

*Supporting Information for*

**Highly Enantioselective Friedel–Crafts Alkylation of Indole and Pyrrole With  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ -Unsaturated  $\alpha$ -Ketoester Catalyzed by Heteroarylidenes-tethered Bis(oxazoline) Copper Complexes**

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## Experimental Section

NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker Avance DPX300 spectrometer with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard. Infrared spectra were obtained on a Nicolet AVATAR 330 FT-IR spectrometer. Mass spectra were obtained on Bruker APEX II FT-ICRMS mass spectrometer. Optical rotations were measured on a Perkin–Elmer 341 LC polarimeter. The enantiomeric excesses of (*R*)- and (*S*)-enantiomer were determined by HPLC analysis over a chiral column (Daicel Chiralcel OD-H, AD-H and AS-H; eluted with hexane-isopropyl alcohol; UV detector). The absolute configuration of the major enantiomer was assigned by comparison with literatures or by XRA analysis. Solvents were purified and dried by standard procedures.

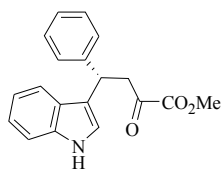
### The F-C alkylation of indole derivatives with $\beta$ , $\gamma$ -unsaturated $\alpha$ -keto butyric acid methyl esters

To a Schlenk tube Cu(OTf)<sub>2</sub> (0.0125mmol) and ligand **3a** (0.014mmol) were added in a solvent of dichloromethane (1.2 mL) under N<sub>2</sub>, after the solution was stirred for 2 h at room temperature,  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ -unsaturated  $\alpha$ -keto butyric methyl ester (0.25 mmol) was added, subsequently, the resulting mixture was cooled to -78 °C and stirred for 15 min, indoles (0.25 mmol) was finally added. After stirring for 10 min to 10 hours at -78 °C. the reactant was directly purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (eluted with ethyl acetate/petroleum ether (1/4 or 1/3, v/v) to afford the desired indole product.

### The F-C alkylation of pyrrole with $\beta$ , $\gamma$ -unsaturated $\alpha$ -keto butyric acid methyl esters

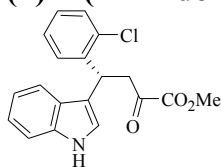
To a Schlenk tube Cu(OTf)<sub>2</sub> (0.0125mmol) and ligand **3a** (0.014mmol) were added in a solvent of dichloromethane (1.2 mL) under N<sub>2</sub>, after the solution was stirred for 2 h at room temperature,  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ -unsaturated  $\alpha$ -keto butyric acid methyl ester (0.25mmol) was added. The resulting mixture was cooled to -78 °C and stirred for 15 min, pyrrole (0.75mmol) was finally added. After stirring for 5~30 min at -78 °C. the reactant was directly purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (eluted with ethyl acetate/petroleum ether (1/5 or 1/3, v/v) to afford the desired pyrrole product .

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



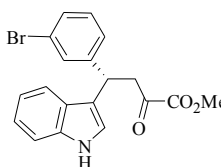
White solid; 99% yield; Mp:95-97 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +17.8$  ( $c = 0.42$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); 99.7 ee%, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 13.41 min,  $t$  (major) = 15.84 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.00 (br s, 1H), 7.42 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.33-7.23 (m, 5H), 7.19-7.12 (m, 2H), 7.04-7.00 (m, 2H), 4.91 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H,  $\text{CH}_3$ ), 3.69 (dd,  $J = 7.4, 17.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd,  $J = 7.8, 17.0$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.2, 143.0, 136.4, 128.4, 127.6, 126.5, 126.3, 122.2, 121.4, 119.4, 119.3, 118.2, 111.0, 52.8, 45.5, 37.6 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  308.12812, Found: 308.12808.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(2-chlorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



White solid; 95% yield; Mp:108-109 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +98.6$  ( $c = 0.43$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.5% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 11.17 min,  $t$  (major) = 13.23 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.05 (br s, 1H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.39-7.36 (m, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.21-7.00 (m, 6H), 5.43 (dd,  $J = 6.5, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.73 (dd,  $J = 8.8, 17.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd,  $J = 6.3, 16.9$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.1, 161.3, 140.5, 136.5, 133.5, 129.7, 129.0, 127.9, 127.0, 126.5, 122.4, 122.0, 119.6, 119.3, 116.9, 111.1, 52.9, 44.6, 34.2 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{ClNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  342.08915, Found: 342.08931.

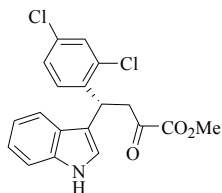
**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-bromophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



White solid; 99% yield; Mp: 109-111 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +28.0$  ( $c = 0.30$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.7% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 10.96 min,  $t$  (major) = 12.09 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.06 (br s, 1H), 7.46-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.33-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.16-7.01 (m, 4H), 4.88 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.2, 17.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J = 7.8, 17.4$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.1, 161.2, 145.7, 136.5, 130.8, 130.1, 129.8, 126.5,

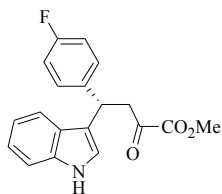
126.2, 122.6, 122.5, 121.5, 119.7, 119.2, 117.6, 111.2, 53.0, 45.4, 37.3 ppm. ESI-HRMS  
Calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>17</sub>BrNO<sub>3</sub> [M + H]<sup>+</sup> 386.03863, Found: 386.03899.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



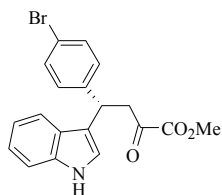
White solid; 95%yield; Mp:102-103 °C; [ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>23</sup> = +86.7 (c = 0.26, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>);  
99.9% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  
*n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; t (minor) = 8.96 min, t  
(major)= 12.68 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.08 (br s, 1H),  
7.40-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.19-7.01 (m, 5H), 5.37 (dd, *J* = 6.5, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>),  
3.71 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 17.1 Hz, 1H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz,  
CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 191.8, 161.2, 139.2, 136.5, 134.1, 132.9, 129.9, 129.5, 127.3, 126.3, 122.5, 122.0,  
119.8, 119.2, 116.4, 111.2, 53.0, 44.3, 33.8 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>16</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> [M +  
H]<sup>+</sup> 376.05018, Found: 376.04999.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-fluorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



White solid; 99% yield; Mp: 95-96 °C; [ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>23</sup> = +58.3 (c = 0.36, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>);  
99.8% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  
*n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; t (minor) = 12.04 min, t  
(major)= 16.99 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.03 (br s, 1H),  
7.39-7.25 (m, 4H), 7.19-7.13 (m, 1H), 7.05-6.91 (m, 4H), 4.90 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s,  
3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.67 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 17.1 Hz, 1H) ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR  
(75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 192.4, 163.2, 161.3, 159.9, 138.9, 138.8, 136.6, 129.3, 129.2, 126.3,  
122.4, 121.4, 119.6, 119.3, 118.2, 115.4, 115.2, 111.2, 52.9, 45.7, 37.0 ppm. ESI-HRMS  
Calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>17</sub>FNO<sub>3</sub> [M + H]<sup>+</sup> 326.11870, Found: 326.11853.

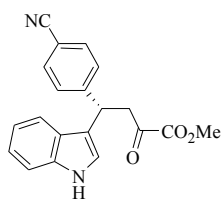
**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-bromophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



White solid; 90%yield; Mp: 143-145 °C; [ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>23</sup> = +10.6 (c = 0.34, CHCl<sub>3</sub>);  
99.1% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  
*n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; t (minor) = 13.29 min, t

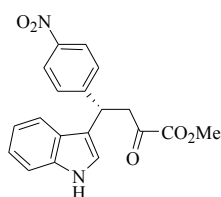
(major)= 21.68 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.04 (br s, 1H), 7.39-7.31 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.05-7.02 (m, 2H), 4.87 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.67 (dd,  $J$  = 7.1, 17.3 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J$  = 8.0, 17.4 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.1, 161.1, 142.2, 136.5, 131.5, 129.4, 126.1, 122.3, 121.3, 120.3, 119.5, 119.1, 117.6, 111.1, 52.9, 45.3, 37.0 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{BrNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  386.03863, Found: 386.03878.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-cyanophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



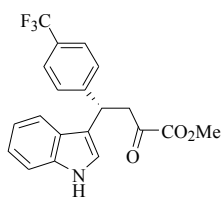
White solid; 94% yield; Mp: 168-169°C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +16.0$  ( $c$  = 0.25,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.7% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; t (minor) = 22.09 min, t (major)= 32.57 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.14 (br s, 1H), 7.56-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.45-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.15 (m, 1H), 7.07-7.01 (m, 2H), 4.96 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.71 (dd,  $J$  = 6.9, 17.6 Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd,  $J$  = 8.0, 17.6 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.7, 161.1, 148.8, 136.6, 132.4, 128.6, 126.0, 122.7, 121.5, 119.9, 119.0, 118.8, 116.9, 111.3, 110.5, 53.1, 45.0, 37.6 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  333.12337, Found: 333.12335.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-nitrophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



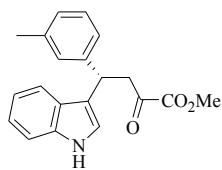
Lght yellow solid; 88% yield; Mp: 147-148°C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +8.90$  ( $c$  = 0.37,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.7% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; t (minor) = 24.205 min, t (major)= 31.22 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.17 (br s, 1H), 8.10 (dd,  $J$  = 2.0, 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (dd,  $J$  = 1.8, 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.17 (dt,  $J$  = 1.0, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.09-7.00 (m, 2H), 5.01 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.74 (dd,  $J$  = 6.9, 17.8 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd,  $J$  = 8.0, 17.8 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.7, 161.0, 151.0, 146.6, 136.6, 128.7, 125.9, 123.8, 122.6, 121.6, 119.8, 118.9, 116.7, 111.4, 53.1, 45.0, 37.3 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  353.11320, Found: 353.11328.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-trifluoromethyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



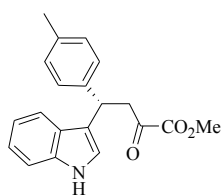
White solid; 95%yield; Mp:130-131 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +37.5$  ( $c = 0.34$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.6% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 8.92 min,  $t$  (major)= 12.56 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.08 (br s, 1H), 7.51 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 7.44 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.17 (dd,  $J = 1.1, 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.06-7.01 (m, 2H), 4.97 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.71 (dd,  $J = 7.0, 17.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.61 (dd,  $J = 7.9, 17.4$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.0, 161.1, 147.3, 136.6, 128.9(q,  $J = 32.5$  Hz), 128.1, 126.1, 125.5 (q,  $J = 3.8$  Hz), 124.1 (q,  $J = 272.0$  Hz), 122.5, 121.5, 119.7, 119.1, 117.4, 111.3, 53.0, 45.3, 37.4 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  376.11550, Found: 376.11554.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-methylphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Light yellow solid; 89% yield; Mp: 98-100 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +33.3$  ( $c = 0.60$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.3% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 85:15, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 13.793min,  $t$  (major)= 14.71 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.00 (br s, 1H), 7.44 (dd,  $J = 0.9, 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.14-7.11 (m, 4H), 7.05-6.98 (m, 3H), 4.87 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.4, 17.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd,  $J = 7.7, 17.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.27(s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.7, 161.3, 143.1, 138.0, 136.5, 128.5, 128.4, 127.3, 126.4, 124.7, 122.2, 121.5, 119.5, 119.4, 118.3, 111.1, 52.8, 45.7, 37.6, 21.4 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  322.14377, Found: 322.14375.

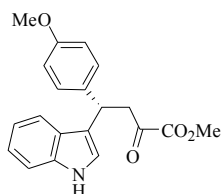
**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-methylphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Light yellow solid; 92% yield; Mp:114-116 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +130.6$  ( $c = 0.44$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.2% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 13.81 min,  $t$  (major)= 18.09 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.98 (br s, 1H), 7.42 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.22-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.11 (m, 1H), 7.07-6.97 (m, 4H), 4.87 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.66 (dd,  $J = 7.3,$

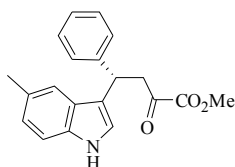
16.9 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd,  $J = 7.9, 16.9$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.7, 161.3, 140.1, 136.5, 136.1, 129.2, 127.6, 126.4, 122.2, 121.4, 119.5, 119.4, 118.5, 111.1, 52.8, 45.7, 37.3, 20.9 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  322.14377, Found: 322.14376.

**(+)-4-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



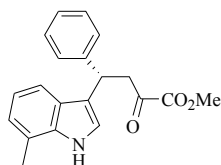
White solid; 95%yield; Mp:111-112°C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +32.0$  ( $c = 0.47$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 85:15, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 26.34 min,  $t$  (major)= 33.62 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.00 (br s, 1H), 7.41 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J = 5.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.14 (dt,  $J = 1.1, 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.03 (dd,  $J = 1.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 6.82-6.78 (m, 2H), 4.87 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.65 (dd,  $J = 7.1, 16.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J = 8.0, 16.9$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.7, 161.3, 158.2, 136.6, 135.3, 128.7, 126.4, 122.3, 121.4, 119.5, 119.4, 118.7, 113.9, 111.1, 55.2, 52.9, 45.8, 37.0 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_4$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  338.13868, Found: 338.13892.

**(+)-4-(1H-5-Methylindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



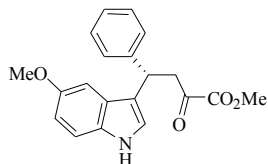
Light yellow solid; 90%yield; Mp: 118-120 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +20.90$  ( $c = 0.48$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.6% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 9.82 min,  $t$  (major)= 13.25 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.90 (br s, 1H), 7.34-7.16 (m, 7H), 6.98-6.93 (m, 2H), 4.88 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.66 (dd,  $J = 7.3, 17.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd,  $J = 7.2, 16.3$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.6, 161.3, 143.2, 134.9, 128.7, 128.5, 127.7, 126.6, 126.5, 123.9, 121.7, 118.9, 117.6, 110.8, 52.8, 45.7, 37.7, 21.5 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  322.14377, Found: 322.14362.

**(+)-4-(1H-7-Methylindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



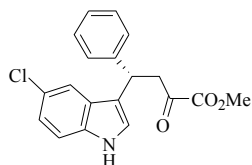
Light yellow solid; 92%yield; Mp:89-90 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +58.90$  ( $c = 0.29$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 8.39 min,  $t$  (major)= 11.14 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.93 (br s, 1H), 7.33-7.15 (m, 6H), 7.01-6.93 (m, 3H), 4.90 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.68 (dd,  $J = 7.4$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (dd,  $J = 7.8$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.7, 161.4, 143.3, 136.2, 128.5, 127.8, 126.6, 126.0, 122.8, 121.3, 120.3, 119.8, 118.8, 117.1, 52.9, 45.7, 37.9, 16.5 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  322.14377, Found: 322.14375.

**(-)-4-(1H-5-Methoxyindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



Light yellow oil; 94%yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = -22.0$  ( $c = 0.35$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 14.983 min,  $t$  (major)= 22.635 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.95 (br s, 1H), 7.33-7.17 (m, 6H), 6.97 (d,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 6.82-6.78 (m, 2H), 4.86 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.4$ , 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd,  $J = 7.8$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.6, 161.3, 153.8, 143.1, 131.7, 128.5, 127.7, 126.8, 126.6, 122.2, 118.0, 112.3, 111.8, 101.4, 55.8, 52.9, 45.6, 37.7 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_4$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  338.13868, Found: 338.13881.

**(-)-4-(1H-5-Chloroindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**

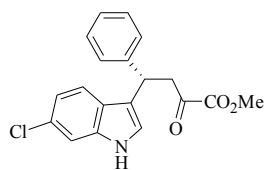


White solid; 90%yield; Mp:105-106 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = -11.4$  ( $c = 0.44$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); 98% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OJ-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 70:30, 0.9 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 62.41 min,  $t$  (major)= 164.07 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.08 (br s, 1H), 7.37 (d,  $J = 1.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.32-7.16 (m, 6H), 7.10-7.04 (m, 2H), 4.85 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.65 (dd,  $J = 7.5$ , 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd,  $J = 7.9$ , 17.4 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.4, 161.2, 142.7, 134.9, 128.6, 127.6, 127.5, 126.8, 125.3, 122.8, 122.7, 118.8, 118.1, 112.2, 53.0, 45.6, 37.5 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{ClNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$



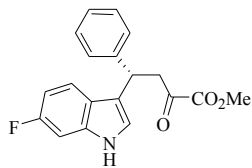
342.08915, Found: 342.08910.

**(+)-4-(1H-6-Chloroindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



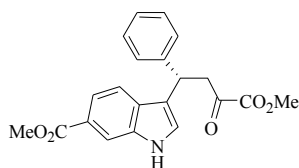
White solid; 90% yield; Mp:164-165 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +14.5$  ( $c = 0.34$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); 99.5% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (major) = 15.51 min,  $t$  (minor) = 18.51 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.04 (br s, 1H), 7.29-7.17 (m, 7H), 7.01-6.95 (m, 2H), 4.86 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.66 (dd,  $J = 7.5$ , 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J = 7.6$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.3, 142.9, 136.9, 128.6, 128.3, 127.7, 126.7, 125.0, 122.1, 120.3, 120.2, 118.5, 111.1, 53.0, 45.5, 37.6 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{ClNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  342.08915, Found: 342.08916.

**(+)-4-(1H-6-Fluoroindol-3-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



White solid; 86% yield; Mp:121-122 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +49.0$  ( $c = 0.29$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99.2% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 85:15, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 38.27 min,  $t$  (major) = 39.85 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.03 (br s, 1H), 7.30-7.15 (m, 7H), 6.99-6.95 (m, 2H), 6.77 (dt,  $J = 2.1$ , 9.5 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.66 (dd,  $J = 7.5$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J = 7.6$ , 17.0 Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.7, 161.3, 158.5, 143.0, 136.6, 136.4, 128.6, 127.7, 126.7, 123.0, 121.7, 120.2, 120.1, 118.5, 108.5, 108.2, 97.6, 97.2, 52.9, 45.6, 37.7 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{FNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  326.11870, Found: 326.11878.

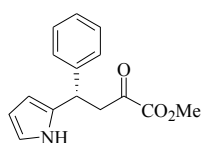
**(+)-3-(3-Methoxycarbonyl-3-oxo-1-phenylpropyl)-1H-indole-6-carboxylic acid methyl ester**



White solid; 81% yield; Mp:170-171 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +27.0$  ( $c = 0.10$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 46.32 min,  $t$  (major) = 61.72 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.44 (br s, 1H),

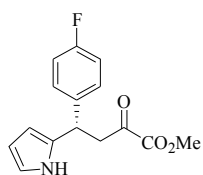
8.08-8.06 (m, 1H), 7.70 (dd,  $J = 1.4, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.42 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.33-7.16 (m, 6H), 4.92 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.69 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 17.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd,  $J = 7.6, 17.1$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.4, 168.0, 161.3, 142.8, 135.9, 129.9, 128.6, 127.7, 126.8, 124.8, 124.1, 120.6, 119.0, 118.8, 113.5, 53.0, 51.9, 45.5, 37.6 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_5$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  366.13360, Found: 366.13356.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-phenylbutyric acid methyl ester**



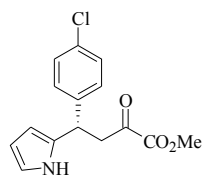
Colorless oil; 95% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +58.4$  ( $c = 0.25$ , EtOAc); 92% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 45.54 min,  $t$  (major) = 47.20 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.93 (br s, 1H), 7.33-7.20 (m, 5H), 6.64-6.62 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.94 (m, 1H), 4.61 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.68 (dd,  $J = 7.7, 18.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd,  $J = 6.7, 18.1$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.1, 141.9, 133.1, 128.8, 127.9, 127.1, 117.4, 108.1, 105.5, 53.0, 45.5, 39.0 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  258.11247, Found: 258.11266.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-fluorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



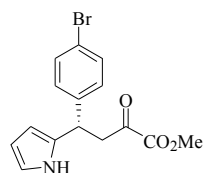
Colorless oil; 90% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +56.7$  ( $c = 0.30$ , EtOAc); 92% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 98:2, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 122.05 min,  $t$  (major) = 126.71 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.96 (br s, 1H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 2H), 7.00-6.95 (m, 2H), 6.66-6.63 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.70, 6.10$  Hz, 1H), 5.95-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.59 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.65 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.2$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.3, 163.4, 161.0, 160.1, 137.8, 137.7, 132.9, 129.4, 129.3, 117.6, 115.7, 115.4, 108.2, 105.6, 53.0, 45.5, 38.2 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{FNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  276.10305, Found: 276.10338.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-chlorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



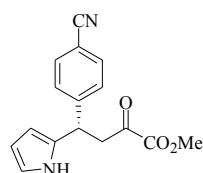
Colorless oil; 96% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +55.0$  ( $c = 0.28$ , EtOAc); 90% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (major) = 58.55 min,  $t$  (minor) = 63.67 min],  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.96 (br s, 1H), 7.29-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.14 (m, 2H), 6.66-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.11 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.58 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.65 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.3$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.2, 160.9, 140.5, 132.8, 132.6, 129.2, 128.8, 117.7, 108.2, 105.7, 53.0, 45.3, 38.3 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  292.07350, Found: 292.07380.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-bromophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Colorless oil; 96% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +34.3$  ( $c = 0.35$ , EtOAc); 90% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (major) = 61.04 min,  $t$  (minor) = 68.43 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.95 (brs, 1H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.09 (m, 2H), 6.66-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.11 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.1$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.57 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.65 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.3$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.2, 160.9, 141.1, 132.5, 131.8, 129.6, 120.9, 117.7, 108.2, 105.7, 53.1, 45.3, 38.4 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  336.02298, Found: 336.02375.

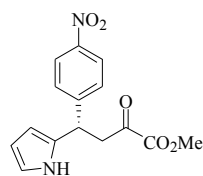
**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-cyanophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Colorless crystal; 99% yield, Mp: 125~126°C;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +53.3$  ( $c = 0.15$ , EtOAc); 91% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 35.2 min,  $t$  (major) = 37.2 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.08 (br s, 1H), 7.58 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2H), 6.69-6.67 (m, 1H), 6.12 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 5.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.67 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.70 (dd,  $J = 7.4, 18.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.6$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.7, 160.8, 147.6, 132.5, 131.5, 128.7, 118.5, 118.0, 110.8, 108.3, 106.0, 53.1, 45.0, 38.9 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$

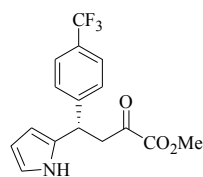
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**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-nitrophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



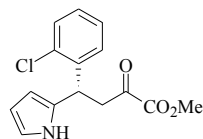
Light yellow oil; 85% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +34.0$  ( $c = 0.42$ , EtOAc); 86% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 75:25, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 21.94 min,  $t$  (major) = 28.47 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.17-8.13 (m, 2H), 8.07 (br s, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 2H), 6.70-6.68 (m, 1H), 6.13 (dd,  $J = 2.7, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.99-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.73 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.74 (dd,  $J = 7.4, 18.7$  Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd,  $J = 6.8, 18.7$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.7, 160.8, 149.6, 147.0, 131.4, 128.8, 124.0, 118.2, 108.5, 106.2, 53.2, 45.1, 38.7 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$   $[M + H]^+$  303.09755, Found: 303.09793.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-trifluoromethyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Colorless oil; 97% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +48.9$  ( $c = 0.45$ , EtOAc); 88% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (major) = 43.57 min,  $t$  (minor) = 46.51 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.00 (br s, 1H), 7.55 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 6.67-6.65 (m, 1H), 6.11 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.67 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.70 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.5$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.0, 160.9, 146.1, 132.1, 129.4 (q,  $J = 32.5$  Hz), 128.3, 125.7 (q,  $J = 3.6$  Hz), 124.0 (q,  $J = 272.1$  Hz), 117.9, 108.3, 106.0, 53.1, 45.2, 38.7 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_3$   $[M + H]^+$  326.09985, Found: 326.10025.

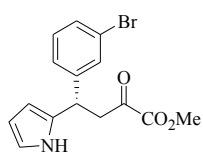
**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(2-chlorophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Colorless oil; 90% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +42.0$  ( $c = 0.50$ , EtOAc); 85% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 120.51 min,  $t$  (major) = 124.17 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.11 (br s, 1H), 7.38-7.35 (m, 1H),

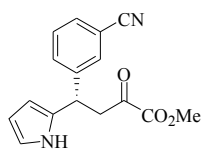
7.19-7.14 (m, 3H), 6.65-6.63 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.95-5.93 (m, 1H), 5.12 (dd,  $J = 5.3, 9.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.73 (dd,  $J = 9.2, 18.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.37 (dd,  $J = 5.3, 18.2$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.9, 161.0, 139.6, 133.3, 131.8, 129.8, 128.8, 128.2, 127.3, 117.5, 108.1, 105.8, 53.0, 44.2, 35.3 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  292.07350, Found: 292.07387.

**(+)-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-bromophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



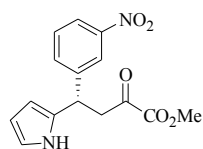
Colorless oil; 94% yield;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{23} = +41.3$  ( $c = 0.80$ , EtOAc); 90% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 49.52 min,  $t$  (major) = 51.79 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.97 (br s, 1H), 7.39-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.17 (dd,  $J = 1.6, 3.8$  Hz, 2H), 6.67-6.65 (m, 1H), 6.11 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.57 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.7, 18.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd,  $J = 6.7, 18.4$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.0, 160.9, 144.4, 132.2, 130.9, 130.3, 130.2, 126.5, 122.7, 117.8, 108.2, 105.8, 53.1, 45.2, 38.6 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrNO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  336.02298, Found: 336.02373.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-cyanophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



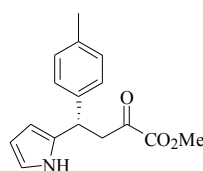
Colorless oil; 90% yield;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{23} = +38.9$  ( $c = 0.35$ , EtOAc); 88% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column,  $n$ -hexane/ $i$ -PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 64.16 min,  $t$  (major) = 68.15 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.08 (br s, 1H), 7.54-7.48 (m, 3H), 7.44-7.38 (m, 1H), 6.70-6.67 (m, 1H), 6.12 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.65 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.71 (dd,  $J = 7.4, 18.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.7$  Hz, 1H) ppm.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.7, 160.7, 143.8, 132.4, 131.6, 131.4, 130.7, 129.5, 118.5, 118.0, 112.6, 108.3, 106.0, 53.1, 45.0, 38.4 ppm. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  283.10772, Found: 283.10812.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-nitrophenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



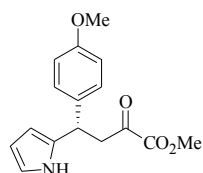
Light yellow oil; 87% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +34.5$  ( $c = 0.65$ , EtOAc); 89% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 103.69 min,  $t$  (major) = 106.66 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.14-8.08 (m, 2H), 8.04 (br s, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.51-7.46 (m, 1H), 6.70-6.68 (m, 1H), 6.13 (dd,  $J = 2.9, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.73 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.76 (dd,  $J = 7.6, 18.7$  Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd,  $J = 6.7, 18.7$  Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  191.8, 160.8, 148.5, 144.3, 134.1, 131.6, 129.7, 122.7, 122.2, 118.1, 108.5, 106.2, 53.2, 45.2, 38.6. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  303.09755, Found: 303.09796.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-methylphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Light yellow oil; 96% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +55.3$  ( $c = 0.28$ , EtOAc); 91% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 97:3, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 72.52 min,  $t$  (major) = 75.78 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.91 (br s, 1H), 7.12-7.08 (m, 4H), 6.62-6.59 (m, 1H), 6.09 (dd,  $J = 2.7, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.57 (t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.64 (dd,  $J = 7.6, 18.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 18.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.0, 138.9, 136.6, 133.3, 129.4, 127.7, 117.3, 108.0, 105.3, 52.9, 45.5, 38.6, 20.9. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  272.12812, Found: 272.12847.

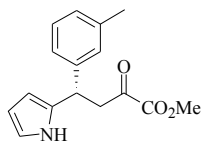
**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Colorless oil; 82% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +45.3$  ( $c = 0.38$ , EtOAc); 88% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 71.59 min,  $t$  (major) = 76.06 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.93 (br s, 1H), 7.17-7.12 (m, 2H), 6.85-6.80 (m, 2H), 6.64-6.61 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.7, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.56 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.63 (dd,  $J = 7.5, 18.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd,  $J = 7.1, 18.0$  Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.6, 161.1, 158.6, 134.0, 133.5, 128.9, 117.3, 114.1, 108.1, 105.3, 55.2, 53.0, 45.6, 38.2. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_4$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$

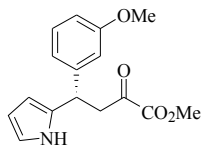
288.12303, Found: 288.12333.

**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-methylphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



Light yellow oil; 90% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +64.6$  ( $c = 0.32$ , EtOAc); 90% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 15.46 min,  $t$  (major) = 16.59 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.92 (br s, 1H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.03 (m, 3H), 6.64-6.62 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.8, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.94 (m, 1H), 4.57 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.7, 18.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.45 (dd,  $J = 6.7, 18.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.5, 161.1, 141.8, 138.4, 133.2, 128.6, 128.5, 127.8, 124.8, 117.3, 108.1, 105.4, 53.0, 45.4, 38.9, 21.4. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  272.12812, Found: 272.12844.

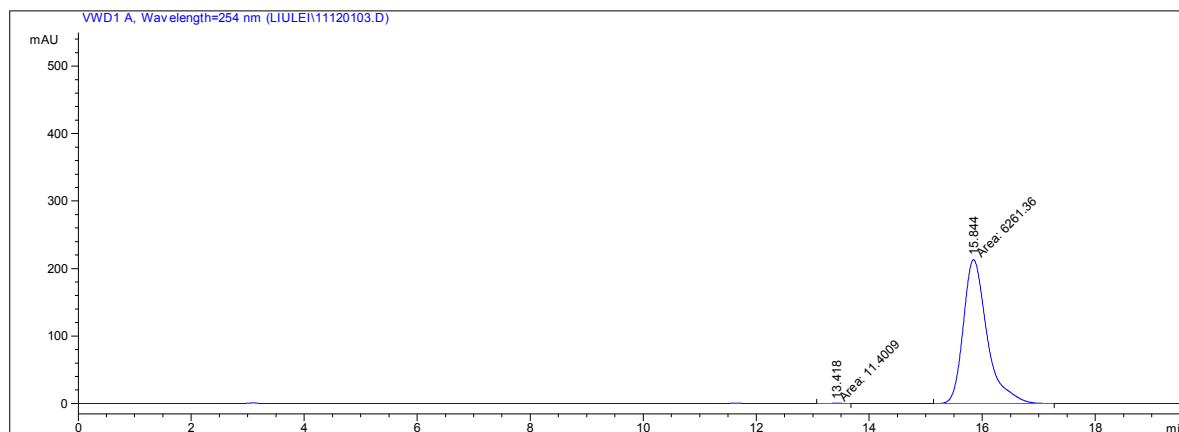
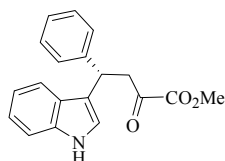
**(+)-4-(1H-Pyrrol-2-yl)-2-oxo-4-(3-methoxyphenyl)butyric acid methyl ester**



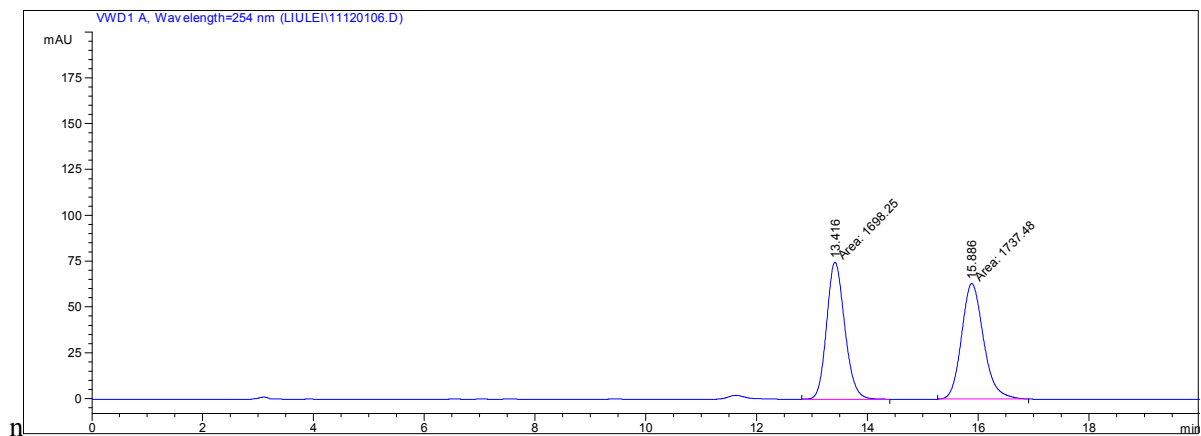
Colorless oil; 86% yield;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +56.6$  ( $c = 0.30$ , EtOAc); 92% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm;  $t$  (minor) = 72.45 min,  $t$  (major) = 75.50 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.94 (br s, 1H), 7.25-7.20 (m, 1H), 6.84-6.76 (m, 3H), 6.65-6.63 (m, 1H), 6.10 (dd,  $J = 2.9, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.59 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.67 (dd,  $J = 7.7, 18.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd,  $J = 6.7, 18.2$  Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.3, 161.0, 159.8, 143.5, 132.9, 129.7, 120.1, 117.4, 113.7, 112.2, 108.0, 105.4, 55.1, 52.9, 45.3, 38.9. ESI-HRMS Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_4$   $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$  288.12303, Found: 288.12325.

## HPLC chromatograms for indole adducts

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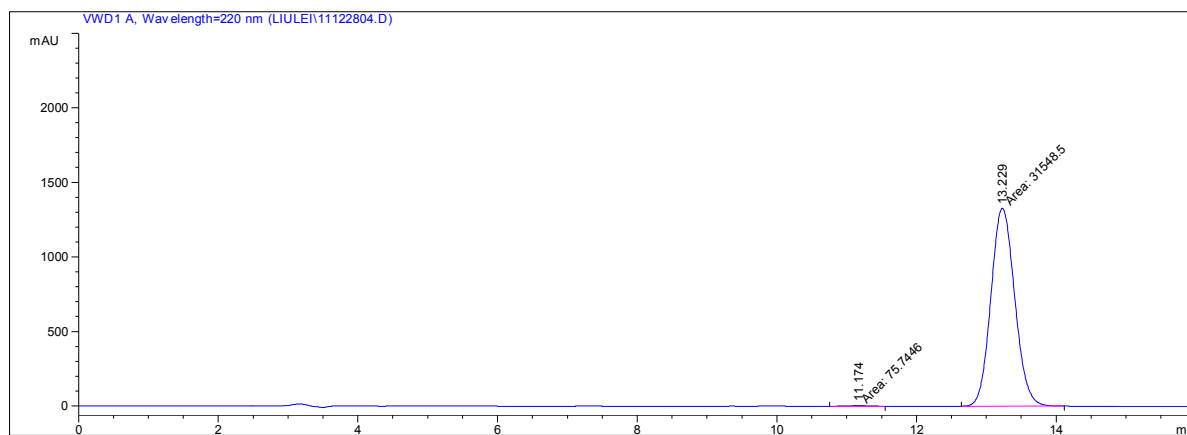
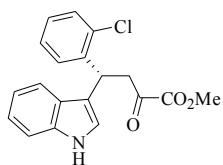
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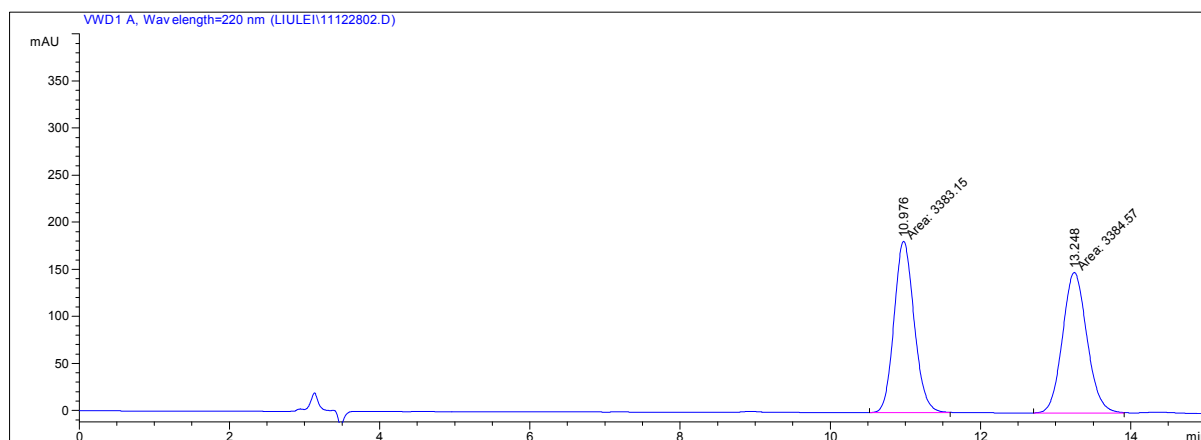
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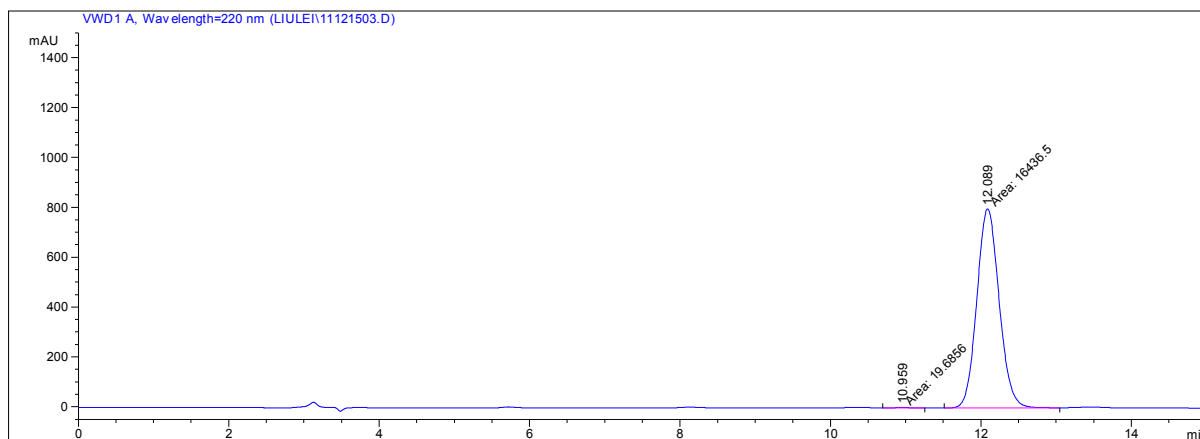
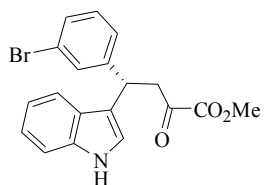


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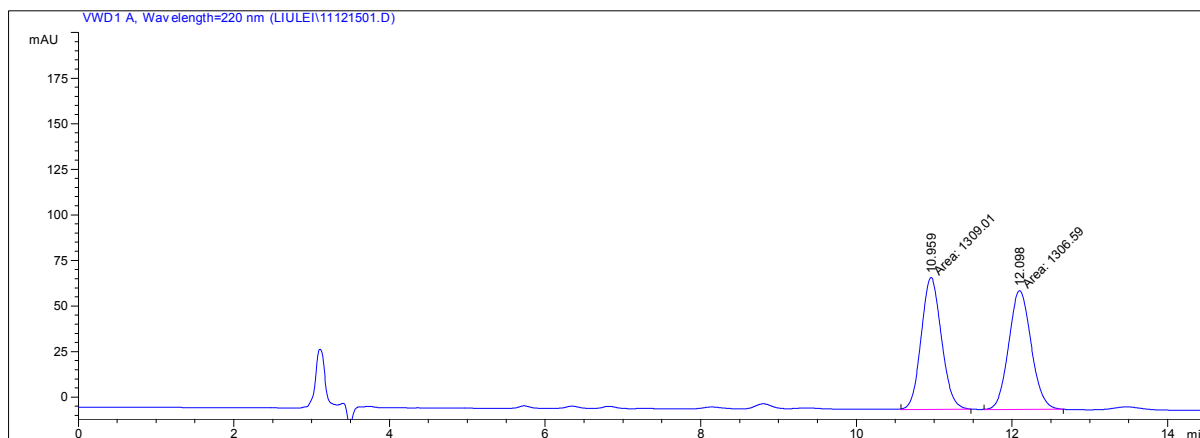


