

Supporting Information

Palladium-catalyzed formal arylacylation of allenes employing acid chlorides and arylboronic acids

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1. Instrument

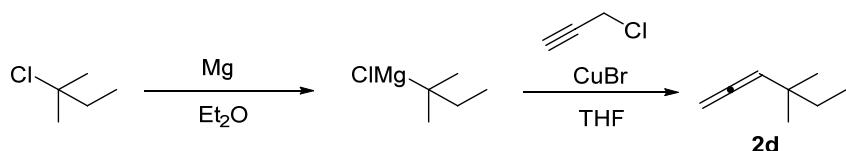
All manipulations were performed under an atmosphere of argon, using standard Schlenk-type glasswares on a dual-manifold Schlenk line. All solvents were dried and purified by usual procedures.¹ ¹H and ¹³C{¹H} NMR were measured with a JEOL ECX-400 spectrometer. The ¹H NMR chemical shifts are reported relative to tetramethylsilane (TMS, 0.00 ppm) or residual protiated solvent (7.26 ppm) in CDCl₃. The ¹³C NMR chemical shifts are reported relative to CDCl₃ (77.0 ppm). EI-MS were recorded on a Shimadzu GCMS-QP2010. IR spectra were obtained on Shimazu IRTtracer-100 FT-IR Spectrometer equipped with Shimazu MIRacle A (Ge) Single Reflecion HATR. APCI-HRMS were obtained with Thermo Scientific Exactive. Elemental analysis was carried out at Center for Organic Elemental Microanalysis, Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Science, Kyoto University. Melting points were measured on a Yanako MP-J3 apparatus. Medium pressure liquid chromatography (MPLC) was performed on Biotage Isorera One with a silica gel column (Biotage SNAP Ultra 25 g, HP-Sphere 25μm). Preparative recycling GPC was performed with SHIMADZU LC-20AP System equipped with Shodex K-4002.5L column, a SHIMADZU SPD-20A, and SHIMADZU RID-10A using CHCl₃ as the eluent at a flow rate of 14 mL min⁻¹. GC analysis was carried out using Shimadzu GC-17A with a capillary column (CBP-5, 0.25 mm i.d. × 25 μm).

2. Preparation of Substrate

Unless otherwise noted, commercially available chemicals were used as received. Anhydrous toluene was purchased from Kanto Chemical and further purified by passage through activated alumina under positive argon pressure as described by Grubbs et al.²

Pd₂(dba)₃·CHCl₃ was synthesized according to a literature.³ CuCl was purified according to a literature.¹ Acid chlorides **1a–j** were used after distillation under vacuum. Boronic acids **3a–i** were used after recrystallization from water. Allenes **2a–e**,⁴ **2f** and **2g**⁵ were synthesized according to literatures.

Preparation of **2d**



Mg turnings (8.76 g, 360 mmol) were activated by evacuation and heating with stirring in a flask equipped with a reflux condenser and a dropping funnel. The flask was backfilled with argon and Et₂O (15 mL) was added. Then, *t*-amyl chloride (37.2 mL, 300 mmol) was transferred to the dropping funnel. After, a small portion of *t*-amyl chloride was added to the reaction flask (ca. 1 mL), the remaining *t*-amyl chloride was diluted with Et₂O (45 mL) in the dropping funnel. The solution was slowly added to the flask in 2 h. Then, the reaction mixture was stirred under reflux for 1 h. The mixture was filtered with a Celite pad to afford Grignard-reagent solution. Next, a mixture of propargyl chloride (12.6 mL, 175 mmol) and CuBr (1.0 g, 7.0 mmol) in THF (120 mL) was cooled to -40 °C. Then, the Grignard-reagent solution was added dropwise in 1 h and stirred at -40 °C for 30 min. The resulting mixture was slowly warmed up to room temperature and stirred overnight at room temperature. The reaction mixture was poured

into NH₄Cl aq. The product was extracted with Et₂O, dried over MgSO₄, and evaporated in vacuo. After distillation (200 tor, 30–40 °C), **2d** was obtained in 34 % yield (6.61 g, 60 mmol).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.02 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 1.34 (q, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 0.99 (s, 6H), 0.84 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 206.70, 100.34, 76.02, 35.63, 34.32, 27.31, 8.98.

IR (ATR): 839.0, 869.9, 1014.6, 1057.0, 1095.6, 1261.5, 1462.0, 1955.8, 2964.6 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI):** Calcd. for C₈H₁₅ ([M+H]⁺), 111.1168. Found, 111.1173.

3. Experimental Procedure

3.1. Typical procedure in Table 1 (Entry 1)

To a 10-mL Schlenk flask with a reflux condenser was added K₃PO₄·H₂O (92 mg, 0.40 mmol), and the whole system was dried under evacuation and heating with stirring. The flask was backfilled with argon and Pd₂(dba₃)·CHCl₃ (10.3 mg, 0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), CuCl (0.020 mmol, 10 mol %) and phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 36.6 mg, 0.30 mmol) were charged. The flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times. Then, toluene (3.6 mL) and MeCN (0.4 mL) were added to the flask. To the mixture, H₂O (14 μL, 0.80 mmol), cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 30 μL, 0.20 mmol) and 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 60 μL, 0.40 mmol) were added in this order, and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, the reaction mixture was analyzed by GC using tetradecane (50 μL) as an internal standard.

Regarding the isolation of (*E*)-**4a**, the reaction mixture was filtrated through a pad of silica gel and all volatiles were removed in vacuo. (*E*)-**4a** was obtained by MPLC (Hexane/EtOAc = 98/2) in 80% yield. The stereochemistry of the product (*E*)-**4a** was determined by 2D NMR measurements (See pages S41).

3.2. Effect of base and additives

To a 10-mL Schlenk flask with a reflux condenser was added a base (0.40 mmol), and the whole system was dried under evacuation and heating with stirring. The flask was backfilled with argon, then Pd₂(dba₃)·CHCl₃ (10.3 mg, 0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), an additive (0.020 mmol, 10 mol %) and phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 36.6 mg, 0.30 mmol) were charged. The flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times. Then, toluene (3.6 mL) and MeCN (0.4 mL) were added to the flask. To the mixture, H₂O (14 μL, 0.80 mmol), cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 30 μL, 0.20 mmol) and 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 60 μL, 0.40 mmol) were added in this order, and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, the reaction mixture was analyzed by GC using tetradecane (50 μL) as an internal standard.

Table S1. Effect of bases^a

5 mol % $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3$
 10 mol % CuCl
 2.0 eq. base
 4.0 eq. H_2O
 toluene/MeCN = 9/1
 (4.0 mL)
 50 °C, 3 h

4a				
Entry	Base	Total Yield of 4a (%) ^b	(E)- 4a /Other Isomer ^c	5 (mmol)
1	K_3PO_4	86 (80) ^d	96/4	0.034
2	Na_3PO_4	53	97/3	0.030
3	K_2CO_3	32	96/4	0.019
4	Cs_2CO_3	67	97/3	0.020
5	Na_2CO_3	47	97/3	0.018
6	KOAc	13	-	0.004
7	KF	35	97/3	0.015
8	KOH	42	96/4	0.016
9	KOtBu	40	96/4	0.020

^a Reaction conditions: 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 0.40 mmol), cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 0.20 mmol), phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 0.30 mmol), $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3 \cdot \text{CHCl}_3$ (0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), CuCl (0.020 mmol, 10 mol %), base (0.40 mmol), H_2O (0.80 mmol) in toluene/MeCN = 9/1 (4.0 mL), at 50 °C, for 3 h. ^b Yield by the GC internal standard method. ^c Determined by GC. ^d Isolated yield of (E)-**4a**.

Table S2. Effect of additives^a

5 mol % $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3$
 10 mol % additive
 2.0 eq. K_3PO_4
 4.0 eq. H_2O
 toluene/MeCN = 9/1
 (4.0 mL)
 50 °C, 3 h

Entry	Additive	4a		
		Total Yield of 4a (%) ^b	(E)-4a/Other Isomer ^c	5 (mmol)
1	None	31	96/4	0.014
2	CuCl	86 (80) ^d	96/4	0.034
3	CuBr	61	97/3	0.024
4	CuI	73	94/6	0.023
5	CuOAc	52	96/4	0.025
6	CuCl_2	79	96/4	0.043
7	CuBr_2	78	96/4	0.042
8	CuOAc_2	79	96/4	0.024

^a Reaction conditions: 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 0.40 mmol), cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 0.20 mmol), phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 0.30 mmol), $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3 \cdot \text{CHCl}_3$ (0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), additive (0.020 mmol, 10 mol %), K_3PO_4 (0.40 mmol), H_2O (0.80 mmol) in toluene/MeCN = 9/1 (4.0 mL), at 50 °C, for 3 h.

^b Yield by the GC internal standard method. ^c Determined by GC. ^d Isolated yield of (E)-**4a**.

3.3. General procedure in Table 2

To a 10-mL Schlenk flask with a reflux condenser was added $\text{K}_3\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ (92 mg, 0.40 mmol), and the whole system was dried under evacuation and heating with stirring. The flask was backfilled with argon, then $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3 \cdot \text{CHCl}_3$ (10.3 mg, 0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.020 mmol, 10 mol %) and phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 36.6 mg, 0.30 mmol) were charged. The flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times. Then, toluene (3.6 mL) and MeCN (0.4 mL) were added to the flask. To the mixture, H_2O , cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 30 μL , 0.20 mmol) and acid chloride (0.40 mmol) were added in this order, and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, all volatiles were removed in vacuo. The product was isolated by MPLC or preparative recycling GPC. The stereochemistry of the product **4b–j** was determined by 2D NMR measurements. As typical examples, NOESY spectra of **4g** and **4h** was shown in Section 5 (See pages S41 and S42).

3.4. General procedure in Table 3

To a 10-mL Schlenk flask with a reflux condenser was added $\text{K}_3\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ (92 mg, 0.40 mmol), and the whole system was dried under evacuation and heating with stirring. The flask was backfilled with argon, then

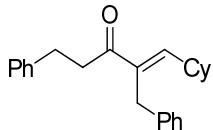
$\text{Pd}_2\text{dba}_3 \cdot \text{CHCl}_3$ (10.3 mg, 0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.020 mmol, 10 mol %) and phenylboronic acid (**3a**, 36.6 mg, 0.30 mmol) were charged. The flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times. Then, toluene (3.6 mL) and MeCN (0.4 mL) were added to the flask. To the mixture, H_2O , allene (0.20 mmol) and 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 60 μL , 0.40 mmol) were added in this order, and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, all volatiles were removed in vacuo. The product was isolated by MPLC or preparative recycling GPC. The stereochemistry of the product **4k–p** was determined by 2D NMR measurements. As a typical example, a NOESY spectrum of **4n** was shown in Section 5 (See page S42).

3.5. General procedure in Table 4

To a 10-mL Schlenk flask with a reflux condenser was added $\text{K}_3\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ (92 mg, 0.40 mmol), and the whole system was dried under evacuation and heating with stirring. The flask was backfilled with argon, then $\text{Pd}_2\text{dba}_3 \cdot \text{CHCl}_3$ (10.3 mg, 0.010 mmol, 5.0 mol %), CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.020 mmol, 10 mol %) and boronic acid (0.30 mmol) were charged. The flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times. Then, toluene (3.6 mL) and MeCN (0.4 mL) were added to the flask. To the mixture, H_2O , cyclohexylallene (**2a**, 30 μL , 0.20 mmol) and 3-phenylpropionyl chloride (**1a**, 60 μL , 0.40 mmol) were added in this order, and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. After cooling to room temperature, all volatiles were removed in vacuo. The product was isolated by MPLC or preparative recycling GPC. The stereochemistry of the product **4q–x** was determined by 2D NMR measurements. As a typical example, a NOESY spectrum of **4x** was shown in Section 5 (See page S43).

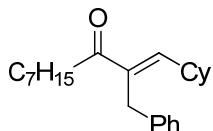
4. Characterization of the Compounds.

(*E*)-2-benzyl-1-cyclohexyl-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4a**)



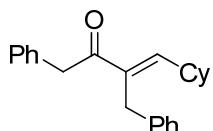
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 53.3 mg, 80% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.28-7.10 (m, 10H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 2.98-2.93 (m, 2H), 2.90-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.48 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.55 (m, 5H), 1.33-1.06 (m, 5H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.66, 148.93, 141.53, 140.23, 138.13, 128.41, 128.38, 128.29, 128.17, 125.96, 125.77, 39.37, 38.35, 32.03, 31.41, 30.63, 25.74, 25.41. **IR (ATR)**: 902.7, 974.1, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1126.4, 1178.5, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1633.7, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2926.0, 3026.3 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₉O ([M+H]⁺), 333.2213. Found, 333.2200.

(*E*)-2-benzyl-1-cyclohexyldec-1-en-3-one (**4b**)



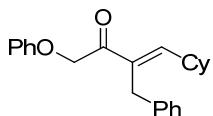
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 52.2 mg, 80% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.25-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.11 (m, 3H), 6.53 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 2.61 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.49 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.51 (m, 7H), 1.33-1.12 (m, 13H), 0.86 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 202.12, 148.34, 140.36, 138.24, 128.23, 128.16, 125.70, 38.31, 37.50, 32.10, 31.66, 31.41, 29.22, 29.07, 25.77, 25.44, 24.88, 22.56, 14.04. **IR (ATR)**: 734.9, 900.8, 972.1, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1132.2, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1668.4, 2852.7, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₃H₃₄O: C, 84.60; H, 10.50. Found: C, 84.64; H, 10.64. **EIMS**: *m/z* 327 (26%, [M+1]⁺), 326 (100, [M]⁺), 243 (76), 227 (82), 117 (74), 91 (96).

(*E*)-3-benzyl-4-cyclohexyl-1-phenylbut-3-en-2-one (**4c**)



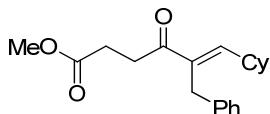
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Pale yellow oil. 51.2 mg, 80% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.28-7.03 (m, 10H), 6.66 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (s, 2H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 2.48 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.56 (m, 5H), 1.32-1.09 (m, 5H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 199.19, 150.01, 139.96, 137.65, 135.32, 129.25, 128.40, 128.21, 128.14, 126.50, 125.72, 44.64, 38.37, 31.96, 31.47, 25.72, 25.33. **IR (ATR)**: 746.5, 974.1, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1122.6, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1664.6, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₃H₂₇O ([M+H]⁺), 319.2056. Found, 319.2053.

(*E*)-3-benzyl-4-cyclohexyl-1-phenoxybut-3-en-2-one (**4d**)



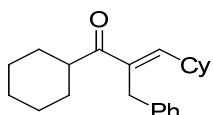
Isolated by preparative recycling GPC. Pale yellow oil. 56.0 mg, 84% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.24-7.18 (m, 4H), 7.17-7.09 (m, 3H), 6.93 (tt, *J* = 7.5, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.80-6.75 (m, 2H), 6.63 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (s, 2H), 3.71 (s, 2H), 2.53 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.60 (m, 5H), 1.33-1.12 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 196.08, 157.93, 149.85, 139.60, 136.32, 129.43, 128.38, 128.24, 125.96, 121.32, 114.68, 70.27, 38.33, 31.93, 31.45, 25.70, 25.36. **IR (ATR)**: 752.2, 785.0, 1030.0, 1130.3, 1174.7, 1230.6, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1599.0, 1631.8, 1687.7, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₃H₂₆O₂: C, 82.60; H, 7.84. Found: C, 82.86; H, 7.99. **EIMS**: *m/z* 334 (9%), [M]⁺, 227 (100), 117 (50), 91 (59).

methyl (E)-5-benzyl-6-cyclohexyl-4-oxohex-5-enoate (**4e**)



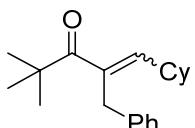
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 95/5). Colorless oil. 43.5 mg, 69% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.25-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.11 (m, 3H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.00 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.50 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.79-1.57 (m, 5H), 1.34-1.11 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 199.21, 173.51, 149.16, 140.09, 137.75, 128.25, 128.04, 125.74, 51.62, 38.32, 32.30, 31.98, 31.37, 28.18, 25.70, 25.37. **IR (ATR)**: 842.9, 902.7, 1030.0, 1076.3, 1126.4, 1166.9, 1215.2, 1361.7, 1437.0, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1670.4, 1737.9, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₀H₂₇O₃ ([M+H]⁺), 315.1955. Found, 315.1951.

(E)-2-benzyl-1,3-dicyclohexylprop-2-en-1-one (**4f**)



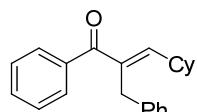
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 37.5 mg, 60% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.25-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 2.98 (tt, *J* = 11.1, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.60 (m, 10H), 1.37-1.12 (m, 10H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 205.39, 147.57, 140.43, 137.22, 128.20, 128.14, 125.65, 44.38, 38.34, 32.13, 31.52, 29.71, 25.89, 25.83, 25.78, 25.47. **IR (ATR)**: 734.9, 821.7, 906.5, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1118.7, 1141.9, 1255.7, 1311.6, 1450.5, 1494.8, 1664.6, 2852.7, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₂H₃₀O: C, 85.11; H, 9.74. Found: C, 84.91; H, 9.70. **EIMS**: *m/z* 310 (52%, [M]⁺), 227 (100), 117 (42), 91 (40).

(E)-2-benzyl-1-cyclohexyl-4,4-dimethylpent-1-en-3-one (**4g**)



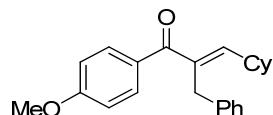
Isolated by preparative recycling GPC as mixture of inseparable isomers (*E/Z* = 89/11). Colorless oil. 32.4 mg, 57% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.30-7.12 (m, 5H), 6.09 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 2.46 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 9.5, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 1.79-1.59 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.07 (m, 5H), 1.11 (s, 9H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 210.51, 142.27, 139.82, 136.86, 128.49, 128.25, 125.87, 43.79, 37.80, 33.92, 32.47, 28.55, 25.84, 25.53. **IR (ATR)**: 742.6, 902.7, 966.3, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1114.9, 1365.6, 1394.5, 1450.5, 1477.5, 1494.8, 1672.3, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₀H₂₈O: C, 84.45; H, 9.92. Found: C, 84.33; H, 9.96. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₀H₂₉O ([M+H]⁺), 285.2213. Found, 285.2211.

