

Formyl-Selective Deuteration of Aldehydes with D₂O via Synergistic Organic and Photoredox Catalysis

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1. General Information

Reagents were purchased from commercial sources and were used as received. ^1H and ^{13}C Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) spectra were recorded on Bruker Avance 400 Ultrashield NMR spectrometers. Chemical shifts (δ) were given in parts per million (ppm) and were measured downfield from internal tetramethylsilane. High-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS) data were obtained on an FTICR-MS instrument (Ionspec 7.0 T). The melting points were determined on an X-4 microscope melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. Conversion was monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC). Flash column chromatography was performed over silica gel (100-200 mesh). 390 nm LED (36 W) purchased from JIADENG (LS) was used for light irradiation. A fan attached to the apparatus was used to maintain the reaction temperature at room temperature.

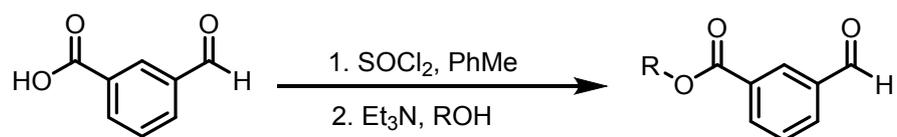


Figure S1 Photograph of the Photocatalytic reactor used for reactions conducted under 390 nm LED irradiation.

2. Preparation of photocatalyst tetrabutylammonium decatungstate (TBADT).

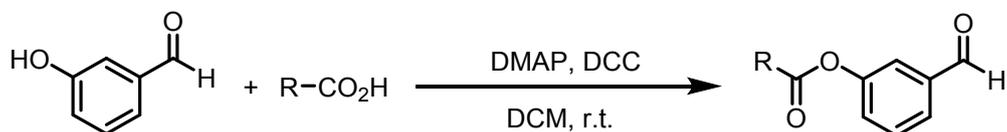
The photocatalyst was synthesized according to literature report.¹ To a 2 L beaker wrapped in aluminum foil for insulation and equipped with a 4" Teflon stir bar were added tetrabutylammonium bromide (4.80 g, 14.9 mmol, 0.49 equiv.) and deionized water (1600 mL). In a separate 4 L beaker wrapped in aluminum foil for insulation and equipped with a 4" Teflon stir bar were added Na₂WO₄•2H₂O (10 g, 30.3 mmol, 1.00 equiv.) and deionized water (1600 mL). Both solutions were rapidly stirred and heated to 90 °C. When both solutions reached 90 °C, concentrated HCl was added to each solution until pH stabilized at 2. At this point, the acidified solutions were combined in the 4 L beaker, and the resultant suspension was stirred at 90 °C for an additional 30 minutes. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, then filtered through a pad of silica gel. The solids were washed with water and left to dry under vacuum. When the silica-supported solids were dry, the receiving flask was exchanged, and the pad was washed with 3 x 200 mL acetonitrile. The filtrate was collected and solvent was removed. The crude residue was thoroughly dried under vacuum, dissolved in minimal hot acetonitrile, then placed in the freezer at -20 °C for 12 hours. The solids were collected on a filter, washed with minimal cold acetonitrile, then dried under vacuum. The filtrate was reconcentrated, dissolved in minimal hot acetonitrile, and crystallized again to afford a second crop of TBADT. Isolated as pale yellow crystals (82% yield). UV-Vis and CV characterization is consistent with literature data¹.

3. Preparation of **1nn** and **1oo**.



1nn and **1oo** were synthesized according to literature report,² a solution of 3-formylbenzoic acid (0.90 g, 6 mmol) and SOCl₂ (4.38 mL, 60 mmol) in toluene (60 mL) was refluxed for 1 h. Removal of the solvent under reduced pressure afforded crude 3-formylbenzoyl chloride in a quantitative yield. A solution of this chloride (1.0 g, 6 mmol) in dioxane (30 mL) was added dropwise to a solution of ROH (5 mmol) and triethylamine (0.84 mL, 6 mmol) in dioxane (50 mL). After the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 24 h, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a residue that was purified by chromatography, affording the corresponding aromatic aldehydes. The spectral data is consistent with the literature data.²

4. Preparation of **1pp** and **1qq**.

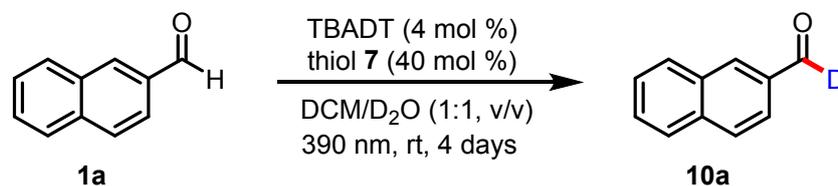


1pp and **1qq** were synthesized according to literature report,³ m-hydroxybenzaldehyde (0.8 mmol, 97.6 mg) and acid (0.8 mmol, 1 equiv) and dry CH₂Cl₂ (20 mL) were added sequentially to a dry round-bottom flask at room temperature. The reaction was cooled to 0 °C and a catalytic amount of 4-Dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP, 0.08 mmol, 9.8 mg) and Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC, 1.6 mmol, 329.6 mg) were added sequentially. The reaction was allowed to slowly warm to room temperature and further stirred for 8 hours. Upon completion, the solution was concentrated in vacuo and purified by column chromatography on silica to afford the desired product. The spectral

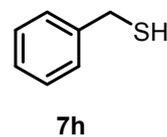
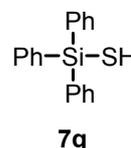
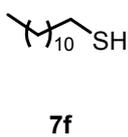
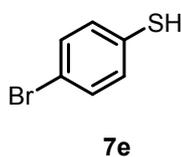
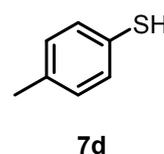
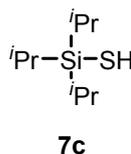
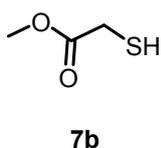
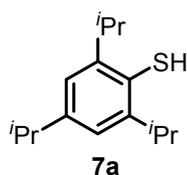
data is consistent with the literature data.³

5. Reaction optimization

Table S1: Screening of different thiols^a

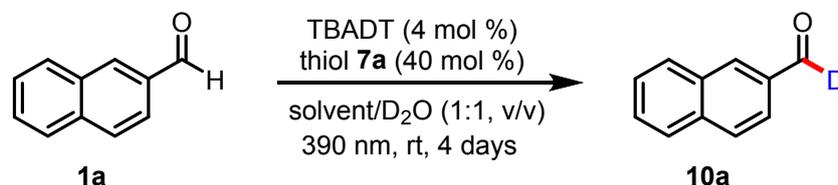


entry	thiol 7	deuteration (%) ^b
1	7a	94
2	7b	63
3	7c	71
4	7d	78
5	7e	82
6	7f	64
7	7g	78
8	7h	60



^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.012 mmol), thiol **7** (0.12 mmol), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

Table S2: Screening of different solvents^a

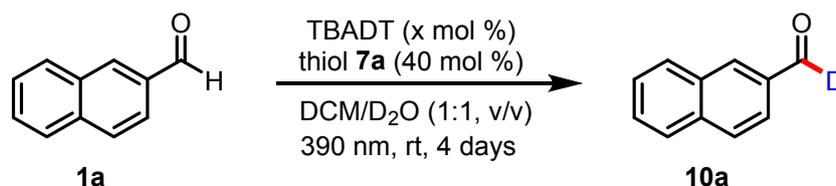


entry	solvent	deuteration (%) ^b
1	DCM	94
2	NMP	13
3	CH ₃ CN	38
4	CHCl ₃	62
5	DCE	71

6	EA	21
7	DMSO	14
8	acetone	45

^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.012 mmol), **7a** (0.12 mmol), and solvent/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

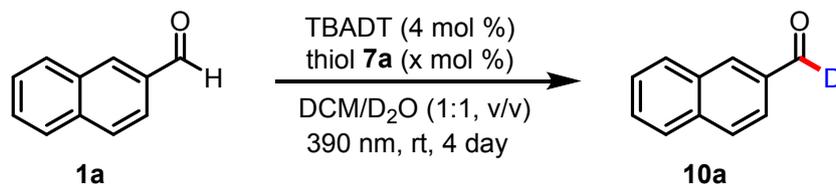
Table S3: Screening of the amount of TBADT^a



entry	x mol % TBADT	deuteration (%) ^b
1	0	10
2	1	65
3	2	82
4	4	94
5	6	94
6	10	95

^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.003x mmol), **7a** (0.12 mmol), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

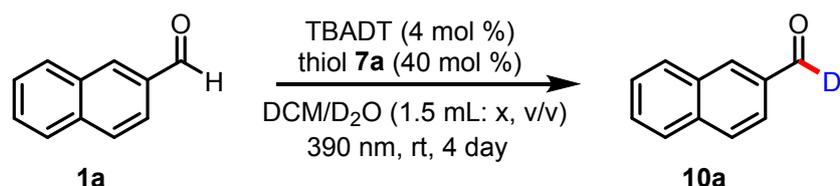
Table S4: Screening of the amount of thiol 7a^a



entry	x mol % 7a	deuteration (%) ^b
1	0	8
2	10	65
3	20	83
4	40	94
5	60	88
6	100	81

^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.012 mmol), **7a** (0.003x mmol), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

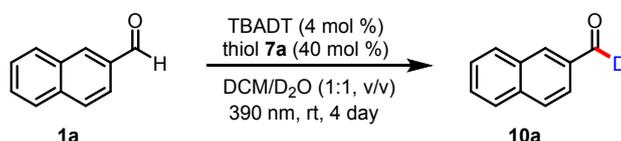
Table S5: Screening of the amount of D₂O^a



entry	x mL D ₂ O	deuteration (%) ^b
1	1.5	94
2	1.0	87
3	0.5	81

^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.012 mmol), **7a** (0.12 mmol), and DCM/D₂O (1.5 mL: x mL, v/v) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

Table S6 Control experiments

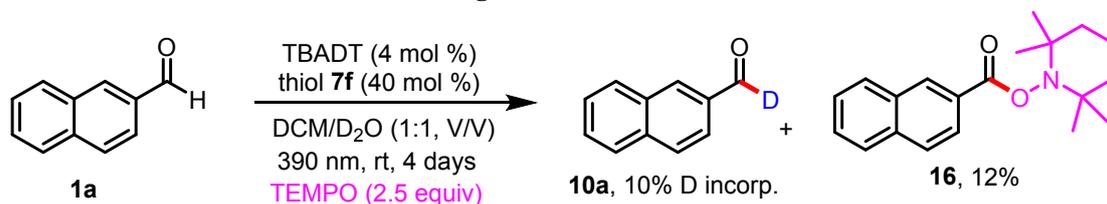


entry	control conditions	deuteration (%) ^b
1	w/o TBADT	<5
2	w/o thiol	<5
3	w/o light	<5
4	470 nm	<5
5	standard conditions, w/all	94

^aGeneral conditions: **1a** (0.3 mmol), TBADT (0.012 mmol), **7a** (0.12 mmol), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL) under Ar atmosphere. ^bDeuterium incorporation determined by integration of the residual formyl proton in ¹H NMR.

6. Investigation of the mechanism.

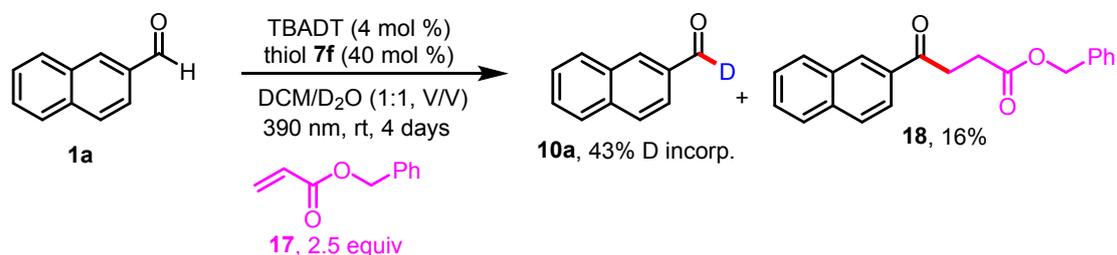
6.1 TEMPO was used as radical scavenger.



To a 10 mL glass vial was added TBADT (40.8 mg, 0.012 mmol, 4 mol %), aldehyde (0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv), thiol **7a** (28 mg, 0.12 mmol, 40 mol %), TEMPO (0.75 mmol, 2.5 equiv), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with Ar for 15 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred rapidly and irradiated with a 36 W 390 nm LED (approximately 2 cm away from the light source) at room temperature for 4 days. The reaction mixture was diluted with 10 mL of aqueous 1 M NaHCO₃ solution, and extracted with DCM (3 × 20 mL). The combined organic extracts were washed with

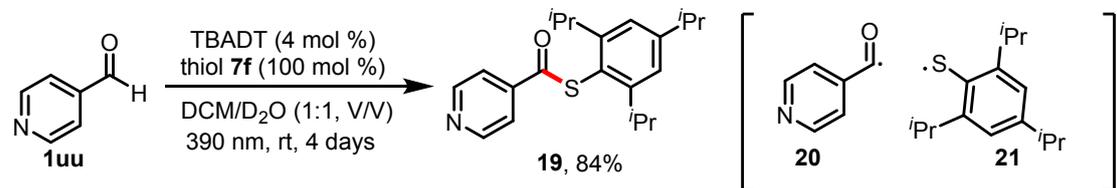
brine (40 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel afforded **10a** in 10% D incorporation and **16** in 12% yield.

6.2 Benzyl acrylate was used as radical scavenger.



To a 10 mL glass vial was added TBADT (40.8 mg, 0.012 mmol, 4 mol %), aldehyde (0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv), thiol **7a** (28 mg, 0.12 mmol, 40 mol %), benzyl acrylate **17** (0.75 mmol, 2.5 equiv), and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with Ar for 15 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred rapidly and irradiated with a 36 W 390 nm LED (approximately 2 cm away from the light source) at room temperature for 4 days. The reaction mixture was diluted with 10 mL of aqueous 1 M NaHCO₃ solution, and extracted with DCM (3 × 20 mL). The combined organic extracts were washed with brine (40 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel afforded **10a** in 43% D incorporation, **18** in 16% yield.

6.3 4-pyridinecarboxaldehyde (**1qq**) was used as the substrate.



To a 10 mL glass vial was added TBADT (40.8 mg, 0.012 mmol, 4 mol %), 4-pyridinecarboxaldehyde (0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv), thiol **7a** (70.8 mg, 0.3 mmol, 100 mol %) and DCM/D₂O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with Ar for 15 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred rapidly and irradiated with a 36 W 390 nm LED (approximately 2 cm away from the light source) at room temperature for 4 days. The reaction mixture was diluted with 10 mL of aqueous 1 M NaHCO₃ solution, and extracted with DCM (3 × 20 mL). The combined organic extracts were washed with brine (40 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel afforded the by-product **19** in 84% yield, which comes from the radical coupling of acyl radical **20** and thiol radical **21**.

6.4 H/D exchange of thiol HAT catalyst **7a** with D₂O.

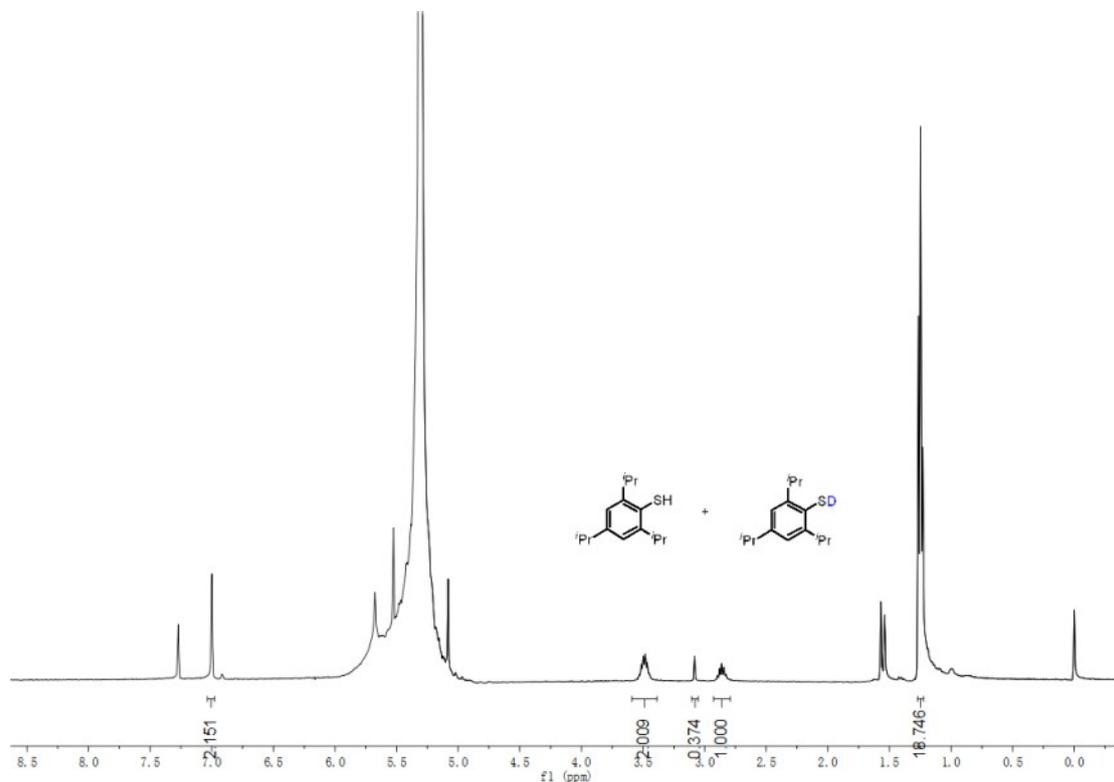
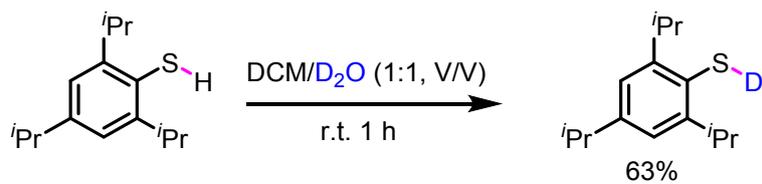
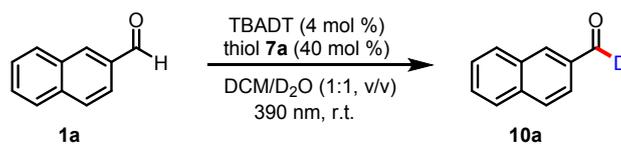


Figure S2 ^1H NMR spectrum of thiol HAT catalyst **7a**.

The S–H peak from thiol **7a** decreased to 0.37 H in CDCl_3 , which indicated the hydrogen deuterium exchange of the thiol catalyst **7a** with D_2O .

6.5 Light on/off experiments.



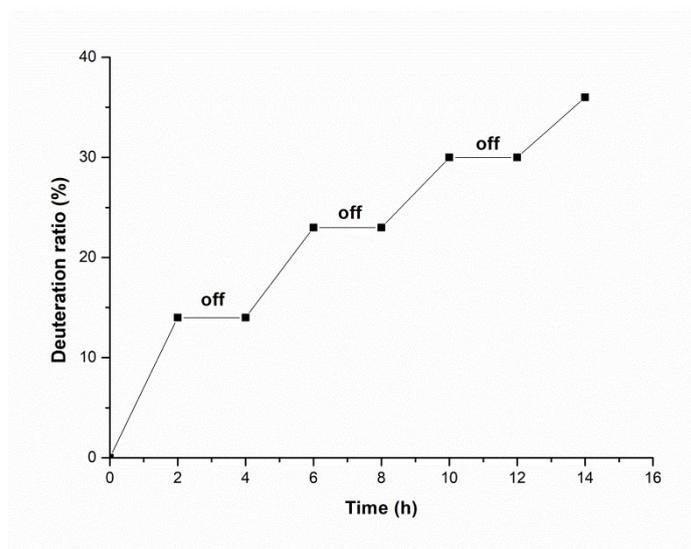


Figure S3 Light on-off experiments for deuteration of **1a**.

6.6 Cyclic Voltammogram of Catalyst TBADT.

The potential was calibrated versus an aqueous SCE by the addition of ferrocene as an internal standard taking $E_{(\text{Fc}/\text{Fc}^+)}^0 = 0.424$ V vs SCE.⁴ $E_{1/2}^{\text{ox}}([\text{W}_{10}\text{O}_{32}]^{6-}/[\text{W}_{10}\text{O}_{32}]^{5-}) = -1.34$ V vs SCE.

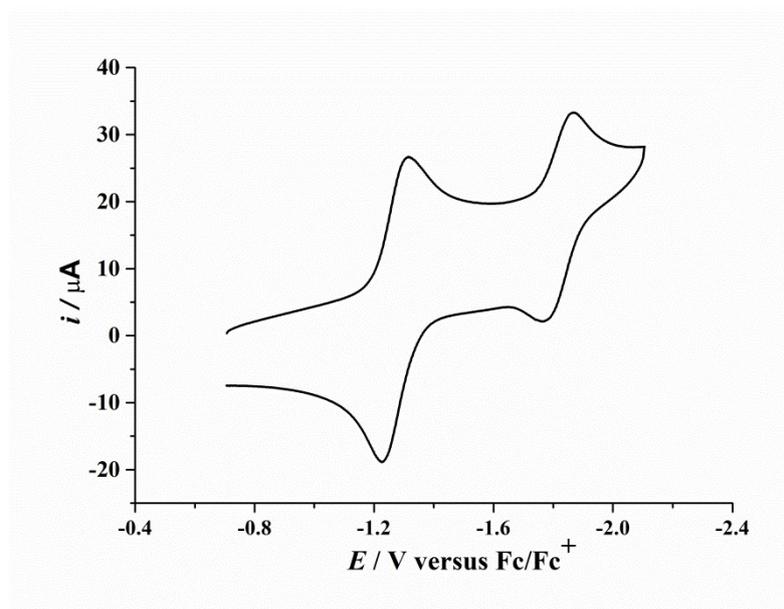


Figure S4. Cyclic voltammograms of TBADT (1.0 mM) in 0.1 M $n\text{-Bu}_4\text{NPF}_6/\text{MeCN}$ at a scan rate of 0.1 Vs^{-1} .

7. Experimental Procedures and Product Characterization

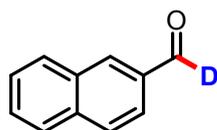
7.1 General Procedure for the formyl-selective deuteration of aldehydes.

To a 10 mL glass vial was added TBADT (40.8 mg, 0.012 mmol, 4 mol %), aldehyde (0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv), thiol **7a** (28 mg, 0.12 mmol, 40 mol %) and DCM/ D_2O (1:1, v/v; 3.0 mL). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with Ar for 15 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred rapidly and irradiated with a 36 W 390 nm LED

(approximately 2 cm away from the light source) at room temperature for 4 days. The reaction mixture was diluted with 10 mL of aqueous 1 M NaHCO₃ solution, and extracted with DCM (3 × 20 mL). The combined organic extracts were washed with brine (40 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel using the indicated solvent system afforded the desired product.

7.2. Product Characterization

2-naphthaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10a).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (43.3 mg, 92%). Mp: 86 – 87 °C.

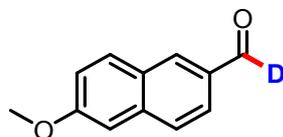
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 94%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.14 (s, 0.06H), 8.31 (s, 1H), 8.03 – 7.85 (m, 4H), 7.72 – 7.50 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.1 (t, *J* = 26.5 Hz), 136.5, 134.7, 134.1 (t, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 132.7, 129.6, 129.2, 129.1, 128.2, 127.2, 122.8.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₁H₈DO [M + H]⁺ 158.0711, found 158.0712.

6-methoxy-2-naphthaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10b).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (50.5 mg, 90%). Mp: 43 – 44 °C.

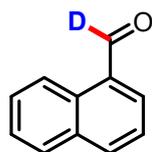
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 92%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.07 (s, 0.08H), 8.21 (s, 1H), 7.95 – 7.82 (m, 2H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.8 (t, *J* = 26.1 Hz), 160.3, 138.3, 134.3, 132.3 (t, *J* = 3.3 Hz), 131.2, 128.0, 127.8, 123.7, 120.0, 106.2, 55.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₂H₁₀DO₂ [M + H]⁺ 188.0816, found 188.1880817.

1-naphthaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10c).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Yellow oil (39.1mg, 83%).

R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

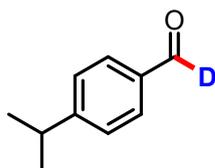
D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 90%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.36 (s, 0.1H), 9.24 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.94 (dd, $J = 7.2, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.89 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.74 – 7.63 (m, 1H), 7.63 – 7.49 (m, 2H).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 193.4 (t, $J = 26.2$ Hz), 136.7, 135.4, 133.8, 131.3 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.6, 129.1, 128.6, 127.0, 124.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_8\text{DO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 158.0711, found 158.0712.

4-isopropylbenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10d).



According to the *general procedure*.

Yellow oil (40.7 mg, 91%).

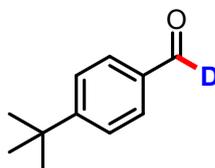
R_f 0.42 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.97 (s, 0.07H), 7.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.39 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.99 (dt, $J = 13.6, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.28 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.9 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 156.4, 134.5 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.1, 127.2, 34.6, 23.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}\text{DO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 150.1024, found 150.1024.

4-(*tert*-butyl)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10e).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Colorless oil (44.0 mg, 90%).

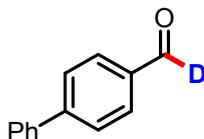
R_f 0.50 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.98 (s, 0.07H), 7.82 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 1.36 (s, 9H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.8 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 158.6, 134.1 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 129.8, 126.1, 35.5, 31.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{14}\text{DO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 164.1180, found 164.1181.

[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10f).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (48.9 mg, 89%). Mp: 84 – 85 °C.

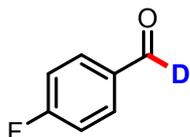
R_f 0.50 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.03 (s, 0.07H), 8.02 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.73 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.46 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.40 (dd, $J = 7.6, 6.4$ Hz, 1H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.7 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 147.2, 139.7, 135.1 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.3, 129.1, 128.5, 127.7, 127.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{10}\text{DO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 184.0867, found 184.0867.

4-fluorobenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10g).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Colorless oil (30.8 mg, 82%).

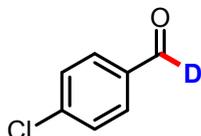
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 96%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.98 (s, 0.04H), 7.98 – 7.87 (m, 2H), 7.26 – 7.16 (m, 2H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.3 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 166.7 (d, $J = 256.7$ Hz), 133.08 – 132.94 (m), 132.3 (d, $J = 9.7$ Hz), 116.5 (d, $J = 22.5$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{DFO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 126.0460, found 126.0461.

4-chlorobenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10h).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (36.4 mg, 86%). Mp: 44 – 45 °C.

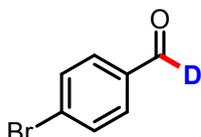
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 94%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.99 (s, 0.06H), 7.89 – 7.79 (m, 2H), 7.52 (dd, $J = 8.4, 2.0$ Hz, 2H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.7 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz) 141.1, 134.8 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 131.0, 129.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{DCIO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 142.0164, found 142.0164.

4-bromobenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10i).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

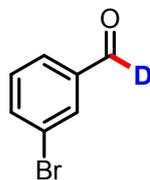
White solid (52.7 mg, 95%). Mp: 76 – 77 °C.

R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 96%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.98 (s, 0.04H), 7.75 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H).
 $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.8 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 135.1 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 132.5, 131.1, 129.9.
HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{DBrO}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 185.9659, found 185.9660

3-bromobenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10j).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

White solid (51.1 mg, 92%). Mp: 80 – 81 °C.

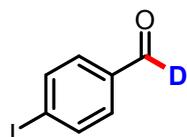
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 95%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.97 (s, 0.05H), 8.03 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.43 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.6 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 138.0 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 137.5, 132.5, 130.8, 128.5, 123.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{DBrO}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 185.9659, found 185.9662

4-iodobenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10k).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (58.7 mg, 84%). Mp: 98 – 99 °C.

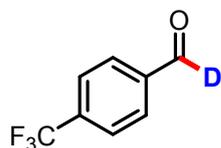
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 90%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.96 (s, 0.1H), 7.92 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H).
 $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.3 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 138.5, 135.6 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.9, 103.0.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{DIO}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 233.9521, found 233.9518.

4-(trifluoromethyl)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10l).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

Colorless oil (45.9 mg, 87%).

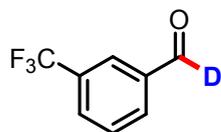
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 97%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.11 (s, 0.03H), 8.02 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H).
 $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.9 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 138.7, 135.7 (q, $J = 32.7$ Hz), 130.0, 126.2 (q, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 123.6 (q, $J = 271$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_8H_5DF_3O$ $[M + H]^+$ 176.0428, found 176.0430.

3-(trifluoromethyl)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10m).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

Colorless oil (45.2 mg, 86%).

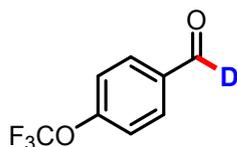
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by 1H NMR: 95%.

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 10.09 (s, 0.05H), 8.16 (s, 1H), 8.09 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.90 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.71 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 190.6 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 136.8 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 132.8, 131.9 (q, $J = 33.2$ Hz), 130.9 (q, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 129.9, 126.6 (q, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 123.6 (q, $J = 272.6$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_8H_5DF_3O$ $[M + H]^+$ 176.0428, found 176.0426.

4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10n).



According to the *general procedure*.

Yellow oil (52.7 mg, 92%).

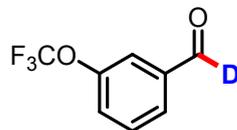
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by 1H NMR: 96%.

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 10.02 (s, 0.04H), 7.96 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 190.4 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 153.7 (q, $J = 3.3$ Hz), 134.5 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 131.7, 120.9, 120.4 (q, $J = 258$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_8H_5DF_3O_2$ $[M + H]^+$ 192.0377, found 192.0379.

3-(trifluoromethoxy)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10o).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (49.9 mg, 87%).

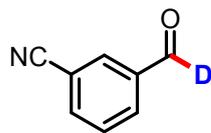
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by 1H NMR: 95%.

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 10.03 (s, 0.05H), 7.84 (dd, $J = 7.6, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.74 (s, 1H), 7.60 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 190.4 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 150.0, 138.1 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.8, 128.4, 126.9, 121.1, 120.5 (q, $J = 256$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_8H_5DF_3O_2$ $[M + H]^+$ 192.0377, found 192.0376.

3-formylbenzonitrile-formyl- d_1 (10p).



According to the *general procedure*.

Yellow solid (33.7 mg, 85%). Mp: 70 – 71 °C.

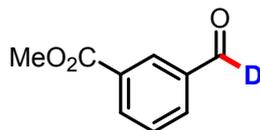
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 95%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.07 (s, 0.05H), 8.19 (s, 1H), 8.15 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.72 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 189.8 (t, $J = 29$ Hz), 137.3, 136.8 (t, $J = 4.0$ Hz), 133.4, 133.2, 130.2, 117.7, 113.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_8\text{H}_5\text{DNO}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 133.0507, found 133.0507.

methyl 3-formylbenzoate-formyl- d_1 (10q).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (44.1 mg, 89%). Mp: 49 – 50 °C.

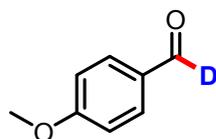
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.08 (s, 0.07H), 8.54 (s, 1H), 8.30 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 8.10 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (td, $J = 7.6, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.97 (s, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.1 (t, $J = 27$ Hz), 166.0, 136.5 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 135.2, 133.1, 131.3, 131.3, 129.3, 52.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_8\text{DO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 166.0609, found 166.0608.

4-methoxybenzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10r).



According to the *general procedure*.

Yellow oil (37.0 mg, 90%).

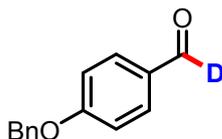
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 95%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.88 (s, 0.05H), 7.84 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.00 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.6 (t, $J = 26$ Hz), 164.7, 132.0, 129.9 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 114.4, 55.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_8\text{H}_8\text{DO}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 138.0660, found 138.0659.

4-(benzyloxy)benzaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10s).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

White solid (59.4mg, 93%). Mp: 96 – 97 °C.

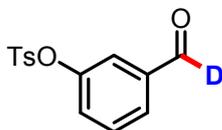
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 95%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.86 (s, 0.05H), 7.82 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (dt, J = 13.6, 7.6 Hz, 5H), 7.06 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.12 (s, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 190.5 (t, J = 26 Hz), 163.8, 136.0, 132.0, 130.1 (t, J = 3.0 Hz), 128.8, 128.4, 127.6, 115.2, 70.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₄H₁₂DO₂ [M + H]⁺ 214.0973, found 214.0971.

3-formylphenyl 4-methylbenzenesulfonate-formyl-d₁ (10t).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (70.6 mg, 85%). Mp: 63 – 64 °C.

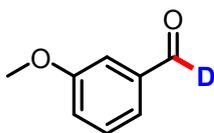
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 5/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 94%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.93 (s, 0.06H), 7.79 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.76 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 7.57 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.31 (dd, J = 21.2, 7.6 Hz, 3H), 2.45 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 190.4 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 150.2, 145.9, 137.8 (t, J = 3.0 Hz), 131.9, 130.5, 130.0, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 123.0, 21.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₄H₁₂DO₄S [M + H]⁺ 278.0592, found 278.0590.

3-methoxybenzaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10u).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (34.9 mg, 85%).

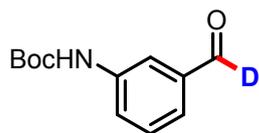
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 92%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.00 (s, 0.08H), 7.57 – 7.36 (m, 3H), 7.25 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 10.4 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.9 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 160.3, 137.8 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 130.1, 123.6, 121.6, 112.1, 55.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₈H₈DO₂ [M + H]⁺ 138.0660, found 138.0659.

tert-butyl (3-formylphenyl)carbamate-formyl-d₁ (10v).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (55.3 mg, 83%). Mp: 88 – 89 °C.

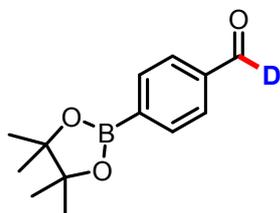
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 10/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 88%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.97 (s, 0.12H), 7.96 (s, 1H), 7.66 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.59 – 7.51 (m, 1H), 7.44 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 1.53 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.1 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 152.8, 139.5, 137.1 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 129.7, 124.3, 124.1, 119.4, 81.1, 28.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₂H₁₅DNO₃ [M + H]⁺ 223.1187, found 223.1186.

4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10w).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Colorless oil (61.5 mg, 88%).

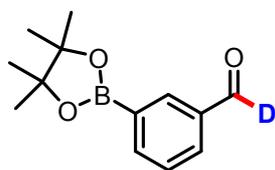
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 91%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.05 (s, 0.09H), 7.97 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.87 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 1.36 (s, 12H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.3 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 138.1, 138.0 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 135.2, 128.7, 84.3, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₃H₁₇DBO₃ [M + H]⁺ 234.1406, found 234.1402.

3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzaldehyde-formyl-d₁ (10x).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (58.0 mg, 83%).

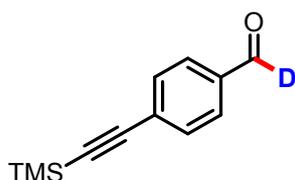
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 87%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.05 (s, 0.13H), 8.31 (s, 1H), 8.06 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 8.03 – 7.94 (m, 1H), 7.53 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.37 (s, 12H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.1 (t, J = 25.5 Hz), 140.8, 137.3, 135.8, 135.7 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 131.4, 128.5, 84.4, 24.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₃H₁₇DBO₃ [M + H]⁺ 234.1406, found 234.1403.

4-((trimethylsilyl)ethynyl)benzaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (10y).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (52.4 mg, 86%).

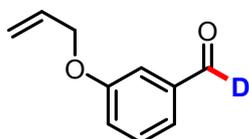
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 91%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.96 (s, 0.09H), 7.78 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 0.24 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.2 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 135.6 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 132.6, 129.5, 129.4, 103.9, 99.1, -0.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₂H₁₄DOSi [M + H]⁺ 204.0949, found 204.0949.

3-(allyloxy)benzaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (10z).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Colorless oil (35.7 mg, 73%).

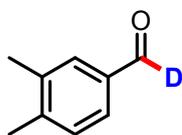
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 90%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.97 (s, 0.1H), 7.51 – 7.37 (m, 3H), 7.20 (dt, J = 6.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.06 (ddd, J = 22.4, 10.4, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (dd, J = 17.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (dd, J = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, J = 5.2 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.9 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 159.2, 137.8 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 132.7, 130.2, 123.7, 122.3, 118.2, 113.2, 69.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₀H₁₀DO₂ [M + H]⁺ 164.0816, found 164.0816.

3,4-dimethylbenzaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (10aa).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (32.4 mg, 80%).

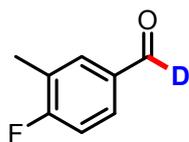
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 95%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.93 (s, 0.05H), 7.78 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.28 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.63 – 2.27 (m, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.1 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 144.4, 137.6, 134.6 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 130.6, 130.3, 127.8, 20.4, 19.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₉H₁₀DO [M + H]⁺ 136.0867, found 136.0867.

4-fluoro-3-methylbenzaldehyde-formyl-*d*₁ (10bb).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (37.1 mg, 89%).

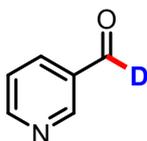
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 93%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.93 (s, 0.07H), 7.73 (ddd, J = 8.4, 7.2, 4.8 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (t, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 190.7 (t, J = 26.5 Hz), 165.3 (d, J = 255.6 Hz), 133.3 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 132.8 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 129.9 (d, J = 9.7 Hz), 126.3 (d, J = 18.1 Hz), 116.0 (d, J = 23.4 Hz), 14.6 (d, J = 3.5 Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₈H₇DFO [M + H]⁺ 140.0616, found 140.0616.

nicotinaldehyde-formyl-*d*₁ (10cc).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (26.6 mg, 82%).

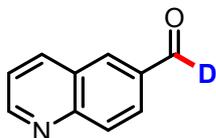
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 4/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 94%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.14 (s, 0.06H), 9.10 (s, 1H), 8.98 – 8.71 (m, 1H), 8.31 – 8.12 (m, 1H), 7.51 (dd, J = 7.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.9, 152.3, 135.9, 131.5 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 124.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₆H₅DNO [M + H]⁺ 109.0507, found 109.0509.

quinoline-6-carbaldehyde-formyl-*d*₁ (10dd).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (39.3 mg, 83%). Mp: 68 – 69 °C.

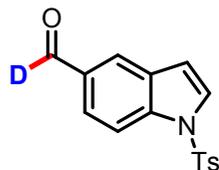
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 4/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 90%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.20 (s, 0.1H), 9.05 (dd, J = 4.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 8.39 – 8.30 (m, 2H), 8.21 (s, 2H), 7.53 (dd, J = 8.4, 4.4 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.3 (t, J = 27 Hz), 153.2, 150.9, 137.5, 134.3 (t, J = 3.5 Hz), 133.7, 130.9, 127.8, 126.8, 122.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₀H₇DNO [M + H]⁺ 159.0663, found 159.0663.

1-tosyl-1*H*-indole-5-carbaldehyde-formyl-*d*₁ (10ee).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (78.3 mg, 87%). Mp: 120 – 121 °C.

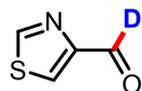
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 5/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 91%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.02 (s, 0.09H), 8.11 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 8.06 (s, 1H), 7.85 (dd, $J = 8.8, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.33 (s, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.6 (t, $J = 27$ Hz), 145.7, 138.1, 134.9, 132.2 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 130.9, 130.2, 128.1, 126.9, 125.2, 124.9, 114.0, 109.4, 21.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{13}\text{DNO}_3\text{S}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 301.0752, found 301.0750.

thiazole-4-carbaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10ff).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (29.4 mg, 86%). Mp: 49 – 50 °C.

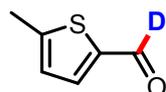
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 4/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.14 (s, 0.07H), 8.94 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 8.29 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 184.5 (t, $J = 28$ Hz), 155.6 (t, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 154.1, 126.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_4\text{H}_3\text{DNOS}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 115.0071, found 115.0073.

5-methylthiophene-2-carbaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10gg).



According to the *general procedure*.

Yellow oil (30.5 mg, 80%).

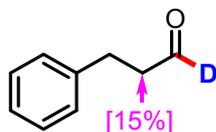
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 92%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.80 (s, 0.08H), 7.60 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.57 (s, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 182.4 (t, $J = 25.5$ Hz), 151.7, 142.0 (t, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 137.4, 127.2, 16.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\text{DOS}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 128.0275, found 128.0275.

3-phenylpropanal-formyl- d_1 (10hh).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

Colorless oil (36.7 mg, 90%).

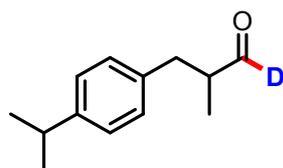
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 95%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.81 (s, 0.05H), 7.29 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 3H), 3.03 – 2.89 (m, 2H), 2.77 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1.71H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.4 (t, $J = 26$ Hz), 140.4, 128.7, 128.4, 126.4, 45.2 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 28.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{10}\text{DO}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$]⁺ 136.0867, found 136.0867.

3-(4-isopropylphenyl)-2-methylpropanal-formyl- d_1 (10ii).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (53.9 mg, 94%).

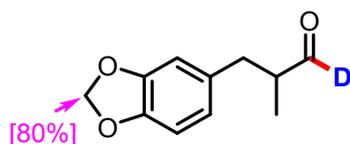
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 94%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.71 (s, 0.06H), 7.15 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.05 (dd, $J = 13.2, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.88 (dt, $J = 13.6, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.74 – 2.51 (m, 2H), 1.23 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H), 1.08 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 204.4 (t, $J = 25.5$ Hz), 147.1, 136.2, 129.0, 126.6, 48.0 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 36.3, 33.8, 24.1, 13.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{18}\text{DO}$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$]⁺ 192.1493, found 192.1494.

3-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-2-methylpropanal-formyl- d_1 (10jj).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (48.9 mg, 84%).

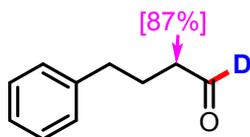
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 90%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.70 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 0.1H), 6.73 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.65 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.61 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.95 – 5.87 (m, 0.39H), 3.08 – 2.87 (m, 1H), 2.69 – 2.42 (m, 2H), 1.08 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 204.2 (t, $J = 25.9$ Hz), 147.8, 146.2, 132.6, 122.0, 109.4, 108.3, 100.7 (t, $J = 26.6$ Hz), 48.1 (t, $J = 3.4$ Hz), 36.5, 13.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{11}\text{D}_2\text{O}_3$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$]⁺ 195.0985, found 195.0988.

4-phenylbutanal-formyl- d_1 (10kk).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (37.1 mg, 82%).

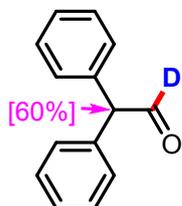
R_f 0.60 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.75 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 0.07H), 7.34 – 7.25 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.14 (m, 3H), 2.86 – 2.55 (m, 2H), 2.42 (s, 0.26H), 1.95 (d, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 202.5 (t, $J = 24.8$ Hz), 141.2, 128.5, 126.1, 42.4 (t, $J = 26.5$ Hz), 35.0, 23.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{10}\text{D}_3\text{O}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 152.1149, found 152.1150.

2,2-diphenylacetaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (10II).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (45.1 mg, 76%).

