

Supporting Information

Efficient Synthesis of Chiral Cyclic Acetals by Metal and Brønsted Acid Co-Catalyzed Enantioselective Four-component Cascade Reactions

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General Considerations:

All moisture sensitive reactions were performed under an argon atmosphere in a well-dried reaction flask. Dichloromethane (CH_2Cl_2), 1, 2-dichloroethene [$(\text{CH}_2\text{Cl})_2$] and chloroform (CHCl_3) were freshly distilled over calcium hydride, toluene from sodium benzophenone ketyl, respectively, prior to use. Solvents for the column chromatography were distilled before use. ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on a Brucker-400 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to the internal standard tetramethylsilane ($\delta = 0$ ppm) for ^1H NMR and deuteriochloroform ($\delta = 77.00$ ppm) for ^{13}C NMR spectroscopy. HRMS spectra were recorded on a Bruker micrOTOF II instrument. HPLC analysis was performed on Waters-Breeze (2487 Dual Absorbance Detector and 1525 Binary HPLC Pump) & Shimadzu (SPD-20AV UV-VIS Detector and LC-20AT Liquid Chromatograph Pump). Chiralpak IA and OD-H was purchased from Daicel Chemical Industries, LTD. The racemic standards used in HPLC studies were prepared according to the general procedure by using a racemic BINOL derivatived phosphoric acid catalyst.

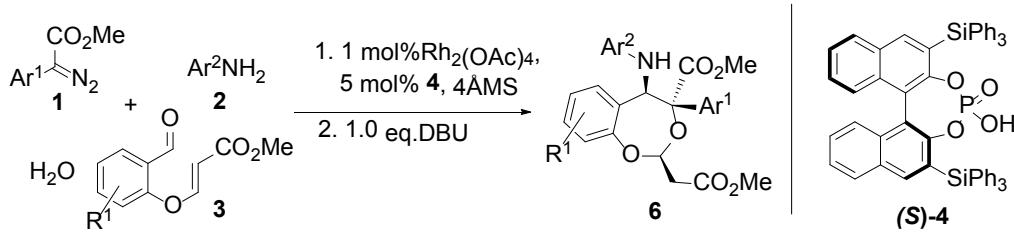
Synthesis of Substrates:

Various aryl diazo compounds **1** were prepared by the treatment of corresponding arylacetate with *p*-acetamidobenzenesulfonyl azide (*p*-ABSA) in the presence of DBU following the general procedure.¹ Substrates **3** were synthesized following literature procedure.² Others were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification.

References:

1. M. P. Doyle, M. A. McKervey and T. Ye, *Modern Catalytic Methods for Organic Synthesis with Diazo Compounds*, Wiley, New York, 1998.
2. D. H. T. Phan, B. Kim and V. M. Dong, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* 2009, **131**, 15608.

General procedure for four-component reactions of aryldiazoacetates **1 with water, amines **2** and methyl 3-(2-formylphenoxy)propenoates **3**:**



To a stirred solution of Rh₂(OAc)₄ (3.3 mg, 1 mol%), the chiral phosphoric acid **4** (5.0 mol%), arylamine **2** (0.12 mmol), and methyl 3-(2-formylphenoxy)propenoates **3** (0.10 mmol, 1.0 eq), 4 Å MS (100 mg) in 1.5 mL dichloromethane (0.05% (w/w) water content) at room temperature for 30 min, then added diazo compounds **1** (0.15 mmol) in dichloromethane (0.5 ml) over 1 hour via a syringe pump. After completion of the addition, the reaction mixture was stirred for another 0.5 h, then passed through a short flash column of silica gel, after removal of the solvent under reduced pressure, dichloromethane (2.0 mL) was added. This solution was transferred to a reaction tube containing a magnetic stirring bar, and the temperature of the solution was to room temperature, followed by the addition of DBU (0.10 mmol, 1.0 eq). The reaction was detected by TLC until **7** consumed up, and then subjected to ¹H NMR spectroscopic analysis after solvent removal to determine product diastereoselectivity. The crude reaction mixture was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluent light petroleum/EtOAc=20:1 to 5:1) to give the pure product **6**.

Table S1. Optimization for the four-component cascade reaction ^a

$\text{1a} + \text{2a} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{3a} \xrightarrow[2. \text{base}]{1. 1 \text{ mol\% Rh}_2(\text{OAc})_4, 5 \text{ mol\% } \textbf{4}, 4\text{AMS}} \text{6a} \quad (\text{S})-\textbf{4}$

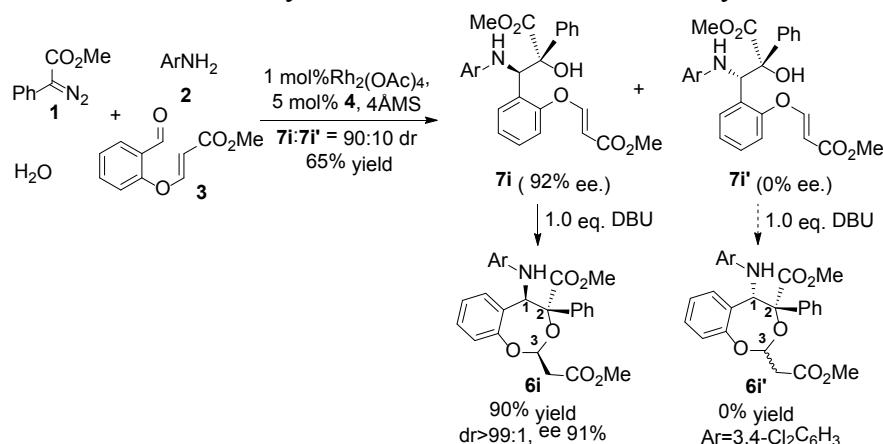
Ar=4-BrC₆H₄

6a

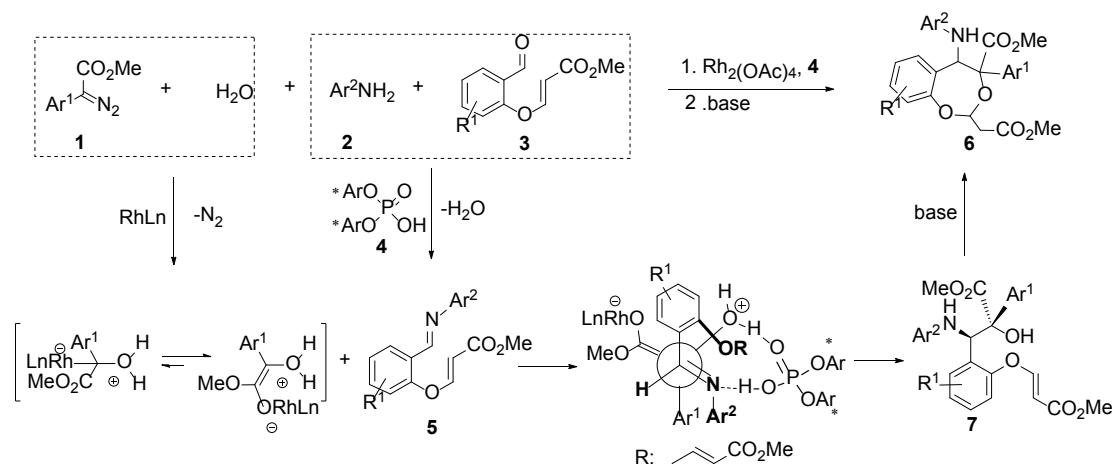
Entry	Solvent	T (°C)	Base (eqv.)	Yield(%) ^b	dr ^c	ee(%) ^d
1	DCM	25	DBU(0.2)	20	>99:1	91
2	DCM	25	piperidine(0.2)	<5	nd ^e	nd ^e
3	DCM	25	TEA(0.2)	<5	nd ^e	nd ^e
4	DCM	25	DIPEA(0.2)	<5	nd ^e	nd ^e
5	DCM	25	TFA	0	nd ^e	nd ^e
6	DCM	40	DBU(0.2)	35	>99:1	91
7	DCM	0	DBU(0.2)	10	>99:1	92
8	DCM	25	DBU(1.0)	45	>99:1	91
9	DCM	25	Na ₂ CO ₃	0	nd ^e	nd ^e
10	DCM	25	K ₂ CO ₃	0	nd ^e	nd ^e
11	DCM	25	NaOH	<5	nd ^e	nd ^e
12	CHCl ₃	25	DBU(1.0)	47	>99:1	38
13	DCE	25	DBU(1.0)	35	>99:1	69
14	Toluene	25	DBU(1.0)	38	>99:1	80
15 ^f	DCM	25	DBU(1.0)	23	>99:1	91

^a Reaction conditions: **1a**/H₂O/**2a**/**3a** was 1.5/0.5/1.2/1.0. ^b Isolated yield of **6a**. ^c Determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopy of the crude reaction mixture. ^d Determined by chiral HPLC with IC column. ^e nd: not detected. ^f no 4 ÅMS added. DBU: 1, 8-diazabicyclo [5.4.0] undec-7-ene, TEA: triethylamine, DIPEA: *N*, *N*-diisopropylethylamine, TFA: trifluoroacetic acid.

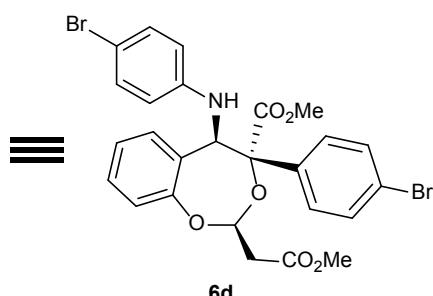
Scheme S1. Intramolecular oxy-Michael addition *via* DBU catalyzed.



Scheme S2. Proposed reaction pathway for the four-component cascade reactions



Crystal data of 6d (CCDC: 941071)

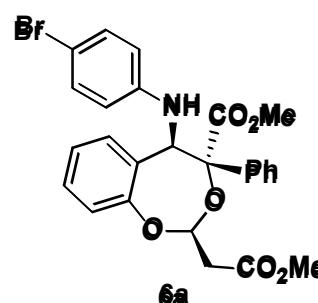


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alpha=90 beta=90 gamma=90
Temperature: 296 K

	Calculated	Reported
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Hall group	P 2ac 2ab	?
Moiety formula	C ₂₆ H ₂₃ Br ₂ N O ₆	?
Sum formula	C ₂₆ H ₂₃ Br ₂ N O ₆	C ₂₆ H ₂₃ Br ₂ N O ₆
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Z	4	4
Mu (mm ⁻¹)	3.227	3.227
F000	1216.0	1216.0
F000'	1214.29	
h, k, lmax	14,16,18	14,16,18
Nref	2539 [4478]	4478
Tmin, Tmax	0.281, 0.559	0.344, 0.594
Tmin'	0.237	
Correction method	= MULTI-SCAN	
Data completeness	= 1.76/1.00	Theta(max) = 25.010
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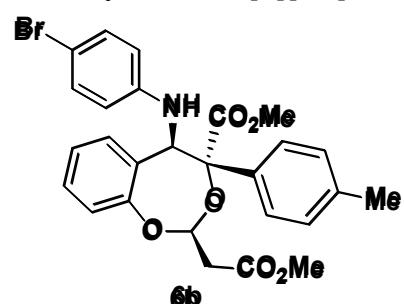
Characterization Data of Products:

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate (6a)



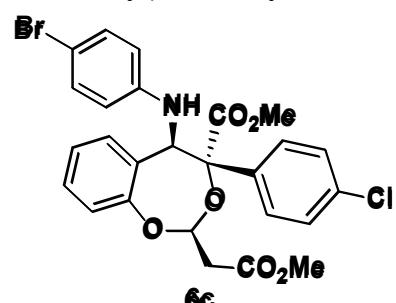
Yield: 45%; >95:5 dr; 91% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.7 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.3 \text{ min}$);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.37-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.23 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 7.09 (t, $J = 7.6 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.00 (d, $J = 7.8 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 6.87 (d, $J = 7.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.33 (d, $J = 7.9 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 5.24 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.83 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 3.10 (qd, $J = 15.3, 4.4 \text{ Hz}$, 2H);
 ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.79, 168.26, 156.22, 144.30, 136.60, 130.87, 130.62, 129.67, 128.40, 127.45, 127.37, 124.41, 123.41, 120.44, 114.49, 108.38, 99.31, 83.36, 61.74, 51.63, 50.95, 40.42;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrNNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 548.0664; Found: 548.0679.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-p-tolyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate (6b)



Yield: 43%; >95:5 dr; 95% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.7 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.0 \text{ min}$);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.44 (d, $J = 8.2 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 6.9 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 7.08 (dd, $J = 12.0, 8.4 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 6.99 (dd, $J = 11.4, 8.1 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 6.86 (d, $J = 7.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.34 (d, $J = 8.7 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 5.65-5.43 (m, 1H), 5.23 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.82 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 3.09 (qd, $J = 15.3, 5.5 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 2.23 (s, 3H);
 ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.94, 168.29, 156.27, 144.39, 137.20, 133.73, 130.89, 130.64, 129.78, 128.36, 128.18, 124.36, 123.36, 120.45, 114.55, 108.37, 99.32, 83.32, 61.70, 51.56, 50.92, 40.47, 20.02;
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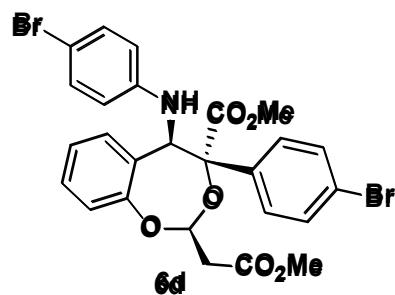
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Yield: 51%; >95:5 dr; 99% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.7 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.5 \text{ min}$);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.51 (d, $J = 8.6 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 8.3 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.26-7.15 (m, 2H), 7.10 (m, 1H), 7.00 (m, 3H), 6.87 (d, $J = 7.9 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.33

(d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.52 (dd, $J = 6.0, 5.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.18 (d, $J = 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.09 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);
 ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.53, 168.16, 156.19, 144.15, 135.33, 133.42, 130.85, 130.75, 129.41, 128.55, 127.63, 125.96, 123.51, 120.49, 114.60, 108.75, 99.32, 83.12, 61.89, 51.76, 50.97, 40.41;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrClNNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 582.0272; Found: 582.0289.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 4-(4-bromophenyl)-5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate (6d)



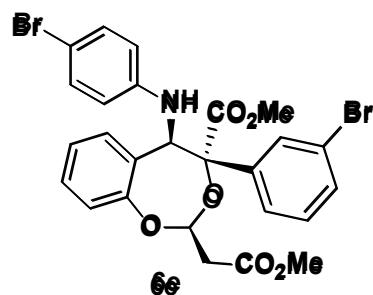
Yield: 47%; >95:5 dr; 96% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 13.4$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.6$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.45 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.39 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.21-7.06 (m, 1H), 7.00 (m, 3H), 6.87 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.52 (dd, $J = 6.1, 4.9$ Hz, 1H), 5.18 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.09 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.46, 168.15, 156.19, 144.14, 135.90, 130.86, 130.75, 130.60, 129.38, 128.56, 126.28, 123.52, 121.67, 120.49, 114.62, 108.78, 99.32, 83.16, 61.84, 51.77, 50.97, 40.41;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Br}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 625.9775; Found: 625.9784.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 4-(3-bromophenyl)-5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate (6e)



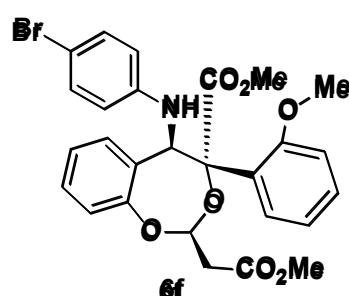
Yield: 46%; >95:5 dr; 98% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 13.2$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.6$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.75 (s, 1H), 7.49 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.32 (dd, $J = 15.0, 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.12 (dd, $J = 18.2, 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.00 (dd, $J = 12.7, 8.1$ Hz, 3H), 6.87 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.34 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.57-5.44 (m, 1H), 5.17 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.78 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.52 (s, 3H), 3.11 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.37, 168.18, 156.15, 144.16, 138.98, 130.87, 130.71, 130.51, 129.37, 128.94, 128.56, 127.96, 123.55, 122.83, 121.70, 120.48, 114.71, 108.79, 99.36, 83.02, 62.19, 51.84, 51.01, 40.41;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Br}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 625.9775; Found: 625.9784.

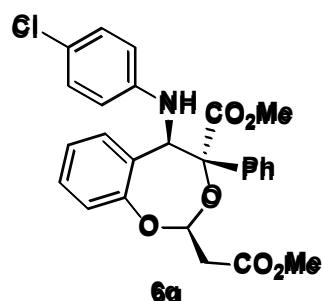
(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-(2-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate (6f)



Yield: 38%; >95:5 dr; 95% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.1$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 9.3$ min);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.04 (m, 3H), 7.04-6.82 (m, 5H), 6.76 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.18 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 5.49 (d, $J = 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.37 (t, $J = 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.61 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 3.02 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.4$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.65, 168.15, 154.54, 154.36, 144.82, 131.12, 130.45, 128.49, 127.61, 127.49, 125.60, 123.25, 119.93, 114.20, 110.15, 107.80, 98.17, 81.80, 59.93, 54.63, 51.32, 50.92, 40.61;
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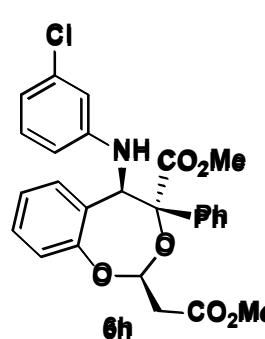
(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-chlorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6g)



Yield: 46%; >95:5 dr; 90% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.0$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 9.7$ min);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.36-7.24 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.14 (m, 2H), 7.09 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.91-6.79 (m, 3H), 6.37 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.54 (dd, $J = 6.2, 4.9$ Hz, 1H), 5.24 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.80 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.50 (s, 3H), 3.10 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.84, 168.27, 156.25, 143.92, 136.67, 130.87, 129.78, 128.38, 127.77, 127.44, 127.36, 124.44, 123.40, 121.38, 120.44, 114.11, 99.34, 83.44, 62.08, 51.62, 50.94, 40.46;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClNNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 504.1162; Found: 504.1184.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(3-chlorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6h)

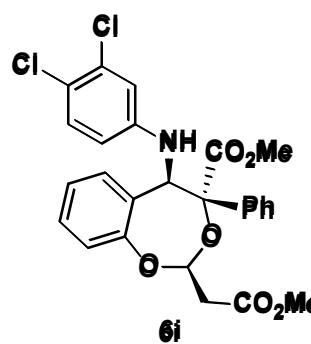


Yield: 42%; >95:5 dr; 90% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.7$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 7.6$ min);
 ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.32-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.14-6.95 (m, 2H), 6.95-6.76 (m, 2H), 6.45 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 6.31 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 5.62-5.47 (m, 1H), 5.26 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.89 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.11 (qd, $J = 15.4, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);

Hz, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.75, 168.27, 156.23, 146.40, 136.51, 133.57, 130.85, 129.61, 128.88, 128.42, 127.46, 127.39, 124.40, 123.47, 120.47, 116.58, 112.49, 111.04, 99.29, 98.94, 83.35, 61.49, 51.66, 50.97, 40.41;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for C₂₆H₂₄ClINaO₆. [M+Na]⁺ 504.1162; Found: 504.1145.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6i)



Yield: 52%; >95:5 dr; 92% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: t_{minor} = 20.3 min, t_{major} = 17.2 min);

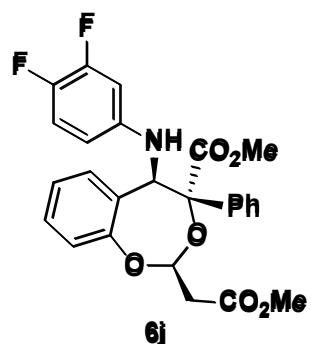
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.16 (m, 4H), 7.08 (dd, J = 31.2, 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (dd, J = 17.2, 8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.52 (s, 1H), 6.27 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (t, J = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (d, J = 10.7 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (d, J = 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.10 (qd, J =

15.5, 5.4 Hz, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.64, 168.22, 156.19, 144.81, 136.42, 131.43, 130.81, 129.38, 129.31, 128.59, 127.51, 127.49, 124.35, 123.55, 120.55, 119.21, 113.97, 112.41, 99.34, 83.28, 61.85, 51.69, 50.98, 40.39;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for C₂₆H₂₃Cl₂NNaO₆. [M+Na]⁺ 538.0781; Found: 538.0795.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(3,4-difluorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6j)



Yield: 53%; >95:5 dr; 94% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: t_{minor} = 9.6 min, t_{major} = 12.0 min);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.58 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.36-7.21 (m, 4H), 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.89 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.69 (q, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 6.32-6.15 (m, 1H), 6.09 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 5.61-5.47 (m, 1H), 5.15 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.75 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.11 (qd, J =

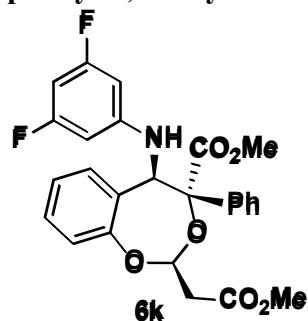
15.4, 5.5 Hz, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.72, 168.24, 156.15, 136.55, 130.83, 129.56, 128.47, 127.47, 127.40, 124.35, 123.48, 120.45, 116.20, 116.02, 108.45, 101.86, 101.65, 99.32, 83.33, 62.77, 51.67, 50.97, 40.40;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for C₂₆H₂₃F₂NNaO₆. [M+Na]⁺ 506.1371; Found: 506.1376.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl

5-(3,5-difluorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6k)

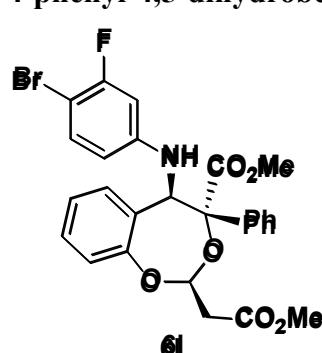


Yield: 43%; >95:5 dr; 93% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.4$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 7.8$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.56 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.32-7.17 (m, 5H), 7.13 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.92 (t, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 3H), 5.59-5.48 (m, 1H), 5.20 (d, $J = 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.05 (d, $J = 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.11 (qd, $J = 15.5, 5.5$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.63, 168.21, 156.23, 146.39, 146.29, 136.43, 132.05, 130.81, 129.41, 128.59, 127.52, 124.36, 123.56, 120.55, 110.04, 100.58, 100.32, 99.35, 83.28, 61.82, 51.68, 50.96, 40.40;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{F}_2\text{NNaO}_6$, $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 506.1371; Found: 506.1386.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromo-3-fluorophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6l)



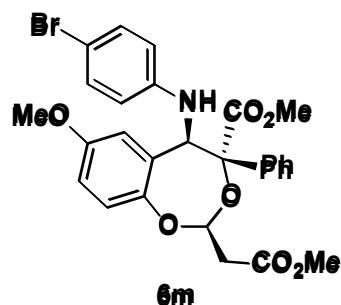
Yield: 41%; >95:5 dr; 88% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 13.2$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.1$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.38-7.16 (m, 4H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.91 (dd, $J = 17.2, 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.52 (s, 1H), 6.27 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.54 (t, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.20 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.90 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.10 (qd, $J = 15.5, 5.4$ Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.64, 168.22, 156.19, 144.81, 136.42, 131.43, 130.81, 129.38, 129.31, 128.59, 127.51, 127.49, 124.35, 123.55, 120.55, 119.21, 113.97, 112.41, 99.34, 83.28, 61.85, 51.69, 50.98, 40.39;
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrFNNaO}_6$, $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 566.0573; Found: 566.0585.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl

5-(4-bromophenylamino)-7-methoxy-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6l)



Yield: 47%; >95:5 dr; 76% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 15.6$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 16.6$ min);

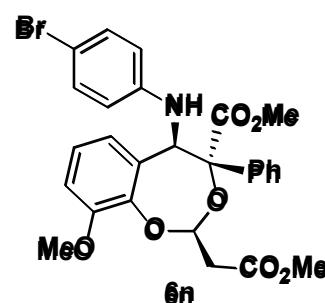
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.15 (m, 3H), 7.02 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 6.89-6.73 (m, 2H), 6.60 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.35 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.51 (s, 1H), 5.17 (d, $J = 10.9$

Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.52 (s, 3H), 3.07 (dd, J = 16.5, 11.5 Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.78, 168.34, 154.89, 149.97, 144.30, 136.70, 130.65, 127.44, 127.36, 124.41, 120.94, 116.56, 114.55, 112.41, 108.42, 99.52, 83.43, 61.78, 54.61, 51.66, 50.94, 40.35;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrNNaO}_7$, $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 578.0772; Found: 578.0785.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-9-methoxy-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6m)



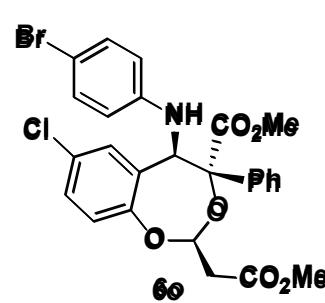
Yield: 45%; >95:5 dr; 98% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.5$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 18.0$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.33–7.14 (m, 5H), 7.00 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 5.54 (t, J = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.14 (qd, J = 14.3, 5.1 Hz, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.81, 168.10, 150.50, 145.23, 144.26, 136.65, 131.10, 130.58, 127.44, 127.36, 124.44, 123.55, 122.40, 114.53, 111.00, 108.32, 99.97, 83.29, 61.53, 54.87, 51.61, 51.01, 40.88;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrNNaO}_7$, $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 578.0769; Found: 578.0785.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-7-chloro-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6o)



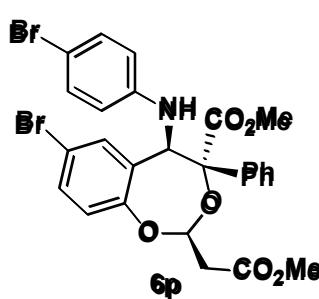
Yield: 51%; >95:5 dr; 98% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.4$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.6$ min);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.36 – 7.12 (m, 6H), 7.04 (t, J = 9.1 Hz, 3H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.32 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 5.17 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.19 – 2.97 (m, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.57, 168.15, 154.76, 143.92, 136.21, 131.51, 130.78, 130.39, 128.61, 128.31, 127.52, 124.28, 121.83, 114.44, 108.76, 99.54, 83.38, 61.48, 51.83, 51.01, 40.22;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrClNNaO}_6$, $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 582.0287; Found: 582.0289.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 7-bromo-5-(4-bromophenylamino)-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6p)



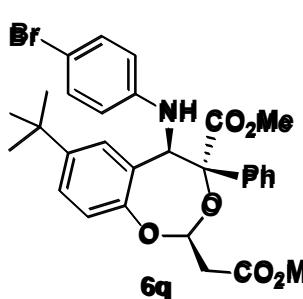
Yield: 53%; >95:5 dr; 97% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol =50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.7 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.3 \text{ min}$);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54 (d, $J = 7.4 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.32-7.12 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, $J = 7.6 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 6.76 (d, $J = 8.4 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.32 (d, $J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 5.17 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.79 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.18-2.98 (m, 2H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.54, 168.13, 155.29, 143.89, 136.18, 133.28, 131.95, 131.30, 130.79, 127.52, 124.27, 122.26, 116.30, 114.40, 108.75, 99.49, 83.37, 61.41, 51.84, 51.02, 40.22;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Br}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 625.9767; Found: 625.9784.

(2S,4R,5R)-methyl 5-(4-bromophenylamino)-7-tert-butyl-2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-phenyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[d][1,3]dioxepine-4-carboxylate(6q)



Yield: 42%; >95:5 dr; 97% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak OD-H, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol =50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.9 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.4 \text{ min}$.);

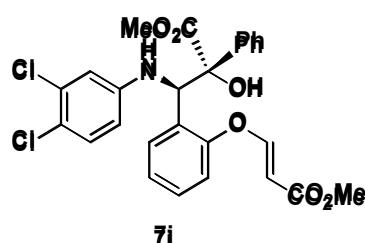
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, $J = 7.3 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.36-7.14 (m, 4H), 7.04 (dd, $J = 30.5, 8.1 \text{ Hz}$, 4H), 6.77 (d, $J = 8.2 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.35 (d, $J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 5.24 (d, $J = 10.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.86 (d, $J = 10.7 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 3.72

(s, 3H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 3.19-2.98 (m, 2H), 1.23 (s, 9H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.61, 168.31, 153.96, 145.91, 144.38, 136.67, 130.50, 128.68, 128.37, 127.42, 127.34, 124.92, 124.56, 119.60, 114.47, 108.19, 99.16, 83.28, 61.68, 51.45, 50.92, 40.43, 33.22, 30.34;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{32}\text{BrNNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 604.1294; Found: 604.1305.