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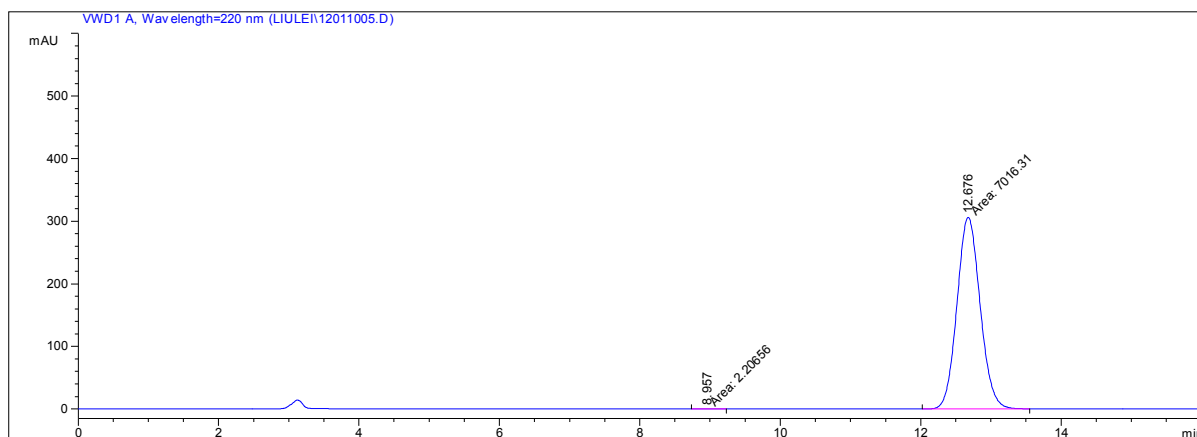
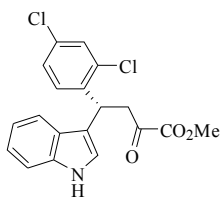


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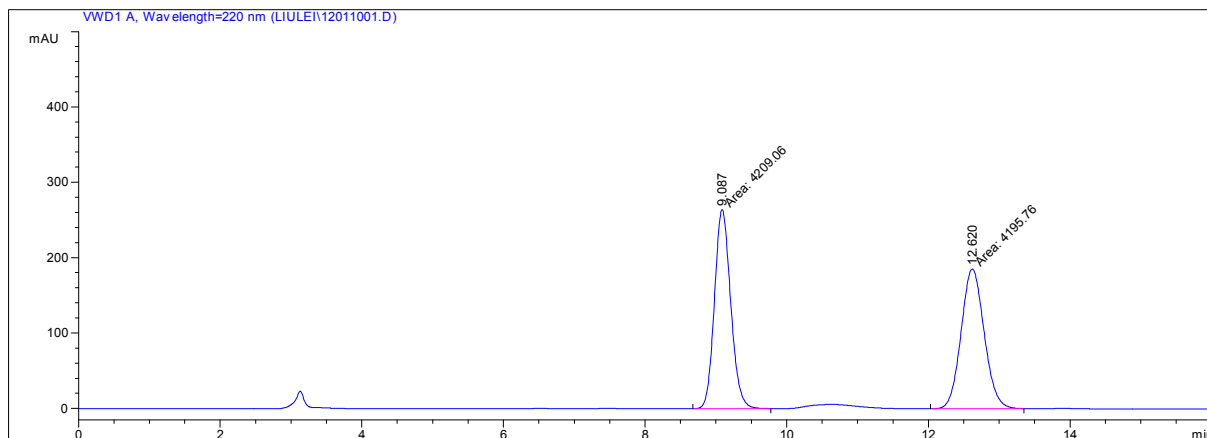


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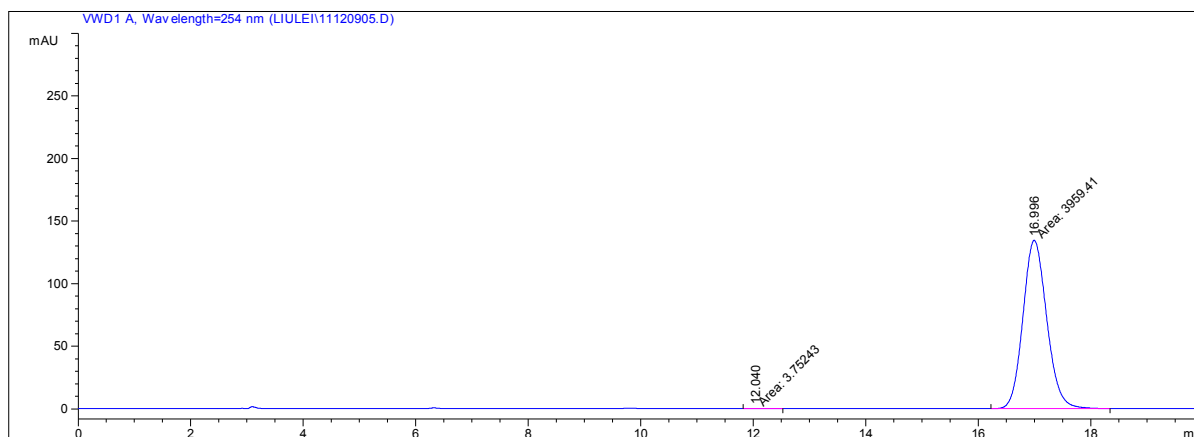
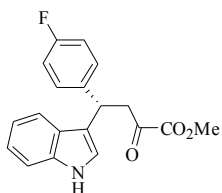


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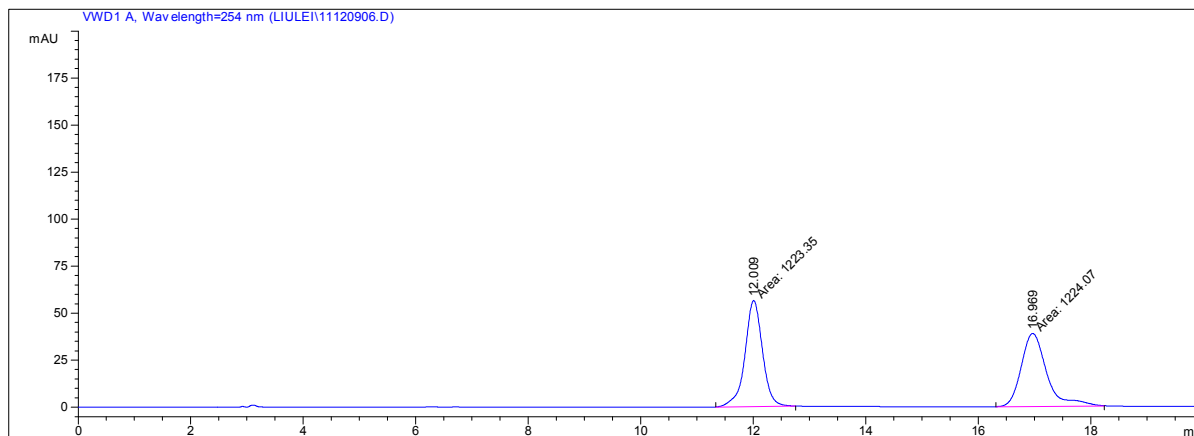


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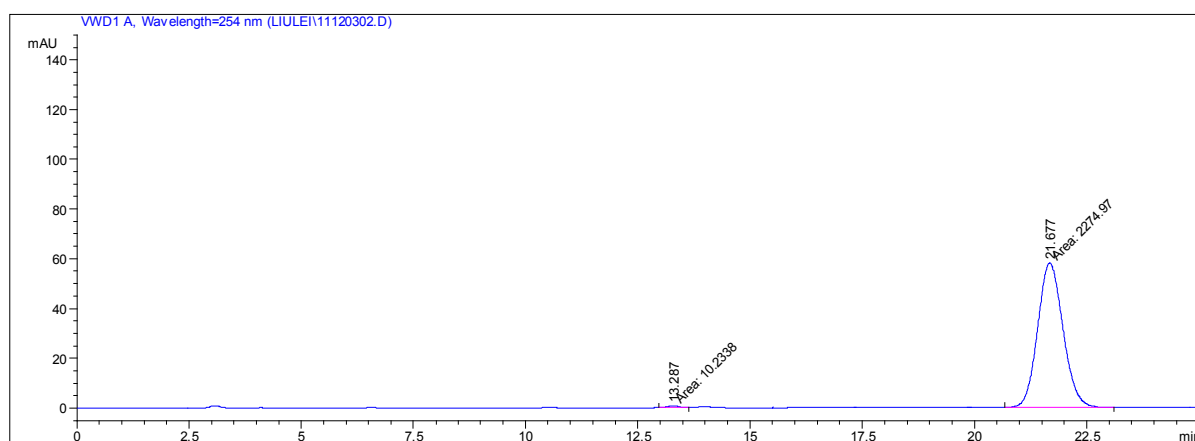
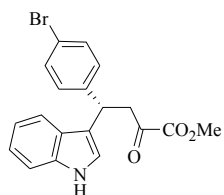


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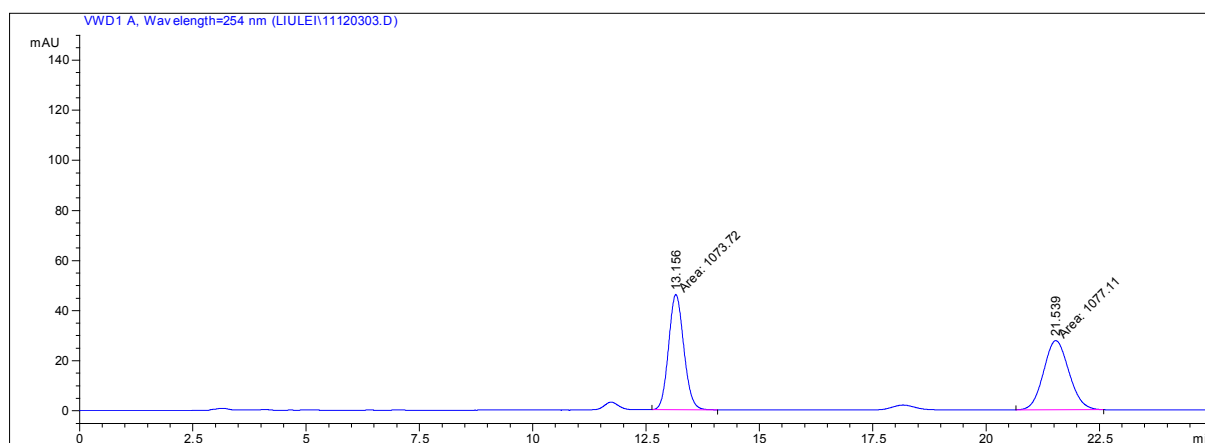


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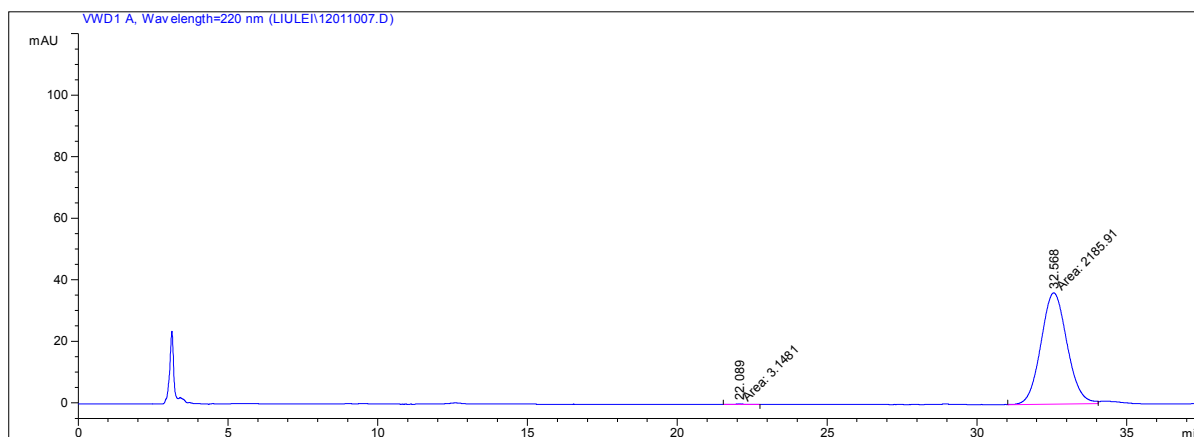
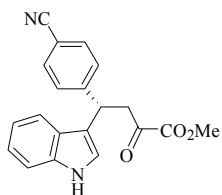


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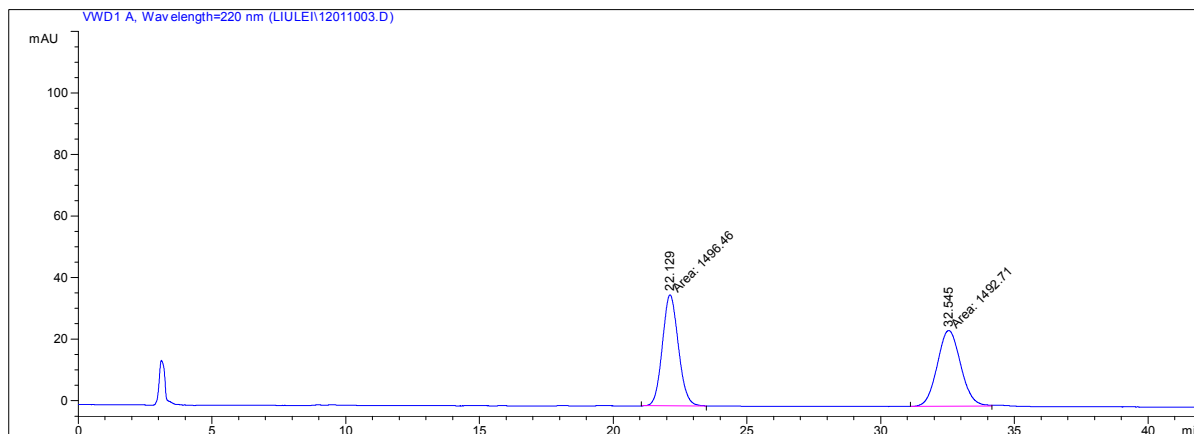


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.7% ee

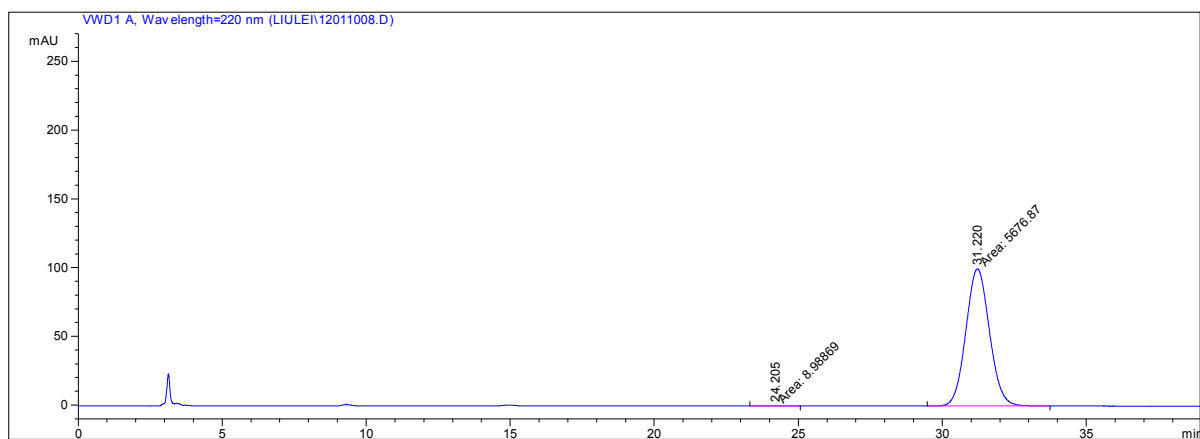
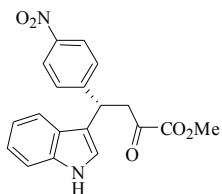


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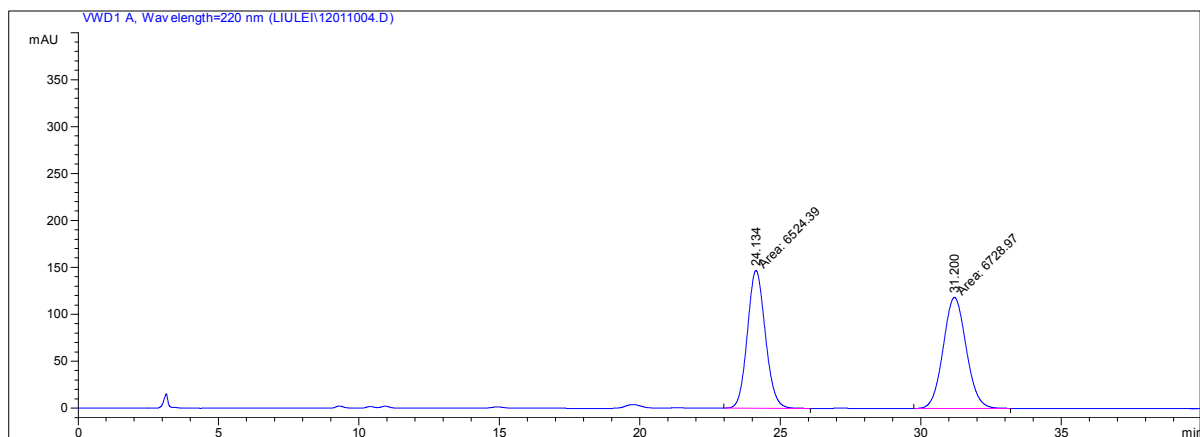


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1	22.129	1496.5	36	0.692	50.063	0.893
2	32.545	1492.7	24.6	1.0126	49.937	0.916

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.7% ee

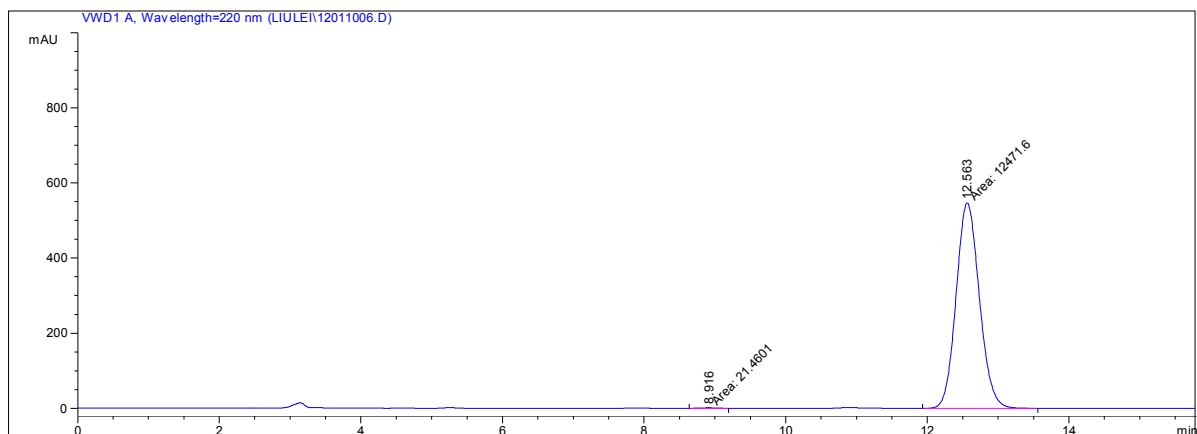
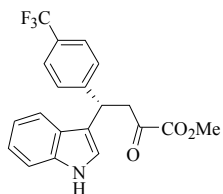


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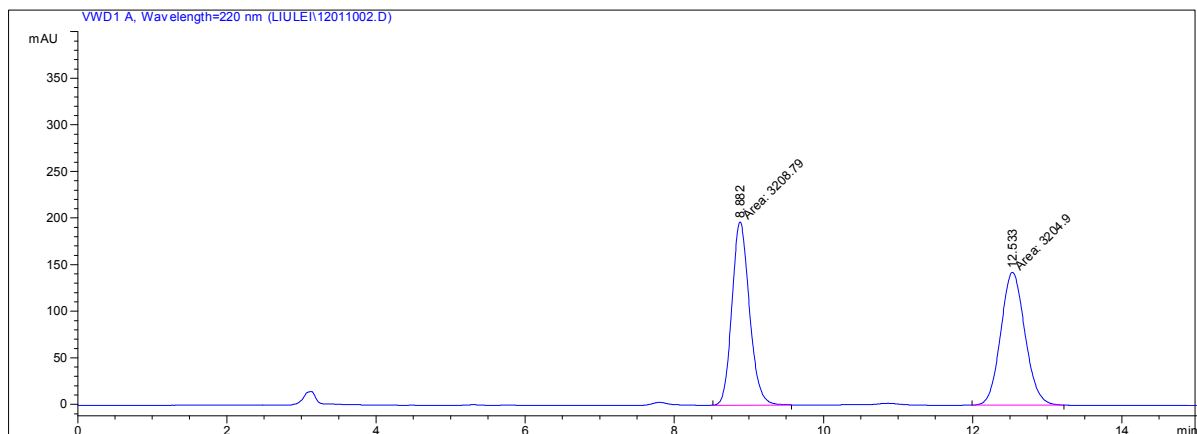


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.6% ee



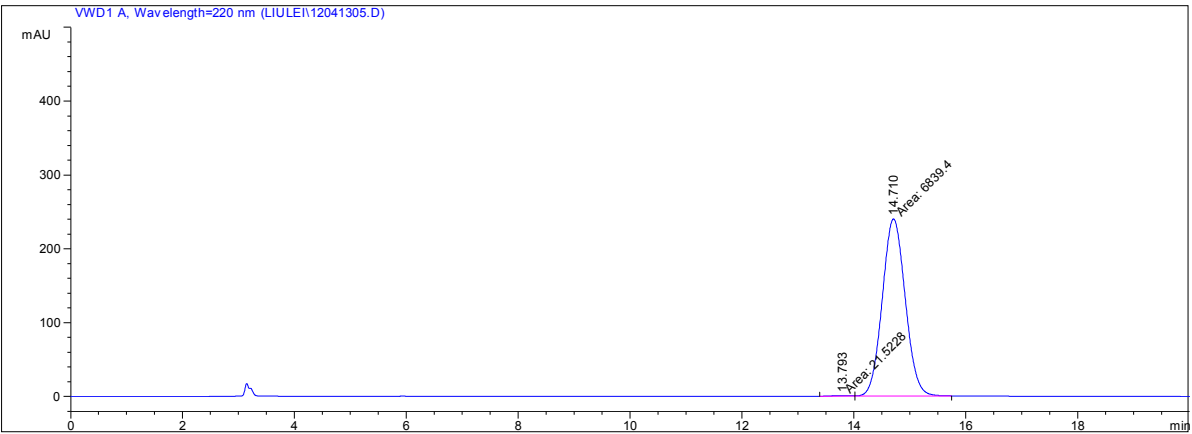
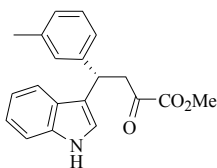
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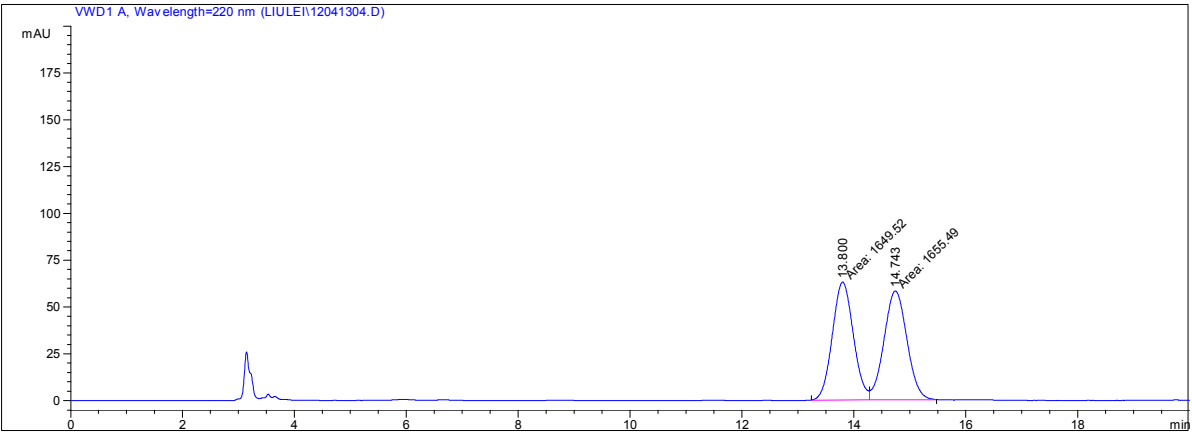
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Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85:15, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.3% ee

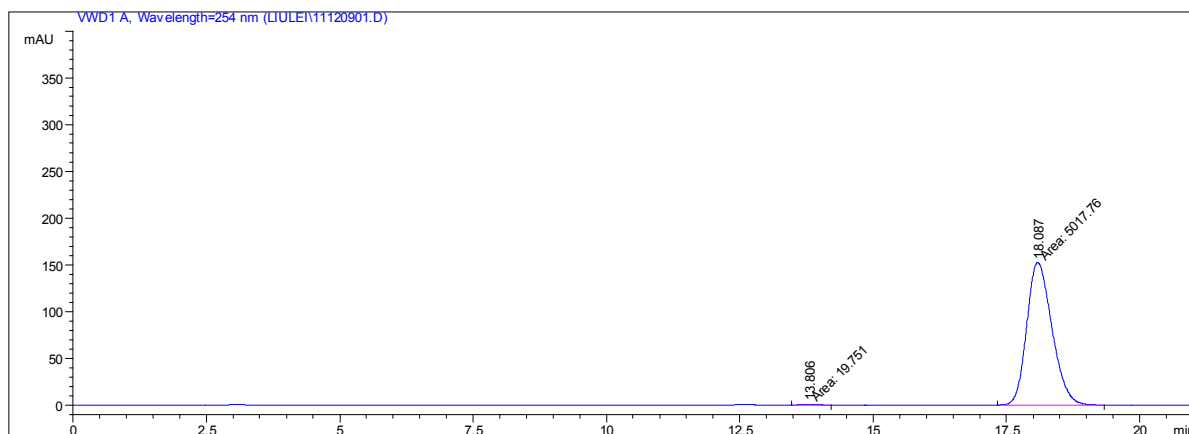
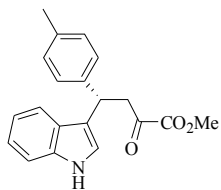


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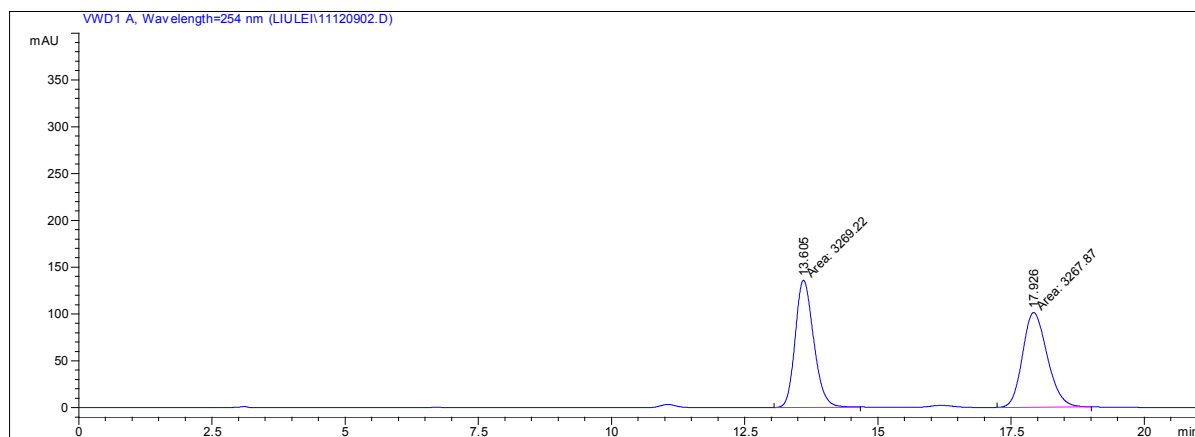


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2	14.743	1655.5	58.1	0.4745	50.090	0.953

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.2% ee

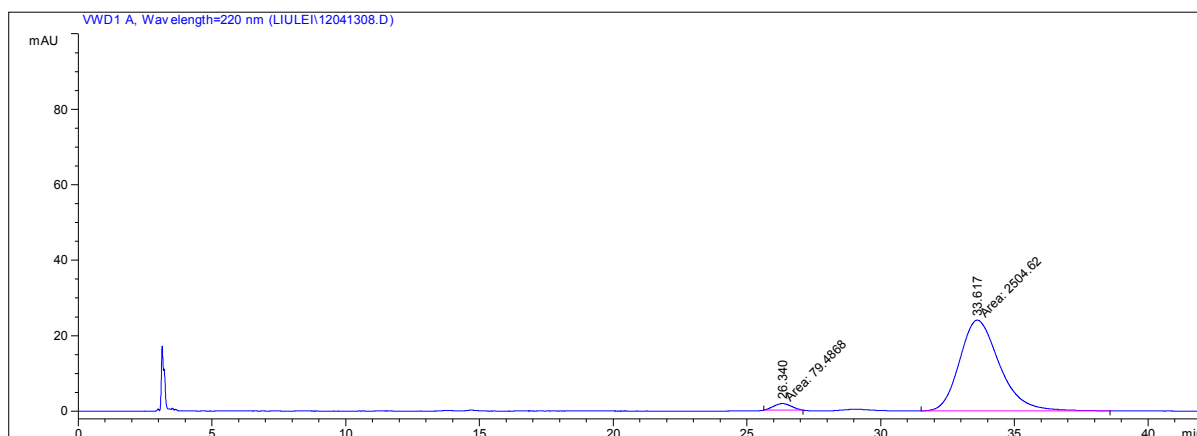
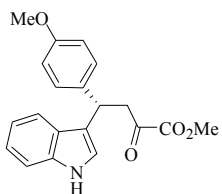


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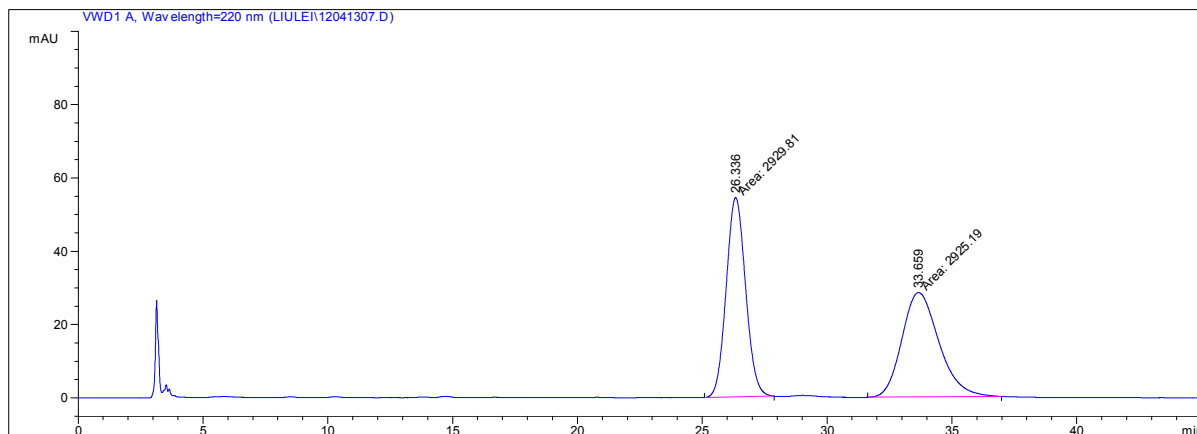


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1	13.605	3269.2	135.7	0.4016	50.010	0.783
2	17.926	3267.9	101.2	0.5384	49.990	0.792

Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 85:15, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 94% ee

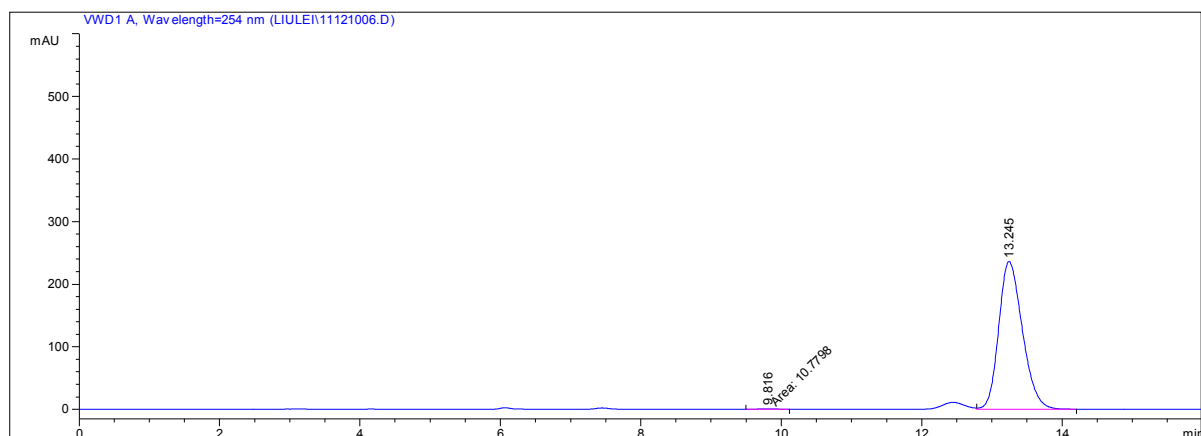
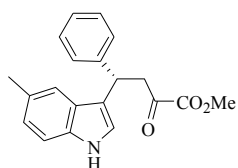


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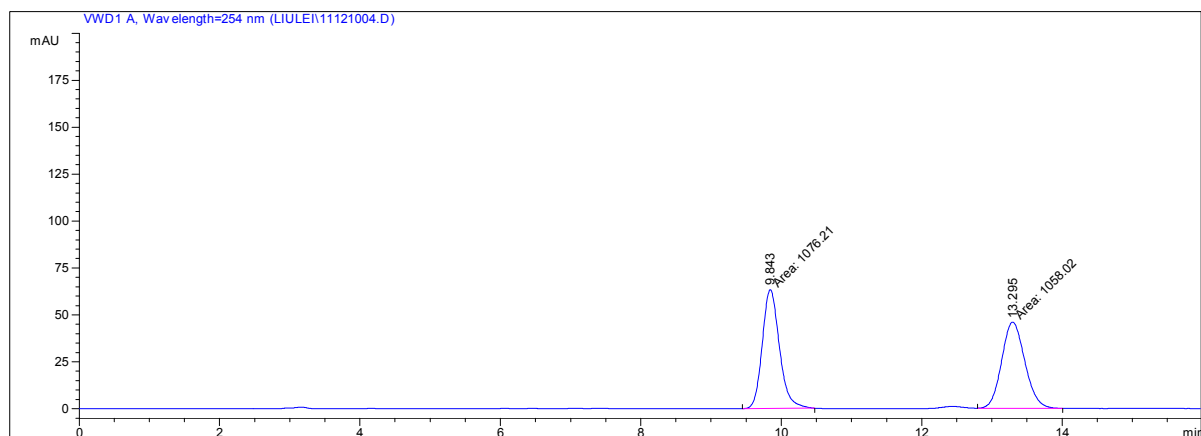


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1	26.336	2929.8	54.3	0.8987	50.039	0.916
2	33.659	2925.2	28.4	1.7154	49.961	0.778

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.6% ee

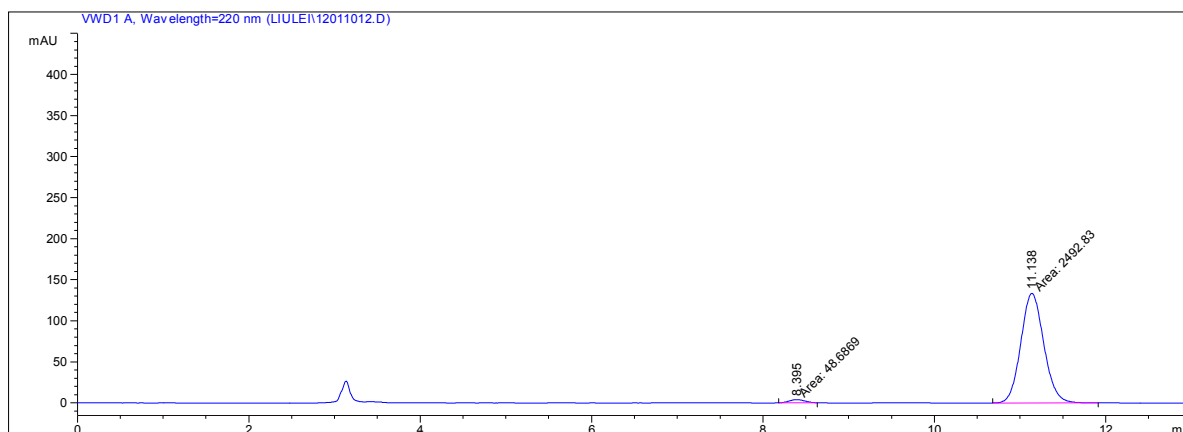
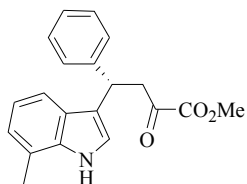


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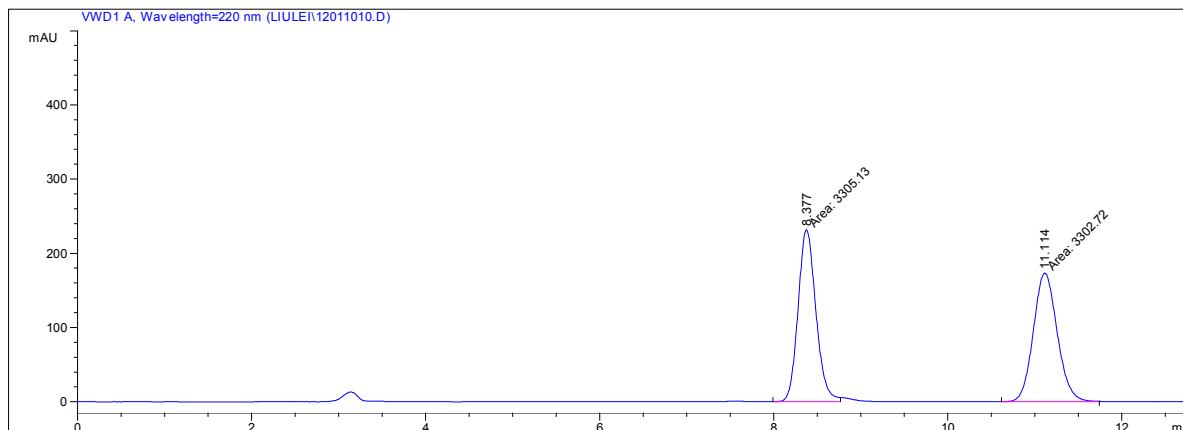


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 97% ee

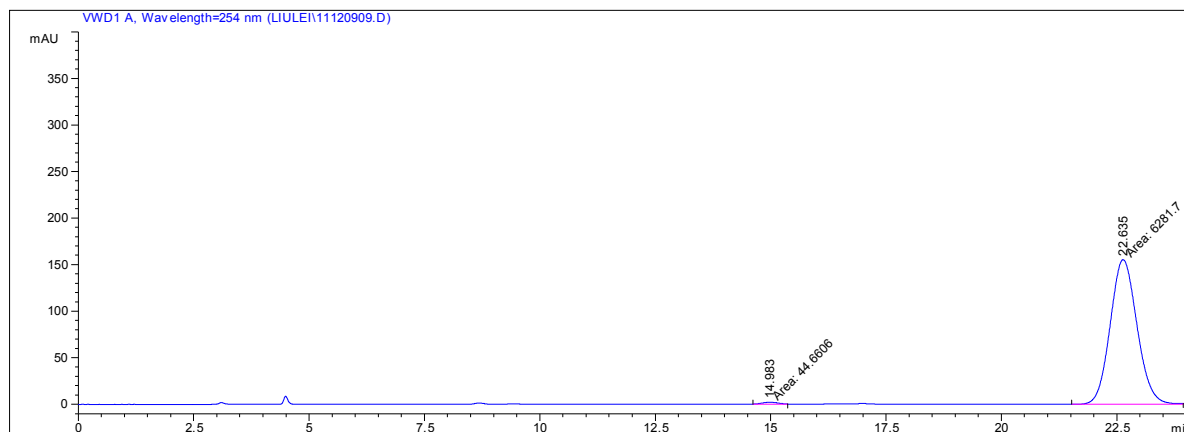
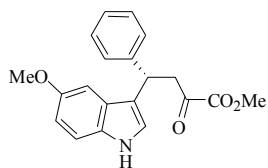


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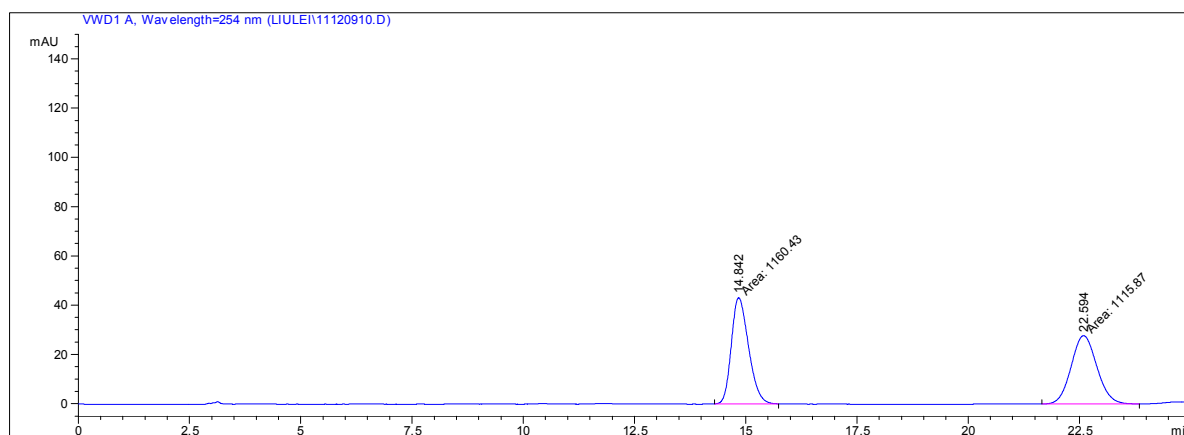


