

**Supporting Information**

**Gold(I)-Catalyzed Enantioselective Synthesis of Polycyclic Indoline  
Skeletons and Enantiomerically Enriched  $\beta$ -Substituted  
Tryptamine-Allenes by Kinetic Resolution**

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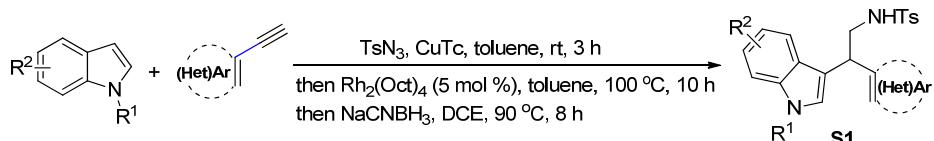
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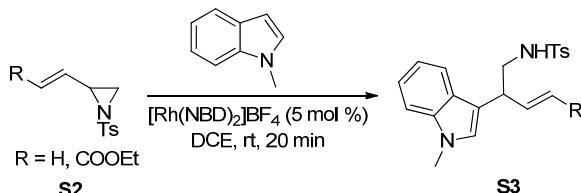
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**1. General remarks.** Organic solvents used were dried by standard methods when necessary. Commercially obtained reagents were used without further purification. Unless otherwise noted, all reaction mixtures were stirred with a magnetic stir bar in flame-dried glassware under argon atmosphere. All the temperatures were referred to the used oil baths. Extracts were dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> or Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and solvents were removed in a rotary evaporator. TLC analysis of reaction mixtures was performed on Huanghai GF<sub>254</sub> silica gel coated plates. Flash column chromatography was performed using 300-400 mesh silica gel (Huanghai GF254) and 250-400 mesh silica gel (Silicycle UltraPure silica gels). MP was obtained with a Yanagimoto micro melting point apparatus and is uncorrected. Infra-red spectra were measured on a spectrometer. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra were recorded for solution in CDCl<sub>3</sub> with tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal standard. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectra were recorded for a solution in CDCl<sub>3</sub> with CFCl<sub>3</sub> as the external reference. *J*-values are in Hz. Mass and HRMS spectra were recorded by ESI method.

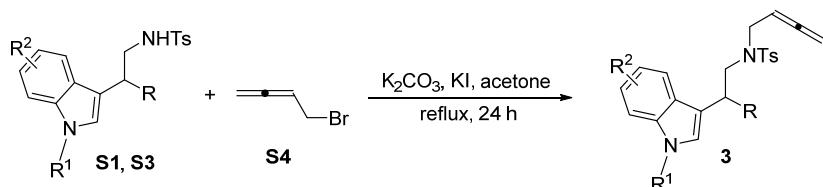
## 2. General procedure for synthesis of **1**.



The compounds **S1** are prepared according to known procedures.<sup>[1]</sup>



The compounds **S2** and **S3** are prepared according to known procedures.<sup>[2]</sup>



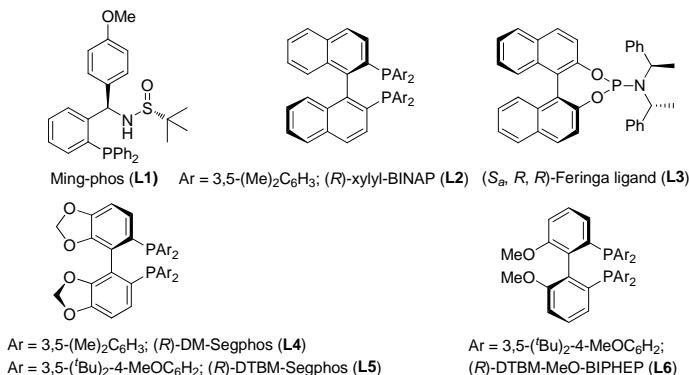
To an oven-dried reaction bottle was sequentially added **S1** or **S3** (4.00 mmol), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (8.00 mmol), KI (0.40 mmol) and **S4** (4.80 mmol) in acetone (20.00 mL). The resulting mixture was stirred under reflux. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, it was cooled to room temperature. The solution was filtered through a short column of silica gel eluting with ethyl acetate, and then the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 15/1) to give the corresponding product **1**.

### 3. Conditions screening for kinetic resolution of racemic indole-allenes 1.

**Table S1** Conditions screening for kinetic resolution of racemic indole-allenes **1**.<sup>a,b,c,d</sup>

entry <sup>a</sup>	Au cat.	solvent	T (°C)	t/h	yield (%) <sup>b</sup>		ee (%) <sup>c</sup>		s-factor <sup>d</sup>
					2a	1a	2a	1a	
1	<b>L1</b> Au(MeCN)SbF <sub>6</sub>	toluene	0	48	0	>99	-	-	-
2	<b>L2</b> (AuSbF <sub>6</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	48	0	>99	-	-	-
3	<b>L3</b> AuSbF <sub>6</sub>	toluene	0	48	<5	95	-	-	-
4	<b>L4</b> (AuSbF <sub>6</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	48	<5	94	-	-	-
5	<b>L5</b> (AuSbF <sub>6</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	48	31	<5	92	-	-
6	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	48	33	40	91	87	10.1
7	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	10	48	30	37	89	82	8.9
8	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	-10	48	30	45	91	65	6.2
9 <sup>e</sup>	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	30	45	45	93	96	32.0
10 <sup>f</sup>	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	0	30	49	45	91	97	35.7
11	<b>L5</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	0	30	16	65	93	73	14.8
12	<b>L6</b> (AuNTf <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	toluene	-10	30	31	46	92	74	9.5

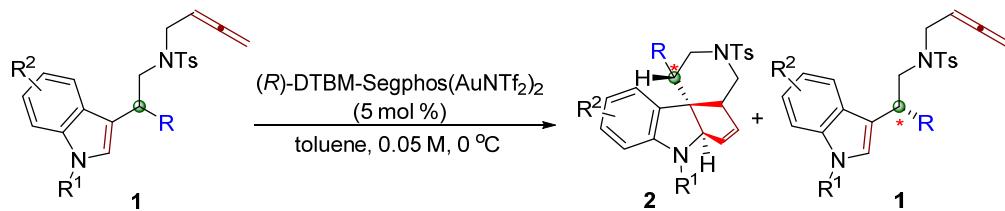
<sup>a</sup> The reaction conditions: 0.1 M in solvent. <sup>b</sup> The yield was determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectroscopic data using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as an internal standard. <sup>c</sup> Determined by HPLC on a chiral stationary phase. <sup>d</sup> Selectivity (s-factor) calculated as  $s = \ln[(1-C)(1-eeSM)]/\ln[(1-C)(1+eeSM)]$ . <sup>e</sup> 4 Å MS (50 mg) was added. <sup>f</sup> 0.05 M.



Our studies were initiated by examining the reactivity of racemic indole-allene **1a** in the presence of a series of gold complexes derived from chiral ligands **L1-L6** (Table S1). It was found that, chiral phosphine ligands **L1** and **L2** coordinated gold catalysts had no catalytic activities for the reaction (entries 1-2). When Feringa phosphoramidite-based ligand (**L3**) and biaryl bisphosphine ligand (*R*)-DM-Segphos (**L4**) incorporated gold catalyst were employed, only trace of cyclization product **2a** was detected by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis (entries 3-4). Further examination of chiral phosphine ligands revealed that sterically more demanding (*R*)-DTBM-Segphos (**L5**) furnished **2a** in 31% yield along with 92% ee value at 0 °C (entry 5). Next, we investigated the counterion effect by pre-preparing cationic gold catalysts and found

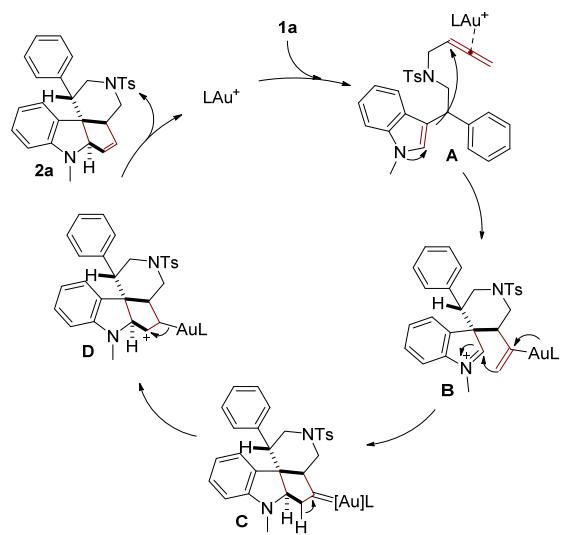
that NTf<sub>2</sub> was the better counterion, giving the cycloadduct **2a** in 33% yield along with 91% ee and enantiomerically enriched **1a** in 40% yield along with 87% ee (*s*-factor = 10.1) at 0 °C (entry 6). The reaction conditions with regard to temperature and concentration were then examined. We found that when 4Å molecular sieves (50 mg) was added into the reaction mixture or concentration of the reaction solution was decreased to 0.05 M in toluene, the *s*-factor could be dramatically improved to 32.0 or 35.7 at 0 °C (entries 7-10). Carrying out the reaction in DCM or using (*R*)-DTBM-MeO-BIPHEP(AuNTf<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (**L6**) as the catalyst did not further enhance the kinetic resolution efficiency (entries 11-12). The optimal conditions shown in entry 10 of Table S1 could afford **2a** in 49% yield and 91% ee as well as **1a** in 45% yield and 97% ee along with a *s*-factor of 35.7. This synthetic strategy could provide a convenient and highly efficient method to prepare diversified enantiomerically enriched polycyclic indolines and  $\beta$ -substituted tryptamine-allene motifs.

**4. General procedure for the gold(I)-catalyzed kinetic resolution of racemic indole-allenes 1.**



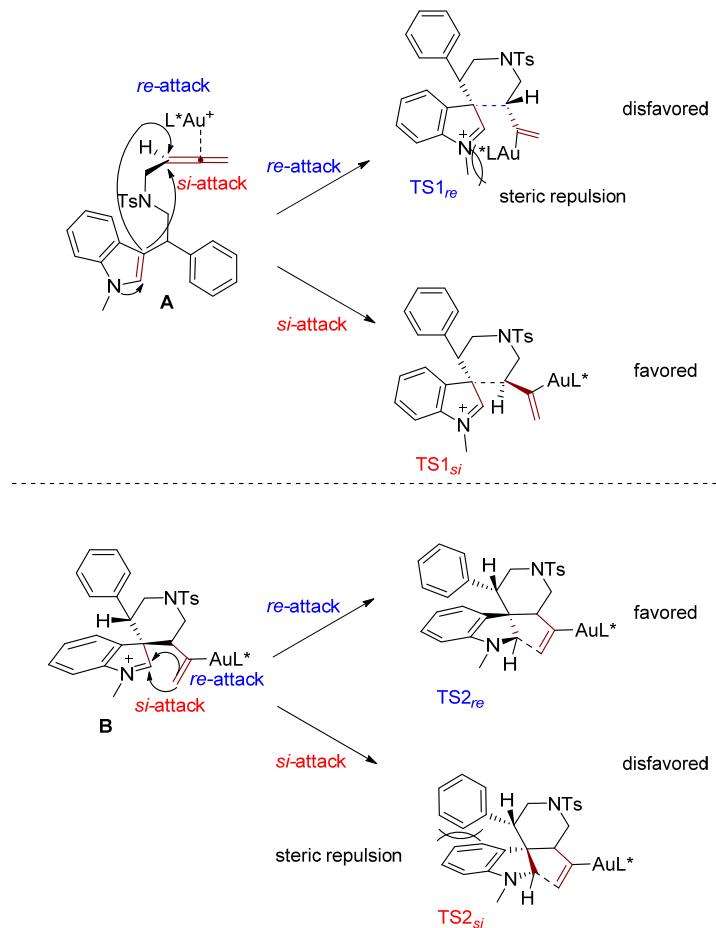
To a flame dried Schlenk tube was added unsymmetrical indole-allene **1** (0.1 mmol), (*R*)-DTBMSegphos(AuNTf<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (5.0 mol %) and the tube was evacuated and backfilled with argon for three times. Then, anhydrous toluene (2.0 mL) was added into tube under argon atmosphere. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 0 °C. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by a flash column chromatography on silica gel to give the enantiomerically enriched compound **1** and desired product **2**.

## 5. Proposed reaction mechanism.



**Figure S1** Proposed reaction mechanism.

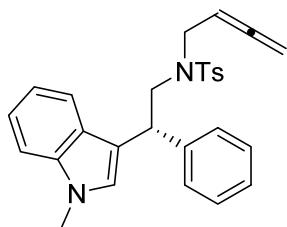
A plausible reaction mechanism for this gold(I)-catalyzed tandem intramolecular cyclization is outlined in Figure S1 on the basis of the previous literature. Coordination of gold(I) complex with allene moiety in **1a** generates intermediate **A**, which then initiates a nucleophilic attack from C3 position of indole to allene moiety, resulting in the cyclized intermediate **B**. Intermediate **B** undergoes a further intramolecular cyclization to give a Au-carbenoid intermediate **C**, which follows a 1,2-hydrogen migration to afford intermediate **D**. The release of gold(I) catalyst produces the cycloaddition product **2a** and restarts the next catalytic cycle.



**Figure S2** Proposed key transition states for stereochemical control.

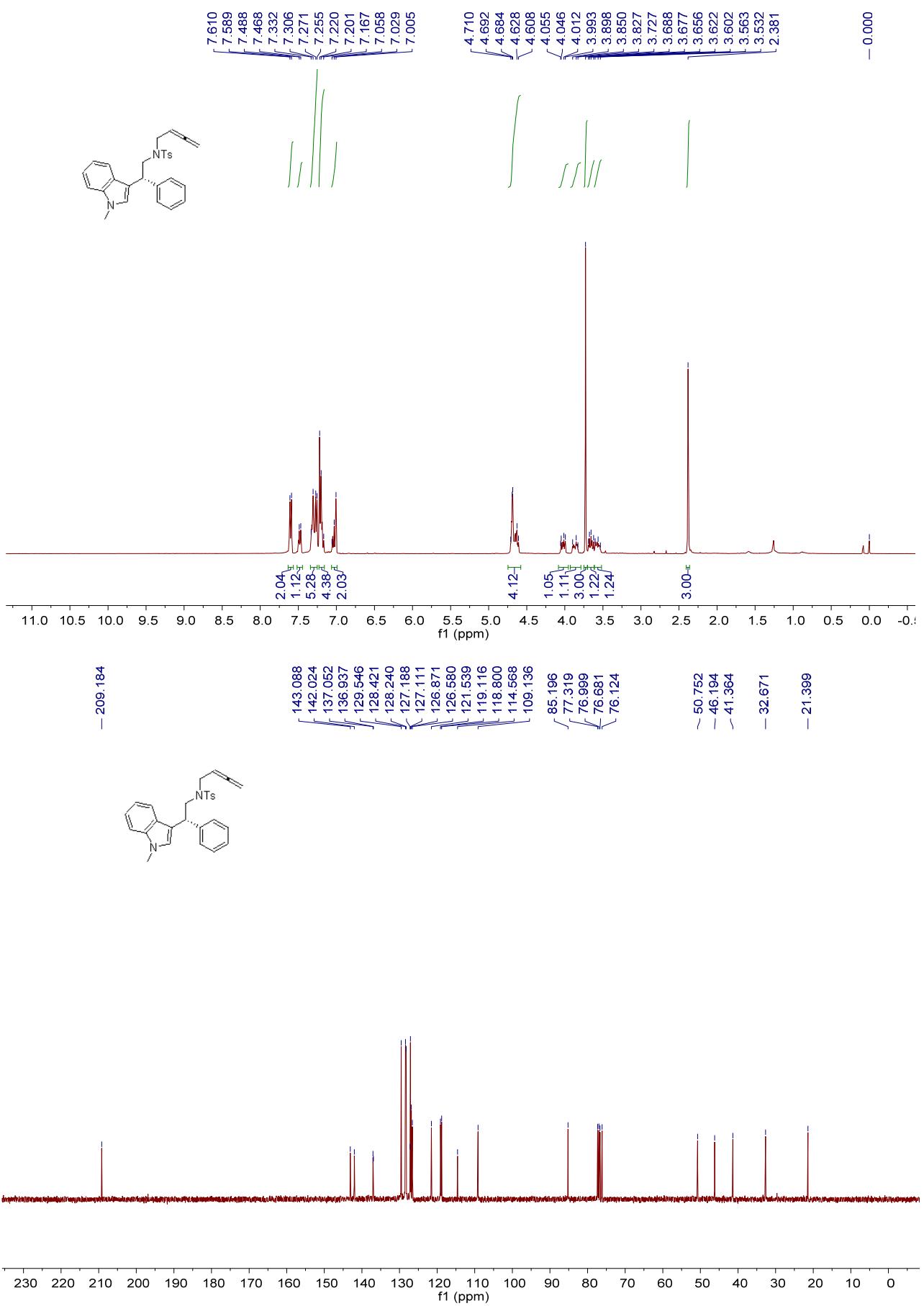
Proposed key transition states for the stereochemical control are illustrated in Figure S2. The intermediate **A** can undergo a nucleophilic attack from C3 position of indole to allene moiety via *re*-face or *si*-face to generate intermediate **B**. Probably due to the steric repulsion between the benzene ring moiety and chiral phosphine ligand ( $\text{TS1}_{\text{re}}$ ), the *si*-face attack is preferred in this step. Subsequently, the olefinic moiety of intermediate **B** attacks the C2 position of indole via *re*-face or *si*-face to form intermediate **C**. In this step, *re*-face attack is probably the dominated pathway since the *si*-face attack is disfavored due to the steric repulsion between the benzene ring and indole moiety ( $\text{TS2}_{\text{si}}$ ).

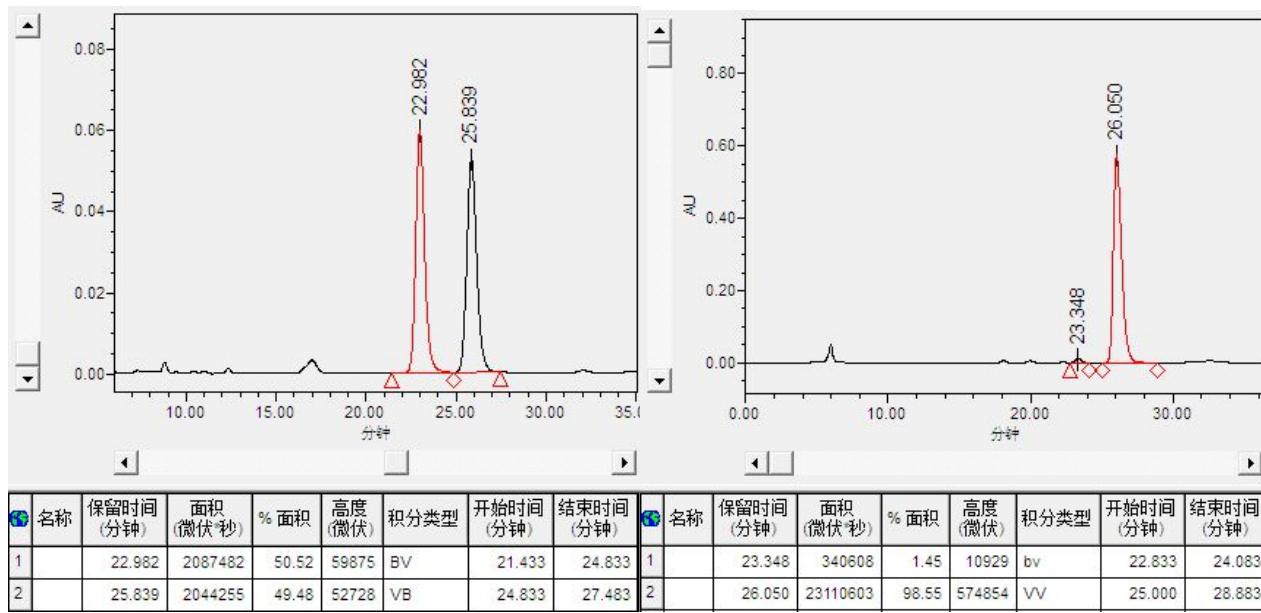
## 6. Characterization and spectra charts for compounds 1.



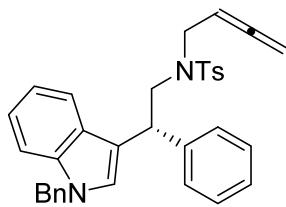
### (*R*)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-*N*-(2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)benzenesulfonamide 1a

A white solid, 45% yield (20.5 mg). M.p.: 53-56 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.38 (s, 3H), 3.53-3.61 (m, 1H), 3.62-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.82-3.90 (m, 1H), 3.99-4.06 (m, 1H), 4.60-4.71 (m, 4H), 7.00-7.06 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.22 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.34 (m, 5H), 7.47 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.4, 32.7, 41.4, 46.2, 50.8, 76.1, 85.2, 109.1, 114.6, 118.8, 119.1, 121.5, 126.6, 126.9, 127.1, 127.2, 128.2, 128.4, 129.5, 136.9, 137.1, 142.0, 143.1, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 1949, 1599, 1474, 1334, 1160, 1093, 1010, 903, 858, 750, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 457.19 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 457.1944, found: 457.1941. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 86/14; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 23.35$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 26.05$  min; ee% = 97%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -23.0$  (c 0.70,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



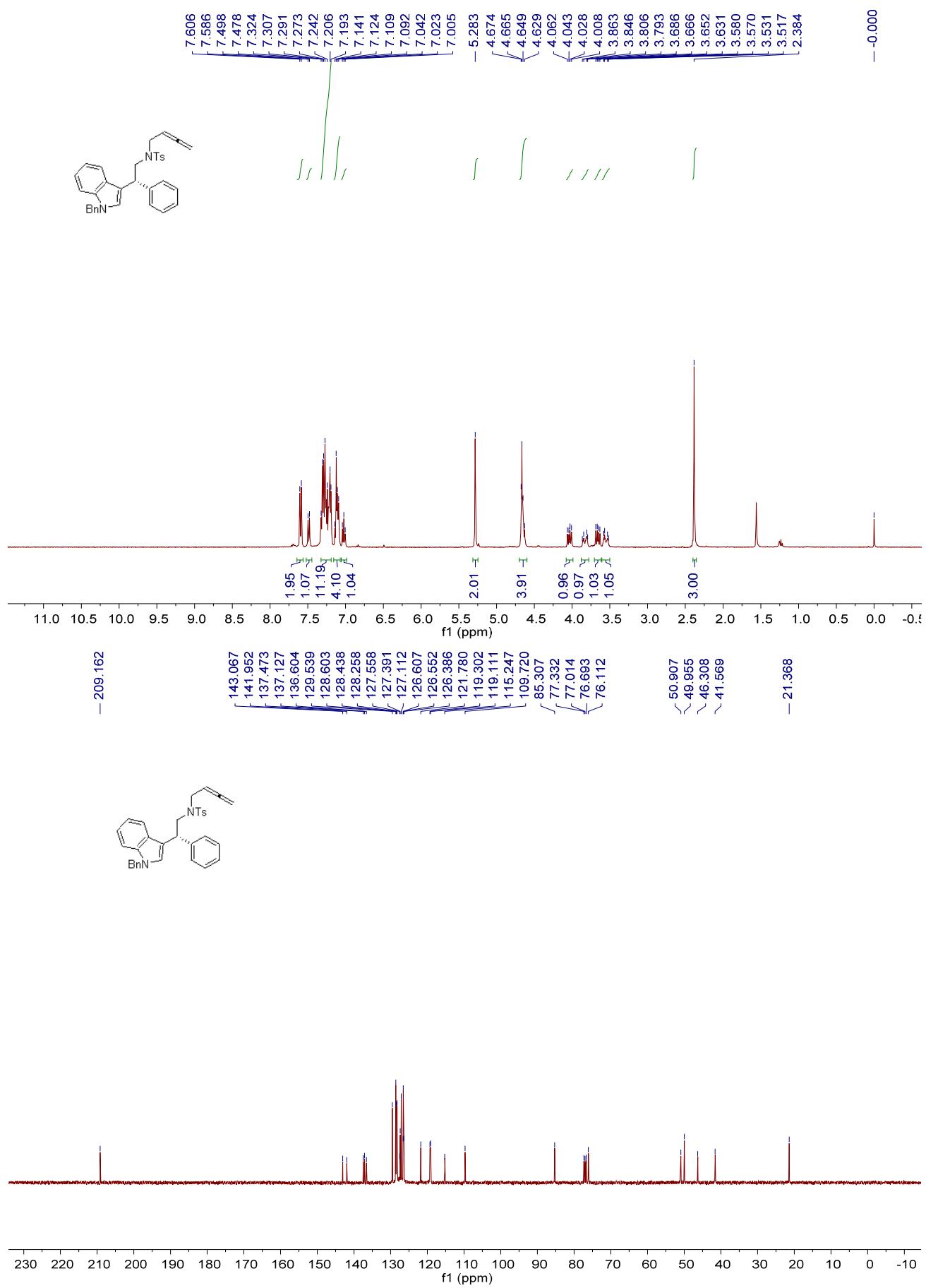


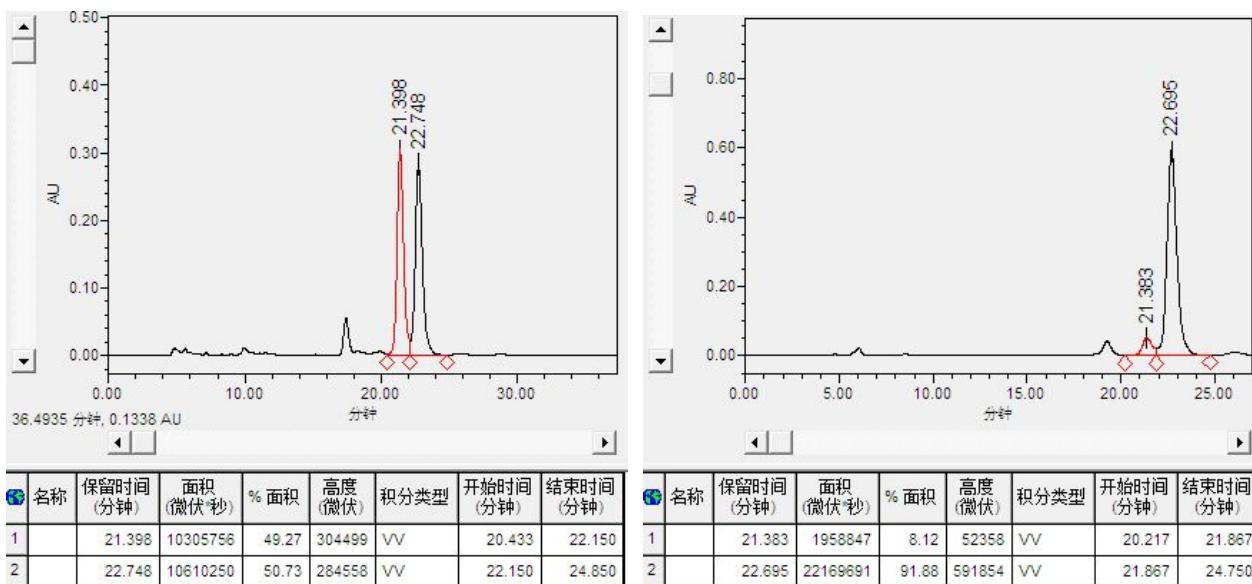
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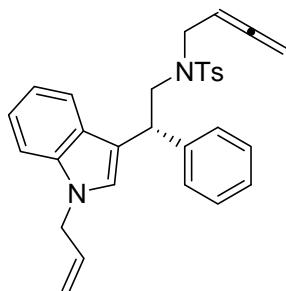
### (*R*)-*N*-(2-(1-benzyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1b**

A white solid, 48% yield (25.5 mg). M.p.: 65-68 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.38 (s, 3H), 3.51-3.58 (m, 1H), 3.66 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.79-3.87 (m, 1H), 4.03 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.62-4.68 (m, 4H), 5.28 (s, 2H), 7.00-7.05 (m, 1H), 7.09-7.15 (m, 4H), 7.19-7.33 (m, 11H), 7.48 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.4, 41.6, 46.3, 50.0, 50.9, 76.1, 85.3, 109.7, 115.2, 119.1, 119.3, 121.8, 126.4, 126.5, 126.6, 127.1, 127.4, 127.6, 128.3, 128.4, 128.6, 129.5, 136.6, 137.1, 137.5, 142.0, 143.1, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3028, 2918, 2850, 1952, 1598, 1466, 1331, 1155, 1092, 936, 897, 846, 738, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 533.22 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 533.2257, found: 533.2253. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 86/14; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.38$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 22.70$  min; ee% = 84%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -68.5$  (c 0.16,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





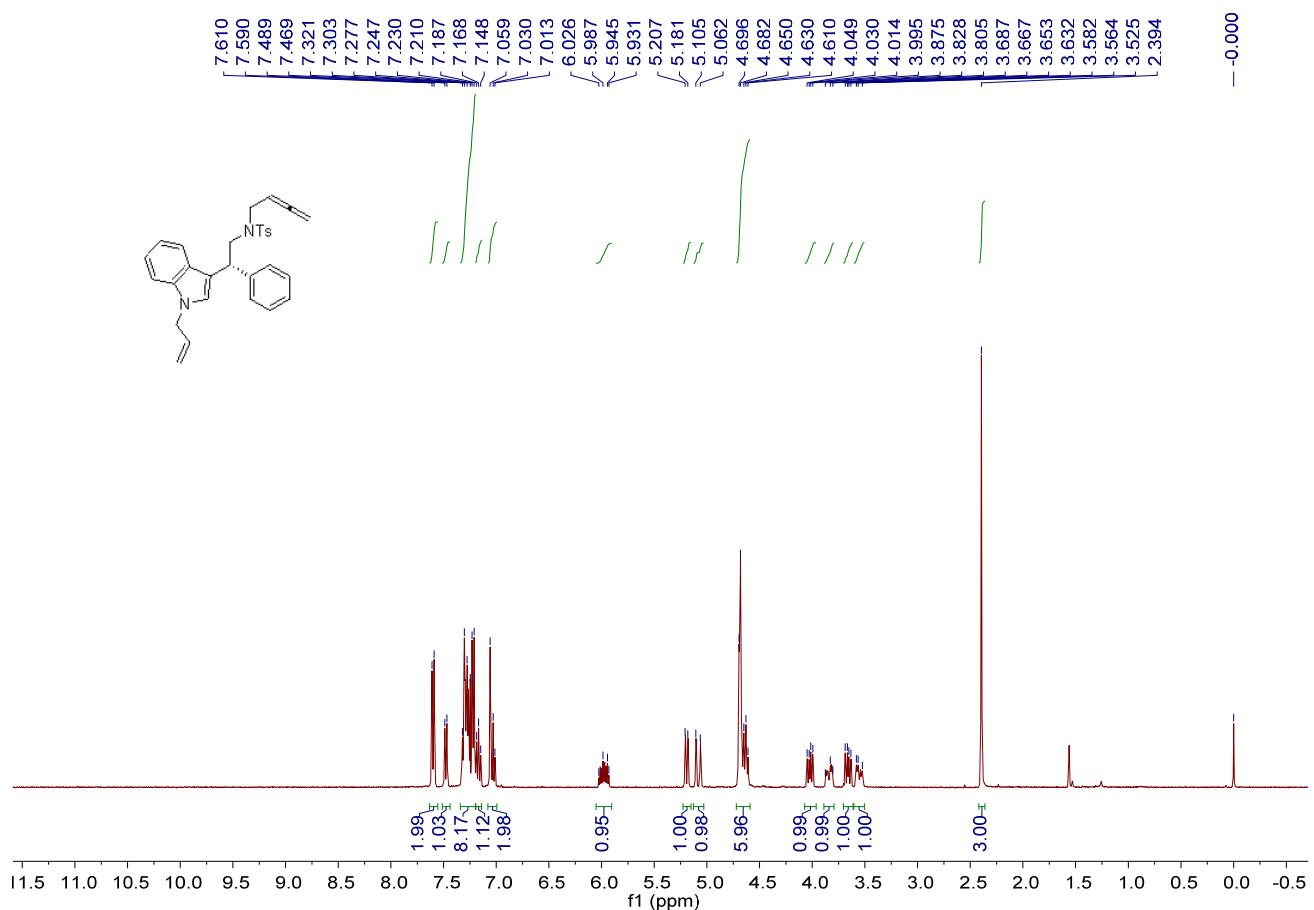
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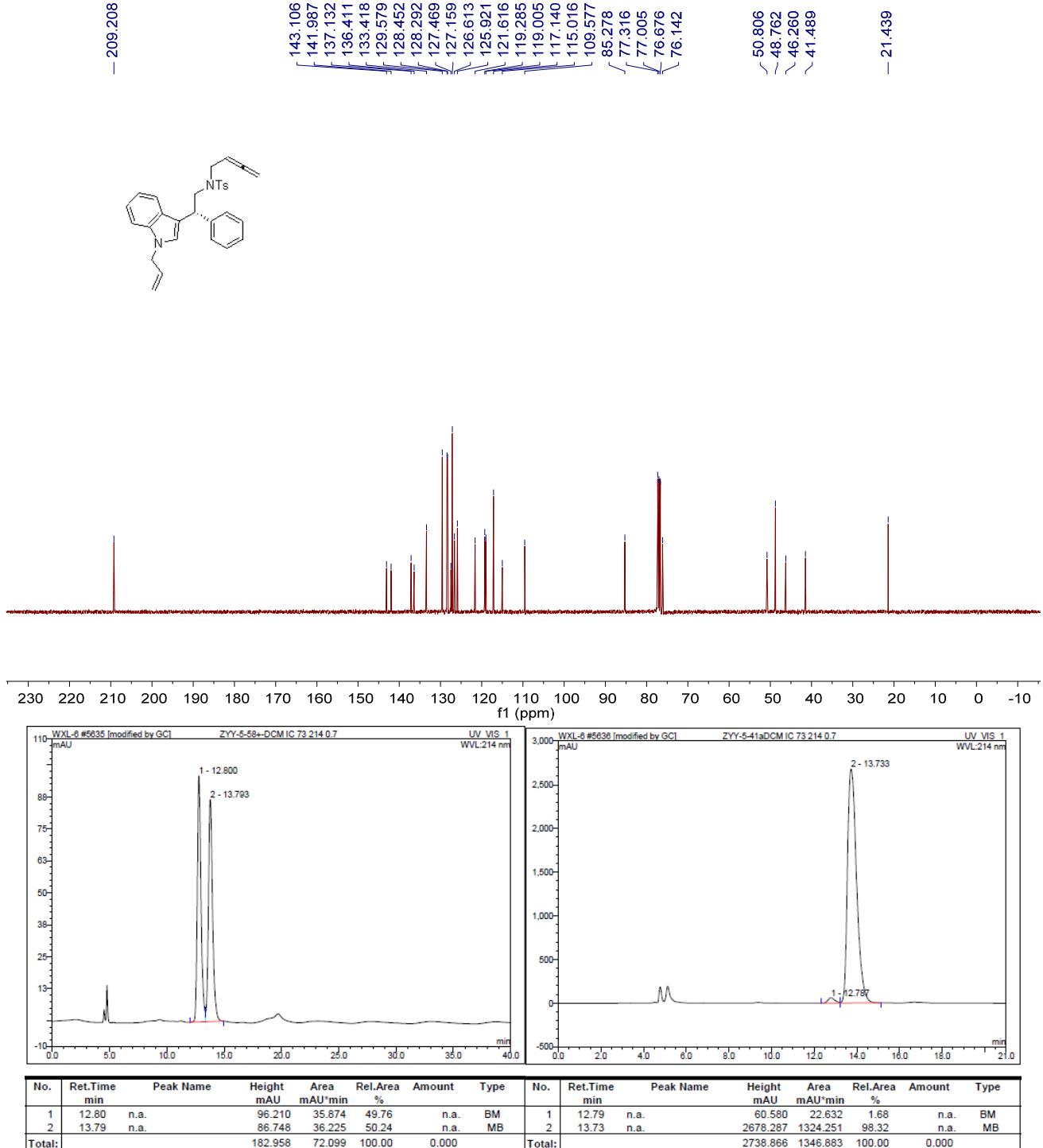


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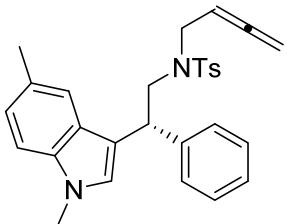
A white solid, 46% yield (22.2 mg). M.p.: 60-63 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.39 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.59 (m, 1H), 3.63-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.80-3.88 (m, 1H), 3.99-4.05 (m, 1H), 4.61-4.70 (m, 6H), 5.08 (d,  $J = 17.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.19 (d,  $J = 10.4$  Hz, 1H), 5.93-6.03 (m, 1H), 7.01-7.06 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.19 (m, 1H), 7.21-7.33 (m, 8H), 7.48 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.4, 41.5, 46.3, 48.8, 50.8, 76.1, 85.3, 109.6, 115.0, 117.1, 119.0, 119.3, 121.6, 125.9, 126.6, 127.2, 127.5, 128.3, 128.5, 129.6, 133.4, 136.4, 137.1, 142.0, 143.1, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3064, 2902, 1960, 1595, 1462, 1330, 1154, 1089, 858, 741, 673  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 483.21 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 483.2101, found: 483.2102. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.78$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 13.73$  min; ee% =

97%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -78.0$  ( $c\ 0.10$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ]).



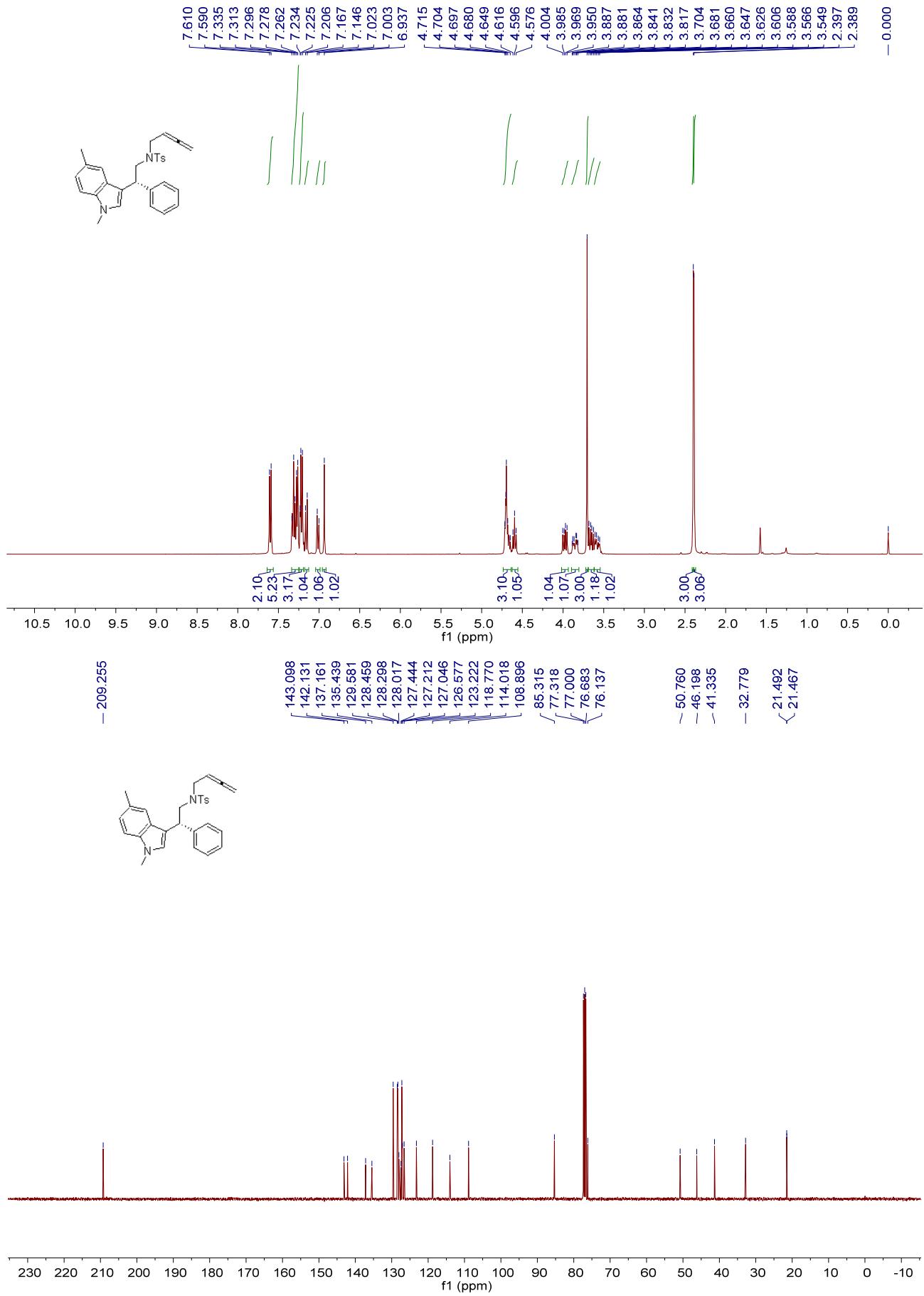


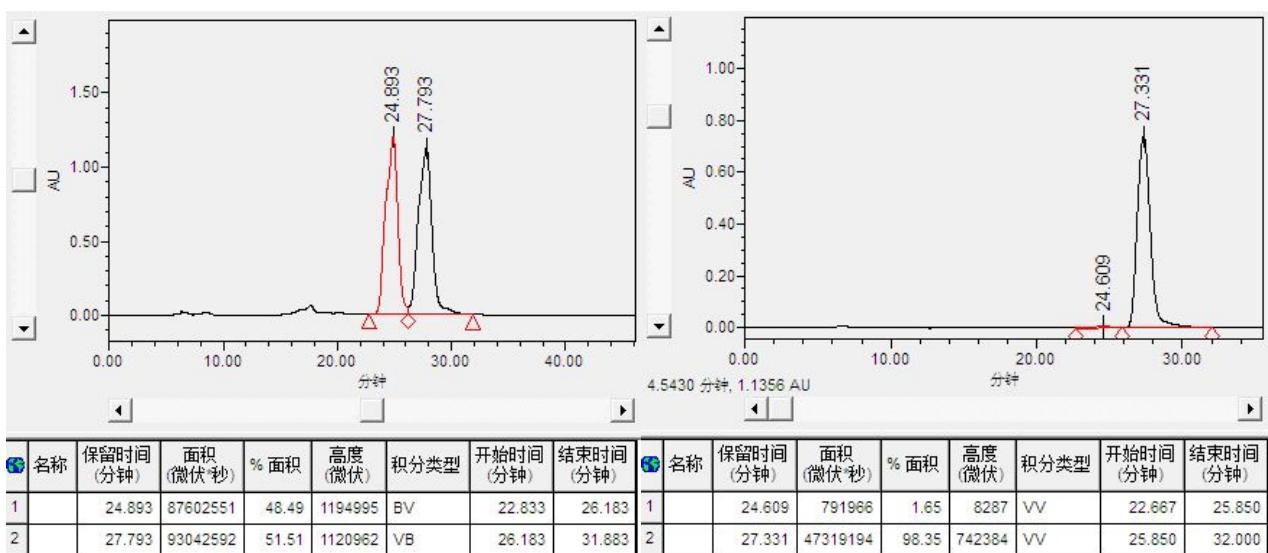
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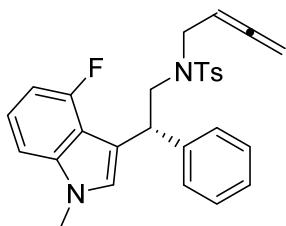
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A white solid, 48% yield (22.5 mg). M.p.: 83-86 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.39 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 3.54-3.61 (m, 1H), 3.65 (dd,  $J$  = 13.6, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.81-3.89 (m, 1H), 3.97 (dd,  $J$  = 14.0, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.64-4.72 (m, 3H), 6.94 (s, 1H), 7.01 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.15 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.20-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.34 (m, 5H), 7.60 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.47, 21.49, 32.8, 41.3, 46.2, 50.8, 76.1, 85.3, 108.9, 114.0, 118.8, 123.2, 126.6, 127.0, 127.2, 127.4, 128.0, 128.3, 128.5, 129.6, 135.4, 137.2, 142.1, 143.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2921, 2850, 1698, 1608, 1510, 1450, 1335, 1273, 1159, 1015, 941, 769, 656  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2097. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 254 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.50 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 24.61 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 27.33 min; ee% = 96%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -25.0$  (c 0.20,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





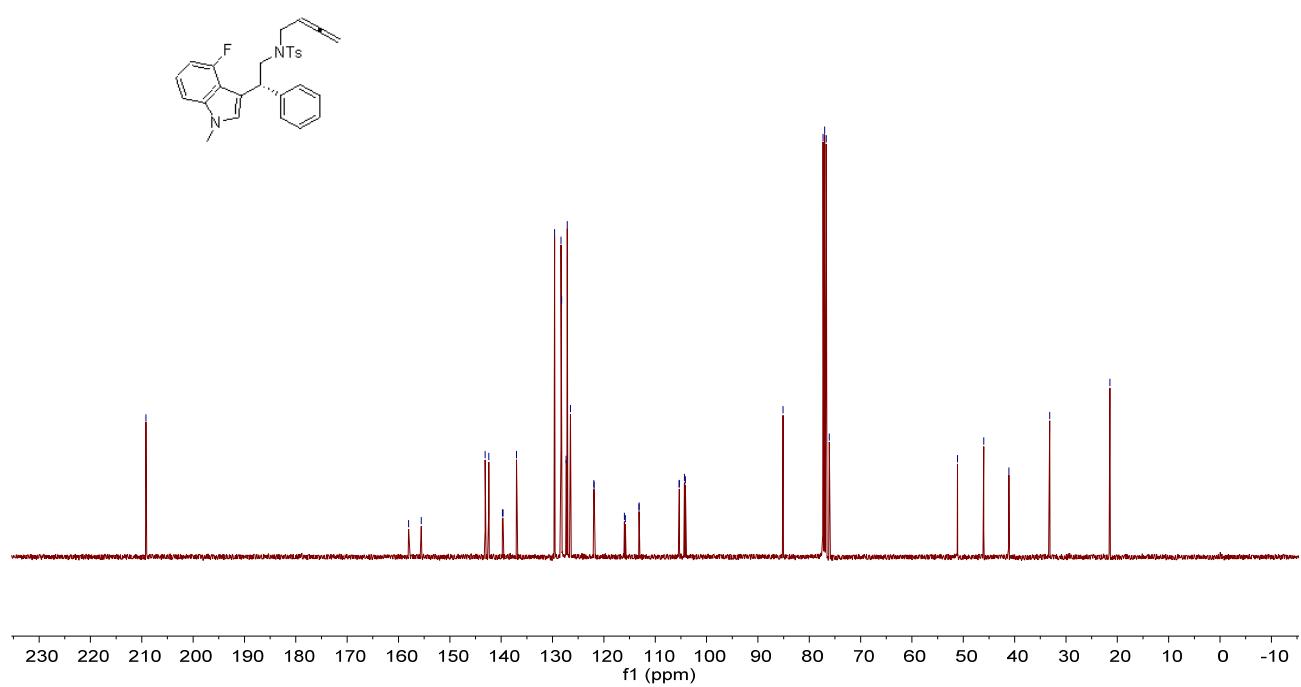
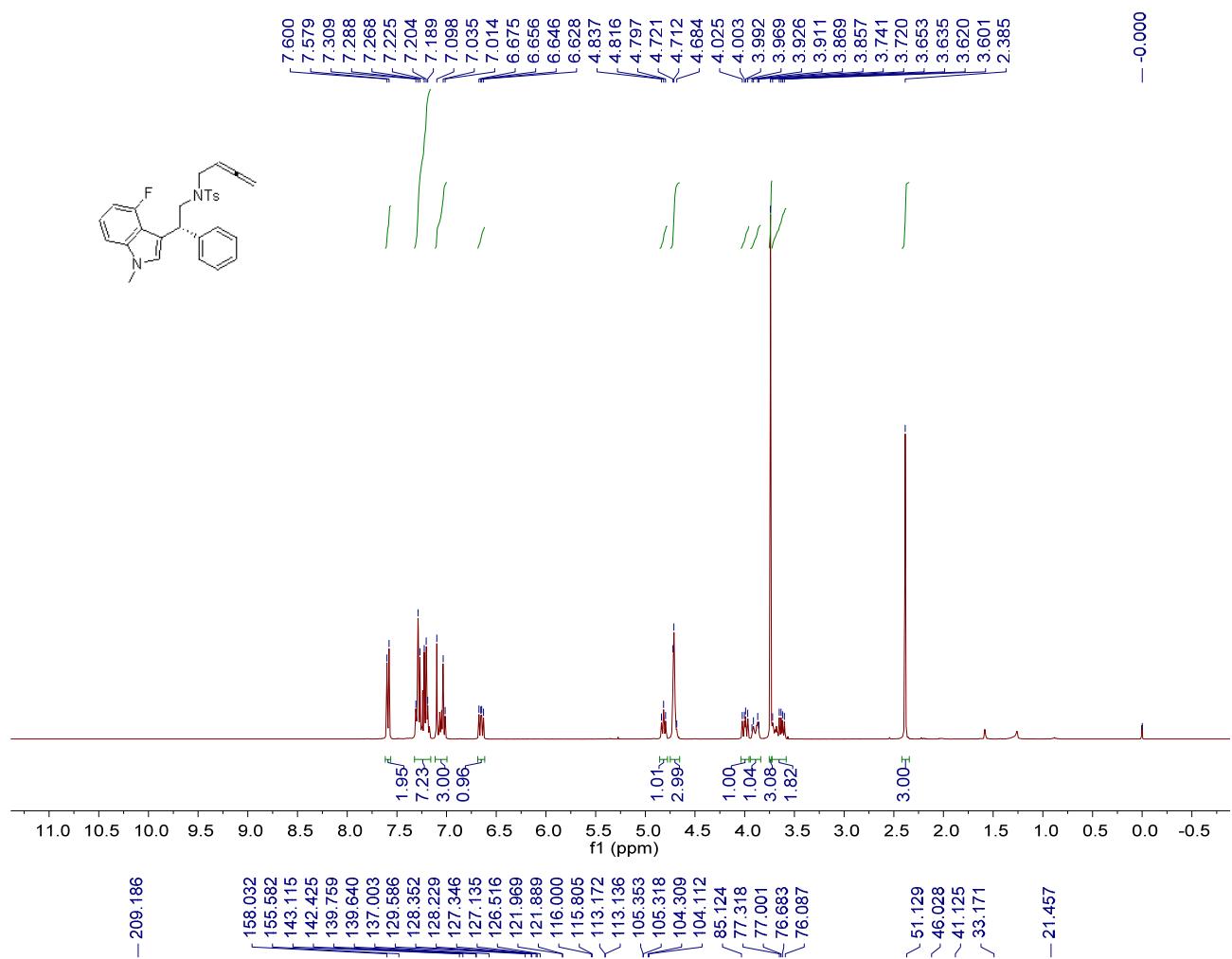
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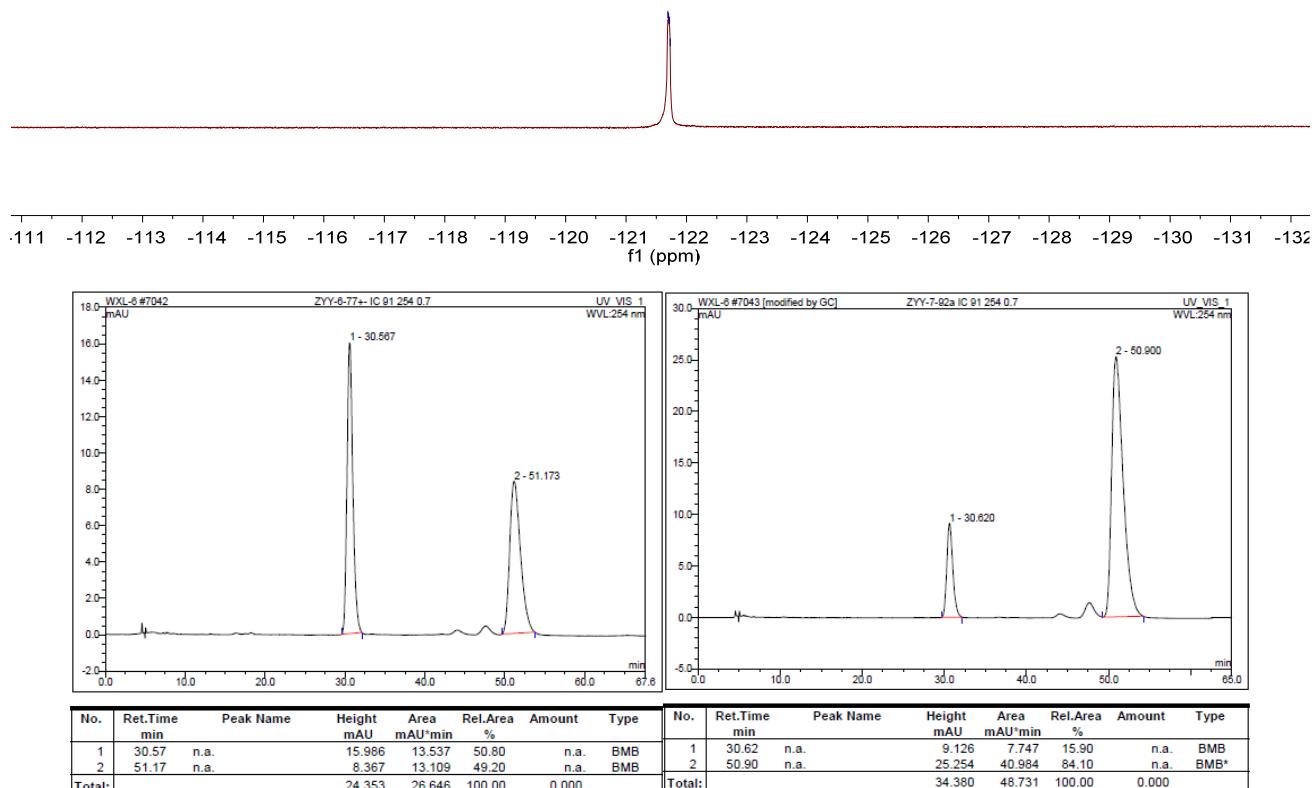
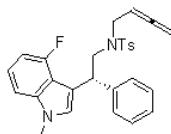


### **(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(2-(4-fluoro-1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide 1e**

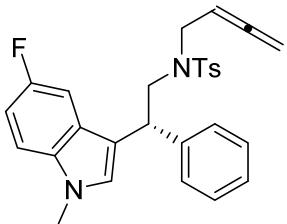
A white solid, 50% yield (23.8 mg). M.p.: 117-120 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.39 (s, 3H), 3.60-3.72 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.85-3.93 (m, 1H), 4.00 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.68-4.73 (m, 3H), 4.82 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.62-6.68 (m, 1H), 7.01-7.10 (m, 3H), 7.18-7.31 (m, 7H), 7.59 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 33.2, 41.1, 46.0, 51.1, 76.1, 85.1, 104.2 (d,  $J = 19.7$  Hz), 105.3 (d,  $J = 3.5$  Hz), 113.1 (d,  $J = 3.6$  Hz), 115.9 (d,  $J = 19.5$  Hz), 121.9 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 126.5, 127.1, 127.3, 128.2, 128.4, 129.6, 137.0, 139.7 (d,  $J = 11.9$  Hz), 142.4, 143.1, 156.8 (d,  $J = 245.0$  Hz), 209.2.  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -121.7. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2914, 2861, 1956, 1627, 1498, 1331, 1236, 1152, 1091, 984, 844, 771, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1844. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 30.62$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 50.90$  min; ee% =

68%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -47.1$  ( $c\ 0.08$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ]).



