

Supplementary Information
for
Reductive Arene *ortho*-Silanolization of Aromatic Esters
with Hydridosilyl Acetals

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General Experimental

^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on JEOL Eclipse Plus 500 (500 MHz) and JEOL ECX 300 (300 MHz) spectrometers. ^1H NMR chemical shifts are referenced to chloroform (7.26 ppm), and DMSO- d_6 (2.50 ppm). Non-first order multiplets are identified as "nfom". ^{13}C NMR chemical shifts are referenced to chloroform (77.23 ppm), and DMSO- d_6 (39.52 ppm). The following format was used to report peaks: chemical shift in ppm [multiplicity, coupling constant(s) in Hz, integral, and assignment]. ^1H NMR assignments are indicated by structure environment, e.g., CH_aH_b . Coupling constant analysis was guided by methods we have described elsewhere.¹ ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR were processed with iNMR software program.

Infrared (IR) spectra were recorded on a Bruker Alpha-P FT-IR spectrometer using neat (for liquid compound) or a thin film from a concentrated DCM solution. Absorptions are reported in cm^{-1} .

MPLC refers to medium pressure liquid chromatography (25-200 psi) using hand-packed columns of Silasorb silica gel (20-45 μm , spherical, 70 Å pore size), a Waters HPLC pump, and a Waters R401 differential refractive index detector.

Electrospray ionization (ESI) mass spectrometry was performed on a Shimadzu LCMS IT-TOF. All HRMS data were recorded in ESI mode. Samples were introduced as solutions in mixed solution of methanol and methylene chloride (DCM).

GCMS data were recorded either on a Varian 450-GC/Varian 240-MS System. The method used are noted parenthetically: 5029017 refers to: 2 min @ 50 °C – 20 °C/min – 3 min @ 290 °C.

Reactions requiring anhydrous conditions were performed under an atmosphere of nitrogen or argon in flame- or oven-dried glassware. Anhydrous toluene and methylene chloride were distilled from CaH_2 . Anhydrous THF and diethyl ether were distilled from sodium and benzophenone. Triethylamine and pyridine were distilled from KOH. DMF and DMSO were stored over 4Å molecular sieves. The concentrations of anionic solutions (e.g., *n*-BuLi and Grignards) were titered by spectroscopic (No-D NMR) methods.²

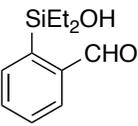
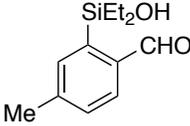
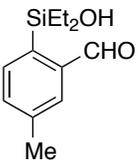
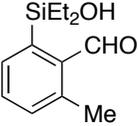
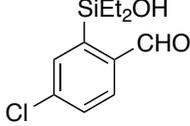
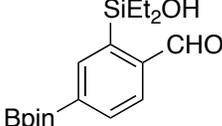
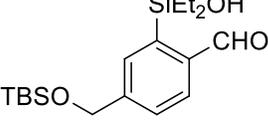
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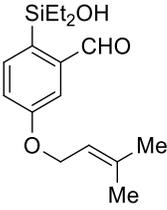
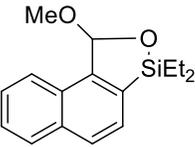
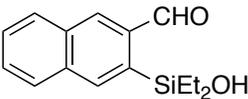
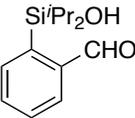
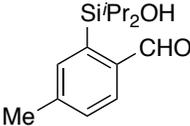
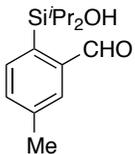
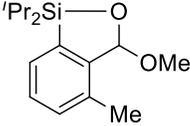
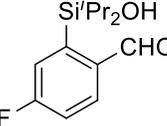
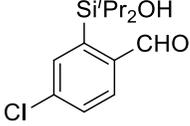
Abbreviations: coe = cyclooctene, nbd = norbornadiene, nbe = norbornene.

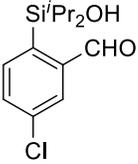
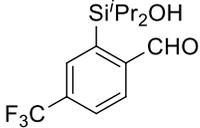
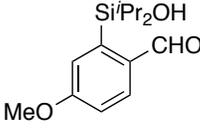
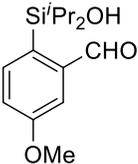
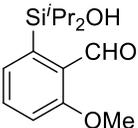
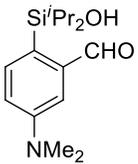
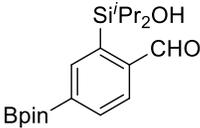
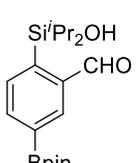
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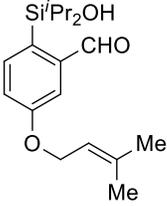
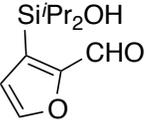
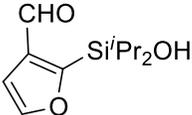
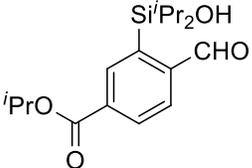
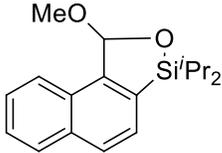
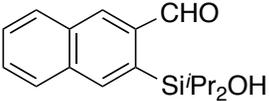
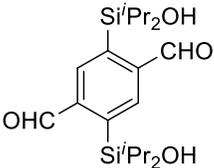
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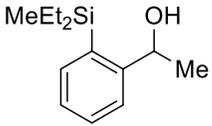
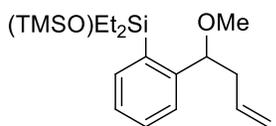
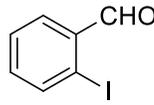
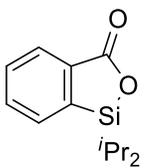
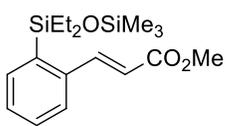
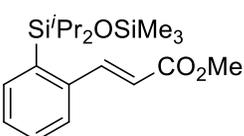
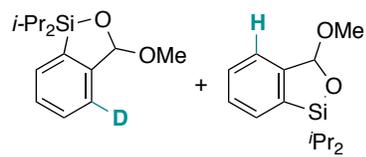
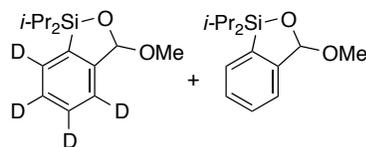
Table of Isolated Compounds

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	2b	9	11	42-43
	2c	9	11	44-45
	2d	9	12	46-47
	2e	9	12	48-49
	2f	9	13	50-51
	2g	9	13	52-53

	2h	9	14	54-55
	6i	9	15	56-57
	2j	9	15	58-59
	3a	9	16	60-61
	3b	9	17	62-63
	3c	9	17	64-65
	7d	9	18	66-67
	3e	9	19	68-69
	3f	9	19	70-71

	3g	9	20	72-73
	3h	9	21	74-75
	3i	9	22	76-77
	3j	9	22	78-79
	3k	9	23	80-81
	3l	9	24	82-83
	3m	9	24	84-85
	3n	9	25	86-87

	3o	9	26	88-89
	3p	9	27	90-91
	3q	9	27	92-93
	3r	9	28	94-95
	3s	9	28	96-97
	7t	9	29	98-99
	3u	9	30	100-101
	3v	9	31	102-103

	8	31	32	104-105
	12	33	34	106-107
	13	34	34	108-109
	14	35	35	110-111
	15	36	36	112-113
	16	37	36	114-115
	7a-D₁ + 7a-H	37	--	116
	7a-D₇ + 7a-H	38	--	117

General Procedure for Preparation of Diethylhydridosilyl Aetals (4):³

[Ir(coe)₂Cl]₂ (0.9 mg, 0.1 mol %) and ester **1** (1 mmol) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (0.3 mL, 3.3 M). Diethylsilane (0.28 mL, 2 mmol) was added to the mixture. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was kept at rt and stirred for 3-12 h. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to afford the silyl acetals **4**, which were directly used for subsequent reactions without further purification.

General Procedure for Preparation of Hydridodiisopropylsilyl Aetals (5):³

[Ir(coe)₂Cl]₂ (0.9 mg, 0.1 mol %) and ester **1** (1 mmol) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (0.3 mL, 3.3 M). Diisopropylsilane (0.38 mL, 2 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was kept at 45 °C and stirred for 24-36 h. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to afford the silyl acetals **5**, which were directly used for subsequent reactions without further purification.

General Procedure for Preparation of Cyclic Silyl Acetals (6/7):

[Rh(nbd)Cl]₂ (1.84 mg, 0.4 mol %), *tris*(4-methoxyphenyl)phosphine (8.45 mg, 2.4 mol %) and norbornene (188 mg, 2 mmol) were dissolved with THF (1 mL, 1 M), silyl acetal **4** or **5** (1 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner, and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 10 min. The reaction progress was monitored by GC/MS spectrometry. The yield of the cyclic silyl acetals **6** or **7** was determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopy by an addition of CH₂Br₂ (1 mmol) as an internal standard after the volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. Crude material was directly subjected to hydrolysis.

General Procedure for Preparation of 2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]benzaldehyde (2)**and 2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (3)**

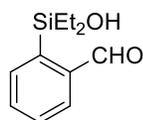
The crude cyclic silyl acetals **6** or **7** (1 mmol) were dissolved by a 1:1 mixture (v/v) of acetonitrile and pH 5 buffer (1 mL:1 mL, total concentration = 0.5 M) and stirred at rt for 10 h. The mixture was extracted with diethyl ether (5 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were

removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC to afford silanol aldehyde **2** (hexanes/EtOAc = 5:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 7-20 min) or **3** (hexanes/EtOAc = 10:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 10-25 min). Compound **3k** was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 3:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 7-8 min), and **3v** was obtained by recrystallization using DCM/hexanes.

Gram Scale Synthesis of 2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]benzaldehyde (**2a**)

[Ir(coe)₂Cl]₂ (10 mg, 0.1 mol %) and methyl benzoate **1a-Me** (1.5 mL, 12 mmol) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (6 mL, 2 M). Diethylsilane (2.0 mL, 14.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv) was added to the mixture slowly (the reaction was exothermic). The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 10 h. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to afford the silyl acetal **4a-Me**, which was directly used for subsequent C–H silylation without further purification. [Rh(nbd)Cl]₂ (22.1 mg, 0.4 mol %), *tris*(4-methoxyphenyl)phosphine (101 mg, 2.4 mol %), and norbornene (2.26 g, 24 mmol) were dissolved with THF (6 mL, 2 M), the crude silyl acetal **4a-Me** was added to the mixture. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner, and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 10 min. The yield of cyclic silyl acetal **6a-Me** was determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopy by an addition of CH₂Br₂ as an internal standard after the volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The crude material **6a-Me** was dissolved by a 1:1 mixture (v/v) of acetonitrile and pH 5 buffer (6 mL: 6 mL, total concentration = 1 M) and stirred at rt for 10 h. The mixture was extracted with diethyl ether (20 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (20 mL) and brine (20 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 5:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 8 min) to afford *ortho*-formyl arylsilanol **2a** (1.8 g, 72% yield) as a pale yellow liquid.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]benzaldehyde (**2a**)



2a

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 162 mg, 78%; 12 mmol scale, 1.80 g, 72%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.89 (dd, *J* = 7.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCCH),

7.79 (dd, $J = 7.0, 1.6$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.64 (ddd, $J = 7.4, 7.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH or SiCCHCH), 7.61 (ddd, $J = 7.4, 7.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH or SiCCHCH), 3.15 (br, 1H, SiOH), 0.99-0.95 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.92-0.89 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

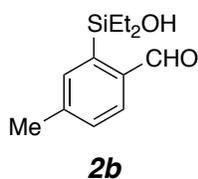
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): δ 196.0, 141.2, 139.6, 136.1, 135.5, 133.8, 129.9, 7.1, and 6.5.

IR (neat): 3409 (br, m), 2955 (w), 1685 (s), 1200 (m), 1039 (s), 1003 (s), and 707 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+K)⁺ (C₁₁H₁₆KO₂Si)⁺: 247.0551. Found: 247.0568.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-4-methylbenzaldehyde (2b)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 160 mg, 72%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 9.94 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.77 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.57 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.39 (dd, $J = 7.7, 1.6$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH), 3.14 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 0.98-0.95 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.91-0.88 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

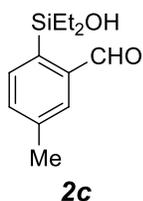
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): δ 195.5, 144.8, 139.5, 139.0, 137.1, 136.2, 130.4, 22.2, 7.2, and 6.5.

IR (neat): 3372 (br, w), 2955 (m), 2874 (m), 1692 (m), 1592 (m), 1200 (m), 1039 (s), 1003 (s), 792 (s), and 704 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₂H₁₈NaO₂Si)⁺: 245.0968. Found: 245.0987.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-5-methylbenzaldehyde (2c)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 140 mg, 63%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 9.98 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.68 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.66 (d,

$J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.57 (dd, $J = 7.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH), 3.00 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 0.98-0.94 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.92-0.89 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

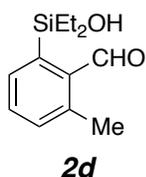
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 196.3, 141.5, 140.1, 136.7, 136.2, 136.0, 134.6, 21.2, 7.2, and 6.5.

IR (neat): 3407 (br, m), 2955 (m), 1684 (m), 1461 (m), 1189 (m), 1045 (s), 1015 (s), 977 (s), and 712 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.45 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₂H₁₈NaO₂Si)⁺: 245.0968. Found: 245.0983.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-6-methylbenzaldehyde (2d)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 191 mg, 86%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 10.5 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.77 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH or MeCCH), 7.41 (dd, $J = 7.5, 7.5$ Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 7.26 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH or MeCCH), 2.68 (s, 3H, ArCH₃), 2.08 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.01-0.97 [m, 2H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.93-0.90 [m, 8H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂ and Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 193.4, 141.7, 141.4, 139.3, 134.8, 133.1, 132.7, 20.4, 8.5, and 7.7.

IR (neat): 3407 (br, m), 2956 (m), 1683 (m), 1459 (m), 1179 (m), 1046 (s), 1004 (s), 978 (s), and 711 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.45 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₂H₁₈NaO₂Si)⁺: 245.0968. Found: 245.0992.

4-Chloro-2-[diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]benzaldehyde (2e)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 179 mg, 74%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 9.97 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*), 7.76 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H, SiC*C*H), 7.57 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.1 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*CH), 3.00 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 0.98-0.94 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.92-0.89 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

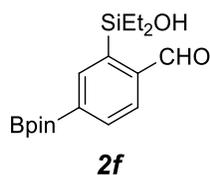
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 194.3, 142.2, 141.0, 139.3, 136.39, 136.30, 129.9, 7.0, and 6.3.

IR (neat): 3440 (br, w), 2957 (m), 2876 (m), 1694 (s), 1547 (m), 1039 (s), 1003 (s), 728 (s), 698 (s), and 442 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.45 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₁H₁₅NaO₂Si)⁺: 265.0422. Found: 265.0437.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzaldehyde (2f)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 250 mg, 75%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.19 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H, SiC*C*H), 8.02 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*CH), 7.86 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*), 3.03 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.36 [s, 12H, B[OC(CH₃)₂]₂], 0.99-0.96 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.94-0.91 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

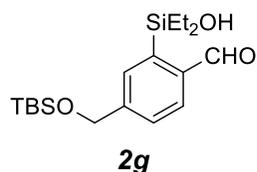
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 196.2, 143.0, 142.1, 138.3, 136.3 (2), 134.4, 84.5, 25.1, 7.2, and 6.6.

IR (neat): 3441 (br, m), 2977 (m), 2875 (m), 1695 (s), 1473 (m), 1354 (s), 1141 (s), 1095 (s), 962 (s), 821 (s), 666 (s), and 430 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₁₇H₂₈BO₄Si)⁺: 335.1844. Found: 335.1828.

4-[(*tert*-Butyldimethylsilyl)oxy]methyl]-2-[diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]benzaldehyde (2g)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 274 mg, 78%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 9.98 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.85 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H, CHOCC_H), 7.72 (s, 1H, SiCCH), 7.56 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H, CHOCC_HCH), 4.83 (s, 2H, CH₂OTBS), 3.29 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 0.98-0.95 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], 0.96 [s, 9H, Si(CH₃)₂(CH₃)₃], 0.92-0.89 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.12 [s, 6H, Si(CH₃)₂(CH₃)₃].

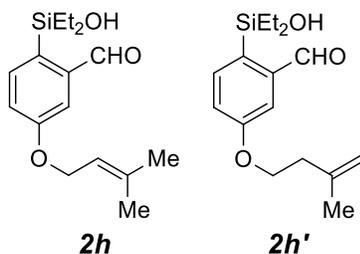
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 195.7, 147.7, 140.2, 139.6, 136.1, 133.4, 127.0, 64.7, 26.1, 18.5, 7.2, 6.5, and 5.1.

IR (neat): 3449 (br, m), 2954 (m), 2877 (m), 1692 (s), 1462 (m), 1253 (m), 1098 (s), 834 (s), 776 (s), 731 (s), and 708 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₈H₃₂NaO₃Si₂)⁺: 375.1782. Found: 375.1794.

2-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-5-[(3-methylbut-2-en-1-yl)oxy]benzaldehyde (**2h**)



1,1-Disubstituted alkene **2h'** via alkene migration were isolated along with the desired product as an inseparable mixture. The ratio of **2h**: **2h'** is 1: 0.09.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 223 mg, 78%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **2h**: δ 9.98 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.42 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCC_H), 7.14 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.6 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 5.50 (app t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 4.59 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 3.06 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.81 [s, 3H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.76 [s, 3H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 0.97-0.94 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.89-0.86 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **2h'**: 9.98 (s, 0.09H, CHO), 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 0.09H, SiCCH), 7.42 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 0.09H, CHOCC_H), 7.14 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.6 Hz, 0.09H, SiCCHCH), 4.86 (app s, 0.09H, CH_dH_b=CMe₂), 4.81 (app s, 0.09H, CH_aH_b=CMe₂), 4.16 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 0.18H, ArOCH₂CH₂), 2.53 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 0.18H, ArOCH₂CH₂), 1.81 [s, 0.27H, CH_aH_b=CCH₃], 0.97-0.94 [m, 0.54H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.89-0.86 [m, 0.36H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **2h**: δ 195.6, 160.4, 142.9, 139.2, 137.6, 130.2, 121.6,

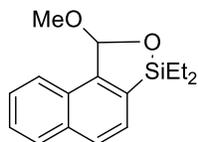
119.6, 119.1, 65.1, 26.0, 18.4, 7.2, and 6.7.

IR (neat): 3408 (br, m), 2955 (m), 2875 (m), 1688 (s), 1591 (s), 1267 (s), 1231 (m), 1071 (s), 1002 (s), 825 (s), and 707 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: R_f = 0.45 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{H})^+$ ($\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{25}\text{O}_3\text{Si}$) $^+$: 293.1567. Found: 293.1578.

3,3-Diethyl-1-methoxy-1,3-dihydronaphtho[2,1-c][1,2]oxasilole (**6i**)



6i

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 247 mg, 91%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz): δ 8.14 (dddd, $J = 8.1, 1.5, 0.6, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H5*), 7.92 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 1.5, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H8*), 7.89 (dd, $J = 8.0, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H4*), 7.62 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H3*), 7.60 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.5$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 7.56 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.5$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 6.60 (s, 1H, SiOCHOMe), 3.64 (s, 3H, OMe), 1.11-1.07 [m, 3H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], 1.03-0.94 [m, 7H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂ and Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz): δ 146.3, 134.8, 132.7, 129.5, 129.2, 128.6, 126.79, 126.75(2), 124.3, 104.2, 54.4, 7.1, 6.7, 6.64 and 6.61.

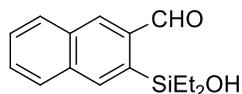
IR (neat): 3047 (w), 2955 (m), 2875 (m), 1507 (m), 1234 (m), 1097 (s), 1045 (s), 862 (s), 728 (s), 705 (s), and 435 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): t_R = 12.08 min, m/z 272 (M^+ , 20), 271 [($\text{M}-\text{H}$) $^+$, 25], and 241 [($\text{M}-\text{OMe}$) $^+$, 100].

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ ($\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{20}\text{NaO}_2\text{Si}$) $^+$: 295.1125. Found: 295.15138.

3-[Diethyl(hydroxy)silyl]-2-naphthaldehyde (**2j**)



2j

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 186 mg, 72%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 10.1 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.37 (s, 1H, naphthalene-*H1* or naphthalene-*H4*), 8.22 (s, 1H, naphthalene-*H1* or naphthalene-*H4*), 8.00 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H8* or naphthalene-*H5*), 7.93 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H8* or naphthalene-*H5*), 7.69 (ddd, *J* = 8.1, 7.0, 1.3 Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 7.62 (ddd, *J* = 8.1, 7.0, 1.3 Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 3.25 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.03-0.96 [m, 10H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂ and Si(CH₂CH₃)₂].

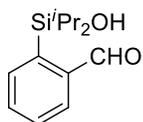
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 195.7, 139.4, 138.6, 137.7, 135.7, 133.3, 132.9, 129.9, 129.3, 128.7, 128.0, 7.3, and 6.6.

IR (neat): 3441 (br, m), 2954 (m), 2873 (m), 1688 (s), 1450 (m), 1212 (m), 1141 (m), 1031 (s), 746 (s), 702 (s), and 477 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₁₅H₁₉O₂Si)⁺: 259.1149. Found: 259.1157.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (**3a**)



3a

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.07.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 215 mg, 91%; 6 mmol scale, 1.19 g, 84%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **3a**: δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.90 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.81 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.62 (ddd, *J* = 7.3, 7.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH or SiCCHCH), 7.59 (ddd, *J* = 7.3, 7.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH or SiCCHCH), 3.51 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.34 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.08 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.90 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.55 [dd, *J* = 7.0, 1.2 Hz, 0.07H, C(OSi)CCH or SiCCH], 7.50 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 1.2 Hz, 0.07H, C(OSi)CCH or SiCCH], 7.47 [ddd, *J* = 7.6, 7.0, 1.2 Hz, 0.07H, C(OSi)CCH or SiCCHCH], 7.39 (ddd, *J* = 7.0, 7.0, 1.2 Hz, 0.07H, C(OSi)CCH or SiCCHCH], 6.36 (br s, 0.07H, SiOCHOH), 1.37 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.07H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.30 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.07H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.21H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.04 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.21H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.00 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.21H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.98 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.21H,

$\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

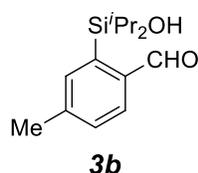
^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) only for **3a**: δ 196.2, 141.8, 139.0, 136.4, 135.6, 133.5, 129.7, 17.9, 17.7, and 13.3.

IR (neat): 3441 (br, m), 2944 (m), 2864 (m), 1686 (s), 1462 (s), 1202 (s), 1076 (m), 879 (s), 755 (s), 661 (s), and 505 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{K})^+$ ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{20}\text{KO}_2\text{Si}$) $^+$: 275.0864. Found: 275.0844.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-4-methylbenzaldehyde (**3b**)



The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.02.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 225 mg, 90%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) only for **3b**: δ 9.94 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.78 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H, CHOCC), 7.59 (s, 1H, SiCCH), 7.37 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCCH), 3.61 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 2.44 (s, 3H, ArCH₃), 1.33 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.89 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

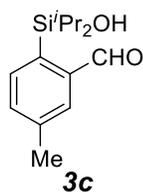
^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) only for **3b**: δ 195.5, 144.4, 139.4, 138.9, 137.3, 136.0, 120.2, 22.2, 18.0, 17.7, and 13.3.

IR (neat): 3443 (br, m), 2944 (m), 2864 (m), 1685 (s), 1462 (s), 880 (s), 817 (s), 790 (s), and 485 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{K})^+$ ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{22}\text{KO}_2\text{Si}$) $^+$: 289.1021. Found: 289.1011.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-5-methylbenzaldehyde (**3c**)



The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.04.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 167 mg, 67%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3c**: δ 9.99 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.71 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCC_H), 7.67 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.44 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.6 Hz, 1H, SiCCHC_H), 3.47 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 2.45 (s, 3H, ArCH₃), 1.34 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.90 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

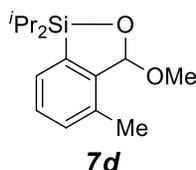
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3c**: δ 196.4, 142.0, 139.8, 136.5 (2), 135.3, 134.3, 21.2, 17.9, 17.6, and 13.3.

IR (neat): 3450 (br, m), 2944 (m), 2864 (m), 1681 (s), 1462 (s), 880 (s), 823 (s), 660 (s), and 479 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₄H₂₂NaO₂Si)⁺: 273.1281. Found: 273.1269.

1,1-Diisopropyl-3-methoxy-4-methyl-1,3-dihydrobenzo[*c*][1,2]oxasilole (**7d**)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 238 mg, 90%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 7.36 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, MeCCH or SiCCH), 7.27 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4 Hz, 1H, MeCCHC_H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, MeCCH or SiCCH), 6.00 (s, 1H, SiOCHOMe), 3.56 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 2.36 (s, 3H, ArCH₃), 1.25 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.21 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.08 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.01 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H, CH(CH₃)₂] and 0.95 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 147.8, 134.4, 132.9, 132.0, 129.3, 128.8, 104.5, 55.1, 18.6, 17.41, 17.37, 17.19, 17.13, 12.76 and 12.67.

IR (neat): 2943 (m), 2864 (m), 1461 (s), 1071 (s), 1019 (m), 880 (s), 708 (s), and 471 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.6 in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): t_R = 10.01 min, m/z 264 (M⁺, 5), 263 [(M-H)⁺, 20], 233 [(M-OMe)⁺, 100], and 221[(M-ⁱPr)⁺, 10].

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₅H₂₄NaO₂Si)⁺: 287.1438. Found: 287.1449.

4-Fluoro-2-(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (3e)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.04.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 216 mg, 85%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3e**: δ 9.96 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.92 [dd, *J* = 8.3, 5.3 (*J*_{F-H}) Hz, 1H, CHOCCH], 7.54 [dd, 1H, *J* = 9.3 (*J*_{F-H}), 2.5 Hz, SiCCH], 7.24 [ddd, *J* = 8.3, 8.3 (*J*_{F-H}), 2.5 Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH], 3.12 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.35 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.09 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.88 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3e**: δ 193.9, 166.0 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 260.3 Hz), 143.8 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 5.8 Hz), 138.1 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 2.1 Hz), 137.9 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 9.3 Hz), 123.9 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 20.4 Hz), 116.5 (d, *J*_{F-C} = 21.7 Hz), 18.0, 17.7, and 13.2.

IR (neat): 3453 (br, m), 2945 (m), 2866 (m), 1689 (s), 1566 (s), 1464 (m), 1257(m), 1210 (s), 880 (s), 798 (s), 680 (s), and 456 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.55 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₃H₁₉FN₂O₂Si)⁺: 277.1031. Found: 277.1047.

4-Chloro-2-(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (3f)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.08.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 203 mg, 75%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **3f**: δ 9.99 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.83 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.82 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCl), 7.55 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.2 Hz, 1H, ClCCHCHCCHO), 3.08 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.35 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.08 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.87 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.48 (s, 0.08H, SiCCH), 7.419-7.417 (m, 0.16H, ClCCHCHCHO and ClCCHCHCHO), 6.33 (s, 0.08H, SiOCHOH), 1.25 [septet, *J* = 7.4

Hz, 0.08H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.23 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.08H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.05 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.24H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.03 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.24H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 0.99 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.24H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], and 0.97 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.24H, $CH(CH_3)_2$].

^{13}C NMR ($CDCl_3$, 125 MHz) for **3f**: δ 194.3, 141.9, 140.9, 139.8, 136.6, 136.0, 129.8, 18.0, 17.7, and 13.2.

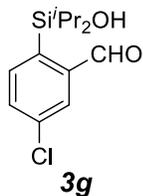
^{13}C NMR ($CDCl_3$, 125 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 139.1, 137.9, 135.3, 131.4, 130.6, 125.8, 98.3, 17.23, 17.12, 16.99, 16.98, 12.5, and 12.4.

IR (neat): 3456 (br, m), 2945 (m), 2865 (m), 1692 (s), 1546 (m), 1462 (m), 1138 (s), 821 (s), 665 (s), and 483 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(M+H)^+$ ($C_{13}H_{20}ClO_2Si$) $^+$: 271.0916. Found: 271.0947.

5-Chloro-2-(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (**3g**)



The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.22.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 211 mg, 78%.

1H NMR ($CDCl_3$, 500 MHz) for **3g**: δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.87 (d, $J = 2.1$ Hz, 1H, CHOCC H), 7.77 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.59 (dd, $J = 7.9, 2.1$ Hz, 1H, SiCCHCHC Cl), 2.96 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.33 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.08 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], and 0.87 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, $CH(CH_3)_2$].

1H NMR ($CDCl_3$, 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.48 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 0.22H, CHOCC H), 7.46 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 0.22H, SiCCH), 7.36 (dd, $J = 7.7, 1.8$ Hz, 0.22H, SiCCHCHC Cl), 6.31 (s, 0.22H, SiOCHOH), 1.25 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.22H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.22 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.22H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.04 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 1.03 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], 0.98 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, $CH(CH_3)_2$], and 0.97 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, $CH(CH_3)_2$].

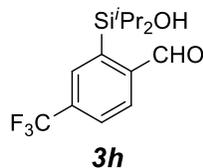
^{13}C NMR ($CDCl_3$, 125 MHz) for **3g**: δ 194.4, 143.3, 137.9, 136.4, 134.2, 133.4, 124.8, 17.9, 17.7, and 13.3. For partial assignment of silyl hemiacetal: 137.3, 136.9, 133.0, 129.3, 98.2, 17.27, 17.15, 17.09, 17.03, 12.55, and 12.40.

IR (neat): 3450 (br, m), 2945 (m), 2865 (m), 1698 (m), 1587 (m), 1462 (m), 1191 (s), 1058 (s), 978 (s), 801 (s), 774 (s), and 497 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{H})^+$ ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{20}\text{ClO}_2\text{Si}$)⁺: 271.0916. Found: 271.0958.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzaldehyde (**3h**)



The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.55.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 219 mg, 72%.

¹H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for **3h**: δ 10.1 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.13 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H, SiCCHCCF₃), 8.01 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.84 (dd, $J = 7.9, 1.9$ Hz, 1H, CF₃CCHCHCCHO), 2.72 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.38 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.11 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.86 [d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.78 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 0.55H, SiCCH), 7.72 (dd, $J = 8.1, 1.6$ Hz, 0.55H, CHOCCH), 7.61 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 0.55H, CF₃CCHCHCCHO), 6.39 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 0.55H, SiOCHOH), 2.98 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 0.55H, SiOCHOH), 1.29 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.55H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.23 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.55H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.65 H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.05 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.65H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.00 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.65H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.99 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.65H, CH(CH₃)₂].

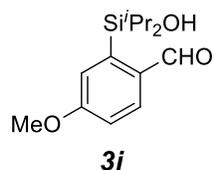
¹³C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for **3h**: δ 194.5, 140.9, 134.0, 133.1 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}}^3 = 3.6$ Hz), 131.1 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}}^2 = 32.1$ Hz), 126.7 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}} = 3.7$ Hz), 126.0 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}}^1 = 273.1$ Hz), 124.9, 18.0, 17.7, 13.2.

¹³C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 154.5, 134.4, 131.1 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}}^2 = 31.3$ Hz), 128.5 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}} = 3.6$ Hz), 127.6 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}} = 3.0$ Hz), 125.0, 124.5 (q, $J_{\text{F-C}}^1 = 262.1$ Hz), 98.4, 17.22, 17.13, 17.00 (2), 12.5, and 12.4.

IR (neat): 3460 (br, w), 2947 (m), 2868 (m), 1754 (w), 1706 (w), 1463 (m), 1321 (s), 1124 (s), 1075 (s), 977 (s), 802 (s), 639 (s), and 486 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{H})^+$ ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{20}\text{F}_3\text{O}_2\text{Si}$)⁺: 305.1179. Found: 305.1199.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-4-methoxybenzaldehyde (3i)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.01.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 149 mg, 56%.

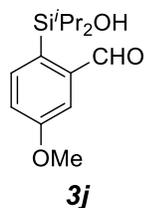
¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3i**: δ 9.83 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.85 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*), 7.30 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.6 Hz, SiCC*H*), 7.01 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 2.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCC*H*CH), 3.90 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 3.82 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.32 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.91 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3i**: δ 194.3, 163.7, 141.7, 139.1, 134.9, 123.4, 113.2, 55.7, 17.9, 17.6, and 13.2.

IR (neat): 3453 (br, m), 2943 (m), 2864 (m), 1680 (s), 1582 (m), 1555 (m), 1462 (s), 1230 (s), 1212 (s), 881 (s), 665 (s), and 486 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₄H₂₂NaO₃Si)⁺: 289.1230. Found: 289.1252.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-5-methoxybenzaldehyde (3j)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.05.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 205 mg, 77%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3j**: δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H, SiCC*H*), 7.44 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.6 Hz, CHOCC*H*), 7.15 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H, SiCC*H*CH), 3.89 (s, 3H, ArOCH₃), 3.15 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.30 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.90 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

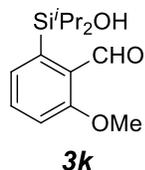
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3j**: δ 195.7, 160.9, 143.6, 137.9, 129.6, 120.1, 119.0, 55.6, 17.9, 17.6, and 13.4.

IR (neat): 3400 (br, m), 2943 (m), 2865 (m), 1738 (m), 1686 (m), 1593 (m), 1462 (s), 1238 (s), 1048 (s), 1025 (s), 880 (s), 662 (s), and 464 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(M+Na)^+$ ($C_{14}H_{22}NaO_3Si$) $^+$: 289.1230. Found: 289.1260.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-6-methoxybenzaldehyde (**3k**)



The ratio of aldehyde and corresponding silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.45.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 96 mg, 36%.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for **3k**: δ 10.5 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.56 (dd, $J = 8.3, 7.4$ Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 7.42 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.03 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H, MeOCCH), 3.92 (s, 3H, ArOCH₃), 3.16 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.34 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.08 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.85 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.36 (dd, $J = 8.0, 7.2$ Hz, 0.45H, SiCCHCH), 7.10 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.45H, SiCCH), 6.92 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 0.45H, MeOCCH), 6.49 (s, 0.45H, SiOCHOH), 3.88 (s, 1.35H, ArOCH₃), 1.26 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.45H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.20 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.45H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.35H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.35H, CH(CH₃)₂], 0.97 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.35H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.96 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.35H, CH(CH₃)₂].

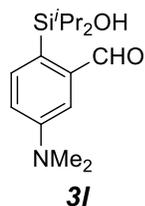
$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for **3k**: δ 193.0, 163.6, 141.1, 135.4, 128.5, 123.7, 112.8, 55.8, 18.3, 18.1, and 13.3.

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 155.8, 138.8, 134.7, 130.7, 129.5, 112.0, 97.0, 55.3, 17.37, 17.24, 17.05 (2), 12.52, and 12.48.

IR (neat): 3435 (br, m), 2943 (m), 2864 (m), 1738 (m), 1676 (m), 1570 (m), 1466 (s), 1258 (s), 1024 (s), 963 (s), 786 (s), 668 (s), and 502 (s) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ in 3:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(M+Na)^+$ ($C_{14}H_{22}NaO_3Si$) $^+$: 289.1230. Found: 289.1257.

5-(Dimethylamino)-2-(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzaldehyde (3l)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.04.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 254 mg, 91%.

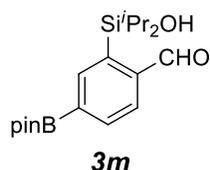
¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3l**: δ 9.99 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.22 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.7 Hz, CHOCCH), 6.91 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.7 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 3.34 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 3.05 [s, 6H, N(CH₃)₂], 1.28 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.91 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3l**: δ 197.0, 151.1, 143.0, 137.5 (2), 119.2, 116.3, 40.2, 17.9, 17.7, and 13.5.

IR (neat): 3436 (br, m), 2942 (m), 2863 (m), 1682 (s), 1595 (s), 1359 (m), 1208 (m), 1061 (s), 816 (s), 662 (s), and 485 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.35 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₁₅H₂₆NO₂Si)⁺: 280.1727. Found: 280.1746.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzaldehyde (3m)

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.22.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 279 mg, 77%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **3m**: δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.21 (app s, 1H, SiCCHCBpin), 8.01 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.1 Hz, 1H, pinBCCCHCHCCHO), 7.87 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 3.17 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.38 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.36 {s, 12H, B[OC(CH₃)₂]₂}, 1.09 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.88 [d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 7.98 (app s, 0.22H, SiCCHCBpin), 7.91 (dd, *J*

= 7.7, 1.1 Hz, 0.22H, pinBCHCHCCHO), 7.49 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 0.22H, CHOCCCH), 6.35 (s, 0.22H, SiOCHOH), 1.36 {s, 2.6H, B[OC(CH₃)₂]₂}, 1.27 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.22H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.24 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.22H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.053 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66 H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.046 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, CH(CH₃)₂], 0.987 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.984 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.66H, CH(CH₃)₂].

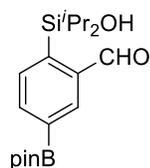
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) for **3m**: δ 196.2, 143.5, 142.4, 137.7, 137.0, 136.1, 134.1, 84.5, 25.1, 18.1, 17.8, and 13.3. For partial assignment of silyl hemiacetal: 138.5, 123.6, 98.8, 84.1, 24.9, 17.35, 17.27, 17.10 (2), 12.6, and 12.4.

IR (neat): 3442 (br, w), 2945 (m), 2866 (m), 1696 (w), 1464 (m), 1356 (s), 1260 (s), 1094 (s), 1011 (s), 795 (s), 736 (s), and 482 (s) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₁₉H₃₂BO₄Si)⁺: 363.2157. Found: 363.2189.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzaldehyde (**3n**)



3n

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.05.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 261 mg, 72%.

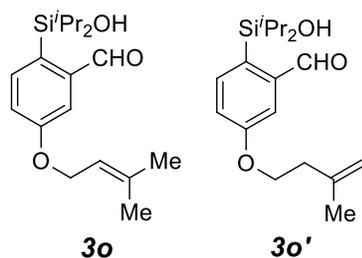
¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) only for **3n**: δ 10.0 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.31 (app s, 1H, CHOCCCH), 8.03 (dd, $J = 7.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 7.81 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 3.53 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.37 {s, 12H, B[OC(CH₃)₂]₂}, 1.34 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.07 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.87 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3n**: δ 196.6, 142.5, 142.2, 141.1, 139.6 (2), 135.9, 84.6, 25.1, 17.9, 17.7, and 13.2.

IR (neat): 3443 (br, w), 2943 (m), 2865 (m), 1690 (w), 1463 (m), 1356 (s), 1141 (s), 881 (s), 673 (s), and 497 (m) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₉H₃₁BNaO₄Si)⁺: 385.1977. Found: 385.1997.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-5-[(3-methylbut-2-en-1-yl)oxy]benzaldehyde (3o)

1,1-Disubstituted alkene **3o'** via alkene migration were isolated along with the desired product as an inseparable mixture. The ratio of three compounds (**3o**: **3o'**: silyl hemiacetal of **3o**) is 1:0.18:0.08.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 227 mg, 71%.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **3o**: δ 10.04 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.683 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 7.448 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.150 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH), 5.51 (app t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 4.59 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 3.16 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.81 [s, 3H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.77 [s, 3H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.30 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.06 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.901 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂],

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for **3o'**: 10.05 (s, 0.18H, CHO), 7.685 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 0.18H, SiCCH), 7.439 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 0.18H, CHOCCH), 7.142 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.6 Hz, 0.18H, SiCCHCH), 4.87 (app s, 0.18H, CH_aH_b=CMe), 4.82 (app s, 0.18H, CH_aH_b=CMe), 4.16 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 0.36H, ArOCH₂CH₂), 2.54 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 0.36H, ArOCH₂CH₂), 2.25 (br s, 0.18H, SiCHOH), 1.81 [s, 0.54H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.32-1.17 [m, 0.36H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.038 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1.08H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.898 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1.08H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal of **3o**: 7.427 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 0.08H, SiCCH), 7.02 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 0.08H, CH₂OCCHCCHO), 6.96 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.2 Hz, 0.08H, SiCCHCH), 6.29 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.08H, SiCHOH), 5.51 (app t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 0.08H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 4.57-4.50 (m, 0.16H, ArOCH₂CH=CMe₂), 2.88 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.08H, SiCHOH), 1.80 [s, 0.24H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.32-1.17 [m, 0.16H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.75 [s, 0.24H, ArOCH₂CH=C(CH₃)₂], 1.046 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.24H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.028 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.24H, CH(CH₃)₂], 0.989 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.24H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.969 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 0.24H, CH(CH₃)₂].

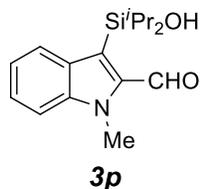
¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) only for **3o**: δ 195.7, 160.2, 143.5, 139.3, 137.9, 129.4, 120.9, 119.7, 119.2, 65.1, 26.1, 18.5, 17.9, 17.6, and 13.4.

IR (neat): 3457 (br, w), 2942 (m), 2864 (m), 1686 (s), 1591 (s), 1462 (m), 1297 (s), 1267 (s), 1232 (s), 1069 (s), 995 (s), 826 (s), 662 (s), and 487 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(M+Na)^+$ ($C_{18}H_{28}NaO_3Si$) $^+$: 343.1700. Found: 343.1735.

3-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-1-methyl-1*H*-indole-2-carbaldehyde (3p)



Yield: 1 mmol scale, 118 mg, 41%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz): δ 10.3 (s, 1H, CHO), 7.94 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 0.9, 0.9$ Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.44-7.40 (mfom, 2H, ArH), 7.17 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 4.9, 3.0$ Hz, 1H, ArH), 4.12 (s, 3H, NCH₃), 3.25 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.39 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.12 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.99 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

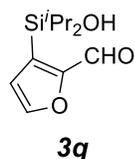
^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz): δ 186.6, 141.4, 141.0, 132.2, 126.7, 125.2, 121.5, 121.2, 110.6, 32.2, 17.4, 17.1, and 14.4.

IR (neat): 3382 (br, w), 3052 (w), 2943 (m), 2864 (m), 1642 (s), 1465 (m), 1385 (m), 1346 (m), 878 (s), and 488 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(M+Na)^+$ ($C_{16}H_{23}NNaO_2Si$) $^+$: 312.1390. Found: 312.1412.

3-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)furan-2-carbaldehyde (3q)



The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.04.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 140 mg, 62%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) only for **3q**: δ 9.78 (d, $J = 0.7$ Hz, 1H, CHO), 7.76 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 1H, ArH), 6.62 (dd, $J = 1.5, 0.7$ Hz, 1H, ArH), 4.82 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.15 [septet, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.04 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.96 [d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

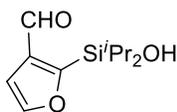
^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) only for **3q**: δ 182.6, 157.8, 148.1, 128.9, 118.0, 17.1, 16.8, and 13.2.

IR (neat): 3397 (br, w), 2945 (m), 2866 (m), 1734 (m), 1664 (s), 1460 (s), 1353 (m), 821 (s), 762 (s), and 493 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ ($\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{NaO}_3\text{Si}$) $^+$: 249.0917. Found: 249.0937.

2-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)furan-3-carbaldehyde (**3r**)



3r

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.05.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 160 mg, 71%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) only for **3r**: δ 9.88 (d, J = 0.7 Hz, 1H, CHO), 8.23 (d, J = 1.3 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.42 (dd, J = 1.3, 0.7 Hz, 1H, ArH), 4.74 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.09 [septet, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.02 [d, J = 7.2 Hz, 6H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], and 0.96 [d, J = 7.2 Hz, 6H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

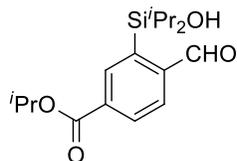
^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) only for **3r**: δ 187.1, 155.9, 149.9, 133.1, 113.3, 17.2, 17.0, and 13.5.

IR (neat): 3382 (br, w), 2945 (m), 2867 (m), 1734 (m), 1670 (s), 1463 (s), 996 (s), 882 (s), 674 (s), and 479 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: R_f = 0.5 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ ($\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{NaO}_3\text{Si}$) $^+$: 249.0917. Found: 249.0940.

Isopropyl 4-formyl-3-(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)benzoate (**3s**)



3s

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.40.

Total Yield: 1 mmol scale, 184 mg, 57%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for **3s**: δ 10.1 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.46 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H, SiCCH), 8.20 (dd, J = 7.9, 1.7 Hz, 1H, CHOCCCHCCO $_2^i\text{Pr}$), 7.96 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H, CHOCCCH), 5.27

[septet, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 1H, $\text{ArCO}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 3.35 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.39 [d, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 6H, $\text{ArCO}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.35 {septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H, $\text{Si}[\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2]_2$ }, 1.09 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], and 0.89 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 8.19 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 0.4H, SiCCH), 8.11 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.6$ Hz, 0.4H, $\text{CHOCCHCHCO}_2^i\text{Pr}$), 7.54 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 6.38 (s, 0.4H, SiOCHOH), 5.26 [septet, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 0.4H, $\text{ArCO}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.38 [d, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 2.4H, $\text{ArCO}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.27 {septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.4H, $\text{Si}[\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2]_2$ }, 1.25 {septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 0.4H, $\text{Si}[\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2]_2$ }, 1.05 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.2H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.04 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.2H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 0.99 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.2H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], and 0.98 [d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1.2H, $\text{SiCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for **3s**: δ 195.3, 165.6, 139.6, 137.2, 134.6, 134.1, 131.7, 130.7, 69.5, 22.09, 18.0, 17.7, and 13.3.

