

*Supporting Information*

**Platinum-Catalyzed Cycloisomerization of 1,4-Enynes *via* Activation of a sp<sup>3</sup>-Hybridized C-H Bond**

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**(I) Representative Synthetic procedures:**

**(a) General procedures:**

Unless otherwise noted, all the reactions for the preparation of the substrate were performed in oven-dried glassware under nitrogen atmosphere with freshly distilled solvents. The catalytic reaction were performed under carbon monoxide atmosphere. Toluene, *p*-Xylene, DMF and dichloromethane were distilled from CaH<sub>2</sub> under nitrogen. *N,N*-dimethyl formamide (DMF) and triethylamine (Et<sub>3</sub>N) were stored over 4Å molecular sieves prior to use. All other commercial reagents were used without further purification, unless otherwise indicated. <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian 400 MHz, Bruker 400 and a Bruker 600 MHz spectrometers using chloroform-*d* (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) as the internal standard.

**(b) Typical procedure for the synthesis of ((1-(cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzene (**1a**).**

The compound (**s-1**) was prepared from cyclopropylacetylene according to the reported procedure.<sup>[1]</sup>

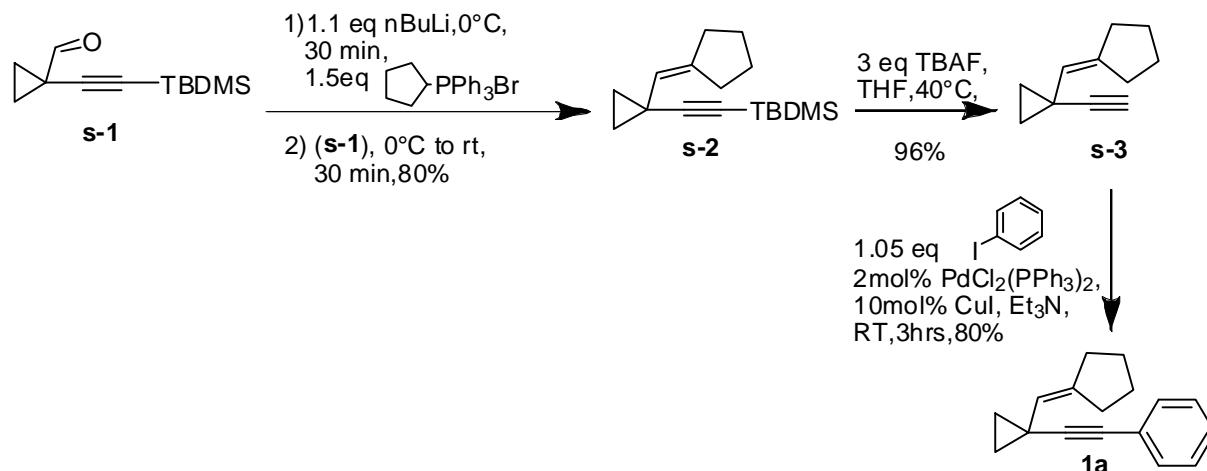
**(c) Synthesis of tert-butyl((1-(cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl) dimethylsilane (**s-2**).**

A THF solution (30mL) of cylopentyltriphenylphosphinebromide (4g, 9.72 mmol) was cooled to 0°C, and to this solution was added n-BuLi (2.85mL, 2.5 M in hexane, 7.13 mmol). The solution was stirred for 0.5 h at 0°C, and to this mixture was added compound **s-1** (1.35g, 6.48 mmol) at the same temperature and continued to stir for 2 h at RT. The reaction was quenched with water, extracted with diethyl ether (3x15 ml) and washed with brine solution, dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was eluted through a silica column to afford compound **s-2** (1.36 g, 80%) as colorless oil.

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[1] Guotao Li, Xiaogen Huang, and Liming Zhang, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2008**, *130*, 6944.

**Scheme-S1**



**(d) Synthesis of ((1-ethynylcyclopropyl)methylene)cyclopentane (**s-3**).**

To a stirred THF solution (30mL) of compound **s-2** (1.1g, 4.22mmol) was added TBAF(12.7mL, 1.0M in THF) and the resulting solution was heated at 40°C for 5h. After completion of the reaction, the mixture was quenched with aq. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, and extracted with Et<sub>2</sub>O (3x10 ml). The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was eluted through a short bed of silica column to obtain compound **s-3** (0.595 g, 96%) as colorless oil.

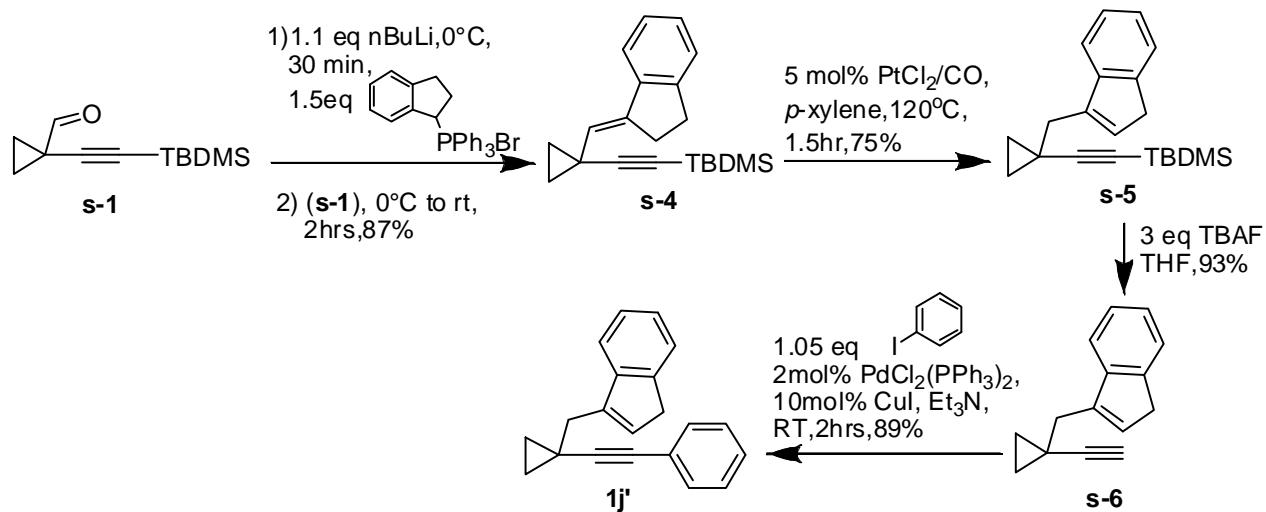
**(e) Synthesis of ((1-(cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzene (**1a**).**

To a triethylamine solution (10 mL) of  $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2$  (19.2 mg, 0.027 mmol) and  $\text{CuI}$  (26.0 mg, 0.137 mmol) was added iodobenzene (0.293 g, 1.44 mmol) and stir for 5 min, then add compound **s-3** (0.2 g, 1.37 mmol), dropwise and allowed to stir for 3hrs at RT. After completion of the reaction, the mixture was filtered through a short celite bed and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was eluted through a silica column (hexane/ethyl acetate=10:1) to afford **1a** (0.242 g, 80%) as a pale yellow oil.

**(f) Synthesis of 3-((1-(phenylethynyl)cyclopropyl)methyl)-1*H*-indene (**1j'**).**

The Synthesis of compound (**1j'**) was followed the same procedure as described in scheme-S1.

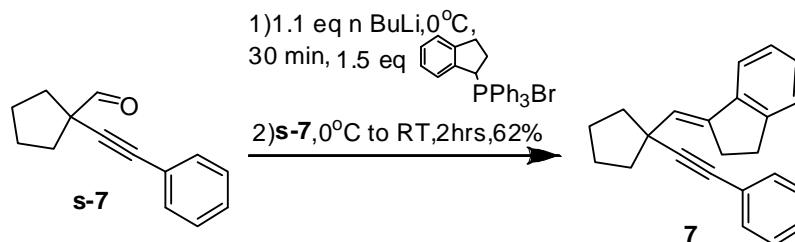
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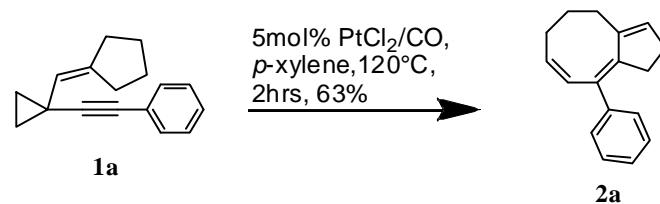
**(g) Synthesis of (*E*)-1-((1-(phenylethynyl)cyclopentyl)methylene)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene (7).**

The compound (**s-7**) was prepared according to the known literature procedure.<sup>[2]</sup> The transformation **s-7** to **7** was performed according to Scheme-S1.

**Scheme-3**



**(II) Standard procedure for catalytic operation by PtCl<sub>2</sub>.**

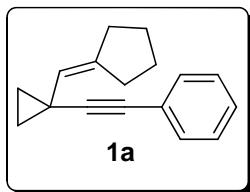


[2] Chun-Yao Yang, Guan-You Lin, Hsin-Yi Liao, Swarup Datta, Rai-Shung Liu, *J. Org. Chem.* **2008**, *73*, 4907.

A long tube containing PtCl<sub>2</sub> (5.98 mg, 0.023 mmol) was dried in vacuum for 1h and vacuum was released with CO gas using CO balloon before it was charged with substrate(**1a**) (100 mg, 0.45 mmol) and *p*-xylene (0.9 ml). The mixture was heated 120°C for 2h. The solution was concentrated and eluted through a silica column (hexane) to afford compound (**2a**) (62 mg, 62%) as a pale yellow oil.

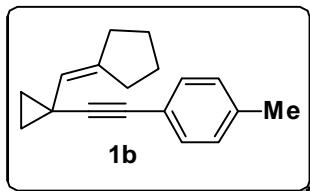
### (III) Spectral data of Compounds **1a** to **8**

Spectral data for ((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzene (**1a**).



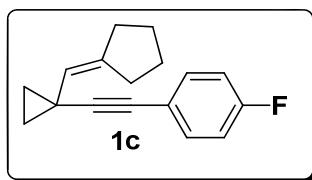
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3089 (s), 2935 (w), 2240 (w), 1490 (w), 1441 (s), 889 (s), 749 (s); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.42 ~ 7.38 (m, 2 H), 7.29 ~ 7.22 (m, 3 H), 5.15 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.65 ~ 2.61 (m, 2H), 2.31 ~ 2.27 (m, 2 H), 1.78 ~ 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.66 ~ 1.59 (m, 2 H), 1.25 ~ 1.22 (m, 2 H), 0.93 ~ 0.90 (m, 2 H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 147.6, 131.5, 128.1, 127.2, 124.1, 120.5, 94.9, 75.9, 34.3, 29.5, 26.7, 26.1, 18.7, 11.9; HRMS calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>18</sub>: 222.1409, found: 222.1401.

Spectral data for 1-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)-4-methylbenzene (**1b**).



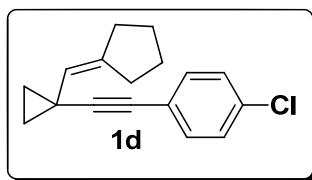
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3092 (s), 2985 (w), 2232 (w), 1432 (s), 872 (s), 732 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.25 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.05 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 5.10 (s, 1 H), 2.58 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2 H), 2.30 (s, 3 H), 2.24 (t,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2 H), 1.71 ~ 1.54 (m, 4 H), 1.19 ~ 1.16 (m, 2 H), 0.88 ~ 0.85 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  147.5, 137.2, 131.4, 128.8, 121.1, 120.6, 94.0, 75.9, 34.3, 29.4, 26.8, 26.1, 21.3, 18.6, 11.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}$ : 236.1565, found: 236.1561.

**Spectral data for 1-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)-4-fluorobenzene (**1c**).**



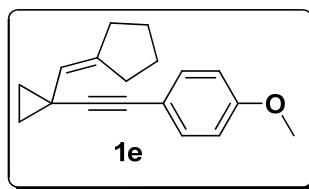
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3102 (s), 2978 (w), 2260 (w), 1438 (s), 904 (s), 793 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.34 ~ 7.31 (m, 2 H), 6.95 ~ 6.91 (m, 2 H), 5.11 (s, 1 H), 2.56 (t,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 2 H), 2.24 (t,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2 H), 1.73 ~ 1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.61 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.24 ~ 1.12 (m, 2 H), 0.92 ~ 0.78 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  161.9 (d,  $J = 246.0$  Hz), 147.9, 133.3 (d, 8.0 Hz), 120.4, 120.2 (d,  $J = 2.9$  Hz), 115.3 (d,  $J = 21.9$  Hz), 94.5, 74.7, 34.3, 29.5, 26.8, 26.1, 18.6, 11.8; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}$ : 240.1314, found: 240.1311.

**Spectral data for 1-chloro-4-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzene (**1d**).**



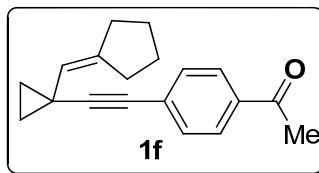
Colorless solid, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3092 (s), 2971 (w), 2249 (w), 1426 (s), 884 (s), 783 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.27 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 5.10 (s, 1 H), 2.54 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2 H), 2.23 (t,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2 H), 1.71 ~ 1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.61 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.19 ~ 1.16 (m, 2 H), 0.89 ~ 0.86 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.0, 133.2, 132.7, 128.4, 122.7, 120.2, 96.1, 74.8, 34.3, 29.5, 26.7, 26.1, 18.7, 11.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}$ : 256.1019, found: 256.1014.

**Spectral data for 1-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)-4-methoxybenzene (1e).**



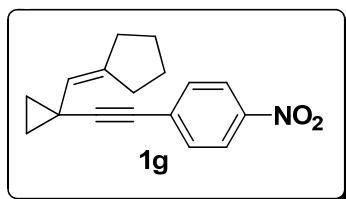
Yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3072 (s), 2968 (w), 2224 (w), 1455 (w), 1410 (s), 854 (s), 763 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.29 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2 H), 6.77 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2 H), 5.10 (s, 1 H), 3.80 (s, 3 H), 2.57 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2 H), 2.23 (t,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 2 H), 1.72 ~ 1.65 (m, 2 H), 1.60 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.17 ~ 1.15 (m, 2 H), 0.86 ~ 0.84 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  158.8, 147.6, 132.9, 120.7, 116.3, 113.7, 93.2, 75.6, 55.2, 34.4, 29.4, 26.8, 26.1, 18.6, 11.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}$ : 252.1514, found: 252.1510.

**Spectral data for 1-(4-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)phenyl)ethanone (1f).**



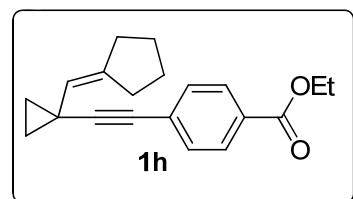
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3089 (s), 2978 (w), 2244 (w), 1685 (s), 1432 (s), 902 (s), 783 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.81 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2 H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2 H), 5.10 (s, 1 H), 2.54 ~ 2.49 (m, 5 H), 2.22 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2 H), 1.70 ~ 1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.58 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.21 ~ 1.18 (m, 2 H), 0.91 ~ 0.89 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  197.2, 148.1, 135.3, 131.4, 129.2, 128.0, 119.9, 99.0, 75.3, 34.2, 29.5, 26.6, 26.4, 26.0, 18.8, 11.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}$ : 264.1514, found: 264.1511.

**Spectral data for 1-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)-4-nitrobenzene (1f).**



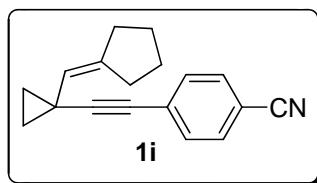
Brown oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3093 (s), 2984 (w), 2254 (w), 1651 (s), 1438 (s), 902 (s), 796 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.10 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2 H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2 H), 5.13 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1 H), 2.52 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2 H), 2.24 (t,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 2 H), 1.74 ~ 1.67 (m, 2 H), 1.62 ~ 1.55 (m, 2 H), 1.24 ~ 1.22 (m, 2 H), 0.95 ~ 0.93 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.9, 146.6, 132.3, 131.6, 123.7, 119.9, 101.9, 74.9, 34.5, 29.9, 27.0, 26.3, 19.3, 12.3; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_2$ : 267.1259, found: 267.1252.

**Spectral data for ethyl 4-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzoate (1h).**



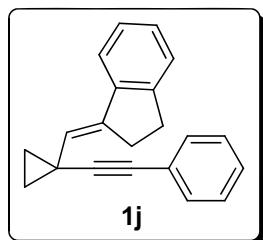
Yellow viscous oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3098 (s), 2975 (w), 2238 (w), 1726 (s), 1429 (s), 898 (s), 793 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.91 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 7.38 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 5.12 (s, 1 H), 4.33 (q,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2 H), 2.55 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2 H), 2.24 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2 H), 1.73 ~ 1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.61 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.36 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3 H), 1.26 ~ 1.15 (m, 2 H), 0.95 ~ 0.84 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.5, 148.5, 131.6, 129.5, 129.2, 129.1, 120.3, 98.8, 75.7, 61.2, 34.5, 29.8, 27.0, 26.3, 19.1, 14.5, 12.2; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_2$ : 294.1620, found: 294.1618.

**Spectral data for 4-((1-cyclopentylidenemethyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzonitrile (1i).**



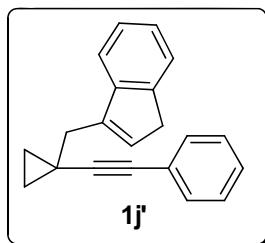
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3102 (s), 2985 (w), 2258 (m), 2231 (w), 1429 (s), 898 (s), 793 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.51 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 5.11 (s, 1 H), 2.51 (t,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 2 H), 2.23 (t,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2 H), 1.72 ~ 1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.62 ~ 1.54 (m, 2 H), 1.21 ~ 1.19 (m, 2 H), 0.93 ~ 0.92 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.5, 131.9, 131.8, 129.2, 119.7, 118.6, 110.4, 100.4, 74.6, 34.2, 29.5, 26.7, 26.0, 18.9, 11.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}$ : 247.1361, found: 247.1358.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((1-(phenylethyynyl)cyclopropyl)methylene)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene (1j):**



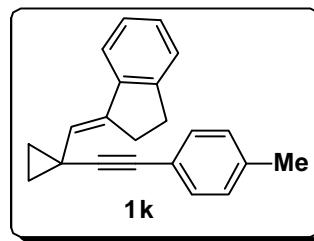
Yellow liquid ; IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3035 (s), 2985 (w), 2105 (w), 1421 (s), 890 (s), 753 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.46 ~ 7.44 (m, 3 H), 7.32 ~ 7.28 (m, 4 H), 7.23 ~ 7.21 (m, 2 H), 5.77 (t,  $J = 2.5$  Hz, 1 H), 3.24 ~ 3.20 (m, 2 H), 3.10 ~ 3.07 (m, 2 H), 1.43 ~ 1.40 (m, 2 H), 1.12 ~ 1.10 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.7, 145.5, 141.6, 131.5, 128.1, 127.8, 127.4, 126.3, 125.2, 123.9, 119.8, 119.6, 94.2, 76.5, 30.5, 28.5, 19.3, 12.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}$ : 270.1409; found: 270.1412.

**Spectral data for 3-((1-(phenylethynyl)cyclopropyl)methyl)-1*H*-indene (1j').**



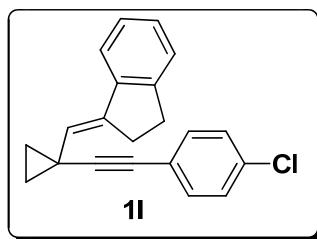
Yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3055 (s), 2981(w), 2125 (w), 1432 (s), 870 (s), 683 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.52 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1 H), 7.38 ~ 7.34 (m, 3 H), 7.31 ~ 7.26 (m, 4 H), 6.65 (s, 1 H), 3.45 (s, 2 H), 2.82 (s, 2 H), 1.19 ~ 1.17 (m, 2 H), 0.93 ~ 0.90 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.8, 144.4, 141.6, 131.6, 130.3, 128.2, 127.5, 126.1, 124.6, 124.1, 123.8, 119.1, 95.6, 77.5, 38.1, 35.7, 16.0, 11.5; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}$ : 270.1409, found: 270.1404.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((1-(p-tolylethynyl)cyclopropyl)methylene)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene (1k):**



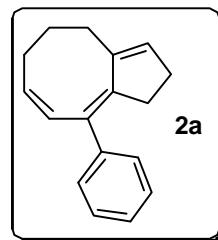
Yellow liquid ; IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3035 (s), 2105 (w), 2122 (w), 1422 (s), 778 (s), 676 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.37 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1 H), 7.28 ~ 7.20 (m, 3 H), 7.16 ~ 7.14 (m, 2 H), 7.06 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 2 H), 5.69 (s, 1 H), 3.14 ~ 3.12 (m, 2 H), 3.03 ~ 3.00 (m, 2 H), 2.31 (s, 3 H), 1.34 ~ 1.32 (m, 2 H), 1.05 ~ 1.02 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.7, 145.4, 141.7, 137.4, 131.4, 128.9, 127.7, 126.3, 125.2, 120.9, 119.8, 119.7, 93.3, 76.5, 30.5, 28.5, 21.3, 19.3, 12.2; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{20}$ : 284.1565; found: 284.1568.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((1-((4-chlorophenyl)ethynyl)cyclopropyl)methylene)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene (1l):**



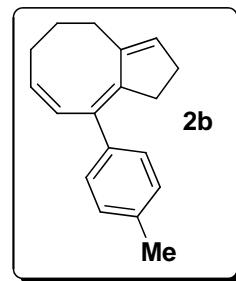
Yellow liquid ; IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3102 (s), 2982 (w), 2232 (w), 1424 (s), 998 (s), 756 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.41 ~ 7.40 (m, 1 H), 7.34 ~ 7.31 (m, 2 H), 7.27 ~ 7.24 (m, 3 H), 7.21 ~ 7.18 (m, 2 H), 5.74 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz, 1 H), 3.17 ~ 3.13 (m, 2 H), 3.07 ~ 3.03 (m, 2 H), 1.37 (t,  $J = 3.1$  Hz, 2 H), 1.08 (t,  $J = 3.1$  Hz, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.7, 141.5, 133.3, 132.7, 128.4, 127.9, 126.3, 125.2, 122.4, 119.8, 119.3, 95.3, 75.4, 30.5, 28.5, 19.3, 12.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}$ : 304.1019; found: 304.1017.

**Spectral data for (7*Z*,9*E*)-9-phenyl-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulene (2a).**



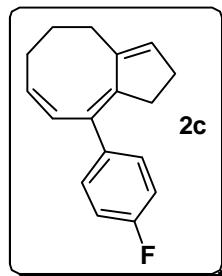
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2932 (s), 2838 (w), 1012 (s), 889 (s), 749 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.28 ~ 7.25 (m, 2 H), 7.24 ~ 7.18 (m, 3 H), 6.15 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.78 ~ 5.69 (m, 2 H), 2.57 ~ 2.53 (m, 4 H), 2.41 ~ 2.39 (m, 2 H), 2.34 ~ 2.32 (m, 2 H), 1.92 ~ 1.87 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  141.0, 140.6, 138.3, 134.4, 133.1, 131.4, 128.1, 127.0, 126.8, 124.8, 38.4, 36.1, 31.2, 26.9, 23.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}$ : 222.1409, found: 222.1408.

**Spectral data for (7Z,9E)-9-p-tolyl-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulene (**2b**).**



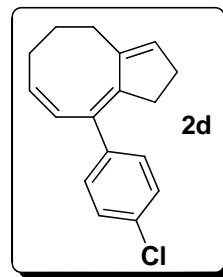
Yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2938 (s), 2843 (w), 1012 (s), 869 (s), 731 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.12 ~ 7.07 (m, 4 H), 6.11 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.76 ~ 5.69 (m, 2 H), 2.55 ~ 2.53 (m, 4 H), 2.41 ~ 2.38 (m, 2 H), 2.35 ~ 2.33 (m, 2 H), 2.31 (s, 3 H), 1.92 ~ 1.88 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  140.9, 138.1, 137.8, 136.4, 134.5, 132.4, 131.4, 128.8, 126.9, 124.8, 38.4, 36.2, 31.3, 26.8, 23.1, 21.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}$ : 236.1565, found: 236.1575.

**Spectral data for (7Z,9E)-9-(4-fluorophenyl)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulene (2c).**



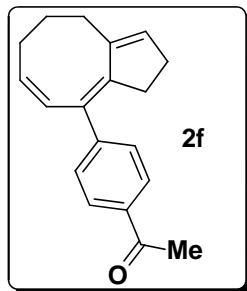
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3098 (s), 2878 (w), 1438 (s), 958 (s), 779 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.17 ~ 7.14 (m, 2 H), 6.97 ~ 6.92 (m, 2 H), 6.09 (t,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.79 ~ 5.68 (m, 2 H), 2.57 ~ 2.52 (m, 4 H), 2.41 ~ 2.37 (m, 2 H), 2.32 ~ 2.28 (m, 2 H), 1.93 ~ 1.85 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  162.0 (d,  $J$  = 243.8 Hz), 140.1, 138.5, 136.7 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz), 134.1, 133.0, 131.5, 128.5 (d,  $J$  = 7.3 Hz), 124.8, 114.9 (d,  $J$  = 20.5 Hz), 38.4, 36.1, 31.2, 26.9, 23.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}$ : 240.1314, found: 240.1315.

**Spectral data for (7Z,9E)-9-(4-chlorophenyl)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulene (2d).**



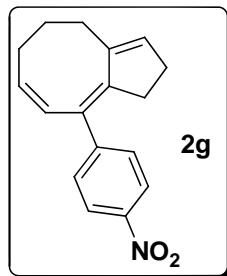
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3035 (s), 2873 (w), 1421(s), 943 (s), 769 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.23 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 7.13 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 6.12 (t,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1 H), 5.77 ~ 5.68 (m, 2 H), 2.56 ~ 2.52 (m, 4 H), 2.41 ~ 2.38 (m, 2 H), 2.31 ~ 2.28 (m, 2 H), 1.92 ~ 1.87 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  140.0, 139.1, 138.7, 133.9, 133.6, 132.5, 131.5, 128.3, 128.2, 124.7, 38.4, 36.0, 31.1, 26.9, 23.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}$ : 256.1019, found: 256.1022.

**Spectral data for 1-(4-((7Z,9E)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulen-9-yl)phenyl)ethanone (2f).**



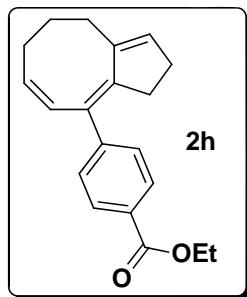
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3012 (s), 2852 (w), 1647 (s), 903 (s), 785 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.86 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2 H), 6.25 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 5.78 ~ 5.69 (m, 2 H), 2.60 ~ 2.54 (m, 7 H), 2.42 ~ 2.39 (m, 2 H), 2.32 ~ 2.29 (m, 2 H), 1.93 ~ 1.88 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  197.8, 145.5, 140.3, 139.1, 135.5, 135.2, 133.6, 131.5, 128.4, 127.1, 124.7, 38.4, 36.0, 31.0, 27.0, 26.6, 23.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}$ : 264.1514, found: 264.1507.

**Spectral data for (7Z,9E)-9-(4-nitrophenyl)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1H-cyclopenta[8]annulene (2g).**



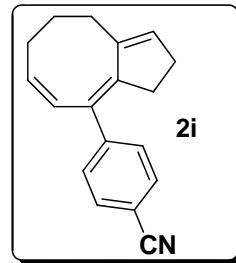
Deep yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3072 (s), 2972 (w), 1653 (s), 1238 (s), 932 (s), 791 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.13 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 2 H), 6.30 (t,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1 H), 5.79 ~ 5.70 (m, 2 H), 2.62 ~ 2.55 (m, 4 H), 2.44 ~ 2.40 (m, 2 H), 2.31 ~ 2.28 (m, 2 H), 1.95 ~ 1.90 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  147.3, 139.8, 139.6, 136.7, 132.9, 131.7, 127.6, 124.6, 123.6, 123.4, 38.4, 36.0, 30.9, 27.1, 23.1; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_2$ : 267.1259, found: 267.1252.

**Spectral data for ethyl 4-((7Z,9E)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1H-cyclopenta[8]annulen-9-yl)benzoate (2h).**



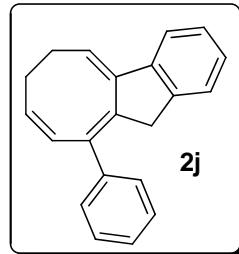
Yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3056 (s), 2971 (w), 1711 (s), 912 (s), 786 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.94 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2 H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2 H), 6.24 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 5.79 ~ 5.69 (m, 2 H), 4.34 (q,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 2 H), 2.59 ~ 2.54 (m, 4 H), 2.42 ~ 2.39 (m, 2 H), 2.31 ~ 2.29 (m, 2 H), 1.93 ~ 1.88 (m, 2 H), 1.37 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.6, 145.2, 140.5, 139.0, 134.9, 133.8, 131.5, 129.5, 128.7, 126.9, 124.8, 60.8, 38.4, 36.1, 31.0, 27.0, 23.1, 14.3; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_2$ : 294.1620, found: 294.1619.

**Spectral data for 4-((7Z,9E)-2,4,5,6-tetrahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[8]annulen-9-yl)benzonitrile (2i).**



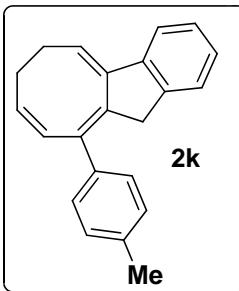
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3097 (s), 2983 (w), 2258 (m), 998 (s), 793 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.55 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2 H), 6.24 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 5.77 ~ 5.69 (m, 2 H), 2.59 ~ 2.53 (m, 4 H), 2.42 ~ 2.39 (m, 2 H), 2.29 ~ 2.27 (m, 2 H), 1.93 ~ 1.88 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.5, 140.1, 140.0, 136.3, 133.3, 132.3, 131.9, 127.8, 124.9, 119.4, 110.4, 38.6, 36.2, 31.2, 27.3, 23.3; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}$ : 247.1361, found: 247.1365.

**Spectral data for (4bE,8Z,10E)-10-phenyl-7,11-dihydro-6H-cycloocta[a]indene (2j):**



Yellow liquid ; IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2935 (s), 2853 (w), 2821(w), 870 (s), 687 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz ,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.44 ~ 7.32 (m, 4 H), 7.30 ~ 7.20 (m, 5 H), 6.40 ~ 6.32 (m, 2 H), 6.14 ~ 6.08 (m, 1H), 3.44 (s, 2H), 2.67 ~ 2.62 (m, 2 H), 2.56 ~ 2.54 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  146.1, 143.5, 141.8, 140.7, 139.4, 137.8, 134.7, 128.2, 127.5, 127.1, 126.4, 124.8, 123.5, 120.8, 119.4, 40.5, 31.3, 27.0; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}$ : 270.1409; found: 270.1411.

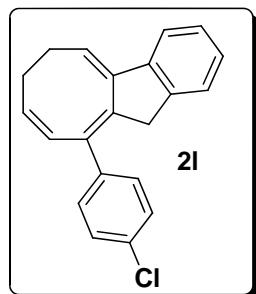
**Spectral data for (4bE,8Z,10E)-10-p-tolyl-7,11-dihydro-6H-cycloocta[a]indene (2k):**



Yellow liquid ; IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2937 (s), 2848 (w), 2810 (w), 865 (s), 683 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz ,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.42 ~ 7.34 (m, 3 H), 7.24 ~ 7.20 (m, 1 H), 7.15 ~ 7.09 (m, 4 H), 6.37 ~ 6.28 (m, 2 H), 6.11 ~ 6.07 (m, 1 H), 3.43 (s, 2 H), 2.63 ~ 2.60 (m, 2 H), 2.59 ~ 2.52 (m, 2 H), 2.33 (s, 3H);

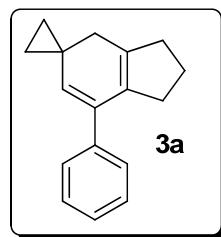
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 146.1, 143.5, 140.4, 139.6, 139.0, 137.6, 136.8, 134.7, 134.1, 128.9, 127.4, 126.3, 124.8, 123.5, 120.8, 119.4, 40.5, 31.4, 26.9, 21.1; HRMS calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>: 284.1565; found: 284.1569.

**Spectral data for (4bE,8Z,10E)-10-(4-chlorophenyl)-7,11-dihydro-6H-cycloocta[a]indene (2l):**



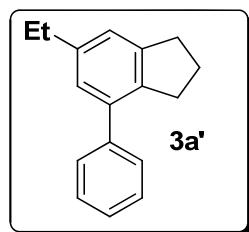
Yellow liquid ; IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3092 (s), 2987 (w), 1431(w) 981 (s), 772 (s); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.42 ~ 7.34 (m, 4 H), 7.26 ~ 7.15 (m, 4 H), 6.37 ~ 6.28 (m, 2 H), 6.12 ~ 6.07 (m, 1 H), 3.38 (s, 2 H), 2.63 ~ 2.60 (m, 2 H), 2.59 ~ 2.52 (m, 2 H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 145.9, 143.4, 140.2, 139.6, 138.7, 135.2, 134.9, 132.9, 128.8, 128.4, 126.4, 125.0, 123.5, 120.8, 119.5, 40.4, 31.2, 27.0; HRMS calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>17</sub>Cl: 304.1019; found: 304.1021.

**Spectral data for 7'-phenyl-1',2',3',4'-tetrahydrospiro[cyclopropane-1,5'-indene] (3a).**



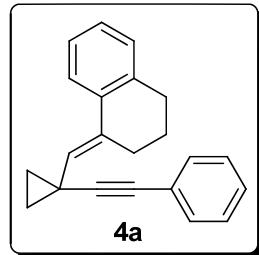
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3017 (s), 2897 (w), 1641 (w), 1442 (s), 886 (s), 679 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.33 ~ 7.31 (m, 2 H), 7.25 ~ 7.22 (m, 3 H), 5.56 (s, 1 H), 2.41 ~ 2.31 (m, 4 H), 2.21 (s, 2 H), 1.92 ~ 1.84 (m, 2 H), 1.02 ~ 0.99 (m, 2 H), 0.72 ~ 0.70 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  142.3, 131.5, 128.1, 127.3, 125.8, 124.2, 95.5, 39.8, 35.4, 32.4, 23.6, 15.7, 11.6; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}$ : 222.1409, found: 222.1408.

**Spectral data for 6-ethyl-4-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene (3a').**



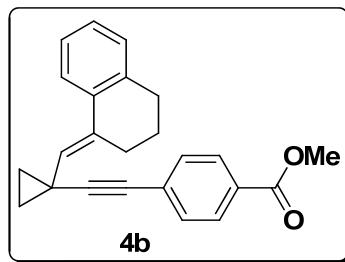
Colorless oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3011 (s), 2963(s), 2863 (w), 1632 (w), 1210 (w), 856 (s), 669 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.46 ~ 7.38 (m, 4 H), 7.33 ~ 7.28 (m, 1 H), 7.09 (s, 1 H), 7.03 (s, 1 H), 2.96 ~ 2.91 (m, 4 H), 2.66 (q,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2 H), 2.07 ~ 1.99 (m, 2 H), 1.26 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 3 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  145.2, 142.8, 141.7, 139.2, 138.0, 128.5, 128.2, 126.7, 126.3, 123.0, 33.2, 32.4, 28.7, 25.9, 15.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}$ : 222.1409, found: 222.1402.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((1-(phenylethynyl)cyclopropyl)methylene)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalene (4a).**



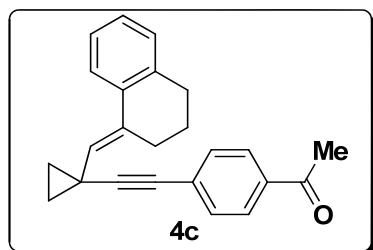
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3034 (s), 2986 (w), 2125 (w), 1425 (s), 895 (s), 755 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.54 ~ 7.52 (m, 1 H), 7.37 ~ 7.35 (m, 2 H), 7.27 ~ 7.22 (m, 3 H), 7.14 ~ 7.12 (m, 2 H), 7.09 ~ 7.07 (m, 1 H), 5.99 (s, 1 H), 2.95 ~ 2.91 (m, 2 H), 2.80 (t,  $J = 6.2$  Hz, 2 H), 1.93 ~ 1.86 (m, 2 H), 1.36 ~ 1.33 (m, 2 H), 1.03 ~ 1.00 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  140.2, 137.6, 135.6, 131.5, 128.9, 128.4, 128.1, 127.4, 127.1, 126.0, 124.0, 123.7, 94.5, 75.8, 30.4, 27.7, 23.0, 19.2, 10.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{20}$ : 284.1565, found: 284.1561.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-methyl 4-((1-((3,4-dihydonaphthalen-1(2*H*)-ylidene)methyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzoate (4b).**



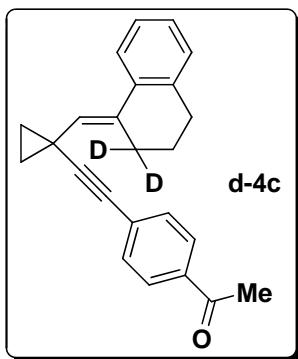
Pale yellow viscous oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3098 (s), 2991 (w), 2205 (w), 1713 (s), 1432 (s), 915 (s), 768 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.91 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.52 ~ 7.51 (m, 1 H), 7.39 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.13 ~ 7.08 (m, 3 H), 5.98 (s, 1 H), 3.88 (s, 3 H), 2.89 (t,  $J$  = 5.4 Hz, 2 H), 2.79 (t,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 2 H), 1.90 ~ 1.87 (m, 2 H), 1.37 ~ 1.36 (m, 2 H), 1.05 ~ 1.03 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.7, 140.6, 137.6, 135.4, 131.4, 129.3, 129.0, 128.9, 128.6, 127.2, 126.0, 123.7, 123.4, 98.2, 75.3, 52.1, 30.4, 27.7, 23.0, 19.3, 11.0; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_2$ : 342.1620, found: 342.1617.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((4-((1-((3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1(2*H*)-ylidene)methyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)phenyl)ethanone (4c).**



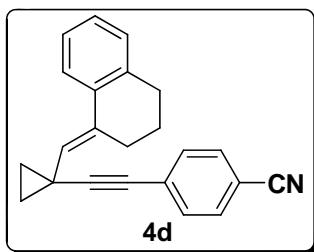
Pale yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3087 (s), 2988 (w), 2243 (w), 1681 (s), 1422 (s), 892 (s), 763 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.83 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.52 ~ 7.51 (m, 1 H), 7.41 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.13 ~ 7.09 (m, 3 H), 5.98 (s, 1 H), 2.88 (t,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 2.79 (t,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 2 H), 2.56 (s, 3 H), 1.90 ~ 1.85 (m, 2 H), 1.38 ~ 1.36 (m, 2 H), 1.05 ~ 1.04 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  197.3, 140.6, 137.6, 135.4, 135.3, 131.5, 129.1, 128.9, 128.1, 127.2, 126.0, 123.6, 123.3, 98.6, 75.3, 30.4, 27.7, 26.5, 22.9, 19.3, 11.0; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}$ : 326.1671, found: 326.1669.

Spectral data for compound (**d-4c**).



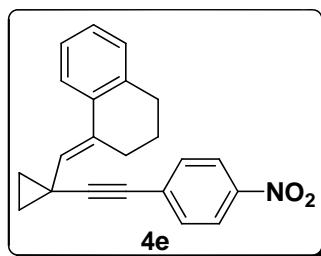
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Spectral data for (*E*)-(4-((1-((3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1(2*H*)-ylidene)methyl)cyclopropyl)ethynyl)benzonitrile (**4d**).



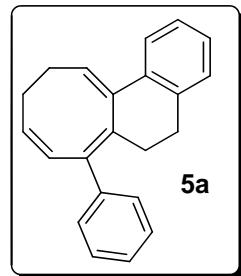
Yellow viscous oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3106 (s), 2981 (w), 2248 (m), 2231 (w), 1429 (s), 895 (s), 783 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.754 ~ 7.52 (m, 3 H), 7.41 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.17 ~ 7.08 (m, 3 H), 5.99 (s, 1 H), 2.85 (t,  $J$  = 5.8 Hz, 2 H), 2.80 (t,  $J$  = 6.2 Hz, 2 H), 1.92 ~ 1.86 (m, 2 H), 1.39 ~ 1.36 (m, 2 H), 1.08 ~ 1.05 (m, 2 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  140.8, 137.6, 135.2, 132.0, 131.8, 129.0, 128.9, 127.3, 126.0, 123.6, 123.0, 118.6, 110.5, 99.8, 74.6, 30.3, 27.7, 22.9, 19.4, 10.9; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}$ : 309.1517, found: 309.1512.

**Spectral data for (*E*)-1-((1-((4-nitrophenyl)ethynyl)cyclopropyl)methylene)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalene (4e).**



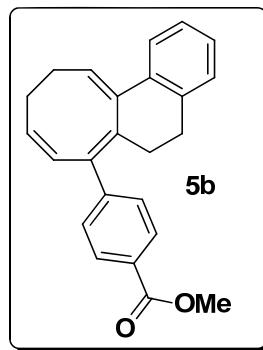
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**Spectral data for (*6aE,8Z,12E*)-7-phenyl-5,6,10,11-tetrahydrocycloocta[*a*]naphthalene (**5a**).**



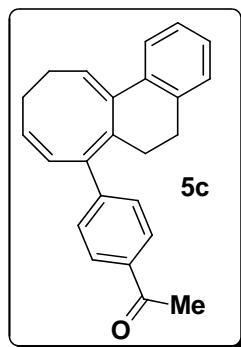
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**Spectral data for methyl 4-((*6aE,8Z,12E*)-5,6,10,11-tetrahydrocycloocta[*a*]naphthalene-7-yl)benzoate (**5b**).**



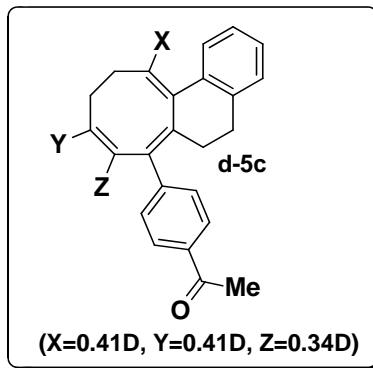
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**Spectral data for 1-(4-((6aE,8Z,12E)-5,6,10,11-tetrahydrocycloocta[a]naphthalen-7-yl)phenyl)ethanone (5c).**



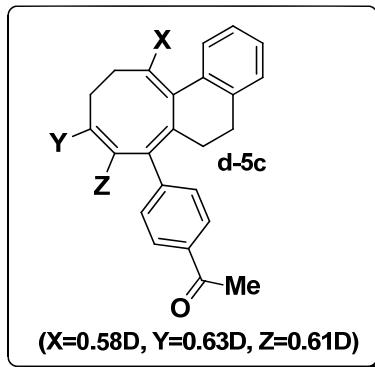
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Spectral data for compound (d-5c).



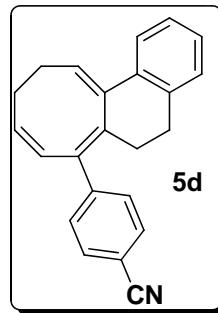
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Spectral data for compound (d-5c).



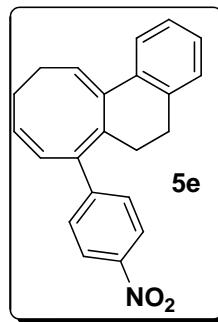
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**Spectral data for 4-((6a*E*,8*Z*,12*E*)-5,6,10,11-tetrahydrocycloocta[*a*]naphthalen-7-yl)benzonitrile (5d).**



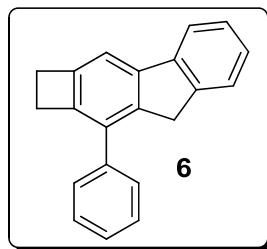
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**Spectral data for (6a*E*,8*Z*,12*E*)-7-(4-nitrophenyl)-5,6,10,11-tetrahydrocycloocta[*a*]naphthalene (5e).**

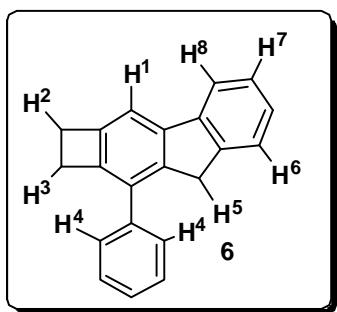


Yellow oil, IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3079 (s), 2975 (w), 1649 (s), 1338 (s), 932 (s), 823 (s);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.17 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2 H), 7.53 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2 H), 7.37 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1 H), 7.25 ~ 7.17 (m, 3 H), 6.41 (dd,  $J = 9.5, 6.4$  Hz, 1 H), 6.07 (d,  $J = 12.8$  Hz, 1 H), 5.96 ~ 5.95 (m, 1 H), 2.86 ~ 2.81 (m, 2 H), 2.76 ~ 2.73 (m, 1 H), 2.58 ~ 2.54 (m, 1 H), 2.30 ~ 2.24 (m, 3 H), 2.10 ~ 2.07 (m, 1 H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  147.4, 146.7, 143.0, 135.9, 135.3, 134.3, 133.5, 132.1, 131.6, 127.4, 127.3, 127.2, 126.7, 126.5, 125.5, 123.8, 28.7, 28.5, 27.6, 27.4; HRMS calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_2$ : 329.1416, found: 329.1416.

