

**$\gamma$ -C (sp<sup>3</sup>)-H bond functionalisation by nucleophilic  
phenylation and alkylation of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amides  
through an umpolung strategy**

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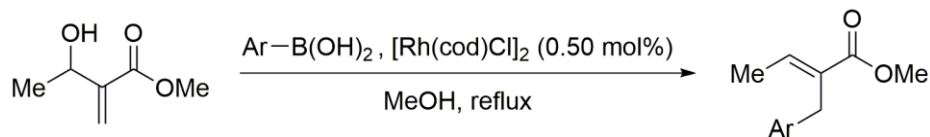
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## I. General Information

All reactions were carried out under an argon with dry solvents under anhydrous conditions, unless otherwise noted. Reagents were purchased at the highest commercial quality and used without further purification, unless otherwise stated. Flash column chromatography were performed using Silicycle silica gel (SiliaFlash® F60, 40-63  $\mu\text{m}$ ) or performed on Biotage Automated Liquid Chromatography System Isorera One using Biotage SNAP KP-Sil 50g silica gel cartridges. NMR spectra were recorded at 300 MHz/75 MHz ( $^1\text{H}$  NMR/ $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR), 500 MHz/125 MHz ( $^1\text{H}$  NMR/ $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR) or 600 MHz/150 MHz ( $^1\text{H}$  NMR/ $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR) using Varian MERCURY plus 300 (300 MHz), Varian NMR system AS 500 (500 MHz), or Bruker Avance III HD (600 MHz) spectrometers. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm with the solvent resonance or TMS as the internal standard. Multiplicities are indicated by (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, quint = quintet, sext = sextet, sept = septet, dd = doublet of doublets, dt = doublet of triplets, dq = doublet of quartets, td = triplet of doublets, qd = quartet of doublets, qt = quartet of triplets, qq = quartet of quartets, septd = septet of doublets, ddd = doublet of doublet of doublets, ddt = doublet of doublet of triplets, m = multiplet, br = broad). Infrared (IR) spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer SpectrumOne A spectrometer. The high-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained using Thermo Fischer Scientific Exactive Orbitrap mass spectrometer by ESI technique. Melting points (uncorrected) were determined on BÜCHI M-565 apparatus.  $\text{Ph}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*- $\text{Bu}_2\text{O}$ ),  $\text{Me}_3\text{Al}$  (2.0 M in toluene), and *i*- $\text{Bu}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*-hexane) were purchased from Aldrich.  $\text{Et}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*-hexane) was purchased from Kanto Chemical Co., Inc. Isoxazolidine hydrochloride<sup>1</sup> was prepared by the reported procedure. (2*E/Z*)-2-(1-Methylethyl)-2-butenic acid<sup>2</sup>, (2*E*)-2-(2-propen-1-yl)-2-butenic acid<sup>3</sup>, (2*E*)-2-phenyl-2-butenic acid<sup>4</sup>, and (2*Z*)-2-bromo-2-butenic acid<sup>5</sup> were prepared by the reported procedure.

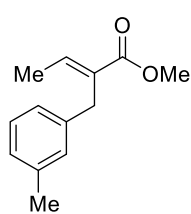
## II. Experimental Section

### General procedure for preparation of $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carboxylic acid methyl esters<sup>6</sup>



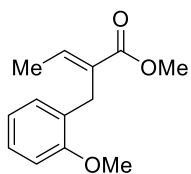
To a solution of 3-hydroxy-2-methylene-butanoic acid methyl ester (0.61 mL, 5.0 mmol) in MeOH (20 mL) were added arylboronic acid (20 mmol) and  $[\text{Rh}(\text{cod})\text{Cl}]_2$  (12.0 mg, 0.50 mol%) at room temperature. After being stirred at reflux for 16-24 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (*n*-hexane : EtOAc = 10 : 1) to give  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carboxylic acid methyl ester **S1-S3** in the yields as described below.

#### (2*E*)-2-[(3-Methylphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid methyl ester (**S1**)



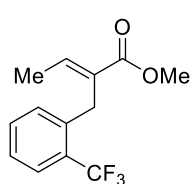
87% yield. A colorless oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1717, 1650  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.17-6.97 (m, 5H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.89 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.0, 139.4, 138.8, 137.8, 131.9, 128.9, 128.1, 126.7, 125.1, 51.6, 31.8, 21.4, 14.6; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_2\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 227.1043, found 227.1040.

#### (2*E*)-2-[(2-Methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid methyl ester (**S2**)



88% yield. A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1716, 1649  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.16 (br t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.08-7.01 (m, 2H), 6.87-6.82 (m, 2H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 1.82 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.3, 157.2, 139.3, 131.1, 128.7, 127.5, 127.0, 120.2, 109.9, 55.2, 51.6, 26.2, 14.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_3\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 243.0992, found 243.0987.

#### (2*E*)-2-[[2-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenic acid methyl ester (**S3**)



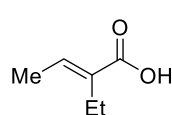
68% yield. A colorless oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1717, 1650  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.64 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 2H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 1.80 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 167.9, 141.0, 137.9, 131.8, 130.3, 128.4 (q,  $J = 29.6$  Hz), 128.2, 126.0, 125.9 (q,  $J = 5.9$  Hz), 124.6 (q,  $J = 272.1$  Hz), 51.8, 28.1, 14.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_2\text{F}_3\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 281.0760, found 281.0758.

### General procedure for preparation of $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carboxylic acids

To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ester (1.0 equiv) in EtOH/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (v/v = 4:3, 0.14 M) was added  $\text{LiOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (3.0 equiv) at room temperature. After being stirred at 100  $^\circ\text{C}$  for 12-24 h, this reaction mixture was diluted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  and water. The water layer was washed with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . Subsequently, the water layer was acidified with an 1 M HCl until pH = 1 and the resulting suspension was extracted

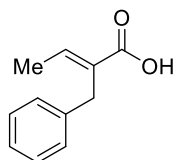
with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (*n*-hexane : EtOAc = 1 : 2) to give  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carboxylic acid **S4-S17** in the yields as described below.

**(2E/Z)-2-Ethyl-2-butenoic acid (S4)**



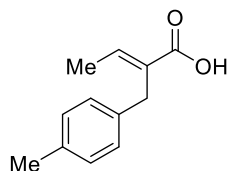
99% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 4/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  2972, 1687, 1642  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.98 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 4/5 H), 6.17 (br q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1/5 H), 2.37-2.25 (m, 2H), 2.04 (br d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3/5 H), 1.84 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 12/5 H), 1.06 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3/5 H), 1.03 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 12/5 H);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 174.0 (*Z*), 173.5, 139.6, 139.0 (*Z*), 134.3, 133.6 (*Z*), 27.3 (*Z*), 19.3, 16.0 (*Z*), 14.2, 13.7 (*Z*), 13.4; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_9\text{O}_2$  [ $\text{M}-\text{H}^+$ ] 113.0608, found 113.0598.

**(2E)-2-(Phenylmethyl)-2-butenoic acid (S5)**



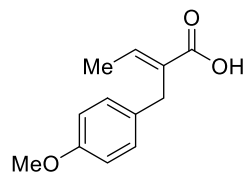
94% yield. White solid; Mp: 100-101  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3012, 1691, 1642  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.29-7.15 (m, 6H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 1.92 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 173.4, 141.8, 139.3, 131.4, 128.3, 128.1, 126.0, 31.5, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 199.0730, found 199.0726.

**(2E)-2-[(4-Methylphenyl)methyl]-2-butenoic acid (S6)**



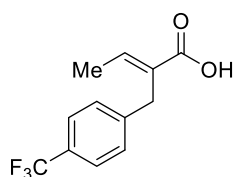
99% yield. White solid; Mp: 110-111  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3011, 1690, 1642  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.16 (q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.07 (m, 4H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.91 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 172.9, 141.4, 136.2, 135.5, 131.6, 129.1, 128.1, 31.1, 21.0, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_2\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 213.0886, found 213.0887.

**(2E)-2-[(4-Methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-butenoic acid (S7)**



77% yield. White solid; Mp: 111-112  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3012, 1688, 1642  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.18-7.08 (m, 3H), 6.80 (br d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 1.92 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 173.2, 157.8, 141.3, 131.8, 131.4, 129.1, 113.7, 55.1, 30.6, 14.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_3\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 229.0835, found 229.0836.

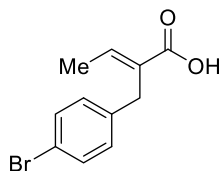
**(2E)-2-[[4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenoic acid (S8)**



84% yield. White solid; Mp: 69-70  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  2944, 1687, 1643  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.51 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.20 (m, 3H), 3.73 (s, 2H), 1.92 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 172.4, 143.4, 142.5, 130.6, 128.47, 128.51 (q,  $J = 32.0$  Hz), 125.3 (q,  $J = 3.8$  Hz), 124.3 (q,  $J = 270.2$  Hz), 31.5, 15.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for

C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>2</sub>F<sub>3</sub> [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 243.0638, found 243.0638.

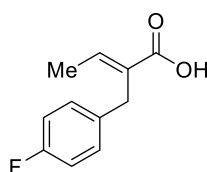
**(2E)-2-[(4-Bromophenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S9)**



84% yield. White solid; Mp: 131-132 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3014, 1687, 1643 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.38 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.18 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 1.91 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.0, 142.1, 138.3, 131.4, 131.0, 129.9, 119.8, 31.0, 15.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>2</sub><sup>79</sup>Br [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 252.9870,

found 252.9872.

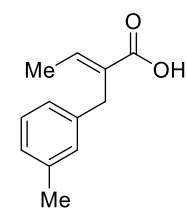
**(2E)-2-[(4-Fluorophenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S10)**



92% yield. White solid; Mp: 93-94 °C; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 16/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  2940, 1691, 1642 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.21-7.11 (m, 3H), 6.98-6.90 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 32/17H), 3.55 (s, 2/17H), 2.07 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3/17 H), 1.92 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 48/17 H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.6, 161.4 (d, *J* = 240.0 Hz), 142.3 (*Z*), 141.8, 134.9,

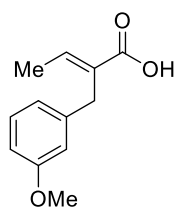
131.4, 131.2 (*Z*), 130.4 (*Z*) (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 129.6 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 115.1 (d, *J* = 21 Hz), 39.2 (*Z*), 30.8, 16.1 (*Z*), 14.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>2</sub>F [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 193.0670, found 193.0665.

**(2E)-2-[(3-Methylphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S11)**



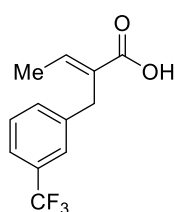
79% yield. White solid; Mp: 115-116 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3012, 1687, 1642 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.22-7.12 (m, 2H), 6.99-6.98 (m, 3H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.91 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.3, 141.7, 139.2, 137.9, 131.4, 128.9, 128.2, 126.8, 125.1, 31.4, 21.4, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Na [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 213.0886, found 213.0886.

**(2E)-2-[(3-Methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S12)**



99% yield. White solid; Mp: 92-93 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3011, 1687, 1642 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.22-7.15 (m, 2H), 6.79-6.70 (m, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 1.91 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.1, 159.6, 141.9, 140.9, 131.2, 129.3, 120.5, 114.1, 111.2, 55.1, 31.5, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 229.0835, found 229.0835.

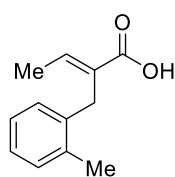
**(2E)-2-[[3-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenic acid (S13)**



98% yield. White solid; Mp: 106-107 °C; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 17/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3032, 1688, 1644 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.46-7.36 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.20 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 34/18H), 3.64 (s, 2/18H), 2.10 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3/18H), 1.94 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 51/18H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.6, 142.5, 140.3, 131.6, 130.8 (q, *J* = 31.8 Hz), 130.6, 128.8, 124.9 (q, *J* = 3.8

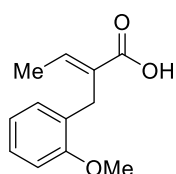
Hz), 124.1 (q, *J* = 270.3 Hz), 123.0 (q, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 31.4, 15.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>2</sub>F<sub>3</sub> [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 243.0638, found 243.0637.

**(2E)-2-[(2-Methylphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S14)**



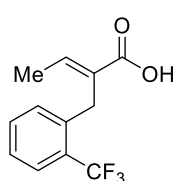
94% yield. White solid; Mp: 119-120 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3012, 1688, 1643 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.30-7.25 (m, 1H), 7.17-7.08 (m, 3H), 6.97-6.94 (m, 1H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.84 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.9, 142.3, 136.9, 136.2, 130.7, 130.3, 126.6, 126.0, 125.9, 28.7, 19.8, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>O<sub>2</sub> [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 189.0921, found 189.0918.

**(2E)-2-[(2-Methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S15)**



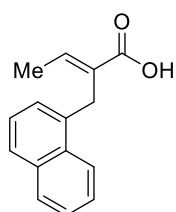
94% yield. White solid; Mp: 118-121 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3011, 1691, 1642 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.22-7.14 (m, 2H), 7.08 (br d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.87-6.82 (m, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 1.85 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.6, 157.2, 142.0, 130.7, 128.7, 127.2, 127.1, 120.3, 109.9, 55.1, 25.8, 14.7; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 229.0835, found 229.0832.

**(2E)-2-[[2-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenic acid (S16)**



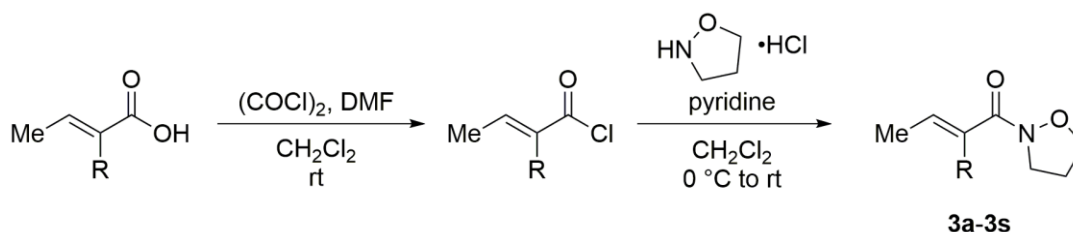
86% yield. White solid; Mp: 100-101 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  2990, 1691, 1645 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.64 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 2H), 1.80 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.8, 143.9, 137.6, 131.9, 129.8, 128.5 (q, *J* = 29.6 Hz), 128.1, 126.1, 126.0 (q, *J* = 6.2 Hz), 124.6 (q, *J* = 272.3 Hz), 27.7, 14.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>2</sub>F<sub>3</sub> [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 243.0638, found 243.0638.

**(2E)-2-[(1-Naphthalenyl)methyl]-2-butenic acid (S17)**



93% yield. White solid; Mp: 140-141 °C; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\nu_{\max}$  3012, 1687, 1643 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 8.11 (br d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (br d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.56-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (s, 2H), 1.83 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.4, 143.2, 134.2, 133.7, 131.9, 130.3, 128.7, 126.7, 125.9, 125.50, 125.46, 123.6, 123.2, 28.2, 14.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>13</sub>O<sub>2</sub> [M-H<sup>+</sup>] 225.0921, found 225.0918.

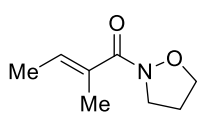
**General procedure for preparation of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamides 3a-3s**



To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carboxylic acid (2.0 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (0.70 mL) were added oxalyl chloride (0.2 mL, 2.4 mmol) and a few drops of DMF under an argon atmosphere at room temperature. After being stirred for 2 h at the same temperature, the solvent and excess of oxalyl chloride were removed under reduced pressure to give crude product (acyl chloride) which was used without further purification.

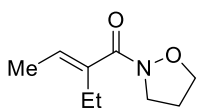
Subsequently, to the solution of the acyl chloride in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (4.3 mL) were added isoxazolidine hydrochloride<sup>1</sup> (0.22 g, 2.0 mmol) and pyridine (0.34 mL, 4.2 mmol) at 0 °C. After being stirred for 16-24 h at room temperature, the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc. The mixture was washed with 1 M HCl, saturated  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ , and saturated NaCl. The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$ , and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (*n*-hexane : EtOAc = 1 : 1) to afford  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **3a-3s** in the yields as described below.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isioxazolidinyl)-2-methyl-2-buten-1-one (3a)**



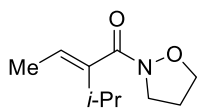
49% yield. A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1659, 1623  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.17 (qq, *J* = 6.9, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 3.76-3.71 (m, 2H), 2.28 (br quint, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.87 (br s, 3H), 1.75 (dq, *J* = 6.9, 1.5 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.8, 131.1, 130.9, 68.8, 44.7, 27.3, 13.6, 13.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 178.0839, found 178.0840.

**(2E)-2-Ethyl-1-(2-isioxazolidinyl)-2-buten-1-one (3b)**



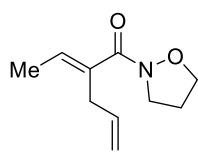
64% yield. A yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 10/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1660, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.04 (qt, *J* = 6.9, 0.9 Hz, 10/11H), 5.55 (qt, *J* = 6.9, 1.5 Hz, 1/11H), 3.94 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 3.78-3.74 (m, 2H), 2.38 (br q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (br quint, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.76 (dt, *J* = 6.9, 0.6 Hz, 30/11H), 1.69 (dt, *J* = 6.9, 1.5 Hz, 3/11H), 1.09-0.98 (m, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 172.0, 137.7 (*Z*), 137.5, 129.8, 68.8, 44.7, 27.2, 27.0 (*Z*), 20.6, 14.7 (*Z*), 13.2, 12.8, 12.1 (*Z*); HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 192.0995, found 192.0994.