^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) for silyl hemiacetal: 166.3, 155.4, 144.5, 133.2, 131.4, 126.6, 124.3, 98.5, 68.8, 22.14 (2), 17.24, 17.15, 17.02 (2), 12.5, and 12.4.

IR (neat): 3492 (br, w), 2944 (m), 2866 (m), 1716 (s), 1463 (m), 1276 (m), 1244 (m), 1099 (s), 806 (s), and 483 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.3$ in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ ($\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{26}\text{NaO}_4\text{Si}$): 345.1493. Found: 345.1515.

3,3-Diisopropyl-1-methoxy-1,3-dihydronaphtho[2,1-*c*][1,2]oxasilole (**7t**)



7t

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 273 mg, 91%.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz): δ 8.11 (dddd, $J = 8.1, 1.5, 0.6, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H5*), 7.91 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 1.5, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H8*), 7.87 (dd, $J = 8.0, 0.6$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H4*), 7.60 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H3*), 7.58 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.5$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 7.54 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.5$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene-*H6* or naphthalene-*H7*), 6.54 (s, 1H, SiOCHOMe), 3.68 (s, 3H, OCH_3), 1.35 [septet, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.31 [septet, J

= 7.4 Hz, 1H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.15 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.13 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.06 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], and 1.01 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz): δ 146.7, 134.9, 131.4, 129.32, 129.22, 128.6, 127.4, 126.74, 126.72, 124.4, 104.4, 54.9, 17.51, 17.41, 17.21, 17.19, and 12.8 (2).

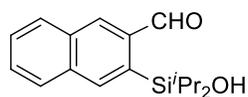
IR (neat): 3047 (w), 2943 (m), 2864 (m), 1461 (m), 1244 (m), 1065 (s), 801 (s), 671 (s), and 435 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): $t_R = 12.48$ min, m/z 300 (M^+ , 18), 299 [$(\text{M}-\text{H})^+$, 10], 269 [$(\text{M}-\text{OMe})^+$, 100], and 257 [$(\text{M}-i\text{Pr})^+$, 15].

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ ($\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{NaO}_2\text{Si}$) $^+$: 323.1438. Found: 323.1456.

3-(Hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)-2-naphthaldehyde (3u)



3u

The ratio of aldehyde and silyl hemiacetal is 1:0.01.

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 220 mg, 77%.

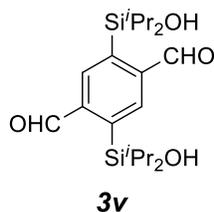
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) only for **3u**: δ 10.1 (s, 1H, CHO), 8.38 (s, 1H, naphthalene- $H1$ or naphthalene- $H4$), 8.26 (s, 1H, naphthalene- $H1$ or naphthalene- $H4$), 8.00 (dd, $J = 8.1, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene- $H8$ or naphthalene- $H5$), 7.93 (dd, $J = 8.1, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene- $H8$ or naphthalene- $H5$), 7.68 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene- $H6$ or naphthalene- $H7$), 7.62 (ddd, $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, naphthalene- $H6$ or naphthalene- $H7$), 3.39 (br s, 1H, SiOH), 1.44 [septet, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], 1.12 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 6H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$], and 0.92 [d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 6H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$].

^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) only for **3u**: δ 195.8, 139.6, 138.9, 138.0, 135.6, 132.8, 132.5, 129.9, 129.3, 128.7, 128.0, 18.2, 17.9, and 13.4.

IR (neat): 3455 (br, w), 2943 (m), 2863 (m), 1686 (s), 1461 (m), 1211 (s), 881 (s), 744 (s), and 477 (m) cm^{-1} .

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for $(\text{M}+\text{H})^+$ ($\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{23}\text{O}_2\text{Si}$) $^+$: 287.1462. Found: 287.1488.

2,5-Bis(hydroxydiisopropylsilyl)terephthalaldehyde (3v)

Yield: 1 mmol scale, 295 mg, 75%.

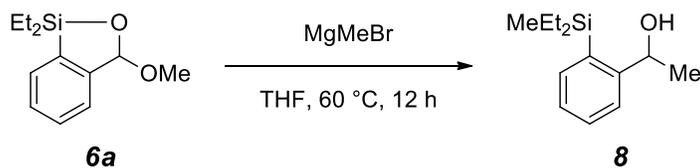
¹H NMR (DMSO-d₆, 500 MHz): δ 10.4 (s, 2H, CHO), 8.39 (s, 2H, SiCCH), 6.15 (s, 2H, SiOH), 3.33 (H₂O), 1.30 [septet, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 4H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.03 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 12H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.76 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 12H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (DMSO-d₆, 125 MHz): δ 195.3, 143.5, 141.2, 137.9, 17.9, 17.5, and 12.7.

IR (neat): 3489 (br, w), 2944 (s), 2865 (s), 1694 (s), 1463 (s), 1086 (s), 1018 (s), 880 (s), and 672 (m) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.2 in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₂₀H₃₅O₄Si₂)⁺: 395.2068. Found: 395.2089.

Procedure for Preparation of 1-{2-[Diethyl(methyl)silyl]phenyl}ethanol (8):

Crude cyclic silyl acetal **6a** (1 mmol) was dissolved with THF (1 mL, 1 M). Methylmagnesium bromide (3 M in diethyl ether, 1 mL, 3 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was kept at 60 °C and stirred for 12 h. The reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (5 mL) and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 20:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 9 min) to afford **8** (202 mg, 91%) as a colorless liquid.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 7.62 [dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H, CH(OH)CCH or SiCCH], 7.47 [dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H, CH(OH)CCH or SiCCH], 7.43 (ddd, *J* = 7.5, 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or SiCCHCHCH), 7.27 (ddd, *J* = 7.5, 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or SiCCHCHCH), 5.12 [q, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H, CH(OH)CH₃], 2.12 (br s, 1H, OH), 1.49 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H, CH(OH)CH₃), 1.00-0.96 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], 0.88-0.83 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.34 (s, 3H, SiCH₃).

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 152.0, 135.06, 135.00, 129.9, 127.1, 125.4, 69.8, 25.4, 7.84, 7.81, 6.94, 6.85, and 3.9.

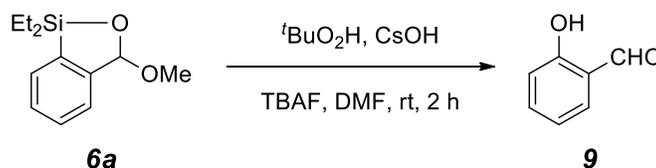
IR (neat): 3466 (br, w), 2954 (w), 2875 (w), 1077 (s), 1006 (s), and 732 (m) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.6 in 20:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

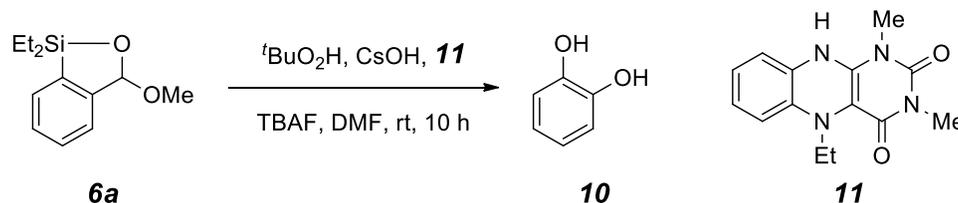
GCMS (5029017): t_R = 9.68 min, m/z 207 [(M-Me)⁺, 10], 193 [(M-Et)⁺, 12], and 177 [(M-CH(OH)Me)⁺, 100].

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+H)⁺ (C₁₃H₂₃OSi)⁺: 223.1513. Found: 223.1530.

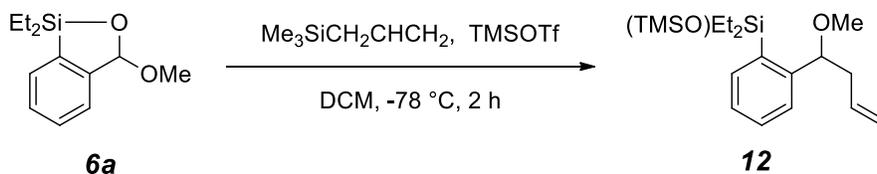
Procedure for Oxidation of **6a** to Salicylic aldehyde (**9**):



Crude cyclic silyl acetal **6a** (0.2 mmol), cesium hydroxide (45 mg, 0.3 mmol), and TBAF•3H₂O (126 mg, 0.4 mmol) were dissolved with DMF (0.2 mL, 1 M). *tert*-Butyl hydrogen peroxide (70% in water, 1 mL, 7 mmol) was added to the mixture. The reaction mixture was kept at rt and stirred for 2 h. The reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate (5 mL) and acidified by HCl (1 N) and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 5:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 8 min) to provide salicylic aldehyde **9** (21.5 mg, 88%) as a colorless liquid.

Procedure for Oxidation of 6a to Catechol (10):

Crude cyclic silyl acetal **6a** (0.2 mmol), cesium hydroxide (45 mg, 0.3 mmol), flavin **11** (5.4 mg, 10 mol %) and TBAF•3H₂O (126 mg, 0.4 mmol) were dissolved with DMF (0.2 mL, 1 M). *tert*-Butyl hydrogen peroxide (70% in water, 1 mL, 7 mmol) was added to the mixture. The reaction mixture was kept at rt and stirred for 10 h. The reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate (5 mL) and acidified by HCl (1 N) and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 3:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 6 min) to provide catechol **10** (14.5 mg, 66%).

Procedure for Allylation of 6a to 1,1-Diethyl-1-[2-(1-methoxybut-3-en-1-yl)phenyl]-3,3,3-trimethyldisiloxane (12):

Crude cyclic silyl acetal **6a** (12 mmol) and allyltrimethylsilane (2.4 mL, 15 mmol) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (6 mL, 2 M), and the solution was cooled to -78 °C. Trimethylsilyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (TMSOTf, 0.18 mL, 1 mmol) was added into the reaction mixture. The reaction was kept at -78 °C for 2 h. The reaction was warmed to rt and quenched by adding saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (20 mL) extracted with diethyl ether (20 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (20 mL) and brine (20 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 20:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 7 min) to provide **12** (2.90 g, 72% yield) as a colorless liquid.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 7.55 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or C(OMe)CCH], 7.52 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or C(OMe)CCH], 7.42 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or C(OMe)CCHCH], 7.28 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or C(OMe)CCHCH], 5.94 (dddd, *J* = 17.0, 10.3, 6.7, 6.7 Hz, 1H, CH₂CH=CH₂), 5.11 (dddd, *J* = 17.0, 2.0, 1.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H, CH₂CH=CH_{cis}H_{trans}), 5.08 (dddd, *J* = 10.3, 2.0, 1.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H, CH₂CH=CH_{cis}H_{trans}), 4.66 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 3.6 Hz, 1H, MeOCH), 3.22 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 2.46 (dddd, *J* = 14.7, 8.9, 6.7, 1.3, 1.3, 1H, MeOCHCH_aH_b), 2.37 (dddd, *J* = 14.7, 6.7, 3.6, 1.3, 1.3, 1H, MeOCHCH_aH_b), 0.99-0.94 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], 0.88-0.81 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], and 0.21 [s, 9H, Si(CH₃)₃].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 148.6, 135.7, 135.5, 134.8, 129.9, 126.7, 125.8, 116.6, 81.4, 56.5, 43.5, 9.14, 9.03, 7.1 (2) and 2.3.

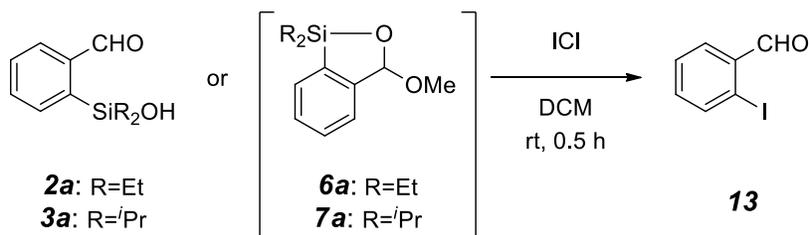
IR (neat): 3059 (w), 2954 (w), 2876 (w), 1252 (s), 1047 (s), 837 (s), and 719 (m) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.6 in 20:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): t_R = 10.79 min, m/z 335 [(M-H)⁺, 5], 295 [(M-allyl)⁺, 100], 234, and 192.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₈H₃₂NaO₂Si₂)⁺: 359.1833. Found: 359.1854.

Procedure for Iodo *ipso*-Desilylation of **2a/3a** or **6a/7a** to 2-Iodobenzaldehyde (**13**):



ortho-Formyl arylsilanols **2a/3a**, or cyclic silyl acetals **6a/7a** (0.2 mmol) and iodine chloride (65 mg, 0.4 mmol) were dissolved with DCM (1 mL, 0.2 M). The reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 2 h. The reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous sodium chloride (2 mL) and extracted with diethyl ether (4 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (4 mL) and brine (4 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by flash column (hexanes as eluent) to afford 2-iodobenzaldehyde **13** (43.6 mg, 94% from **2a**; 41.8 mg, 90% from **6a**; 41.3 mg, 89% from **3a**; 39.4 mg, 85% from **7a**).

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 10.1 [d, *J* = 1.0 Hz (coupled with CHOCCHCH), 1H, CHO],

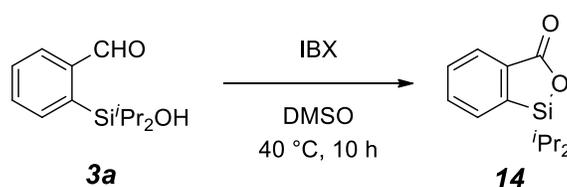
7.95 (dd, $J = 7.9, 1.0$ Hz, 1H, ICCH), 7.88 (dd, $J = 7.7, 1.8$ Hz, 1H, CHOCCH), 7.46 [dddd, $J = 7.7, 7.4, 1.0$ (coupled with CHO), 1.0 Hz, 1H, CHOCCHCH], and 7.29 (ddd, $J = 7.9, 7.4, 1.8$ Hz, 1H, ICCHCH).

^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 196.0, 140.9, 135.7, 135.3, 130.5, 128.9, and 100.9.

TLC: $R_f = 0.7$ in 20:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): $t_R = 8.52$ min, m/z 232 (M^+ , 100), 231 [($M-H$)⁺, 35], and 104 [($M-I$)⁺, 40].

Procedure for Oxidative Lactonization of **3a** to 1,1-Diisopropylbenzo[*c*][1,2]oxasilol-3-one (**14**):



ortho-Formyl phenylsilanol **3a** (1 mmol) and 2-iodoxybenzoic acid (IBX, 560 mg, 2 mmol) were mixed with DMSO (2 mL, 0.5 M). The suspension was warmed to 40 °C and stirred for 10 h. The reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous sodium chloride (5 mL) and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 5:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 6 min) to afford silalactone **14** (212 mg, 91%) as a colorless liquid.

^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 8.08 [dd, $J = 7.2, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH or C(O)CCH], 7.68 [dd, $J = 7.2, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, SiCCH or C(O)CCH], 7.64 [ddd, $J = 7.2, 7.2, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, C(O)CCHCH or SiCCHCH], 7.60 [ddd, $J = 7.2, 7.2, 1.3$ Hz, 1H, C(O)CCHCH or SiCCHCH], 1.41 [septet, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.08 [d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 1.04 [d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

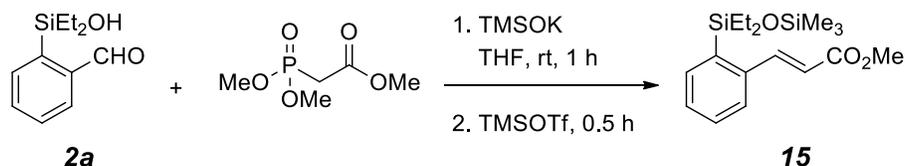
^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 169.1, 138.4, 138.0, 133.2, 132.1, 131.3, 127.8, 16.8 (2), and 11.7.

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ in 5:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

GCMS (5029017): $t_R = 10.58$ min, m/z 235 [($M+H$)⁺, 5], 234 (M^+ , 5), and 191 [($M-i$ Pr)⁺, 100].

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for ($M+H$)⁺ (C₁₃H₁₉O₂Si)⁺: 235.1149. Found: 235.1170.

Procedure for Horner-Wadsworth-Emmons Homologation of **2a into (*E*)-Methyl 3-[2-(1,1-diethyl-3,3,3-trimethyldisiloxanyl)phenyl]acrylate (**15**):**



ortho-Formyl phenylsilanol **2a** (1 mmol) and trimethyl phosphonoacetate (0.19 mL, 1.2 mmol) were dissolved with THF (2 mL, 0.5 M). Potassium trimethylsilylanolate (141 mg, 1 mmol) was added into the reaction mixture. After being stirred for 1 h at rt, the reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (5 mL), and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The crude mixture was dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL, 0.5 M). TMSOTf (0.09 mL, 0.5 mmol) was added into the reaction mixture. After being stirred for 0.5 h at rt, the reaction was quenched by adding saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate (5 mL), and extracted with diethyl ether (8 mL×4). The combined organic layer was washed with water (10 mL) and brine (10 mL), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo*, and the crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 10:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 6 min) to afford enoate **15** (312 mg, 93%, *E/Z* >20:1).

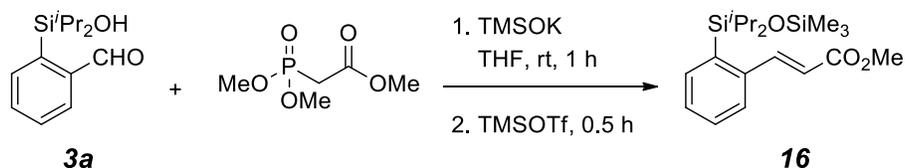
¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 8.17 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1H, ArCH=CHCO₂Me), 7.66 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCH], 7.60 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCH], 7.39 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCHCH], 7.36 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCHCH], 6.36 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1H, ArCH=CHCO₂Me), 3.81 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 0.98-0.91 [m, 6H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂], 0.88-0.82 [m, 4H, Si(CH₂CH₃)₂] and 0.15 [s, 9H, Si(CH₃)₃].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 167.5, 146.2, 140.2, 139.5, 135.3, 129.8, 129.1, 126.2, 118.6, 51.8, 8.4, 7.0 and 2.1.

IR (neat): 3055 (w), 2954 (w), 2877 (w), 1720 (m), 1052 (s), 836 (s), and 719 (m) cm⁻¹.

TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 10:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₇H₂₈NaO₃Si₂)⁺: 359.1469. Found: 359.1482.

(E)-Methyl 3-(2-(1,1-diisopropyl-3,3,3-trimethyldisiloxanyl)phenyl)acrylate (16)

The procedure for the preparation of **16** is the same as one of **15**. The crude reaction mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 20:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 5 min) to afford product **16** (298 mg, 82%, *E/Z* >20:1).

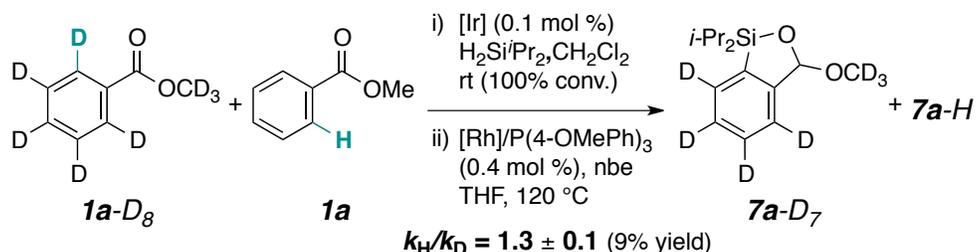
¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz): δ 8.07 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1H, ArCH=CHCO₂Me), 7.66 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCH], 7.62 [dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCH], 7.38 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCHCH], 7.36 [ddd, *J* = 7.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, SiCCHCH or (MeO₂CCH=CH)CCHCH], 6.36 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1H, ArCH=CHCO₂Me), 3.80 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 1.25 [septet, 2H, *J* = 7.4 Hz, CH(CH₃)₂], 1.05 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂], and 0.92 [d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂].

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 167.5, 146.9, 140.3, 138.8, 136.0, 129.5, 128.9, 126.2, 118.4, 51.8, 17.709, 17.689, 14.5 and 2.4.

IR (neat): 3057 (w), 2944 (w), 2877 (w), 1721 (m), 1048 (s), 838 (s), and 714 (m) cm⁻¹.

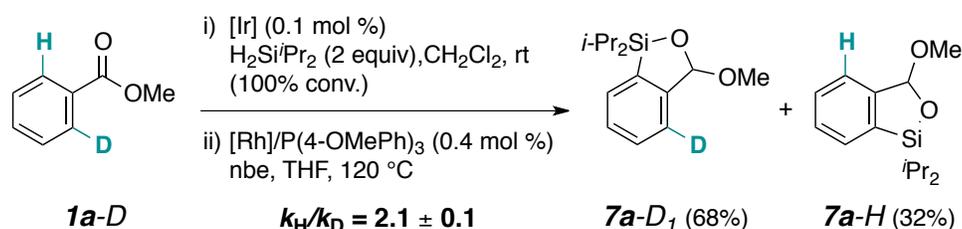
TLC: R_f = 0.4 in 20:1 hexanes: EtOAc.

HRMS (ESI/TOF): Calcd for (M+Na)⁺ (C₁₉H₃₂NaO₃Si₂)⁺: 387.1782. Found: 387.1798.

Procedure for intermolecular KIE:

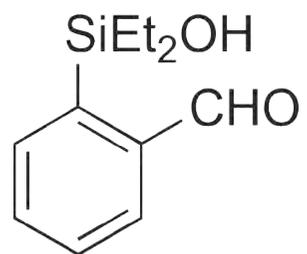
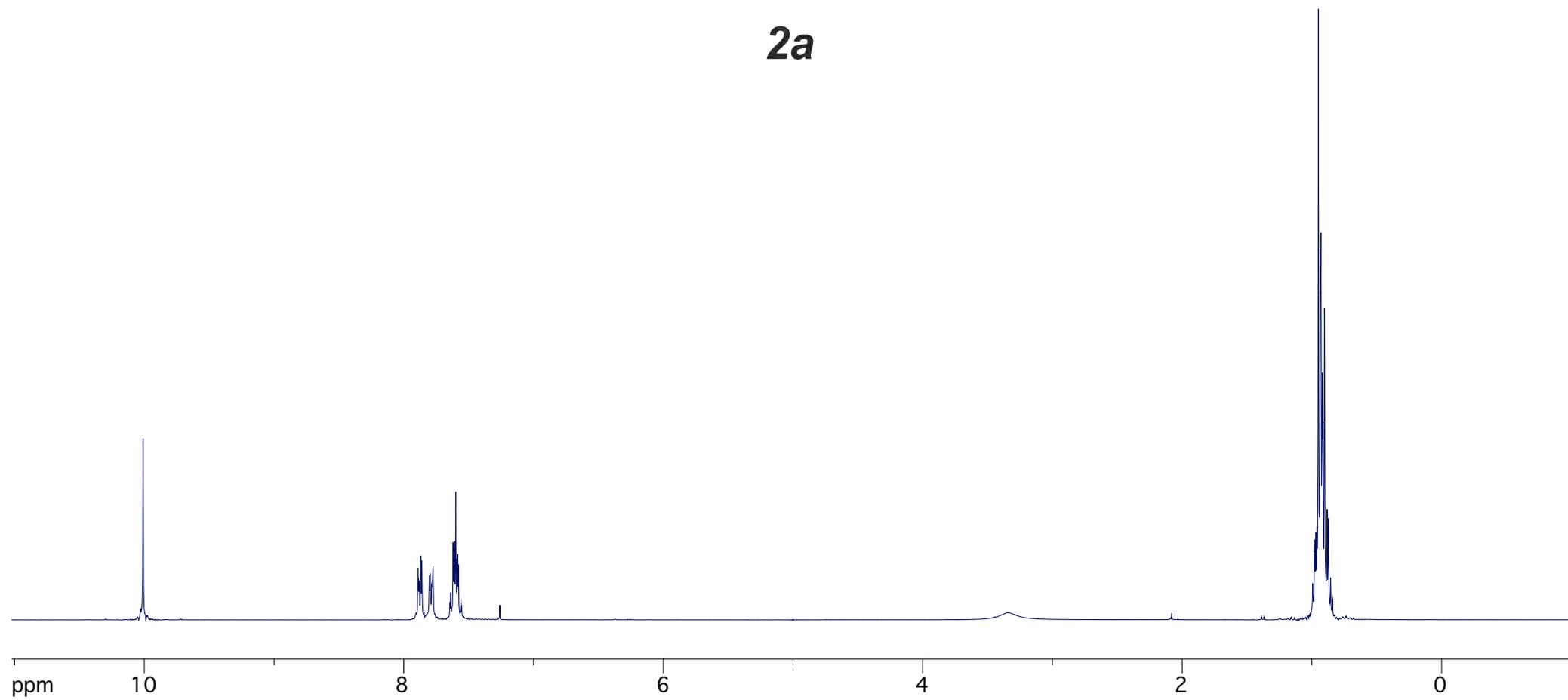
[Ir(coe)₂Cl]₂ (0.45 mg, 0.1 mol %), ester **1a** (0.25 mmol, 31.5 uL) and ester **1a-D**₈ (0.25 mmol, 30.5 uL) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (0.2 mL, 2.5 M). Diisopropylsilane (0.2 mL, 1 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was kept at 45 °C and stirred for 24 h. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to afford the silyl acetals, which were directly used for subsequent reaction without further purification. [Rh(nbd)Cl]₂ (1 mg, 0.4 mol %), *tris*(4-methoxyphenyl)phosphine (4.2 mg, 2.4 mol %) and norbornene (94 mg, 1 mmol) were dissolved with THF (0.5 mL, 1 M), the previous prepared silyl acetals mixture (0.5 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner, and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 50 s. The yield of the cyclic silyl acetals (9%) was determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopy by an addition of CH₂Br₂ (0.5 mmol) as an internal standard after the volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 40:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 7 min) to provide **7a-D**₇ and **7a-H** as a colorless liquid. The isolated cyclic silyl acetal products were analyzed by ¹H NMR using CDCl₃ as solvent and 20s relaxation delay on a 500 MHz NMR spectrometer. The reactions were run 6 times, the average KIE was **1.3 ± 0.1**.

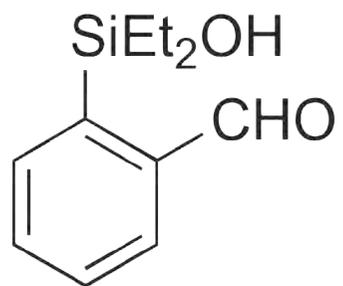
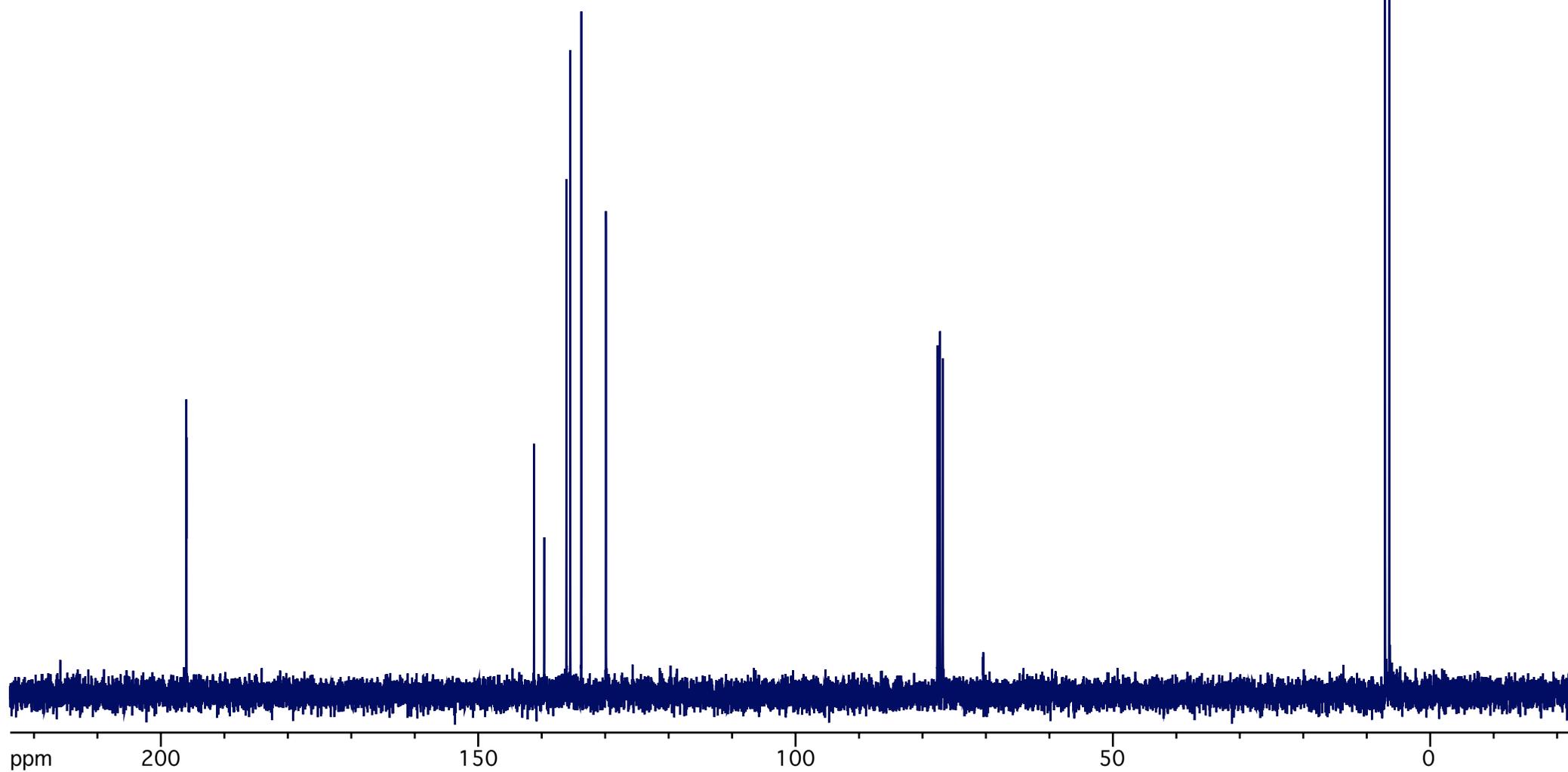
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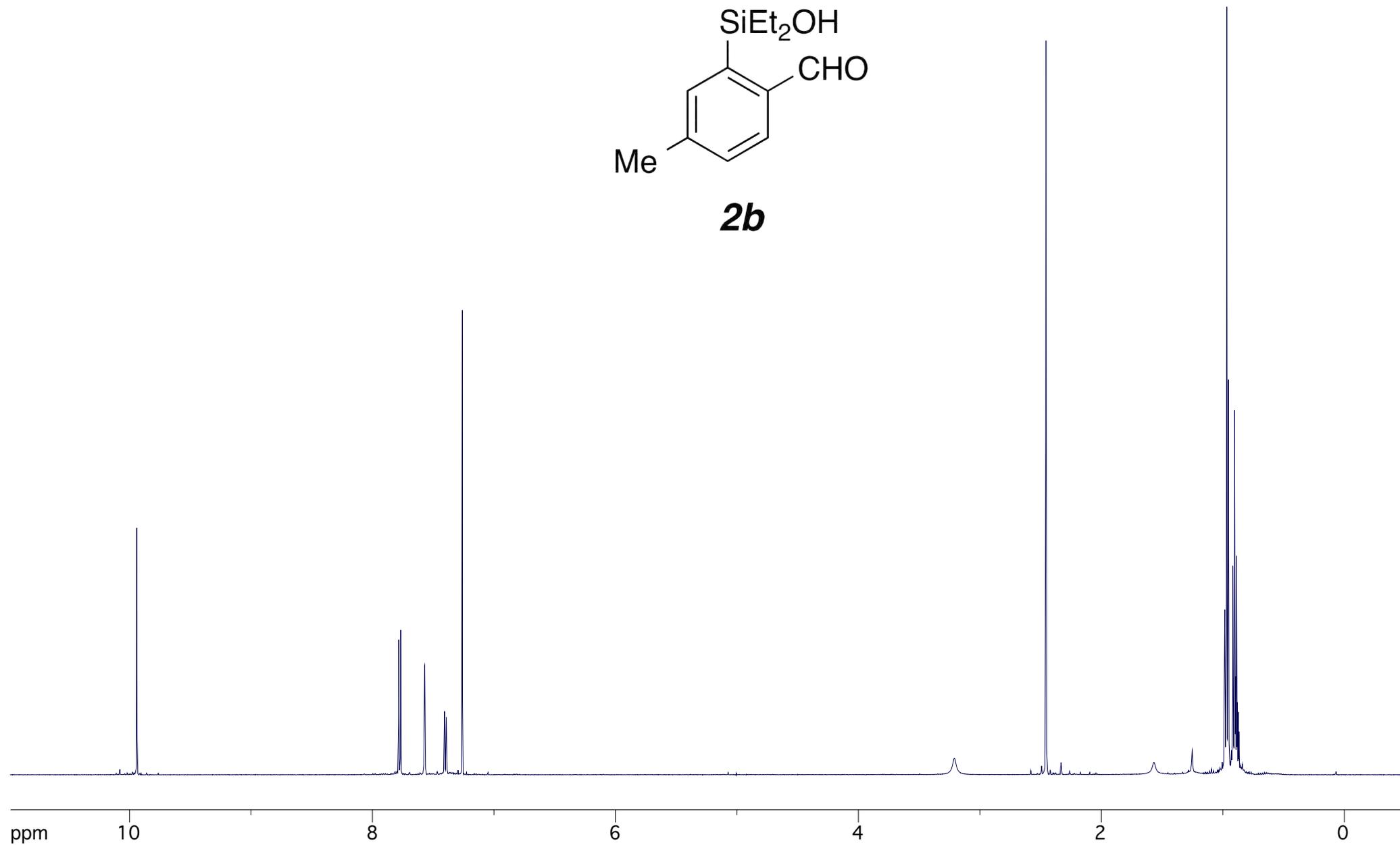
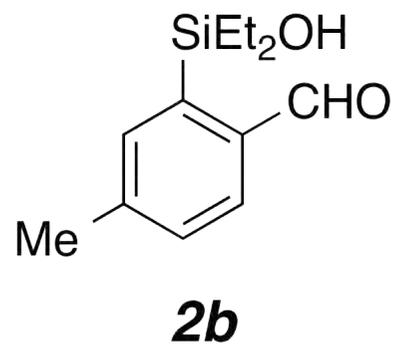


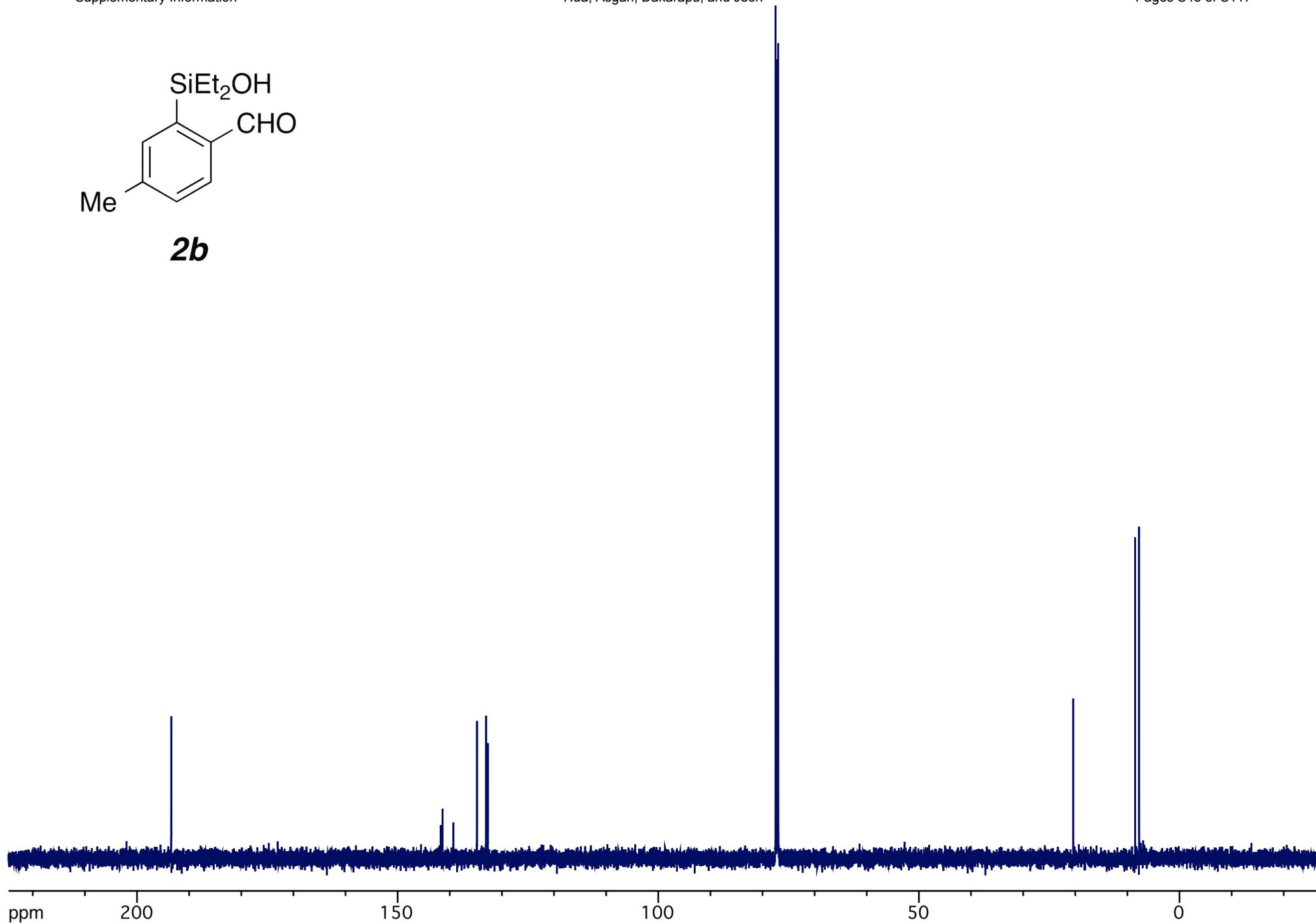
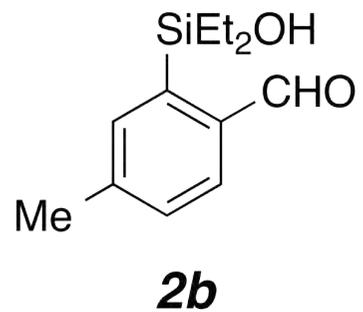
[Ir(coe)₂Cl]₂ (0.23 mg, 0.1 mol %) and ester **1a-D** (0.25 mmol, 34.2 mg) were dissolved with CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 mL, 2.5 M). Diisopropylsilane (0.1 mL, 0.5 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a screw cap with a Teflon liner. The reaction mixture was kept at 45 °C and stirred for 24 h. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to afford the silyl acetals, which were directly used for subsequent reaction without further purification. [Rh(nbd)Cl]₂ (0.5 mg, 0.4 mol %), *tris*(4-methoxyphenyl)phosphine (2.1 mg, 2.4 mol %) and norbornene (47 mg, 0.5 mmol) were dissolved with THF (0.5 mL, 1 M), the silyl acetals mixture (0.25 mmol) was added to the mixture in one portion. The septum on the vial was replaced by a

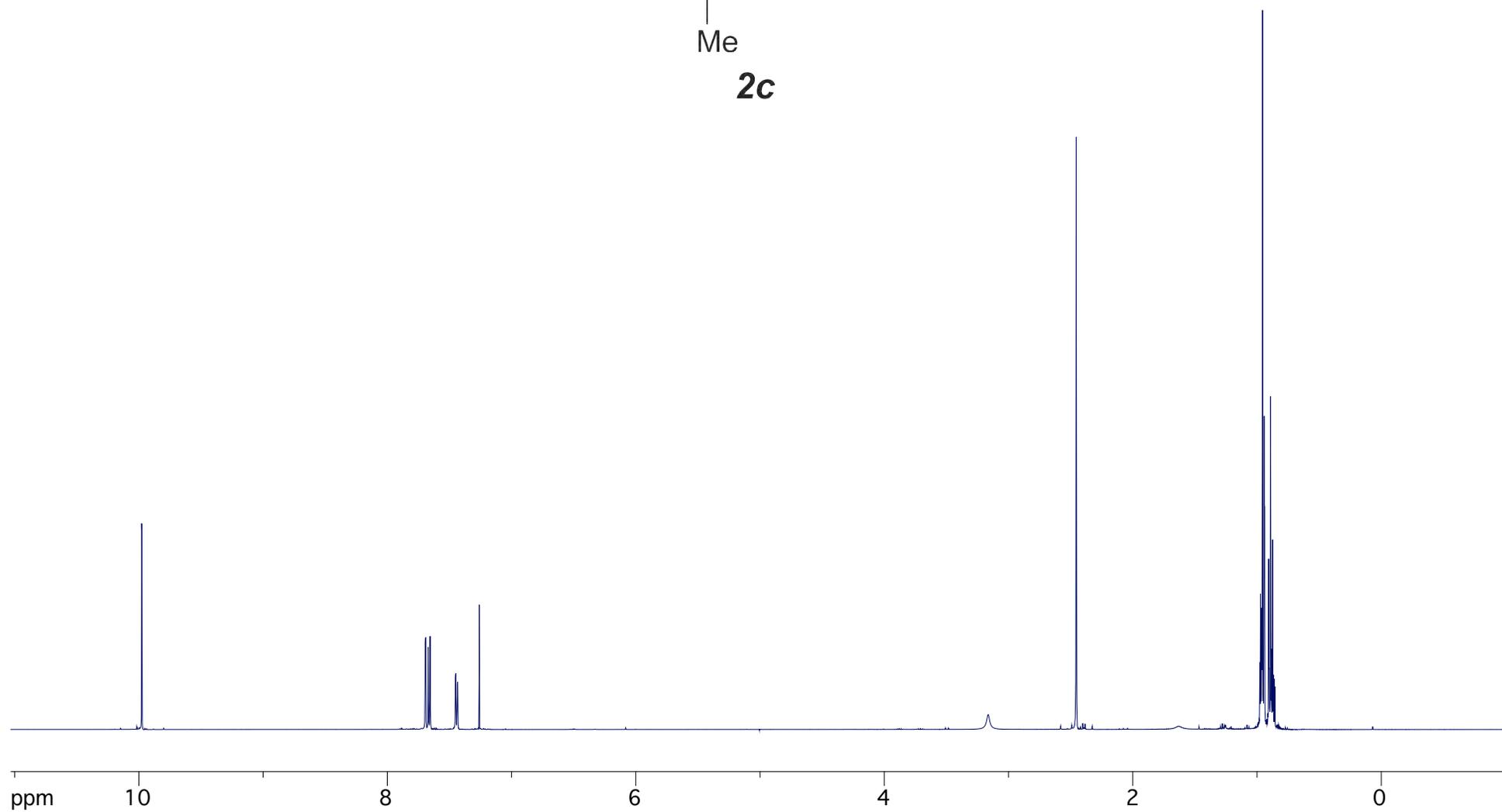
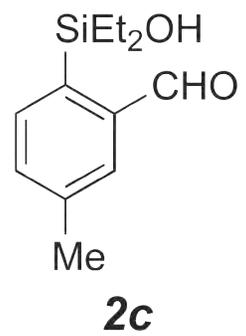
screw cap with a Teflon liner, and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 1h. The yield of the cyclic silyl acetals was determined by ^1H NMR spectroscopy by an addition of CH_2Br_2 (0.25 mmol) as an internal standard after the volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The crude mixture was purified by MPLC (hexanes/EtOAc = 40:1, 7 mL/min, retention time 7 min) to provide **7a-D₁** and **7a-H** as a colorless liquid. The conditions for ^1H NMR are: 500 MHz NMR; CDCl_3 as solvent; 20s relaxation delay. The reactions were run 3 times, the average KIE was **2.1 ± 0.1**.