**Spectral data for 9-phenyl-2,8-dihydro-1*H*-cyclobuta[*b*]fluorene (6).**

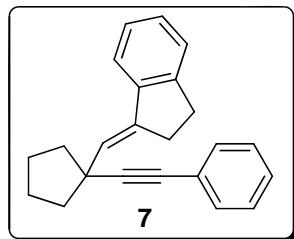


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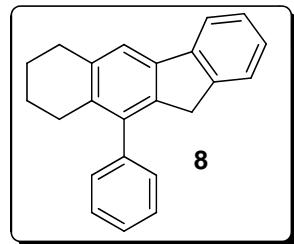
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H <sup>3</sup> ( $\delta$ 3.27 ~ 3.25)	H <sup>4</sup> ( $\delta$ 7.58, 3.36 %),
H <sup>5</sup> ( $\delta$ 3.94)	H <sup>4</sup> ( $\delta$ 7.58, 6.98 %), H <sup>6</sup> ( $\delta$ 7.48 ~ 7.45, 2.73 %),

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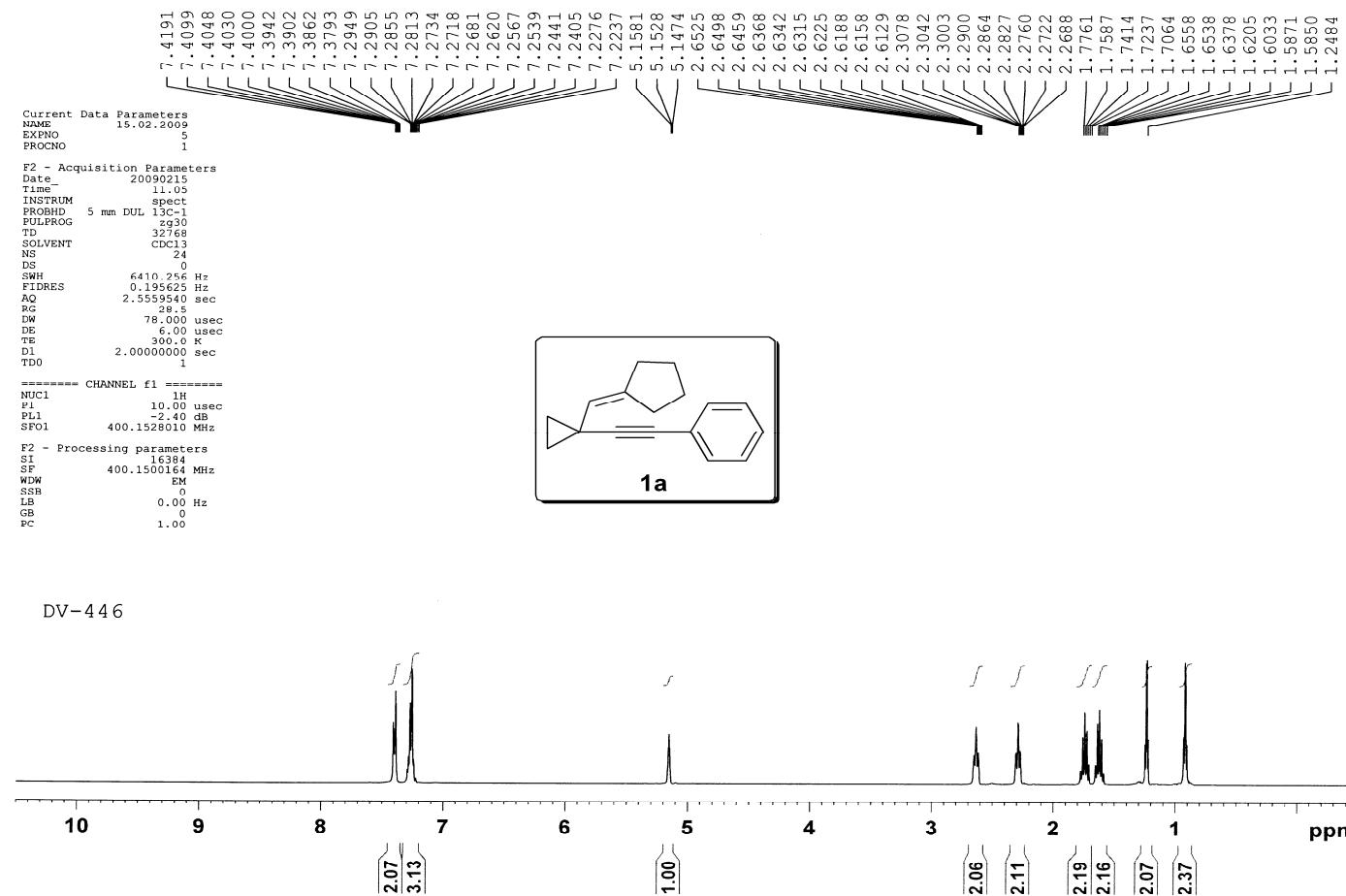
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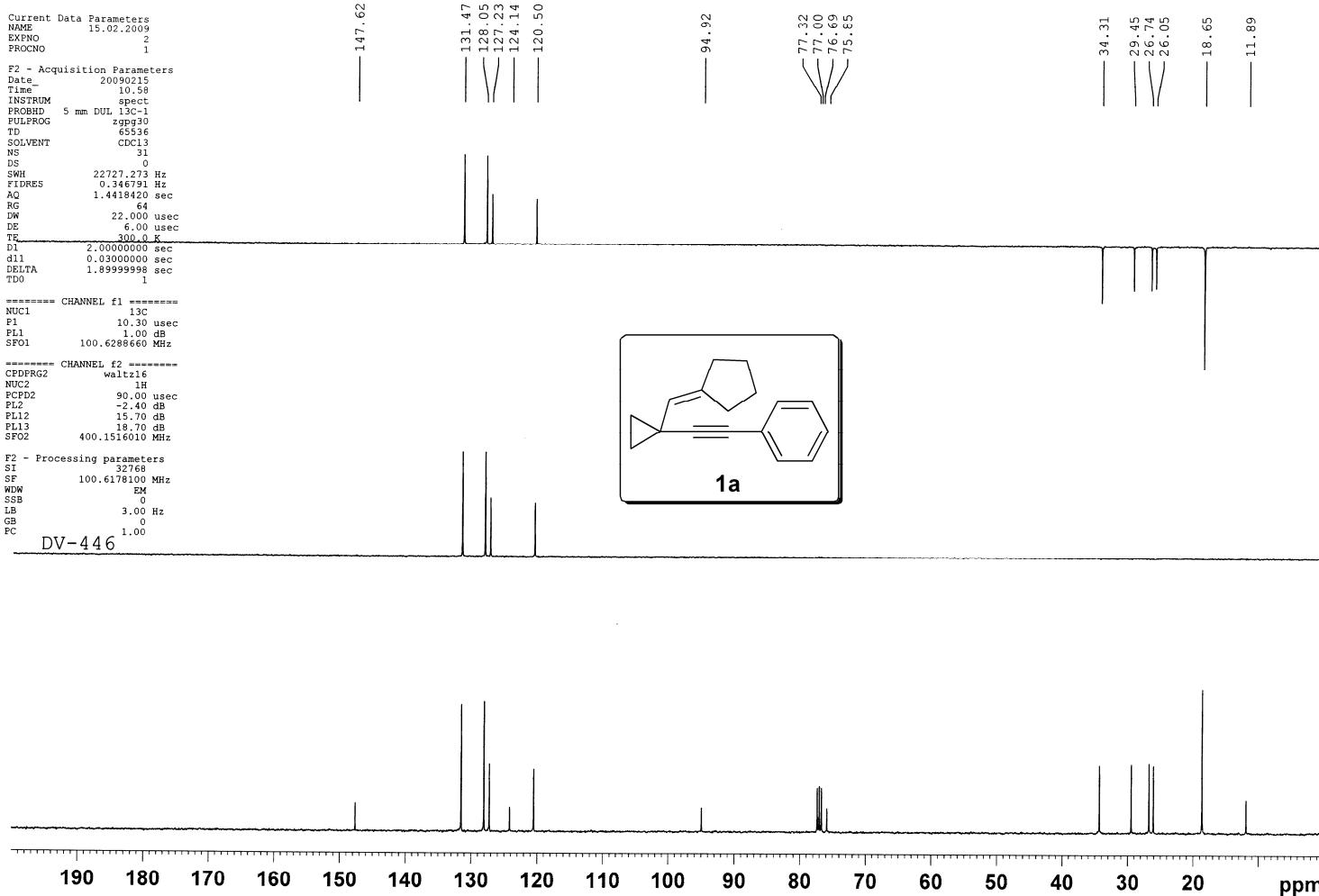
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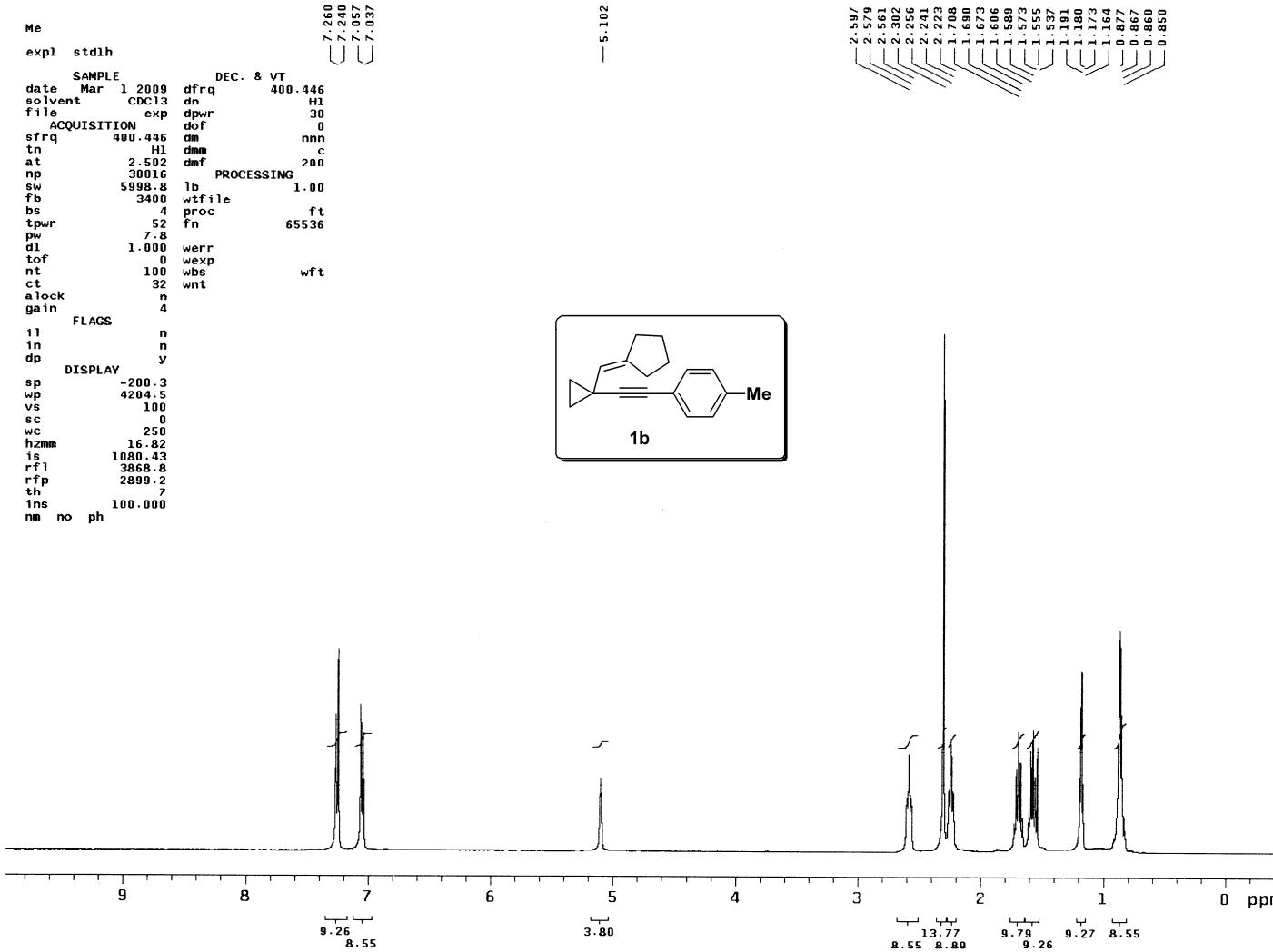
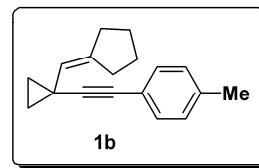
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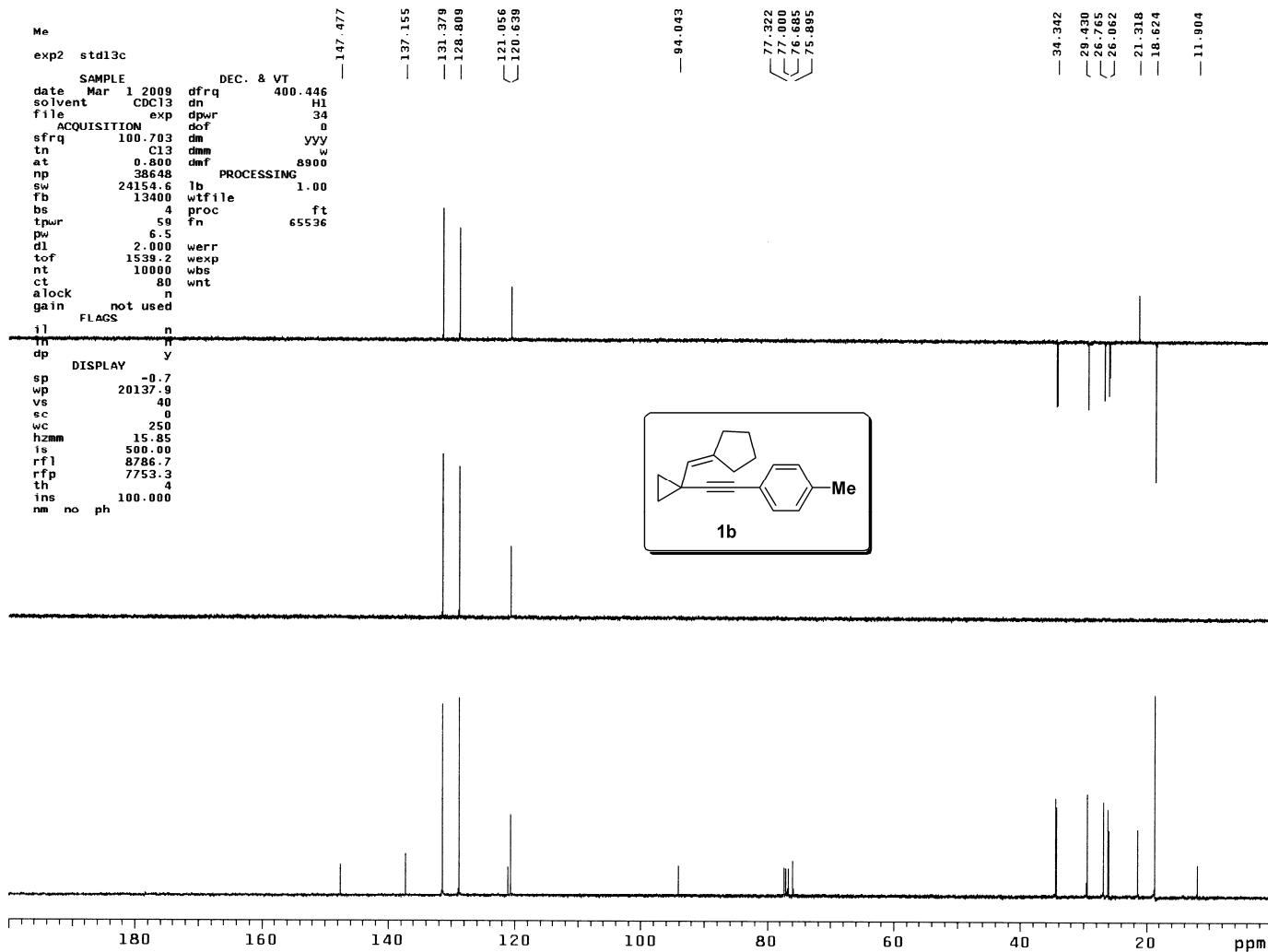
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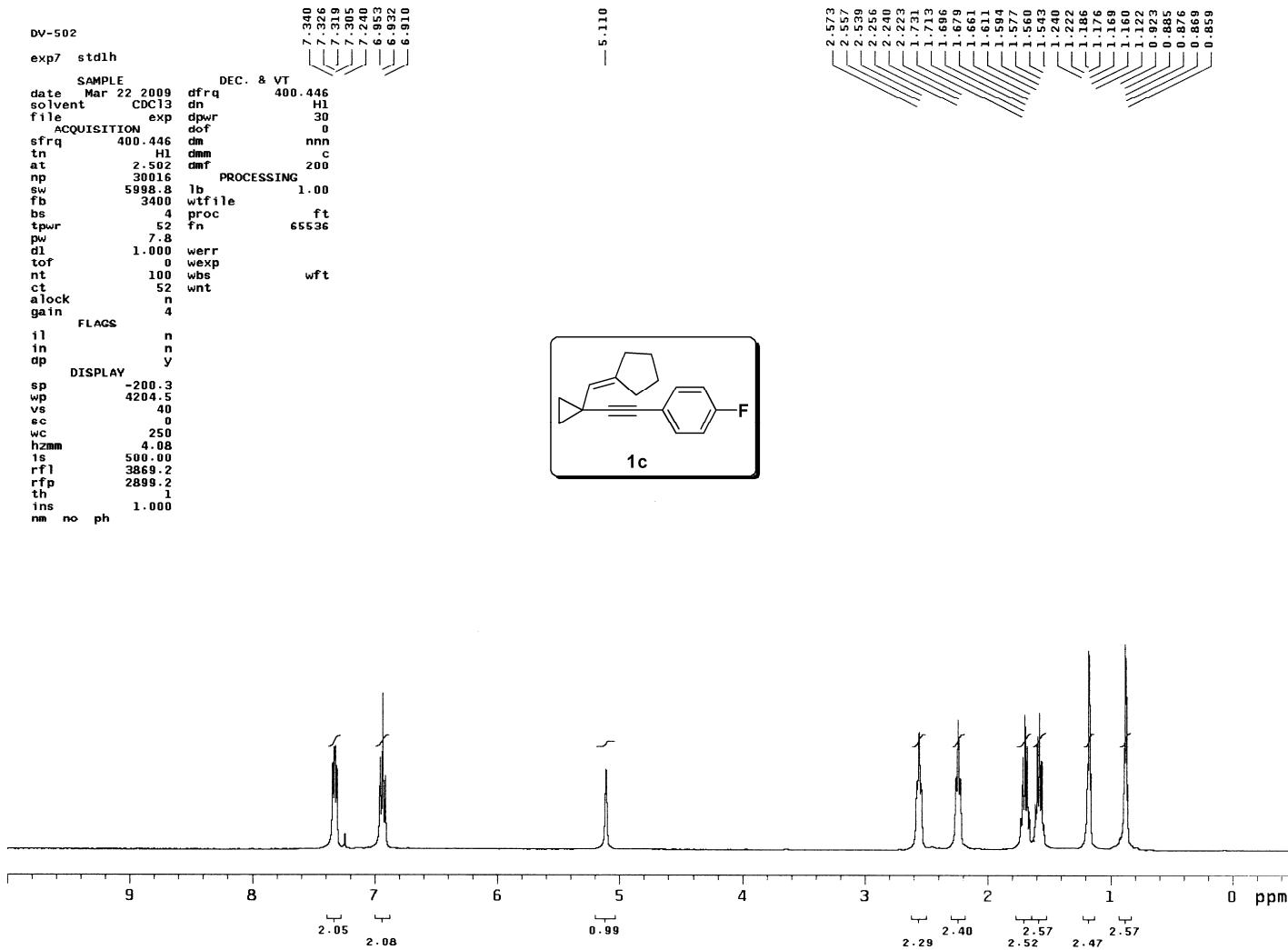
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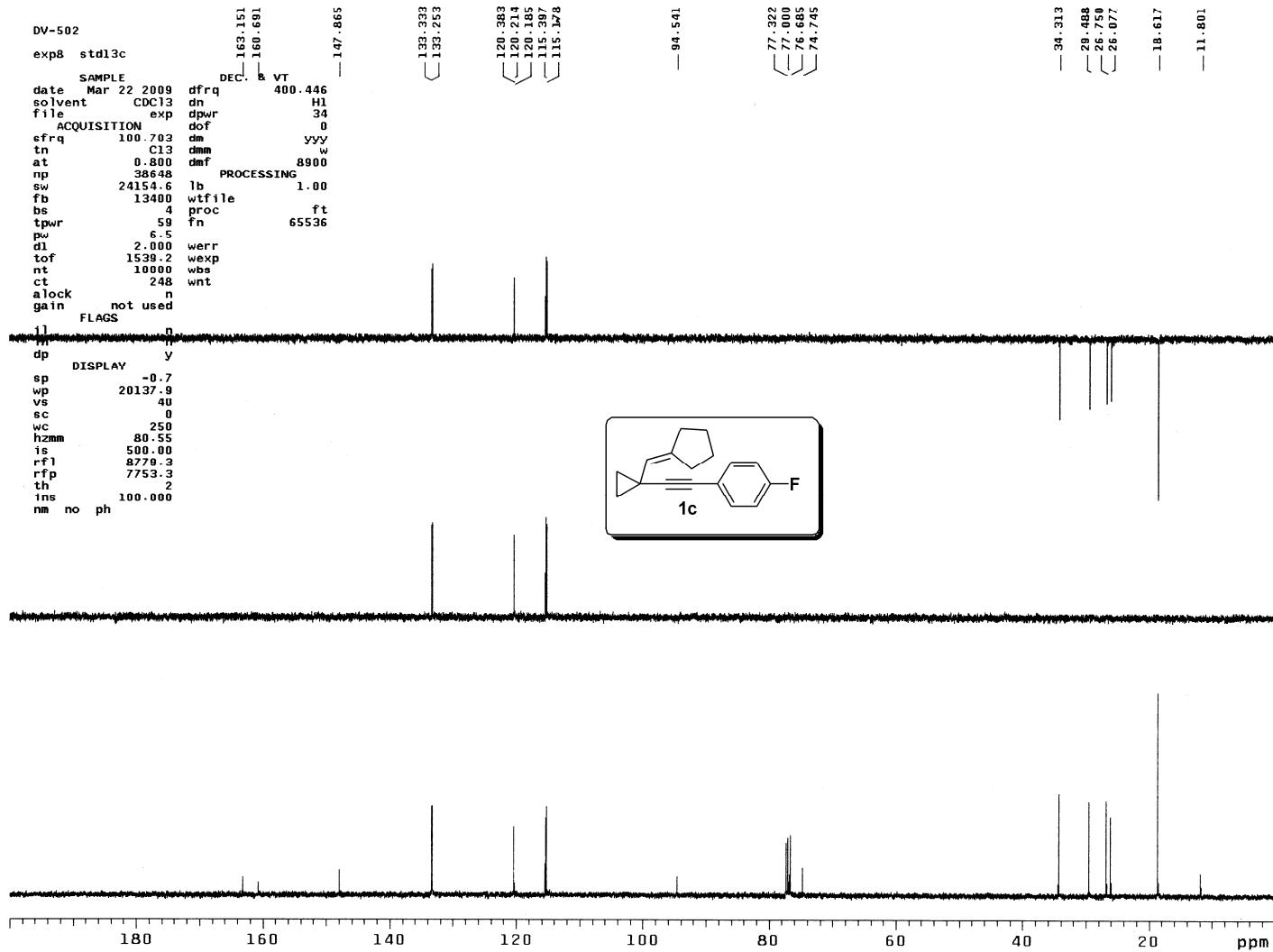
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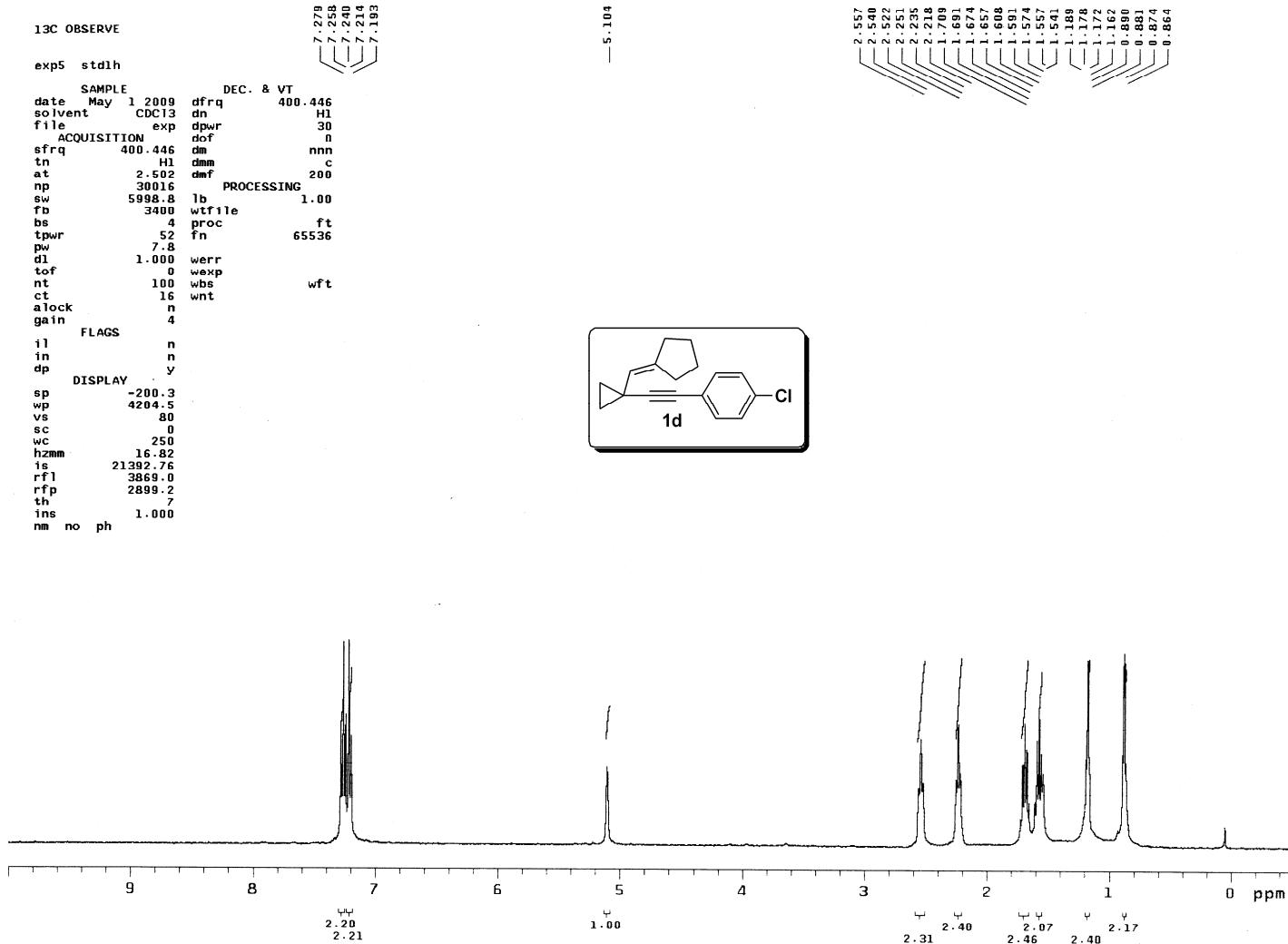
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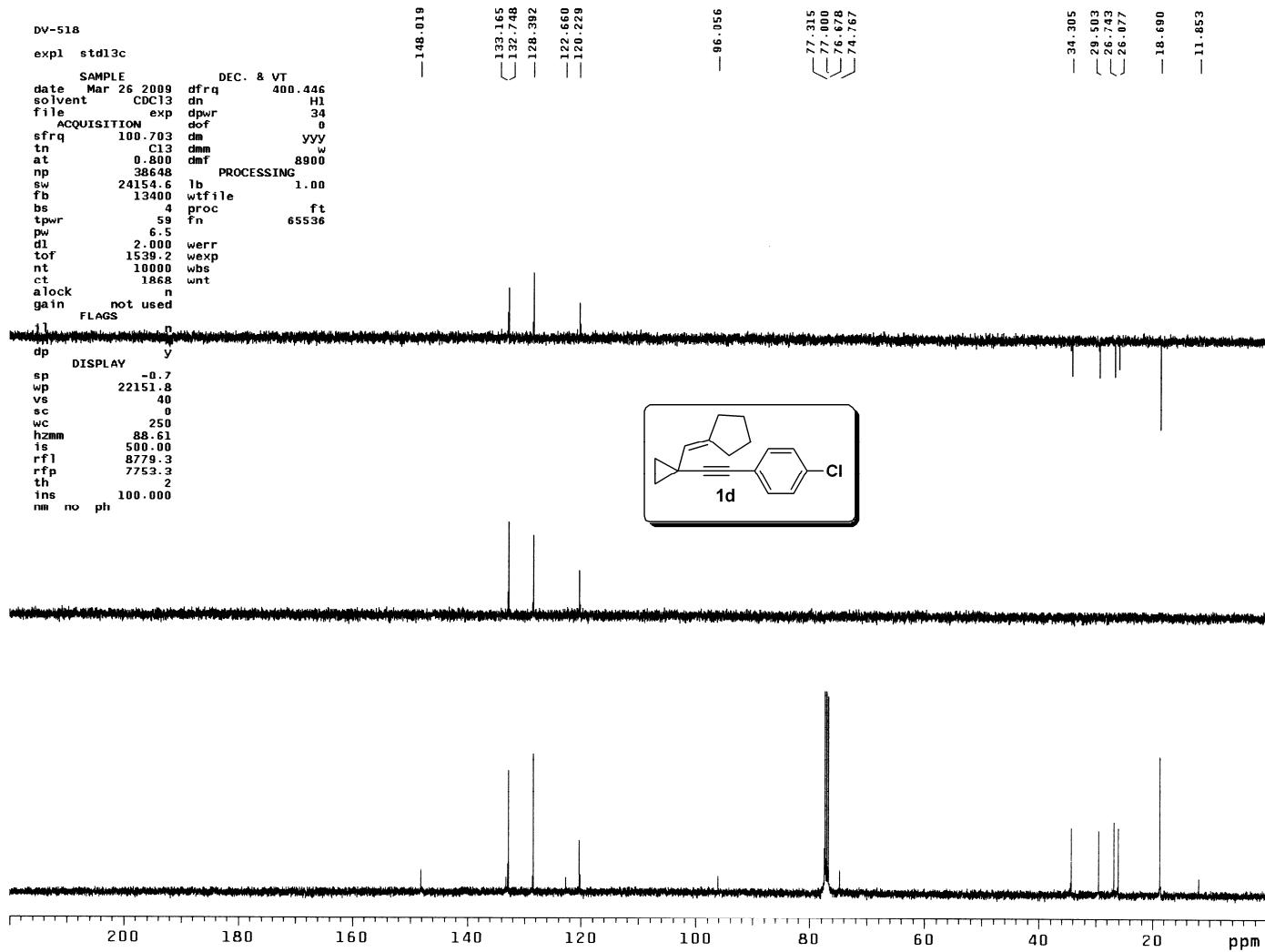


