

Supporting Information

Copper-Catalyzed *Ortho*-Acylation of Phenols with Aryl Aldehydes and Its Application in One-Step Preparation of Xanthones

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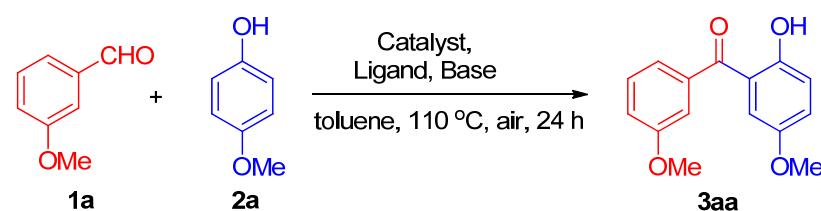
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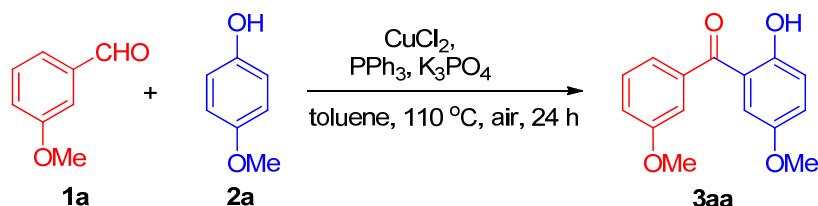
1. **Table S1** Optimization of the reaction conditions for *ortho*-acylation of 4-methoxyphenol with 3-methoxybenzaldehyde



Entry ^a	Catalyst	Ligand	Base	Yield (%) ^b
1	Pd(OAc) ₂	PPh ₃	K ₂ CO ₃	77
2	Pd(OAc) ₂	PPh ₃	K ₃ PO ₄	75
3	Pd(OAc) ₂	PPh ₃	Na ₂ CO ₃	<5
4	Pd(OAc) ₂	PPh ₃	Cs ₂ CO ₃	<5
5	CuCl ₂	PPh ₃	K ₃ PO ₄	91
6	CuCl ₂	PPh ₃	K ₂ CO ₃	76
7	CuCl ₂	PPh ₃	Na ₂ CO ₃	<5
8	CuCl ₂	PPh ₃	Cs ₂ CO ₃	<5
9	CuCl ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	K ₃ PO ₄	63
10	CuCl ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	K ₂ CO ₃	50
11	CuCl ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	Na ₂ CO ₃	<5
12	CuCl ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	Cs ₂ CO ₃	<5
13	Pd(OAc) ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	K ₃ PO ₄	73
14	Pd(OAc) ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	K ₂ CO ₃	66
15	Pd(OAc) ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	Na ₂ CO ₃	<5
16	Pd(OAc) ₂	<i>t</i> -ButylXPhos	Cs ₂ CO ₃	<5
17		PPh ₃	K ₃ PO ₄	-
18	CuCl ₂		K ₃ PO ₄	trace

^a Reaction condition: **1a** (1 equiv), **2a** (1.3 equiv.), base (2.2 equiv.), catalyst (5 mol%) and ligand (7.5 mol%); ^b ¹H NMR yield. The reaction time was not optimized.

2. **Table S2** Optimization of ratio (CuCl_2 and PPh_3) for *ortho*-acylation of 4-methoxyphenol with 3-methoxybenzaldehyde^a



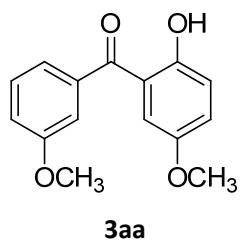
$\text{CuCl}_2/\text{PPh}_3$	Yields % ^b
1:1	65
2:3	91
1:2	90

^a K_3PO_4 (2.2 equiv.), CuCl_2 (5 mol%); ^b ^1H -NMR yield.

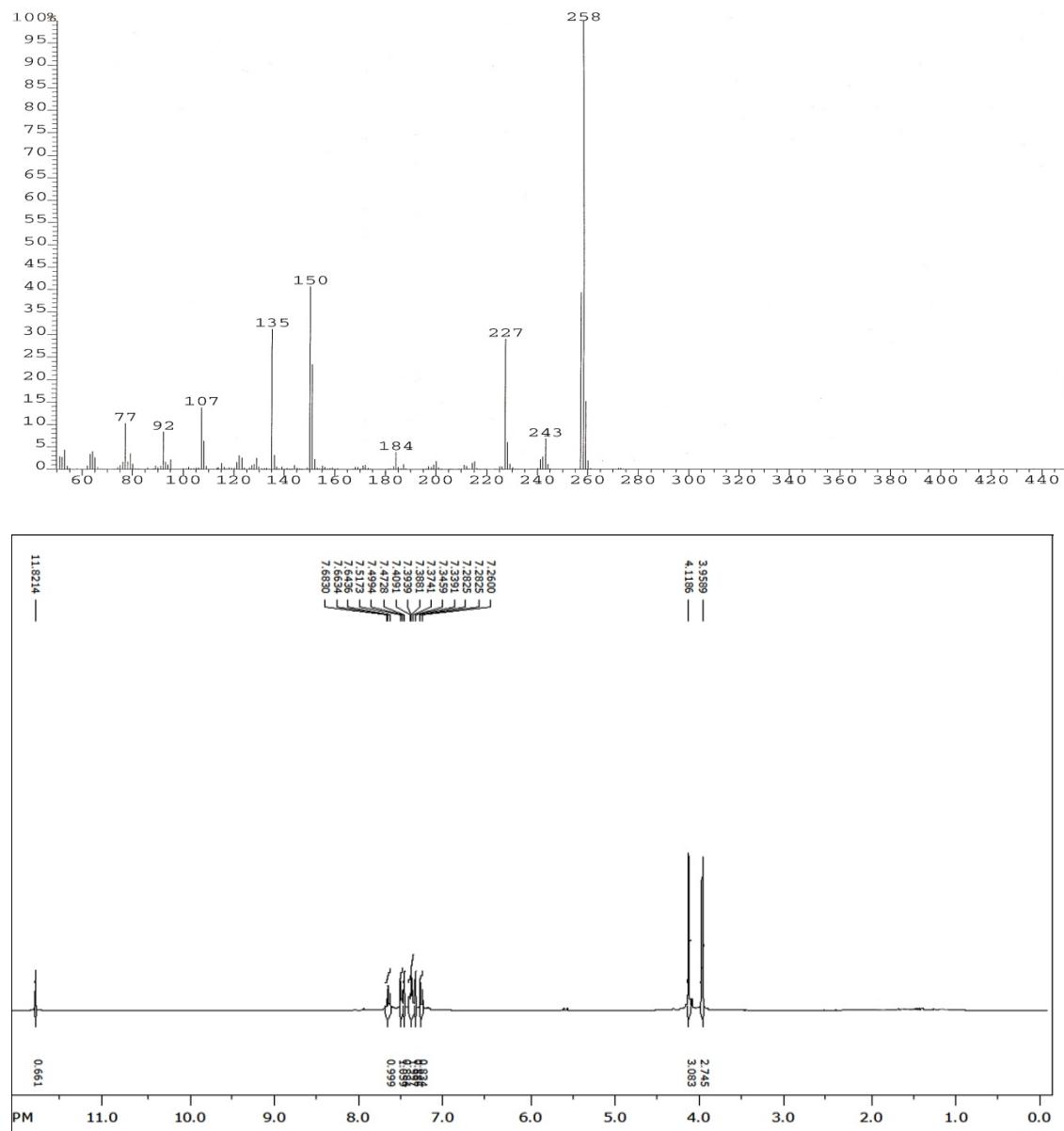
3. **General Procedures for Ortho-Acylation of Phenols with Aldehydes:** Phenols (1.3 equiv), aryl aldehydes (1 equiv.), K_3PO_4 (2.2 equiv.), CuCl_2 (5 mol%) and PPh_3 (7.5 mol%) were added in 3 mL toluene, and then the reaction solution was stirred at 110 °C for 24 h. The mixture was extracted with DCM, washed by water, brine, and then the combined organic layer was dried by anhydrous Na_2SO_4 . After evaporation of solvents, the crude product was purified by flash chromatography to afford the products.

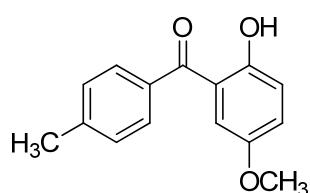
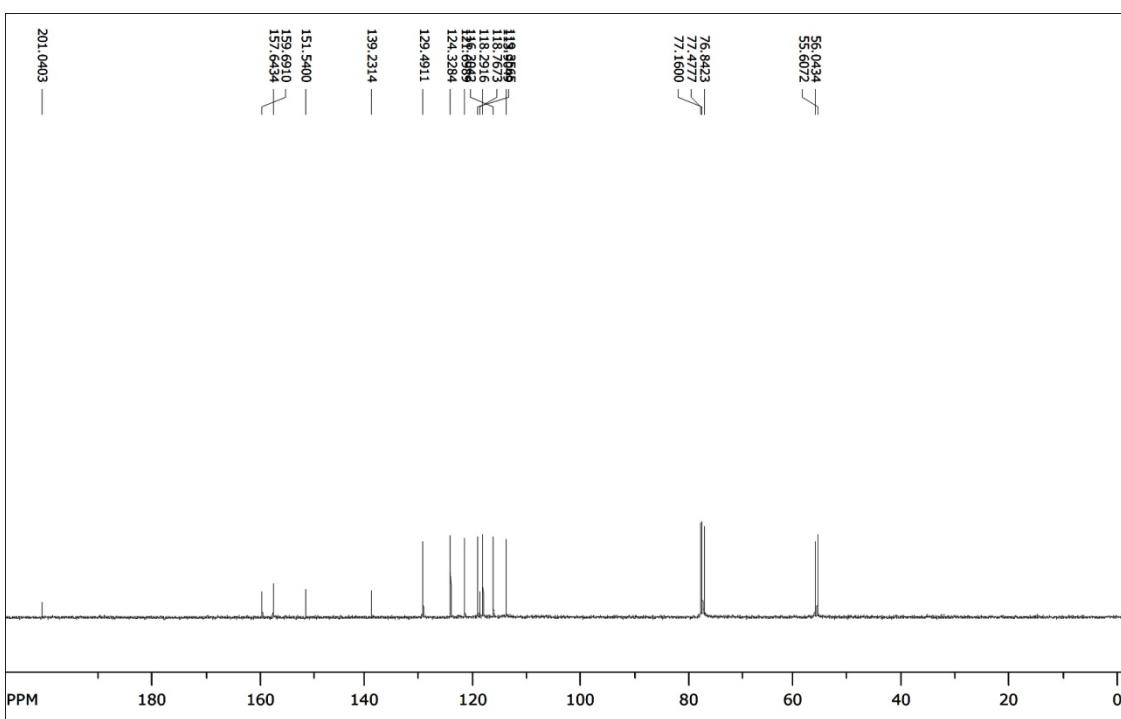
4. **General Procedure for One-step Preparation of Xanthones:** Phenols (1.3 equiv), 2-nitrobenzaldehydes (1 equiv.), K_3PO_4 (2.2 equiv.), CuCl_2 (5 mol%) and PPh_3 (7.5 mol%) were added in 3 mL toluene, and then the reaction solutions was stirred at 110 °C for 24 h. The mixture was extracted with DCM, washed by water, brine, and then the combined organic layer was dried by anhydrous Na_2SO_4 . After evaporation of solvents, the crude product was purified by flash chromatography to afford the products.

5. **Data and MS, ^1H NMR, ^{13}C NMR spectra**

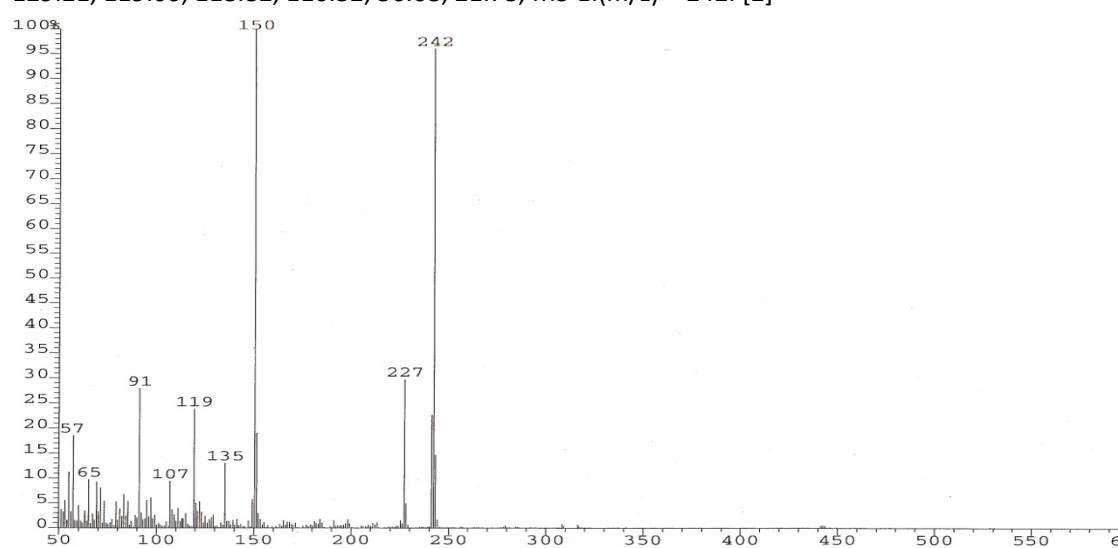


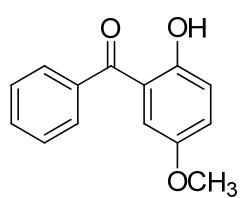
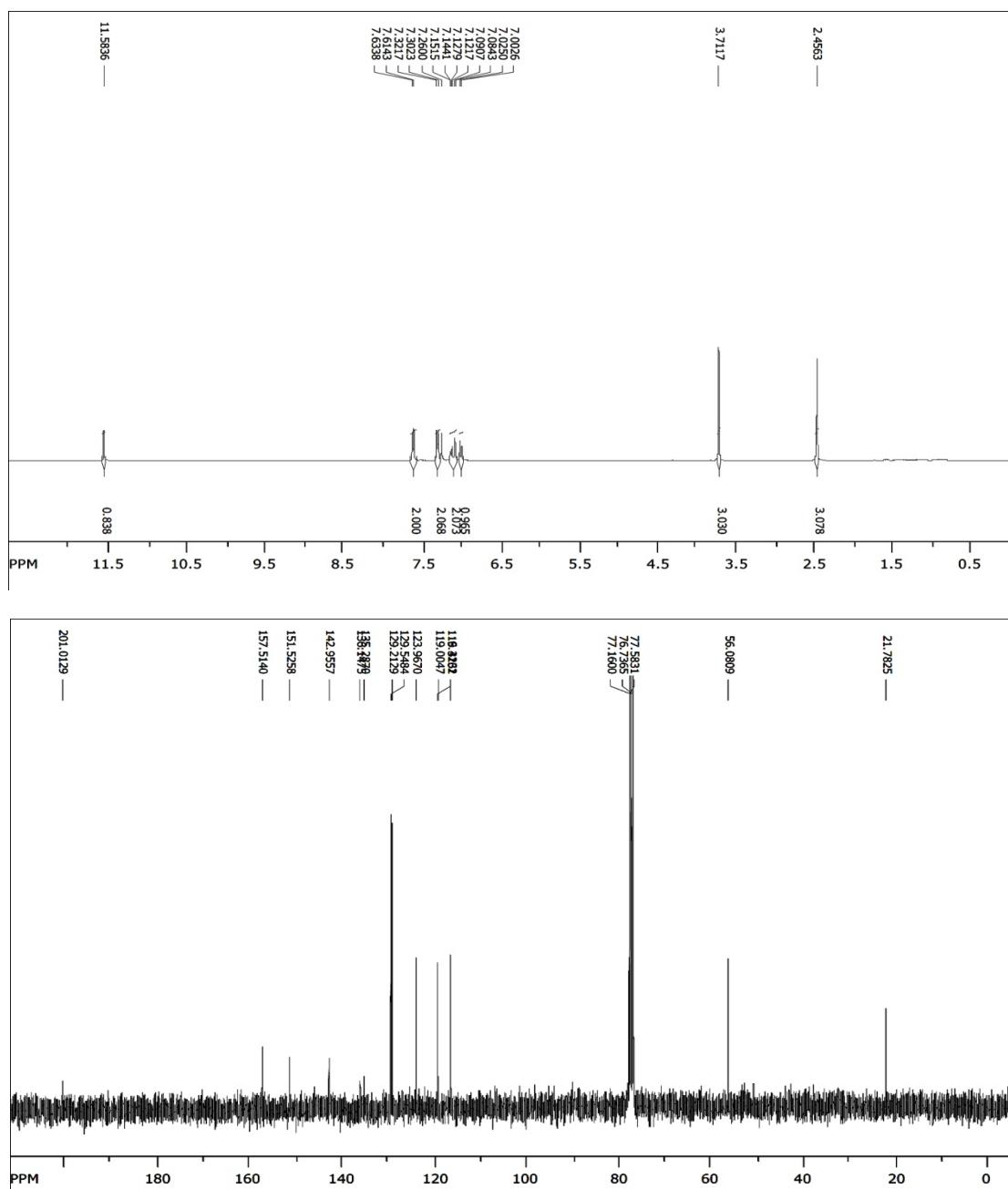
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=10:1 as the mobile phase; yellow solid, mp. 40-41 °C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 11.82 (s, 1H, OH), 7.28-7.68 (m, 7H, Ph-H), 3.95, 4.11 (2*s, 2*3H, OCH₃); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 201.04, 159.69, 157.64, 151.54, 139.23, 129.49, 124.32, 121.69, 119.35, 118.76, 118.29, 116.30, 113.90, 56.04, 55.60; MS-EI(m/z) = 258. [1]





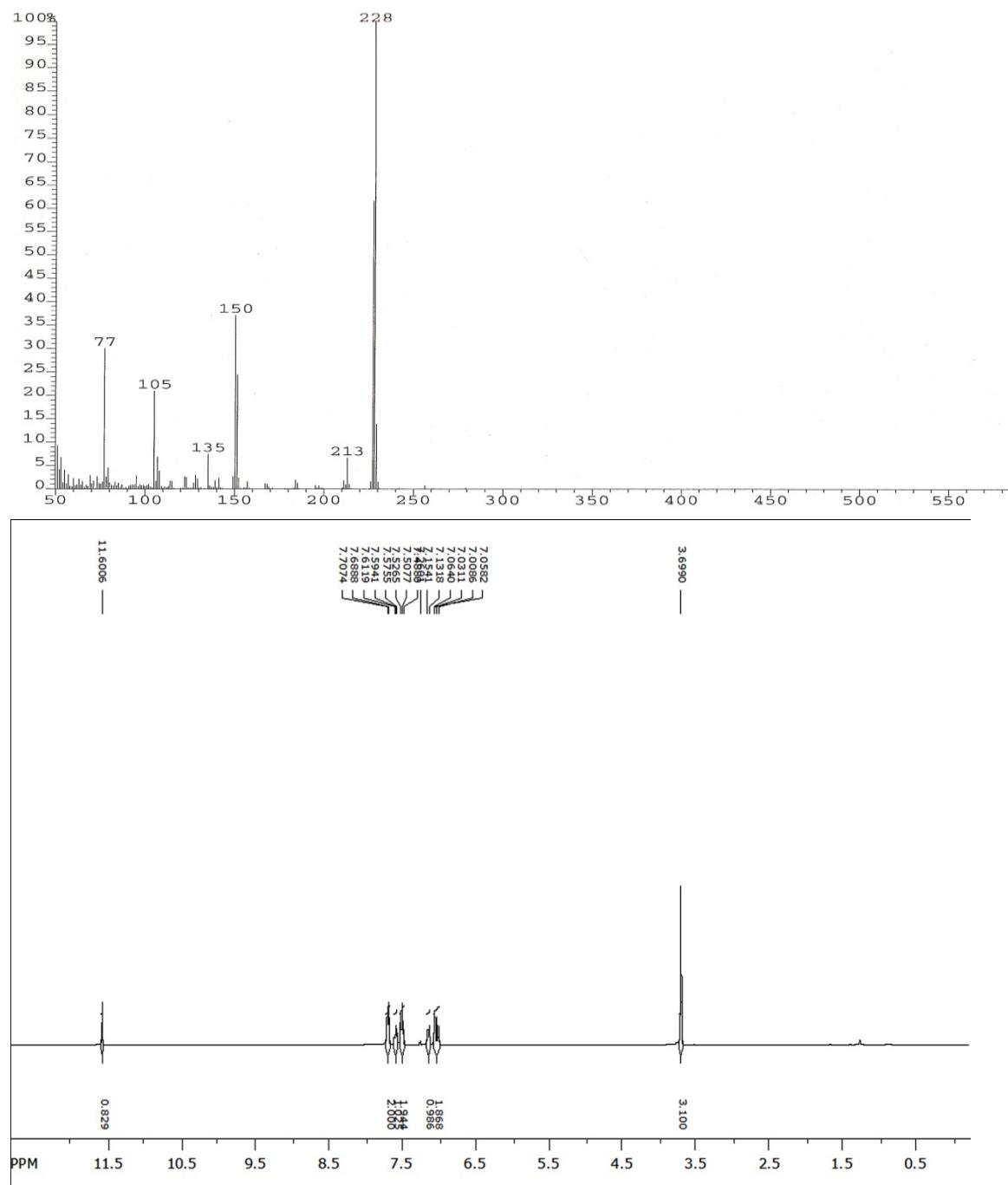
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=10:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 92-95°C; ¹H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 11.58 (s, 1H, OH), 7.00-7.63 (m, 7H, Ph-H), 3.71 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 2.45 (s, 3H, CH₃); ¹³C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 201.01, 157.51, 151.52, 142.95, 136.14, 135.29, 135.21, 129.54, 129.21, 119.00, 118.82, 116.32, 56.08, 21.78; MS-EI(m/z) = 242. [2]

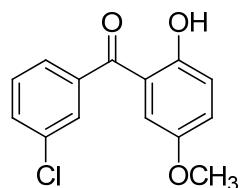
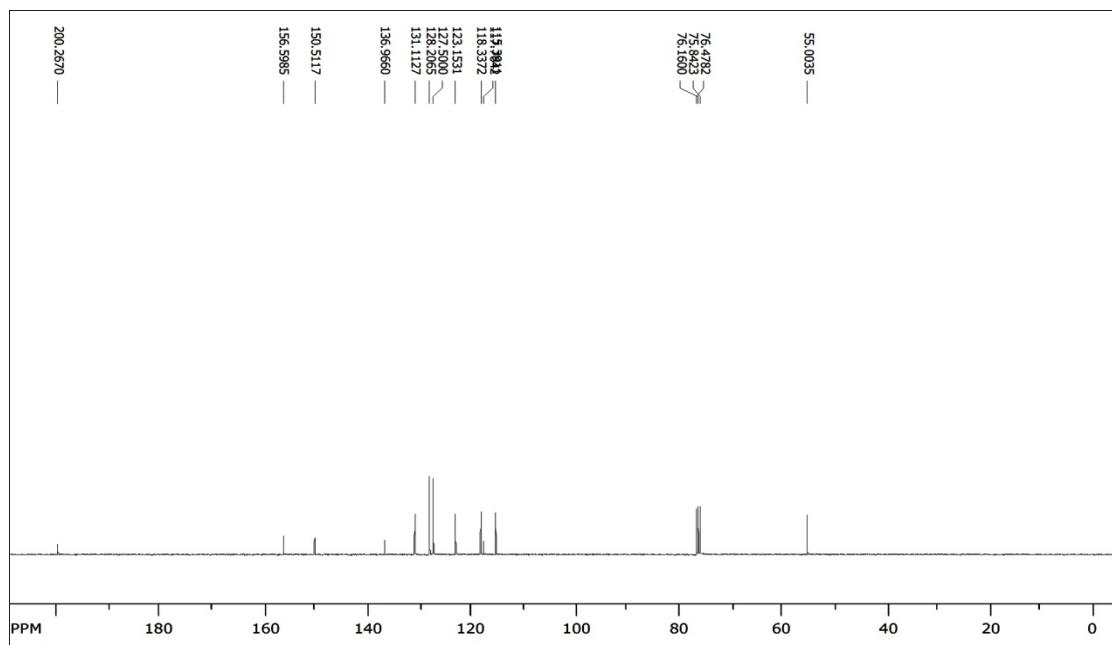




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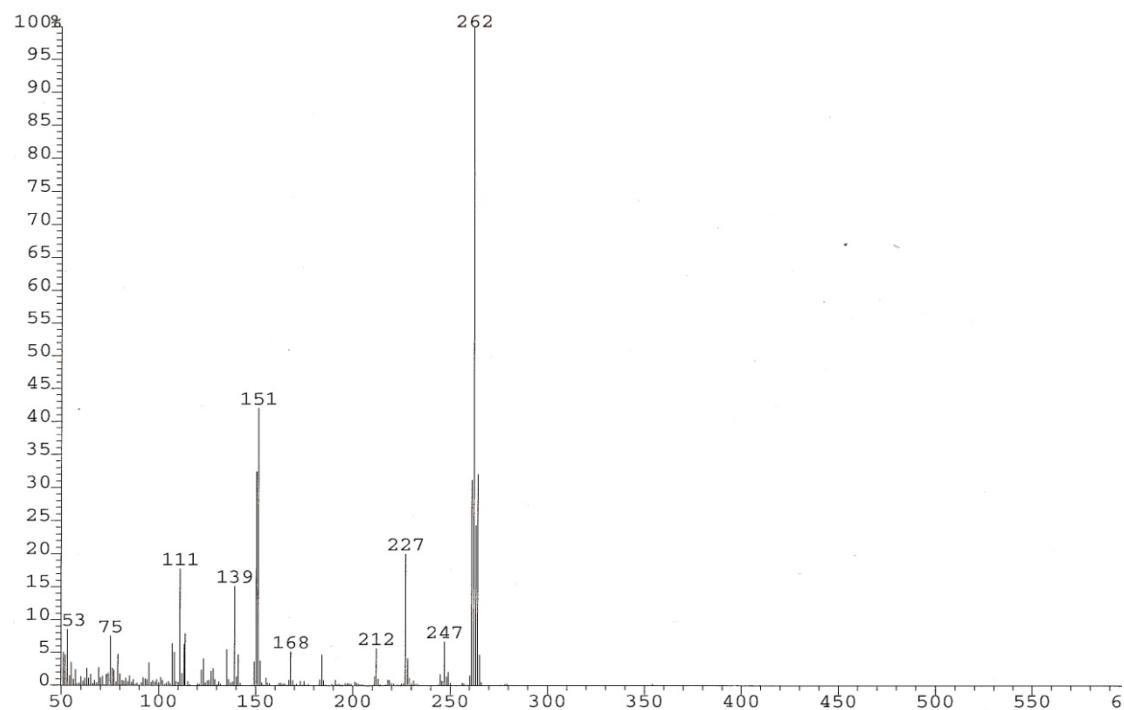
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=8:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 82–84 °C [84–85.5 °C[3]]; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 11.60 (s, 1H, OH), 7.05–7.70 (m, 8H, Ph-H), 3.69 (s, 3H, OCH₃); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 200.26, 156.59, 150.51, 136.96, 131.11, 128.20, 127.50, 123.15, 118.33, 117.79, 115.20, 55.00; MS-EI (m/z) = 228.