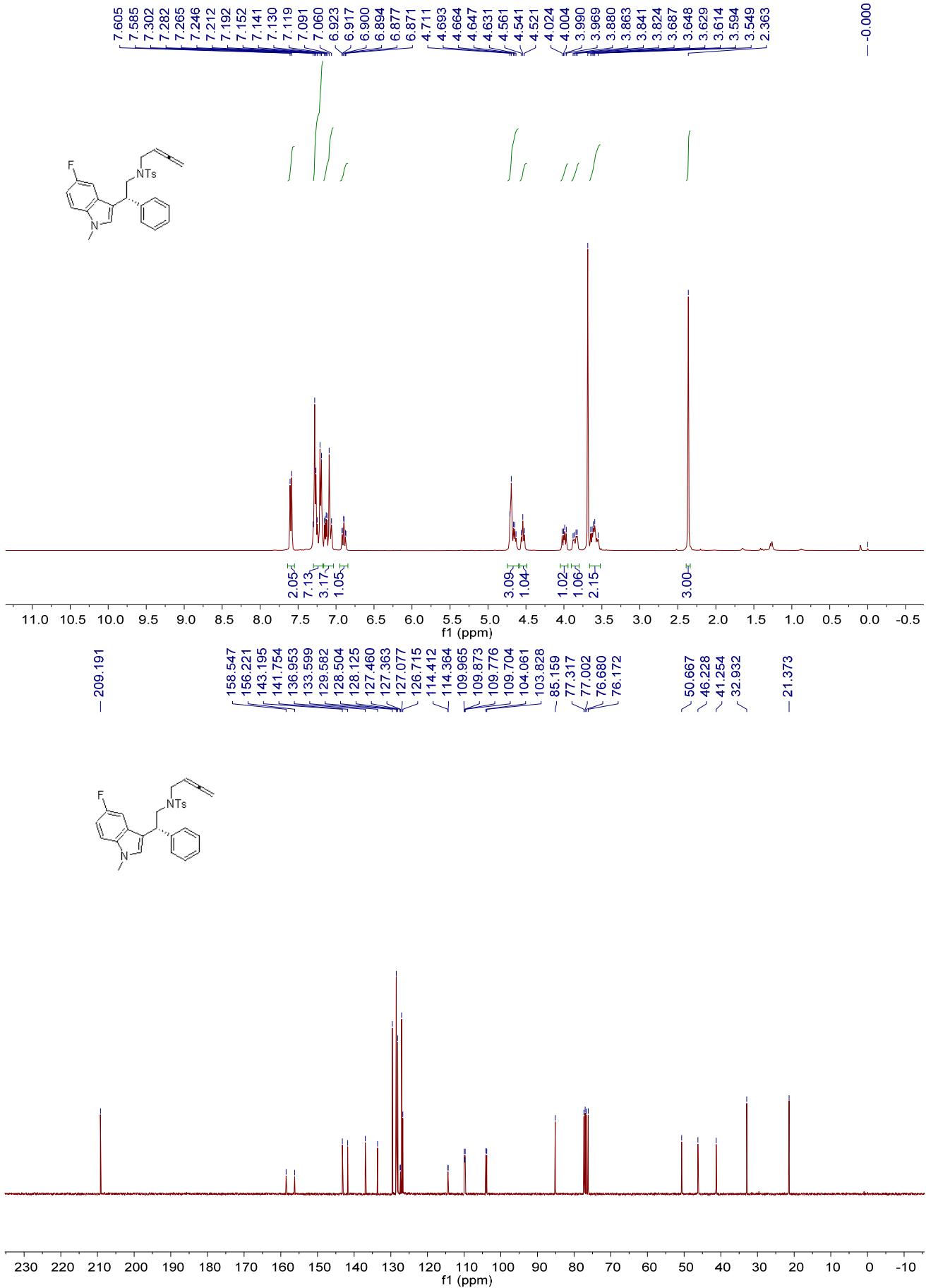


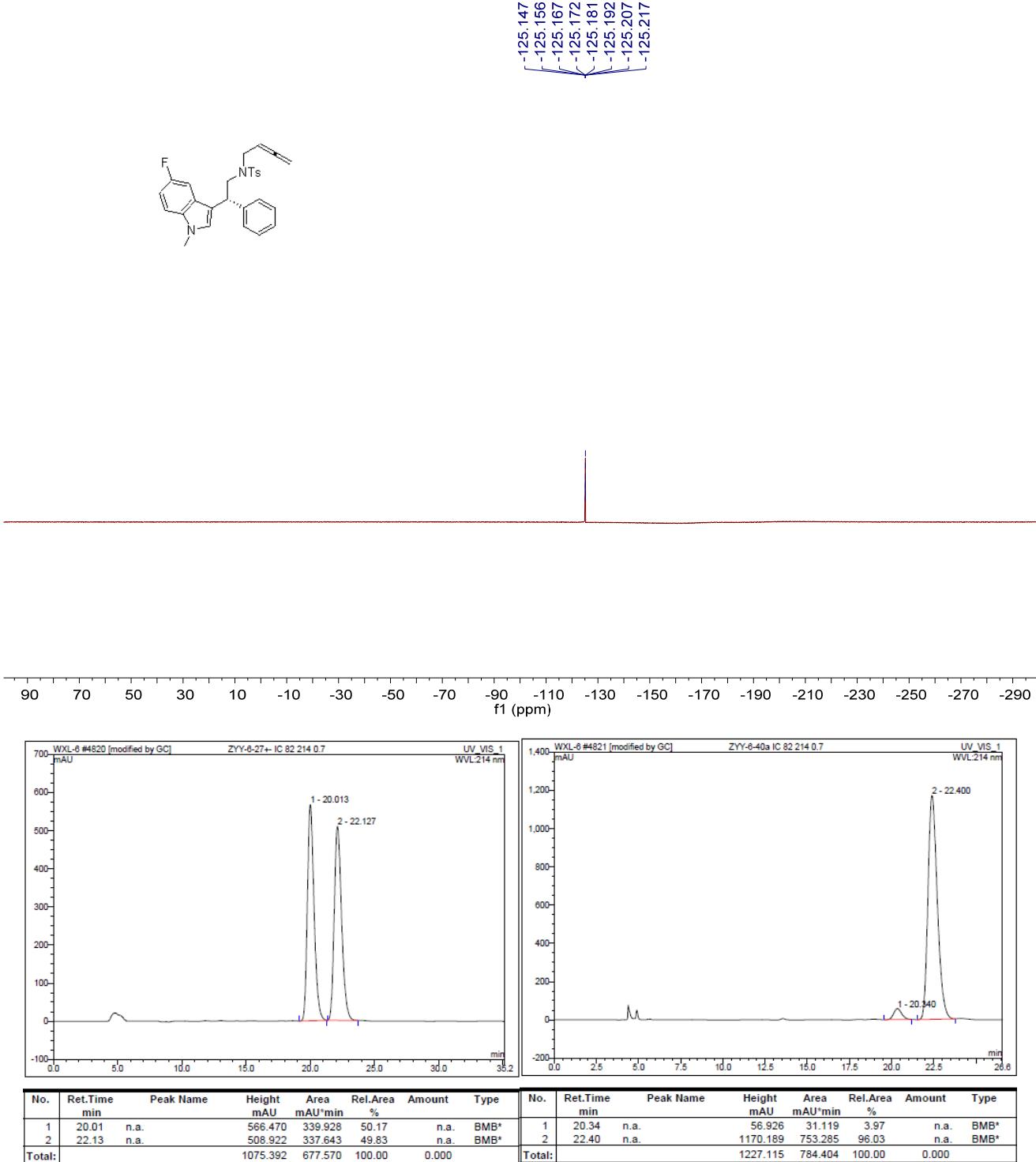
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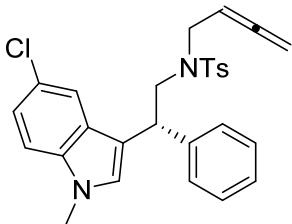
**(*R*)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-*N*-(2-(5-fluoro-1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1f****

A white solid, 46% yield (21.8 mg). M.p.: 104-107 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.36 (s, 3H), 3.54-3.65 (m, 2H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.82-3.88 (m, 1H), 4.00 (dd,  $J$  = 13.6, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.63-4.72 (m, 3H), 6.87-6.93 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.16 (m, 3H), 7.19-7.31 (m, 7H), 7.59 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.4, 32.9, 41.3, 46.2, 50.7, 76.2, 85.2, 103.9 (d,  $J$  = 23.9 Hz), 109.7, 109.8, 109.9, 110.0, 114.4 (d,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz), 126.7, 127.1, 127.4 (d,  $J$  = 9.7 Hz), 128.1, 128.5, 129.6, 133.6, 137.0, 141.8, 143.2, 157.4 (d,  $J$  = 232.6 Hz), 209.2.  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -125.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3034, 1954, 1597, 1489, 1339, 1157, 1098, 953, 848, 770, 661  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1846. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 214 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 20.34 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 22.40 min; ee% = 92%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -162.5$  (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



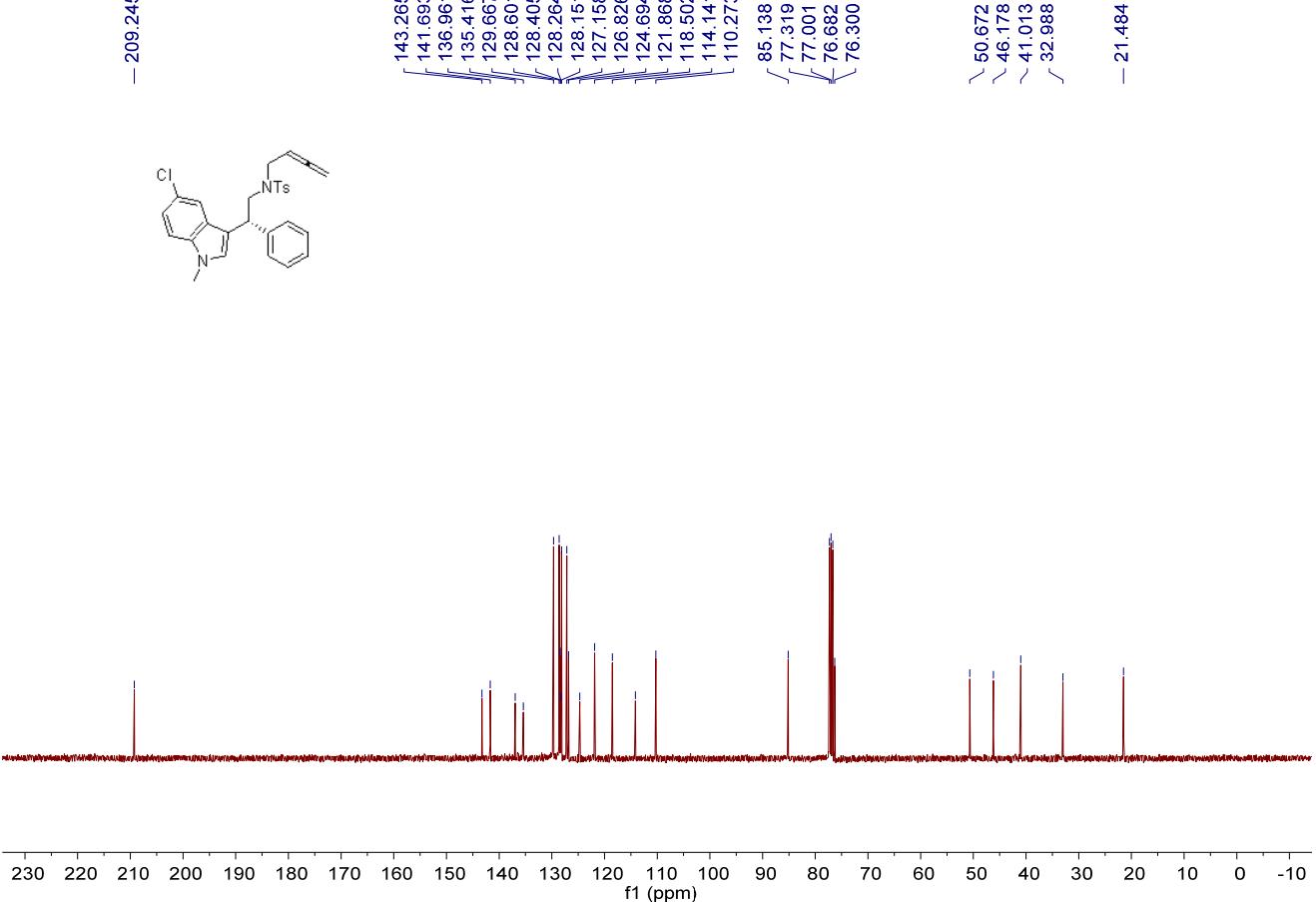
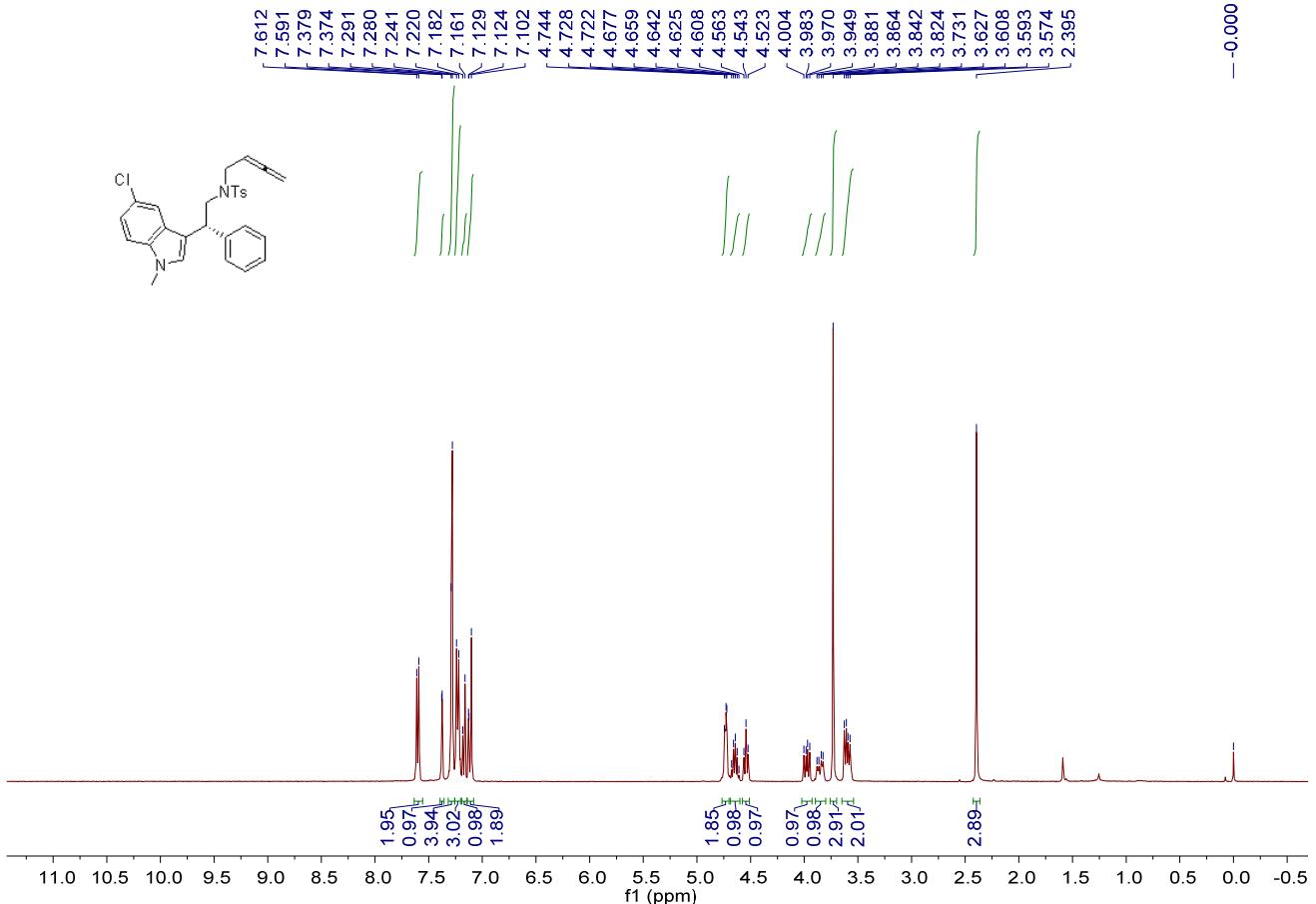


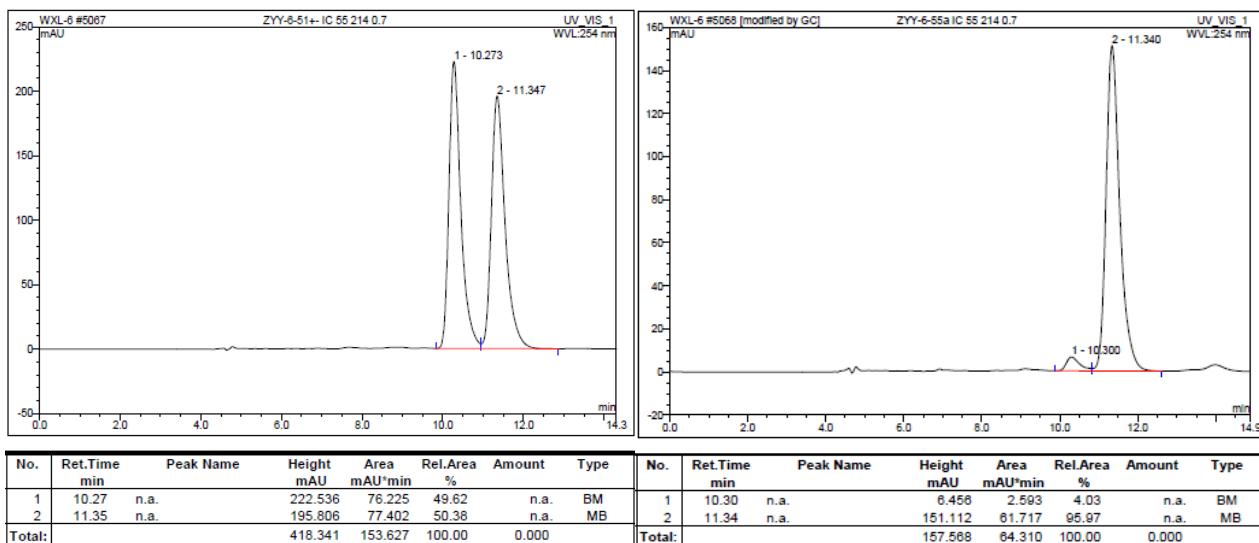
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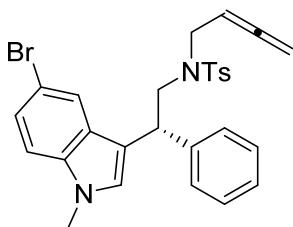
**(*R*)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-*N*-(2-(5-chloro-1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1g****

A white solid, 46% yield (22.5 mg). M.p.: 112-115 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.57-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.82-3.89 (m, 1H), 3.98 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.54 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.60-4.68 (m, 1H), 4.72-4.75 (m, 2H), 7.10-7.13 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.19 (m, 1H), 7.22-7.25 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.37 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 33.0, 41.0, 46.2, 50.7, 76.3, 85.1, 110.3, 114.1, 118.5, 121.9, 124.7, 126.8, 127.2, 128.2, 128.3, 128.4, 128.6, 129.7, 135.4, 137.0, 141.7, 143.3, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3028, 2922, 1953, 1598, 1478, 1336, 1155, 1091, 941, 852, 795, 701, 656  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 491.15 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{ClS}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 491.1555, found: 491.1552. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 50/50; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 10.30$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 11.34$  min; ee% = 92%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 37.33$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



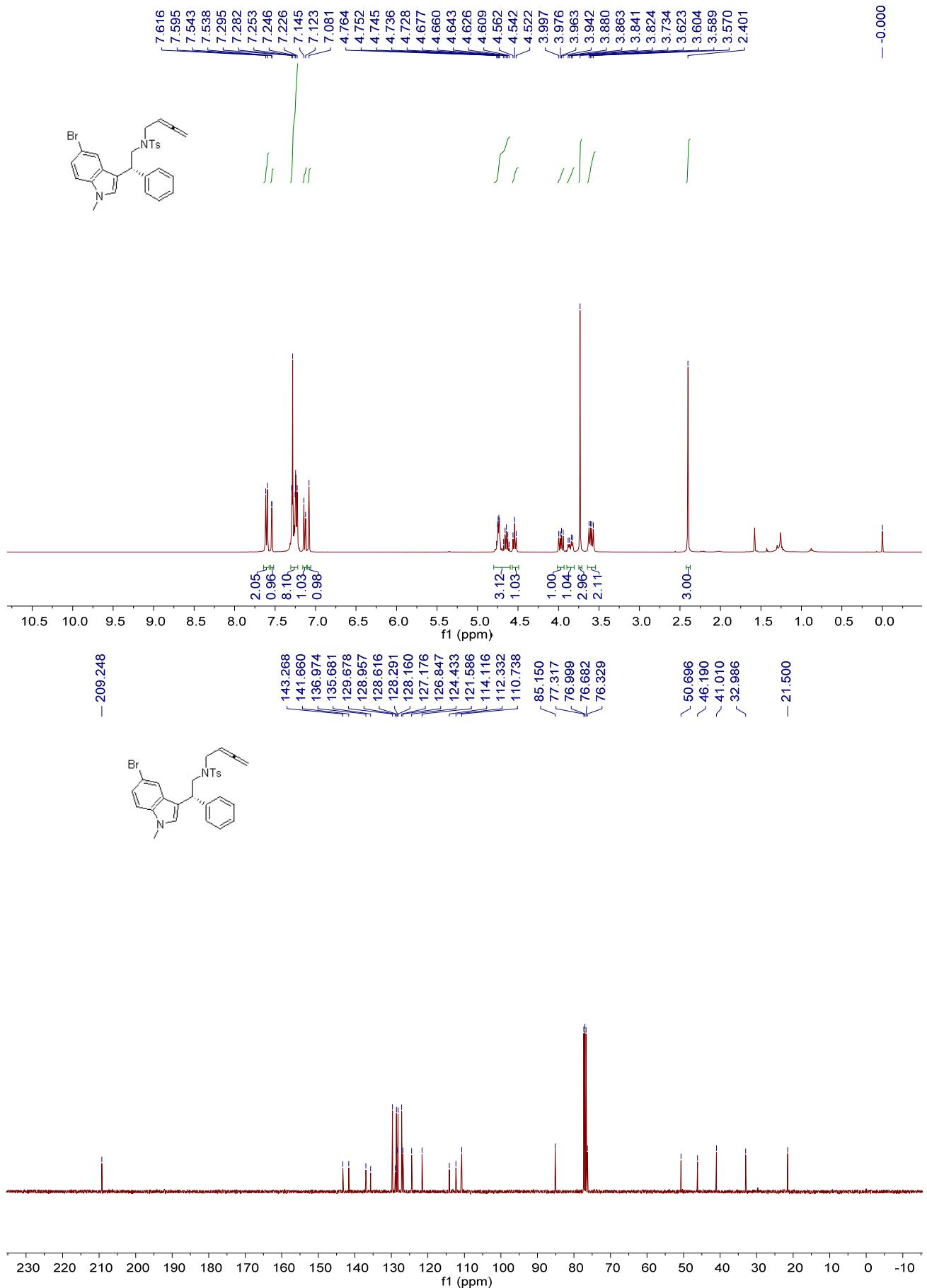


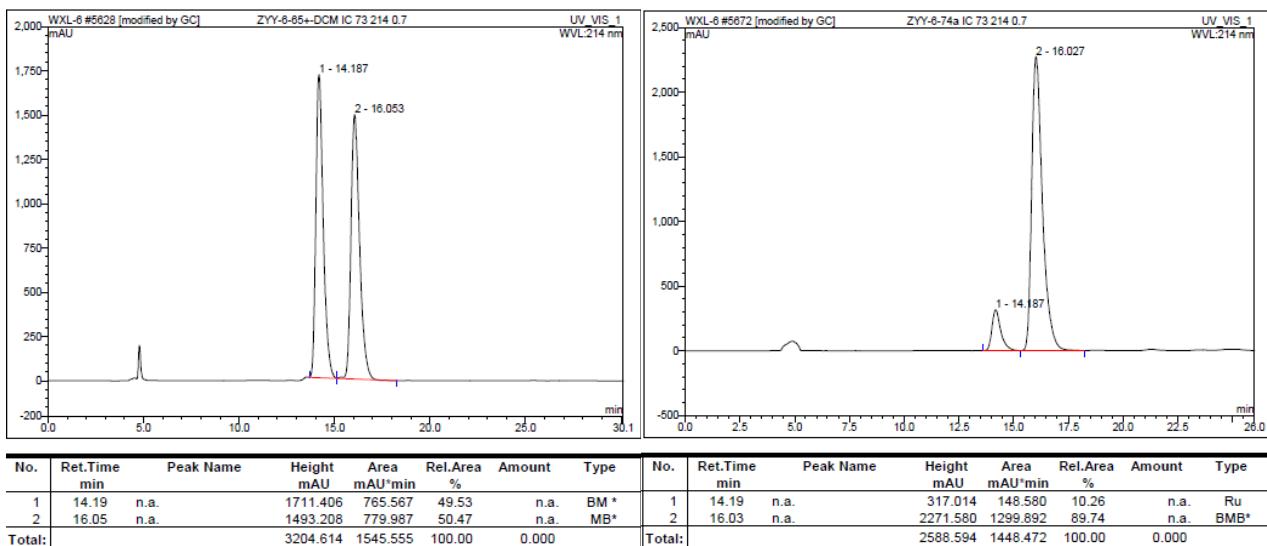
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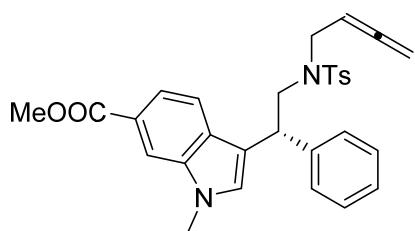
**(R)-N-(2-(5-bromo-1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide 1h**

A white solid, 48% yield (25.6 mg). M.p.: 101-104 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.57-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.82-3.88 (m, 1H), 3.97 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.54 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.60-4.77 (m, 3H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 7.12-7.15 (m, 1H), 7.22-7.30 (m, 8H), 7.54 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 33.0, 41.0, 46.2, 50.7, 76.3, 85.2, 110.7, 112.3, 114.1, 121.6, 124.4, 126.8, 127.2, 128.2, 128.3, 128.6, 129.0, 129.7, 135.7, 137.0, 141.7, 143.3, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2913, 1952, 1597, 1475, 1335, 1157, 1061, 946, 842, 794, 708, 663  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 535.10 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{BrS}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 535.1049, found: 535.1046. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 14.19$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 16.03$  min; ee% = 80%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -30.0$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



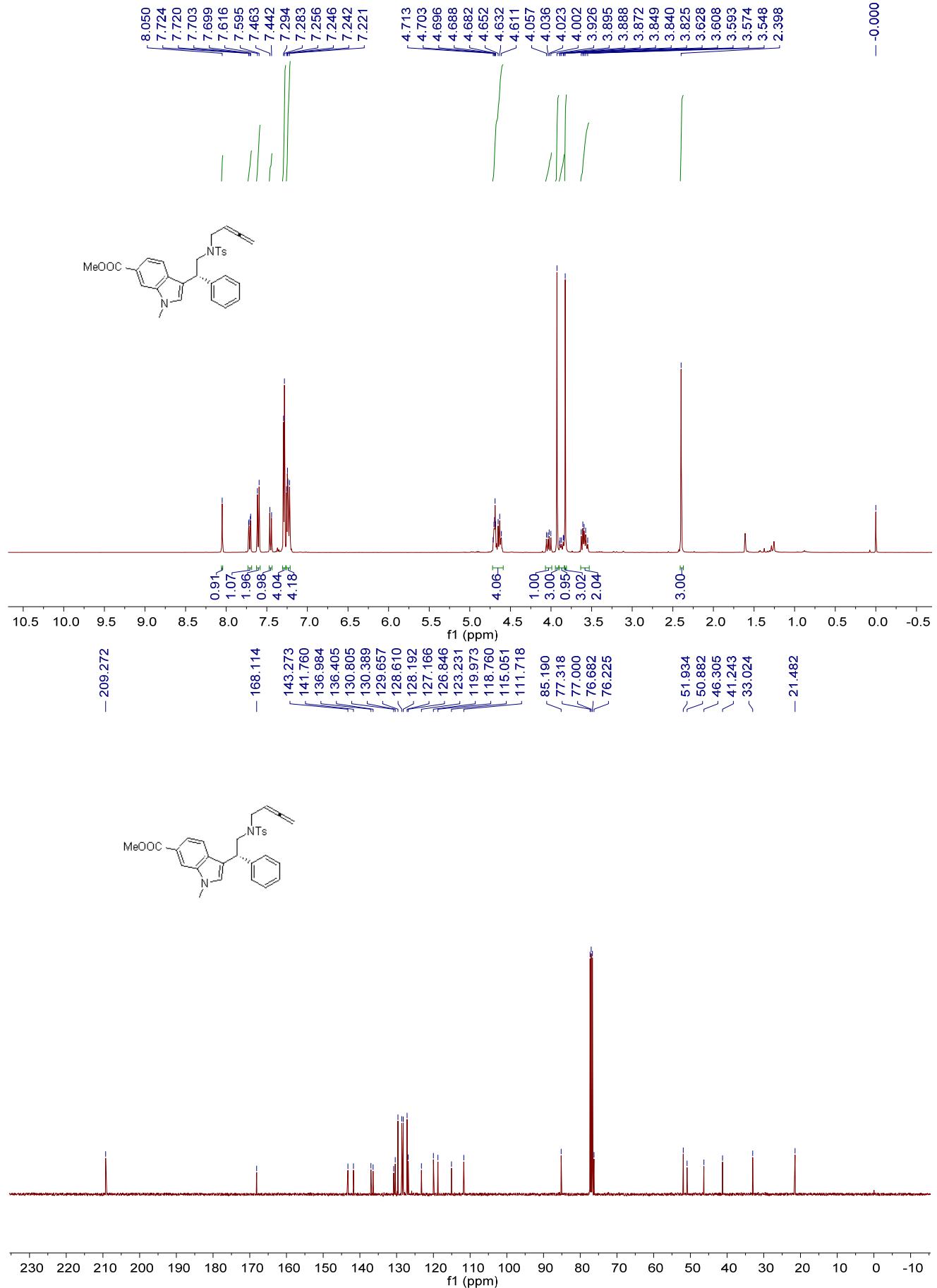


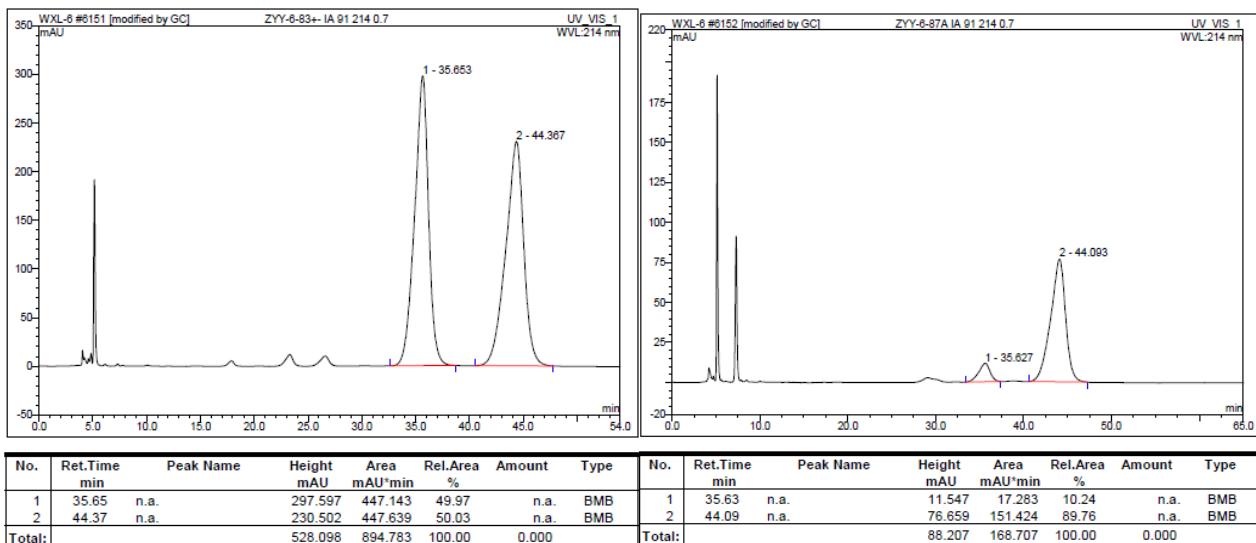
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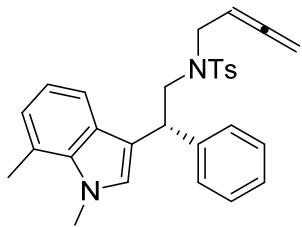
### (R)-Methyl 3-(2-(N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)-1-phenylethyl)-1-methyl-1H-indole-6-carboxylate **1i**

A white solid, 50% yield (25.7 mg). M.p.: 170-173 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.54-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.84-3.90 (m, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 4.03 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.61-4.72 (m, 4H), 7.22-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.29 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 4H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.69-7.73 (m, 1H), 8.05 (s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 33.0, 41.2, 46.3, 50.9, 51.9, 76.2, 85.2, 111.7, 115.1, 118.8, 120.0, 123.2, 126.8, 127.2, 128.2, 128.6, 129.7, 130.4, 130.8, 136.4, 137.0, 141.8, 143.3, 168.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 2860, 1948, 1703, 1478, 1341, 1160, 1106, 979, 882, 748, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 515.19 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 515.1999, found: 515.1993. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 35.63$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 44.09$  min; ee% = 80%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -17.8$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



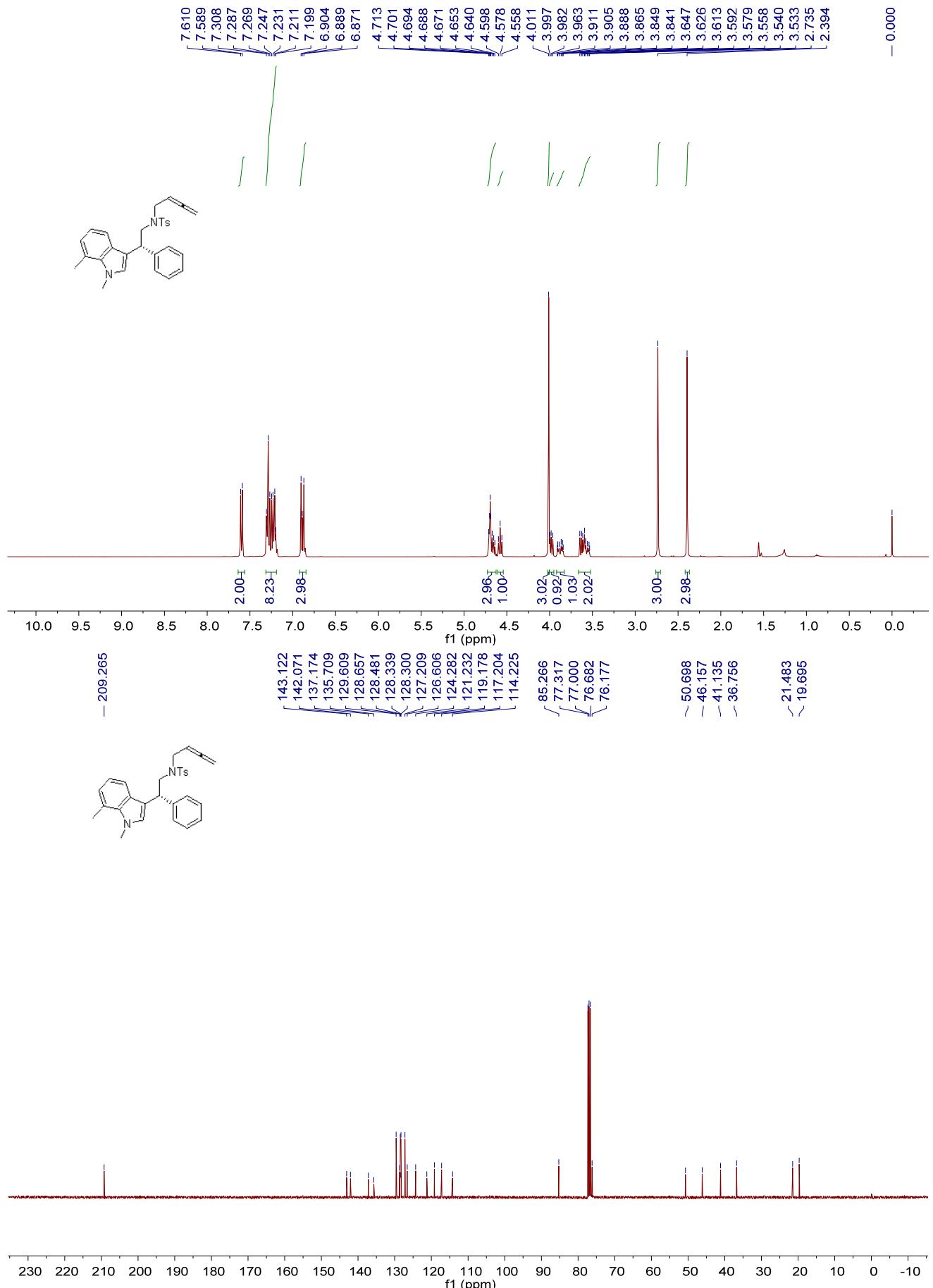


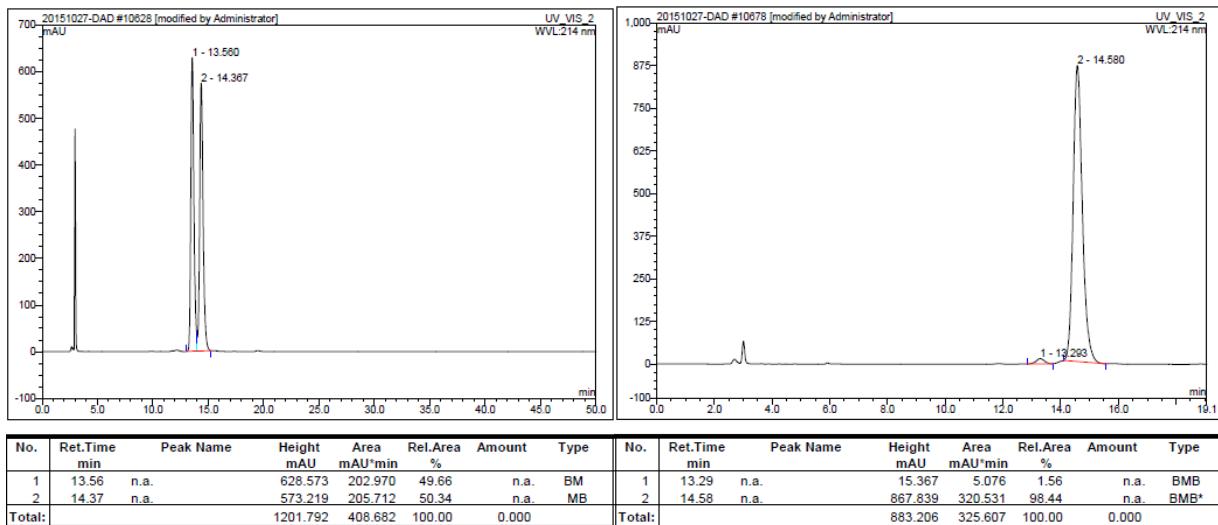
Translation: Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 35.63$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 44.09$  min; ee% = 80%]. (Note: In the 5 minute position, there is the peak of dichloromethane, due to that the sample was dissolved in dichloromethane for measuring).



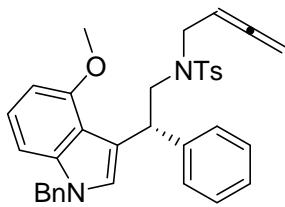
**(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(2-(1,7-dimethyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide 1j**

A white solid, 46% yield (21.7 mg). M.p.: 102-105 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.39 (s, 3H), 2.74 (s, 3H), 3.53-3.65 (m, 2H), 3.84-3.92 (m, 1H), 3.98 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 4.58 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.64-4.72 (m, 3H), 6.87-6.91 (m, 3H), 7.19-7.31 (m, 8H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  19.7, 21.5, 36.8, 41.1, 46.2, 50.7, 76.2, 85.3, 114.2, 117.2, 119.2, 121.2, 124.3, 126.6, 127.2, 128.30, 128.34, 128.5, 128.7, 129.6, 135.7, 137.2, 142.1, 143.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 2867, 1956, 1451, 1156, 959, 808, 769, 660  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2097. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel ID3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 13.29$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 14.58$  min; ee% = 97%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -119.6$  (c 0.6,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



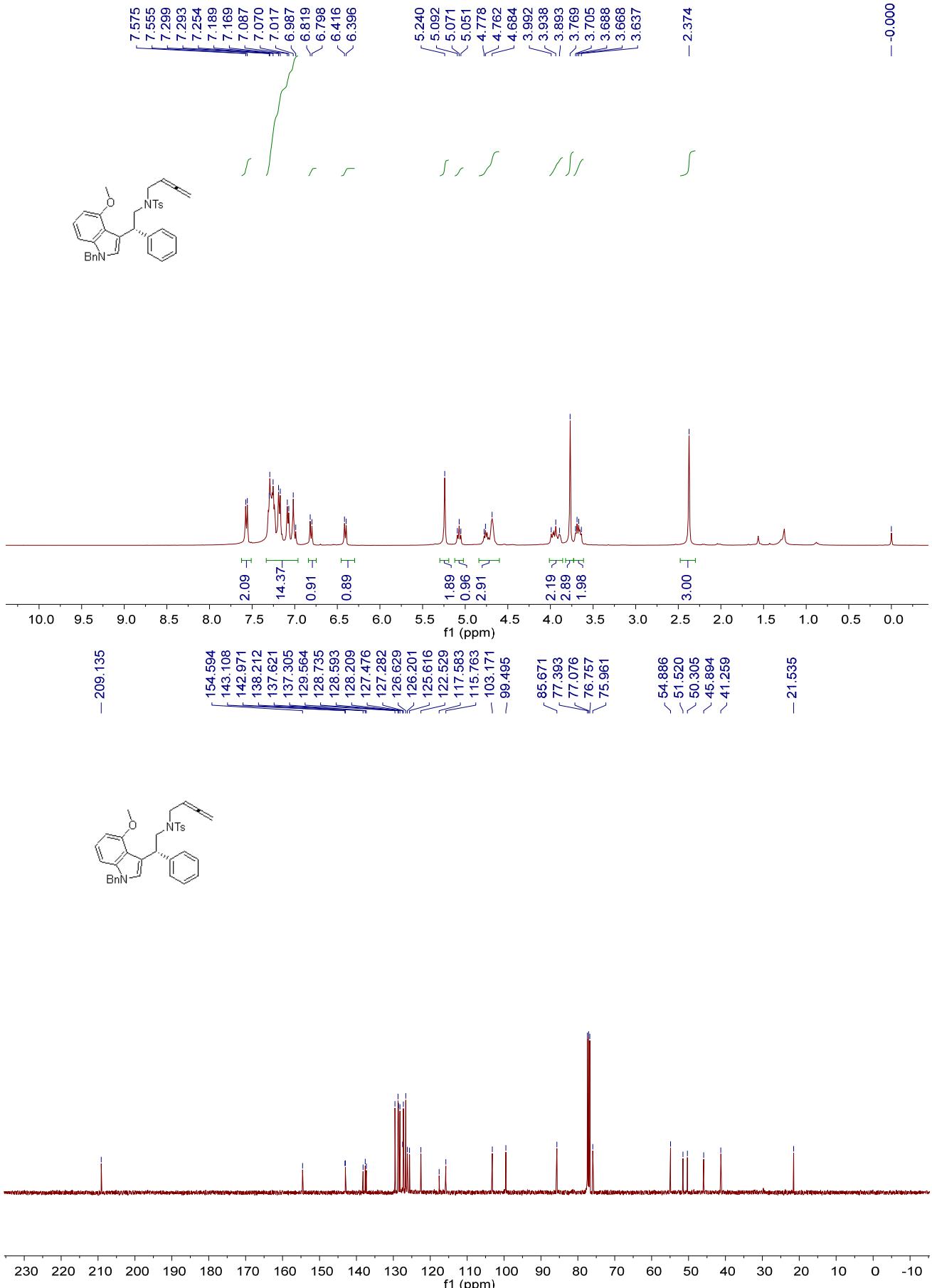


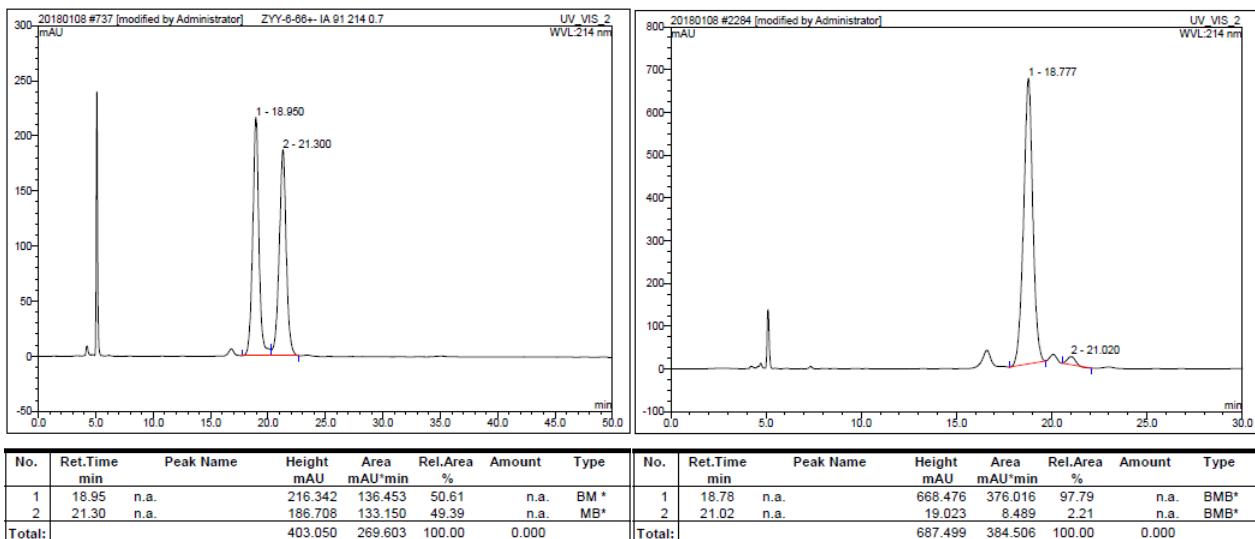
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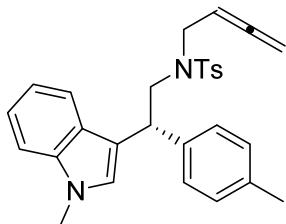
**(R)-N-(2-(1-benzyl-4-methoxy-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide 1k**

A white solid, 47% yield (26.4 mg). M.p.: 107-110 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.37 (s, 3H), 3.63-3.71 (m, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.89-4.00 (m, 2H), 4.68-4.78 (m, 3H), 5.07 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.24 (s, 2H), 6.40 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.98-7.30 (m, 14H), 7.56 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 41.3, 45.9, 50.3, 51.5, 54.9, 76.0, 85.7, 99.5, 103.2, 115.8, 117.6, 122.5, 125.6, 126.2, 126.6, 127.3, 127.5, 128.2, 128.6, 128.7, 129.6, 137.3, 137.6, 138.2, 143.0, 143.1, 154.6, 209.1. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3027, 2925, 1954, 1578, 1497, 1338, 1257, 1156, 1091, 940, 850, 730, 699  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 563.23 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{35}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 563.2363, found: 563.2355. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.02$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 18.78$  min; ee% = 96%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -80.0$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



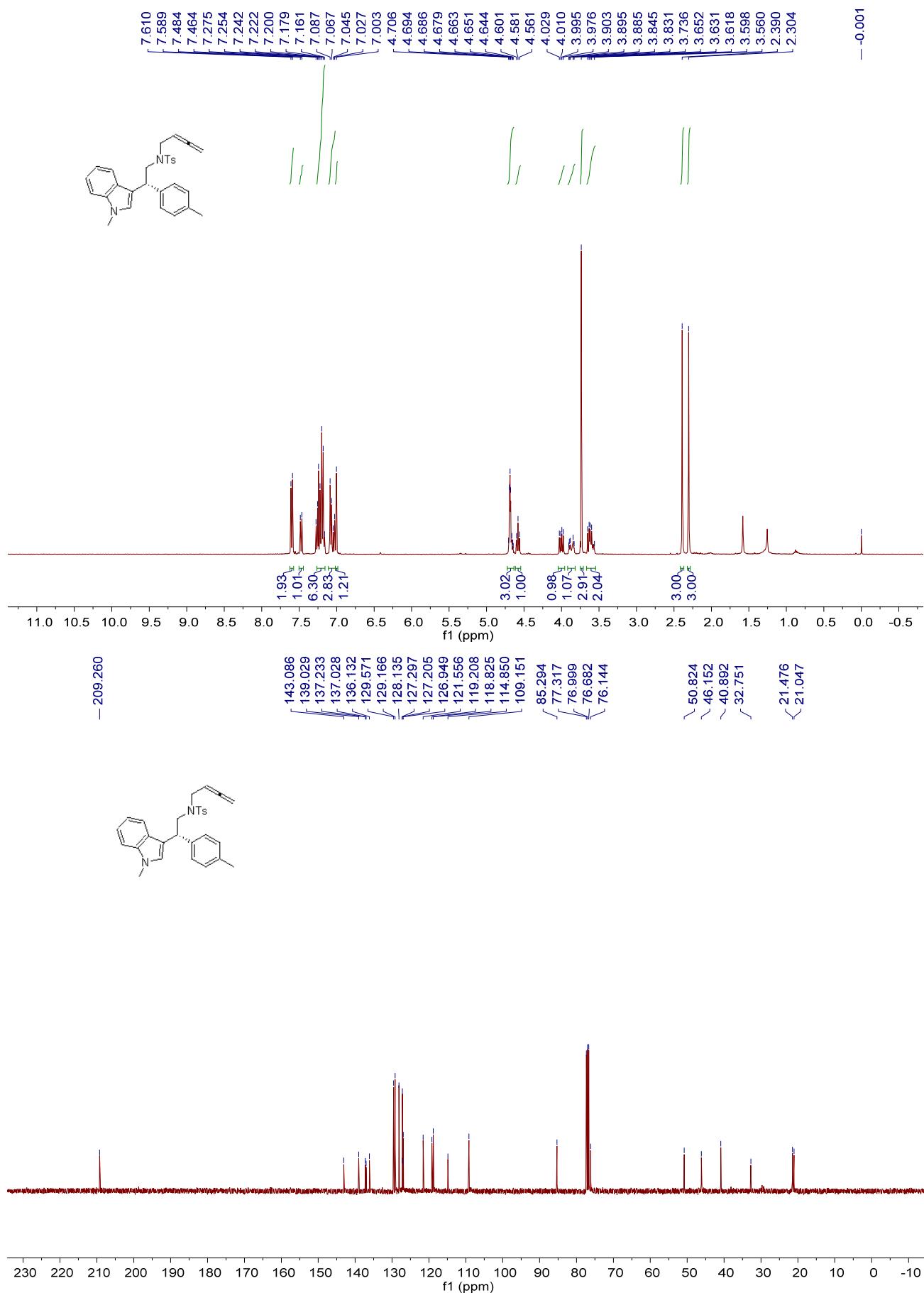


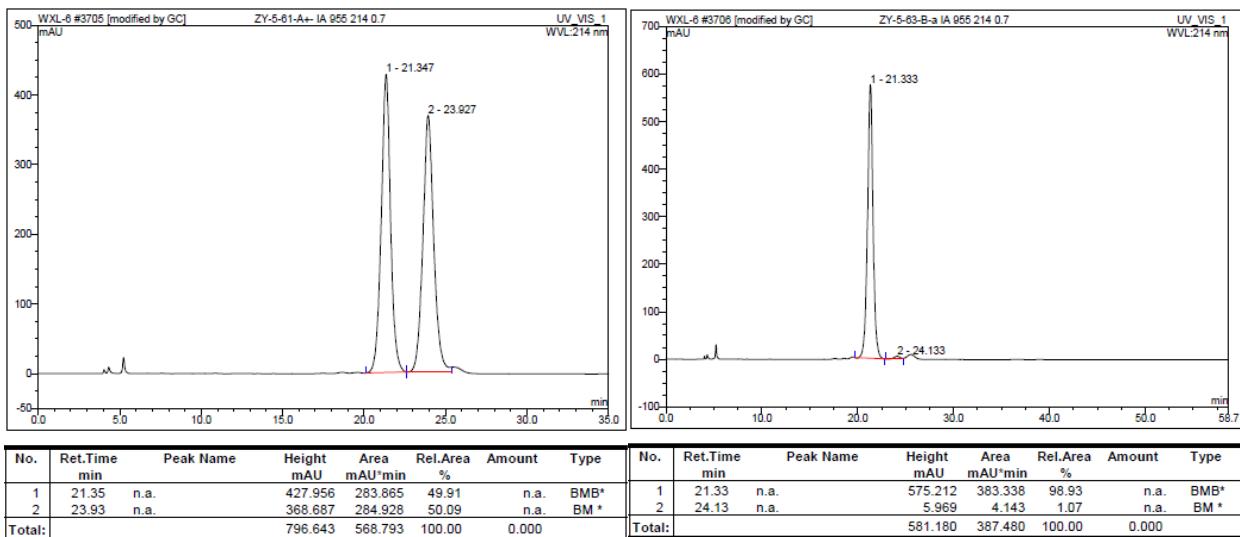
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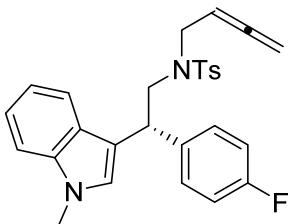
**(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)ethyl)benzenesulfonamide 11**

A white solid, 48% yield (22.6 mg). M.p.: 66-69 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.30 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.66 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.83-3.91 (m, 1H), 4.00 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.58 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.64-4.71 (m, 3H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 7.02-7.09 (m, 3H), 7.16-7.26 (m, 6H), 7.47 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.0, 21.5, 32.8, 40.9, 46.2, 50.8, 76.1, 85.3, 109.2, 114.9, 118.8, 119.2, 121.6, 126.9, 127.2, 127.3, 128.1, 129.2, 129.6, 136.1, 137.0, 137.2, 139.0, 143.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 1953, 1325, 1155, 1092, 812, 739, 656  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2096. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 95/5; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 24.13$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 21.33$  min; ee% = 98%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -35.3$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





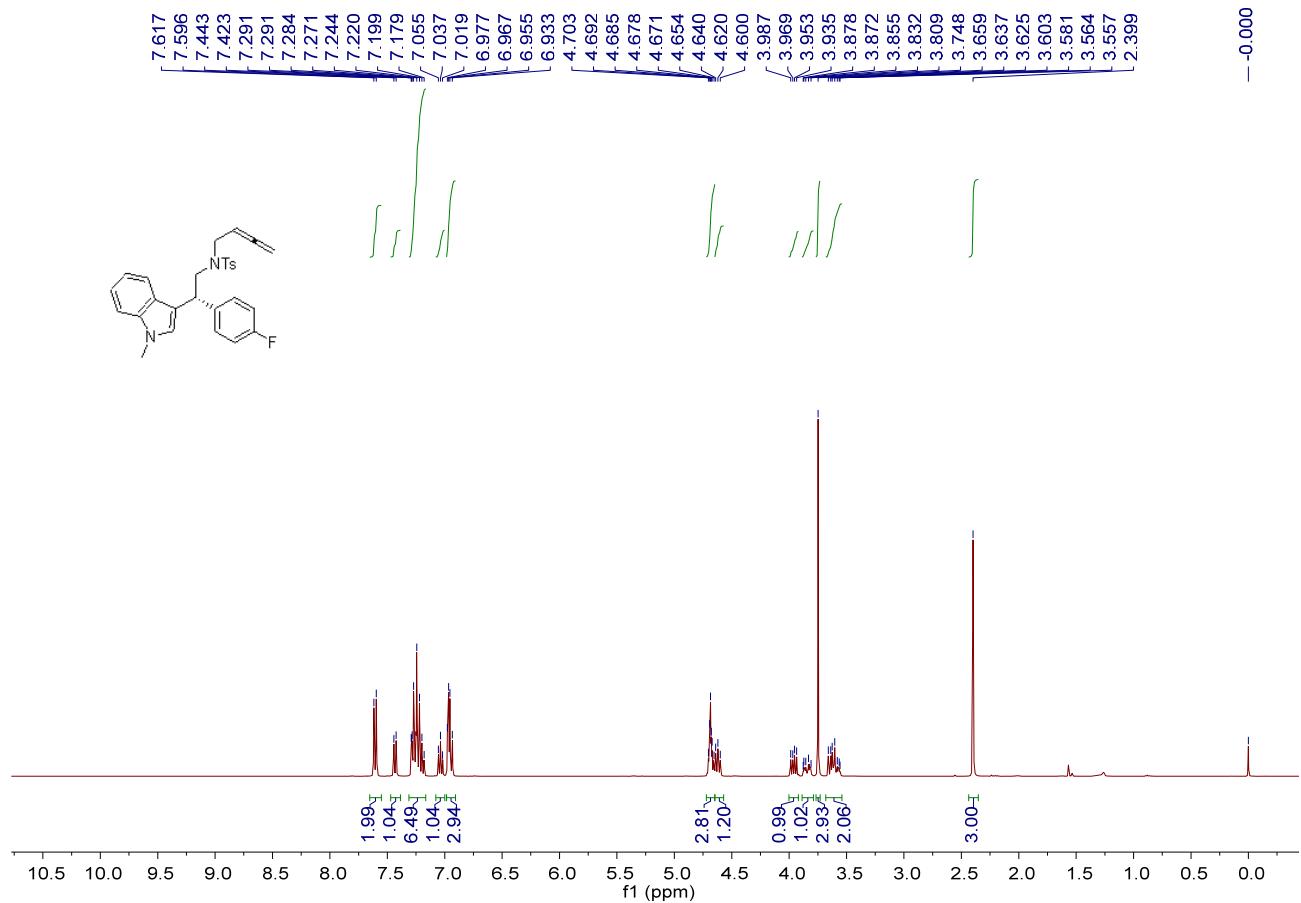
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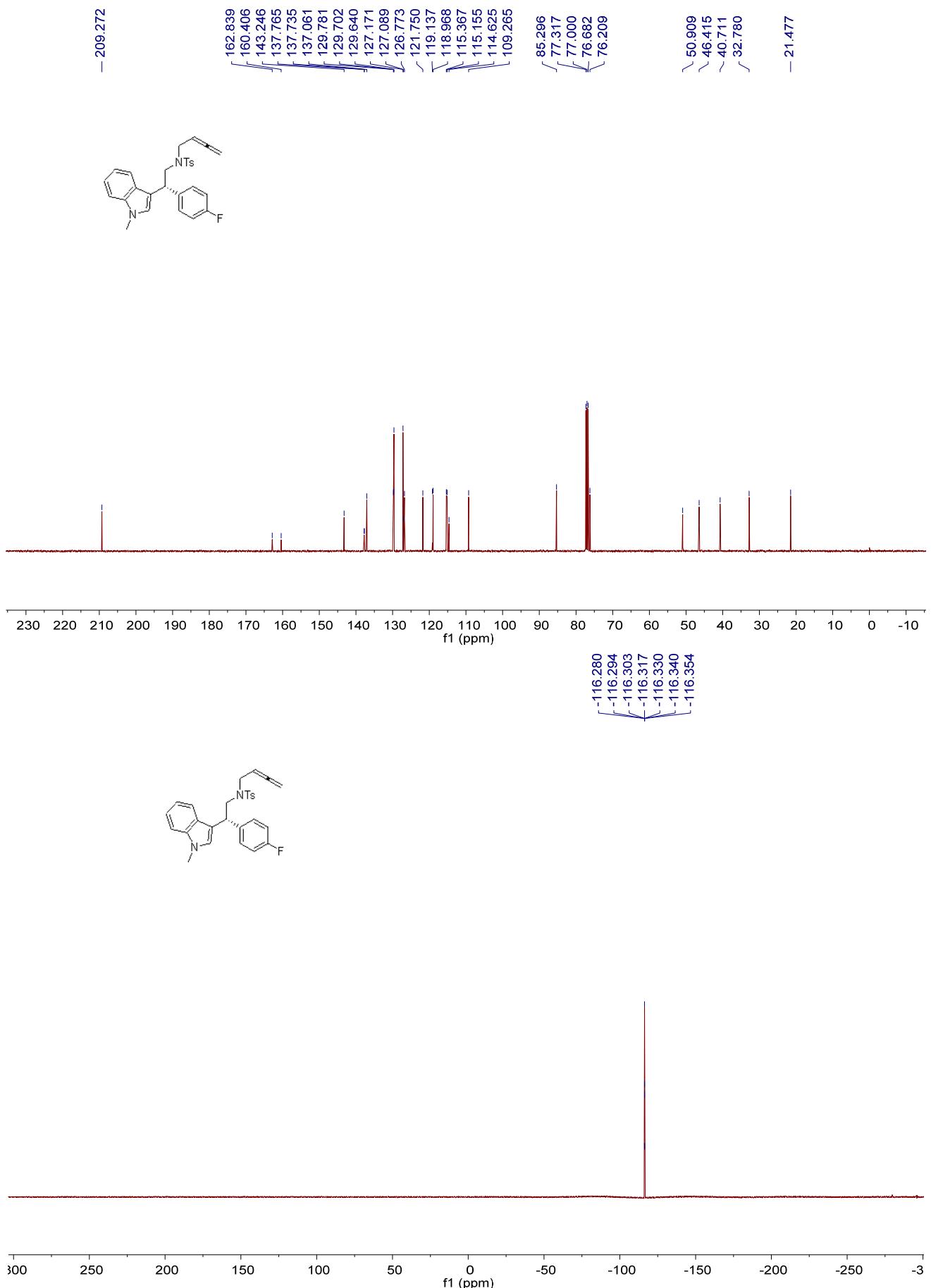


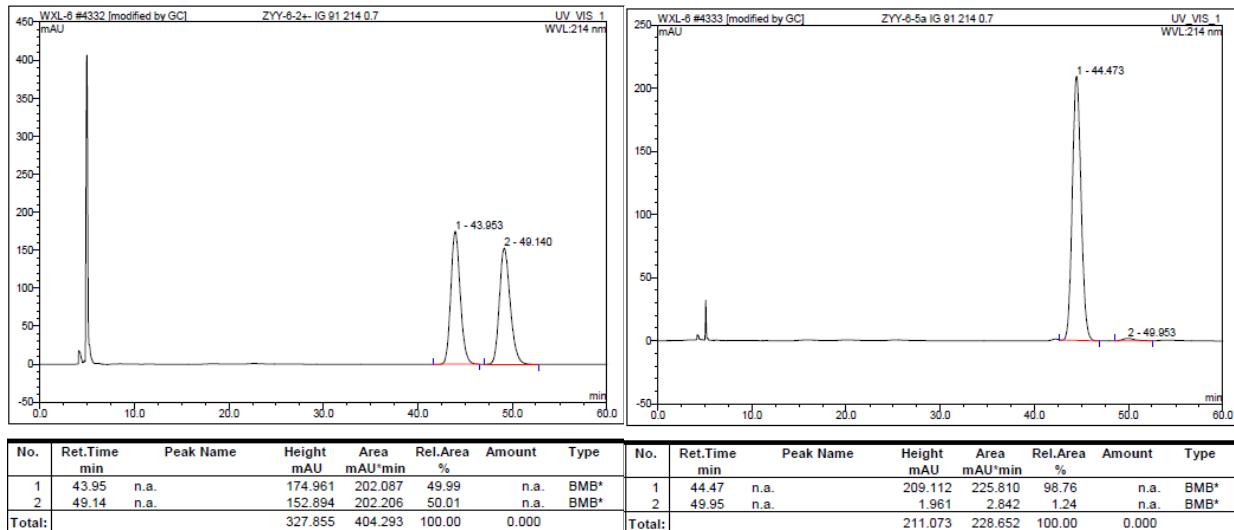
### (R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(2-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1m**

A white solid, 44% yield (20.9 mg). M.p.: 109-112 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.55-3.66 (m, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.80-3.88 (m, 1H), 3.96 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.62 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.65-4.71 (m, 3H), 6.93-6.98 (m, 3H), 7.01-7.06 (m, 1H), 7.17-7.30 (m, 6H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.8, 40.7, 46.4, 50.9, 76.2, 85.3, 109.3, 114.6, 115.2 (d,  $J = 21.2$  Hz), 119.0 (d,  $J = 16.9$  Hz), 121.8, 126.8, 127.1, 127.2, 129.6, 129.7 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz), 137.1, 137.7 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz), 143.2, 161.6 (d,  $J = 243.3$  Hz), 209.3.  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -116.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 2854, 1951, 1599, 1503, 1336, 1154, 1100, 1090, 969, 837, 747, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1846. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 49.95$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 44.47$  min; ee% = 98%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -41.5$  (c 0.20,

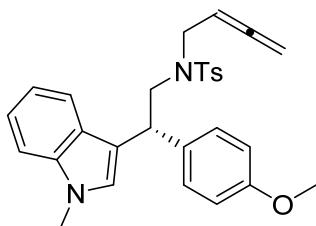
$\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ .





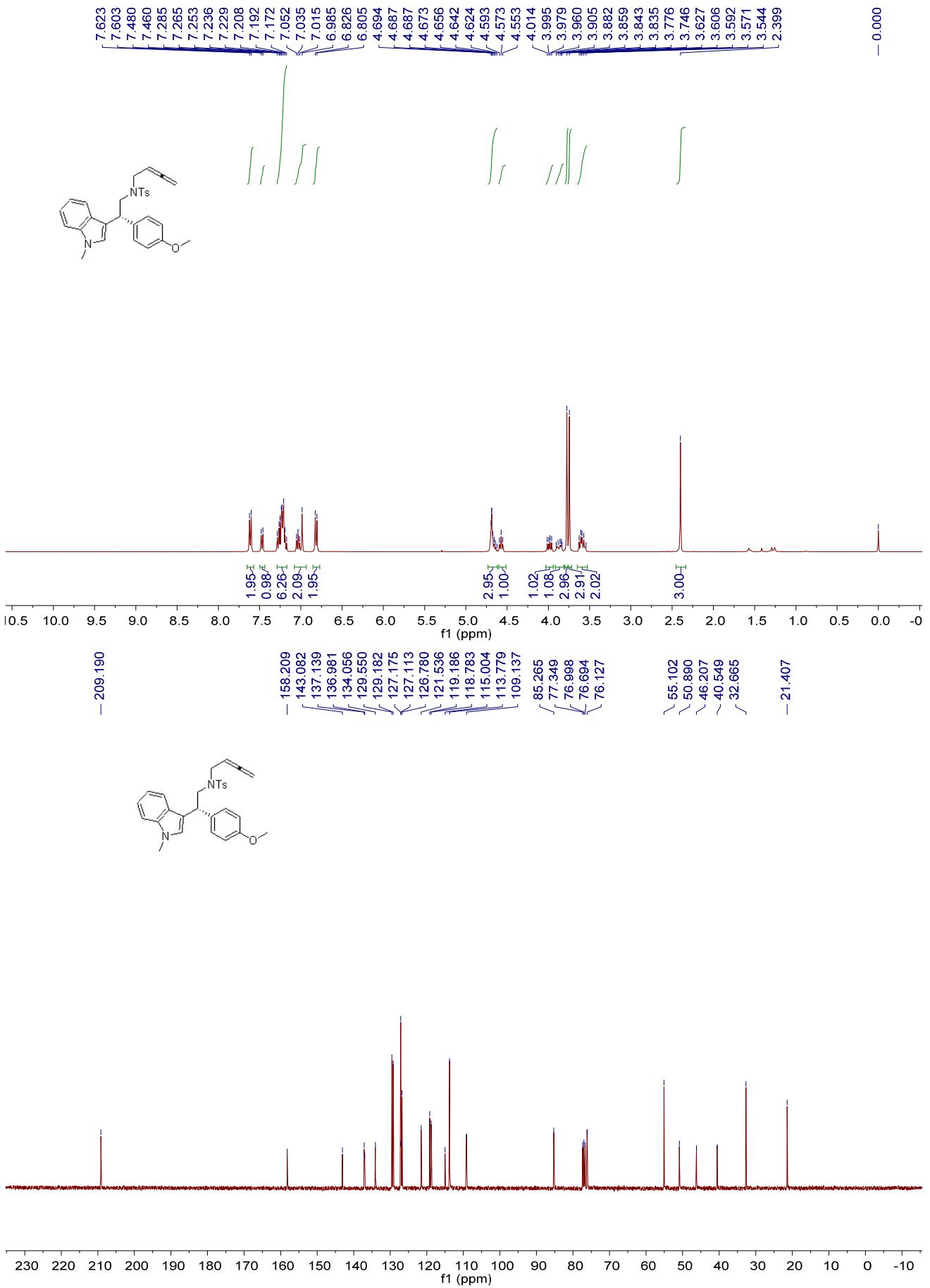


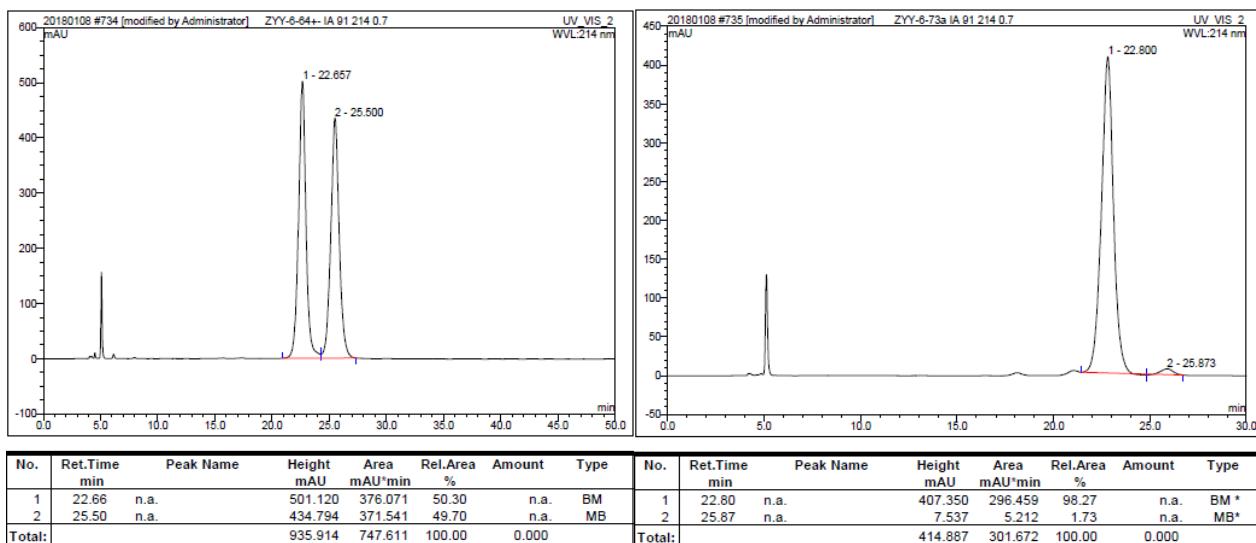
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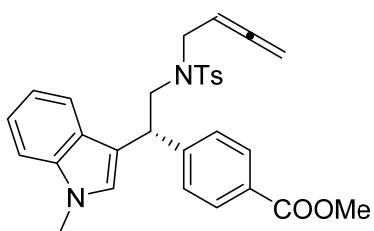
### **(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)-4-methylnzenesulfonamide 1n**

A white solid, 46% yield (22.3 mg). M.p.: 61-64 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, TMS, 400 MHz) δ 2.40 (s, 3H), 3.54-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.83-3.91 (m, 1H), 3.98 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.62-4.70 (m, 3H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.98-7.06 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.29 (m, 6H), 7.47 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz, TMS) δ 21.4, 32.7, 40.5, 46.2, 50.9, 55.1, 76.1, 85.3, 109.1, 113.8, 115.0, 118.8, 119.2, 121.5, 126.8, 127.1, 127.2, 129.2, 129.6, 134.1, 137.0, 137.1, 143.1, 158.2, 209.2. IR (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) ν 2931, 1953, 1610, 1510, 1325, 1248, 1154, 1092, 814, 739, 656 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (ESI) *m/z* (%): 487.20 (100) [M+H]<sup>+</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>31</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S<sup>+1</sup> [M+H]<sup>+</sup> requires 487.2050, found: 487.2046. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 25.87$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 22.80$  min; ee% = 97%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -71.6$  (c 0.70, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)].



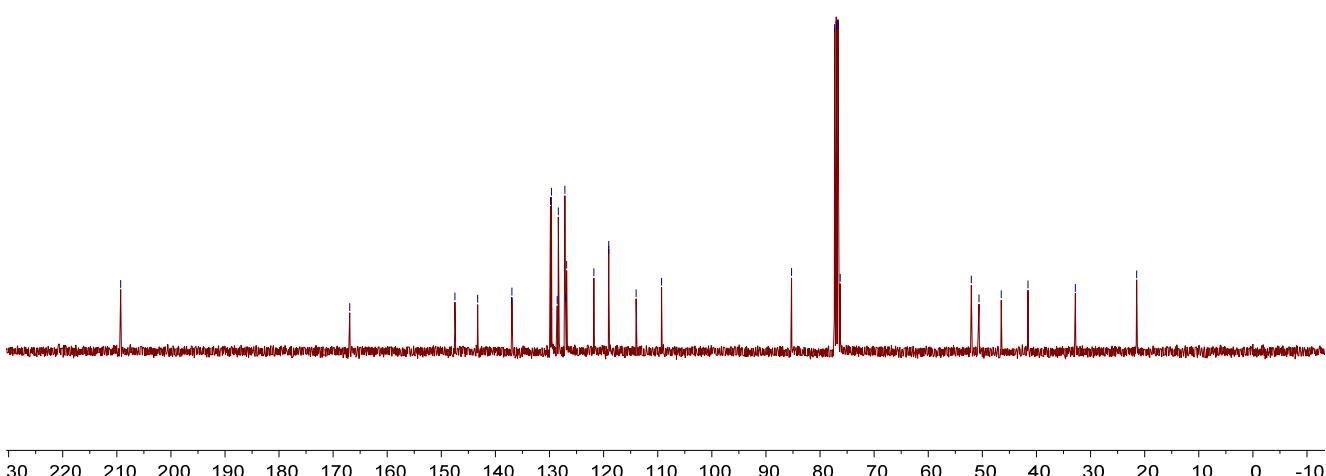
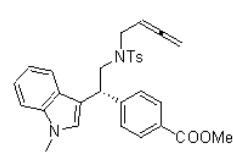
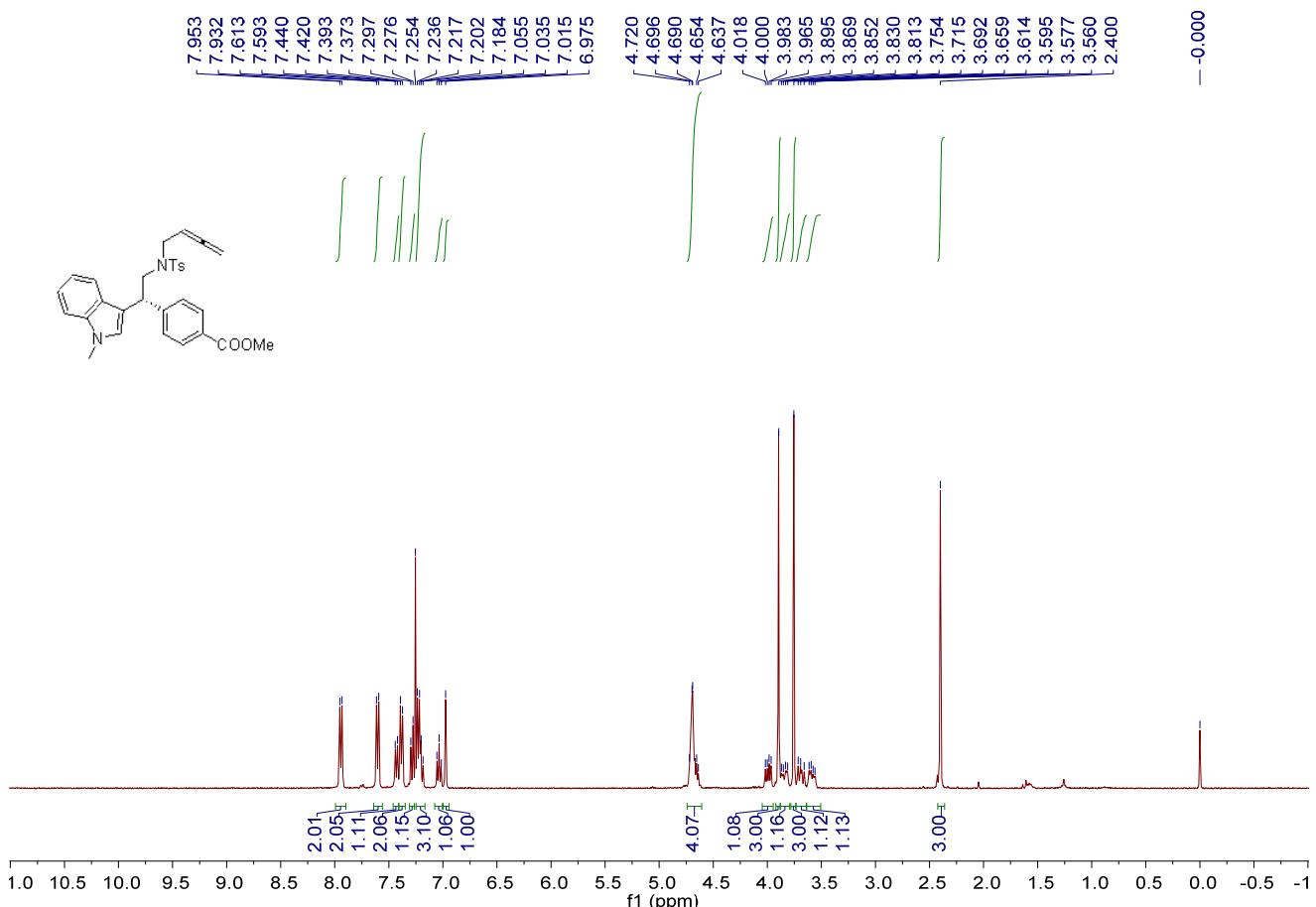


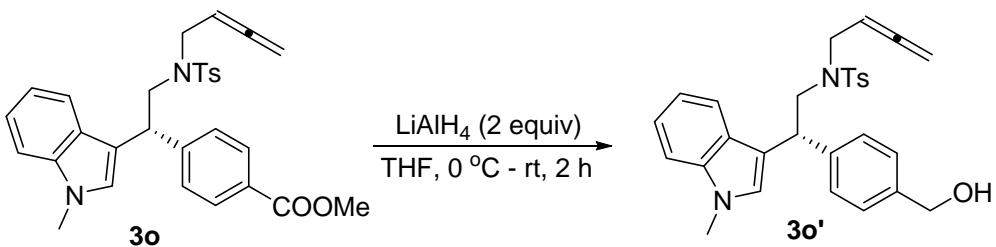
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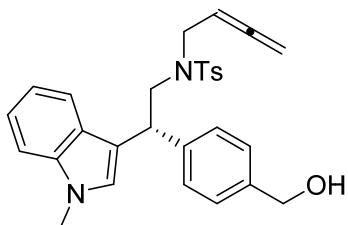
**(R)-methyl 4-(2-(N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)-1-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)benzoate 10**

A white solid, 44% yield (22.8 mg). M.p.: 152-155 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.62 (m, 1H), 3.65-3.72 (m, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.84 (dd,  $J = 15.6, 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.99 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.63-4.72 (m, 4H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 7.01-7.06 (m, 1H), 7.18-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.94 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.8, 41.6, 46.5, 50.6, 52.0, 76.3, 85.3, 109.3, 114.0, 119.0, 119.1, 121.8, 126.8, 127.0, 127.2, 128.4, 128.6, 129.7, 129.8, 136.97, 137.02, 143.3, 147.5, 166.9, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2948, 1954, 1716, 1610, 1435, 1328, 1278, 1158, 1018, 936, 852, 741, 658 cm $^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 515.19 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 515.1999, found: 515.1993. (Note: compound 3o was reduced to the corresponding alcohol 3o' to determine enantiomeric excess.)



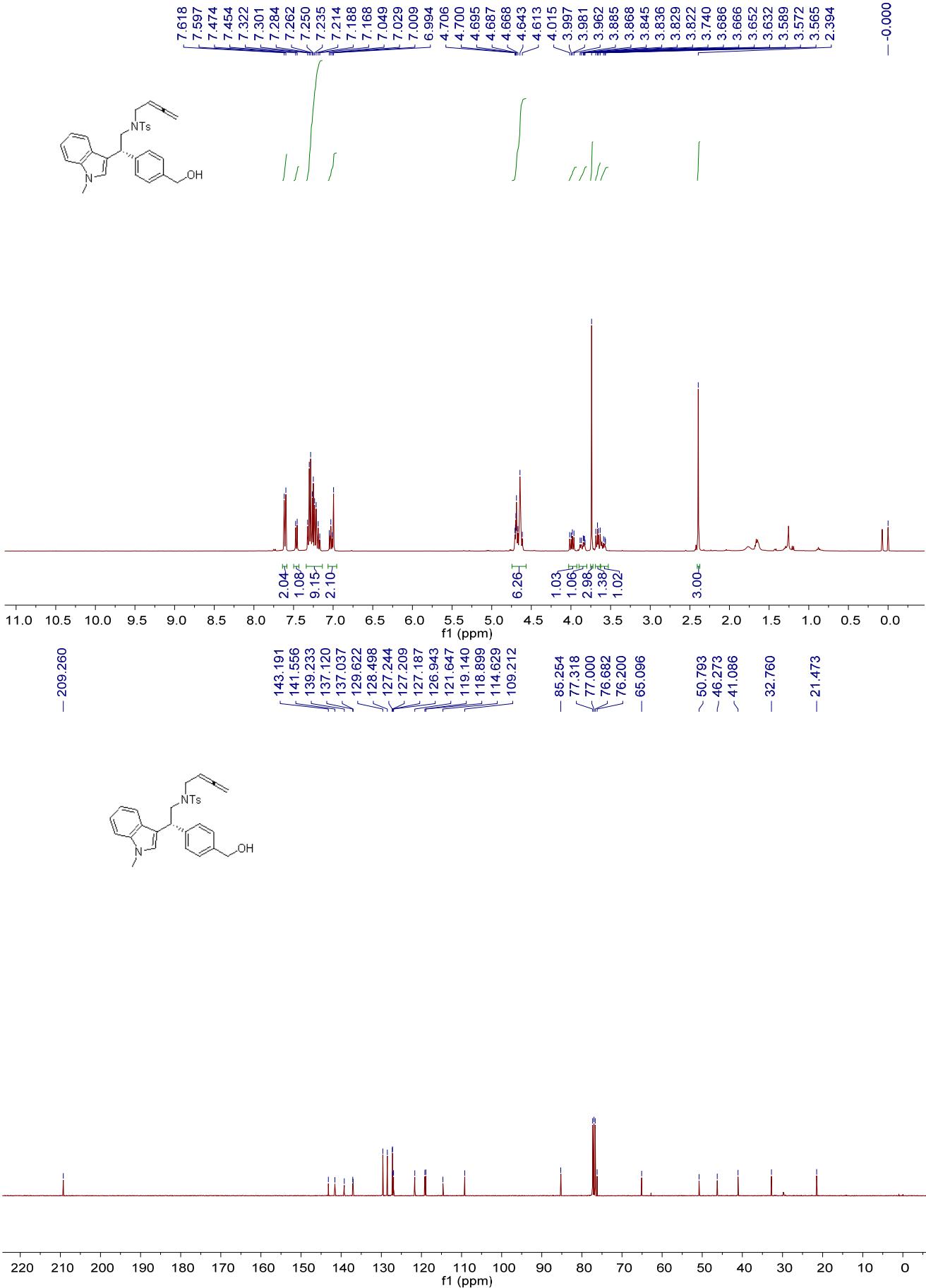


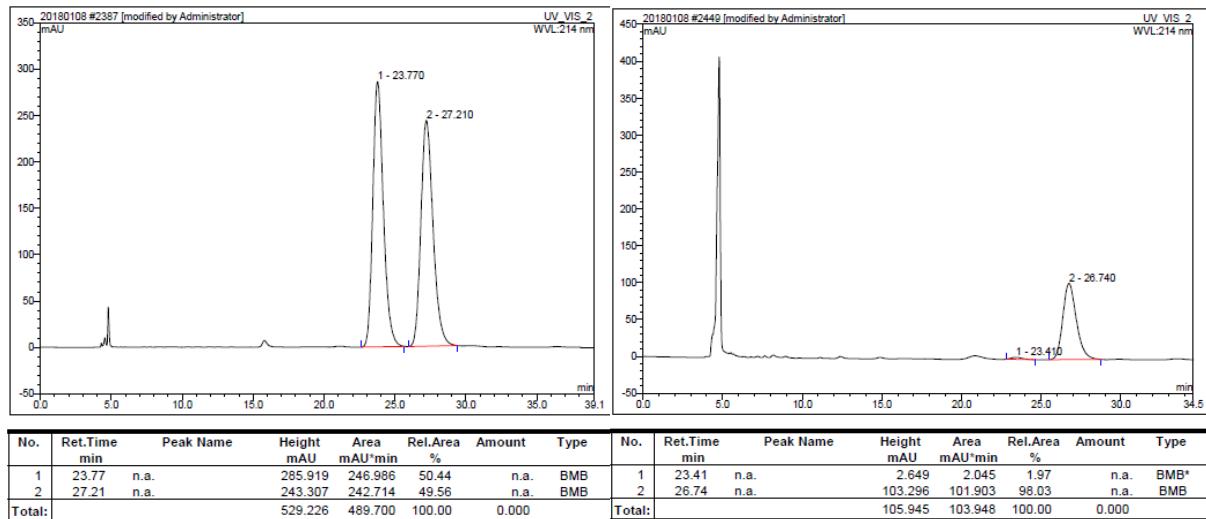
To an oven-dried reaction tube was added LiAlH<sub>4</sub> (3.3 mg, 0.088 mmol) and anhydrous THF (0.8 mL). The tube was cooled to 0 °C, and **3o** (22.8 mg, 0.044 mmol) was added into tube at 0 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h. The solution was filtered through a short column of silica gel eluting with ethyl acetate, and then the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 4/1) to give the corresponding product **3o'**.



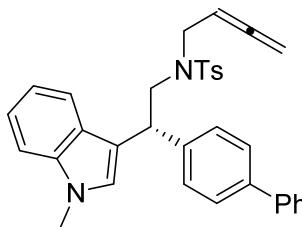
**(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(2-(4-(hydroxymethyl)phenyl)-2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)ethyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1o'****

A white liquid, 86% yield (18.4 mg). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, TMS, 400 MHz) δ 2.39 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.63 (m, 1H), 3.63-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.82-3.89 (m, 1H), 3.99 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.61-4.71 (m, 6H), 6.99-7.05 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.33 (m, 9H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz, TMS) δ 21.5, 32.8, 41.1, 46.3, 50.8, 65.1, 76.2, 85.3, 109.2, 114.6, 118.9, 119.1, 121.6, 126.9, 127.2, 127.21, 127.24, 128.5, 129.6, 137.0, 137.1, 139.2, 141.6, 143.2, 209.3. MS (ESI) *m/z* (%): 504.23 (100) [M+NH<sub>4</sub>]<sup>+</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>34</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S<sup>+1</sup> [M+NH<sub>4</sub>]<sup>+</sup> requires 504.2315, found: 504.2308. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 214 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min; t<sub>minor</sub> = 23.41 min, t<sub>major</sub> = 26.74 min; ee% = 96%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25}$  = -81.5 (c 0.10, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)].



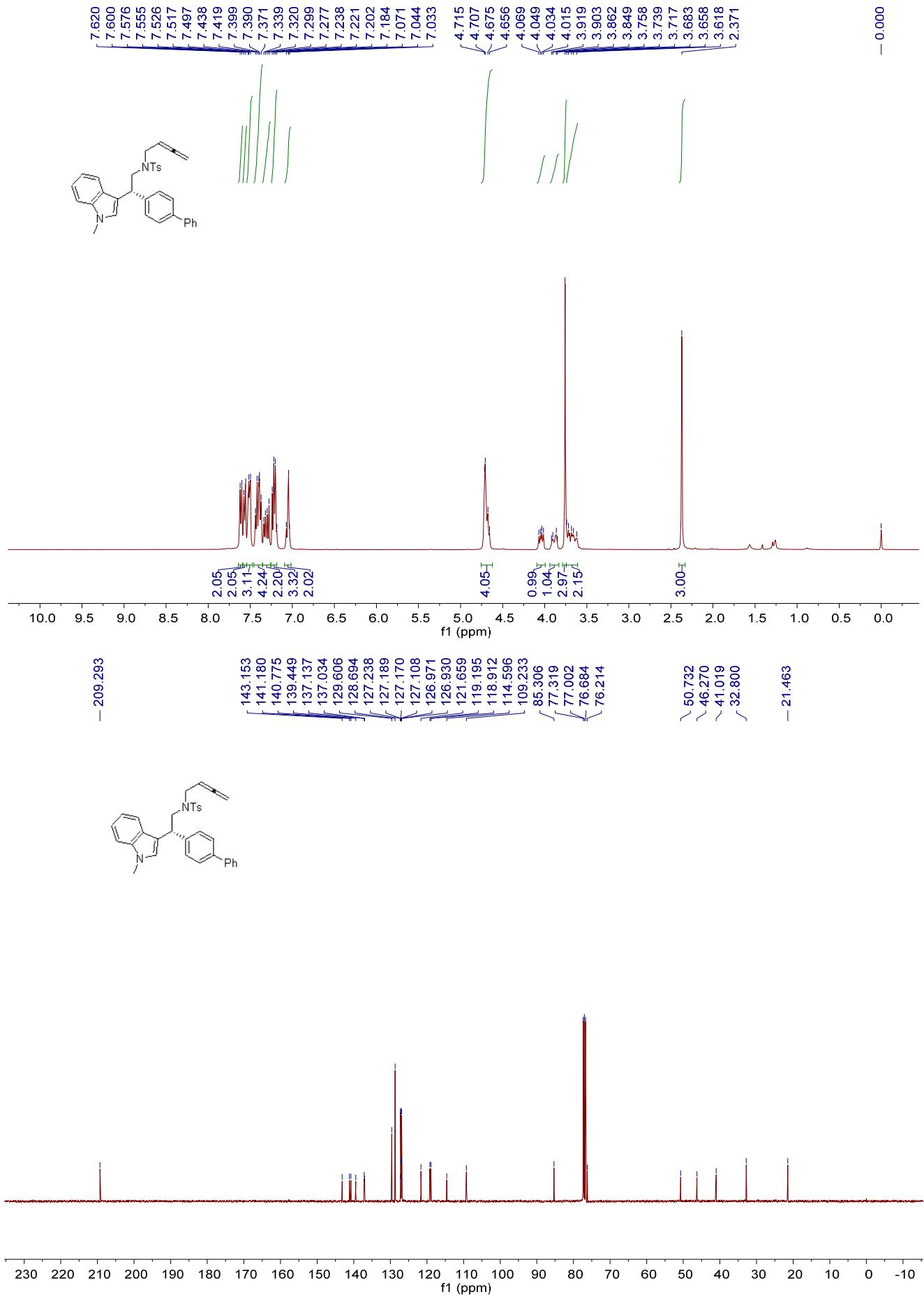


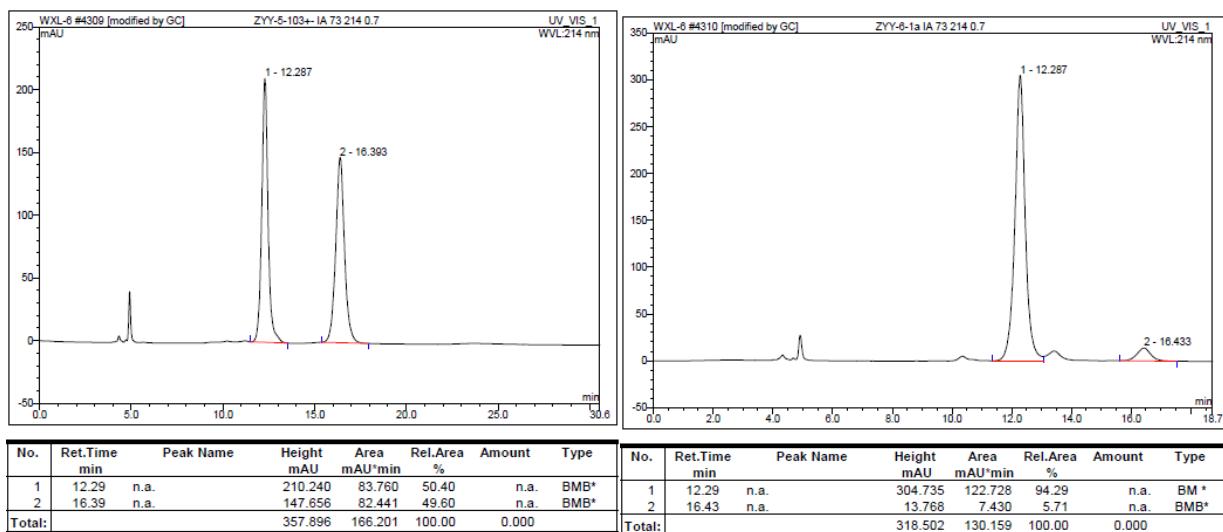
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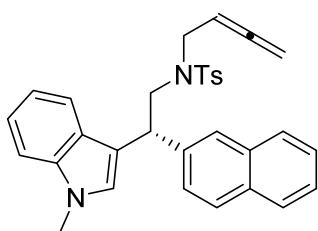
### (R)-N-(2-((1,1'-biphenyl)-4-yl)-2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1p**

A white solid, 44% yield (25.4 mg). M.p.: 43-46 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.37 (s, 3H), 3.61-3.74 (m, 2H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.84-3.92 (m, 1H), 4.04 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.65-4.72 (m, 4H), 7.03-7.08 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.44 (m, 4H), 7.49-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.56 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.8, 41.0, 46.3, 50.7, 76.2, 85.3, 109.2, 114.6, 118.9, 119.2, 121.7, 126.9, 127.0, 127.10, 127.17, 127.19, 127.2, 128.7, 129.6, 137.0, 137.1, 139.4, 140.8, 141.2, 143.2, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3027, 2923, 1954, 1598, 1485, 1326, 1154, 1092, 936, 814, 738, 656  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 533.22 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 533.2257, found: 533.2252. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 16.43$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 12.29$  min; ee% = 89%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -12.7$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



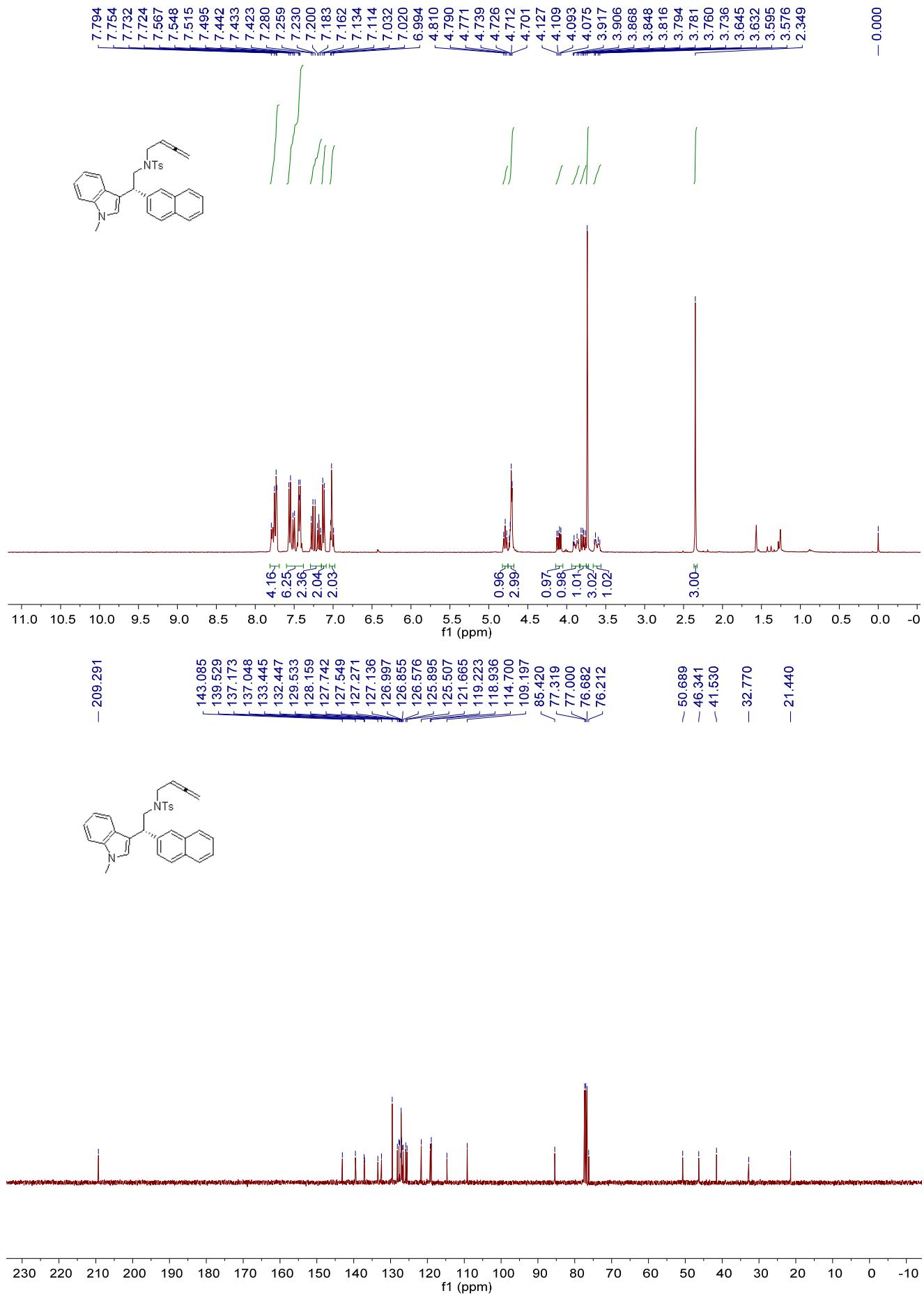


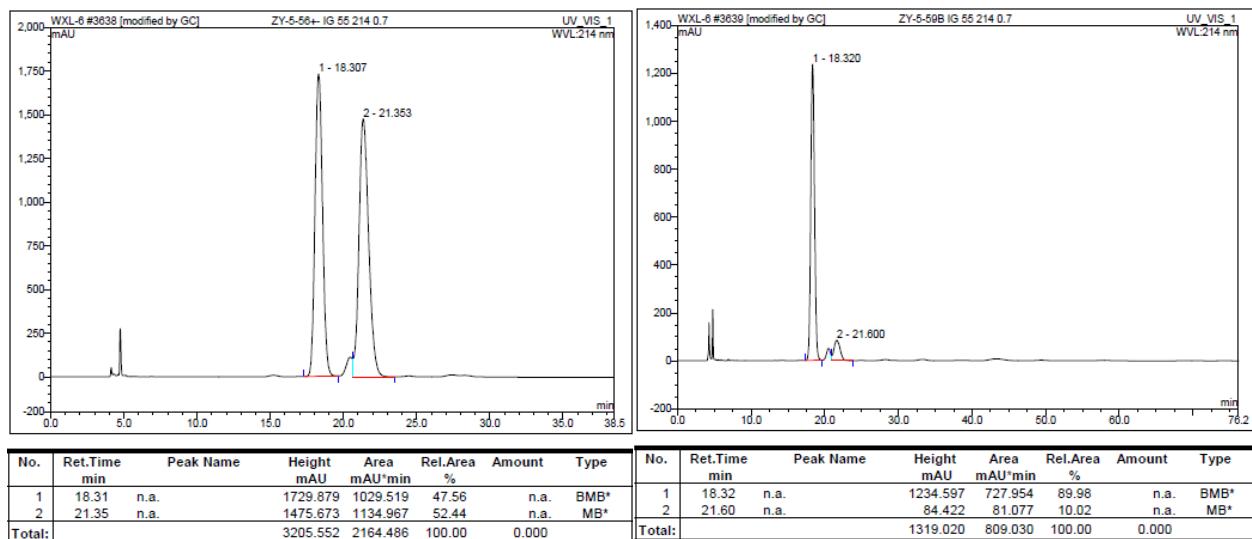
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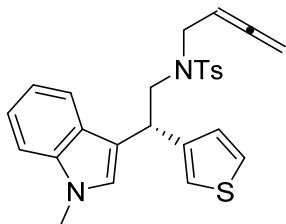
### (R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)ethyl)benzenesulfonamide **1q**

A white solid, 50% yield (25.3 mg). M.p.: 80-83 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.35 (s, 3H), 3.57-3.65 (m, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.78 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.84-3.92 (m, 1H), 4.10 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.70-4.74 (m, 3H), 4.79 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.99-7.04 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.16-7.28 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.57 (m, 6H), 7.72-7.80 (m, 4H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.4, 32.8, 41.5, 46.3, 50.7, 76.2, 85.4, 109.2, 114.7, 118.9, 119.2, 121.7, 125.5, 125.9, 126.6, 126.9, 127.0, 127.1, 127.3, 127.5, 127.7, 128.2, 129.5, 132.4, 133.4, 137.0, 137.2, 139.5, 143.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3051, 2923, 1952, 1598, 1328, 1155, 1092, 934, 813, 739, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 507.20 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 507.2101, found: 507.2095. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 50/50; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.60$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 18.32$  min; ee% = 80%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -86.3$  (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



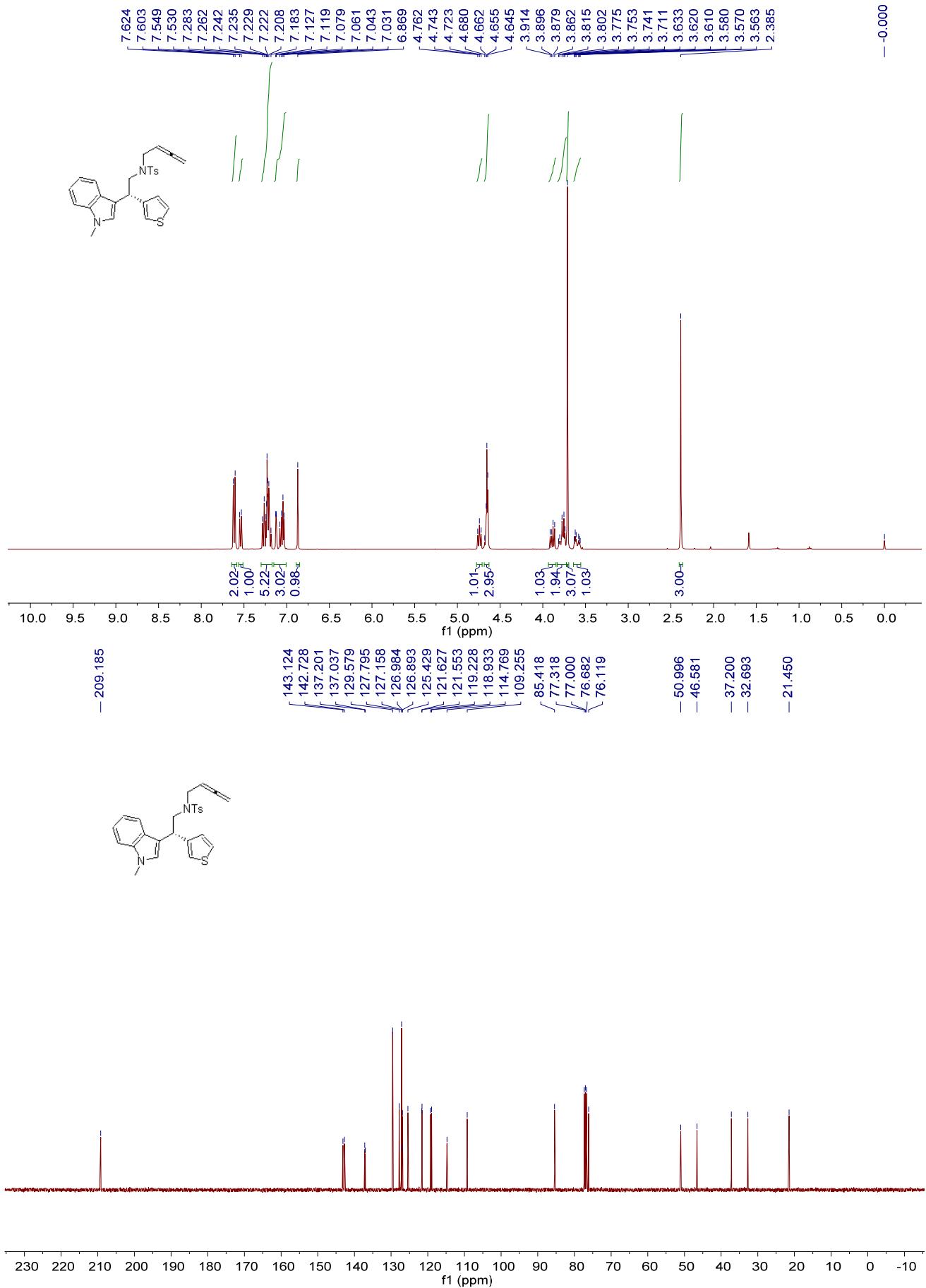


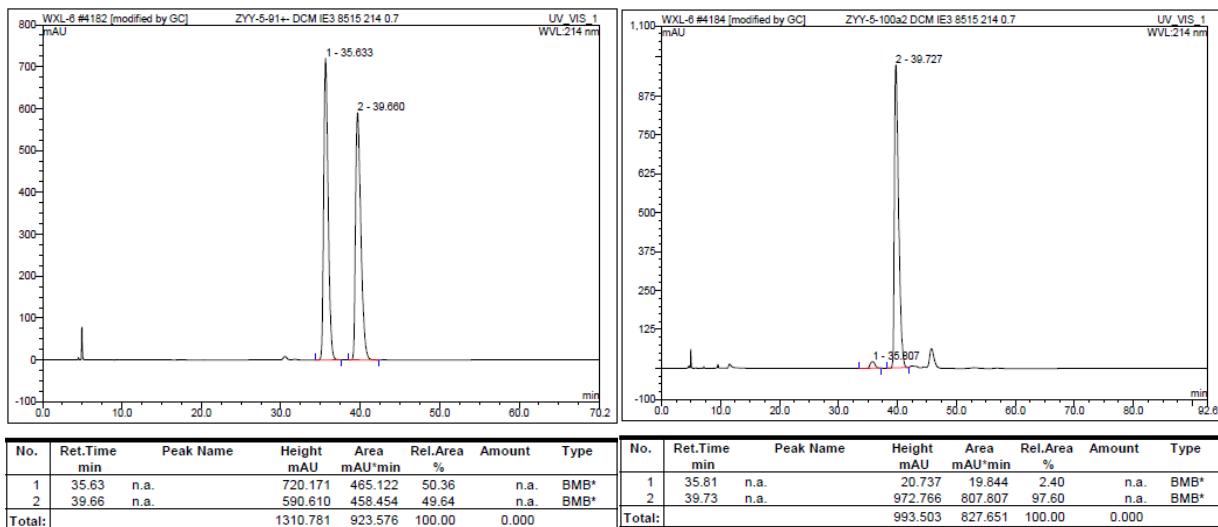
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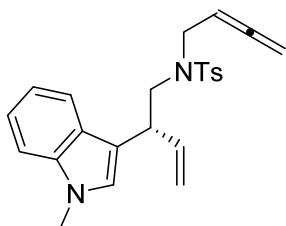
### (S)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-(thiophen-3-yl)ethyl)benzenesulfonamide 1r

A white solid, 48% yield (22.2 mg). M.p.: 101-104 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.39 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.64 (m, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.74-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.88 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.64-4.68 (m, 3H), 4.74 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.87 (s, 1H), 7.03-7.13 (m, 3H), 7.18-7.29 (m, 5H), 7.54 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.7, 37.2, 46.6, 51.0, 76.1, 85.4, 109.3, 114.8, 118.9, 119.2, 121.55, 121.63, 125.4, 126.9, 127.0, 127.2, 127.8, 129.6, 137.0, 137.2, 142.7, 143.1, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2919, 2858, 1952, 1455, 1337, 1155, 1098, 837, 747, 667  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 463.15 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}_2^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 463.1508, found: 463.1507. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 85/15; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 35.81$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 39.73$  min; ee% = 95%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -115.3$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



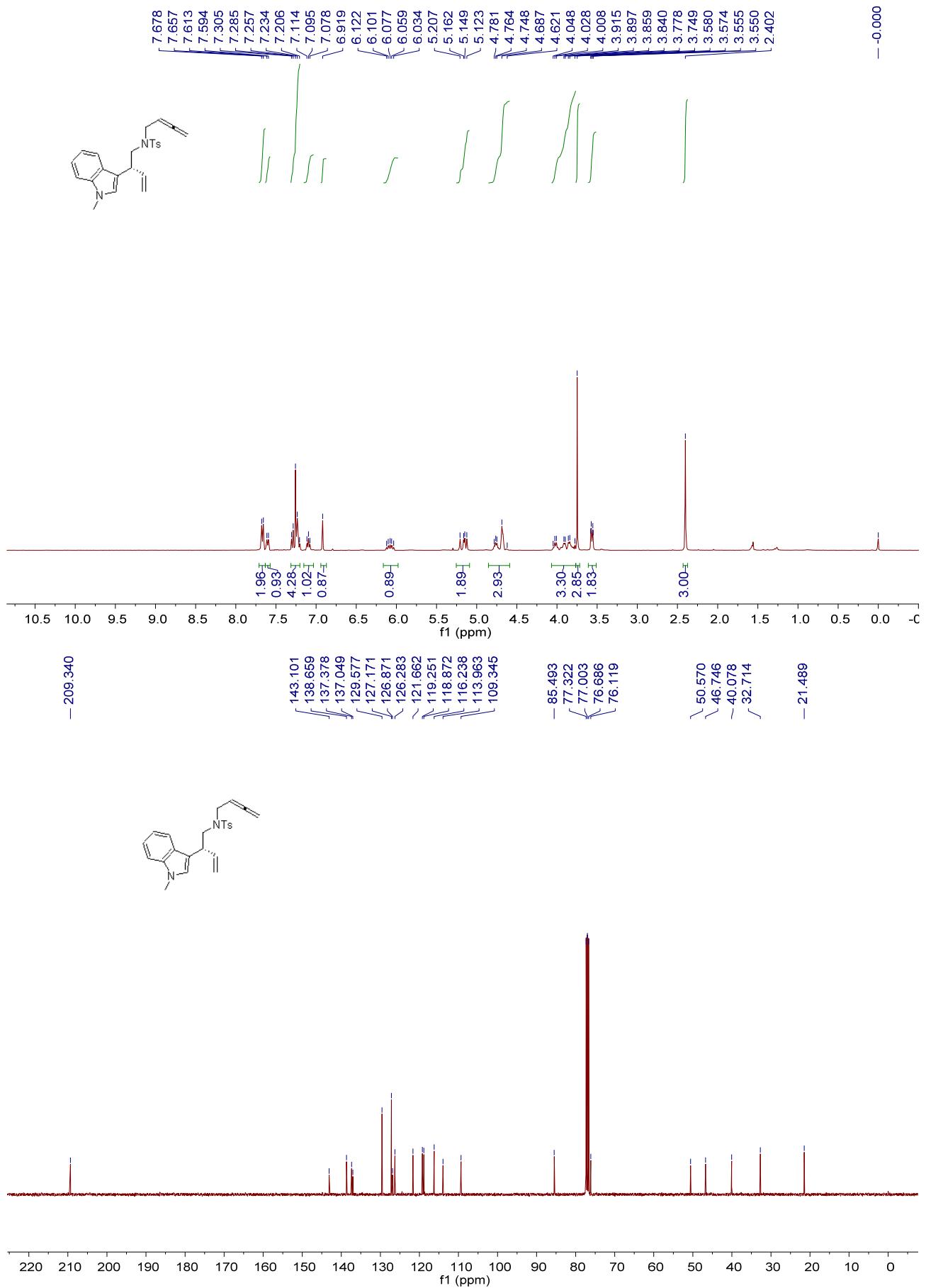


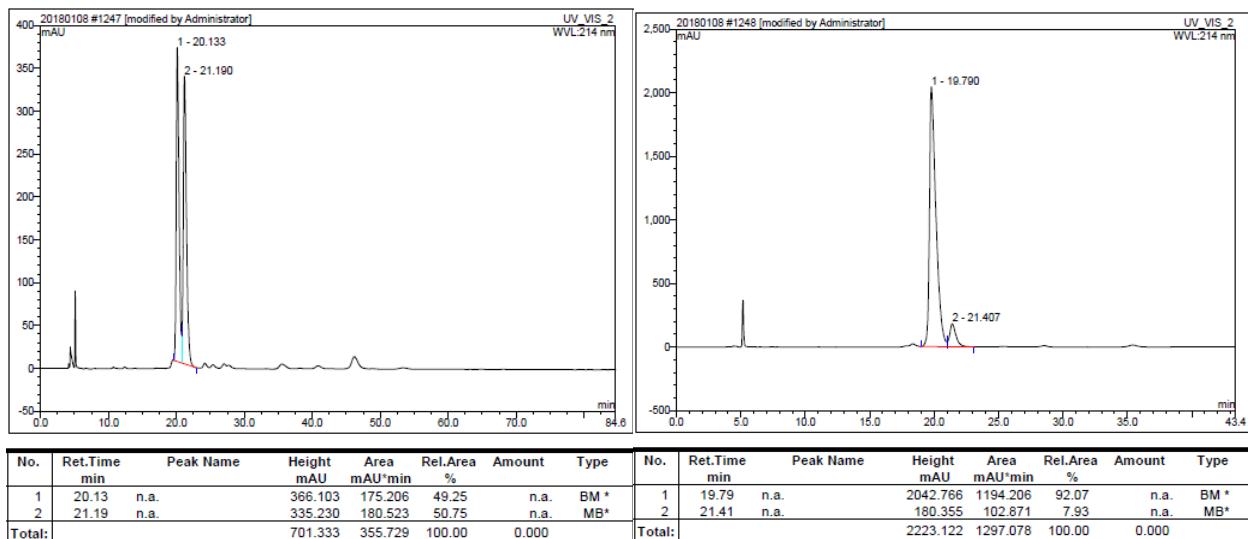
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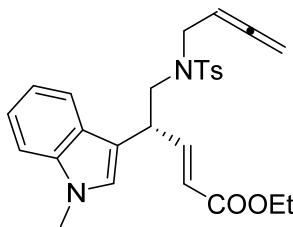
### (R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)but-3-en-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide 1s

A white liquid, 48% yield (19.4 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.40 (s, 3H), 3.55-3.58 (m, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.77-4.05 (m, 3H), 4.62-4.79 (m, 3H), 5.12-5.21 (m, 2H), 6.03-6.13 (m, 1H), 6.92 (s, 1H), 7.07-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.31 (m, 4H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.7, 40.1, 46.7, 50.6, 76.1, 85.5, 109.3, 114.0, 116.2, 118.9, 119.3, 121.7, 126.3, 126.9, 127.2, 129.6, 137.0, 137.4, 138.7, 143.1, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2924, 1954, 1597, 1328, 1155, 1090, 848, 739, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 407.17 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 407.1788, found: 407.1782. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IB column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 96/4; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.41$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 19.79$  min; ee% = 84%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -23.0$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



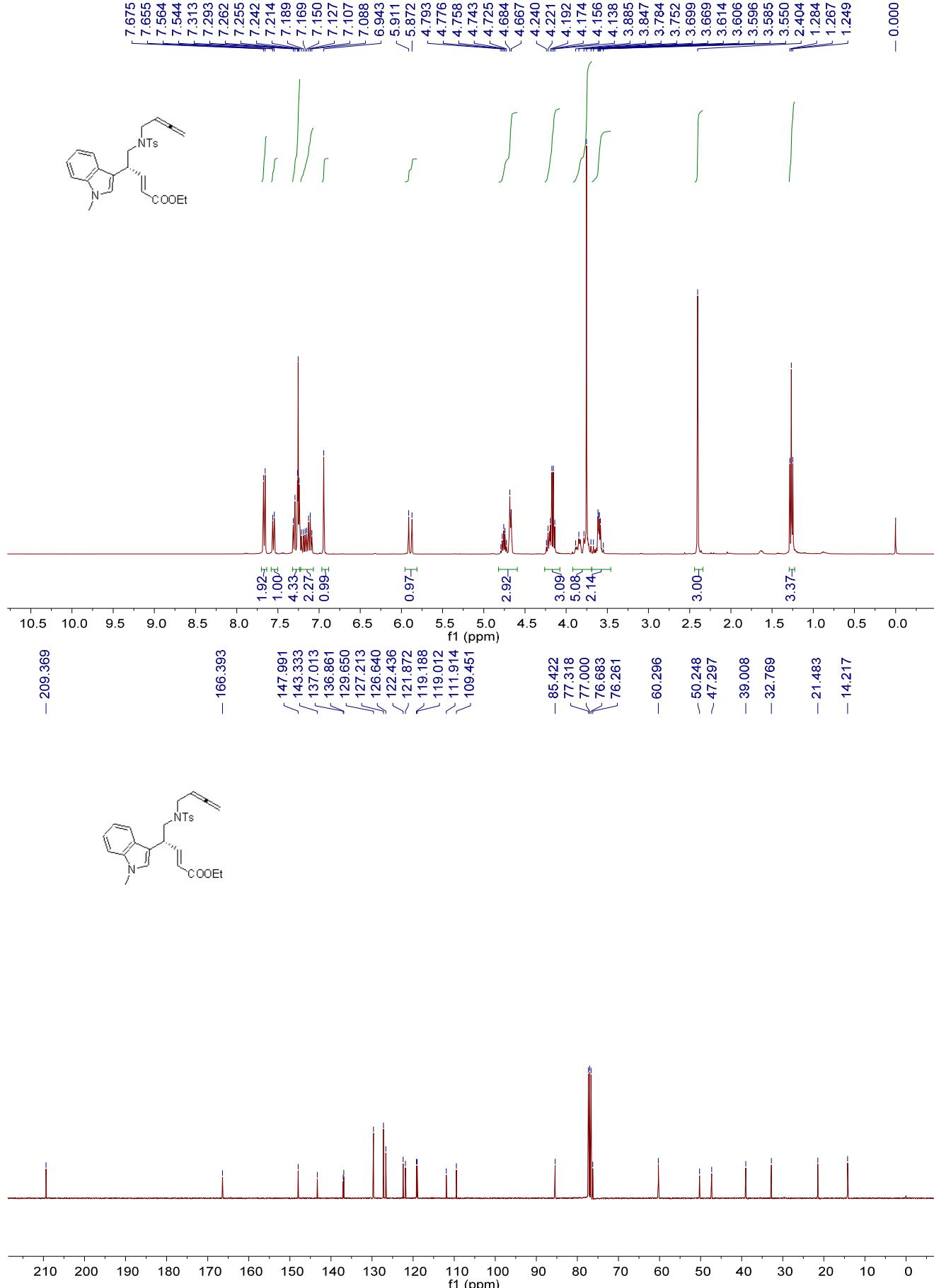


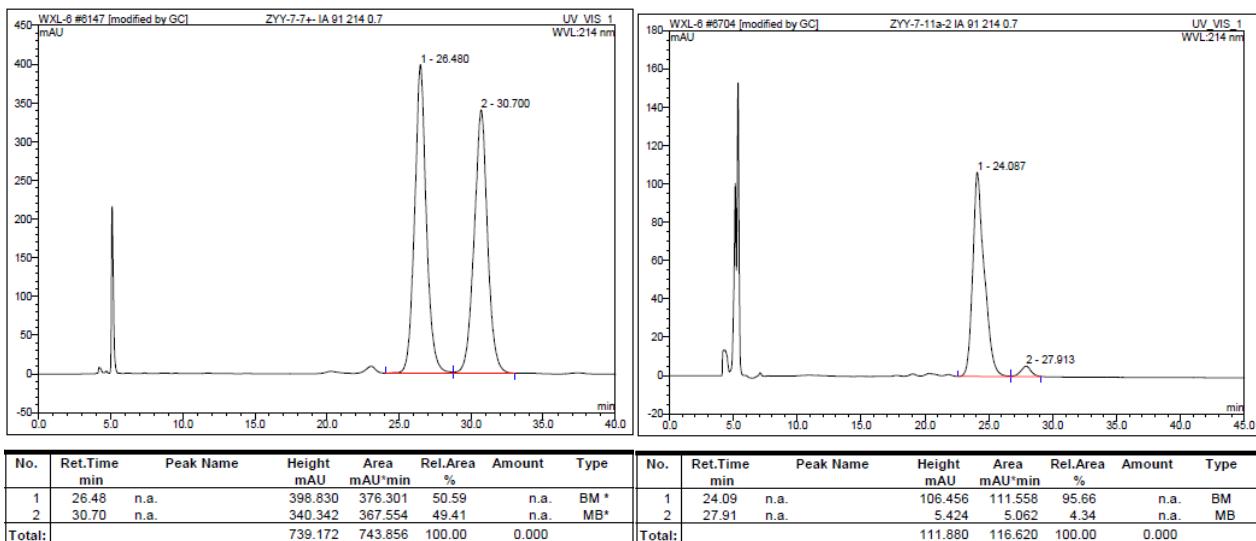
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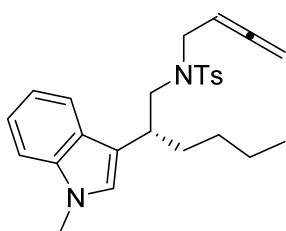
**(*R,E*)-ethyl 5-(N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)-4-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)pent-2-enoate 1t**

A white liquid, 44% yield (20.9 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.27 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 3.55-3.67 (m, 2H), 3.69-3.89 (m, 5H), 4.13-4.24 (m, 3H), 4.66-4.80 (m, 3H), 5.89 (d,  $J = 15.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.94 (s, 1H), 7.08-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.24-7.32 (m, 4H), 7.55 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  14.2, 21.5, 32.8, 39.0, 47.3, 50.2, 60.3, 76.3, 85.4, 109.5, 111.9, 119.0, 119.2, 121.9, 122.4, 126.6, 127.2, 129.7, 136.9, 137.0, 143.3, 148.0, 166.4, 209.4. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2924, 1954, 1712, 1597, 1470, 1328, 1155, 1090, 981, 853, 741, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 496.22 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$  requires 496.2265, found: 496.2254. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 27.91$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 24.09$  min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 3.5$  (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



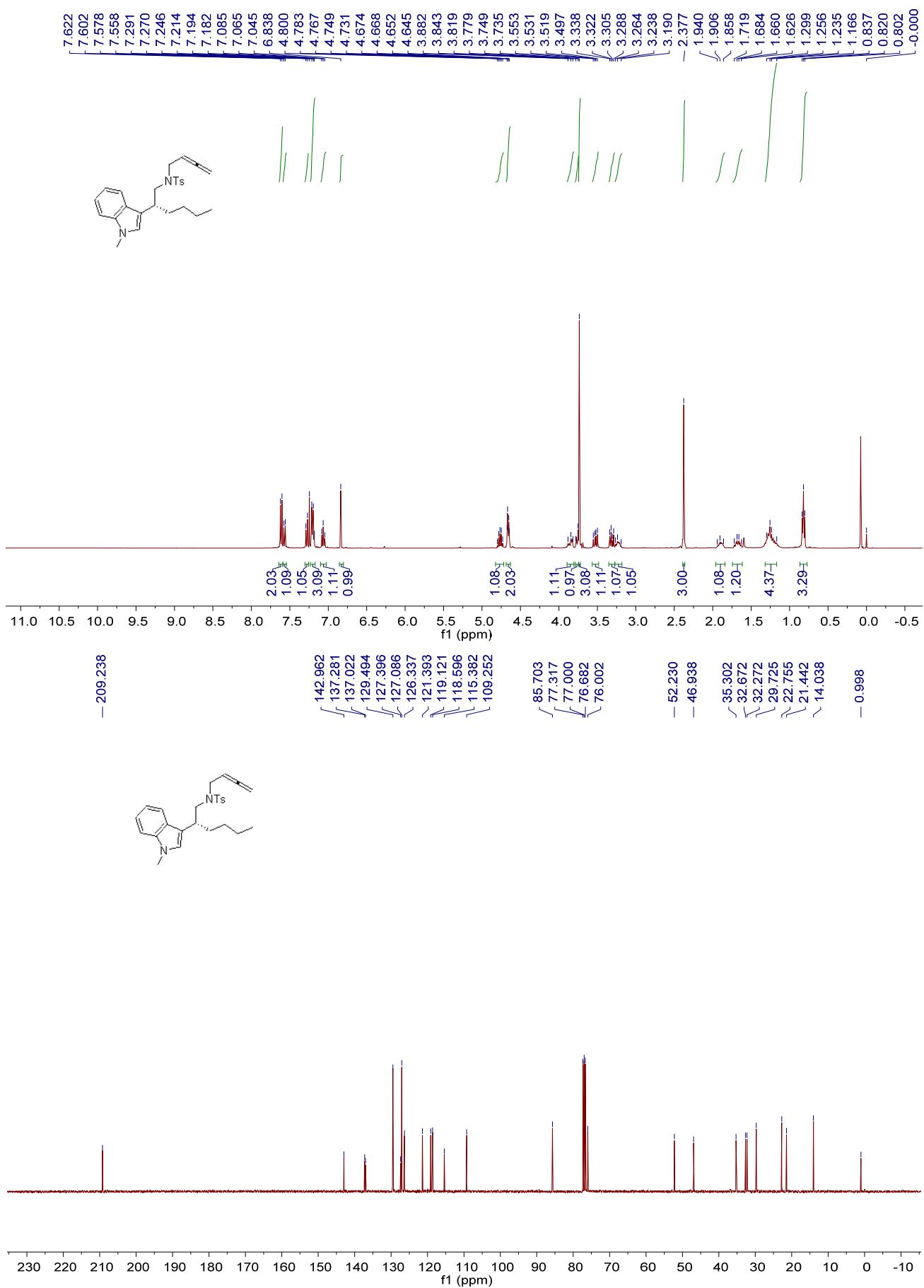


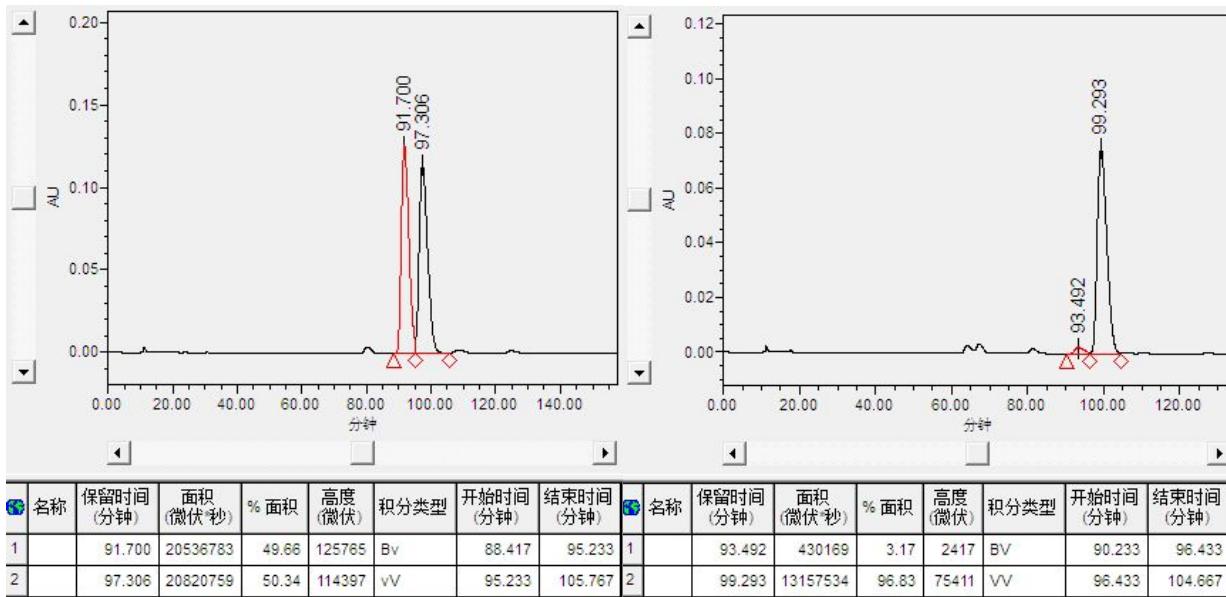
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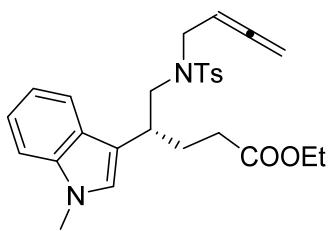
**(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)hexyl)benzenesulfonamide 1u**