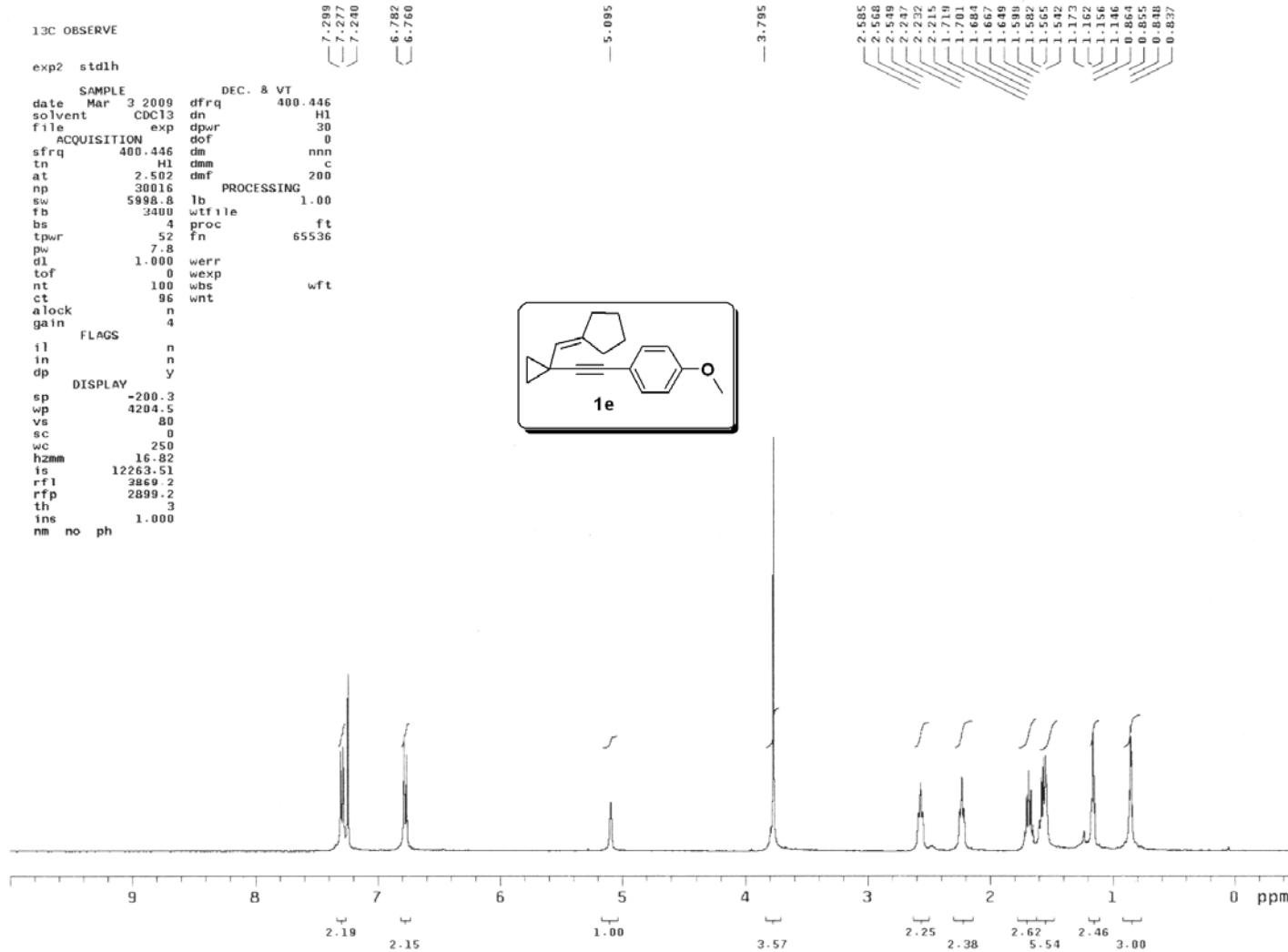


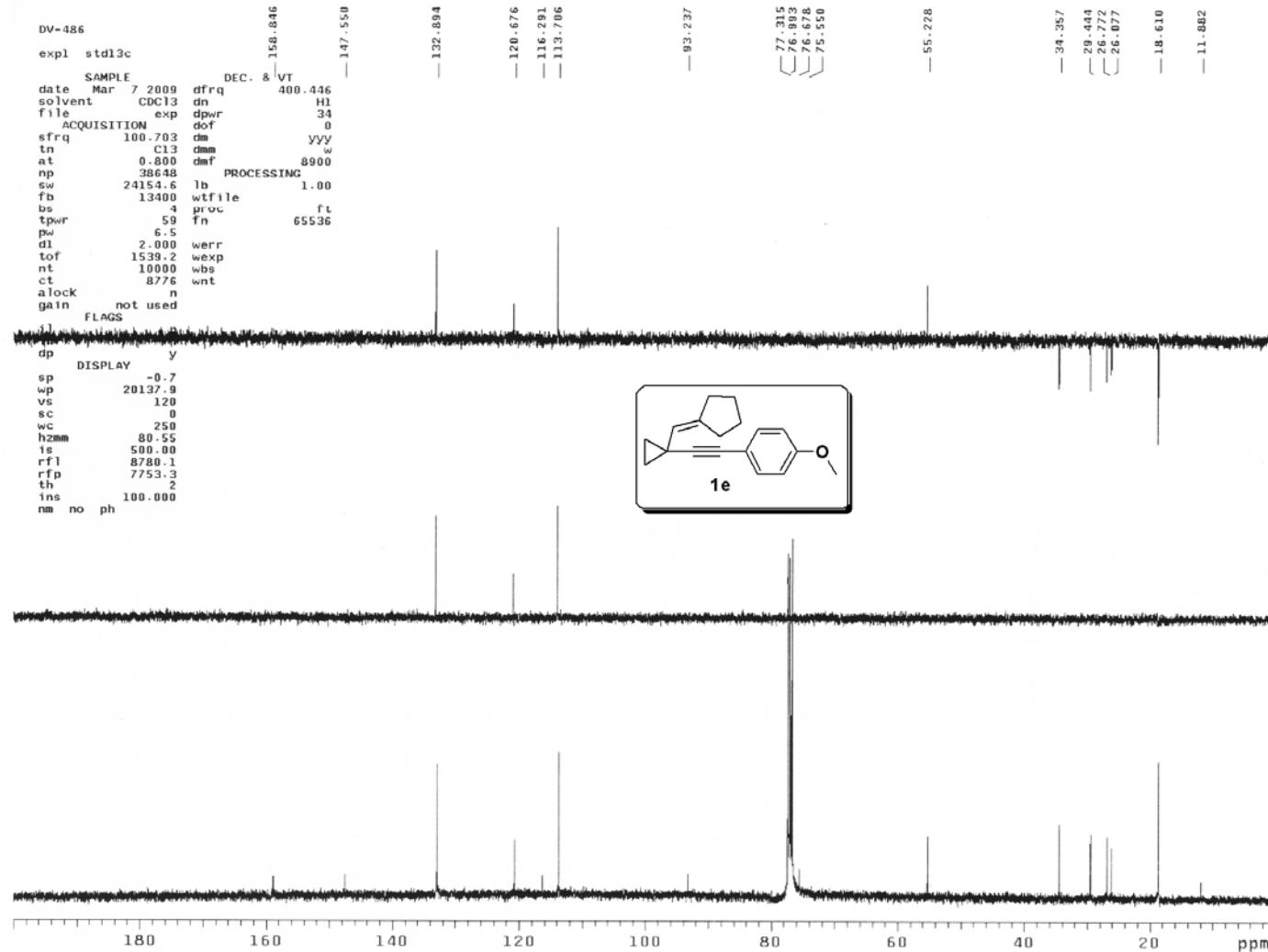


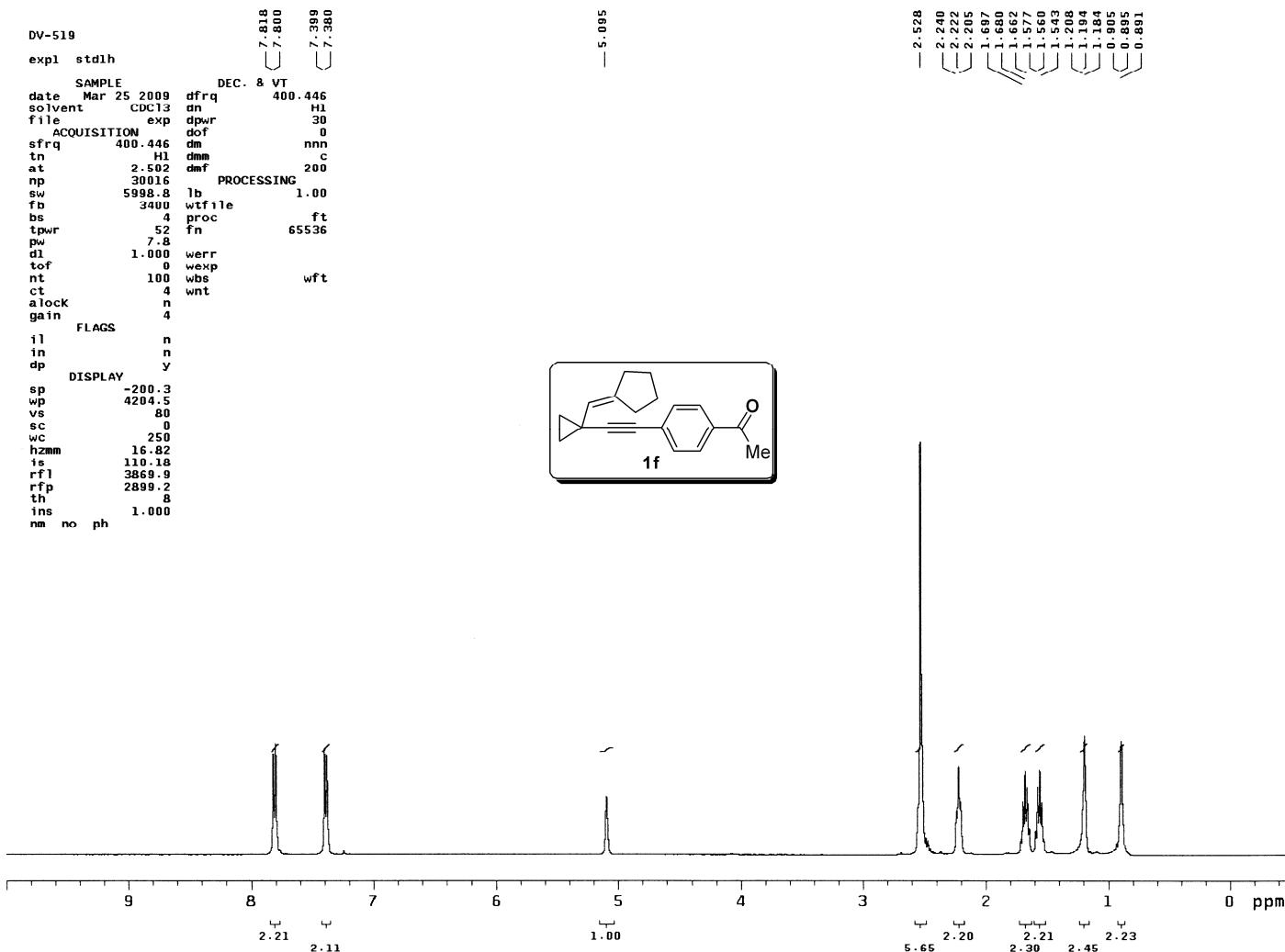


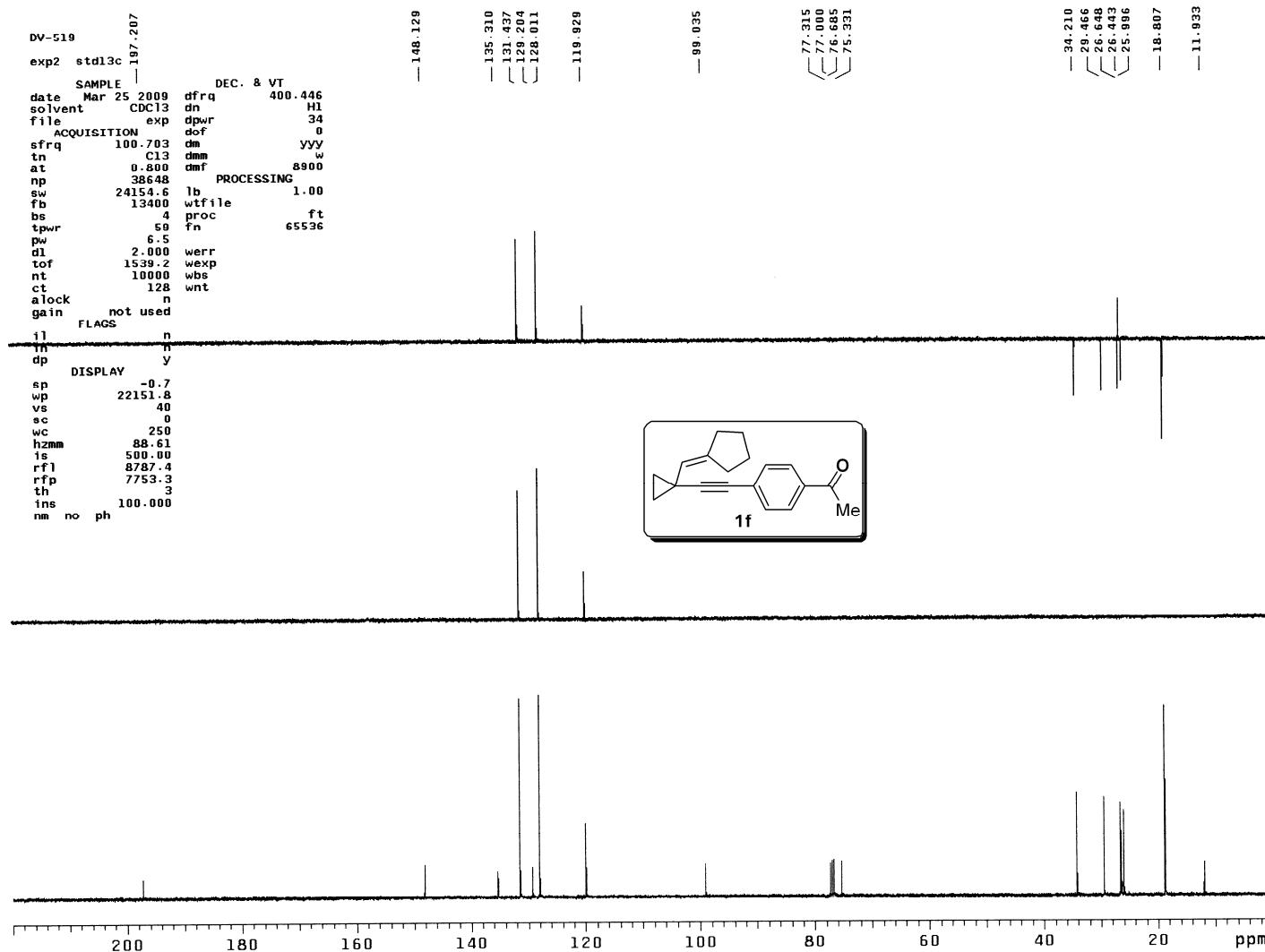


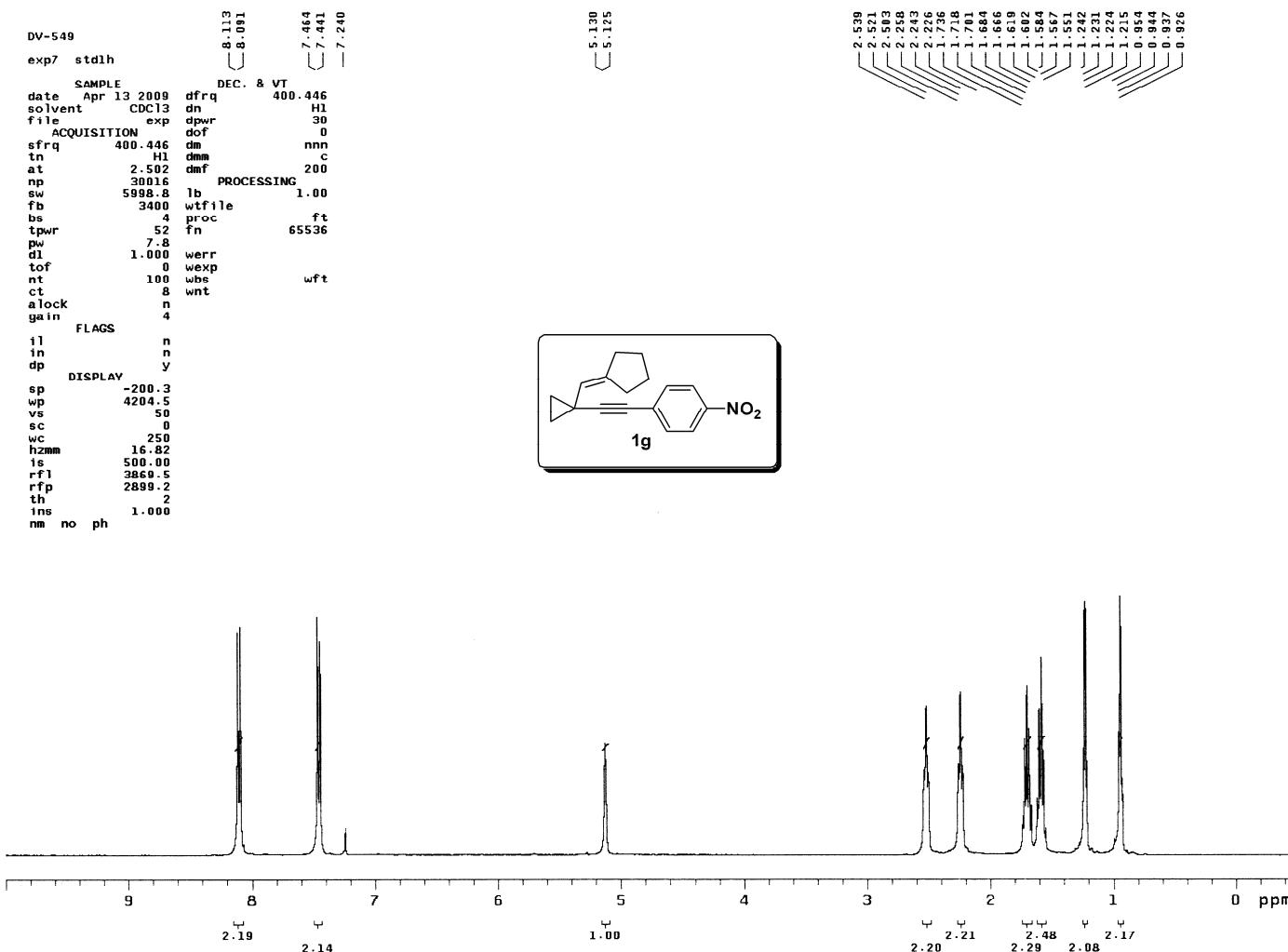


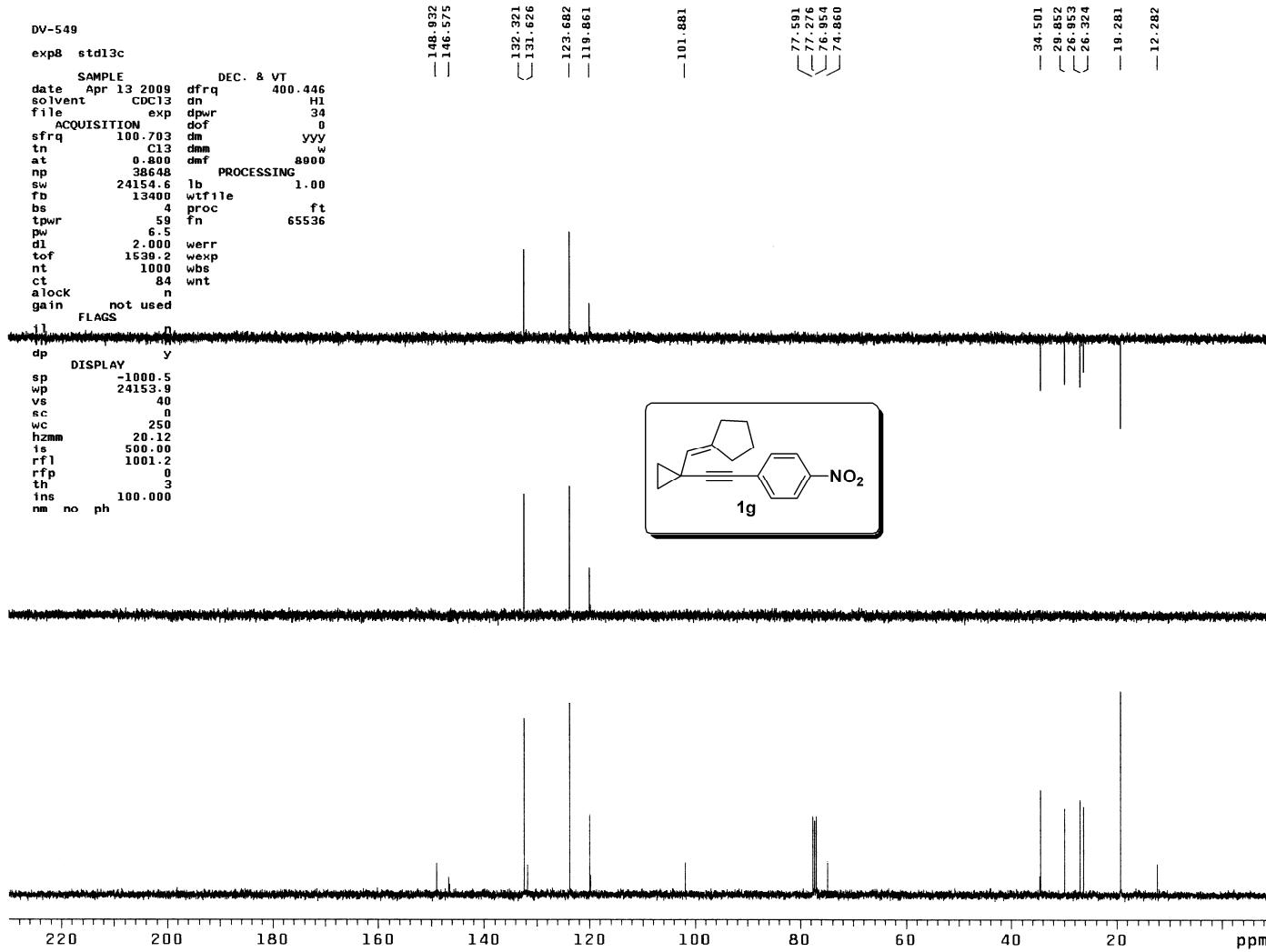


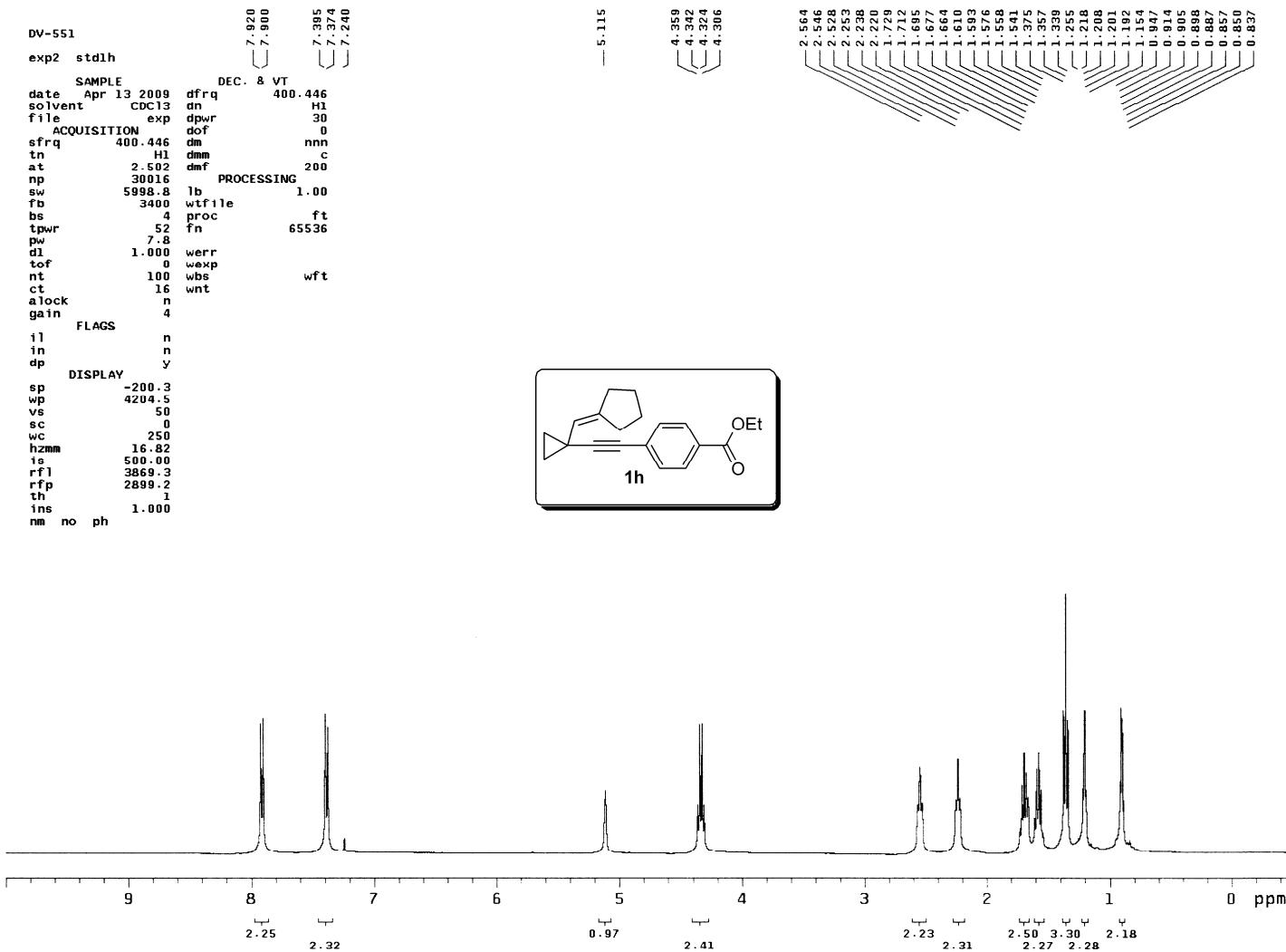


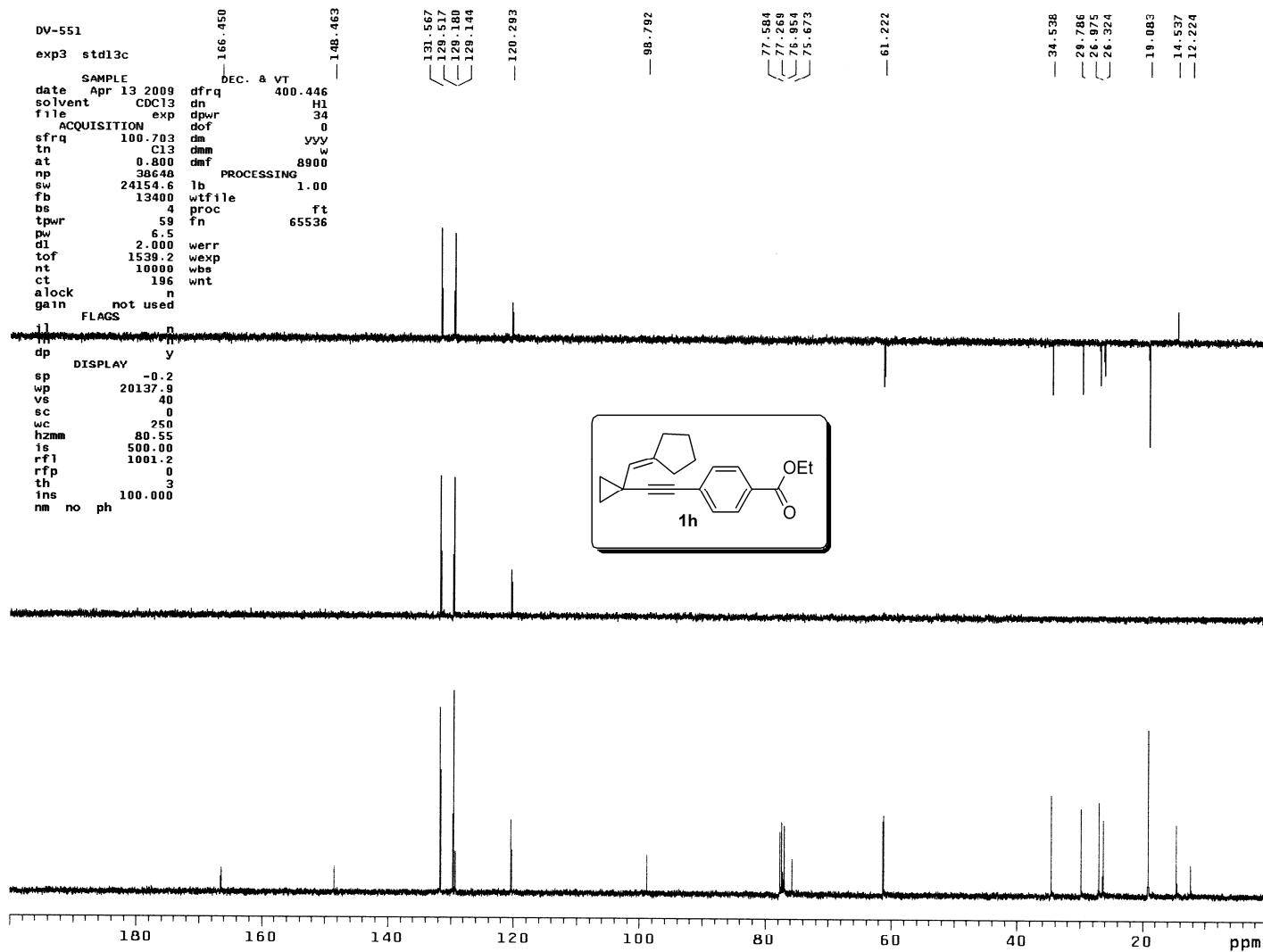


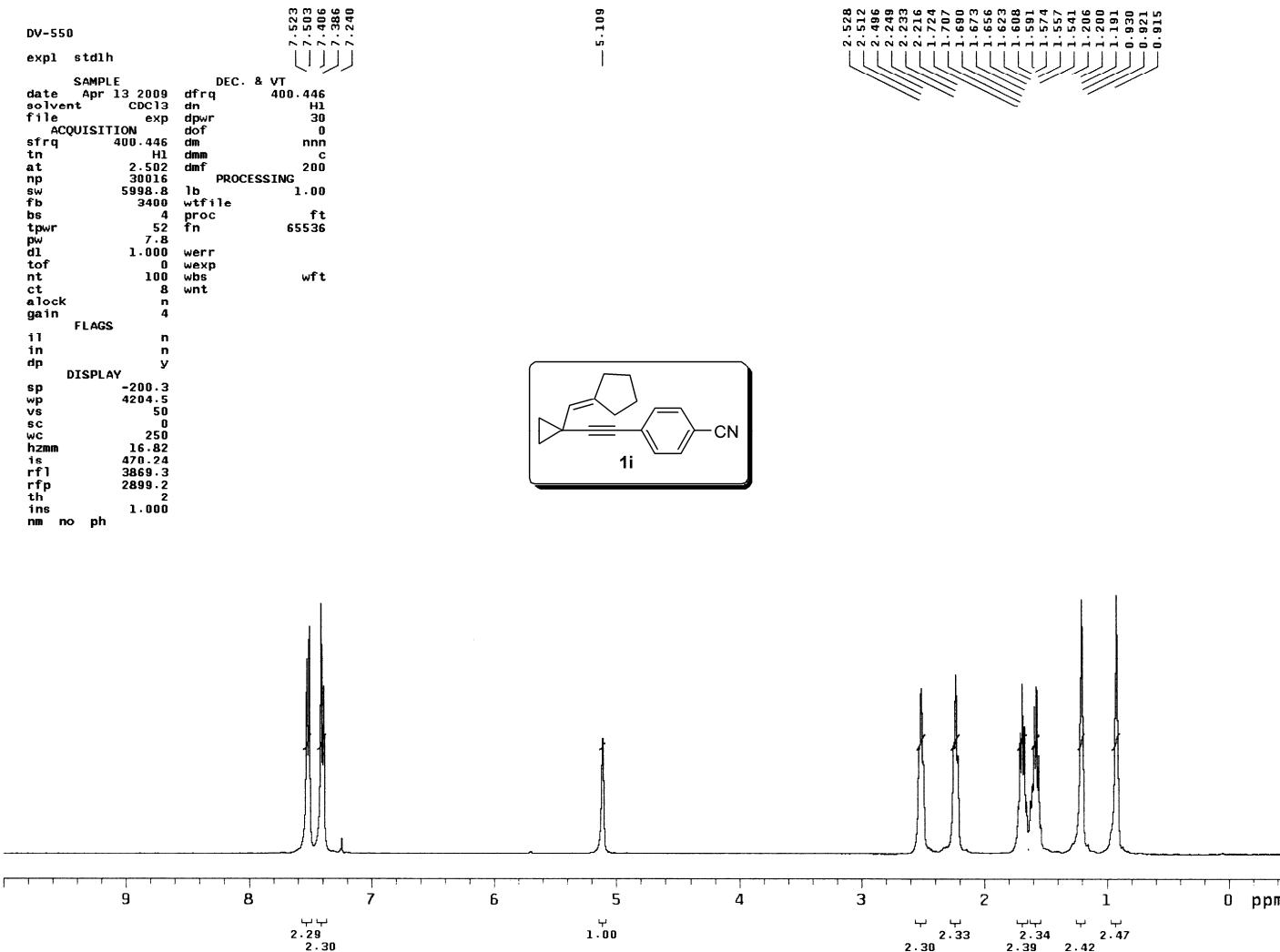


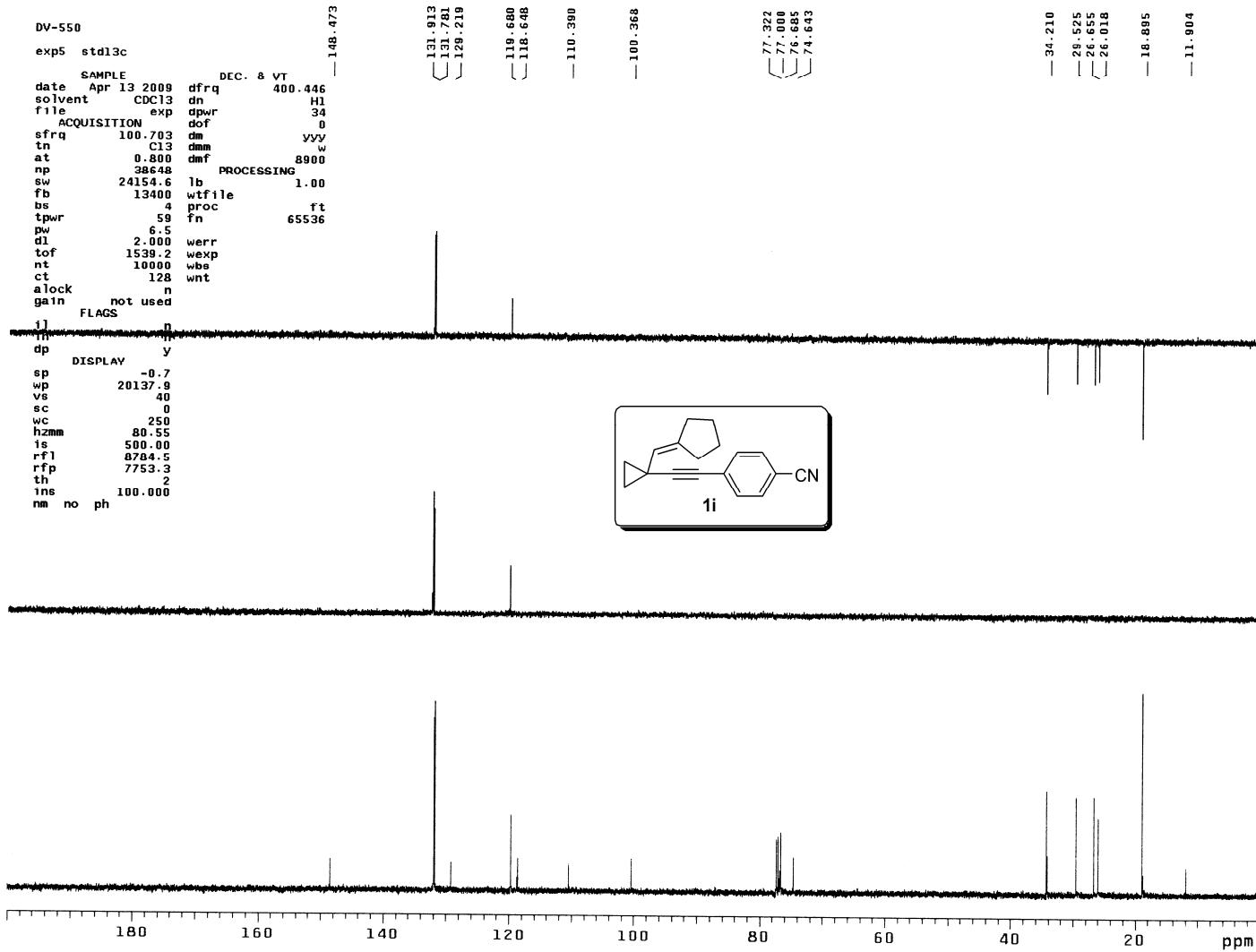


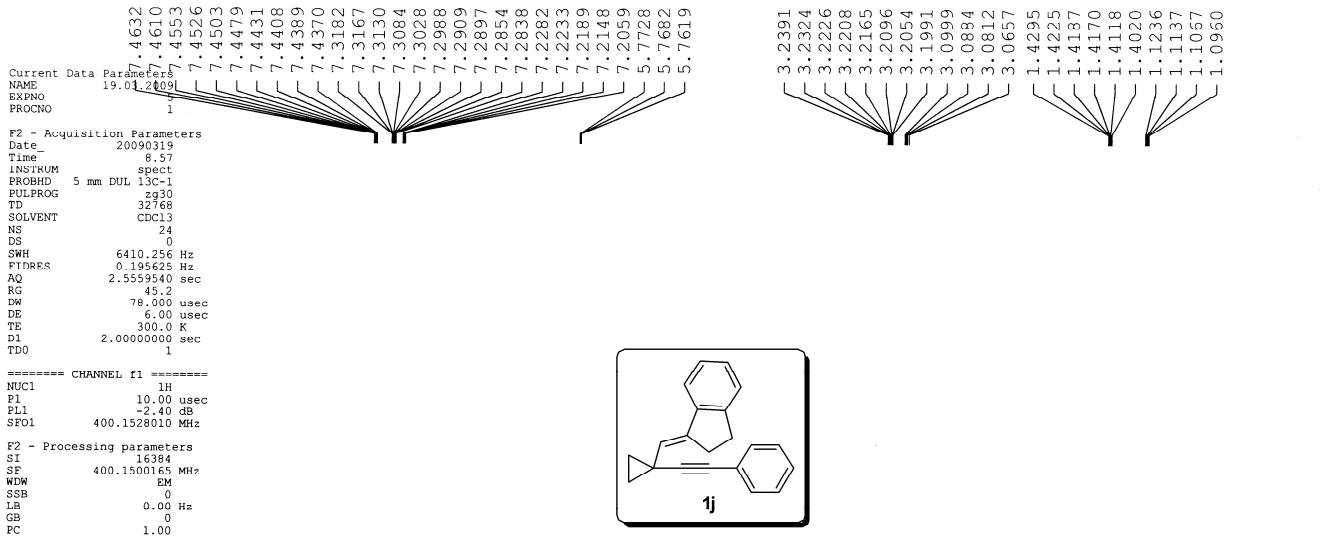




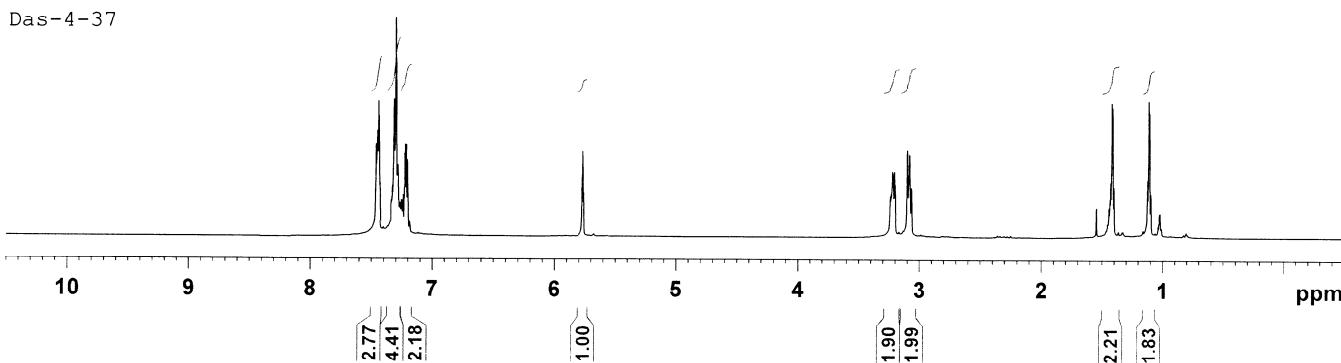


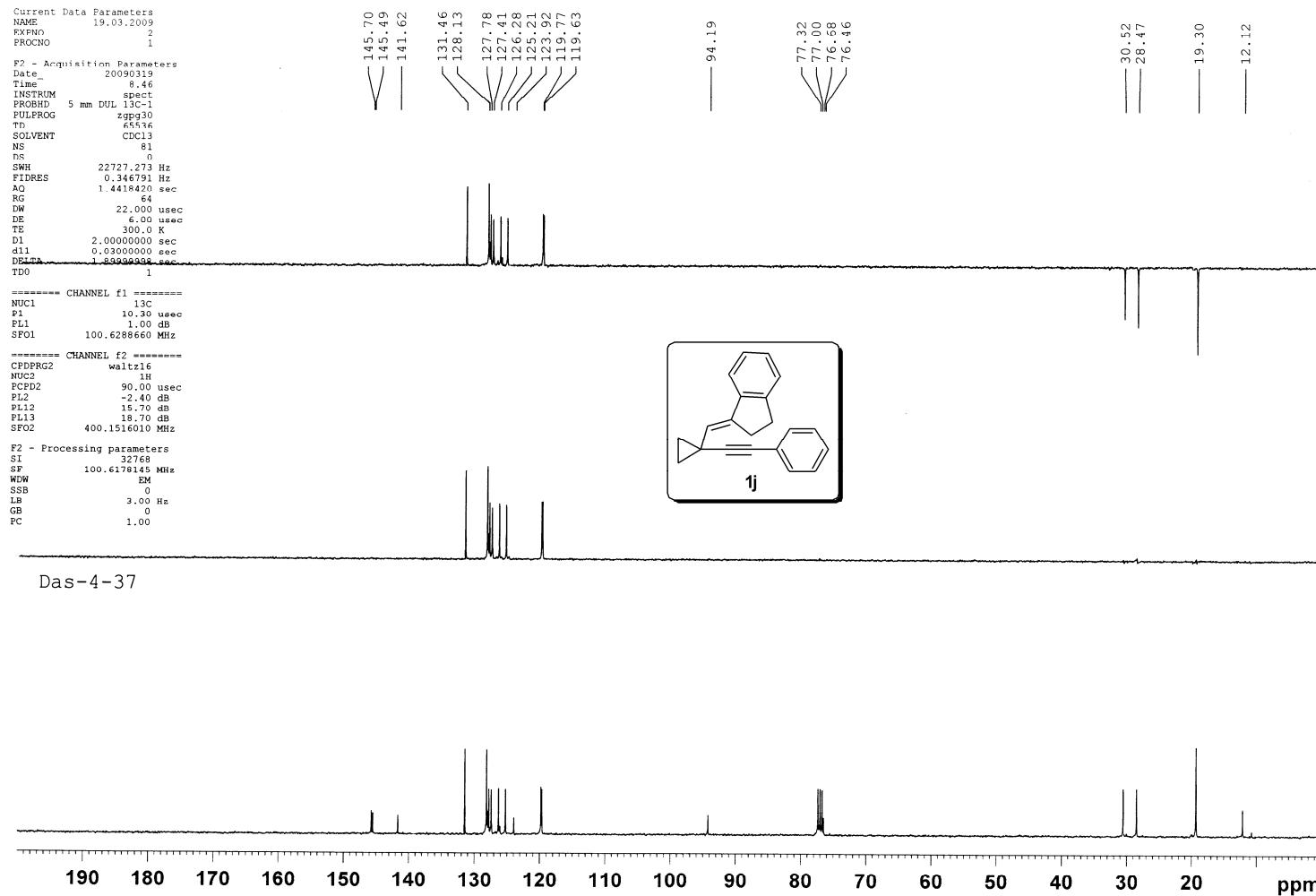


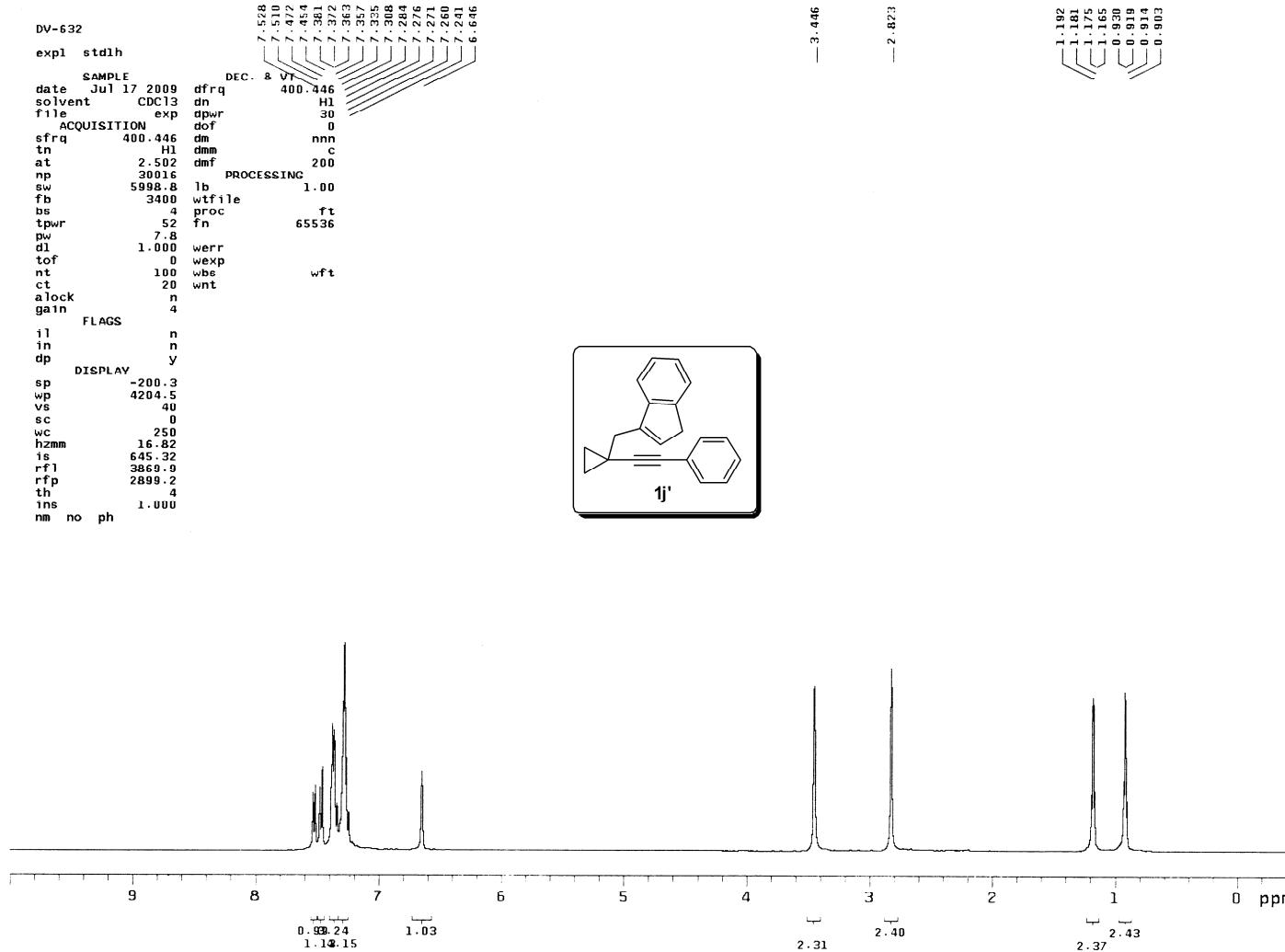


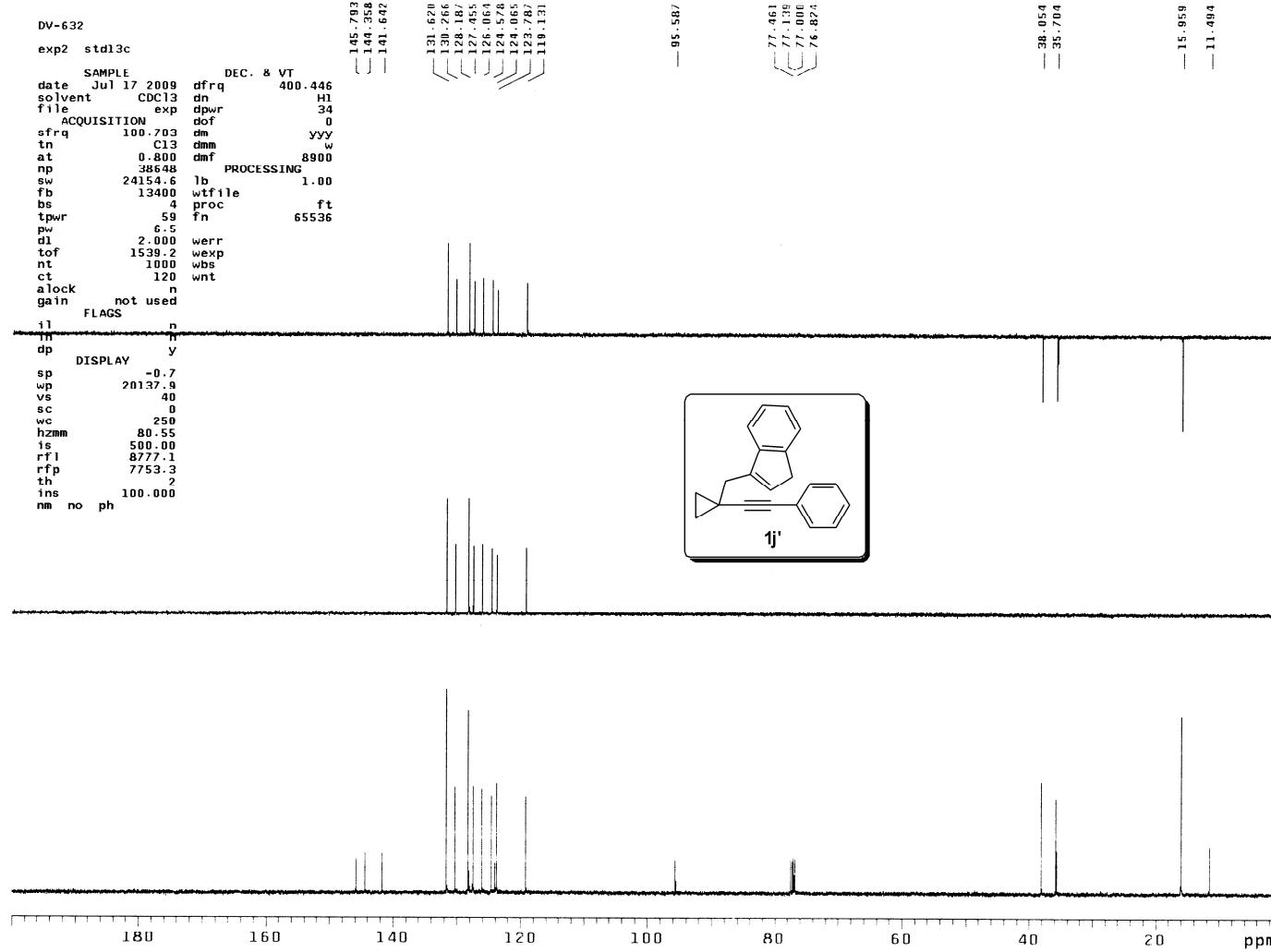


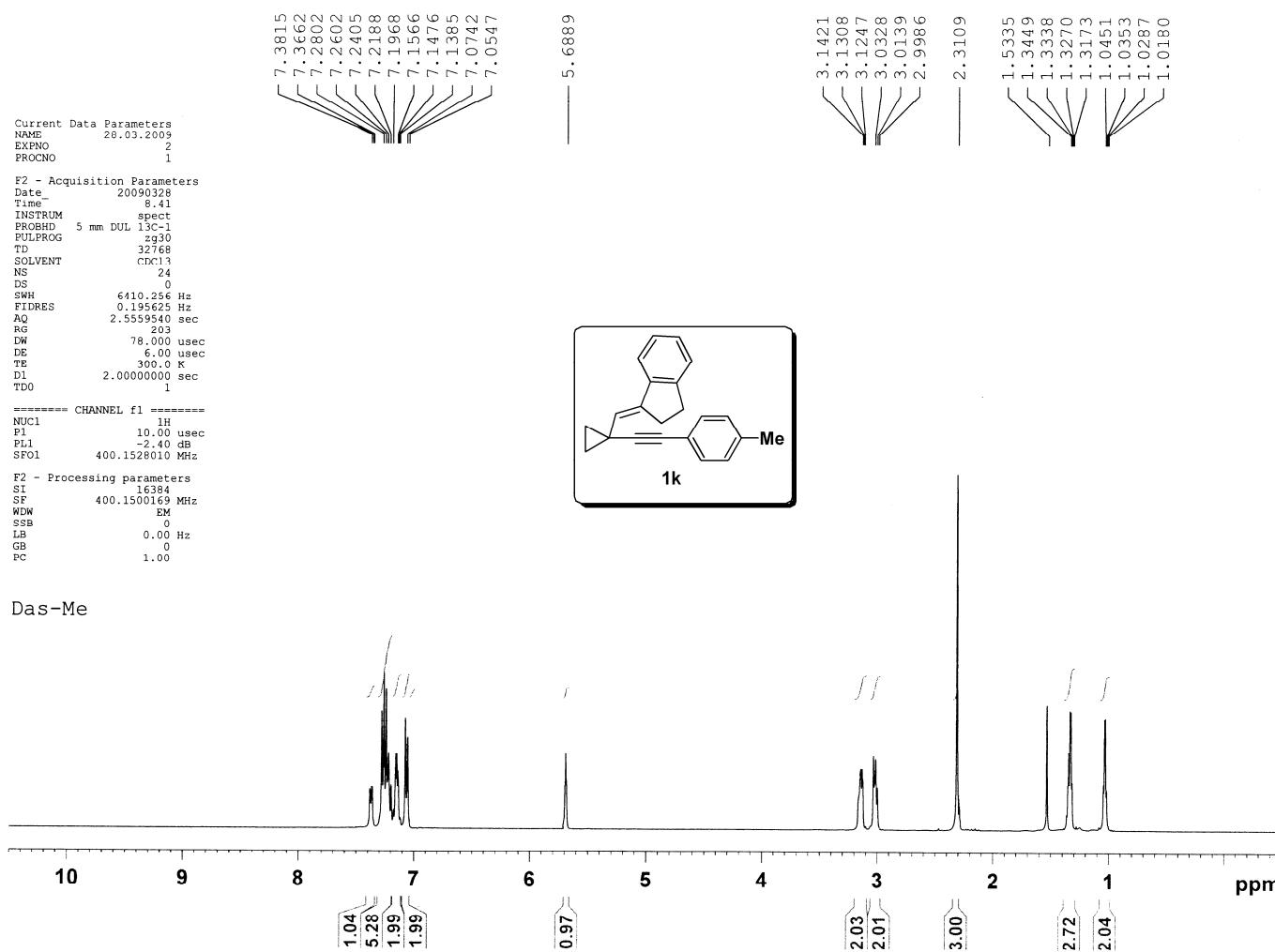
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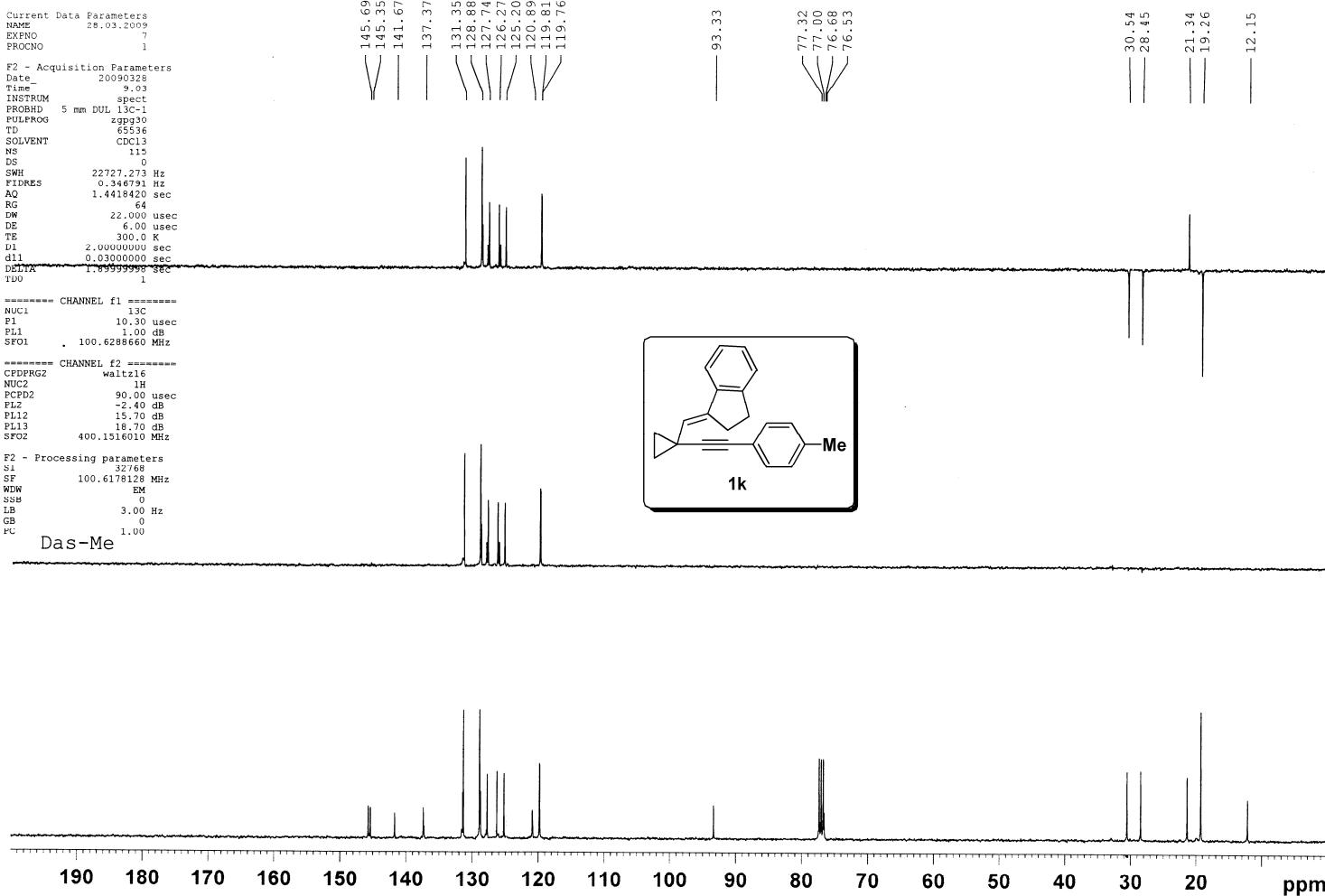