(*E*)-2-benzyl-3-cyclohexyl-1-phenylprop-2-en-1-one (**4h**)



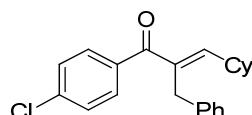
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Pale yellow oil. 44.3 mg, 73% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.63-7.59 (m, 2H), 7.49-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.40-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.22 (m, 4H), 7.18-7.12 (m, 1H), 6.16 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (s, 2H), 2.59 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.61 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.04 (m, 5H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 198.51, 151.67, 139.98, 138.71, 137.53, 131.50, 129.44, 128.37, 128.33, 127.99, 125.89, 38.44, 32.48, 32.05, 25.71, 25.40. **IR (ATR)**: 711.7, 785.0, 960.6, 1028.1, 1070.5, 1176.6, 1226.7, 1276.9, 1315.5, 1446.6, 1494.8, 1597.1, 1649.1, 2850.8, 2924.1 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₂H₂₄O: C, 86.80; H, 7.95. Found: C, 86.95; H, 8.19. **EIMS**: *m/z* 305 (23%, [M+1]⁺), 304 (100, [M]⁺), 221 (55), 105 (81), 91 (43), 77 (42).

(*E*)-2-benzyl-3-cyclohexyl-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-2-en-1-one (**4i**)



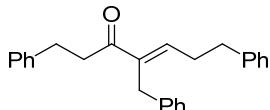
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Pale yellow oil. 44.1 mg, 66% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.66 (dt, *J* = 9.4, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 4H), 7.17-7.11 (m, 1H), 6.88 (dt, *J* = 9.4, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 2H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 2.58 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.4, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 1.75-1.64 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.08 (m, 5H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 197.41, 162.59, 149.48, 140.04, 137.41, 131.86, 131.10, 128.38, 125.87, 113.29, 55.37, 38.29, 32.93, 32.22, 25.77, 25.48. (One aromatic carbon peak was overlapped.) **IR (ATR)**: 761.9, 842.9, 1030.0, 1168.9, 1228.7, 1253.7, 1448.5, 1508.3, 1599.0, 1641.4, 2924.1 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₃H₂₇O₂ ([M+H]⁺), 335.2006. Found, 335.1998.

(*E*)-2-benzyl-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-cyclohexylprop-2-en-1-one (**4j**)



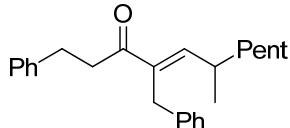
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). White solid. 49.1 mg, 72% yield. **M.p.** 80-81 °C. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.55 (dt, *J* = 8.8, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (dt, *J* = 8.9, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.20 (m, 4H), 7.17-7.12 (m, 1H), 6.12 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 2.59 (tdt, *J* = 11.3, 10.0, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.62 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.05 (m, 5H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 197.25, 151.60, 139.76, 137.85, 137.47, 136.97, 130.82, 128.43, 128.32, 128.29, 125.99, 38.43, 32.53, 32.06, 25.69, 25.37. **IR (ATR)**: 740.7, 754.2, 825.5, 947.1, 1014.6, 1226.7, 1275.0, 1302.0, 1446.6, 1494.8, 1589.3, 1645.3, 2846.9, 2924.1 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₂H₂₃OCl: C, 77.98; H, 6.84. Found: C, 77.76; H, 6.97. **EIMS**: *m/z* 340 (34%, [M+2]⁺), 339 (26, [M+1]⁺), 338 (100, [M]⁺), 255 (48), 139 (79), 111 (39), 91 (62).

(E)-4-benzyl-1,7-diphenylhept-4-en-3-one (**4k**)



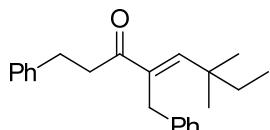
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Pale yellow oil. 42.5 mg, 60% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.29-7.11 (m, 13H), 7.07-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.75 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.96-2.91 (m, 2H), 2.89-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.71 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 2.64-2.58 (m, 2H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.17, 142.83, 141.36, 140.76, 140.72, 139.75, 128.50, 128.40, 128.34, 128.32, 128.29, 128.21, 126.23, 125.97, 125.83, 39.27, 34.74, 31.24, 31.10, 30.65. **IR (ATR)**: 939.3, 1030.0, 1452.4, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1678.1, 2927.9, 3026.3 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₆H₂₇O ([M+H]⁺), 355.2056. Found, 355.2046.

(E)-4-benzyl-6-methyl-1-phenylundec-4-en-3-one (**4l**)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 55.0 mg, 79% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.29-7.09 (m, 10H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 3.00-2.95 (m, 2H), 2.92-2.86 (m, 2H), 2.68-2.57 (m, 1H), 1.37-1.14 (m, 8H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.85 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.59, 150.05, 141.49, 140.21, 138.67, 128.41, 128.37, 128.25, 128.20, 125.97, 125.74, 39.38, 36.82, 33.78, 31.85, 31.39, 30.70, 27.09, 22.51, 20.02, 13.99. **IR (ATR)**: 734.9, 1030.0, 1076.3, 1124.5, 1452.4, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1668.4, 2926.0, 2956.9 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₅H₃₂O: C, 86.15; H, 9.25. Found: C, 86.08; H, 9.44. **EIMS**: *m/z* 348 (11%, [M]⁺), 250 (20), 149 (100), 105 (18), 91 (55).

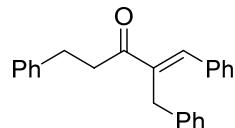
(E)-4-benzyl-6,6-dimethyl-1-phenyloct-4-en-3-one (**4m**)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 57.6 mg, 90% yield. **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.27-7.11 (m, 8H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 2H), 2.97-2.93 (m, 2H), 2.88-2.83 (m, 2H), 1.47 (q, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.13 (s, 6H), 0.84 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 201.72, 151.76, 141.47, 139.97,

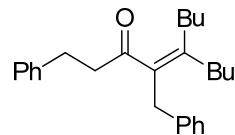
139.00, 128.38, 128.35, 128.23, 127.89, 125.94, 125.65, 39.82, 37.13, 36.61, 31.62, 30.72, 27.66, 9.22. **IR (ATR):** 729.1, 748.4, 987.6, 1030.0, 1076.3, 1155.4, 1452.4, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1672.3, 2962.7 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₃H₂₈O: C, 86.20; H, 8.81. Found: C, 86.41; H, 8.69. **EIMS:** *m/z* 320 (10, [M]⁺), 250 (23), 249 (100), 105 (31), 91 (81).

(E)-2-benzyl-1,5-diphenylpent-1-en-3-one (4n)



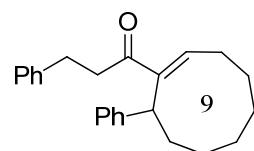
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Pale yellow oil. 25.1 mg, 38% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.71 (s, 1H), 7.35-7.23 (m, 9H), 7.22-7.16 (m, 4H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.95 (s, 2H), 3.12 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.96 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.82, 141.35, 140.35, 139.48, 139.42, 135.30, 129.18, 128.87, 128.59, 128.54, 128.46, 128.41, 127.93, 126.03, 39.82, 32.35, 30.54. (One aromatic carbon peak was overlapped.) **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 993.3, 1030.0, 1076.3, 1159.2, 1211.3, 1452.4, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1668.4, 3026.3 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₂O: C, 88.31; H, 6.79. Found: C, 88.45; H, 6.96. **EIMS:** *m/z* 327 (21%, [M+1]⁺), 326 (81, [M]⁺), 235 (41), 221 (50), 115 (71), 91 (100).

4-benzyl-5-butyl-1-phenylnon-4-en-3-one (4o)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 97/3). Colorless oil. 58.8 mg, 81% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.28-7.11 (m, 8H), 7.05-7.02 (m, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.75-2.66 (m, 2H), 2.63-2.57 (m, 2H), 2.15-2.06 (m, 4H), 1.46-1.23 (m, 8H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 207.33, 145.24, 141.28, 139.02, 135.23, 128.51, 128.30, 126.21, 125.84, 44.70, 35.06, 33.35, 31.87, 31.31, 30.60, 29.78, 23.01, 22.97, 13.95, 13.93. (2 aromatic carbon peaks were overlapped.) **IR (ATR):** 1030.0, 1074.4, 1138.0, 1454.3, 1494.8, 1602.9, 1687.7, 2929.9, 2956.9 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI):** Calcd. for C₂₆H₃₅O ([M+H]⁺), 363.2682. Found, 363.2674.

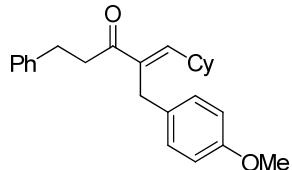
3-phenyl-1-[*(E*)-9-phenylcyclonon-1-en-1-yl]propan-1-one (4p)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 60.4 mg, 91% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.27-7.20 (m, 6H), 7.17-7.08 (m, 4H), 6.84 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd, *J* = 12.2, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.98-2.78 (m, 4H), 2.71-2.62 (m, 1H), 2.47-2.33 (m, 2H), 1.98-1.90 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.42 (m, 8H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.94, 144.24, 144.05, 143.32, 141.46, 128.33, 128.26, 128.09, 127.28, 125.87, 125.62, 42.11, 40.13, 31.46, 30.62, 28.45, 27.23, 26.42, 26.38, 25.82. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 1138.0, 1452.4, 1494.8, 1600.9, 1668.4, 2924.1, 3026.3 cm⁻¹. **Anal.**

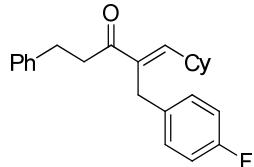
Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₈O: C, 86.70; H, 8.49. Found: C, 86.73; H, 8.71. **EIMS:** *m/z* 332 (24%, [M]⁺), 228 (27), 227 (88), 105 (56), 91 (100).

(E)-1-cyclohexyl-2-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4q**)



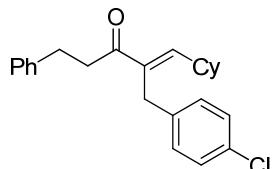
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 97/3). Colorless oil. 59.1 mg, 82% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.28-7.23 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.13 (m, 3H), 7.04 (dt, *J* = 8.6, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (dt, *J* = 9.4, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 2.97-2.92 (m, 2H), 2.90-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.49 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.57 (m, 5H), 1.33-1.06 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.77, 157.69, 148.55, 141.54, 138.47, 132.26, 129.11, 128.39, 128.37, 125.95, 113.71, 55.19, 39.40, 38.30, 32.08, 30.63, 30.54, 25.75, 25.43. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 817.8, 1035.8, 1126.4, 1176.6, 1246.0, 1300.0, 1448.5, 1510.3, 1610.6, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₅H₃₀O₂: C, 82.83; H, 8.34. Found: C, 82.73; H, 8.43. **EIMS:** *m/z* 362 (47%, [M]⁺), 279 (87), 257 (32), 163 (32), 121 (100), 108 (35), 91 (54).

(E)-1-cyclohexyl-2-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4r**)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 97/3). Colorless oil. 60.7 mg, 87% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.07 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.7 Hz, 2H), 6.90 (tt, *J* = 8.8, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 6.51 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.98-2.94 (m, 2H), 2.91-2.86 (m, 2H), 2.45 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.54 (m, 5H), 1.32-1.06 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.60, 161.14 (d, *J* = 244.1 Hz), 149.05, 141.41, 138.14, 135.88 (d, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 129.51 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 128.40, 128.35, 125.97, 114.97 (d, *J* = 21.0 Hz), 39.22, 38.39, 31.99, 30.61, 30.58, 25.68, 25.37. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 821.7, 902.7, 1016.5, 1093.6, 1126.4, 1157.3, 1220.9, 1448.5, 1506.4, 1602.9, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI):** Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₈FO ([M+H]⁺), 351.2119. Found, 351.2106.

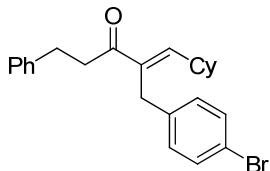
(E)-2-[(4-chlorophenyl)methyl]-1-cyclohexyl-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4s**)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 66.0 mg, 90% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.29-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.13 (m, 5H), 7.04 (dt, *J* = 8.8, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.99-2.93 (m, 2H), 2.91-2.86 (m, 2H), 2.44 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.54 (m, 5H), 1.33-1.06 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.77, 157.69, 148.55, 141.54, 138.47, 132.26, 129.11, 128.39, 128.37, 125.95, 113.71, 55.19, 39.40, 38.30, 32.08, 30.63, 30.54, 25.75, 25.43. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 817.8, 1035.8, 1126.4, 1176.6, 1246.0, 1300.0, 1448.5, 1510.3, 1610.6, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹.

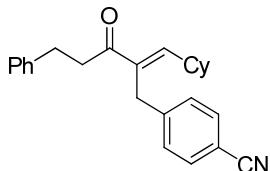
MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 200.55, 149.28, 141.39, 138.76, 137.87, 131.48, 129.52, 128.42, 128.37, 126.01, 39.21, 38.44, 32.01, 30.79, 30.63, 25.69, 25.38. (One aromatic carbon peak was overlapped.) **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 902.7, 1014.6, 1091.7, 1126.4, 1178.5, 1448.5, 1491.0, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₇OCl: C, 78.56; H, 7.42. Found: C, 78.48; H, 7.49. **EIMS:** *m/z* 366 (11%, [M]⁺), 285 (33), 284 (21), 283 (100), 125 (30), 91 (41).

(*E*)-2-[(4-bromophenyl)methyl]-1-cyclohexyl-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4t**)



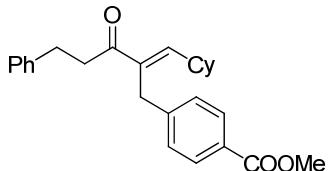
Isolated by preparative recycling GPC. Colorless oil. 69.3 mg, 84% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.33 (dt, *J* = 9.1, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 3H), 6.98 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.61 (s, 2H), 2.98-2.94 (m, 2H), 2.90-2.86 (m, 2H), 2.43 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.76-1.54 (m, 5H), 1.32-1.06 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.49, 149.30, 141.35, 139.27, 137.76, 131.28, 129.92, 128.40, 128.35, 125.99, 119.52, 39.18, 38.42, 31.98, 30.83, 30.60, 25.66, 25.35. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 794.7, 902.7, 1010.7, 1072.4, 1126.4, 1178.5, 1406.1, 1448.5, 1487.1, 1666.5, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI):** Calcd. for C₂₄H₂₈BrO ([M+H]⁺), 411.1318. Found, 411.1305.

4-[(*E*)-2-(cyclohexylmethylidene)-3-oxo-5-phenylpentyl]benzonitrile (**4u**)



Isolated by preparative recycling GPC. Pale yellow oil. 52.0 mg, 73% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.51 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 5H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 2H), 3.01-2.96 (m, 2H), 2.91-2.88 (m, 2H), 2.40 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.3, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.53 (m, 5H), 1.31-1.08 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.30, 150.08, 146.07, 141.17, 137.07, 132.07, 128.90, 128.40, 128.33, 126.04, 119.03, 109.59, 38.96, 38.57, 31.90, 31.62, 30.56, 25.57, 25.28. **IR (ATR):** 750.3, 819.8, 1126.4, 1176.6, 1448.5, 1496.8, 1606.7, 1666.5, 2225.9, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI):** Calcd. for C₂₅H₂₈NO ([M+H]⁺), 358.2165. Found, 358.2159.

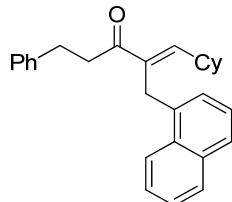
methyl 4-[(*E*)-2-(cyclohexylmethylidene)-3-oxo-5-phenylpentyl]benzoate (**4v**)



Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 95/5). Pale yellow oil. 61.9 mg, 79% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.91 (dt, *J* = 8.5, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.15 (m, 5H), 6.55 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 3.72 (s, 2H), 2.99-2.97 (m, 2H), 2.91-2.87 (m, 2H), 2.43 (tdt, *J* = 10.9, 10.0, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 1.74-1.54 (m, 5H), 1.30-1.06 (m,

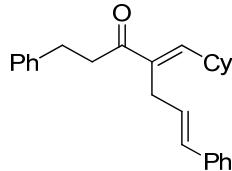
5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.42, 167.04, 149.62, 145.90, 141.33, 137.53, 129.62, 128.40, 128.34, 128.13, 127.73, 125.99, 51.90, 39.14, 38.49, 31.91, 31.46, 30.62, 25.64, 25.32. **IR (ATR)**: 752.2, 902.7, 1020.3, 1107.1, 1178.5, 1278.8, 1435.0, 1496.8, 1608.6, 1668.4, 1720.5, 2850.8, 2926.0 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₆H₃₁O₃ ([M+H]⁺), 391.2268. Found, 391.2254.

(E)-1-cyclohexyl-2-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-5-phenylpent-1-en-3-one (**4w**)



Isolated by preparative recycling GPC. Pale yellow oil. 68.1 mg, 89% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 8.13 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.86-7.83 (m, 1H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.56-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.22-7.15 (m, 3H), 6.98 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 6.71 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (s, 2H), 3.07-3.02 (m, 2H), 2.94-2.89 (m, 2H), 2.36-2.26 (m, 1H), 1.68-1.54 (m, 5H), 1.26-1.07 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.70, 150.07, 141.53, 137.19, 135.56, 133.73, 132.03, 128.69, 128.45, 126.61, 126.01, 125.84, 125.51, 125.44, 123.95, 123.50, 39.41, 38.22, 32.00, 30.72, 28.05, 25.71, 25.28. (One aromatic carbon peak was overlapped.) **IR (ATR)**: 750.3, 771.5, 790.8, 902.7, 1076.3, 1126.4, 1398.4, 1448.5, 1494.8, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2924.1 cm⁻¹. **HRMS (APCI)**: Calcd. for C₂₈H₃₁O ([M+H]⁺), 383.2369. Found, 383.2361.

