

**Supporting Information
for
Cyclization of alkynoic acids in water
in the presence of a vesicular self-assembled amphiphilic pincer
palladium complex catalyst**

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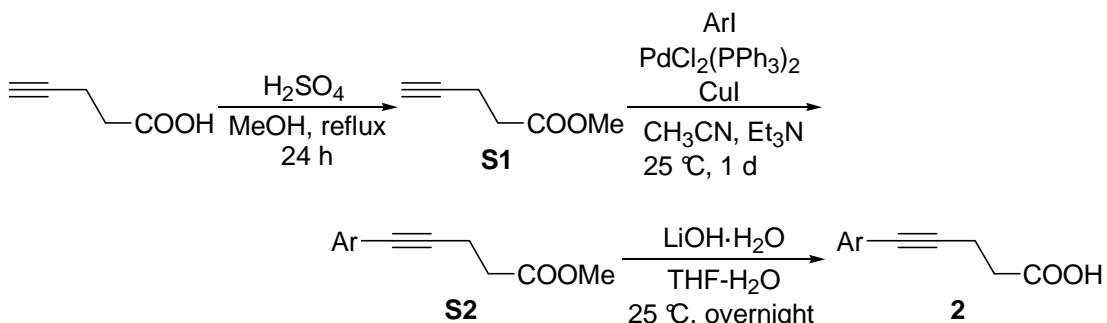
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Experimental Section

General. When manipulations were performed under a nitrogen atmosphere, nitrogen gas was dried by passage through P₂O₅. Commercially available chemicals (purchased from Aldrich, TCI, Kanto, Wako, Nakalai, and AlfaAleser) are used without further purification unless otherwise noted. NMR spectra recorded on a JEOL JNM-A500 spectrometer (500 MHz for ¹H, 125 MHz for ¹³C) or a JEOL ECS-400 spectrometer (396 MHz for ¹H, 100 MHz for ¹³C). Chemical shifts are reported in δ ppm referenced to an internal tetramethylsilane standard for ¹H NMR. Chemical shifts of ¹³C NMR are given related to CDCl₃ as an internal standard (δ 77.0). ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl₃ at 25 °C unless otherwise noted. HREI mass spectra were recorded on a JEOL AccuTOF GC JMS-T100GC equipped with Agilent 6890N GC. EI mass spectra were recorded on an Agilent 5973N equipped with Agilent 6890N GC. Melting points were determined using a Yanaco micro melting point apparatus MP-J3 and are uncorrected. IR spectra were obtained using a JASCO FT/IR-460plus spectrometer in ATR mode. Millipore water was obtained from a Millipore Milli-Q Biocel A10 purification unit.

Preparation of alkynoic acids 2



Scheme S1. Preparation of alkynoic acids 2.

Methyl-4-pentyne-1-carboxylate (S1)



To a stirred MeOH (50 mL) solution of 4-pentynoic acid (5.00 g, 50.7 mmol) was added H₂SO₄ (1.63 mL, 30.6 mmol). After refluxing for 24 h, the reaction mixture was quenched by the addition of saturated sodium bicarbonate aqueous solution and the resulting solution was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (30 mL × 3). The obtained organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate. The solution was concentrated in vacuo to give

methyl-4-pentyanoate (**S1**, 5.35 g, 47.7 mmol, 94.0%) as pale yellow oil.

¹H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.97–1.99 (m, 1H, CCH), 2.48–1.60 (m, 4H, CH₂CH₂), 3.71 (s, 3H, COOCH₃); **¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 14.2, 33.0, 51.7, 68.9, 82.3, 172.1; **MS (EI)** *m/z* = 111 ([M+1]⁺).

General procedure for the Sonogashira coupling reaction of **S1** with ArI.

A typical procedure is given for the Sonogashira reaction of methyl-4-pentyanoate with 4-trifluoromethyliodobenzene. To a suspension of PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (125 mg, 0.178 mmol) and copper iodide (68 mg, 0.357 mmol) in triethylamine (3 mL), methyl-4-pentyanoate (**S1**, 1.00 g, 8.92 mmol) in anhydrous CH₃CN (1 mL) and 4-trifluoromethyliodobenzene (2.67 g, 9.81 mmol) were added. After being stirred for 1 day, saturated NH₄Cl aqueous solution (15 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and the resulting solution was extracted with AcOEt (15 mL, 4 times). The combined organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄. After evaporation of the solvent, the resulting residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluent: 0-5% AcOEt/*n*-hexane) to give methyl 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentyanoate (**S2a**, 1.85 g, 7.21 mmol, 81%) as pale yellow oil.

Methyl 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentyanoate (**S2a**)



81% yield; Pale yellow oil; **¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 2.65 (t, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 2.75 (t, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 3.73 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.48 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.53 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 15.3, 33.1, 51.8, 80.0, 90.7, 123.9 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 270 Hz), 125.1 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 4 Hz), 128.3 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 261 Hz), 129.7, 131.8, 172.8; **IR (ATR)** 2999, 2955, 1738 (C=O), 1616, 1438, 1406, 1366, 1321 (CF₃), 1255, 1199, 1163, 1121, 1104, 1066, 1038, 1017, 989, 889, 840, 777, 738, 693, 597 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₃H₁₁F₃O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 256.07111; Found 256.07061.

Methyl 5-phenyl-4-pentyanoate (**S2b**)



68% yield; Colorless oil; **¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 2.62–2.67 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.71–2.76 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.26–7.30 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.37–7.40 (m, 2H,

ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 33.4, 51.8, 81.2, 87.9, 123.5, 127.8, 128.2, 131.6, 172.4; MS (EI) m/z = 188 ($[\text{M}^+]$).

Methyl 5-(4-methylphenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2c)



75% yield; Color less oil; ^1H NMR (395 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.32 (s, 3H, CH_3), 2.61–2.66 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.70–2.75 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH_3), 7.08 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.27 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 21.4, 33.5, 51.8, 81.2, 87.1, 120.3, 128.9, 131.4, 137.8, 172.4; MS (EI) m/z = 202 ($[\text{M}^+]$).

Methyl 5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2d)



78% yield; Colorless oil; ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.60–2.64 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.69–2.73 (t, 2H, CH_2), 3.71 (s, 3H, CH_3), 3.78 (s, 3H, CH_3), 6.80 (d, J = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.31 (d, J = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 33.5, 51.7, 55.1, 80.9, 86.3, 113.7, 115.5, 132.9, 159.1, 172.4; MS (EI) m/z = 218 ($[\text{M}^+]$).

Methyl 5-(4-*tert*-butylphenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2e)



47% yield (from 4-*tert*-butylbromobenzene: 5 mol% $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$ and 10 mol% CuI were used. The reaction performed in a mixture of $^i\text{Pr}_2\text{NH}$ and toluene at 85 °C); Pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 1.29 (s, 9H, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 2.61–2.65 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.70–2.75 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.71 (s, 3H, CH_3), 7.28–7.33 (m, 4H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 33.1, 33.5, 34.6, 51.8, 81.1, 87.1, 120.4, 125.1, 131.2, 150.9, 172.4; IR (ATR) 2959, 2905, 2869, 1737 (C=O), 1648, 1608, 1506, 1459, 1437, 1419, 1396, 1363, 1268, 1256, 1223, 1198, 1166, 1110, 1018, 991, 834, 779, 705, 562 cm^{-1} ; HR-EI-MS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$: m/z = 244.14633; Found 244.14619.

Methyl 5-(4-phenylphenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2f)



75% yield; Pale yellow oil; **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (**500 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 2.65 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.76 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH_3), 7.32–7.36 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.41–7.46 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.52 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.57 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\} \text{NMR}$** (**125 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 15.4, 33.4, 51.8, 81.0, 88.6, 122.4, 126.8, 126.9, 127.4, 128.7, 131.9, 140.3, 140.5, 172.3; **MS (EI)** $m/z = 264$ ($[\text{M}]^+$).

Methyl 5-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2g)



85% yield; Yellow solids; **Mp.** 88.5–89.5 °C; **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (**500 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 2.66 (t, $J = 7$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.78 (t, $J = 7$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 3.74 (s, 3H, CH_3), 7.51 (d, $J = 9, 4$ Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.15 (d, $J = 9$ Hz, 2H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\} \text{NMR}$** (**125 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 32.9, 51.8, 79.6, 94.0, 123.4, 130.4, 132.2, 146.7, 171.9; **IR (ATR)** 3113, 2951, 2844, 2219 (CC), 1730 (C=O), 1591, 1509 (NO₂), 1491, 1434, 1372, 1339, 1309, 1300, 1285, 1273, 1256, 1198, 1173, 1108, 1054, 1011, 986, 971, 887, 852, 831, 775, 749, 687, 591, 580 cm^{-1} ; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₁NO₄ [M]⁺: $m/z = 233.06881$; Found 233.06890.

Methyl 5-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2h)



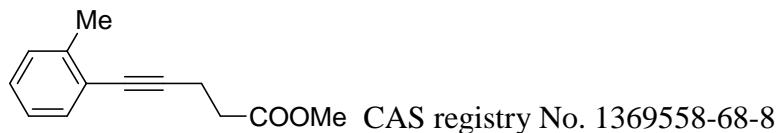
74% yield; Colorless oil; **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (**500 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 2.63 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.72 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH_3), 6.94–6.99 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.33–7.37 (m, 2H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\} \text{NMR}$** (**125 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 15.2, 33.3, 51.8, 80.1, 87.6, 115.3 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22$ Hz), 119.5 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 4$ Hz), 133.3 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8$ Hz), 162.1 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 248$ Hz), 172.3; **MS (EI)** $m/z = 206$ ($[\text{M}]^+$).

Methyl 5-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2i)



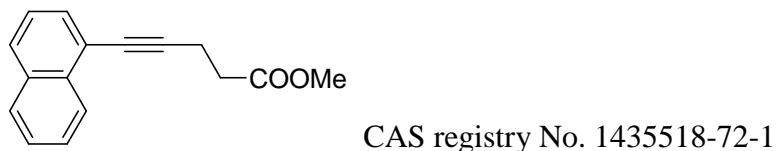
79% yield; Colorless oil; **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (**500 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 2.62 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.72 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 3.71 (s, 3H, CH_3), 7.24 (d, $J = 9$ Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.30 (d, $J = 9$ Hz, 2H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\} \text{NMR}$** (**125 MHz**, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 33.2, 51.8, 80.1, 89.0, 122.0, 128.5, 132.8, 133.7, 172.2; **MS (EI)** $m/z = 222$ ($[\text{M}]^+$).

Methyl 5-(2-methylphenyl)-4-pentyoate (S2j)



74% yield; Colorless oil; **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.39 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.65 (t, J = 7 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 2.77 (t, J = 7 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.07–7.12 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.15–7.18 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.34 (d, J = 7 Hz, 1H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.5 (CH₂), 20.6 (CH₃), 33.6 (CH₂), 51.7 (CH₃), 80.1 (CC), 91.9 (CC), 123.2 (ArC), 125.3 (ArC), 127.8 (ArC), 129.3 (ArC), 131.8 (ArC), 140.0 (ArC), 172.4 (C=O); **MS (EI)** m/z = 202 ([M⁺]).

Methyl 5-(1-naphthyl)-4-pentyoate (S2k)



71% yield; Colorless oil; **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.73 (t, J = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 2.89 (t, J = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 3.74 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.38 (dd, J = 8, 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.49 (ddd, J = 1, 7, 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.54 (ddd, J = 1, 8, 9 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.60 (dd, J = 1, 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.77 (d, J = 8 Hz, ArH), 7.82 (d, J = 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 8.30 (d, J = 9 Hz, 1H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.7, 33.6, 51.8, 79.2, 92.9, 121.1, 125.1, 126.1, 126.2, 126.5, 128.1, 128.2, 130.1, 133.1, 133.4, 172.3; **MS (EI)** m/z = 238 ([M⁺]).

Methyl 5-(2-thienyl)-4-pentyoate (S2l)



67% yield; Colorless oil; **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.63 (t, J = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 2.75 (t, J = 8 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 3.72 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.92–6.94 (dd, J = 4, 4 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.13 (d, J = 4 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.18 (d, J = 4 Hz, 1H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.5, 33.1, 51.8, 74.3, 91.9, 123.5, 126.2, 126.7, 131.3, 172.4; **IR (ATR)** 3107, 2996, 2952, 2920, 2844, 1735 (C=O), 1519, 1436, 1362, 1290, 1256, 1239, 1192, 1165, 1081, 1038, 1019, 980, 942, 880, 865, 832, 779, 698, 656, 592, 572 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₀H₁₀O₂S [M]⁺: m/z = 194.0401; Found 194.0400.

General procedure for hydrolysis of methyl esters

A typical procedure is given for the reaction of methyl 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentyneoate (**S2a**). To a solution of methyl 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentyneoate (1.84 g, 7.19 mmol) in a mixture of THF (80 mL) and H₂O (20 mL), lithium hydroxide monohydrate (603 mg, 14.4 mmol) was added. After being stirred at 25 °C for overnight, the mixture was washed with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (20 mL, 3 times) and acidified with 4N HCl aqueous solution. The organic layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (20 mL, 3 times), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in *vacuo* to give 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentyneoic acid (**2a**, 1.64 g, 6.77 mmol, 94%) as white solids.

5-[(4-Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]pent-4-yneoic acid (**2a**)



94% yield; White solids; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.69–2.79 (m, 4H, CH₂), 7.47 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.53 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.0, 33.2, 80.2, 90.3, 123.2 (q, J_{C-F} = 272 Hz₃), 125.1 (q, J_{C-F} = 4 Hz), 127.2, 129.6 (q, J_{C-F} = 32 Hz), 131.8, 178.1; **MS (EI)** m/z = 242 ([M⁺]).

5-Phenylpent-4-yneoic acid (**2b**)



91% yield; White solids; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.66–2.78 (m, 4H, CH₂), 7.25–7.30 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.36–7.42 (m, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.0, 33.4, 81.3, 87.5, 123.3, 127.9, 128.2, 131.6, 178.2; **EI (70eV)** m/z = 174 ([M⁺]).

5-[(4-Methyl)phenyl]pent-4-yneoic acid (**2c**)



92% yield; White solids; **Mp.** 130.0–131.0 °C; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.33 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.66–2.76 (m, 4H, CH₂), 7.08 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.28 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.1, 21.4, 33.5, 81.4, 86.7, 120.2, 128.9, 131.4, 137.9, 178.2; **IR (ATR)** 3097, 3042, 3031, 2988, 2935, 2918, 2859, 2653, 2629, 2604, 2557, 2504, 1922, 1704 (C=O), 1508, 1424, 1407, 1357, 1303, 1261, 1211, 1175, 1106,

1045, 1021, 930, 822, 767, 692, 634 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₂O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 188.08373; Found 188.08348.

5-[(4-Methoxy)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2d)



92% yield; White solids; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.66–2.75 (m, 4H, CH₂), 3.80 (s, CH₃), 6.81 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.32 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.1, 33.5, 55.3, 81.1, 86.0, 113.8, 115.5, 133.0, 159.2, 178.1; **MS (EI)** *m/z* = 204 ([M⁺]).

5-[(4-tert-Butyl)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2e)



80% yield; White solids; **Mp.** 133.5–134.5 °C; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.30 (s, 9H, C(CH₃)₃), 2.65–2.77 (m, 4H, CH₂), 7.27–7.36 (m, 4H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.1, 31.2, 33.4, 34.7, 81.3, 86.8, 120.3, 125.2, 131.2, 151.0, 177.9; **IR (ATR)** 3037, 2952, 2901, 2865, 2633, 2596, 2552, 2503, 1703 (C=O), 1505, 1462, 1428, 1409, 1362, 1299, 1267, 1259, 1213, 1109, 1019, 936, 837, 775, 754, 682, 562 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₅H₁₈O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 230.13068; Found 230.13072.

5-[(4-Phenyl)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2f)



74% yield; Pale yellow solids; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.69–2.80 (m, 4H, CH₂), 7.32–7.37 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.40–7.48 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.50–7.54 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.55–7.59 (m, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.2, 33.3, 81.2, 88.2, 122.3, 126.9, 127.0, 127.5, 128.76, 128.81, 132.0, 140.4, 140.6, 177.2; **EI (70eV)** *m/z* = 250 ([M⁺]).

5-[(4-Nitro)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2g)



89% yield; Yellow solids; **Mp.** 157.0–158.0 °C; **NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.70–2.75 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.77–2.82 (m, 2H, CH₂), 7.52 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 1H, ArH), 8.15 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 1H,

ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.1, 32.9, 79.9, 93.5, 123.5, 130.3, 132.4, 146.8, 177.3; IR (ATR) 3110, 3086, 3028, 2978, 2930, 2845, 2808, 2792, 2710, 2647, 2614, 2560, 2511, 2465, 2445, 1694 (C=O), 1592, 1510 (NO_2), 1432, 1407, 1339, 1317, 1305, 1286, 1275, 1261, 1212, 1172, 1103, 1096, 1011, 980, 922, 854, 776, 750, 689, 677 cm^{-1} ; HR-EI-MS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_9\text{NO}_4$ [M] $^+$: m/z = 219.05316; Found 219.05341.

5-[(4-Fluoro)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2h)



88% yield; White solids; Mp 112.5–113.5 °C; ^1H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.65–2.76 (m, 4H, CH_2), 6.94–7.00 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.33–7.39 (m, 2H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.0, 33.4, 80.3, 87.2, 115.4 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22$ Hz), 119.4 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 4$ Hz), 133.4 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 9$ Hz), 162.2 (d, $J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 249$ Hz), 178.4; IR (ATR) 3102, 3064, 3045, 3033, 2979, 2964, 2936, 2919, 2852, 2710, 2632, 2560, 2512, 1703 (C=O), 1597, 1504, 1432, 1409, 1360, 1308, 1259, 1214, 1161, 1095, 1014, 979, 918, 841, 829, 814, 776, 699, 634 cm^{-1} ; HR-EI-MS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_9\text{FO}_2$ [M] $^+$: m/z = 192.05866; Found 192.05871.

5-[(4-Chloro)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2i)



93% yield; White solids; ^1H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.65–2.76 (m, 4H, CH_2), 7.24 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.30 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.0, 33.3, 80.3, 88.6, 121.8, 128.5, 132.8, 133.8, 178.4; EI (70eV) m/z = 208 ([M] $^+$).

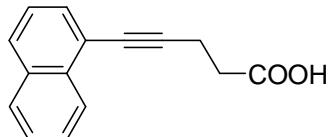
5-[(2-Methyl)phenyl]pent-4-yneic acid (2j)



100% yield; White solids; Mp 61.0–62.0 °C; ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.38 (s, 3H, CH_3), 2.69–2.73 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.77–2.81 (m, 2H, CH_2), 7.07–7.12 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.14–7.19 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.34–7.36 (m, 1H, ArH); $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 15.3, 20.6, 33.7, 80.3, 91.4, 123.1, 125.4, 127.8, 129.3, 131.8, 140.1, 178.1; IR (ATR) 3021, 2967, 2921, 2852, 2735, 2701, 2635, 2551, 2503, 1693 (C=O), 1487, 1432, 1411, 1351, 1302, 1289, 1253, 1212, 1176, 1161, 1114, 1044, 1017, 978, 918, 862, 803, 777, 748, 715,

664 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₂O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 188.08373; Found 188.08375.

5-(1-Naphthyl)pent-4-yneoic acid (2k)



CAS registry No. 928768-34-7

91% yield; White solids; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.78–2.84 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.88–2.93 (m, 2H, CH₂), 7.39 (t, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.49 (td, *J* = 1, 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.54 (td, *J* = 1, 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.61 (d, *J* = 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.78 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, ArH), 7.82 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 8.32 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.4, 33.6, 79.5, 92.5, 121.0, 125.2, 126.1, 126.3, 126.6, 128.2, 128.3, 130.2, 133.1, 133.4, 178.1; EI (70eV) *m/z* = 224 ([M⁺]).

5-(2-Thienyl)pent-4-yneoic acid (2l)



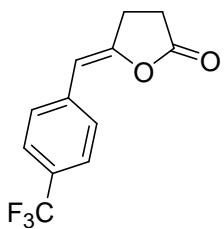
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86% yield; Pale brown solids; **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.68–2.72 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.74–2.78 (m, 2H, CH₂), 6.93–6.95 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.13–7.14 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.18–7.20 (m, 1H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.3, 33.1, 74.6, 91.5, 123.4, 126.4, 126.8, 131.5, 177.9; EI (70eV) *m/z* = 180 ([M⁺]).

General procedure for cyclization of alkynoic acids

A typical procedure is given for the reaction with 5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)pentynoic acid (**2a**) in the presence of **1a_{vscl}** and Et₃N in water (Table 1, entry 2). 5-(4-Trifluoromethylphenyl)pentynoic acid (**2a**, 29.1 mg, 0.12 mmol) was placed in a vial, to which was added 1 mL aqueous suspension of **1a_{vscl}** (2.6 mg, 2.4 × 10⁻³ mmol) and Et₃N (1 mL, 7.2 × 10⁻³ mmol). The reaction mixture was agitated by shaking at 50 °C for 1 h, and then extracted with t-butyl methyl ether (MTBE) (1.5 mL, 4 times). The combined extract was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated in *vacuo*. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluent: CHCl₃) to give **3a** (17.6 mg, 0.727 mmol, 61%).

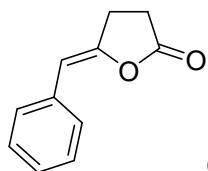
(Z)- γ -(4-Trifluoromethylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (3a)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 56.5–57.0 °C; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.73–2.78 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.05–3.11 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.58–5.60 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.56 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.64 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.4, 26.7, 103.7, 124.2 (q, J_{C-F} = 272 Hz), 125.3 (q, J_{C-F} = 4 Hz), 128.3 (q, J_{C-F} = 32 Hz), 128.4, 137.5, 150.2, 174.5; **IR (ATR)** 2956, 2936, 1804 (C=O), 1680, 1614, 1443, 1415, 1323 (CF₃), 1290, 1227, 1165, 1093, 1064, 1015, 939, 853, 815, 755, 708, 652, 597 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₉F₃O₂ [M]⁺: m/z = 242.05546; Found 242.05518.

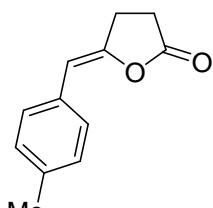
(Z)- γ -Benzylidene- γ -butyrolactone (3b)



CAS registry No. 69063-20-3

White solids; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.69–2.74 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.01–3.07 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.54–5.56 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.21 (t, J = 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.33 (t, J = 7 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.54 (d, J = 7 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.3, 26.9, 104.9, 126.7, 128.3, 128.4, 133.8, 148.1, 174.9; **EIMS (70eV)** m/z = 174 ([M⁺]).

(Z)- γ -(4-Methylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (3c)

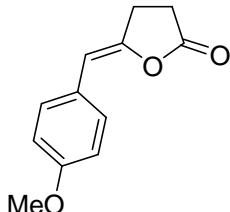


CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 85.0–86.0 °C; **1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.34 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.68–2.73 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.00–3.06 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.51–5.53 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.13 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.44 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **13C{1H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 21.1, 26.2, 27.0, 104.7, 128.1, 129.1, 131.0, 136.4, 147.3, 175.1; **IR (ATR)** 3024, 2982, 2923, 2872, 1792 (C=O), 1682, 1609, 1508, 1444, 1413, 1355, 1290, 1227, 1208, 1176, 1102,

1023, 1011, 992, 942, 857, 841, 803, 758, 714, 702, 656, 634, 563 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₂O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 188.08373; Found 188.08367.

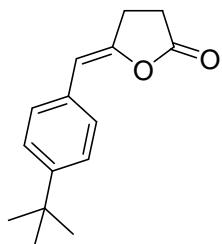
(Z)-γ-(4-Methoxybenzylidene)-γ-butyrolactone (3d)



CAS registry No. none

Pale yellow oil; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.68–2.73 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.99–3.05 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.81 (s, OCH₃), 5.48–5.51 (m, 1H, C=CH), 6.86 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.49 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.2, 27.0, 55.2, 104.3, 113.80, 126.6, 129.5, 146.4, 158.2, 175.1; **IR (ATR)** 3003, 2958, 2934, 2838, 1792 (C=O), 1732, 1685, 1606, 1577, 1509, 1463, 1443, 1419, 1350, 1294, 1248, 1175, 1114, 1096, 1029, 941, 906, 848, 830, 815, 756, 722, 704, 657, 628, 597, 554 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₂O₃ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 204.07864 Found 204.07866.

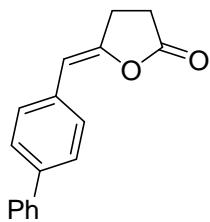
(Z)-γ-(4-tert-Butylbenzylidene)-γ-butyrolactone (3e)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp.** 34.0–35.0 °C; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.31 (s, 9H, C(CH₃)₃), 2.68–2.73 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.00–3.05 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.53–5.54 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.35 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.48 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.2, 27.1, 31.2, 34.5, 104.7, 125.3, 128.0, 131.0, 147.5, 149.7, 175.0; **IR (ATR)** 2959, 2928, 2868, 1799 (C=O), 1726, 1685, 1511, 1475, 1462, 1445, 1415, 1395, 1362, 1293, 1270, 1229, 1201, 1173, 1123, 1096, 1018, 941, 851, 836, 807, 705, 656, 575 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₅H₁₈O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 230.13068; Found 230.13070.

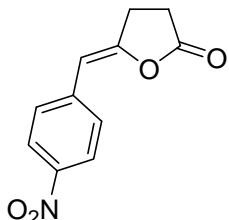
(Z)- γ -(4-Phenylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (3f)



CAS registry No. none

Light brown solids; **Mp.** 116.5–117.5 °C; **^1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.71–2.76 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.04–3.10 (m, 2H, CH_2), 5.59–5.60 (m, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 7.33–7.36 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.41–7.44 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.56–7.65 (m, 6H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 26.3, 26.9, 104.5, 126.9, 127.1, 127.2, 128.7, 128.7, 128.8, 132.9, 139.3, 140.7, 148.3, 174.9; **IR (ATR)** 3031, 2932, 1793 ($\text{C}=\text{O}$), 1678, 1604, 1593, 1554, 1486, 1449, 1414, 1294, 1234, 1218, 1208, 1181, 1097, 1103, 940, 913, 876, 852, 838, 809, 762, 723, 688, 659, 607, 570 cm^{-1} ; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$: m/z = 250.09938 Found 250.09936.

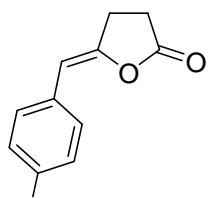
(Z)- γ -(4-Nitrobenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (3g)



CAS registry No. none

Yellow solids; **Mp.** 120.0–121.0 °C; **^1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.75–2.80 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.08–3.14 (m, 2H, CH_2), 5.63–5.64 (m, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 7.68 (d, J = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.17 (d, J = 9 Hz, 2H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 26.5, 26.6, 103.2, 123.8, 128.6, 140.6, 145.9, 151.9, 174.0; **IR (ATR)** 3361, 2955, 2923, 2852, 1821 ($\text{C}=\text{O}$), 1666, 1587, 1504, 1469, 1437, 1414, 1335, 1289, 1224, 1180, 1085, 1009, 933, 863, 820, 801, 751, 705, 691, 654, 637, 626, 559 cm^{-1} ; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_9\text{NO}_4$ $[\text{M}]^+$: m/z = 219.05316 Found 219.05319.

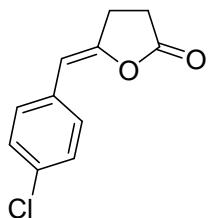
(Z)- γ -(4-Fluorobenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (3h)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 78.0–79.0 °C; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.70–2.74 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.00–3.06 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.51–5.53 (m, 1H, C=CH), 6.98–7.04 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.50–7.54 (m, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.2, 26.9, 103.7, 115.3 (d, J_{C-F} = 22 Hz), 129.8 (d, J_{C-F} = 8 Hz), 130.0 (d, J_{C-F} = 4 Hz), 147.7 (d, J_{C-F} = 3 Hz), 161.4 (d, J_{C-F} = 247 Hz), 174.8; **IR (ATR)** 3006, 2936, 2852, 1788 (C=O), 1687, 1601, 1504, 1443, 1416, 1352, 1297, 1226, 1173, 1159, 1101, 1091, 1013, 1002, 935, 855, 833, 818, 769, 706, 658, 626, 562 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₁H₉FO₂ [M]⁺: m/z = 192.05866; Found 192.05866.

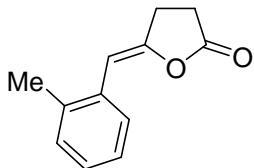
(Z)-γ-(4-Chlorobenzylidene)-γ-butyrolactone (3i)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 81.5–82.5 °C; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.70–2.75 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.01–3.07 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.50–5.52 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.28 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.48 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.3, 26.8, 103.8, 128.6, 129.5, 132.2, 132.4, 148.6, 174.7; **IR (ATR)** 2956, 2925, 2851, 1793 (C=O), 1680, 1657, 1486, 1438, 1411, 1353, 1294, 1227, 1176, 1109, 1096, 1010, 944, 851, 833, 804, 714, 708, 679, 653, 625, 559 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₁H₉ClO₂ [M]⁺: m/z = 208.02911; Found 208.02920.

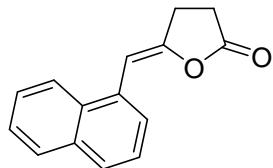
(Z)-γ-(2-Methylbenzylidene)-γ-butyrolactone (3j)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 90.0–91.0 °C; **¹H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.32 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.70–2.75 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.04–3.10 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.68–5.70 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.11–7.22 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.76 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.2, 26.3, 27.1, 102.1, 126.0, 126.8, 129.0, 129.9, 132.3, 135.0, 148.2, 175.0; **IR (ATR)** 3069, 2956, 2930, 2862, 1793 (C=O), 1679, 1597, 1489, 1480, 1461, 1437, 1409, 1377, 1362, 1292, 1226, 1202, 1174, 1151, 1110, 1096, 1053, 1038, 1002, 945, 836, 769, 718, 650, 610, 568 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₂H₁₂O₂ [M]⁺: m/z = 188.08373; Found 188.08370.

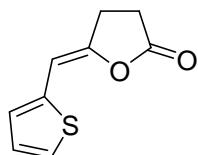
(Z)- γ -(1-Naphthalenylmethylene)- γ -butyrolactone (3k)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 91.0–92.0 °C; **^1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.76–2.81 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.16–3.21 (m, 2H, CH₂), 6.24–6.25 (m, 1H, C=CH), 7.46–7.54 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.75 (d, J = 8 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.85 (dd, J = 3, 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.89 (d, J = 7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 8.03 (dd, J = 2, 8 Hz, 1H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.3, 27.2, 101.1, 123.6, 125.5, 125.6, 125.9, 127.1, 127.3, 128.7, 129.8, 131.0, 133.6, 149.4, 174.9; **IR (ATR)** 3048, 2929, 2868, 1789 (C=O), 1686, 1589, 1579, 1506, 1443, 1414, 1397, 1353, 1293, 1222, 1194, 1166, 1105, 1038, 1017, 959, 941, 910, 866, 832, 801, 775, 748, 740, 693, 650, 640, 612 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₅H₁₂O₂ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 224.08373; Found 224.08369.

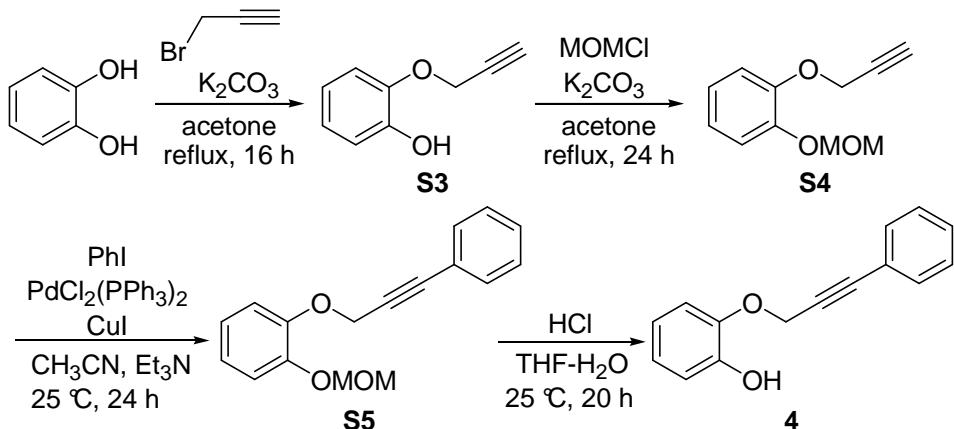
(Z)- γ -(2-Thienylmethylene)- γ -butyrolactone (3l)



CAS registry No. none

White solids; **Mp** 96.5–97.5 °C; **^1H NMR** (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.73–2.78 (m, 2H, CH₂), 3.00–3.05 (m, 2H, CH₂), 5.84–5.86 (m, 1H, C=CH), 6.99 (dd, J = 4, 5 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.08 (d, J = 4 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.24 (d, J = 5 Hz, 1H, ArH); **$^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 25.5, 27.3, 99.0, 125.1, 125.7, 126.8, 136.5, 146.6, 174.2; **IR (ATR)** 3093, 3069, 2961, 2928, 2852, 1786 (C=O), 1683, 1610, 1442, 1425, 1364, 1297, 1242, 1202, 1167, 1142, 1091, 1045, 1023, 939, 903, 846, 824, 819, 806, 780, 752, 698, 673, 653, 611, 588 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₉H₈O₂S [M]⁺: *m/z* = 180.02450; Found 180.02446.

Preparation of 2-Phenylpropargyloxyphenol (**4**)



Scheme S2. Preparation of 2-phenylpropargyloxyphenol (**4**).

2-Propargyloxyphenol (**S3**)



Under a nitrogen atmosphere, a mixture of pyrocatechol (2.00 g, 18.2 mmol) and K_2CO_3 (1.38 g, 9.99 mmol) in anhydrous acetone (90 mL) was stirred for 1 h at 25 °C. Propargyl bromide (2.16 g, 18.2 mmol) in dry acetone (1.5 mL) was slowly added at 25 °C during 1 h. The mixture was refluxed at 65 °C for 16 h. After being cooled to 25 °C, acetone was evaporated from the mixture. To the resulting residue was added water (50 mL). The suspension was extracted with $CHCl_3$ (15 mL, 4 times). The combined organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. The resulting crude material was chromatographed on silica gel (eluent: 5-20% $AcOEt/n\text{-hexane}$) to give 2-propargyloxyphenol (1.90 g, 12.8 mmol, 71%) as white solids.

1H NMR (396 MHz) δ 2.56 (t, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H, $HC\equiv C-$), 4.75 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 2H, $CH\equiv C-CH_2-$), 5.64 (s, 1H, -OH), 6.83–6.88 (m, 1H, ArH), 6.90–7.00 (m, 3H, ArH); **$^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR (100 MHz)** δ 56.9, 76.1, 78.1, 112.8, 115.2, 120.1, 122.6, 144.6, 146.0; **MS (EI)** $m/z = 148$ ($[M^+]$).

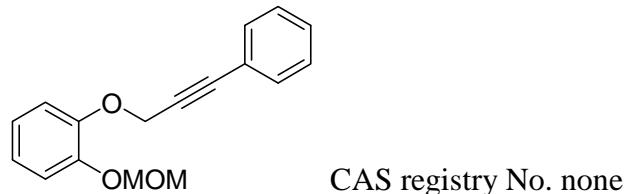
1-Methoxymethoxy-2-propargyloxybenzene (**S4**)



Under a nitrogen atmosphere, to a mixture of 2-propargyloxyphenol (700 mg, 4.72 mmol)

and K_2CO_3 (979 mg, 7.09 mmol) was added acetone (20 mL) at 25 °C. After being stirred at 25 °C for 1 h, methoxymethyl chloride (0.53 mL, 7.09 mmol) was slowly added to the resulting suspension at 25 °C. The reaction mixture stirred at 65 °C for 24 h. After being cooled to 25 °C, saturated NH_4Cl aqueous solution (15 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and then the resulting mixture was evaporated. The solution was extracted with MTBE (15 mL, 3 times). The combined organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 , and concentrated in vacuo. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel (eluent: 5-10% $\text{AcOEt}/\text{n-hexane}$) to give 1-methoxymethoxy-2-propargyloxybenzene (720 mg, 3.75 mmol, 79%) as pale yellow oil.
 $^1\text{H NMR}$ (396 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.51 (t, $J = 2$ Hz, 1H, CCH), 3.52 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 3H, OCH_2OCH_3), 4.77 (d, $J = 2$ Hz, 2H, CH_2CCH), 5.22 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 2H, OCH_2OCH_3), 6.93–7.02 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.07 (dd, $J = 2, 8$ Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.17 (dd, $J = 2, 8$ Hz, 1H, ArH);
 $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$ NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 56.2, 56.7, 75.7, 78.6, 95.5, 114.7, 117.0, 122.3, 122.4, 147.2, 147.6; IR (ATR) 3284 (CCH), 3071, 2993, 2956, 2934, 2827, 2120 (CC), 1594, 1499, 1456, 1374, 1324, 1302, 1242 (Ar-O-CH₂), 1216, 1188, 1153, 1119, 1078, 994, 922, 835, 745, 682, 671, 646, 639 cm⁻¹; HR-EI-MS Calcd. for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3$ [M]⁺: m/z = 192.07864; Found 192.07883.