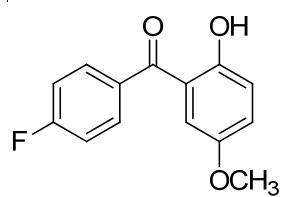
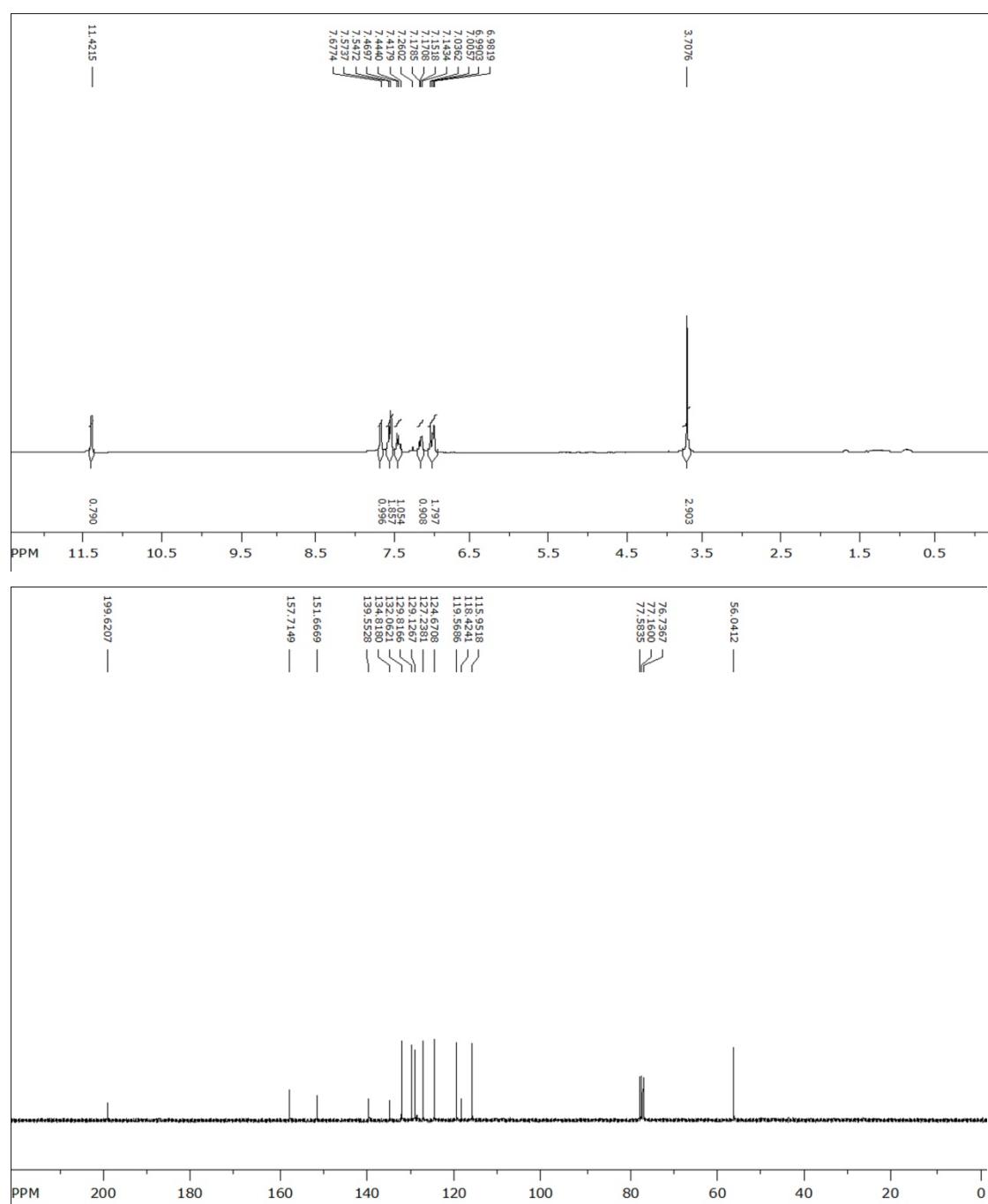




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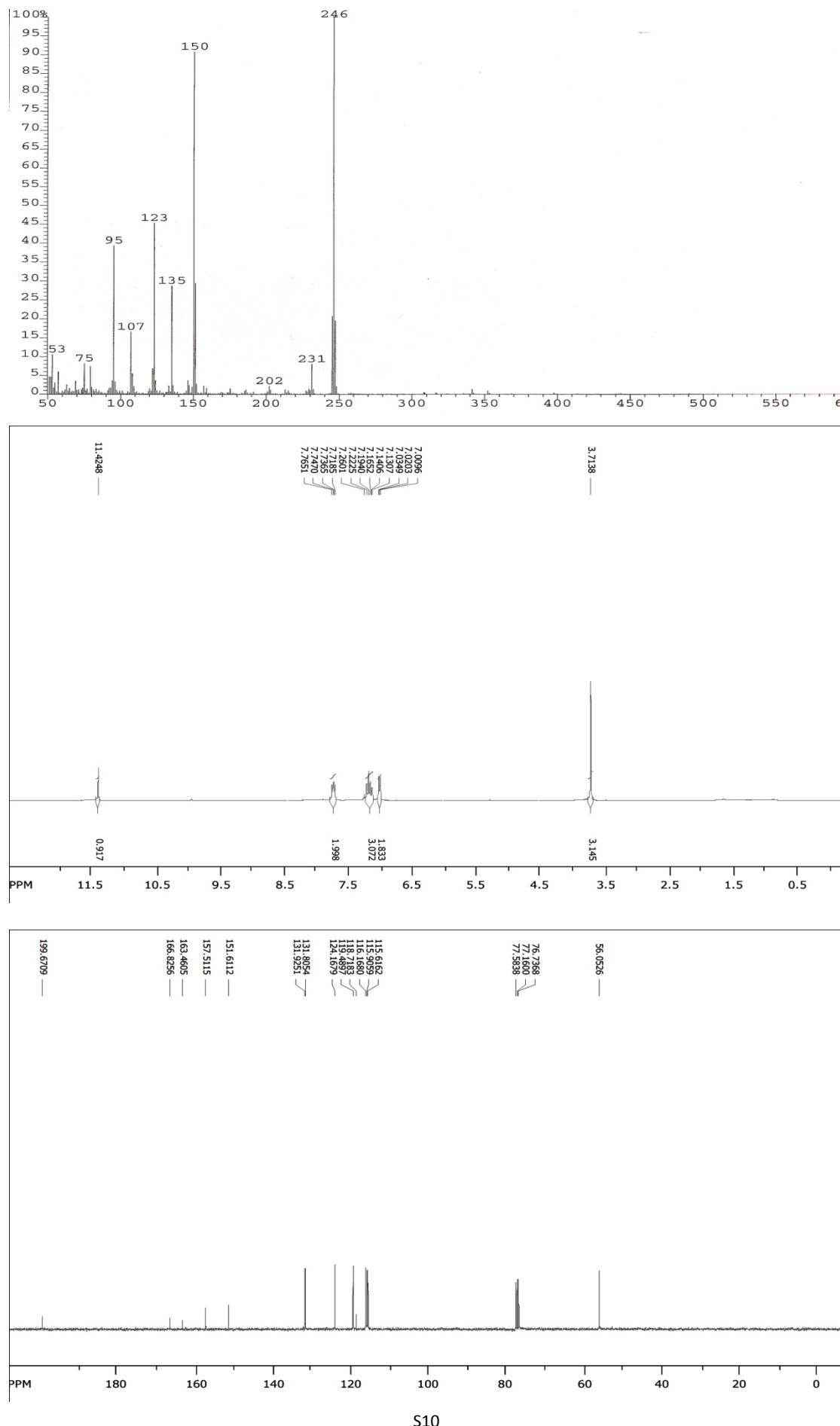
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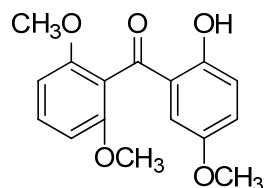




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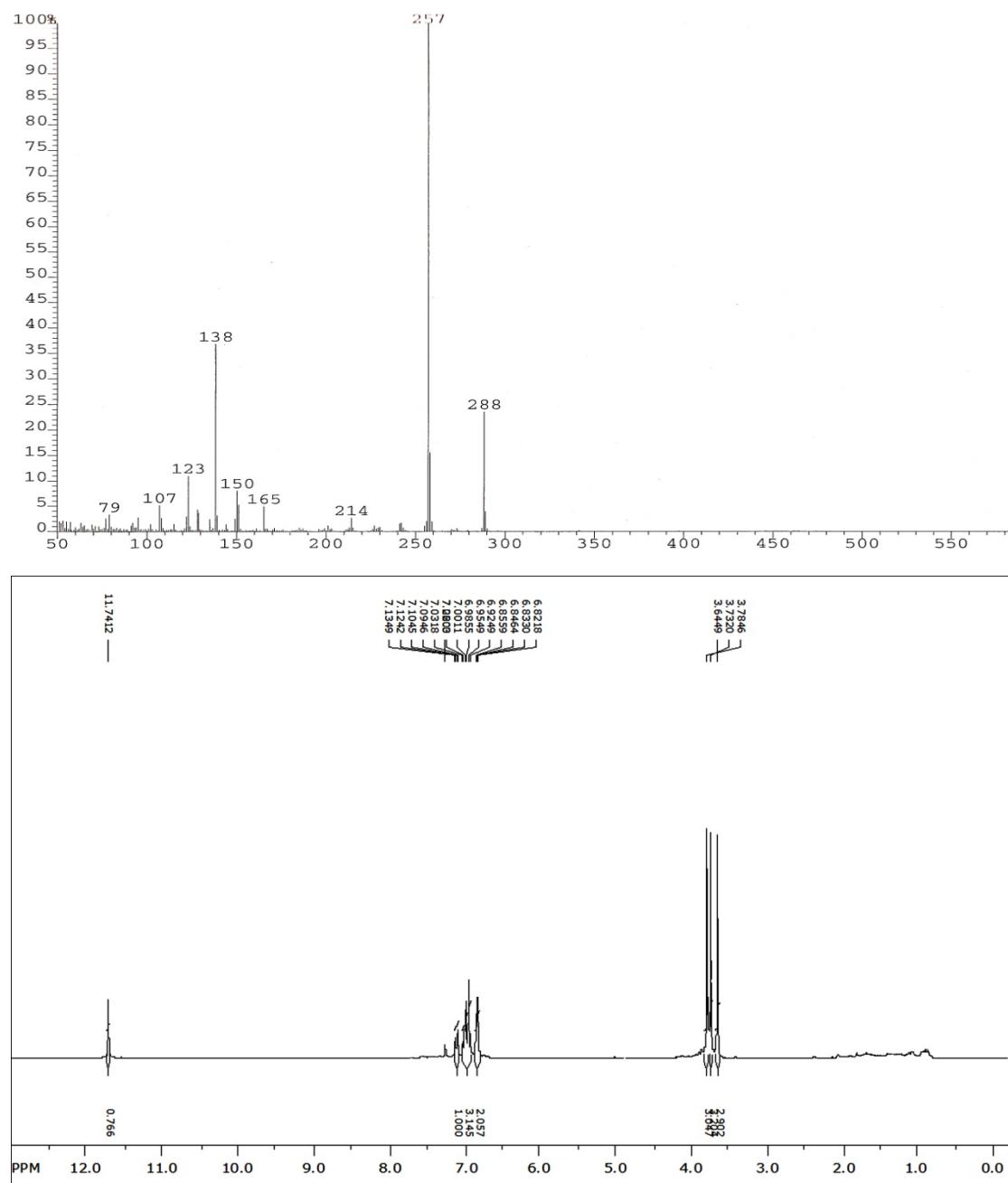
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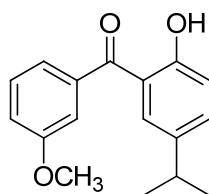
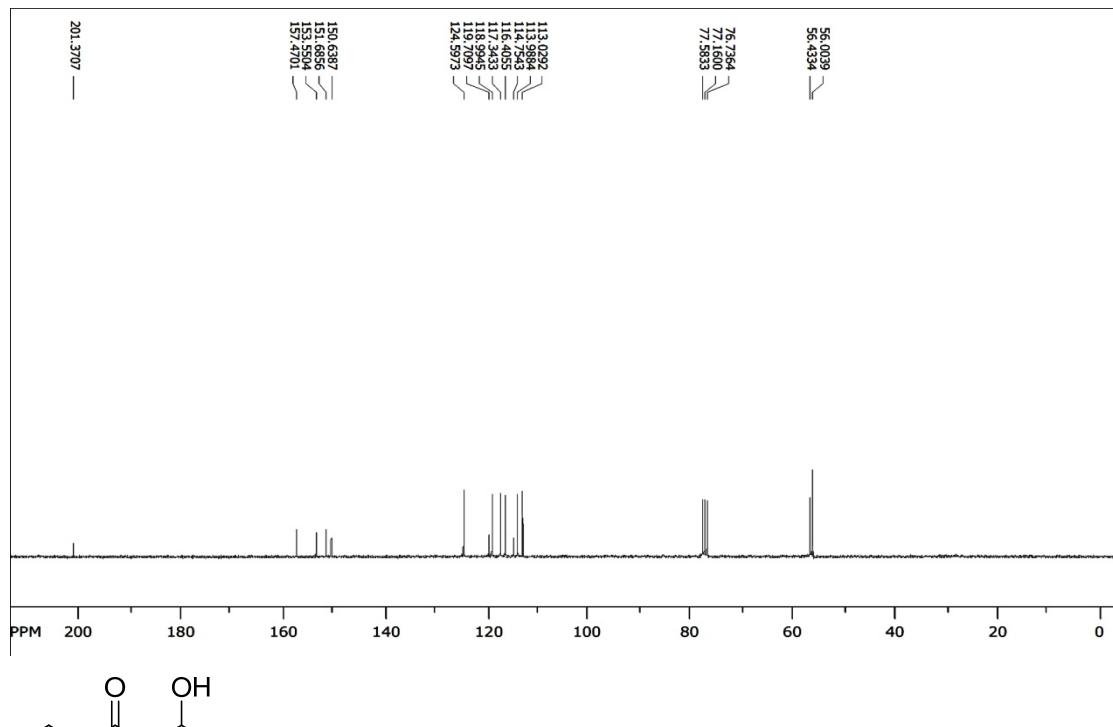




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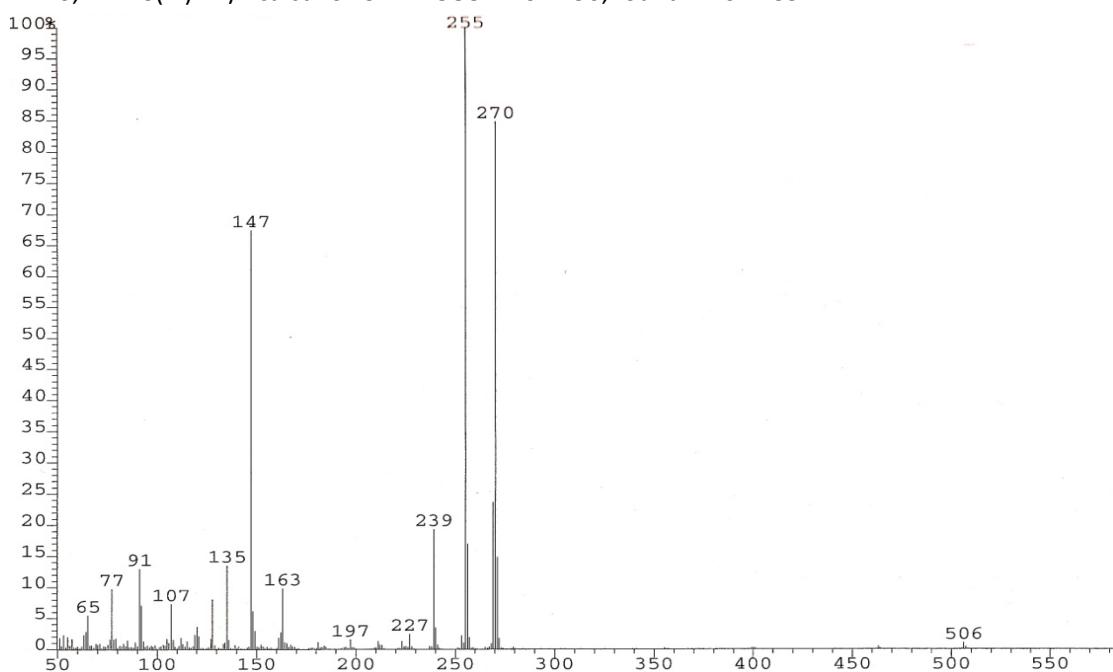
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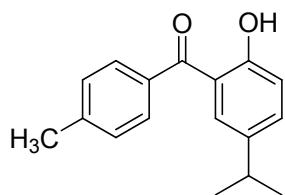
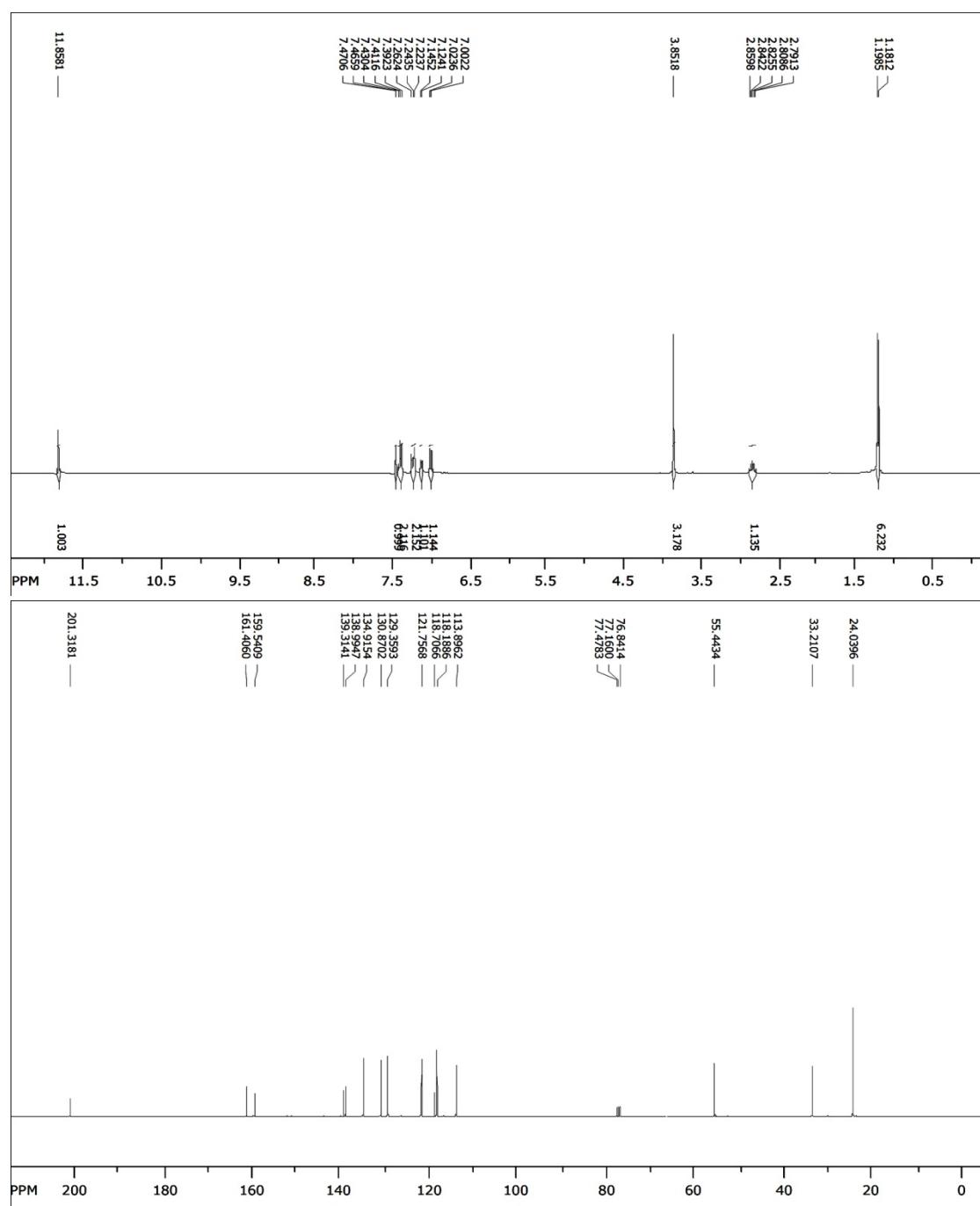




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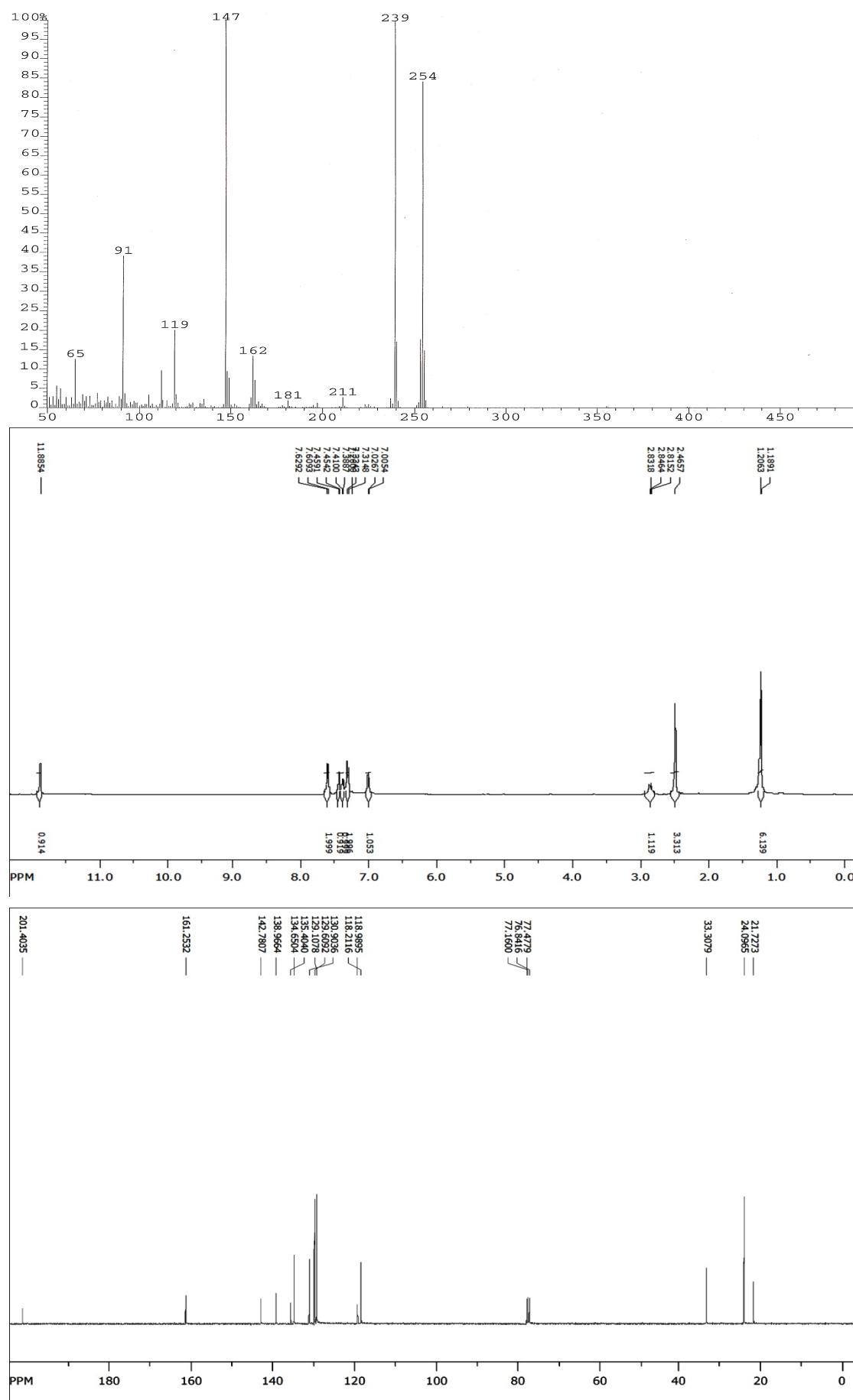
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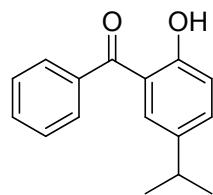