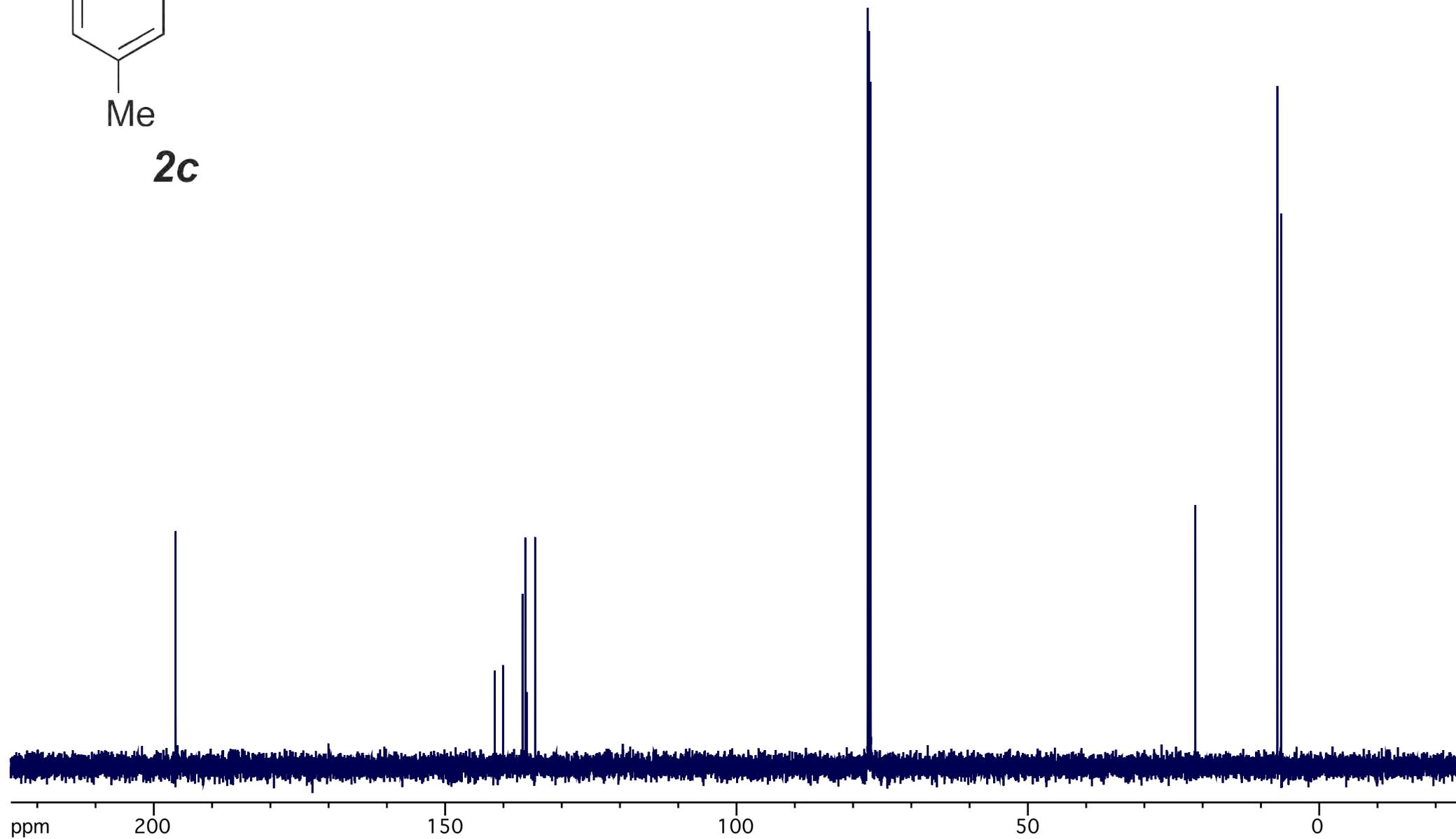
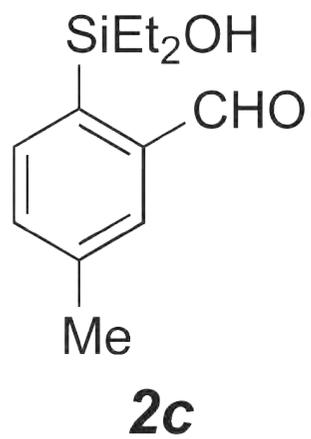
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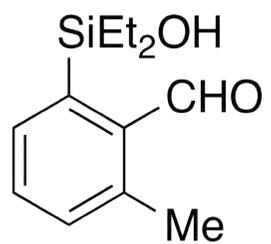
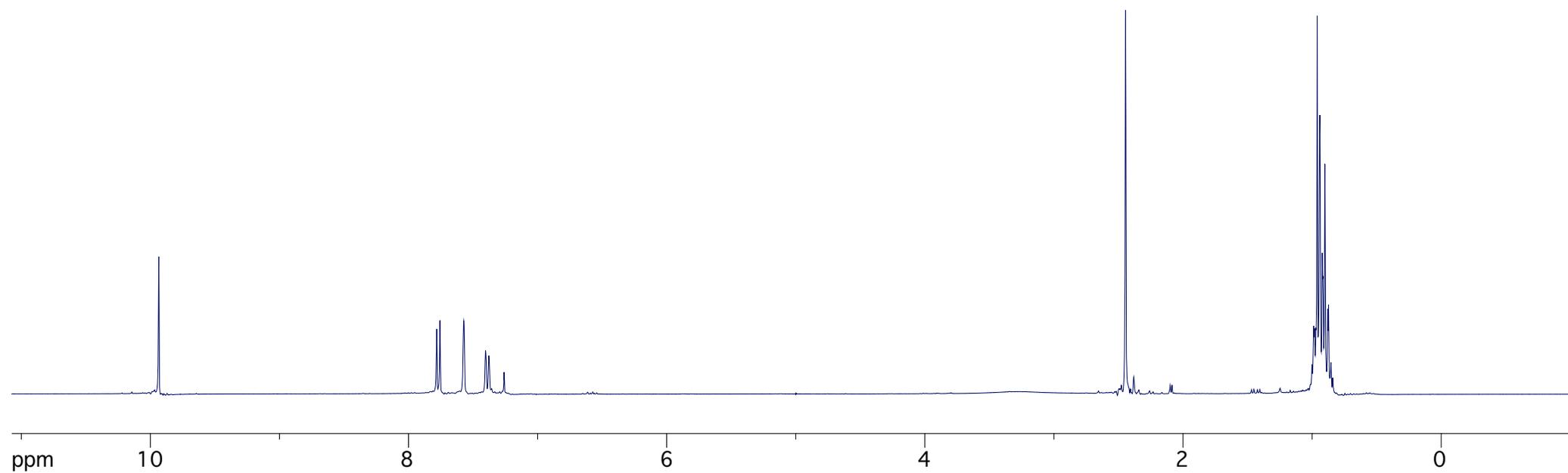
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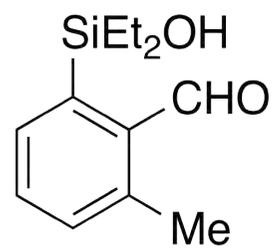
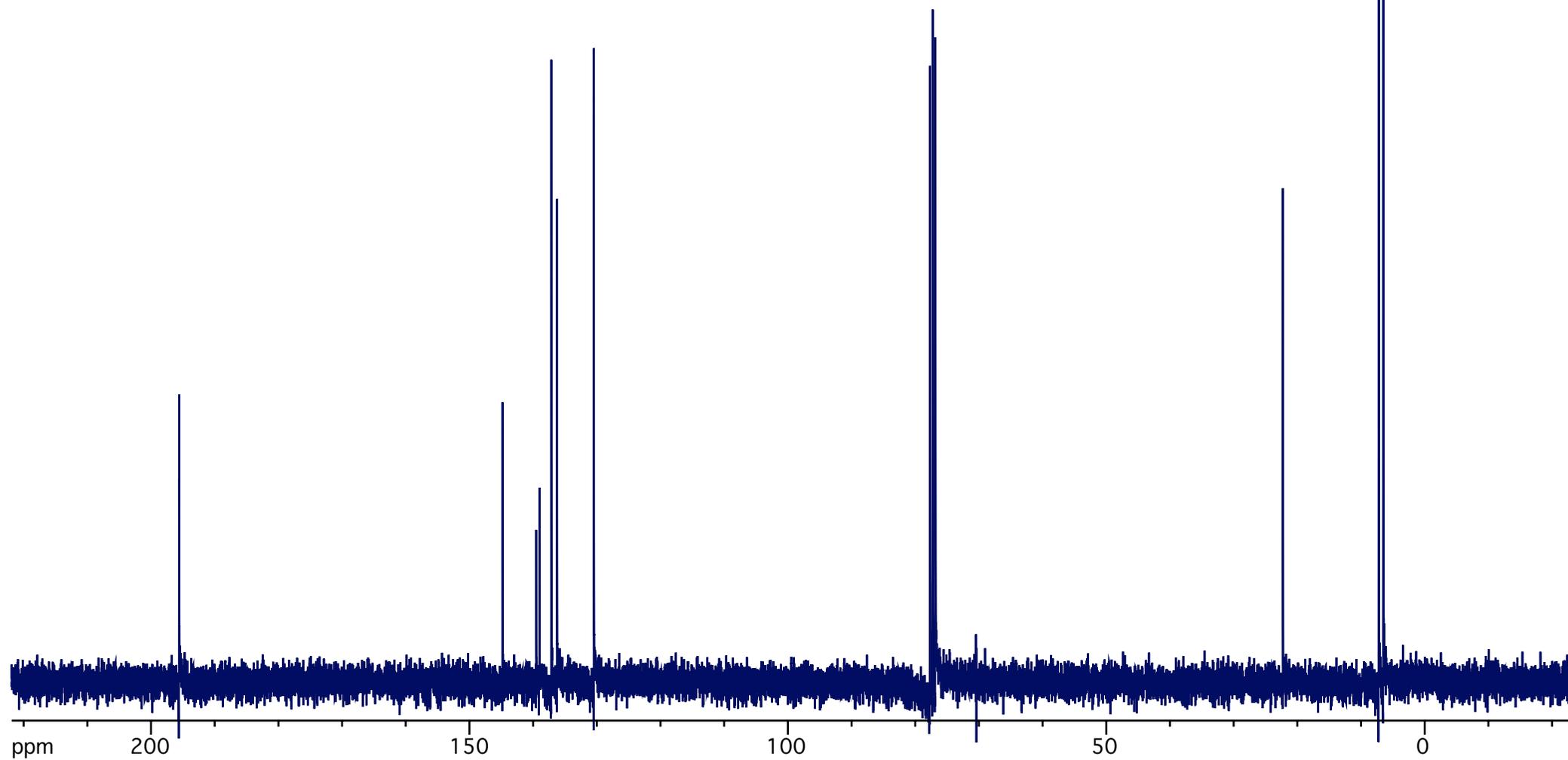


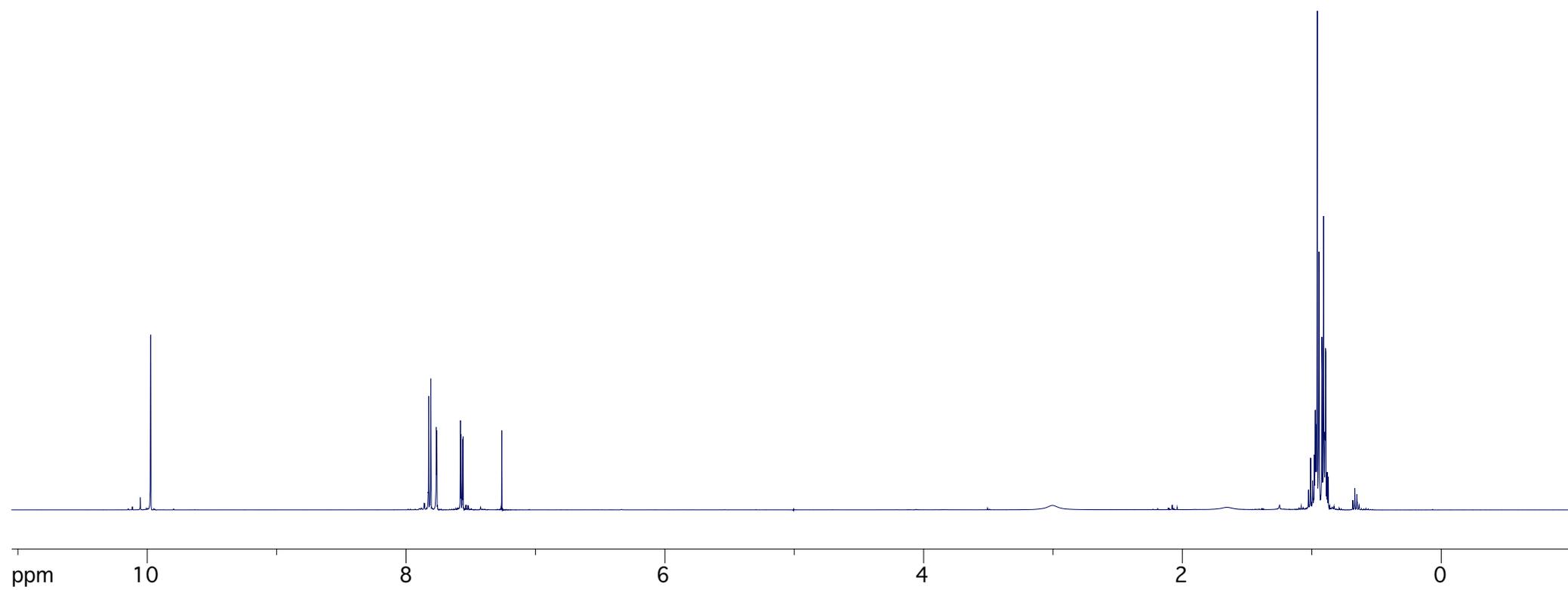
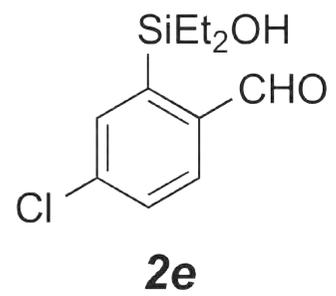


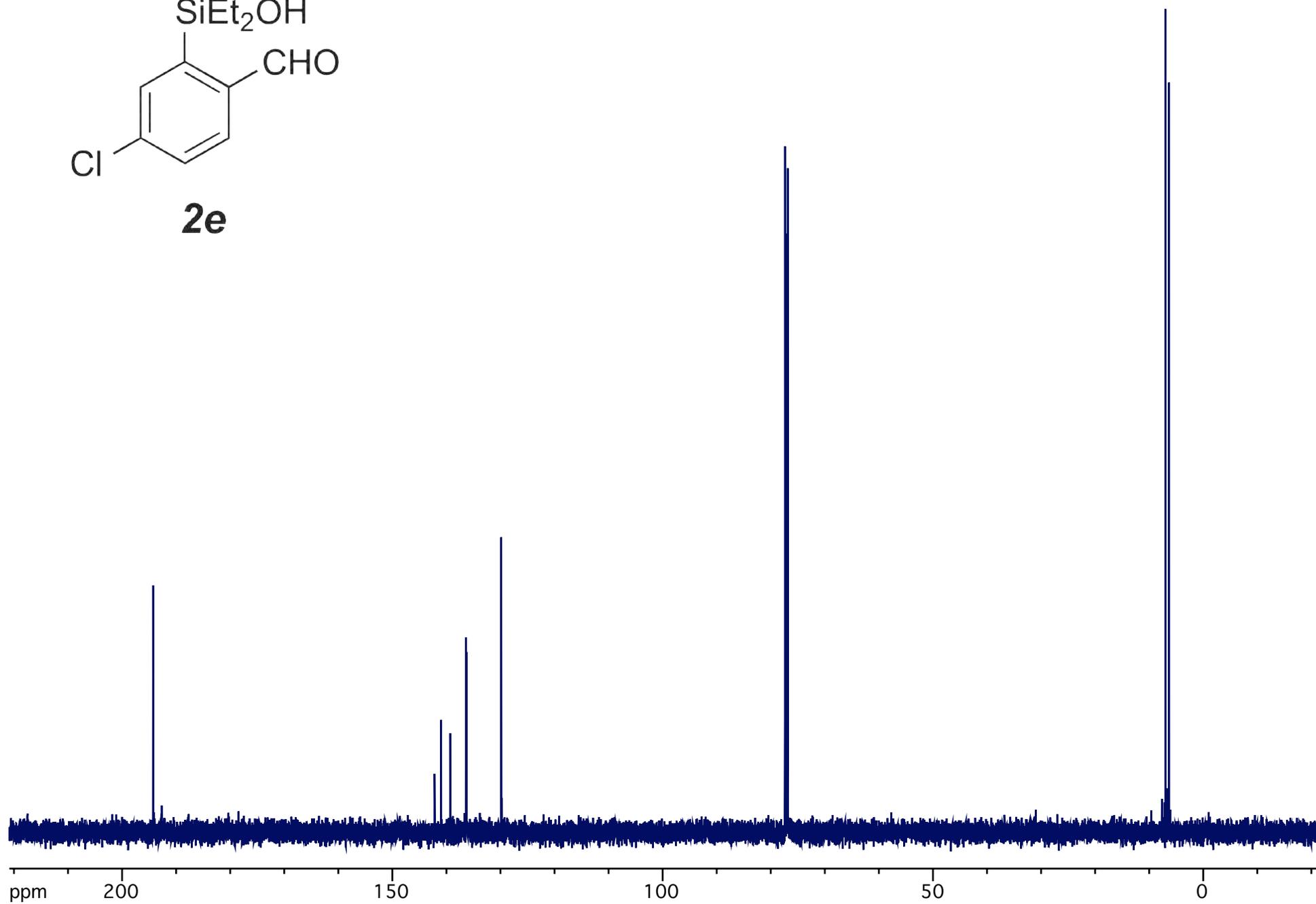
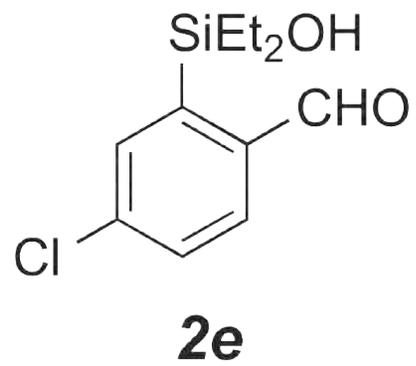


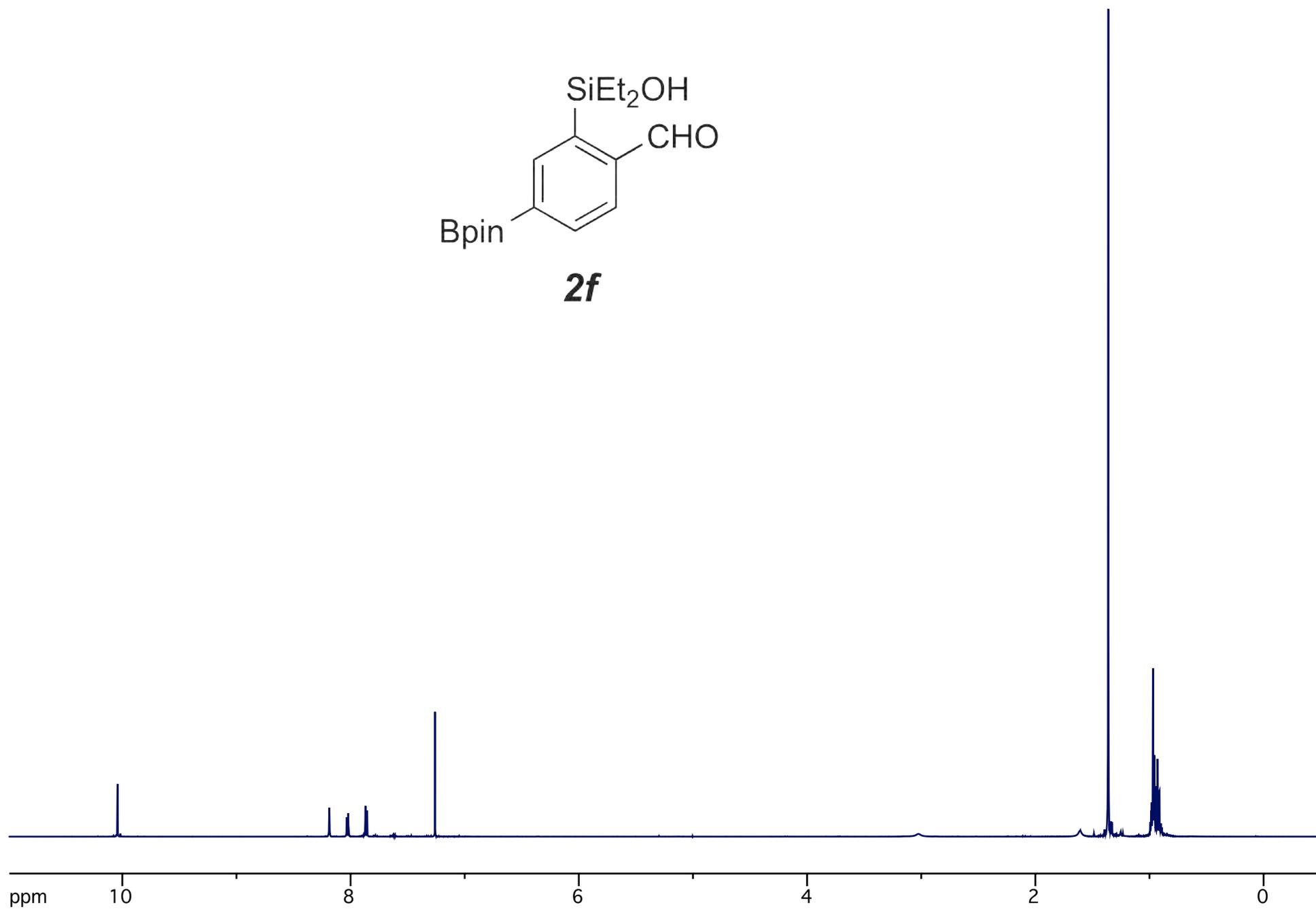
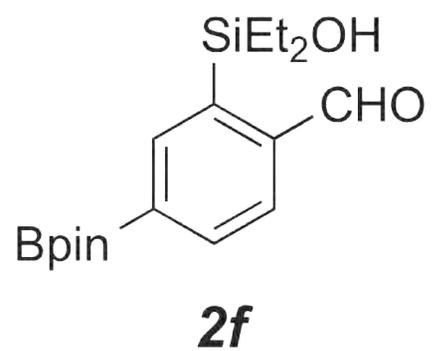


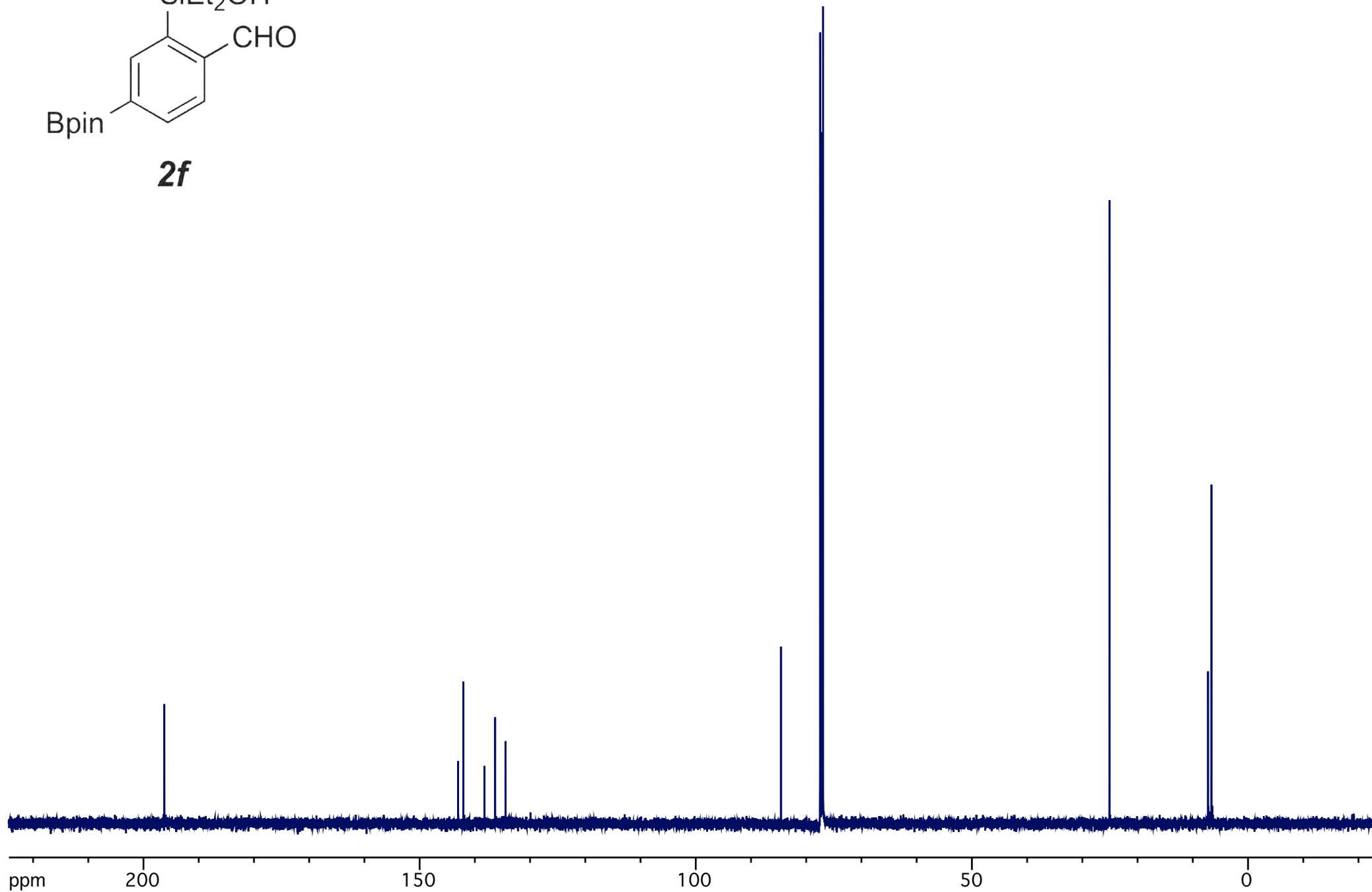
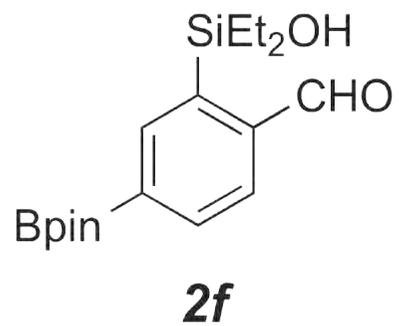
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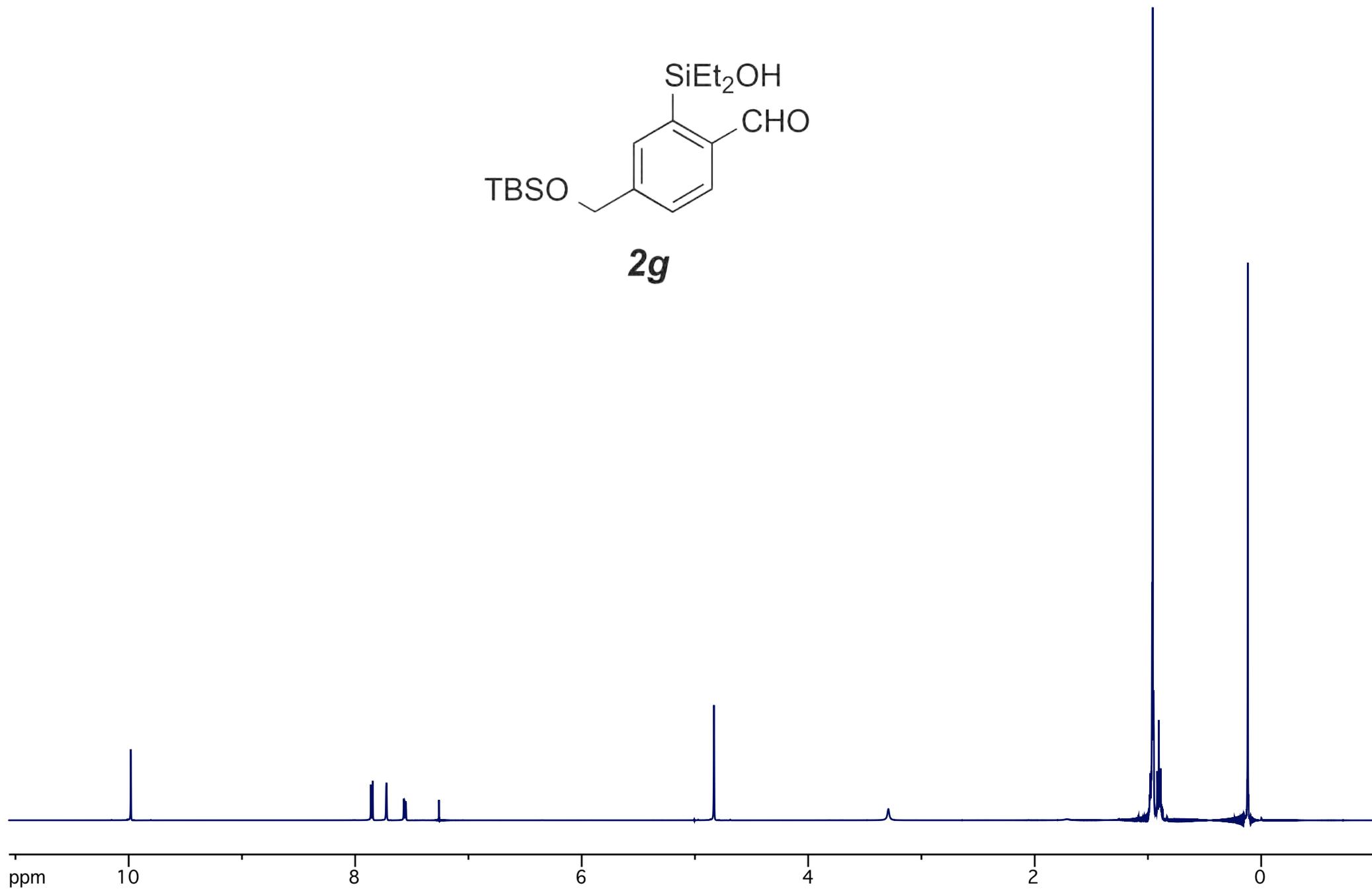
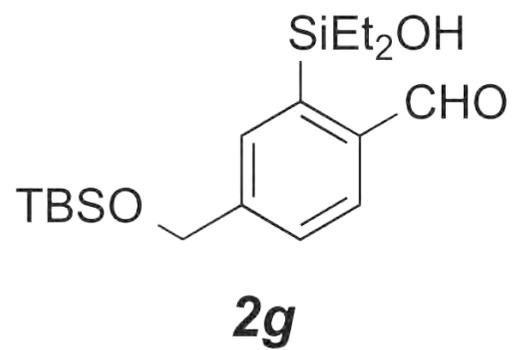
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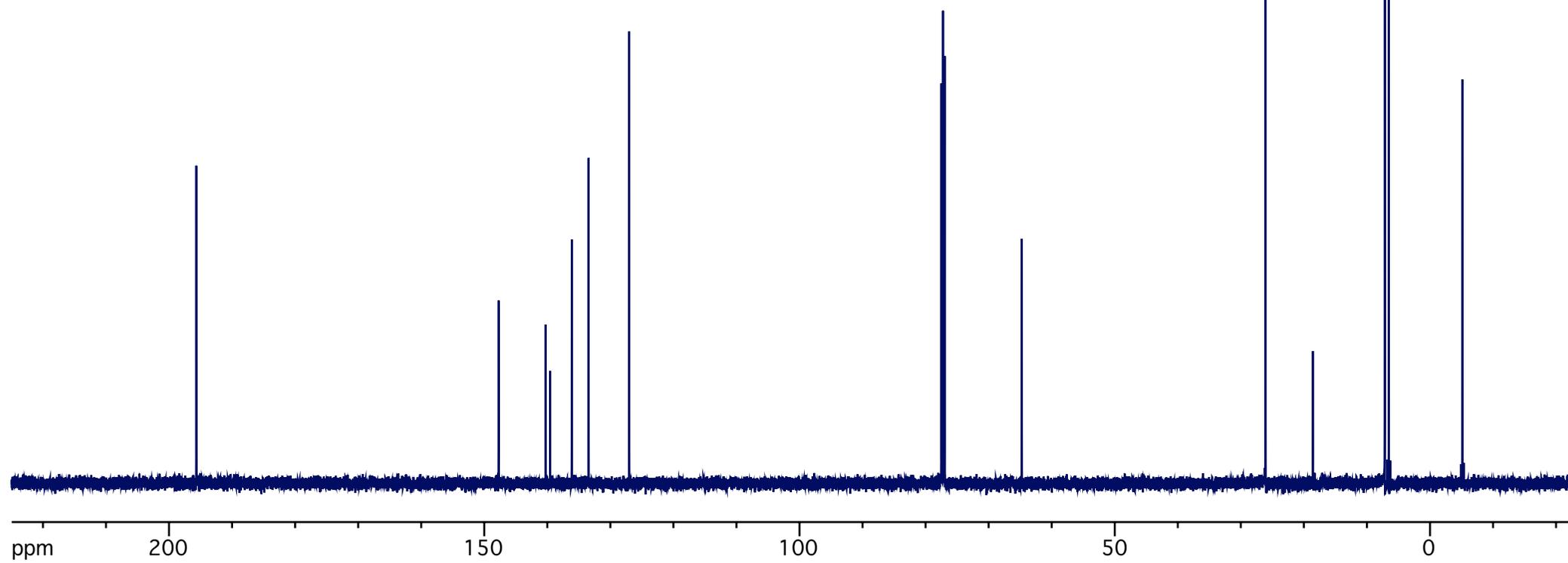
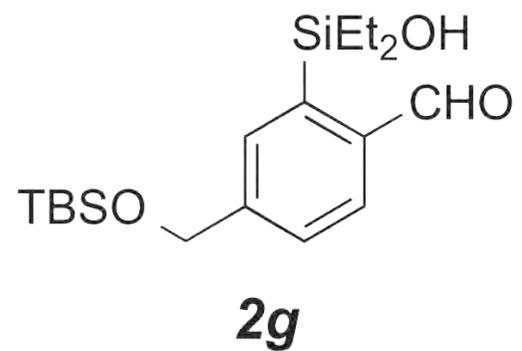


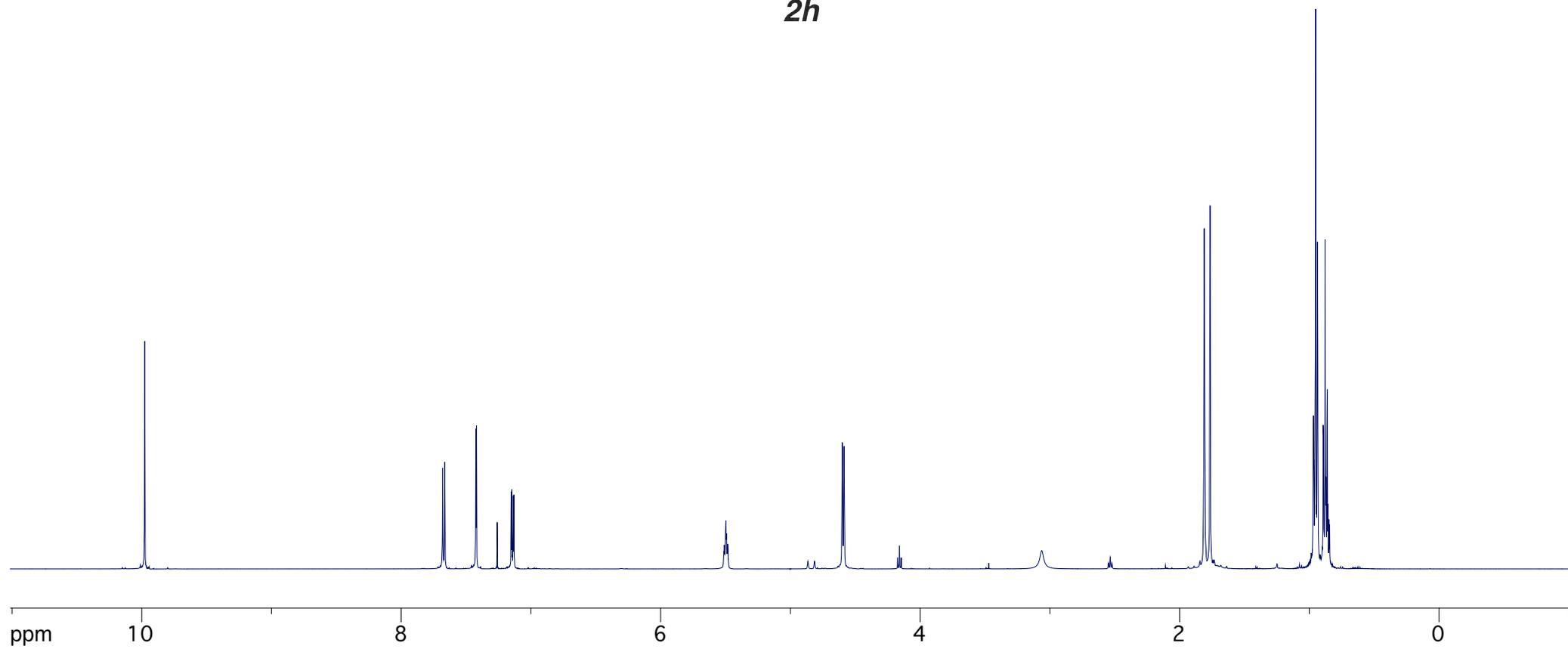
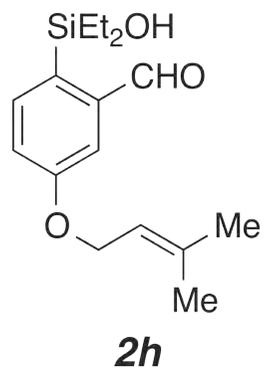


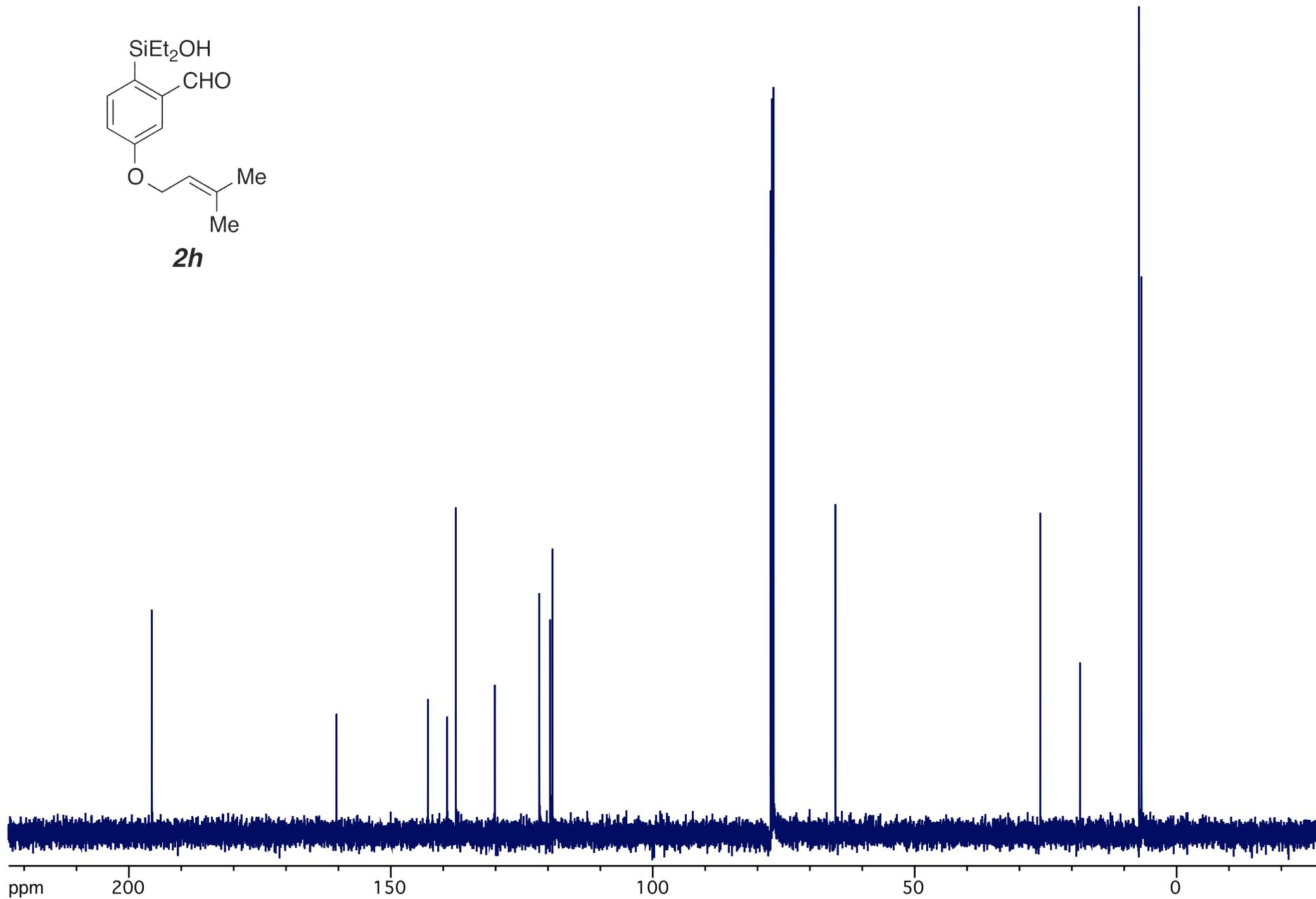
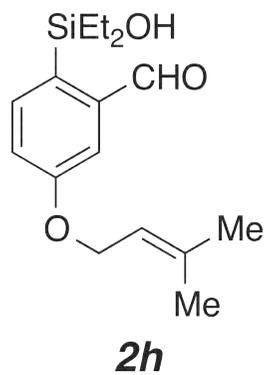


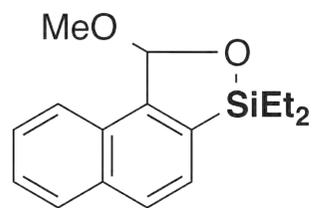
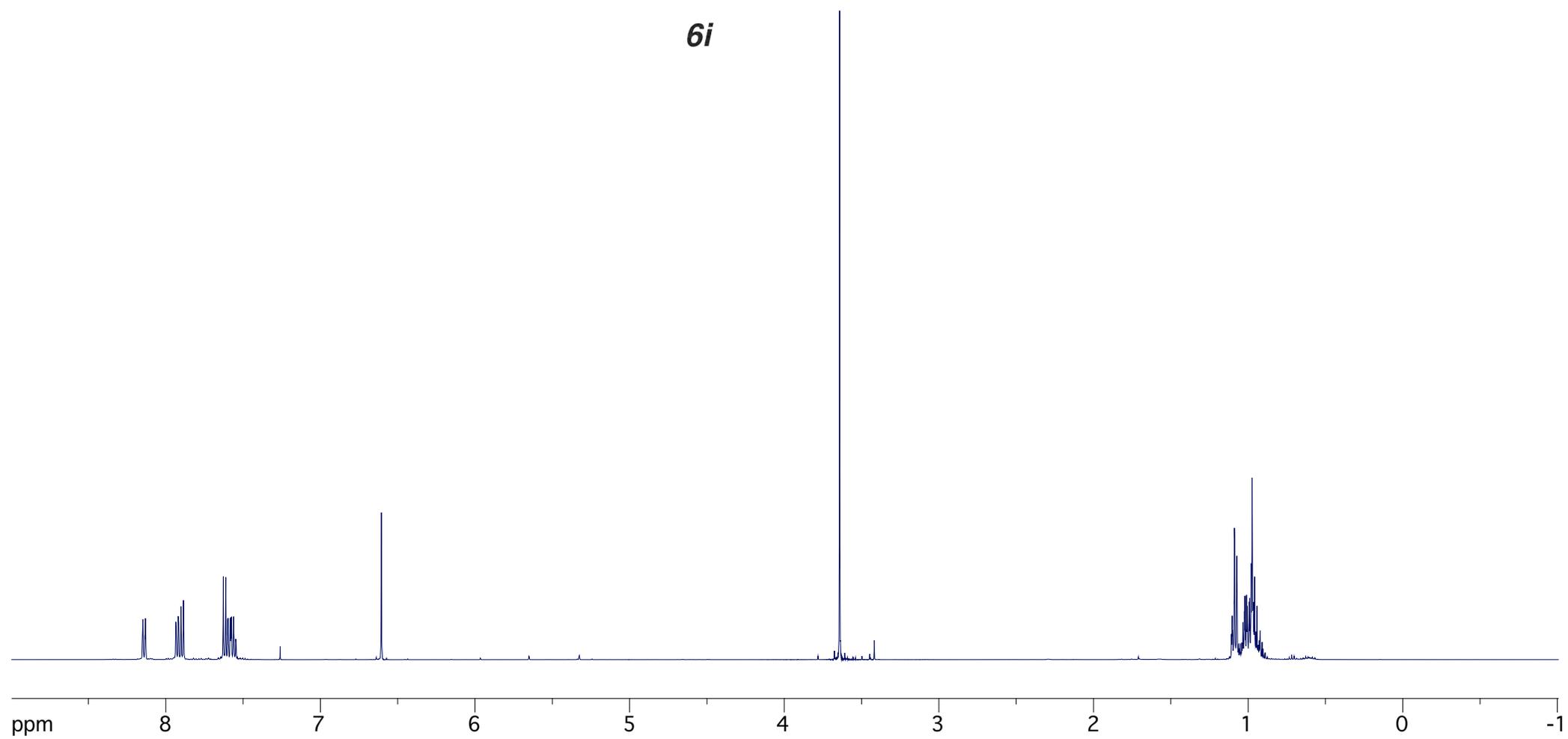