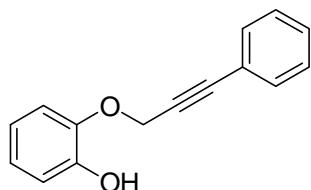
1-Methoxymethoxy-2-phenylpropargyloxybenzene (S5)



Under a nitrogen atmosphere, to a suspension of $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$ (64 mg, 0.091 mmol) and copper iodide (35 mg, 0.182 mmol) in triethylamine (2 mL), 1-methoxymethoxy-2-propargyloxybenzene (350 mg, 1.82 mmol) in CH_3CN (2 mL) and iodobenzene (0.22 mL, 2.00 mmol) were added at 25 °C. After being stirred at 25 °C for 24 h, saturated NH_4Cl aqueous solution (20 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and the resulting solution was extracted with AcOEt (20 mL, 3 times). The combined organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 . After evaporation of the solvent, the resulting mixture was chromatographed on silica gel to give 1-methoxymethoxy-2-phenylpropargyloxybenzene (255.6 mg, 0.953 mmol, 52%) as pale yellow oil.

¹H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.53 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 4.98 (s, 2H, CH₂), 5.24 (s, 2H, OCH₂OCH₃), 6.93–7.02 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.13–7.20 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.28–7.32 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.39–7.43 (m, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 56.2, 56.6, 84.0, 87.3, 95.6, 114.9, 117.0, 122.1, 122.3, 122.4, 128.2, 128.6, 131.7, 147.2, 147.9; **IR (ATR)** 3063, 2993, 2953, 2930, 2898, 2848, 2825, 2237 (CC), 1592, 1498, 1490, 1455, 1441, 1403, 1371, 1322, 1300, 1240 (Ar-O-CH₂), 1214, 1187, 1152, 1118, 1076, 1051, 1030, 991, 920, 837, 817, 742, 690, 648, 607 cm⁻¹; **HR-EI-MS** Calcd. for C₁₇H₁₆O₃ [M]⁺: *m/z* = 268.10994; Found 268.10991.

2-[(3-phenylprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]phenol (4)



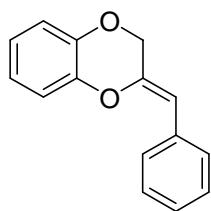
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HCl aqueous solution (4 mol/L, 6 mL) was added to a solution of 1-methoxymethoxy-2-phenylpropargyloxybenzene (225 mg, 0.839 mmol) in THF (6 mL) at 25 °C and the reaction mixture was stirred for 20 h at 25 °C. The resulting solution was extracted with *t*-butyl methyl ether (10 mL, 3 times). The combined organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄. The organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure to give 2-phenylpropargyloxyphenol (175.5 mg, 0.783 mmol, 93%) as brown oil.

¹H NMR (396 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.97 (s, 2H, CH₂), 5.70 (s, 1H, OH), 6.84–6.99 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.04–7.08 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.29–7.35 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.42–7.45 (m, 2H, ArH); **¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 57.9, 83.3, 87.7, 113.0, 115.1, 120.1, 121.9, 122.5, 128.3, 128.8, 131.8, 144.9, 146.1; **MS (EI)** *m/z* = 224 ([M⁺]).

Cyclization reaction of 2-phenylpropargyloxyphenol (4) (Scheme 1)

2,3-Dihydro-2-(Z)-phenylmethyleno-1,4-benzodioxin (5)



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2-Phenylpropargyloxyphenol (**4**, 13.5 mg, 0.060 mmol) was placed in a vial, to which was

added 0.5 mL aqueous suspension of **1a_{vscl}** (1.3 mg, 1.2×10^{-3} mmol) and Et₃N (0.5 μ L, 3.6×10^{-3} mmol). The reaction mixture was agitated by shaking at 50 °C for 4 h, and then extracted with *t*-butyl methyl ether (1.5 mL, 4 times). The combined extract was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated in *vacuo*. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluent: 5-15% AcOEt/*n*-hexane) to give **5** (5.6 mg, 0.025 mmol, 42%) as colorless oil.

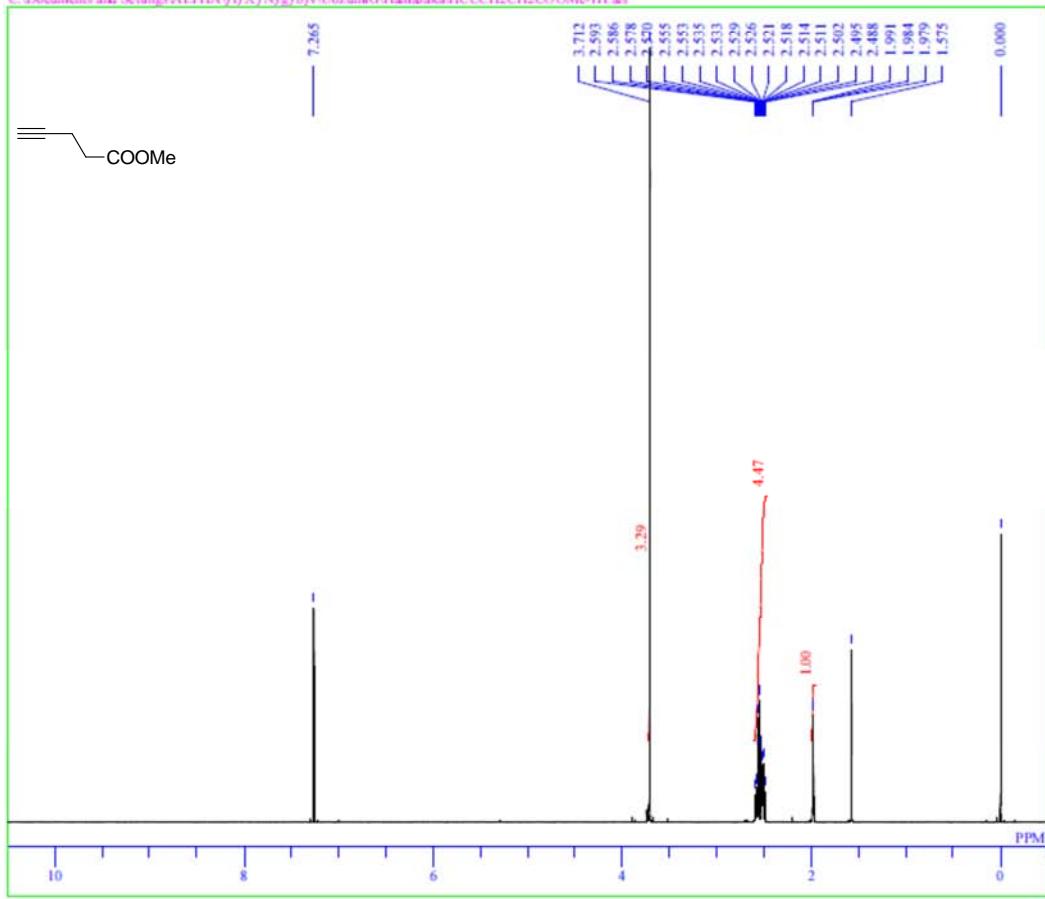
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¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra

Methyl-4-pentyoate (**S1**)

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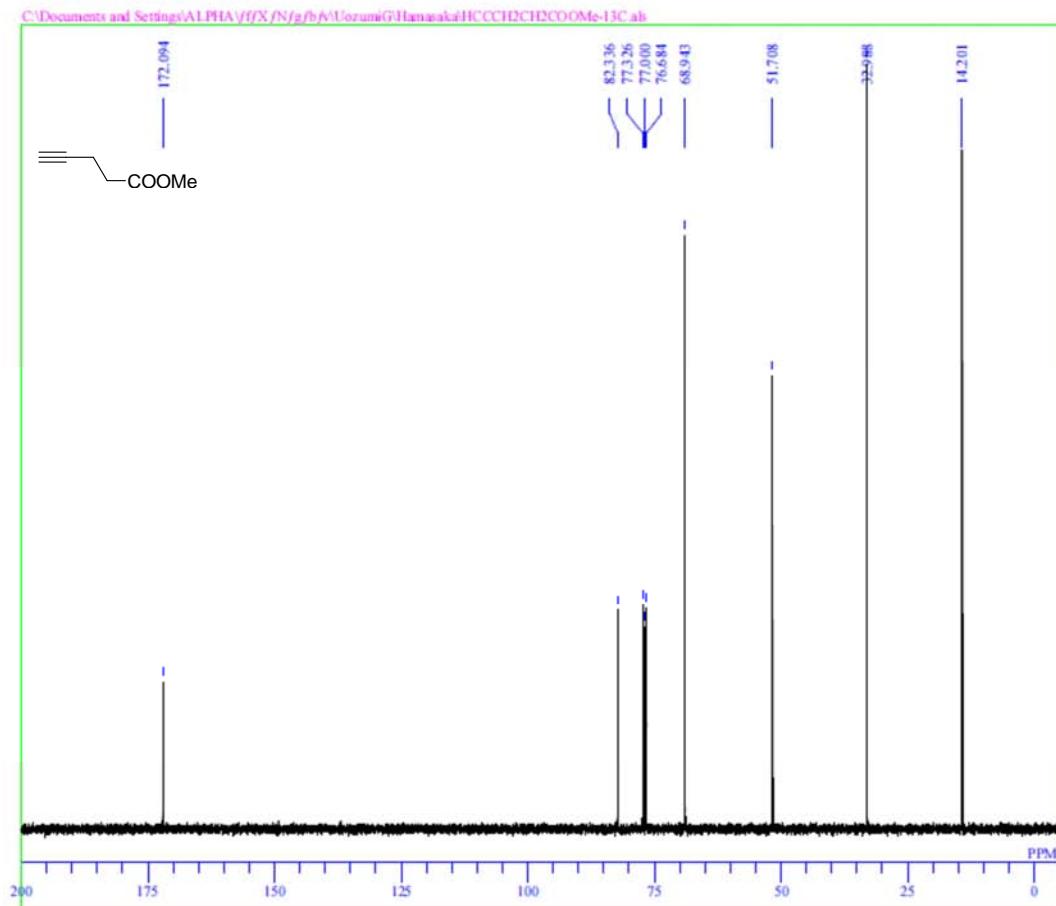


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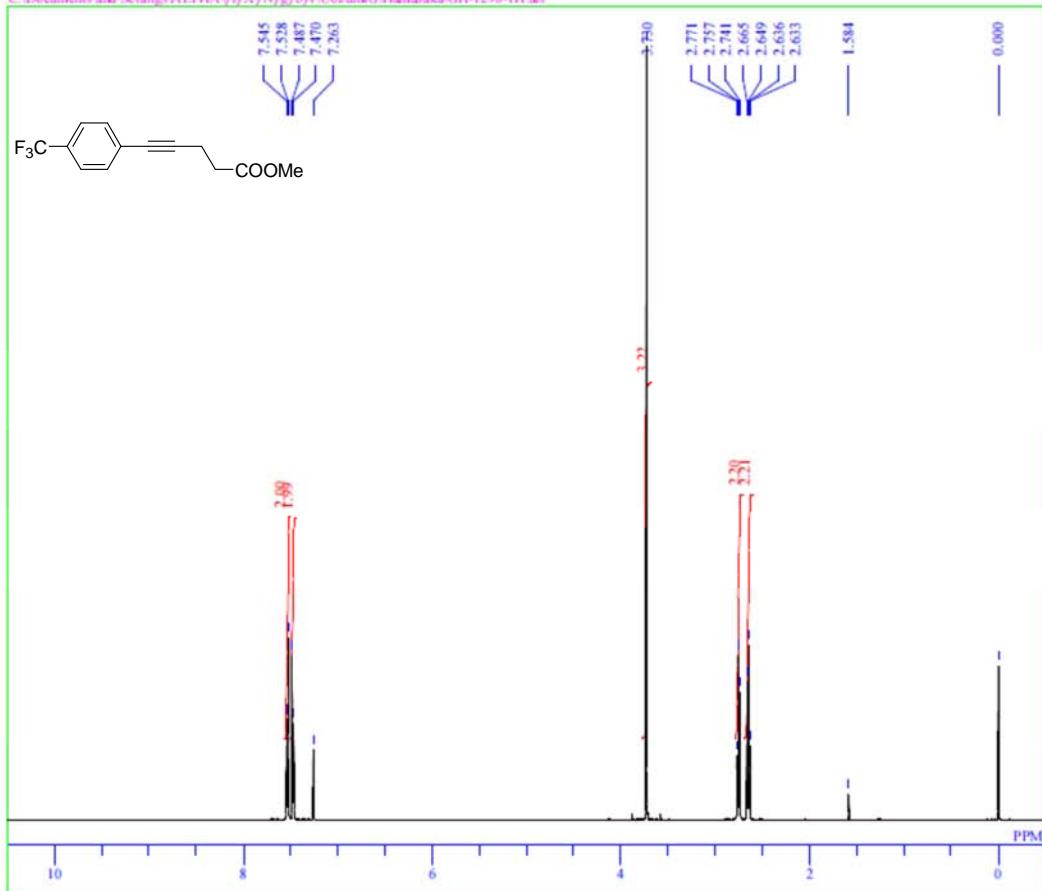
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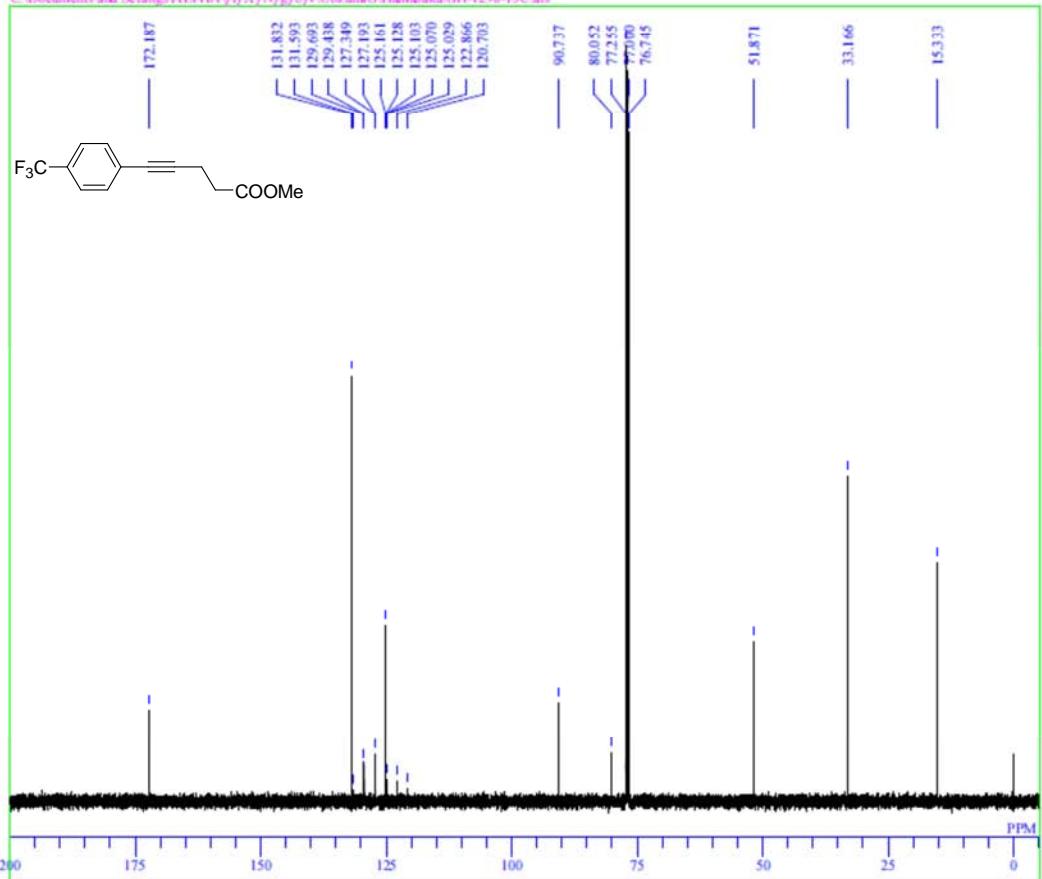
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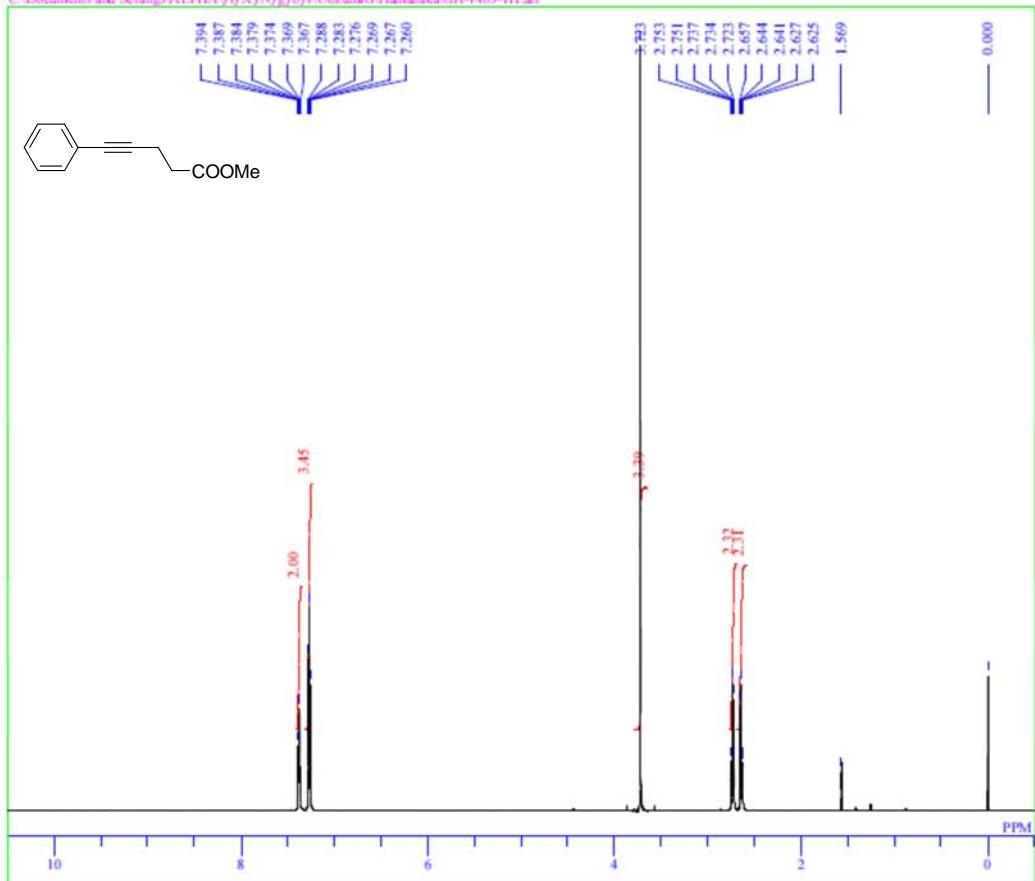


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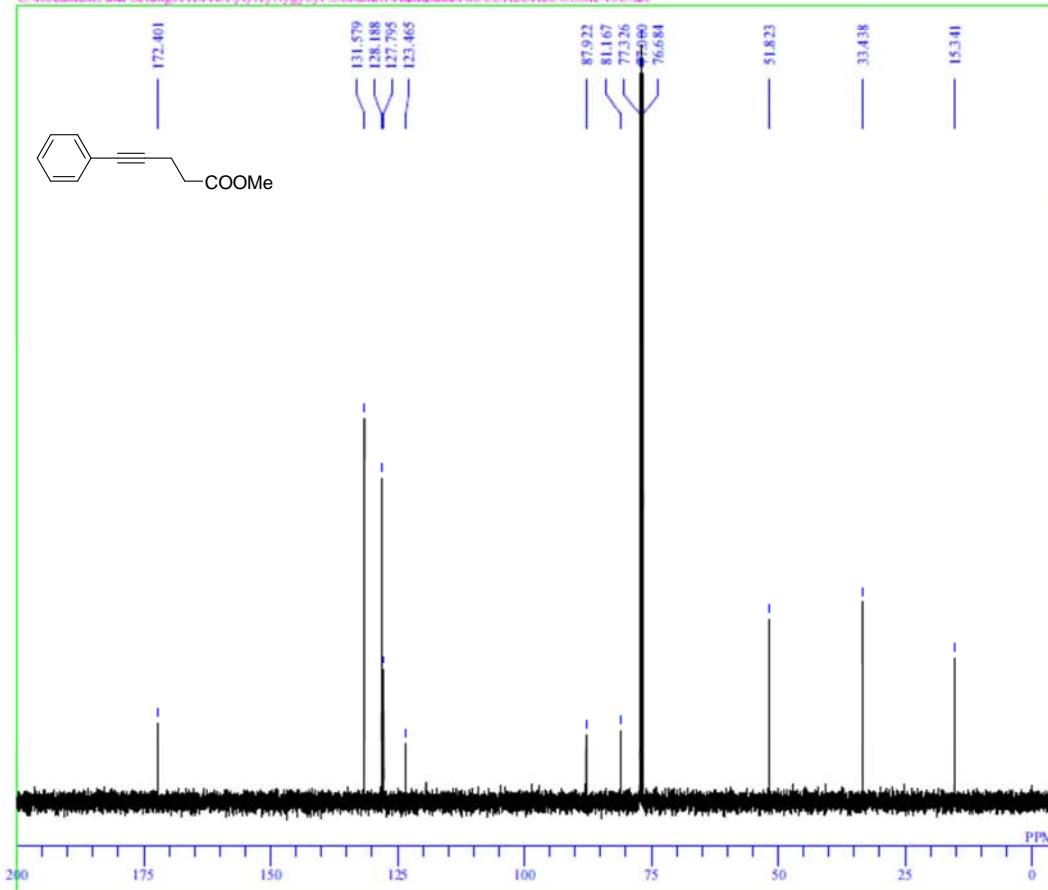
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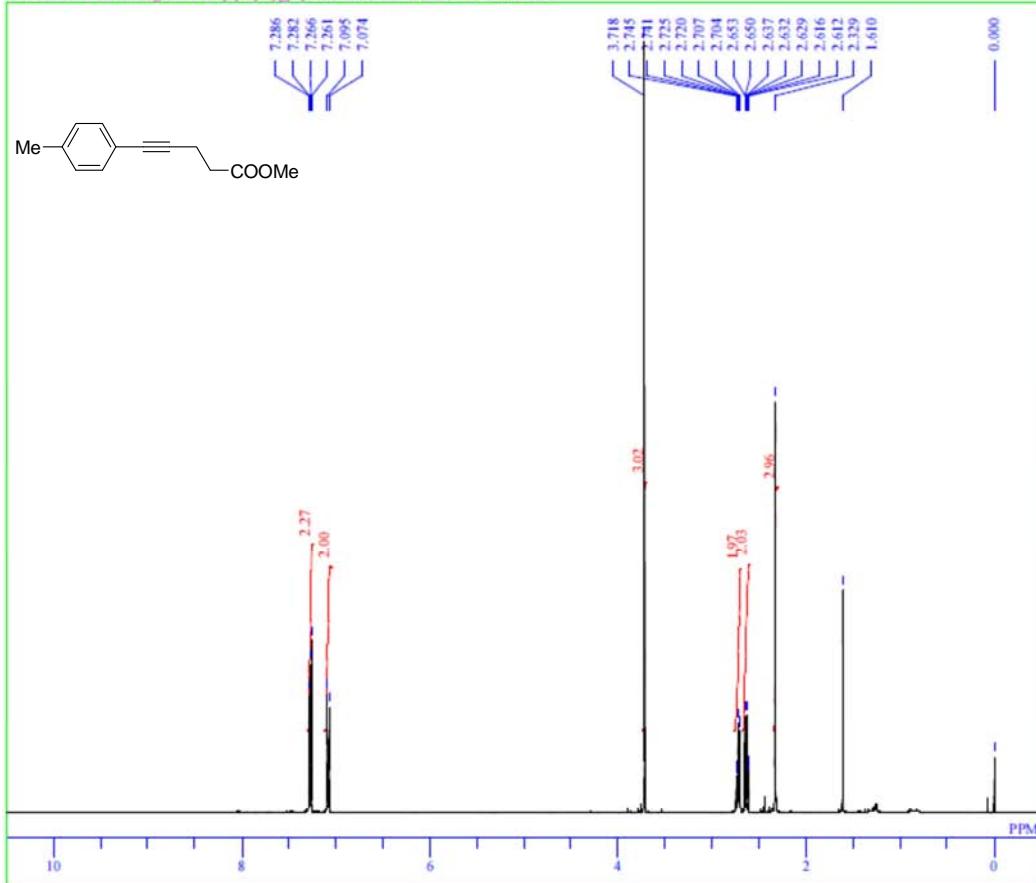
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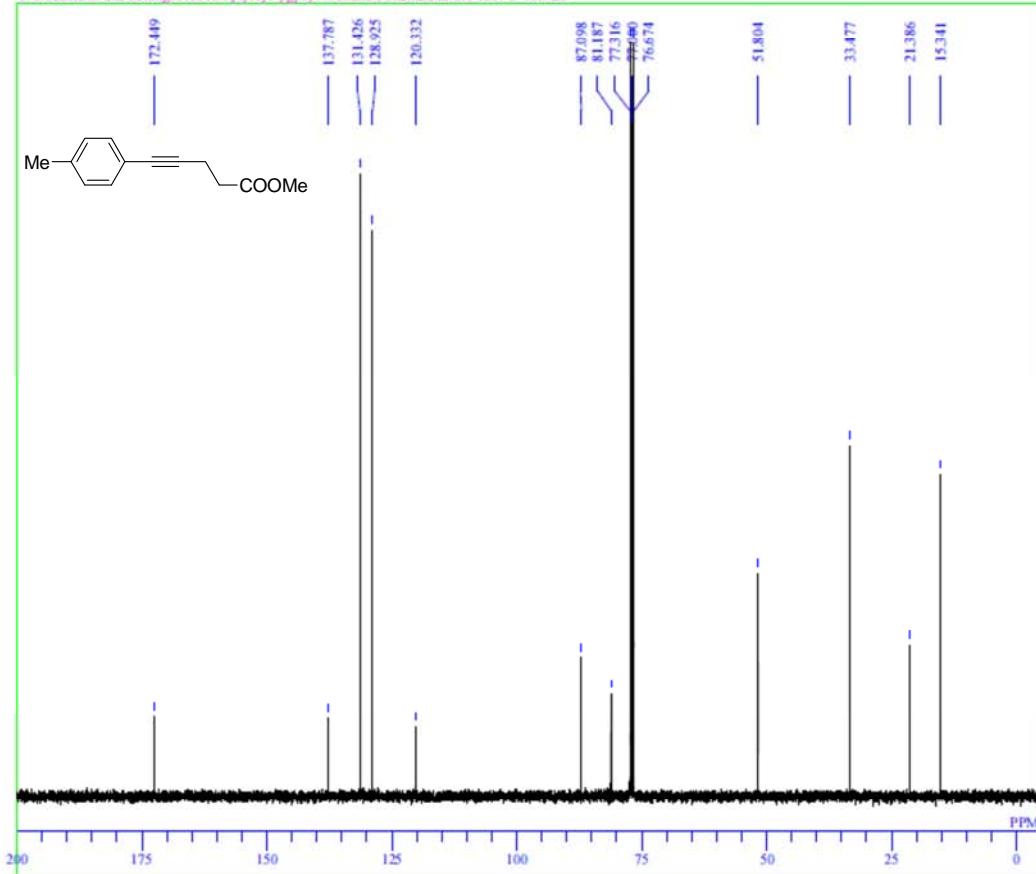
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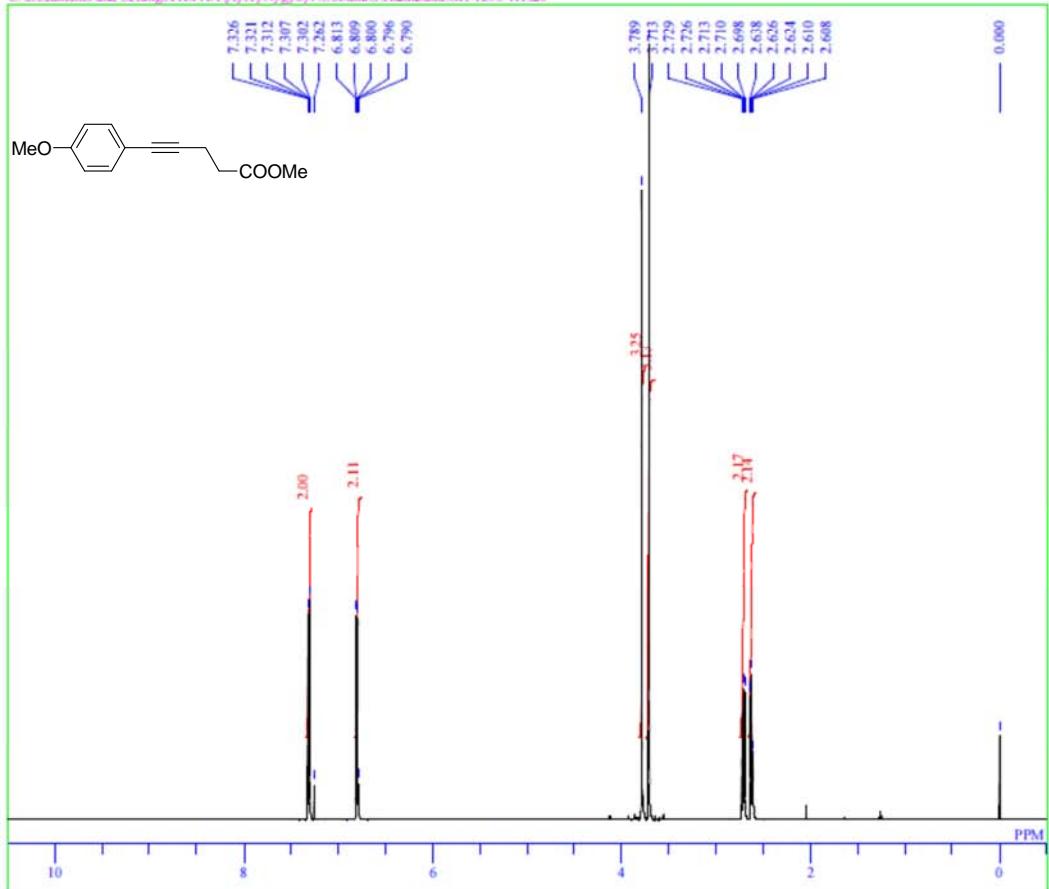


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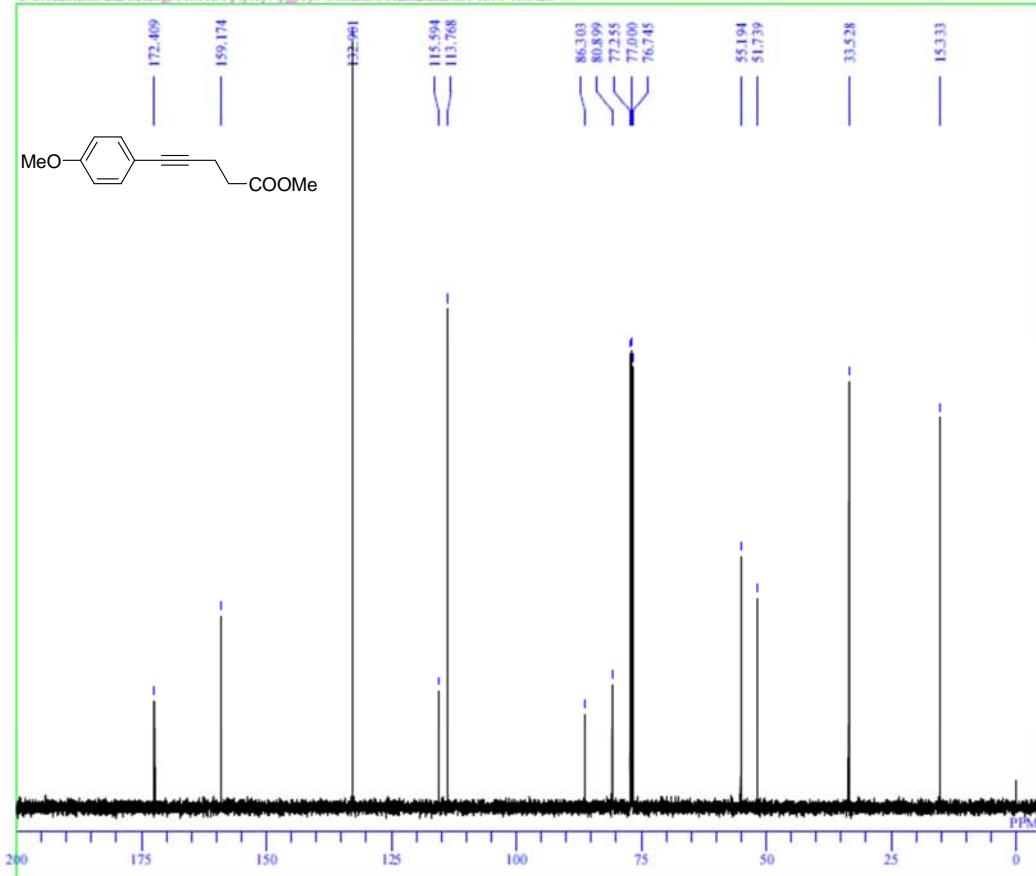
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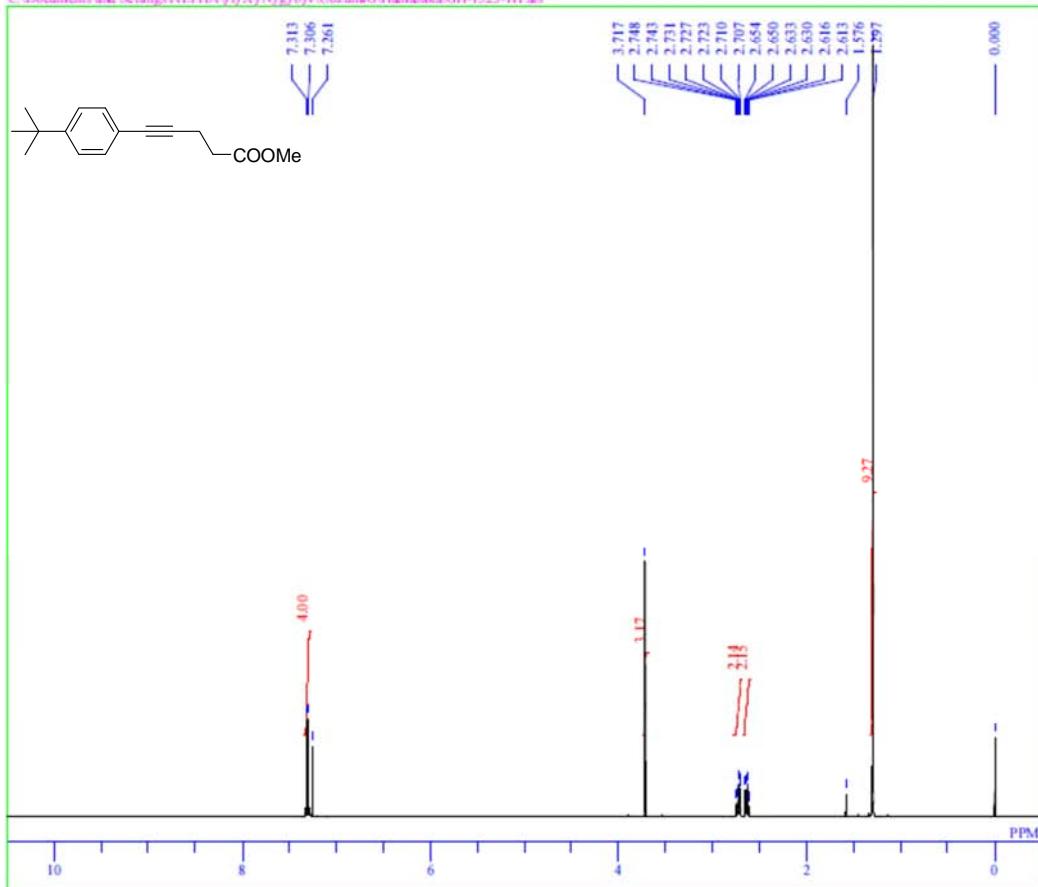


