

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### Environmentally responsible, safe, and chemoselective catalytic hydrogenation of olefins: ppm levels of Pd catalysis in recyclable water at room temperature

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## 1. General information

Chemicals or reagents were procured from Sigma-Aldrich, Combi-Blocks, Alfa Aesar, or Acros Organics and used without further purification. Pd/C (1 wt %) was purchased from Sigma-Aldrich (catalog number: 205672). Hydrogen gas was supplied by Praxair. TPGS-750-M was generously supplied by PHT International. The desired 2 wt % of TPGS-750-M solution in HPLC water was prepared by dissolving 2 g of TPGS-750-M solid in 98 g of HPLC water and stored under argon. IKA hot plates with a circular aluminum or copper reaction block with pre-drilled holes for 1-dram vials were used. The vials from Chemglass (catalog number: CG-4909-04) were used as reaction vials.  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded on either a Varian Unity Inova 400 MHz (400 MHz for  $^1\text{H}$ , 100 MHz for  $^{13}\text{C}$ ), a Varian Unity Inova 500 MHz (500 MHz for  $^1\text{H}$ , 125 MHz for  $^{13}\text{C}$ ) or on a Varian Unity Inova 600 MHz spectrometer (600 MHz for  $^1\text{H}$ ); DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\text{CD}_3\text{CN}$  and  $\text{CDCl}_3$  were used as solvent. Residual peaks for  $\text{CHCl}_3$  in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  (1 H = 7.26 ppm,  $^{13}\text{C}$  = 77.20 ppm),  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{SO}$  in  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  (1 H = 2.50 ppm,  $^{13}\text{C}$  = 39.52 ppm),  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  in  $\text{CD}_3\text{CN}$  ( $^1\text{H}$  = 1.98 ppm,  $^{13}\text{C}$  = 0.49 and 117.47 ppm) or MeOH in MeOD ( $^1\text{H}$  = 4.78 ppm,  $^{13}\text{C}$  = 49.00 ppm) have been assigned. The chemical shifts are reported in ppm, the coupling constants  $J$  value are given in Hz. The peak patterns are indicated as follows: bs, broad singlet; s, singlet; d, doublet; t, triplet; q, quartet; p, pentet; m, multiplet. Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed using Silica Gel 60 F254 plates (Merck, 0.25 mm thick). Flash chromatography was done in glass columns using Silica Gel 60 (EMD, 40-63  $\mu\text{m}$ ). GCMS data were recorded on a 5975C Mass Selective Detector, coupled with a 7890A Gas Chromatograph (Agilent Technologies).

## 2. Experimental procedures

### 2.1 Screening of surfactants using H<sub>2</sub> in a balloon; preparation of **2**

In a 1-dram screw cap open top vial containing a Teflon-coated magnetic stir bar, 1 wt % Pd/C (500 ppm Pd, 1.3 mg) stiripentol (0.25 mmol, 58.6 mg) and 2 wt % TPGS-750-M/H<sub>2</sub>O (0.5 mL) were added. The reaction vial was closed and a TFE-lined silicone SURE-LINK septum was punctured with a needle (18 G) attached with a pre-filled balloon of hydrogen gas. The headspace of the vial was replaced with H<sub>2</sub> by unscrewing the cap under positive H<sub>2</sub> flow for *ca.* 5 sec. Finally, the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 10 h. The GC-MS at this stage of the reaction in aqueous TPGS-750-M showed complete conversion of starting material. The reaction mixture was filtered through a short plug of silica and washed with EtOAc. Removal of the organic solvent led to 98% yield of the spectroscopically pure material, **2** (note: use of 3 wt% or 5 wt% Pd/C instead of 1 wt% Pd/C resulted in similar chemical yield).

### 2.2 General catalytic procedure for hydrogenation using H<sub>2</sub> balloon

In a 1-dram screw cap open top vial containing a Teflon-coated magnetic stir bar, 1 wt % Pd/C (500, 1000 or 2000 ppm Pd basis, 1.3 mg, 2.6 mg or 5.3 mg), alkene (0.25 mmol) and 2 wt % TPGS-750-M/H<sub>2</sub>O (0.5 mL) were added. The reaction vial was closed and a TFE lined silicone SURE-LINK septa was punctured with needle (18 G) attached with pre-filled balloon of hydrogen gas. The headspace of the vial was replaced with H<sub>2</sub> by unscrewing the cap under a positive H<sub>2</sub> flow for *ca.* 5 sec. Finally, the reaction mixture was stirred at rt or 45 °C until completion (monitored by GC-MS or NMR). The reaction mass was either filtered through short plug of silica and washed with EtOAc or extracted with EtOAc/MTBE. Removal of organic solvent led to spectroscopically pure material. In some cases (< 10%), residual impurities were removed using a short flash column.

### 2.3 General catalytic procedure for hydrogenation using Et<sub>3</sub>SiH

In a 1-dram screw cap closed top vial containing a Teflon-coated magnetic stir bar, 1 wt % Pd/C (500, 1000 or 2000 ppm Pd basis, 1.3 mg, 2.6 mg or 5.3 mg), alkene (0.25 mmol), Et<sub>3</sub>SiH (1.2 equiv), and 2 wt % TPGS-750-M/H<sub>2</sub>O (0.5 mL) were added. The reaction vial was closed and stirred at rt or 45 °C until completion (monitored by GC-MS or NMR). The reaction mass was either filtered through short plug of silica and crude product was purified by short flash column to remove silane or its by-products.

### 2.4 Large scale recycling and reuse procedure

#### *Initial reaction:*

In a 250 mL 3-necked round bottom flask containing a Teflon-coated magnetic stir bar, 1 wt % Pd/C (500 ppm Pd basis, 265 mg), alkene (50 mmol) and 2 wt % TPGS-750-M/H<sub>2</sub>O (100 mL) were added. The flask was attached with a 2-way stopcock consisting of a pre-filled balloon with hydrogen gas. The headspace of the flask was replaced with H<sub>2</sub> gas by puncturing the rubber septum attached to one neck of the flask for *ca.* 1 min. Finally, the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 4 h (monitored by GC-MS or NMR). The reaction was stopped, and the balloon was removed to allow for attachment of the distillation assembly. The water was steam distilled at 100±2 °C in a separate flask, prior to vacuum distillation of the product at 10 torr to distill at 115-118 °C giving 91% yield (6.4 g) of the desired product. The Pd/C and surfactant residue left in the distilling flask was used for the subsequent recycle.

*1<sup>st</sup> recycle:* To the above Pd/C residue, previously distilled water was added and stirred for 20 min. Hexene-3-ol (50 mmol) was added, and similar process mentioned above was followed and the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 5 h to result in 92% yield (4.7 g) of the desired alcohol **49** (distilled at 25 torr, 82-84 °C).

*2<sup>nd</sup> recycle:* To above Pd/C residue, distilled water from 1<sup>st</sup> recycle was added and stirred for 20 min. Hexenone (50 mmol) was added, and a similar protocol mentioned in the initial reaction is followed and the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 12 h to get 89% yield (6.3 g) of the desired product 50 (distilled at 126-128 °C).

*3<sup>rd</sup> recycle:* To above Pd/C residue, previously distilled water from the 2<sup>nd</sup> recycle was added and stirred for 20 min. Fresh 1 wt % Pd/C (100 ppm), ethyl 3,3-dimethylacrylate (50 mmol), and Et<sub>3</sub>SiH (1.5 equiv) were added to the flask. Finally, the reaction mixture was stirred at 45 °C for 20 h to result in 90% yield (5.8 g) of the desired product, which was carefully distilled at 134 °C (after distilling the water).

## **2.5 Large scale recycling on the same substrate**

In a 100 mL 3-necked round bottom flask containing a Teflon-coated magnetic stir bar, 1 wt % Pd/C (500 ppm Pd basis, 132.5 mg), 4-*t*-butylstyrene (25 mmol, 4.0 g) and 2 wt % TPGS-750-M/H<sub>2</sub>O (50 mL) were added. The flask was attached with a 2-way stopcock consisting of a pre-filled balloon with hydrogen gas. The headspace of the flask was replaced with H<sub>2</sub> gas by puncturing the rubber septum attached to one neck of the flask for *ca.* 1 min. Finally, the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 3 h (monitored by GC-MS or NMR). The reaction was stopped, and the balloon was removed to allow for attachment of the distillation assembly. The water was steam distilled at 100±2 °C in a separate flask, prior to vacuum distillation of the product at 40 torr to distill at 113-116 °C giving 90% yield (3.6 g) of the desired product. The Pd/C and surfactant residue left in the distilling flask was used for the subsequent recycle.

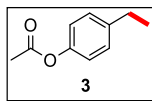
*1<sup>st</sup> recycle:* To the above Pd/C residue, previously distilled water was added and stirred for 20 min. 4-*t*-butylstyrene (25 mmol, 4.0 g) was added, and similar process mentioned above was followed to result in 93% yield (3.8 g) of the desired 4-ethyl-*t*-butylbenzene **6**.

*2<sup>nd</sup> recycle:* By following procedure mentioned in recycle 1, 91% yield (3.7 g) of the desired product 4-ethyl-*t*-butylbenzene **6** was obtained.

*3<sup>rd</sup> recycle:* By following procedure mentioned in recycle 1, 85% yield (3.4 g) of the desired product 4-ethyl-*t*-butylbenzene **6** was obtained.

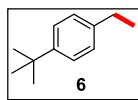
*4<sup>th</sup> recycle:* By following procedure mentioned in recycle 1, 75% yield (3.0 g) of the desired product 4-ethyl-*t*-butylbenzene **6** was obtained.

### 3. Analytical data



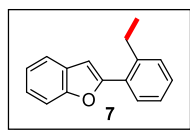
Yield 99%, 40 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[1]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.12 (d, *J* = 8.5, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.5, 2H), 2.57 (q, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 1.15 (t, *J* = 7.6, 3H).



Yield 99%, 40 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[2]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.2, 2H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.0, 2H), 2.55 (q, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 1.24 (s, 9H), 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.6, 3H).

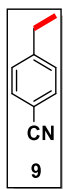


Yield 93%, 52 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.75 (s, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 7.8, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 7.6, 1H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.7, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6, 1H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.7, 1H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.5, 1H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 7.1, 1H), 7.05 (s, 1H), 2.76 (q, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 1.34 (t, *J* = 7.6, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.23, 154.88, 144.84, 130.48, 129.30, 128.80, 128.26, 124.43, 124.17, 122.90, 122.43, 120.86, 111.16, 101.18, 28.95, 15.60.

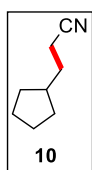
**HRMS** C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O MS-ESI [M<sup>+</sup>] *m/z* calcd: 222.1045; found: 222.1048.



Yield 90%, 29 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR**<sup>[3]</sup> (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.58 (d,  $J$  = 8.3, 2H), 7.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.1, 2H), 2.72 (q,  $J$  = 7.6, 2H), 1.27 (t,  $J$  = 7.6, 3H).

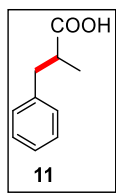
**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  149.80, 132.18, 128.67, 119.19, 109.51, 29.07, 15.02.



Yield 91%, 28 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR**<sup>[4]</sup> (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.36 (t,  $J$  = 7.4, 2H), 1.93 (hept,  $J$  = 7.6, 1H), 1.87 – 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.69 (q,  $J$  = 7.4, 2H), 1.66 – 1.55 (m, 4H), 1.21 – 1.01 (m, 2H).

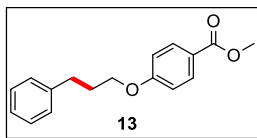
**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  120.01, 39.19, 32.12, 31.47, 25.05, 16.42.



Yield 82%, 34 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (4:6)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR**<sup>[5]</sup> (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.34 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.26 – 7.17 (m, 3H), 3.10 (dd,  $J$  = 13.5, 6.5, 1H), 2.79 (h,  $J$  = 6.9, 1H), 2.69 (dd,  $J$  = 13.5, 8.0, 1H), 1.20 (d,  $J$  = 7.0, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  182.36, 139.03, 129.01, 128.43, 126.44, 41.22, 39.30, 16.49.

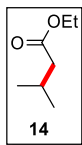


Yield 100%, 67 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.00 (d,  $J$  = 8.9, 2H), 7.34 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d,  $J$  = 6.6, 3H), 6.92 (d,  $J$  = 8.9, 2H), 4.03 (t,  $J$  = 6.3, 2H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 2.84 (t,  $J$  = 7.6, 2H), 2.19 – 2.11 (m, 2H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  166.90, 162.82, 141.25, 131.59, 128.50, 128.48, 126.04, 122.49, 114.10, 67.04, 51.85, 32.06, 30.66.

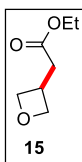
**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}\text{O}_3$  MS-ESI  $[\text{M}^+]$   $m/z$  calcd: 270.1256; found: 270.1259.



Yield 100%, 32 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (9:1)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR**<sup>[3]</sup> (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  4.14 (q,  $J$  = 7.1, 2H), 2.18 (d,  $J$  = 6.7, 2H), 2.15 – 2.06 (m, 1H), 1.26 (t,  $J$  = 7.1, 3H), 0.96 (d,  $J$  = 6.6, 6H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.20, 60.06, 43.50, 25.71, 22.38, 14.27.

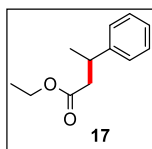


Yield 100%, 36 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (8:2)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  4.90 – 4.80 (m, 2H), 4.43 (t,  $J$  = 6.3, 2H), 4.13 (qd,  $J$  = 7.1, 2.1, 2H), 3.42 – 3.31 (m, 1H), 2.72 (d,  $J$  = 7.9, 2H), 1.25 (t,  $J$  = 7.1, 3H).

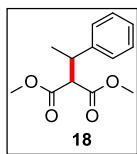
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 171.70, 60.58, 37.99, 31.44, 14.18.

**HRMS** C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>3</sub> H GC-Cl [M+H] *m/z* calcd: 145.0865; found: 145.0863.



Yield 93%, 45 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[6]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.13 (dd, *J* = 15.3, 6.6, 3H), 4.00 (q, *J* = 7.2, 2H), 3.21 (h, *J* = 7.0, 1H), 2.57 – 2.41 (m, 2H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 7.0, 3H), 1.11 (t, *J* = 7.1, 3H).

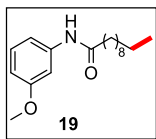


Yield 100%, 59 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.29 (q, *J* = 6.3, 4.7, 2H), 7.23 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.1, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.65 (d, *J* = 10.6, 1H), 3.59 – 3.51 (m, 1H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 1.34 (d, *J* = 6.9, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.82, 168.34, 142.98, 128.49, 127.34, 126.91, 59.11, 52.54, 52.24, 40.10, 20.02.

**HRMS**: C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>4</sub> Na MS-ESI [M+Na] *m/z* calcd: 259.0946; found: 259.0947.

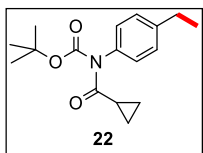


Yield 100%, 73 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.19 (t, *J* = 8.1, 1H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 7.9, 1H), 6.69 – 6.62 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.35 (t, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 1.71 (p, *J* = 7.5, 2H), 1.42 – 1.18 (m, 14H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 6.9, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.77, 160.13, 139.34, 129.58, 111.93, 110.04, 105.51, 55.24, 37.84, 31.89, 29.58, 29.50, 29.41, 29.31, 29.29, 25.65, 22.68, 14.11.

**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_2\text{Na}$  ESI-MS  $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]$   $m/z$  calcd: 314.2096; found: 314.2103.

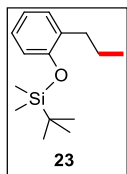


Yield 95%, 67 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.21 (d,  $J$  = 8.0, 2H), 7.04 (d,  $J$  = 8.2, 2H), 2.67 (q,  $J$  = 7.6, 2H), 2.49 (ddd,  $J$  = 12.6, 7.9, 4.6, 1H), 1.43 (s, 10H), 1.25 (t,  $J$  = 7.6, 3H), 1.14 (dt,  $J$  = 7.8, 3.9, 2H), 0.91 (dq,  $J$  = 7.3, 3.7, 2H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.58, 143.74, 136.80, 128.39, 127.99, 82.92, 28.47, 27.90, 15.45, 15.37, 10.66.

**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$  MS-ESI  $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]$   $m/z$  calcd: 312.1576; found: 312.1571.

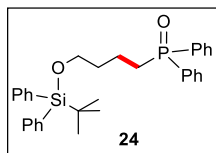


Yield 93%, 58 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.89 (d,  $J$  = 7.6, 1H), 6.82 (t,  $J$  = 7.5, 1H), 6.64 (t,  $J$  = 8.1, 1H), 6.54 (d,  $J$  = 7.9, 1H), 2.33 (t,  $J$  = 7.7, 2H), 1.37 (h,  $J$  = 7.3, 2H), 0.79 (d,  $J$  = 2.7, 9H), 0.72 (td,  $J$  = 7.4, 2.6, 3H), 0.00 (d,  $J$  = 2.7, 6H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  157.71, 137.48, 134.37, 130.72, 125.03, 122.51, 36.89, 29.95, 27.47, 22.41, 18.27, 0.01.

**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{26}\text{OSi}$  MS-ESI  $[\text{M}+]$   $m/z$  calcd: 250.1753; found: 250.1759.

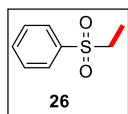


Yield 92%, 118 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (2:8)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.79 – 7.70 (m, 4H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 7.0, 4H), 7.53 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.45 (td, *J* = 7.5, 2.2, 4H), 7.43 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.2, 4H), 3.67 (t, *J* = 5.8, 2H), 2.34 – 2.24 (m, 2H), 1.78 (s, 2H), 1.72 – 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.02 (s, 9H).

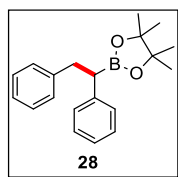
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 135.54, 133.83, 131.67, 130.86, 130.78, 129.61, 128.68, 128.59, 127.75, 127.66, 63.14, 33.62, 33.51, 29.86, 29.29, 18.27, 18.24.

**HRMS** C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>37</sub>O<sub>2</sub>PSi Na MS-ESI [M+Na] *m/z* calcd: 535.2198; found: 535.2200.



Yield 81%, 34 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

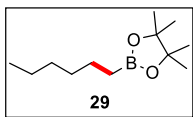
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[7]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.2, 2H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 7.4, 1H), 7.58 (t, *J* = 7.5, 2H), 3.12 (q, *J* = 7.4, 2H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.4, 3H).



Yield 89%, 69 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[8]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.27 (d, *J* = 4.9, 4H), 7.25 – 7.19 (m, 4H), 7.16 (tt, *J* = 6.8, 3.3, 2H), 3.18 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 9.8, 1H), 2.99 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 6.9, 1H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 6.9, 1H), 1.13 (d, *J* = 4.3, 12H).

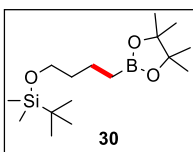
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 141.75, 128.89, 128.41, 128.33, 128.03, 125.75, 125.39, 83.40, 38.85, 24.58, 24.51.



Yield 88%, 47 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[9]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.33 (p, *J* = 8.1, 7.1, 2H), 1.21 (d, *J* = 14.7, 6H), 1.17 (s, 12H), 0.80 (t, *J* = 6.7, 3H), 0.70 (t, *J* = 7.7, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 82.79, 32.08, 31.63, 24.79, 23.95, 22.57, 14.06.

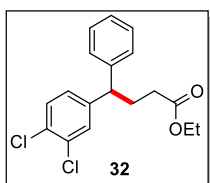


Yield 81%, 64 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 3.56 (t, *J* = 6.7, 2H), 1.49 (dt, *J* = 13.9, 6.6, 2H), 1.39 (p, *J* = 7.4, 2H), 1.20 (s, 12H), 0.85 (s, 9H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.7, 2H), 0.00 (s, 6H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 82.86, 63.15, 35.48, 25.99, 24.80, 20.22, 18.37, -5.26.

**HRMS** C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>26</sub>BO<sub>3</sub>Si MS-Cl [M-C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>] *m/z* calcd: 257.1747; found: 257.1741.

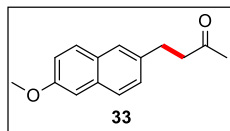


Yield 79%, 67 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.28 – 7.20 (m, 4H), 7.16 – 7.10 (m, 3H), 7.00 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.2, 1H), 4.03 (q, *J* = 7.1, 2H), 3.82 (t, *J* = 7.8, 1H), 2.31 – 2.23 (m, 2H), 2.20 – 2.15 (m, 2H), 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.1, 4H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 173.07, 144.61, 142.81, 132.49, 130.46, 129.79, 128.81, 127.76, 127.27, 126.86, 60.48, 49.63, 32.52, 30.28, 14.22.