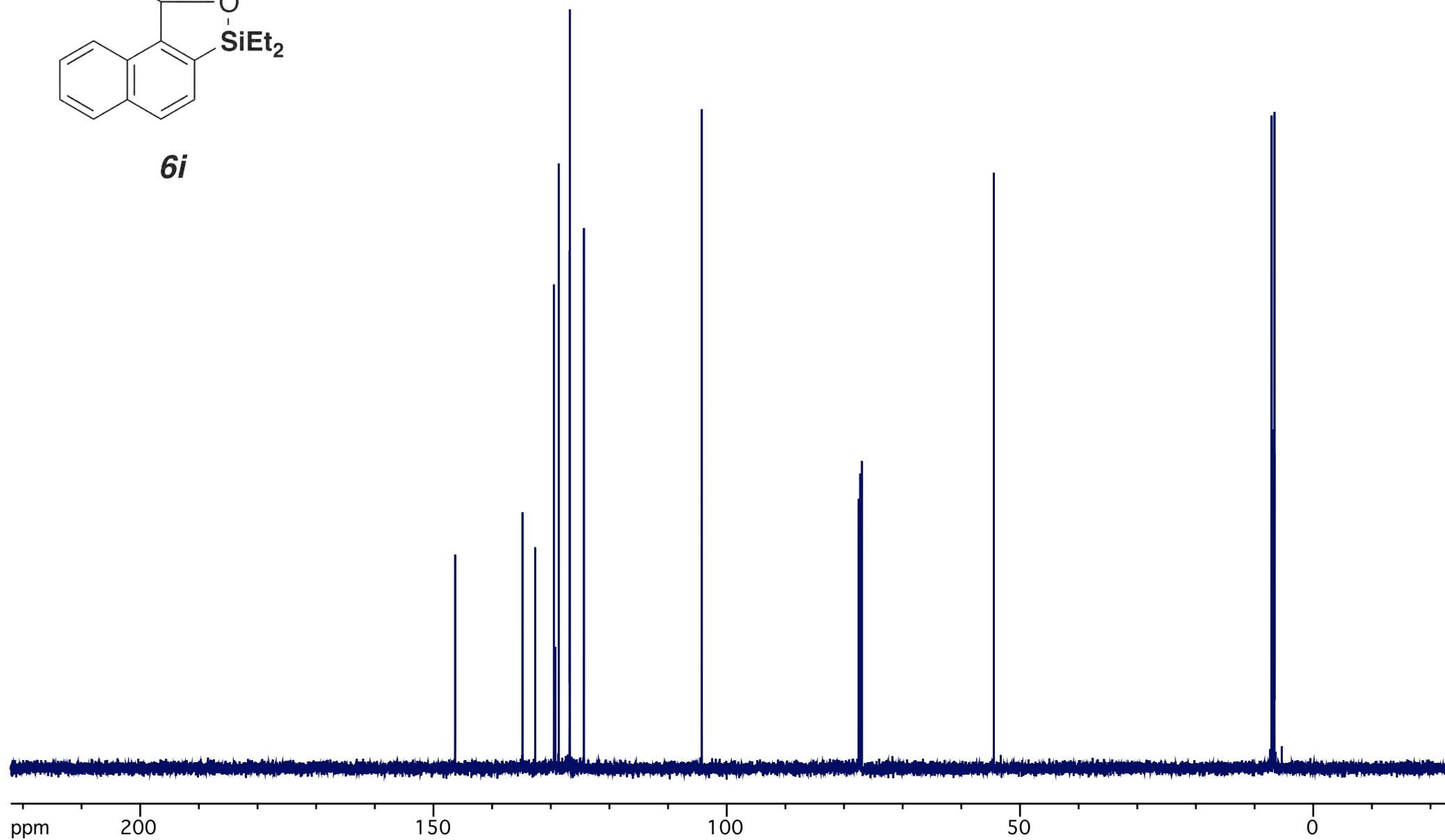
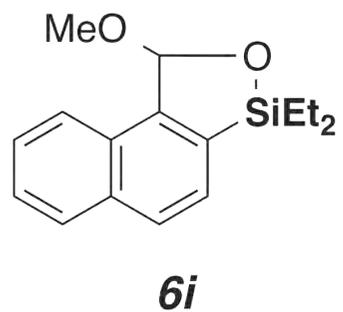


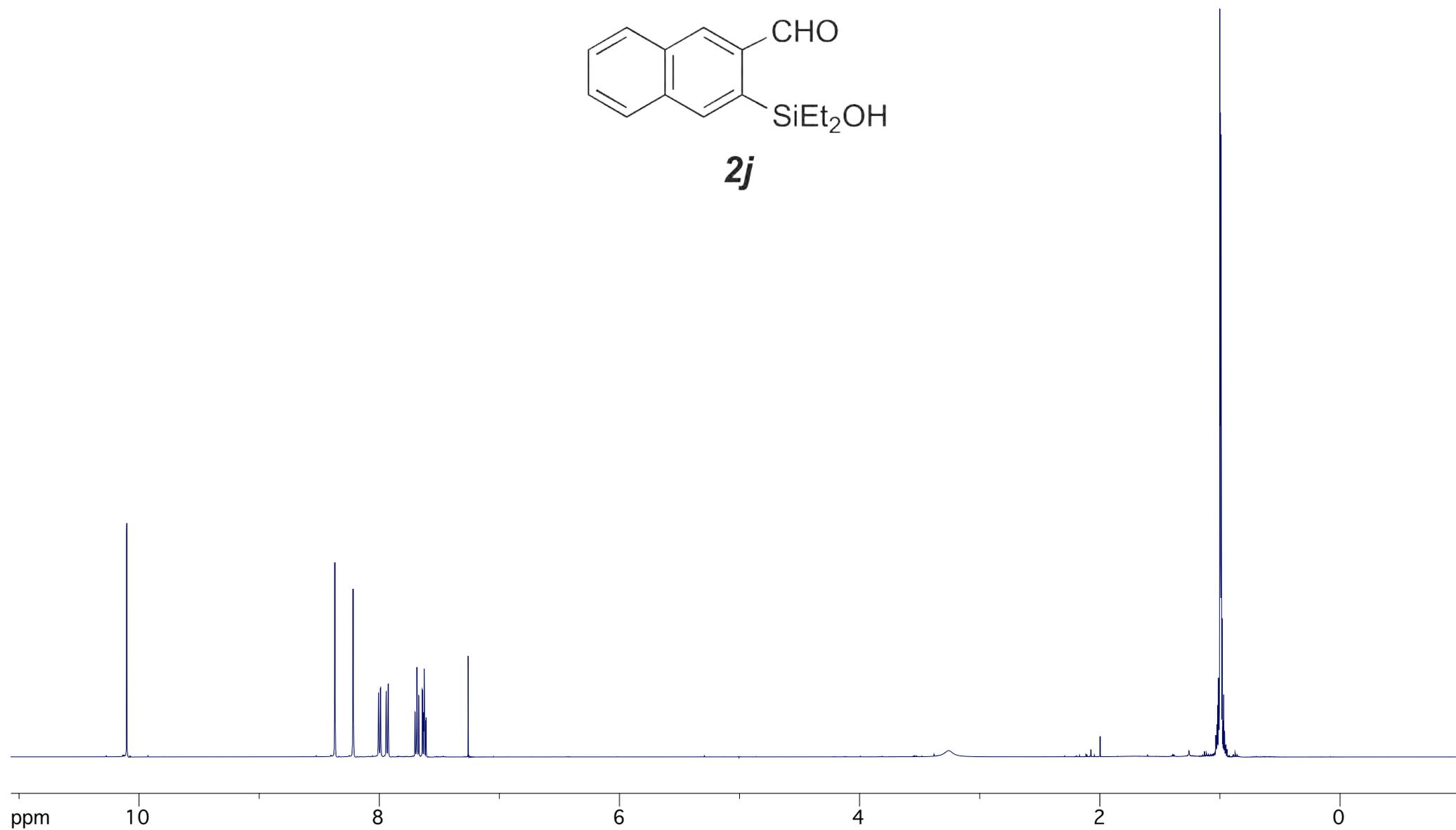
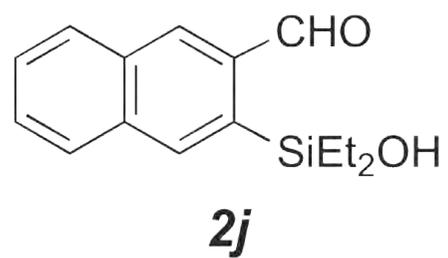


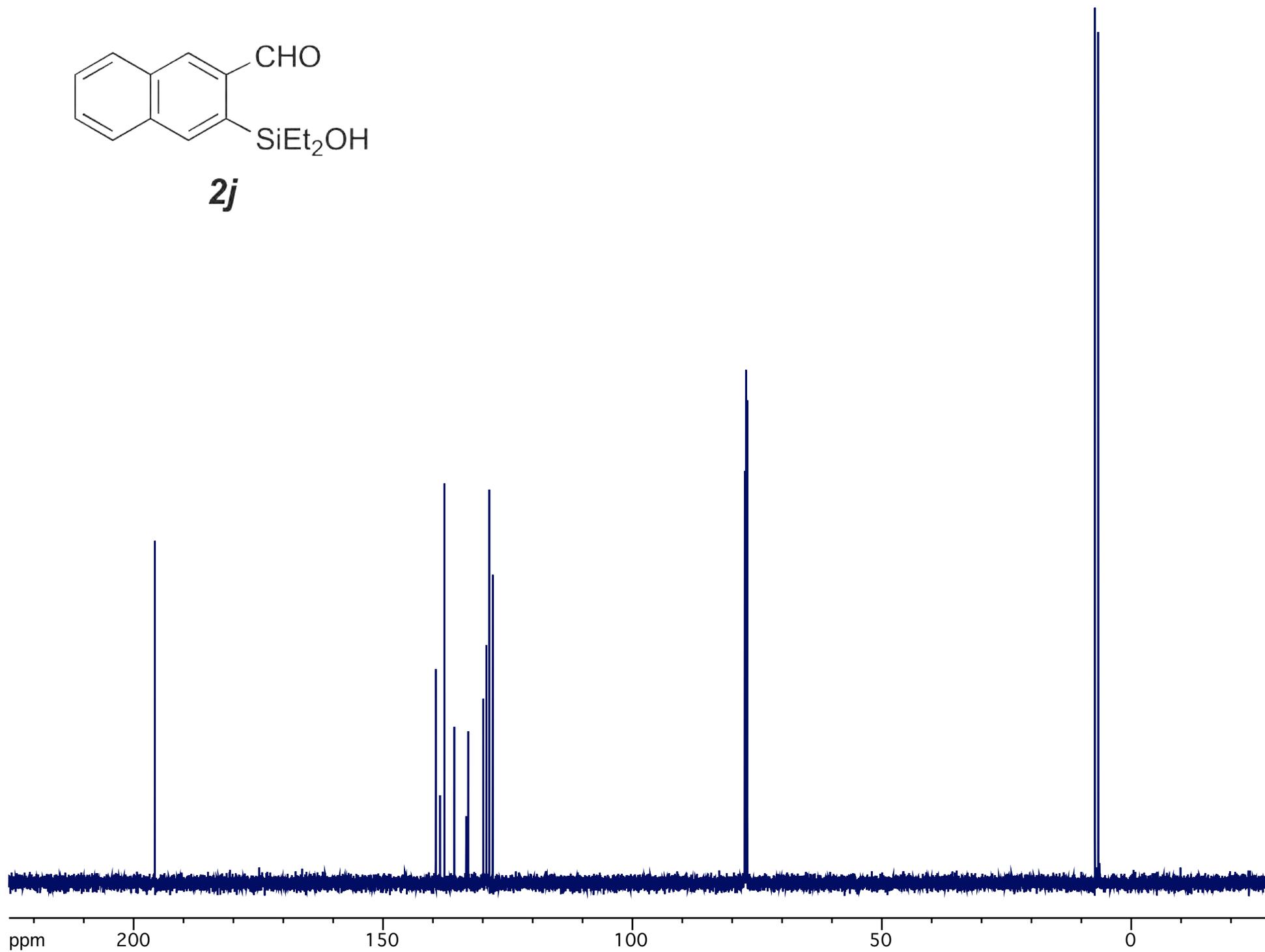
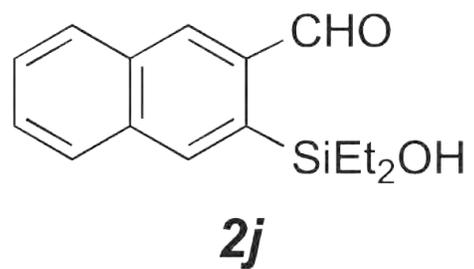


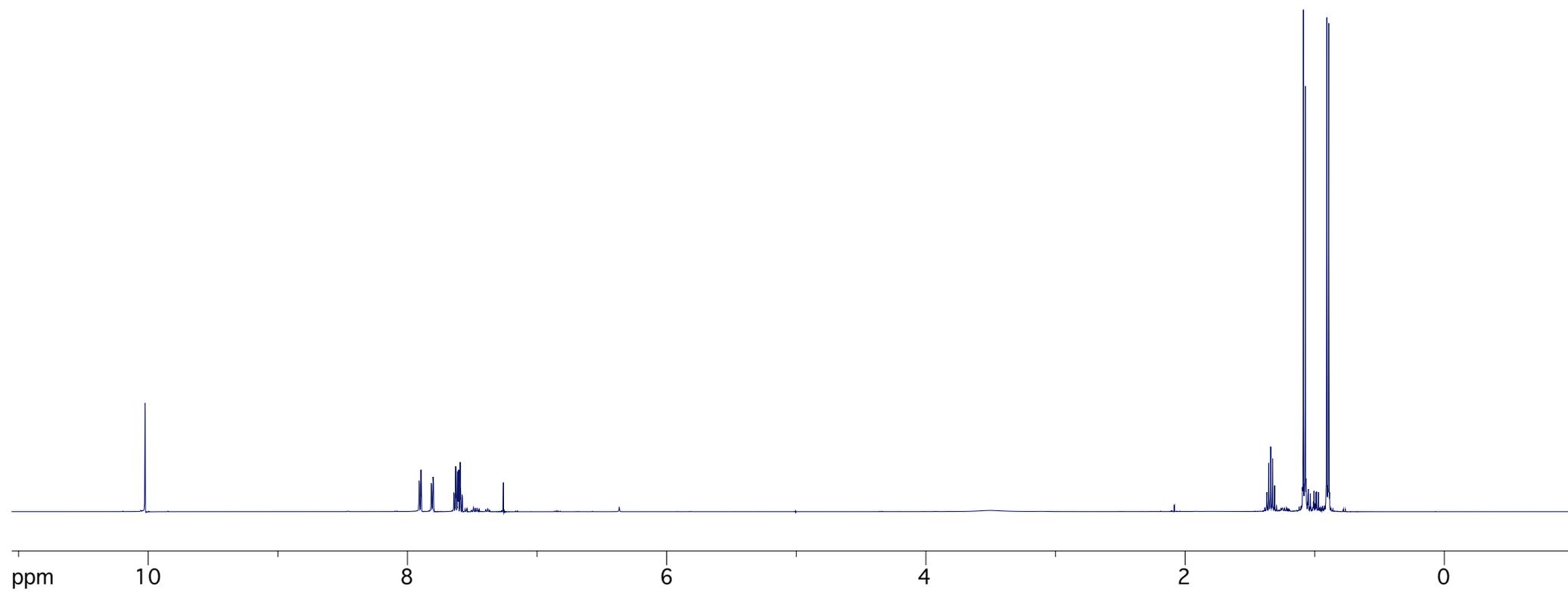


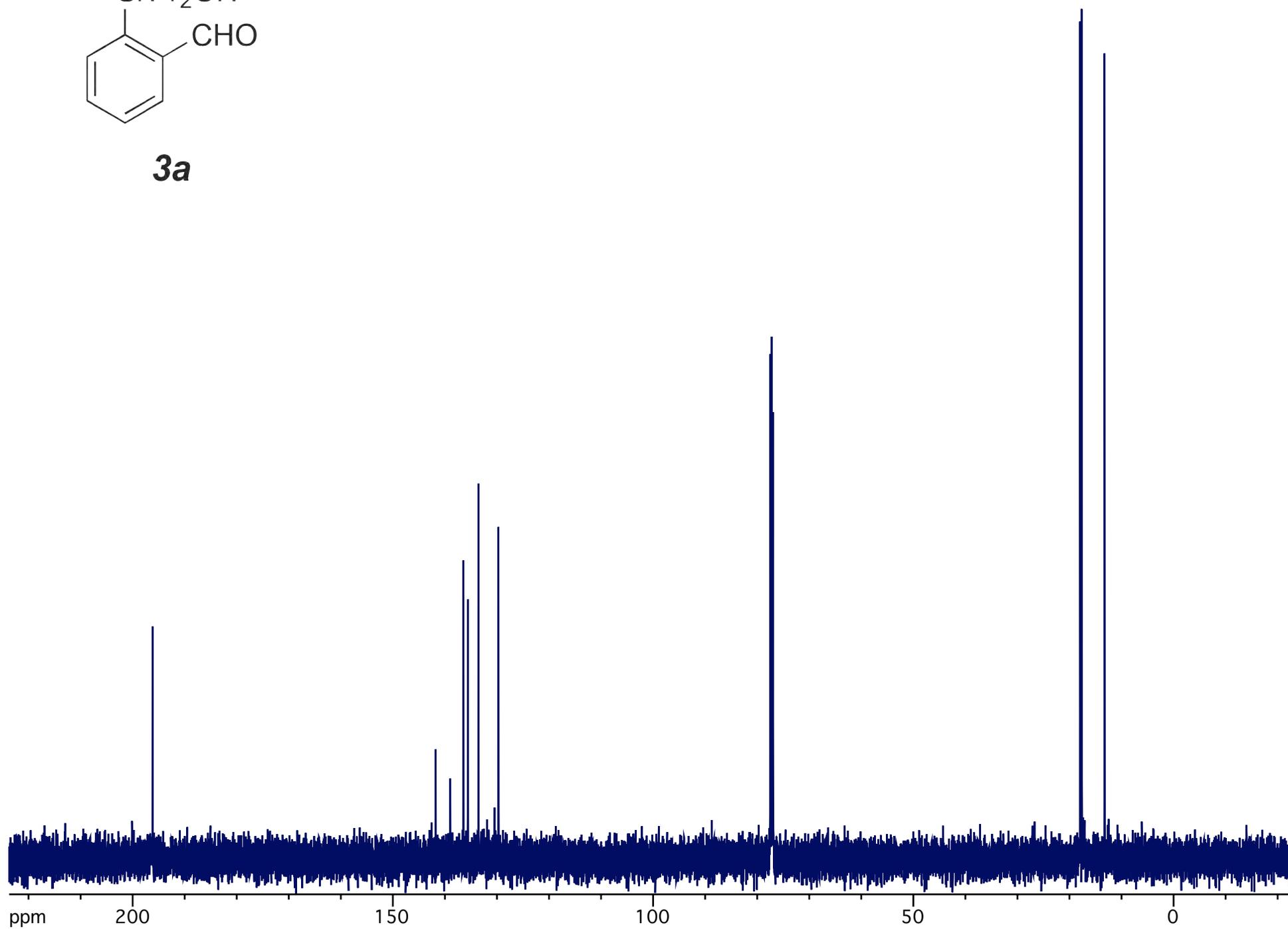
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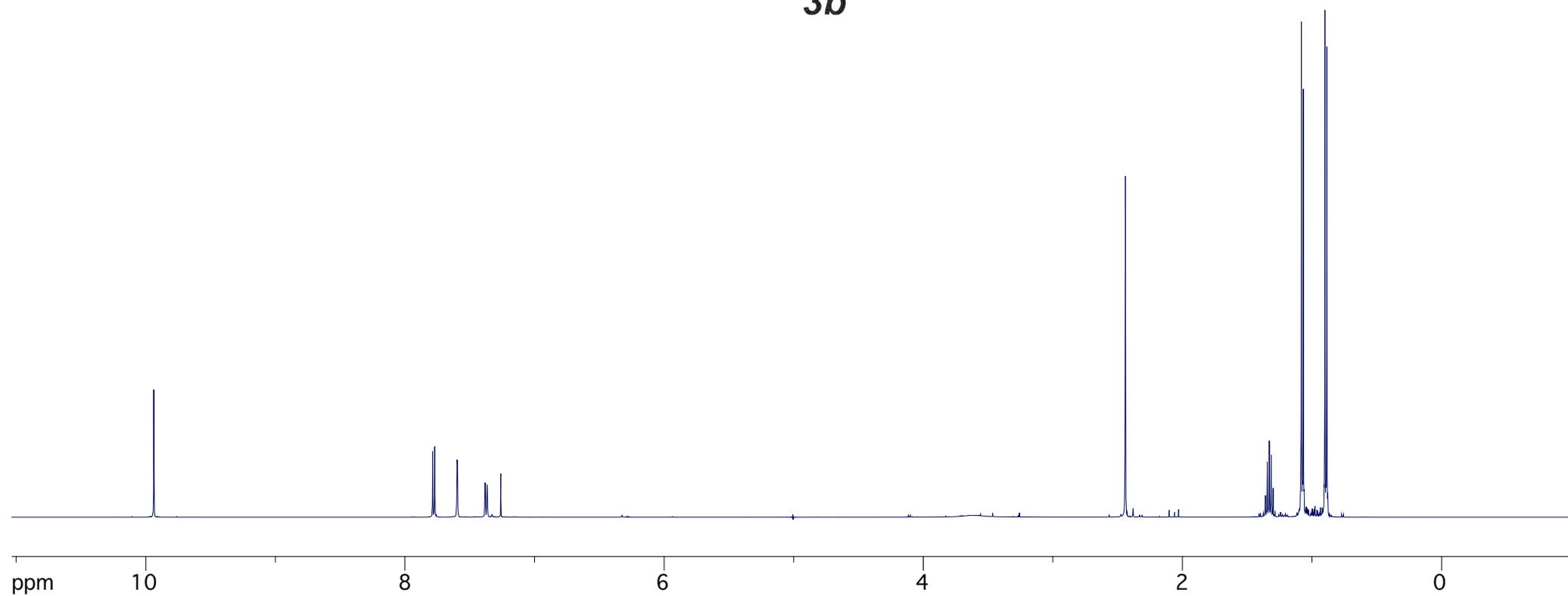
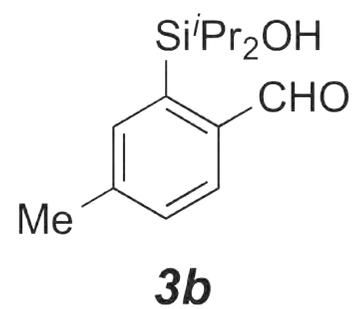


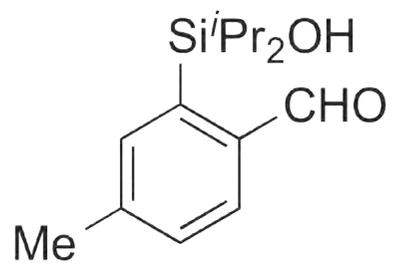
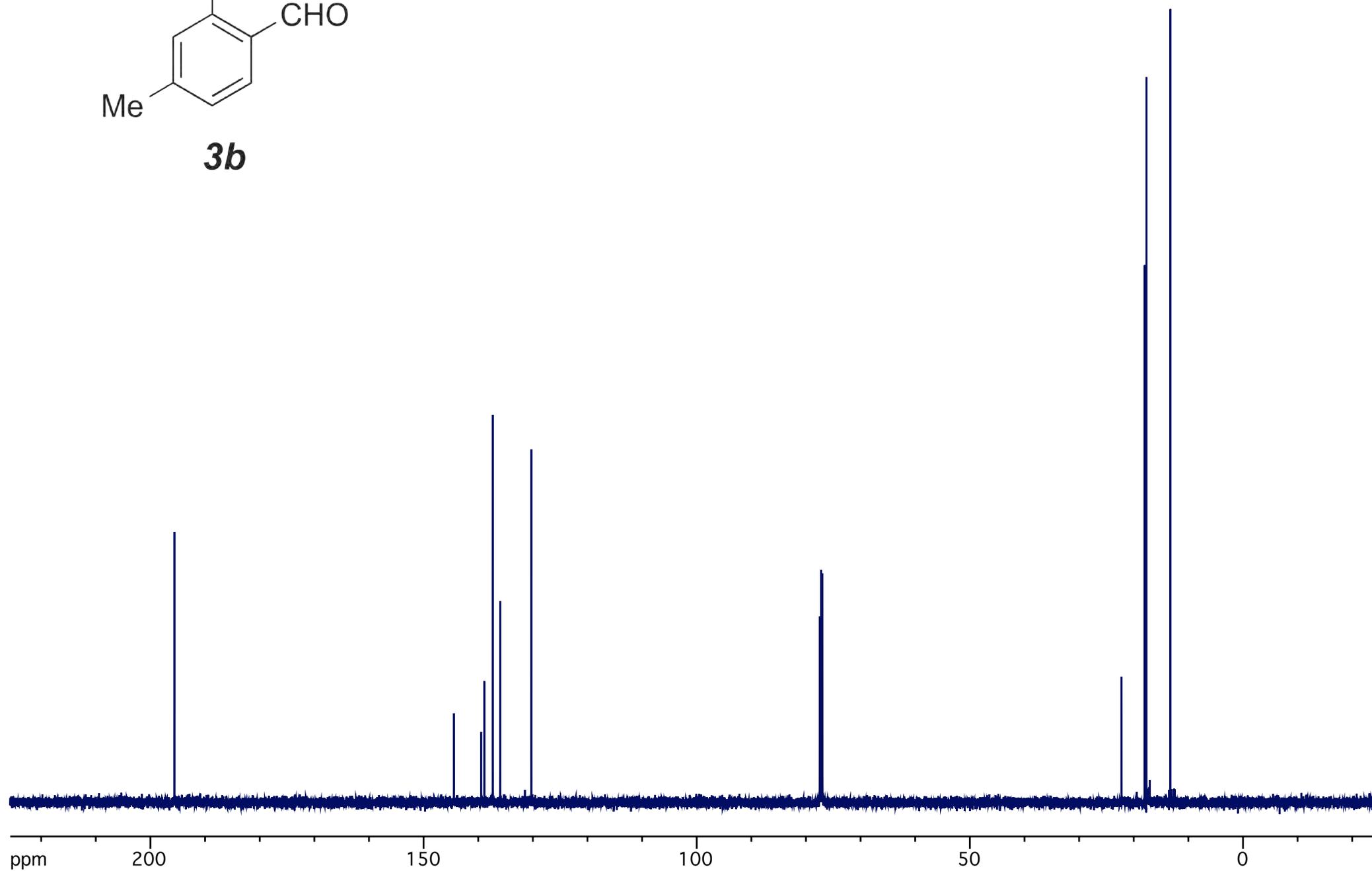


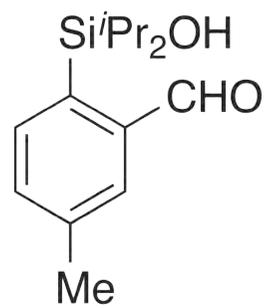
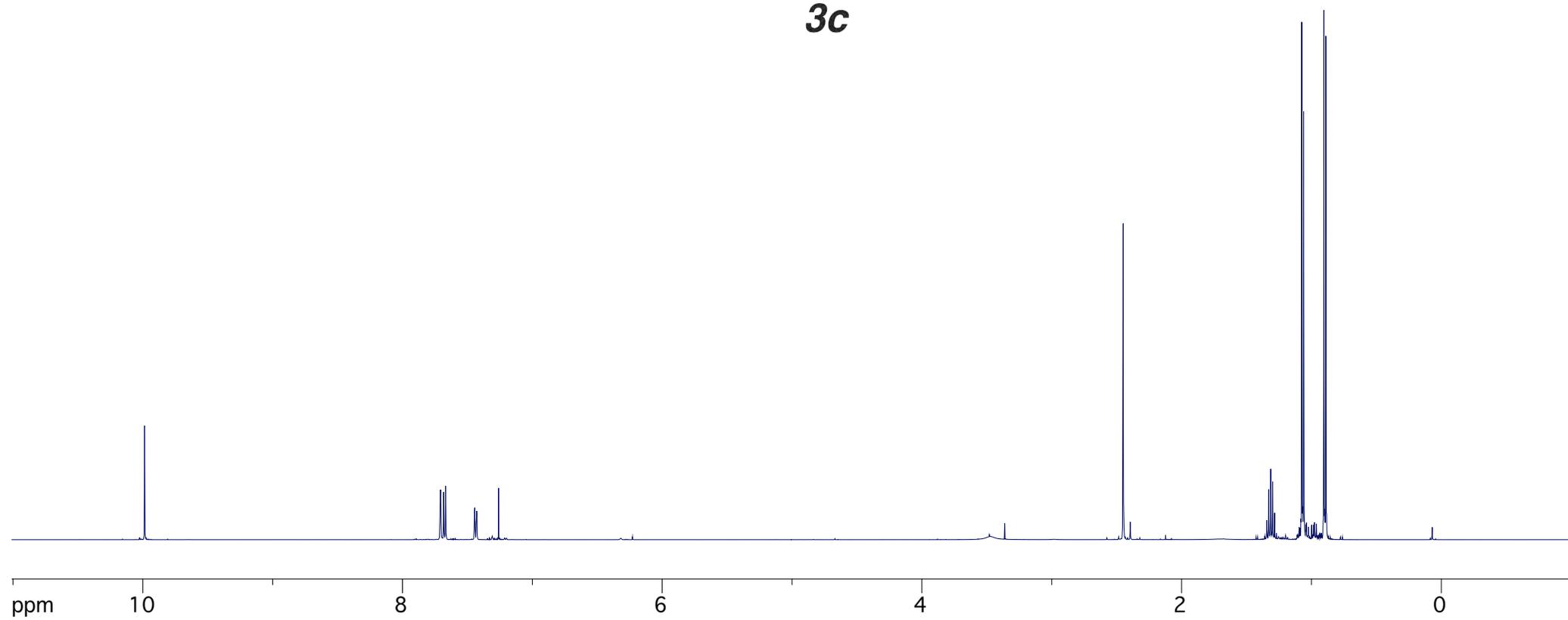


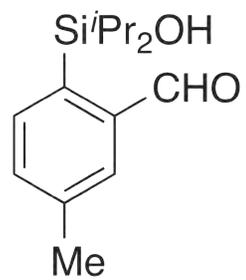
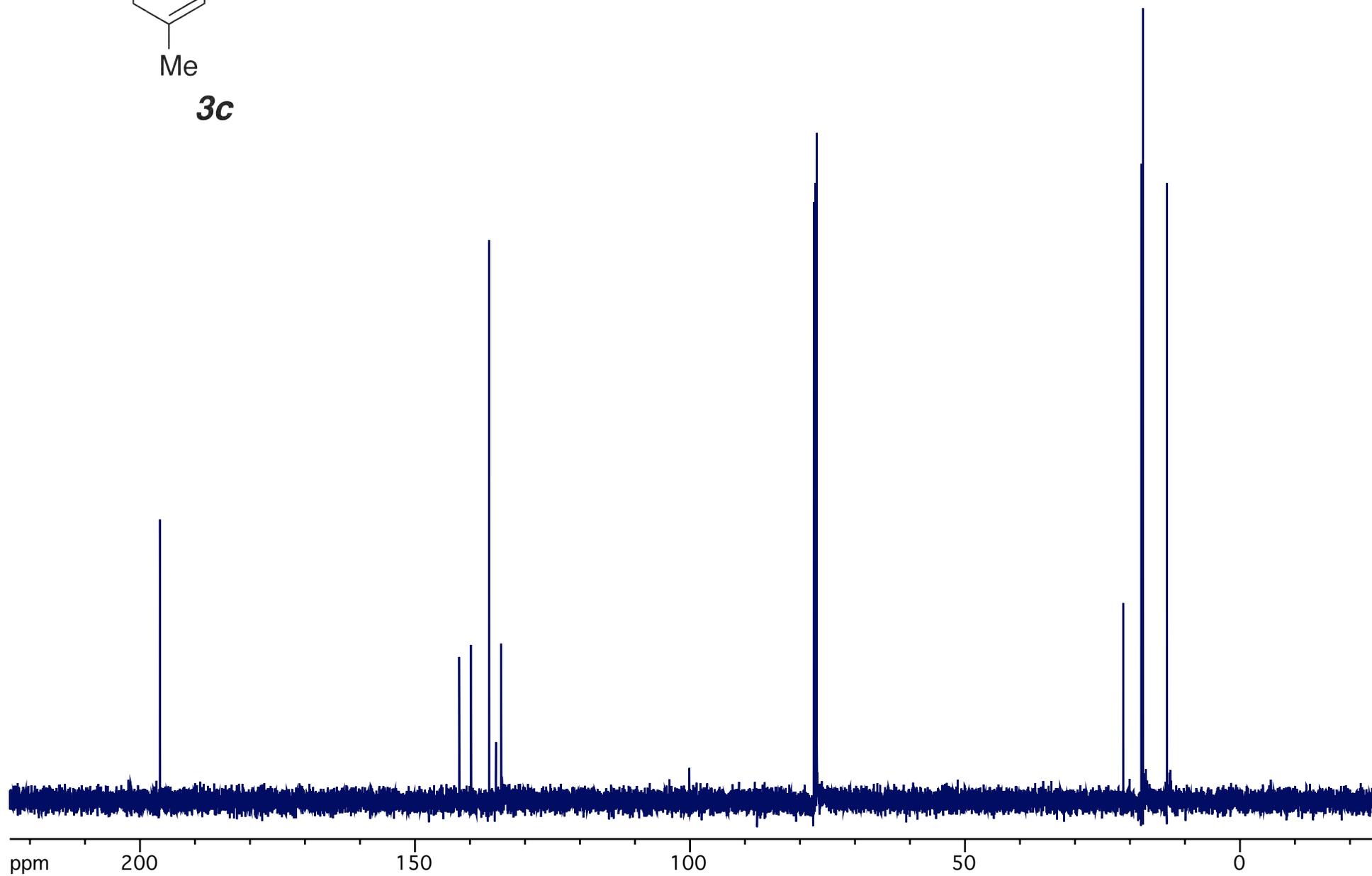
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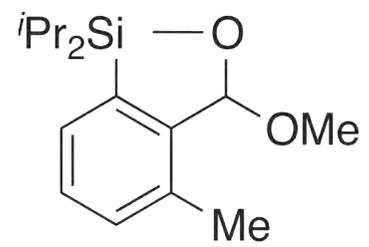
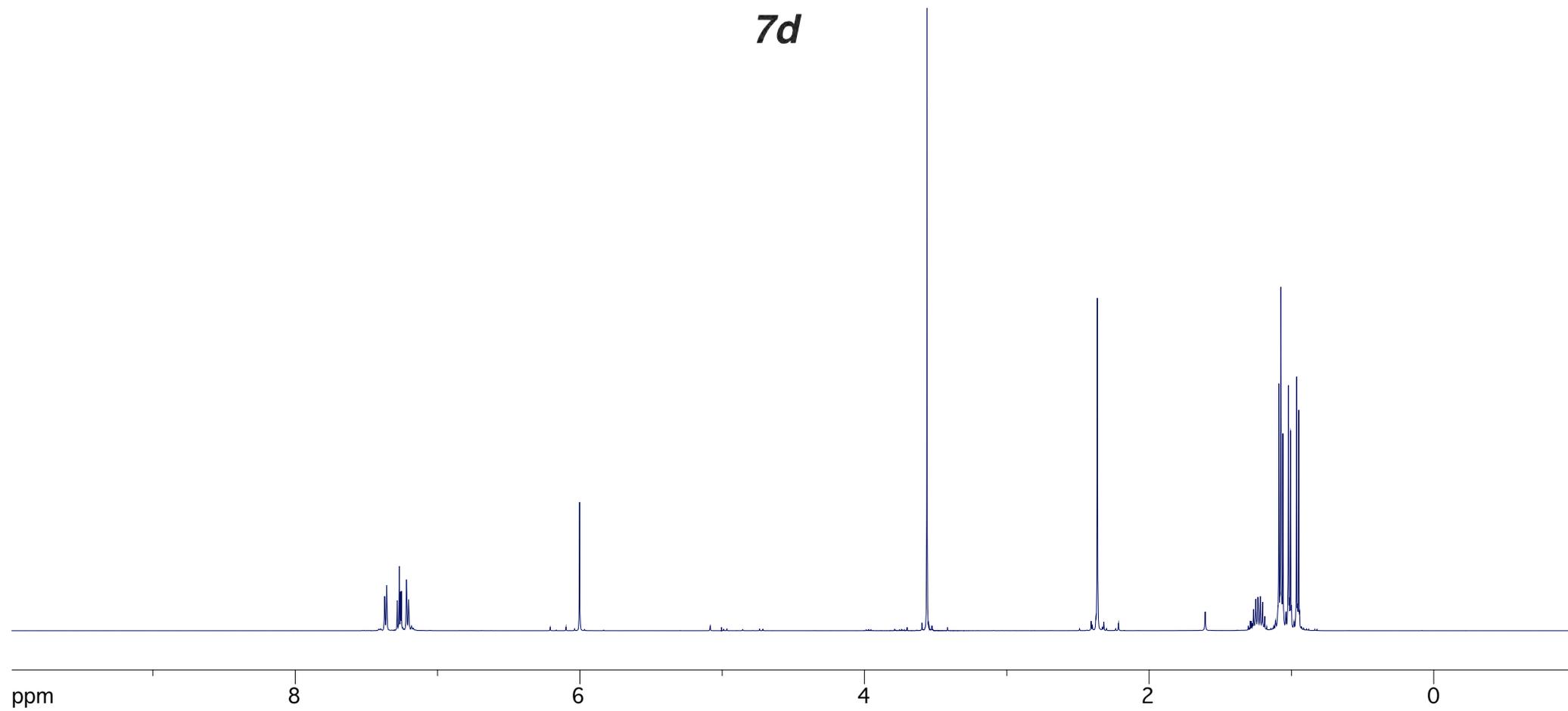
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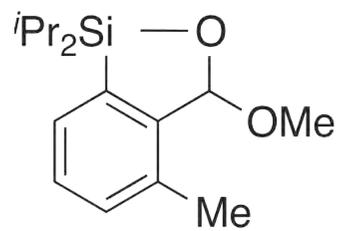
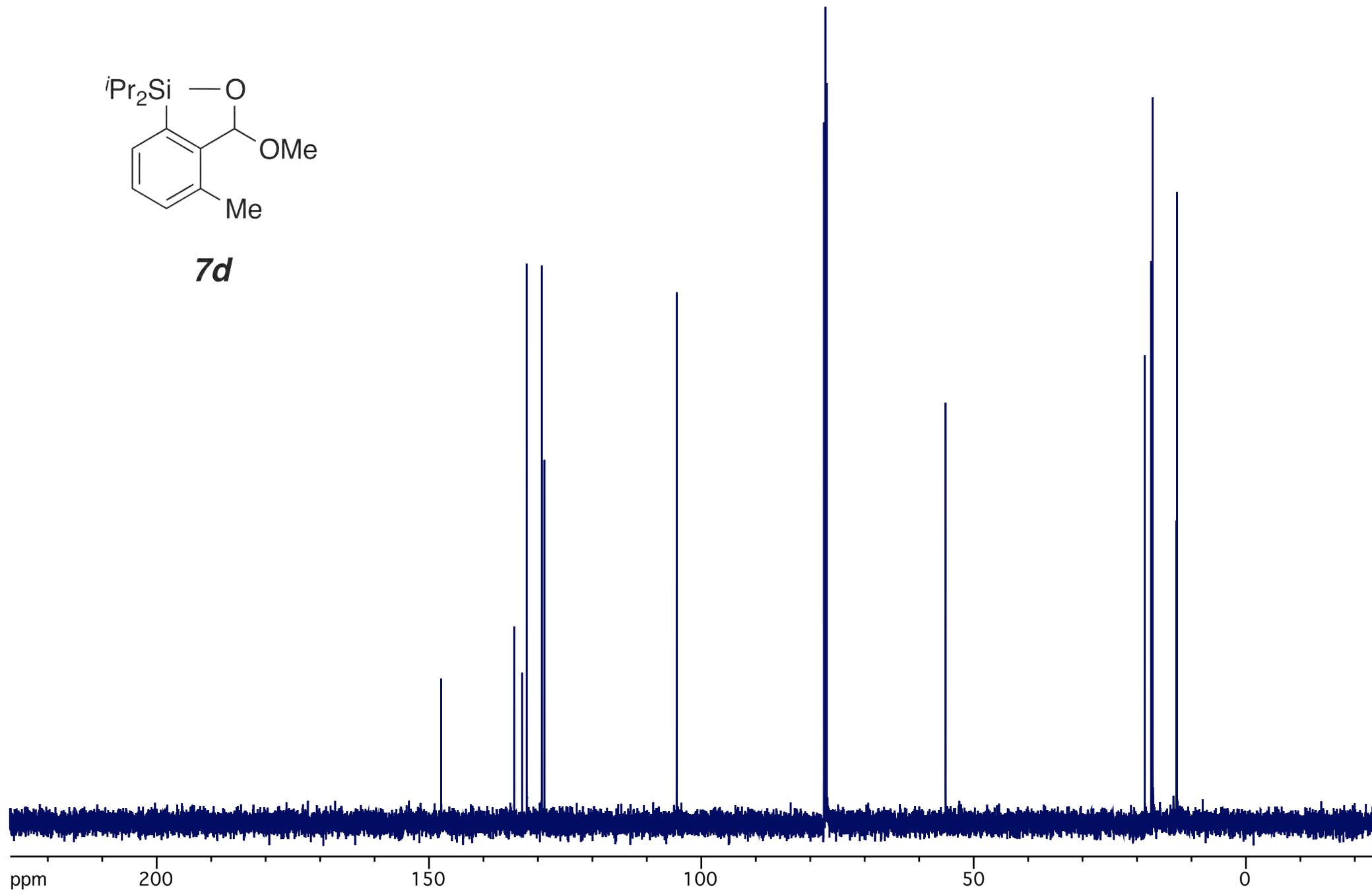