A white liquid, 43% yield (18.8 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  0.82 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 1.16-1.30 (m, 4H), 1.62-1.72 (m, 1H), 1.85-1.94 (m, 1H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 3.19-3.27 (m, 1H), 3.31 (dd,  $J = 13.2, 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.74-3.78 (m, 1H), 3.81-3.89 (m, 1H), 4.64-4.68 (m, 2H), 4.73-4.80 (m, 1H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 7.04-7.09 (m, 1H), 7.18-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.56 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  1.0, 14.0, 21.4, 22.8, 29.7, 32.3, 32.7, 35.3, 46.9, 52.2, 76.0, 85.7, 109.3, 115.4, 118.6, 119.1, 121.4, 126.3, 127.1, 127.4, 129.5, 137.0, 137.3, 143.0, 209.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3288, 2954, 2921, 2851, 1735, 1597, 1494, 1349, 1185, 1161, 1092, 929, 898, 750, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 437.22 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 437.2257, found: 437.2256. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel AD column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 100/1; Flow rate: 0.30 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 93.49$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 99.29$  min; ee% = 94%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 9.1$  (c 0.15,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



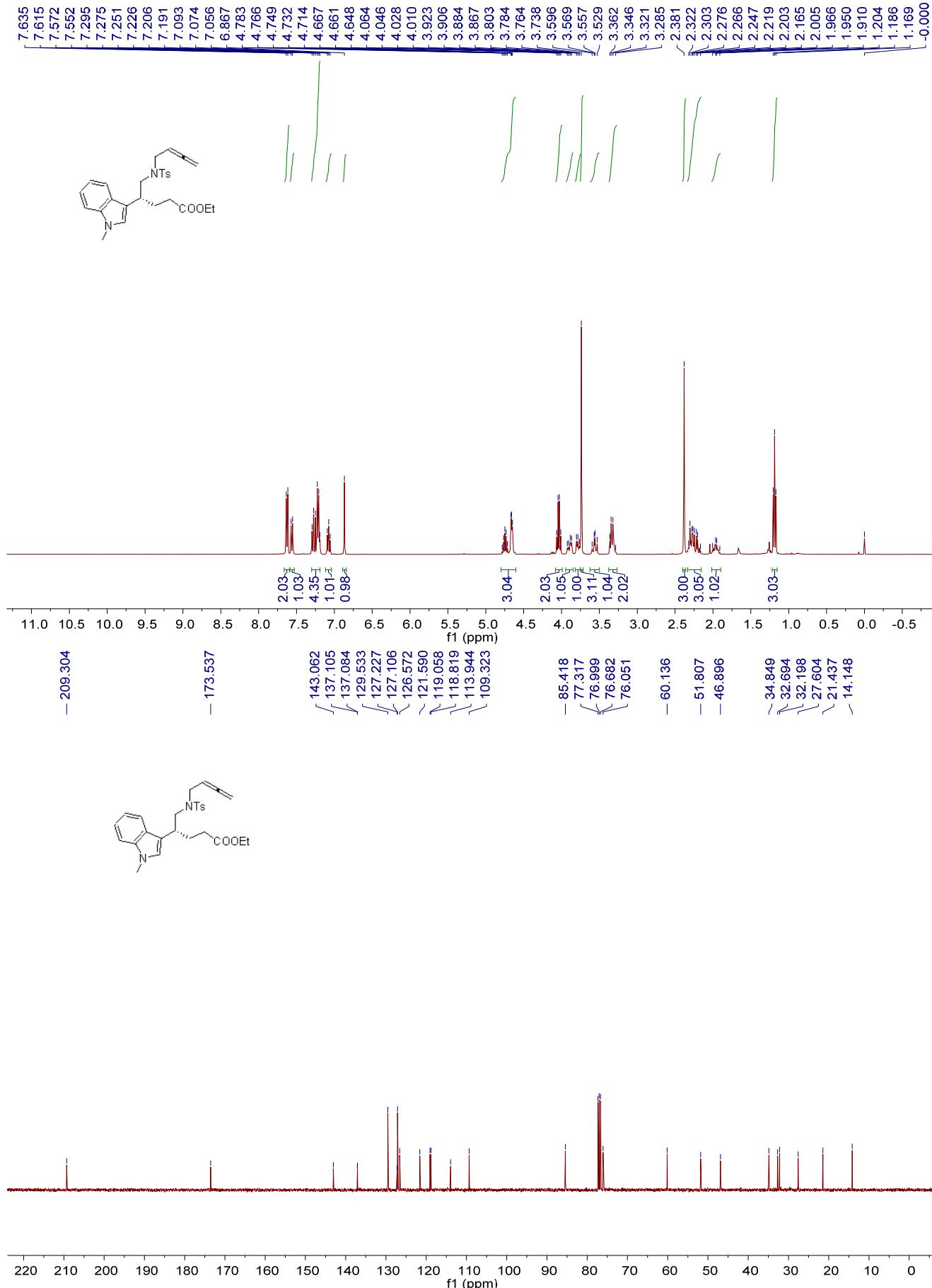


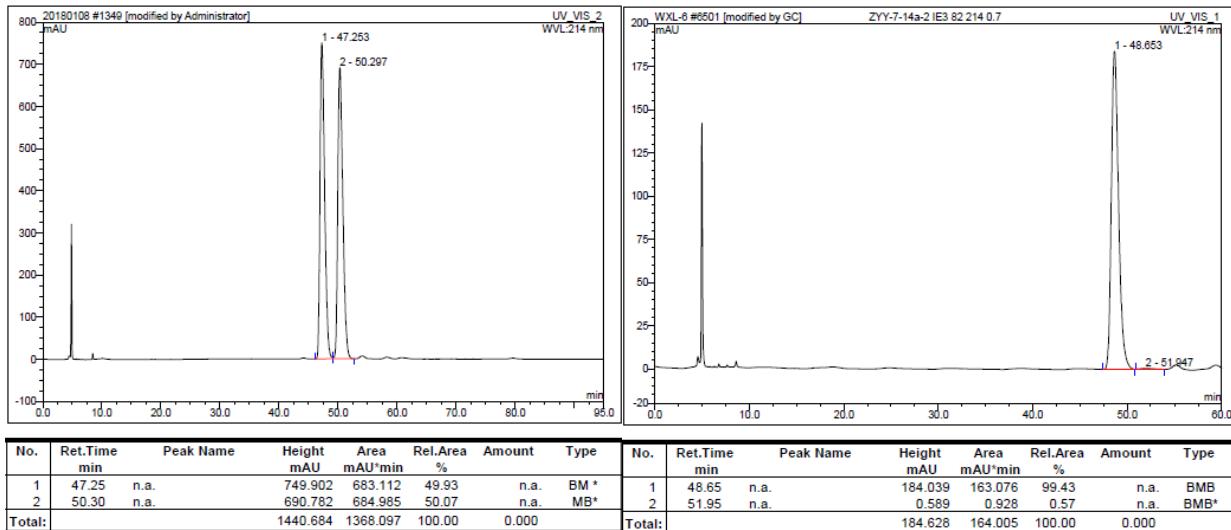
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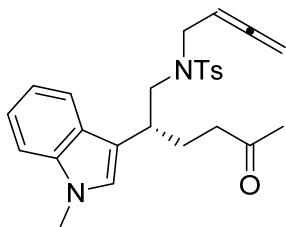
### (R)-ethyl 5-(N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)-4-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)Pentanoate **1v**

A white liquid, 43% yield (20.5 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.87 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 1.91-2.01 (m, 1H), 2.16-2.33 (m, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 3.28-3.37 (m, 2H), 3.52-3.60 (m, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.76-3.81 (m, 1H), 3.86-3.93 (m, 1H), 4.03 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 4.64-4.79 (m, 3H), 6.87 (s, 1H), 7.05-7.10 (m, 1H), 7.19-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.56 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  14.1, 21.4, 27.6, 32.2, 32.7, 34.8, 46.9, 51.8, 60.1, 76.1, 85.4, 109.3, 113.9, 118.8, 119.1, 121.6, 126.6, 127.1, 127.2, 129.5, 137.08, 137.11, 143.1, 173.5, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2929, 1954, 1727, 1327, 1155, 1090, 971, 852, 739, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 498.24 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{36}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$  requires 498.2421, found: 498.2410. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 51.95$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 48.65$  min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 10.0$  (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



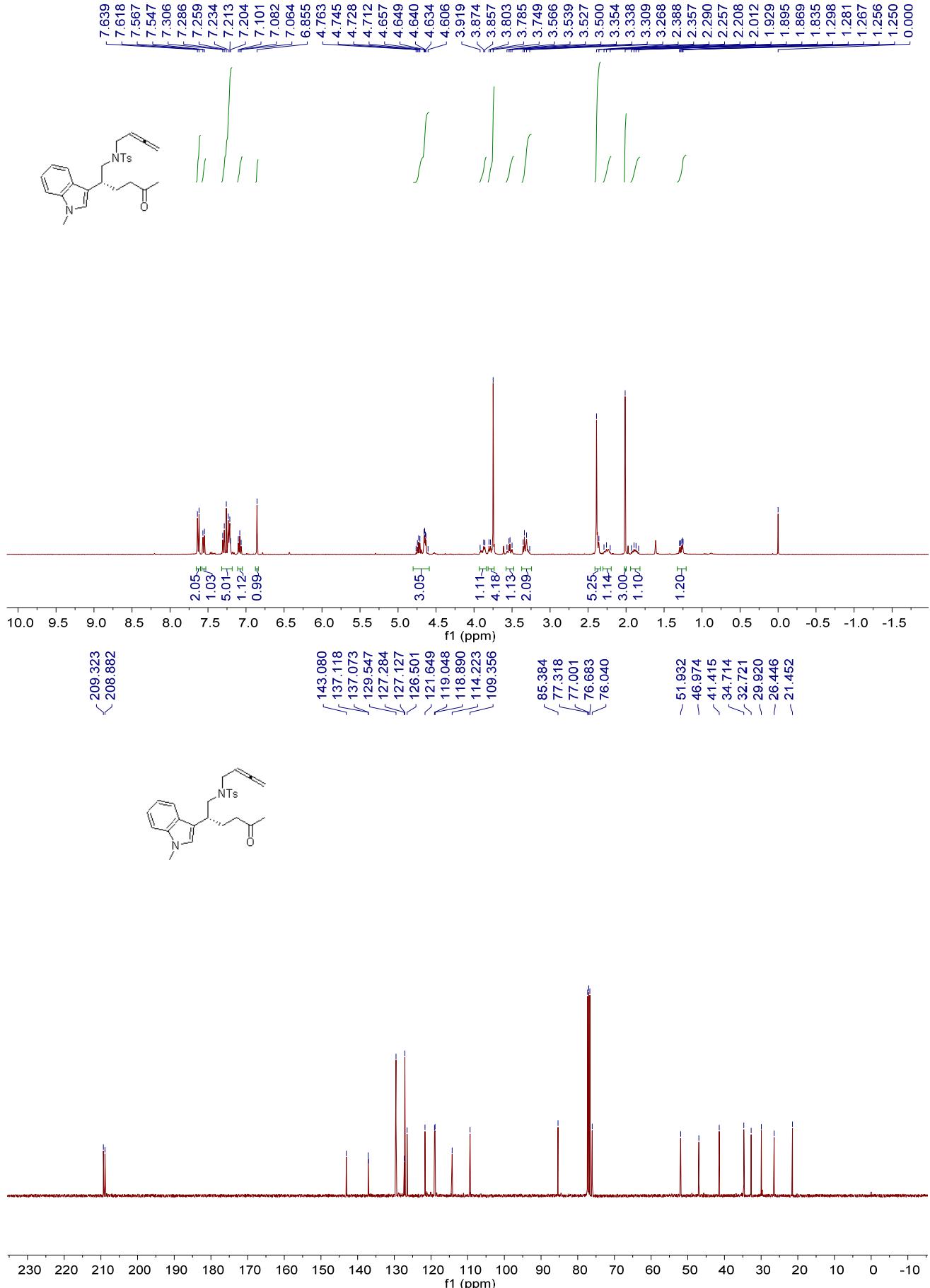


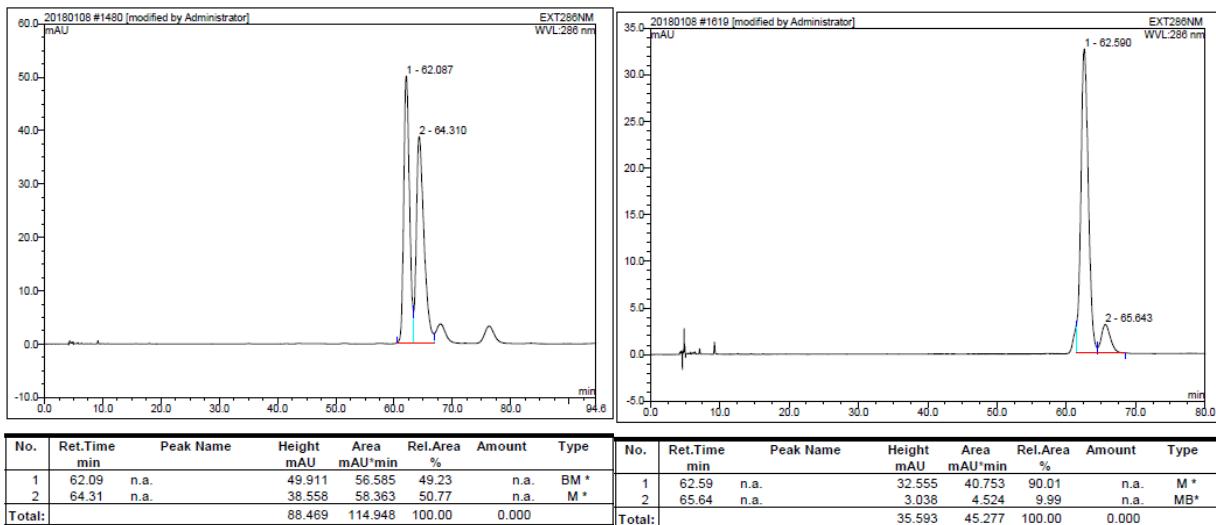
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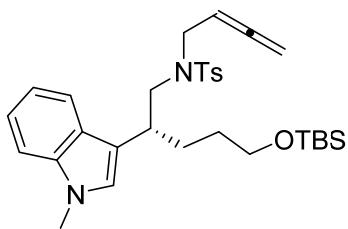
### (*R*)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-*N*-(2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-5-oxohexyl)benzenesulfonamide 1w

A white liquid, 42% yield (18.8 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.25-1.30 (m, 1H), 1.83-1.93 (m, 1H), 2.01 (s, 3H), 2.20-2.29 (m, 1H), 2.35-2.39 (m, 5H), 3.26-3.36 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.57 (m, 1H), 3.74-3.81 (m, 4H), 3.85-3.92 (m, 1H), 4.60-4.77 (m, 3H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 7.06-7.11 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.31 (m, 5H), 7.55 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 26.4, 29.9, 32.7, 34.7, 41.4, 47.0, 51.9, 76.0, 85.4, 109.4, 114.2, 118.9, 119.0, 121.6, 126.5, 127.1, 127.3, 129.5, 137.07, 137.12, 143.1, 208.9, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2921, 1954, 1711, 1597, 1471, 1327, 1155, 1089, 964, 897, 740, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 468.23 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$  requires 468.2315, found: 468.2305. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IF3 column [ $\lambda = 286$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 65.64$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 62.59$  min; ee% = 80%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -6.0$  (c 0.05,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



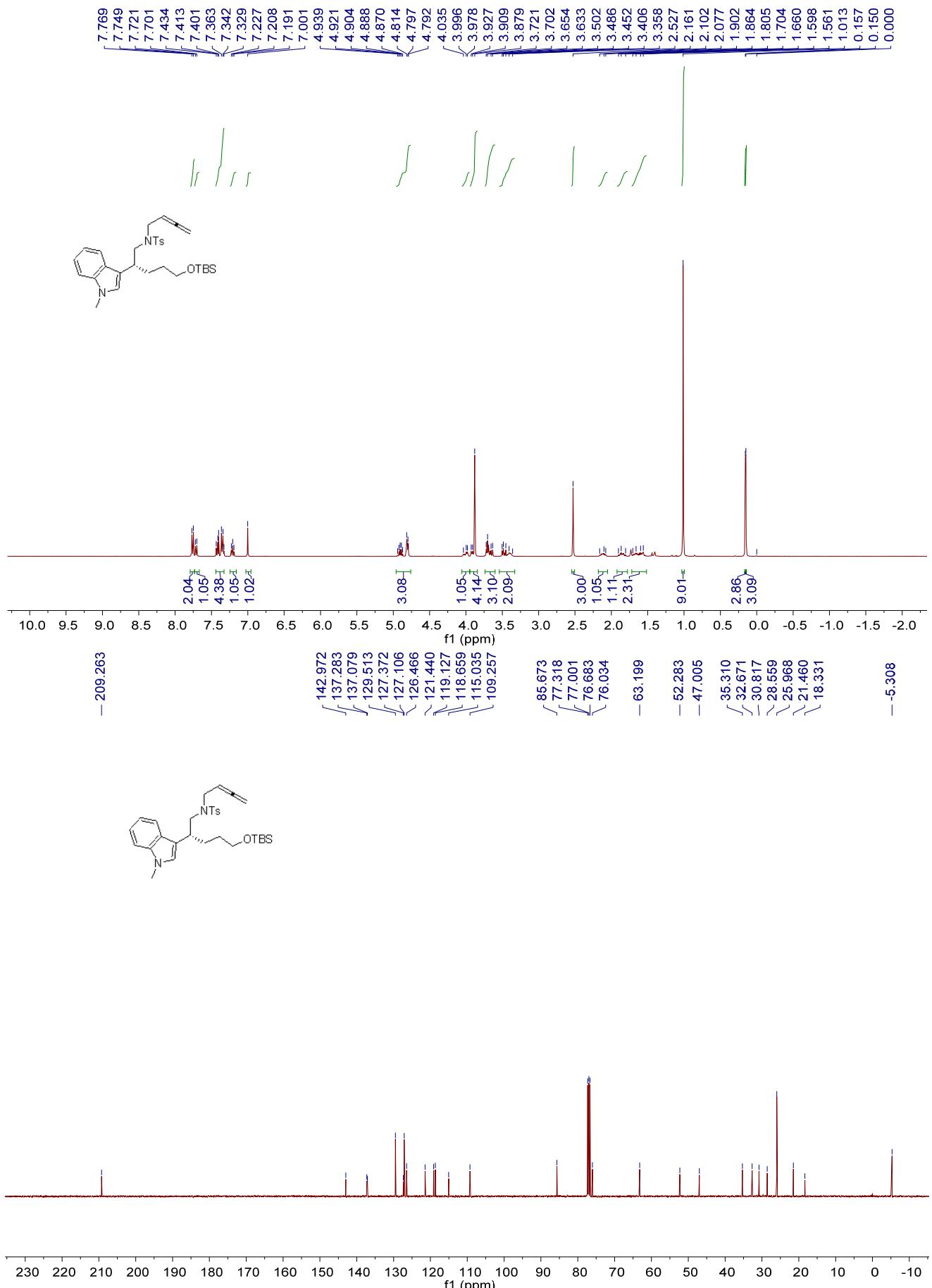


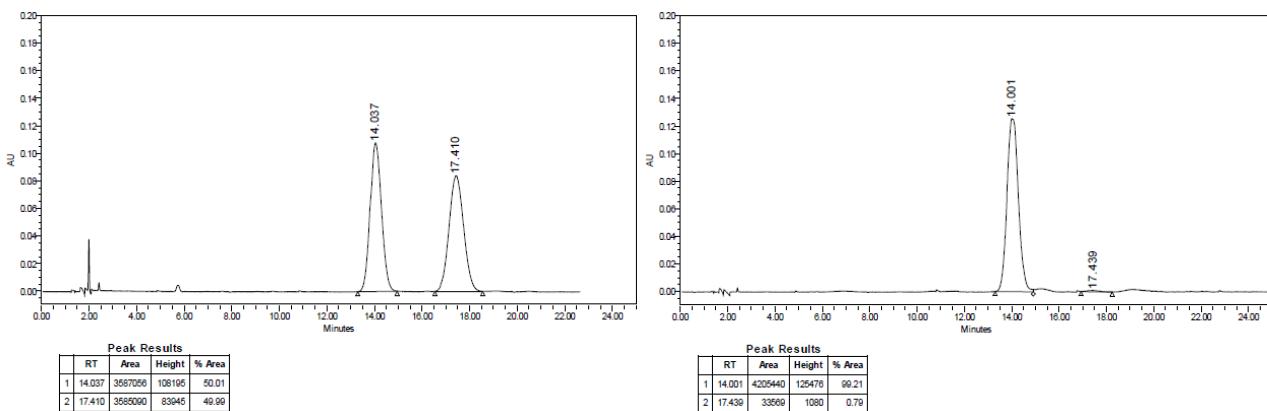
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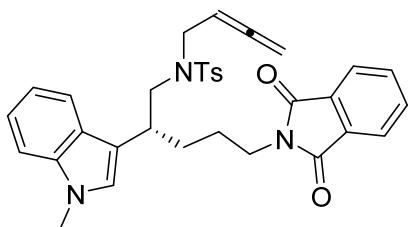
### (*R*)-*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-*N*-(5-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)pentyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **1x**

A white liquid, 43% yield (23.9 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  0.15 (s, 3H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 9H), 1.56-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.80-1.91 (m, 1H), 2.07-2.17 (m, 1H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 3.35-3.51 (m, 2H), 3.63-3.73 (m, 3H), 3.87-3.93 (m, 4H), 3.97-4.04 (m, 1H), 4.79-4.94 (m, 3H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 7.19-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.32-7.44 (m, 4H), 7.71 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  -5.3, 18.3, 21.5, 26.0, 28.6, 30.8, 32.7, 35.3, 47.0, 52.3, 63.2, 76.0, 85.7, 109.3, 115.0, 118.7, 119.1, 121.4, 126.5, 127.1, 127.4, 129.5, 137.1, 137.3, 143.0, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2927, 2855, 1954, 1598, 1471, 1327, 1158, 1090, 834, 737, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 553.29 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{45}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{SSi}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 553.2915, found: 553.2900. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel PC1 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent:  $\text{CO}_2 / \text{MeOH} = 95/5$ ; Flow rate: 2.20 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 17.44$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 14.00$  min; ee% = 98%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 31.8$  (c 0.3,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



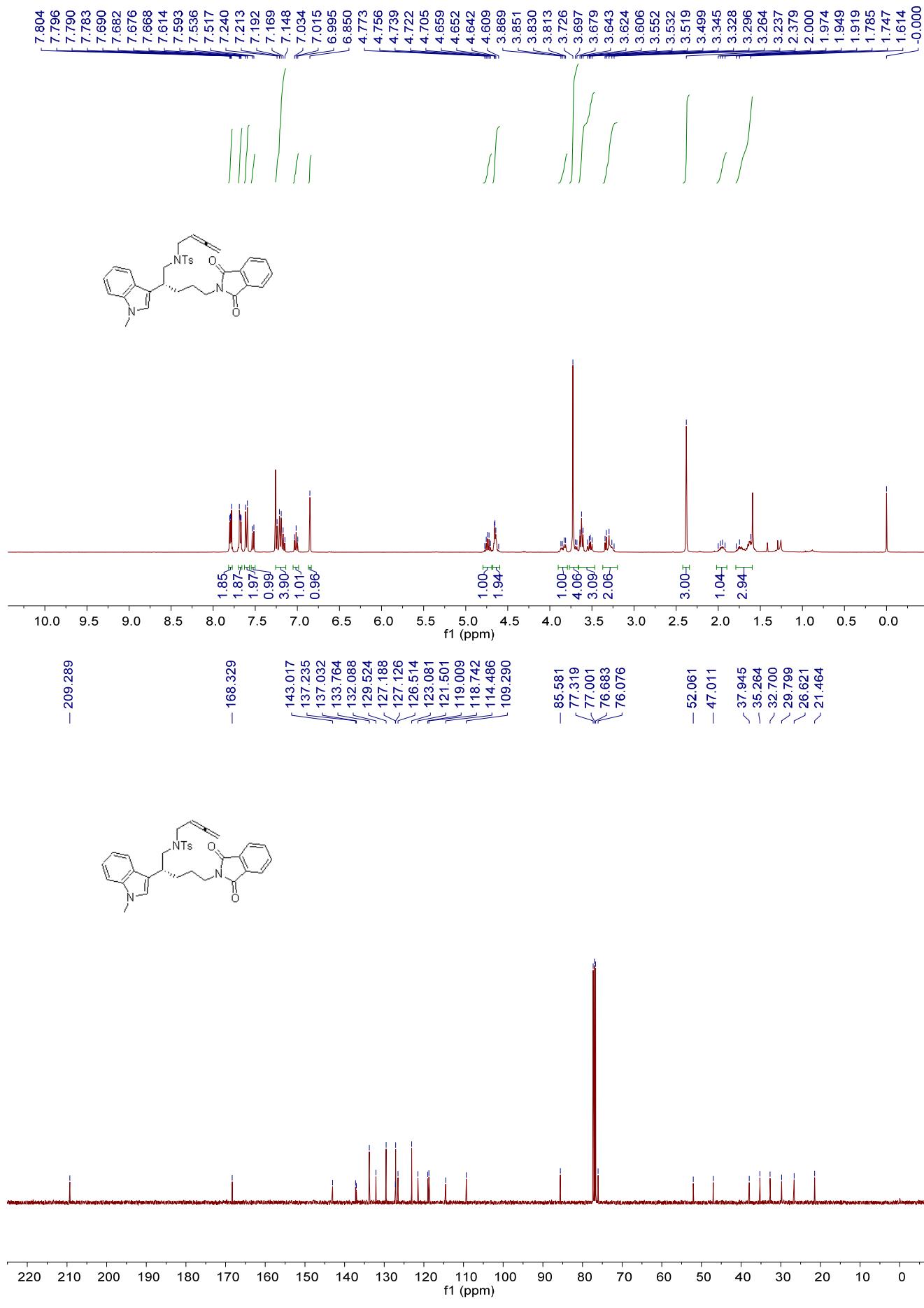


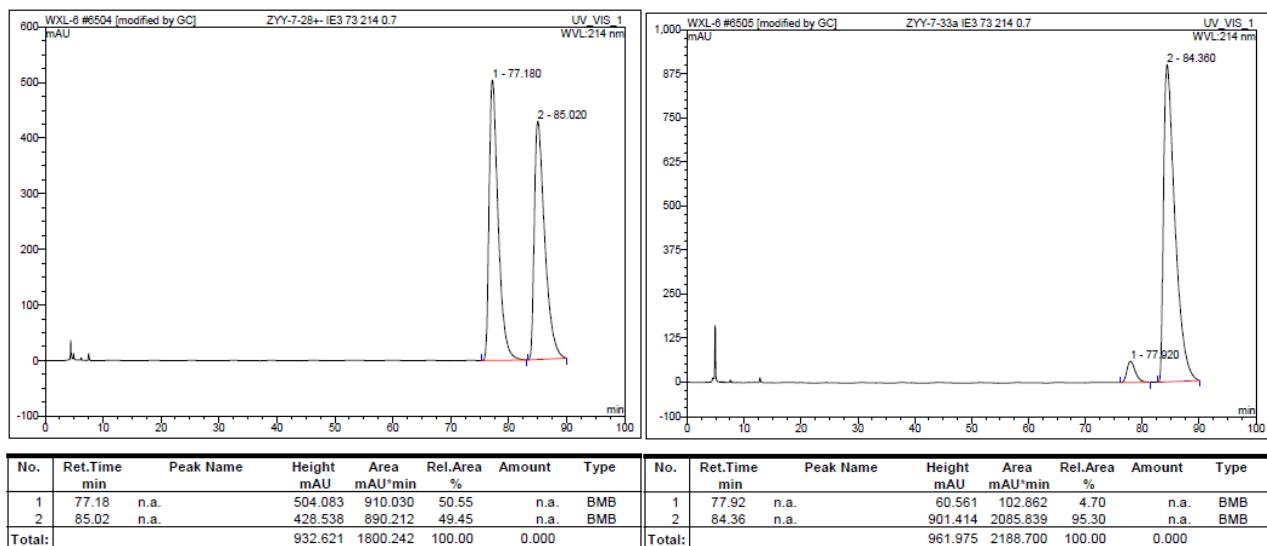
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**(R)-N-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-N-(5-(1,3-dioxoisoindolin-2-yl)-2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)pentyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide 1y**

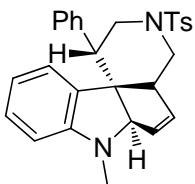
A white solid, 42% yield (23.2 mg). M.p.: 88-91 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.61-1.79 (m, 3H), 1.91-2.00 (m, 1H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 3.23-3.35 (m, 2H), 3.49-3.65 (m, 3H), 3.67-3.73 (m, 4H), 3.81-3.87 (m, 1H), 4.60-4.66 (m, 2H), 4.70-4.78 (m, 1H), 6.85 (s, 1H), 6.99-7.04 (m, 1H), 7.14-7.24 (m, 4H), 7.52 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.66-7.69 (m, 2H), 7.78-7.81 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 26.6, 29.8, 32.7, 35.3, 37.9, 47.0, 52.1, 76.1, 85.6, 109.3, 114.5, 118.7, 119.0, 121.5, 123.1, 126.5, 127.1, 127.2, 129.5, 132.1, 133.8, 137.0, 137.2, 143.0, 168.3, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3242, 2933, 1953, 1706, 1395, 1185, 1155, 1090, 852, 741, 656  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 568.22 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 568.2265, found: 568.2257. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 77.92$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 84.36$  min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 36.0$  (c 1.1,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





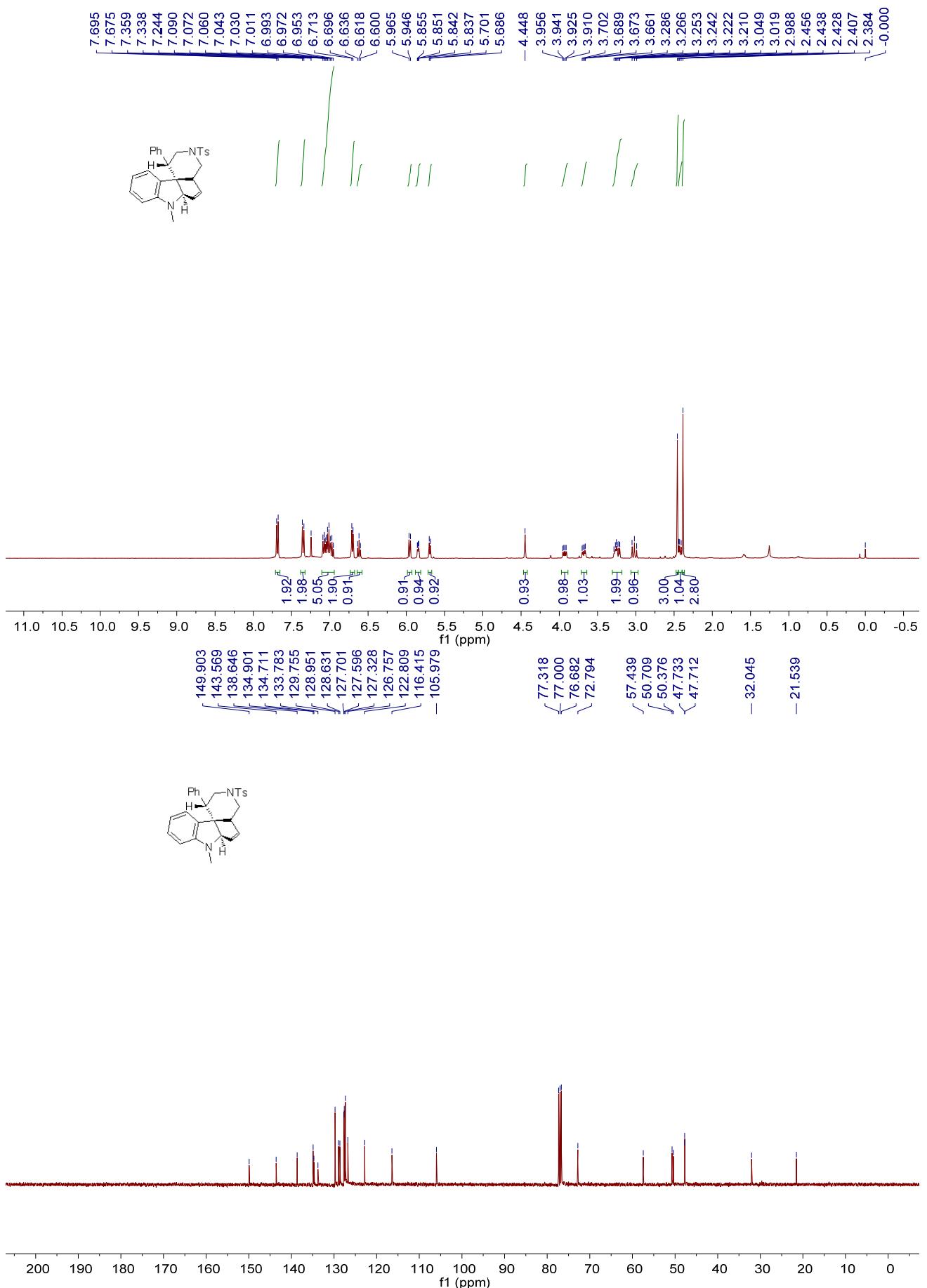
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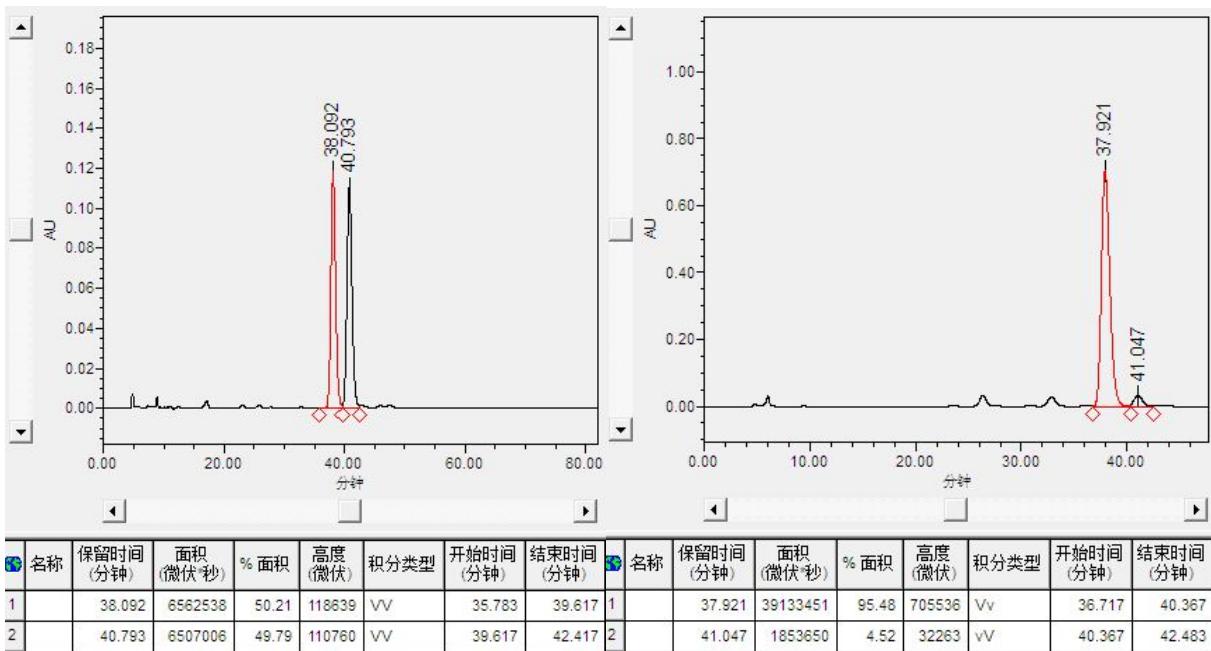
## 7. Characterization and spectra charts for compounds 2.



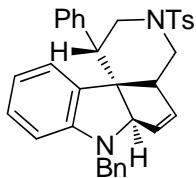
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*a*

A white solid, 49% yield (22.3 mg). M.p.: 183-186 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.38 (s, 3H), 2.40-2.44 (m, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 3.02 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.21-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.68 (dd,  $J$  = 11.2, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (dd,  $J$  = 12.4, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.45 (s, 1H), 5.69 (d,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.83-5.86 (m, 1H), 5.95 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.60-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.69-6.72 (m, 2H,), 6.95-7.09 (m, 5H), 7.34 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.0, 47.71, 47.73, 50.4, 50.7, 57.4, 72.8, 106.0, 116.4, 122.8, 126.8, 127.3, 127.6, 127.7, 128.6, 129.0, 129.8, 133.8, 134.7, 134.9, 138.6, 143.6, 149.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3054, 2920, 2852, 1604, 1494, 1339, 1161, 937, 860, 733, 662  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 457.19 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 457.1944, found: 457.1940. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 254 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 86/14; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 41.05 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 37.92 min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -162.9$  (c 0.1,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





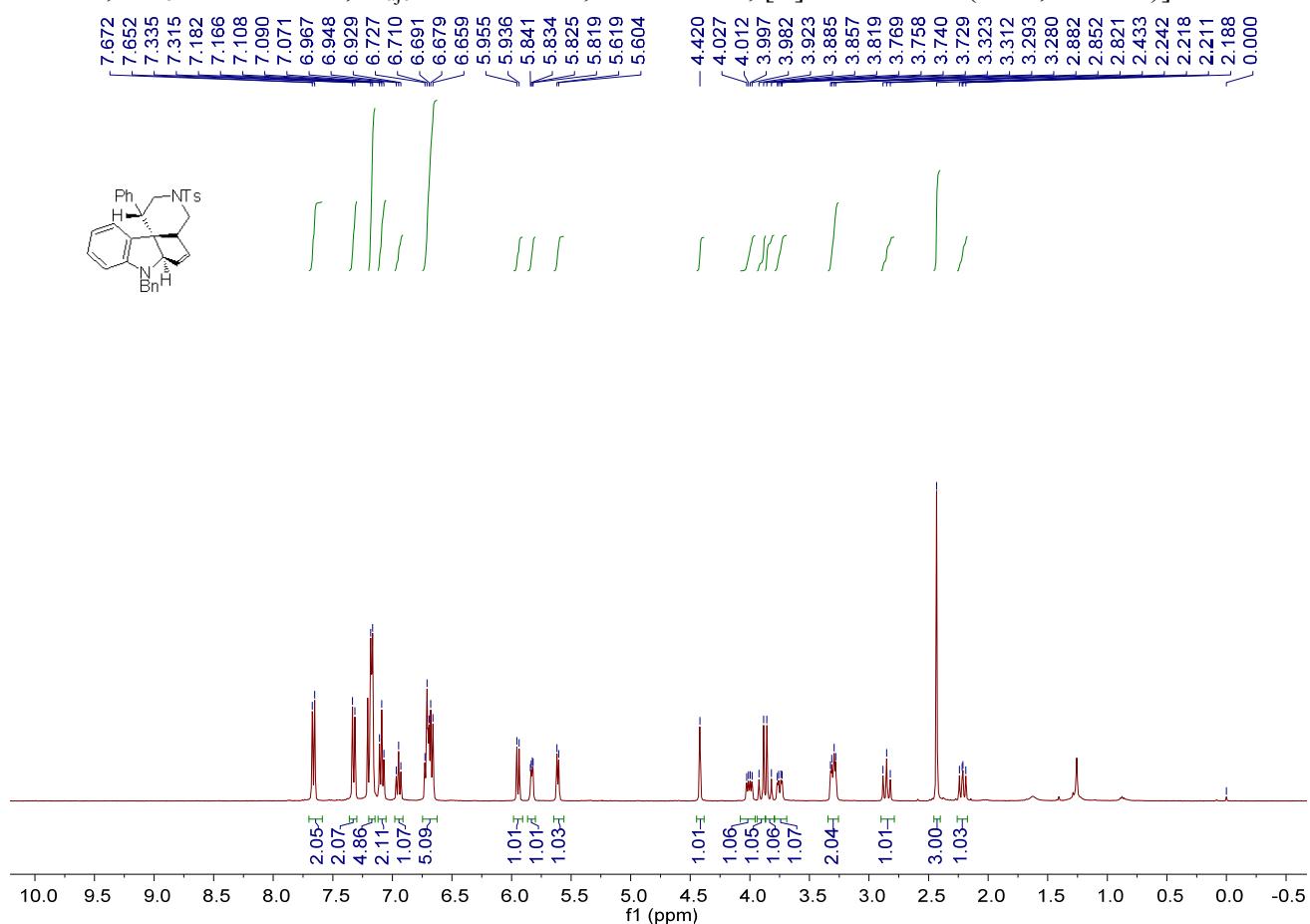
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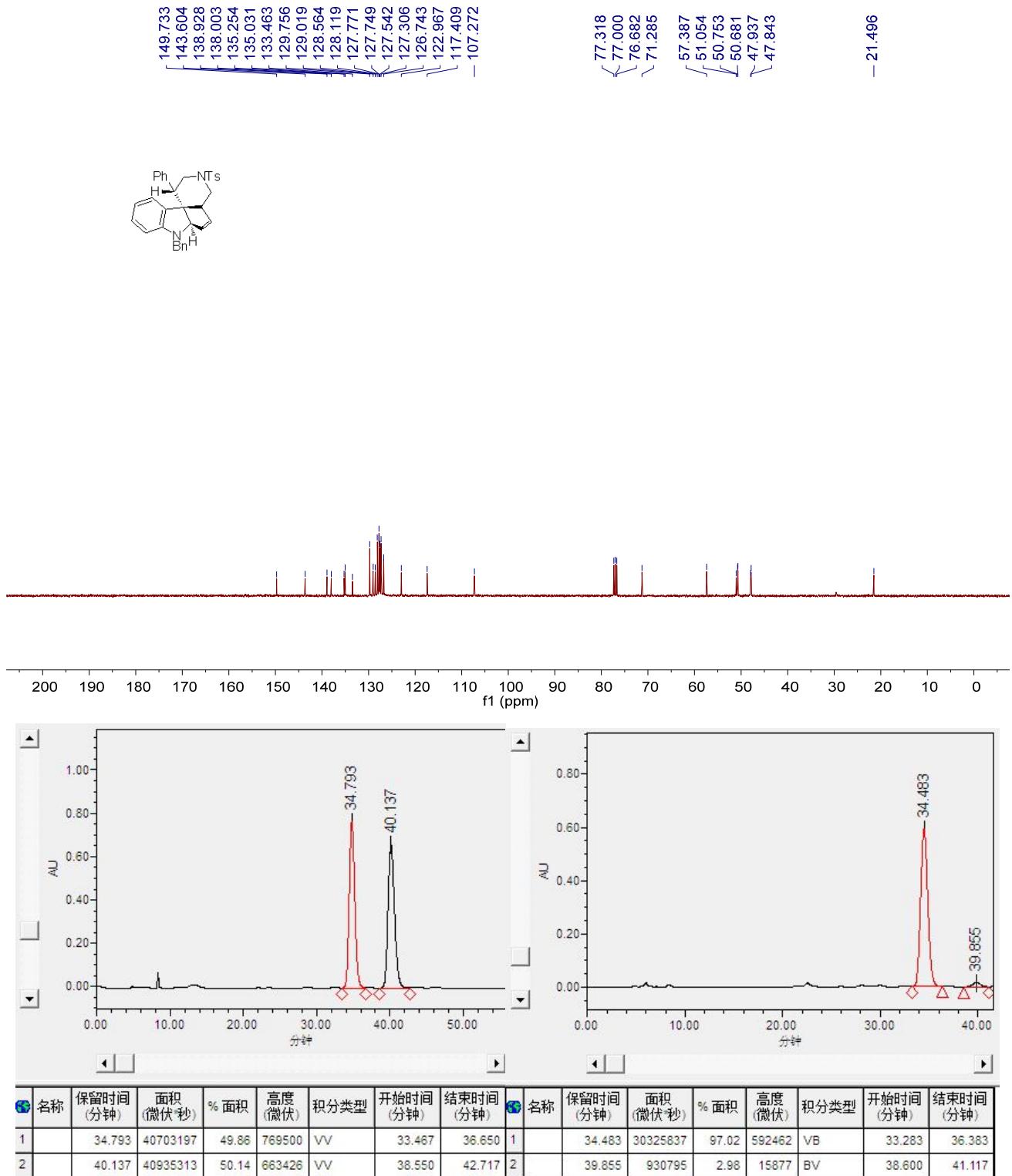


### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7-benzyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclohexa[1,2-*b*]indole 2b

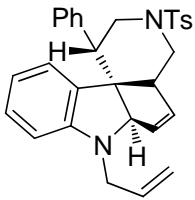
A white solid, 34% yield (18.1 mg). M.p.: 117-120 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.21 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 9.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.85 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.28-3.33 (m, 2H), 3.75 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d,  $J = 15.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.90 (d,  $J = 15.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.00 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.42 (s, 1H), 5.61 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.83 (dd,  $J = 6.0, 2.4$  Hz, 1H), 5.94 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.65-6.73 (m, 5H), 6.92-6.97 (m, 1H), 7.07-7.11 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 47.8, 47.9, 50.7, 50.8, 51.1, 57.4, 71.3, 107.3, 117.4, 123.0, 126.7, 127.3, 127.5, 127.7, 127.8, 128.1, 128.6, 129.0, 129.8, 133.5, 135.0, 135.3, 138.0, 138.9, 143.6, 149.7. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3058, 2920, 1600, 1484, 1344, 1162, 1089, 936, 859, 729, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 533.22 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 533.2257, found: 533.2251. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 86/14; Flow rate: 0.70

mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 39.86$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 34.48$  min; ee% = 94%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -129.4$  (c 0.4,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).



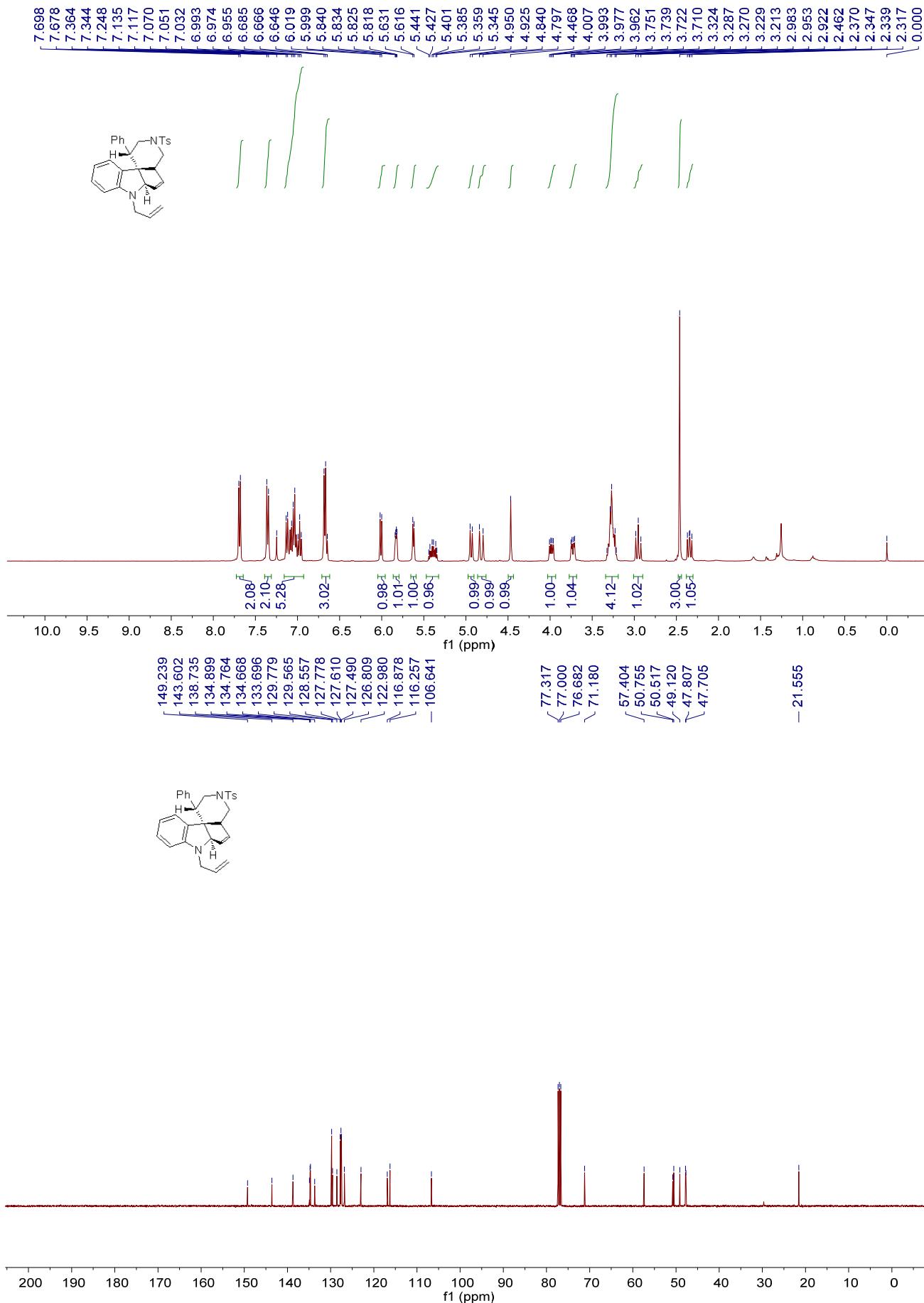


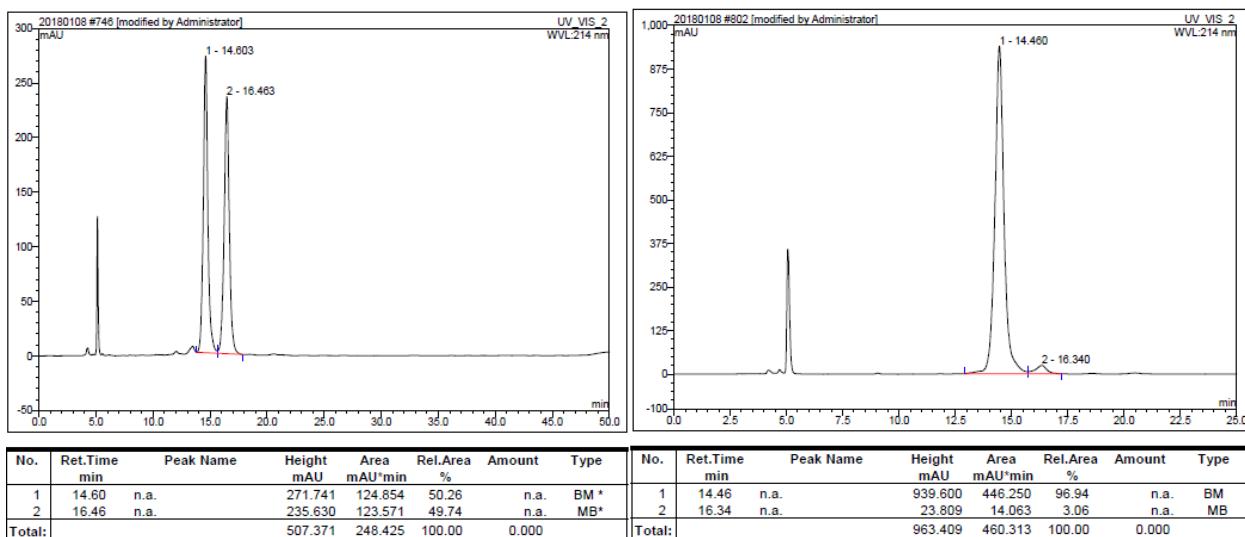
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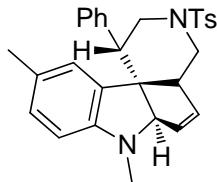
**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7-allyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2c**

A white solid, 45% yield (21.7 mg). M.p.: 107-110 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.34 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.95 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.21-3.33 (m, 4H), 3.73 (dd,  $J$  = 11.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (s, 1H), 4.82 (d,  $J$  = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (d,  $J$  = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.34-5.45 (m, 1H), 5.62 (d,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (dd,  $J$  = 6.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.01 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.64-6.69 (m, 3H), 6.95-7.14 (m, 5H), 7.35 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 47.7, 47.8, 49.1, 50.5, 50.8, 57.4, 71.2, 106.6, 116.3, 116.9, 123.0, 126.8, 127.5, 127.6, 127.8, 128.6, 129.6, 129.8, 133.7, 134.7, 134.8, 134.9, 138.7, 143.6, 149.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3053, 2921, 2850, 1601, 1485, 1343, 1161, 1089, 934, 858, 730, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 483.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 483.2101, found: 483.2092. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda$  = 214 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 16.34 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 14.46 min; ee% = 94%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25}$  = -102.5 (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



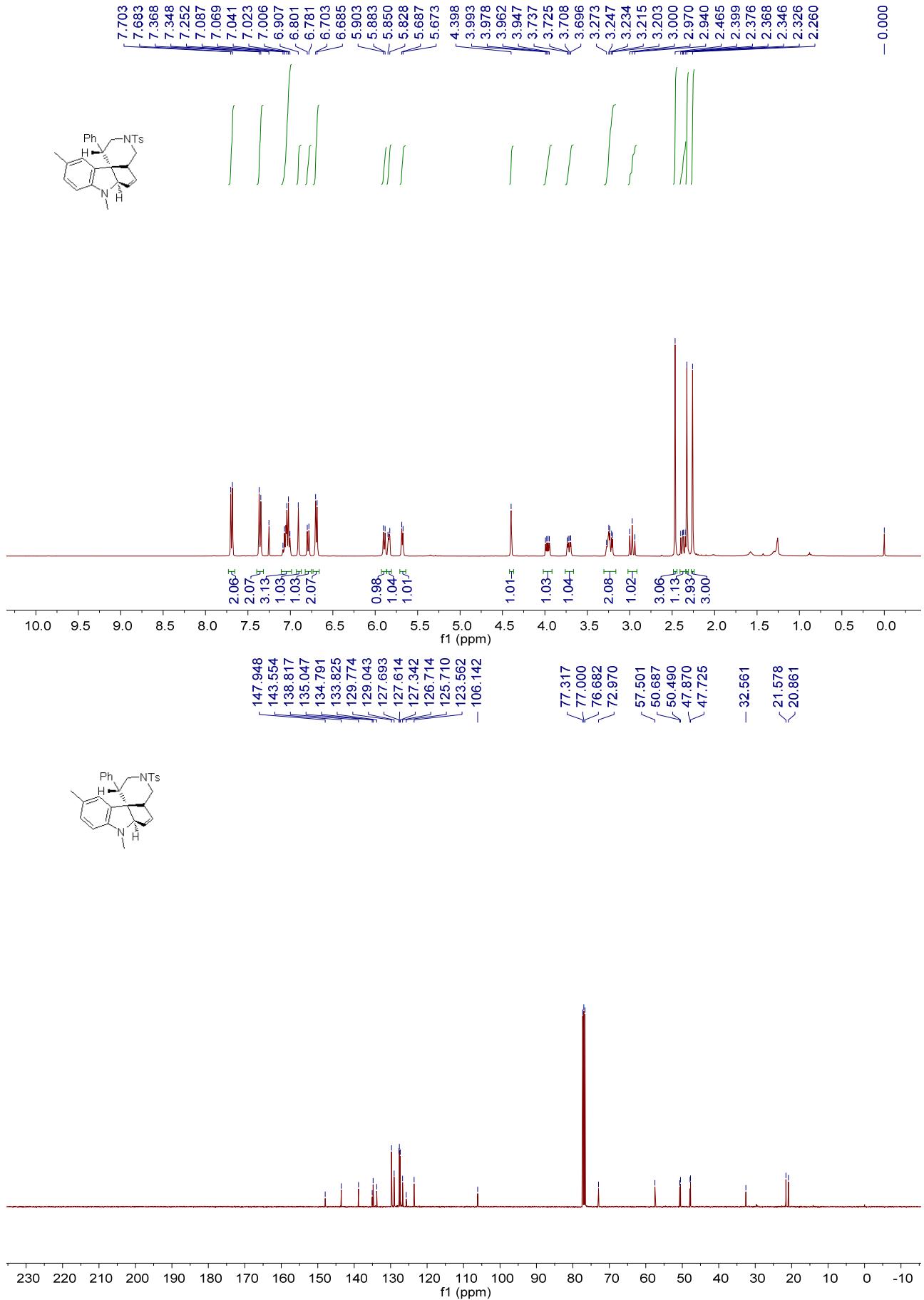


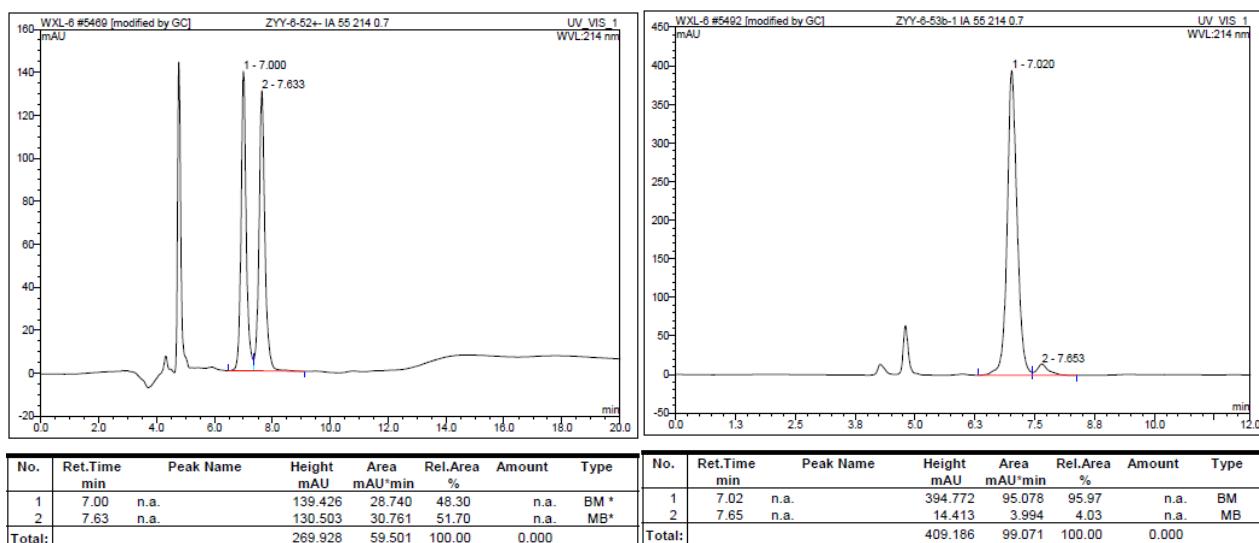
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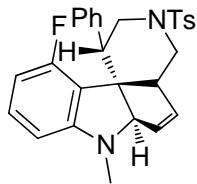
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7,10-dimethyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2d