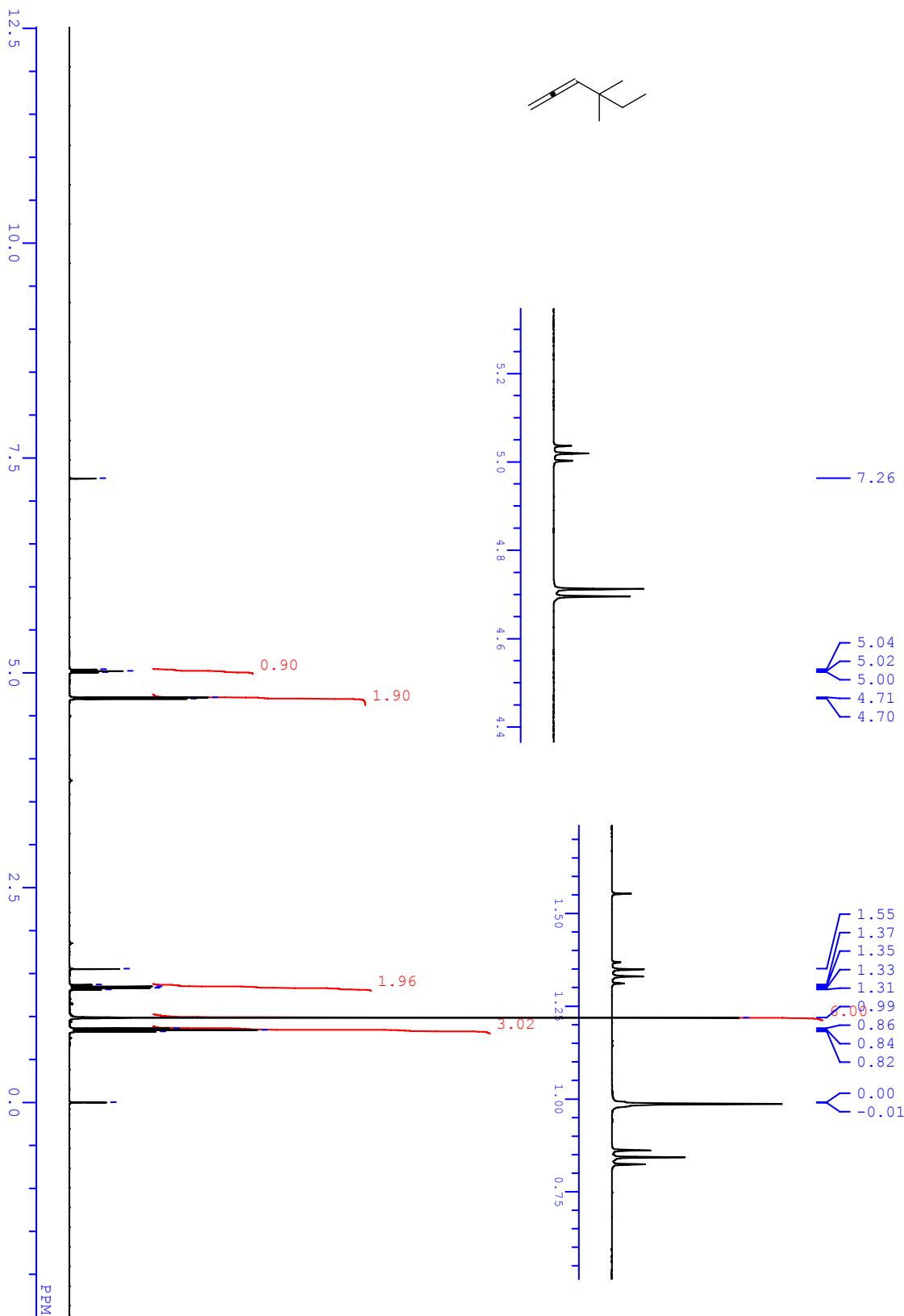
(4*E*,6*E*)-4-(cyclohexylmethyldene)-1,7-diphenylhept-6-en-3-one (**4x**)



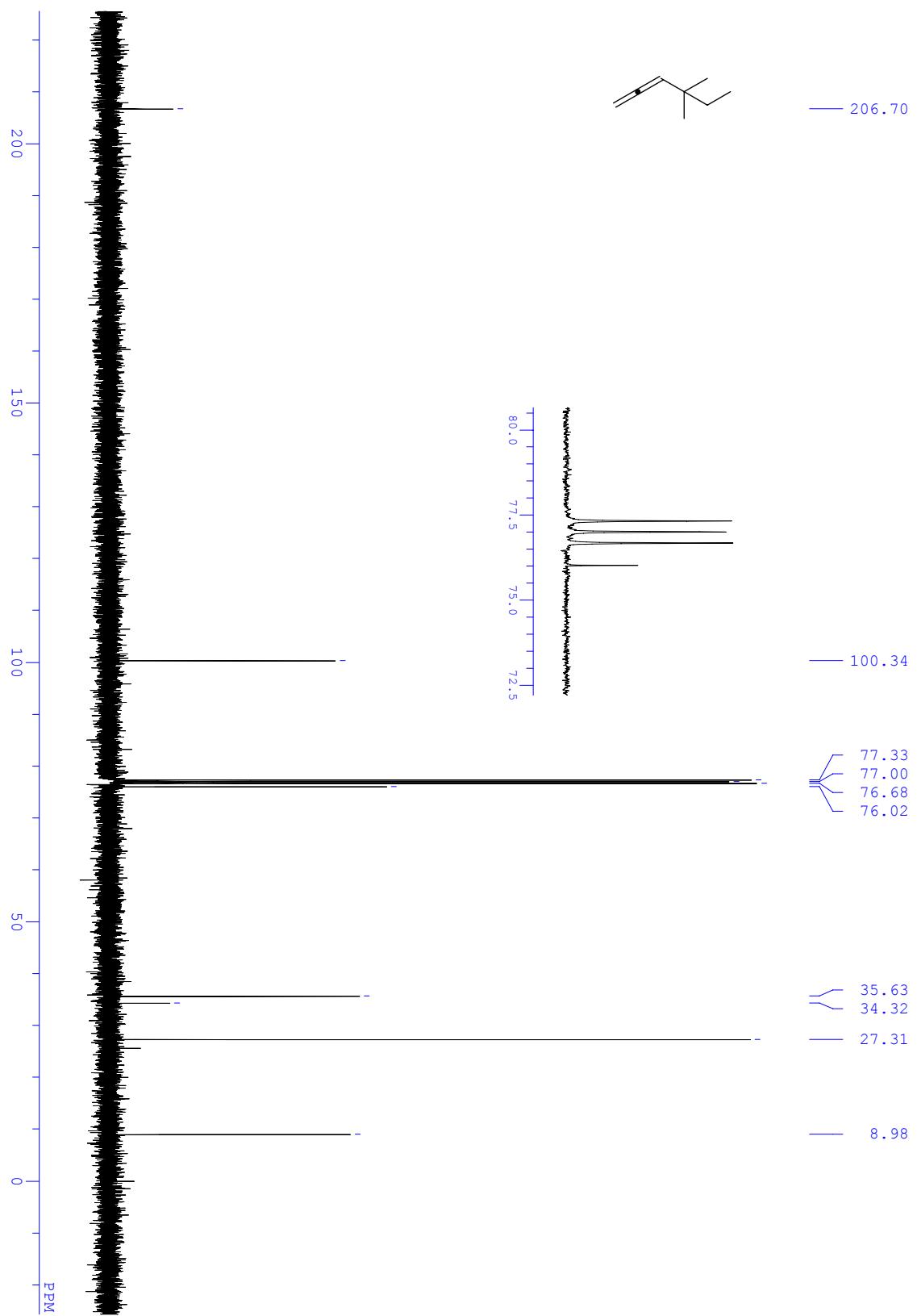
Isolated by MPLC (hexane/EtOAc = 98/2). Colorless oil. 44.2 mg, 62% yield. **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 7.31-7.24 (m, 6H), 7.21-7.15 (m, 4H), 6.48 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (dt, *J* = 15.9, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.22 (dd, *J* = 6.6, 1.1 Hz, 2H), 3.01-2.97 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.90 (m, 2H), 2.45 (tdt, *J* = 10.8, 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.77-1.63 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.07 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ: 200.41, 148.98, 141.53, 137.58, 137.15, 130.18, 128.42, 128.40, 128.30, 126.90, 125.98, 39.21, 38.15, 32.14, 30.73, 29.20, 25.75, 25.44. (2 aromatic carbon peaks were overlapped.) **IR (ATR)**: 900.8, 964.4, 1030.0, 1074.4, 1126.4, 1178.5, 1448.5, 1494.8, 1668.4, 2850.8, 2924.1, 3026.3 cm⁻¹. **Anal.** Calcd. for C₂₆H₃₀O: C, 87.10; H, 8.43. Found: C, 86.79; H, 8.48. **EIMS**: *m/z* 359 (18%, [M+1]⁺), 358 (46, [M]⁺), 275 (81), 207 (27), 105 (64), 91(100).