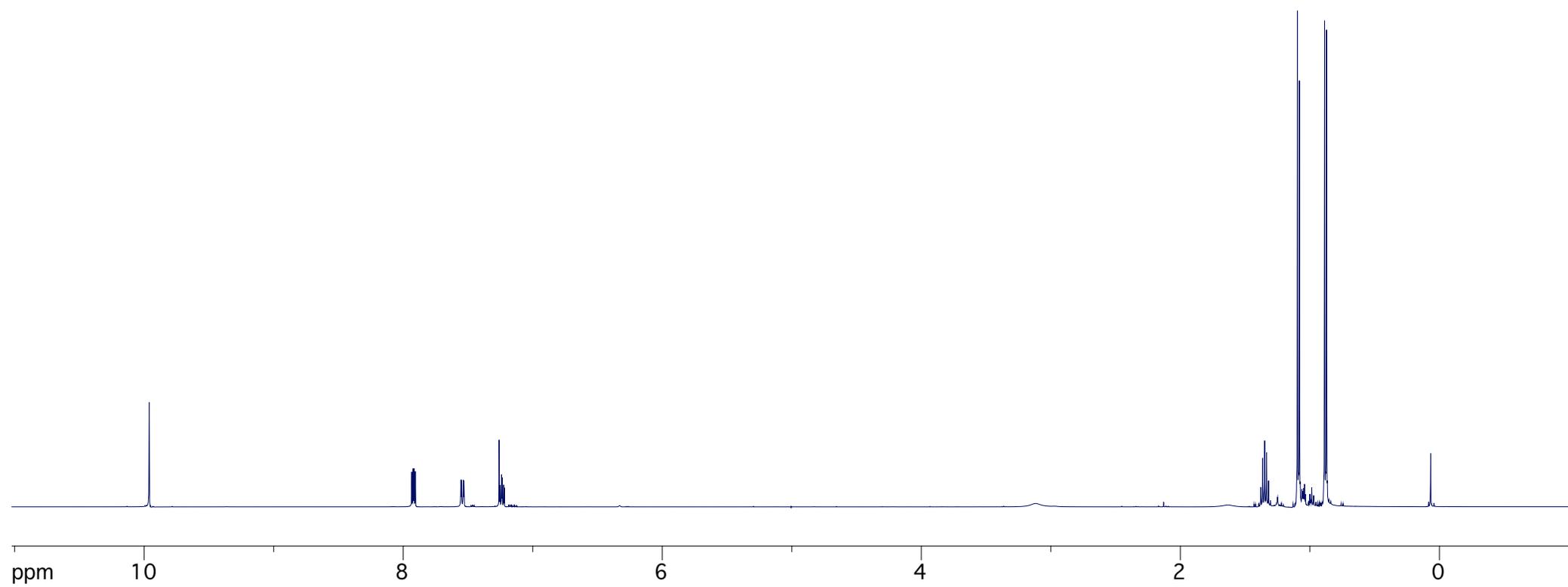
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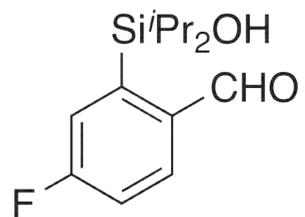
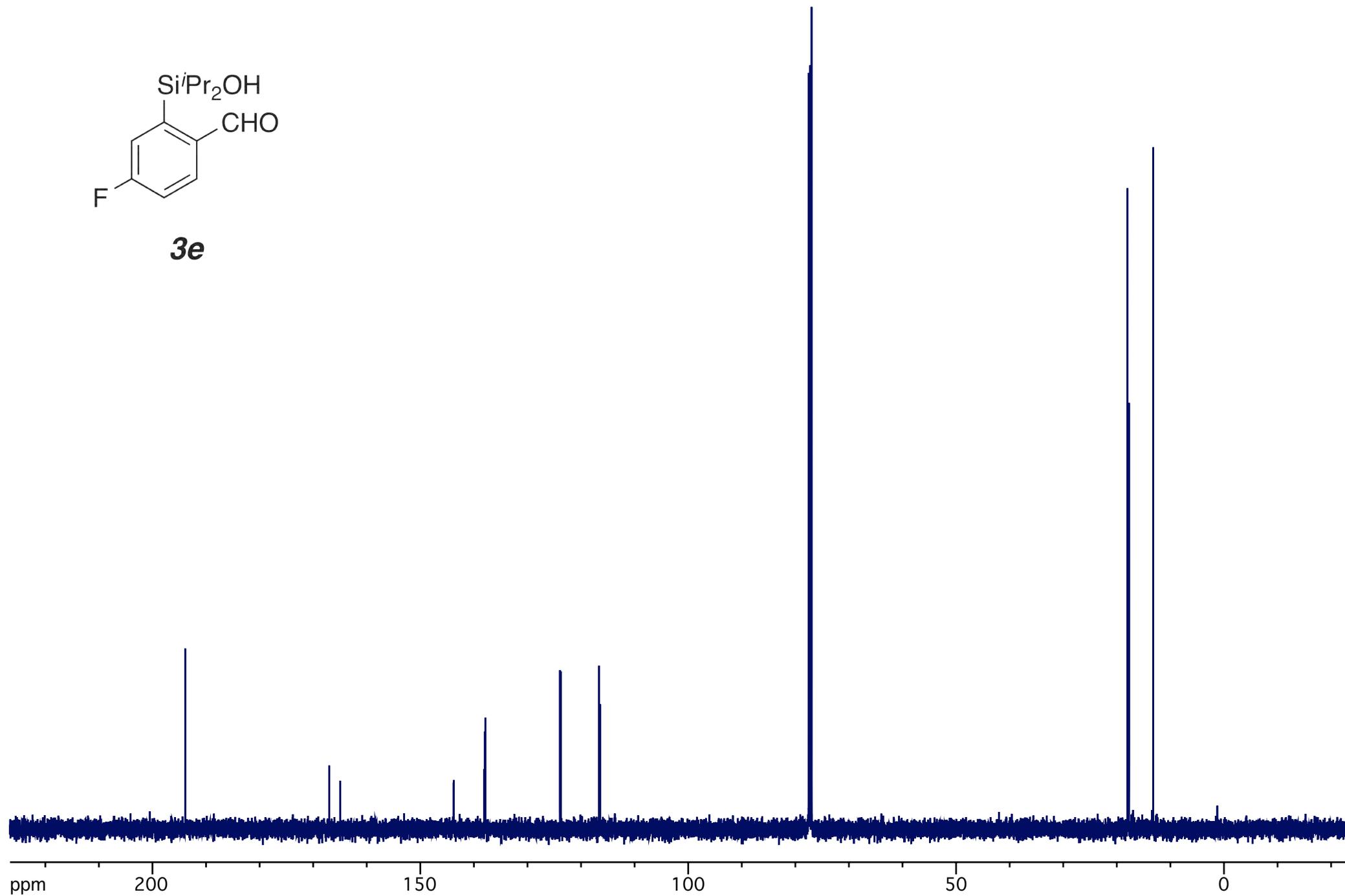
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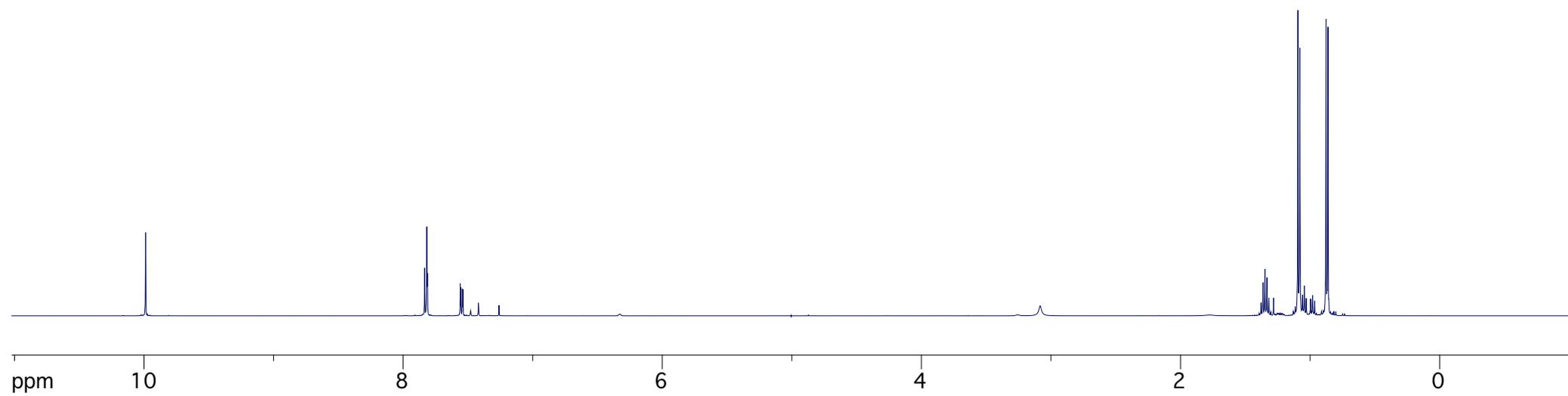
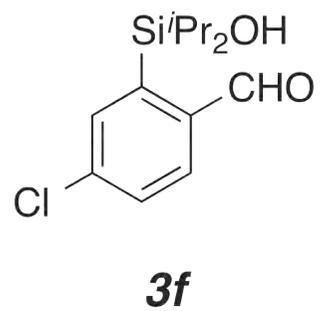
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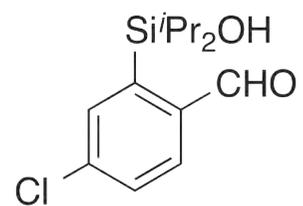
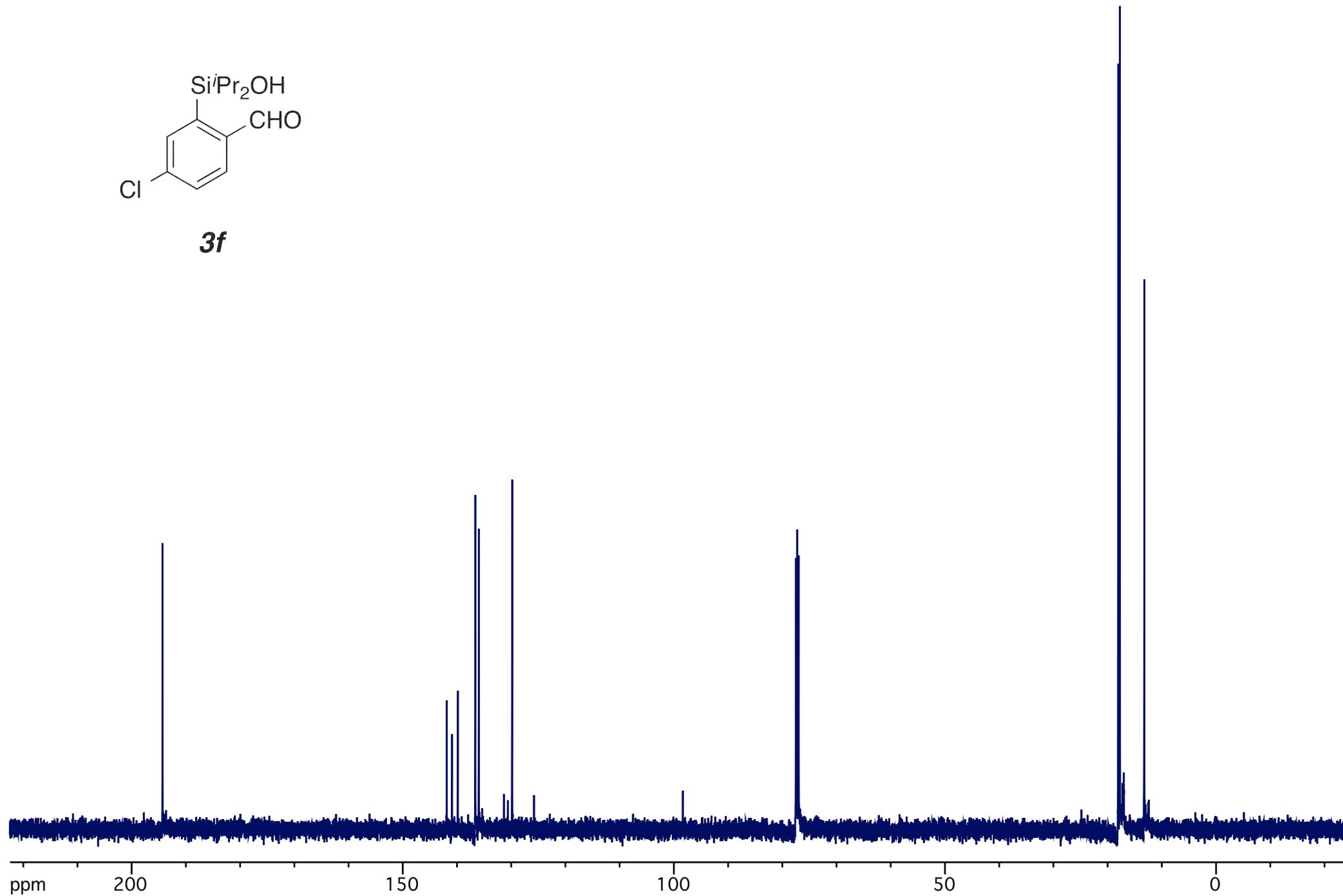
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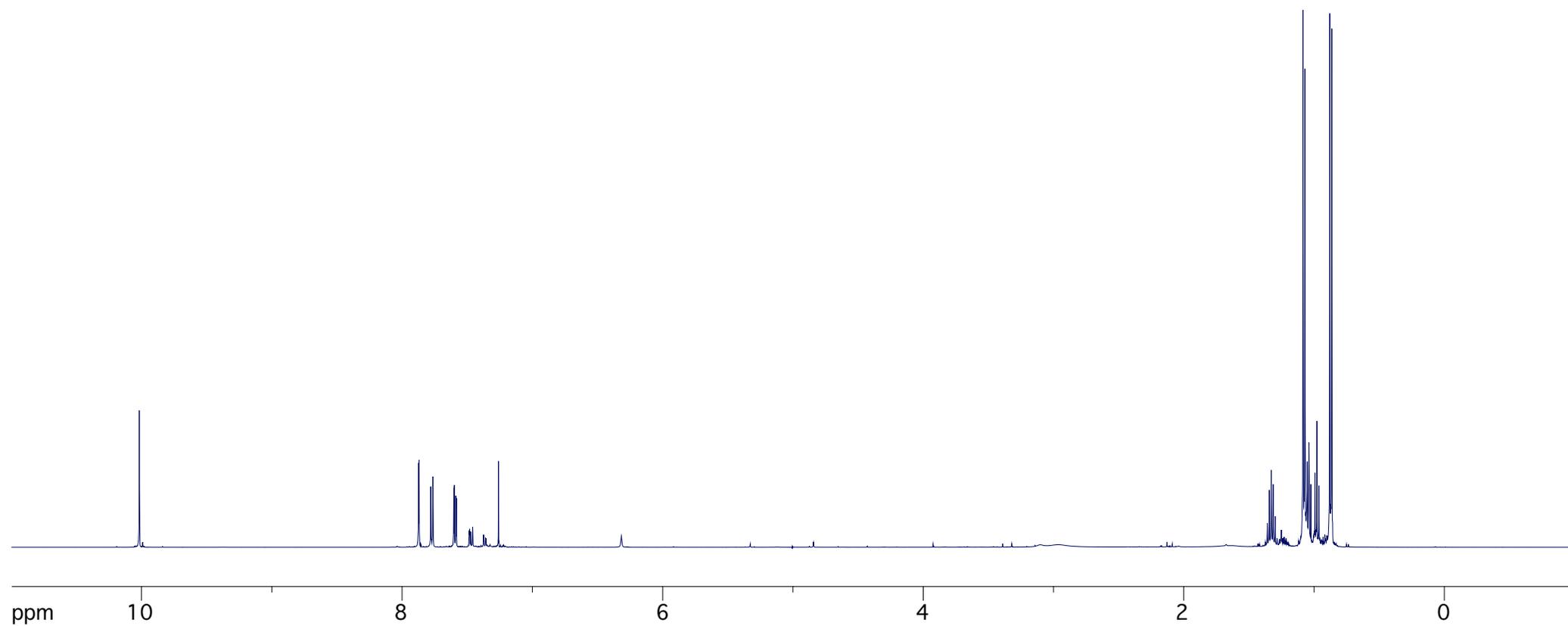
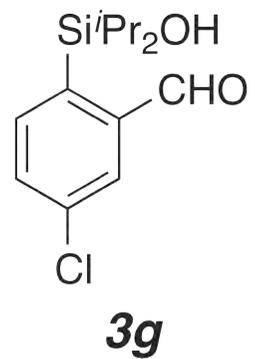
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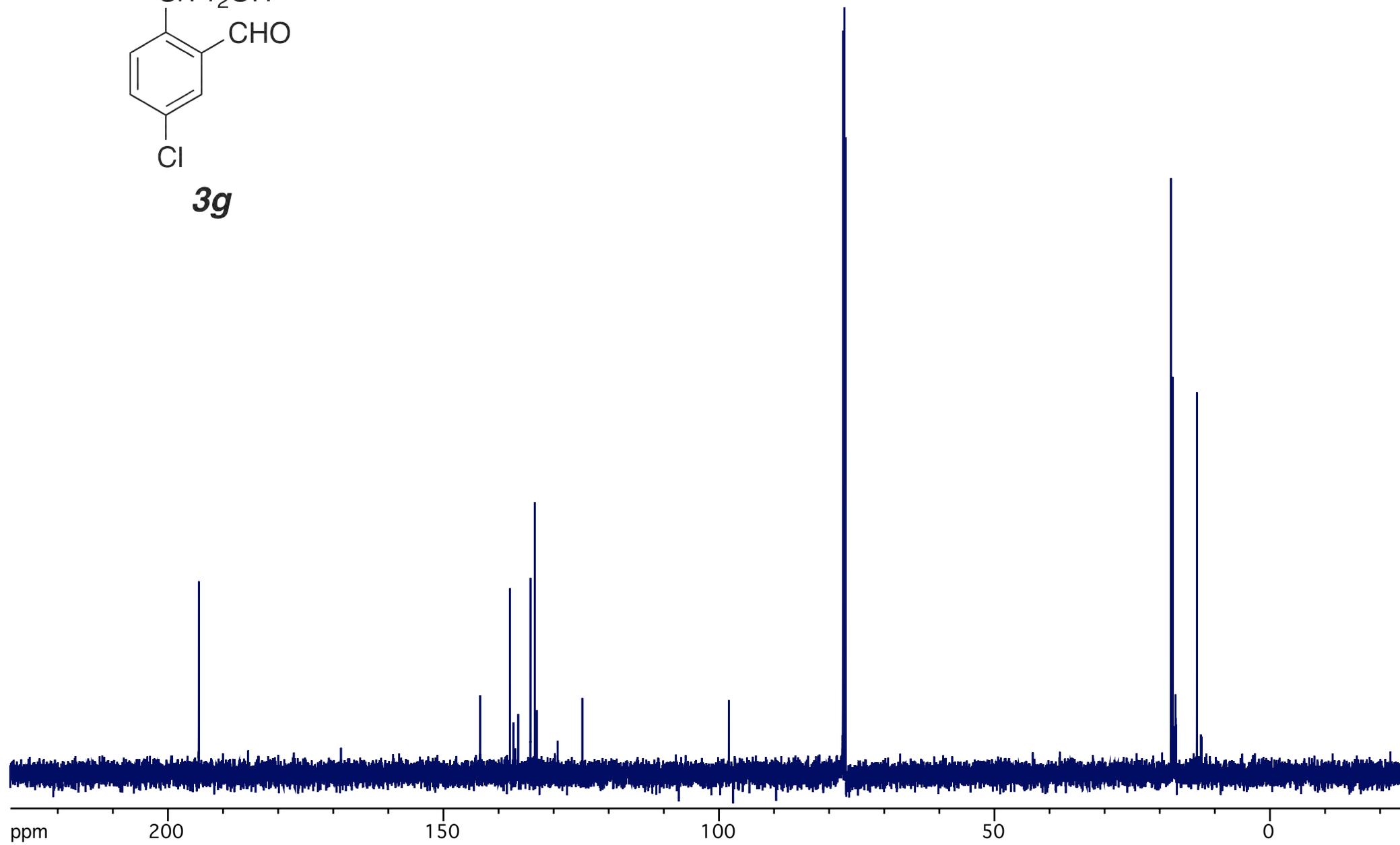
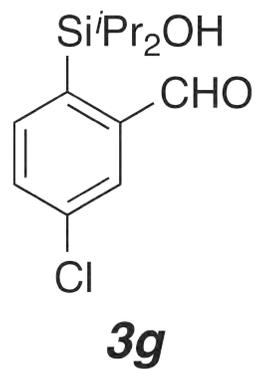
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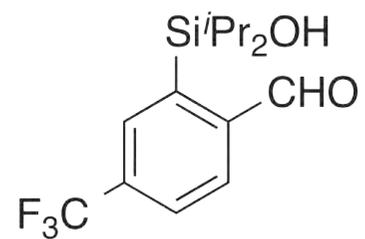
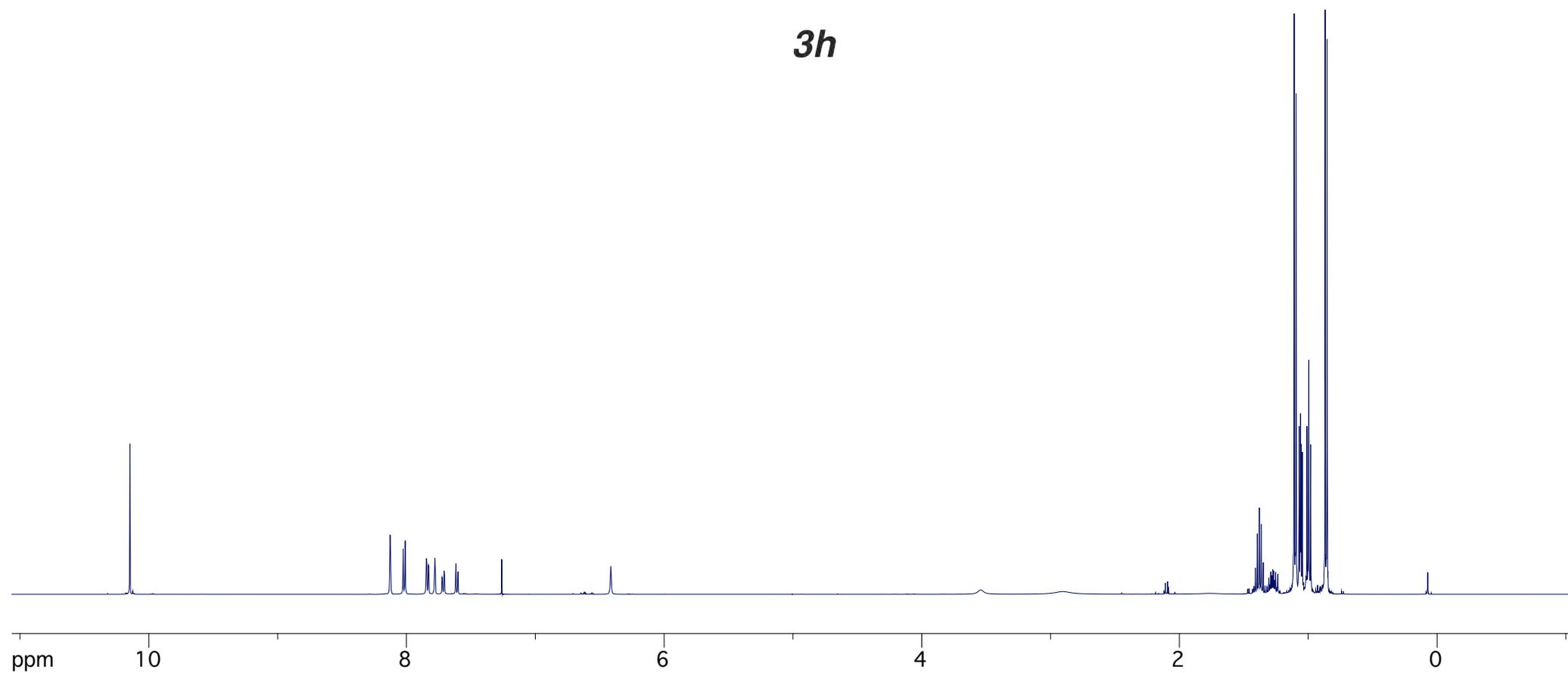
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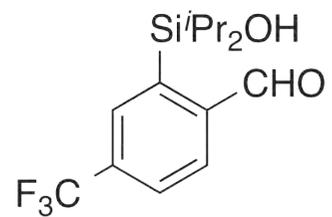
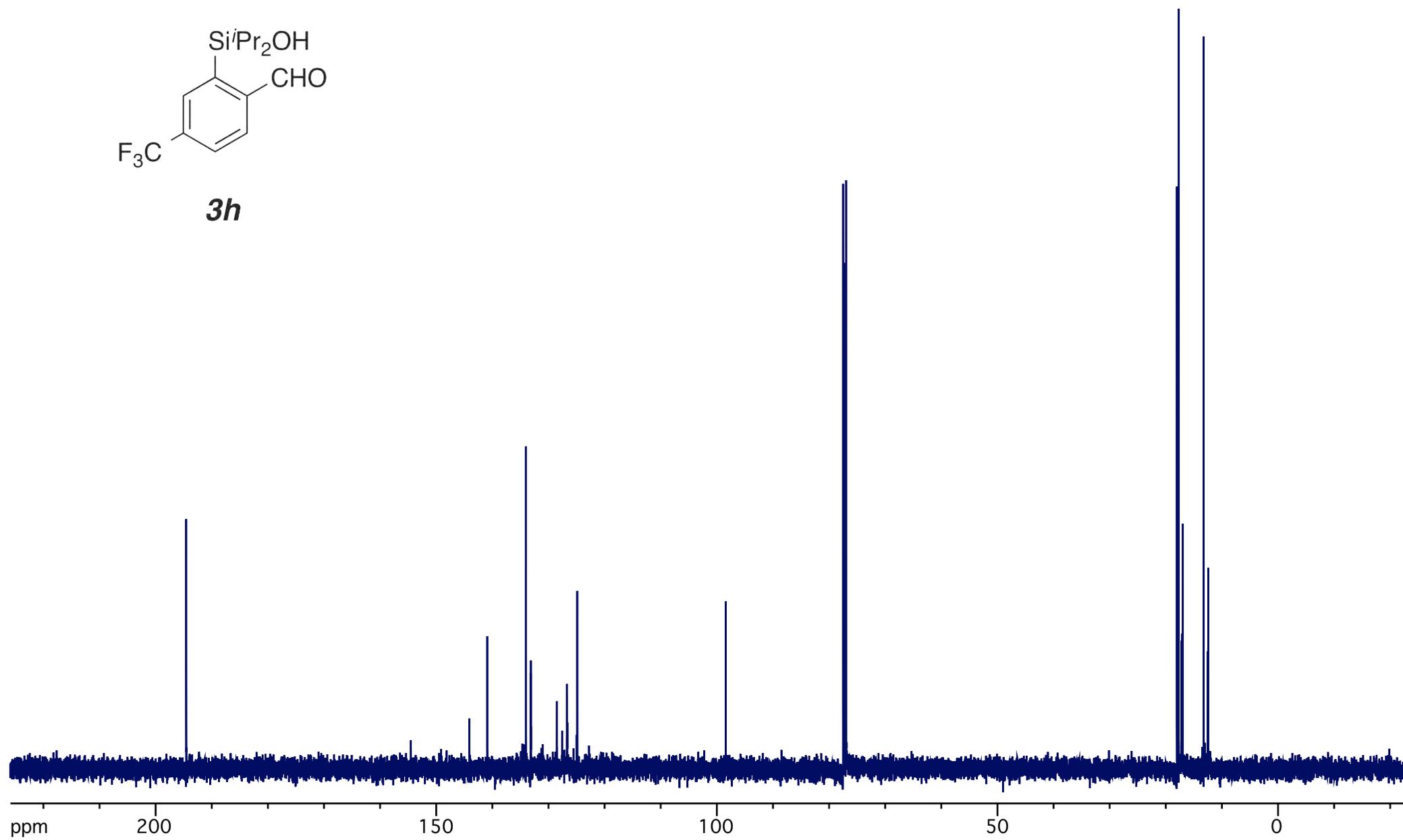


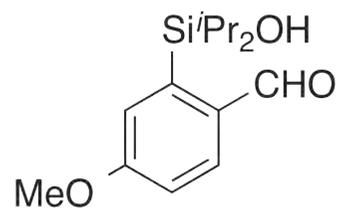
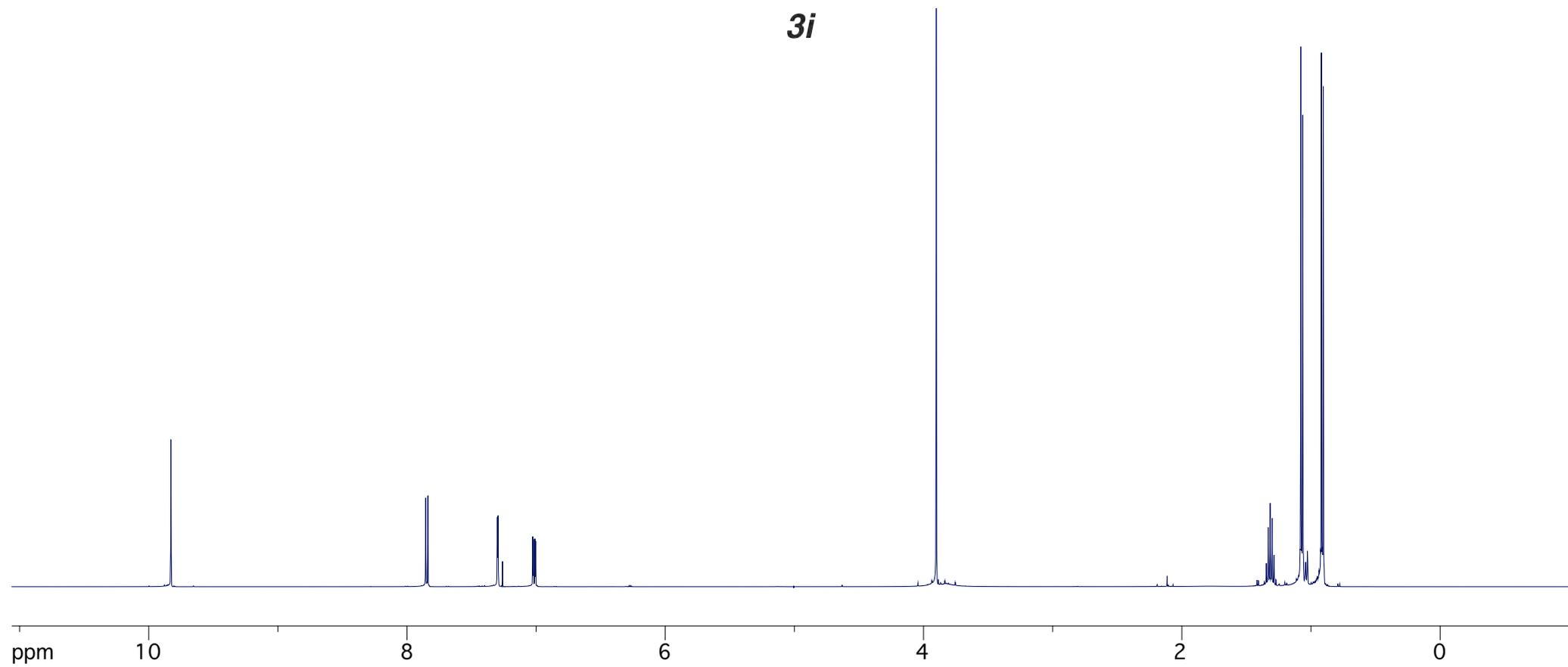
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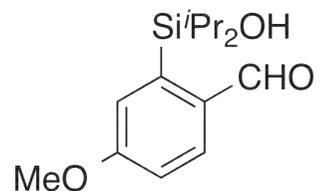
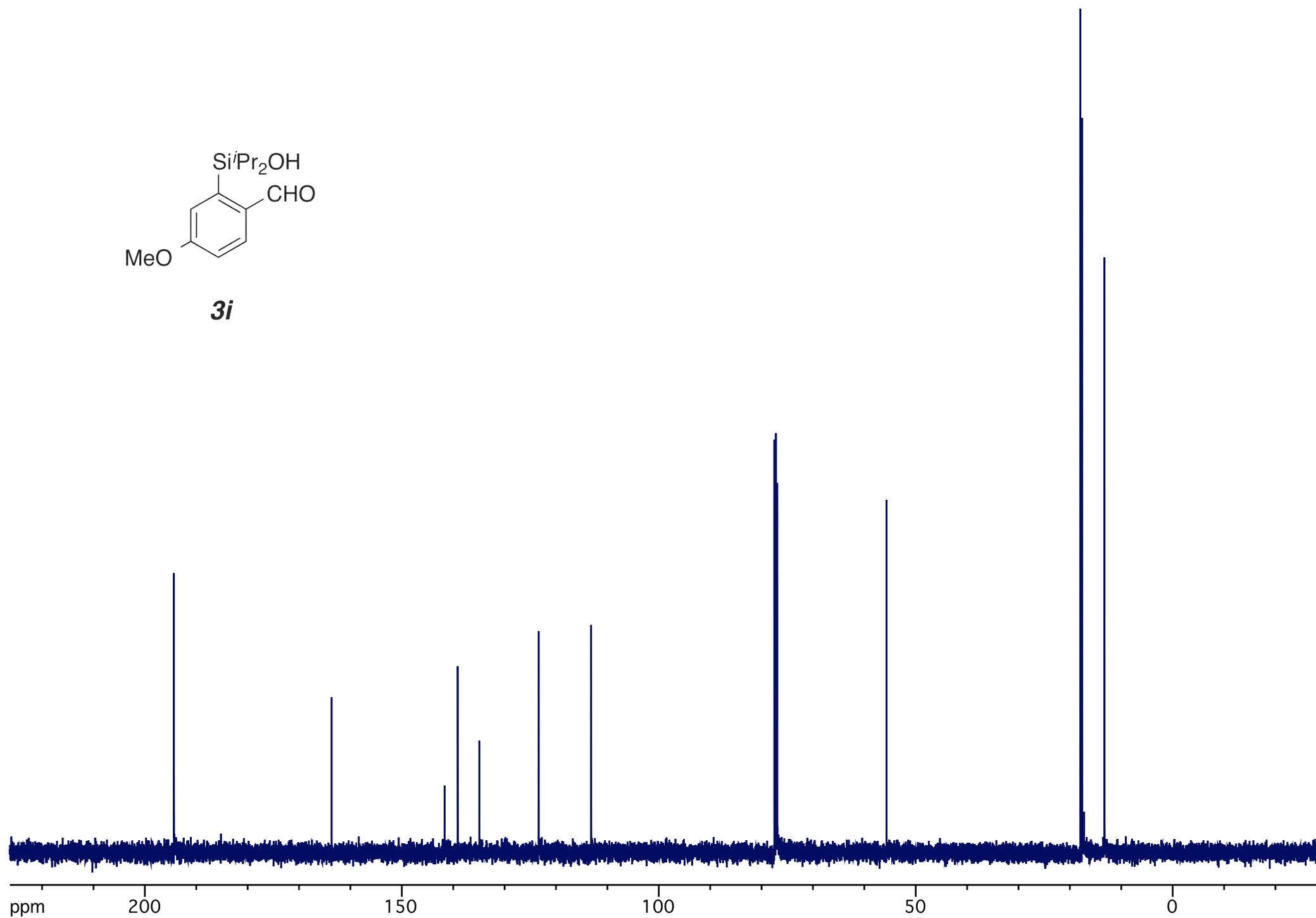


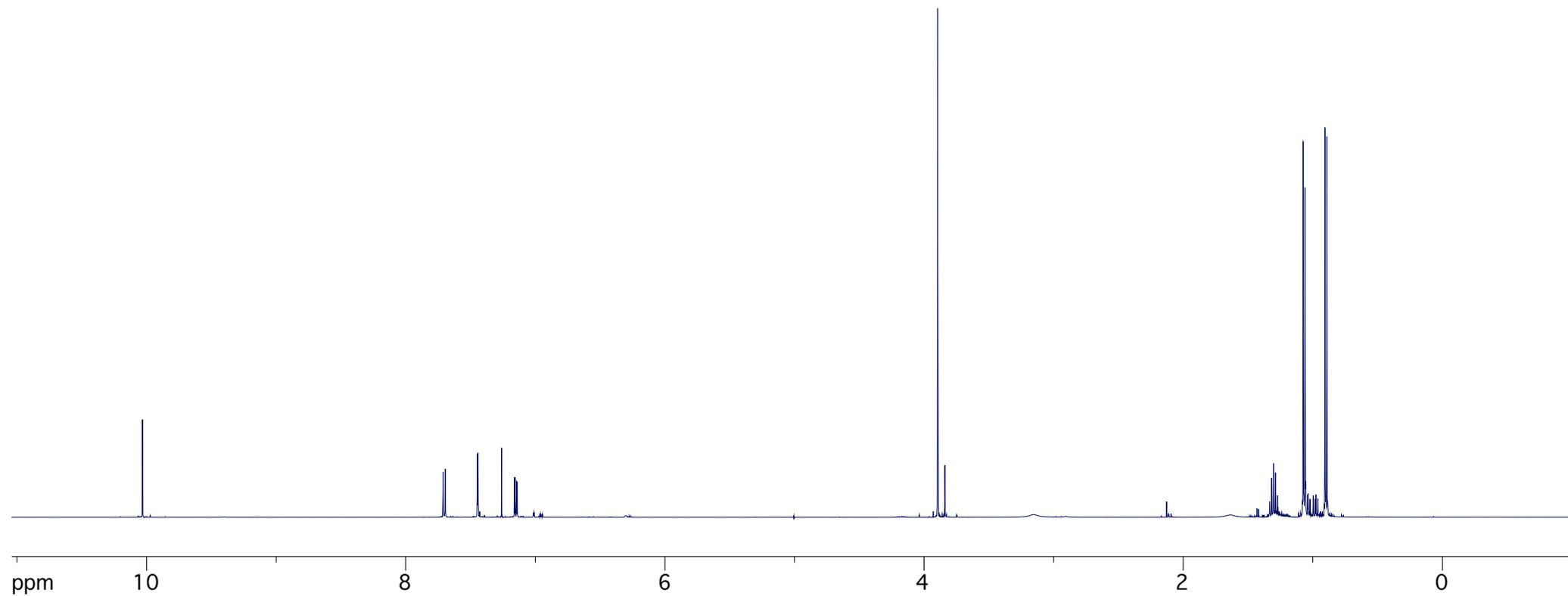
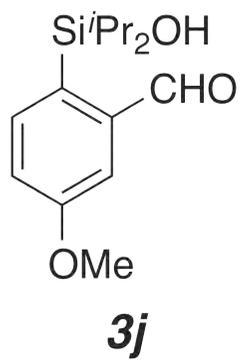


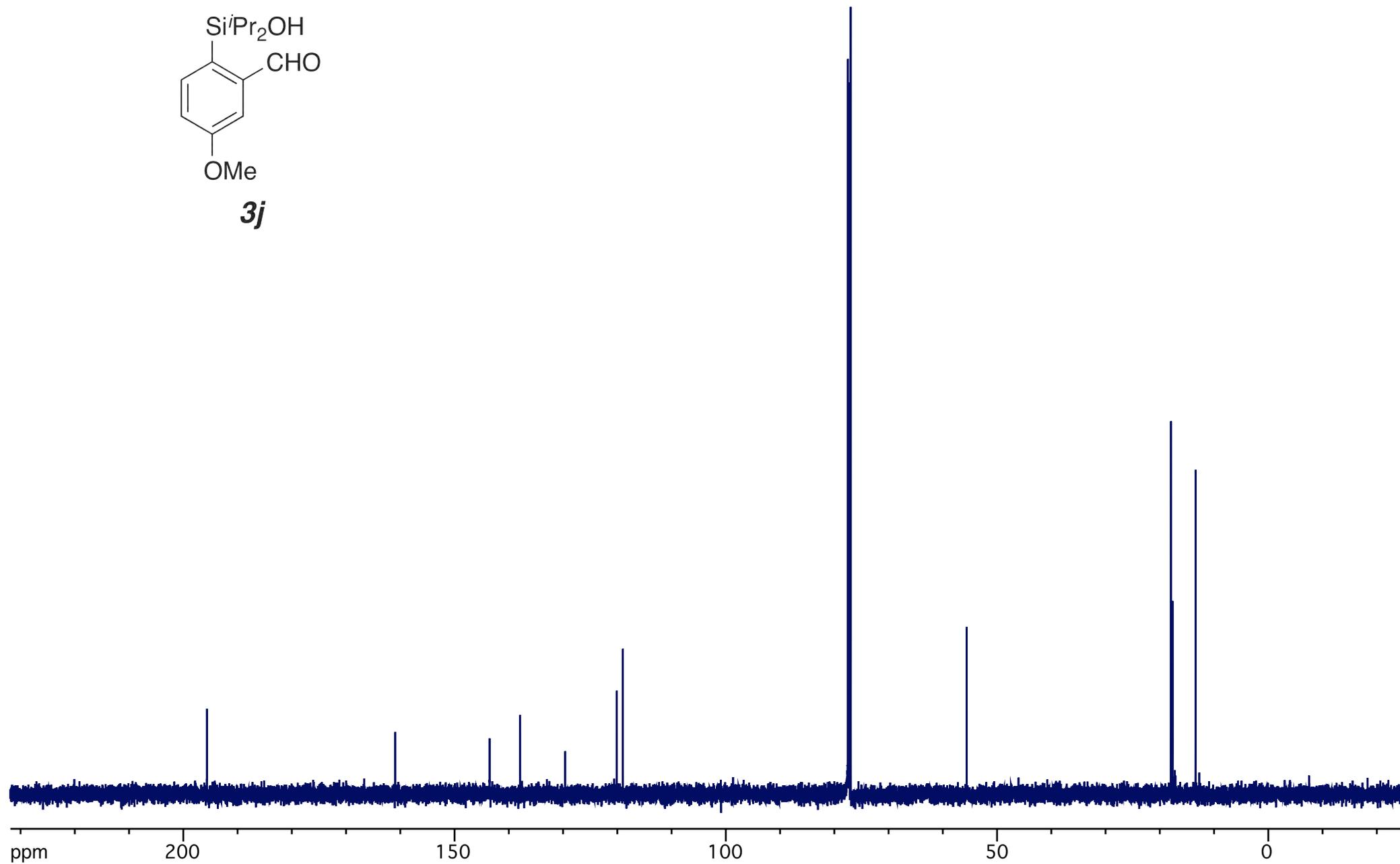
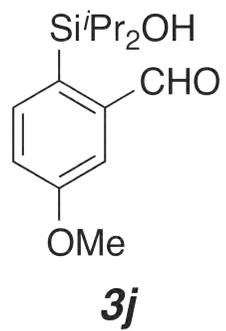
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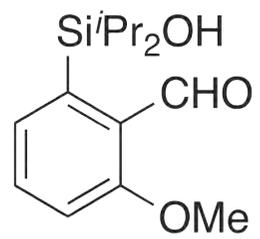
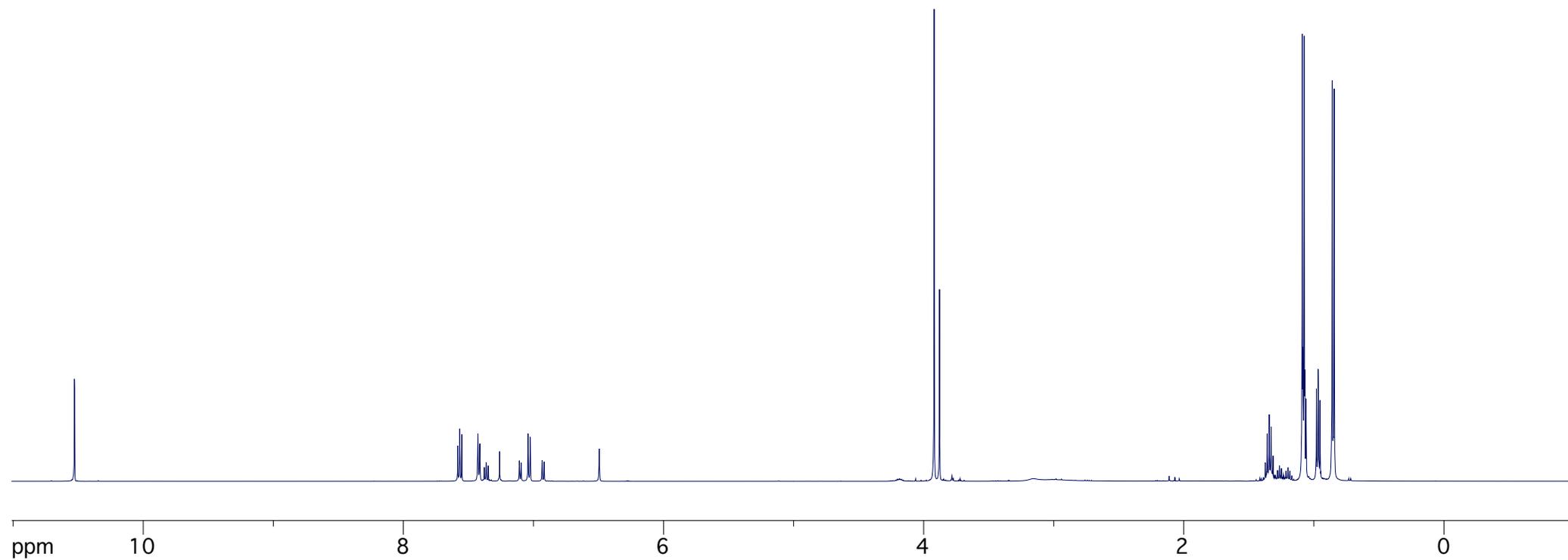
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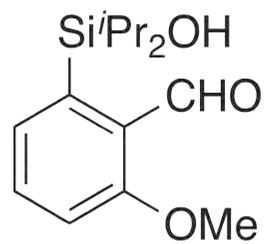
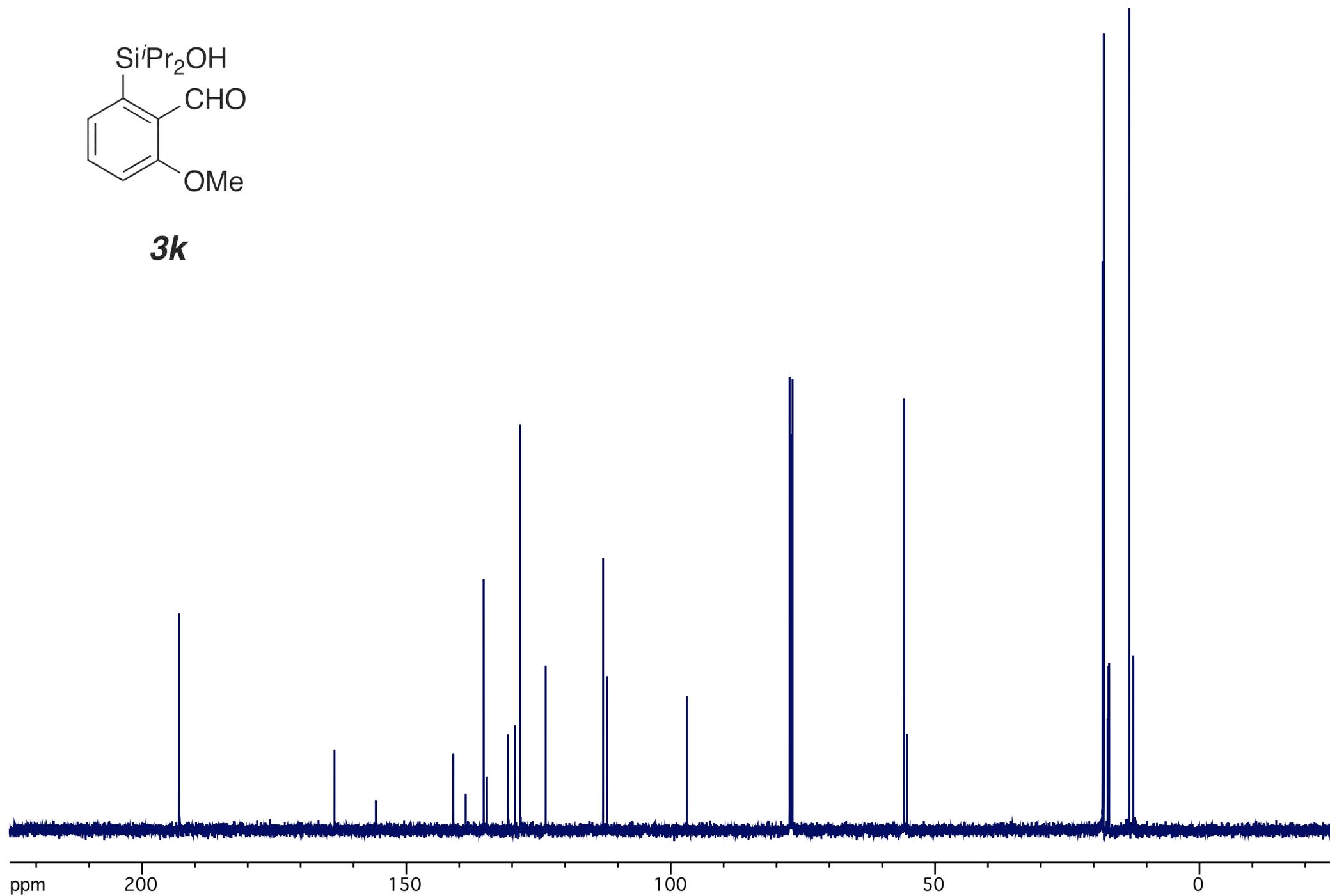
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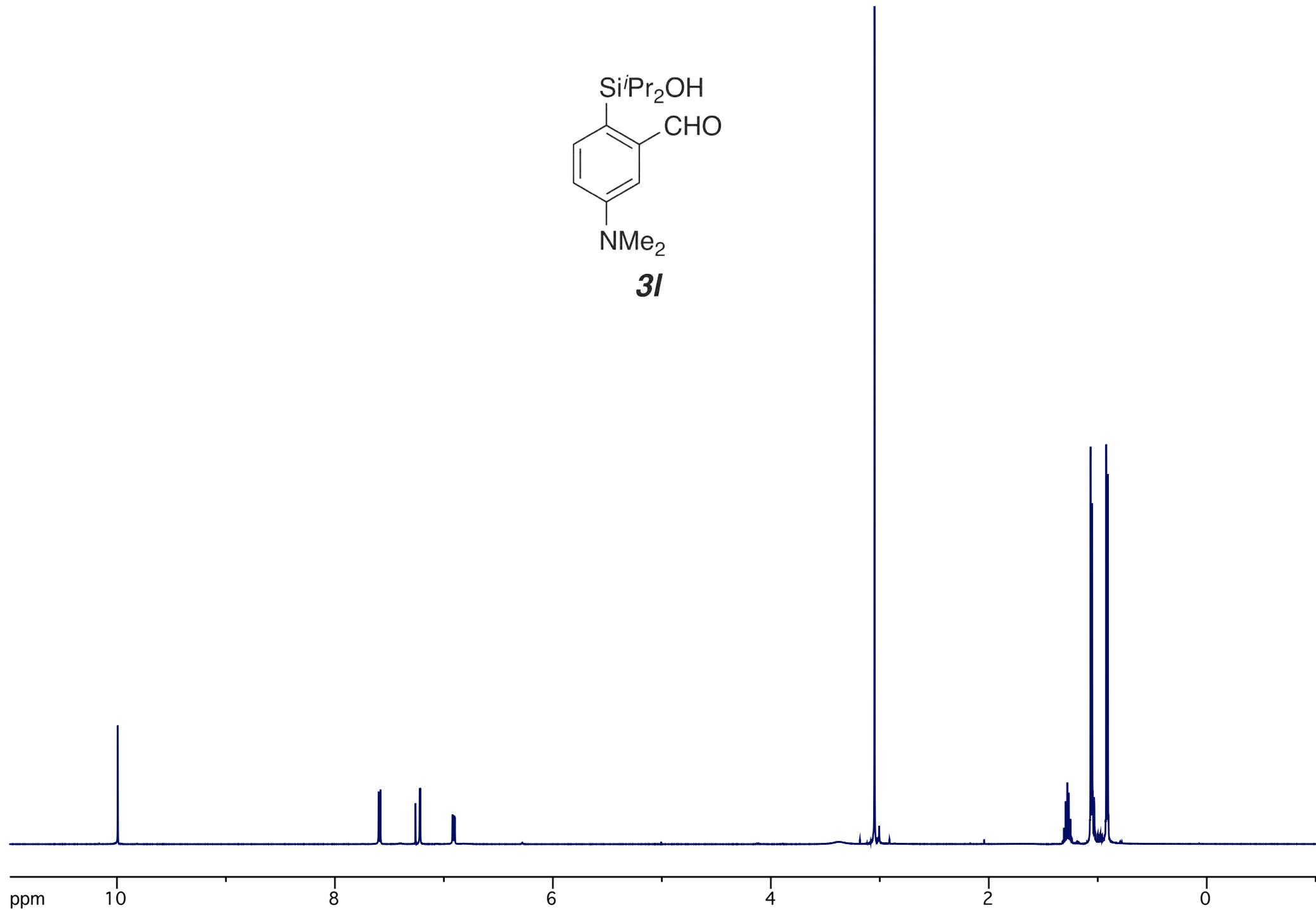
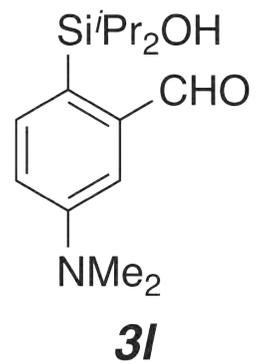
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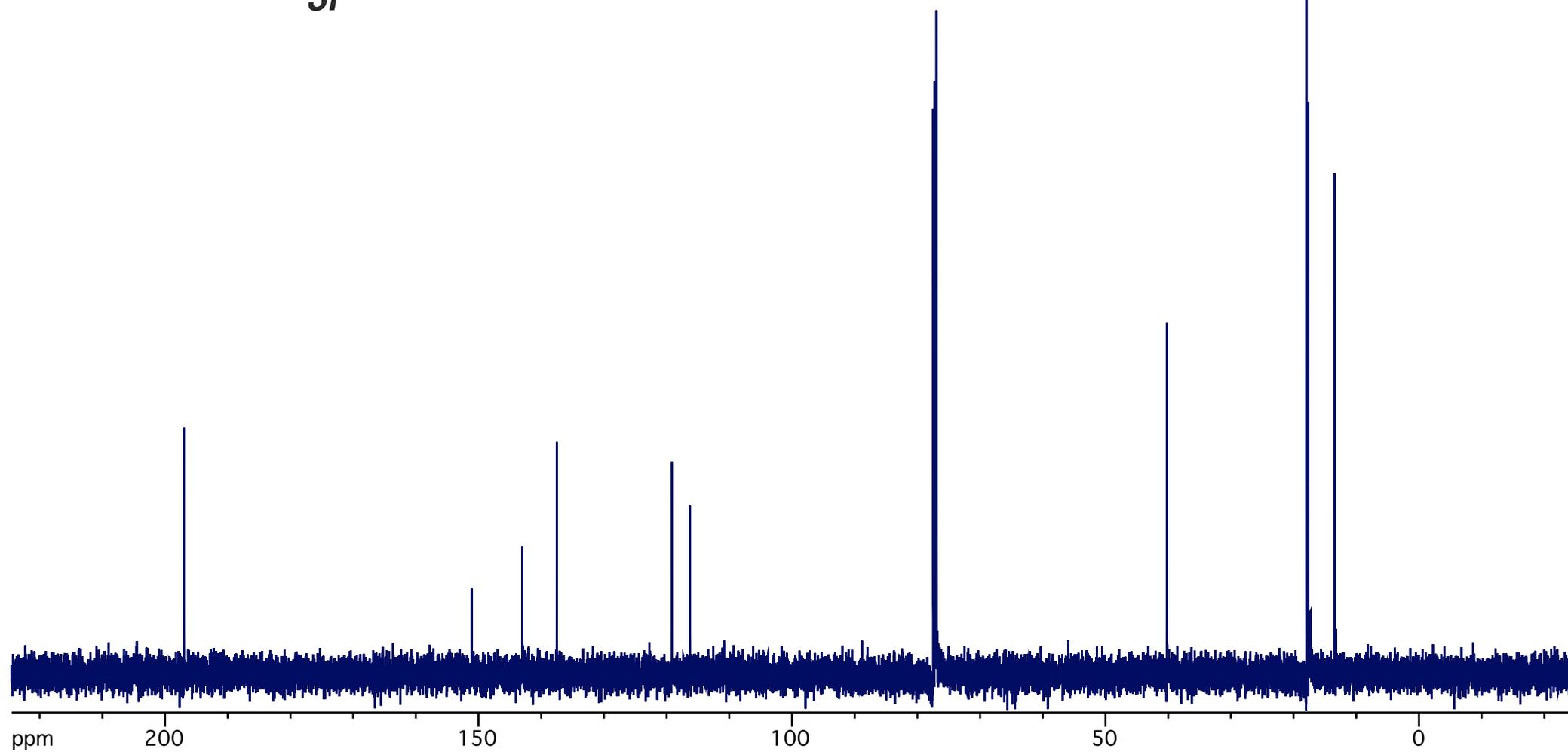
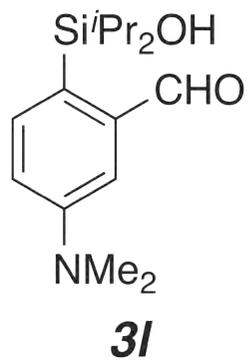