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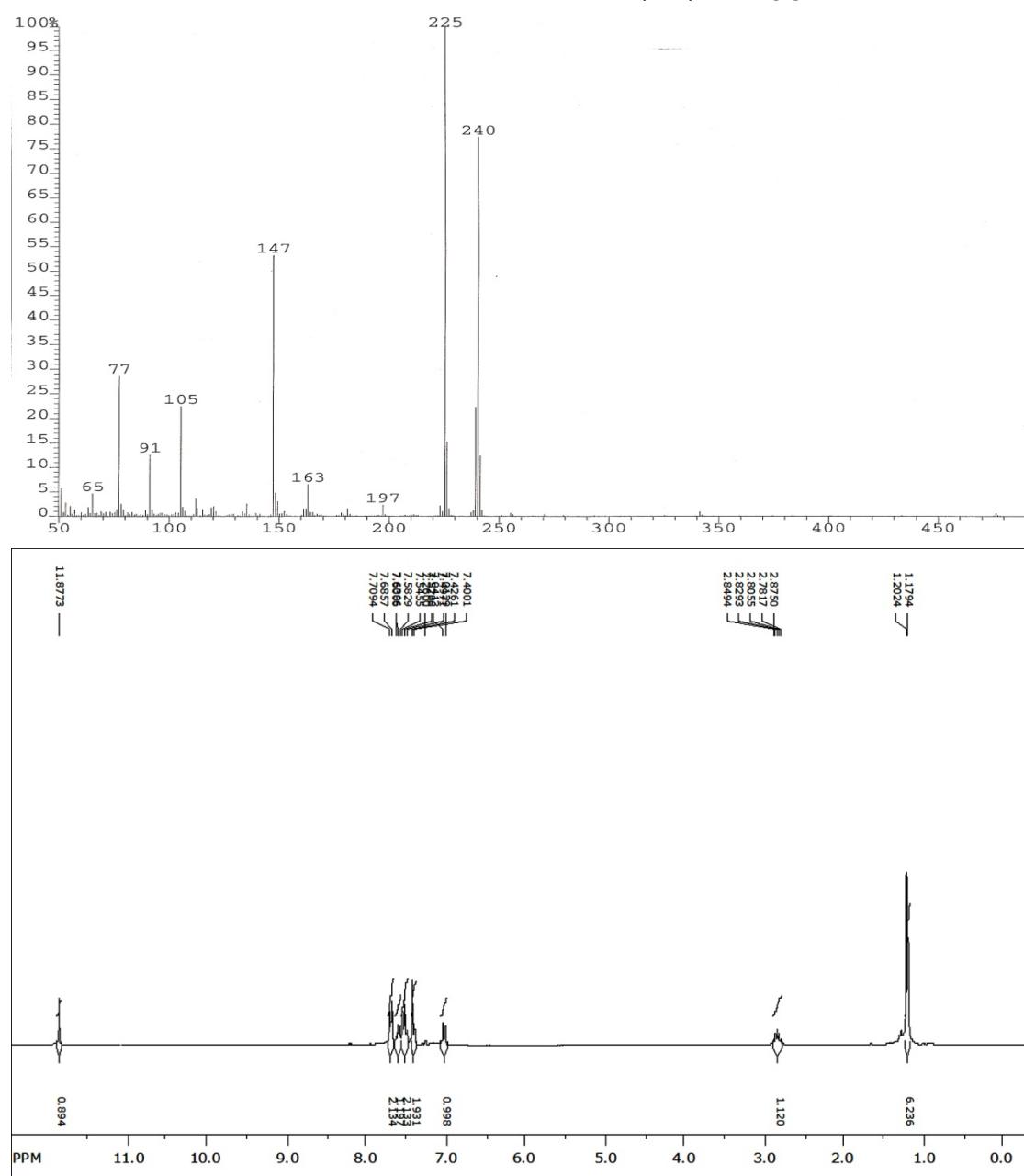
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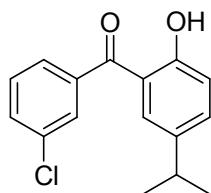
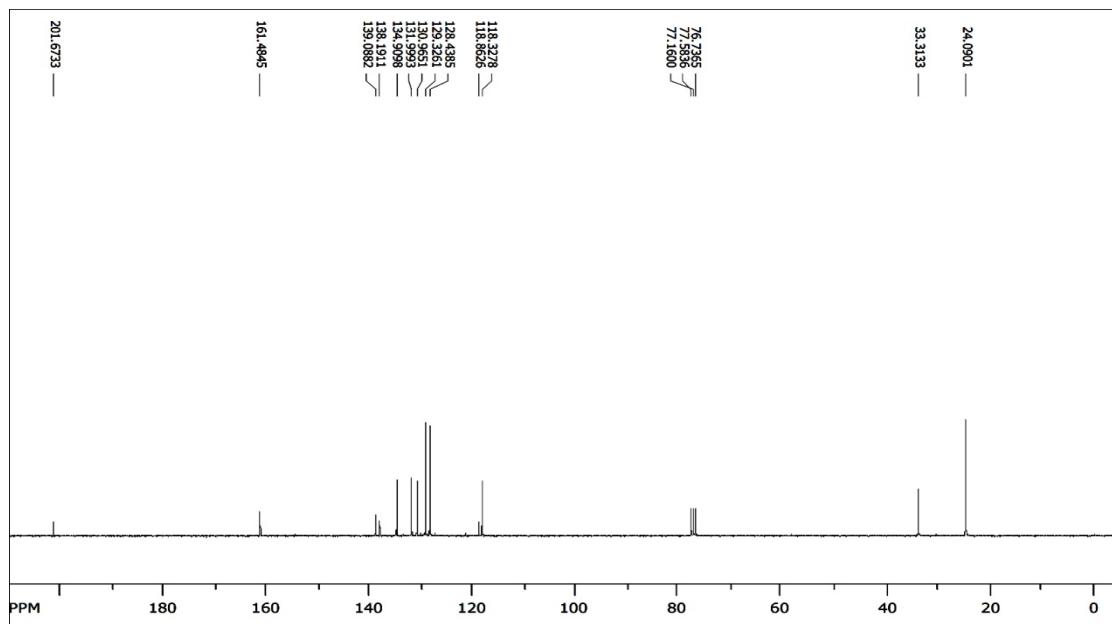




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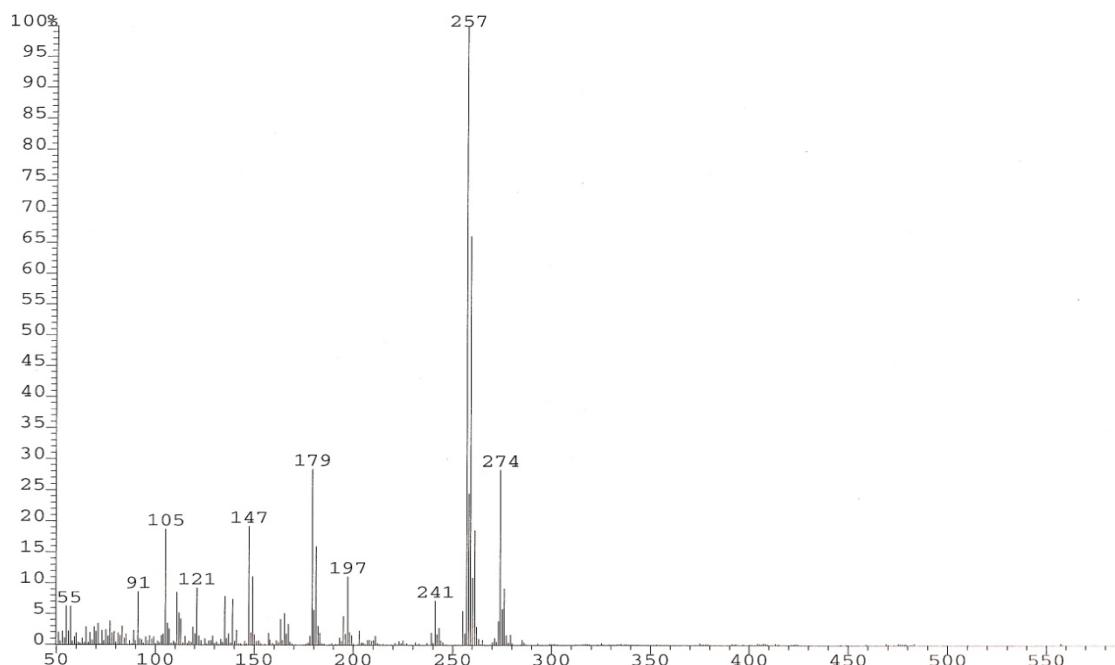
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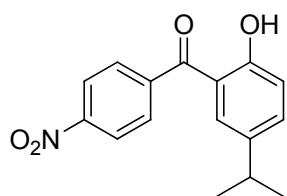
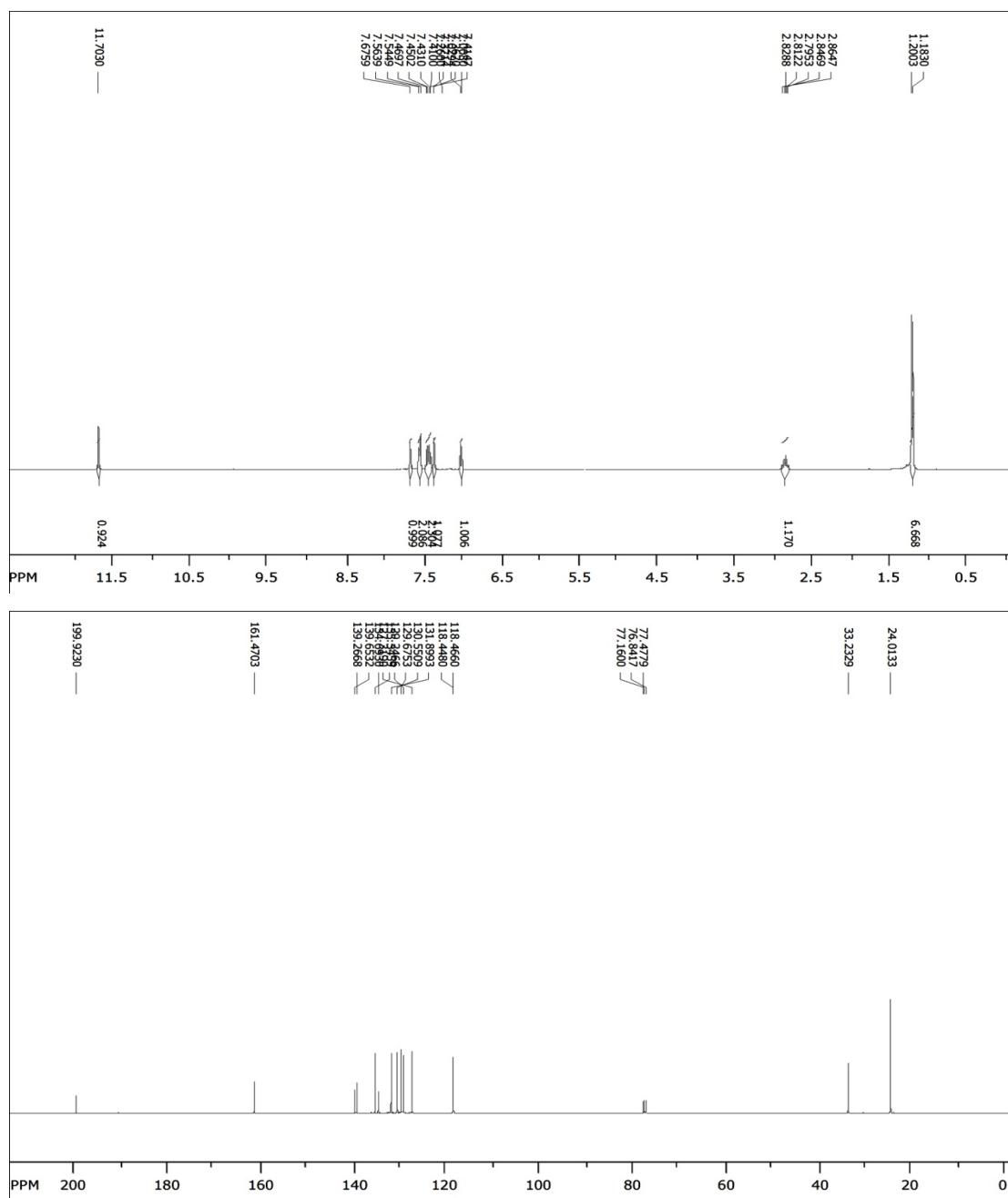




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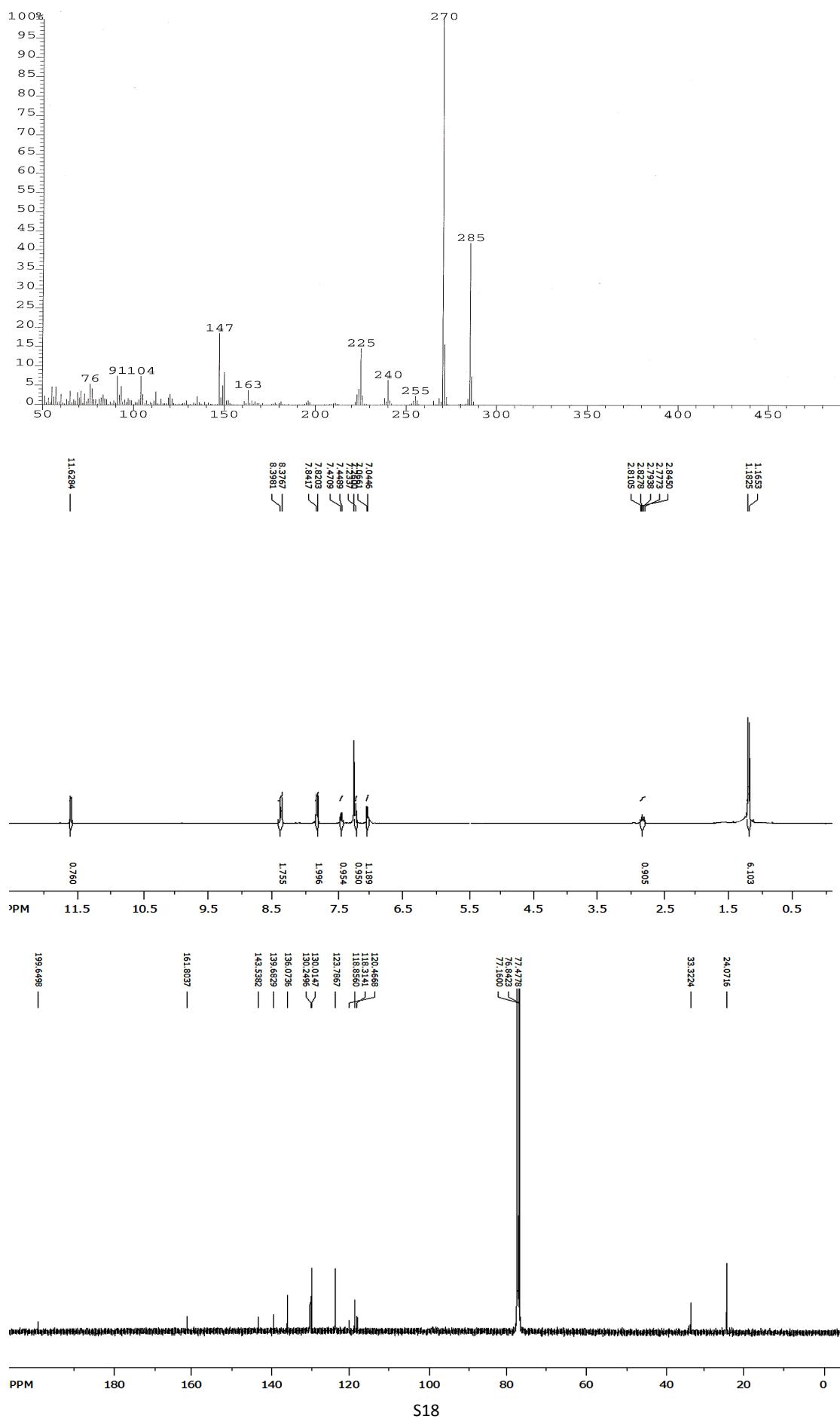
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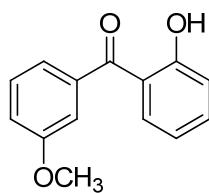




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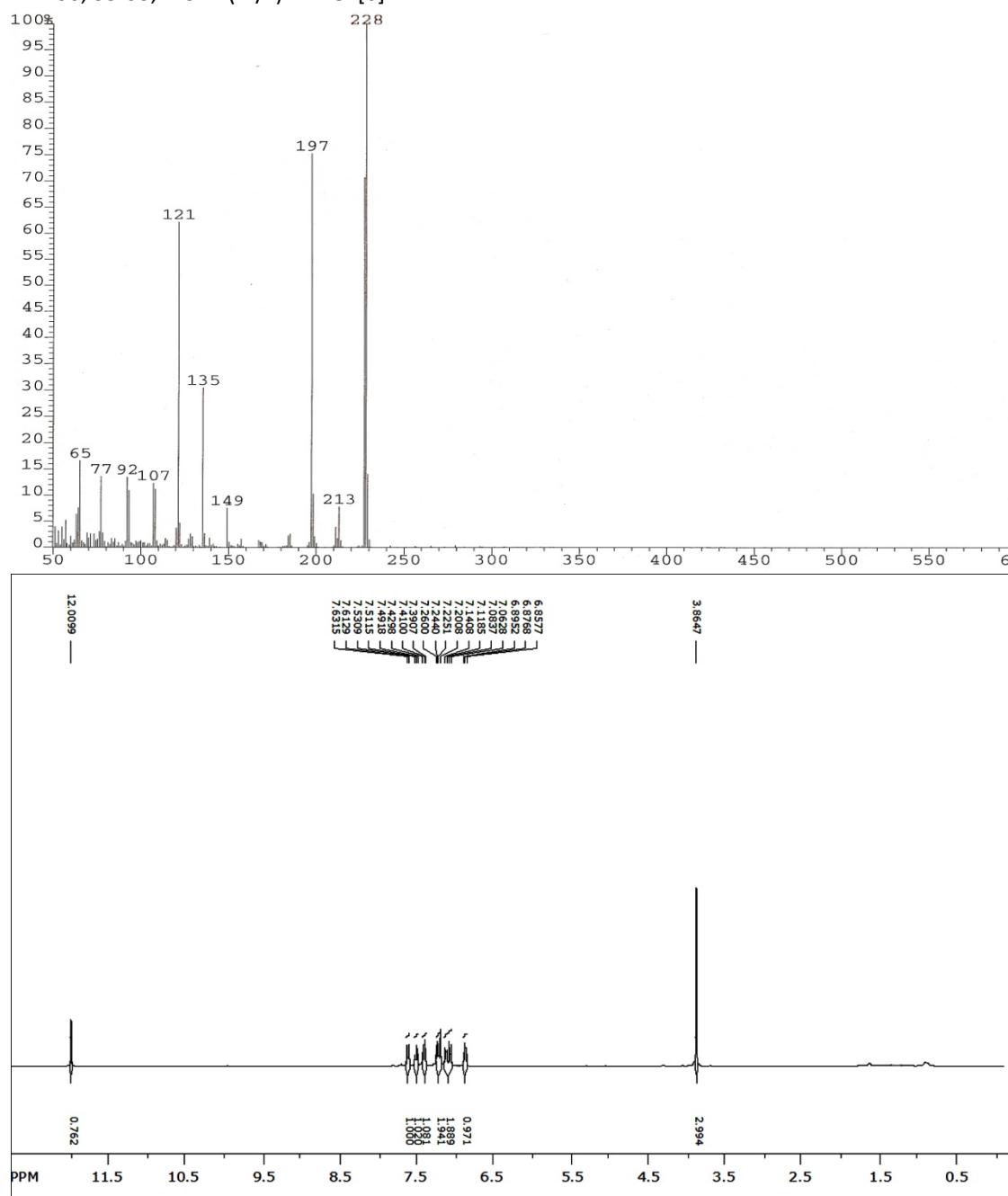
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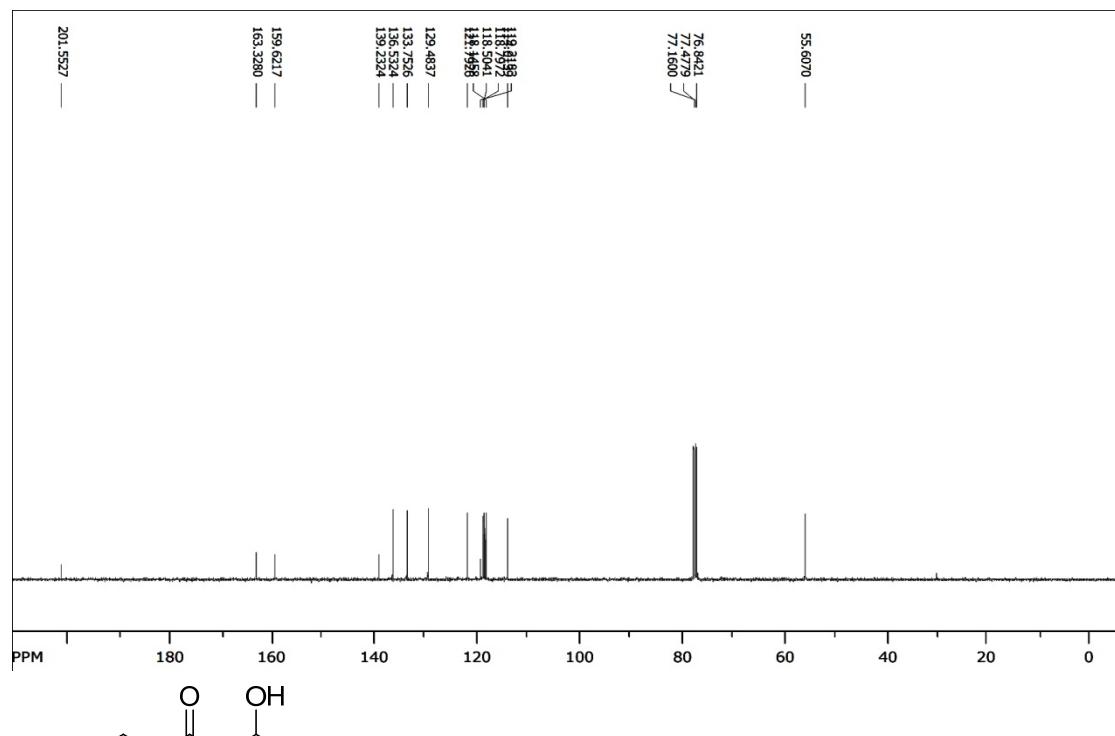




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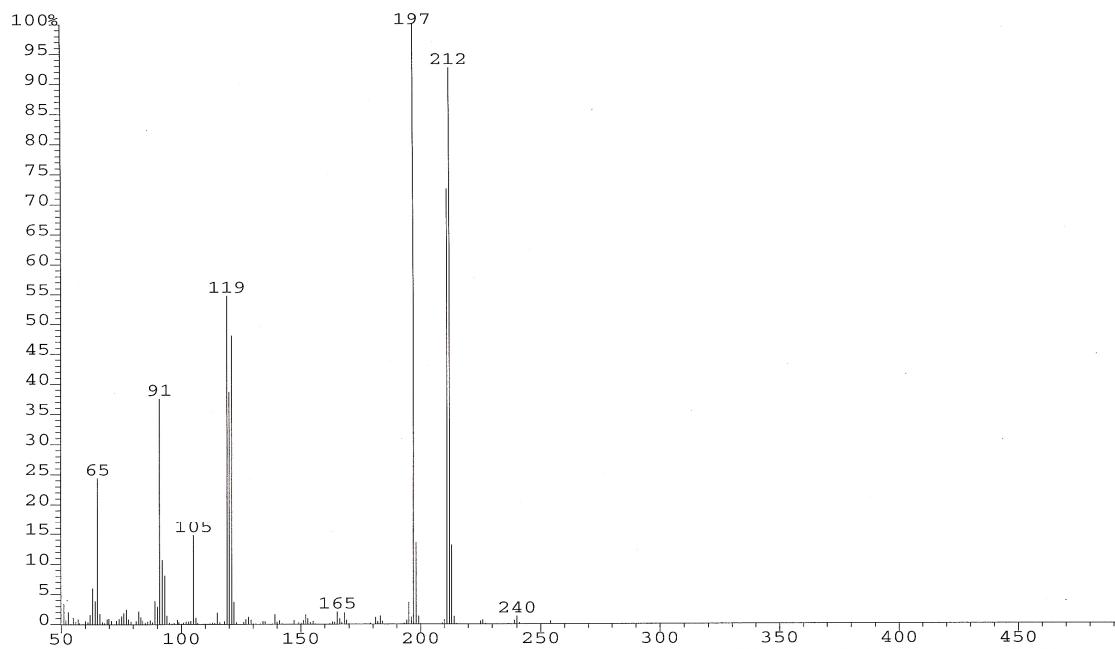
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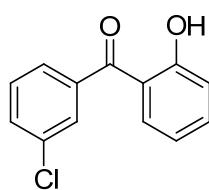
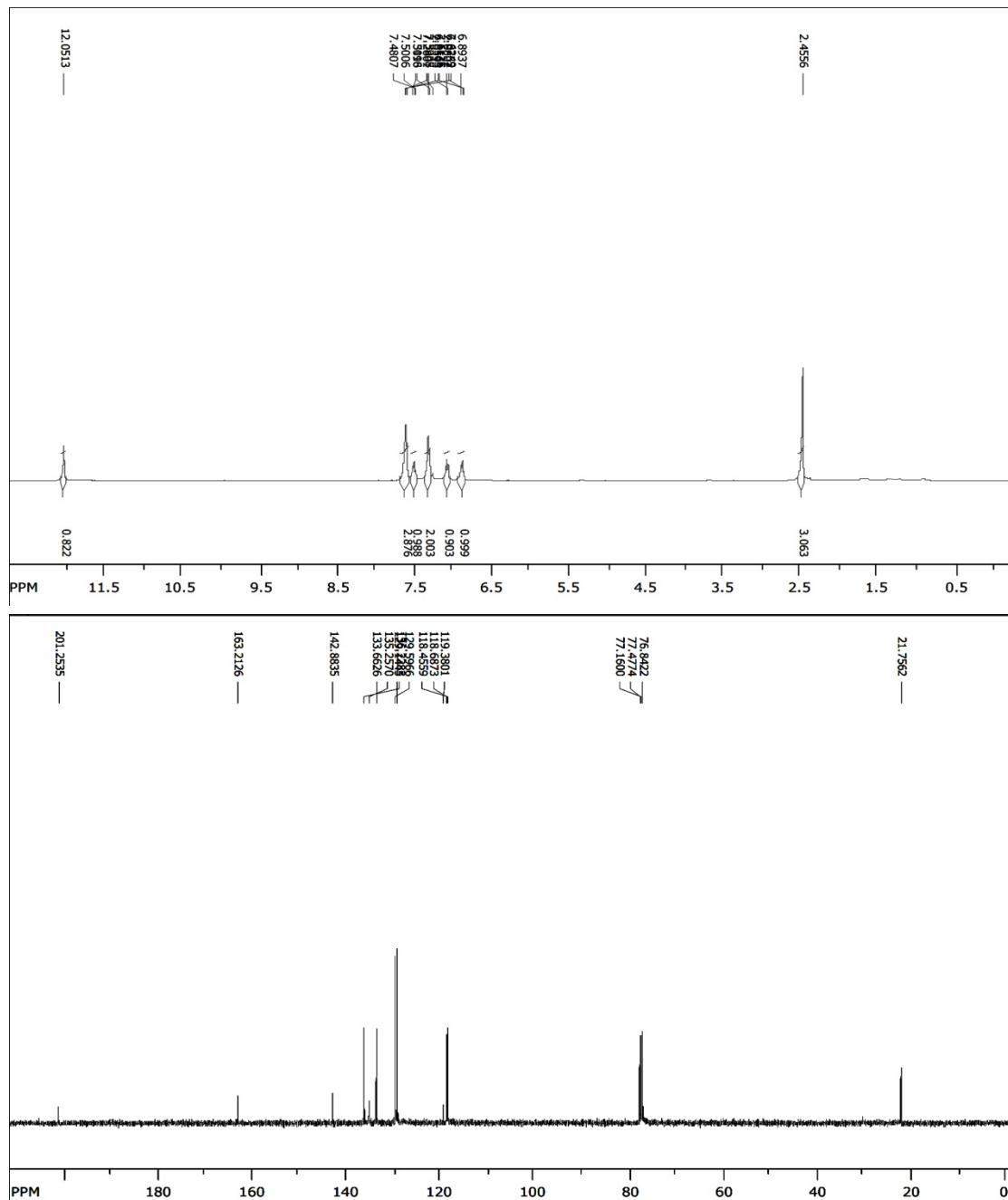