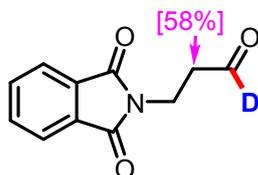
R_f 0.65 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 98%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.88 (s, 0.02H), 7.81 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.10 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.01 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.77 (s, 0.4H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 196.9 (t, $J = 23.8$ Hz), 143.6, 137.8, 132.6, 130.2, 128.7, 128.4, 128.3, 126.0, 56.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{D}_2\text{O}$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 199.1086, found 199.1088.

3-(1,3-dioxoisindolin-2-yl)propanal-*formyl-d*₁ (10mm).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (57.2 mg, 93%). Mp: 120 – 121 °C.

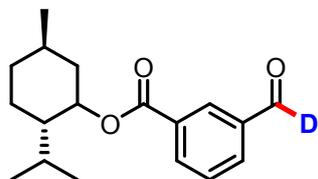
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 3/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 92%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.83 (s, 0.08H), 7.95 – 7.80 (m, 2H), 7.80 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 4.09 – 3.96 (m, 2H), 2.93 – 2.77 (m, 0.83H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 199.6 (t, $J = 24.2$ Hz), 168.1, 134.2, 132.0, 123.5, 42.00 (m), 31.7 (t, $J = 5.5$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_8\text{D}_2\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 206.0781, found 206.0776.

(2*S*,5*R*)-2-isopropyl-5-methylcyclohexyl 3-formylbenzoate-formyl-*d*₁ (10nn).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

Yellow oil (76.3 mg, 88%).

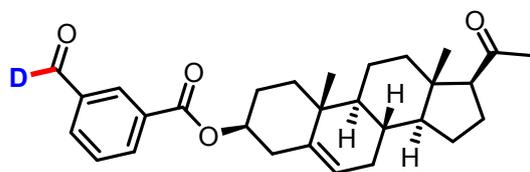
*R*_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 91%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.10 (s, 0.09H), 8.53 (s, 1H), 8.32 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 8.09 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (td, *J* = 10.8, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.13 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 1.95 (dtd, *J* = 13.6, 6.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.65 – 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.14 (dd, *J* = 23.2, 11.6 Hz, 2H), 1.03 – 0.88 (m, 7H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.3 (t, *J* = 28 Hz), 165.1, 136.6 (t, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 135.3, 133.0, 132.0, 131.3, 129.3, 75.6, 47.3, 41.0, 34.3, 31.6, 26.6, 23.6, 22.1, 20.9, 16.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₈H₂₄DO₃ [M + H]⁺ 290.1861, found 290.1862.

(3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*S*,14*S*,17*S*)-17-acetyl-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-yl 3-formylbenzoate-formyl-*d*₁ (10oo).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (114.5 mg, 85%). Mp: 158 – 159 °C.

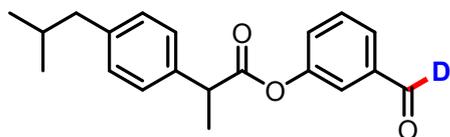
*R*_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 95%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.09 (s, 0.05H), 8.53 (s, 1H), 8.31 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 8.09 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 5.43 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.98 – 4.83 (m, 1H), 2.61 – 2.44 (m, 3H), 2.24 – 2.11 (m, 4H), 2.10 – 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.81 (dd, *J* = 18.8, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.60 (m, 3H), 1.51 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.33 – 1.13 (m, 4H), 1.13 – 1.00 (m, 4H), 0.65 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 209.6, 191.2 (t, *J* = 28 Hz), 164.9, 139.6, 136.5, 135.2, 133.1, 131.9, 131.1, 129.3, 122.7, 75.1, 63.7, 56.9, 56.84, 49.9, 44.0, 38.8, 38.2, 37.1, 36.7, 31.8, 31.6, 27.9, 24.5, 24.4, 22.9, 21.1, 19.4, 13.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₉H₃₆DO₄ [M + H]⁺ 450.2749, found 450.2748.

3-formylphenyl 2-(4-isobutylphenyl)propanoate-formyl-*d*₁ (10pp).



According to the *general procedure*.

Colorless oil (74.6 mg, 80%).

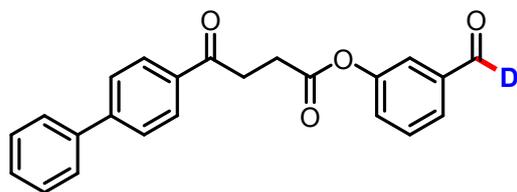
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.95 (s, 0.07H), 7.71 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.51 (dt, $J = 15.6, 4.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.35 – 7.23 (m, 3H), 7.16 (t, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.96 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.47 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.87 (tt, $J = 13.2, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.61 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H), 0.91 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 191.0 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 173.0, 151.5, 141.1, 137.6 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 136.9, 130.1, 129.7, 127.8, 127.4, 127.3, 122.2, 45.3, 45.1, 30.3, 22.5, 18.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{DO}_3$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 312.1704, found 312.1706.

3-formylphenyl 4-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-4-oxobutanoate-formyl- d_1 (10qq).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (78.6 mg, 73%). Mp: 89 – 90 °C.

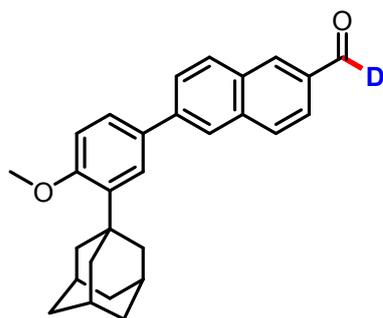
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 4/1).

D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.00 (s, 0.07H), 8.09 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.68 – 7.59 (m, 3H), 7.55 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.48 (t, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.06 (t, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 197.4, 191.0 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 171.5, 151.4, 146.2, 139.9, 137.8 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 135.1, 130.2, 129.1, 128.8, 128.4, 127.9, 127.5, 127.4, 127.3, 122.6, 33.6, 28.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{18}\text{DO}_4$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 360.1341, found 360.1342.

6-(3-((3r,5r,7r)-adamantan-1-yl)-4-methoxyphenyl)-2-naphthaldehyde-formyl- d_1 (10rr).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.²

White solid (106.0 mg, 89%). Mp: 236 – 237 °C.

R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

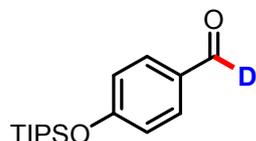
D incorporation by $^1\text{H NMR}$: 93%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.16 (s, 0.07H), 8.35 (s, 1H), 8.04 (dd, $J = 4.8, 3.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.97 (s, 2H), 7.88 – 7.81 (m, 1H), 7.61 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.56 (dd, $J = 8.4, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 2.18 (s, 6H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.81 (s, 6H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ

191.9(t, $J = 27$ Hz), 159.1, 142.3, 139.1, 136.9, 134.3, 133.7(t, $J = 3.1$ Hz), 132.3, 131.4, 131.3, 129.9, 129.8, 129.2, 126.9, 126.0, 125.8, 125.0, 123.2, 112.2, 55.2, 40.6, 37.2, 37.1, 29.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{28}H_{28}DO_2$ $[M + H]^+$ 398.2225, found 398.2224.

4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)benzaldehyde-*formyl-d*, (10tt).



According to the *general procedure*. The spectral Data is consistent with the literature data.⁵

Yellow oil (77.0 mg, 92%).

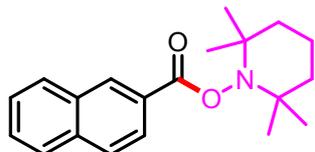
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by 1H NMR: 92%.

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 9.88 (s, 0.08H), 7.91 – 7.70 (m, 2H), 7.10 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 1.29 (dd, $J = 13.6, 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.12 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 18H). **^{13}C NMR** (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 190.6 (t, $J = 27.5$ Hz), 162.0, 132.0, 130.2 (t, $J = 3.5$ Hz), 120.4, 17.9, 12.8.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{16}H_{26}DO_2Si$ $[M + H]^+$ 280.1838, found 280.1838.

2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidin-1-yl 2-naphthoate (16).



According to the *general procedure*.

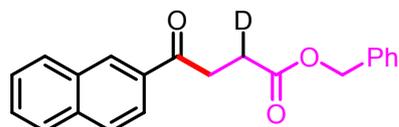
White solid (11.2 mg, 12%). Mp: 100 – 101 °C.

R_f 0.36 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 8.64 (s, 1H), 8.10 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.90 (dd, $J = 8.4, 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.68 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 1.81 (dd, $J = 23.2, 9.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.73 (dd, $J = 14.4, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.66 – 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.53 – 1.44 (m, 1H), 1.33 (s, 6H), 1.16 (s, 6H). **^{13}C NMR** (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 166.7, 135.6, 132.6, 131.0, 129.4, 128.3, 127.9, 127.0, 126.8, 125.4, 60.6, 39.2, 32.1, 21.0, 17.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{20}H_{26}NO_2$ $[M + H]^+$ 312.1958, found 312.1956.

benzyl 4-(naphthalen-2-yl)-4-oxobutanoate-2-d (18).



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (15.3 mg, 16%). Mp: 81 – 82 °C.

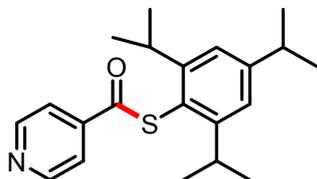
R_f 0.36 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 8.51 (s, 1H), 8.04 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.93 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.66 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.39 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 5.17 (s, 2H), 3.47 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.87 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H). **^{13}C NMR** (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 198.1, 173.0, 136.0, 135.8, 134.0,

132.6, 129.9, 129.7, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 127.9, 126.9, 123.9, 66.7, 33.5, 28.3 (t, $J = 20$ Hz).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{18}DO_3$ $[M + H]^+$ 320.1391, found 320.1387.

***S*-(2,4,6-triisopropylphenyl) pyridine-4-carbothioate (19).**



According to the *general procedure*.

White solid (85.9 mg, 84%). Mp: 104 – 105 °C.

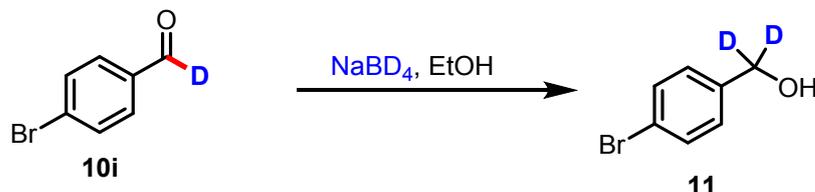
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 20/1).

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 8.83 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.88 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.14 (s, 2H), 3.39 (dt, $J = 13.6, 6.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.94 (dt, $J = 13.6, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.29 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H), 1.20 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 12H). **^{13}C NMR** (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 190.1, 152.9, 151.8, 151.0, 143.2, 122.48, 120.8, 120.1, 34.5, 32.3, 24.6, 24.0.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{28}NOS$ $[M + H]^+$ 342.1886, found 342.1884.

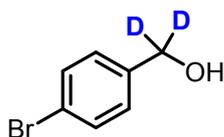
8. Procedures for organic transformations

Synthesis of (4-bromophenyl)methan- d_2 -ol (11).



A flame-dried flask was cooled under a stream of nitrogen and then charged with a solution of selected labeled aldehyde **10i** (0.2 mmol, 36.8 mg) and ethanol (1 ml). The solution was then cooled to 0 °C, and $NaBD_4$ (0.22 mmol, 9.2 mg, 1.1 equiv) was added slowly. The resulting solution was allowed to warm to rt and stirred for 6 h. The reaction mixture was then diluted with water and extracted twice with DCM. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated in vacuo. The remaining residue purified directly via silica column chromatography, eluting with petroleum ether: ethyl acetate (1:1) to afford the corresponding product **11**.

(4-bromophenyl)methan- d_2 -ol (11).



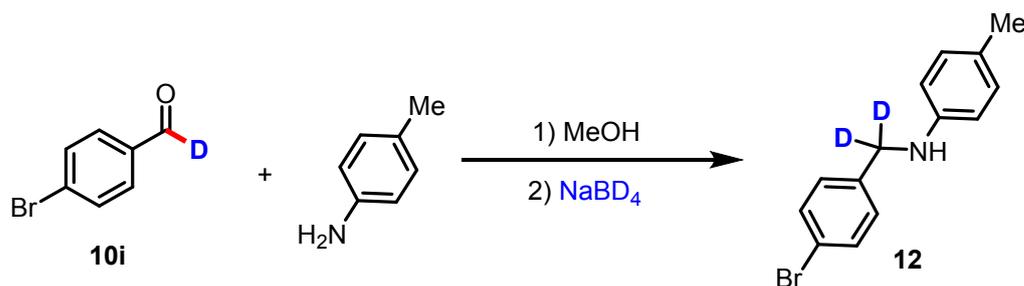
White solid (32.3 mg, 86%). Mp: 71 – 72 °C.

R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.47 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H). **^{13}C NMR** (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 139.74, 131.72, 128.74, 121.57, 64.09 (dt, $J = 33.8, 15.5$ Hz).

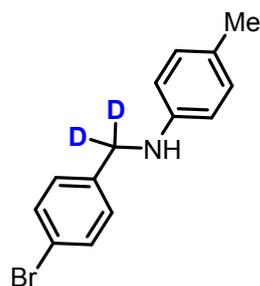
HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_7H_6D_2BrO$ $[M + H]^+$ 188.9879, found 188.9880.

Synthesis of *N*-((4-bromophenyl)methyl-*d*₂)-4-methylaniline (**12**).



Following the modified procedures,⁶ a flame-dried flask was cooled under a stream of nitrogen and then charged with a solution of aniline (0.2 mmol, 21.4 mg, 1.0 equiv), the selected labeled aldehyde **10i** (0.2 mmol, 36.8 mg), triethylamine (0.28 mmol, 28.3 mg, 1.4 equiv) and methanol (2 ml). This mixture was allowed to stir at rt for 4 h. The solution was then cooled to 0 °C, and NaBD₄ (0.22 mmol, 9.2 mg, 1.1 equiv) was added slowly. The resulting solution was allowed to warm to rt and stirred for 8 h. The reaction mixture was then diluted with water and extracted twice with hexanes. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated in vacuo. The remaining residue purified directly via silica column chromatography, eluting with petroleum ether: ethyl acetate (20:1) to afford the corresponding product **12**.

N-((4-bromophenyl)methyl-*d*₂)-4-methylaniline (**12**).



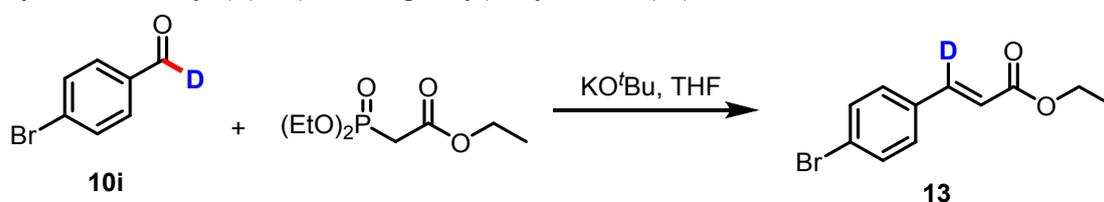
Yellow oil (48.8 mg, 88%).

*R*_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.44 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.83 (s, 1H), 2.15 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 145.7, 138.8, 131.8, 129.9, 129.2, 127.1, 121.0, 113.1, 20.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₄H₁₃D₂BrN [M + H]⁺ 278.0508, found 278.0507.

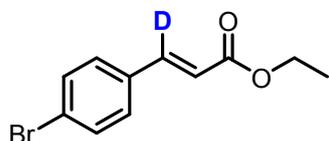
Synthesis of ethyl (*E*)-3-(4-bromophenyl)acrylate-3-*d* (**13**).



Following the modified procedures,⁷ the selected labeled aldehyde **10i** (0.2 mmol, 36.8 mg) was dissolved in dry THF (2 mL) with stirring under an argon atmosphere. Sequentially, the HWE reagent, triethyl phosphonoacetate (0.22 mmol, 49.3 mg) and potassium tert-butoxide (0.22 mmol,

24.6 mg.) were then added to the flask, which was then left stirring at room temperature for 16 h. The THF solvent was removed in vacuo and the remaining residue purified directly via silica column chromatography, eluting with petroleum ether: ethyl acetate (20:1) to afford the corresponding product **13**.

ethyl (*E*)-3-(4-bromophenyl)acrylate-3-*d* (13**).**



Yellow oil (62.0mg, 81%).

R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.43 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.33 (s, 1H), 4.18 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.26 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 166.8, 143.0 (t, $J = 24$ Hz), 133.4, 132.2, 129.5, 124.6, 118.9, 60.7, 14.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{11}\text{DBrO}_2$ [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ 256.0078, found 256.0076.

Synthesis of [1,1':4',1''-terphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (14**).**

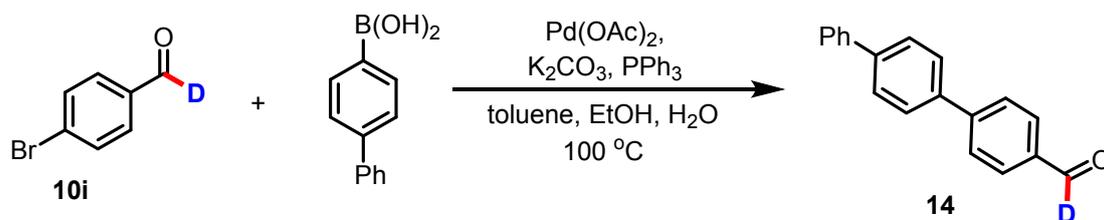
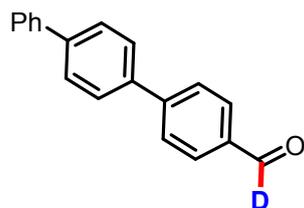


Figure S5

Synthesized pure compound **10i** (0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv), boronic acid (0.33 mmol, 1.1 equiv), K_2CO_3 (0.6 mmol, 2.0 equiv), $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$ (0.015 mmol, 5.0 mol %), PPh_3 (0.045 mmol, 0.15 equiv), toluene (3.3 mL, 0.113M), equal mixture of ethanol/water (0.34 mL, 0.565 M) were taken into a re-sealable pressure tube (13 x 100 mm) and was allowed it to stir at 100 °C for 24h. After finishing the reaction, the solvent mixture was evaporated and again diluted with dichloromethane (20 mL). This diluted mixture was then passed through a celite bed followed by the washing of this bed with additional amount of dichloromethane (20 mL). This combined organic layer was washed with water (1 x 20 mL) using a separating funnel. The collected organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 and solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure. This crude product was then subjected to purification using flash column chromatography petroleum ether: ethyl acetate (20:1) to get pure product **14**.

[1,1':4',1''-terphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (14**).**



White solid (64.5 mg, 83%). Mp: 181 – 182 °C.

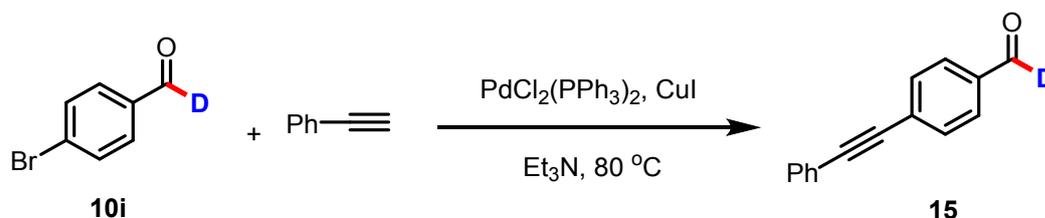
R_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 92%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.95 (s, 0.08H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (s, 4H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.71 (t, *J* = 26 Hz), 146.73, 141.44, 140.37, 138.57, 135.23 (t, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 130.43, 129.01, 127.84, 127.81, 127.78, 127.61, 127.17.

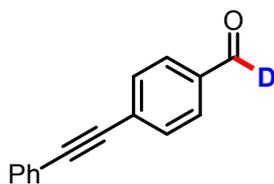
HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₁₄DO [M + H]⁺ 260.1180, found 260.1180.

Synthesis of 4-(phenylethynyl)benzaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (**15**).



An oven dried Schlenk tube was charged with the selected labeled aldehyde **10i** (0.2 mmol, 36.8 mg), bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), copper iodide (3.8 mg, 0.02 mmol) and Et₃N (1 mL). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with Ar (this process was repeated three times) at -40 °C and then phenylacetylene (33 μL, 0.3 mmol) was added by syringe. The reaction mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 12 h until the consumption of **10i**, indicated by TLC. The reaction mixture was filtered through celite pad and concentrated in vacuo to give the crude product, which was purified by common column chromatography petroleum ether: ethyl acetate (20:1) to give desired compound **15**.

4-(phenylethynyl)benzaldehyde-*formyl-d*₁ (**15**).



White solid (32.3 mg, 78%). Mp: 86 – 87 °C.

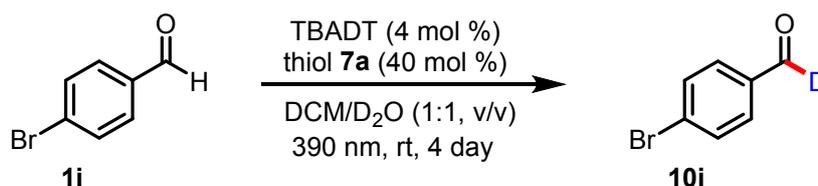
*R*_f 0.40 (Petroleum ether/EtOAc, 40/1).

D incorporation by ¹H NMR: 95%.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.00 (s, 0.05H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.61 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.32 (m, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 191.2 (t, *J* = 28.5 Hz), 135.4 (t, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 132.2, 131.9, 129.7, 129.1, 128.6, 122.6, 93.5, 88.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₅H₁₀DO [M + H]⁺ 208.0867, found 208.0867.

9. Gram-scale Reaction



To an oven dried Schlenk tube was added was added TBADT (1.2 g, 0.36 mmol, 4 mol %), 4-bromobenzaldehyde **1i** (9 mmol, 1.0 equiv), thiol **7a** (0.84 g, 3.6 mmol, 40 mol %) and DCM/D₂O

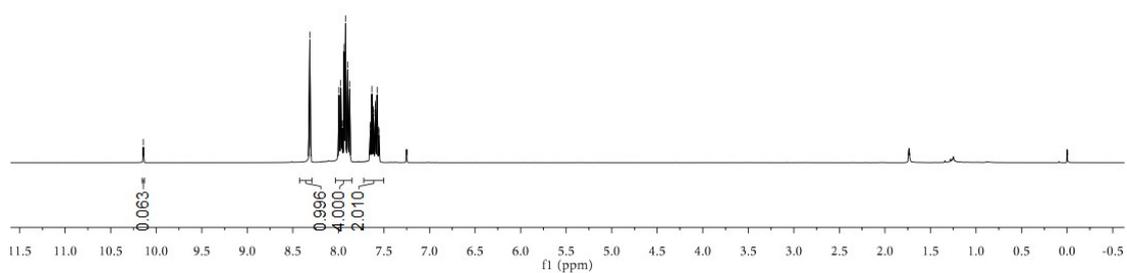
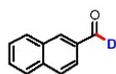
(1:1, v/v; 90 mL). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with Ar (this process was repeated three times). The mixture was then stirred rapidly and irradiated with a 36 W 390 nm LED (approximately 2 cm away from the light source) at room temperature for 4 days. The reaction mixture was diluted with 100 mL of aqueous 1 M NaHCO₃ solution, and extracted with DCM (3 × 50 mL). The combined organic extracts were washed with brine (150 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel using the indicated solvent system afforded the desired product **10i** in 93% yield and 96% D incorporation.

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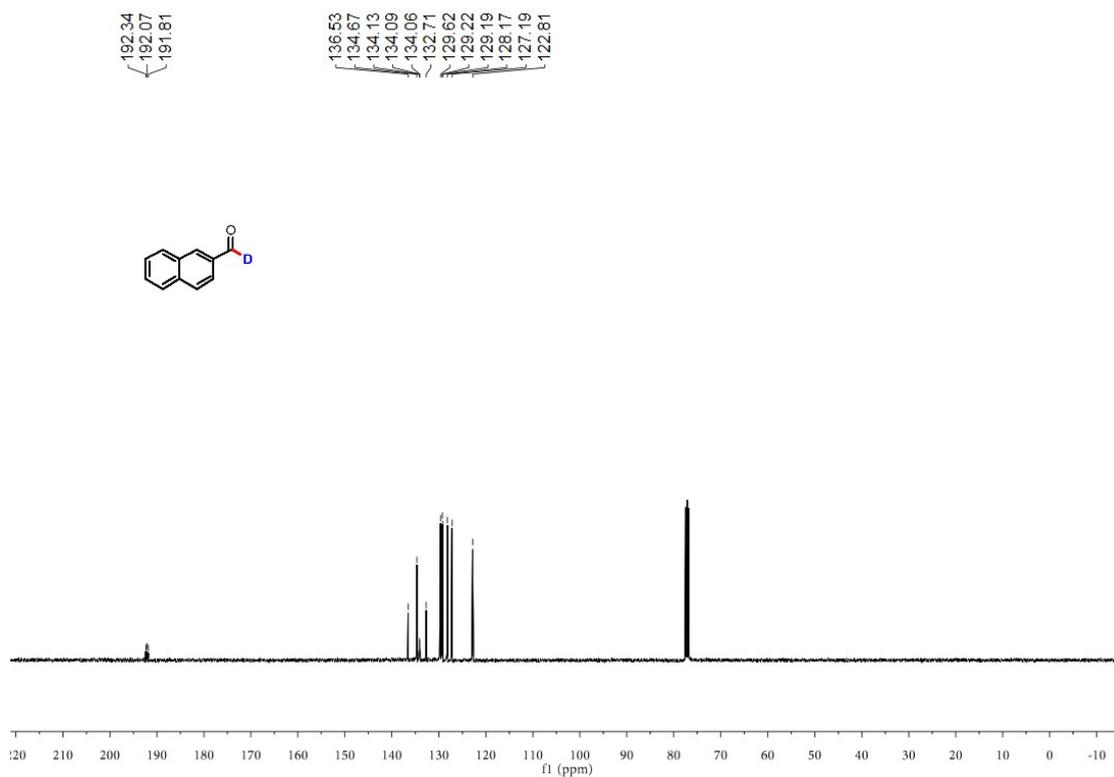
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NMR Spectra