(E)-methyl 3-((1R,2R)-1-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3-oxo-2-phenylpropyl)phenoxy)acrylate(7i)



Yield: 65%; 90:10; dr; 92% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol =50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.6 \text{ min}$, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.9 \text{ min}$.);

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.83 (d, $J = 12.2 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.69 (dd, $J = 12.9, 7.8 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 7.37 (t, $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.34-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.16 (t, $J = 7.6 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.01 (dd, $J = 14.7, 8.5 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 6.54 (d, $J = 2.6 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 6.27 (dd, $J = 8.8, 2.6 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 5.84 (d, $J = 14.7, 8.5 \text{ Hz}$, 1H);

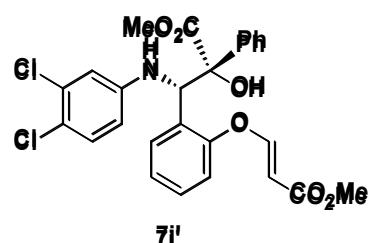
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Cl}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 625.9767; Found: 625.9784.

= 12.2 Hz, 1H), 5.65 (d, J = 9.3 Hz, 1H), 4.75 (d, J = 9.3 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.56 (s, 3H);

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.22, 166.24, 157.73, 152.89, 144.77, 137.66, 131.64, 129.44, 128.92, 127.45, 127.39, 127.12, 125.11, 124.52, 119.22, 116.00, 113.44, 111.96, 102.06, 79.60, 53.62, 52.74, 50.50;

ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Cl}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 538.0779; Found: 538.0795.

(E)-methyl 3-((1*S*,2*R*)-1-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3-oxo-2-phenylpropylphenoxy)acrylate(7i')



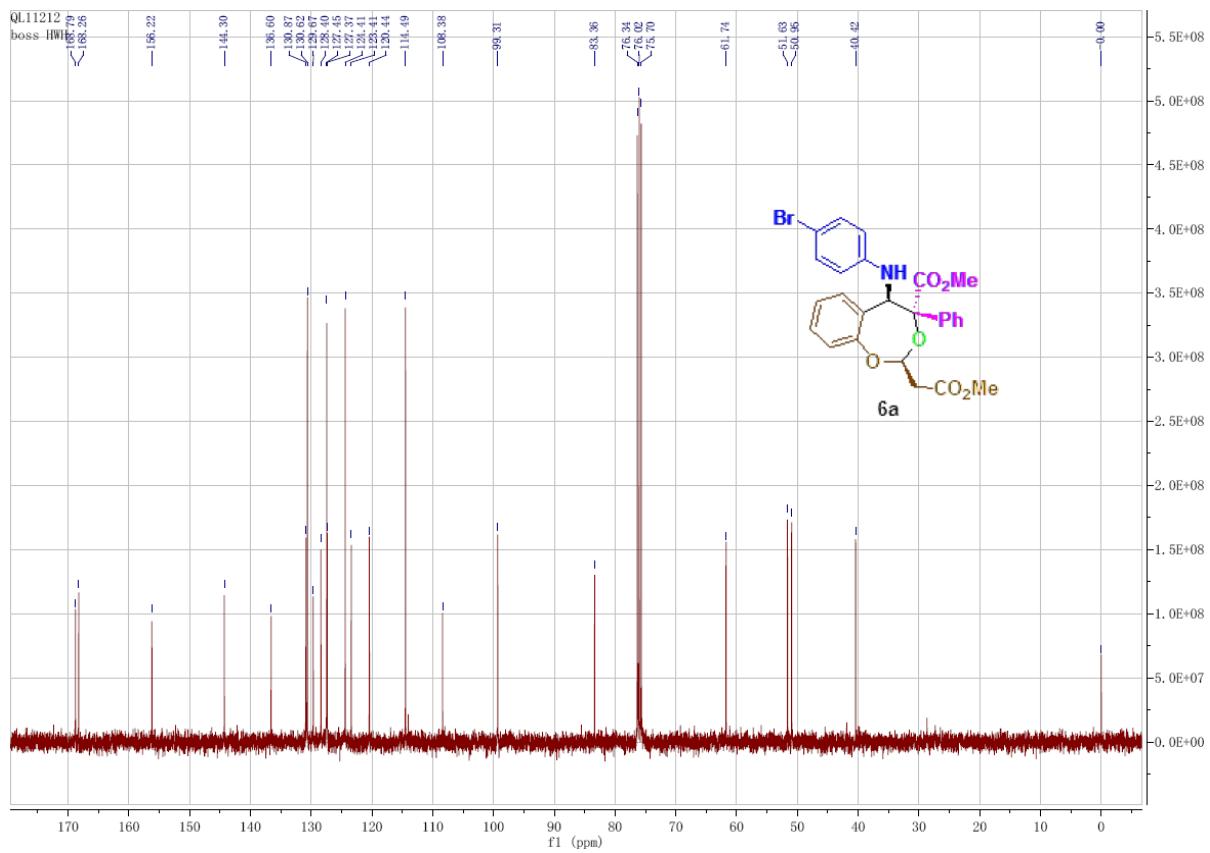
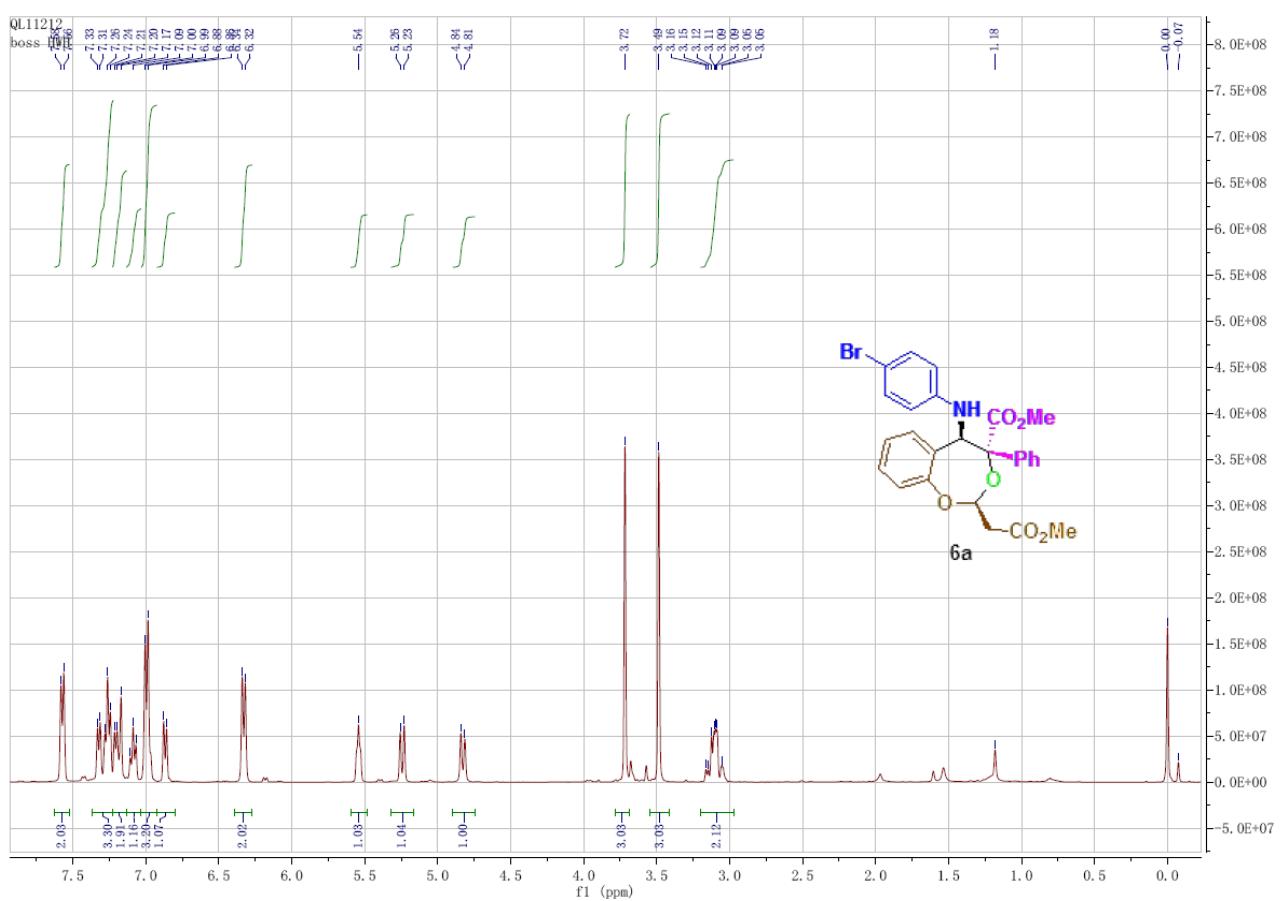
0% ee; determined by HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC, flow rate 0.8 mL/min, hexane/isopropanol = 50:10, 254 nm, Retention time: $t = 10.9$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 17.7$ min.);

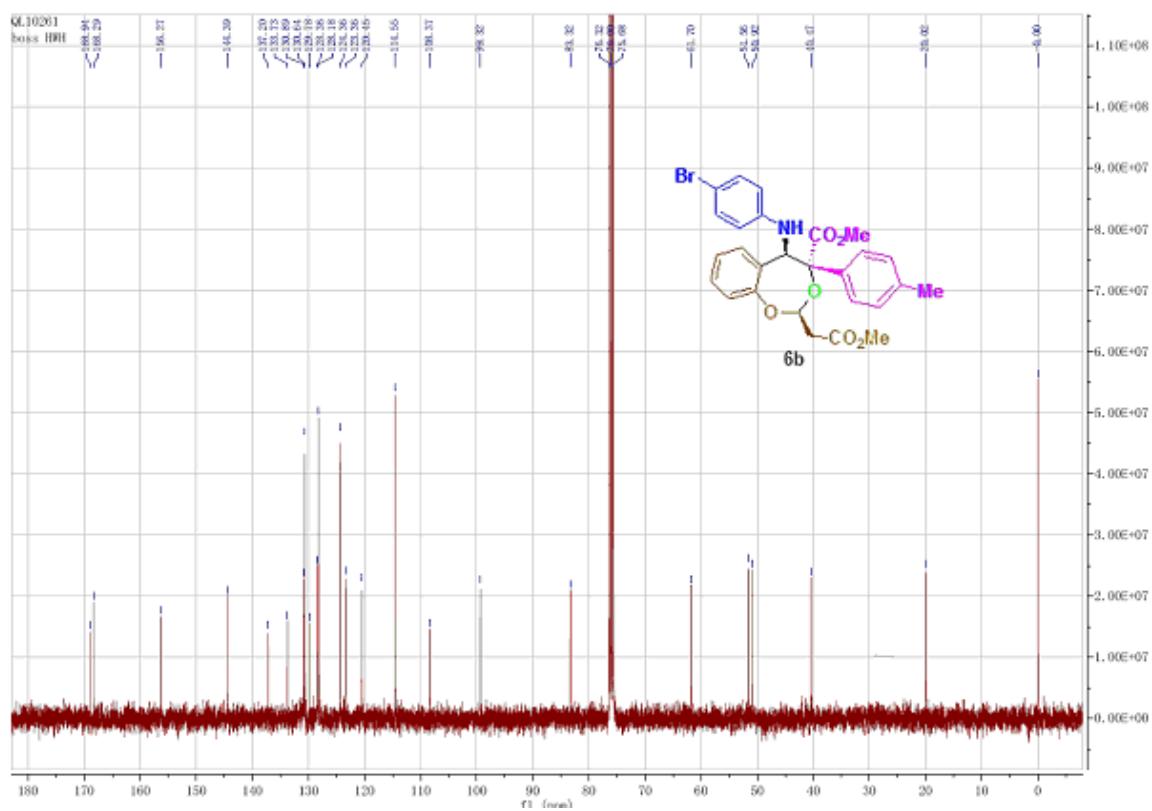
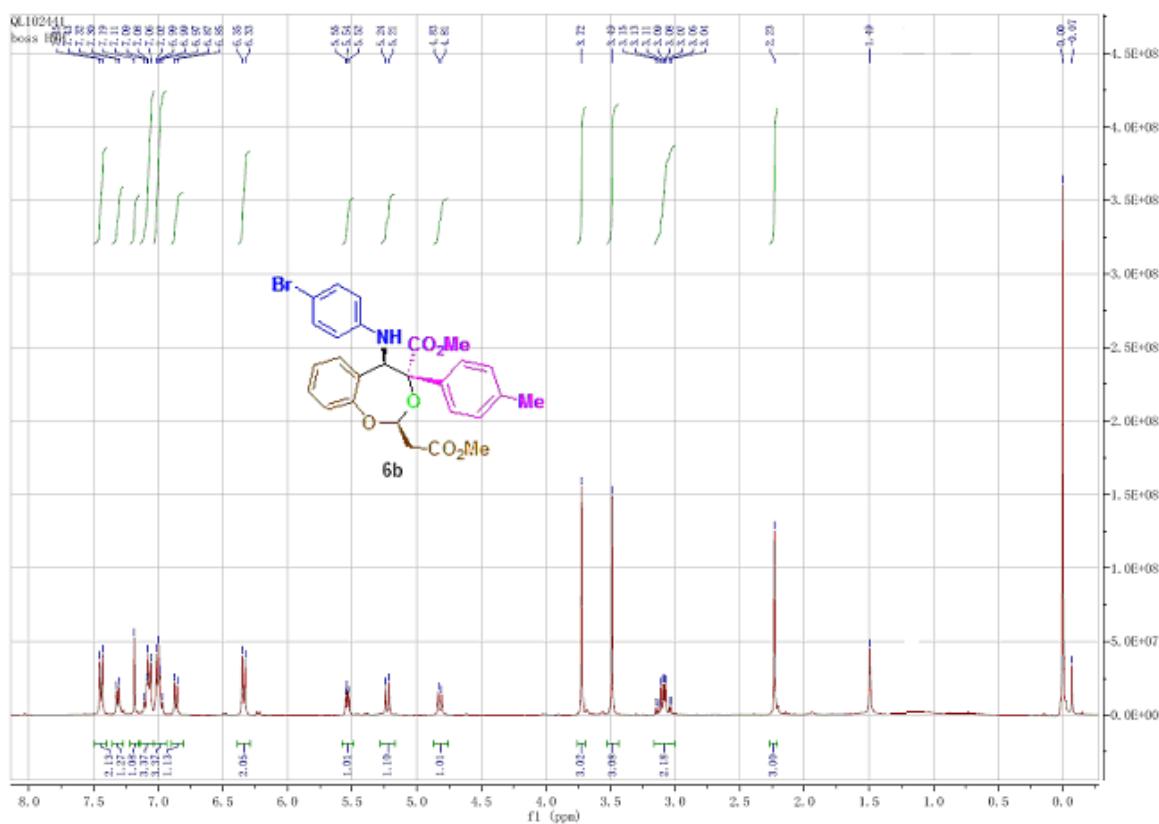
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.49 (dd, J = 7.7, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.24 (m, 3H), 7.03 (ddd, J = 23.6, 13.9, 5.0 Hz, 8H), 6.69 (d, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (dd, J = 8.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.41 (dd, J = 8.7, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 5.61 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.55 (d, J = 12.2 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (d, J = 0.7 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H);

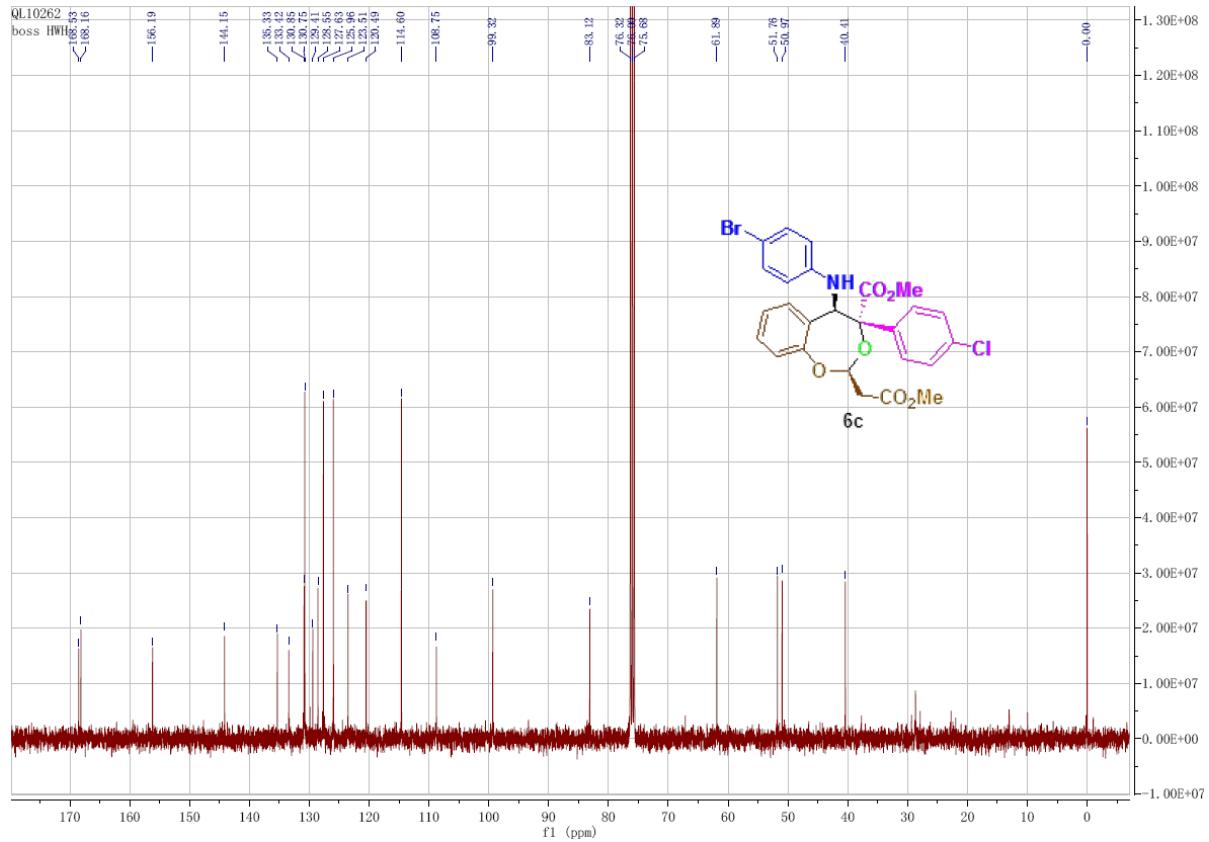
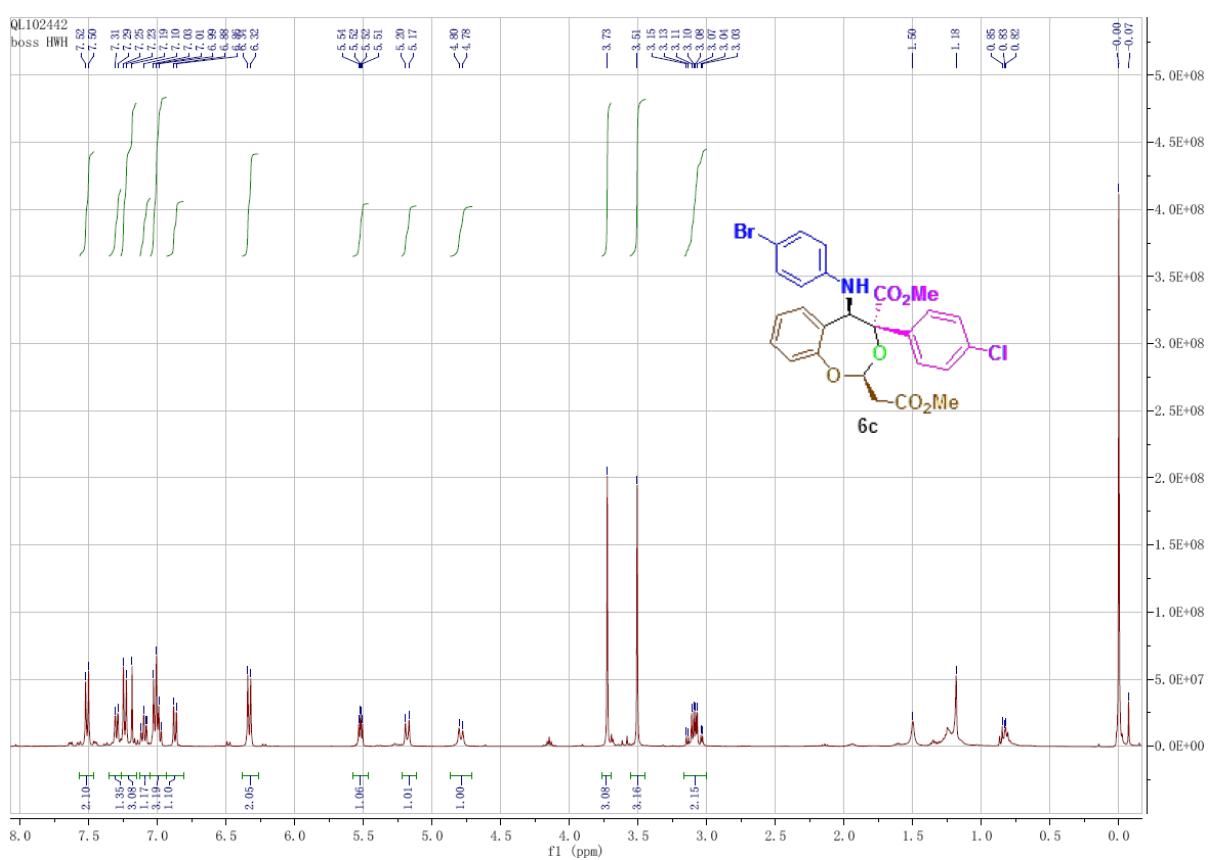
^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.34, 166.26, 157.78, 153.01, 144.67, 136.55, 131.75, 129.57, 128.43, 128.20, 127.20, 127.00, 126.27, 124.74, 123.83, 119.92, 115.37, 114.49, 112.68, 101.75, 80.47, 52.99, 52.40, 50.34;

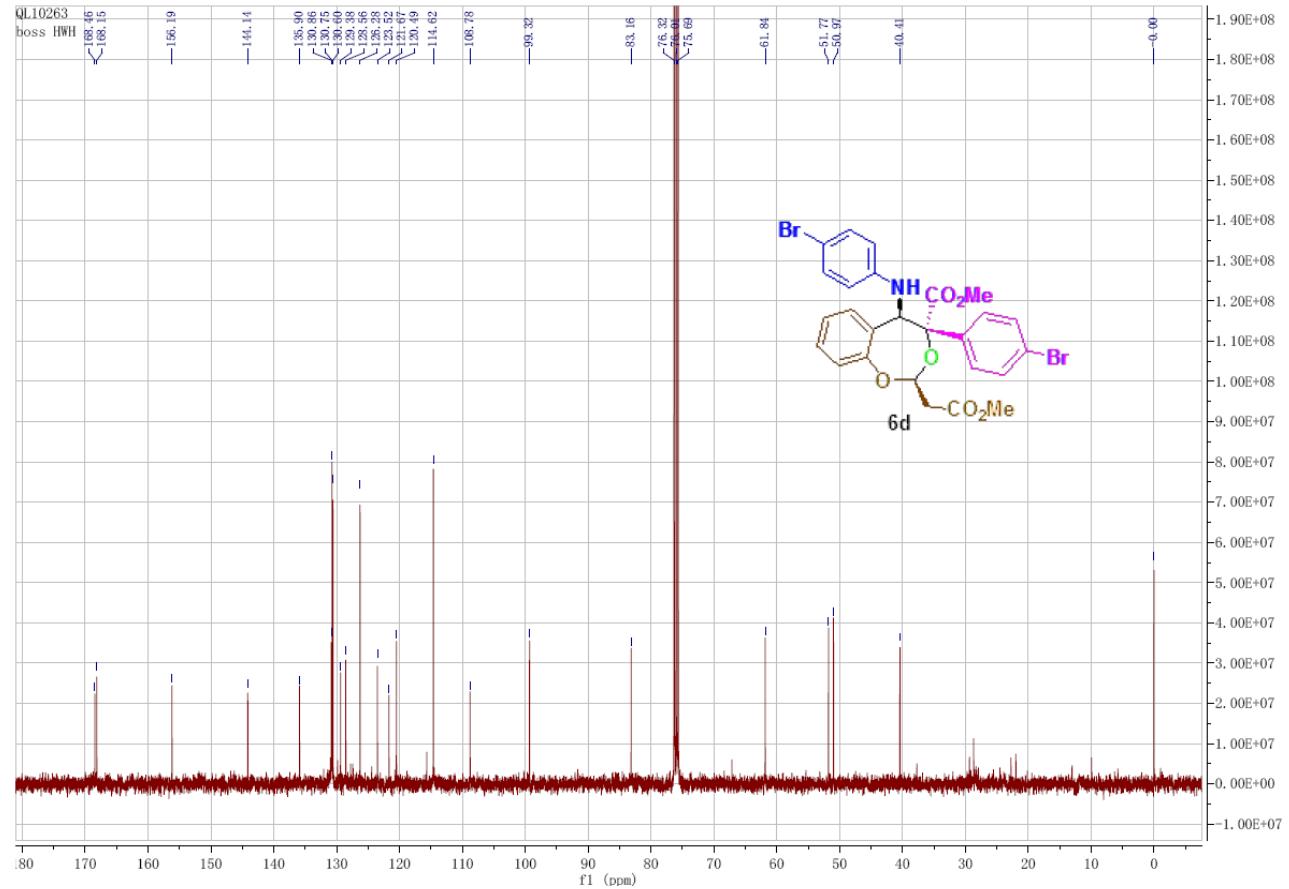
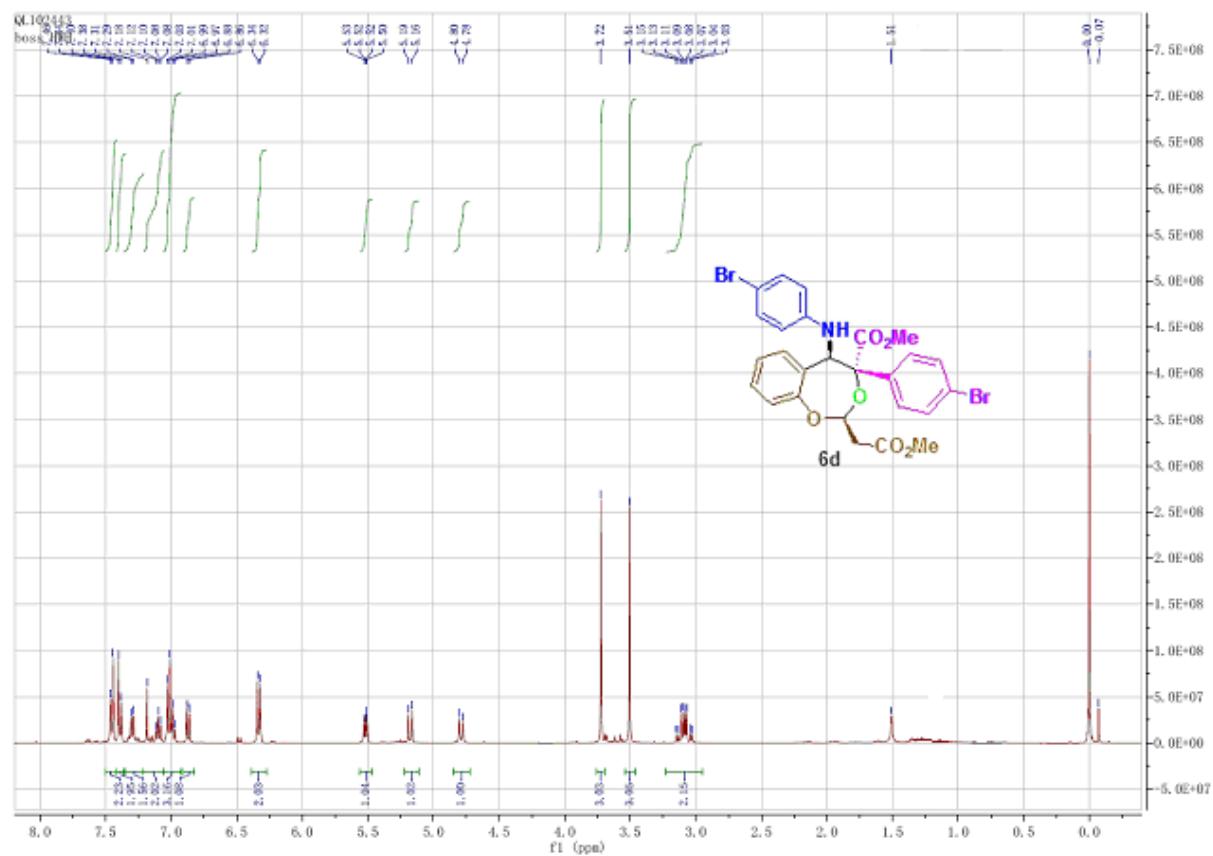
ESCI-HRMS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{Cl}_2\text{NNaO}_6$. $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 538.0779; Found: 538.0786.