**(2E/Z)-1-(2-Isioxazolidinyl)-2-(1-methylethyl)-2-buten-1-one (3c)**



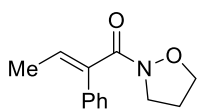
56% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 9/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  1661, 1634  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 5.72 (qd, *J* = 7.2, 0.9 Hz, 9/10H), 5.52 (qd, *J* = 6.9, 1.5 Hz, 1/10H), 3.95 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.77-3.72 (m, 2H), 2.87 (septd, *J* = 6.9, 0.9 Hz, 9/10H), 2.60 (sept, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1/10H), 2.40-2.24 (m, 2H), 1.75 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.14 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 54/10H), 1.07 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6/10H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 178.3 (*Z*), 170.71, 142.3 (*Z*), 141.3, 126.8, 68.8, 44.5, 43.0 (*Z*), 27.7, 27.4, 21.1 (*Z*), 21.0, 14.8 (*Z*), 13.8 (*Z*), 13.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 206.1152, found 206.1150.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-(2-propen-1-yl)-4-butene-1-one (3d)**



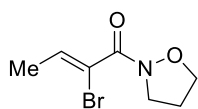
36% yield. A yellow oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1661, 1635  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.23 (qt,  $J = 7.2, 0.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.80 (ddt,  $J = 17.1, 9.9, 6.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.11-4.98 (m, 2H), 3.93 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.78-3.73 (m, 2H), 3.13 (br d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 2H), 2.26 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.78 (dt,  $J = 7.2, 0.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.9, 135.0, 133.5, 132.5, 115.5, 69.1, 44.7, 31.8, 27.4, 13.7; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 204.0995, found 204.0997.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-phenyl-2-buten-1-one (3e)**



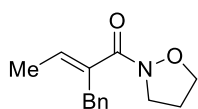
99% yield. White solid;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; Mp 57-58  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; IR ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\nu_{\max}$  1646, 1619  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.37-7.24 (m, 5H), 6.40 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.72 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.63-3.58 (m, 2H), 2.20 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.80 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.2, 137.0, 135.1, 131.8, 128.6, 127.7, 126.9, 68.6, 44.5, 27.5, 14.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 240.0995, found 240.0994.

**(2Z)-2-Bromo-1-(2-isloxazolidinyl)-2-buten-1-one (3f)**



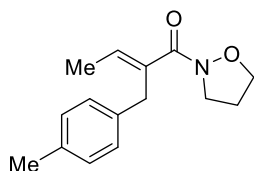
47% yield. A pale yellow oil;  $E/Z = 1/>20$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1634  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.63 (q,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.02 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.81-3.76 (m, 2H), 2.36 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.90 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 163.5, 134.4, 116.5, 69.4, 45.0, 27.4, 17.2; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_2\text{N}^{79}\text{BrNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 241.9787, found 241.9788.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-(phenylmethyl)-2-buten-1-one (3g)**



86% yield. A pale yellow oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1663, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.28-7.13 (m, 5H), 6.20 (br q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 2H), 3.66 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.58-3.53 (m, 2H), 2.00 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.88 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.6, 138.8, 134.7, 130.9, 128.2, 128.0, 125.7, 68.8, 44.9, 33.4, 27.2, 14.1; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 254.1152, found 254.1147.

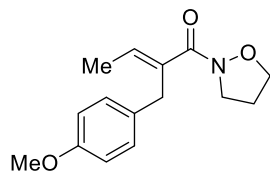
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[(4-methylphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3h)**



99% yield. A yellow oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1662, 1633  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.10-7.04 (m, 4H), 6.18 (q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.72-3.67 (m, 4H), 3.58-3.53 (m, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.01 (br quint,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 1.86 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.9, 135.8, 135.2, 135.0, 130.8, 128.8, 128.1, 68.7, 44.7, 32.6, 27.0, 20.7, 13.7; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_2\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 268.1308, found 268.1305.

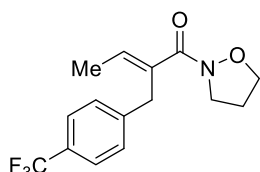


**(2E)-1-(2-Isoxazolidinyl)-2-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3i)**



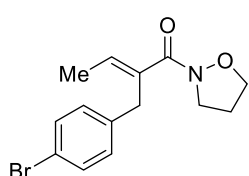
98% yield. A pale yellow oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1664, 1635  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 6.16 (br q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.71-3.66 (m, 4H), 3.58-3.53 (m, 2H), 2.02 (br quint,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 1.87 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 172.1, 157.8, 135.3, 131.1, 130.7, 129.4, 113.6, 68.9, 55.1, 44.8, 32.3, 27.1, 13.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_3\text{NNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 284.1257, found 284.1254.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isoxazolidinyl)-2-[[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3j)**



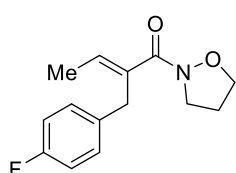
80% yield. A colorless oil; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1661, 1618  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.51 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 6.35 (q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 2H), 3.73 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.65-3.60 (m, 2H), 2.11 (br quint,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 1.86 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta_c$  171.3, 143.6, 133.8, 133.2, 128.7, 128.5 (q,  $J = 32.1$  Hz), 125.3 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 124.3 (q,  $J = 270.1$  Hz), 69.2, 44.5, 33.2, 27.2, 14.1; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_2\text{NF}_3\text{Na}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 322.1025, found 322.1023.

**(2E)-2-[(4-Bromophenyl)methyl]-1-(2-isoxazolidinyl)-2-buten-1-one (3k)**



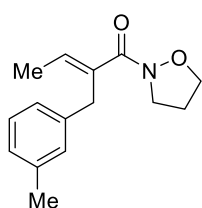
79% yield. A colorless oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1661, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.37 (br d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 7.08 (br d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 6.27 (br q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.72 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 3.63-3.58 (m, 2H), 2.10 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.85 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.4, 138.3, 134.2, 132.4, 131.3, 130.1, 119.7, 69.1, 44.5, 32.7, 27.2, 14.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_2\text{N}^{79}\text{BrNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 332.0257, found 332.0259.

**(2E)-2-[(4-Fluorophenyl)methyl]-1-(2-isoxazolidinyl)-2-buten-1-one (3l)**



74% yield. A colorless oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1663, 1627  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.17-7.15 (m, 2H), 6.95-6.92 (m, 2H), 6.23 (q,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.71-3.69 (m, 4H), 3.60-3.58 (m, 2H), 2.07 (br quint,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 1.86 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 171.8, 161.4 (d,  $J = 242.7$  Hz), 134.9 (d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 134.8, 131.8, 129.9 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz), 115.1 (d,  $J = 21.0$  Hz), 69.0, 44.6, 32.5, 27.2, 13.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_2\text{NFNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 272.1057, found 272.1059.

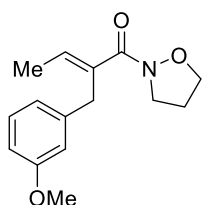
**(2E)-1-(2-Isoxazolidinyl)-2-[(3-methylphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3m)**



85% yield. A colorless oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1662, 1634  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.14 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.01-6.96 (m, 3H), 6.18 (br q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.70-3.65 (m, 4H), 3.58-3.53 (m, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.00 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.87 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 172.2,

139.1, 137.8, 135.0, 131.1, 129.2, 128.2, 126.7, 125.4, 68.9, 44.8, 33.2, 27.1, 21.3, 13.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 268.1308, found 268.1307.

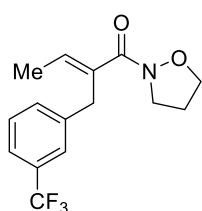
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[(3-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3n)**



65% yield. A yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1662, 1632 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.17 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.81-6.70 (m, 3H), 6.21 (br q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.73-3.69 (m, 4H), 3.60-3.55 (m, 2H), 2.04 (br quint, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.87 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.0, 159.6, 140.8, 134.7, 131.6, 129.2, 120.8, 114.1, 111.4, 68.9, 55.0, 44.8, 33.3, 27.2,

13.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 284.1257, found 284.1252.

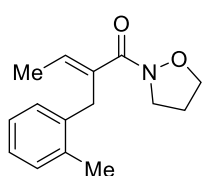
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3o)**



75% yield. A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1662, 1627 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta_{\text{H}}$  7.49-7.36 (m, 4H), 6.34 (br q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 2H), 3.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.63-3.61 (m, 2H), 2.09 (br quint, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.87 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta_{\text{C}}$  171.4, 140.4, 133.7, 133.2, 132.1, 130.6 (q, *J* = 31.9 Hz), 128.8, 124.9 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 124.2 (q, *J* =

270.4 Hz), 122.9 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 69.1, 44.5, 33.0, 27.2, 14.1; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NF<sub>3</sub>Na [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 322.1025, found 322.1018.

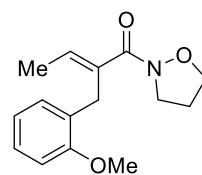
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[(2-methylphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3p)**



76% yield. A colorless oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1663, 1635 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.18-7.07 (m, 4H), 6.19 (br q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 3.61 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.56-3.51 (m, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 1.96 (br quint, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.85 (br d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 171.9, 136.7,

136.2, 134.1, 130.8, 129.8, 128.6, 126.0, 125.7, 68.8, 44.3, 30.6, 27.0, 19.4, 13.7; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 268.1308, found 268.1303.

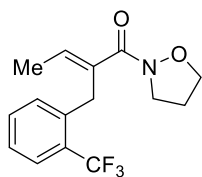
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3q)**



93% yield. A yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1664, 1630 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.19-7.13 (m, 2H), 6.87-6.81 (m, 2H), 6.13 (br q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.71-3.66 (m, 4H), 3.56-3.51 (m, 2H), 1.96 (br quint, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.84 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 172.4, 157.2,

134.3, 131.3, 129.8, 127.3, 127.2, 120.2, 109.9, 68.7, 55.1, 45.1, 27.8, 27.1, 13.7; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 284.1257, found 284.1252.

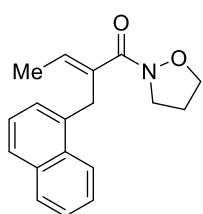
**(2E)-1-(2-Isloxazolidinyl)-2-[[2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3r)**



78% yield. A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1661, 1624 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.44 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (s, 2H), 3.79 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.67-3.65 (m, 2H), 2.14 (br quint, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.76 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR

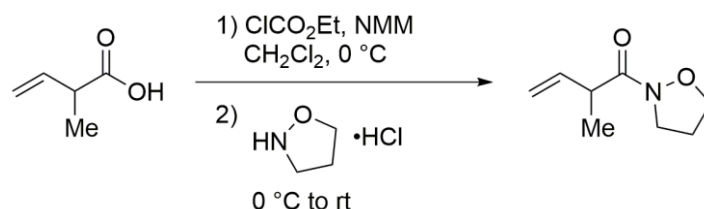
(150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 171.0, 137.8, 134.6, 133.2, 131.8, 129.9, 128.4 (q,  $J = 29.7$  Hz), 126.0, 125.8 (q,  $J = 5.8$  Hz), 124.6 (q,  $J = 272.2$  Hz), 69.2, 44.3, 29.7, 27.2, 14.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NF<sub>3</sub>Na [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 322.1025, found 322.1021.

**(2E)-1-(2-Isoxazolidinyl)-2-[(1-naphthalenyl)methyl]-2-buten-1-one (3s)**



80% yield. A pale orange oil;  $E/Z = >20/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1662, 1626 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 8.07 (br d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.85-7.82 (m, 1H), 7.70 (dd,  $J = 6.9, 2.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.55-7.34 (m, 4H), 6.26 (q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 4.18 (s, 2H), 3.47 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.43-3.38 (m, 2H), 1.92 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H), 1.77 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 171.8, 134.7, 134.4, 133.6, 131.8, 131.7, 128.5, 126.8, 126.2, 125.8, 125.5, 125.4, 123.6, 68.8, 44.6, 30.4, 26.9, 14.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 304.1308, found 304.1301.

**Preparation of  $\beta,\gamma$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide 6**



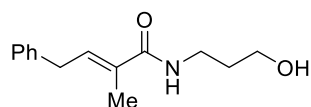
To a solution of 2-methyl-3-buten-1-ynoic acid (200 mg, 2.0 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (6.0 mL) was added 4-methylmorpholine (0.44 mL, 4.0 mmol) at 0 °C. After 15 min, ethyl chloroformate (0.19 mL, 2.0 mmol) was added dropwise and stirring at 0 °C for 15 min. Subsequently, isoxazolidine hydrochloride<sup>1</sup> (219 mg, 2.0 mmol) was added at 0 °C and this solution was gradually warmed to room temperature. After being stirred at the same temperature for 12 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc. The mixture was washed with 1 M HCl, saturated NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, and saturated NaCl. The organic phase was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by preparative TLC (*n*-hexane : AcOEt = 1 : 1) to give 1-(2-isoxazolidinyl)-2-methyl-3-buten-1-one (**6**) (122 mg, 0.79 mmol, 40%) as a colorless oil; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  1651, 1634 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 5.93 (ddd,  $J = 17.4, 10.2, 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 5.17-5.07 (m, 2H), 3.96 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 3.79-3.61 (m, 3H), 2.31 (br quint,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2H), 1.25 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 173.6, 137.8, 115.4, 69.3, 43.1, 40.8, 27.4, 16.6; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>13</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 178.0839, found 178.0840.

**General procedure for preparation of  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amides 4aa-4ae from  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide 3a (Table 1, entries 1-4)**

To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **3a** (0.35 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (1.25 mL) were added silylating agent (0.74 mmol), *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt (0.24 mL, 1.40 mmol), and Ph<sub>3</sub>Al (1.0 M in *n*-dibutyl ether,

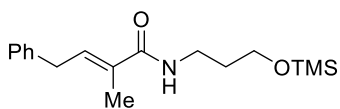
1.05mL, 1.05 mmol) dropwise at room temperature under an argon atmosphere. After being stirred at the same temperature for several hours, this reaction mixture was quenched with an aqueous Rochelle's salt (1.3 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with CHCl<sub>3</sub>. The organic phase was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (Biotage Isorera One using Biotage SNAP KP-Sil 50g silica gel cartridges) (*n*-hexane : AcOEt = 4 : 1 to EtOAc) to give  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amide **4aa-4ae** as shown in Table 1, entries 1-4.

**(2E)-N-(3-Hydroxypropyl)-2-methyl-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4aa)**



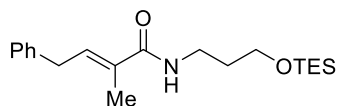
A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3331, 1659, 1615 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.33-7.17 (m, 5H), 6.49 (br t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (br s, 1H), 3.63 (br t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 3.51-3.45 (m, 4H), 3.33 (br s, 1H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.70 (quint, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 170.5, 139.2, 134.4, 131.4, 128.6, 128.4, 126.4, 59.3, 36.5, 34.5, 32.3, 12.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 256.1308, found 256.1308.

**(2E)-2-Methyl-4-phenyl- N-[3-[(trimethylsilyl)oxy]propyl]-2-butenamide (4ab)**



A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3323, 1661, 1621 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.32-7.17 (m, 5H), 6.49 (br s, 1H), 6.40 (br t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (q, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.72 (quint, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 0.08 (s, 9H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 168.6, 139.8, 133.2, 132.0, 128.6, 128.5, 126.3, 62.1, 38.8, 34.5, 31.4, 12.7, -0.9; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>27</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 328.1703, found 328.1697.

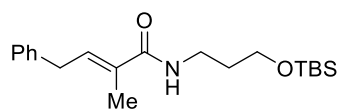
**(2E)-2-Methyl-4-phenyl- N-[3-(triethylsilyl)oxy]propyl]-2-butenamide (4ac)**



A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3322, 1661, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.33-7.17 (m, 5H), 6.48 (br s, 1H), 6.37 (br t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.38 (q, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.73 (quint, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.58 (q, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 168.8, 139.8, 133.0, 132.3, 128.6, 128.5, 126.2, 62.4, 38.8, 34.5, 31.6, 12.8, 6.6, 4.2; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>33</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 370.2173, found 370.2166.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-methyl-4-phenyl-2-butenamide**

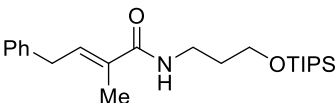
**(4ad)**



A yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 10/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3321, 1661, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.57-7.16 (m, 5H), 6.41-6.38 (m, 2H), 3.74 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 20/11H), 3.61 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2/11H), 3.52 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2/11H), 3.48 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 20/11H), 3.43 (q, *J* = 6.0

Hz, 20/11H), 3.34 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2/11H), 1.98 (s, 3/11H), 1.96 (s, 30/11H), 1.74 (br quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 20/11H), 1.64 (br quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2/11H), 0.87 (s, 9H), 0.03 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.3, 169.1 (Z), 139.4, 139.3 (Z), 133.1, 133.0 (Z), 132.4 (Z), 132.3, 128.9 (Z), 128.7 (Z), 128.6, 128.5, 126.3, 126.2 (Z), 62.83 (Z), 62.78, 38.72 (Z), 38.67, 34.5, 34.1 (Z), 31.54 (Z), 31.48, 25.92, 25.88 (Z), 18.4, 13.04 (Z), 13.00, -5.4, -5.5 (Z); HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{33}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 370.2173, found 370.2172.

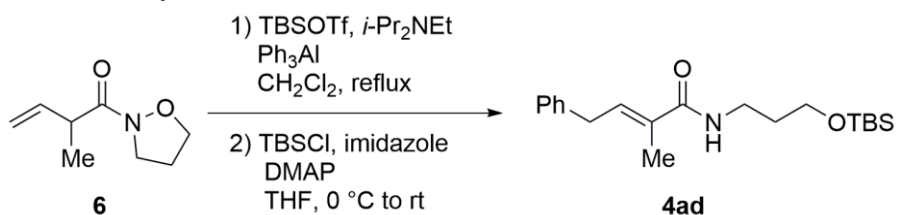
**(2E)-2-Methyl-4-phenyl-N-[3-[[tris(1-methylethyl)silyl]oxy]propyl]-2-butenamide (4ae)**

 A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 9/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3323, 1660, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.32-7.15 (m, 5H), 6.43 (br s, 1H), 6.36 (br t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.82 (t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 18/10H), 3.70 (t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2/10H), 3.48-3.43 (m, 4H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.77 (br quint,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.08-1.02 (m, 21H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.5, 139.4, 133.3, 132.5, 128.6, 128.4, 126.3, 63.0, 38.7, 34.5, 31.5, 17.9, 13.0, 11.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 412.2642, found 412.2640.