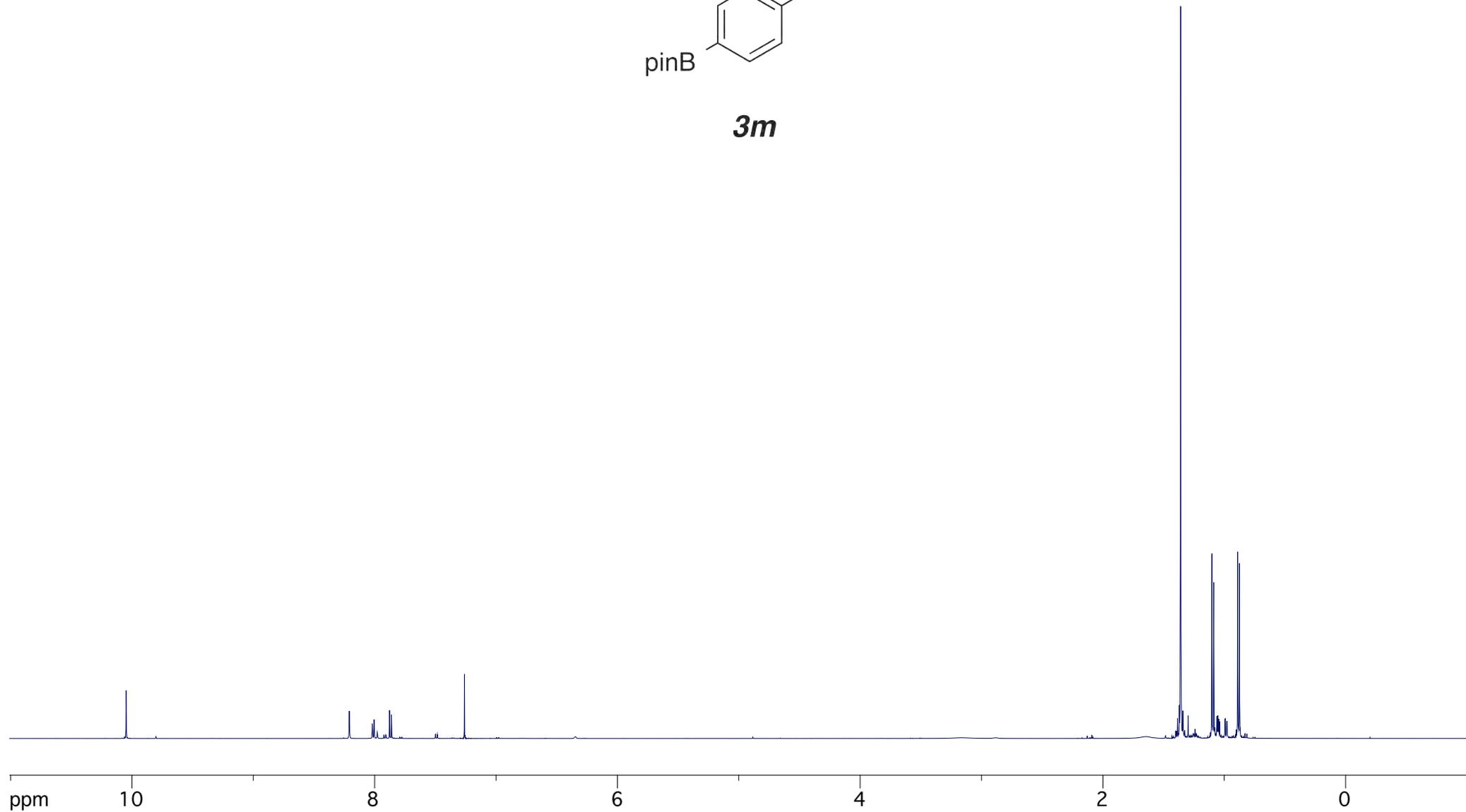
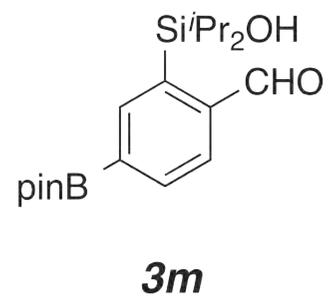


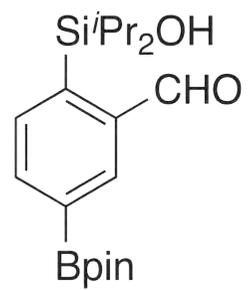
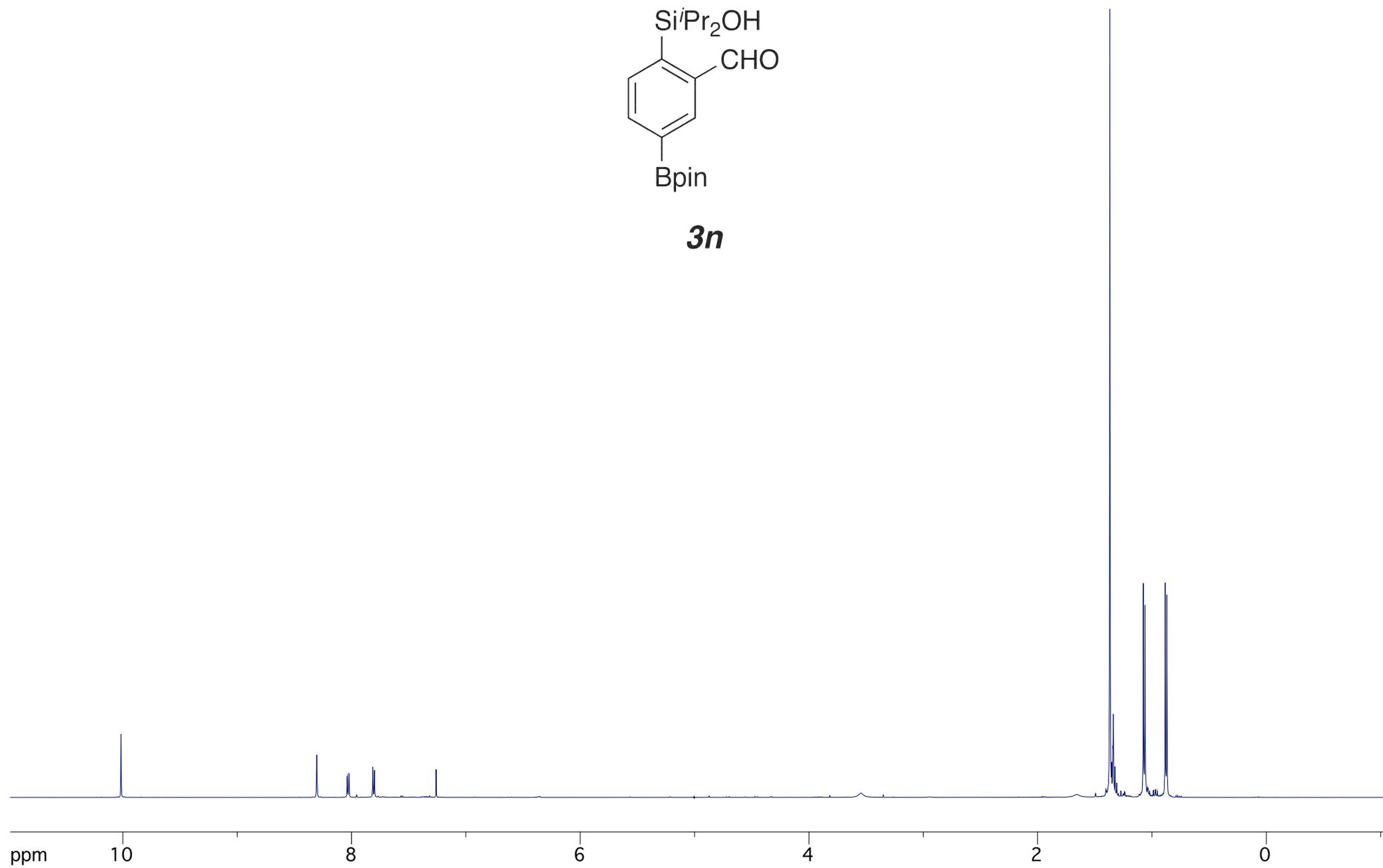
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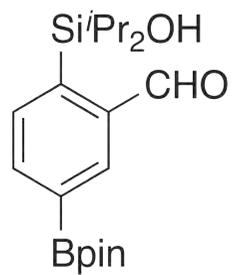
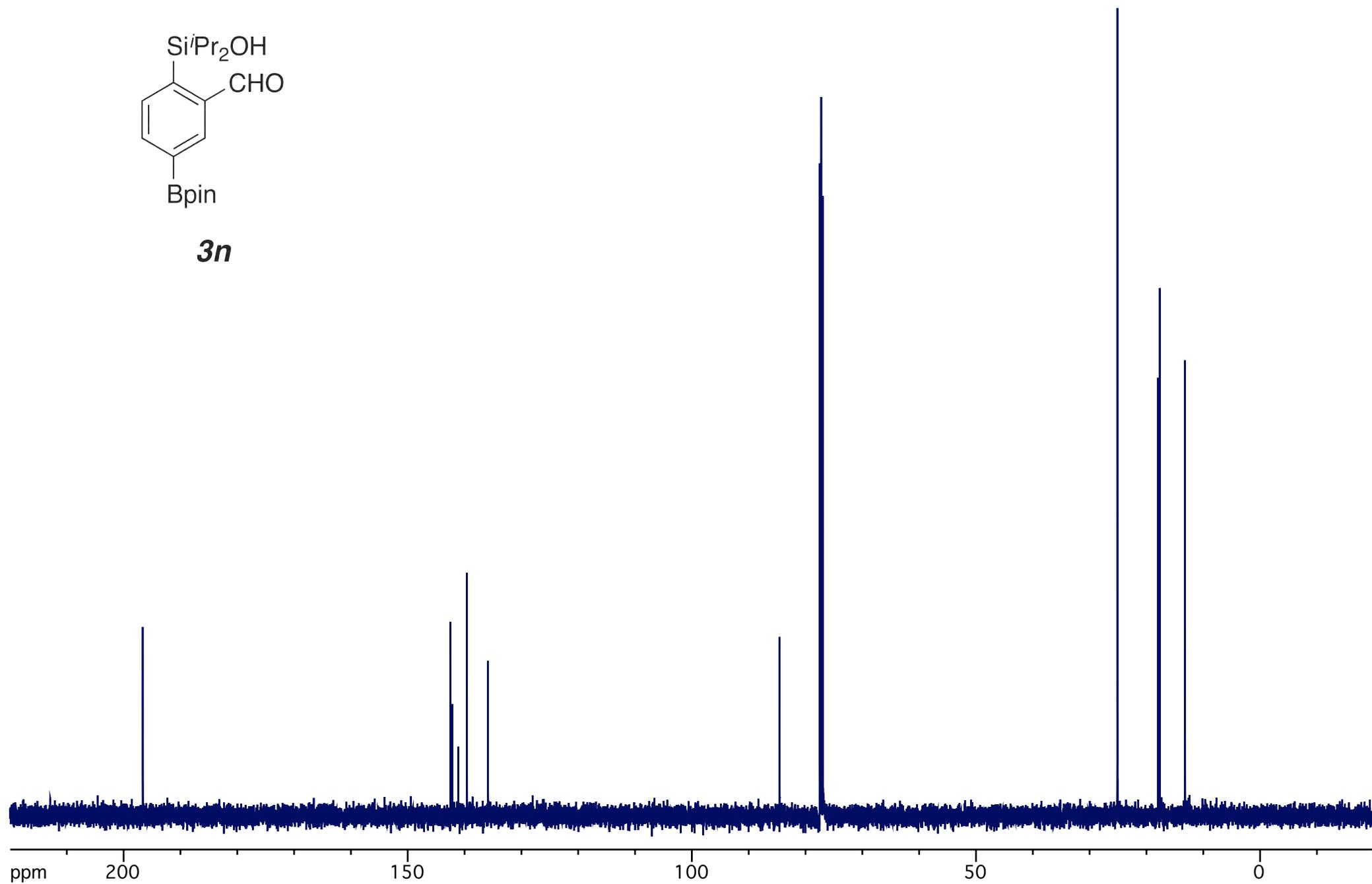
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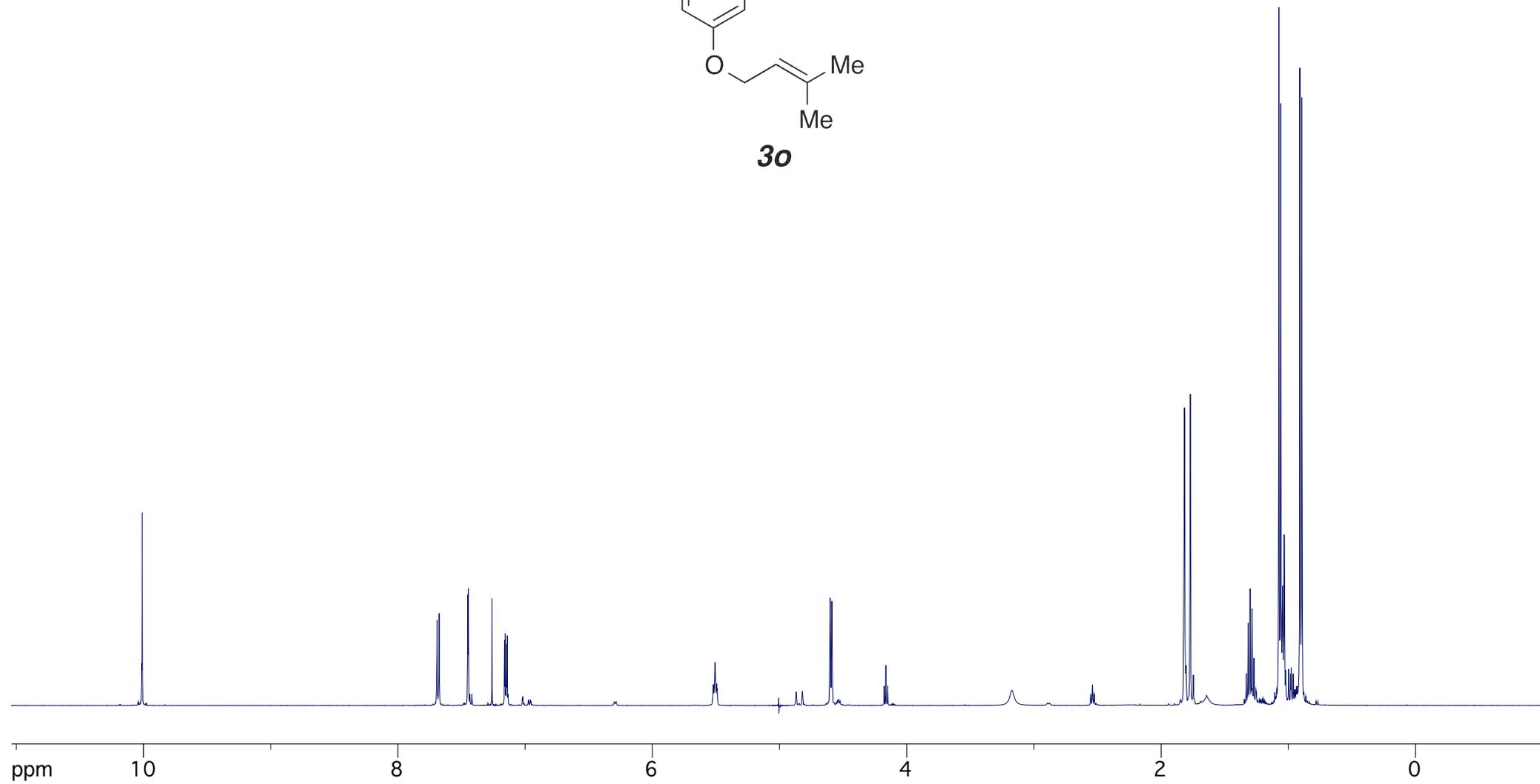
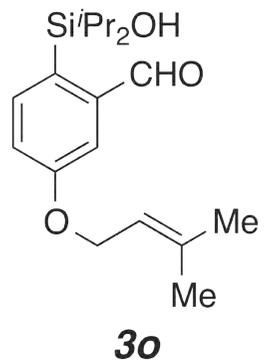


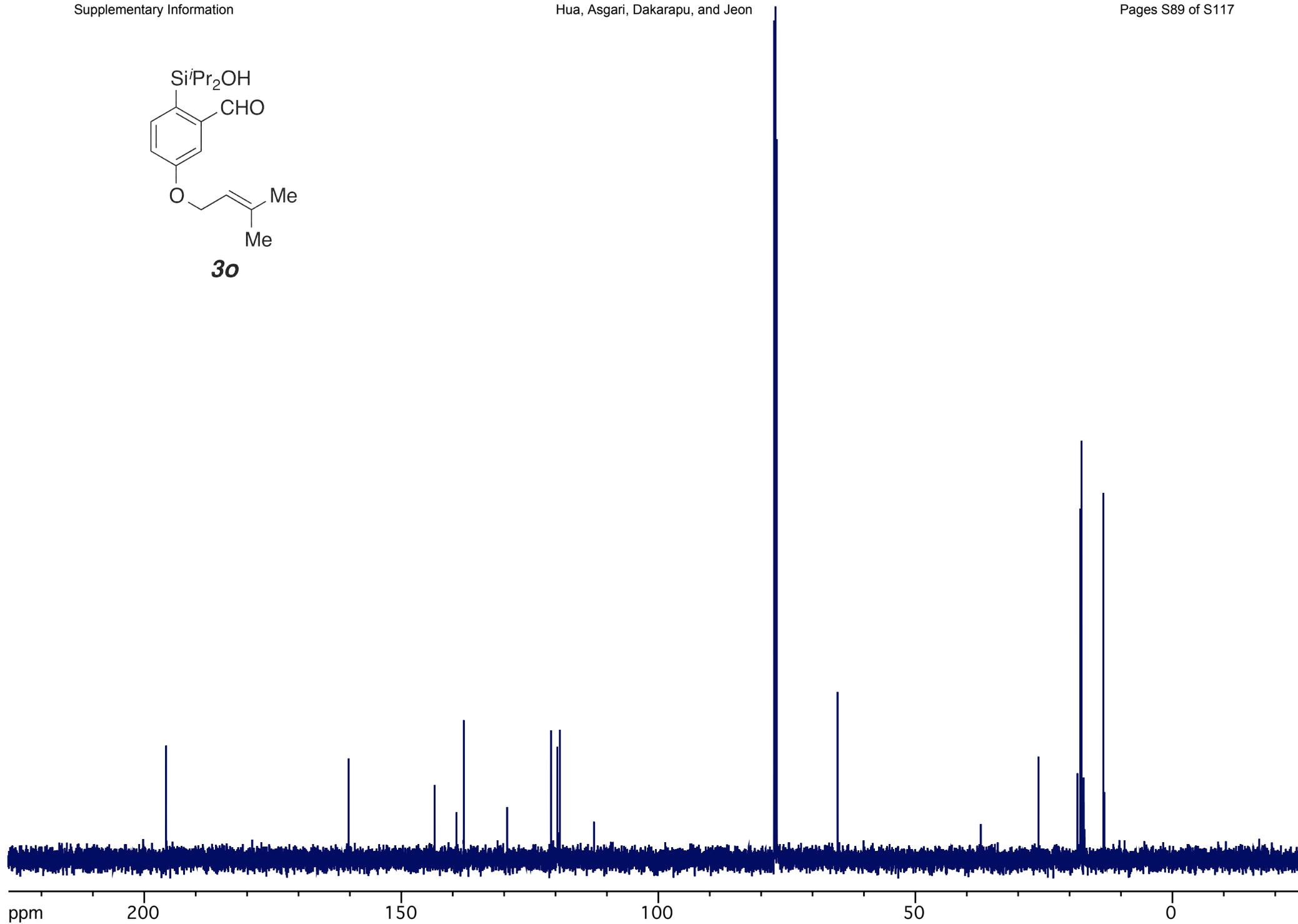
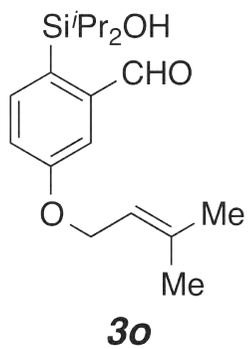


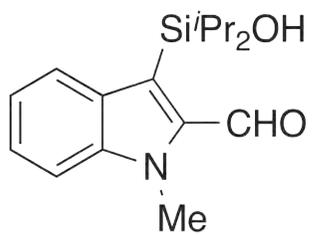
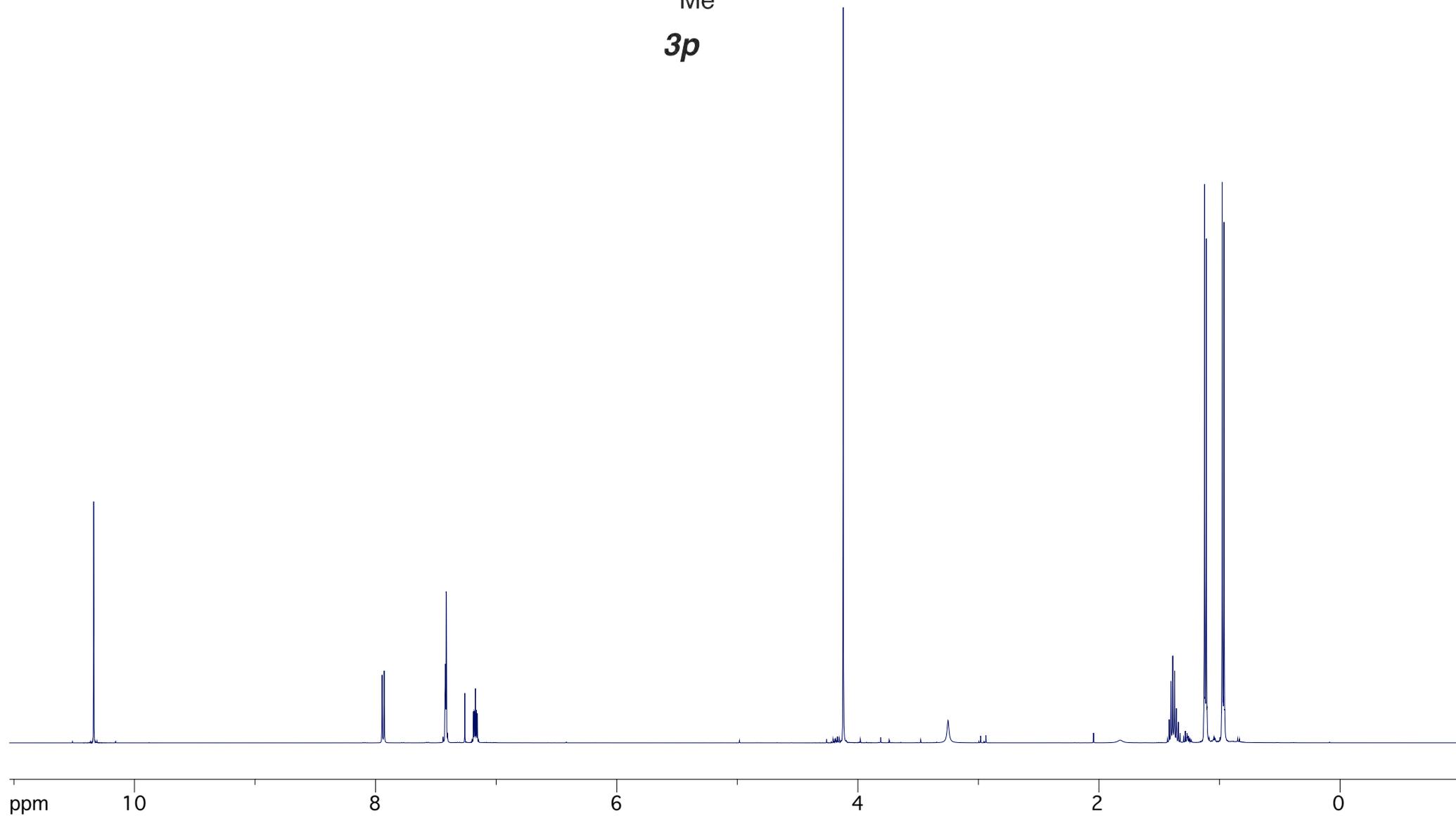


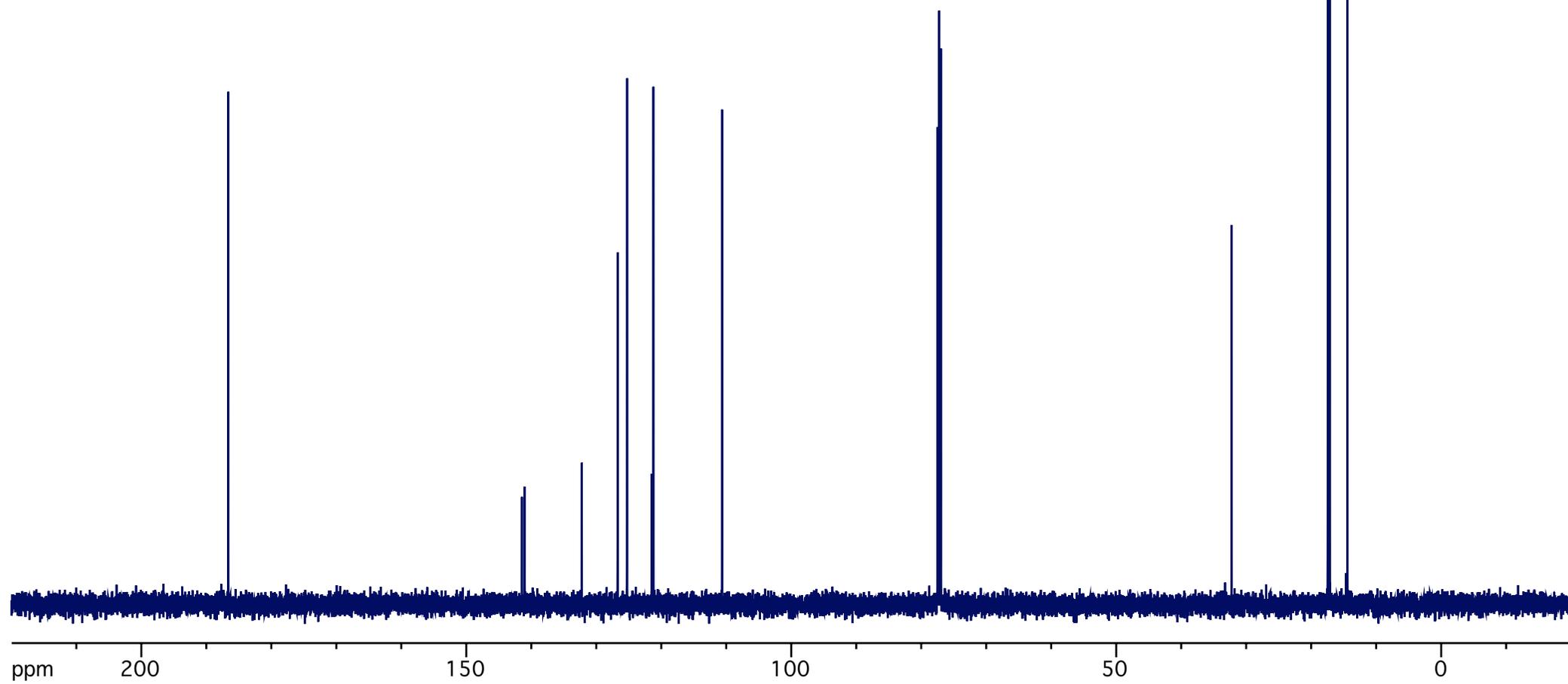
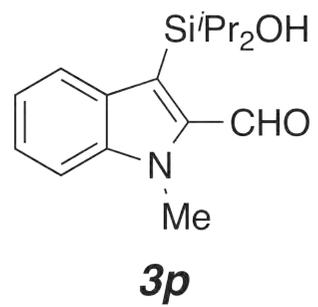
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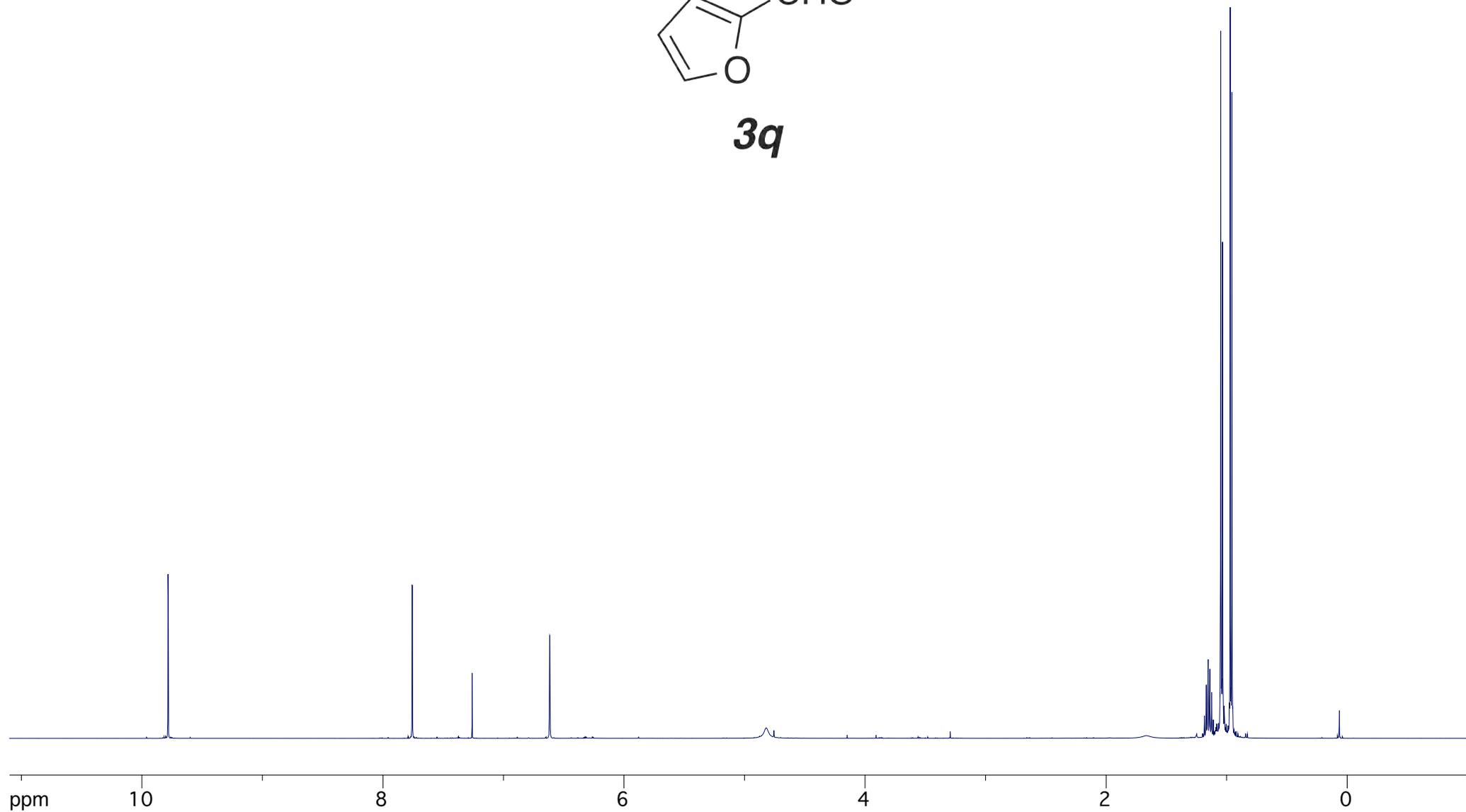
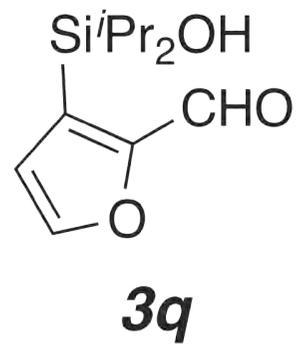
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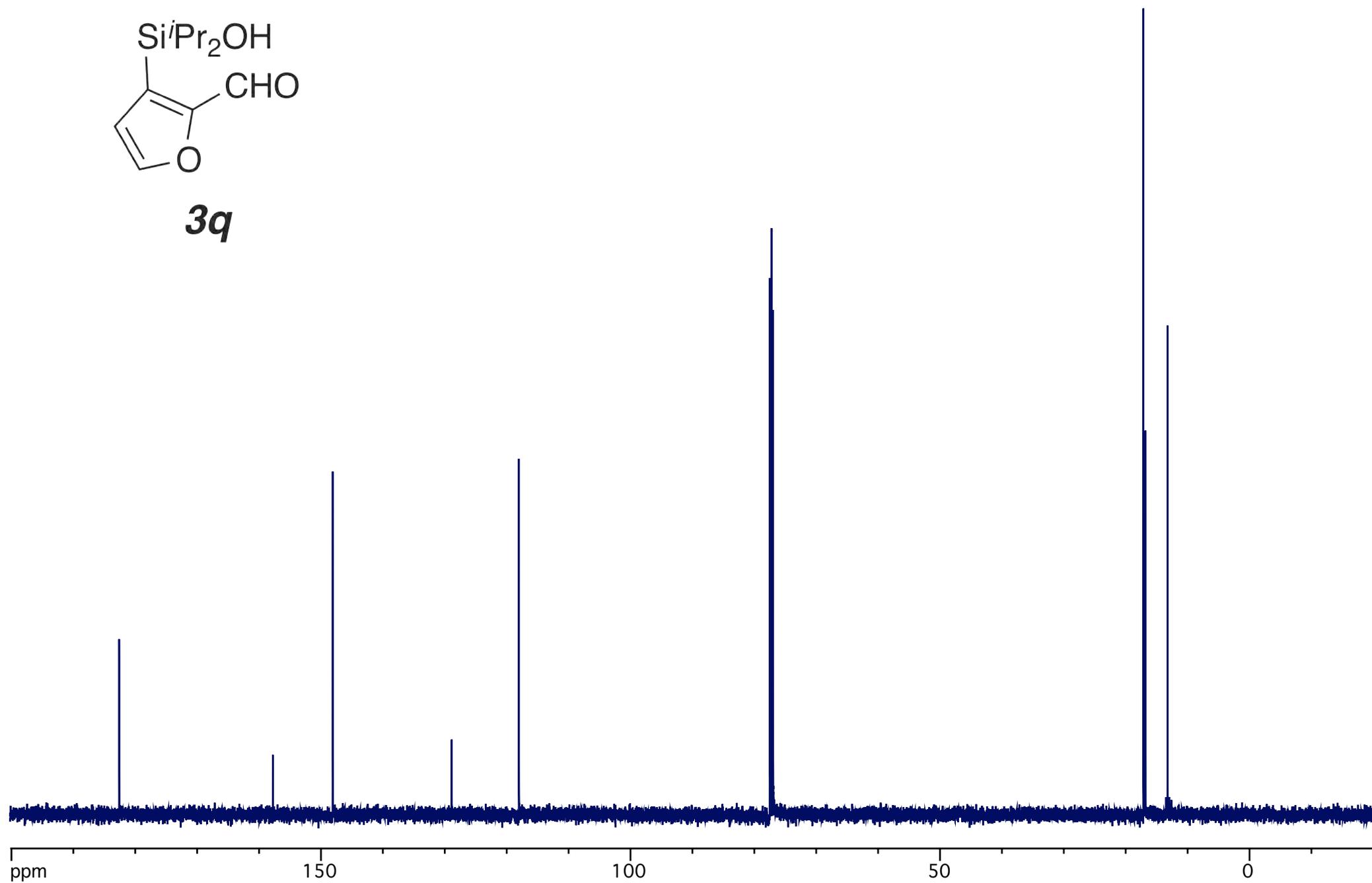
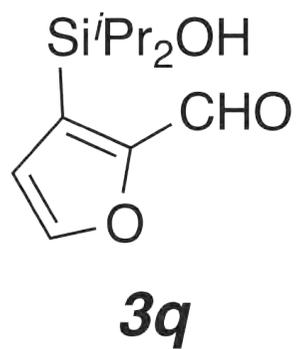