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 98.6% ee

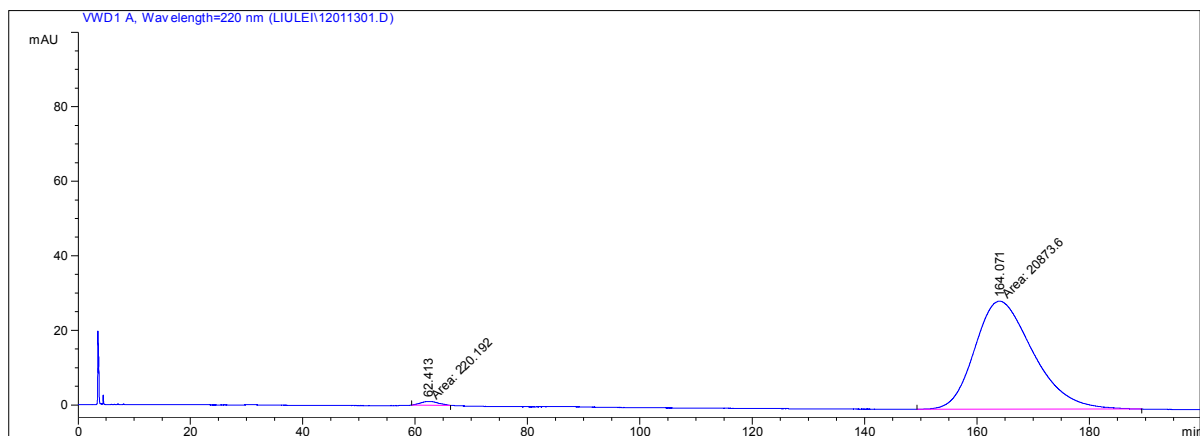
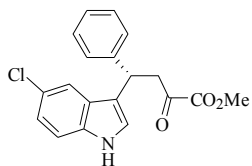


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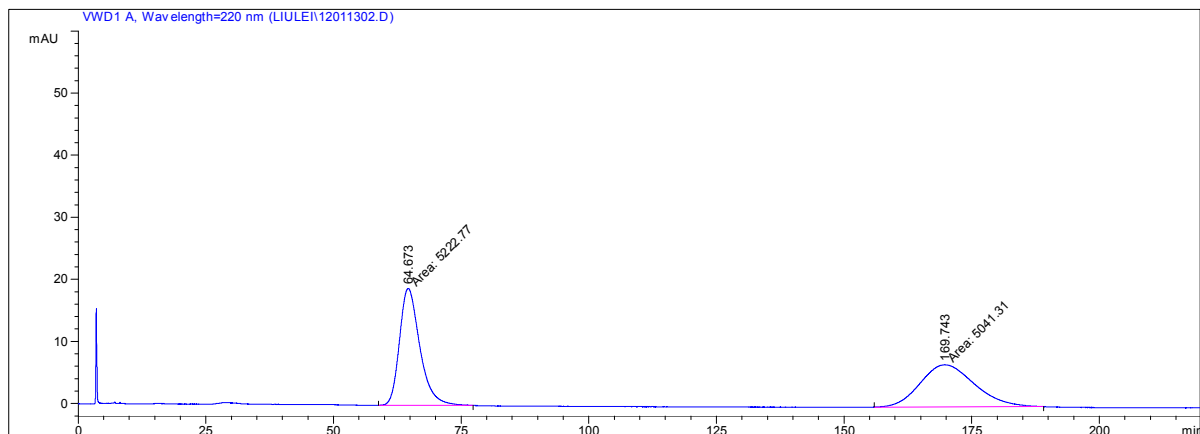


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2	22.594	1115.9	27.8	0.6702	49.021	0.913

Daicel Chiralcel OJ-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 70:30, 0.9 mL/min, 220 nm; 98% ee

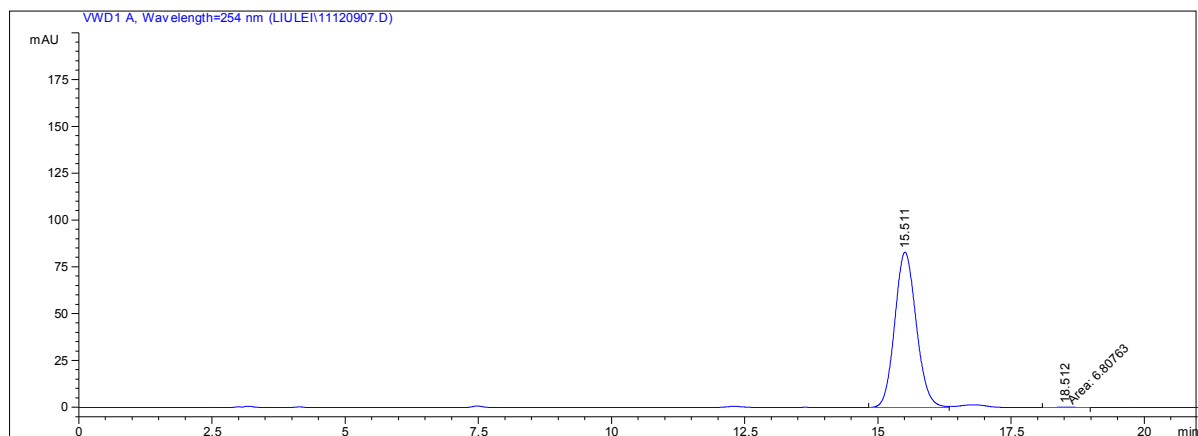
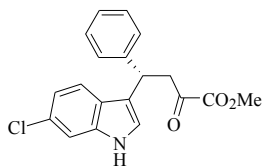


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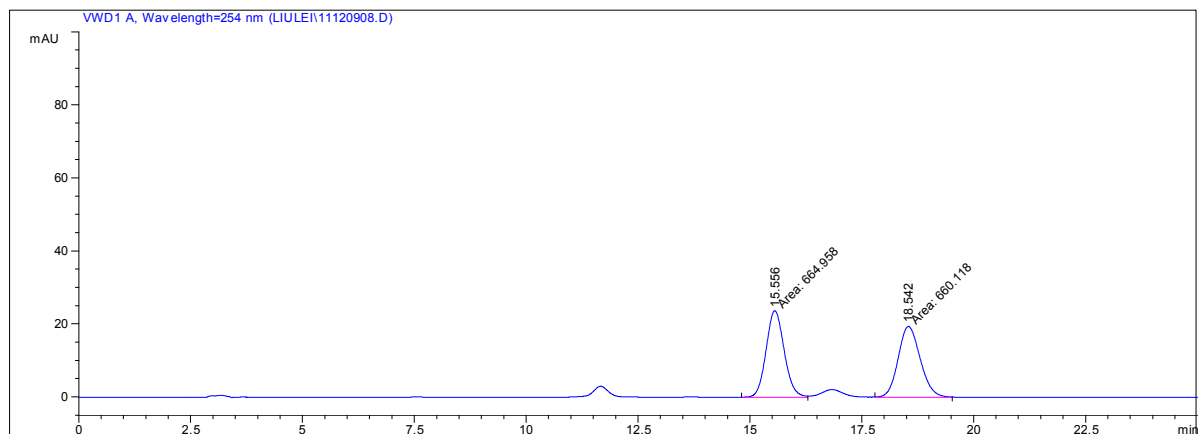


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1	64.673	5222.8	18.8	4.6226	50.884	0.739
2	169.743	5041.3	6.8	12.3421	49.116	0.819

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.5%ee



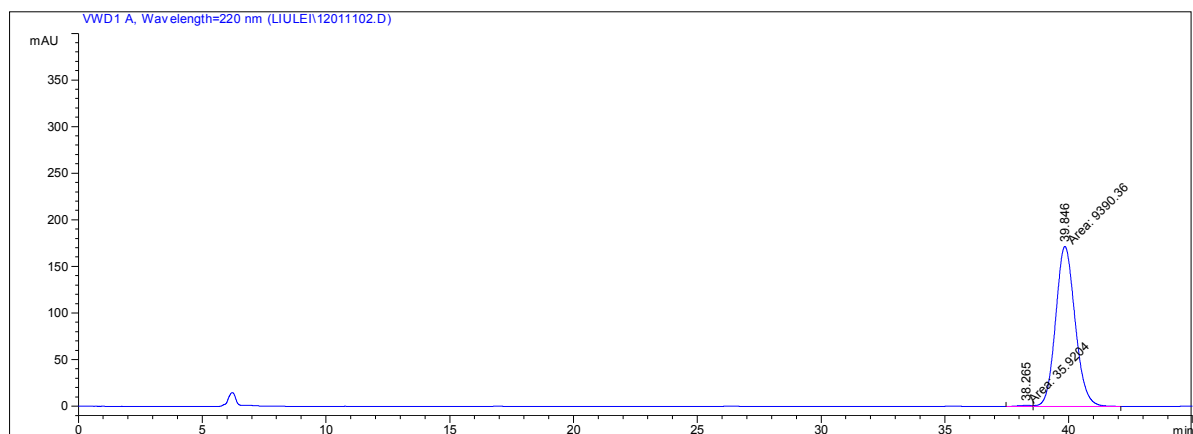
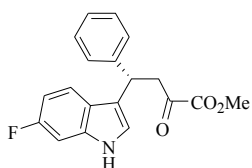
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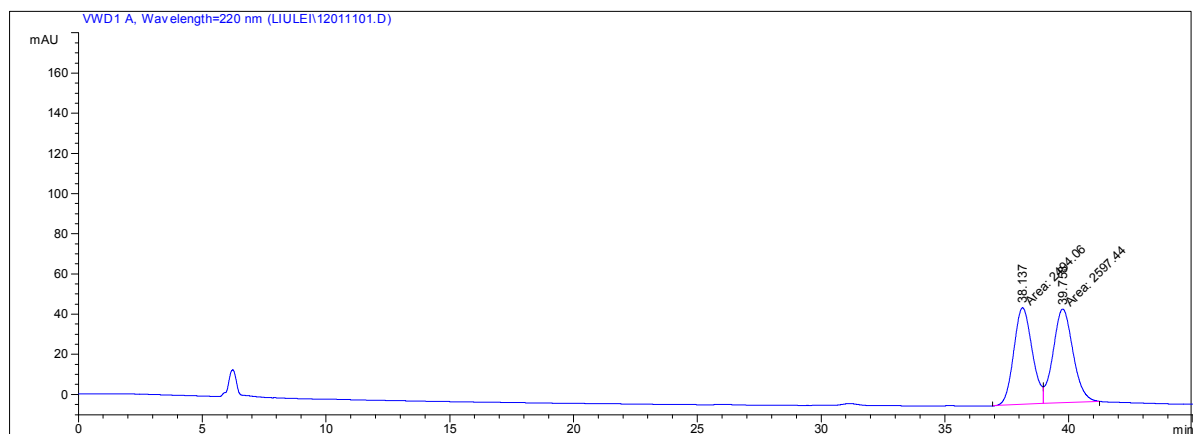
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1	15.556	665	23.7	0.468	50.183	0.896
2	18.542	660.1	19.3	0.5688	49.817	0.844



Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85:15, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 99.2% ee

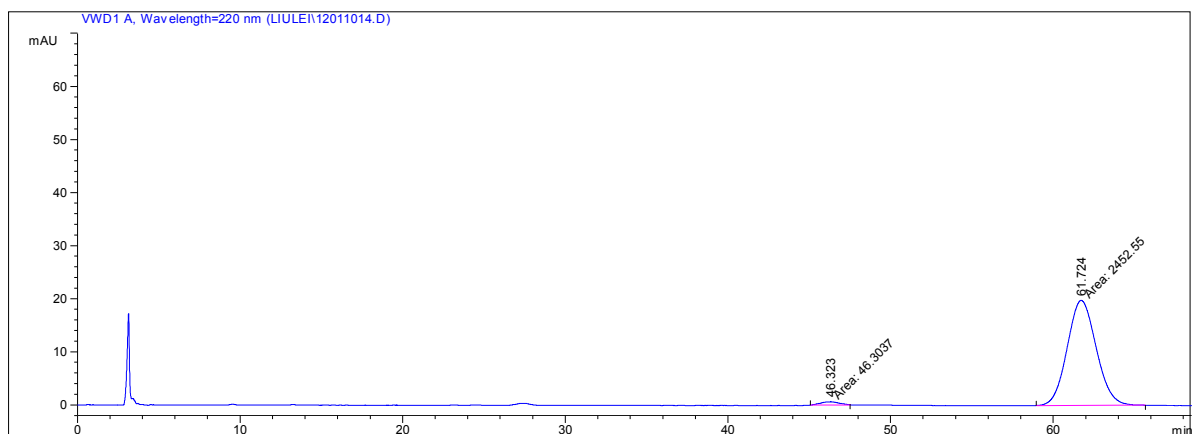
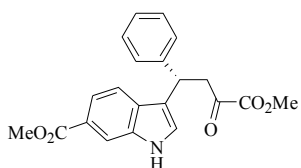


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2	39.846	9390.4	171.6	0.9121	99.619	0.877

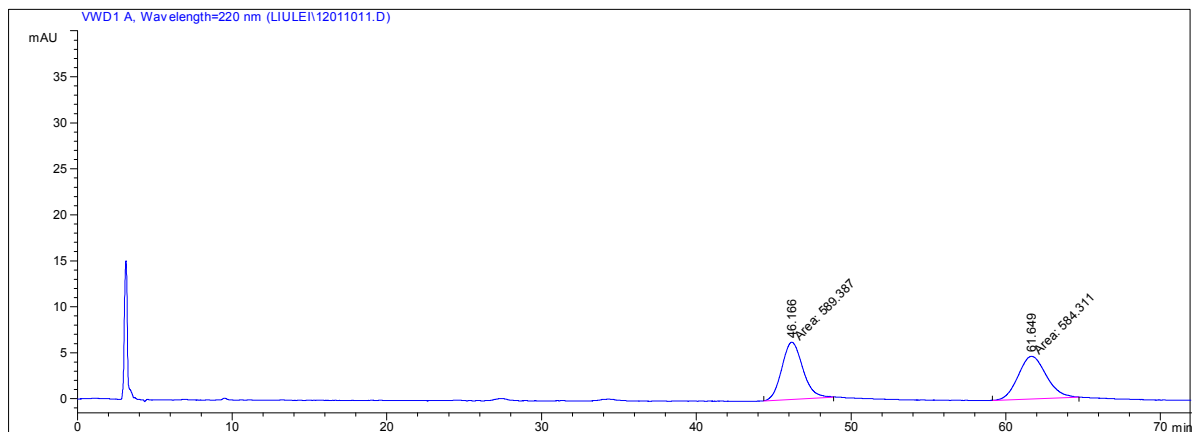


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1	38.137	2494.1	48.1	0.8648	48.985	0.886
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 96.3% ee



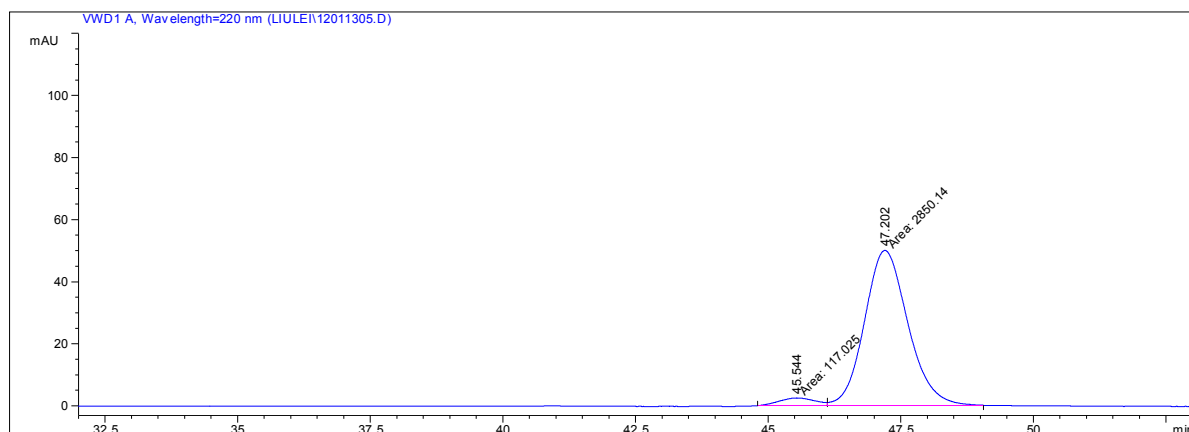
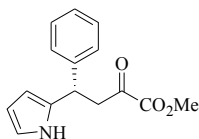
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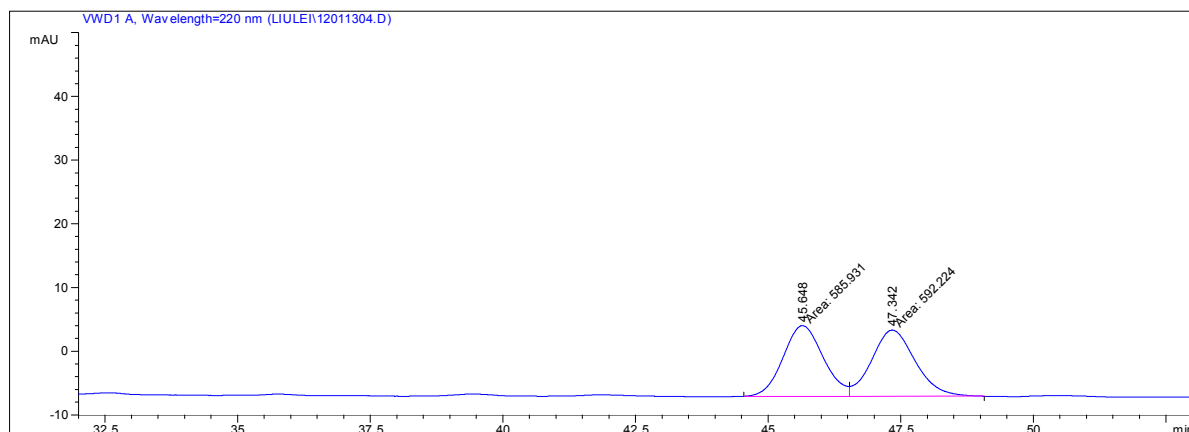
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1	46.166	589.4	6.2	1.5772	50.216	0.863
2	61.649	584.3	4.6	2.1045	49.784	0.859

## HPLC chromatogram for pyrrole adducts

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 92% ee

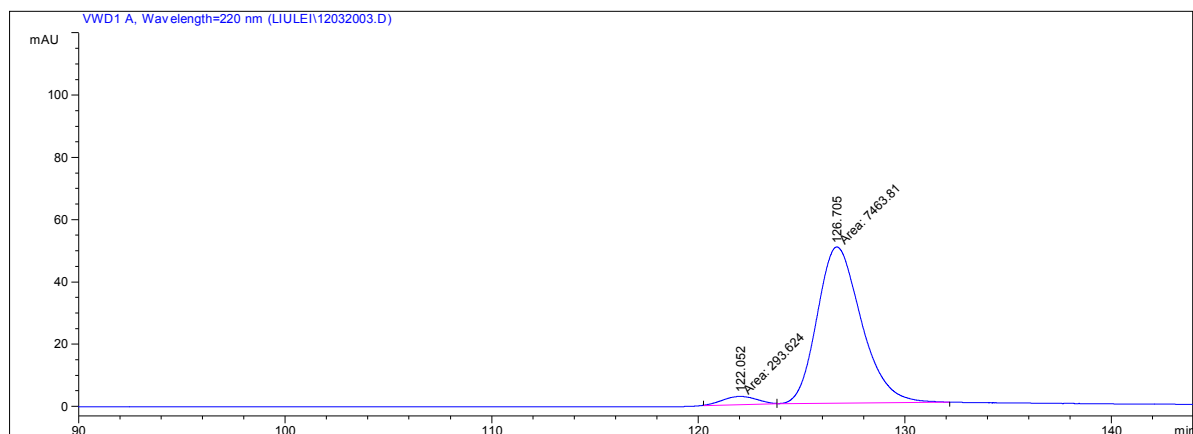
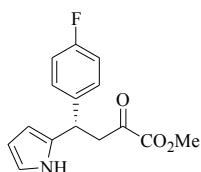


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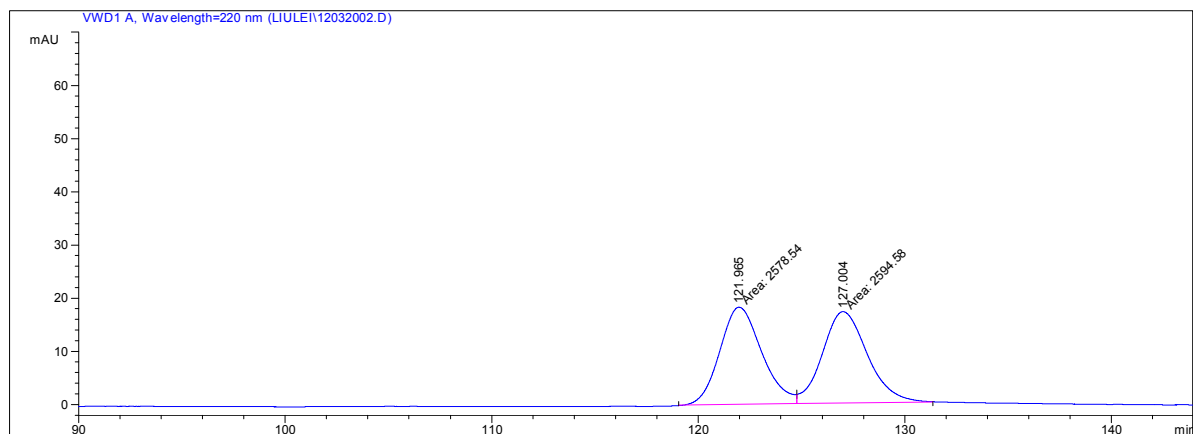


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1	45.648	585.9	11.1	0.8799	49.733	0.905
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 92% ee

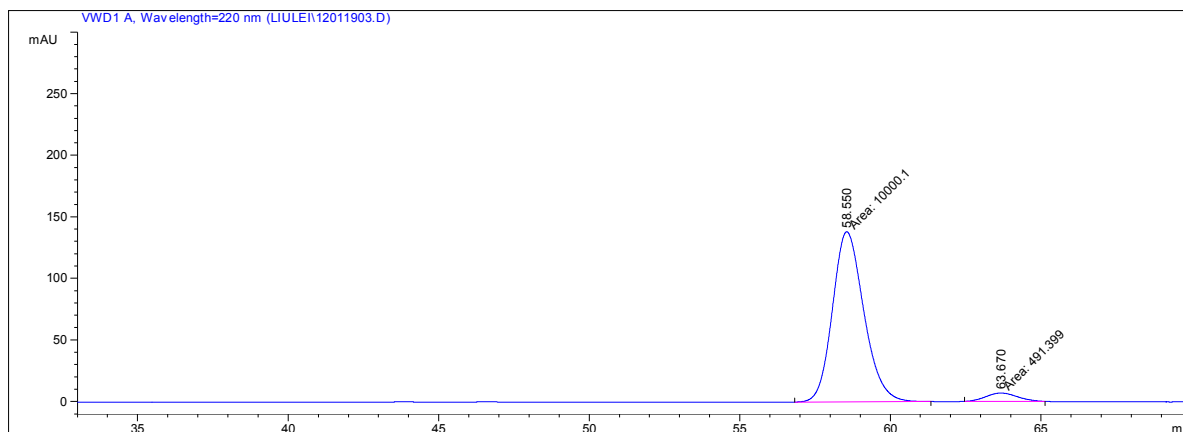
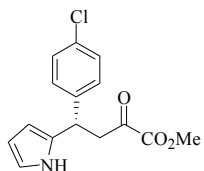


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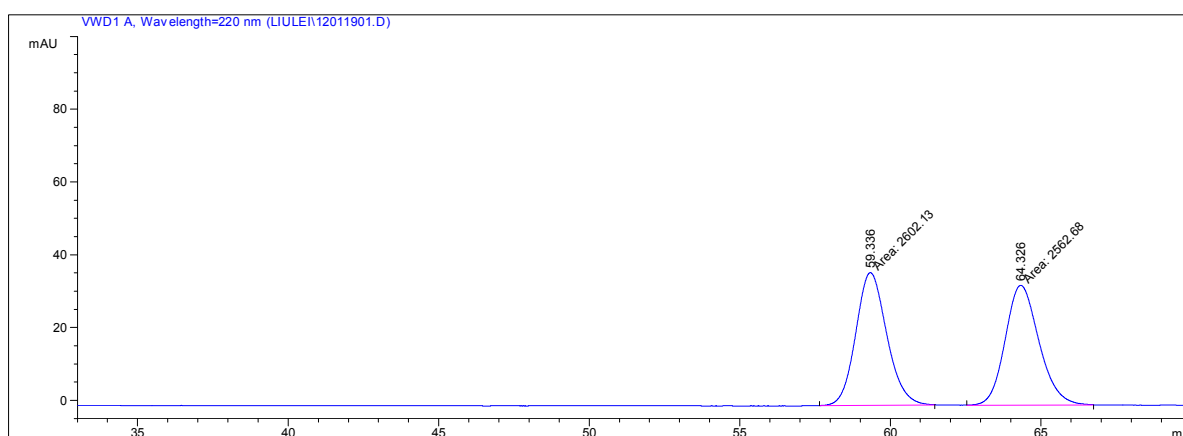


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 90% ee

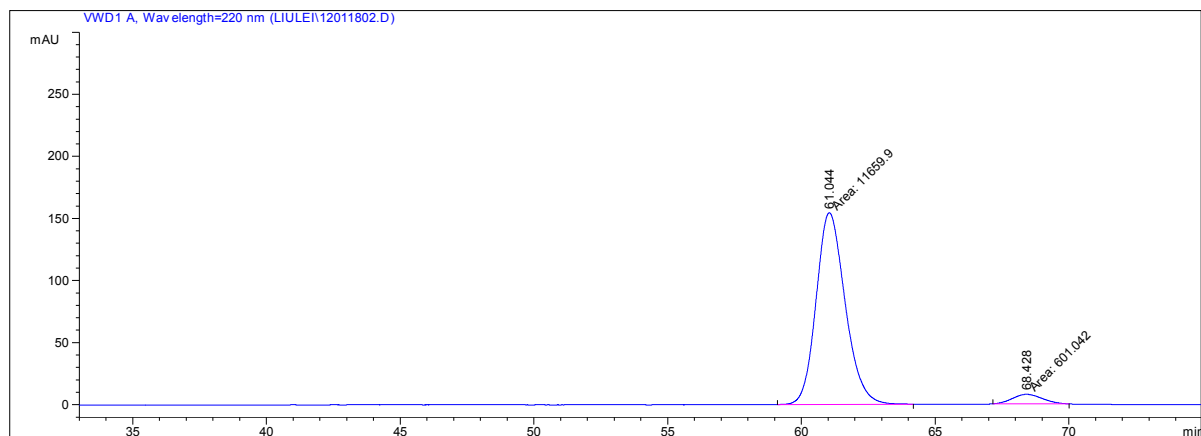
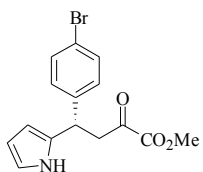


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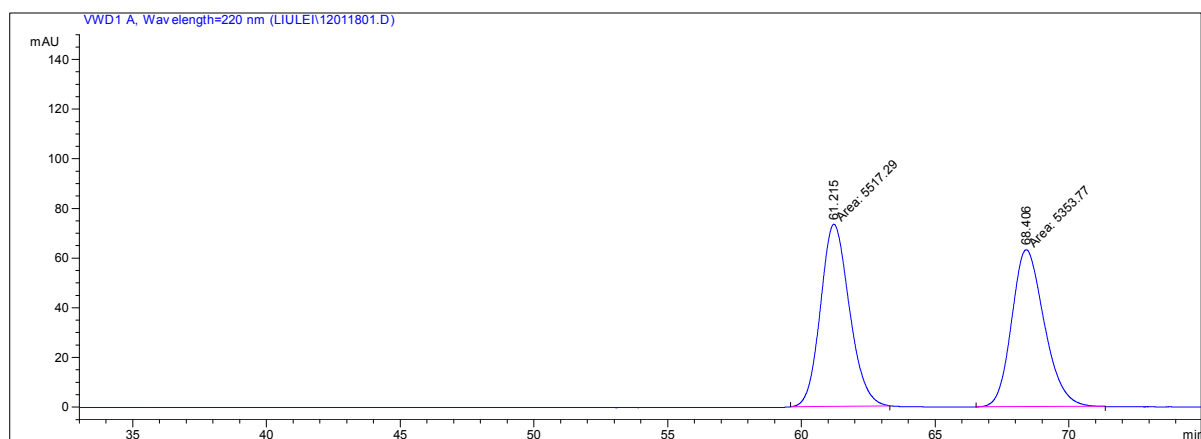


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1	59.336	2602.1	36.4	1.19	50.382	0.87
2	64.326	2562.7	32.9	1.2987	49.618	0.821

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 90% ee

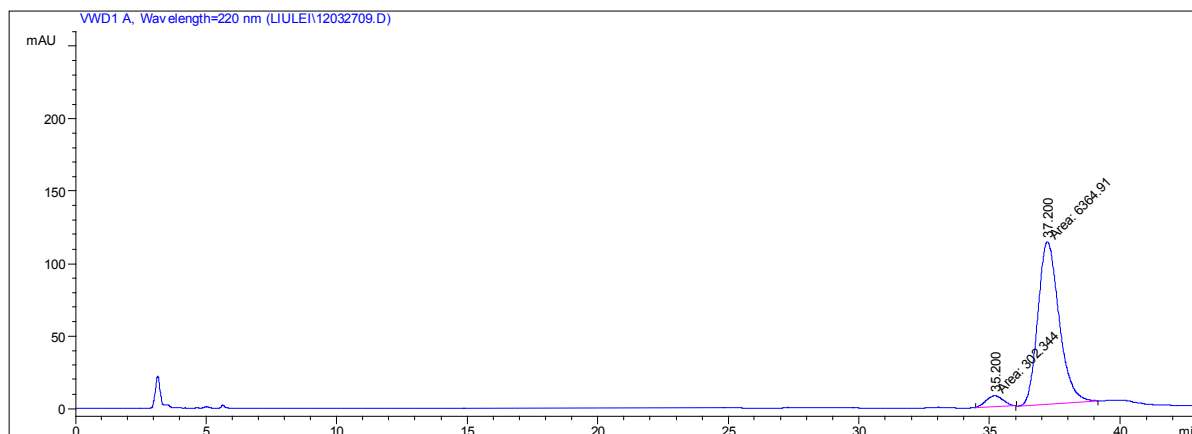
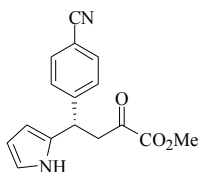


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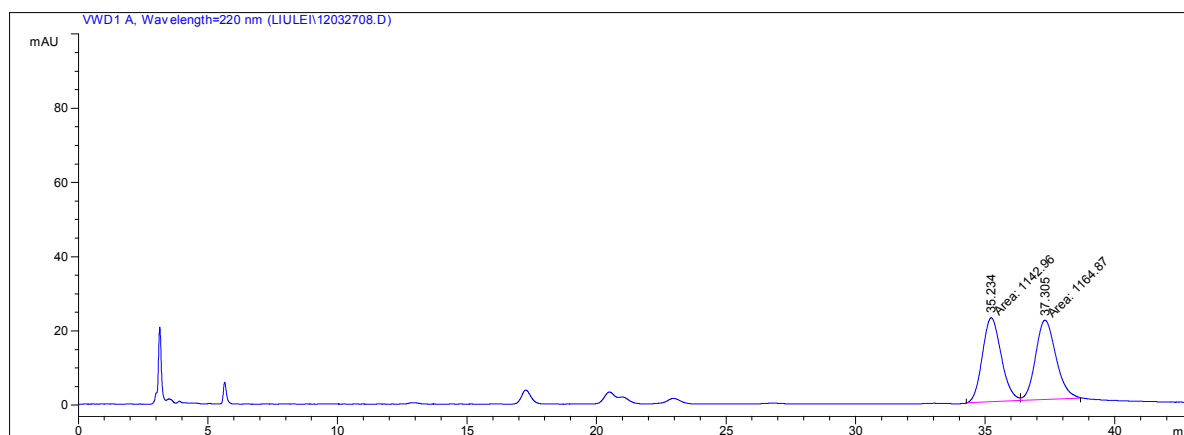


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2	68.406	5353.8	63.3	1.4106	49.248	0.778

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 91% ee

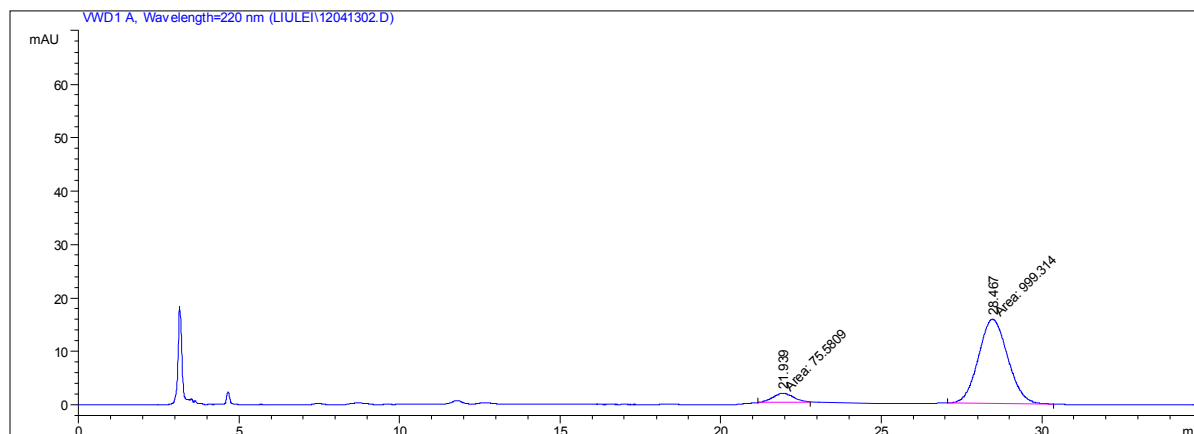
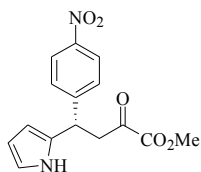


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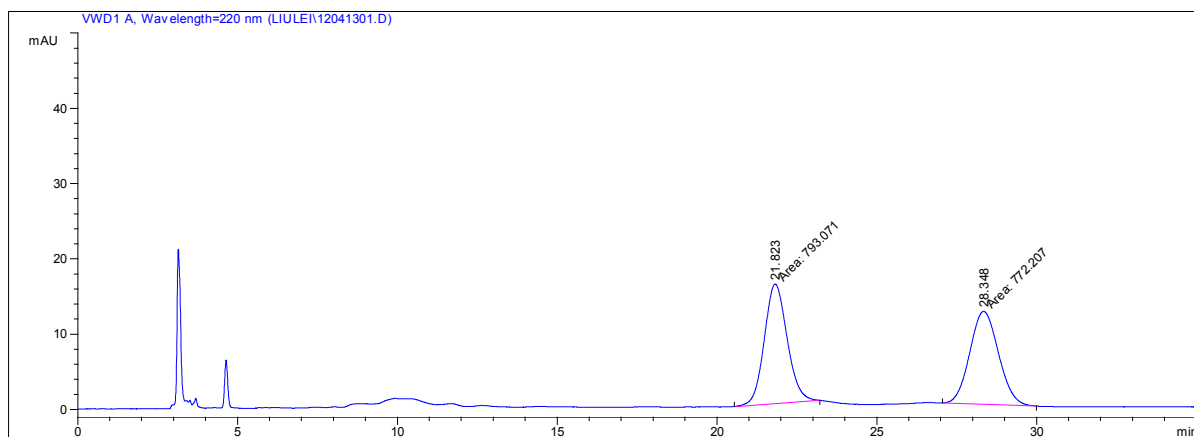


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Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 75:25, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 86% ee



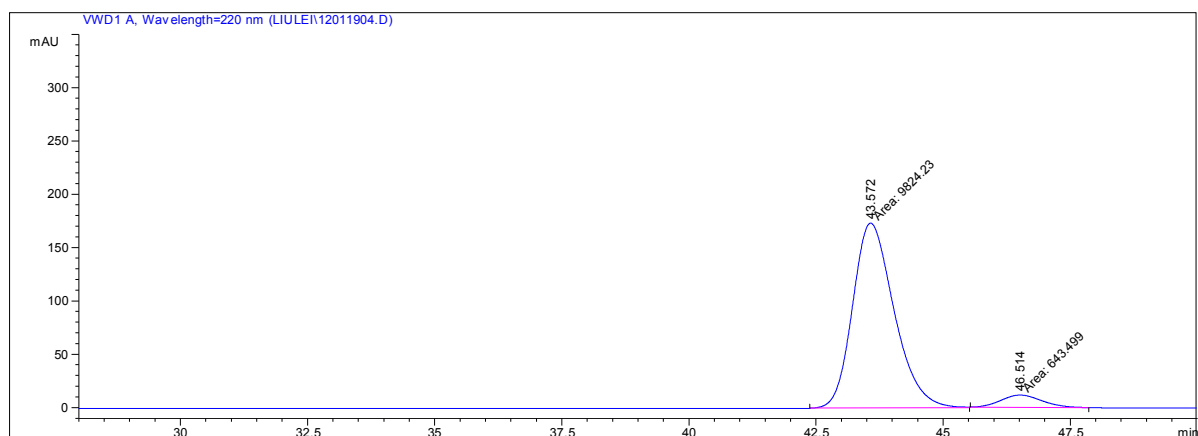
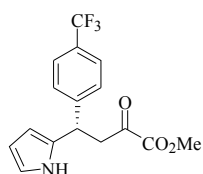
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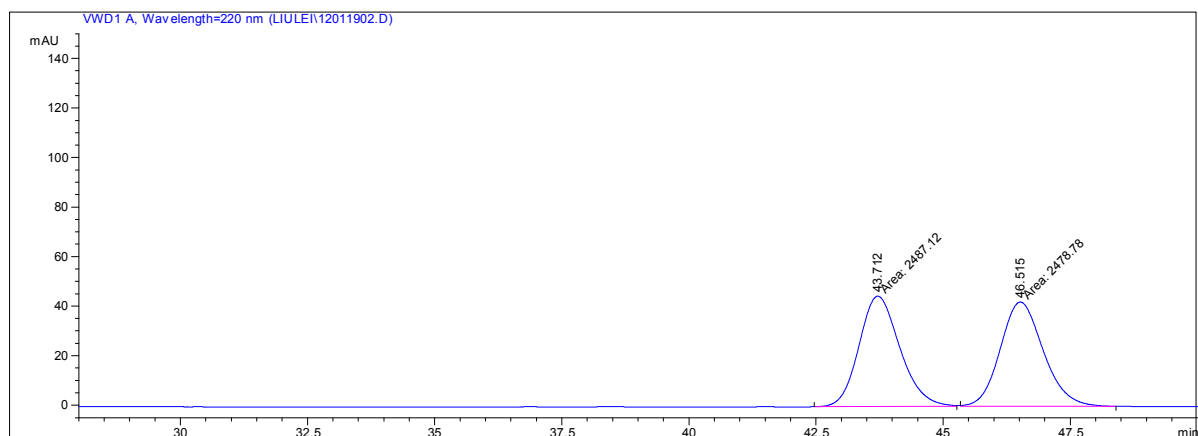
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 88% ee

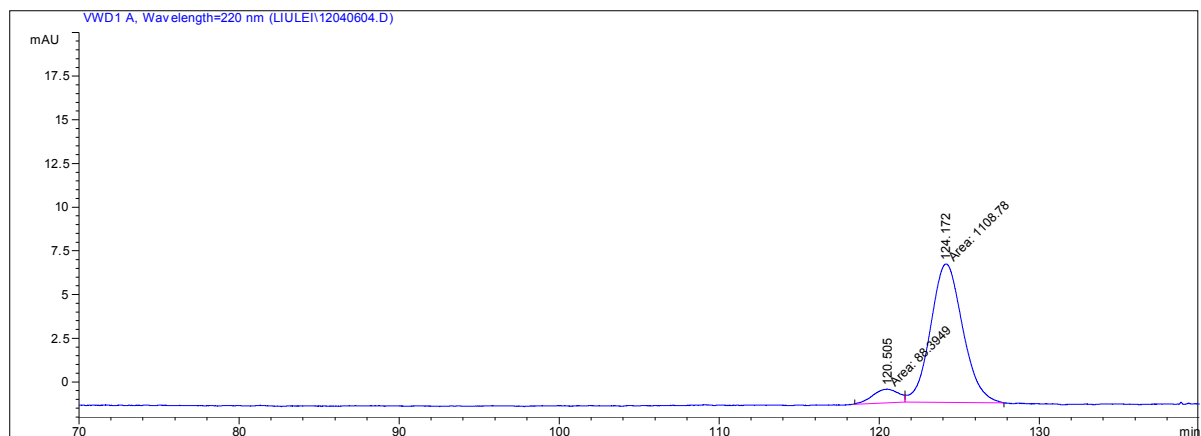
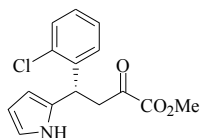


