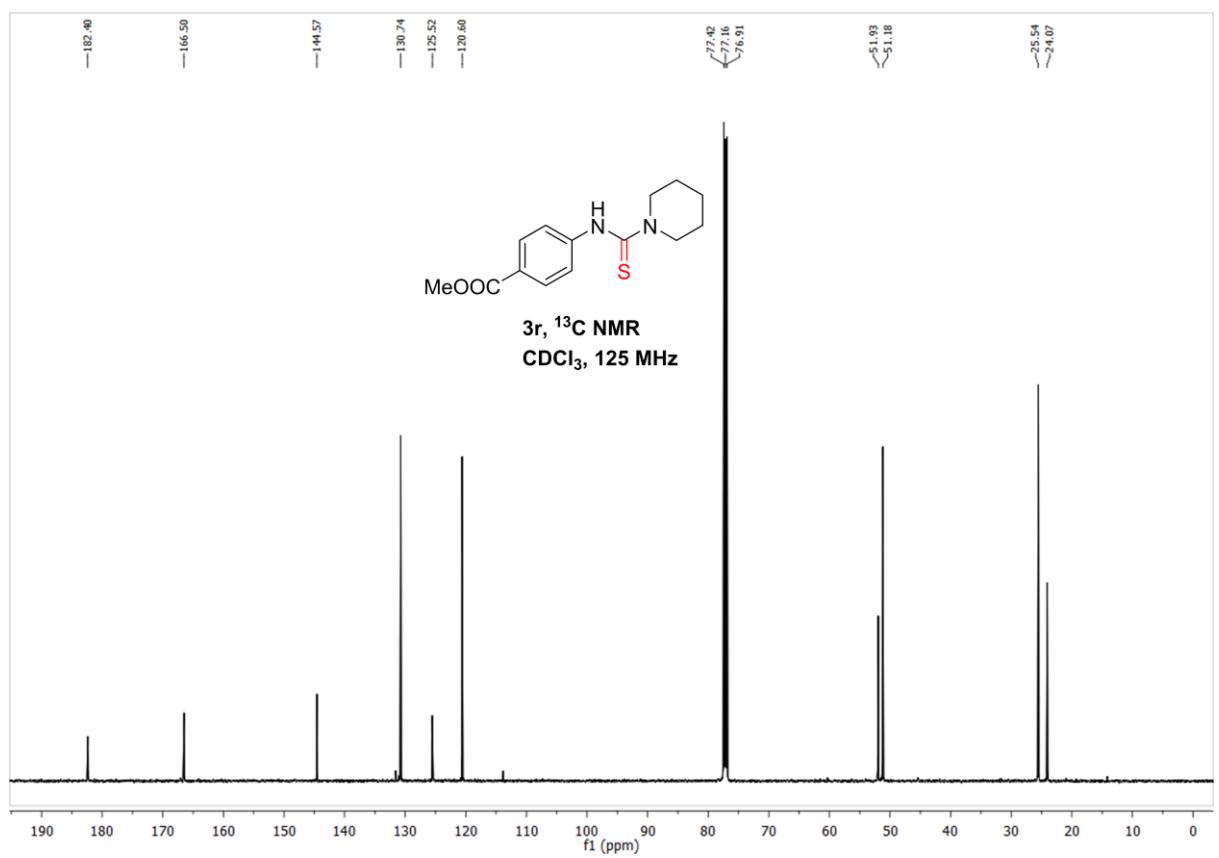
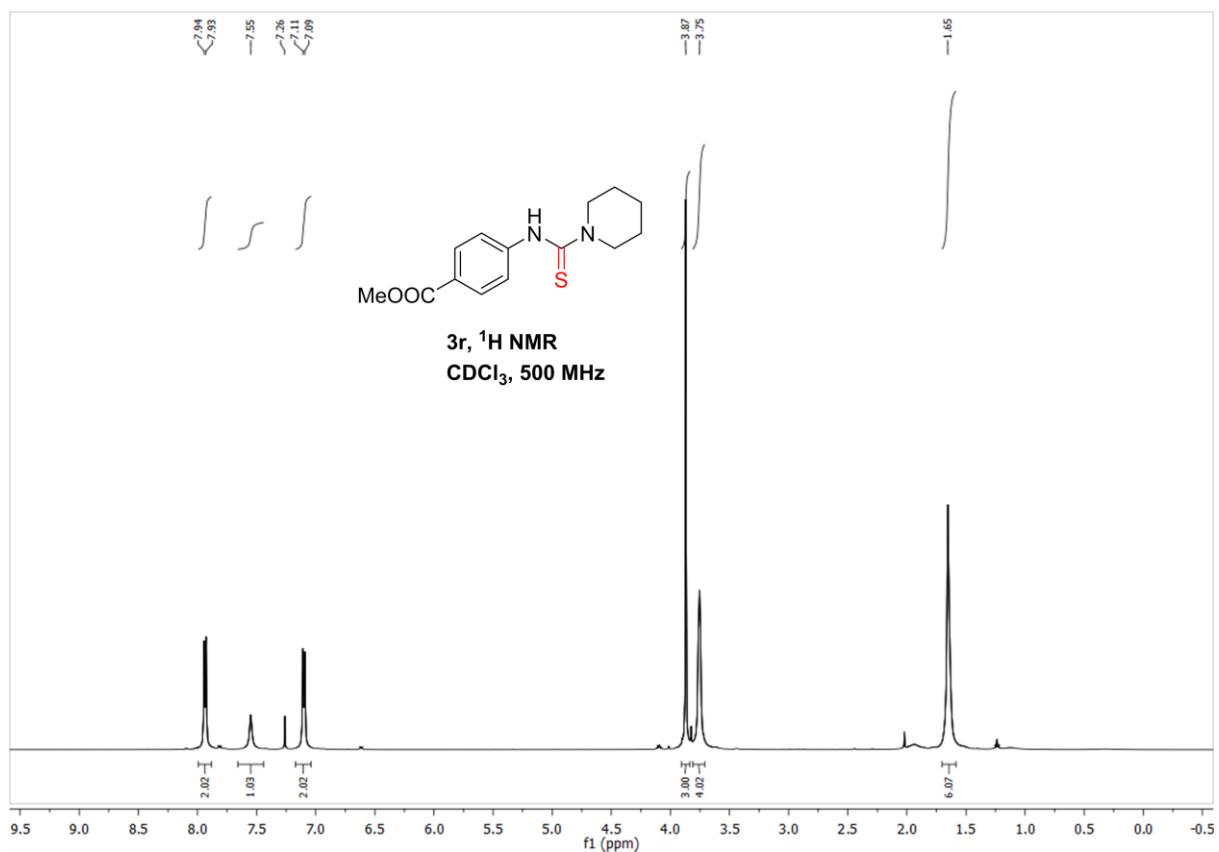


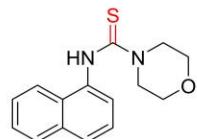
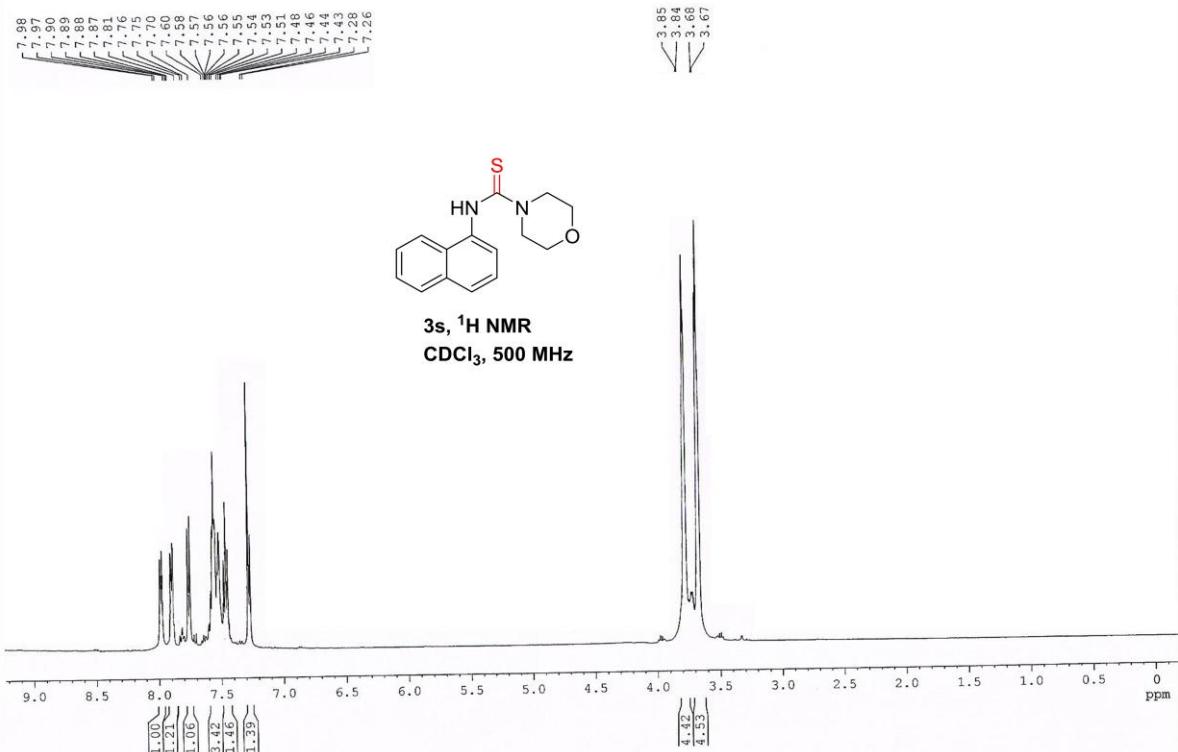




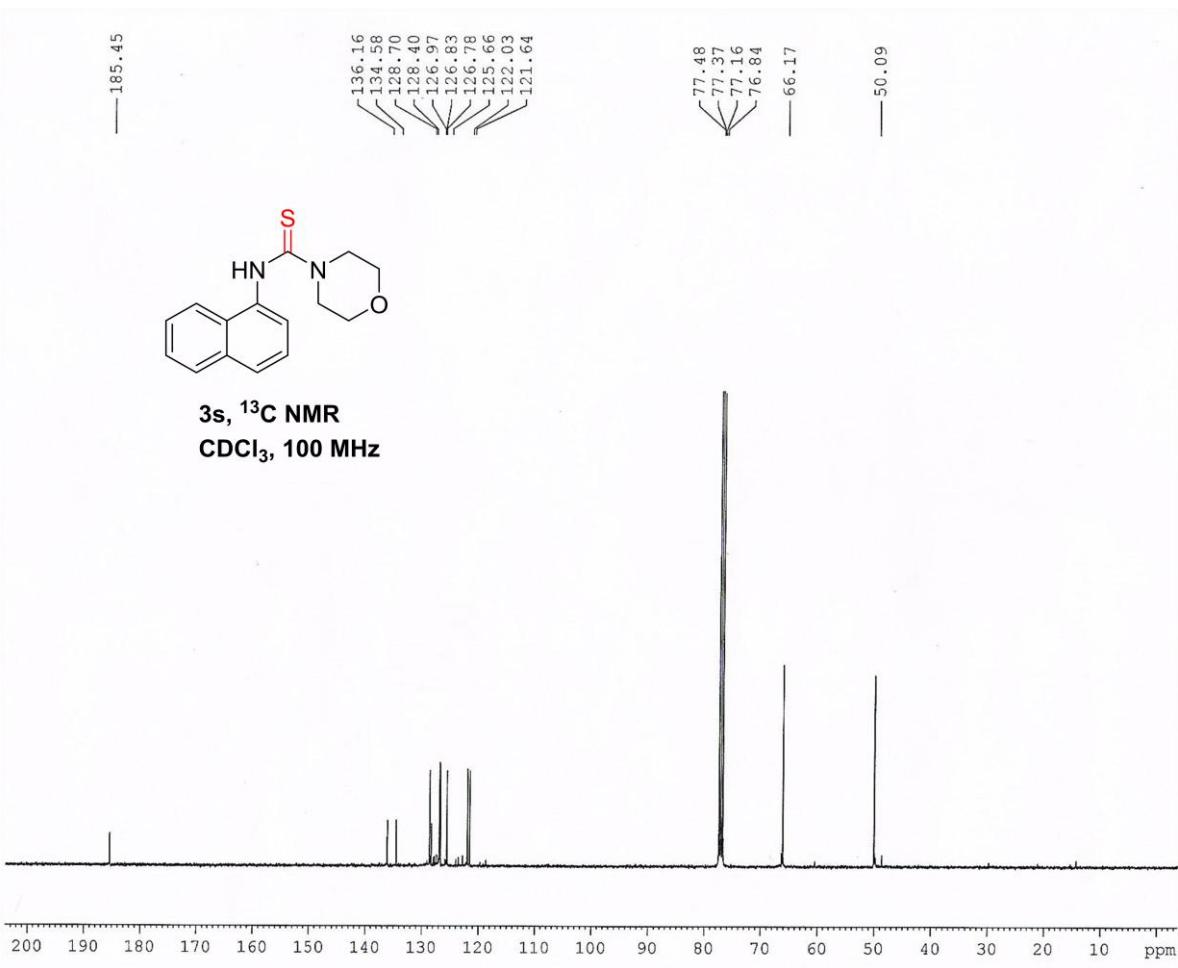