**Sequential nucleophilic phenylation/silylation of vinylketene *N,O*-acetal generated from  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **3a** (Table 1, entry 10)**

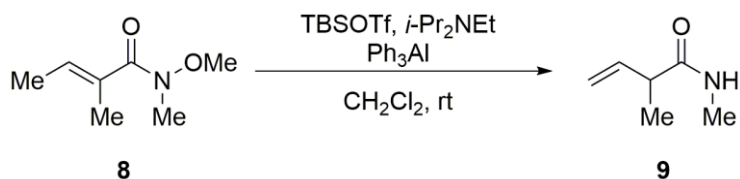
To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **3a** (54.3 mg, 0.35 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (1.25 mL) were added TBSOTf (0.17 mL, 0.74 mmol), *i*- $\text{Pr}_2\text{NEt}$  (0.24 mL, 1.40 mmol), and  $\text{Ph}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*-dibutyl ether, 1.05 mL, 1.05 mmol) dropwise at room temperature under argon atmosphere. After being stirred at 40  $^\circ\text{C}$  for 5.5 h, this reaction mixture was quenched with an aqueous Rochelle's salt (1.3 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. To a solution of crude product in THF (2.5 mL) were added imidazole (88.5 mg, 1.3 mmol), DMAP (13.4 mg, 0.11 mmol), and TBSCl (180 mg, 1.2 mmol) at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . After being stirred at room temperature for 16 h, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ . The mixture was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (Biotage Isorera One using Biotage SNAP KP-Sil 50g silica gel cartridges) (*n*-hexane : AcOEt = 4 : 1) to give  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amide **4ad** (80.5 mg, 66%, *E/Z* = 10/1).

**Sequential nucleophilic phenylation/silylation of vinylketene *N,O*-acetal generated from  $\beta,\gamma$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **6****



To a solution of  $\beta,\gamma$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **6** (54.3 mg, 0.35 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (1.25 mL) were added TBSOTf (0.17 mL, 0.74 mmol), *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt (0.24 mL, 1.4 mmol), and  $\text{Ph}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*-dibutyl ether, 1.05 mL, 1.05 mmol) dropwise at room temperature under an argon atmosphere. After being stirred at 40 °C for 4 h, this reaction mixture was quenched with an aqueous Rochelle's salt (1.3 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. To a solution of crude product in THF (2.5 mL) were added imidazole (88.5 mg, 1.3 mmol), DMAP (13.4 mg, 0.11 mmol), and TBSCl (180 mg, 1.2 mmol) at 0 °C. After being stirred at room temperature for 16 h, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ . The mixture was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (Biotage Isorera One using Biotage SNAP KP-Sil 50g silica gel cartridges) (*n*-hexane : AcOEt = 4 : 1) to give  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amide **4ad** (72.0 mg, 59%, *E/Z* = 5/1).

#### Reaction of $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxy amide **8** with TBSOTf, *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt, and $\text{Ph}_3\text{Al}$



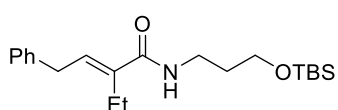
To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide **8** (28.6 mg, 0.20 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (0.71 mL) were added TBSOTf (0.10 mL, 0.42 mmol), *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt (0.13 mL, 0.80 mmol), and  $\text{Ph}_3\text{Al}$  (1.0 M in *n*-dibutyl ether, 0.60 mL, 0.60 mmol) dropwise at room temperature under an argon atmosphere. After being stirred at the same temperature for 7.5 h, this reaction mixture was quenched with an aqueous Rochelle's salt (1.3 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by preparative TLC ( $\text{CHCl}_3$  : MeOH = 10 : 1) to give *N*,2-dimethyl-3-butenamide (**9**) (4.8 mg, 21%) as a colorless oil; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3300, 1654, 1637  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 5.90 (ddd, *J* = 17.4, 10.2, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 5.64 (br s, 1H), 5.23-5.16 (m, 2H), 2.99 (quint, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 174.3, 138.4, 116.9, 45.4, 26.4, 16.8; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{ONNa}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 136.0733, found 136.0732.

#### General procedure for preparation of $\gamma$ -phenyl and $\gamma$ -alkyl $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amides (Table 2)

To a solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated *N*-alkoxyamide (0.35 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (1.25 mL) were added TBSOTf (0.17 mL, 0.74 mmol), *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt (0.24 mL, 1.40 mmol), and organoaluminium reagent (1.05 mmol) dropwise at room temperature under an argon atmosphere. After being stirred at 40 °C for several hours, this reaction mixture was quenched with an aqueous Rochelle's salt (1.3 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic phase was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. To a solution of crude product in THF (2.5 mL) were added

imidazole (88.5 mg, 1.3 mmol), DMAP (13.4 mg, 0.11 mmol), and TBSCl (180 mg, 1.2 mmol) at 0 °C. After being stirred at room temperature for 16-24 h, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO<sub>3</sub>. The mixture was extracted with CHCl<sub>3</sub>. The organic phase was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (Biotage Isorera One using Biotage SNAP KP-Sil 50g silica gel cartridges) (*n*-hexane : EtOAc = 4:1) to give  $\gamma$ -phenyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amide **4bd-4sd** and  $\gamma$ -alkyl  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated amide **10gd-12gd**.

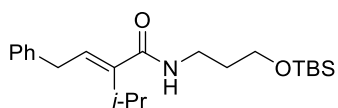
**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-ethyl-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4bd)**



54% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.

*E/Z* = 3/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3317, 1658, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.58-7.16 (m, 5H), 6.42-6.39 (m, 1H), 6.23-6.17 (m, 1H), 3.75-3.72 (m, 2H), 3.52 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2/4H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 6/4H), 3.44-3.41 (m, 2H), 2.50-2.43 (m, 2H), 2.32 (br q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2/4H), 1.78-1.72 (m, 2H), 1.09 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3/4H), 1.06 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 9/4H), 0.90 (s, 9/4H), 0.87 (s, 27/4H), 0.07 (s, 6/4H), 0.02 (s, 18/4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 169.4, 139.5, 139.4, 131.4, 131.2 (*Z*), 128.9 (*Z*), 128.7 (*Z*), 128.6, 128.4, 126.3, 62.7, 38.5, 38.4 (*Z*), 34.1, 31.5, 25.9, 20.6, 20.5 (*Z*), 18.3, 13.6, -5.4 (*Z*), -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>35</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 384.2329, found 384.2334.

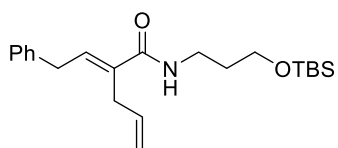
**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-(1-methylethyl)-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4cd)**



14% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.

*E/Z* = 1/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3301, 1655, 1627 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.64-7.16 (m, 5H), 6.42-6.18 (m, 1H), 5.83 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1/2H), 5.52 (td, *J* = 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1/2H), 3.72 (q, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 3.52-3.34 (m, 4H), 2.94 (sept, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1/2H), 2.60 (br sept, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1/2H), 1.80-1.67 (m, 2H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6/2H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6/2H), 0.89 (s, 9/2H), 0.86 (s, 9/2H), 0.05 (s, 6/2H), 0.01 (s, 6/2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 170.7, 170.2, 145.3, 144.8, 140.3, 139.7, 128.9, 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 126.2, 126.1, 124.8, 62.54, 62.46, 38.03, 38.00, 35.4, 33.6, 32.1, 31.7, 31.6, 28.1, 25.90, 25.87, 25.86, 21.4, 21.3, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>37</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 398.2486, found 398.2483.

**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-(2-propen-1-yl)-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4dd)**

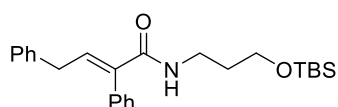


55% yield. A colorless oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.

Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of (*E*)-allylic protons with (*Z*)-allylic protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3315, 1656, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.59-7.16 (m, 5H), 6.42 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (br s, 1H), 5.94-5.80 (m, 1H), 5.16-5.06 (m, 2H), 3.71 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.54-

3.47 (m, 2H), 3.41 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 3.20 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.72 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.86 (s, 9H), 0.02 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.9, 139.4, 139.1, 135.2, 134.5, 134.3, 129.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 126.4, 115.9, 62.3, 38.3, 34.3, 34.0, 31.6, 31.4, 25.9, 25.6, 18.3, -5.4; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 396.2329, found 396.2324.

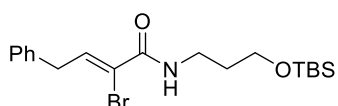
**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2,4-diphenyl-2-butenamide (4ed)**



44% yield. A yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.

Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of olefinic protons with Ph protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3313, 1662, 1626  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.57-7.03 (m, 11H), 5.57 (br s, 1H), 3.58 (t,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 2H), 3.41-3.34 (m, 2H), 3.32 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2H), 1.72-1.64 (m, 2H), 0.84 (s, 9H), -0.02 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 166.6, 139.1, 138.4, 136.5, 135.6, 135.5, 129.79, 129.76, 129.0, 128.9, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 126.2, 60.8, 37.1, 35.3, 32.0, 25.9, 25.5, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 432.2329, found 432.2333.

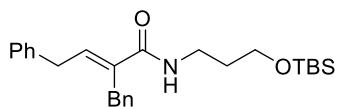
**(2E/Z)-2-Bromo-N-[3-[[1,1-dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4fd)**



35% yield. A yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio

of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of (*Z*)-allylic protons with (*E*)-allylic protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3333, 1656, 1625  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.56-7.18 (m, 6H), 7.06 (br s, 1H), 3.74 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 3.64 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.46 (q,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.78 (quint,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 0.91 (s, 9H), 0.08 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 161.3, 139.5, 139.3, 137.2, 136.5, 128.9, 128.8, 128.5, 128.4, 126.5, 118.6, 62.1, 39.1, 38.9, 38.2, 31.6, 29.9, 26.2, 18.7, -5.0; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_2\text{N}^{79}\text{BrNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 434.1121, found 434.1121.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-(phenylmethyl)-2-butenamide (4gd)**

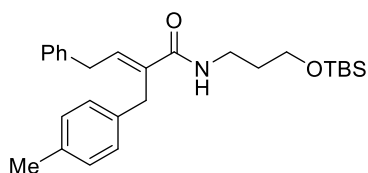


72% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.

*E/Z* = 12:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3313, 1658, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.63-7.19 (m, 10H), 6.51 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.26 (br s, 1H), 3.90 (s, 2/13H), 3.88 (s, 24/13H), 3.65 (t,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 3.61 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 2H), 3.40 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 1.68 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.04 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.0, 139.04, 139.00, 136.1, 134.0, 133.8 (*Z*), 128.62, 128.58, 128.53, 128.51 (*Z*), 128.3, 126.4, 126.3, 126.2 (*Z*), 62.14, 62.09, 38.20, 38.15, 34.6, 33.0, 31.5, 25.91, 25.88, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{37}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 446.2486, found 446.2482.

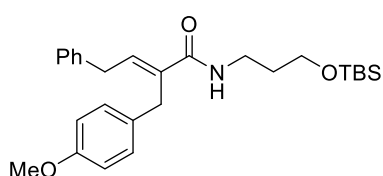


**(2*E/Z*)-*N*-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(4-methylphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4hd)**



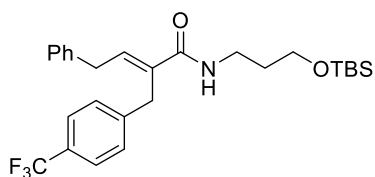
71% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of allylic protons with  $CH_2OTBS$  protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{max}$  3319, 1658, 1622  $cm^{-1}$ ;  $^1H$  NMR (300 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.58-7.07 (m, 9H), 6.47 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.15 (br s, 1H), 3.78 (br s, 2H), 3.62-3.56 (m, 4H), 3.35 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 1.64 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.86 (s, 9H), 0.00 (s, 6H);  $^{13}C$  NMR (75 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.6, 138.8, 135.9, 135.8, 135.5, 135.4, 133.7, 133.5, 129.0, 128.7, 128.4, 128.3, 128.2, 127.8, 127.1, 126.7, 126.1, 61.9, 38.1, 34.6, 34.3, 32.6, 31.6, 26.0, 21.1, 18.4, -5.2; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{27}H_{39}O_2NNaSi$  [ $M+Na^+$ ] 460.2642, found 460.2637.

**(2*E/Z*)-*N*-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4id)**



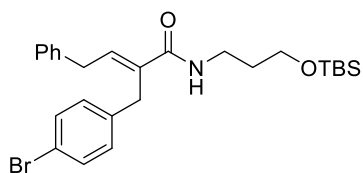
55% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of allylic protons with  $CH_2OTBS$  protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{max}$  3322, 1655, 1616  $cm^{-1}$ ;  $^1H$  NMR (300 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.58-7.12 (m, 7H), 6.82 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 6.45 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.19 (br s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 2H), 3.62-3.55 (m, 4H), 3.33 (q,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.63 (quint,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 0.84 (s, 9H), -0.02 (s, 6H);  $^{13}C$  NMR (75 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.0, 158.1, 139.1, 136.4, 136.3, 133.8, 133.6, 130.9, 129.2, 128.9, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 126.4, 114.0, 62.0, 55.2, 38.1, 34.5, 34.2, 32.0, 31.5, 25.9, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{27}H_{39}O_3NNaSi$  [ $M+Na^+$ ] 476.2591, found 476.2582.

**(2*E/Z*)-*N*-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-[[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenamide (4jd)**



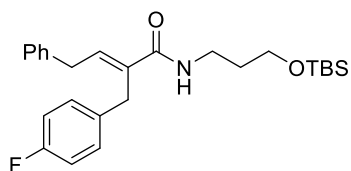
52% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers.  $E/Z = 7/1$ ; IR (neat)  $\nu_{max}$  3316, 1658, 1618  $cm^{-1}$ ;  $^1H$  NMR (600 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.57-7.18 (m, 7H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 6.42-6.36 (m, 2H), 3.90 (s, 2/8H), 3.88 (s, 14/8H), 3.65 (t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 3.59 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2/8H), 3.54 (q,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 14/8H), 3.37 (q,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.67 (quint,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 0.83 (s, 9H), -0.02 (s, 6H);  $^{13}C$  NMR (150 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.8, 143.5, 138.7, 136.2, 136.1, 133.7, 133.6, 128.8 (q,  $J = 30.8$  Hz), 128.73, 128.67, 128.4, 125.4 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 124.2 (q,  $J = 270.0$  Hz), 126.6, 62.6, 38.74 (*Z*), 38.68, 34.7, 34.3 (*Z*), 32.9, 31.3, 25.9, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{27}H_{36}O_2NF_3NaSi$  [ $M+Na^+$ ] 514.2360, found 514.2357.

**(2E/Z)-2-[(4-Bromophenyl)methyl]-N-[3-[[1,1-dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4kd)**



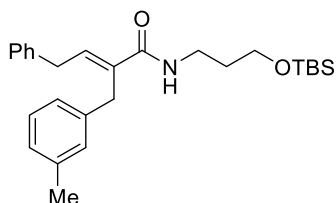
65% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of (*E*)-allylic protons with (*Z*)-allylic protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3316, 1656, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.58-7.09 (m, 9H), 6.39-6.32 (m, 2H), 3.78 (br s, 2H), 3.65 (t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 3.54 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.37 (q,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.67 (quint,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 0.85 (s, 9), 0.01 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.4, 138.5, 137.9, 136.0, 135.9, 133.4, 131.3, 129.9, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 126.3, 119.8, 62.4, 38.6, 34.7, 32.5, 31.5, 26.0, 18.4, -5.2; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_2\text{N}^{79}\text{BrNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 524.1591, found 524.1595.

**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4ld)**



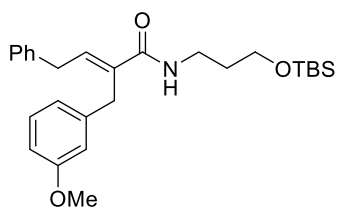
57% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of olefinic protons with *NH* proton; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3317, 1654, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.69-7.01 (m, 9H), 6.47 (t,  $J = 7.2$ , 1H), 6.39 (br s, 1H), 3.87 (s, 2H), 3.71 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 3.63 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.44 (q,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.73 (quint,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 0.92 (s, 9H), 0.07 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta_c$  168.93, 168.89, 161.5 (d,  $J = 242.6$  Hz), 138.9, 136.5, 134.8 (d,  $J = 3.3$  Hz), 133.6, 129.8 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz), 128.7, 128.5, 126.5, 115.3 (d,  $J = 21.3$  Hz), 62.4, 38.4, 34.6, 32.2, 31.4, 25.9, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_2\text{NFNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 464.2392, found 464.2383.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(3-methylphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4md)**



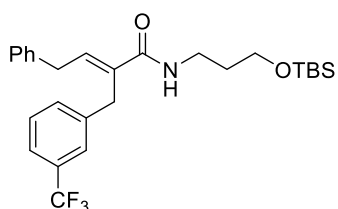
50% yield. A colorless oil; *E/Z* = >20/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3317, 1656, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.32-7.00 (m, 9H), 6.49 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.19 (br s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 2H), 3.61-3.55 (m, 4H), 3.34 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.63 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.84 (s, 9H), -0.02 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.0, 139.1, 138.8, 138.2, 135.9, 134.2, 129.0, 128.62, 128.55, 128.49, 127.1, 126.4, 125.2, 62.0, 38.1, 34.6, 32.9, 31.5, 25.9, 21.4, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 460.2642, found 460.2637.