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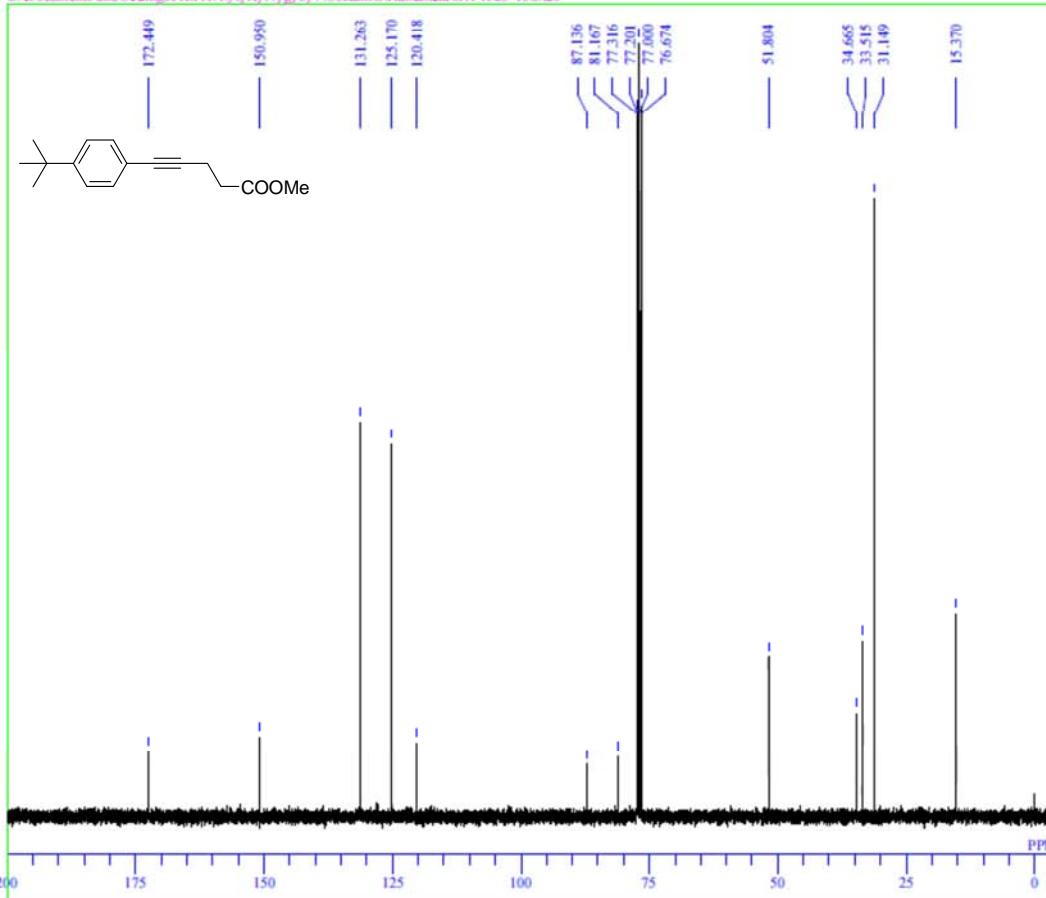
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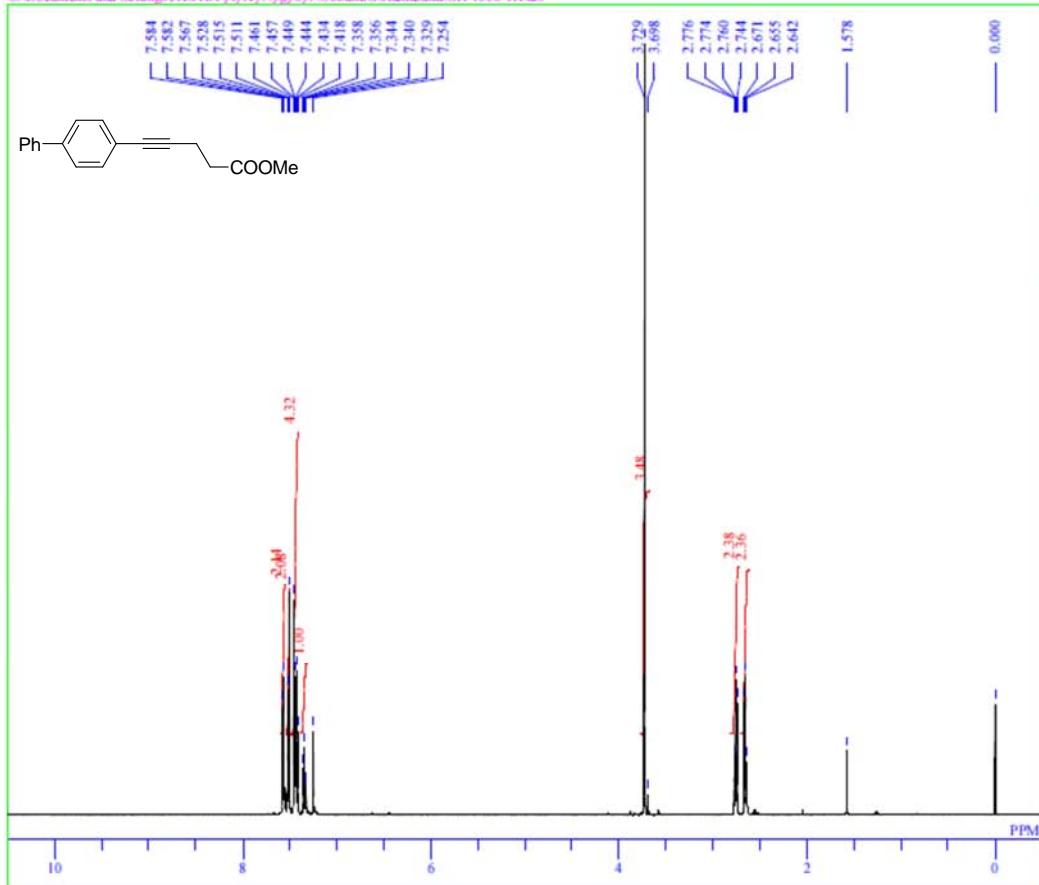
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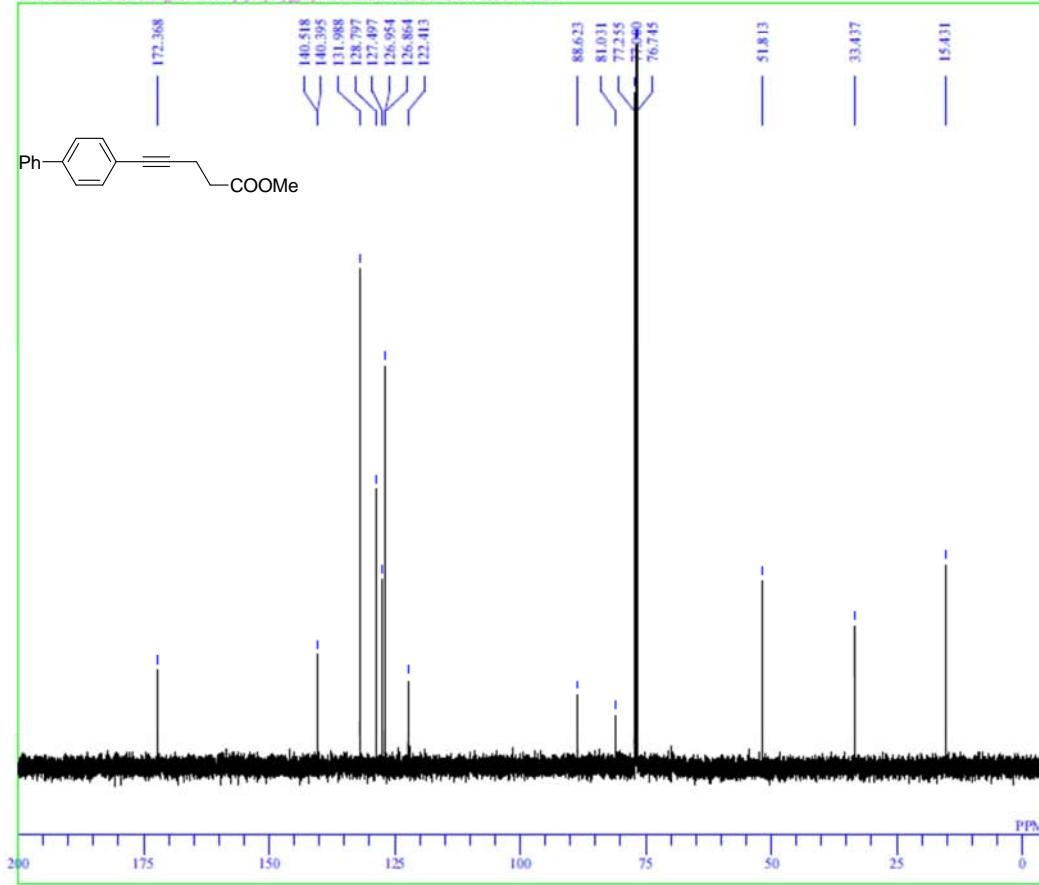
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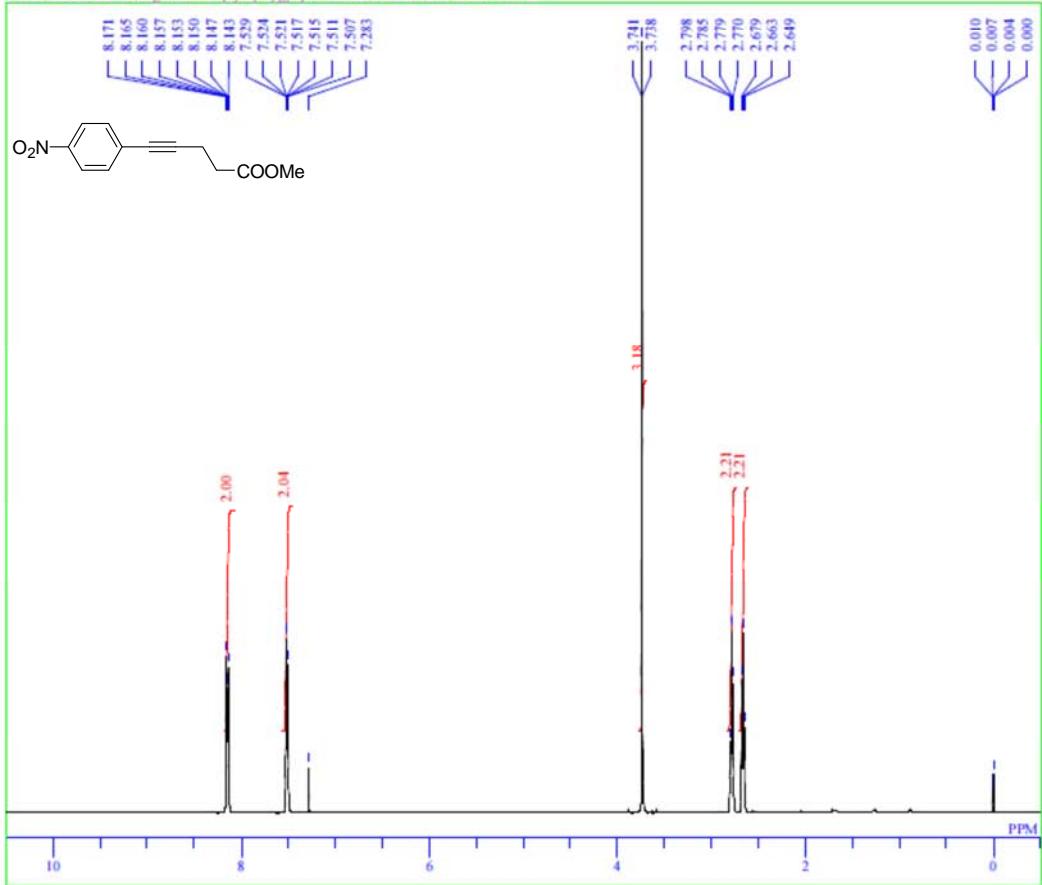
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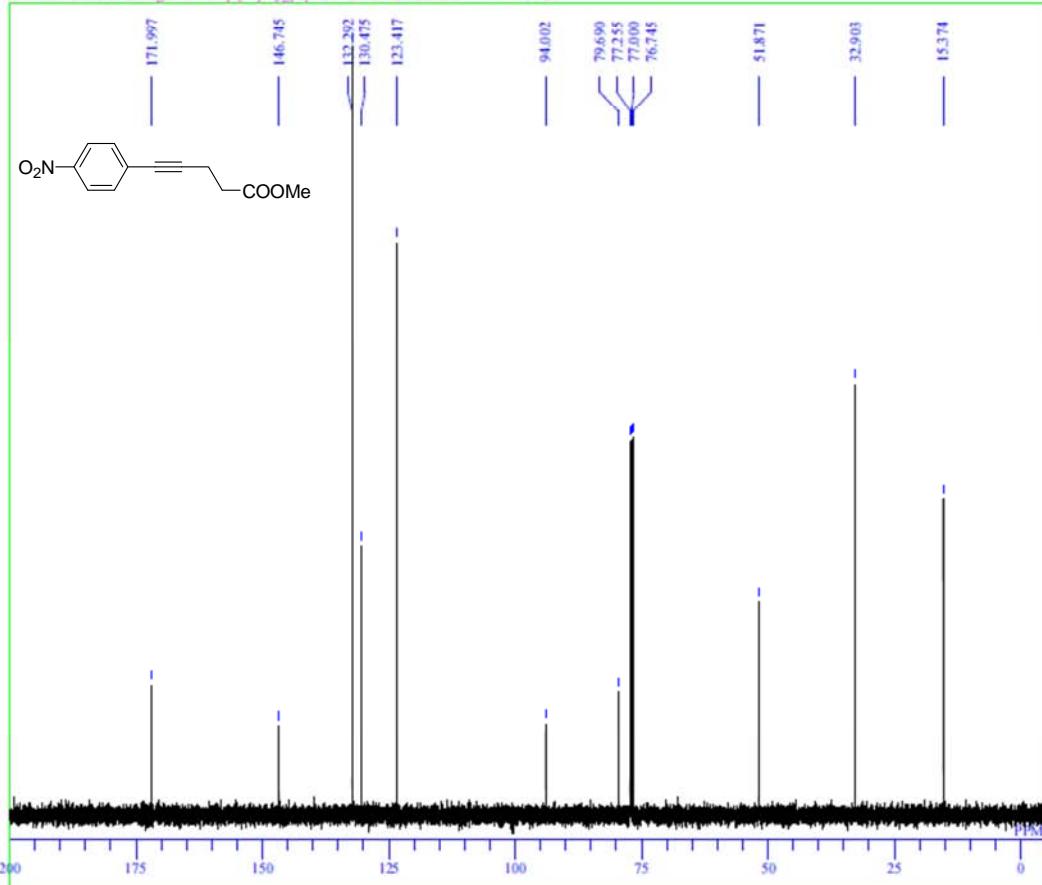
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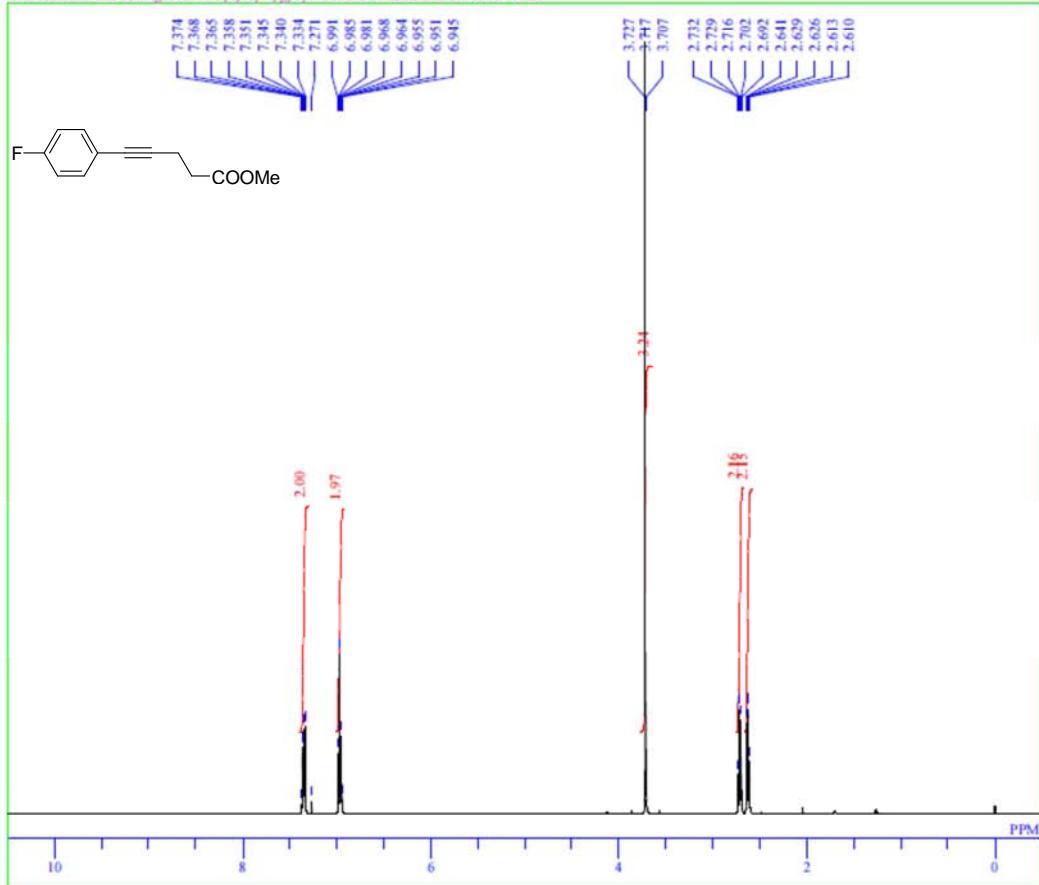
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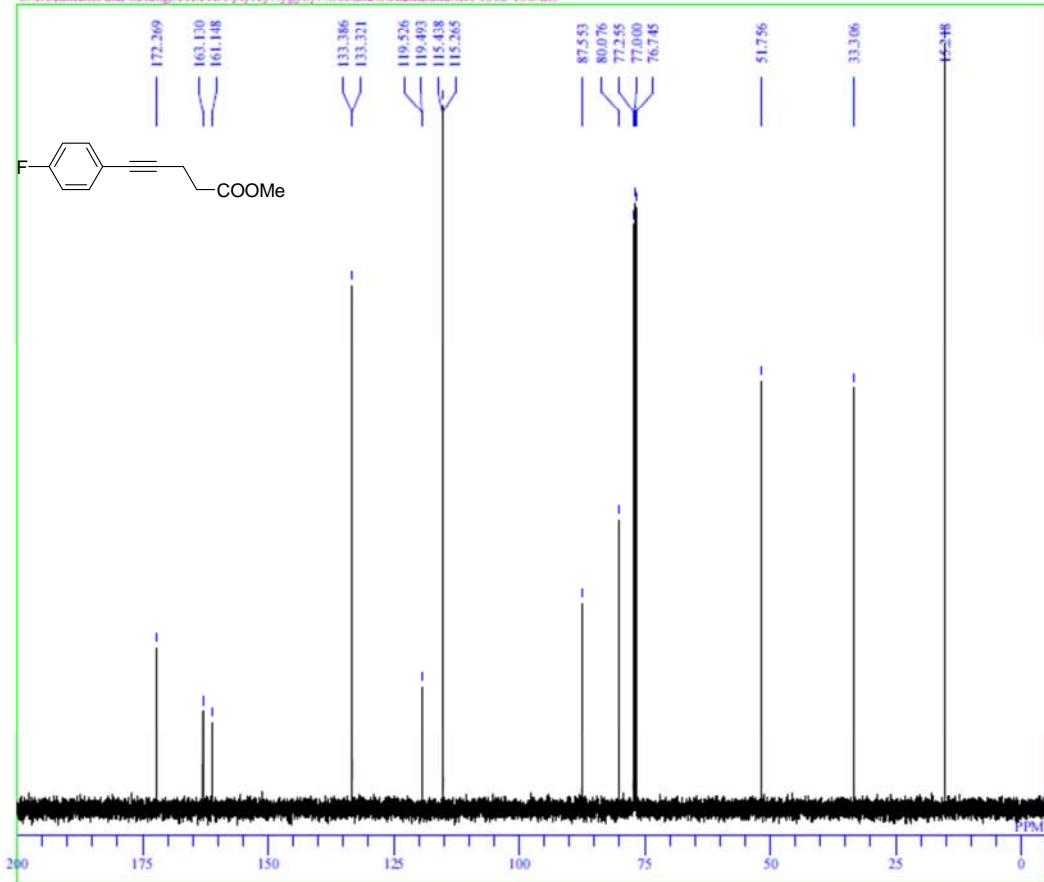
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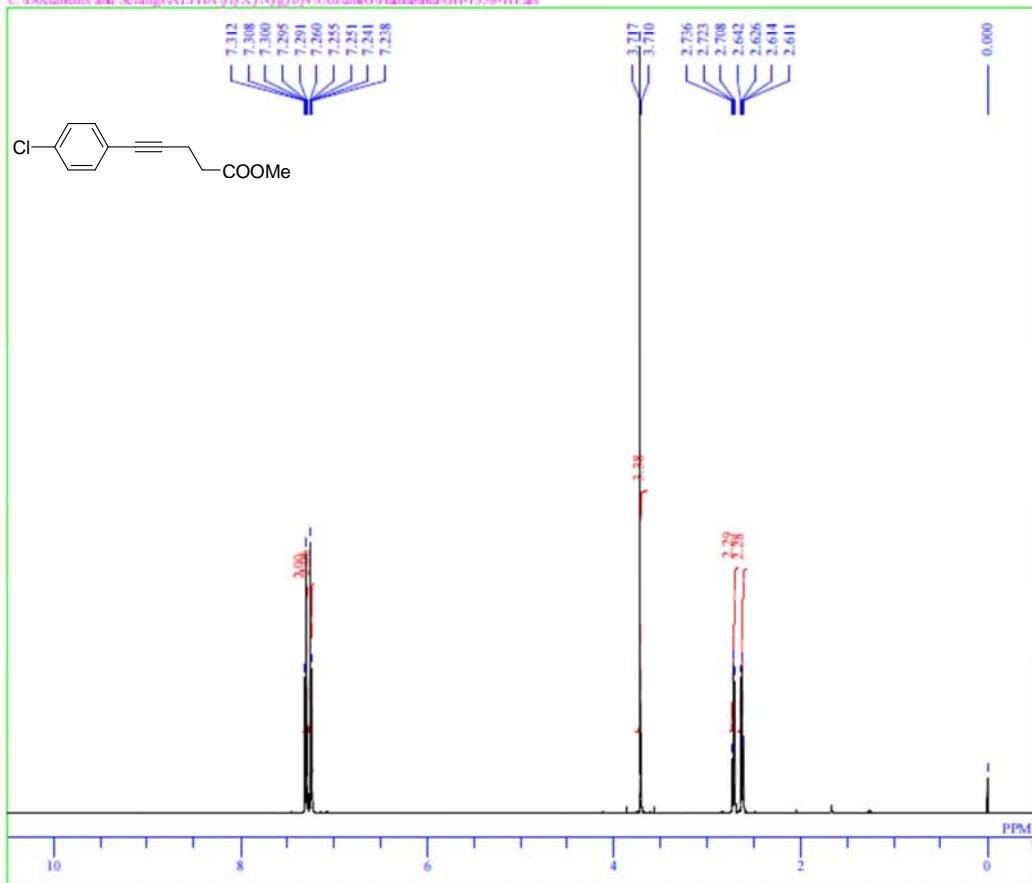


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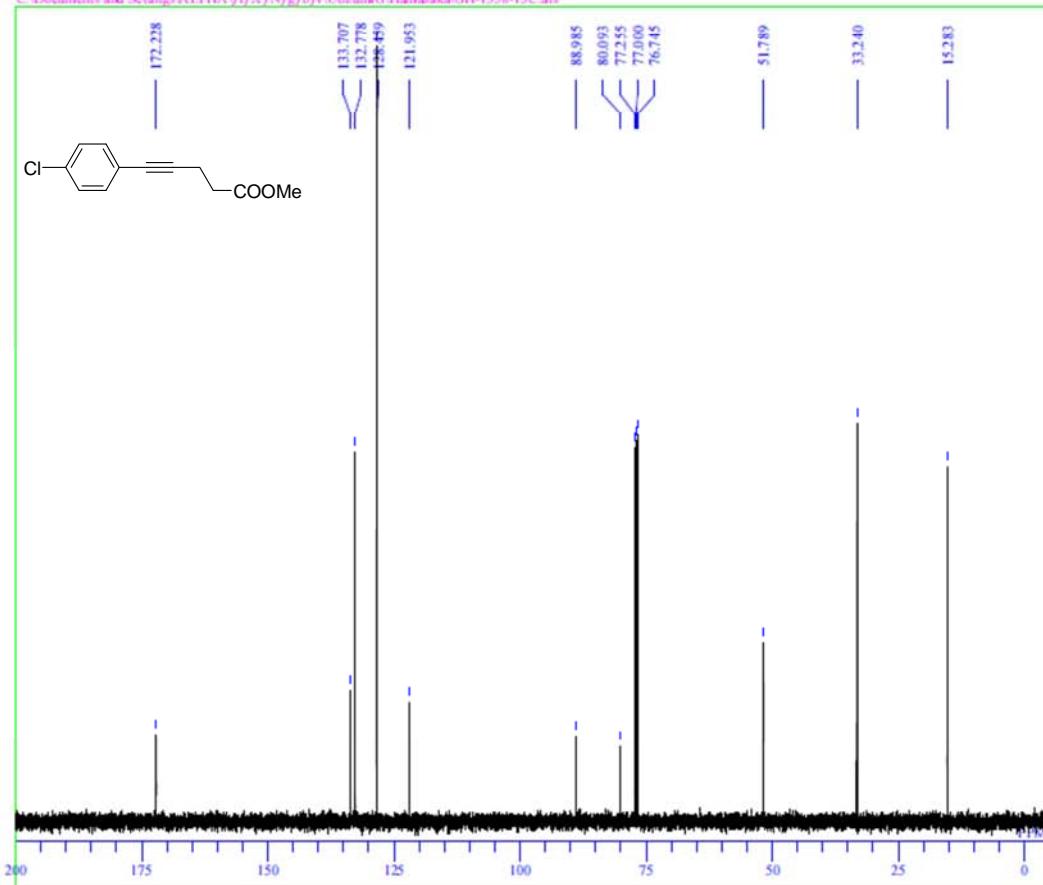
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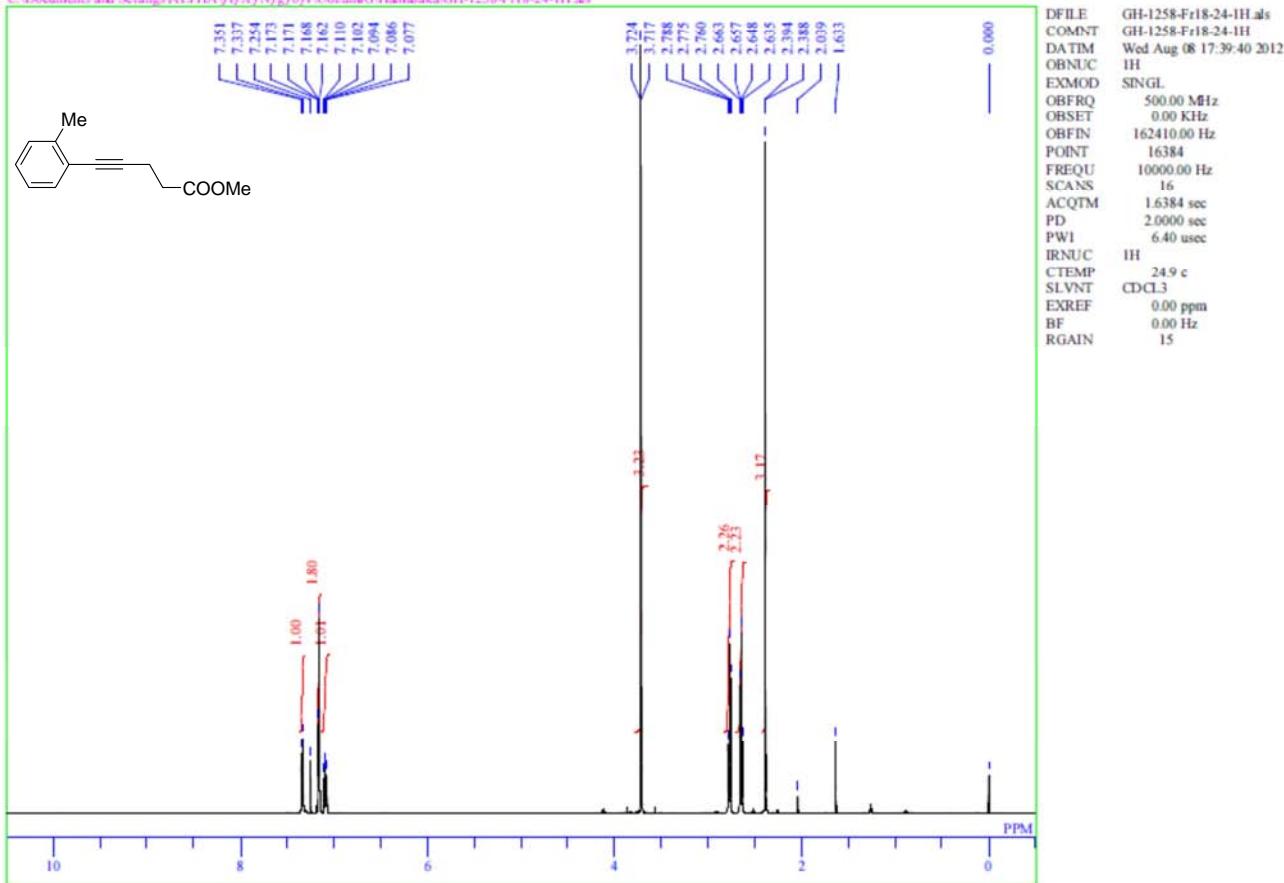


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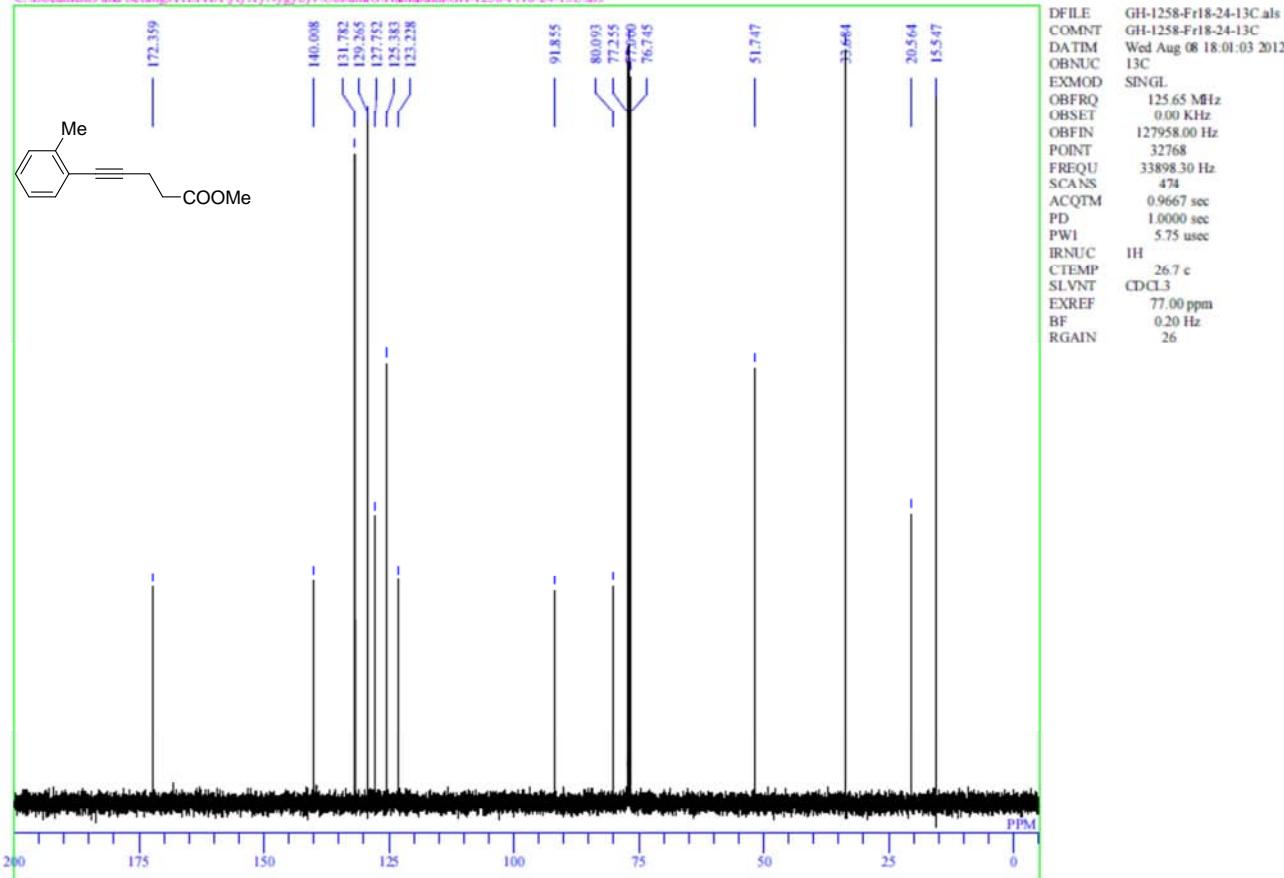
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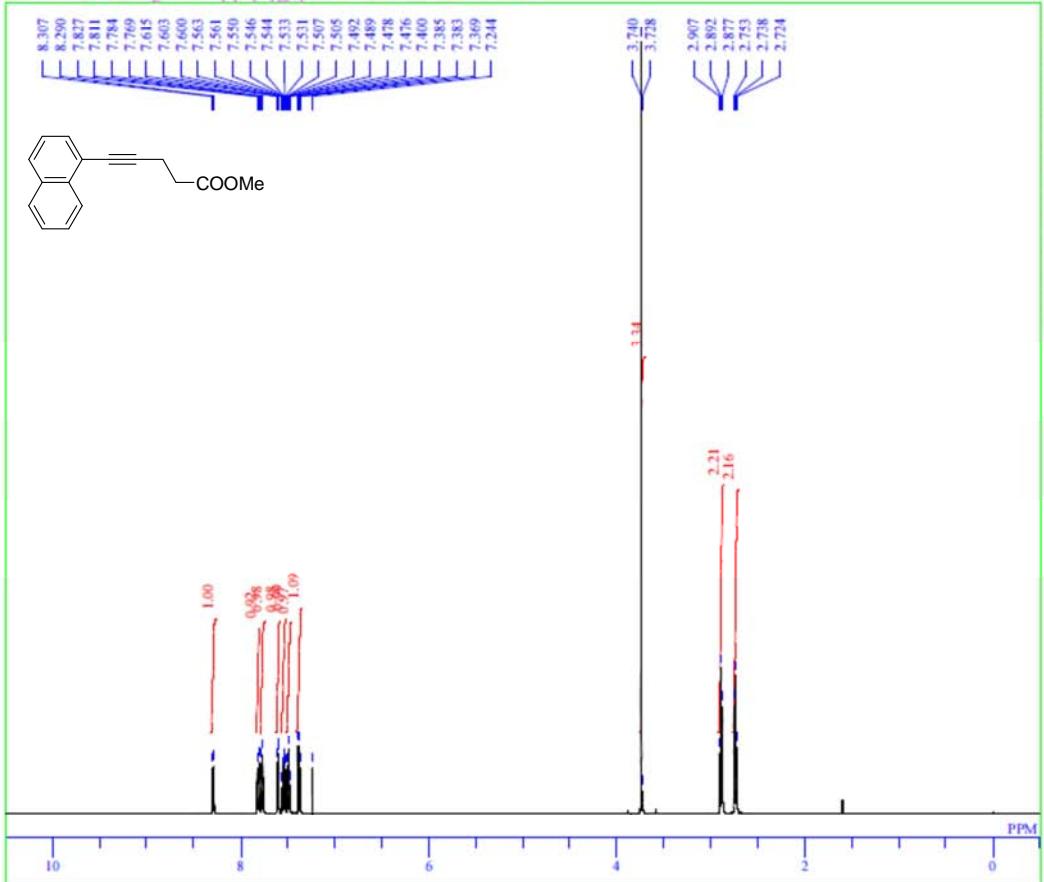
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Methyl 5-(1-naphthyl)-4-pentynoate (**S2k**)

