

**Visible-light-induced ligand-free RuCl₃ catalyzed C-H
phosphorylation in water**

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1. General Methods

General Procedures. Unless otherwise noted, reactions were performed under argon atmosphere. Solvent was freshly distilled/degassed prior to use unless otherwise noted. Analytical TLC was performed with silica gel GF254 plates. For column chromatography, a 200-300 mesh silica gel was employed. Organic solutions were concentrated under reduced pressure using a rotary evaporator. Room temperature (rt) is 18-25°C.

Materials. Substrate **2y-2ac¹** were synthesized according to previously described methods. Commercial reagents were purchased from Adamas, Ark, Aladdin, or TCI and used as received with the following exceptions. 1,4-Dioxane and toluene were dried with CaH₂ and freshly distilled, DCE was dried with P₂O₅ and freshly distilled. Other commercially available reagents and solvents were used without further purification.

Instrumentation. Deuterated solvents were purchased from Cambridge Isotope Laboratories. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AVANCE III 400 and INOVA instruments with 400 frequencies, and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AVANCE III 400 with 101 MHz frequencies. ³¹P NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker AVANCE III 400 spectrometer with a ³¹P operating frequency of 162 MHz. ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker AVANCE III 400 spectrometer with a ¹⁹F operating frequency of 376 MHz. Chemical shifts (δ) were reported in ppm relative to the residual solvent signal (CDCl₃ δ = 7.26 for ¹H NMR and δ = 77.0 for ¹³C NMR). Chemical shifts (ppm) were recorded with tetramethyl silane (TMS) as the internal reference standard. Multiplicities are given as s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), dd (doublet of doublets), td (triplet of doublets) or m (multiplet). HRMS was obtained using a Q-TOF instrument equipped with an ESI source. Data collection for crystal structure was performed at room temperature using Mo K α radiation on a Bruker APEXII diffractometer.

2. Optimization Studies

Table S1. Screening of catalyst^a

entry	[catalyst]	yield (%) ^b
1	[RuCl ₂ (p-cymene)] ₂	14
2	[Ru(O ₂ CMes) ₂ (p-cymene)]	<5
3	Ru(pph ₃) ₃ Cl ₂	13
4	Ru ₃ (CO) ₁₂	<5
5	RuCl₃·3H₂O	58
6	AlCl ₃	14
7	FeCl ₃	10
8	FeCl ₂	16
9	CoCl ₂	13
10	BF ₃ ·Et ₂ O	12
11	Zn(OTf) ₂	7
12	Sc(OTf) ₃	12
13	Bi(OTf) ₃	15
14	Cu(OTf) ₂	8
15	Ru(bpy) ₃ Cl ₂	0
16	RuI ₃	23

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.4 mmol), **catalyst** (**10 mol %**), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O (1.0 mL), 24 h, Ar, blue LED at room temperature (18-25 °C); ^b Yield of isolated products.

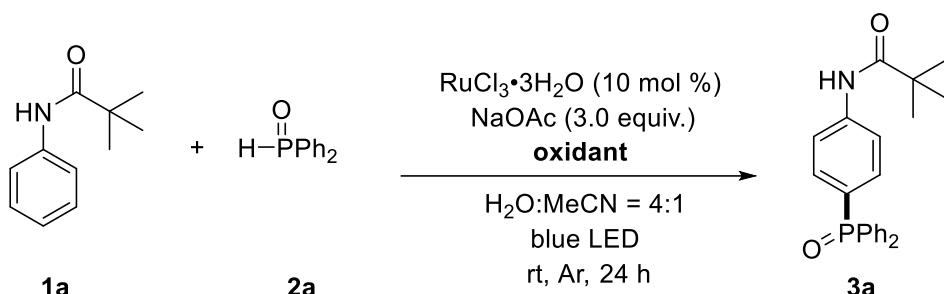
Table S2. Screening of solvent^a

entry	solvent	yield (%) ^b
1	H ₂ O	58
2	DCE	0
3	PhMe	0
4	dioxane	0

5	EtOH	0
6	TFE	0
7	MeCN	0
8	H ₂ O:MeCN = 1:1	61
9	H ₂ O:MeCN = 8:1	71
10	H₂O:MeCN = 4:1	76
11	H ₂ O:MeCN = 2:1	64
12	EtOH:MeCN = 4:1	0

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.4 mmol), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), **solvent (1.0 mL)**, 24 h, Ar, blue LED at room temperature (18-25 °C); ^b Yield of isolated products.

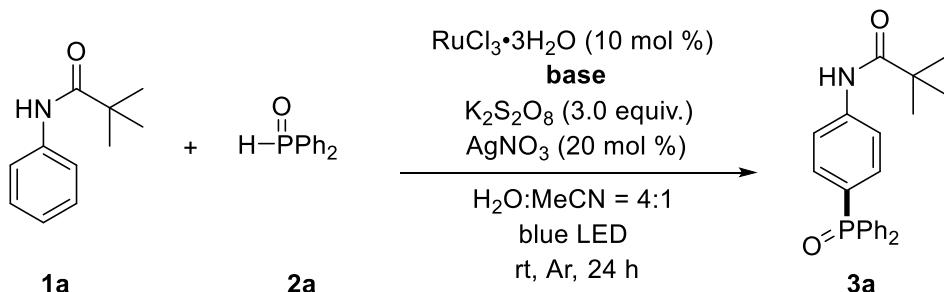
Table S3. Screening of oxidant^a



entry	oxidant	yield (%) ^b
1	K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %)	76
2	K ₂ S ₂ O ₈ (3.0 equiv.)	23
3	AgNO ₃ (20 mol %)	0
4	K ₂ S ₂ O ₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgOAc (20 mol %)	65
5	TBHP, AgNO ₃ (20 mol %)	<5
6	Mn(OAc) ₃ ·2H ₂ O, AgNO ₃ (20 mol %)	15

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.4 mmol), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), **oxidant (3.0 equiv.)**, H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (0.8 mL:0.2 mL), 24 h, Ar, blue LED at room temperature (18-25 °C); ^b Yield of isolated products.

Table S4. Screening of base^a



entry	base	yield (%) ^b
1	Na ₂ CO ₃	34
2	NaOAc	76
3	MesCOOK	54
4	CsF	43

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.4 mmol), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), **base** (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (0.8 mL:0.2 mL), 24 h, Ar, blue LED at room temperature (18–25 °C); ^b Yield of isolated products.

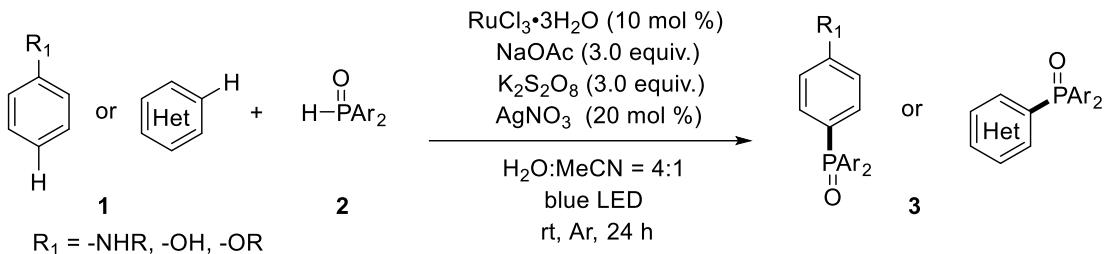
Table S5. Black experiments^a

		RuCl ₃ ·3H ₂ O (10 mol %) NaOAc (3.0 equiv.) K ₂ S ₂ O ₈ (3.0 equiv.) AgNO ₃ (20 mol %) H ₂ O:MeCN = 4:1 blue LED rt, Ar, 24 h	
1a	2a	3a	
entry	deviation from standard conditions		yield (%) ^b
1	no RuCl ₃ ·3H ₂ O		<5
2	In the dark		<5

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.4 mmol), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), base (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (0.8 mL:0.2 mL), 24 h, Ar, blue LED at room temperature (18–25 °C); ^b Yield of isolated products.

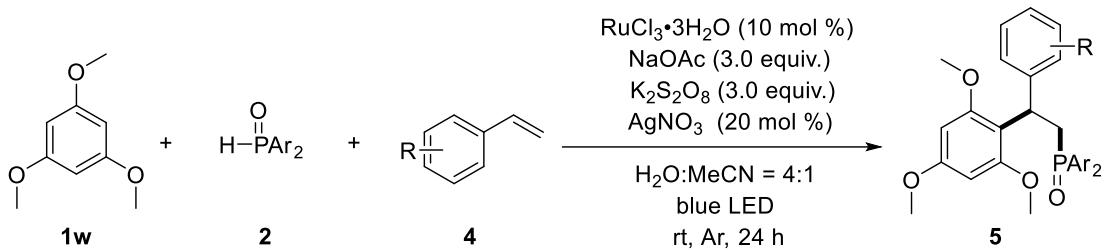
3. General Procedure

a) C-H phosphorylation of arenes and heteroarenes



In a 20 mL tube, a mixture of **1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %) were added and charged with argon more than three times. H₂O (1.6 mL) was injected into the tube first, then MeCN (0.4 mL) was injected into the tube (the sequence of solvent injection is very important). The resulting black suspension was stirred vigorously at room temperature for 10 minutes before being irradiated in reactor with cooling device using a 440 (\pm 15) nm LED (25 W) for 24 hours. After the reaction was completed, the solvents were evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified with chromatography column on silica gel or preparative TLC (PTLC) (DCM/MeOH = 100:1 - 20:1).

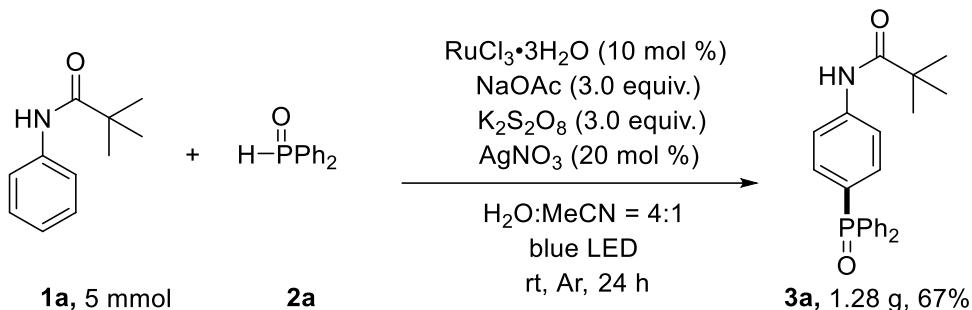
b) Three-component series phosphination and aromatization reaction of olefins



In a 20 mL tube, a mixture of **1w** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), **4** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %) were added and charged with argon more than three times. H₂O (1.6 mL) was injected into the tube first, then MeCN (0.4 mL) was injected into the tube (the sequence of solvent injection is very important). The resulting black suspension was stirred vigorously at room temperature for 10 minutes before being irradiated in reactor with cooling device using a 440 (\pm 15) nm LED (25 W) for 24 hours. After the reaction was completed, the solvents were evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified with chromatography column on silica gel or preparative TLC (PTLC) (DCM/MeOH = 100:1 - 20:1).

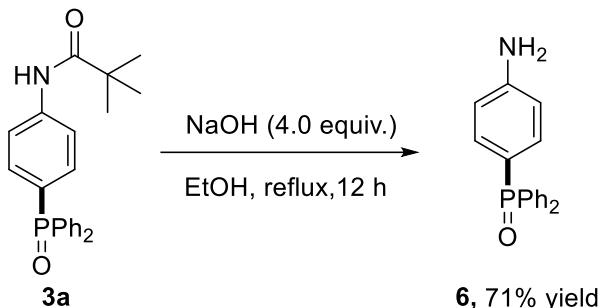
4. Derivatization of phosphorylated products

a) Gram-scale synthesis



In a 50 mL flask, a mixture of **1a** (5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2a** (20 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), RuCl₃•3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %) were added and charged with argon more than three times. H₂O (20.0 mL) was injected into the tube first, then MeCN (5.0 mL) was injected into the tube (the sequence of solvent injection is very important). The resulting black suspension was stirred vigorously at room temperature for 10 minutes before being irradiated in reactor with cooling device using a 440 (\pm 15) nm LED (25 W) for **48** hours. After the reaction was completed, the solvents were evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified with chromatography column on silica gel or preparative TLC (PTLC) (DCM/MeOH = 100:1).

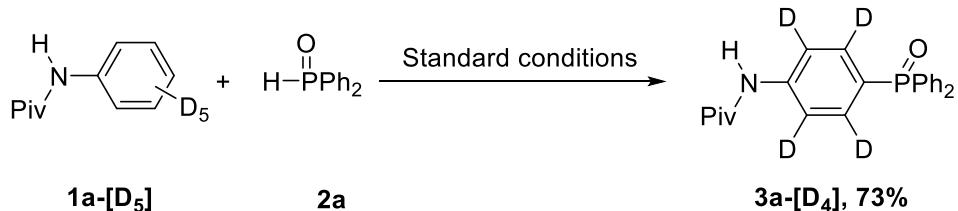
b) Deprotection of N-(4-(oxophosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide²



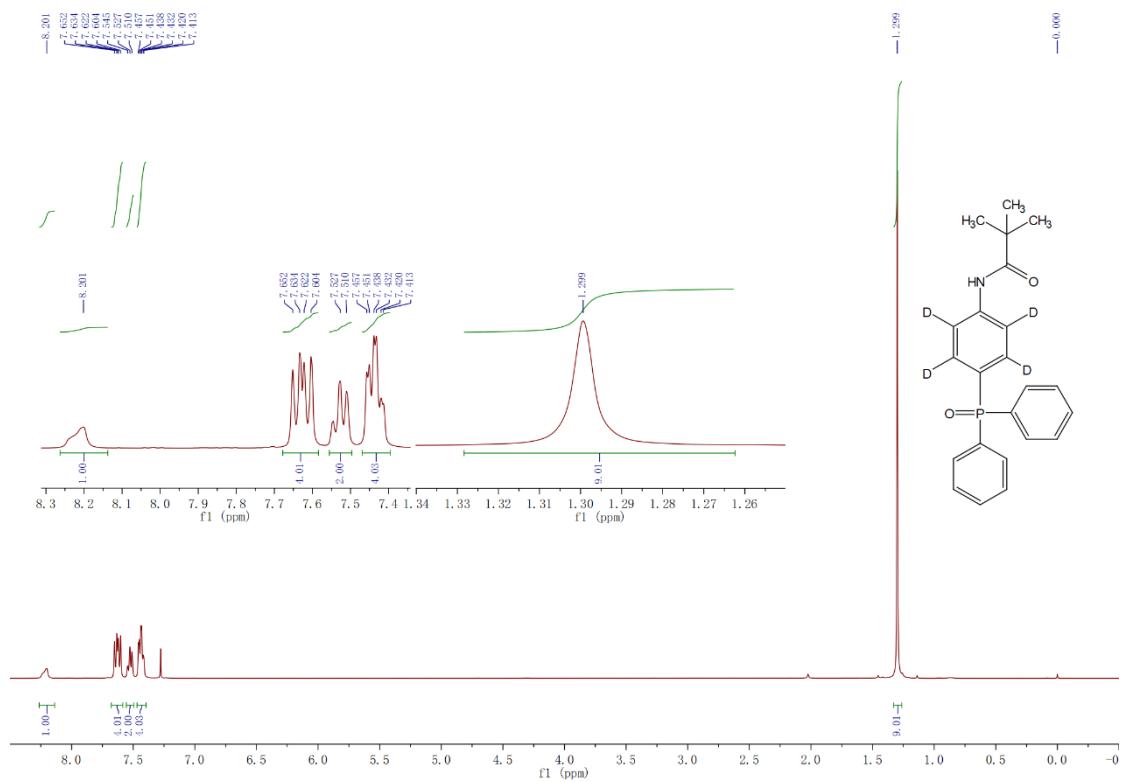
In a 20 mL tube, **3a** (0.2 mmol) and NaOH (4.0 equiv.) were added in EtOH (2.0 mL) under reflux for 12 hours. After evaporation of solvents under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) on silica gel to give the product **6** as white solid (41.5 mg, 71%).

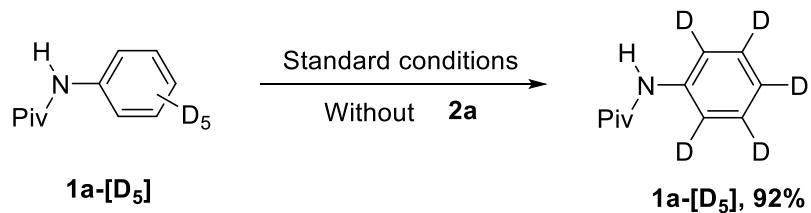
5. Mechanistic Studies

a) Isotopic labeling studies

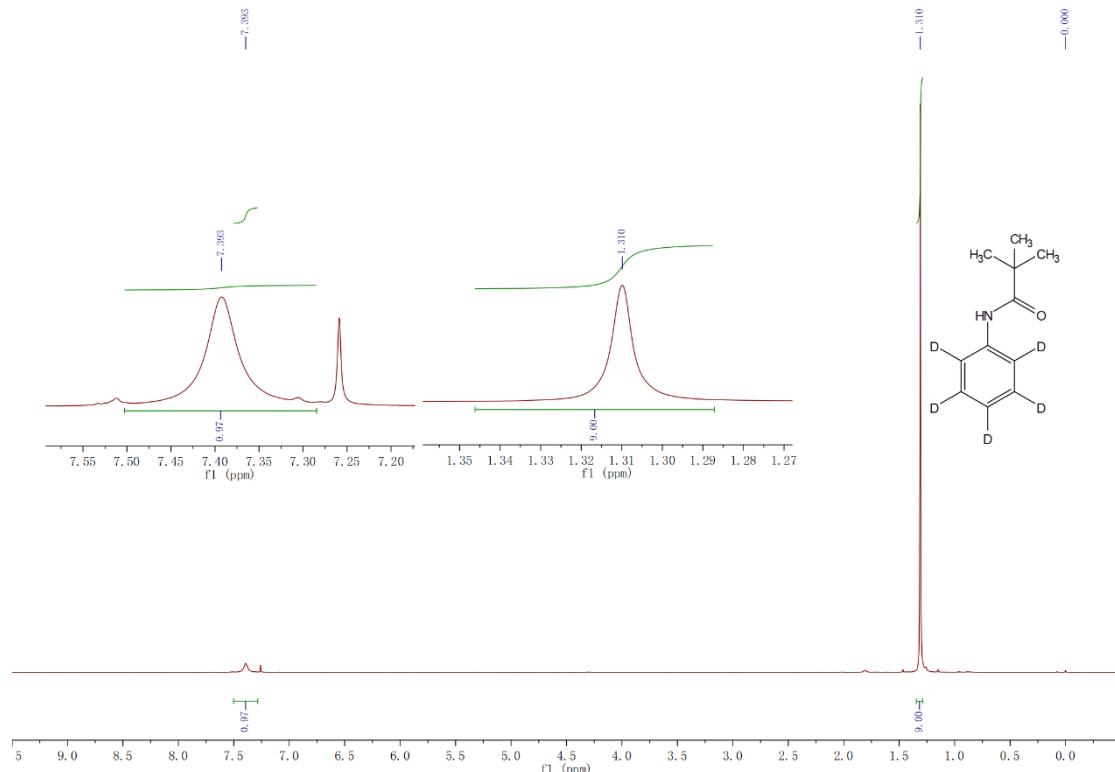


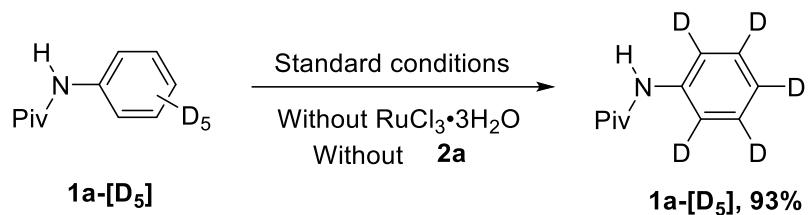
The general procedure was followed, the reaction was run on **1a-[D₅]** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2a** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (1.6 mL:0.4 mL). The residue was purified by column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) on silica gel to give a 73% yield of **3a-[D₄]**, which was analyzed by ¹H NMR spectroscopy.



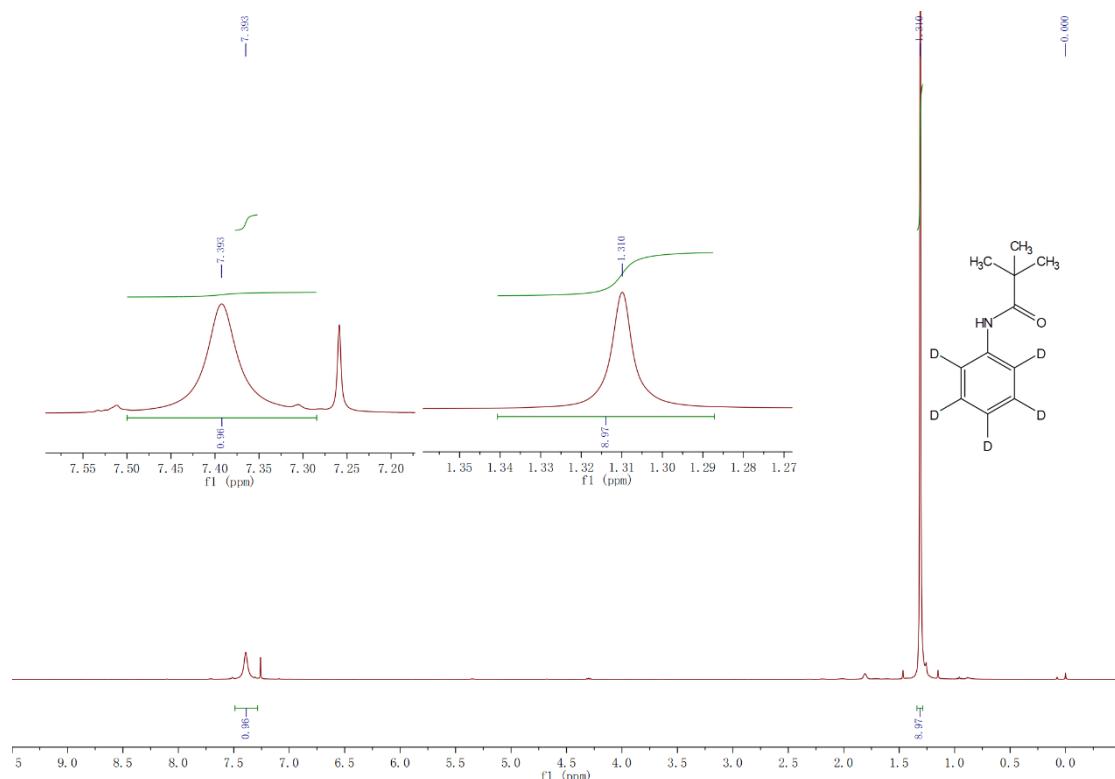


The general procedure was followed, the reaction was run on **1a-[D₅]** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (1.6 mL:0.4 mL). The residue was purified by column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) on silica gel to give a 92% yield of **1a-[D₅]**, which was analyzed by ¹H NMR spectroscopy.

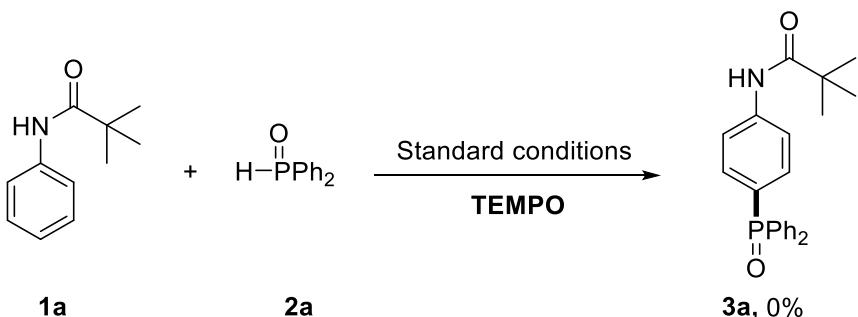




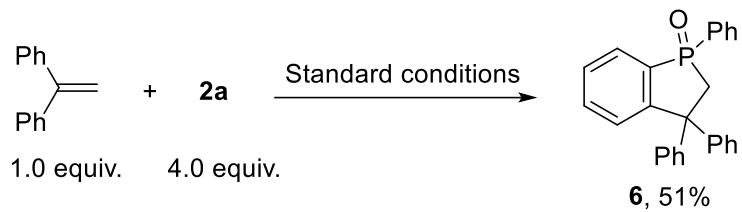
The general procedure was followed, the reaction was run on **1a-[D₅]** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (1.6 mL:0.4 mL). The residue was purified by column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) on silica gel to give a 93% yield of **1a-[D₅]**, which was analyzed by ¹H NMR spectroscopy.



b) Radical trapping experiments



The general procedure was followed, the reaction was run on **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2a** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), K₂S₂O₈ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO₃ (20 mol %), **TEMPO** (3.0 equiv.), H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (1.6 mL:0.4 mL). After the reaction was completed, the TLC and GC-MS were employed to observe the result, no desired product had been observed.



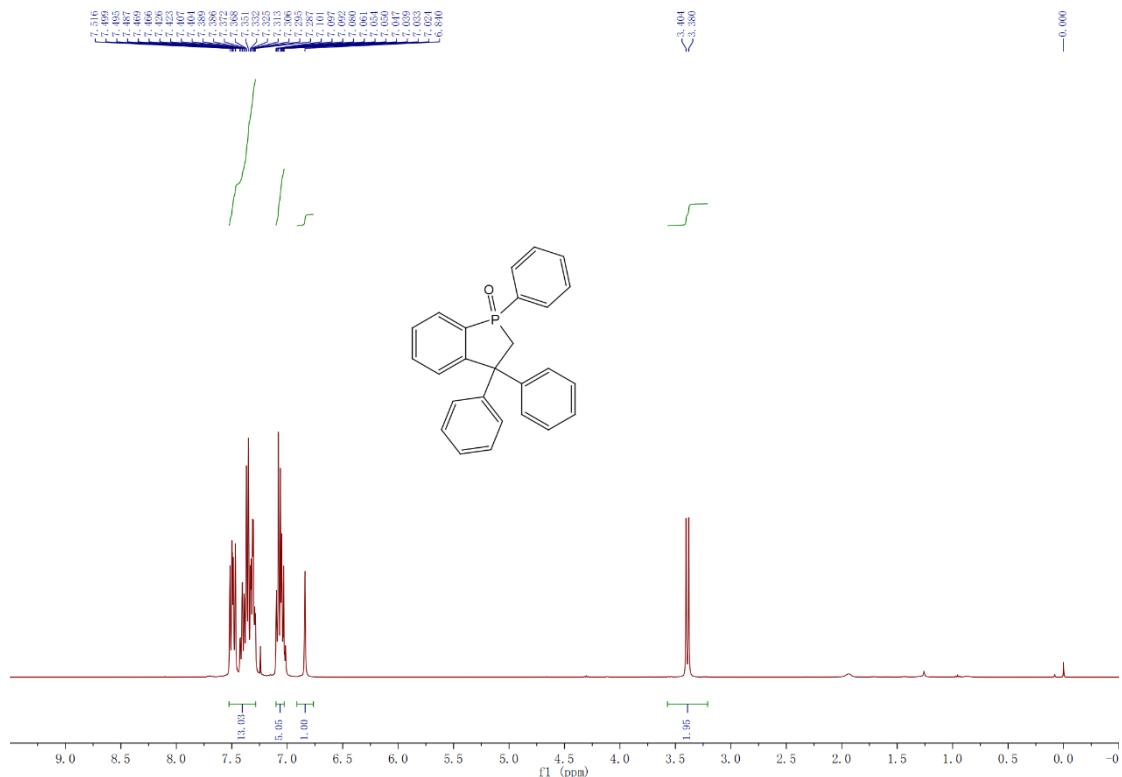
The general procedure was followed, the reaction was run on 1, 2-diphenyl ethylene (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2a** (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv.), $\text{RuCl}_3 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (10 mol %), NaOAc (3.0 equiv.), $\text{K}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$ (3.0 equiv.), AgNO_3 (20 mol %), $\text{H}_2\text{O}:\text{MeCN} = 4:1$ (1.6 mL:0.4 mL). The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) to give the corresponding product **6** as White solid (38.7 mg, 51%), which was analyzed by ^1H NMR and ^{31}P NMR spectroscopy.

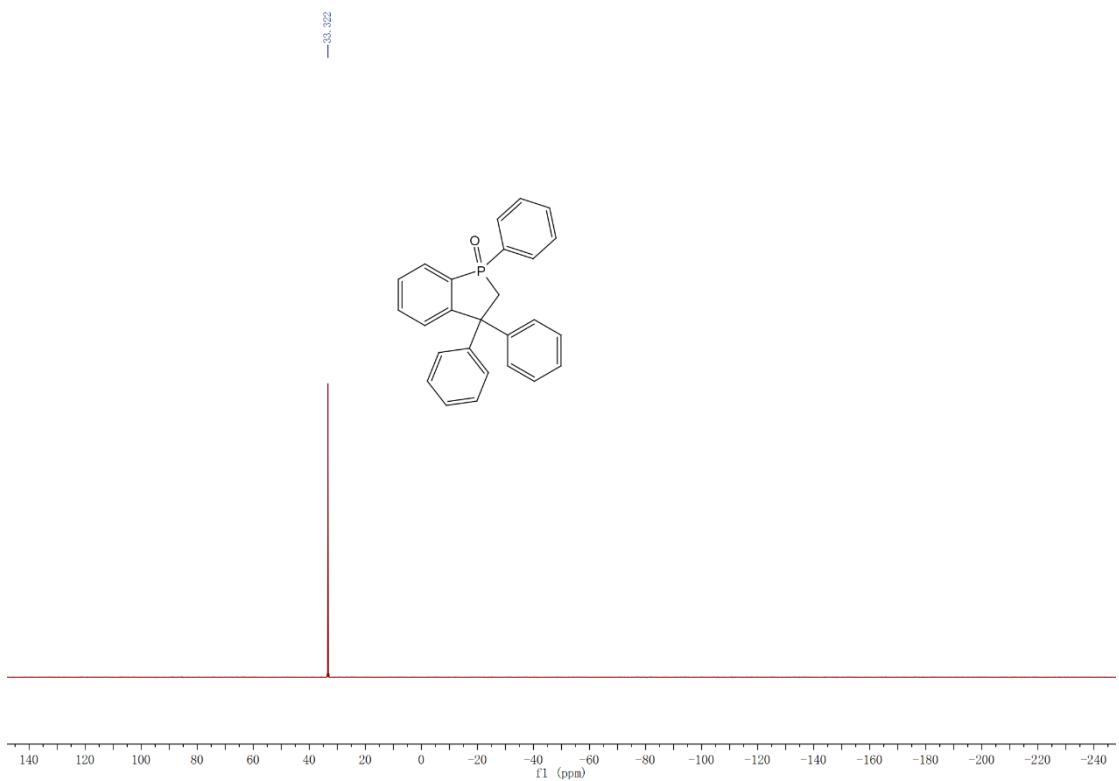
1,3,3-triphenyl-2,3-dihydrophosphindole 1-oxide (6)

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 13H), 7.1 – 7.0 (m, 5H), 6.8 (s, 1H), 3.4 (d, $J = 9.6$ Hz, 2H).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 33.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{21}\text{OP} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 381.1403, found: 381.1400.





6. Identification of the photocatalyst

a) The UV-vis absorption spectra

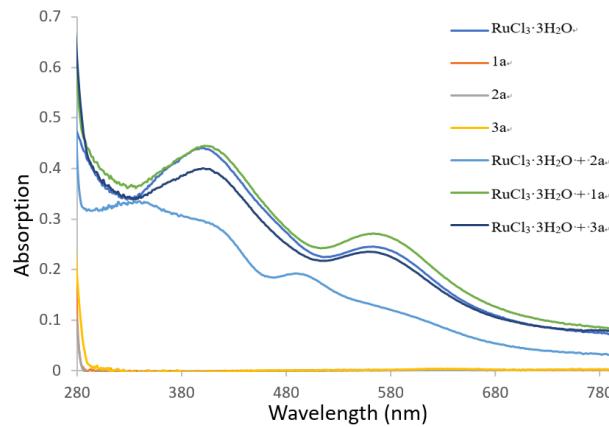


Figure S1. The UV-vis absorption spectra.

- (1). RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (2). **1a** (1.0 equiv., 0.1 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (3). **2a** (4.0 equiv., 0.1 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (4). **3a** (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (5). RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) + **2a** (4.0 equiv., 0.1 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (6). RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) + **1a** (1.0 equiv., 0.1 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).
- (7). RuCl₃·3H₂O (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) + **3a** (10 mol %, 0.01 mmol) in 5.0 mL H₂O:MeCN = 4:1 (4.0 mL:1.0 mL).

Noted: on the basis of the above concentration, taking out 200 uL and dilute to the cuvette containing 3.0 mL solvent (H₂O:MeCN = 4:1) respectively.

b) On/off light experiments.

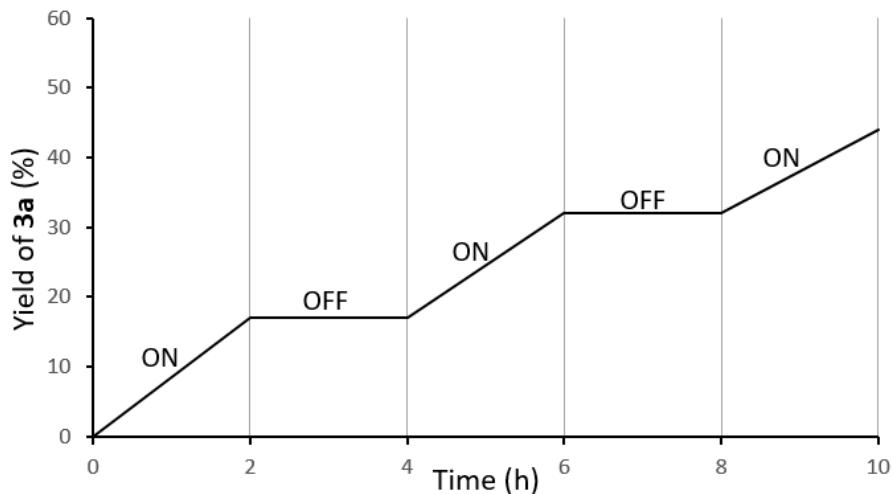


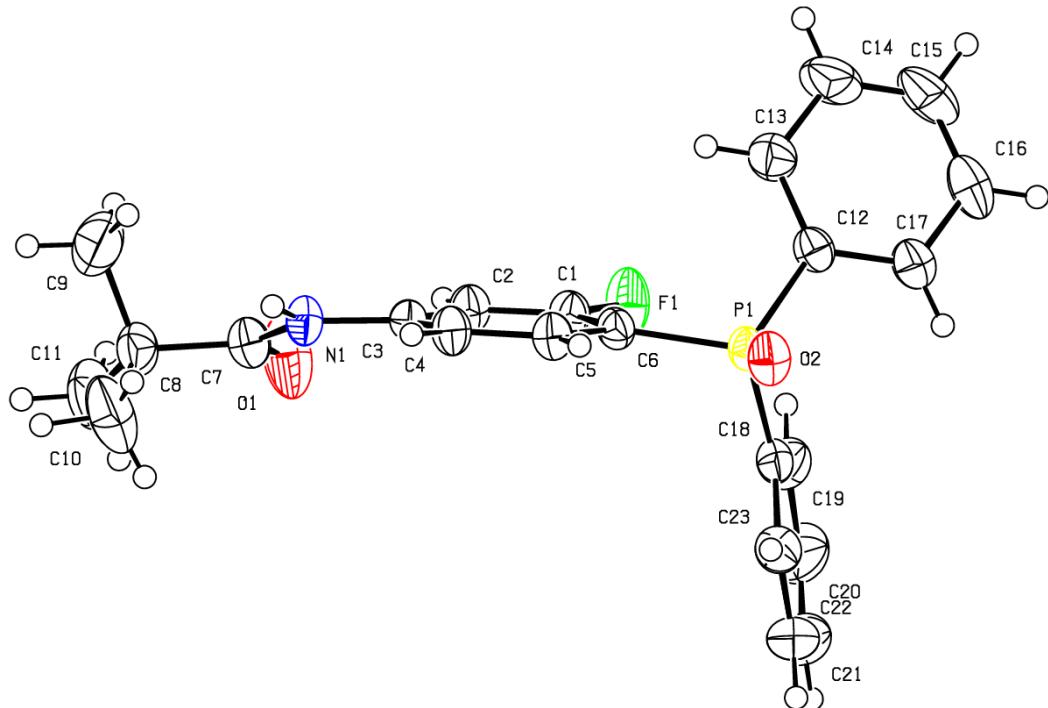
Figure S2. Light ON/OFF experiment for the synthesis of **3a**.

The reaction was set up following the general procedure on a 0.1 mmol scale by using five 20 mL tubes (**No.1**, **No.2**, **No.3**, **No.4** and **No.5**). Under alternating periods of irradiation (blue LEDs) and darkness (wrapped in tinfoil), proceed as follows. Then the separation yield is obtained by column chromatography (DCM/MeOH) on silica gel.

Time Number \ Time	0~2 h	2~4 h	4~6 h	6~8 h	8~10 h
No.1	ON				
No.2	ON	OFF			
No.3	ON	OFF	ON		
No.4	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
No.5	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON

7. X-ray Crystallographic Data of 3j

Crystals were grown from a mixture of ethyl acetate and n-hexane. The ellipsoid contour percent probability level is 30% in the caption of the thermalellipsoid plot. (CCDC: 1973724)



Bond precision: C-C = 0.0040 Å Wavelength=1.54184

Cell: $a=13.7106 (3)$ $b=10.0817 (2)$ $c=19.9799 (4)$
 $\alpha=90$ $\beta=91.4380 (18)$ $\gamma=90$
 Temperature: 236 K

	Calculated	Reported
Volume	2760.88 (10)	2760.85 (10)
Space group	P 21/c	P 1 21/c 1
Hall group	-P 2ybc	-P 2ybc
Moiety formula	C23 H23 F N O2 P, C H Cl3 [+ solvent]	C H Cl3, C23 H23 F N O2 P
Sum formula	C24 H24 Cl3 F N O2 P [+ solvent]	C24 H24 Cl3 F N O2 P
Mr	514.76	514.76
Dx,g cm ⁻³	1.238	1.238
Z	4	4
Mu (mm ⁻¹)	3.774	3.775
F000	1064.0	1064.0
F000'	1072.05	

h,k,lmax	16,12,23	16,12,23
Nref	4876	4874
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Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.368 Tmax=1.000

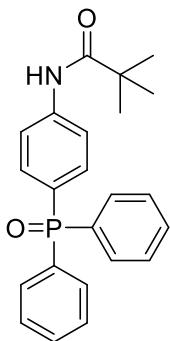
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Data completeness= 1.000 Theta(max)= 66.594

R(reflections)= 0.0487(3974) wR2(reflections)= 0.1399(4874)

S = 1.046 Npar= 292

8. Characterization Data



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3a)

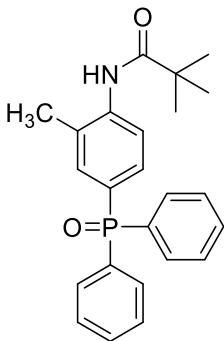
57.4 mg, yield: 76%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.4 (s, 1H), 7.8 – 7.7 (m, 2H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 4H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 4H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.4, 142.0 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 132.8 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz), δ 132.3 (d, $J = 104.8$ Hz), 131.9 (d, $J = 10.1$ Hz), 128.4 (d, $J = 12.2$ Hz), 126.2 (d, $J = 108.5$ Hz), 119.7 (d, $J = 12.5$ Hz), 39.7, 27.4.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 378.1545, found: 378.1541.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-2-methylphenyl)pivalamide (3b)

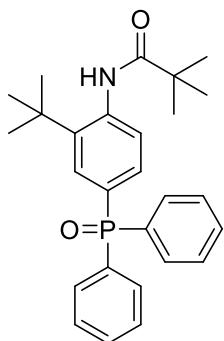
46.2 mg, yield: 59%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.1 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 6H), 7.5 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 4H), 7.4 – 7.3 (m, 1H), 2.3 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.7, 139.5, 133.9 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 132.5 (d, $J = 102.9$ Hz), 132.0 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 131.8 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 130.9 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz), 128.4 (d, $J = 12.2$ Hz), 127.4 (d, $J = 107.1$ Hz), 121.5 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz), 121.4 (d, $J = 12.6$ Hz), 39.9, 27.6, 17.5.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.0.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 392.1774, found: 392.1771.



N-(2-(tert-butyl)-4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3c)

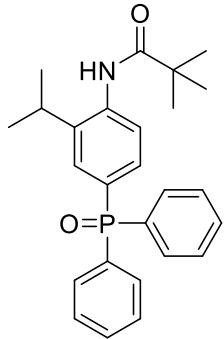
33.8 mg, yield: 39%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.0 (dd, $J = 8.3, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.8 (dd, $J = 13.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 5H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 4H), 7.4 – 7.3 (m, 1H), 1.4 (s, 9H), 1.4 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.2, 140.5 (d, $J = 11.4$ Hz), 139.3 (d, $J = 3.1$ Hz), 132.7 (d, $J = 104.2$ Hz), 132.0 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 131.8 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 130.7 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz), 130.6 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz), 128.4 (d, $J = 12.1$ Hz), 128.1 (d, $J = 107.0$ Hz), 125.3 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz), 39.8, 34.6, 30.3, 27.6.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 3434.2243, found: 434.2241.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-2-isopropylphenyl)pivalamide (3d)

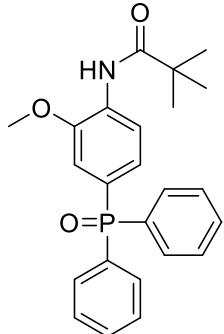
24.3 mg, yield: 29%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.1 – 8.1 (m, 1H), 7.8 (dd, $J = 12.5, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.5 (m, 7H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 4H), 7.3 – 7.3 (m, 1H), 3.0 (h, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.3 (s, 9H), 1.3 (s, 3H), 1.2 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.6, 138.1 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz), 138.1 (d, $J = 11.7$ Hz), 132.7 (d, $J = 104.2$ Hz), 132.0 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 131.8 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 130.6 (d, $J = 11.4$ Hz), 129.5 (d, $J = 10.1$ Hz), 128.4 (d, $J = 12.1$ Hz), 127.8 (d, $J = 107.1$ Hz), 122.2 (d, $J = 13.0$ Hz), 40.0, 28.3, 27.6, 22.3.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 420.2087, found: 420.2084.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-2-methoxyphenyl)pivalamide (3e)

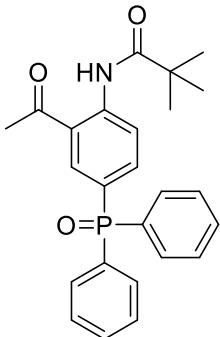
71.7 mg, yield: 88%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.5 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 8.3 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.5 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 5H), 7.0 – 6.9 (m, 1H), 3.9 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.8, 147.9 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz), 132.5 (d, *J* = 106.5 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 126.2 (d, *J* = 107.6 Hz), 125.6 (d, *J* = 11.1 Hz), 118.5 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz), 112.7 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz), 56.1, 40.1, 27.5.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.6.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_3\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 408.1723, found: 408.1722.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-2-methoxyphenyl)pivalamide (3f)

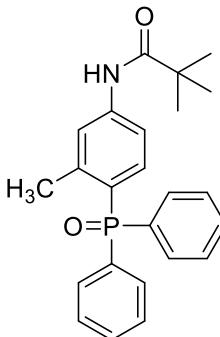
21.8 mg, yield: 26%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 11.8 (s, 1H), 9.0 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 8.0 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 7.8 – 7.7 (m, 5H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.5 (m, 4H), 2.7 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 202.7, 178.2, 140.8 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz), 139.7 (d, *J* = 99.7 Hz), 132.2 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 131.9, 131.5 (d, *J* = 87.2 Hz), 131.5 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 128.6 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz), 125.3 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz), 124.0 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz), 40.3, 28.8, 27.5.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 27.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_3\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 420.1723, found: 420.1720.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-3-methylphenyl)pivalamide (3g)

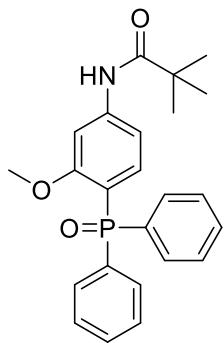
49.3 mg, yield: 63%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.0 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.4 (m, 12H), 6.9 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.3 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.3, 144.2 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 141.8 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 134.5 (d, *J* = 13.7 Hz), 132.7 (d, *J* = 104.0 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 125.3 (d, *J* = 107.1 Hz), 122.7 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 116.2 (d, *J* = 13.3 Hz), 39.7, 27.4, 21.6.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₄H₂₆NO₂P [M+H]⁺: 392.1774, found: 392.1773.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-3-methoxyphenyl)pivalamide (3h)

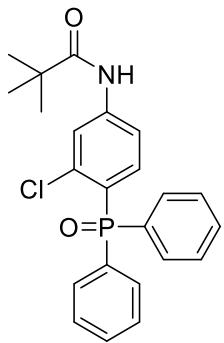
57.8 mg, yield: 71%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.5 (s, 1H), 7.8 – 7.8 (m, 1H), 7.7 – 7.5 (m, 7H), 7.4 – 7.3 (m, 4H), 7.0 (s, 1H), 3.5 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.7, 161.6 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz), 144.5, 134.8 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 133.1 (d, *J* = 107.9 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz), 131.4 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 128.0 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 114.0 (d, *J* = 110.4 Hz), 111.7 (d, *J* = 11.8 Hz), 103.2 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 55.1, 39.9, 27.4.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 27.7.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₄H₂₆NO₃P [M+H]⁺: 408.1723, found: 408.1720.



N-(3-chloro-4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3i)

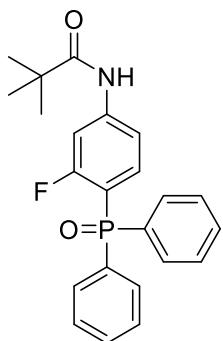
27.2 mg, yield: 33%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (s, 1H), 7.9 – 7.9 (m, 1H), 7.7 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 8.1 Hz, 4H), 7.6 – 7.3 (m, 8H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.5, 143.2 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 138.3 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 136.0 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 108.3 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 124.9 (d, *J* = 108.6 Hz), 122.1 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 117.6 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 39.9, 27.4.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 28.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₃H₂₃ClNO₂P [M+H]⁺: 412.1228, found: 412.1229.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)-3-fluorophenyl)pivalamide (3j)

37.2 mg, yield: 47%. White solid.