5. NMR Charts

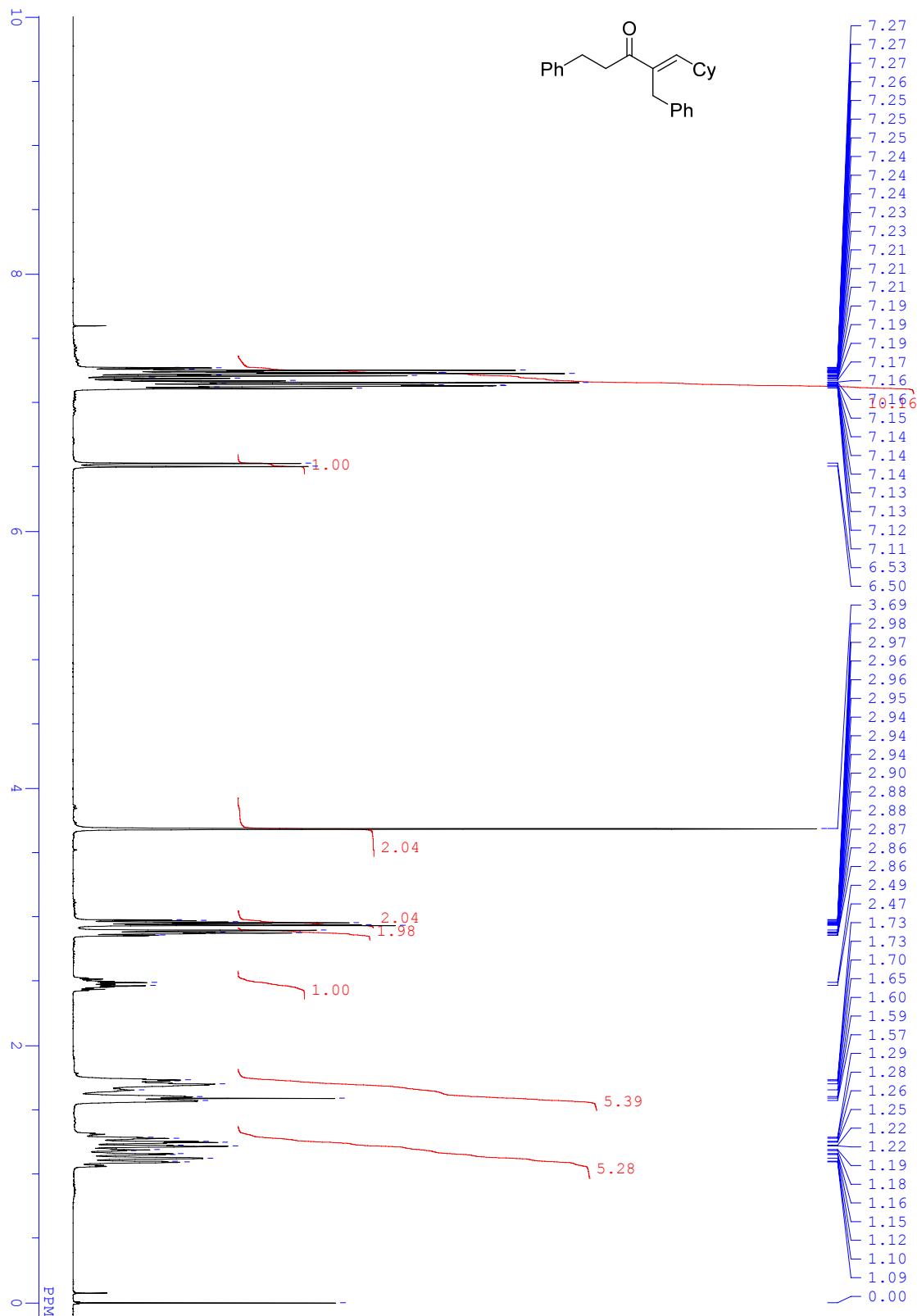
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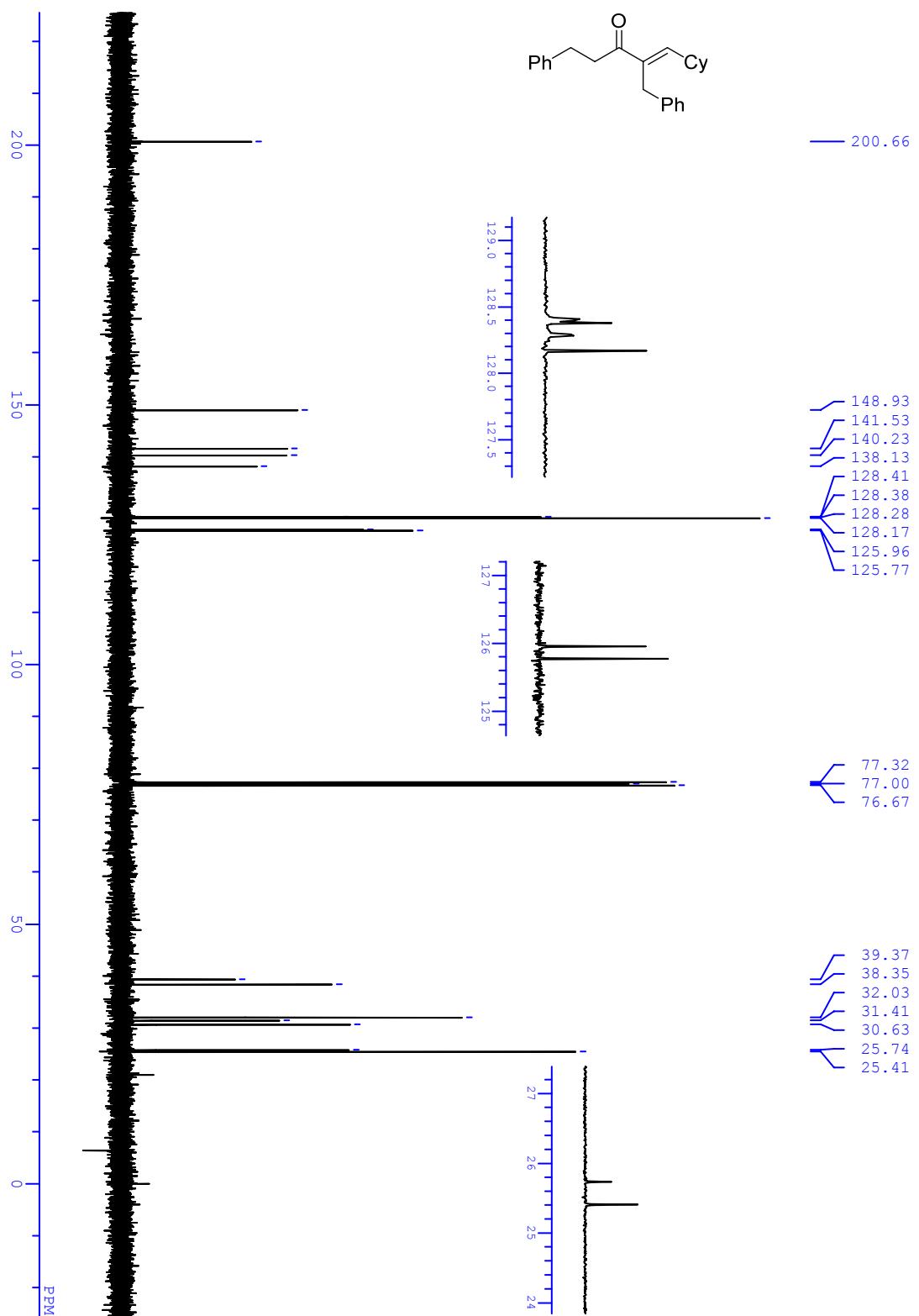
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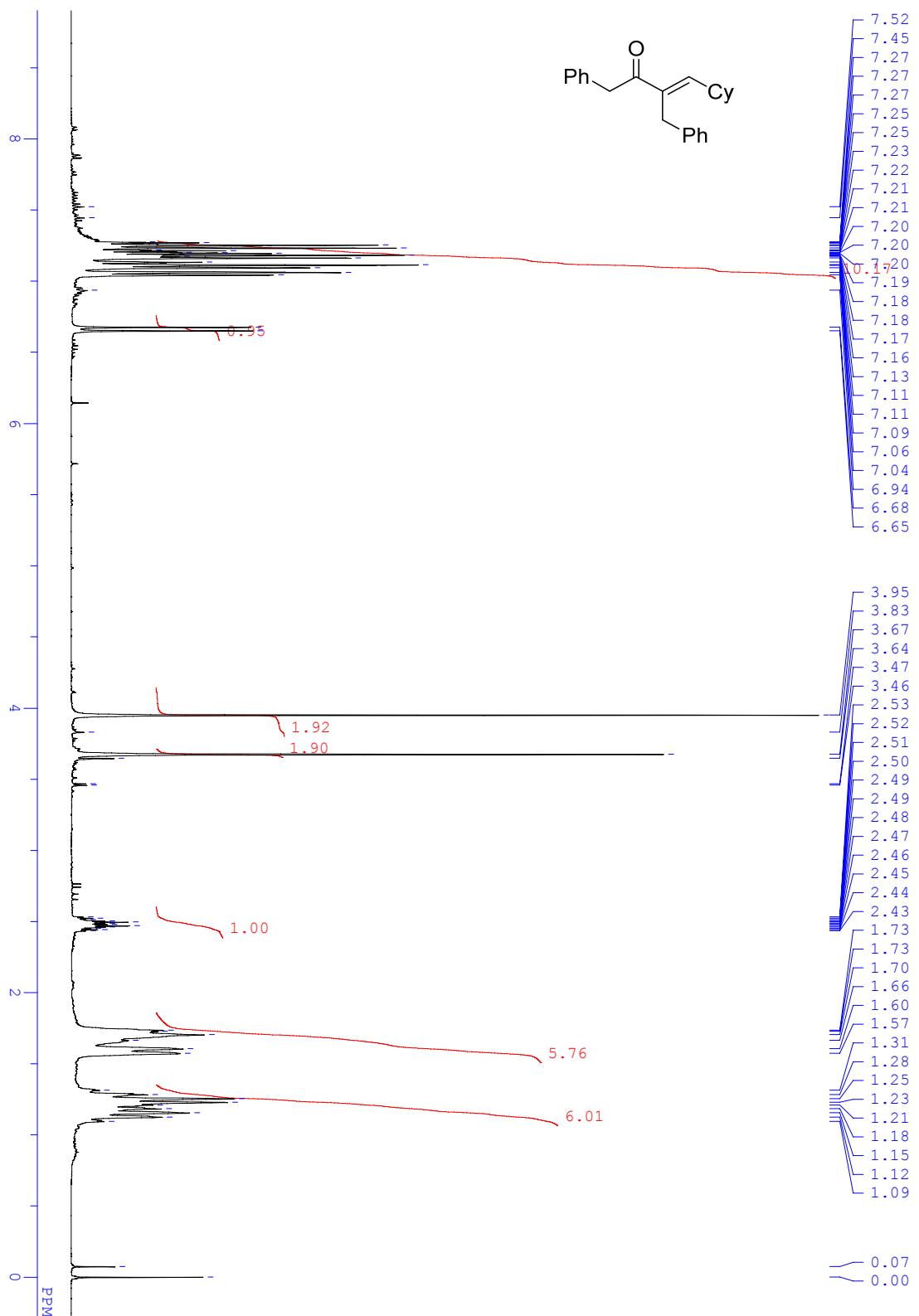
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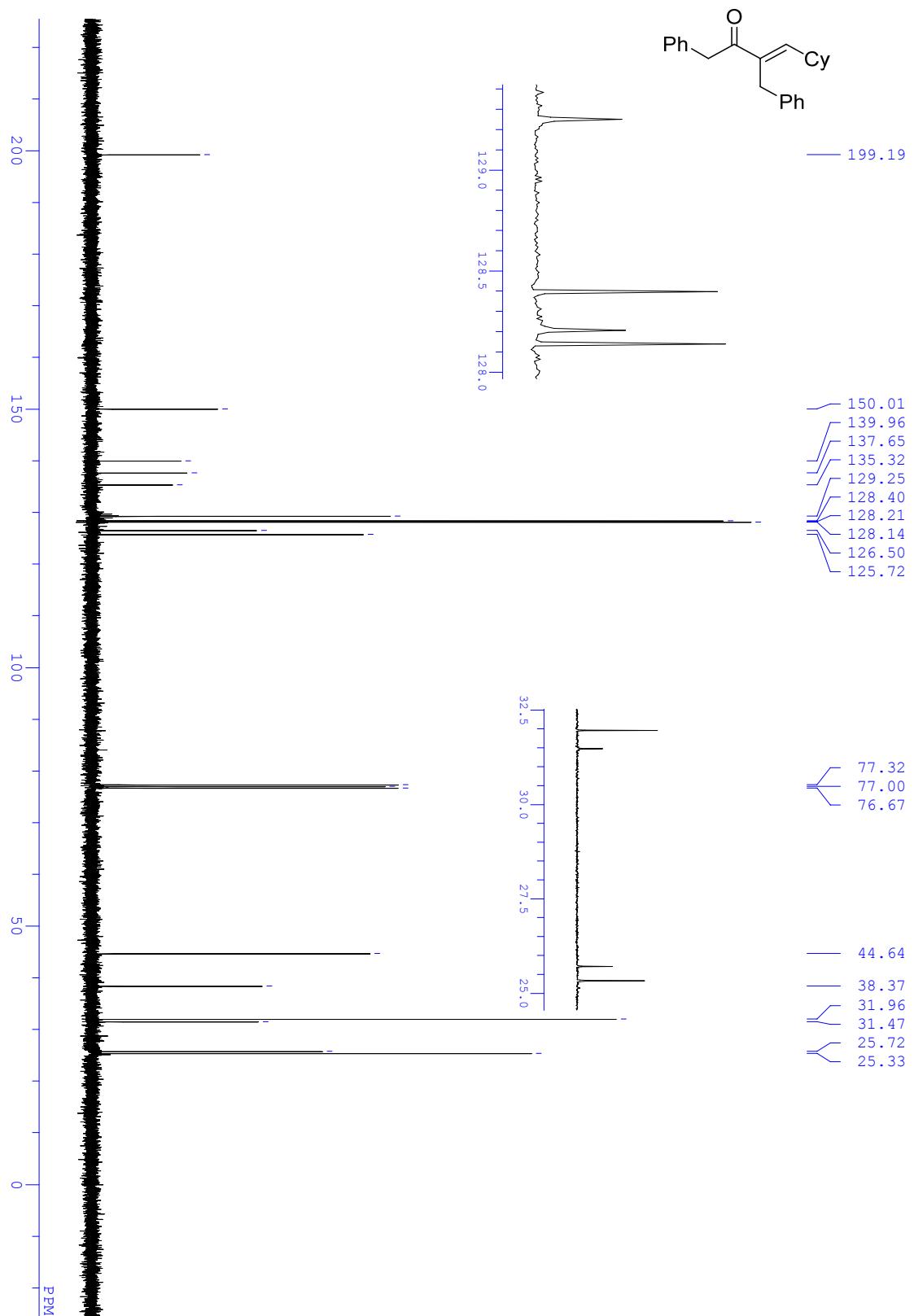
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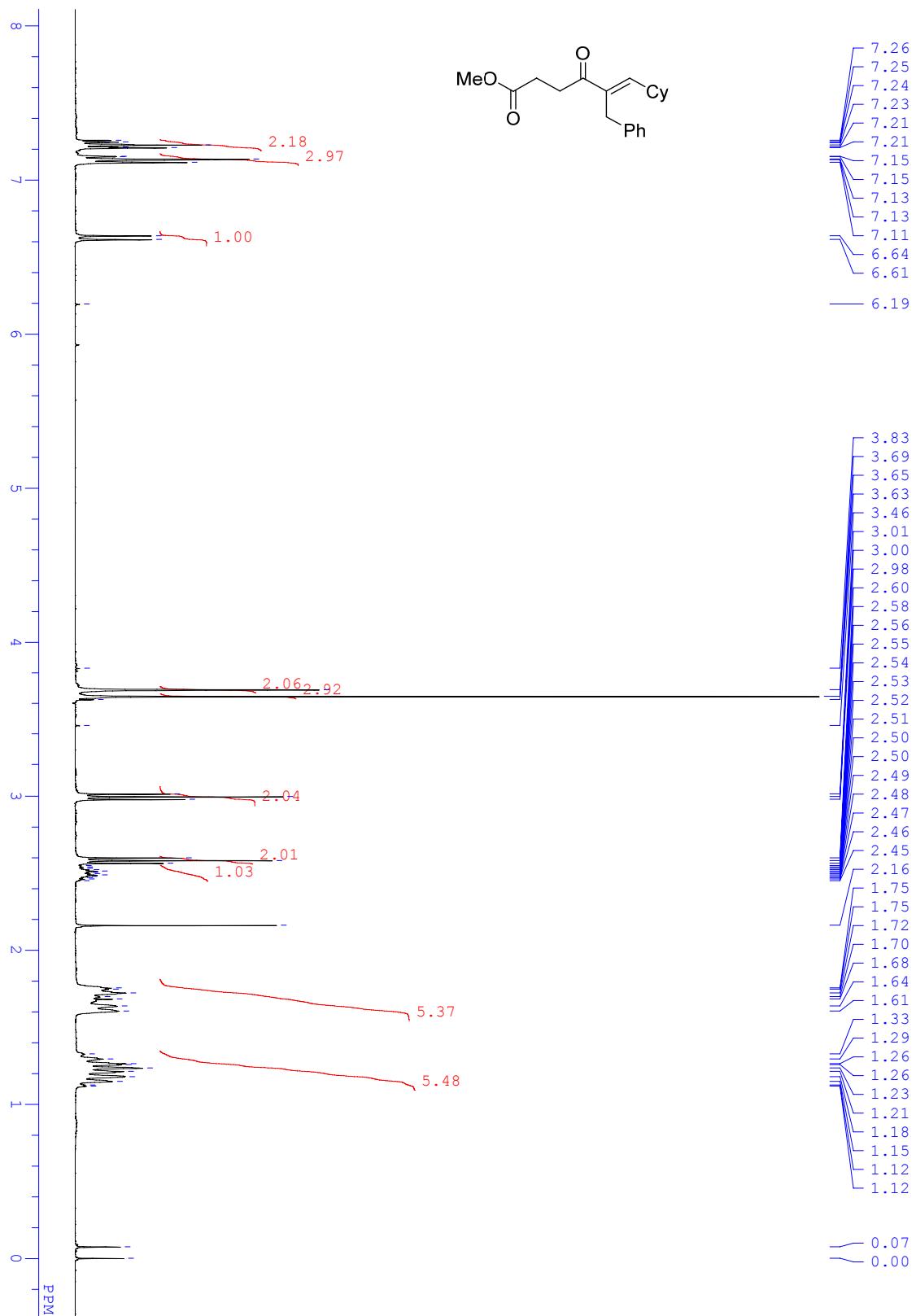
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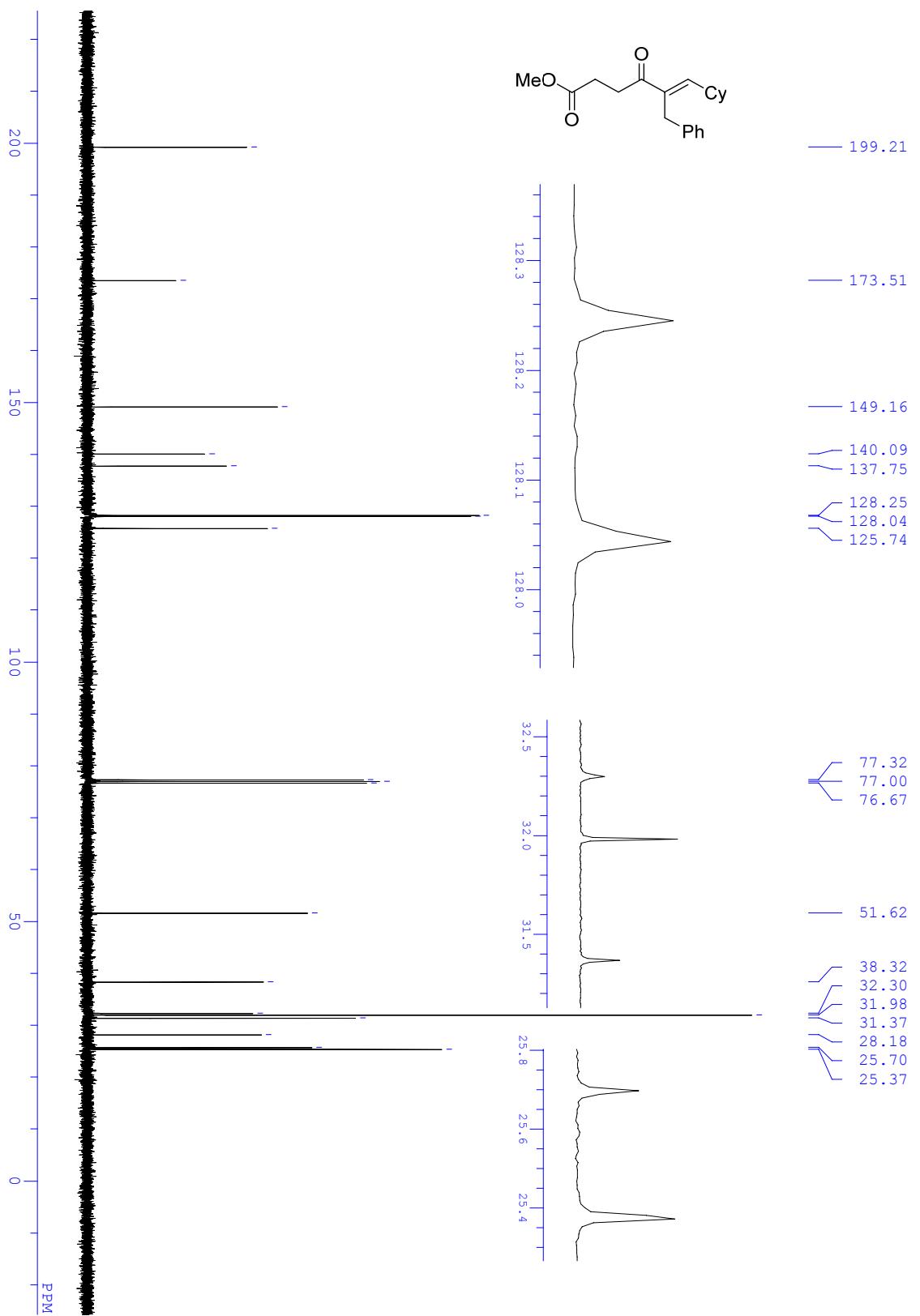