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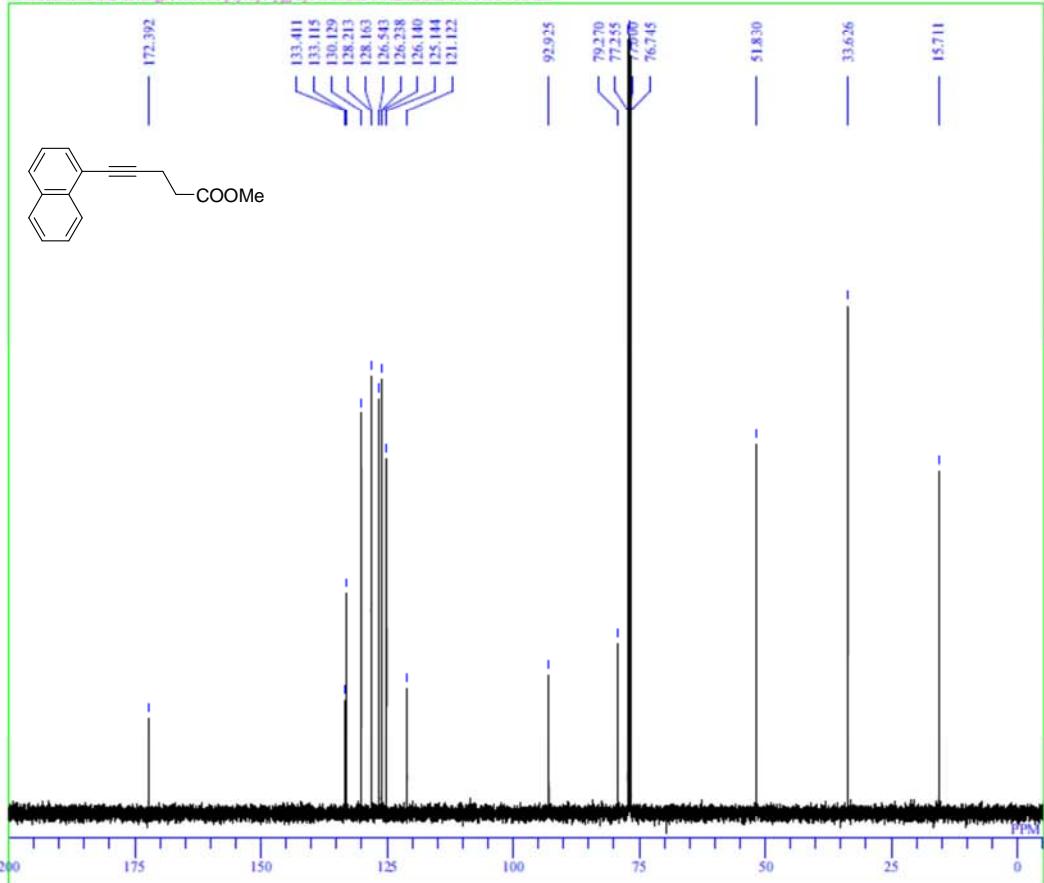
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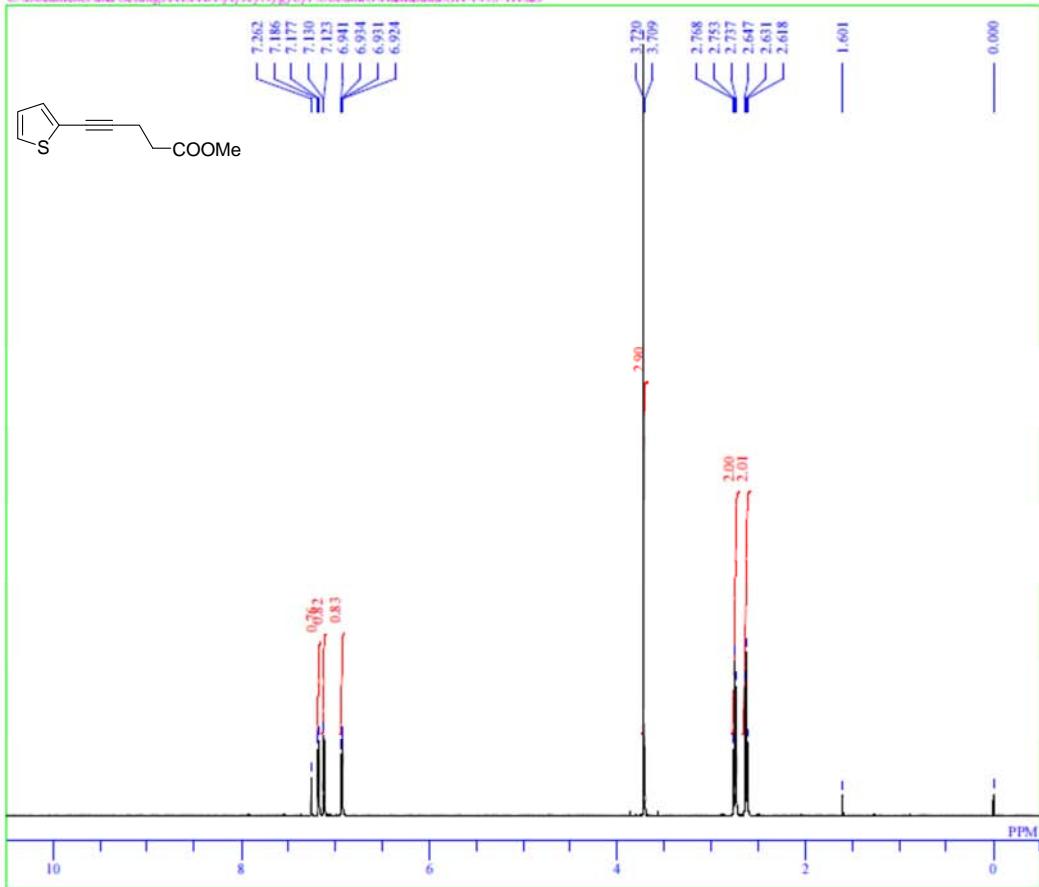


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Methyl 5-(2-thienyl)-4-pentynoate (**S21**)

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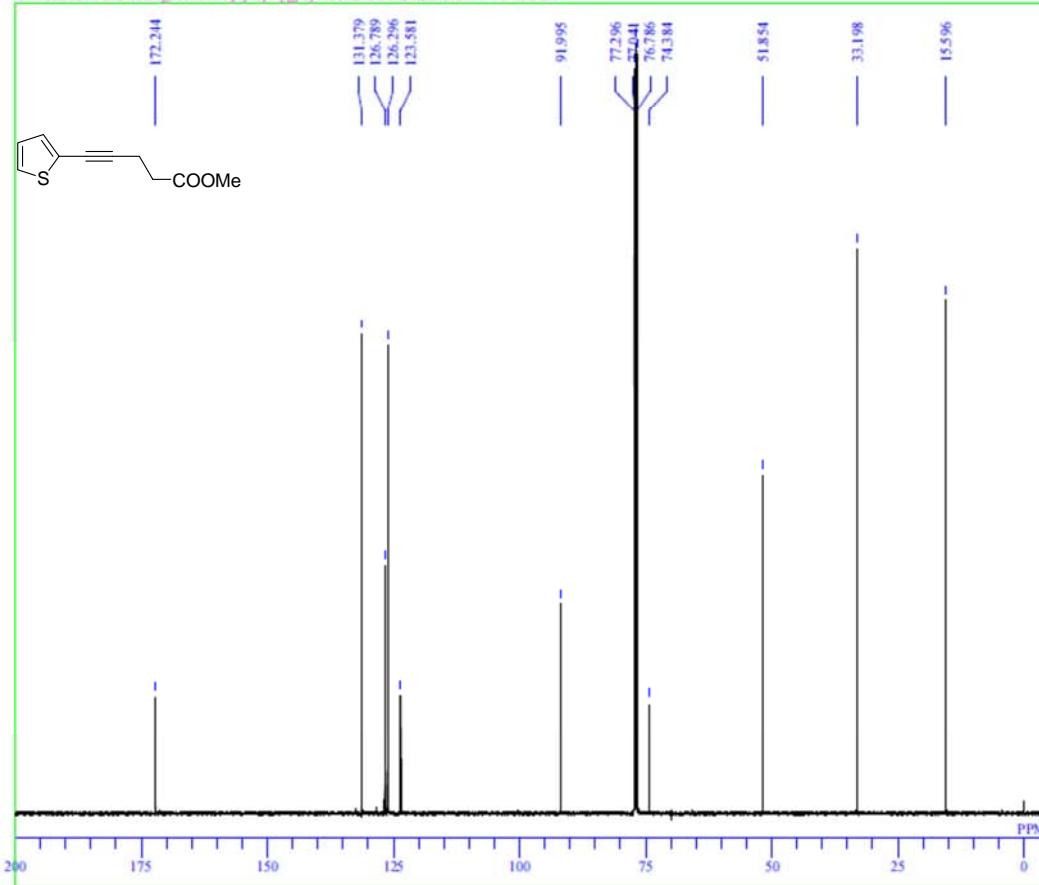
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PWI 6.40 usec
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BF 0.00 Hz
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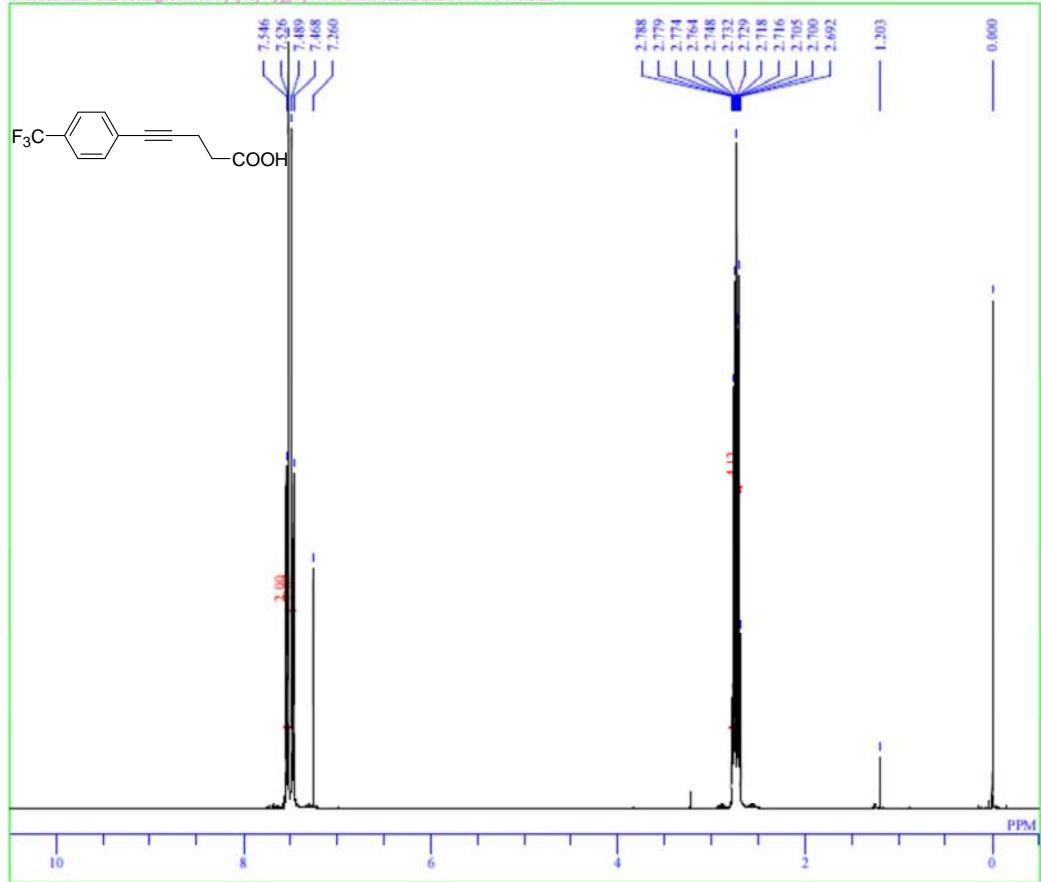
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RGAIN 27

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5-(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-4-pentynoic acid (**2a**)

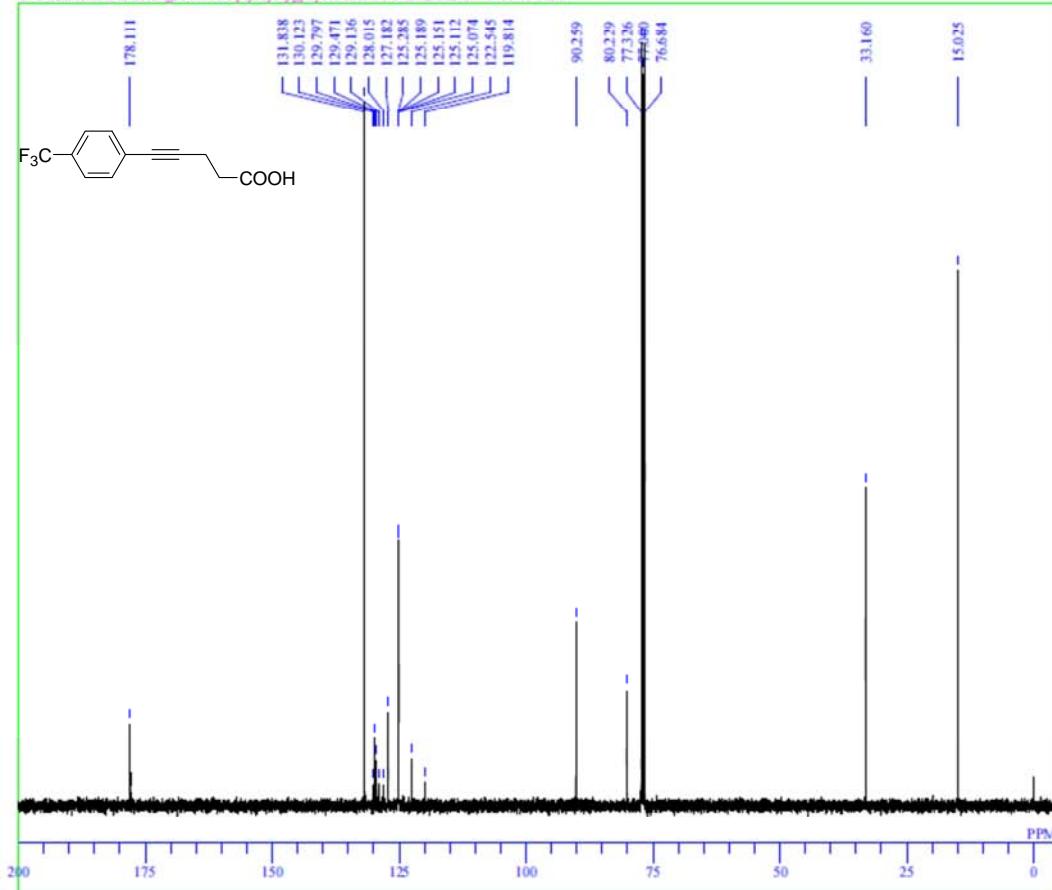
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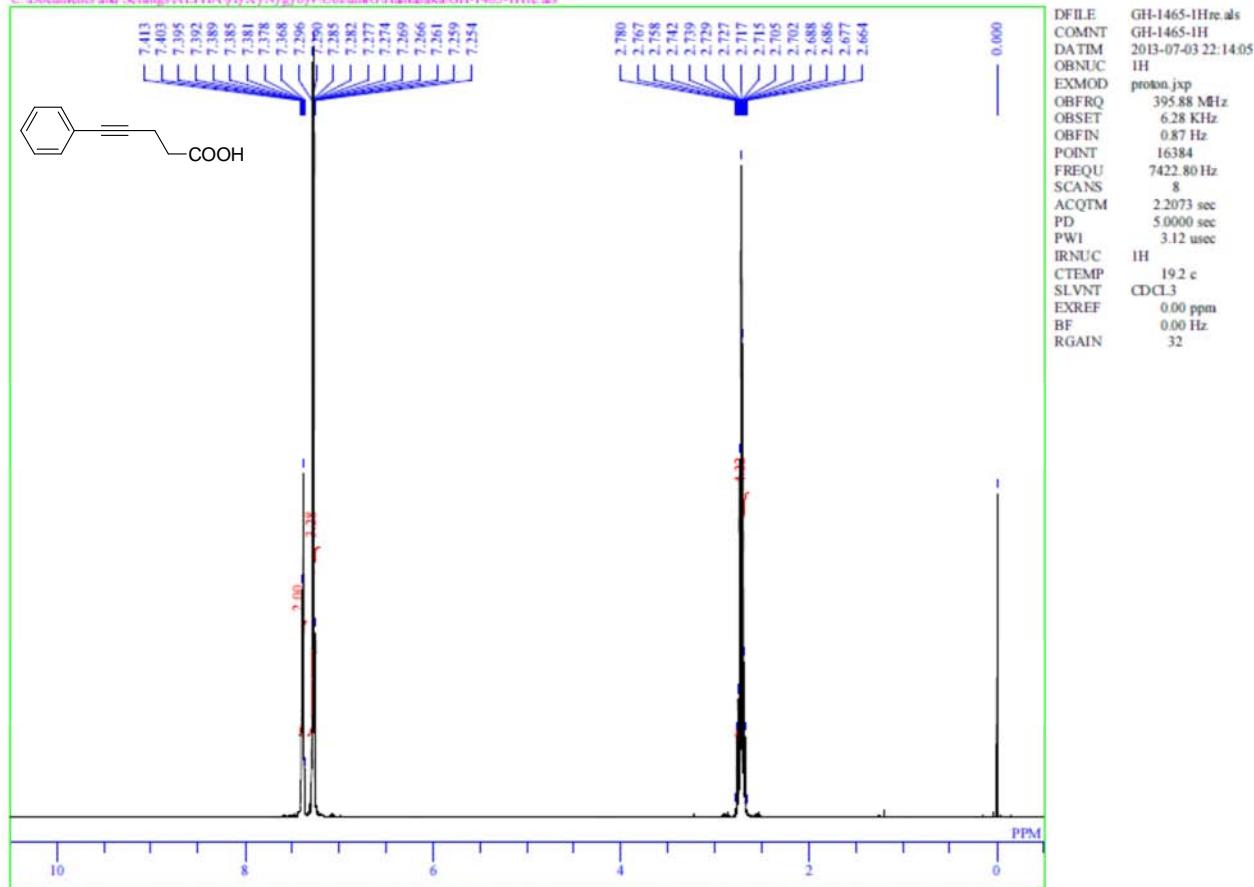
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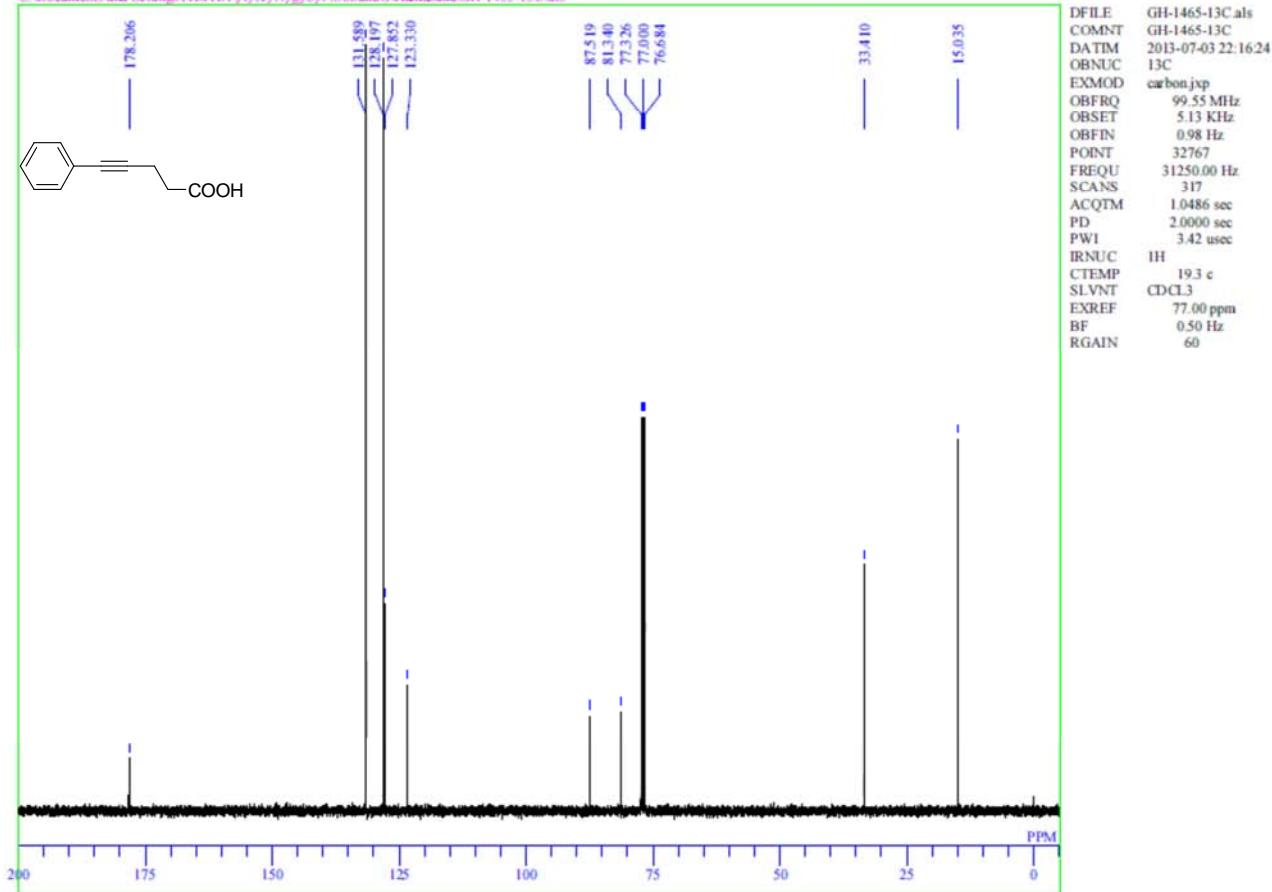
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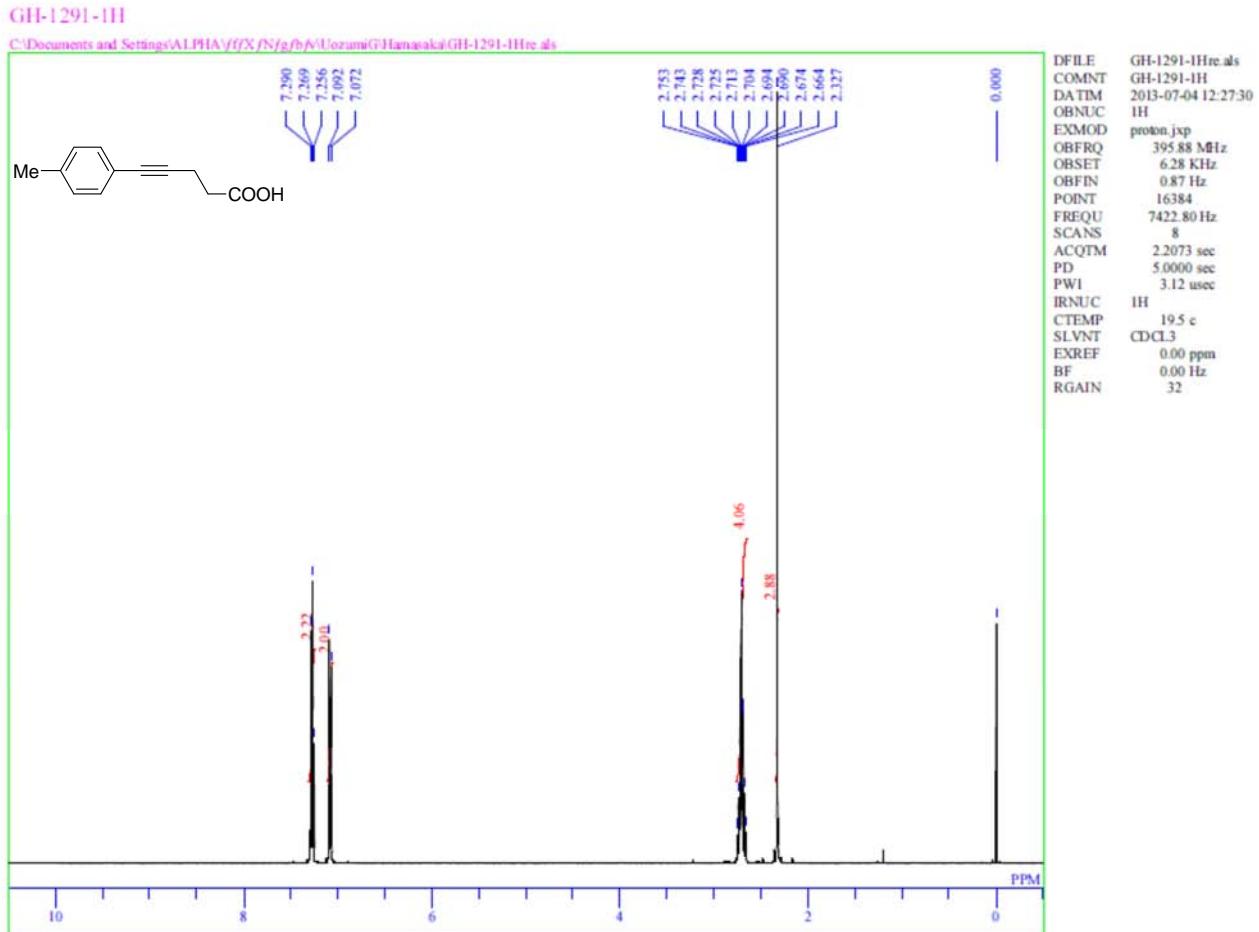


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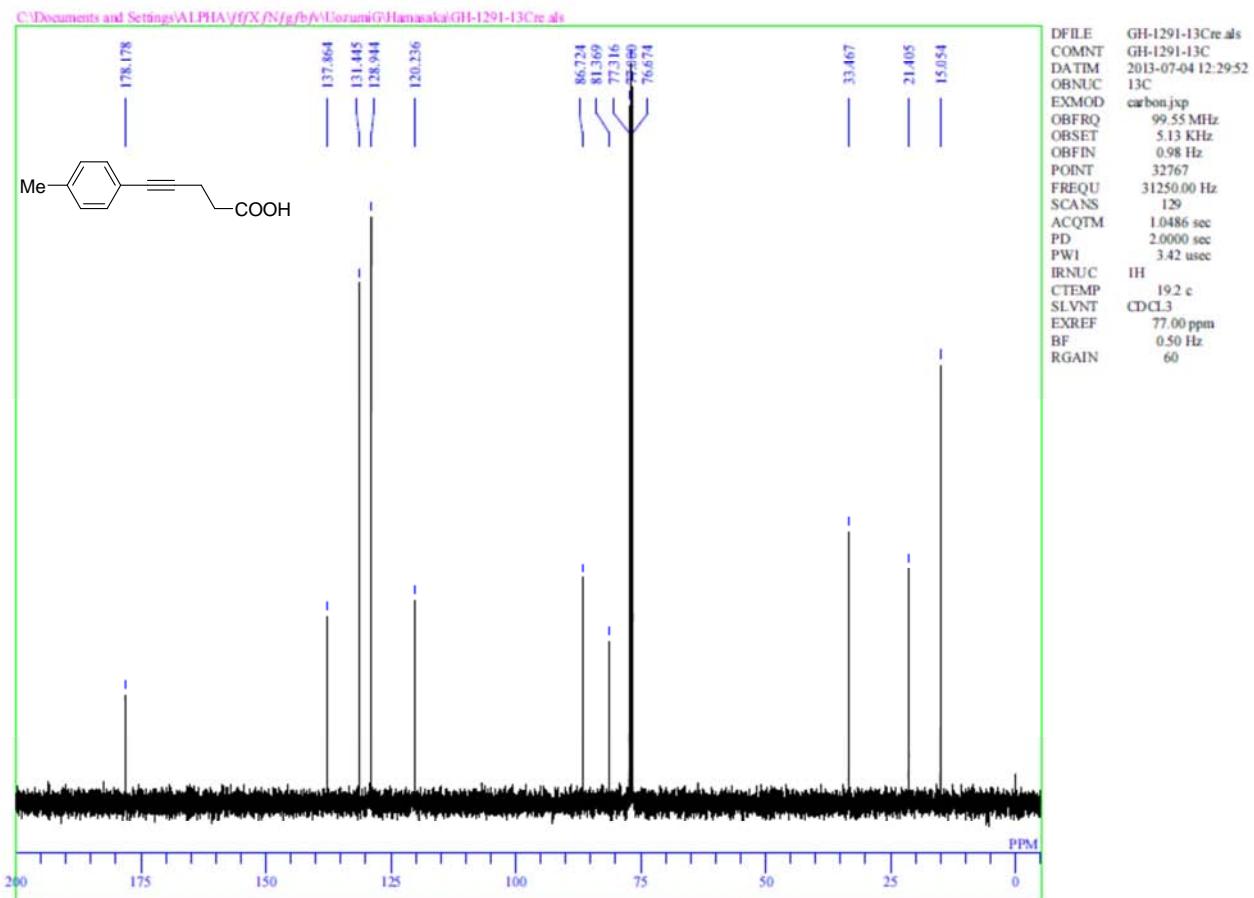
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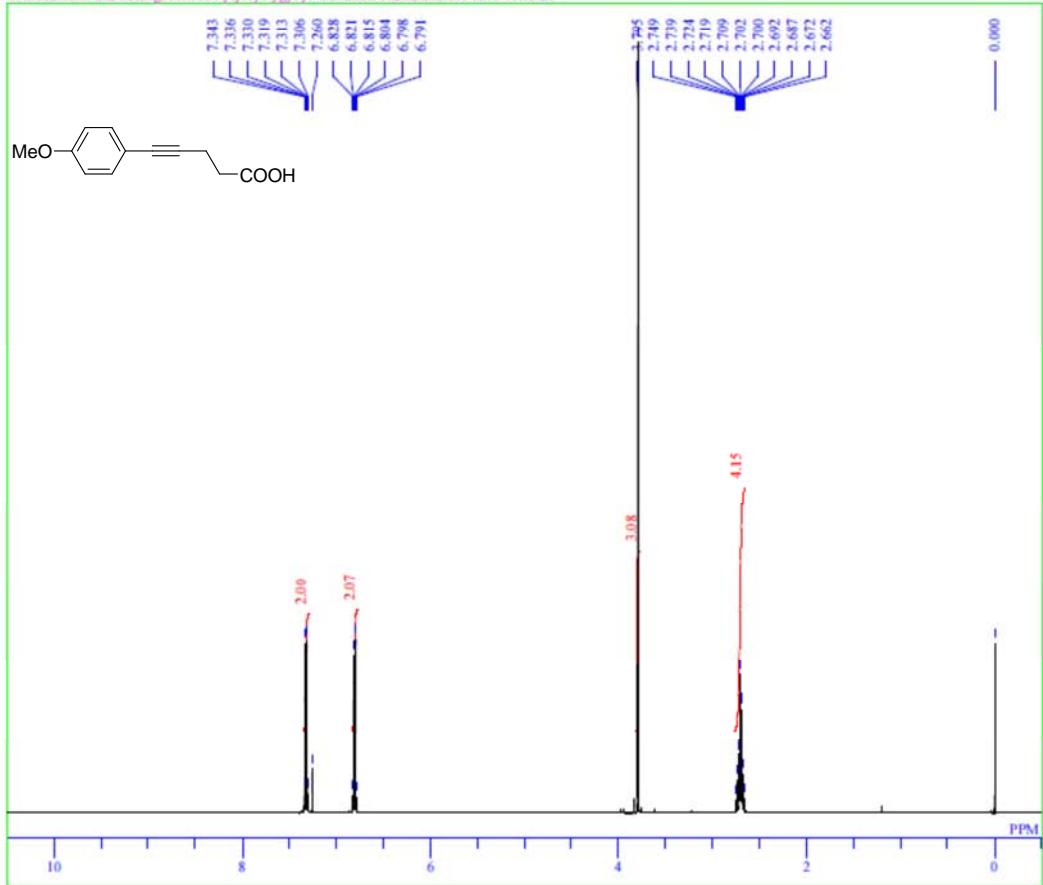
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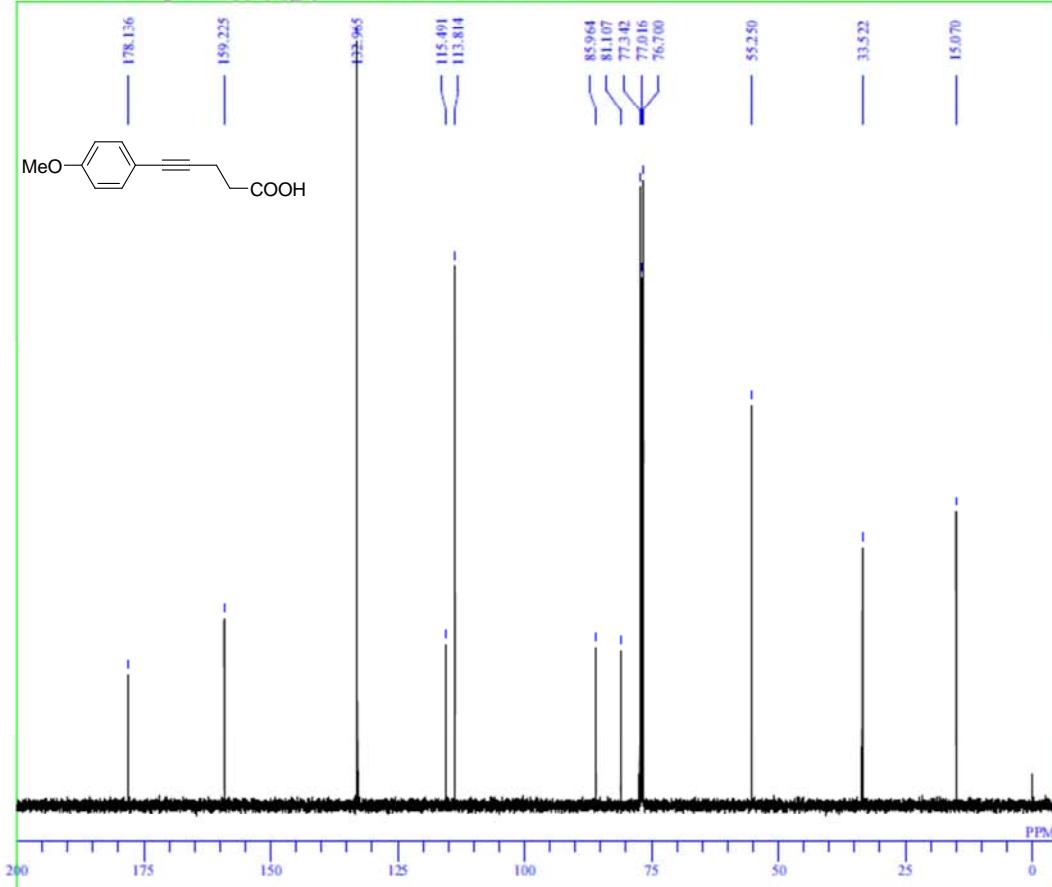
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CTEMP	19.0 c
SLVNT	CDCL ₃
EXREF	0.00 ppm
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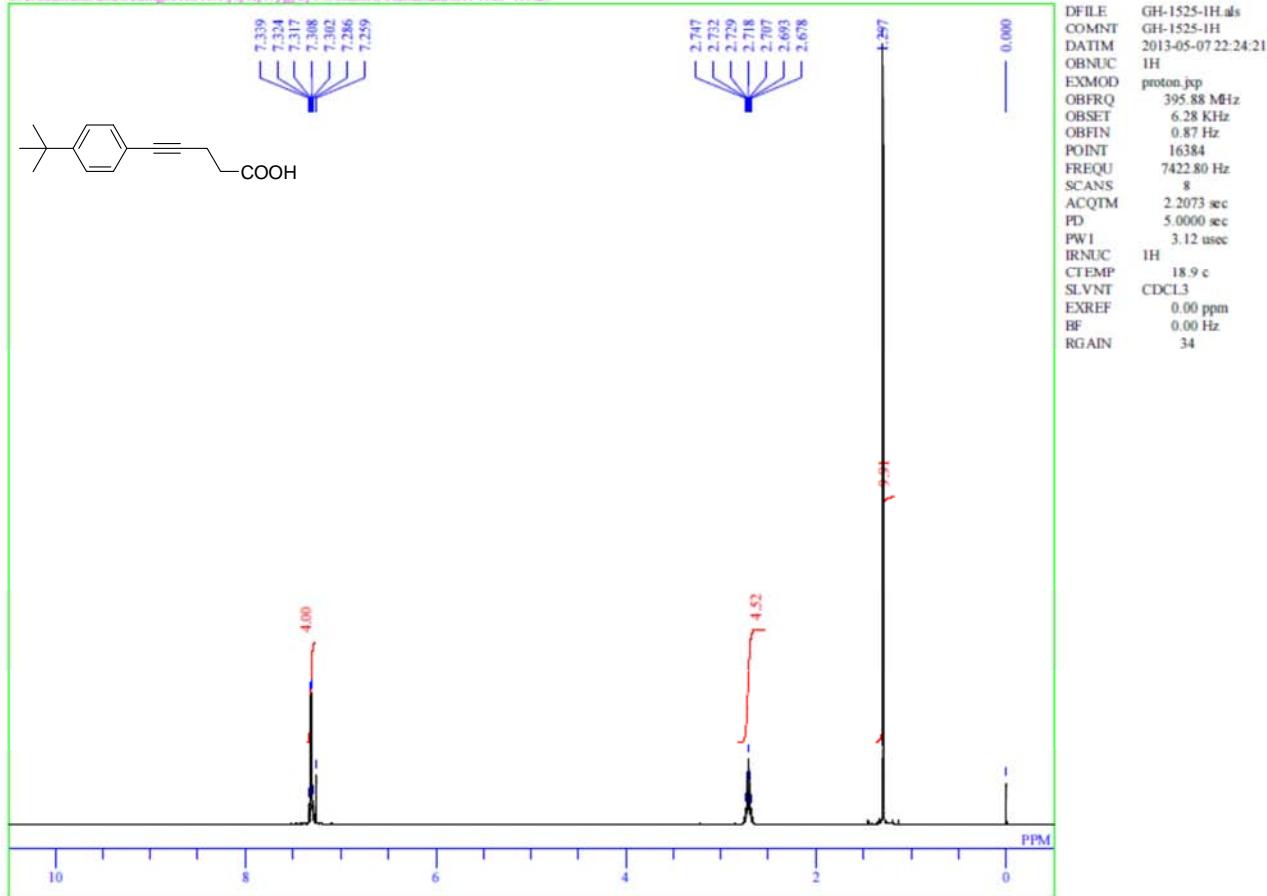