**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(3-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4nd)**



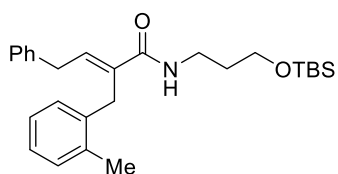
42% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of (*E*)-allylic protons with (*Z*)-allylic protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3321, 1657, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.63-7.19 (m, 6H), 6.87-6.79 (m, 3H), 6.53 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.26 (br s, 1H), 3.84 (br s, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.67-3.60 (m, 4H), 3.39 (q,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.69 (quint,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.03 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.0, 159.8, 140.5, 139.0, 135.8, 134.3, 129.6, 128.6, 128.5, 126.4, 120.6, 113.8, 111.9, 62.0, 55.1, 38.1, 36.4, 33.0, 31.5, 25.9, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_3\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 476.2591, found 476.2586.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-[[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenamide (4od)**



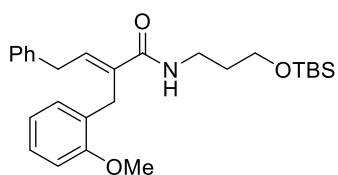
49% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 10/1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3319, 1658, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.57-7.17 (m, 8H), 7.13 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.41-6.36 (m, 2H), 3.91 (s, 2/11H), 3.88 (s, 20/11H), 3.65 (t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 3.55 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.37 (q,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.66 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.83 (s, 9H), -0.03 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , TMS)  $\delta$ : 168.8, 140.2, 138.7, 136.2, 136.1, 133.8, 133.6, 131.9, 130.8 (q,  $J = 31.9$  Hz), 128.9, 128.7, 128.5, 126.6, 124.9 (q,  $J = 3.6$  Hz), 124.1 (q,  $J = 270.7$  Hz), 123.1 (q,  $J = 3.8$  Hz), 62.6, 38.6, 34.7, 32.8, 31.3, 25.8, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_2\text{NF}_3\text{NaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 514.2360, found 514.2357.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(2-methylphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4pd)**



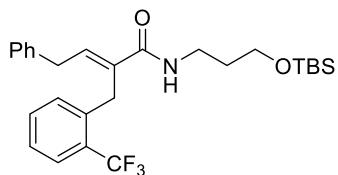
51% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 17:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3315, 1655, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.56-7.11 (m, 9H), 6.53 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.22 (br s, 1H), 3.78-3.76 (br s, 2H), 3.60 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 3.49 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 3.39 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 2.38-2.37 (br s, 3H), 1.63 (quint,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H), 0.85 (s, 9H), -0.01 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.1, 139.0, 136.7, 136.3, 136.2 (*Z*), 135.5, 134.7, 130.3 (*Z*), 130.2, 128.72 (*Z*), 127.68 (*Z*), 128.61, 128.5, 127.5, 126.4, 126.3, 126.1, 62.1, 38.1, 34.6, 31.5, 30.2, 25.9, 25.6 (*Z*), 19.8, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 460.2642, found 460.2637.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4qd)**



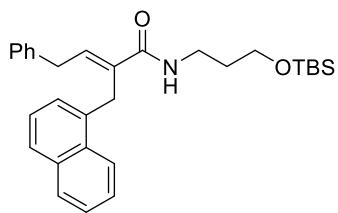
53% yield. A colorless oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 16:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3318, 1658, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.31-7.12 (m, 7H), 6.91-6.81 (m, 2H), 6.62 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 16/17H), 6.34-6.31 (m, 1H), 5.64 (br t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1/17H), 3.85 (br s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 2H), 3.61-3.56 (m, 4H), 3.31 (q,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2H), 1.64 (quint,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2H), 0.85 (s, 9H), -0.01 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.7, 156.8, 139.3, 135.2, 134.9, 129.4, 128.51, 128.49, 128.4 (*Z*), 127.5, 127.0, 126.2, 120.7, 120.6 (*Z*), 110.10, 110.05, 61.6, 55.2, 37.7, 34.5, 31.7, 31.5 (*Z*), 26.4, 25.8, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_3\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 476.2591, found 476.2588.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-4-phenyl-2-[[2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl]-2-butenamide (4rd)**



56% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 7:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3314, 1657, 1622  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 7.67-7.10 (m, 9H), 6.64 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.24 (br s, 1H), 4.03 (s, 2/8H), 4.00 (s, 14/8H), 3.61 (t,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 3.49 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2/8 Hz), 3.45 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 14/8H), 3.36 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 1.64 (quint,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 0.85 (s, 9H), -0.01 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 168.4, 138.7, 137.5, 136.4, 134.2, 132.0, 129.5, 128.9 (q,  $J = 30.6$  Hz), 128.7, 128.5, 126.50 (*Z*), 126.46, 126.36, 126.0 (q,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 124.7 (q,  $J = 271.9$  Hz), 62.14, 62.08 (*Z*), 38.31 (*Z*), 38.25, 34.7, 31.5, 29.1, 25.9, 18.3, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_2\text{NF}_3\text{NaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 514.2360, found 514.2358.

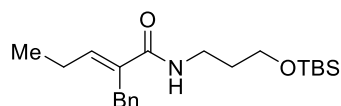
**(2E/Z)-N-[3-[[1,1-Dimethylethyl]dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-[(1-naphthalenyl)methyl]-4-phenyl-2-butenamide (4sd)**



53% yield. A pale yellow oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. Ratio of *E/Z* isomer could not be calculated due to overlap signals of allylic protons with  $\text{CH}_2\text{OTBS}$  protons; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3314, 1655, 1619  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 8.15-8.11 (m, 1H), 7.89-7.86 (m, 1H), 7.76-7.73 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.13 (m, 9H), 6.64 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.22 (br s, 1H), 4.26 (br s, 2H), 3.57-3.51 (m, 4H), 3.33 (q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H), 1.63-1.55 (m, 2H), 0.80 (s, 9H), -0.07 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 169.1, 138.9, 135.5, 135.3, 135.2, 134.3, 133.8, 132.0, 128.8, 128.7, 128.62, 128.55, 127.1, 126.4, 126.1, 125.7, 125.5, 125.1, 123.4, 61.9, 38.1, 34.7, 31.5, 29.8, 25.8, 18.2, -5.5; HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_2\text{NNaSi}$  [ $\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$ ] 496.2642, found 496.2632.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[[(1,1-Dimethylethyl)dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-(phenylmethyl)-2-pentenamide**

**(10gd)**

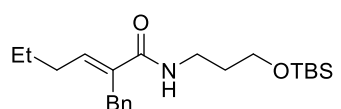


Me<sub>3</sub>Al (2.0 M in toluene, 0.53 mL, 1.05 mmol) was used. 44% yield.

A pale yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3317, 1658, 1621 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.31-7.20 (m, 5H), 6.37 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.20 (br s, 1H), 3.71 (s, 2H), 3.63 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (q, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 2.26 (quint, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.67 (quint, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 1.07 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.05 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 169.2, 139.2, 137.7, 134.6, 128.5, 128.2, 126.1, 62.1, 38.1, 32.8, 31.5, 25.9, 21.7, 18.3, 13.5, -5.4; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>35</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 384.2329, found 384.2326.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[[(1,1-Dimethylethyl)dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-2-(phenylmethyl)-2-hexenamide**

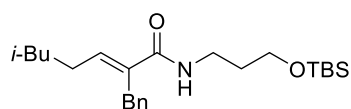
**(11gd)**



Et<sub>3</sub>Al (1.0 M in *n*-hexane, 1.05 mL, 1.05 mmol) was used. 31% yield.

A colorless oil; An inseparable mixture of *E/Z* isomers. *E/Z* = 13:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3314, 1656, 1619 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.31-7.18 (m, 5H), 6.40 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.17 (br s, 13/14H), 5.47 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1/14H), 3.72 (s, 2H), 3.62 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 3.36 (q, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.22 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.65 (quint, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 1.49 (sext, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 0.96 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.04 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 169.1, 139.2, 136.3, 135.2, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 126.3, 126.2, 62.0, 38.0, 32.8, 31.6, 30.5, 25.9, 22.2, 18.3, 14.0, -5.4; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>37</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 398.2486, found 398.2480.

**(2E)-N-[3-[[[(1,1-Dimethylethyl)dimethylsilyl]oxy]propyl]-6-methyl-(2-phenylmethyl)-2-heptenamide (12gd)**

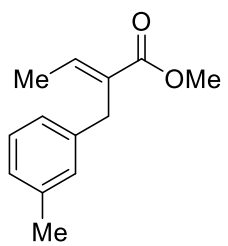


*i*-Bu<sub>3</sub>Al (1.0 M in *n*-hexane, 1.05 mL, 1.05 mmol) was used. 38%

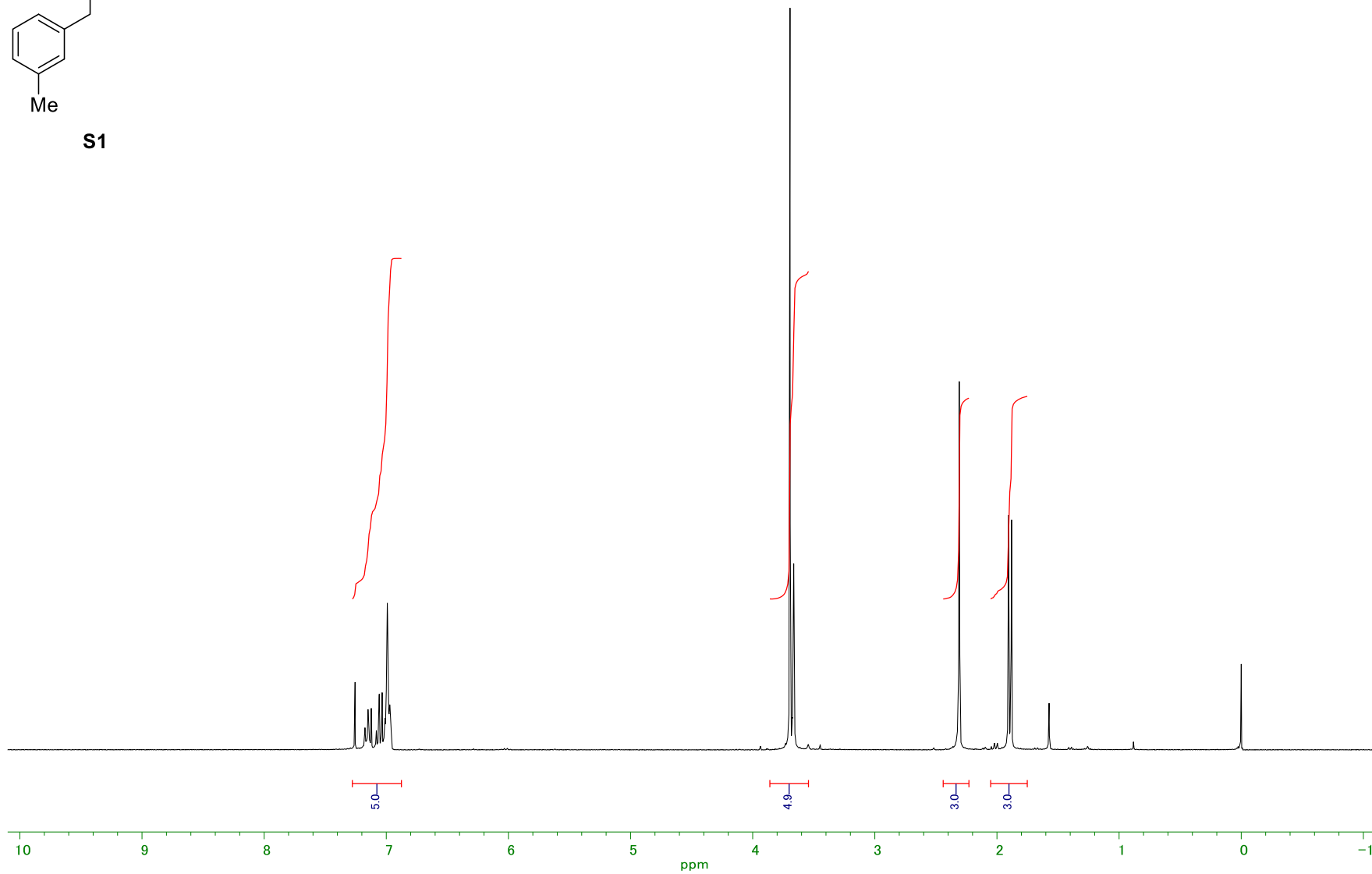
yield. A yellow oil; *E/Z* = >20:1; IR (neat)  $\nu_{\max}$  3315, 1658, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 7.29-7.16 (m, 5H), 6.36 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (br s, 1H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 3.60 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.33 (q, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.21 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.67-1.53 (m, 3H), 1.34-1.25 (m, 2H), 0.89-0.86 (m, 15H), 0.02 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ : 169.2, 139.2, 136.6, 134.9, 128.5, 128.1, 126.1, 62.0, 38.0, 32.8, 31.5, 27.7, 26.3, 25.9, 25.5, 22.4, 18.3, -5.4; HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>41</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNaSi [M+Na<sup>+</sup>] 426.2799, found 426.2796.

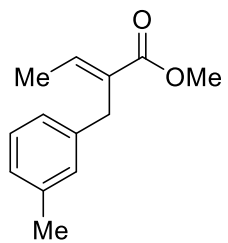
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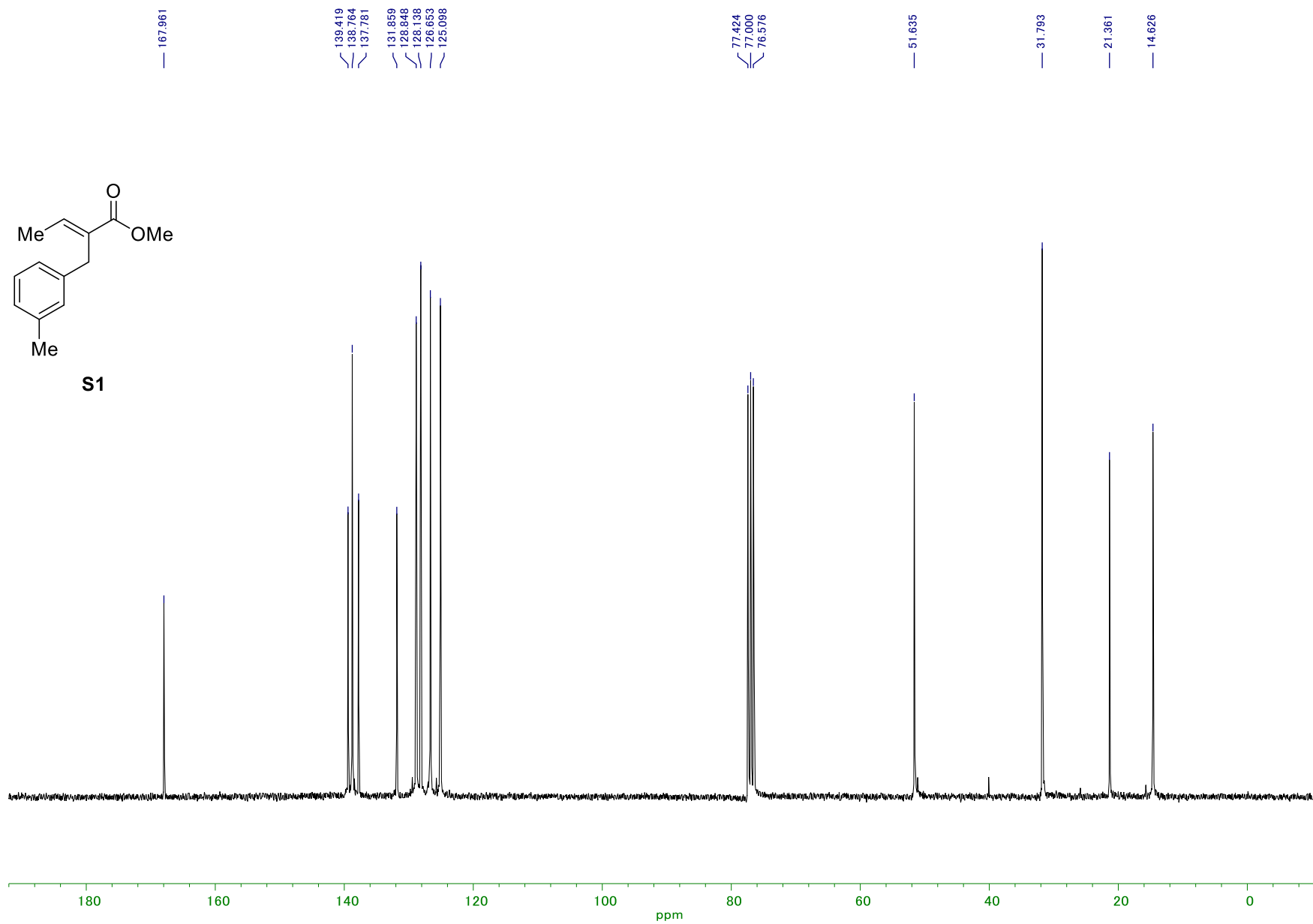


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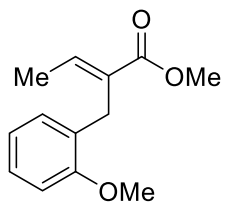