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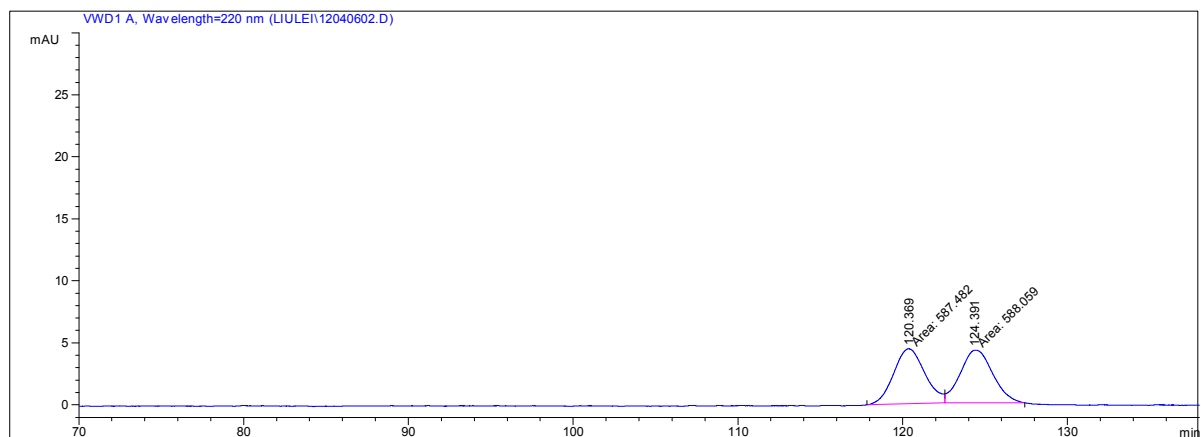


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH =80:20, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 85% ee

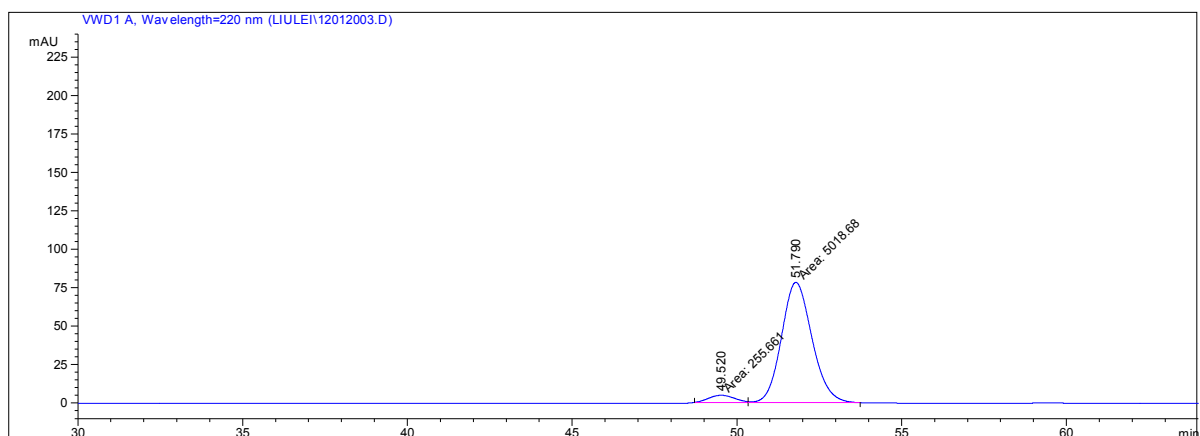
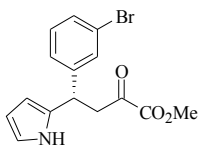


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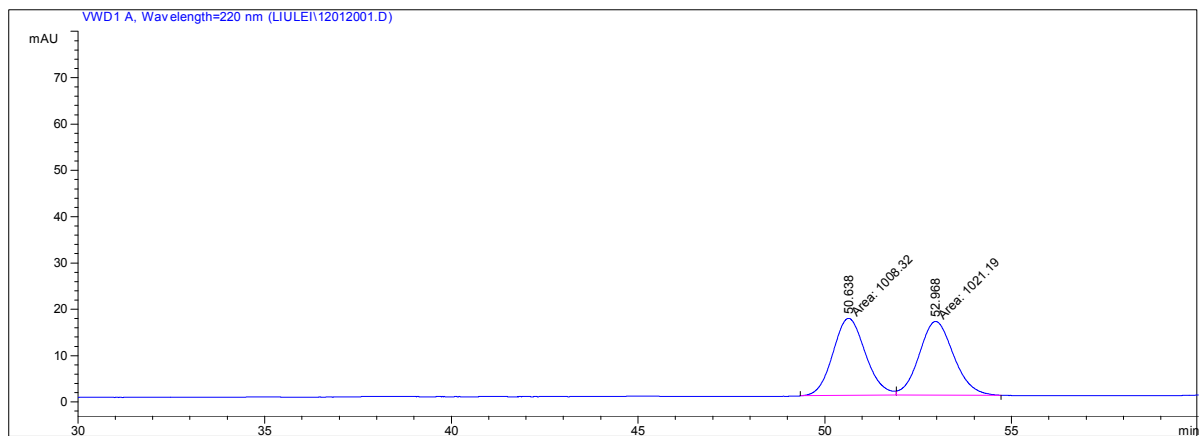


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 90% ee

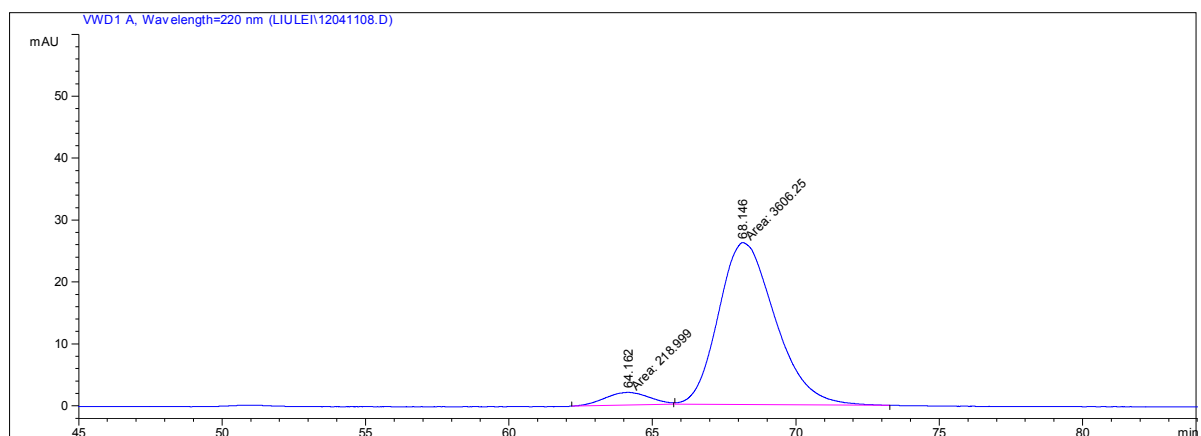
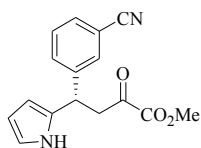


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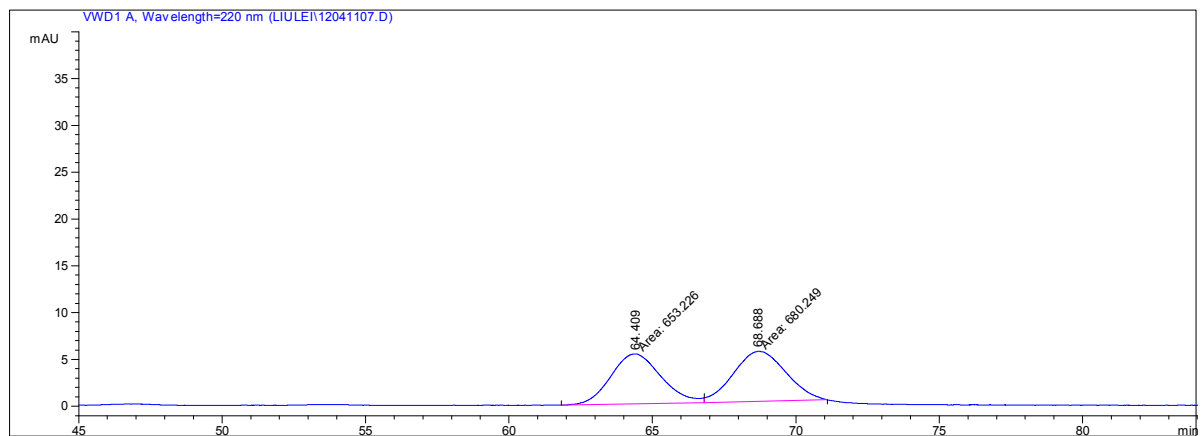


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Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane / *i*-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 88% ee

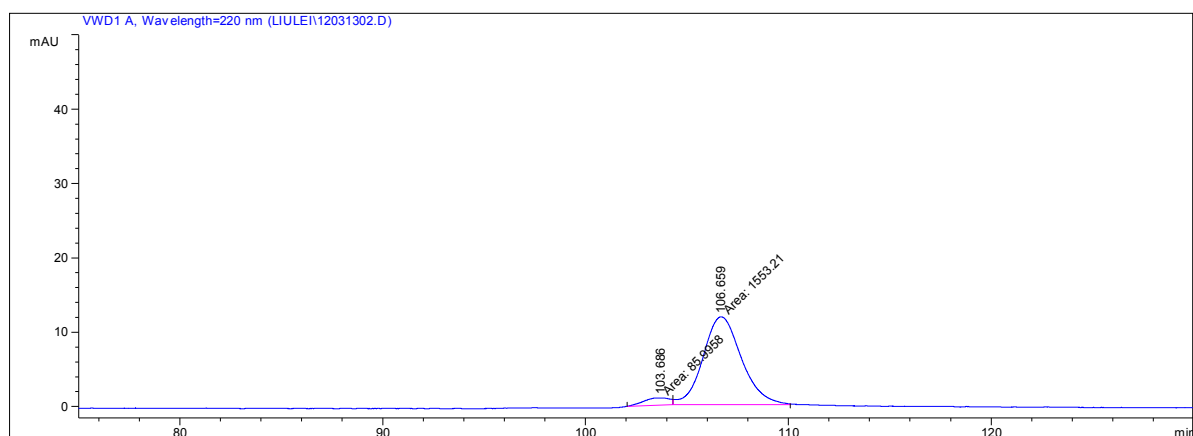
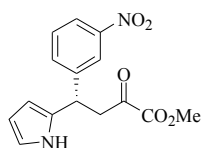


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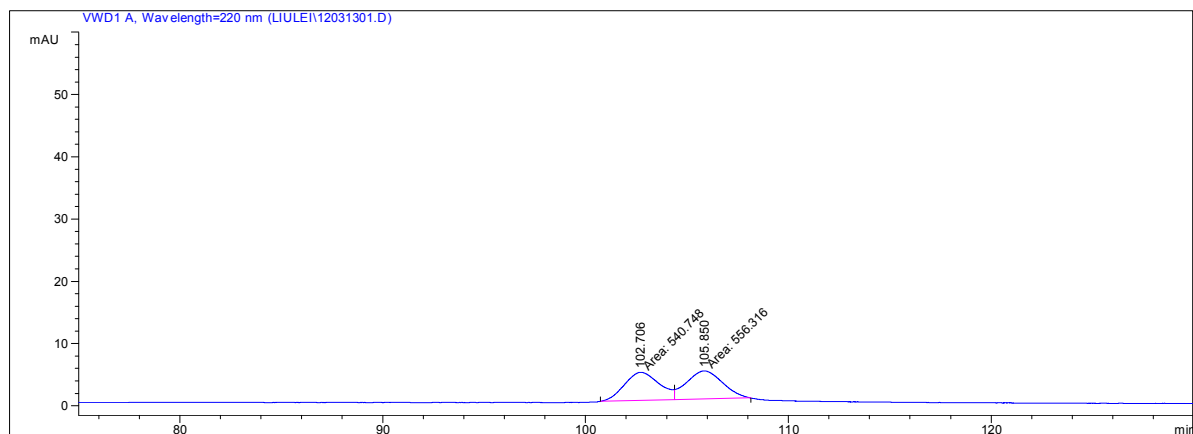


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane / i-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 89% ee

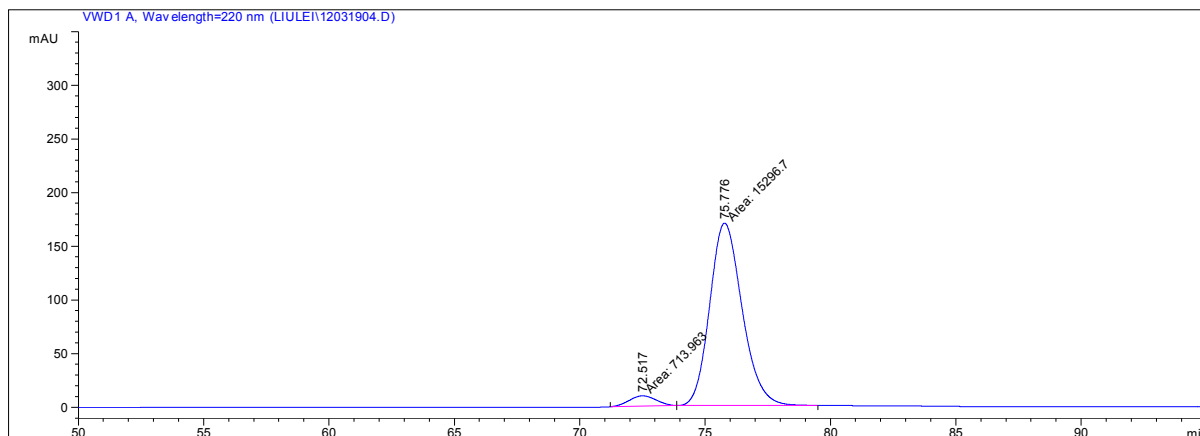
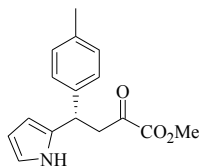


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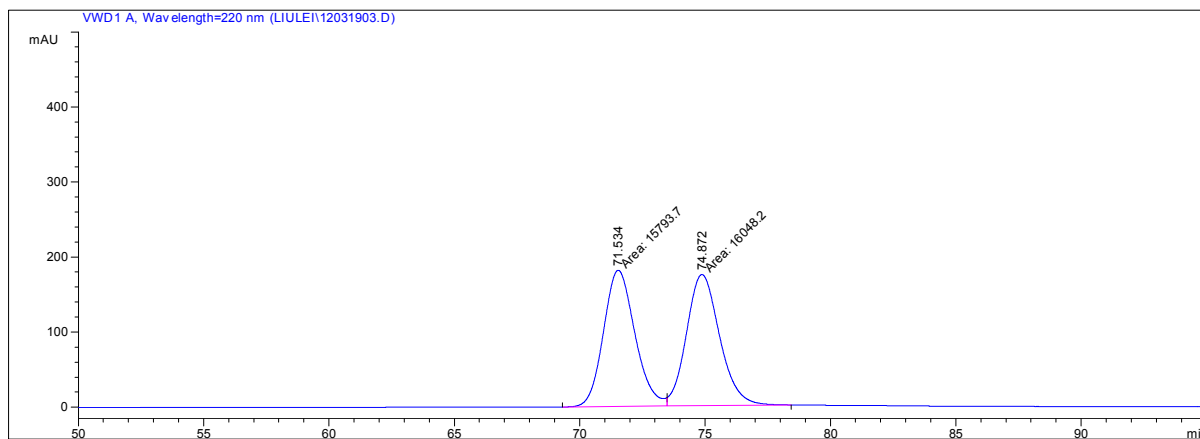


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 97:3, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 91% ee

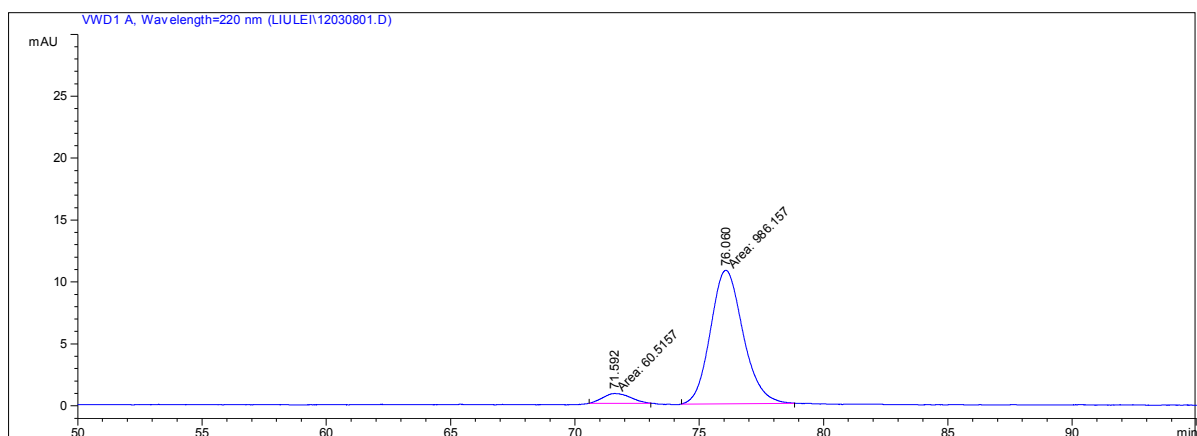
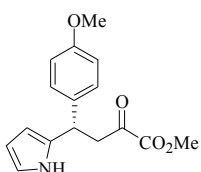


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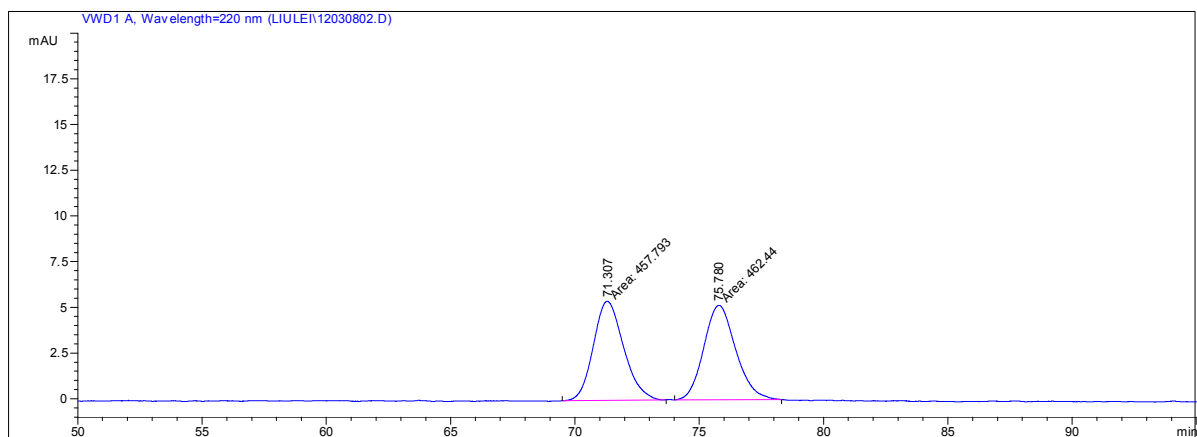


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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 88% ee

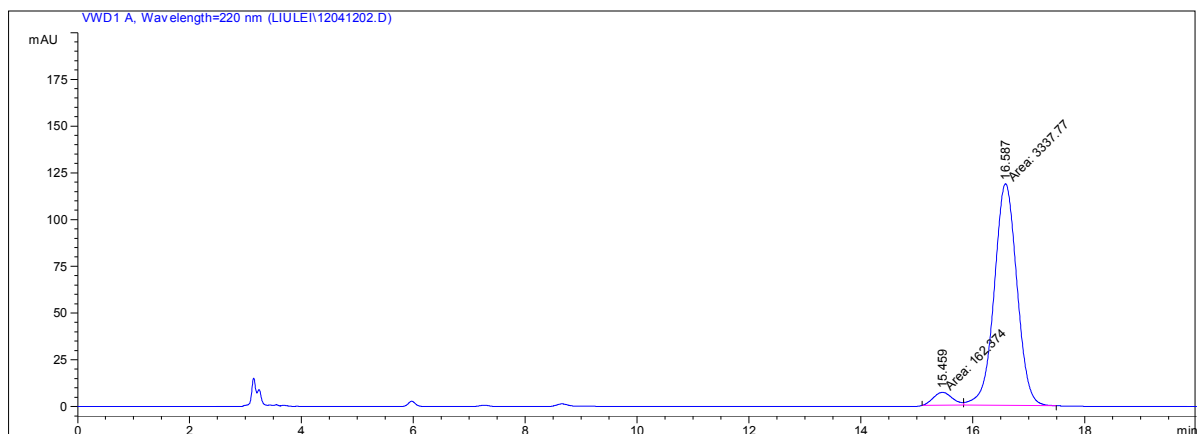
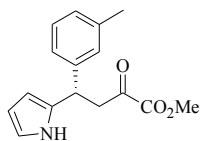


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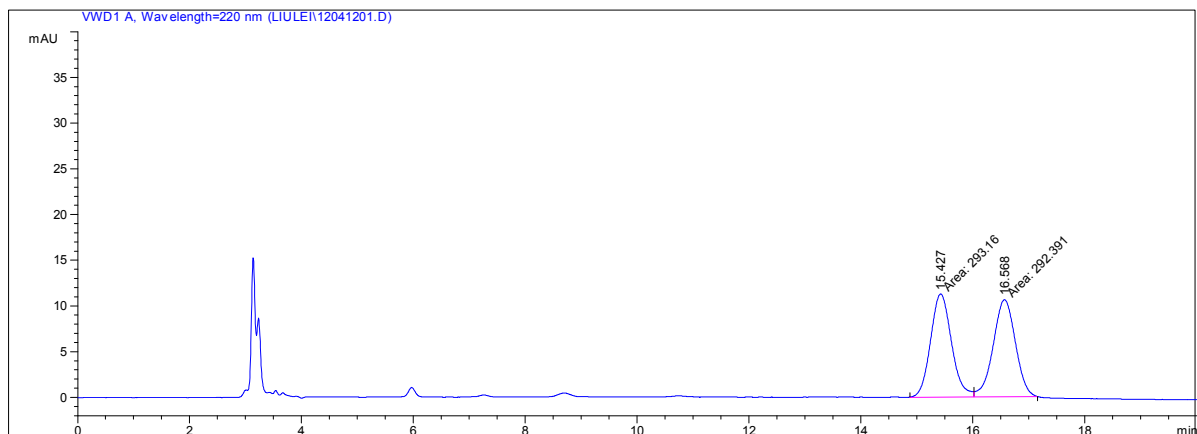


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Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 220 nm; 90% ee



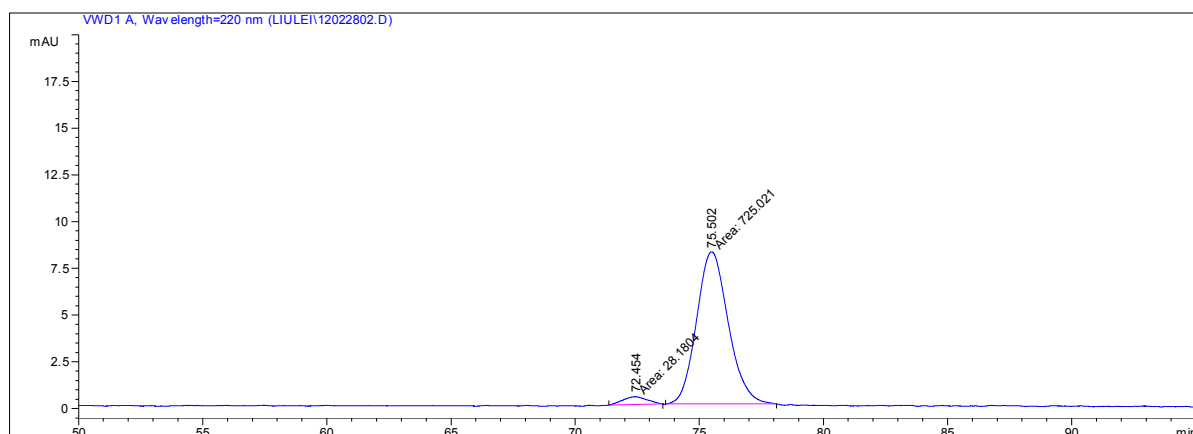
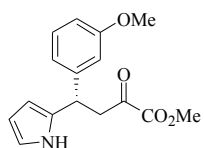
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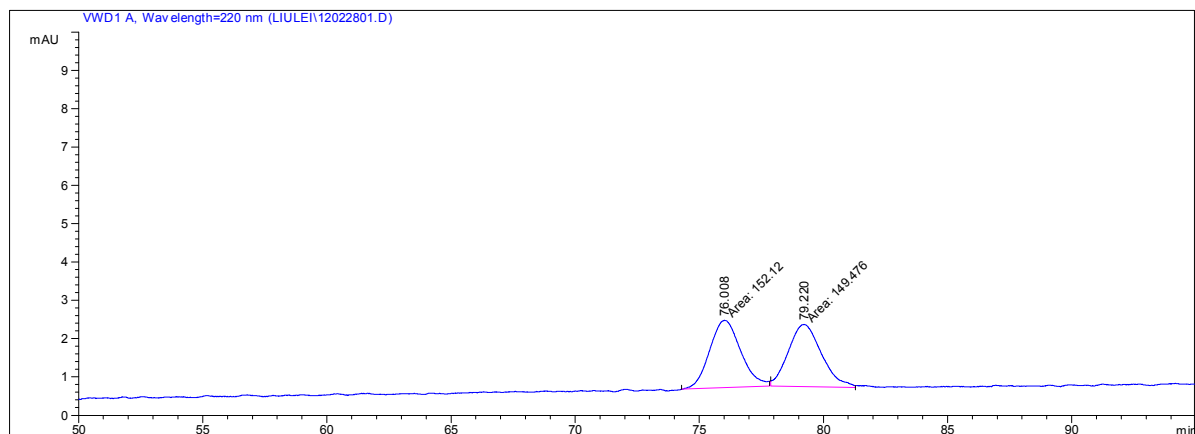
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.5 mL/min, 220 nm; 92% ee

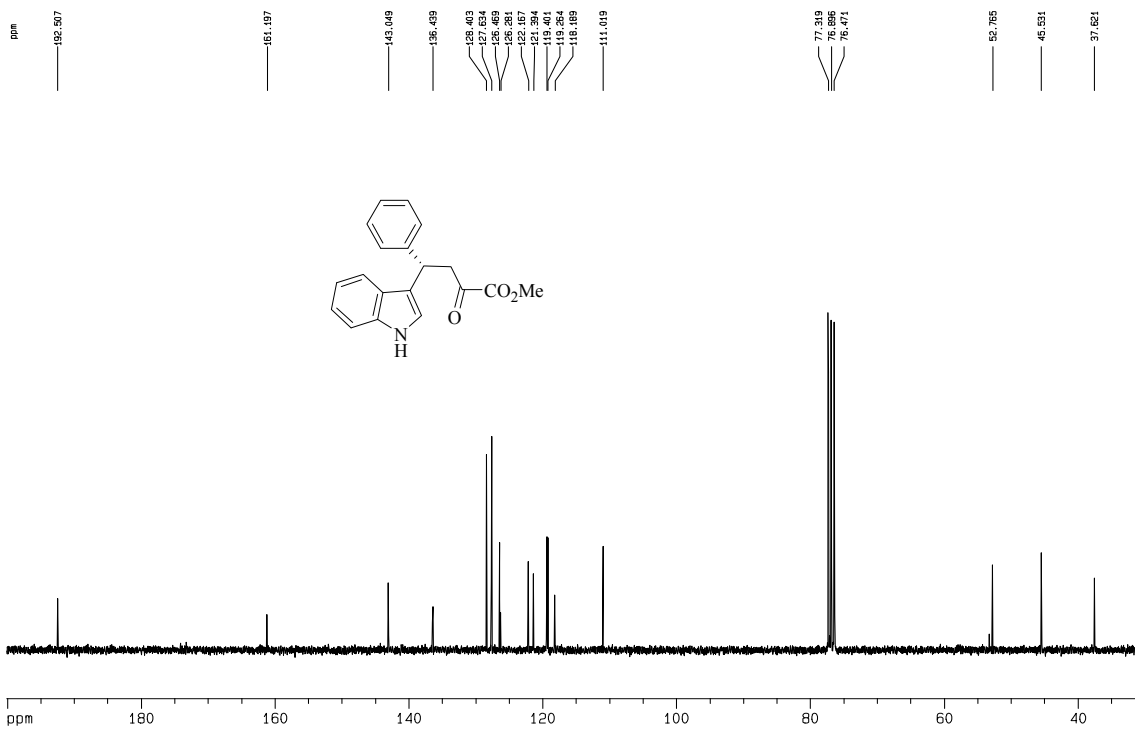
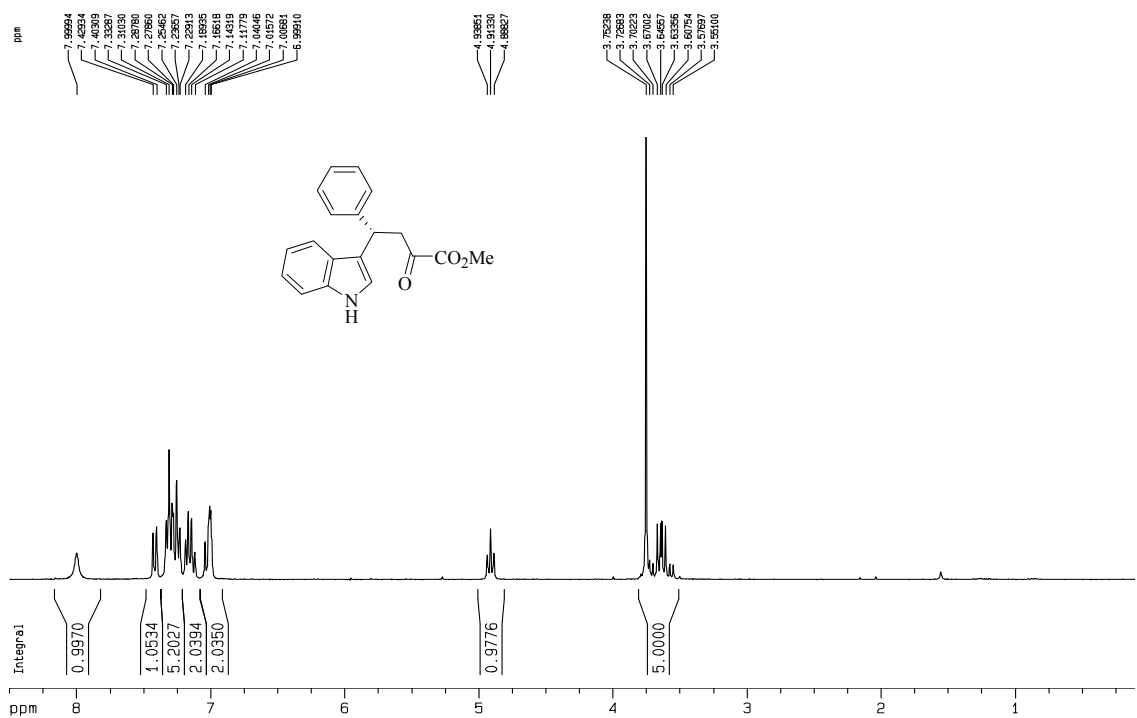


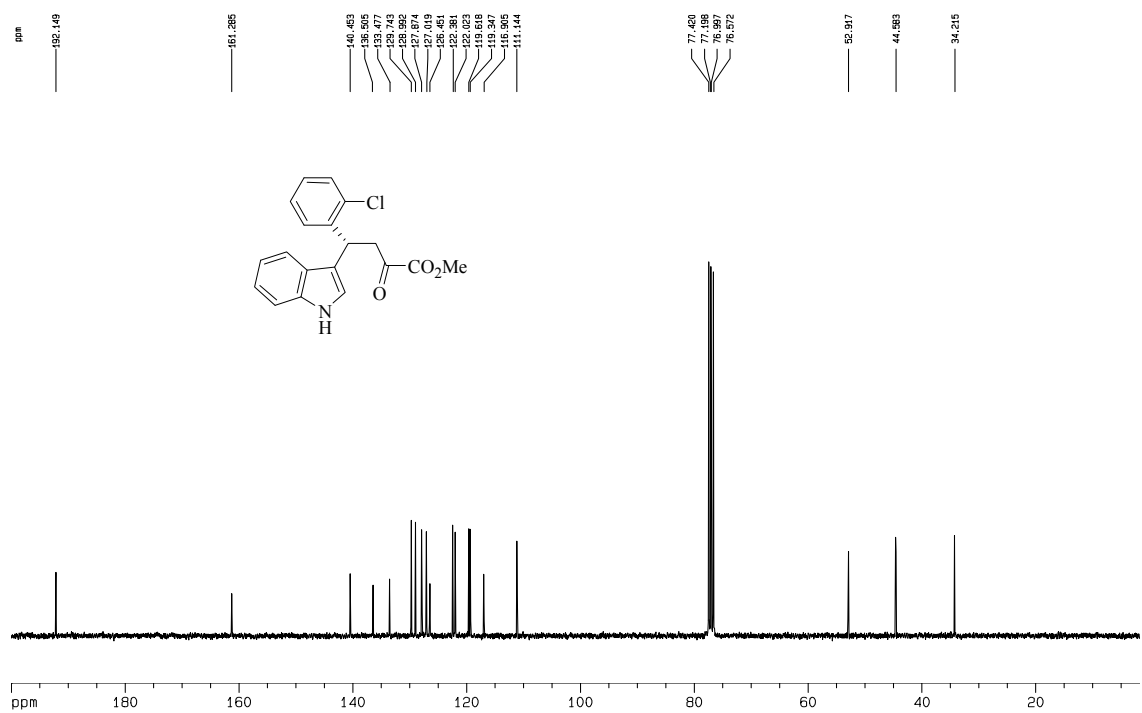
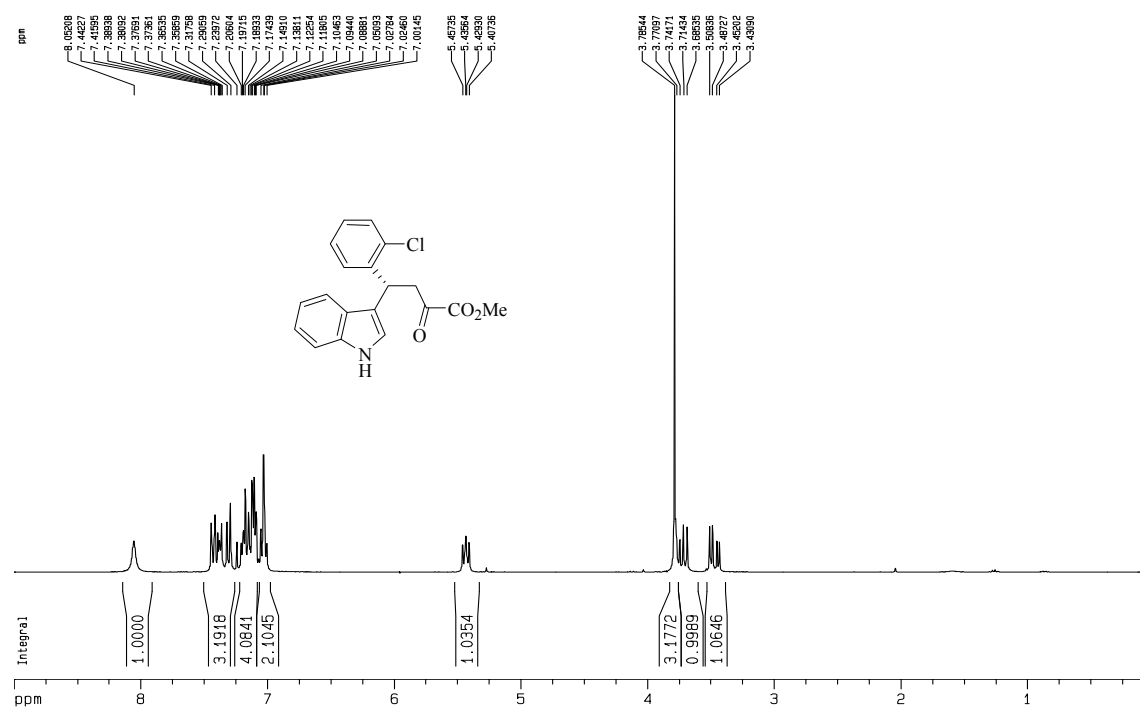
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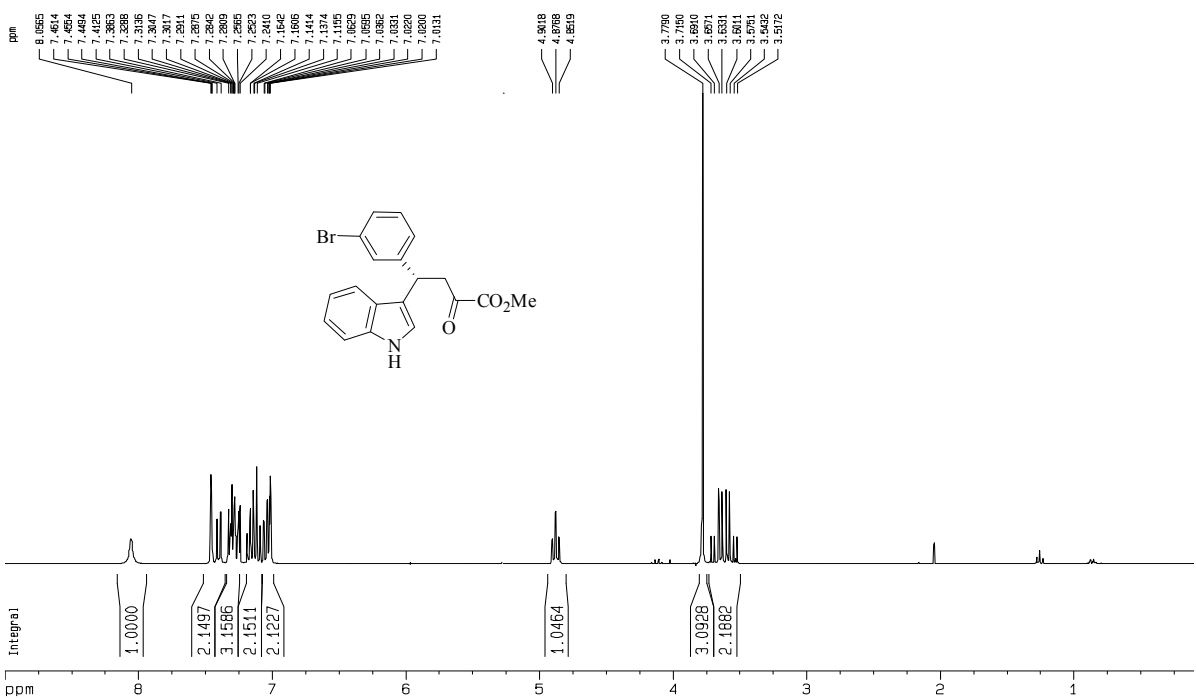