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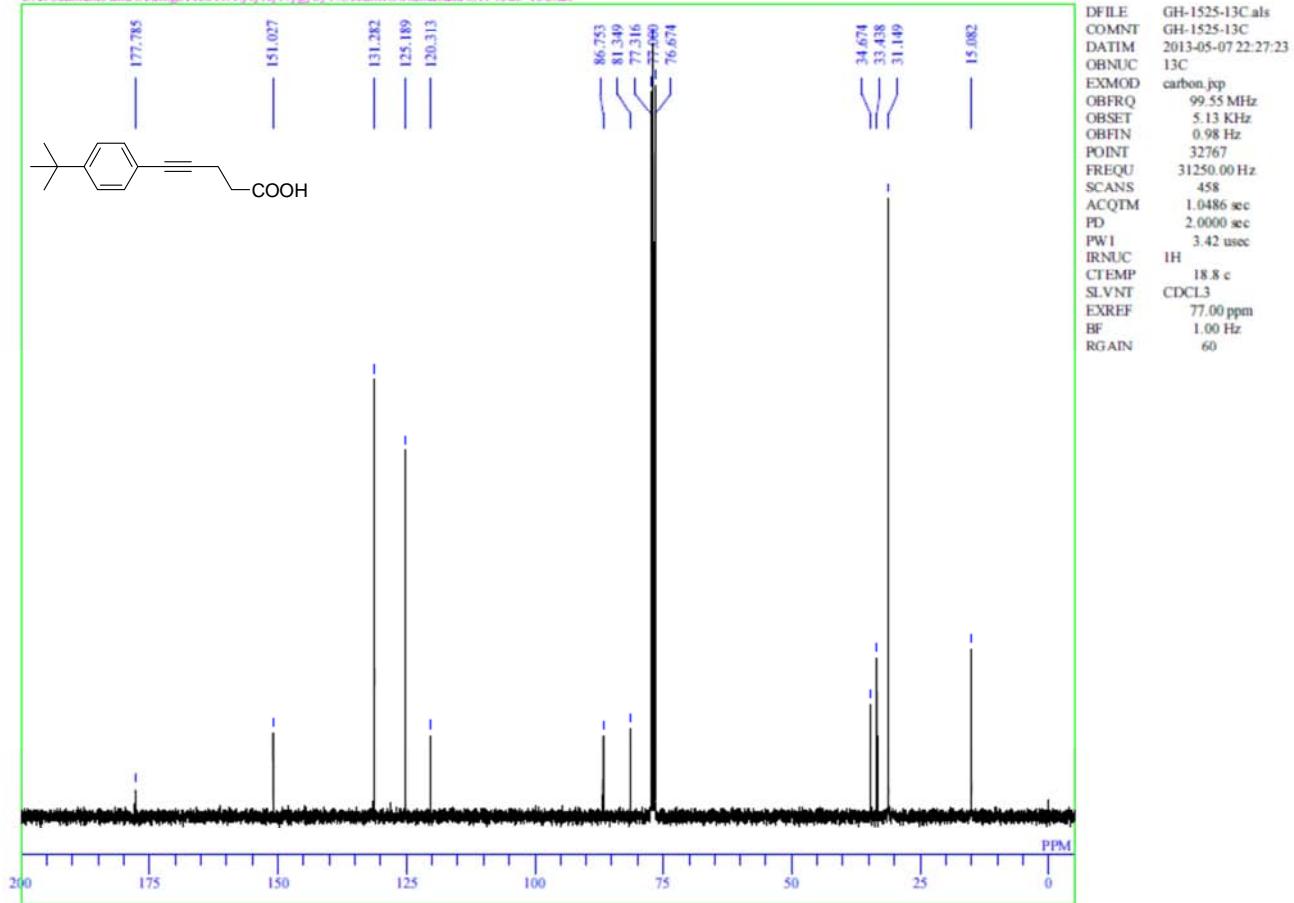
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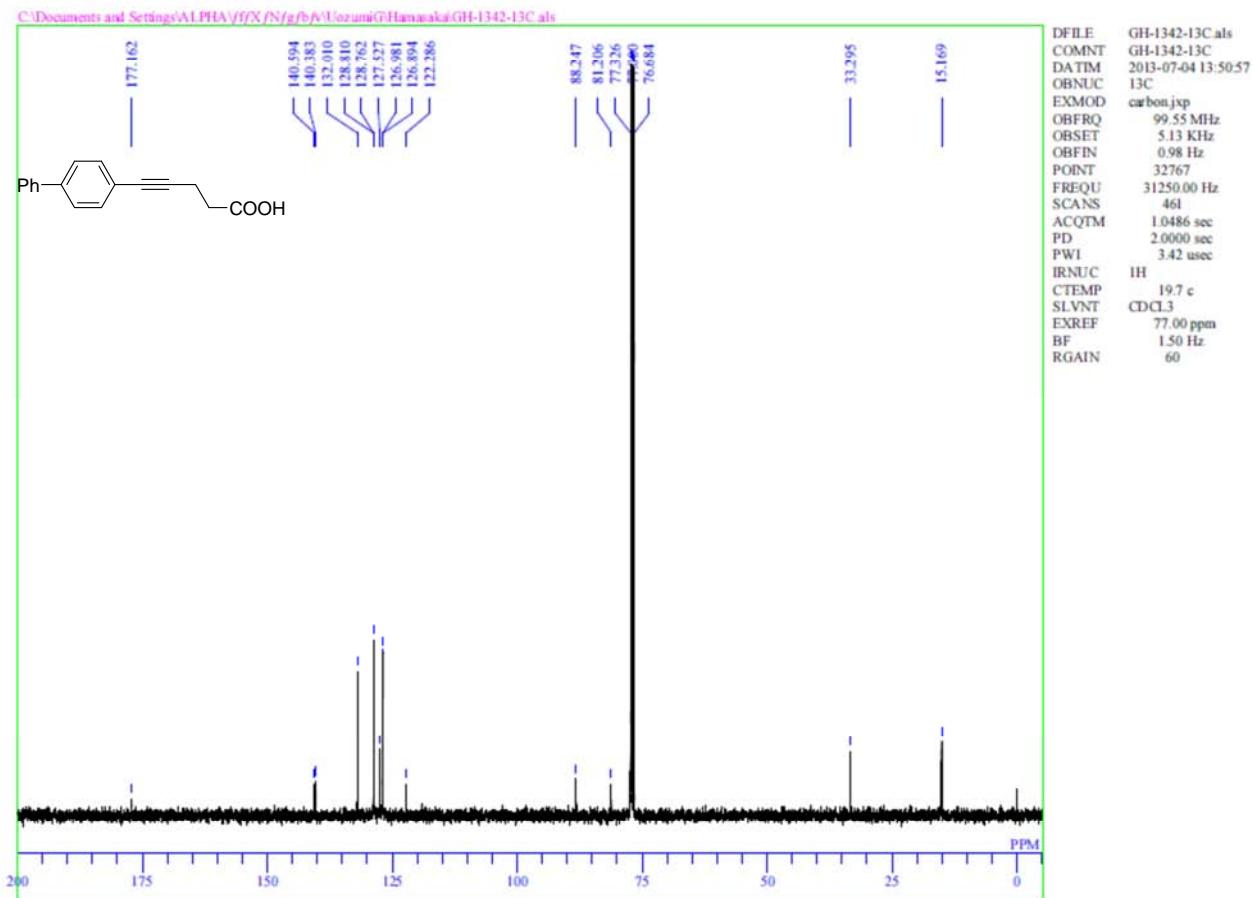
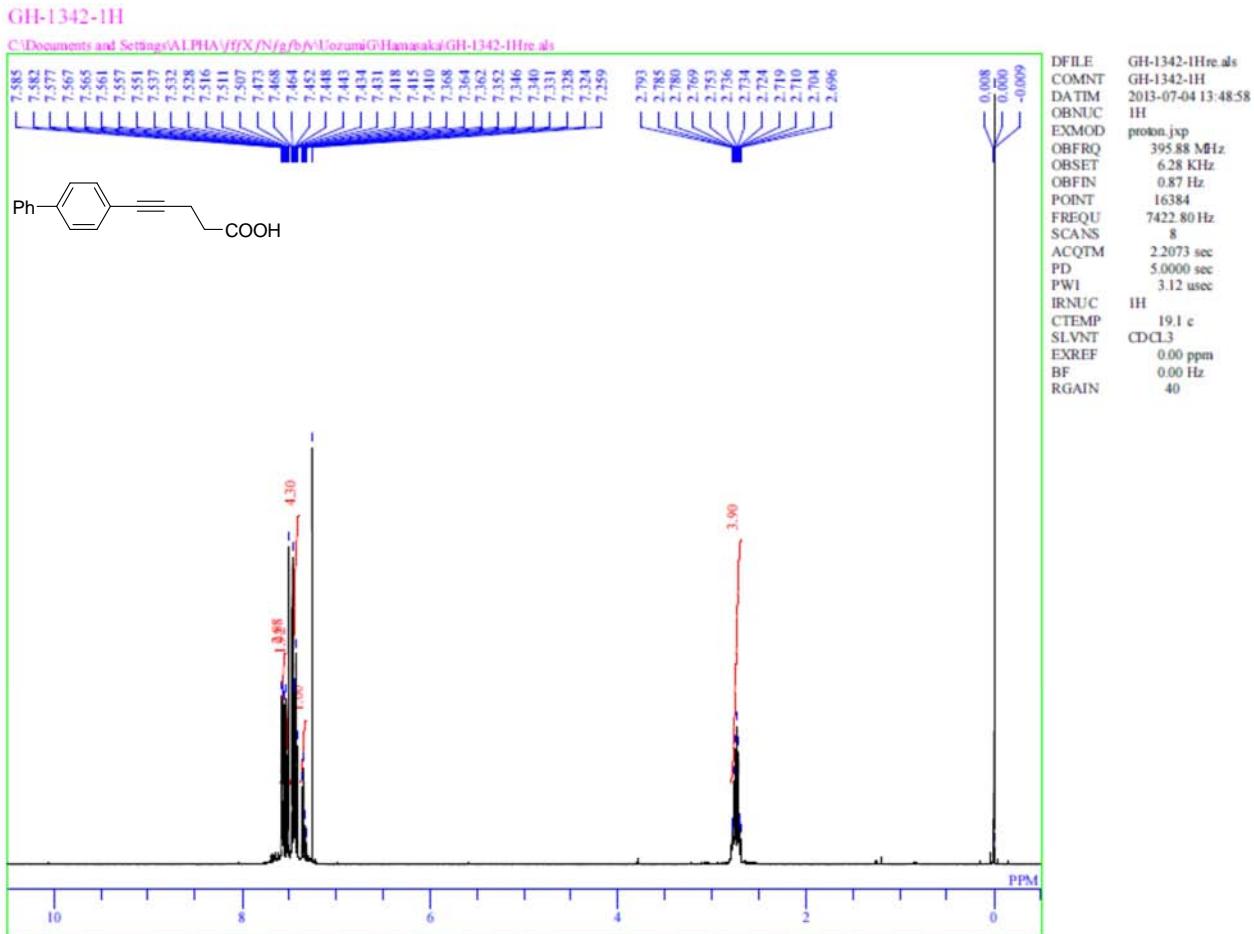


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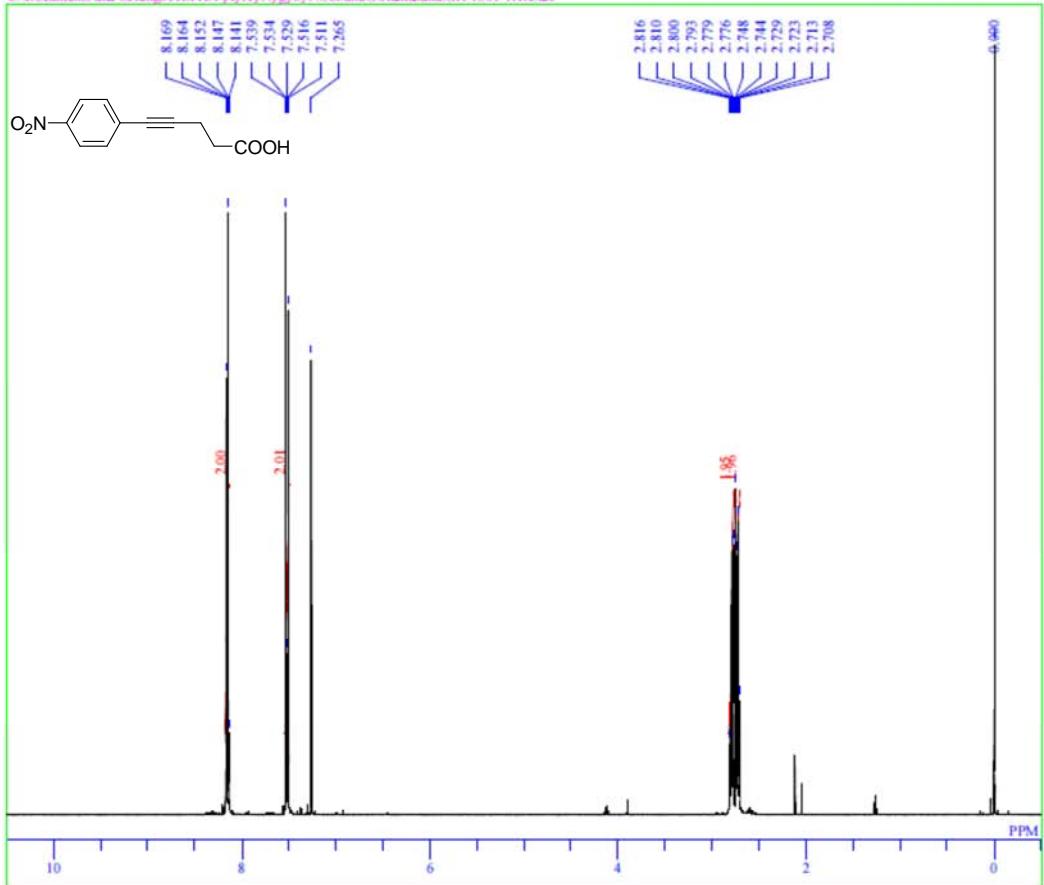
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5-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-pentyanoic acid (**2g**)

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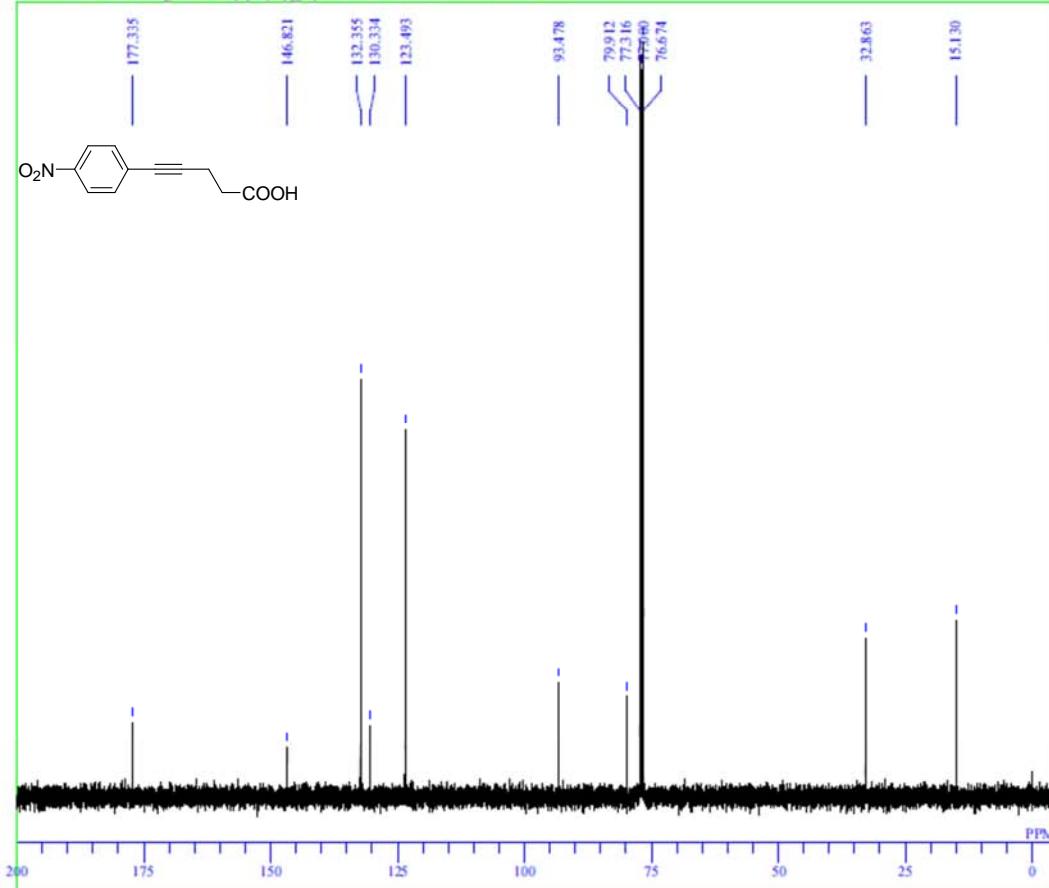
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PW1     3.12 usec
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BF      0.00 Hz
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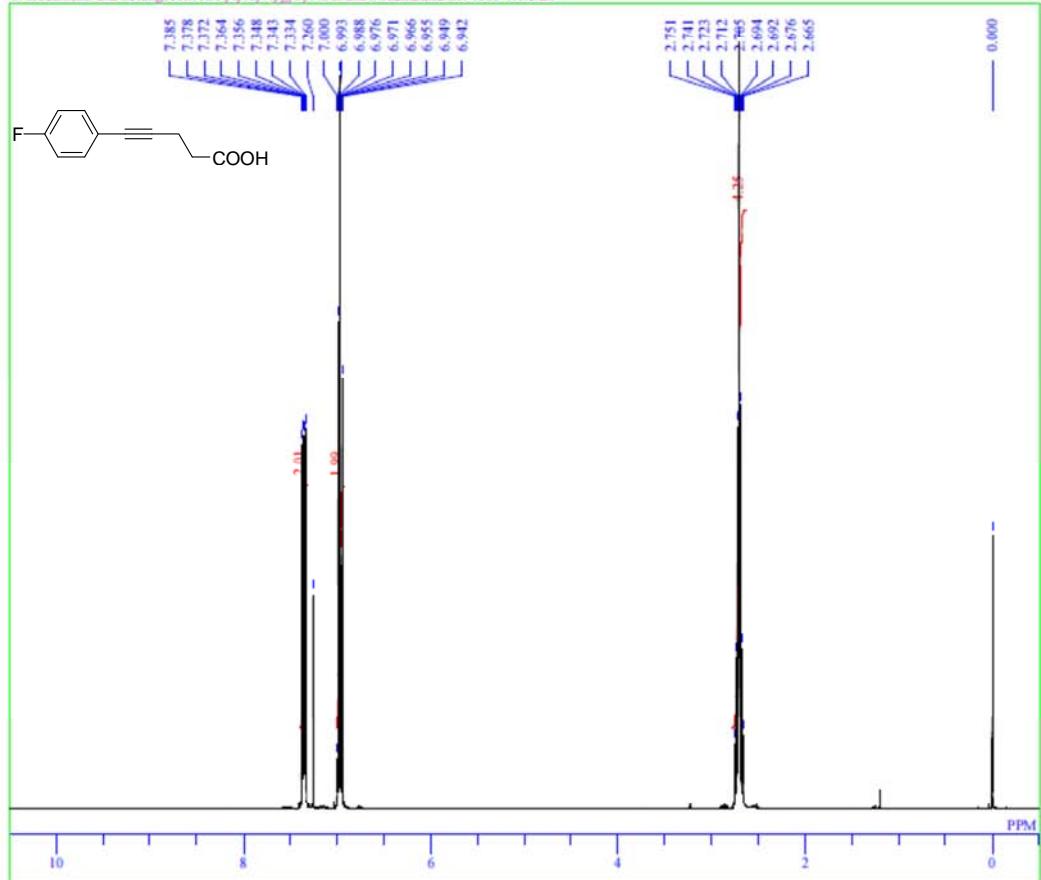
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5-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-pentyoic acid (**2h**)

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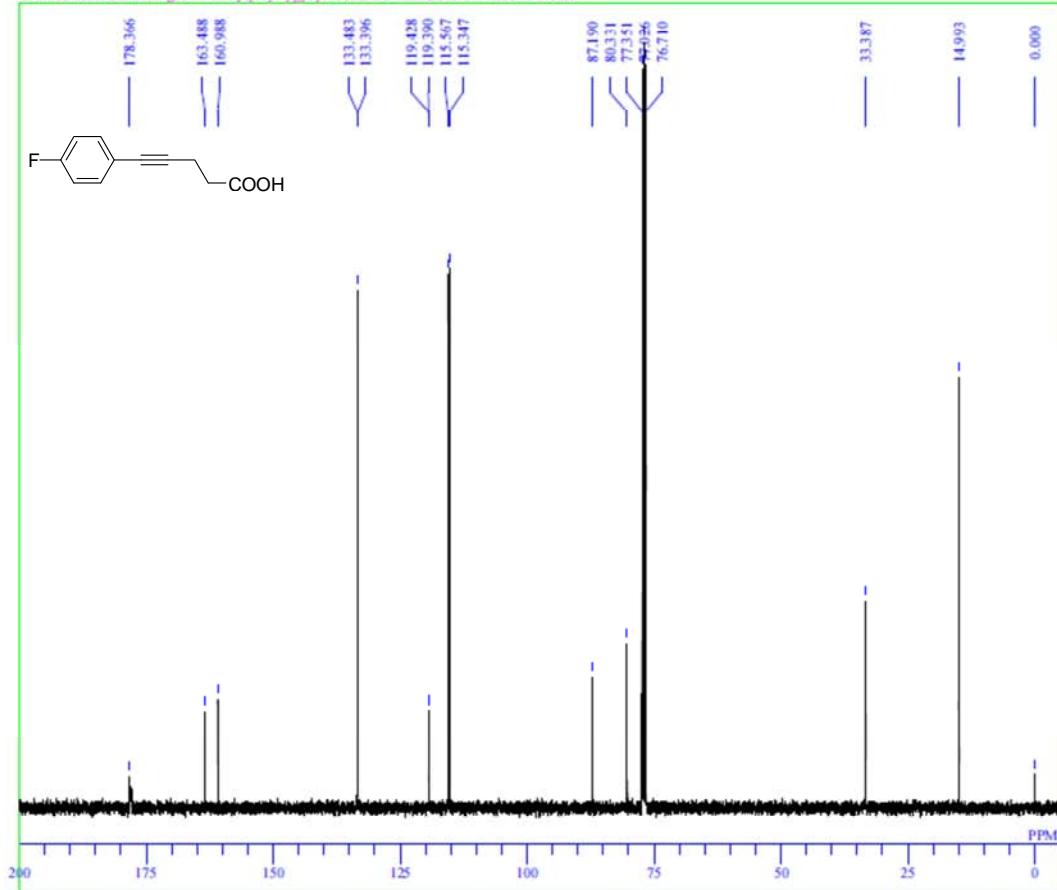
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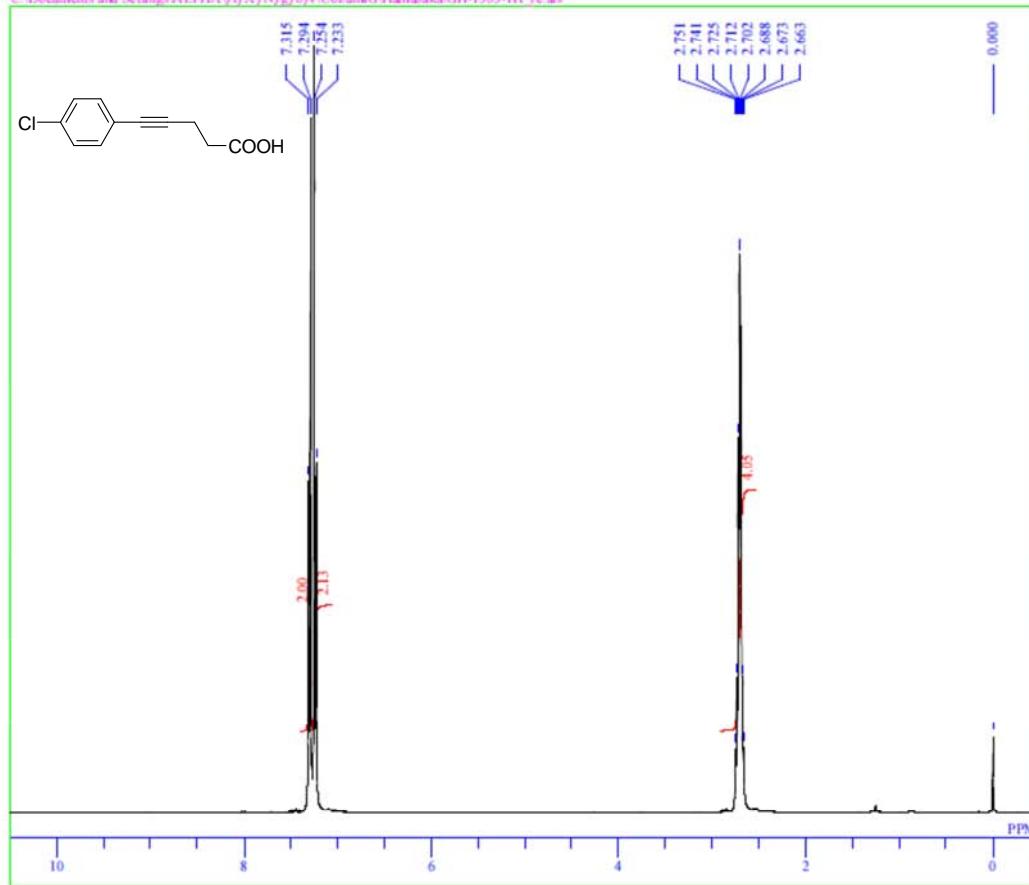


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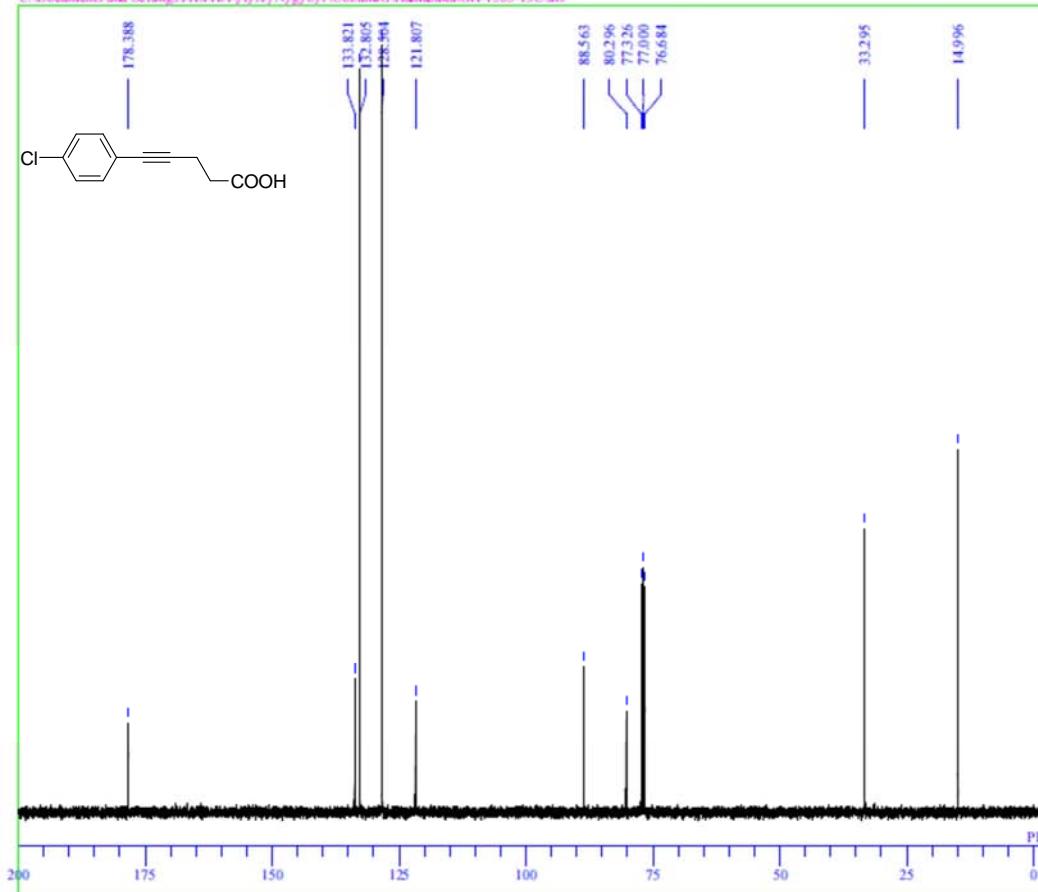
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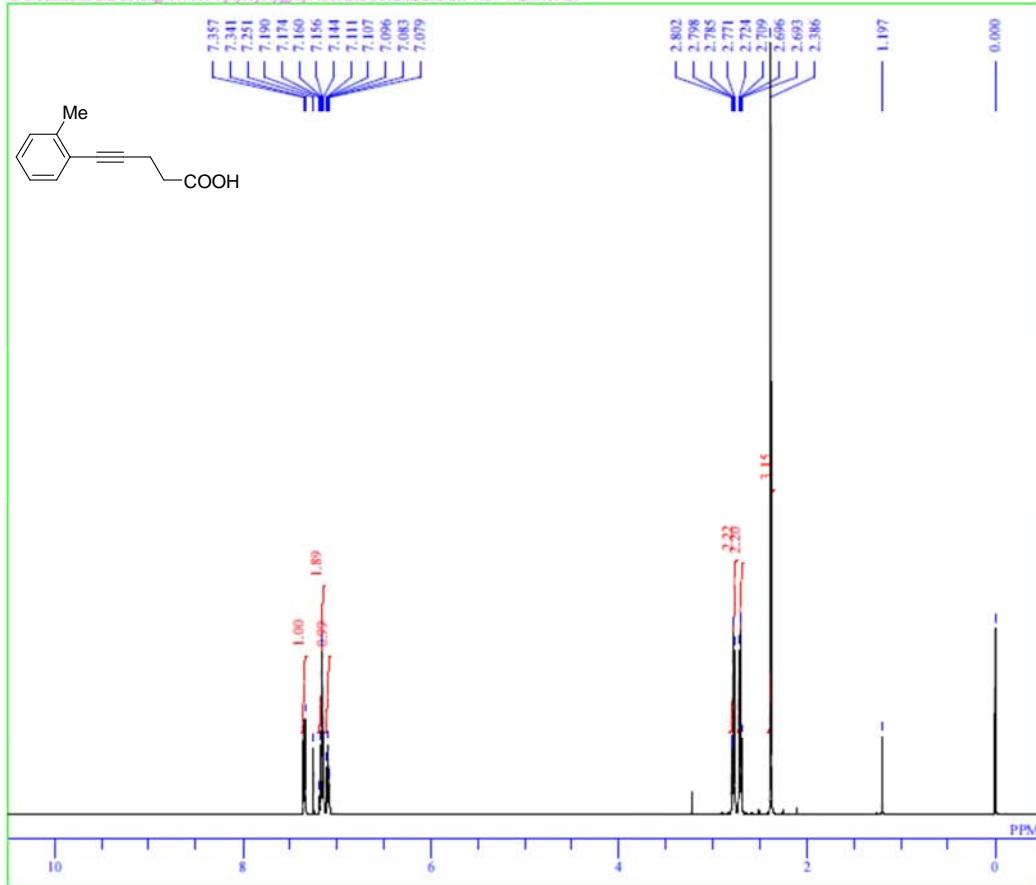
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5-(2-methylphenyl)-4-pentyoic acid (**2j**)

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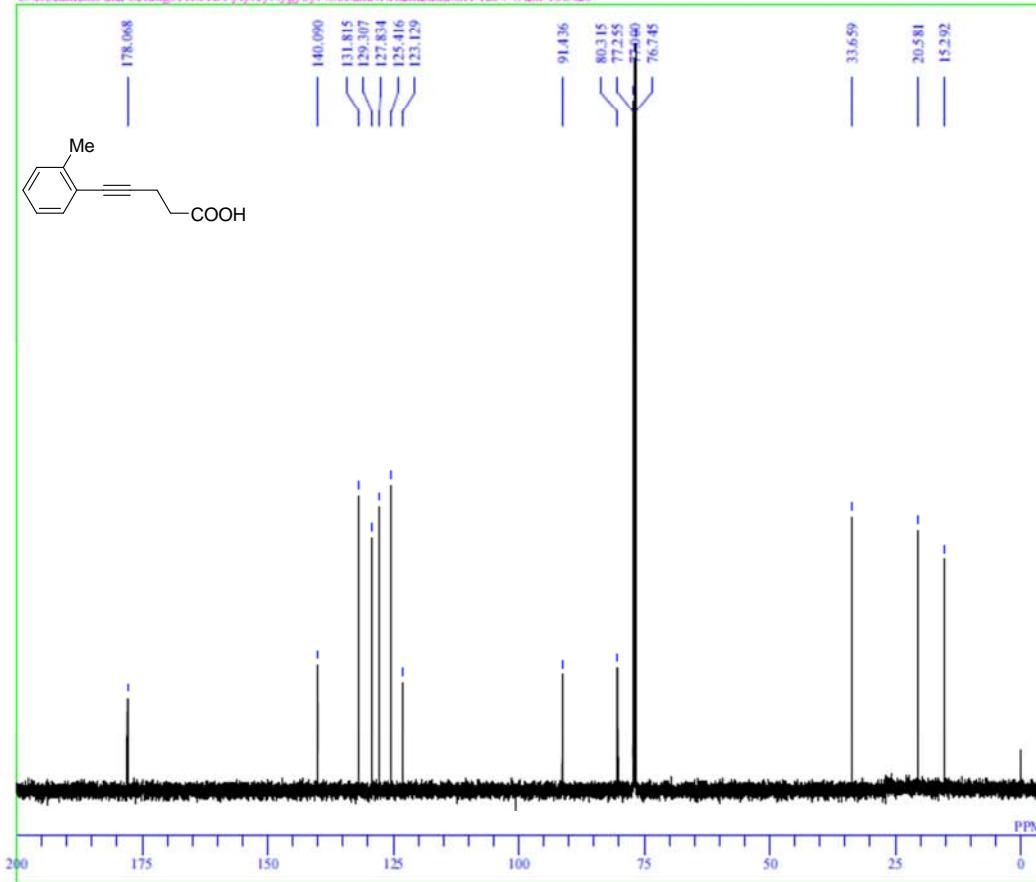
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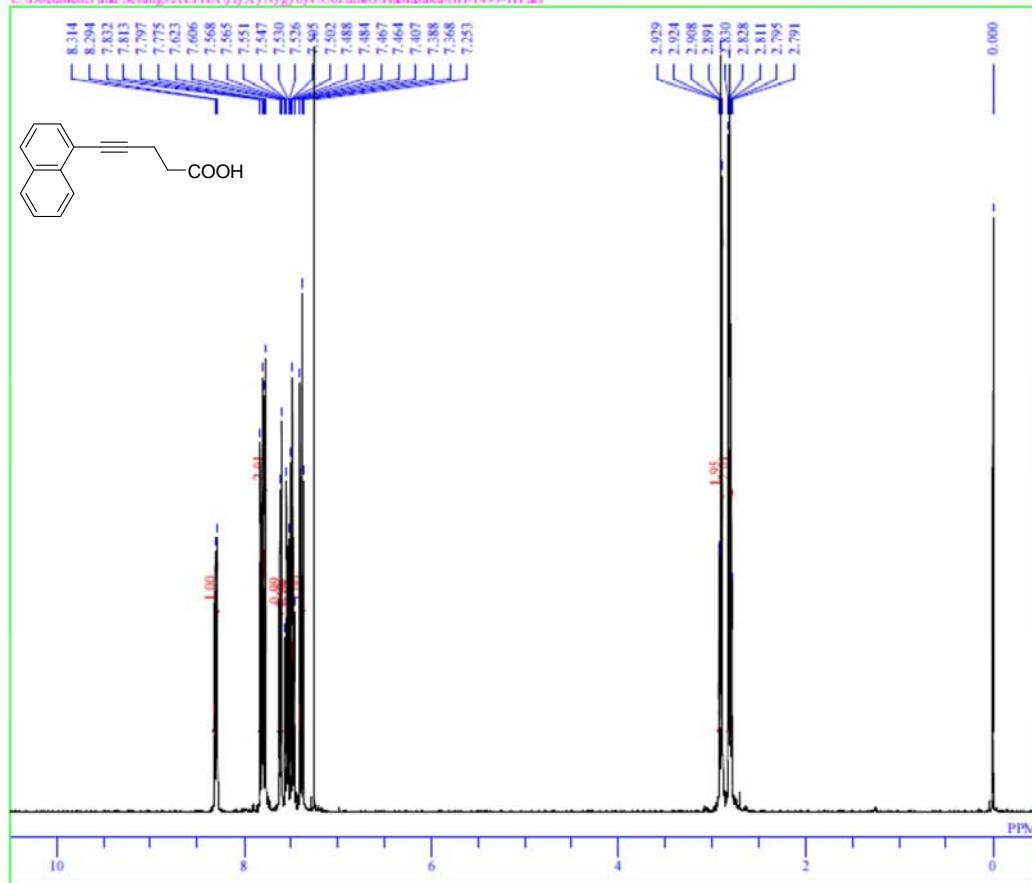
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CTEMP 26.4 c
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5-(1-naphthyl)-4-pentyneoic acid (**2k**)

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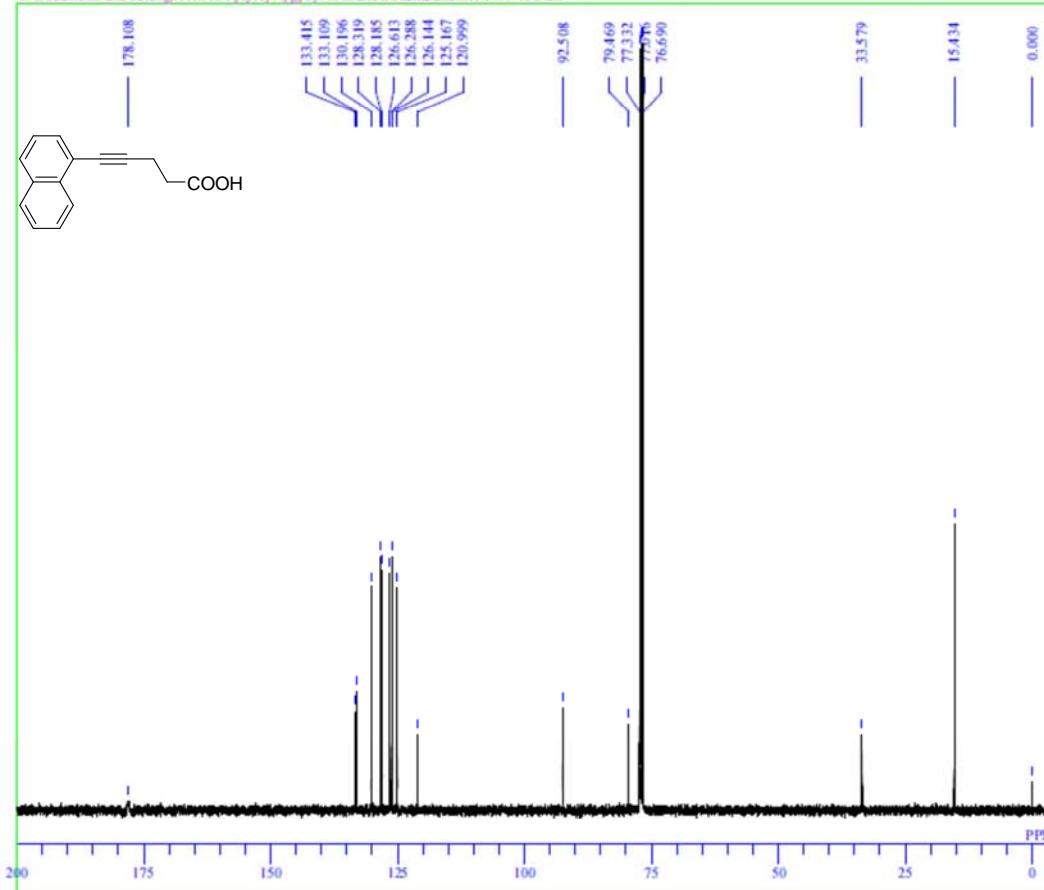
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PD 5.0000 sec
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CTEMP 19.3 c
SLVNT CDCL₃
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 38