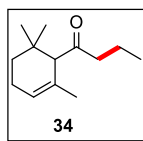
**HRMS** C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub> GC-Cl [M+ C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>] *m/z* calcd: 365.1075; found: 365.1070.



Yield 83%, 47 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[10]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.6, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 1.8, 1H), 7.30 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 1.8, 1H), 7.18 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.04 (t, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 2.84 (t, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 2.16 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 208.03, 157.32, 136.16, 133.13, 129.09, 128.95, 127.55, 126.99, 126.27, 118.84, 105.66, 55.29, 45.20, 30.13, 29.73.

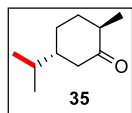


Yield 94%, 46 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 5.57 (ddt, *J* = 4.4, 2.8, 1.4, 1H), 2.75 (s, 1H), 2.54 (ddd, *J* = 17.7, 8.2, 6.4, 1H), 2.41 (ddd, *J* = 17.7, 8.2, 6.2, 1H), 2.16 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.75 (ddd, *J* = 13.3, 10.6, 6.6, 1H), 1.68 – 1.50 (m, 5H), 1.14 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 6.0, 1H), 0.96 – 0.90 (m, 6H), 0.89 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 213.55, 130.23, 123.38, 63.38, 47.79, 32.36, 30.70, 27.92, 27.76, 23.43, 22.66, 16.81, 13.77.

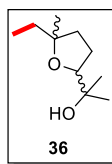
**HRMS** C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub> GC-Cl [M+ C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>] *m/z* calcd: 223.2062; found: 223.2051.



Yield 100%, 39 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[11]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.42 – 2.29 (m, 2H), 2.16 – 2.00 (m, 2H), 1.86 (dp, *J* = 11.6, 3.2, 1H), 1.67 – 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.50 – 1.37 (m, 1H), 1.30 (qd, *J* = 13.0, 3.4, 1H), 1.01 (d, *J* = 6.5, 3H), 0.93 – 0.81 (m, 6H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 213.72, 46.58, 45.38, 44.90, 35.09, 32.75, 28.89, 19.60, 19.34, 14.35.

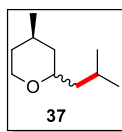


Yield 99%, 43 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (6:4)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>; *cis:trans* (1:1)) δ 3.81 – 3.77 (m, 1H), 3.75 – 3.70 (m, 1H), 2.22 (s, 1H), 2.14 (s, 1H), 1.89 – 1.72 (m, 6H), 1.65 (tdd, *J* = 9.4, 6.6, 4.0, 2H), 1.60 – 1.48 (m, 4H), 1.21 (s, 6H), 1.18 (d, *J* = 3.6, 6H), 1.12 (s, 6H), 0.91 (q, *J* = 7.4, 6H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 85.62, 84.62, 83.52, 83.48, 71.15, 70.68, 36.63, 36.44, 34.15, 33.78, 27.58, 27.45, 26.54, 26.49, 26.03, 25.07, 24.13, 24.03, 9.05, 8.87.

**HRMS** C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O MS-Cl [M-OH] *m/z* calcd: 155.1436; found: 155.1428.



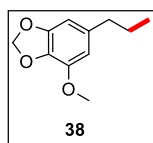
Yield 99%, 39 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>; *cis:trans* (3:1)) δ 3.98 (ddd, *J* = 11.4, 4.5, 1.3, 1H), 3.77 – 3.62 (m, 1H, *trans* product), 3.40 (td, *J* = 12.4, 2.1, 1H), 3.35 – 3.24 (m, 1H), 1.82 –

1.74 (m, 1H), 1.64 – 1.50 (m, 4H), 1.28 – 1.08 (m, 3H), 1.06 (d,  $J = 7.1$ , 1H, *trans* product), 0.93 (d,  $J = 6.3$ , 3H), 0.90 (d,  $J = 6.7$ , 6H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  75.65, 70.06, 68.06, 62.32, 45.79, 44.19, 41.17, 38.13, 34.80, 32.45, 30.38, 24.92, 24.37, 24.29, 23.26, 22.39, 22.34, 18.89.

**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}$  H MS-Cl [M+H]  $m/z$  calcd: 157.1592; found: 157.1594.

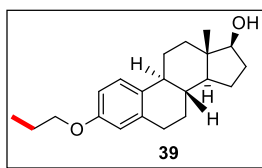


Yield 99%, 48 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.39 (s, 1H), 6.35 (s, 1H), 5.94 (s, 2H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 2.55 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 1.62 (q,  $J = 7.5$ , 2H), 0.94 (t,  $J = 7.4$ , 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  148.67, 143.35, 137.38, 133.10, 107.55, 102.46, 101.11, 56.54, 38.17, 24.77, 13.72.

**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_3$  MS-ESI [M]  $m/z$  calcd: 194.0943; found: 193.0934.



Yield 91%, 71 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (7:3)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.22 (d,  $J = 8.6$ , 1H), 6.73 (dd,  $J = 8.7, 2.5$ , 1H), 6.66 (s, 1H), 3.92 (t,  $J = 6.6$ , 2H), 3.76 (d,  $J = 8.4$ , 1H), 2.94 – 2.81 (m, 2H), 2.39 – 2.31 (m, 1H), 2.25 – 2.09 (m, 2H), 1.97 (dt,  $J = 12.3, 2.9$ , 1H), 1.94 – 1.86 (m, 1H), 1.82 (h,  $J = 6.9$ , 2H), 1.72 (dddd,  $J = 12.4, 9.7, 6.6, 3.8$ , 1H), 1.65 (s, 1H), 1.57 – 1.28 (m, 6H), 1.25 – 1.18 (m, 1H), 1.05 (td,  $J = 7.4, 1.5$ , 3H), 0.81 (d,  $J = 1.5$ , 3H).



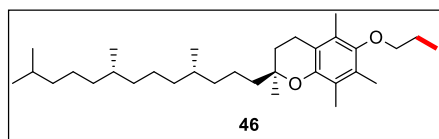
**HRMS:** C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>17</sub> MS-Cl [M-H] *m/z* calcd: 137.1330; found: 137.1324.



Yield 80%, 22 mg; passed from short plug of silica and washed with hexanes : diethyl ether (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[12]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>; *endo:exo* (85:15)) δ 2.13 (t, *J* = 4.3, 1H), 2.00 (s, 1H), 1.91 (dtdd, *J* = 12.4, 5.4, 4.0, 1.7, 1H), 1.76 (tdd, *J* = 11.6, 4.7, 3.1, 1H), 1.56 (d, *J* = 0.9, 1H), 1.50 – 1.45 (m, 1H), 1.35 (dt, *J* = 9.3, 1.9, 1H), 1.27 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 2.2, 1H), 1.13 – 1.07 (m, 1H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 7.0, 3H), 0.88 (d, *J* = 6.8, 0.52H (CH<sub>3</sub> of *endo* product)), 0.55 (ddd, *J* = 11.9, 5.2, 2.4, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 41.73, 40.32, 38.47, 37.69, 34.09, 30.24, 22.07, 17.45.

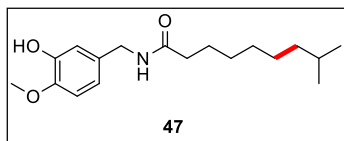


Yield 99%, 117 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 3.64 (t, *J* = 6.7, 2H), 2.60 (t, *J* = 6.8, 2H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.16 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.89 – 1.75 (m, 4H), 1.66 – 1.53 (m, 3H), 1.52 – 1.36 (m, 5H), 1.36 – 1.28 (m, 6H), 1.26 (s, 4H), 1.17 (dtd, *J* = 9.1, 6.5, 6.0, 2.1, 3H), 1.10 (t, *J* = 7.4, 6H), 0.89 (dd, *J* = 11.8, 6.6, 12H).

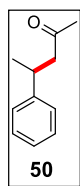
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 147.64, 127.87, 125.82, 122.76, 117.45, 74.73, 74.61, 40.13, 40.09, 39.41, 37.62, 37.53, 37.49, 37.45, 37.42, 37.37, 37.32, 32.83, 32.81, 32.72, 32.70, 31.35, 31.31, 28.01, 24.85, 24.83, 24.48, 24.46, 23.91, 23.55, 22.74, 22.65, 21.07, 21.05, 20.69, 19.77, 19.71, 19.65, 12.73, 11.87, 11.80, 10.75.

**HRMS** C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>56</sub>O<sub>2</sub> MS-ESI [M<sup>+</sup>] *m/z* calcd: 472.4280; found: 472.4274.



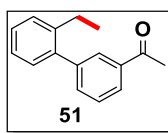
Yield 93%, 71 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (1:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[13]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.79 (d, *J* = 8.0, 1H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 1.8, 1H), 6.70 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.8, 1H), 5.56 (s, 1H), 5.51 (d, *J* = 4.6, 1H), 4.29 (d, *J* = 5.7, 2H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.16 – 2.09 (m, 2H), 1.58 (p, *J* = 7.5, 2H), 1.43 (dq, *J* = 13.2, 6.6, 1H), 1.28 – 1.22 (m, 2H), 1.22 – 1.17 (m, 4H), 1.07 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 5.4, 2H), 0.78 (d, *J* = 6.6, 6H).



Yield 99%, 40 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR**<sup>[2]</sup> (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.7, 2H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.3, 1H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 7.4, 2H), 3.01 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 6.8, 1H), 2.85 (h, *J* = 7.0, 1H), 2.58 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 7.7, 1H), 2.10 (s, 3H), 1.11 (d, *J* = 6.9, 3H).

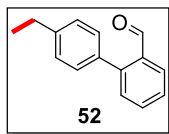


Yield 91%, 51 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.98 (d, *J* = 6.7, 1H), 7.94 (s, 1H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 7.1, 2H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 5.7, 2H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.8, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 7.5, 1H), 2.65 (s, 3H), 2.61 (q, *J* = 7.5, 2H), 1.13 (t, *J* = 7.5, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 198.11, 142.42, 141.56, 140.54, 137.02, 133.86, 129.89, 129.16, 128.75, 128.38, 128.00, 126.74, 125.76, 26.74, 26.15, 15.62.

**HRMS** C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O MS-ESI [M<sup>+</sup>] *m/z* calcd: 224.1201; found: 224.1207.

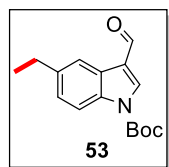


Yield 82%, 42 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 10.02 (s, 1H), 8.04 (d, *J* = 7.8, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.5, 1H), 7.48 (dd, *J* = 17.9, 7.6, 2H), 7.32 (s, 4H), 2.75 (q, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 1.32 (t, *J* = 7.6, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.66, 146.06, 144.35, 133.78, 133.52, 130.79, 130.12, 127.97, 127.53, 28.58, 15.49.

**HRMS** C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O MS-ESI [M<sup>+</sup>] *m/z* calcd: 210.1045; found: 210.1044.

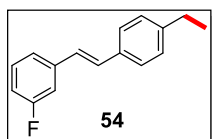


Yield 83%, 57 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (8:2)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 10.06 (s, 1H), 8.18 (s, 1H), 8.10 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, *J* = 8.5, 1H), 7.24 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 1.8, 1H), 2.76 (q, *J* = 7.6, 2H), 1.68 (s, 9H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.6, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 185.93, 141.05, 136.69, 134.34, 126.39, 126.33, 120.88, 114.89, 85.48, 28.88, 28.09, 16.19.

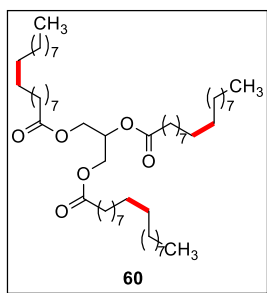
**HRMS** C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> Na MS-ESI [M+Na] *m/z* calcd: 296.1263; found: 296.1267.



Yield 89%, 50 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.46 (d, *J* = 7.5, 2H), 7.33 (q, *J* = 6.9, 1H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.1, 1H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.1, 3H), 7.15 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.96 (t, *J* = 8.0, 1H), 2.69 (q, *J* = 7.7, 2H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.5, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  144.40, 139.99, 134.33, 130.09, 130.02, 129.99, 128.29, 126.68, 126.58, 126.56, 122.37, 122.34, 114.24, 114.07, 112.76, 112.58, 28.68, 15.52.  
**HRMS**  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}$  MS-ESI  $[\text{M}^+]$   $m/z$  calcd: 226.1158; found: 226.1154.



Yield 90%, 221 mg; eluent for column chromatography: Hexanes : EtOAc (9.5:0.5)  
 **$^1\text{H}$  NMR**<sup>[14]</sup> (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  5.27 (dt,  $J$  = 9.5, 4.3, 1H), 4.30 (dd,  $J$  = 11.8, 3.9, 2H), 4.15 (dd,  $J$  = 11.8, 5.9, 2H), 2.31 (t,  $J$  = 7.4, 6H), 1.61 (s, 6H), 1.26 (s, 84H), 0.88 (t,  $J$  = 6.3, 9H).  
 **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.22, 68.86, 62.07, 34.03, 31.93, 29.71, 29.67, 29.63, 29.51, 29.48, 29.37, 29.27, 29.12, 24.90, 24.86, 22.69, 14.09.