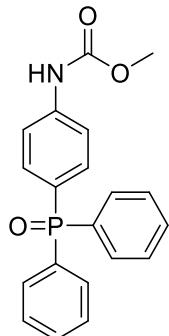
^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (s, 1H), 7.8 – 7.8 (m, 1H), 7.7 (dd, J = 12.7, 7.3 Hz, 5H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.4 (td, J = 7.5, 3.0 Hz, 4H), 7.3 – 7.3 (m, 1H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.5, 164.6 (d, J = 2.6 Hz), 163.4 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 248.5$ Hz), 163.3 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 248.3$ Hz), 162.1 (d, J = 2.6 Hz), 144.7 (d, J = 11.6 Hz), 132.1 (d, $J_{\text{C-P}} = 108.7$ Hz), 132.1 (d, J = 2.7 Hz), 131.7 (d, J = 1.6 Hz), 131.5 (d, J = 1.4 Hz), 128.5 (d, J = 12.7 Hz), 115.4 (d, J = 2.6 Hz), 115.3 (d, J = 2.5 Hz), 114.3 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 19.3$ Hz), 113.8 (d, $J_{\text{C-P}} = 105.8$ Hz), 113.6 (d, $J_{\text{C-P}} = 105.2$ Hz), 113.2 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 18.7$ Hz), 107.8 (d, J = 5.7 Hz), 107.7 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 28.4$ Hz), 107.6 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 28.5$ Hz), 107.5 (d, J = 5.8 Hz), 39.9, 27.3.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 24.8.

^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -97.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{FNO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 396.1523, found: 396.1521.



methyl (4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)carbamate (3k)

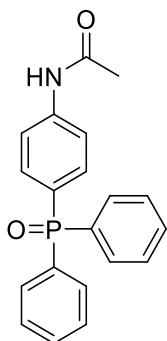
52.7 mg, yield: 75%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.8 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 6H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 8H), 3.6 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 169.6, 142.3 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 132.9 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 132.1 (d, J = 104.9 Hz), 132.1 (d, J = 2.7 Hz), 131.9 (d, J = 10.0 Hz), 128.6 (d, J = 12.2 Hz), 125.9 (d, J = 108.8 Hz), 119.5 (d, J = 12.4 Hz), 24.4.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.7.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 352.1097, found: 352.1095.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)acetamide (3l)

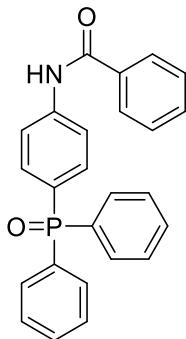
55.0 mg, yield: 82%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.5 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 6H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 6H), 2.1 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.1, 142.4, 133.0 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 132.4 (d, *J* = 106.1 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz), 125.0 (d, *J* = 109.7 Hz), 118.1 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 52.1.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.0.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 336.1148, found: 336.1146.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)benzamide (3m)

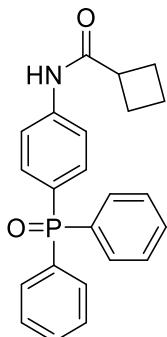
56.4 mg, yield: 71%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 10.1 – 9.9 (m, 1H), 8.0 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.9 – 7.8 (m, 2H), 7.6 – 7.4 (m, 13H), 7.3 – 7.3 (m, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.7, 142.5 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz), 134.6, 132.7 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz), 132.4 (d, *J* = 85.7 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 128.3, 127.7, 126.2 (d, *J* = 107.2 Hz), 120.3 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.8.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_2\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 398.1304, found: 398.1303.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)cyclobutanecarboxamide (3n)

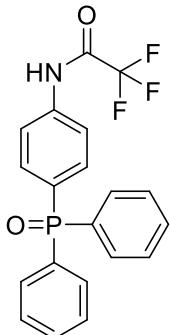
59.9 mg, yield: 80%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.4 (s, 1H), 7.8 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.6 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 7.2 Hz, 4H), 7.6 – 7.4 (m, 8H), 3.2 (p, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.4 – 2.3 (m, 2H), 2.1 – 2.0 (m, 2H), 1.9 – 1.7 (m, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.4, 142.6 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 132.8 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 132.2 (d, *J* = 104.7 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 125.4 (d, *J* = 109.2 Hz), 119.4 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 40.5, 25.1, 18.1.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.9.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_2\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 376.1461, found: 376.1460.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (3o)

17.9 mg, yield: 23%. White solid.

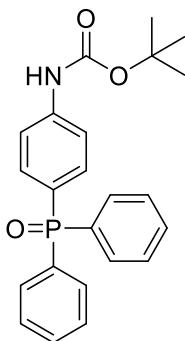
^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 10.4 (s, 1H), 7.8 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.4 (m, 8H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 147.9 (d, *J* = 37.8 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 123.5 (d, *J* = 106.1 Hz), 125.2 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 124.8 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 124.0 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz), 121.0 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz), 120.3 (d, *J* = 107.9 Hz), 112.9 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 108.2 (d, *J* = 287.5 Hz).

^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -75.1.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.1.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_2\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 390.0865, found: 390.0865.



tert-butyl (4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)carbamate (3p)

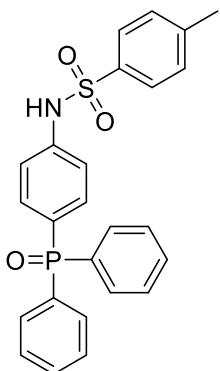
48.8 mg, yield: 62%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.8 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 6H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 4H), 1.5 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 152.6, 142.4 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 133.0 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 132.6 (d, *J* = 104.5 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 125.0 (d, *J* = 109.6 Hz), 117.9 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 80.7, 28.2.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₃H₂₄NO₃P [M+H]⁺: 394.1567, found: 394.1565.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (3q)

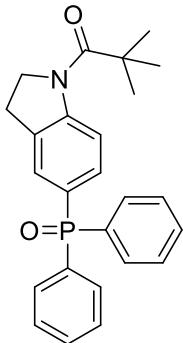
32.2 mg, yield: 36%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 6H), 7.5 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 6H), 7.2 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 7.1 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 2.3 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 143.7, 141.3 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 136.5, 133.2 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 105.0 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz), 129.5, 128.4 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 127.1, 126.4 (d, *J* = 108.2 Hz), 119.0 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 21.4.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.6.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₂NO₃PS [M+H]⁺: 448.1131, found: 448.1129.



1-(5-(diphenylphosphoryl)indolin-1-yl)-2,2-dimethylpropan-1-one (3r)

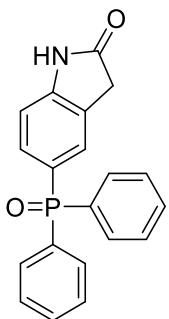
59.7 mg, yield: 74%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.3 (m, 13H), 4.3 (t, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 3.1 (t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 1.4 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.1, 148.0 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 132.8 (d, *J* = 104.2 Hz), 132.1 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 131.4 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 127.8 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz), 126.6 (d, *J* = 107.7 Hz), 117.8 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz), 49.7, 40.3, 28.9, 27.5.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.1.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₆NO₂P [M+H]⁺: 404.1774, found: 404.1772.



N-(4-(diphenylphosphoryl)phenyl)acetamide (3s)

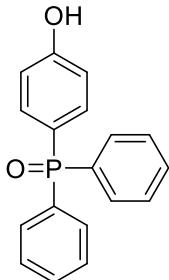
46.0 mg, yield: 69%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 10.2 (s, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.4 (m, 8H), 6.9 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 3.5 (s, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.4, 146.9 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz), 132.7 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz), 132.3 (d, *J* = 104.8 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 127.7 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz), 125.8 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz), 124.8 (d, *J* = 109.0 Hz), 109.9 (d, *J* = 13.4 Hz), 35.9.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 334.0991, found: 334.0990.



(4-hydroxyphenyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (3t)

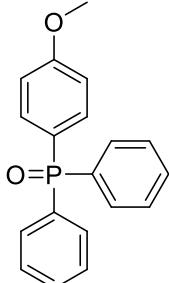
22.9 mg, yield: 39%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 10.7 (s, 1H), 7.6 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 7.4 Hz, 4H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 8H), 7.0 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 161.8 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 133.9 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz), 132.2 (d, *J* = 105.6 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 119.8 (d, *J* = 113.9 Hz), 116.3 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 32.0.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 295.0882, found: 295.0881.

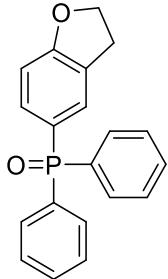


(4-methoxyphenyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (3u)

46.8 mg, yield: 76% (o + p). White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.9 – 7.3 (m, 12H), 7.1 – 6.8 (m, 2H), 3.8 (s, 1H), 3.6 (s, 2H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 162.4 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 160.8 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz), 134.9 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 134.2 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz), 133.9 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 133.1 (d, *J* = 107.4 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 104.5 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 131.4 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 128.0 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 123.4 (d, *J* = 110.4 Hz), 120.9 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz), 120.1 (d, *J* = 103.6 Hz), 114.0 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz), 111.3 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz), 55.3, 55.2.
³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.2, 27.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₁₉H₁₇O₂P [M+H]⁺: 309.1039, found: 309.1036.



(2,3-dihydrobenzofuran-5-yl)diphenylphosphine oxide (3v)

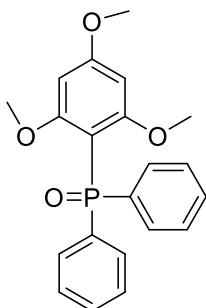
30.8 mg, yield: 48% (o + p). White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.8 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.3 (m, 8H), 7.0 – 6.8 (m, 1H), 4.7 – 4.4 (m, 2H), 3.2 (q, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 163.3 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 161.5 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 133.2 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 133.0 (d, *J* = 104.4 Hz), 132.6 (d, *J* = 106.7 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.8 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 131.6 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 129.1 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 128.8 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 128.3 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 128.1 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 127.9 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz), 123.3 (d, *J* = 110.1 Hz), 120.3 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 112.8 (d, *J* = 104.7 Hz), 109.4 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz).

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.6, 26.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₀H₁₇O₂P [M+H]⁺: 321.1039, found: 321.1037.



diphenyl(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)phosphine oxide (3w)

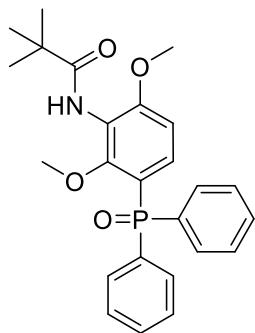
72.9 mg, yield: 99%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.8 – 7.7 (m, 4H), 7.4 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 6.0 (t, *J* = 3.5 Hz, 2H), 3.8 (d, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 3H), 3.3 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 165.3, 164.4, 137.0 (d, *J* = 109.8 Hz), 130.5 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz), 130.1 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 127.6 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 100.8 (d, *J* = 110.8 Hz), 91.1 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz), 55.3, 55.2.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 21.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₁H₂₁O₄P [M+H]⁺: 369.1250, found: 369.1248.



N-(3-(diphenylphosphoryl)-2,6-dimethoxyphenyl)pivalamide (3x)

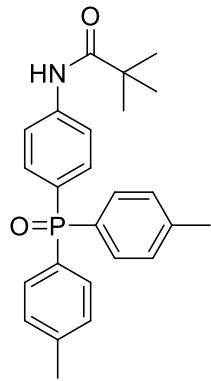
35.7 mg, yield: 41%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.7 (m, 4H), 7.7 (s, 1H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 6H), 6.5 (d, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 3.9 (s, 3H), 3.5 (s, 3H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.0, 158.6 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 153.8 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 133.4 (d, *J* = 107.7 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 128.0 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz), 127.2 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz), 120.9 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 111.5 (d, *J* = 109.5 Hz), 95.4 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 56.0, 55.8, 39.6, 27.6.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 27.0.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₈NO₄P [M+H]⁺: 438.1829, found: 438.1826.



N-(4-(di-p-tolylphosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3y)

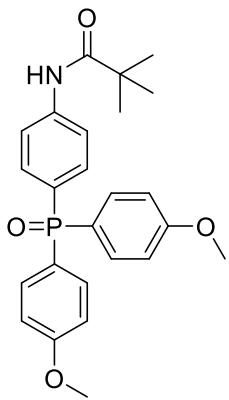
59.2 mg, yield: 73%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (s, 1H), 7.7 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.5 (dd, *J* = 11.6, 8.1 Hz, 6H), 7.2 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 4H), 2.4 (s, 6H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.3, 142.2 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 141.8 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 132.8 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 129.4 (d, *J* = 107.0 Hz), 129.1 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 127.0 (d, *J* = 108.8 Hz), 119.7 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz), 39.7, 27.4, 21.5.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.2.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₈NO₂P [M+H]⁺: 406.1930, found: 406.1929.



N-(4-(bis(4-methoxyphenyl)phosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3z)

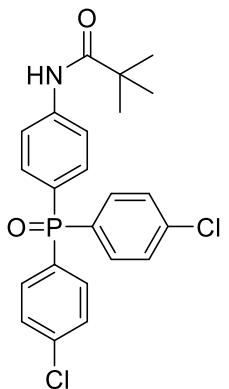
41.9 mg, yield: 48%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.0 (s, 1H), 7.7 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 7.5 (dd, *J* = 11.4, 8.7 Hz, 6H), 6.9 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 2.0 Hz, 4H), 3.8 (s, 6H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.2, 162.3 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 141.5 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 133.8 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz), 127.7 (d, *J* = 108.7 Hz), 124.0 (d, *J* = 111.2 Hz), 119.5 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz), 114.0 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz), 55.3, 39.7, 27.5.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 28.7.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_4\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 438.1829, found: 438.1825.



N-(4-(bis(4-chlorophenyl)phosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3aa)

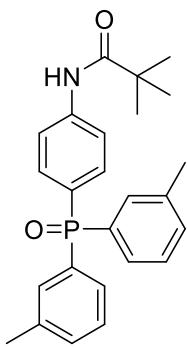
16.0 mg, yield: 18%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 7.6 (s, 1H), 7.6 (dd, *J* = 11.5, 8.3 Hz, 6H), 7.4 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.2 Hz, 4H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.0, 141.9 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 138.9 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz), 133.3 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 133.0 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 130.7 (d, *J* = 106.2 Hz), 129.0 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 126.1 (d, *J* = 110.1 Hz), 119.6 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 39.8, 27.5.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 27.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{Cl}_2\text{NO}_2\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 446.0838, found: 446.0837.



N-(4-(di-*m*-tolylphosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3ab)

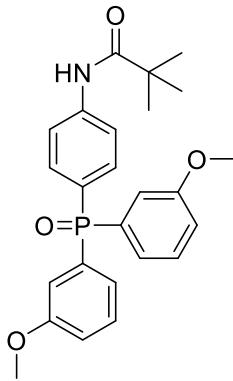
52.7 mg, yield: 65%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.2 (s, 1H), 7.7 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.5 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 4H), 7.4 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 2.3 (s, 6H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.3, 141.8, 138.3 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz), 132.6 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 132.3 (d, *J* = 105.3 Hz), 132.3 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 129.1 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 128.2 (d, *J* = 12.9 Hz), 126.9 (d, *J* = 95.3 Hz), 119.6 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 39.7, 27.4, 21.3.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₈NO₂P [M+H]⁺: 406.1930, found: 406.1928.



N-(4-(bis(3-methoxyphenyl)phosphoryl)phenyl)pivalamide (3ac)

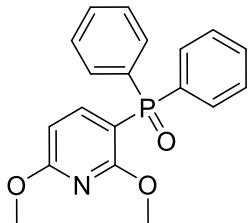
40.2 mg, yield: 46%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.8 (s, 1H), 7.7 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.6 (dd, *J* = 11.5, 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.3 (td, *J* = 7.9, 3.8 Hz, 2H), 7.3 – 7.2 (m, 2H), 7.1 – 7.0 (m, 4H), 3.8 (s, 6H), 1.3 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 177.1, 159.5 (d, *J* = 14.9 Hz), 141.7 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 133.7 (d, *J* = 103.9 Hz), 133.0 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz), 129.6 (d, *J* = 14.5 Hz), 126.8 (d, *J* = 108.3 Hz), 124.3 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 119.4 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 118.2 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 116.6 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 55.4, 39.8, 27.5.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₂₅H₂₈NO₄P [M+H]⁺: 438.1829, found: 438.1826.



(2,6-dimethoxypyridin-3-yl)diphenylphosphine oxide (3ad)

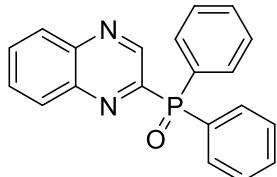
46.1 mg, yield: 68%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.9 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 6H), 6.4 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.9 (s, 3H), 3.8 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.4 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz), 163.6 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz), 146.6 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 132.8 (d, *J* = 108.6 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 131.5 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 128.1 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz), 104.2 (d, *J* = 111.0 Hz), 102.0 (d, *J* = 9.4 Hz), 53.8, 53.3.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 25.9.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 340.1097, found: 340.1095.



diphenyl(quinoxalin-2-yl)phosphine oxide (3ae)

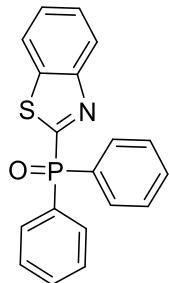
45.6 mg, yield: 69%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.7 (s, 1H), 8.2 – 8.1 (m, 2H), 8.0 – 7.9 (m, 4H), 7.8 (dt, *J* = 15.6, 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 152.2 (d, *J* = 124.1 Hz), 146.4 (d, *J* = 22.1 Hz), 142.6 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz), 142.1 (d, *J* = 17.1 Hz), 132.2 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 132.1 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 131.3 (d, *J* = 123.7 Hz), 130.9, 130.1, 129.6 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz), 128.5 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 20.4.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{OP}$ [M+H] $^+$: 331.0995, found: 331.0994.



benzo[d]thiazol-2-ylidiphenylphosphine oxide (3af)

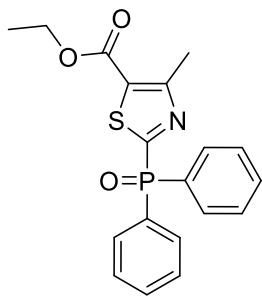
45.6 mg, yield: 68%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.2 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 8.1 – 7.9 (m, 5H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 8H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.7 (d, *J* = 126.9 Hz), 155.3 (d, *J* = 21.6 Hz), 136.8, 132.6 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz), 130.9 (d, *J* = 109.0 Hz), 128.6 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 126.6 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 124.7, 122.1.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 20.1.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{14}\text{NOPS}$ [M+H] $^+$: 336.0606, found: 336.0606.



ethyl 2-(diphenylphosphoryl)-4-methylthiazole-5-carboxylate (3ag)

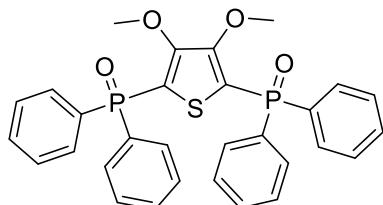
54.9 mg, yield: 74%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.9 (dd, *J* = 12.6, 7.6 Hz, 4H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 6H), 4.3 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.8 (s, 3H), 1.4 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 167.5 (d, *J* = 125.7 Hz), 162.9 (d, *J* = 19.0 Hz), 161.6, 132.6 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 130.7 (d, *J* = 109.4 Hz), 128.6 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 127.3, 61.6, 17.5, 14.1.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 18.7.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₁₉H₁₈NO₃PS [M+H]⁺: 372.0818, found: 372.0815.



(3,4-dimethoxythiophene-2,5-diyl)bis(diphenylphosphine oxide) (3ah)

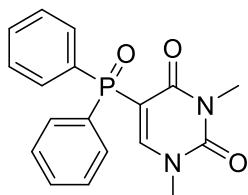
105.6 mg, yield: 97%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.8 – 7.7 (m, 8H), 7.6 – 7.4 (m, 12H), 3.5 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.8 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 132.3, 131.6 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 131.5 (d, *J* = 111.5 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 13.3 Hz), 123.9 (d, *J* = 104.8 Hz), 60.2.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 20.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₃₀H₂₆O₄P₂S [M+H]⁺: 545.1100, found: 545.1098.



5-(diphenylphosphoryl)-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3ai)

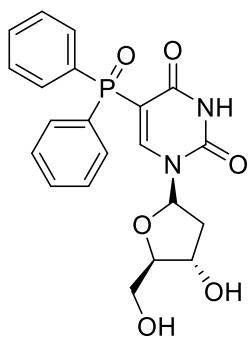
57.8 mg, yield: 85%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.3 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz, 1H), 7.9 – 7.8 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 2H), 7.5 (td, *J* = 7.5, 3.0 Hz, 4H), 3.5 (s, 3H), 3.3 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 161.4 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz), 152.0 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 151.4, 132.2 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 131.3 (d, *J* = 111.7 Hz), 128.3 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz), 104.0 (d, *J* = 114.6 Hz), 37.6, 27.9.

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 23.7.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₁₈H₁₇N₂O₃P [M+H]⁺: 341.1050, found: 341.1046.



5-(diphenylphosphoryl)-1-((2S,4S,5R)-4-hydroxy-5-(hydroxymethyl)tetrahydrofuran-2-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3aj)

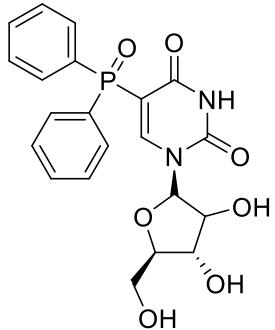
59.1 mg, yield: 69%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 8.4 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.9 – 7.7 (m, 4H), 7.6 – 7.5 (m, 6H), 6.2 (t, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.3 (dt, $J = 6.3, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.0 (q, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.7 – 3.5 (m, 2H), 2.4 – 2.2 (m, 2H), 1.3 (s, 1H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 164.8 (d, $J = 11.4$ Hz), 153.0, 151.7 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz), 134.7 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz), 133.9 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz), 133.1 (d, $J = 112.1$ Hz), 130.7 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz), 105.9 (d, $J = 120.0$ Hz), 90.5, 89.0, 73.5, 63.9, 42.8.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 27.9.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2\text{O}_6\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 429.1210, found: 429.1208.



1-((2S,4S,5R)-3,4-dihydroxy-5-(hydroxymethyl)tetrahydrofuran-2-yl)-5-(diphenylphosphoryl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3k)

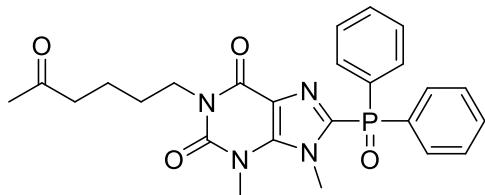
35.5 mg, yield: 40%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 8.0 (d, $J = 11.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.5 – 7.4 (m, 6H), 6.1 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.0 (dd, $J = 3.6, 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.9 (t, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.8 (td, $J = 5.3, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.5 – 3.4 (m, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 164.6 (d, $J = 10.1$ Hz), 153.5 (d, $J = 15.3$ Hz), 152.7, 134.7 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz), 133.9 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz), 132.9 (d, $J = 112.5$ Hz), 130.8 (d, $J = 12.5$ Hz), 104.6 (d, $J = 121.1$ Hz), 89.4, 88.4, 79.2, 77.6, 63.8.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Methanol- d_4) δ 27.9.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 445.1159, found: 445.1159.



8-(diphenylphosphoryl)-3,9-dimethyl-1-(5-oxohexyl)-3,9-dihydro-1H-purine-2,6-dione (3l)

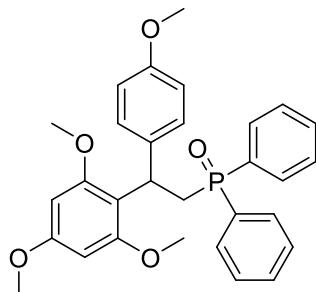
43.1 mg, yield: 45%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.9 – 7.8 (m, 4H), 7.6 (td, $J = 7.3, 1.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.5 – 7.5 (m, 4H), 4.3 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 3H), 4.0 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 2H), 3.5 (s, 3H), 2.5 (t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2H), 2.1 (s, 3H), 1.7 – 1.6 (m, 4H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 208.7, 155.2, 151.2, 147.8 (d, $J = 17.9$ Hz), 145.0 (d, $J = 135.6$ Hz), 132.7 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 131.8 (d, $J = 10.4$ Hz), 130.7 (d, $J = 111.9$ Hz), 128.6 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz), 110.4 (d, $J = 4.3$ Hz), 43.1, 40.9, 34.3, 29.9, 29.8, 27.3, 20.9.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 19.2.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_4\text{O}_4\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 479.1843, found: 479.1840.



(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (5a)

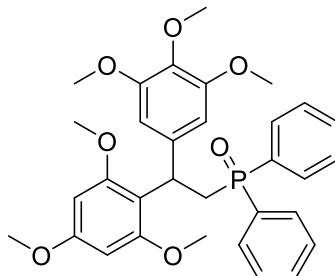
42.2 mg, yield: 42%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.7 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 7H), 7.3 – 7.2 (m, 3H), 6.8 – 6.6 (m, 2H), 5.8 (s, 2H), 5.3 – 5.2 (m, 1H), 3.7 (s, 3H), 3.7 (s, 3H), 3.6 (s, 6H), 3.6 – 3.5 (m, 1H), 3.0 (td, $J = 14.7, 4.7$ Hz, 1H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.8, 158.6, 157.4, 137.0 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz), 134.7 (d, $J = 97.5$ Hz), 132.9 (d, $J = 97.7$ Hz), 131.1 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 130.7, 130.6, 130.6 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz), 130.5, 128.6, 128.3 (d, $J = 11.4$ Hz), 127.6 (d, $J = 11.7$ Hz), 113.1, 90.8, 55.4, 55.1, 55.1, 33.3 (d, $J = 71.3$ Hz), 31.9 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{31}\text{O}_5\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 503.1982, found: 503.1982.



diphenyl(2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)-2-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)phosphine oxide (5b)

53.9 mg, yield: 48%. White solid.

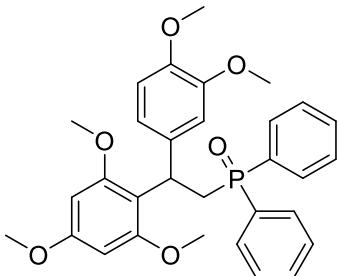
^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 7.3 – 7.2 (m, 2H), 6.6 (s, 2H),

5.9 (s, 2H), 5.3 – 5.2 (m, 1H), 3.8 – 3.7 (m, 18H), 3.6 – 3.4 (m, 1H), 3.1 – 3.0 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.9, 158.6, 152.4, 140.4 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz), 135.8, 134.1 (d, *J* = 97.6 Hz), 132.8 (d, *J* = 98.2 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 130.8 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 130.6 (d, *J* = 19.1 Hz), 130.6, 128.2 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 127.7 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz), 111.3 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz), 105.0, 90.8, 60.6, 55.8, 55.4, 55.1, 34.0 (d, *J* = 70.7 Hz), 33.3 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz).

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 31.0.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₃₂H₃₅O₇P [M+H]⁺: 563.2193, found: 563.2194.



(2-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (5c)

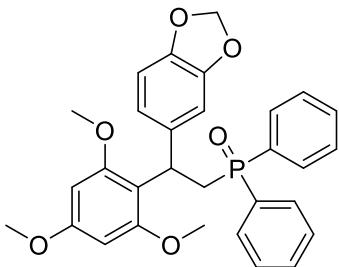
49.9 mg, yield: 47%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 7.3 – 7.2 (m, 2H), 6.9 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 6.9 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 6.7 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 5.8 (s, 2H), 5.4 – 5.2 (m, 1H), 3.8 – 3.6 (m, 15H), 3.6 – 3.5 (m, 1H), 3.0 (td, *J* = 14.6, 5.0 Hz, 1H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.8, 158.5, 148.1, 146.8, 137.4 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 134.6 (d, *J* = 97.2 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 97.7 Hz), 131.1 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 130.6 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz), 130.5 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 128.2 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 127.6 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz), 119.6, 111.7 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 111.5, 110.5, 90.8, 55.7, 55.6, 55.4, 55.1, 33.7 (d, *J* = 70.9 Hz), 32.4 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz).

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₃₁H₃₃O₆P [M+H]⁺: 533.2088, found: 533.2086.



(2-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (5d)

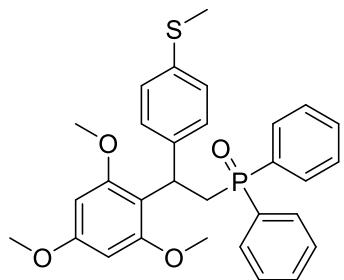
41.3 mg, yield: 40%. White solid.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 7.2 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 2.8 Hz, 2H), 6.9 – 6.8 (m, 2H), 6.6 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 5.8 (s, 4H), 5.3 – 5.2 (m, 1H), 3.7 (d, *J* = 21.2 Hz, 9H), 3.5 (ddd, *J* = 15.0, 9.8, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.0 (td, *J* = 14.6, 5.1 Hz, 1H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.8, 158.5, 146.9, 145.2, 138.8 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 134.4 (d, *J* = 97.3 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 97.9 Hz), 131.1 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 130.6 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 130.6 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz), 130.5, 128.3 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 127.7 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz), 120.7, 111.7 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 108.5, 107.5, 100.5, 90.7, 55.4, 55.1, 33.3 (d, *J* = 71.2 Hz), 32.5 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz).

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.5.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₃₀H₂₉O₆P [M+H]⁺: 517.1775, found: 517.1774.



(2-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (5h)

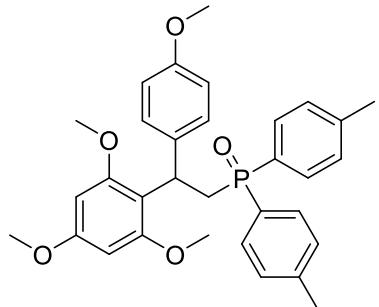
47.0 mg, yield: 43%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 2H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 6H), 7.3 – 7.2 (m, 4H), 7.1 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.8 (s, 2H), 5.3 – 5.2 (m, 1H), 3.7 (d, J = 29.5 Hz, 9H), 3.6 – 3.5 (m, 1H), 3.0 (td, J = 14.8, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.4 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.9, 158.6, 142.1, 141.9, 134.7, 134.7 (d, J = 97.4 Hz), 132.8 (d, J = 97.7 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 2.7 Hz), 130.7, 130.6, 130.6 (d, J = 2.4 Hz), 130.5 (d, J = 8.9 Hz), 128.3 (d, J = 11.4 Hz), 128.2, 127.7 (d, J = 11.6 Hz), 126.5, 111.5 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 90.7, 55.4, 55.1, 32.9 (d, J = 71.5 Hz), 32.1 (d, J = 2.5 Hz), 16.2.

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.3.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_4\text{PS} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$: 569.1886, found: 569.1870.



(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)di-p-tolylphosphine oxide (5i)

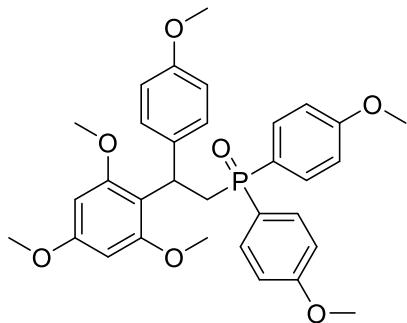
40.3 mg, yield: 38%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.6 (dd, J = 10.9, 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.4 (dd, J = 11.2, 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.2 (dd, J = 21.5, 7.4 Hz, 4H), 7.0 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 2H), 6.7 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 5.8 (s, 2H), 5.2 (td, J = 12.0, 11.3, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.7 – 3.6 (m, 12H), 3.5 – 3.4 (m, 1H), 3.0 (td, J = 14.8, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.3 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.7, 158.5, 157.3, 141.3 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 140.7 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 137.1 (d, J = 11.6 Hz), 131.6 (d, J = 99.8 Hz), 130.7 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 130.5 (d, J = 9.4 Hz), 129.8 (d, J = 100.3 Hz), 128.9 (d, J = 11.7 Hz), 128.6, 128.3 (d, J = 12.0 Hz), 113.0, 90.7, 55.4, 55.1 (d, J = 3.2 Hz), 33.4 (d, J = 71.7 Hz), 31.9 (d, J = 2.4 Hz), 21.4 (d, J = 6.0 Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.8.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_5\text{P} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 531.2295, found: 531.2294.



bis(4-methoxyphenyl)(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)phosphine oxide (5j)

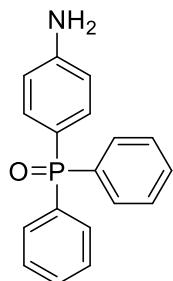
38.3 mg, yield: 34%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.6 (dd, *J* = 10.6, 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.4 (dd, *J* = 10.9, 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.2 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.9 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 6.7 – 6.7 (m, 4H), 5.8 (s, 2H), 5.2 (td, *J* = 11.3, 10.4, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.8 – 3.6 (m, 18H), 3.5 – 3.4 (m, 1H), 2.9 (td, *J* = 14.9, 4.7 Hz, 1H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 161.7 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 161.4 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 159.6, 158.4, 157.3, 137.2 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz), 132.5 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz), 132.3 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz), 128.6, 126.2 (d, *J* = 103.5 Hz), 124.2 (d, *J* = 103.9 Hz), 113.7 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz), 113.1 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 113.0, 112.1 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 90.7, 55.4, 55.2, 55.1, 55.1, 55.0, 33.6 (d, *J* = 72.3 Hz), 31.9 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz).

^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 30.6.

HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_7\text{P}$ [M+H] $^+$: 563.2193, found: 563.2191.



(4-aminophenyl)diphenylphosphine oxide (6)

41.6 mg, yield: 71%. White solid.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.7 – 7.6 (m, 4H), 7.5 – 7.3 (m, 8H), 6.7 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 4.2 (s, 2H).

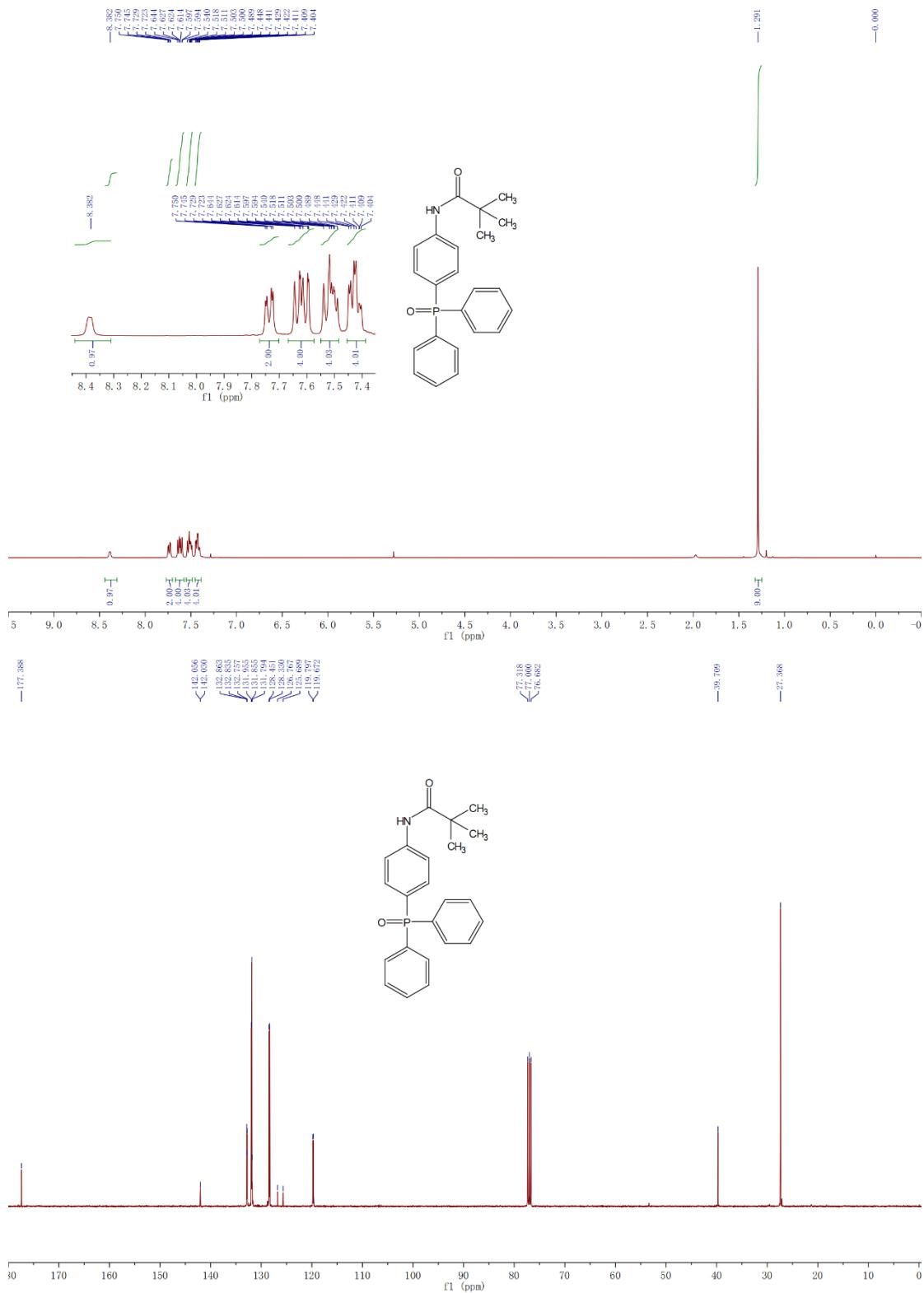
^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 150.0 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 133.7 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 133.3 (d, *J* = 104.2 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 131.5 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 128.3 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 119.4 (d, *J* = 113.7 Hz), 114.2 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz).

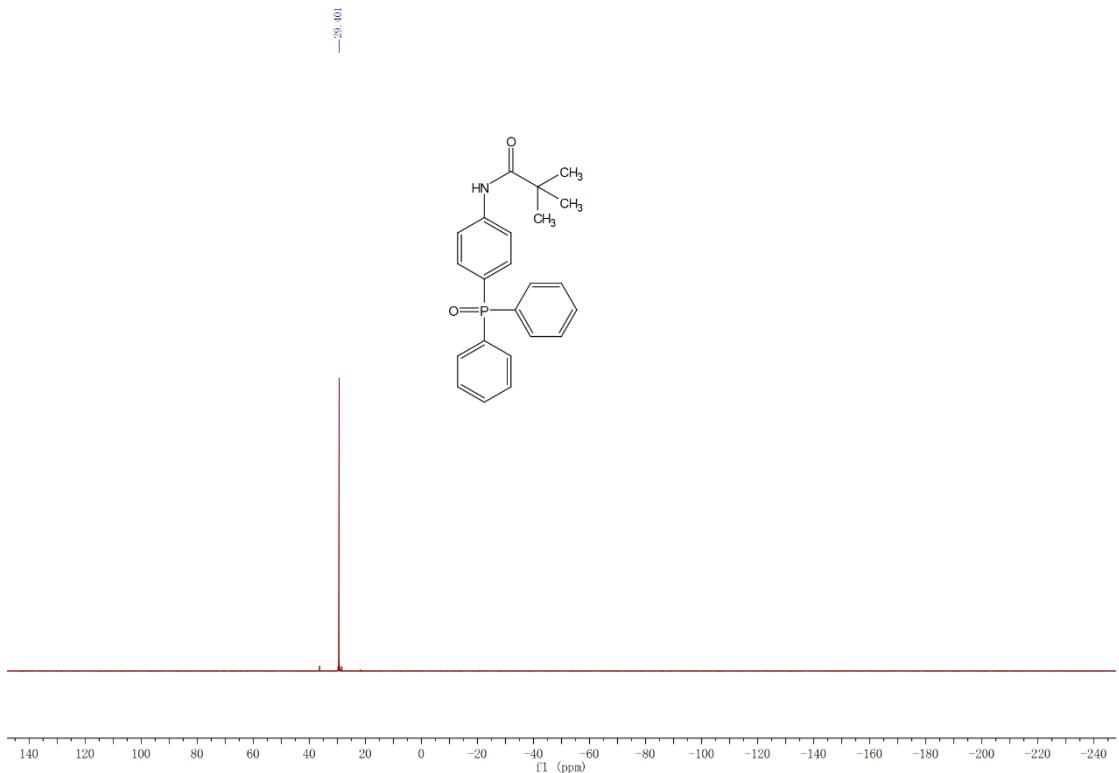
^{31}P NMR (162 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 29.7.