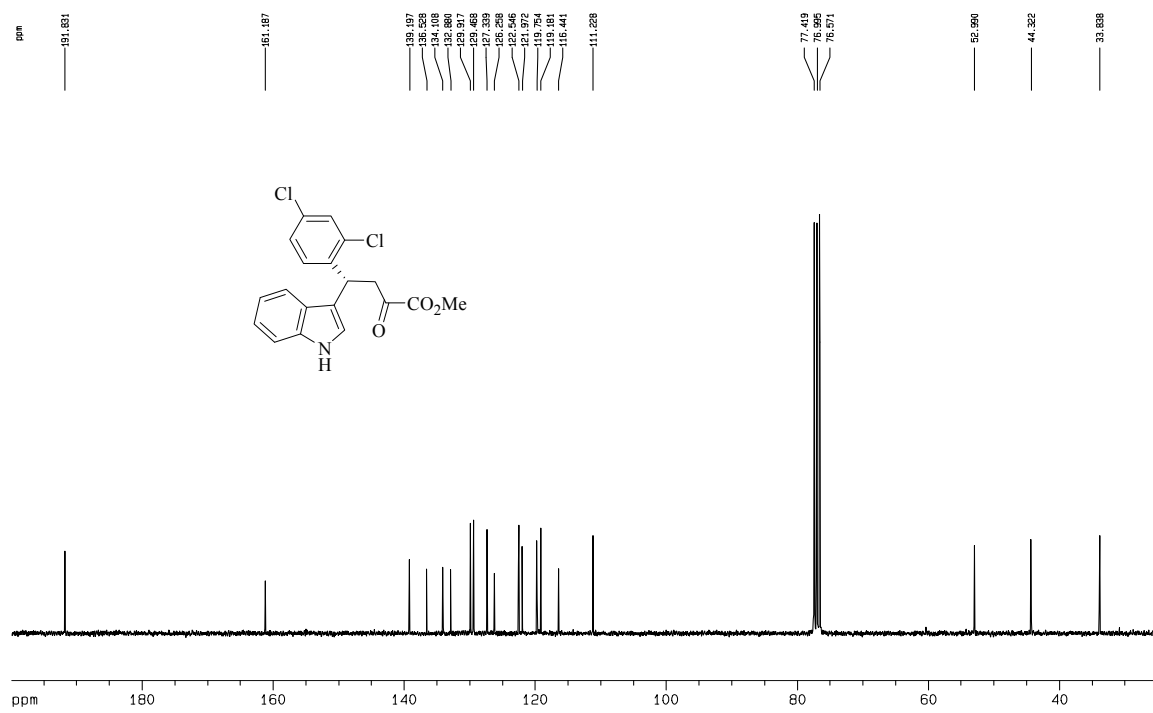
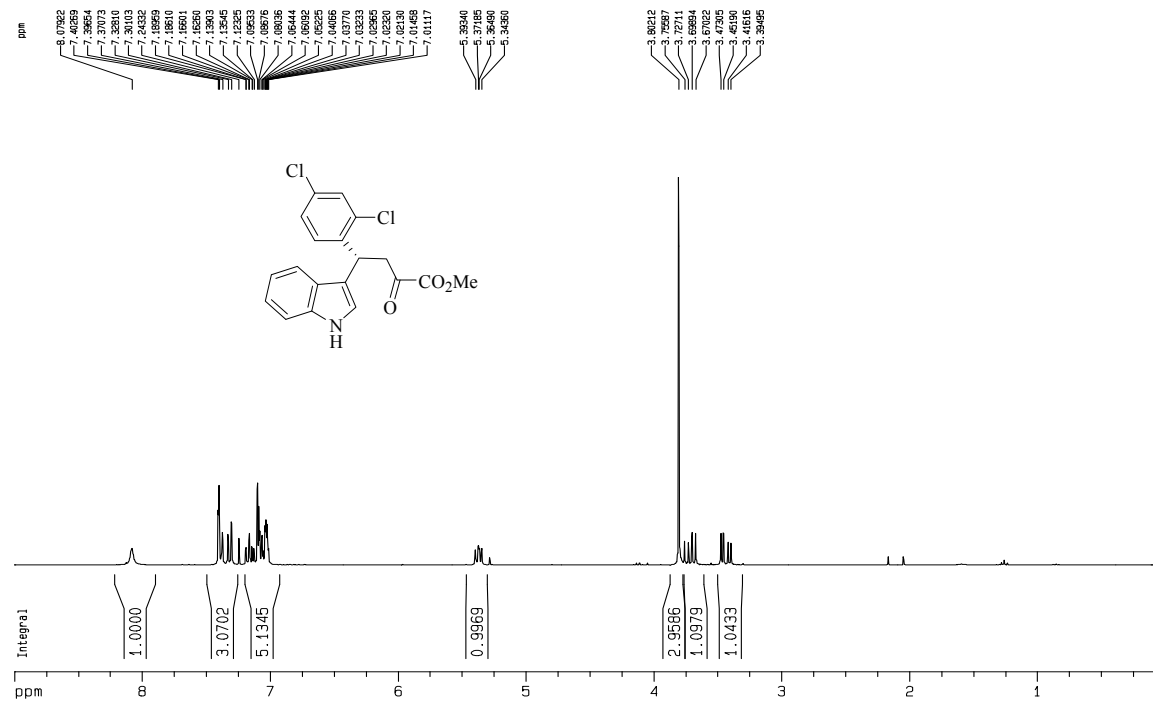
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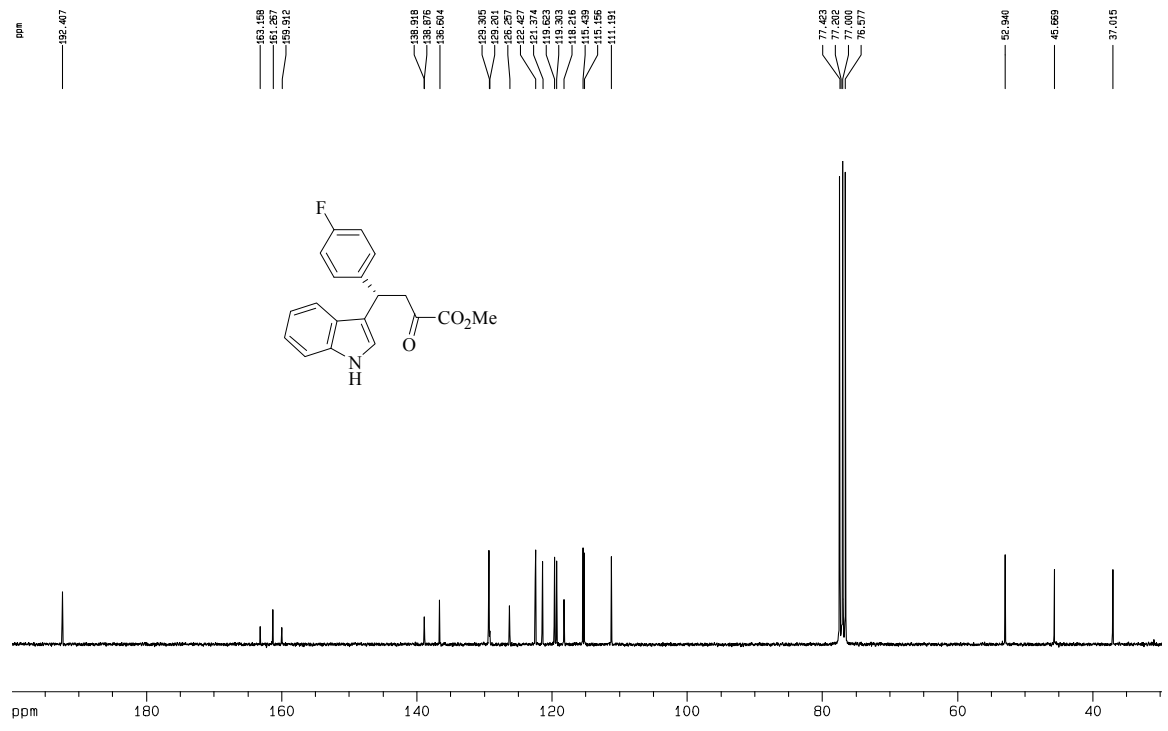
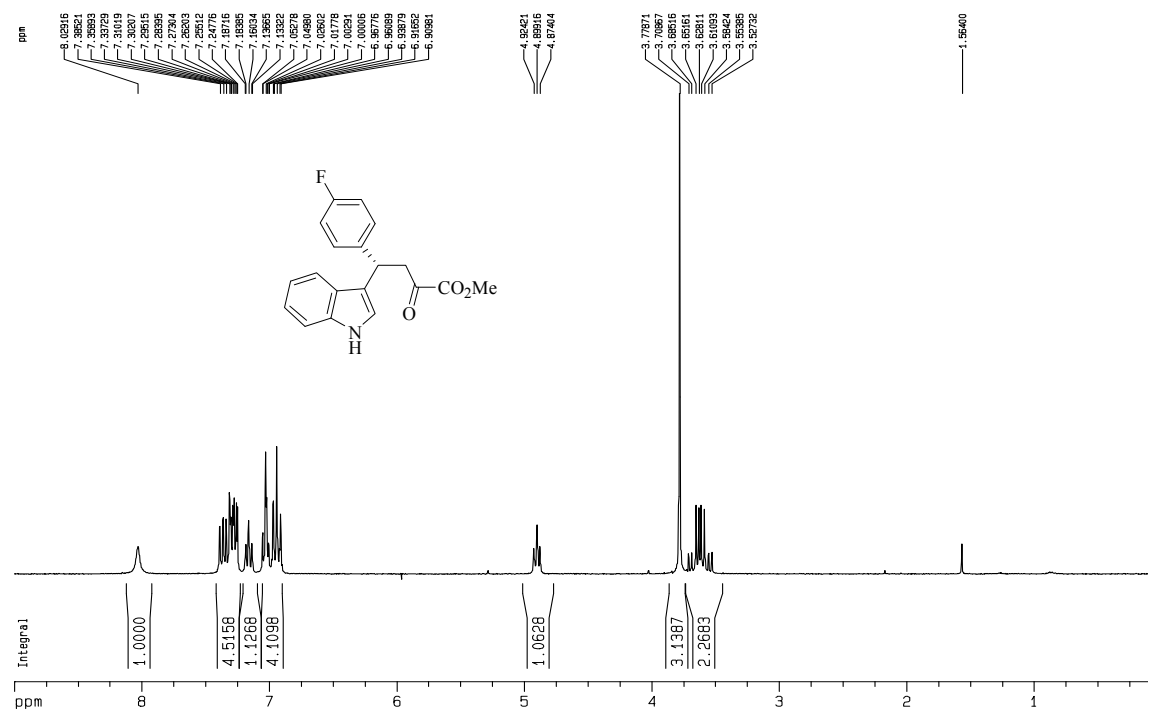
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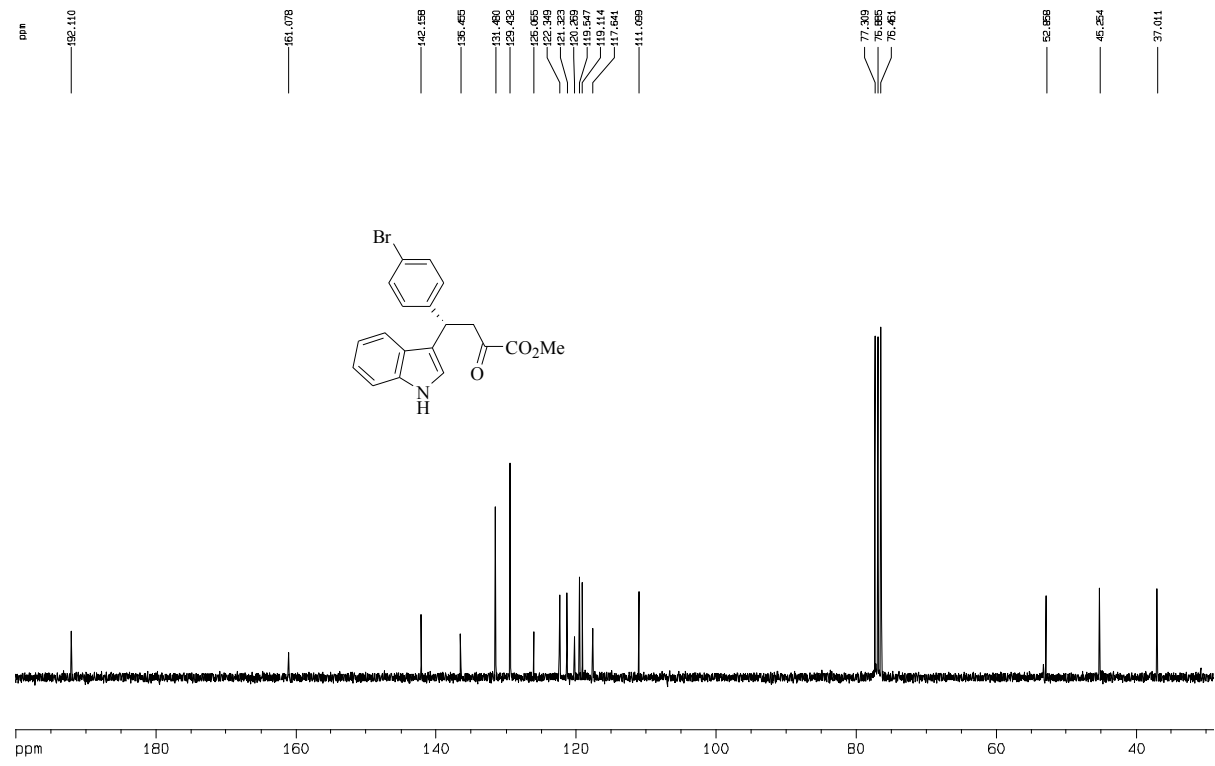
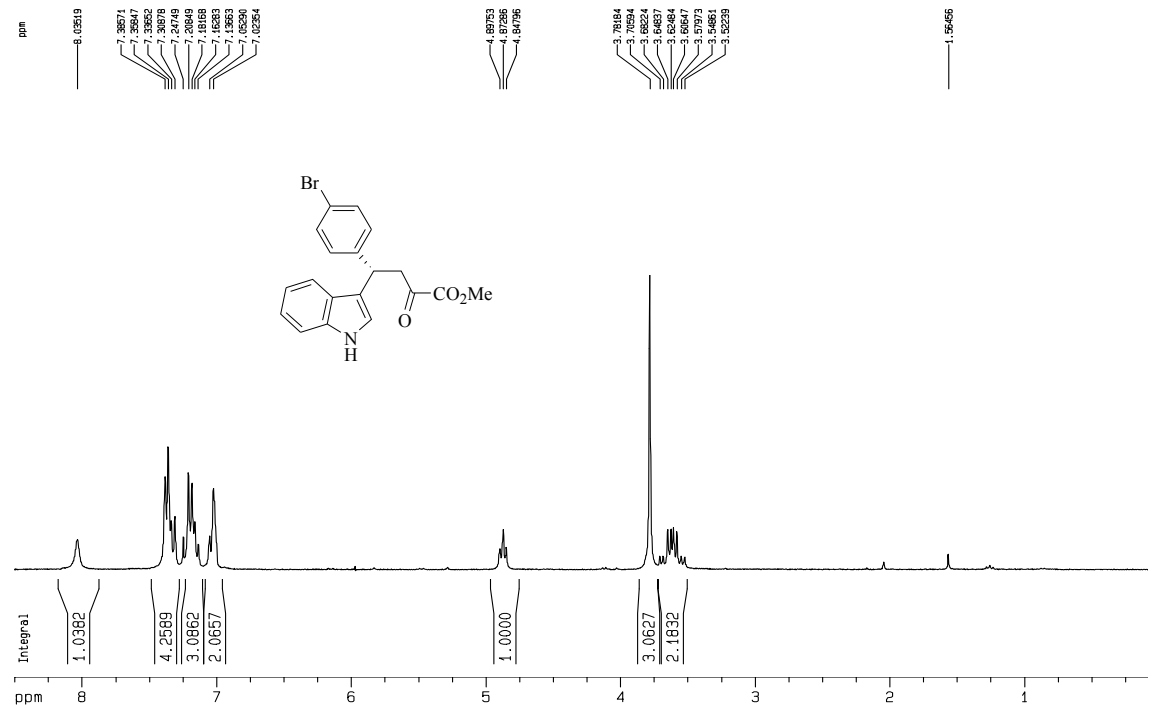


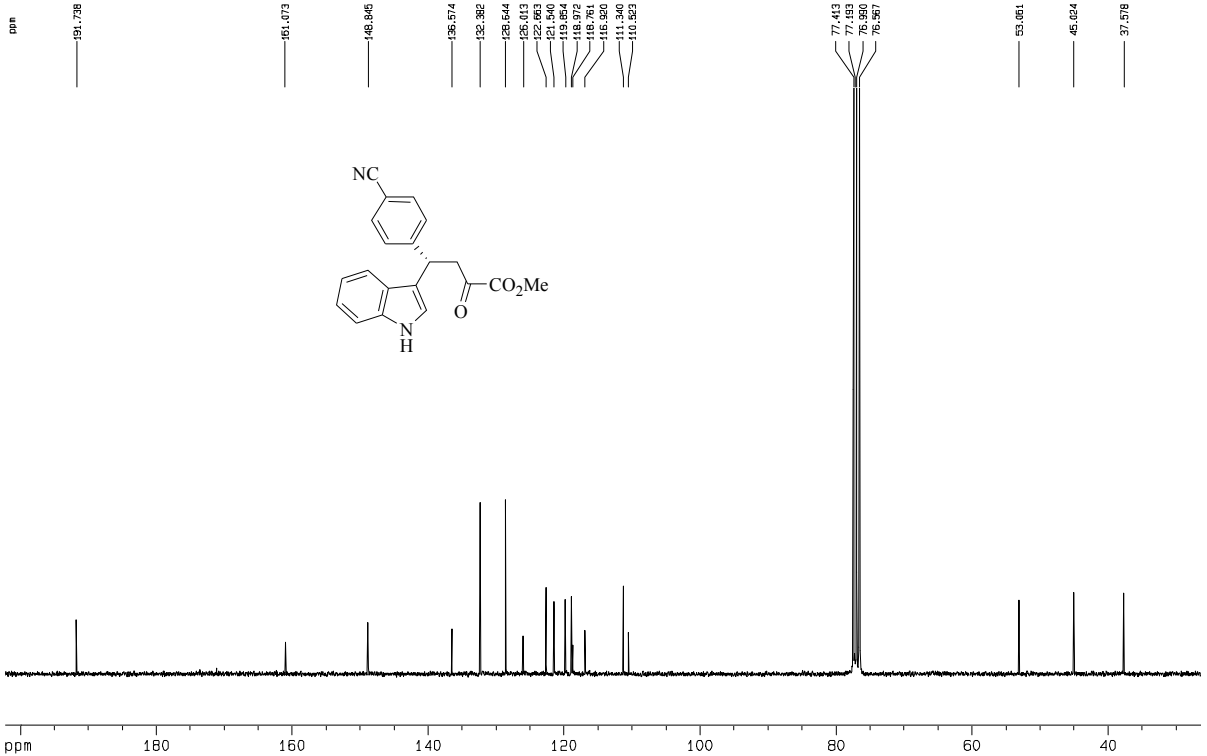
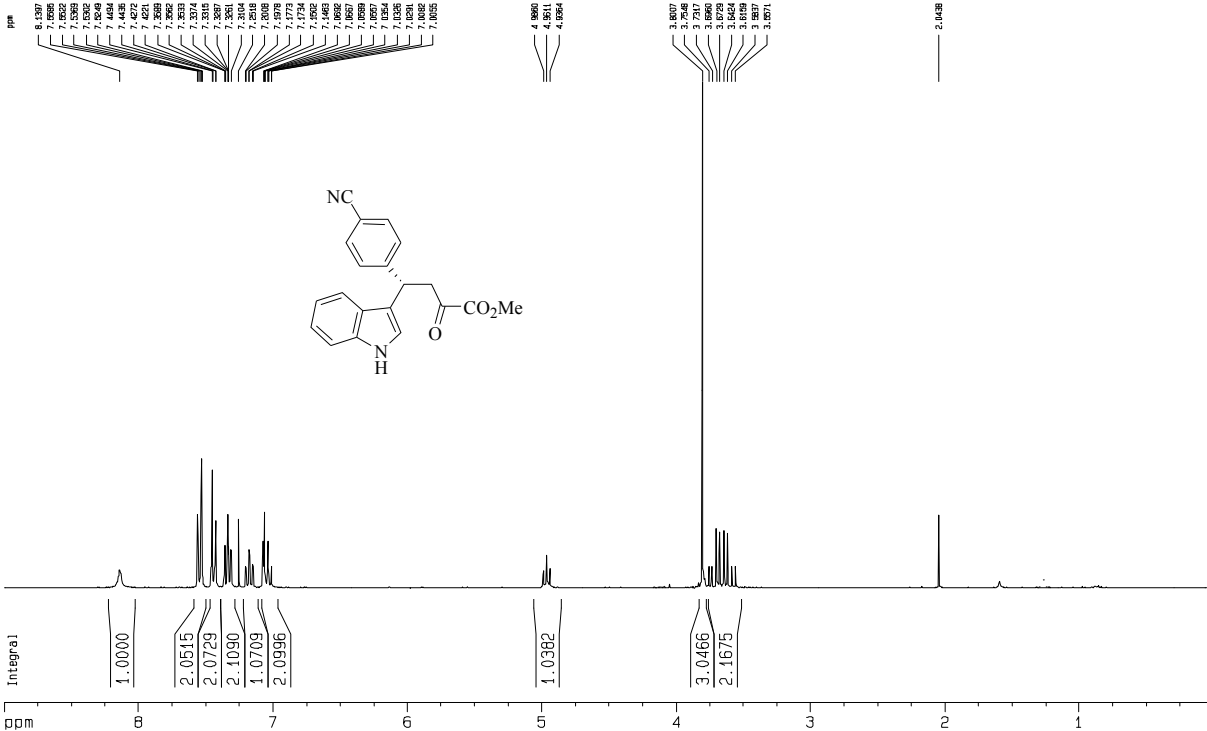




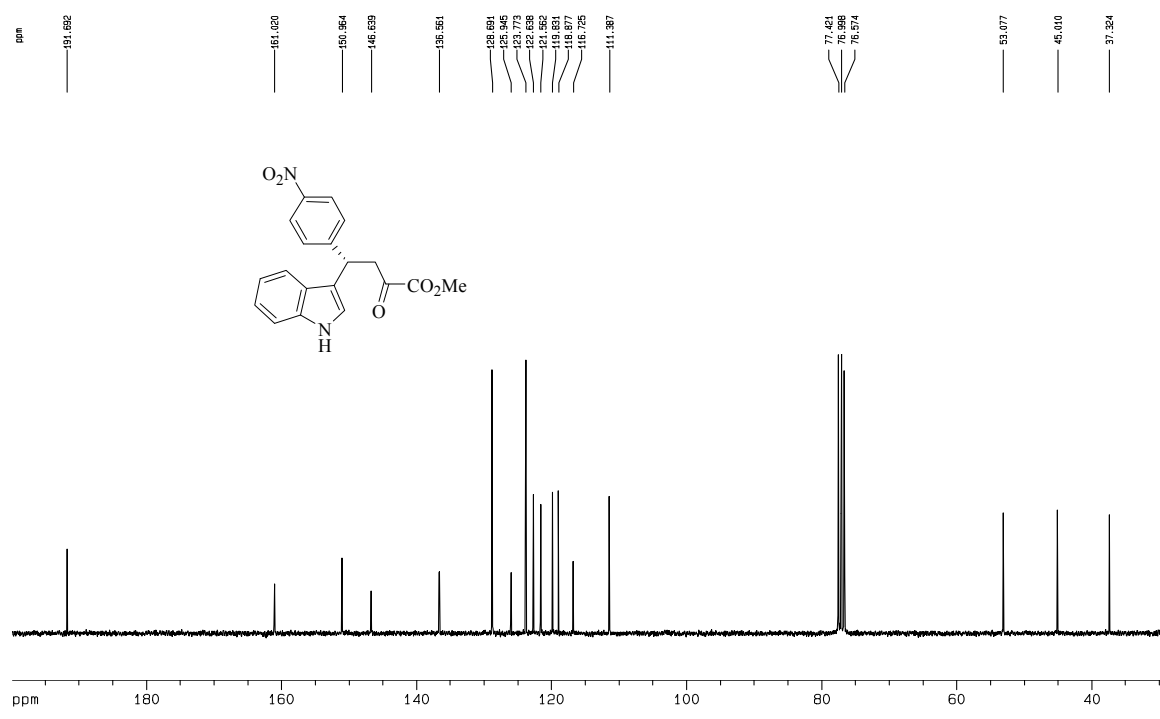
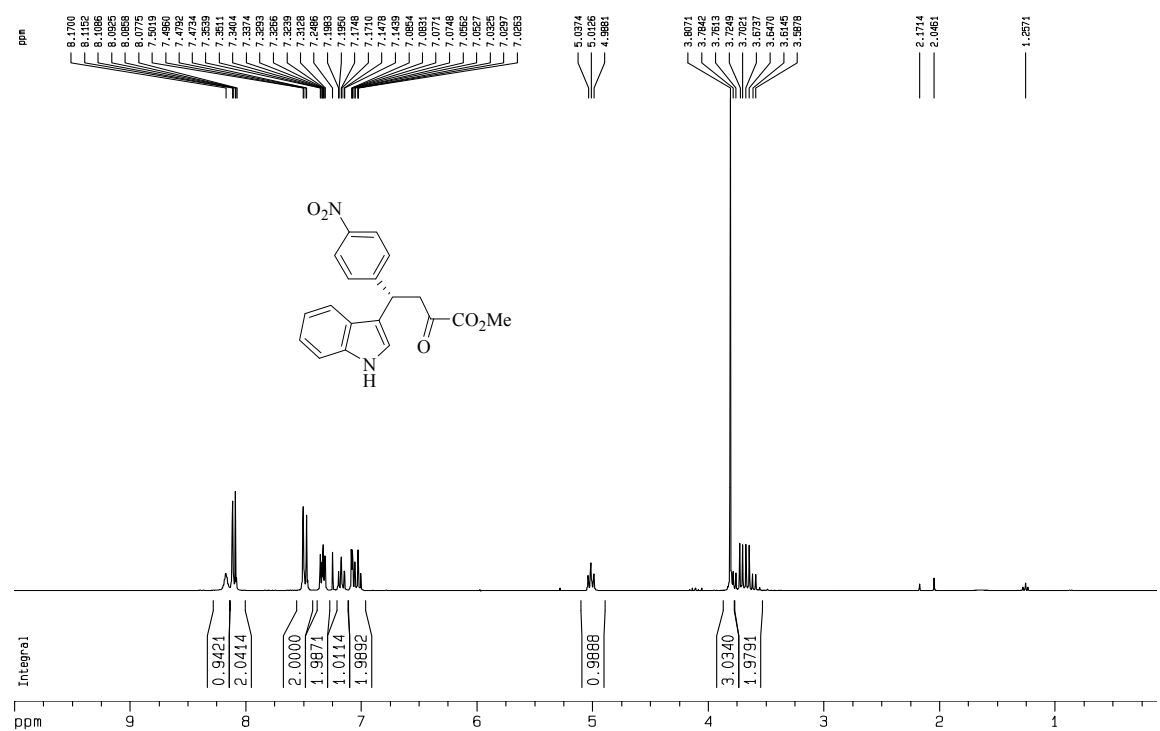


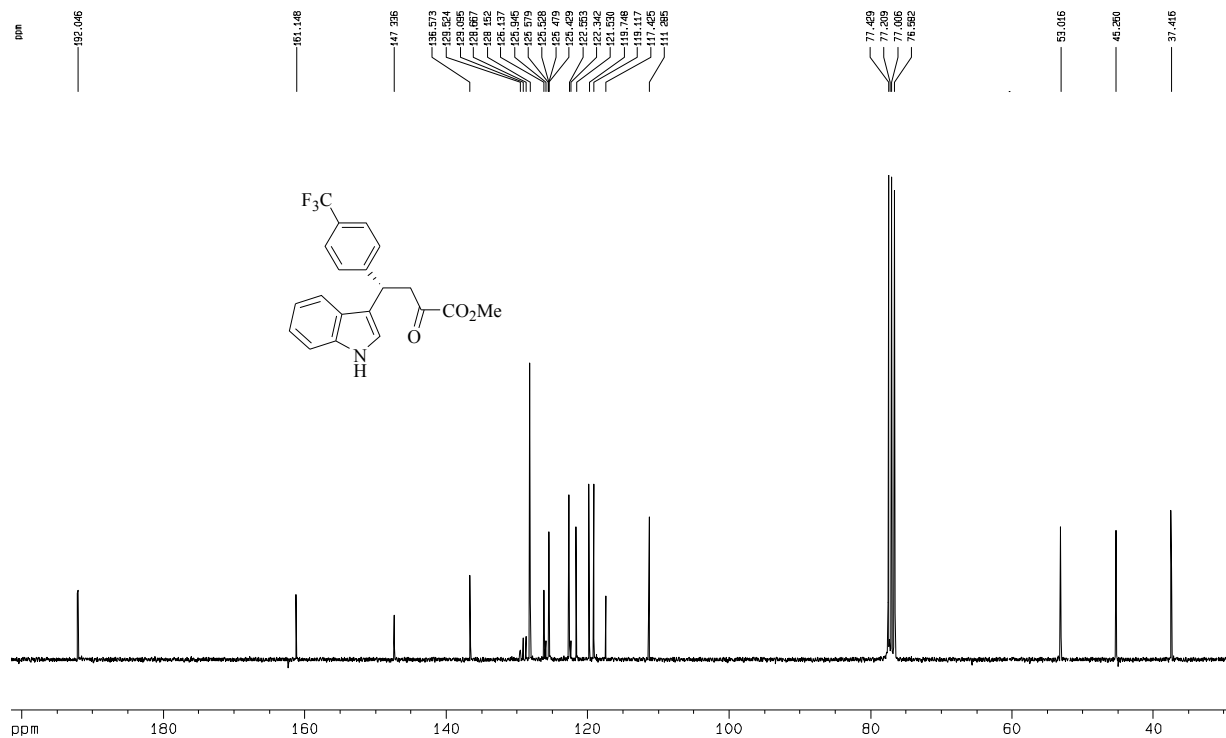
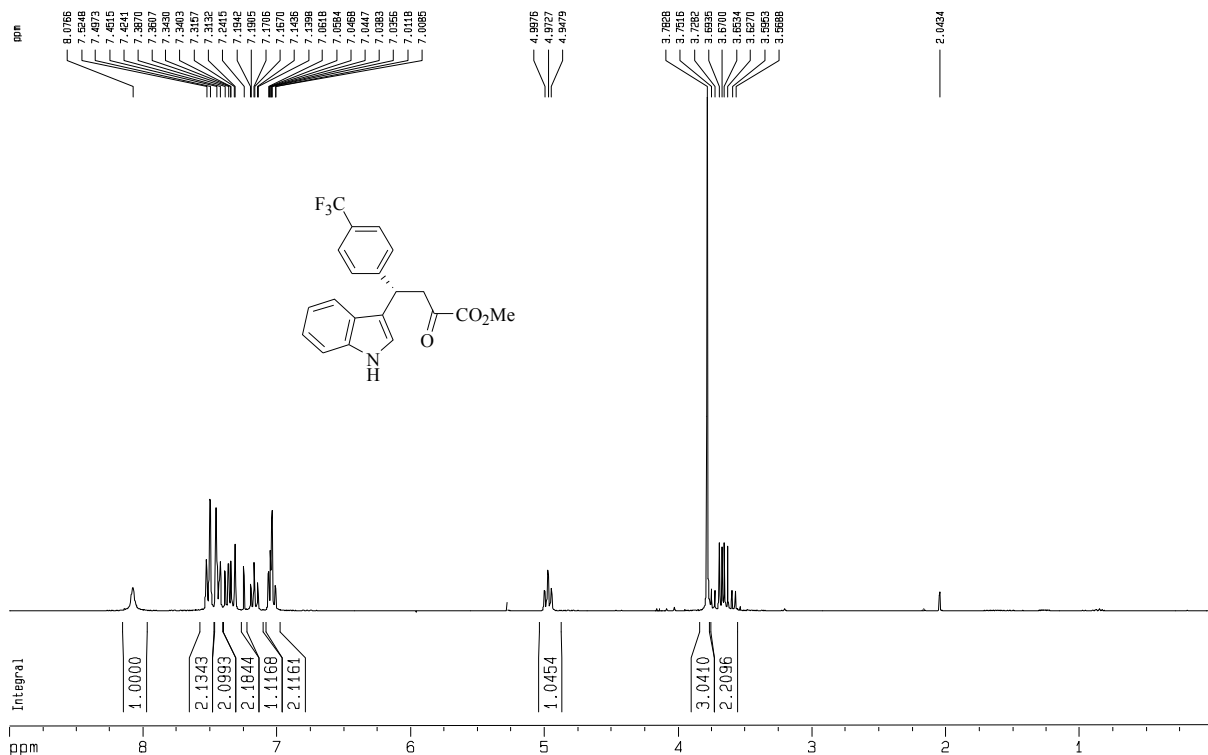


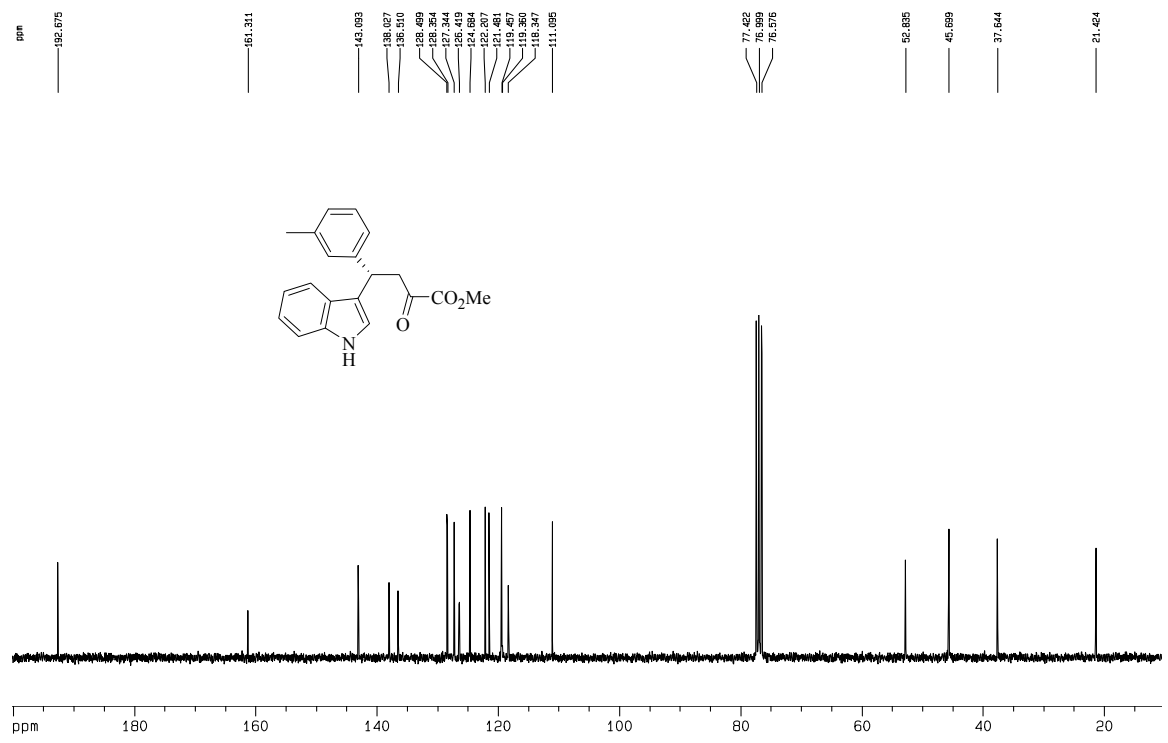
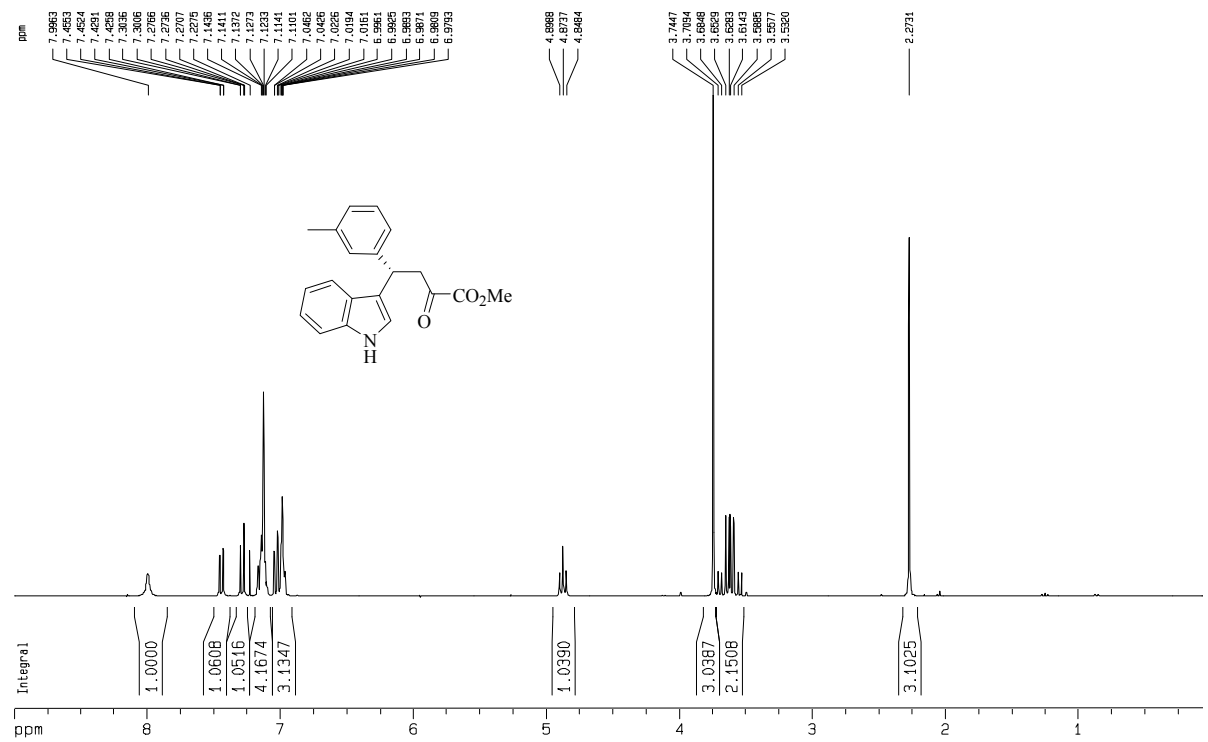


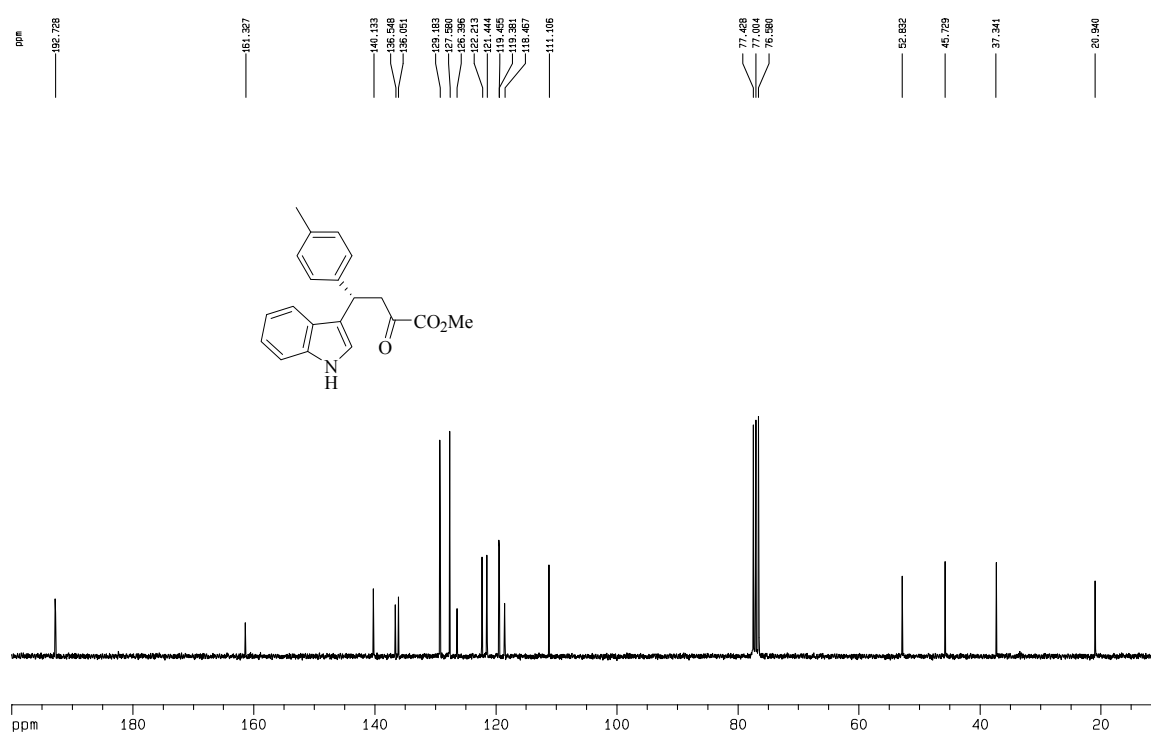
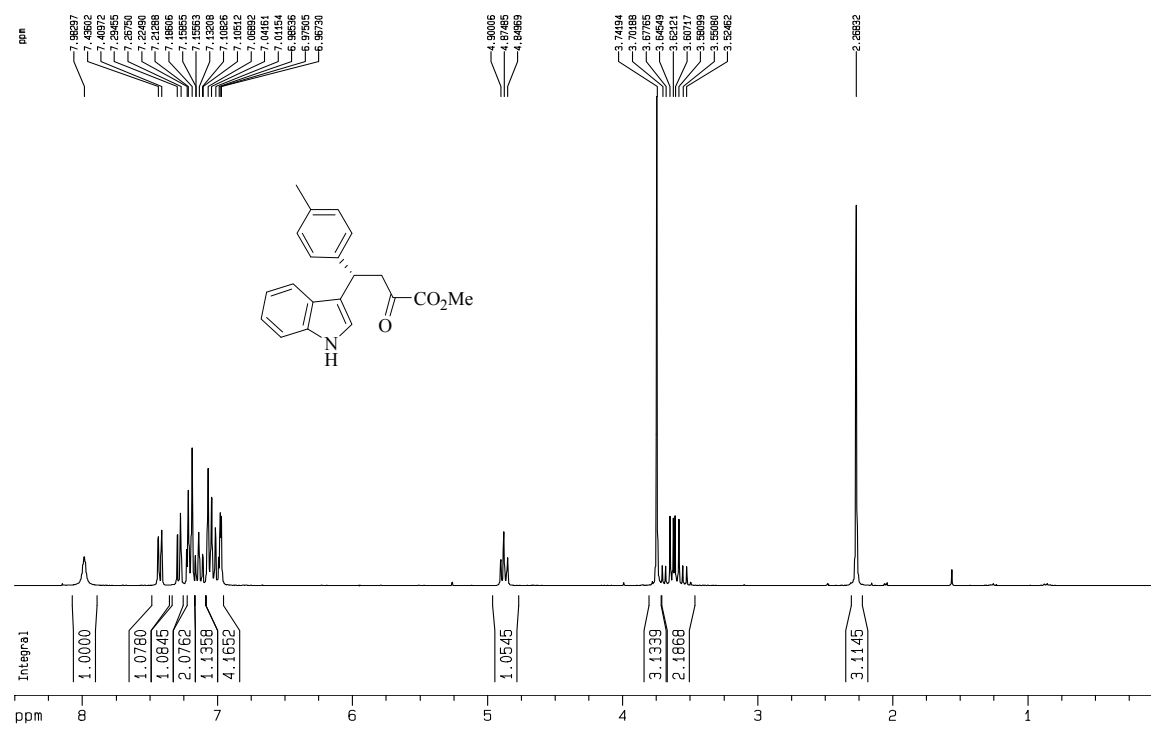