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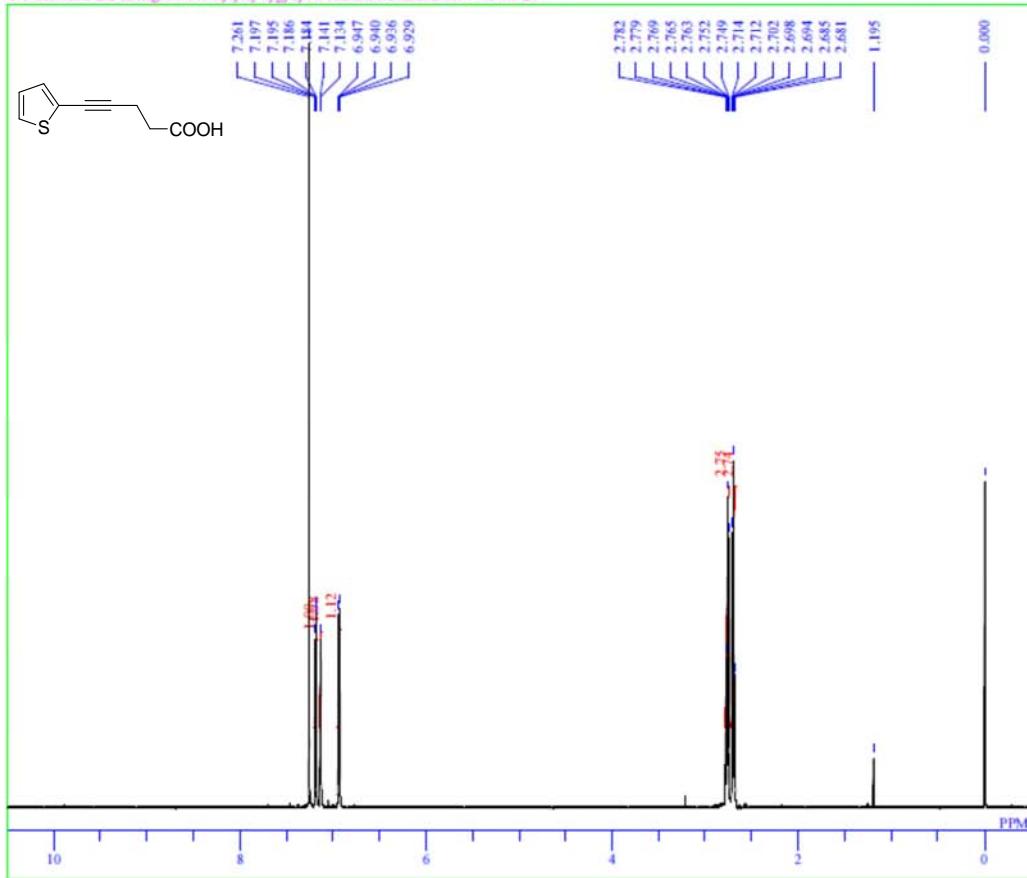


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5-(2-thienyl)-4-pentynoic acid (**2I**)

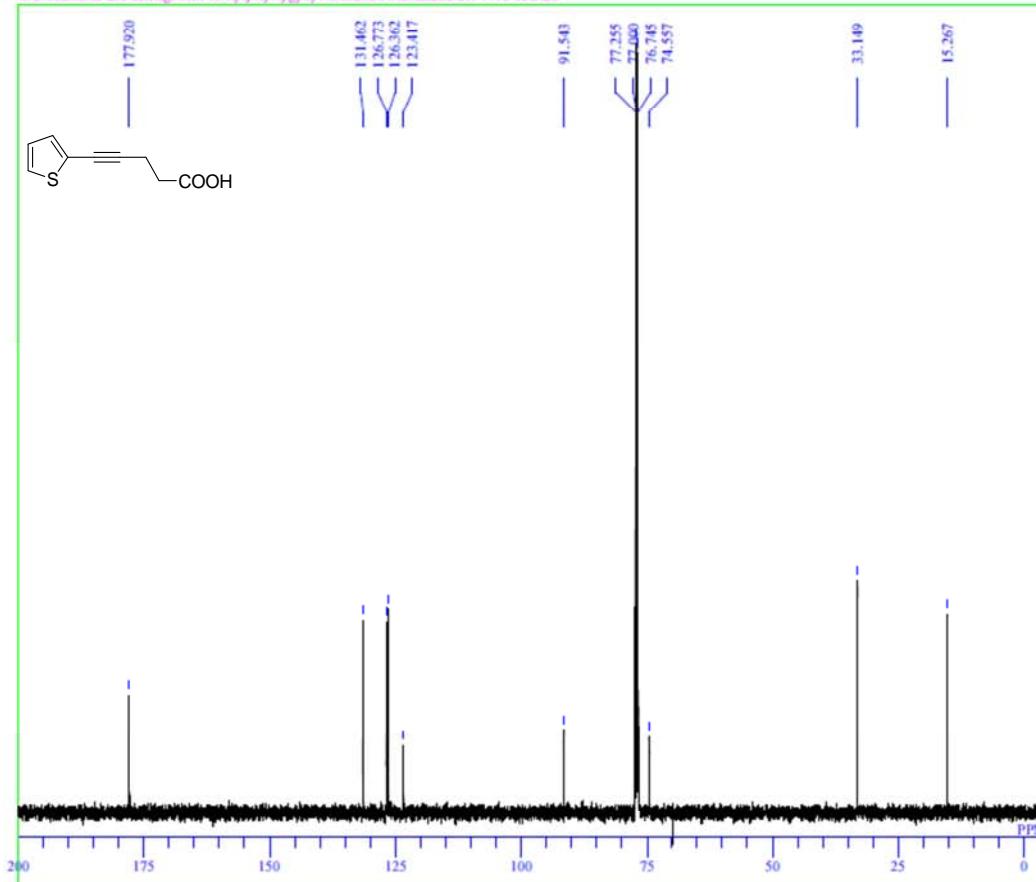
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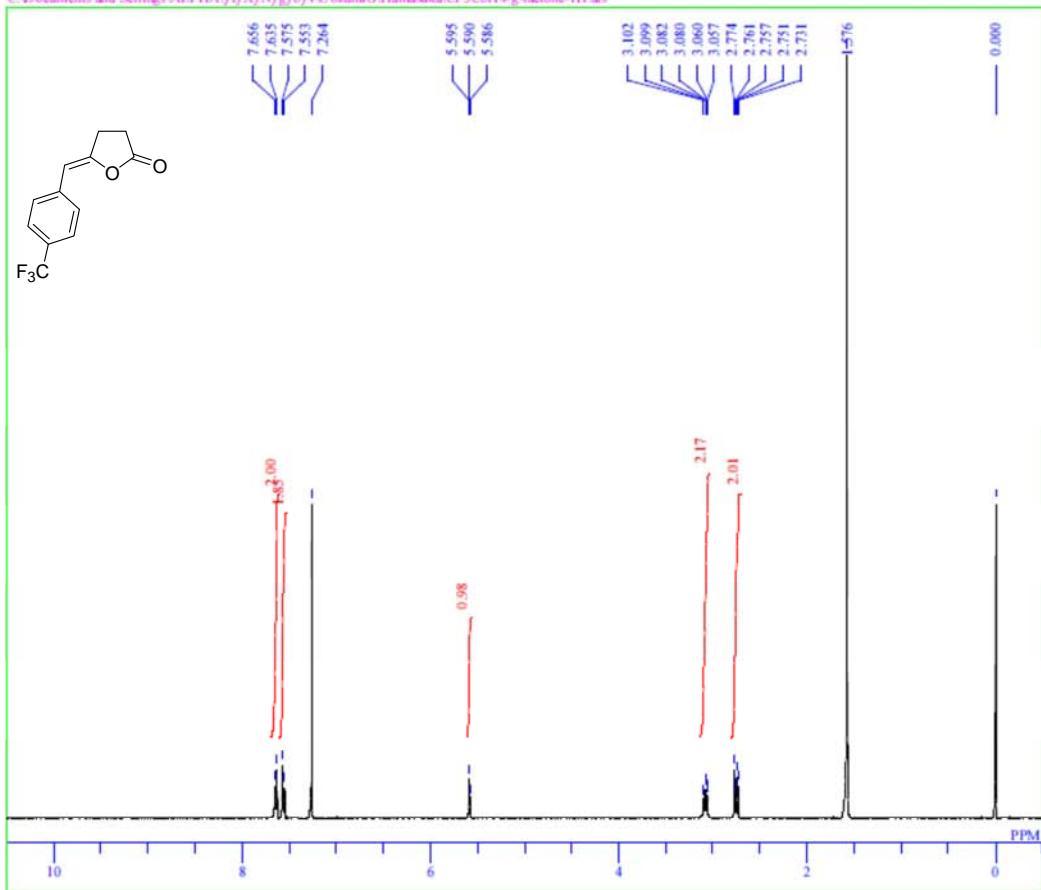


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 PD 1.0000 sec
 PW1 5.75 usec
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 RGAIN 26

(Z)- γ -(4-Trifluoromethylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3a**)

F3CC6H4-g-lactone-1H

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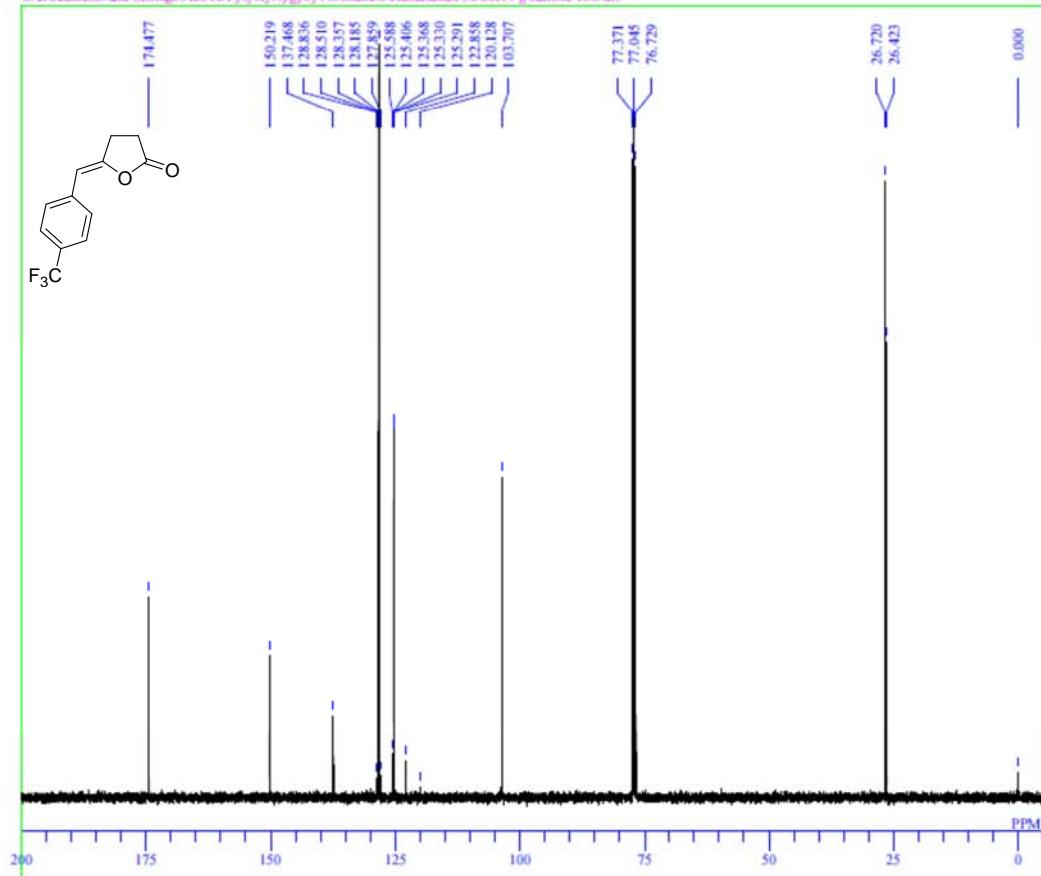
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RGAIN 46

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F3CC6H4-g-lactone-13C

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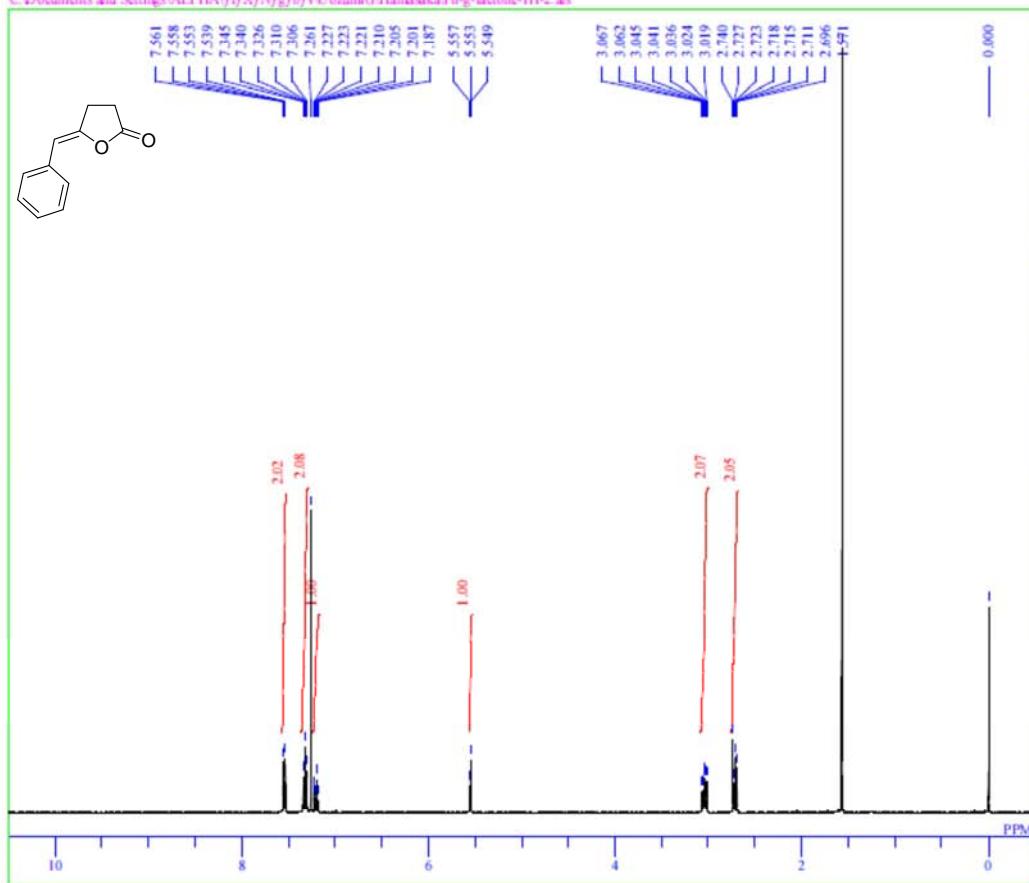
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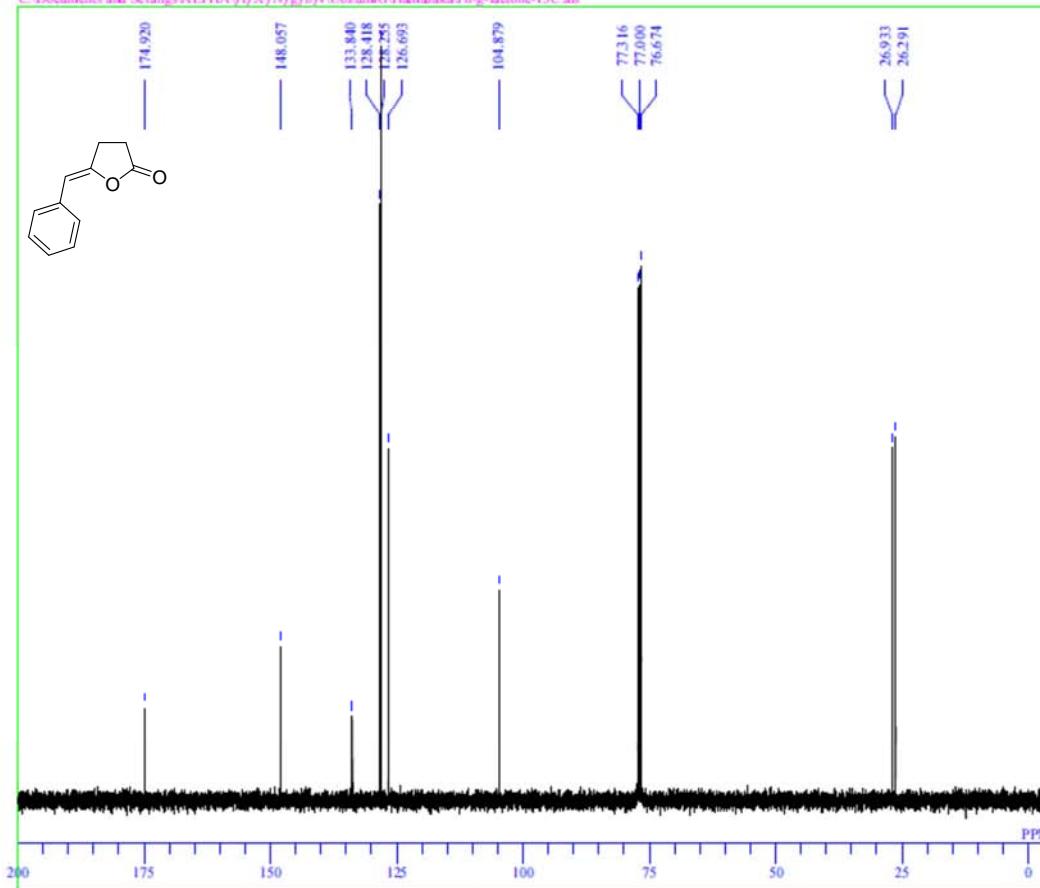
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Ph-g-lactone-13C

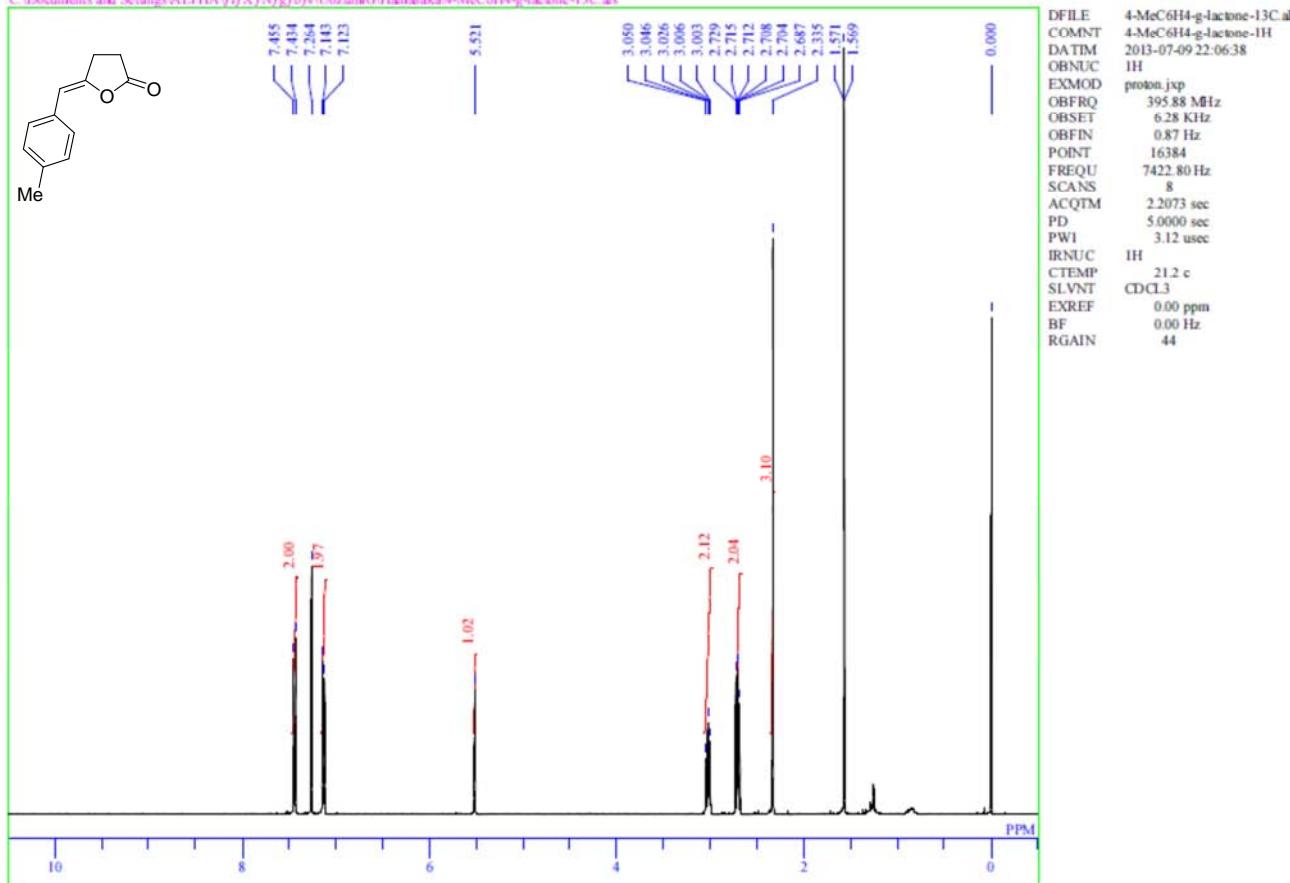
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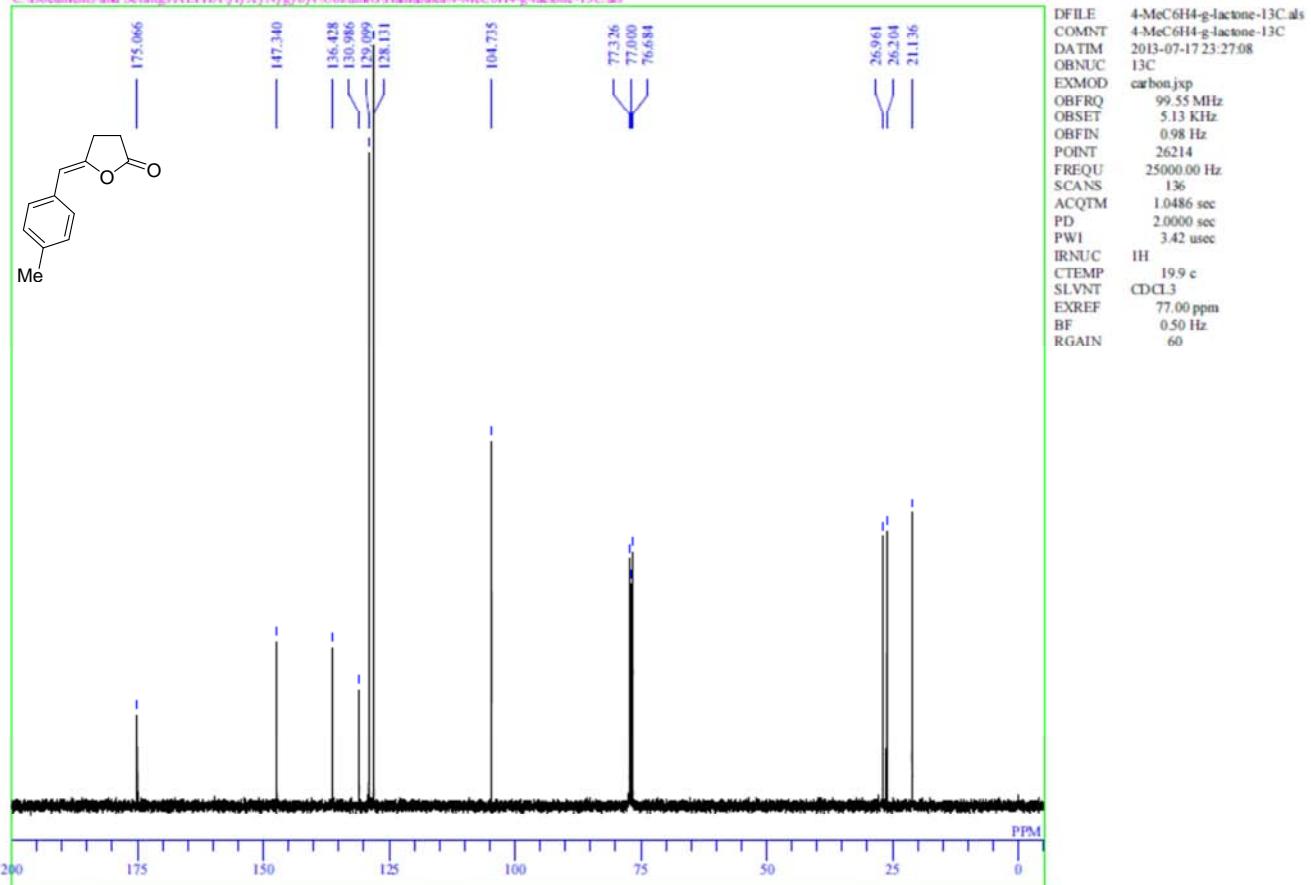
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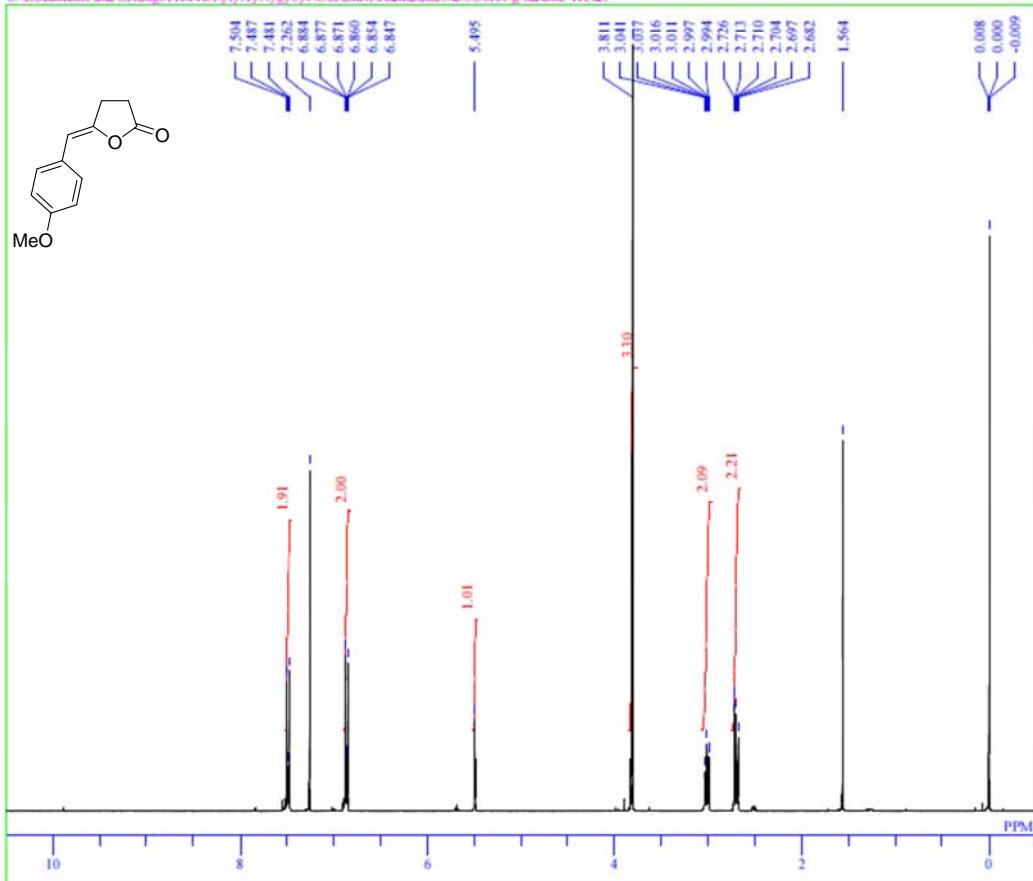
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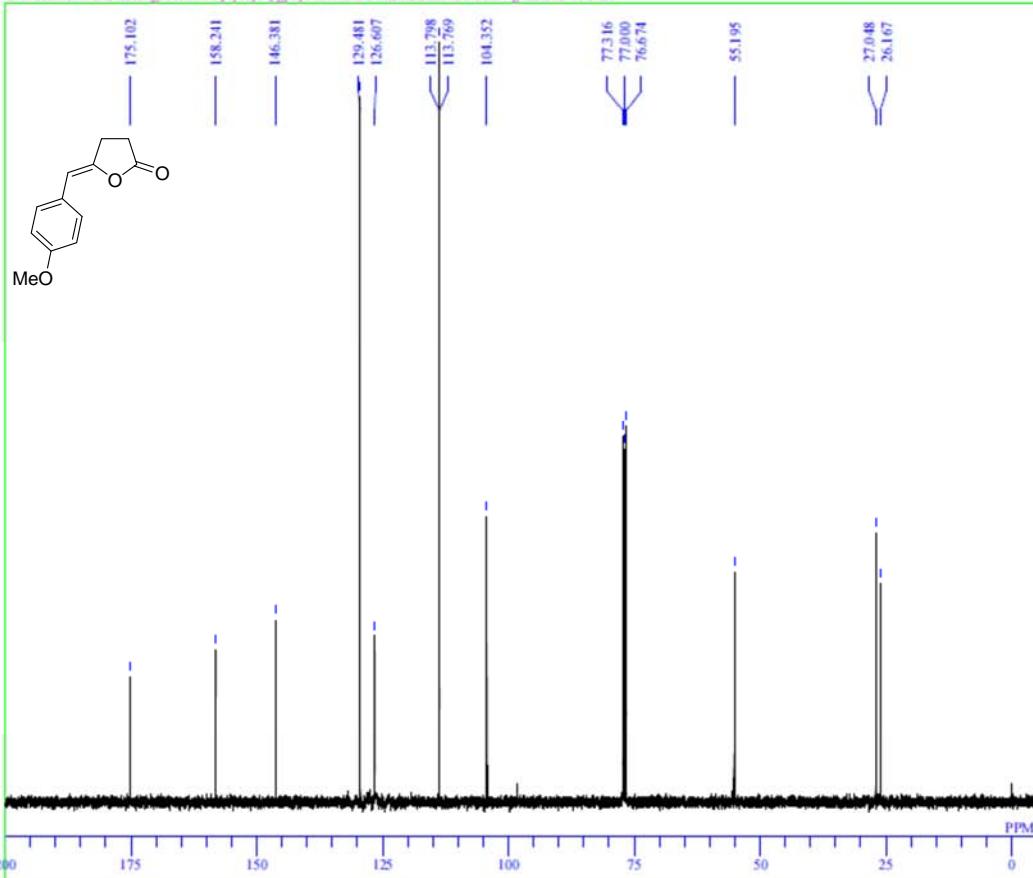
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OBFIN 0.87 Hz.
POINT 16384
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SCANS 8
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PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 19.8 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz.
RGAIN 44

MeOC6H4-g-lactone-13C

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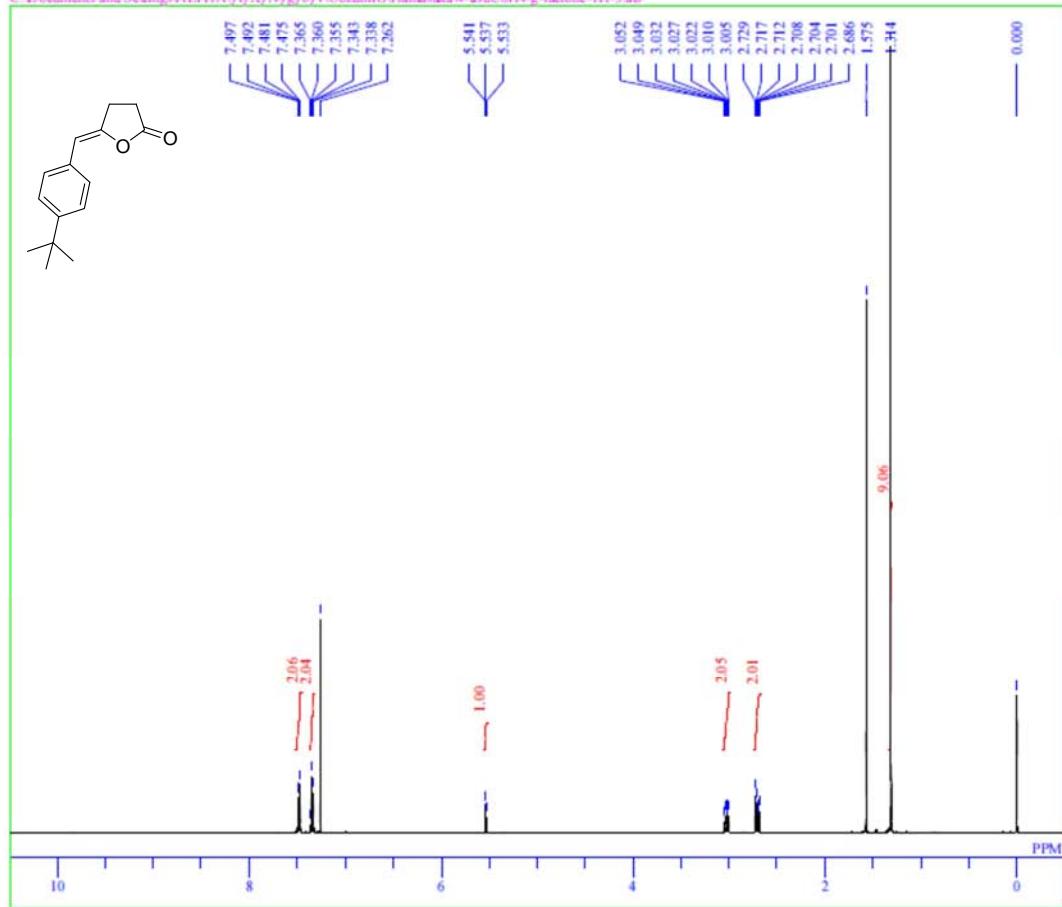


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POINT 32767
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PD 2.0000 sec
PW1 3.42 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 19.7 °C
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RGAIN 60

(Z)- γ -(4-*tert*-Butylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3e**)