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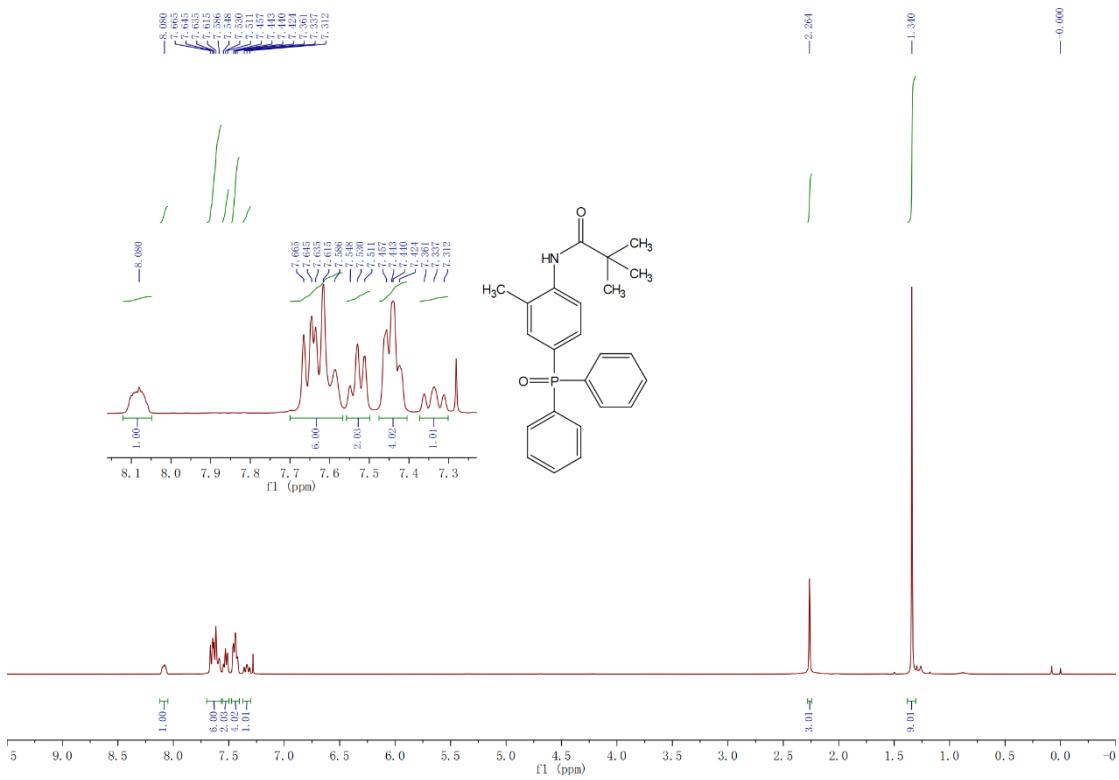
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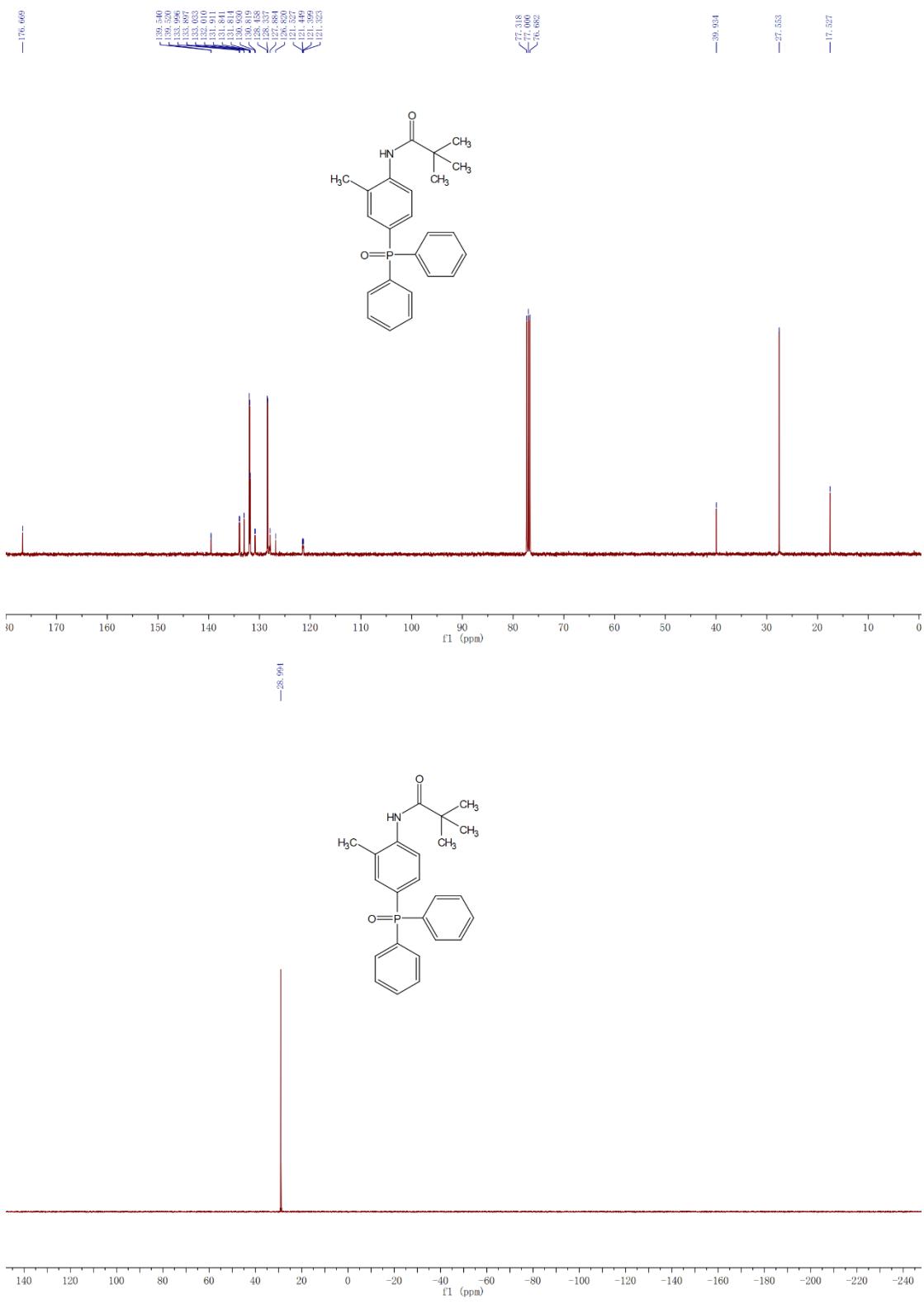
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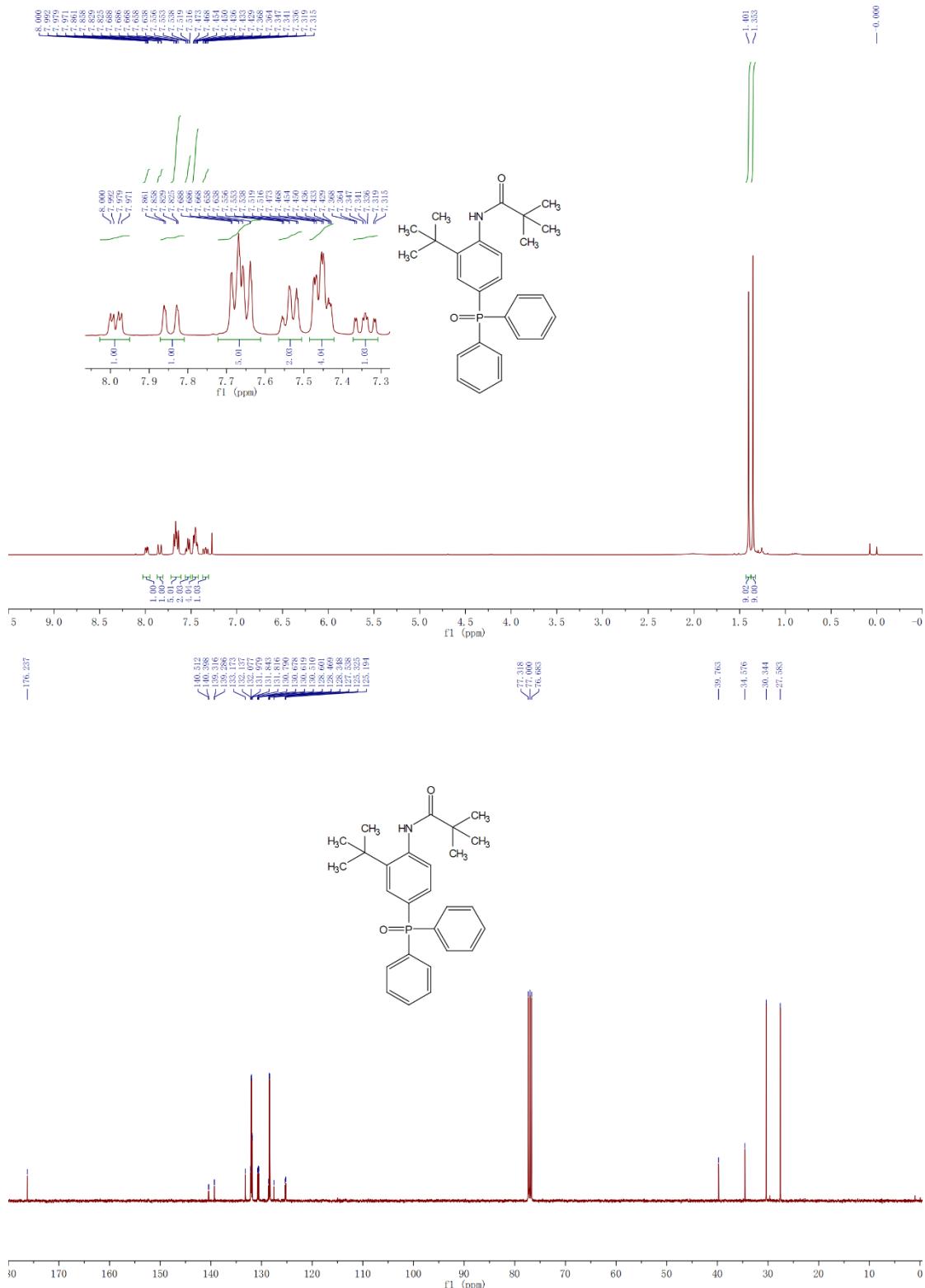


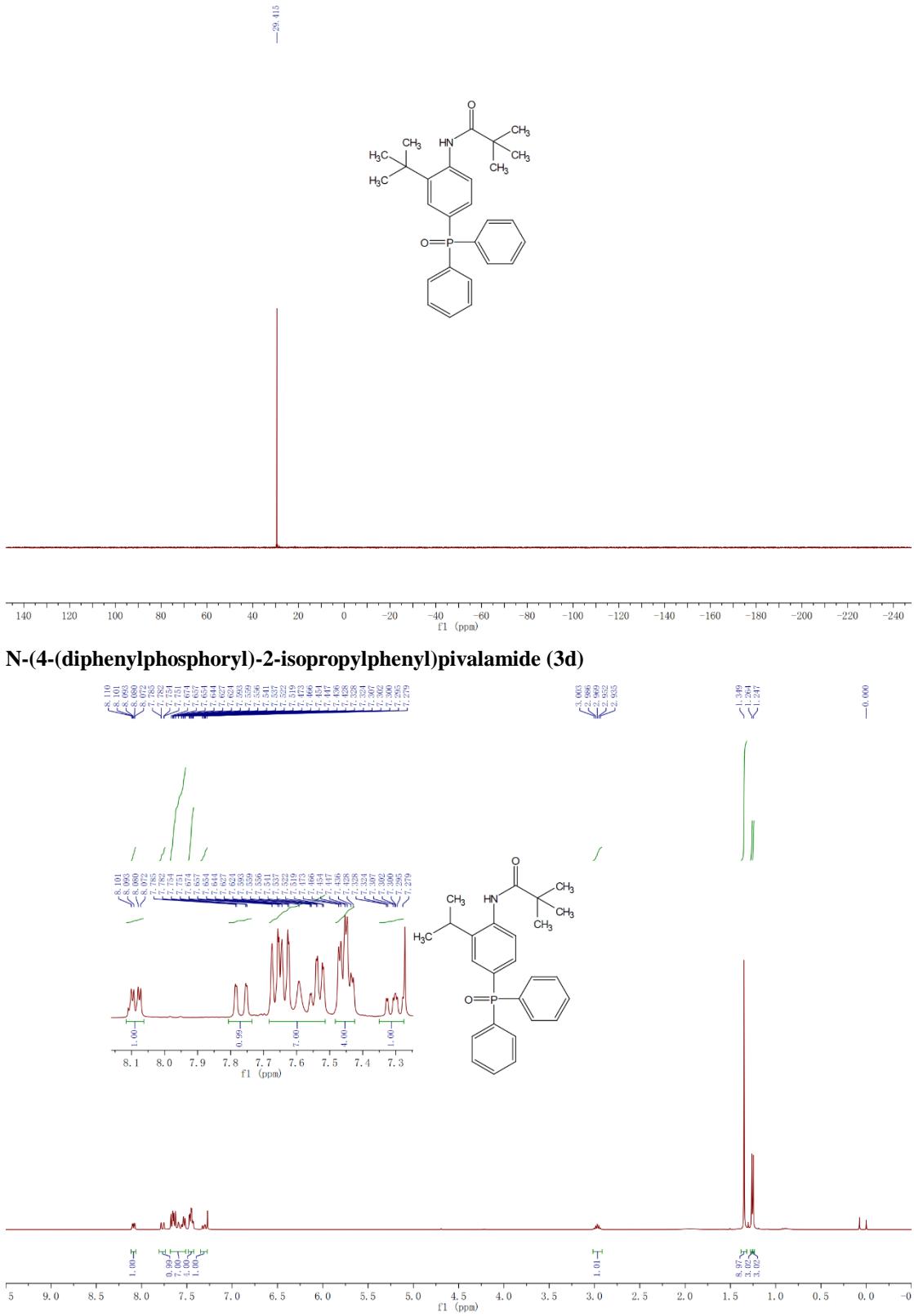
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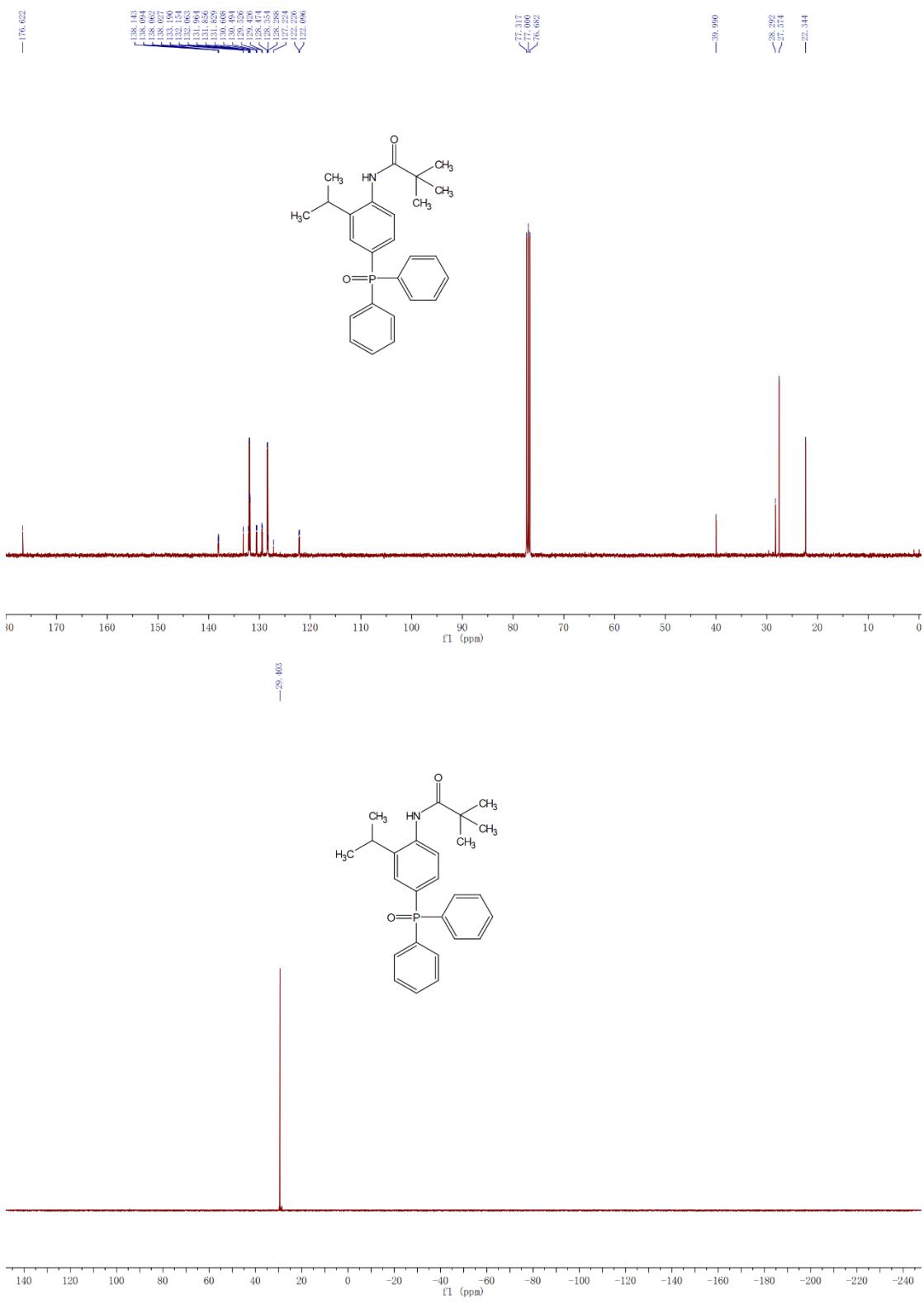




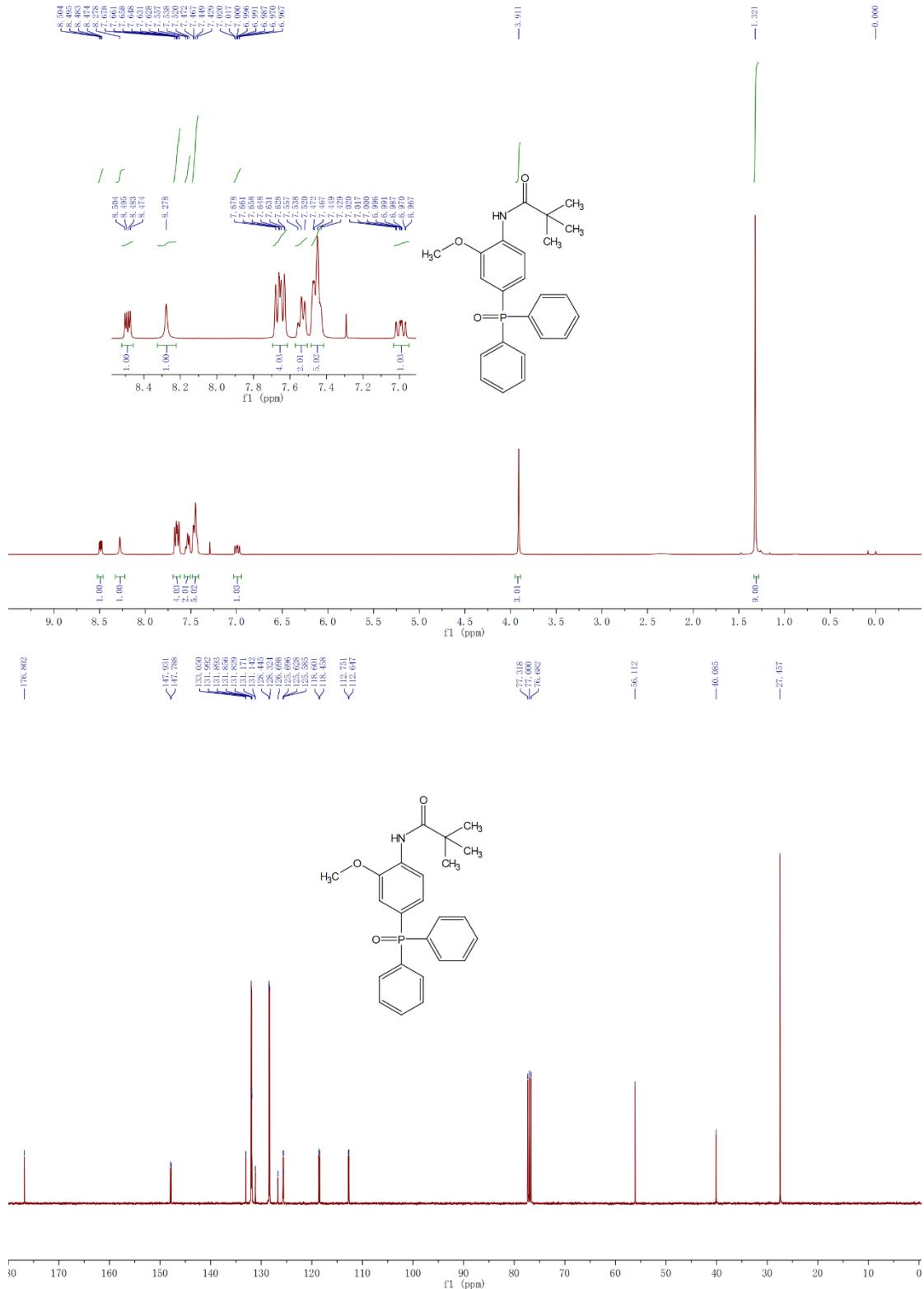
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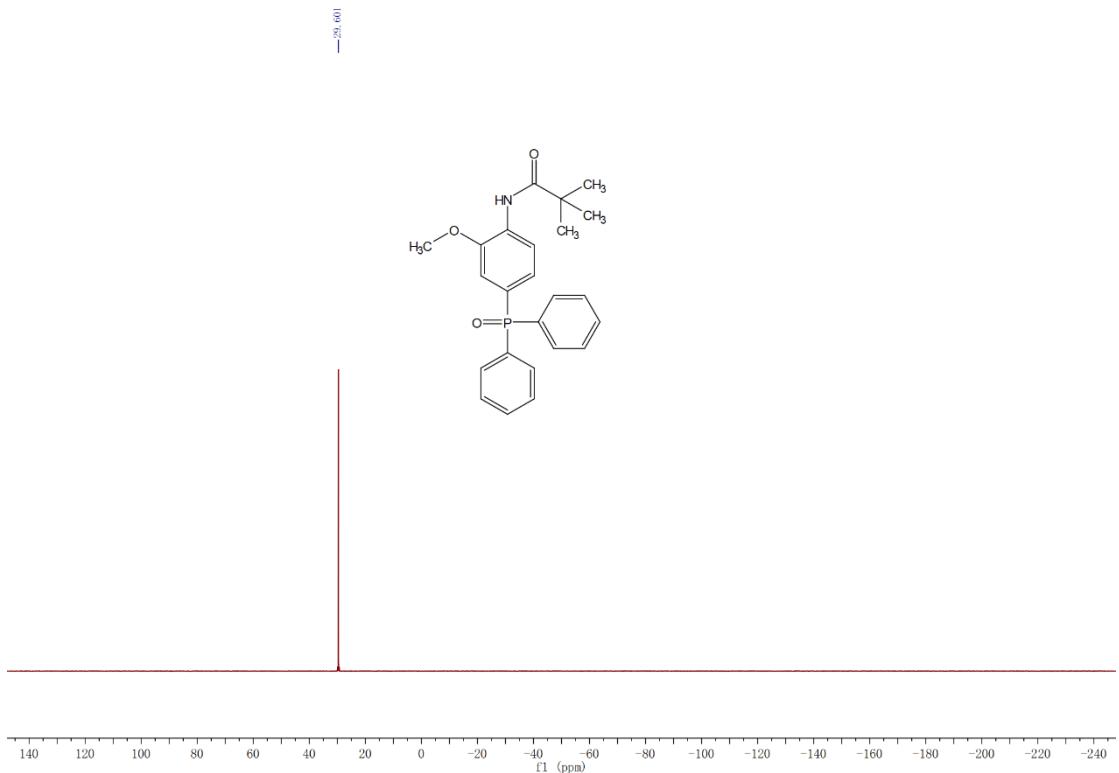




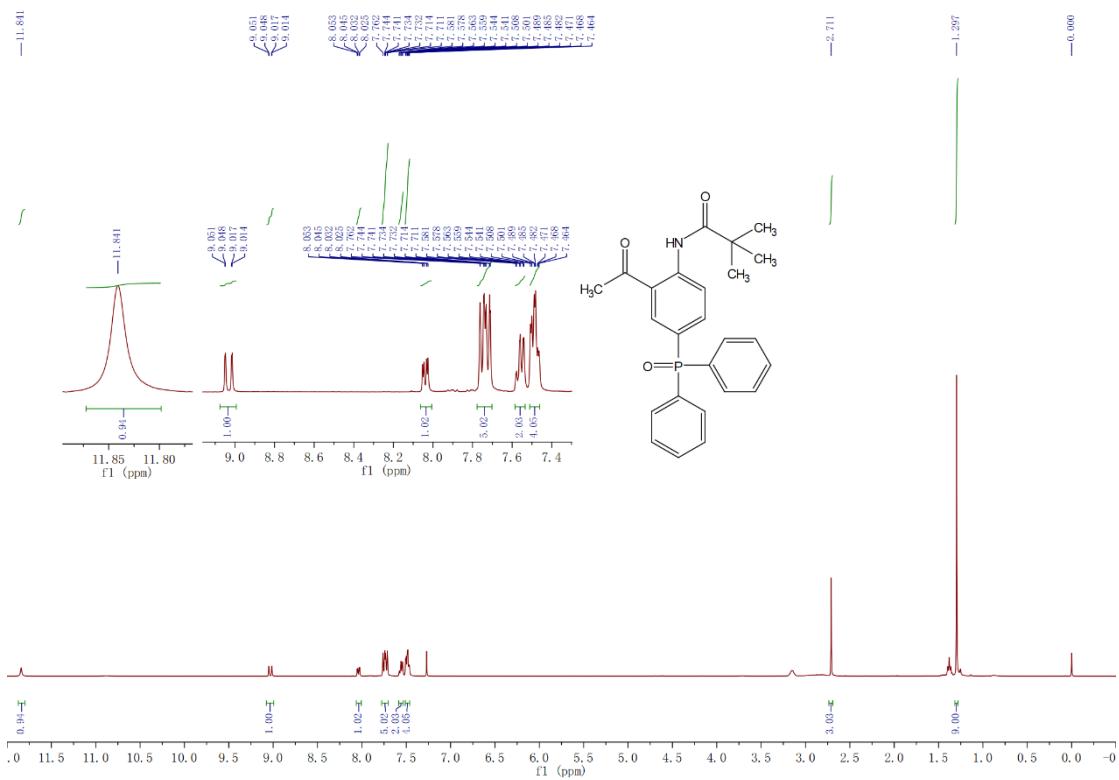


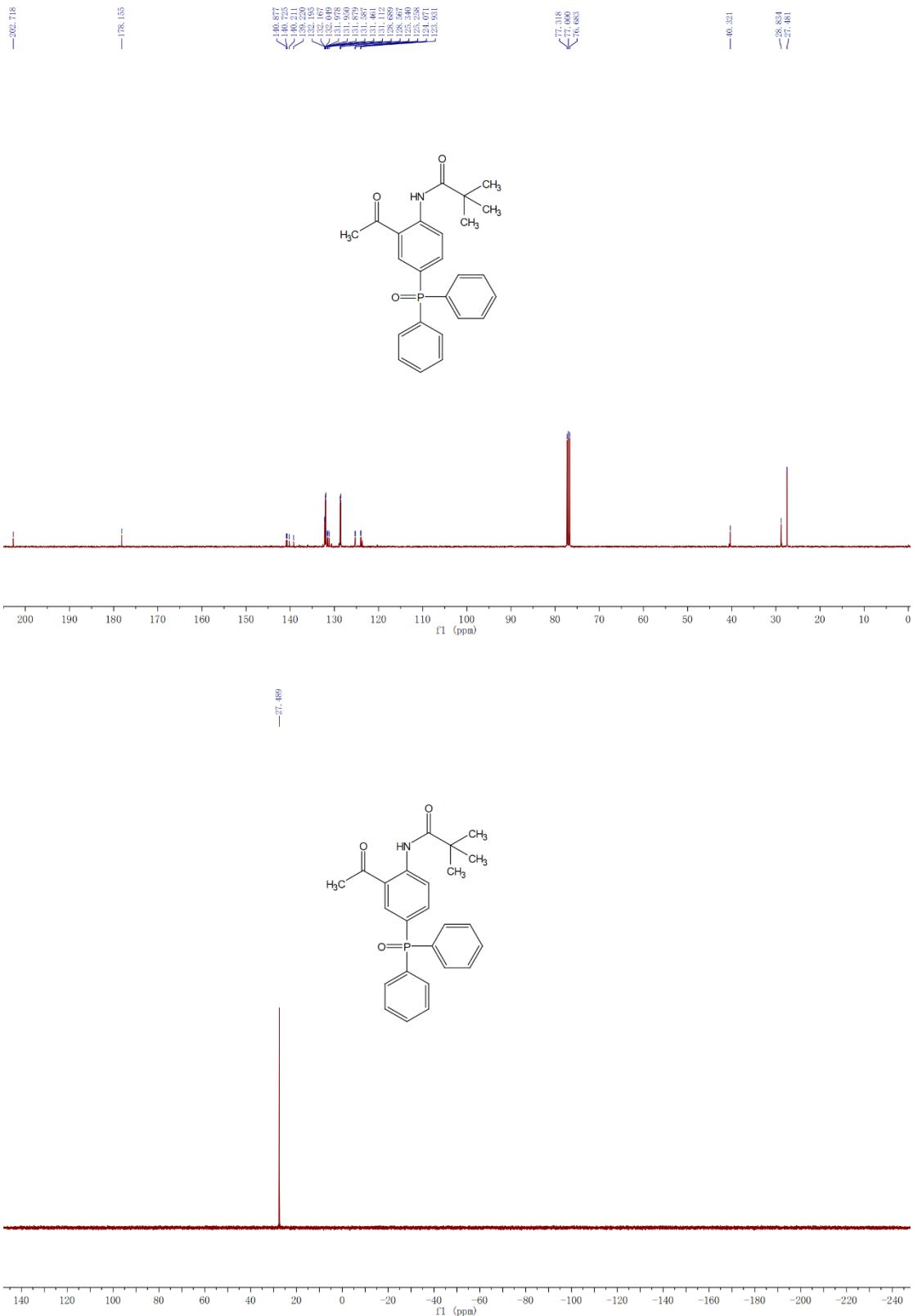
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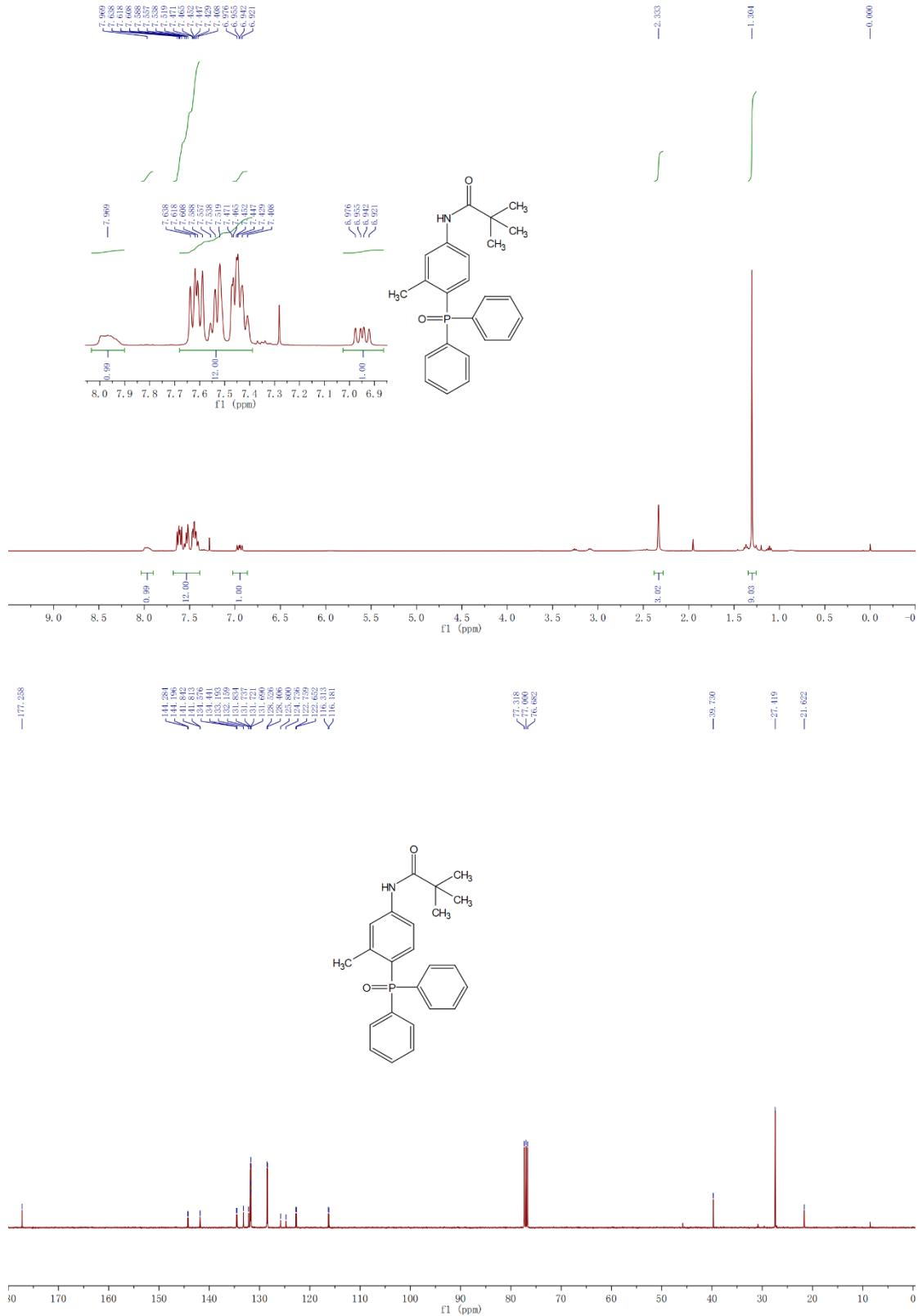


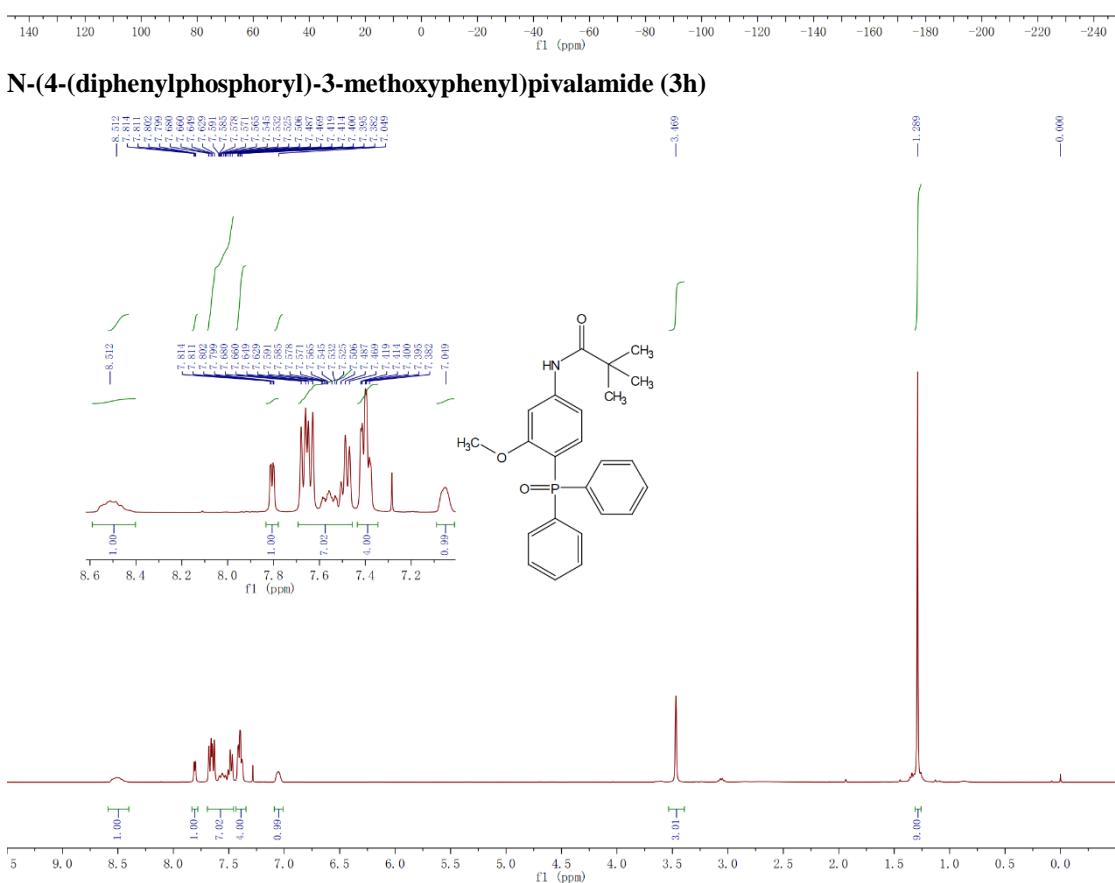
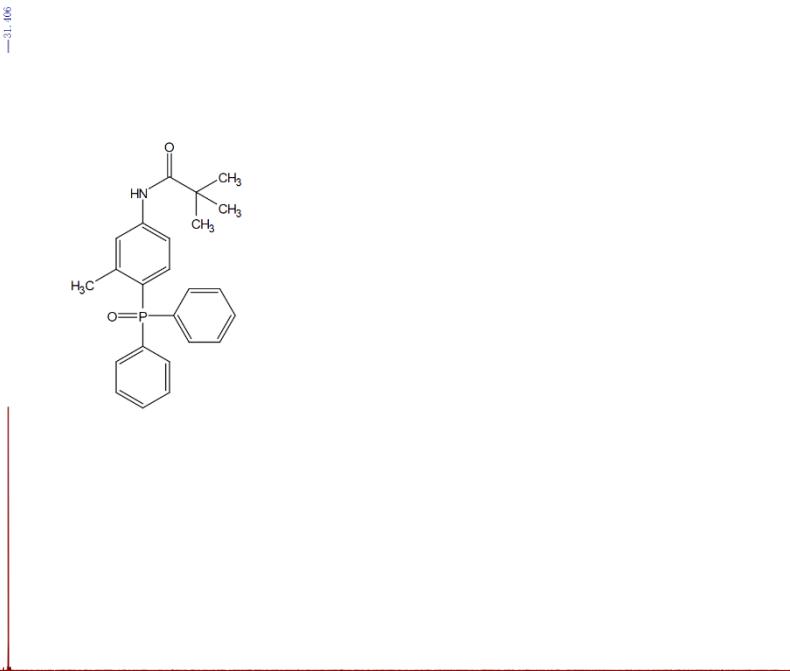
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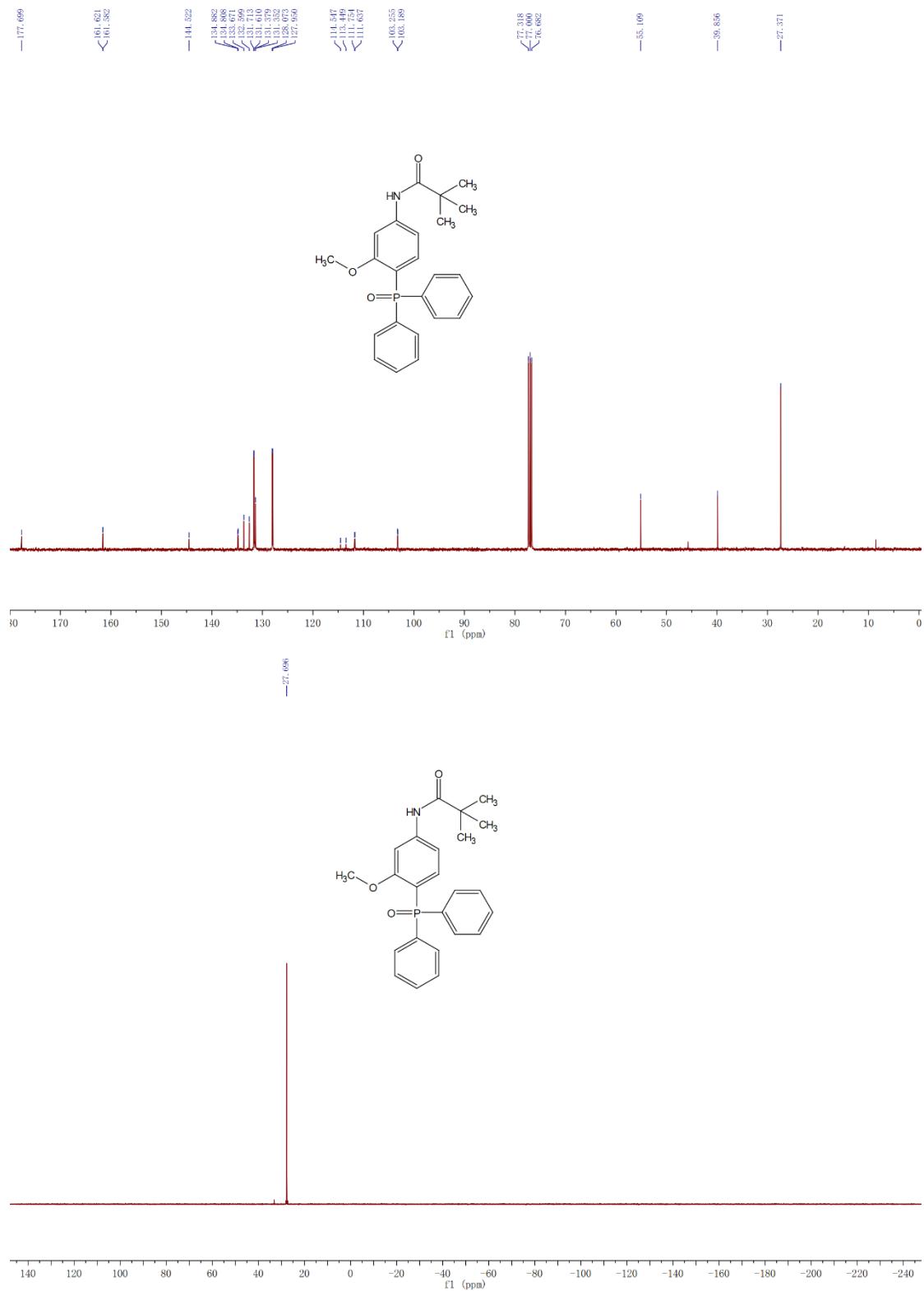




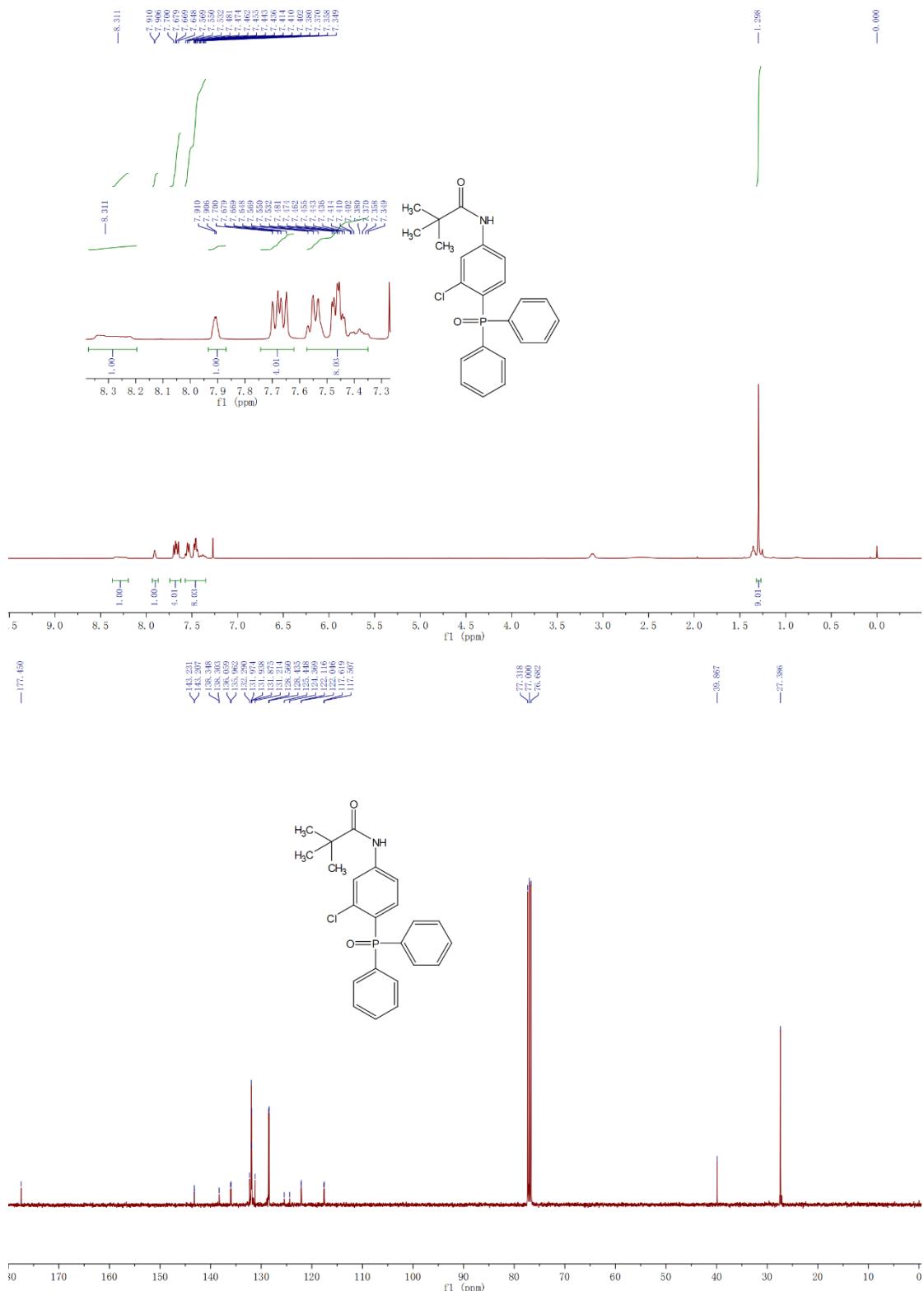
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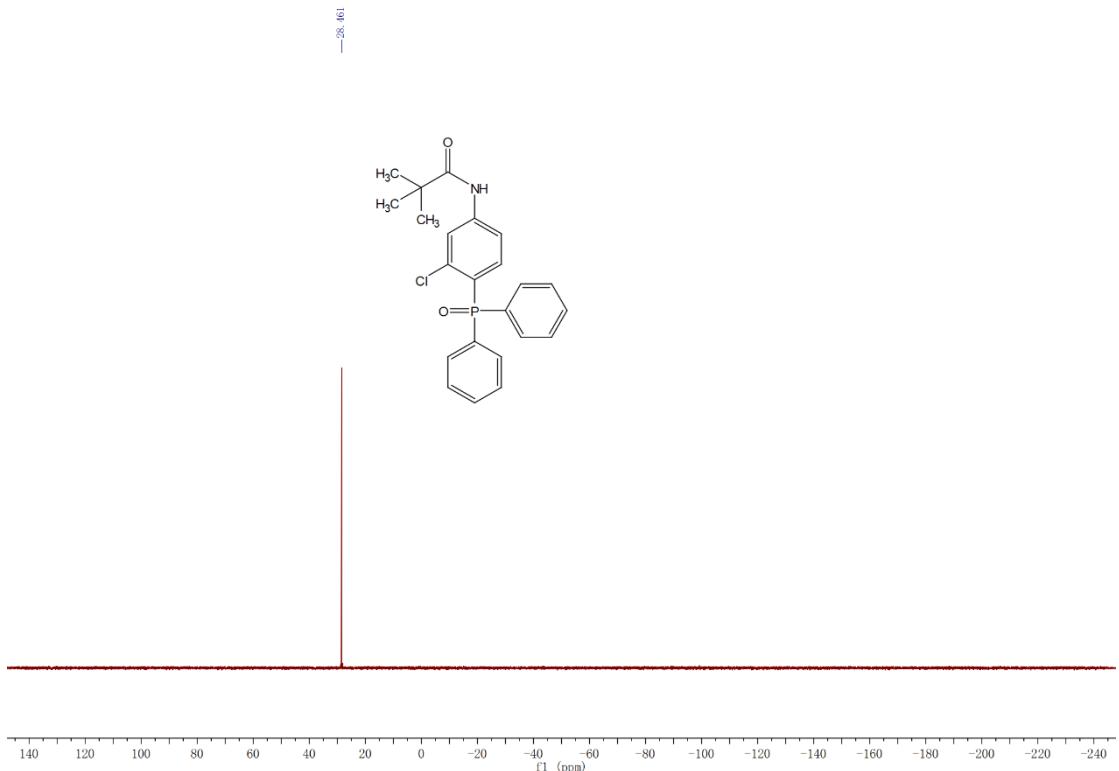