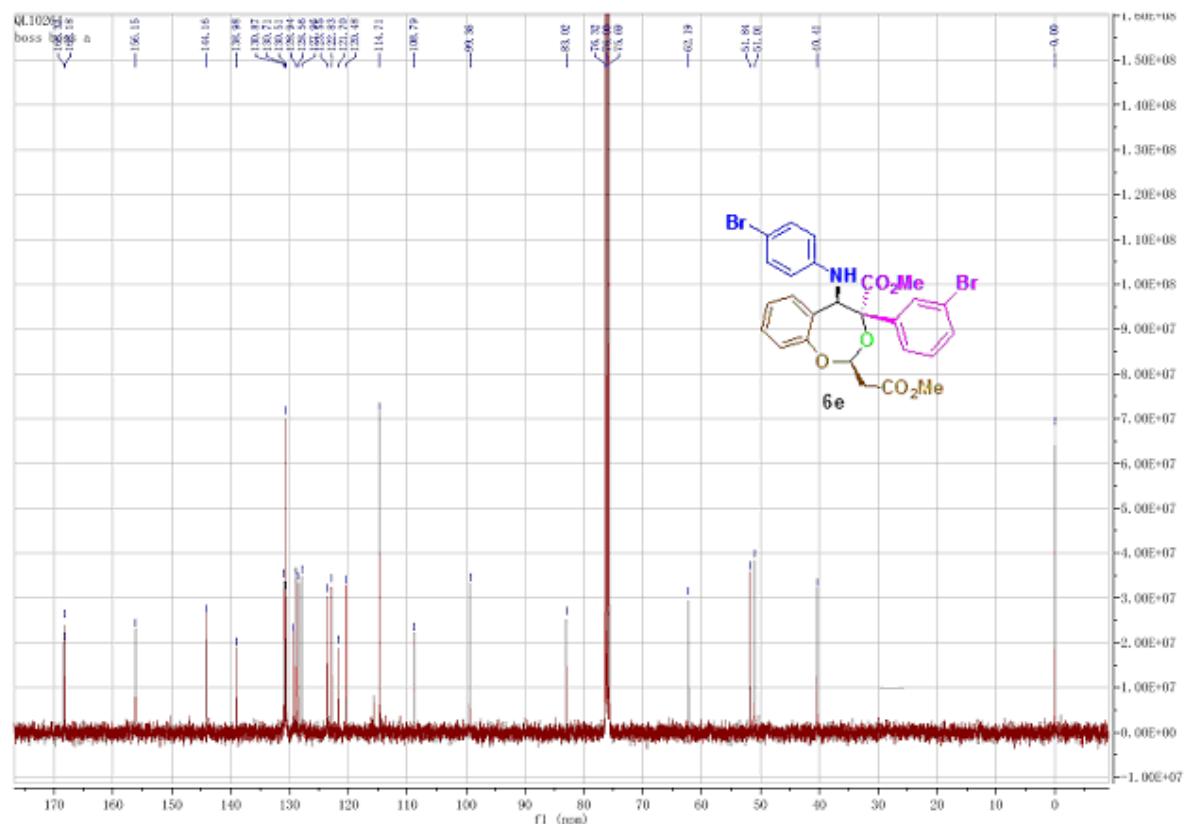
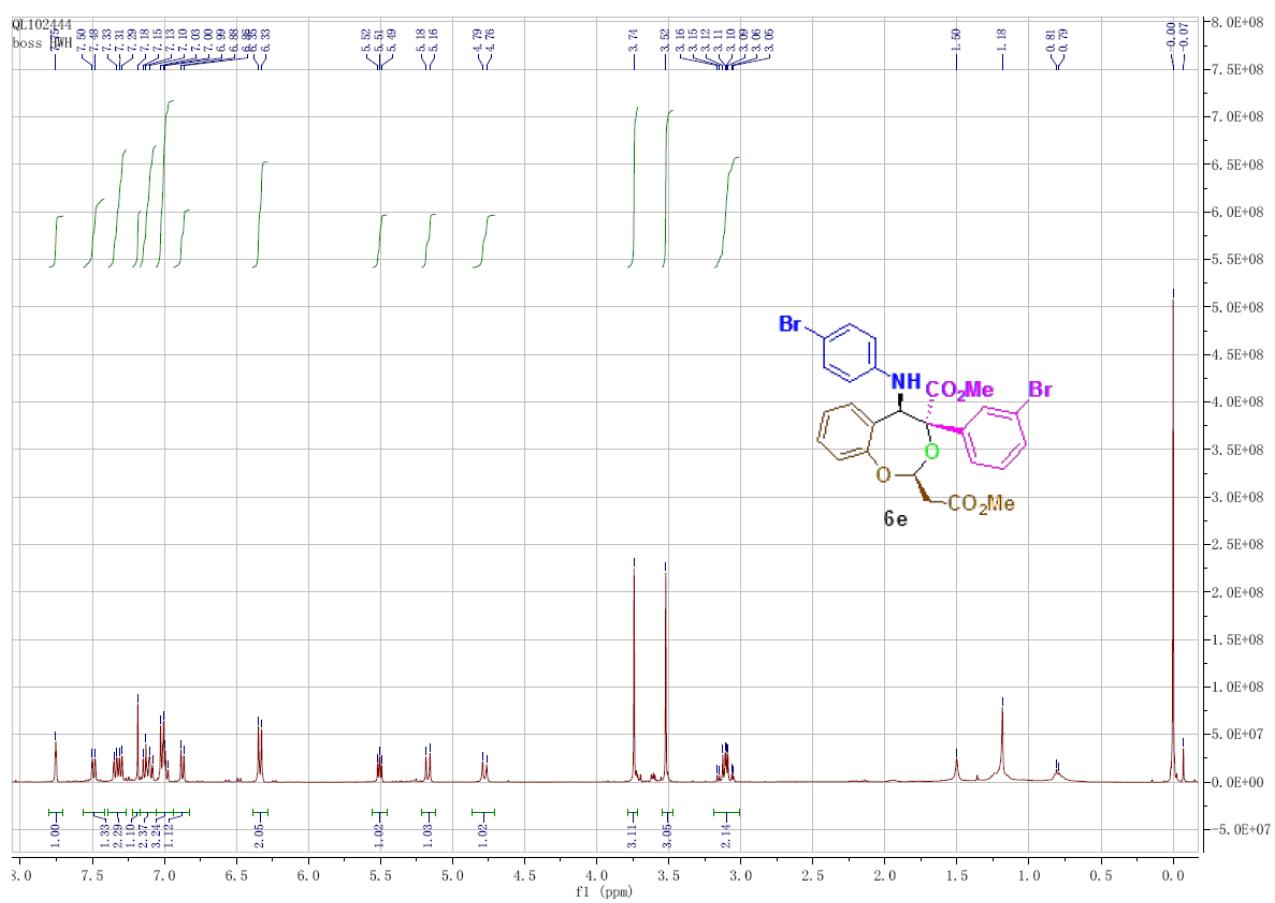
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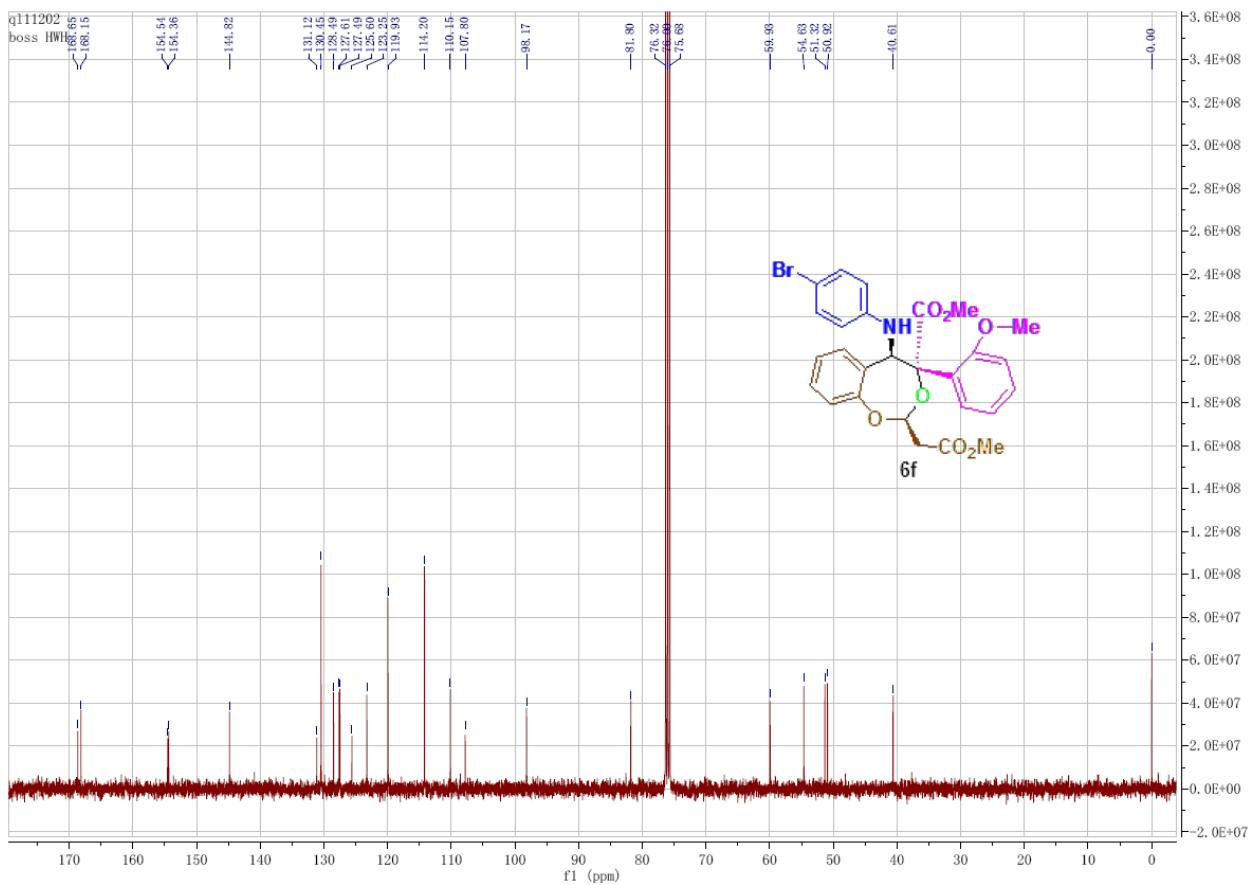
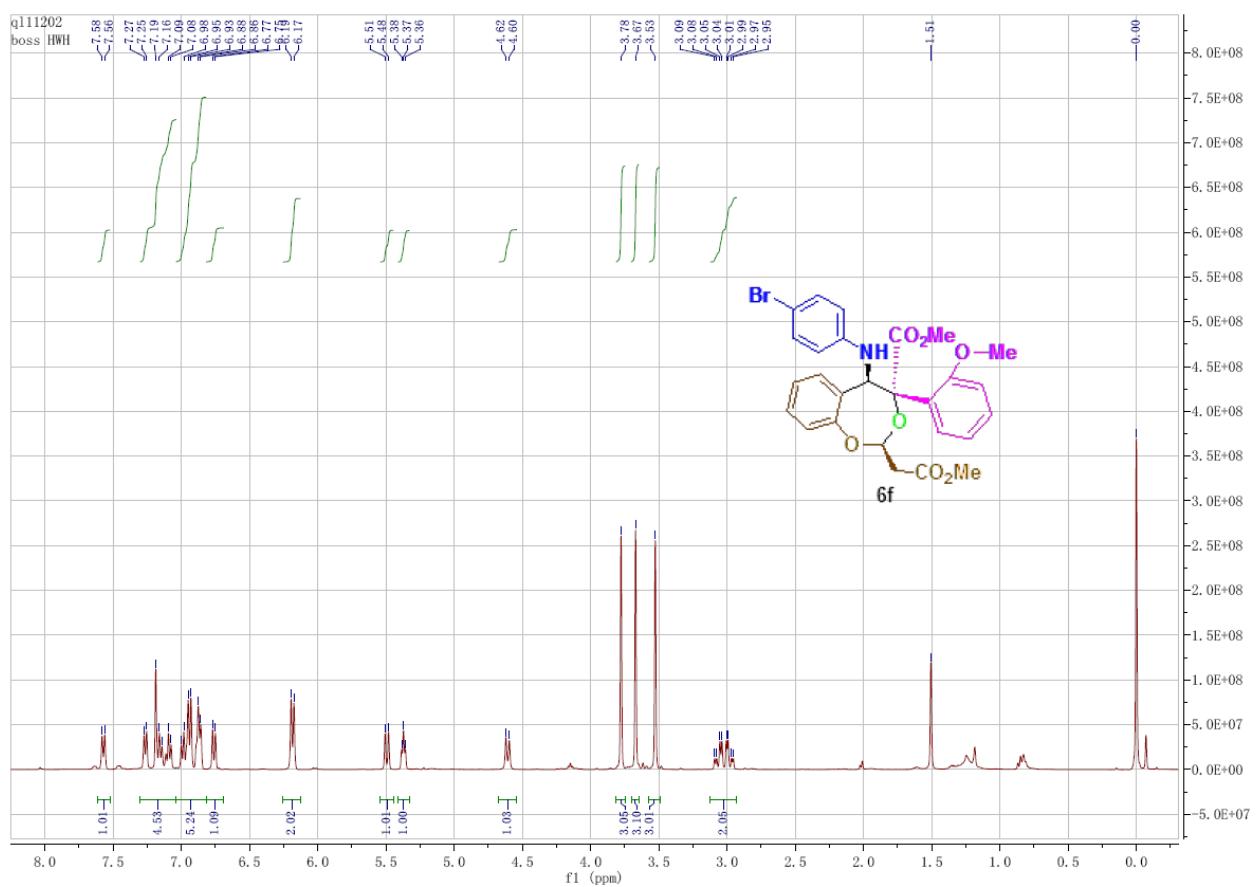


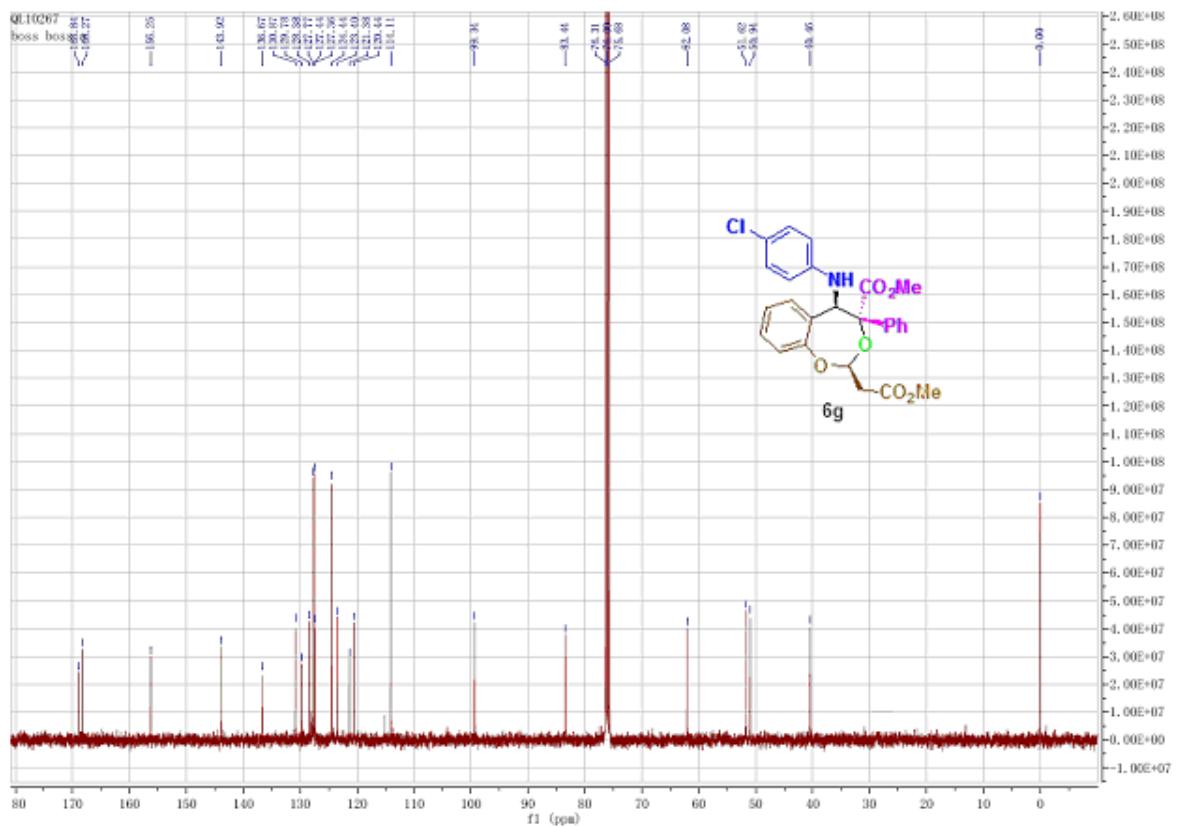
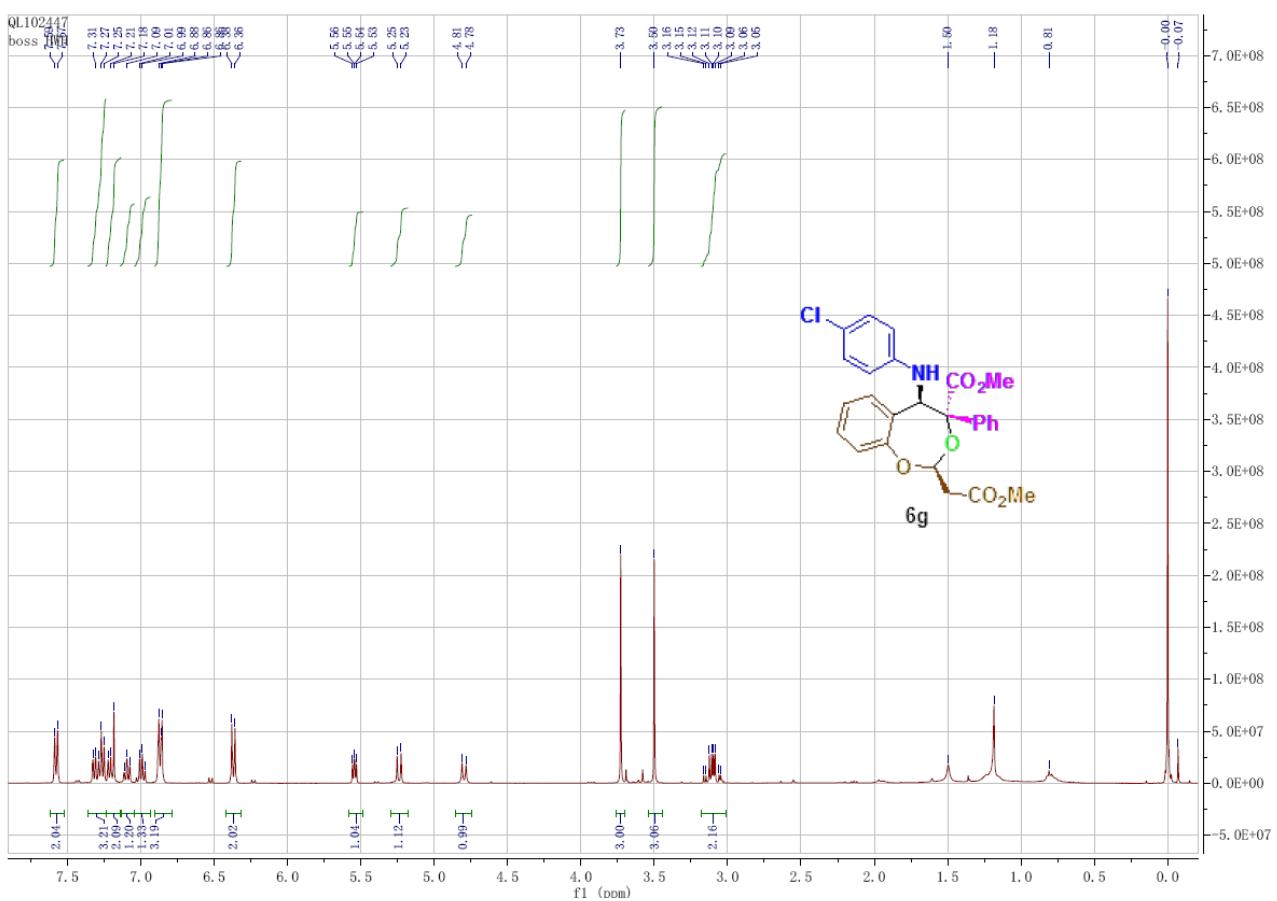


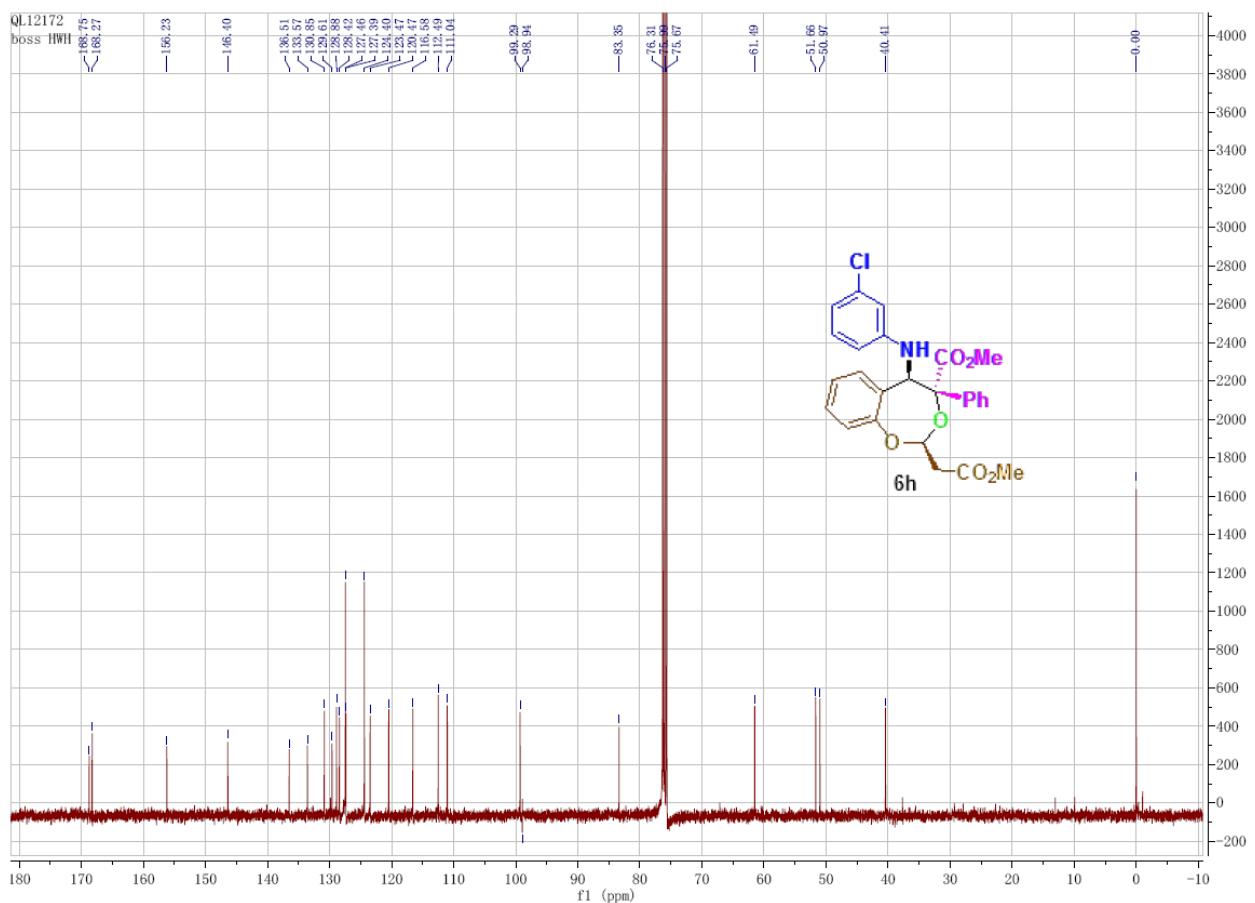
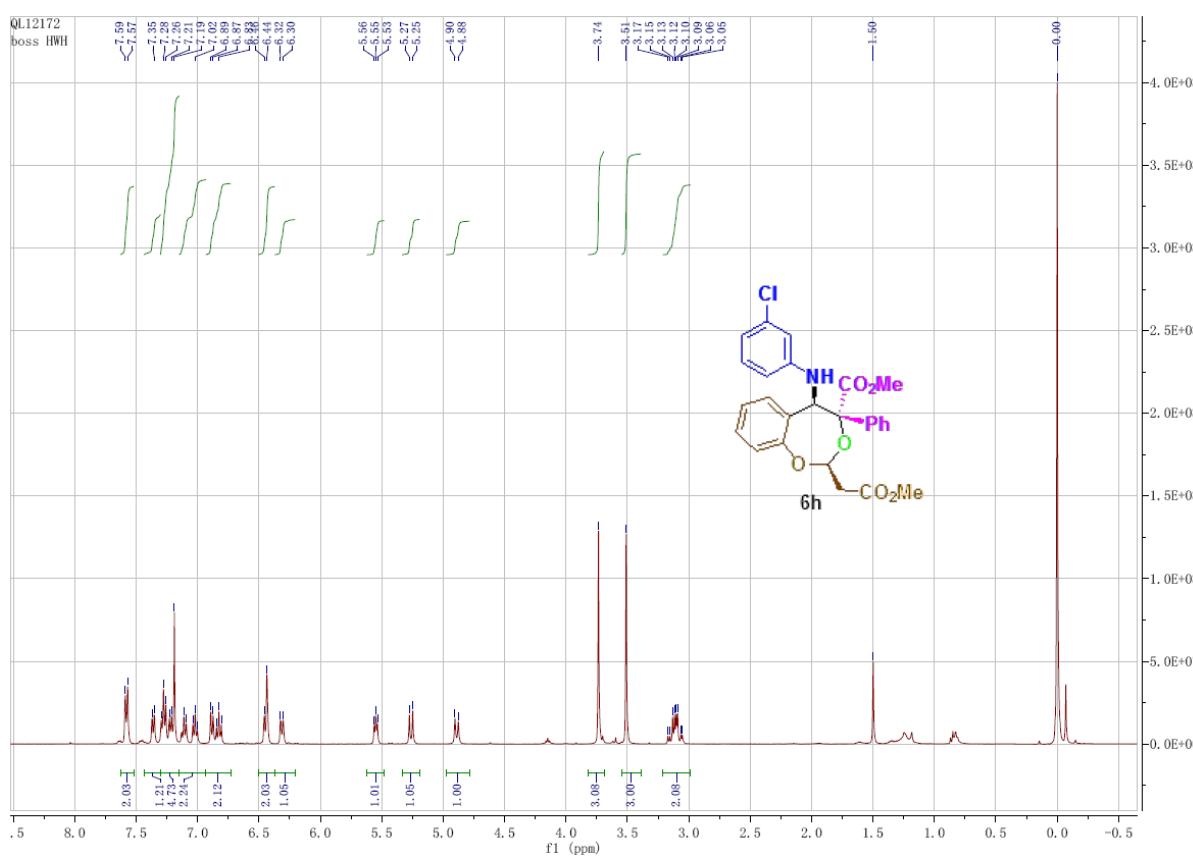