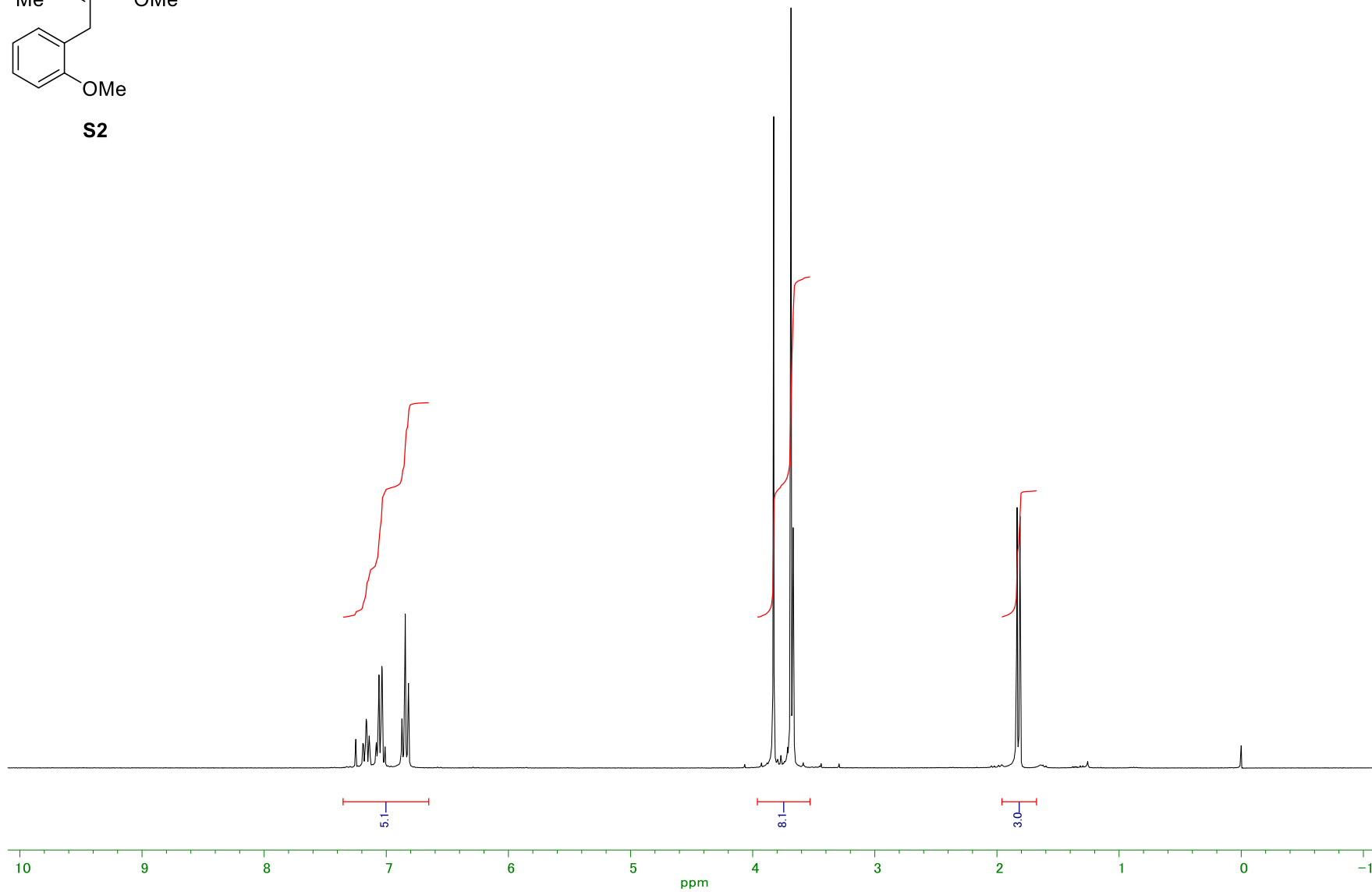
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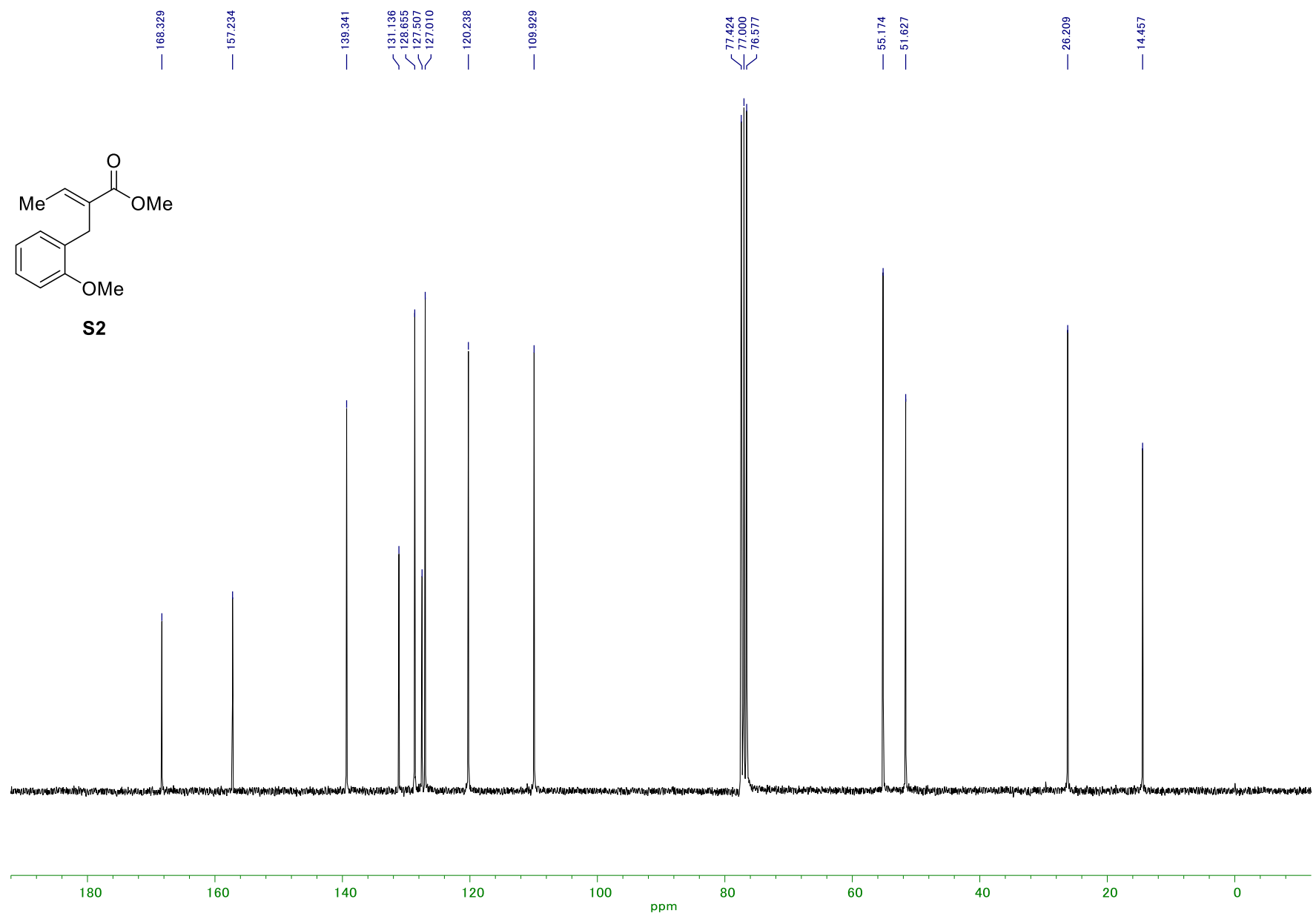
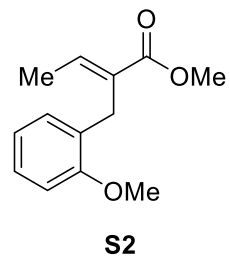


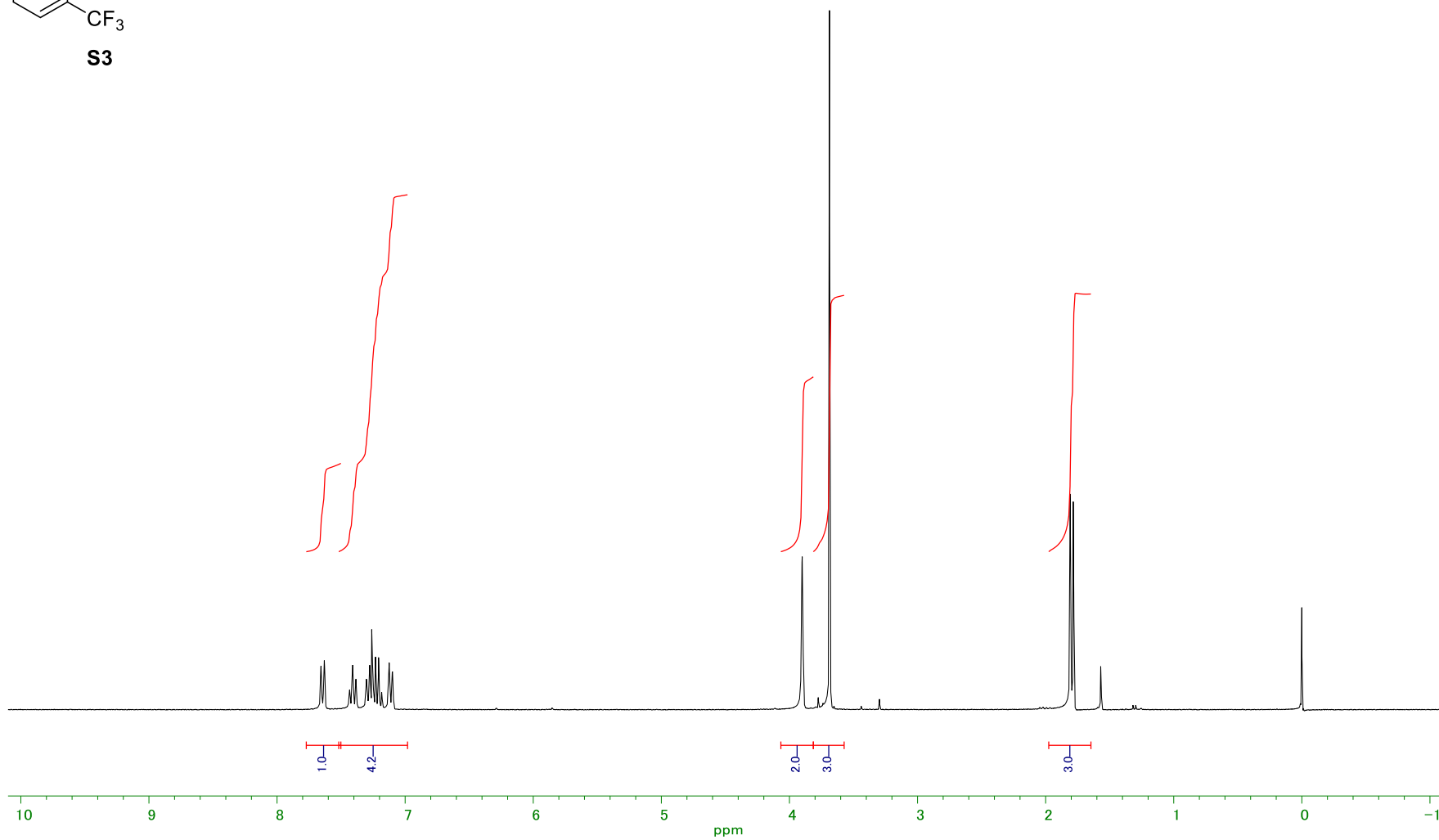
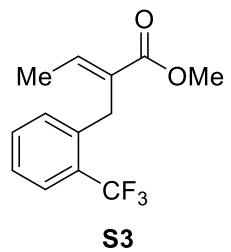


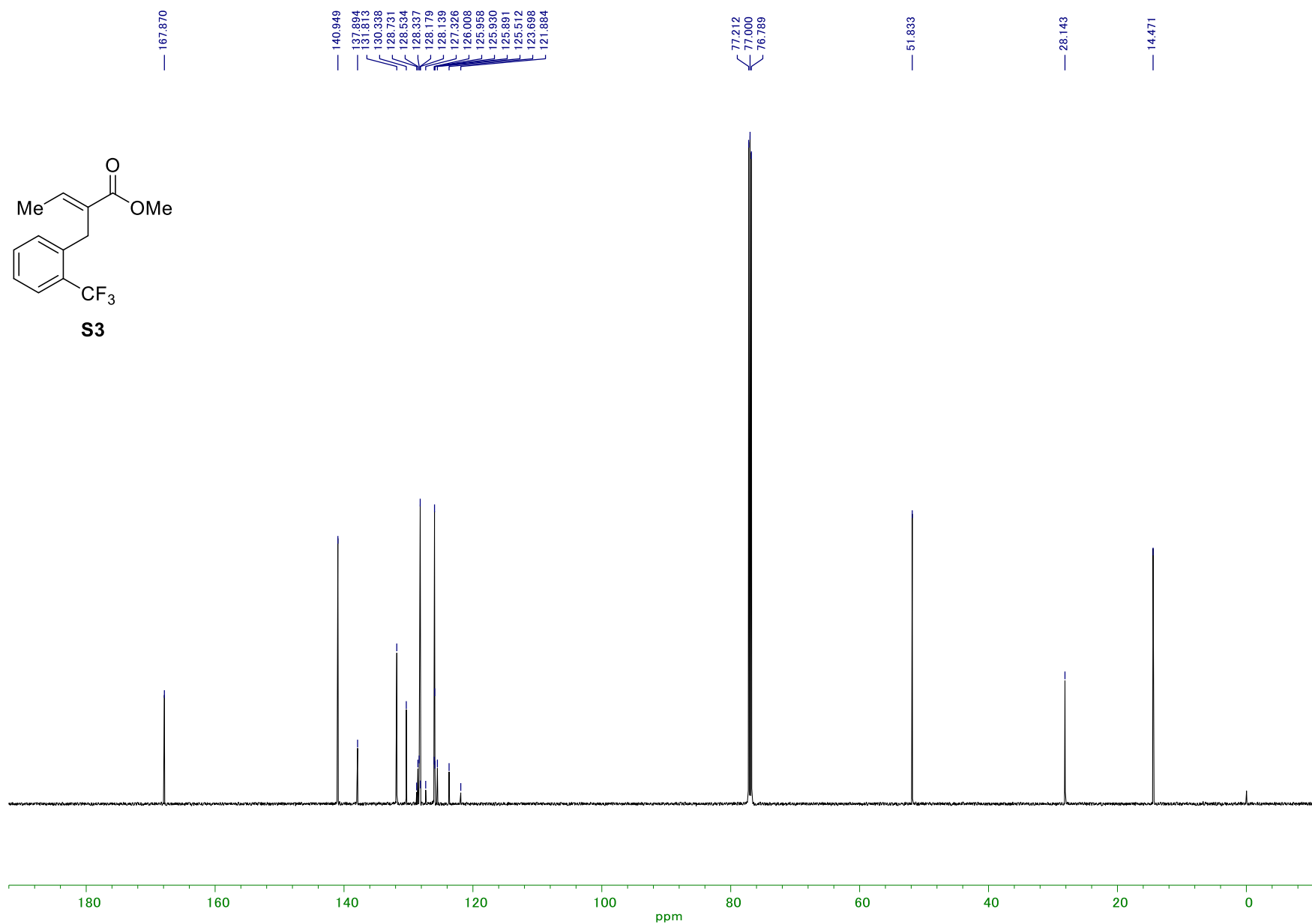
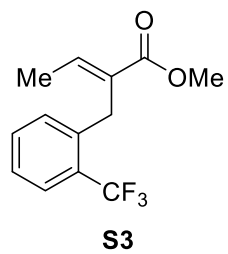


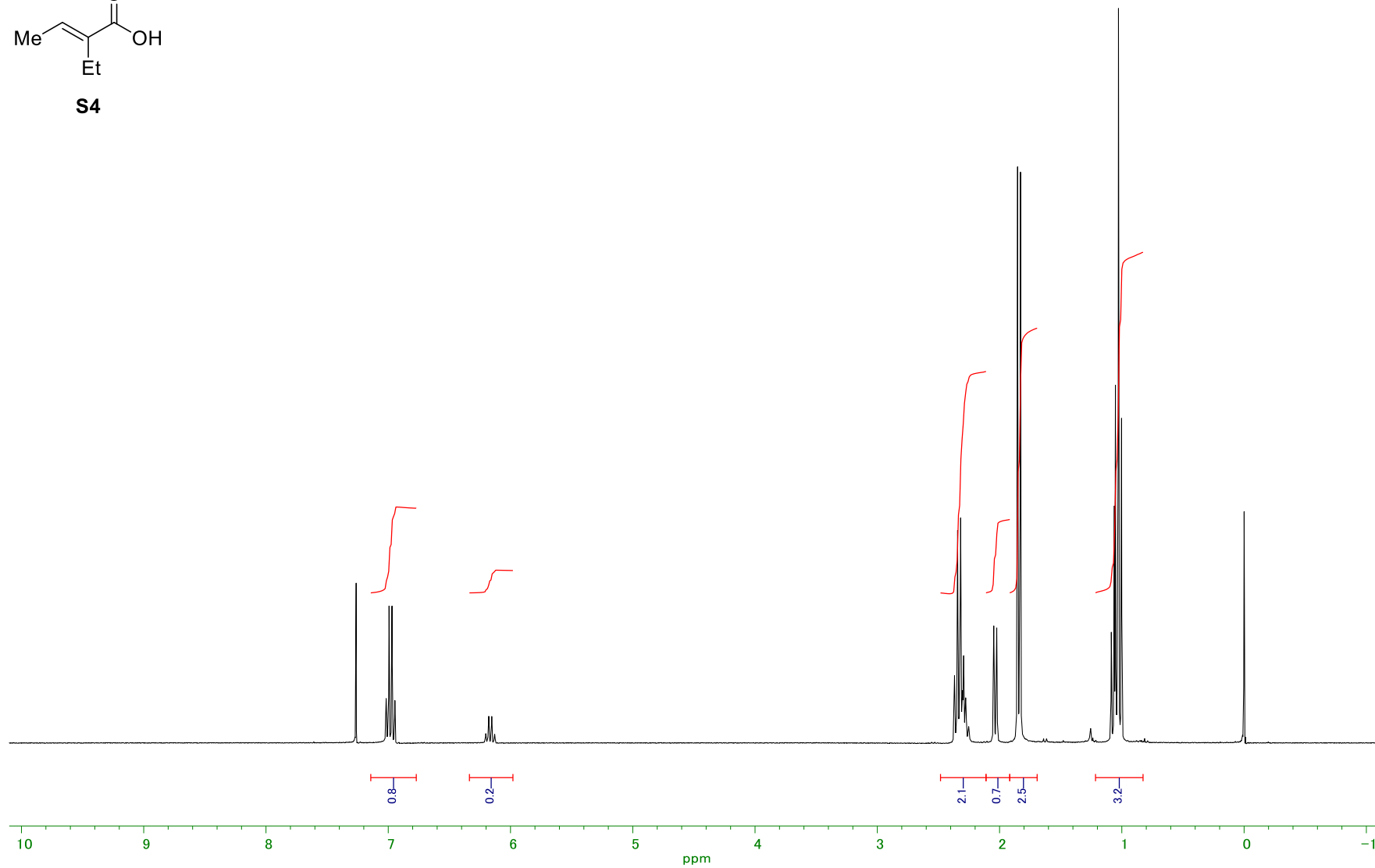
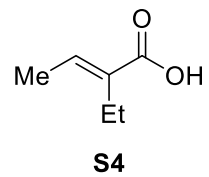
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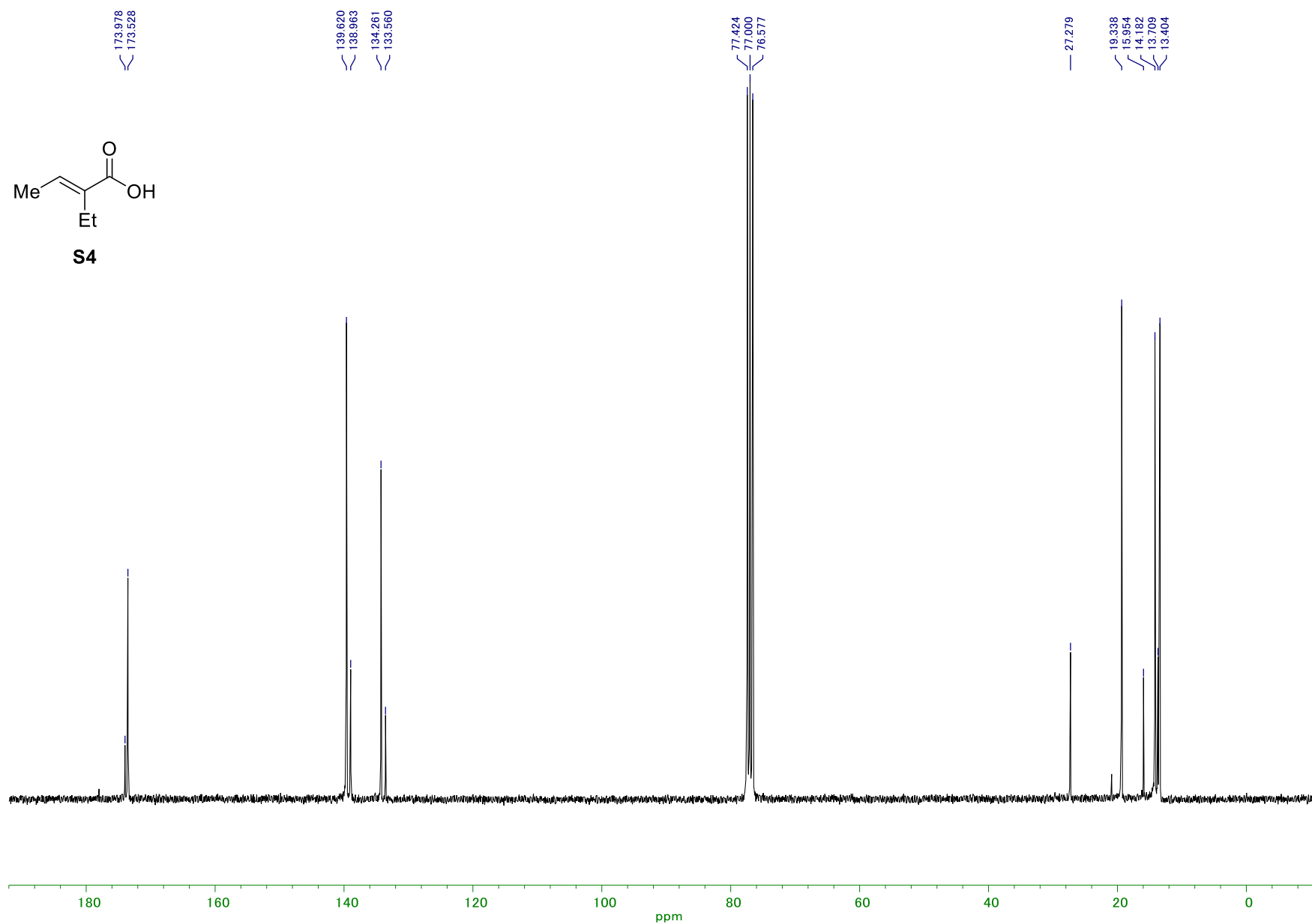
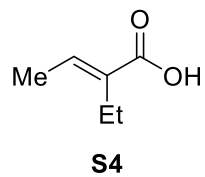