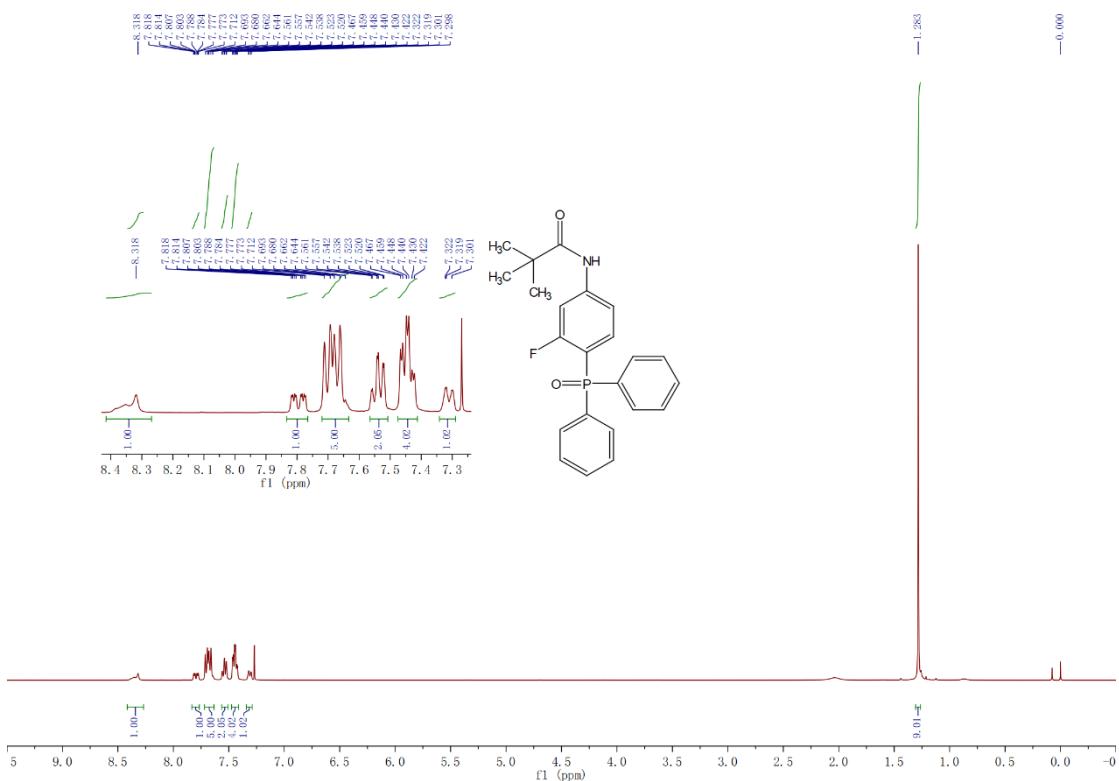


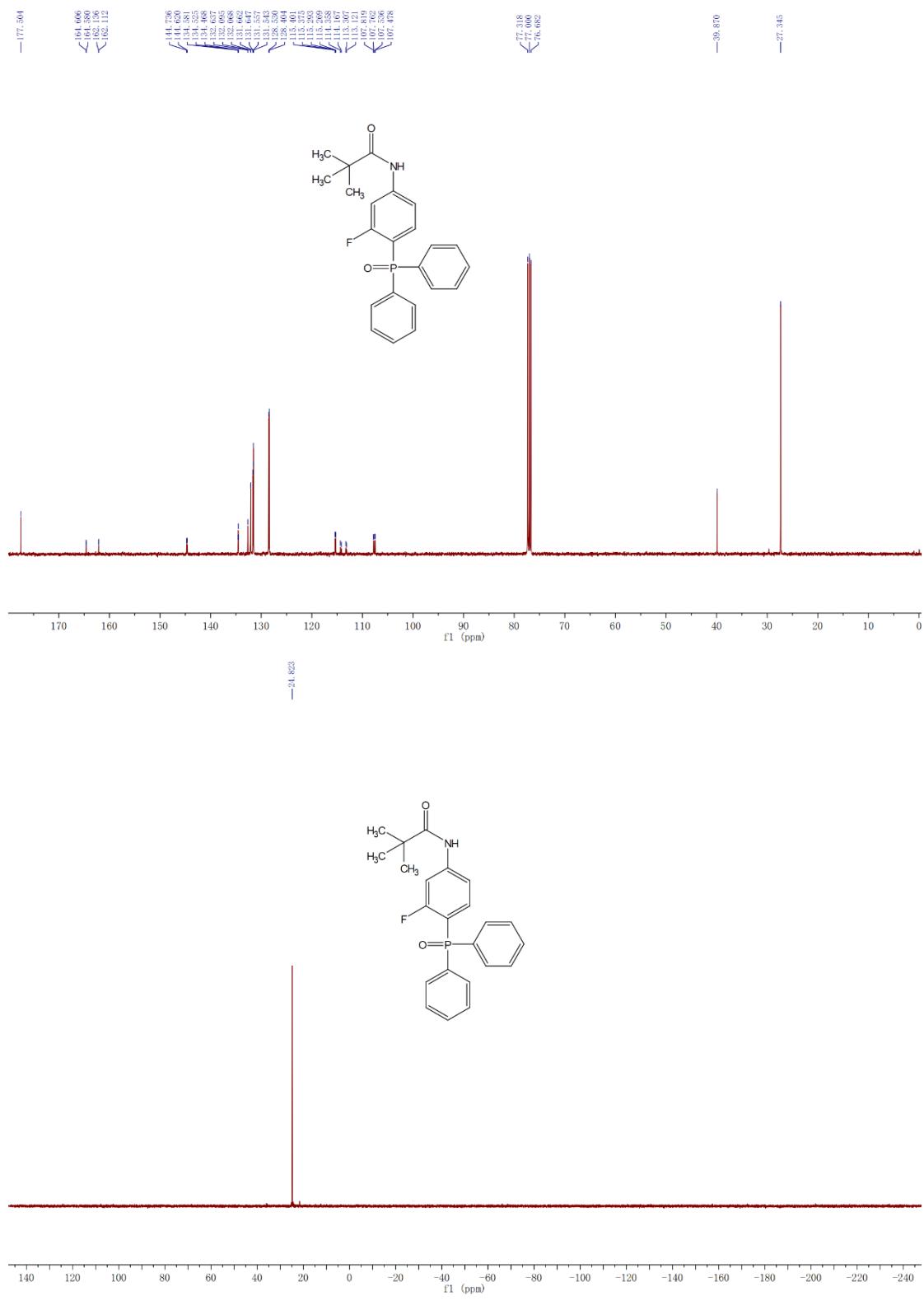
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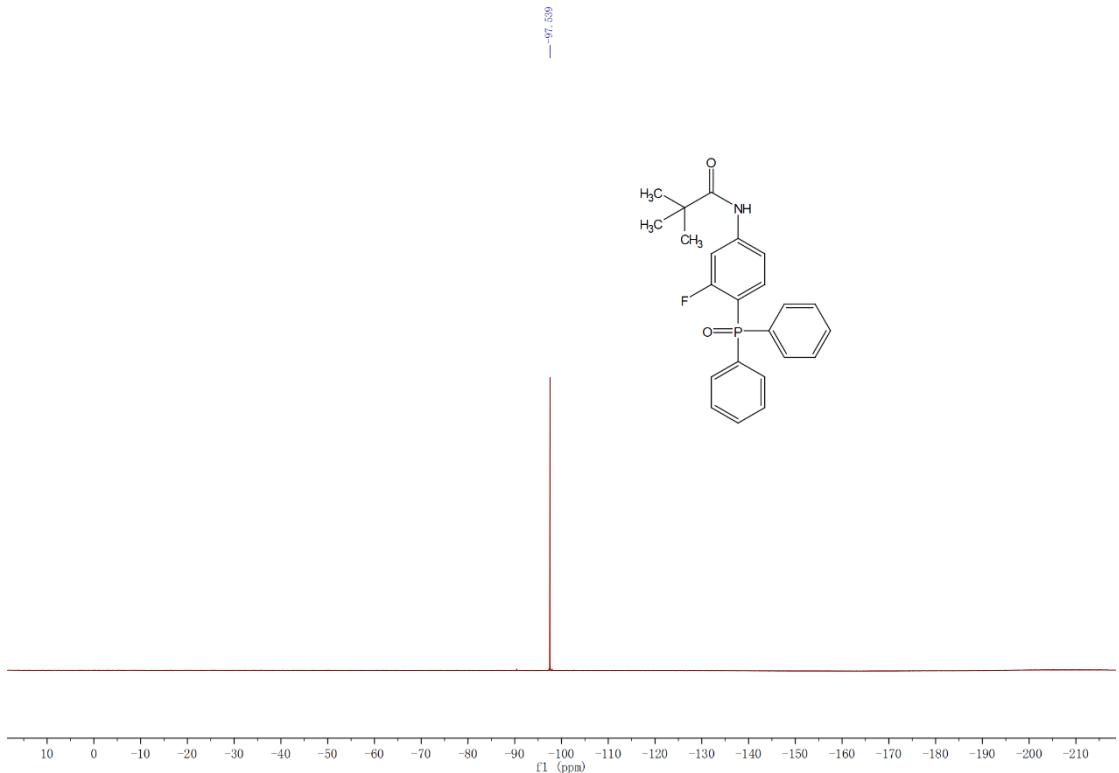




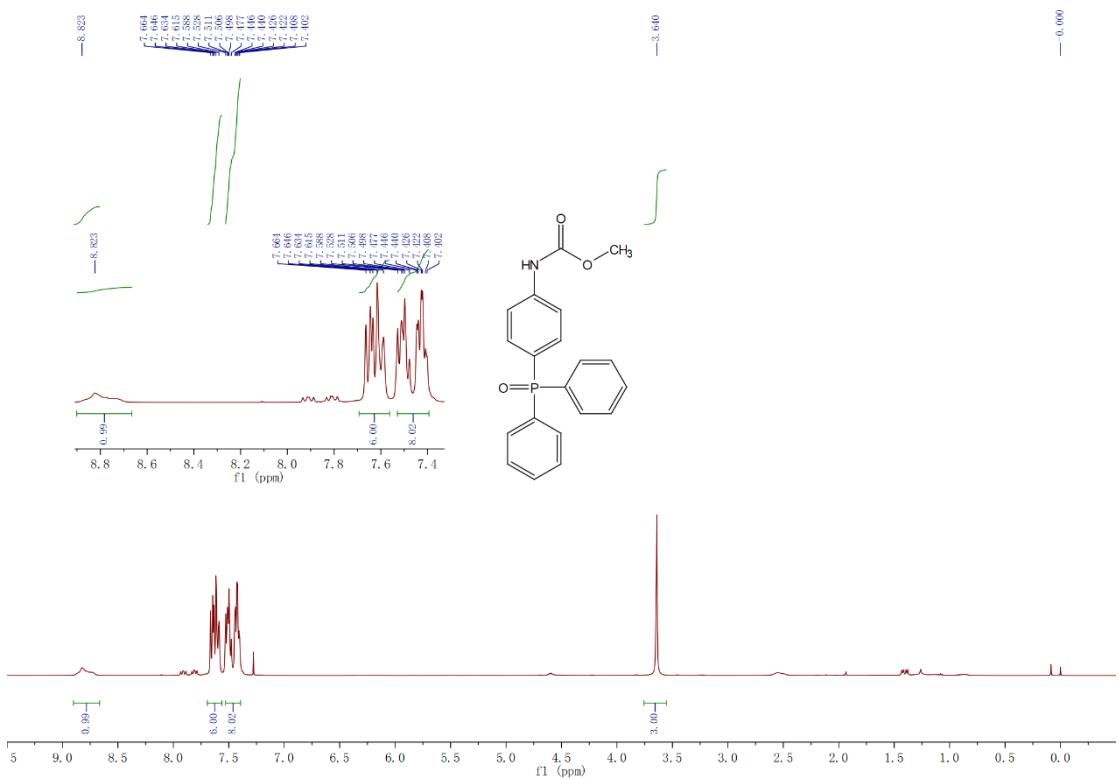
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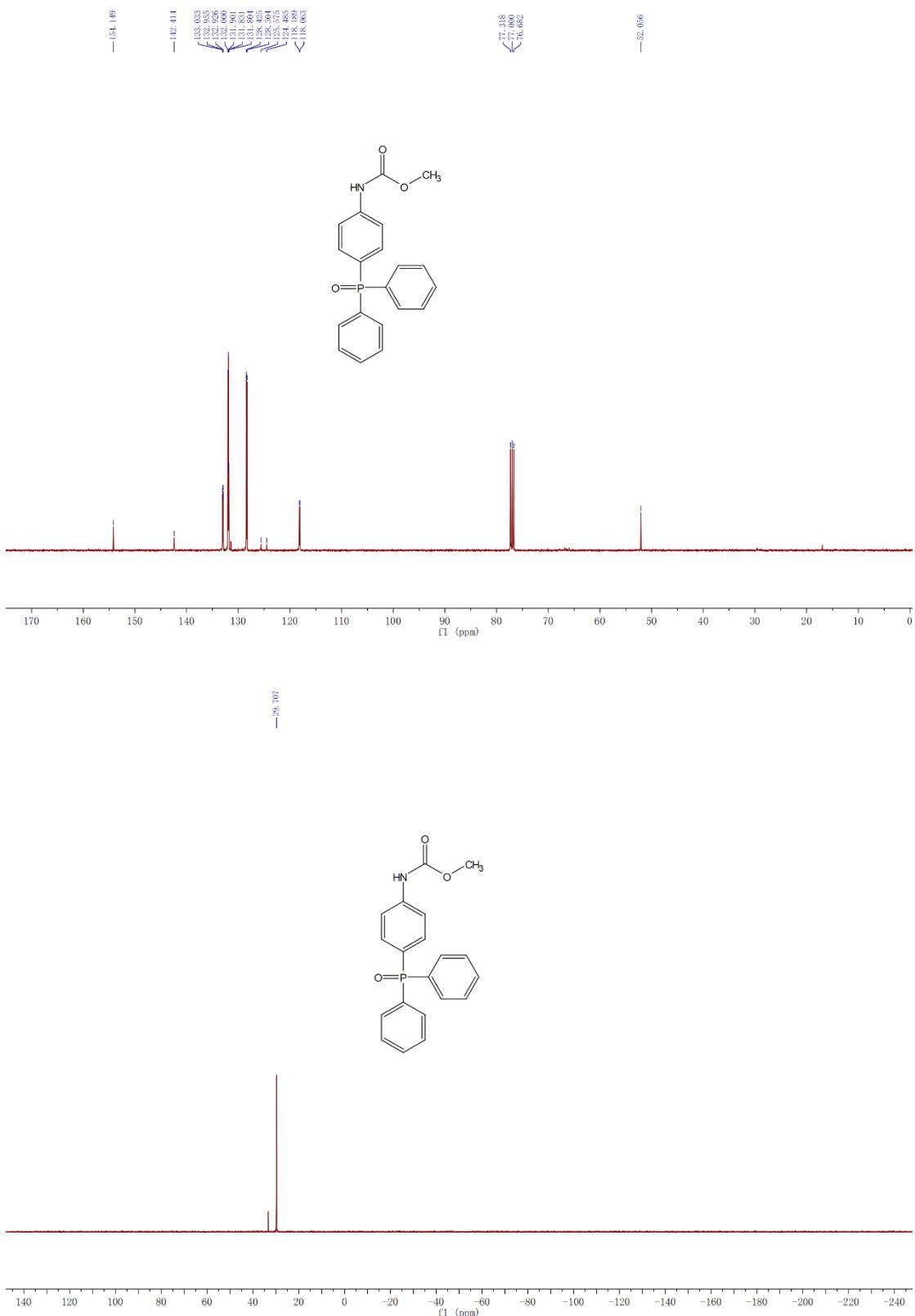




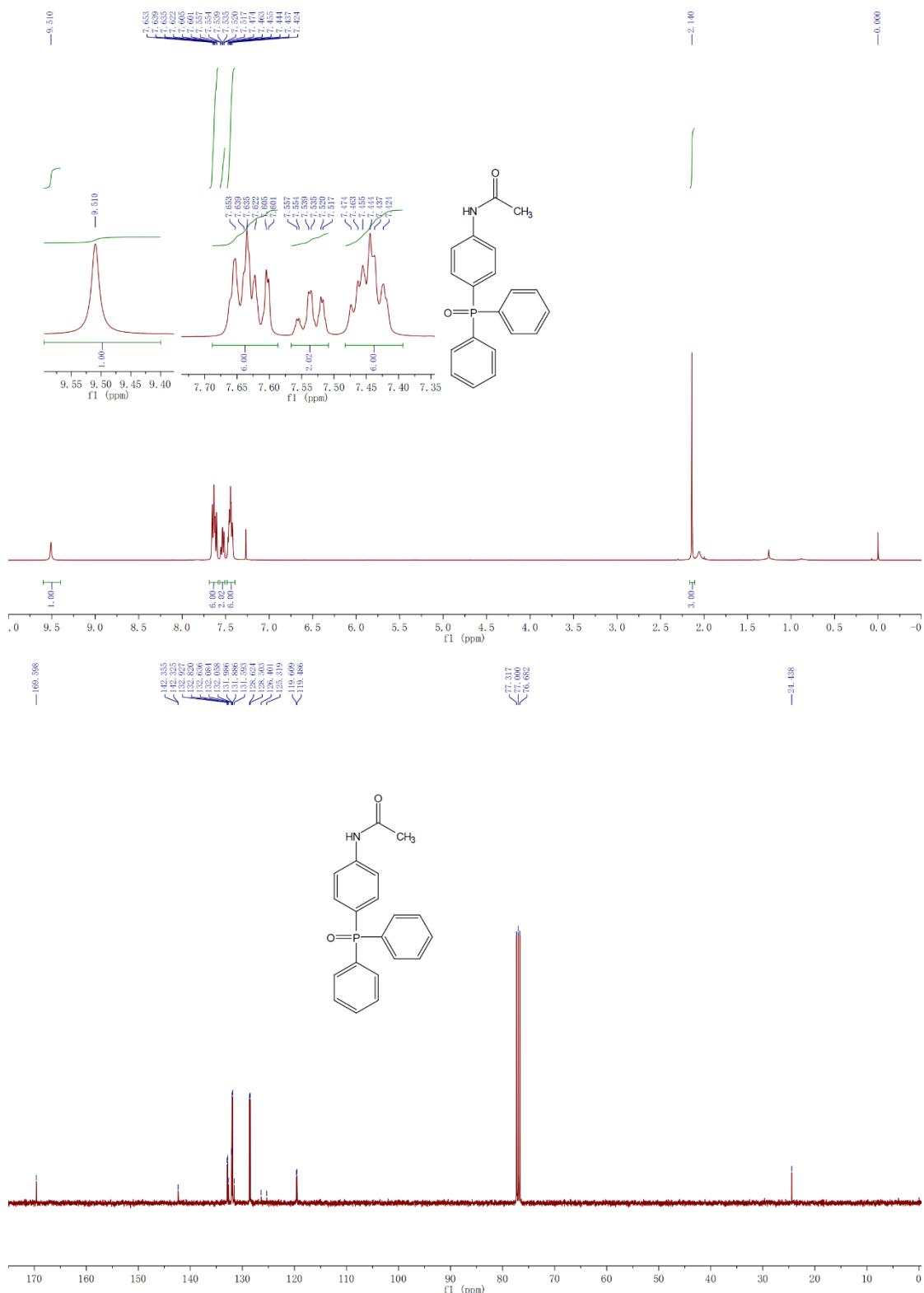


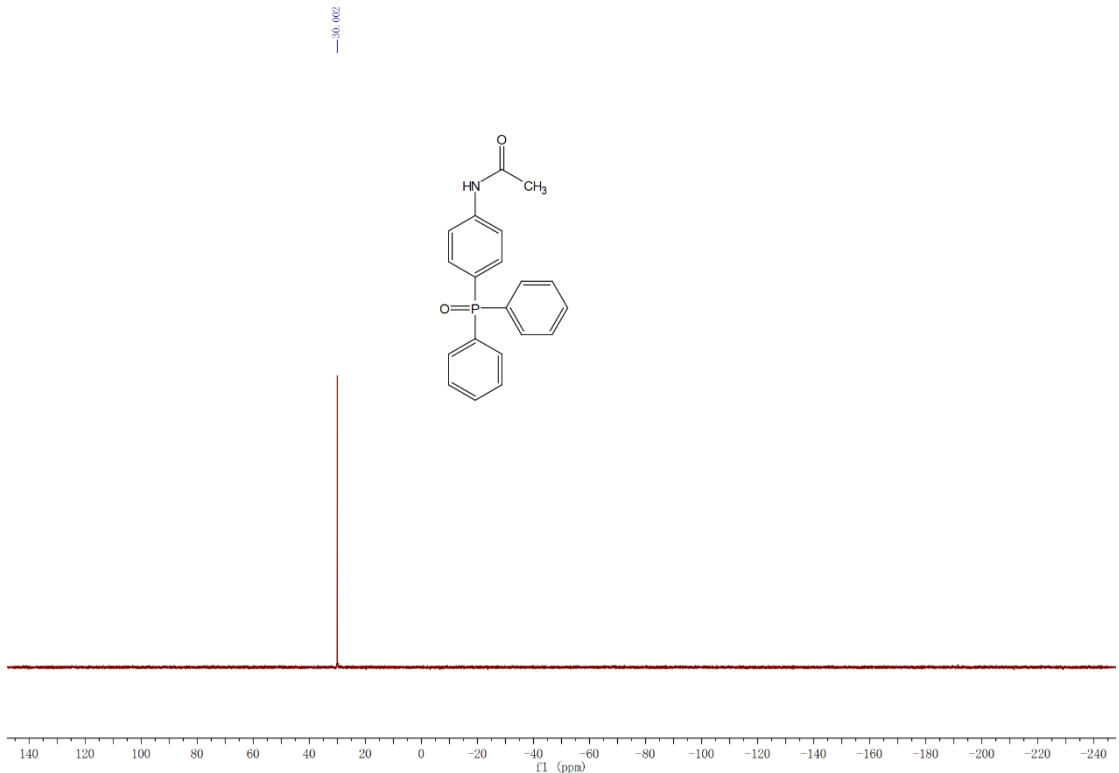
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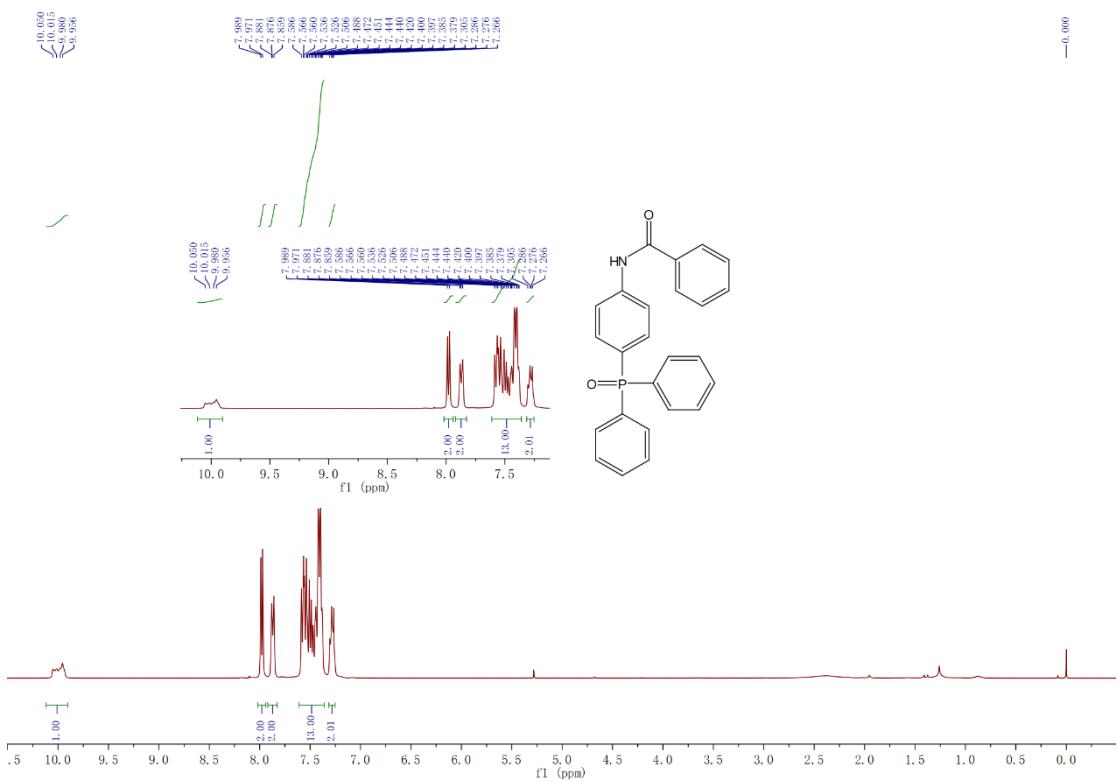


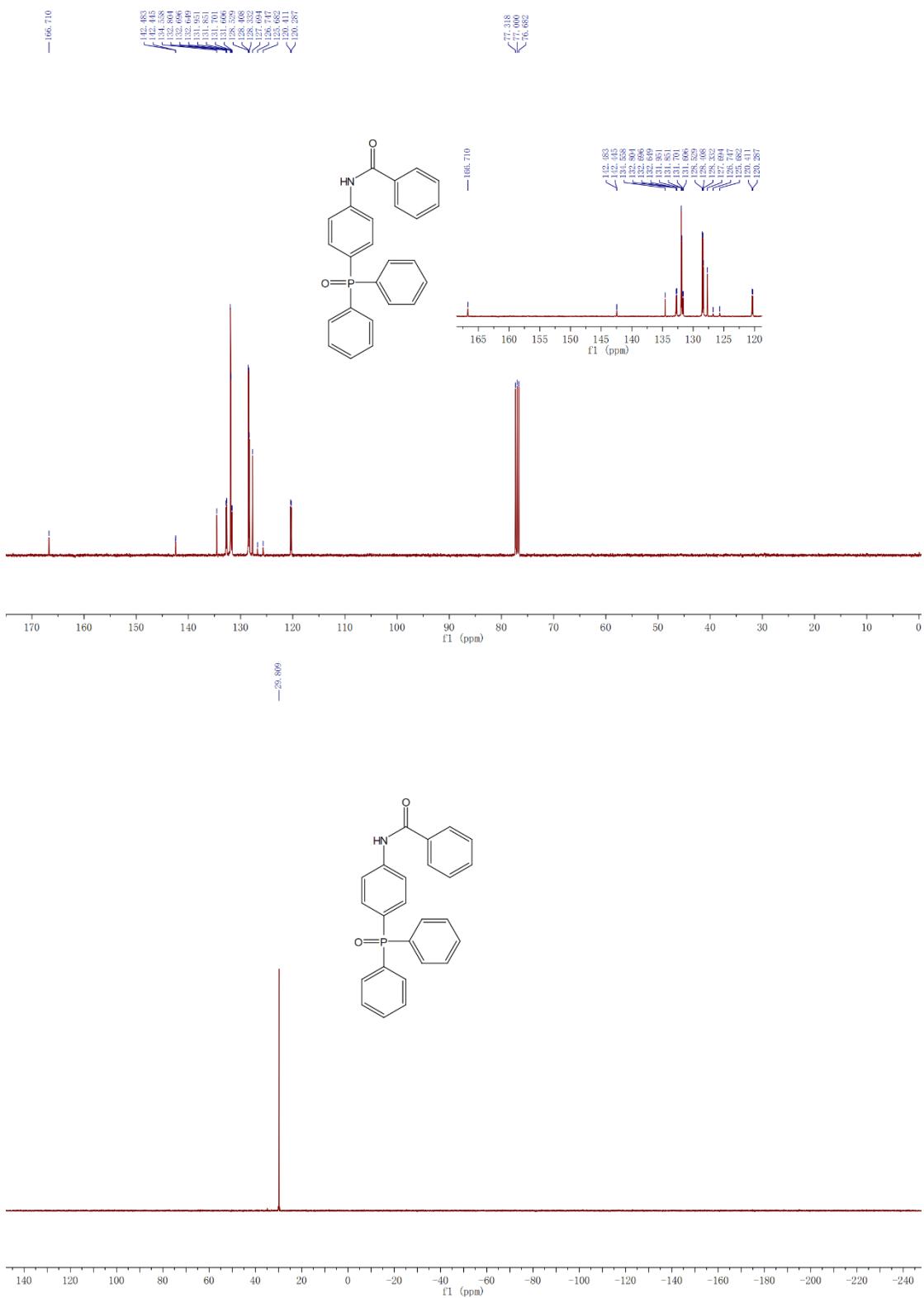
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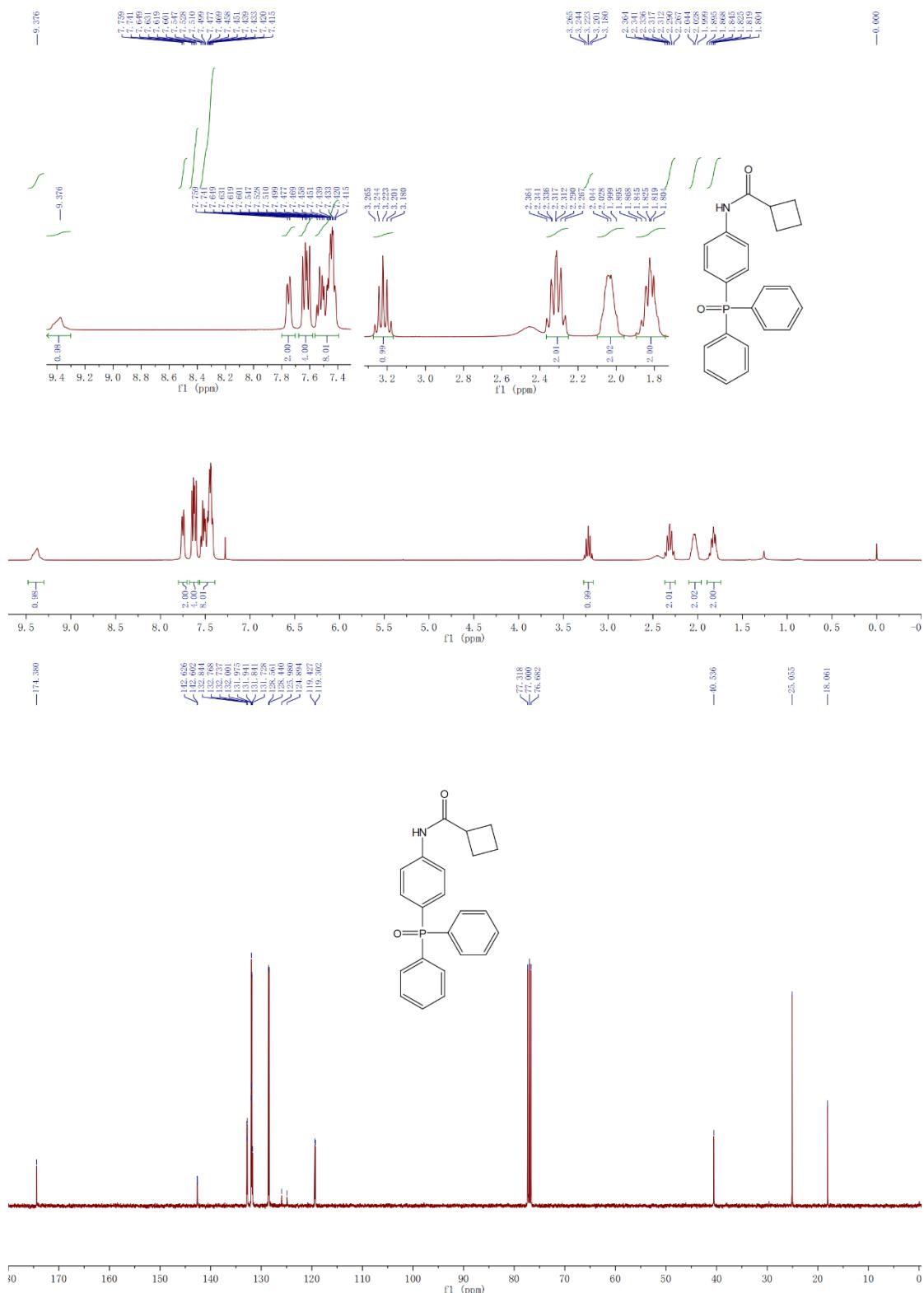


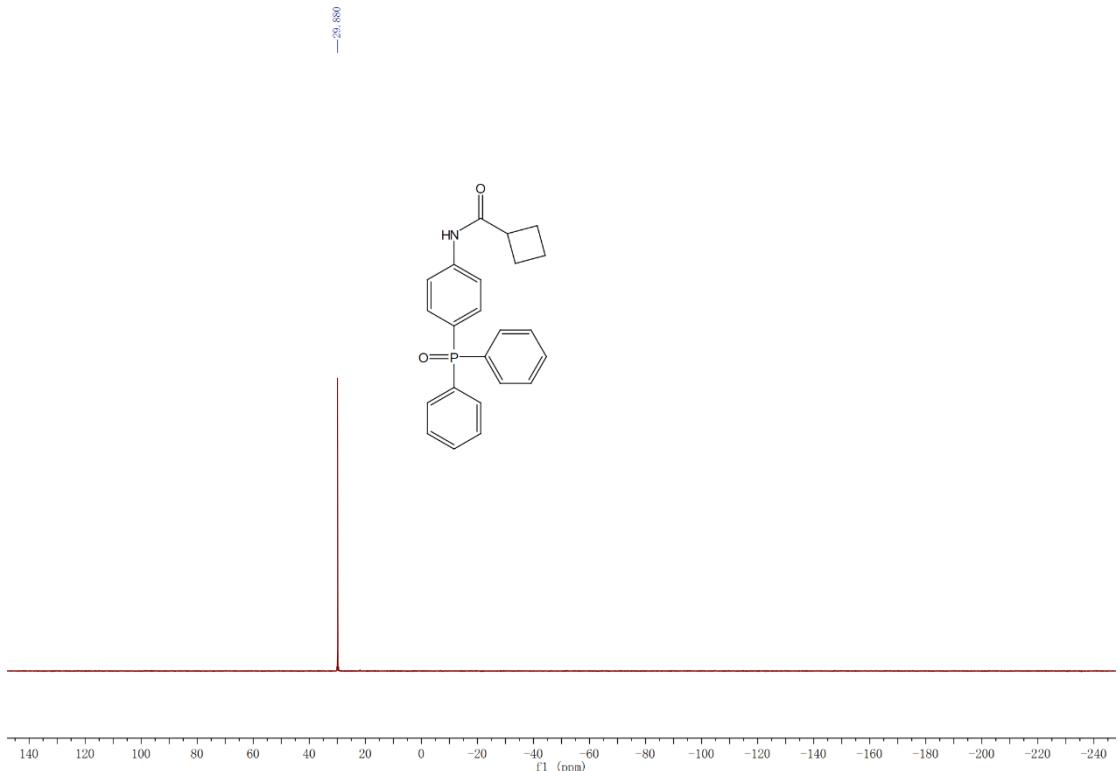
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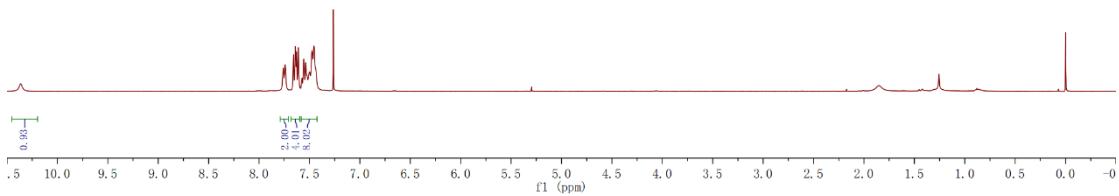
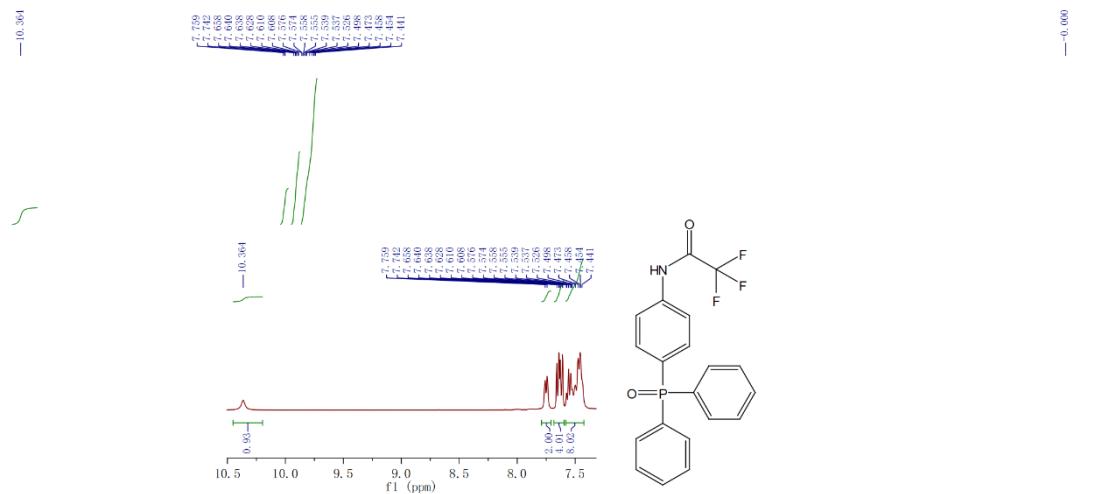


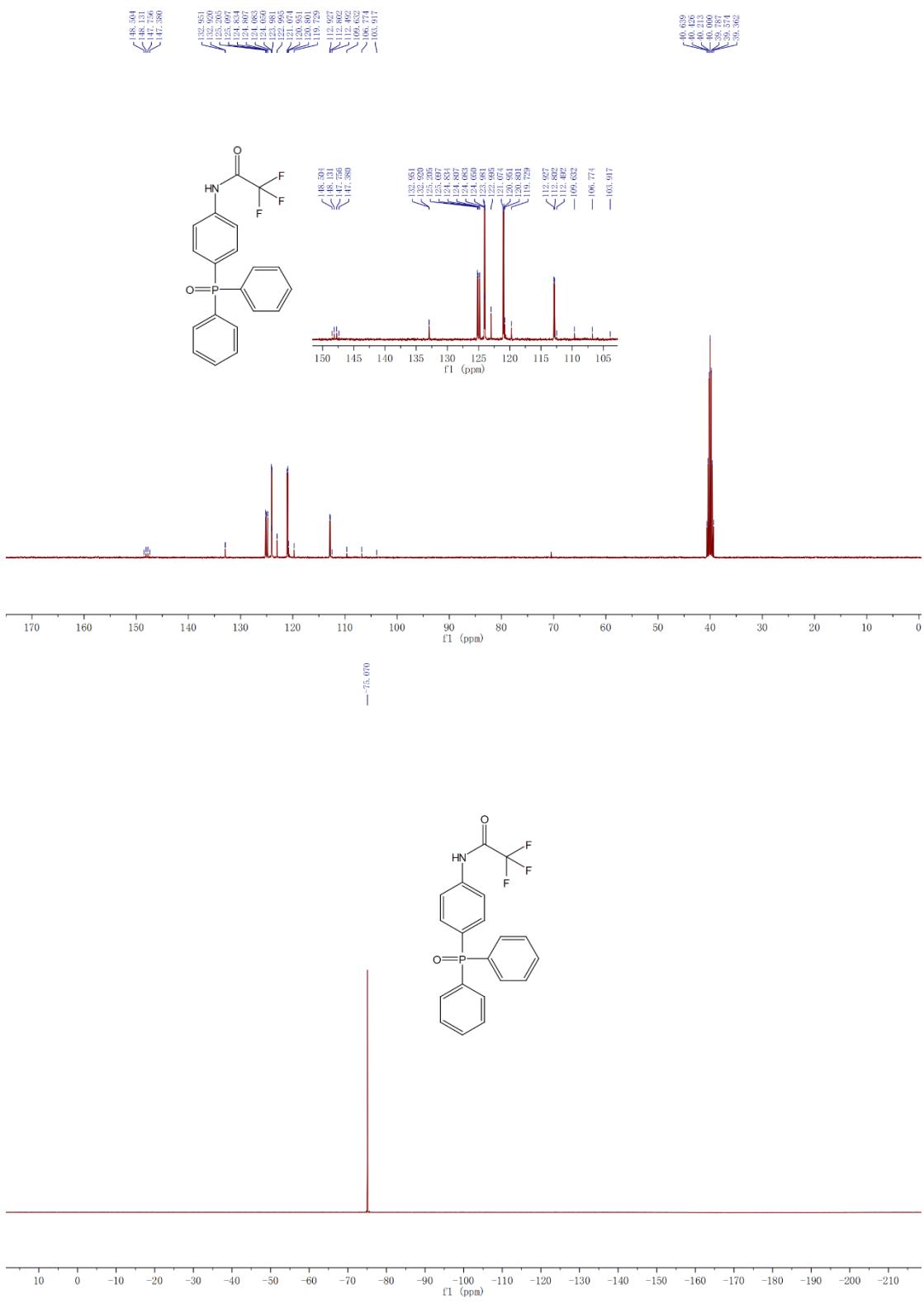
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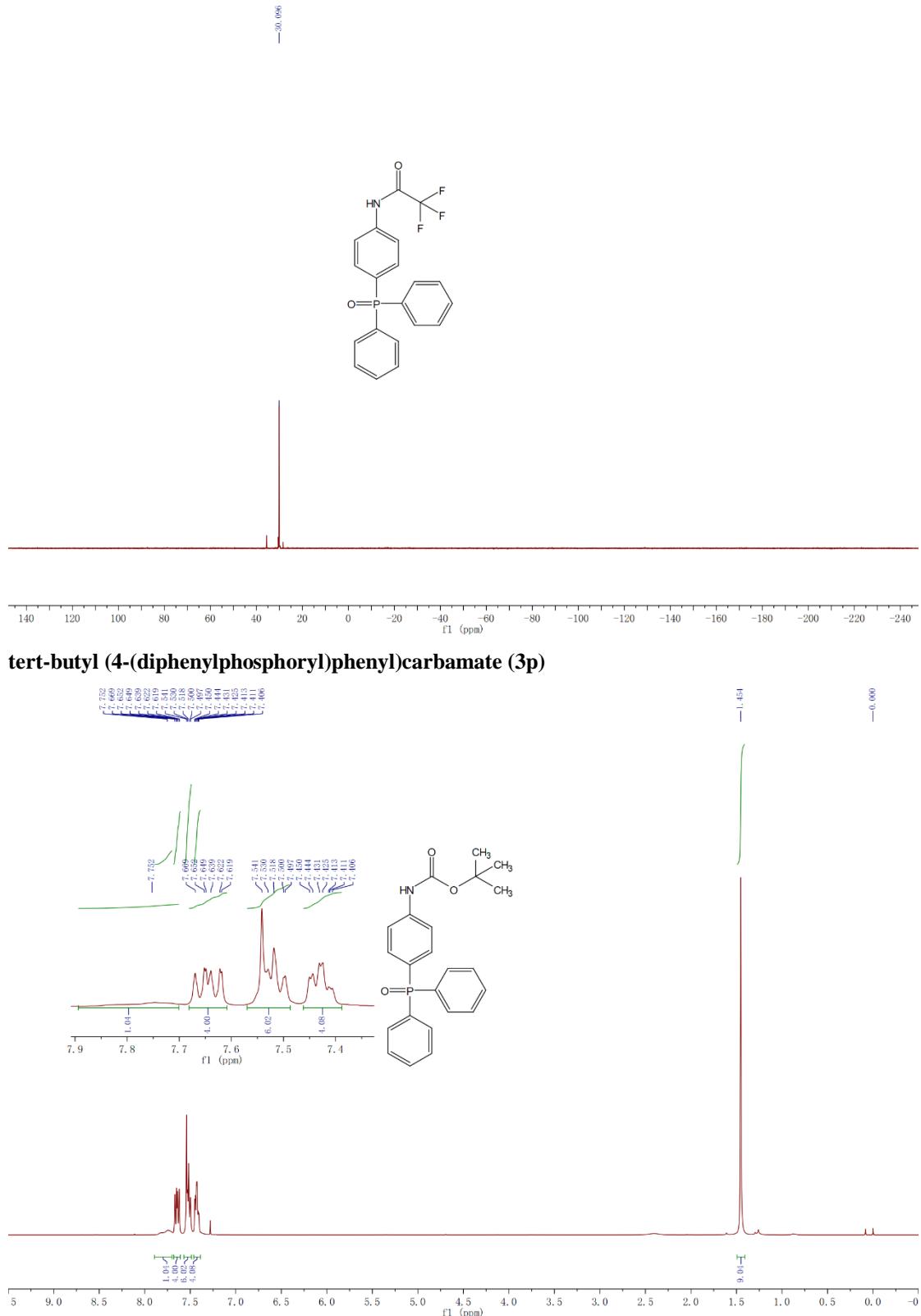


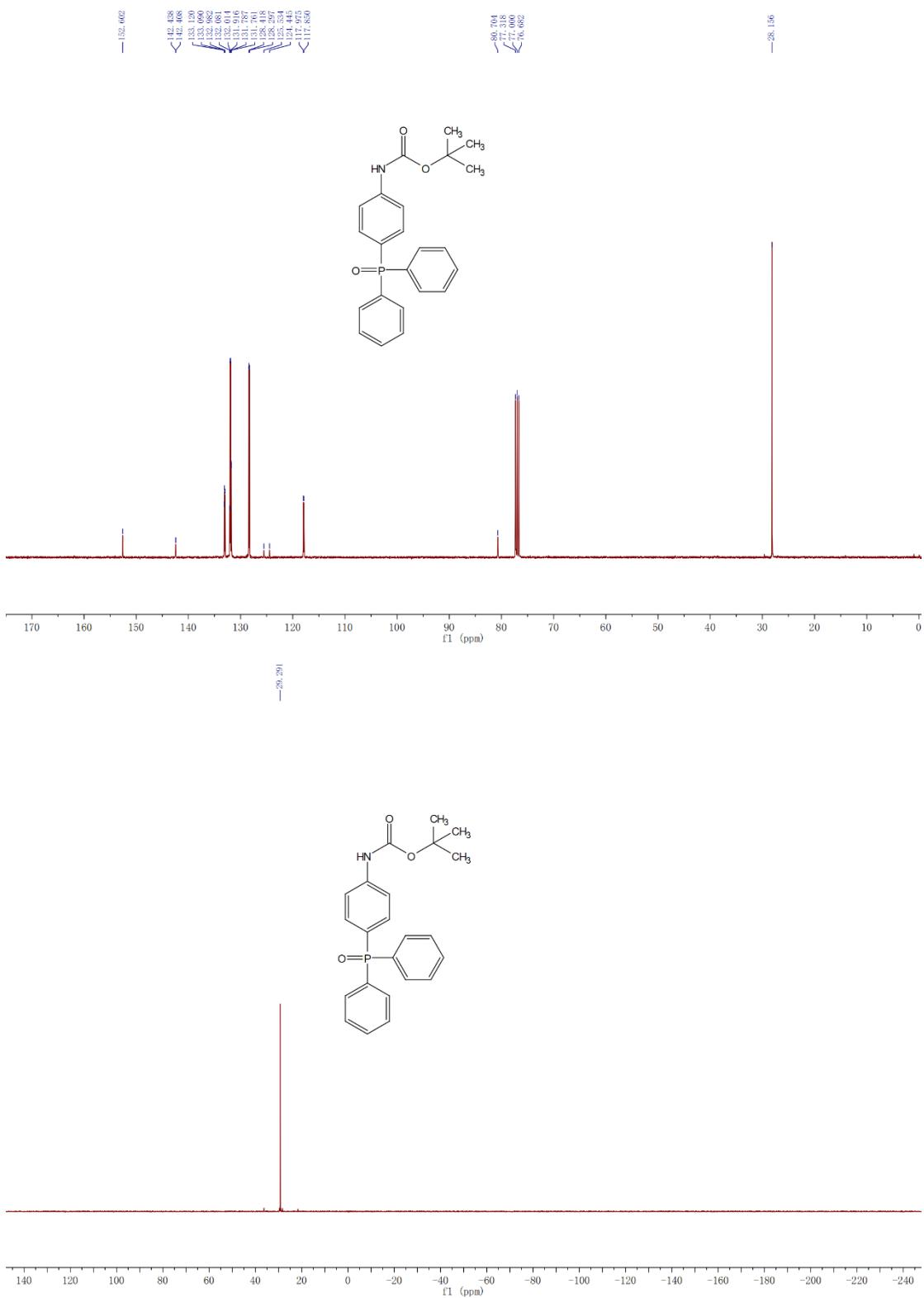


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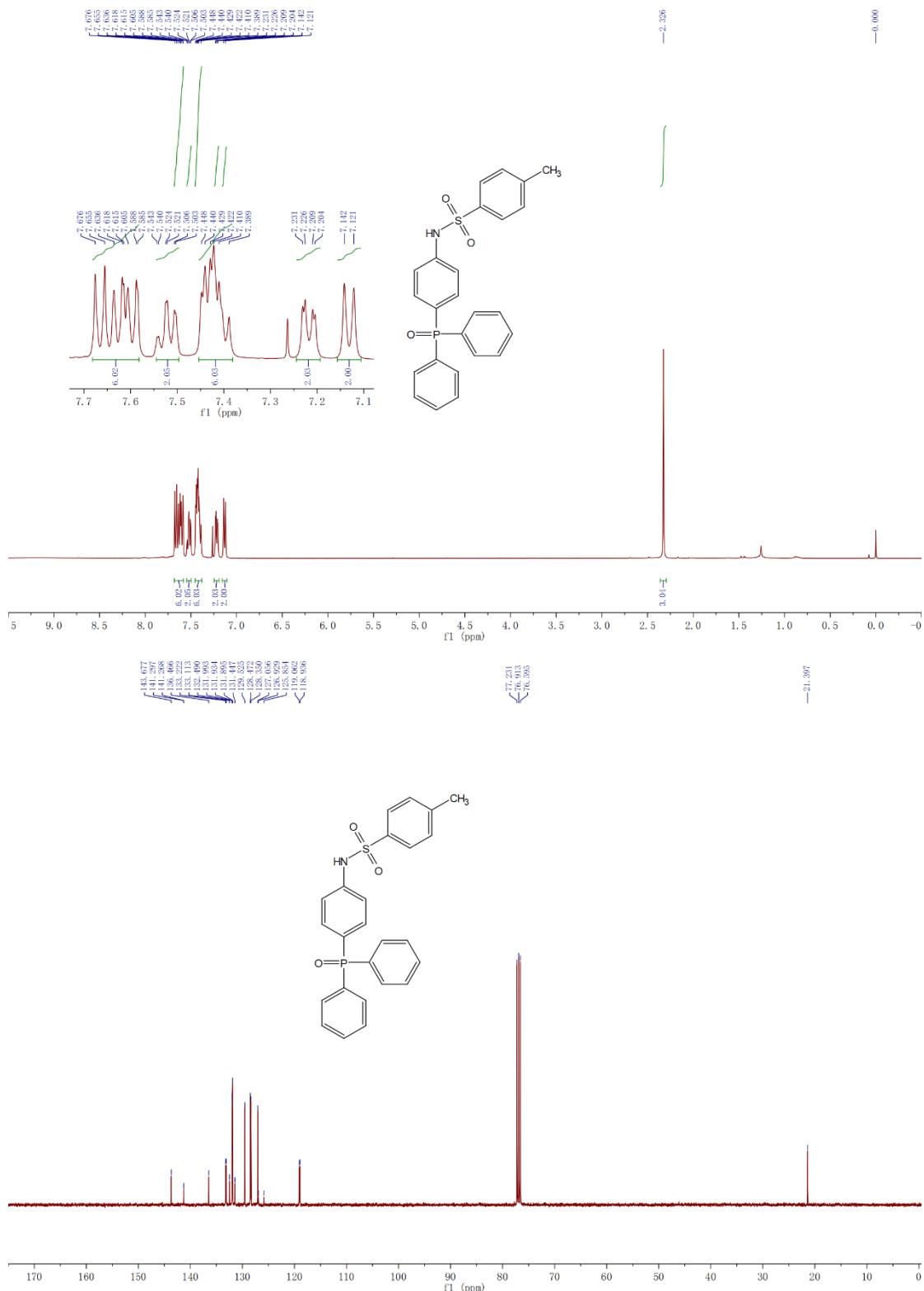