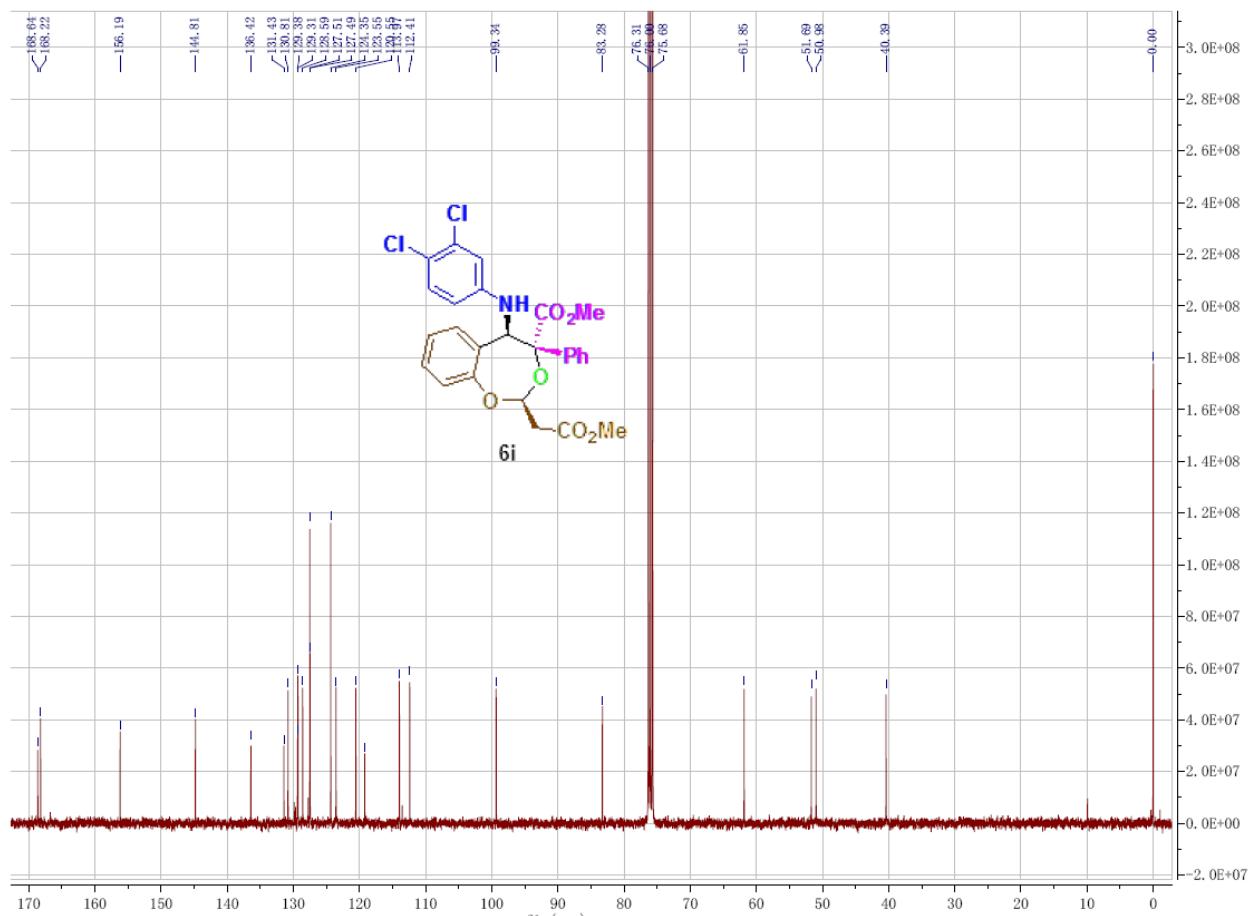
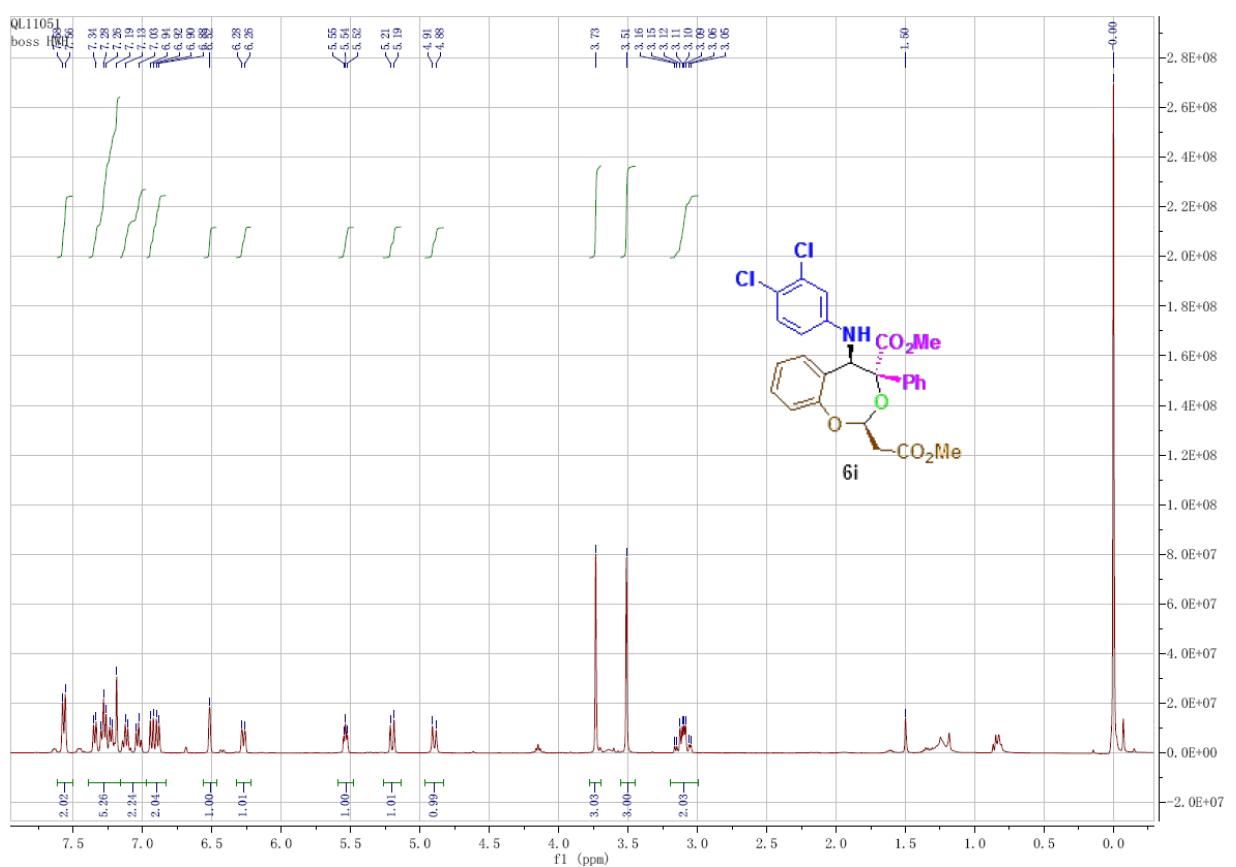


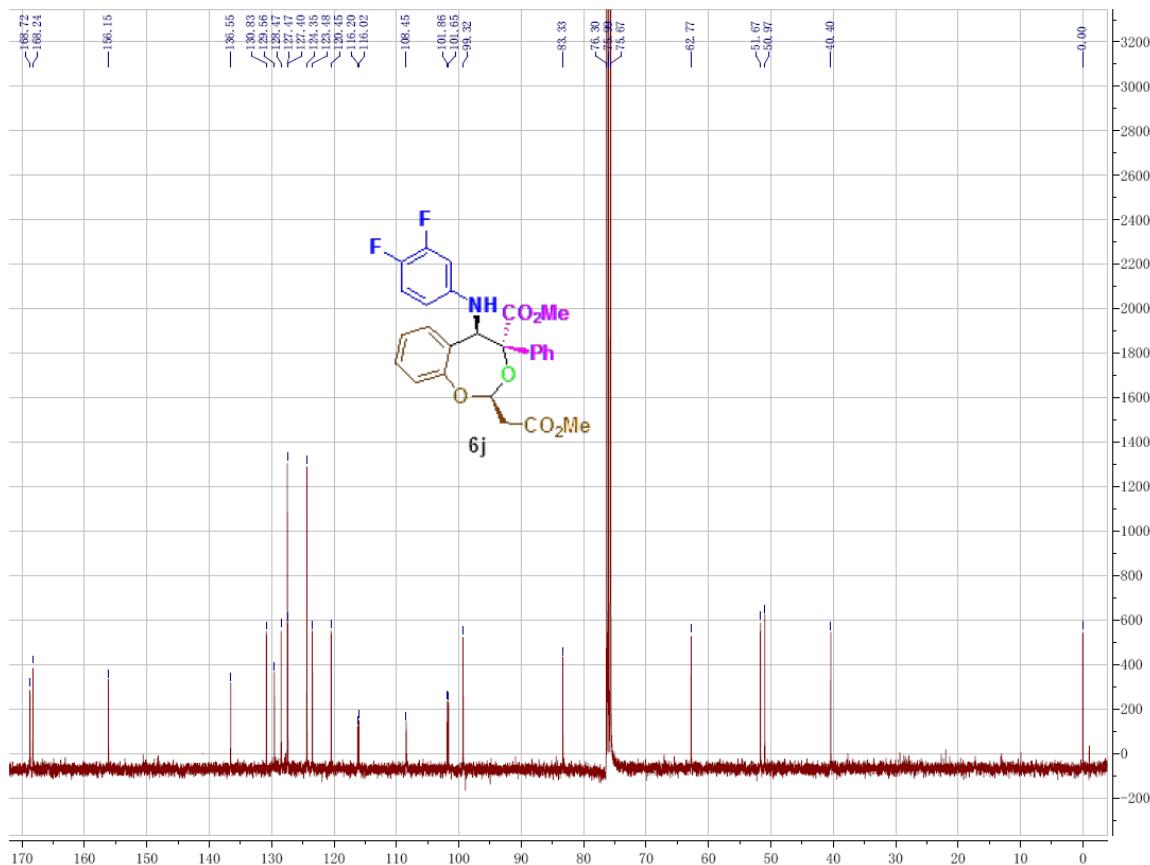
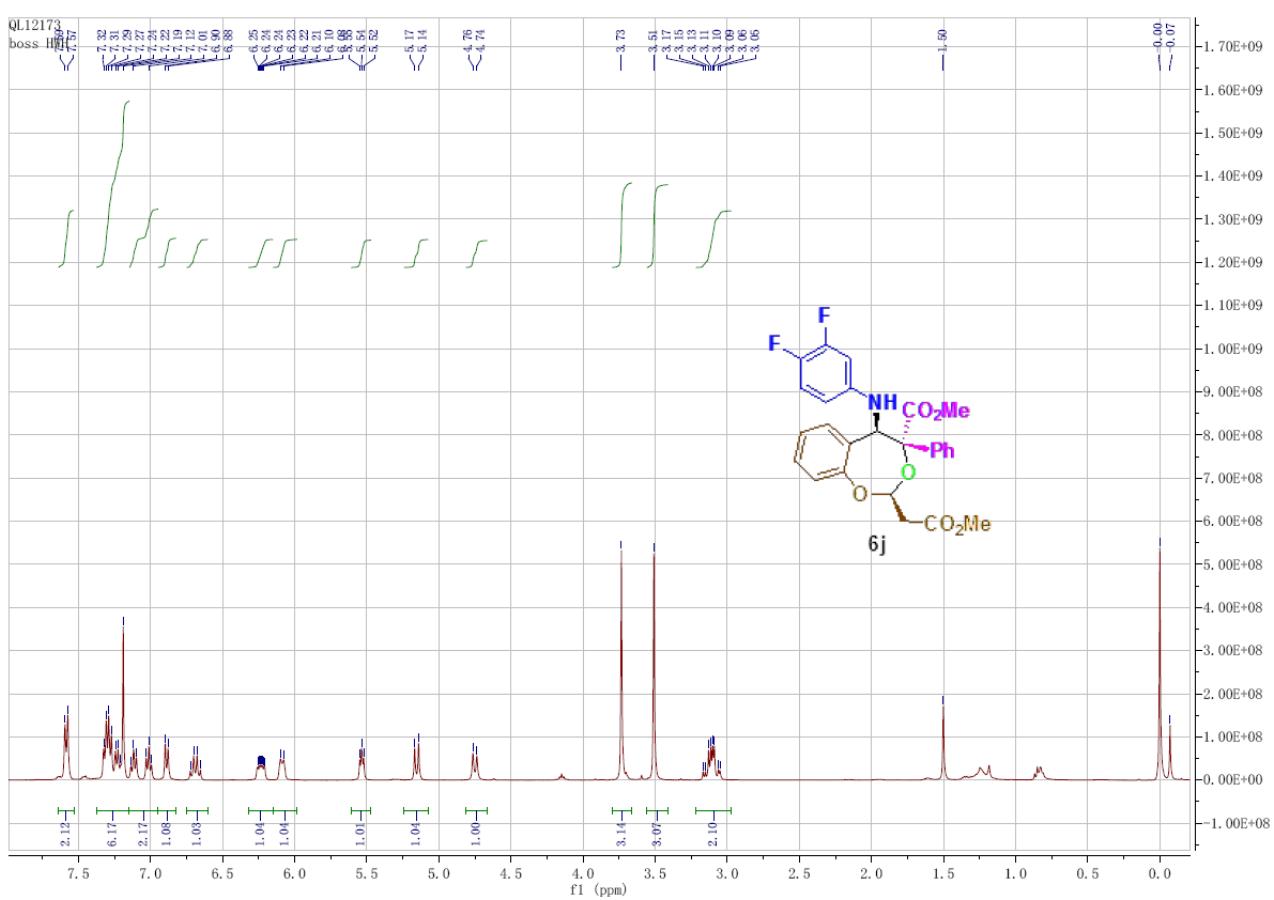


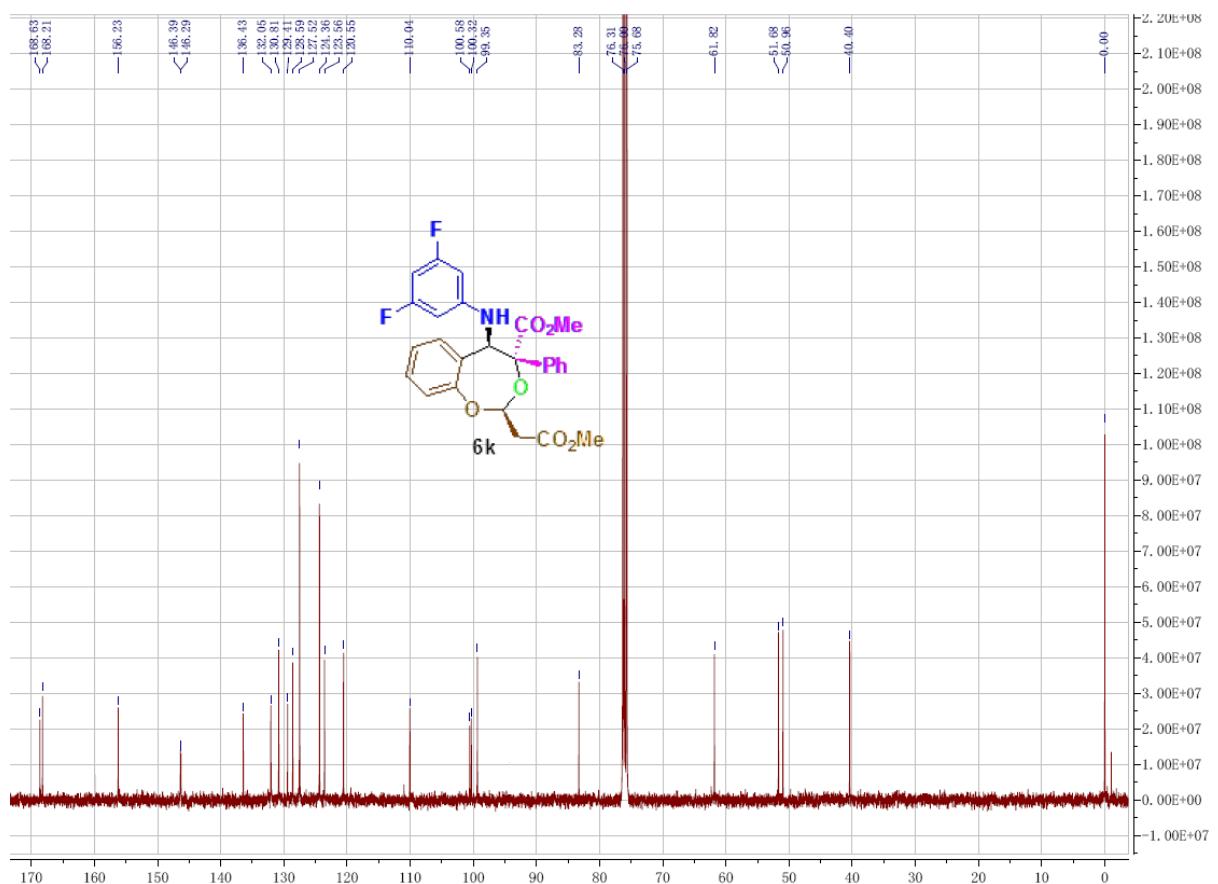
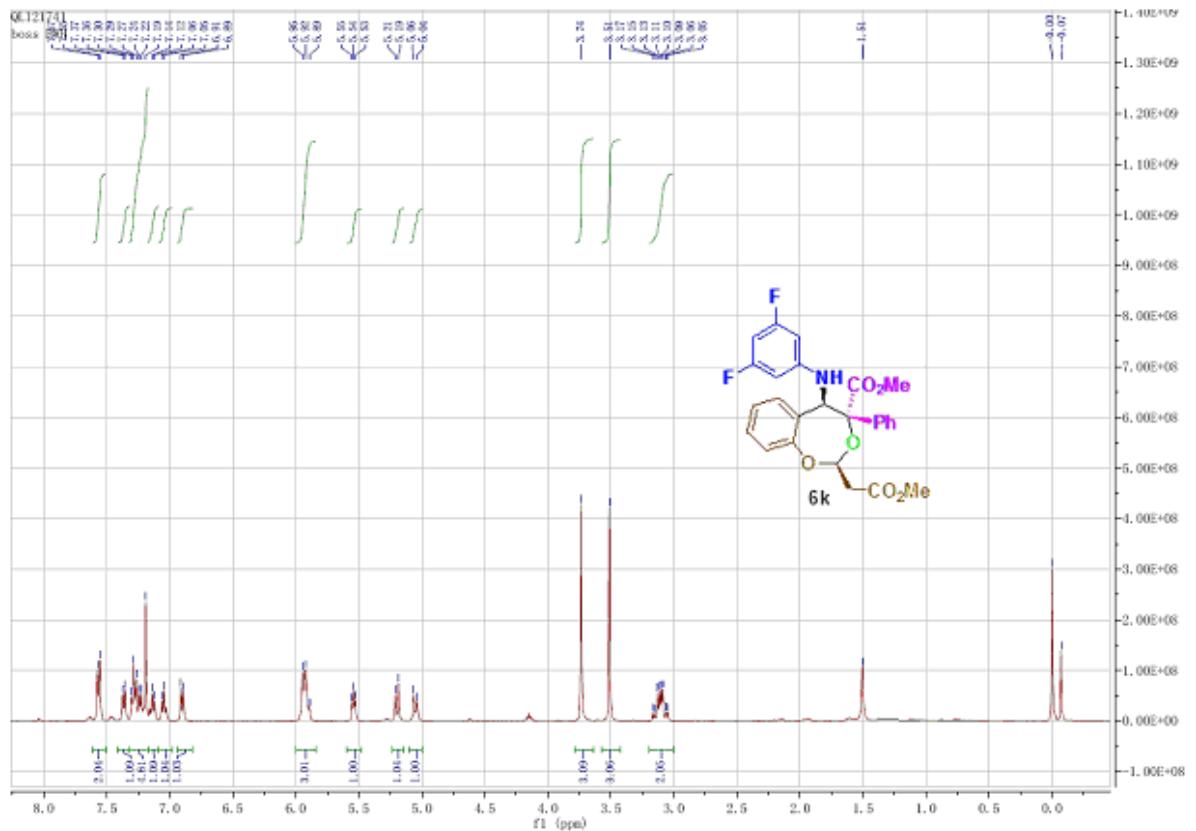


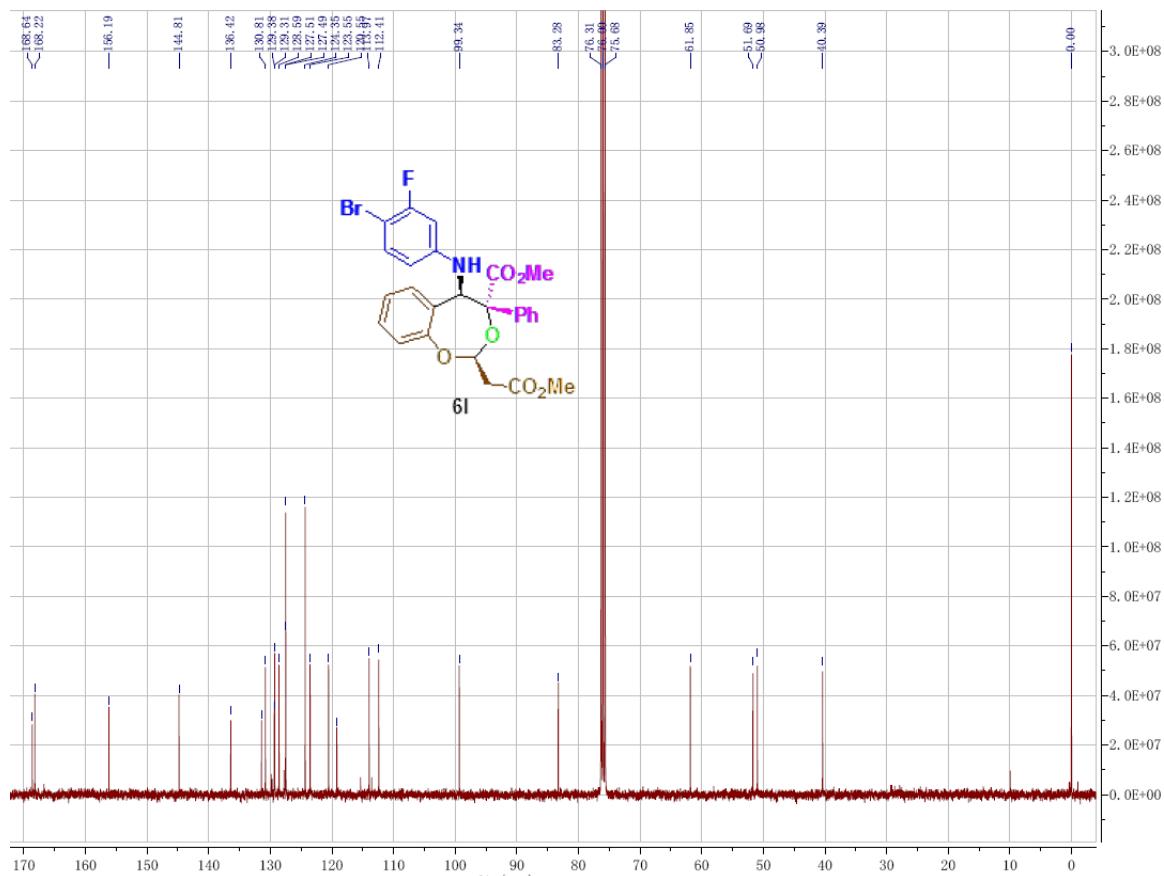
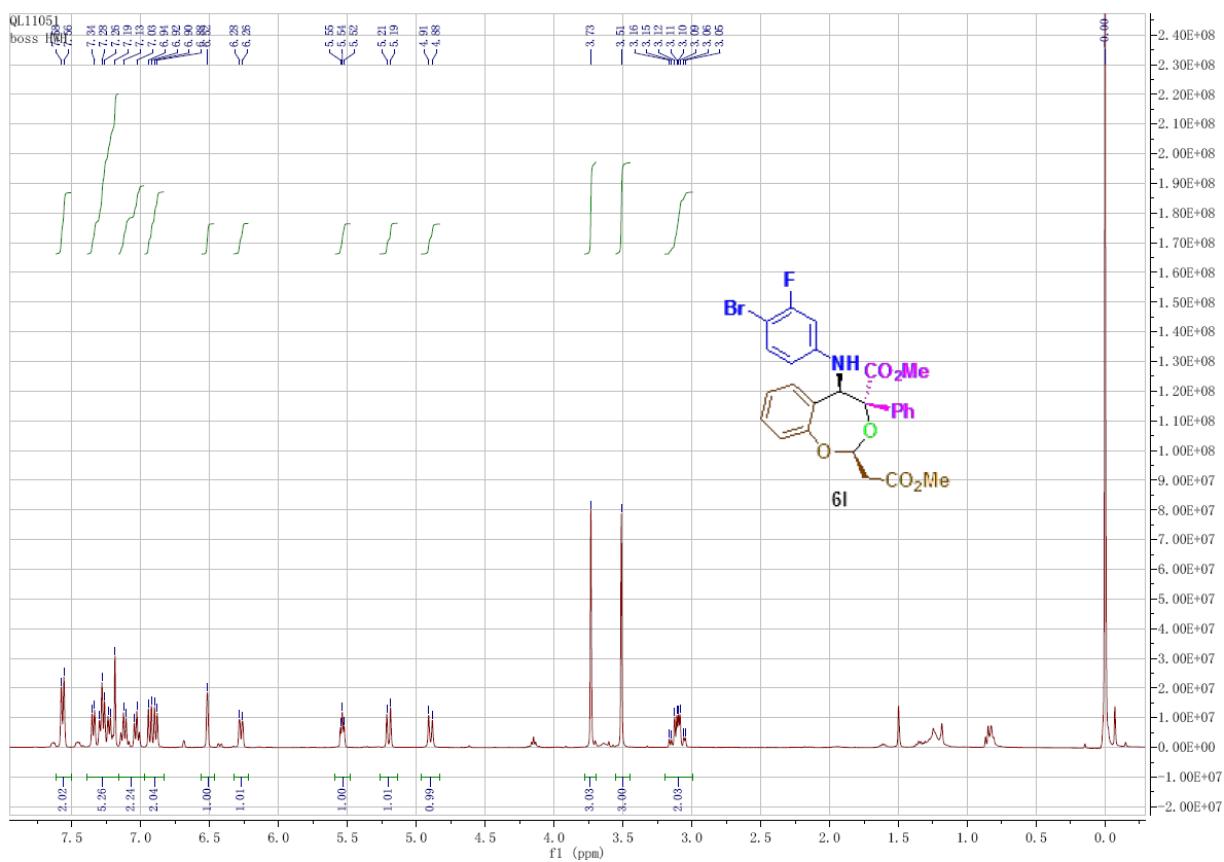


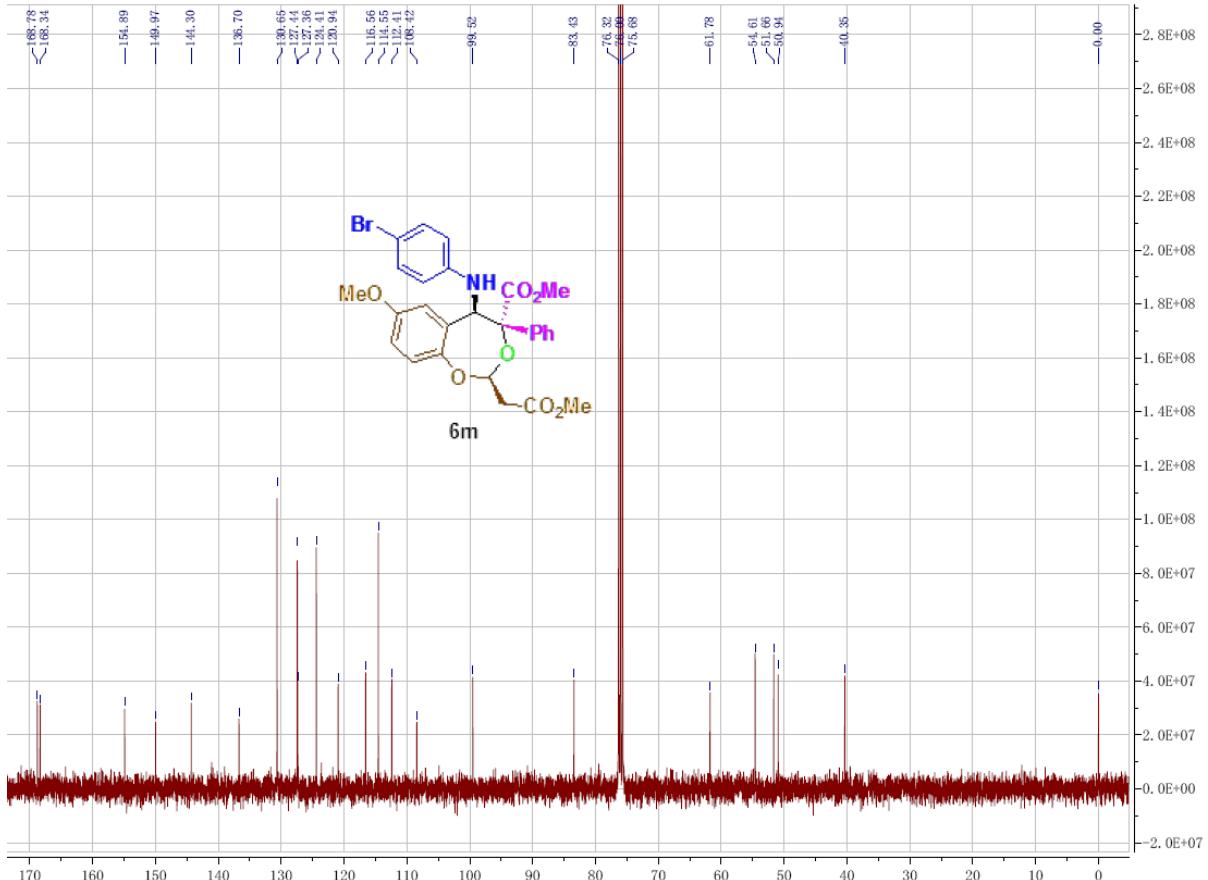
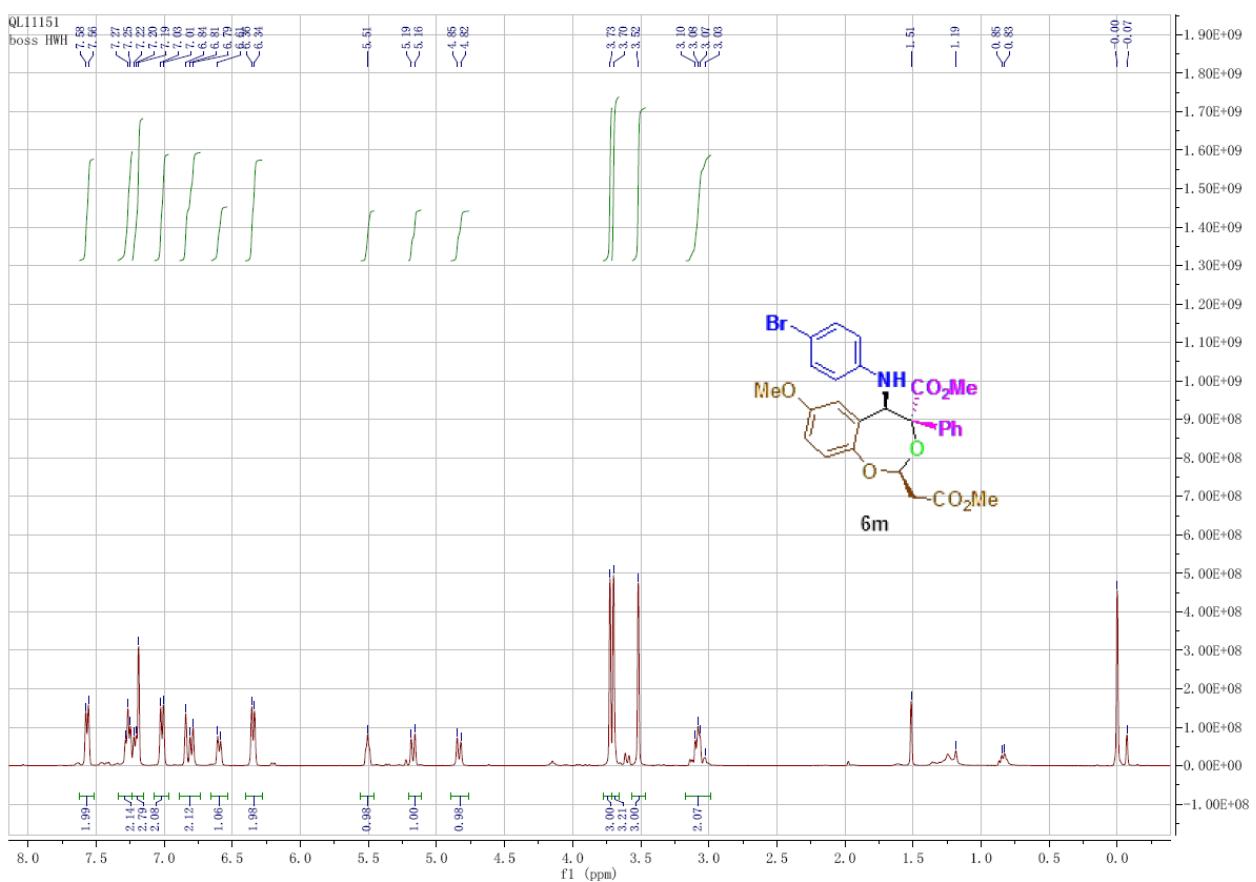