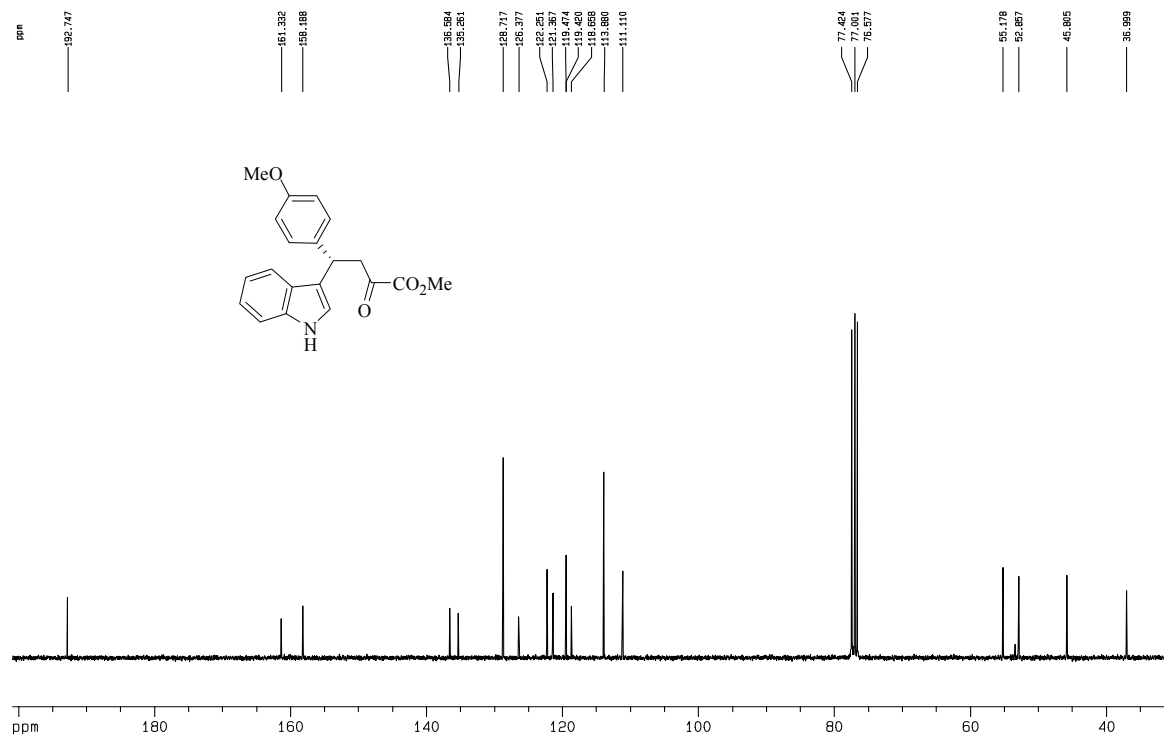
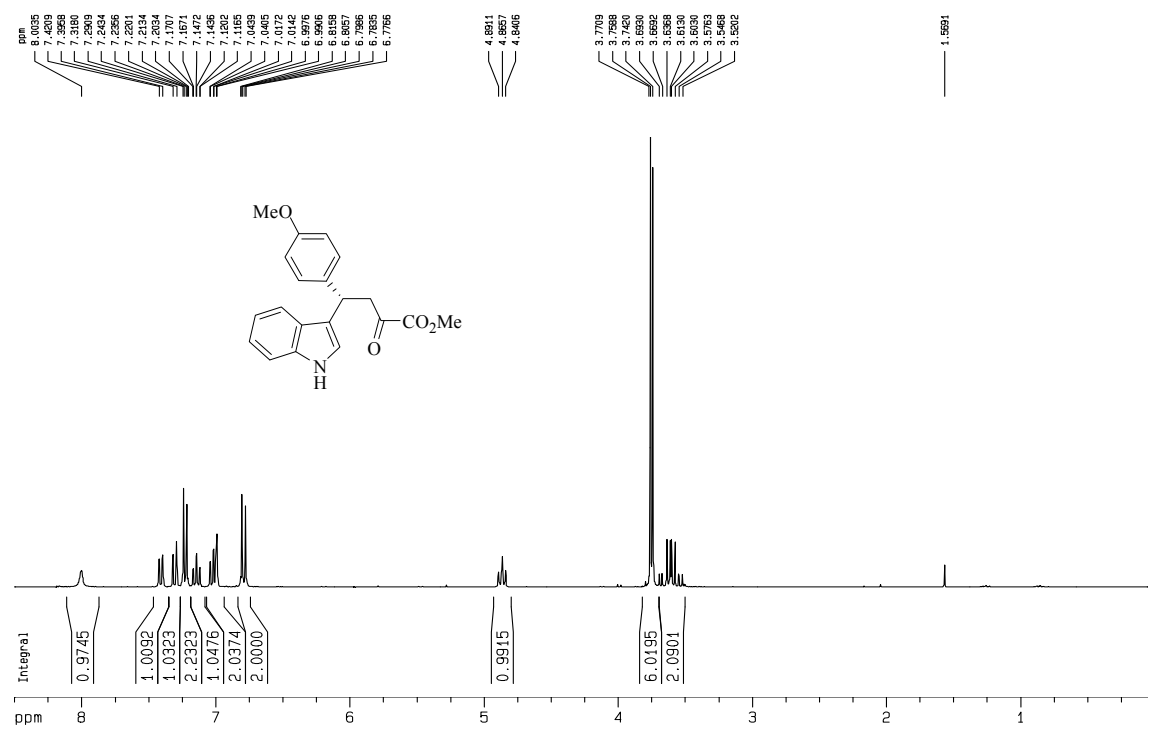




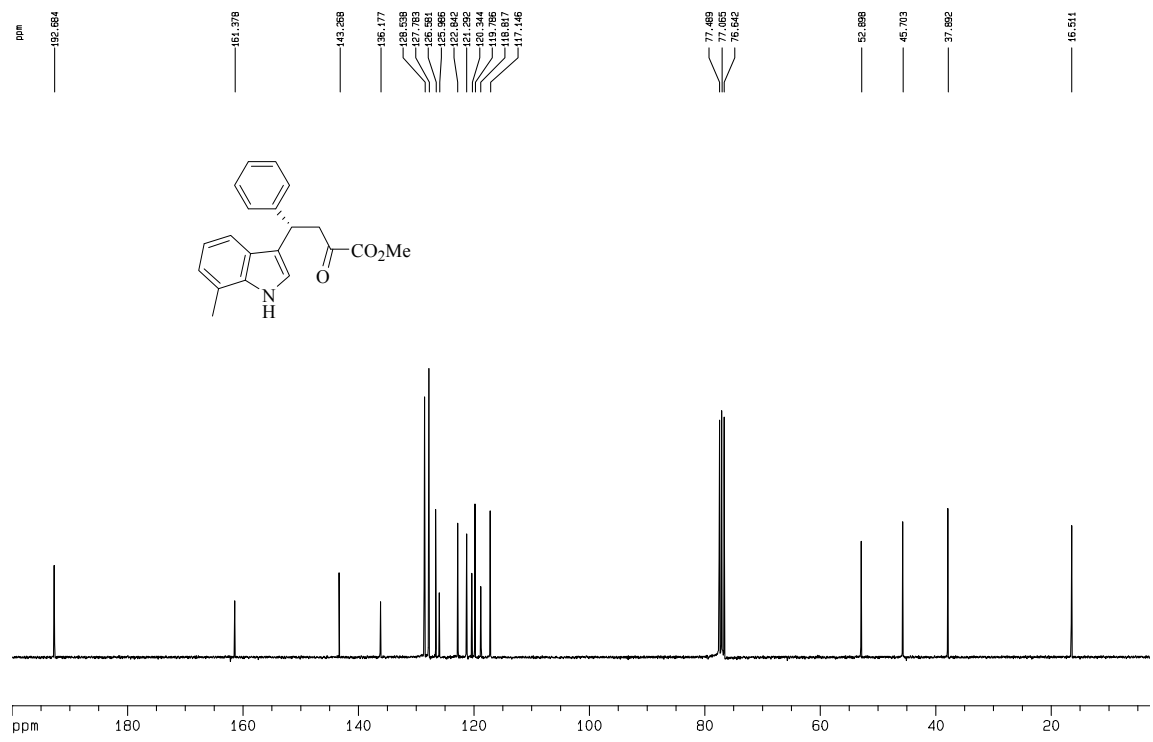
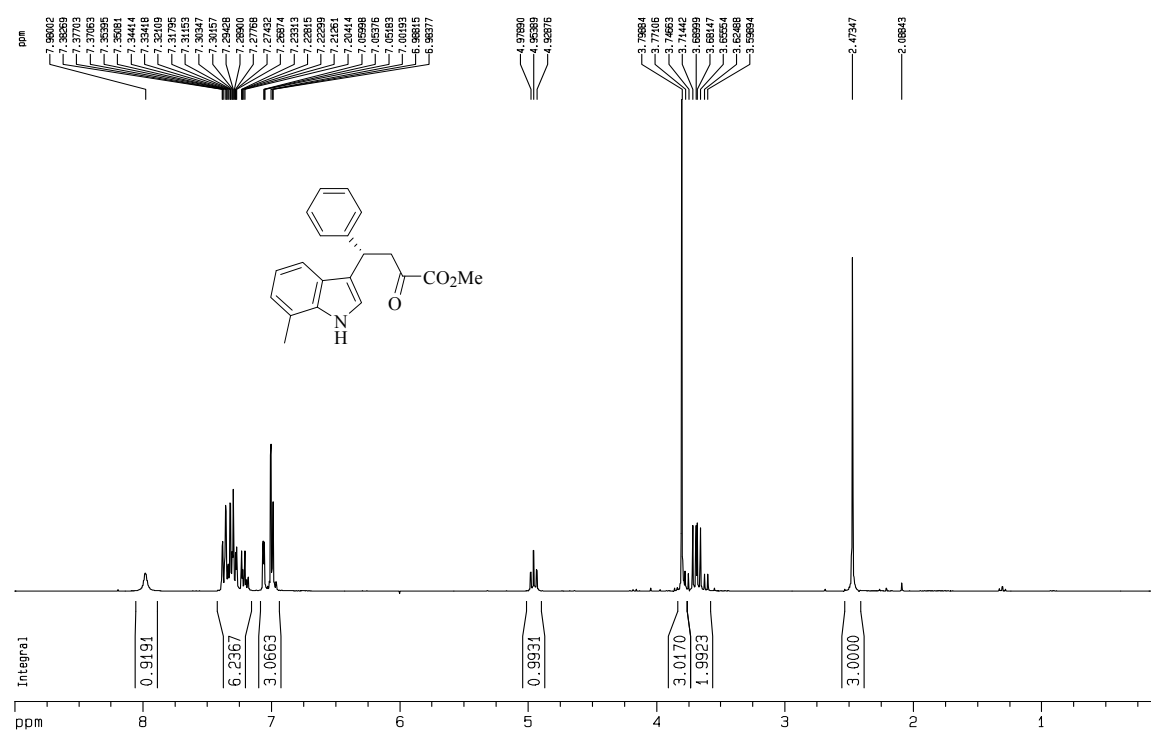


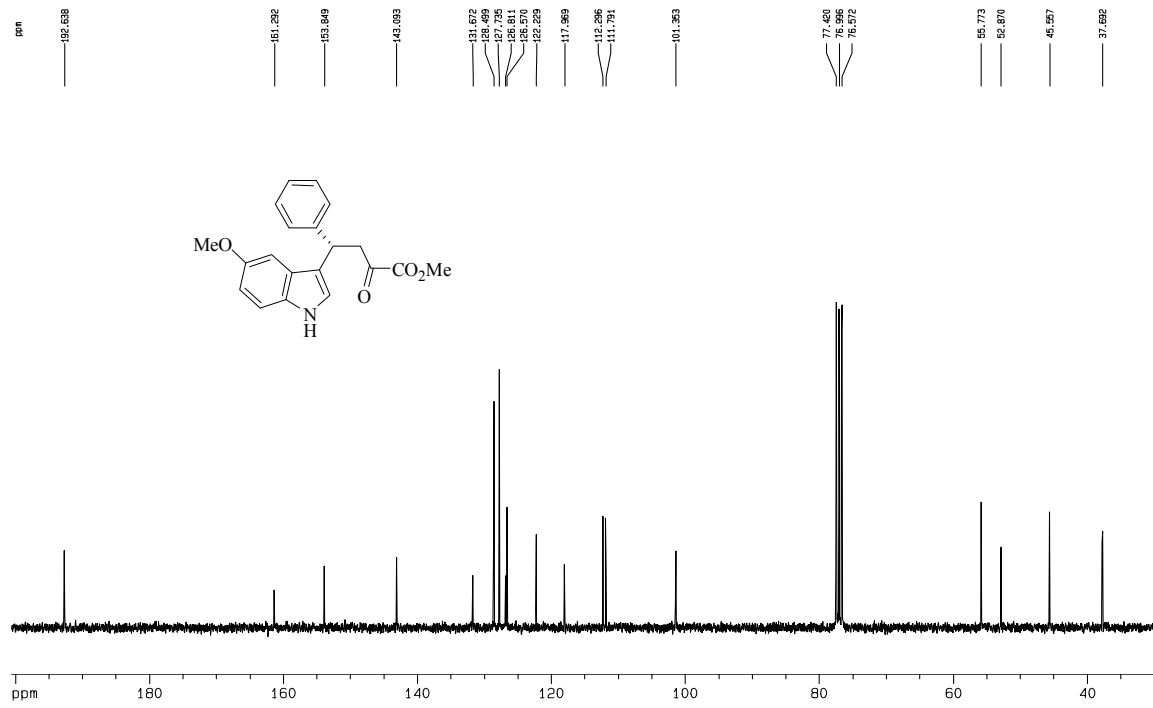
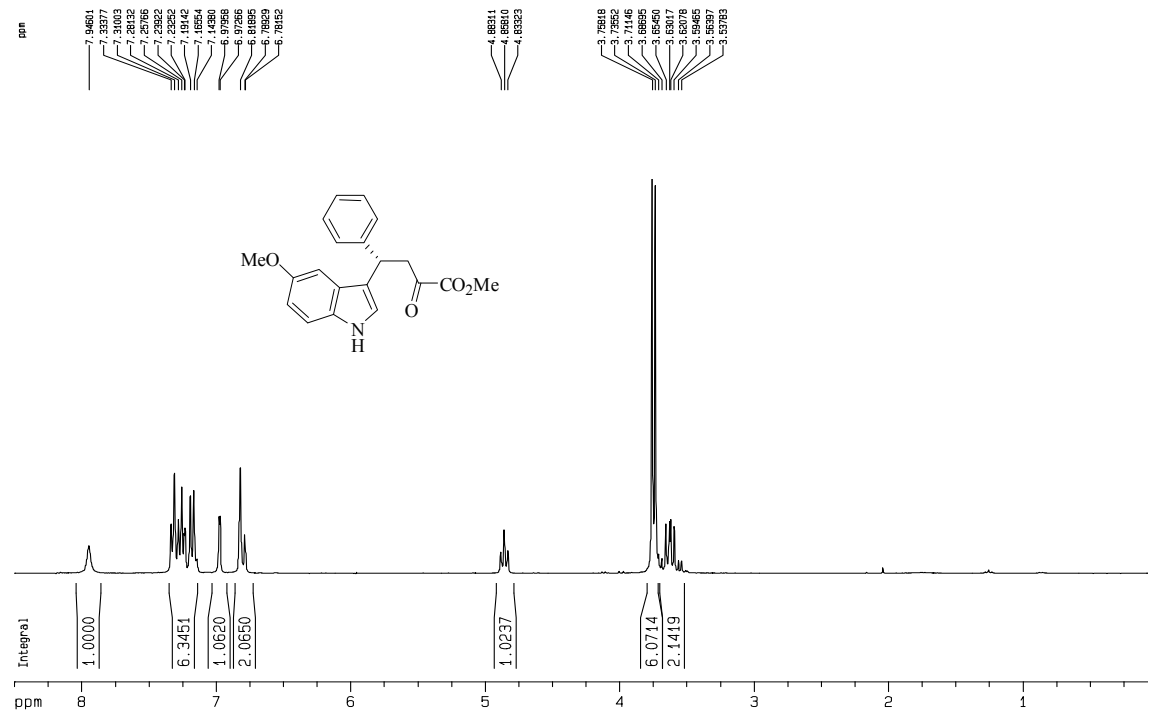




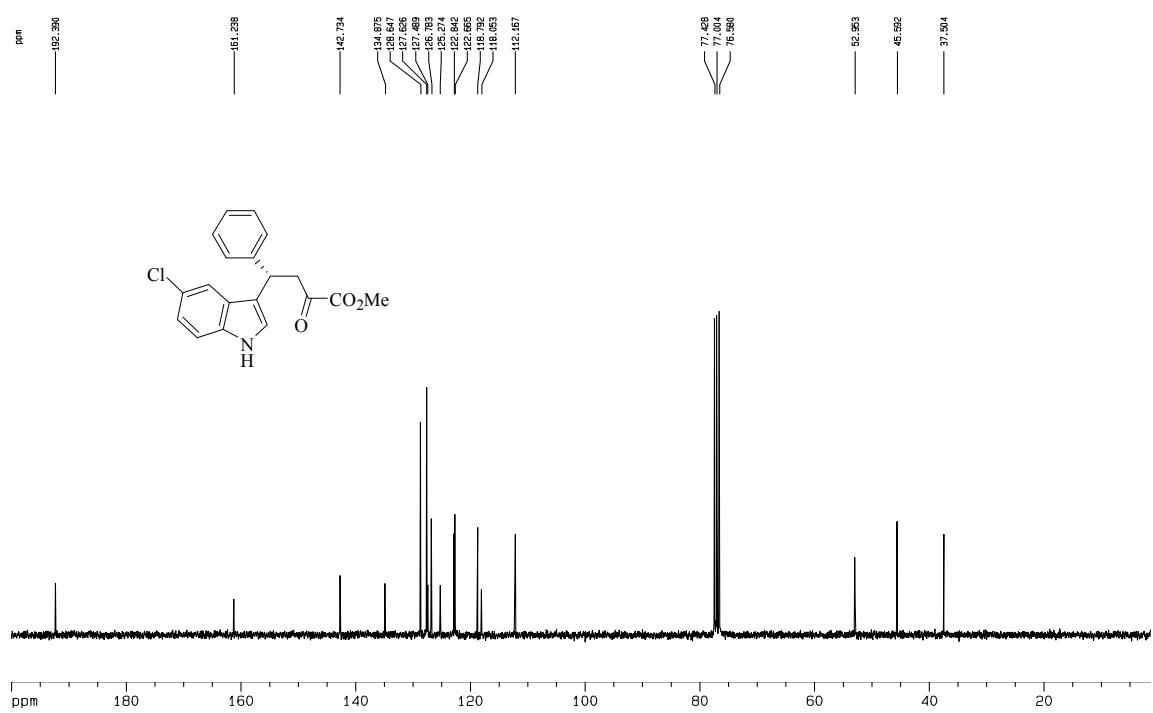
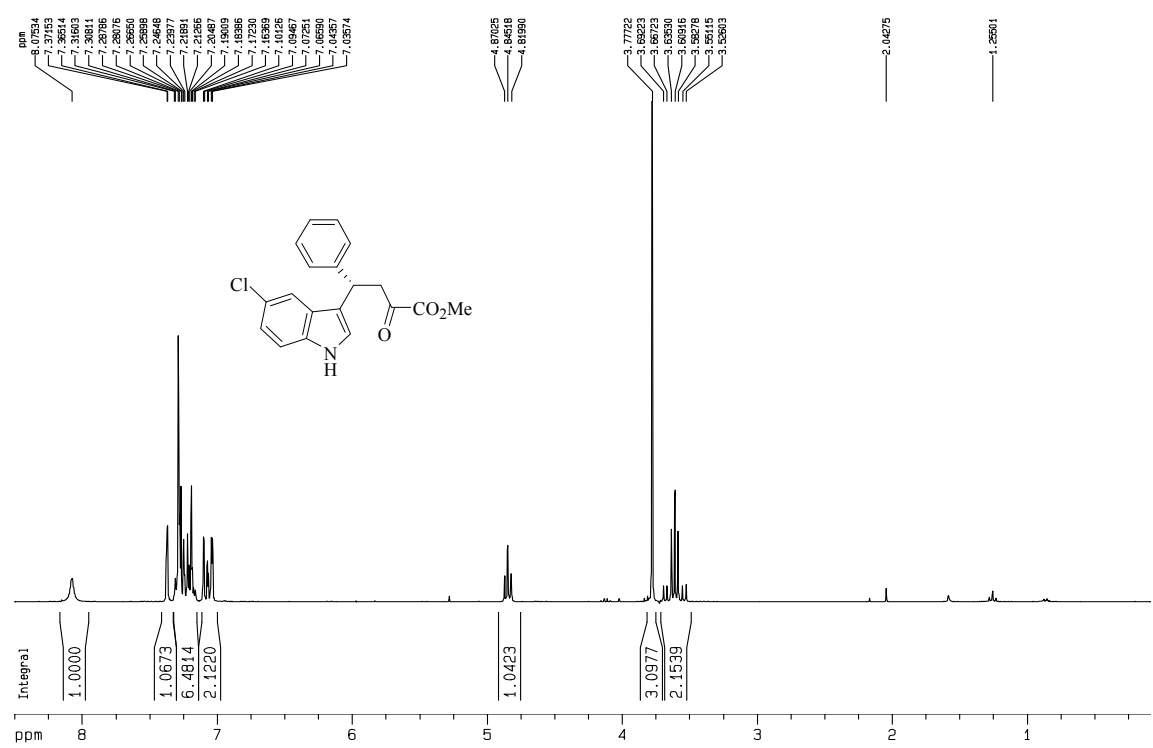


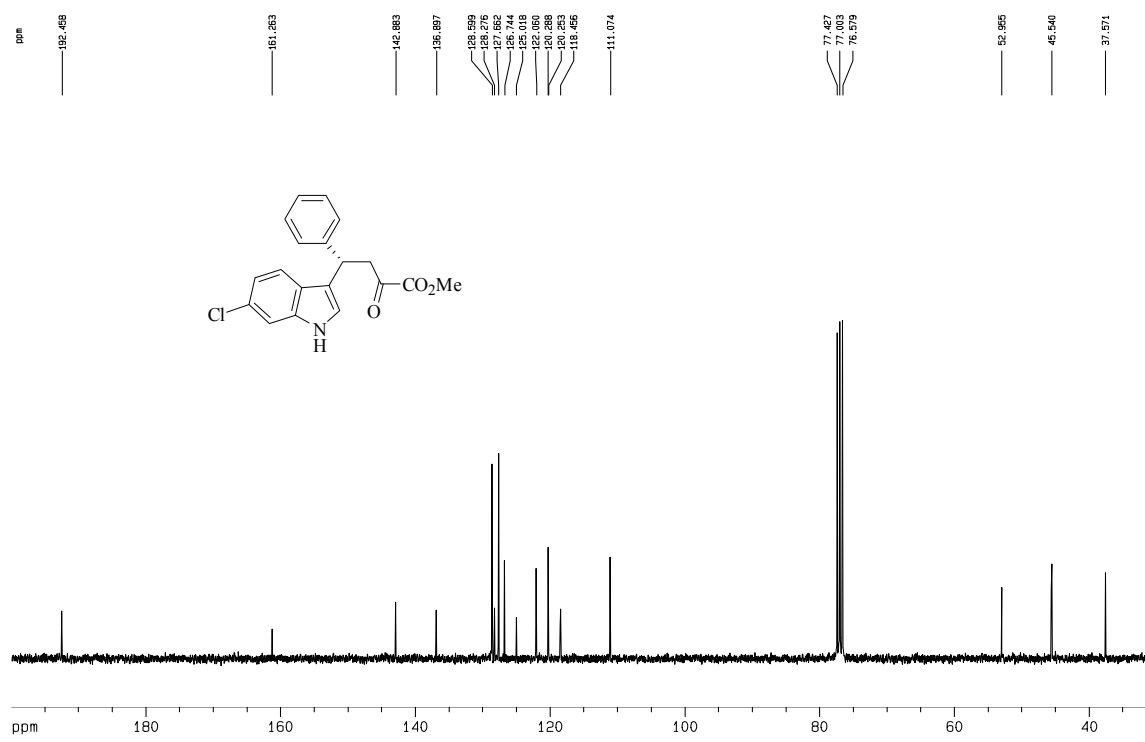
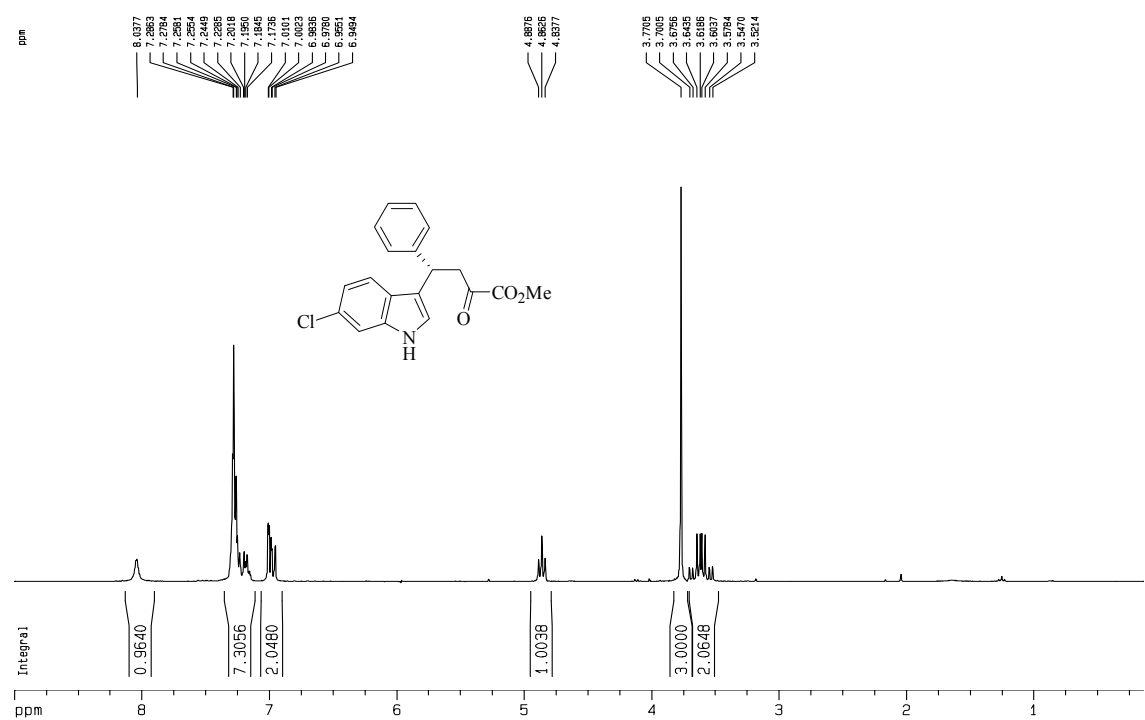


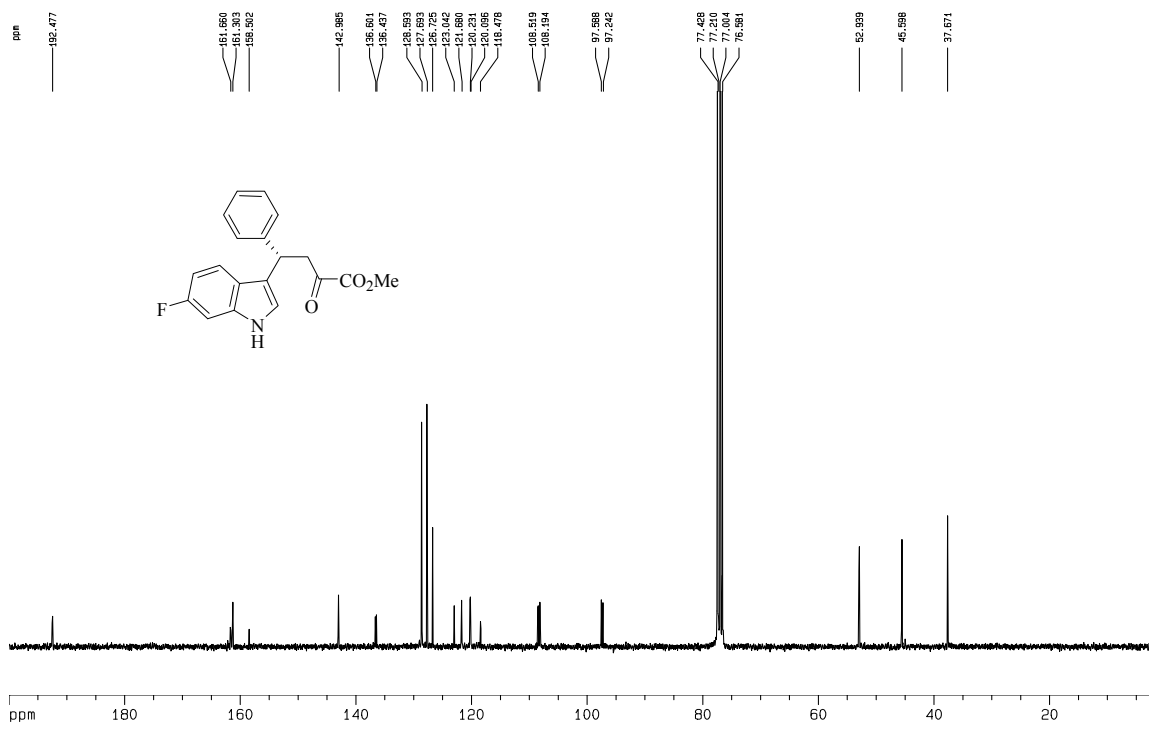
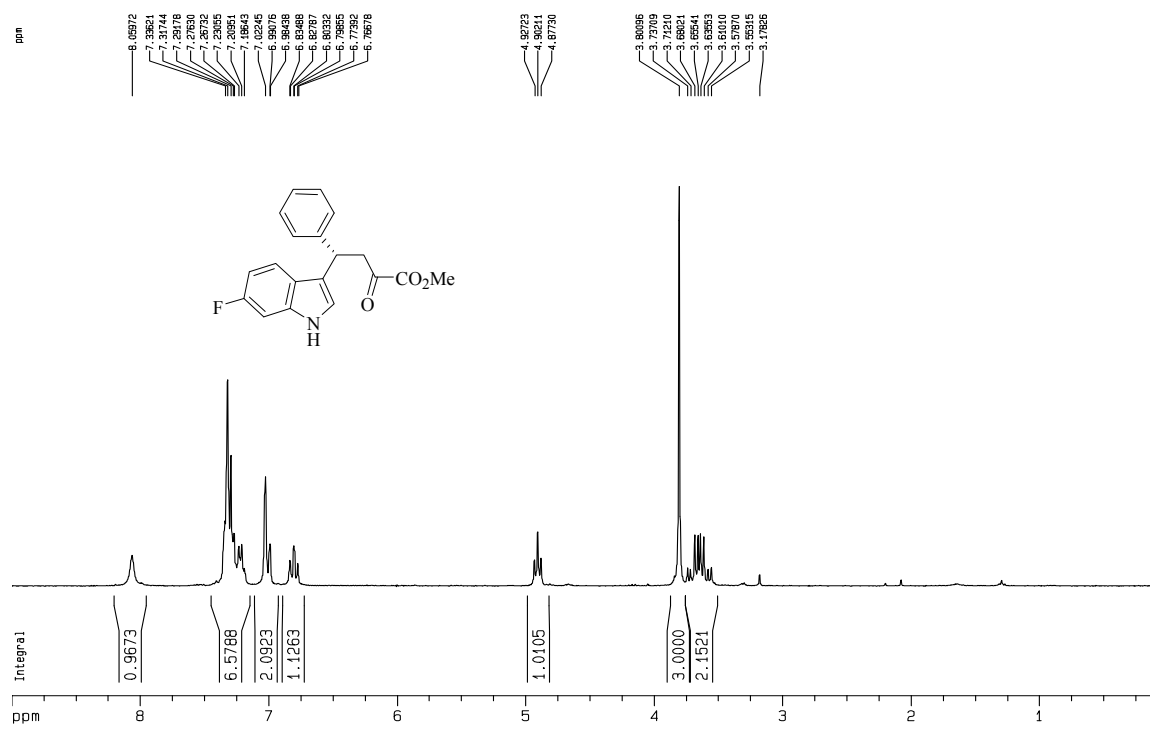


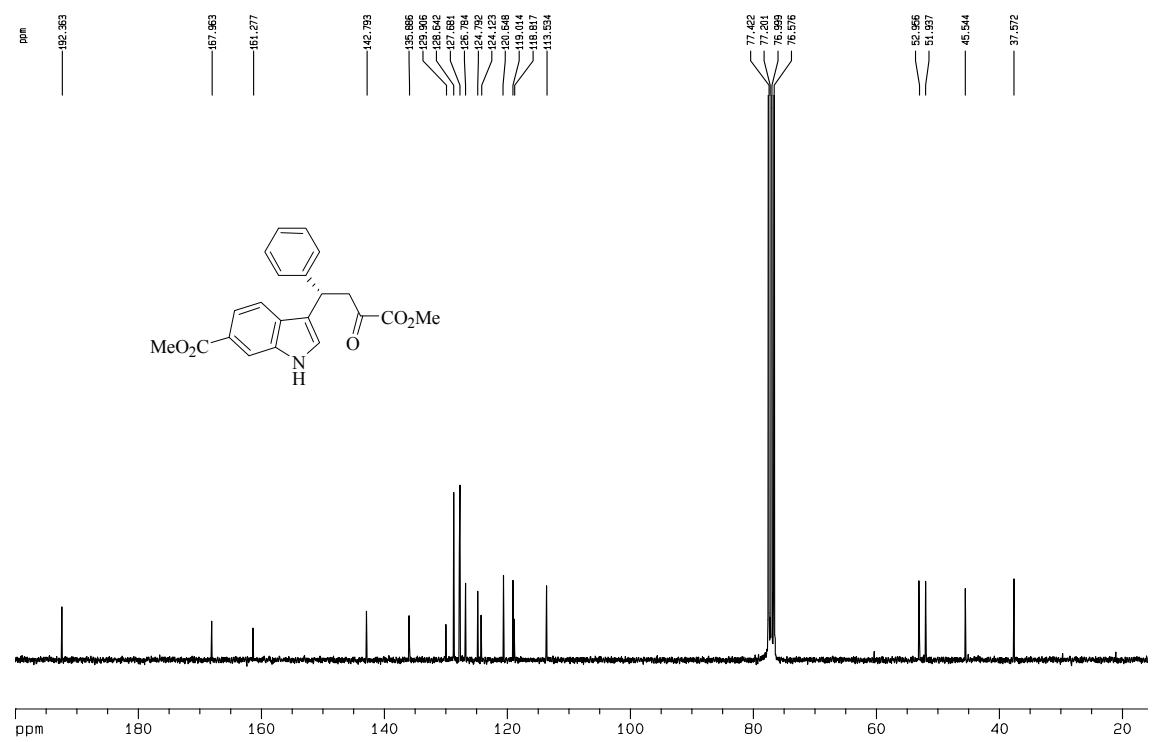
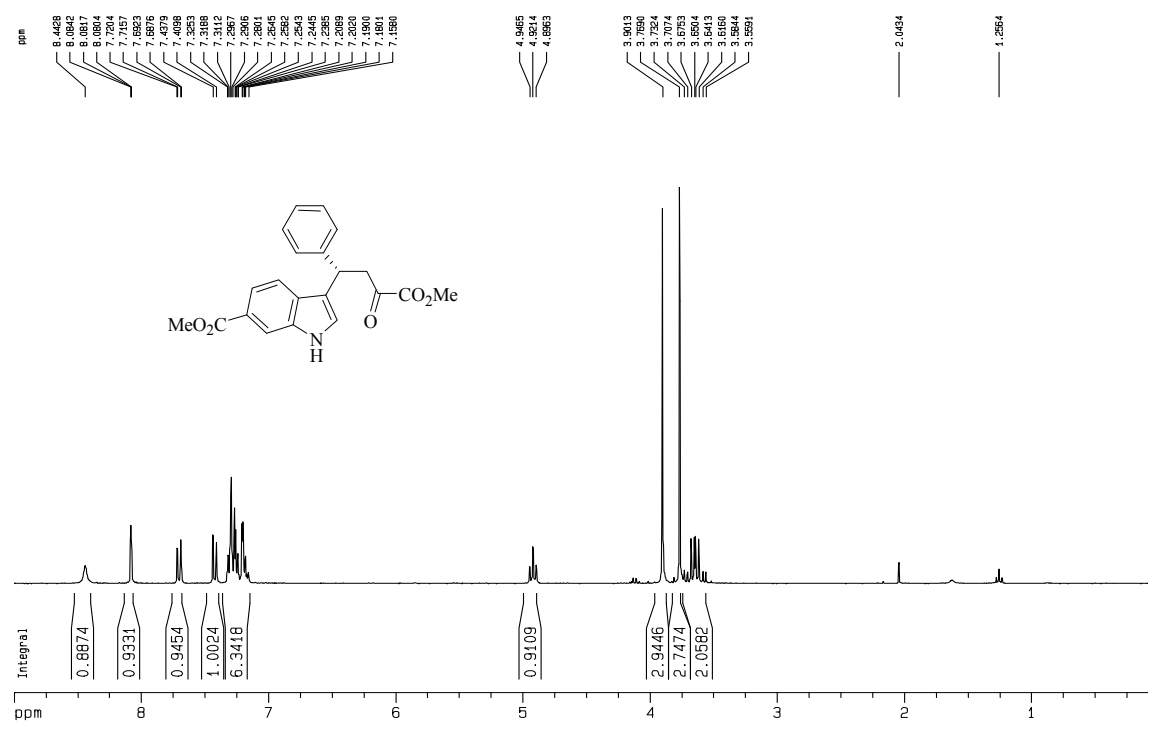