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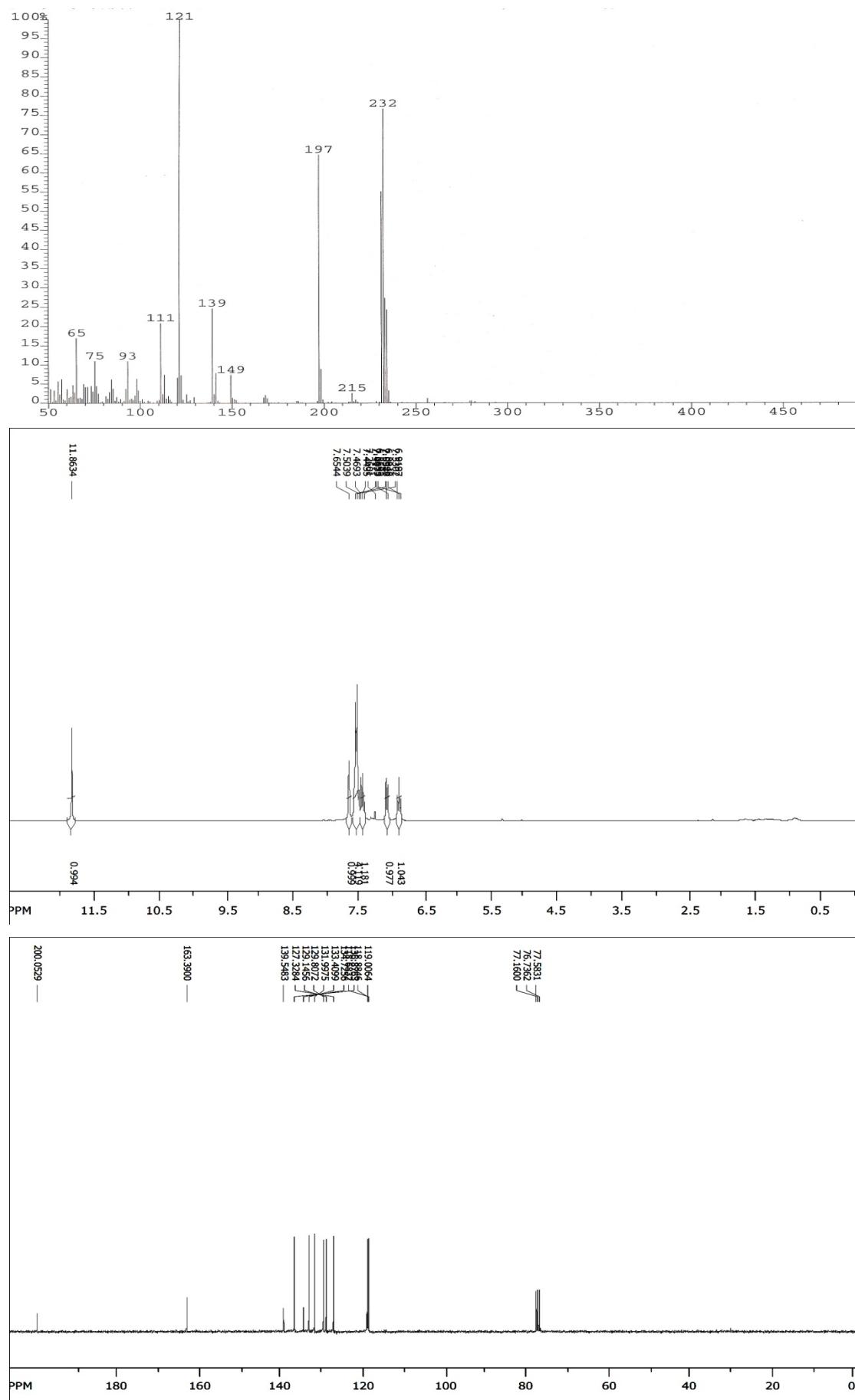
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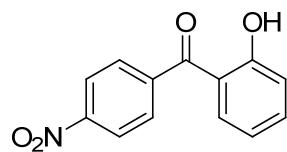




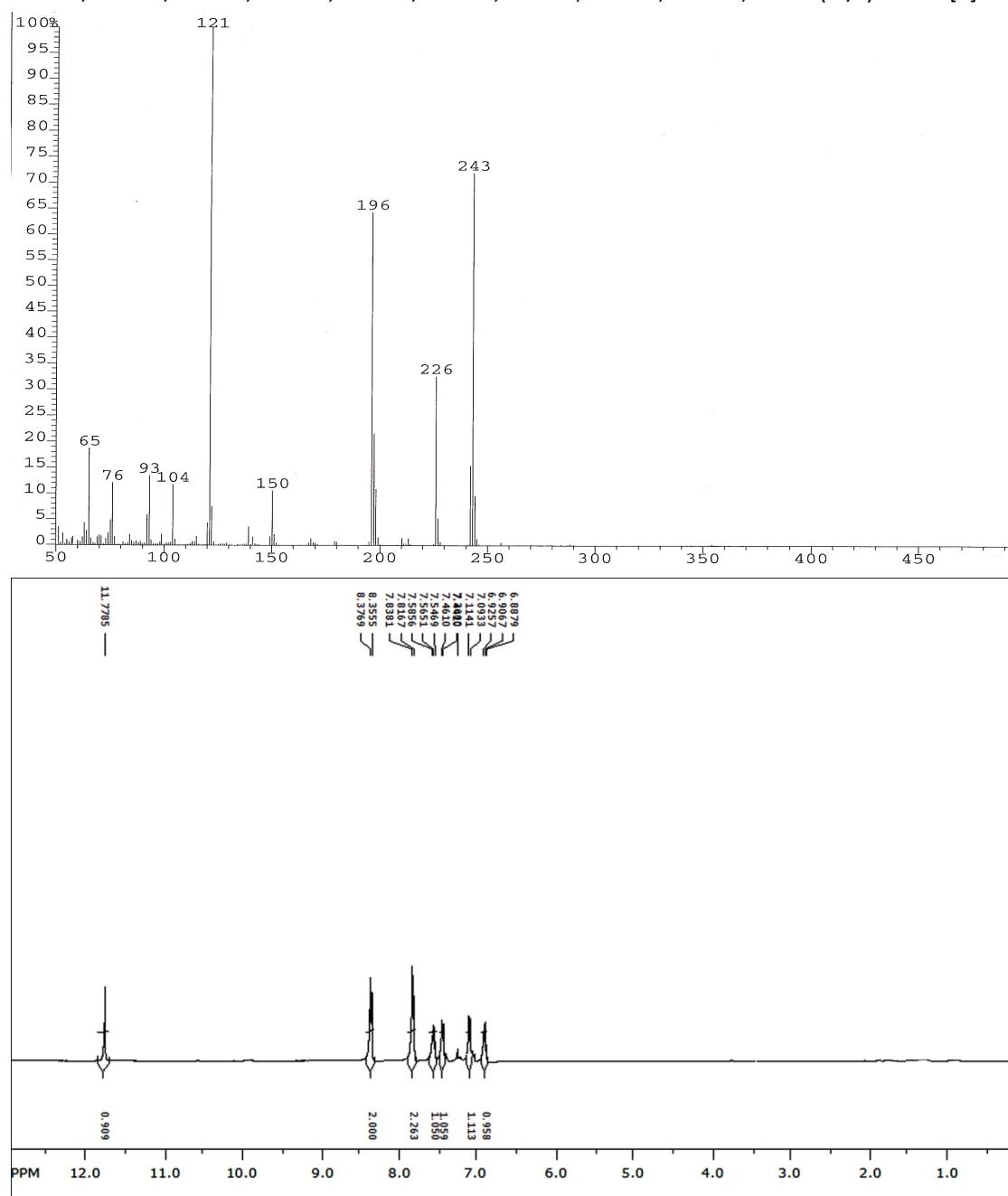
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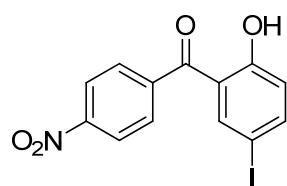
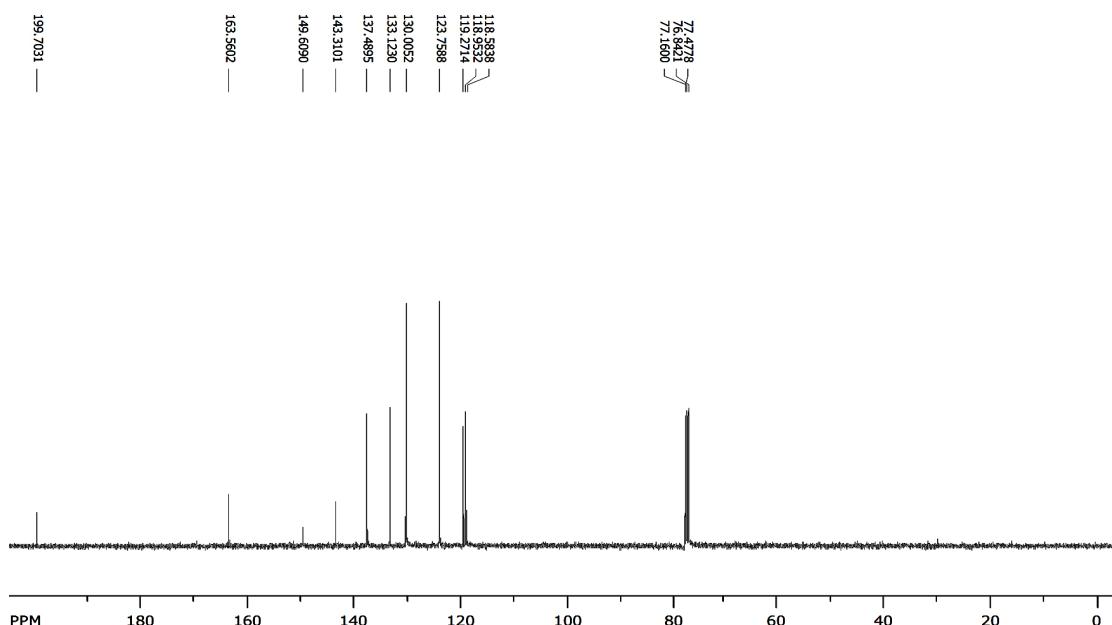
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=7:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 74-75°C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz): δ 11.86 (s, 1H, OH), 6.80-7.65 (m, 8H, Ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz): δ 200.05, 163.39, 139.54, 138.00, 134.79, 133.40, 131.99, 129.80, 129.14, 127.32, 120.02, 119.00, 118.80; MS-EI (m/z) = 232. [8]





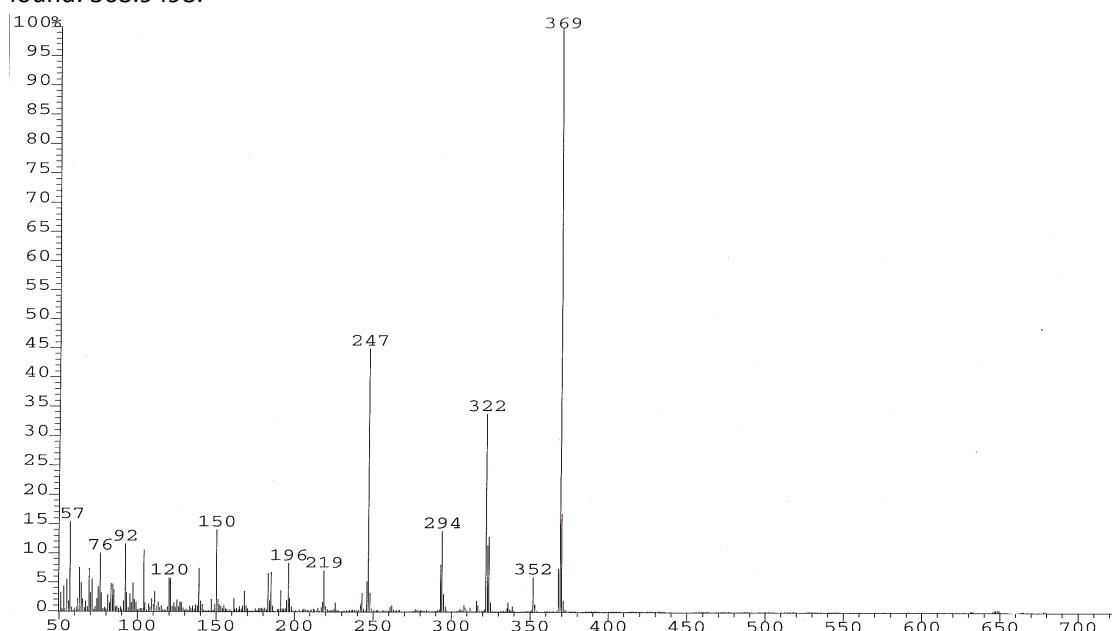
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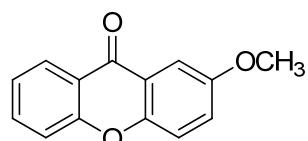
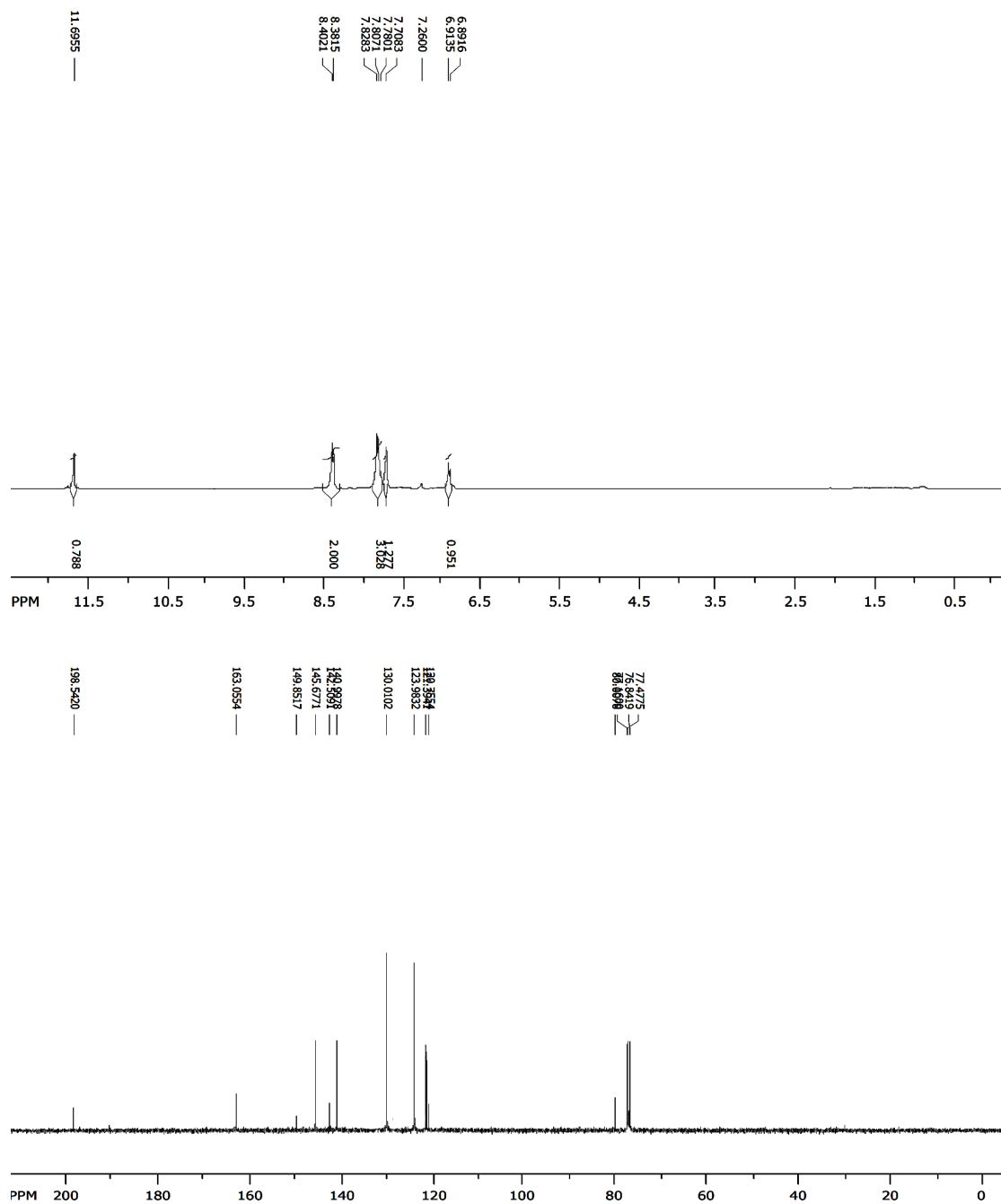




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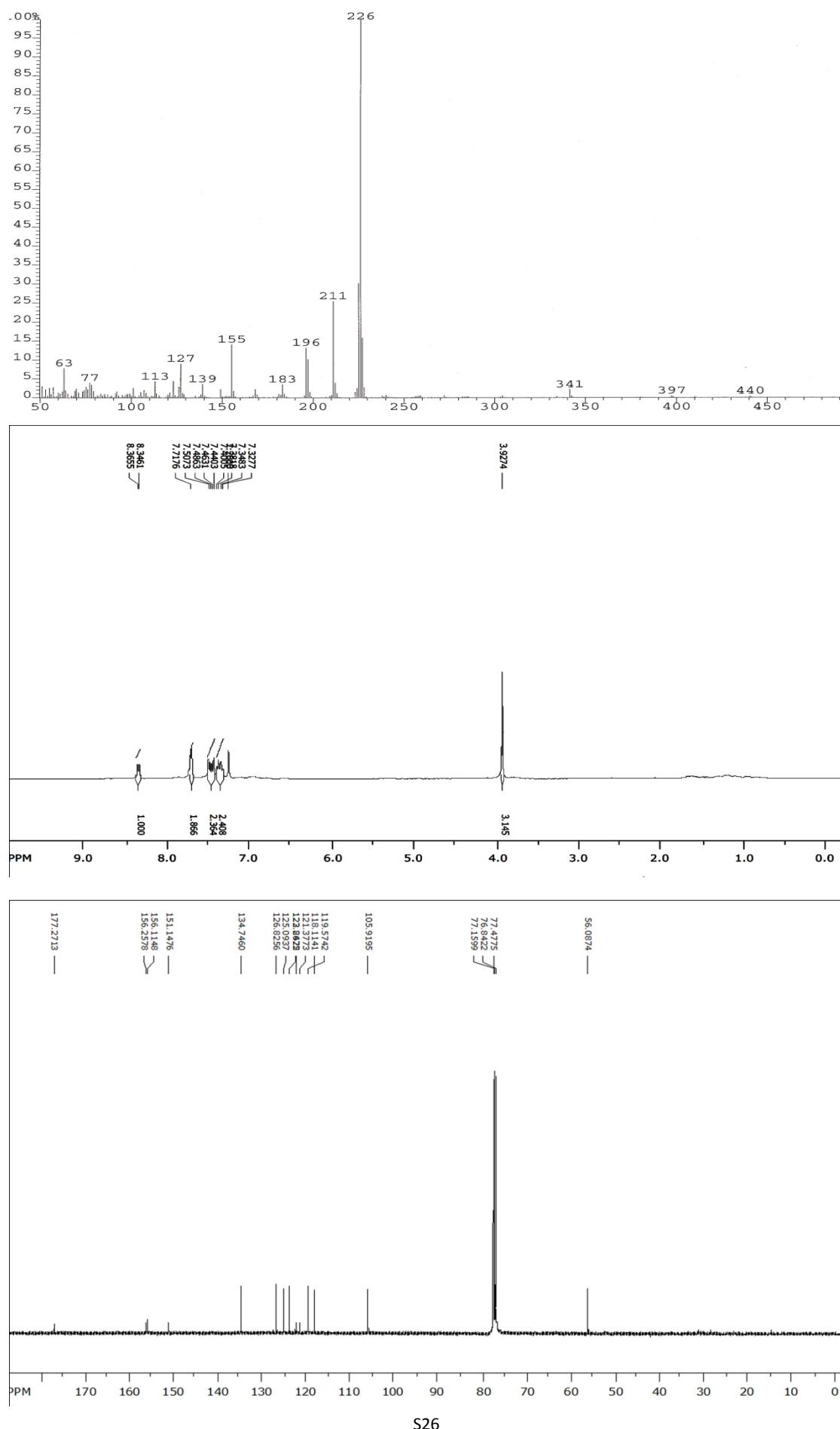
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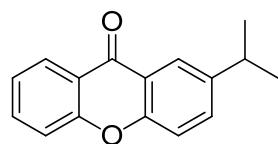




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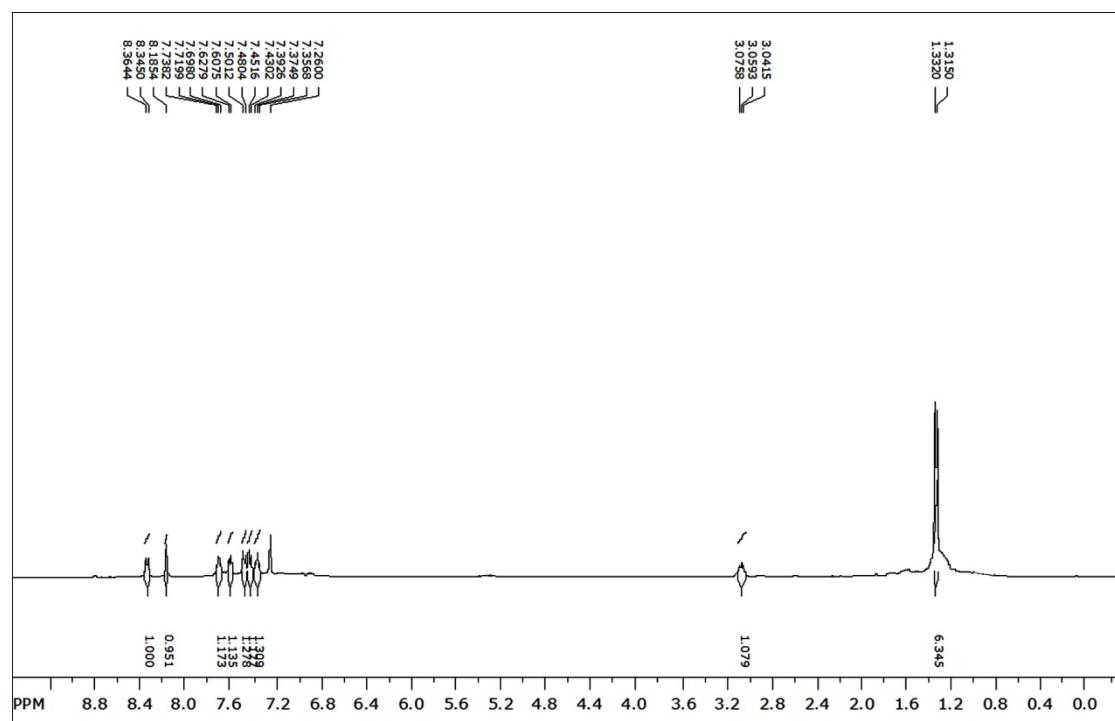
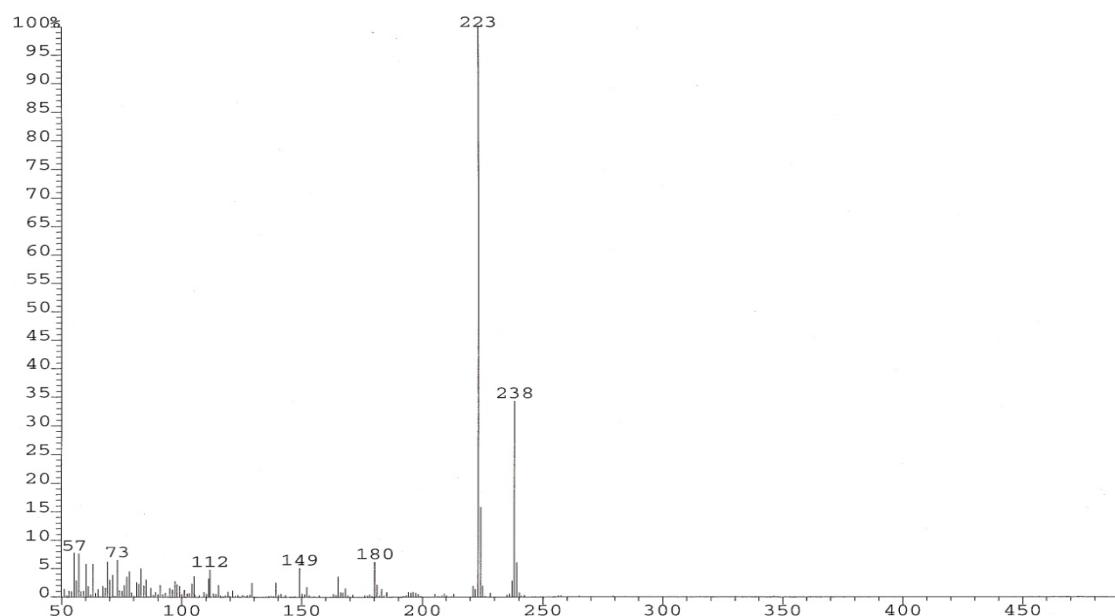
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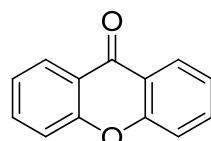
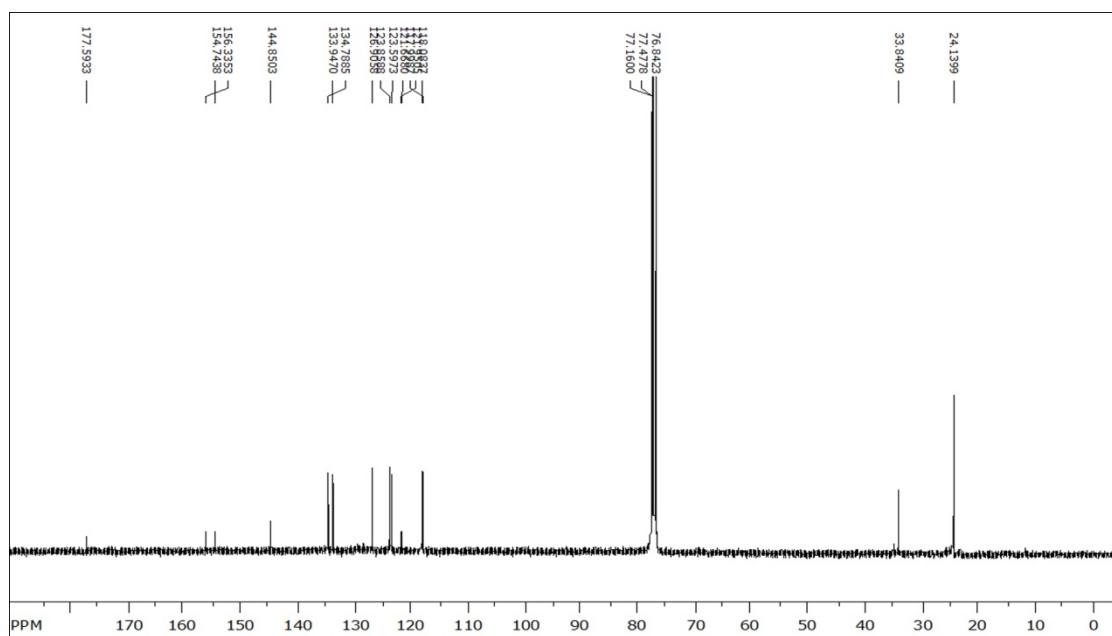