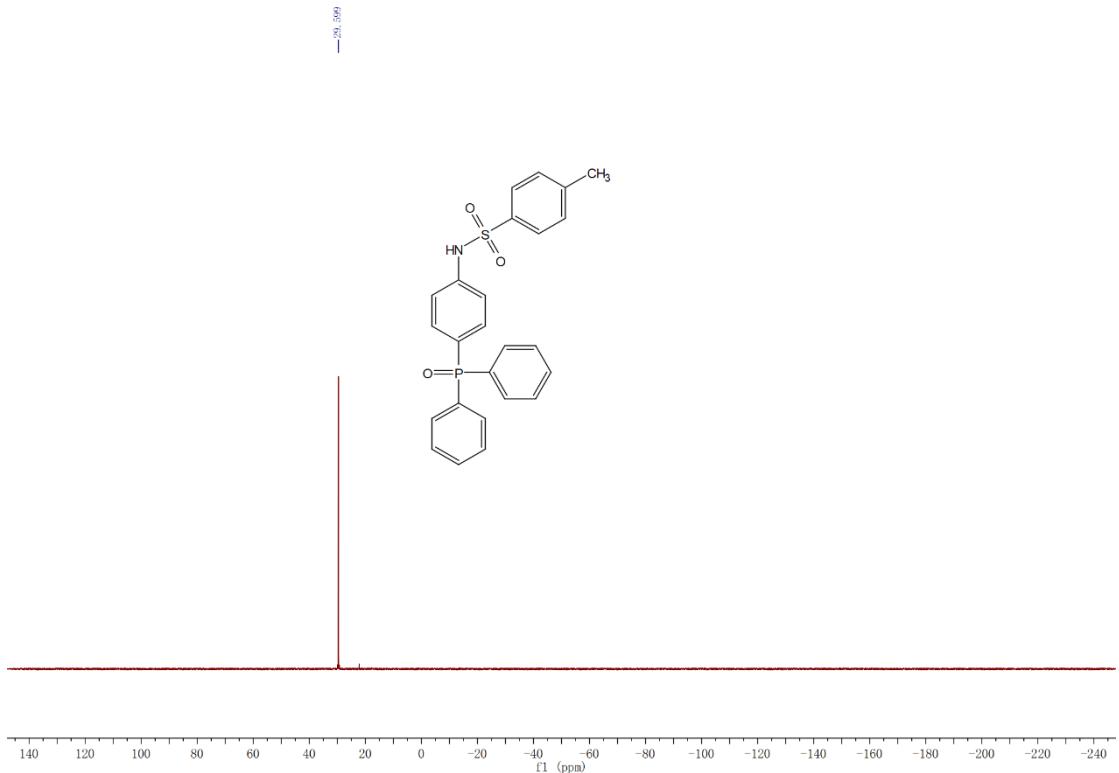




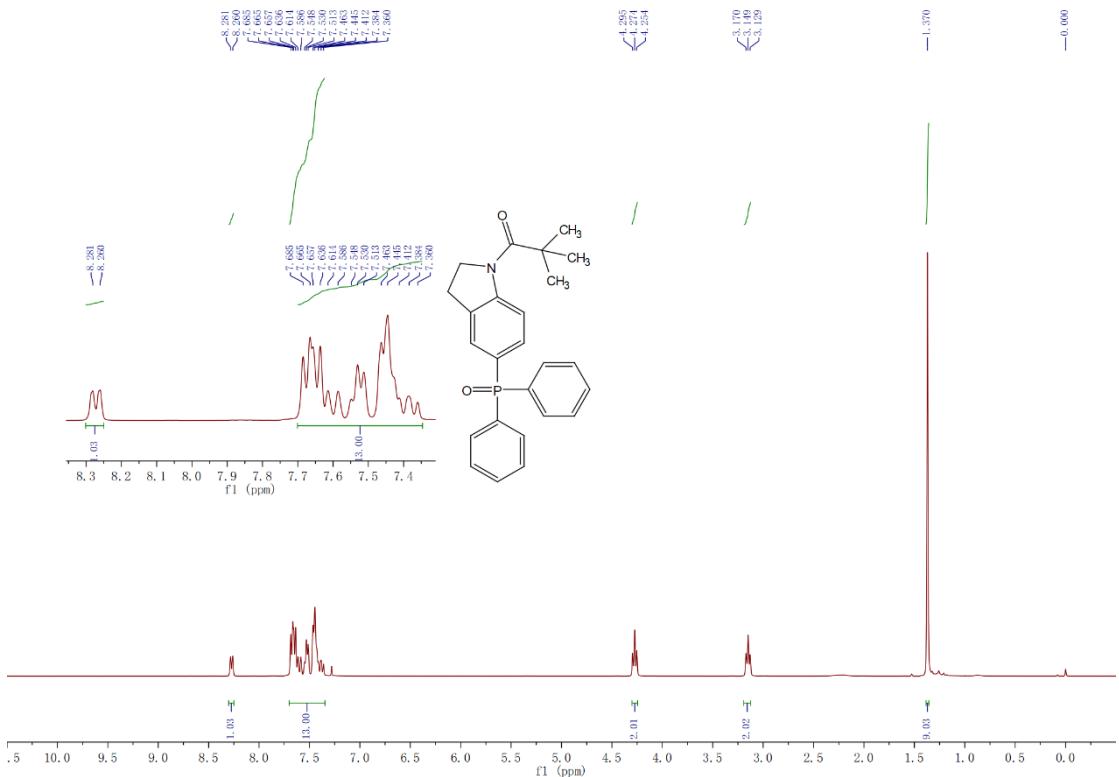


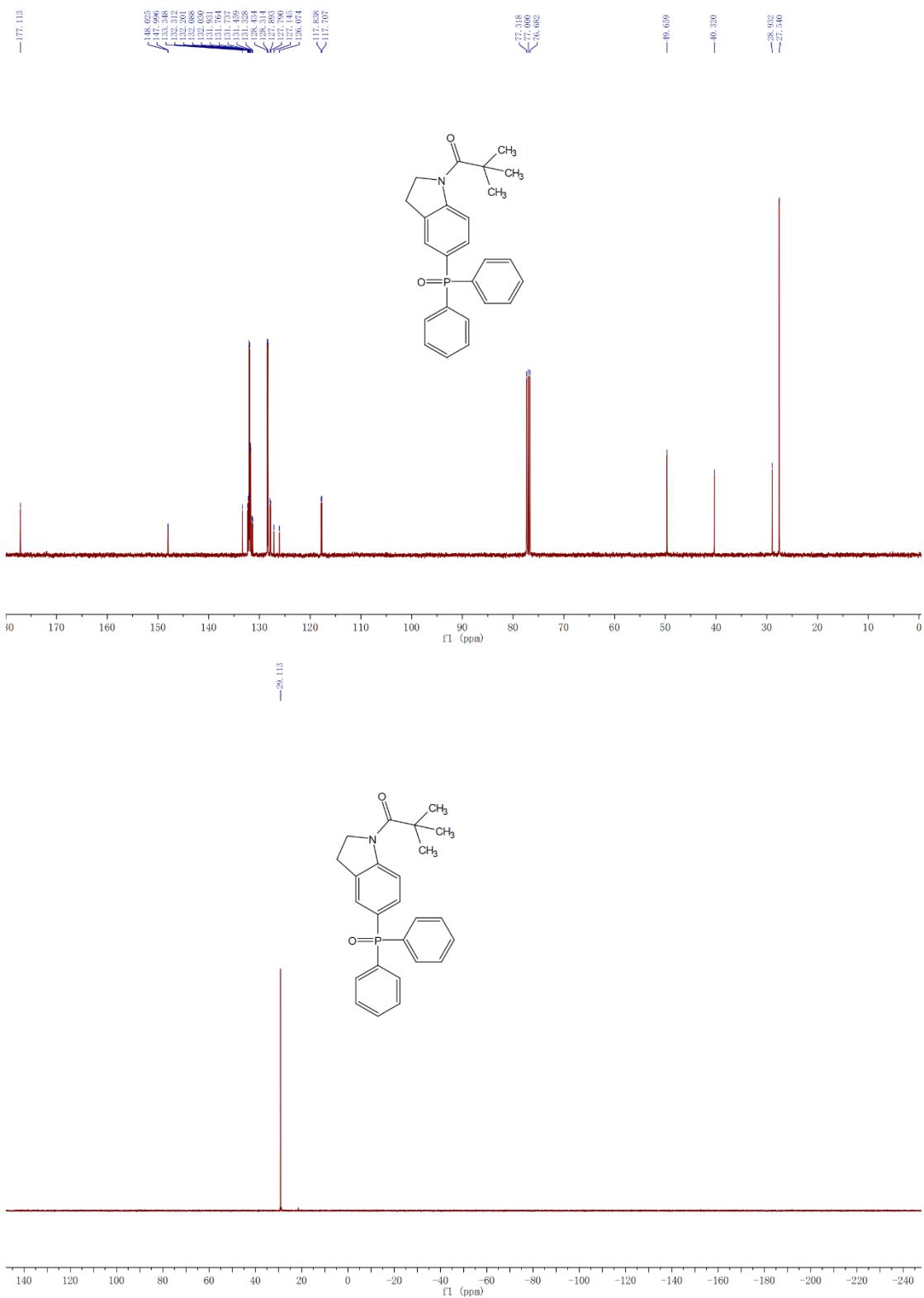
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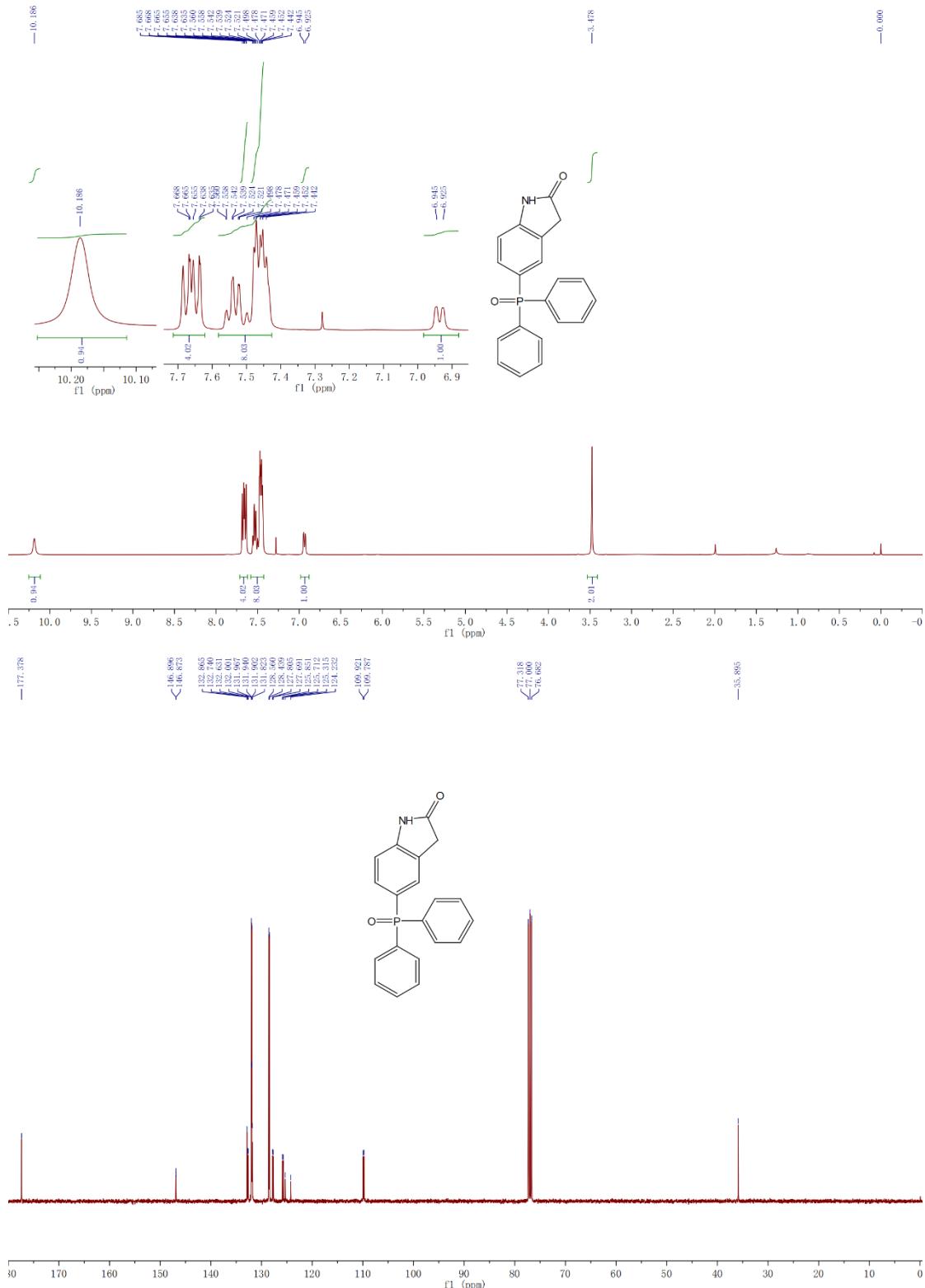


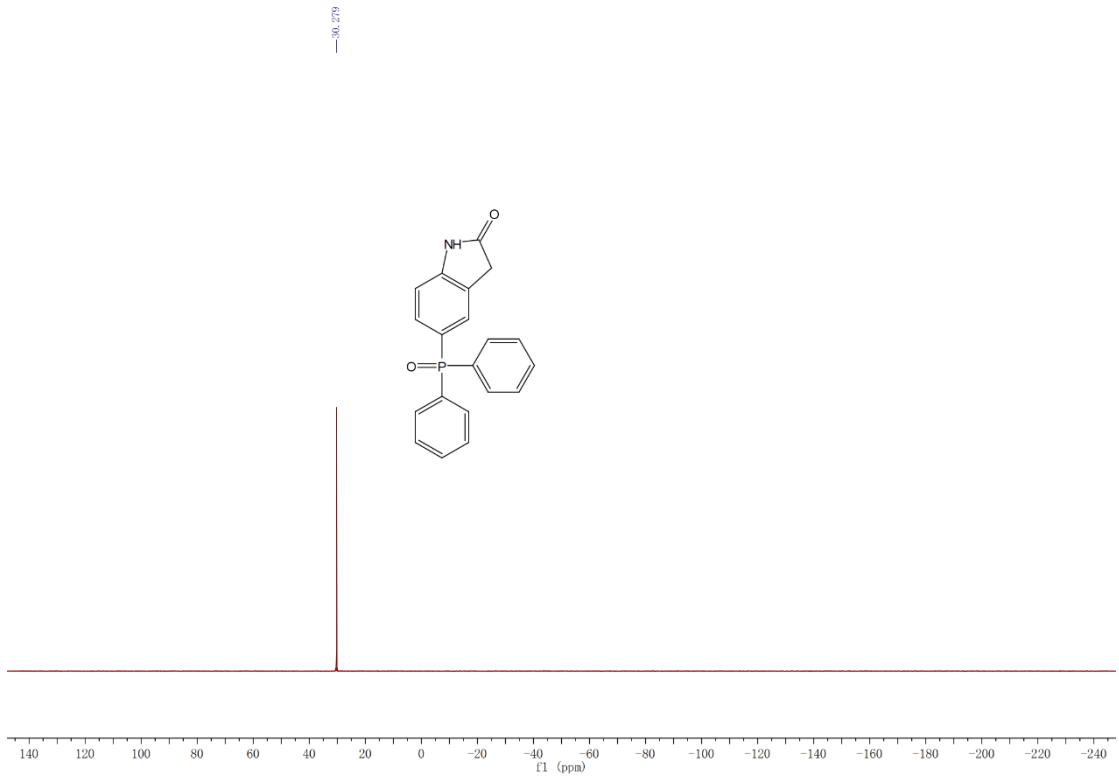
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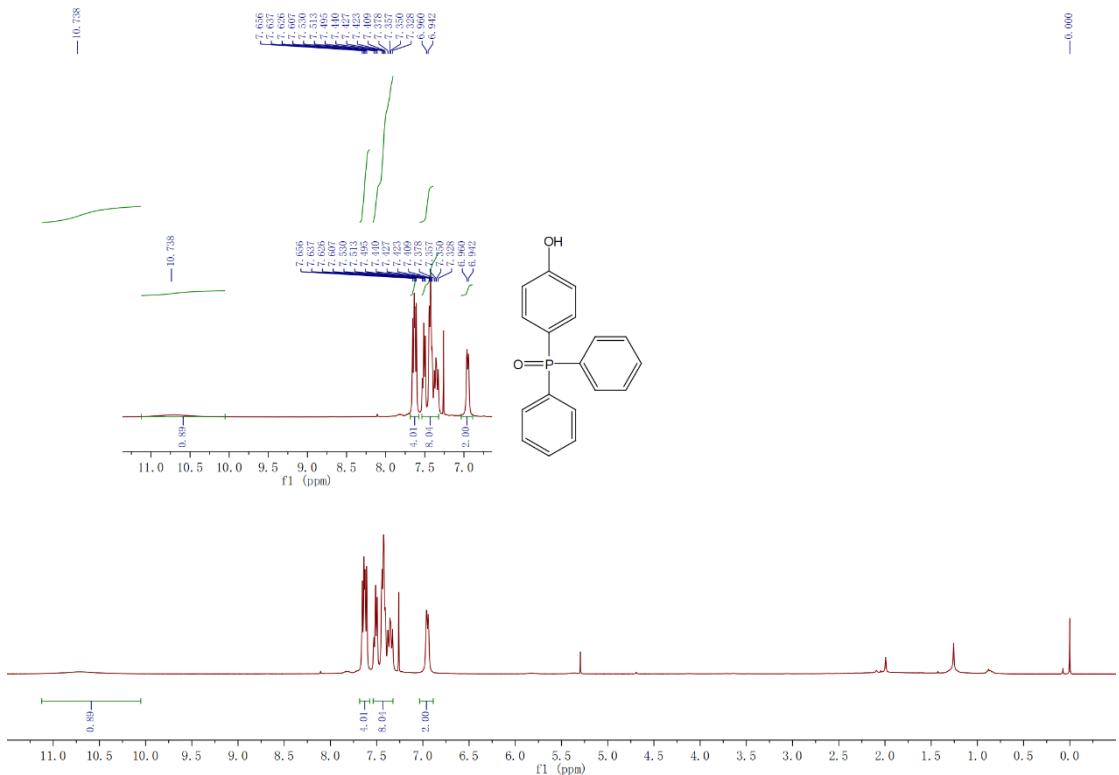


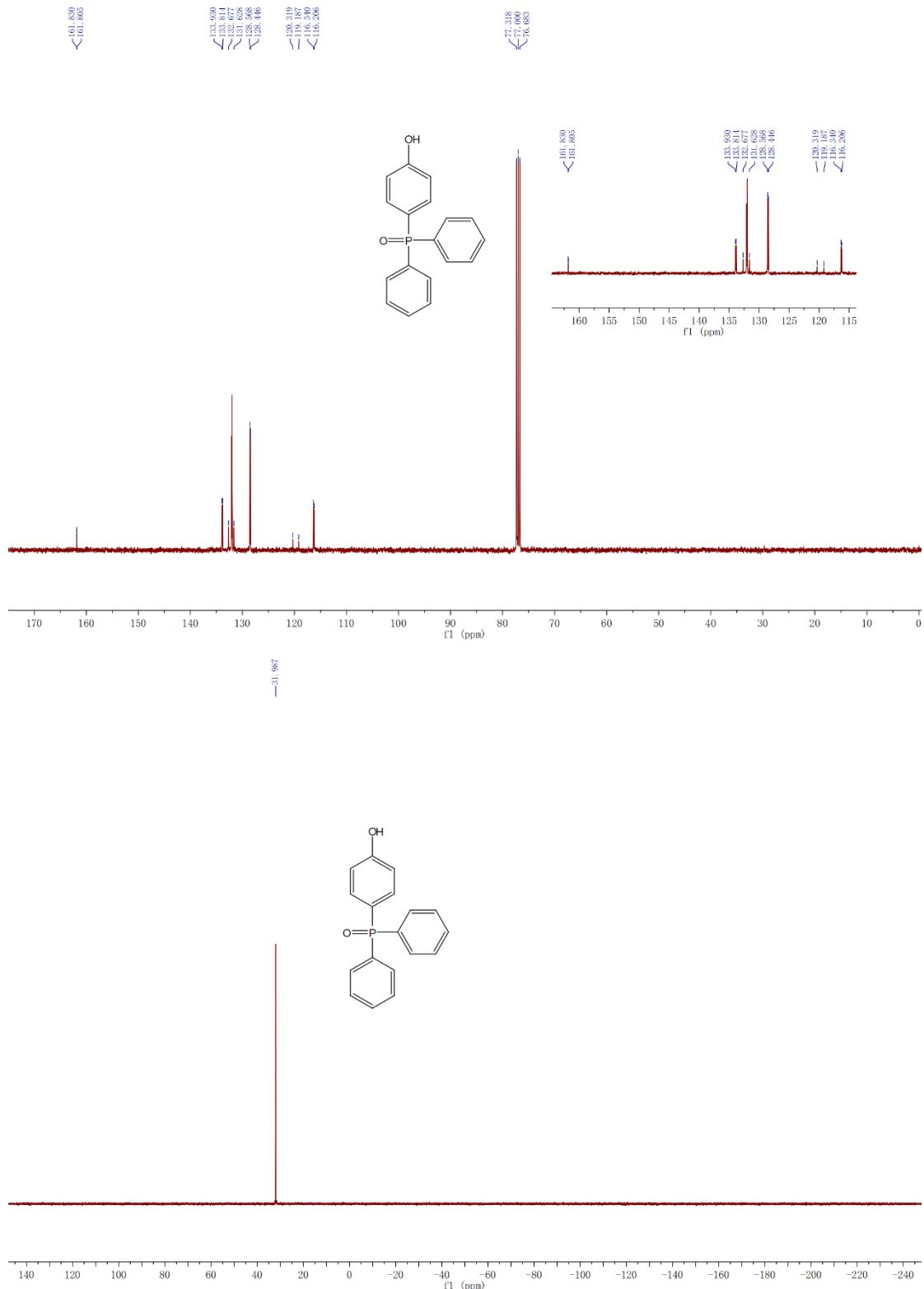
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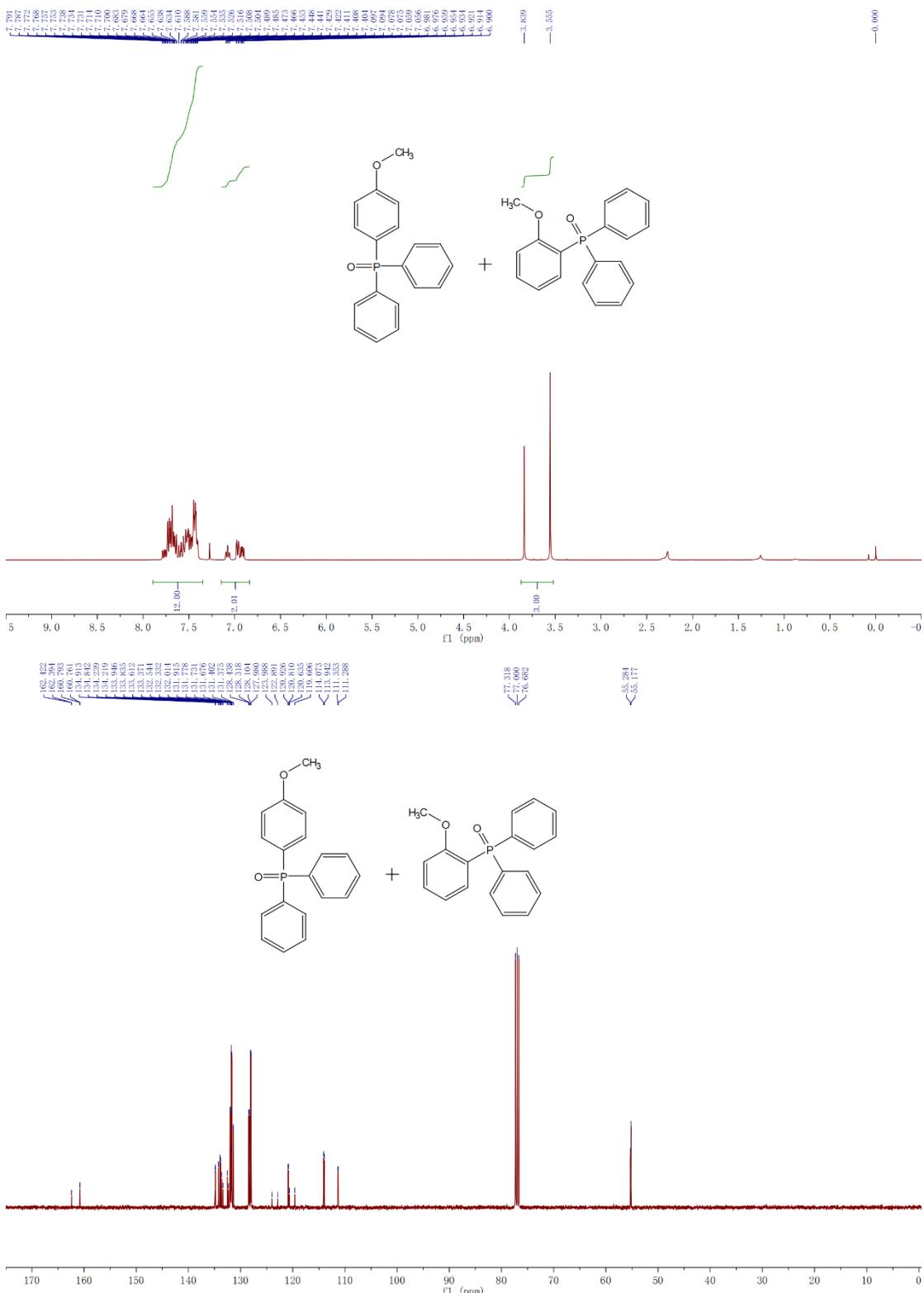


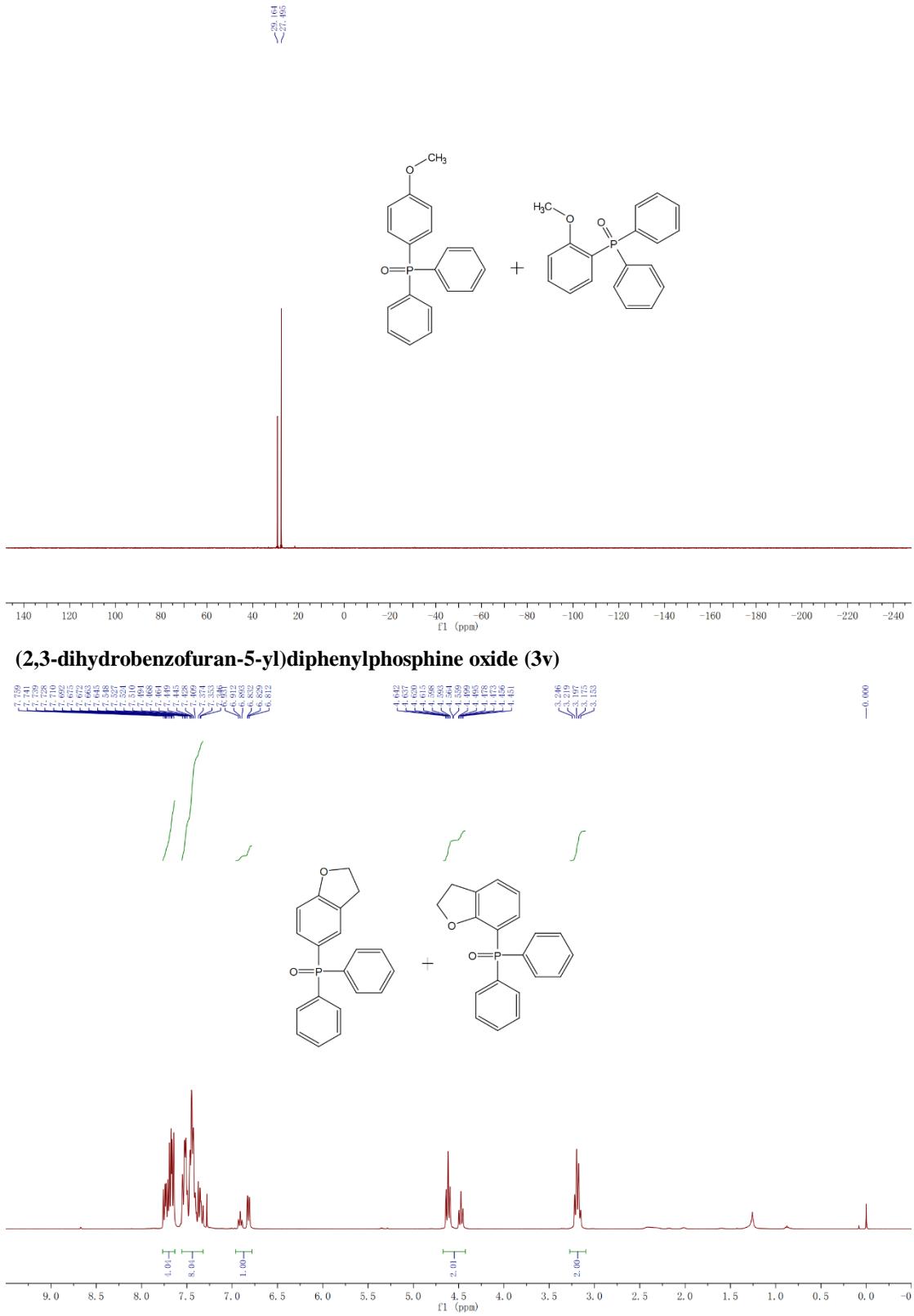
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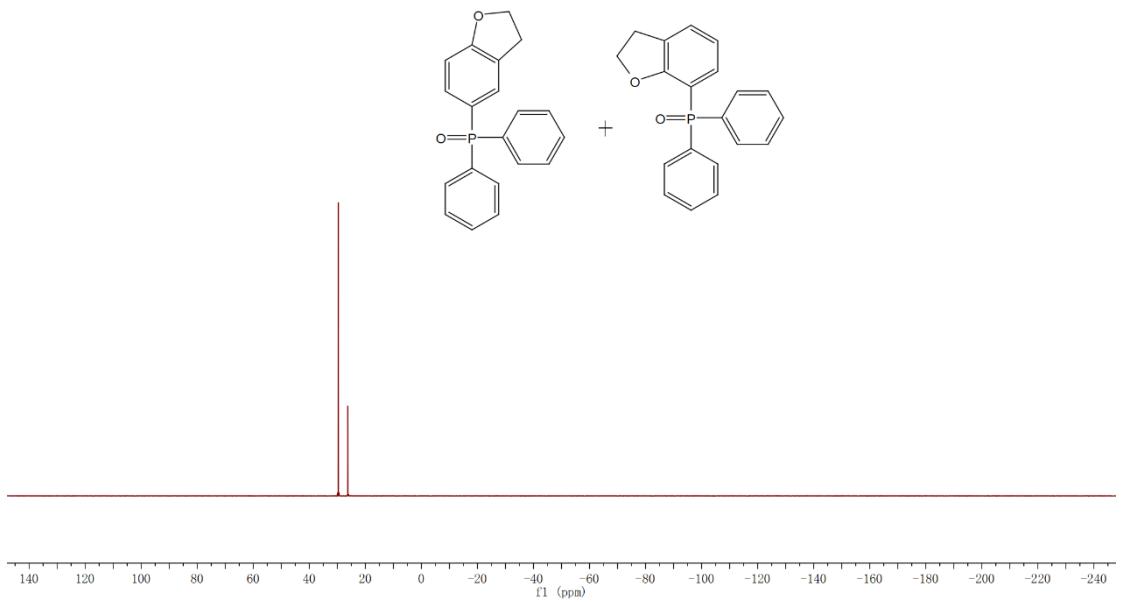
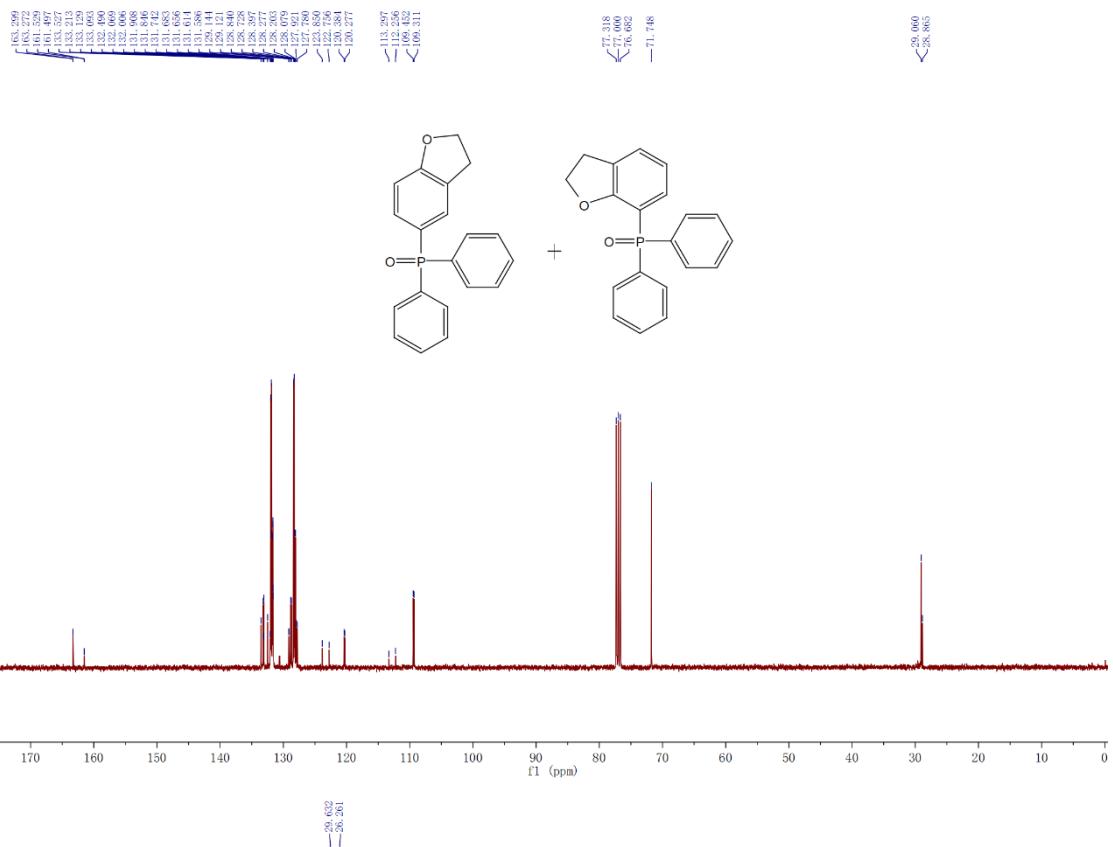




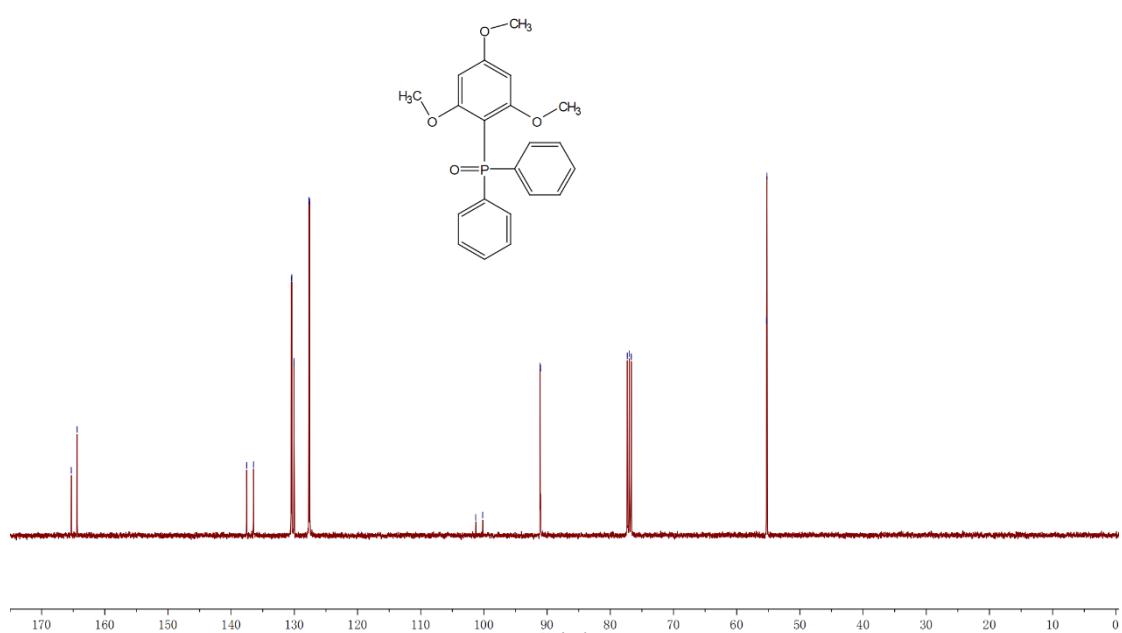
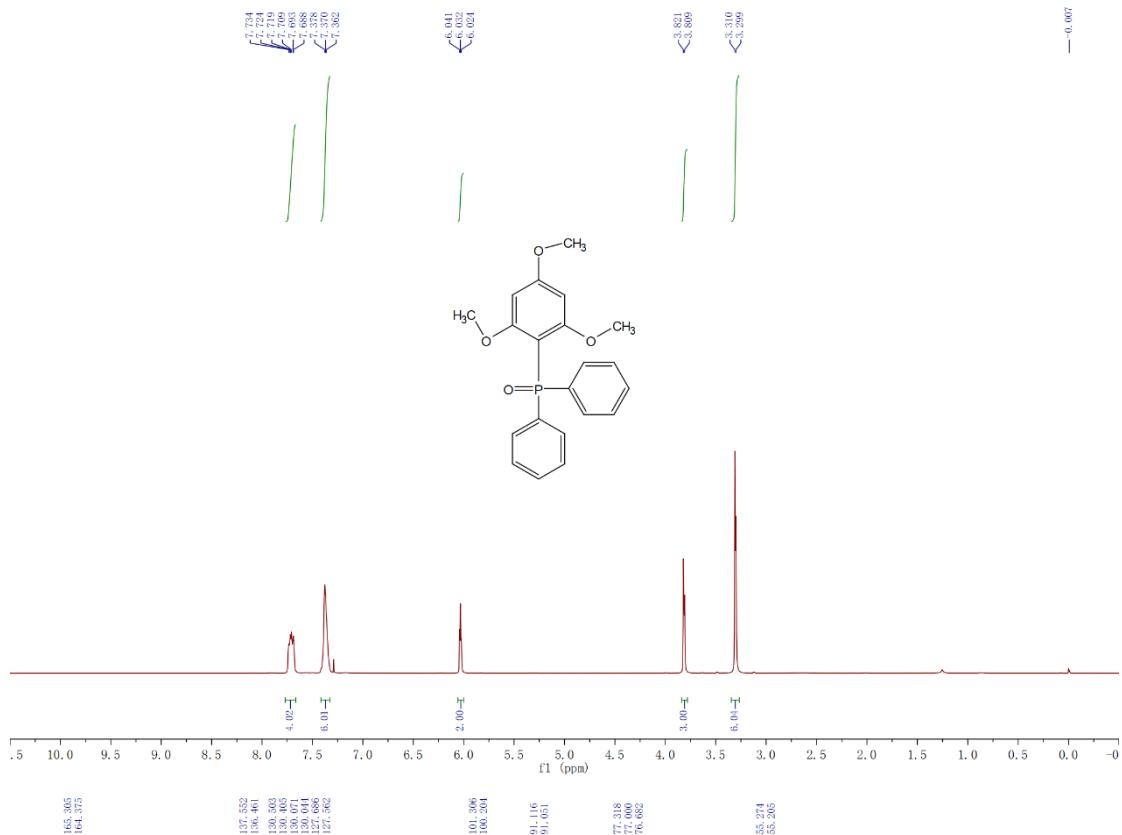
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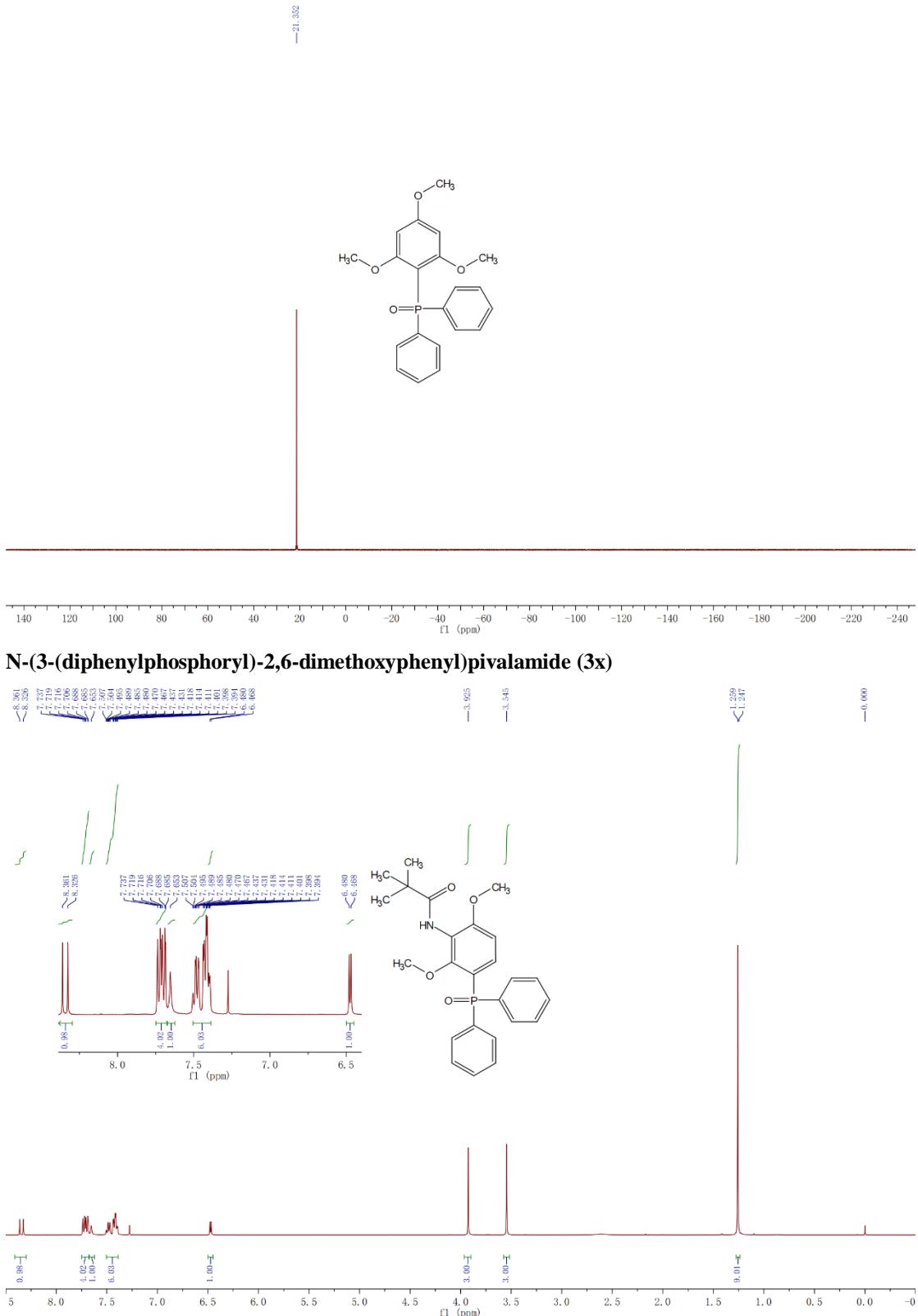