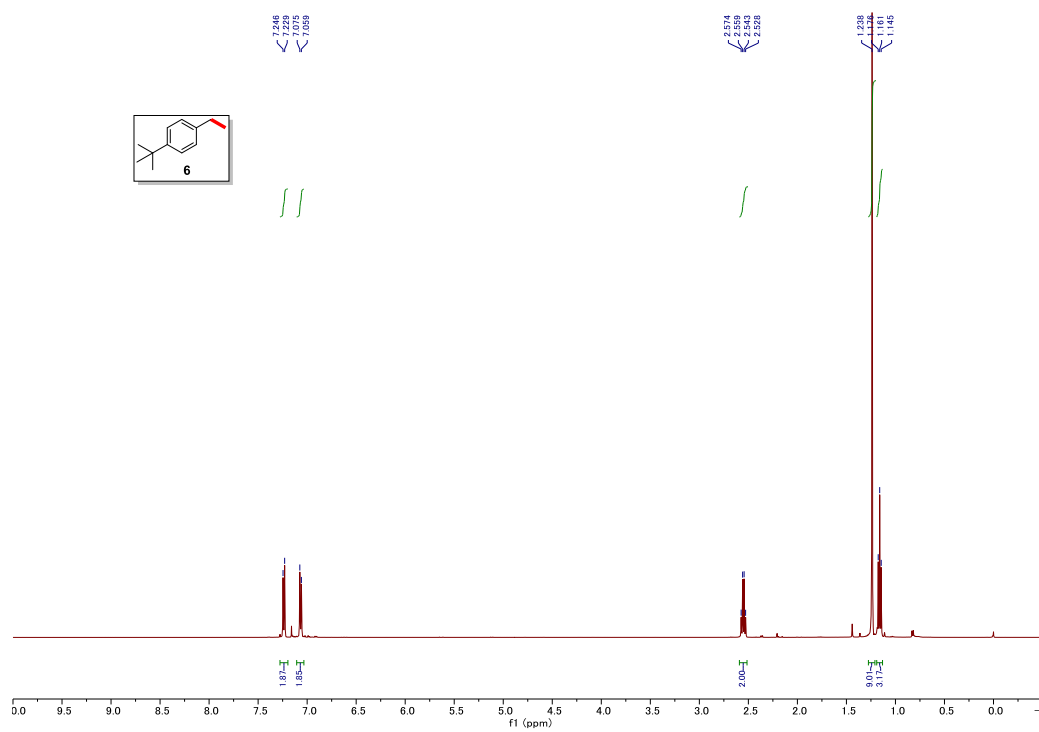
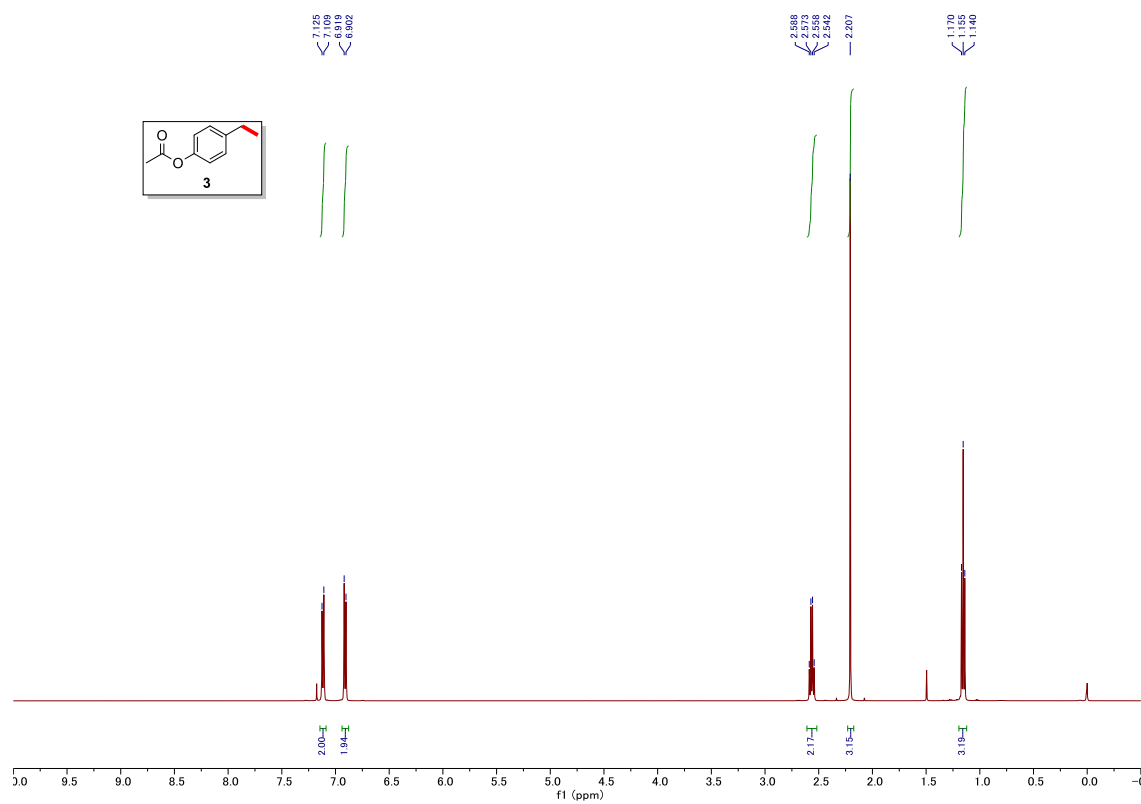
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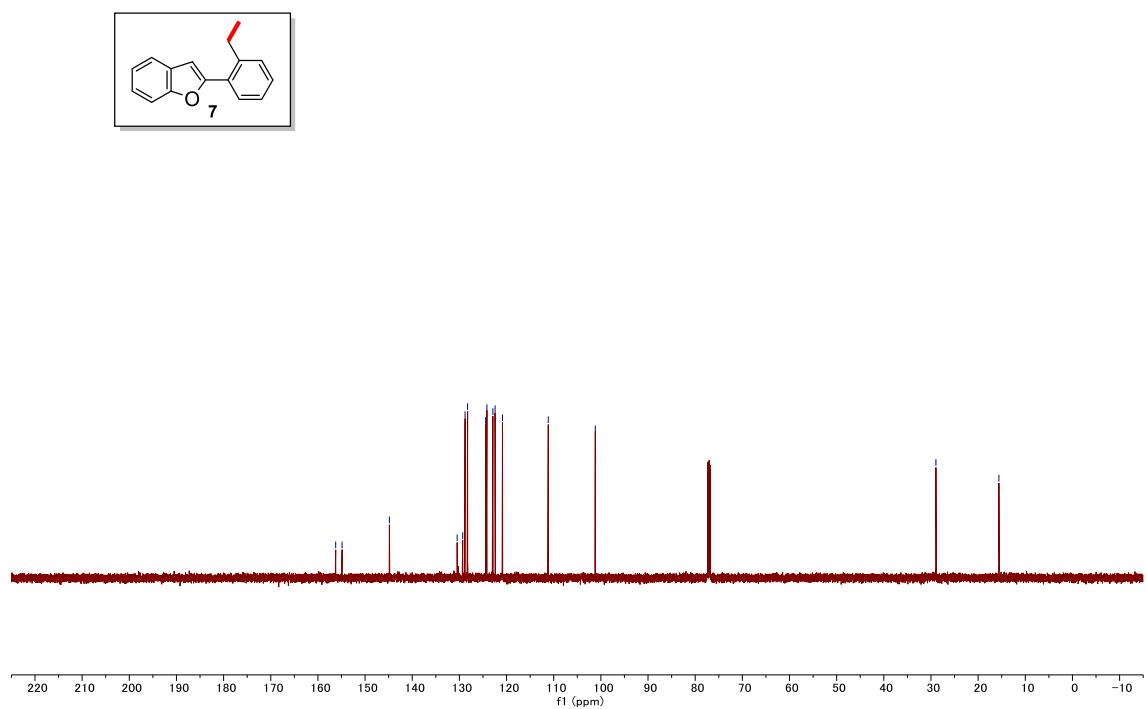
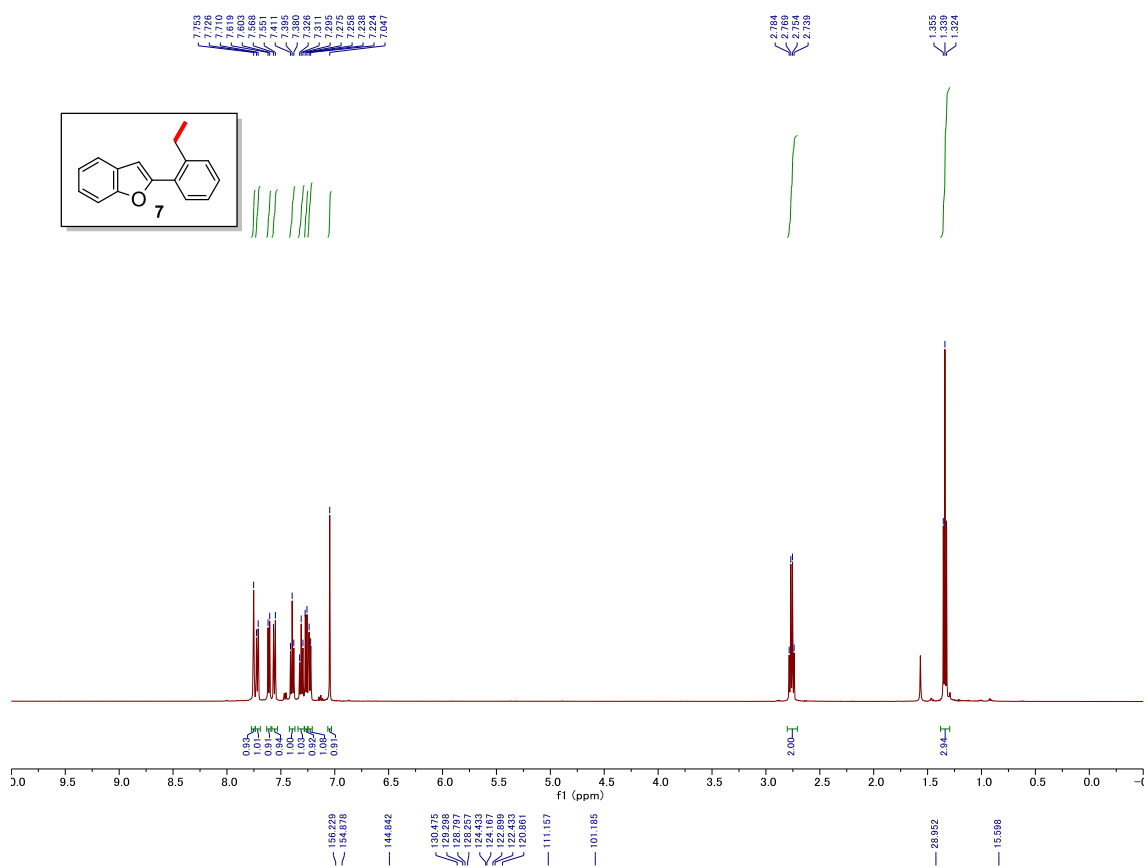
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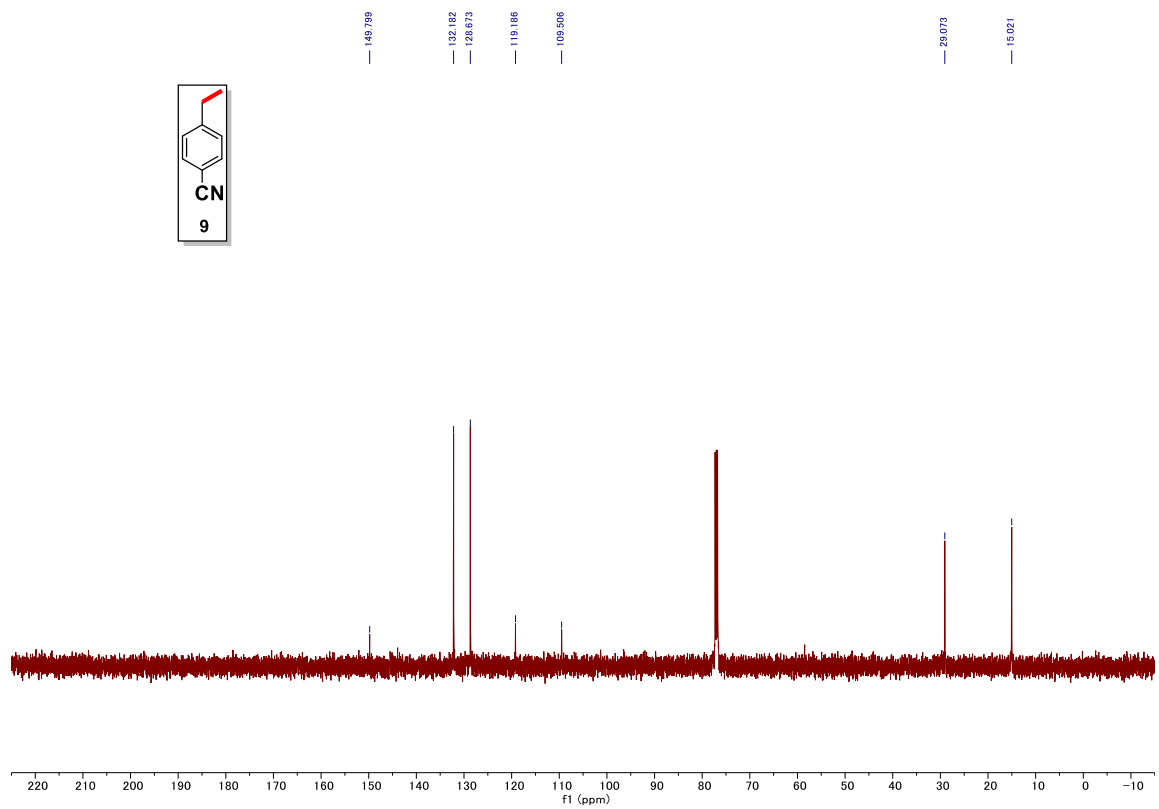
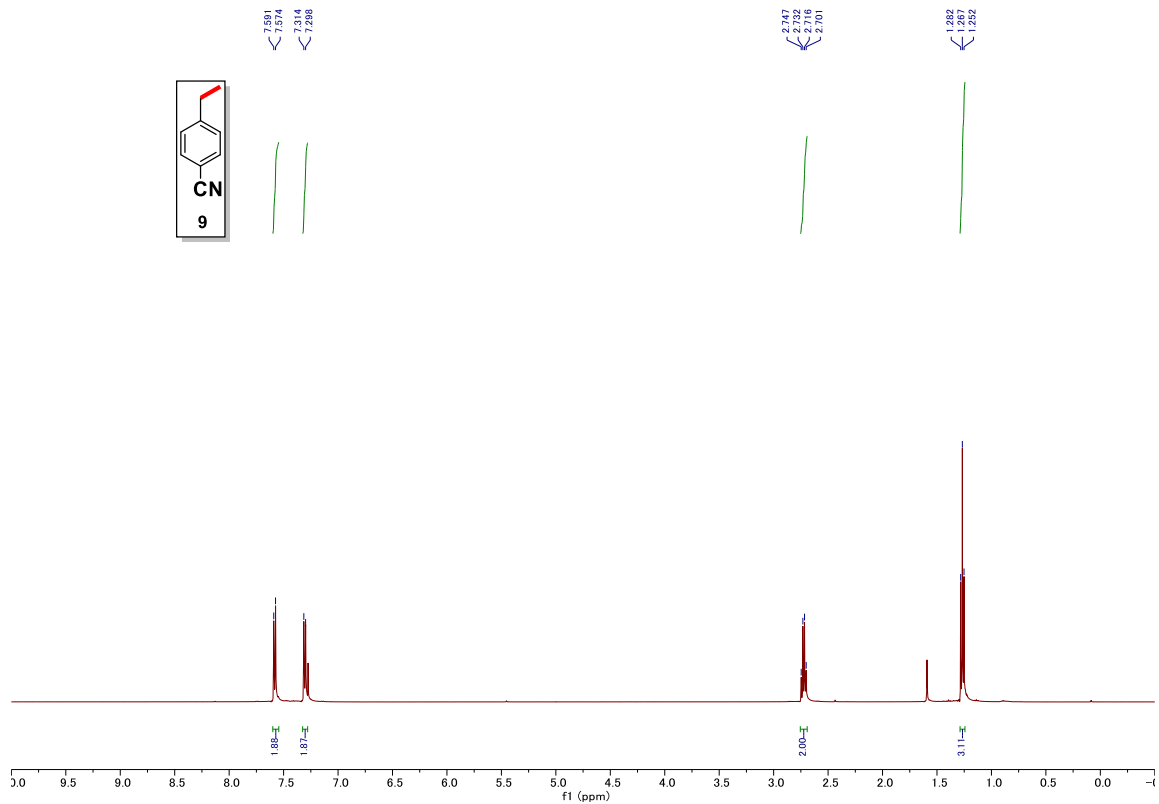
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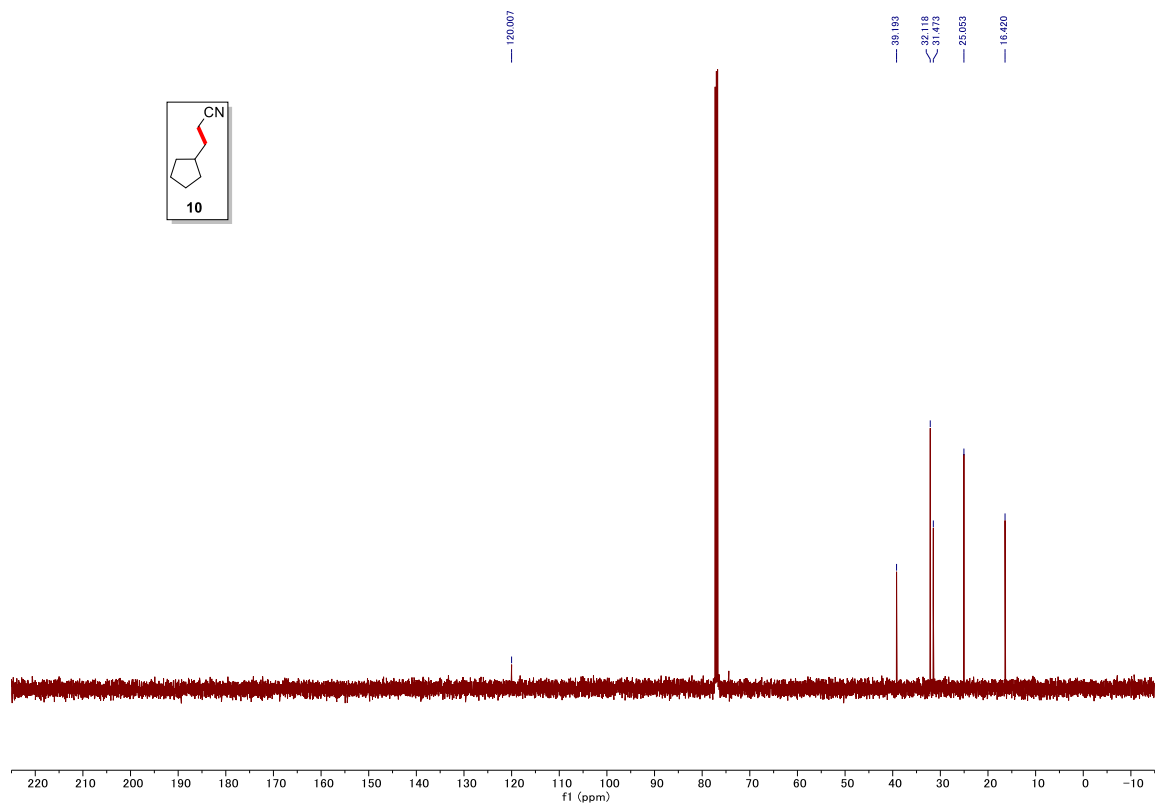
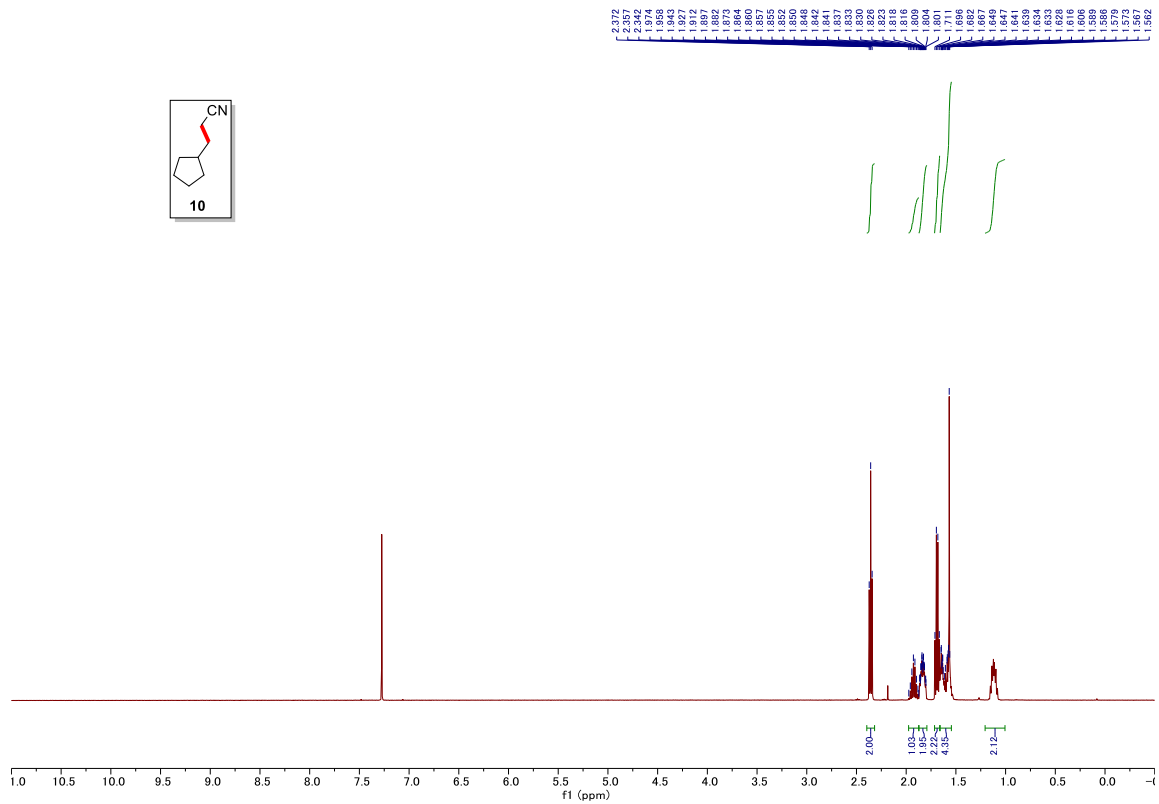
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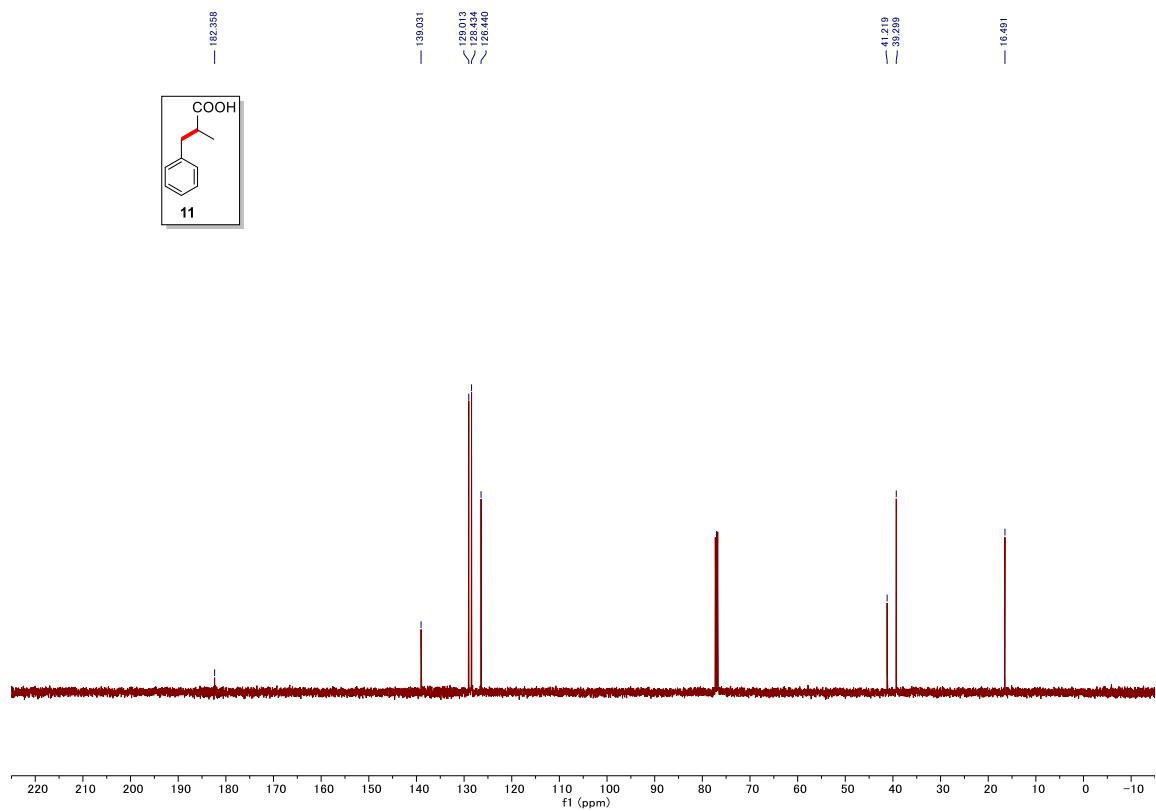
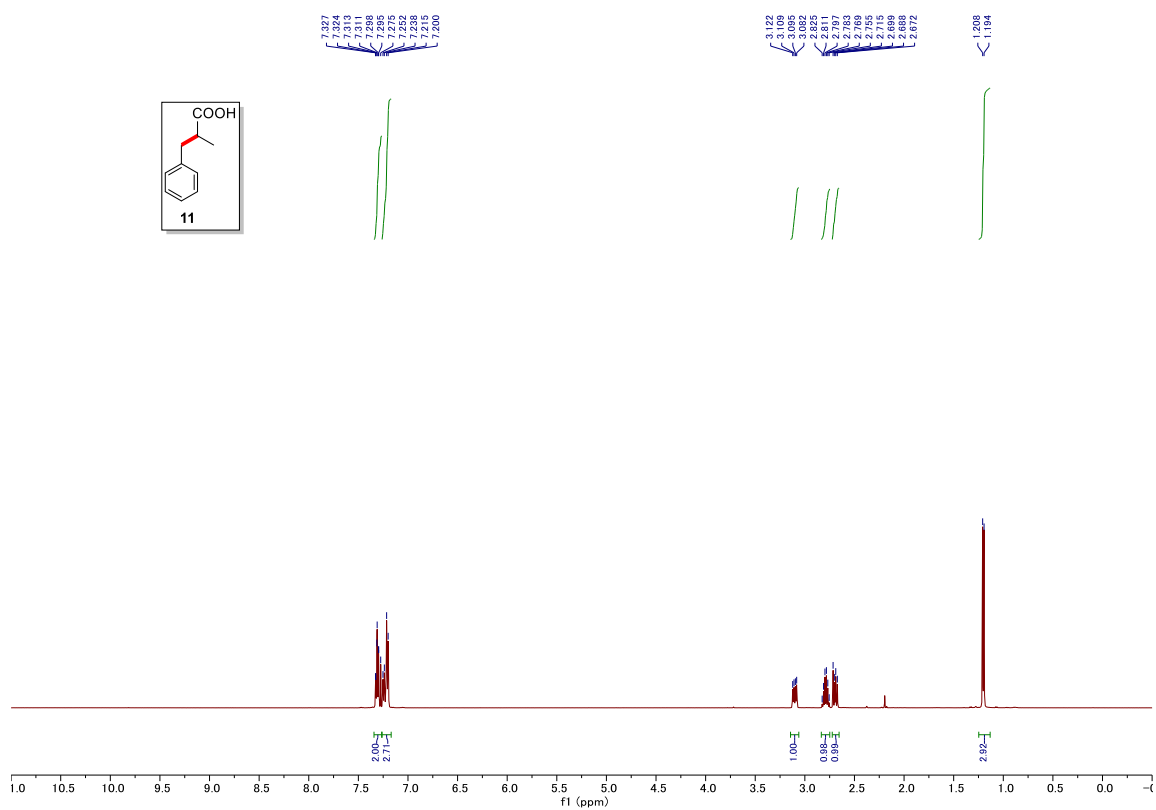
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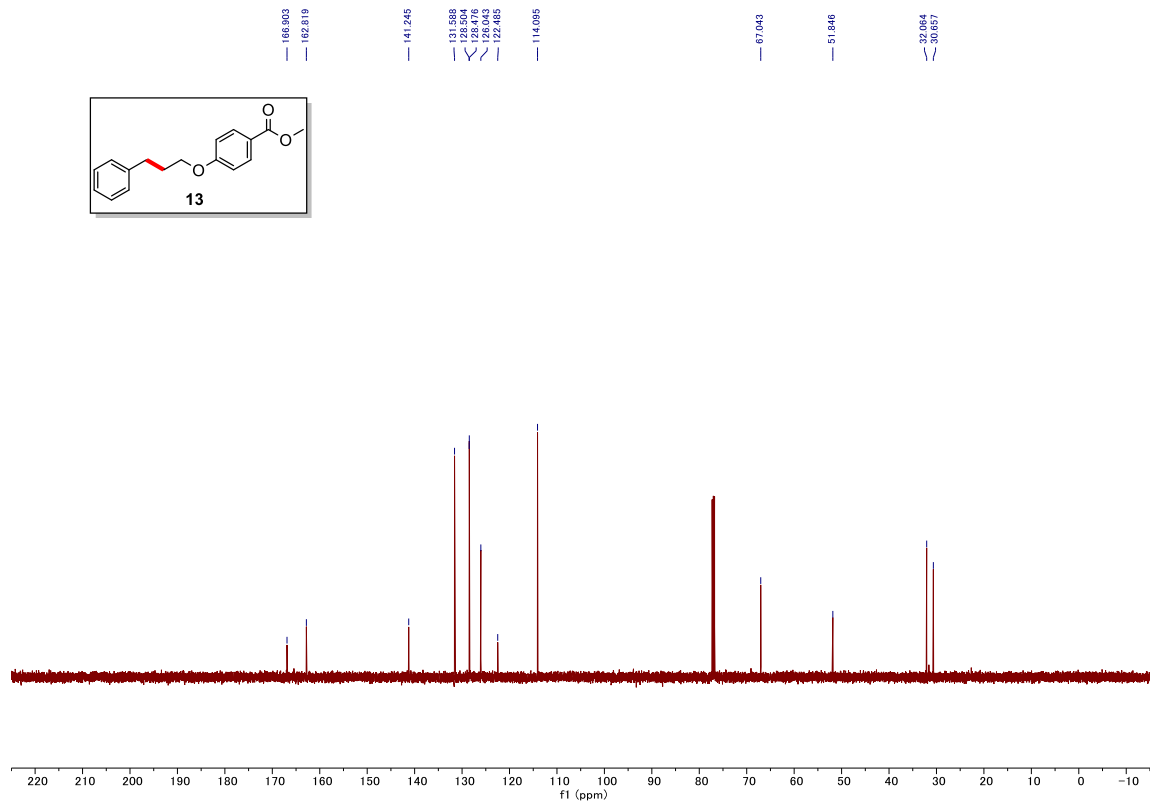
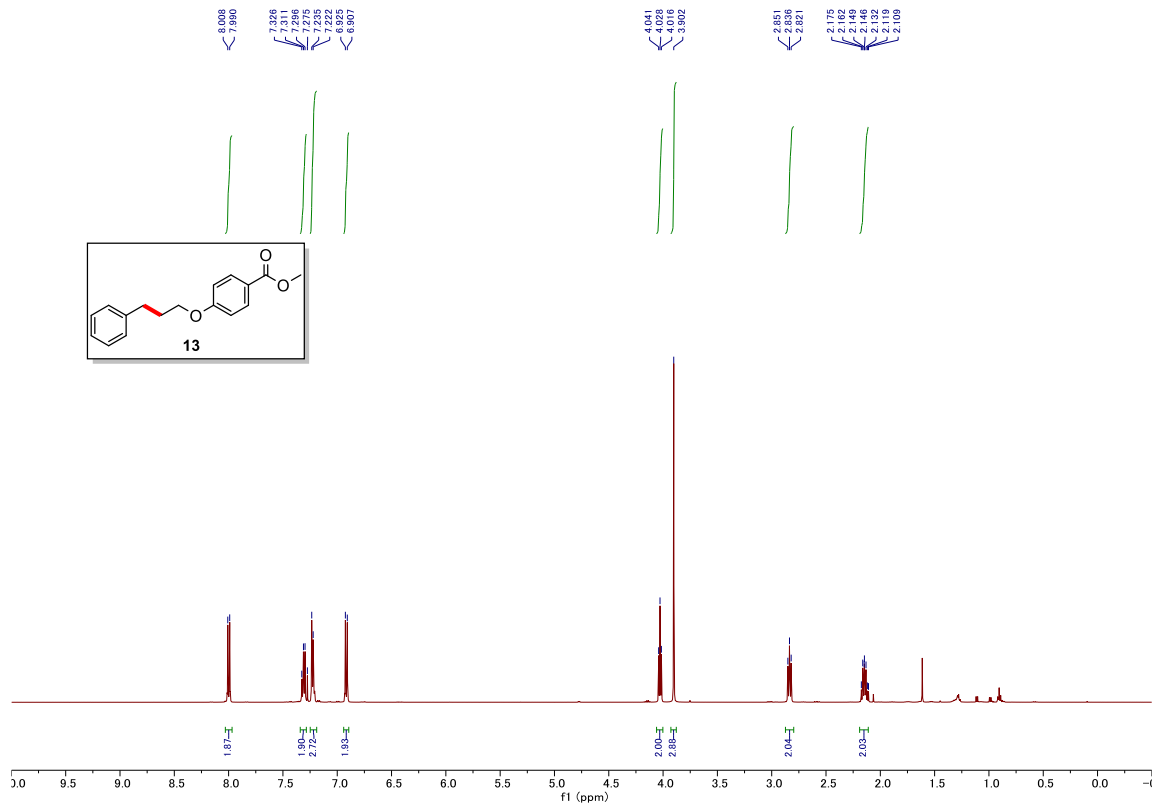