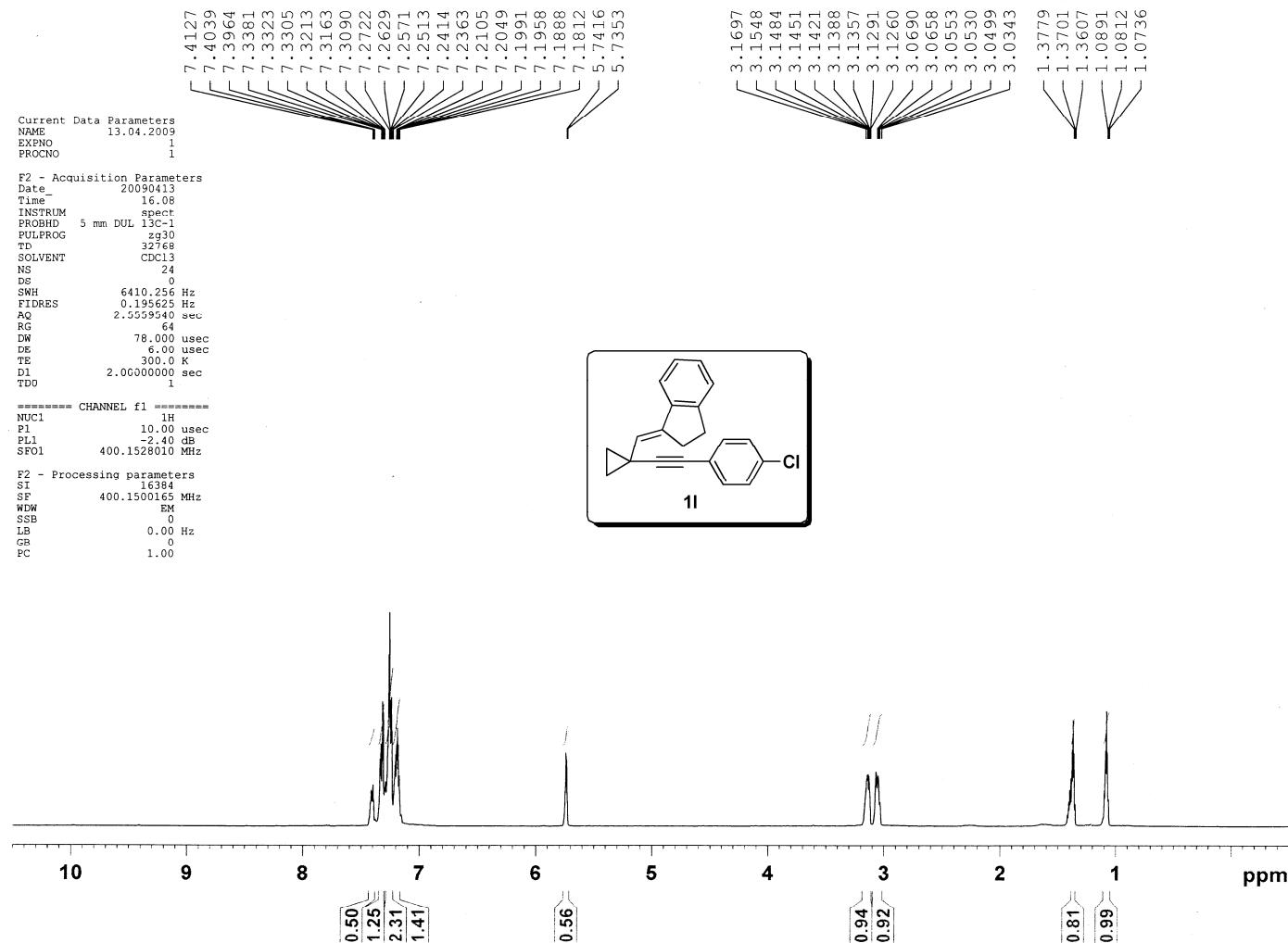


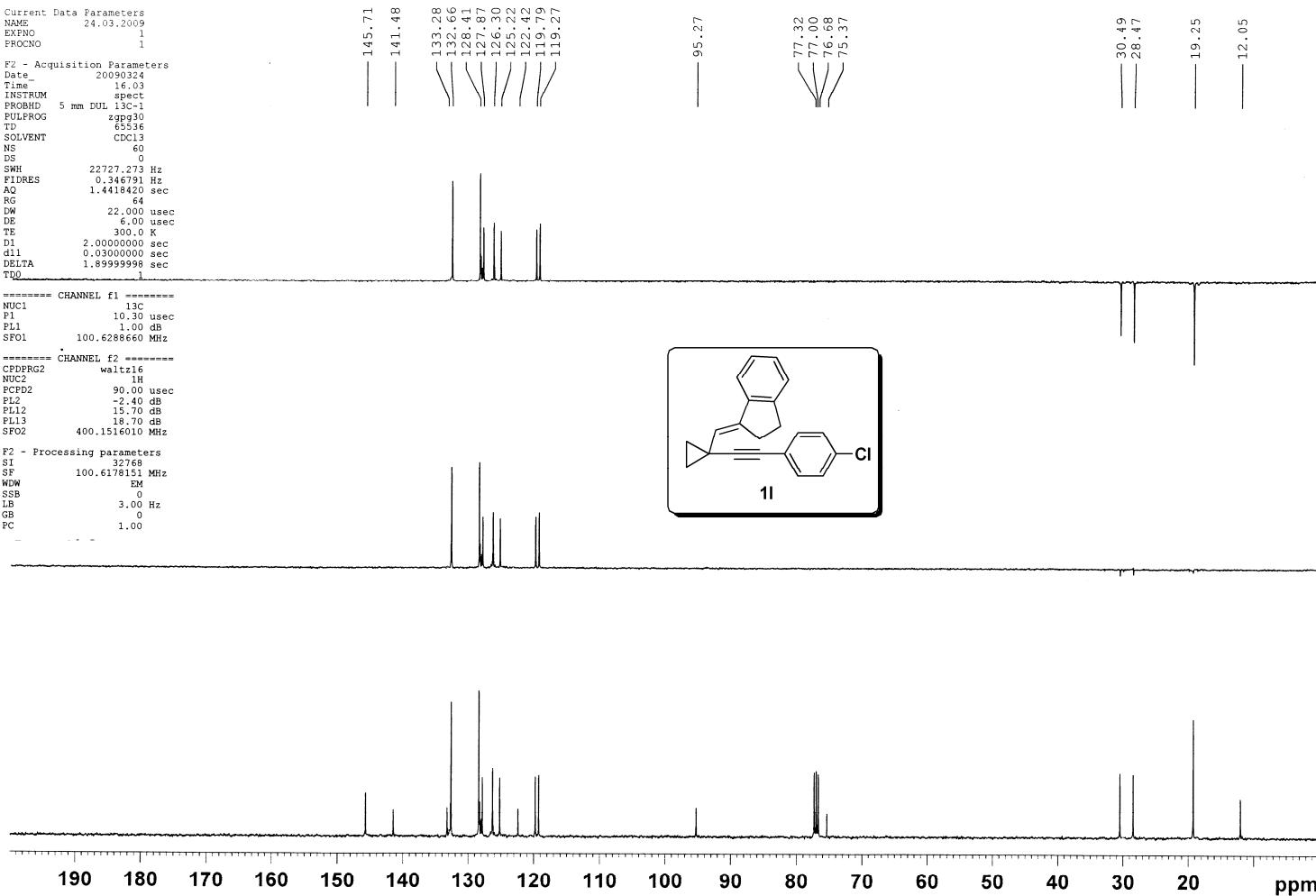


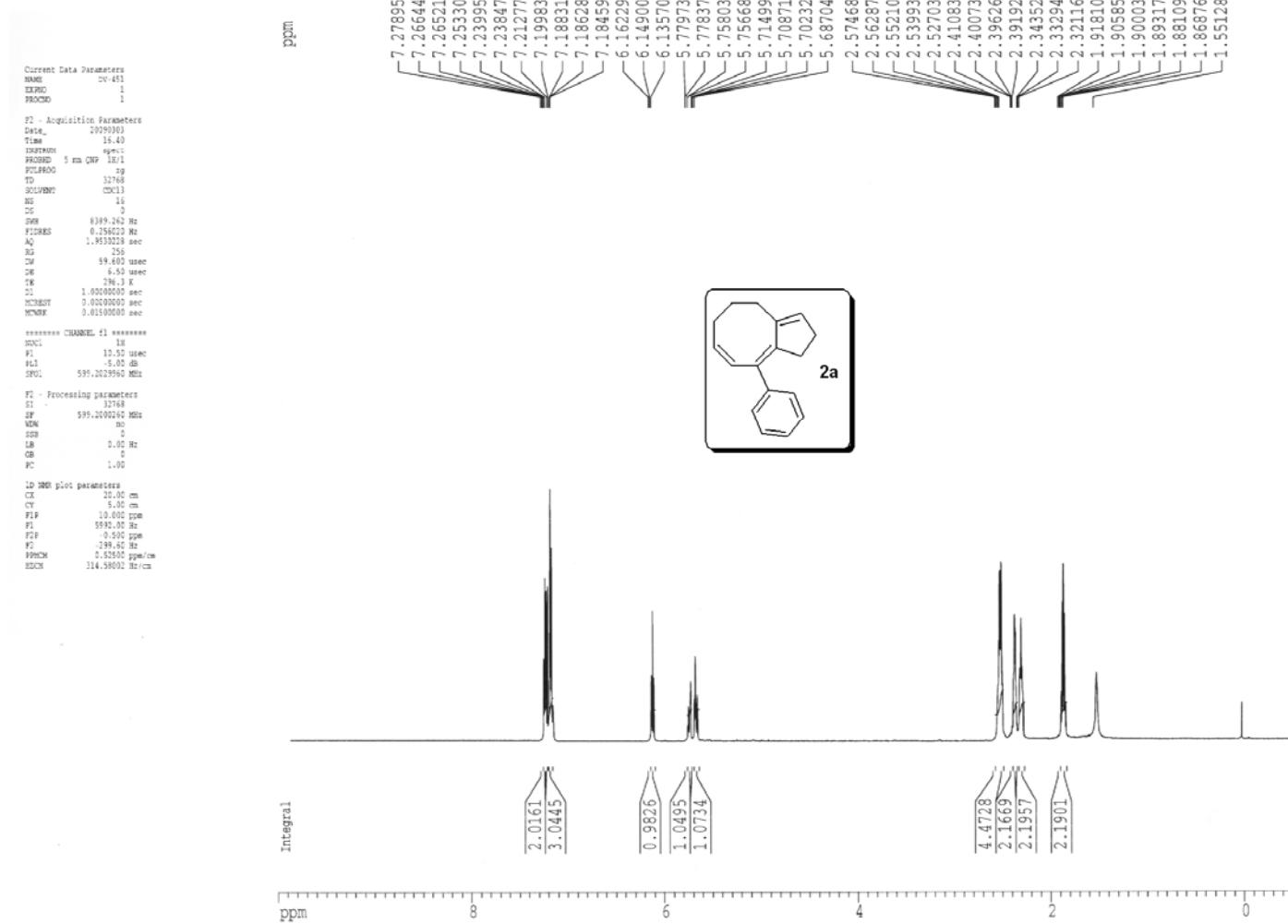












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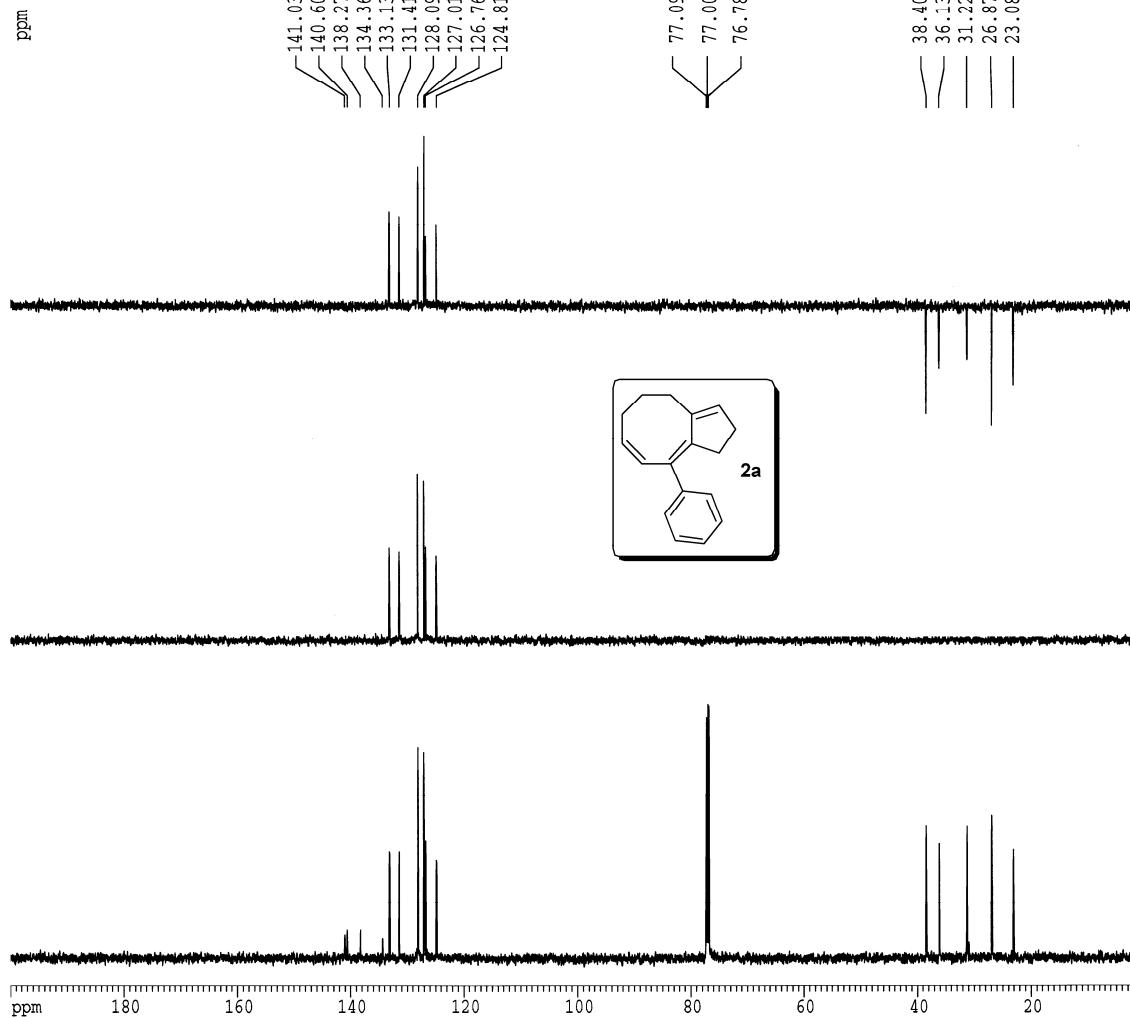
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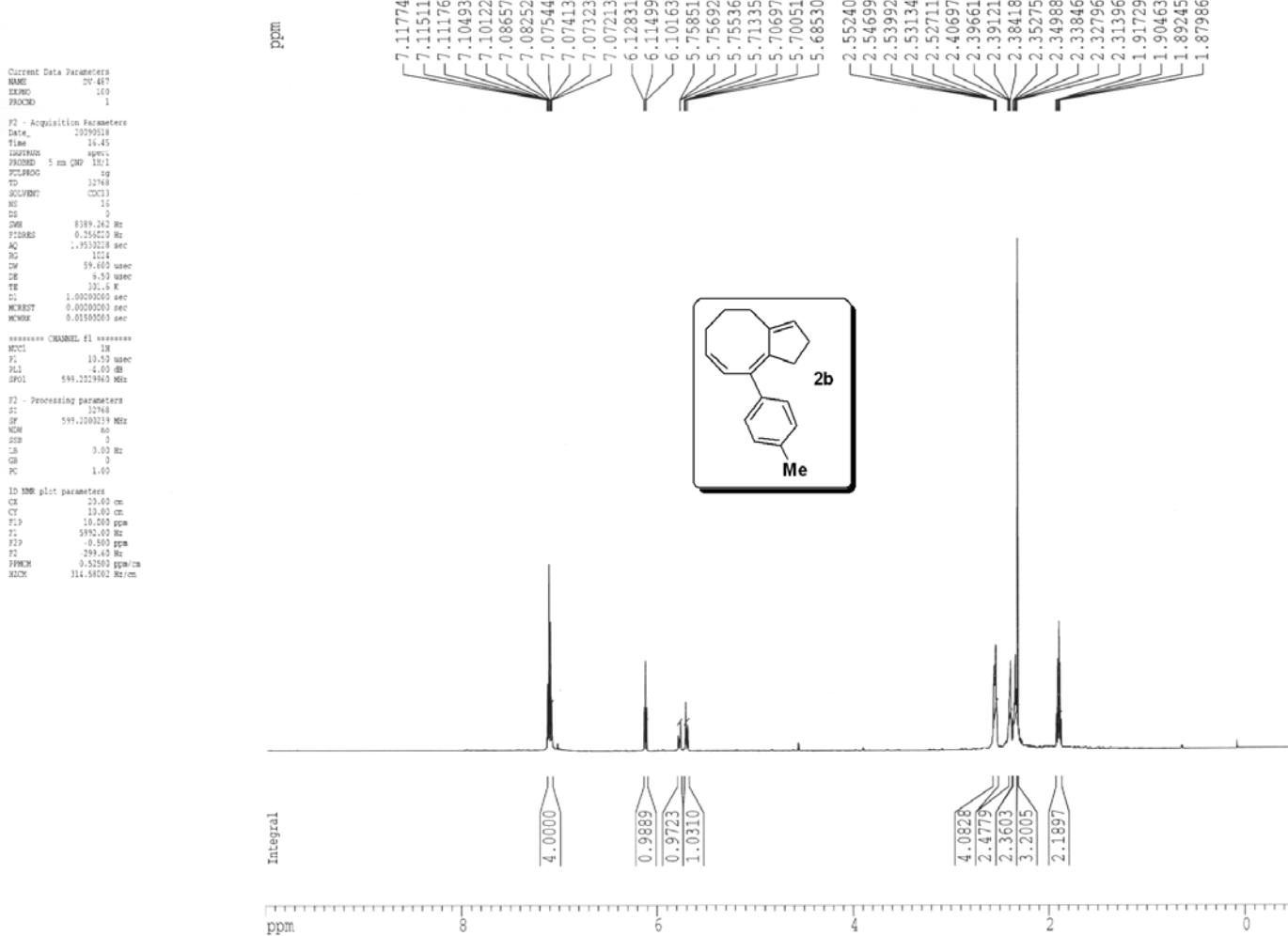
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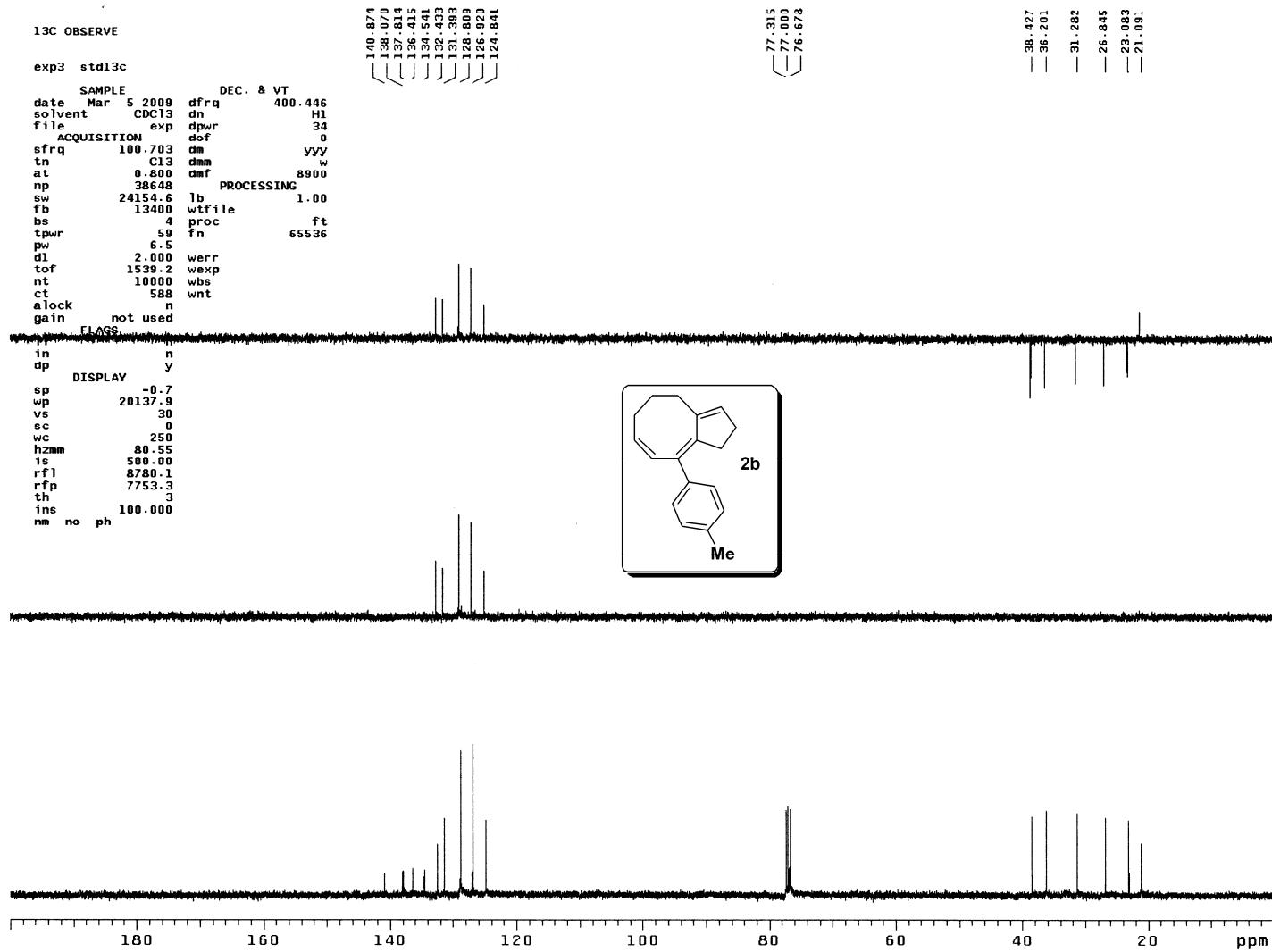
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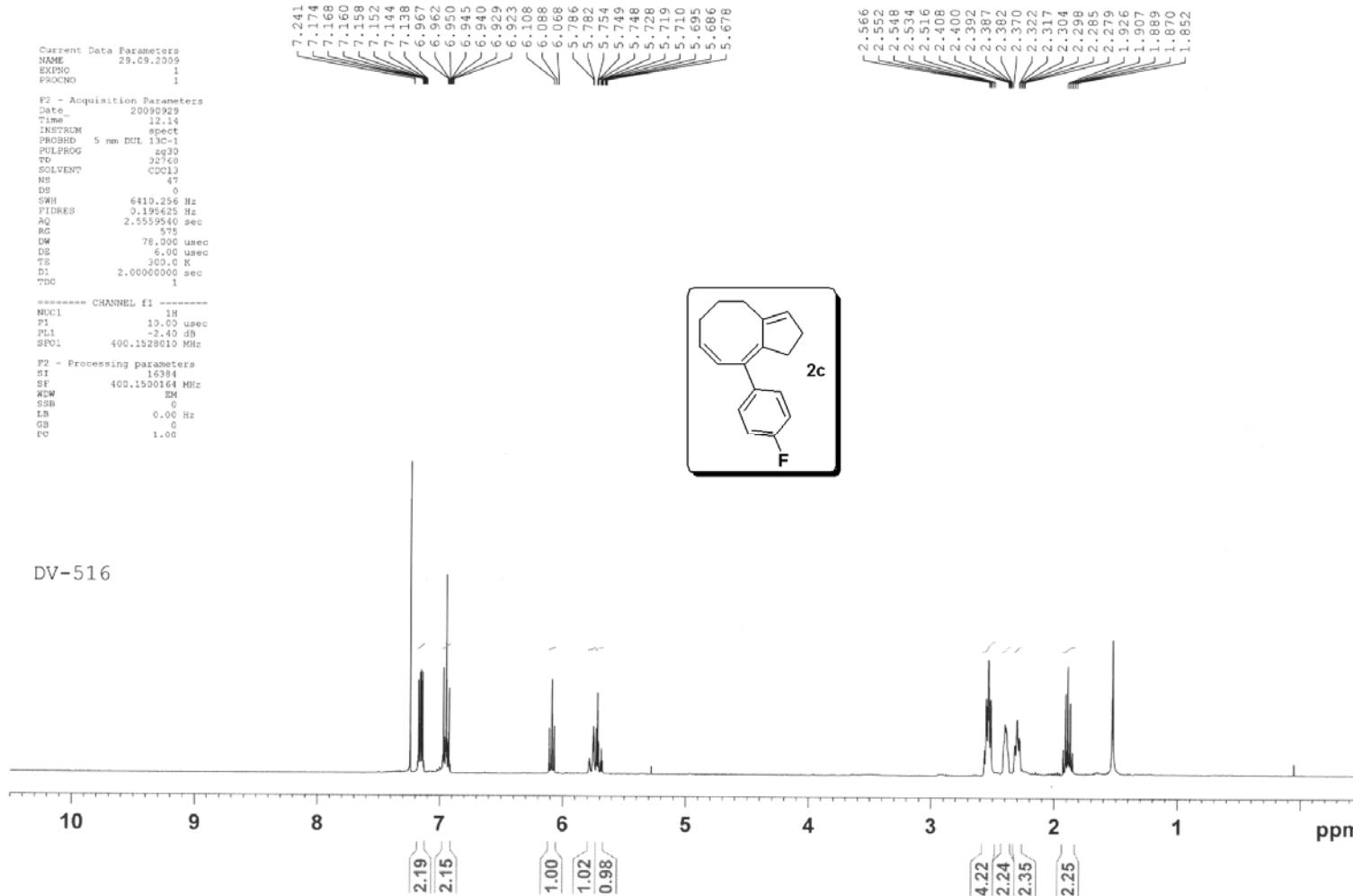
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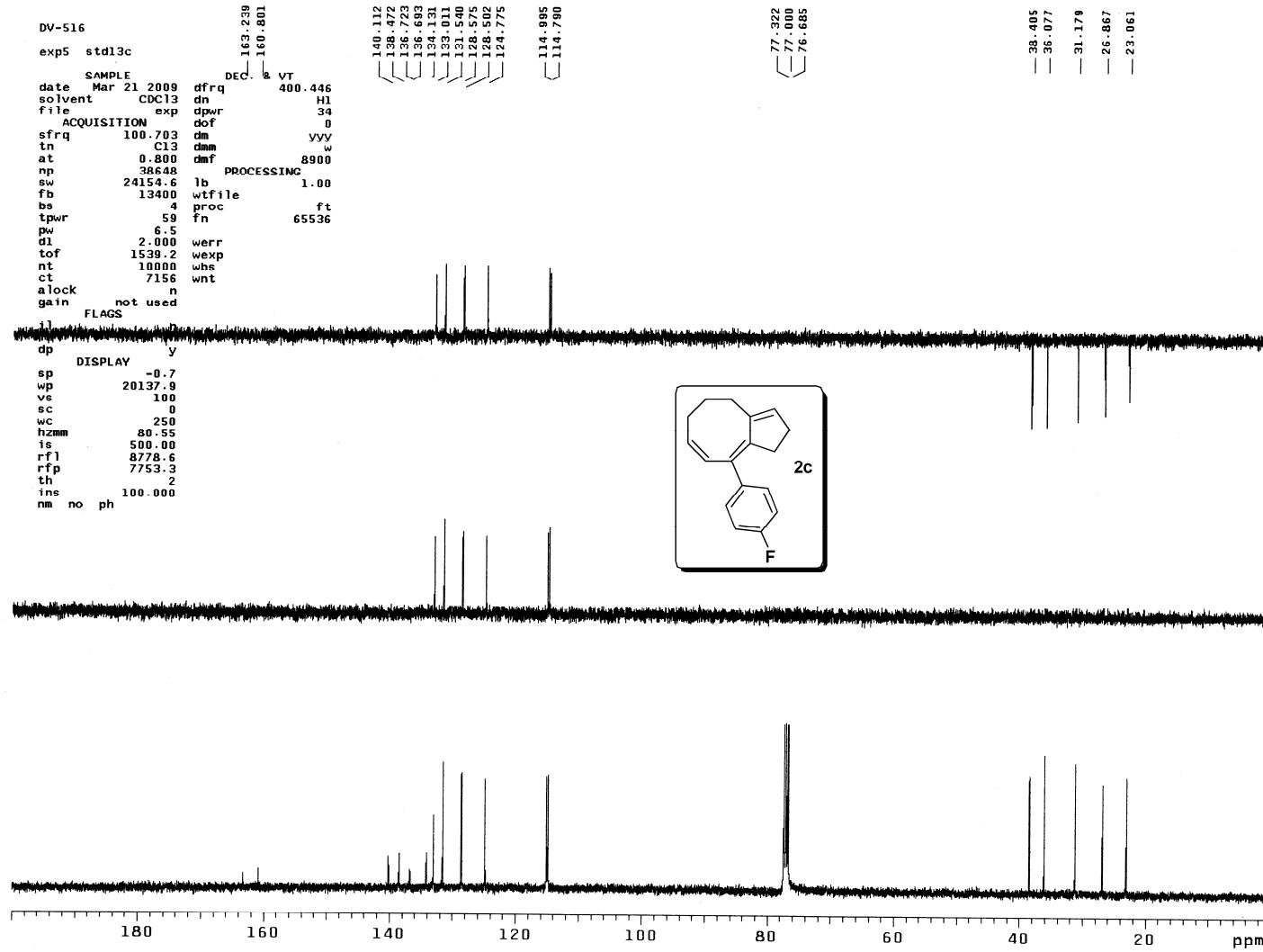
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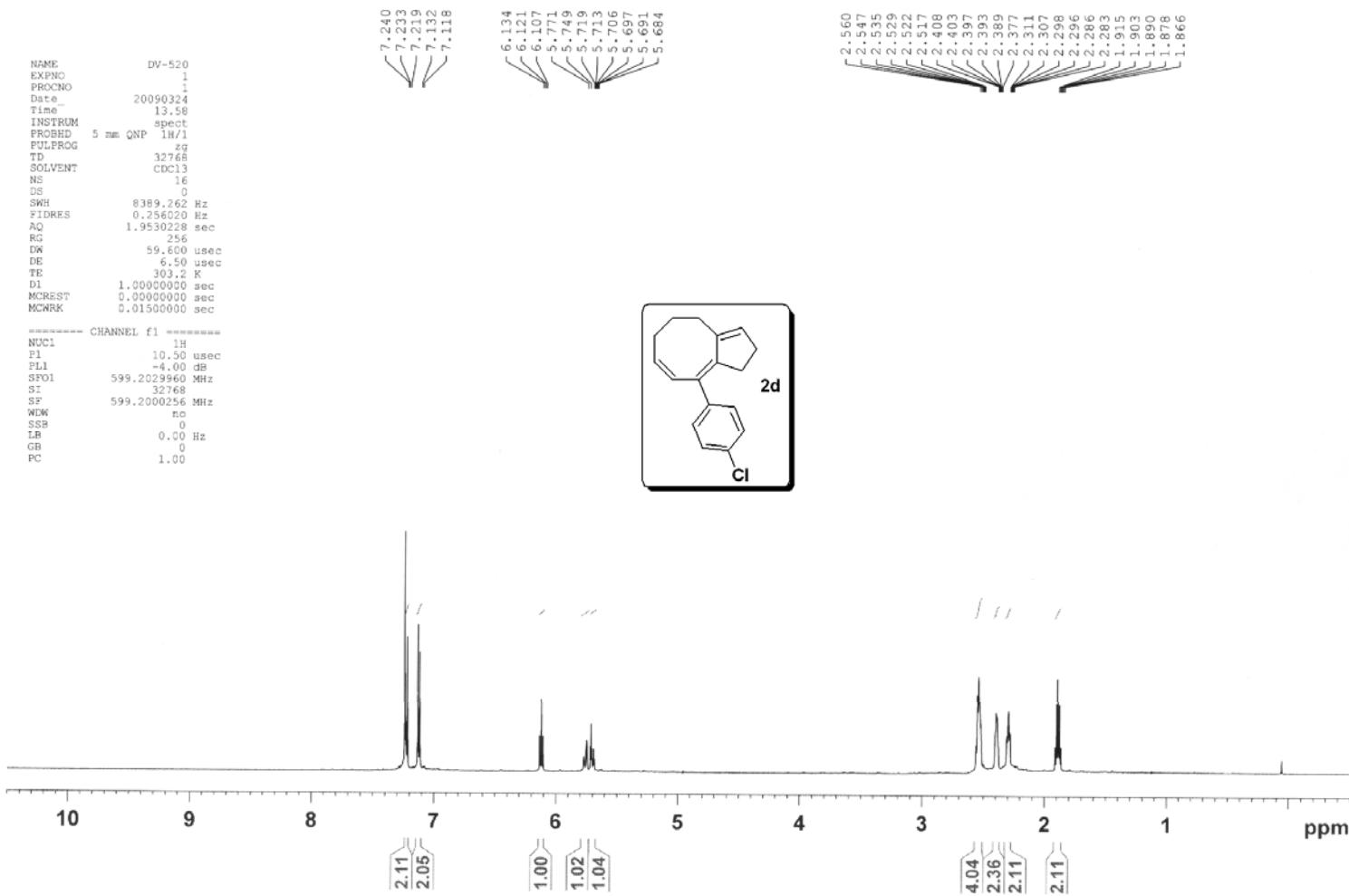
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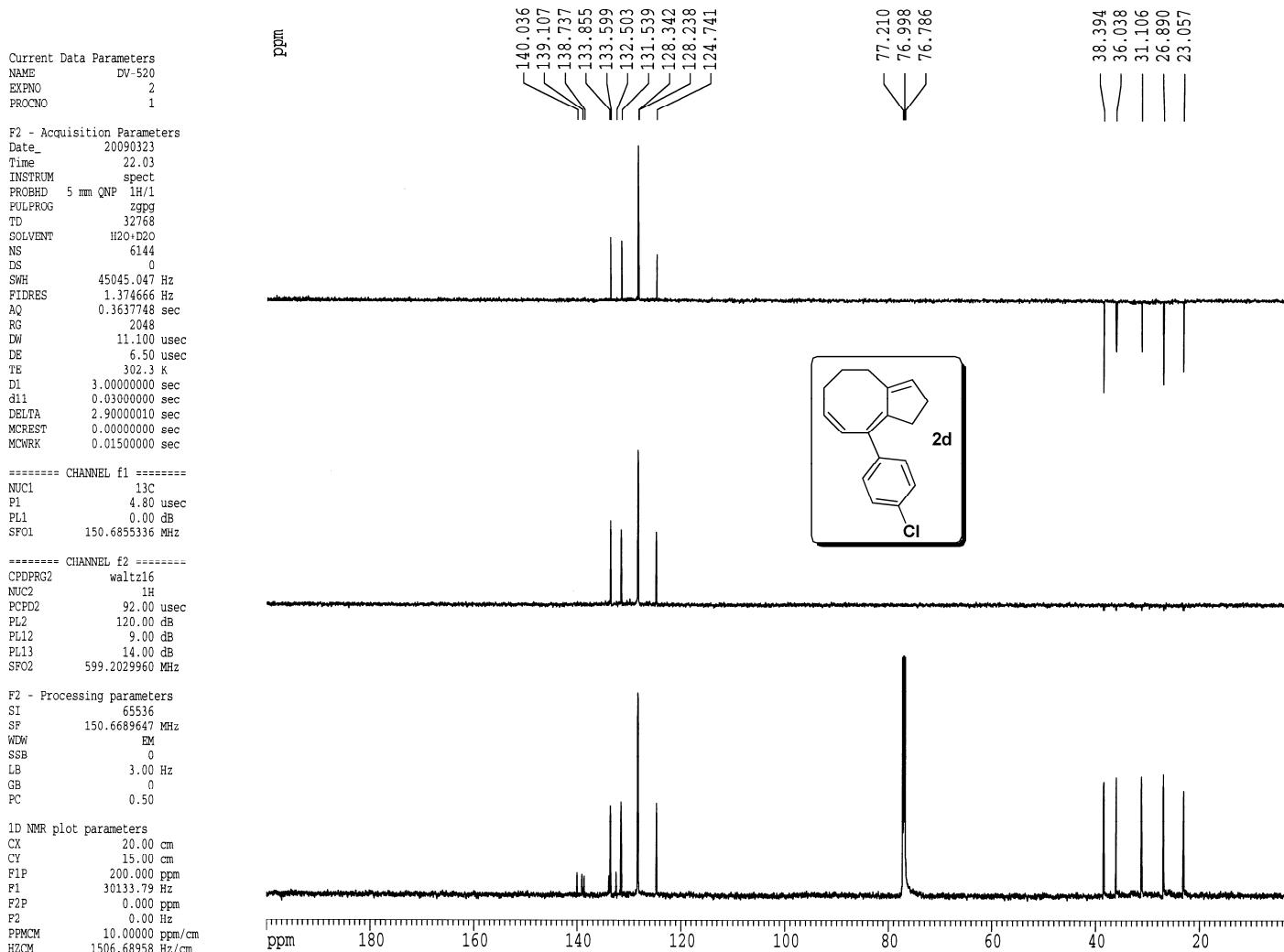
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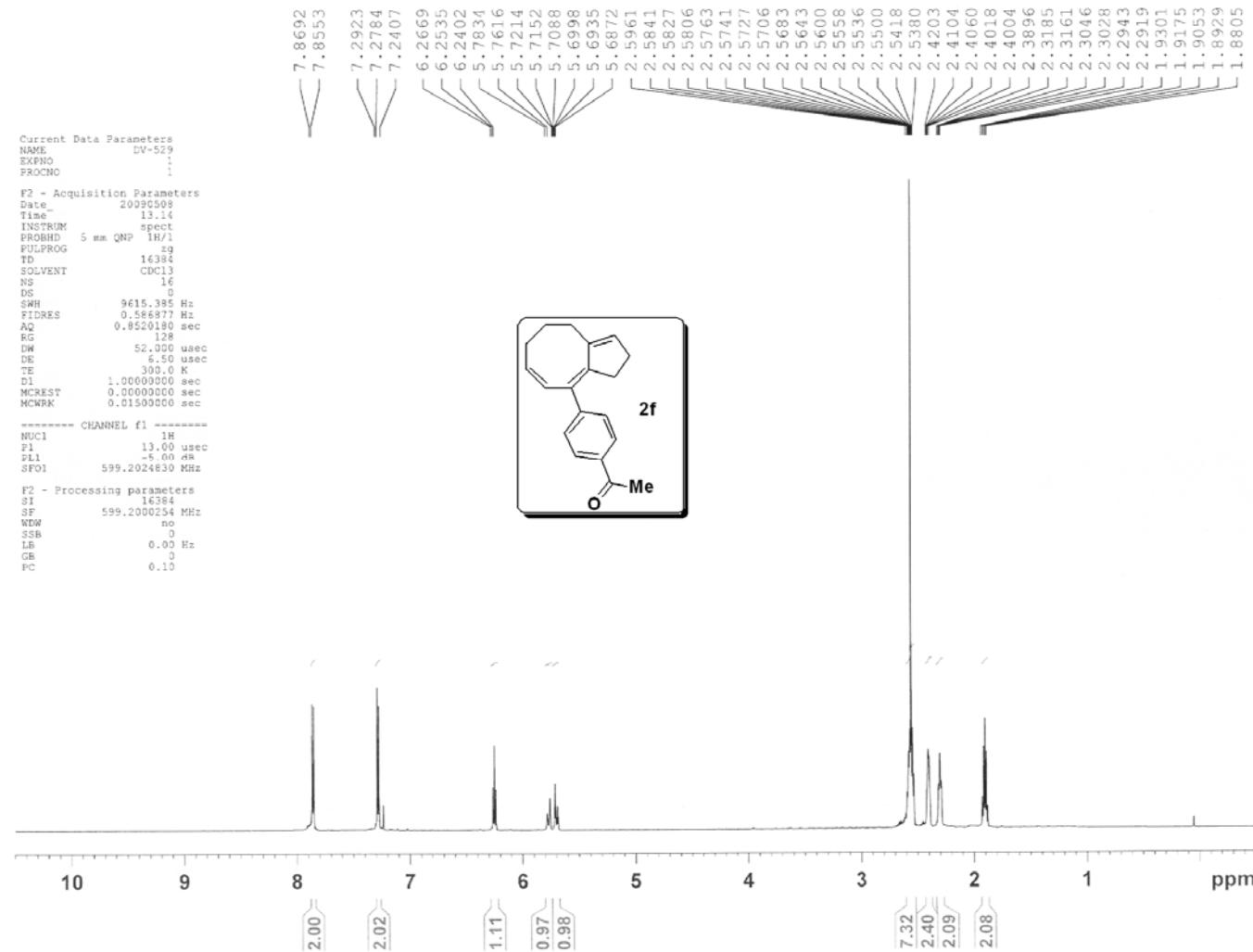
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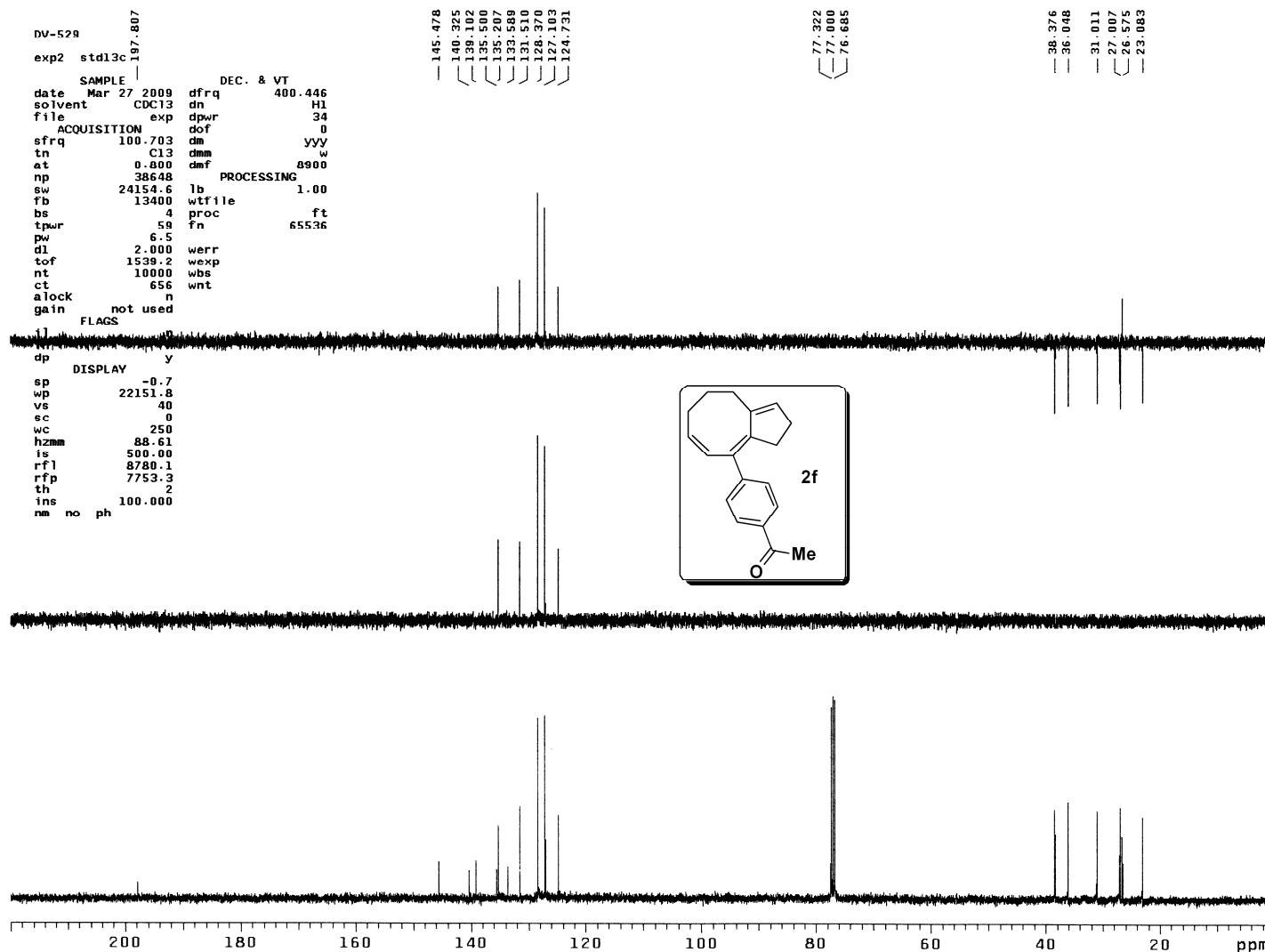