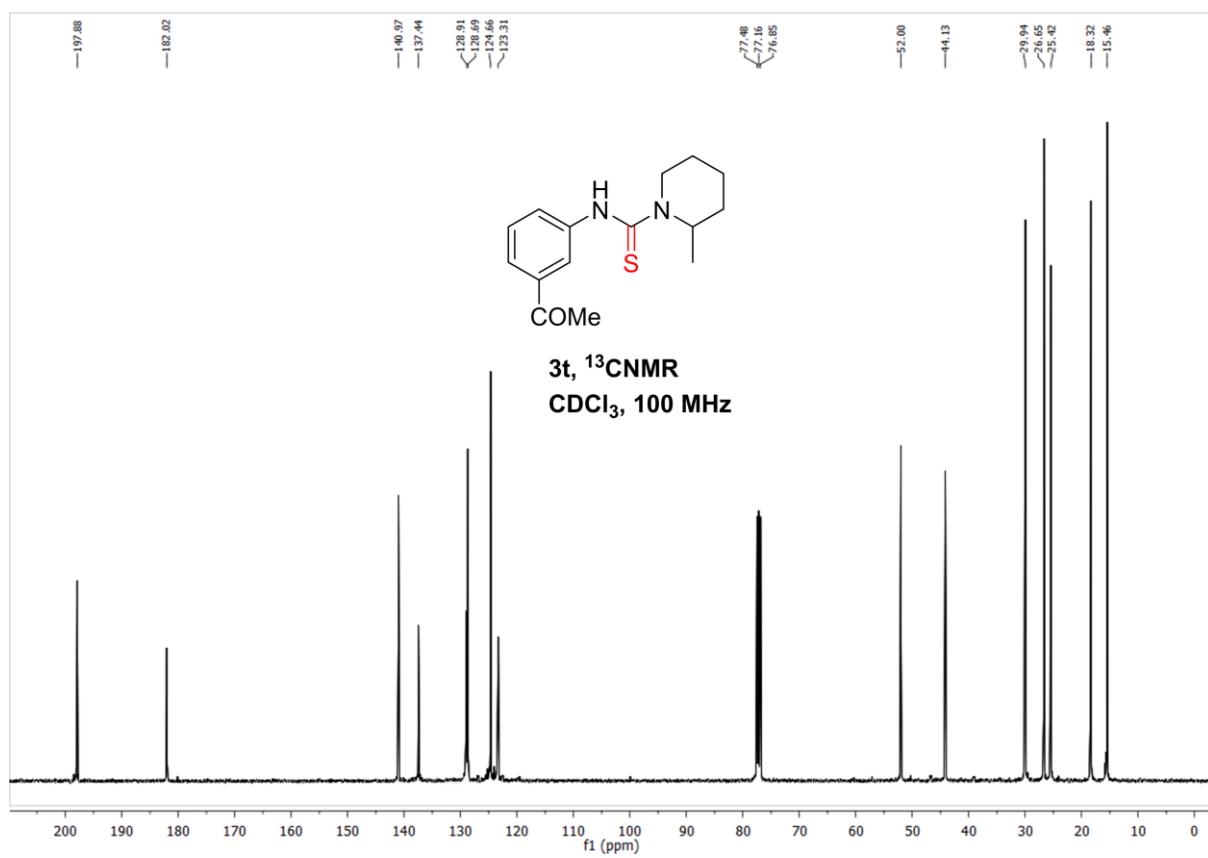
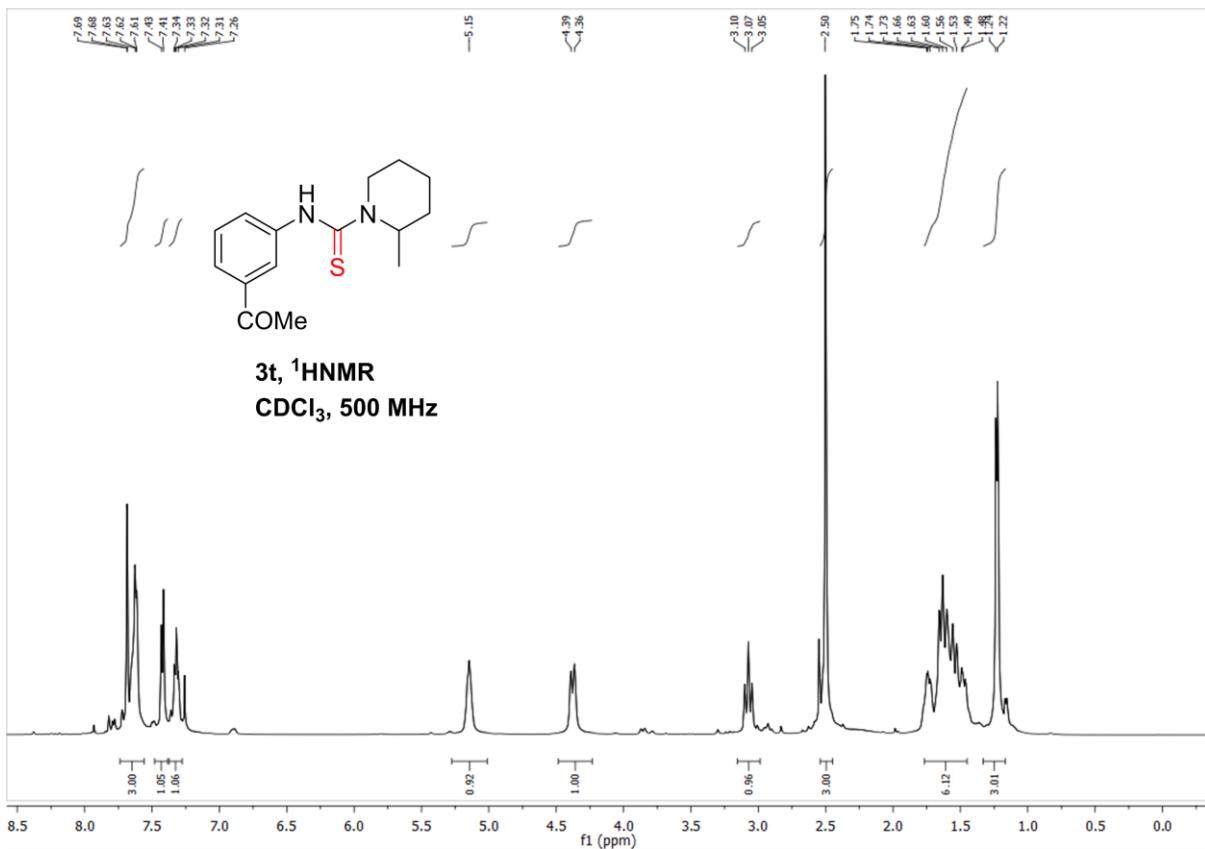


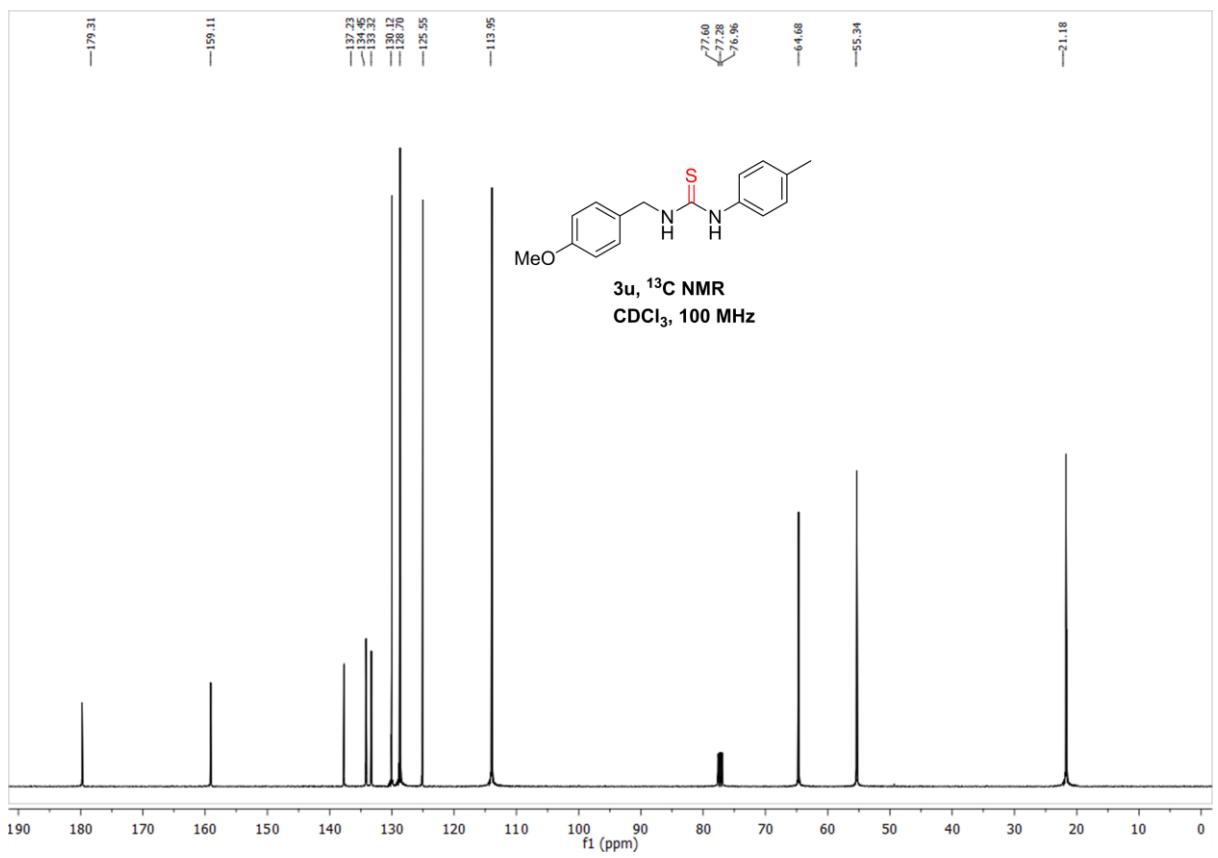
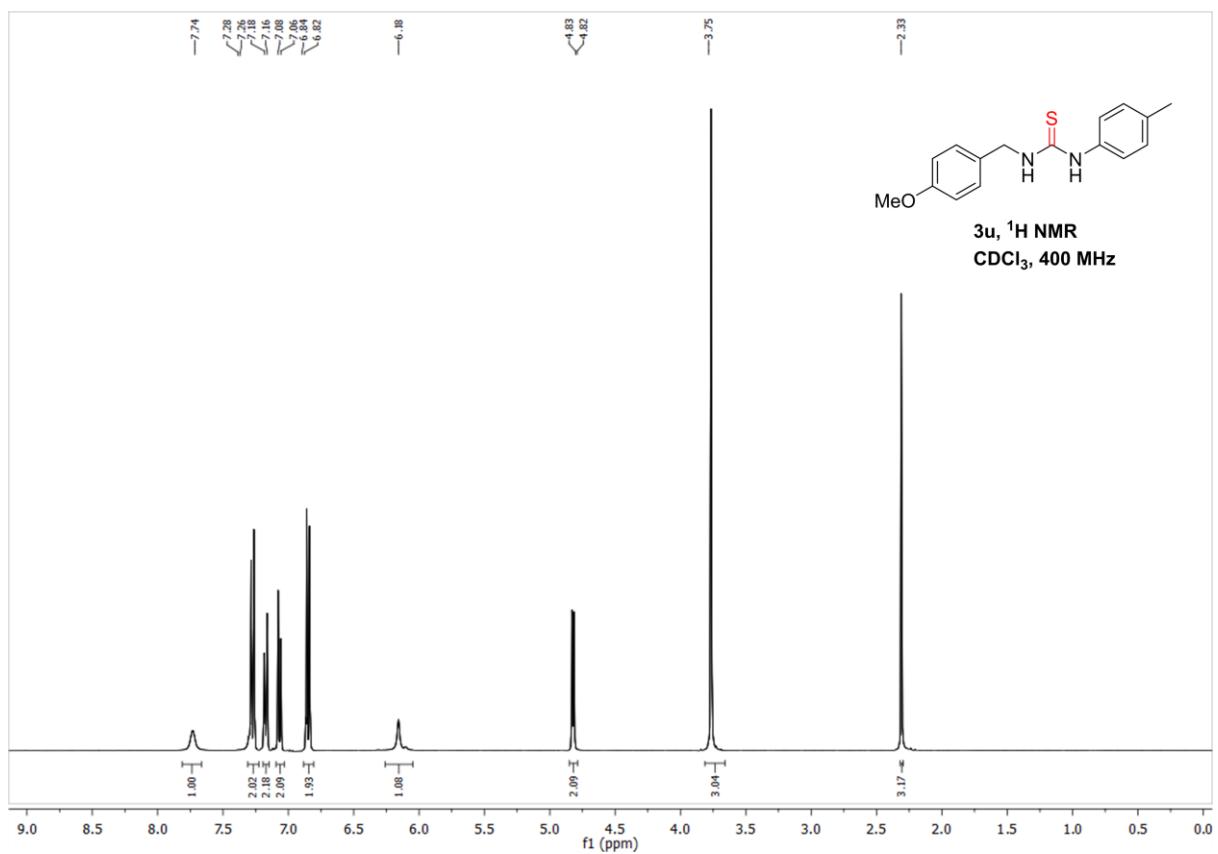


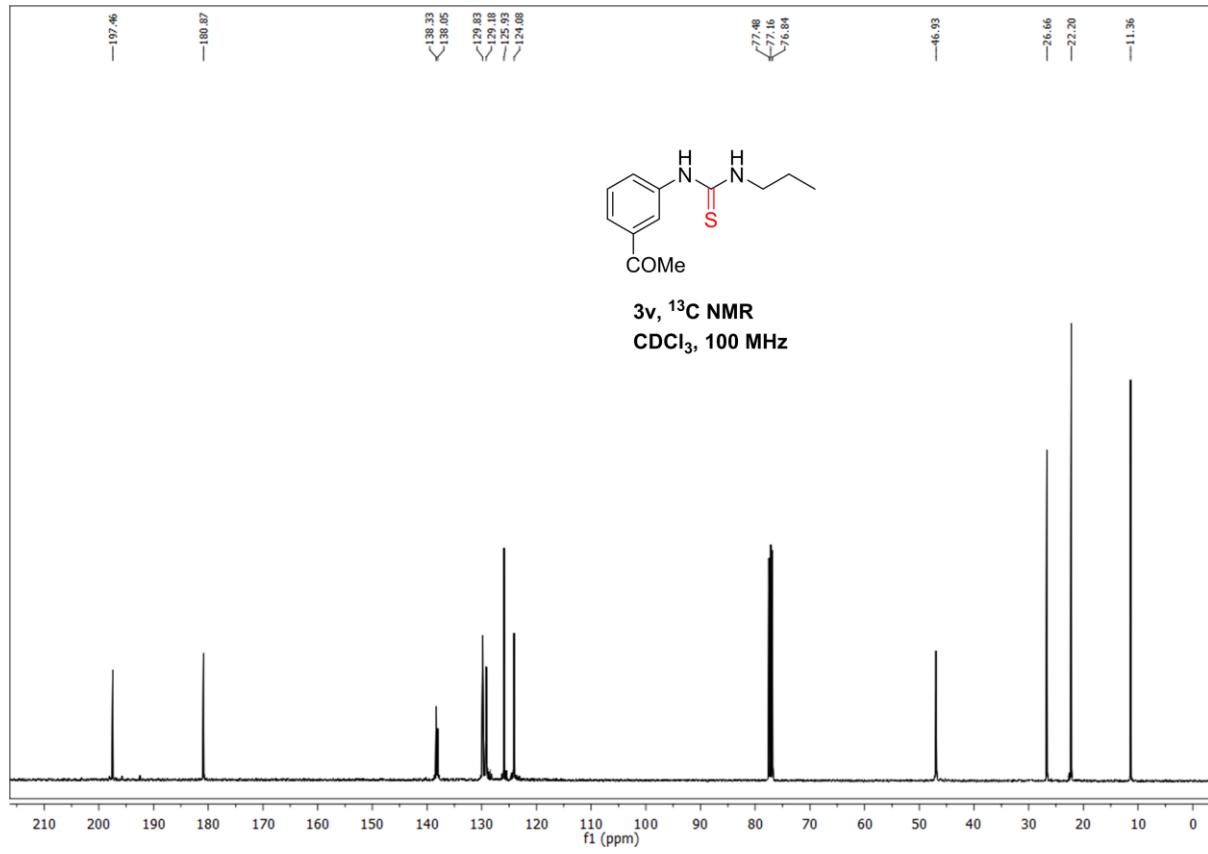
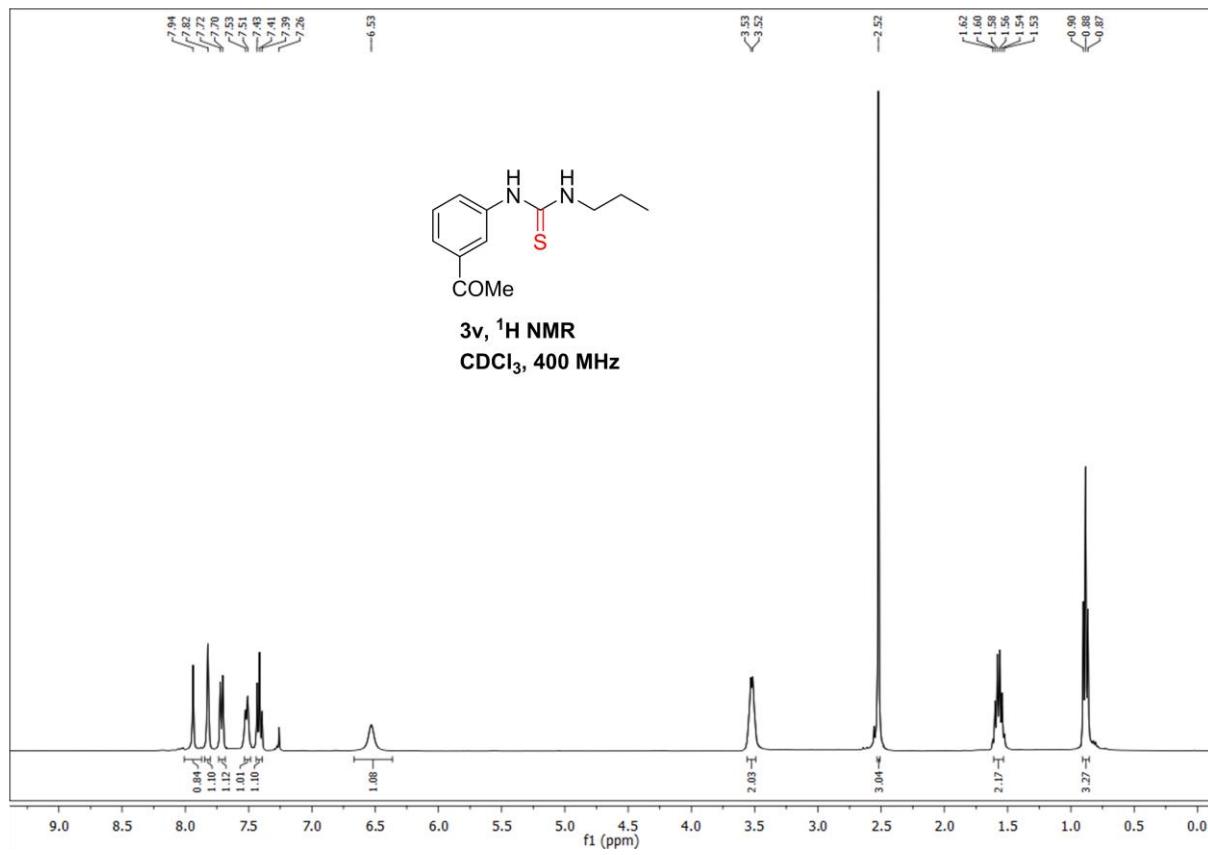