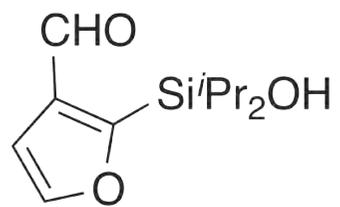
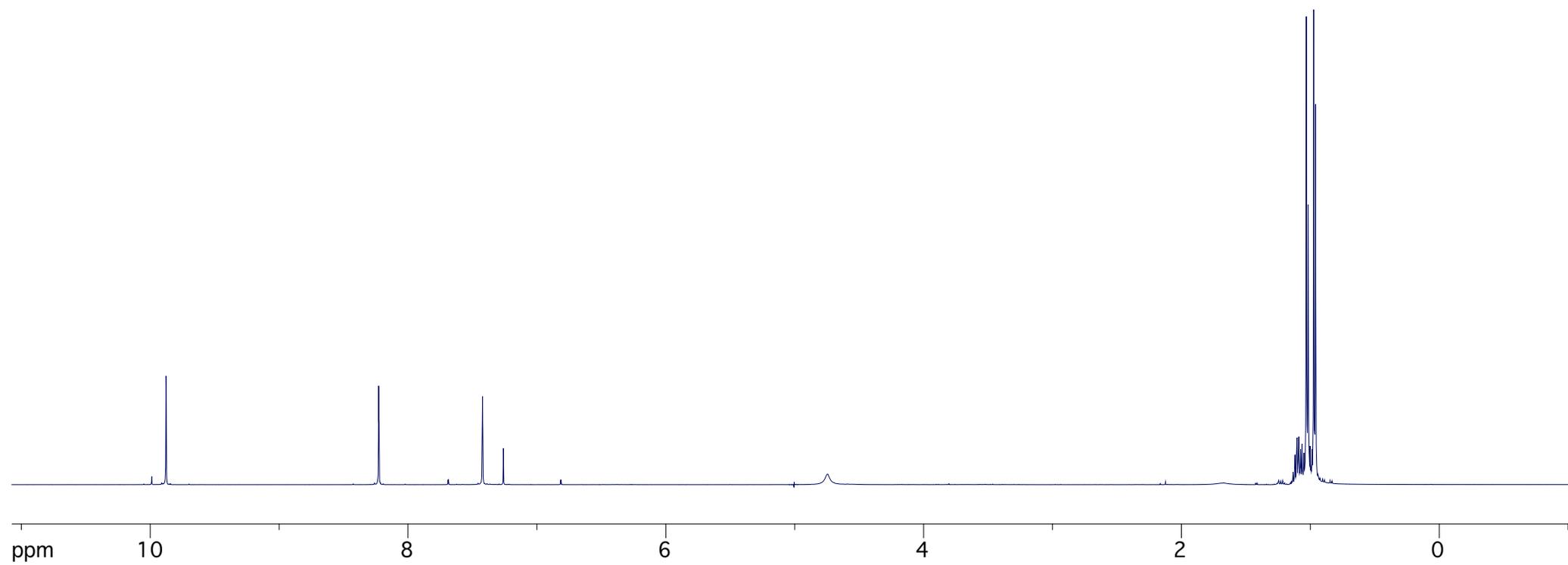


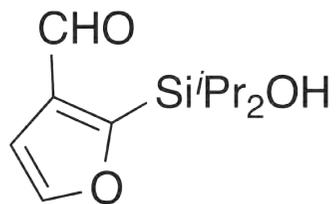
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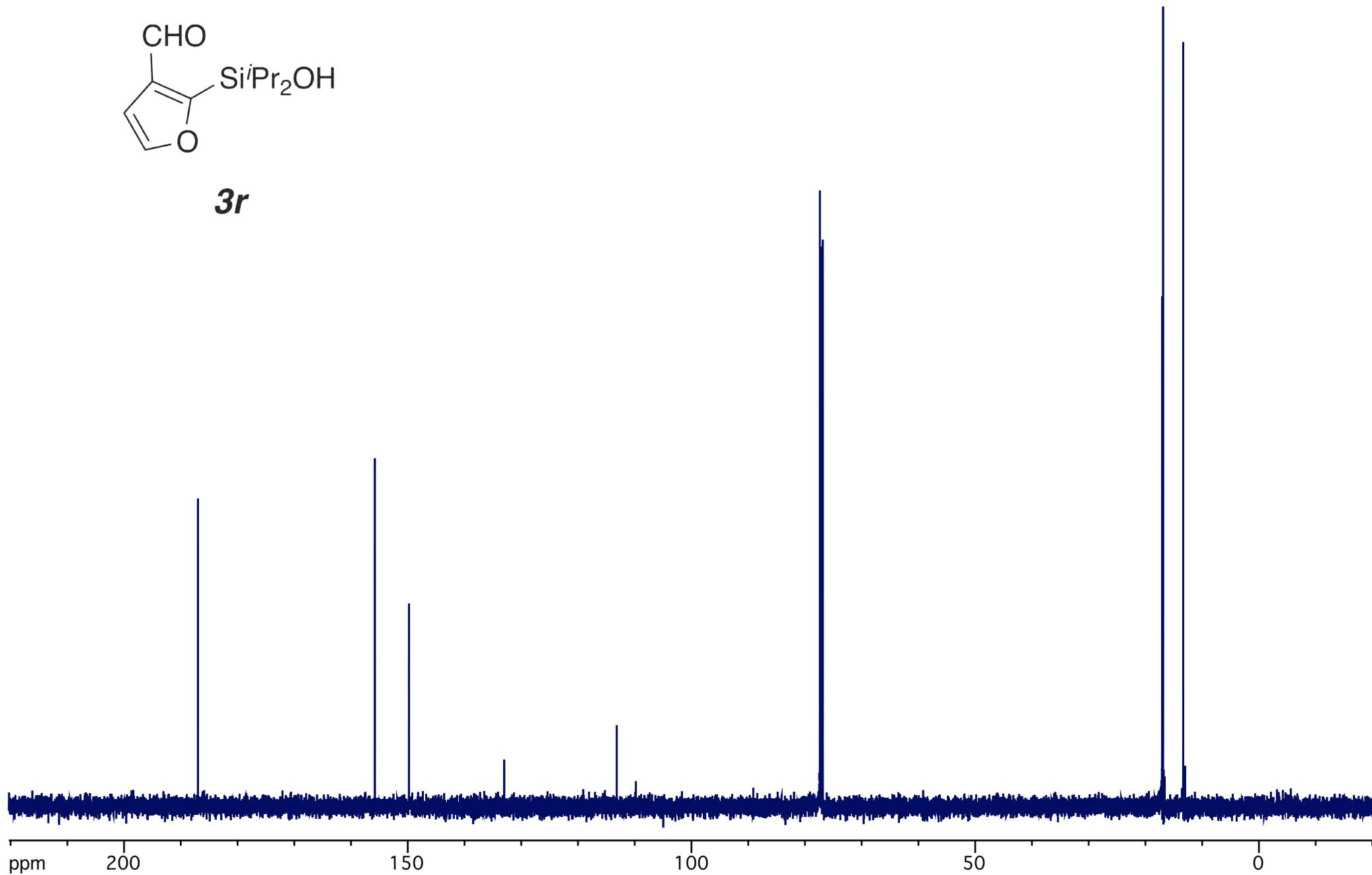


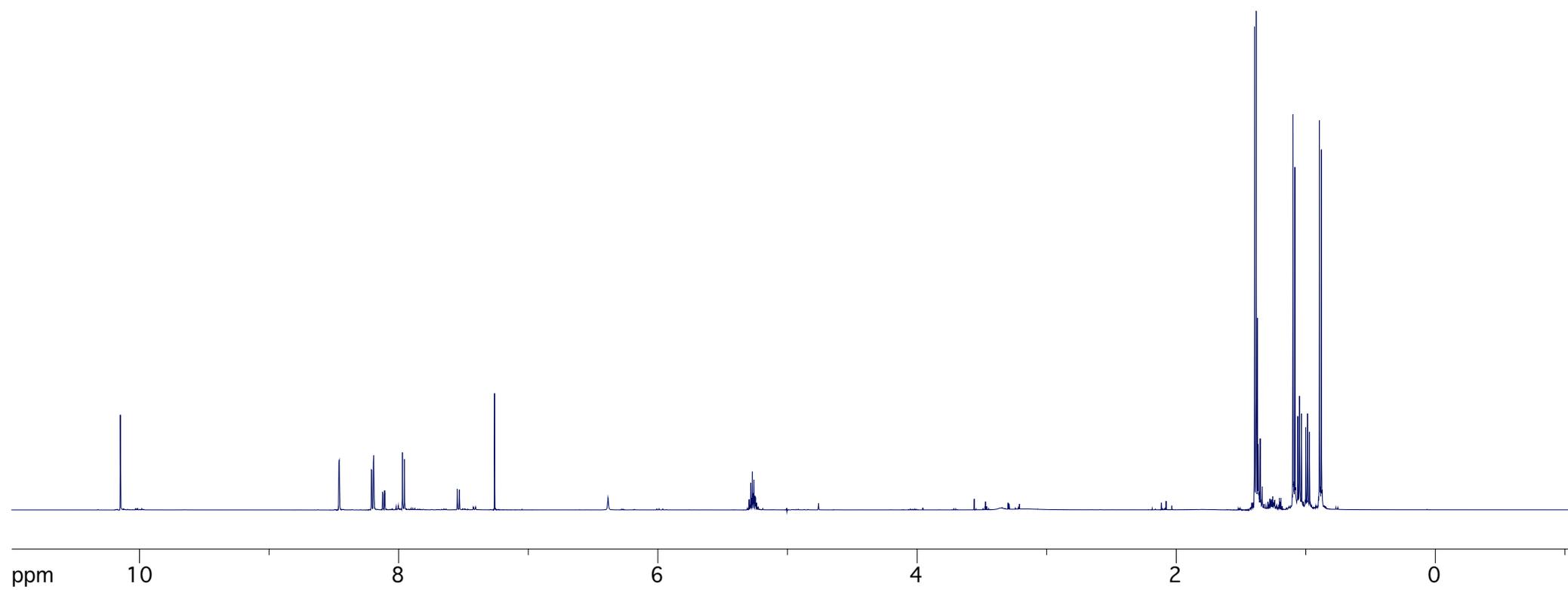
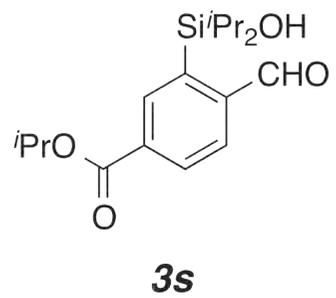


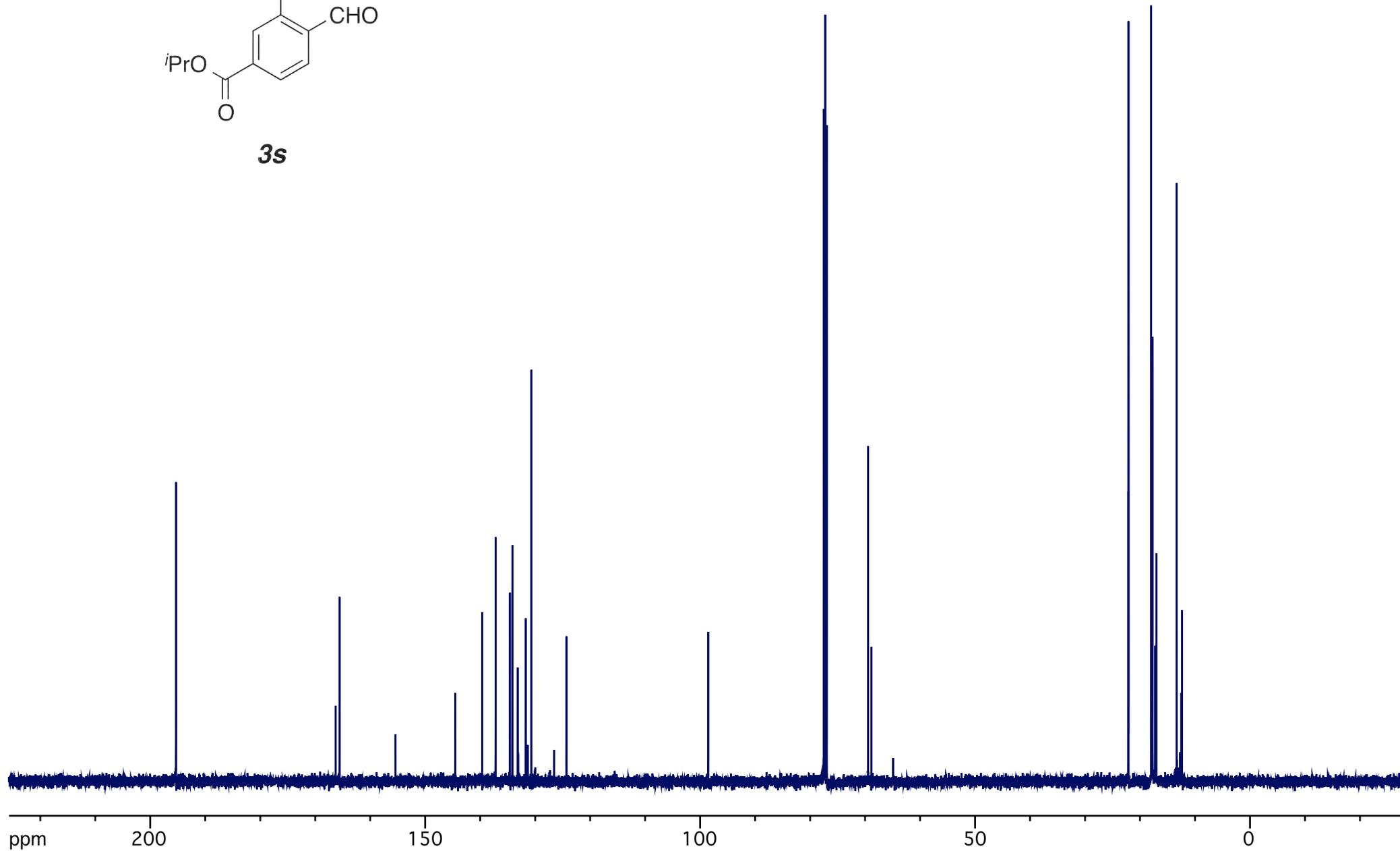
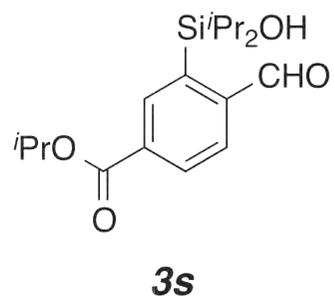
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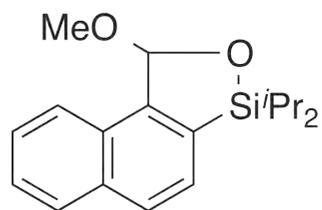
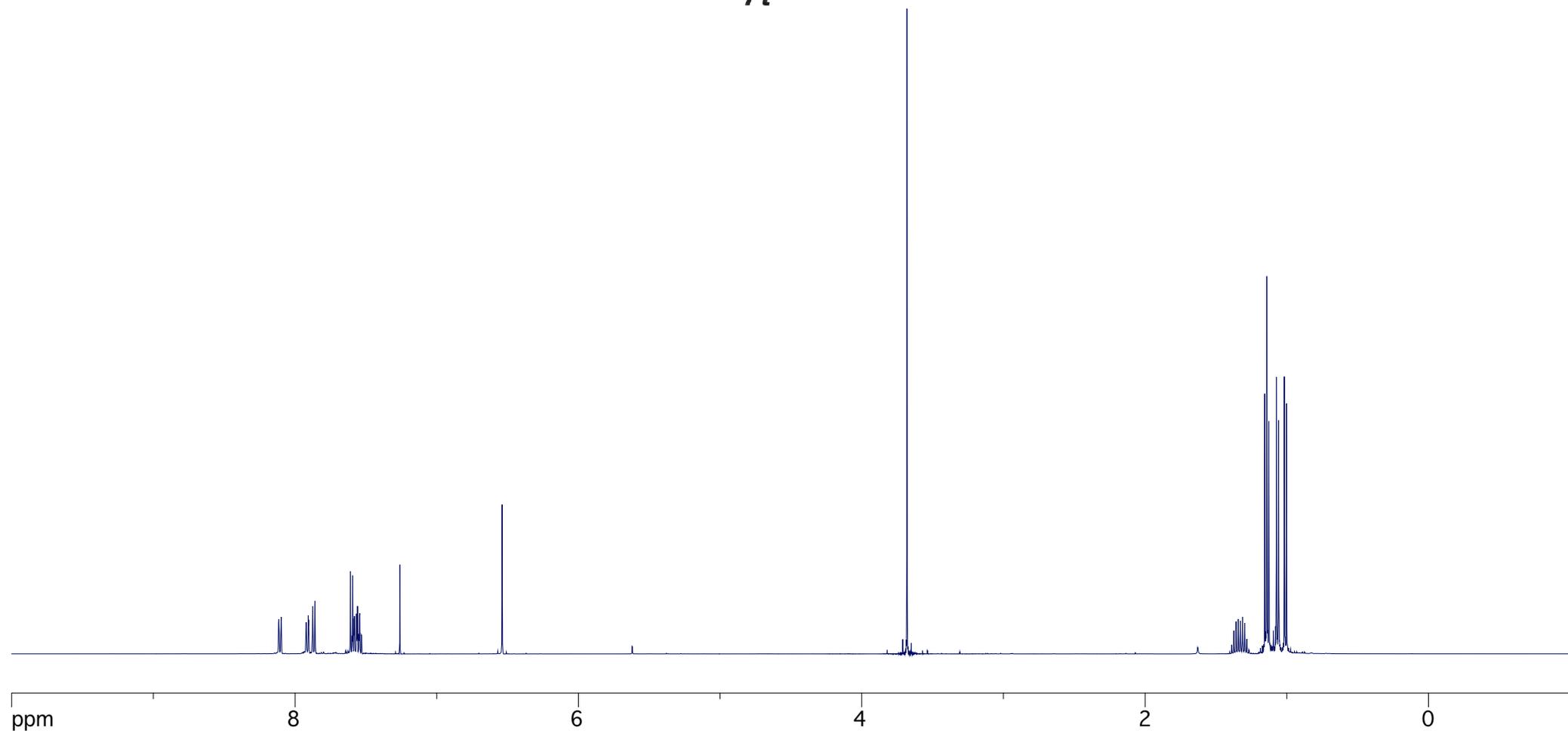


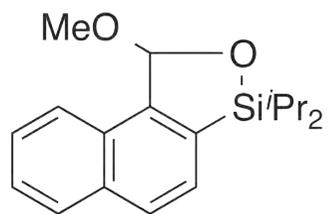
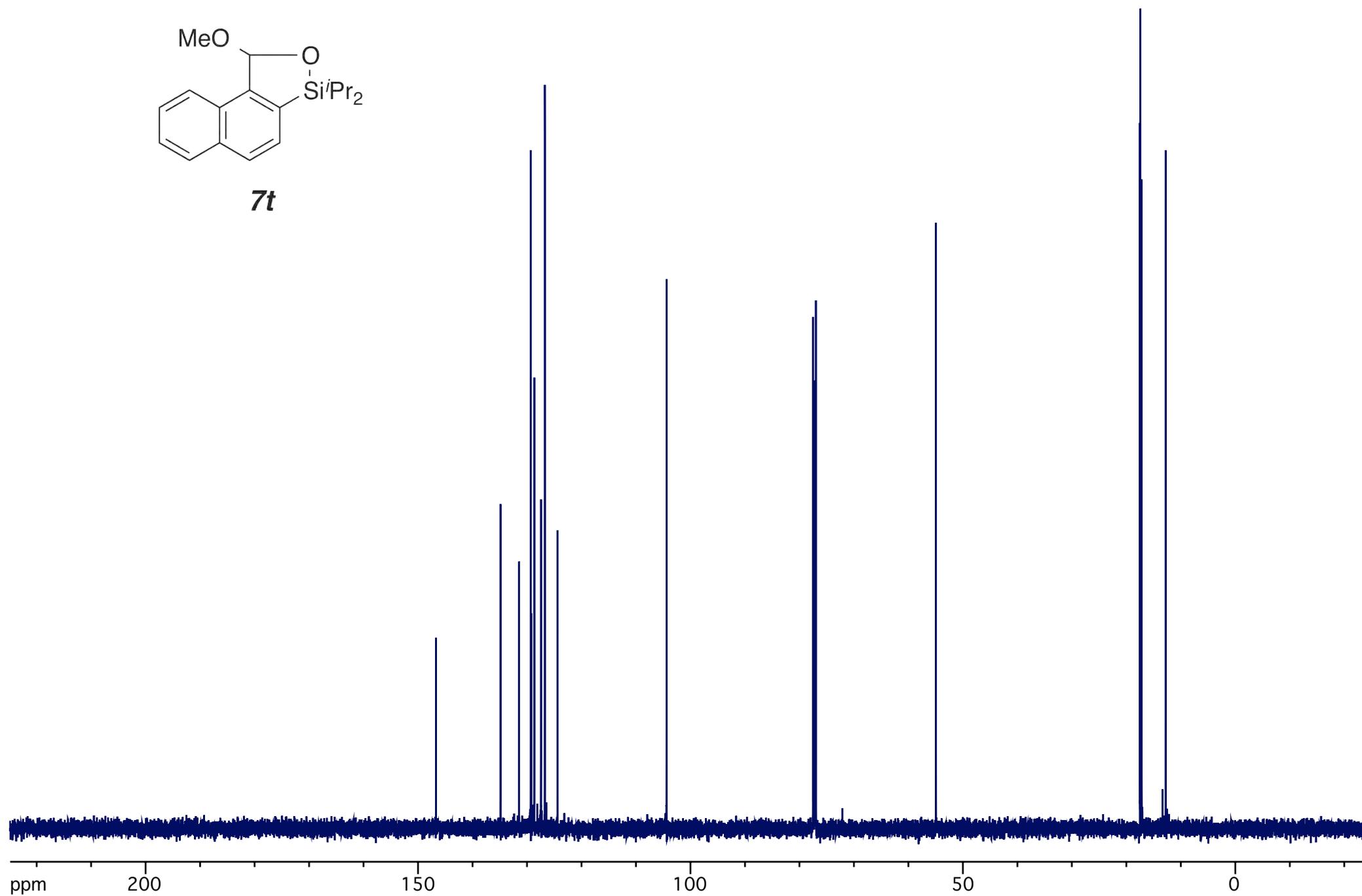
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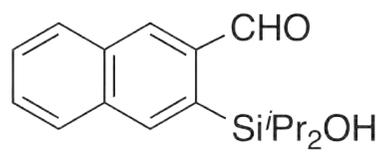
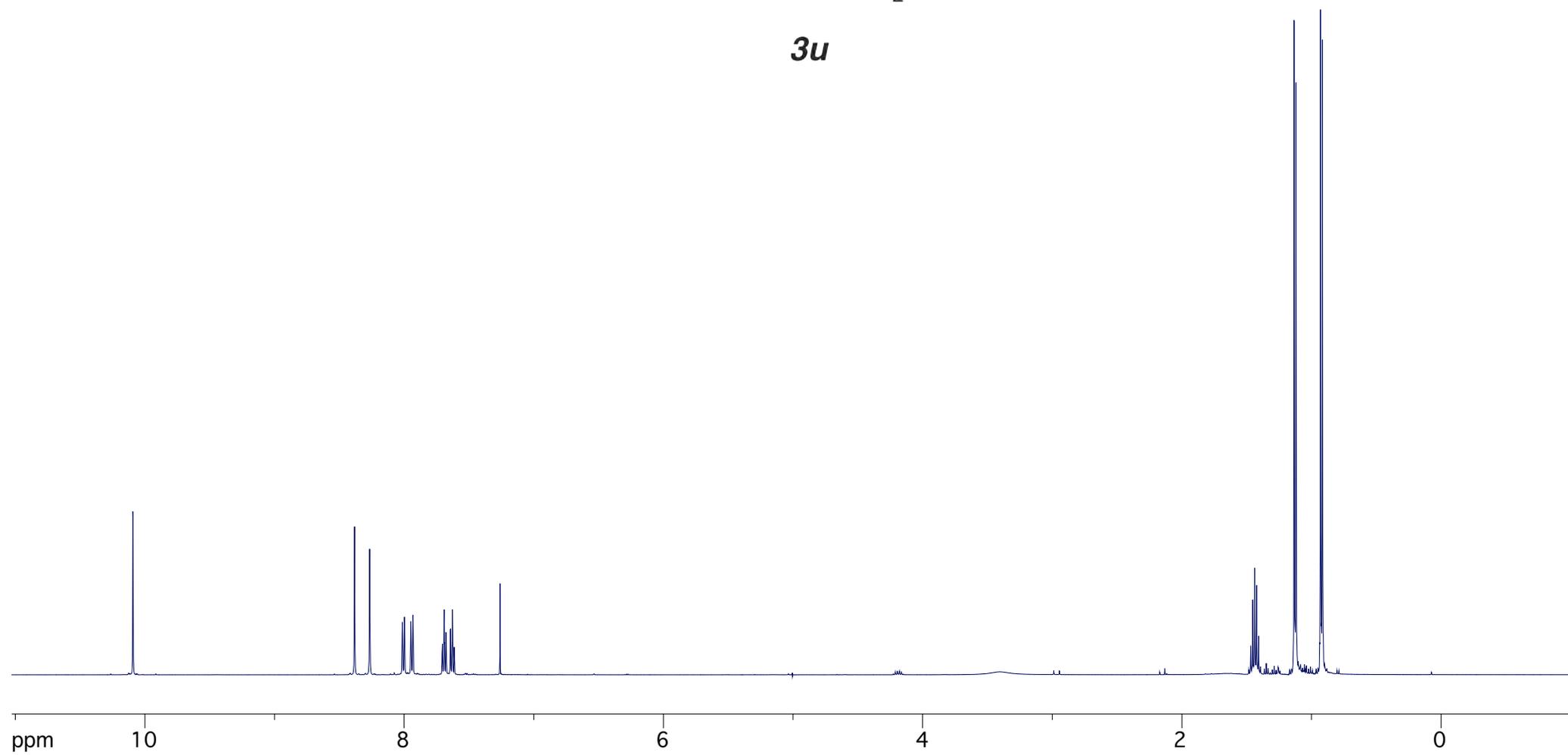


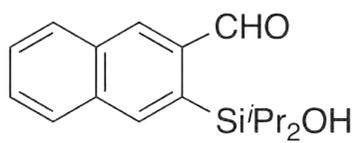
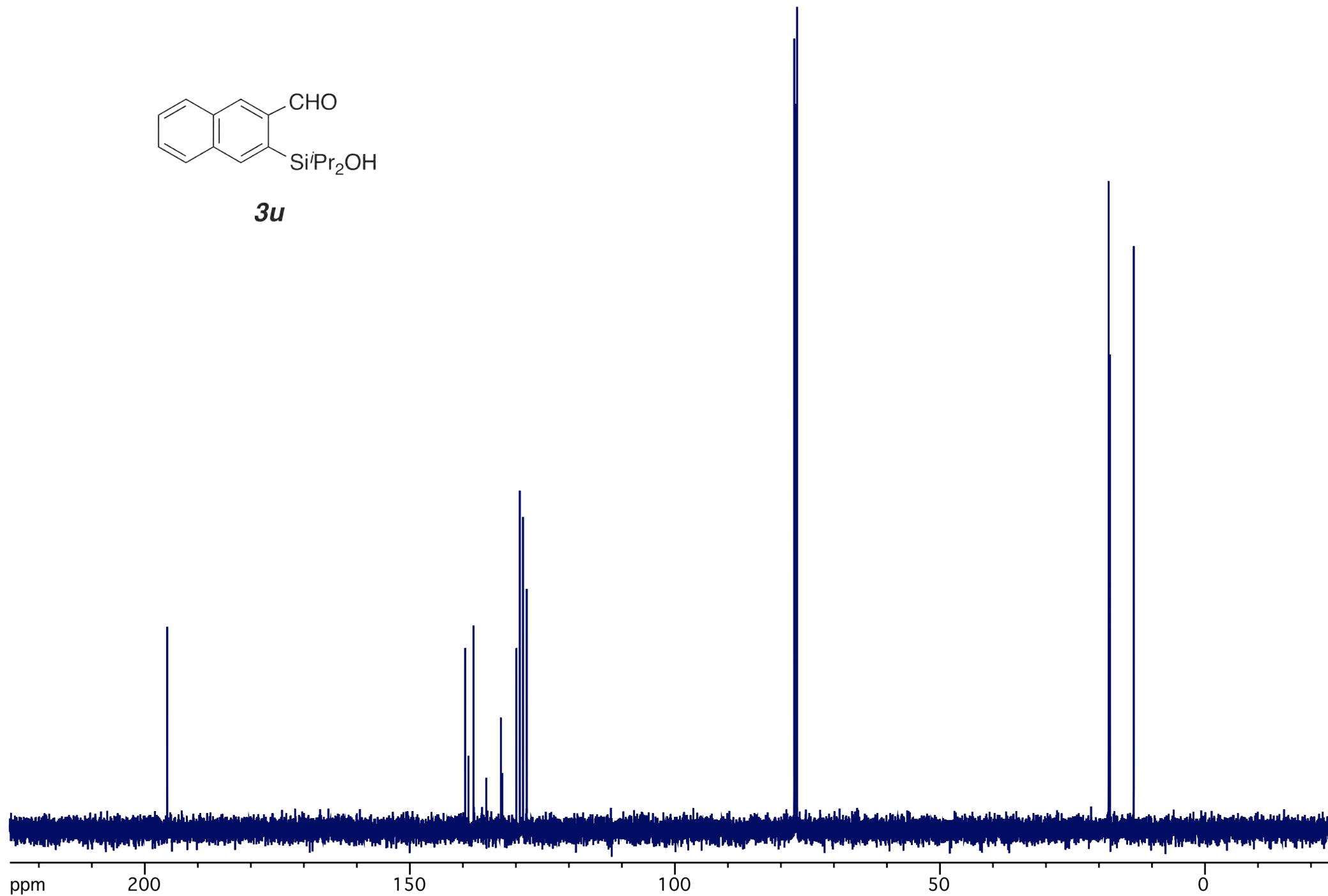


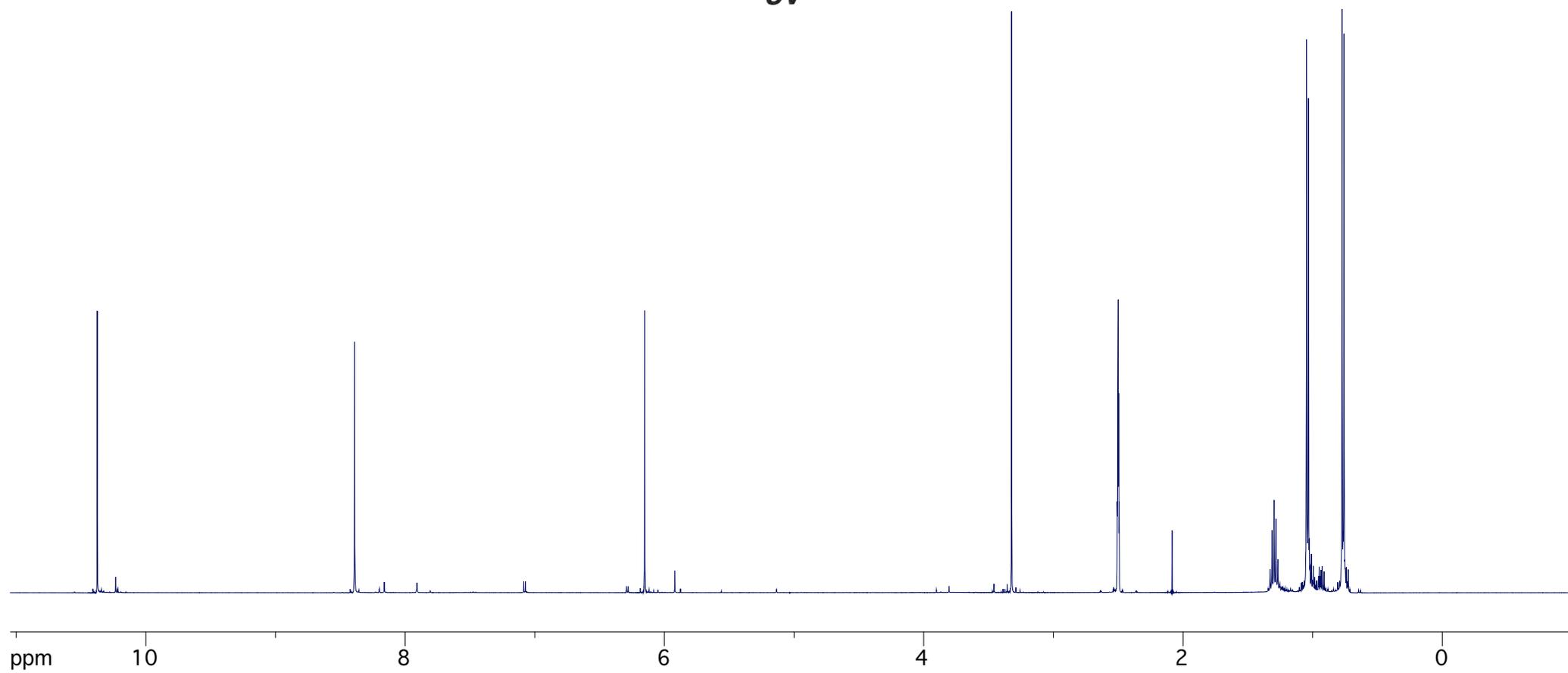
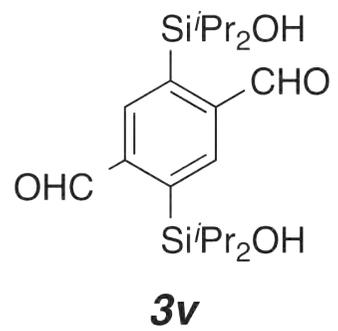


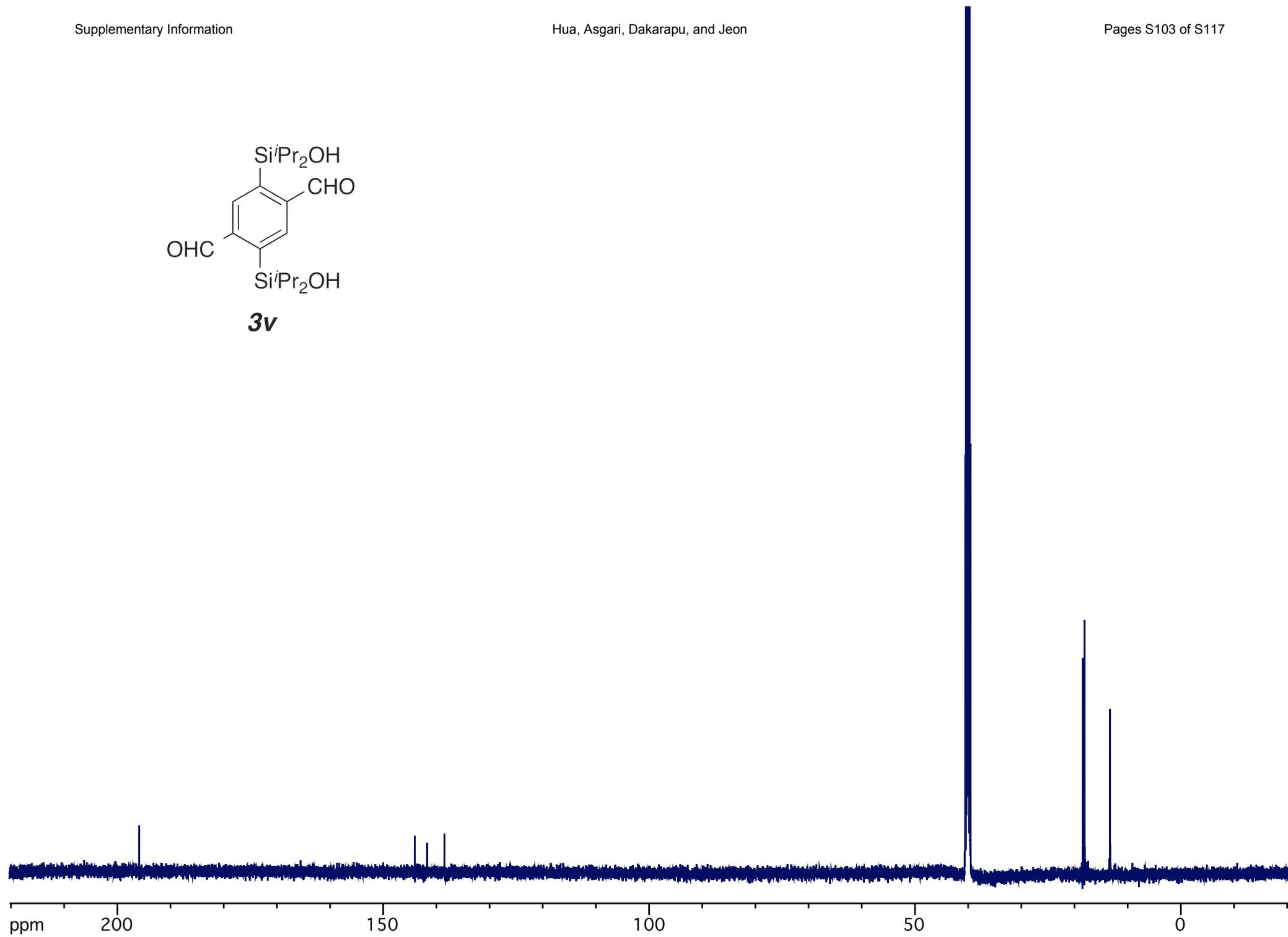
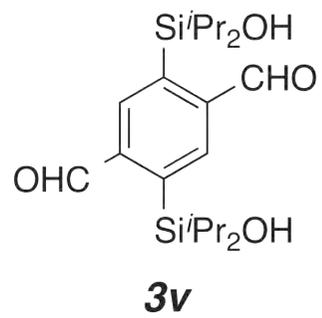
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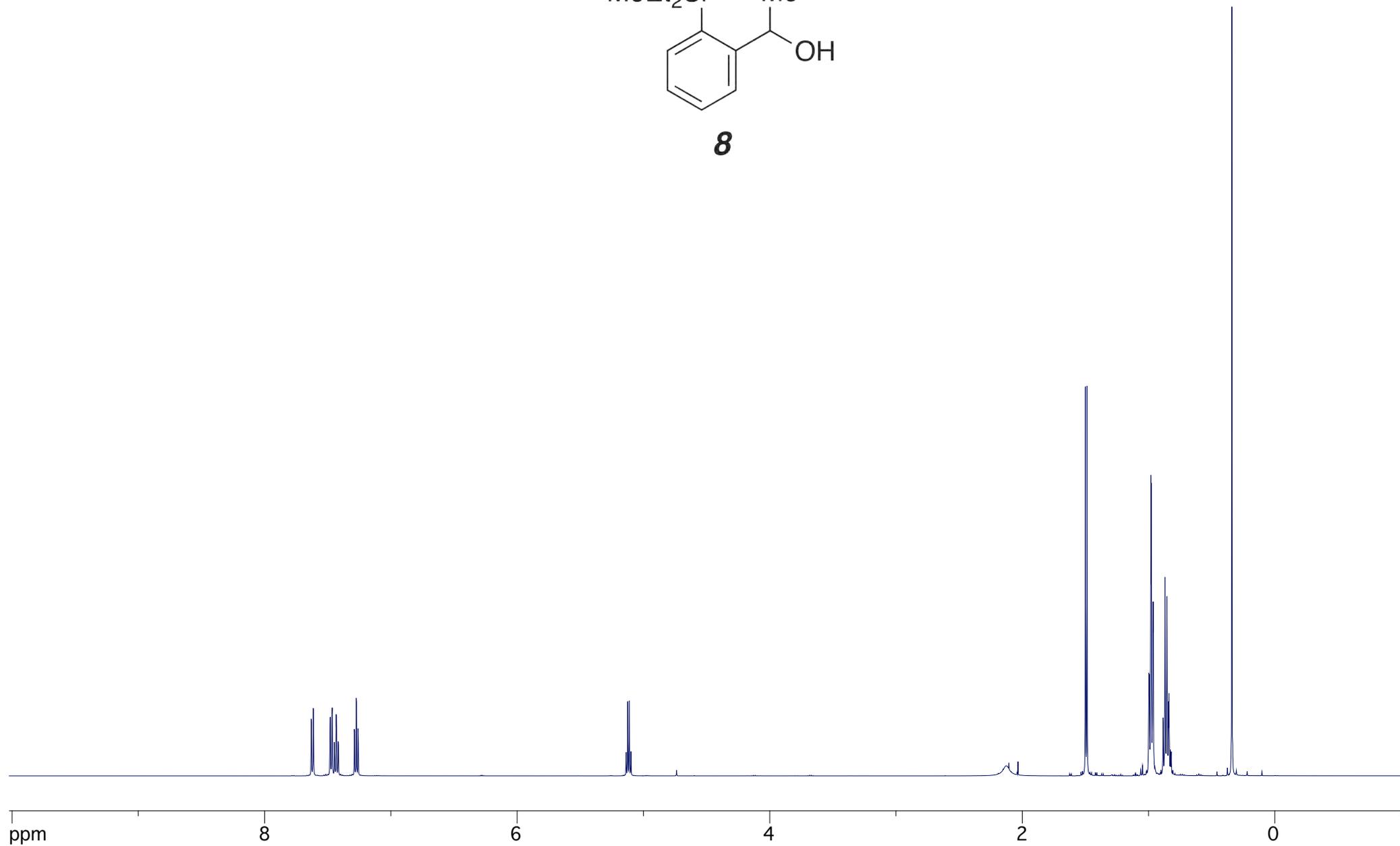
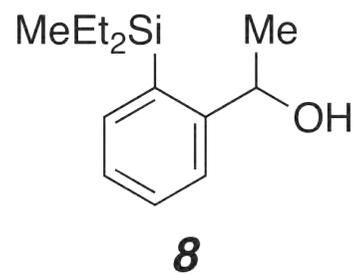
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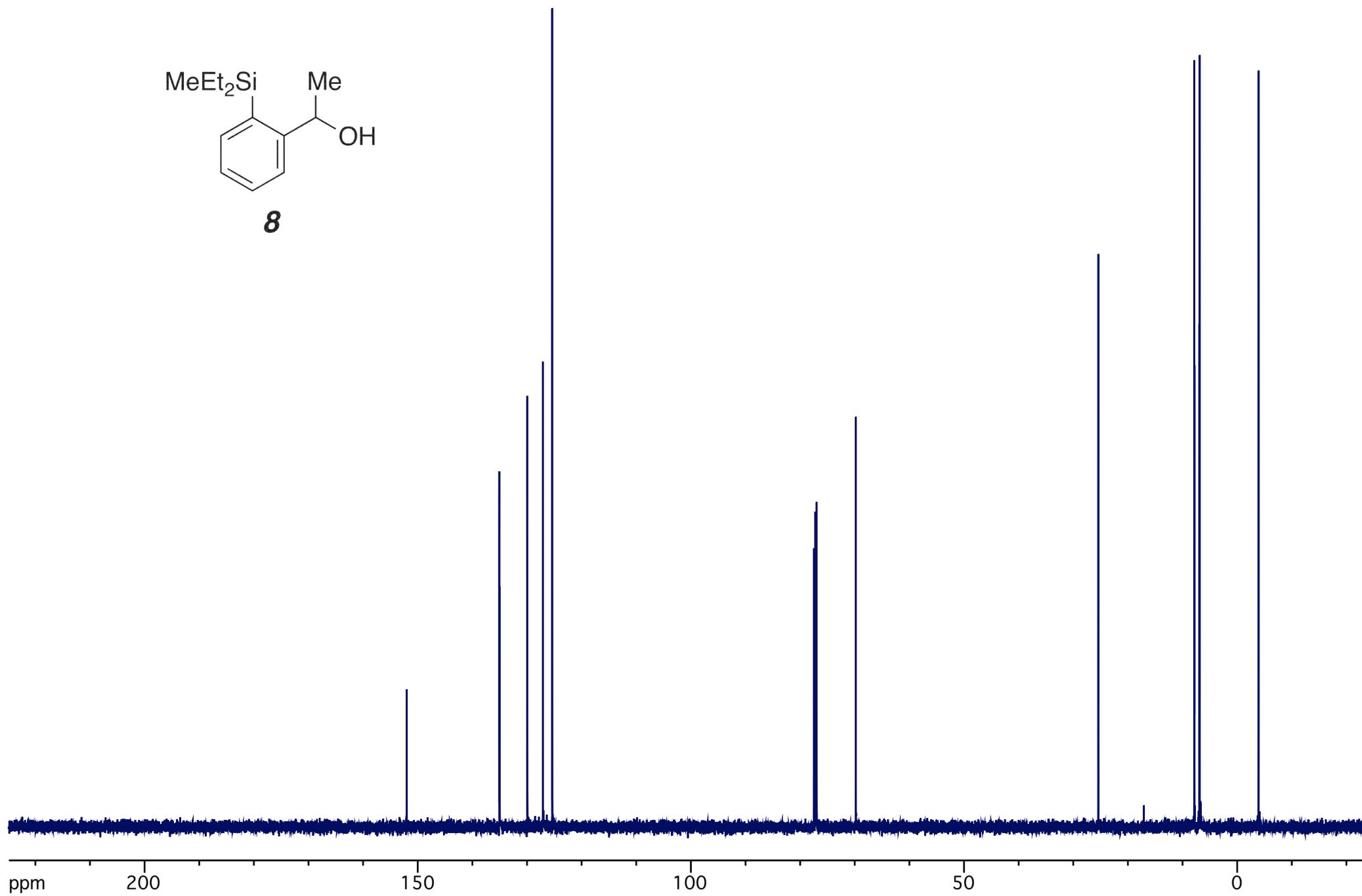
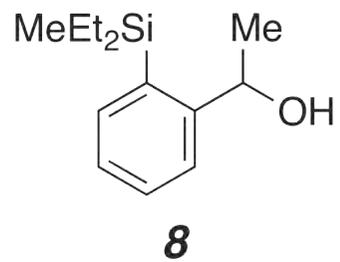
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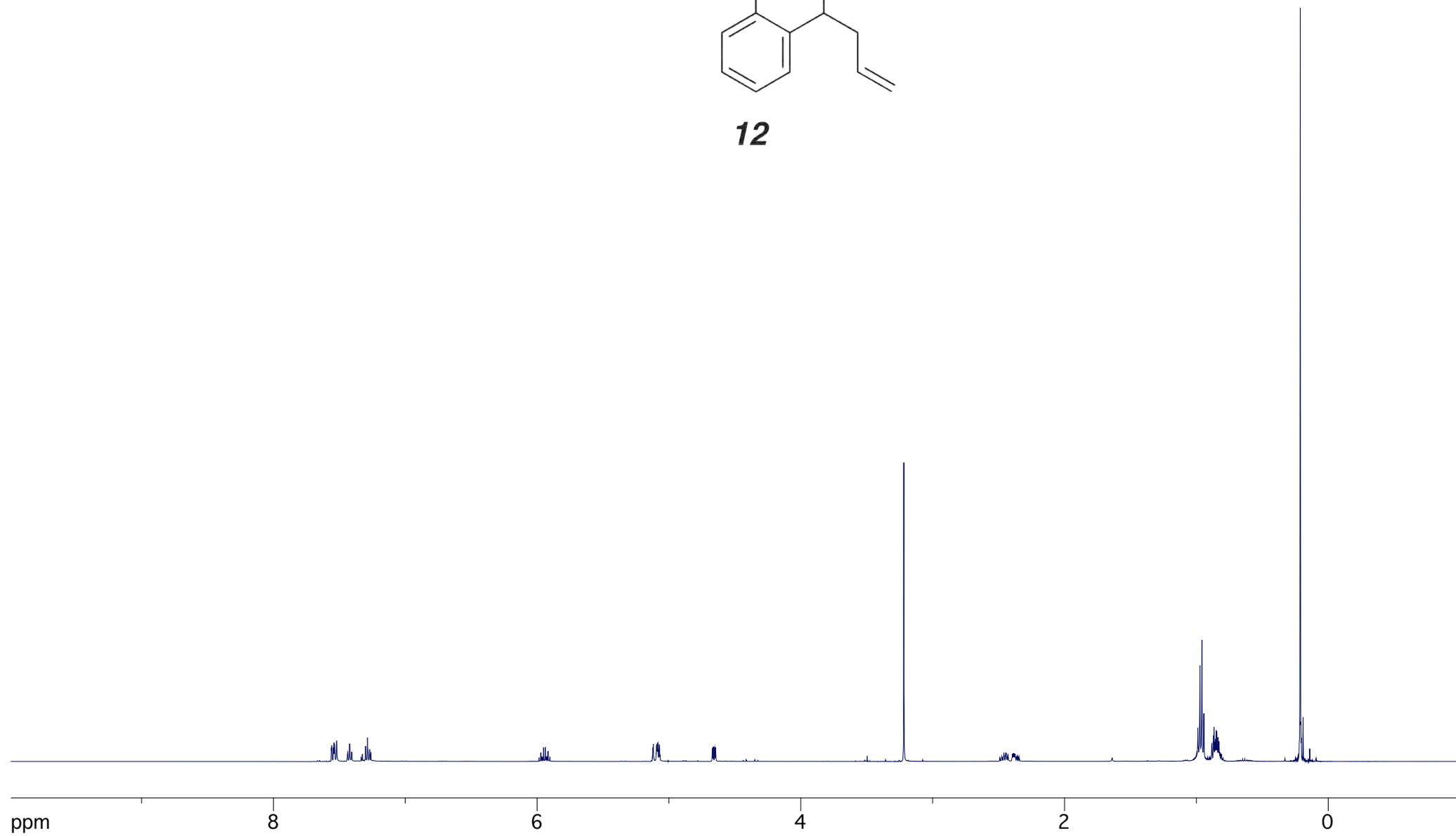
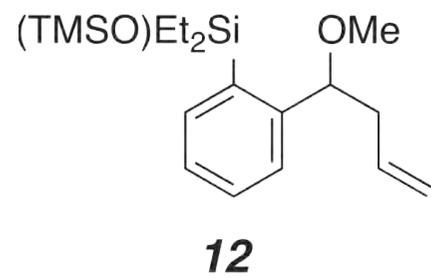
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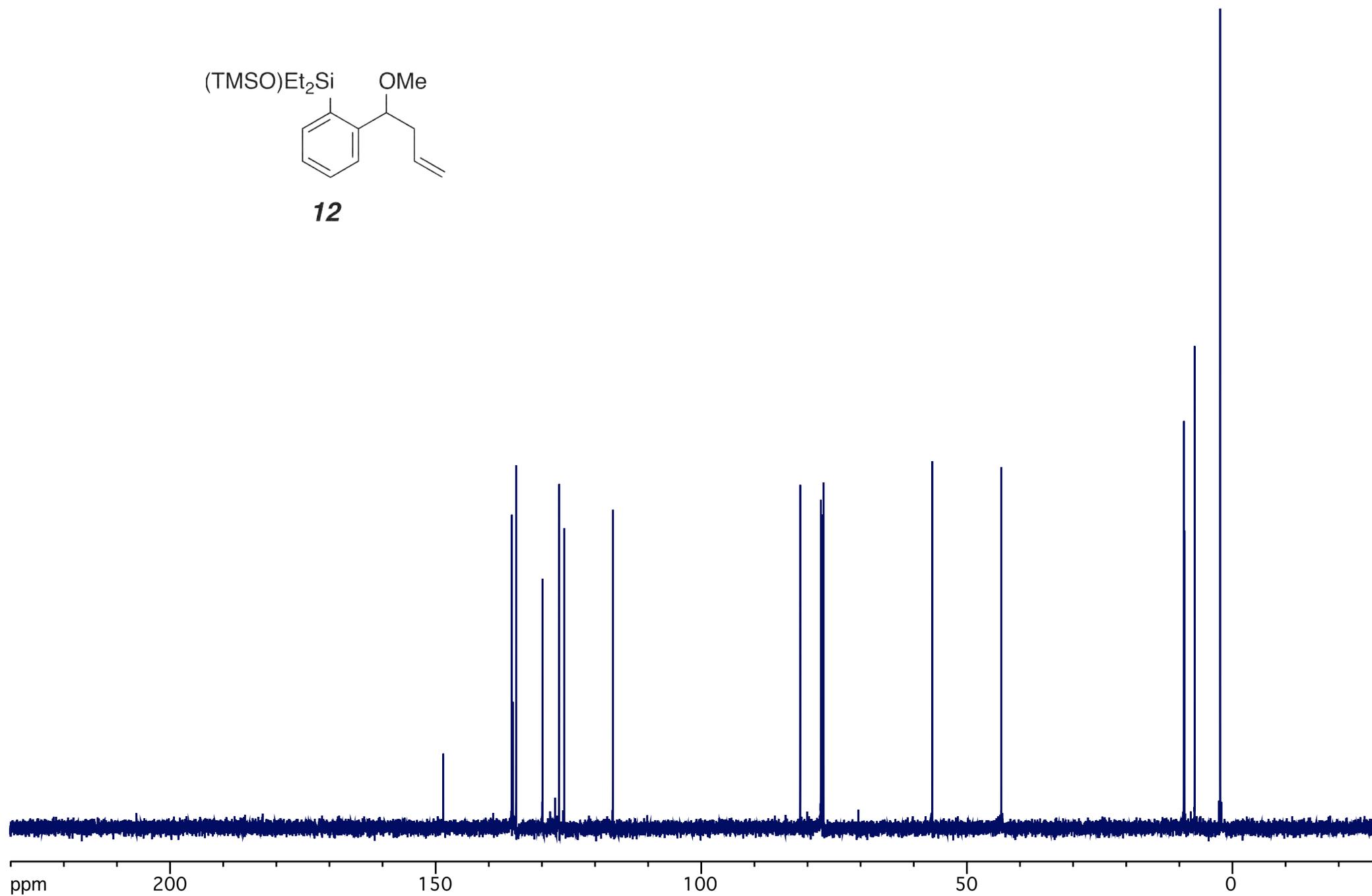
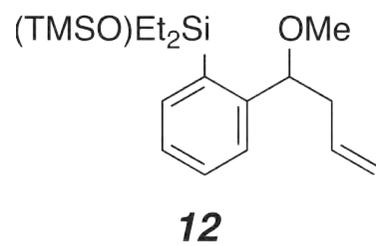