A white solid, 49% yield (23.0 mg). M.p.: 89-92 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.26 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 2.37 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.47 (s, 3H), 2.97 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.28 (m, 2H), 3.71 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.97 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.40 (s, 1H), 5.68 (d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.85 (m, 1H), 5.89 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.68-6.71 (m, 2H), 6.79 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 7.00-7.09 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  20.9, 21.6, 32.6, 47.7, 47.9, 50.5, 50.7, 57.5, 73.0, 106.1, 123.6, 125.7, 126.7, 127.3, 127.6, 127.7, 129.0, 129.8, 133.8, 134.8, 135.0, 138.8, 143.6, 147.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2962, 2852, 1496, 1341, 1259, 1016, 865, 795, 696  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2092. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 50/50; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.65$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 7.02$  min; ee% = 92%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -132.5$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





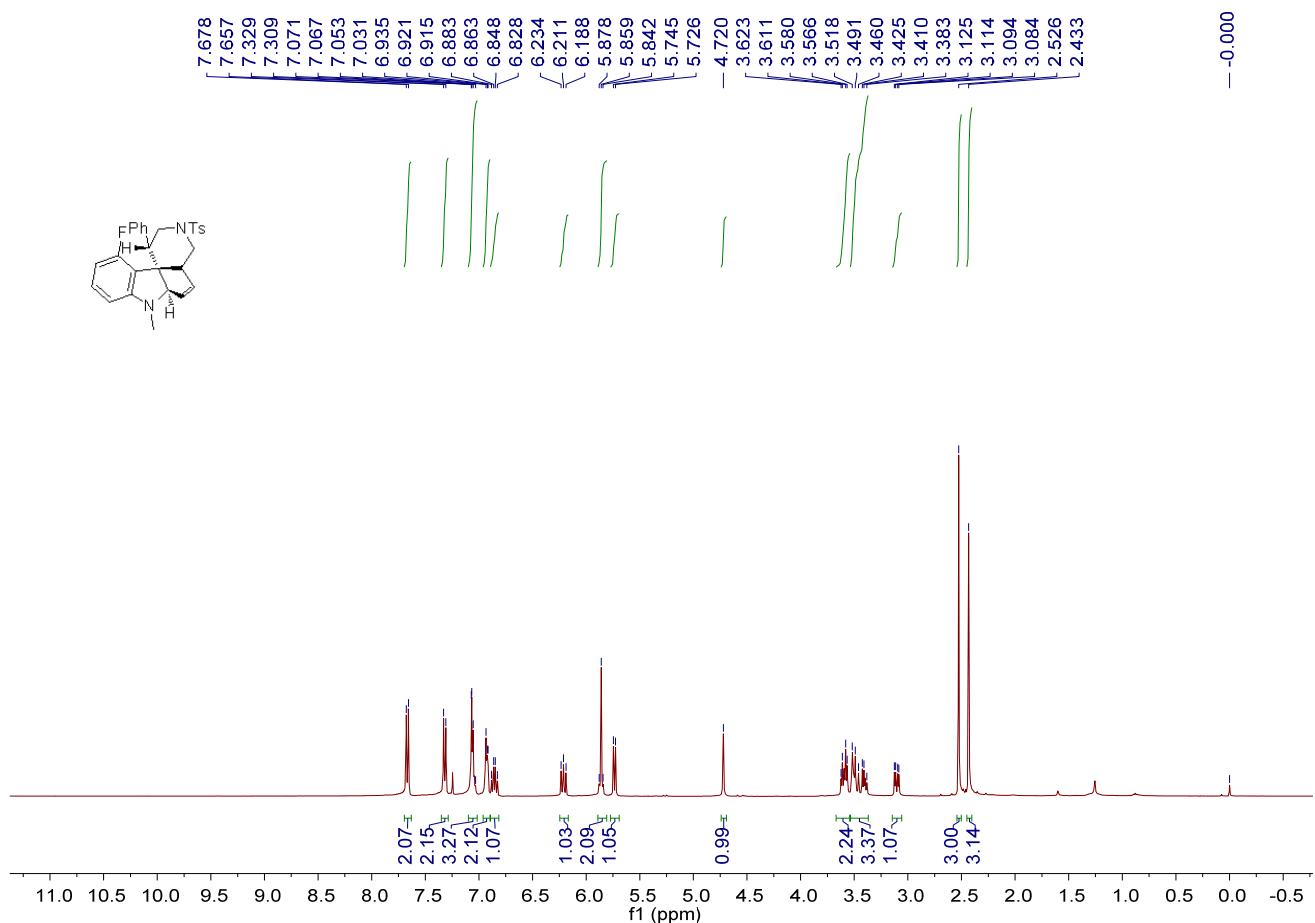
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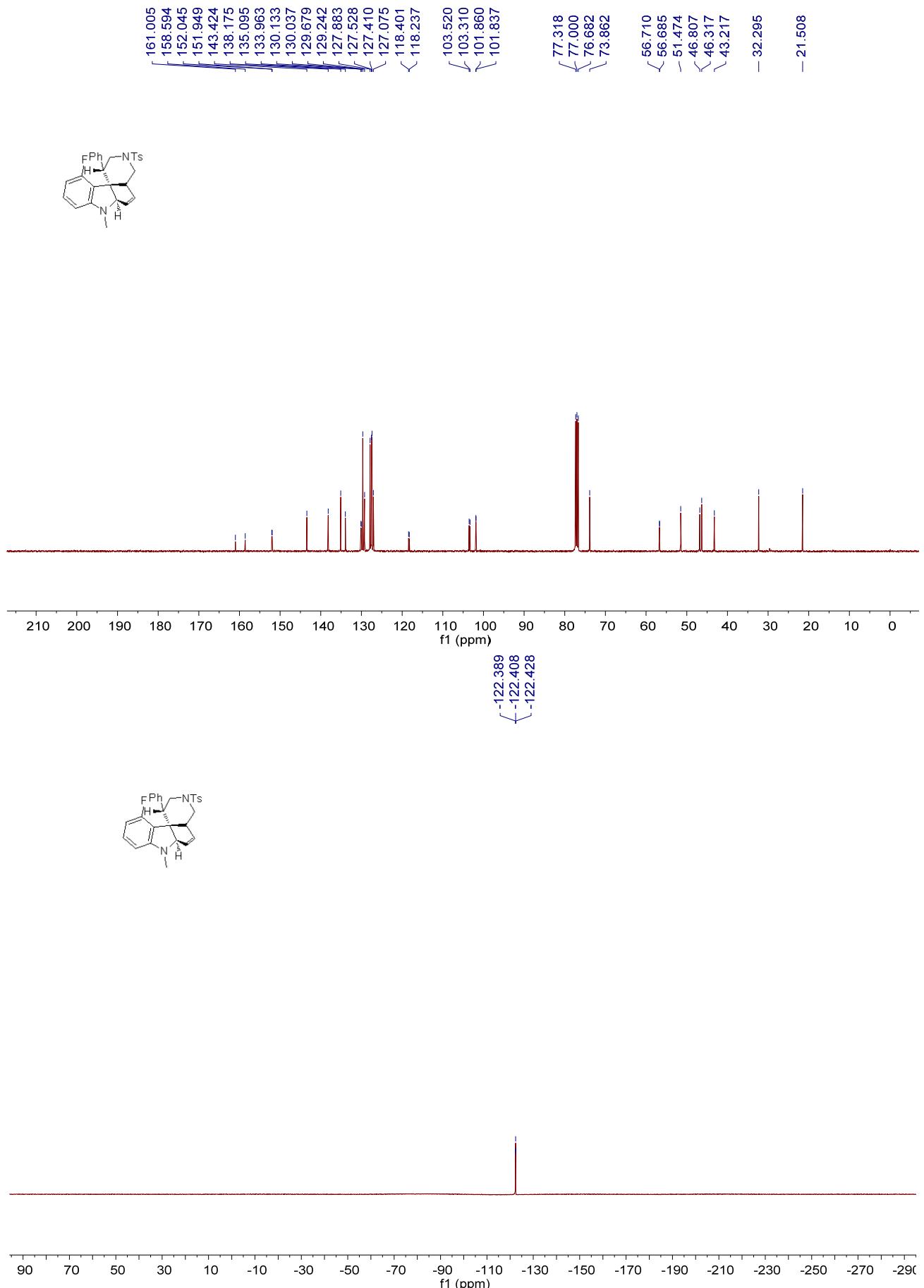


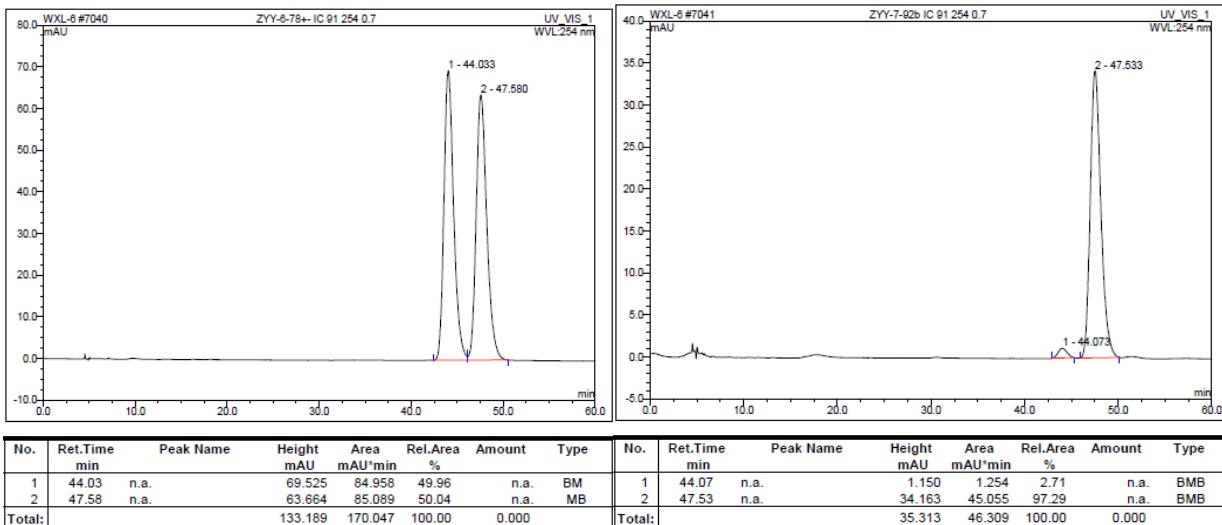
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-11-fluoro-7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2e

A white solid, 46% yield (21.9 mg). M.p.: 176-179 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.43 (s, 3H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 3.10 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.38-3.52 (m, 3H), 3.56-3.63 (m, 2H), 4.72 (s, 1H), 5.73 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.84-5.88 (m, 2H), 6.18-6.24 (m, 1H), 6.82-6.89 (m, 1H), 6.91-6.94 (m, 2H), 7.03-7.08 (m, 3H), 7.31 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.3, 43.2, 46.3, 46.8, 51.5, 56.69, 56.71, 73.9, 101.8 (d,  $J = 2.3$  Hz), 103.4 (d,  $J = 21.0$  Hz), 118.3 (d,  $J = 16.4$  Hz), 127.1, 127.4, 127.5, 127.9, 129.2, 129.7, 130.1 (d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz), 134.0, 135.1, 138.2, 143.4, 152.0 (d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz), 159.8 (d,  $J = 241.1$  Hz).  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -122.4. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3059, 2901, 1913, 1627, 1467, 1159, 1087, 958, 860, 782, 661  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1841. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 44.07$  min,

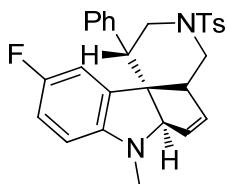
$t_{\text{major}} = 47.53 \text{ min}$ ; ee% = 95%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -62.3$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).





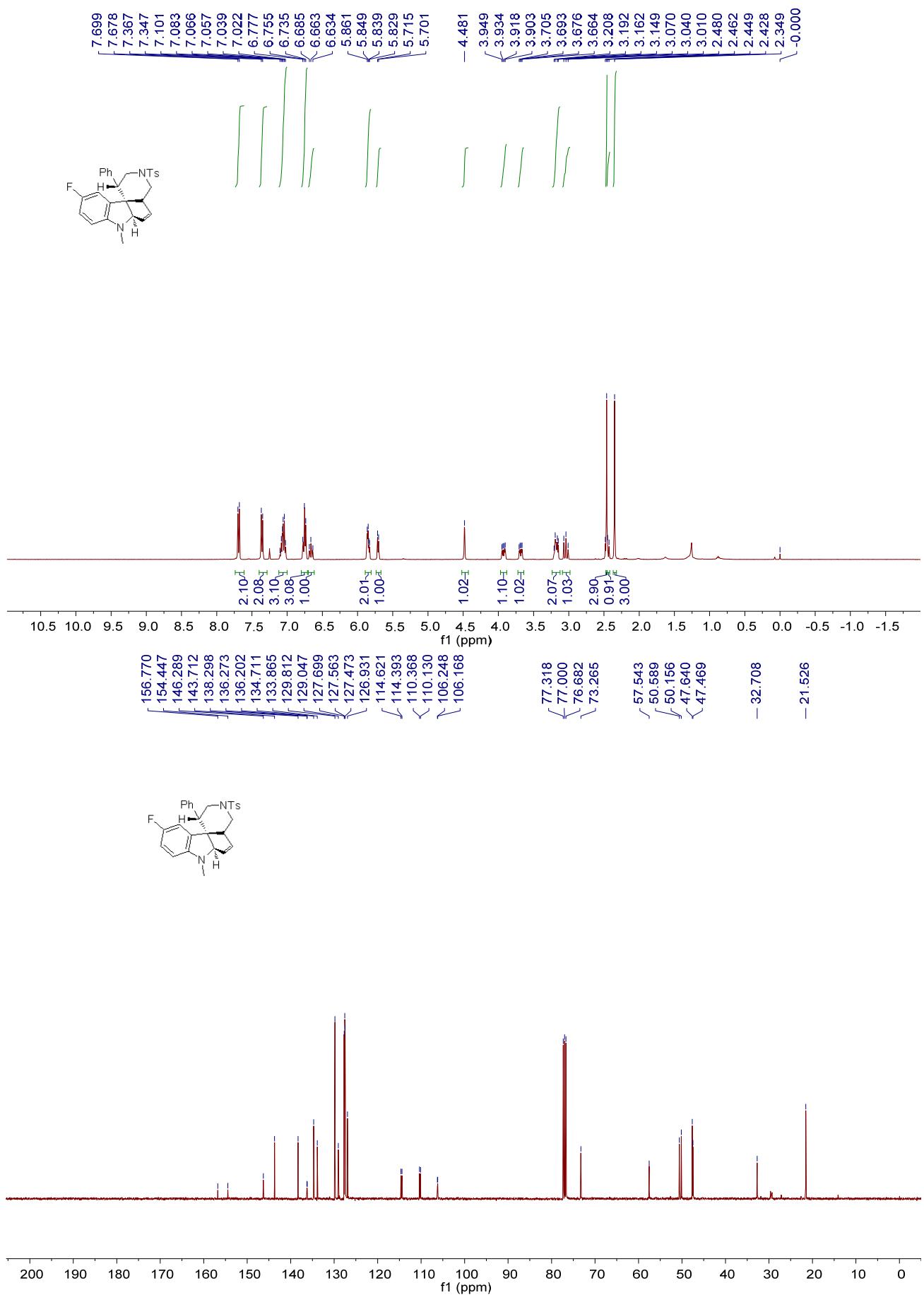


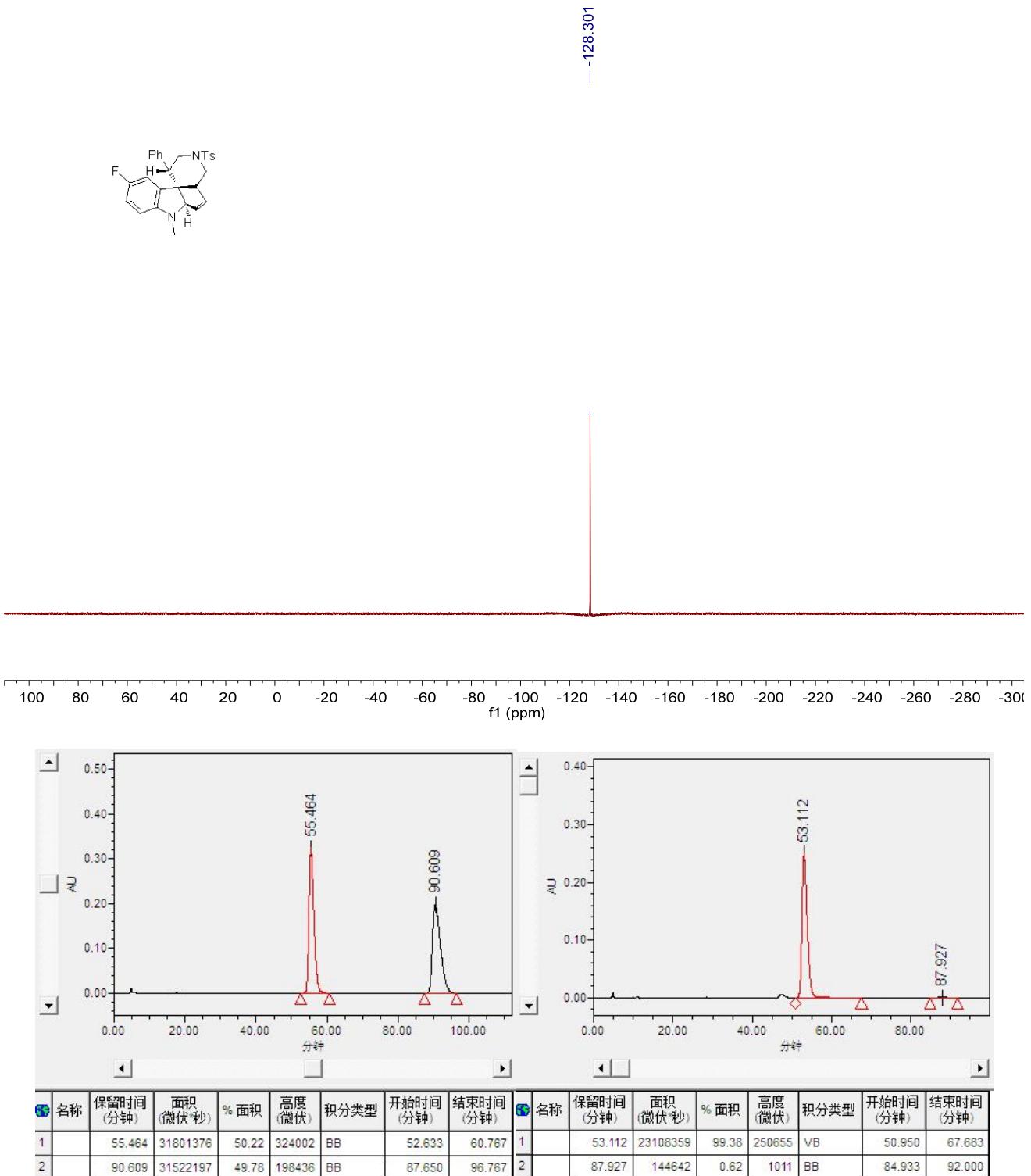
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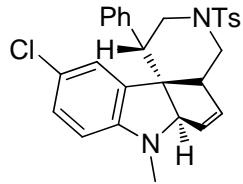
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A white solid, 49% yield (23.3 mg). M.p.: 142-145 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.35 (s, 3H), 2.45 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 3.04 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.14-3.21 (m, 2H), 3.68 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.92 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.48 (s, 1H), 5.71 (d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.87 (m, 2H), 6.63-6.69 (m, 1H), 6.73-6.78 (m, 3H), 7.02-7.11 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.7, 47.5, 47.6, 50.2, 50.6, 57.5, 73.3, 106.2 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 110.2 (d,  $J = 23.8$  Hz), 114.5 (d,  $J = 22.8$  Hz), 126.9, 127.5, 127.6, 127.7, 129.0, 129.8, 133.9, 136.2 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz), 138.3, 143.7, 146.3, 155.4 (d,  $J = 232.3$  Hz).  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -128.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3029, 2920, 2849, 1646, 1492, 1337, 1164, 988, 960, 860, 771, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$  [M+H] $^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1846. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 86/14; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 87.93$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 53.11$  min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -80.1$  (c 0.20,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



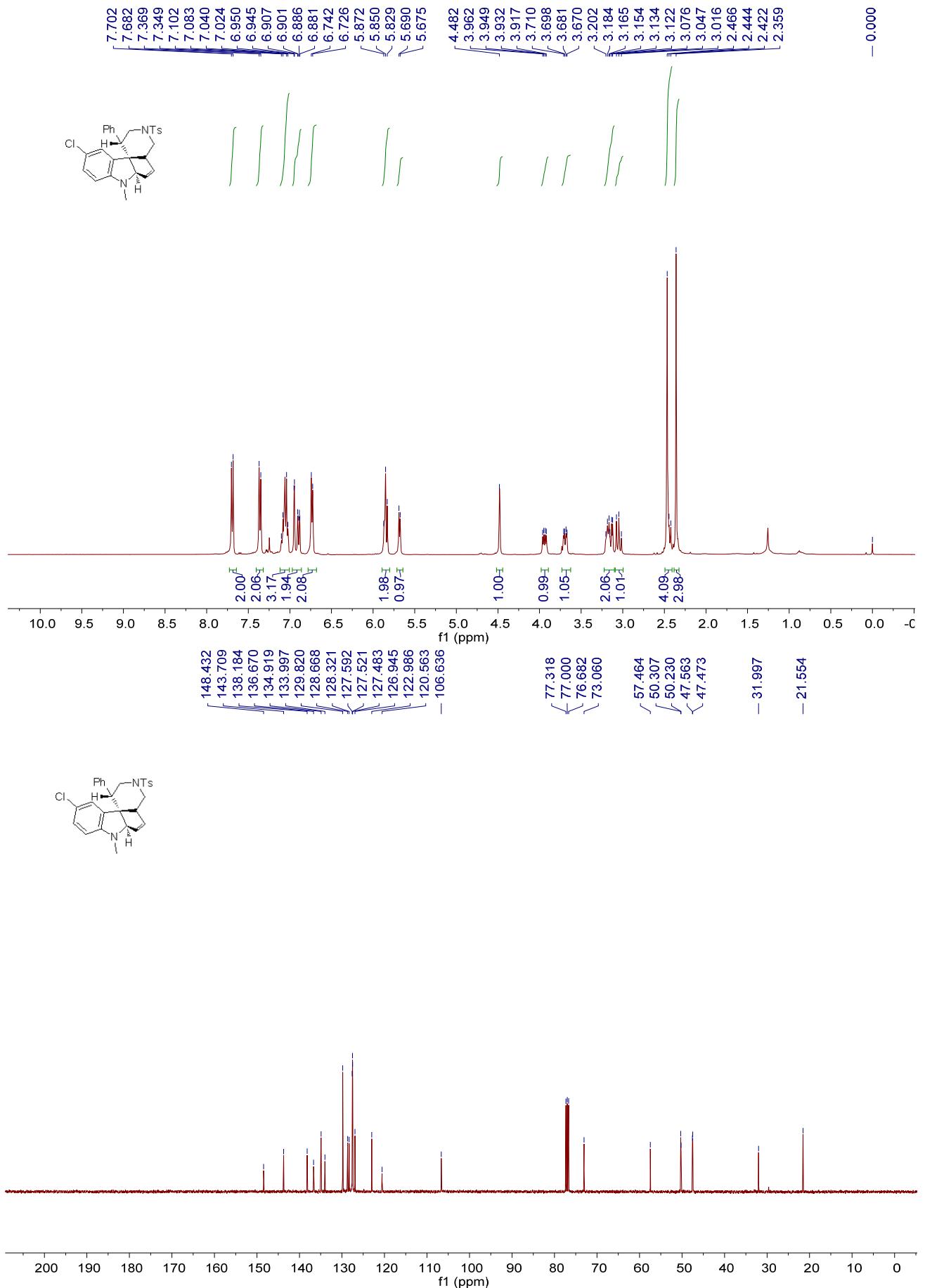


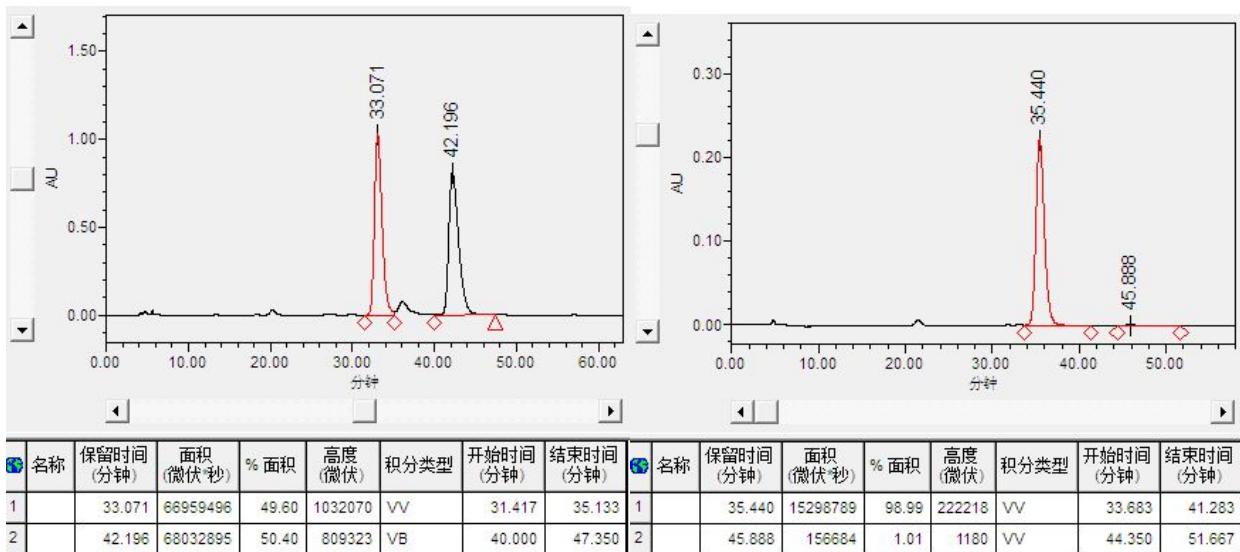
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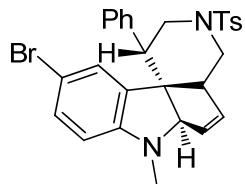
**(1*S*,4*a**R*,6*a**R*,11*b**S*)-10-chloro-7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*g***

A white solid, 45% yield (22.1 mg). M.p.: 183-186 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.36 (s, 3H), 2.42-2.47 (m, 4H), 3.05 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.12-3.21 (m, 2H), 3.69 (dd,  $J = 11.2, 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.94 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.48 (s, 1H), 5.68 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.88 (m, 2H), 6.72-6.75 (m, 2H), 6.88-6.95 (m, 2H), 7.02-7.11 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 32.0, 47.5, 47.6, 50.2, 50.3, 57.5, 73.1, 106.6, 120.6, 123.0, 126.9, 127.48, 127.52, 127.6, 128.3, 128.7, 129.8, 134.0, 134.9, 136.7, 138.2, 143.7, 148.4. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 1597, 1492, 1342, 1153, 1058, 935, 814, 730, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 491.15 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{ClS}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 491.1555, found: 491.1552. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 45.89$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 35.44$  min; ee% = 98%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -111.1$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



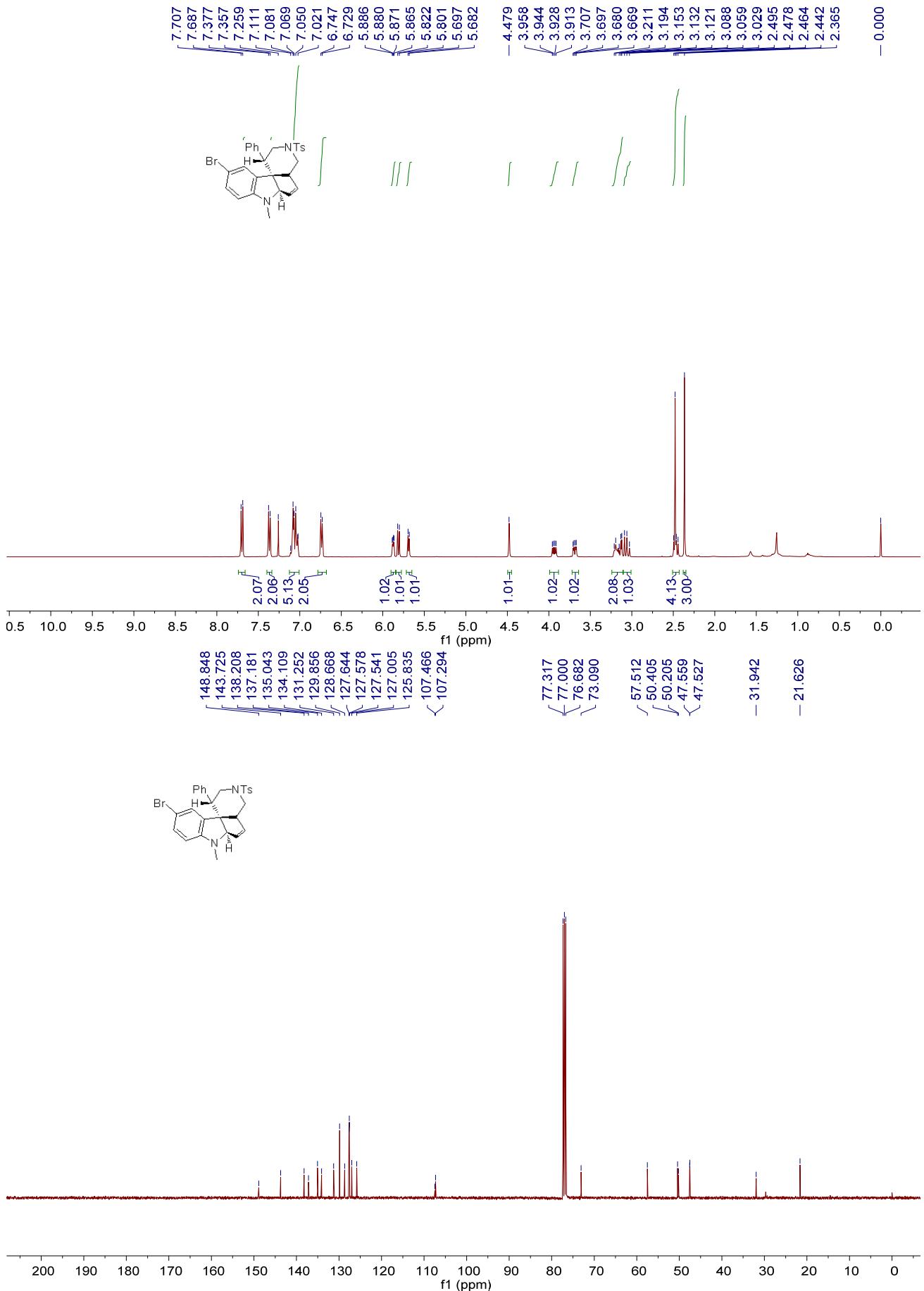


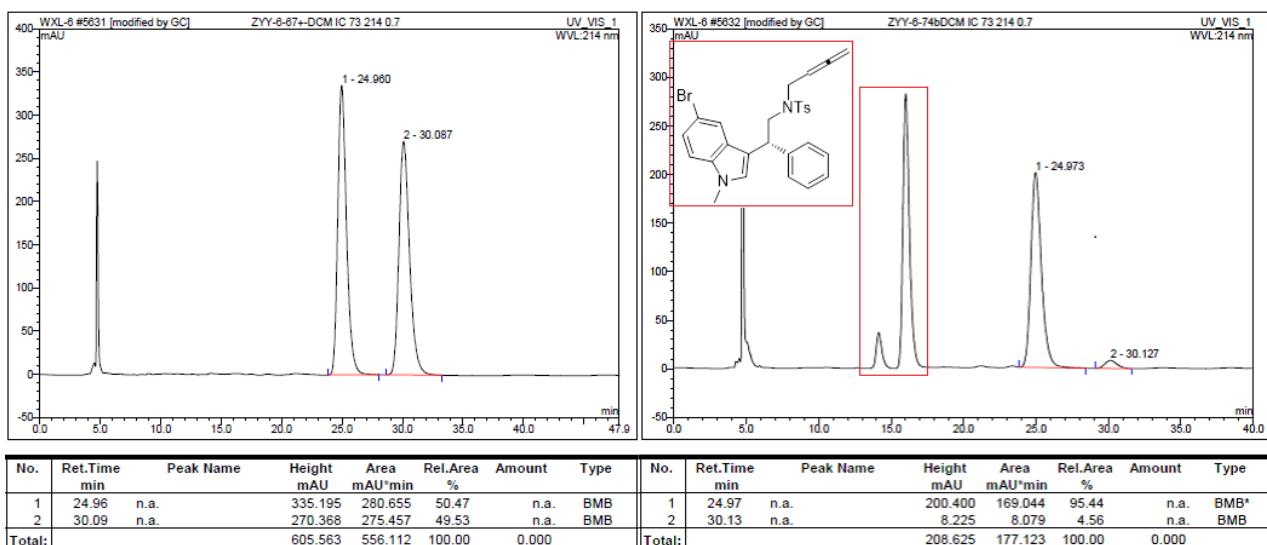
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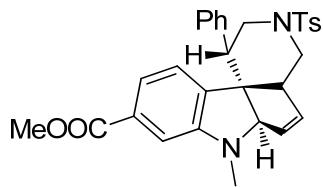
### **(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-10-bromo-7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*h***

A white solid, 47% yield (24.9 mg). M.p.: 199-202 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.37 (s, 3H), 2.44-2.50 (m, 4H), 3.06 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.12-3.22 (m, 2H), 3.69 (dd,  $J = 10.8, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.93 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.48 (s, 1H), 5.69 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.81 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.86-5.89 (m, 1H), 6.72-6.75 (m, 2H), 7.02-7.11 (m, 5H), 7.36 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 31.9, 47.5, 47.6, 50.2, 50.4, 57.5, 73.1, 107.3, 107.5, 125.8, 127.0, 127.5, 127.6, 127.7, 128.7, 129.9, 131.3, 134.1, 135.0, 137.2, 138.2, 143.7, 148.8. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2918, 2852, 1595, 1481, 1343, 1169, 938, 861, 730, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 535.10 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{BrS}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 535.1049, found: 535.1048. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 30.13$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 24.97$  min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -111.1$  (c 0.30,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



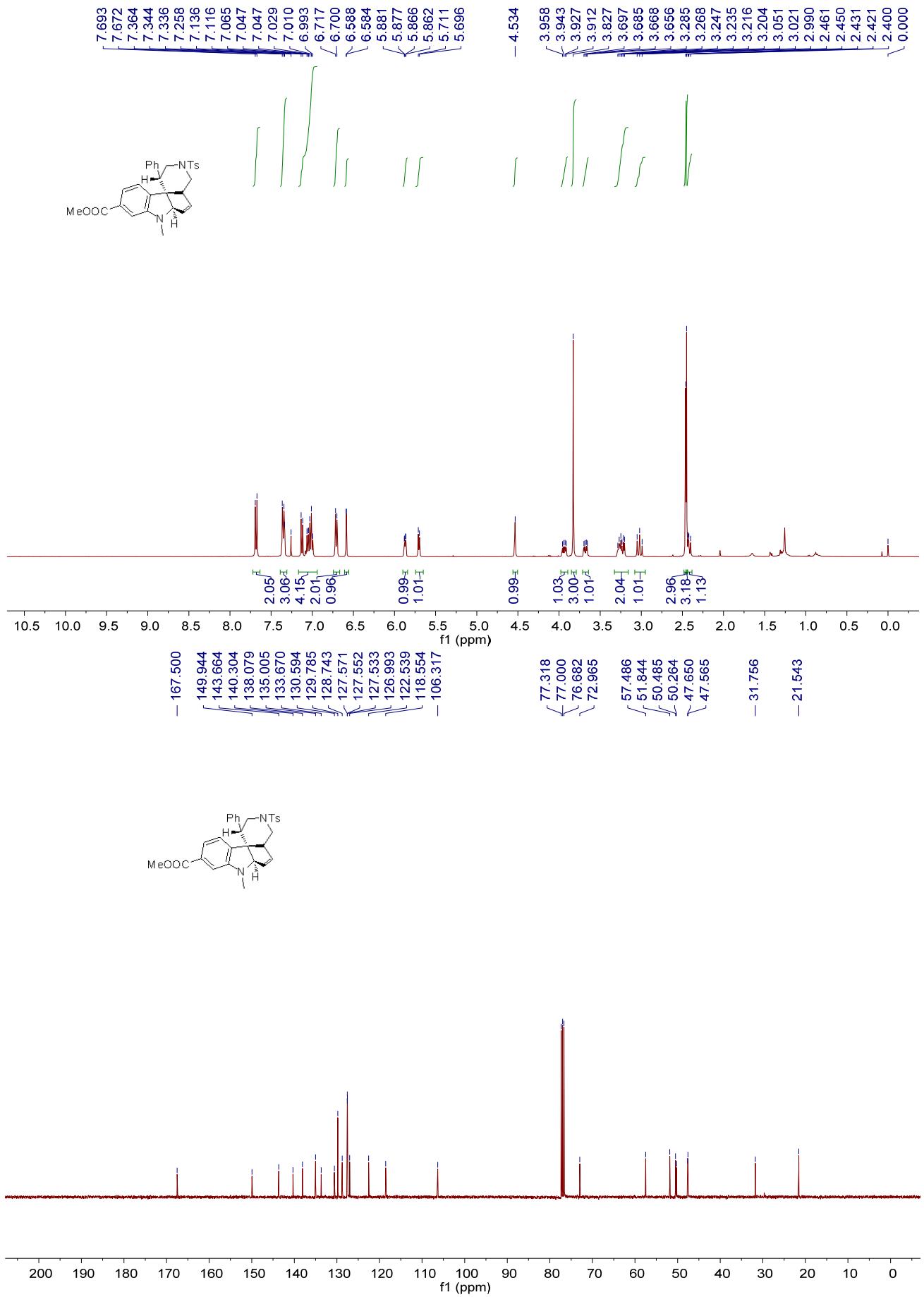


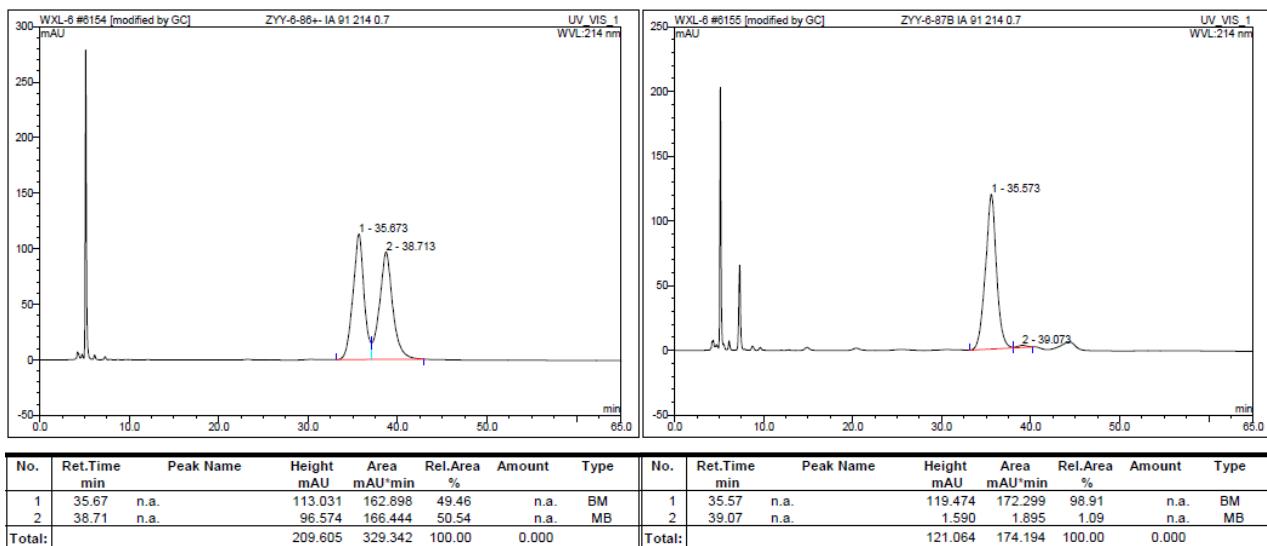
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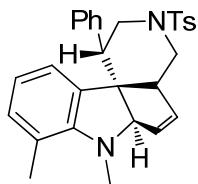
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-methyl 7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole-9-carboxylate 2i

A white solid, 48% yield (24.6 mg). M.p.: 142-145 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, TMS, 400 MHz) δ 2.40-2.44 (m, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 3.02 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.67 (dd, *J* = 11.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.93 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (s, 1H), 5.69-5.72 (m, 1H), 5.86-5.89 (m, 1H), 6.58-6.59 (m, 1H), 6.70-6.72 (m, 2H), 6.99-7.14 (m, 4H), 7.33-7.37 (m, 3H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz, TMS) δ 21.5, 31.8, 47.6, 47.7, 50.3, 50.5, 51.8, 57.5, 73.0, 106.3, 118.6, 122.5, 127.0, 127.53, 127.55, 127.57, 128.7, 129.8, 130.6, 133.7, 135.0, 138.1, 140.3, 143.7, 149.9, 167.5. IR (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) ν 2918, 2847, 1712, 1496, 1345, 1164, 1090, 931, 859, 730, 662 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (ESI) *m/z* (%): 515.19 (100) [M+H]<sup>+</sup>; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>31</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S<sup>+1</sup>[M+H]<sup>+</sup> requires 515.1999, found: 515.1990. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 39.07$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 35.57$  min; ee% = 98%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -43.0$  (c 0.10, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)].





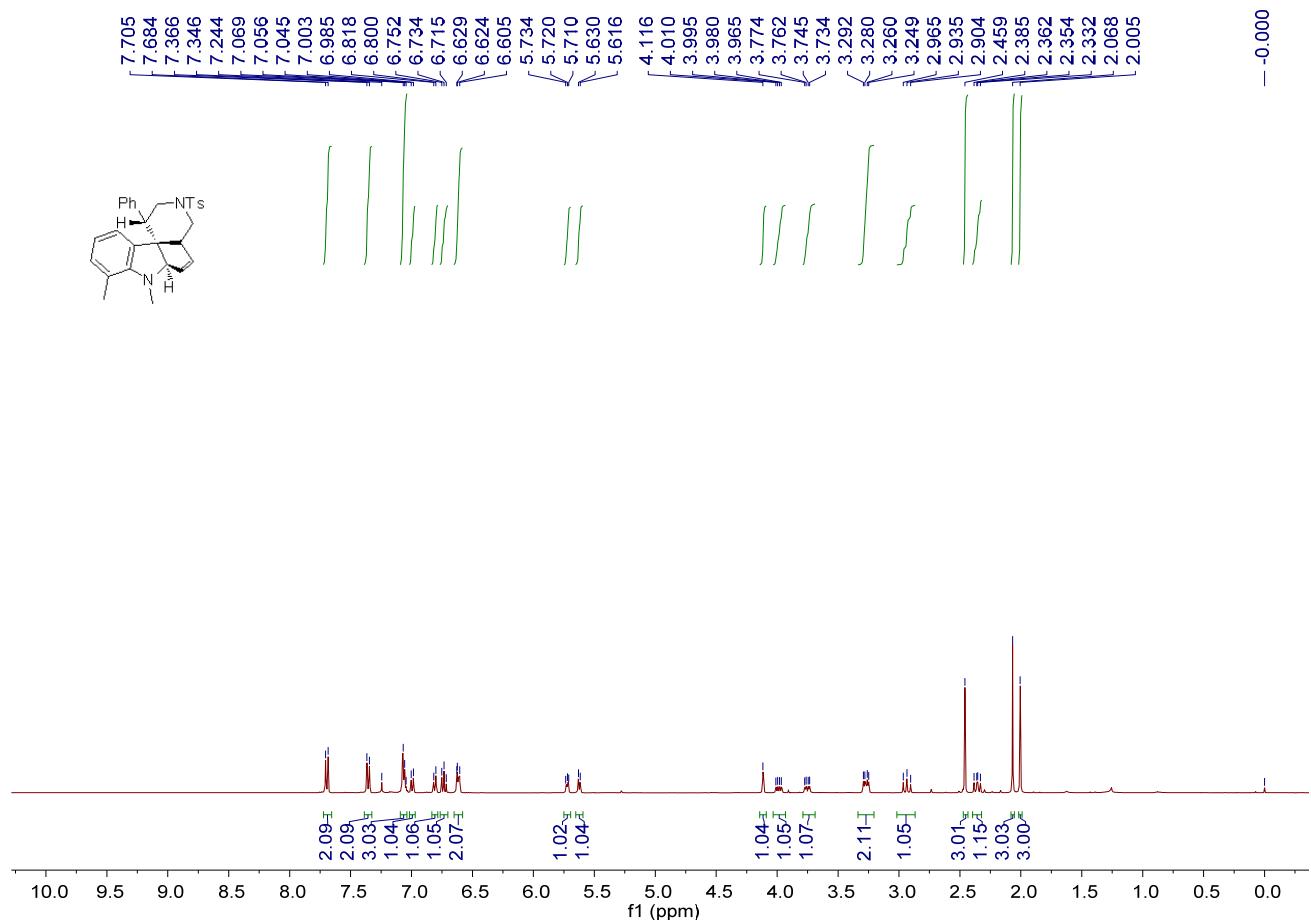
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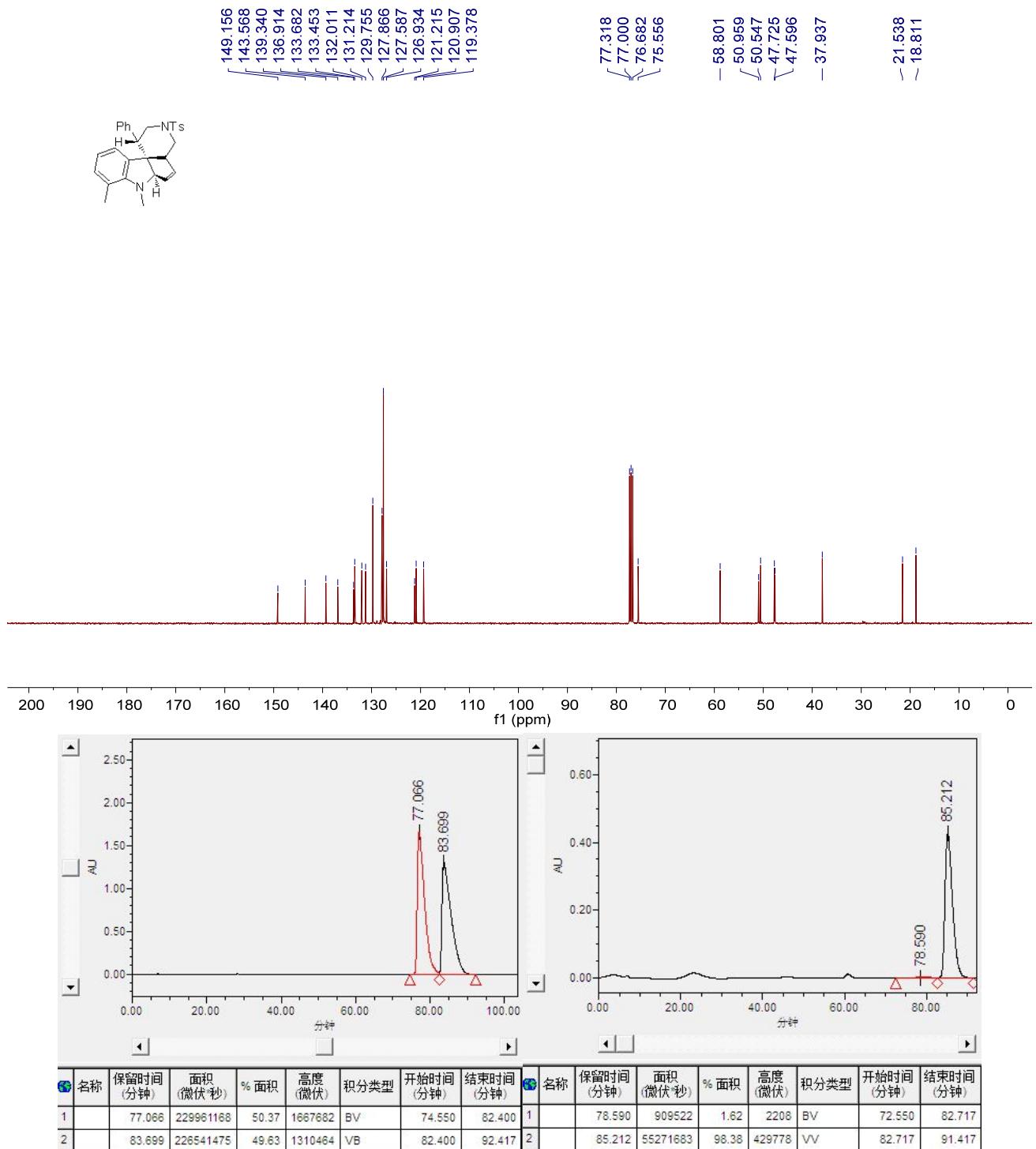


### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7,8-dimethyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]clopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2j

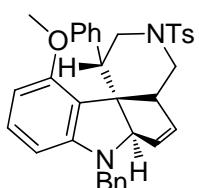
A white solid, 46% yield (21.6 mg). M.p.: 85-88 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.01 (s, 3H), 2.07 (s, 3H), 2.36 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.94 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.24-3.30 (m, 2H), 3.75 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.99 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.12 (s, 1H), 5.62 (d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.71-5.74 (m, 1H), 6.60-6.63 (m, 2H), 6.71-6.76 (m, 1H), 6.80-6.82 (m, 1H), 6.98-7.01 (m, 1H), 7.04-7.07 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  18.8, 21.5, 37.9, 47.6, 47.7, 50.5, 51.0, 58.8, 75.6, 119.4, 120.9, 121.2, 126.9, 127.6, 127.9, 129.8, 131.2, 132.0, 133.5, 133.7, 136.9, 139.3, 143.6, 149.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 1598, 1467, 1343, 1162, 1089, 937, 855, 744, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100) [M+H] $^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2097. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.50 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 78.59$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 85.21$  min; ee% = 97%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -77.7$  (c 0.20,

$\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ .



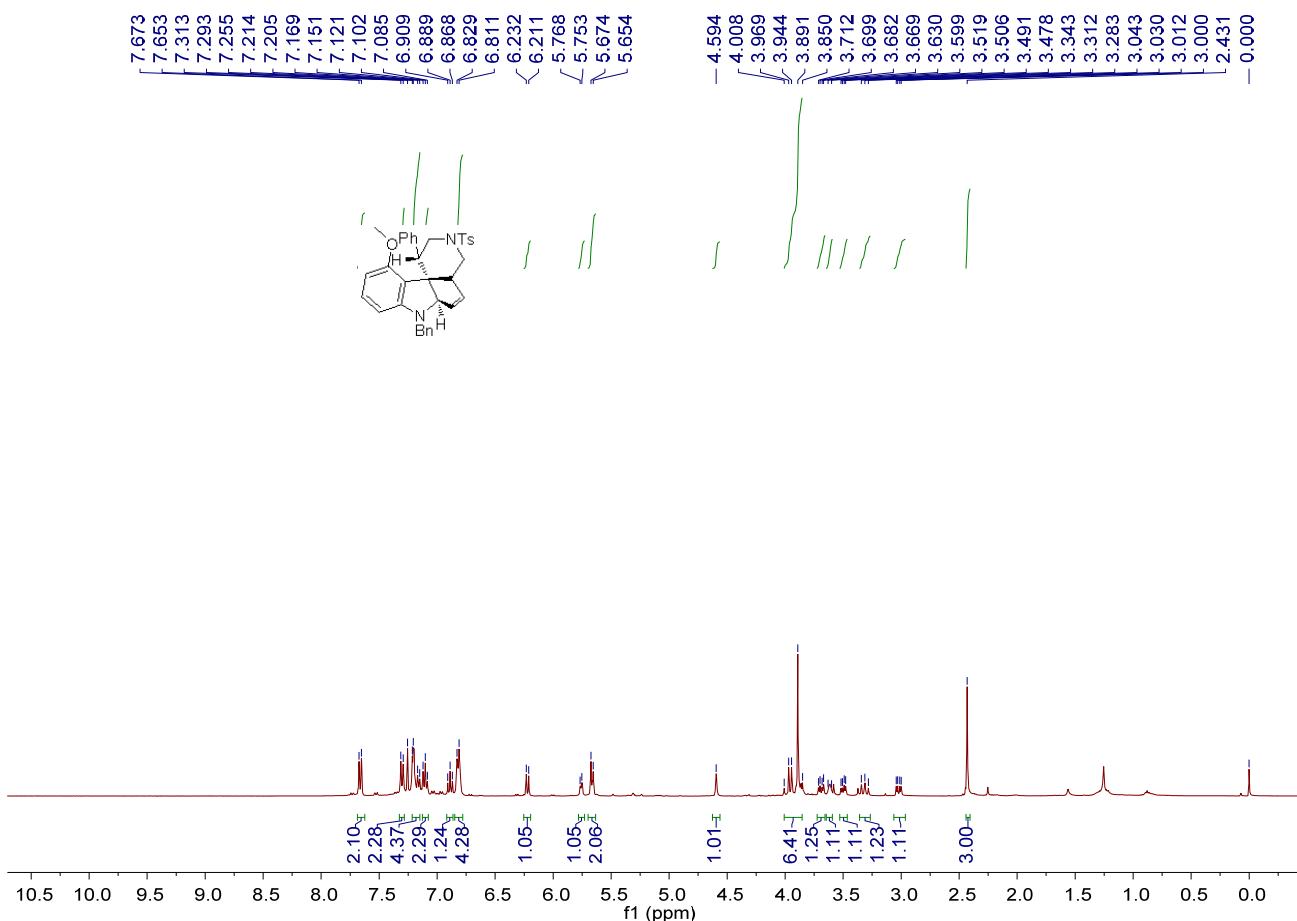


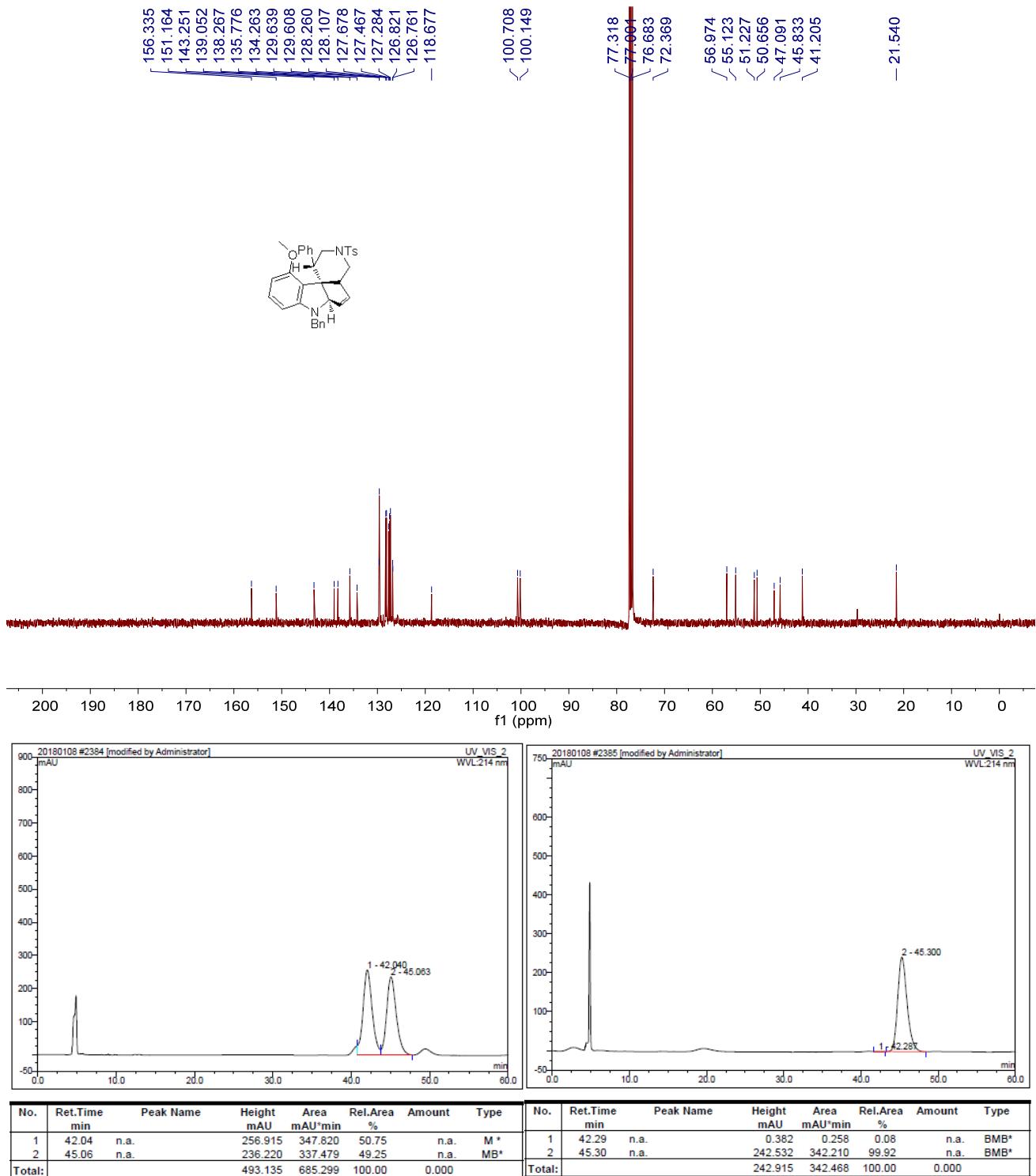
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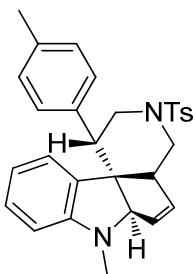
**(1*S*,4*a**R*,6*a**R*,11*b**S*)-7-benzyl-11-methoxy-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2k**

A white solid, 46% yield (25.9 mg). M.p.: 90-93 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.43 (s, 3H), 3.02 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd,  $J$  = 11.2, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 3.59-3.63 (m, 1H), 3.69 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 3.85-4.01 (m, 6H), 4.59 (s, 1H), 5.65-5.68 (m, 2H), 5.75-5.77 (m, 1H), 6.22 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.81-6.83 (m, 4H), 6.86-6.91 (m, 1H), 7.08-7.13 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.22 (m, 4H), 7.30 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 41.2, 45.8, 47.1, 50.7, 51.2, 55.1, 57.0, 72.3, 100.1, 100.7, 118.7, 126.7, 126.8, 127.3, 127.5, 127.7, 128.1, 128.3, 129.61, 129.64, 134.3, 135.8, 138.3, 139.1, 143.3, 151.2, 156.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3028, 2919, 2842, 1599, 1494, 1338, 1166, 941, 859, 729, 662  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 563.23 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{35}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 563.2363, found: 563.2358. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 214 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 85/15; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 42.29 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 45.30 min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -25.0$  (c 0.70,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