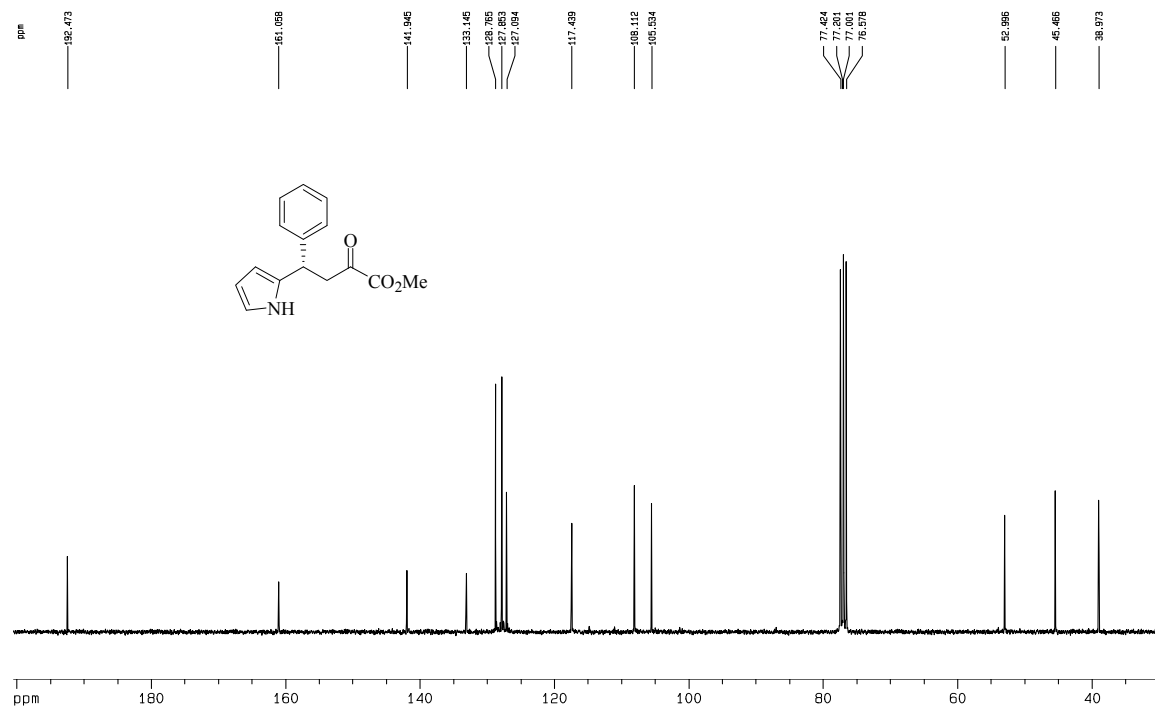
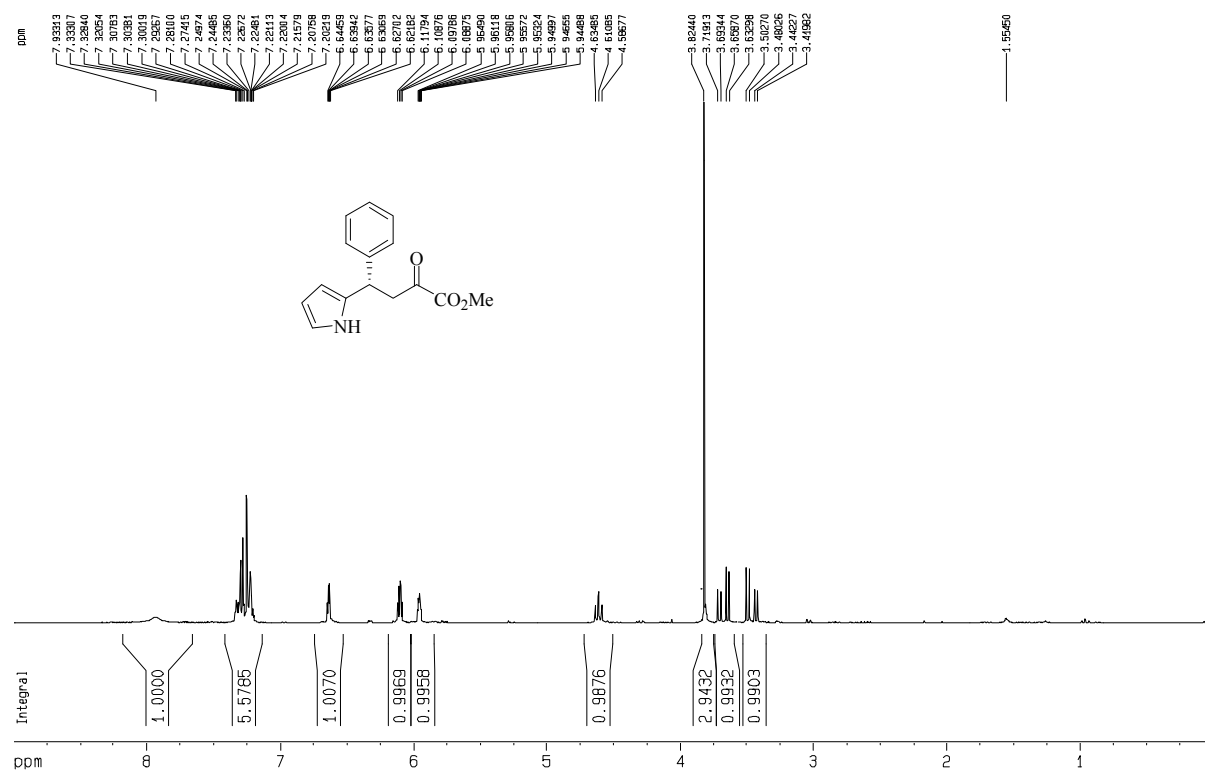


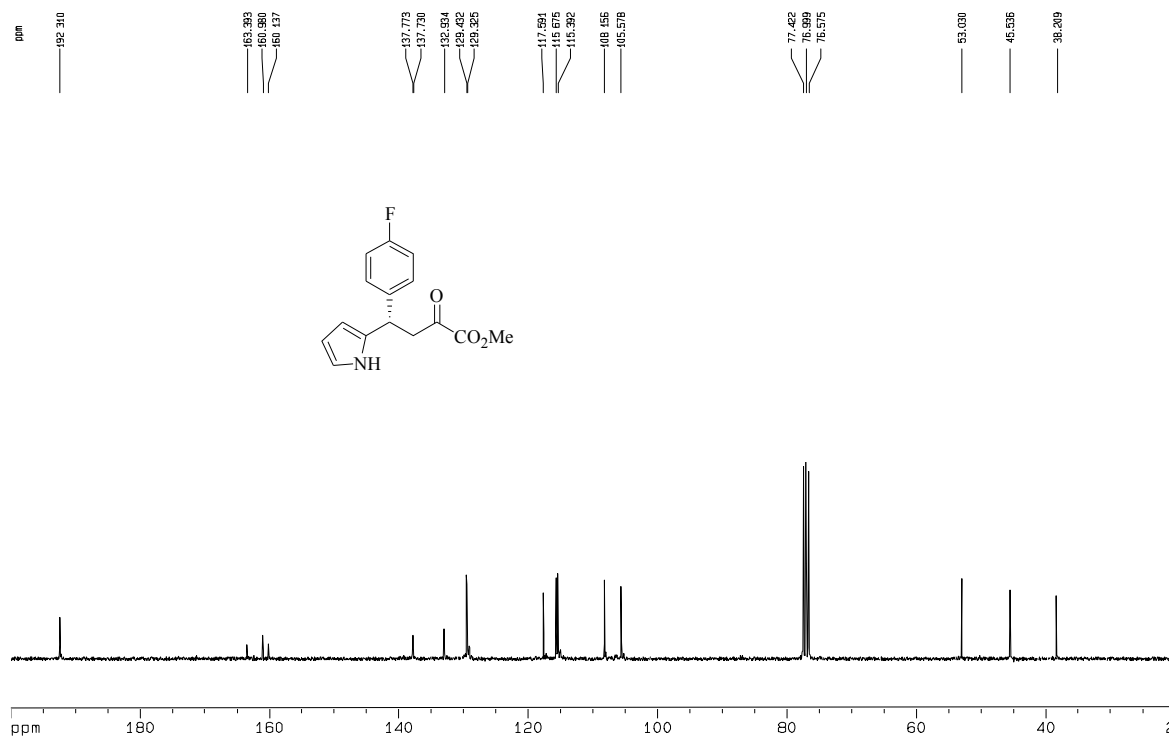
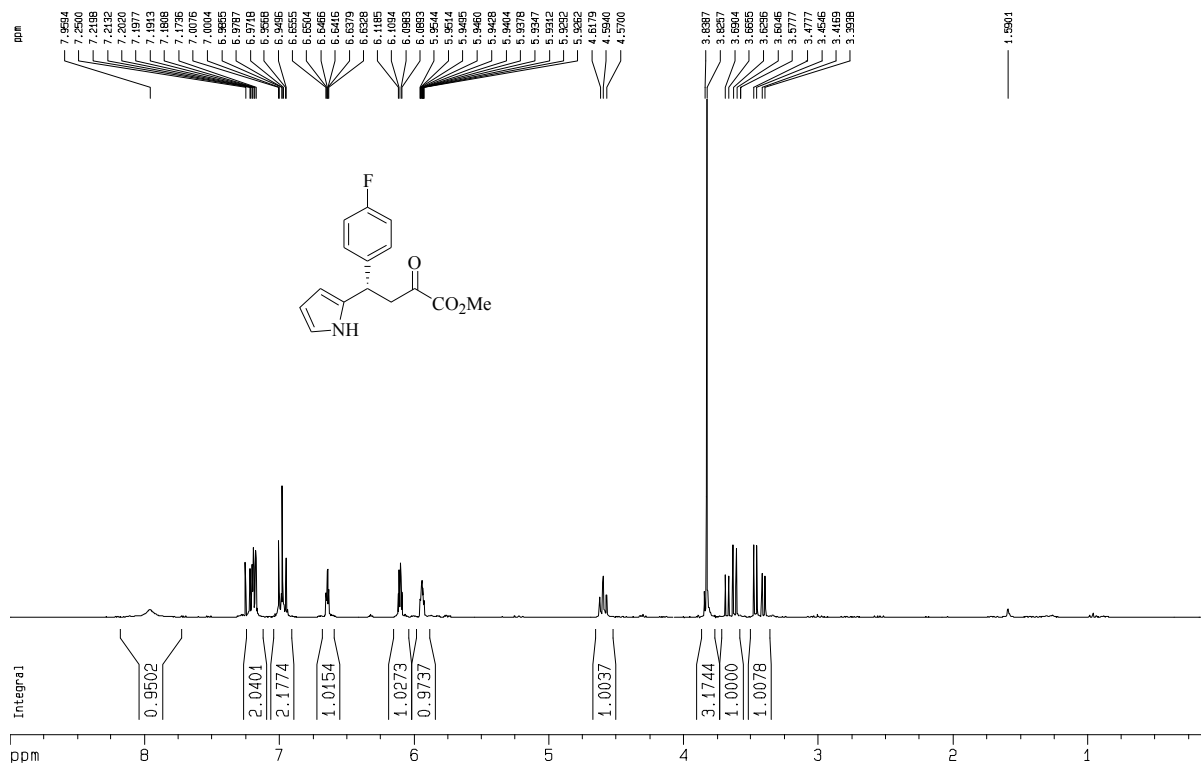


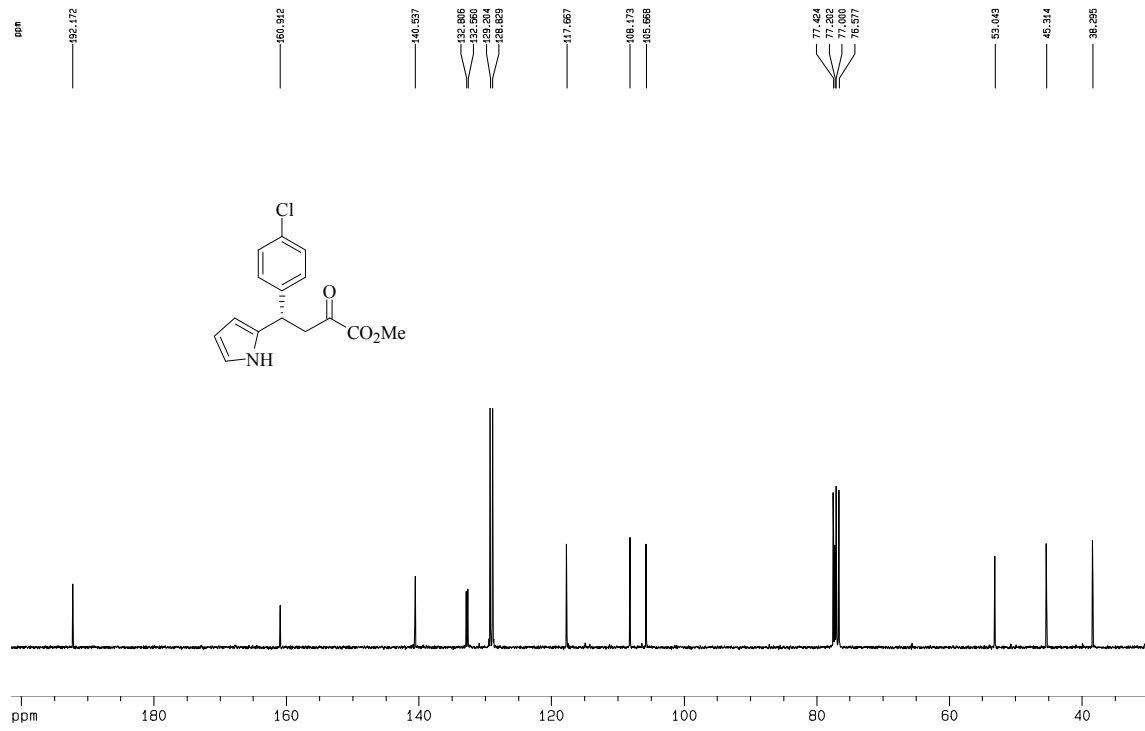
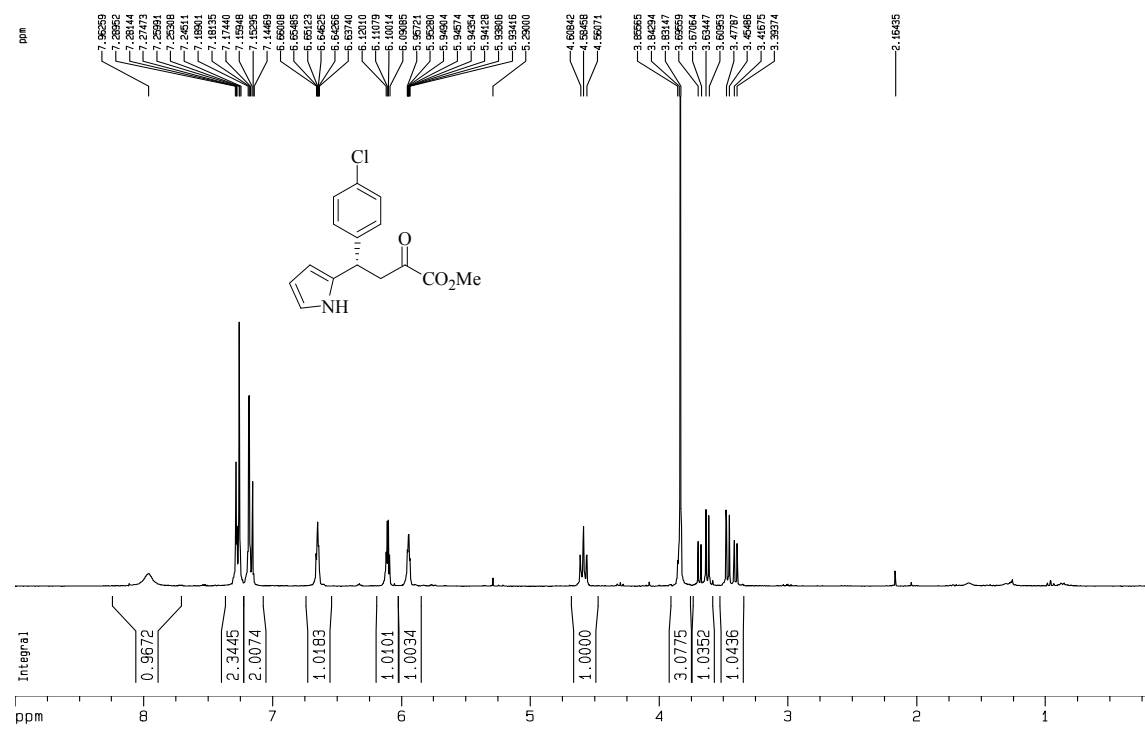


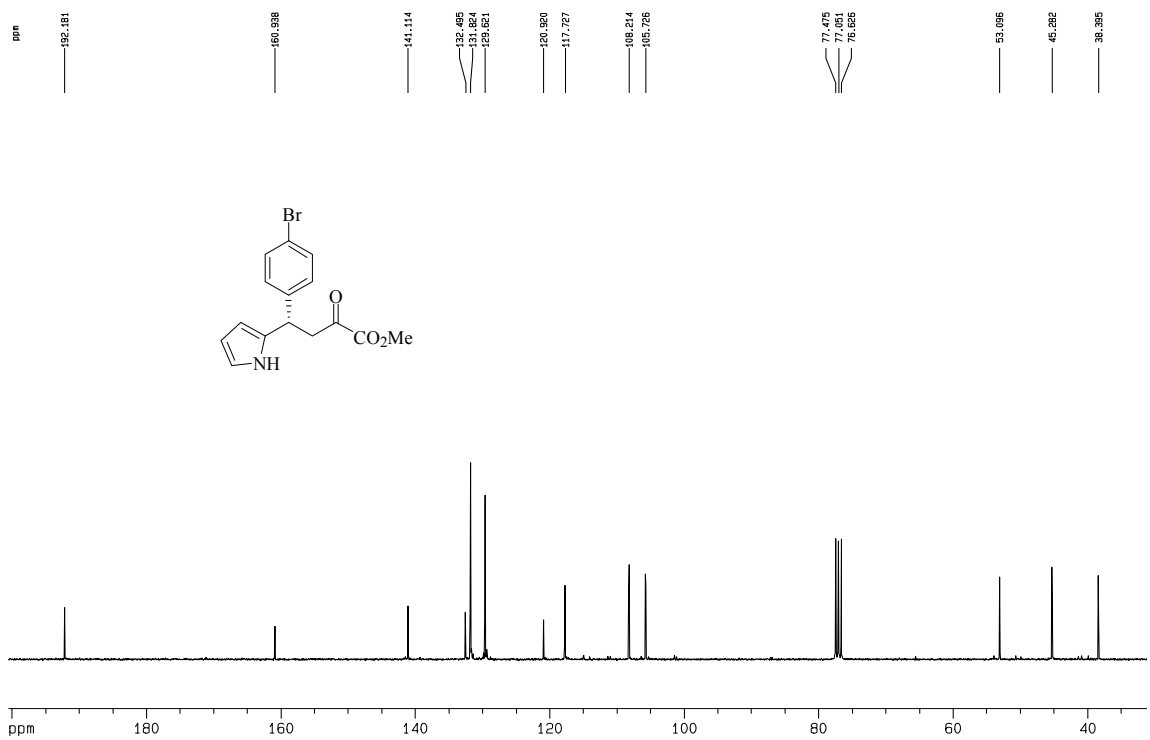
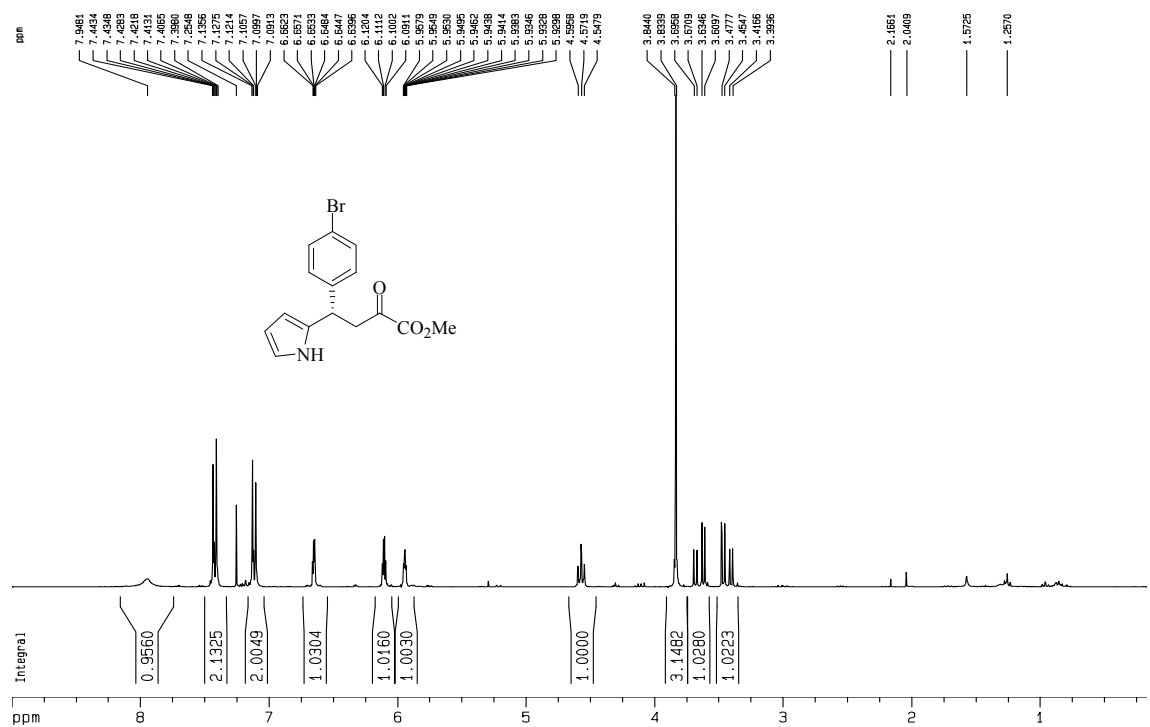




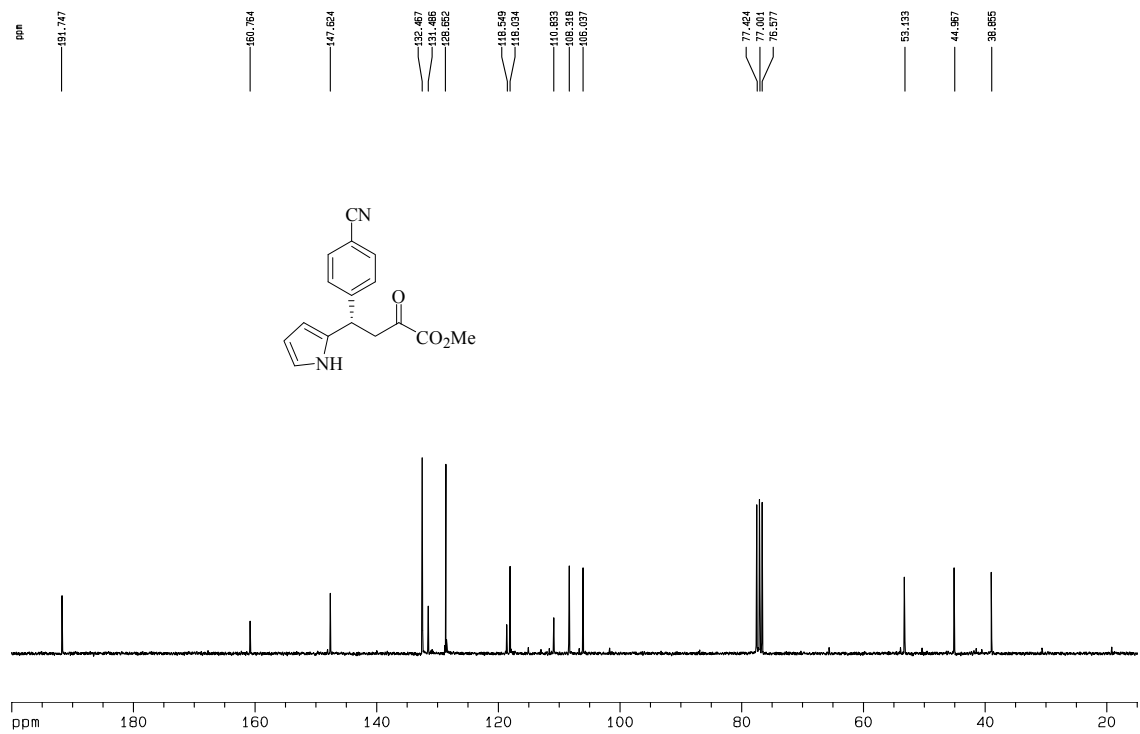
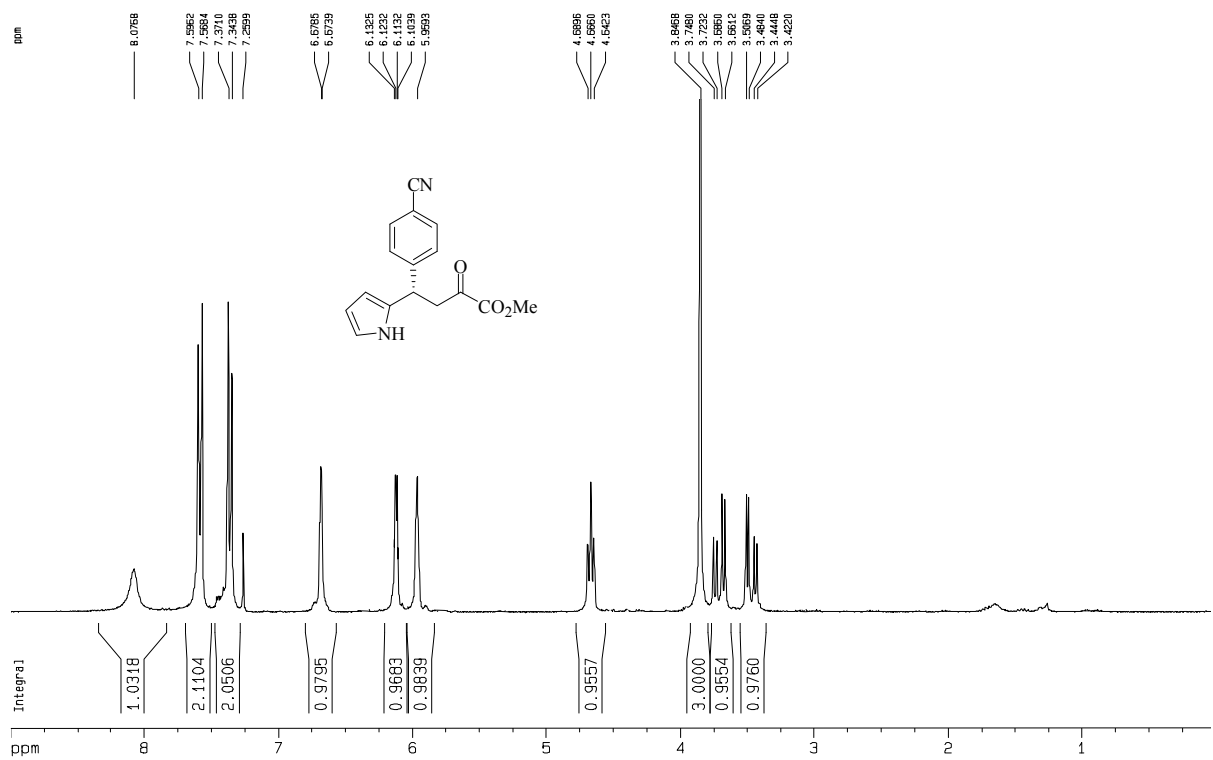


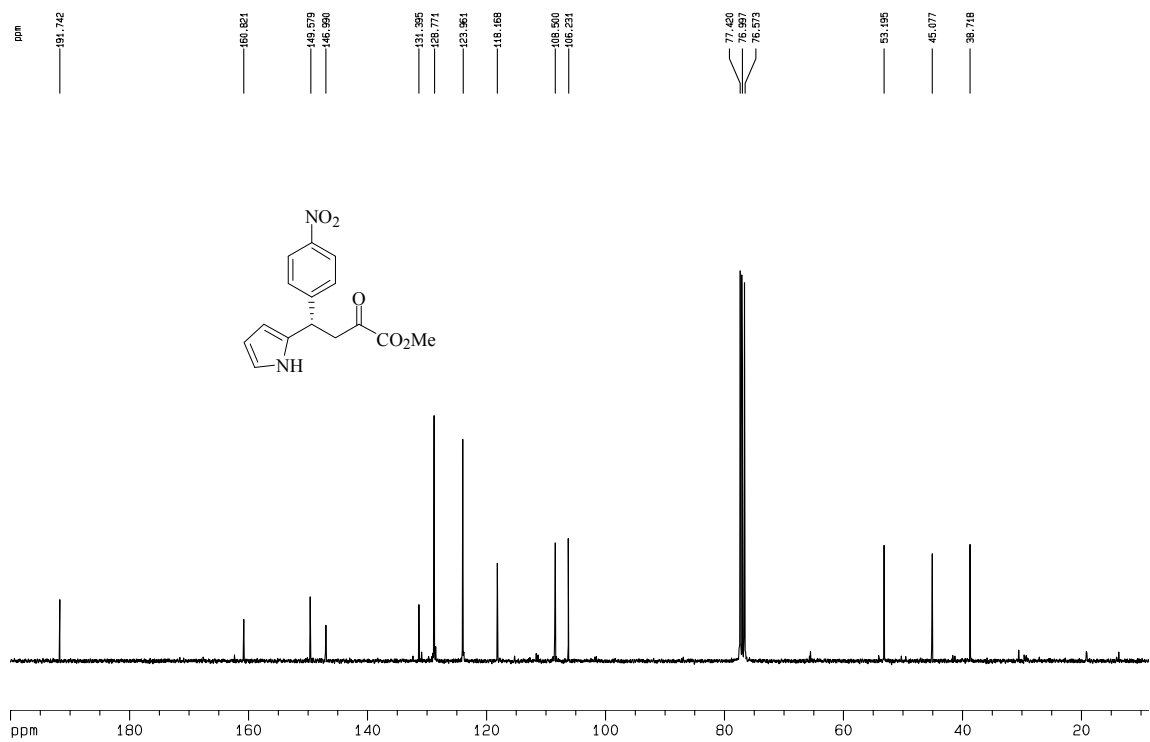
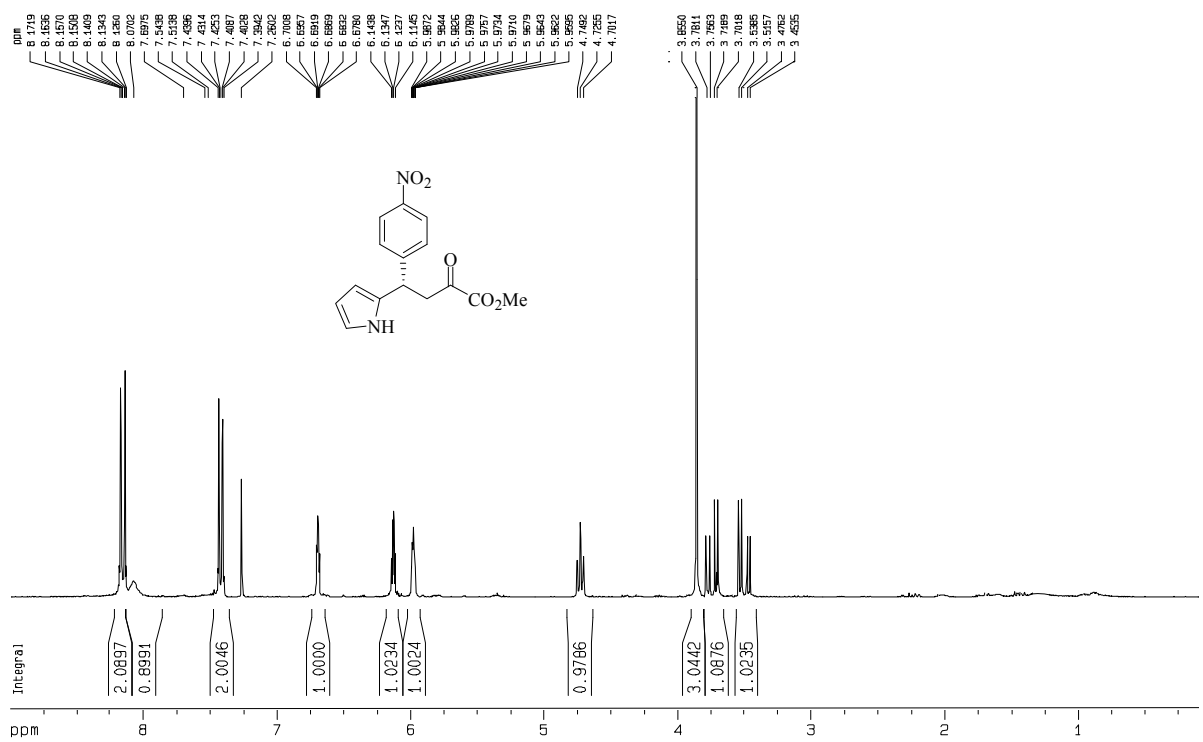


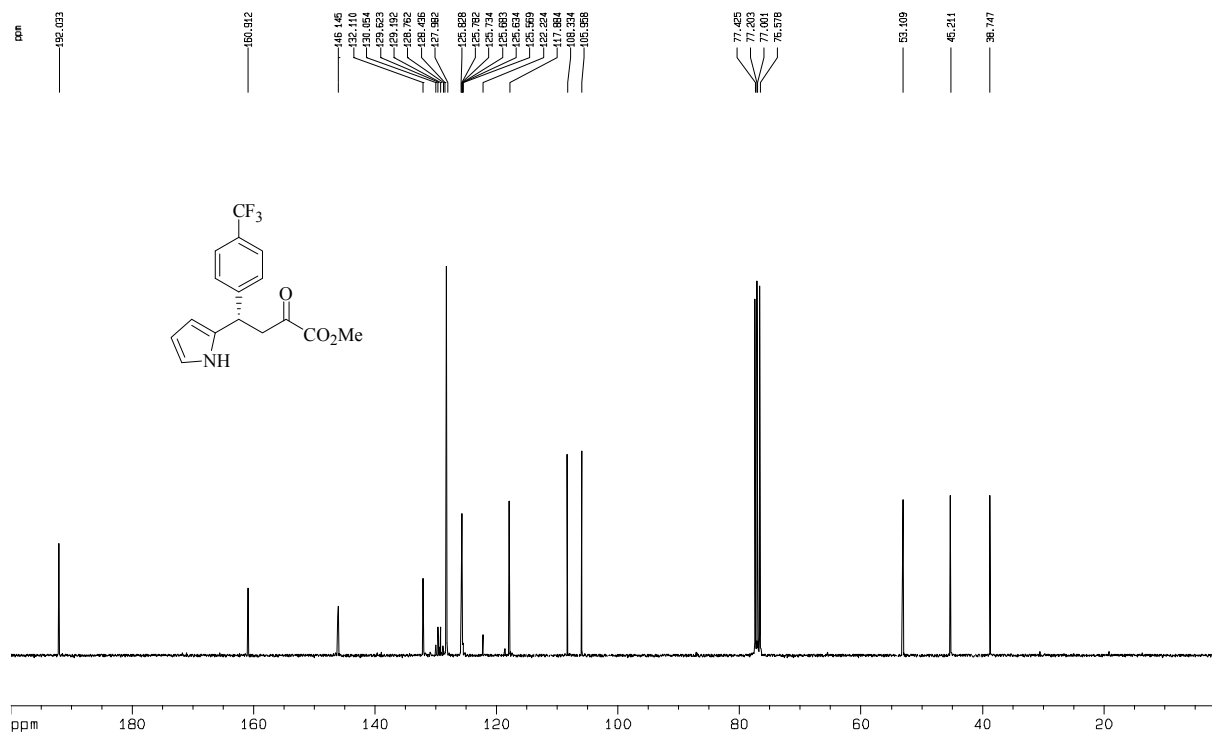
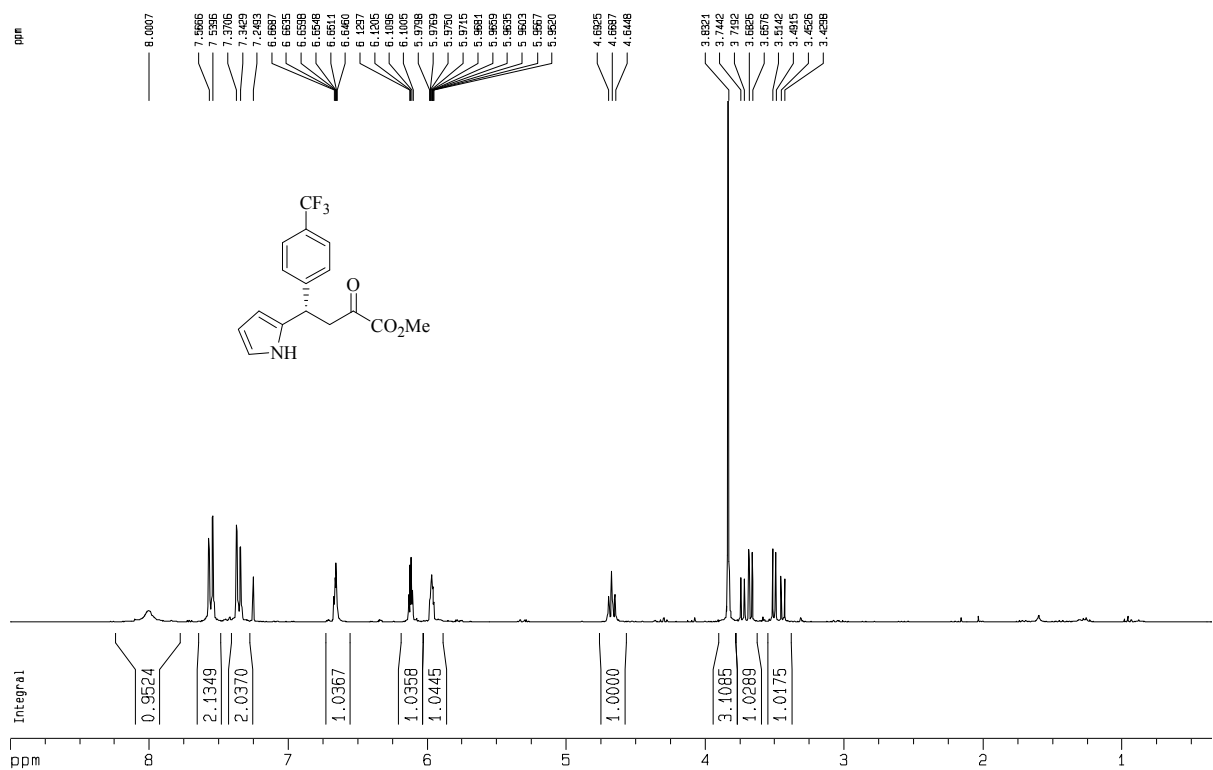


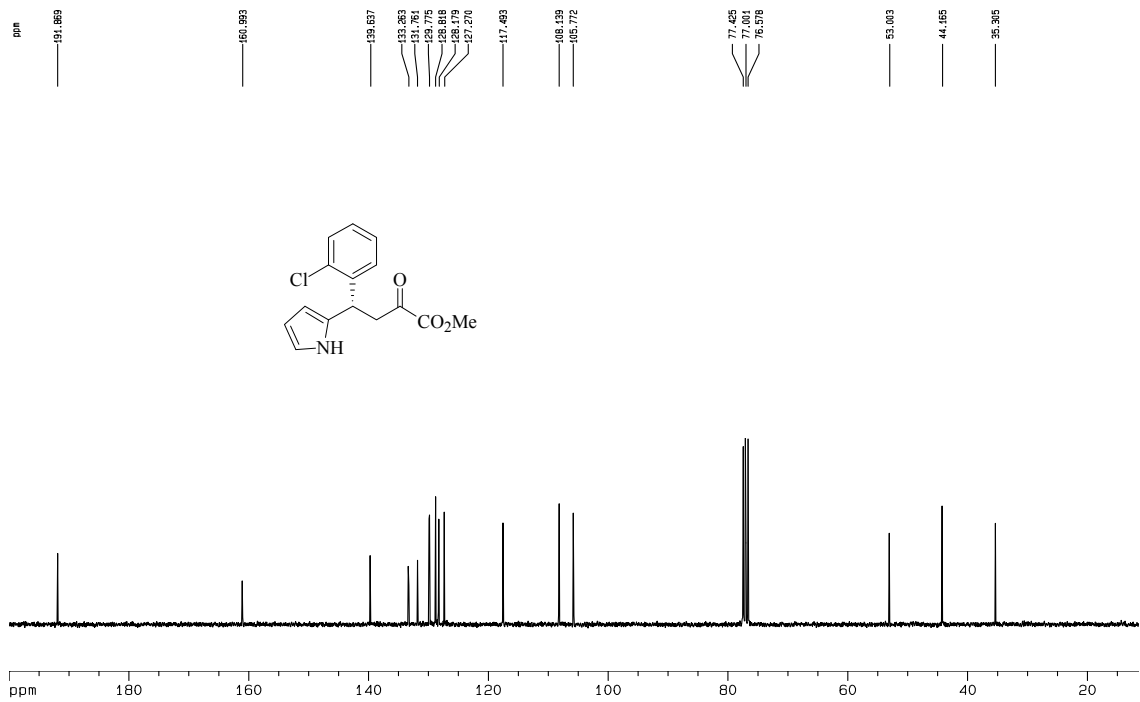
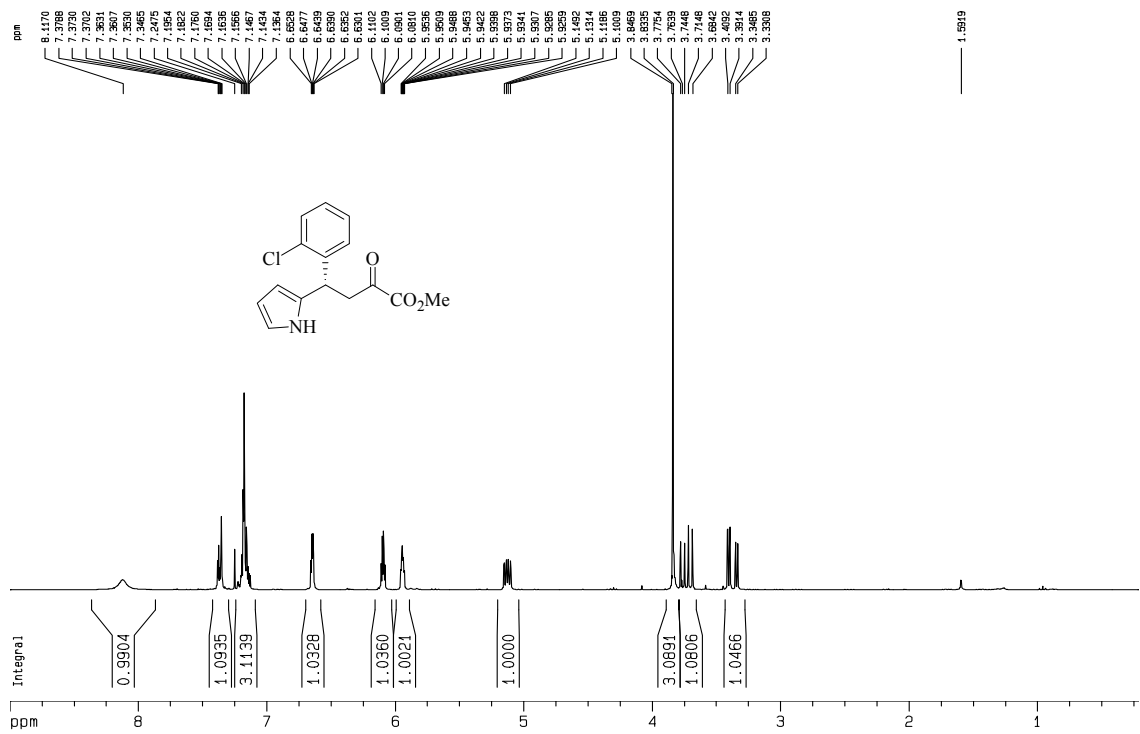