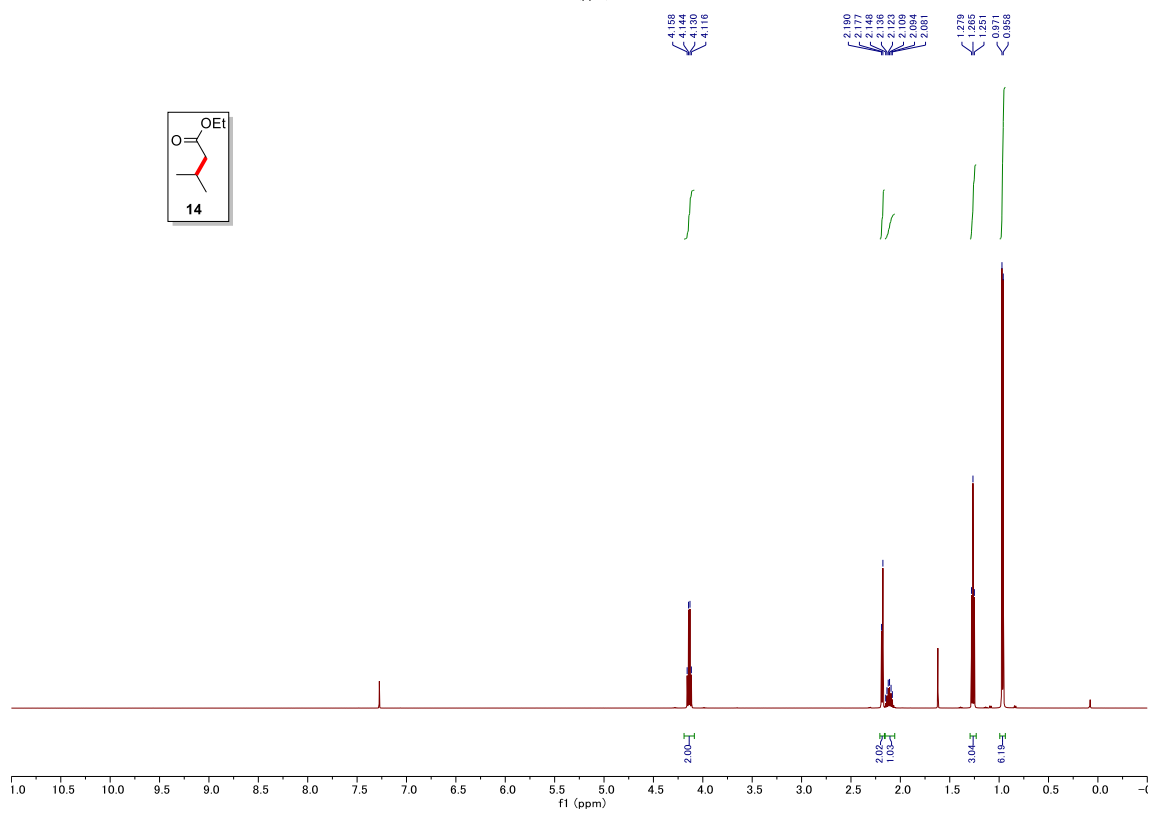
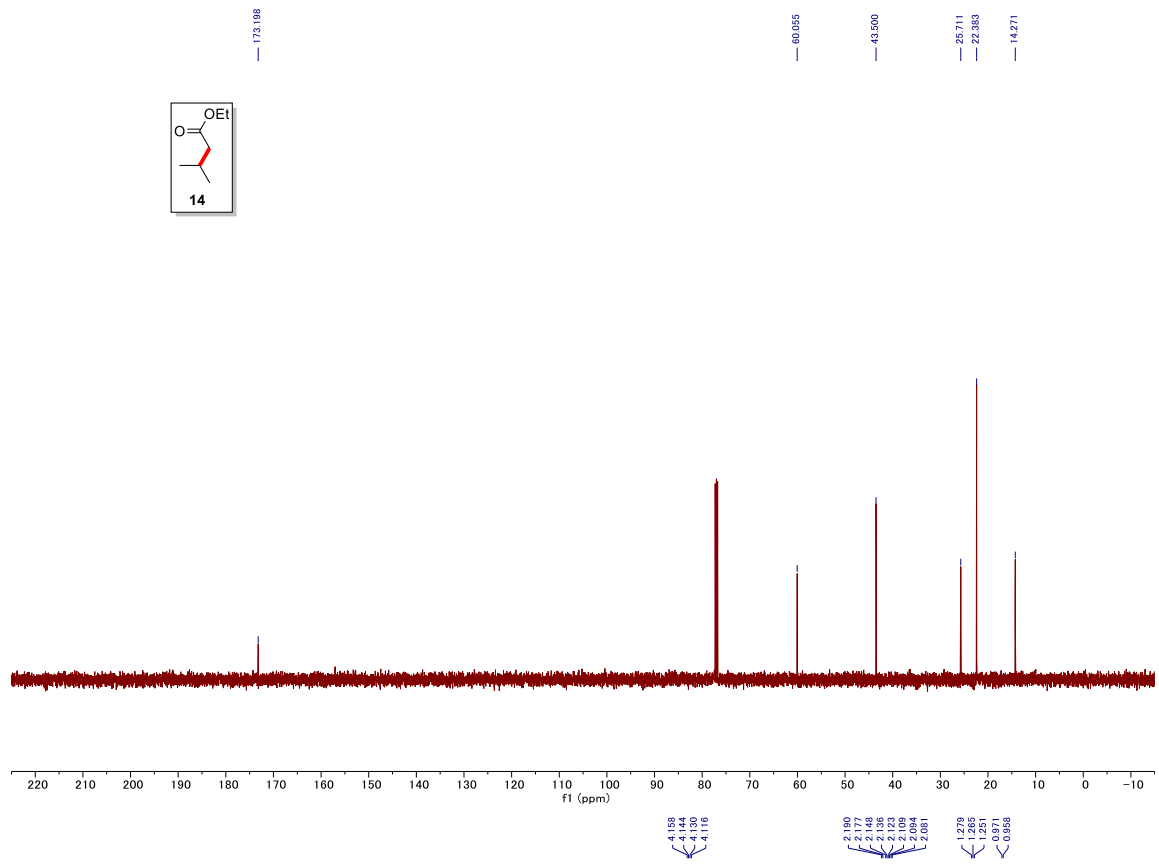


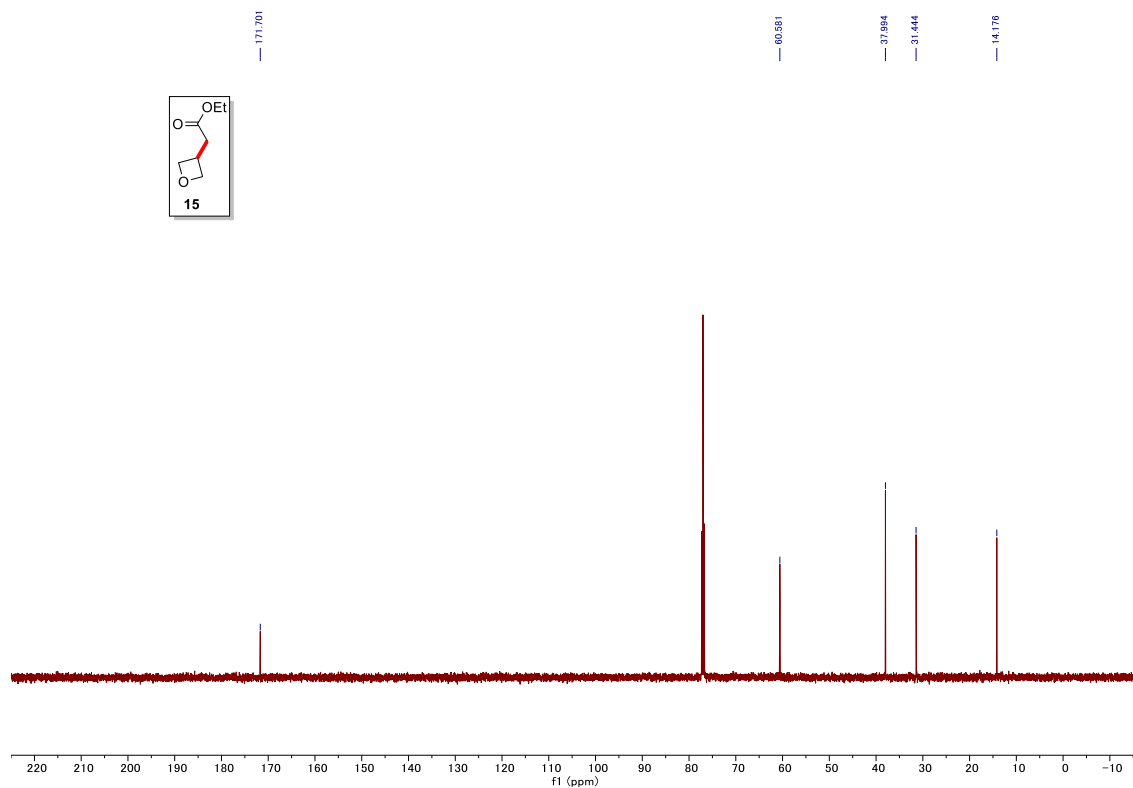
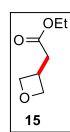
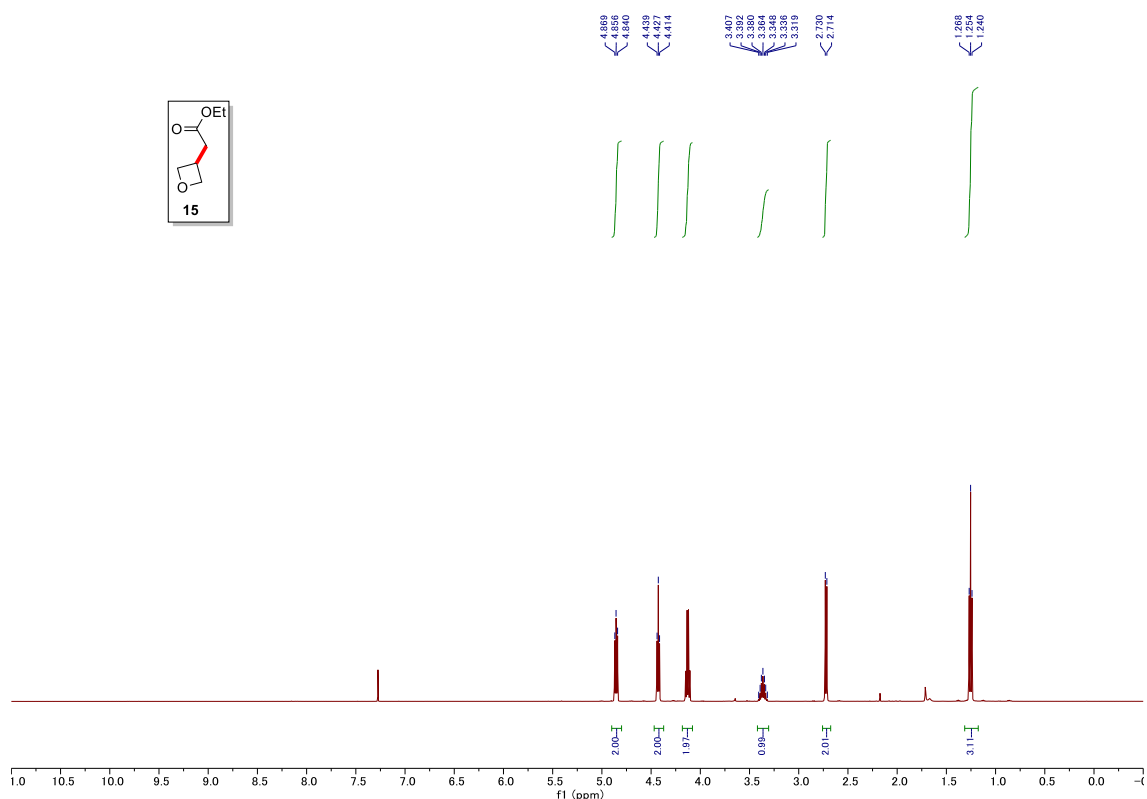
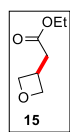