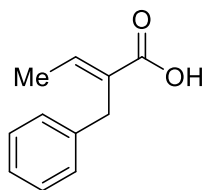




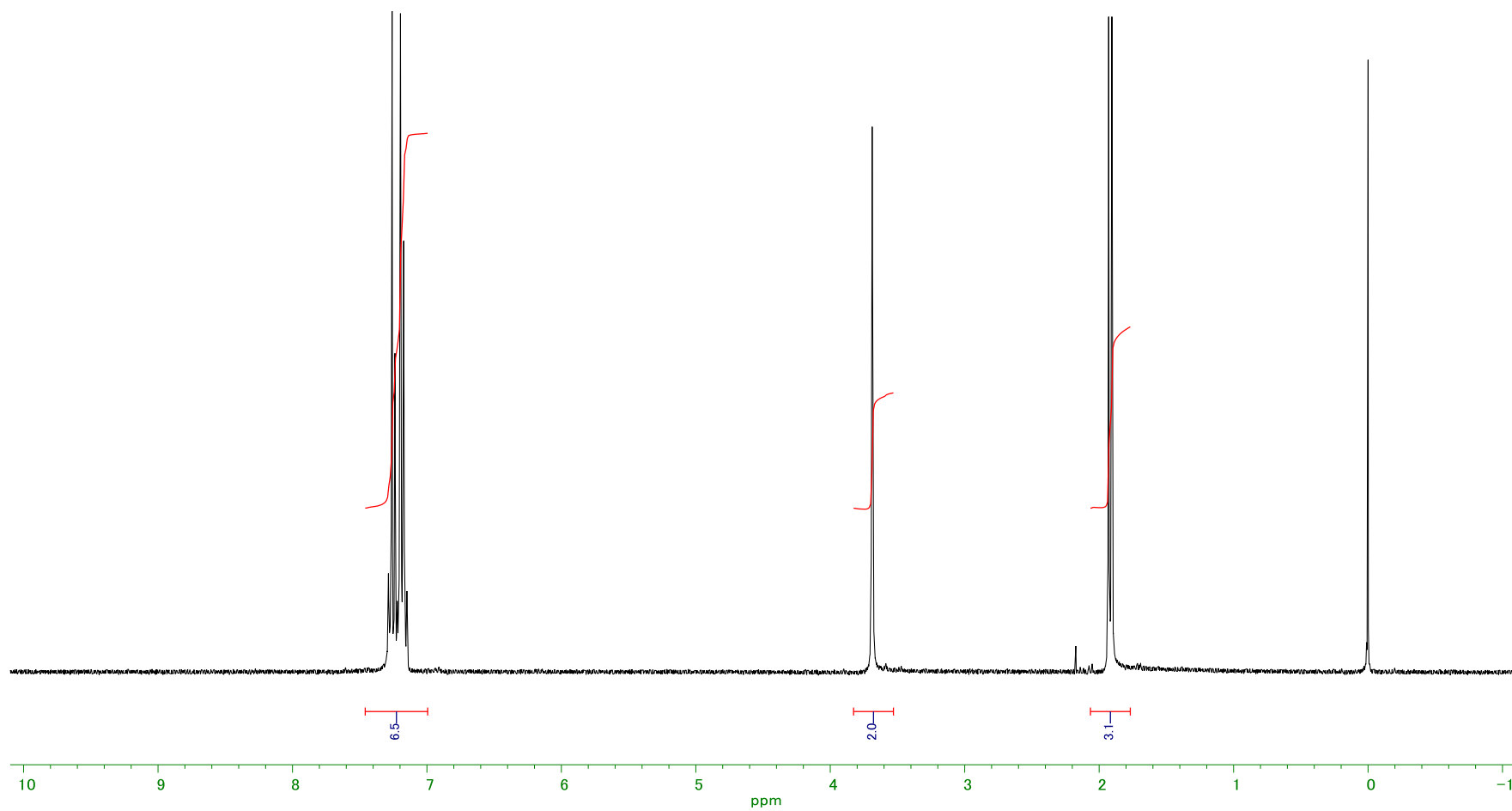


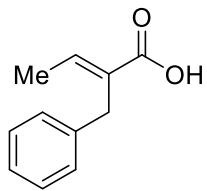




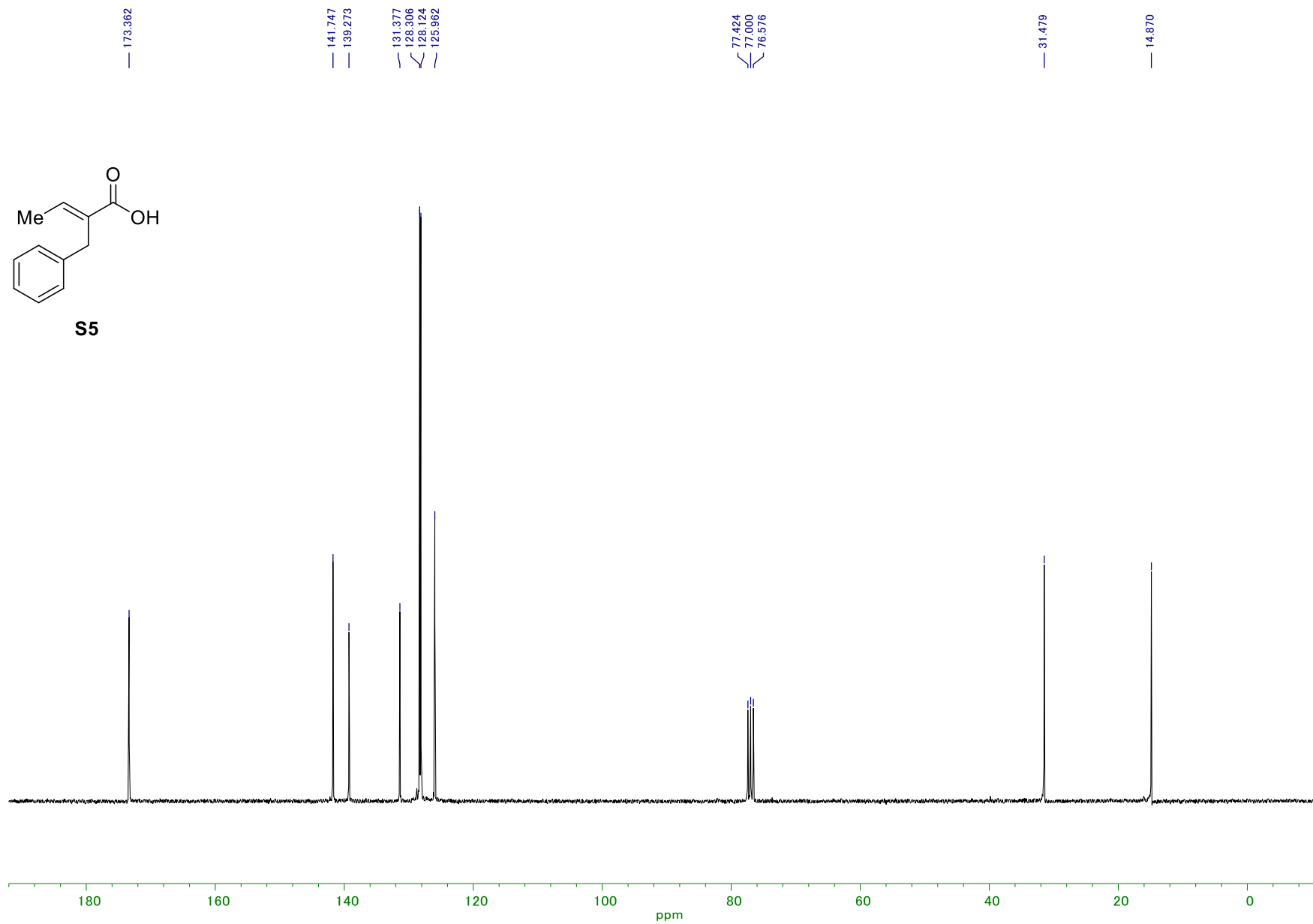


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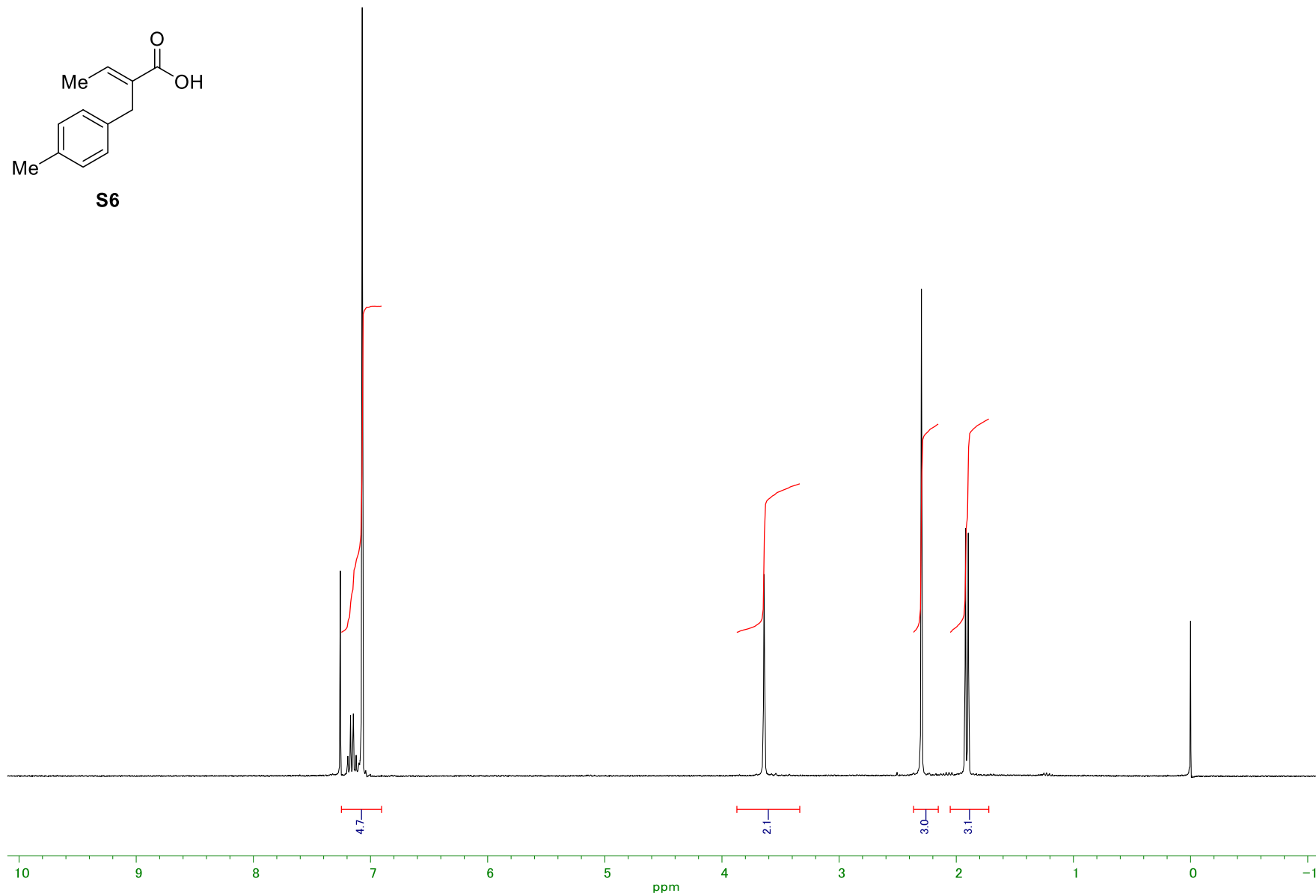
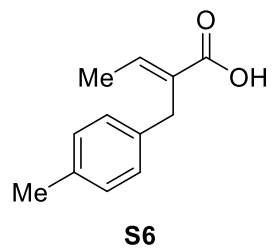


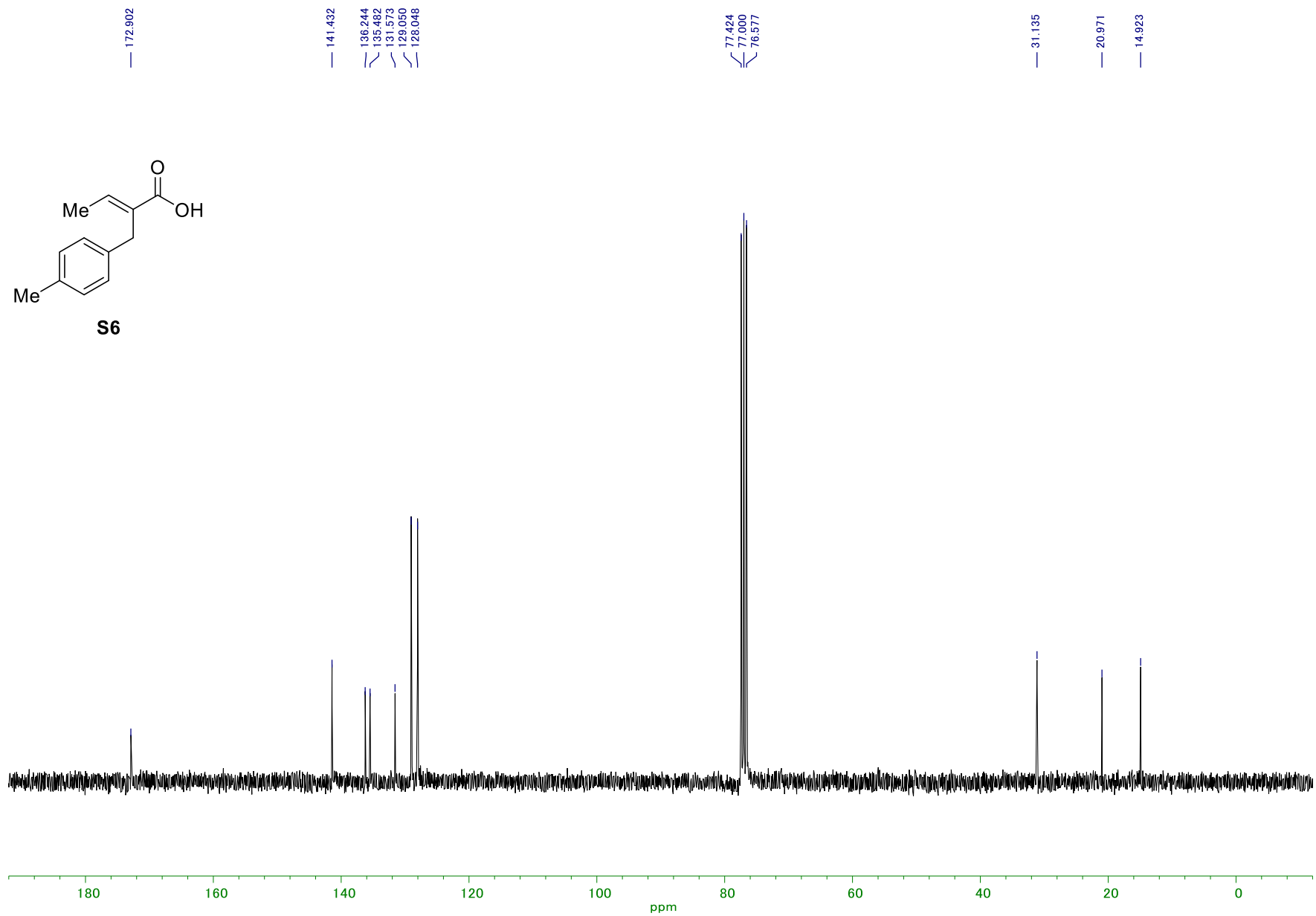
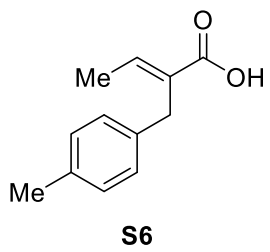