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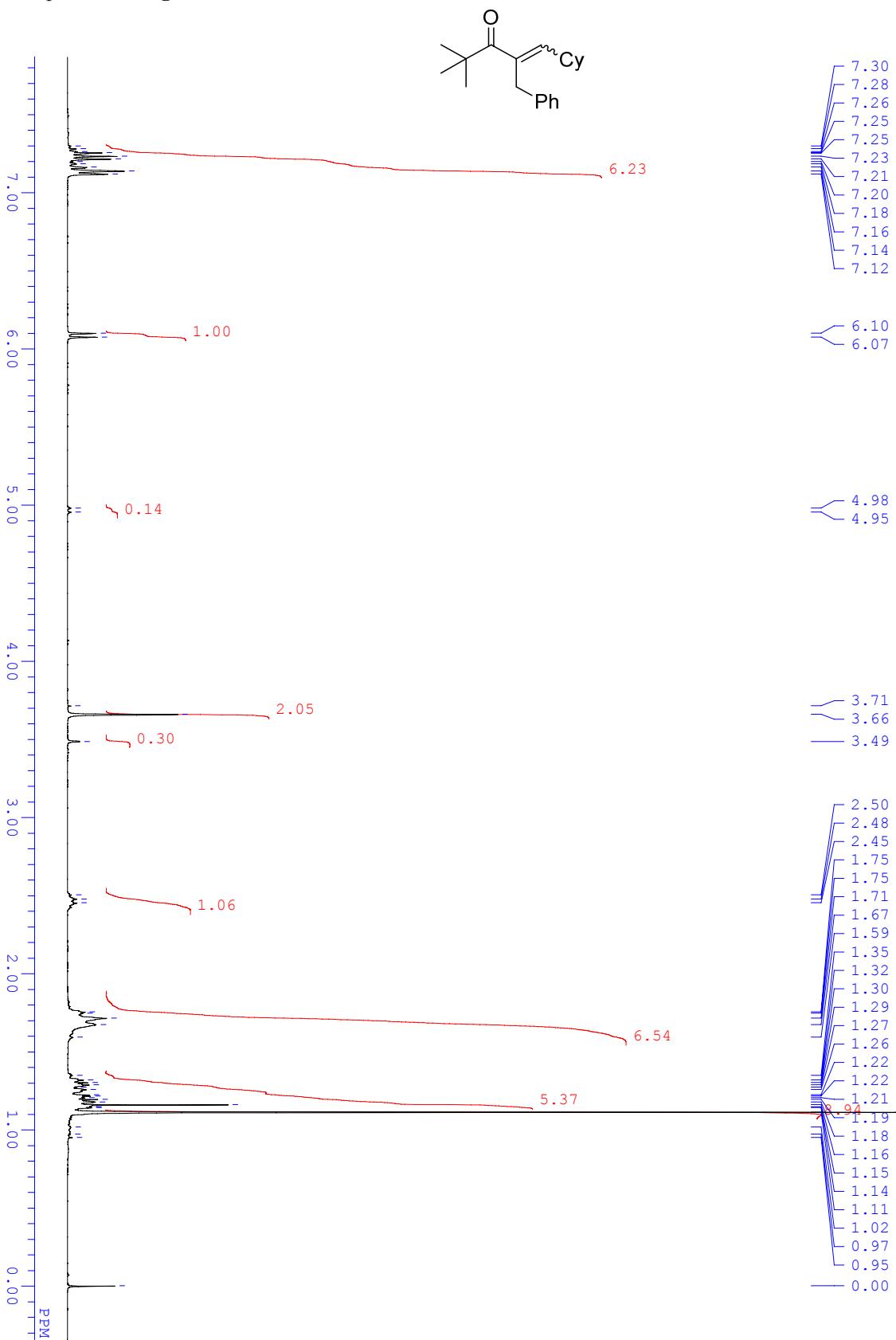
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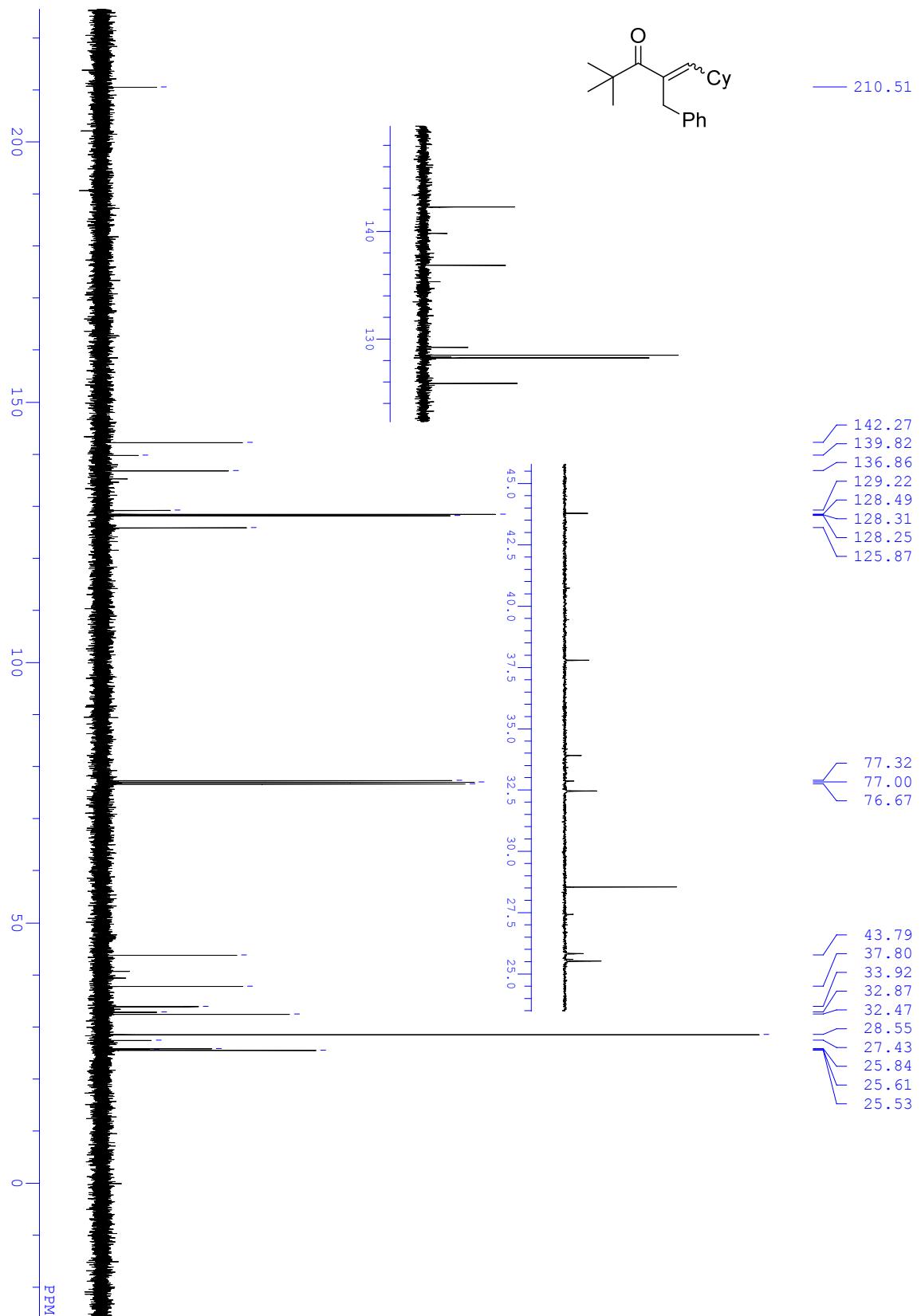
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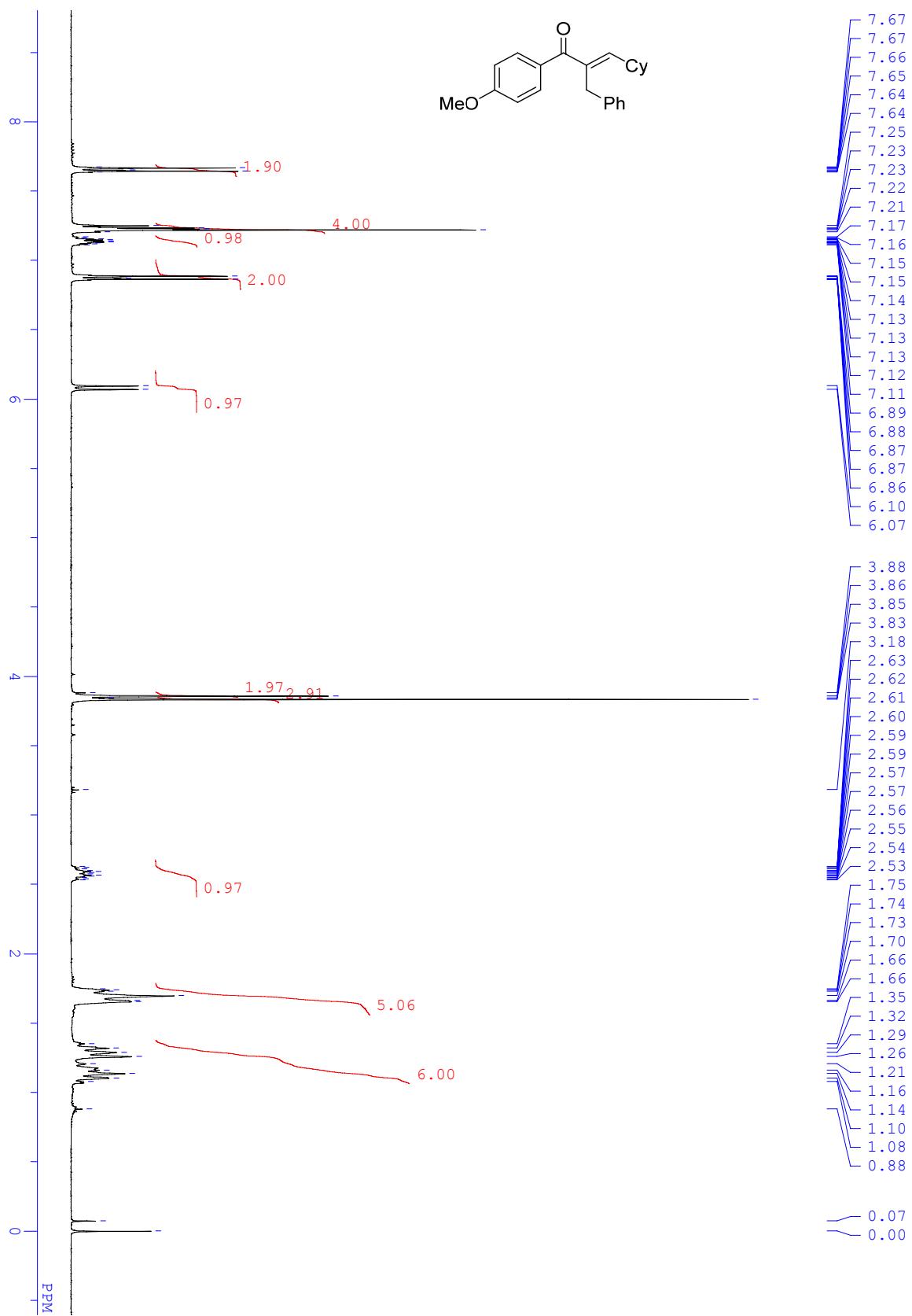
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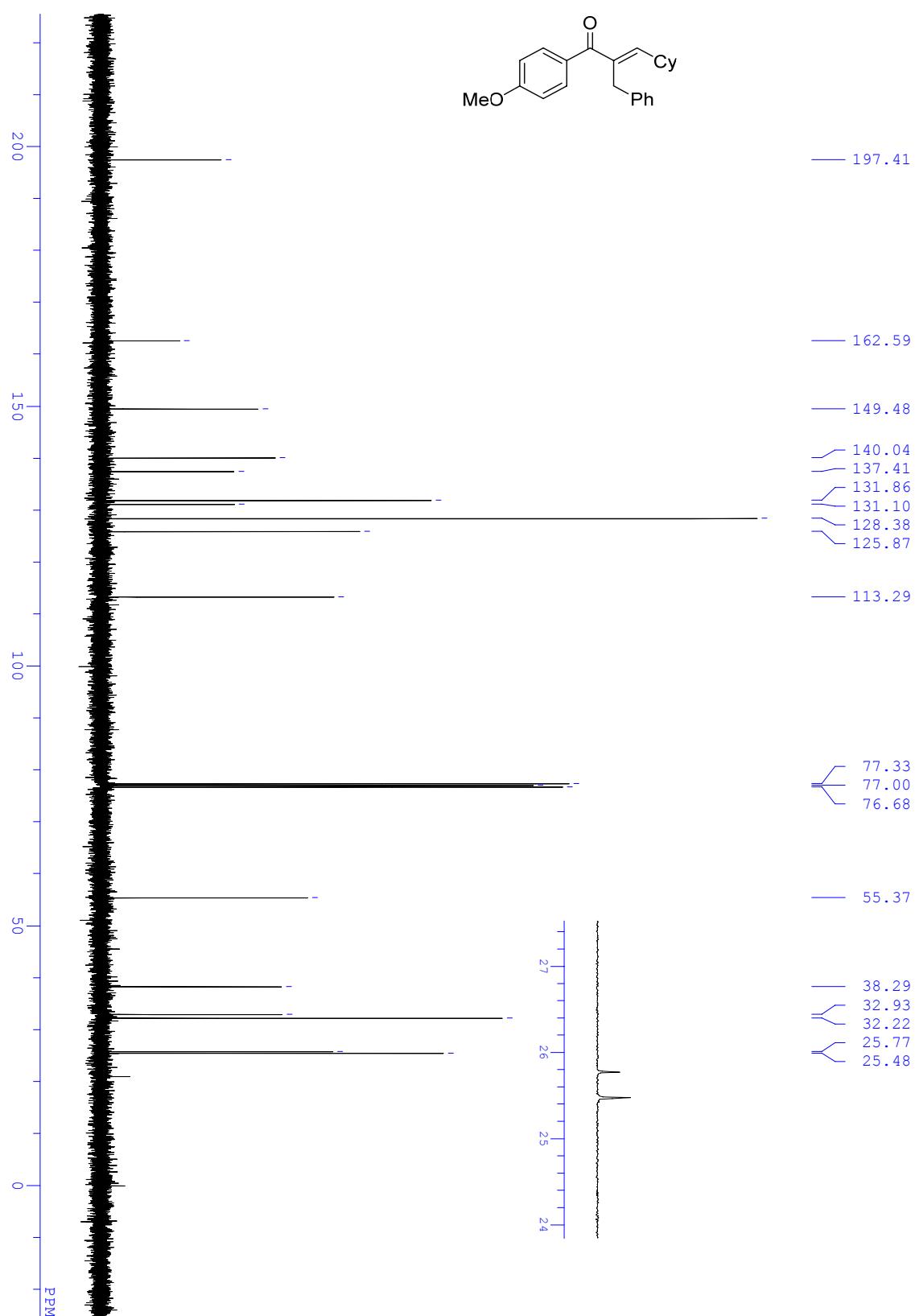
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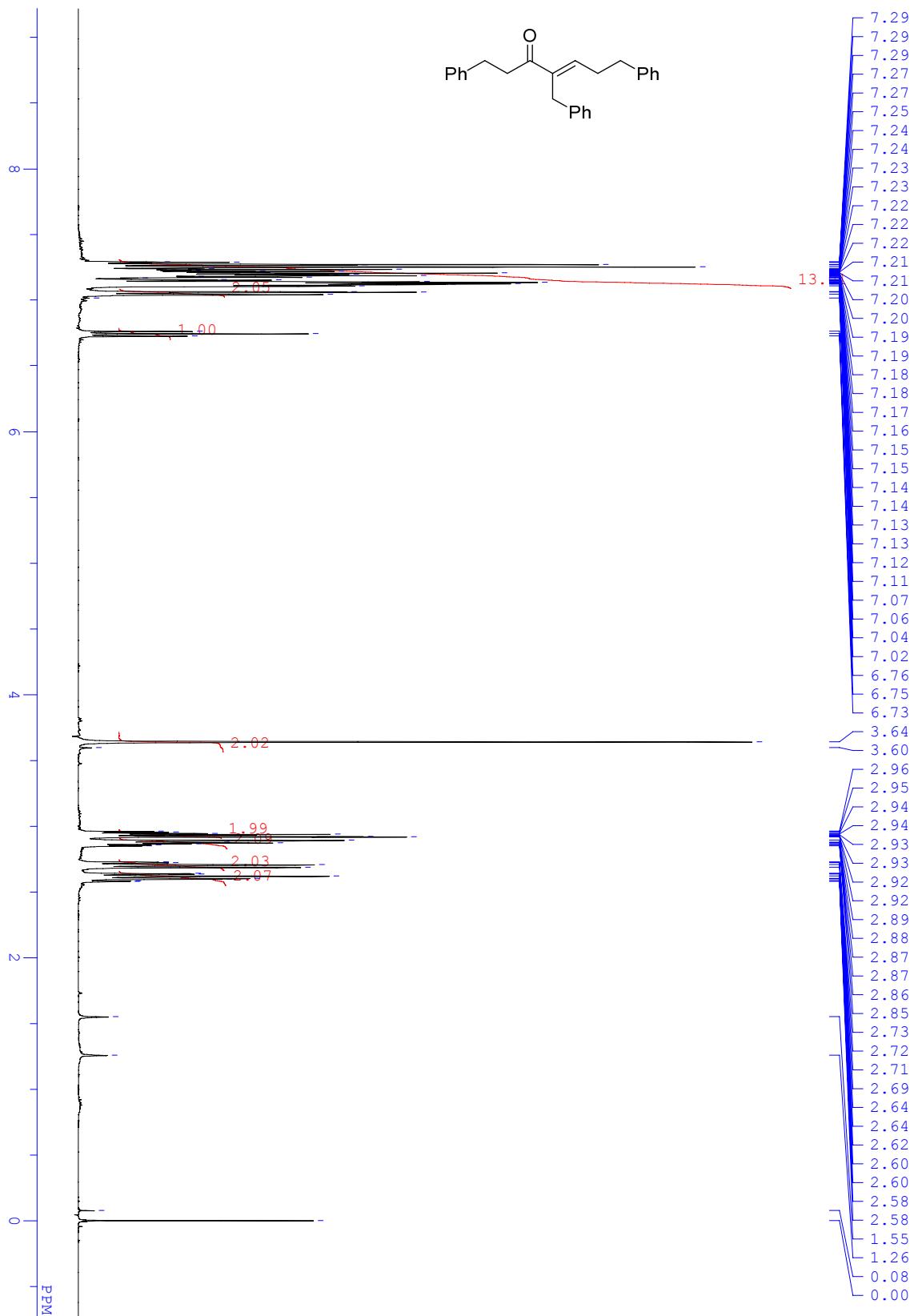
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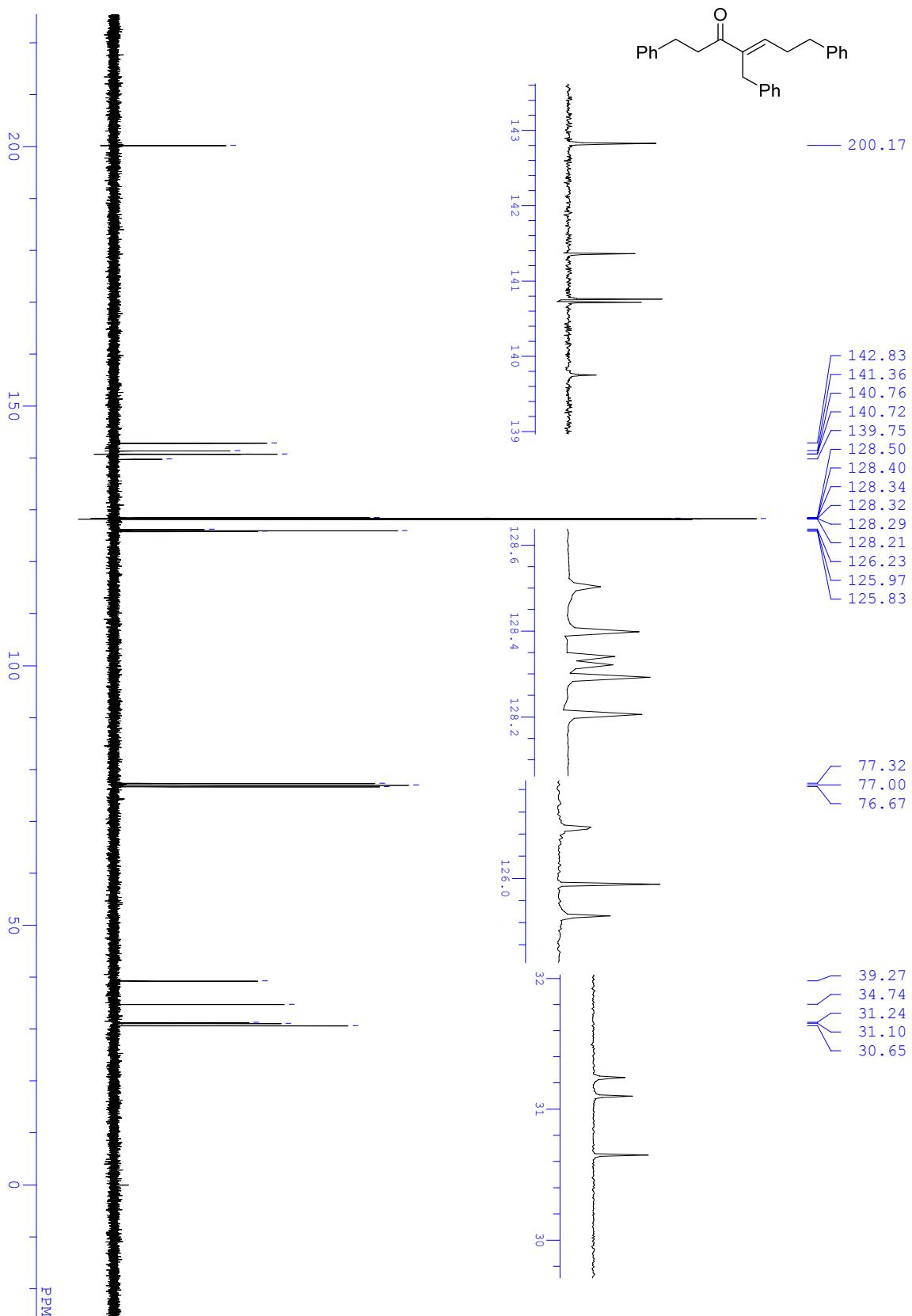