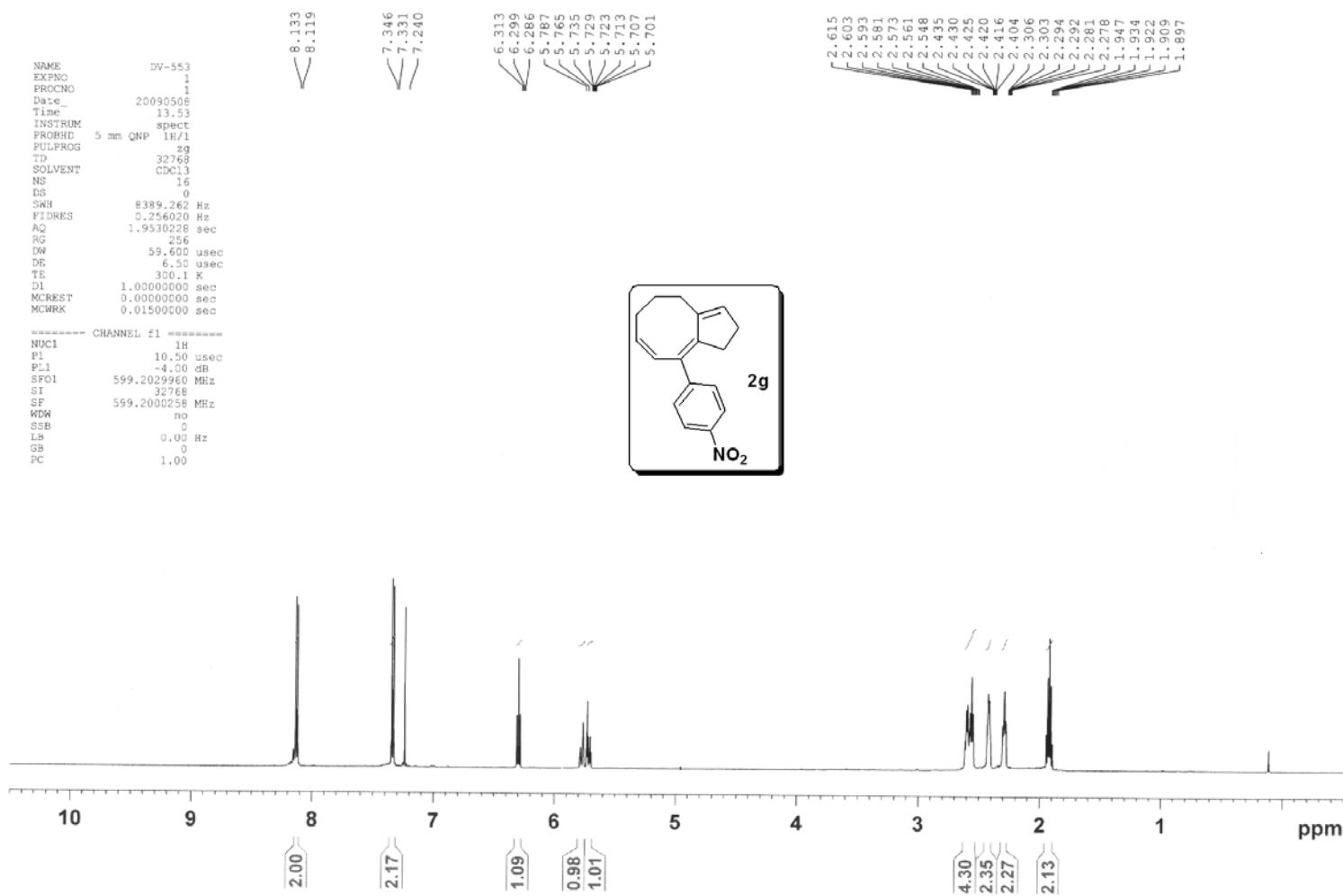


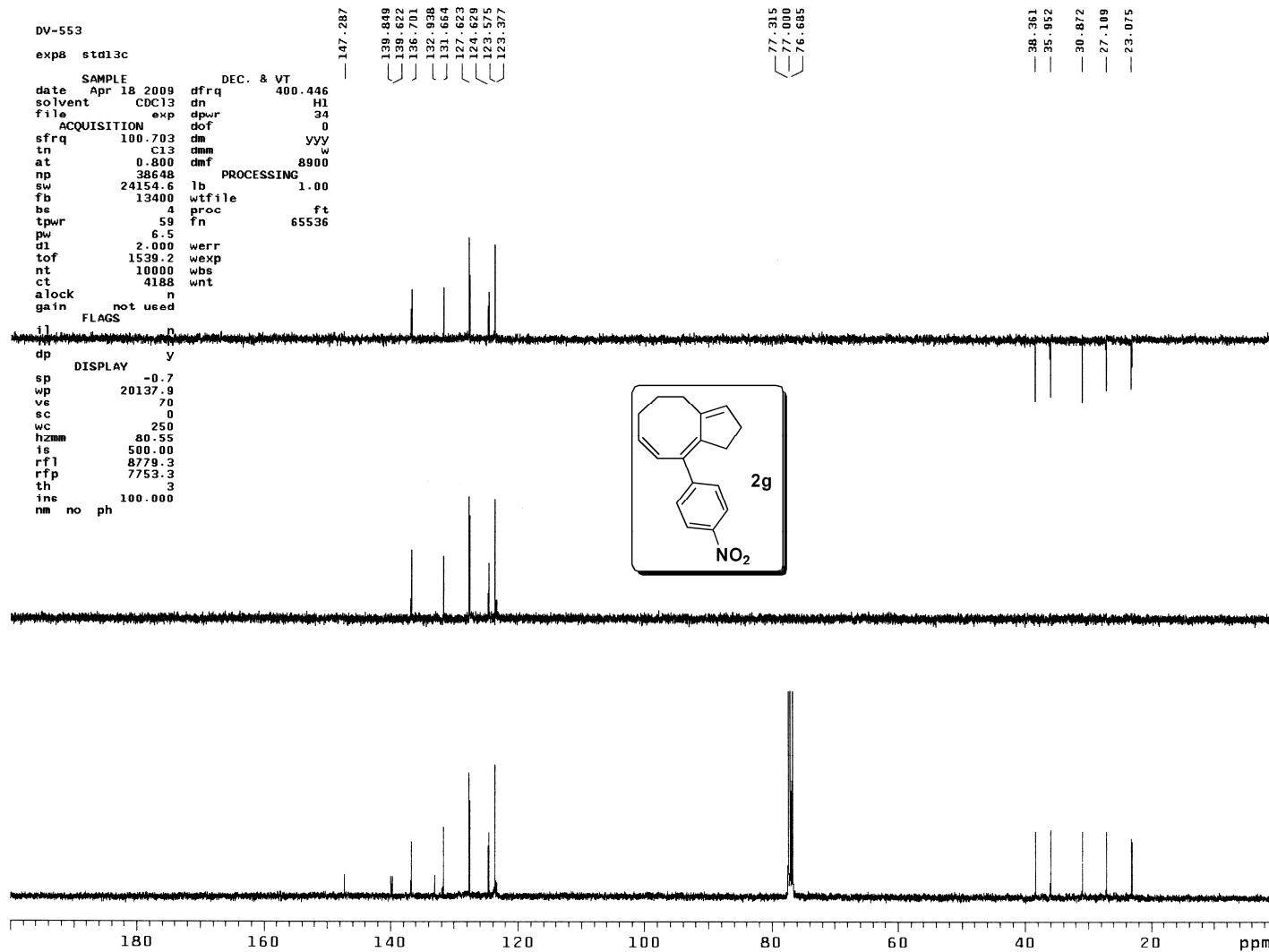


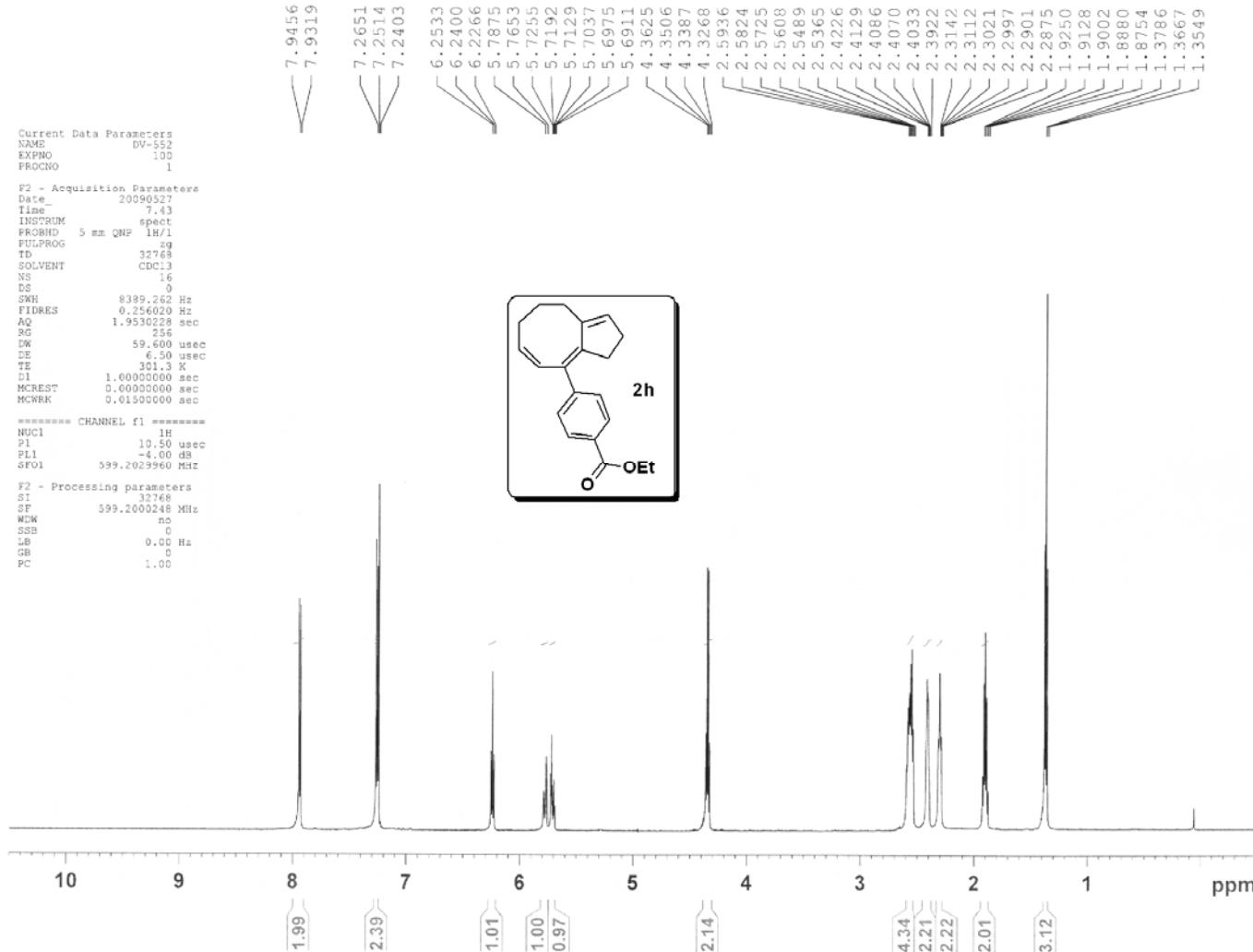


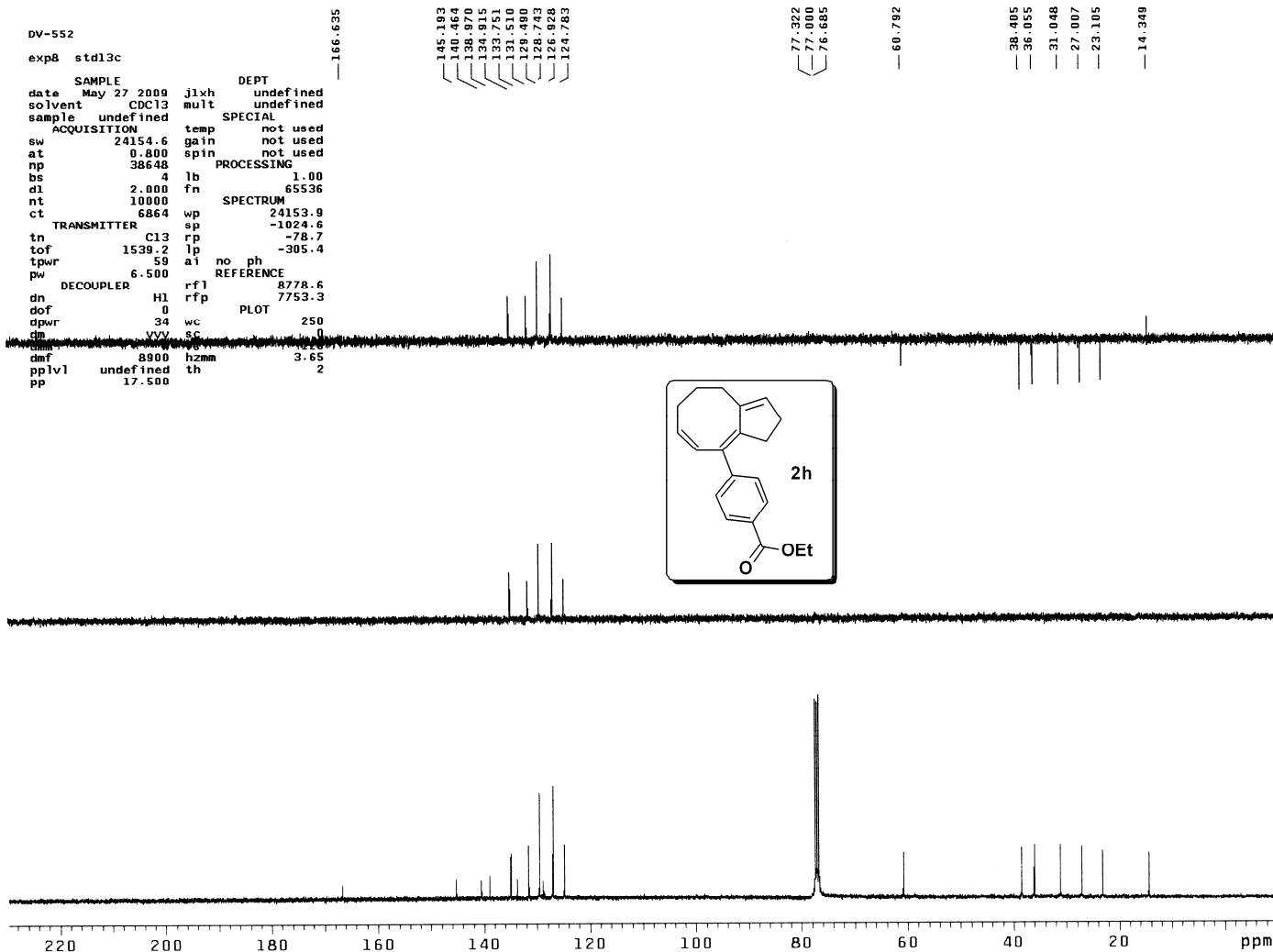










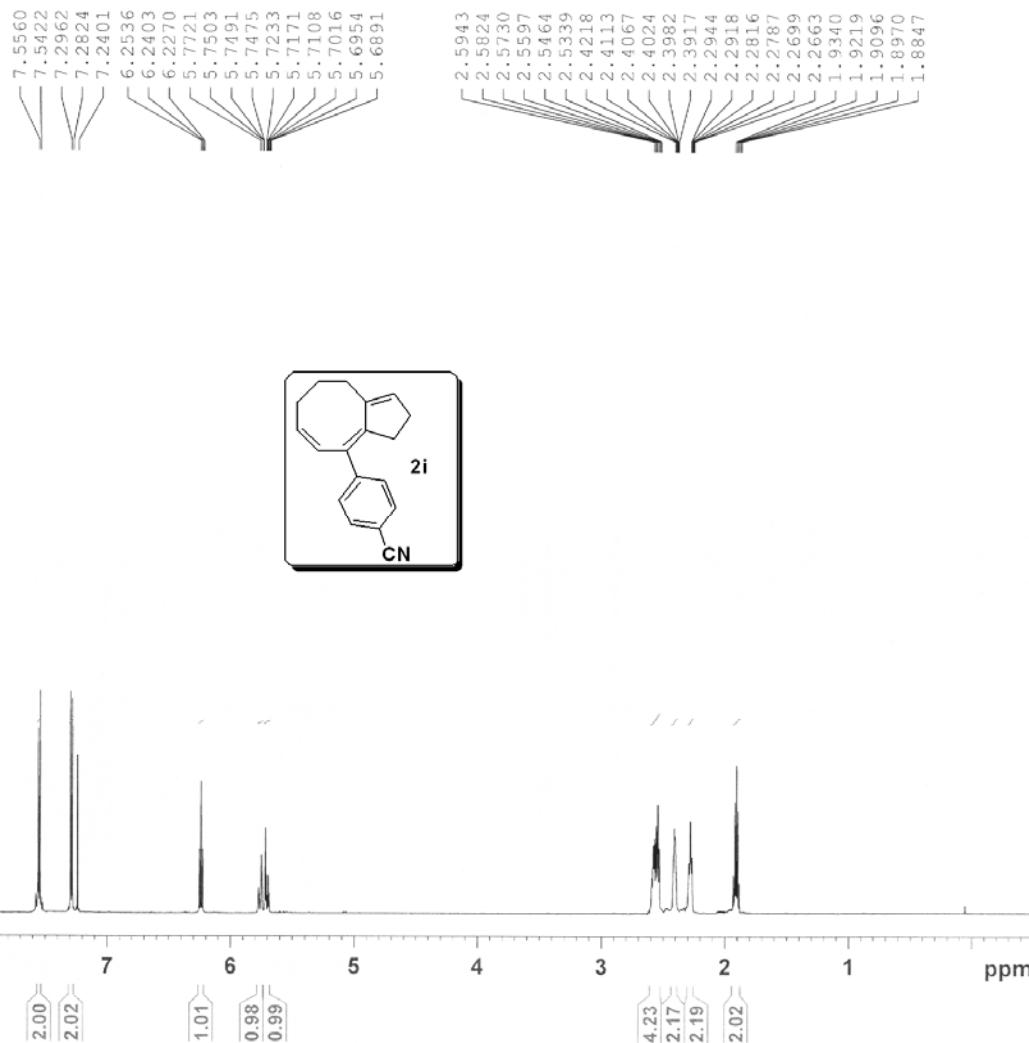


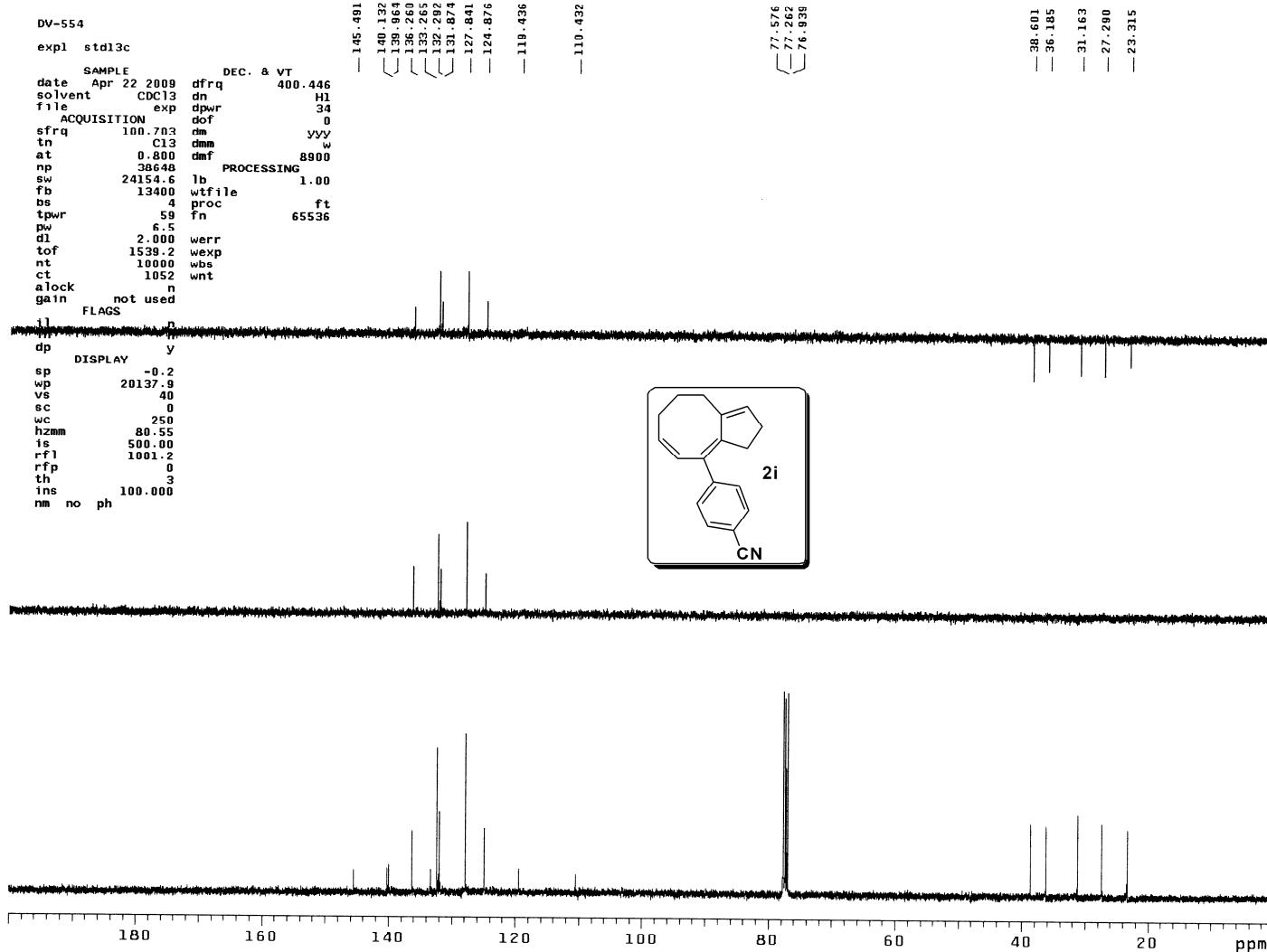
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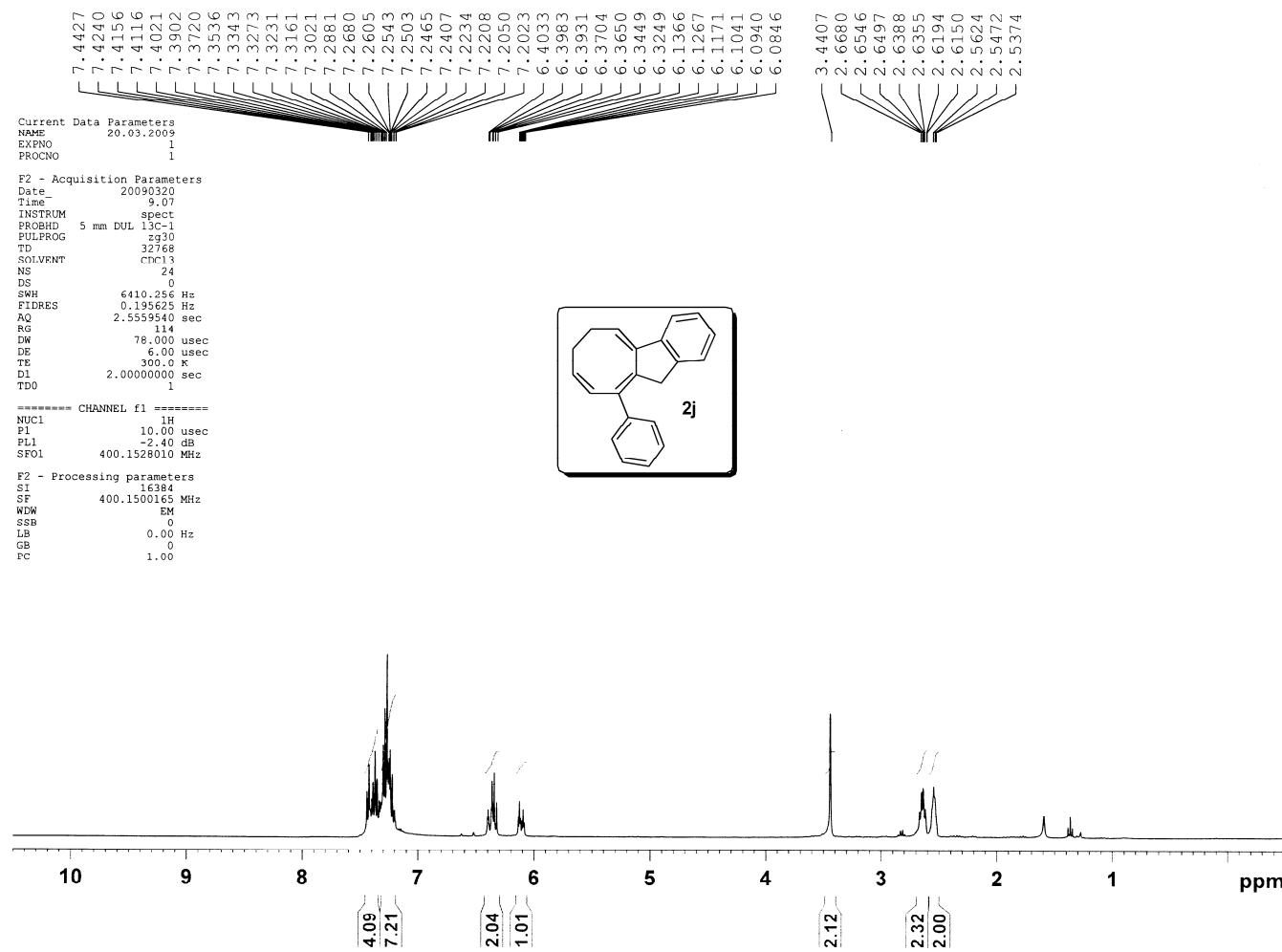
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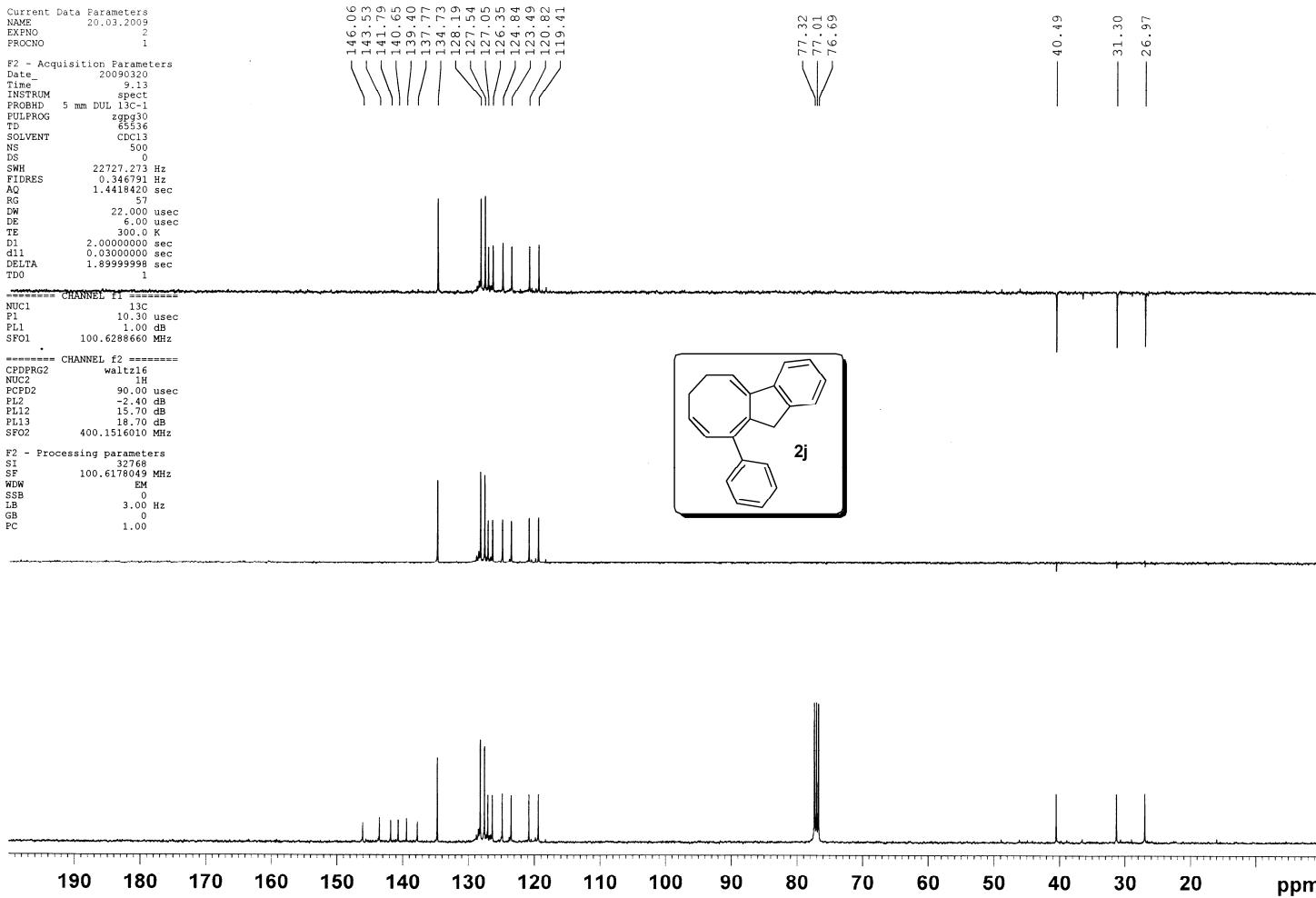
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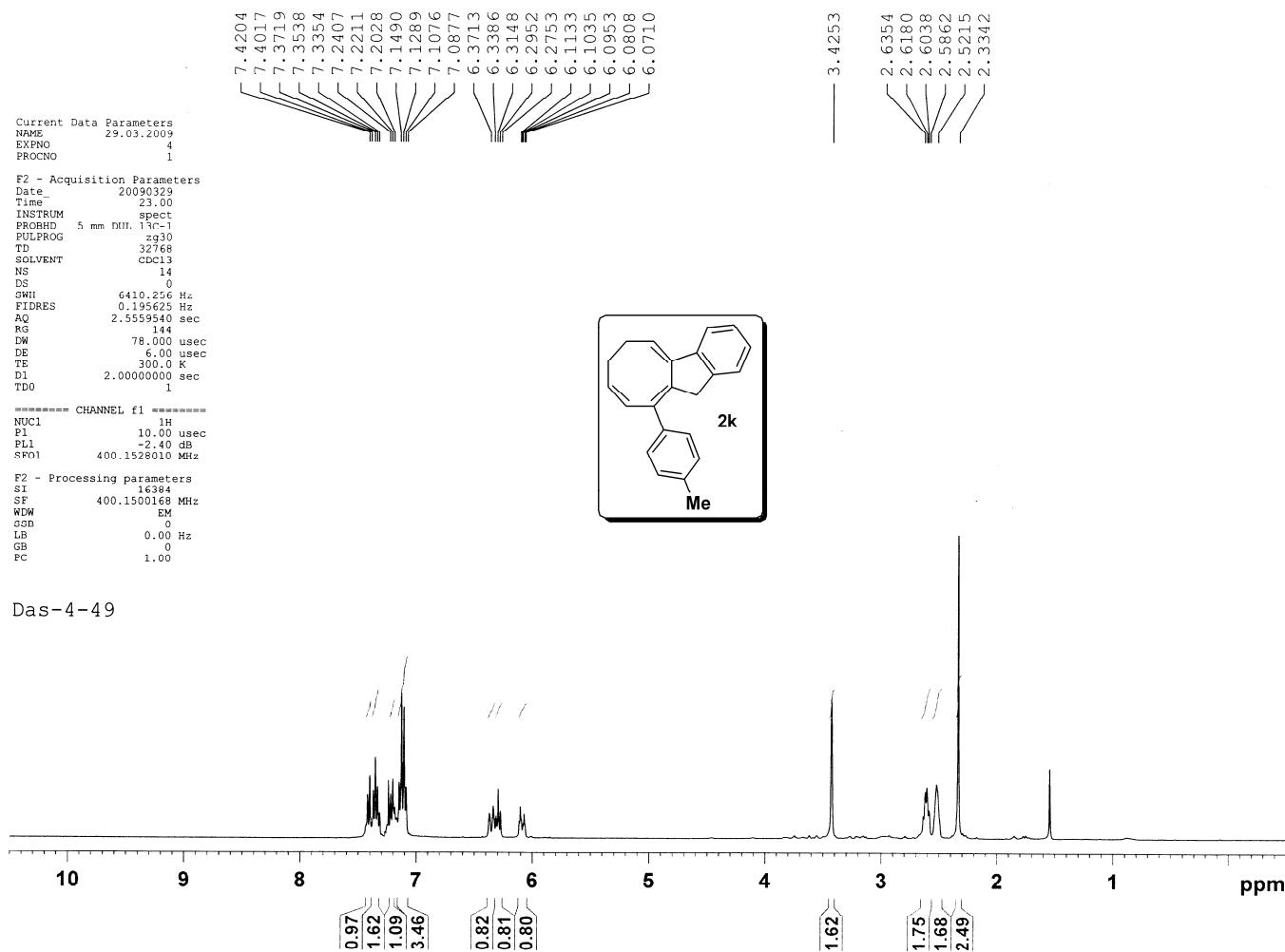
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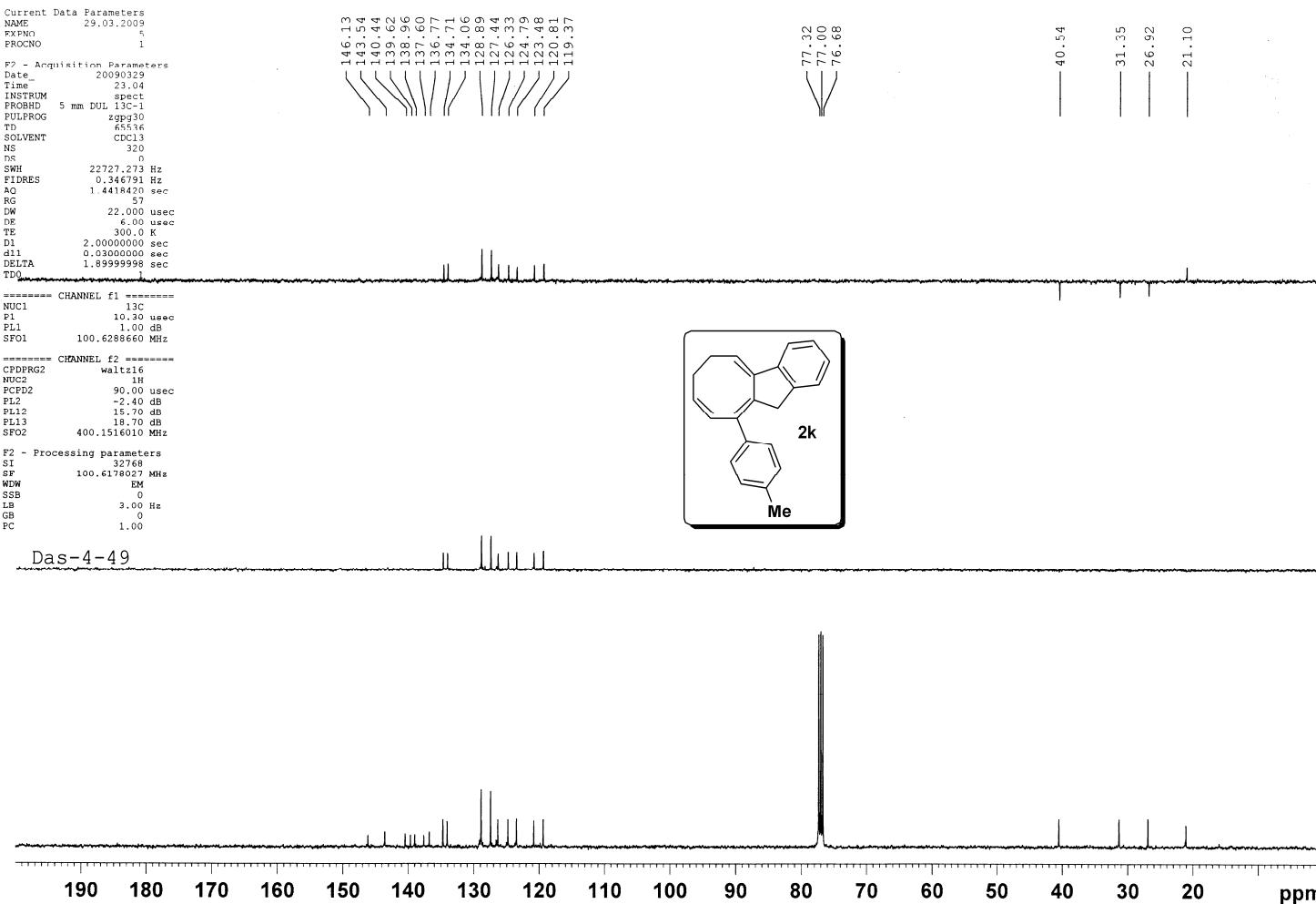