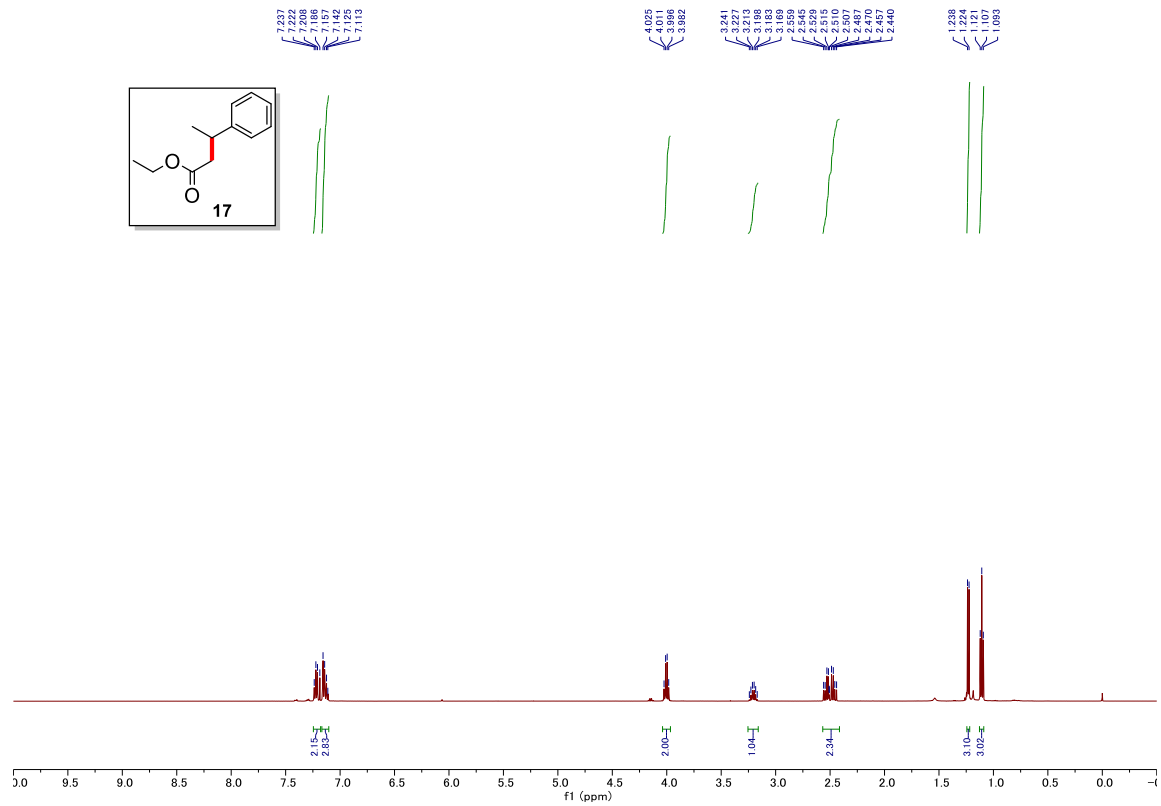


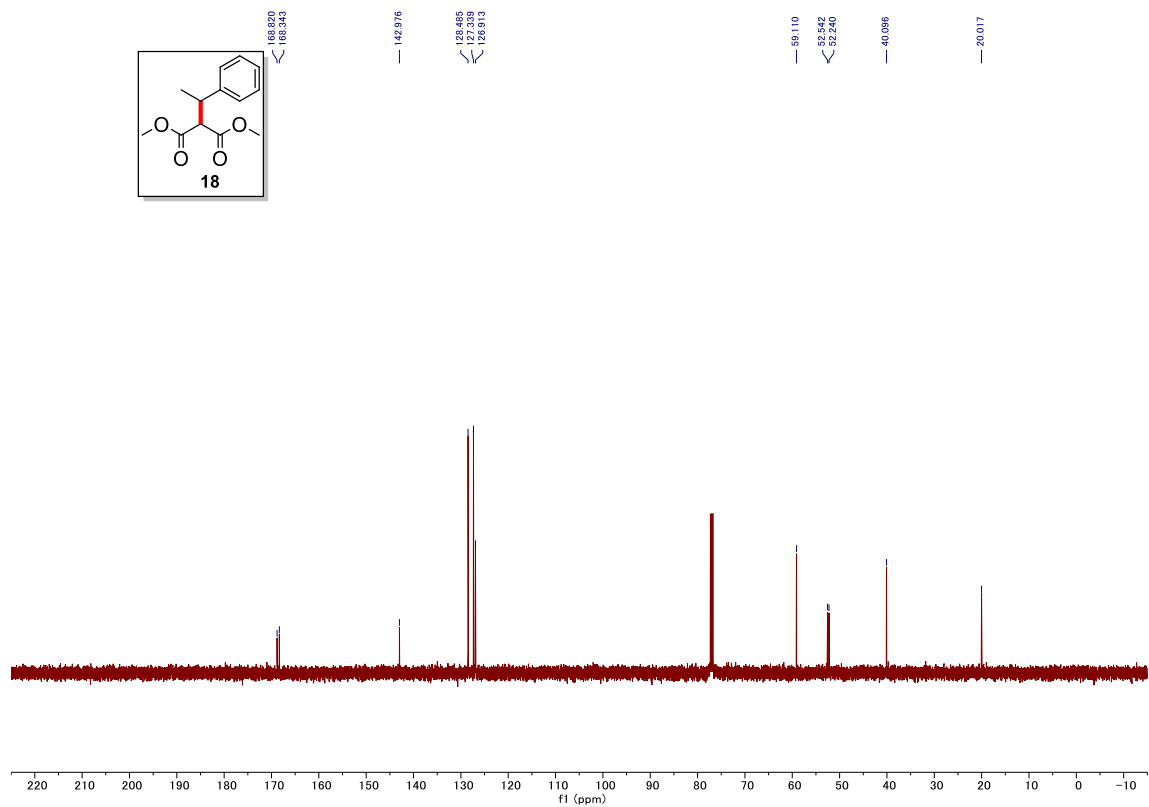
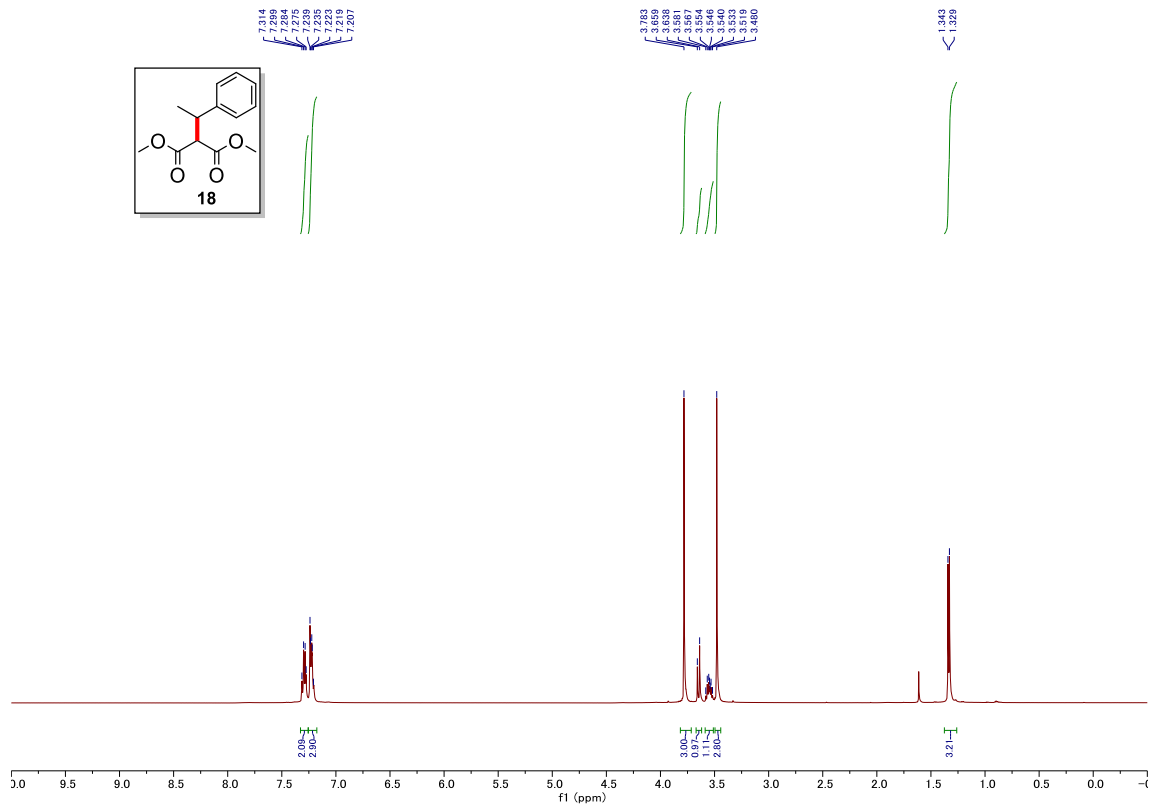


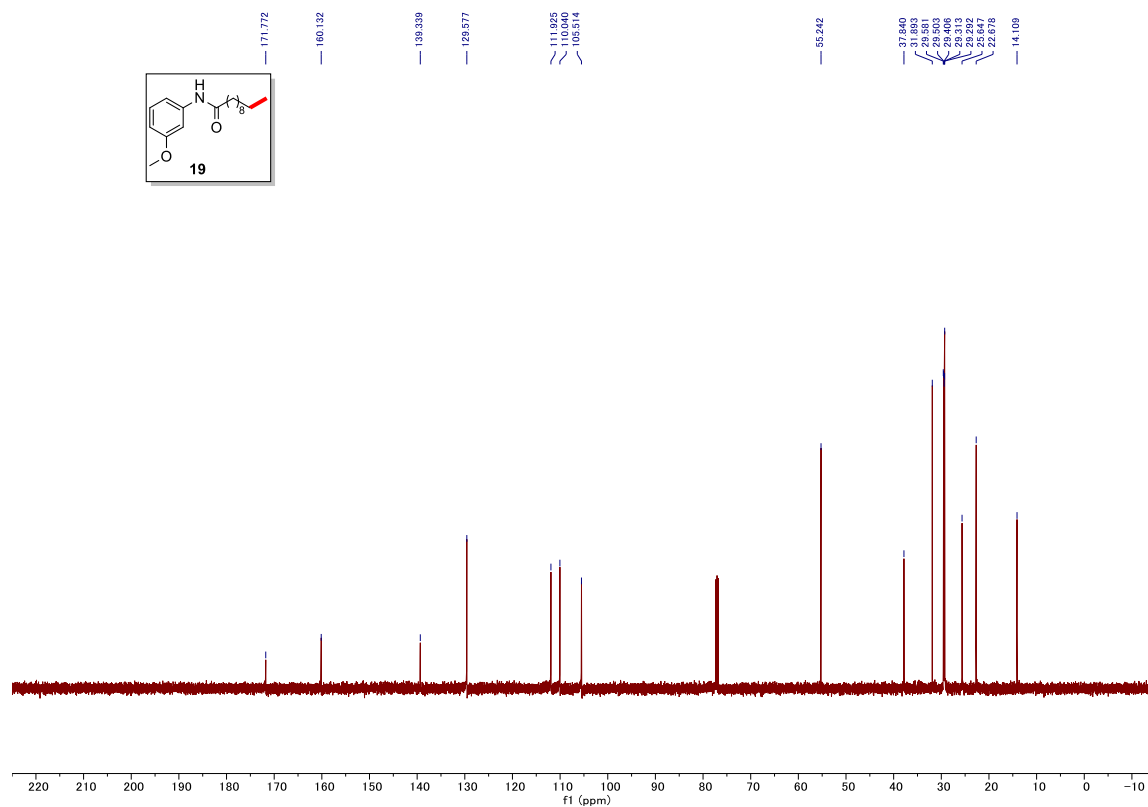
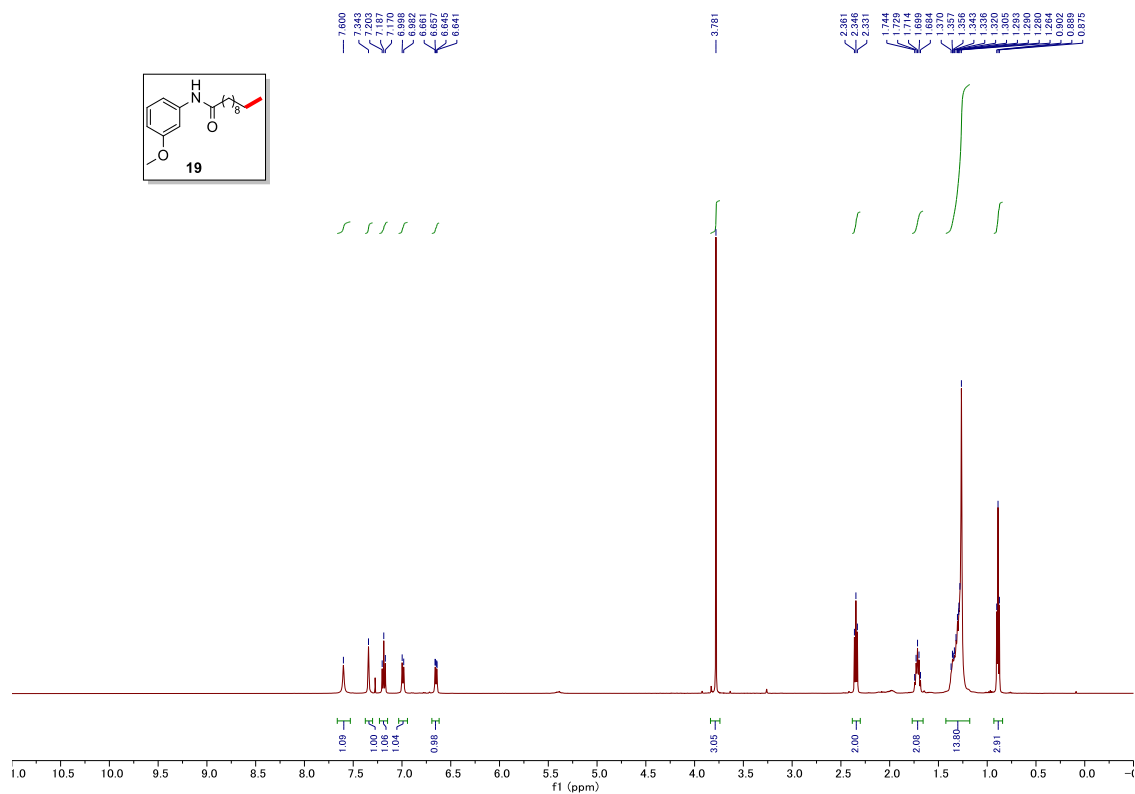


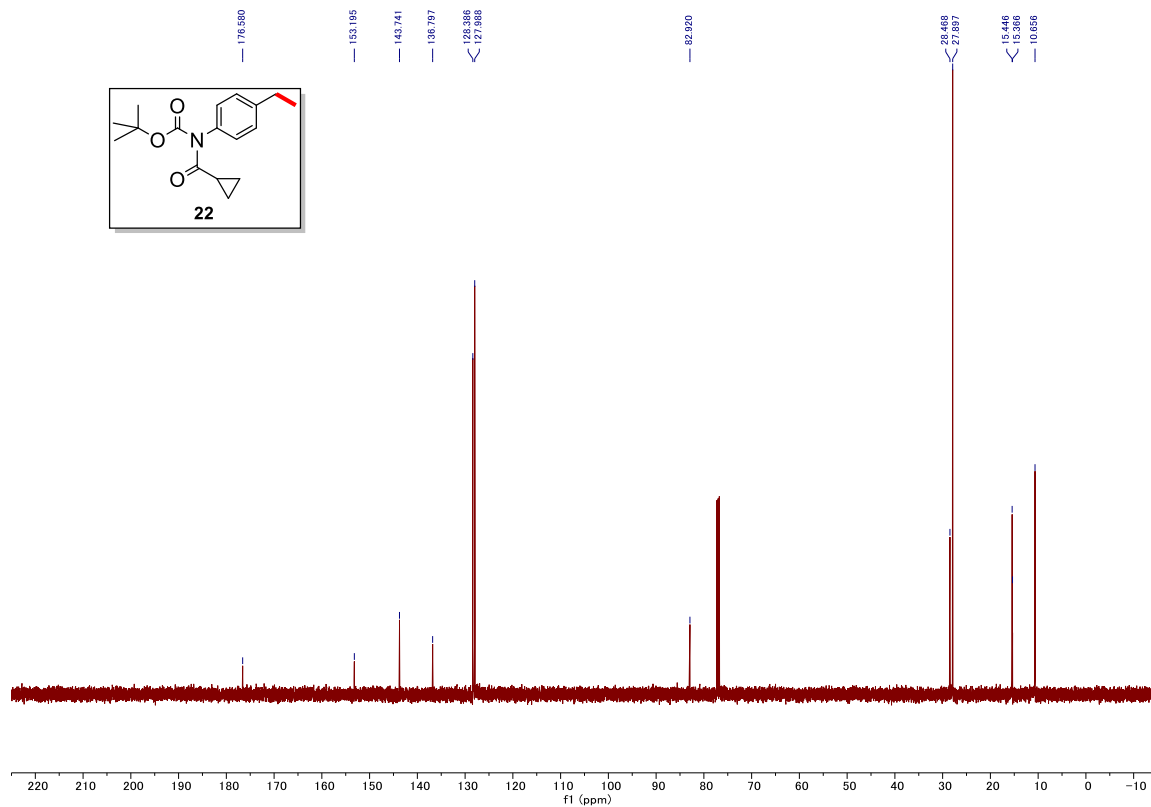
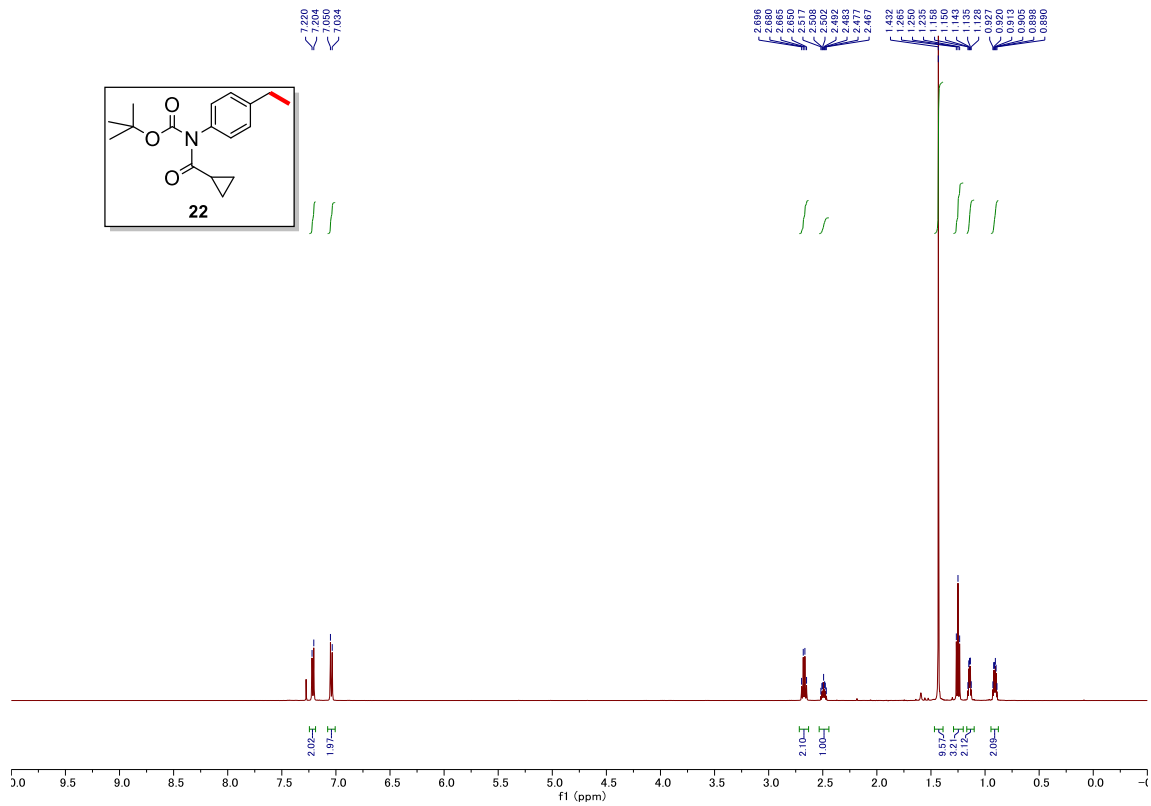