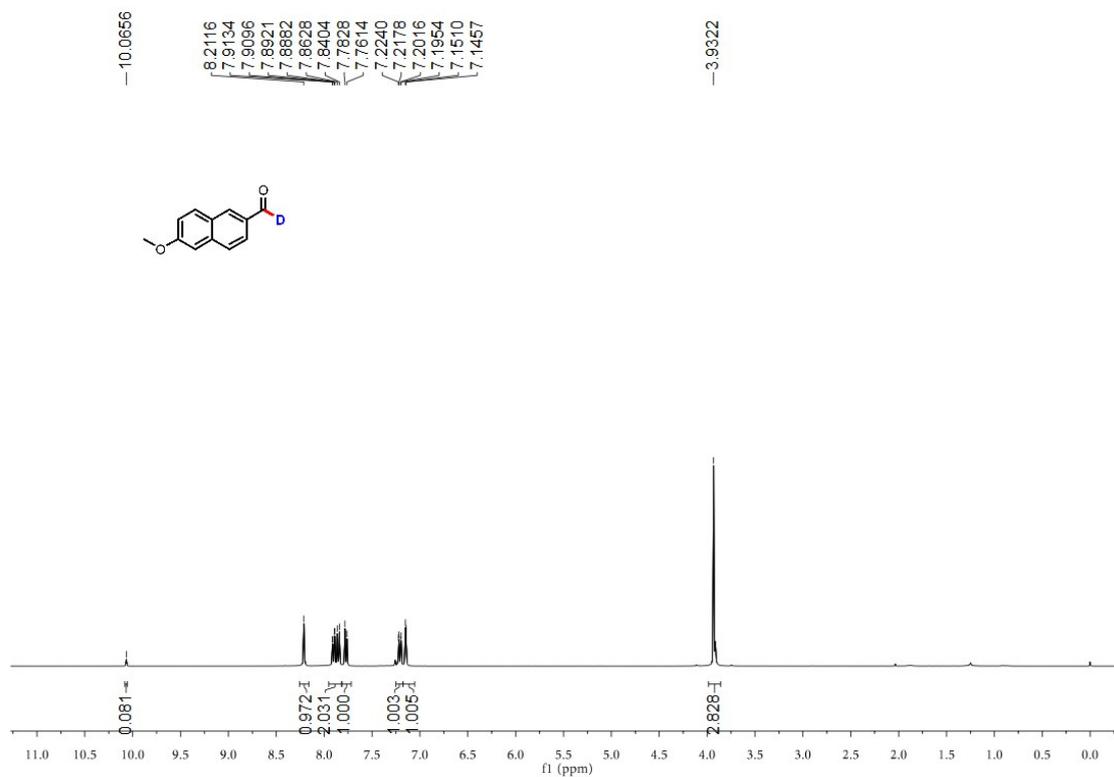
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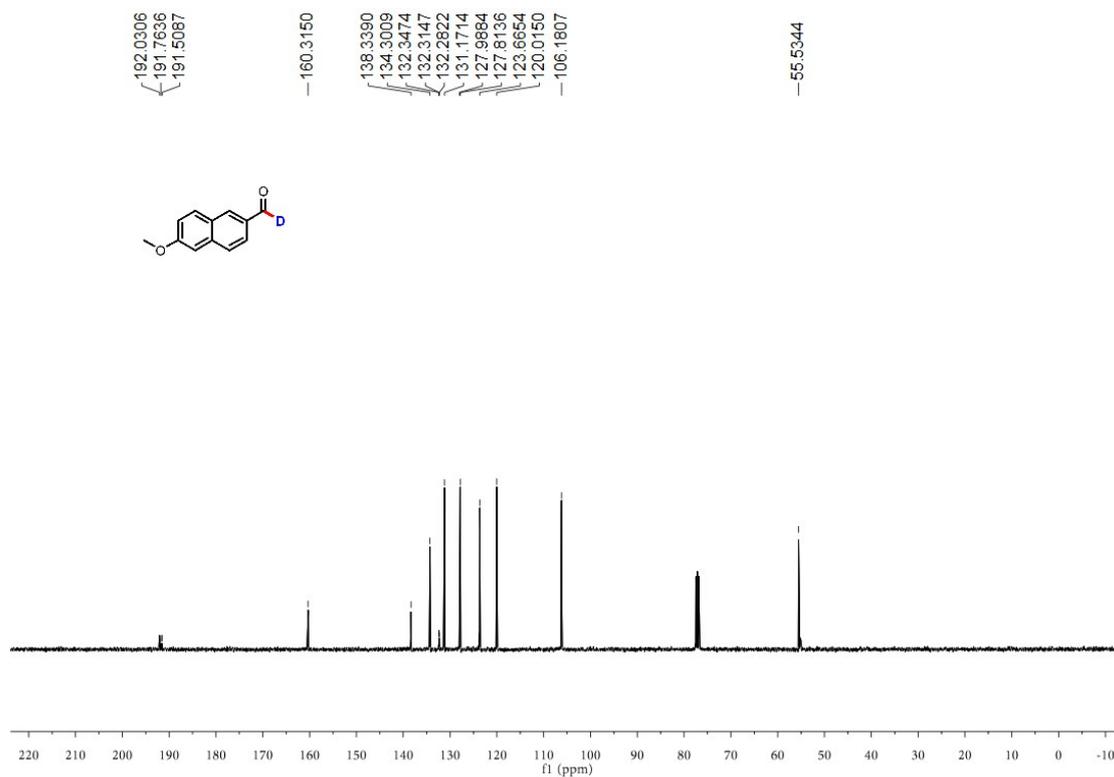
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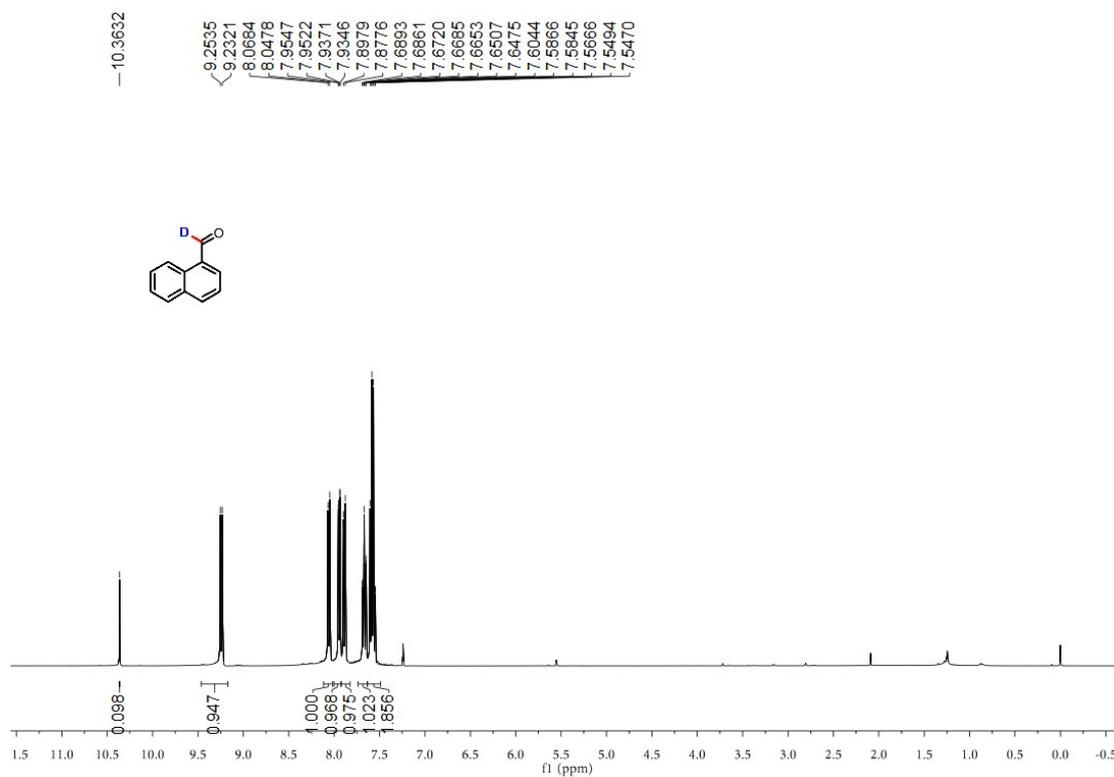
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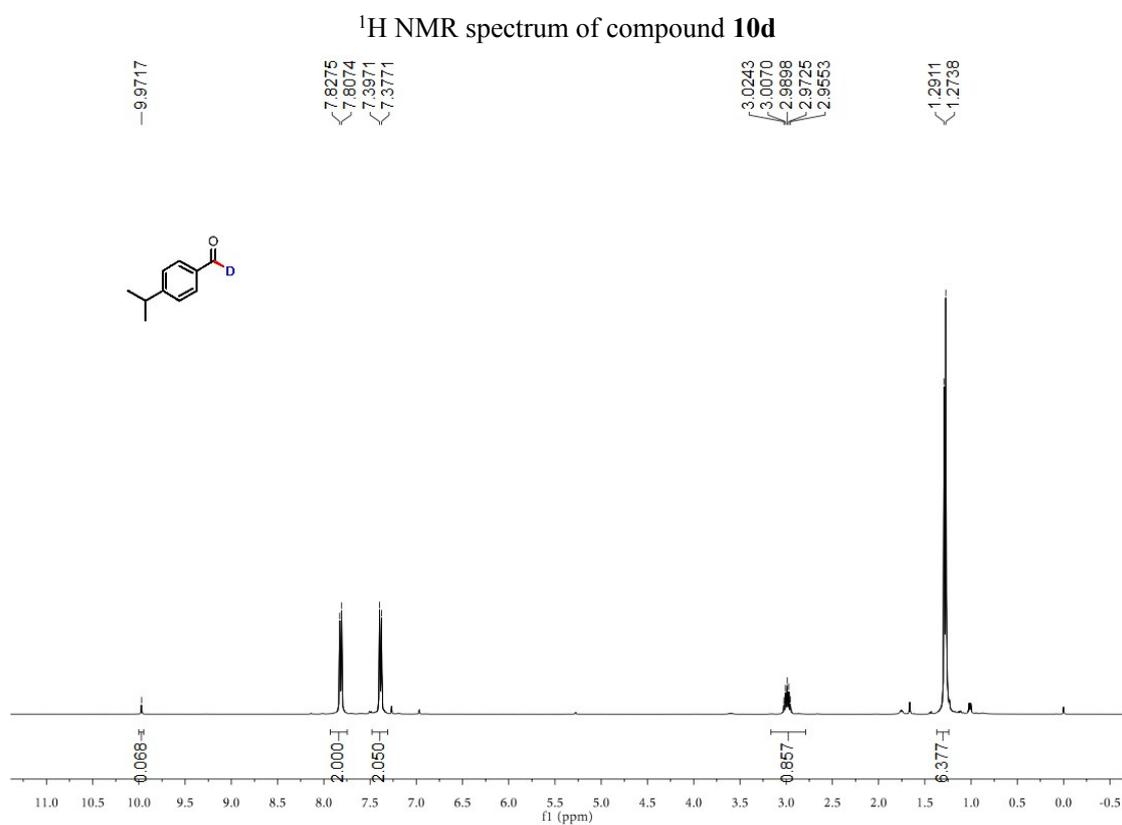
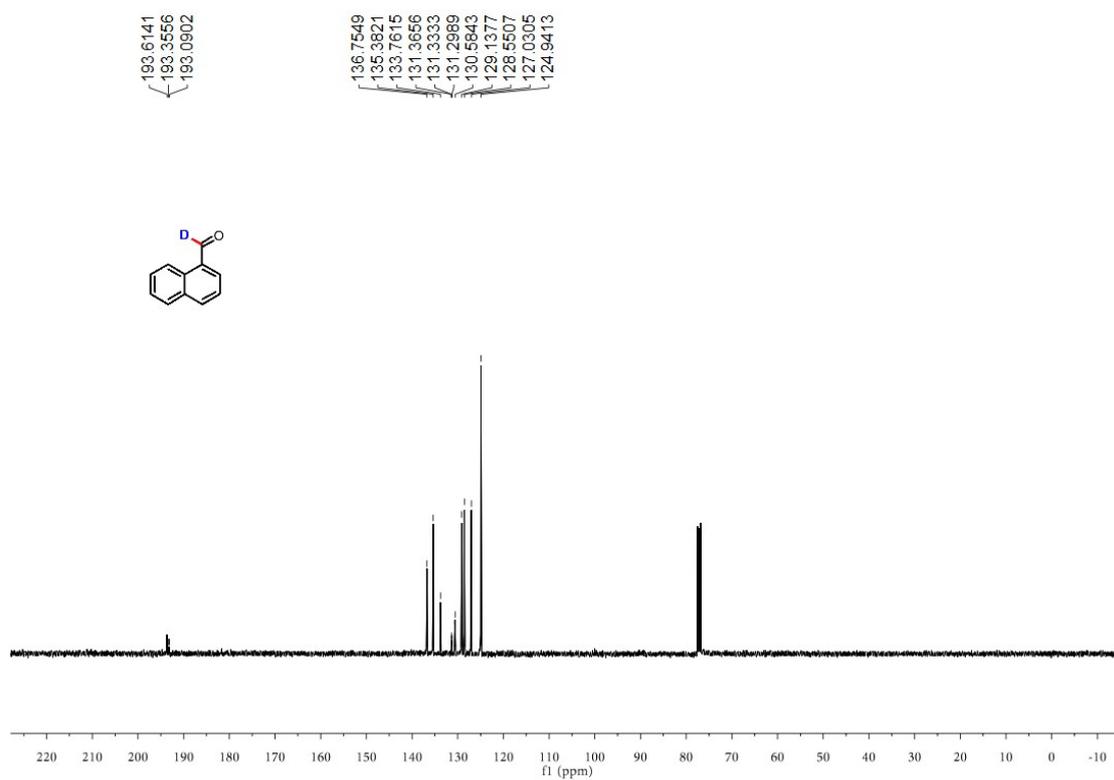
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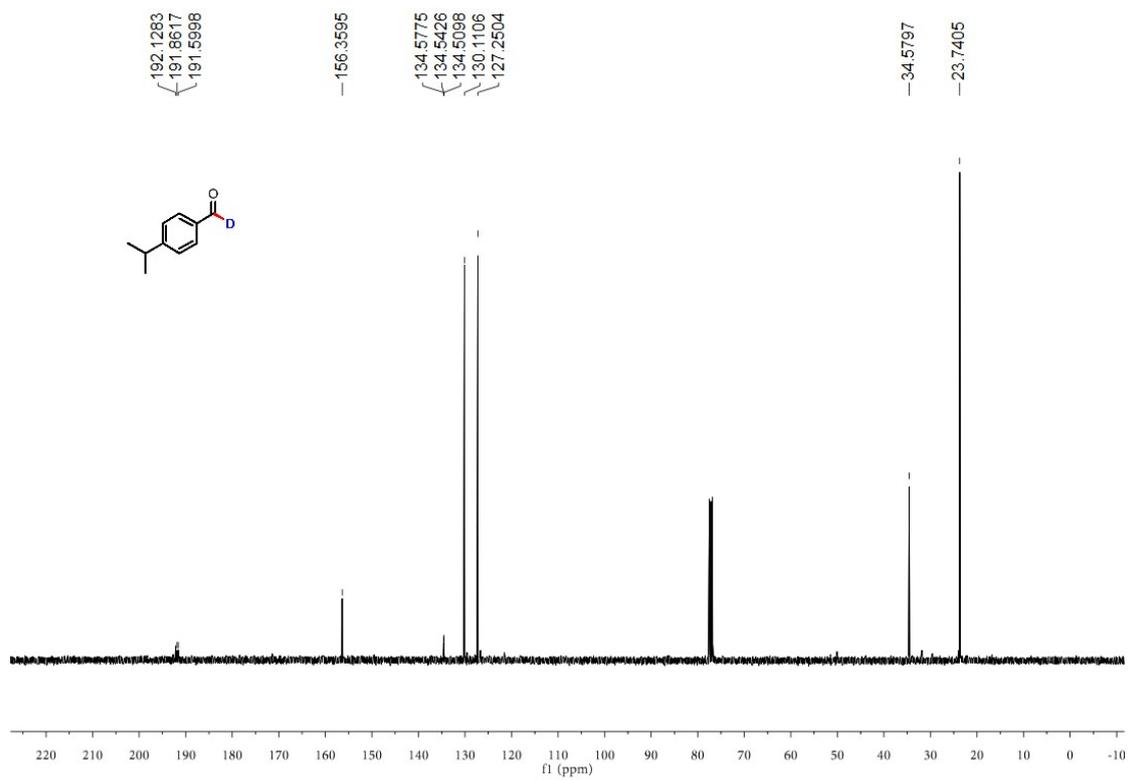
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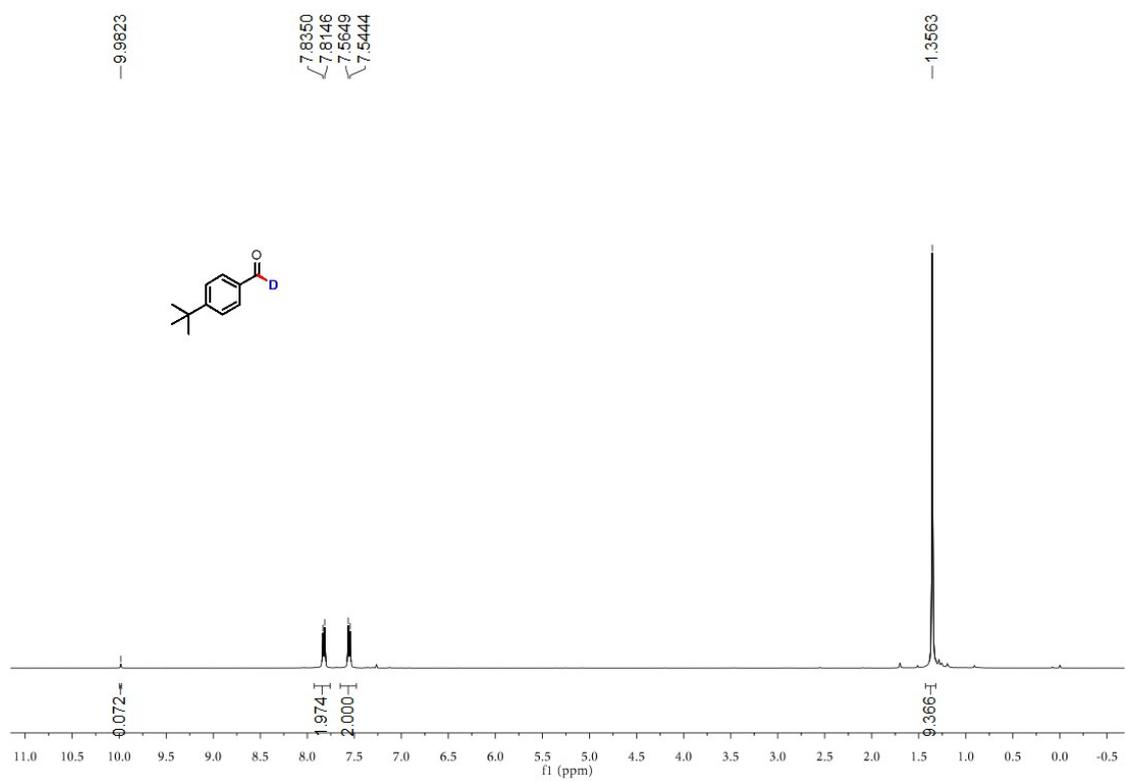
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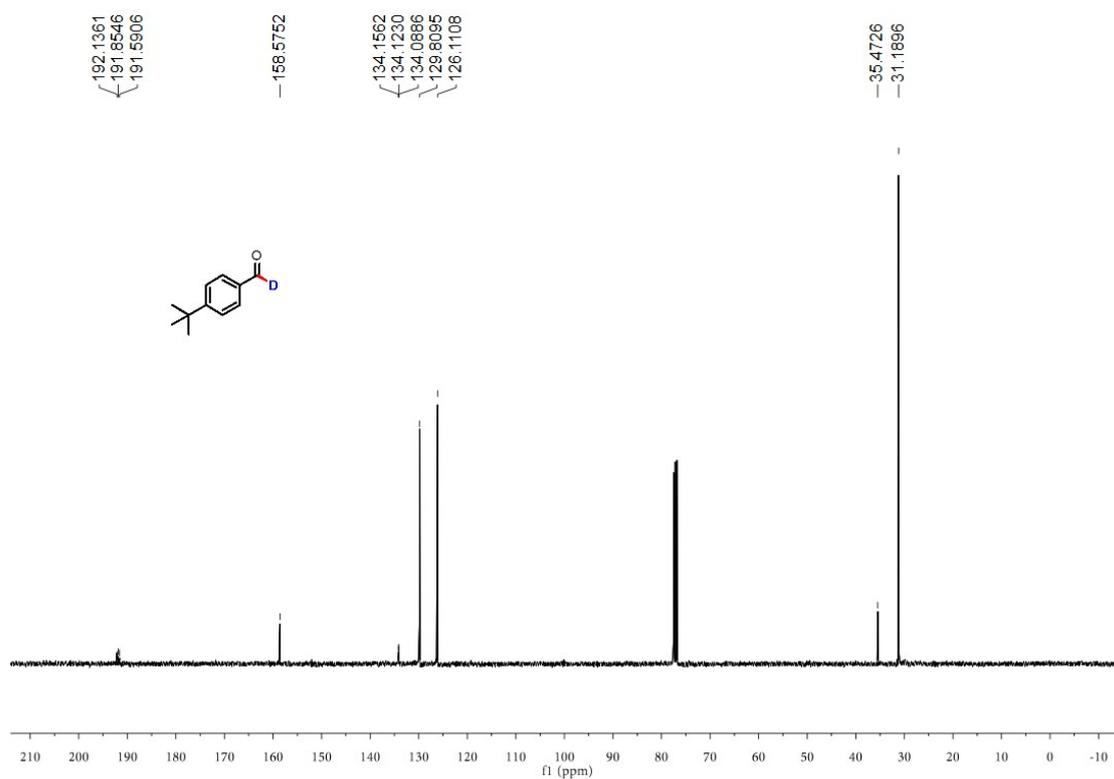
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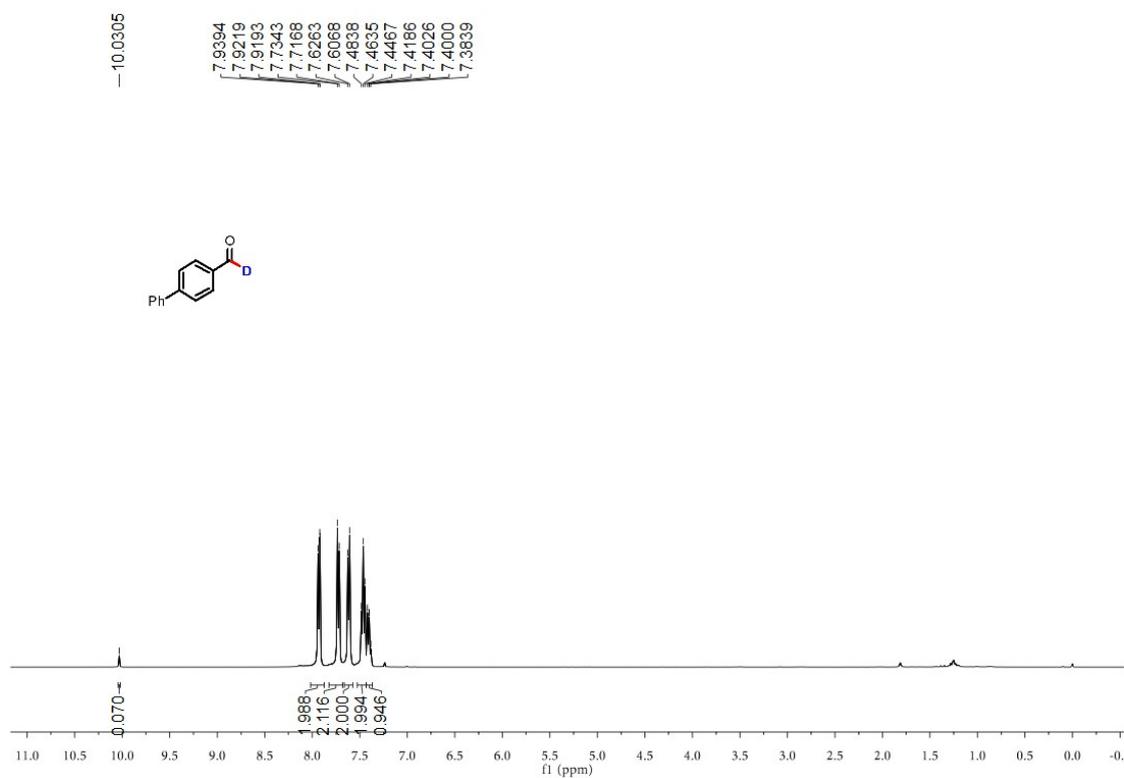
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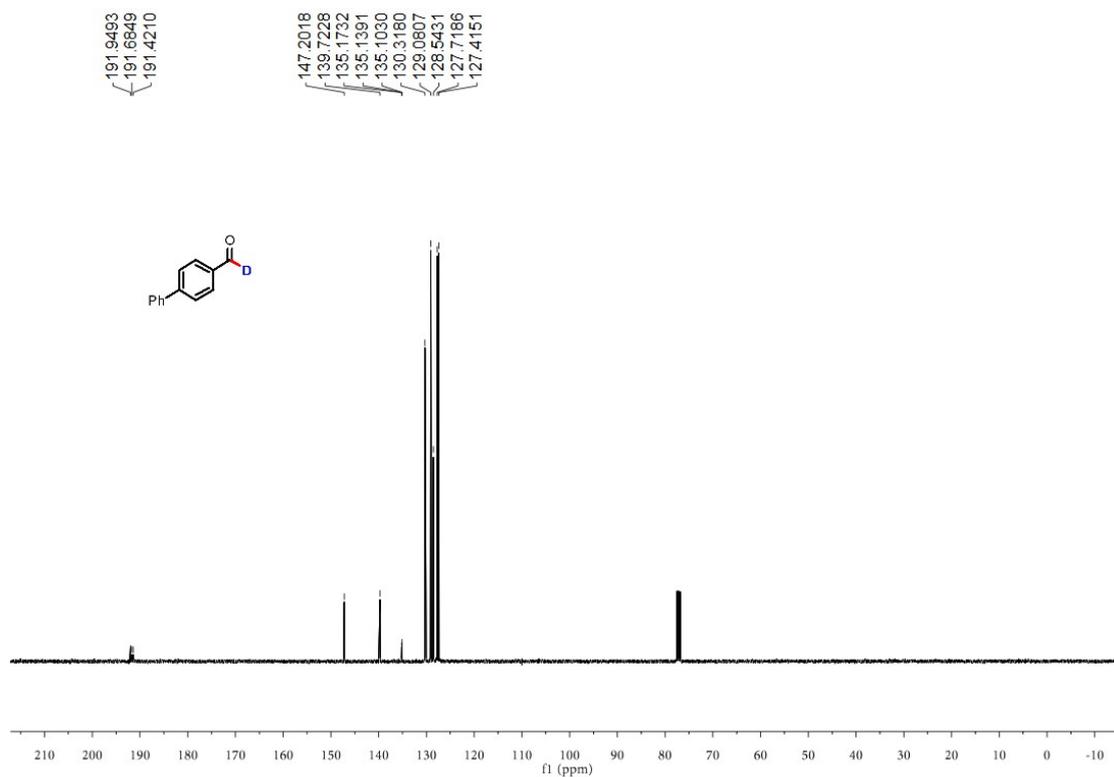
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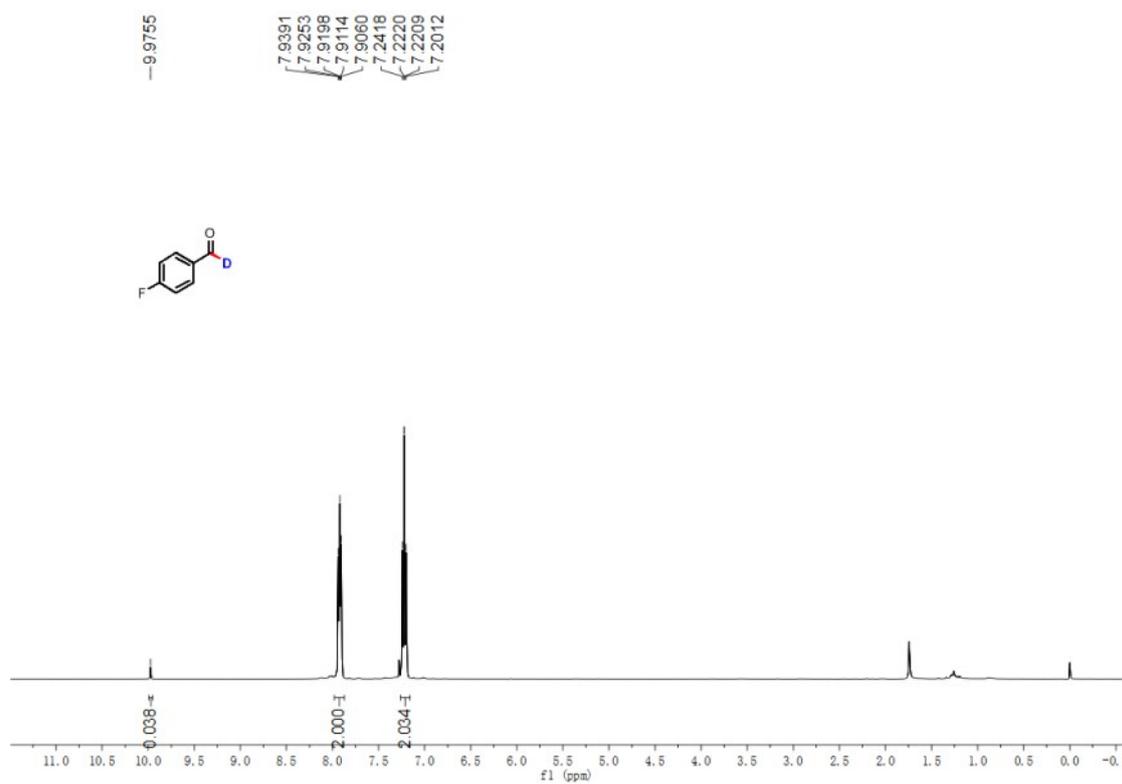
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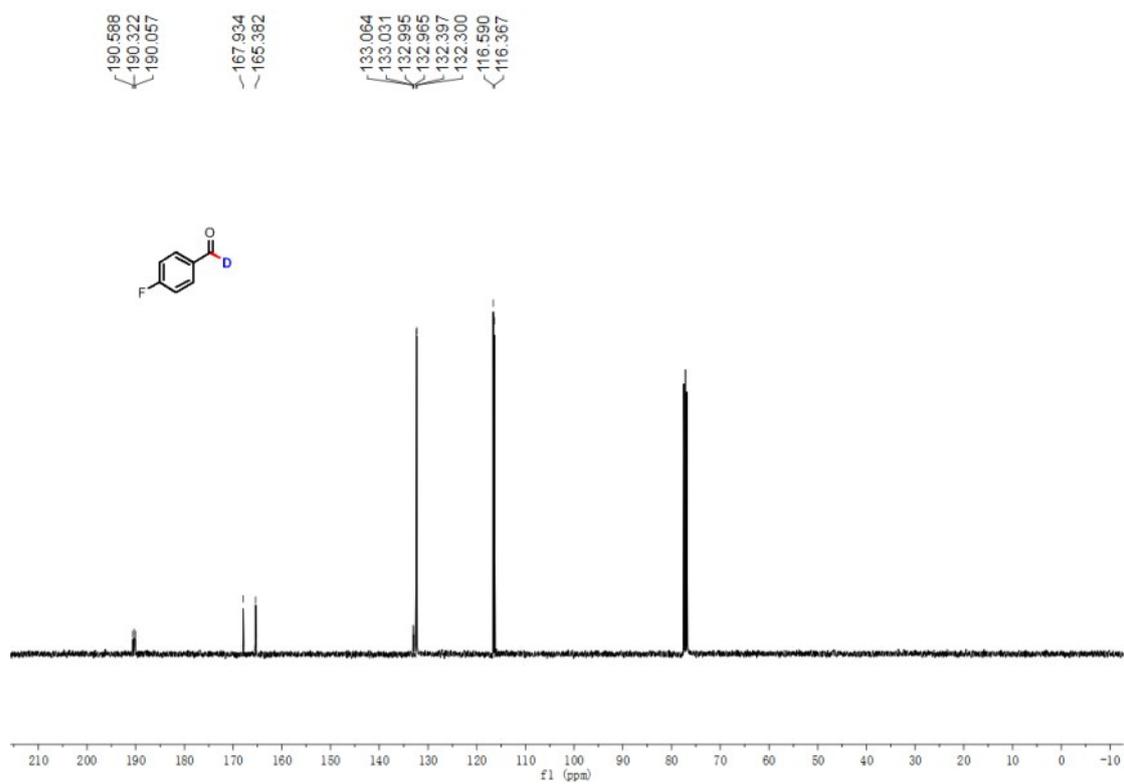
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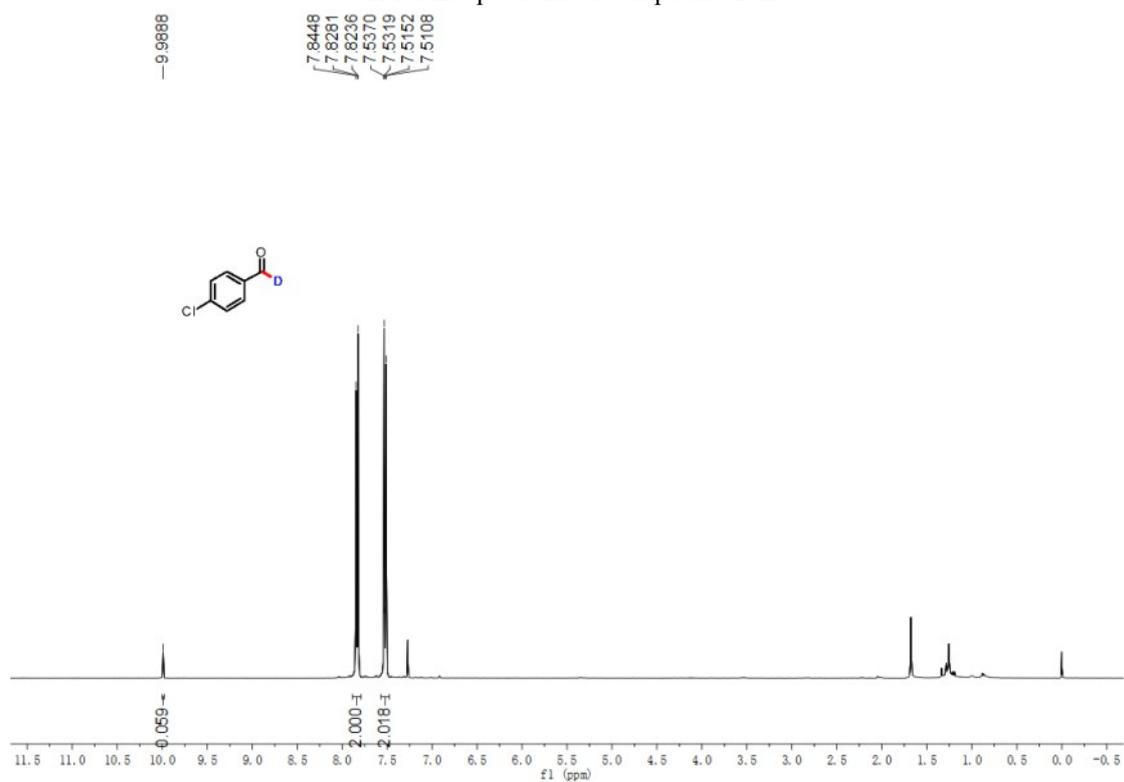
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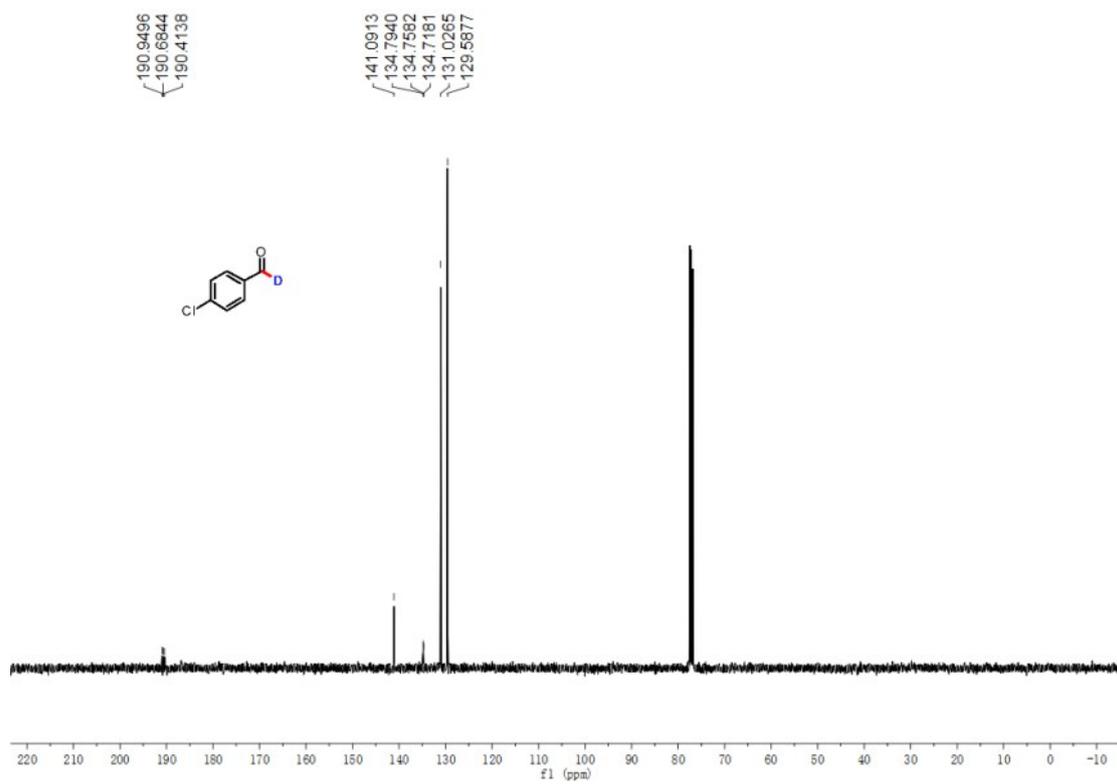
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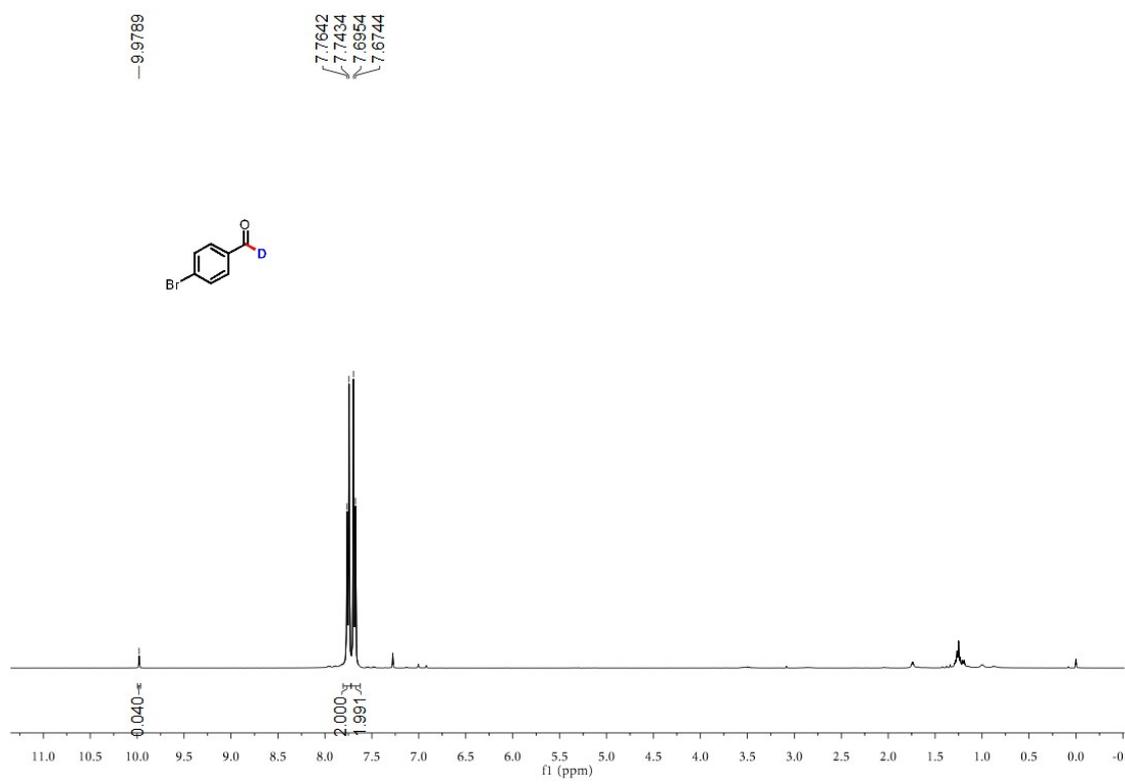
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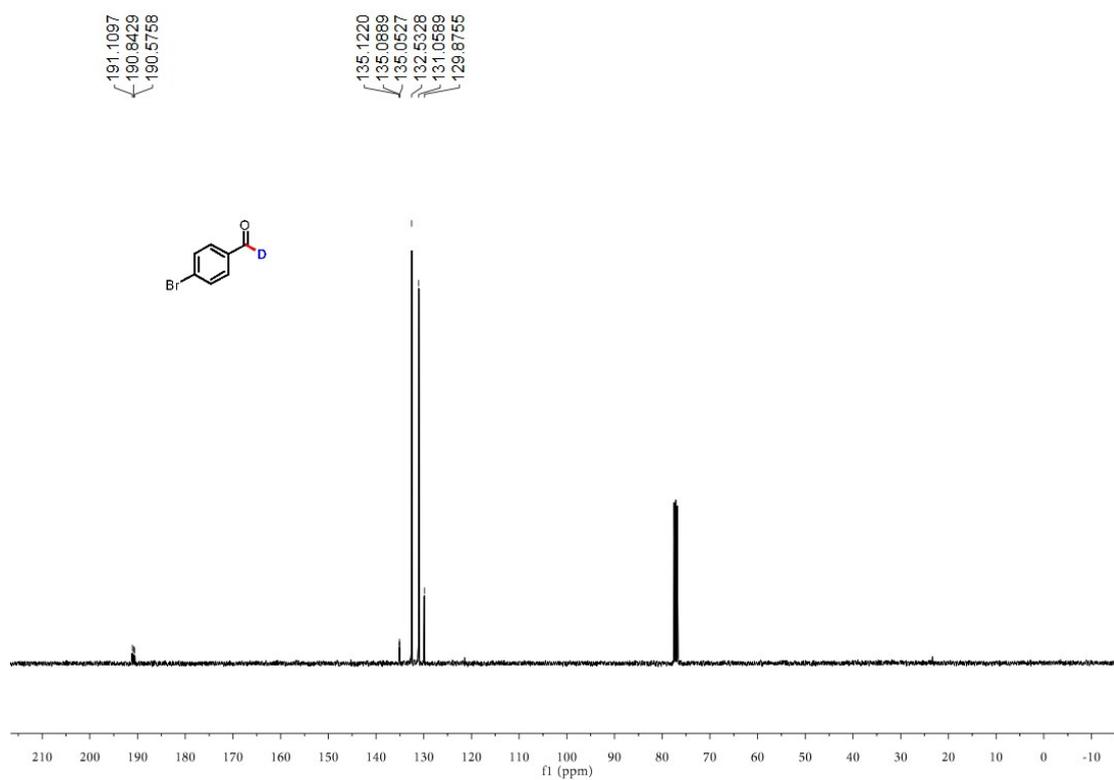
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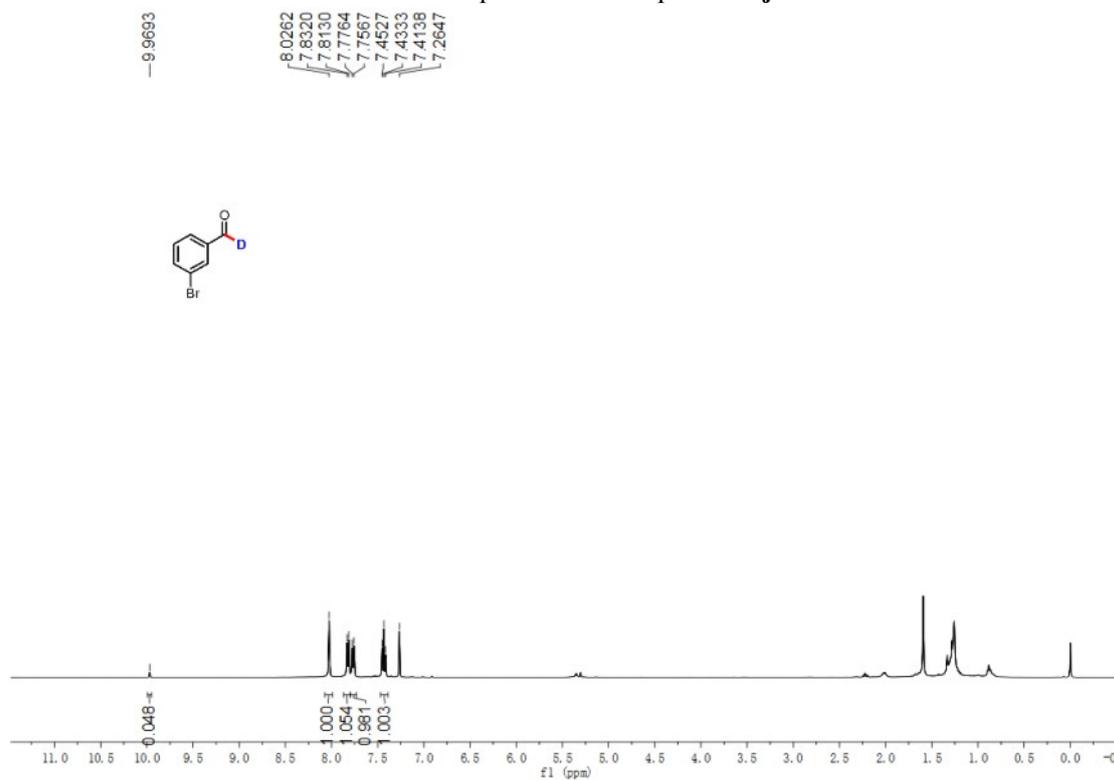
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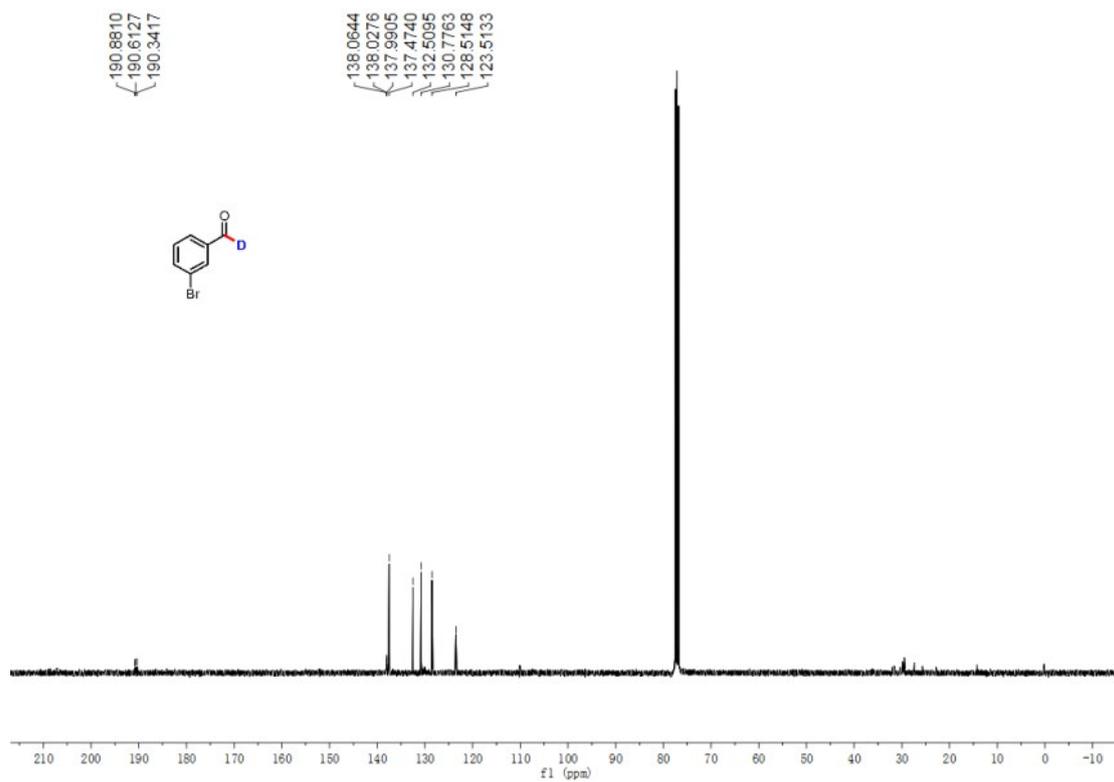
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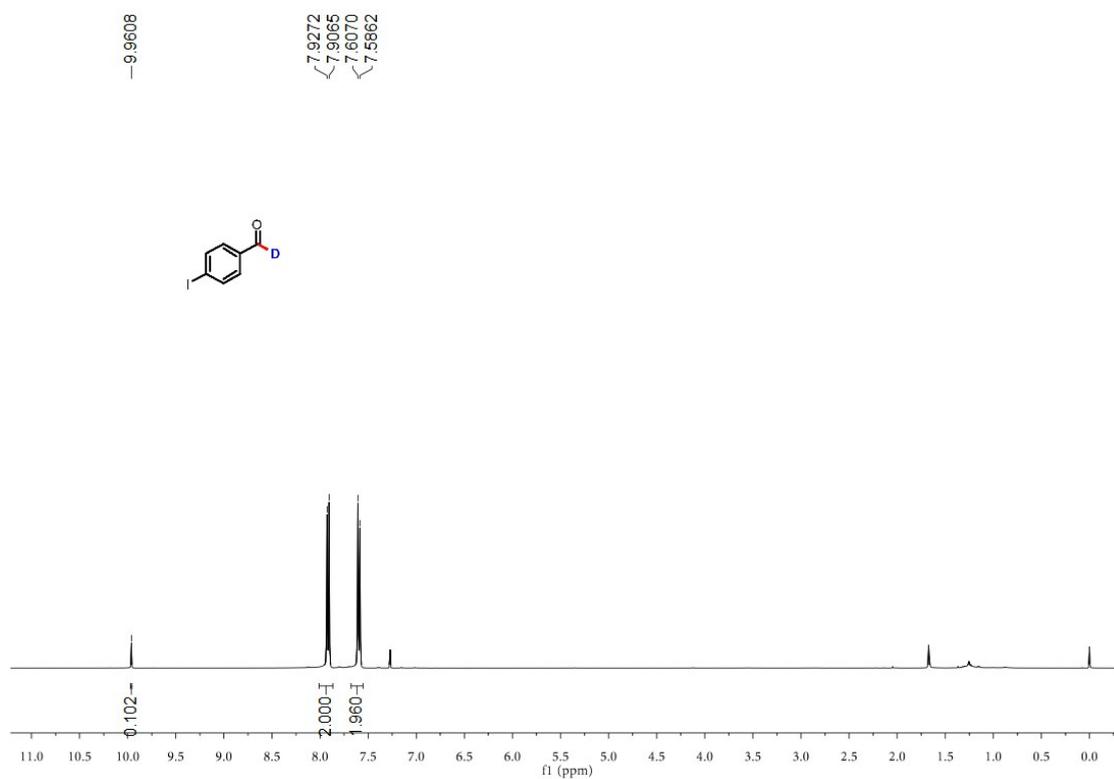