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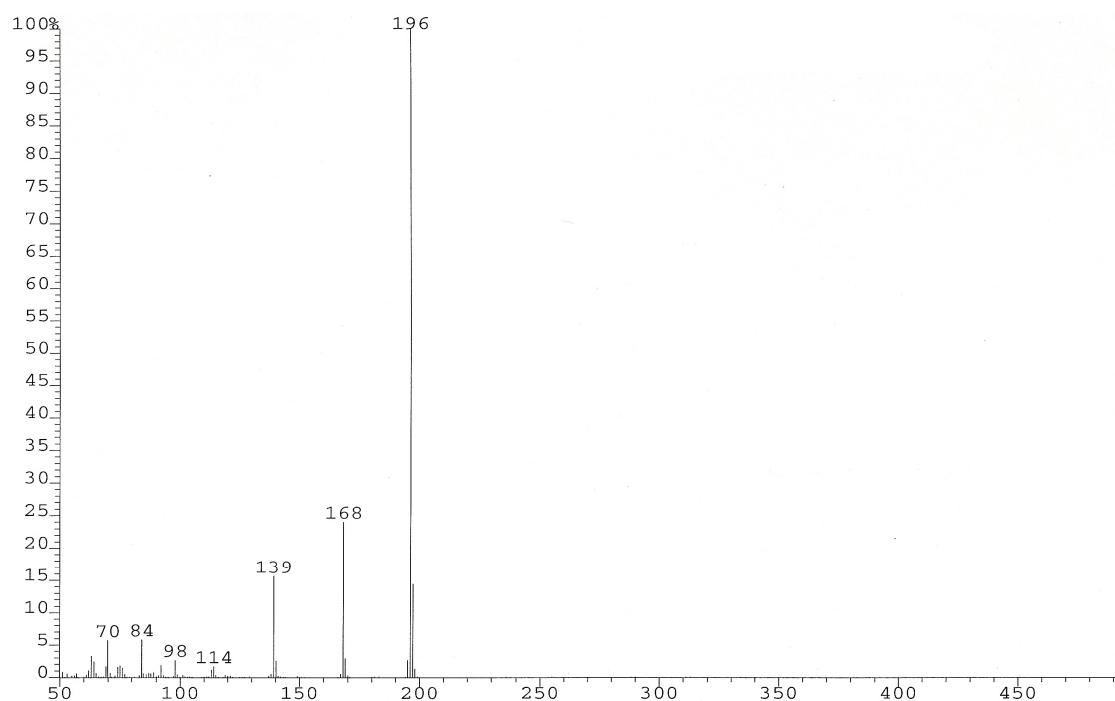
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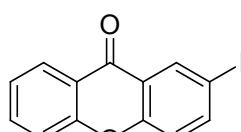
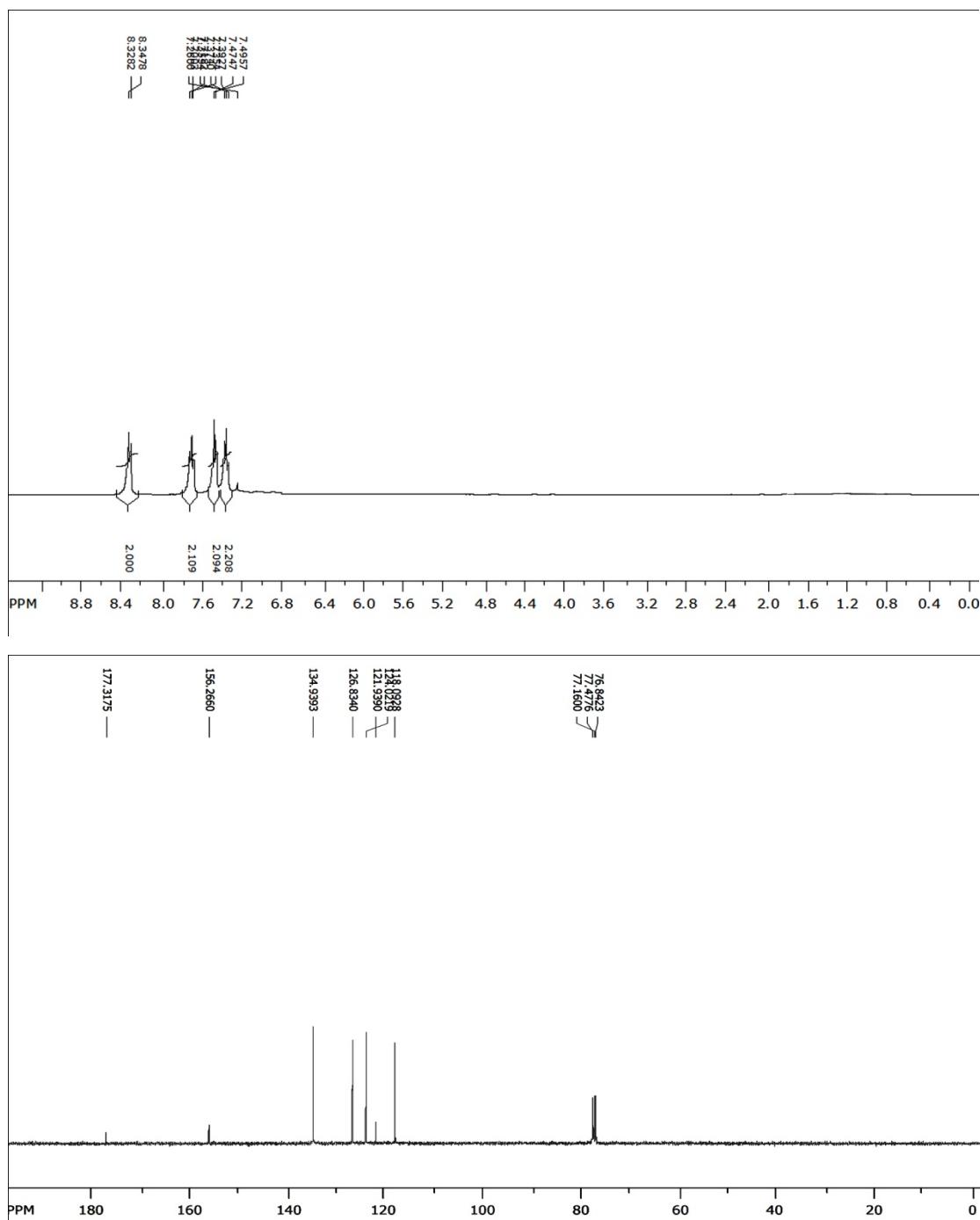




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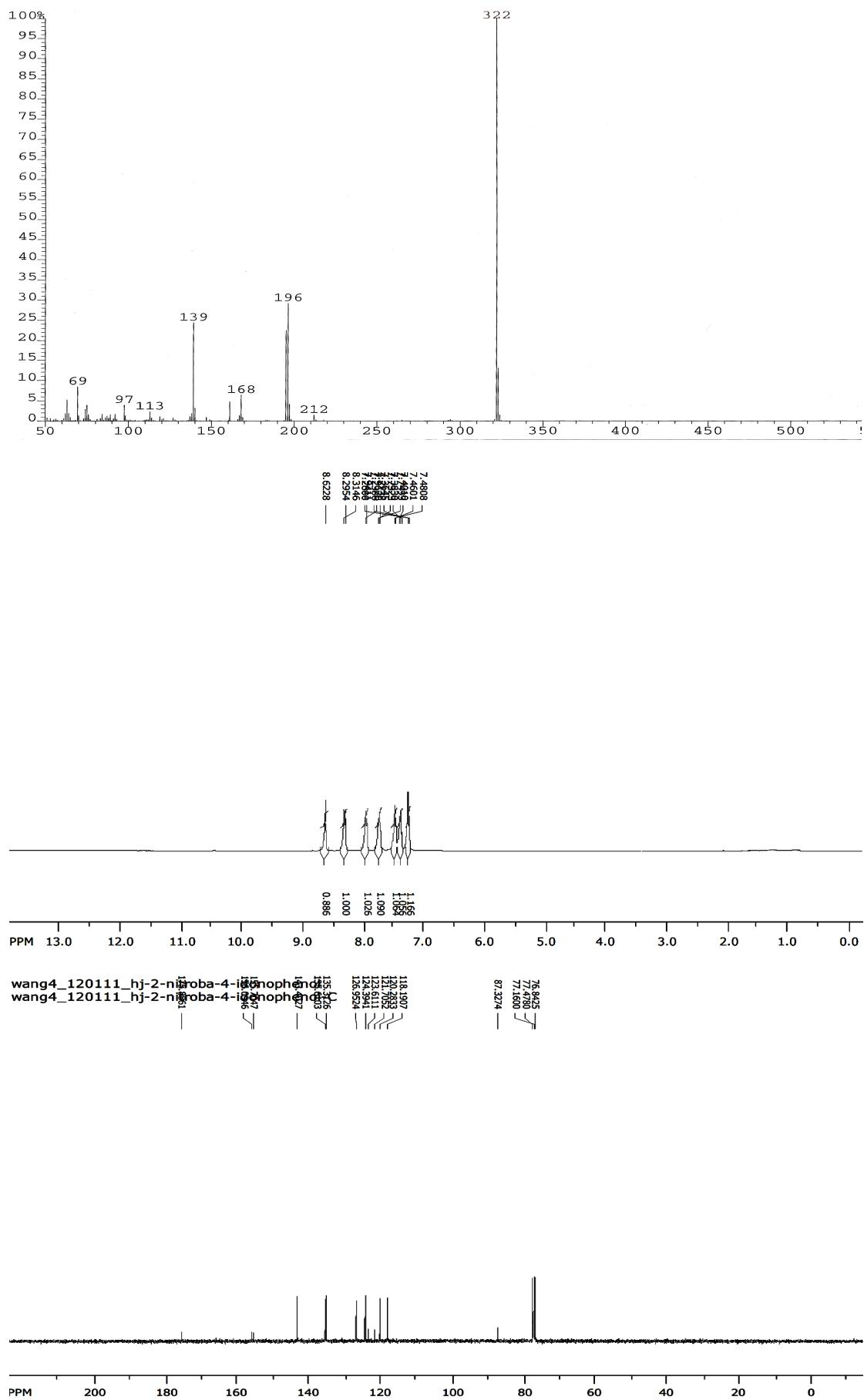
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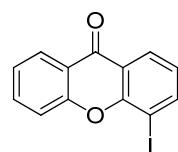




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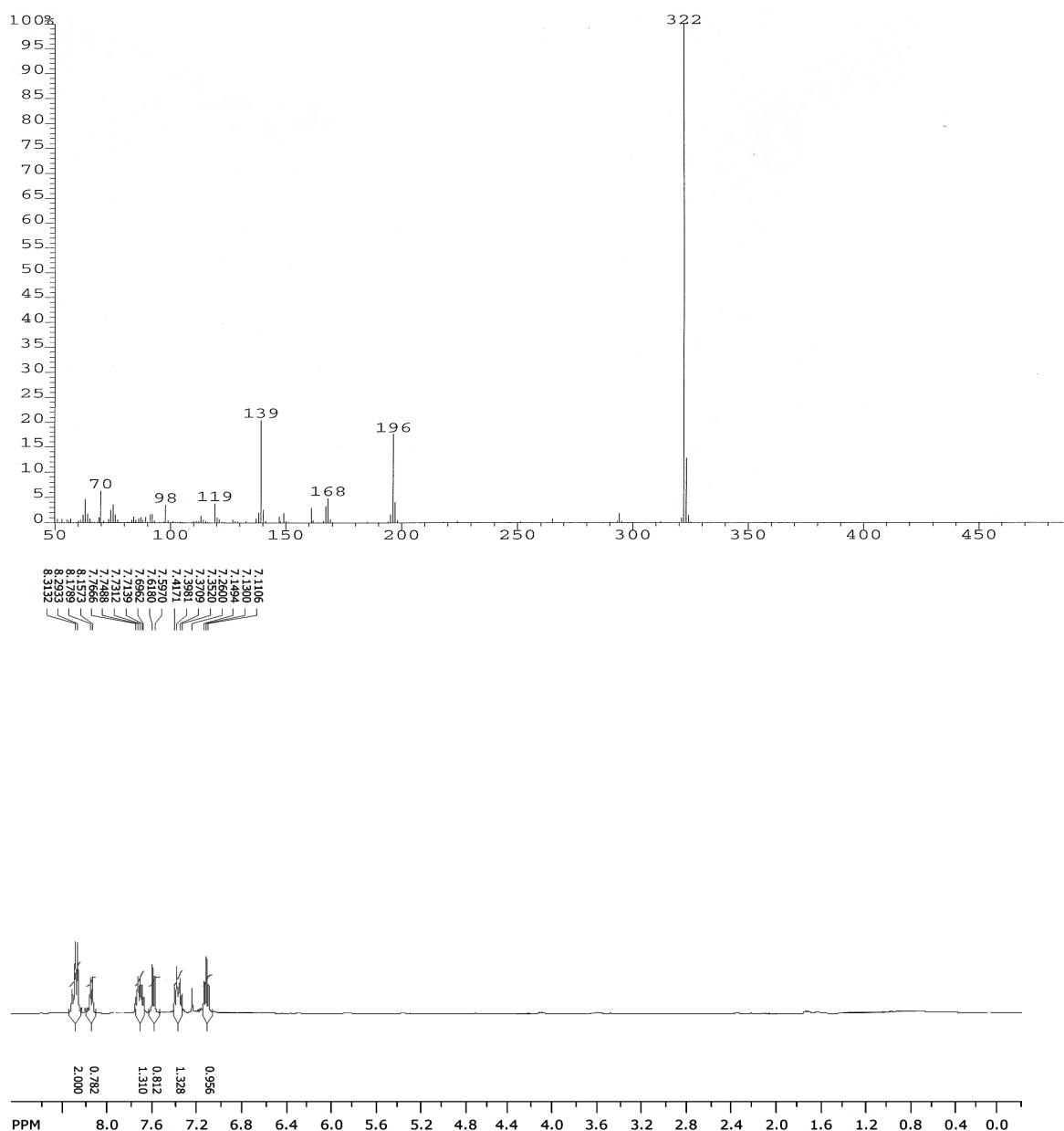
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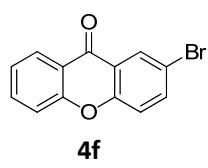
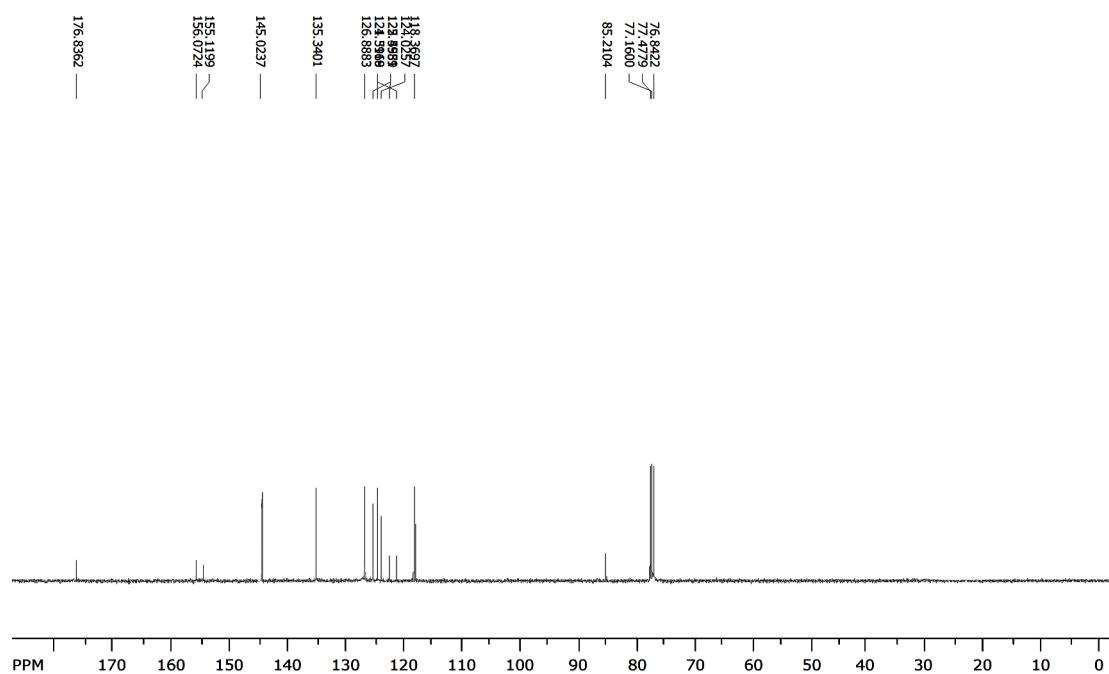




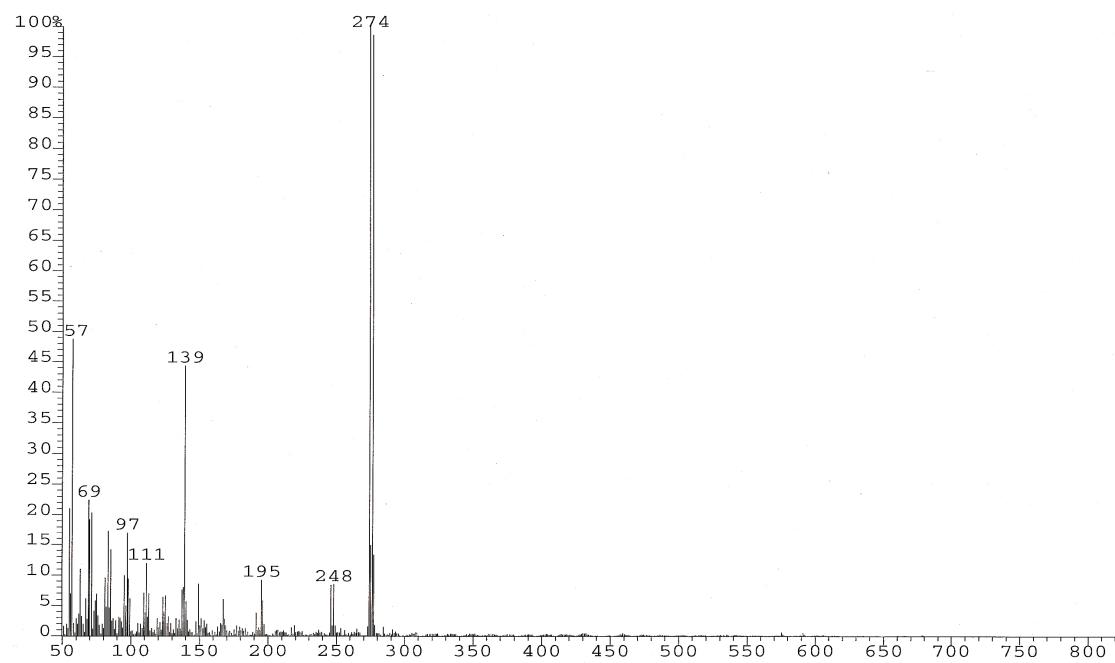
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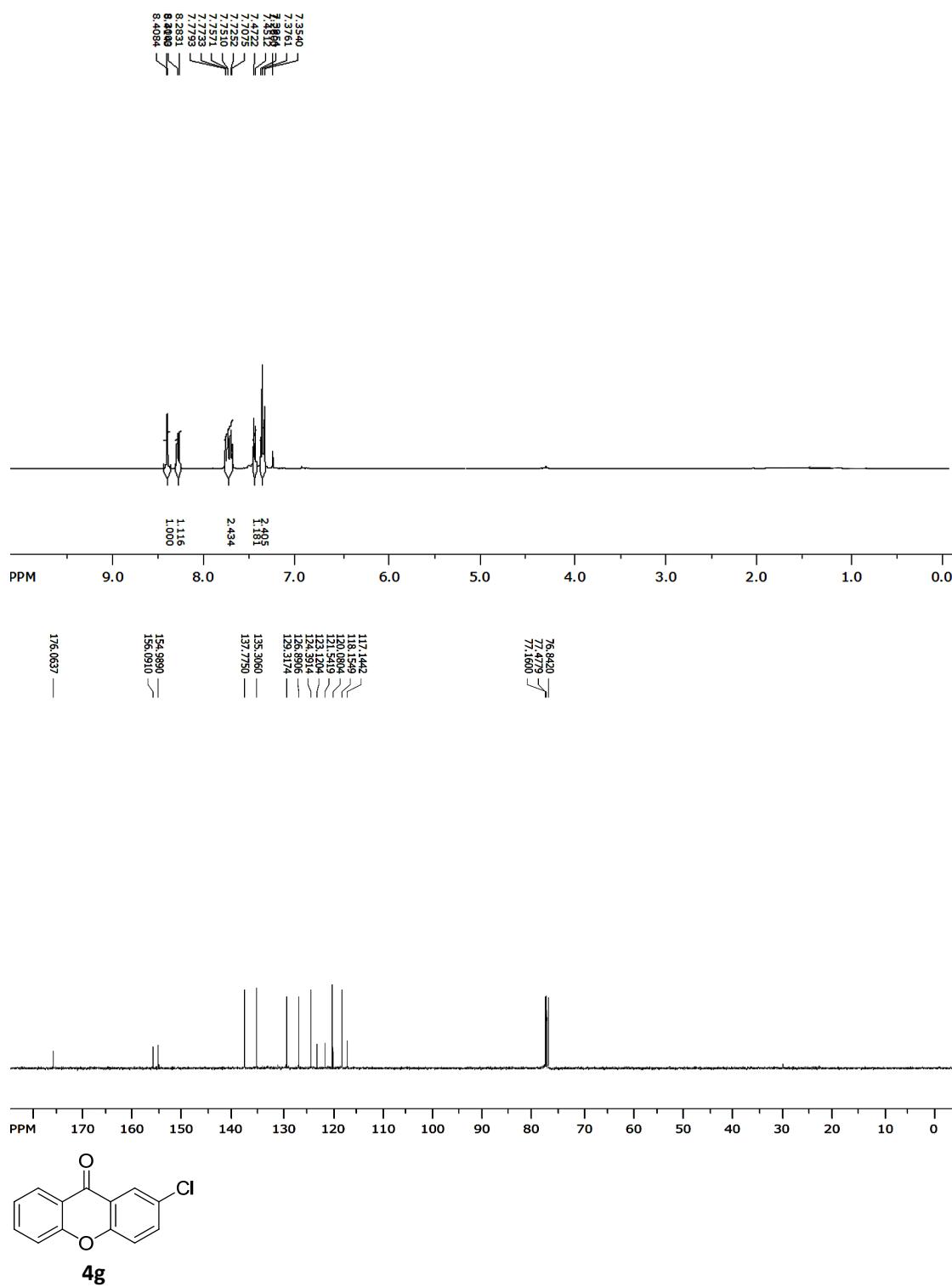
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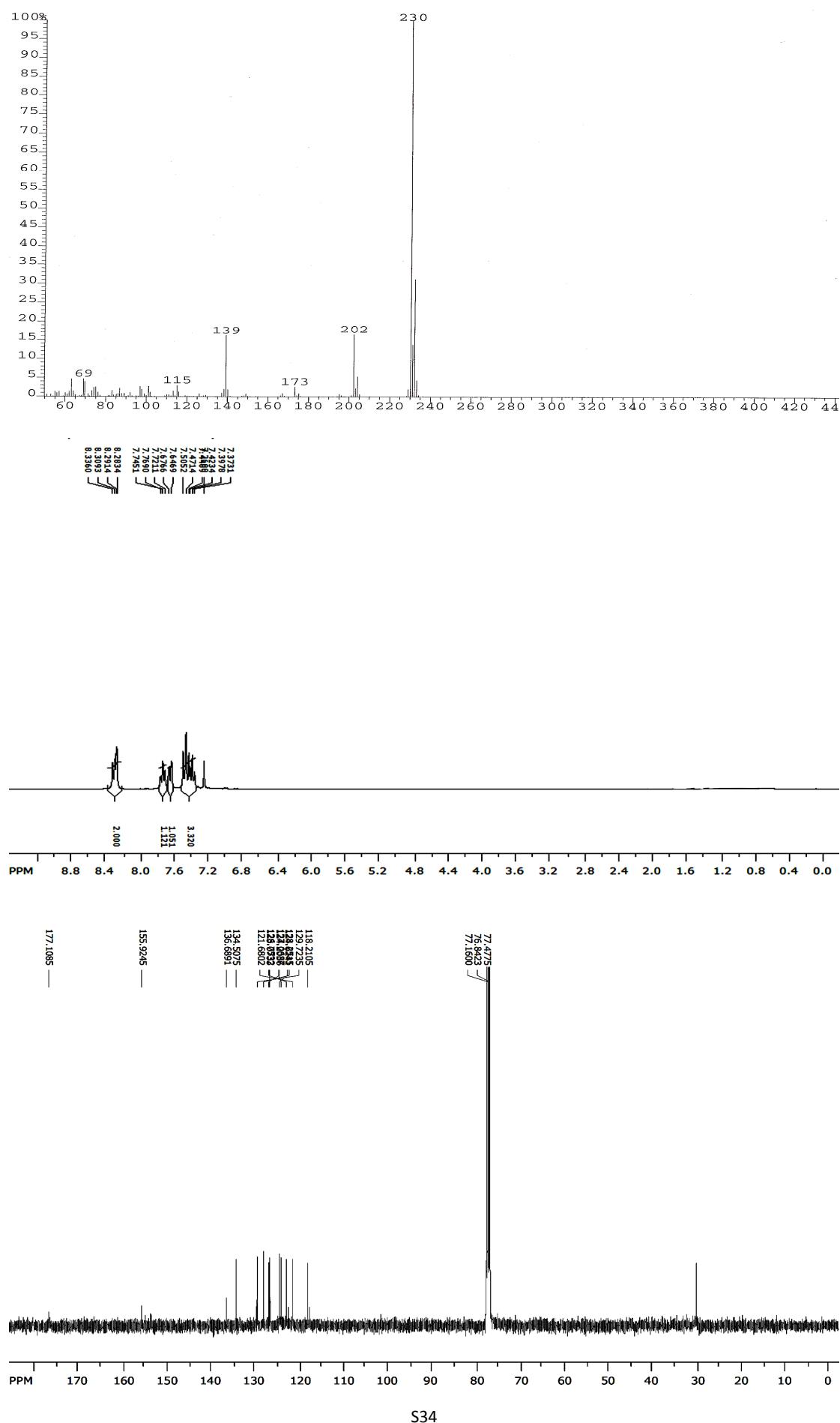