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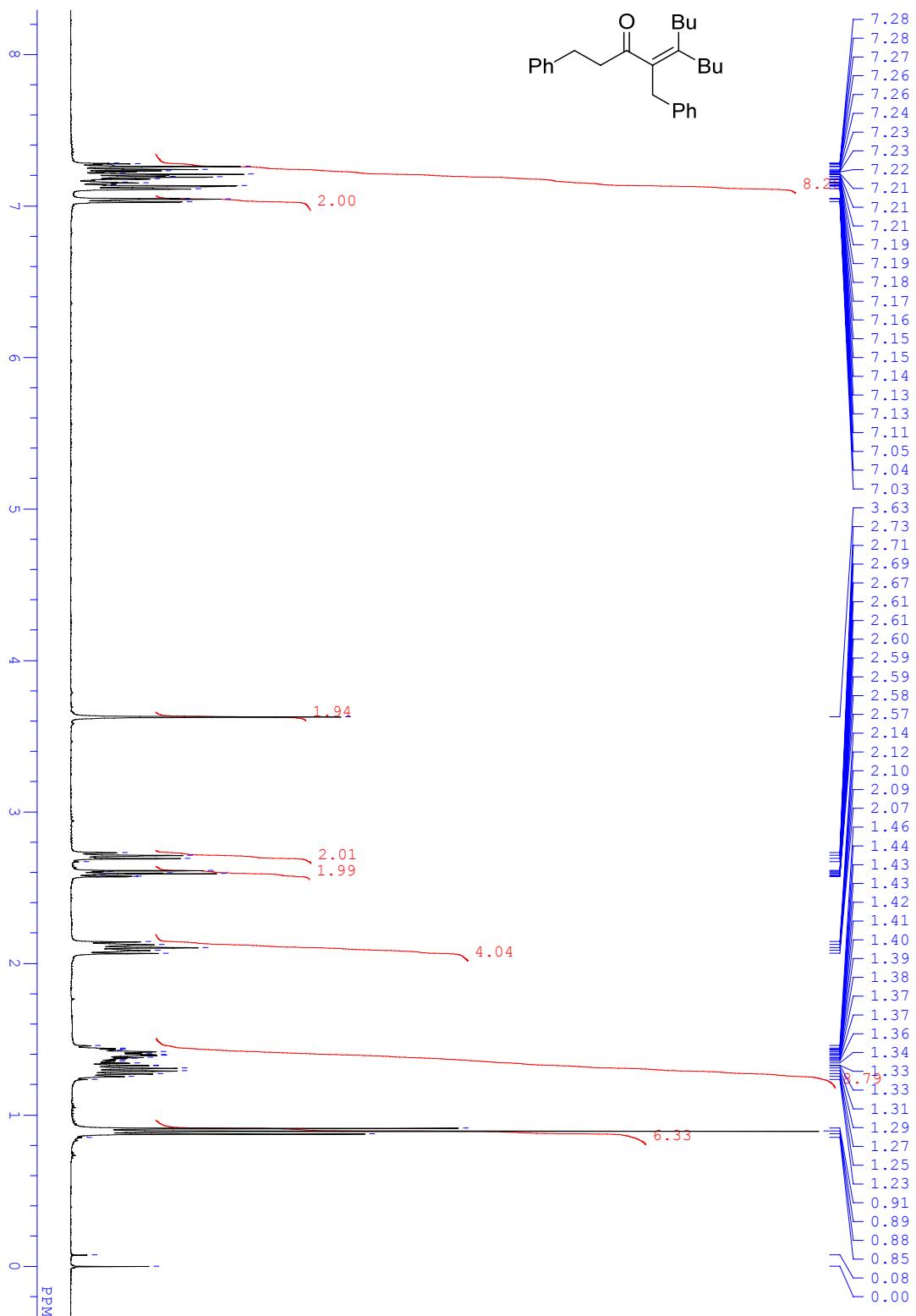
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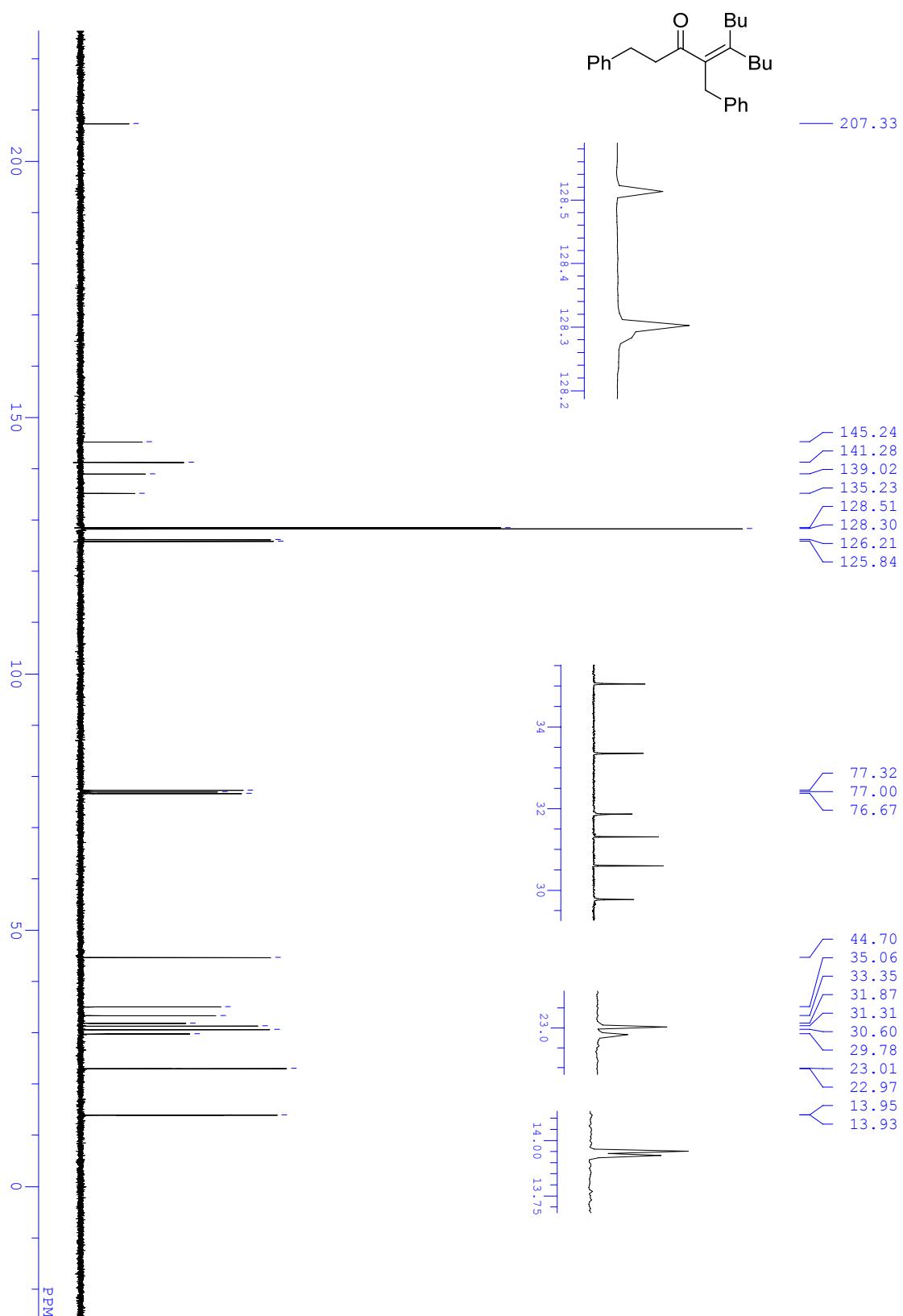
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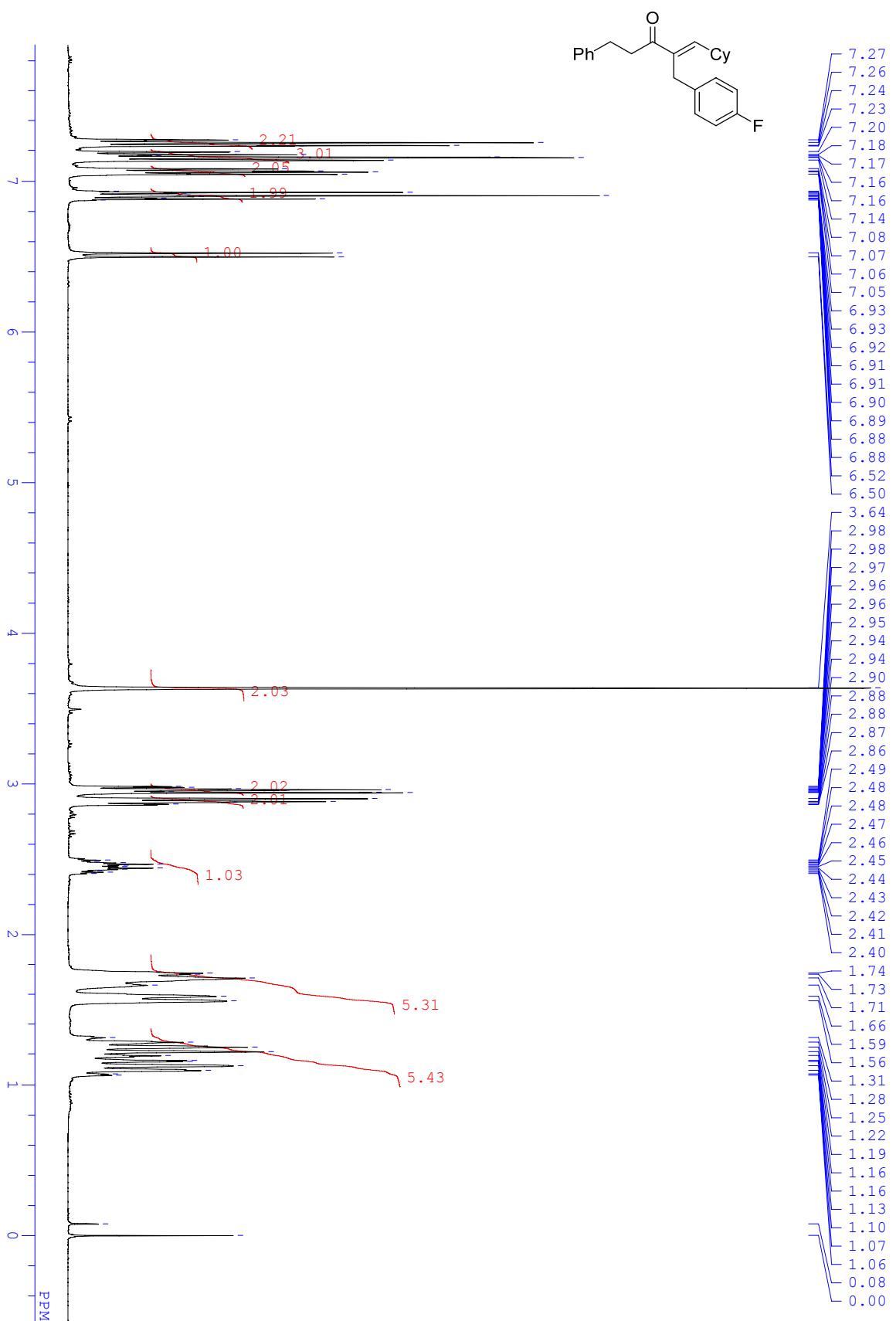
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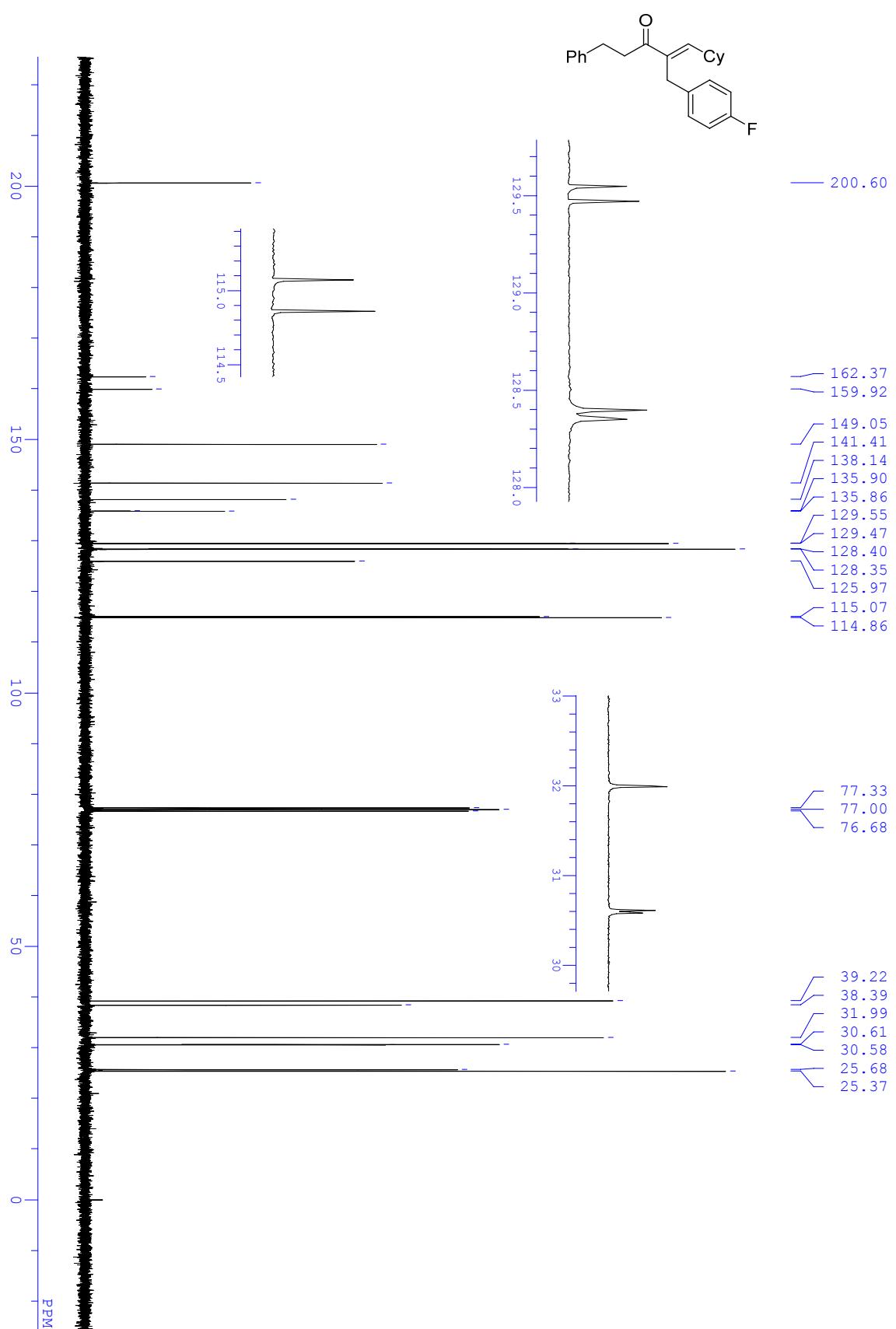
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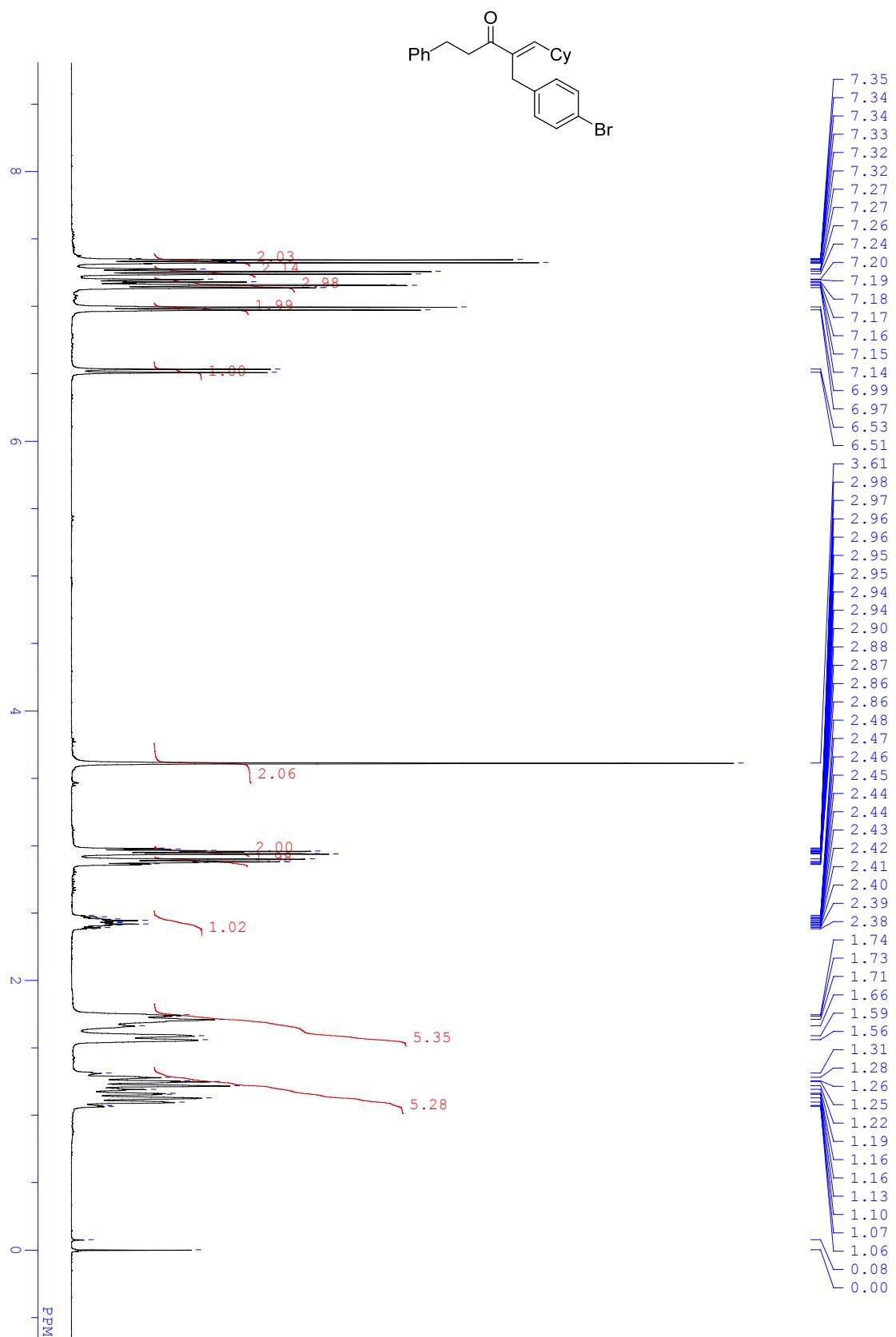
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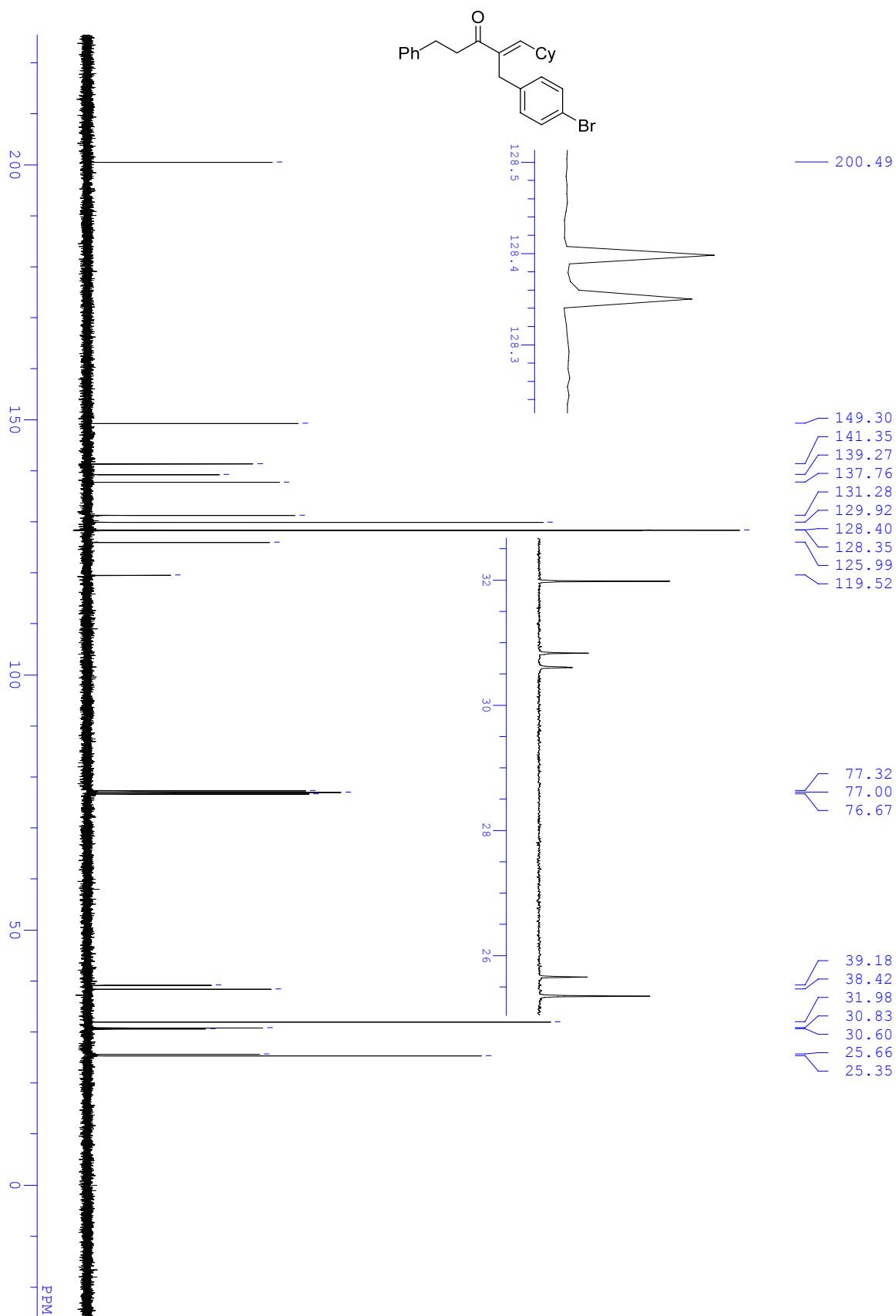