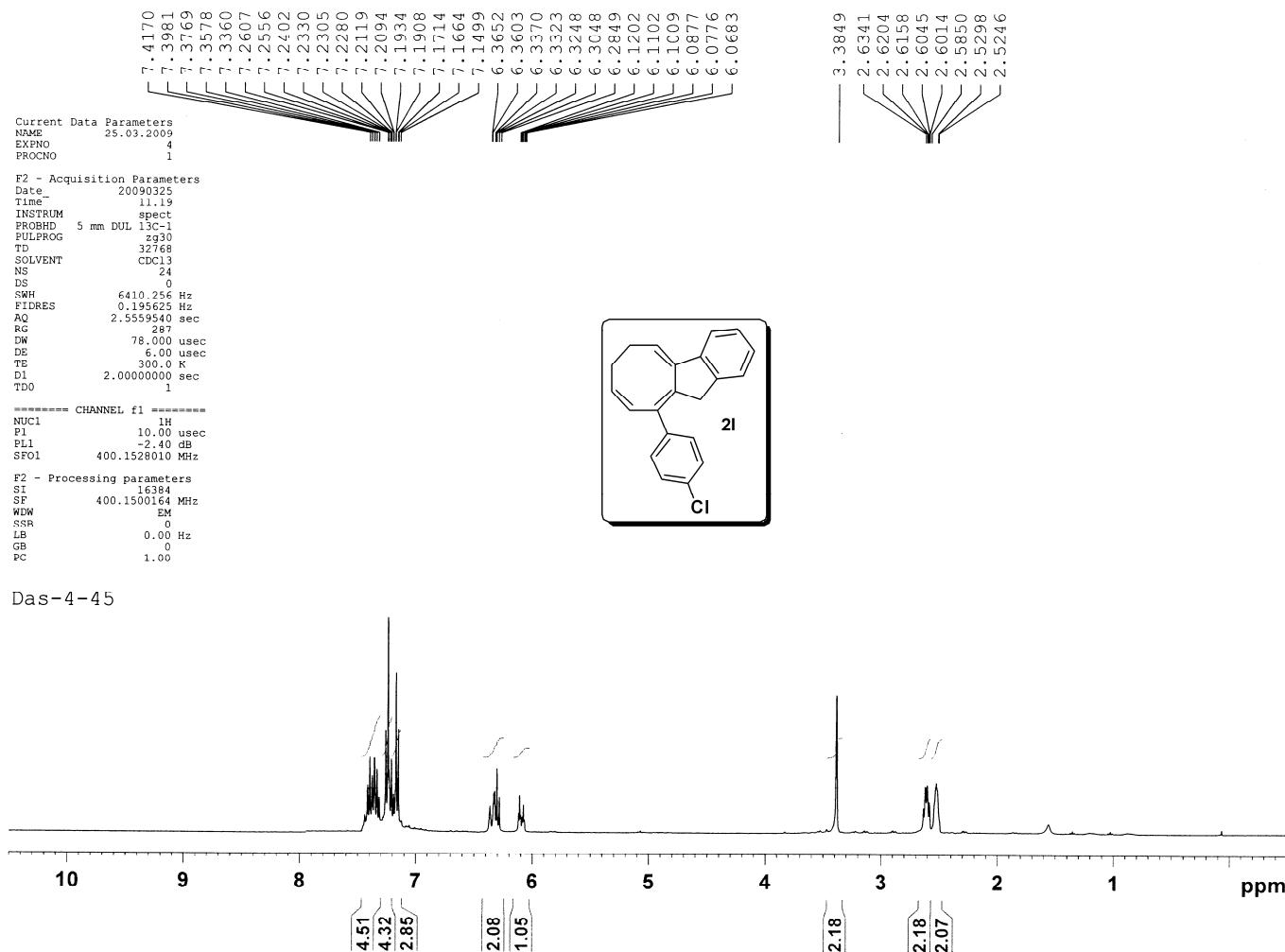


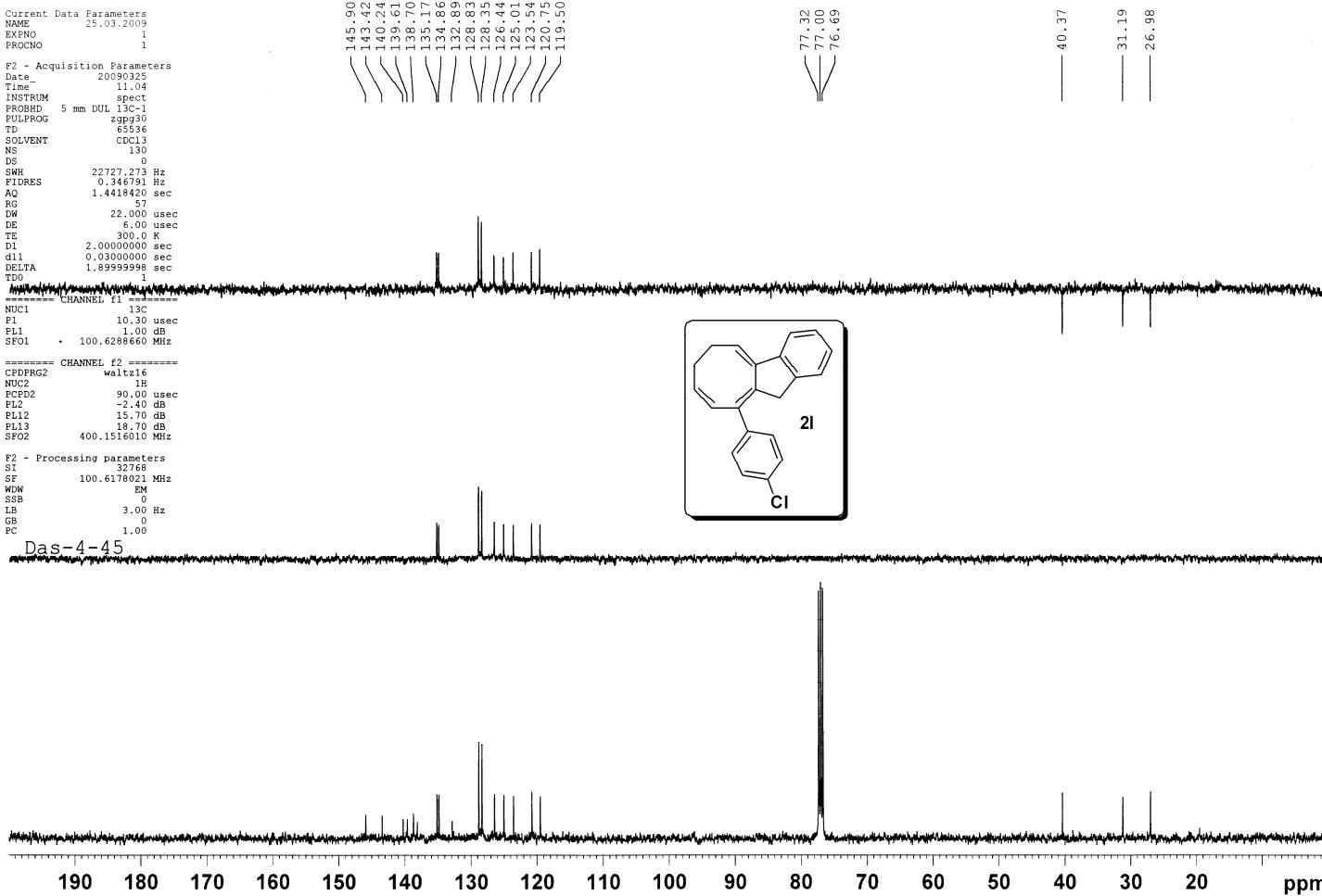


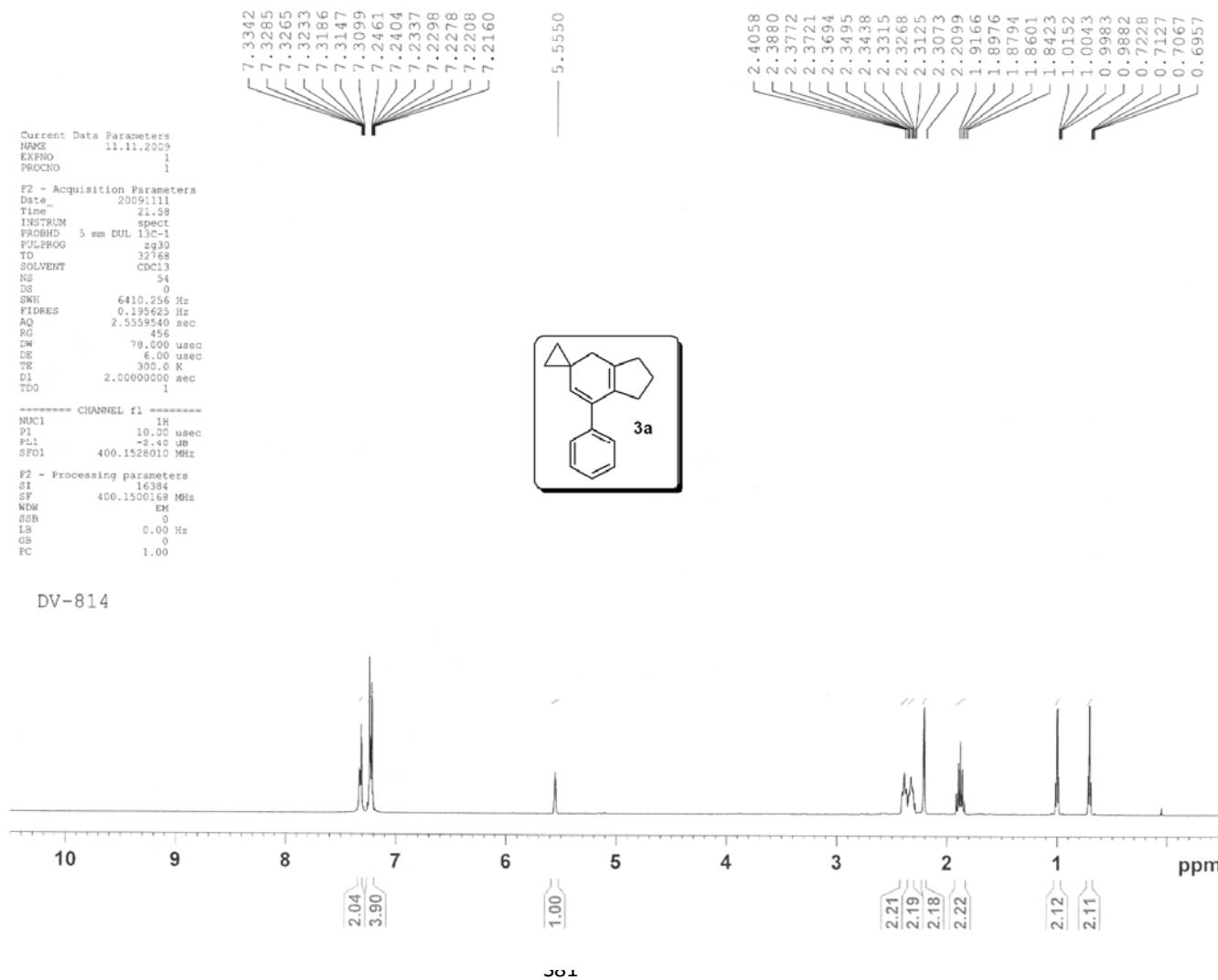


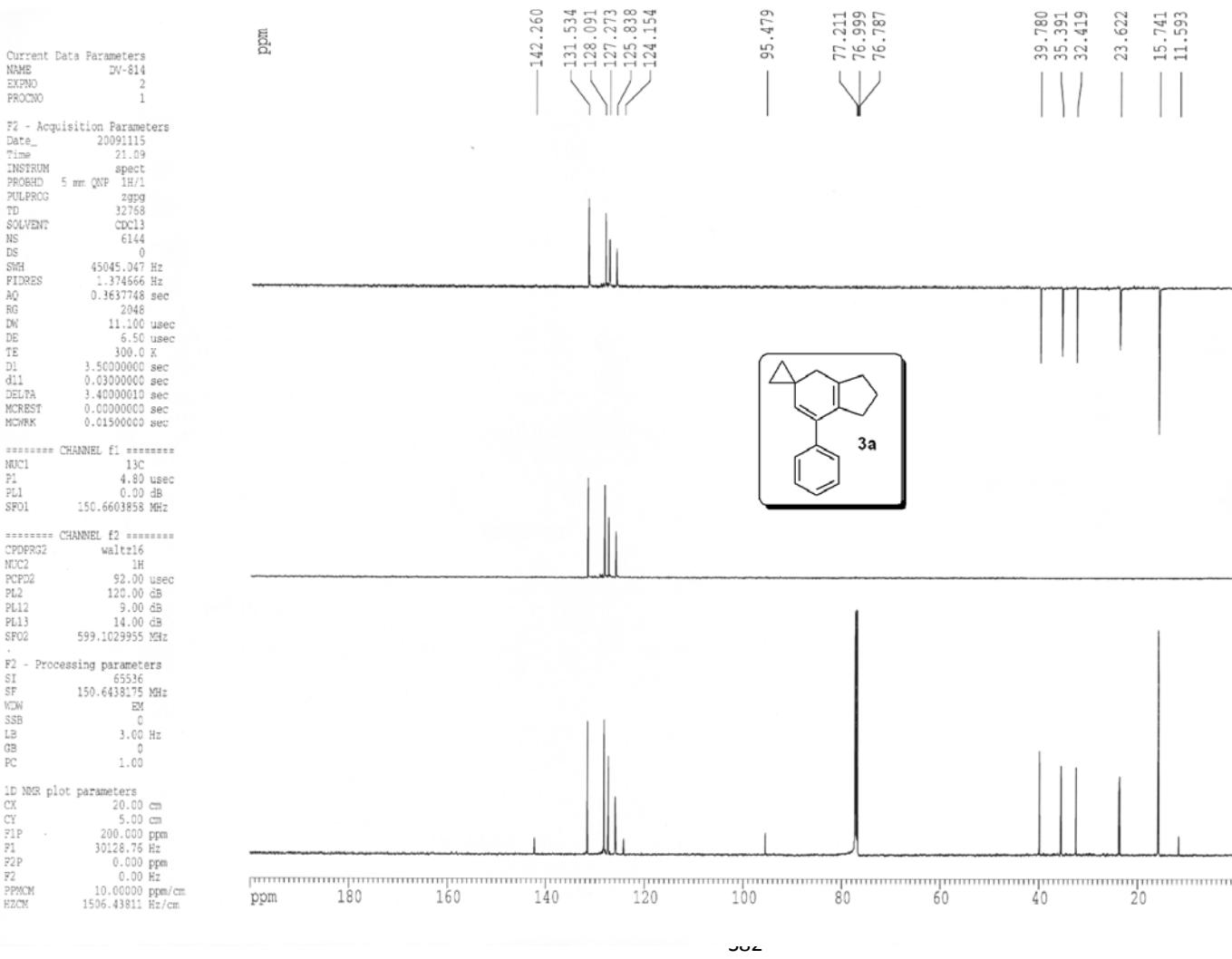


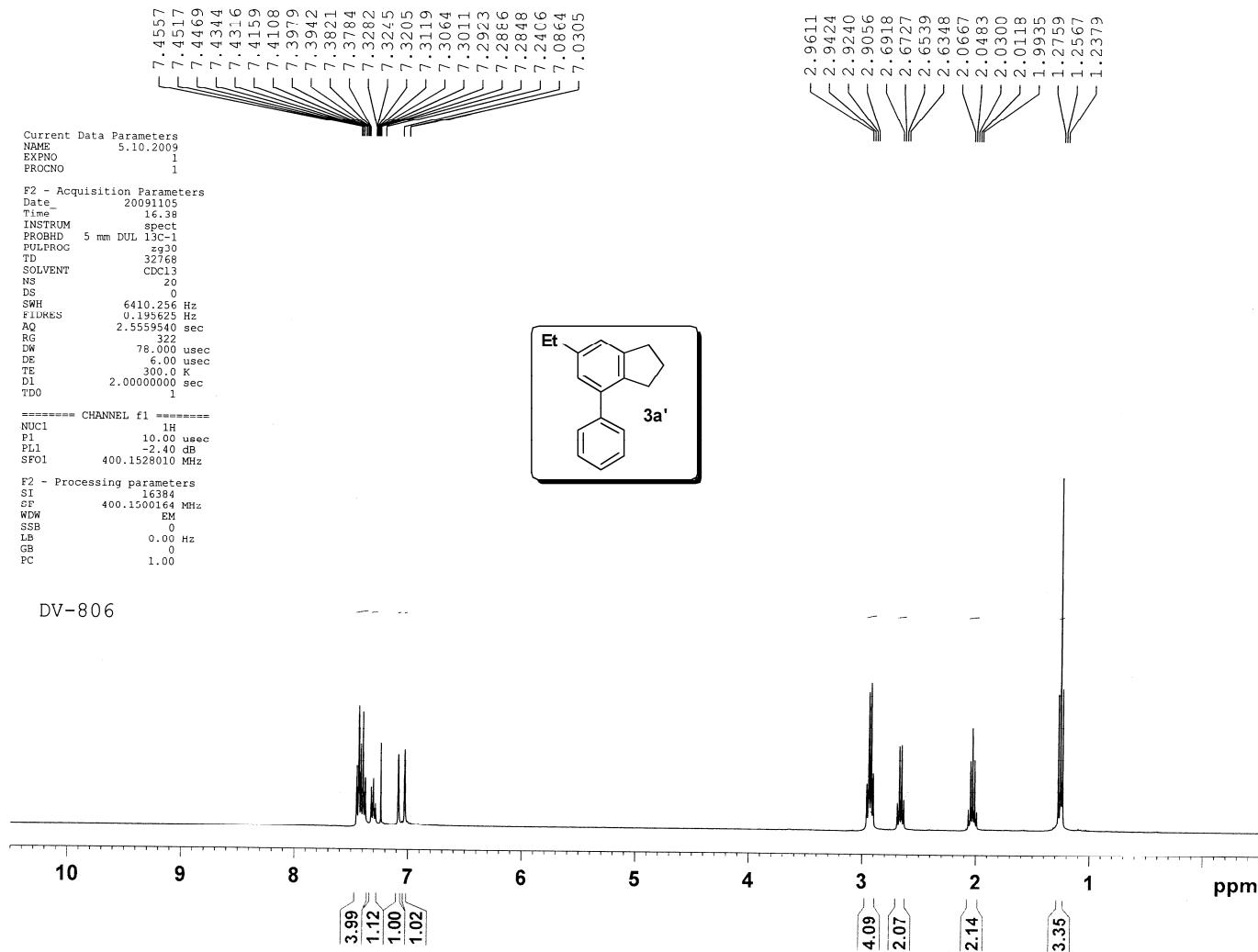


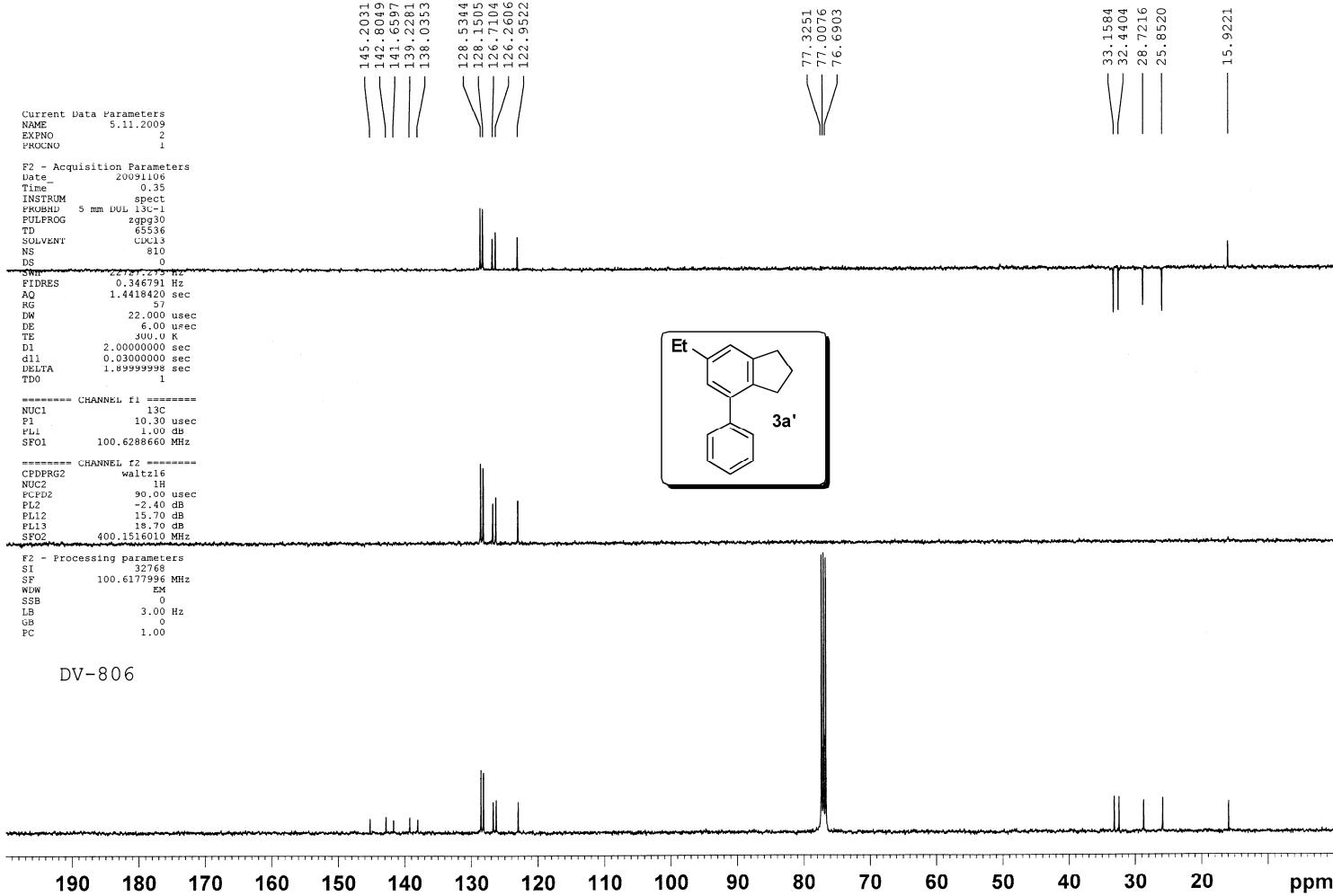


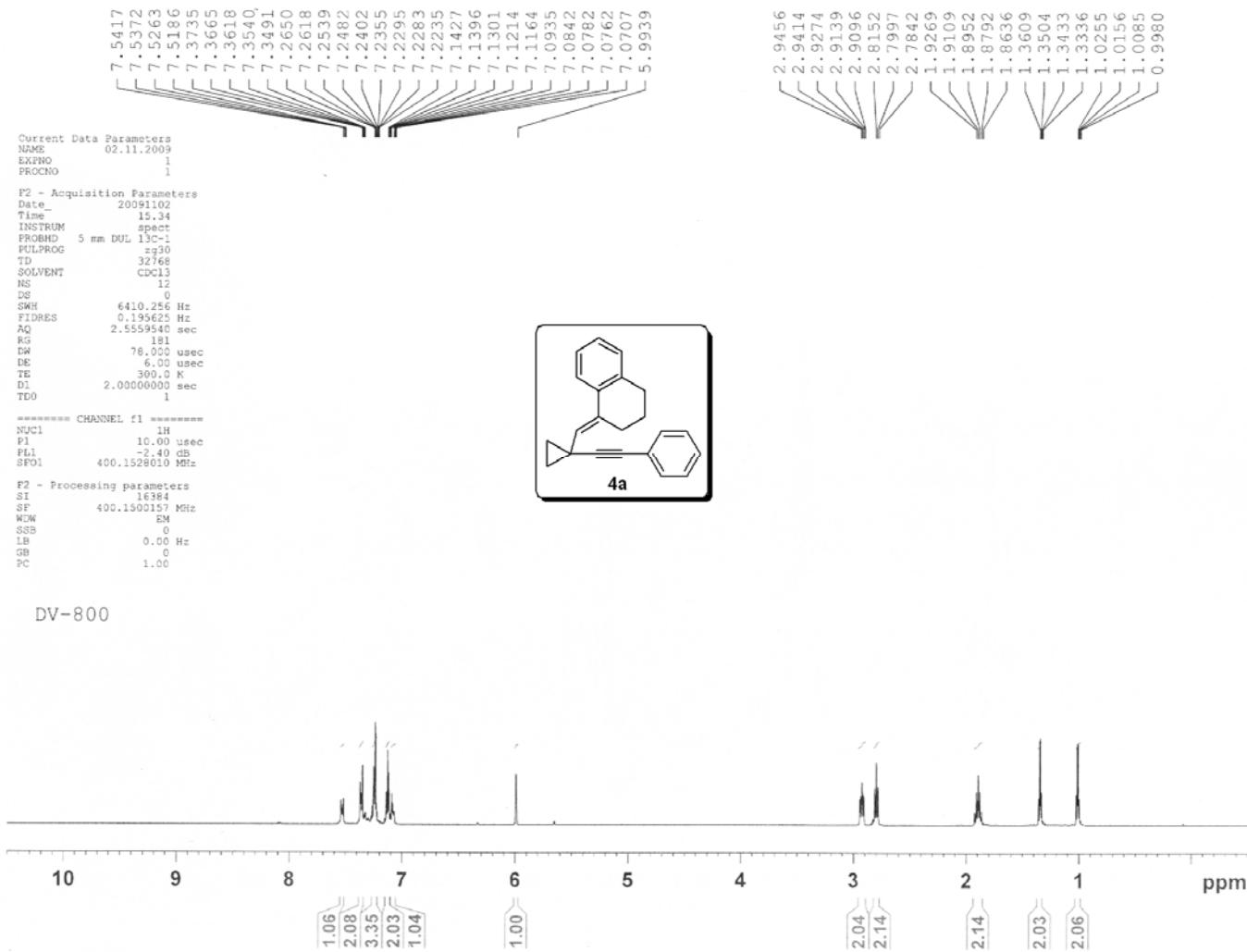


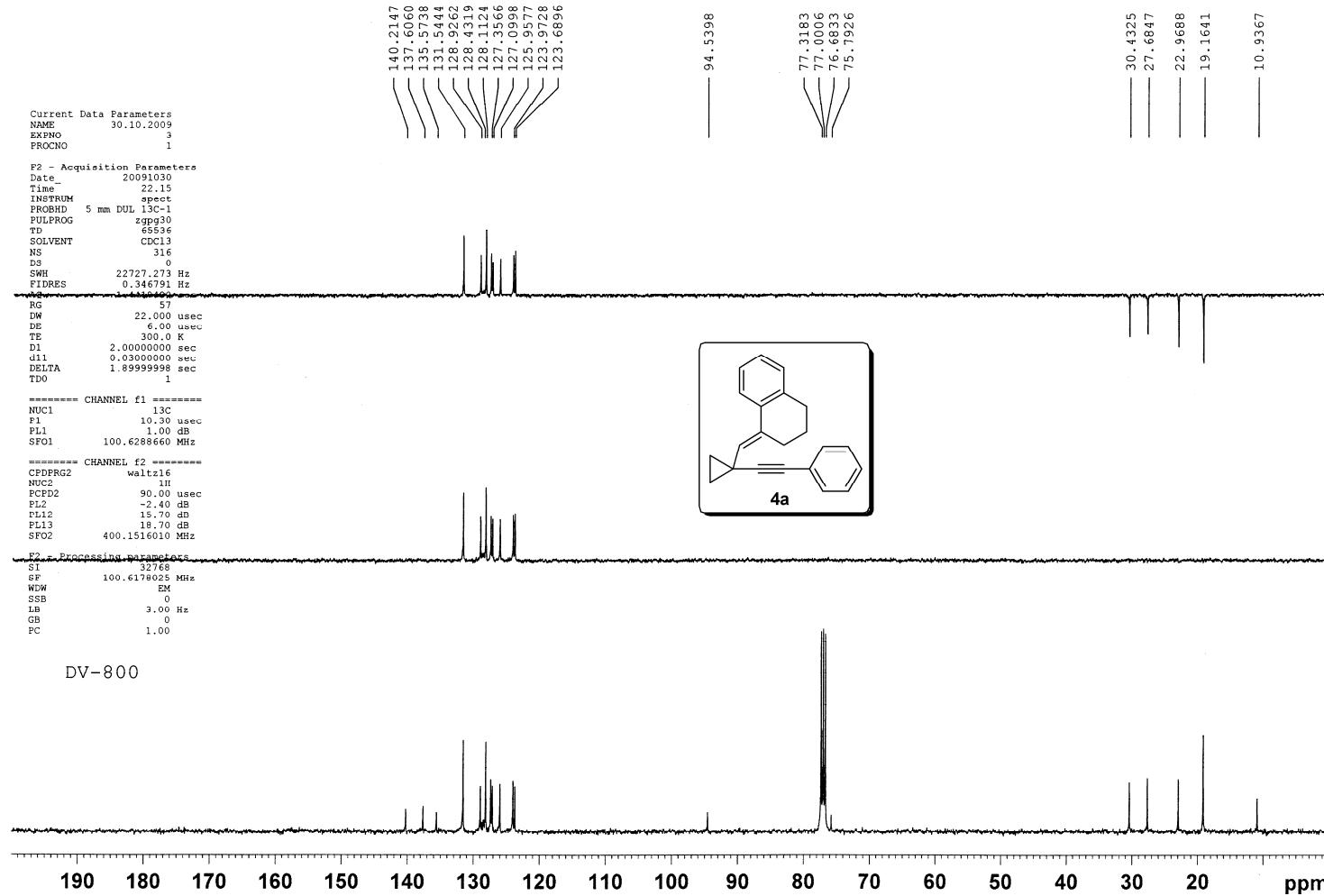


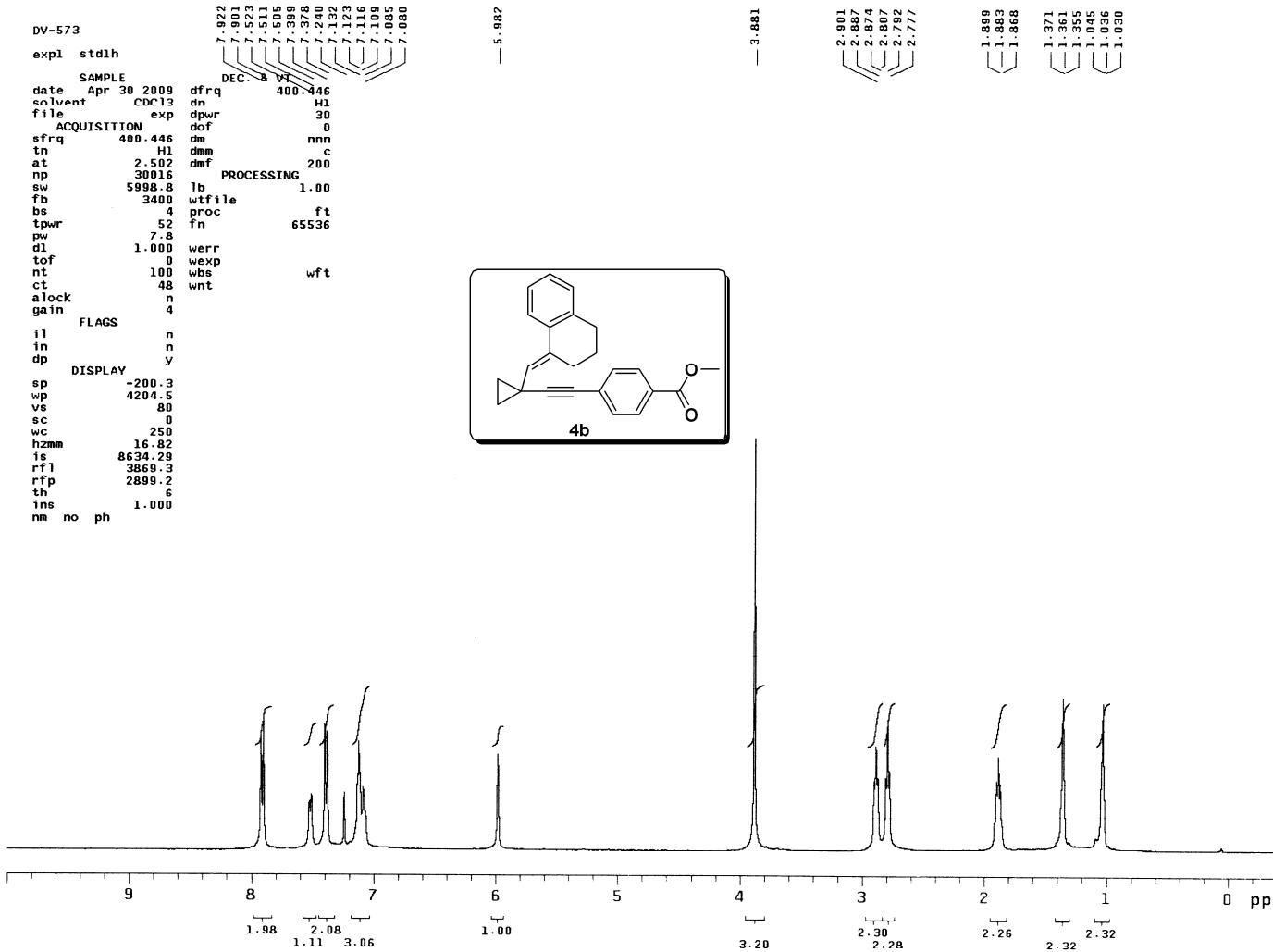


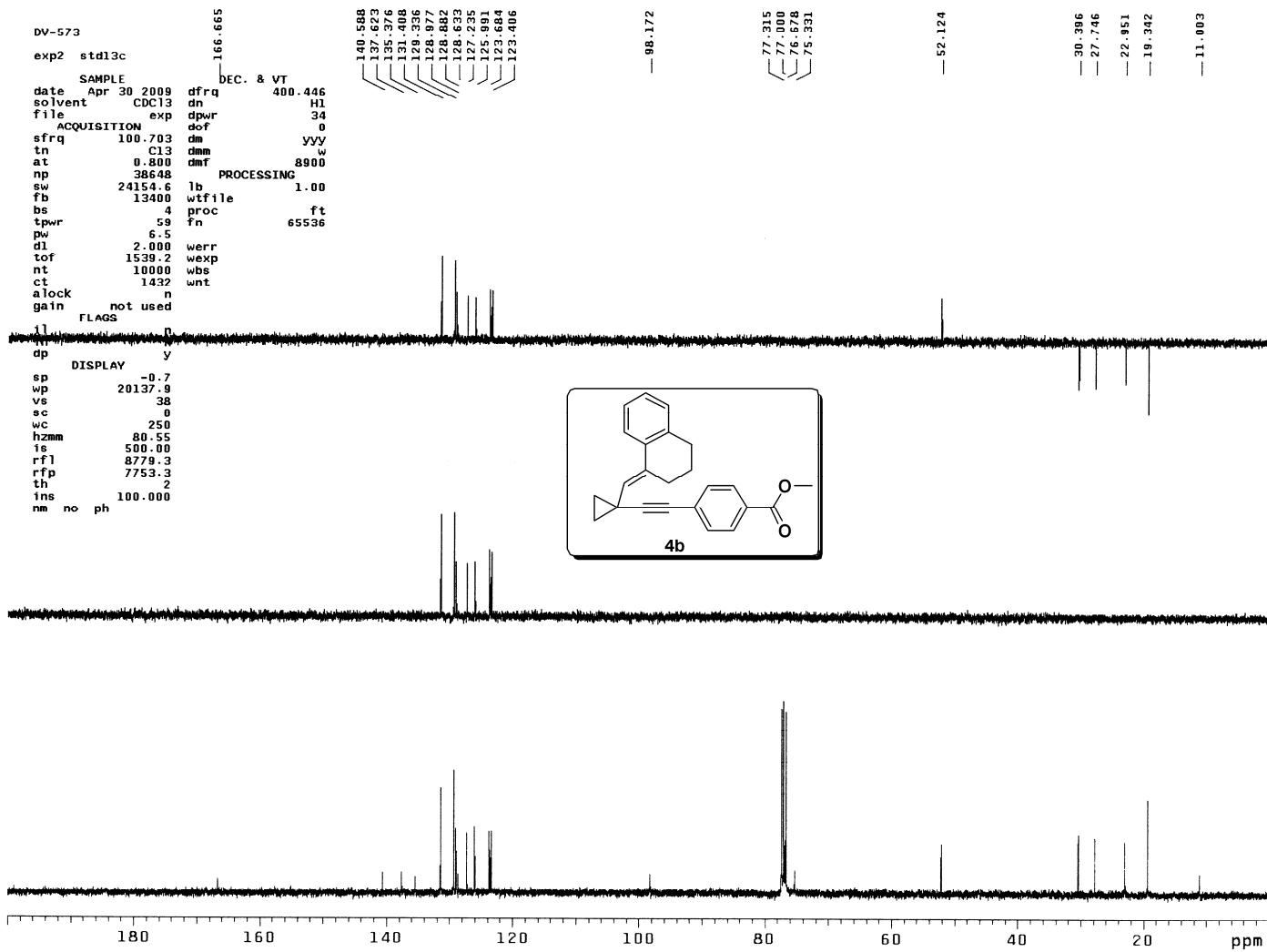


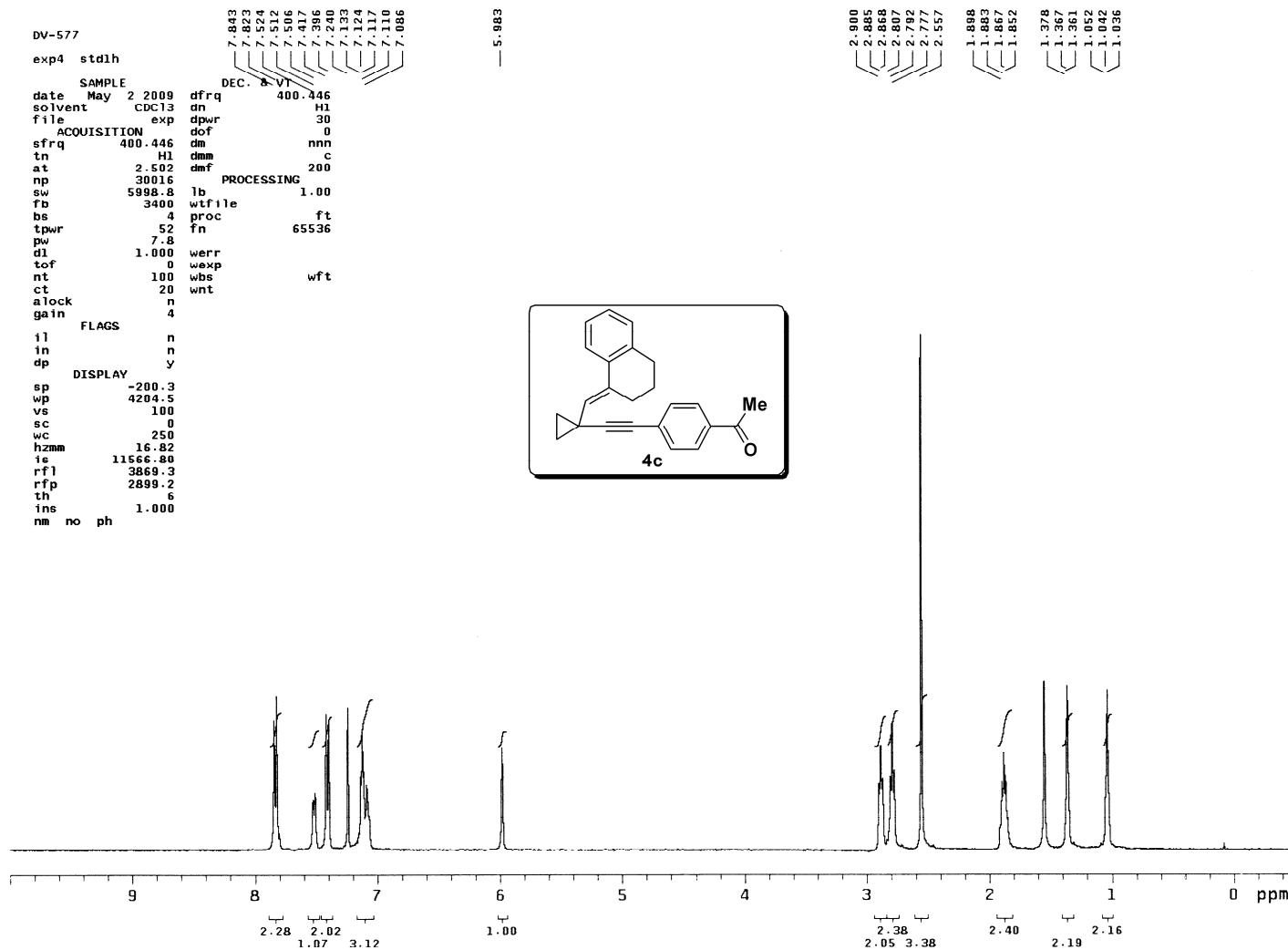


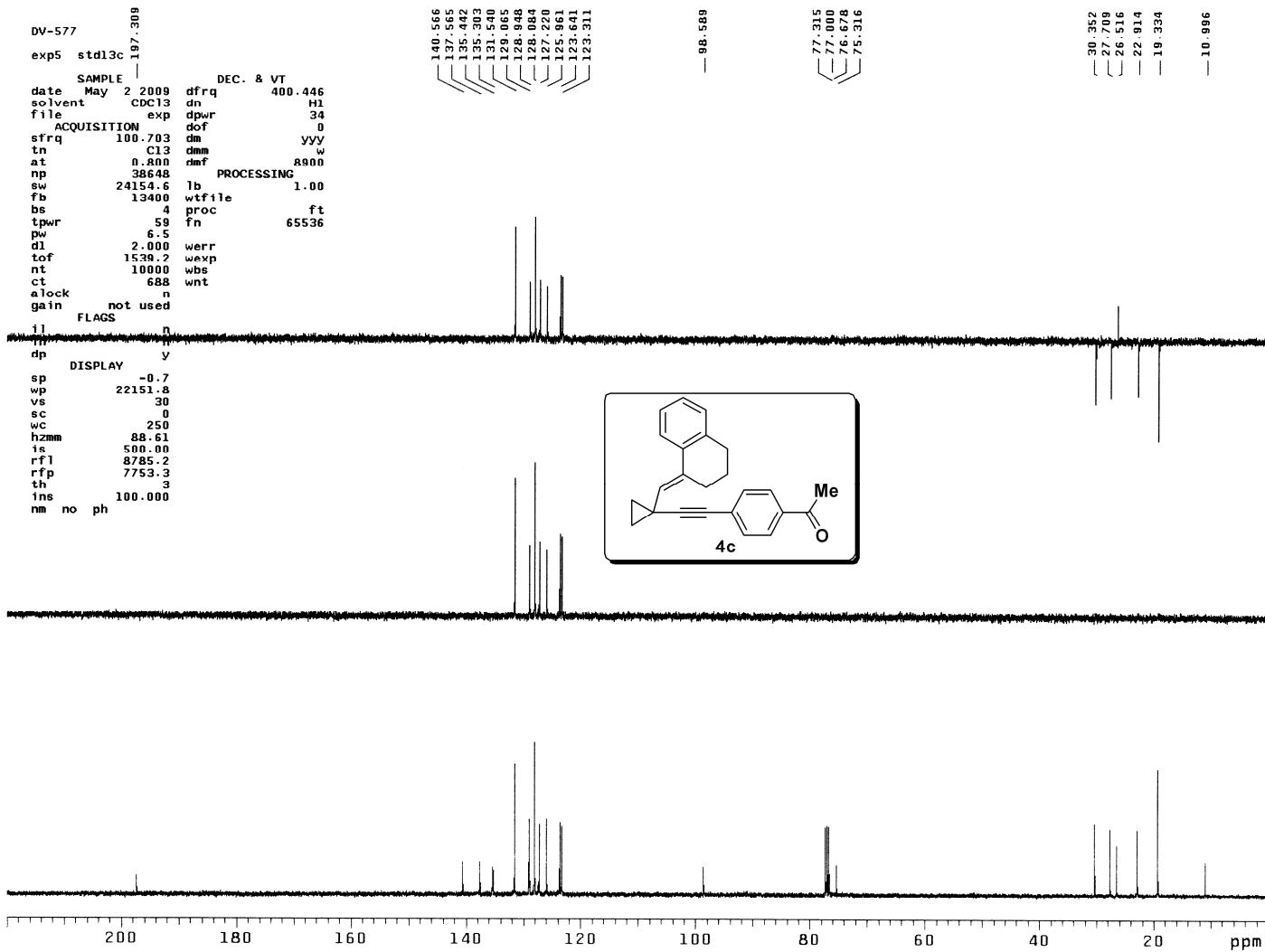


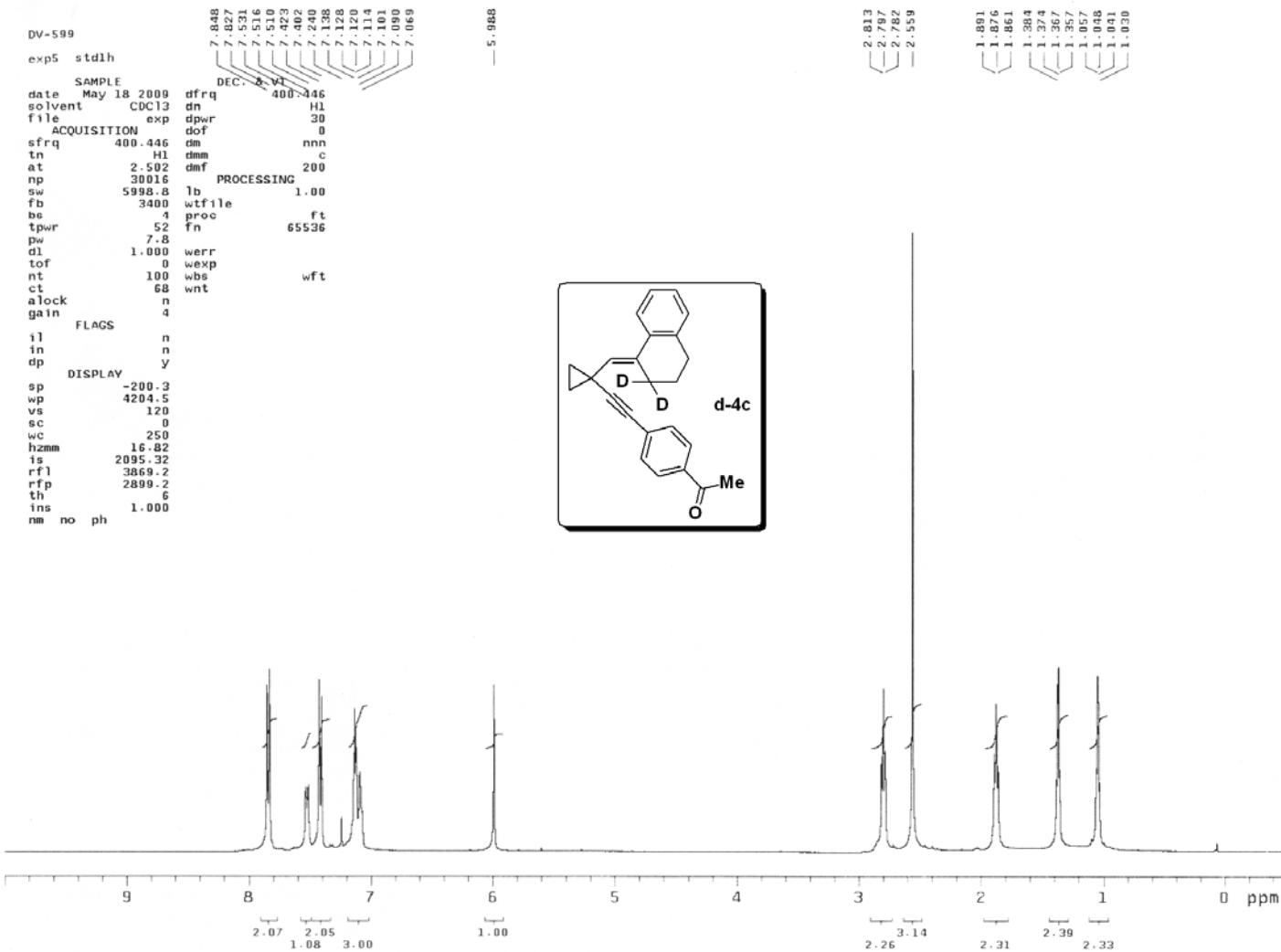


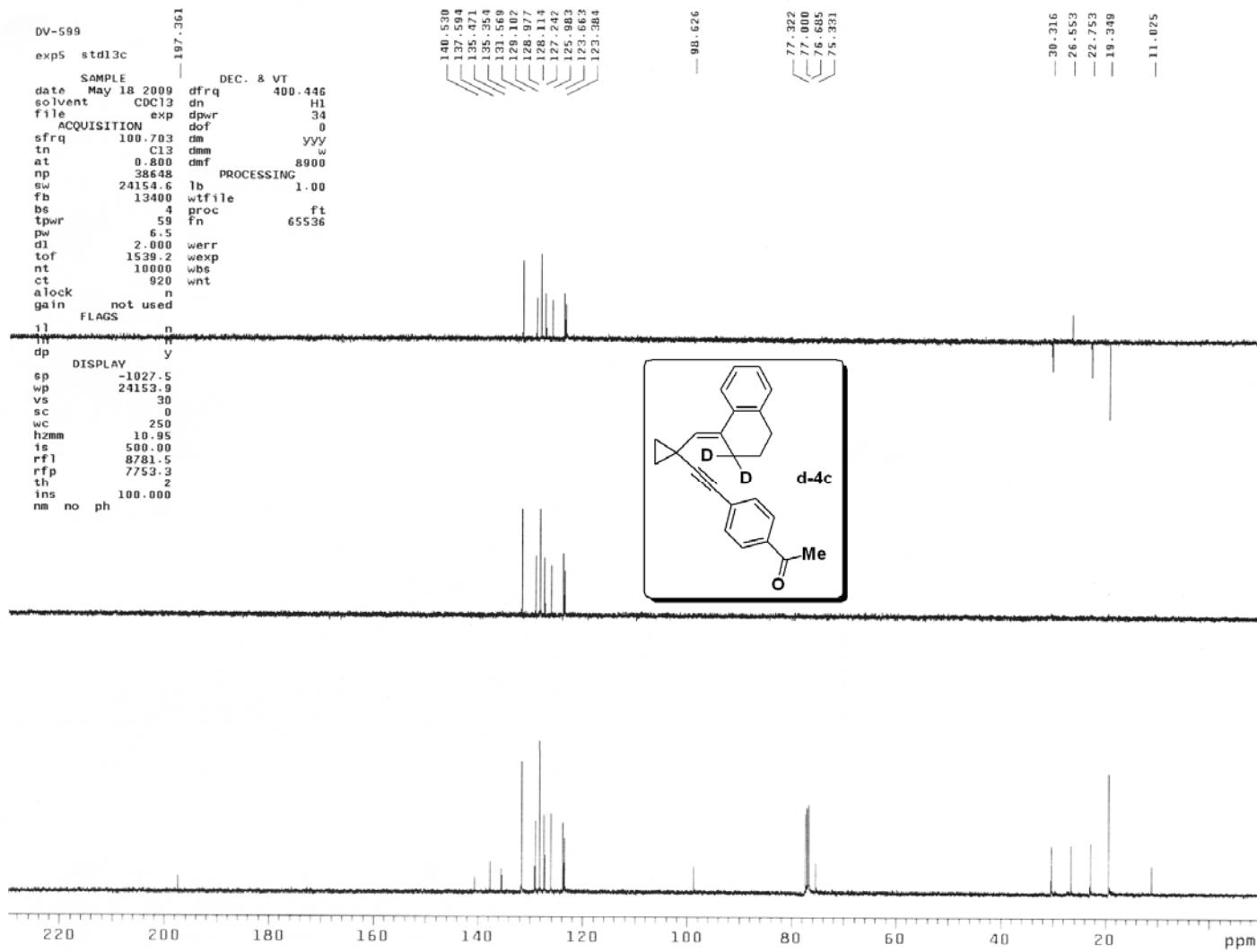


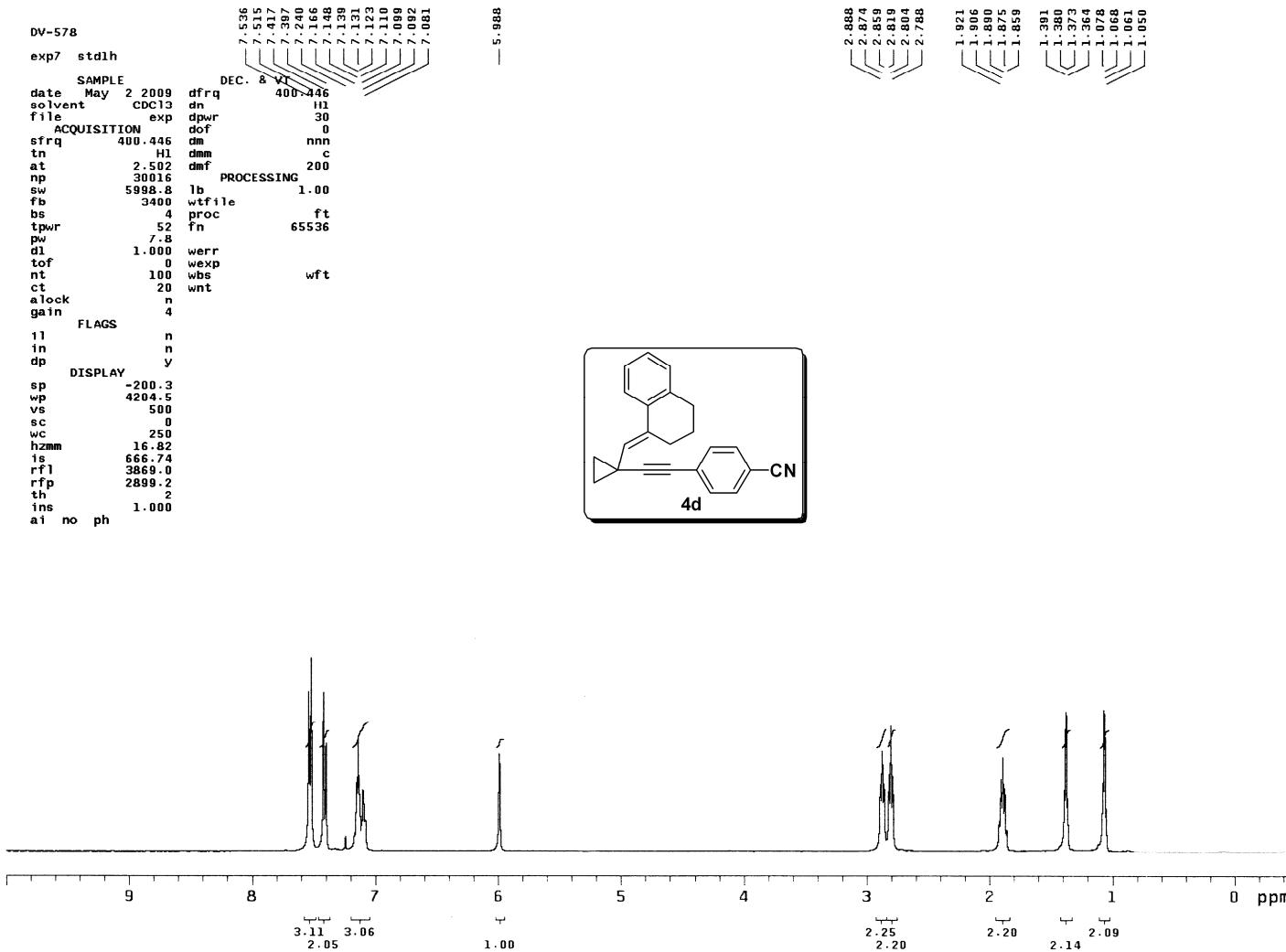


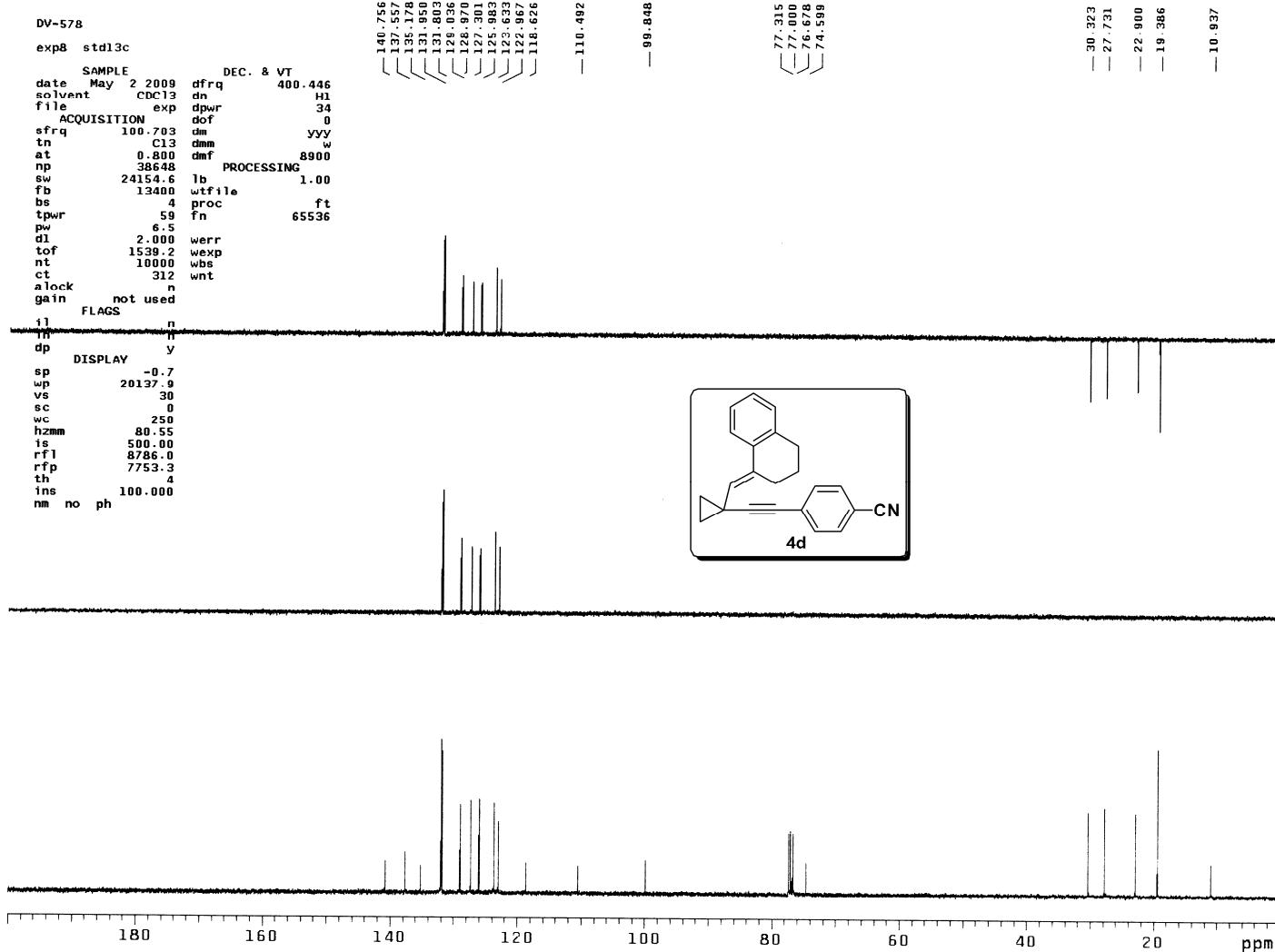


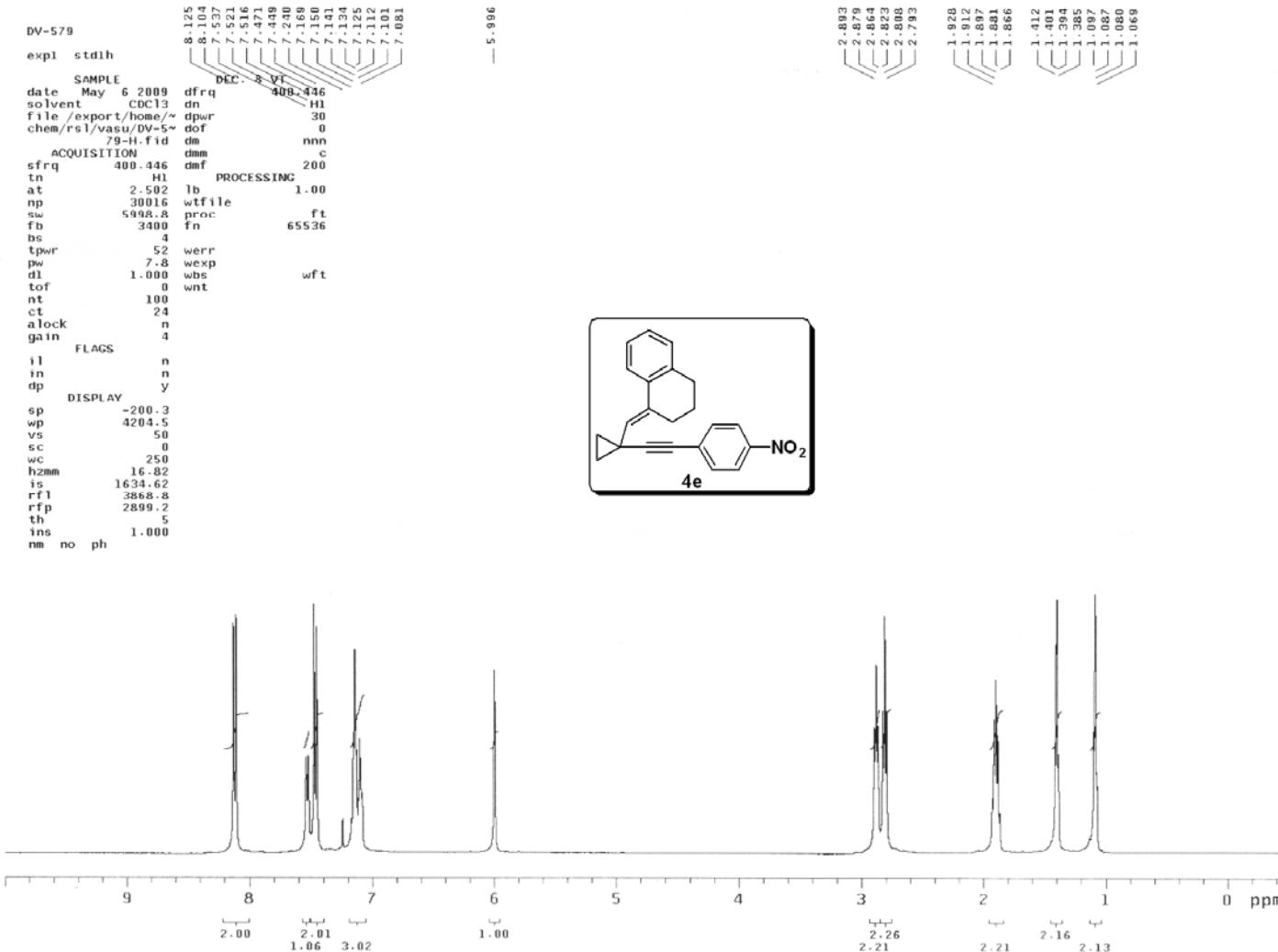


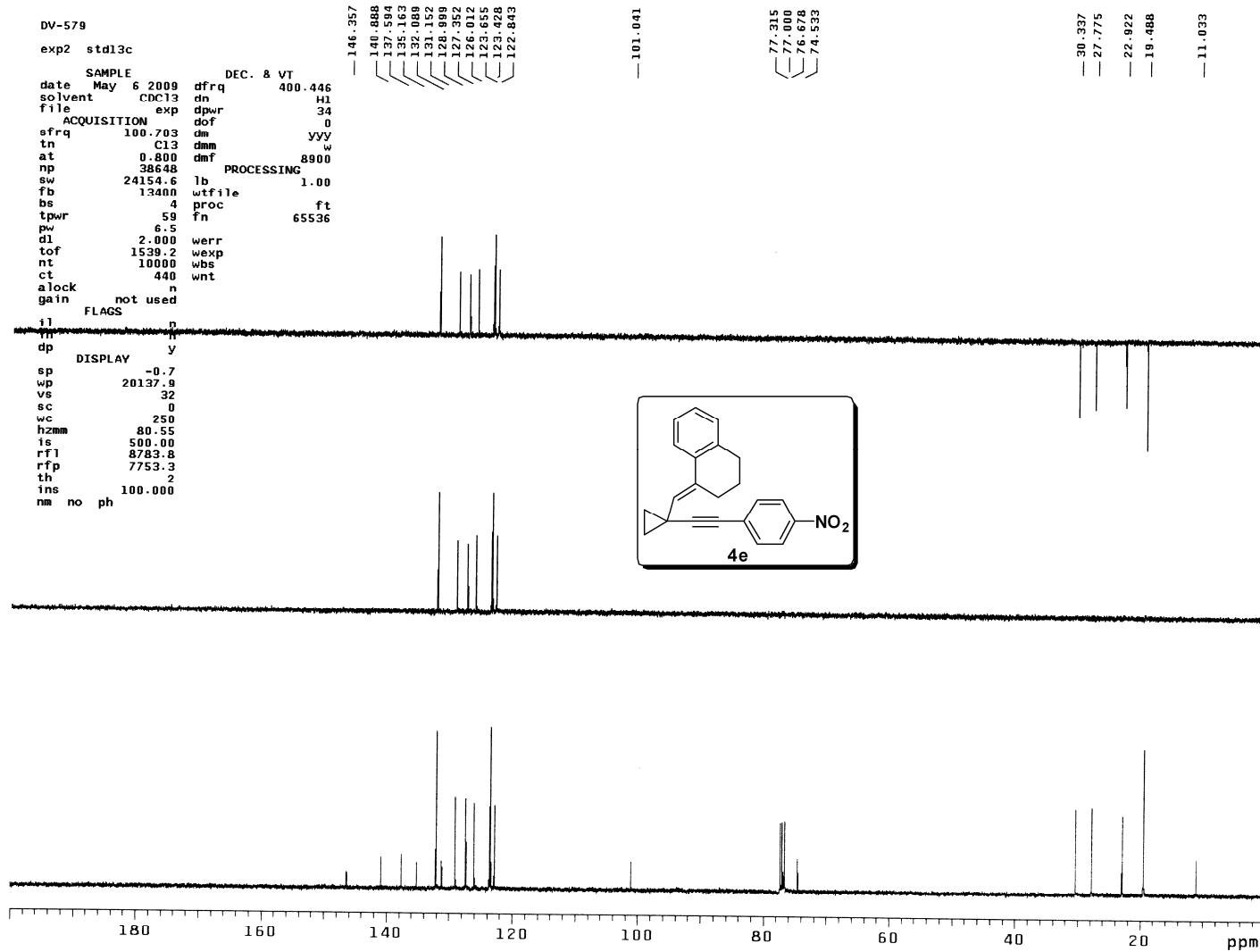


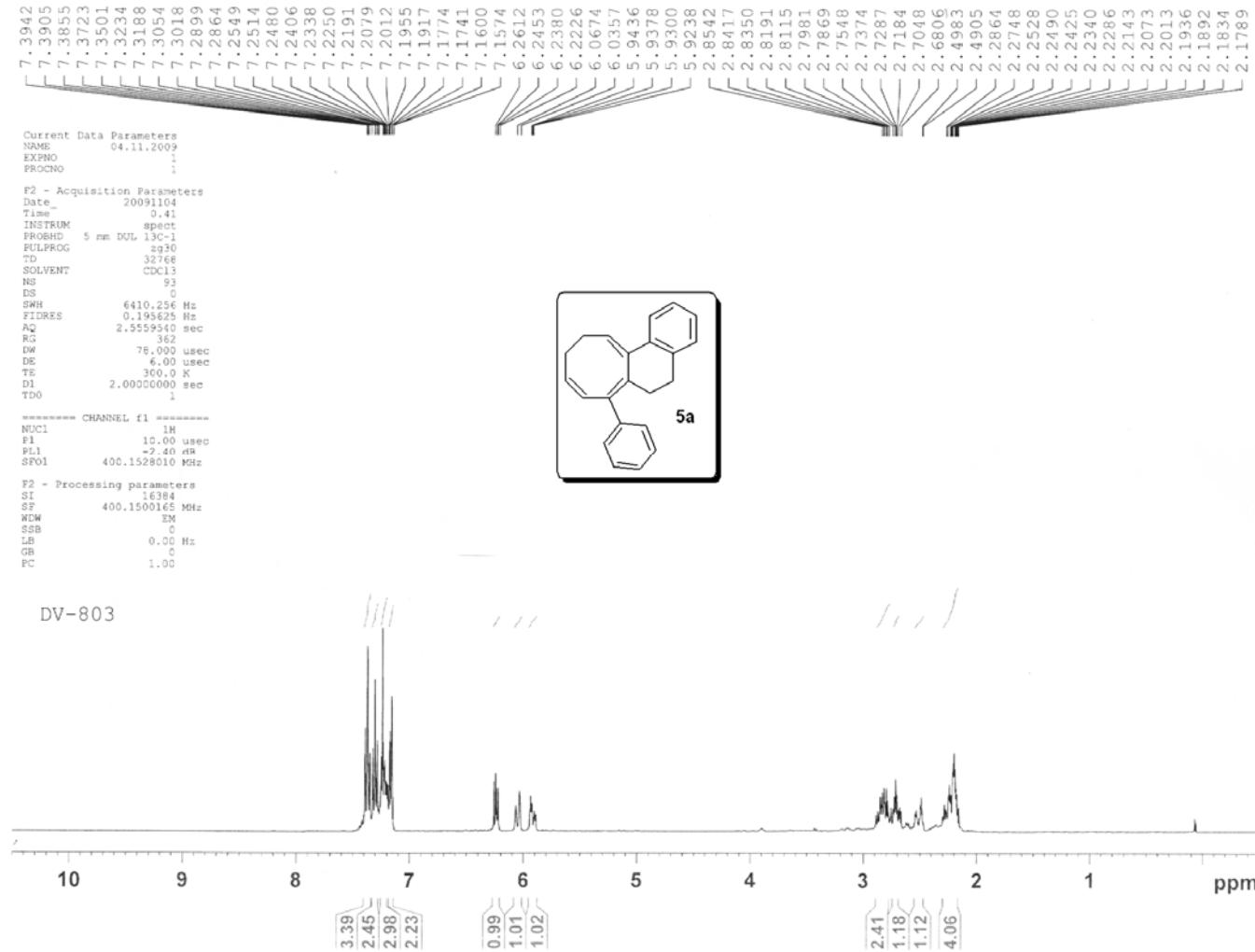


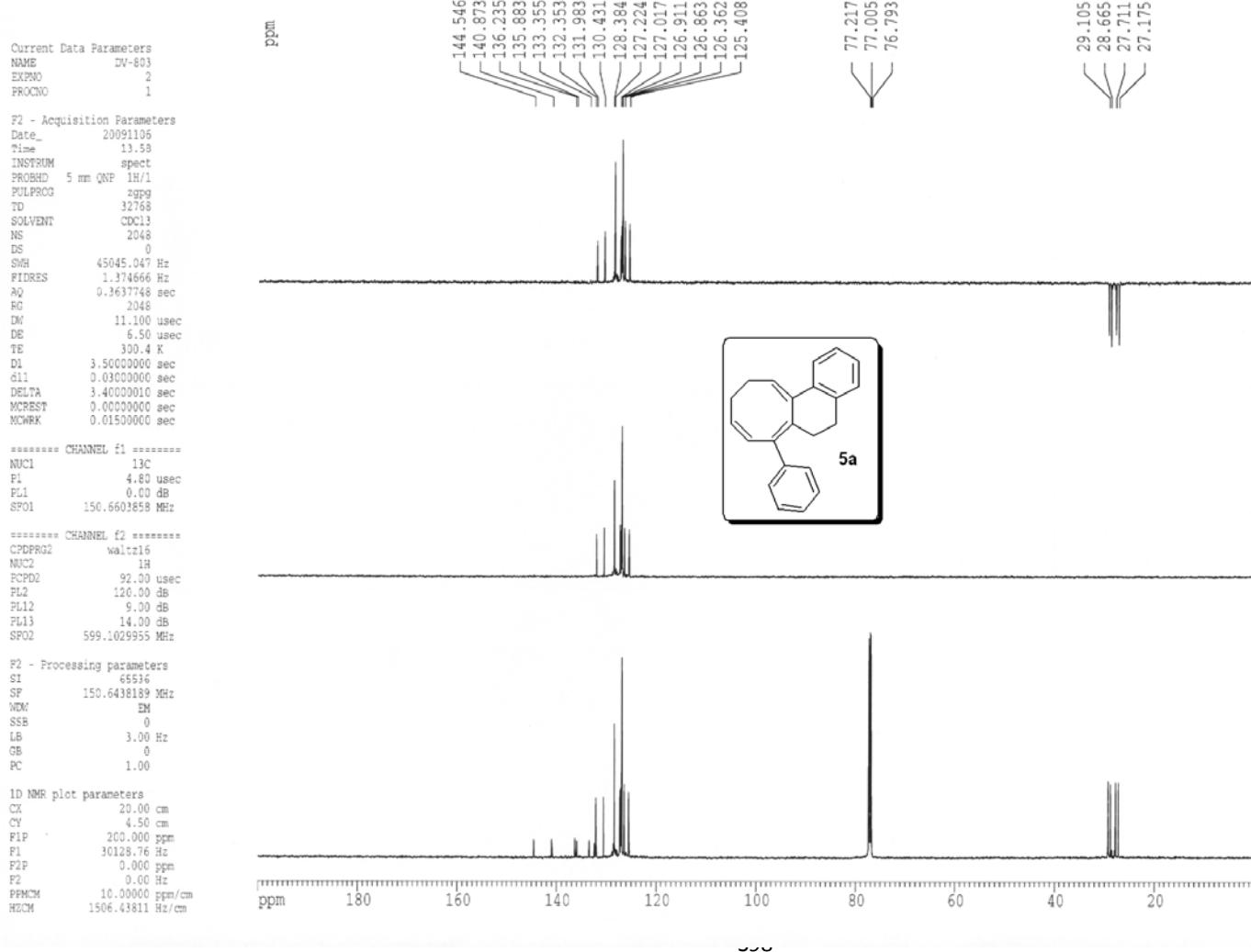


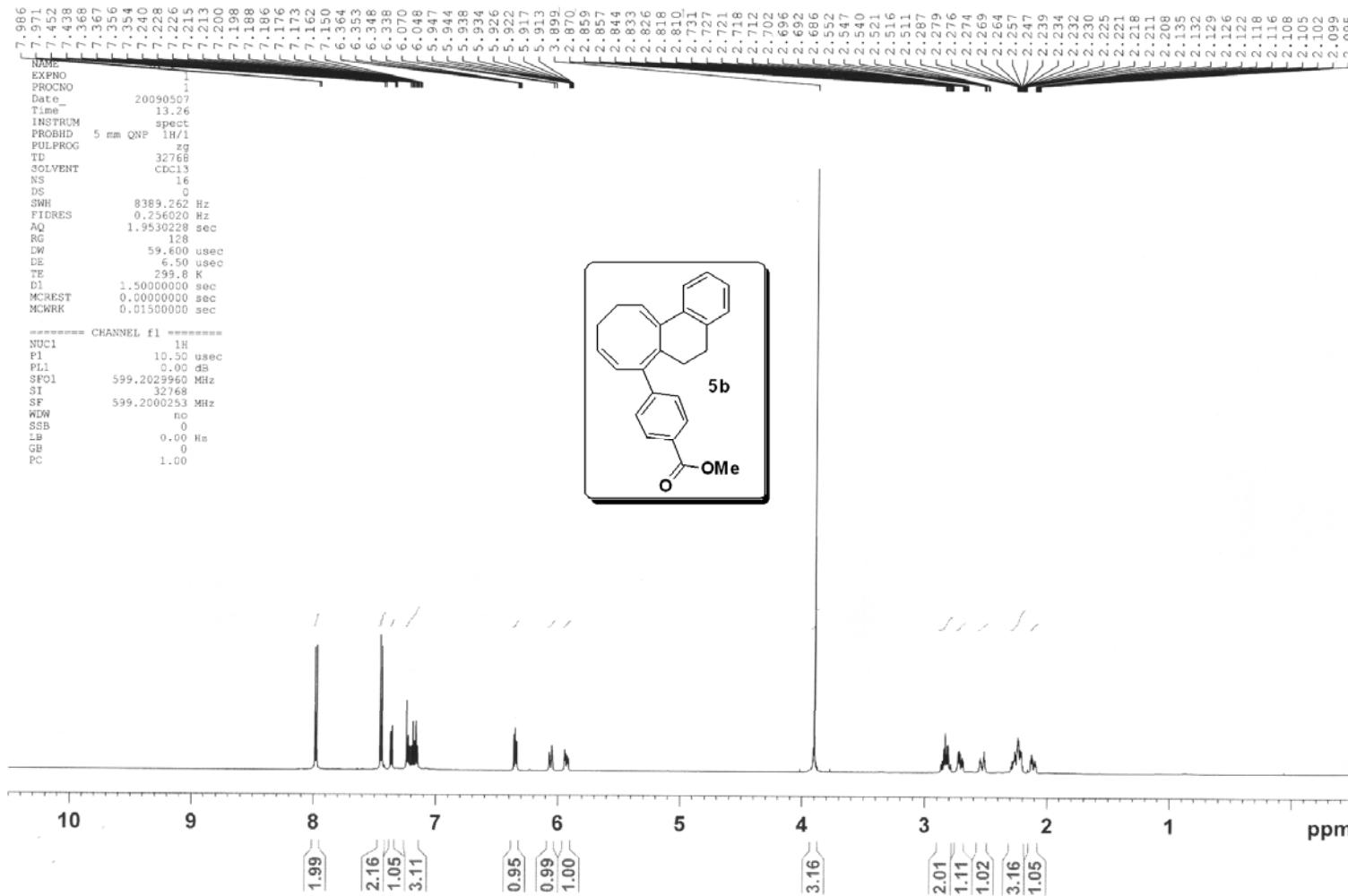


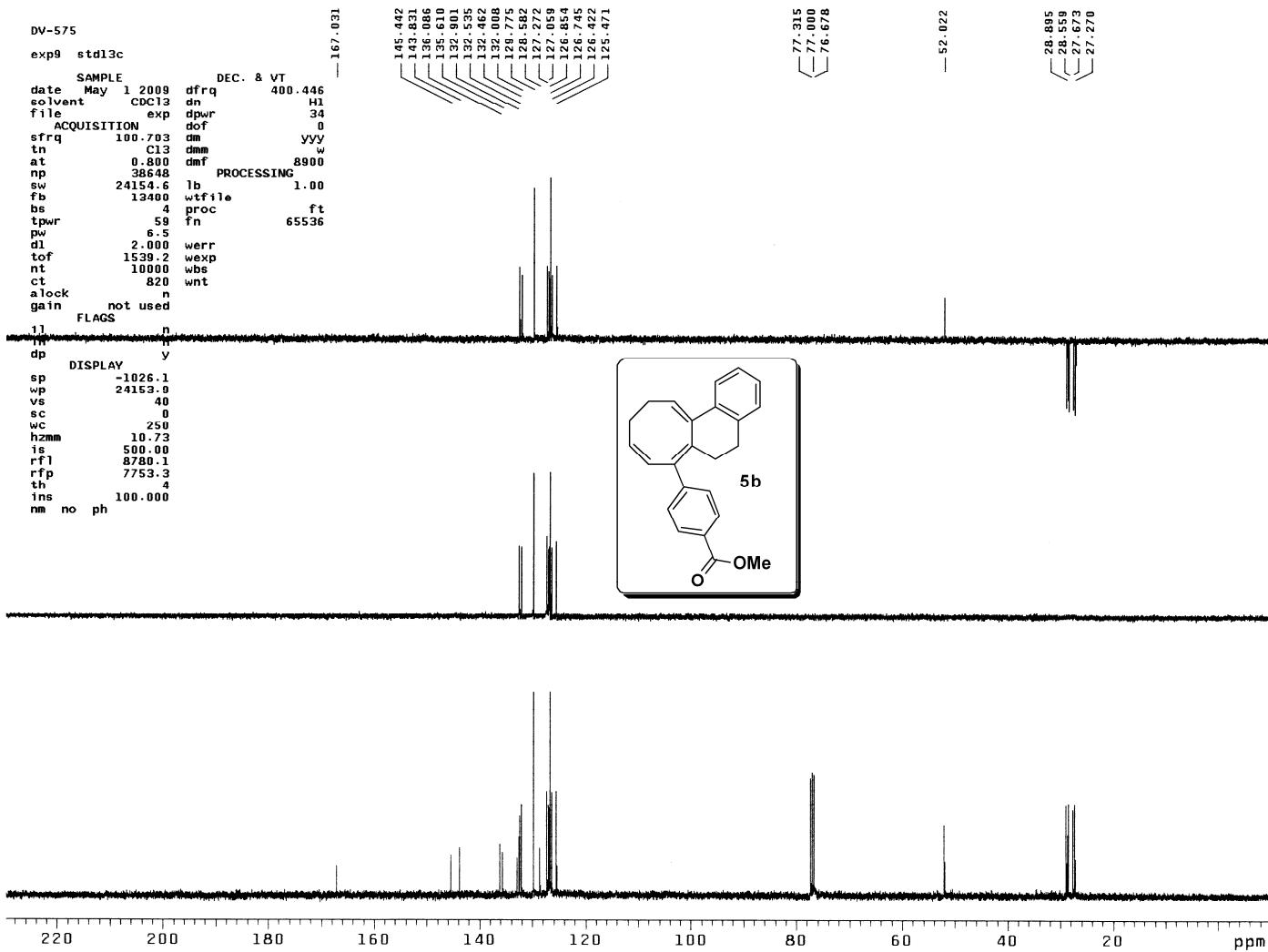


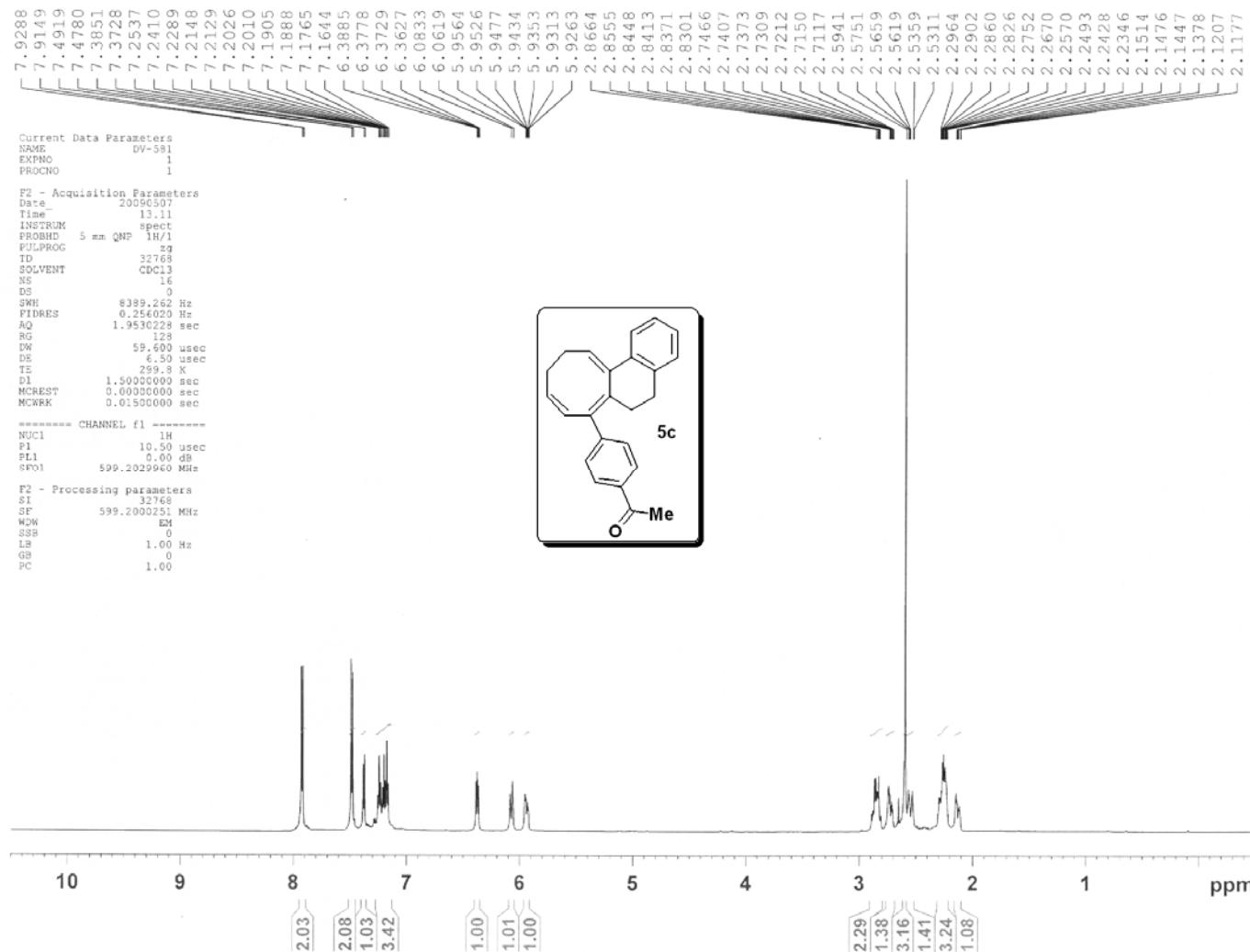


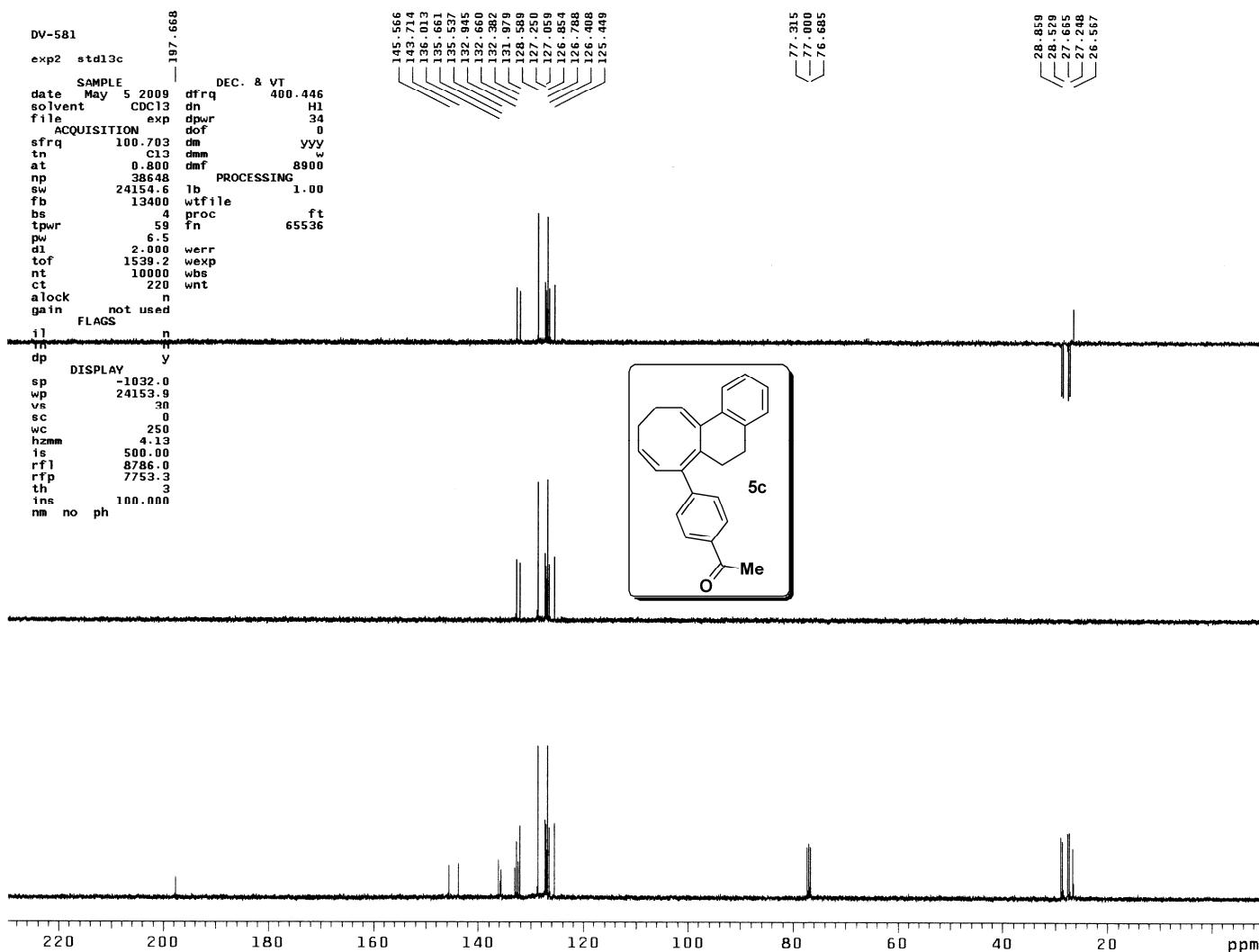


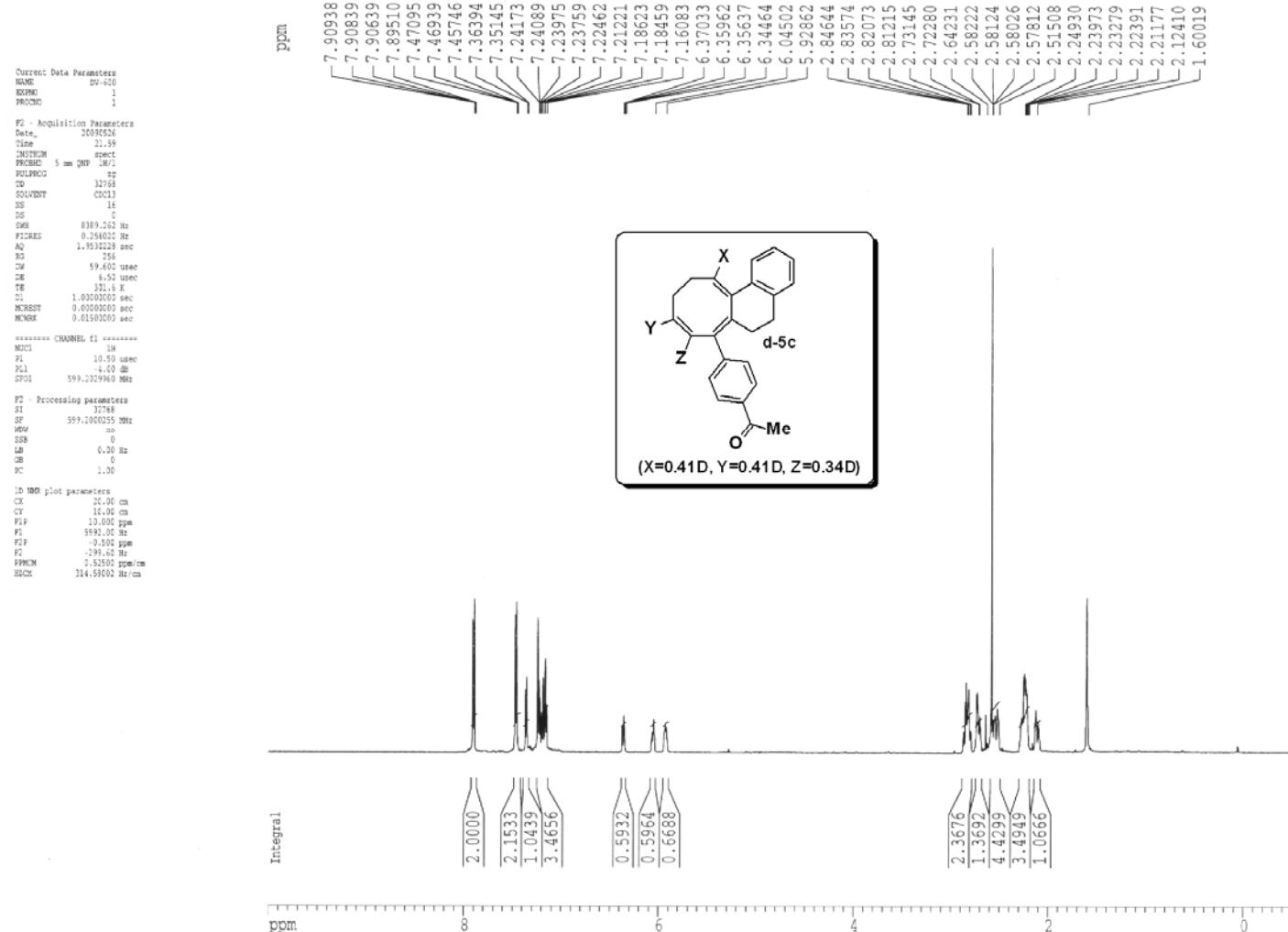


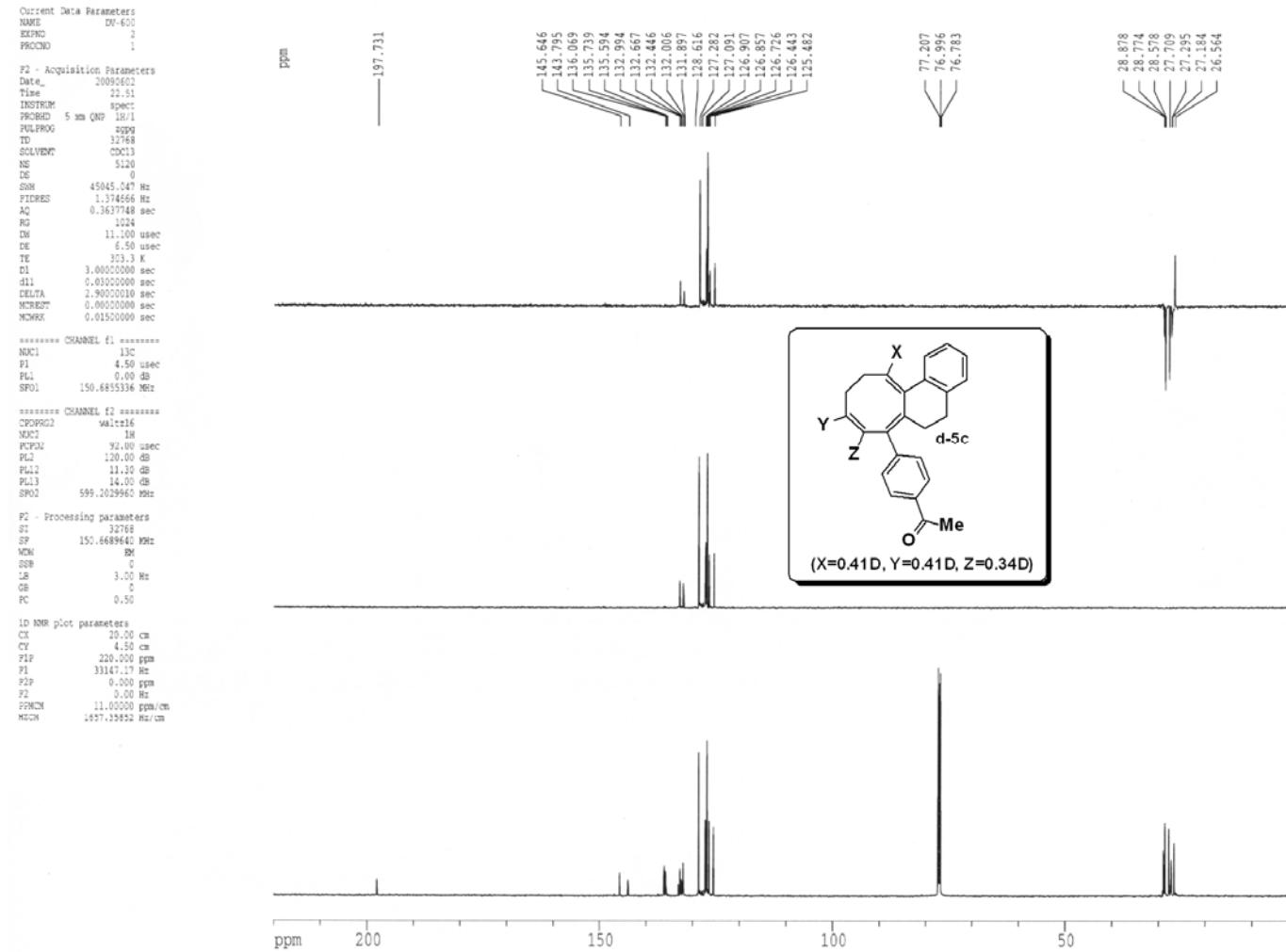


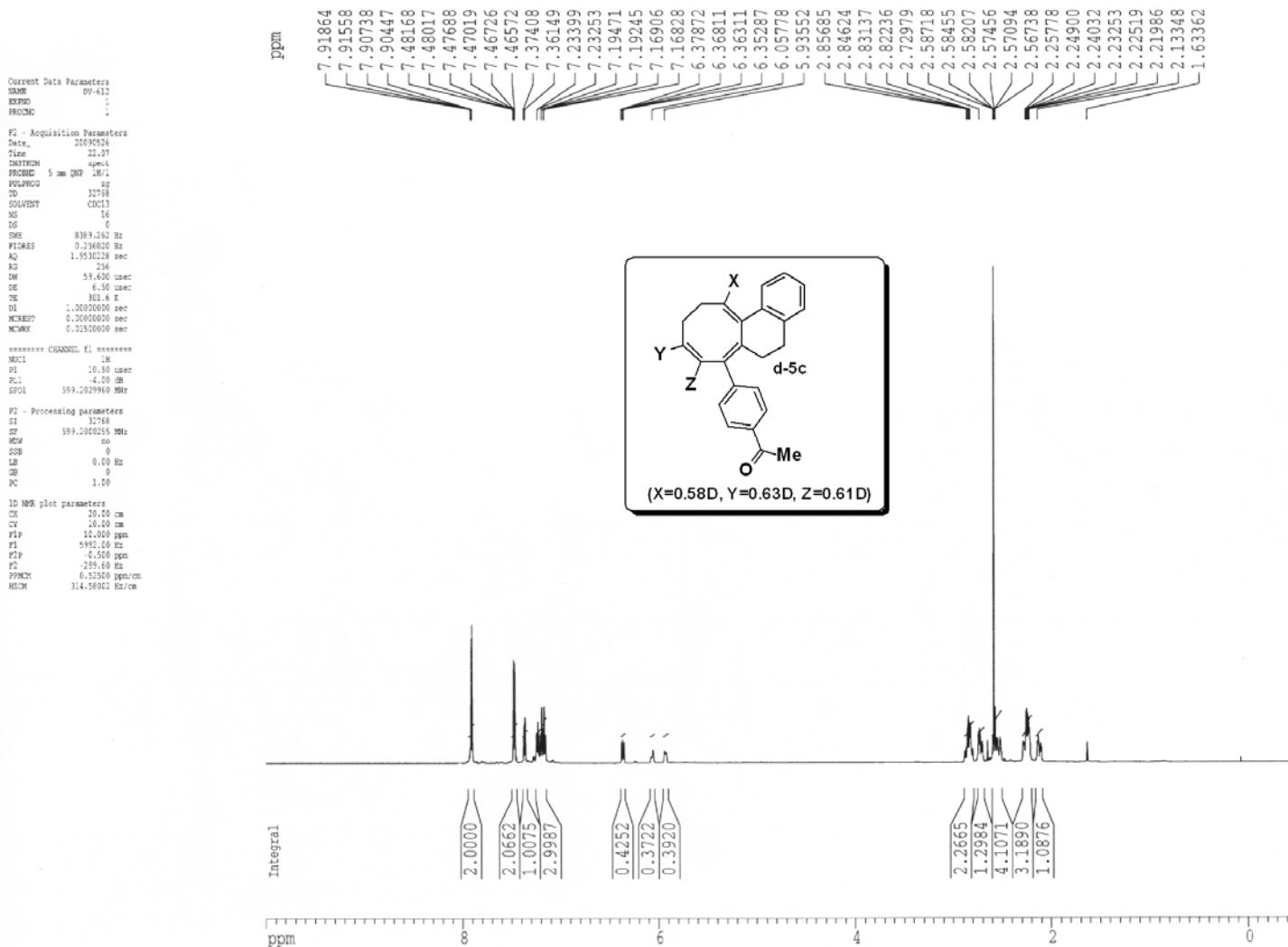


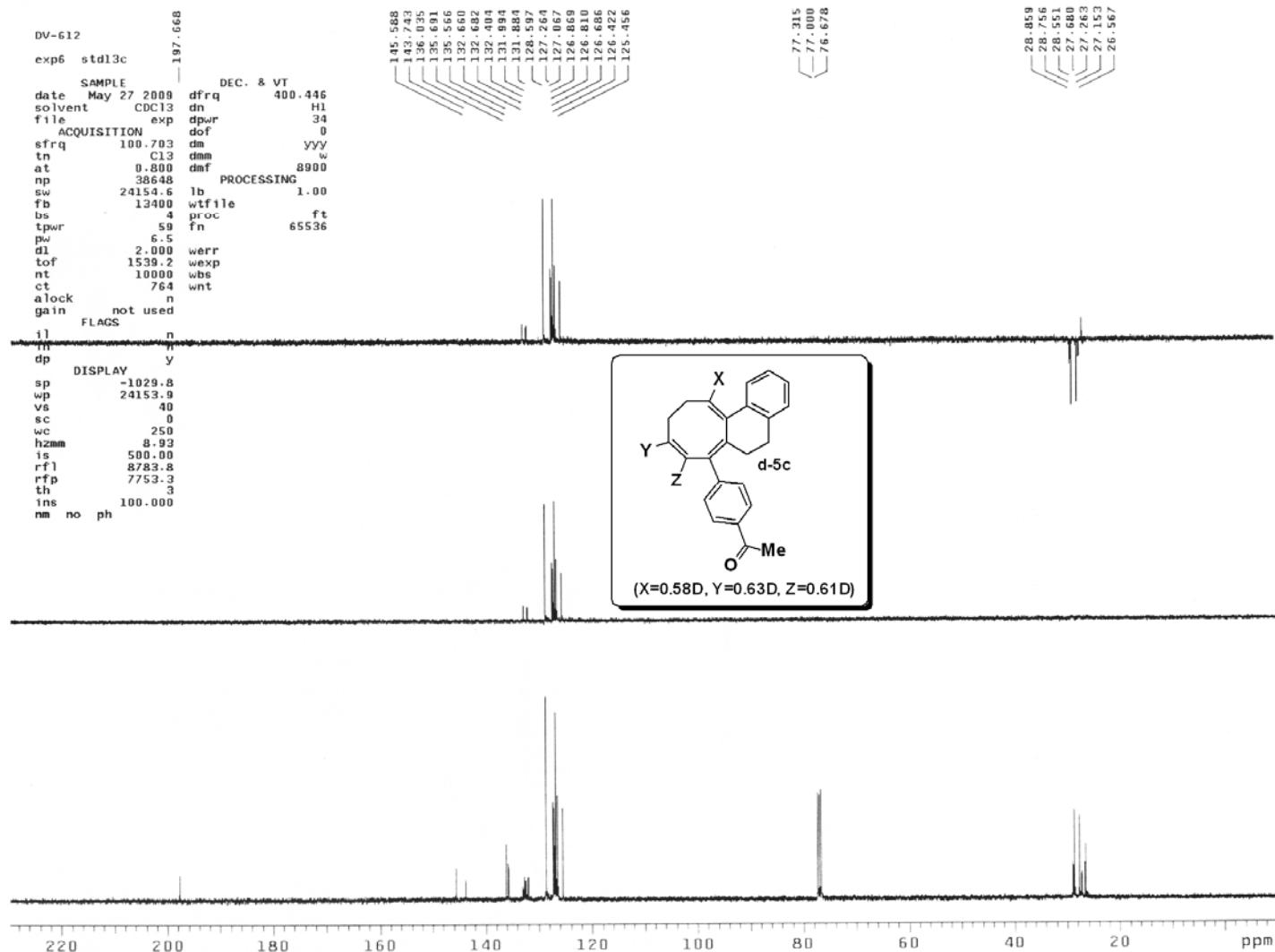


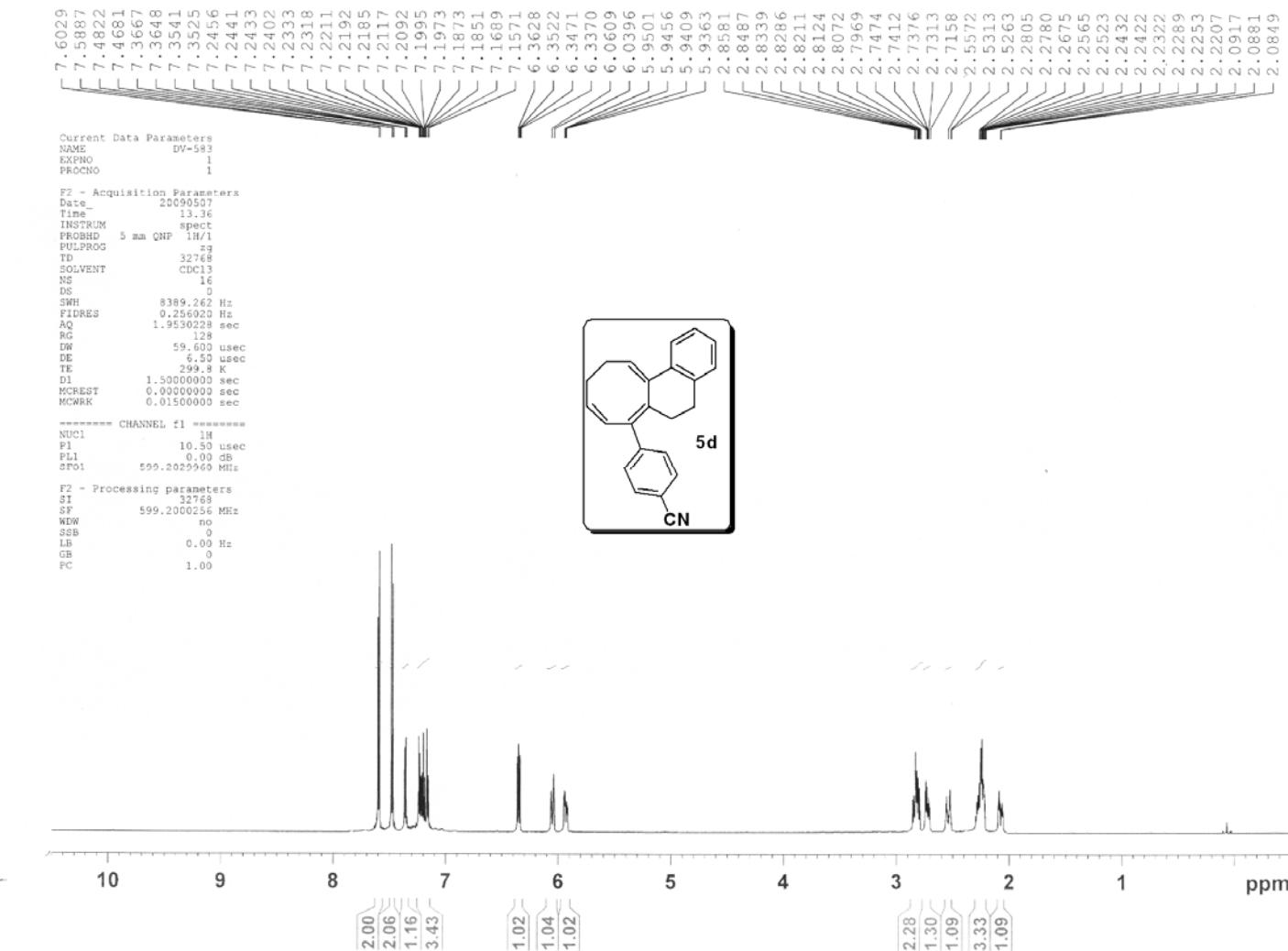


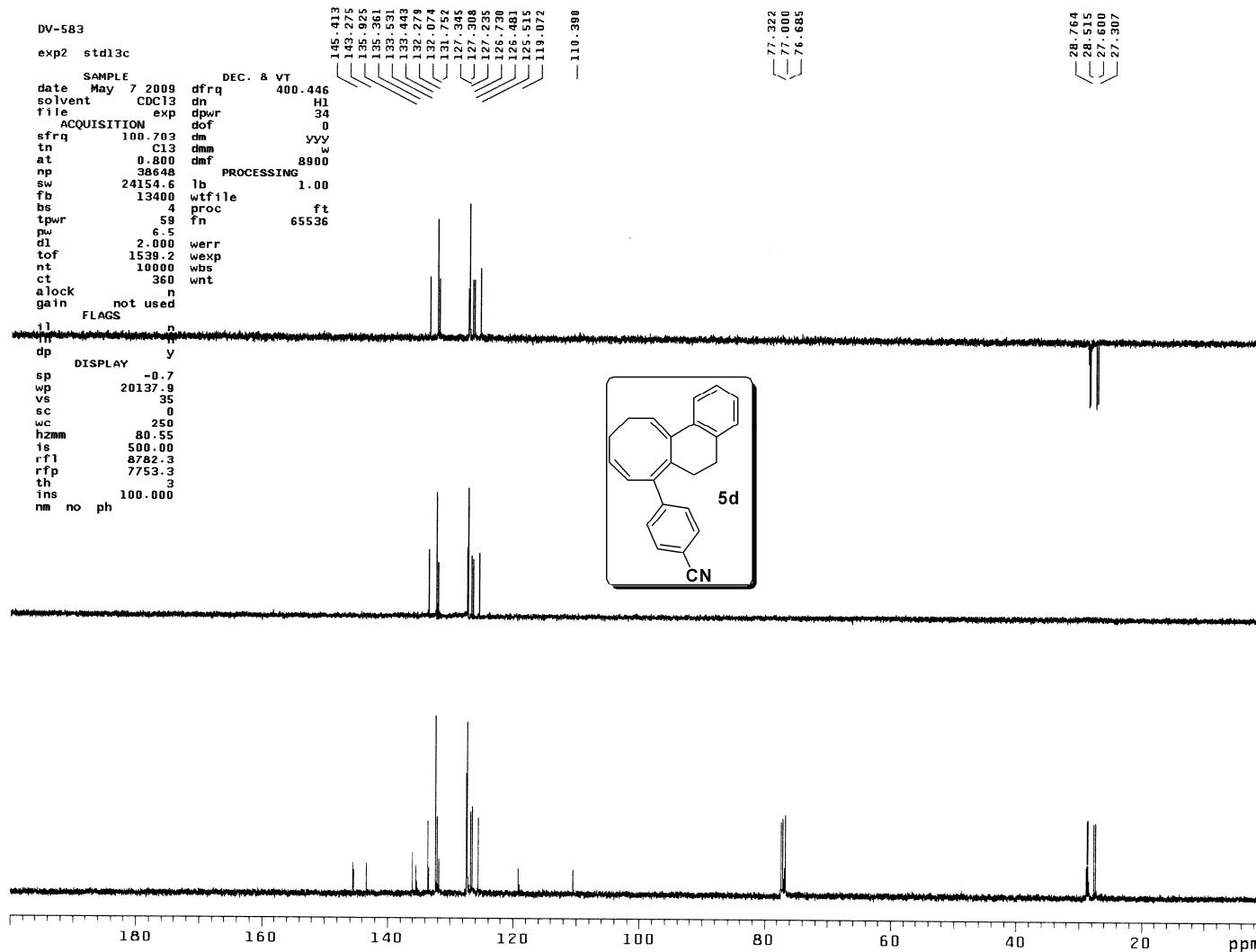


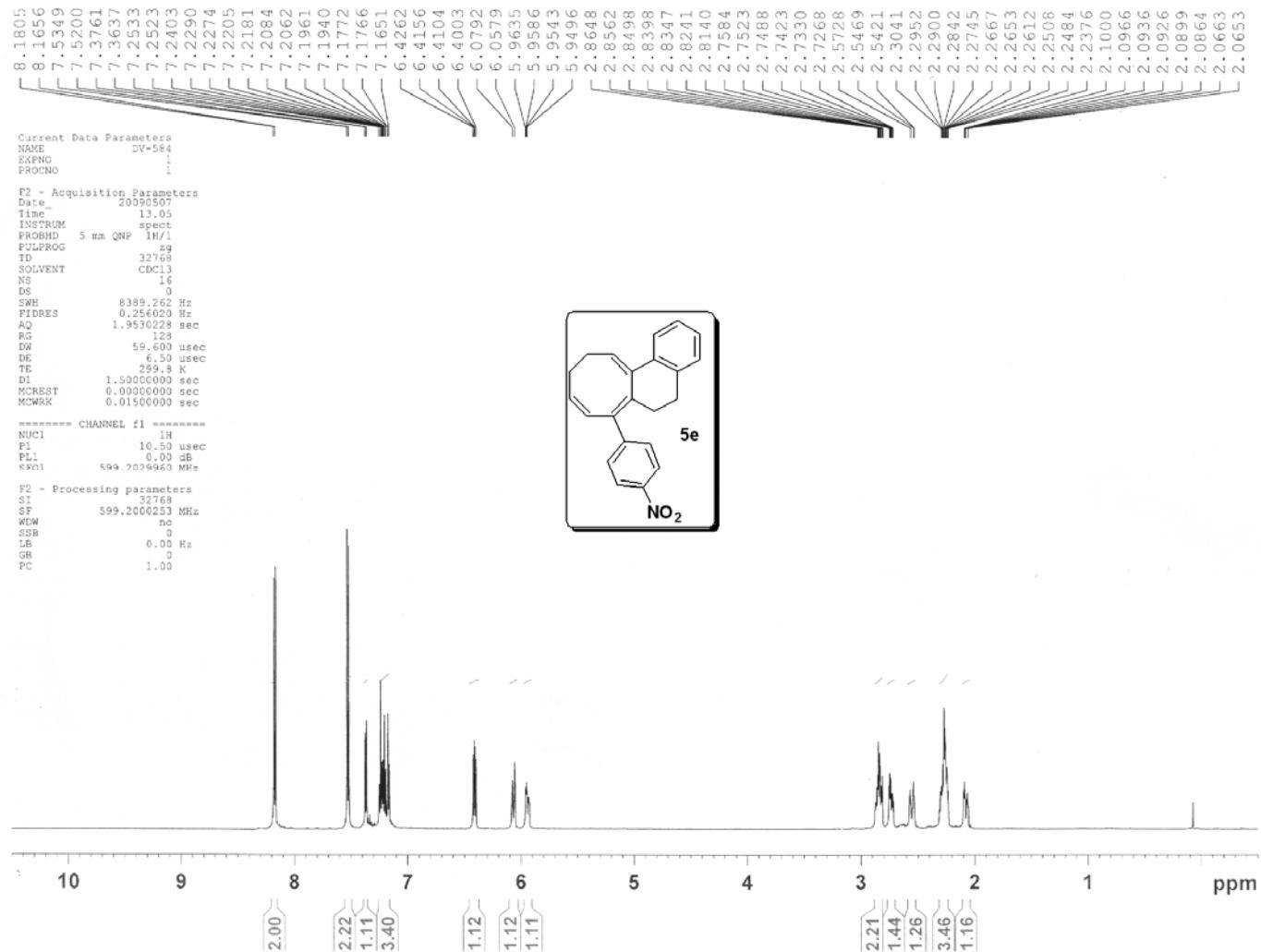


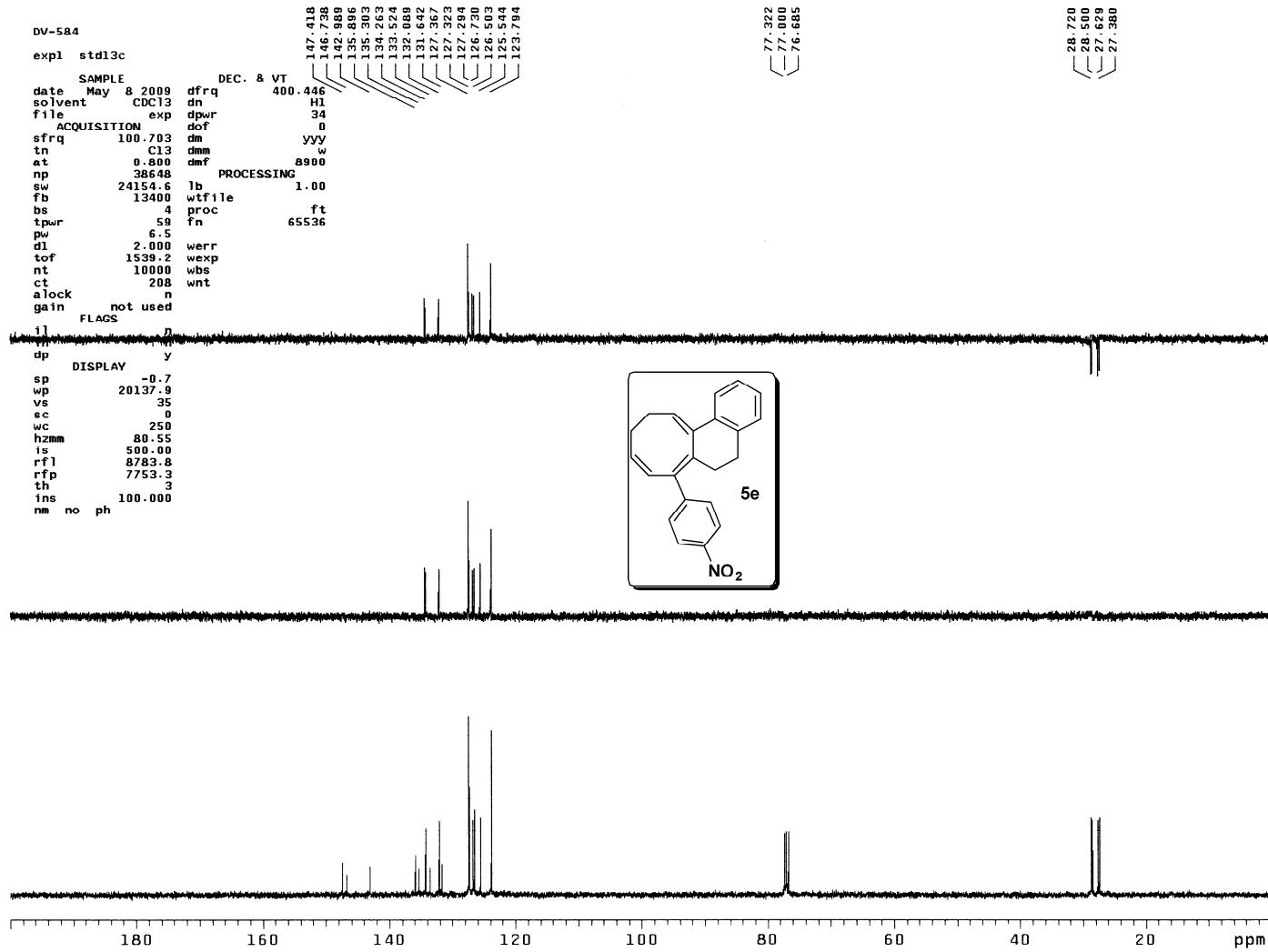


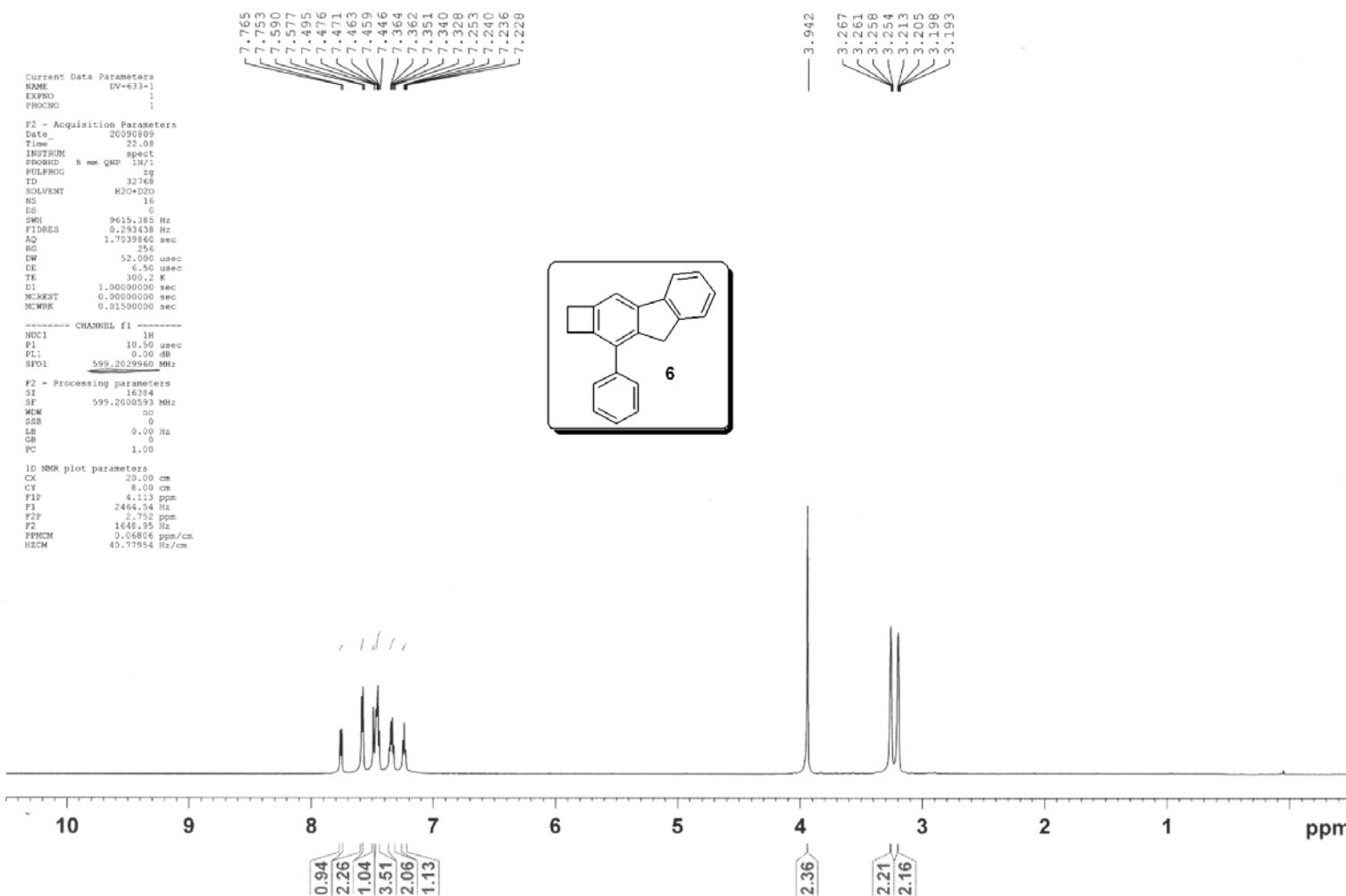


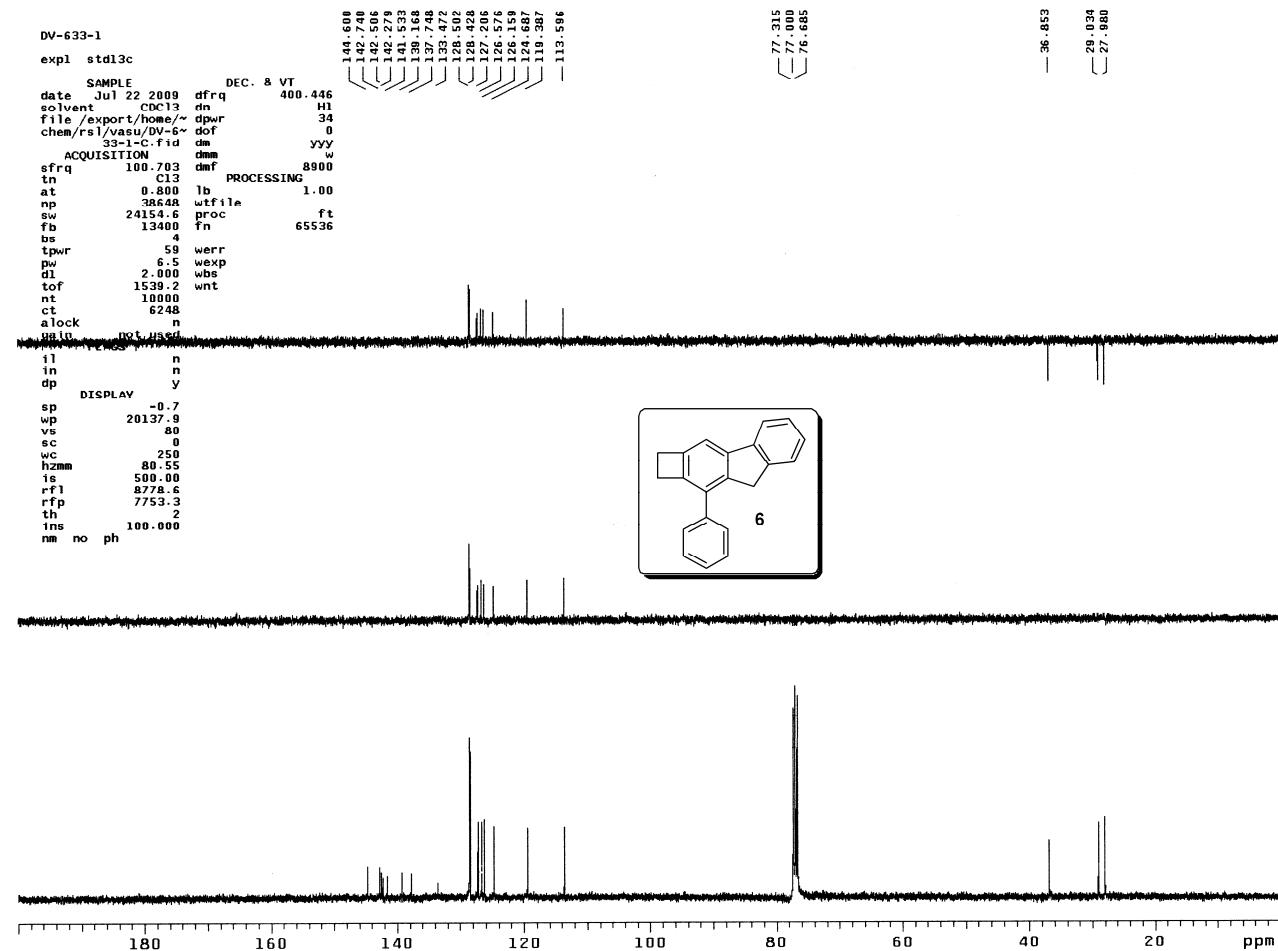




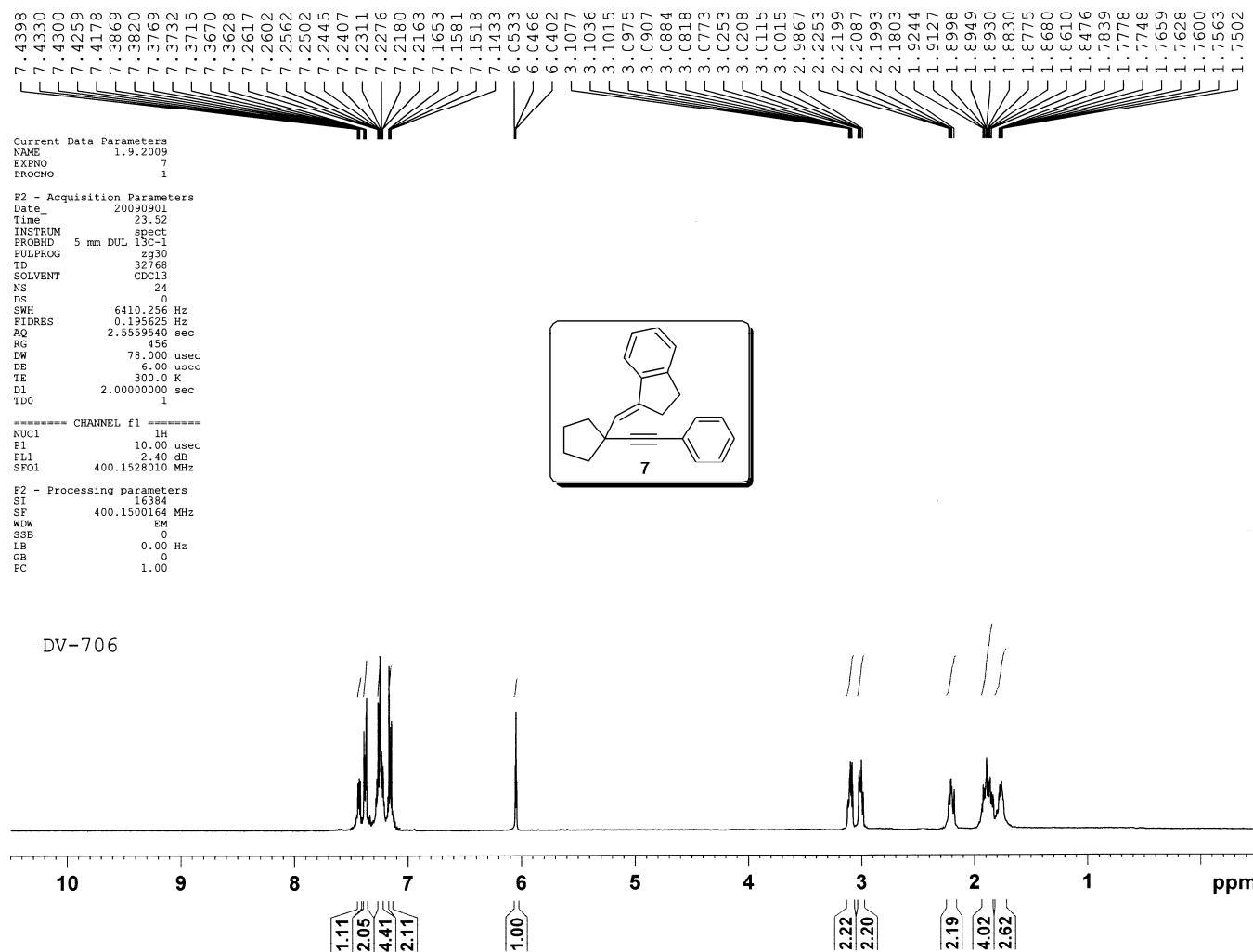


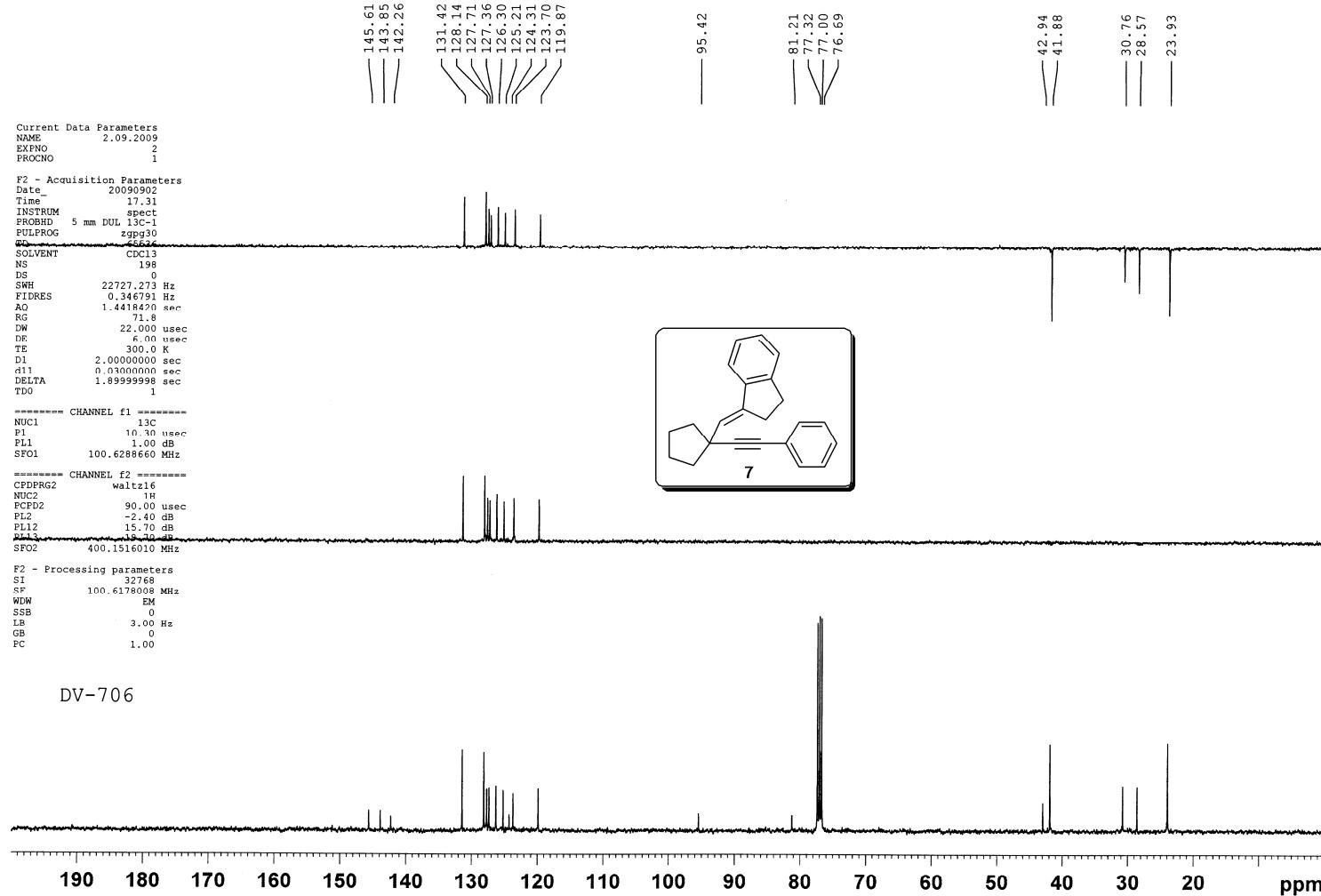


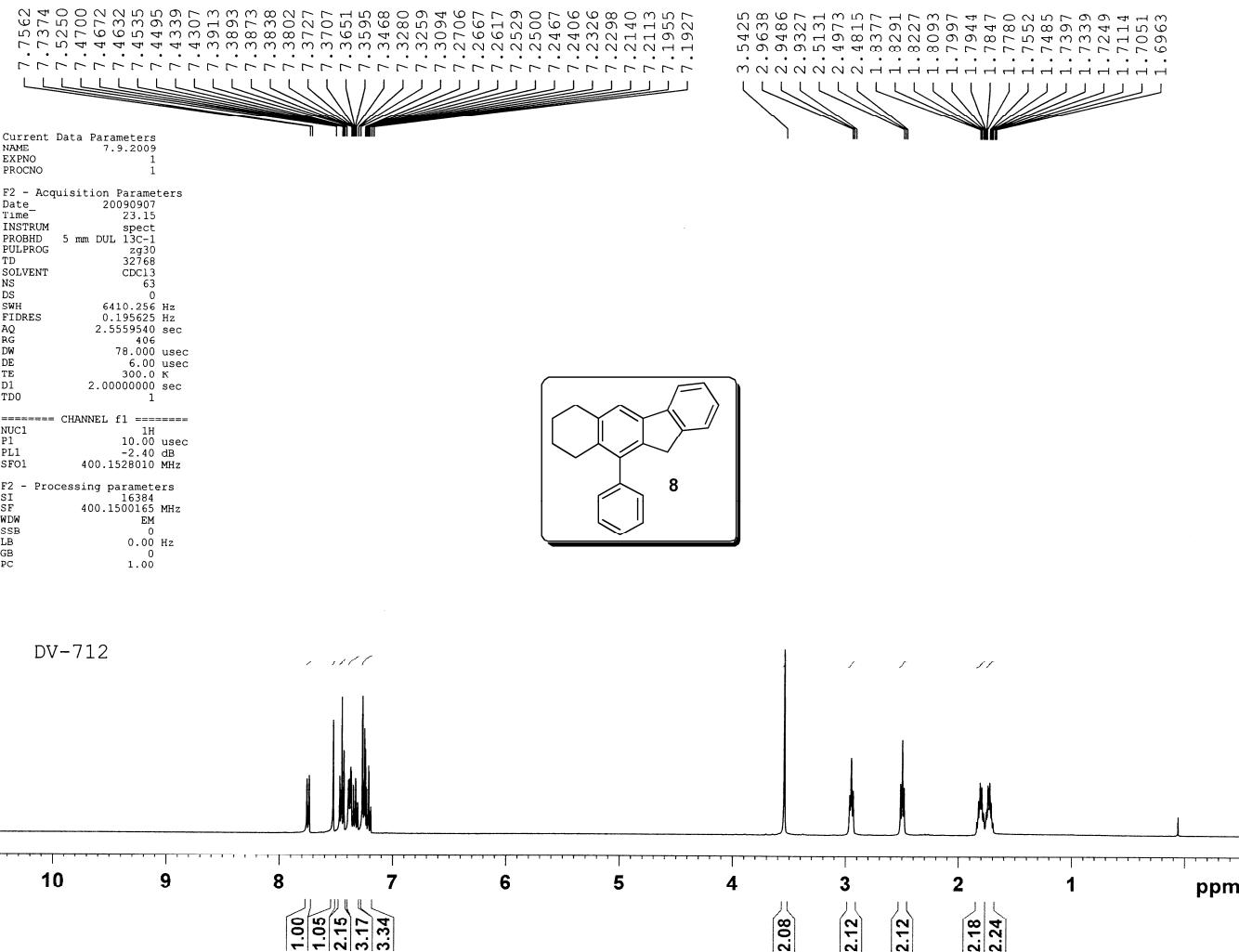


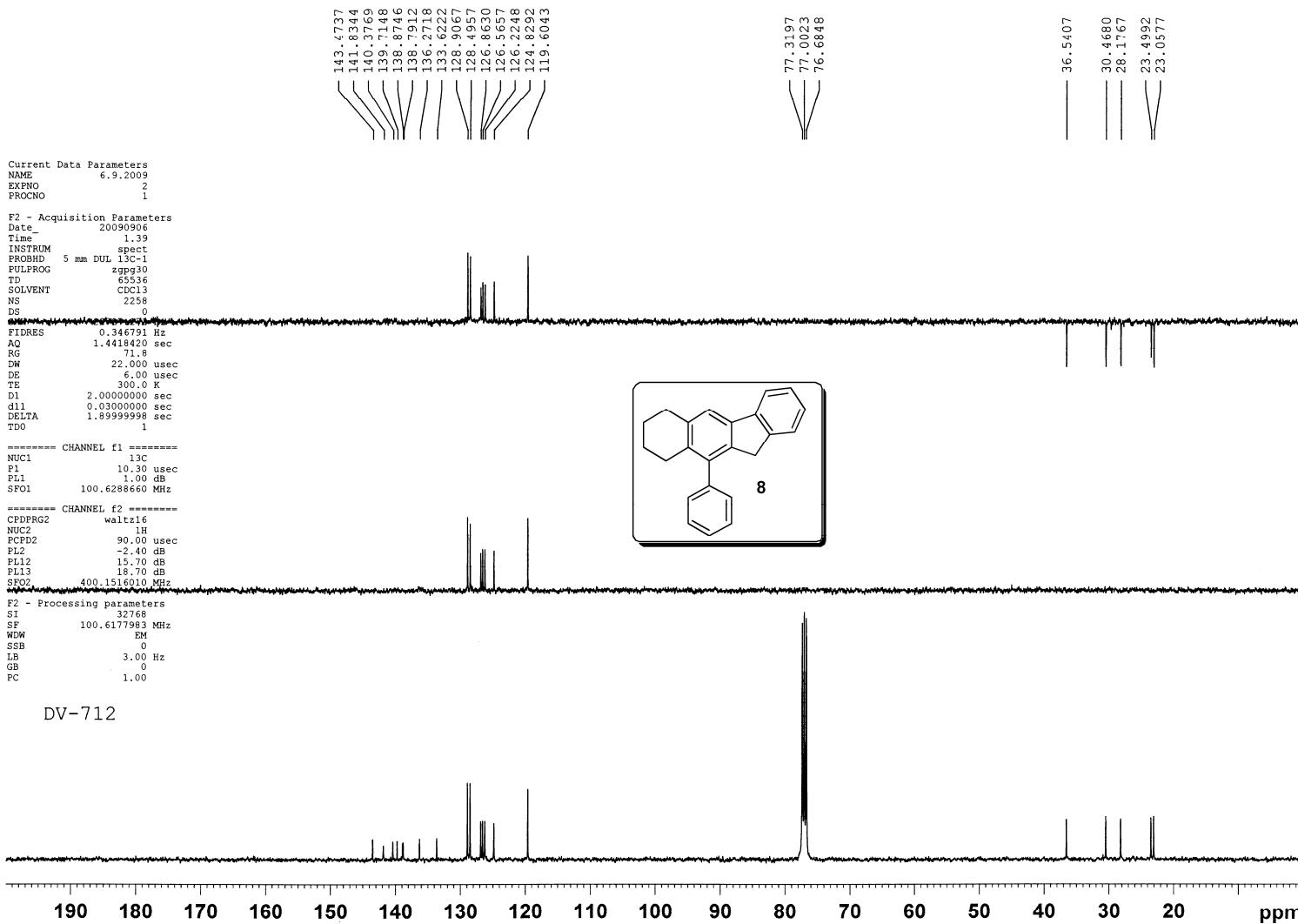


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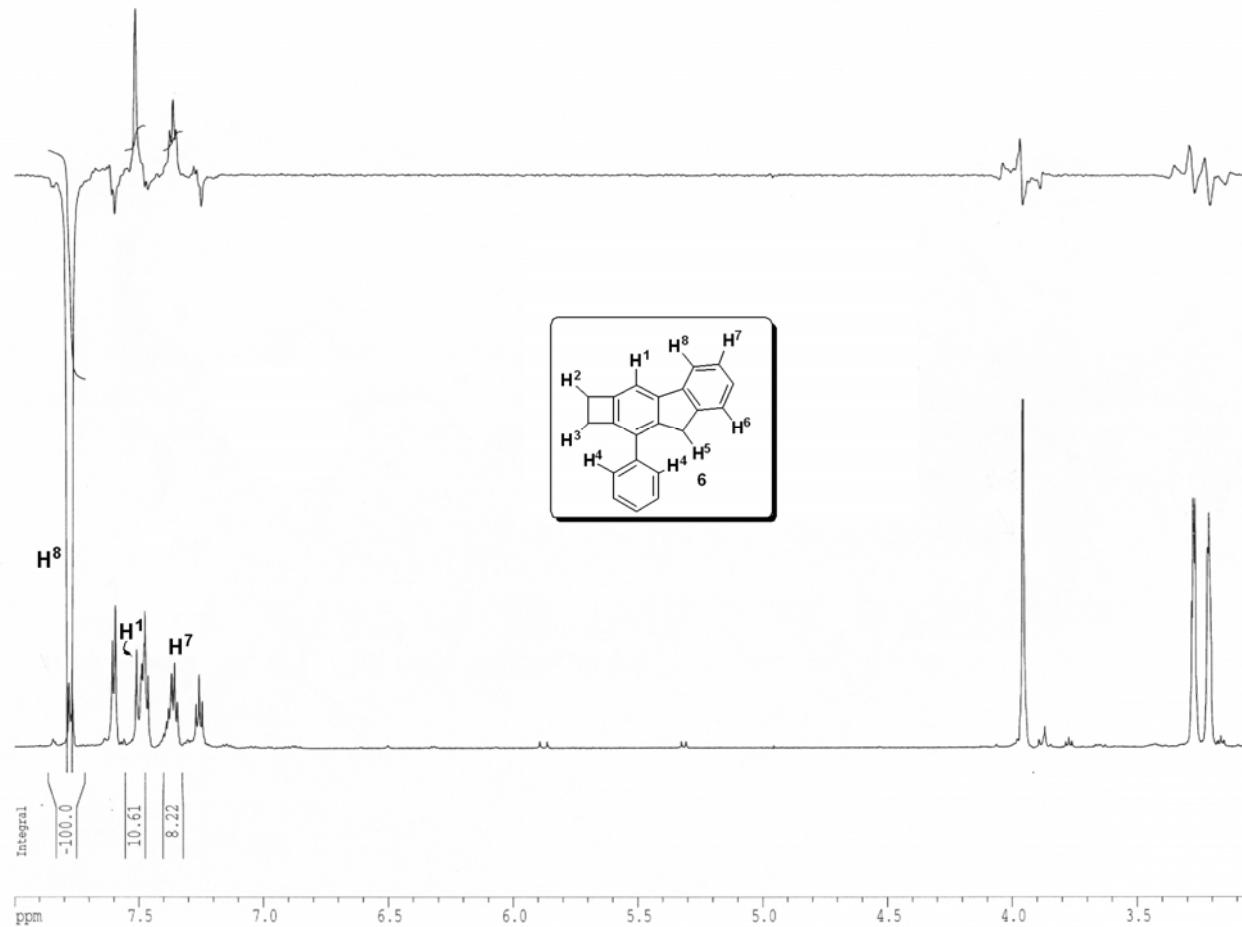


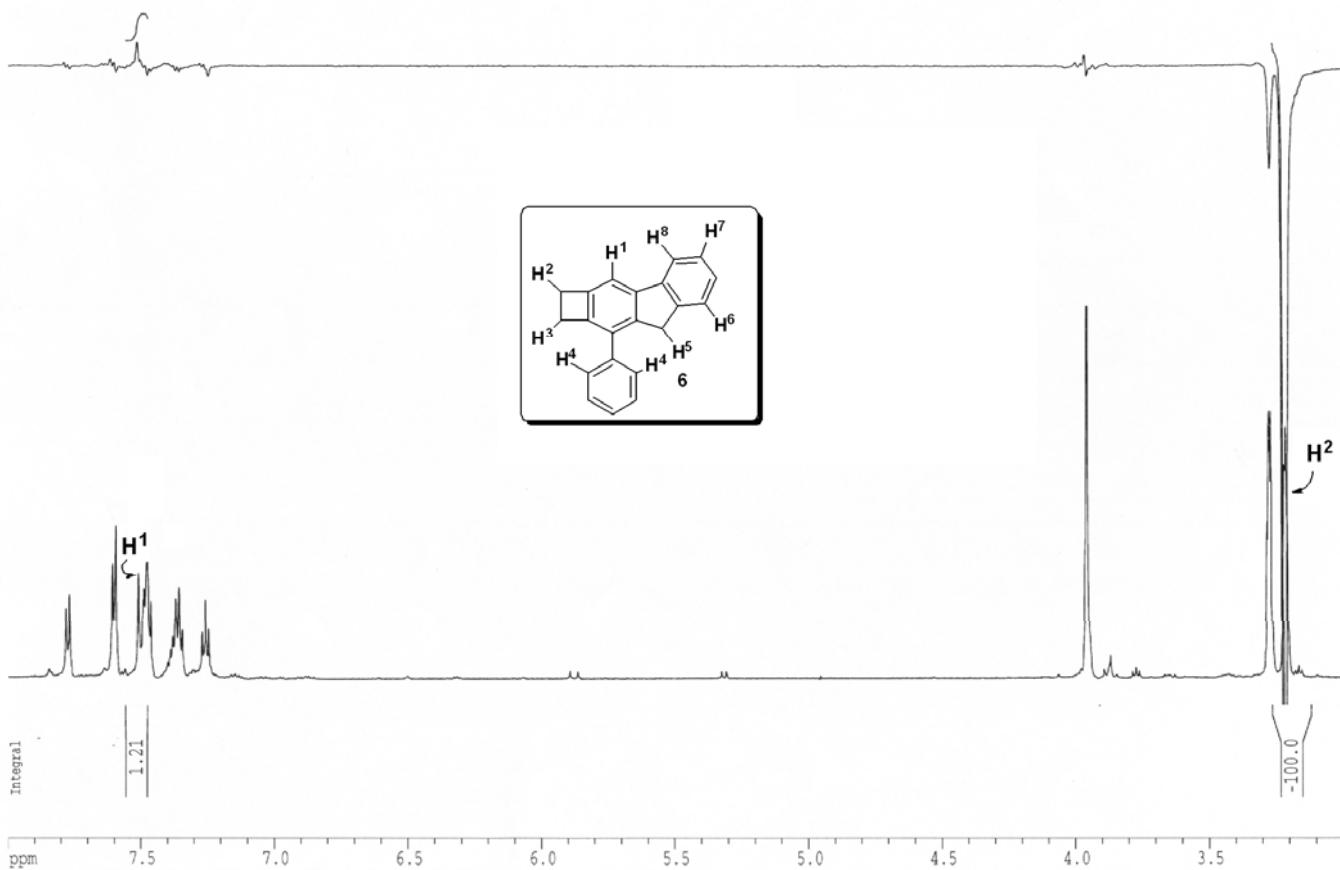


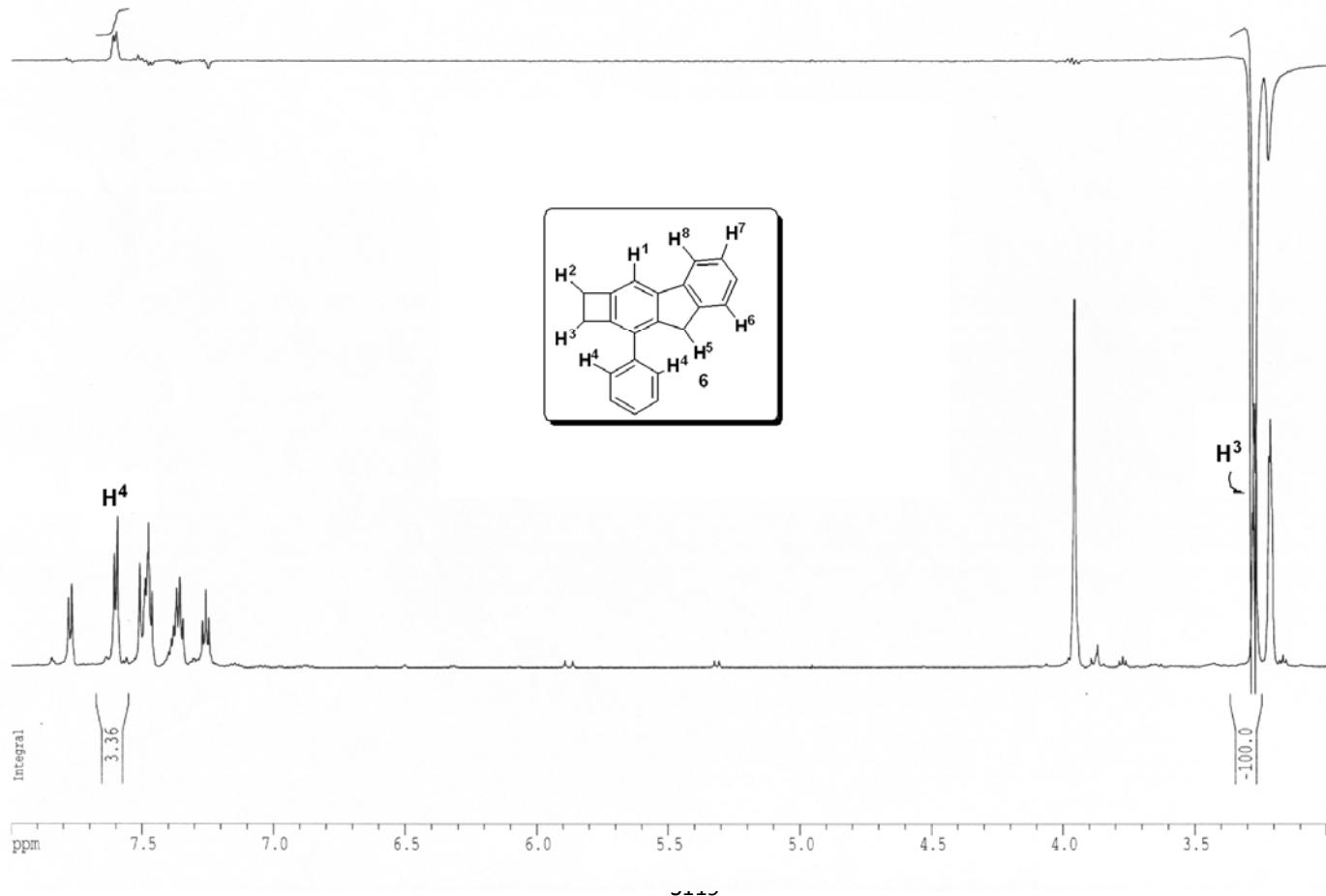


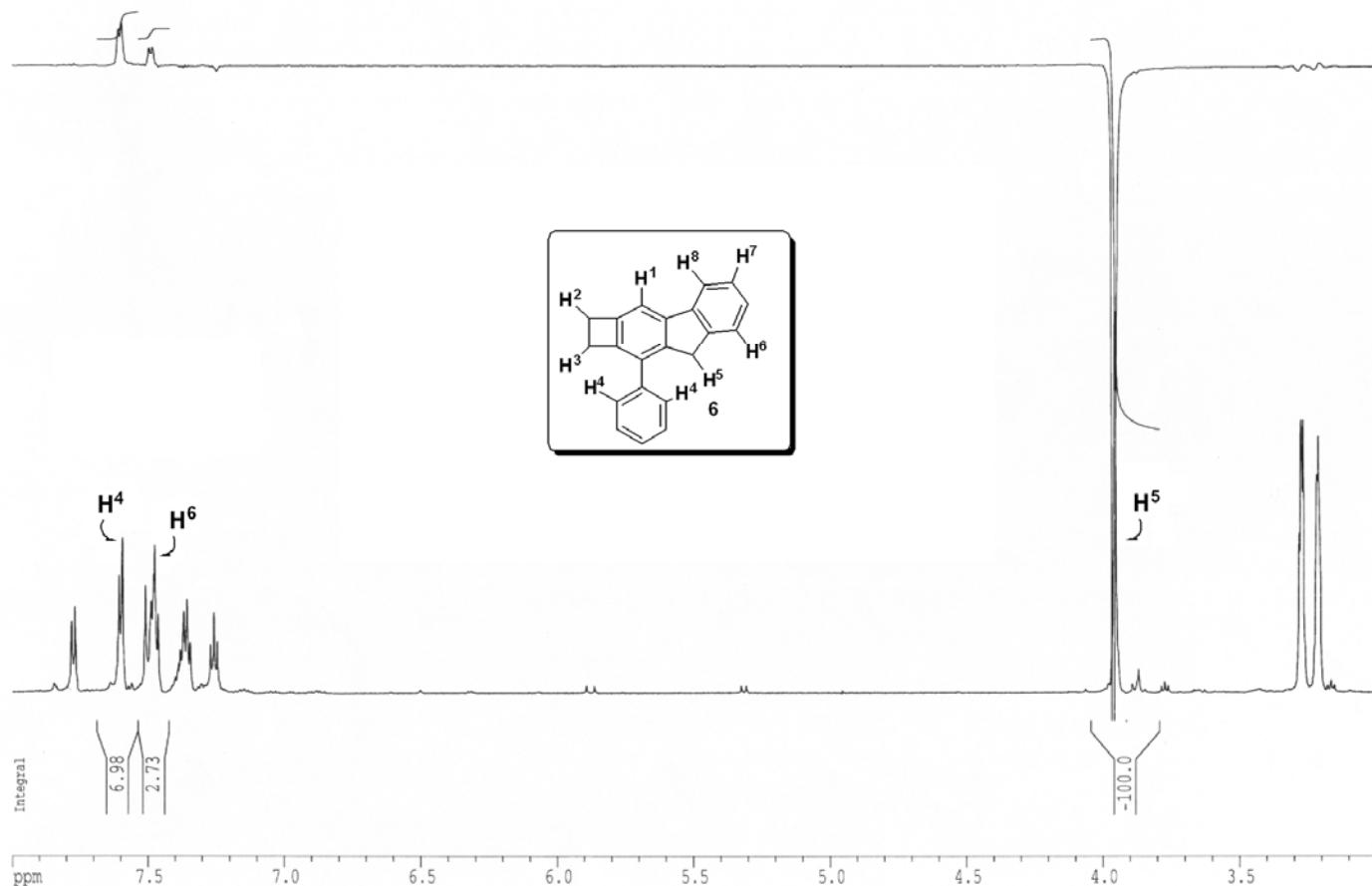


(V) NOE Spectra of compound (6).









(VI) X-ray structure and data for compound (6).

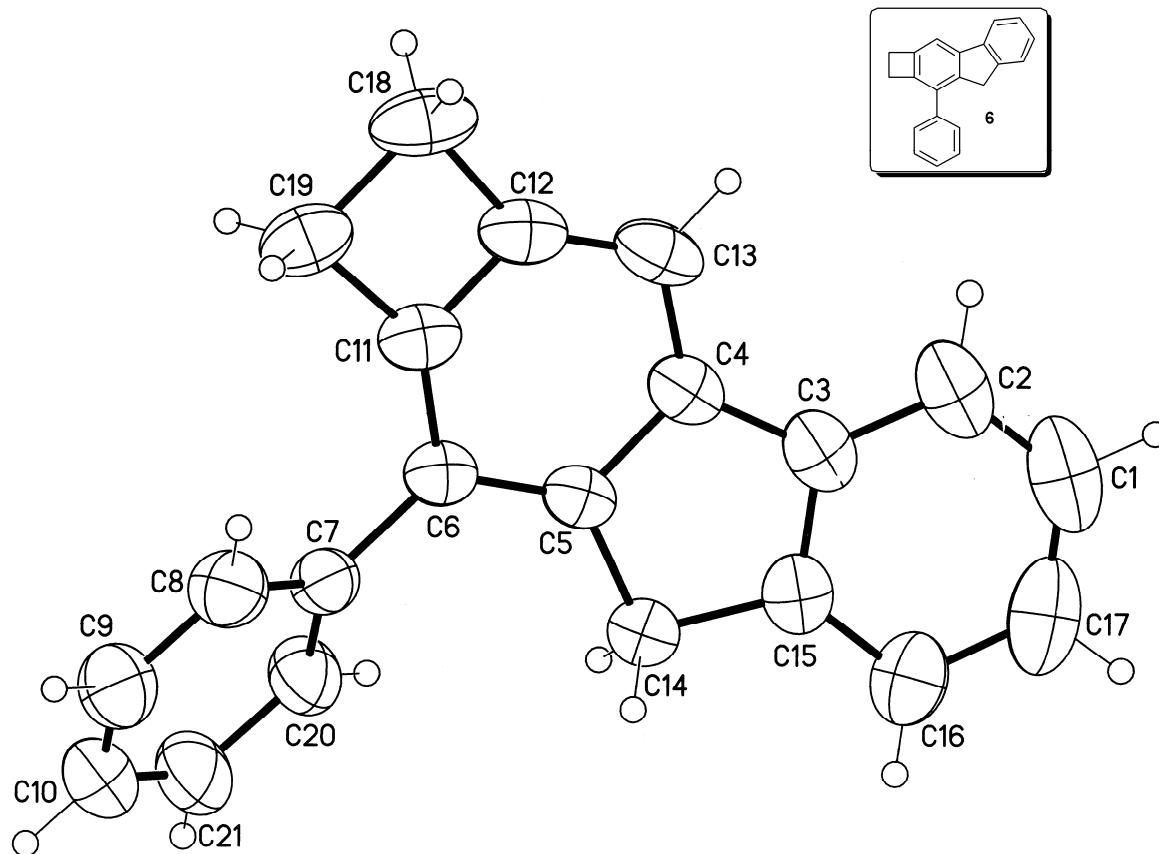


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Temperature	296(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	<i>P</i> 2(1)/ <i>n</i>	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.2738(2) Å	α= 90°.
	b = 22.9796(6) Å	β= 101.426(2)°.
	c = 8.8198(2) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	1445.00(6) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.233 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	0.070 mm <sup>-1</sup>	

F(000)	568
Crystal size	0.18 x 0.15 x 0.15 mm <sup>3</sup>
Theta range for data collection	1.77 to 26.42°.
Index ranges	-9≤h≤8, -28≤k≤28, -11≤l≤11
Reflections collected	12682
Independent reflections	2942 [R(int) = 0.0208]
Completeness to theta = 26.42°	99.3 %
Absorption correction	Empirical
Max. and min. transmission	0.7454 and 0.7131
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	2942 / 0 / 190
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.094
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0421, wR2 = 0.1202