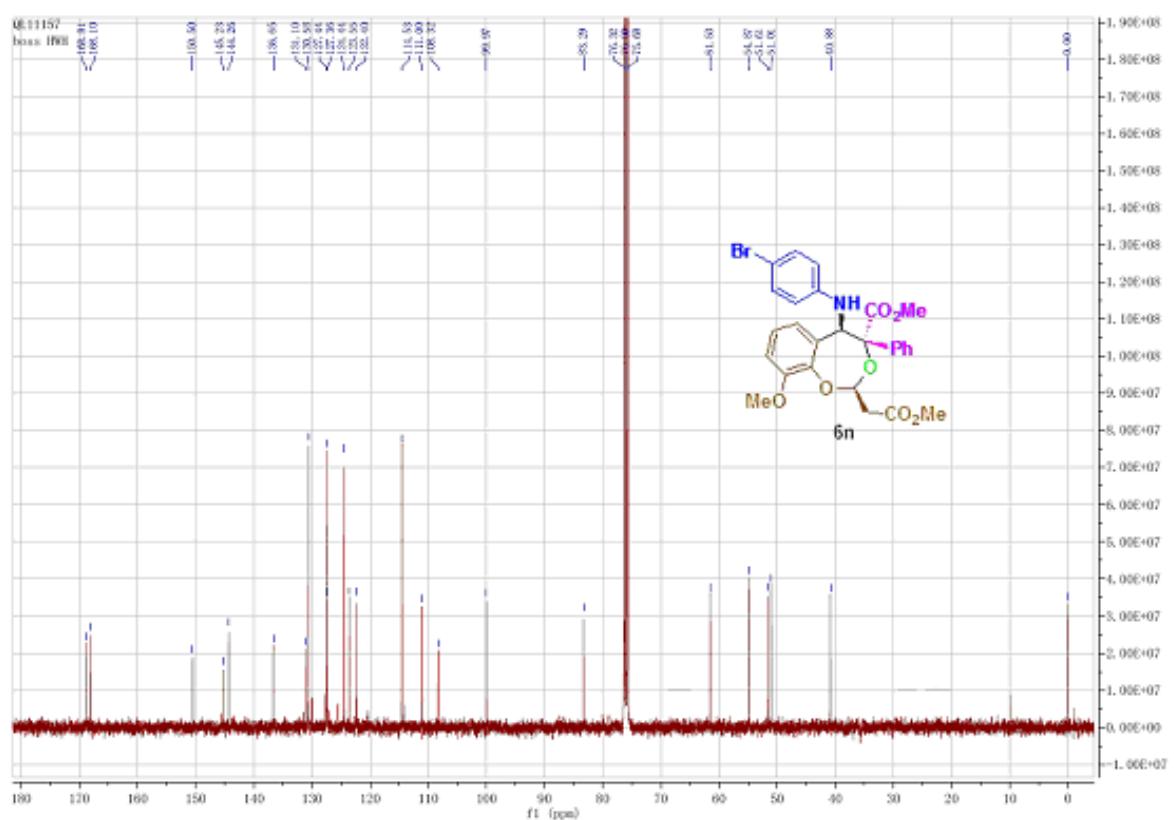
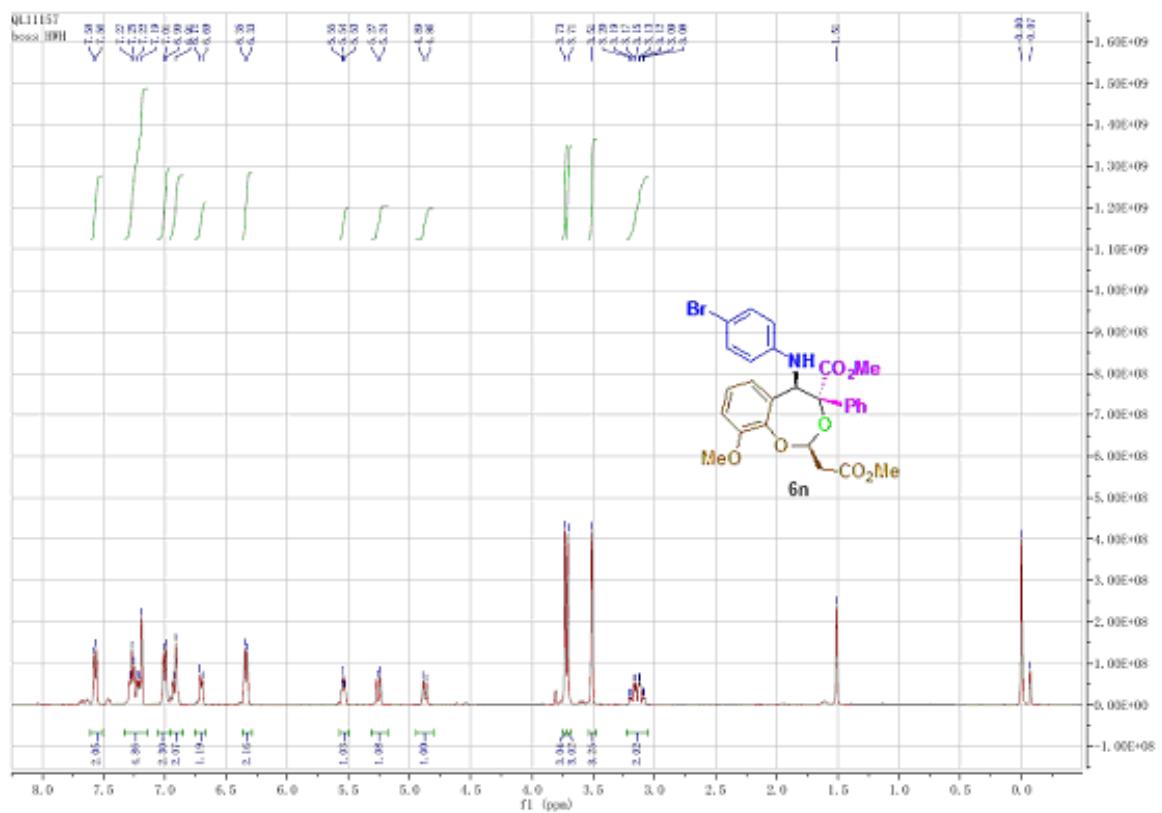


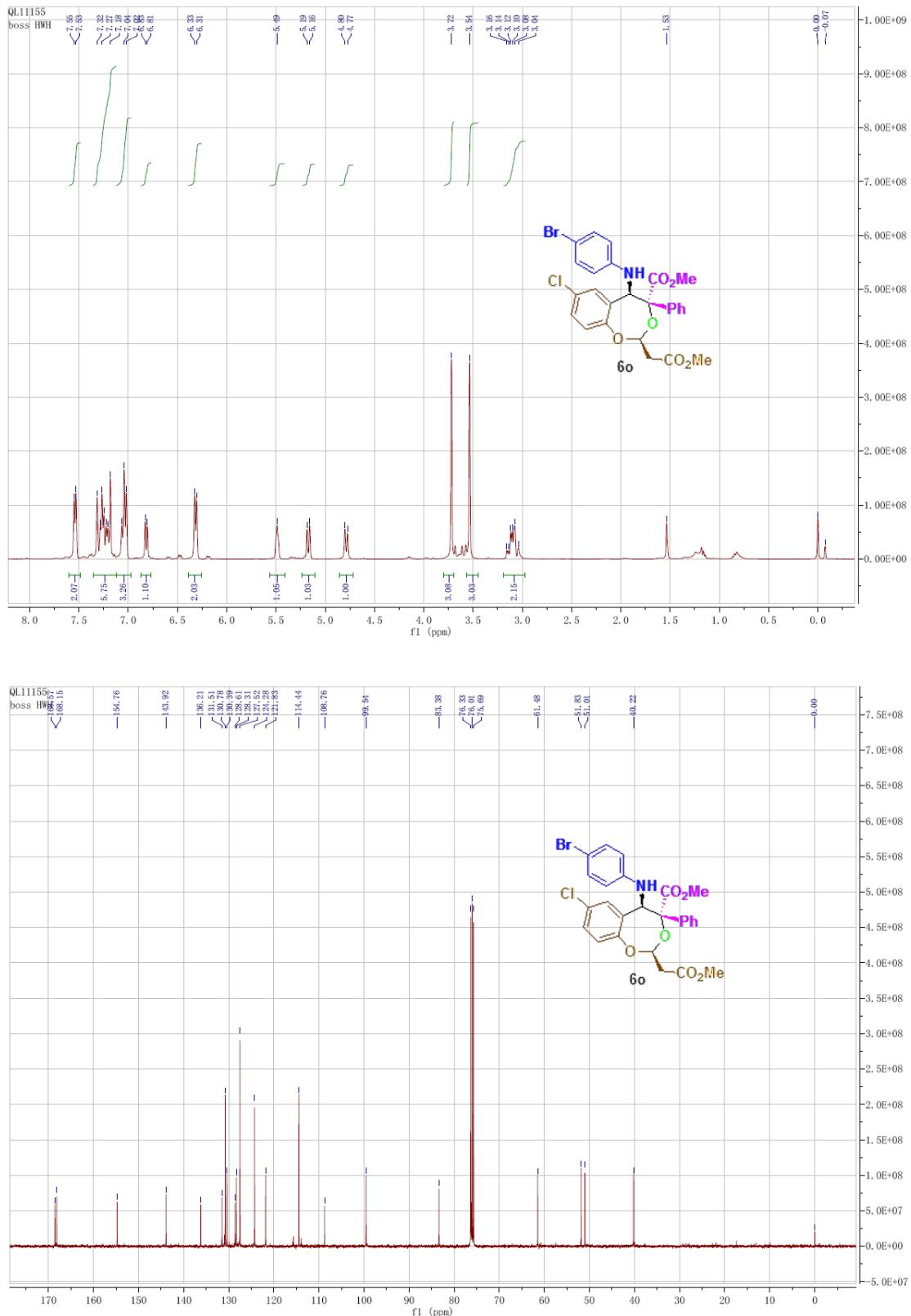


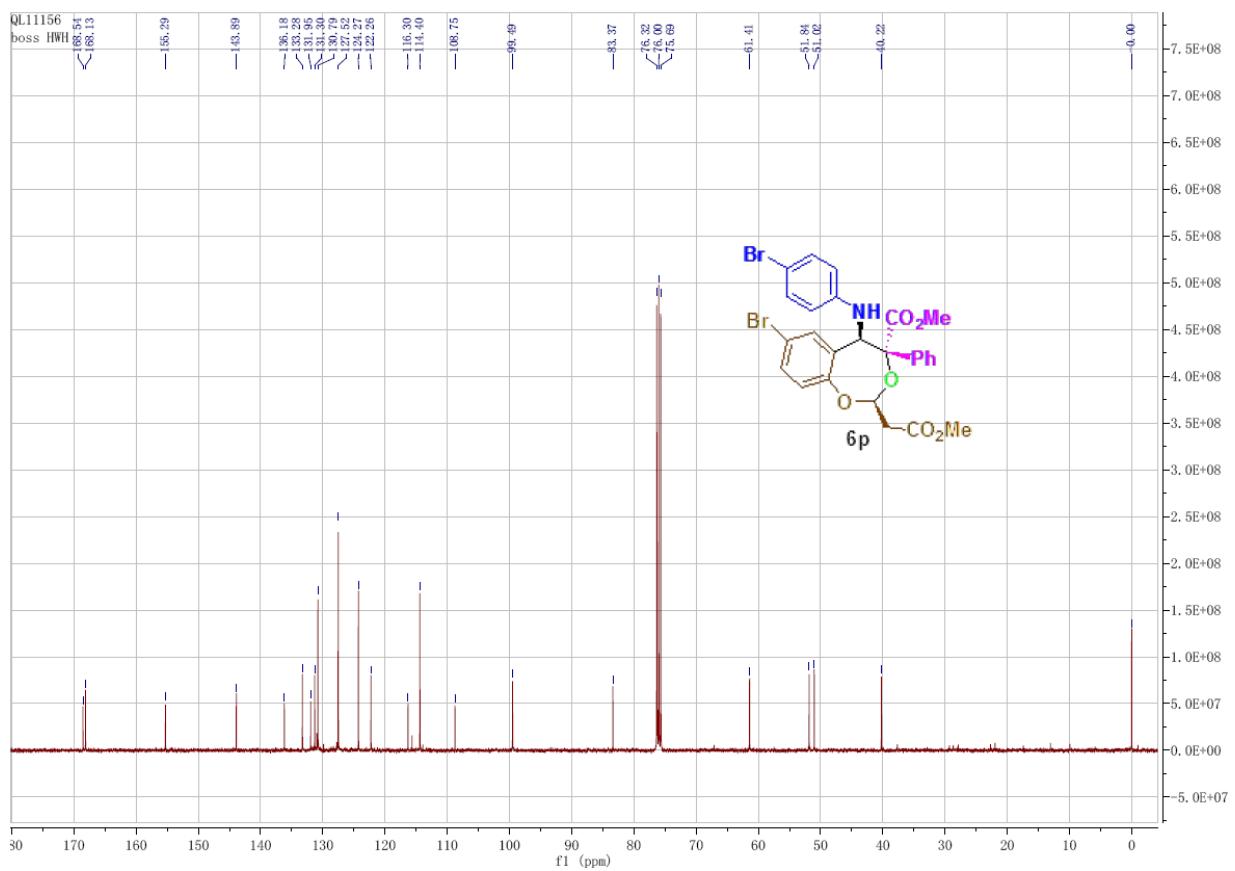
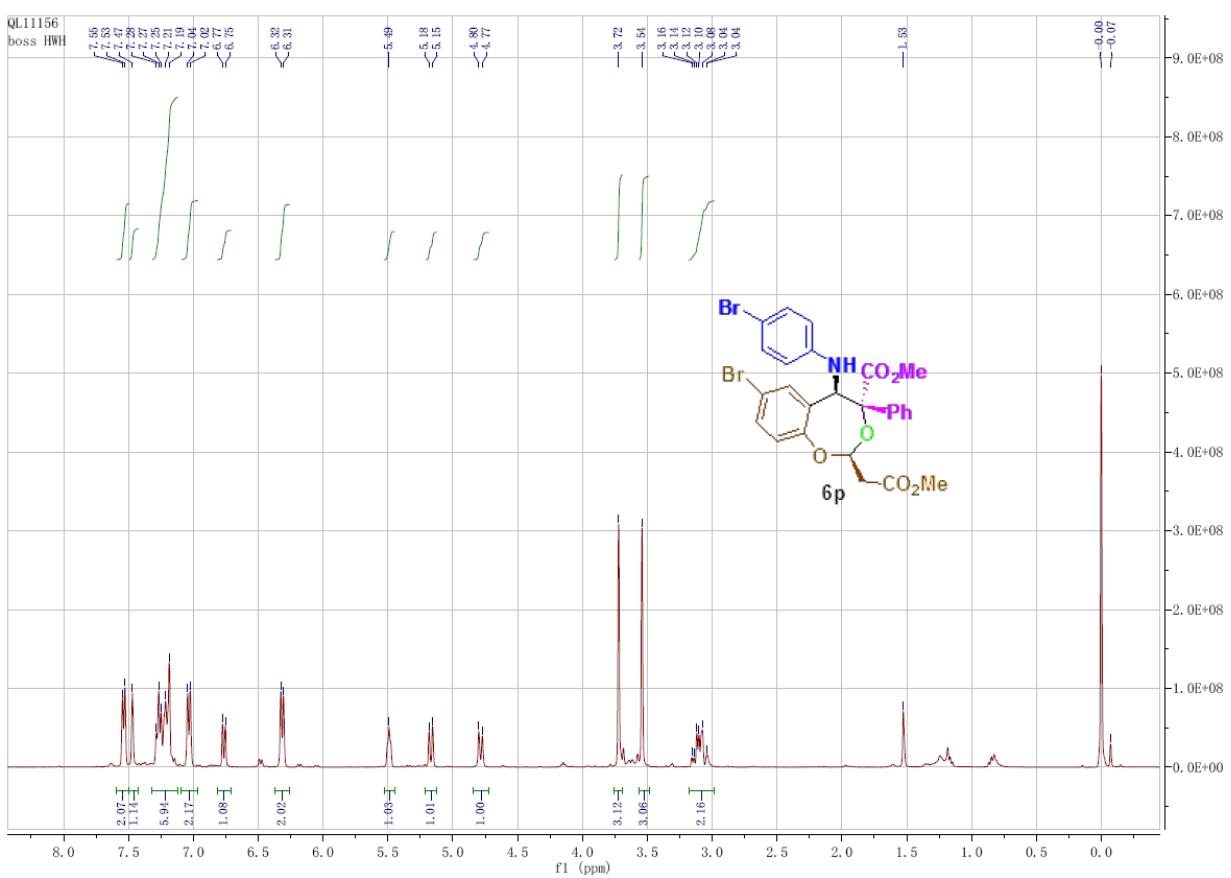


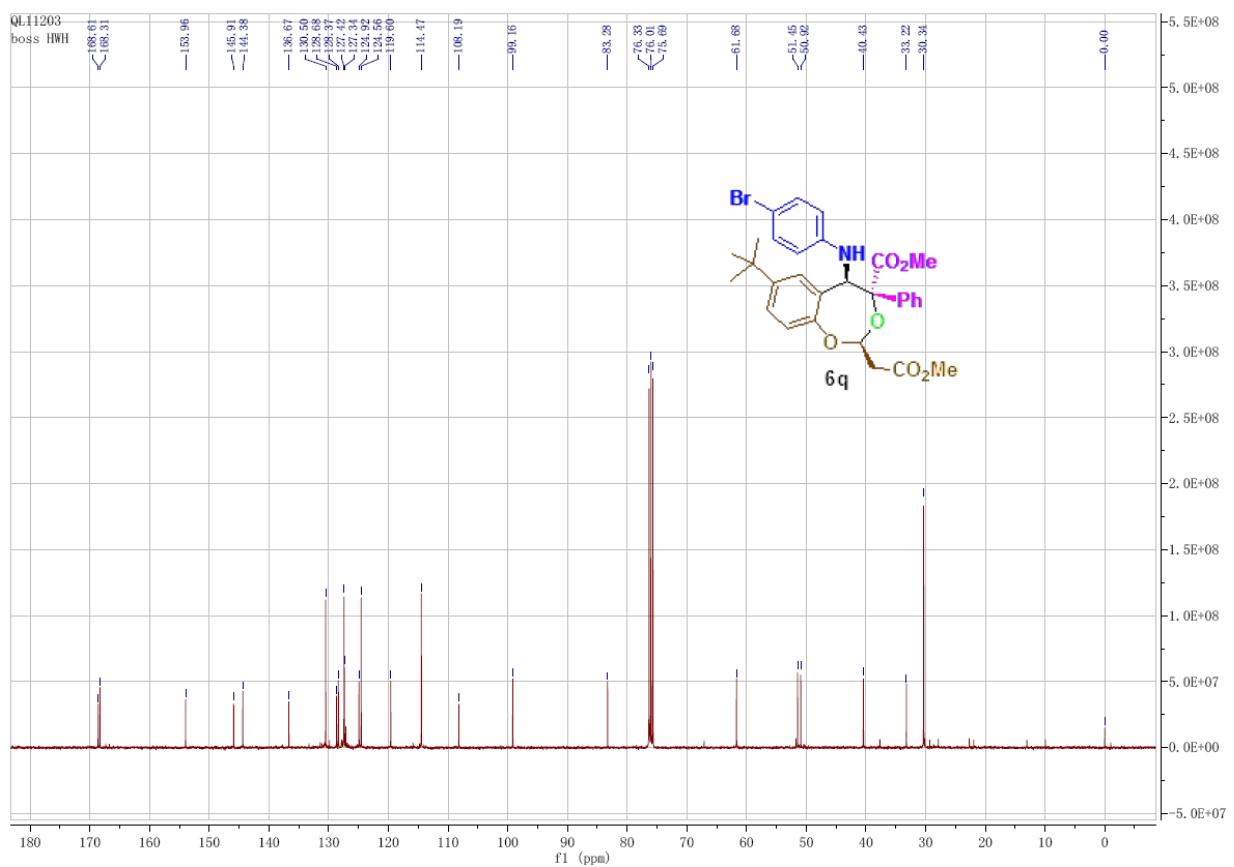
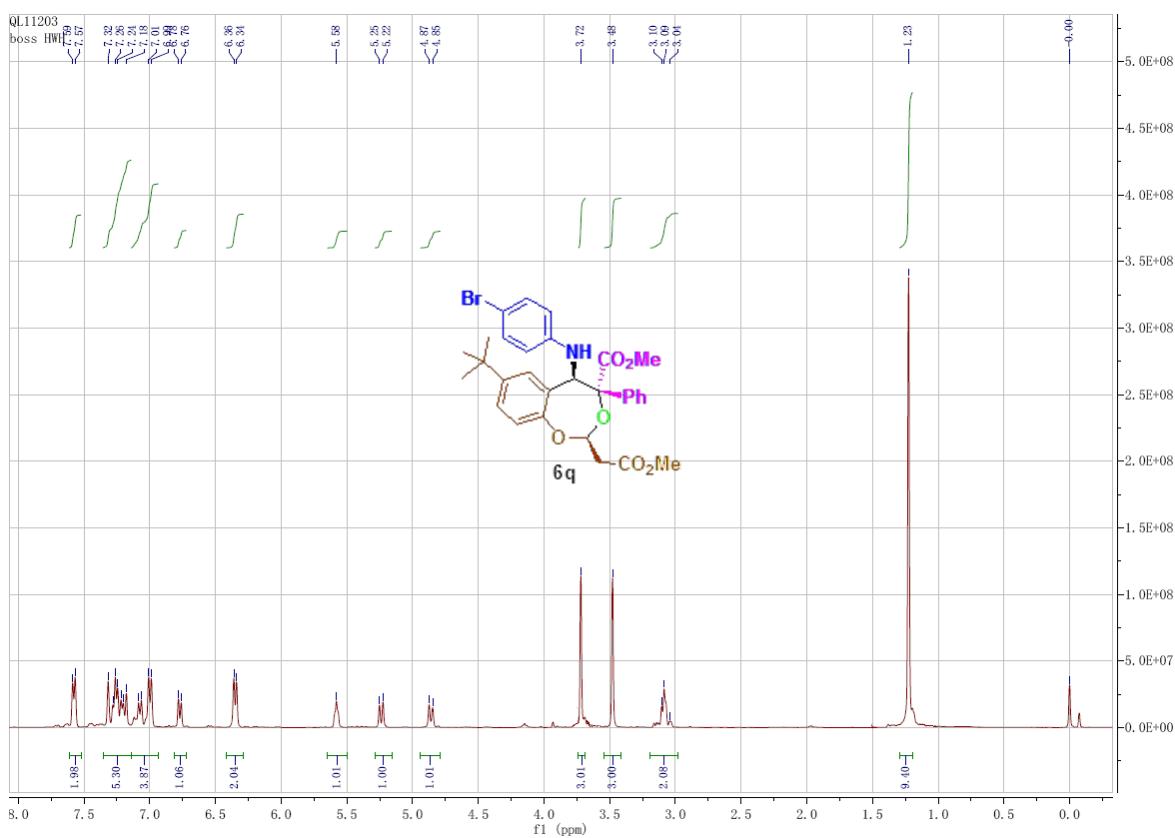