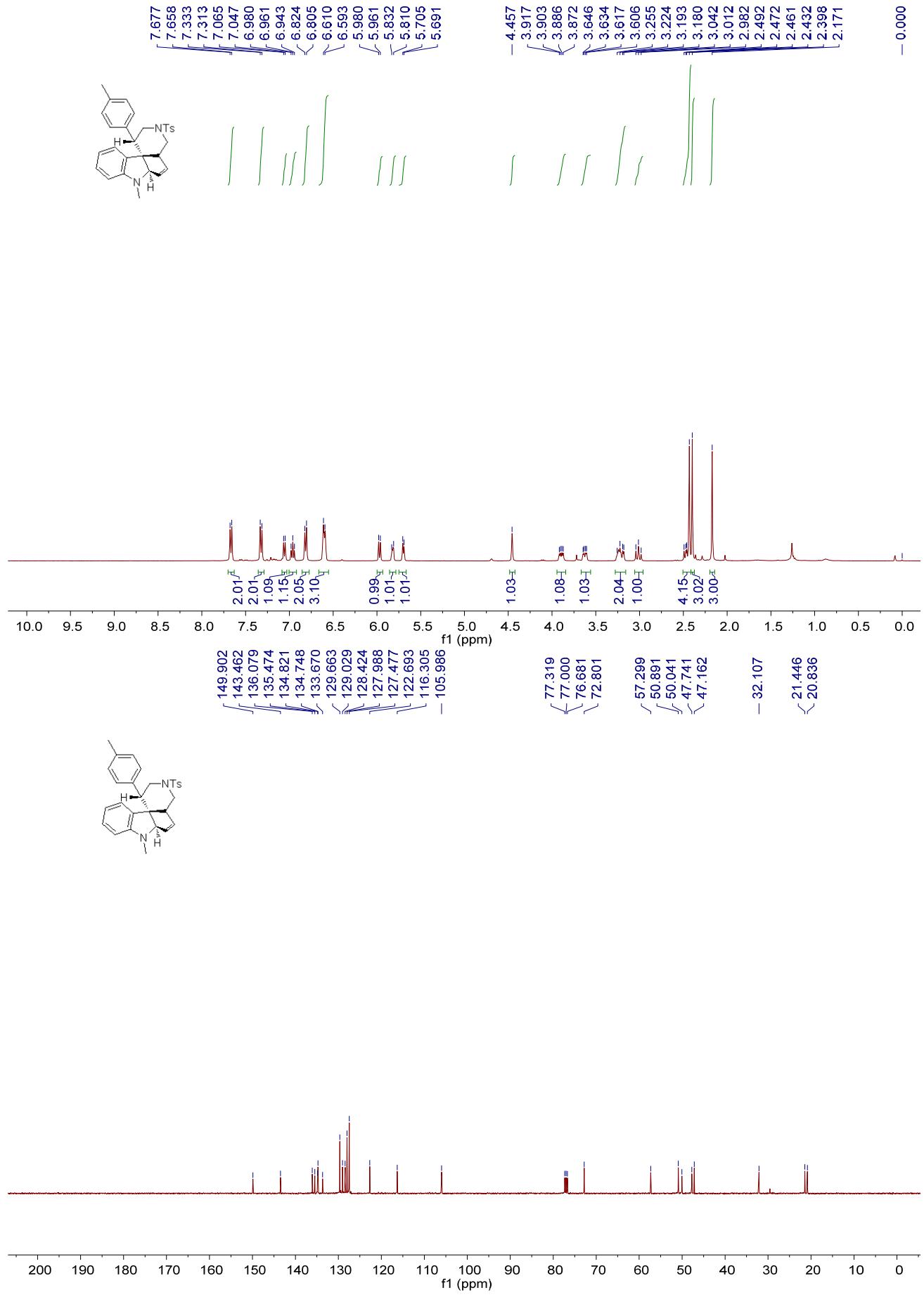


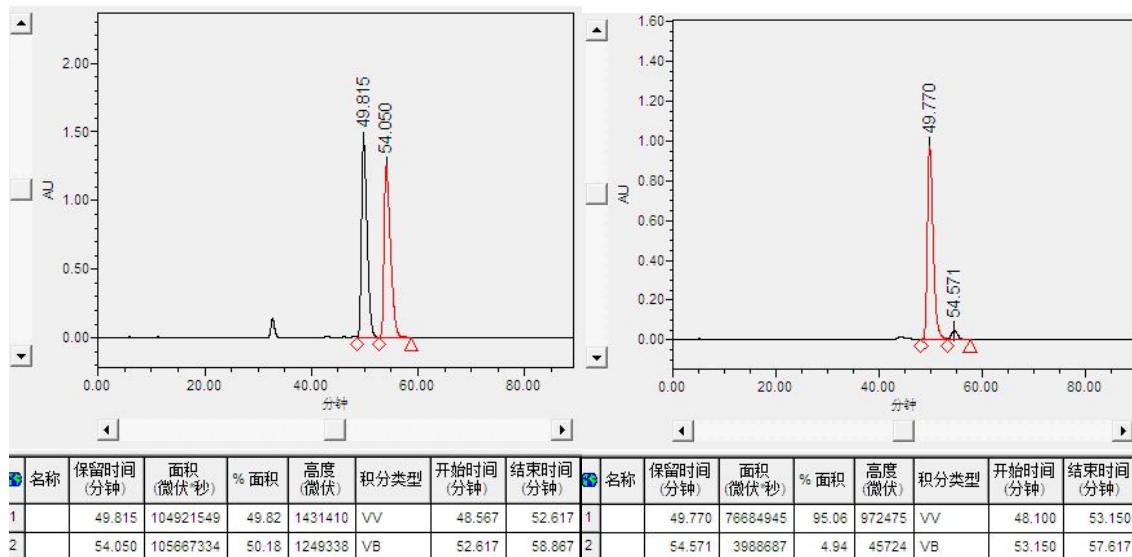
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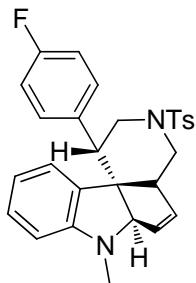
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openta[1,2-*b*]indole 2l**

A white solid, 47% yield (22.1 mg). M.p.: 50-53 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.17 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.43-2.50 (m, 4H), 3.01 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.18-3.26 (m, 2H), 3.62 (dd,  $J$  = 11.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (s, 1H), 5.70 (d,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 5.81-5.84 (m, 1H), 5.97 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.59-6.61 (m, 3H), 6.80-6.83 (m, 2H), 6.94-6.98 (m, 1H), 7.05 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  20.8, 21.4, 32.1, 47.2, 47.7, 50.0, 50.9, 57.3, 72.8, 106.0, 116.3, 122.7, 127.5, 128.0, 128.4, 129.0, 129.7, 133.7, 134.7, 134.8, 135.5, 136.1, 143.5, 149.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2921, 2851, 1603, 1489, 1341, 1159, 1089, 933, 815, 719, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 471.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 471.2101, found: 471.2098. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 254 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 54.57 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 49.77 min; ee% = 90%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25}$  = -22.0 (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





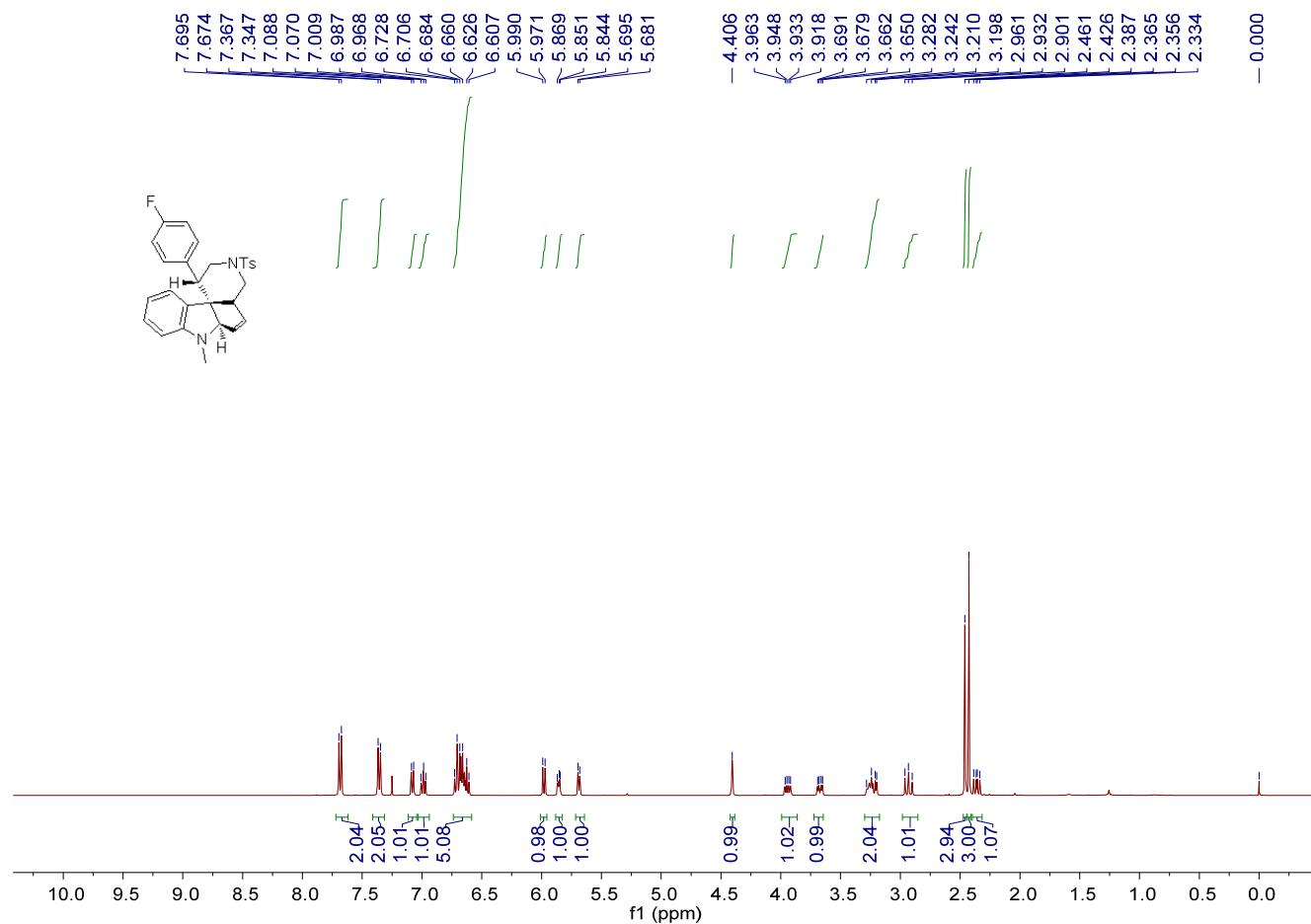
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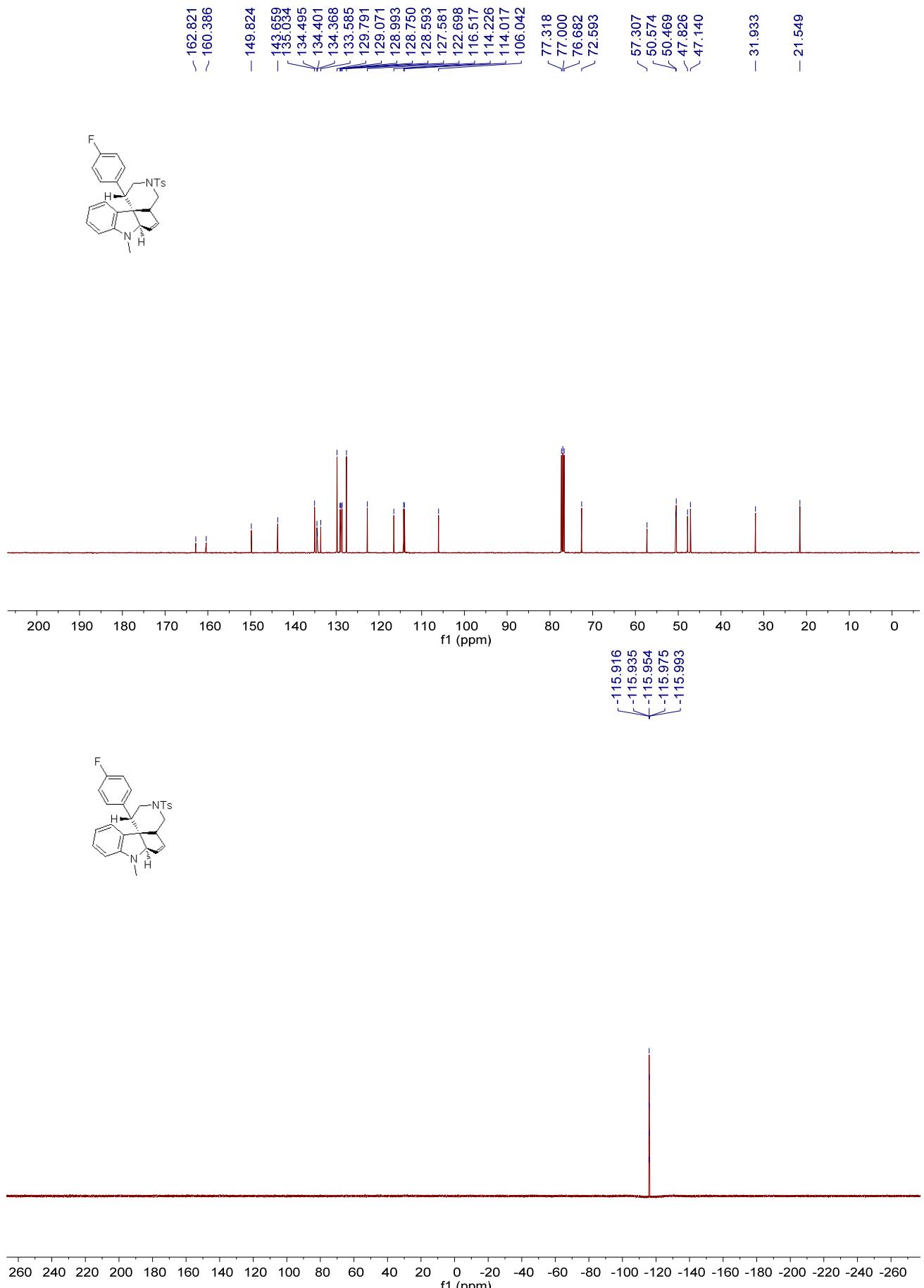


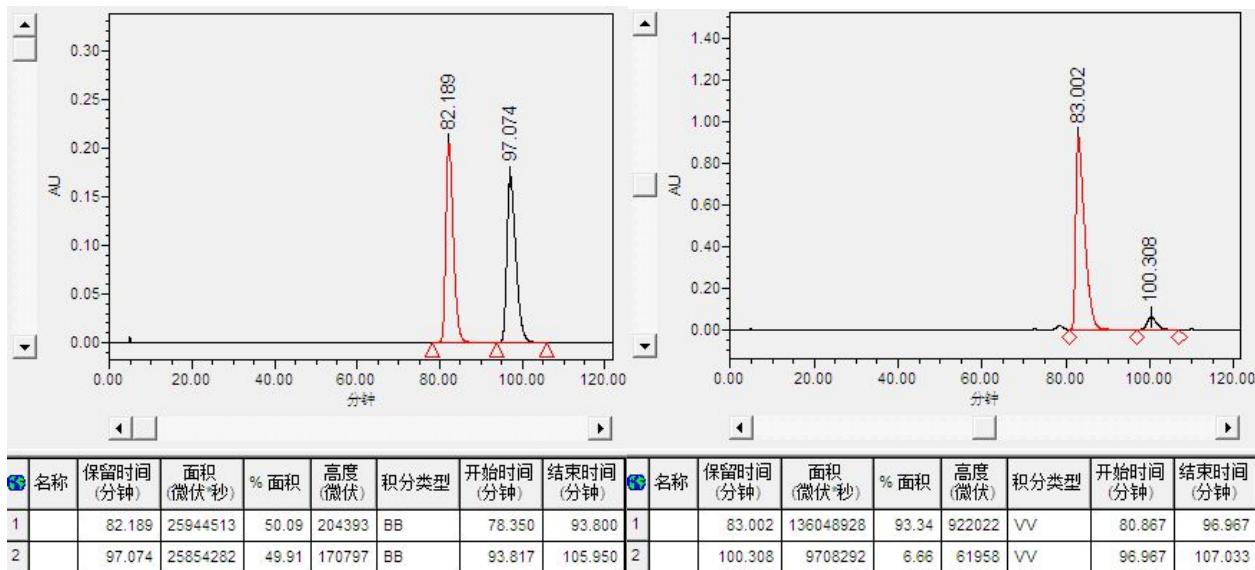
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2m

A white solid, 46% yield (21.8 mg). M.p.: 91-94 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.36 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.93 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.19-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.94 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.41 (s, 1H), 5.69 (d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.84-5.87 (m, 1H), 5.98 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.60-6.73 (m, 5H), 6.96-7.01 (m, 1H), 7.07-7.09 (m, 1H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 31.9, 47.1, 47.8, 50.5, 50.6, 57.3, 72.6, 106.0, 114.1 (d,  $J = 20.9$  Hz), 116.5, 122.7, 127.6, 128.6 (d,  $J = 15.7$  Hz), 129.0 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz), 129.8, 133.6, 134.4 (d,  $J = 3.3$  Hz), 134.5, 135.0, 143.7, 149.8, 161.6 (d,  $J = 243.5$  Hz).  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 376 MHz,  $\text{CFCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -115.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3049, 2919, 1602, 1509, 1341, 1158, 935, 833, 770, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 475.18 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{FS}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 475.1850, found: 475.1839. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 94/6;

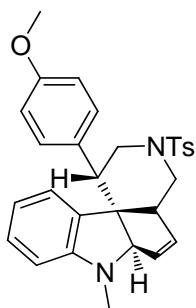
Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 100.31$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 83.00$  min; ee% = 87%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -106.2$  (c 0.50,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).







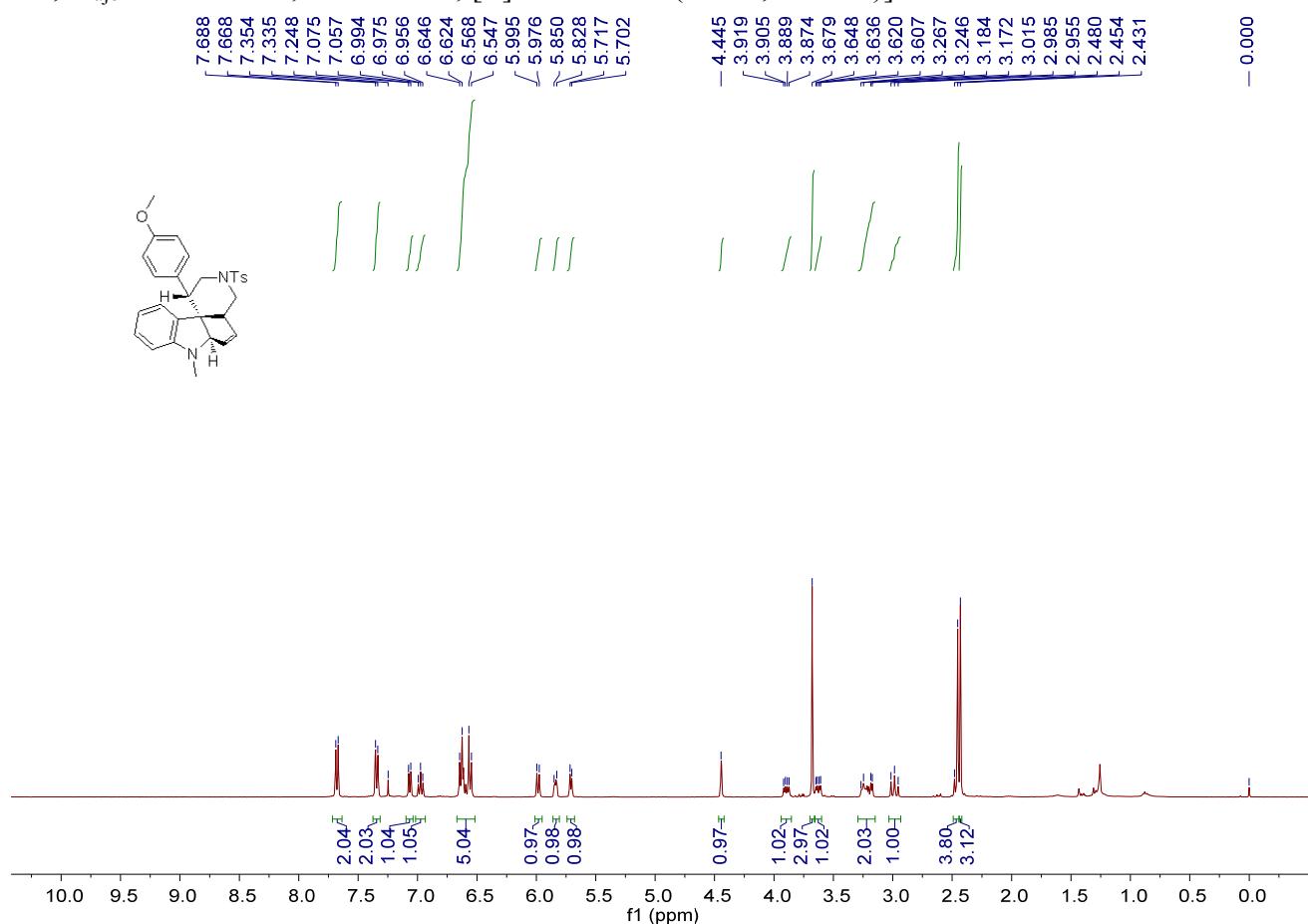
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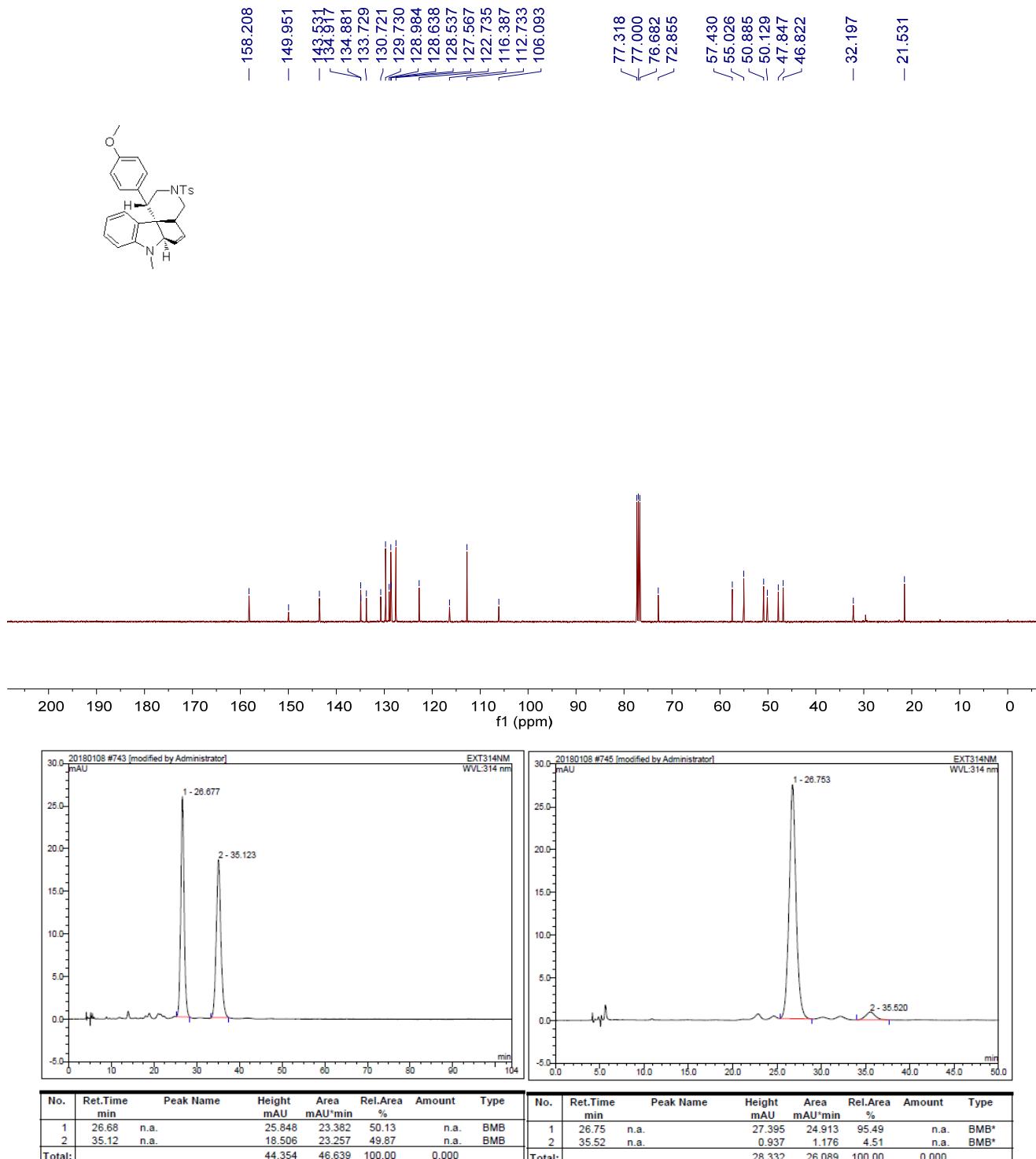


**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2n**

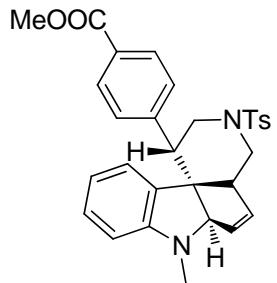
A white solid, 46% yield (22.5 mg). M.p.: 77-80 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.43 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.48 (m, 4H), 2.99 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.17-3.27 (m, 2H), 3.63 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.89 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.45 (s, 1H), 5.71 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.85 (m, 1H), 5.98 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.54-6.65 (m, 5H), 6.95-7.00 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.08 (m, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.2, 46.8, 47.8, 50.1, 50.9, 55.0, 57.4, 72.9, 106.1, 112.7, 116.4, 122.7, 127.6, 128.5, 128.6, 129.0, 129.7, 130.7, 133.7, 134.8, 134.9, 143.5, 150.0, 158.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 2852, 1602, 1514, 1340, 1161, 935, 833, 729, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 487.20 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 487.2050, found: 487.2042. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IA column [ $\lambda = 314$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 35.52$

min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 26.75$  min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -118.4$  ( $c$  0.70,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ]).



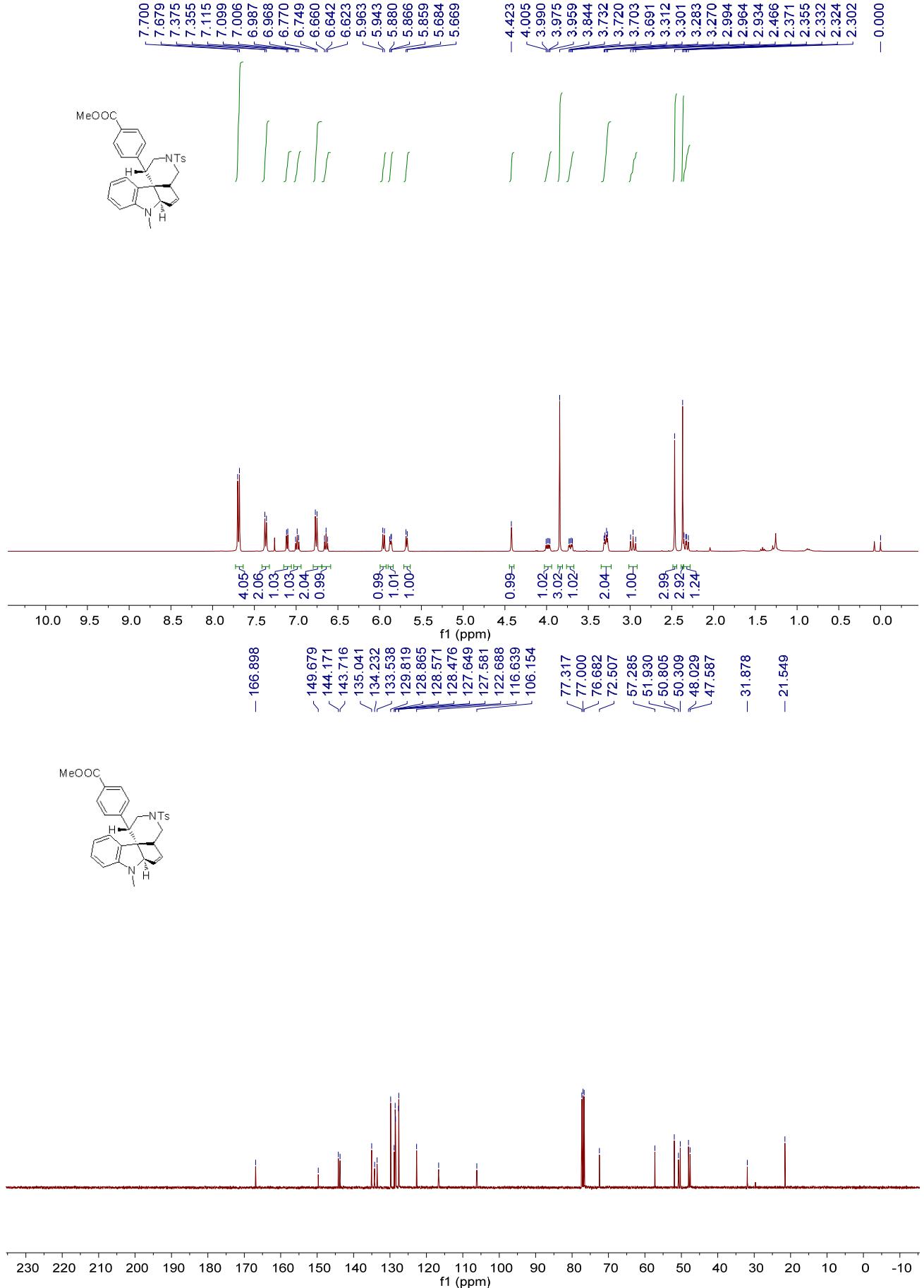


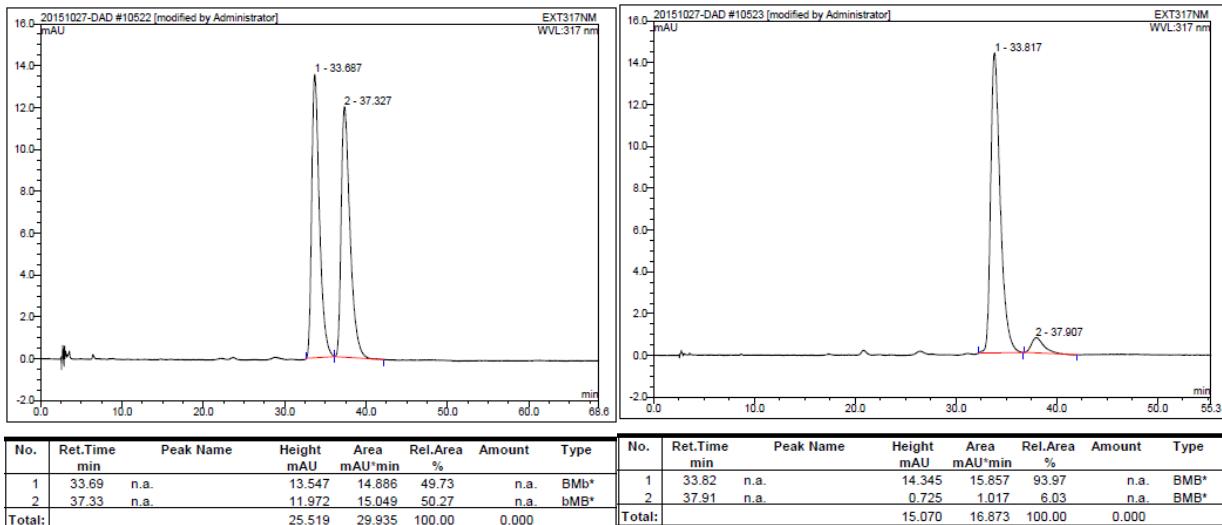
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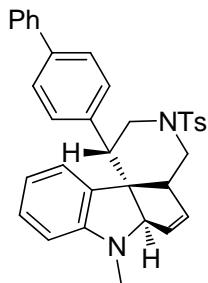
**Methyl 4-((1*S*,4*a**R*,6*a**R*,11*b**S*)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indol-1-yl)benzoate 2o**

A white solid, 45% yield (23.3 mg). M.p.: 88-92 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.33 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.47 (s, 3H), 2.96 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.27-3.32 (m, 2H), 3.71 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.98 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.42 (s, 1H), 5.67 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.85-5.88 (m, 1H), 5.95 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.62-6.66 (m, 1H), 6.76 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 6.96-7.01 (m, 1H), 7.09-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.36 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.67-7.70 (m, 4H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 31.9, 47.6, 48.0, 50.3, 50.8, 51.9, 57.3, 72.5, 106.2, 116.6, 122.7, 127.6, 127.7, 128.5, 128.6, 128.9, 129.8, 133.5, 134.2, 135.0, 143.7, 144.2, 149.7, 166.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 2852, 1717, 1603, 1488, 1208, 1164, 935, 779, 674  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 515.19 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 515.1999, found: 515.1994. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IF3 column [ $\lambda = 317$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 37.91$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 33.82$  min; ee% = 88%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -108.1$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





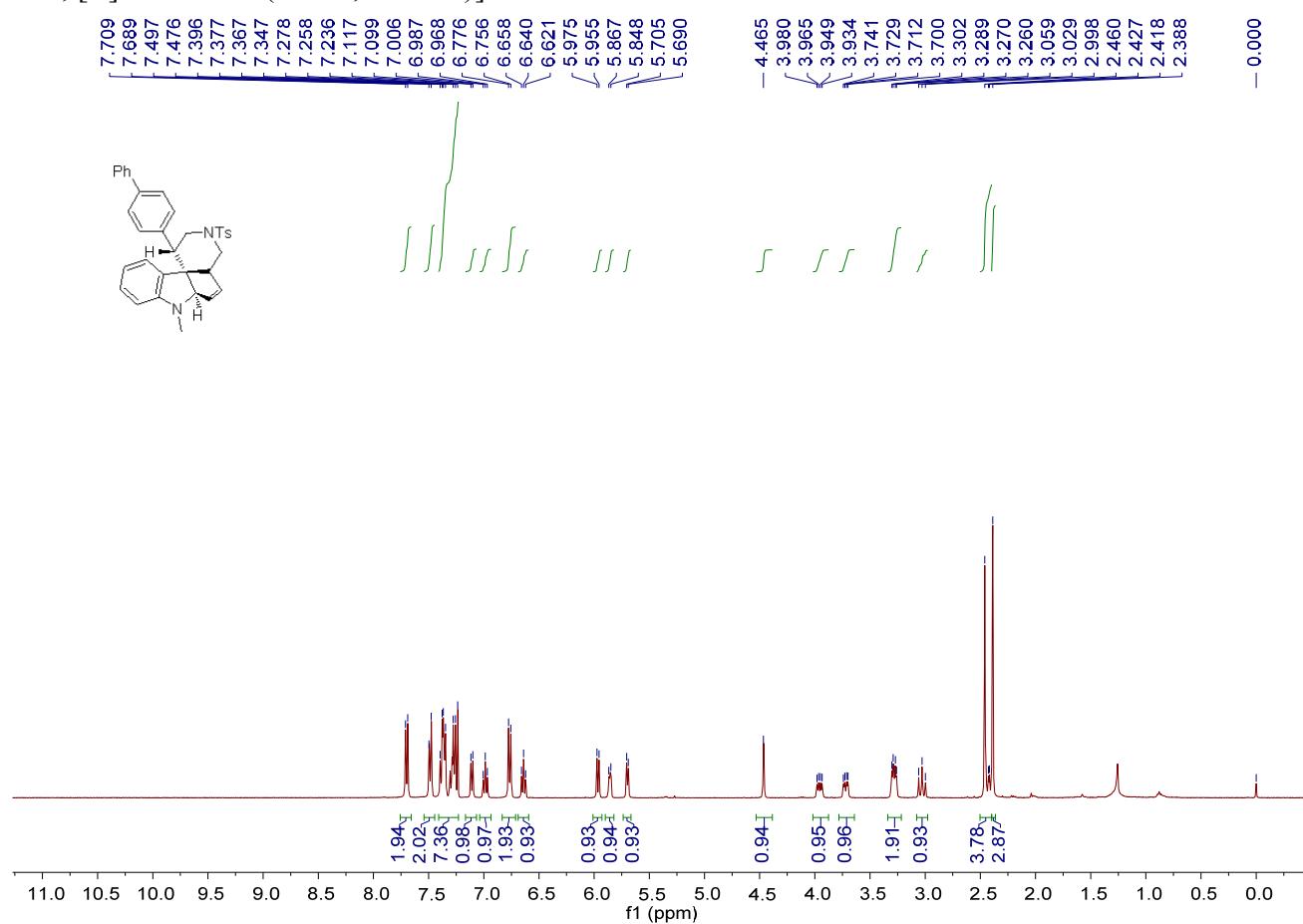
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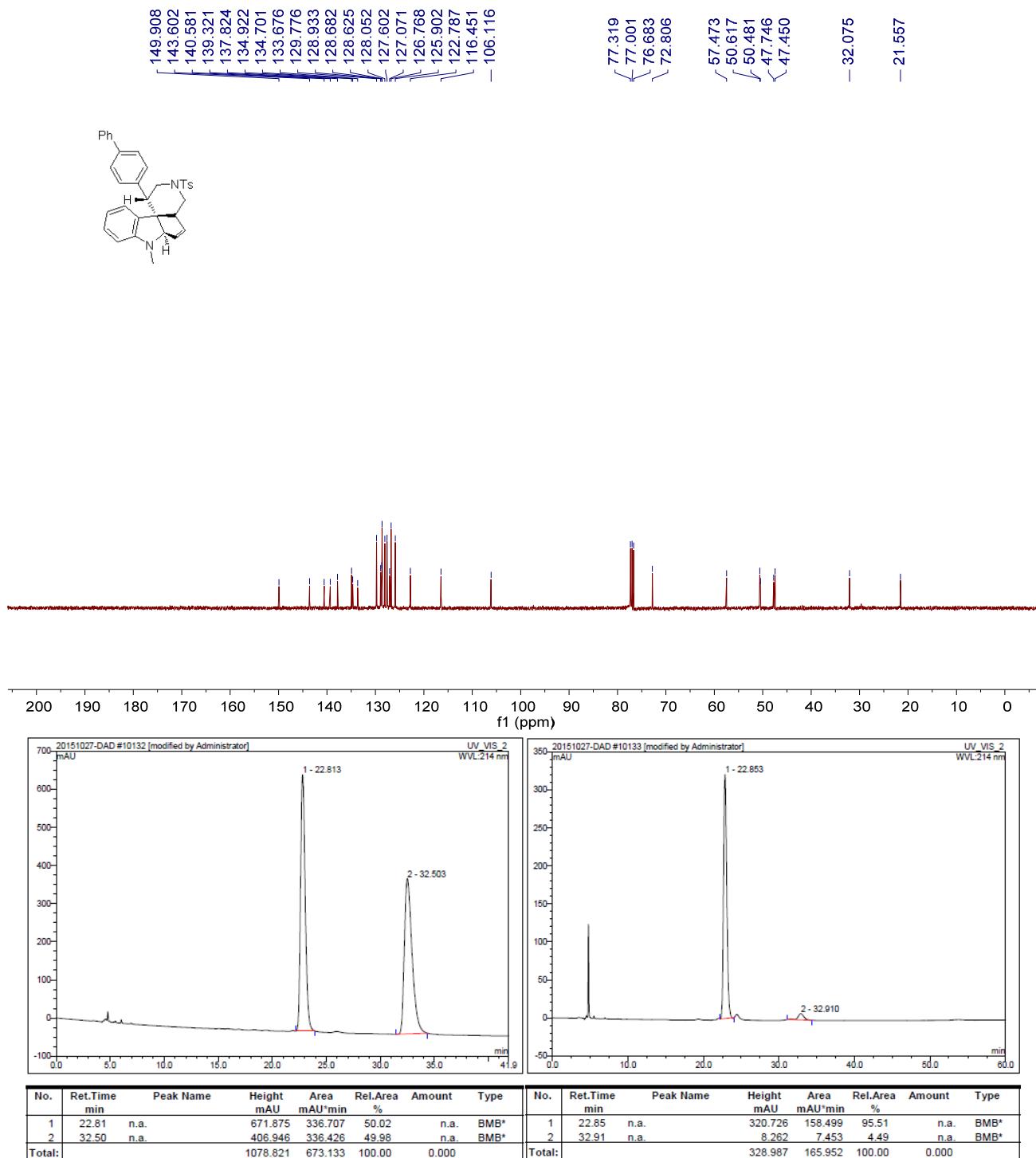


### **(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-1-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2p**

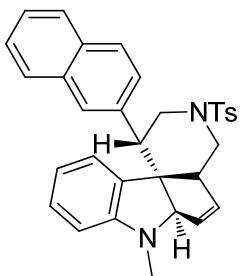
A white solid, 45% yield (23.9 mg). M.p.: 124-127 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.38 (s, 3H), 2.41-2.46 (m, 4H), 3.03 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.26-3.31 (m, 2H), 3.71 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.95 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.47 (s, 1H), 5.70 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.84-5.87 (m, 1H), 5.96 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.62-6.66 (m, 1H), 6.76 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 6.96-7.01 (m, 1H), 7.09-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.23-7.50 (m, 7H), 7.48 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 32.1, 47.5, 47.7, 50.5, 50.6, 57.5, 72.8, 106.1, 116.5, 122.8, 125.9, 126.8, 127.1, 127.6, 128.1, 128.6, 128.7, 128.9, 129.8, 133.7, 134.7, 134.9, 137.8, 139.3, 140.6, 143.6, 149.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3051, 2920, 2847, 1602, 1488, 1340, 1160, 929, 838, 722, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 533.22 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 533.2257, found: 533.2256. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 60/40; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 32.91$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 22.85$  min; ee% =

91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -63.8$  ( $c\ 0.08$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ]).



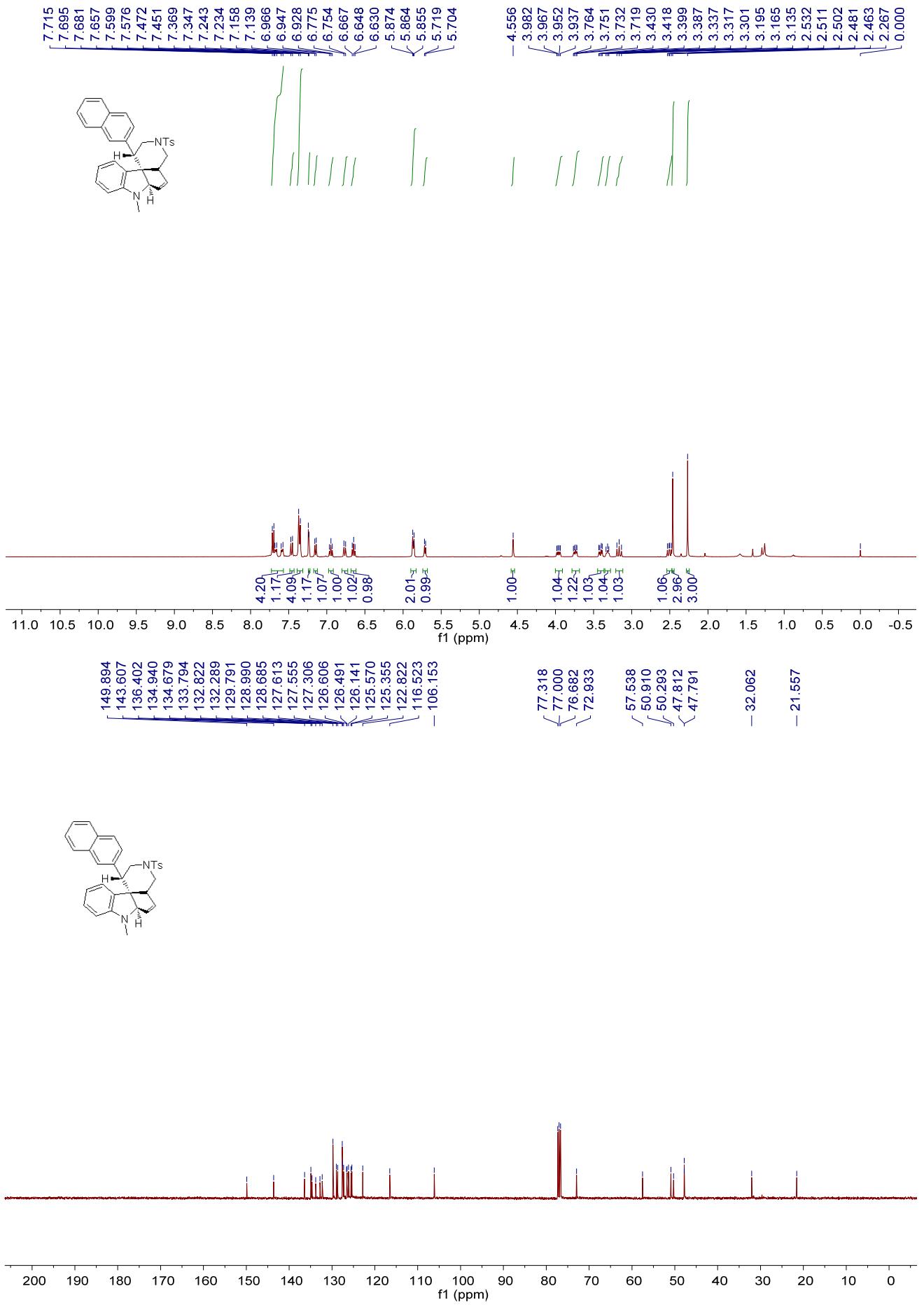


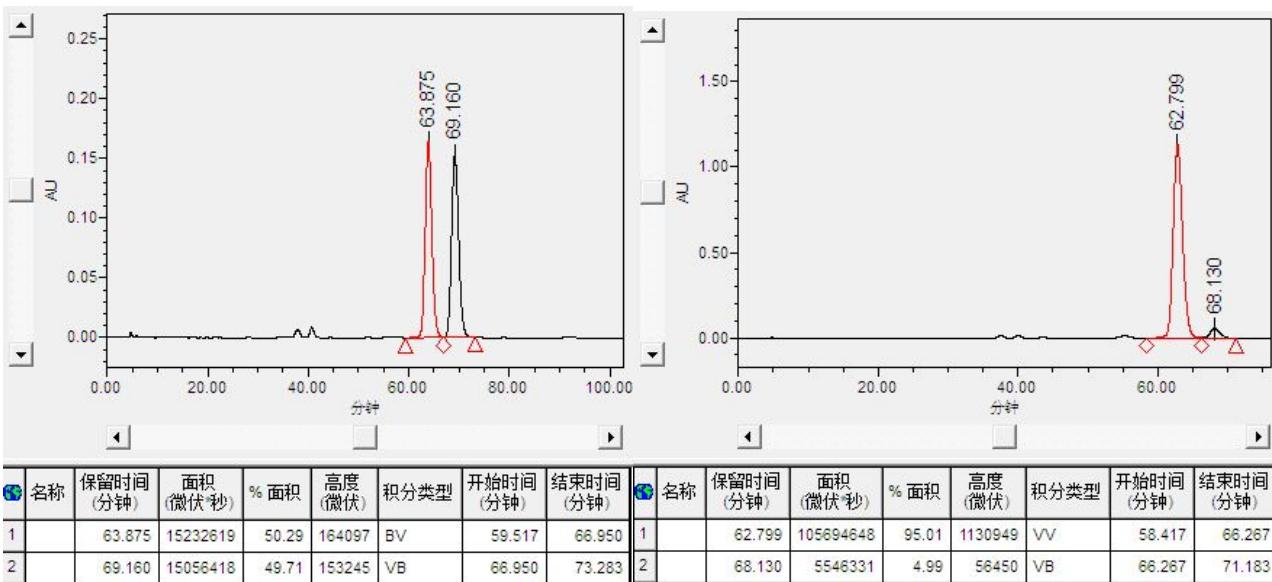
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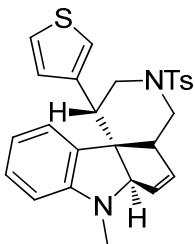
**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7-methyl-1-(naphthalen-2-yl)-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2q**

A white solid, 49% yield (24.7 mg). M.p.: 153-156 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.27 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.51 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.17 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.30-3.34 (m, 1H), 3.40 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.74 (dd,  $J = 12.8, 5.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.96 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.56 (s, 1H), 5.71 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.85-5.88 (m, 2H), 6.63-6.67 (m, 1H), 6.75-6.78 (m, 1H), 6.92-6.97 (m, 1H), 7.14 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.24 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.37 (m, 4H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.72 (m, 4H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 32.1, 47.79, 47.81, 50.3, 50.9, 57.5, 72.9, 106.2, 116.5, 122.8, 125.4, 125.6, 126.1, 126.5, 126.6, 127.3, 127.55, 127.61, 128.7, 129.0, 129.8, 132.3, 132.8, 133.8, 134.7, 134.9, 136.4, 143.6, 149.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3050, 2920, 1602, 1489, 1338, 1158, 934, 816, 723, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 507.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 507.2101, found: 507.2094. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 68.13$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 62.80$  min; ee% = 90%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -187.7$  (c 2.00,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



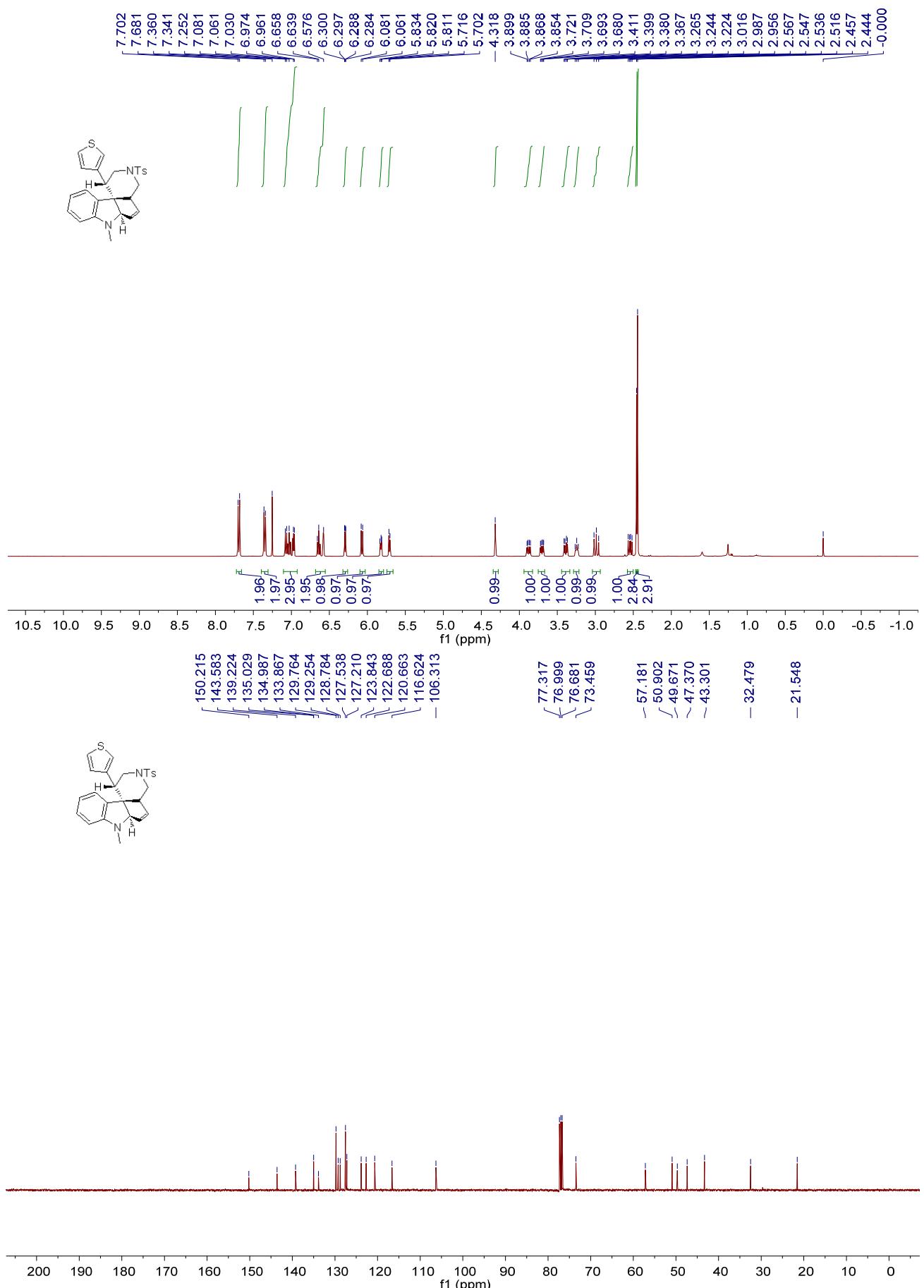


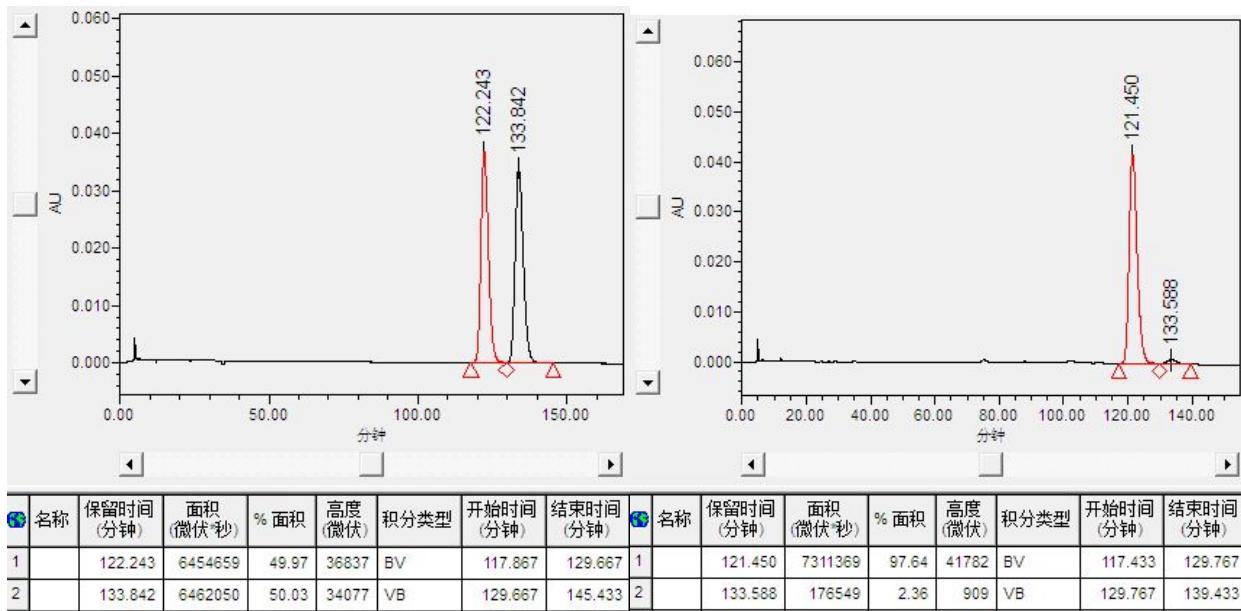
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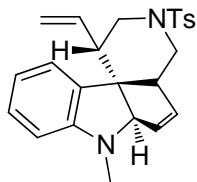
### **(1*R*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-7-methyl-1-(thiophen-3-yl)-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*r***

A white solid, 48% yield (22.1 mg). M.p.: 145-148 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.44 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.54 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.99 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.22-3.27 (m, 1H), 3.39 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 5.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.70 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 5.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.87 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.32 (s, 1H), 5.71 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.81-5.84 (m, 1H), 6.07 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.29 (dd,  $J = 4.8, 1.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.57-6.66 (m, 2H), 6.96-7.09 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.5, 43.3, 47.4, 49.7, 50.9, 57.2, 73.5, 116.6, 120.7, 122.7, 123.8, 127.2, 127.5, 128.8, 129.3, 129.8, 133.9, 134.98, 135.03, 139.2, 143.6, 150.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3047, 2922, 1600, 1493, 1335, 1161, 935, 812, 732, 657  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 463.15 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}_2^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 463.1508, found: 463.1505. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 94/6; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 133.59$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 121.45$  min; ee% = 95%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -104.7$  (c 0.15,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



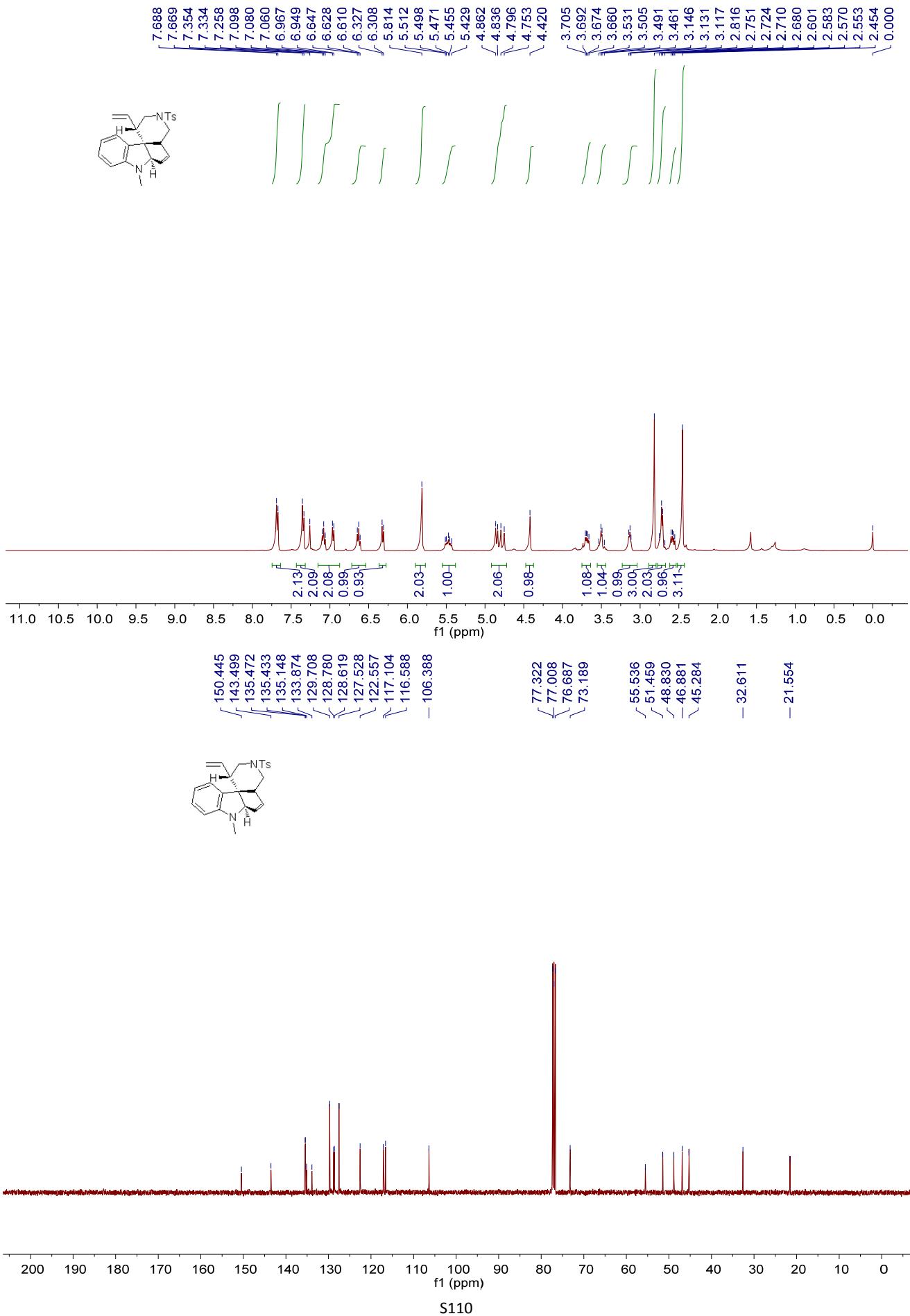


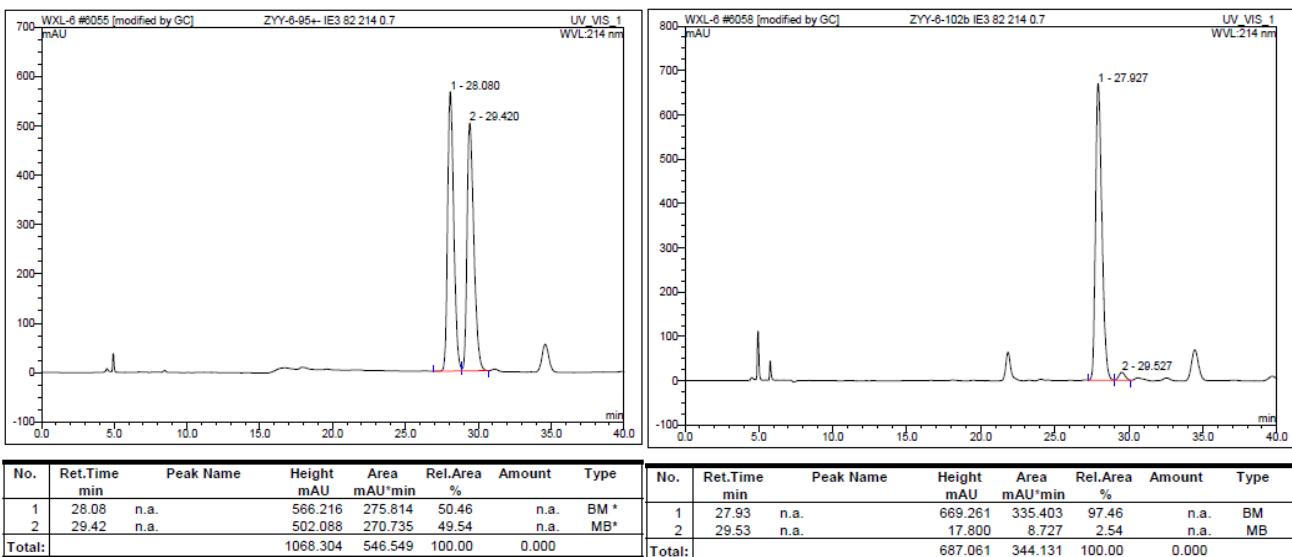
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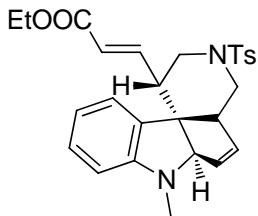
### (1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-1-vinyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclophanta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*s*