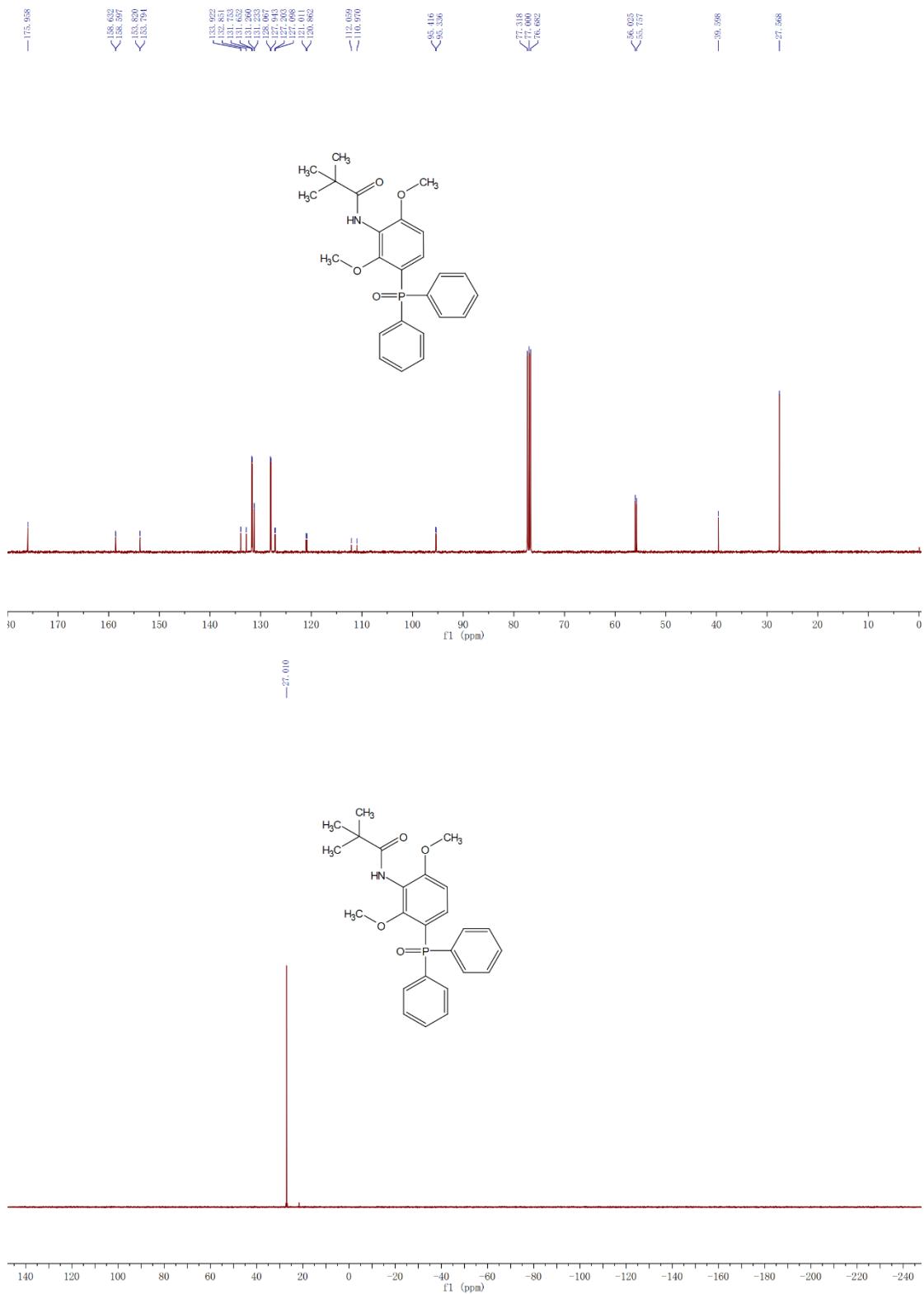




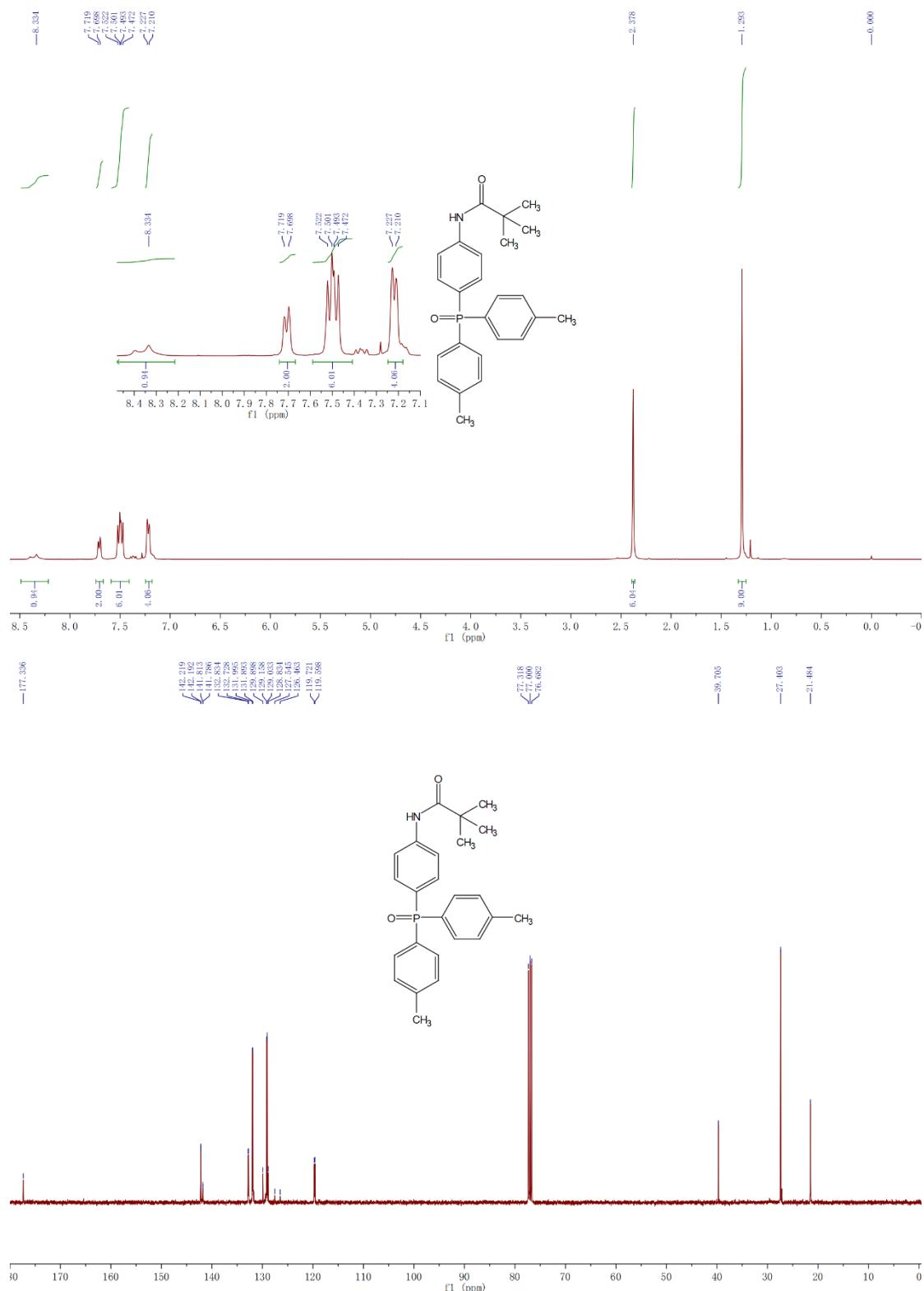
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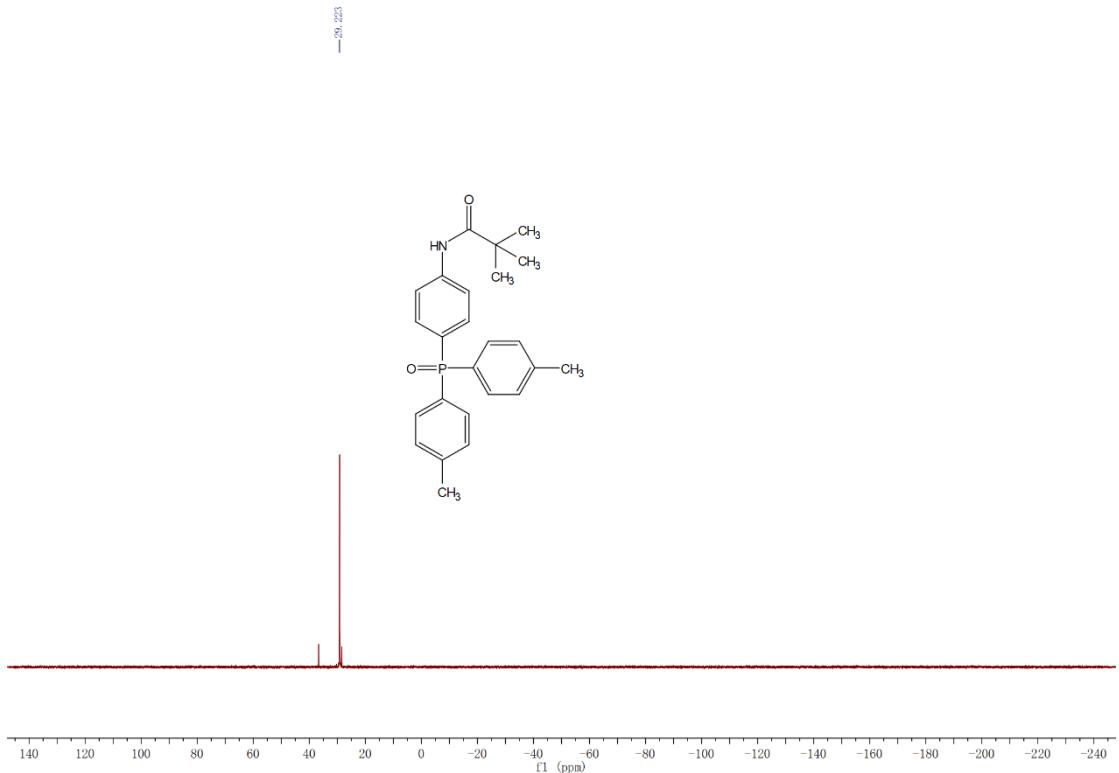




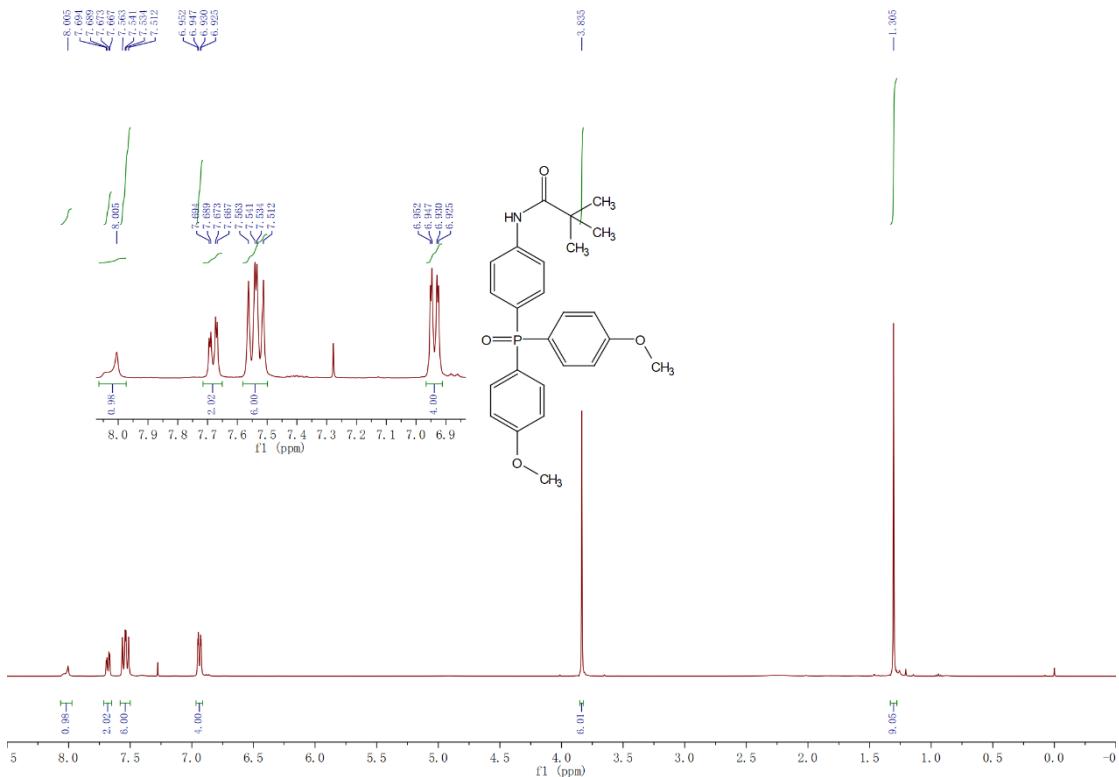


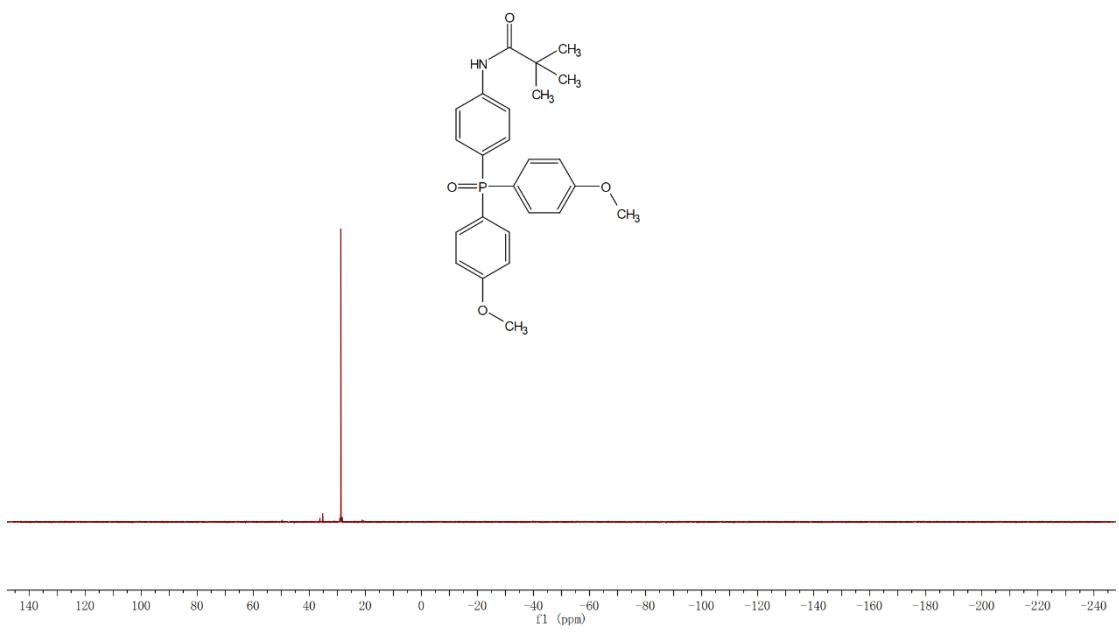
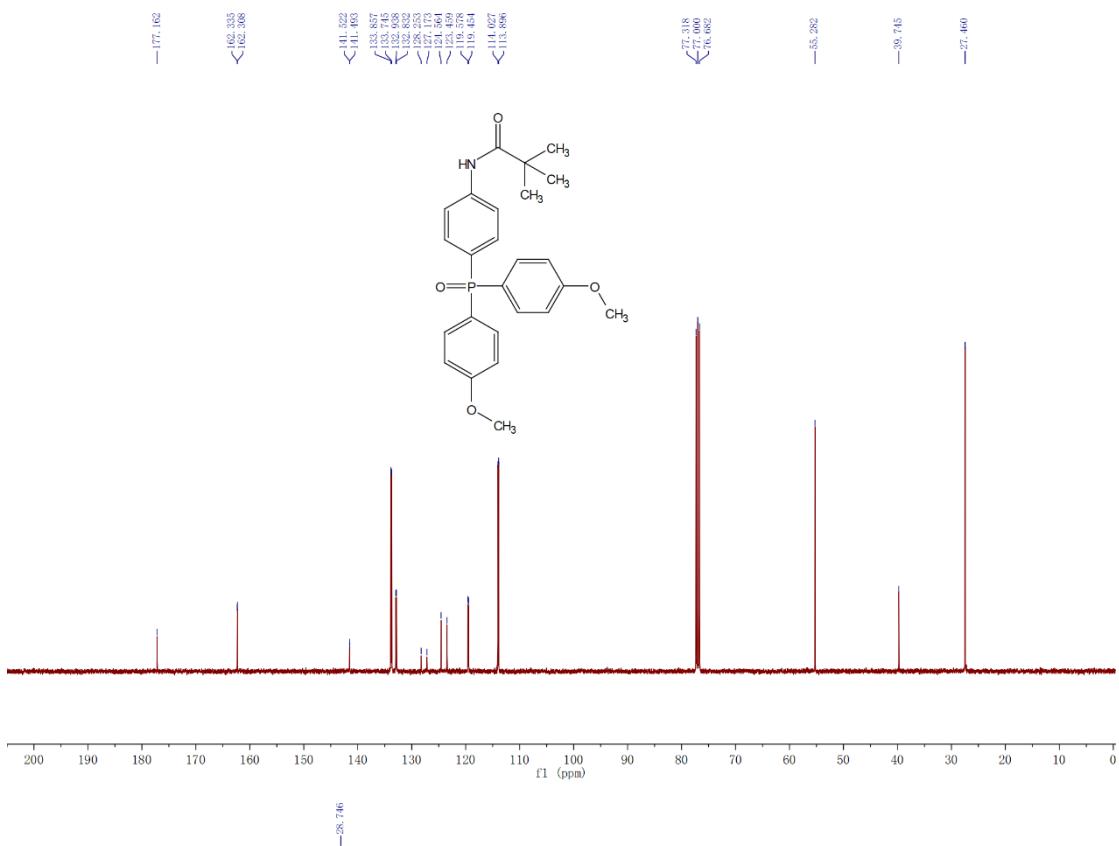
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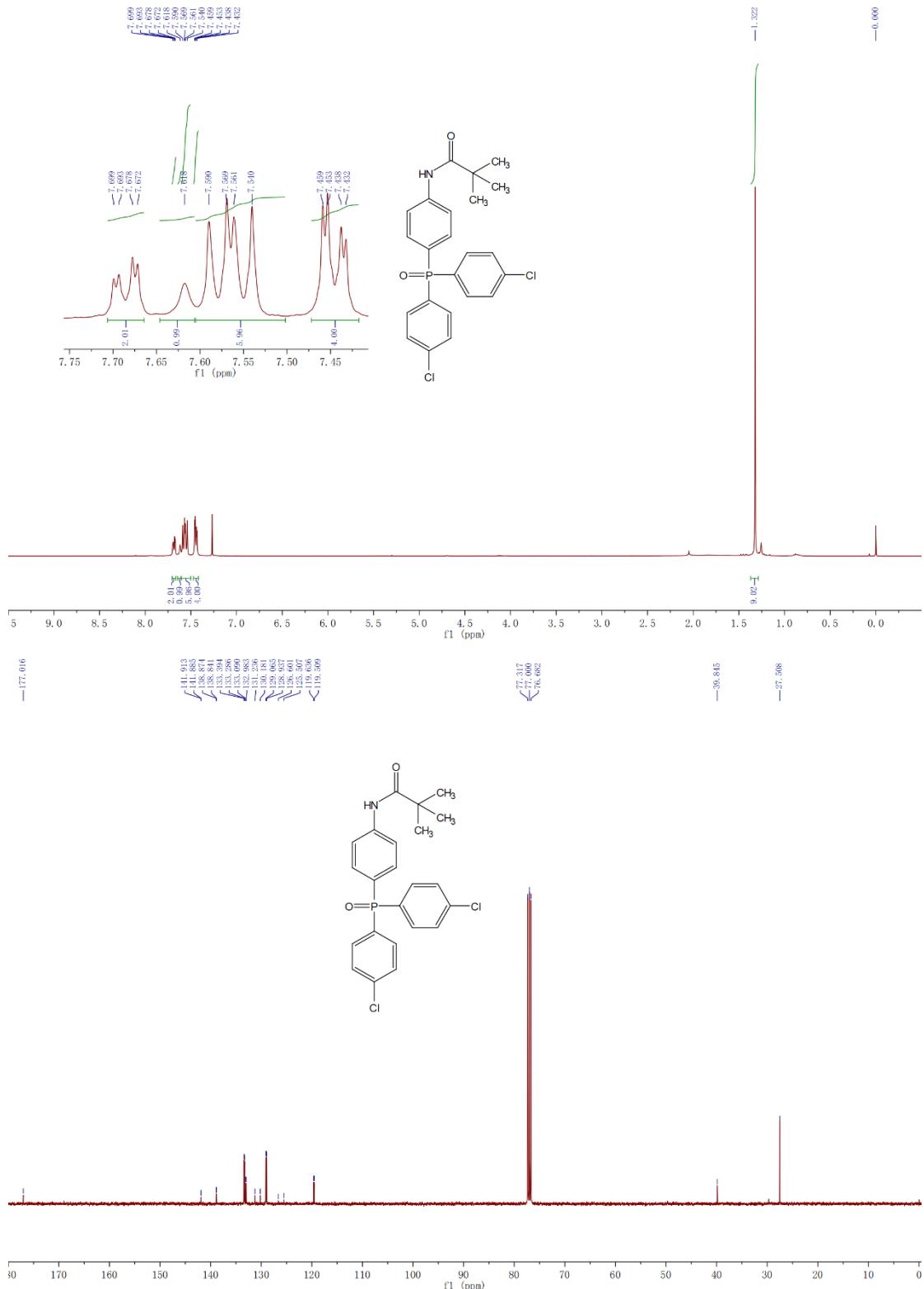


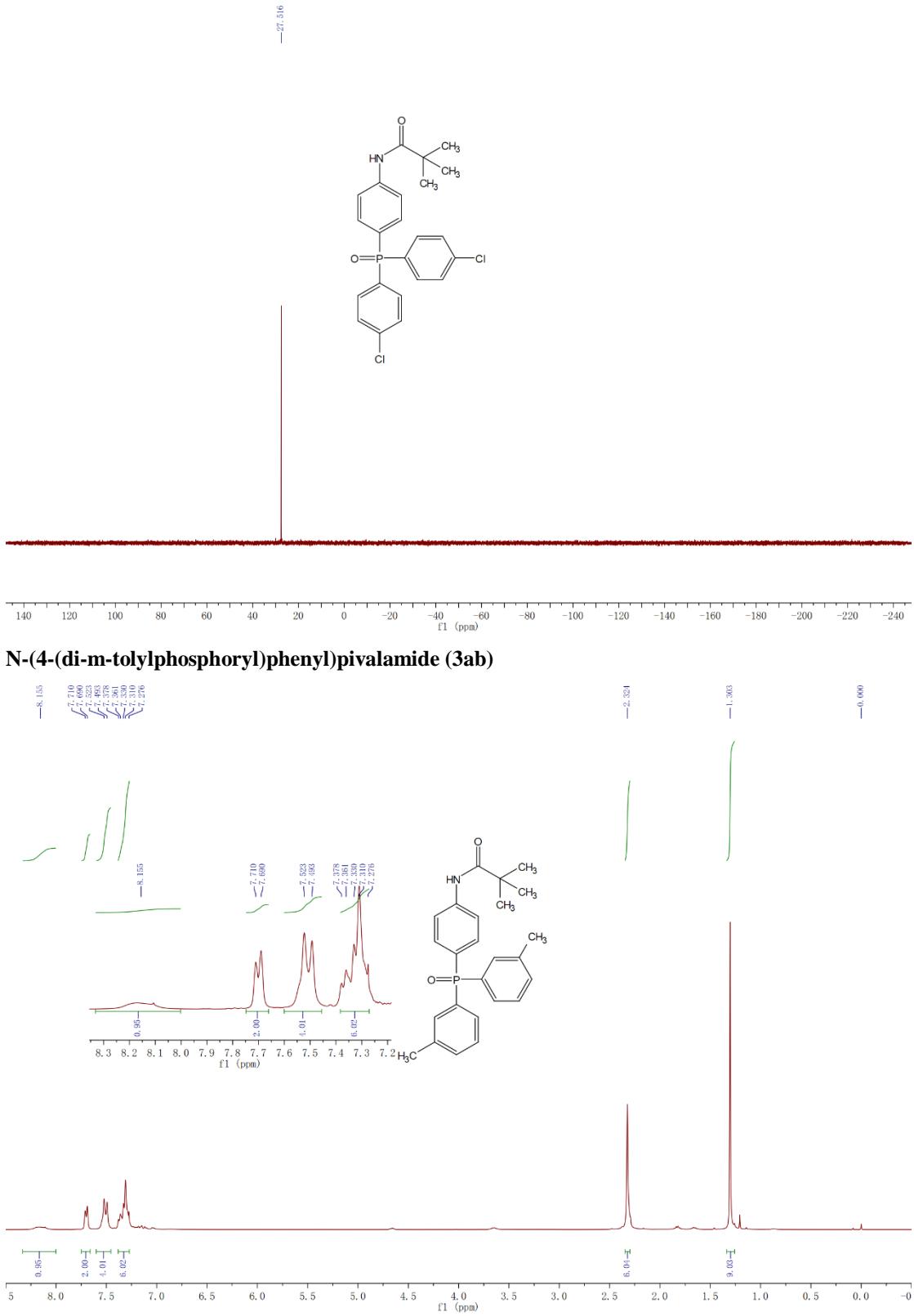
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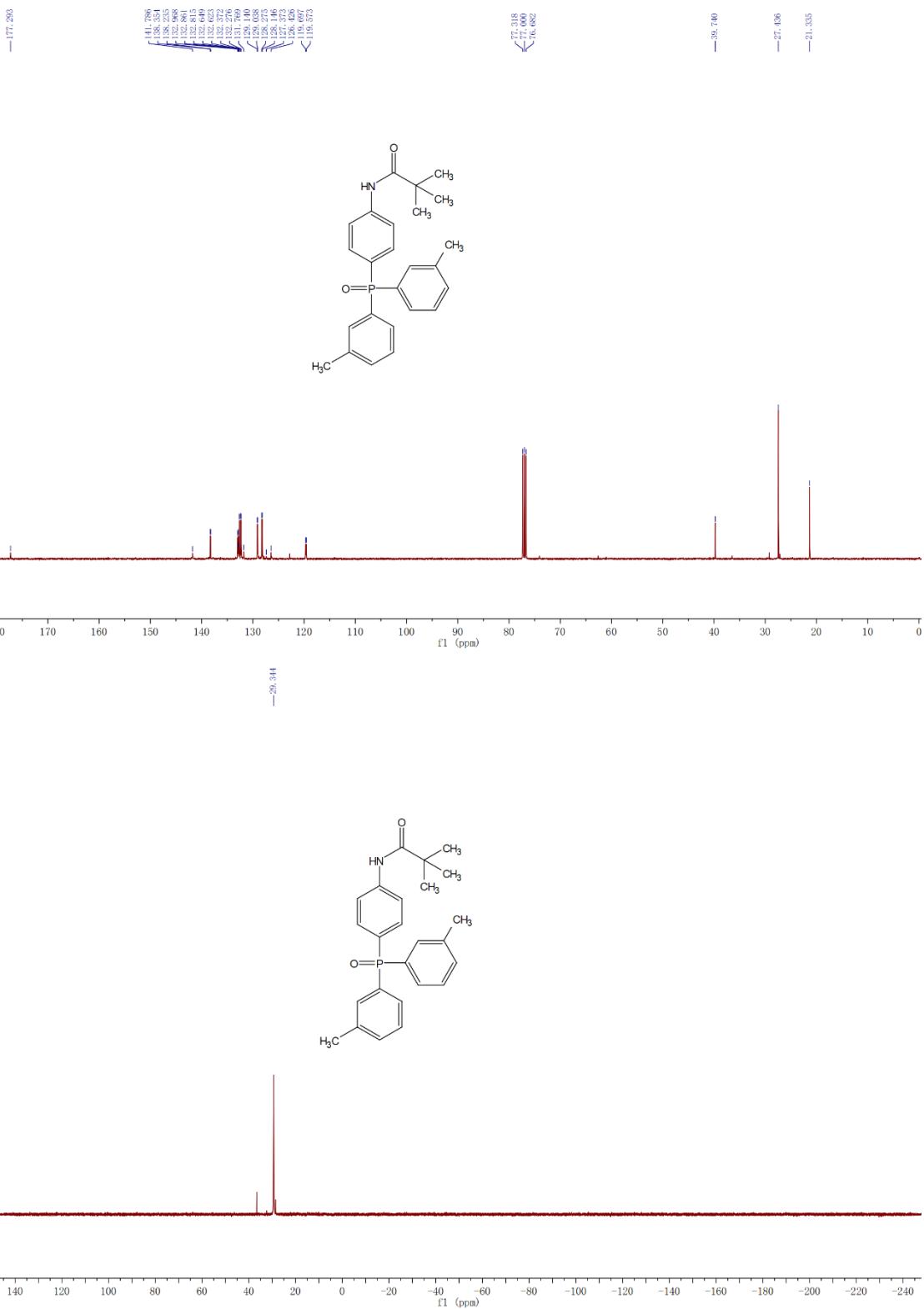




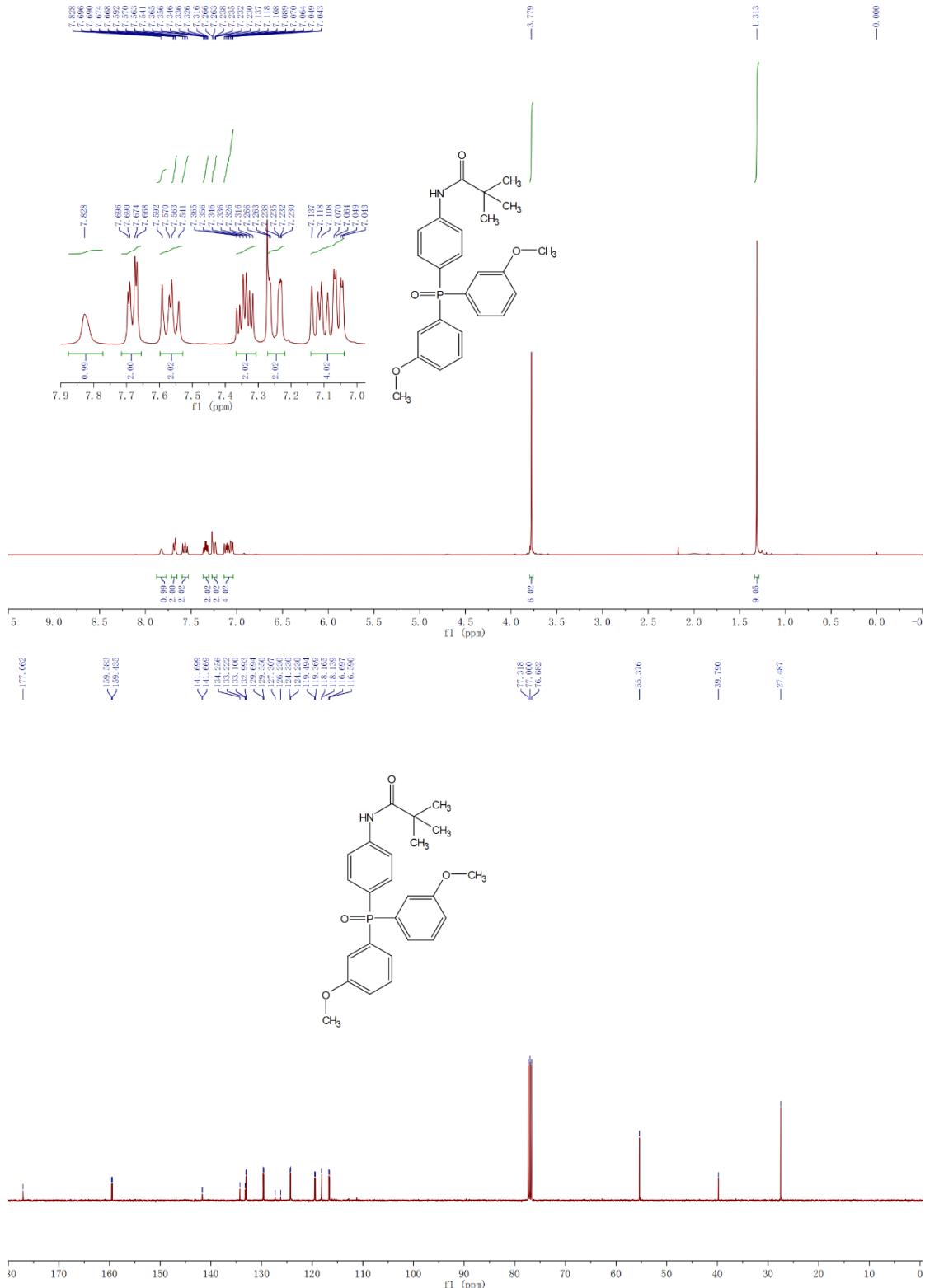
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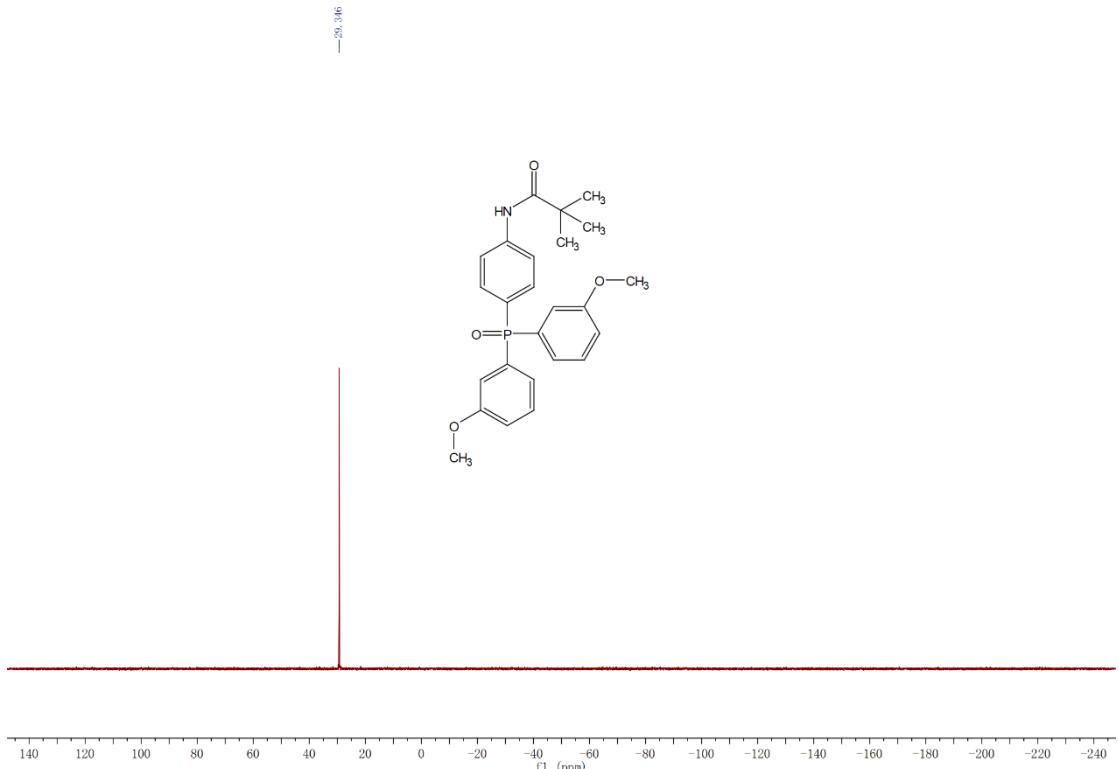




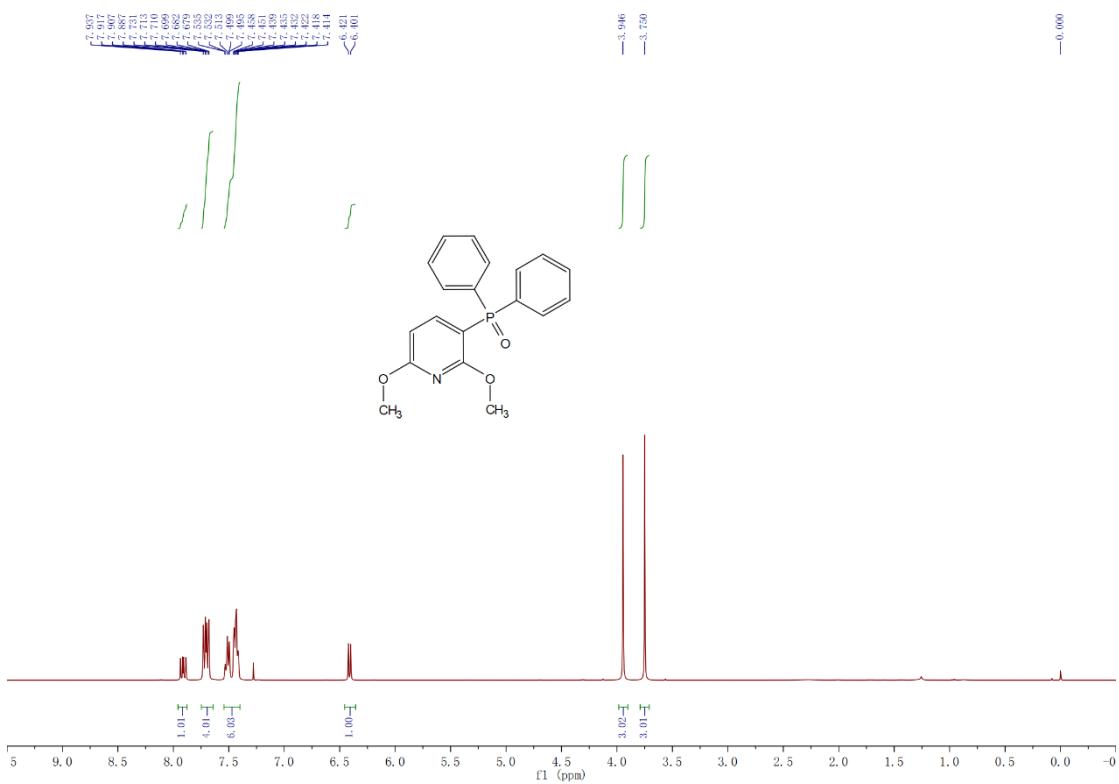


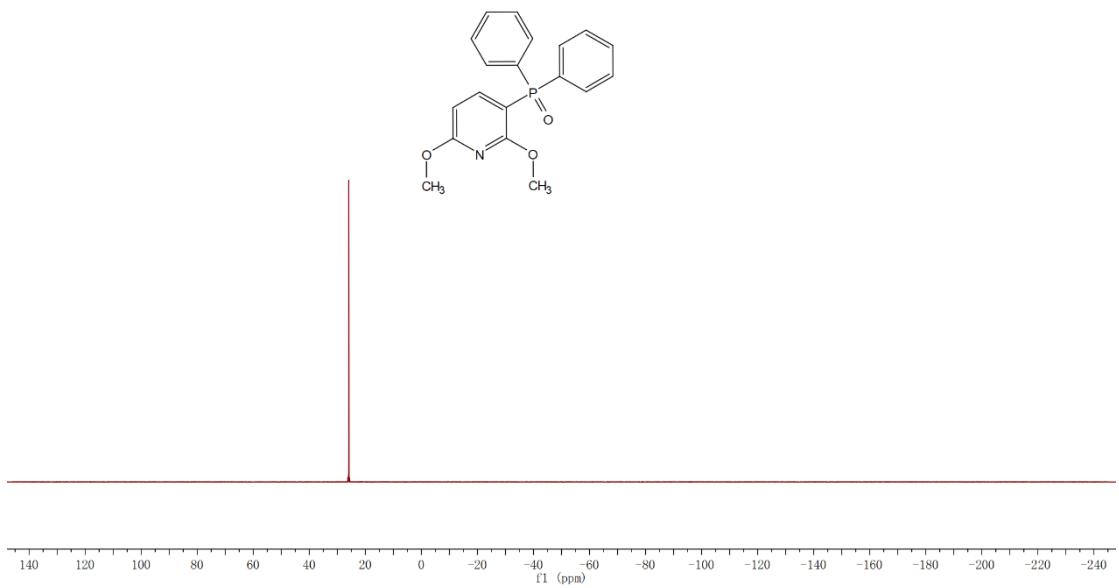
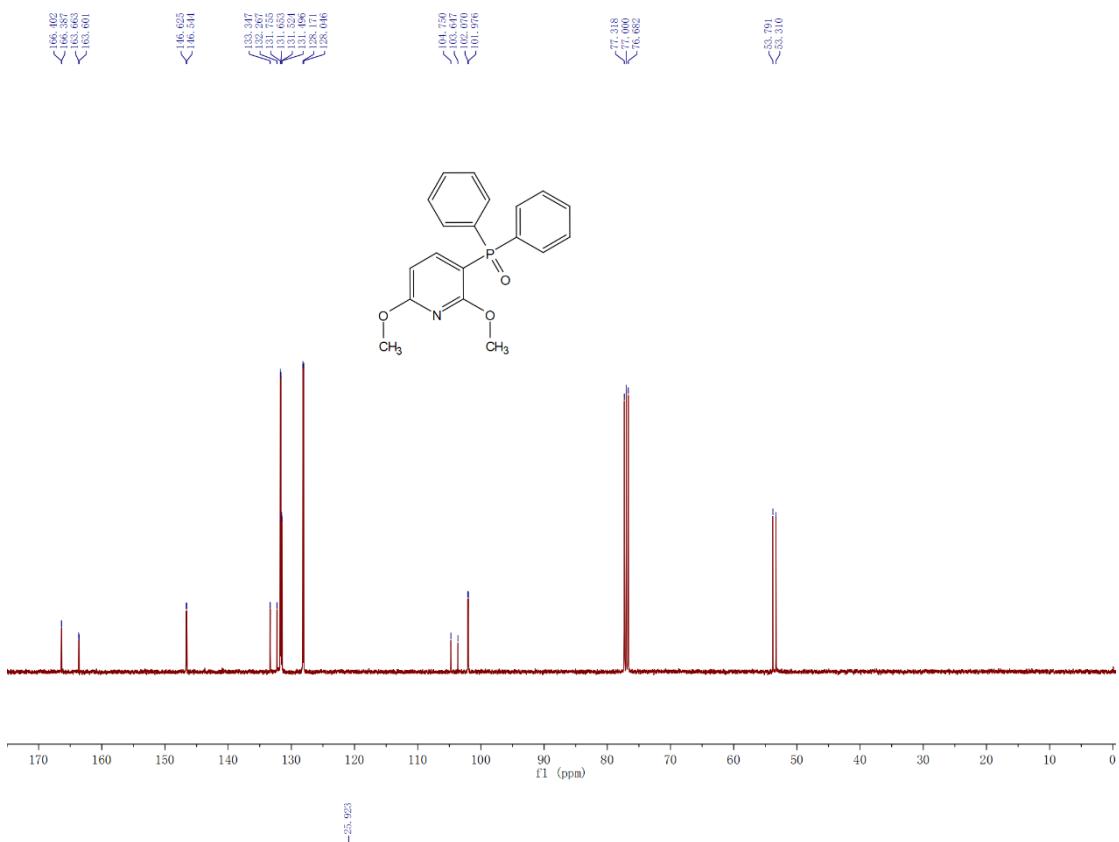
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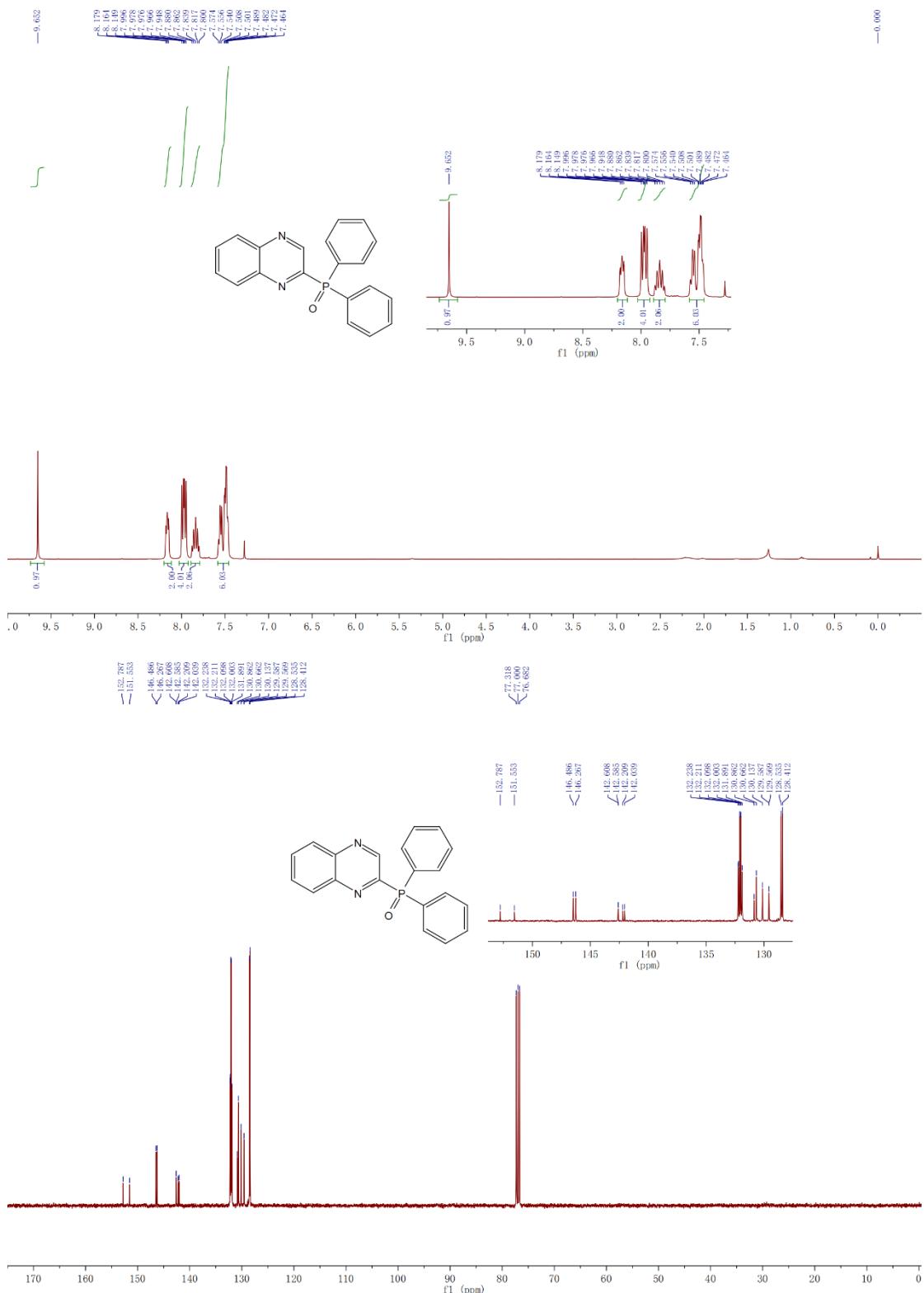