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0607, wR2 = 0.1420
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.188 and -0.262 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ )

for 090809\_0m. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
C(1)	9461(3)	546(1)	1660(3)	85(1)
C(2)	9309(3)	948(1)	491(2)	69(1)
C(3)	9388(2)	1534(1)	877(2)	51(1)
C(4)	9342(2)	2051(1)	-94(2)	45(1)
C(5)	9458(2)	2548(1)	865(2)	41(1)
C(6)	9566(2)	3114(1)	284(2)	42(1)
C(7)	9688(2)	3649(1)	1229(2)	44(1)
C(8)	10786(2)	4115(1)	929(2)	57(1)
C(9)	10870(3)	4624(1)	1767(2)	71(1)
C(10)	9880(3)	4682(1)	2923(2)	76(1)

C(11)	9563(2)	3133(1)	-1298(2)	47(1)
C(12)	9420(2)	2649(1)	-2238(2)	51(1)
C(13)	9301(2)	2094(1)	-1691(2)	54(1)
C(14)	9552(2)	2355(1)	2519(2)	44(1)
C(15)	9586(2)	1706(1)	2418(2)	48(1)
C(16)	9752(2)	1298(1)	3587(2)	63(1)
C(17)	9693(3)	712(1)	3182(3)	83(1)
C(18)	9402(2)	3002(1)	-3684(2)	65(1)
C(19)	9537(2)	3550(1)	-2635(2)	58(1)
C(20)	8691(2)	3719(1)	2405(2)	56(1)
C(21)	8796(3)	4230(1)	3246(2)	72(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [ $\text{\AA}$ ] and angles [ $^\circ$ ] for 090809\_0m.

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C(1)-C(2)	1.372(3)
C(1)-C(17)	1.373(3)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9300
C(2)-C(3)	1.387(2)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9300
C(3)-C(15)	1.396(2)
C(3)-C(4)	1.461(2)
C(4)-C(13)	1.407(2)
C(4)-C(5)	1.4127(18)
C(5)-C(6)	1.4054(19)
C(5)-C(14)	1.5134(18)
C(6)-C(11)	1.3959(18)
C(6)-C(7)	1.4786(19)

C(7)-C(20)	1.388(2)
C(7)-C(8)	1.393(2)
C(8)-C(9)	1.378(2)
C(8)-H(8)	0.9300
C(9)-C(10)	1.367(3)
C(9)-H(9)	0.9300
C(10)-C(21)	1.368(3)
C(10)-H(10)	0.9300
C(11)-C(12)	1.379(2)
C(11)-C(19)	1.517(2)
C(12)-C(13)	1.371(2)
C(12)-C(18)	1.510(2)
C(13)-H(13)	0.9300
C(14)-C(15)	1.495(2)
C(14)-H(14A)	0.9700

C(14)-H(14B)	0.9700
C(15)-C(16)	1.380(2)
C(16)-C(17)	1.391(3)
C(16)-H(16)	0.9300
C(17)-H(17)	0.9300
C(18)-C(19)	1.553(2)
C(18)-H(18A)	0.9700
C(18)-H(18B)	0.9700
C(19)-H(19A)	0.9700
C(19)-H(19B)	0.9700
C(20)-C(21)	1.382(2)
C(20)-H(20)	0.9300
C(21)-H(21)	0.9300
C(2)-C(1)-C(17)	121.53(18)

C(2)-C(1)-H(1)	119.2
C(17)-C(1)-H(1)	119.2
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	118.43(19)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	120.8
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	120.8
C(2)-C(3)-C(15)	120.29(16)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	130.62(16)
C(15)-C(3)-C(4)	109.08(13)
C(13)-C(4)-C(5)	121.93(14)
C(13)-C(4)-C(3)	129.62(13)
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	108.36(13)
C(6)-C(5)-C(4)	122.03(13)
C(6)-C(5)-C(14)	128.84(12)
C(4)-C(5)-C(14)	109.05(12)
C(11)-C(6)-C(5)	113.86(12)

C(11)-C(6)-C(7)	121.70(13)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	124.44(12)
C(20)-C(7)-C(8)	117.14(14)
C(20)-C(7)-C(6)	122.45(13)
C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	120.38(13)
C(9)-C(8)-C(7)	121.14(16)
C(9)-C(8)-H(8)	119.4
C(7)-C(8)-H(8)	119.4
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	120.66(17)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	119.7