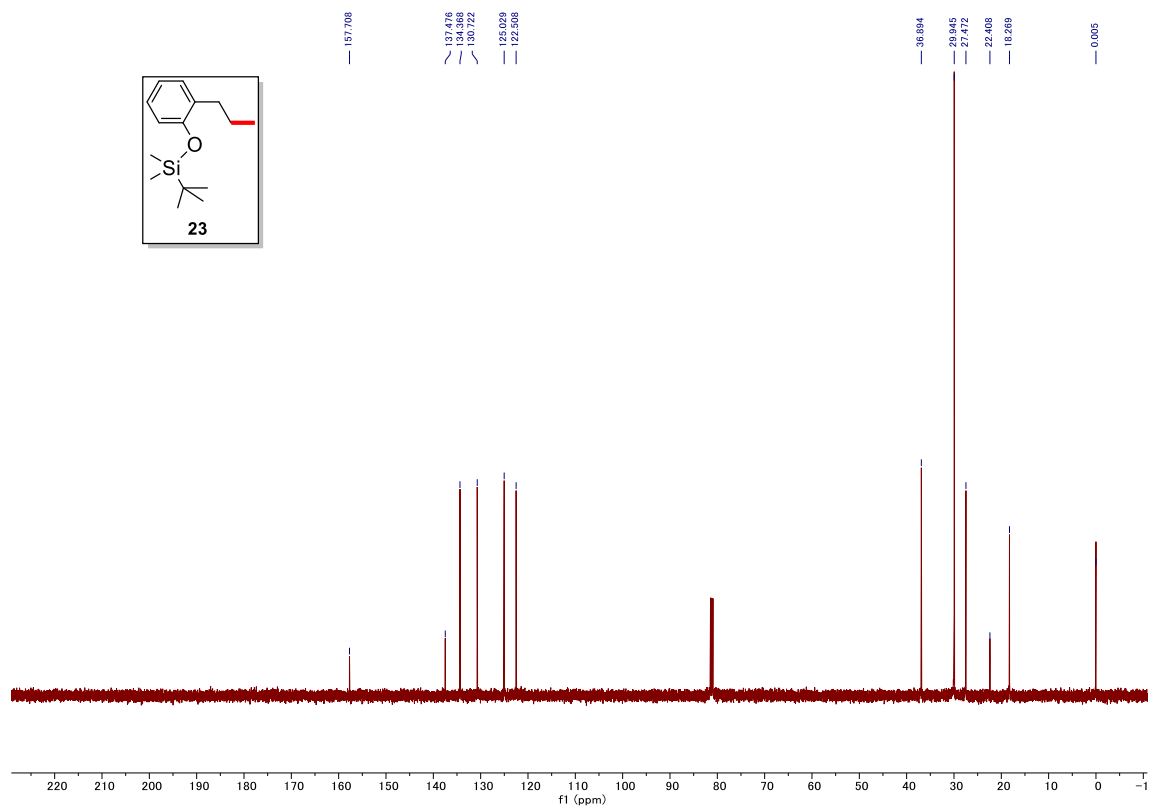
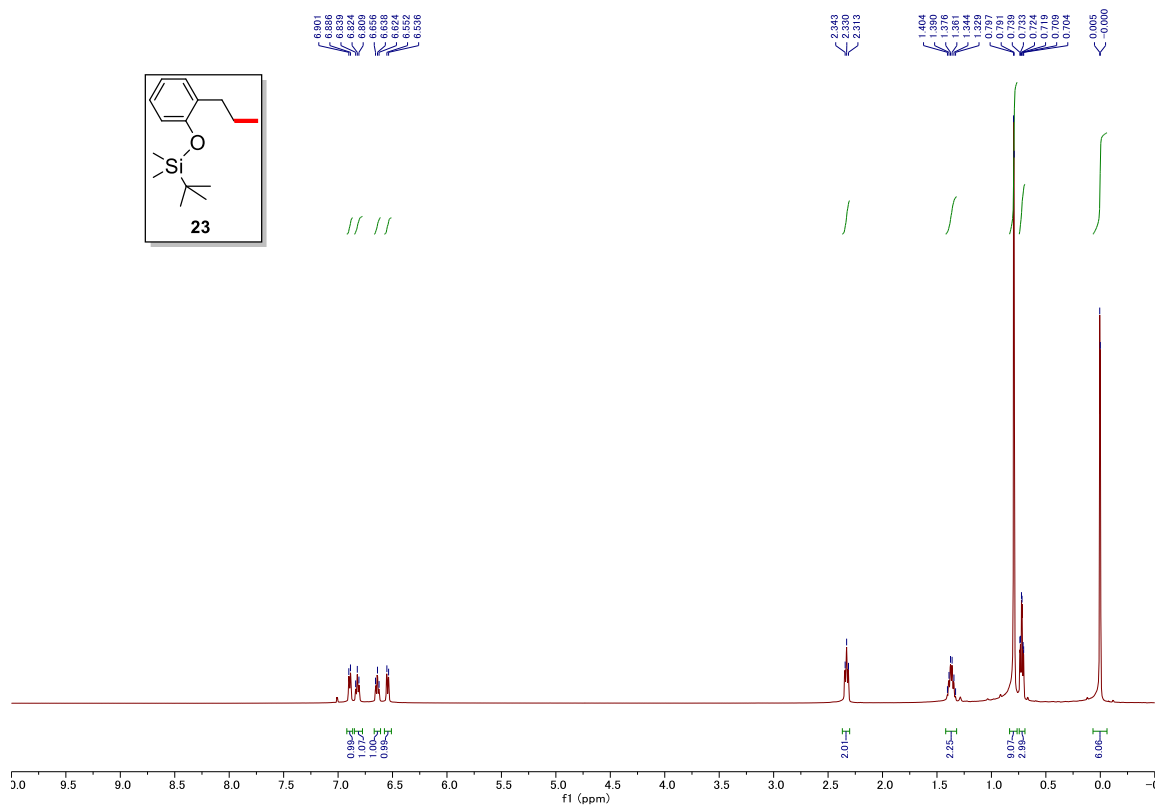


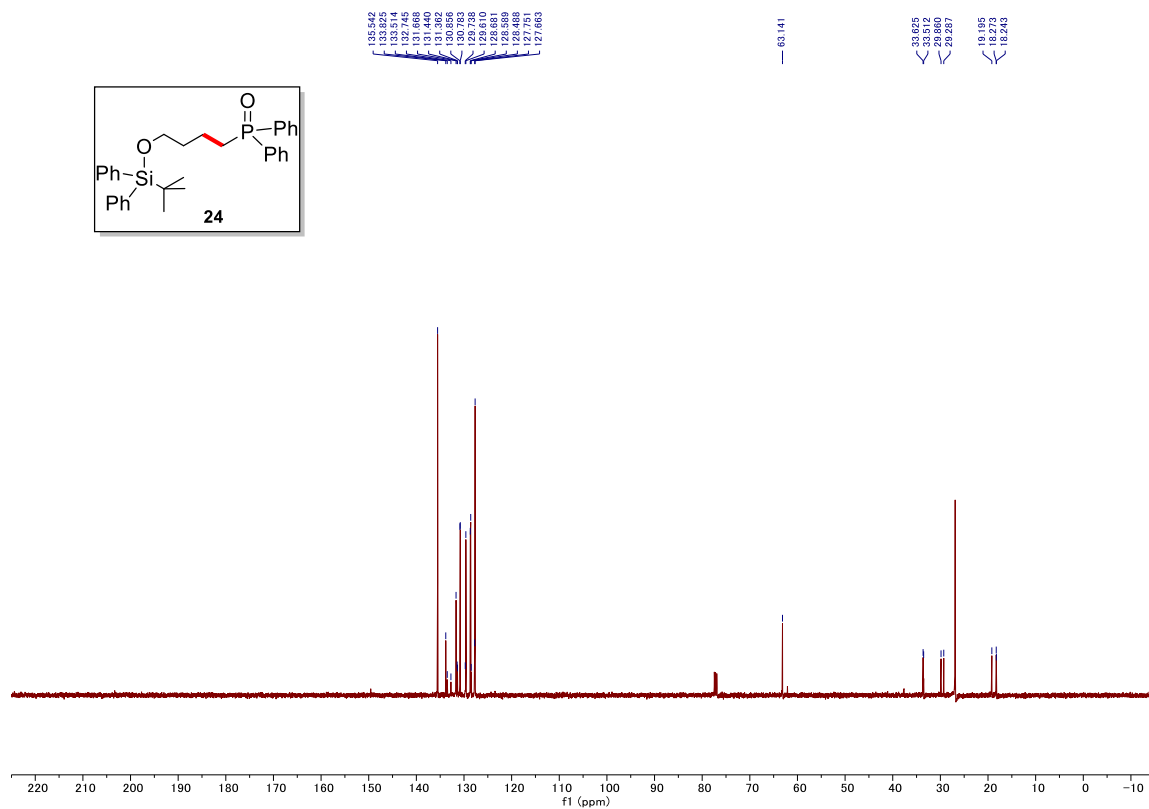
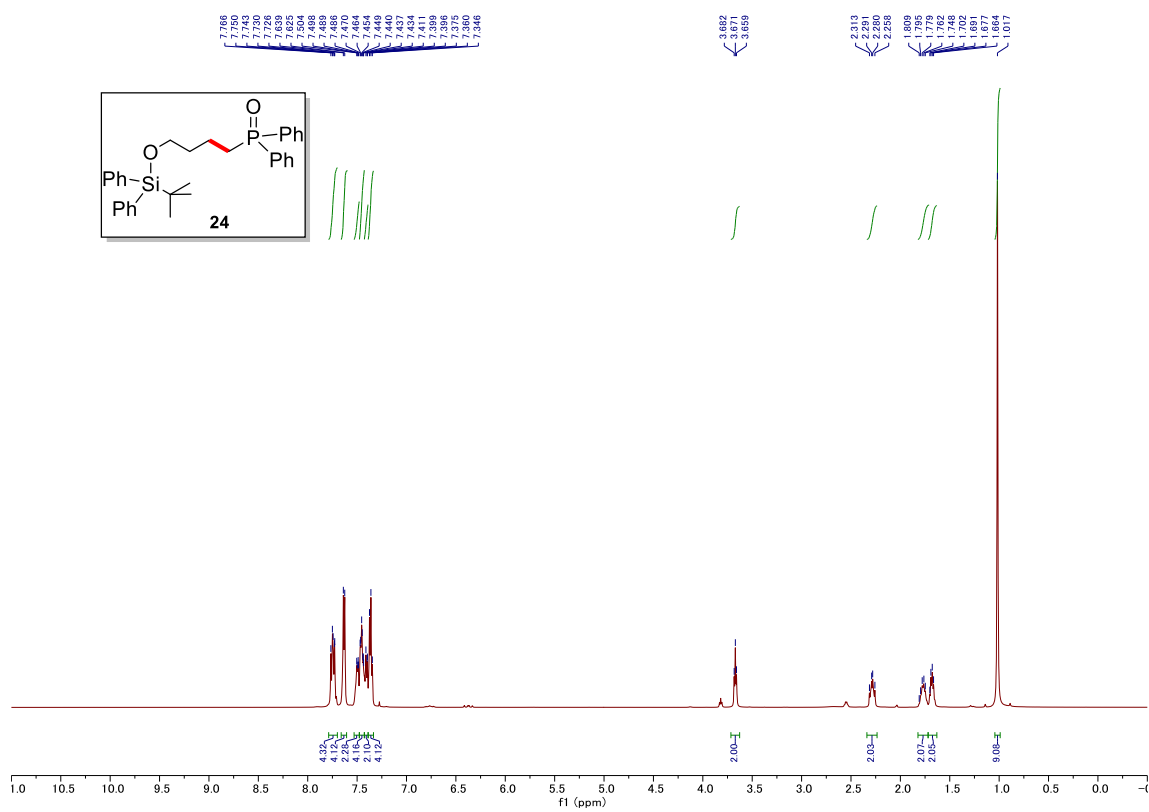


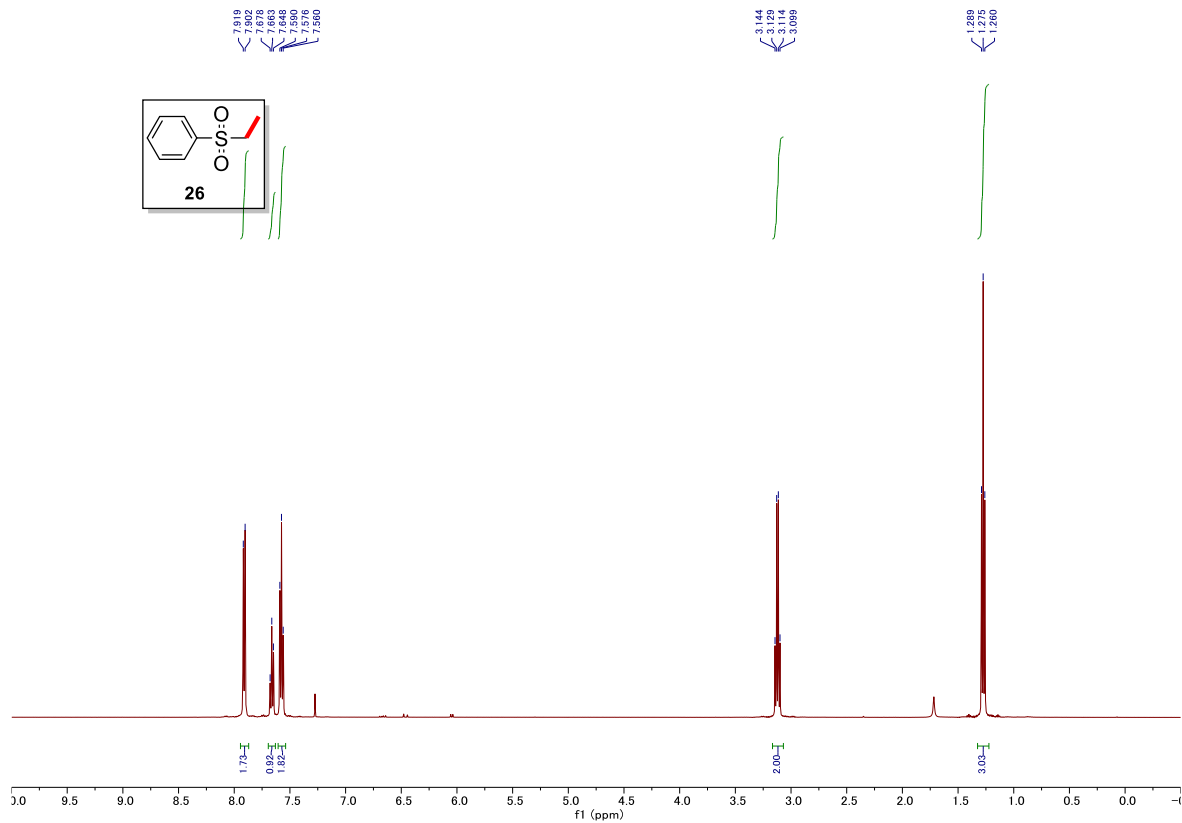


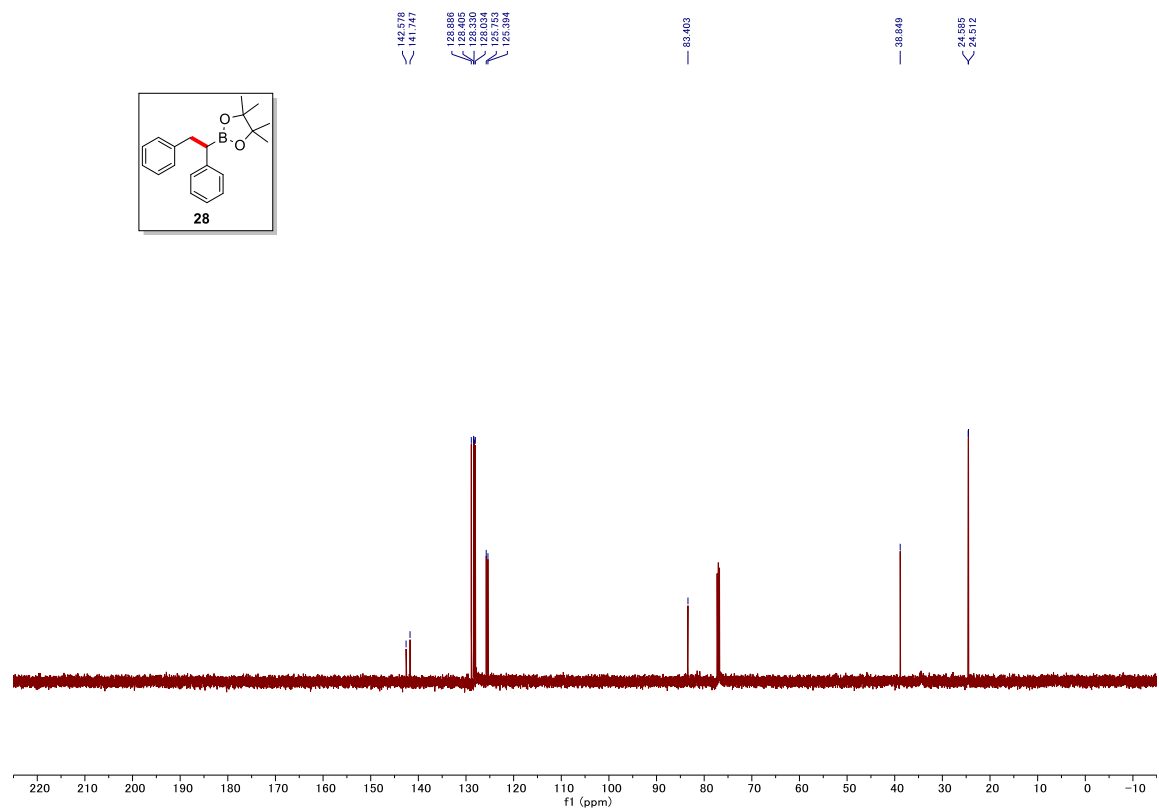
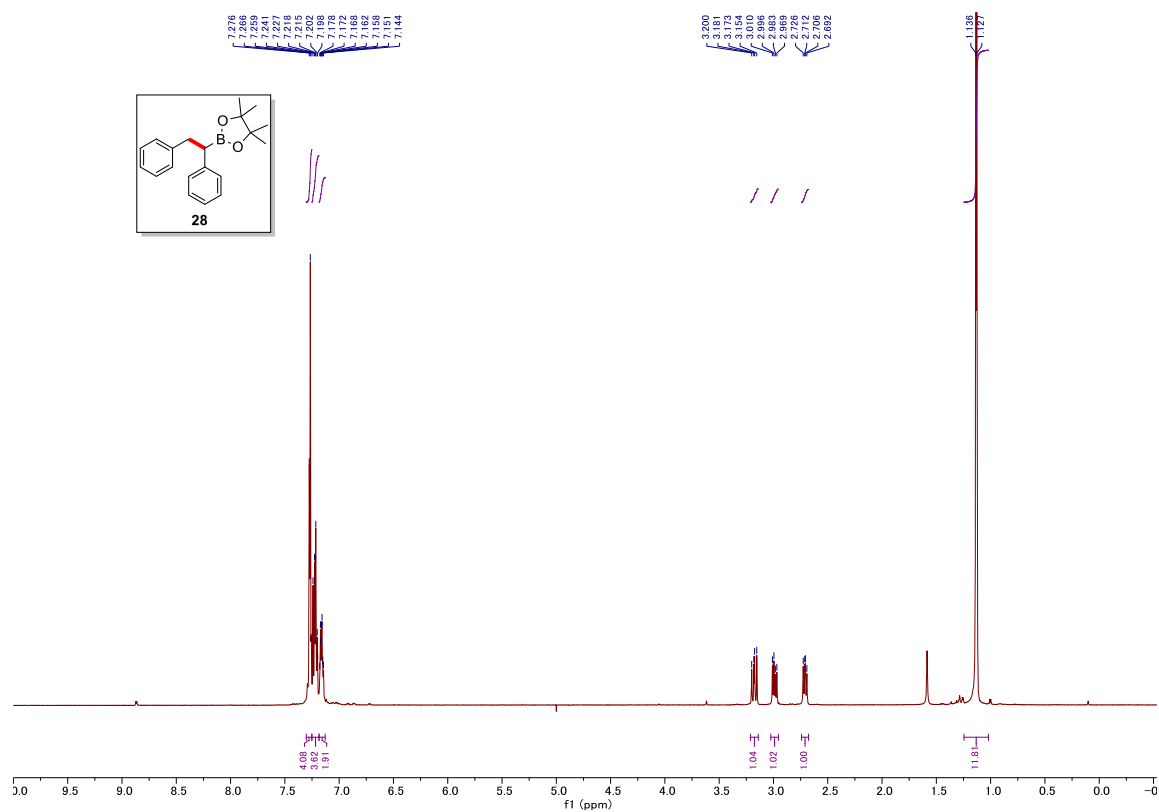