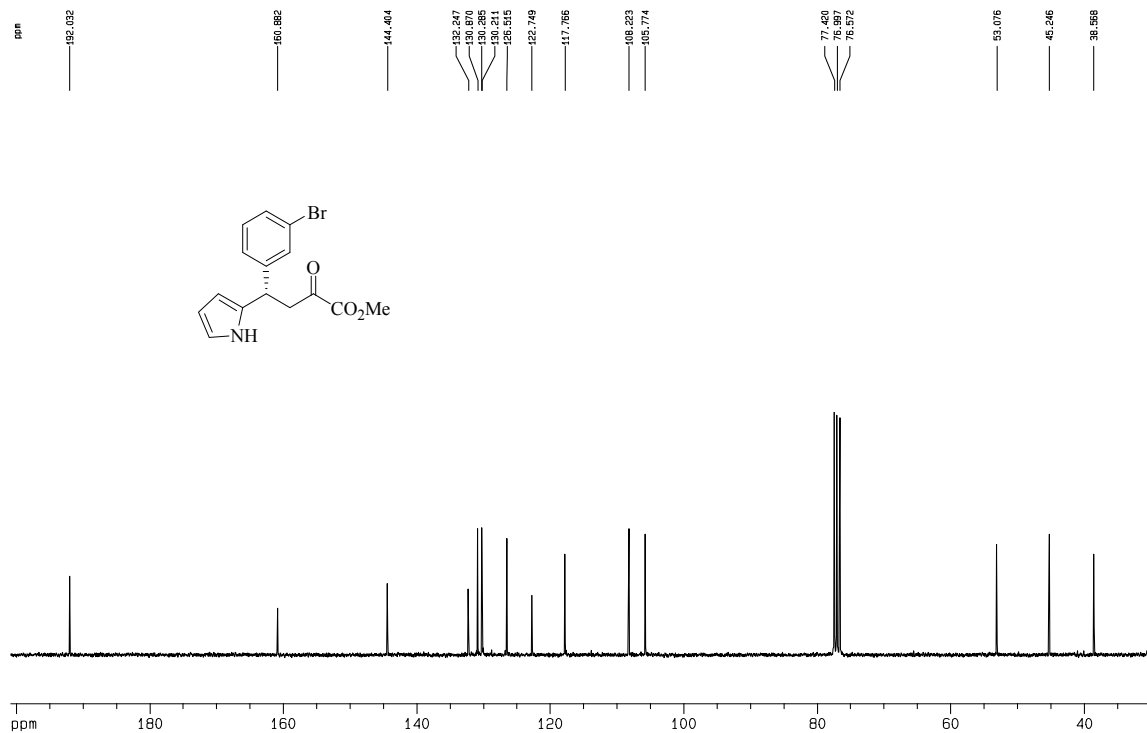


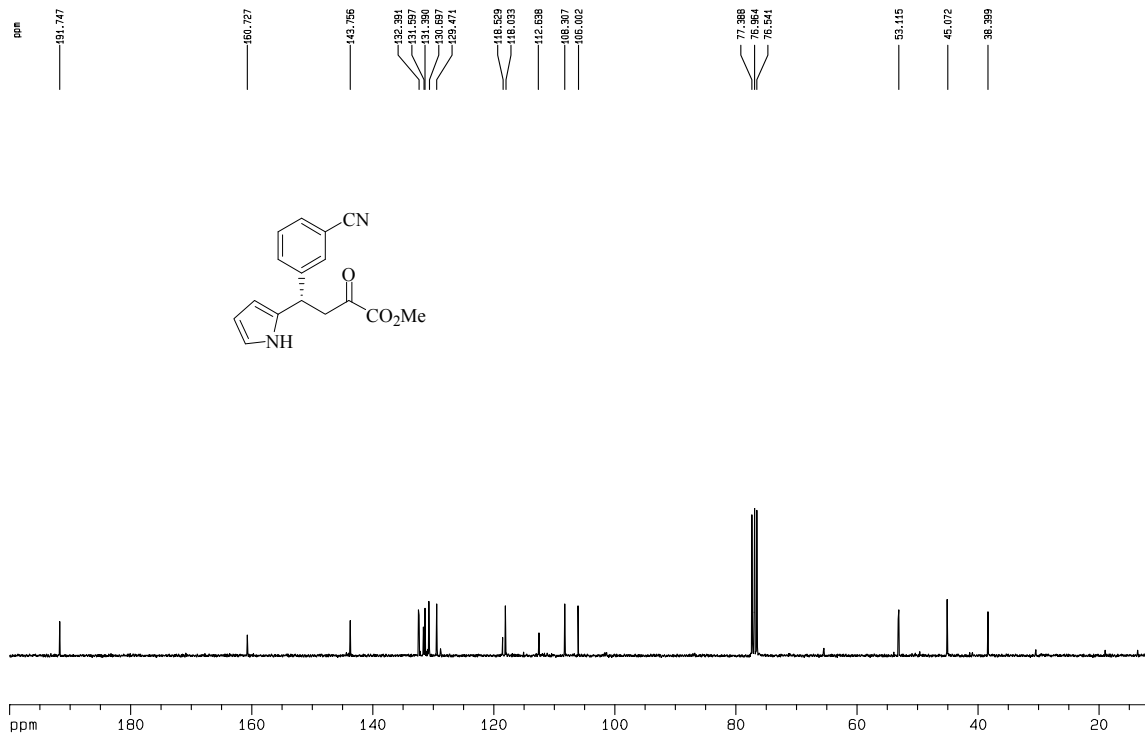
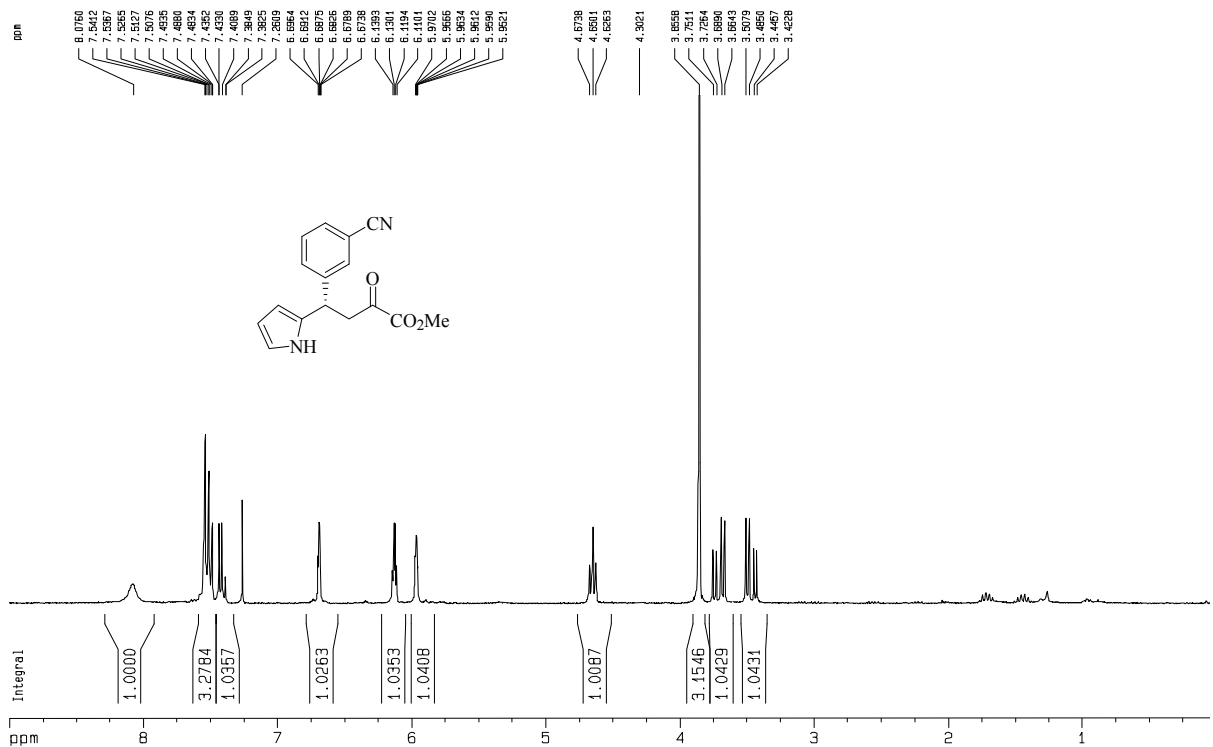


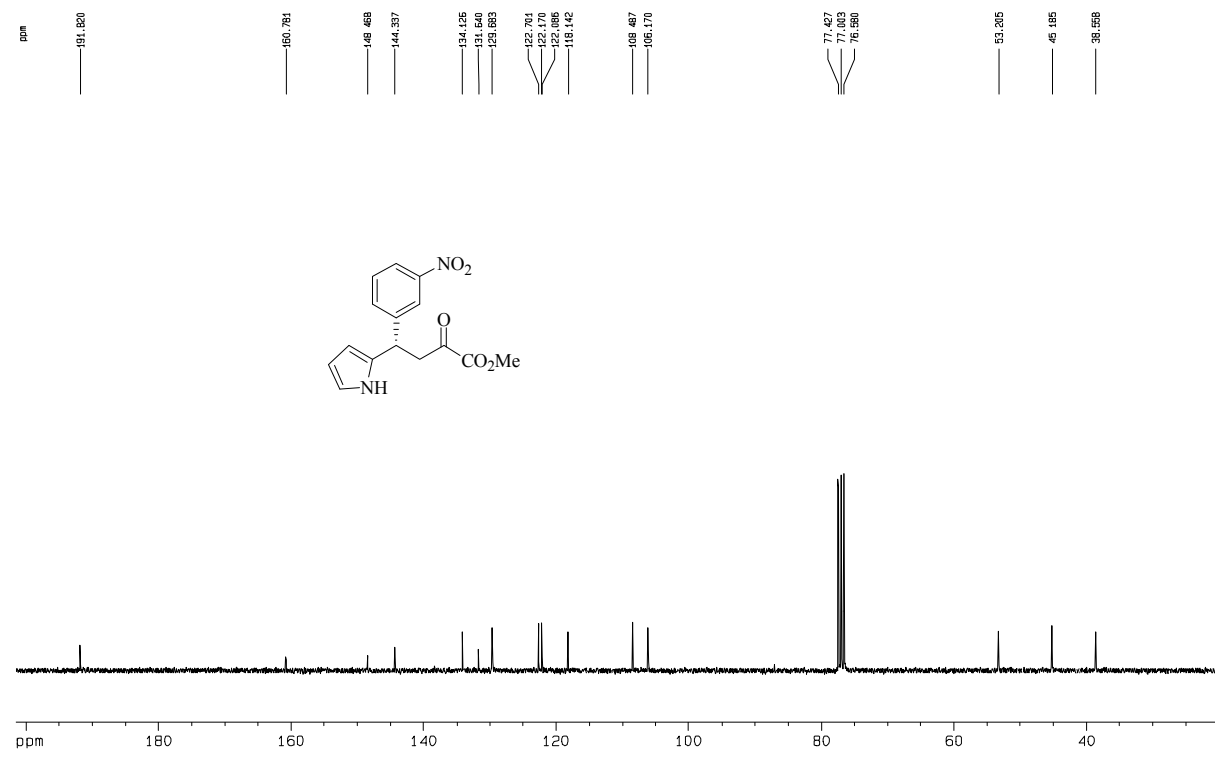
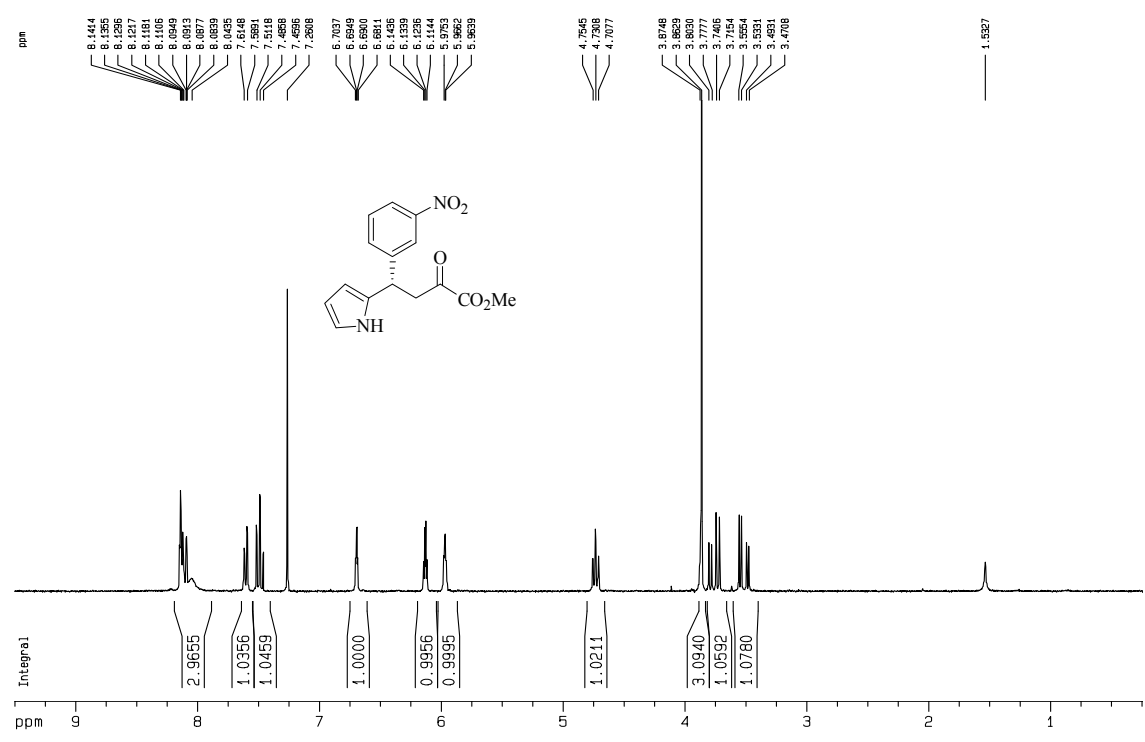


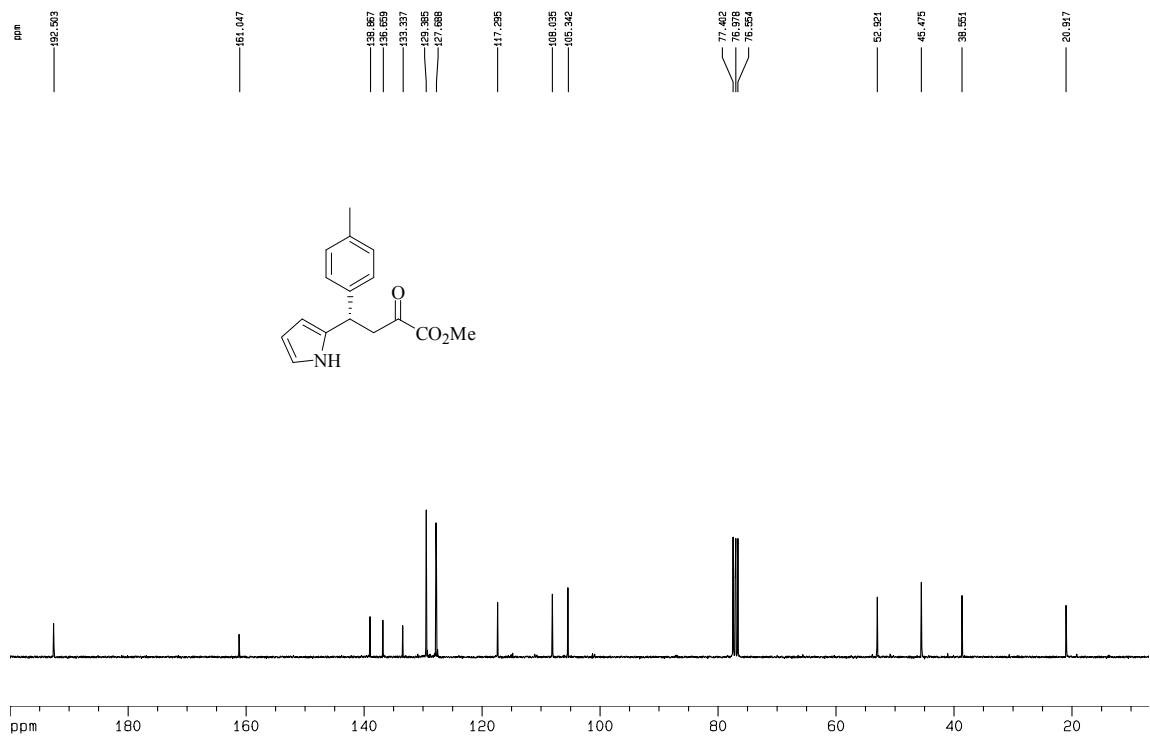
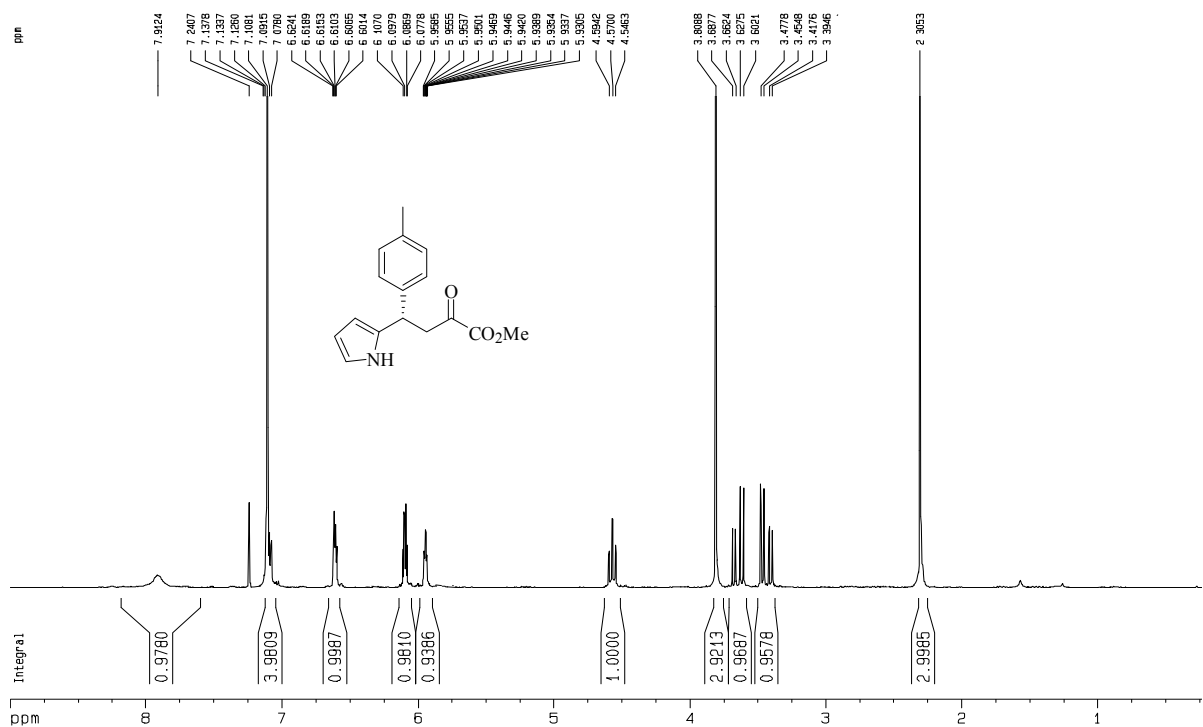




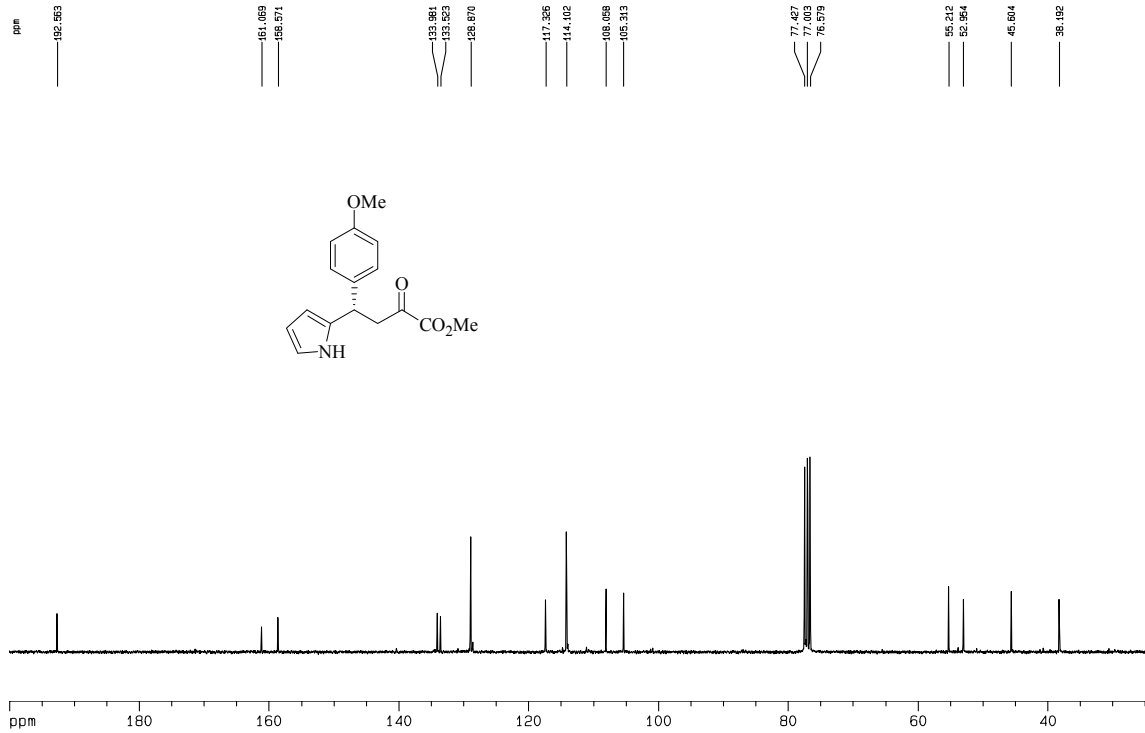
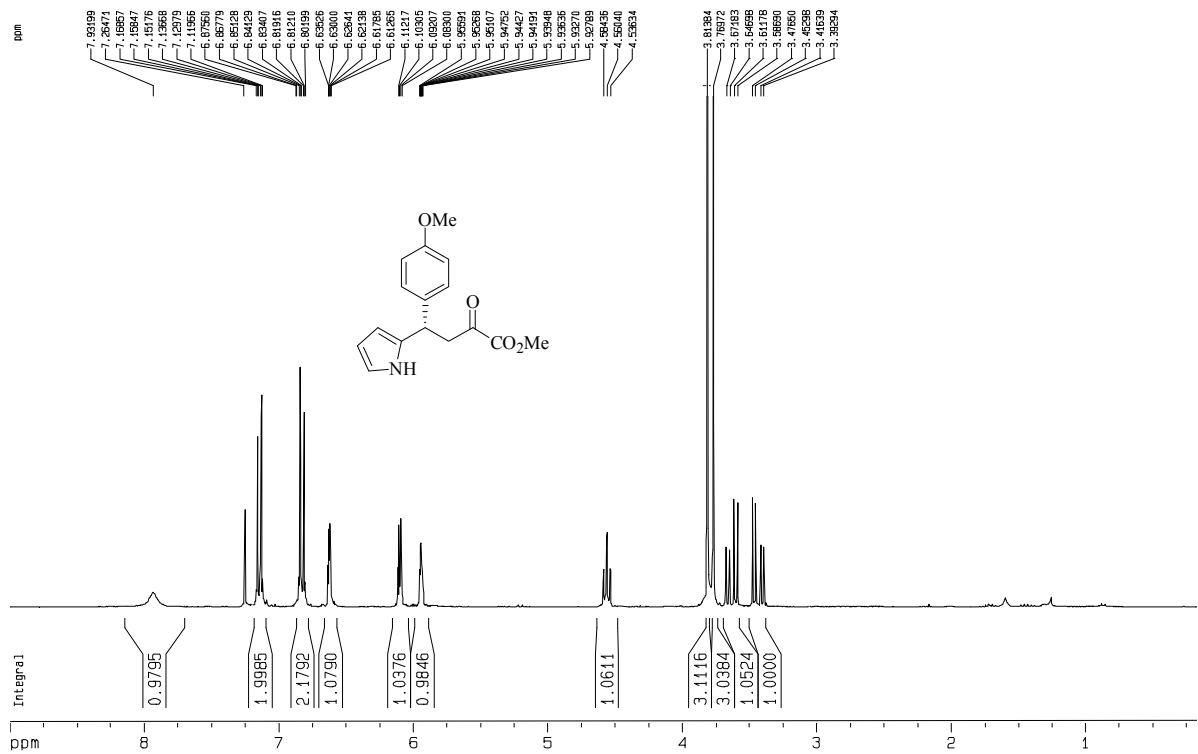


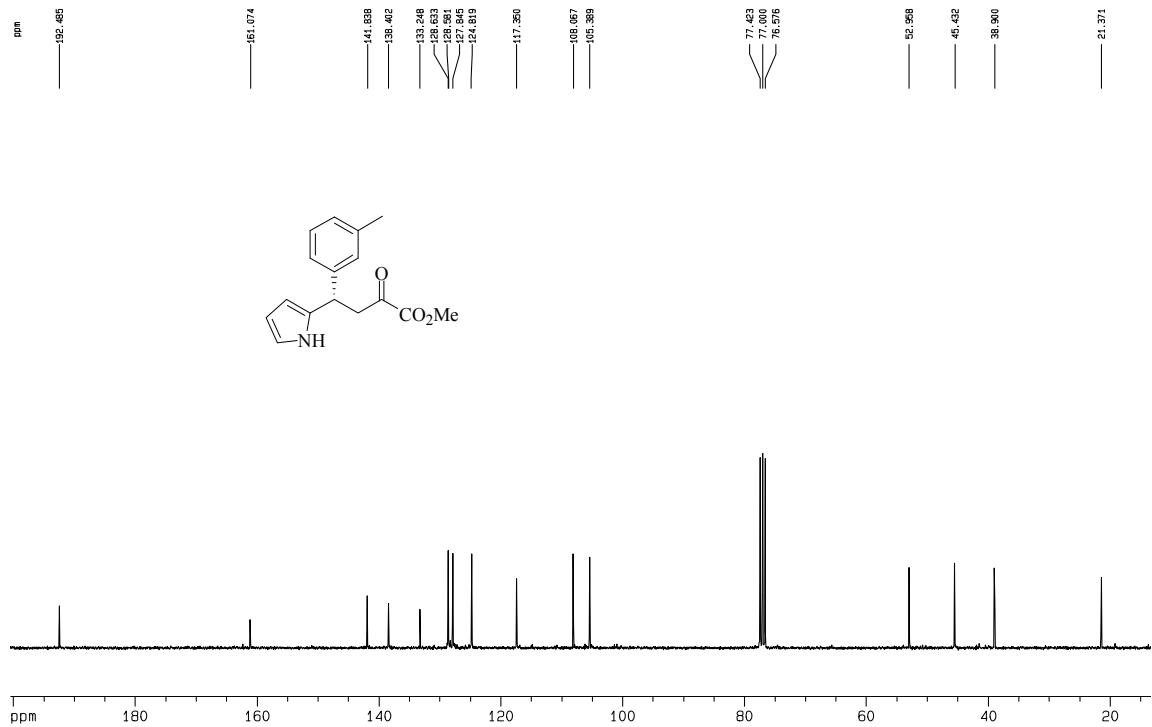
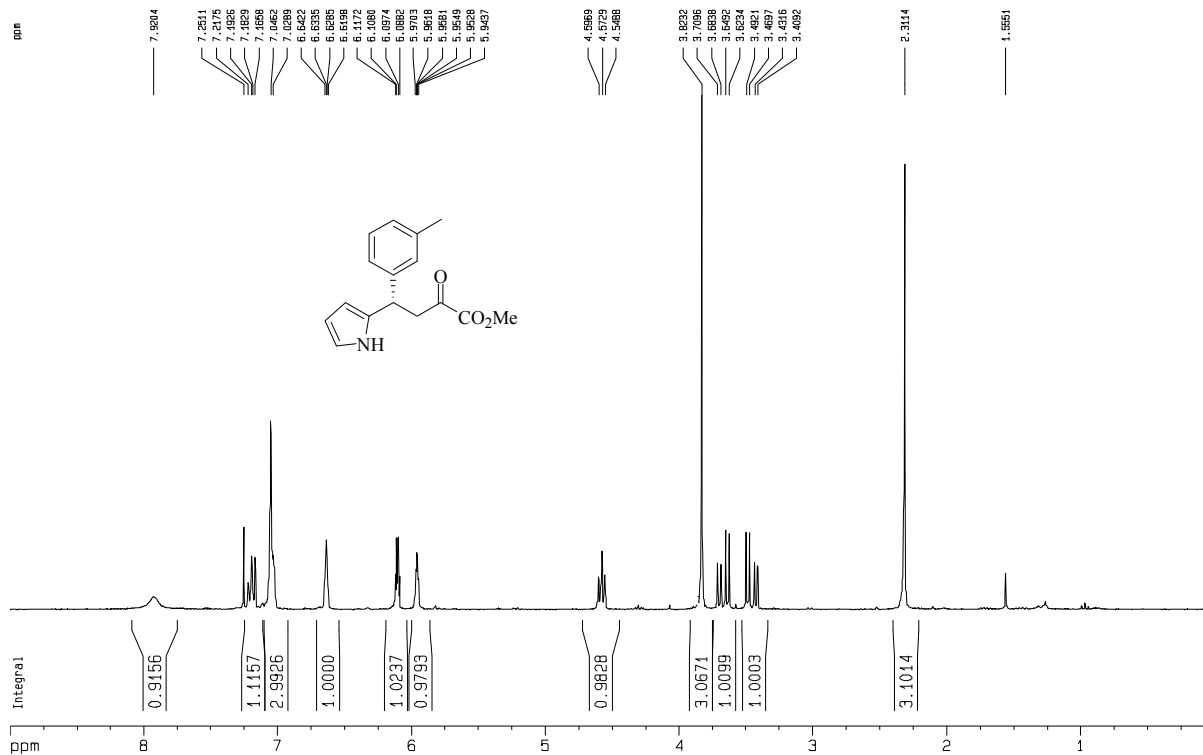


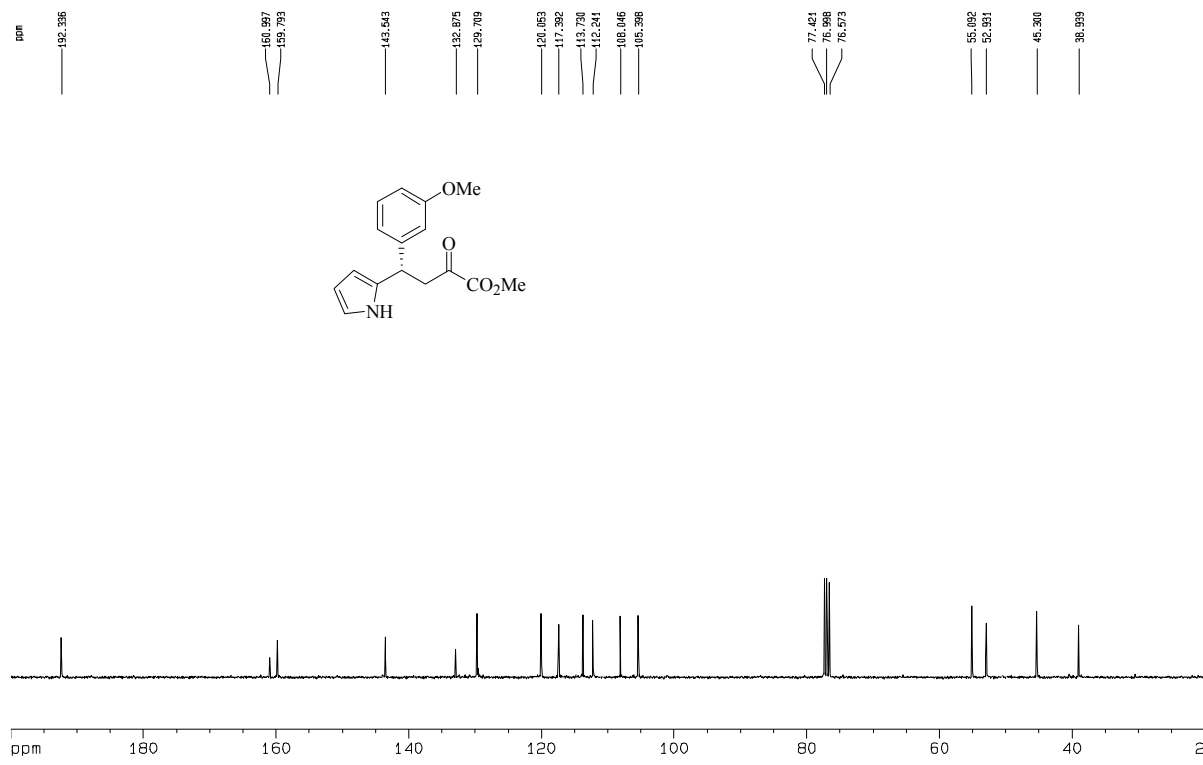
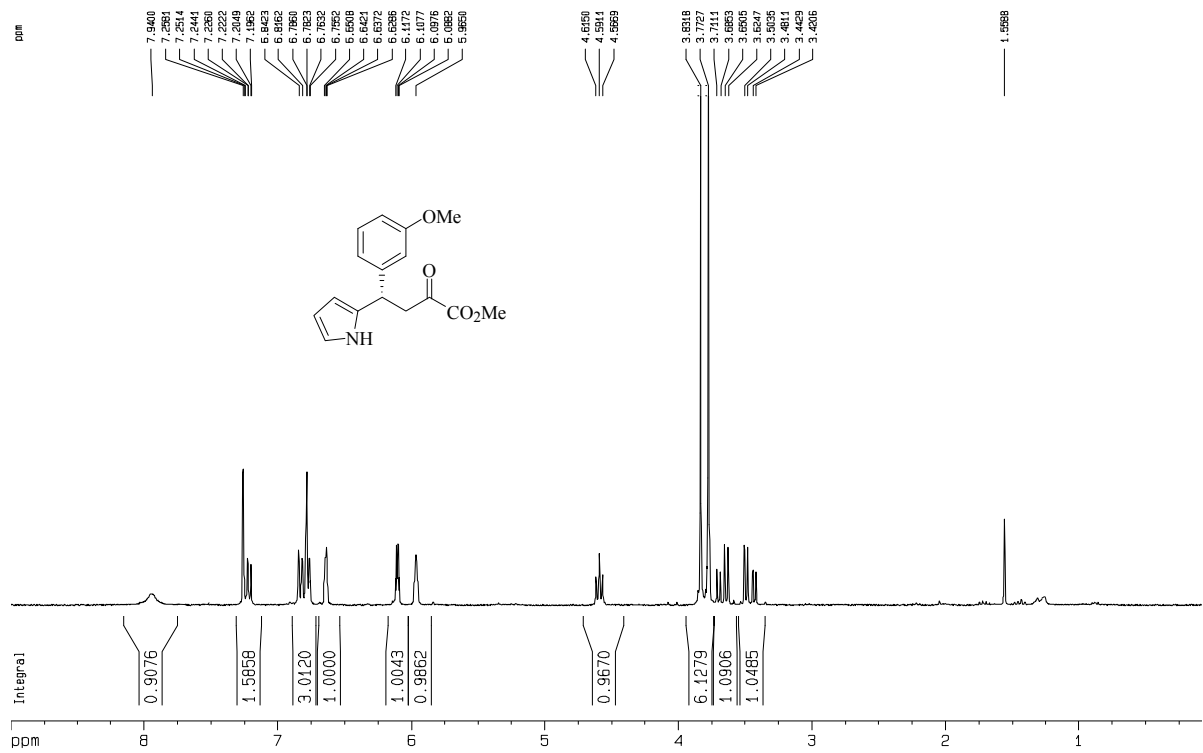


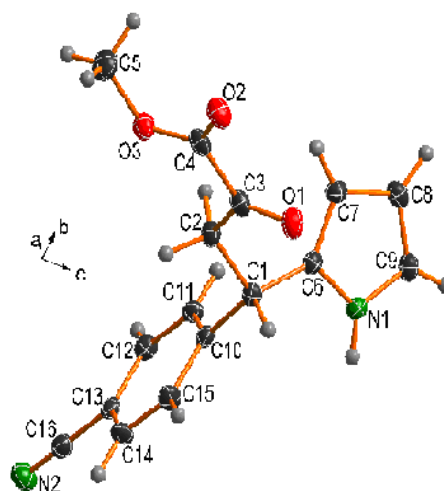
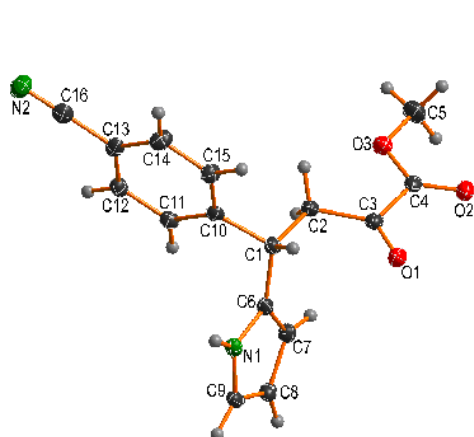
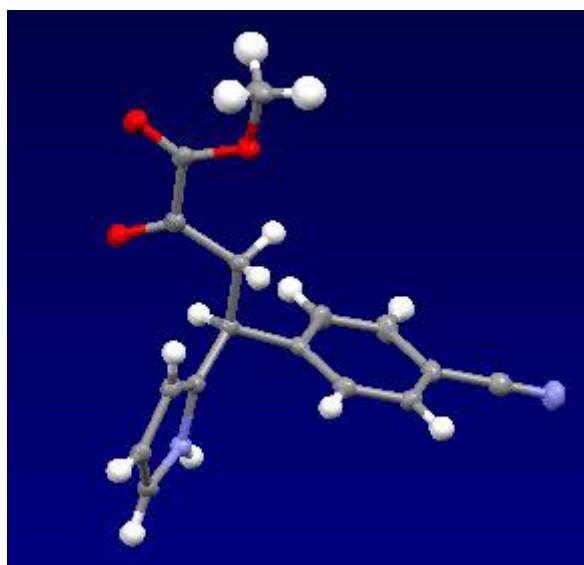
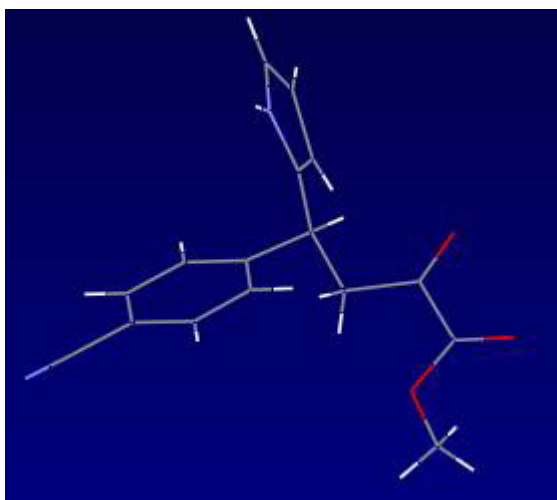
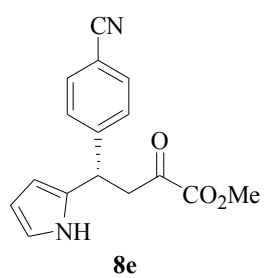












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