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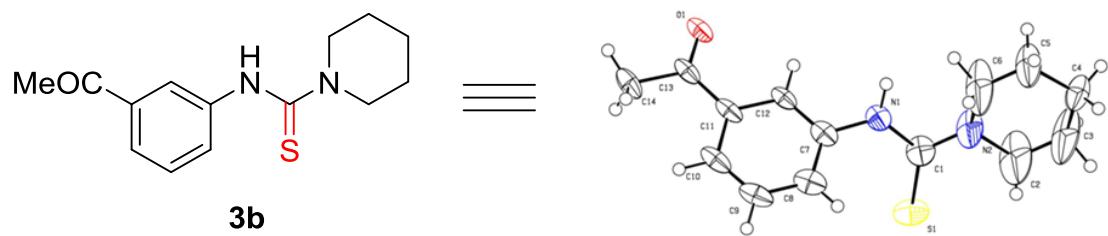






## G. X-ray Crystallography Data

**Figure 1.** ORTEP diagram of the crystal structure of **3b** at 50% probability level



Details of the crystal structure investigation can be obtained from the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre, 12 Union Road, Cambridge, CB2 1EZ, UK.  
(**3b**:CCDC deposition no.1856683)

## Crystallographic data and structural refinement parameters for 3b

Bond precision: C-C = 0.0093 Å Wavelength = 0.71073

Cell: A = 5.5091(7) B = 7.2665(8) C = 16.992(2)  
alpha = 80.823(5) beta = 83.934(4) gamma = 78.863(4)

Temperature: 99 K

	Calculated	Reported
Volume	656.90(14)	656.90(14)
Space group	P -1	P -1
Hall group	-P 1	-P 1
Moiety formula	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>18</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS	
Sum formula	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>18</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>18</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS
Mr	262.36	262.36
Dx,g cm <sup>-3</sup>	1.326	1.326
Z	2	2
Mu (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	0.236	0.236
F000	280.0	280.0
F000'	280.34	
h,k,l max	6,8,20	6,8,20
Nref	2321	2310
T min,T max		
Tmin'		
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