A white solid, 48% yield (19.4 mg). M.p.: 92-95 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.45 (s, 3H), 2.55-2.61 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.76 (m, 2H), 2.82 (s, 3H), 3.11-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.46-3.54 (m, 1H), 3.66-3.71 (m, 1H), 4.42 (s, 1H), 4.75-4.87 (m, 2H), 5.42-5.52 (m, 1H), 5.81 (s, 2H), 6.31 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.61-6.65 (m, 1H), 6.94-7.10 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 32.6, 45.3, 46.9, 48.8, 51.5, 55.5, 73.2, 106.4, 116.6, 117.1, 122.6, 127.5, 128.6, 128.8, 129.7, 133.9, 135.1, 135.4, 135.5, 143.5, 150.4. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2922, 2852, 2360, 1747, 1463, 1162, 1089, 937, 815, 747, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 407.17 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 407.1788, found: 407.1775. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 29.53$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 27.93$  min; ee% = 95%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 17.3$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





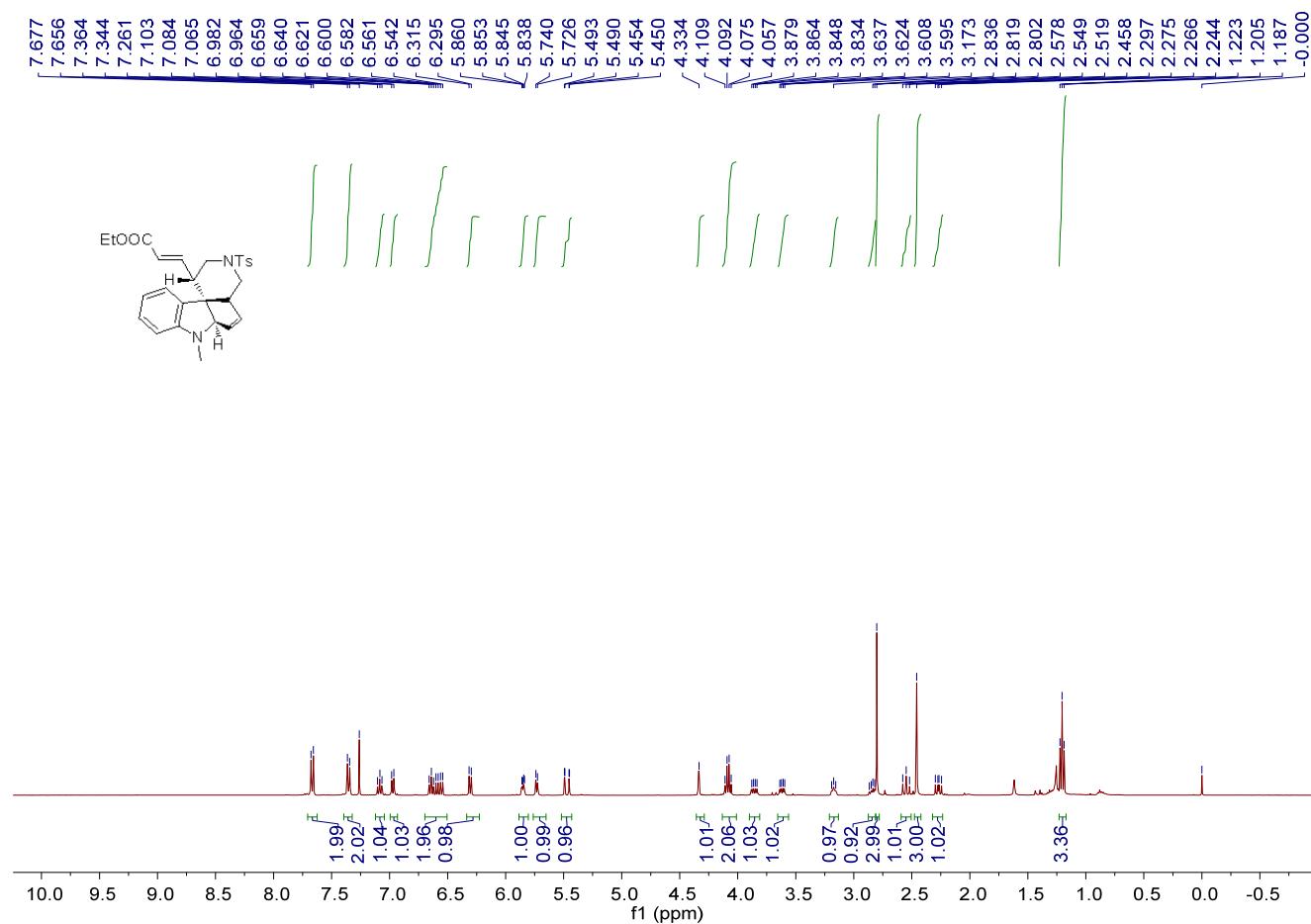
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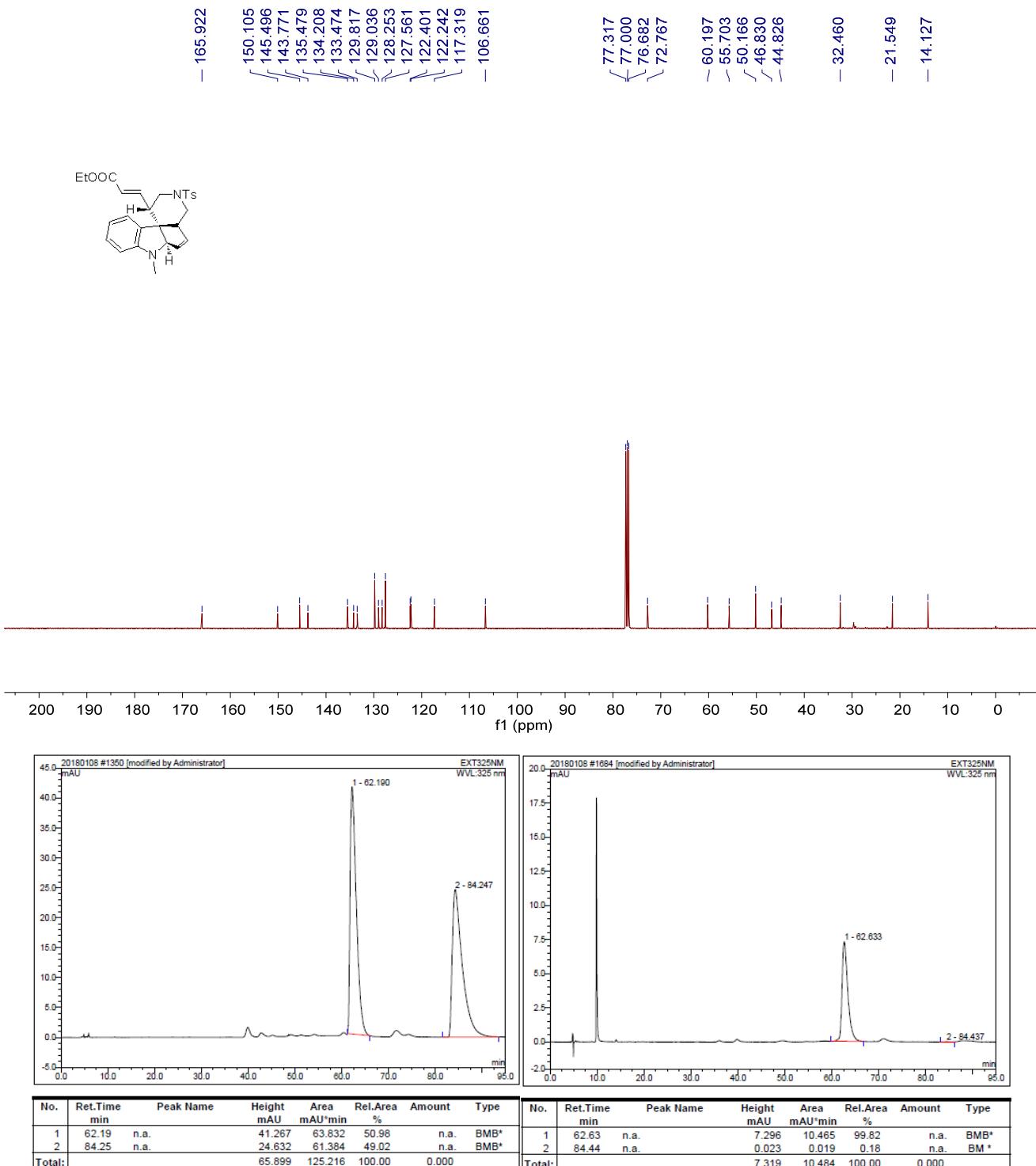


**(E)-ethyl 3-((1S,4aR,6aR,11bS)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4a,6a,7-hexahydro-1H-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-b]indol-1-yl)acrylate 2t**

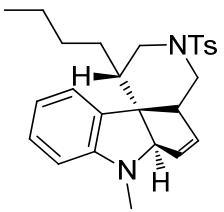
A white solid, 43% yield (20.8 mg). M.p.: 66-69 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.21 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 2.27 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.55 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.81-2.87 (m, 1H), 3.15-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.61 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 5.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.85 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.08 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 4.33 (s, 1H), 5.45-5.50 (m, 1H), 5.72-5.74 (m, 1H), 5.83-5.86 (m, 1H), 6.30 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.54-6.66 (m, 2H), 6.96-6.99 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.11 (m, 1H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  14.1, 21.5, 32.5, 44.8, 46.8, 50.2, 55.7, 60.2, 72.8, 106.7, 117.3, 122.2, 122.4, 127.6, 128.3, 129.0, 129.8, 133.5, 134.2, 135.5, 143.8, 145.5, 150.1, 165.9. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3052, 2933, 1721, 1601, 1342, 1168, 1011, 932, 822, 750, 662  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 479.19 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 479.1999, found: 479.1985. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel

IE3 column [ $\lambda = 325$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 82.44$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 62.63$  min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -31.2$  (c 0.08,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].



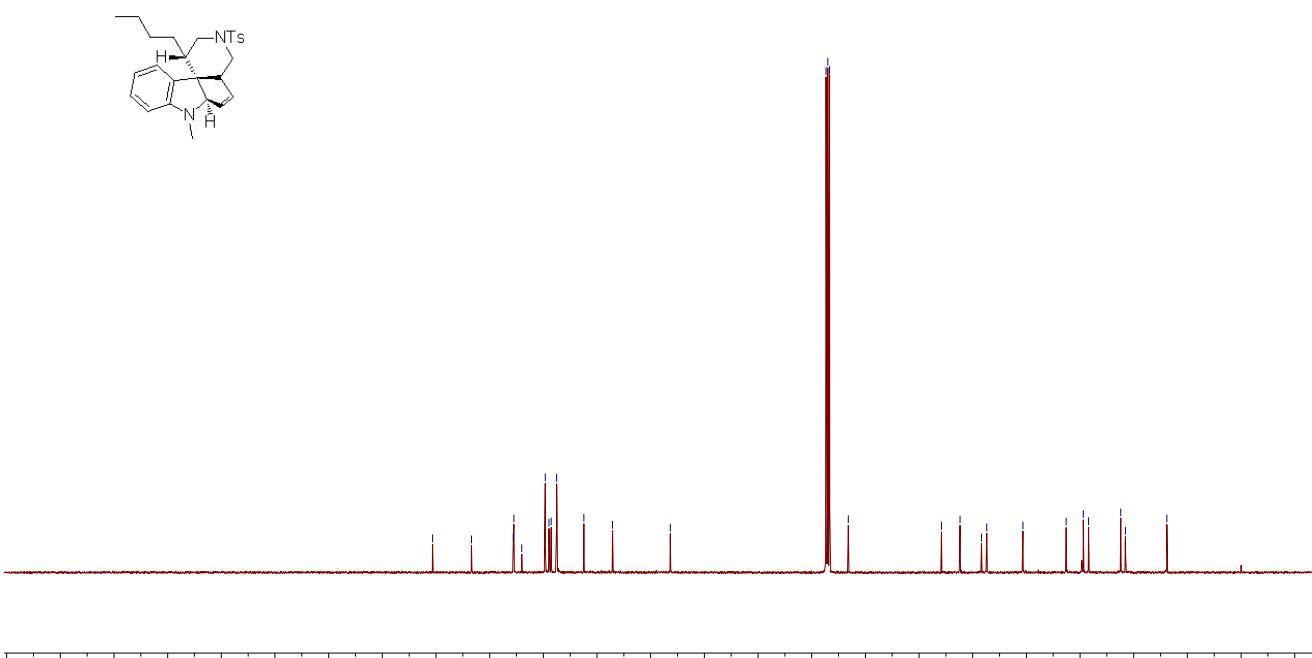
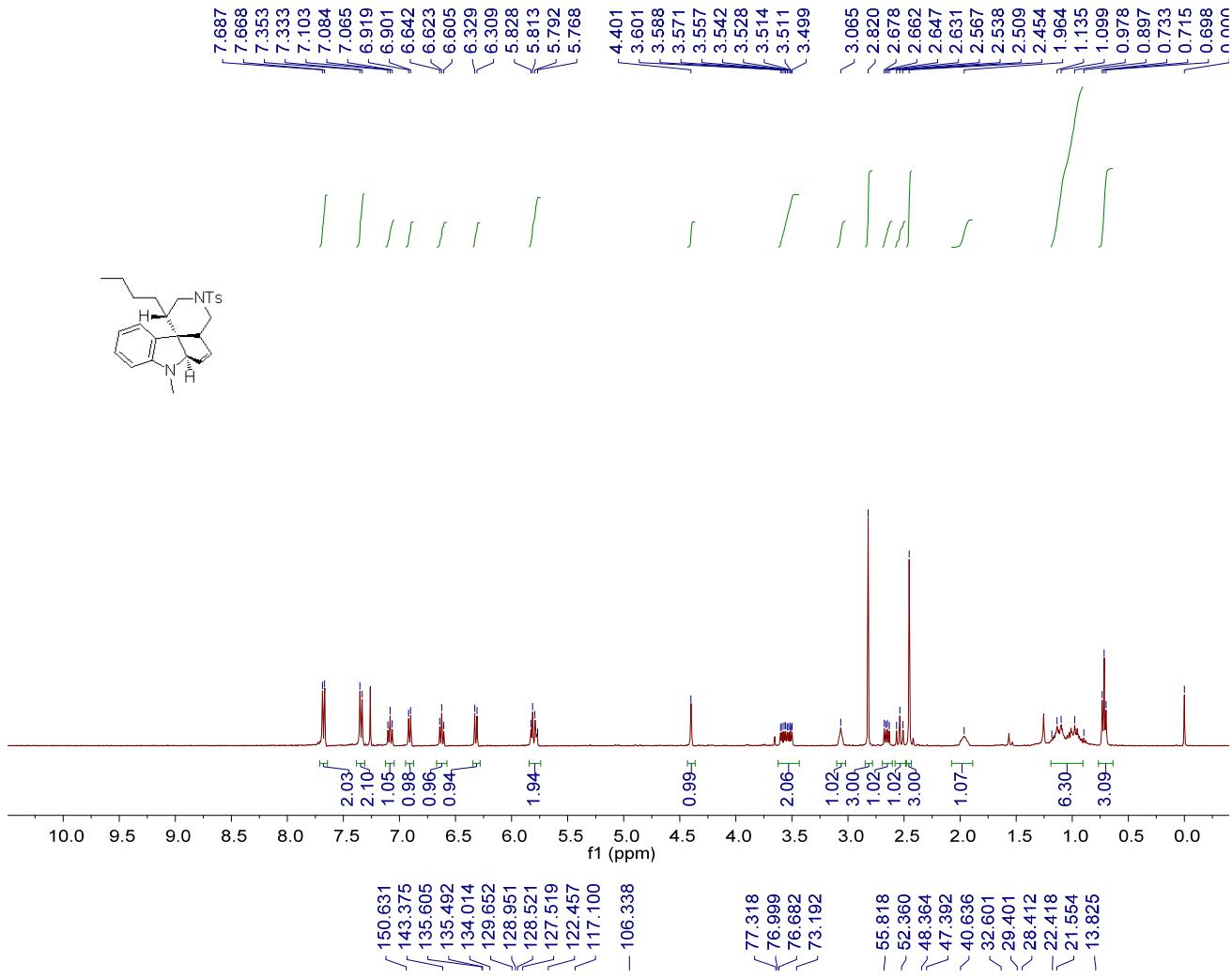


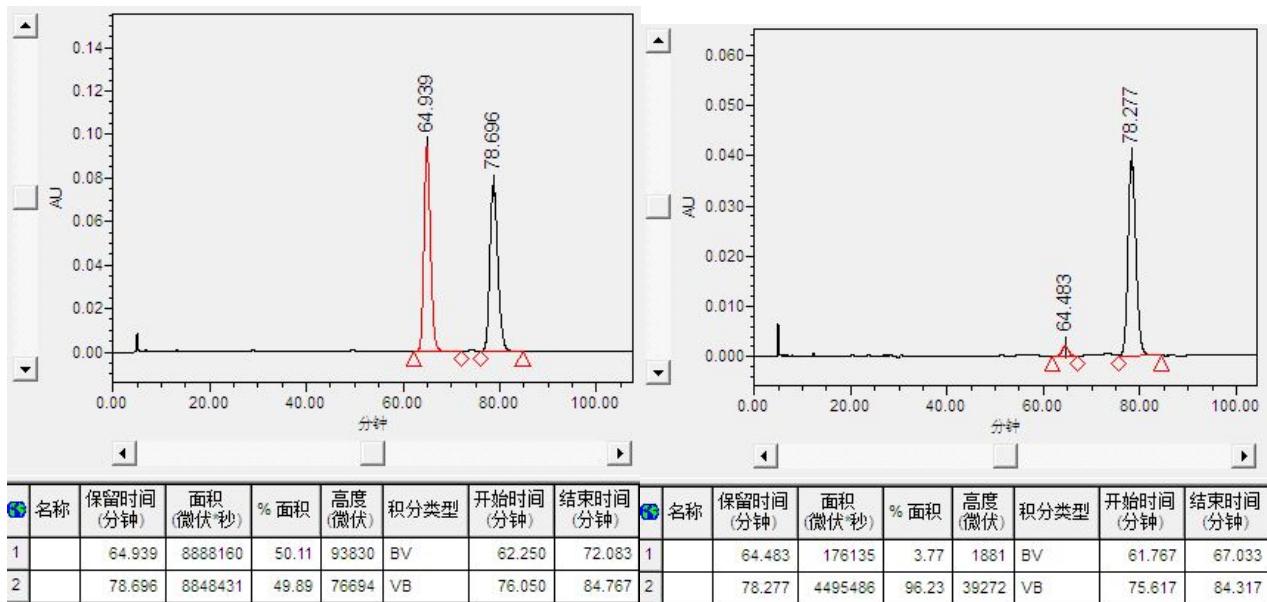
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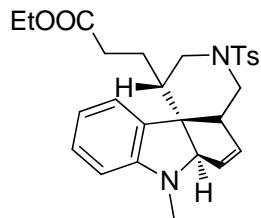
**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-1-butyl-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cycloepenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2*u***

A white solid, 44% yield (19.2 mg). M.p.: 43-46 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  0.72 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 0.89-1.19 (m, 6H), 1.96 (br, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.54 (dd,  $J$  = 12.0, 12.0 Hz, 1H), 2.65 (dd,  $J$  = 12.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.82 (s, 3H), 3.07 (br, 1H), 3.49-3.61 (m, 2H), 4.40 (s, 1H), 5.76-5.83 (m, 2H), 6.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.60-6.65 (m, 1H), 6.91 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.06-7.11 (m, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  13.8, 21.6, 22.4, 28.4, 29.4, 32.6, 40.6, 47.4, 48.4, 52.4, 55.8, 73.2, 106.3, 117.1, 122.5, 127.5, 128.5, 129.0, 129.7, 134.0, 135.5, 135.6, 143.4, 150.6. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 1794, 1601, 1407, 1169, 1090, 965, 871, 712, 661  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 437.22 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (DART) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 437.2257, found: 437.2254. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda$  = 254 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 94/6; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 64.48 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 78.27 min; ee% = 92%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -12.3$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





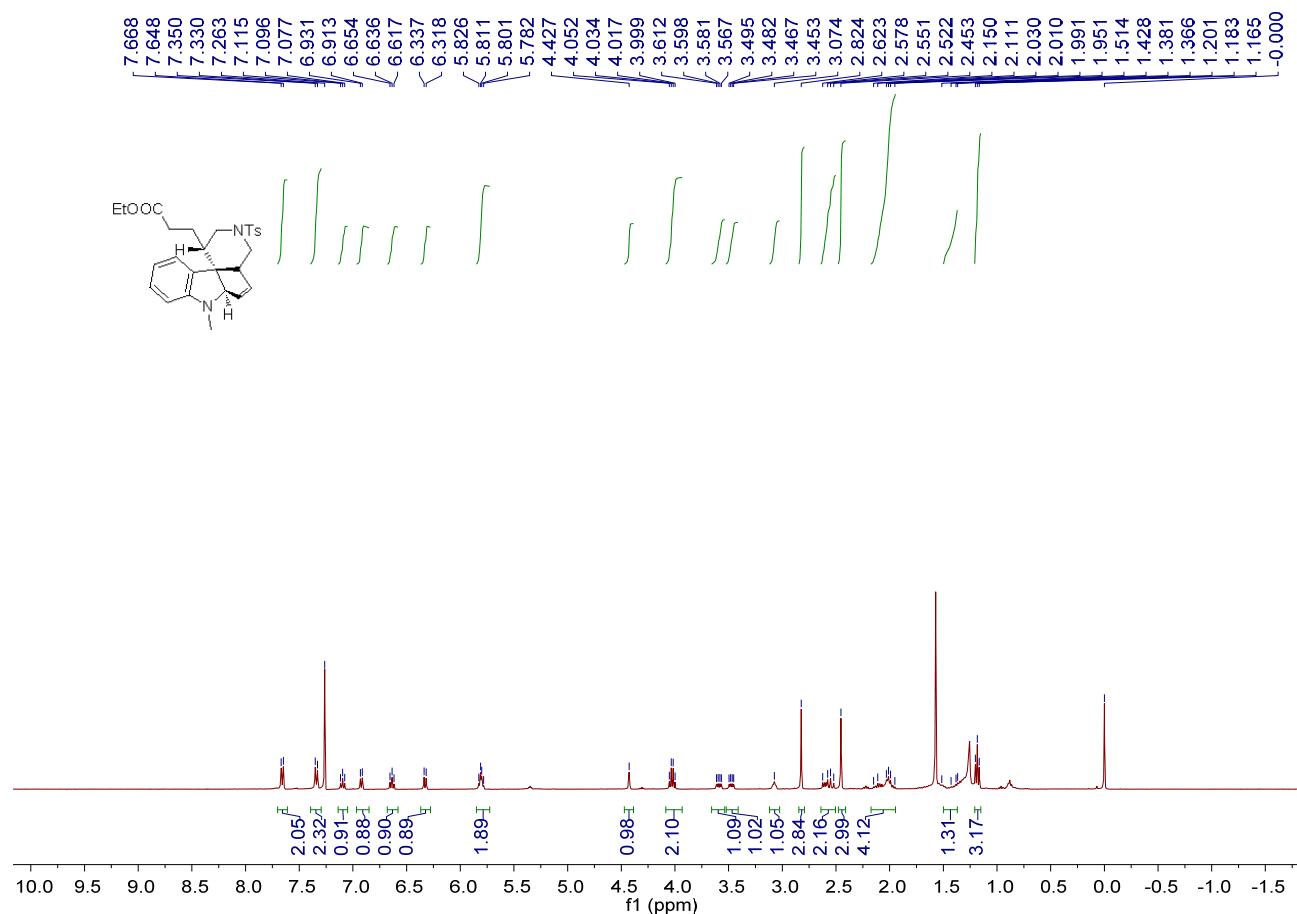
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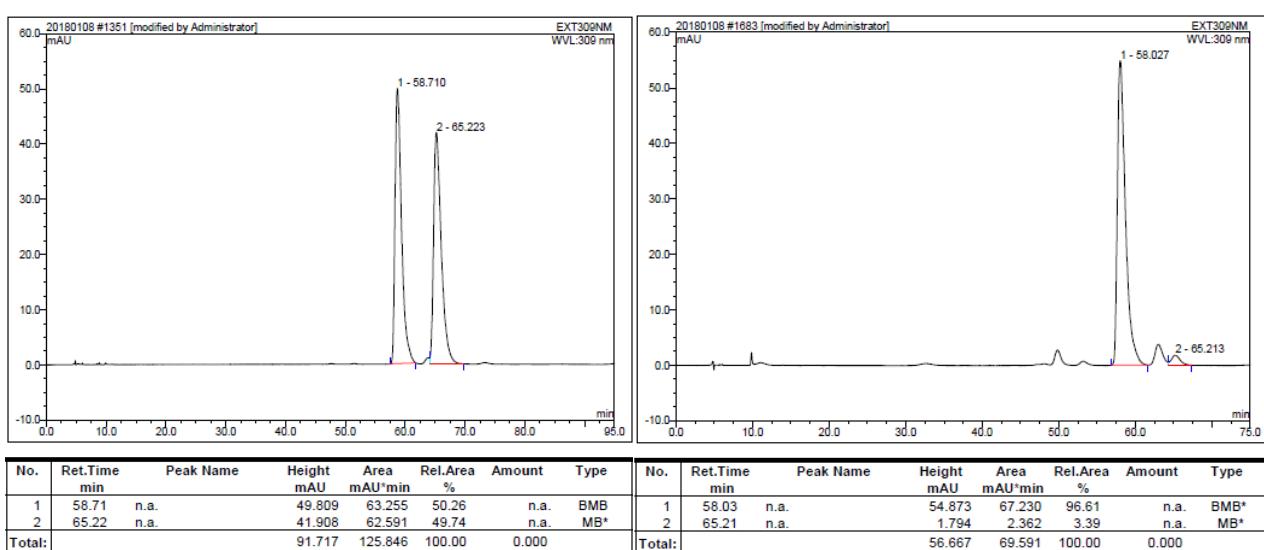
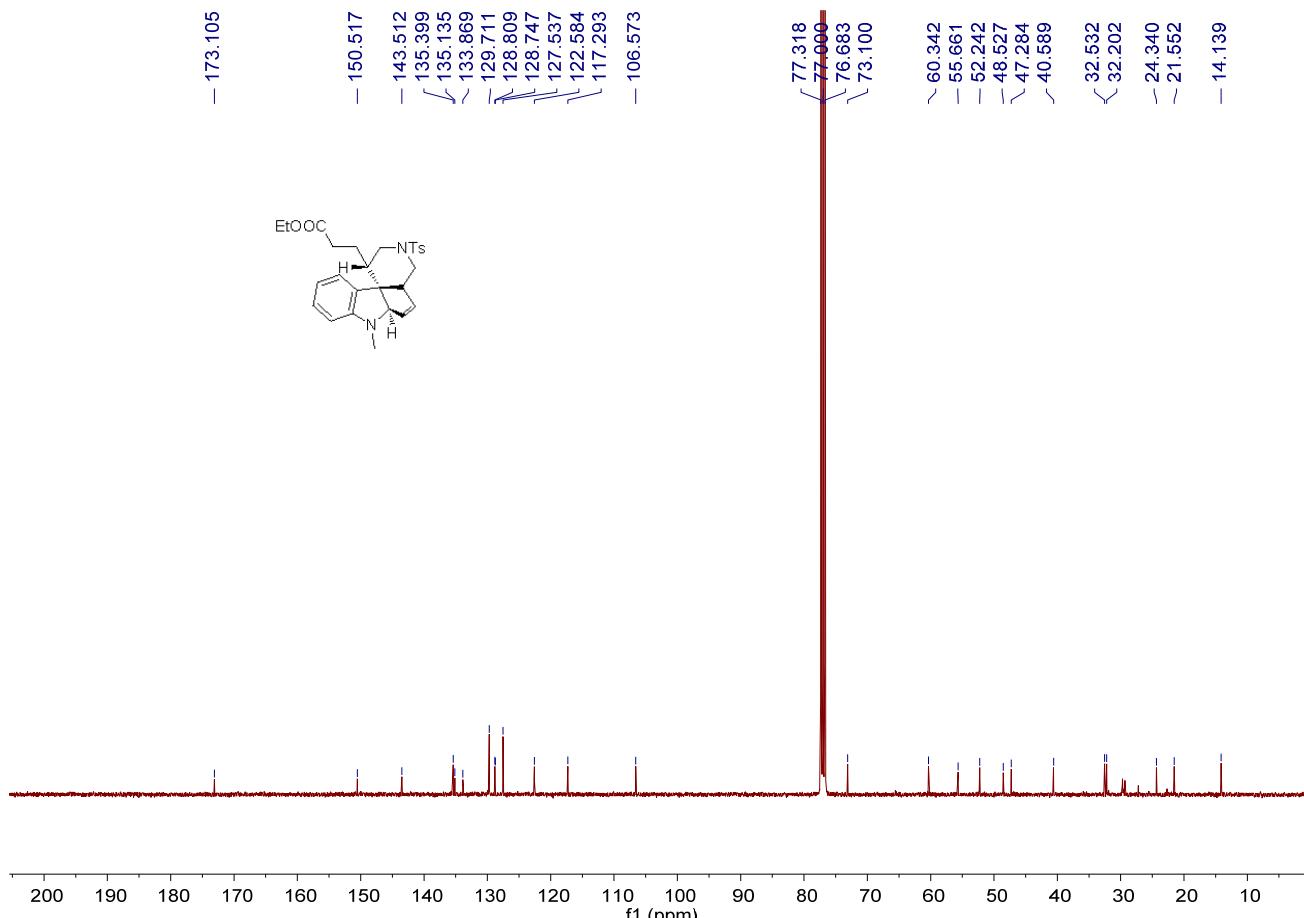


### ethyl 3-((1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indol-1-yl)propanoate 2v

A white solid, 43% yield (20.8 mg). M.p.: 55-58 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.18 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 1.36-1.52 (m, 1H), 1.95-2.15 (m, 4H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.52-2.63 (m, 2H), 2.82 (s, 3H), 3.07 (br, 1H), 3.47 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.02 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 4.43 (s, 1H), 5.78-5.83 (m, 2H), 6.32 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.61-6.66 (m, 1H), 6.91-6.93 (m, 1H), 7.07-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  14.1, 21.6, 24.3, 32.2, 32.5, 40.6, 47.3, 48.5, 52.2, 55.7, 60.3, 73.1, 106.6, 117.3, 122.6, 127.5, 128.7, 128.8, 129.7, 133.9, 135.1, 135.4, 143.5, 150.5, 173.1. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2922, 2852, 1730, 1602, 1486, 1344, 1160, 1089, 930, 816, 739, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 481.21 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 481.2156, found: 481.2145. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 309$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 80/20; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 65.21$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 58.03$  min; ee% = 93%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -58.8$  (c

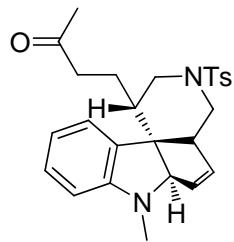
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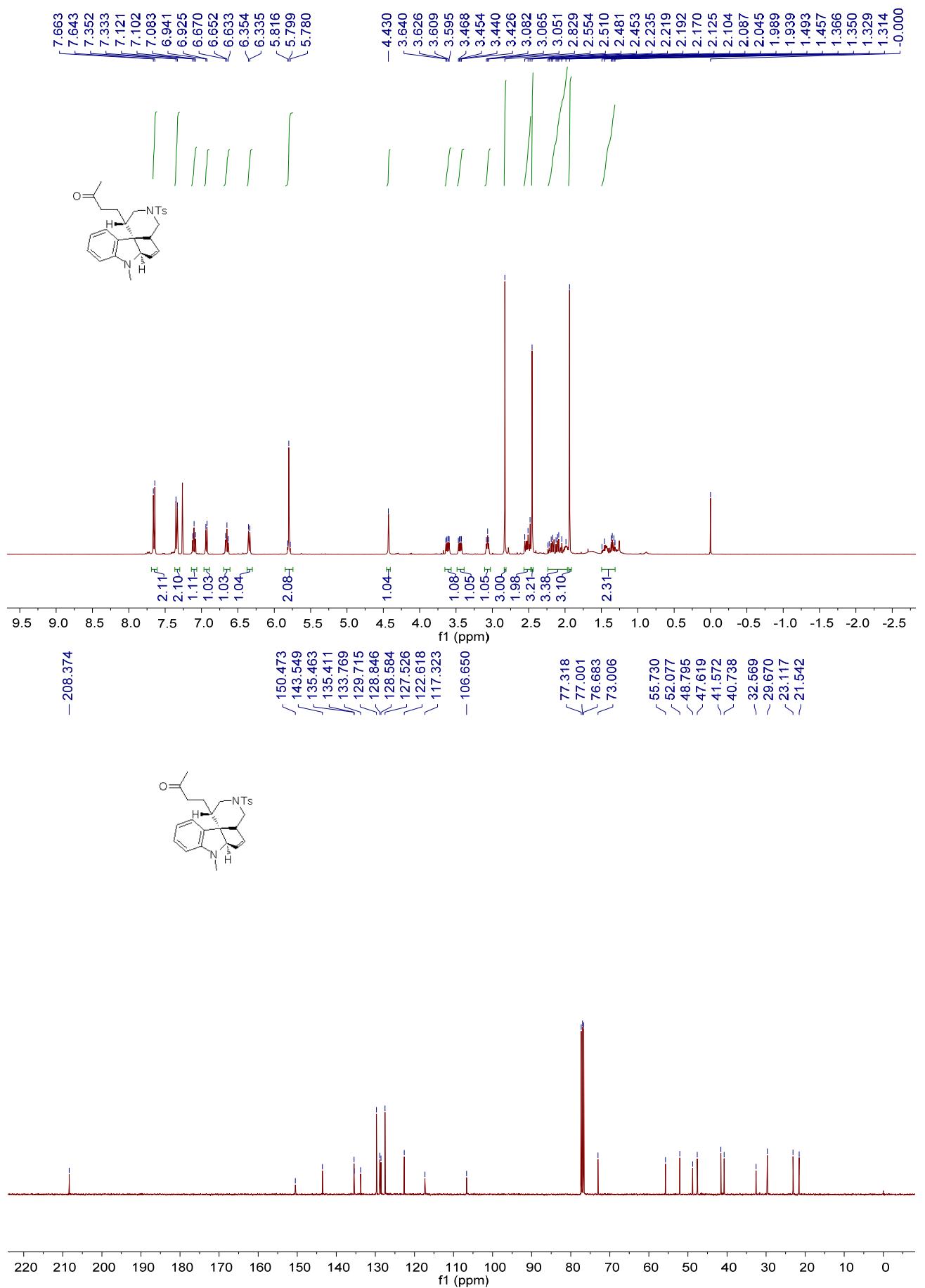
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2	65.22	n.a.	41.908	62.591	49.74	n.a.	MB*	2	65.21	n.a.	1.794	2.362	3.39	n.a.	MB*
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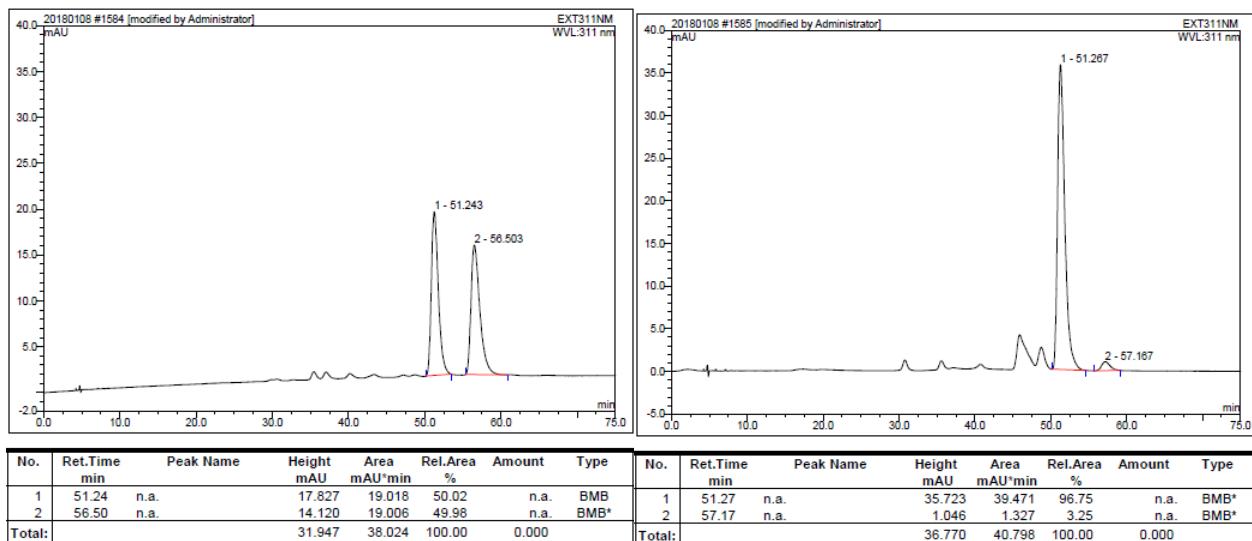
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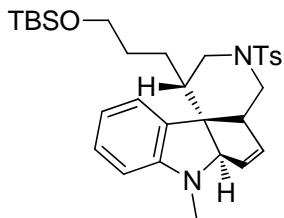
**4-((1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indol-1-yl)butan-2-one 2w**

A white liquid, 43% yield (19.4 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.31-1.50 (m, 2H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.98-2.24 (m, 3H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.48-2.56 (m, 2H), 2.83 (s, 3H), 3.05-3.09 (m, 1H), 3.45 (dd,  $J$  = 11.6, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 3.61 (dd,  $J$  = 12.4, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (s, 1H), 5.78-5.82 (m, 2H), 6.34 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.63-6.67 (m, 1H), 6.92-6.95 (m, 1H), 7.08-7.13 (m, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.65 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 23.1, 29.7, 32.6, 40.7, 41.6, 47.6, 48.8, 52.1, 55.7, 73.0, 106.7, 117.3, 122.6, 127.5, 128.6, 128.8, 129.7, 133.8, 135.4, 135.5, 143.5, 150.5, 208.4. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2921, 1716, 1600, 1485, 1340, 1164, 1091, 937, 815, 786, 660  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 451.20 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 451.2050, found: 451.2035. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda$  = 311 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 57.19 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 51.27 min; ee% = 94%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -17.8$  (c 1.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





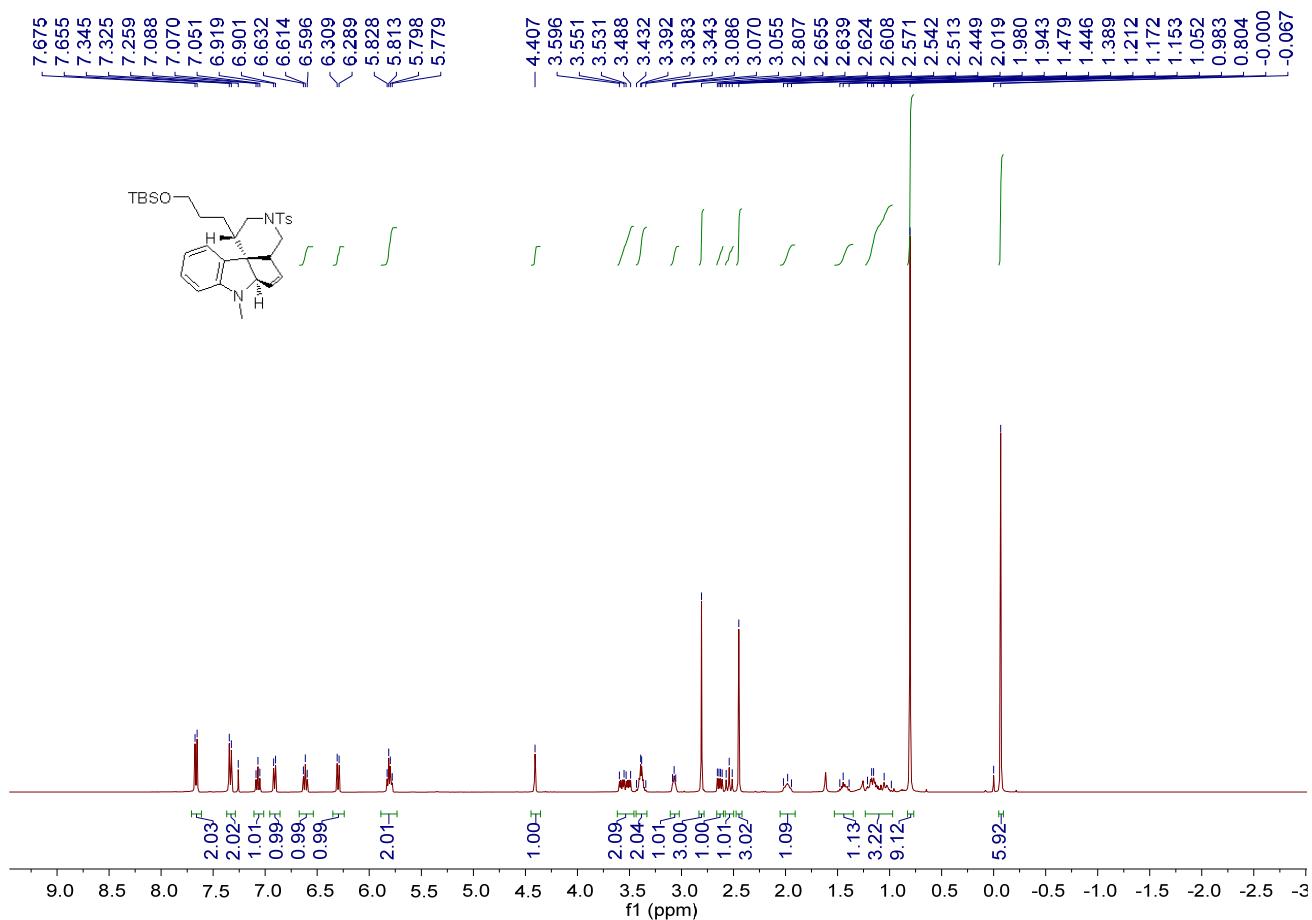
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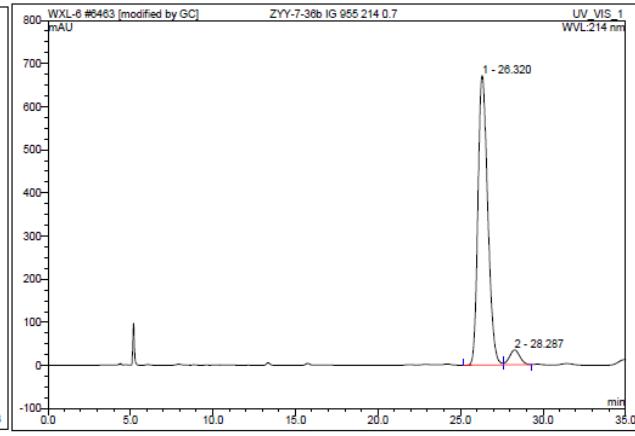
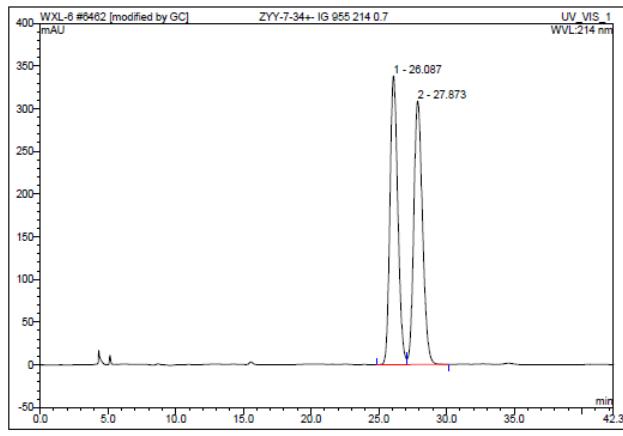
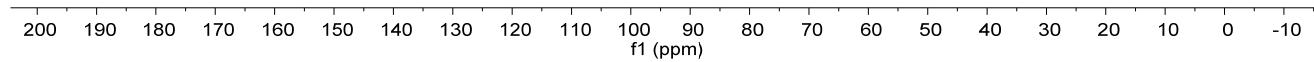
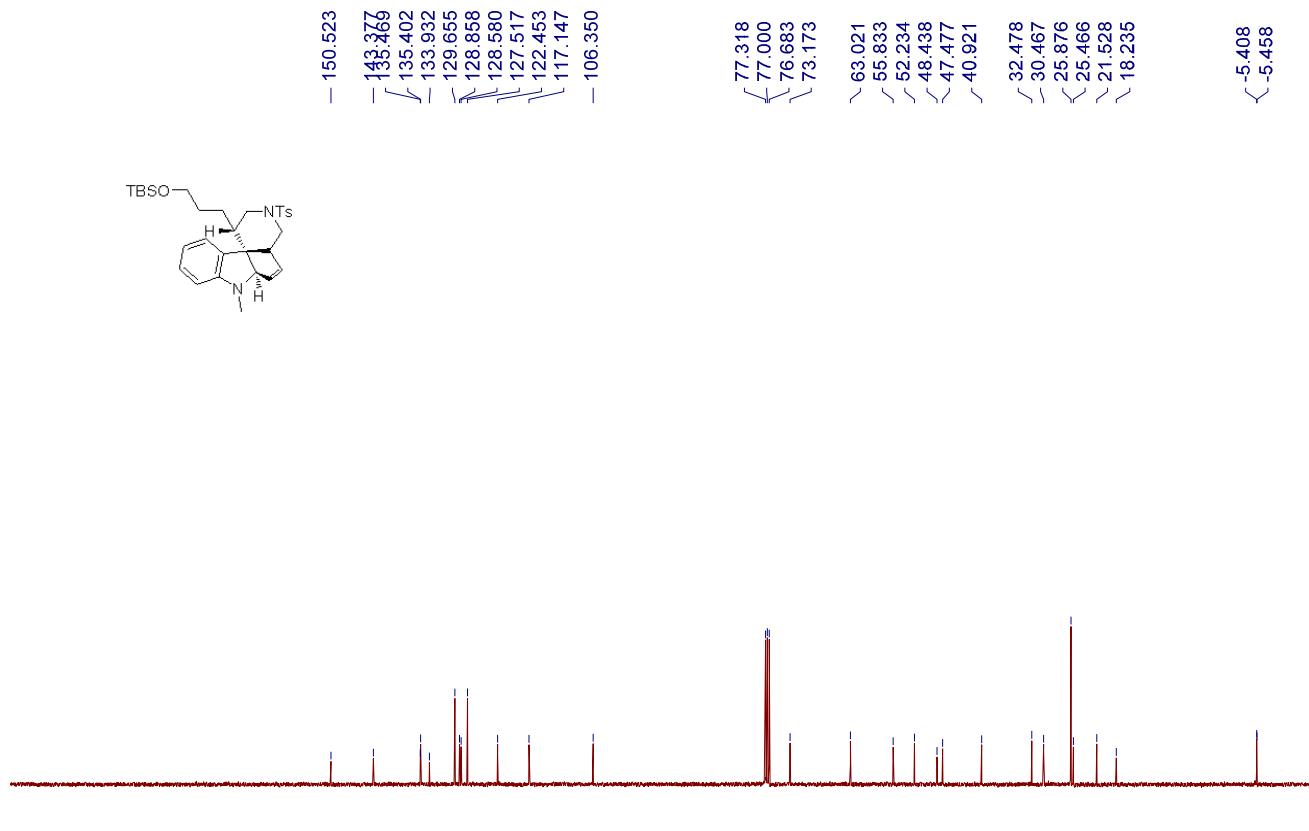


### **(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-1-(3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)propyl)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 2x**

A white liquid, 44% yield (24.2 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  -0.07 (s, 6H), 0.80 (s, 9H), 0.98-1.22 (m, 3H), 1.38-1.48 (m, 1H), 1.94-2.02 (m, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.54 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 11.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.63 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 6.4$  Hz, 1H), 2.81 (s, 3H), 3.05-3.09 (m, 1H), 3.34-3.44 (m, 2H), 3.48-3.60 (m, 2H), 4.41 (s, 1H), 5.77-5.83 (m, 2H), 6.29 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.59-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.90-6.92 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.09 (m, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  -5.46, -5.41, 18.2, 21.5, 25.5, 25.9, 30.5, 32.5, 40.9, 47.5, 48.4, 52.2, 55.8, 63.0, 73.2, 106.4, 117.1, 122.5, 127.5, 128.6, 128.9, 129.7, 133.9, 135.4, 135.5, 143.4, 150.5. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3041, 2927, 2853, 1603, 1491, 1346, 1248, 1157, 1090, 945, 833, 737, 668  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 553.28 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{45}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{SSi}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 553.2915, found: 553.2898. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 95/5; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 28.29$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 26.32$  min; ee% =

90%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -183.1$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).

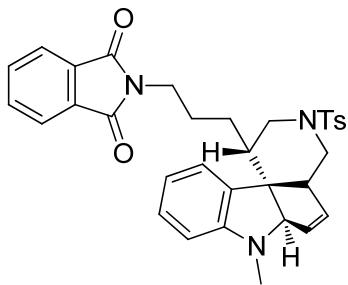




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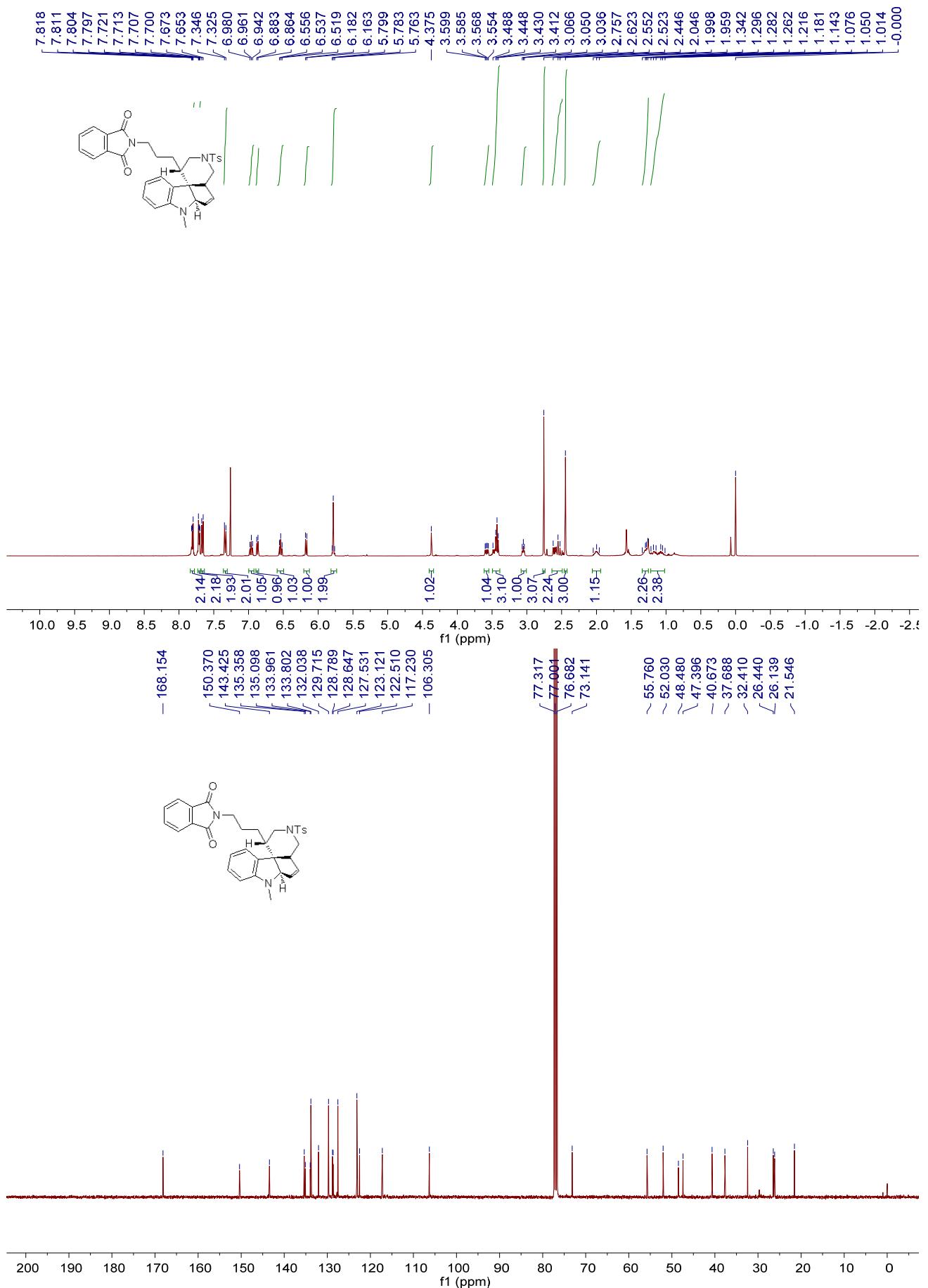
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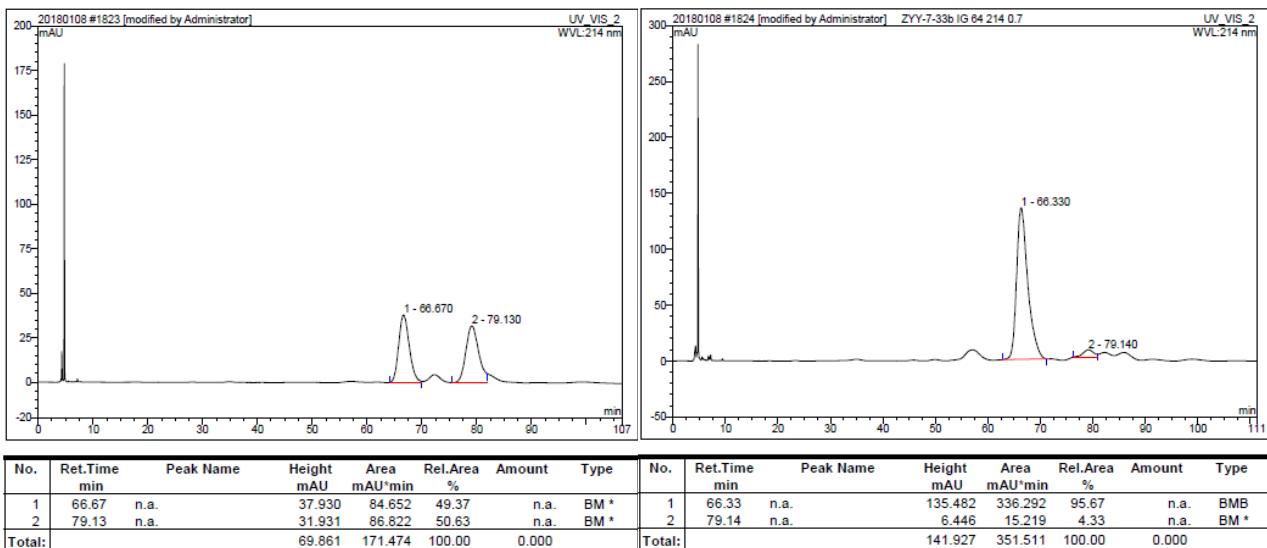
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**2-(3-((1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopent*a*[1,2-*b*]indol-1-yl)propyl)isoindoline-1,3-dione **2y****

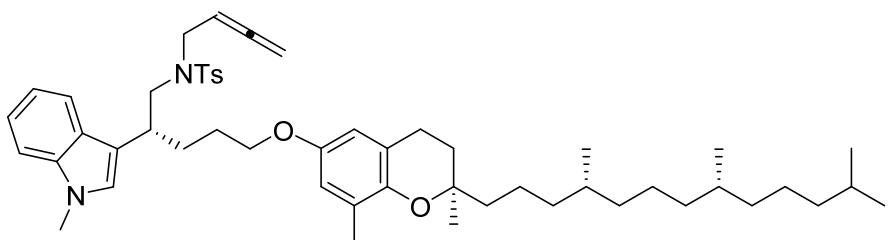
A white solid, 44% yield (24.9 mg). M.p.: 163-166 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.01-1.22 (m, 2H), 1.26-1.35 (m, 2H), 1.95-2.05 (m, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.52-2.63 (m, 2H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 3.03-3.07 (m, 1H), 3.41-3.49 (m, 3H), 3.57 (dd,  $J$  = 12.4, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (s, 1H), 5.76-5.80 (m, 2H), 6.17 (d,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.51-6.56 (m, 1H), 6.86-6.89 (m, 1H), 6.94-6.98 (m, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.70-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.79-7.82 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 26.1, 26.4, 32.4, 37.7, 40.7, 47.4, 48.5, 52.0, 55.8, 73.1, 106.3, 117.2, 122.5, 123.1, 127.5, 128.6, 128.8, 129.7, 132.0, 133.8, 134.0, 135.1, 135.4, 143.4, 150.4, 168.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2924, 2849, 1770, 1601, 1397, 1161, 1090, 934, 877, 786, 660  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 568.22 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ] $^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ] $^+$  requires 568.2265, found: 568.2252. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda$  = 214 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 60/40; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 79.14 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 66.33 min; ee% = 91%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -15.1$  (c 0.5,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





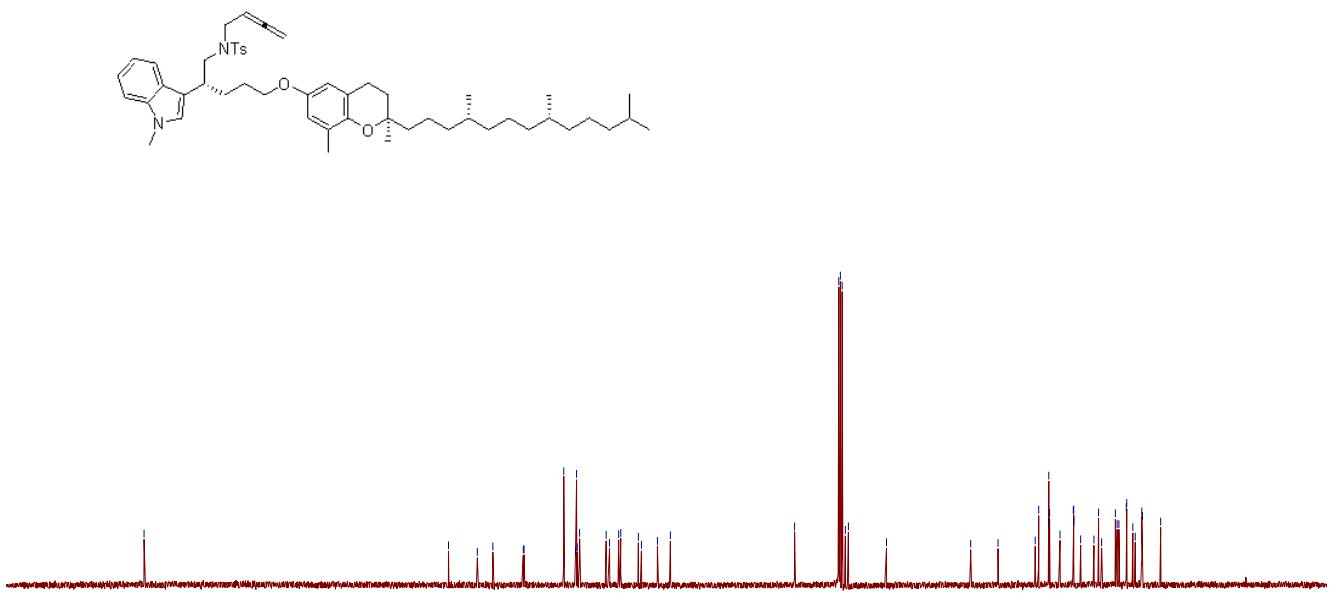
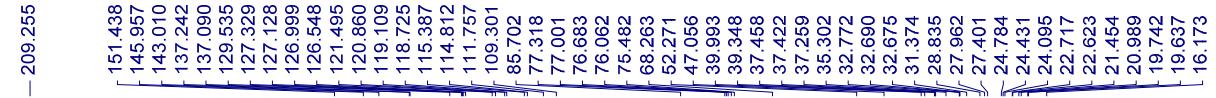
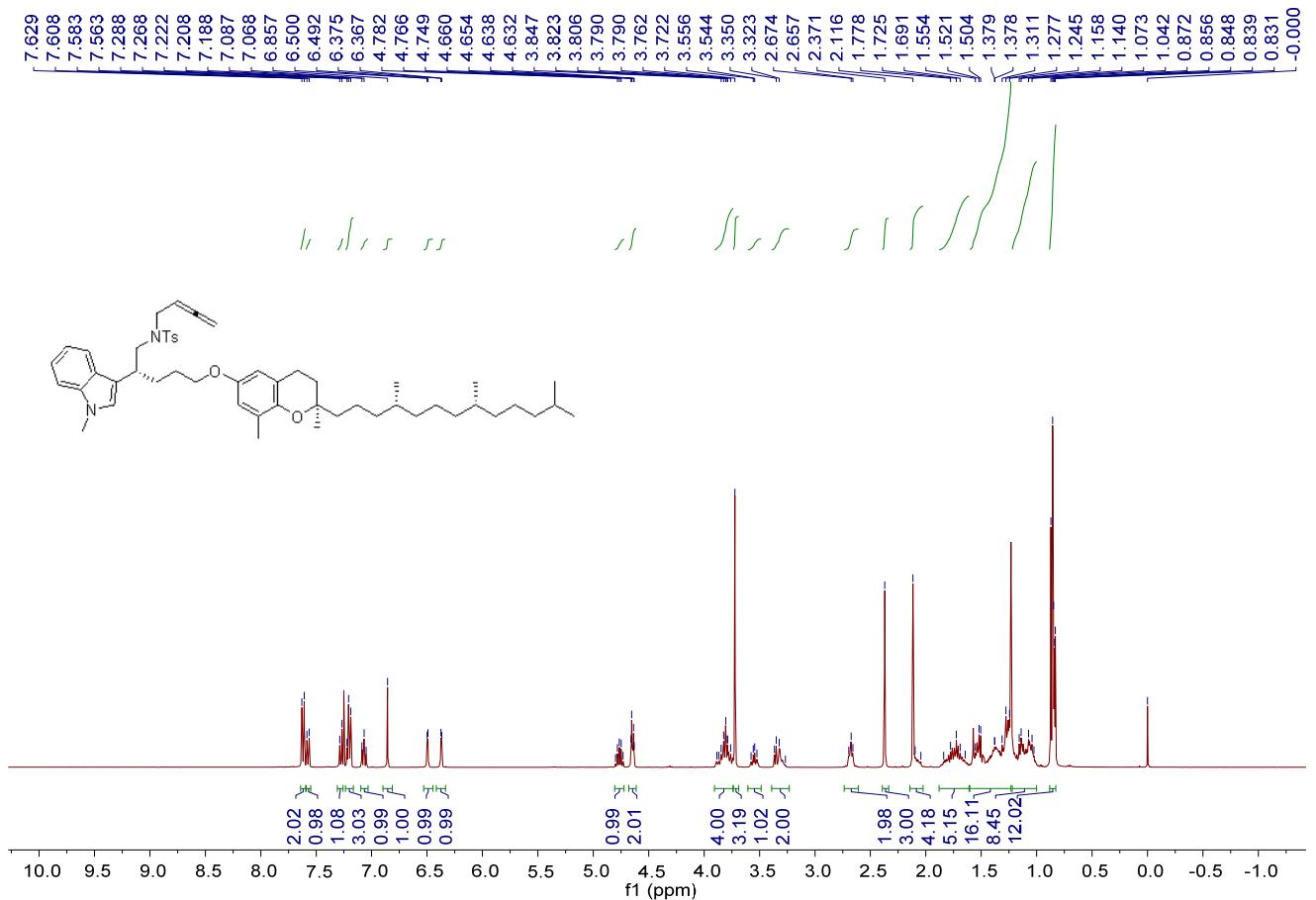
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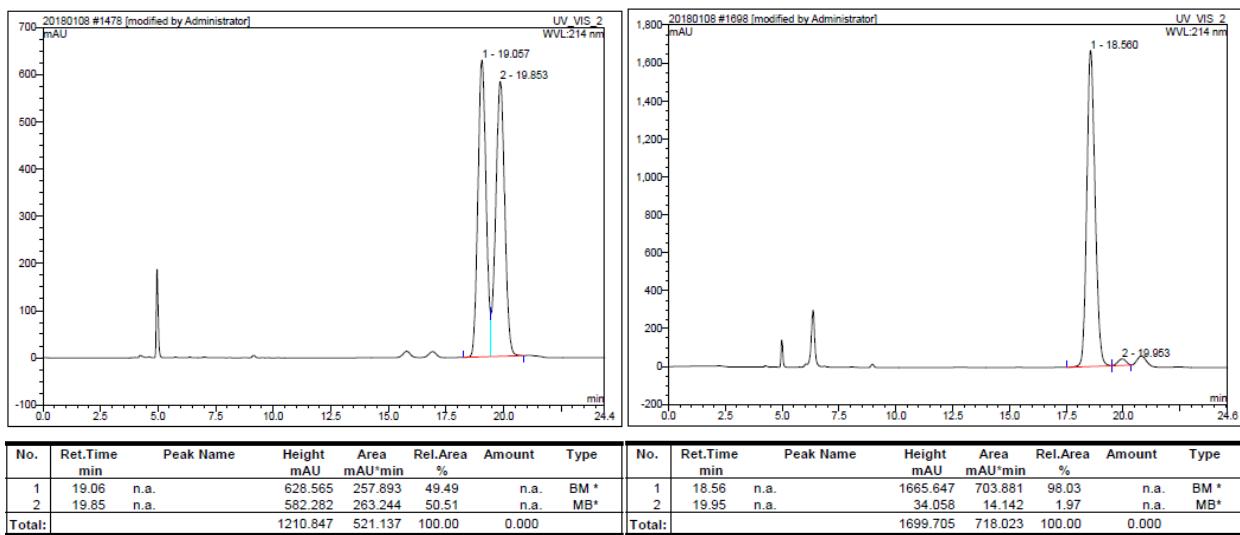
## 8. Characterization and spectra charts for compounds 3 and 4



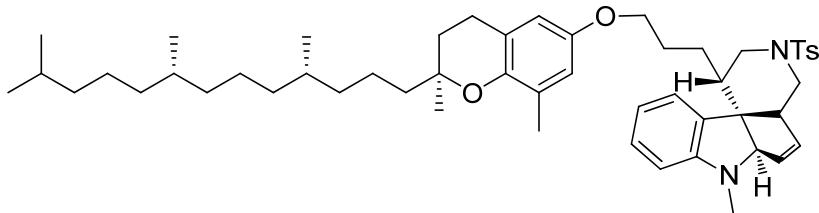
*N*-(buta-2,3-dien-1-yl)-*N*-((*R*)-5-(((*R*)-2,8-dimethyl-2-((4*R*,8*R*)-4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl)oxy)-2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)pentyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide **3**

A white liquid, 43% yield (35.6 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  0.83-0.88 (m, 12H), 1.02-1.16 (m, 8H), 1.24-1.56 (m, 16H), 1.64-1.84 (m, 5H), 2.04-2.12 (m, 4H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.65-2.70 (m, 2H), 3.26-3.37 (m, 2H), 3.52-3.58 (m, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.76-3.89 (m, 4H), 4.63-4.66 (m, 2H), 4.73-4.80 (m, 1H), 6.37 (d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.50 (d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 7.04-7.09 (m, 1H), 7.18-7.23 (m, 3H), 7.27 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  16.2, 19.6, 19.7, 21.0, 21.5, 22.6, 22.7, 24.1, 24.4, 24.8, 27.4, 28.0, 28.8, 31.4, 32.68, 32.7, 32.8, 35.3, 37.3, 37.4, 37.5, 39.3, 40.0, 47.1, 52.3, 68.3, 75.5, 76.1, 85.7, 109.3, 111.8, 114.8, 115.4, 118.7, 119.1, 120.9, 121.5, 126.5, 127.0, 127.1, 127.3, 129.5, 137.1, 137.2, 143.0, 146.0, 151.4, 209.3. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2924, 2866, 1954, 1599, 1469, 1327, 1156, 1090, 1055, 850, 737, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 823.54 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{52}\text{H}_{75}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 823.5442, found: 823.5442. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IF3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 19.95$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 18.56$  min; ee% = 96%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 35.3$  (c 0.1,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].