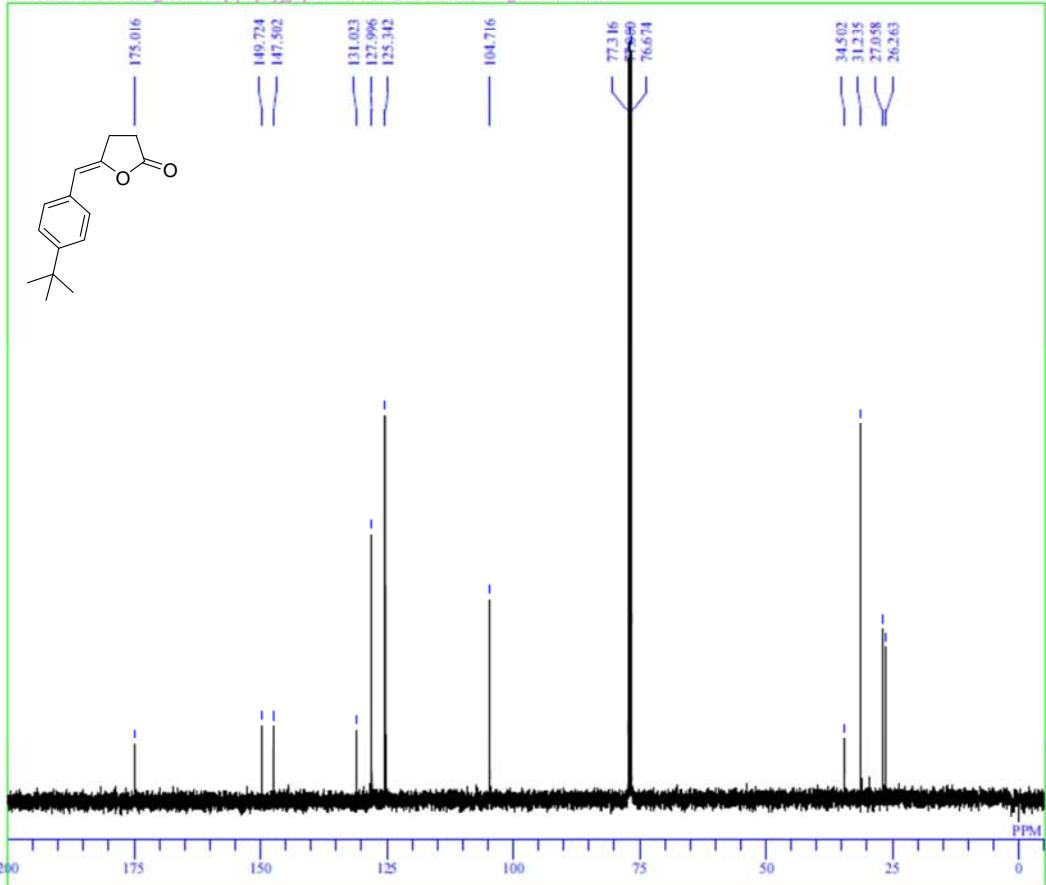
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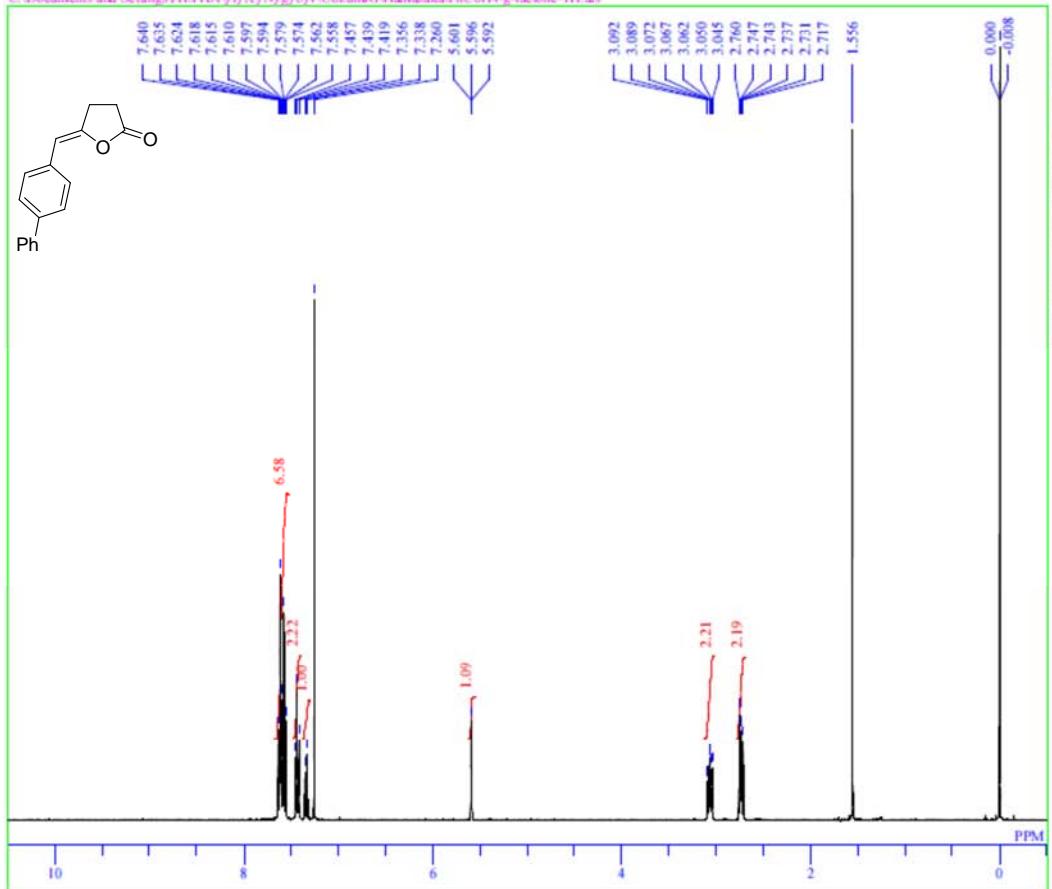
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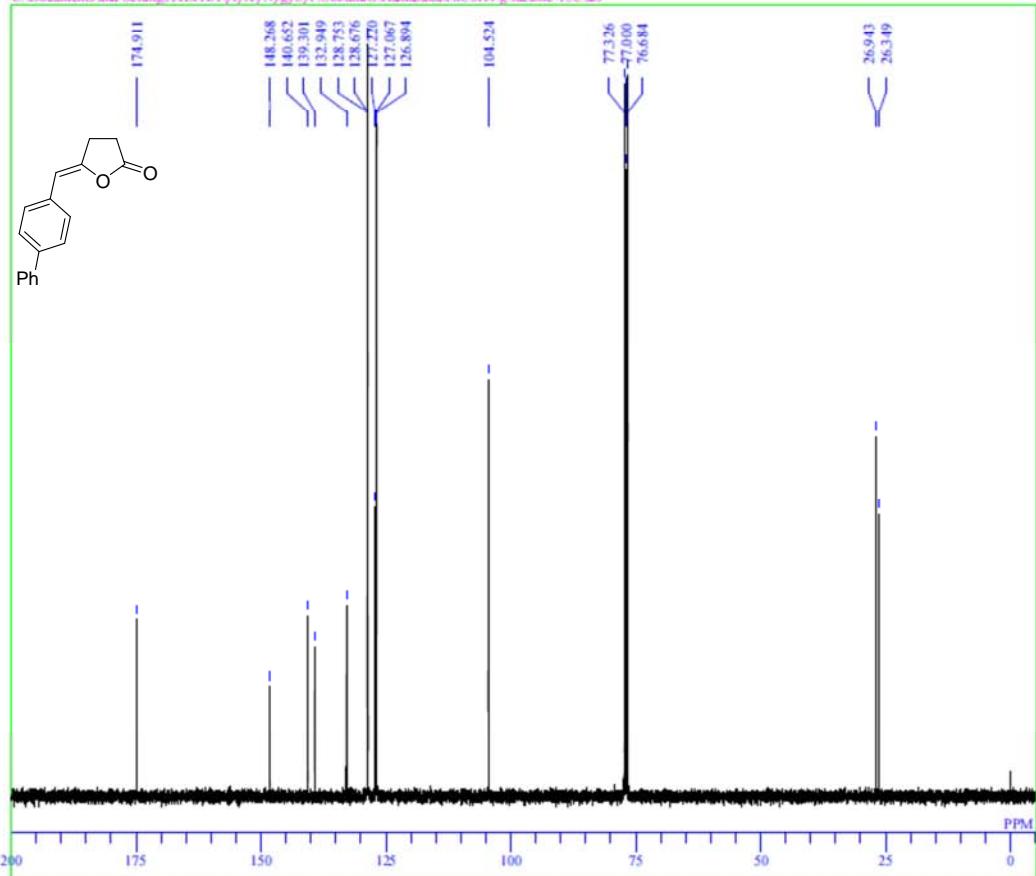
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EXMOD proton.jxp
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OBSET 6.28 kHz
OBFIN 0.87 Hz
POINT 16384
FREQU 7422.80 Hz
SCANS 8
ACQTM 2.2073 sec
PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.2 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 44

PhC6H4-g-lactone-13C

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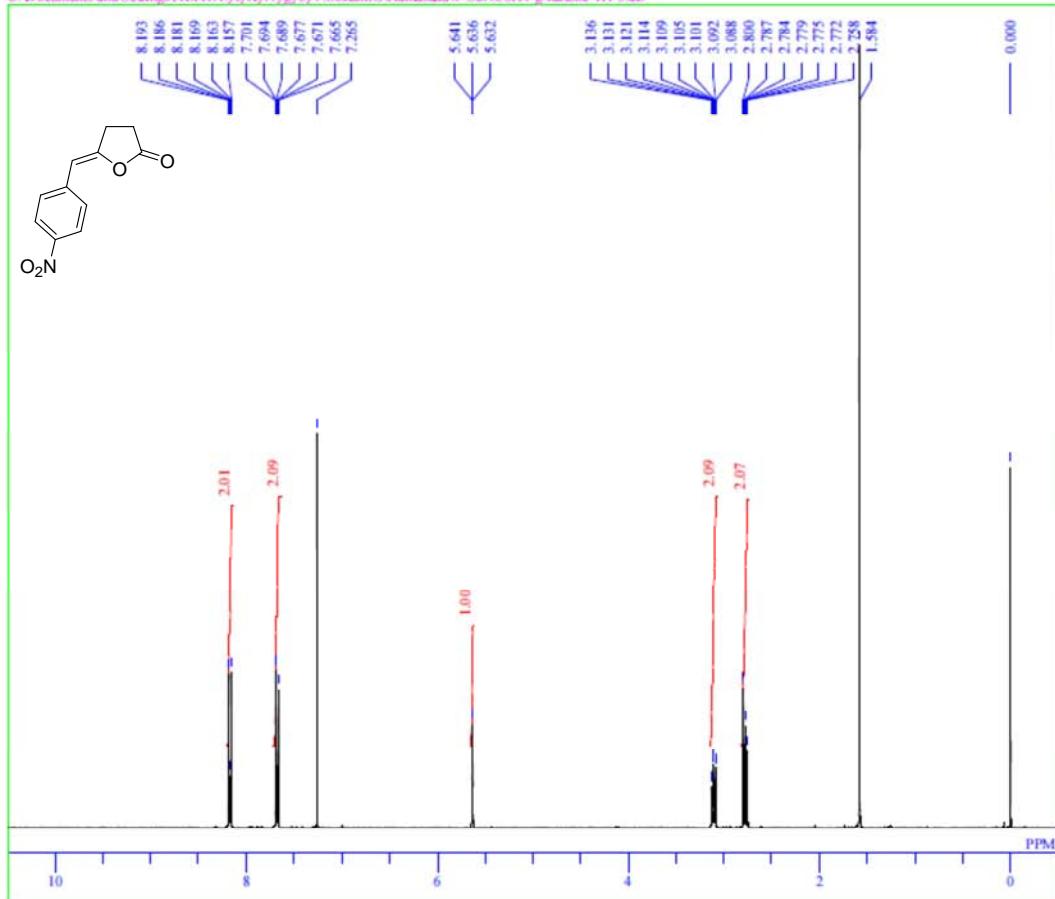


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OBSET 5.13 kHz
OBFIN 0.98 Hz
POINT 32767
FREQU 31250.00 Hz
SCANS 668
ACQTM 1.0486 sec
PD 2.0000 sec
PW1 3.42 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.0 °C
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EXREF 77.00 ppm
BF 0.50 Hz
RGAIN 60

(Z)- γ -(4-Nitrobenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3g**)

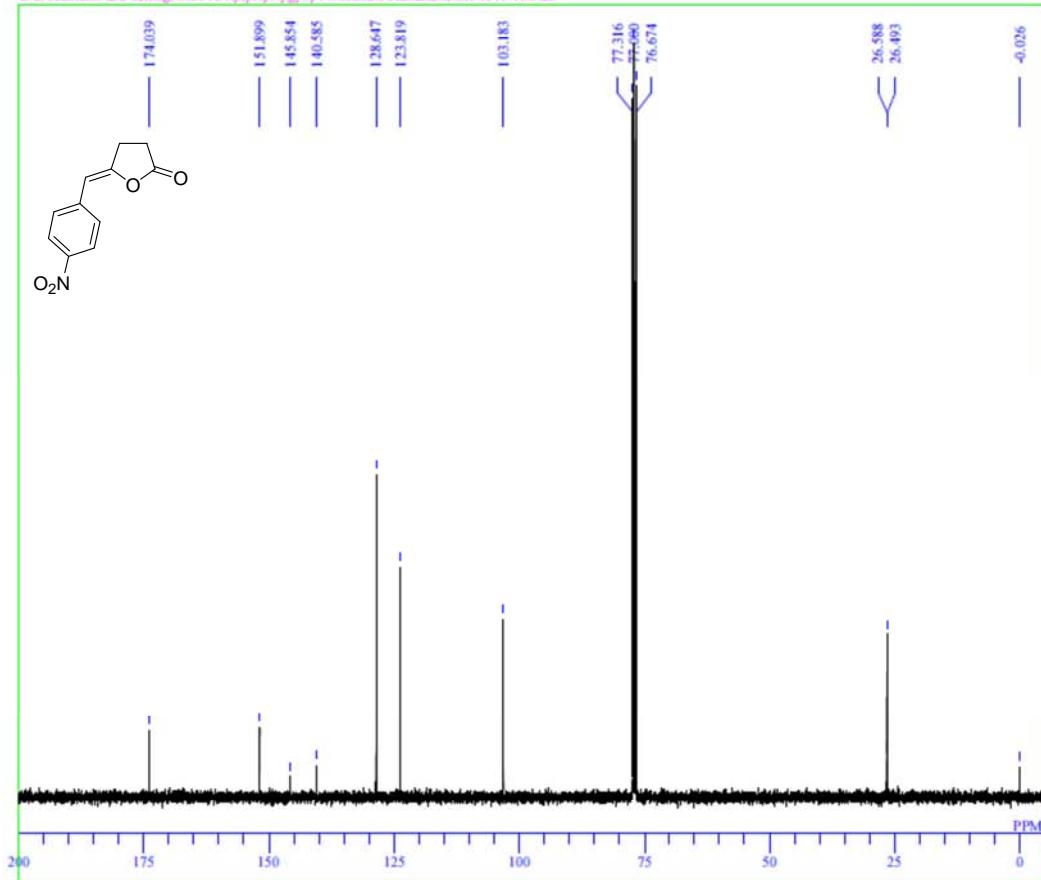
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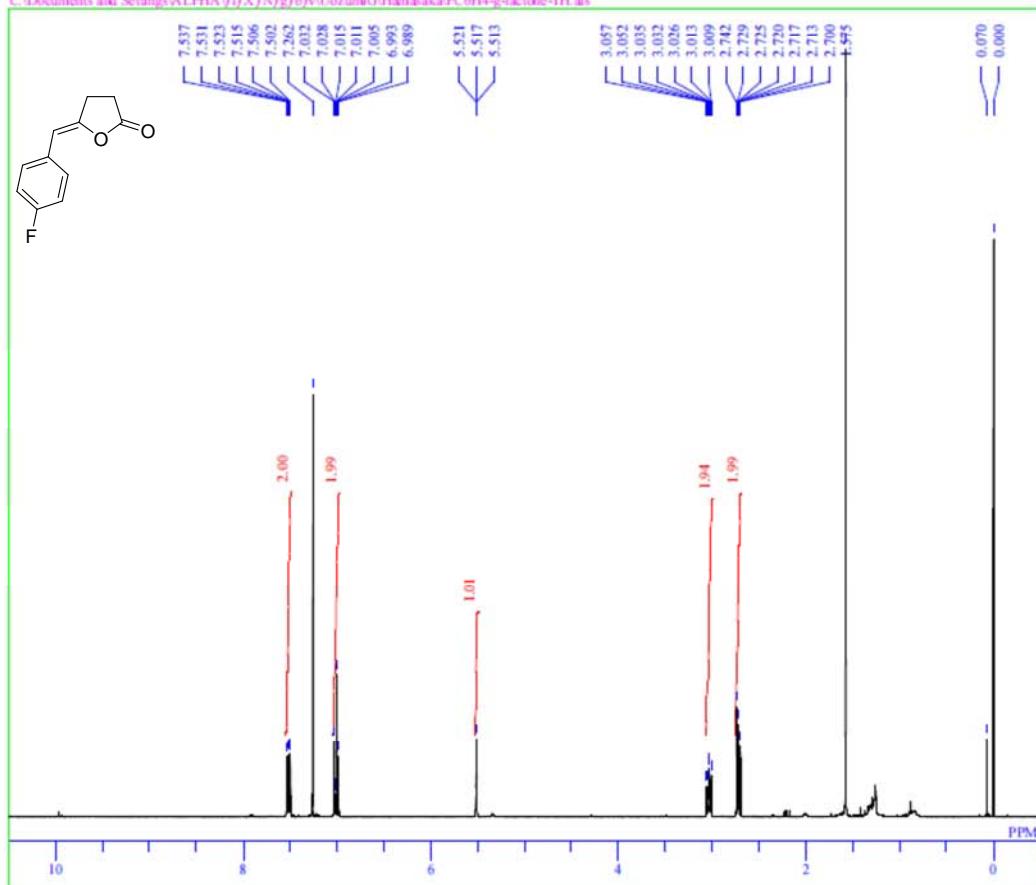
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FC6H4-g-lactone

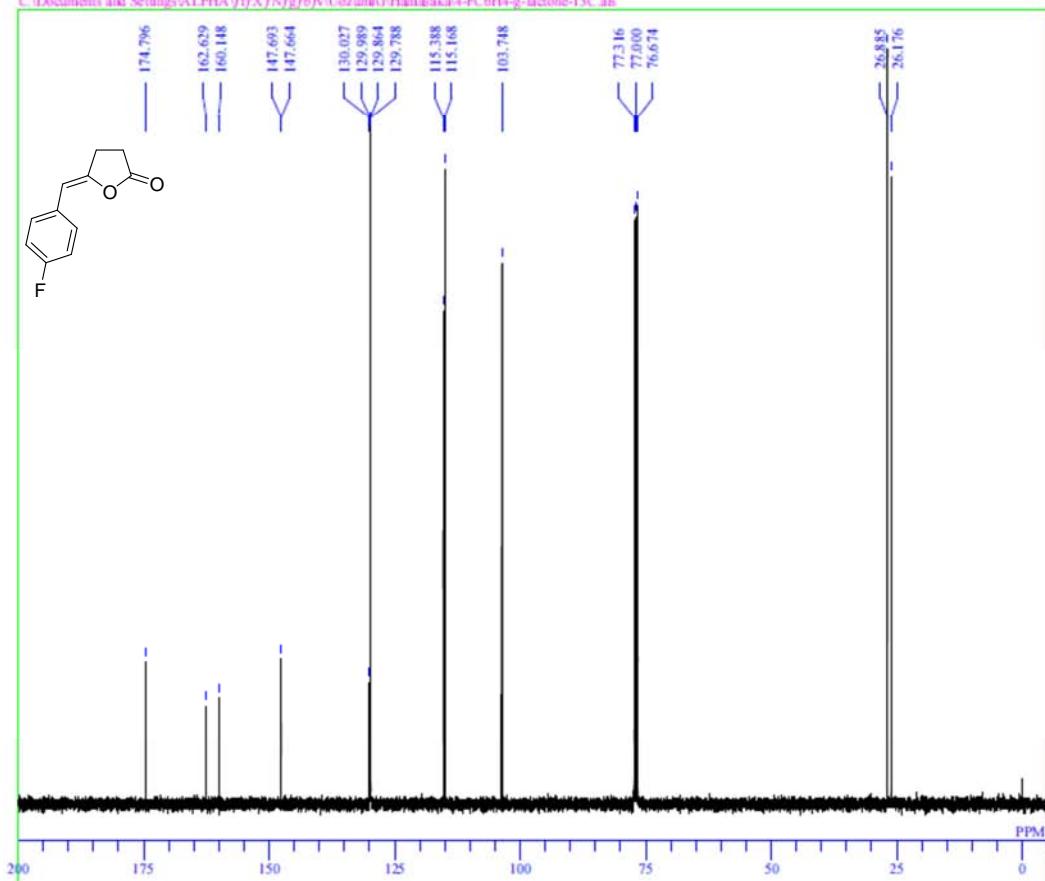
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OBSET 6.28 KHz
OBFIN 0.87 Hz
POINT 16384
FREQU 7422.80 Hz
SCANS 8
ACQTM 2.2073 sec
PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 22.3 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 46

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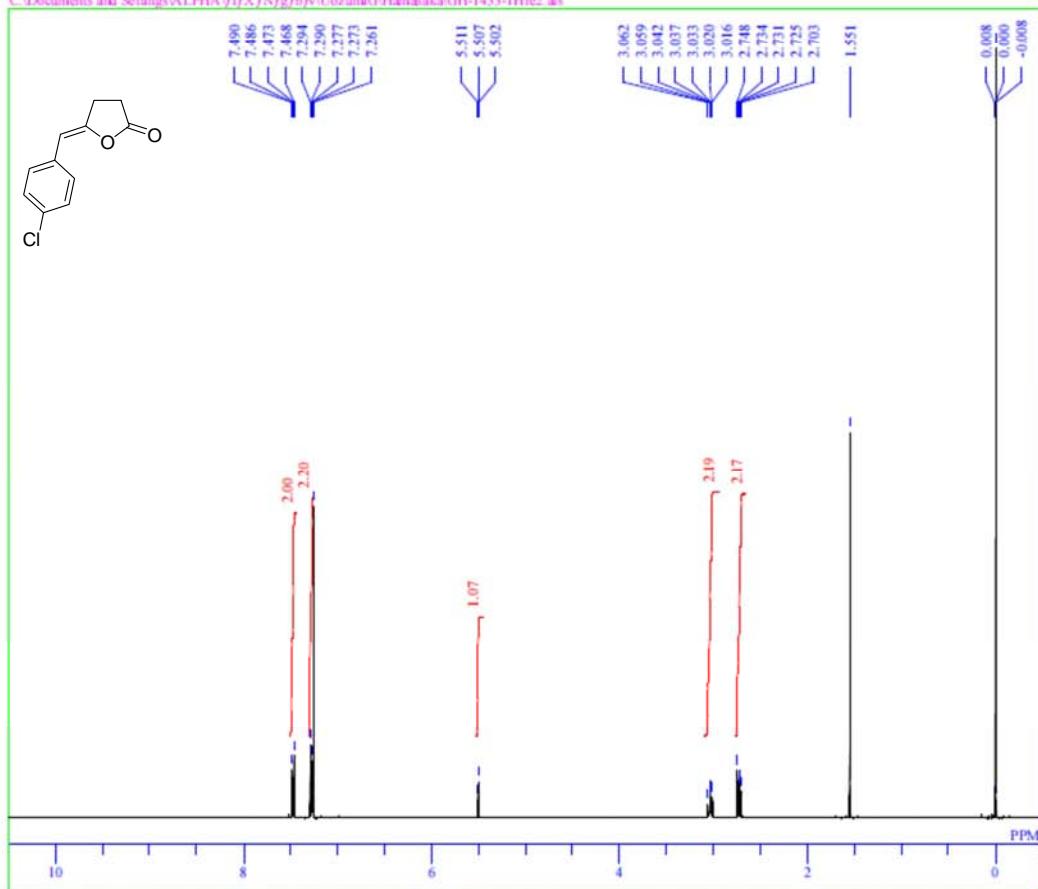


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EXMOD carbon.jxp
OBFHQ 99.55 MHz
OBSET 5.13 KHz
OBFIN 0.98 Hz
POINT 32767
FREQU 312500 Hz
SCANS 451
ACQTM 1.0486 sec
PD 2.0000 sec
PW1 3.42 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 20.2 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
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BF 0.50 Hz
RGAIN 60

(Z)- γ -(4-Chlorobenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3i**)

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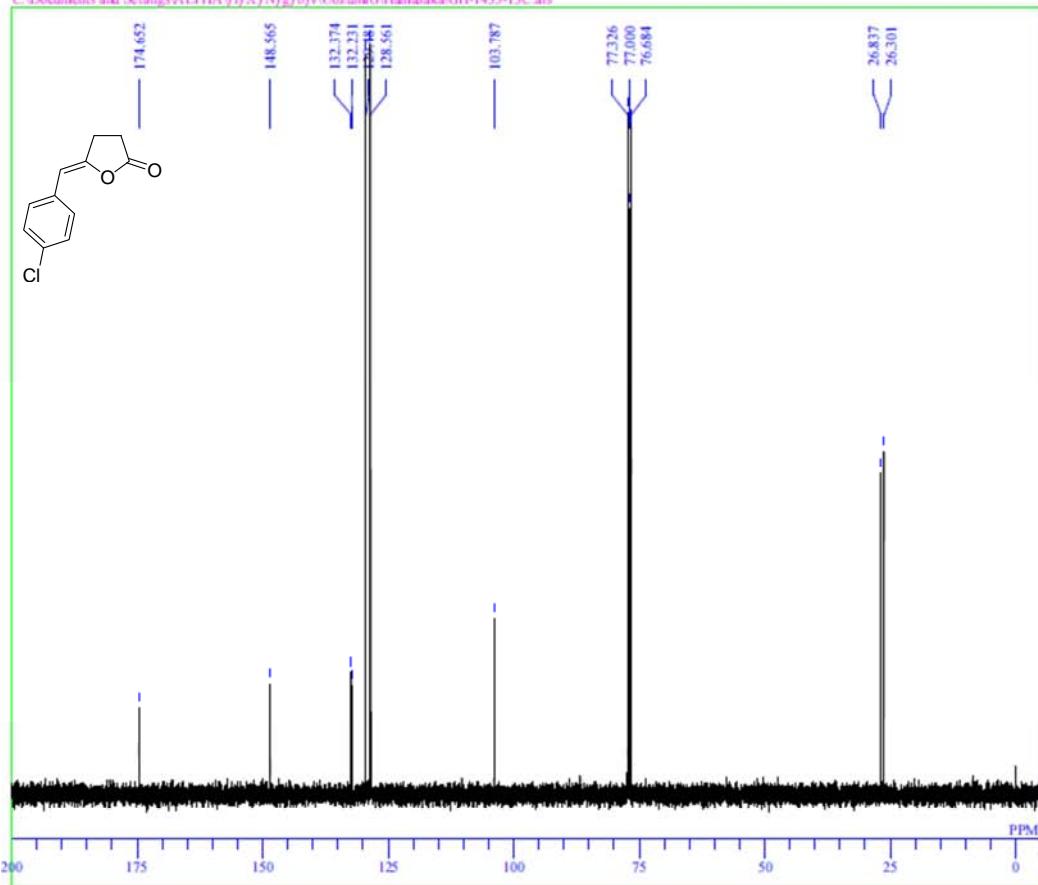
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OBSET 6.28 kHz
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POINT 16384
FREQU 7422.80 Hz
SCANS 8
ACQTM 2.2073 sec
PD 5.0000 sec
PWI 3.12 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.5 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 48

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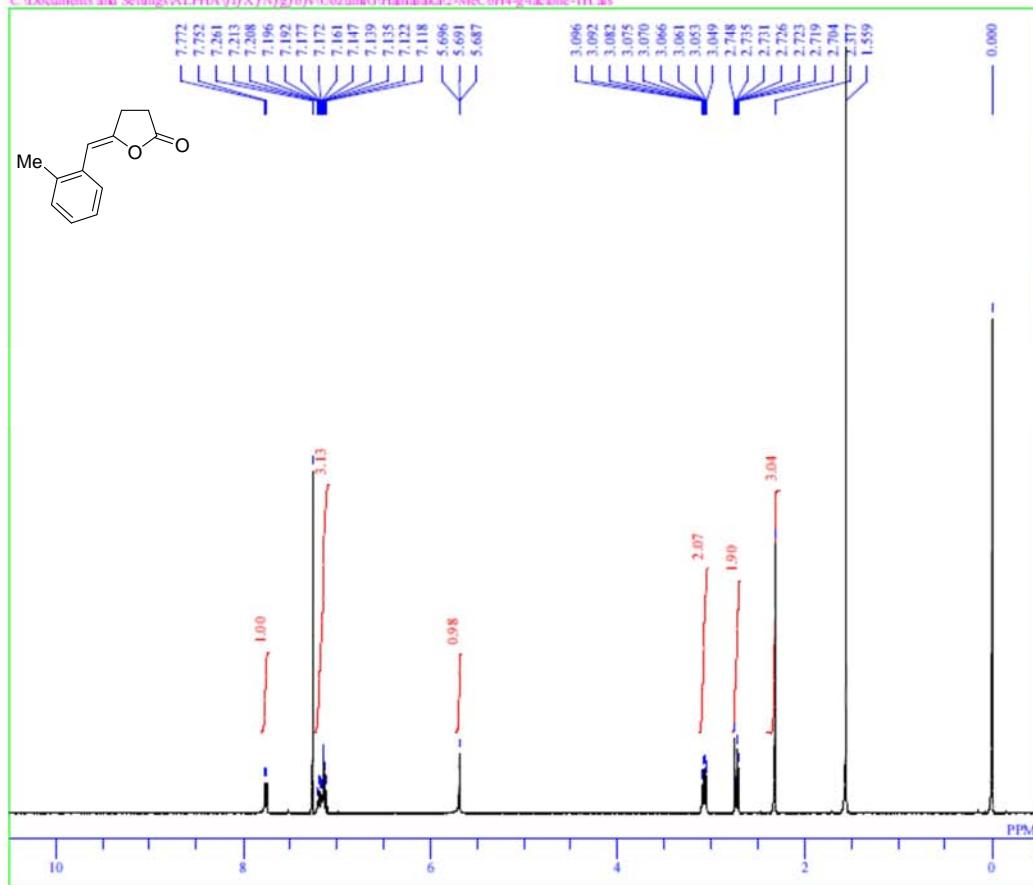


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SCANS 162
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PD 2.0000 sec
PWI 3.42 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.6 °C
SLVNT CDCl₃
EXREF 77.00 ppm
BF 0.50 Hz
RGAIN 60

(Z)- γ -(2-Methylbenzylidene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3j**)

2-MeC6H4-g-lactone-1H

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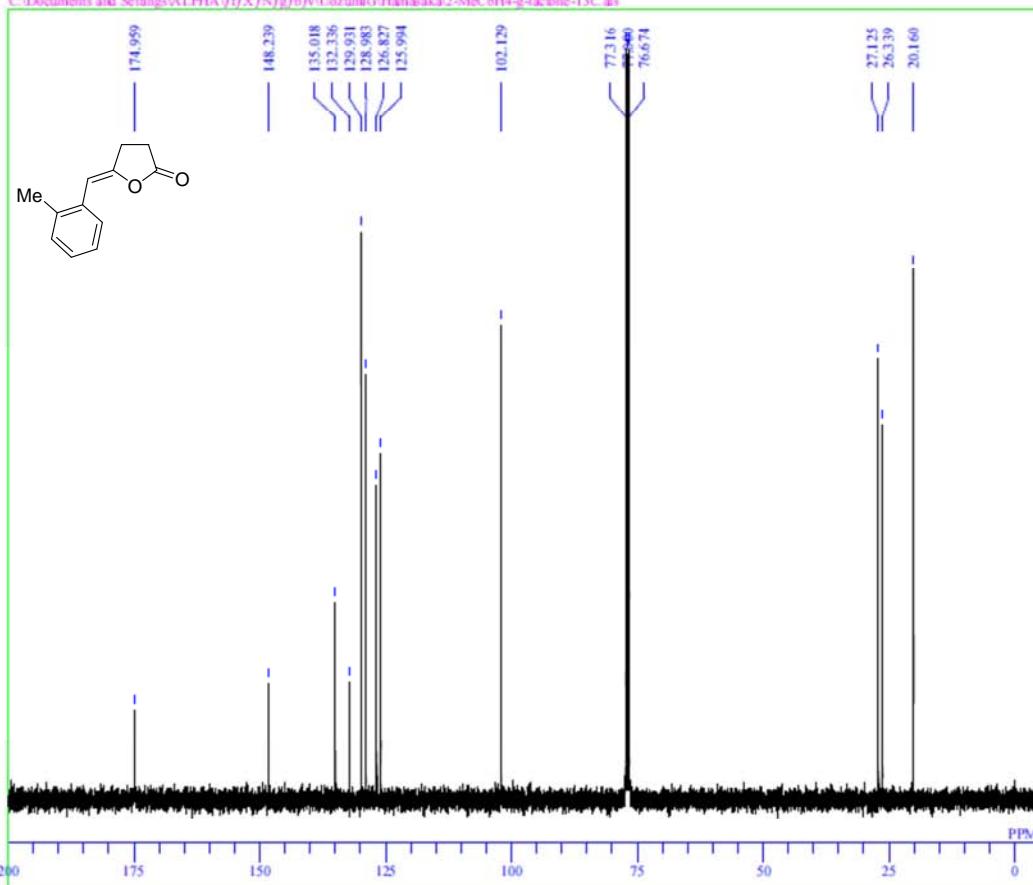
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OBSET 6.28 kHz
OBFIN 0.87 Hz
POINT 13107
FREQU 5938.24 Hz
SCANS 8
ACQTM 2.2073 sec
PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.8 °c
SLVNT CDCL3
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 48

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2-MeC6H4-g-lactone-13C

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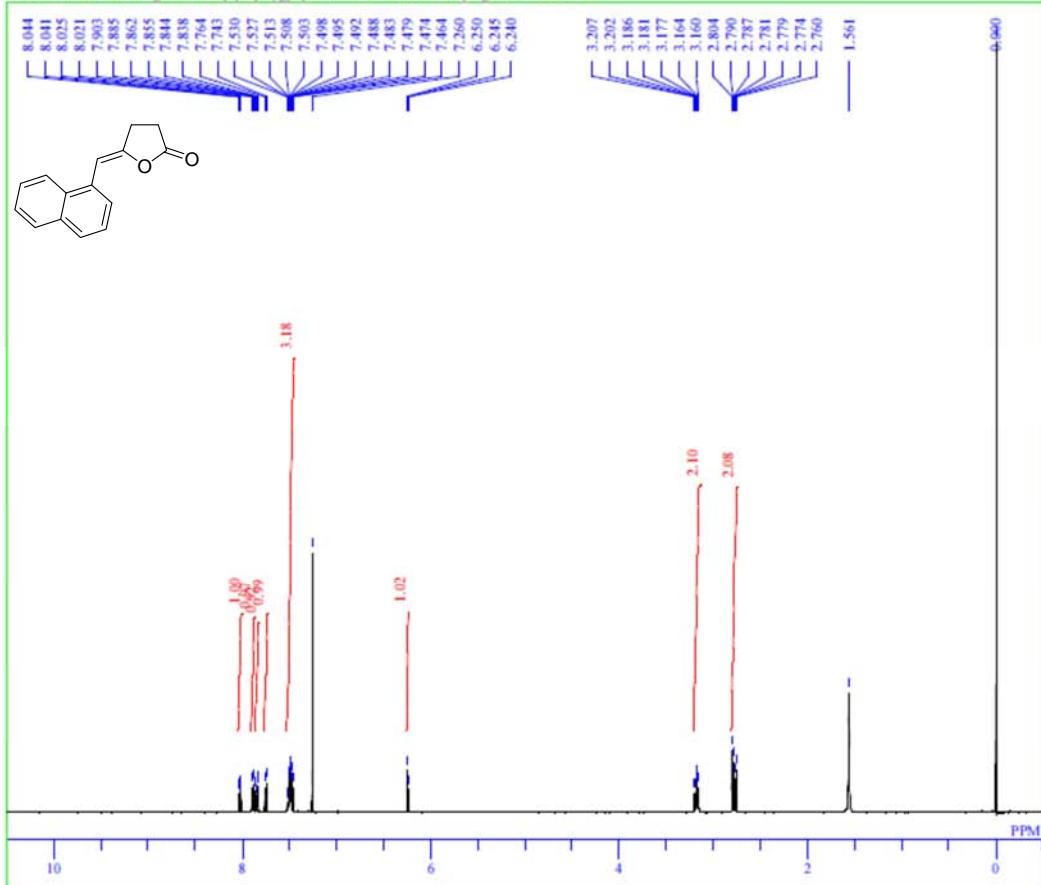
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PW1 3.42 usec
IRNUC 1H
CTEMP 21.8 °c
SLVNT CDCL3
EXREF 77.00 ppm
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RGAIN 60

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(Z)- γ -(1-Naphthalenylmethylene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3k**)