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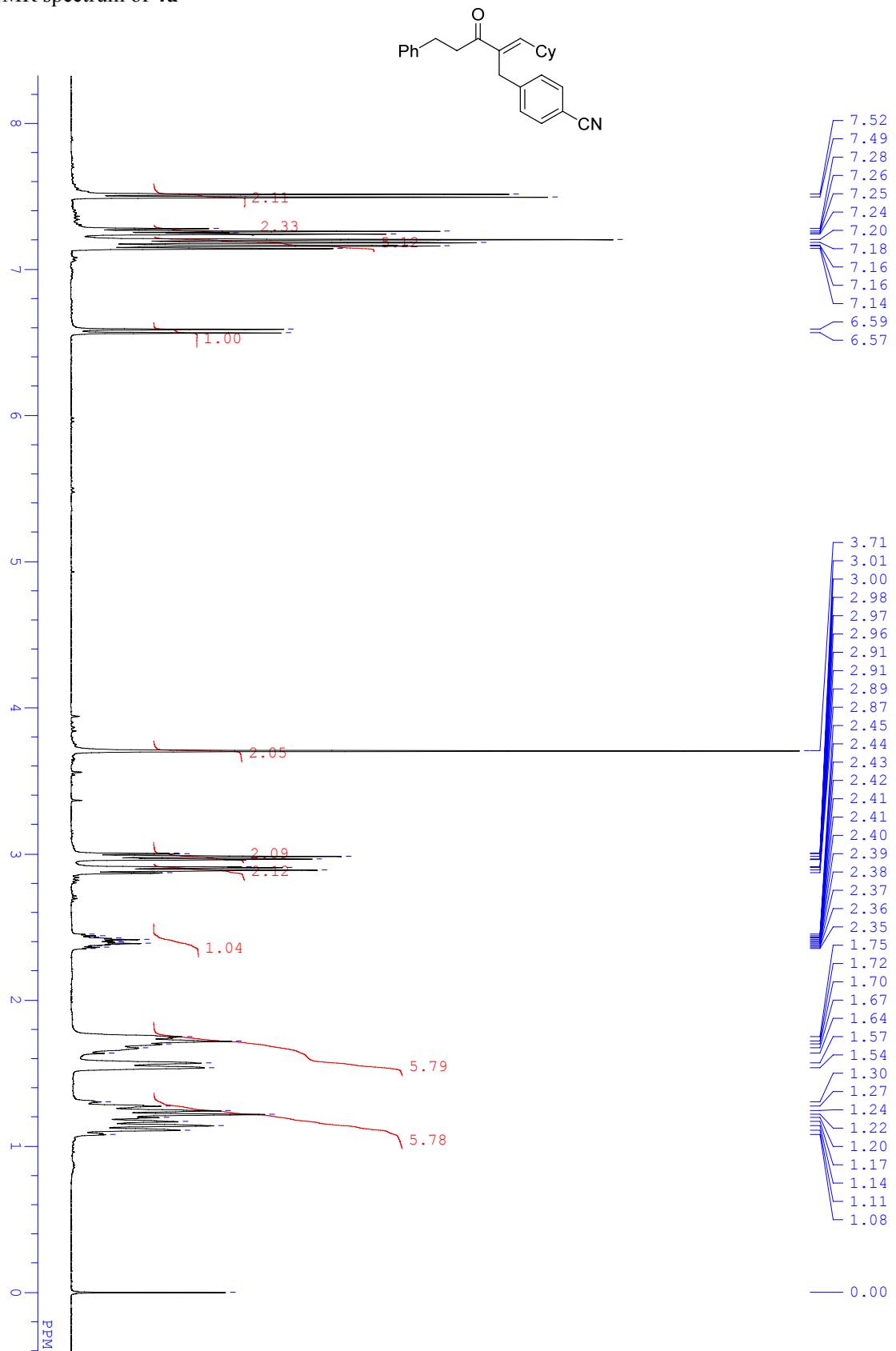
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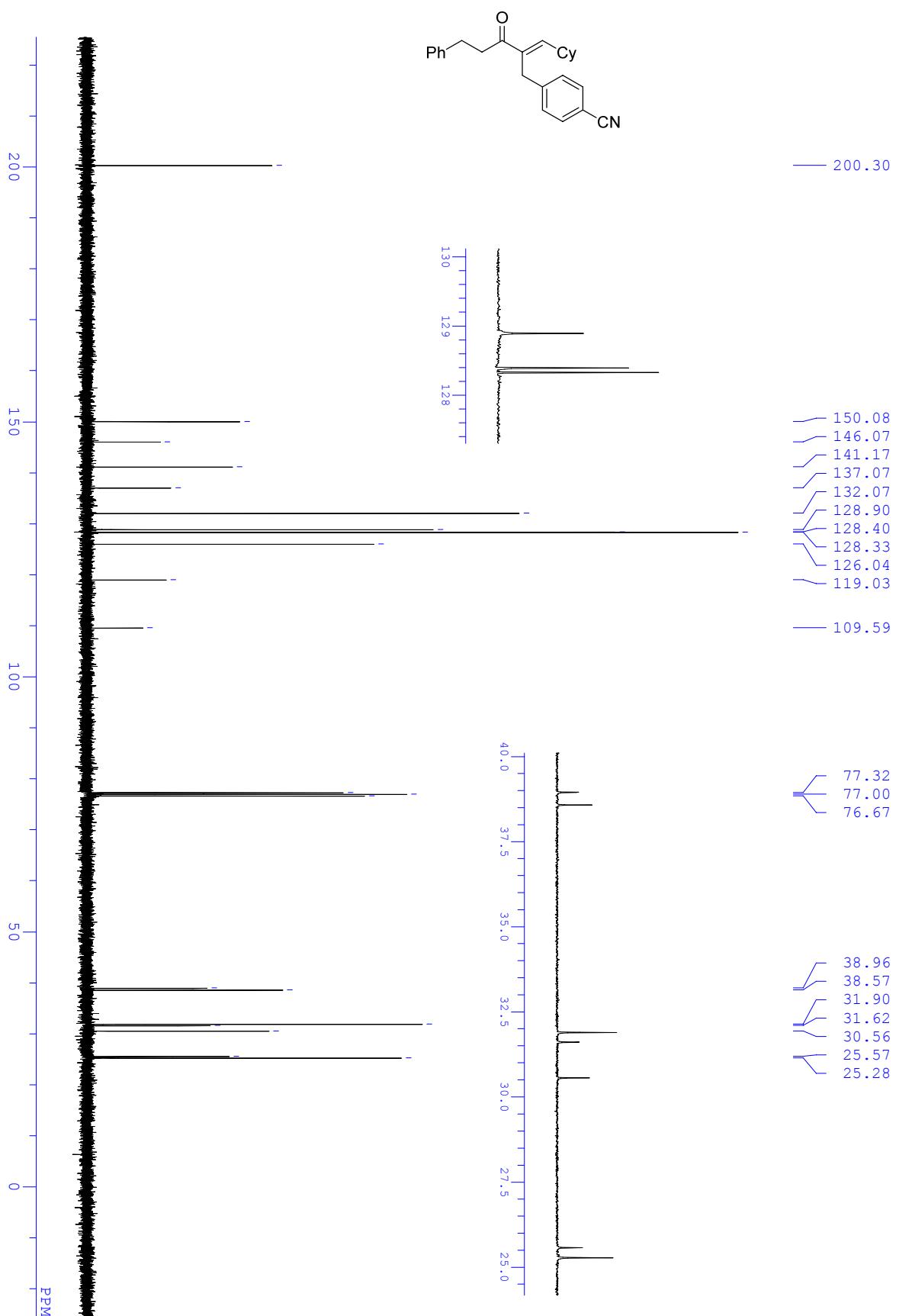
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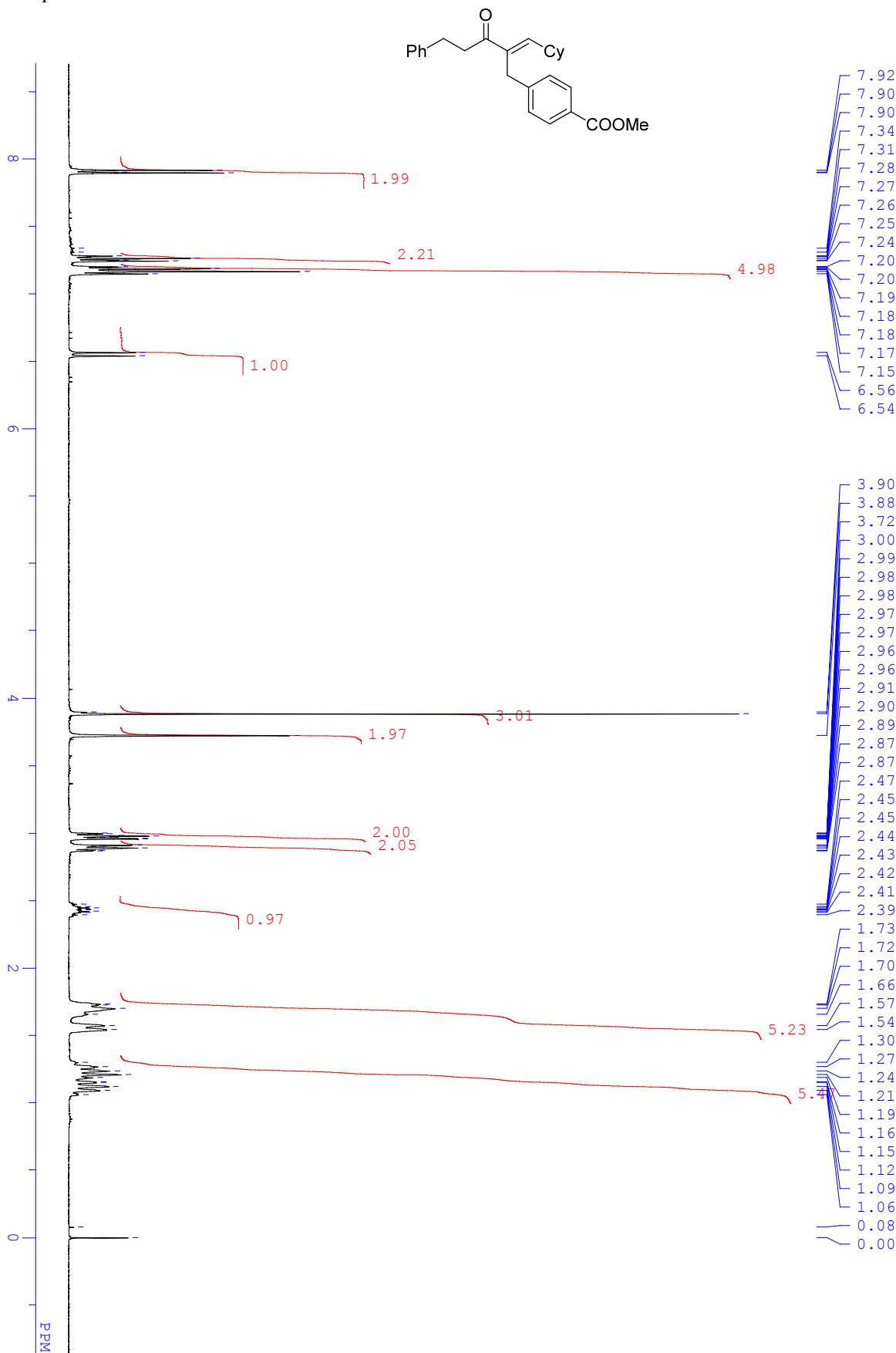
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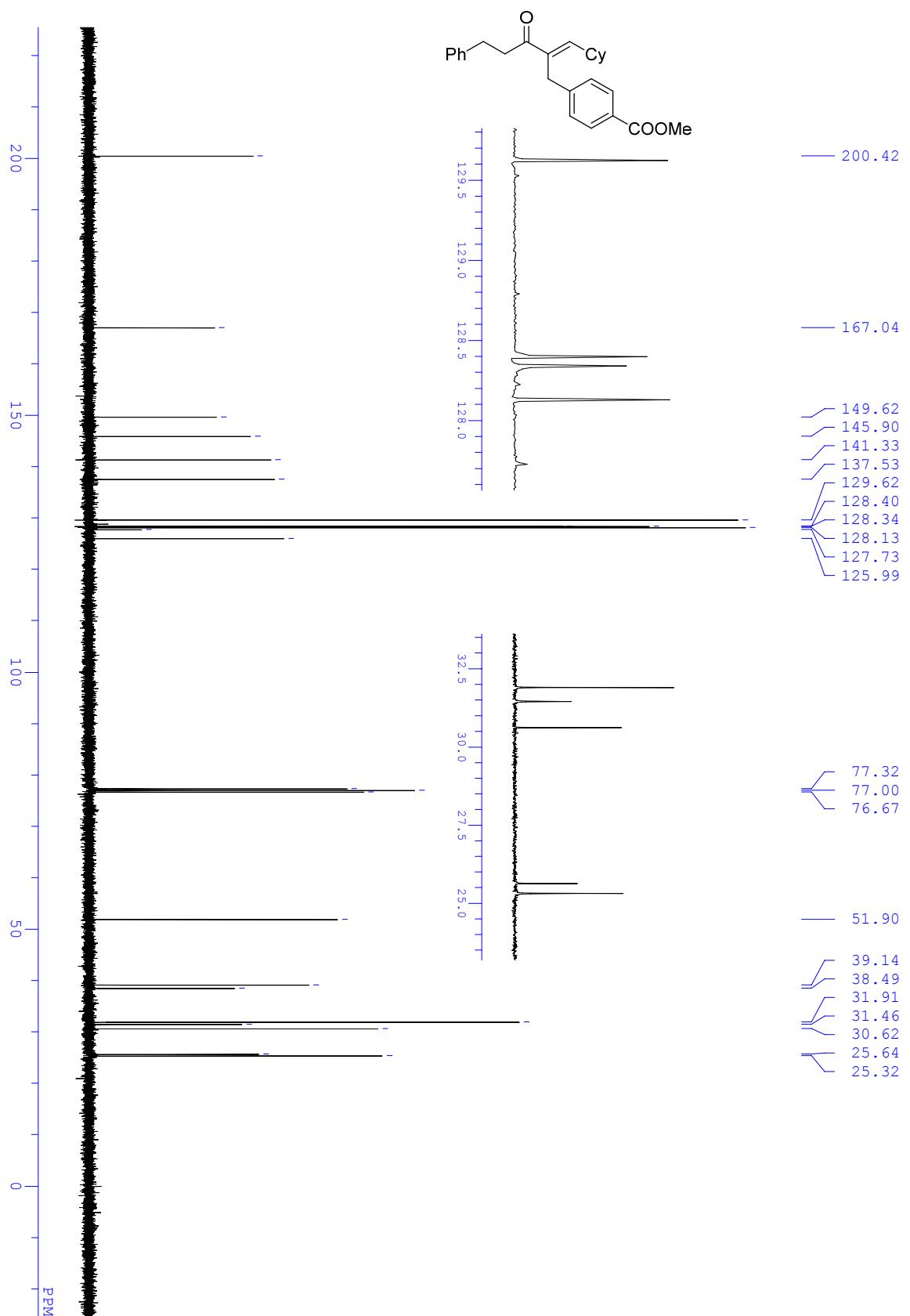
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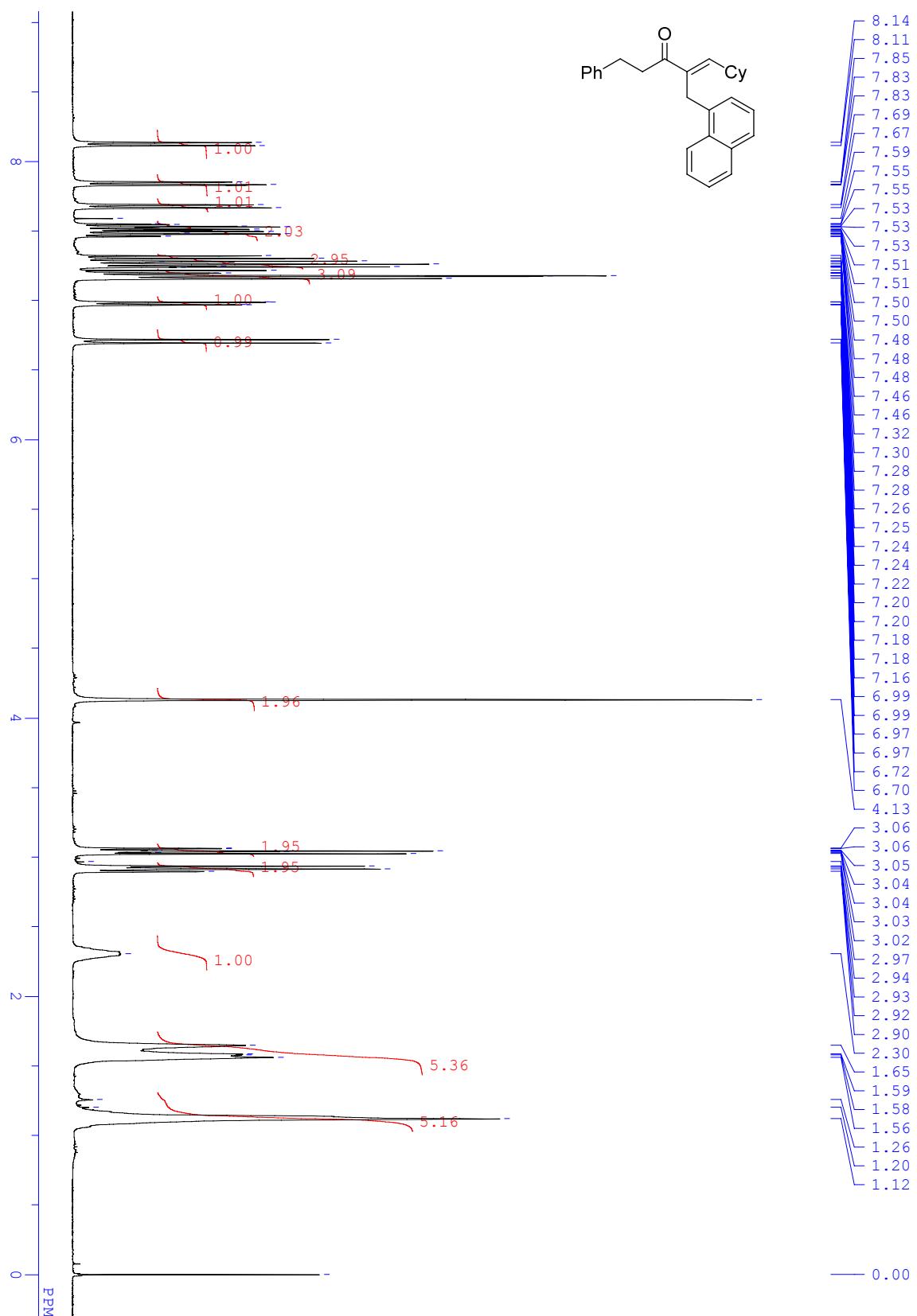
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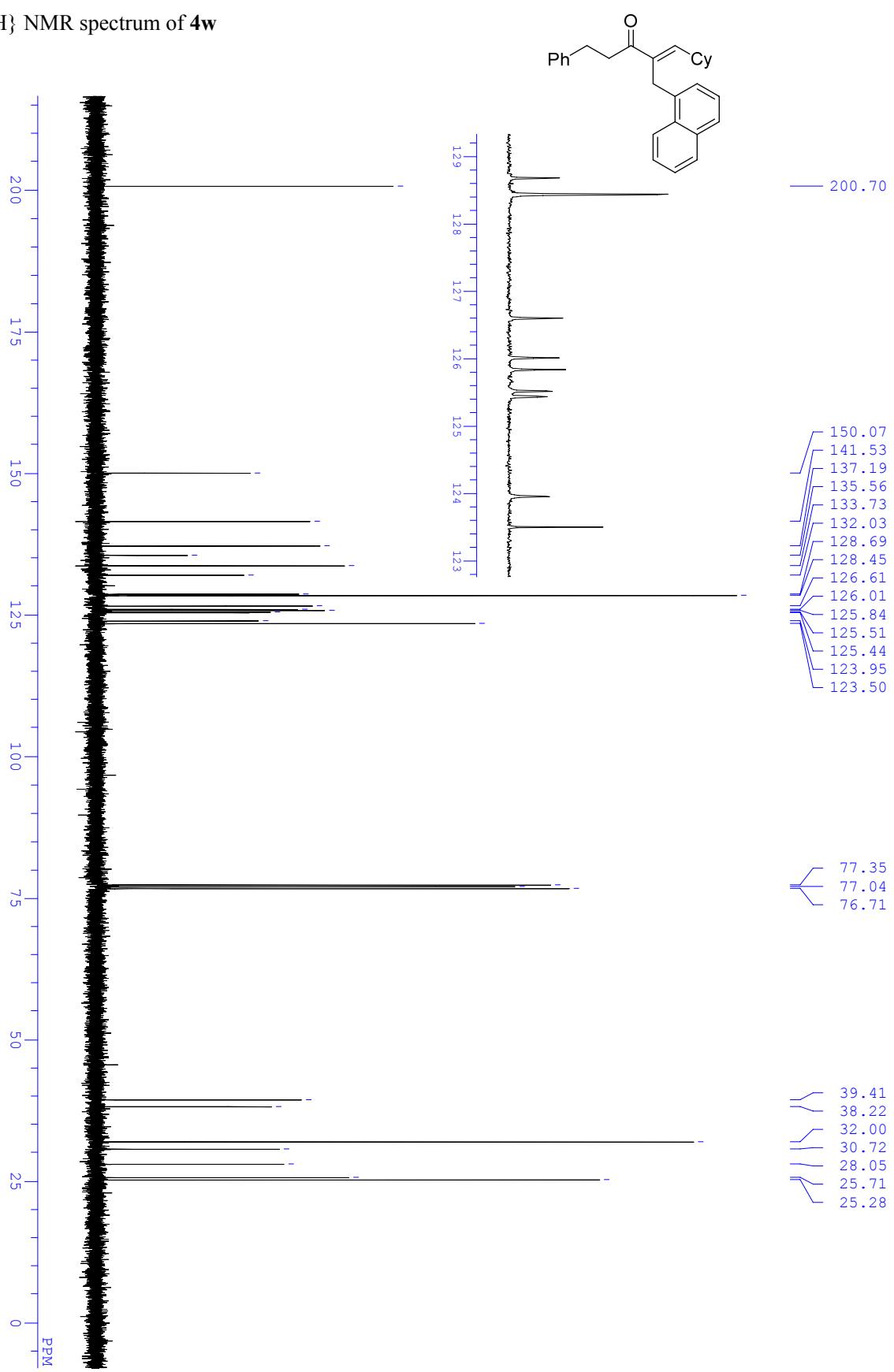