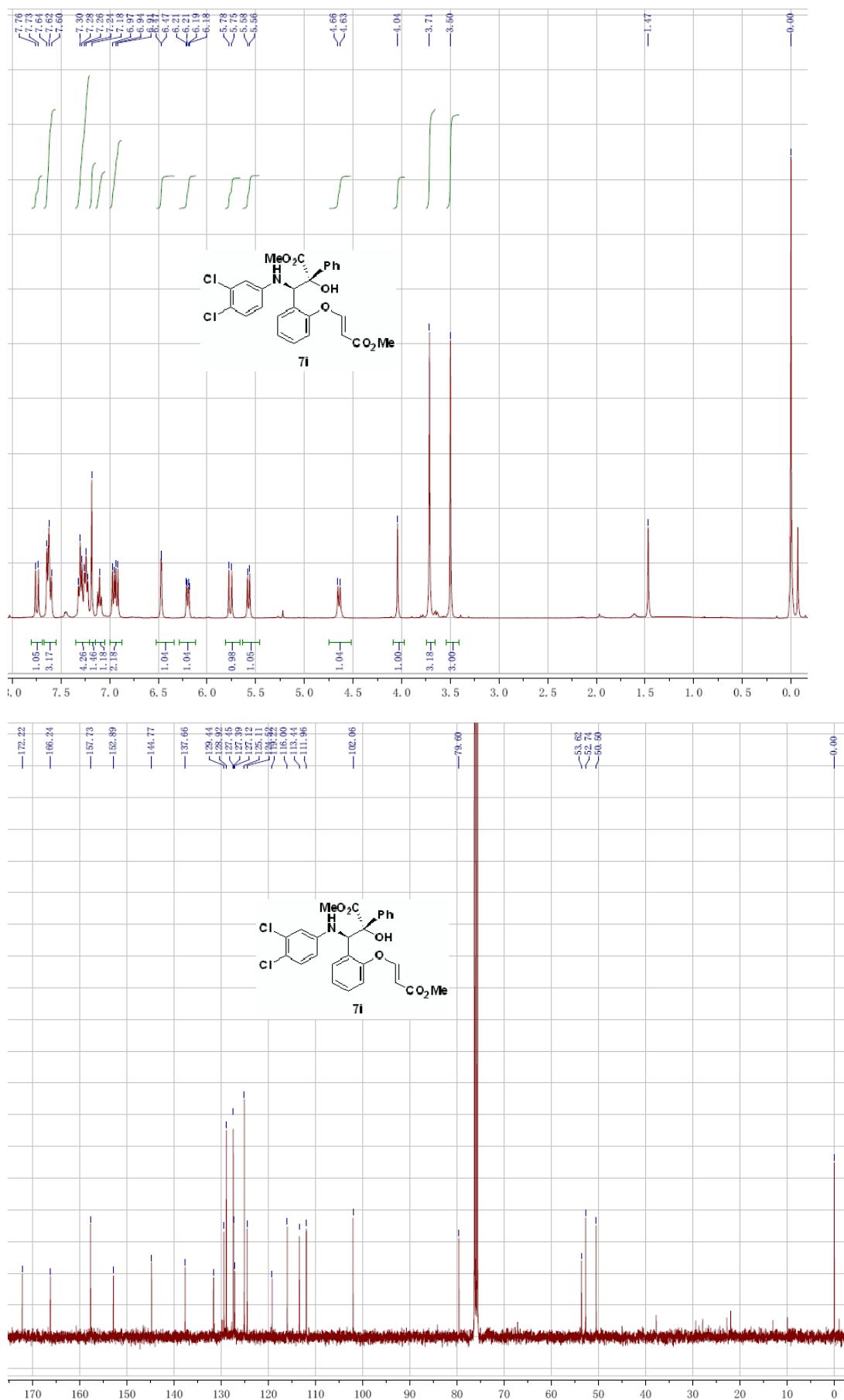


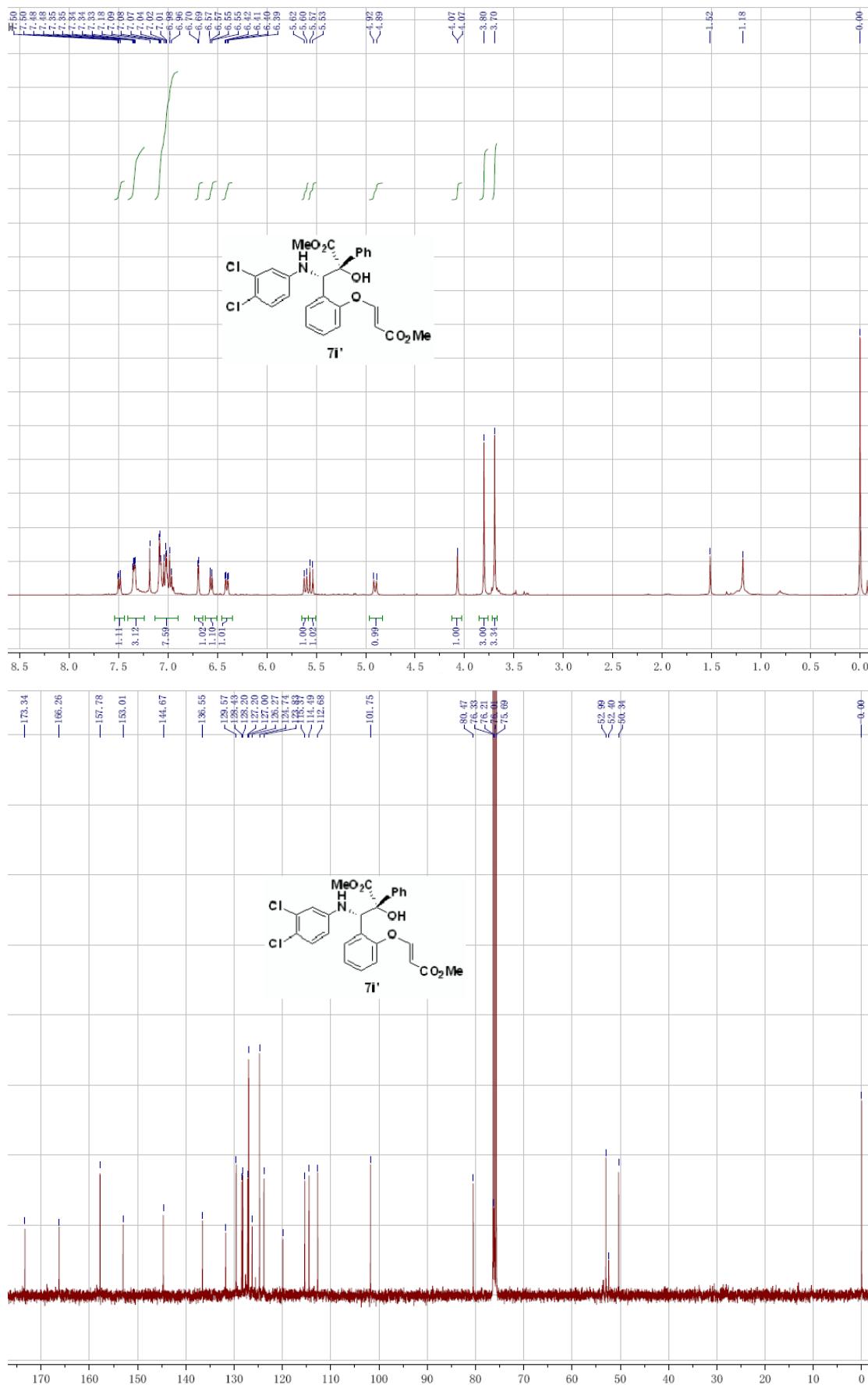




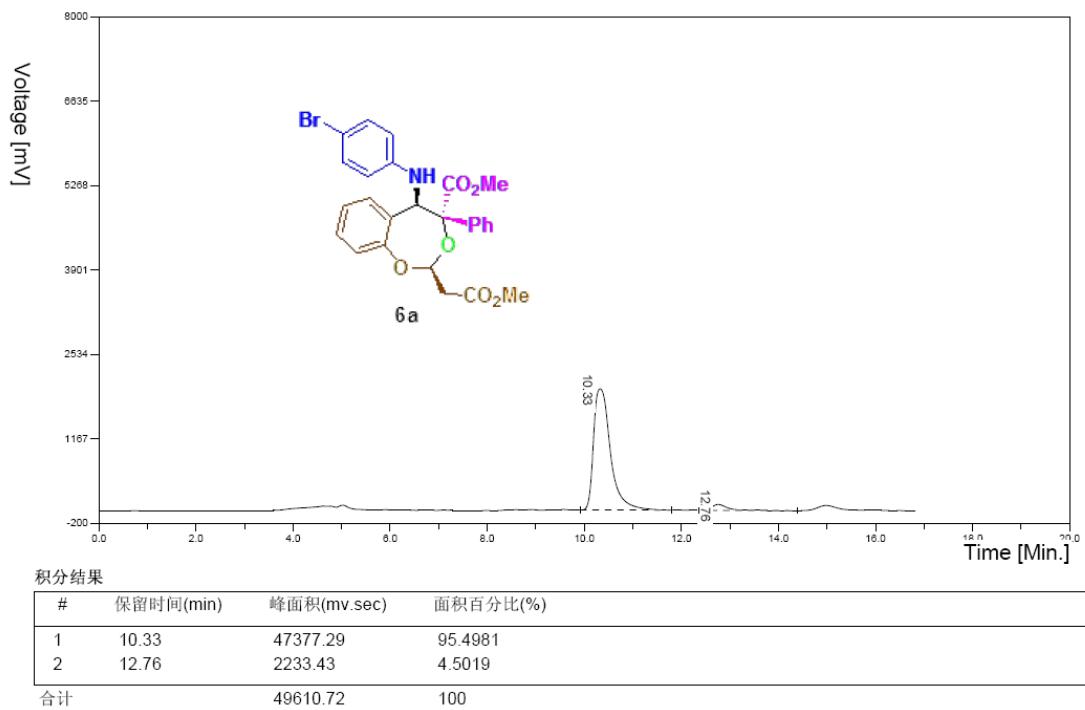
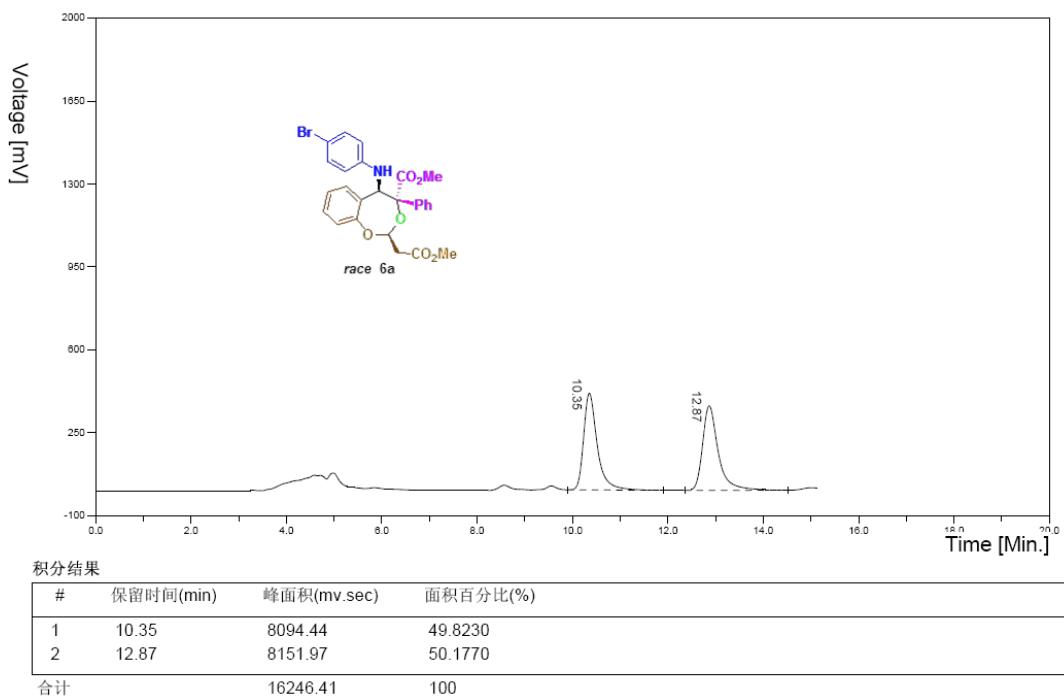


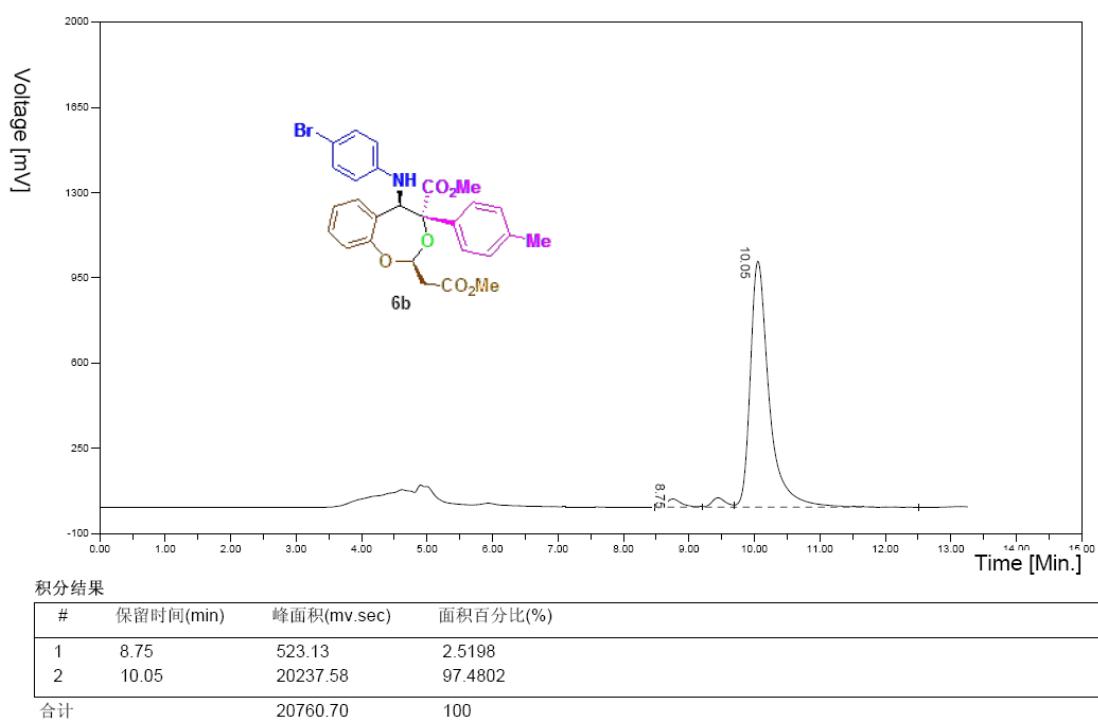
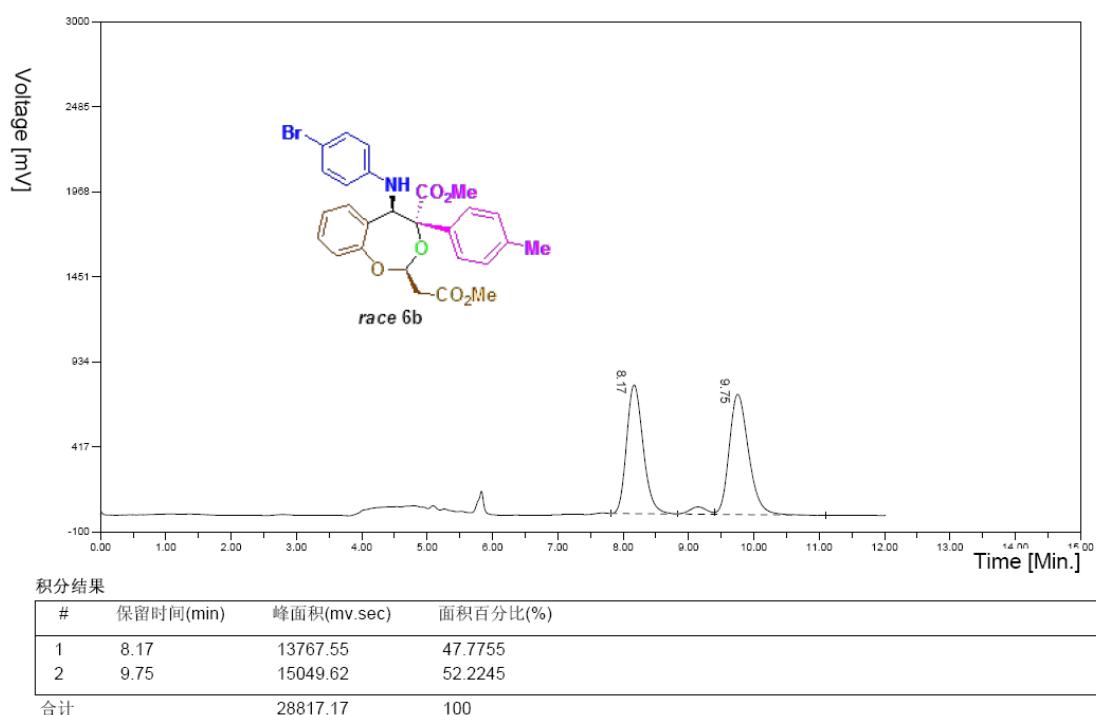


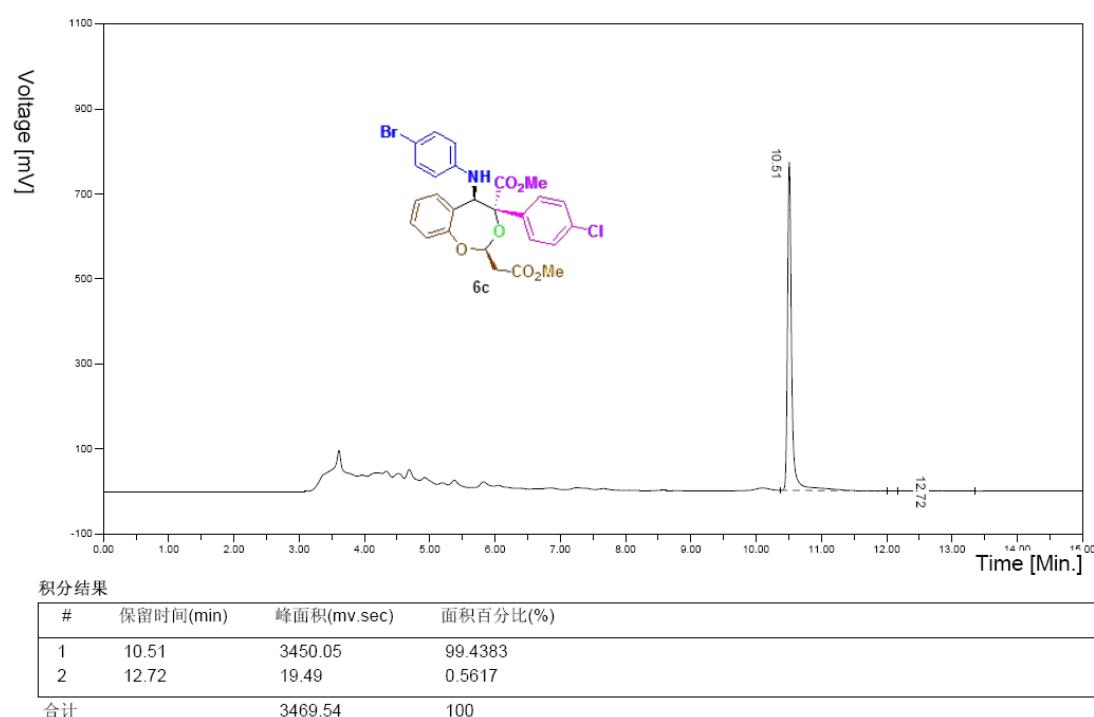
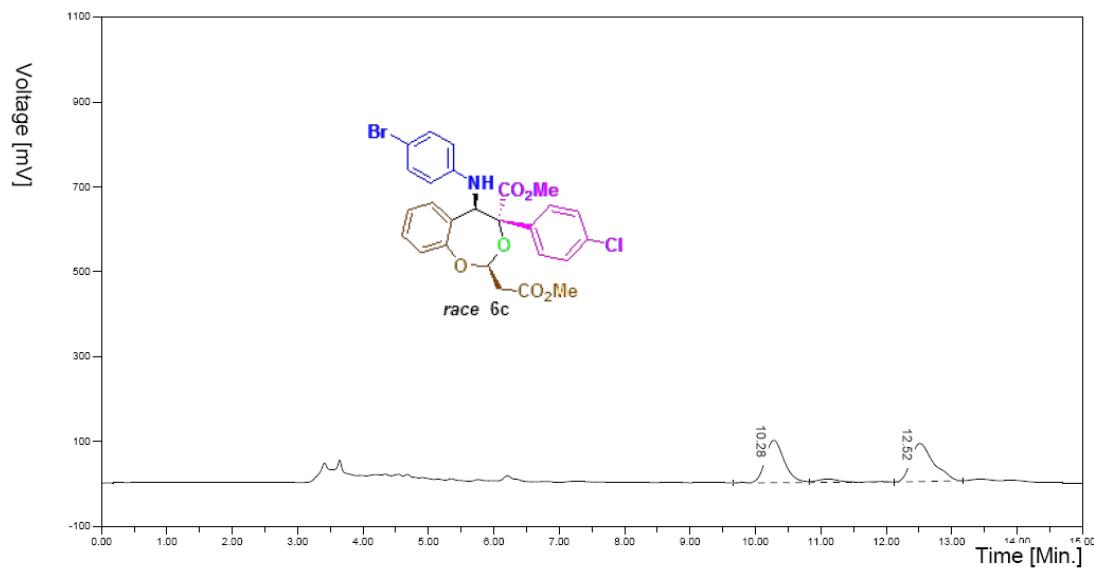


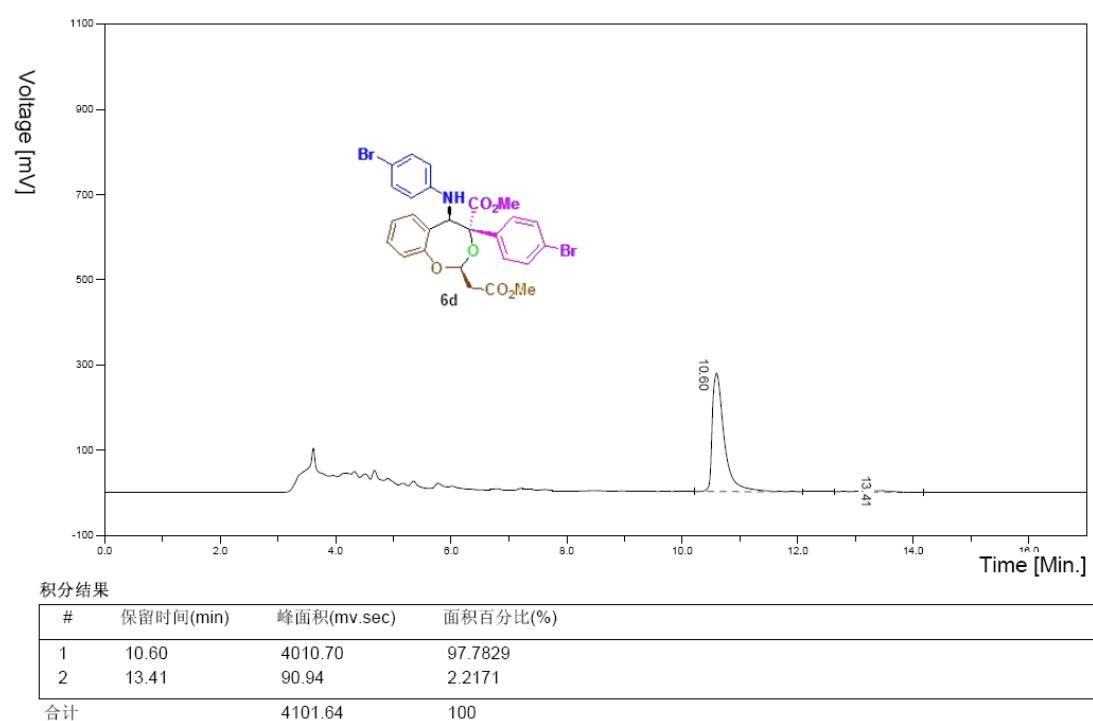
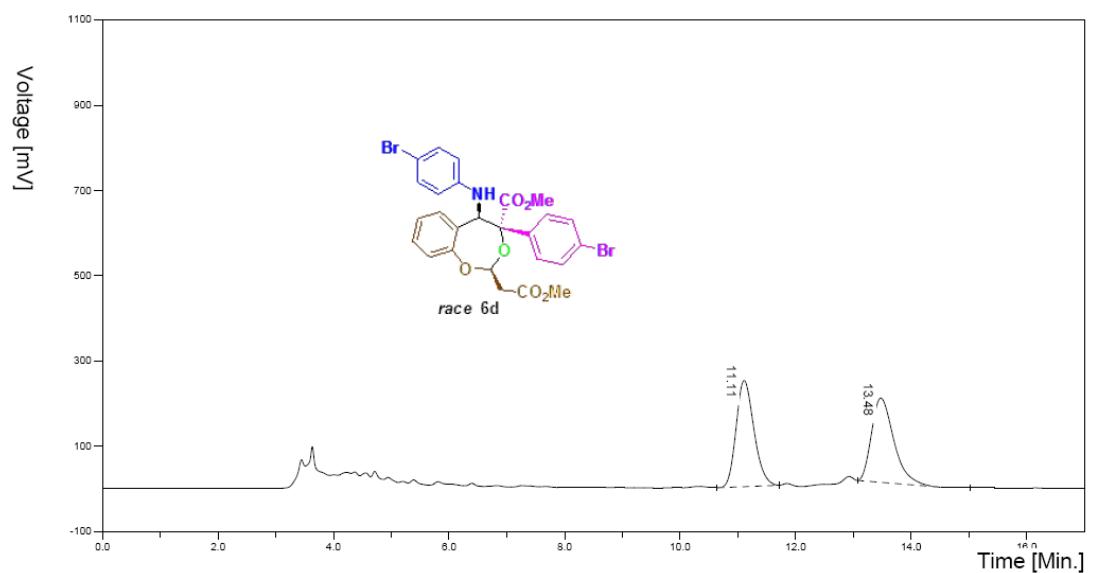


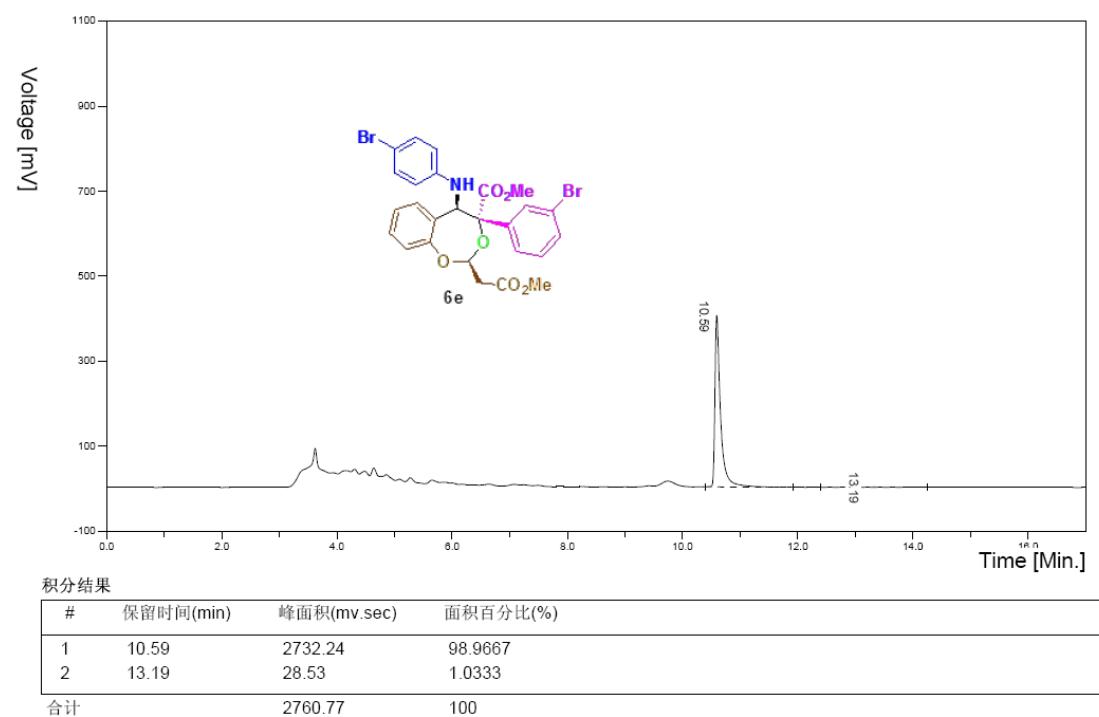
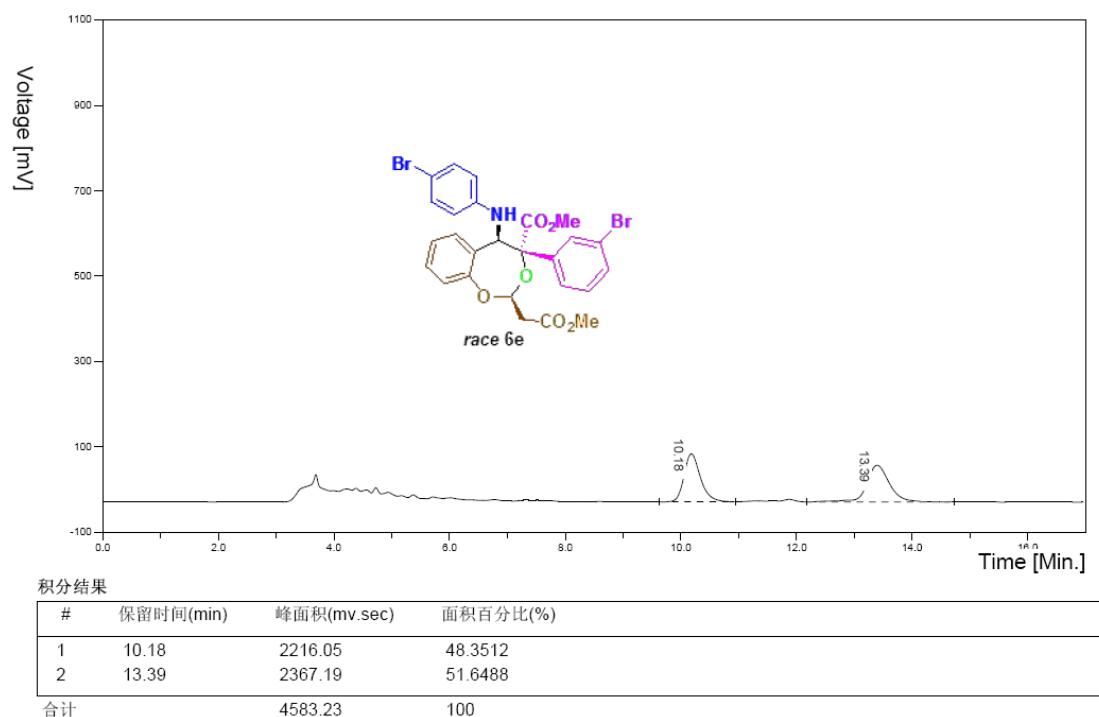
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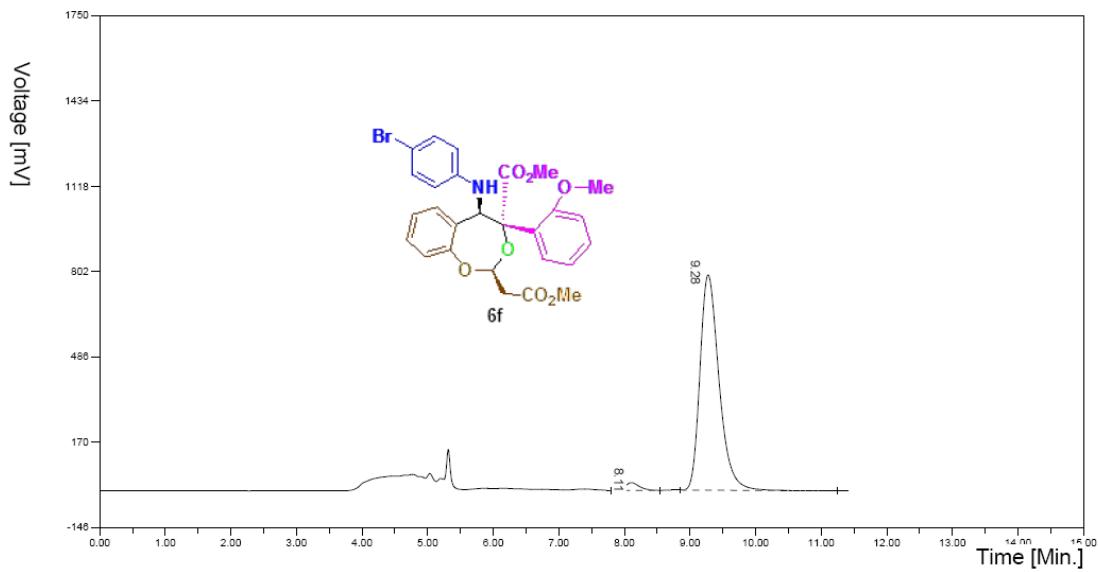
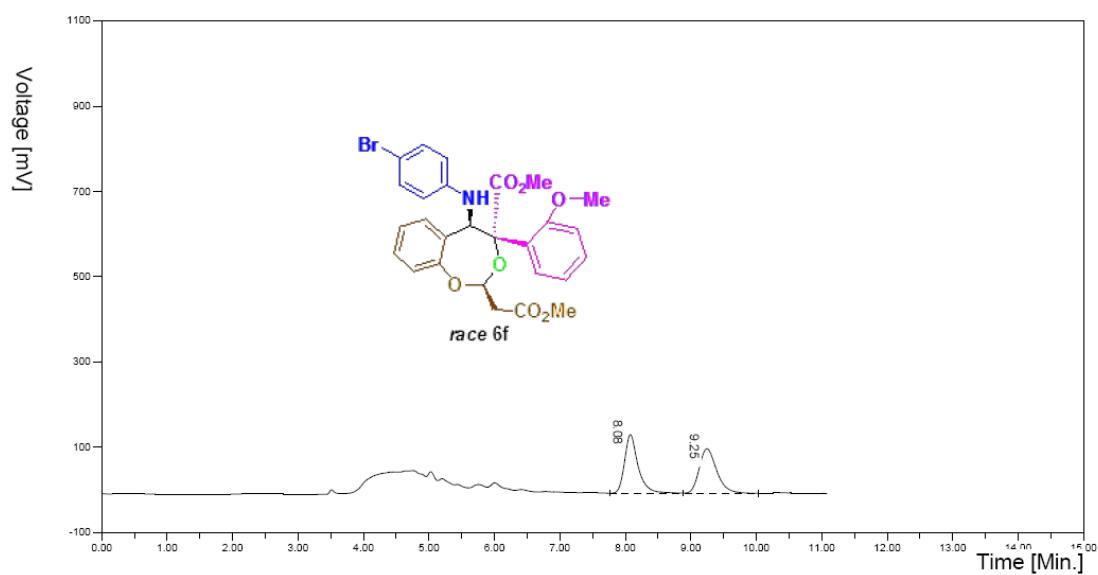