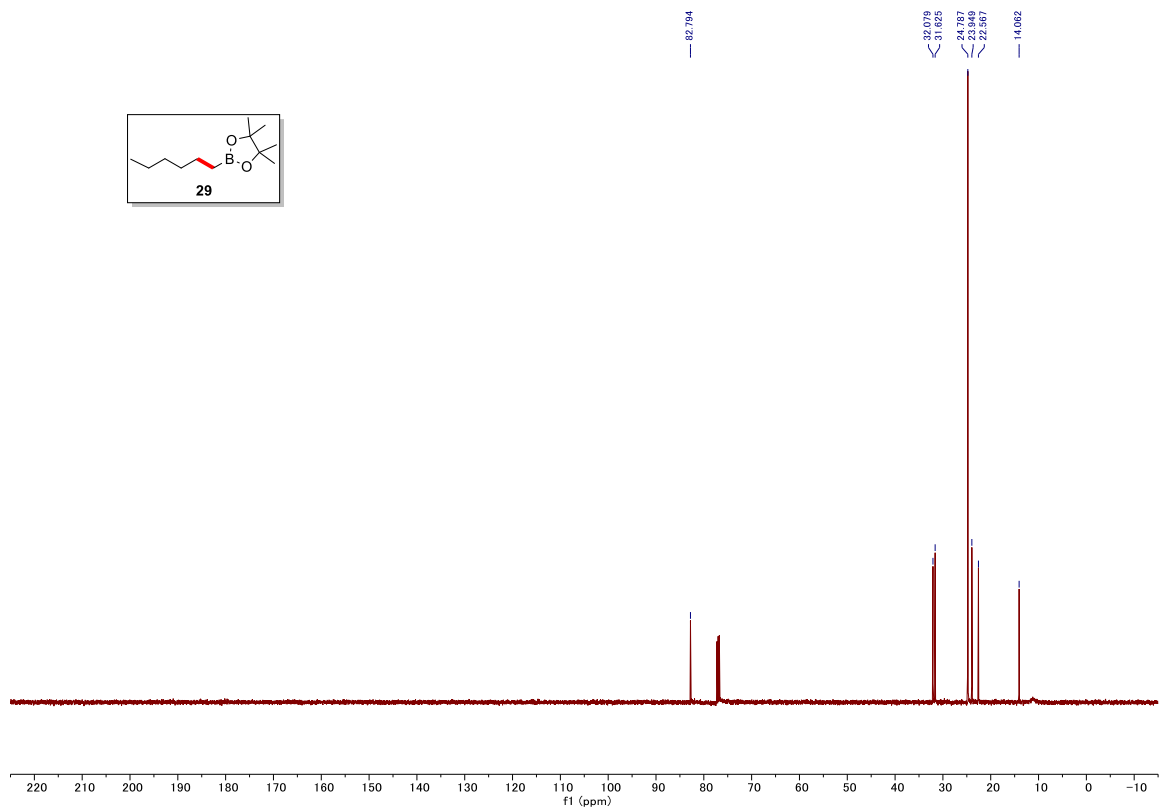
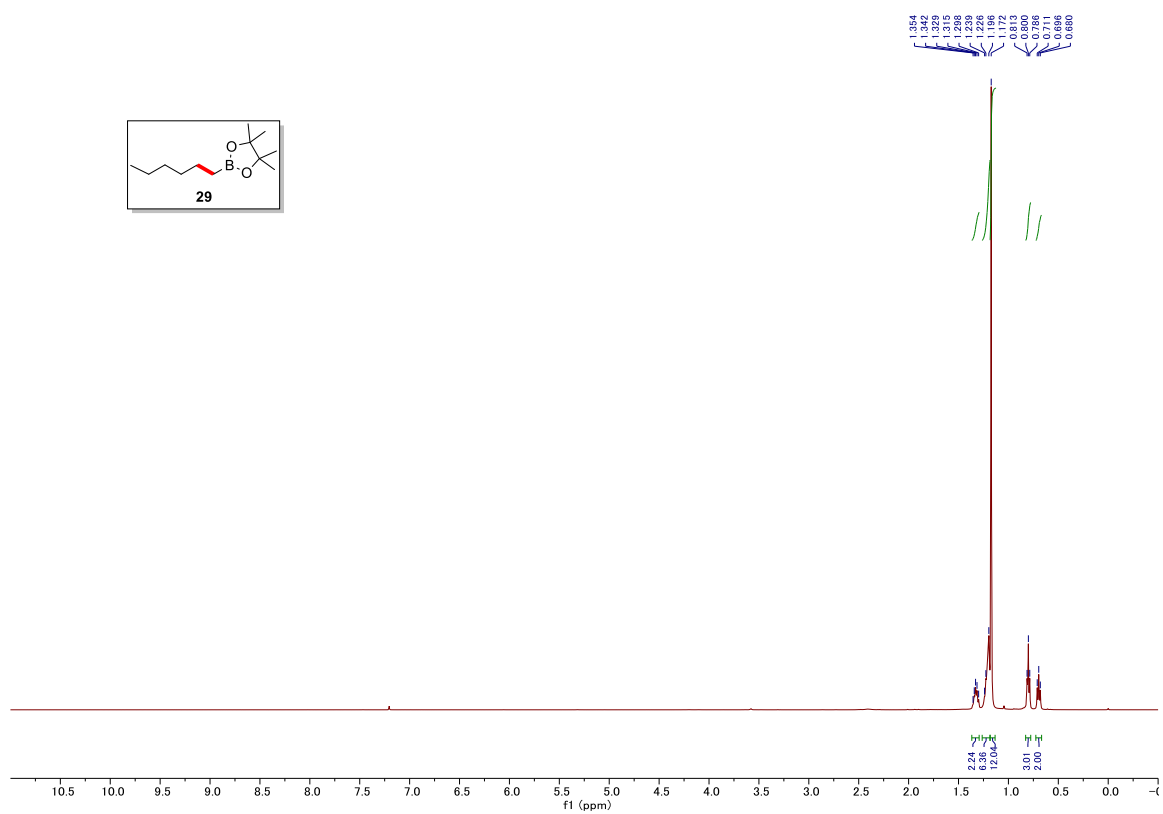


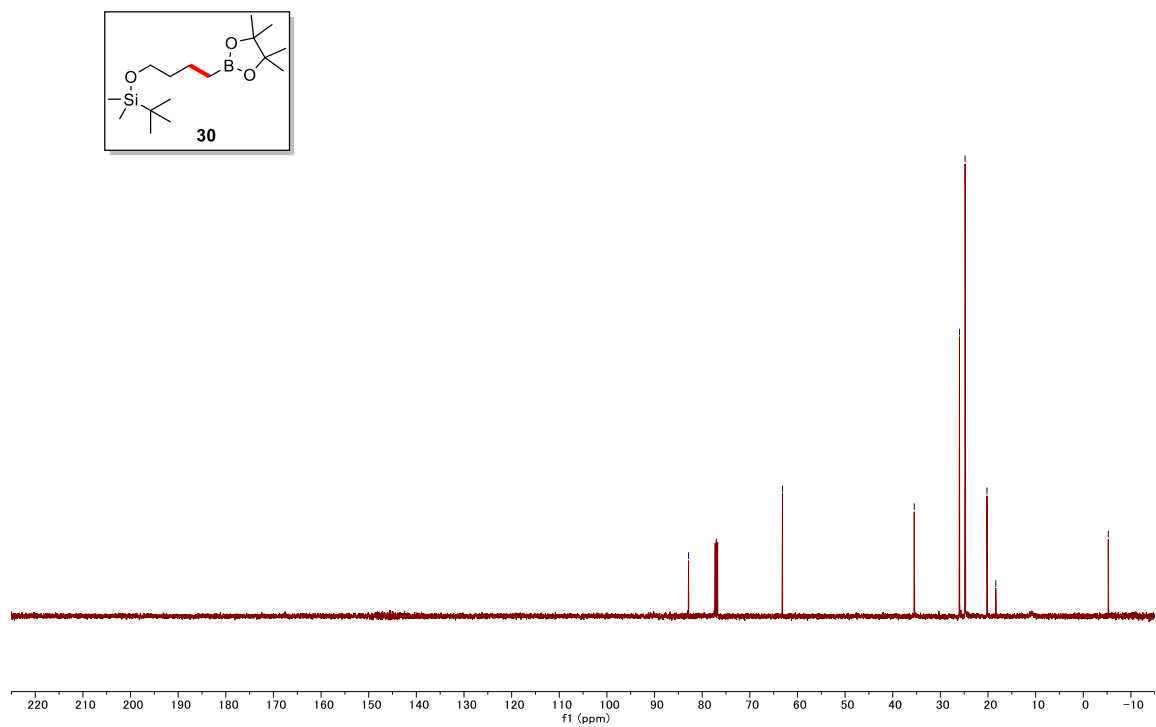
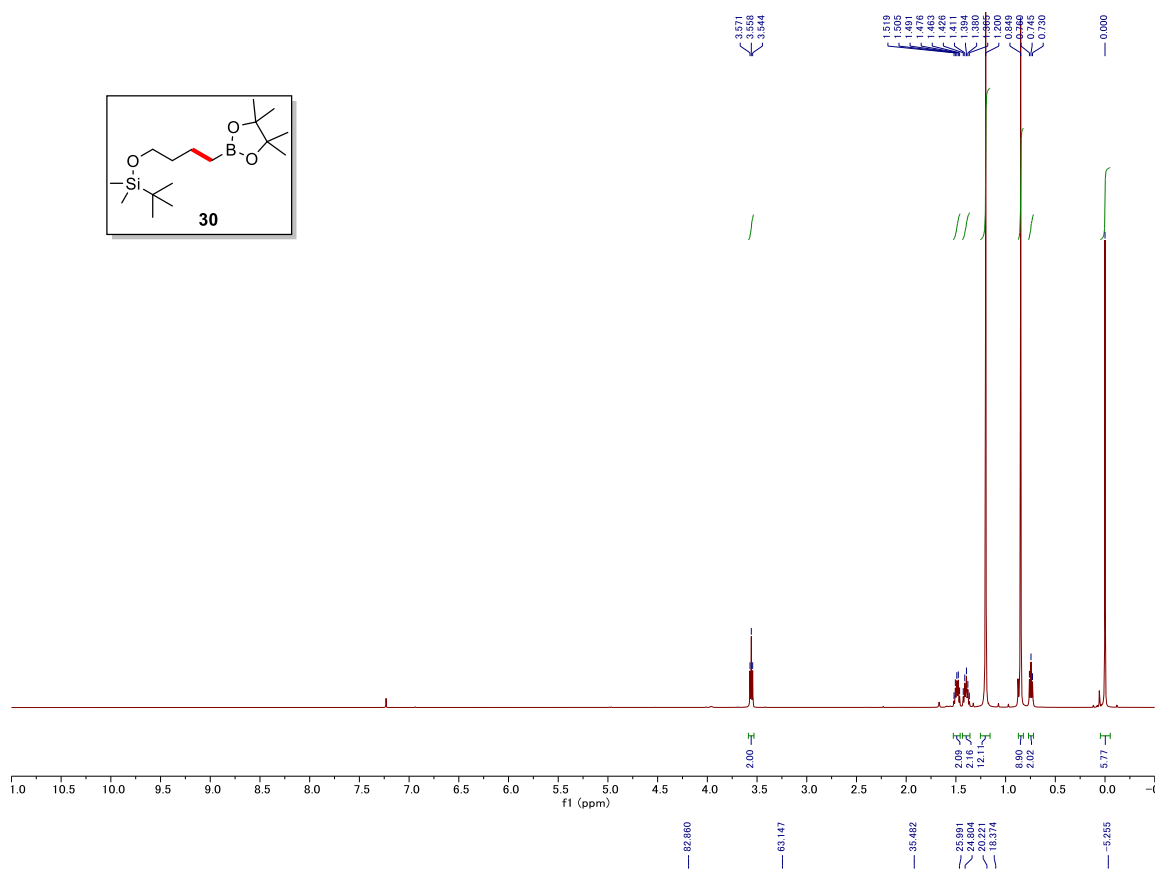


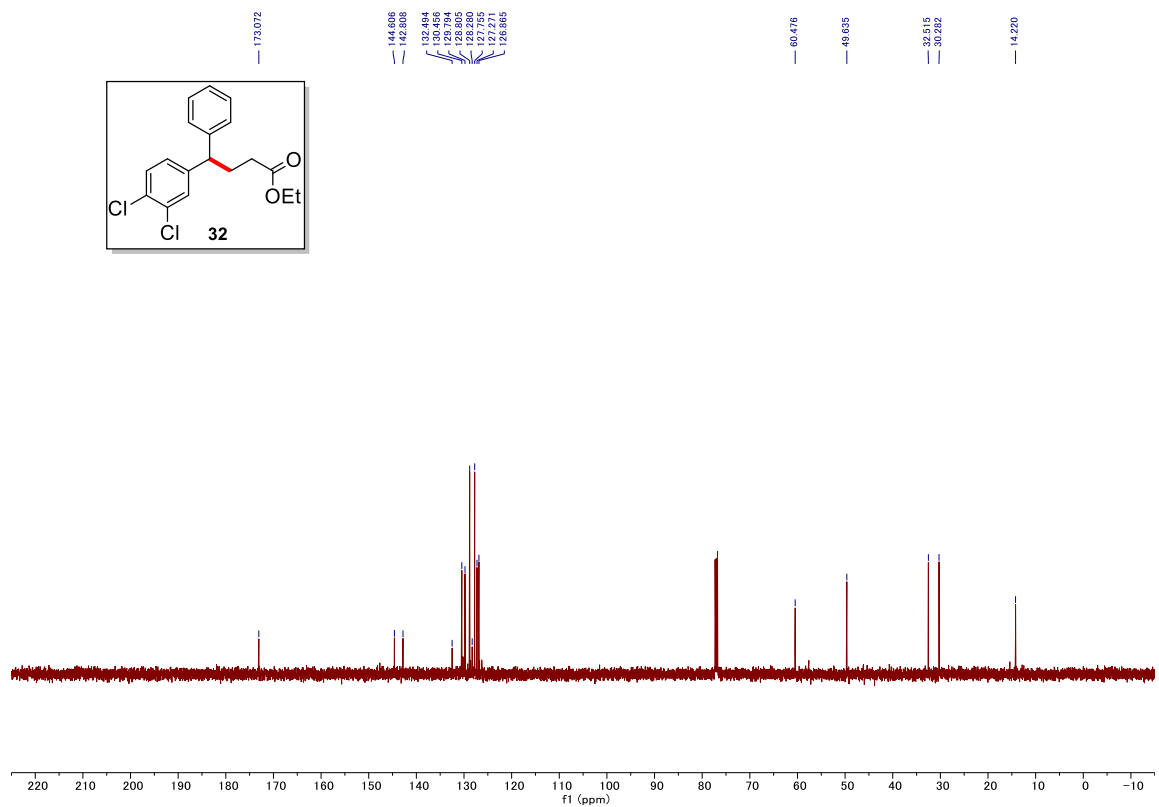
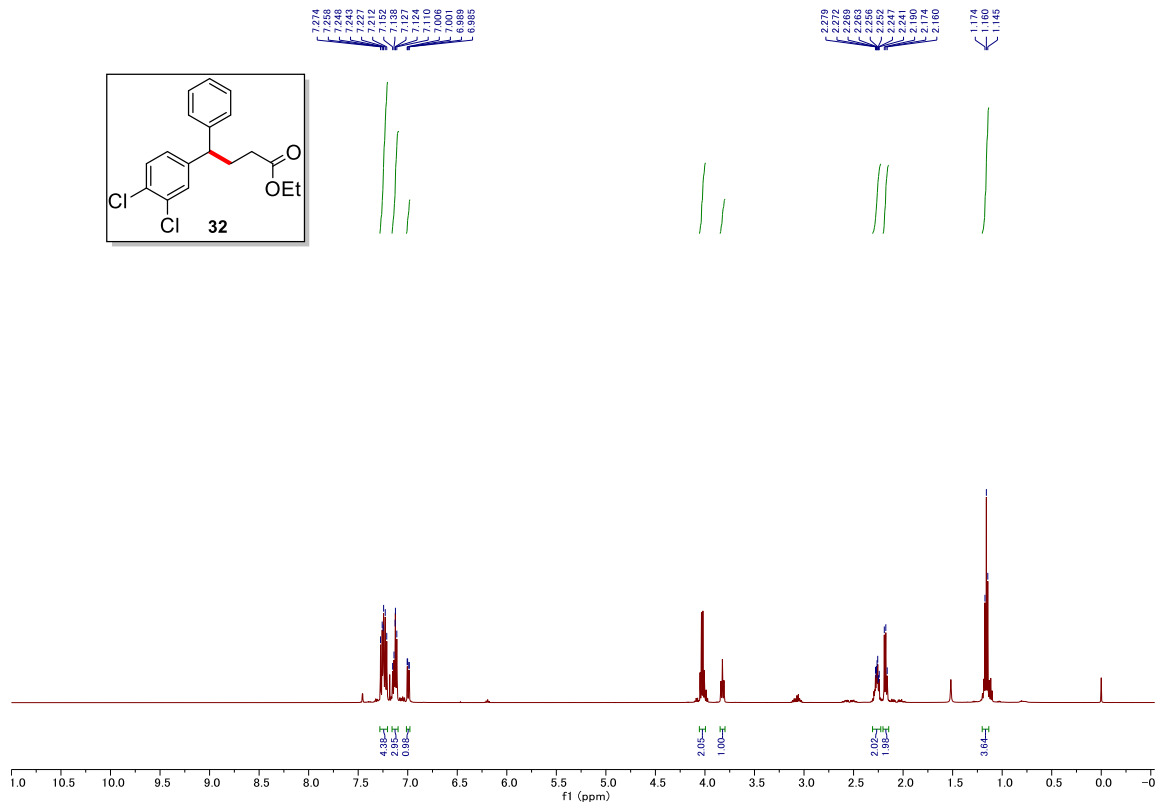


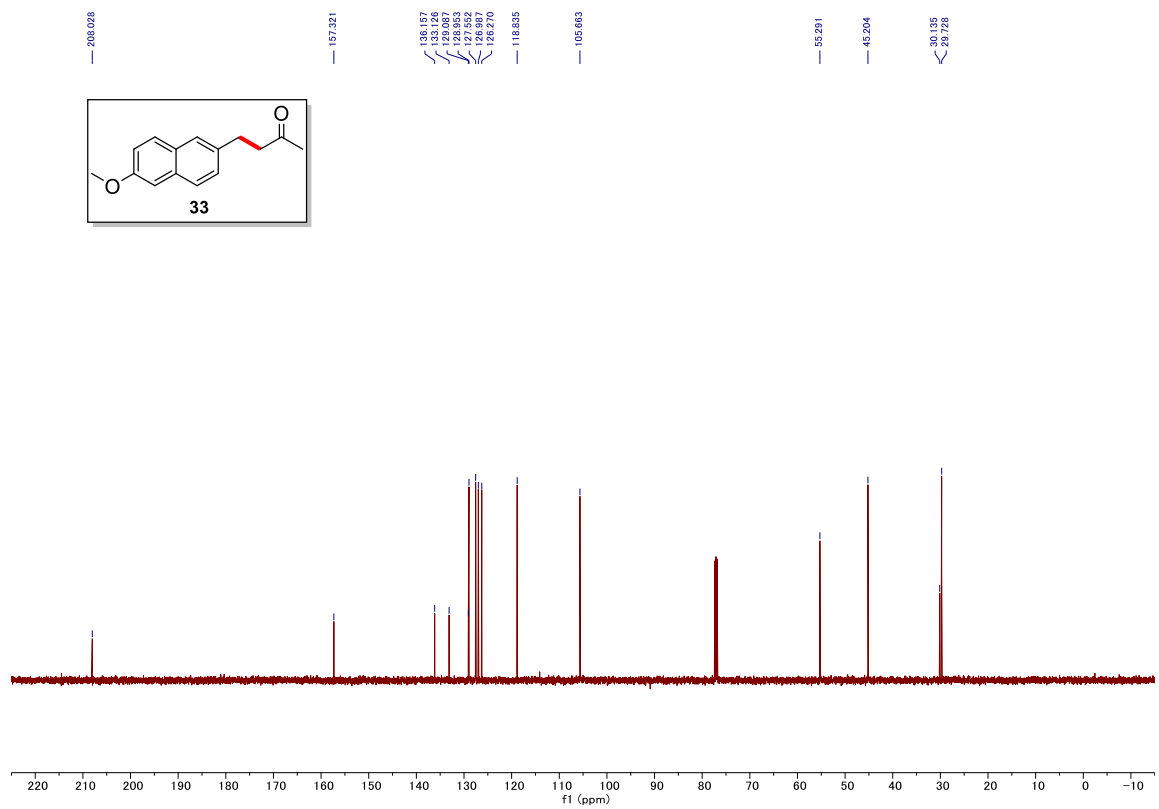
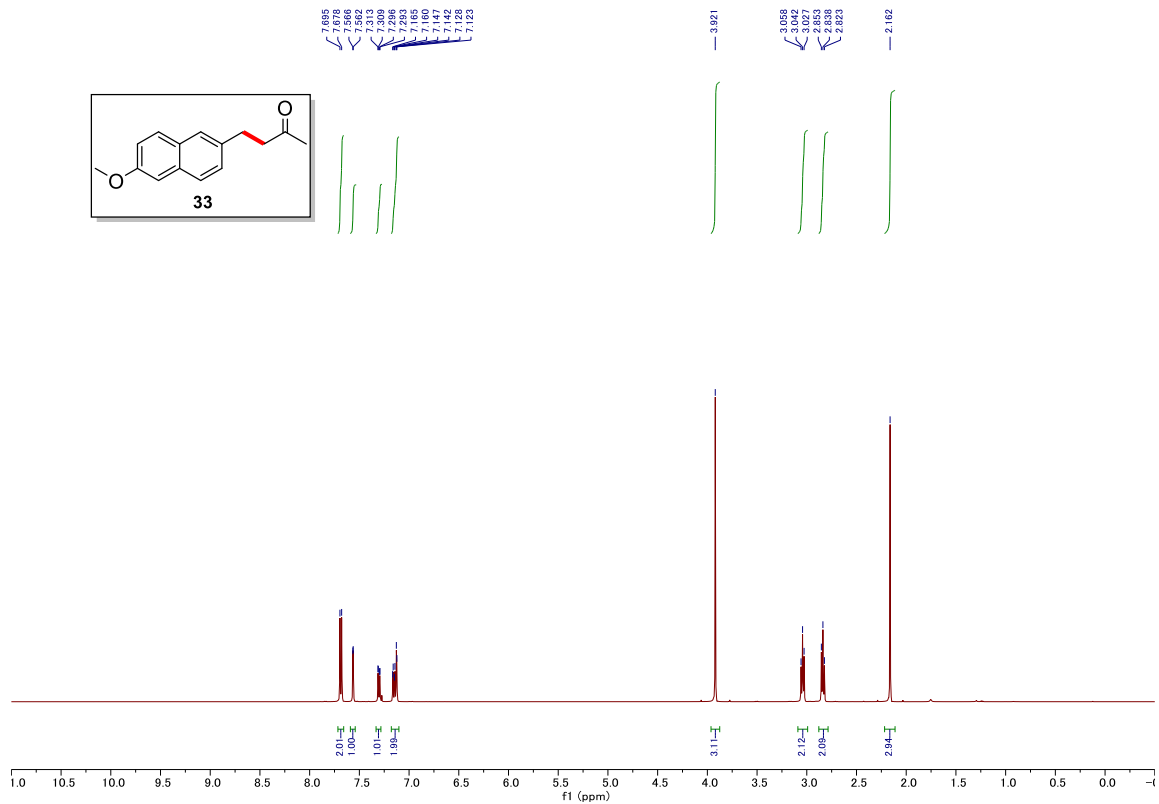