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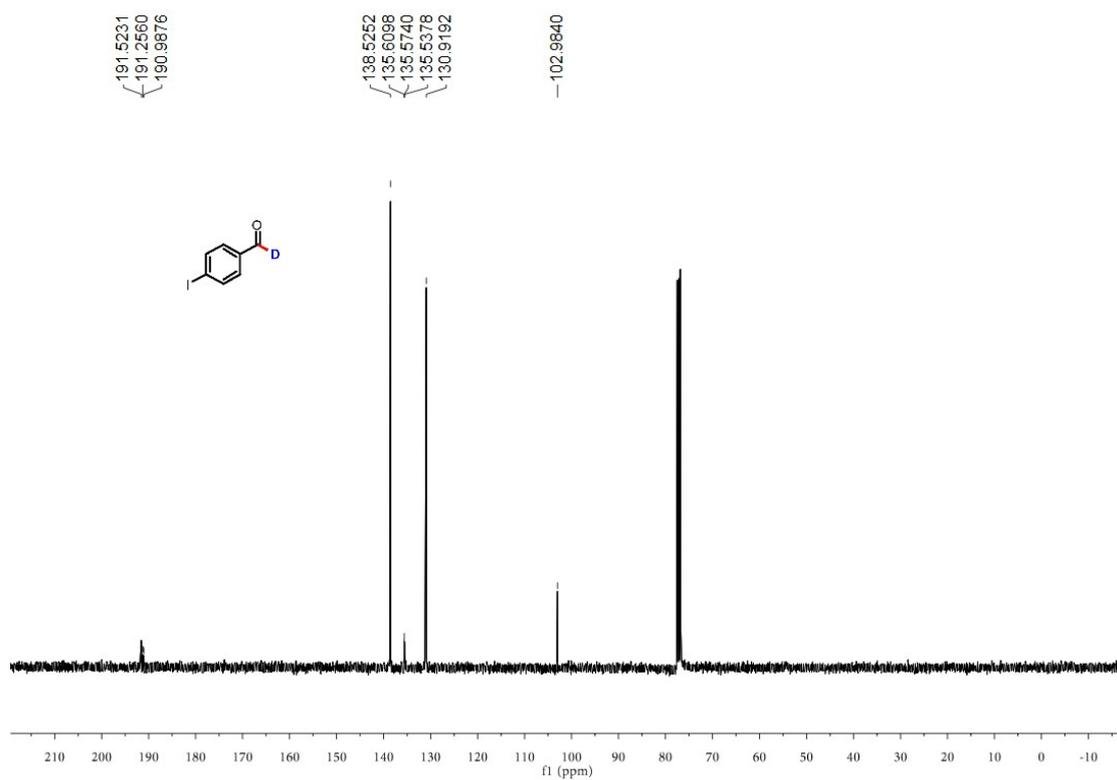
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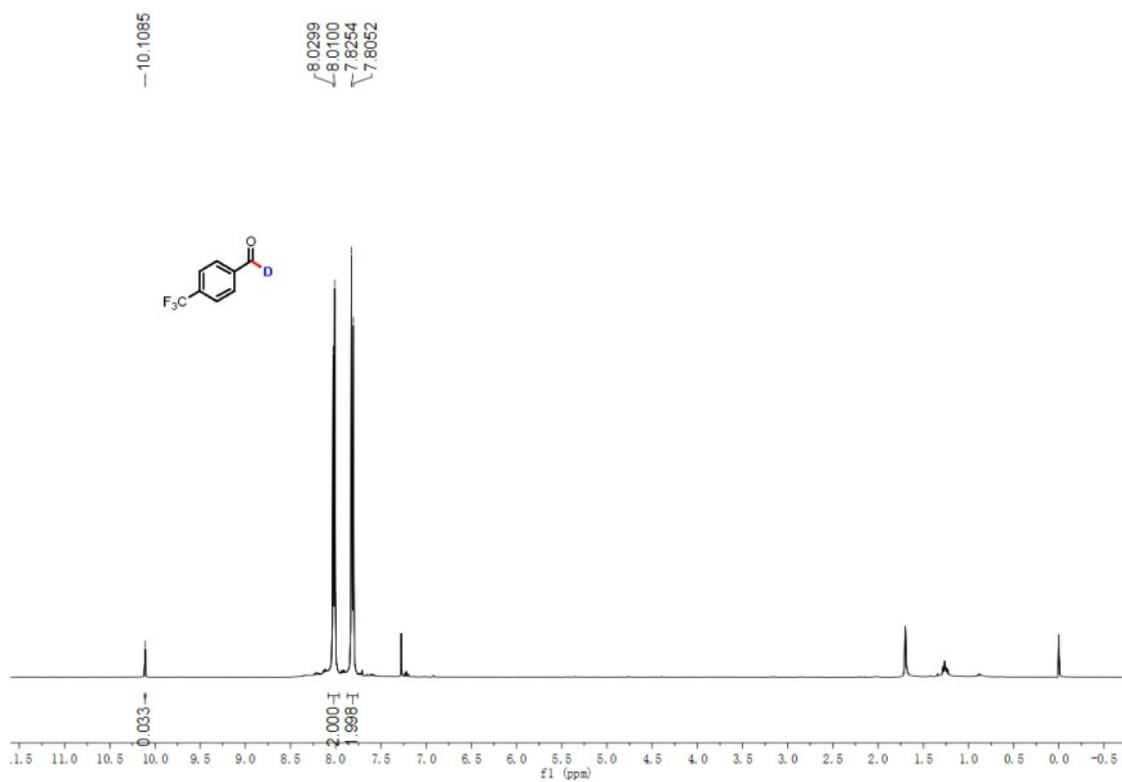
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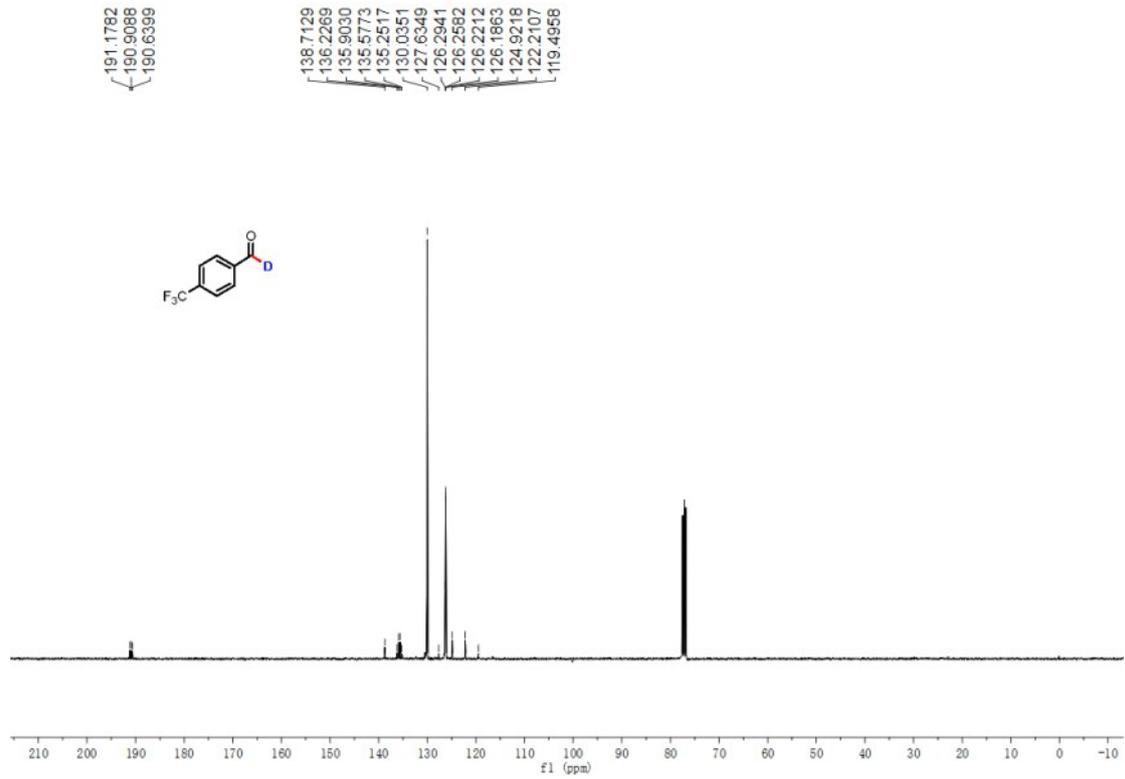
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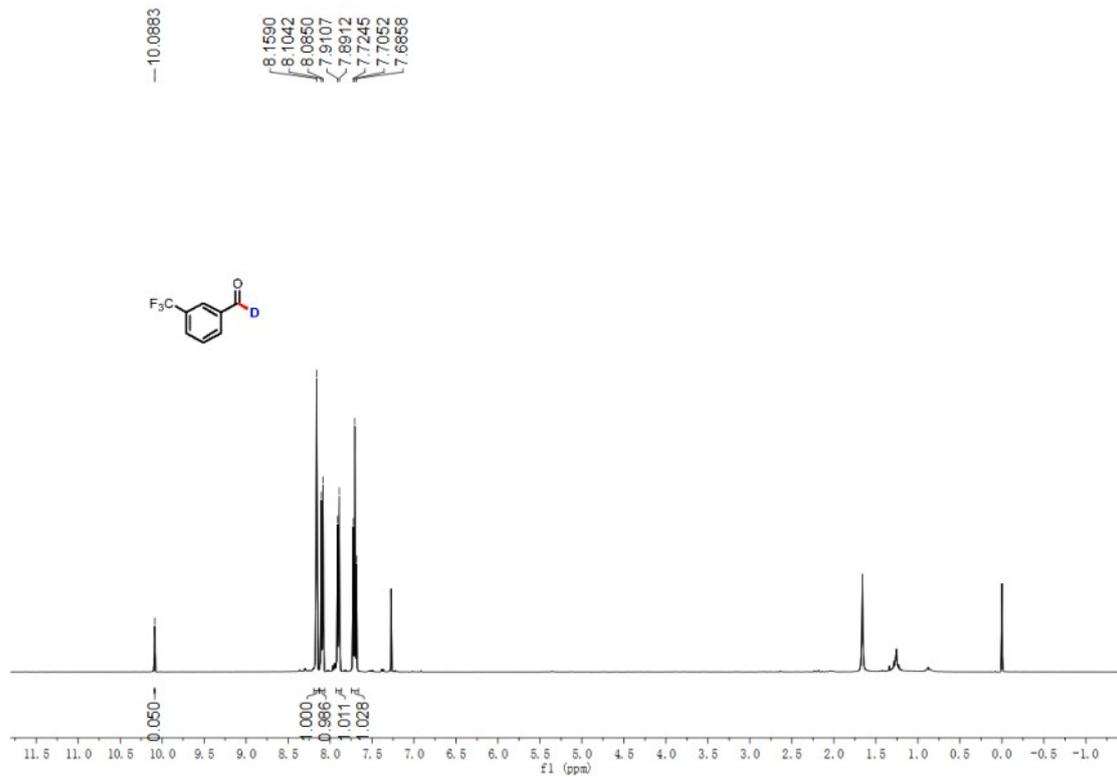
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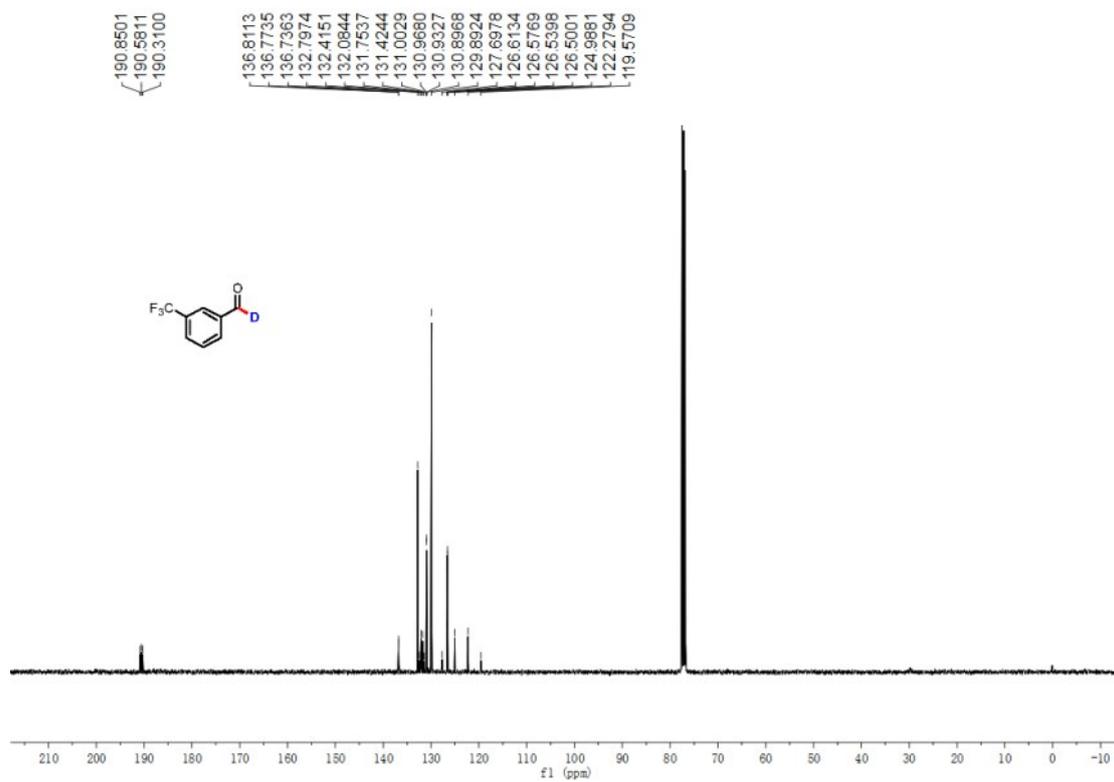
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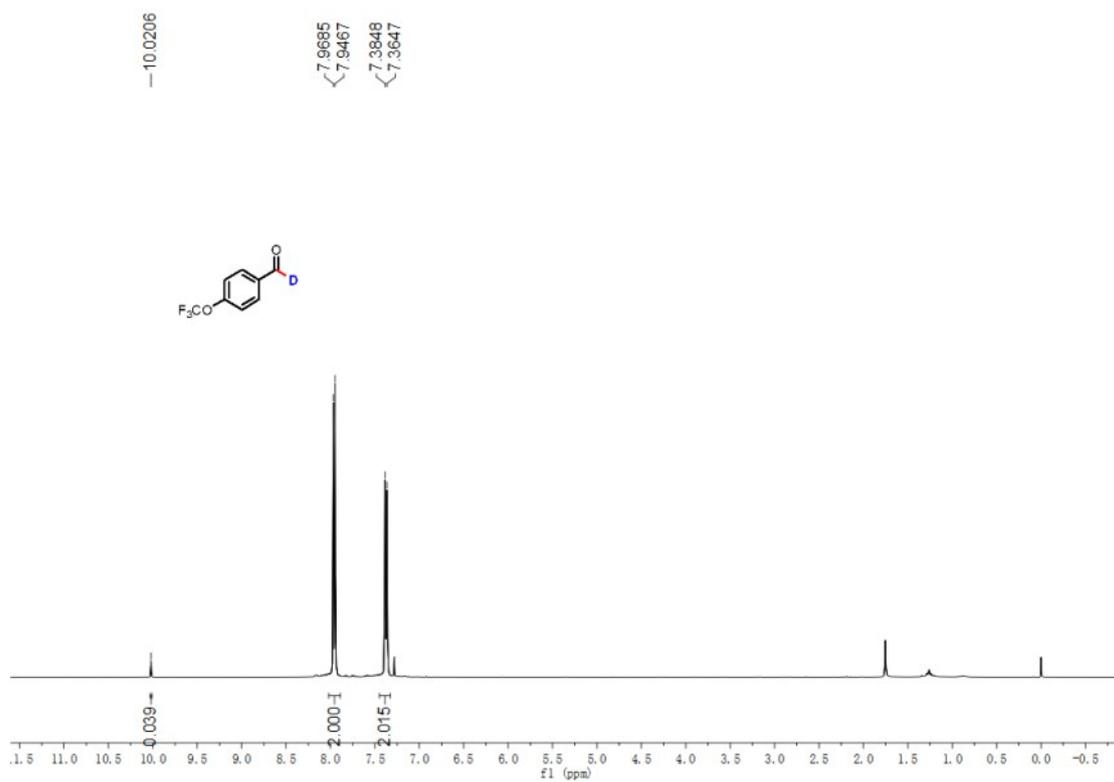
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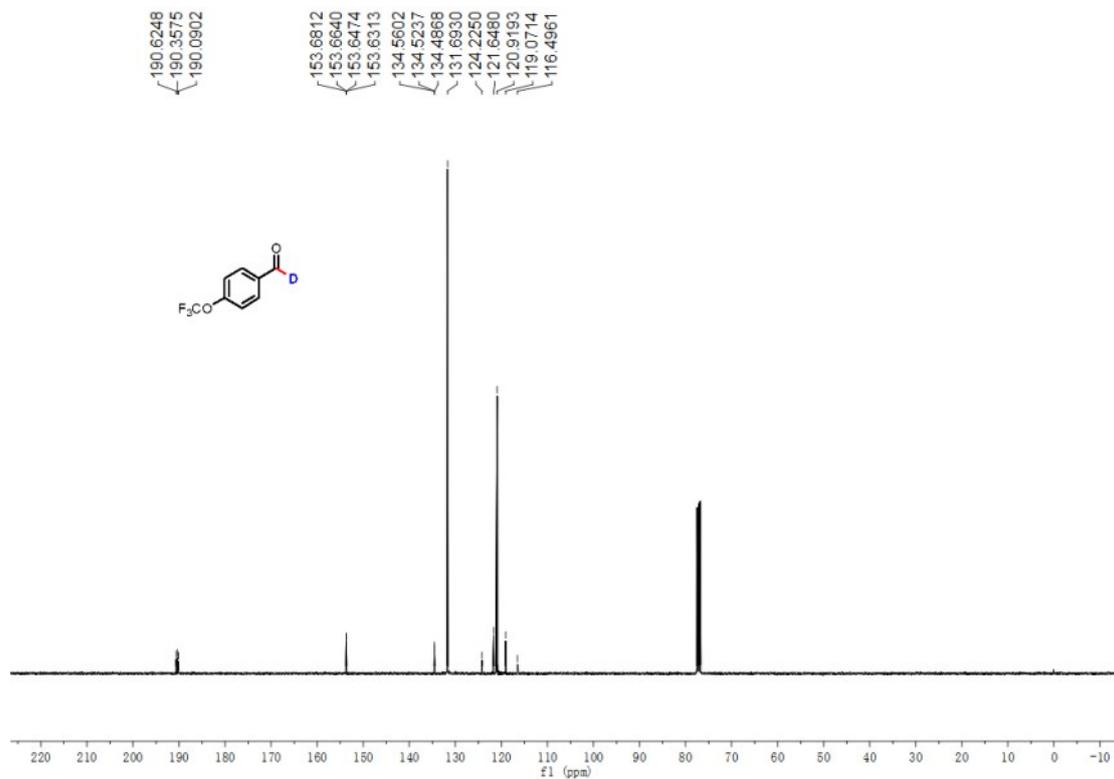
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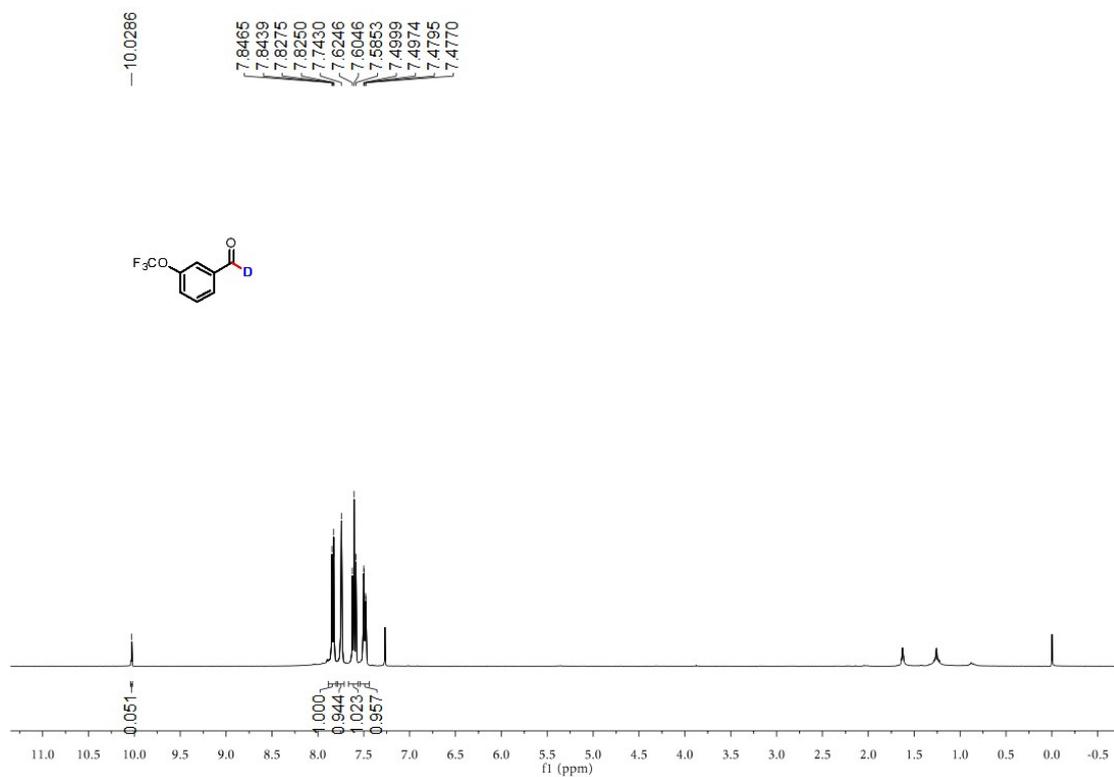
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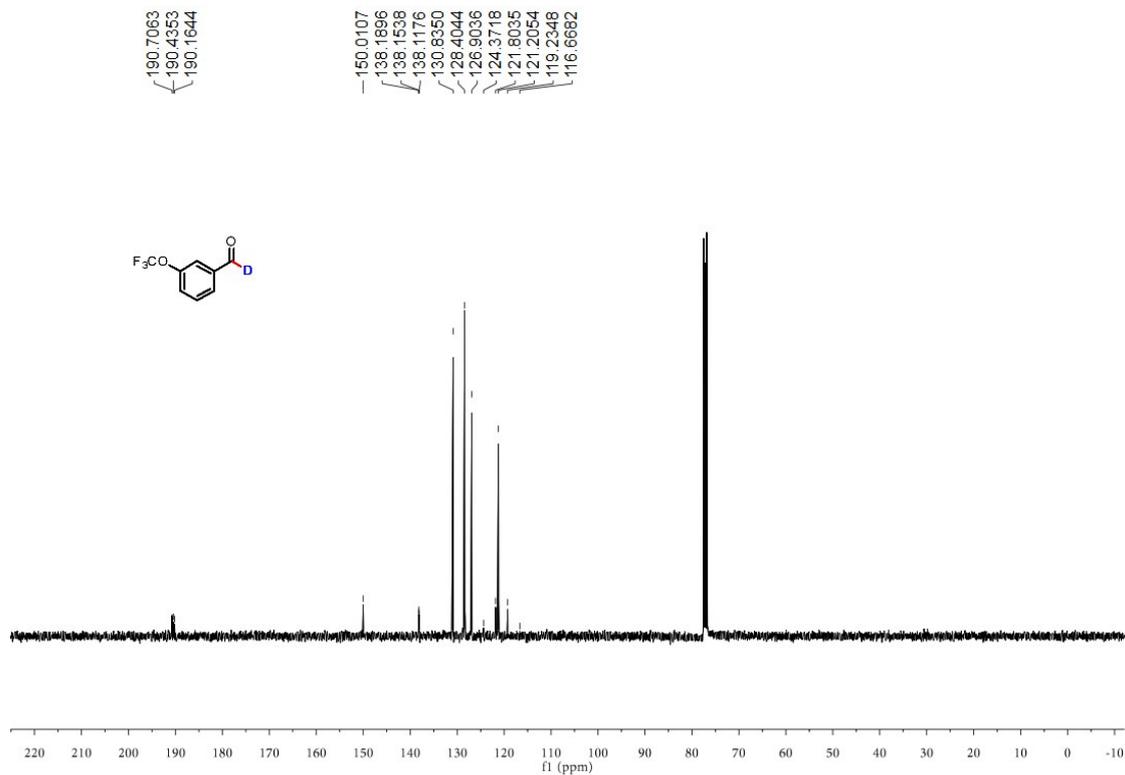
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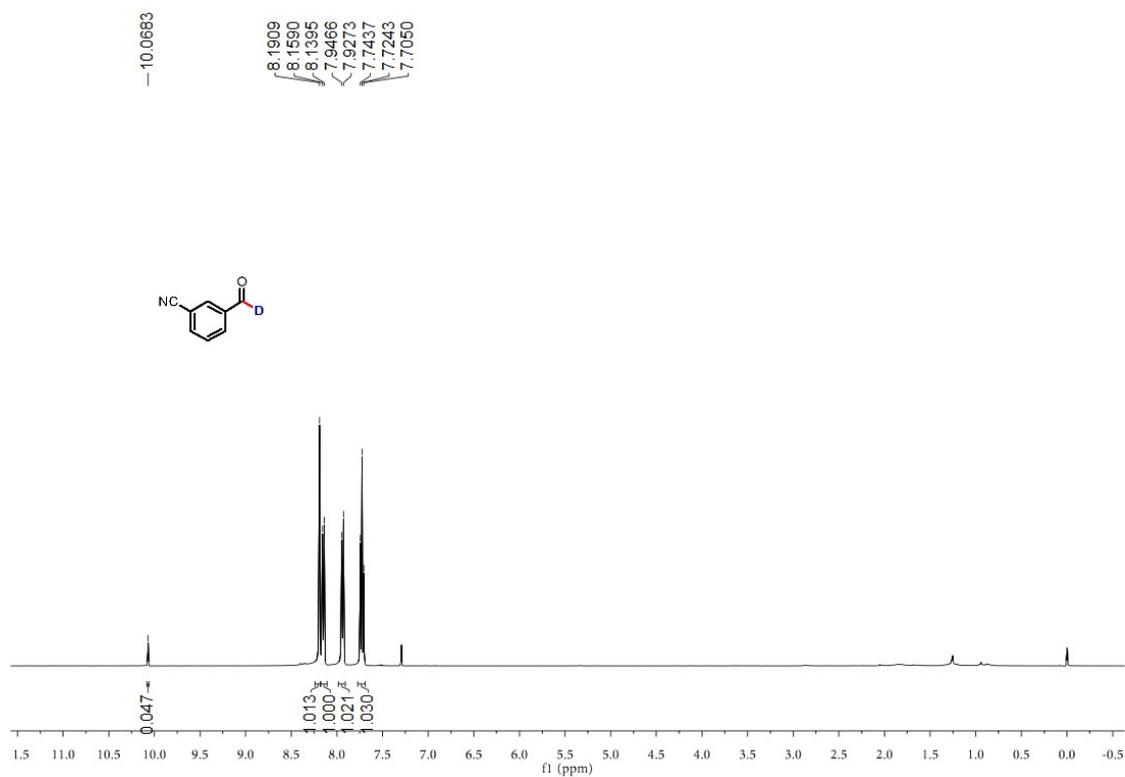
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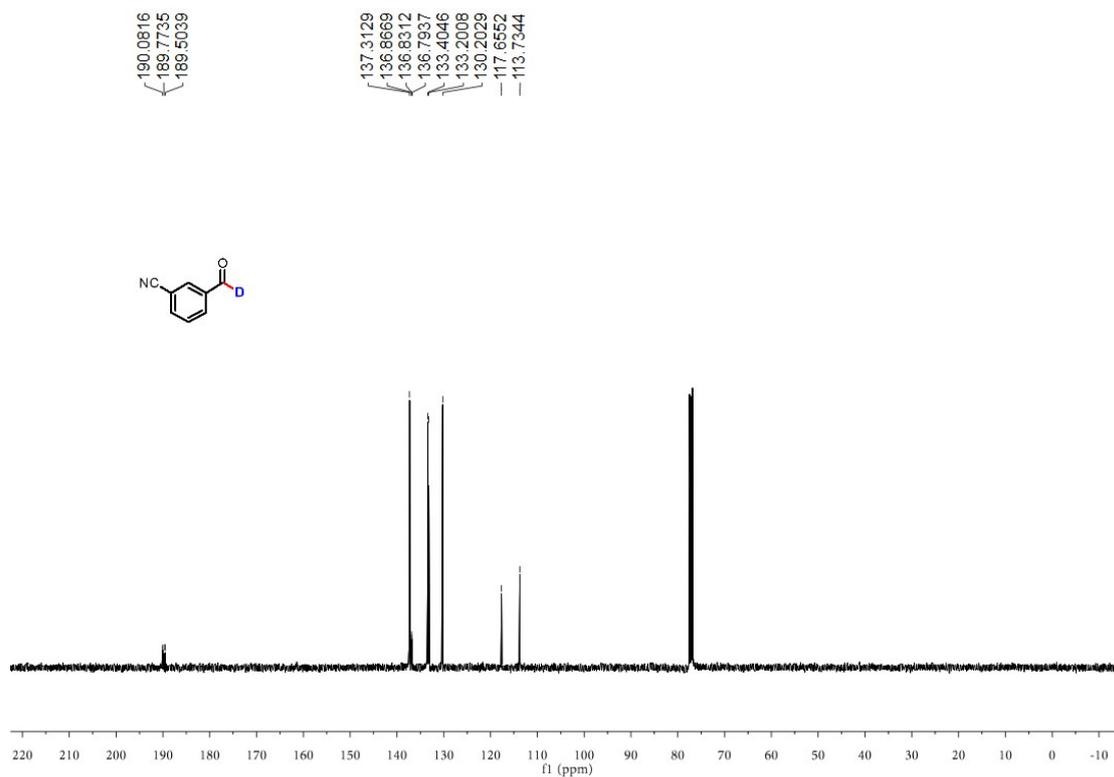
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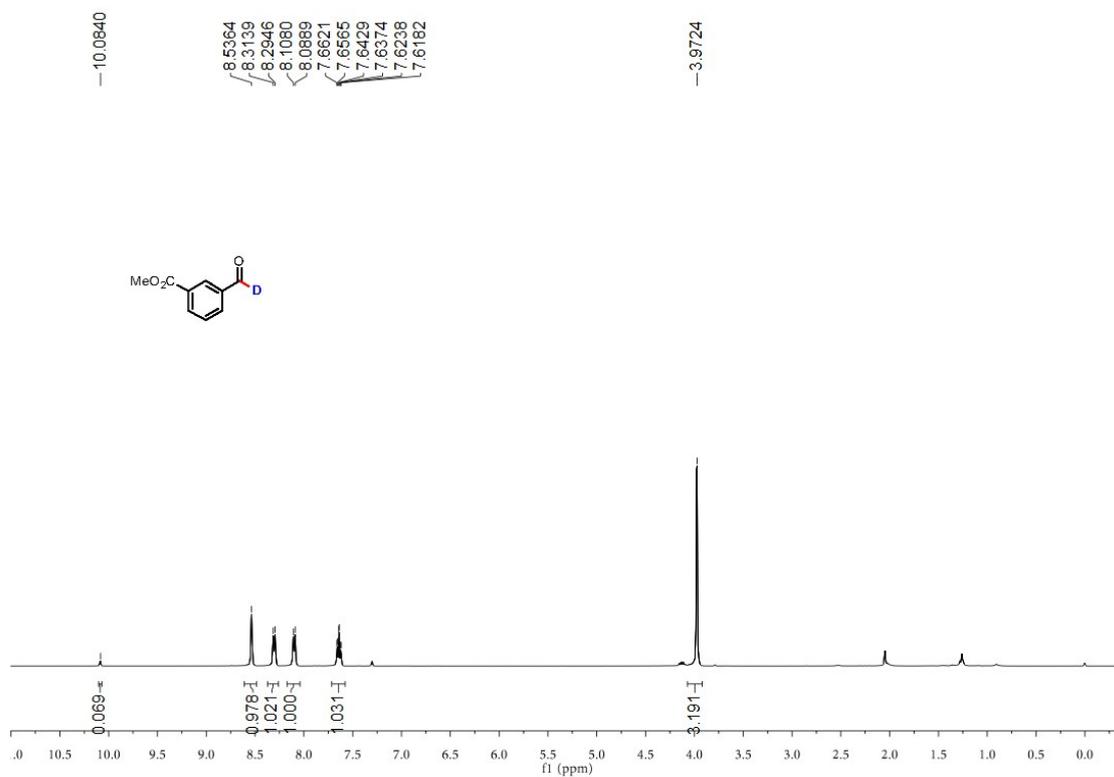
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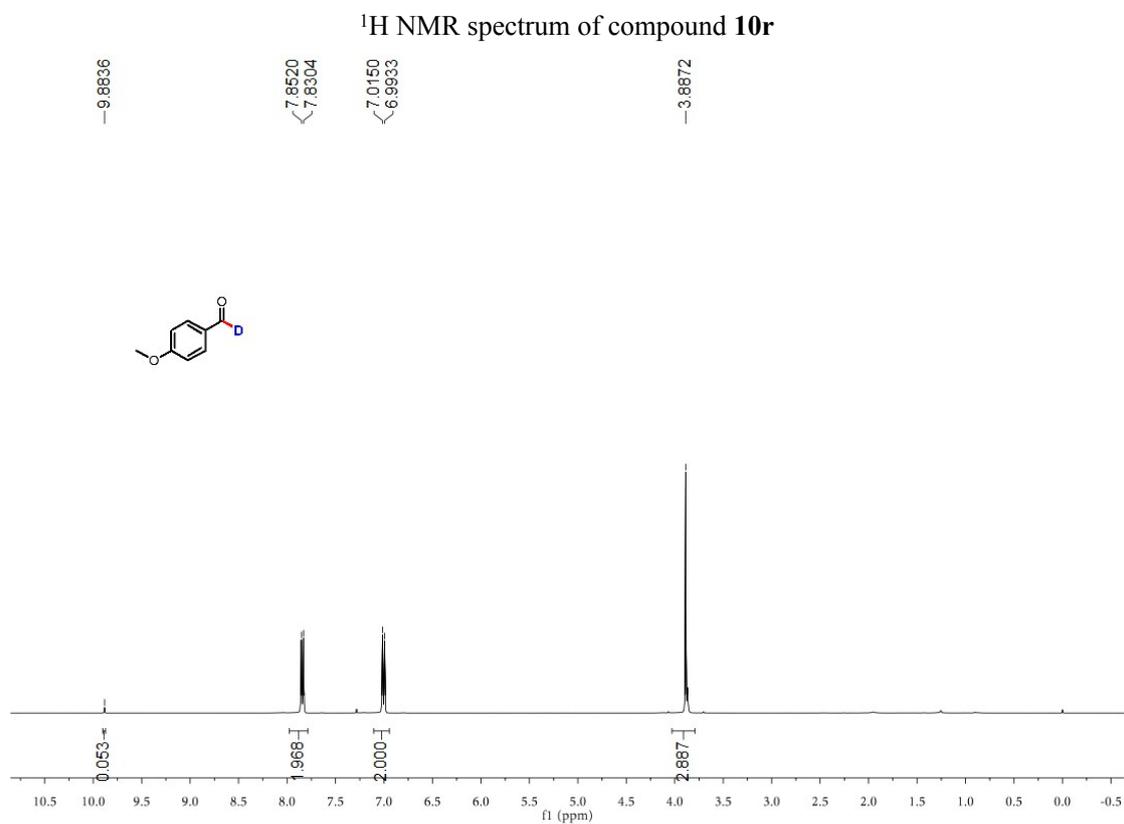
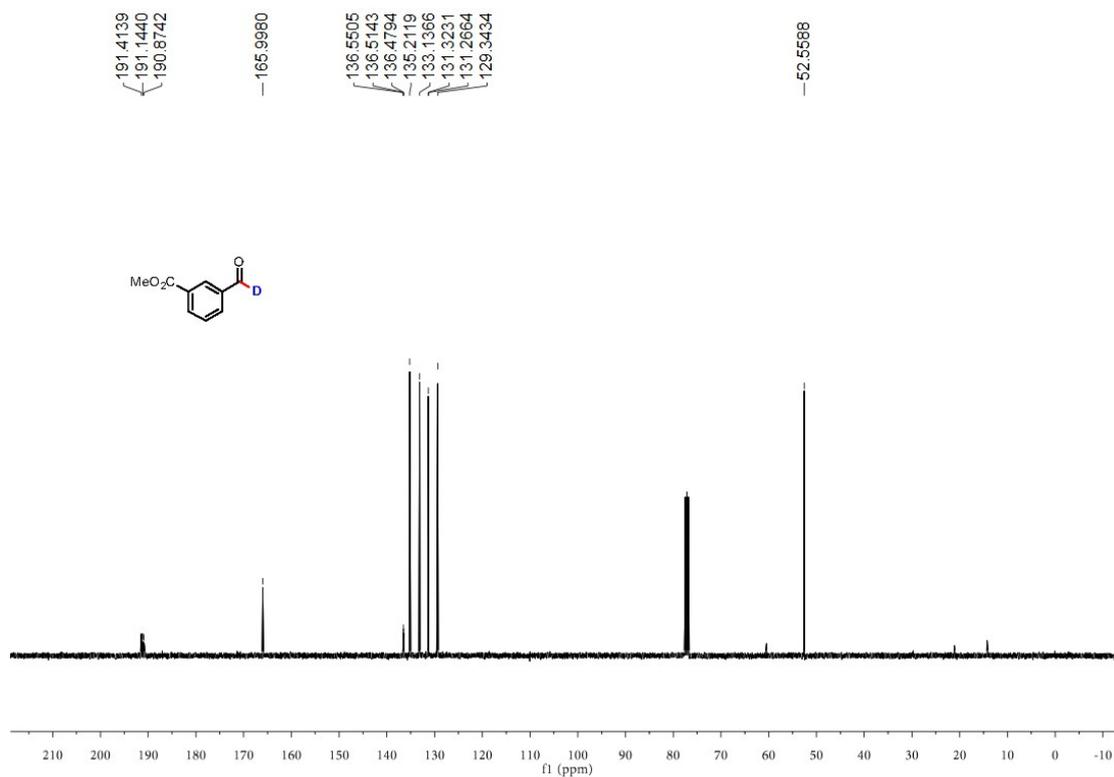
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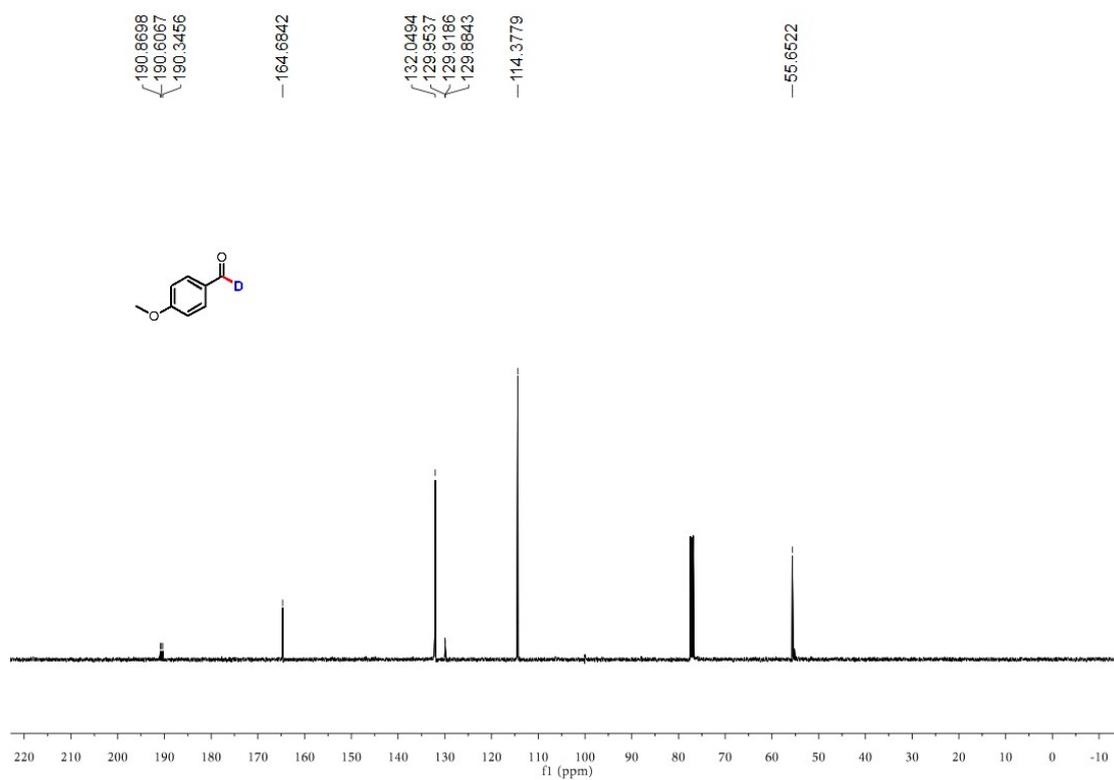
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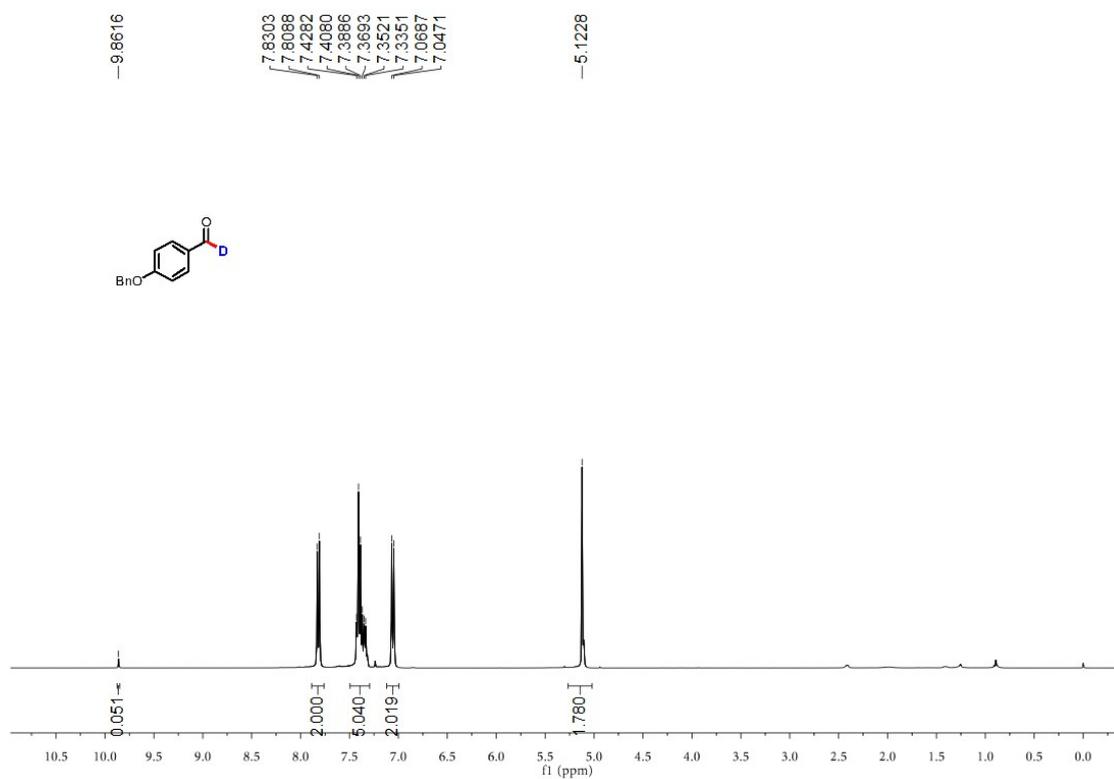
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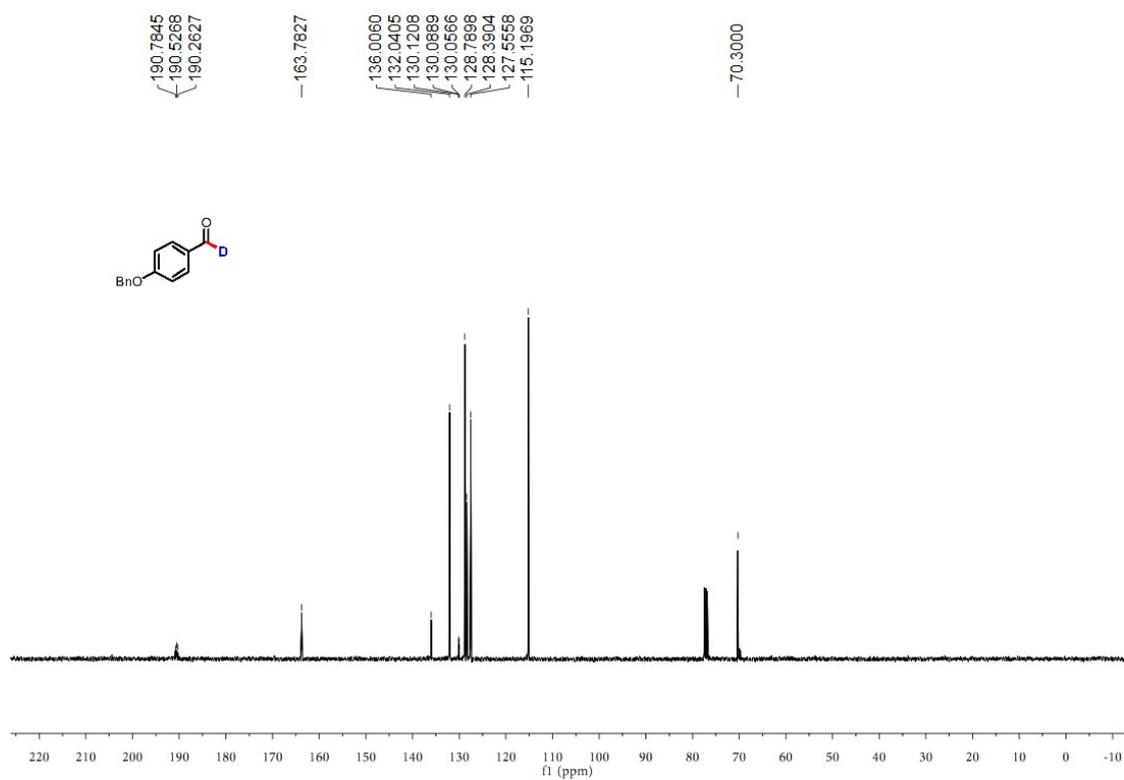
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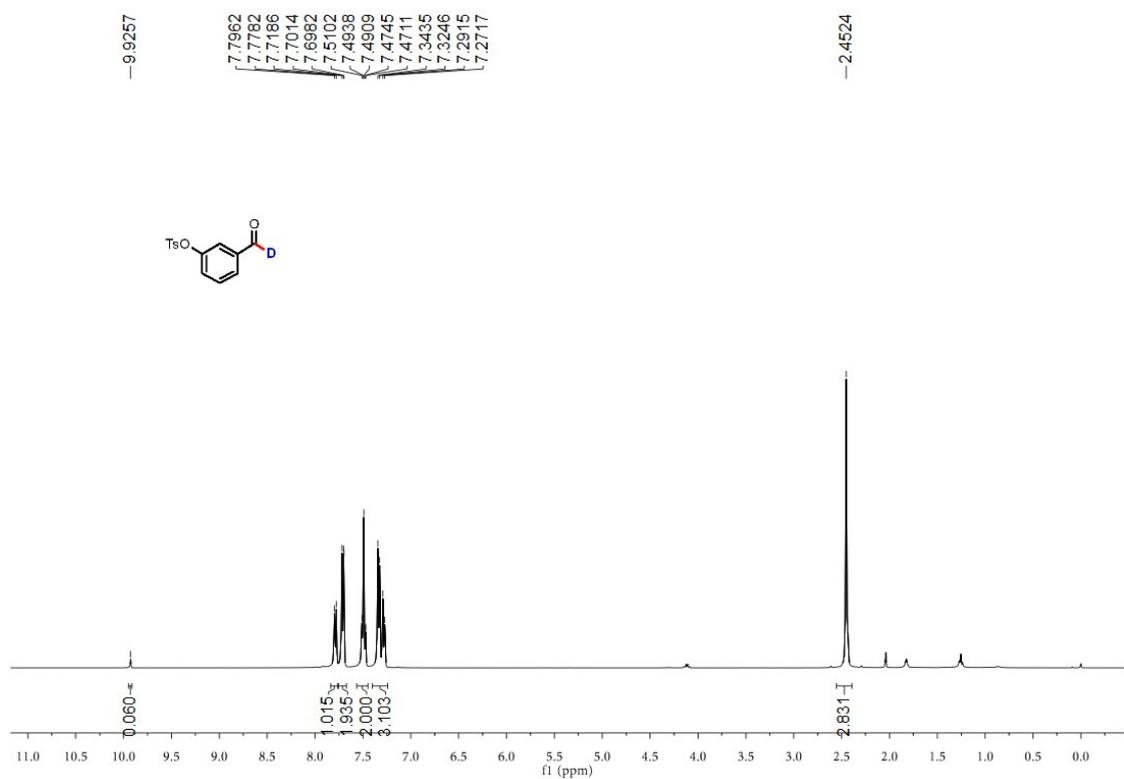