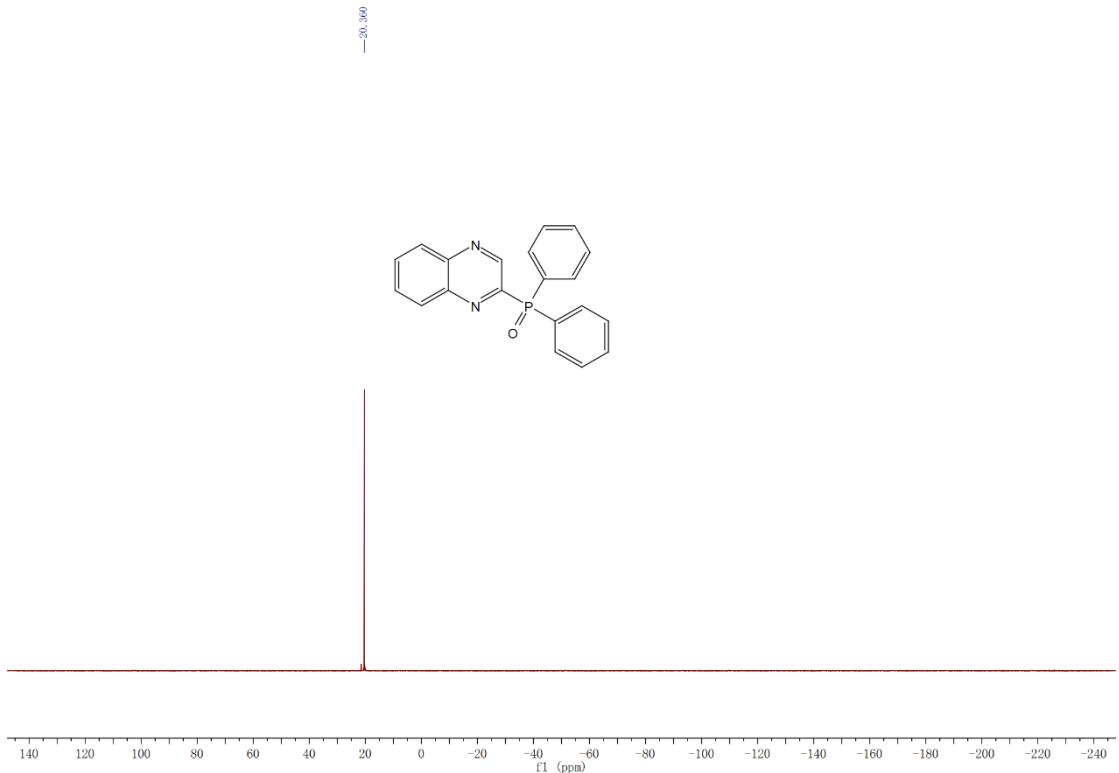
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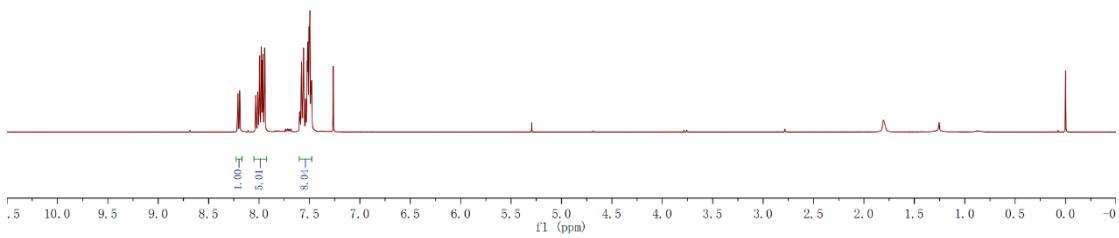
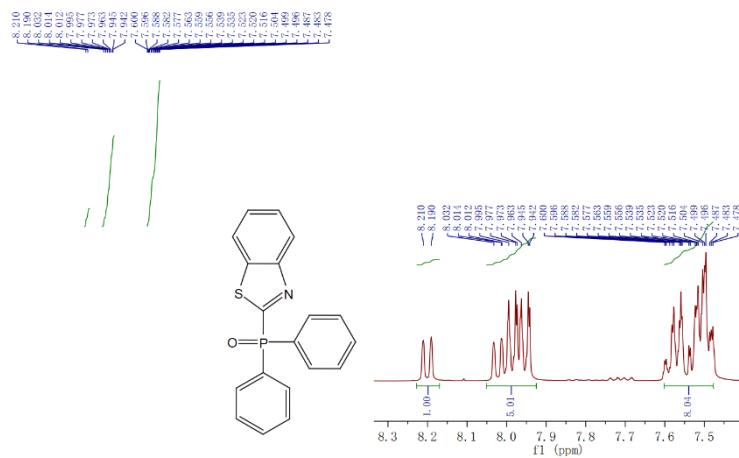


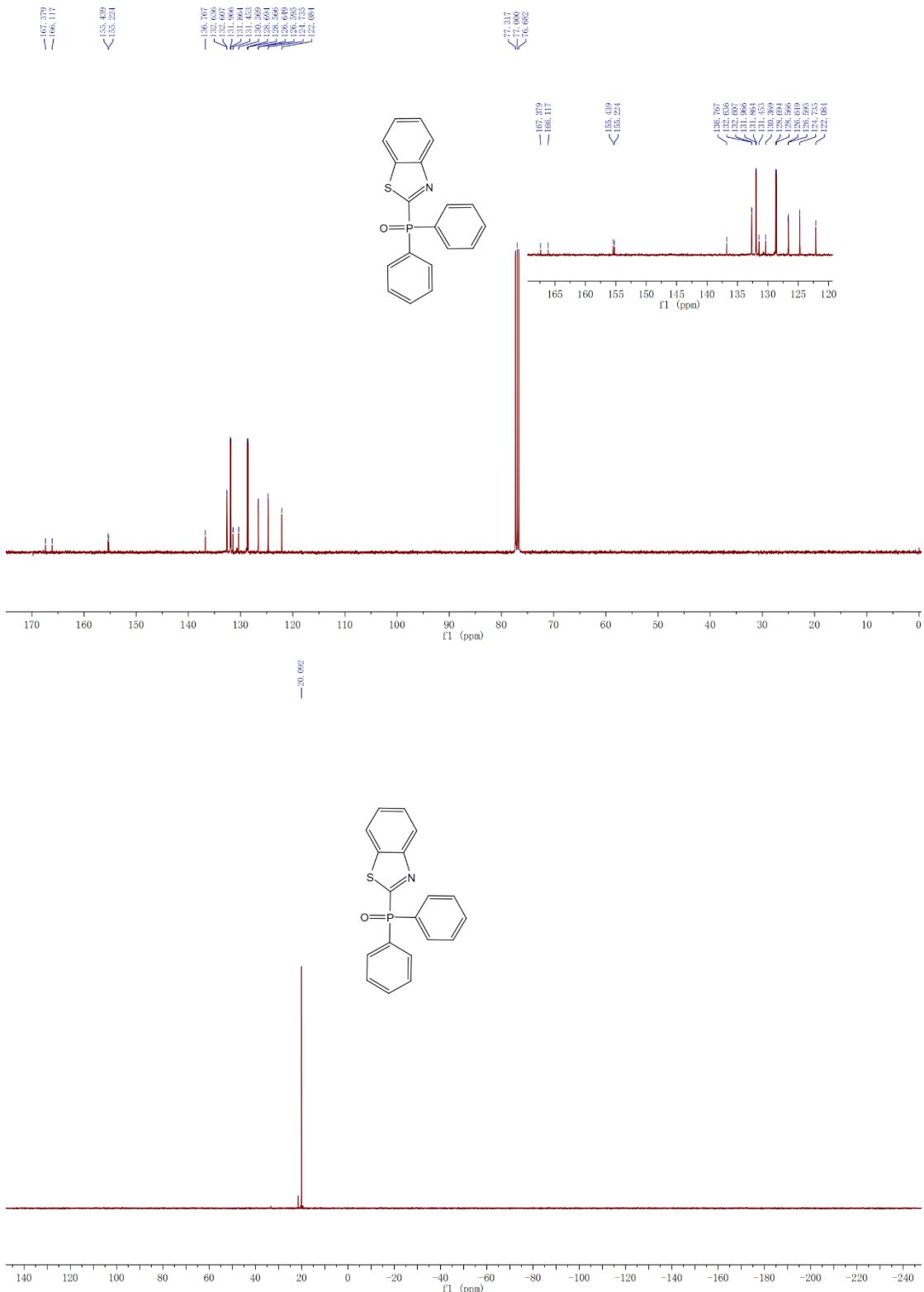
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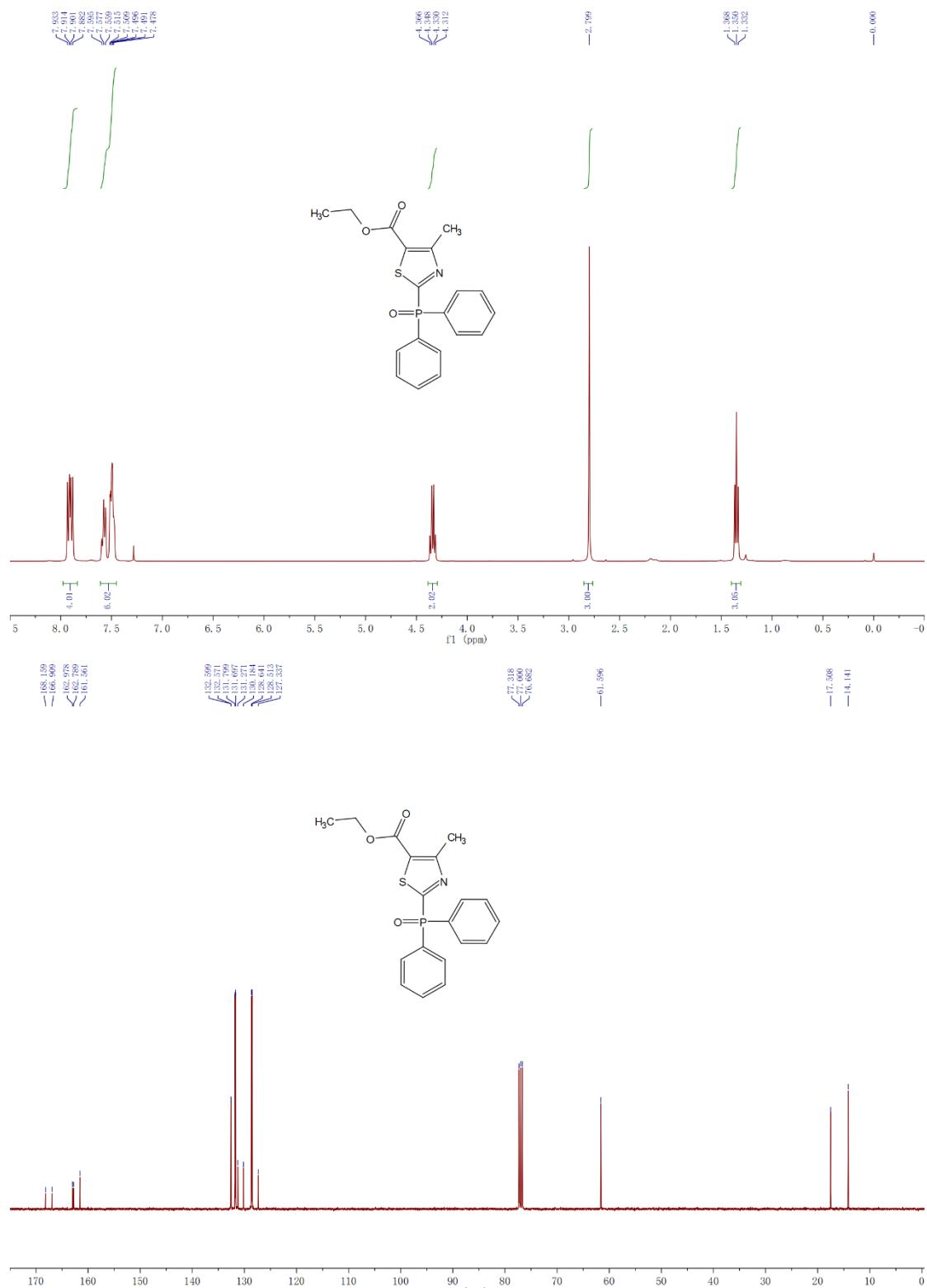


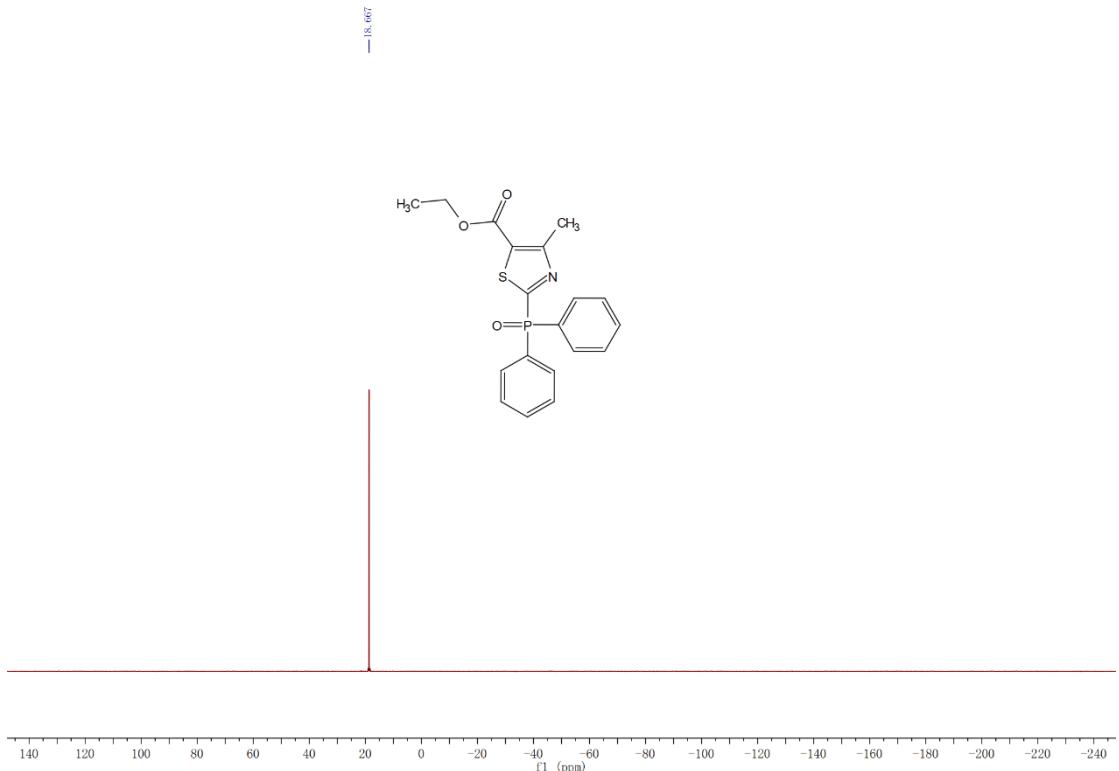
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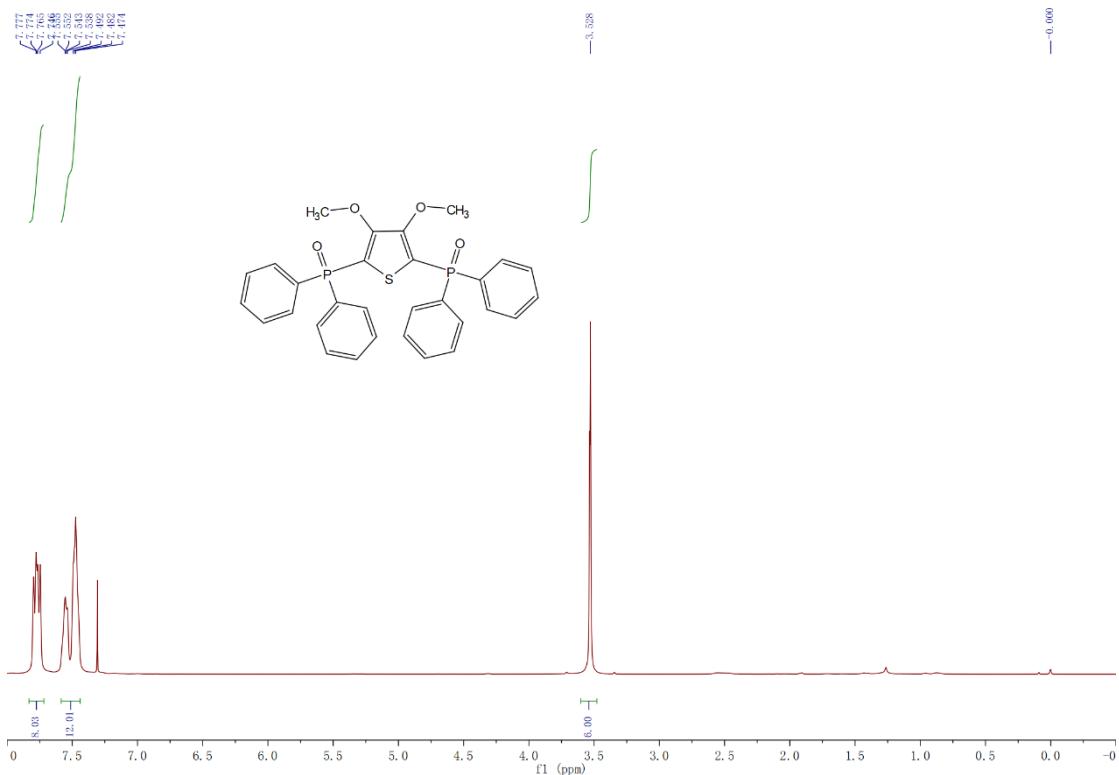


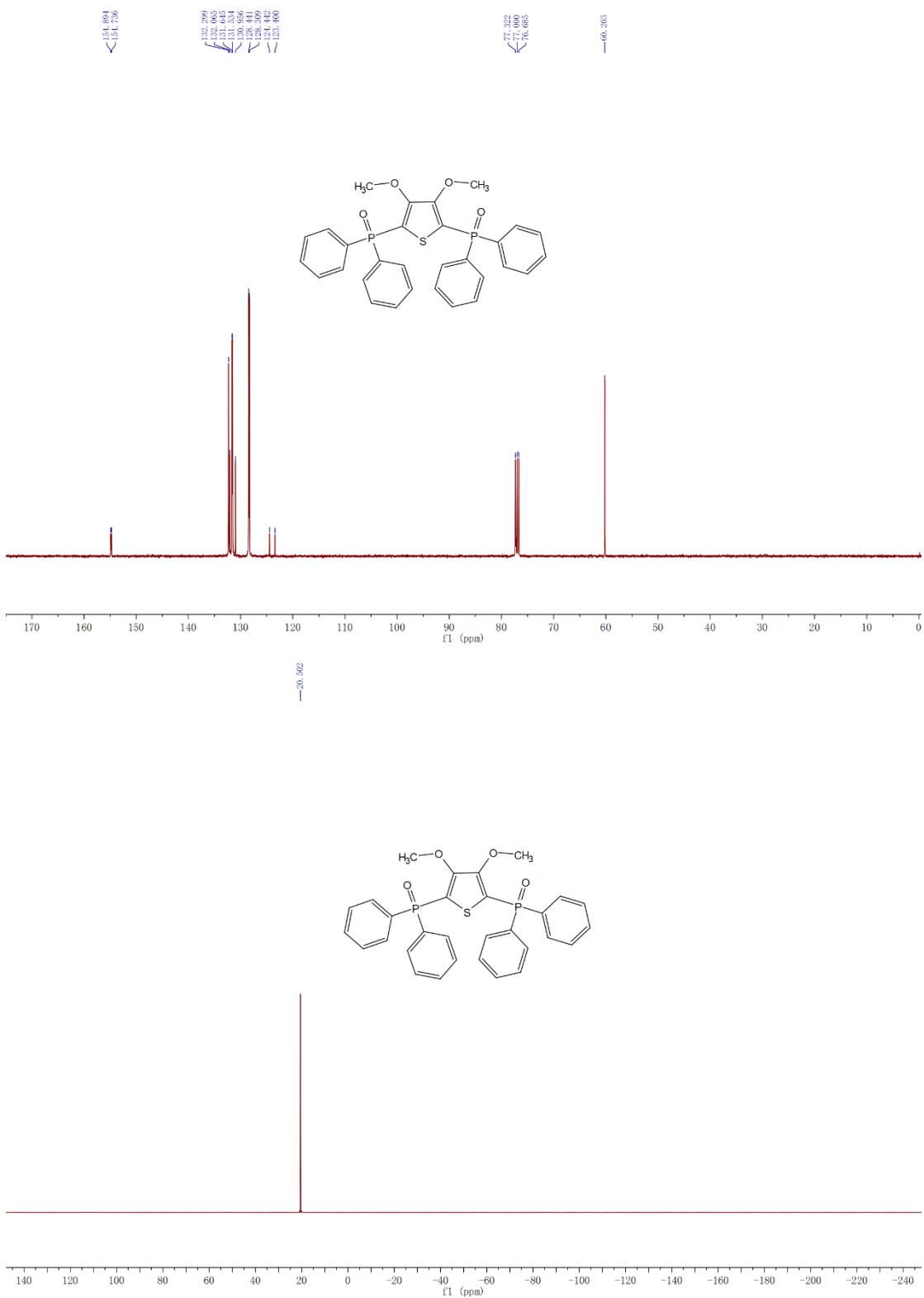
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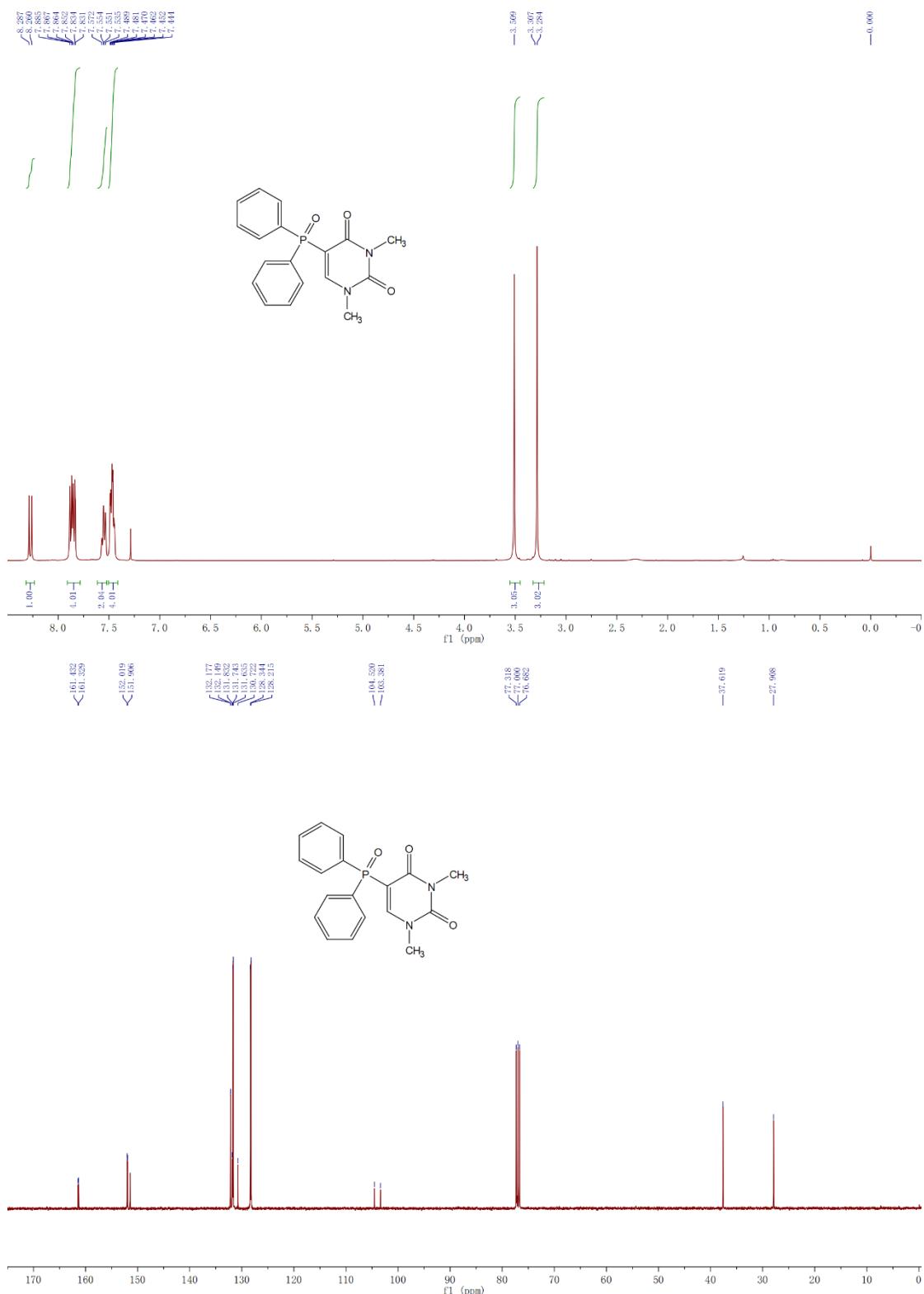


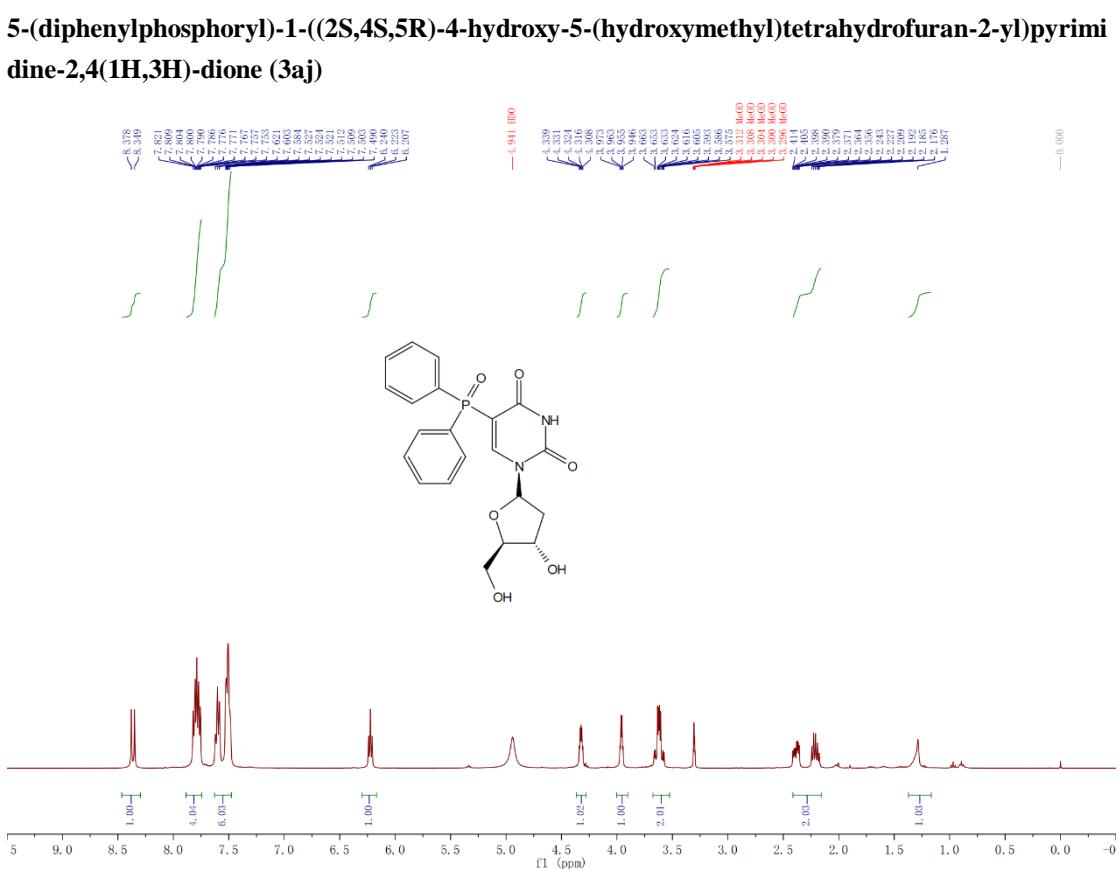
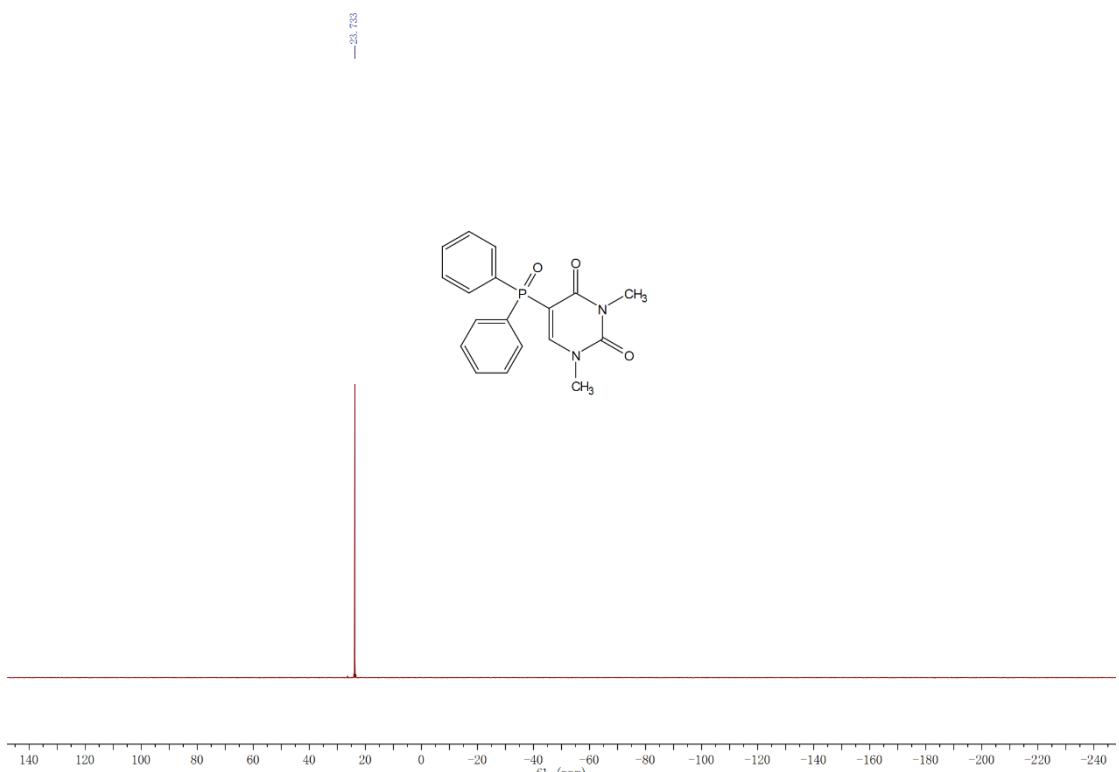
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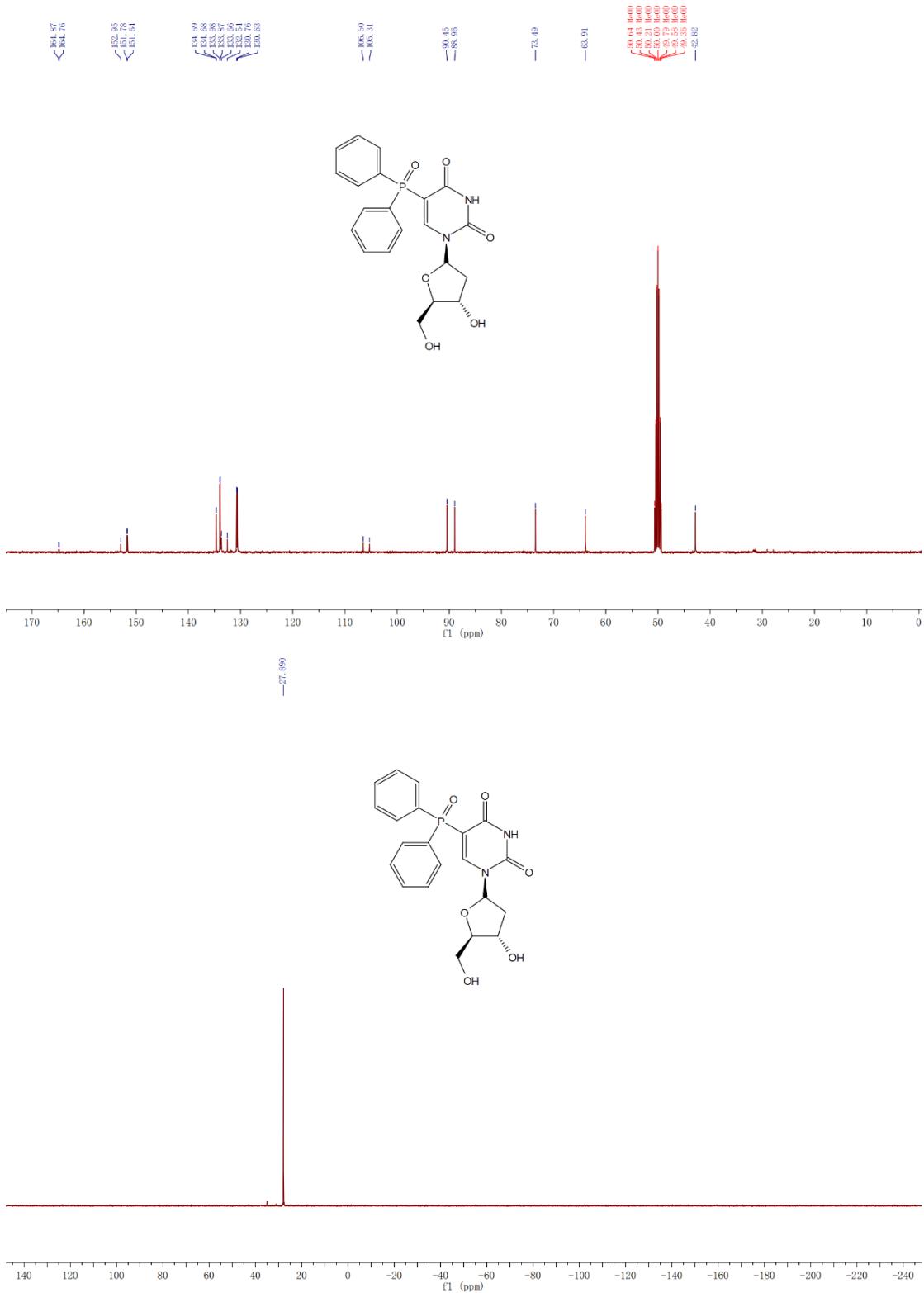




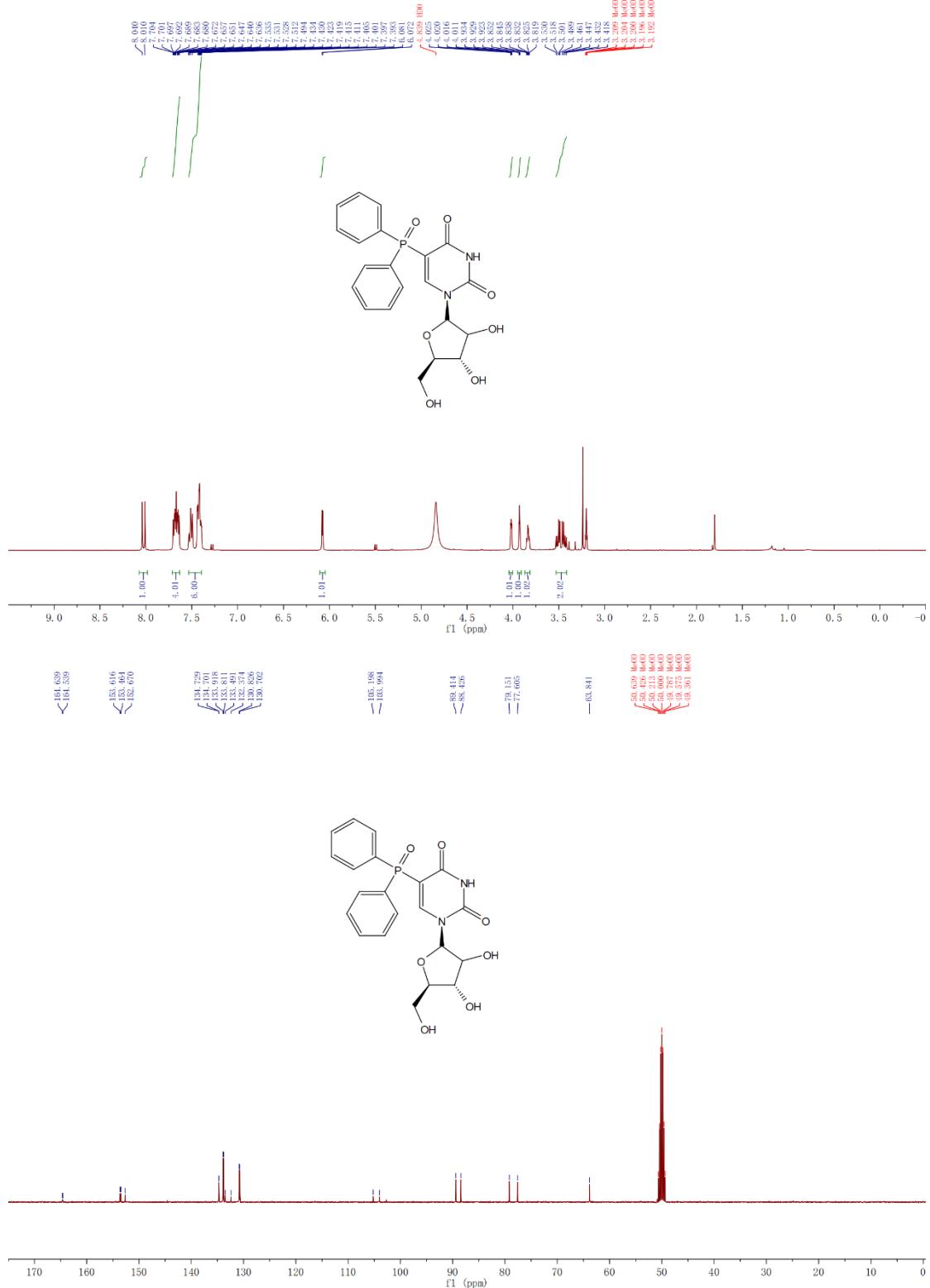
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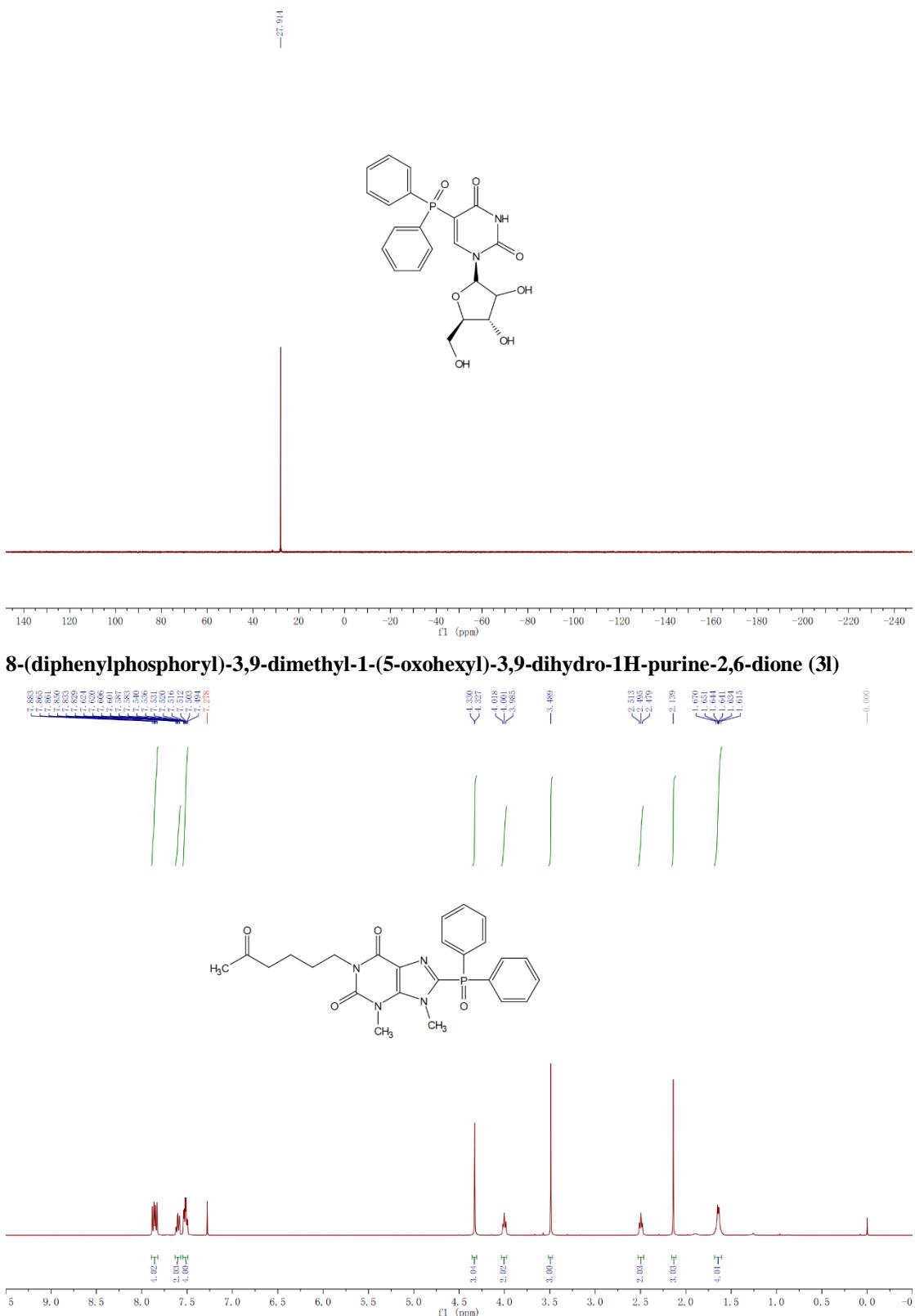