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	119.7
C(9)-C(10)-C(21)	119.38(16)
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	120.3
C(21)-C(10)-H(10)	120.3
C(12)-C(11)-C(6)	124.11(14)

C(12)-C(11)-C(19)	93.15(12)
C(6)-C(11)-C(19)	142.57(14)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	122.68(13)
C(13)-C(12)-C(18)	143.82(14)
C(11)-C(12)-C(18)	93.46(13)
C(12)-C(13)-C(4)	115.36(13)
C(12)-C(13)-H(13)	122.3
C(4)-C(13)-H(13)	122.3
C(15)-C(14)-C(5)	103.47(11)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14A)	111.1
C(5)-C(14)-H(14A)	111.1
C(15)-C(14)-H(14B)	111.1
C(5)-C(14)-H(14B)	111.1
H(14A)-C(14)-H(14B)	109.0
C(16)-C(15)-C(3)	120.85(15)

C(16)-C(15)-C(14)	129.26(14)
C(3)-C(15)-C(14)	109.88(13)
C(15)-C(16)-C(17)	118.12(18)
C(15)-C(16)-H(16)	120.9
C(17)-C(16)-H(16)	120.9
C(1)-C(17)-C(16)	120.77(19)
C(1)-C(17)-H(17)	119.6
C(16)-C(17)-H(17)	119.6
C(12)-C(18)-C(19)	86.82(11)
C(12)-C(18)-H(18A)	114.2
C(19)-C(18)-H(18A)	114.2
C(12)-C(18)-H(18B)	114.2
C(19)-C(18)-H(18B)	114.2
H(18A)-C(18)-H(18B)	111.3
C(11)-C(19)-C(18)	86.56(12)

C(11)-C(19)-H(19A)	114.2
C(18)-C(19)-H(19A)	114.2
C(11)-C(19)-H(19B)	114.2
C(18)-C(19)-H(19B)	114.2
H(19A)-C(19)-H(19B)	111.4
C(21)-C(20)-C(7)	121.24(16)
C(21)-C(20)-H(20)	119.4
C(7)-C(20)-H(20)	119.4
C(10)-C(21)-C(20)	120.45(17)
C(10)-C(21)-H(21)	119.8
C(20)-C(21)-H(21)	119.8

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for 090809\_0m. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2 \cdot 10^2 [ h^2 a^*{}^2 U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12} ]$

	U <sup>11</sup>	U <sup>22</sup>	U <sup>33</sup>	U <sup>23</sup>	U <sup>13</sup>	U <sup>12</sup>
C(1)	80(1)	46(1)	133(2)	-8(1)	32(1)	-1(1)
C(2)	62(1)	50(1)	97(1)	-17(1)	18(1)	-1(1)
C(3)	36(1)	48(1)	69(1)	-11(1)	10(1)	-1(1)
C(4)	33(1)	52(1)	50(1)	-12(1)	7(1)	0(1)
C(5)	34(1)	49(1)	40(1)	-7(1)	8(1)	0(1)
C(6)	36(1)	51(1)	39(1)	-2(1)	10(1)	1(1)
C(7)	45(1)	46(1)	41(1)	1(1)	7(1)	2(1)
C(8)	60(1)	58(1)	55(1)	1(1)	14(1)	-6(1)
C(9)	85(1)	51(1)	72(1)	2(1)	5(1)	-16(1)
C(10)	114(2)	49(1)	63(1)	-10(1)	11(1)	3(1)

C(11)	38(1)	65(1)	40(1)	-1(1)	10(1)	0(1)
C(12)	37(1)	75(1)	41(1)	-9(1)	10(1)	1(1)
C(13)	39(1)	71(1)	50(1)	-25(1)	8(1)	2(1)
C(14)	41(1)	47(1)	44(1)	-3(1)	10(1)	-3(1)
C(15)	37(1)	47(1)	61(1)	0(1)	11(1)	-1(1)
C(16)	56(1)	59(1)	77(1)	12(1)	18(1)	3(1)
C(17)	77(1)	56(1)	121(2)	27(1)	32(1)	7(1)
C(18)	44(1)	111(2)	40(1)	-2(1)	10(1)	-1(1)
C(19)	48(1)	84(1)	44(1)	9(1)	12(1)	-2(1)
C(20)	70(1)	48(1)	55(1)	-2(1)	24(1)	2(1)
C(21)	107(2)	54(1)	62(1)	-6(1)	32(1)	11(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ )  
for 090809\_0m.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	9406	152	1416	102
H(2)	9156	830	-535	83
H(8)	11474	4082	149	69
H(9)	11608	4930	1543	85
H(10)	9942	5027	3485	91
H(13)	9200	1769	-2331	64
H(14A)	10677	2501	3191	52
H(14B)	8464	2488	2902	52
H(16)	9900	1412	4616	76

H(17)	9812	430	3951	99
H(18A)	8243	2974	-4445	78
H(18B)	10486	2941	-4152	78
H(19A)	10684	3771	-2574	70
H(19B)	8441	3800	-2851	70
H(20)	7938	3417	2632	68
H(21)	8126	4266	4036	86