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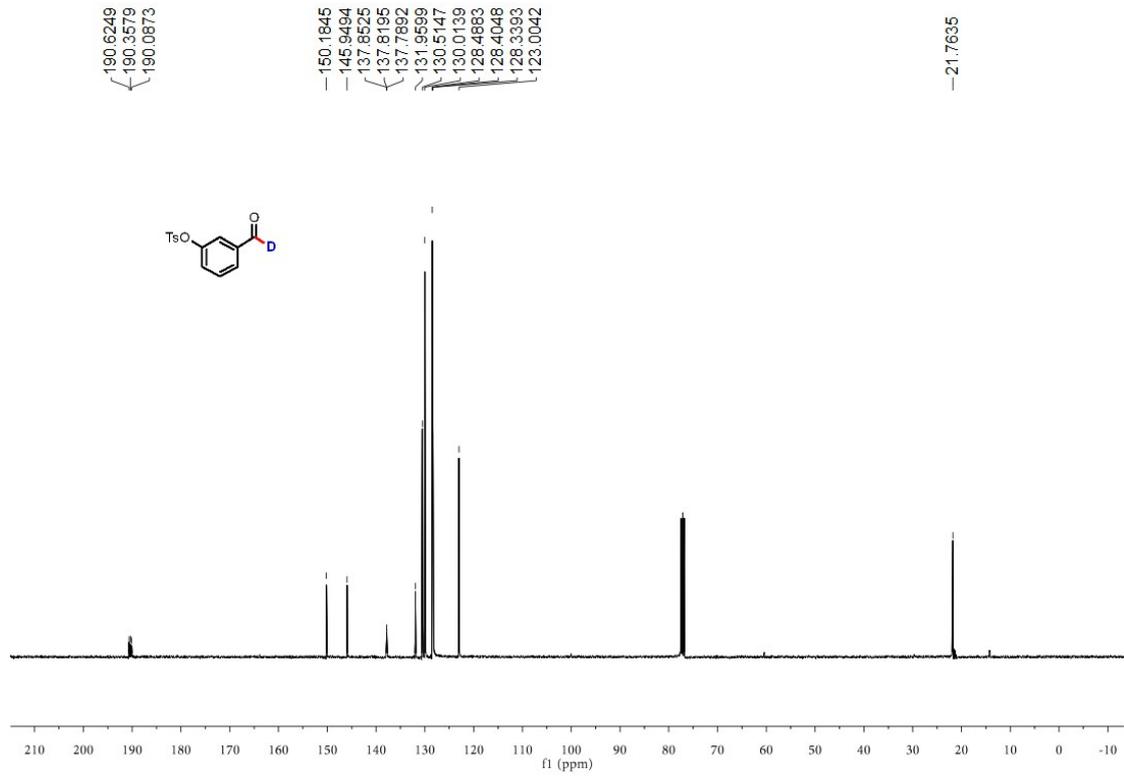
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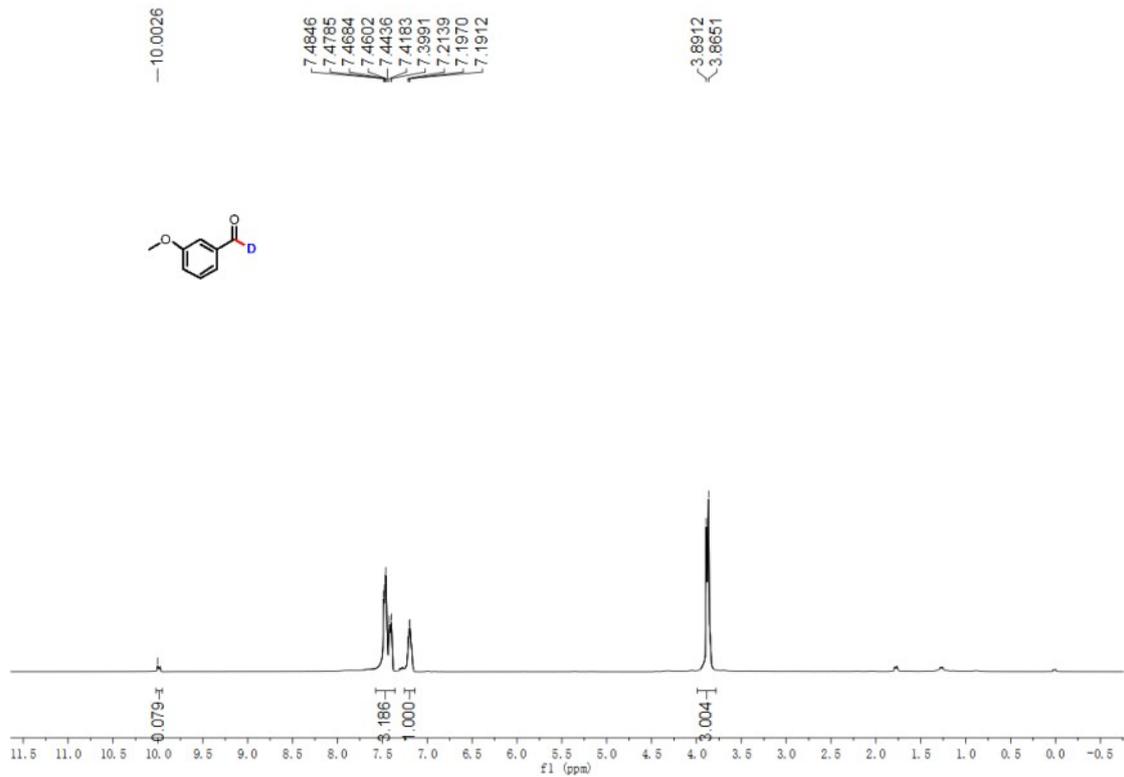
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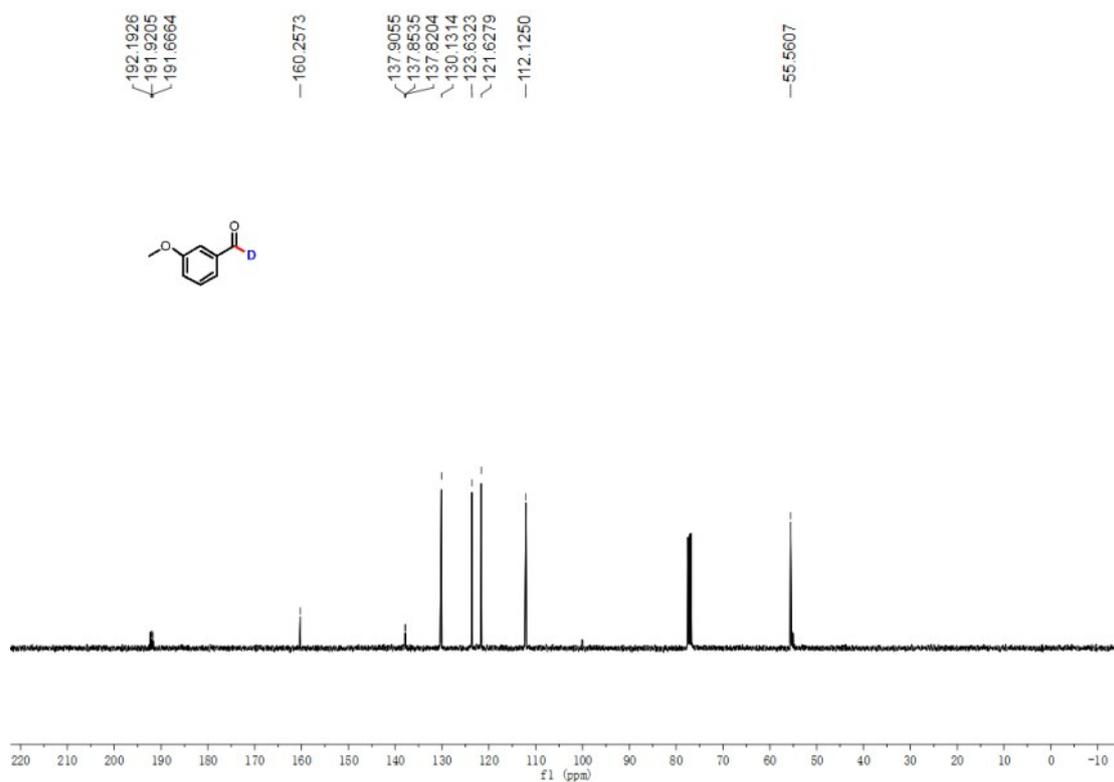
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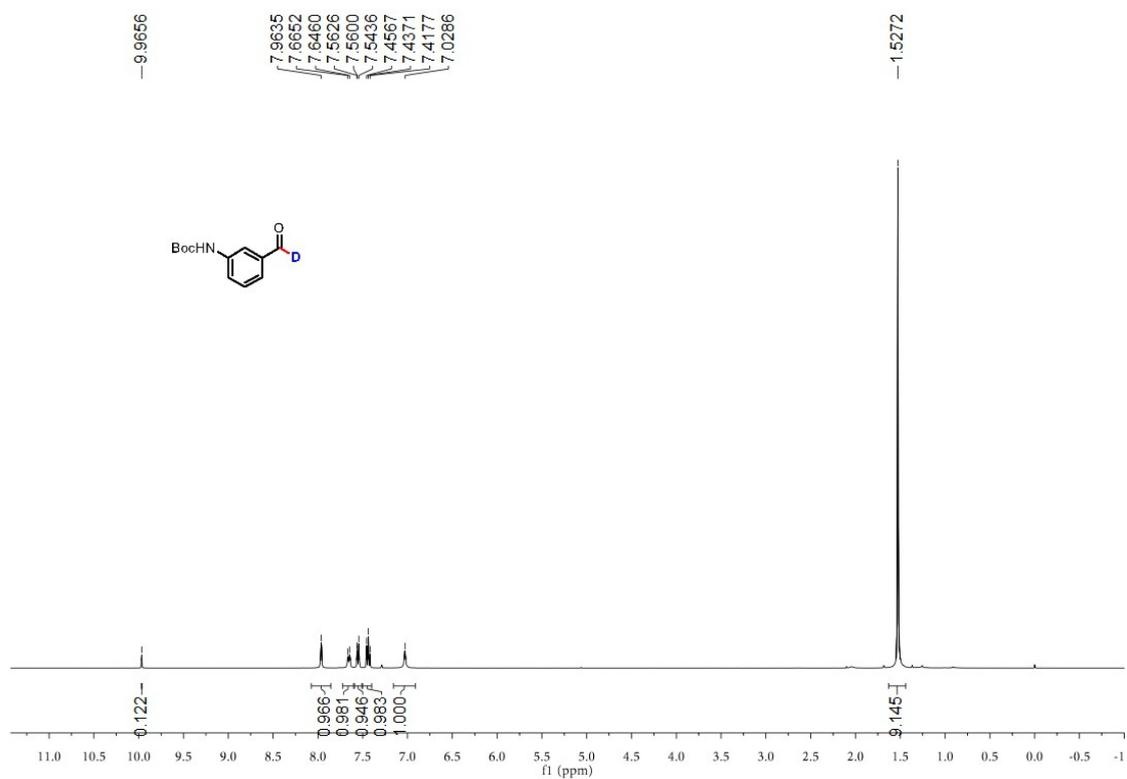
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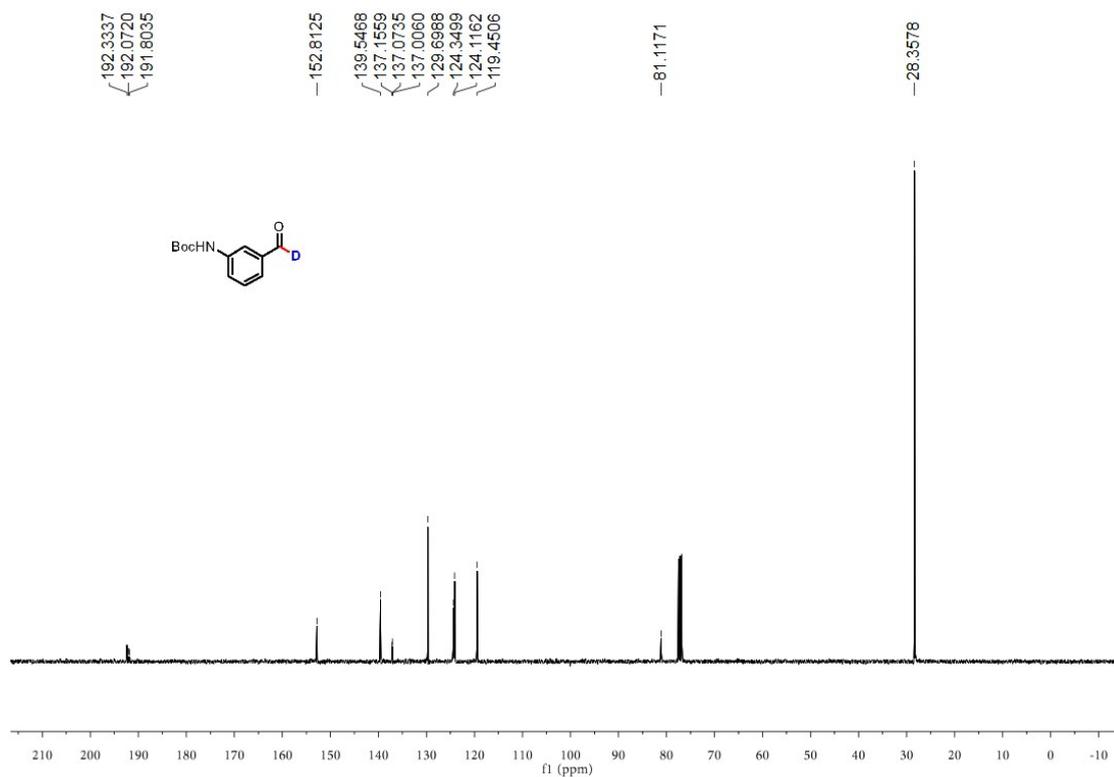
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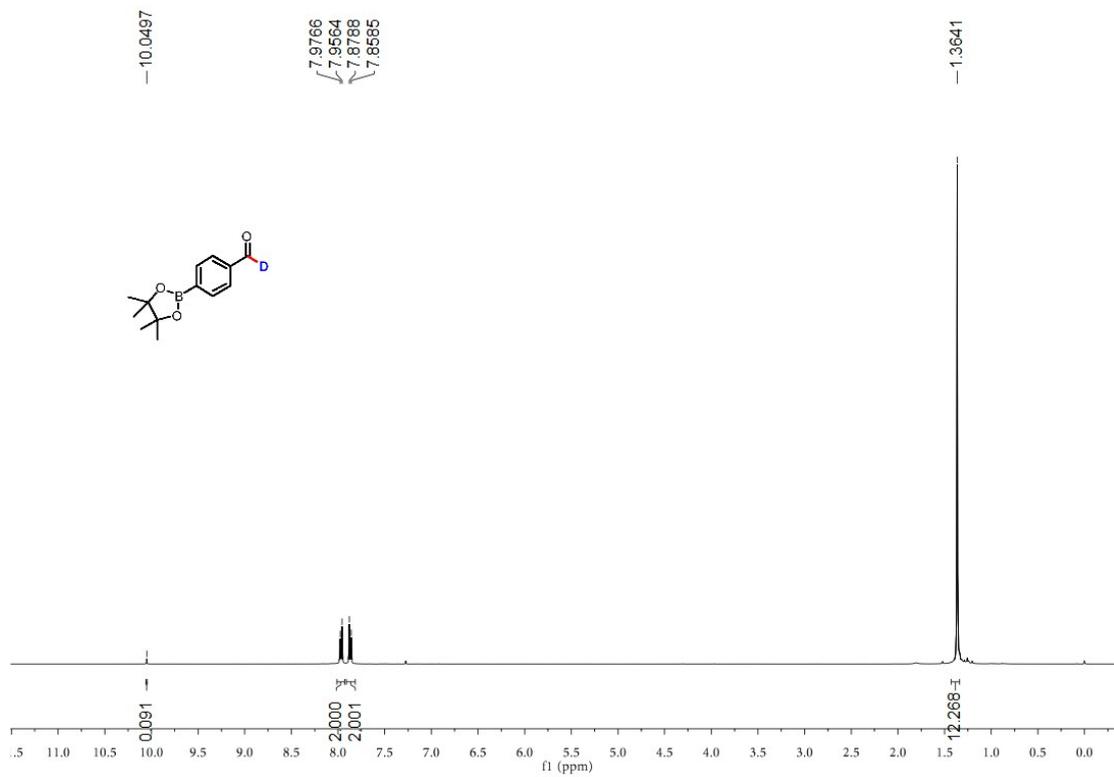
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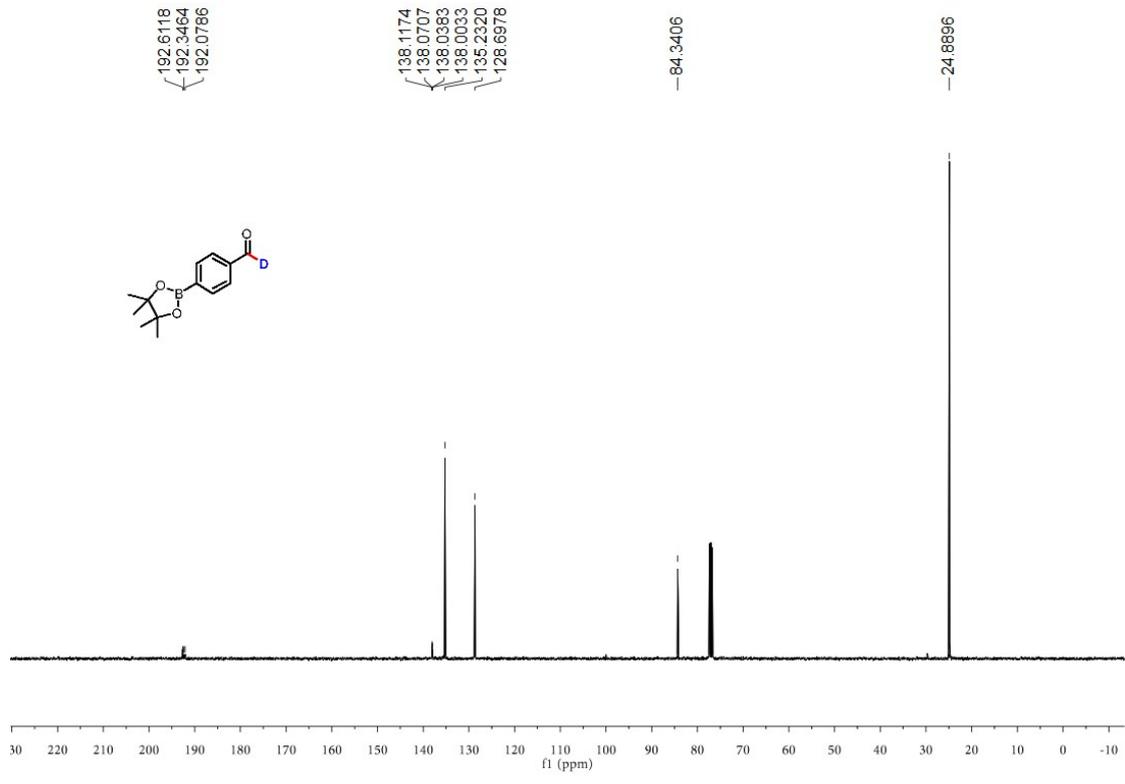
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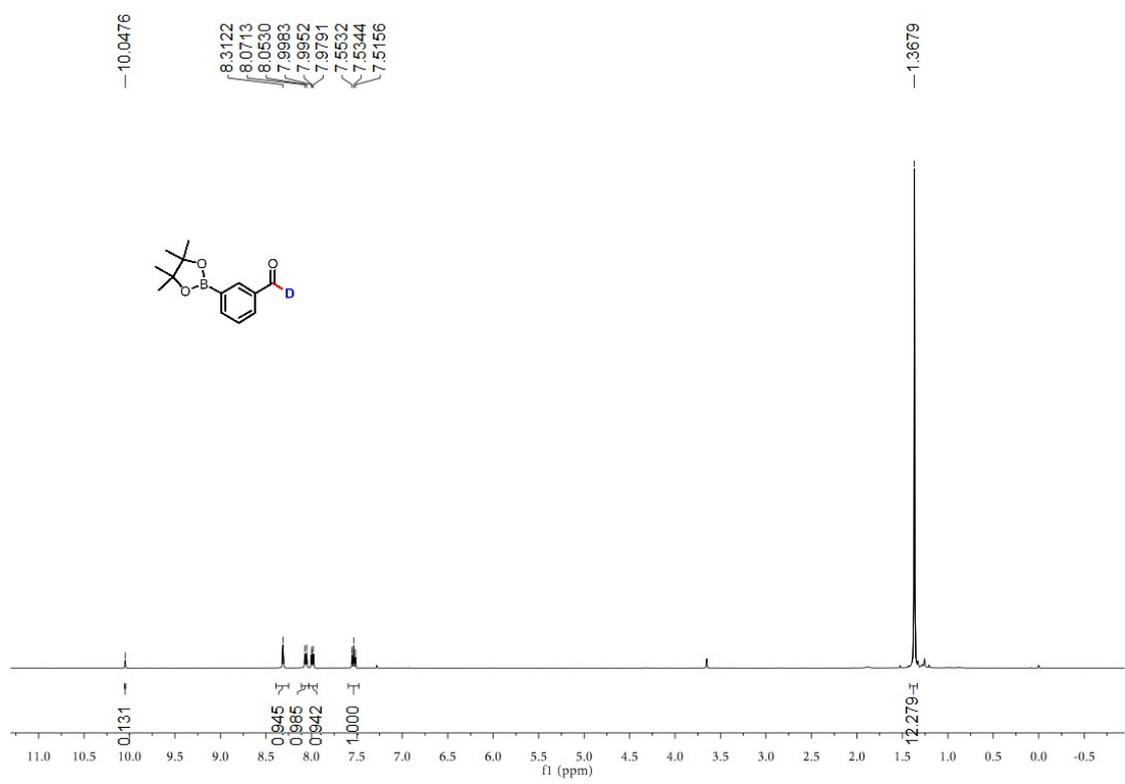
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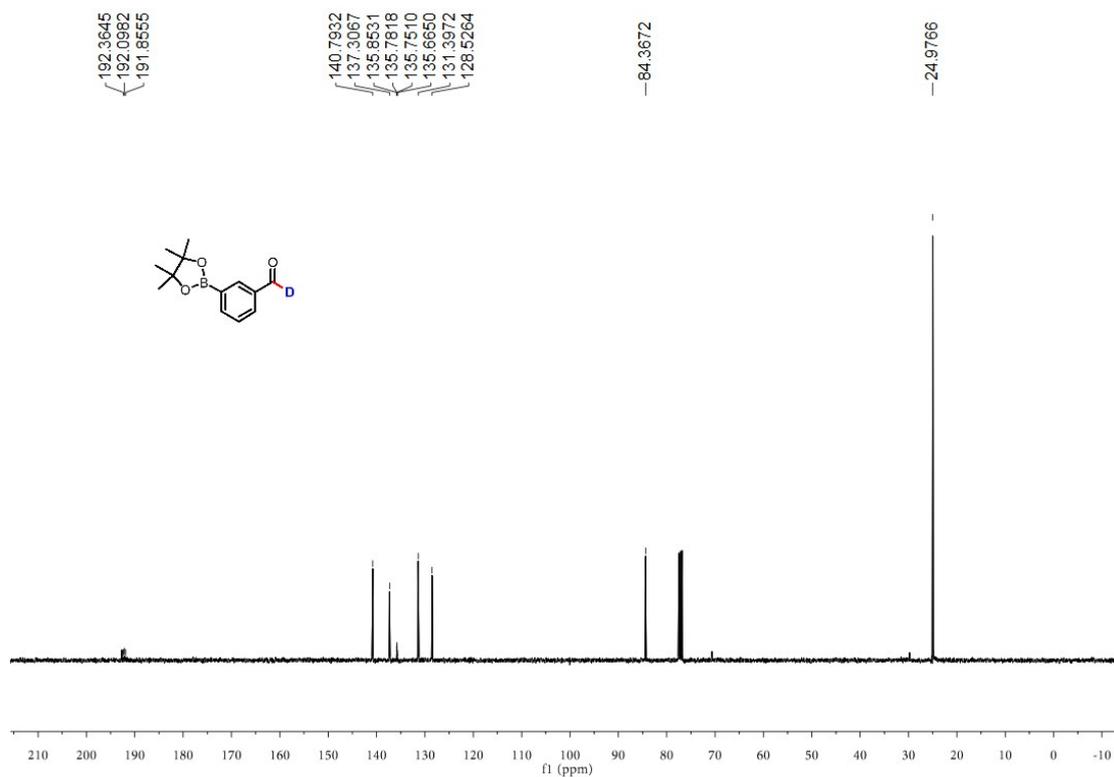
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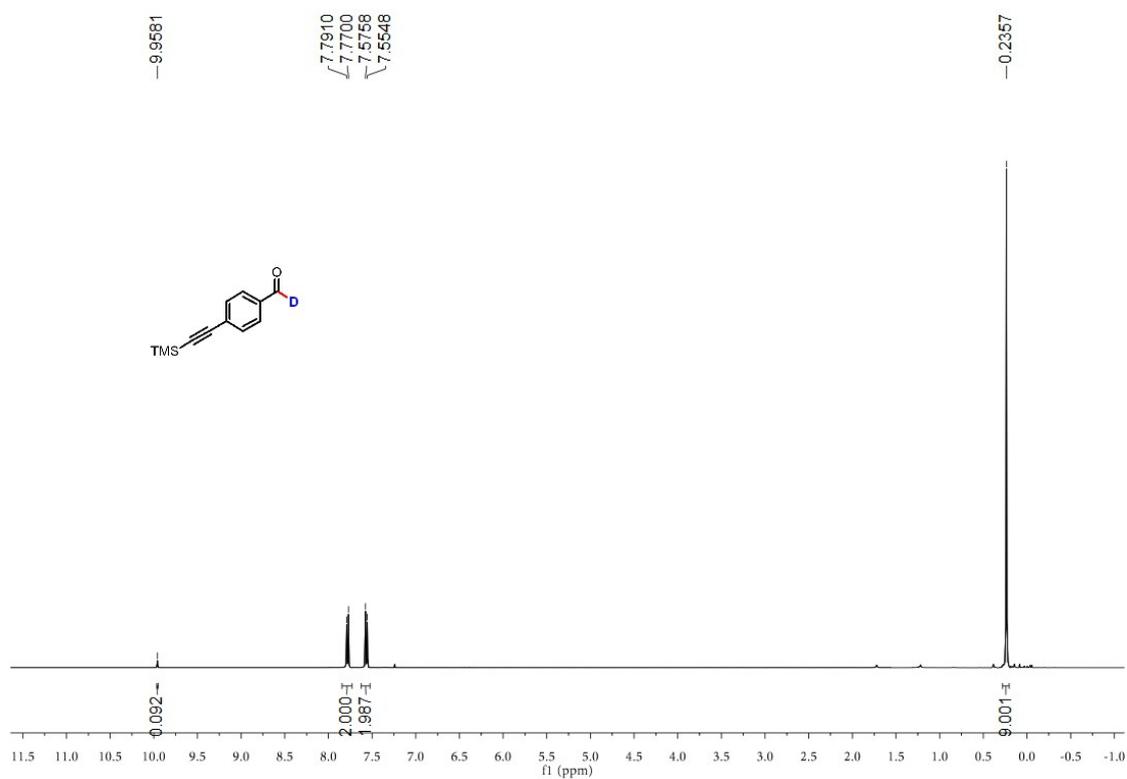
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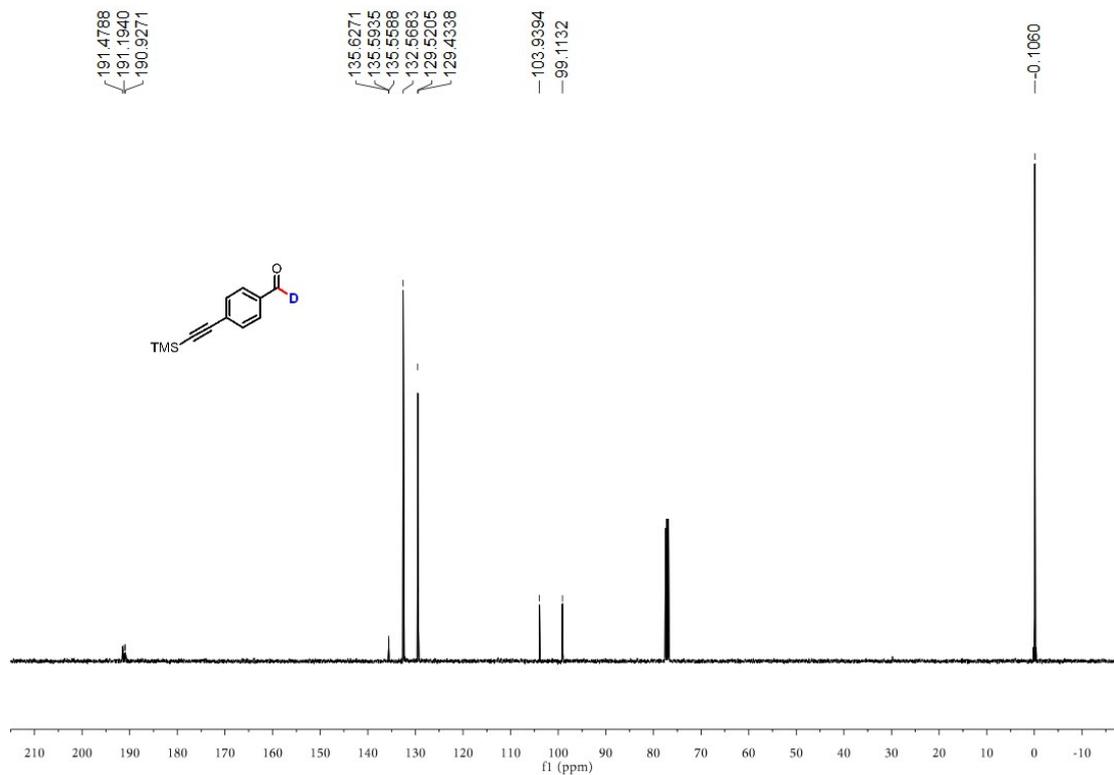
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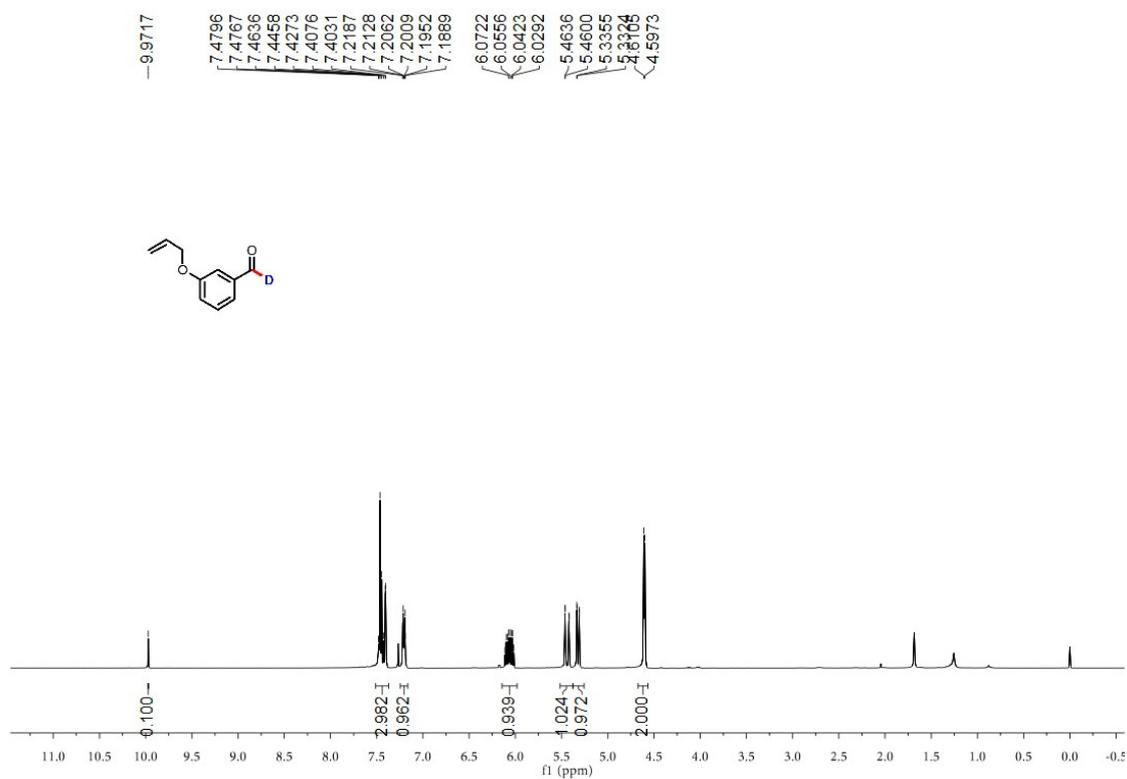
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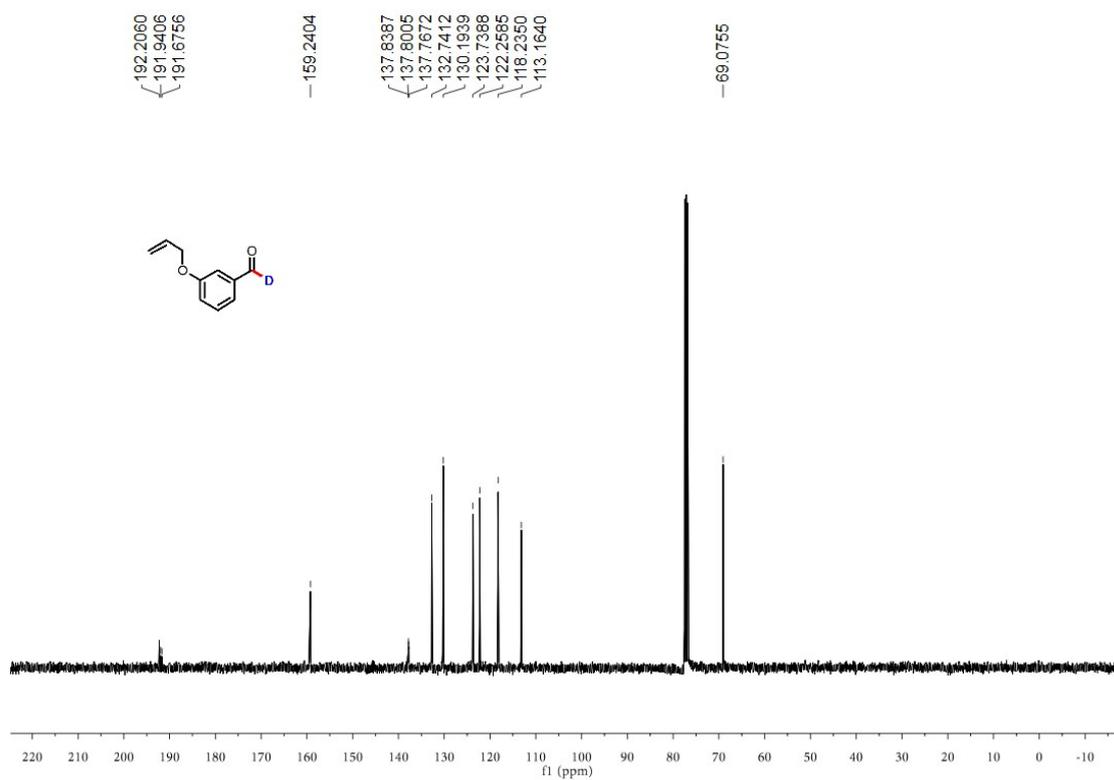
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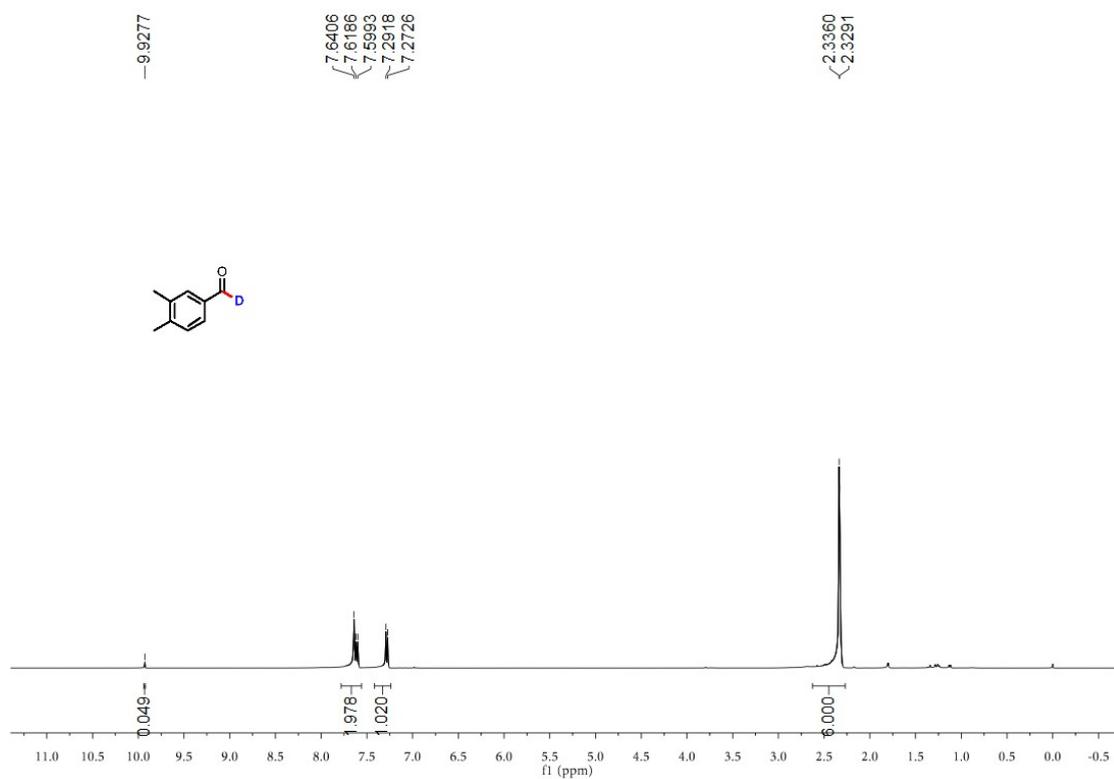
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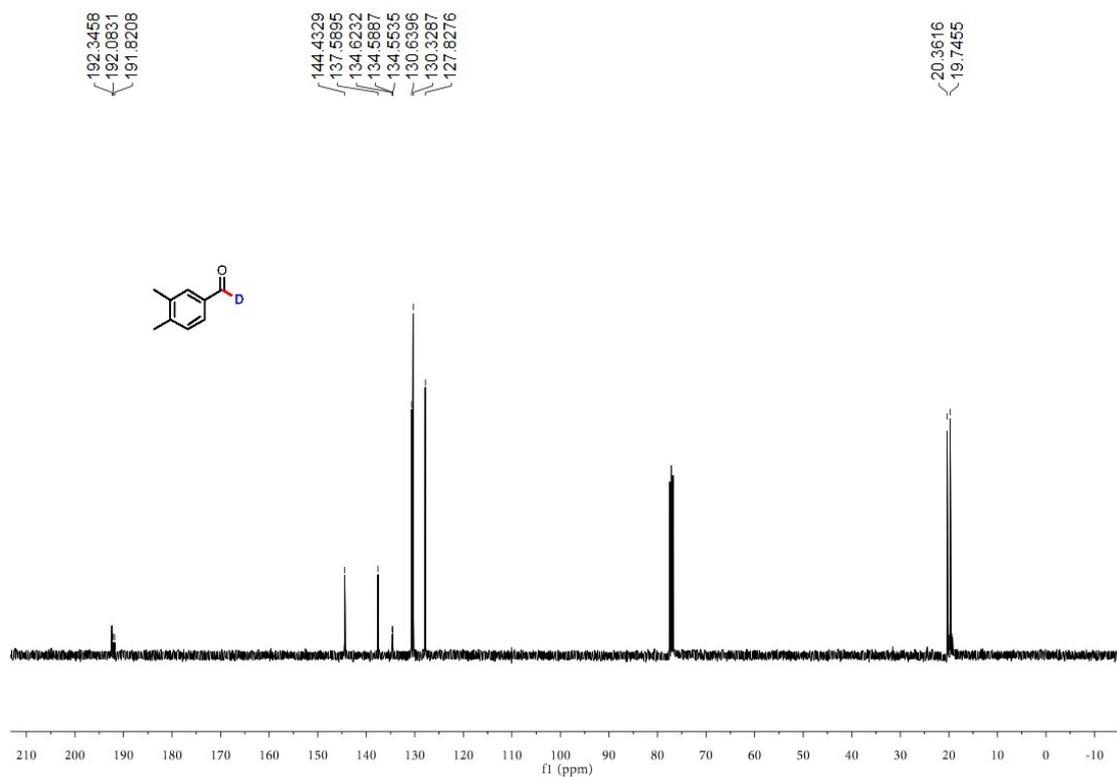
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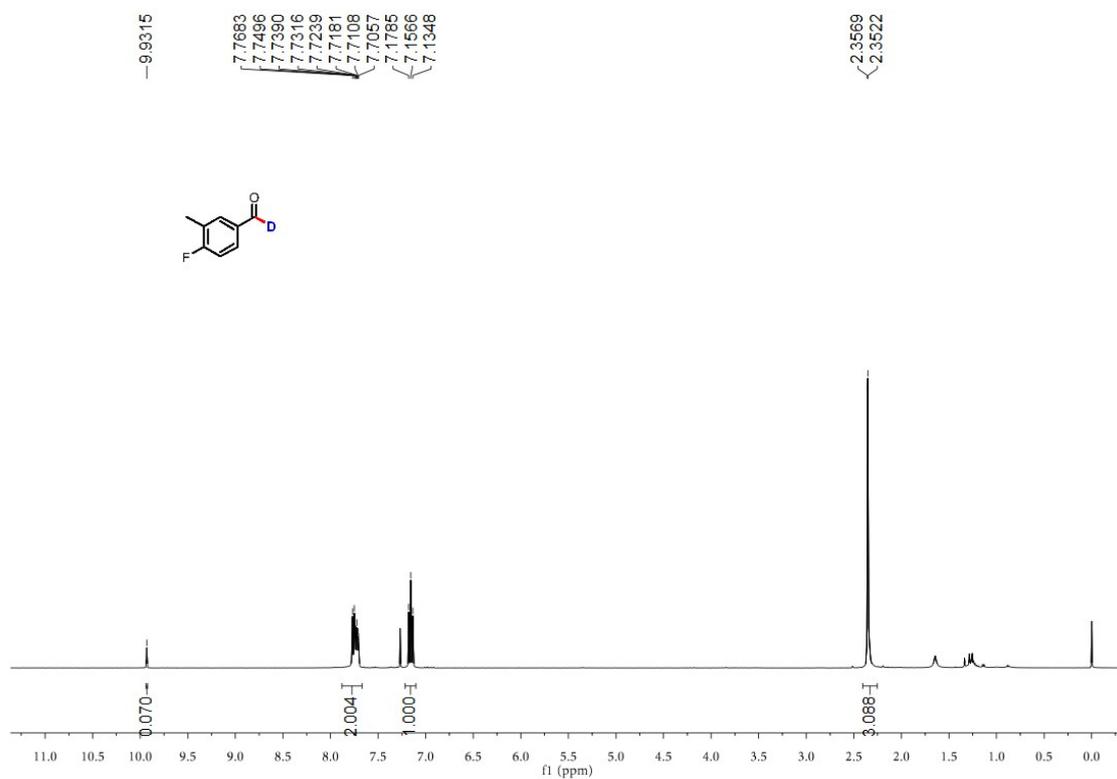
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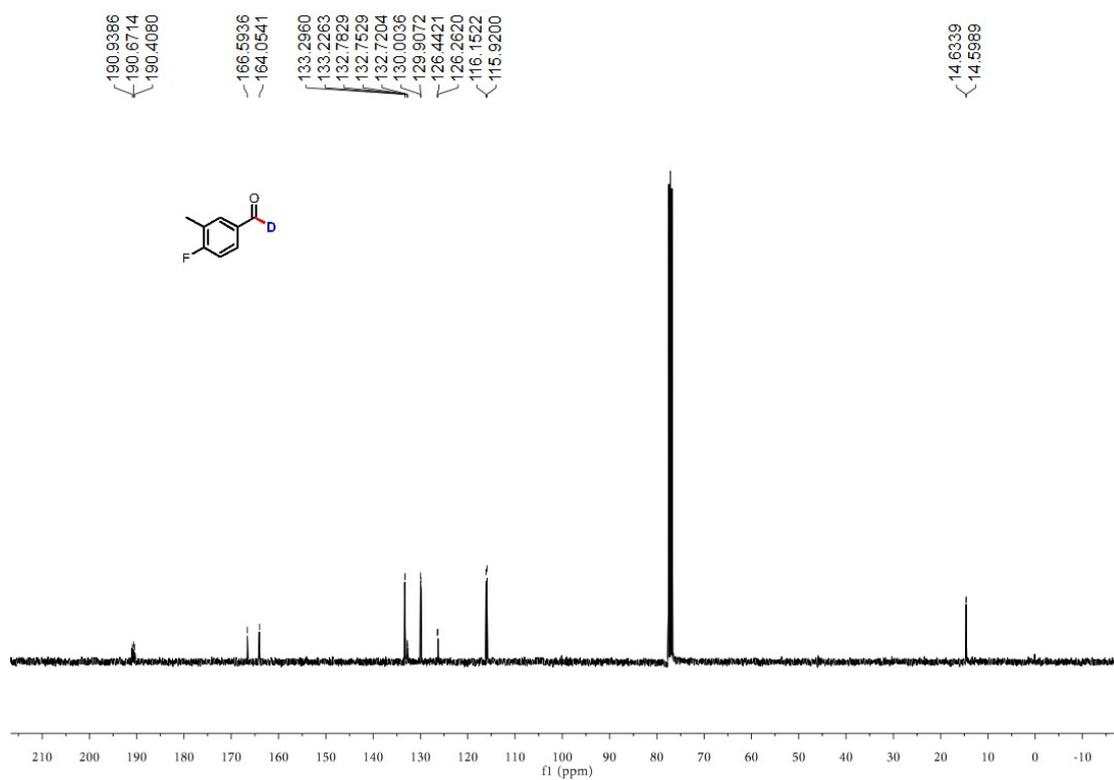