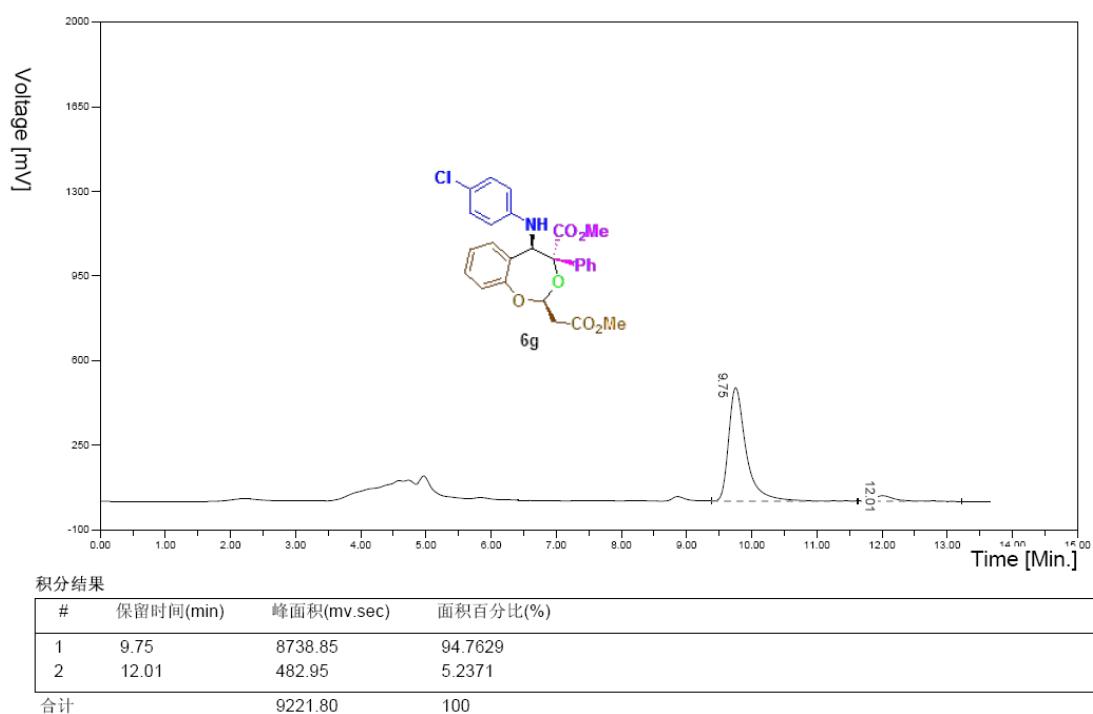
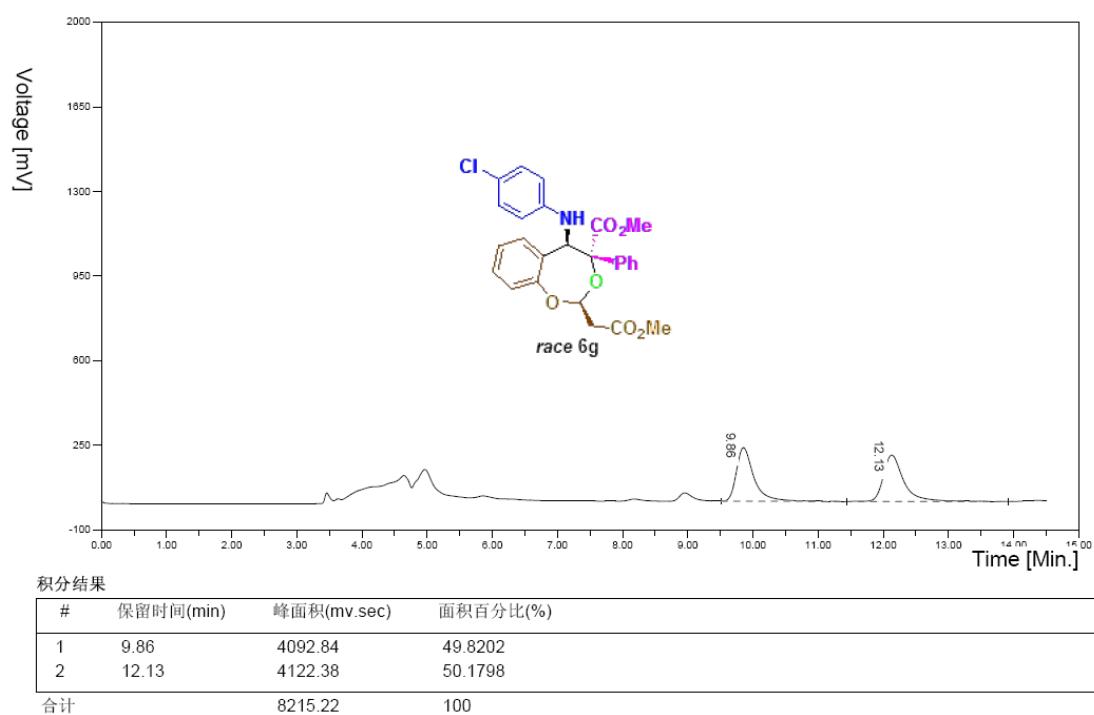


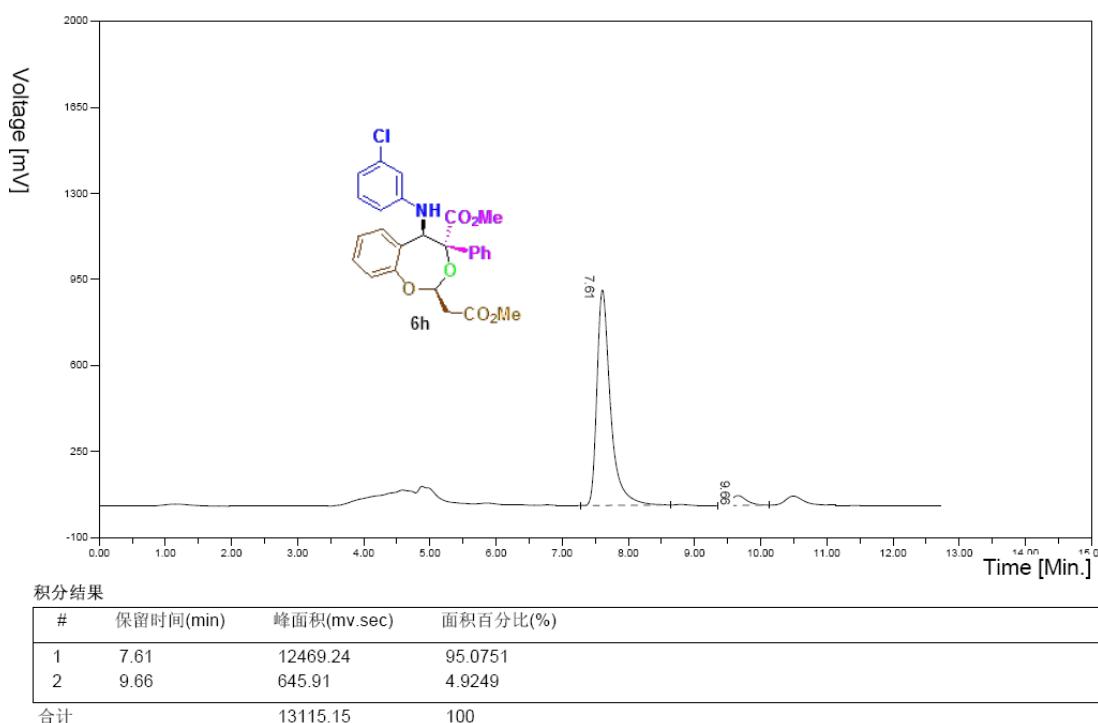
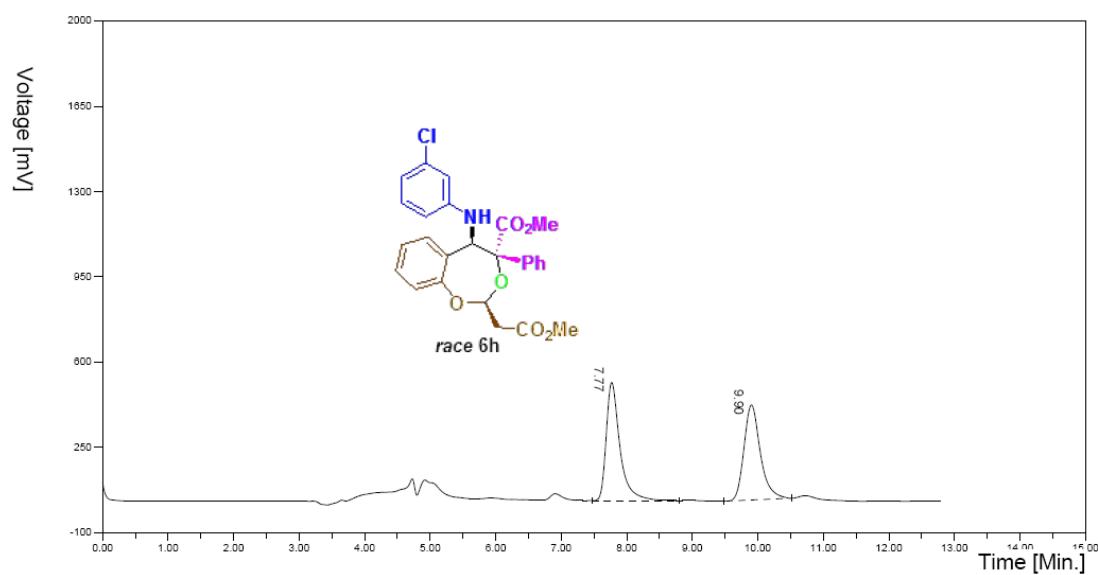


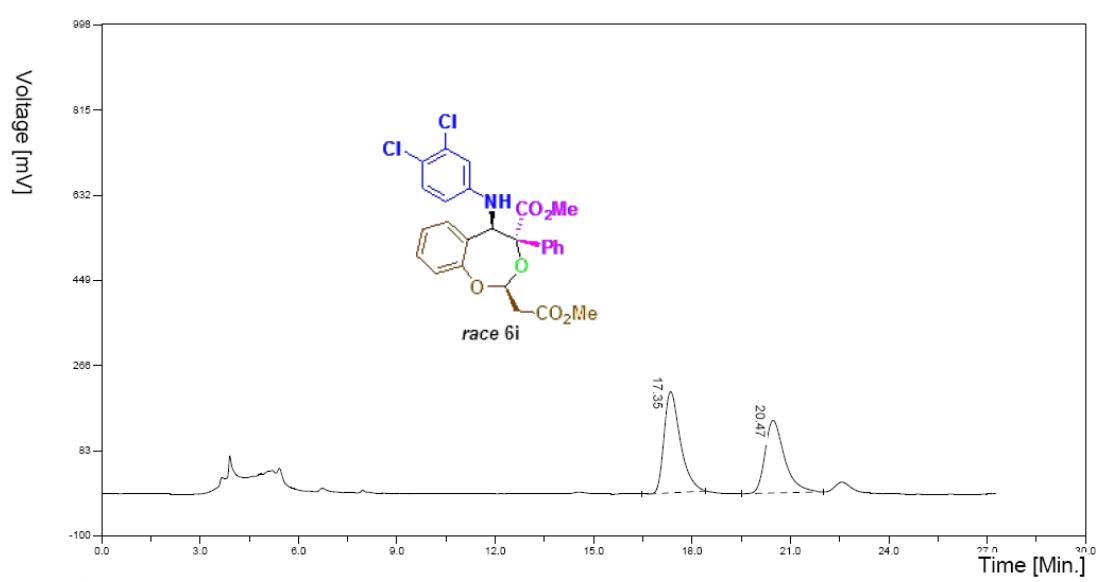






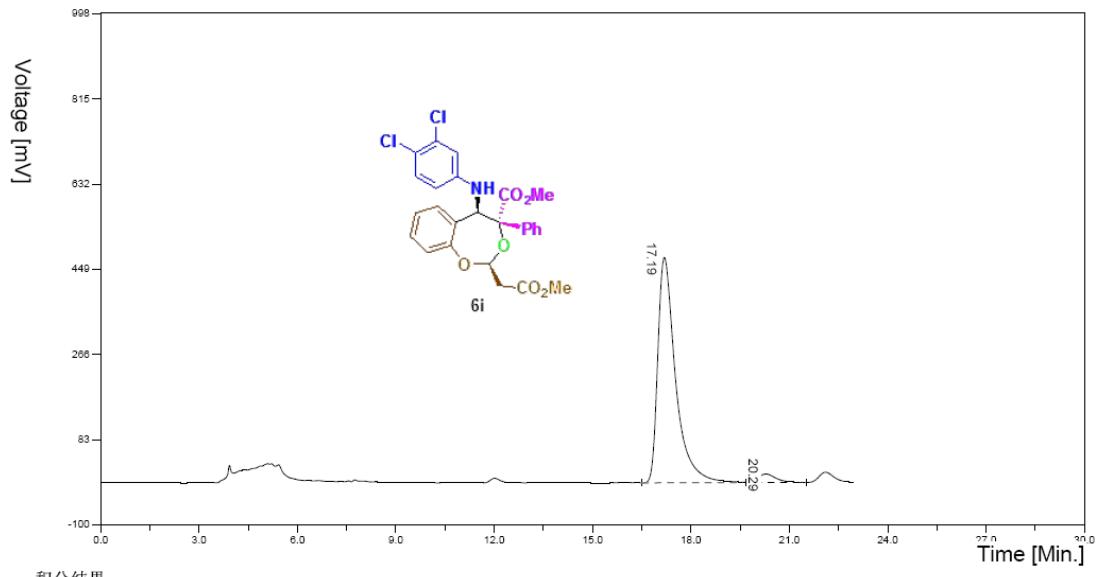






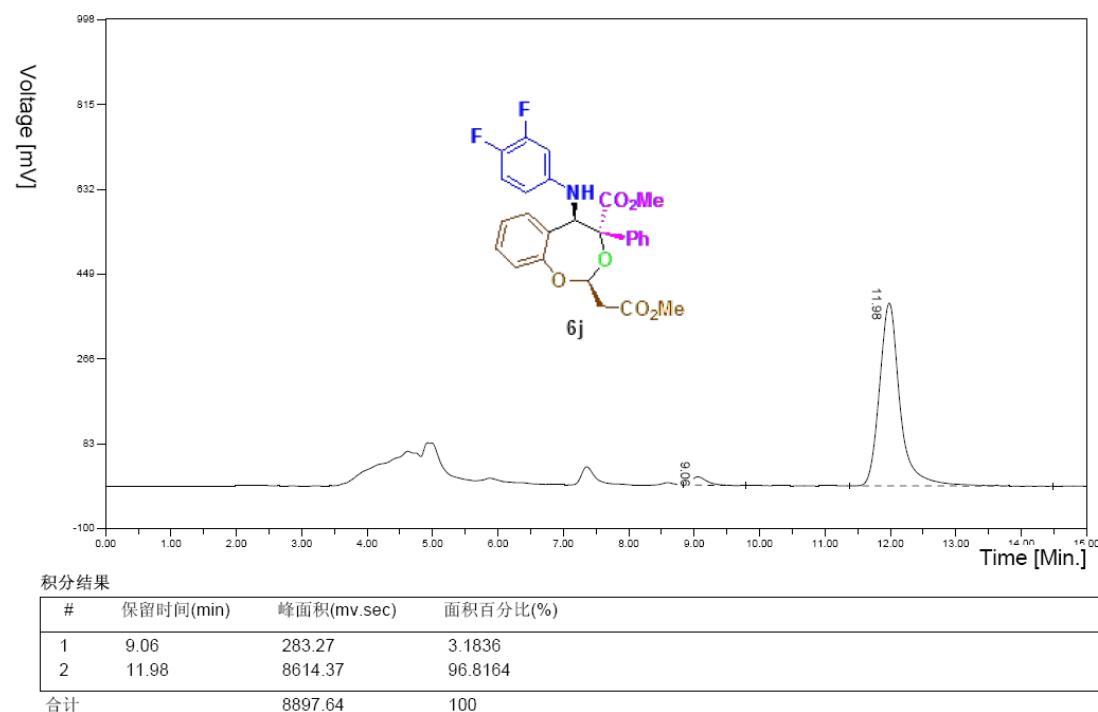
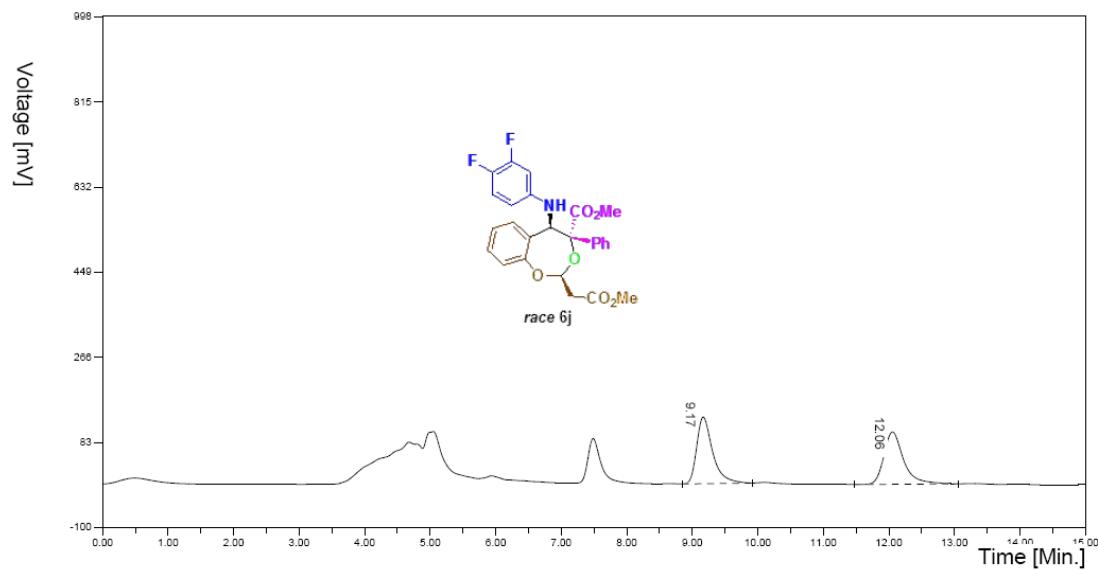
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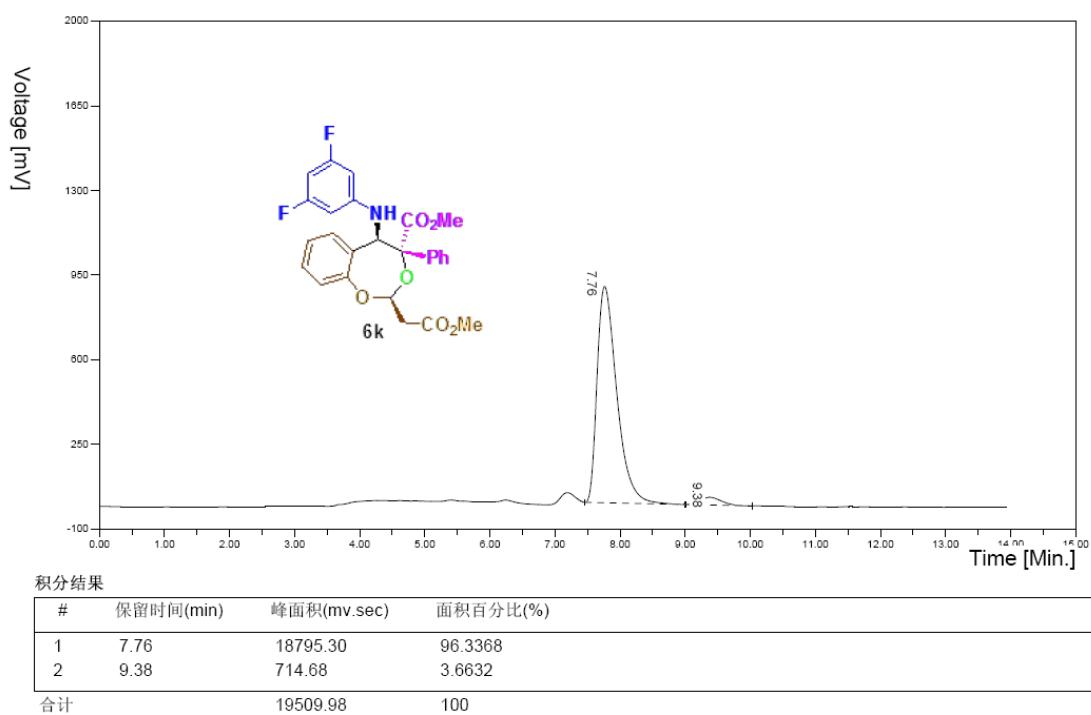
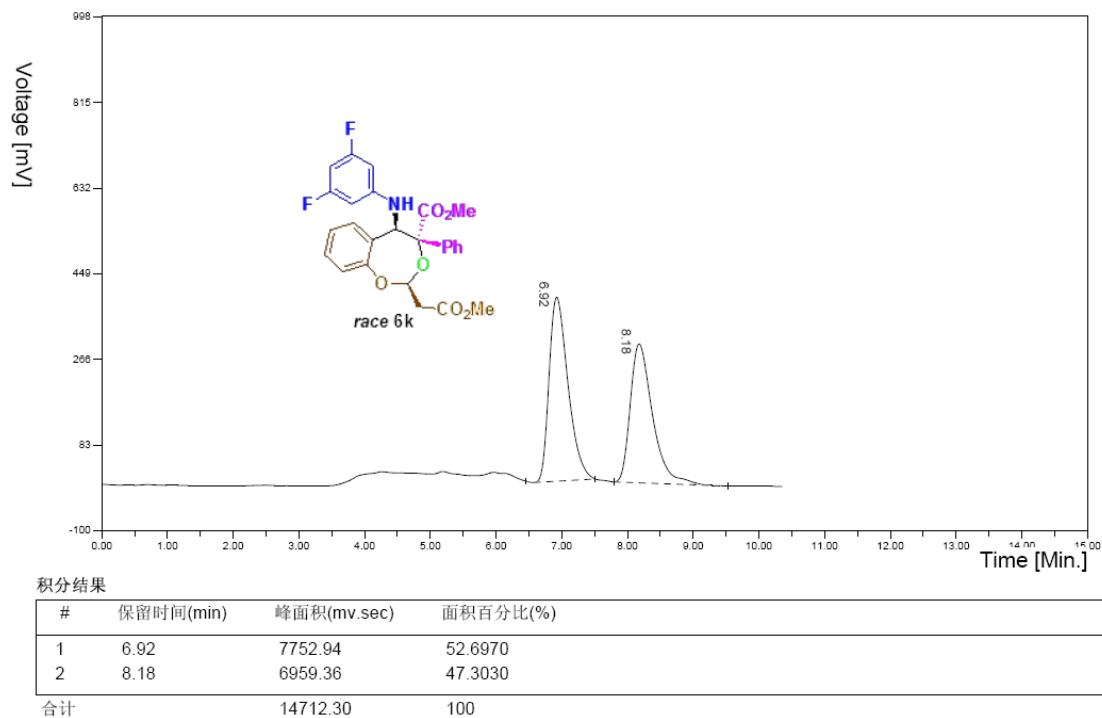
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合计	13952.07		100