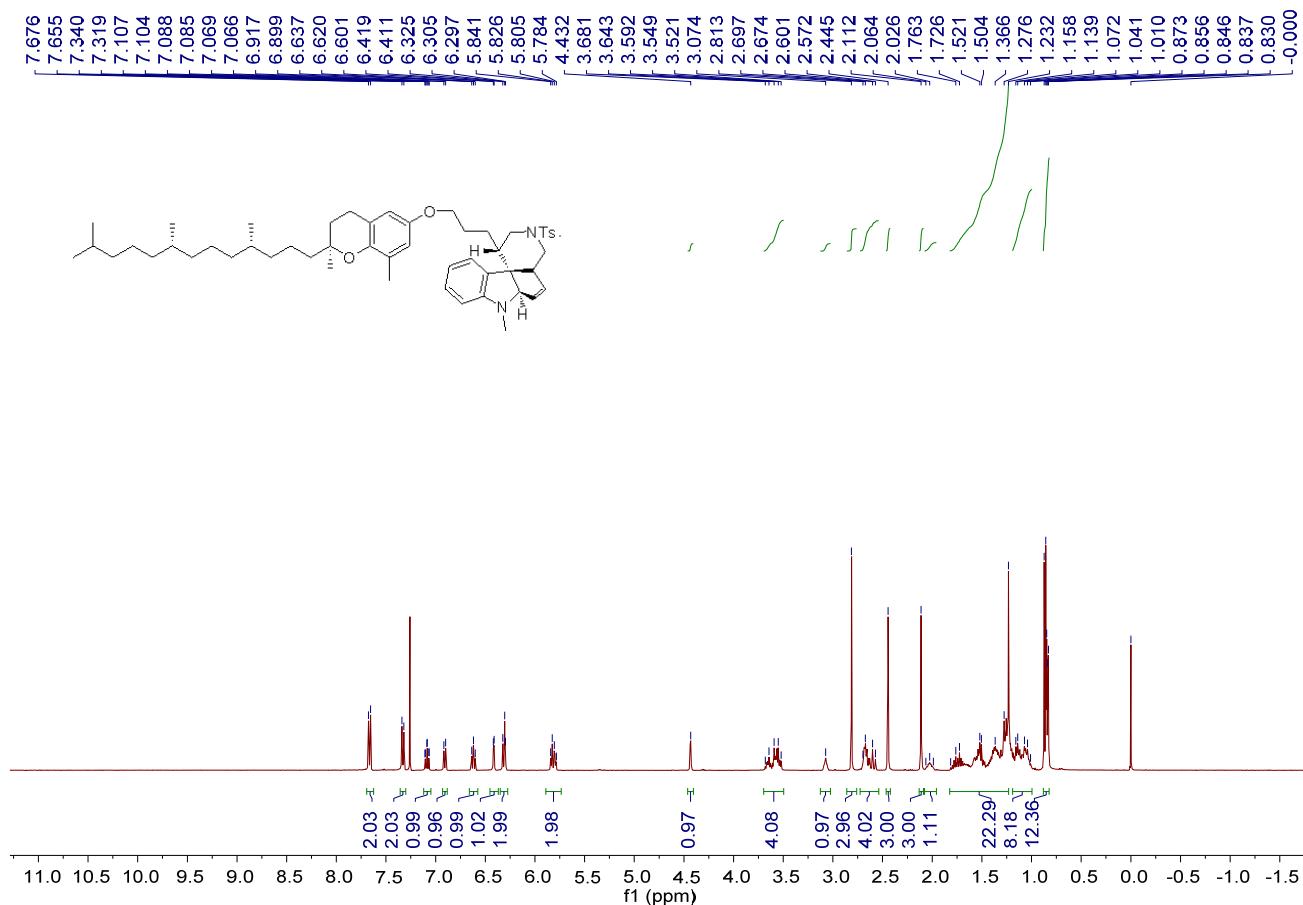
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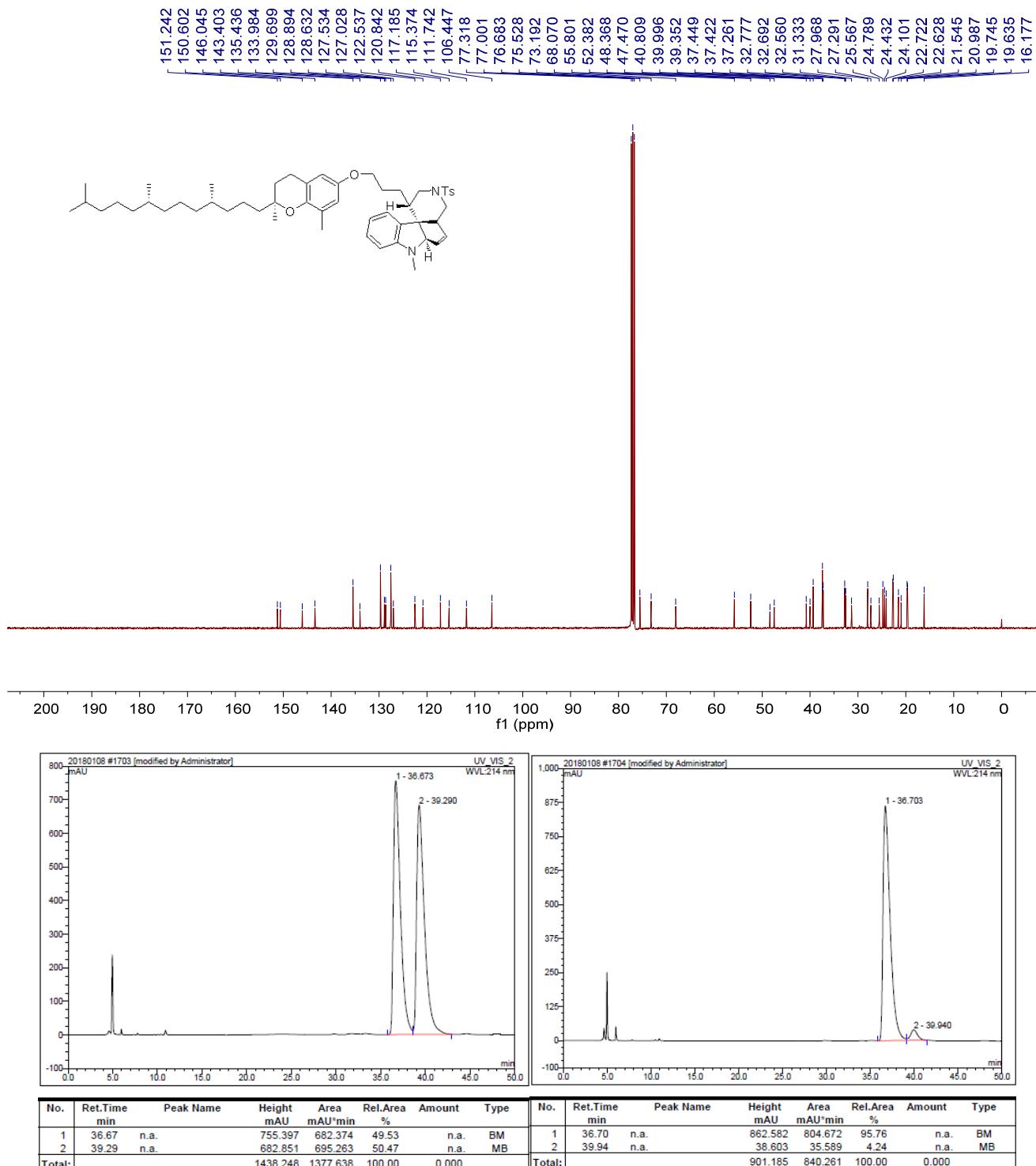


**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bR*)-1-(3-(((*S*)-2,8-dimethyl-2-((4*S*,8*S*)-4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl)oxy)propyl-7-methyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 4**

A white solid, 43% yield (35.5 mg). M.p.: 127-130 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  0.83-0.88 (m, 12H), 1.01-1.16 (m, 8H), 1.23-1.82 (m, 22H), 1.98-2.07 (m, 1H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.57-2.70 (m, 4H), 2.81 (s, 3H), 3.07 (br, 1H), 3.52-3.69 (m, 4H), 4.43 (s, 1H), 5.78-5.85 (m, 2H), 6.29-6.33 (m, 2H), 6.41-6.42 (m, 1H), 6.60-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.89-6.92 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.11 (m, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  16.2, 19.6, 19.7, 21.0, 21.5, 22.6, 22.7, 24.1, 24.4, 24.8, 25.6, 27.3, 28.0, 31.3, 32.6, 32.7, 32.8, 37.3, 37.42, 37.45, 39.4, 40.0, 40.8, 47.5, 48.4, 52.4, 55.8, 68.1, 73.2, 75.5, 106.4, 111.7, 115.4, 117.2, 120.8, 122.5, 127.0, 127.5, 128.6, 128.9, 129.7, 134.0, 135.4, 143.4, 146.0, 150.6, 151.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2922, 2849, 1603, 1486, 1468, 1338, 1260, 1156, 1012, 935, 812, 738, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 823.54 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{52}\text{H}_{75}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 823.5442, found: 823.5445.

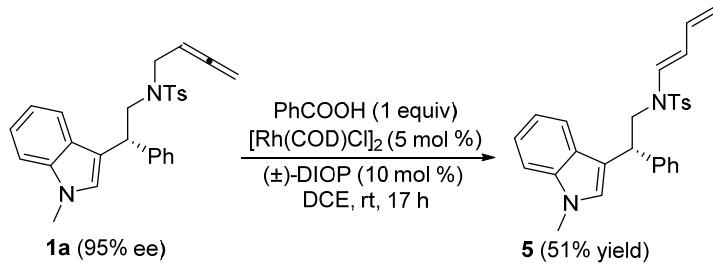
Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IE3 column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 39.94$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 36.70$  min; ee% = 92%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -153.8$  (c 0.20, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)].



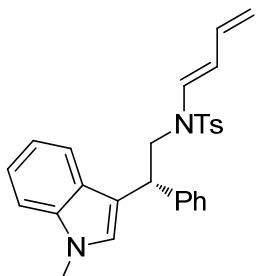


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## 9. General procedure for the synthesis of **5**, **6**, **7** and **8** and their characterization and spectra Charts

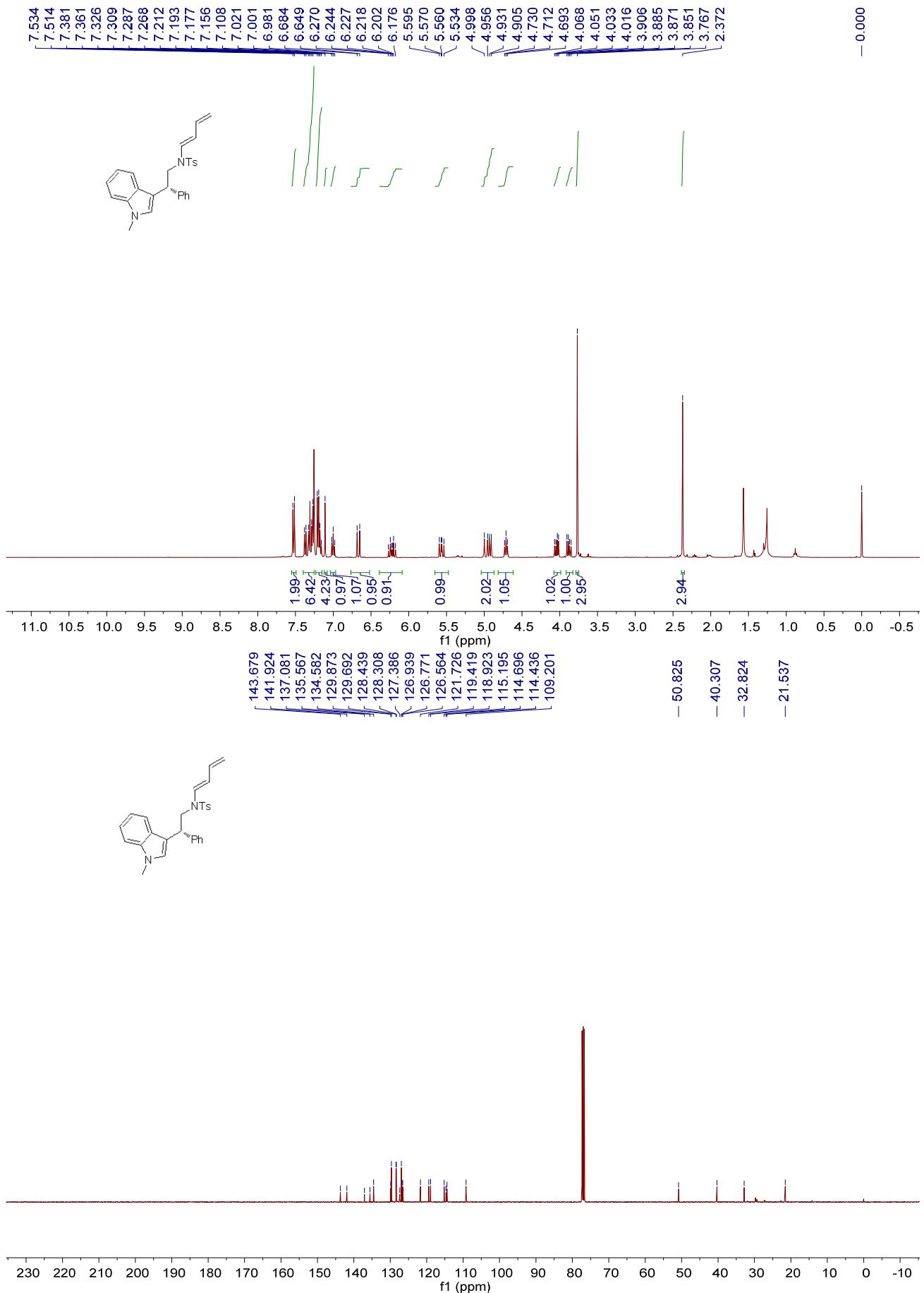


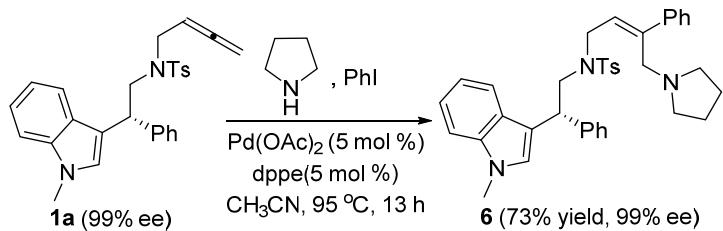
To an oven-dried reaction tube was sequentially added  $[\text{Rh}(\text{COD})\text{Cl}]_2$  (0.005 mmol), ( $\pm$ )-DIOP (0.01 mmol) and benzoic acid (0.1 mmol), and the tube was evacuated and backfilled with argon for three times. Then, **1a** (0.10 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (1.00 mL) was added into tube under an argon atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 10/1) to give the corresponding product **5**.



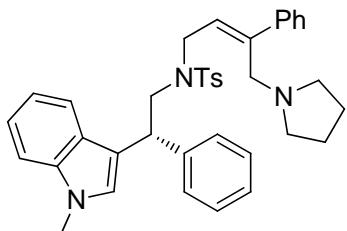
### **(R,E)-N-(buta-1,3-dien-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)benzenesulfonamide 5**

A white liquid, 51% yield (23.2 mg).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  2.37 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.88 (dd,  $J$  = 14.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.04 (dd,  $J$  = 14.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.90-5.00 (m, 2H), 5.57 (dd,  $J$  = 14.0, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 6.17-6.27 (m, 1H), 6.67 (d,  $J$  = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 6.98-7.03 (m, 1H), 7.11 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.22 (m, 4H), 7.26-7.39 (m, 6H), 7.52 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 32.8, 40.3, 50.8, 109.2, 114.4, 114.7, 115.2, 118.9, 119.4, 121.7, 126.6, 126.7, 126.9, 127.4, 128.3, 128.4, 129.7, 129.9, 134.6, 135.6, 137.1, 141.9, 143.7. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2920, 1949, 1599, 1474, 1334, 1160, 1093, 1010, 903, 858, 750, 659  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 457.19 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 457.1944, found: 457.1941.



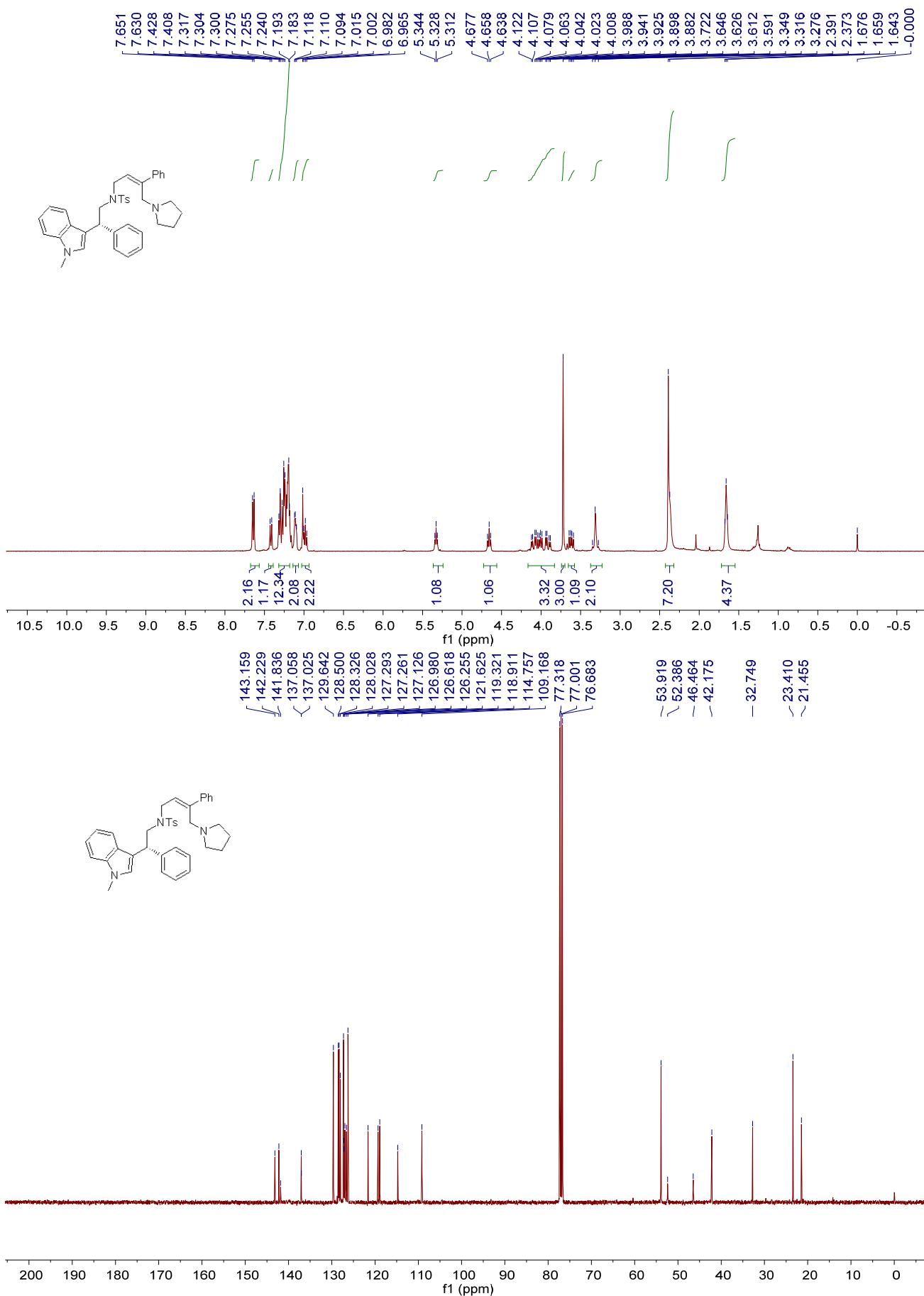


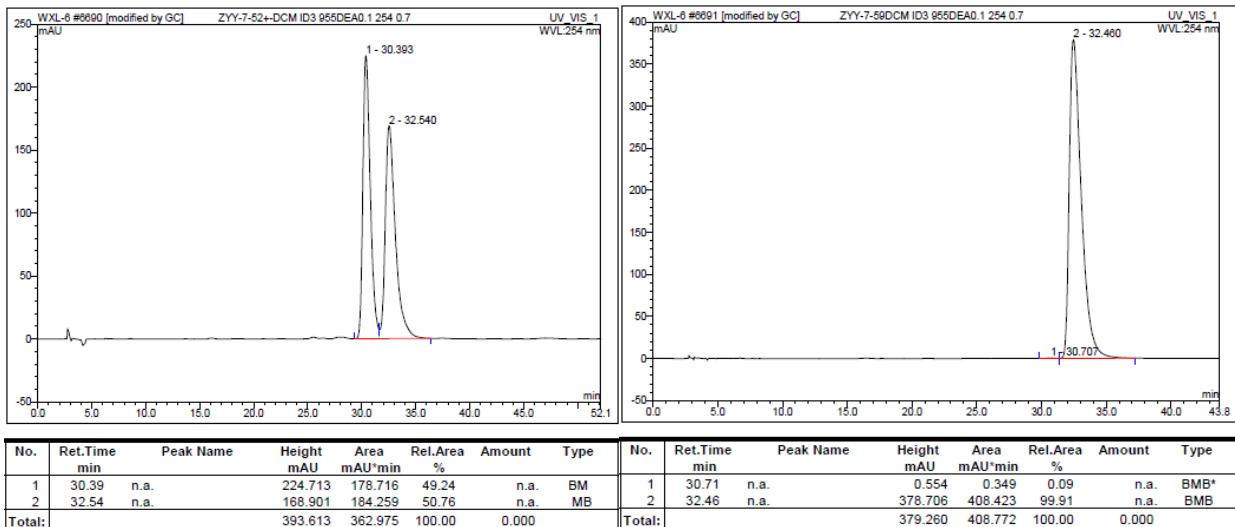
To an oven-dried reaction tube was sequentially added  $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$  (0.005 mmol), dppe (0.005 mmol), **1a** and acetonitrile (1.00 mL). Then, iodobenzene (0.125 mmol) and pyrrolidine (0.6 mmol) were added into tube under an argon atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at 95 °C. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 10/1-5/1) to give the corresponding product **6**.



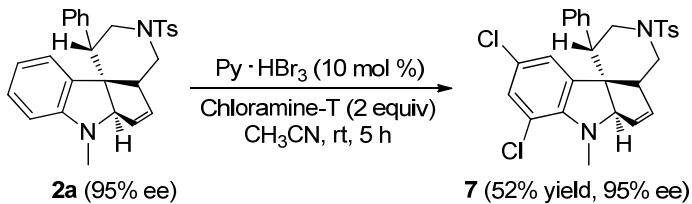
**(R,Z)-4-methyl-N-(2-(1-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-2-phenylethyl)-N-(3-phenyl-4-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)but-2-en-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide 6**

A white solid, 73% yield (44.1 mg). M.p.: 111-114 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.64-1.68 (m, 4H), 2.37-2.40 (m, 7H), 3.27-3.35 (m, 2H), 3.59-3.65 (m, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.88-4.13 (m, 3H), 4.66 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (t,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 6.96-7.02 (m, 2H), 7.09-7.12 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.32 (m, 12H), 7.41 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.5, 23.4, 32.7, 42.2, 46.5, 52.4, 53.9, 109.2, 114.8, 118.9, 119.3, 121.6, 126.3, 126.6, 127.0, 127.1, 127.2, 127.3, 128.0, 128.3, 128.5, 129.6, 137.0, 137.1, 141.8, 142.2, 143.2. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  3394, 2922, 2851, 1646, 1454, 1327, 1155, 1090, 922, 814, 738, 699, 653  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 604.29 (100) [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{42}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}^{+1}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 604.2992, found: 604.2978. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel ID3 column [ $\lambda$  = 254 nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 95/5; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}}$  = 30.71 min,  $t_{\text{major}}$  = 32.46 min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -106.5$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].

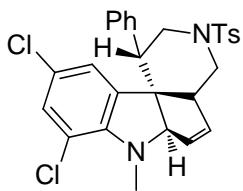




Translation: Chiralcel ID3 column [ $\lambda = 254$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 95/5; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 30.71$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 32.46$  min; ee% = 99%].



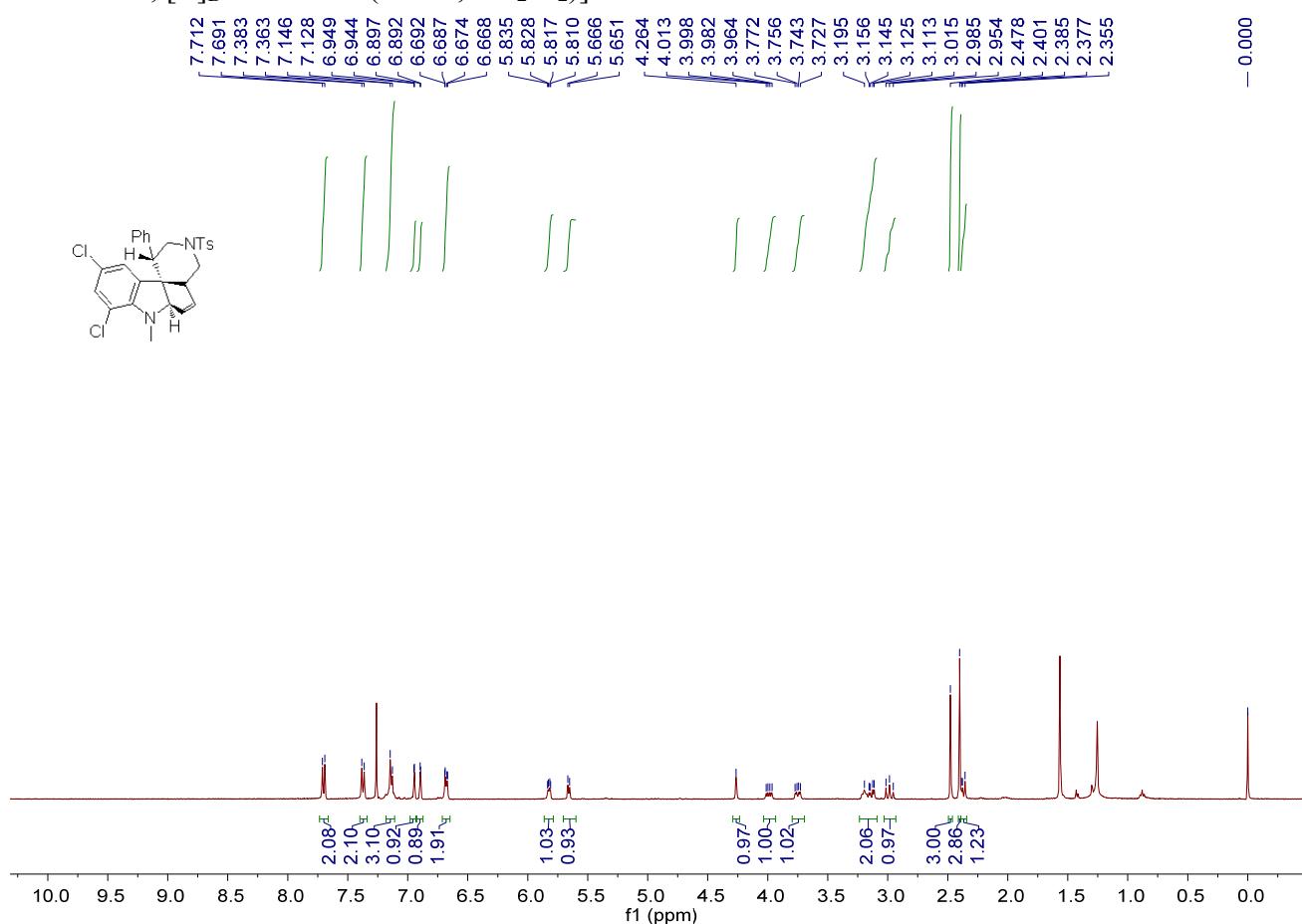
To an oven-dried reaction tube was sequentially added **2a** (0.10 mmol), Py·HBr<sub>3</sub> (0.01 mmol), and Chloramine-T (0.20 mmol) in acetonitrile (1.00 mL) under an argon atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, water (5.00 mL) and ethyl acetate (5.00 mL) were added and then the aqueous solution was separated and extracted with ethyl acetate ( $3 \times 5$  mL). The organic layer was then washed with brine and dried over anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 10/1) to give the corresponding product **7**.

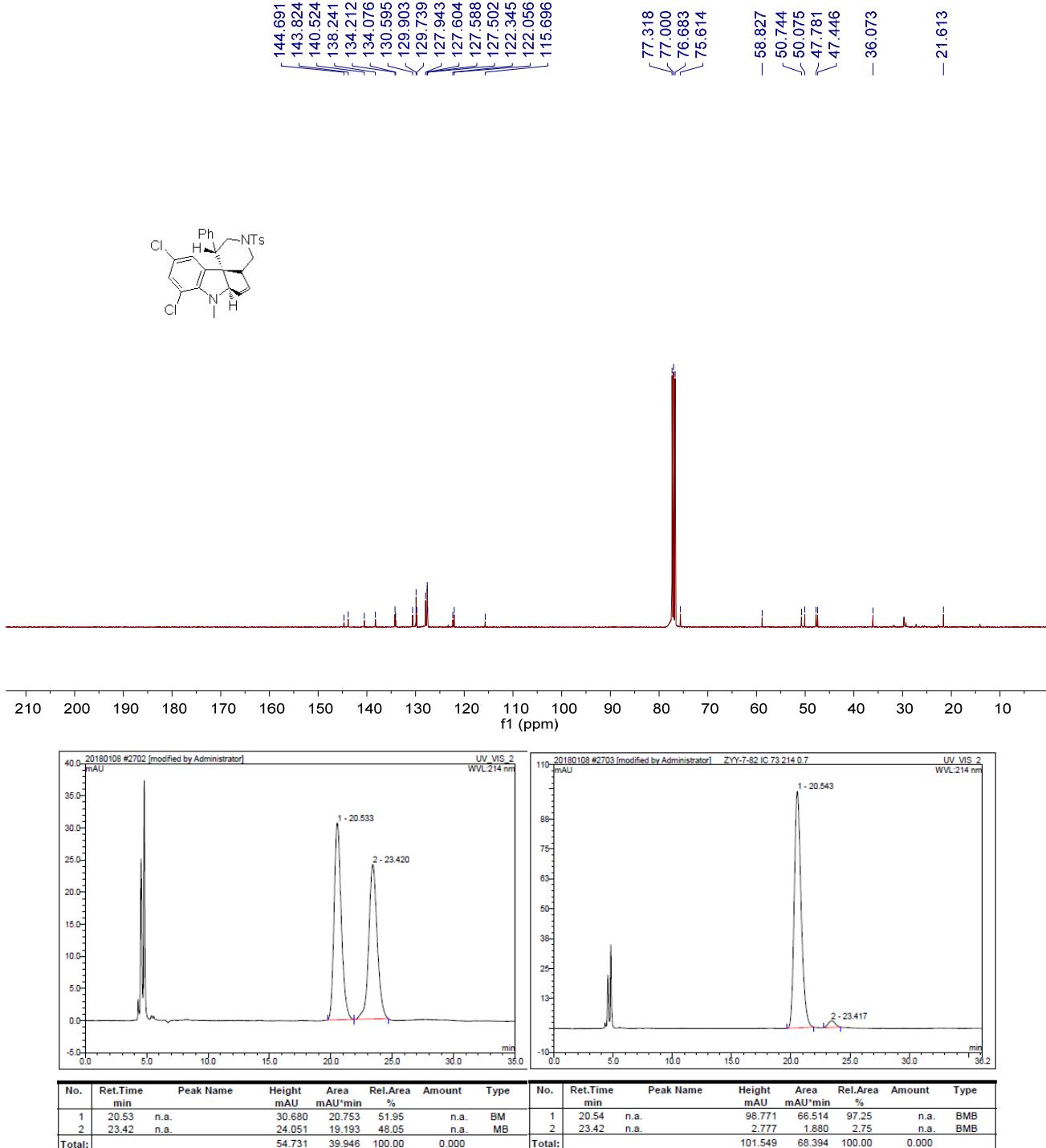


**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-8,10-dichloro-7-methyl-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4*a*,6*a*,7-hexahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 7**

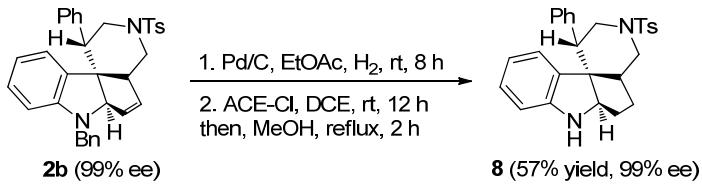
A white solid, 52% yield (27.1 mg). M.p.: 166–169 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, TMS, 400 MHz) δ 2.36 (s, S136

3H), 2.42-2.47 (m, 4H), 3.05 (dd,  $J = 12.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.12-3.21 (m, 2H), 3.69 (dd,  $J = 11.2, 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.94 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.48 (s, 1H), 5.68 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.88 (m, 2H), 6.72-6.75 (m, 2H), 6.88-6.95 (m, 2H), 7.02-7.11 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 36.1, 47.4, 47.8, 50.1, 50.7, 58.8, 75.6, 115.7, 122.1, 122.3, 127.50, 127.59, 127.6, 127.9, 129.7, 129.9, 130.6, 134.1, 134.2, 138.2, 140.5, 143.8, 144.7. IR ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\nu$  2923, 1597, 1492, 1342, 1153, 1058, 935, 814, 730, 658  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 525.11 (100)  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{Cl}_2\text{S}^{+1}[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  requires 525.1165, found: 525.1165. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 23.42$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 20.54$  min; ee% = 95%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -263.8$  (c 0.20,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )].

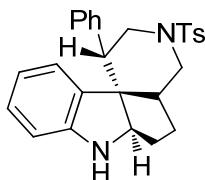




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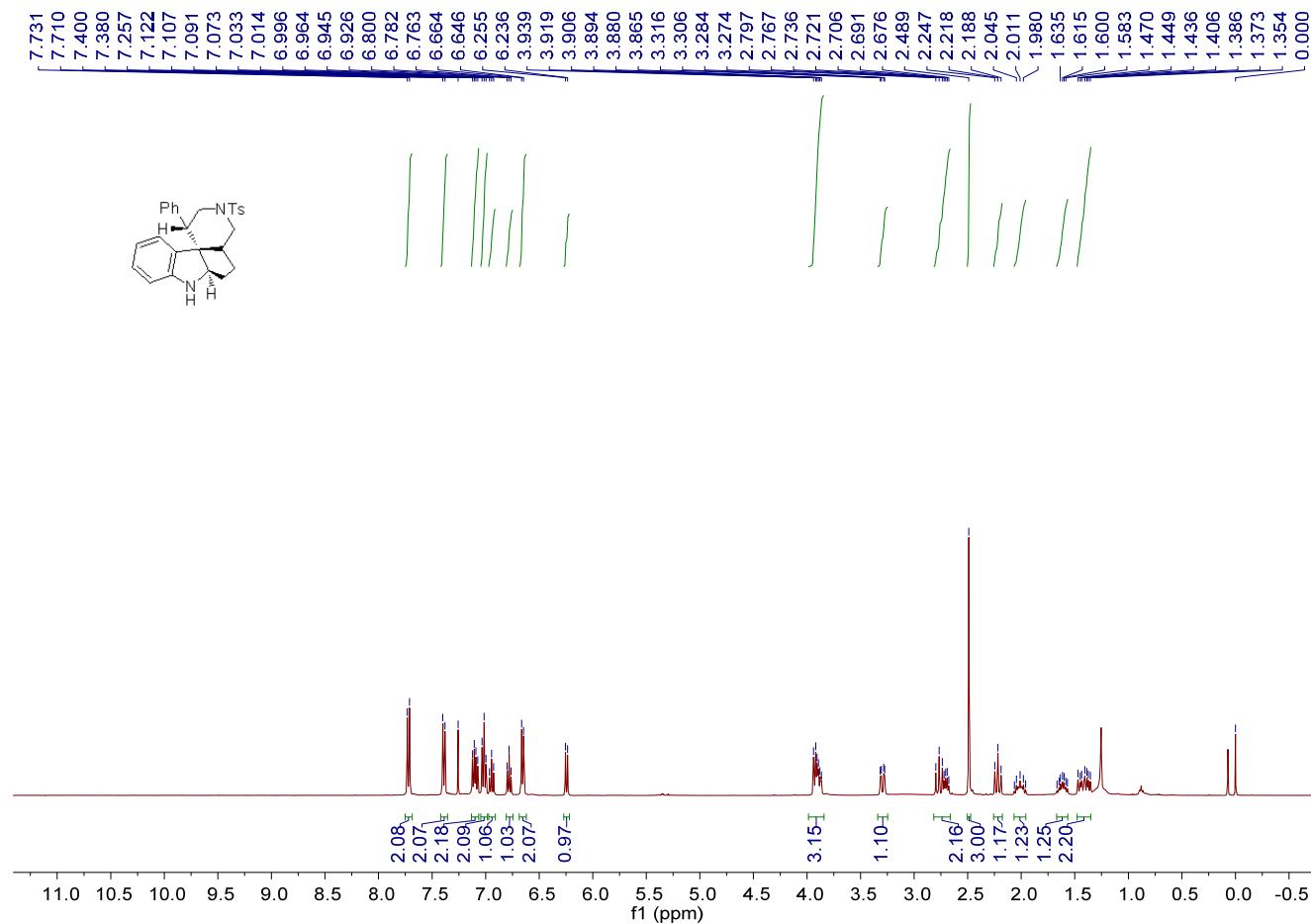
To an oven-dried reaction tube was sequentially added **2b** (0.10 mmol) and Pd/C (0.01 mmol) in ethyl acetate (2.00 mL). The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature under  $H_2$  atmosphere. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, the Pd/C was removed, and then the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude residue. Then, ACE-Cl (0.2 mmol) in DCE (1.0 mL) was added into crude residue. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h. After that, DCE was removed under reduced pressure and MeOH (1.0 mL) was added into bottle. The bottle was stirred at reflux for 2 h. When the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC, the mixture was basified with saturated  $NaHCO_3$  solution, and extracted with ethyl acetate ( $3 \times 5$  mL). The organic layer was dried over anhydrous  $Na_2SO_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the residue. Then, the crude residue was purified via a silica gel flash column chromatography (PE/EA = 6/1) to give the corresponding product **8**.

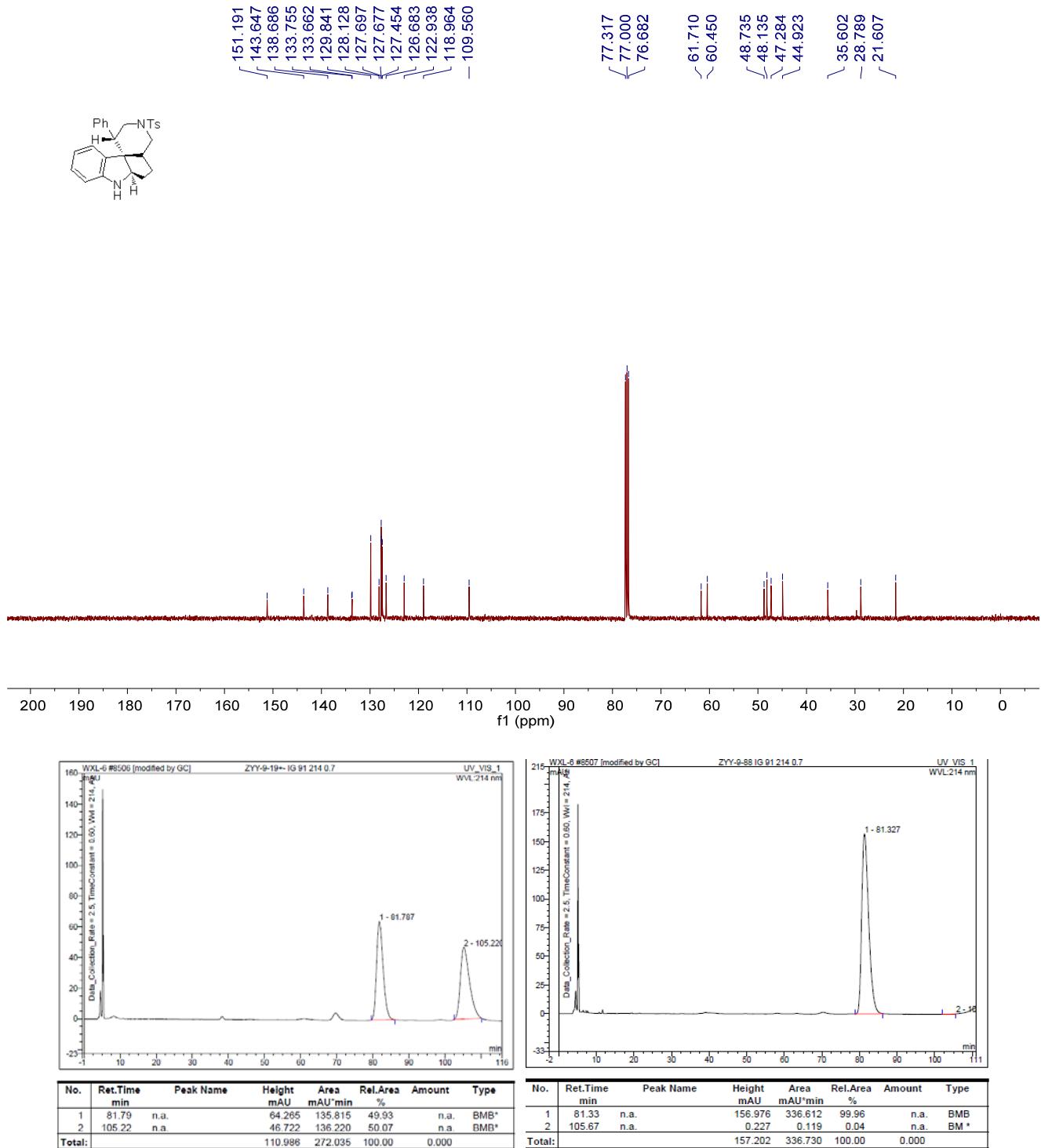


**(1*S*,4*aR*,6*aR*,11*bS*)-1-phenyl-3-tosyl-2,3,4,4*a*,5,6,6*a*,7-octahydro-1*H*-pyrido[4',3':2,3]cyclopenta[1,2-*b*]indole 8**

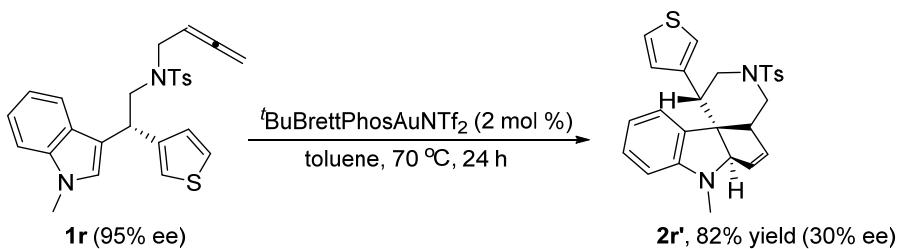
A white solid, 57% yield for two steps (25.3 mg). M.p.: 59-62 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ , TMS, 400 MHz)  $\delta$  1.35-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.56-1.67 (m, 1H), 1.95-2.07 (m, 1H), 2.18-2.25 (m, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.67-2.80 (m, 2H), 3.27-3.32 (m, 1H), 3.86-3.94 (m, 3H), 6.24 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.64-6.67 (m, 2H), 6.76-6.80 (m, 1H), 6.92-6.97 (m, 1H), 6.99-7.04 (m, 2H), 7.07-7.13 (m, 2H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.72 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ , 100 MHz, TMS)  $\delta$  21.6, 28.8, 35.6, 44.9, 47.3, 48.1, 48.7, 60.5, 61.7, 109.6, 119.0, 122.9, 126.7, 127.5, 127.68, 127.70, 128.1, 129.8, 133.7, 133.8, 138.7, 143.6, 151.2. IR ( $CH_2Cl_2$ )  $\nu$  3380, 3030, 2936, 2867, 1603, 1344, 1161, 1089, 934, 815, 700, 662  $cm^{-1}$ . MS (ESI)  $m/z$  (%): 445.19 (100)  $[M+H]^+$ ; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. For  $C_{27}H_{29}N_2O_2S^{+1}[M+H]^+$  requires 445.1944, found: 445.1940. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm;

eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 105.67$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 81.33$  min; ee% = 99%;  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -42.1$  (c 0.20, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>).



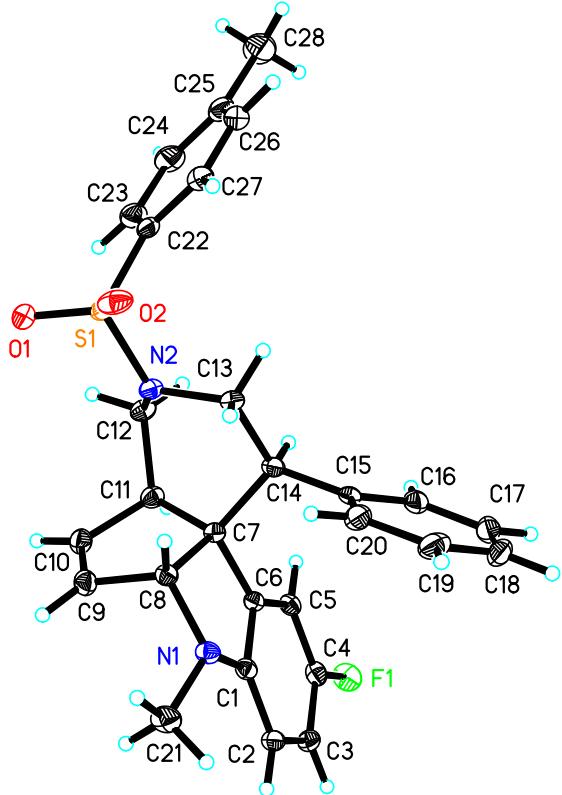


Translation: Chiralcel IG column [ $\lambda = 214$  nm; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 90/10; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min;  $t_{\text{minor}} = 105.67$  min,  $t_{\text{major}} = 81.33$  min; ee% = 99%]. (Note: In the 5 minute position, there is the peak of dichloromethane, due to that the sample was dissolved in dichloromethane for measuring).

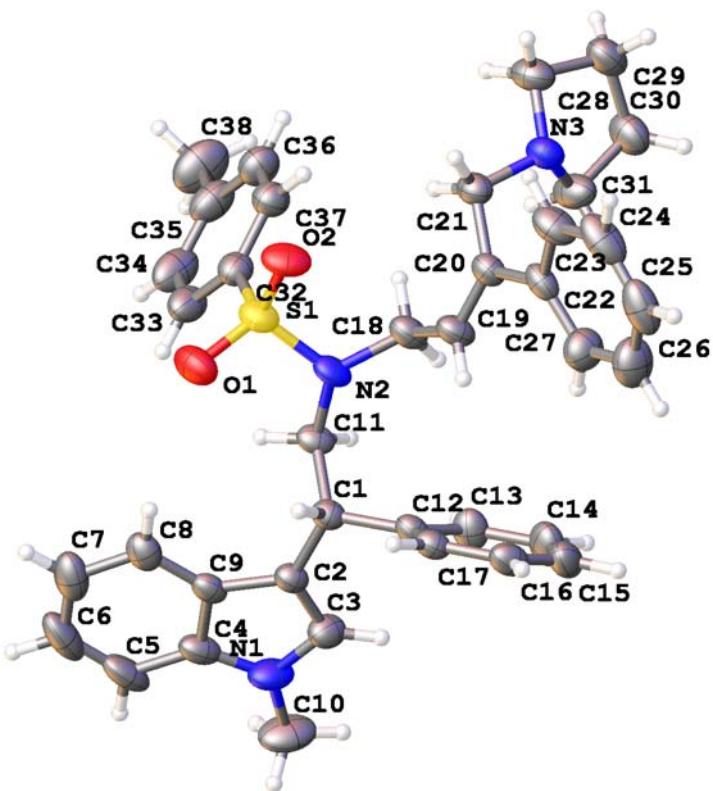


To a flame dried Schlenk tube was added chiral compound **1r** (0.1 mmol),  $^t\text{BuBrettPhosAuNTf}_2$  (2.0 mol %) and the tube was evacuated and backfilled with argon for three times. Then, anhydrous toluene (1.0 mL) was added into tube under argon atmosphere. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 70 °C. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by a flash column chromatography on silica gel to give the desired product **2r'**.

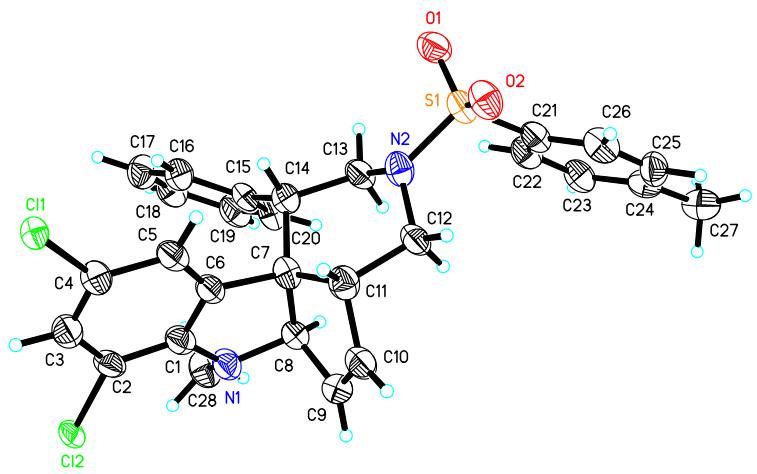
## 10. X-ray crystallographic information of products **2f**, **6**, **7** and **2r'**.



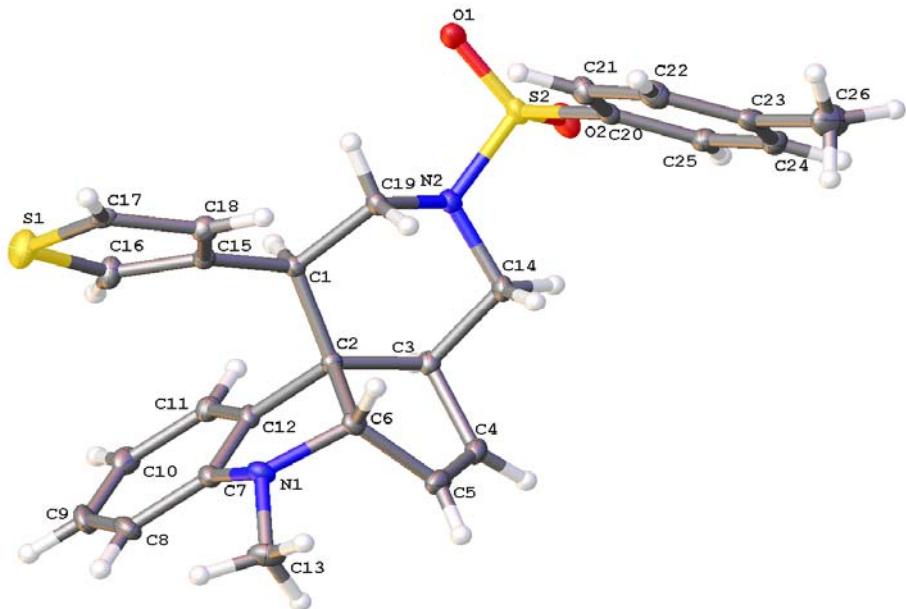
The crystal data of **2f** have been deposited in CCDC with number 1816191. Empirical Formula: C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>27</sub>FN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S; Formula Weight: 474.57; Crystal Color, colorless; Crystal Dimensions: 0.180 x 0.140 x 0.100 mm<sup>3</sup>; Crystal System: Monoclinic; Lattice Parameters: a = 9.8347(3) Å, b = 10.2954(3) Å, c = 12.0508(4) Å,  $\alpha$  = 90°,  $\beta$  = 105.0320(10)°,  $\gamma$  = 90°, V = 1178.42(6) Å<sup>3</sup>; Space group: P 21; Z = 2; D<sub>calc</sub> = 1.337 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; F<sub>000</sub> = 500; Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] R1 = 0.0321, wR2 = 0.0830.



The crystal data of **6** have been deposited in CCDC with number 1851028. Empirical Formula: C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>41</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S; Formula Weight: 603.80; Crystal Color, colorless; Crystal Dimensions: 0.1 x 0.03 x 0.02 mm<sup>3</sup>; Crystal System: Orthorhombic; Lattice Parameters: a = 9.7314(4)Å, b = 11.3674(5)Å, c = 29.2938(12)Å,  $\alpha$  = 90°,  $\beta$  = 90°,  $\gamma$  = 90°, V = 3240.5(2)Å<sup>3</sup>; Space group: P2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>; Z = 4; D<sub>calc</sub> = 1.238 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; F<sub>000</sub> = 1288; Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] R1 = 0.0459, wR2 = 0.1111.



The crystal data of **7** have been deposited in CCDC with number 1846480. Empirical Formula: C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>26</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S; Formula Weight: 525.47; Crystal Color, colorless; Crystal Dimensions: 0.160 x 0.130 x 0.080 mm<sup>3</sup>; Crystal System: Monoclinic; Lattice Parameters: a = 8.5142(5)Å, b = 11.8312(8)Å, c = 13.0004(8)Å,  $\alpha$  = 90°,  $\beta$  = 106.969(3)°,  $\gamma$  = 90°, V = 1252.56(14)Å<sup>3</sup>; Space group: P 21; Z = 2; D<sub>calc</sub> = 1.393 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; F<sub>000</sub> = 548; Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] R1 = 0.0862, wR2 = 0.2346.



The crystal data of **2r'** have been deposited in CCDC with number 1838571. Empirical Formula: C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>; Formula Weight: 462.61; Crystal Color, colorless; Crystal Dimensions: 0.1 x 0.08 x 0.05 mm<sup>3</sup>; Crystal System: Triclinic; Lattice Parameters: a = 6.42400(10)Å, b = 8.1480(2)Å, c = 11.8965(3)Å,  $\alpha$  = 108.3570(10) $^{\circ}$ ,  $\beta$  = 103.5550(10) $^{\circ}$ ,  $\gamma$  = 93.6680(10) $^{\circ}$ , V = 568.10(2)Å<sup>3</sup>; Space group: P1; Z = 1; D<sub>calc</sub> = 1.352 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; F<sub>000</sub> = 244; Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] R1 = 0.0369, wR2 = 0.1009.

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