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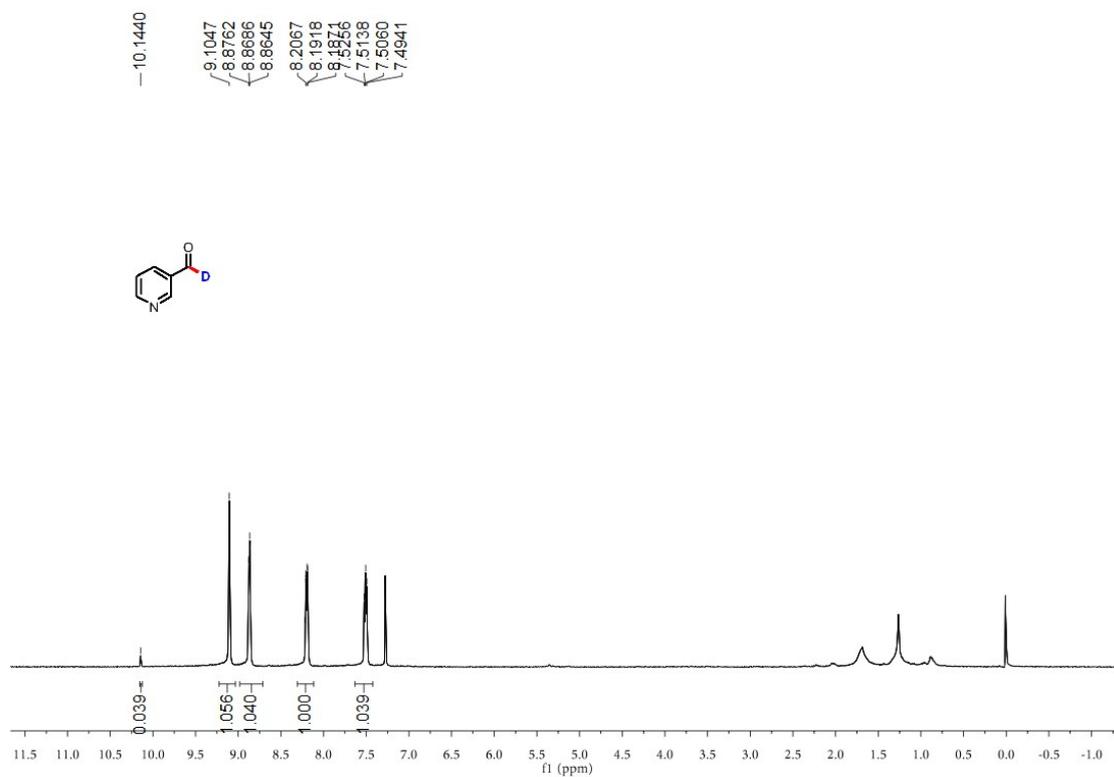
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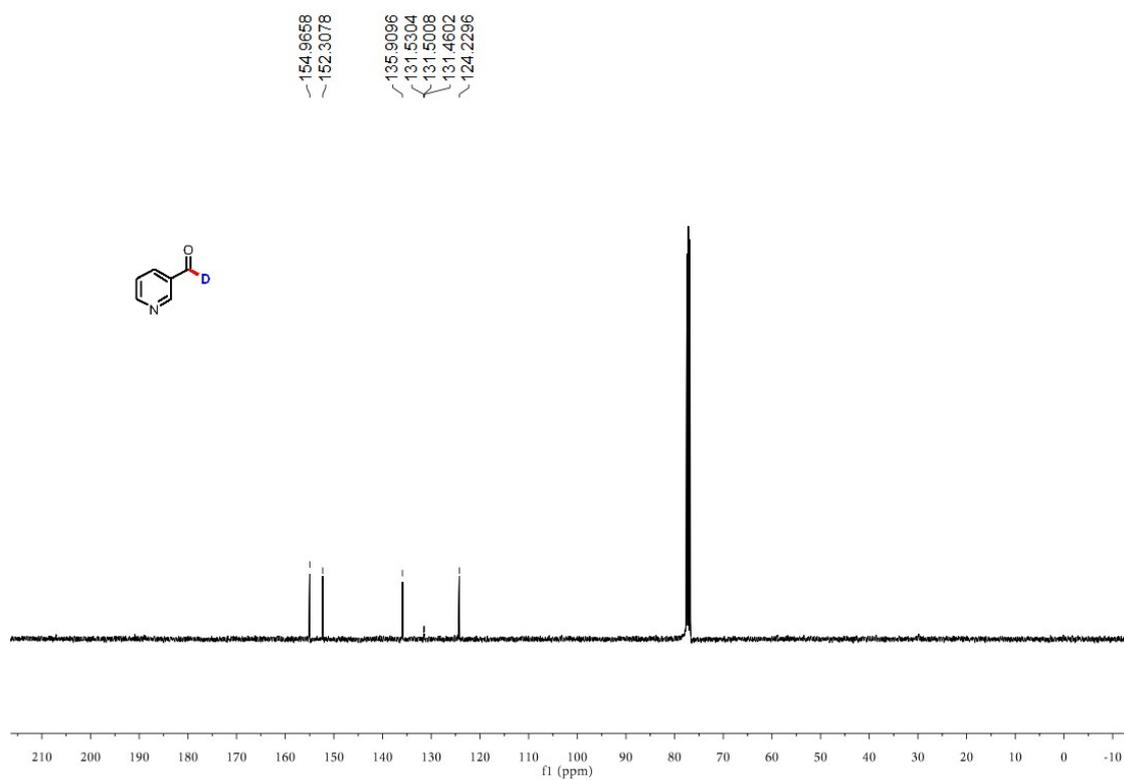
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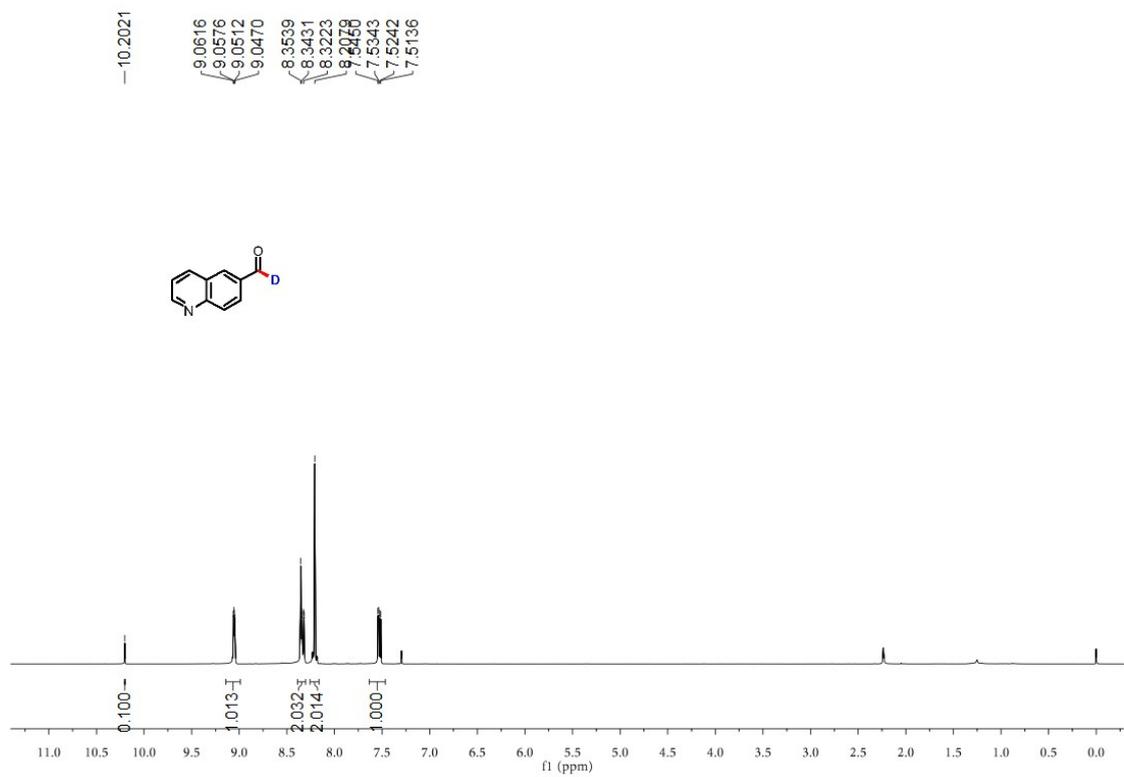
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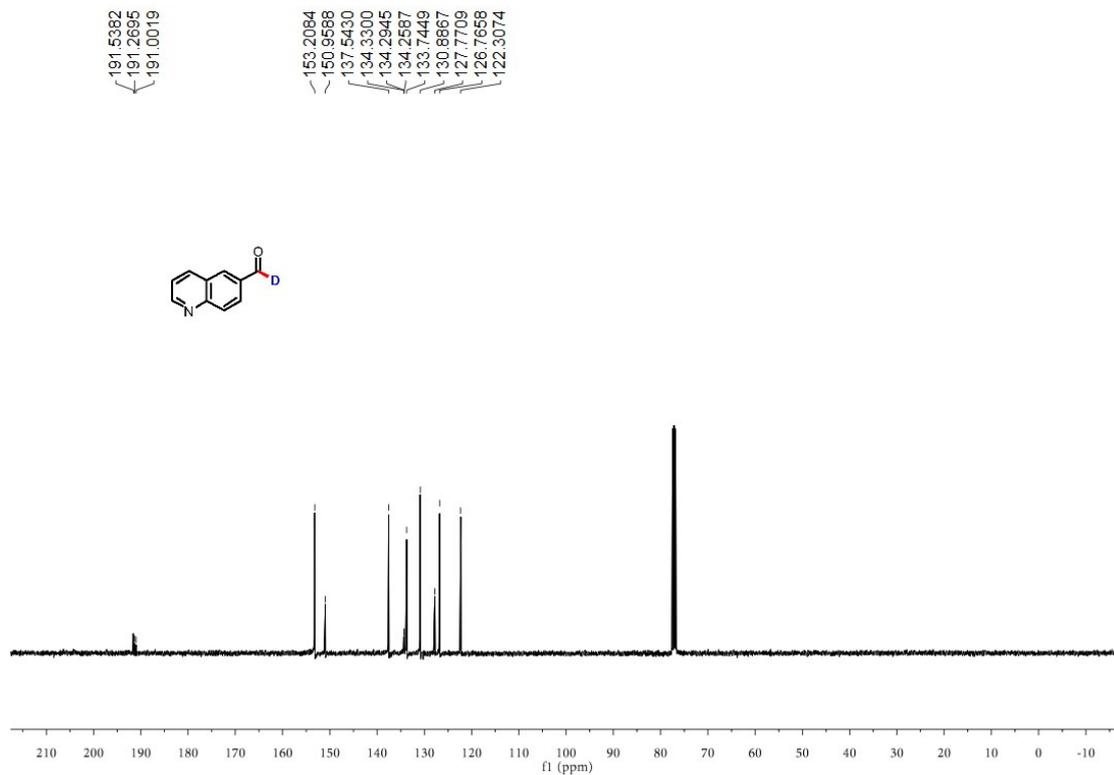
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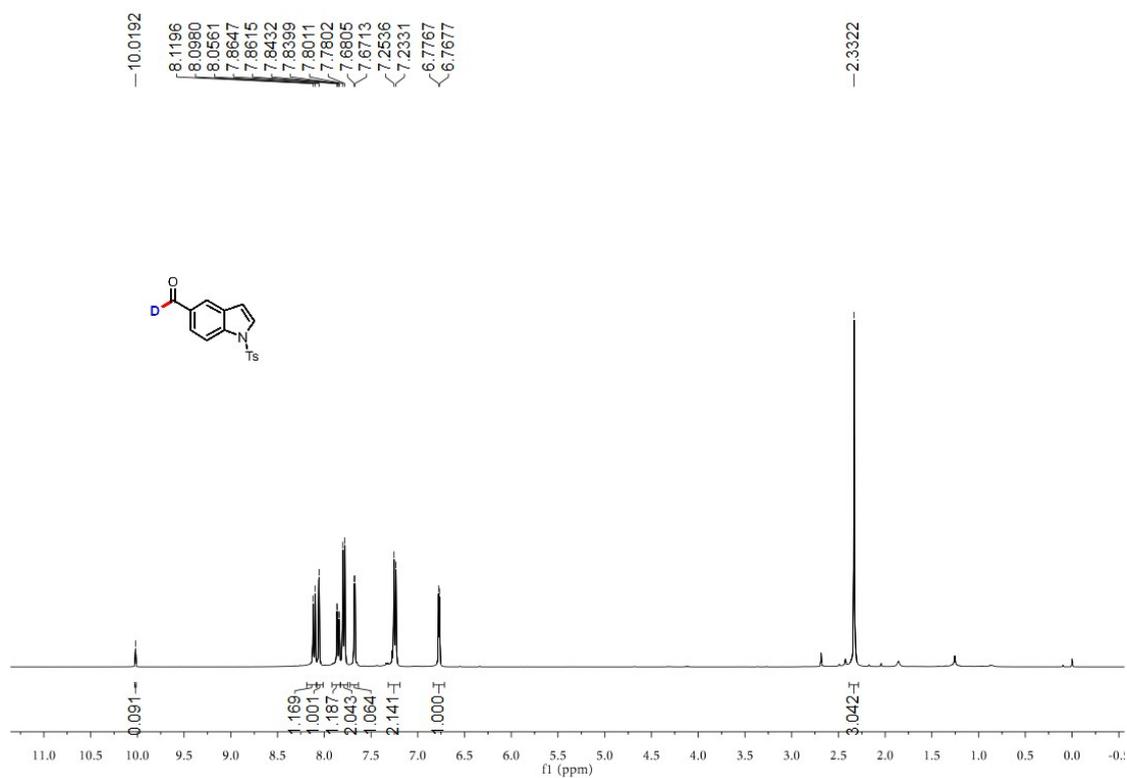
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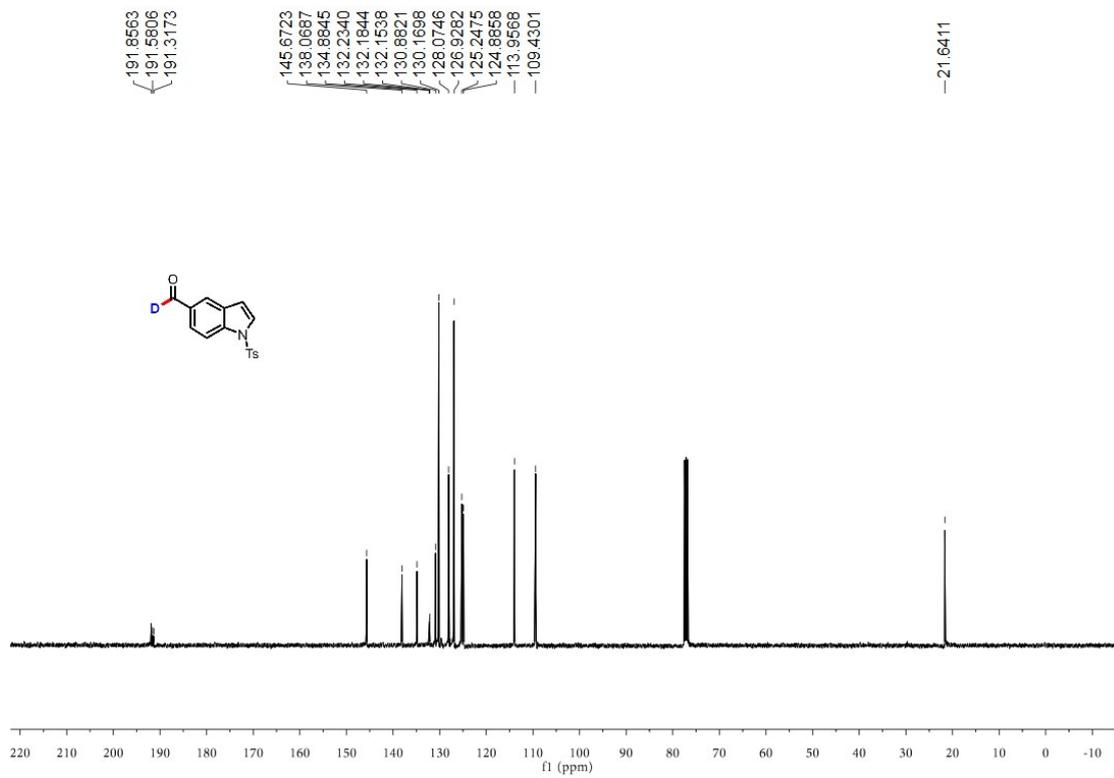
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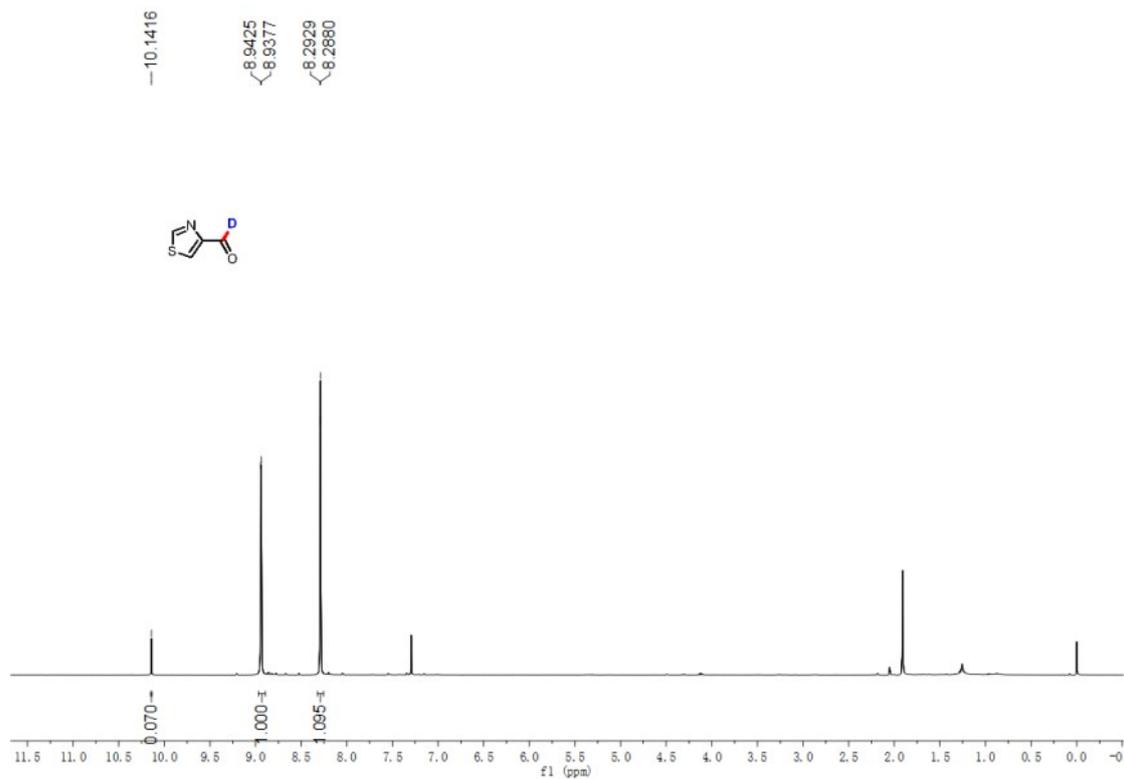
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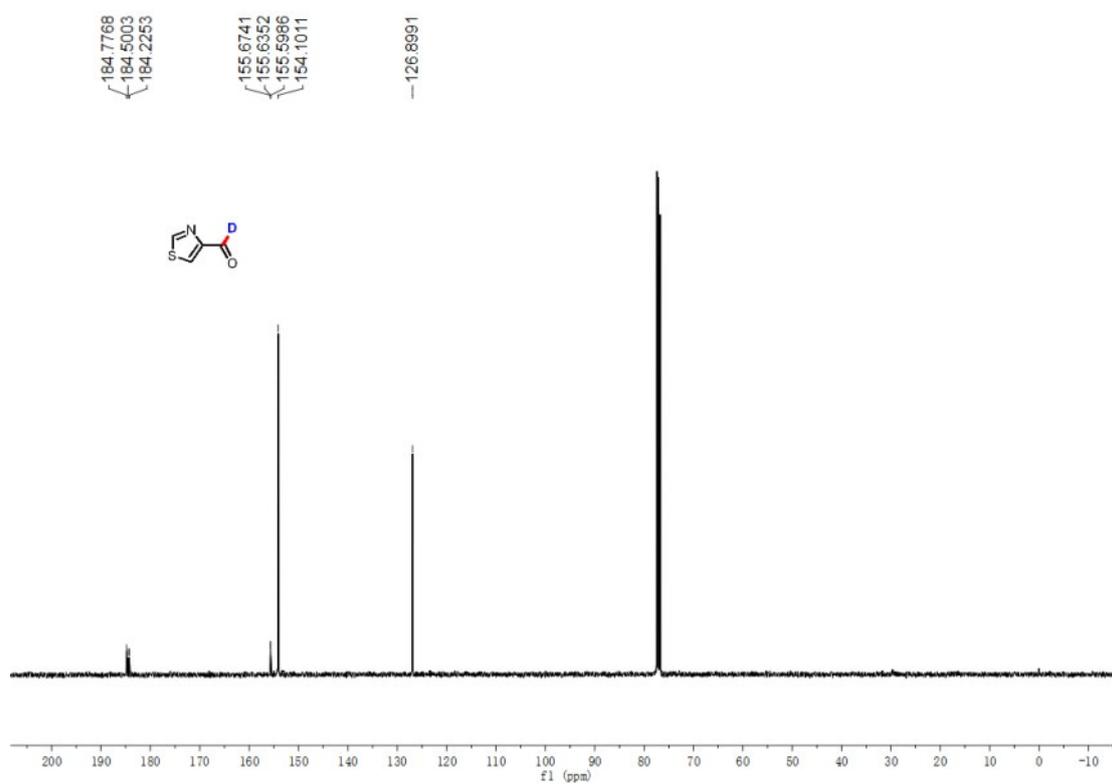
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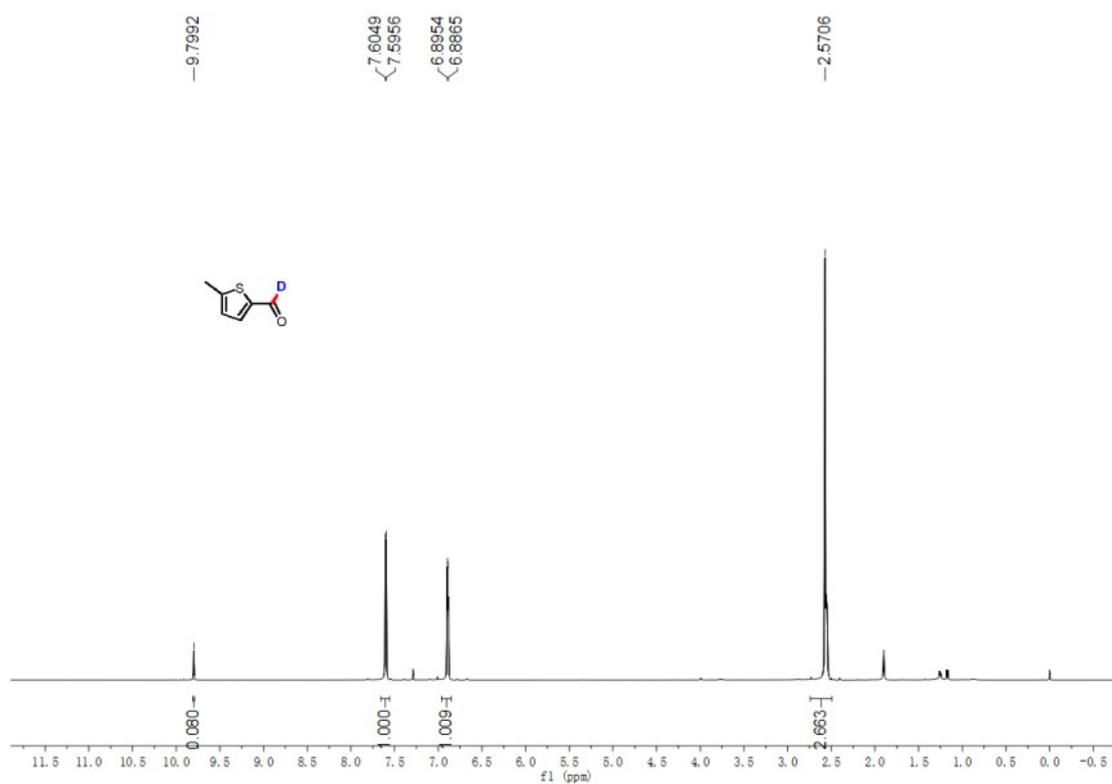
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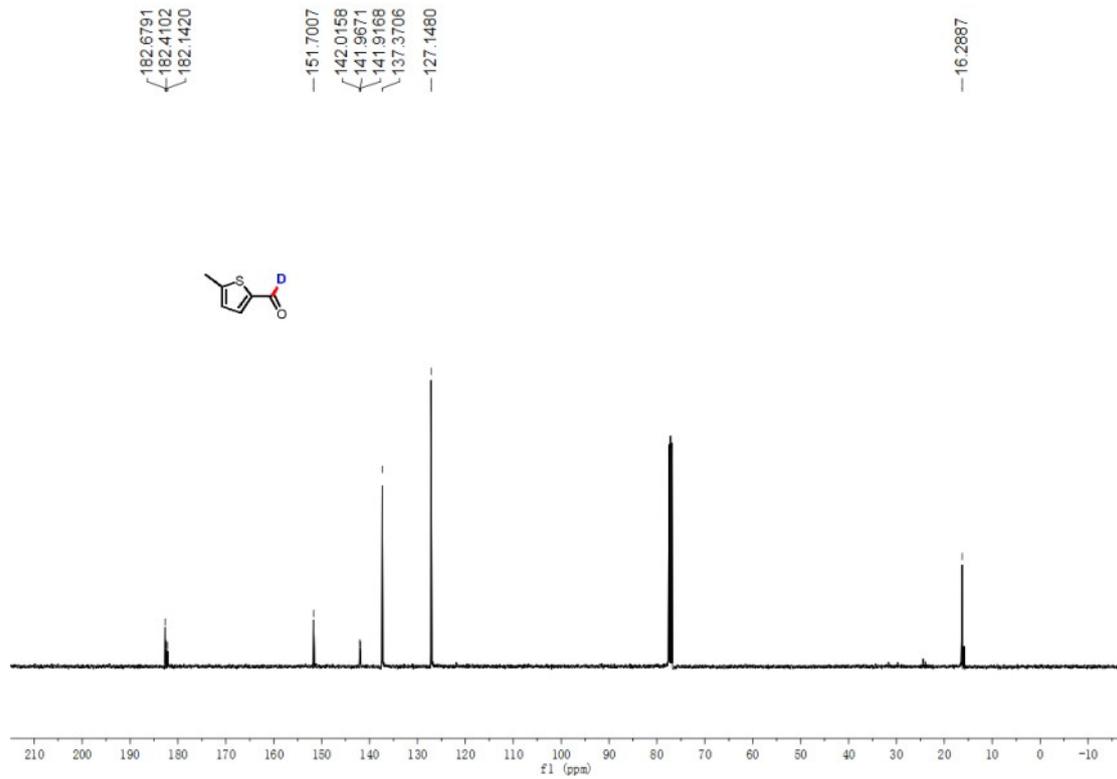
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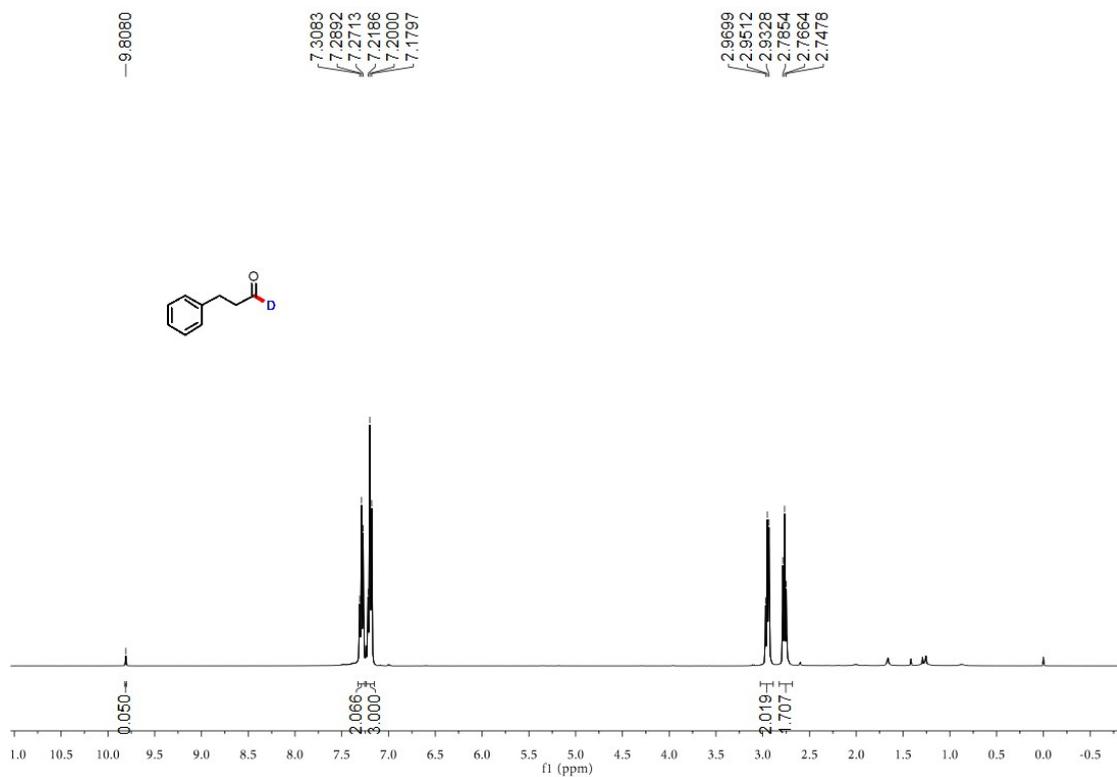
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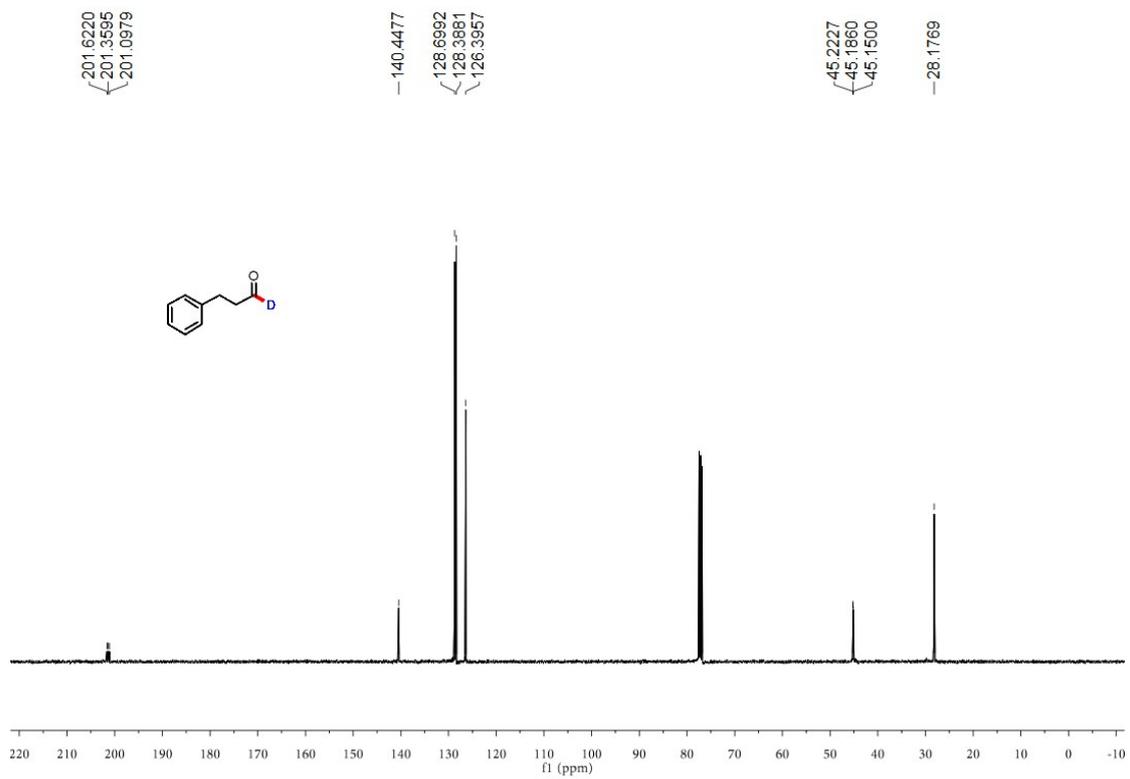
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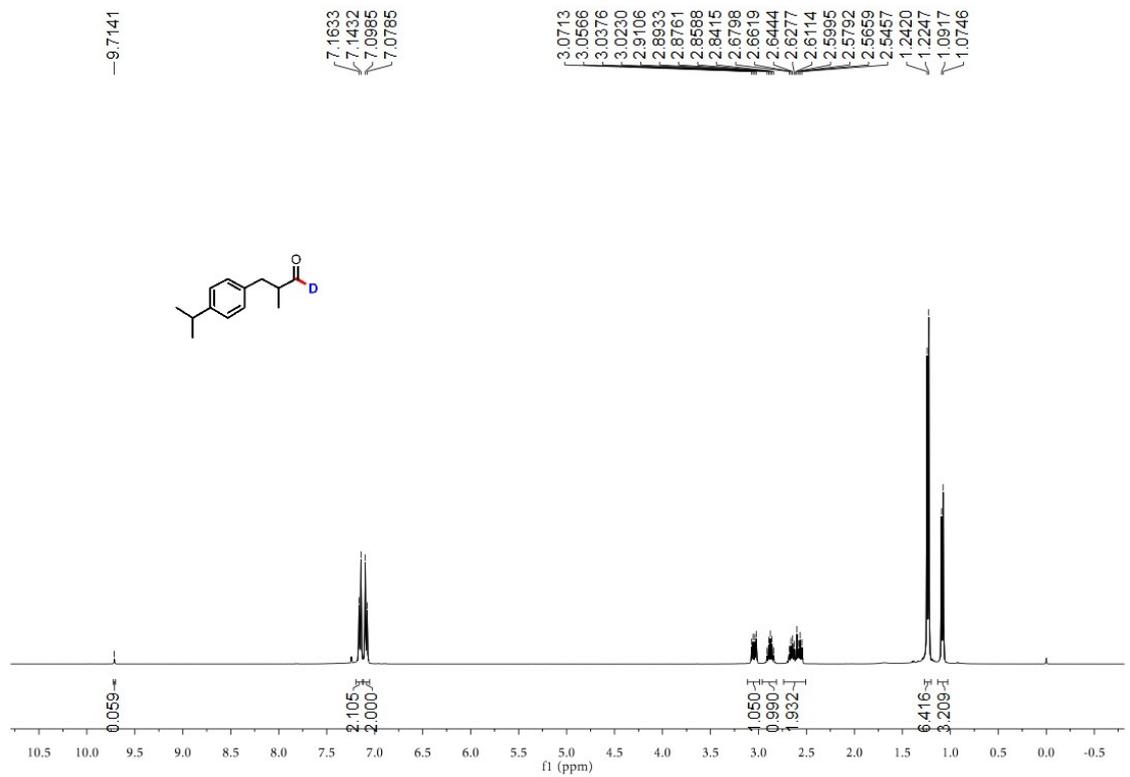
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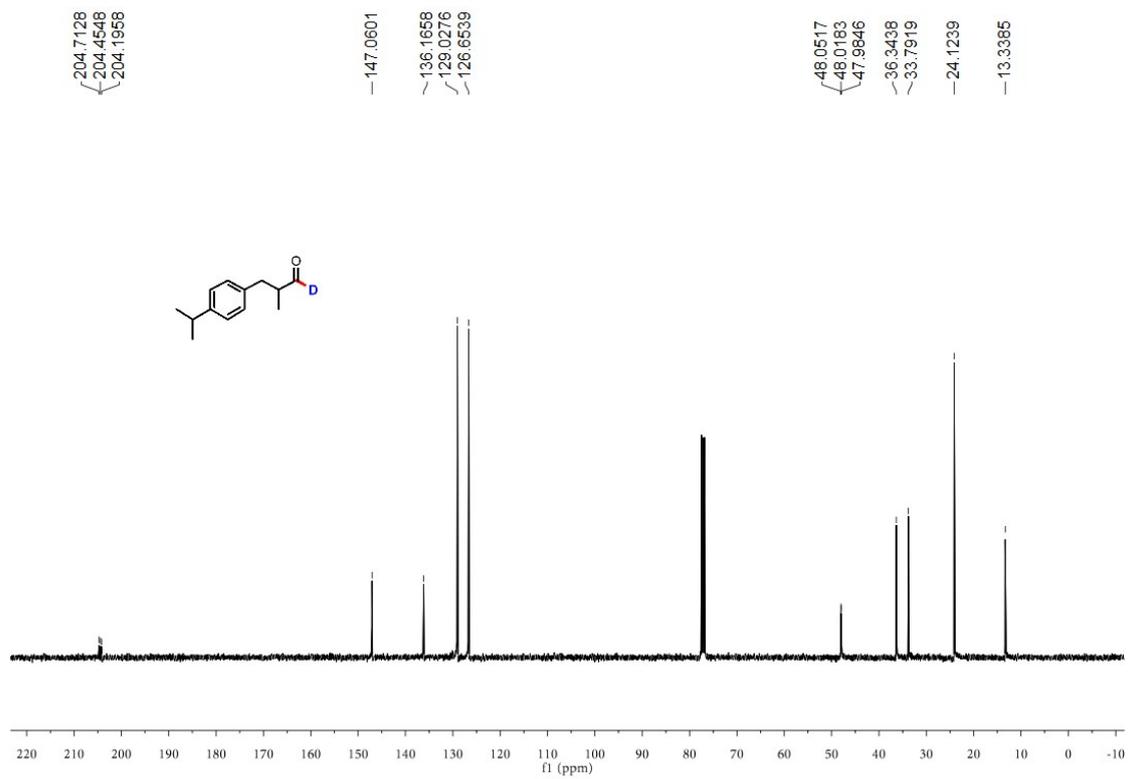
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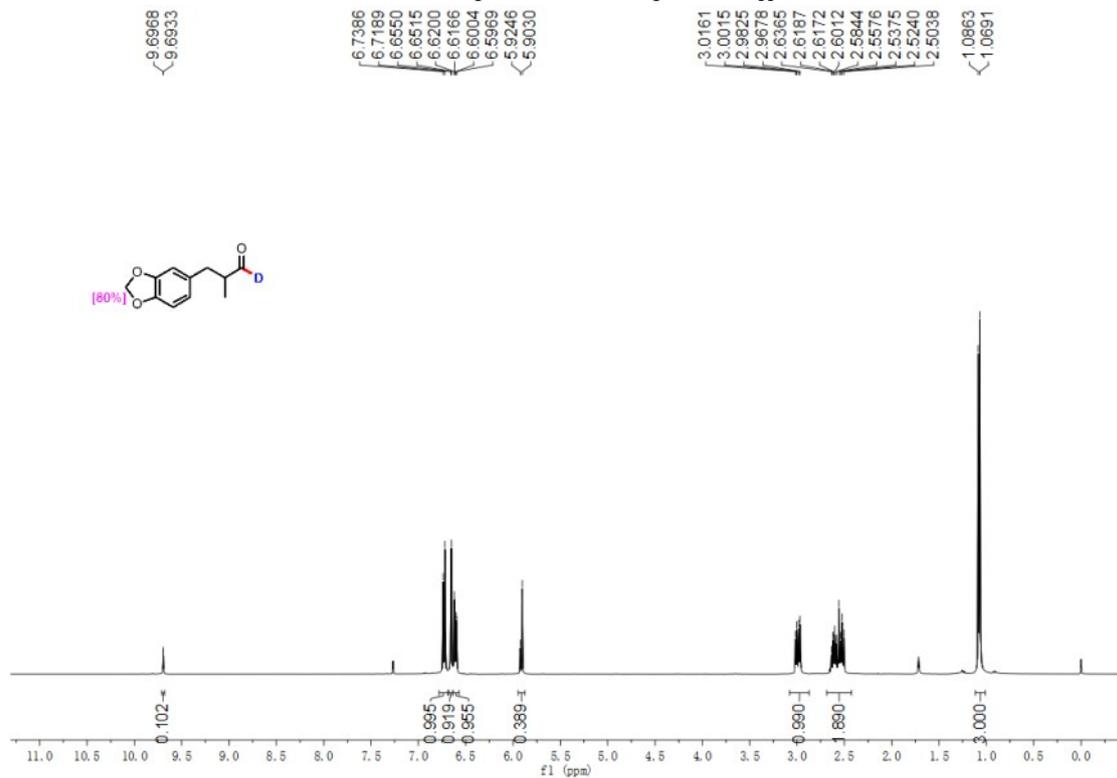
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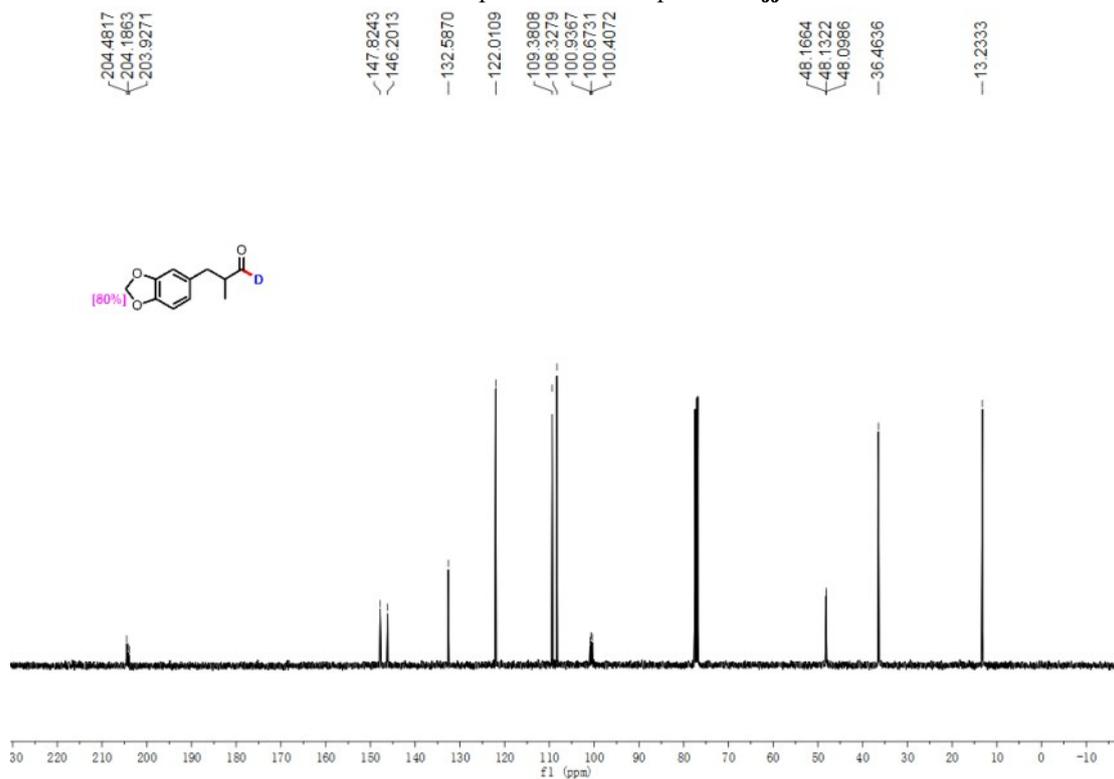
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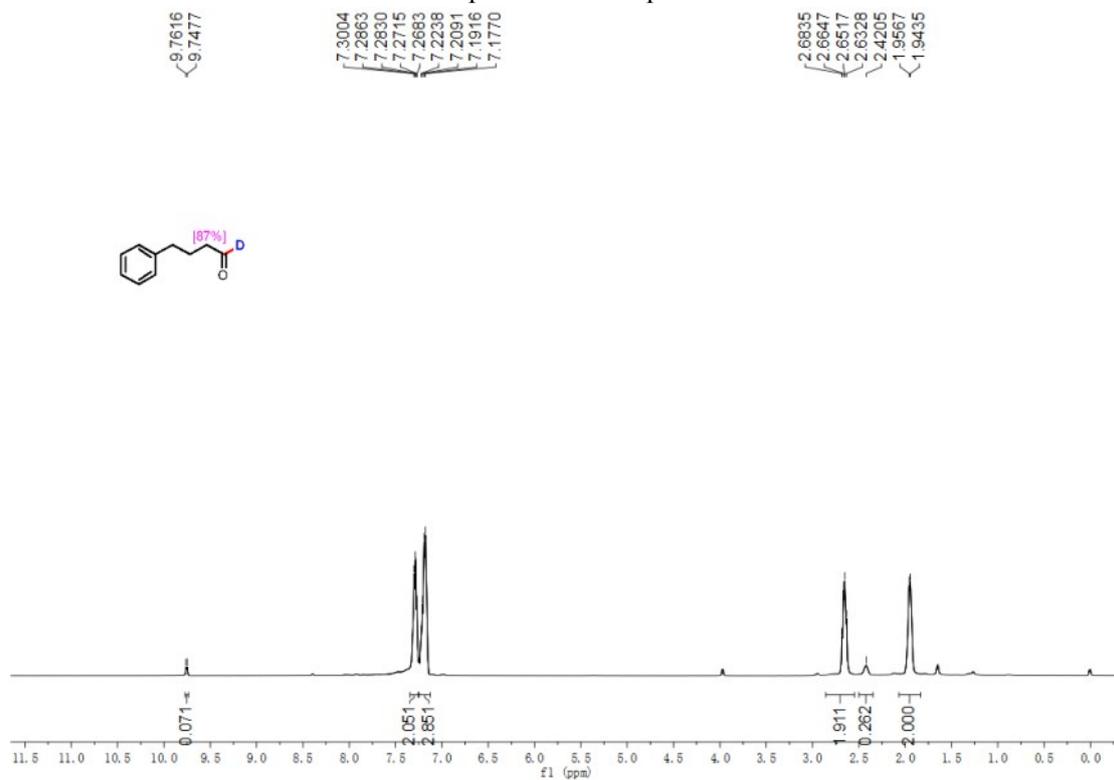
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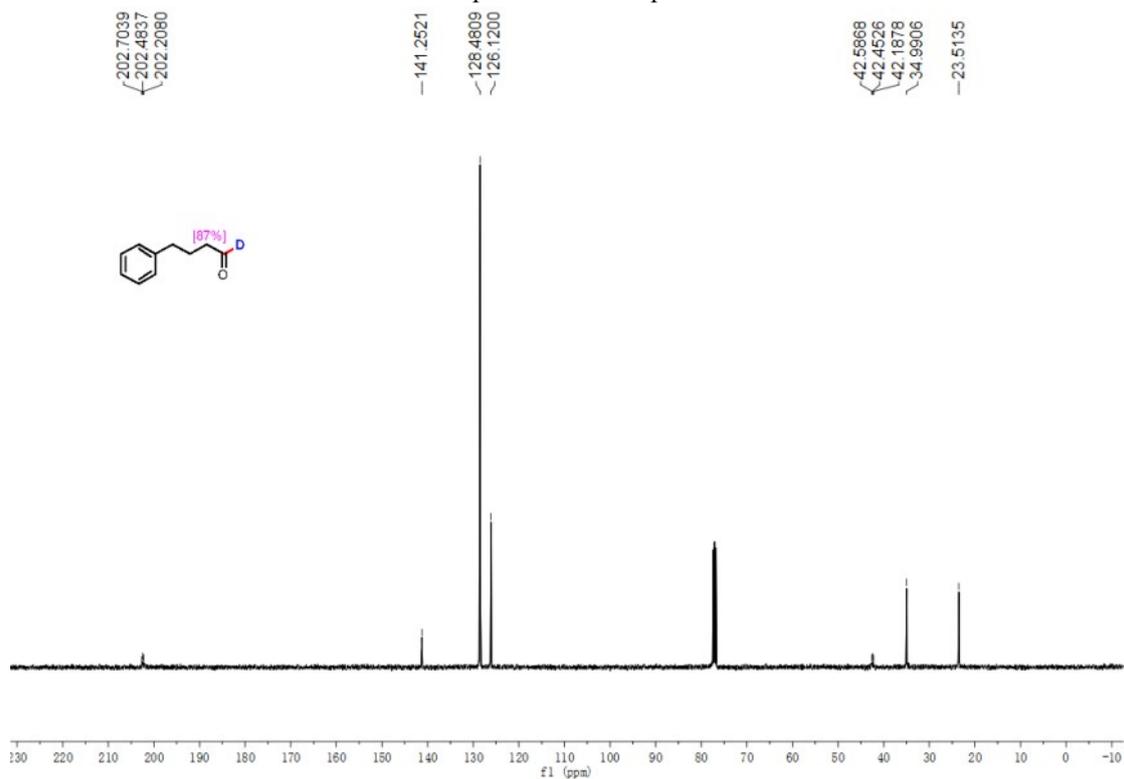