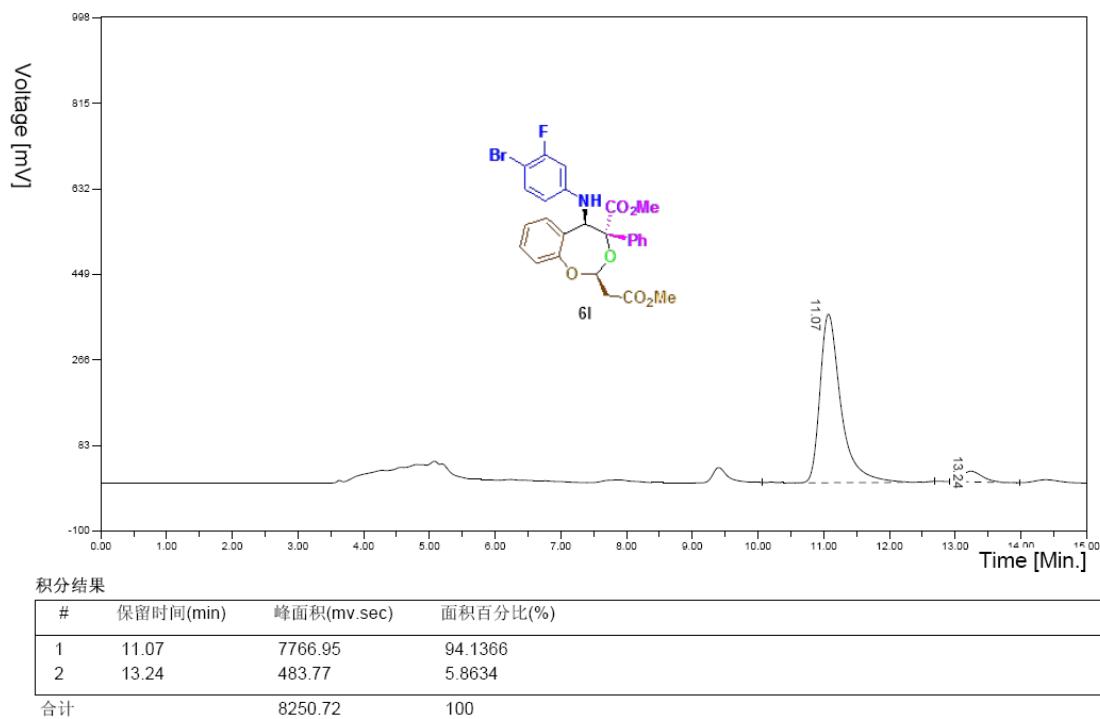
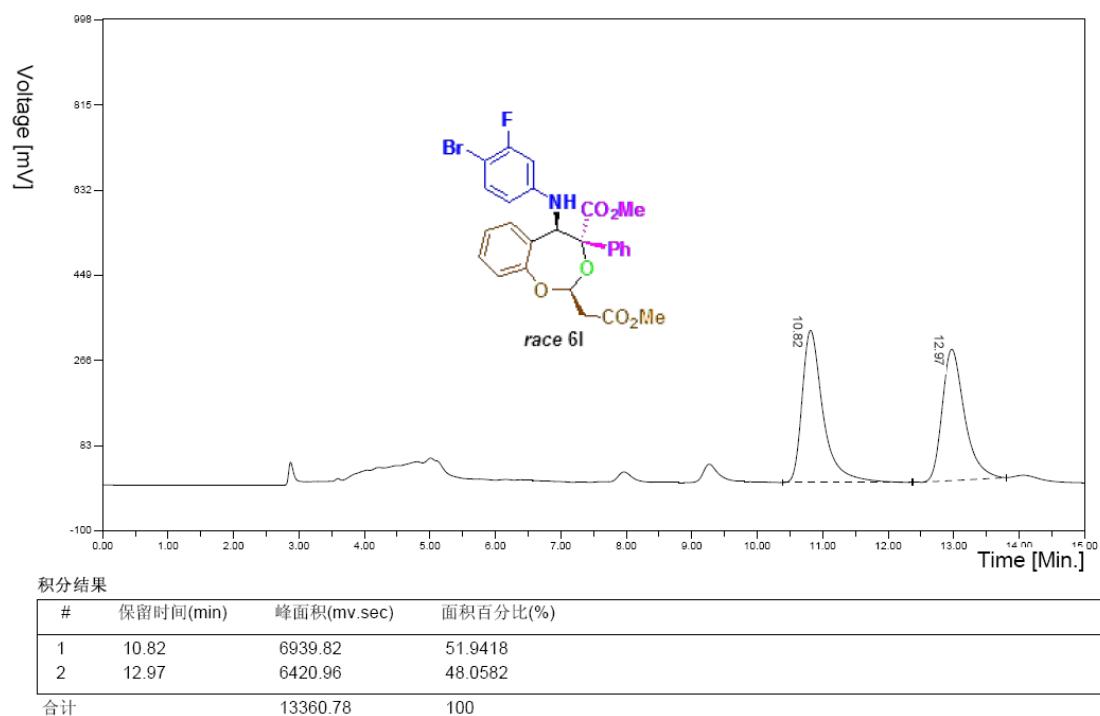


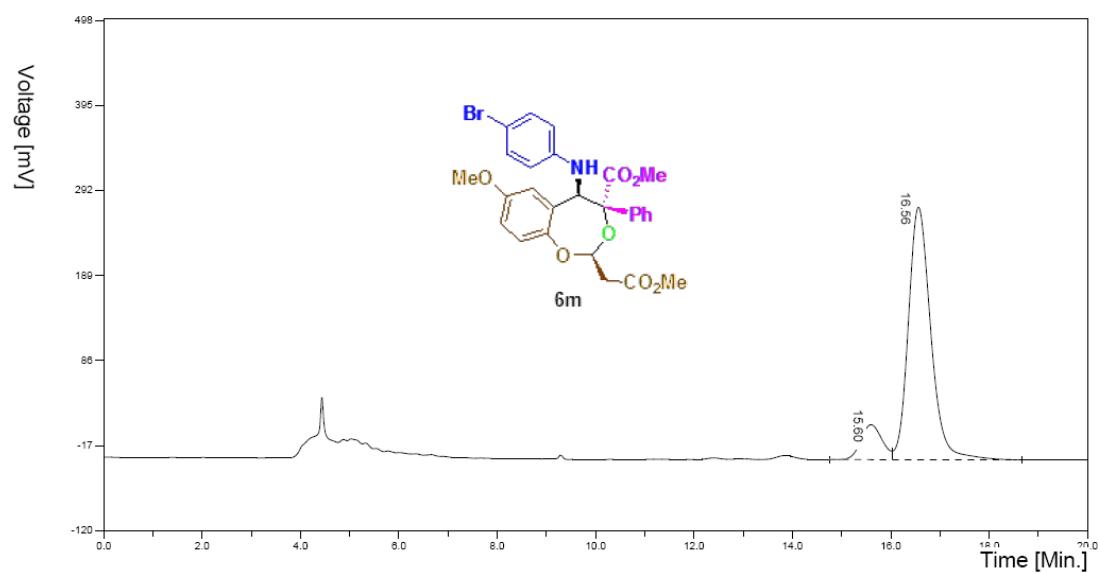
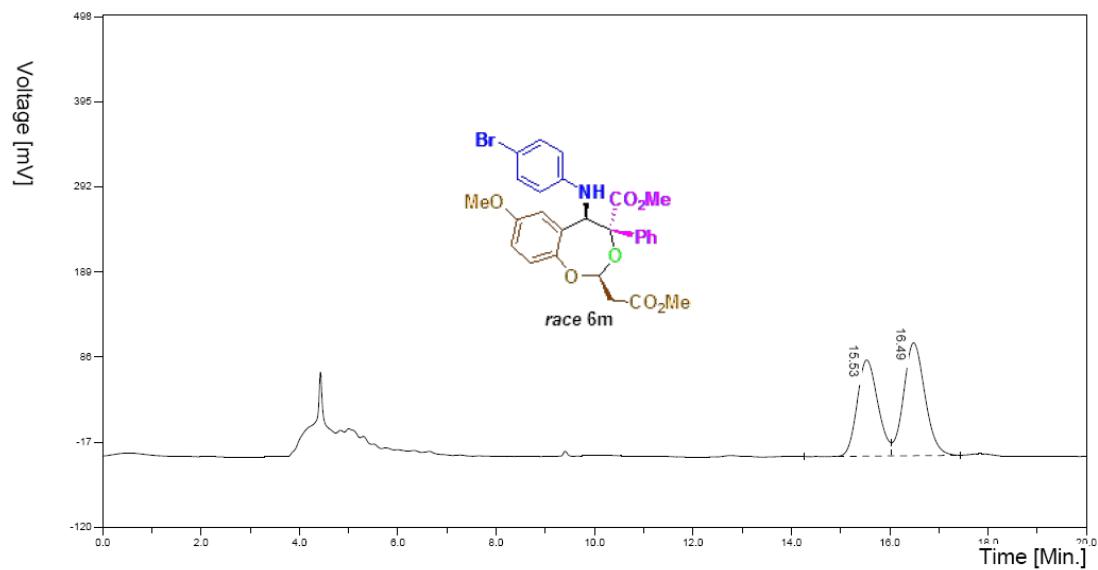
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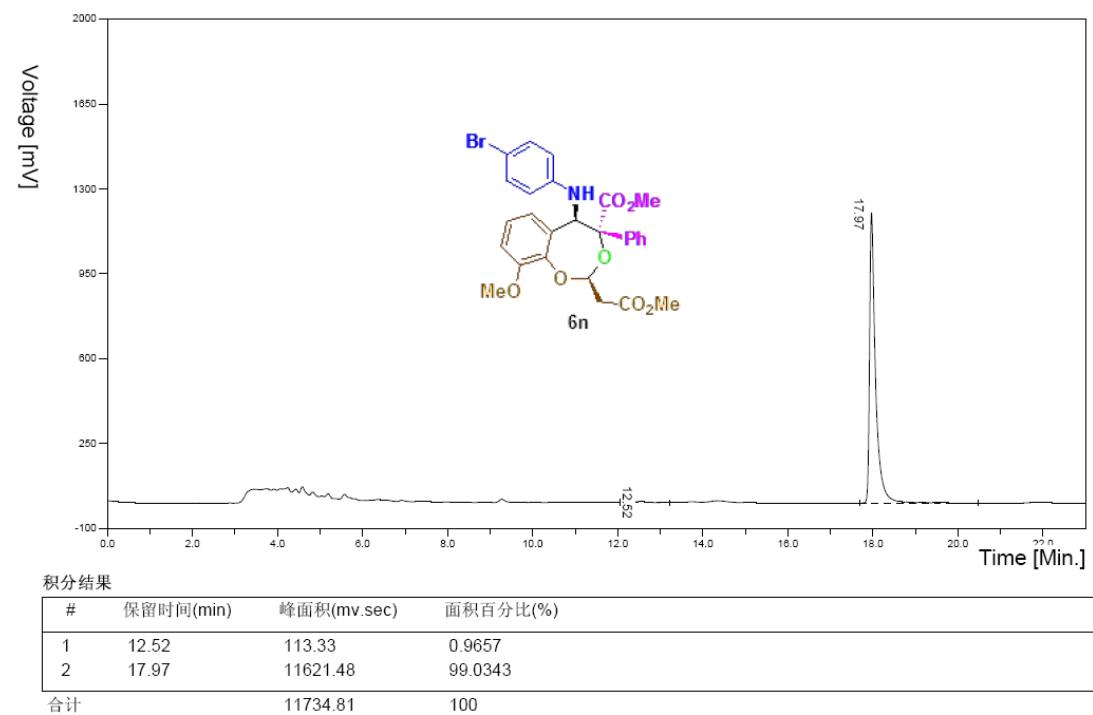
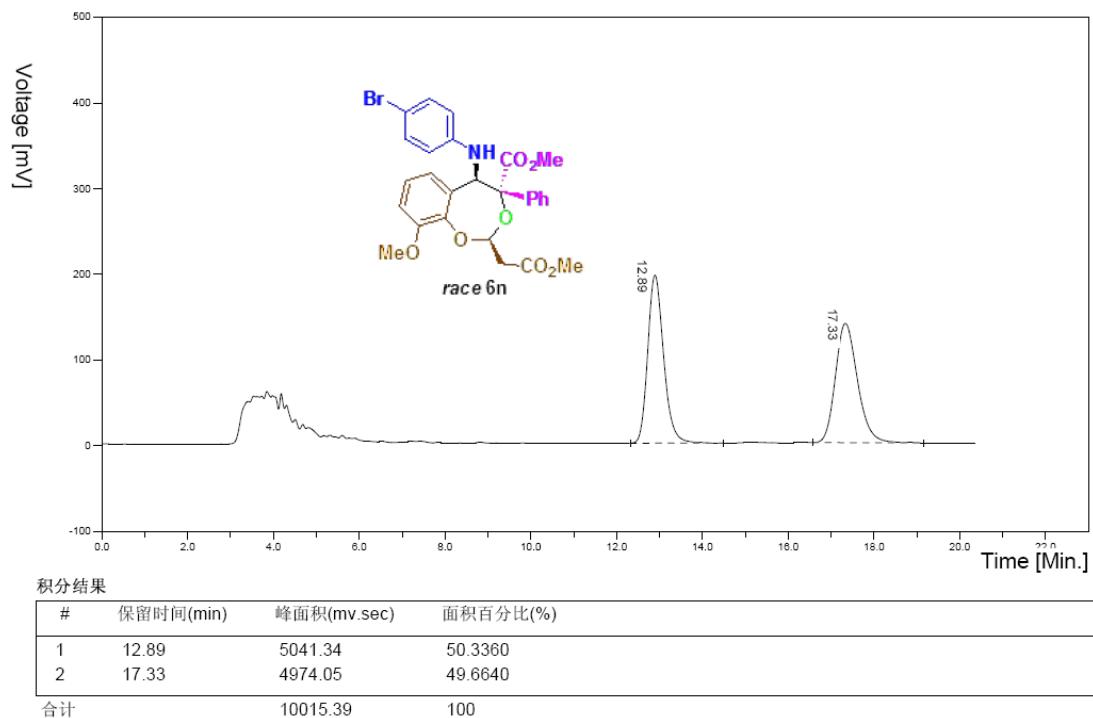
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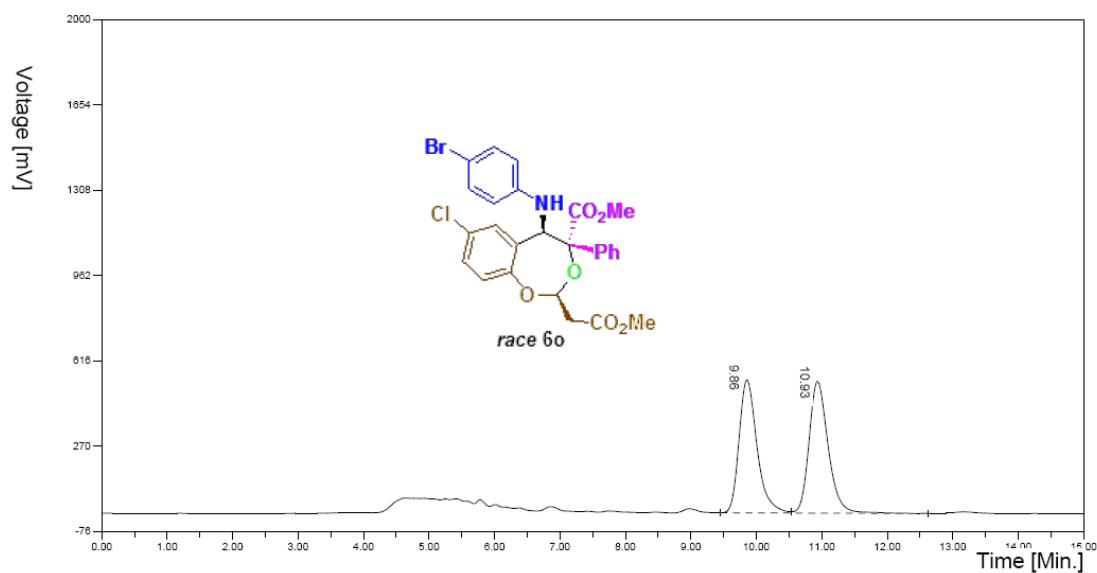






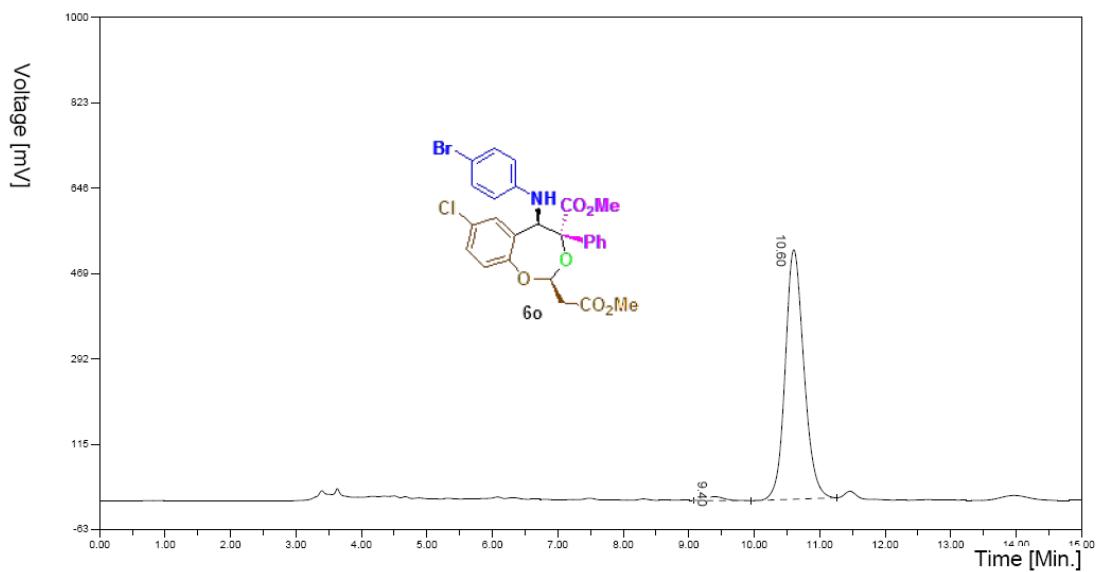






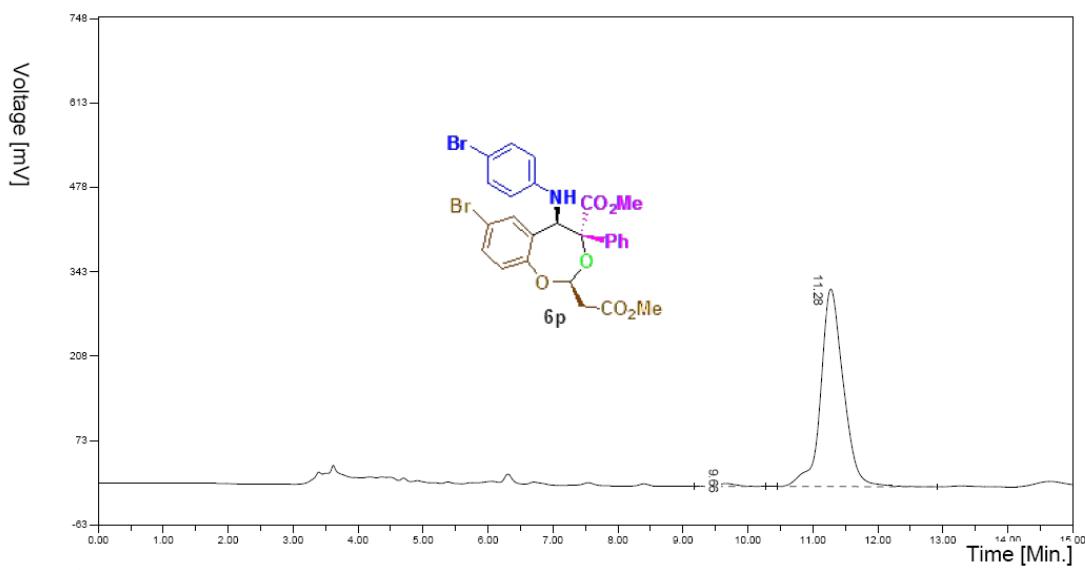
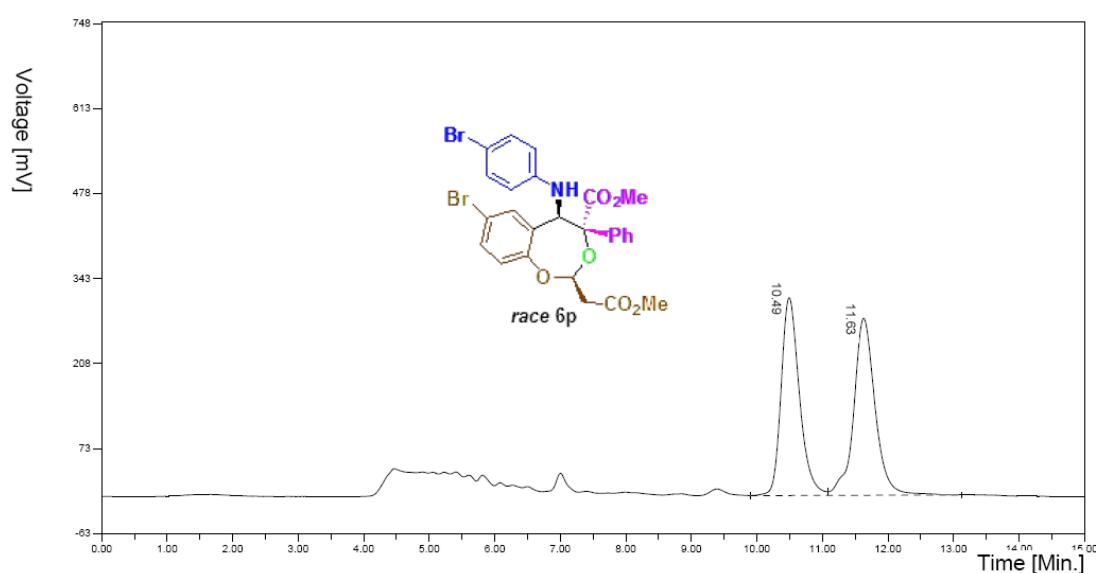
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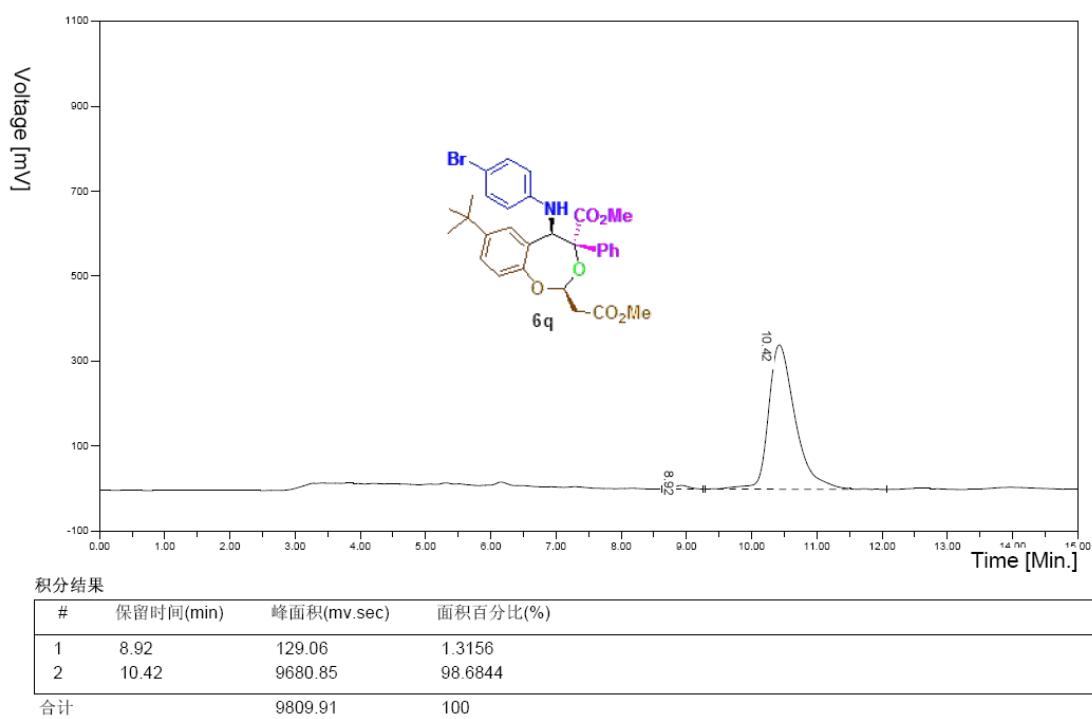
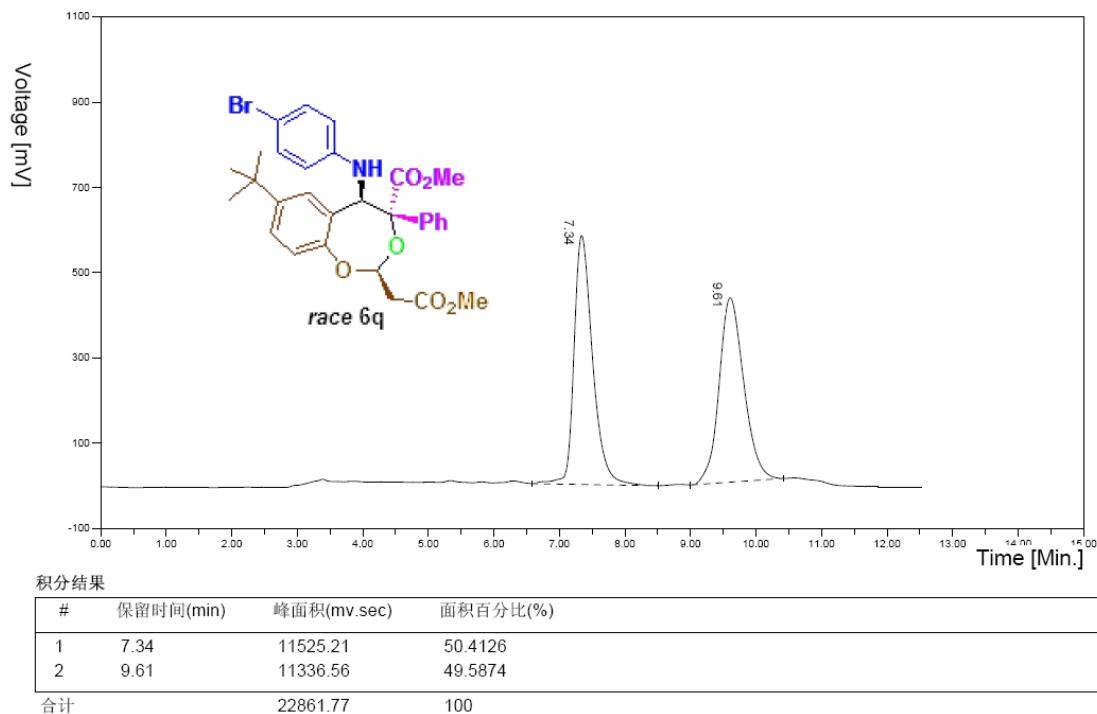
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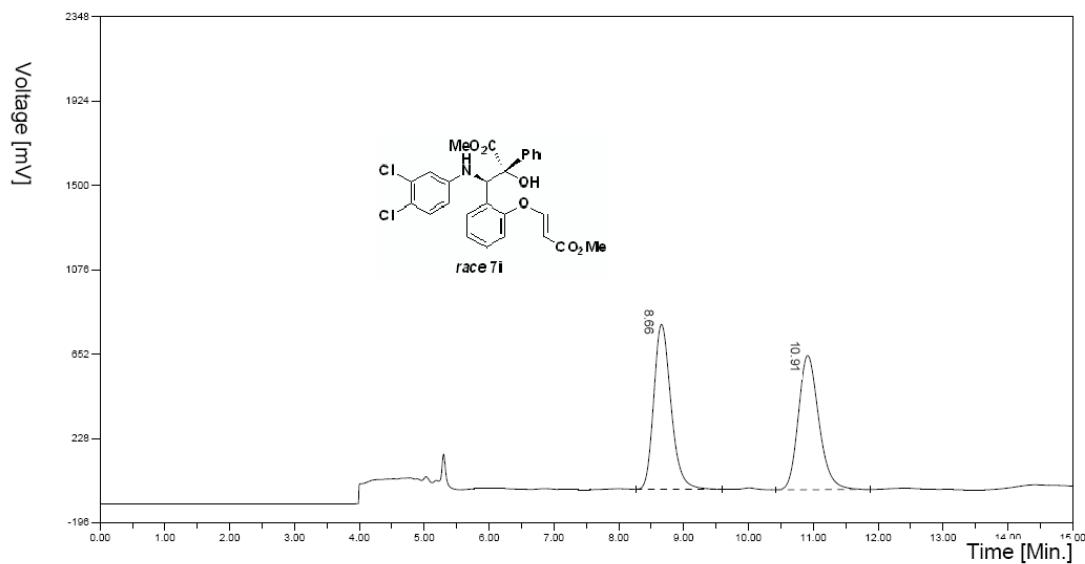


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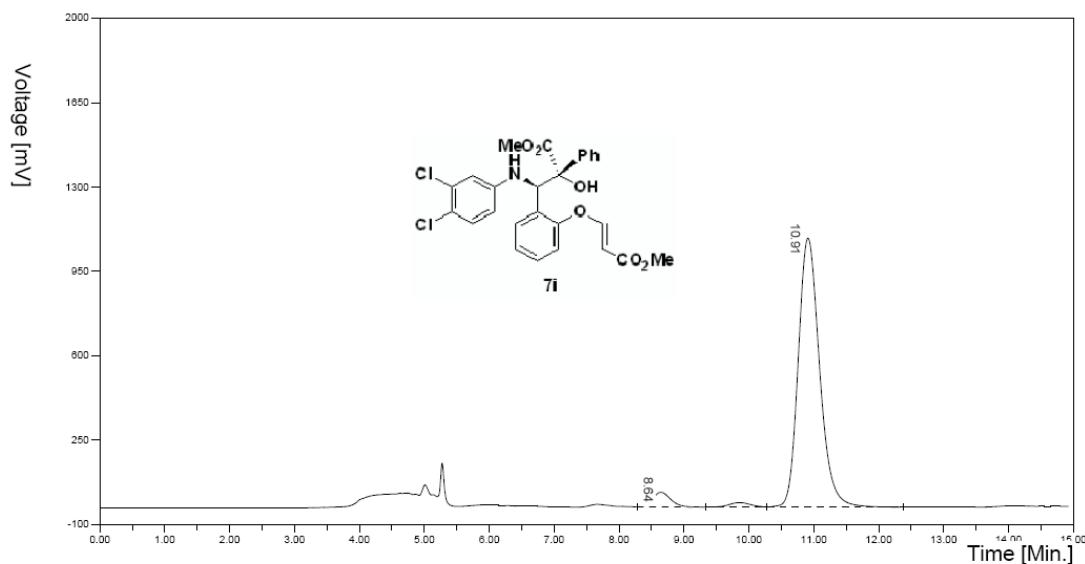






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1	8.66	15304.23	50.7736
2	10.91	14837.89	49.2264
合计	30142.11		100



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2	10.91	25435.05	95.7299
合计	26569.60		100