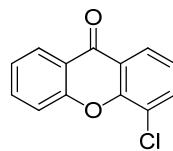
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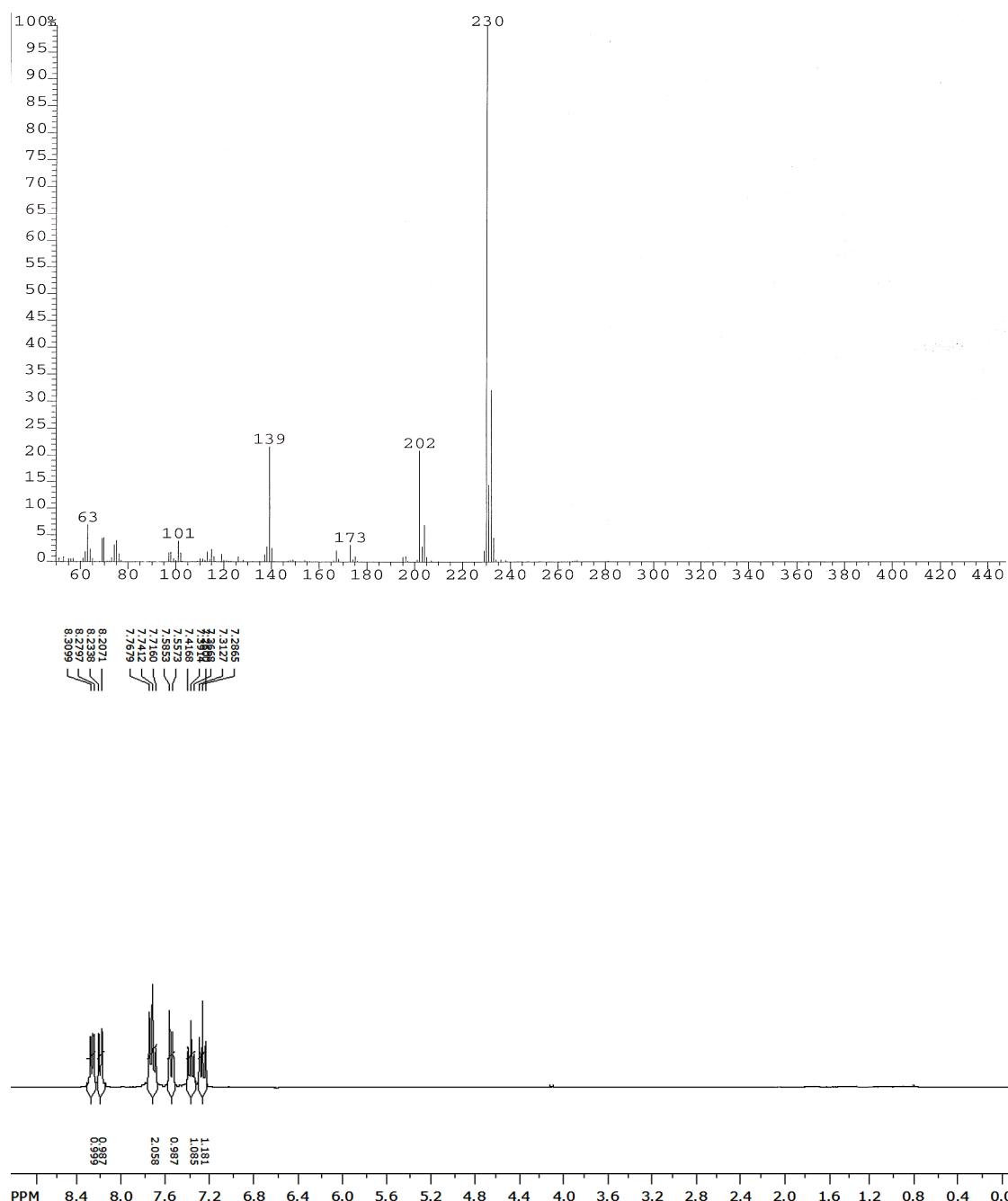
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=15:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 169-171°C [174-175°C[16]]; ^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, ppm): δ 8.30 (m, 2H, ph-H), 7.74 (t, 1H, J=9.56Hz, ph-H), 7.65 (d, 1H, J=10.8Hz, ph-H), 7.37-7.50 (m, 3H, ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, ppm): 177.10, 155.92, 136.68, 134.50, 129.72, 128.28, 127.06, 126.75, 124.62, 124.20, 123.07, 121.68, 118.21; MS-EI (m/z) = 230.

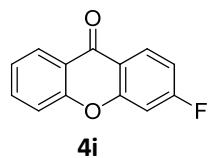
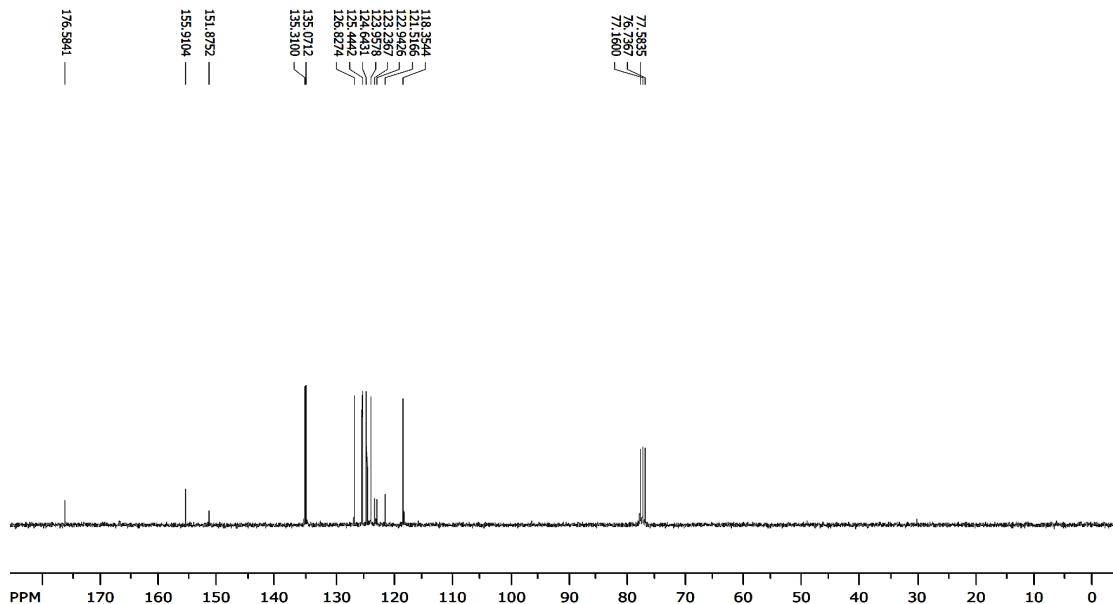




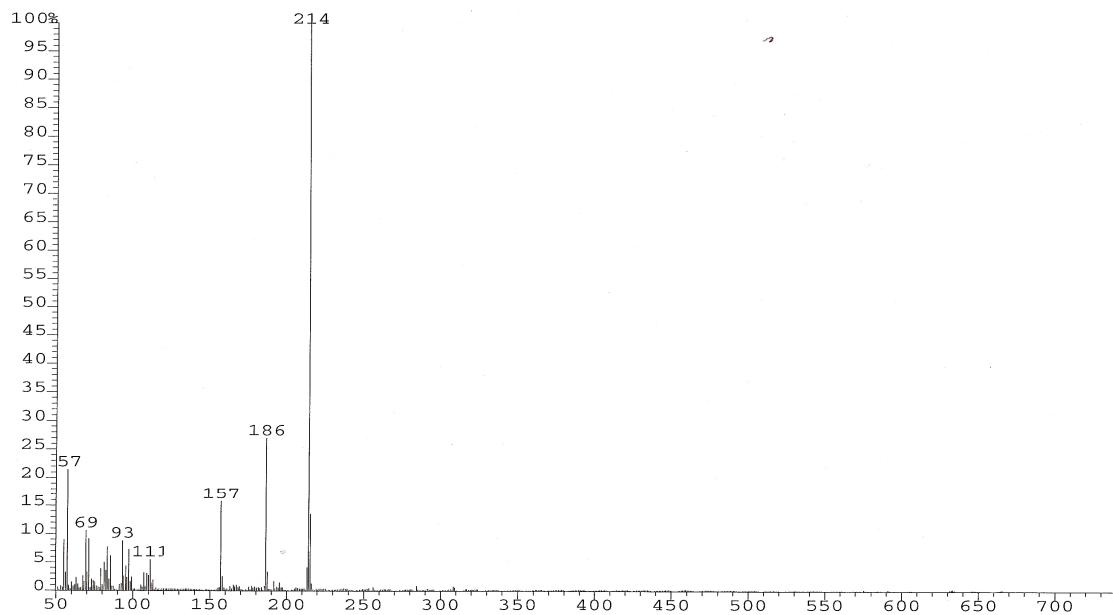
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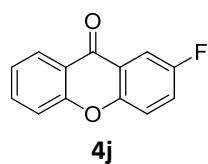
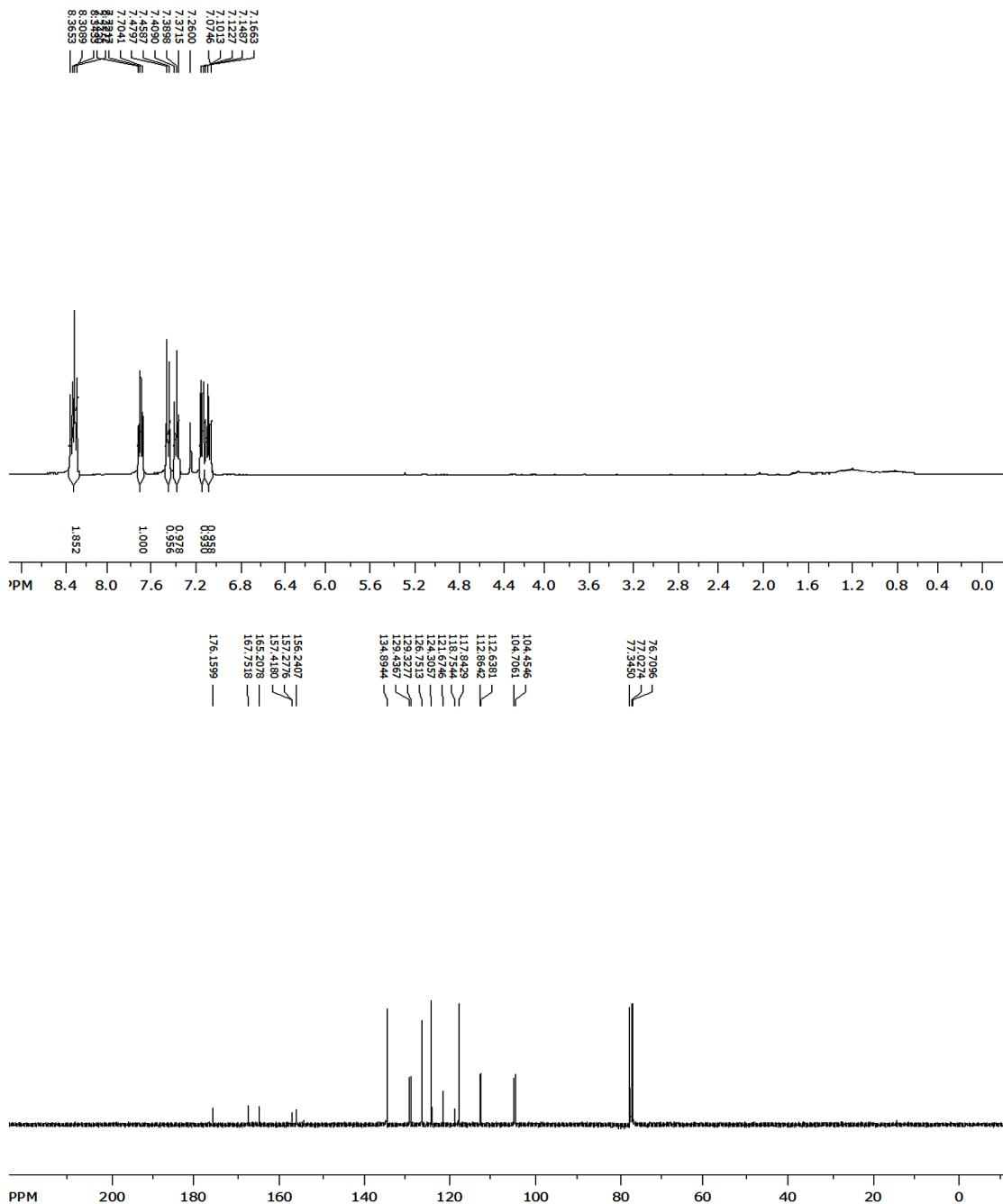
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=13:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 131-134°C [135-136°C[17]]; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz, ppm): δ 8.28 (d, 1H, $J=9.06\text{Hz}$, ph-H), 8.21 (d, 1H, $J=8.01\text{Hz}$, ph-H), 7.74 (t, 2H, $J=8.01\text{Hz}$, ph-H), 7.56 (d, 1H, $J=8.40\text{Hz}$, ph-H), 7.39 (t, 1H, $J=7.62\text{Hz}$, ph-H), 7.30 (m, 1H, ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz, ppm): 176.58, 155.91, 151.87, 135.31, 135.07, 126.82, 125.44, 124.64, 123.95, 123.23, 122.94, 121.51, 118.35. MS-EI (m/z) = 230.



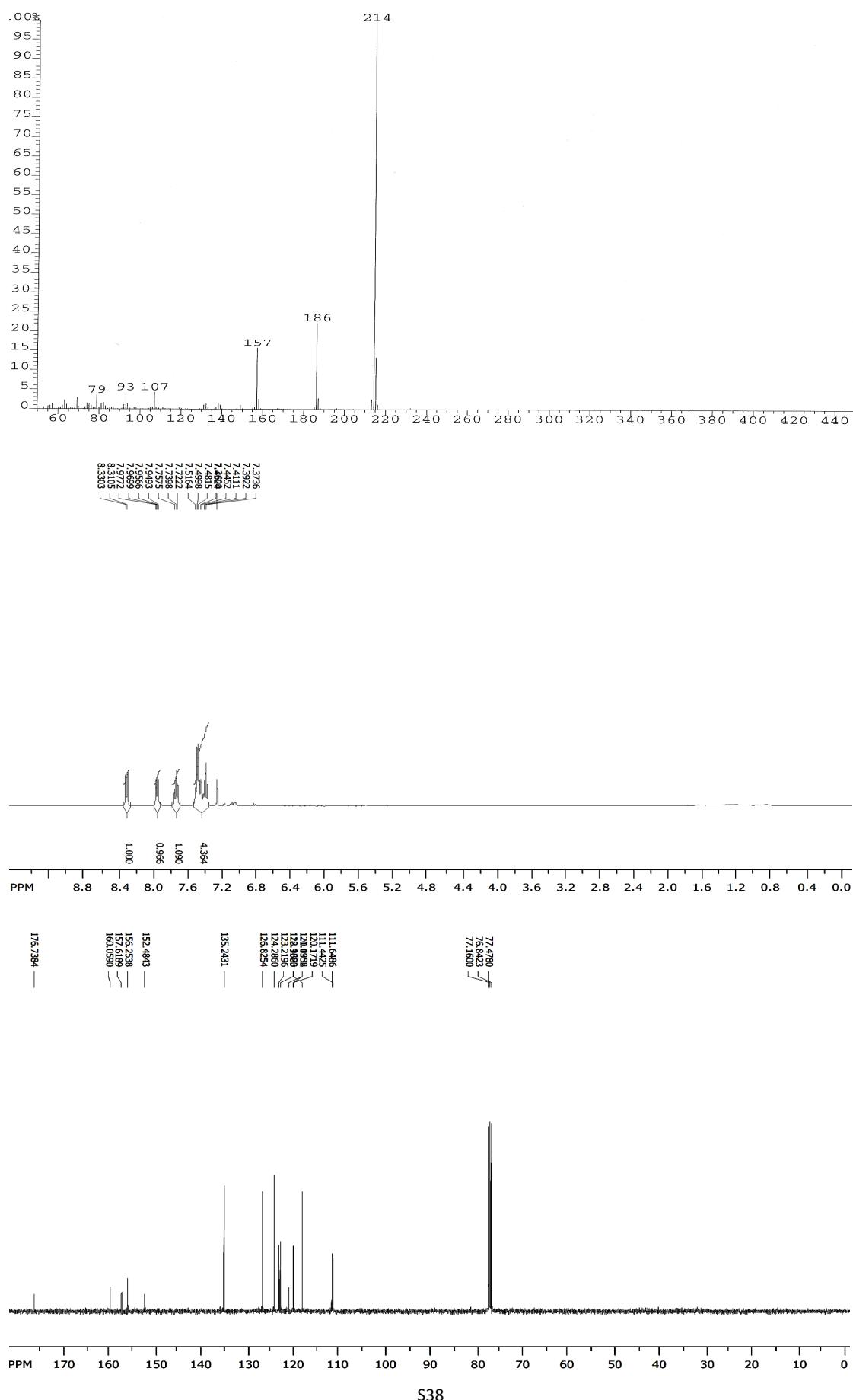


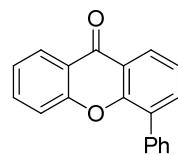
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=15:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 163–165°C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm): δ 8.33 (m, 2H, ph-H), 7.72 (t, 1H, J =7.00Hz, ph-H), 7.46 (d, 1H, J =8.4Hz, ph-H), 7.38 (t, 1H, J = 7.68Hz, ph-H), 7.07-7.16 (m, 2H, ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): 176.15, 167.75, 165.20 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ =255Hz), 157.41, 157.27 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ =17Hz), 156.24, 134.89, 129.43, 129.32 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ =11Hz), 126.75, 124.30, 121.67, 118.75, 117.84, 112.86, 112.63 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ =23Hz), 104.70, 104.45 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ =25Hz); MS-EI (m/z) = 214. [18]





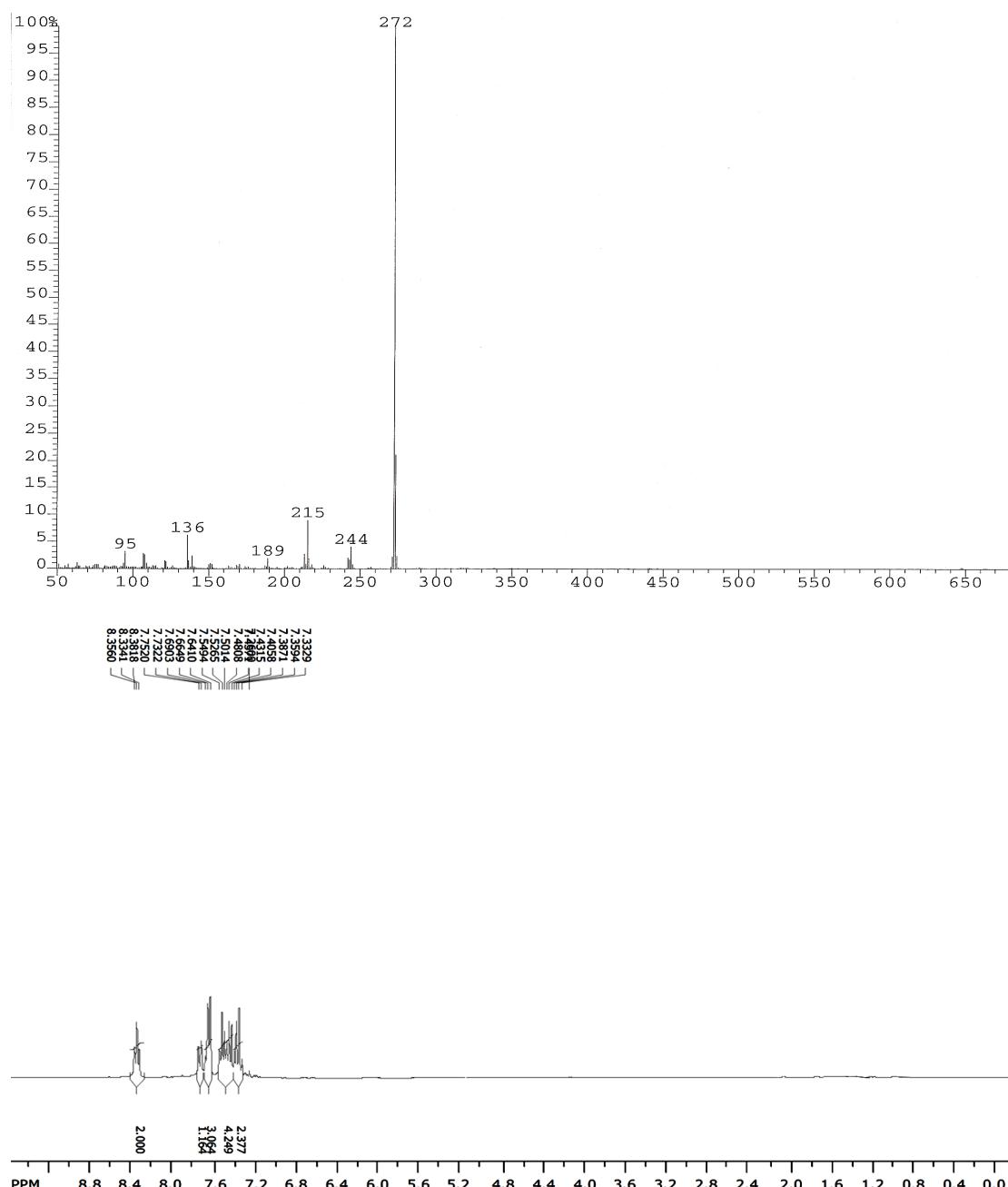
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=13:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 148-150°C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm): δ 8.32 (d, 1H, $J=7.92$ Hz, ph-H), 7.96 (m, 1H, ph-H), 7.73 (m, 1H, ph-H), 7.37-7.51 (m, 4H, ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): δ 176.73, 176.67 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=6$ Hz), 160.05, 157.61 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=244$ Hz), 156.25, 152.50, 152.48 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=2$ Hz), 135.24, 126.82, 124.28, 123.21, 122.96 d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=25$ Hz), 121.13, 120.17, 120.09 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=8$ Hz), 118.13, 111.64, 111.44 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}=20$ Hz); MS-EI (m/z = 214. [19]

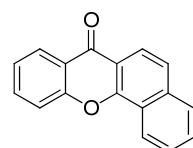
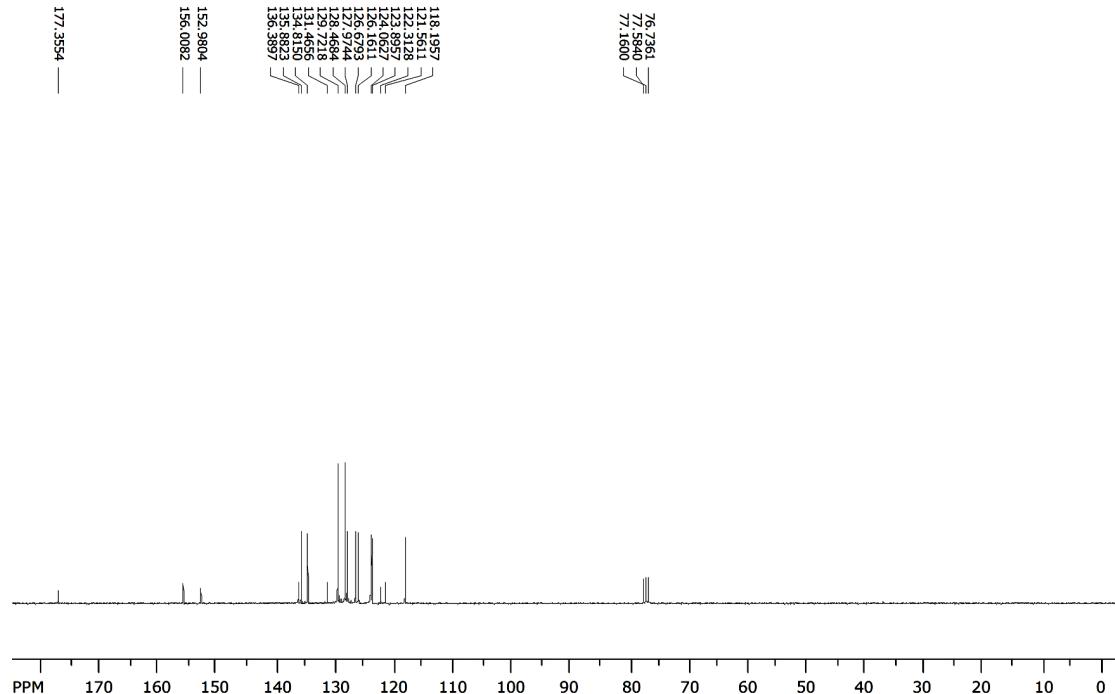




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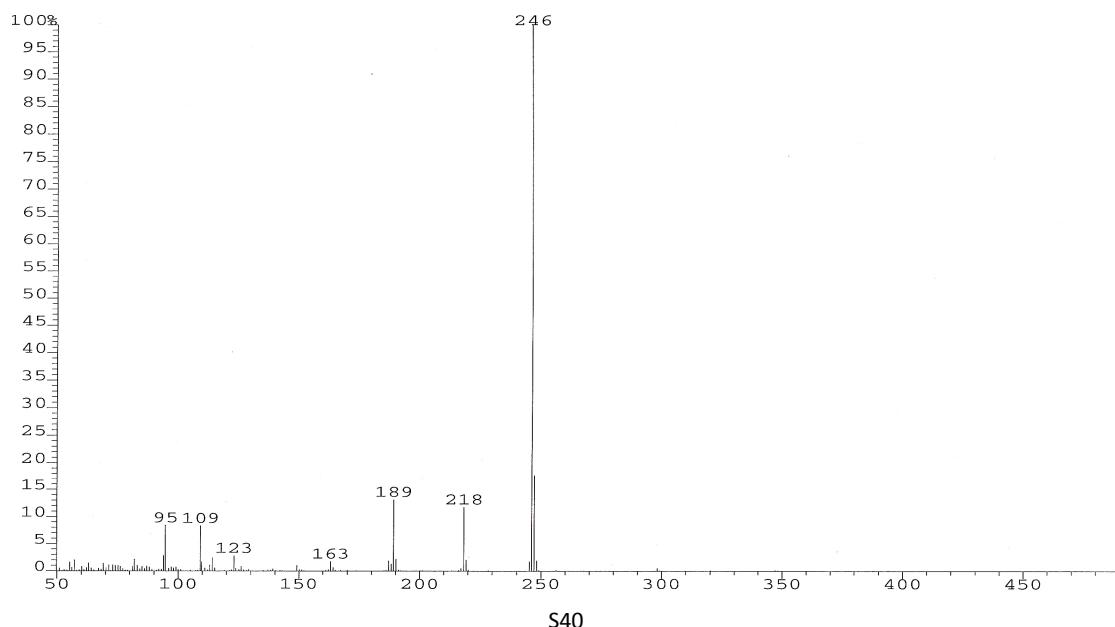
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=15:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 130-132°C [131-132°C[20]]; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz, ppm): δ 8.33 (t, 2H, $J=6.57$ Hz, ph-H), 7.64-7.75 (m, 4H, ph-H), 7.33-7.547 (m, 6H, ph-H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz, ppm): δ 177.35, 156.00, 152.98, 136.38, 135.88, 134.81, 131.46, 129.72, 128.46, 127.97, 126.67, 126.67, 124.06, 123.89, 122.31, 121.56, 118.19; MS-EI (m/z) = 272.