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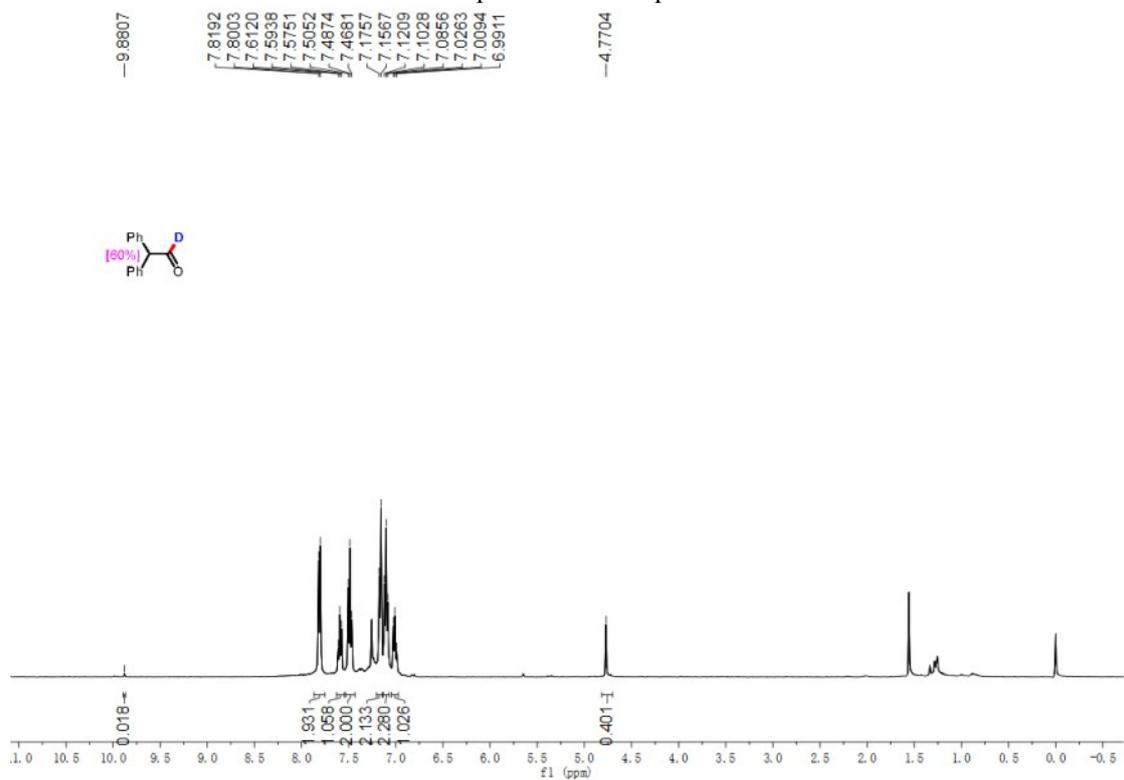
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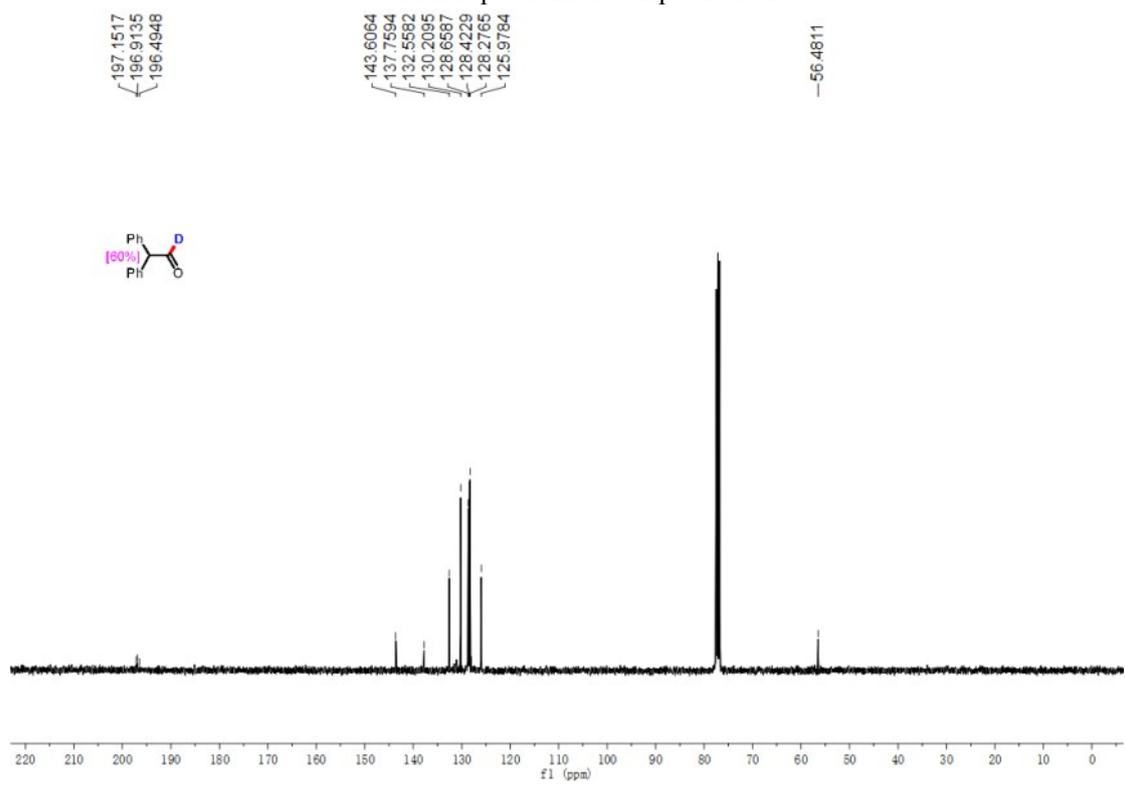
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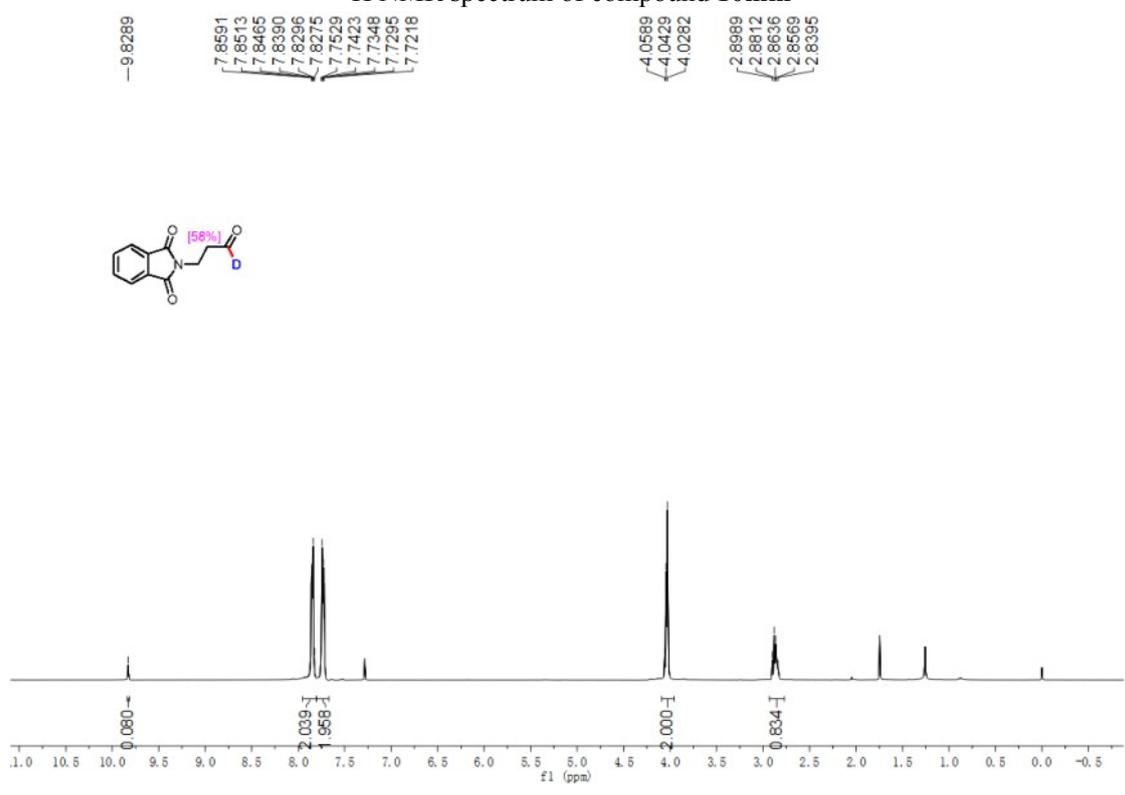
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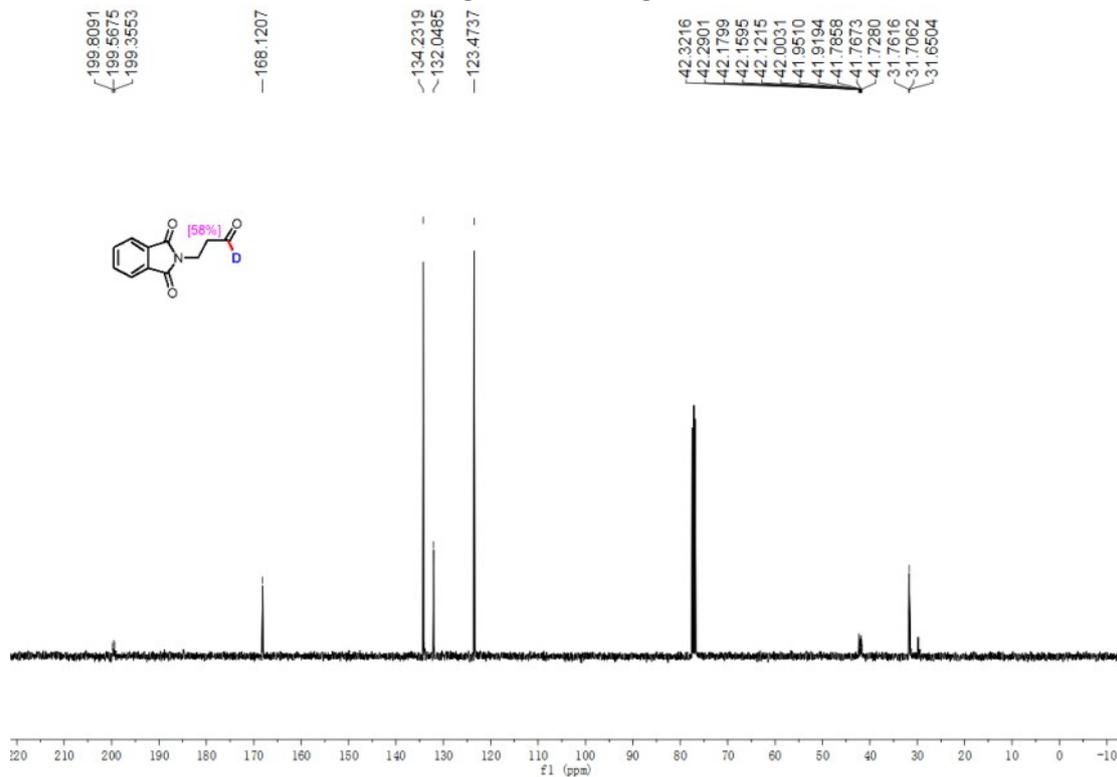
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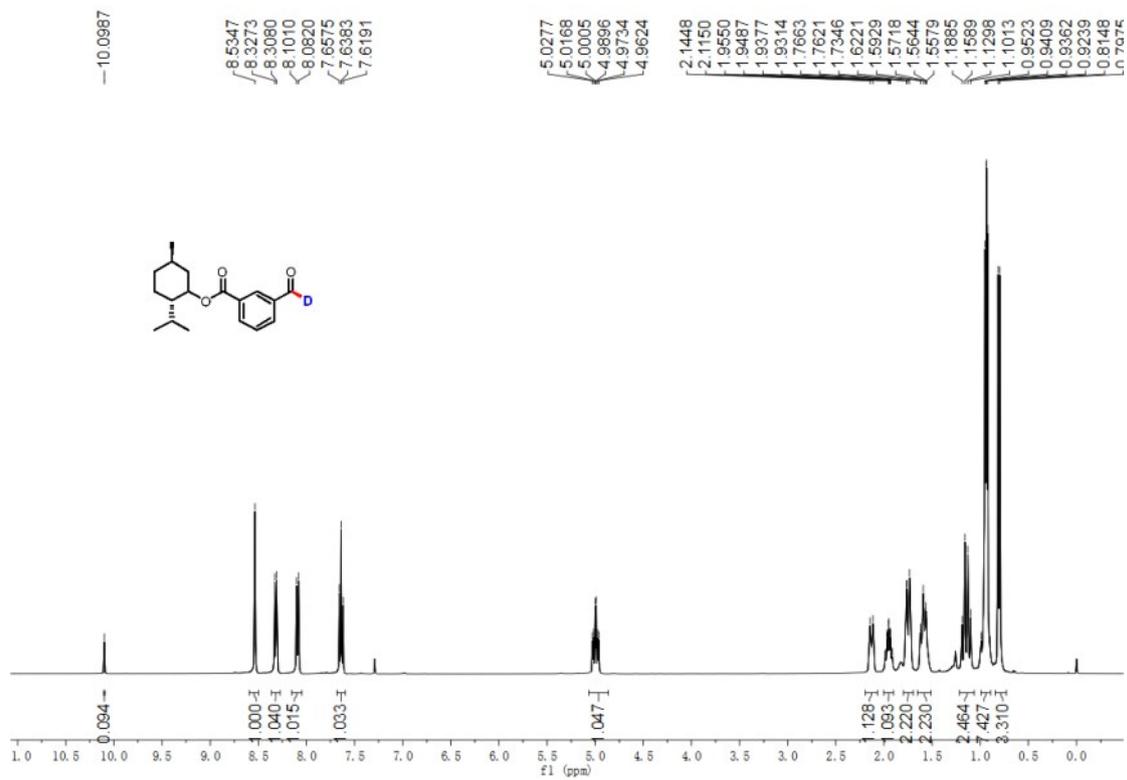
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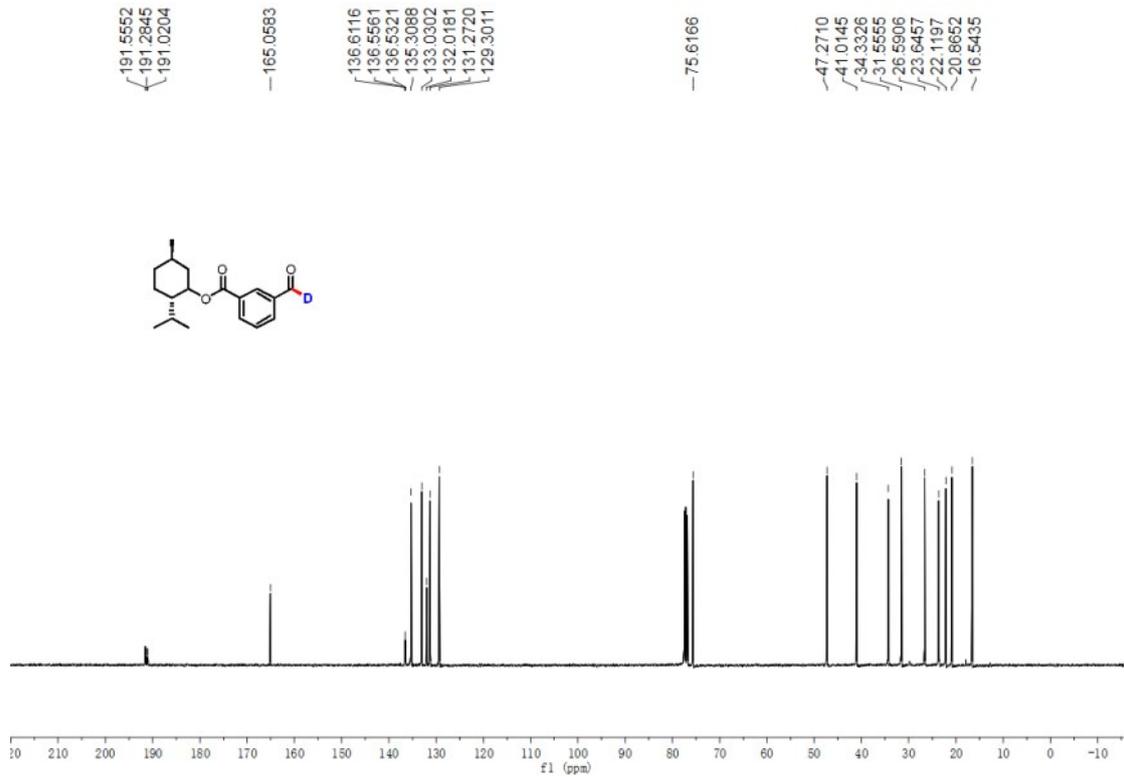
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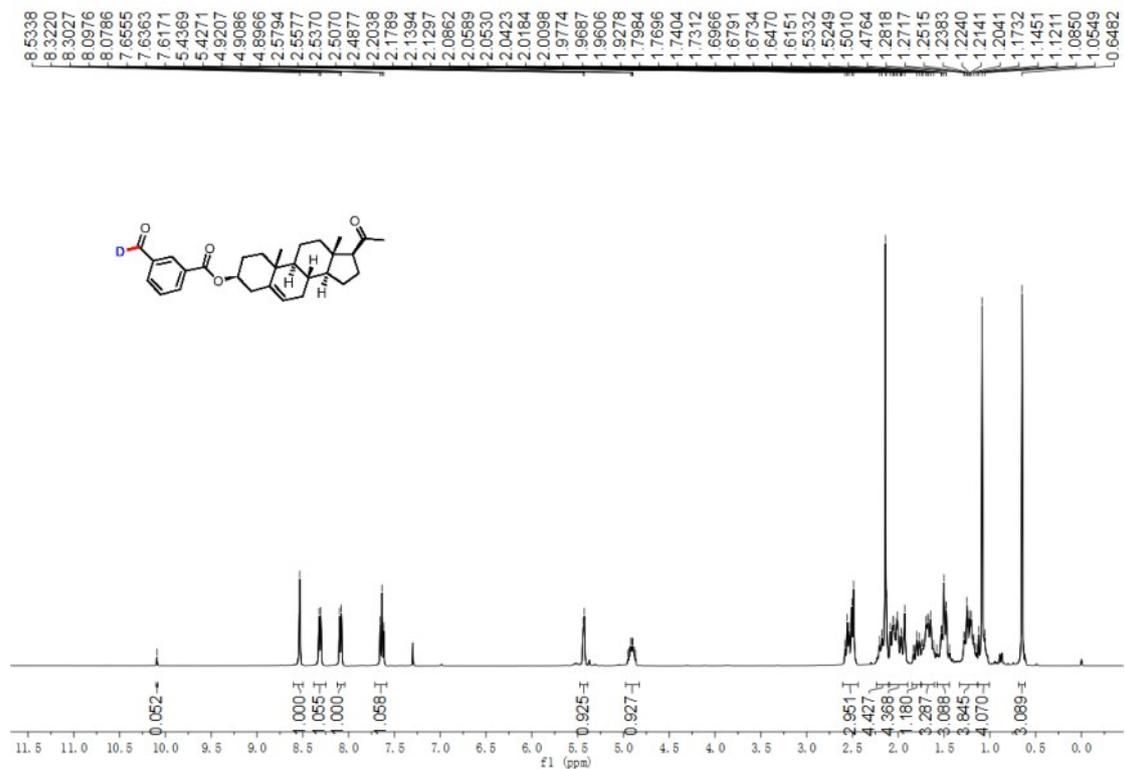
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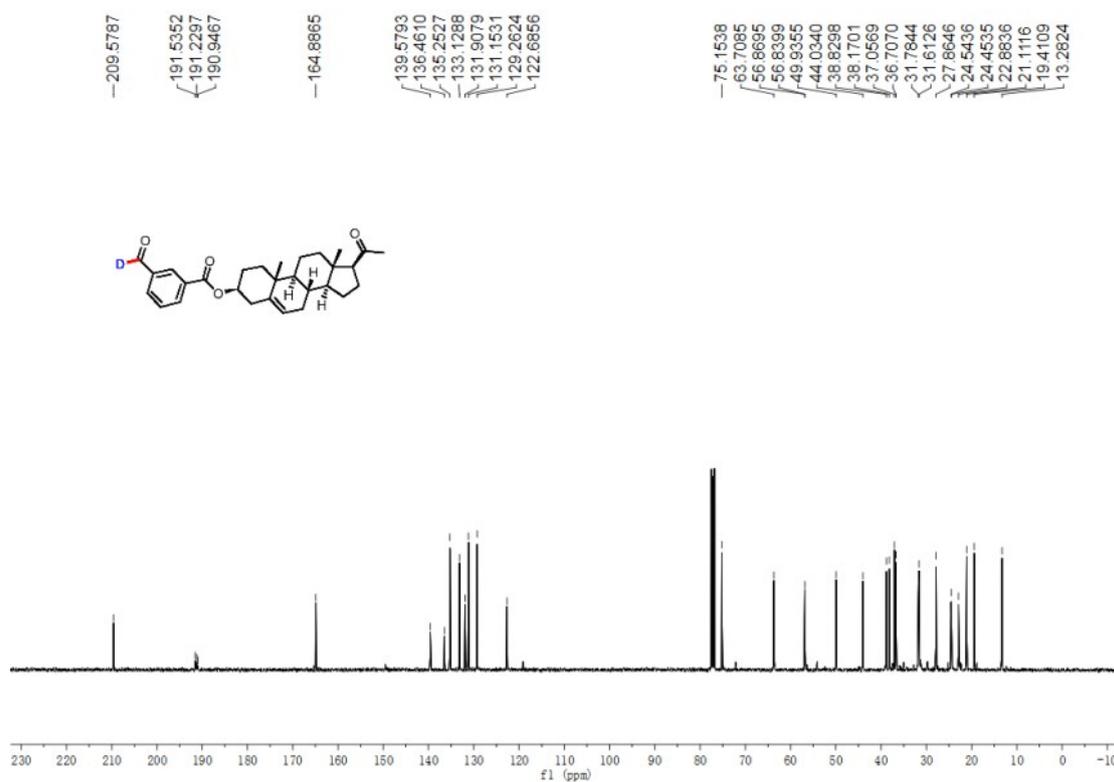
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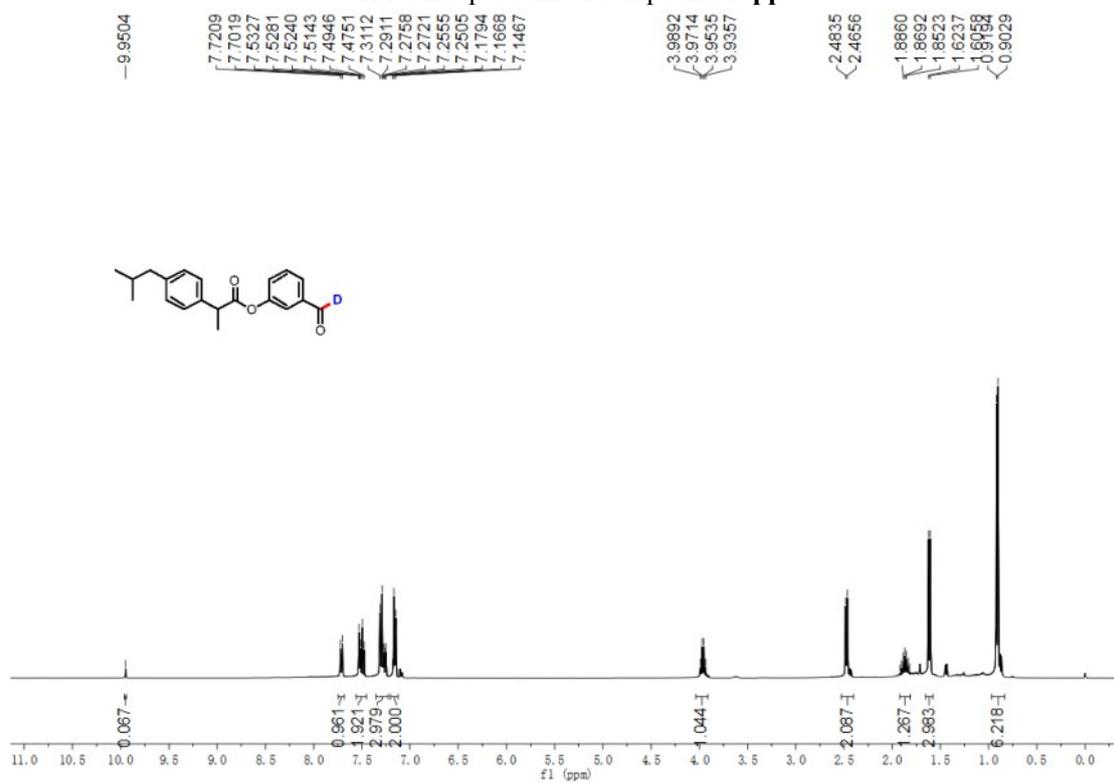
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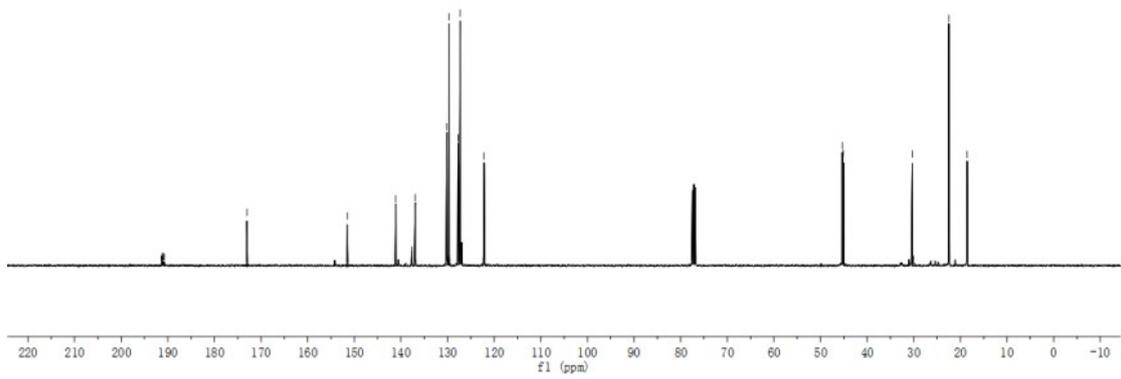
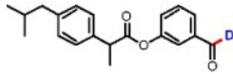
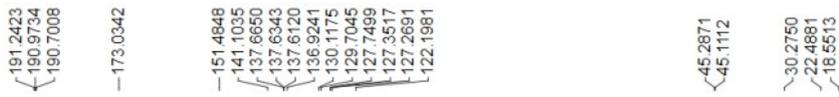
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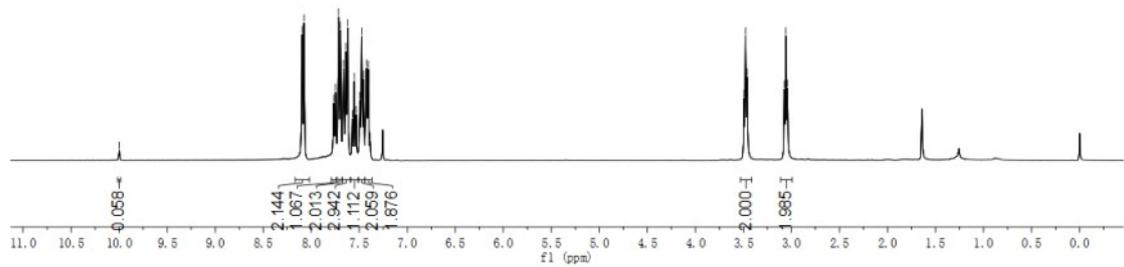
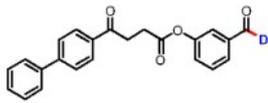
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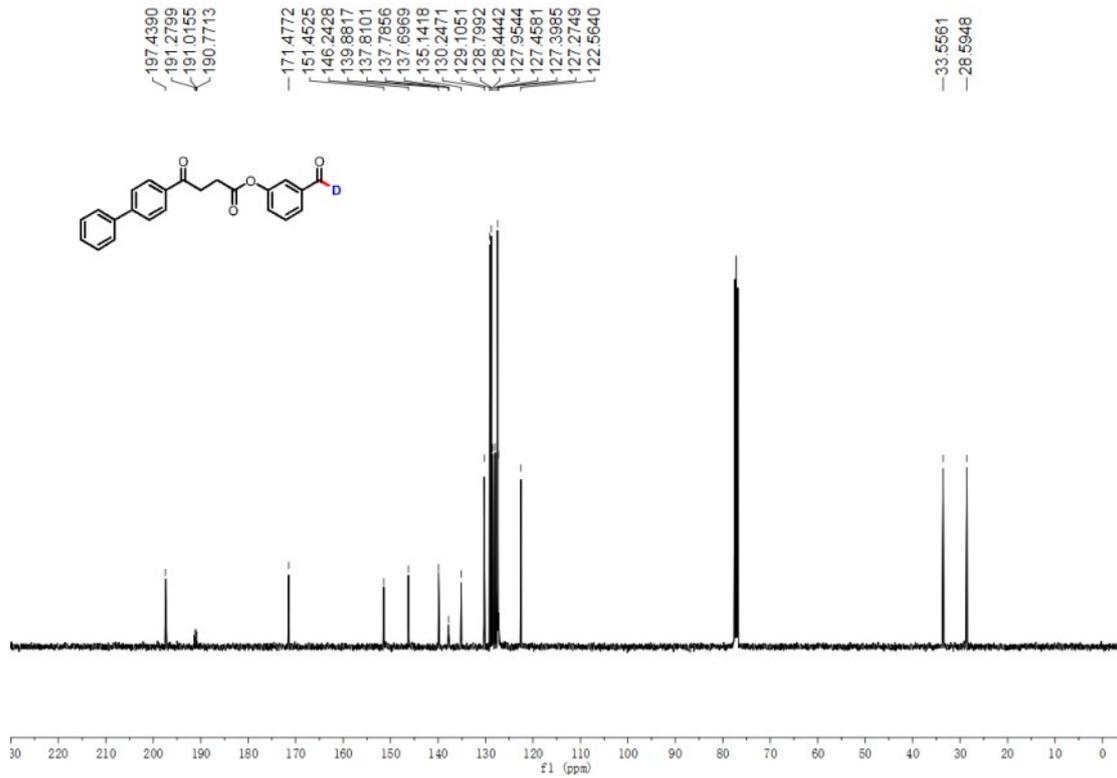
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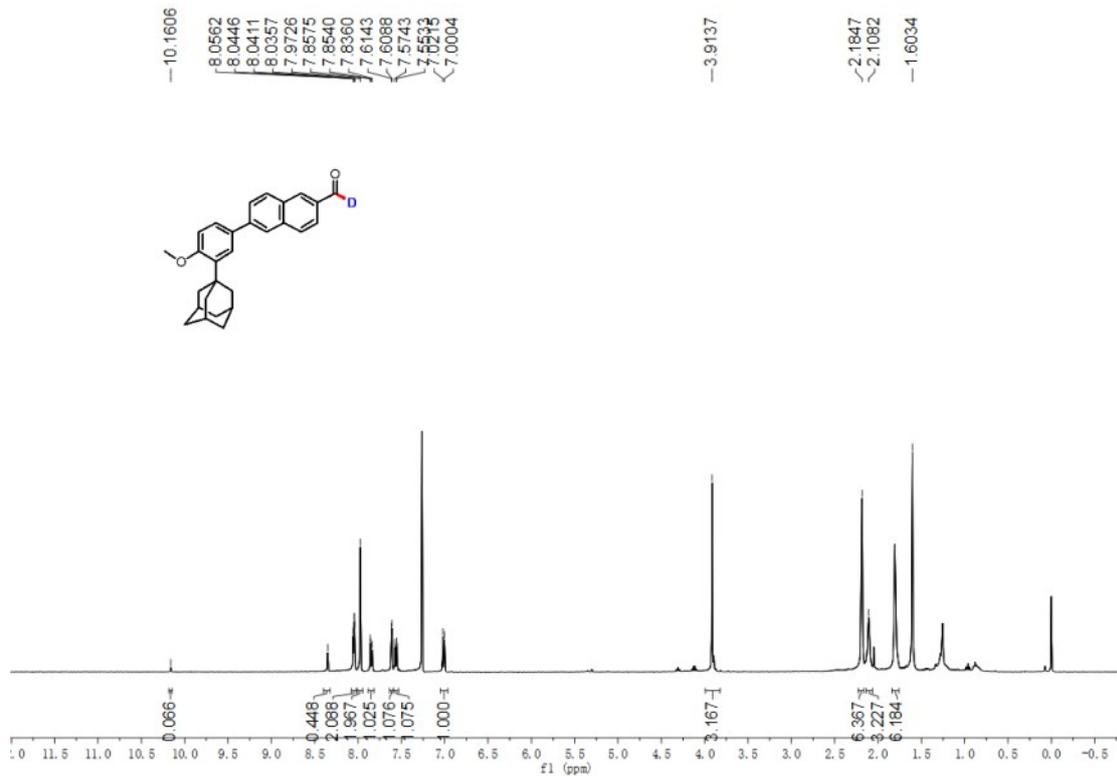
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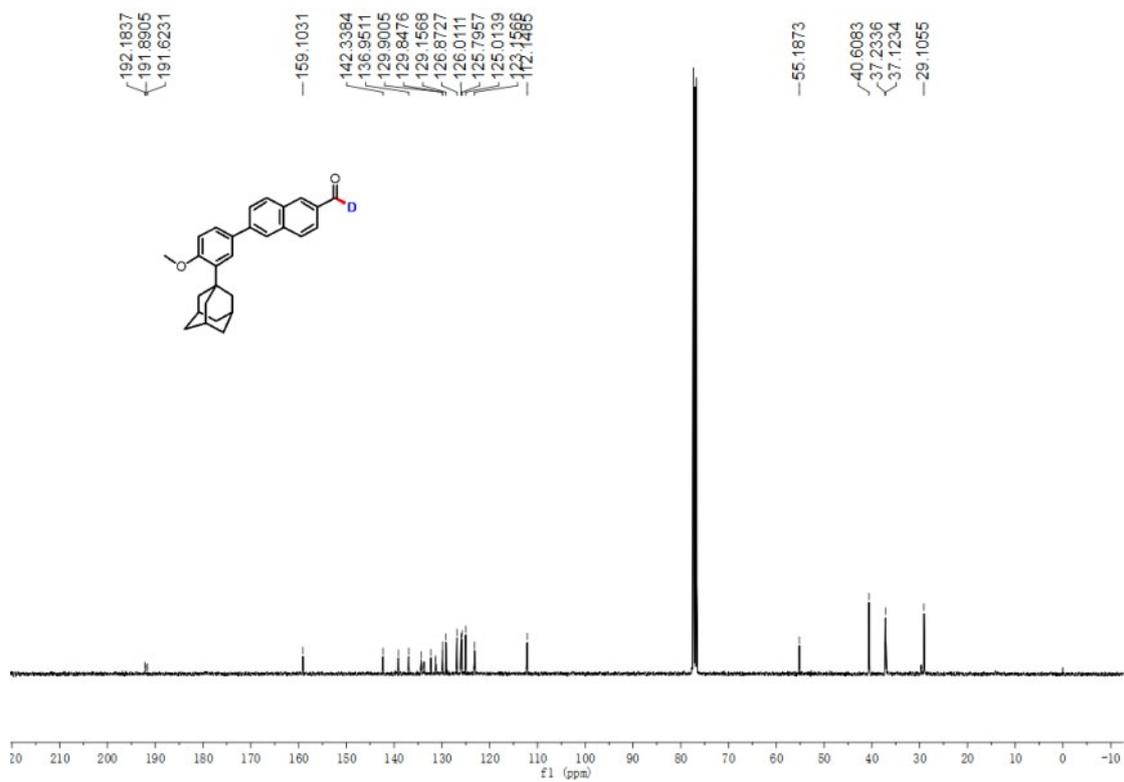
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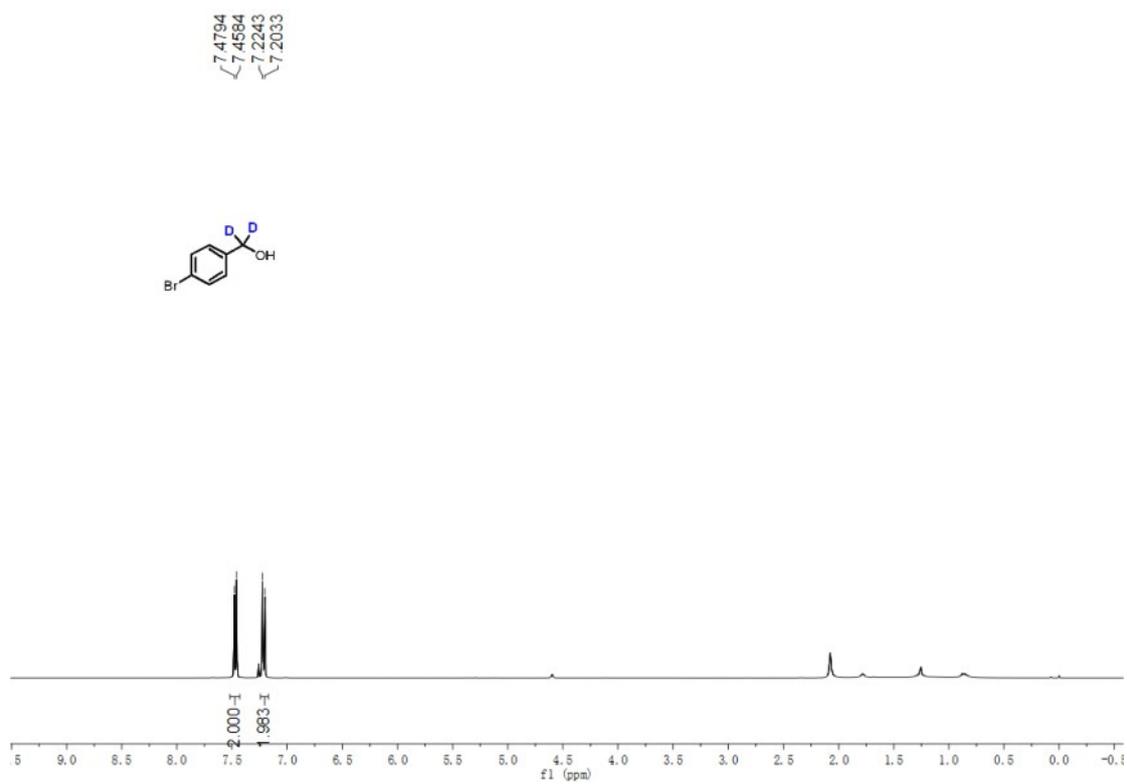
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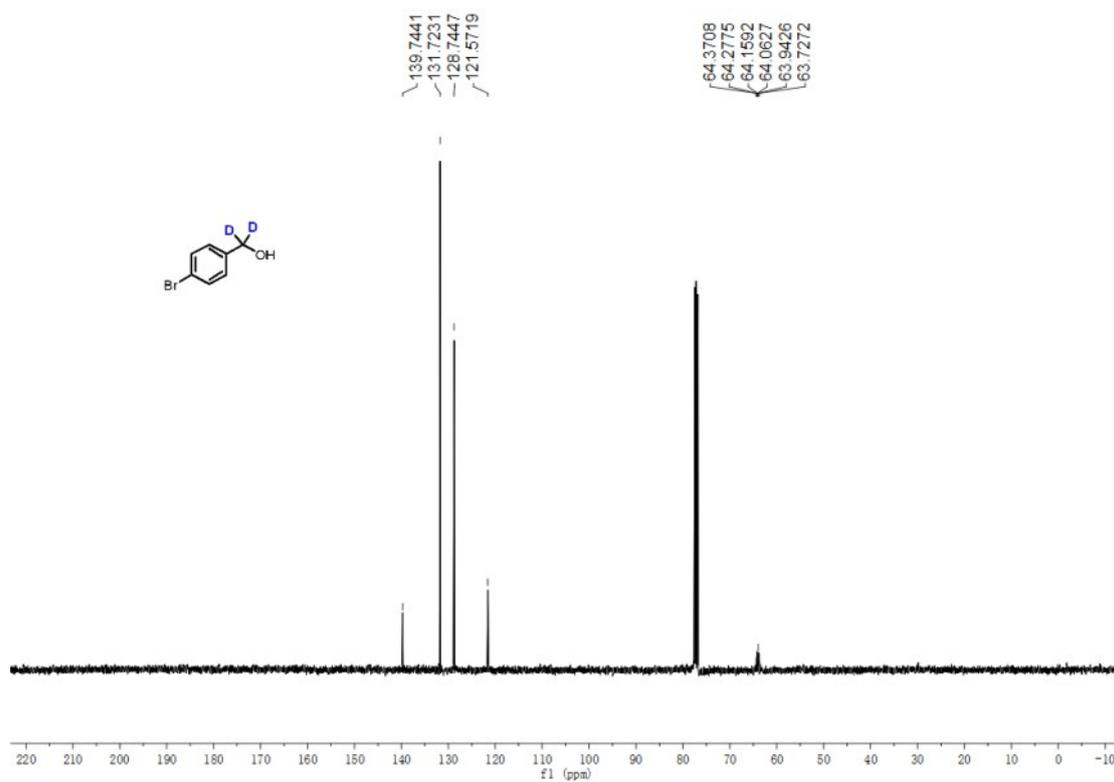