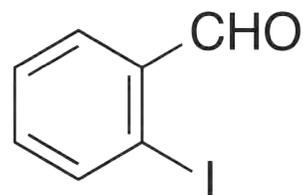
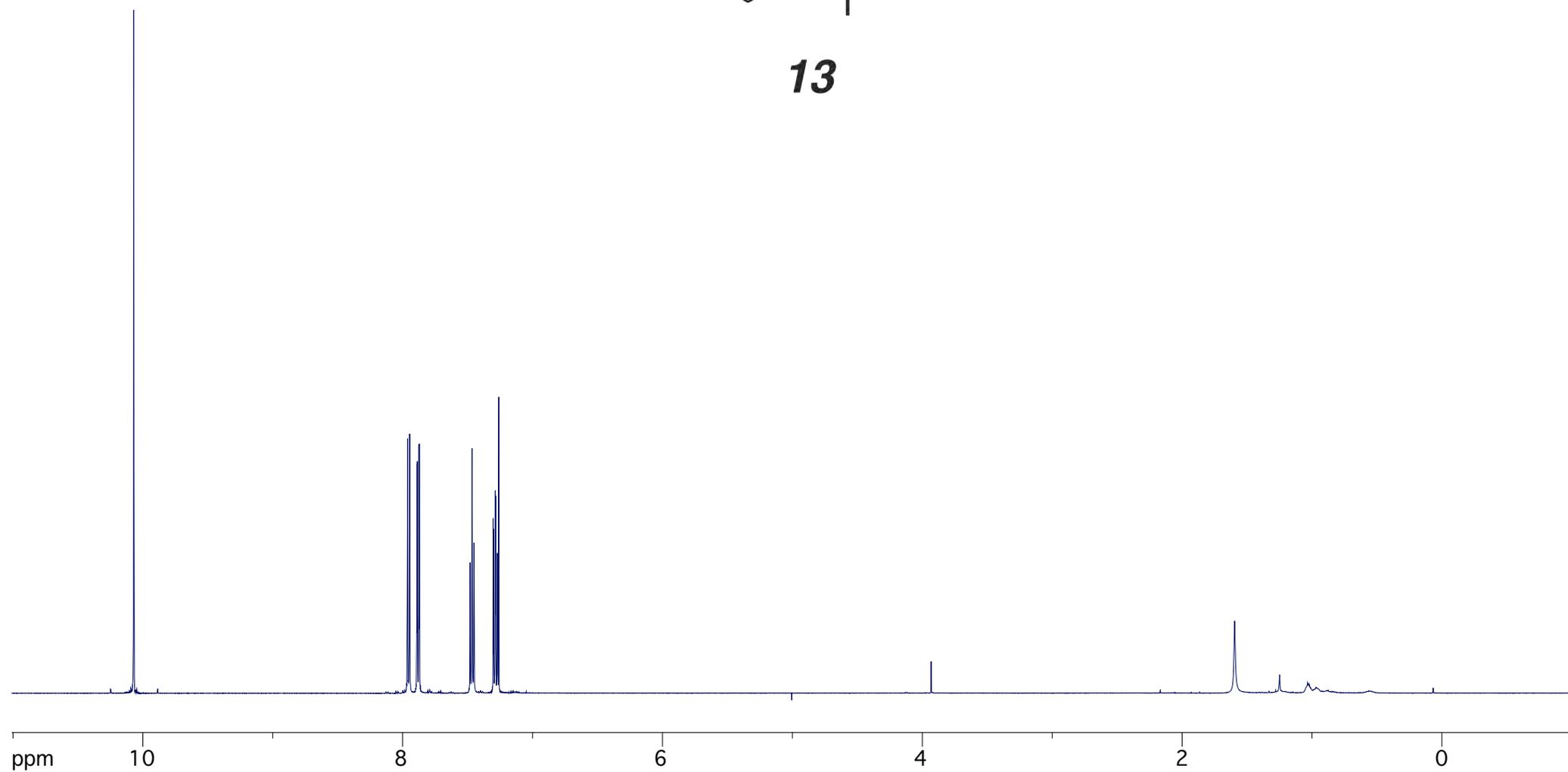


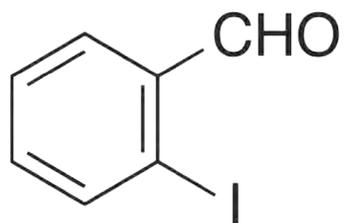
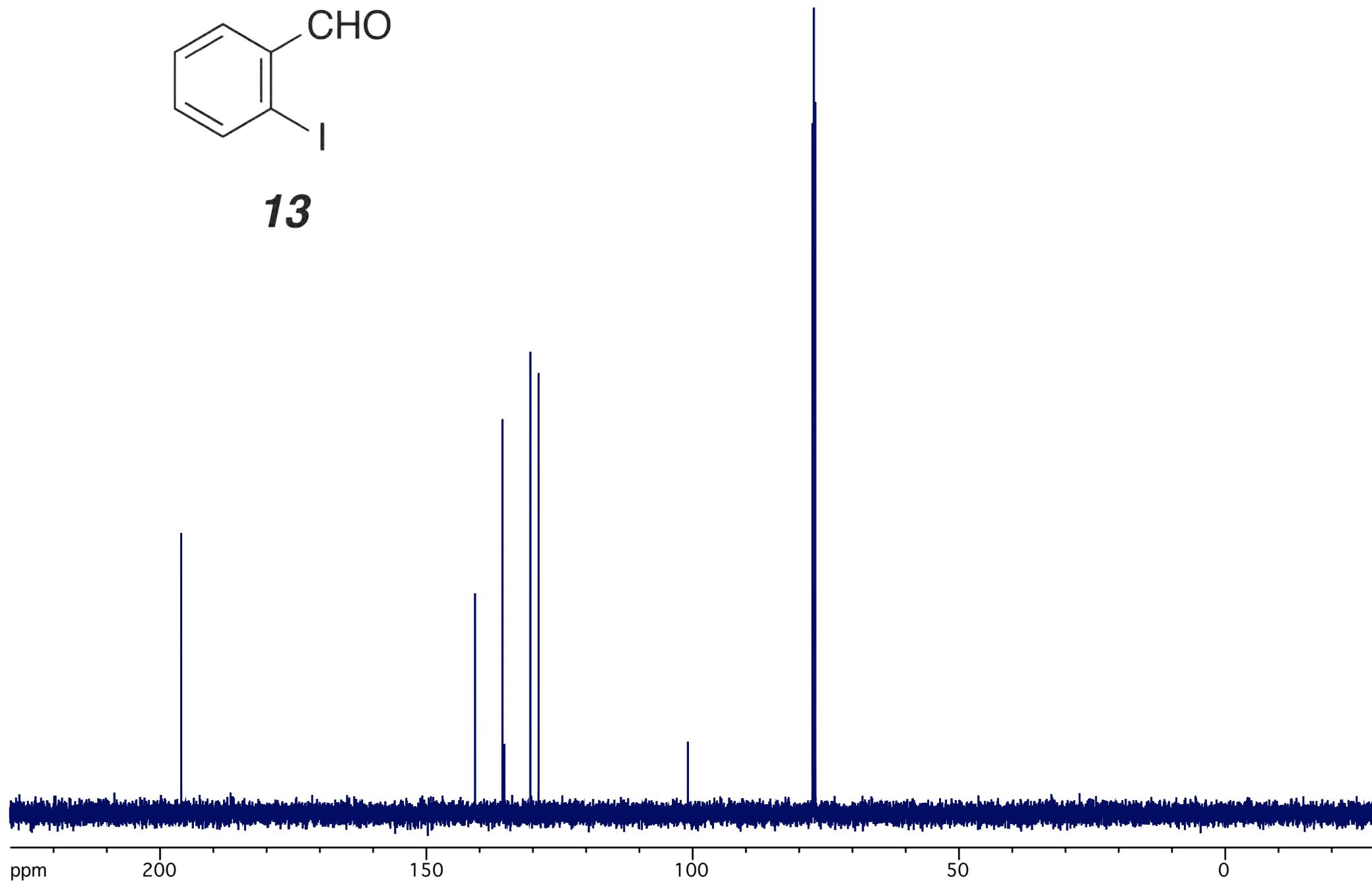


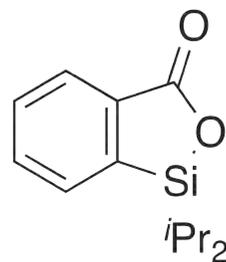
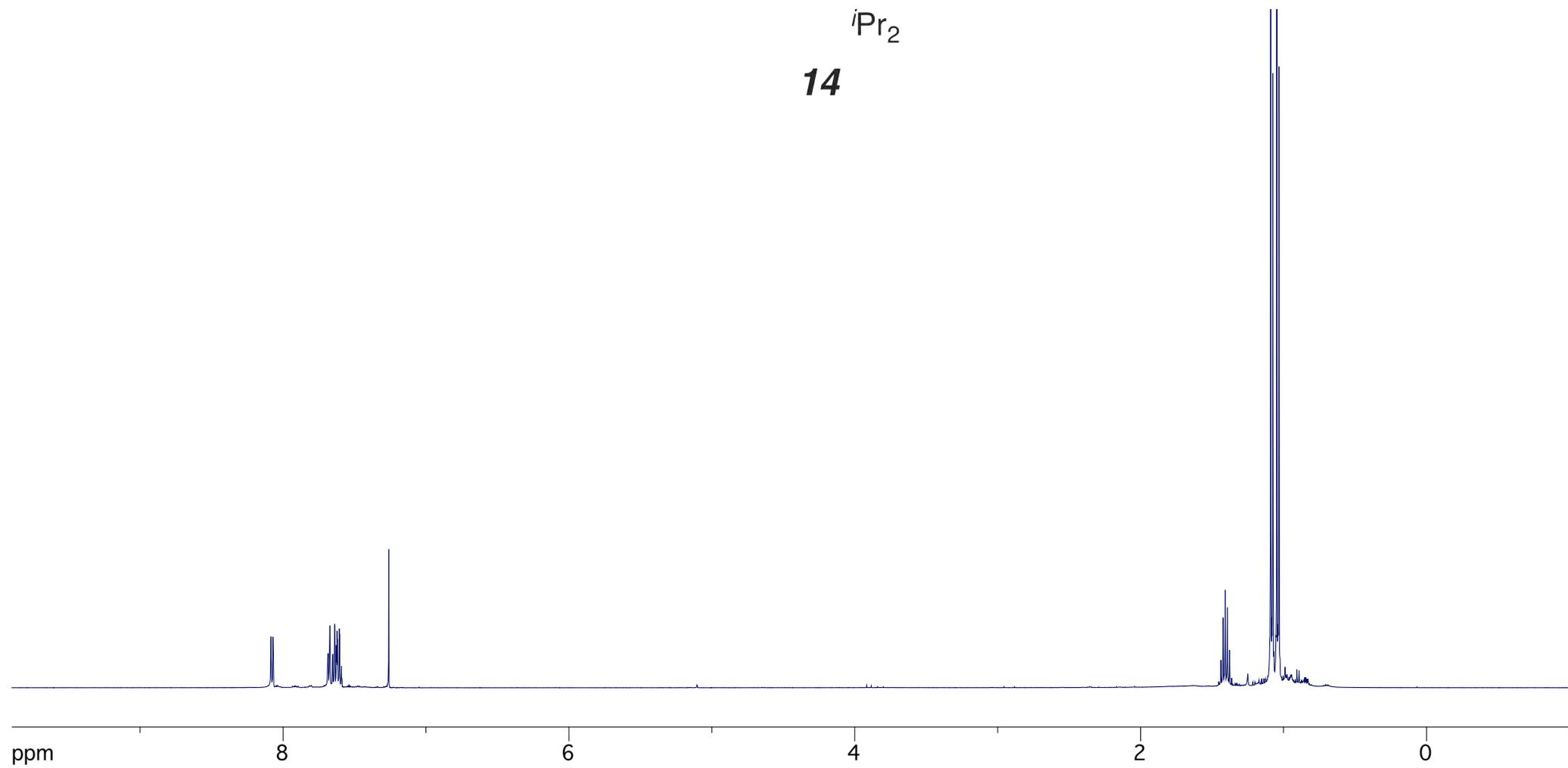


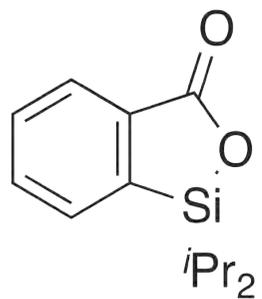
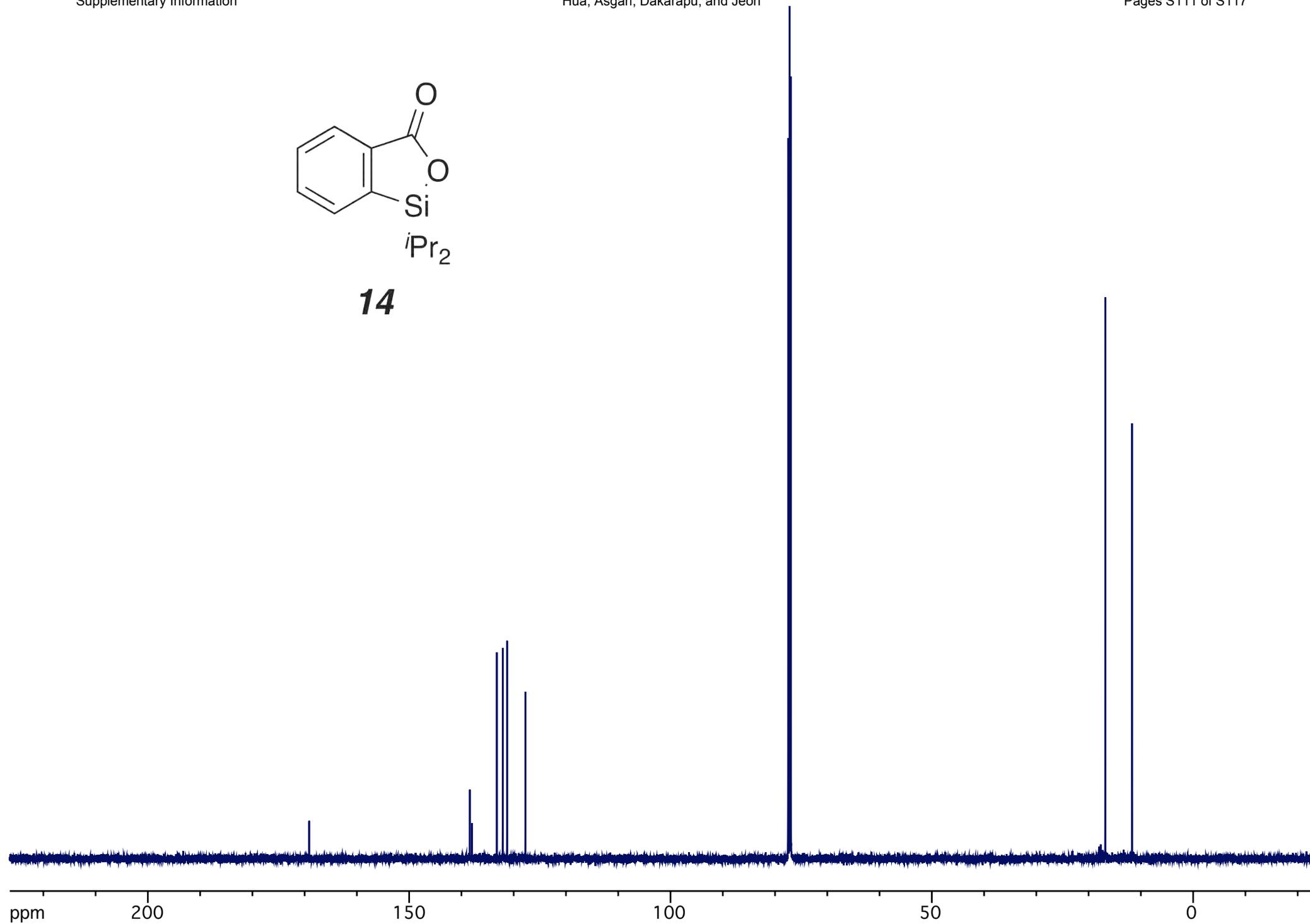


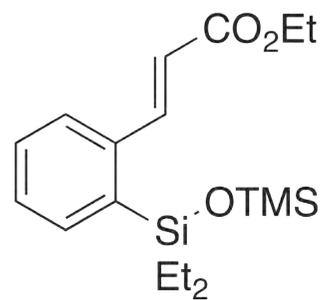
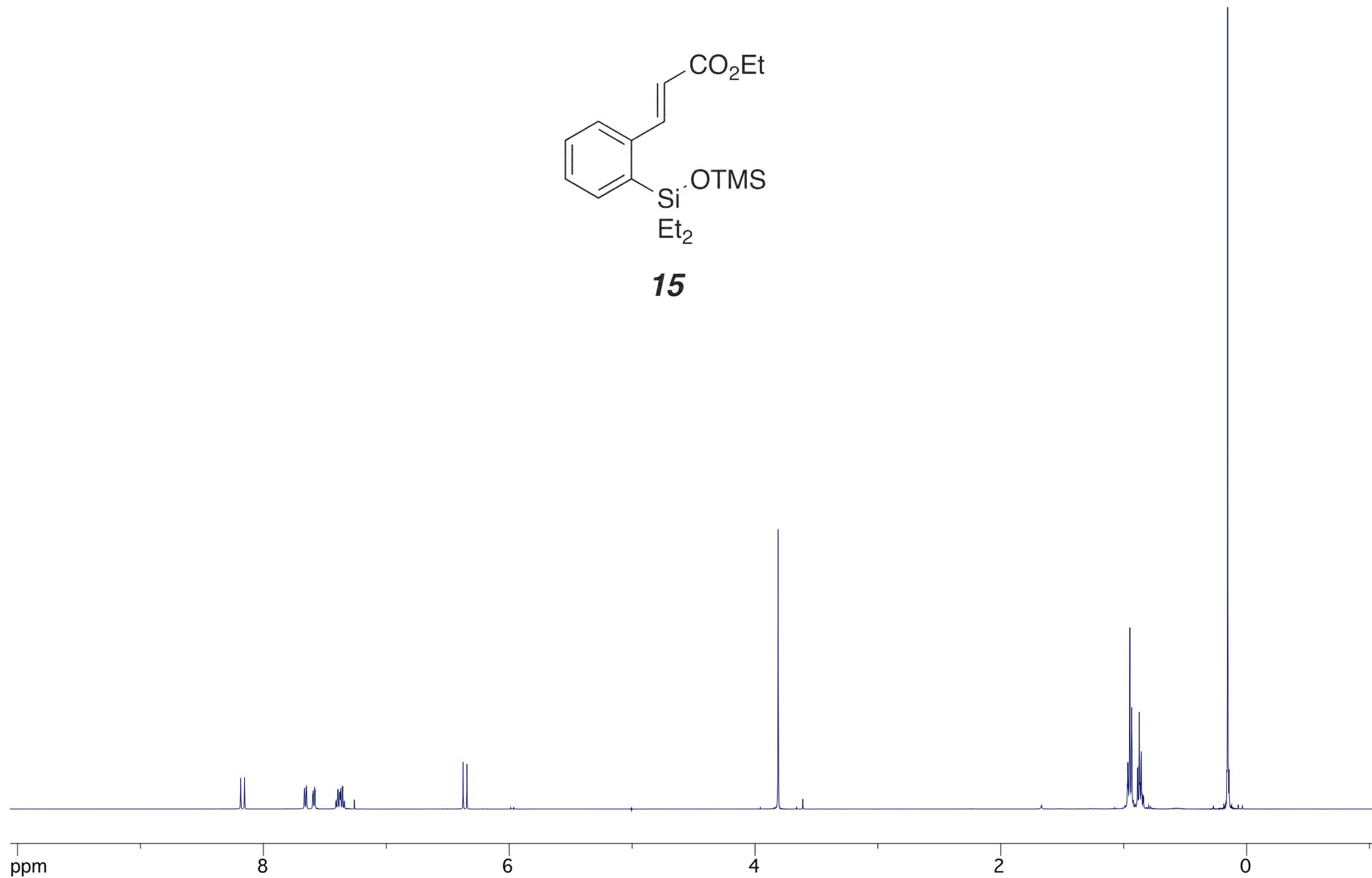


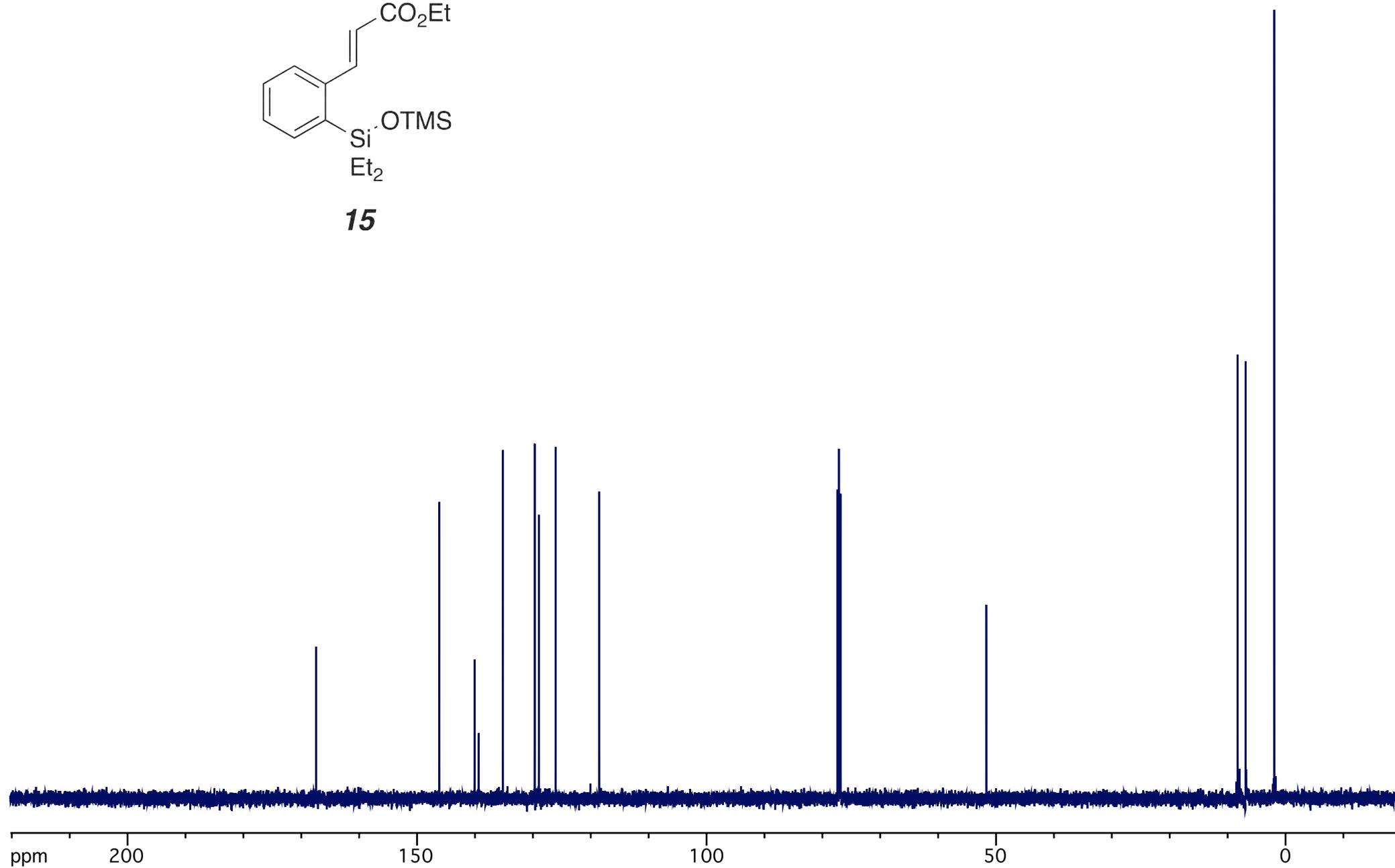
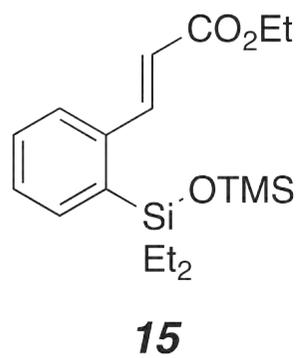
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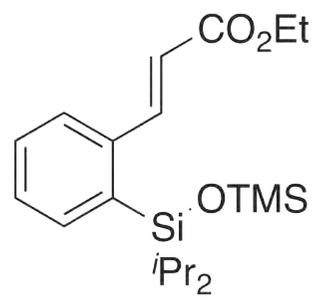
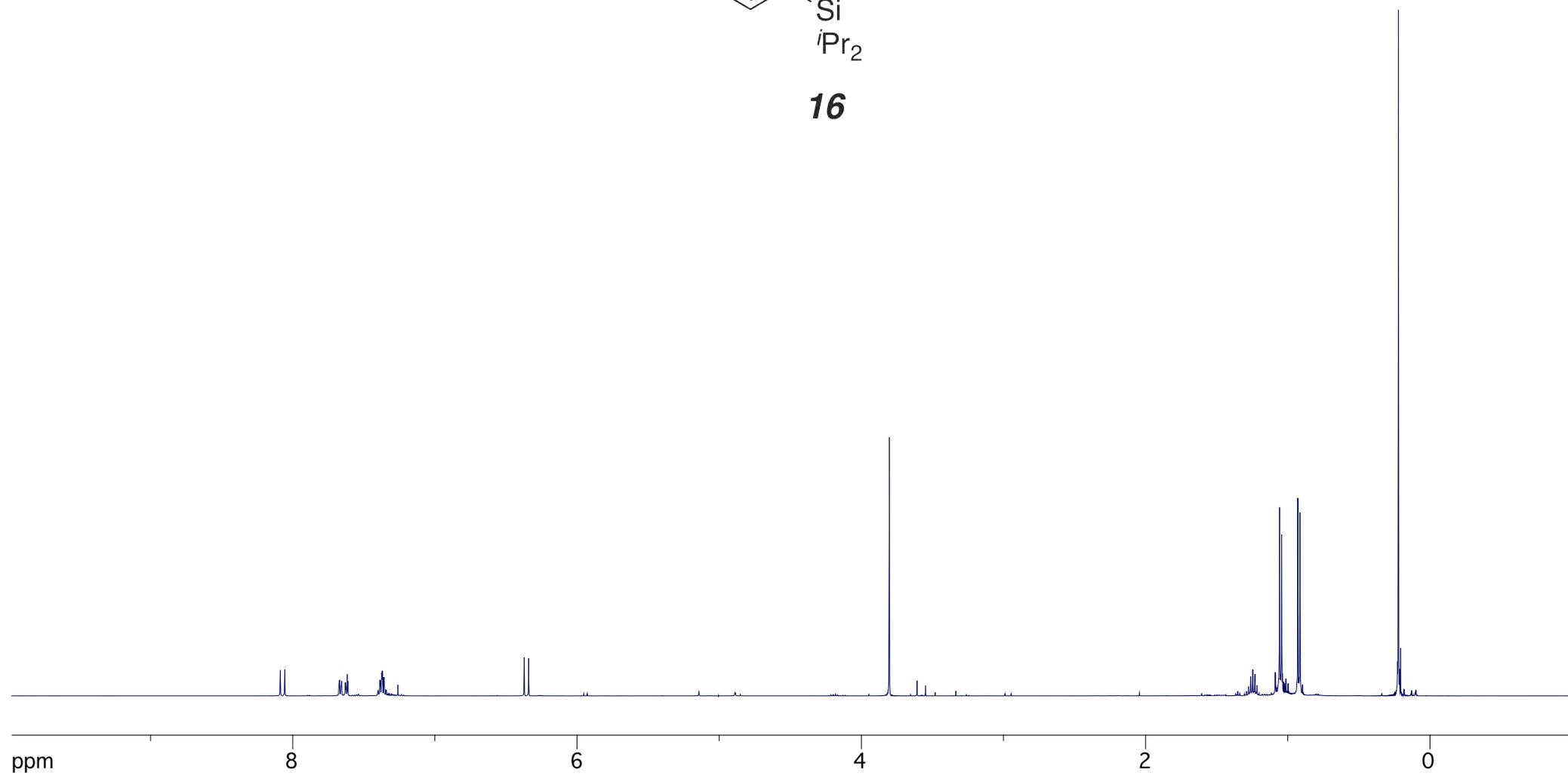
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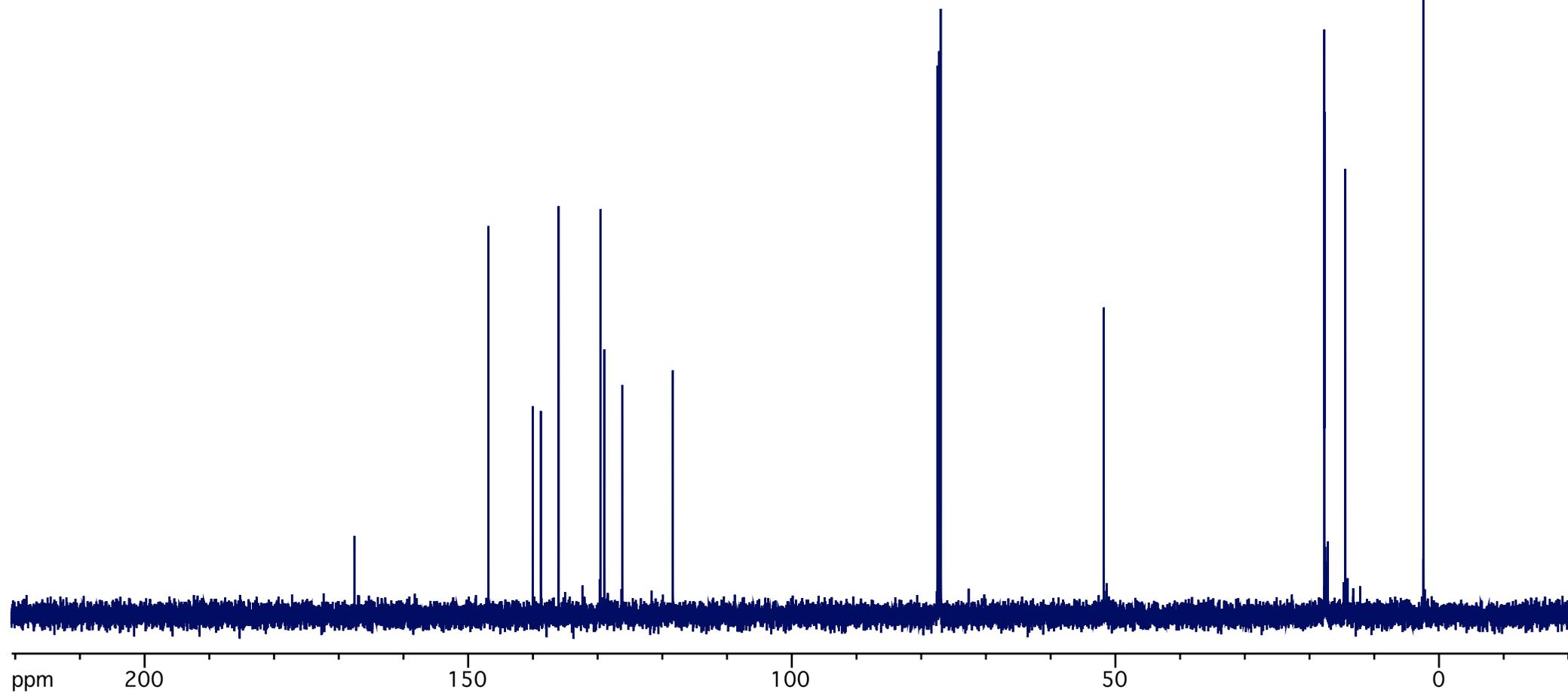
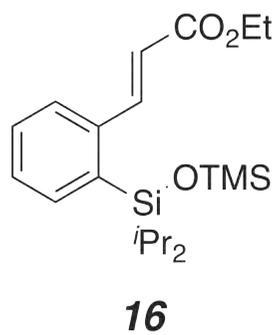
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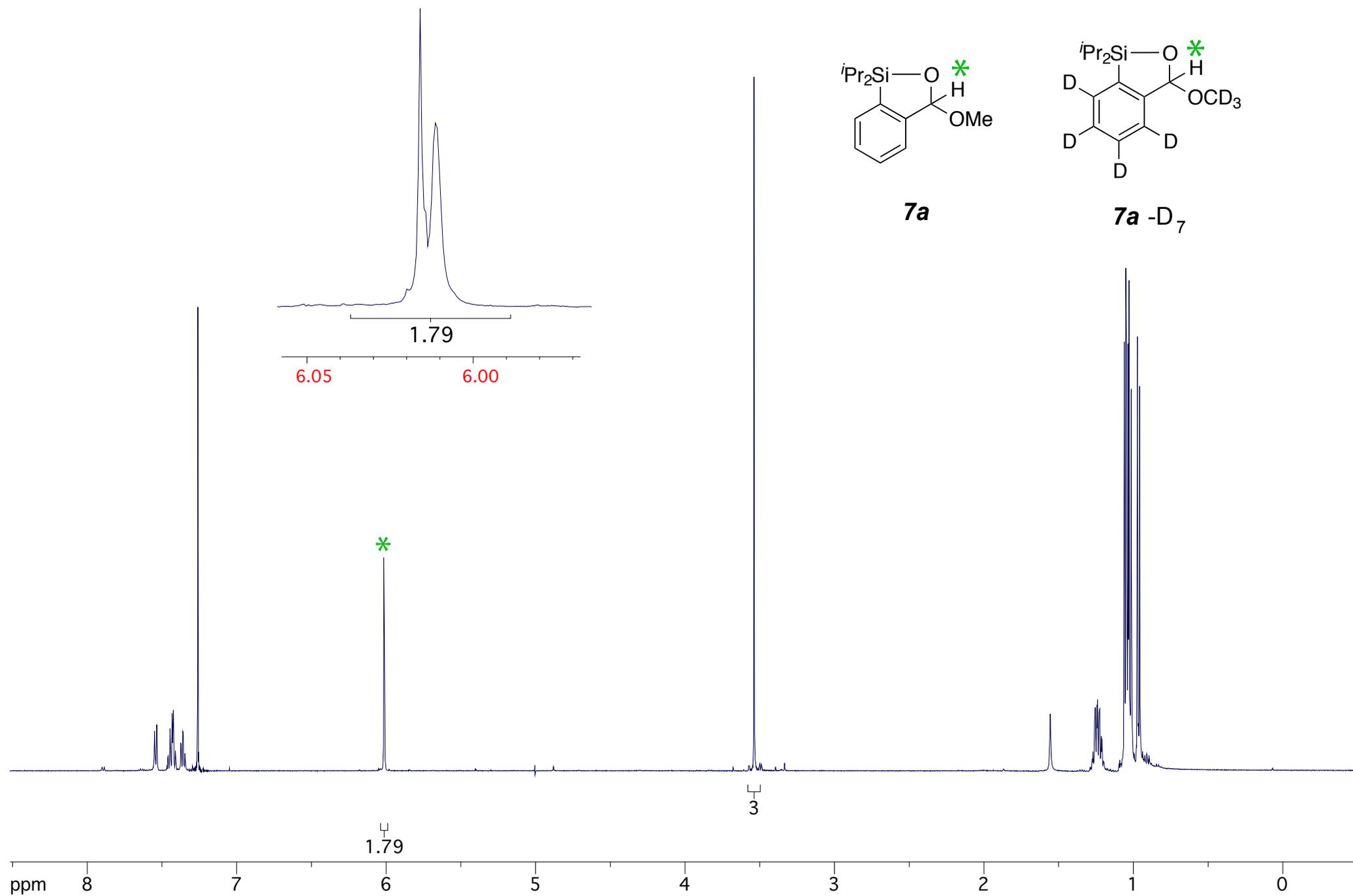
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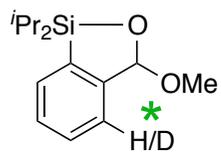
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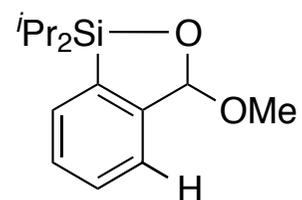
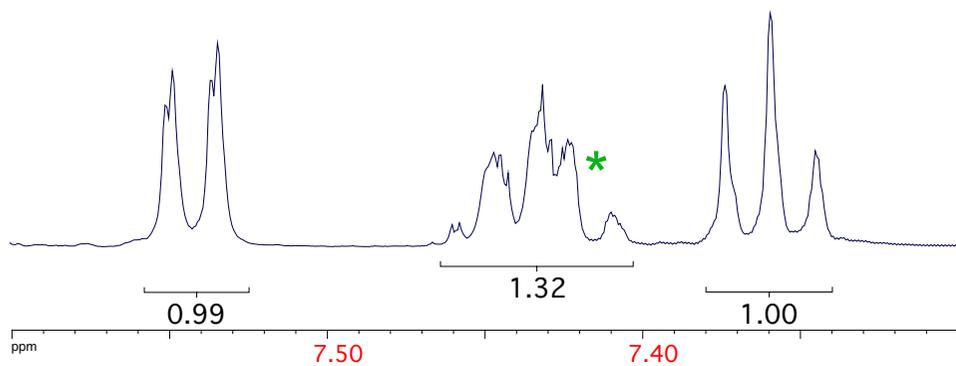
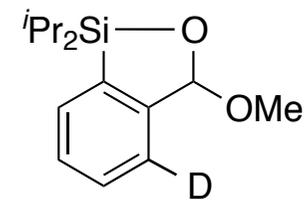
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$$7\mathbf{a}\text{-H}/7\mathbf{a}\text{-D}_1 = (1.00 - 0.32)/0.32 = 2.1$$

**7a-H****7a-D₁**