Naph-g-lactone-1H

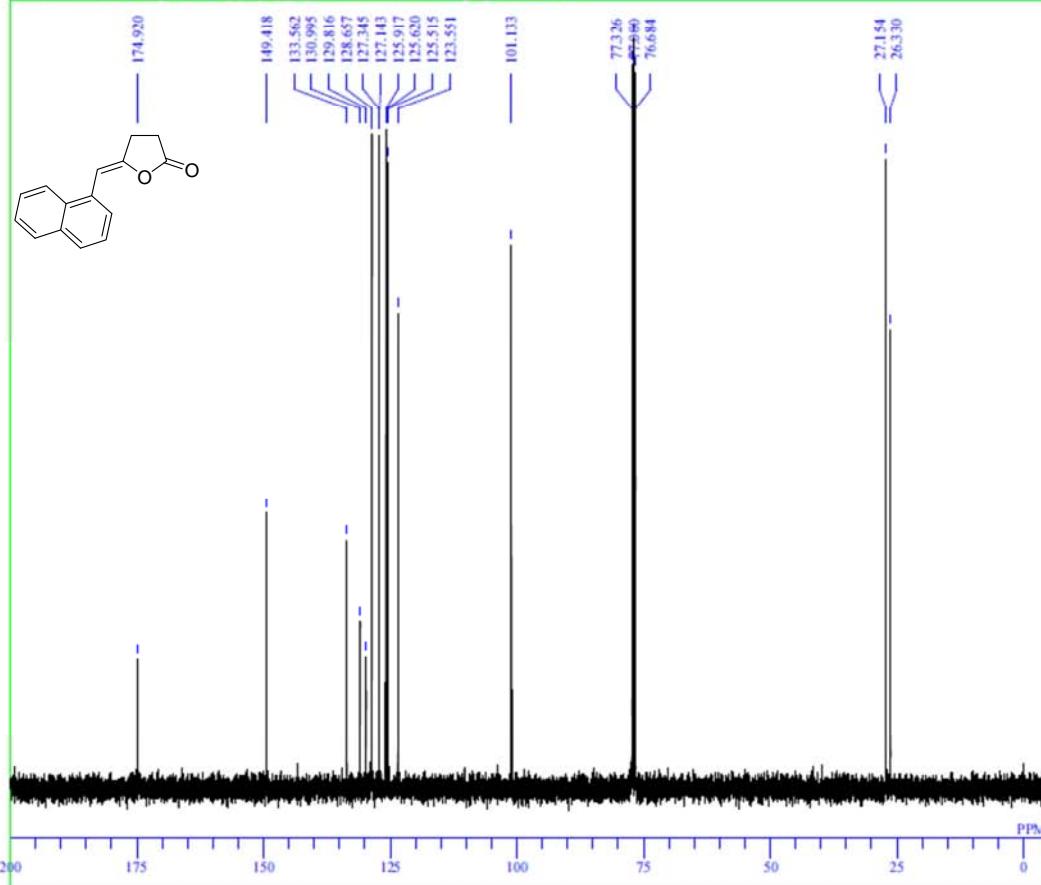
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PWI 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
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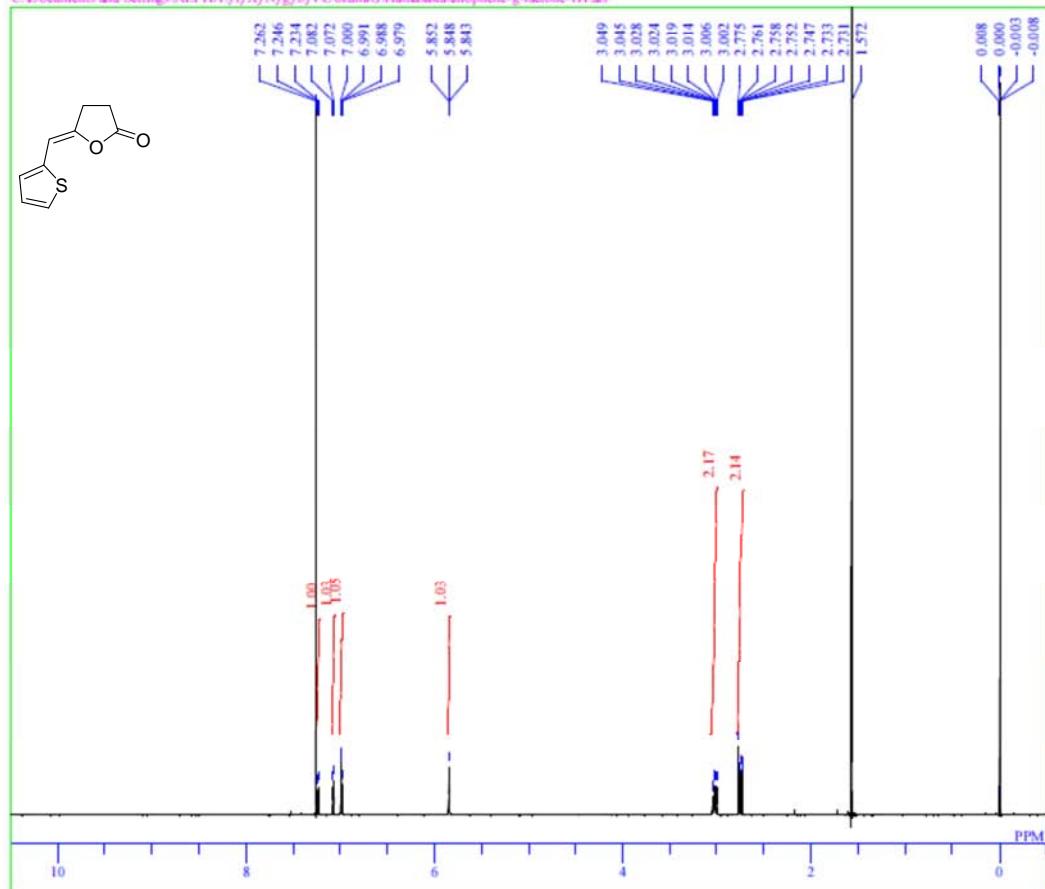


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PD 2.0000 sec
PWI 3.42 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 21.9 c
SLVNT CDCL3
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RGAIN 60

(Z)- γ -(2-Thienylmethylene)- γ -butyrolactone (**3l**)

thiophene-g-lactone-1H

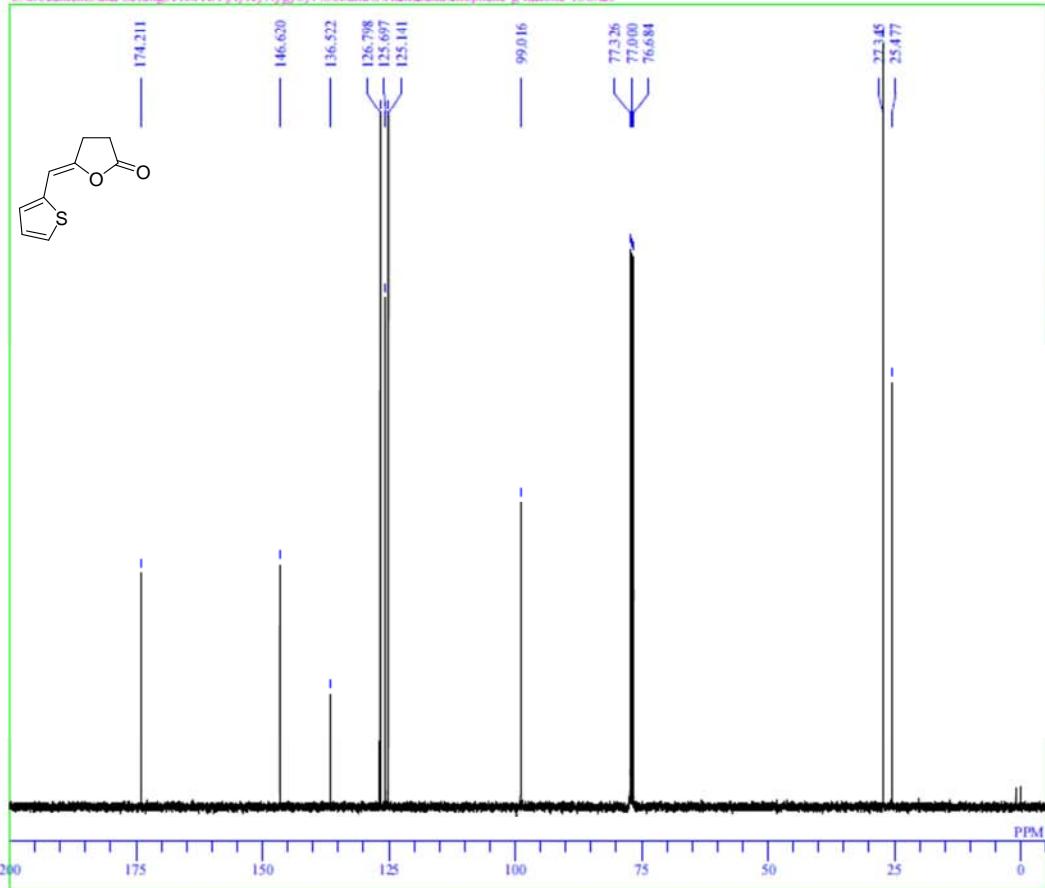
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PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
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BF 0.00 Hz
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thiophene-g-lactone-13C

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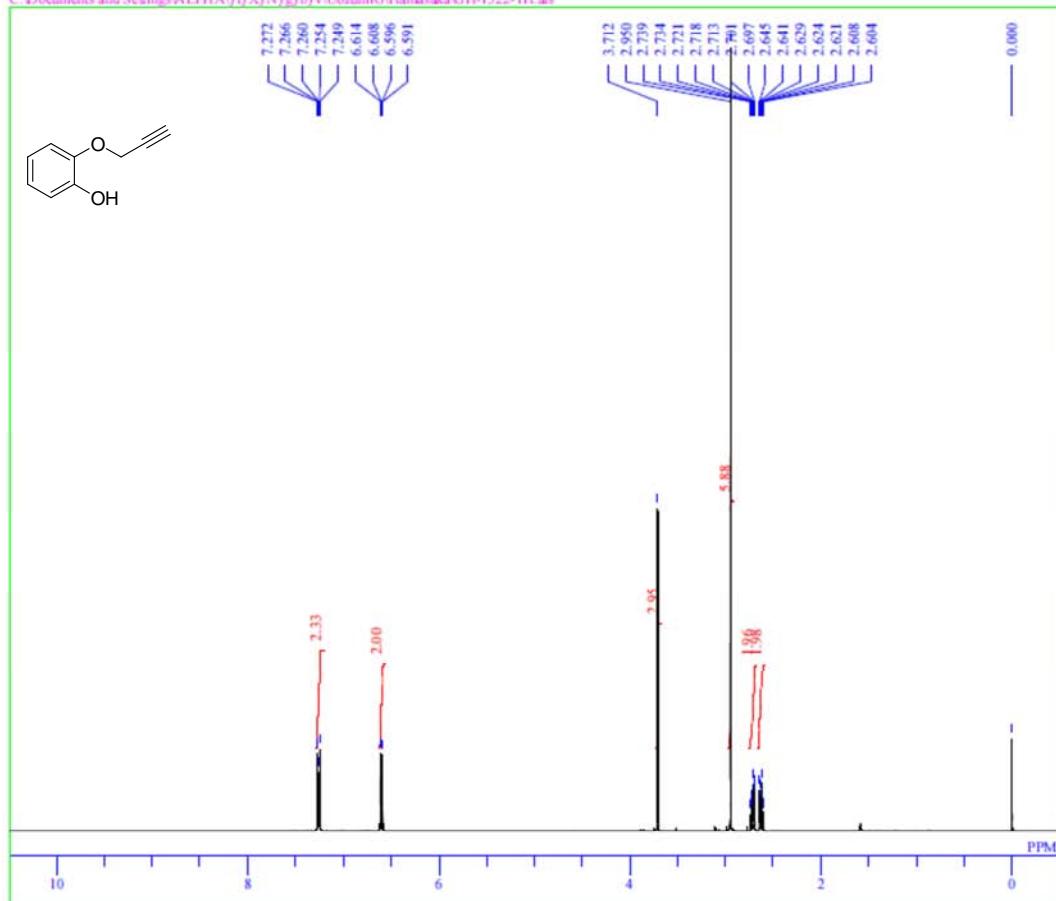


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IRNUC IH
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2-Propargyloxyphenol (S3)

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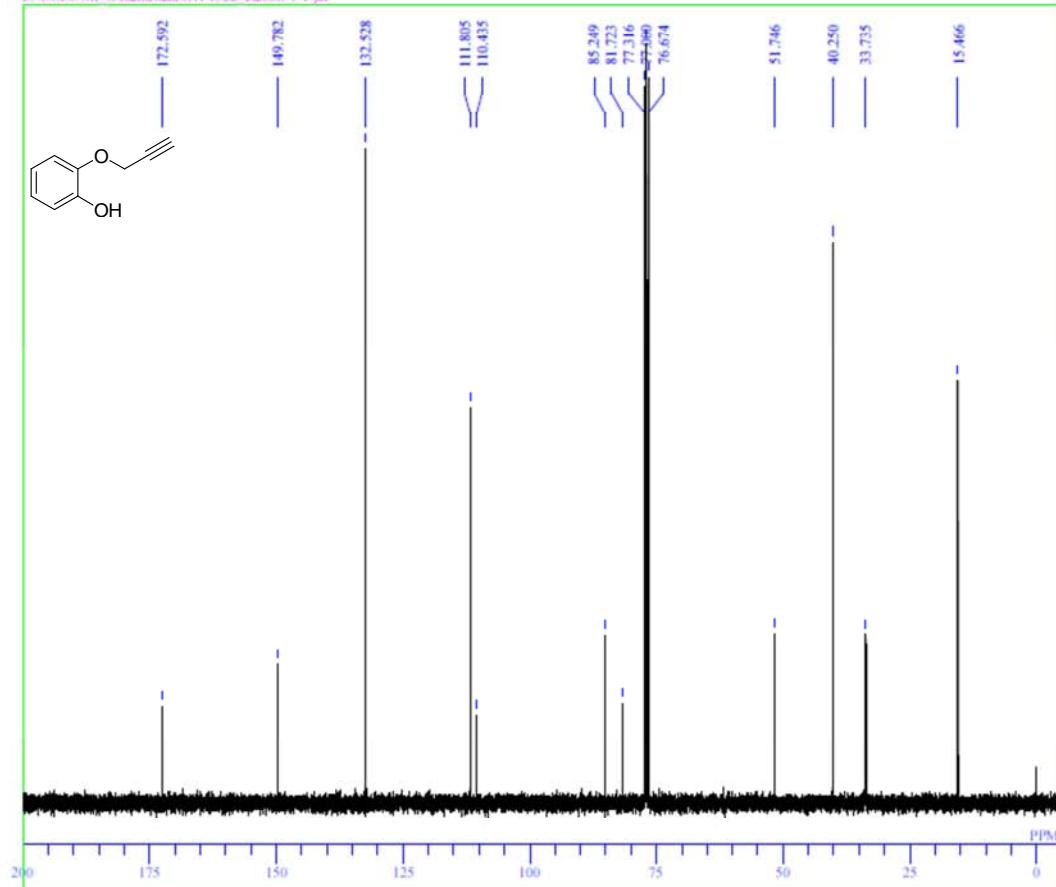
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CTEMP 19.6 c
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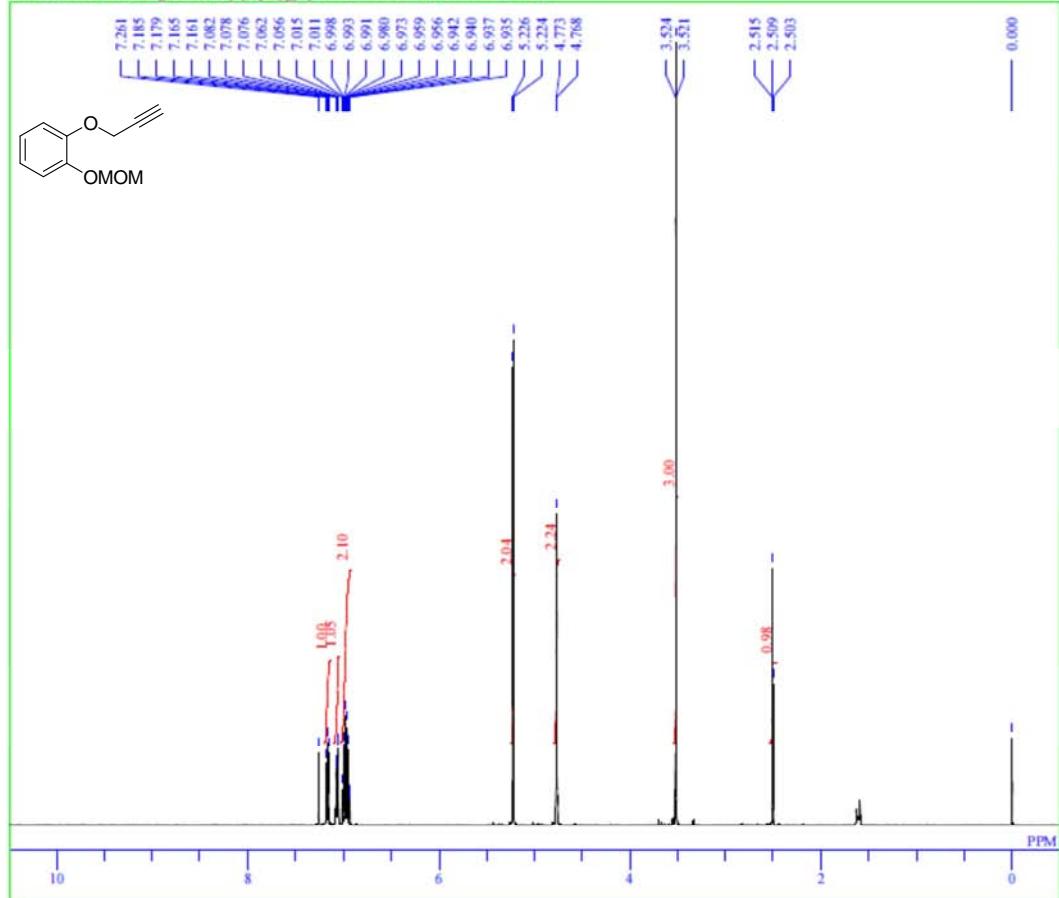
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1-Methoxymethoxy-2-propargyloxybenzene (**S4**)

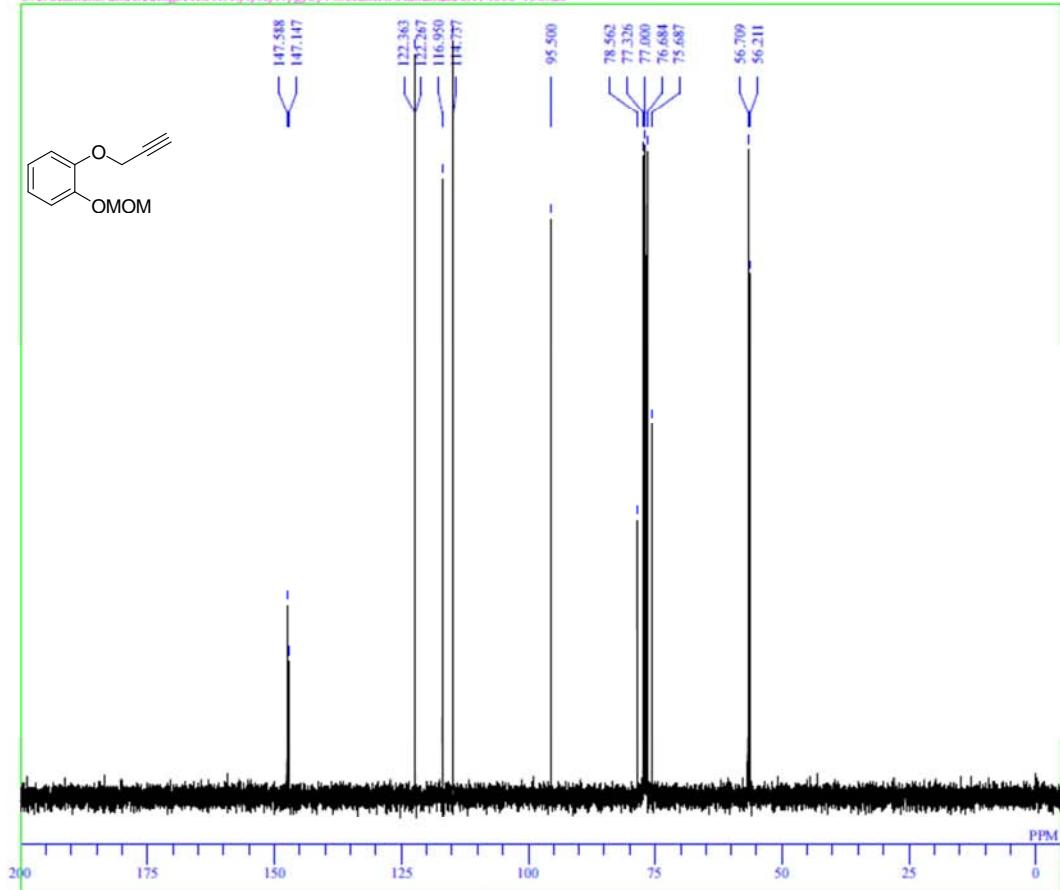
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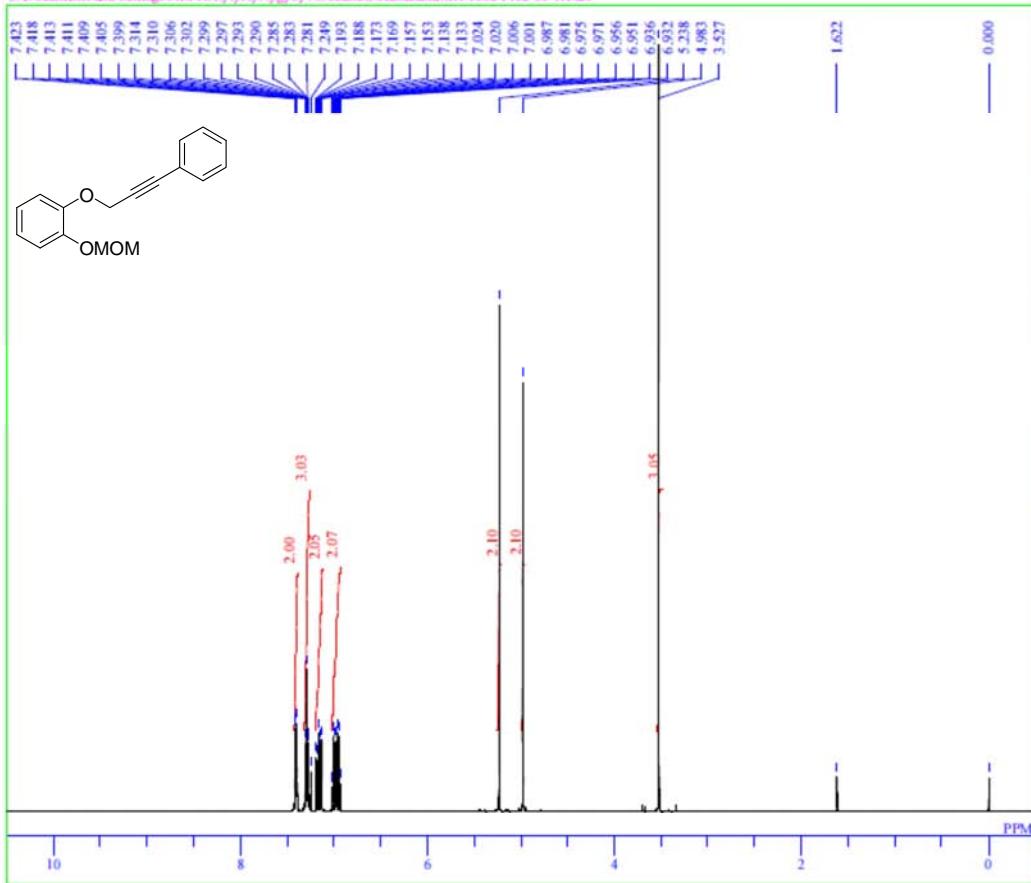
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1-Methoxymethoxy-2-phenylpropargyloxybenzene (**S5**)

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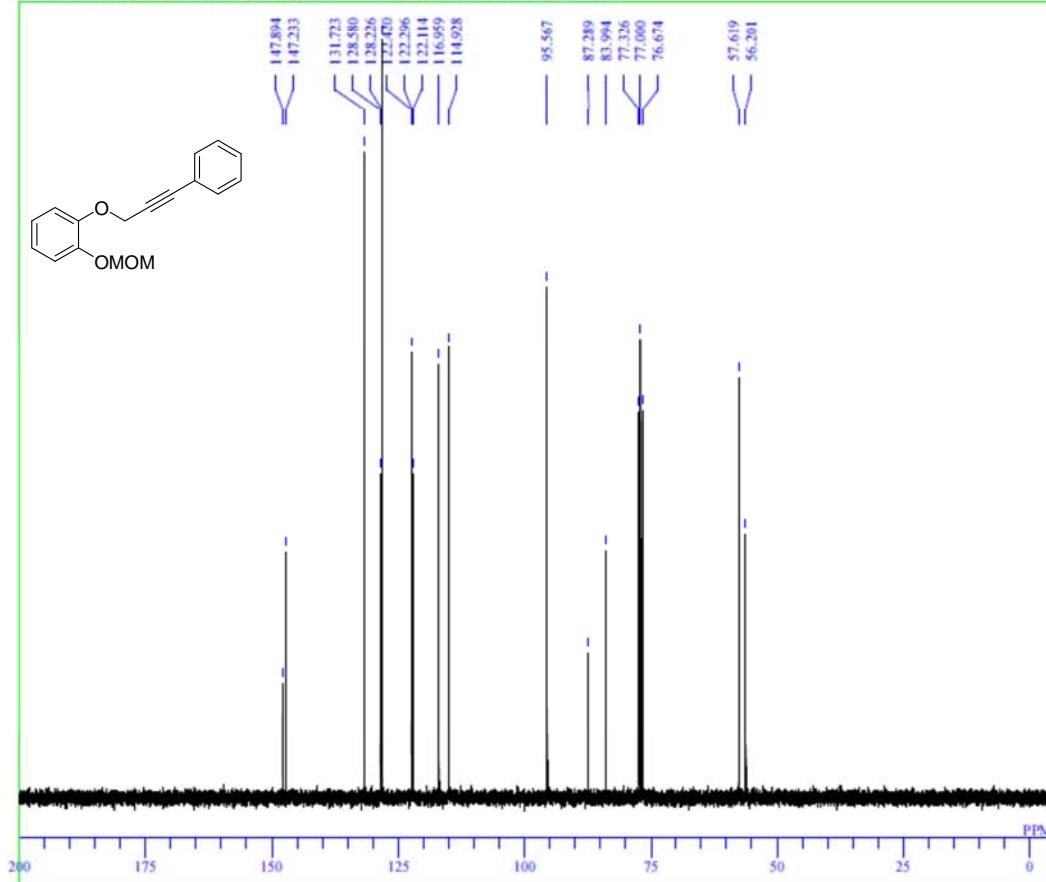
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PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 21.8 °c
SLVNT CDCL3
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BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 28

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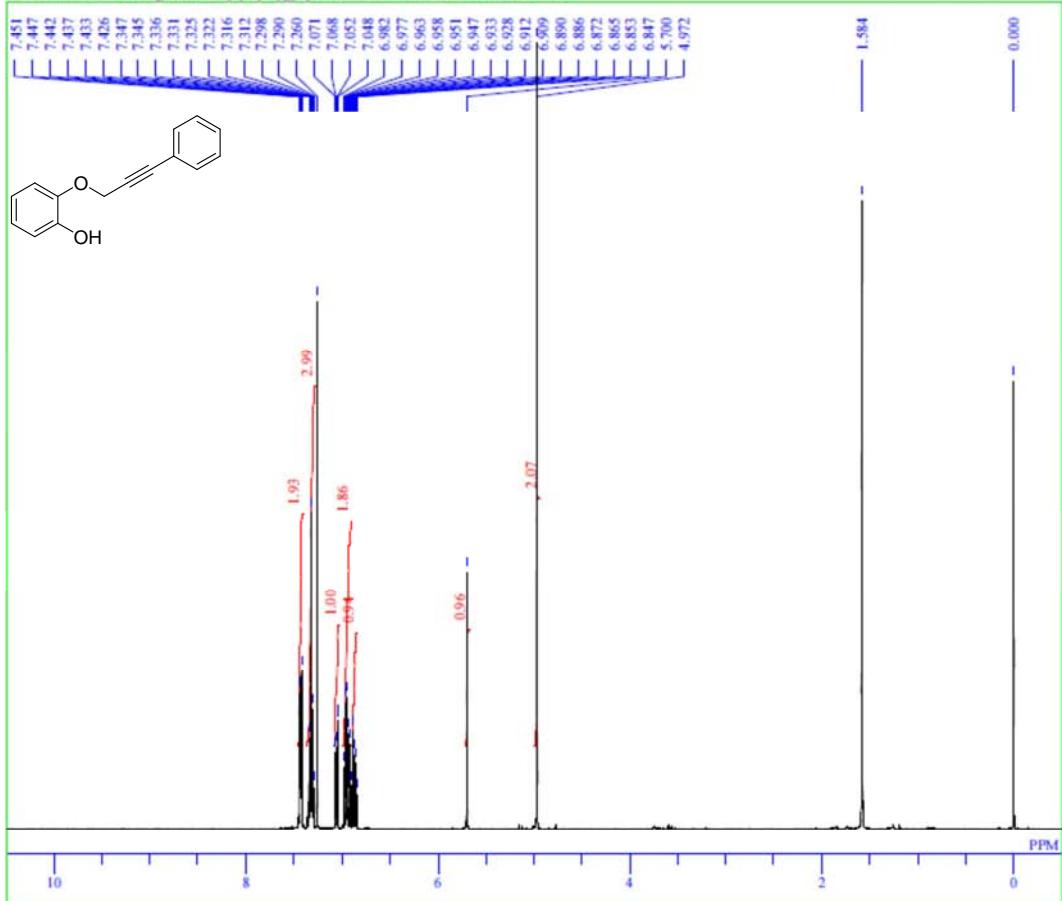


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PD 2.0000 sec
PW1 3.42 usec
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RGAIN 60

2-Phenylpropargyloxyphenol (**4**)

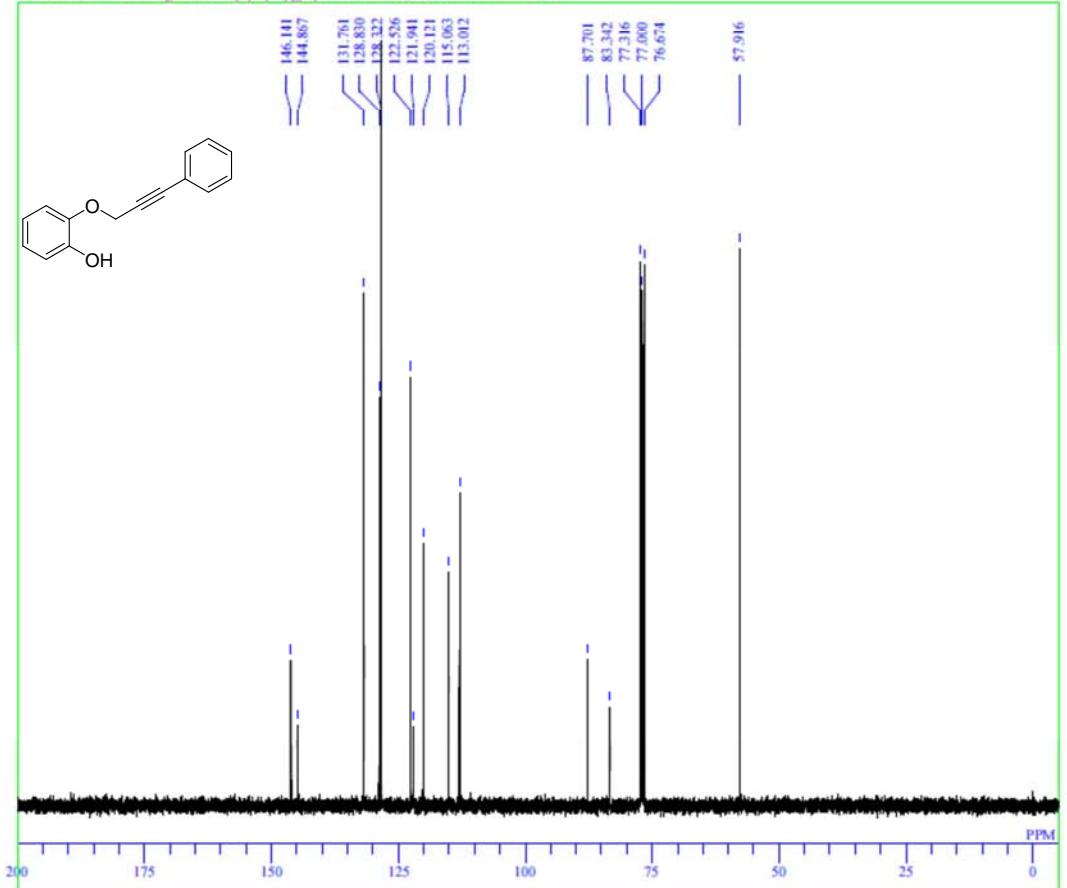
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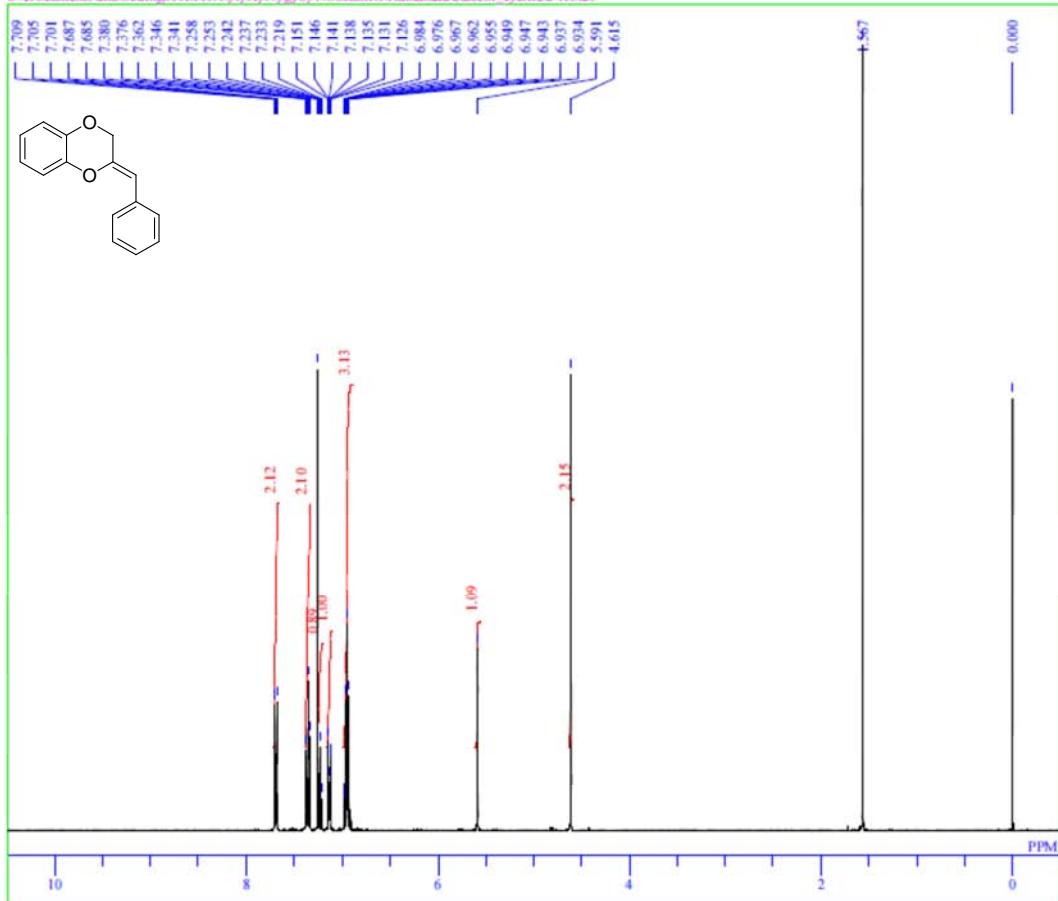
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2,3-Dihydro-2-(Z)-phenylmethylene-1,4-benzodioxin (**5**)

catecol_cyclized-1H

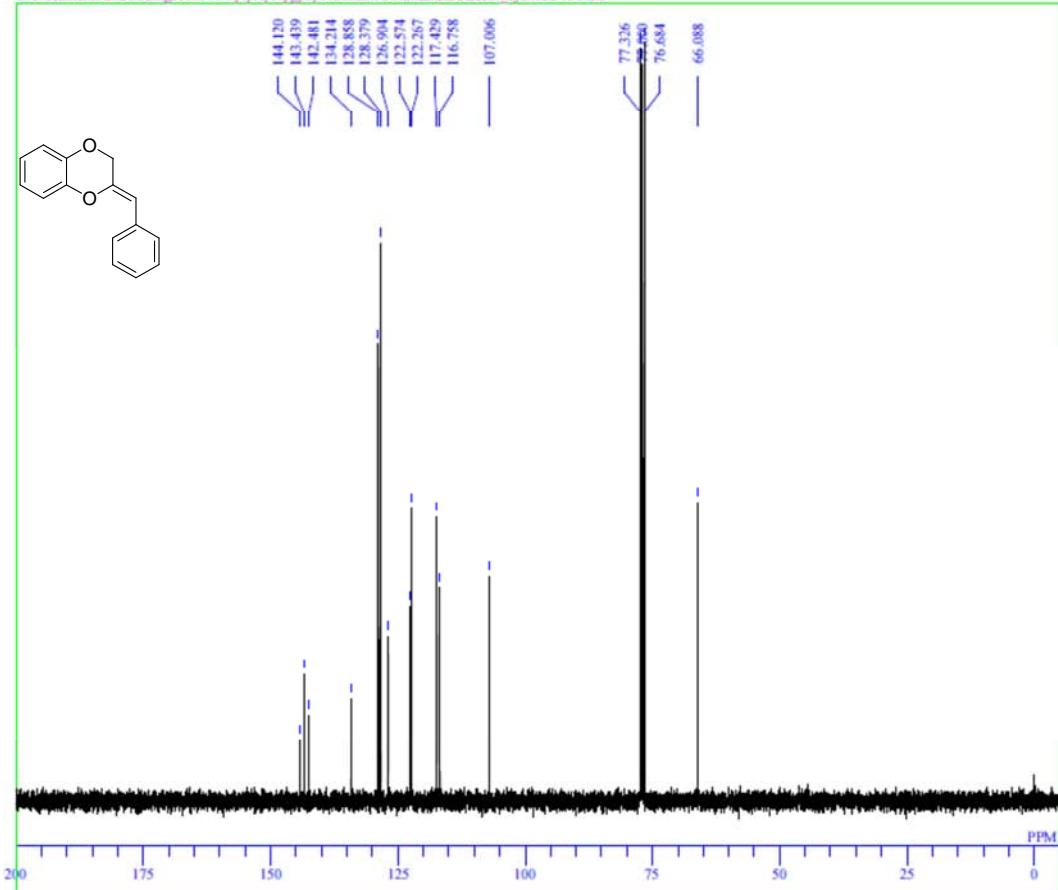
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OBSET 6.28 kHz
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POINT 13107
FREQU 5938.24 Hz
SCANS 8
ACQTM 2.2073 sec
PD 5.0000 sec
PW1 3.12 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 20.9 c
SLVNT CDCL3
EXREF 0.00 ppm
BF 0.00 Hz
RGAIN 42

catecol_cyclized-13C

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PD 2.0000 sec
PW1 3.42 usec
IRNUC IH
CTEMP 21.0 c
SLVNT CDCL3
EXREF 77.00 ppm
BF 0.50 Hz
RGAIN 60