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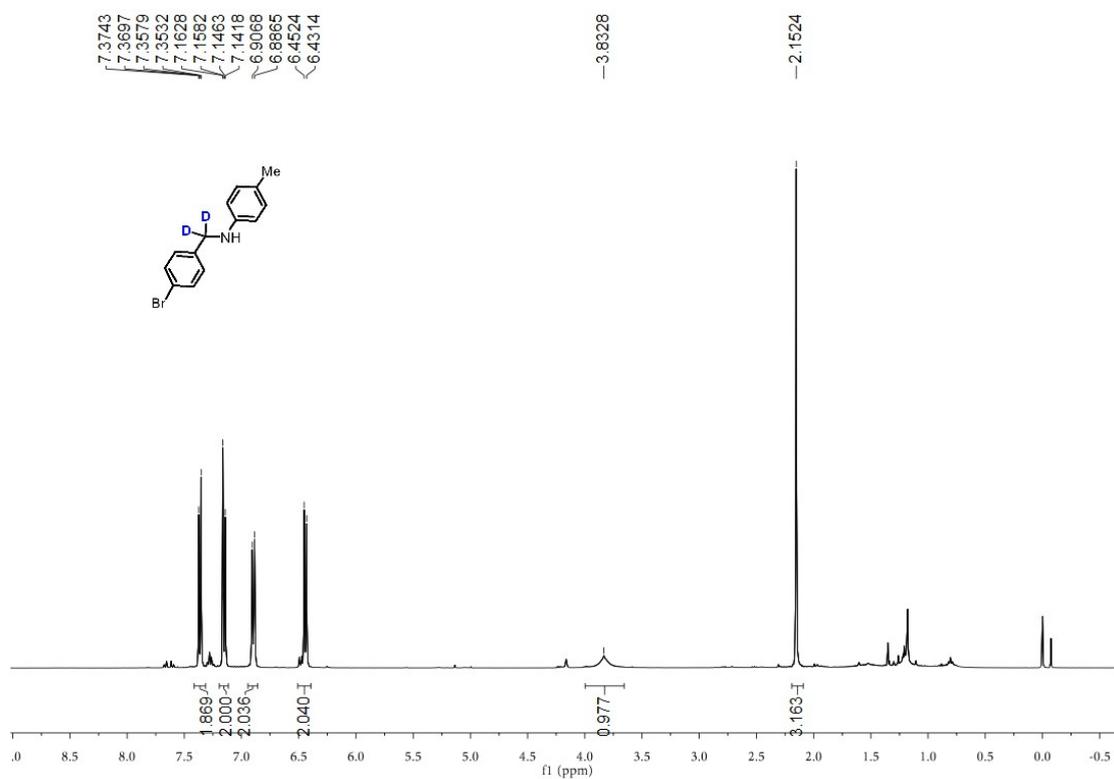
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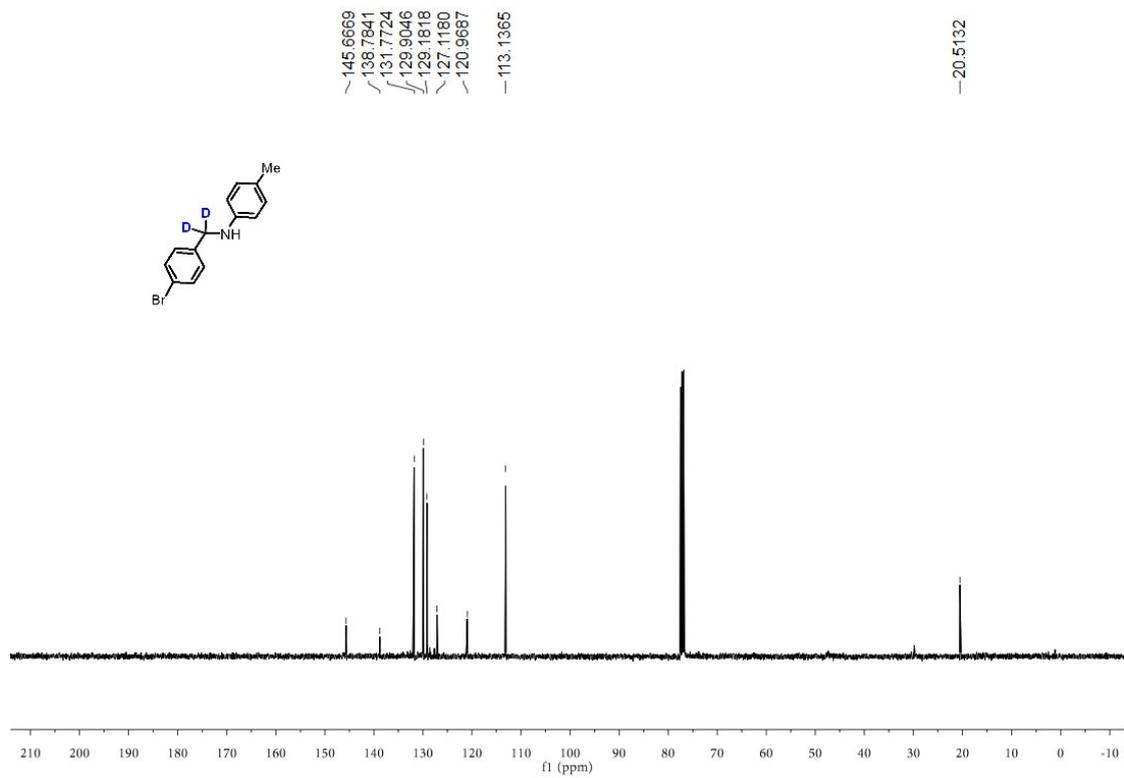
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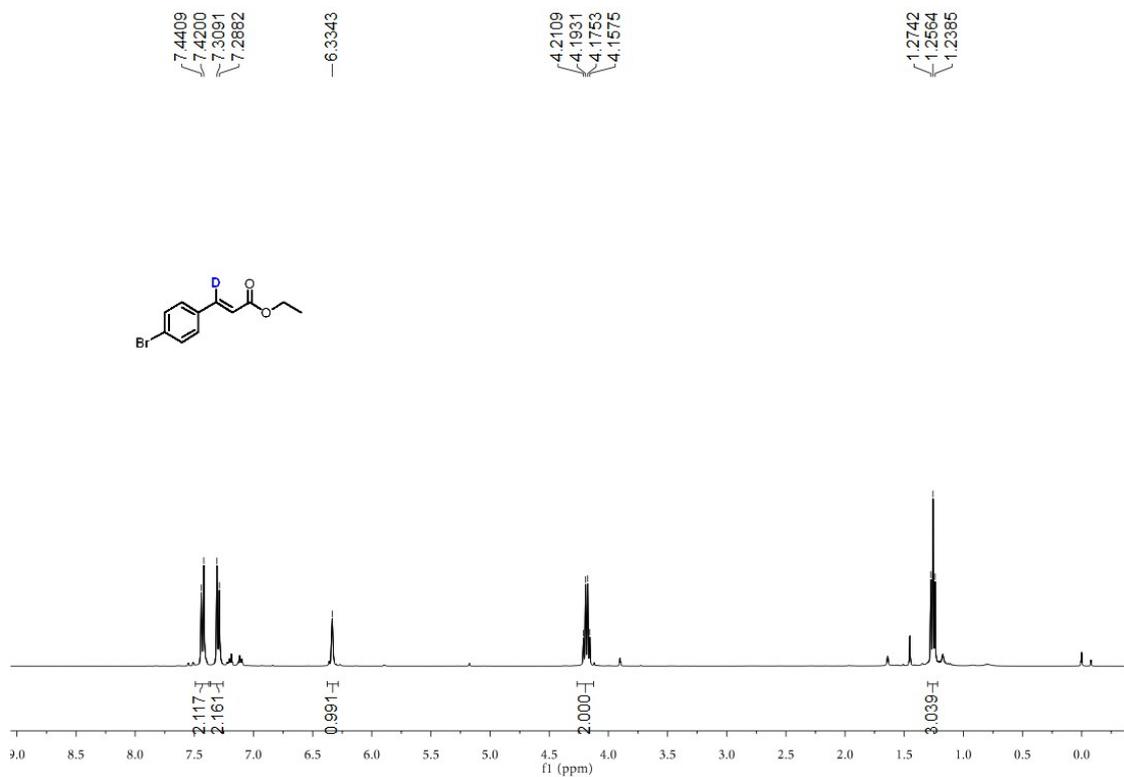
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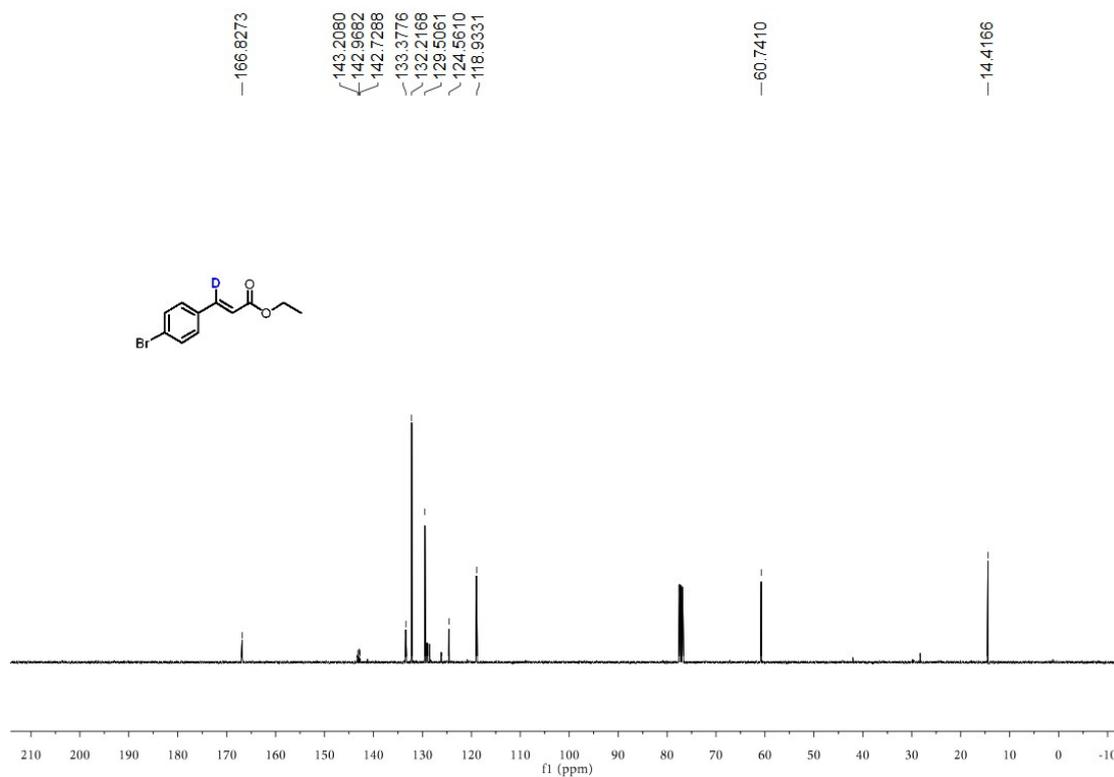
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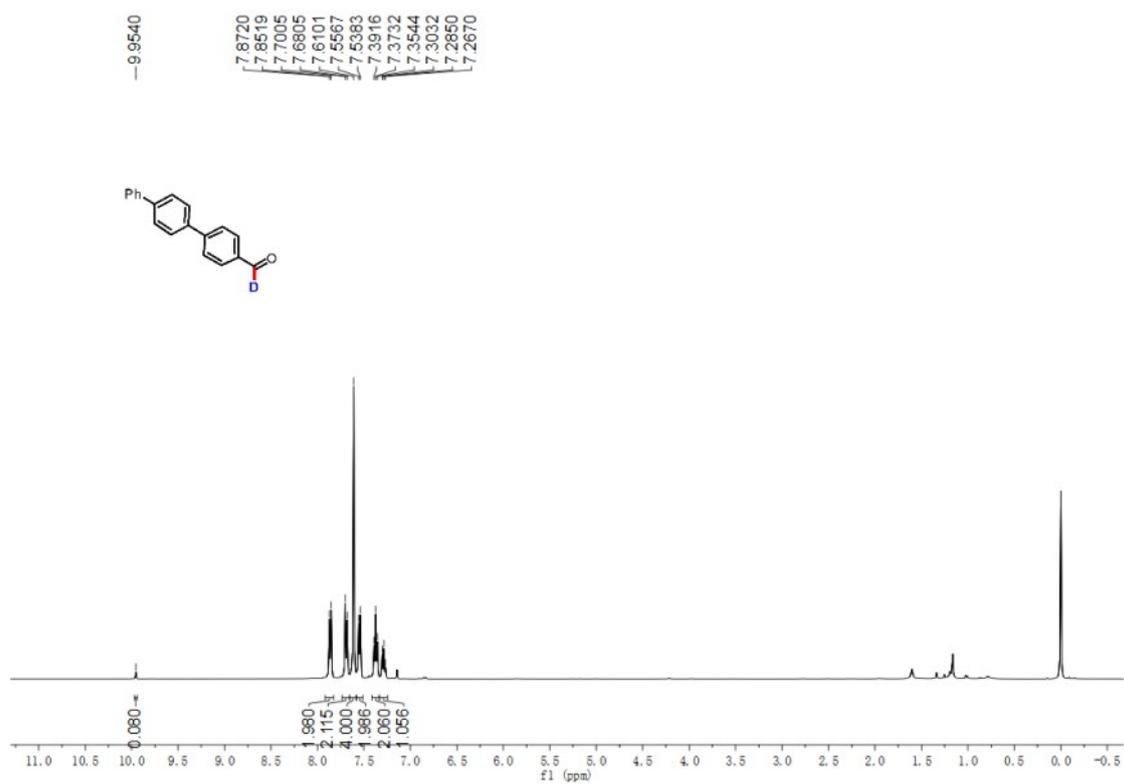
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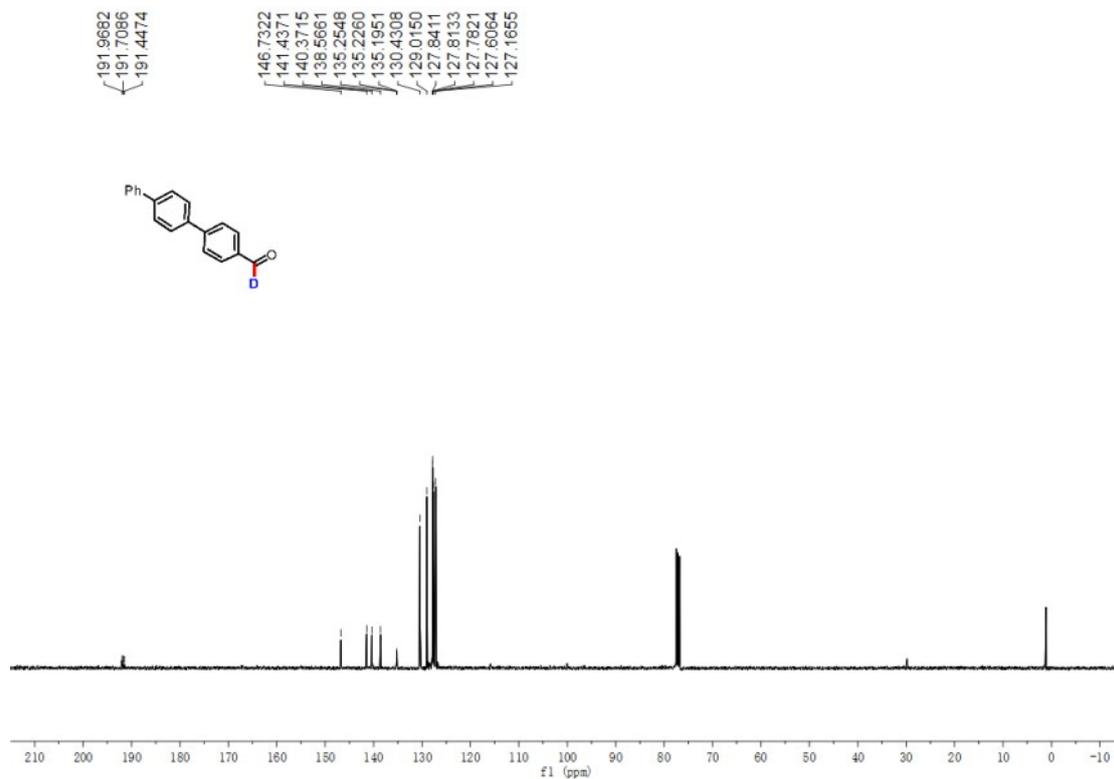
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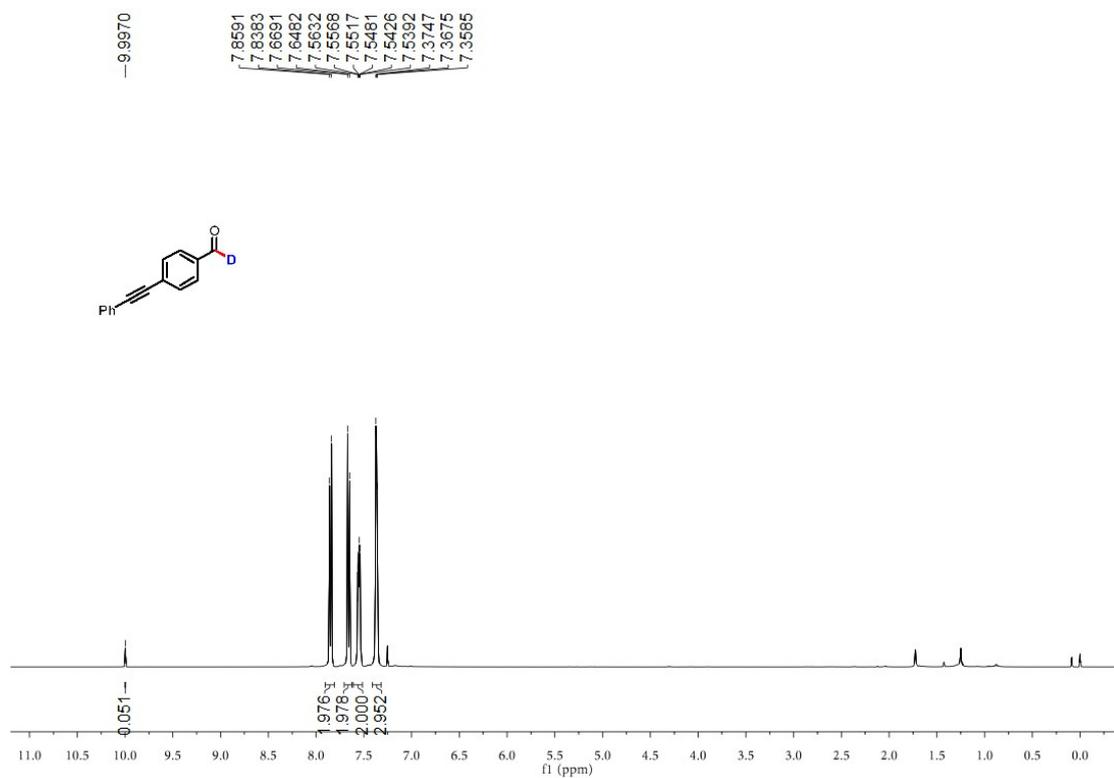
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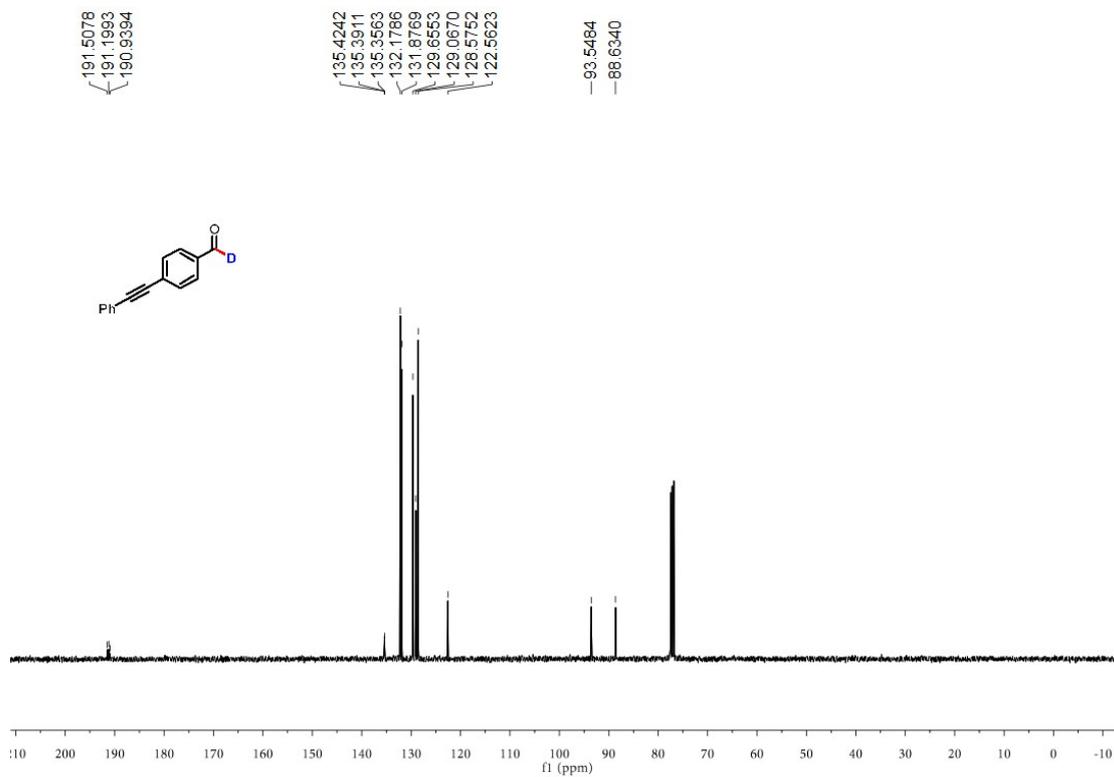
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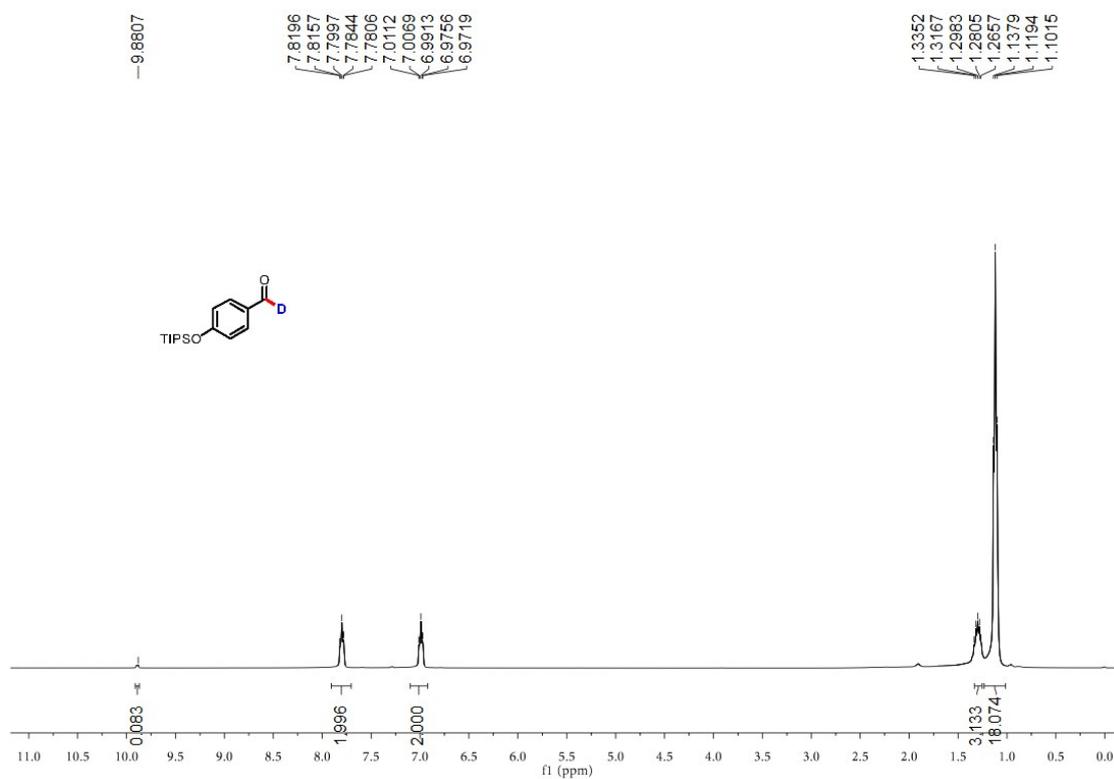
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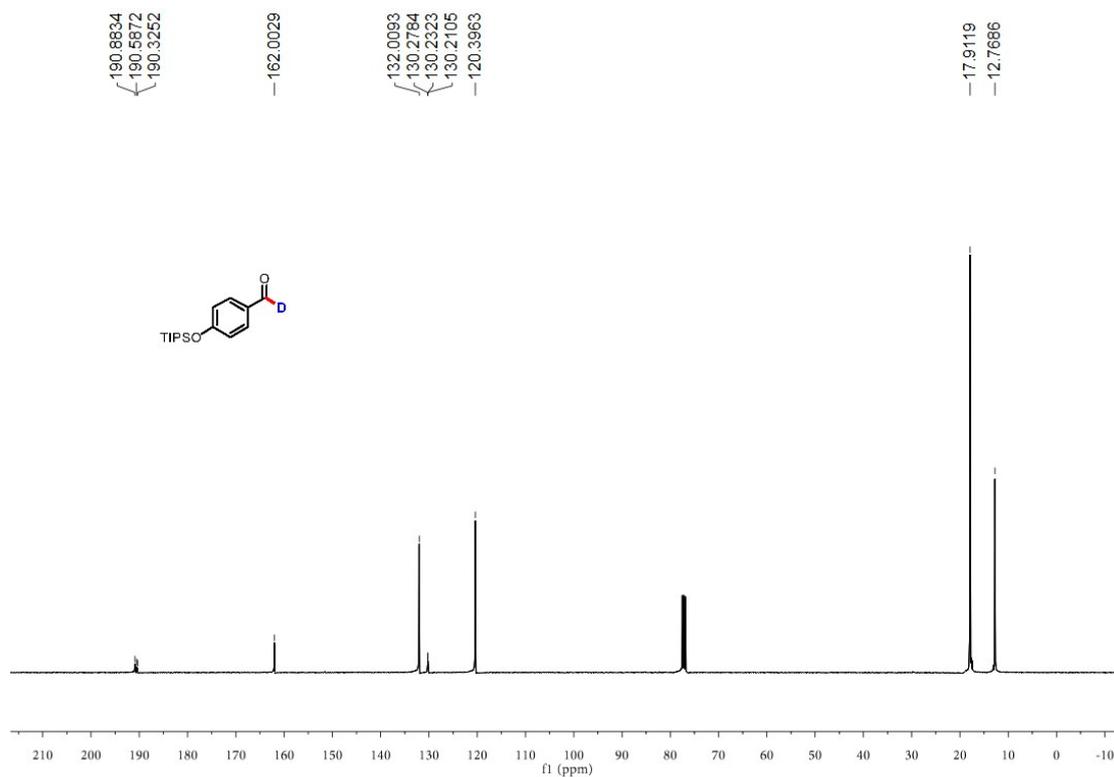
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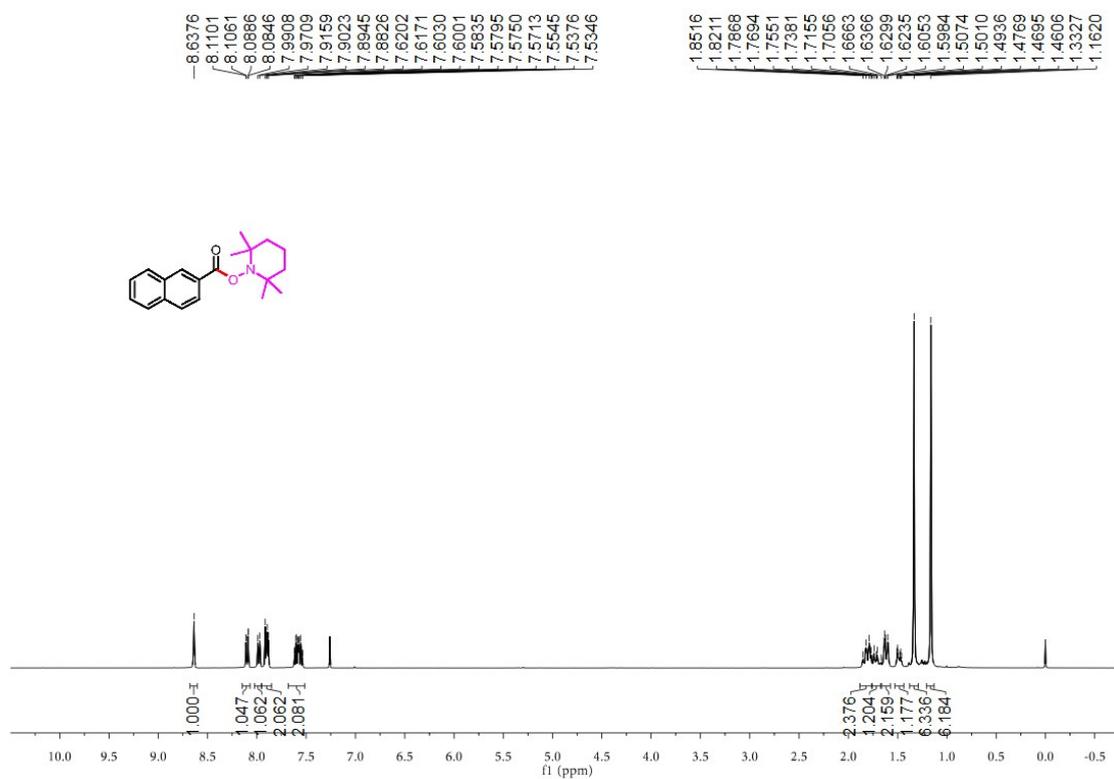
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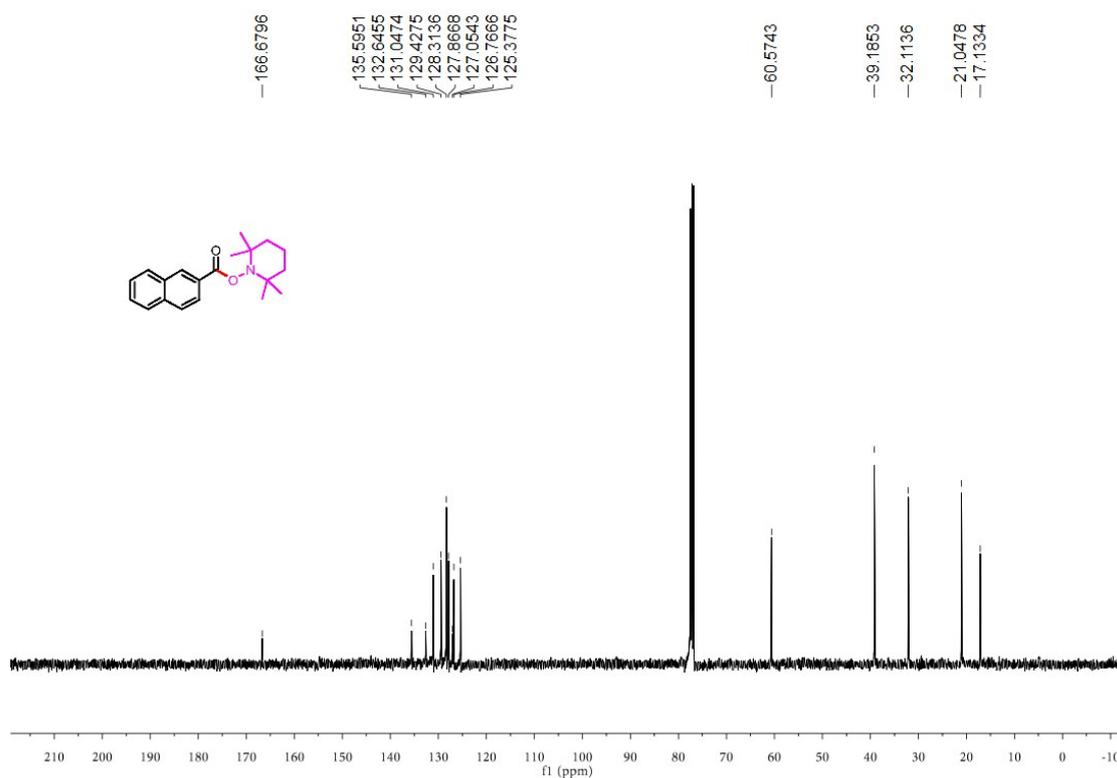
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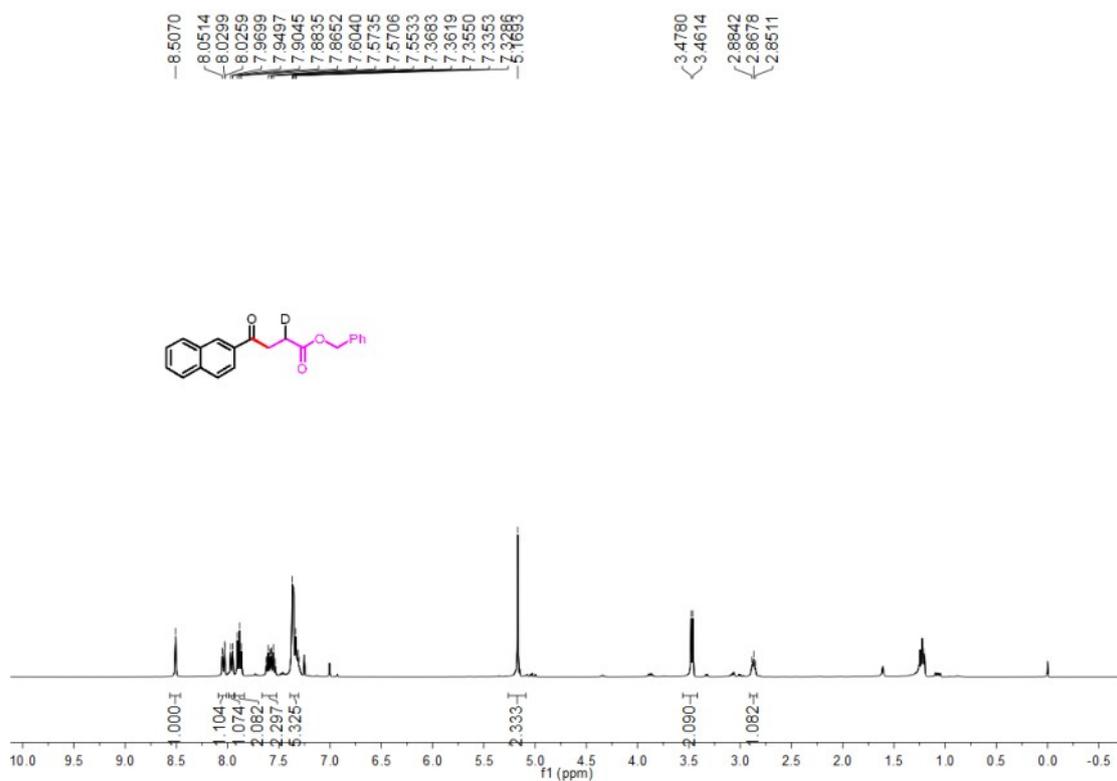
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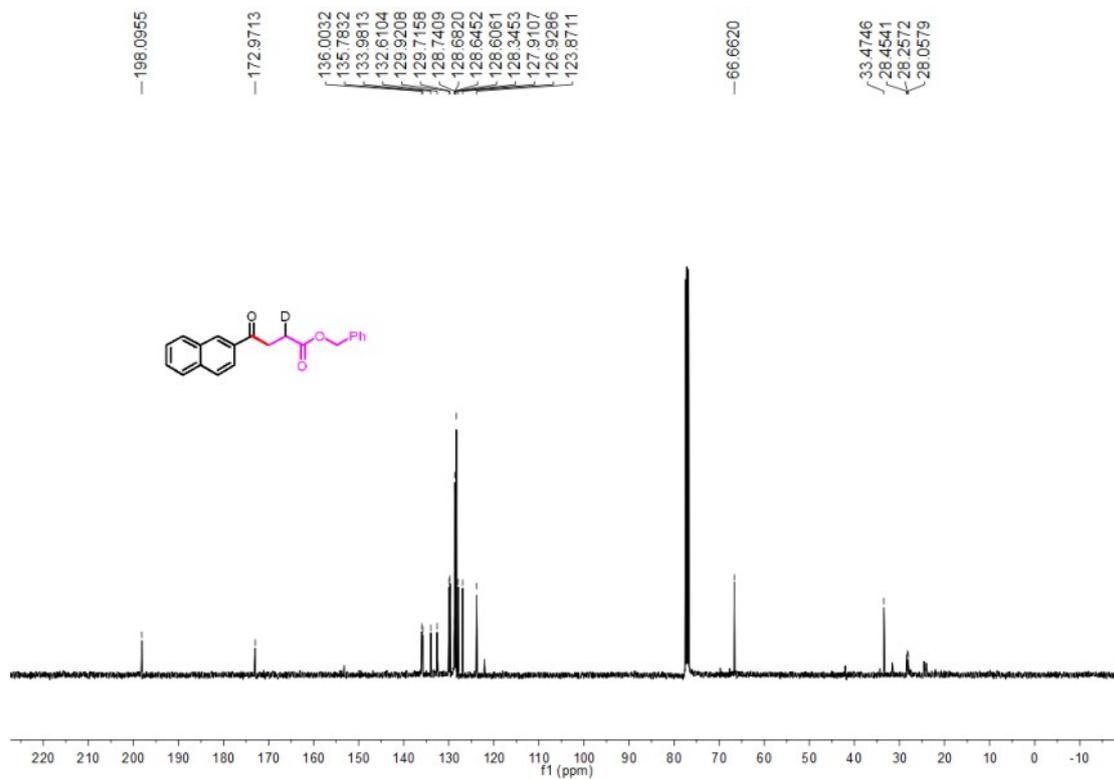
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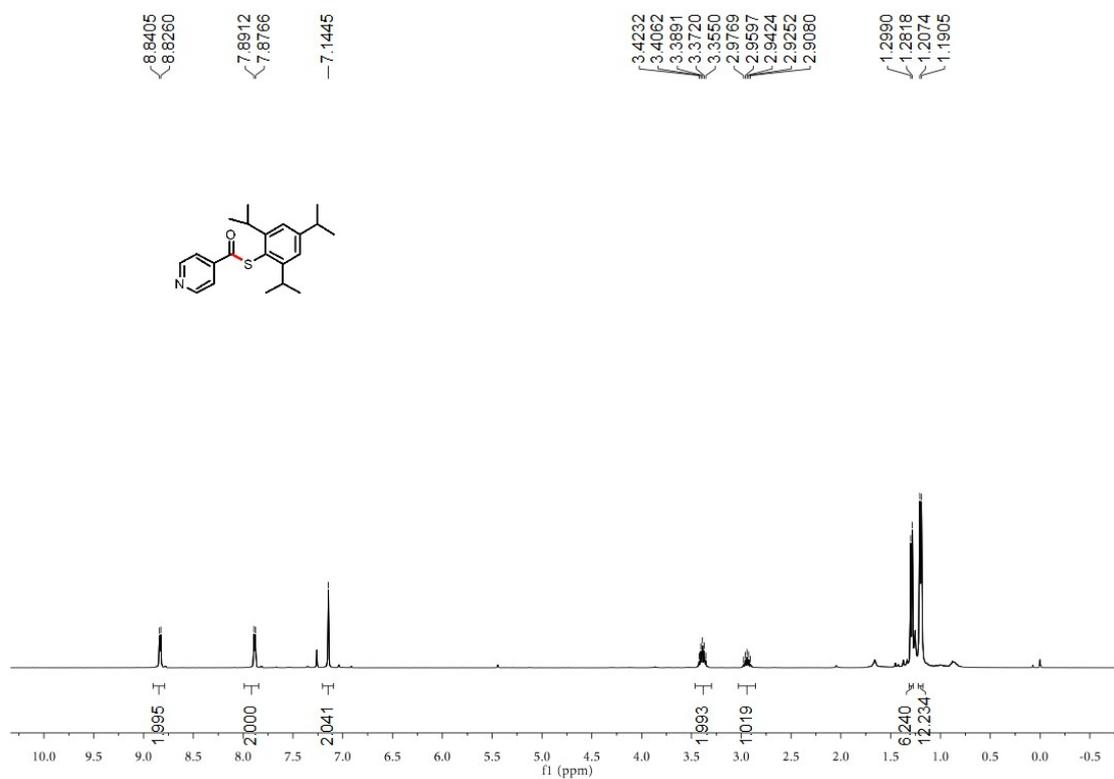
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¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **18**



¹H NMR spectrum of compound **19**



¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **19**