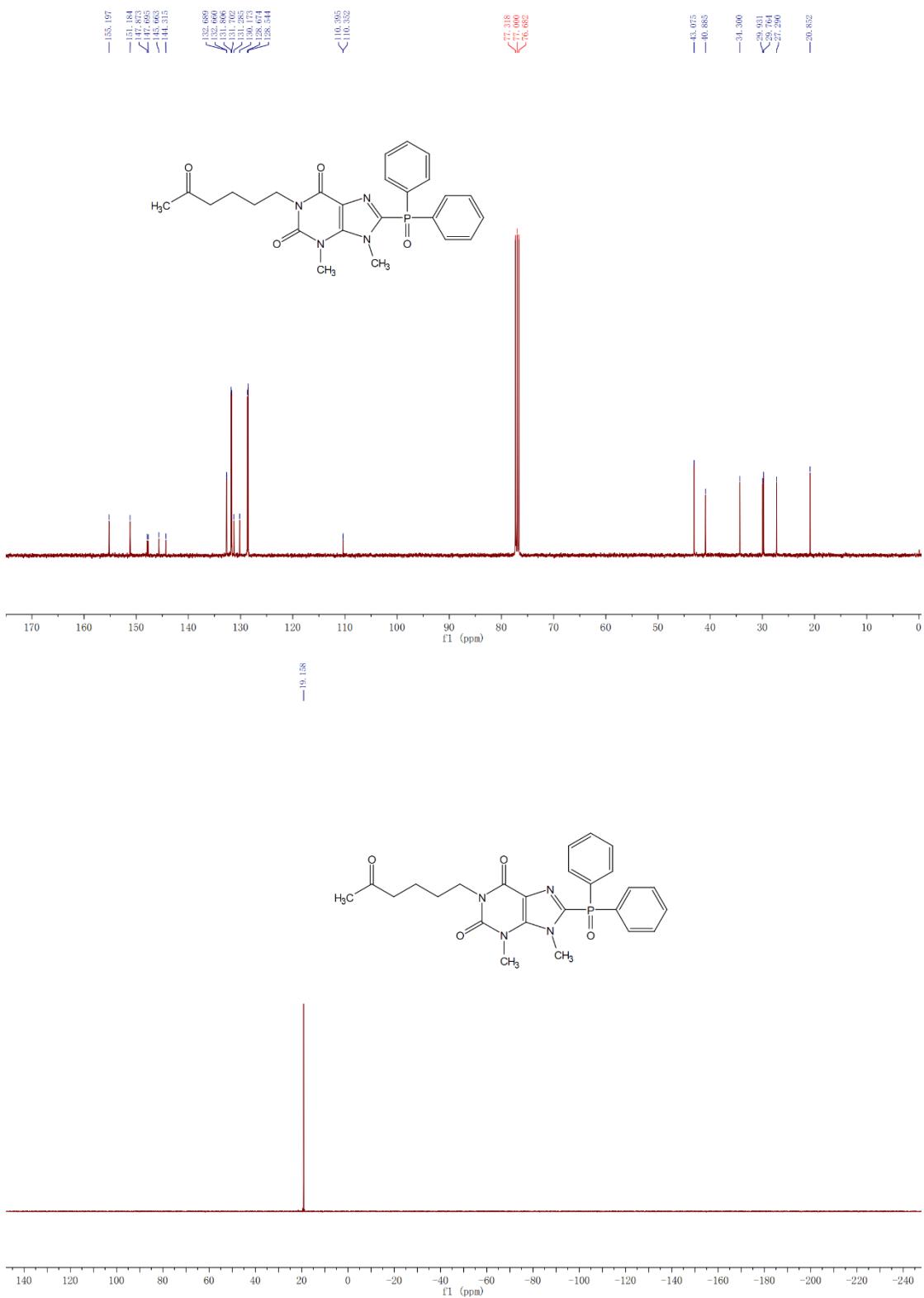




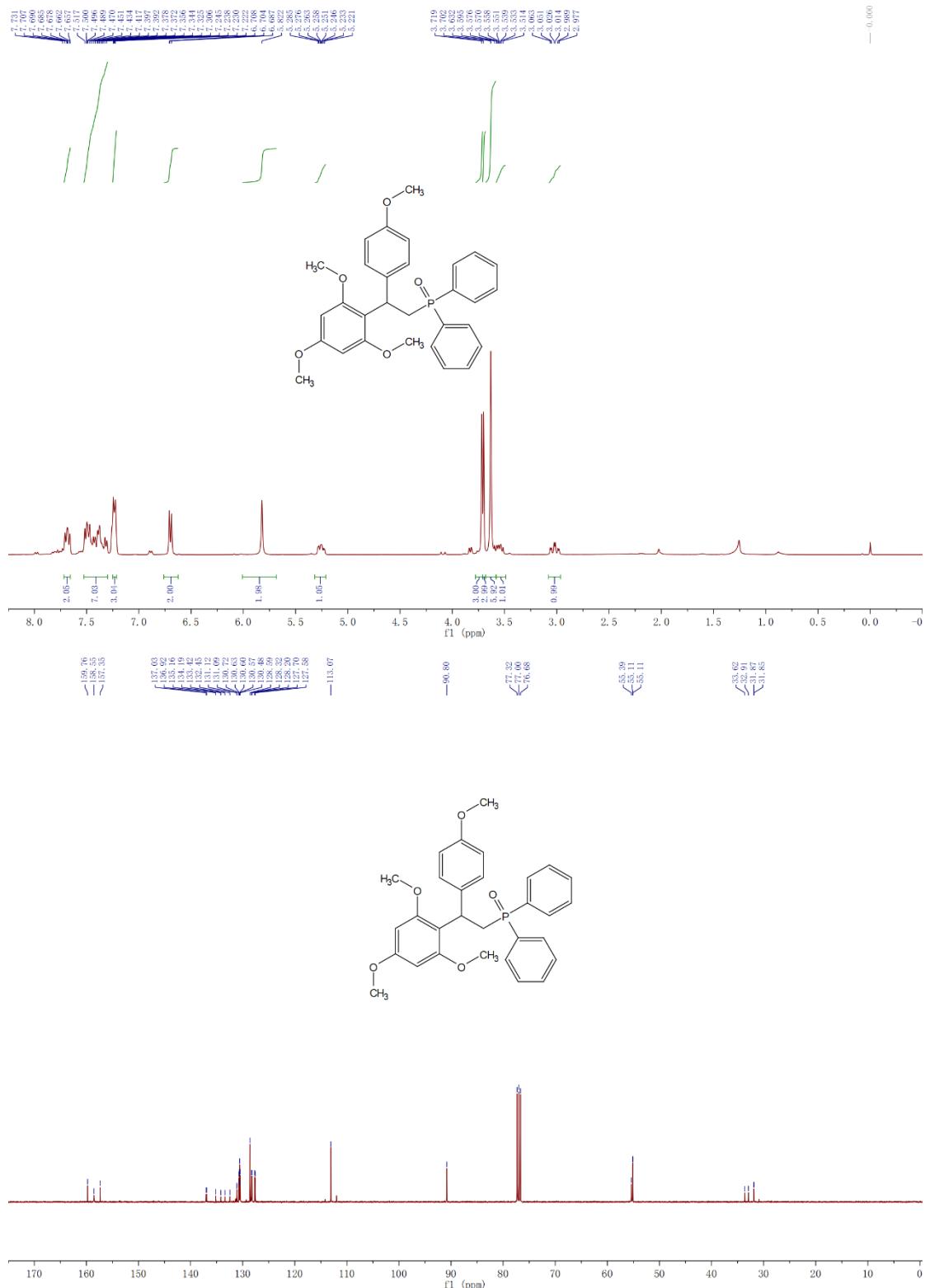
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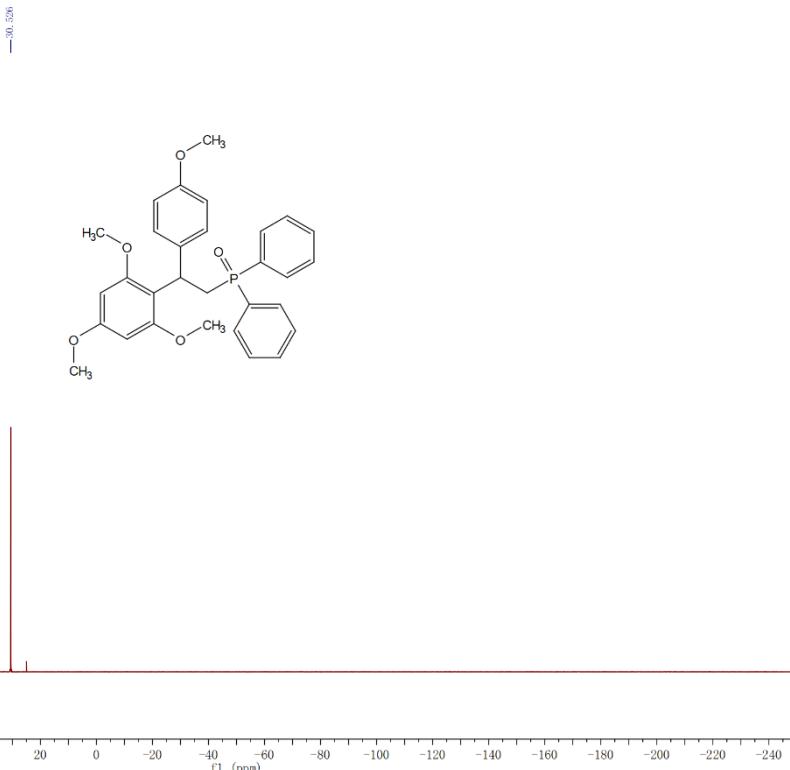




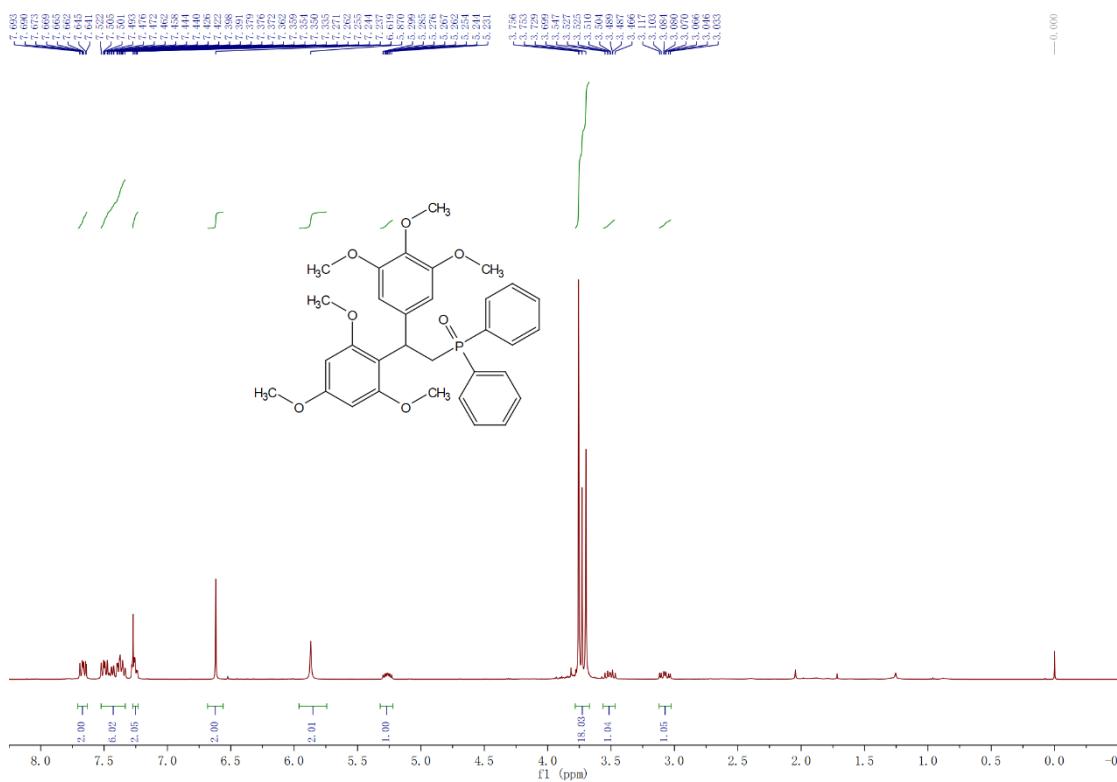


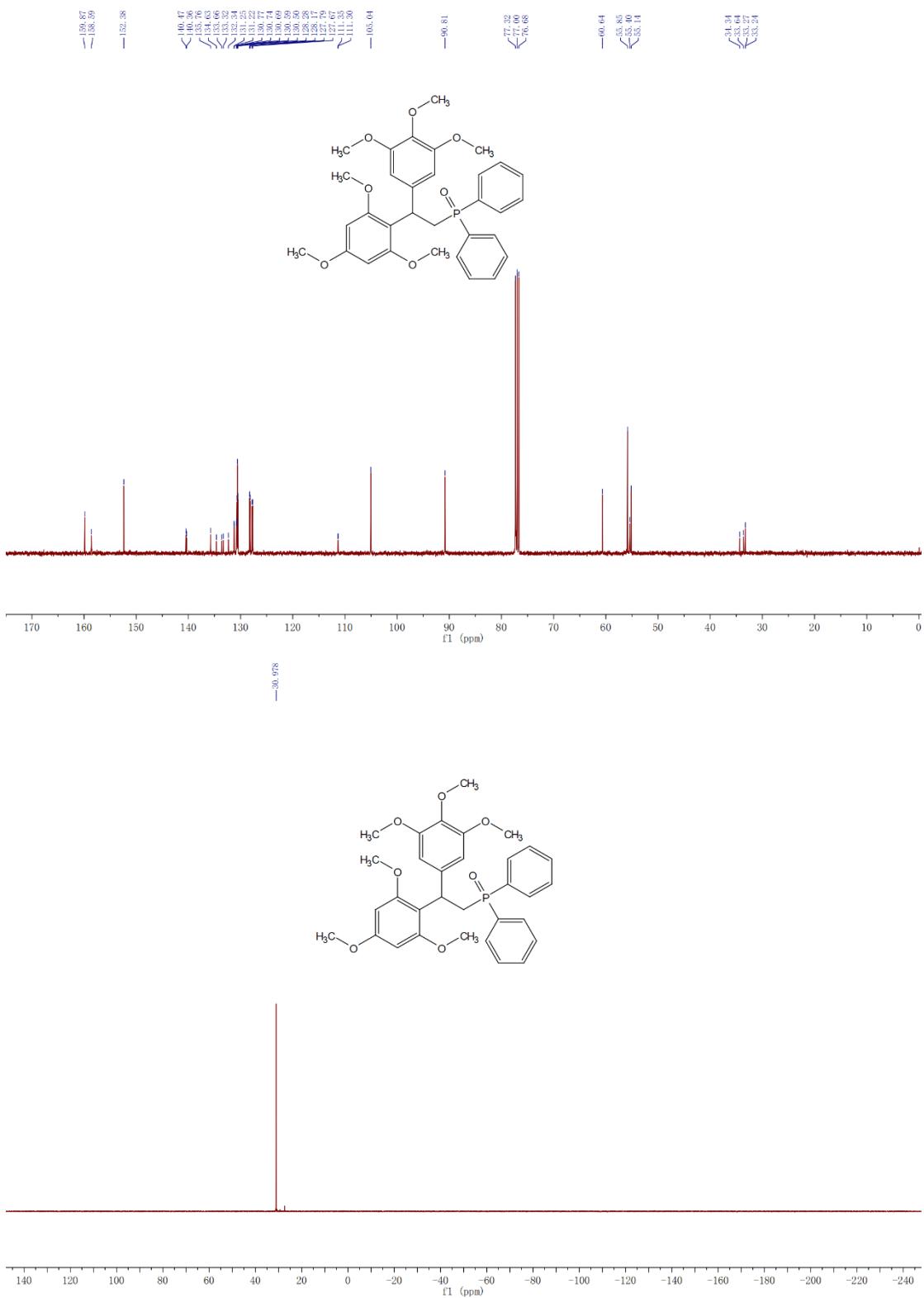
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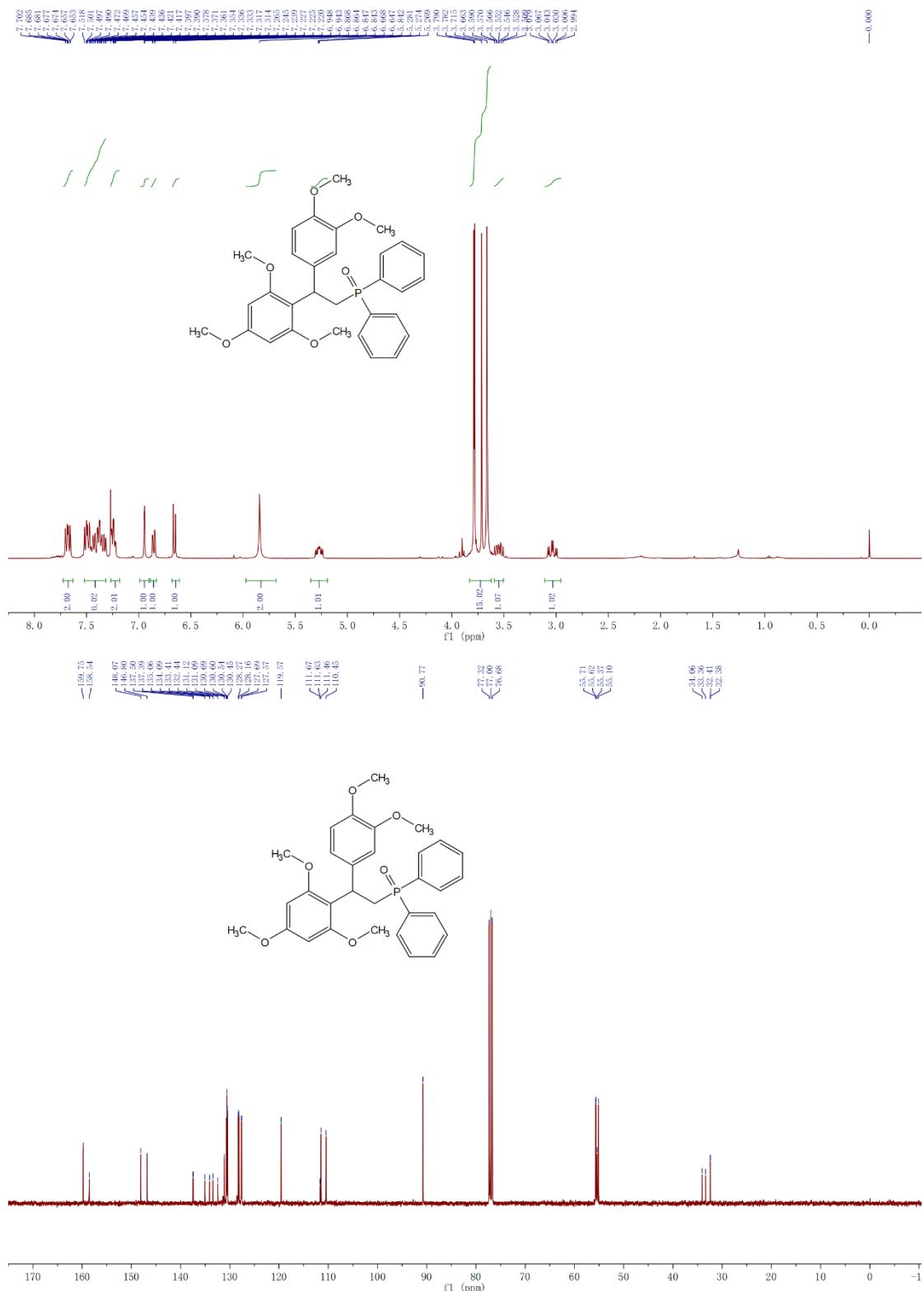


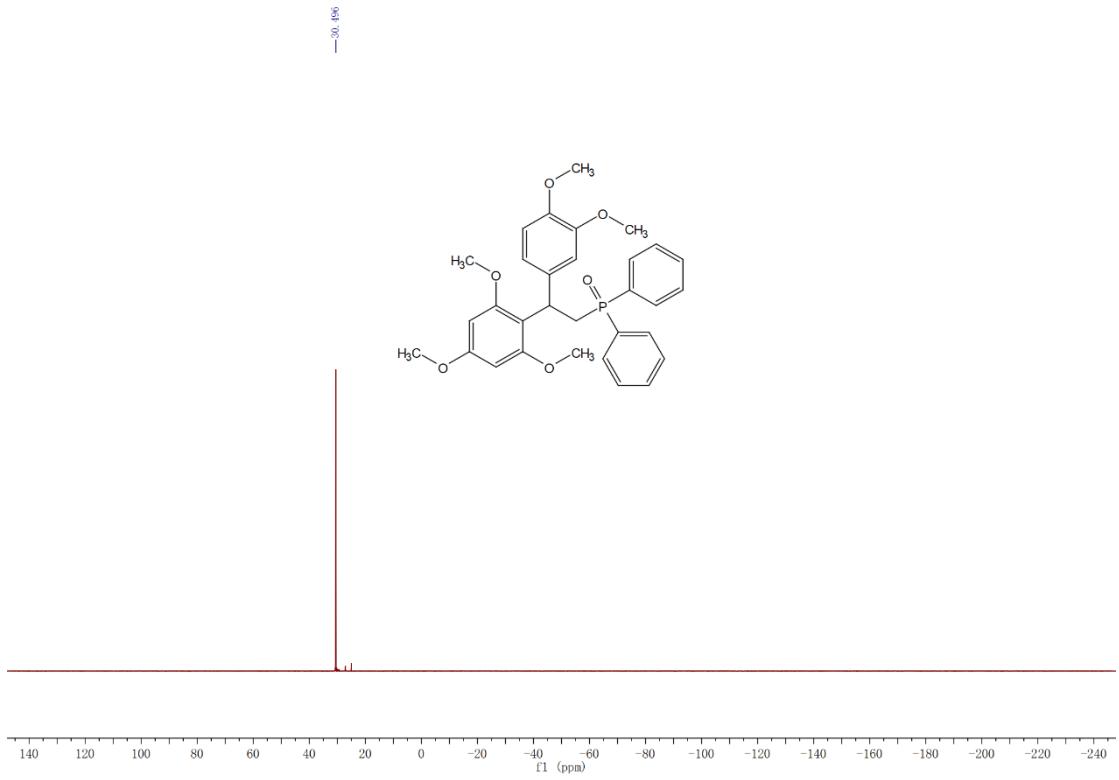
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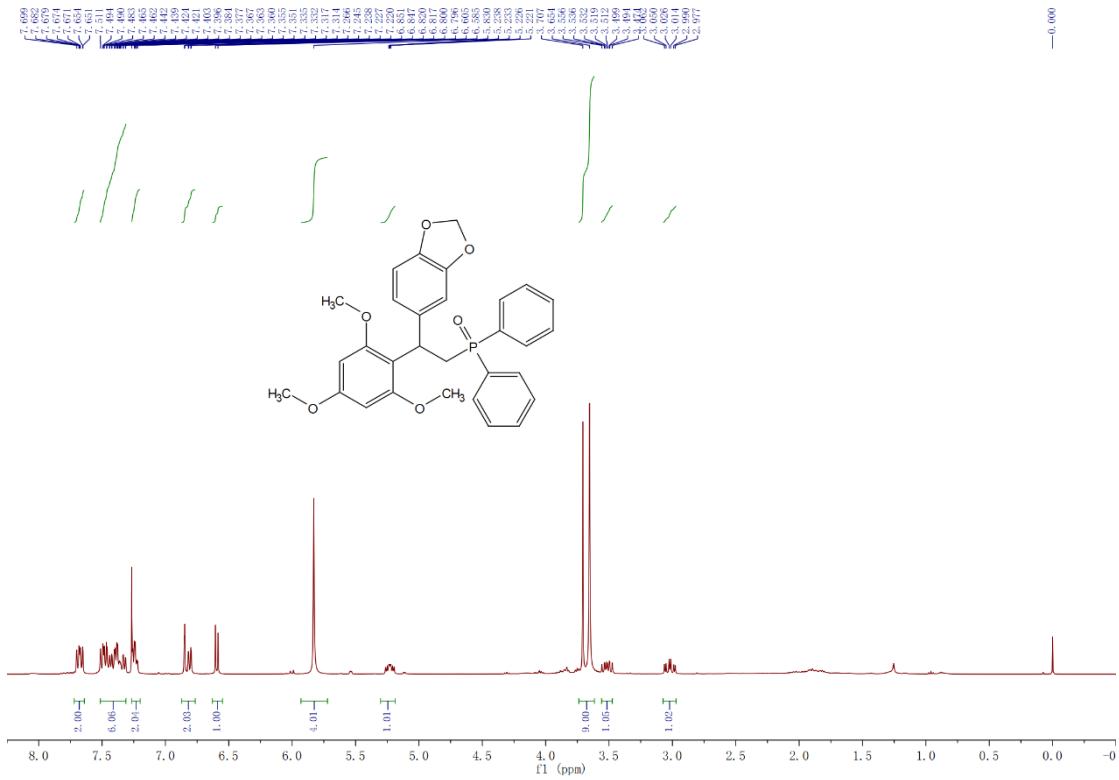


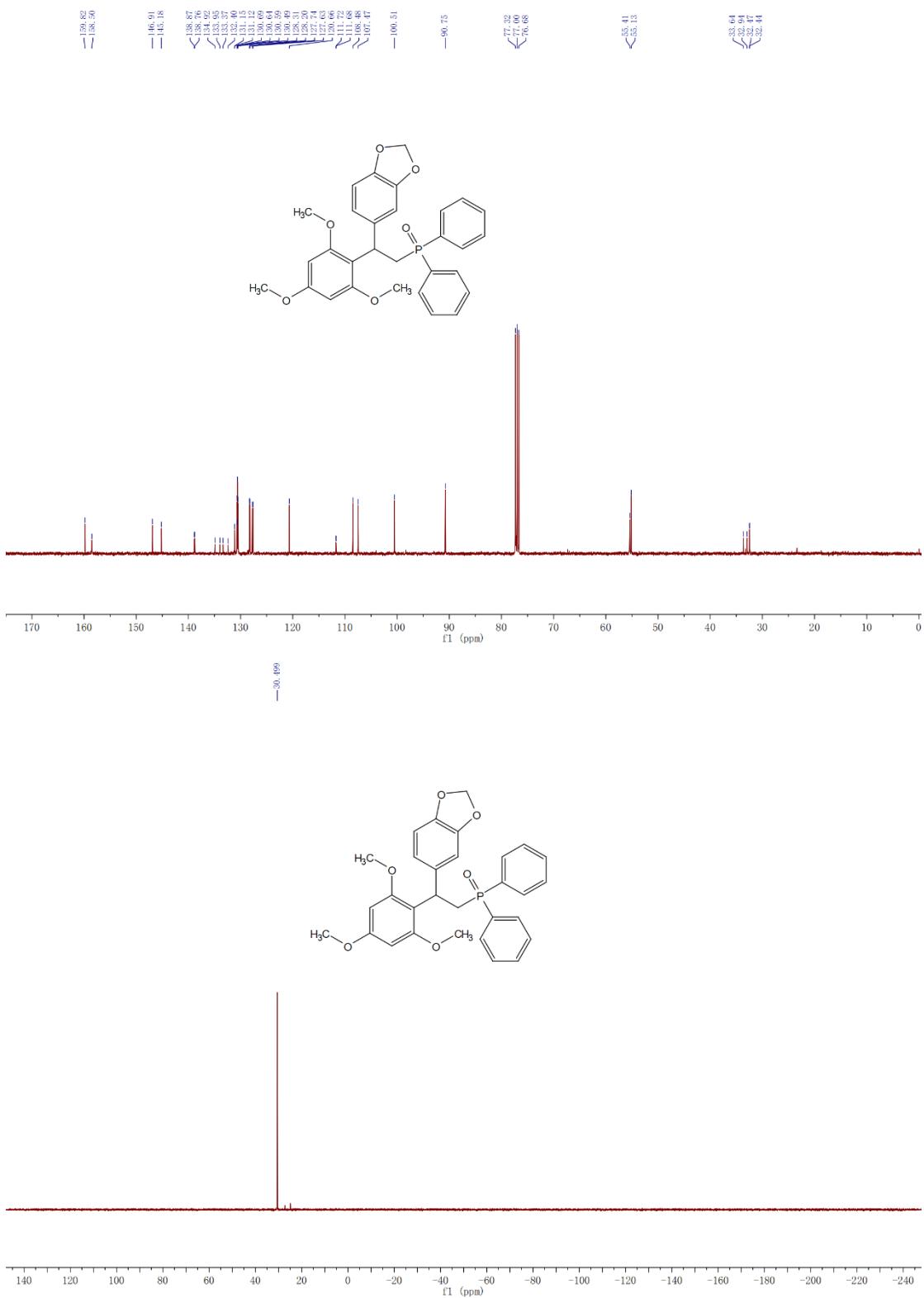
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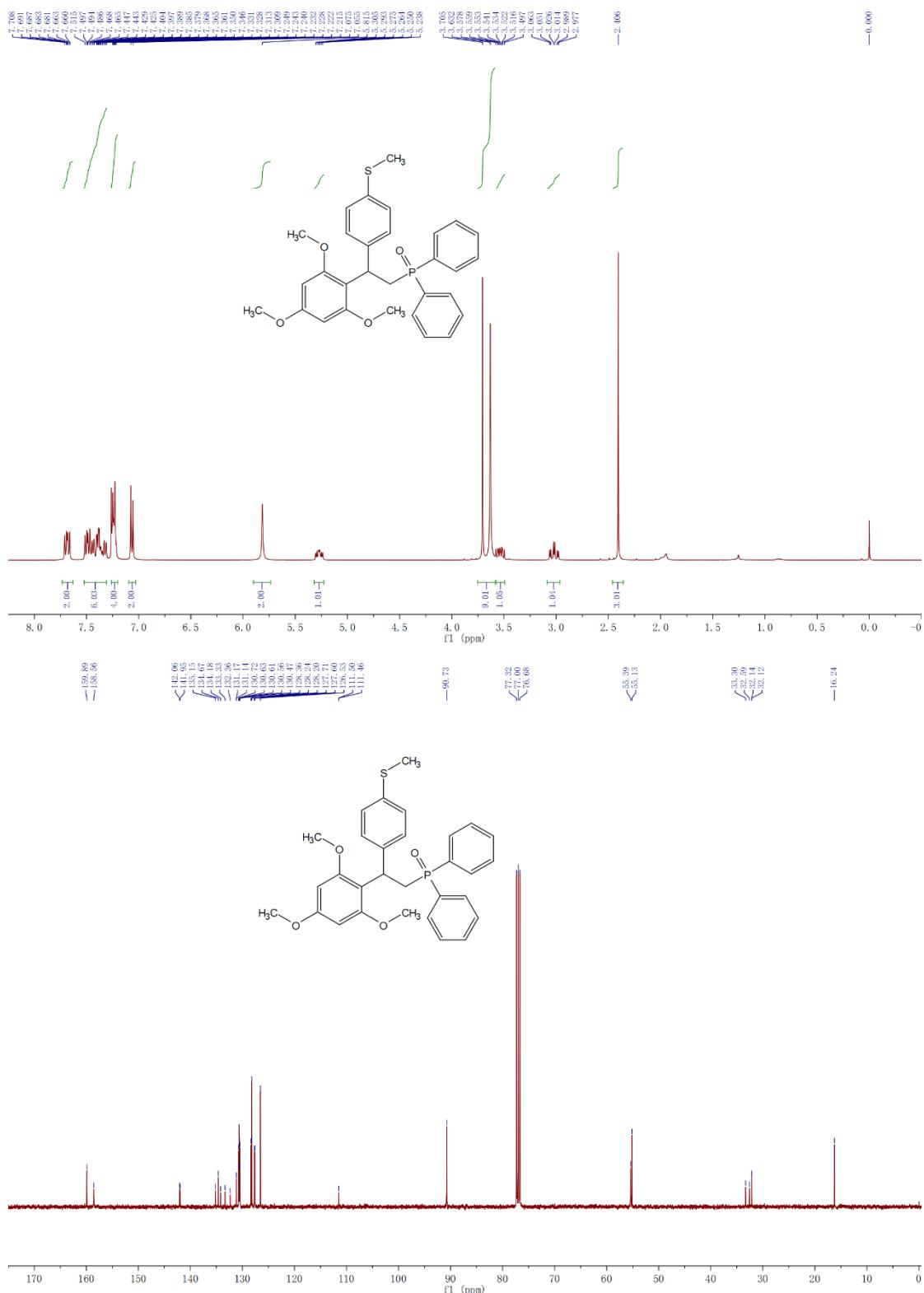


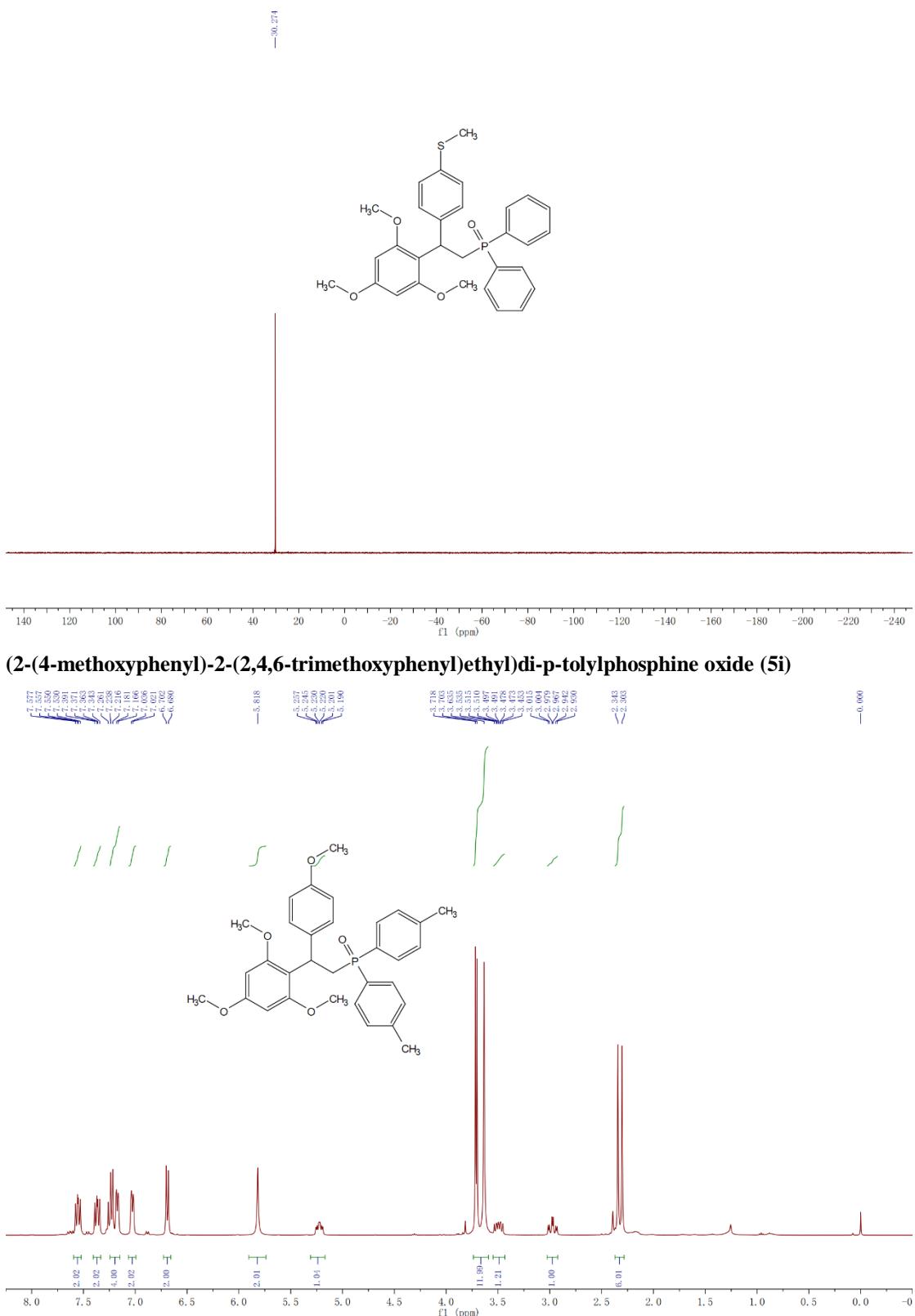
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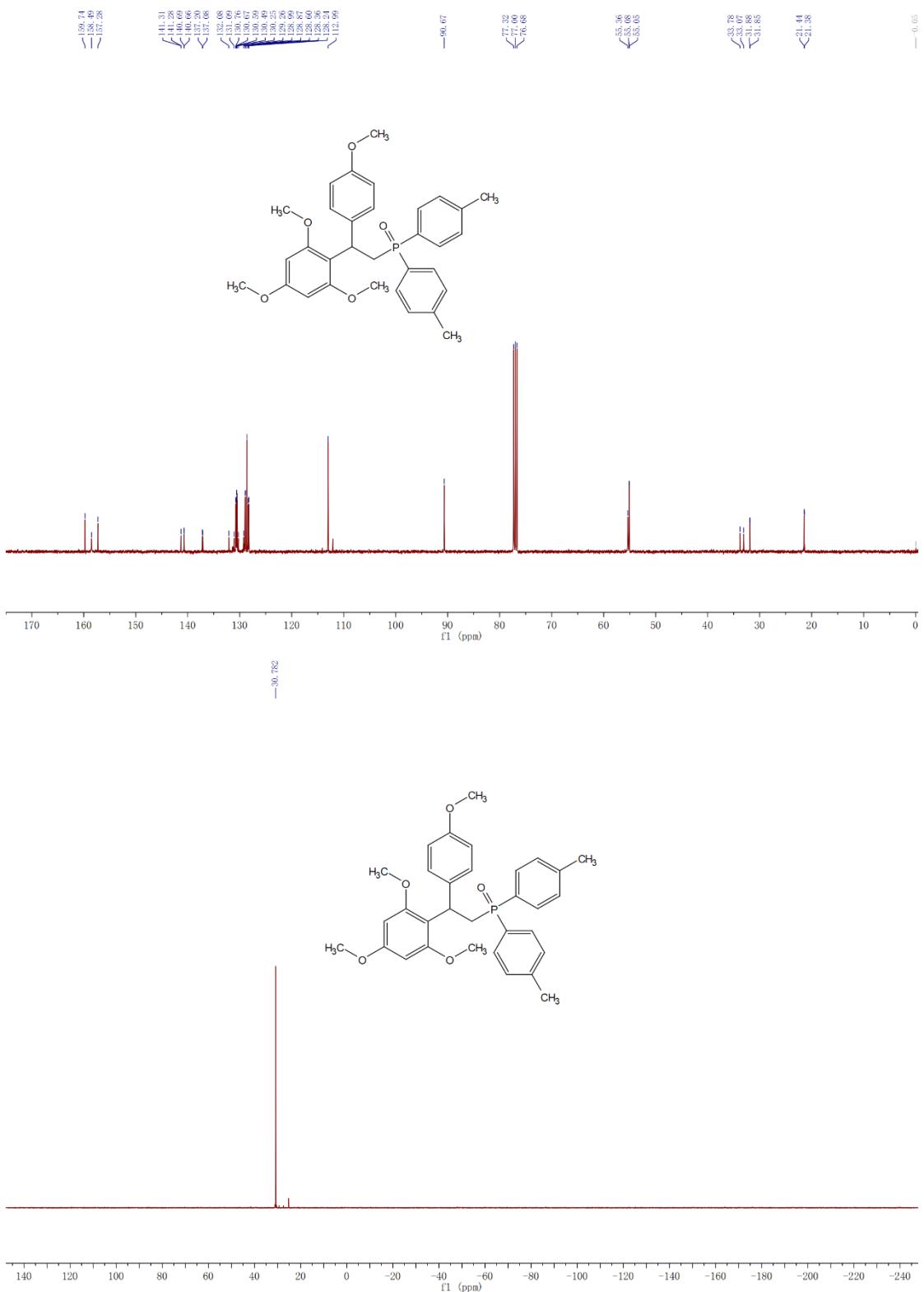




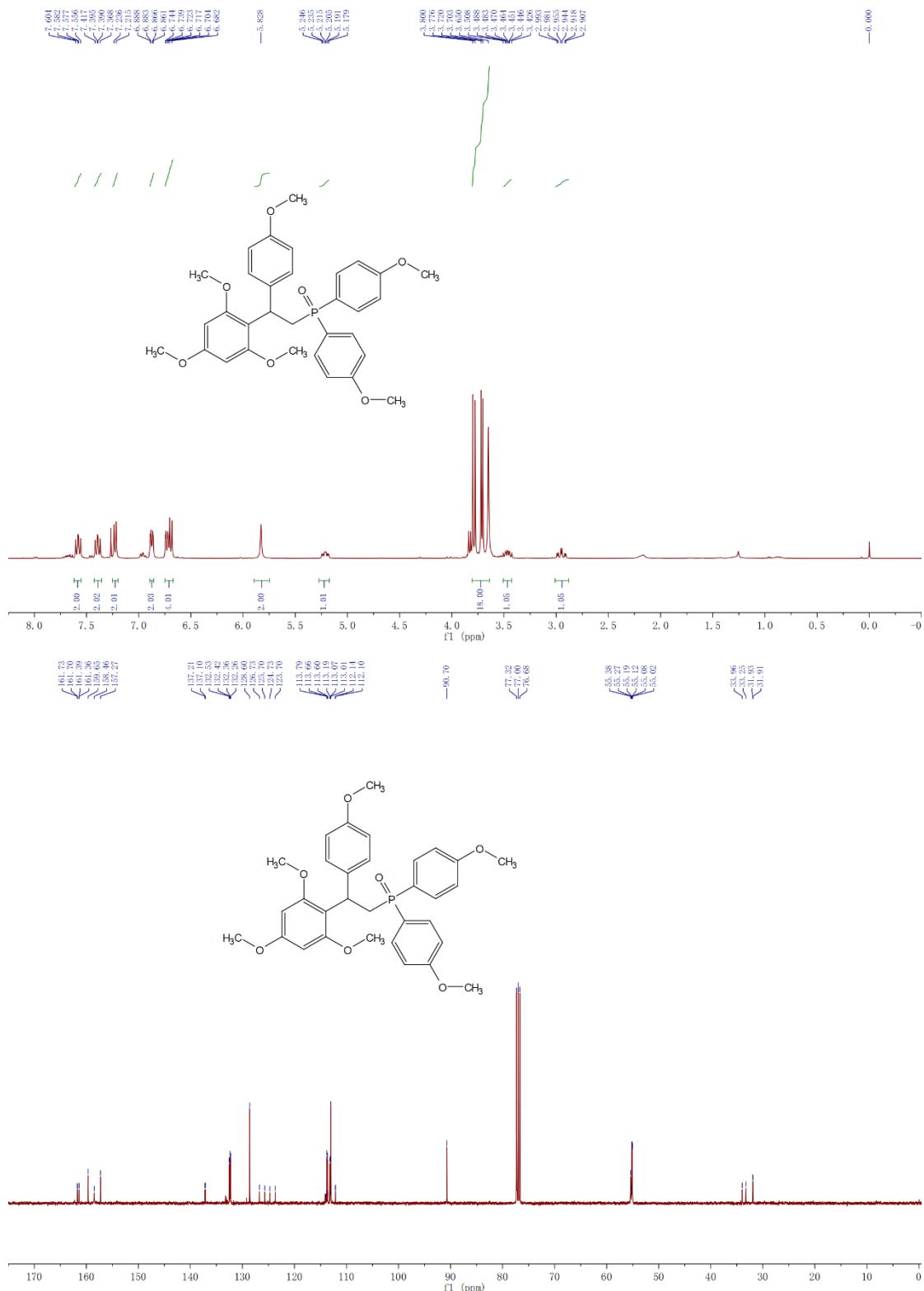
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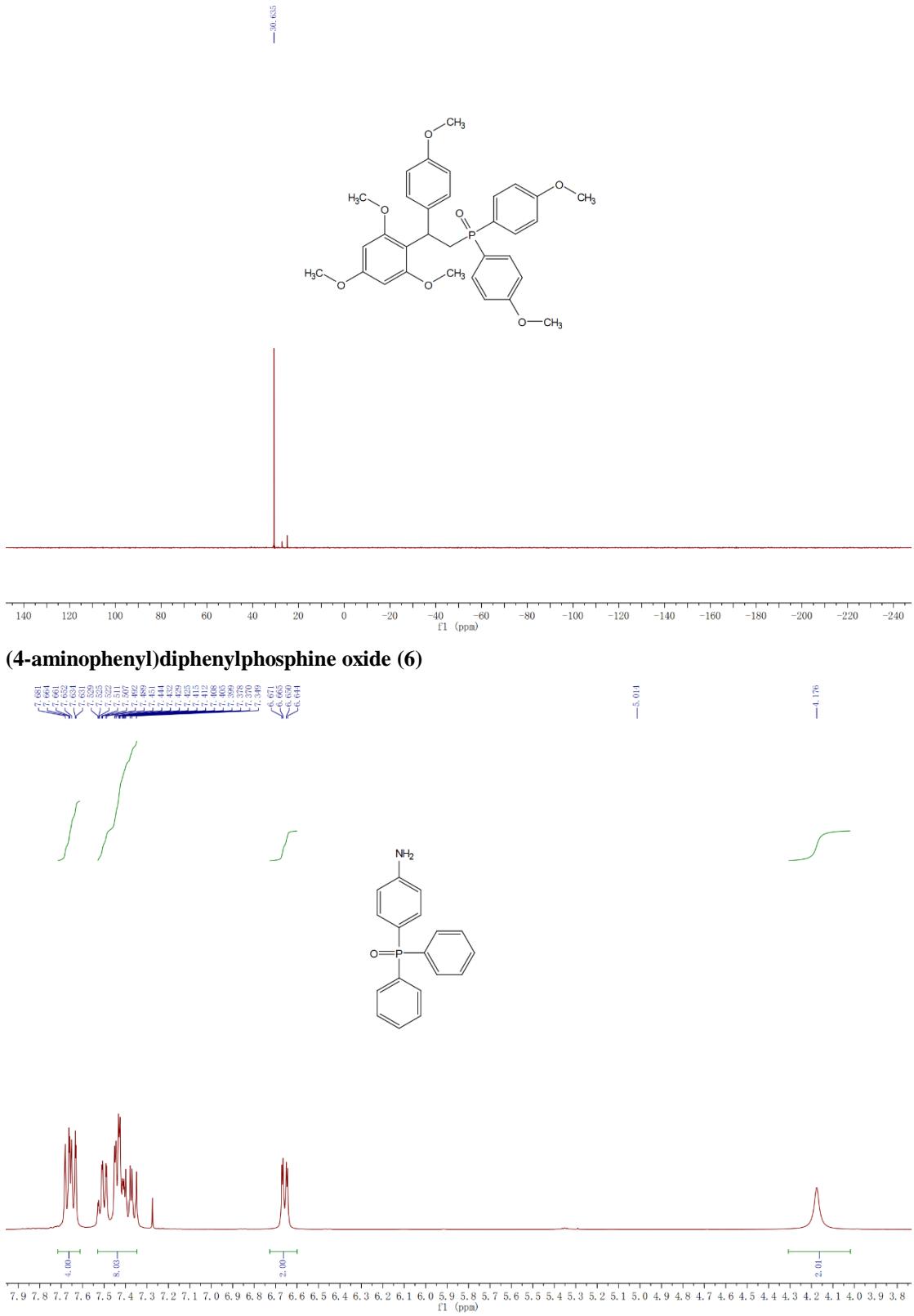




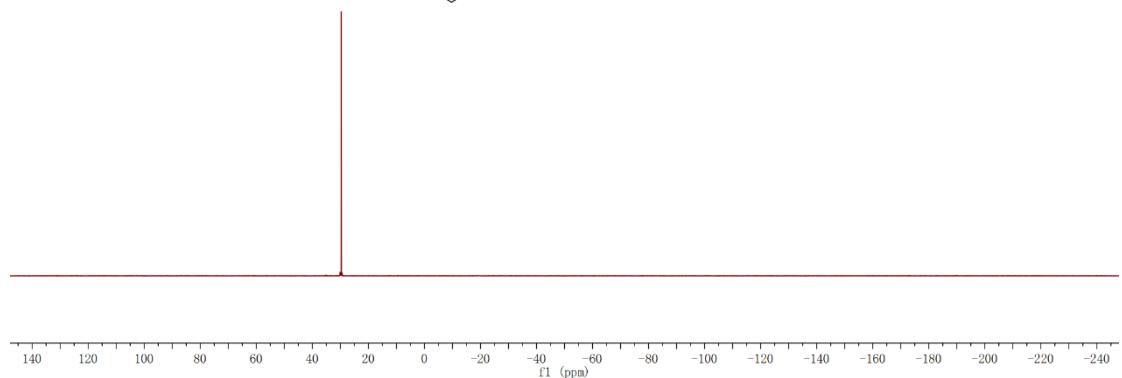
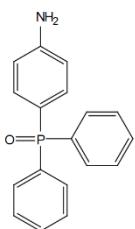
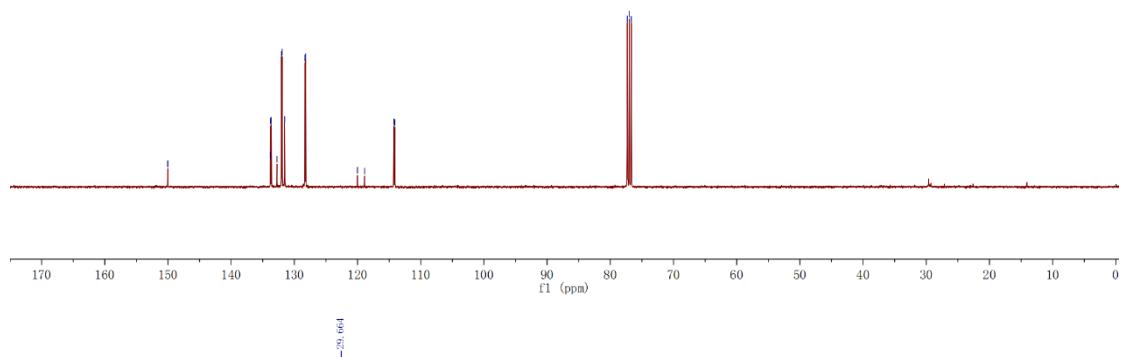
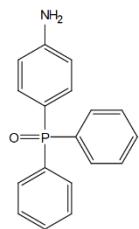


bis(4-methoxyphenyl)(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2,4,6-trimethoxyphenyl)ethyl)phosphine oxide (5j)





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