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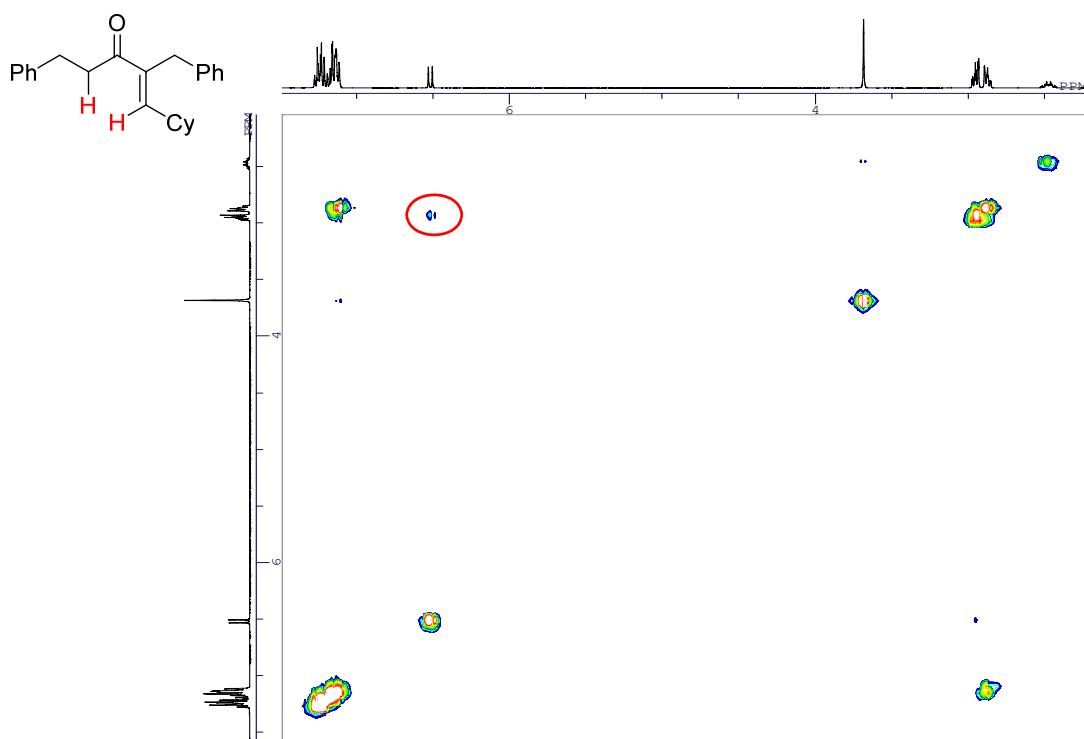
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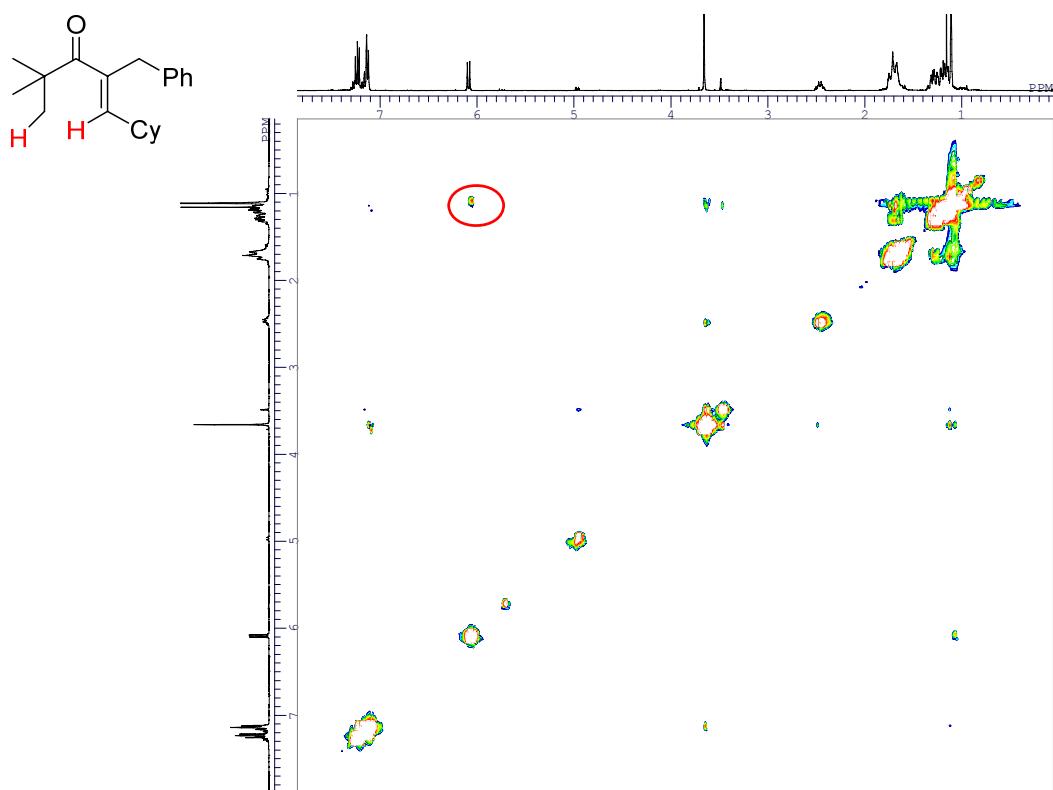
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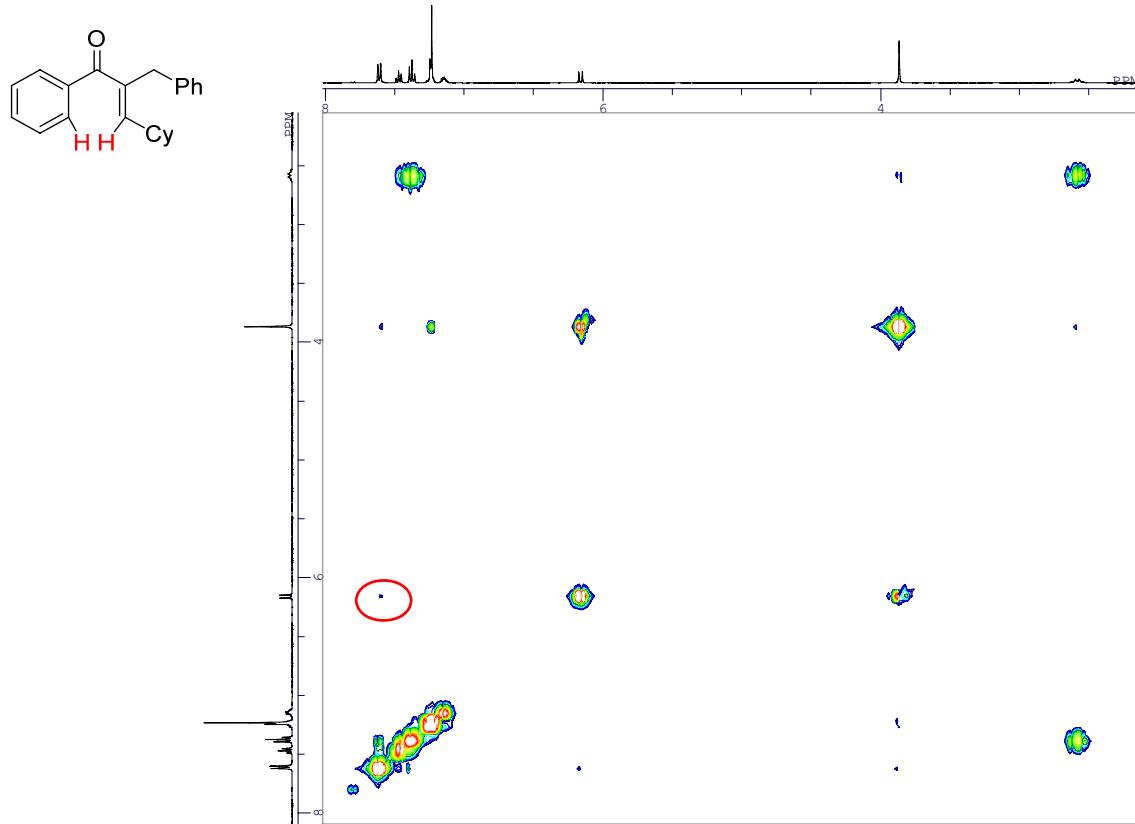
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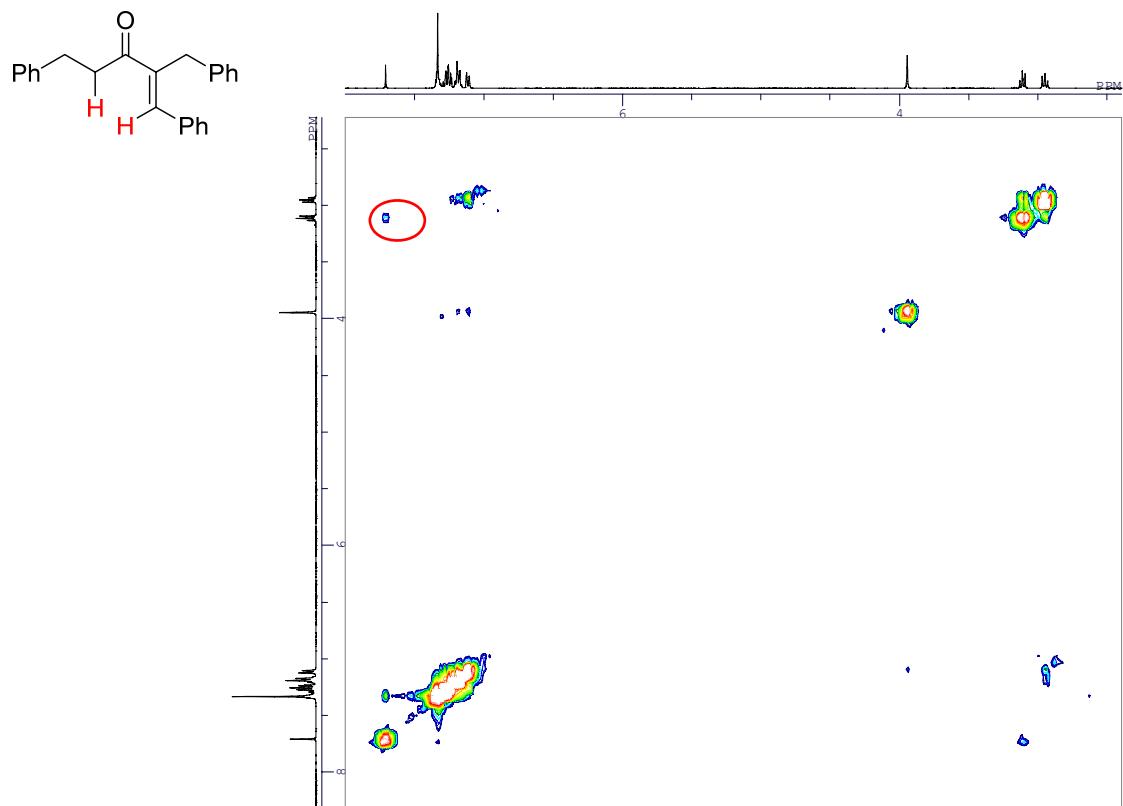
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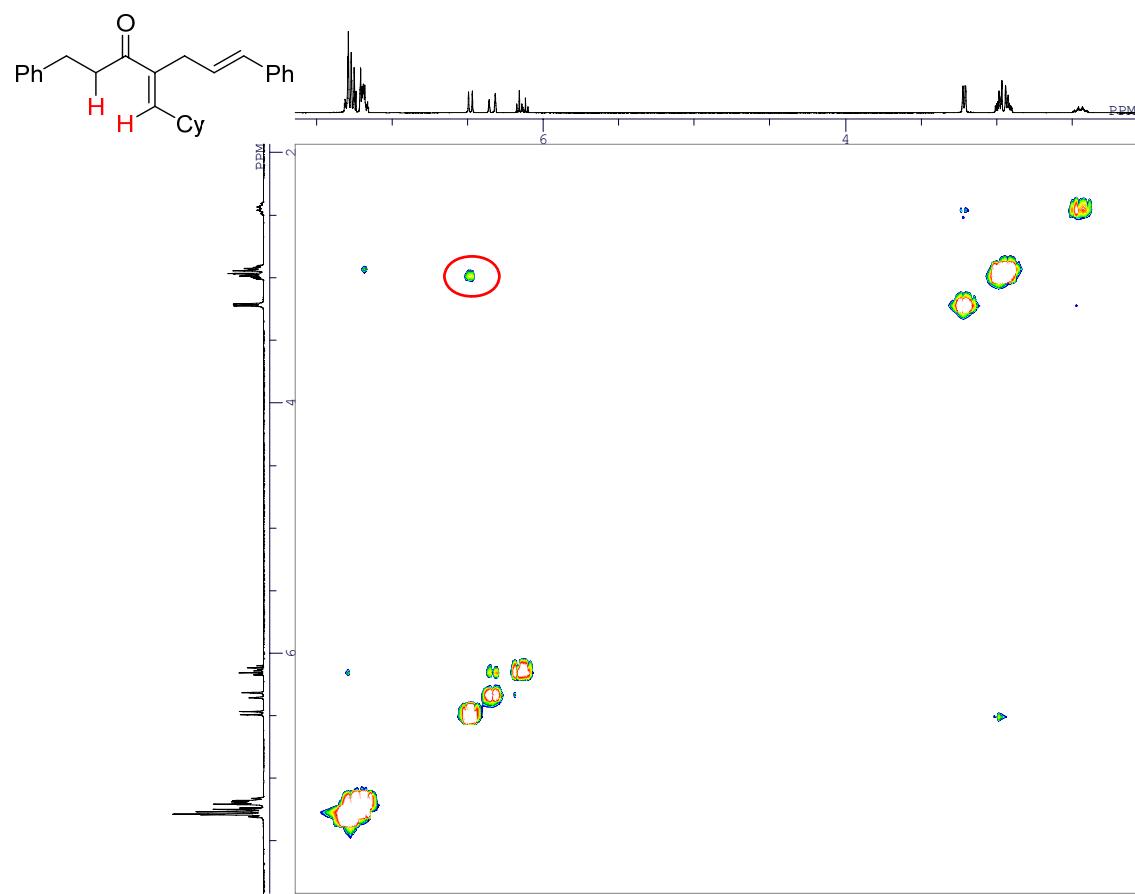
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