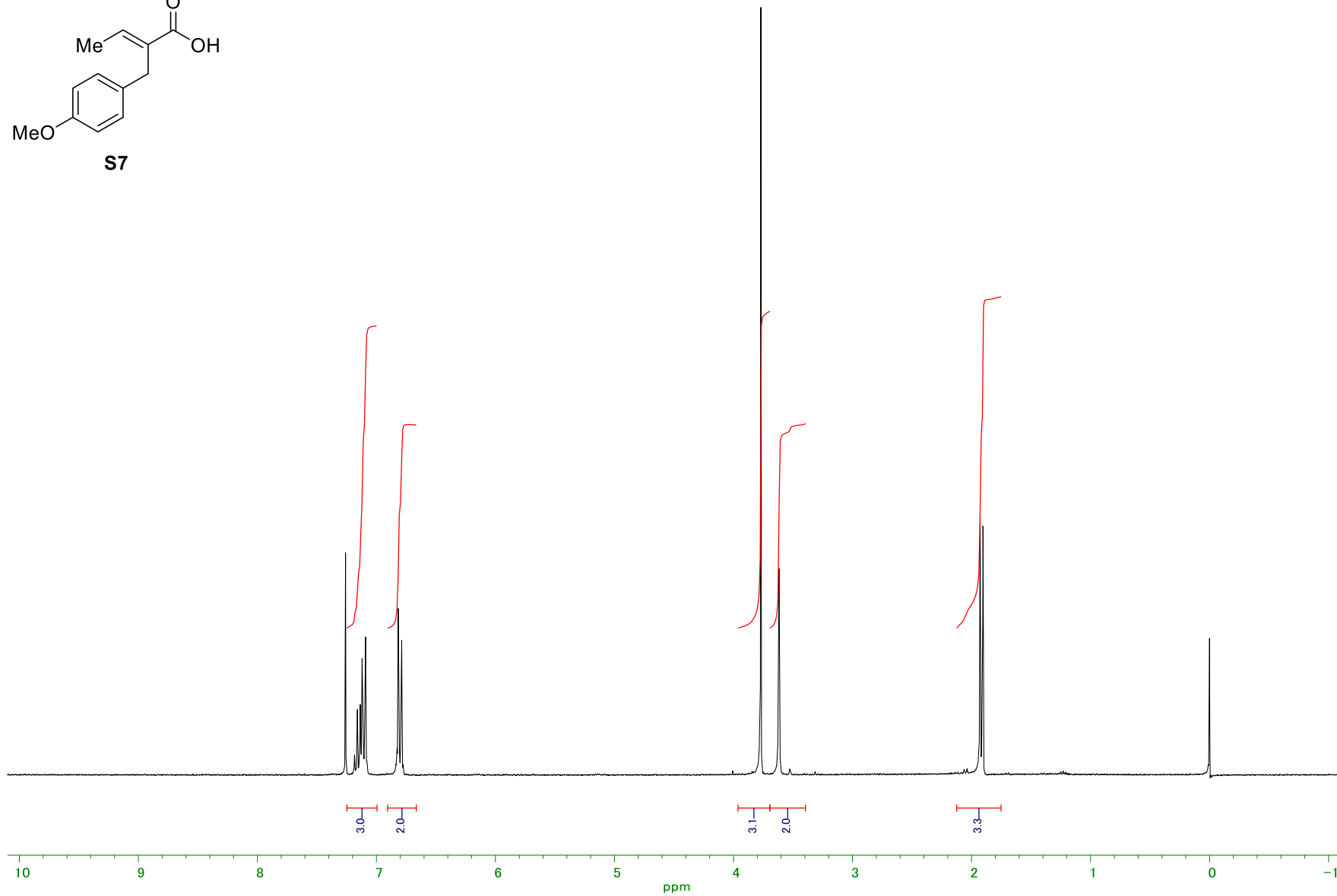
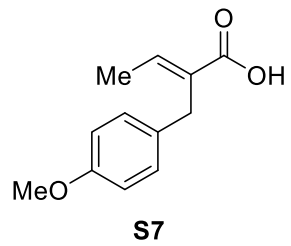
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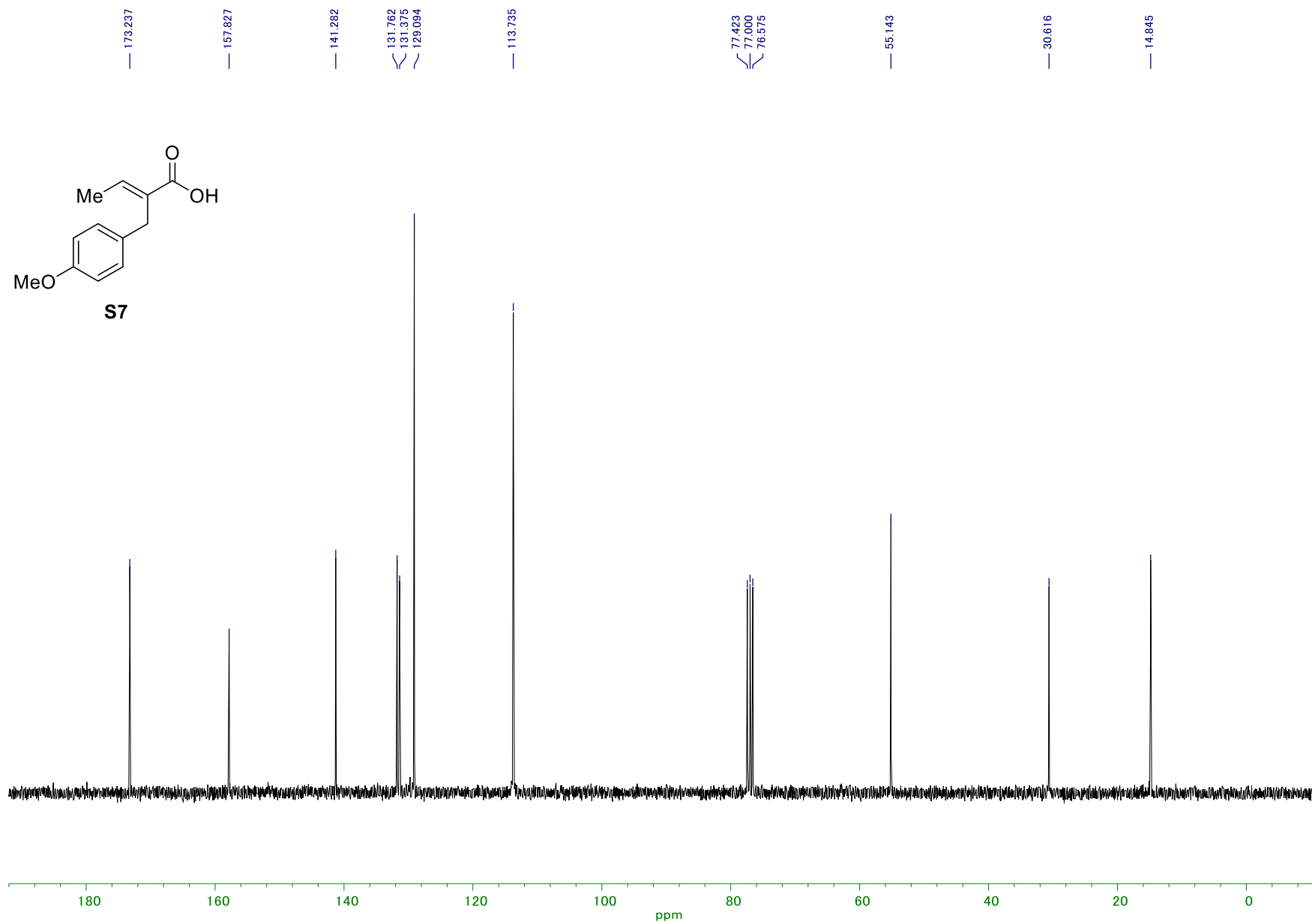
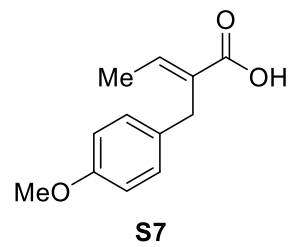


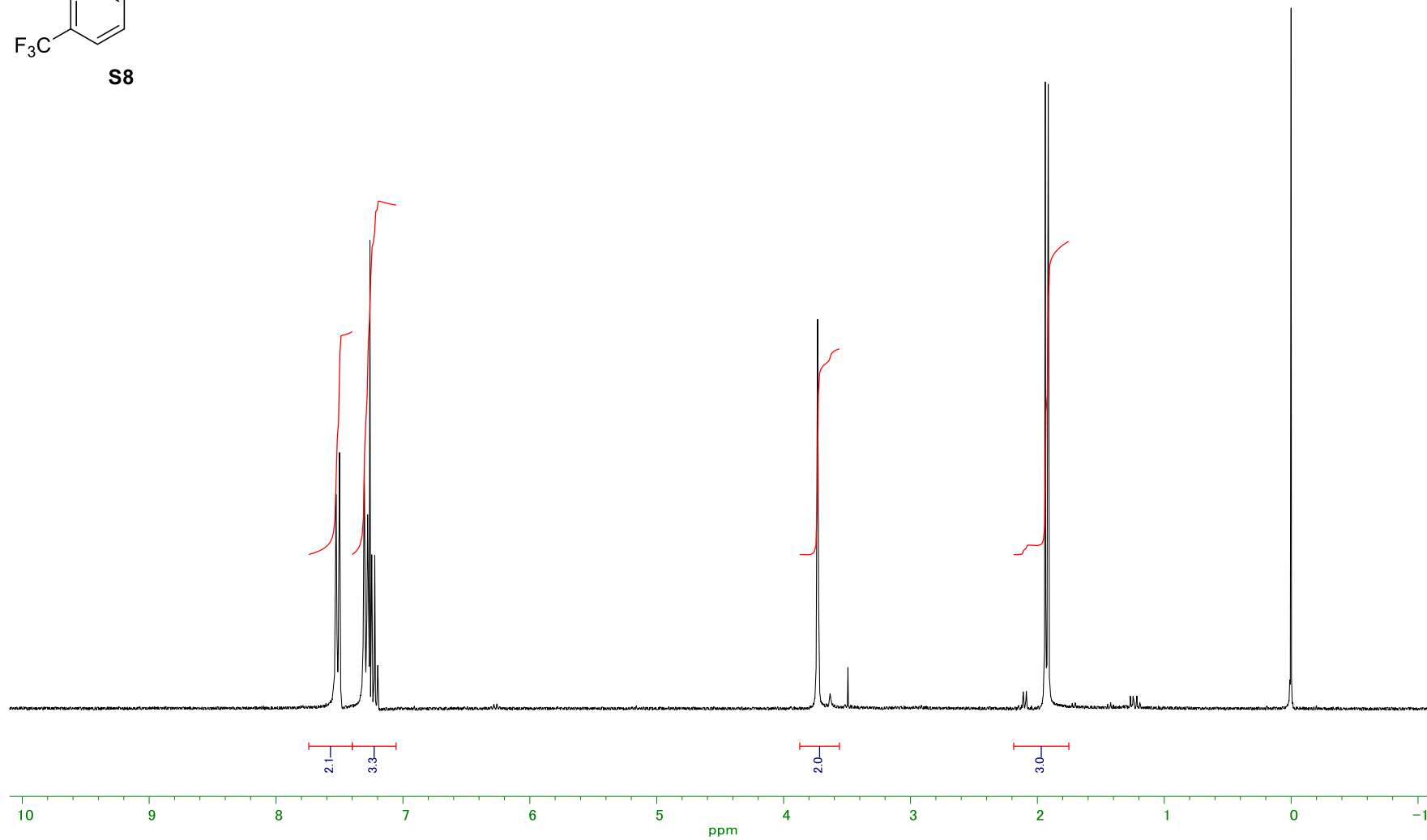
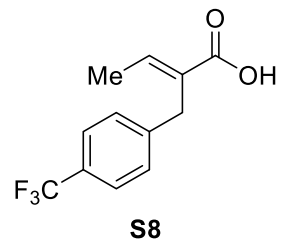


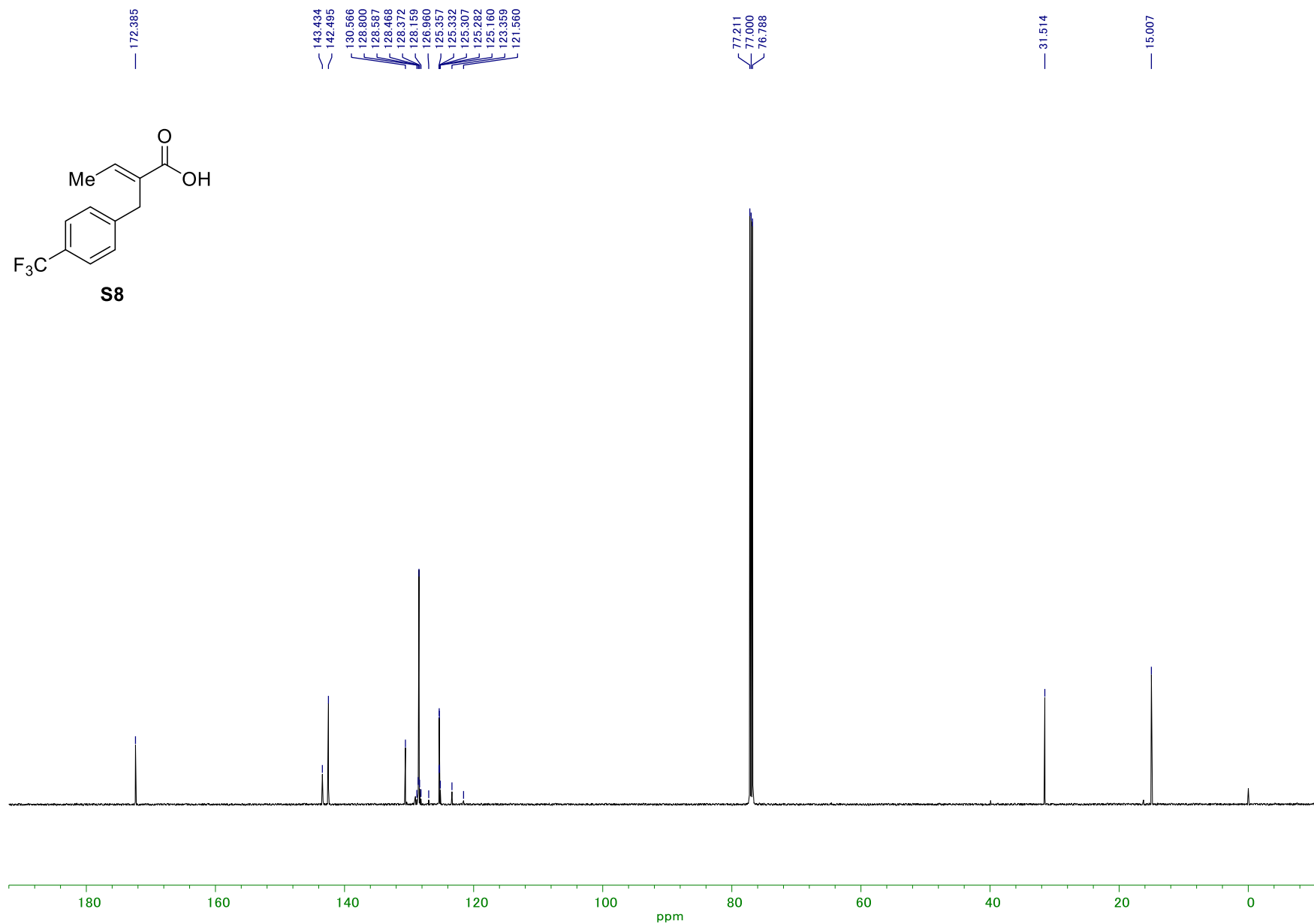
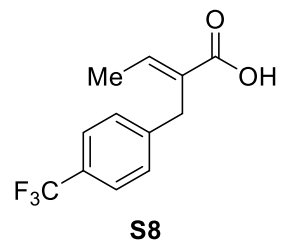