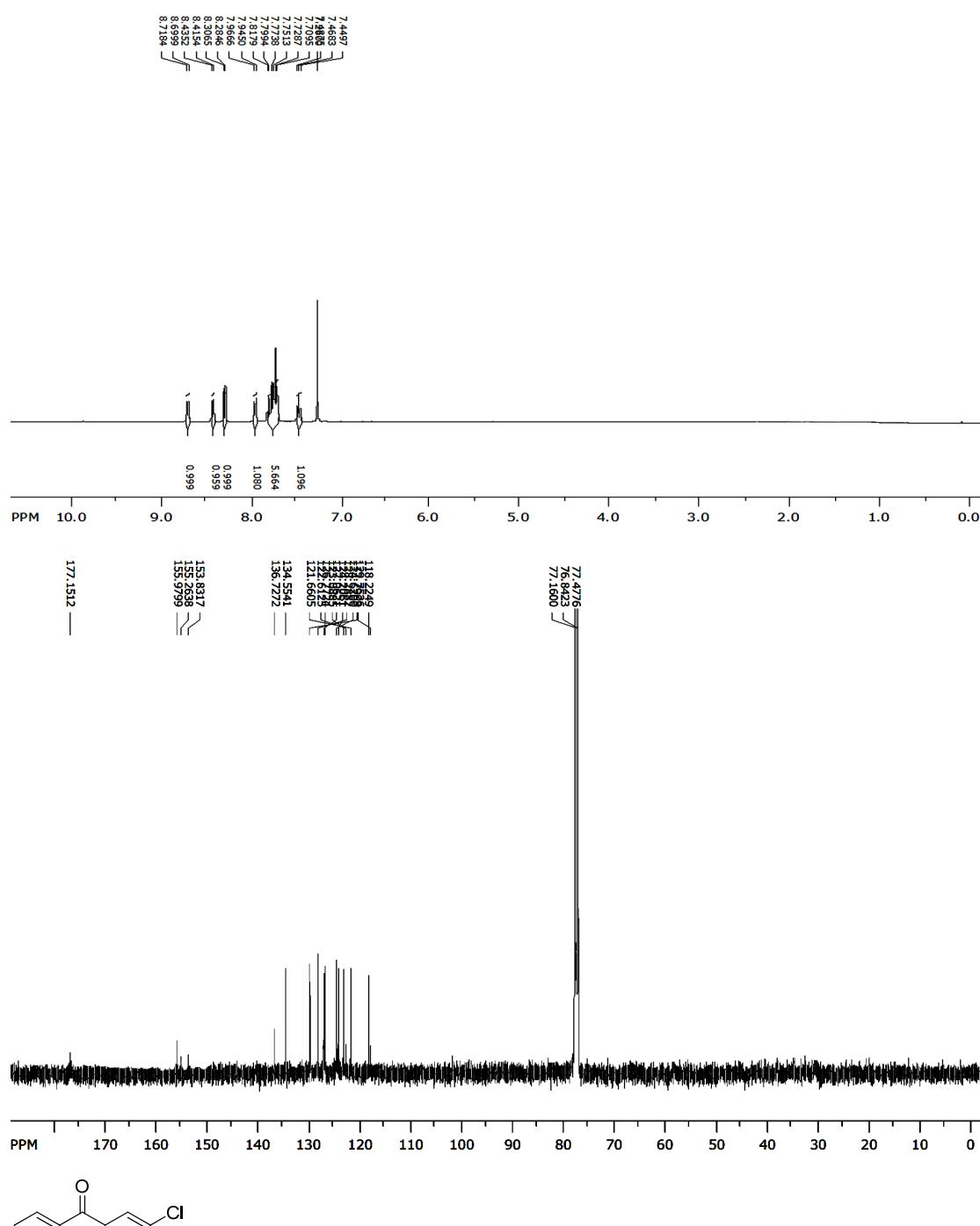


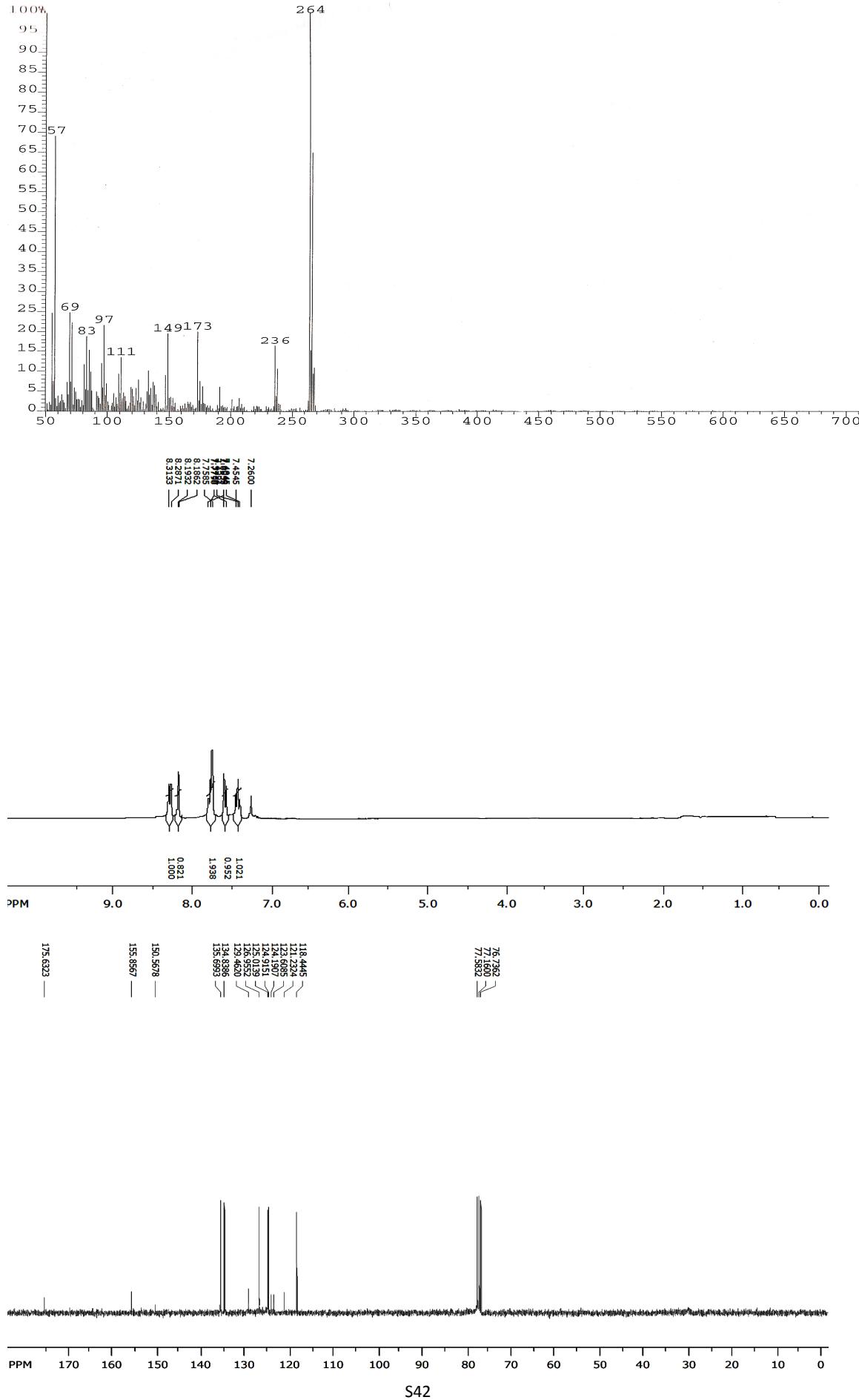


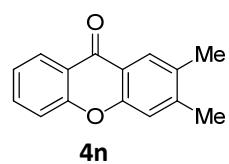
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V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=10:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 156–158°C [159–160°C[12]]; ¹H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm): δ 8.70 (d, 1H, J =7.40 Hz, ph-H), 8.42 (d, 1H, J =7.92 Hz, ph-H), 8.29 (d, 1H, J =8.76 Hz, ph-H), 7.95 (d, 1H, J =8.64 Hz, ph-H), 7.70–7.81 (m, 5H, ph-H), 7.46 (t, 1H, J =7.44 Hz, ph-H); ¹³C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): δ 177.15, 155.97, 155.26, 153.83, 136.72, 134.55, 129.70, 128.30, 127.10, 126.76, 124.60, 124.21, 123.11, 122.60, 121.67, 118.22, 117.79; MS-EI (m/z) = 246.

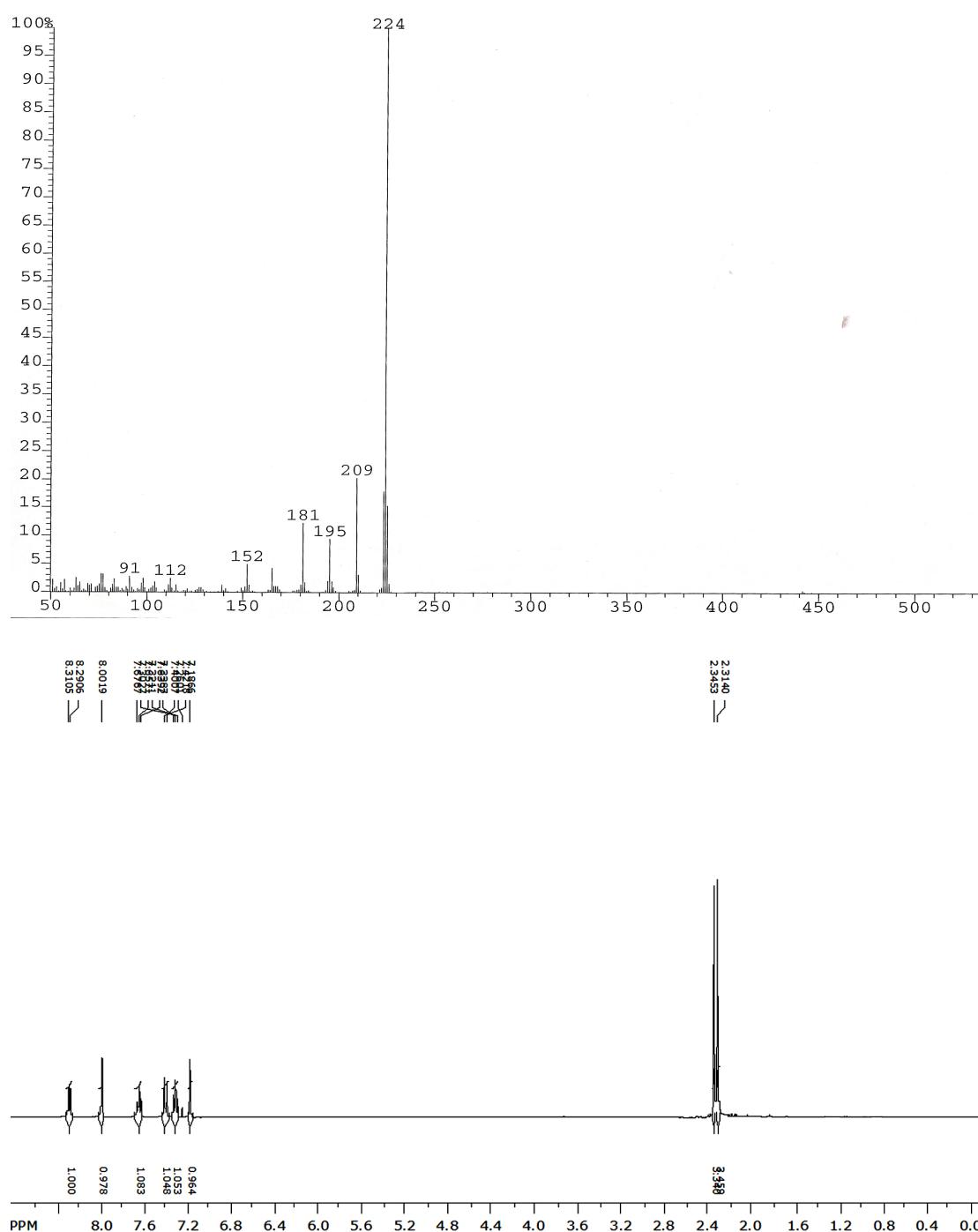


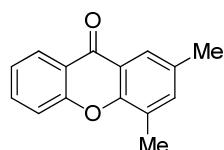
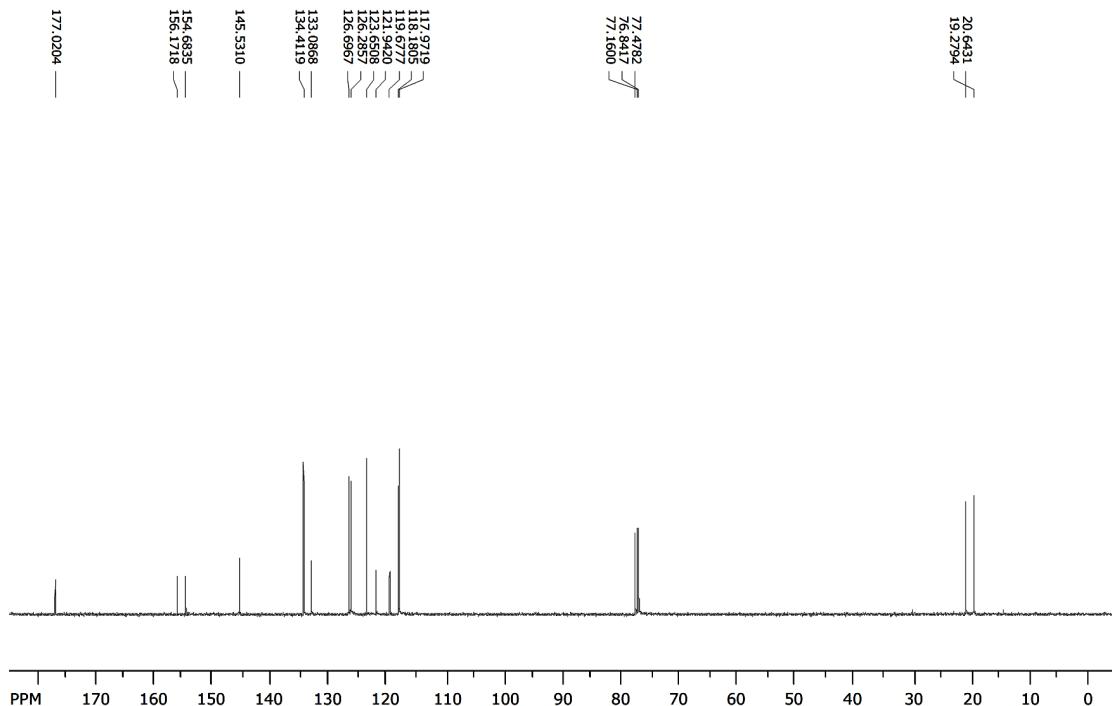






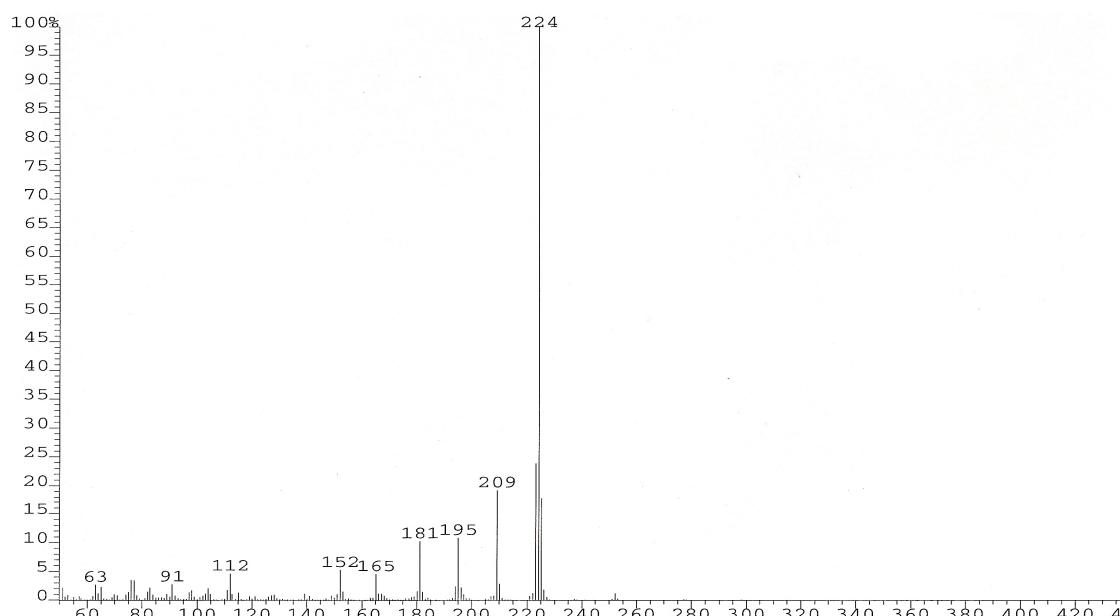
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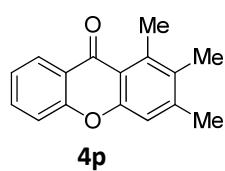
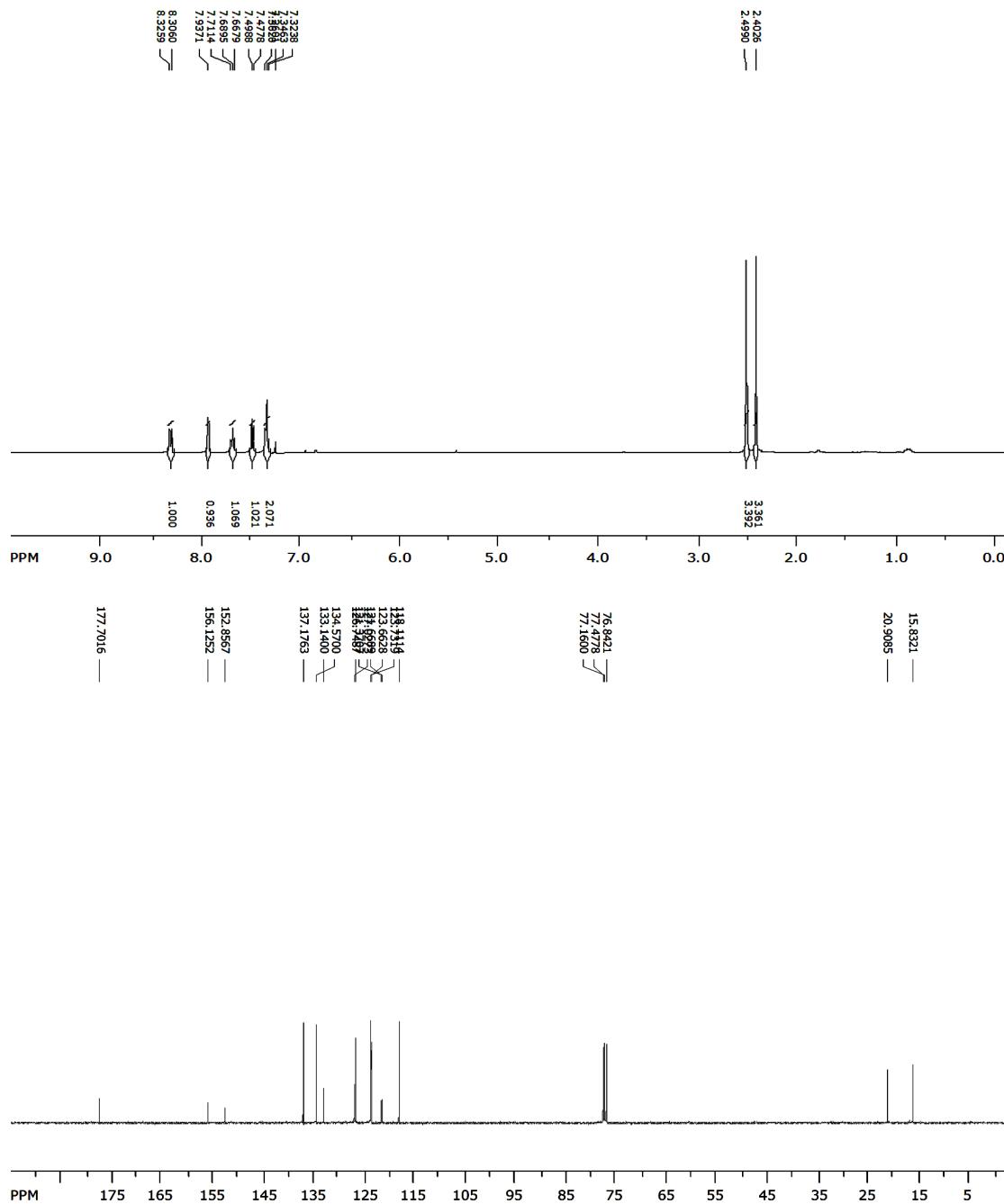