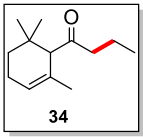
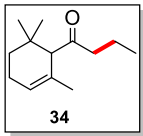


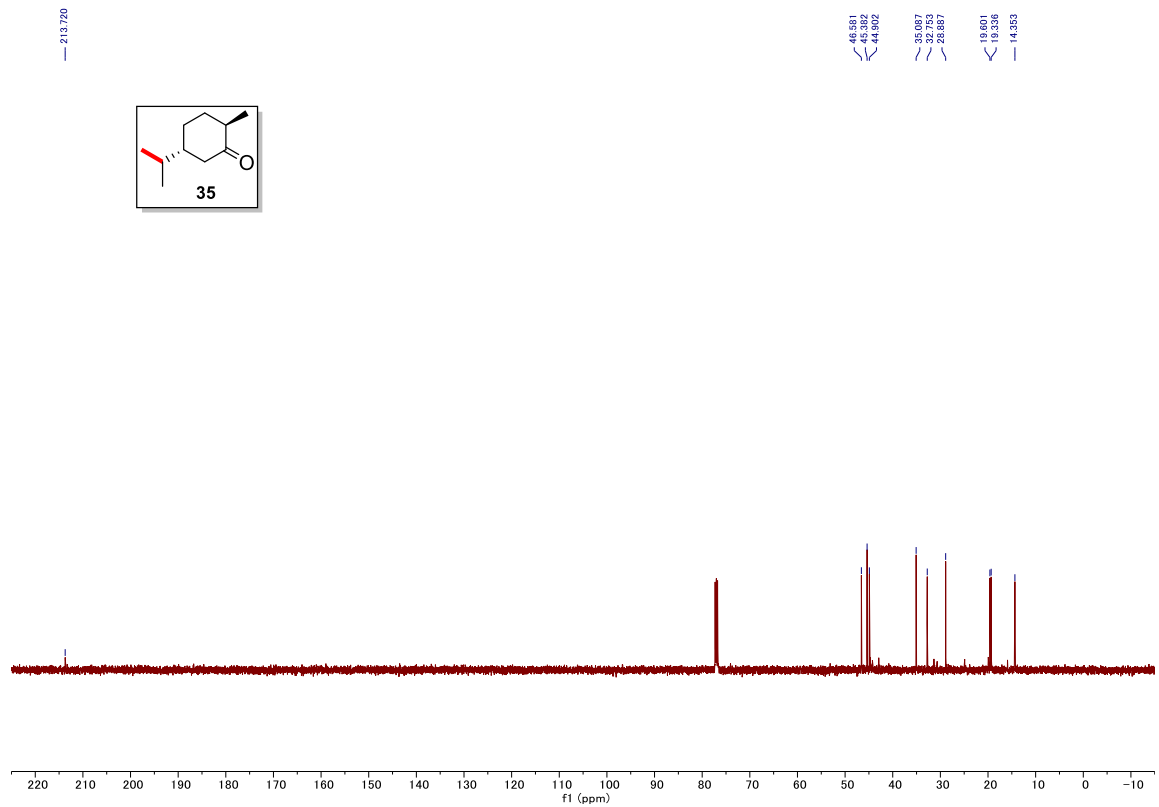
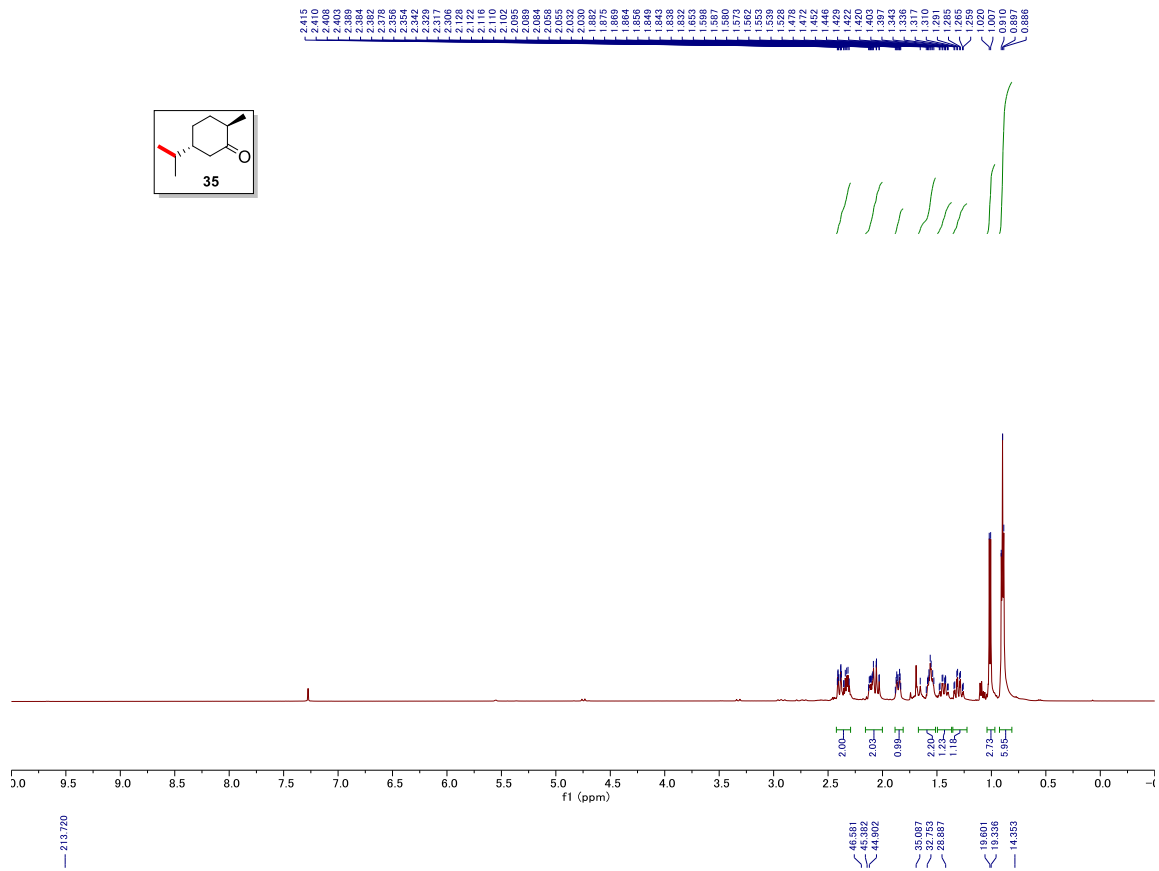


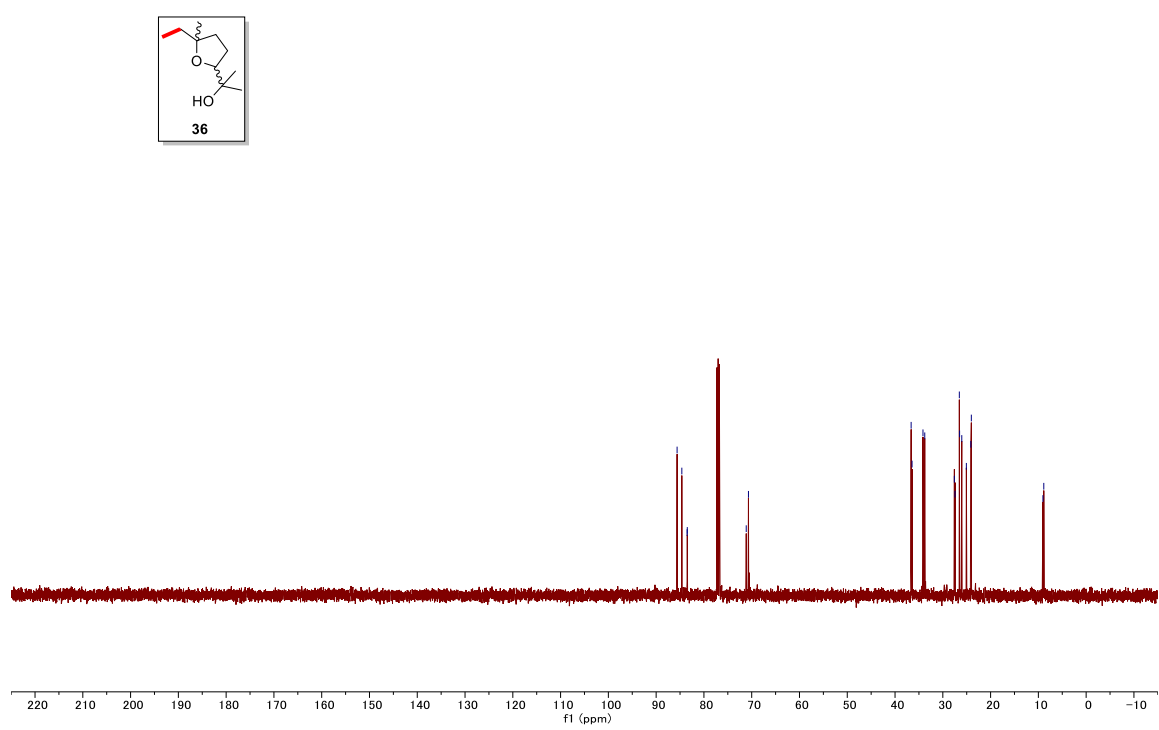
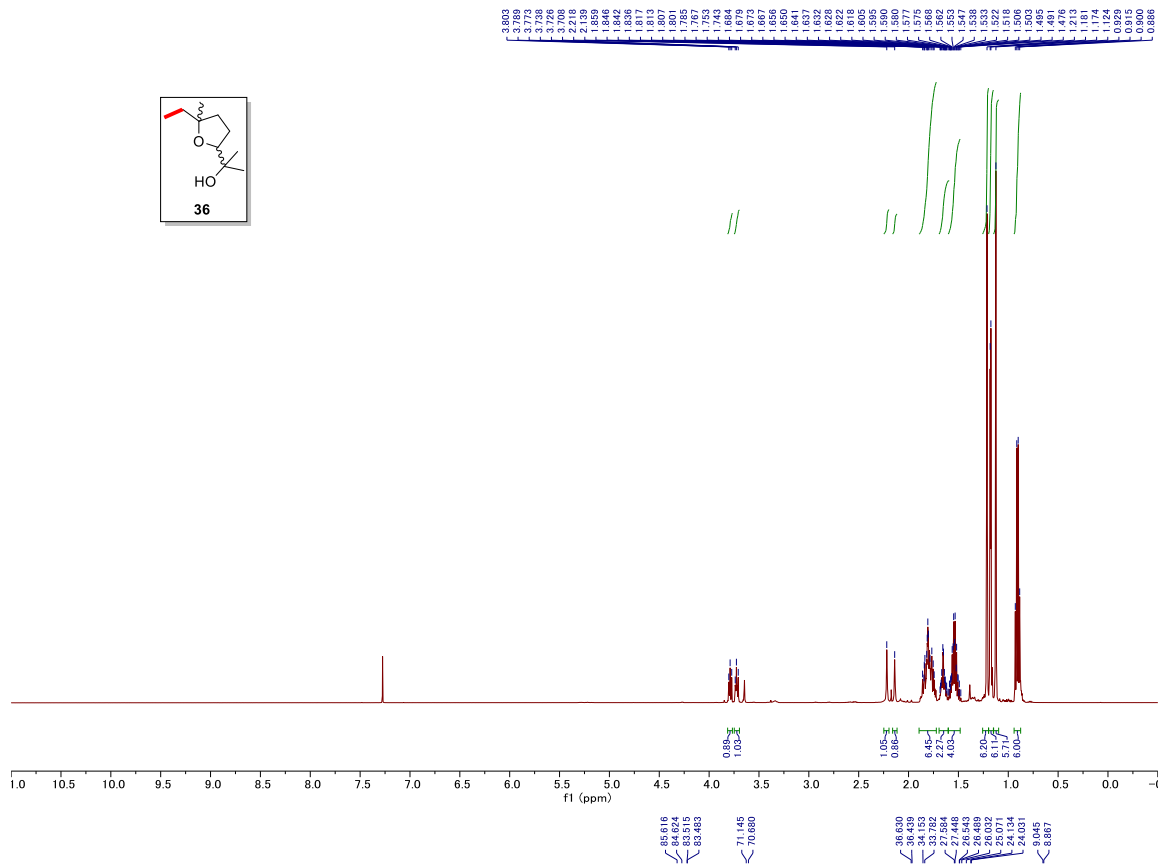


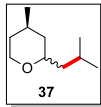
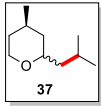


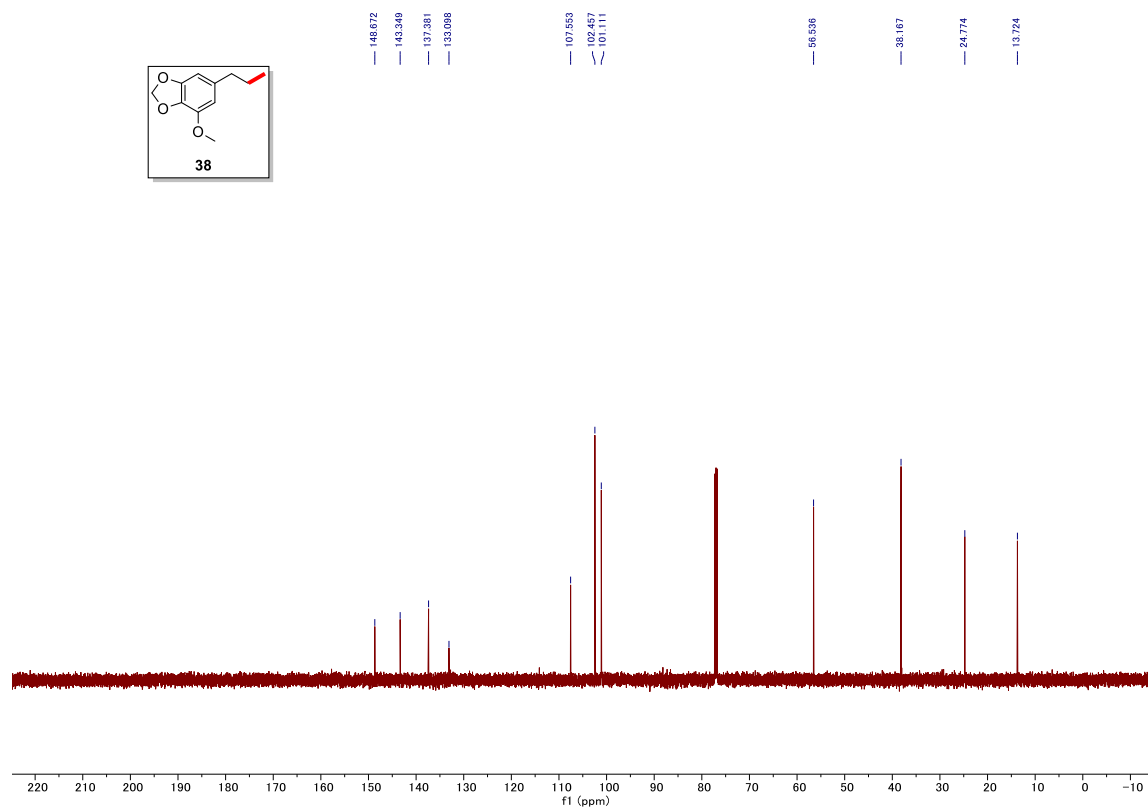
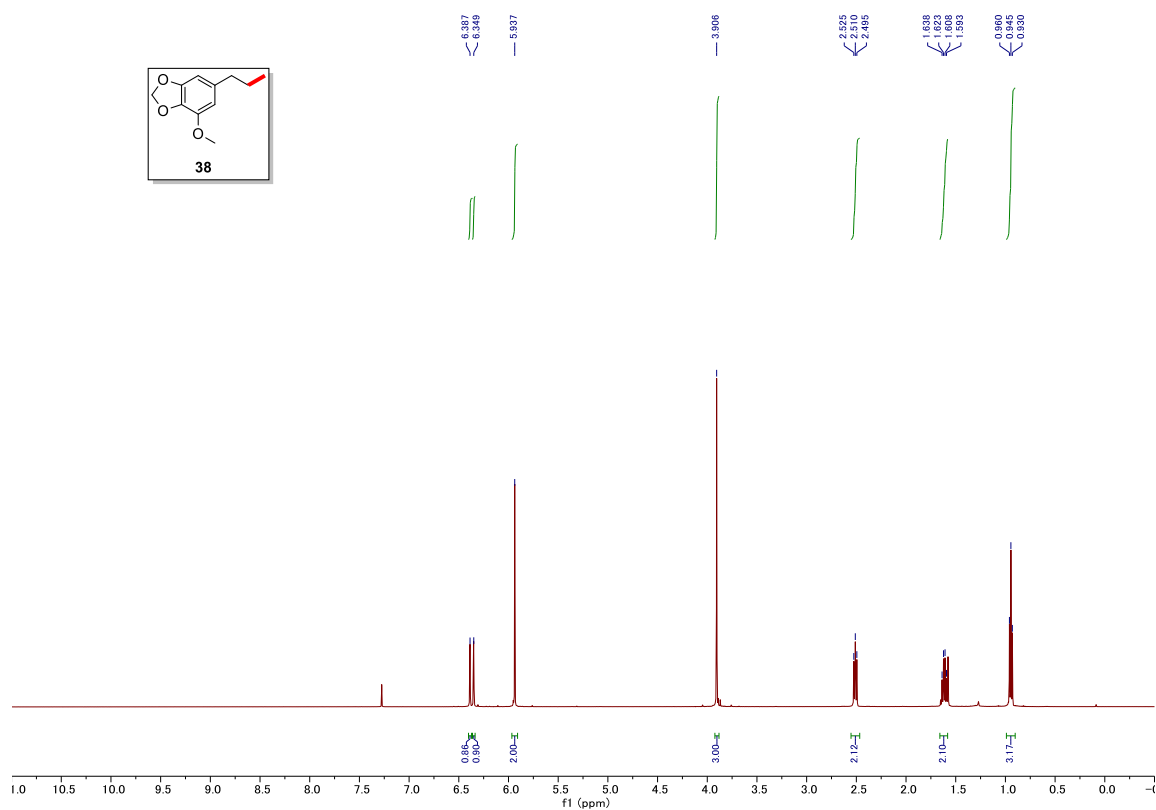












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