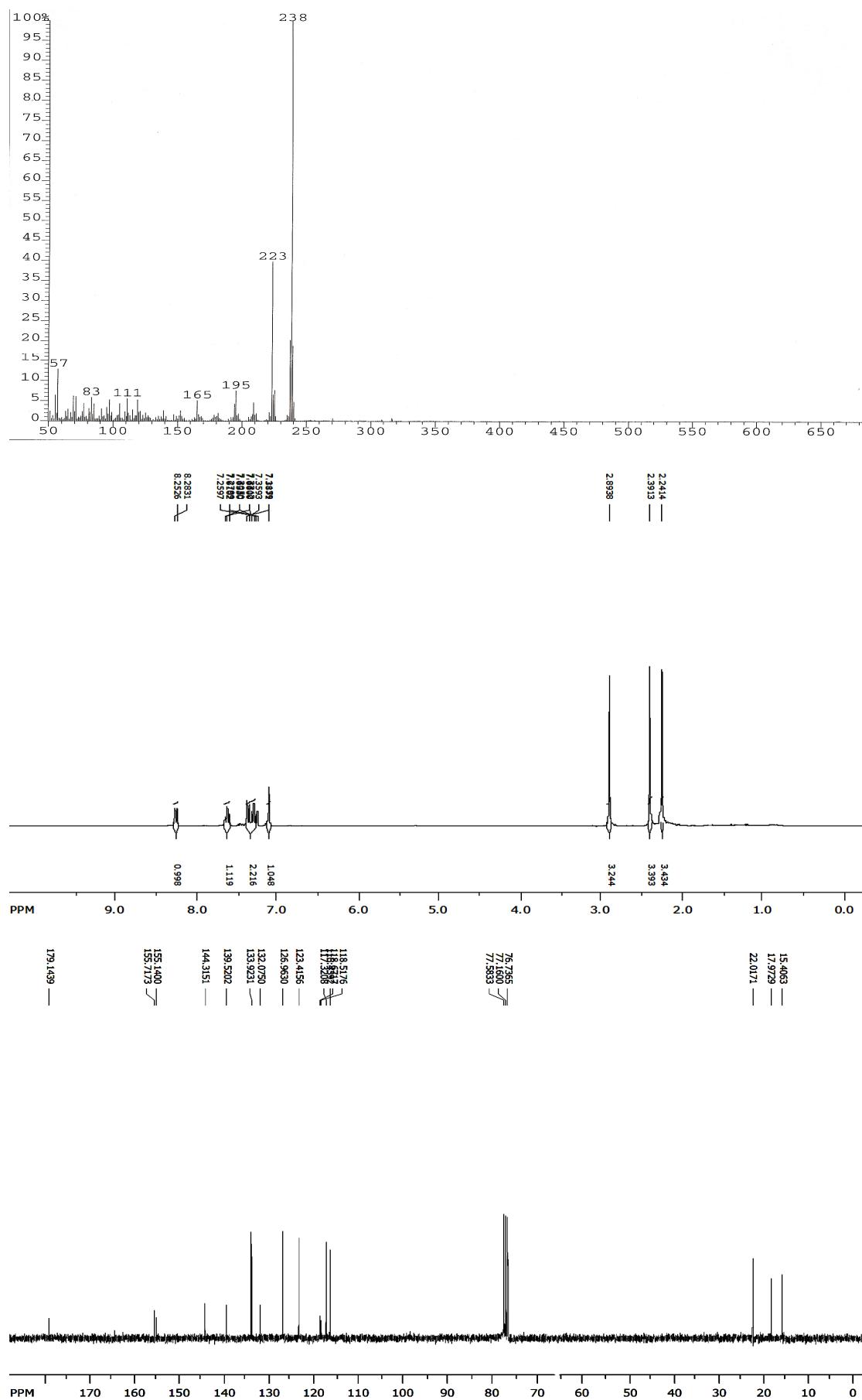
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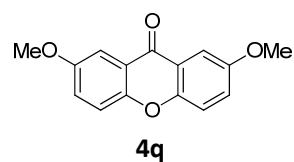
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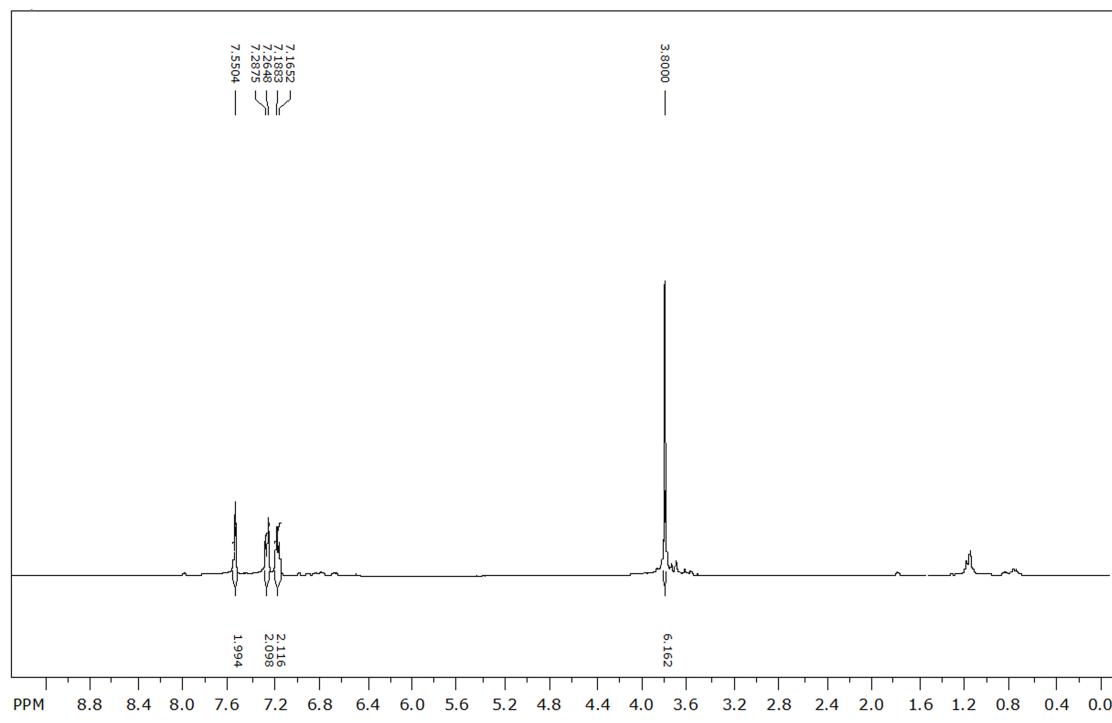
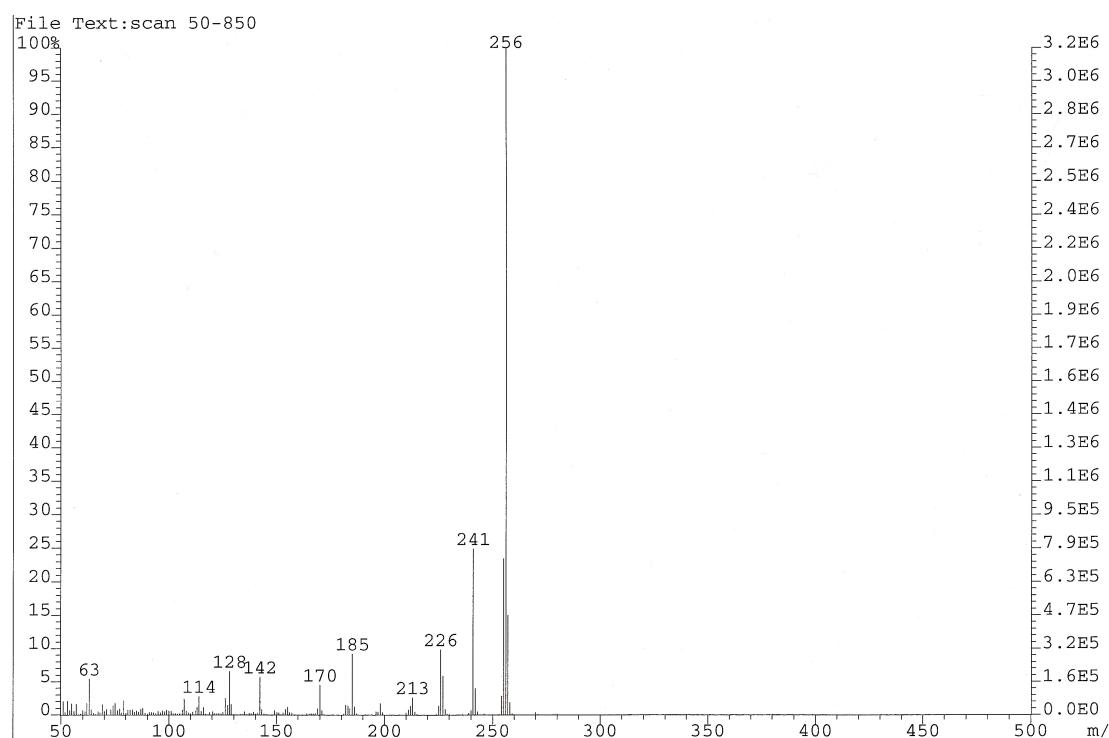
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=10:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 125-126°C [124-126°C[22]]; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz, ppm): δ 8.26 (d, 1H, J=9.15Hz, ph-H), 7.63 (t, 1H, J=7.14Hz, ph-H), 7.36 (d, 1H, J=8.34Hz, ph-H), 7.30 (t, 1H, J=7.80Hz, ph-H), 7.11 (s, 1H, ph-H), 2.89 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.39 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.24 (s, 3H, CH₃); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz, ppm): δ 179.14, 155.71, 155.14, 144.31, 139.52, 133.92, 132.07, 126.96, 123.41, 118.51, 118.18, 117.32, 116.43, 22.01, 17.97, 15.40; MS-EI (m/z) = 238.

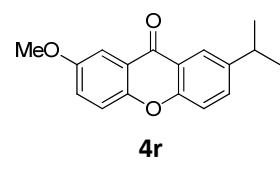
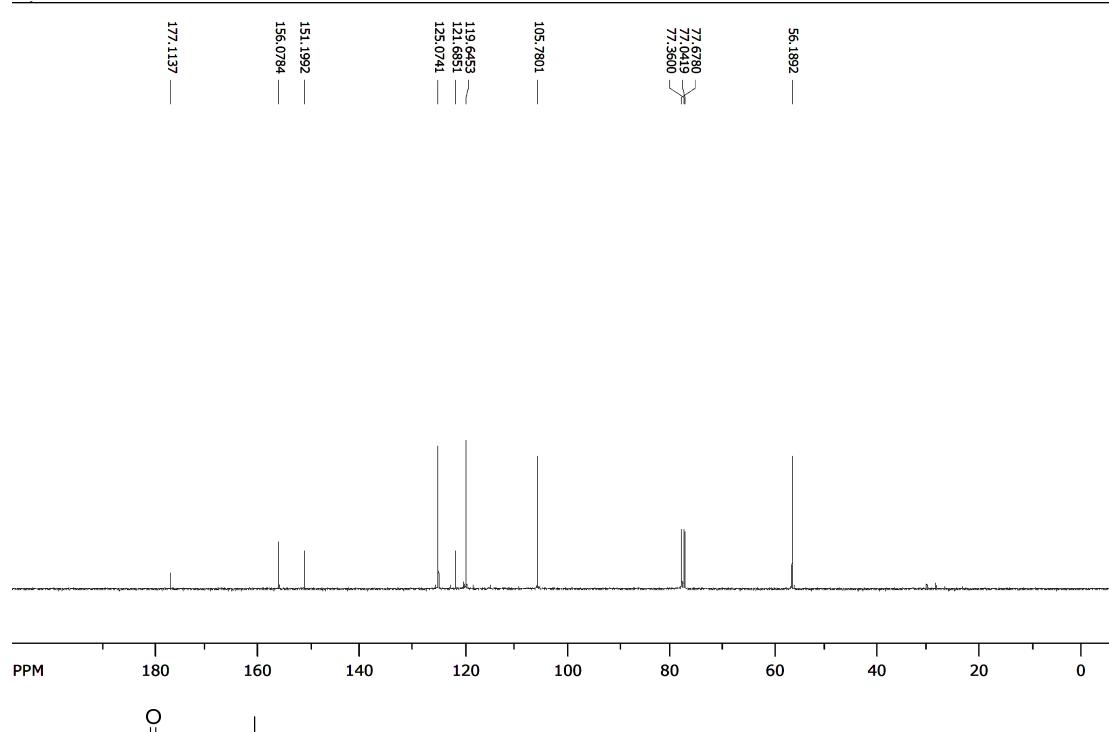




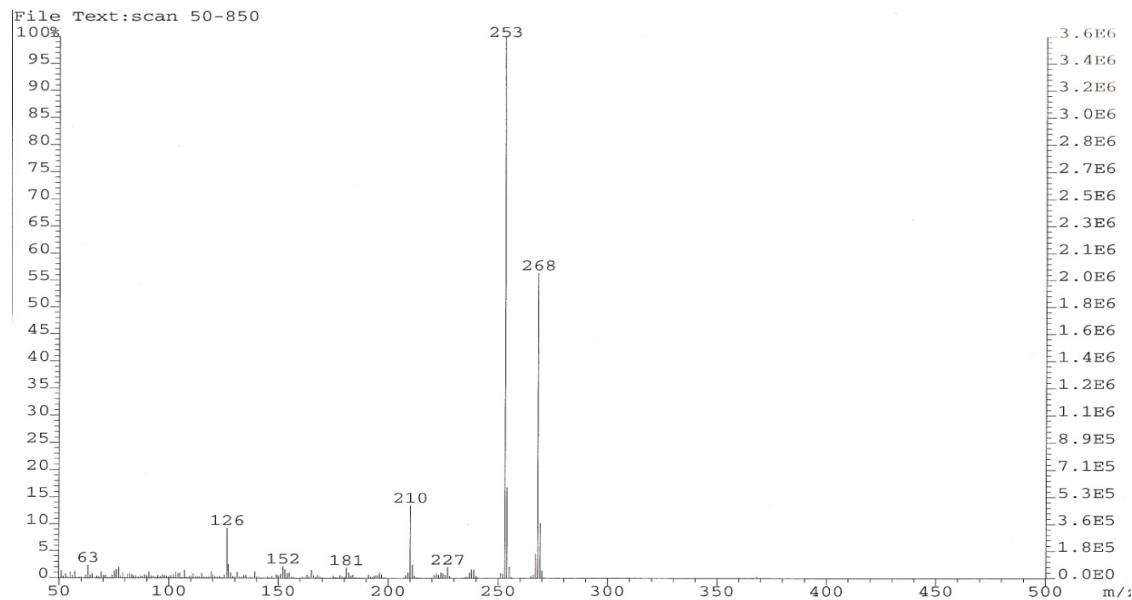
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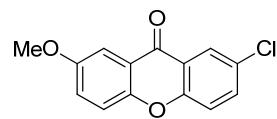
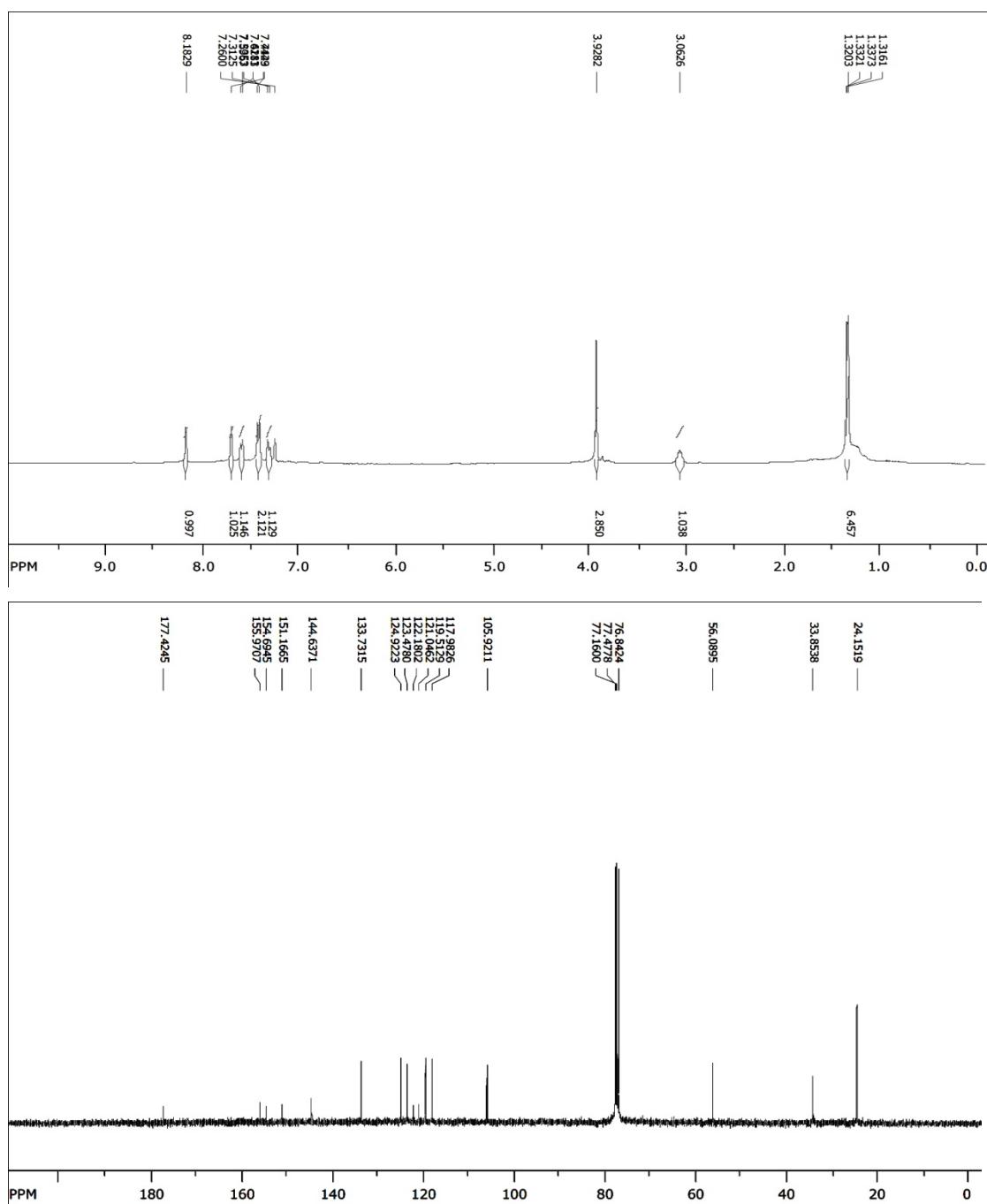
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=15:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 165–167°C [174–176°C[23]]; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm): δ 7.55 (s, 2×1H, ph-H), 7.27 (d, 2×1H, J = 9.1 Hz, ph-H), 7.17 (d, 2×1H, 9.2 Hz), 3.80 (s, 2×3H, OCH_3); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): δ 177.11, 156.07, 151.19, 125.07, 121.68, 119.64, 105.78, 56.18; MS-EI (m/z) = 256.





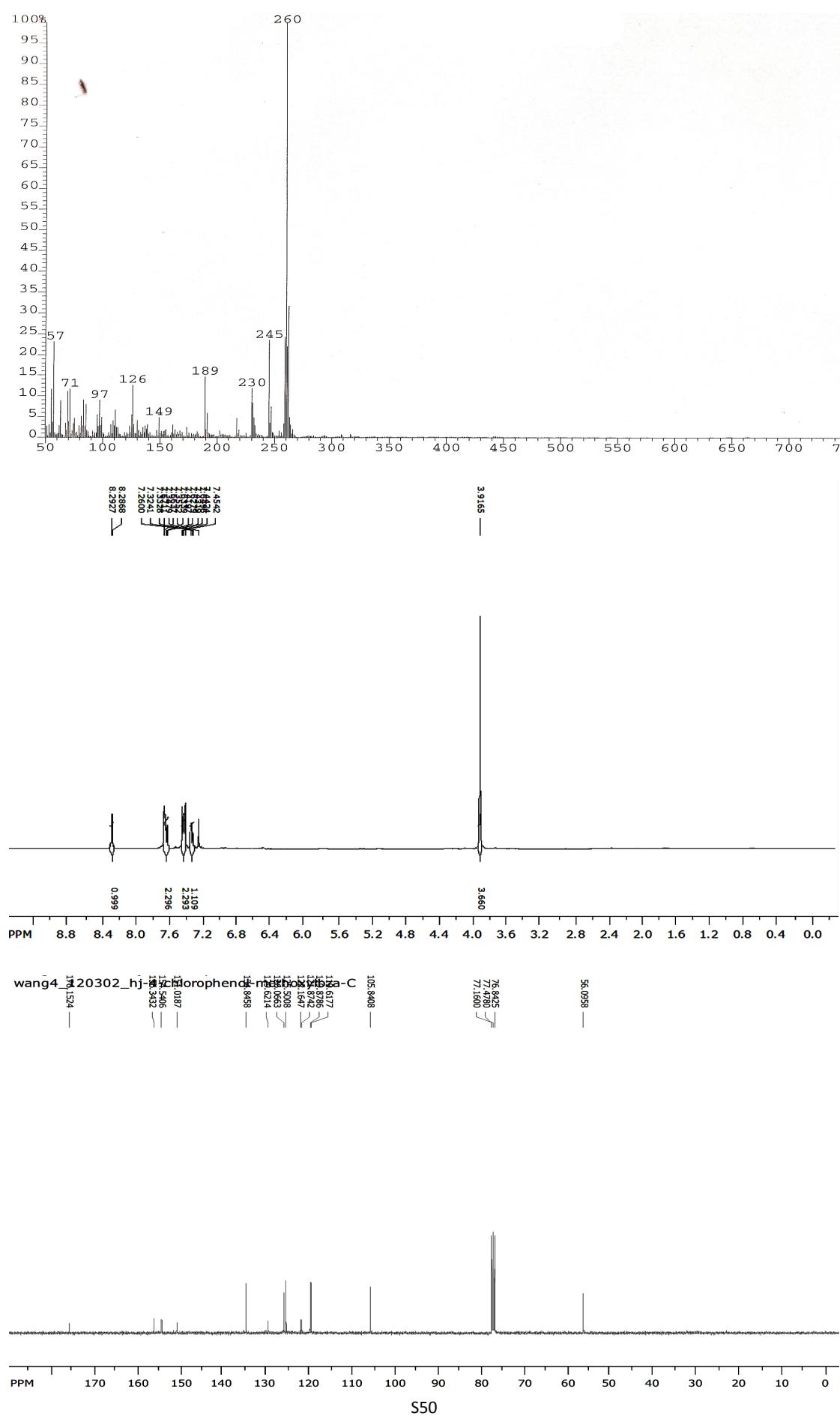
V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=14:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 102–104°C; ¹H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm): δ 8.18 (s, 1H, ph-H), 7.71 (s, 1H, ph-H), 7.60 (d, 1H, J =8.56 Hz, ph-H), 7.43 (d, 2H, J =8.64 Hz ph-H), 7.32 (d, 1H, J =9.12 Hz, ph-H), 3.92 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 3.06 (m, 1H, CH(CH₃)₂), 1.32 (d, 2x3H, J =6.36 Hz, CH(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): δ 177.42, 154.97, 154.69, 151.16, 144.63, 133.73, 124.92, 123.47, 122.18, 121.04, 119.51, 117.98, 105.92, 56.08, 33.85, 24.15; MS-EI (m/z) = 268. HRMS(EI): m/z calcd for C₁₇H₁₆O₃: 268.1099; found: 268.1090

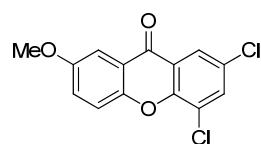




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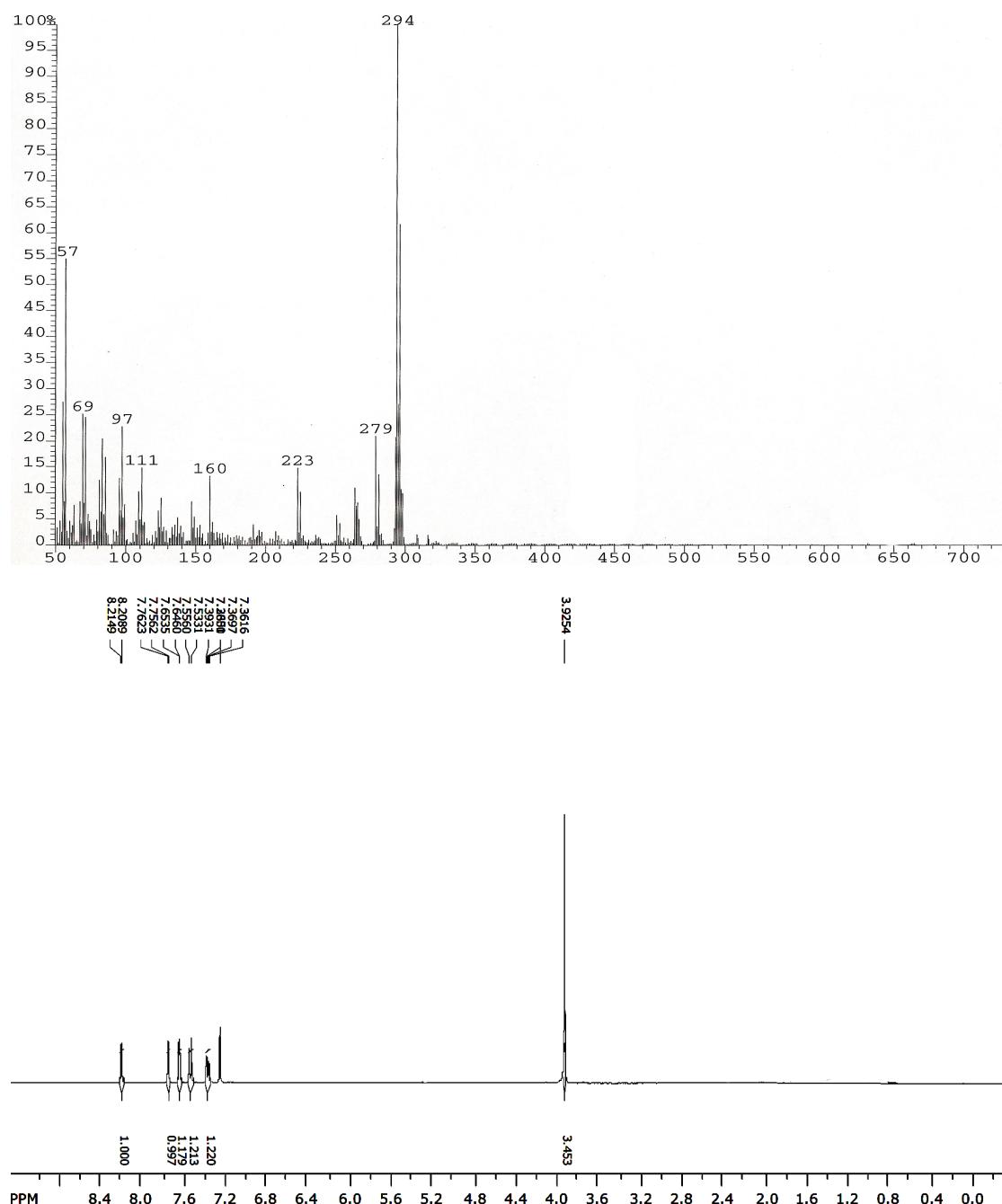
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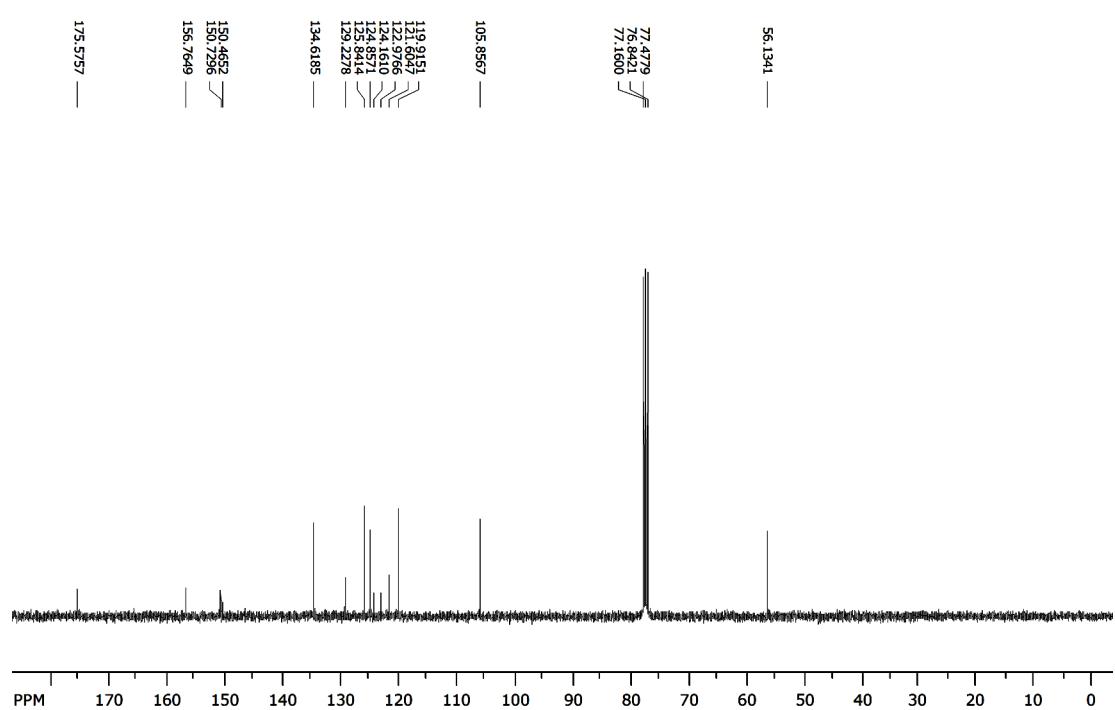




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V(hexane):V(EtOAc)=15:1 as the mobile phase; white solid, mp. 176–179 °C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, ppm); δ 8.20 (d, 1H, J =2.40Hz, ph-H), 7.75 (d, 2H, J =2.44Hz, ph-H), 7.64 (d, 1H, J =3.00Hz, ph-H), 7.54 (m, 1H, ph-H), 7.37 (m, 1H, ph-H), 3.45 (s, 3H, OCH_3); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, ppm): δ 175.57, 156.76, 150.72, 150.46, 134.61, 129.22, 125.84, 124.85, 124.16, 122.97, 121.60, 119.91, 105.85, 56.13; MS-EI (m/z) = 294; HRMS(EI): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_8\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3$: 293.9850; found: 293.9841





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