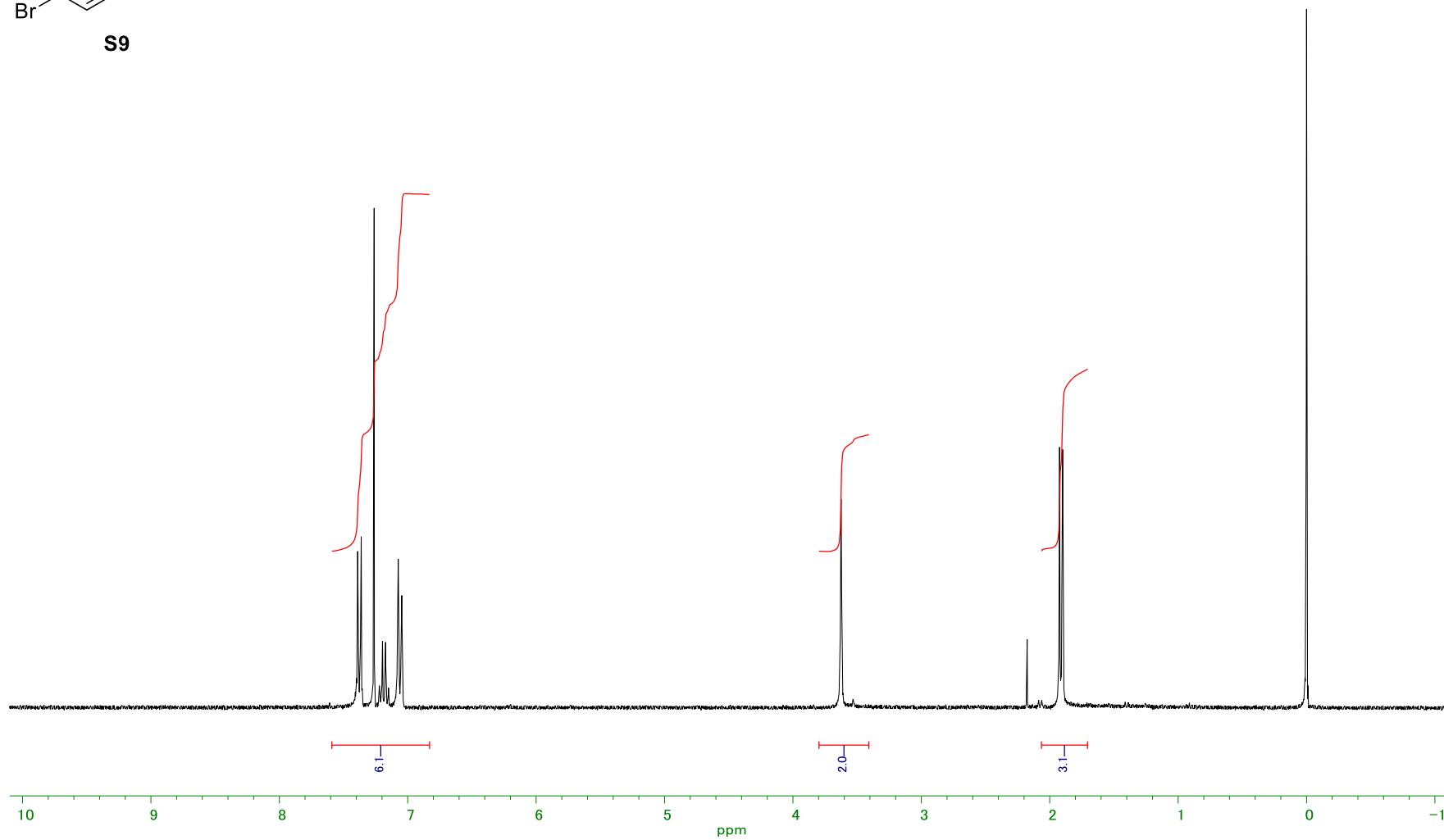
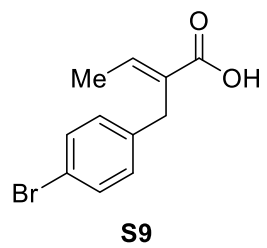


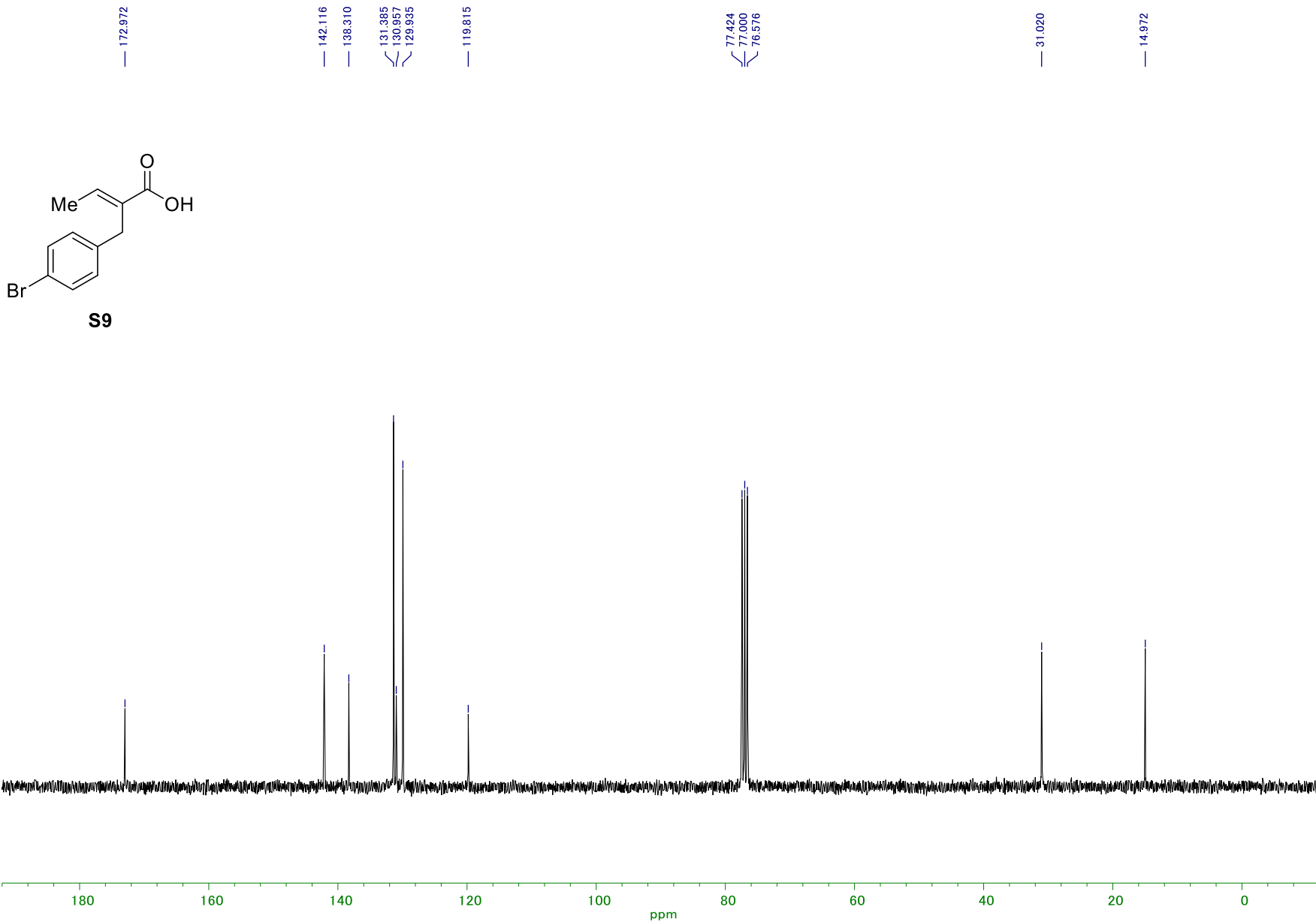




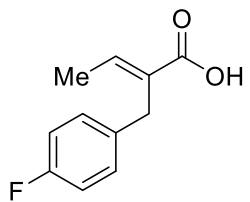




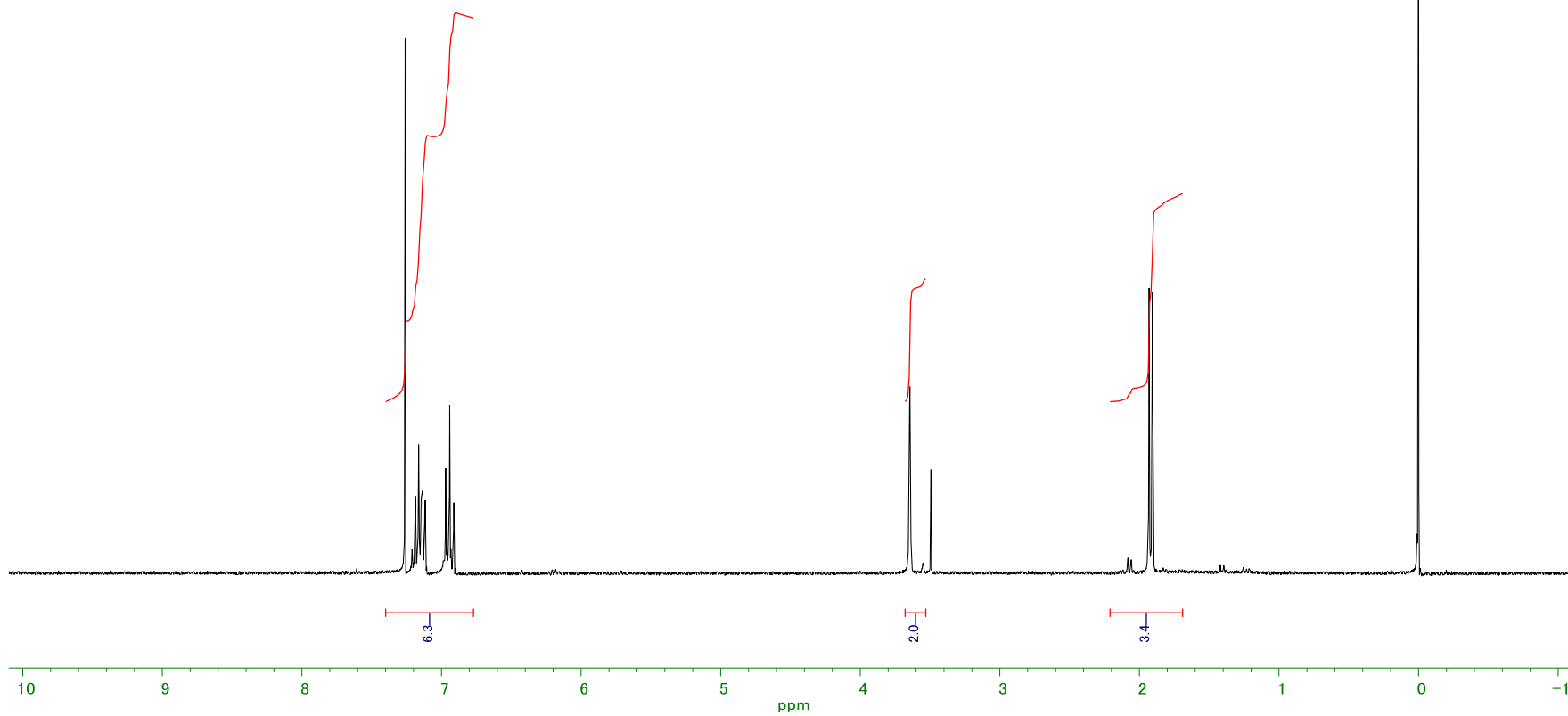


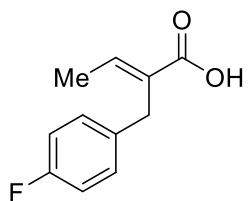




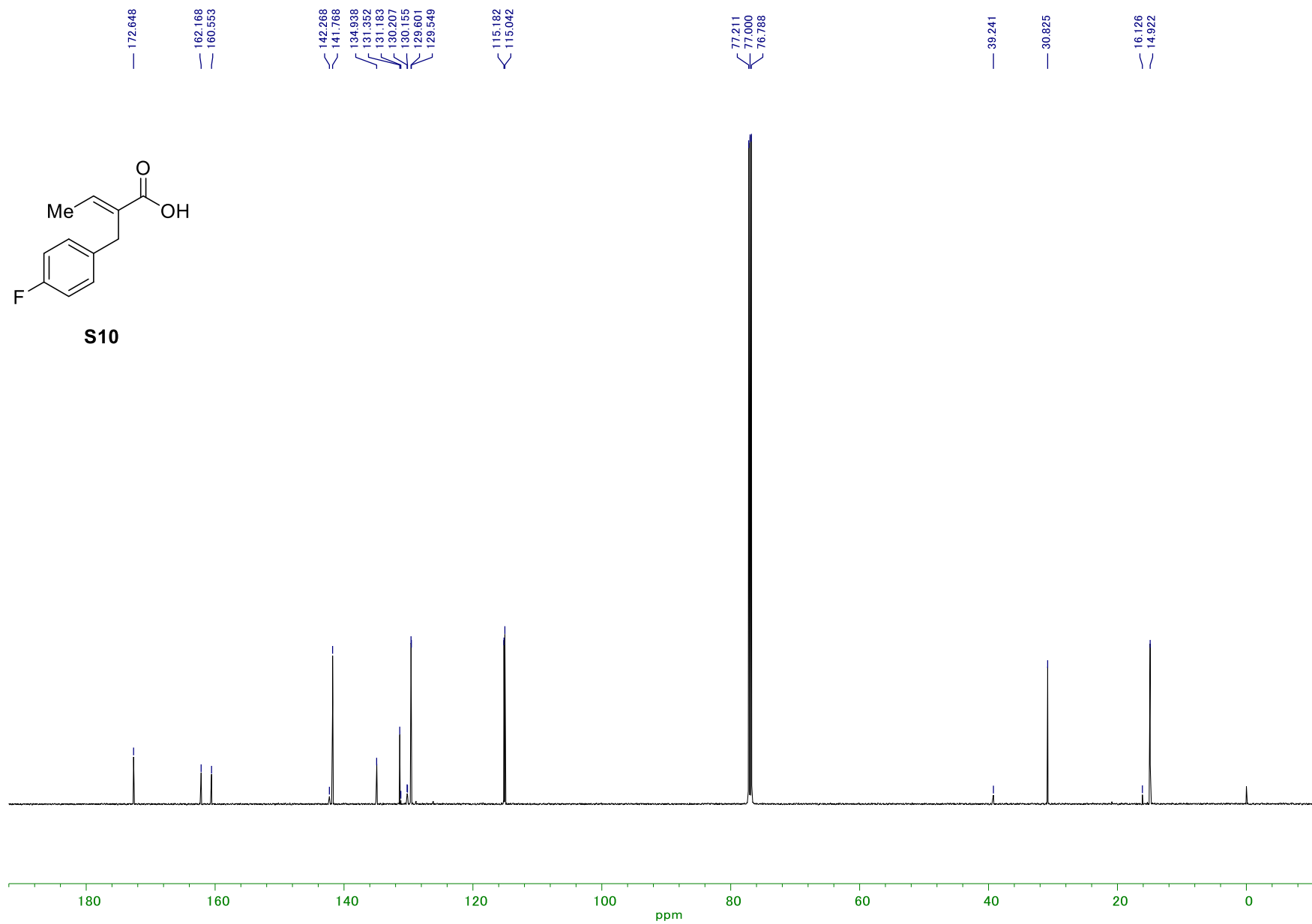


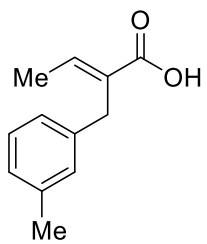
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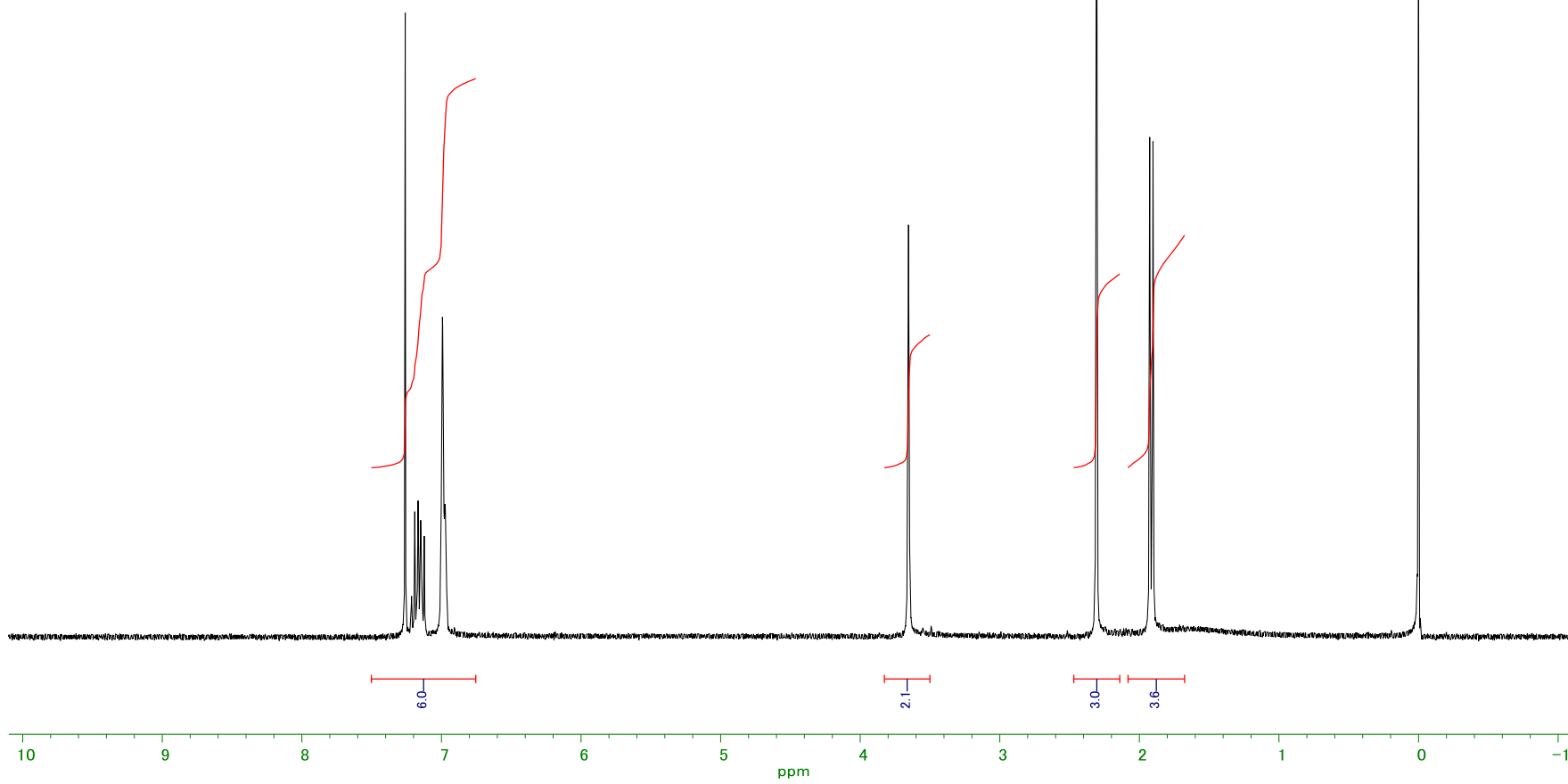


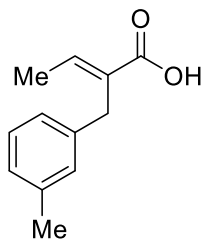
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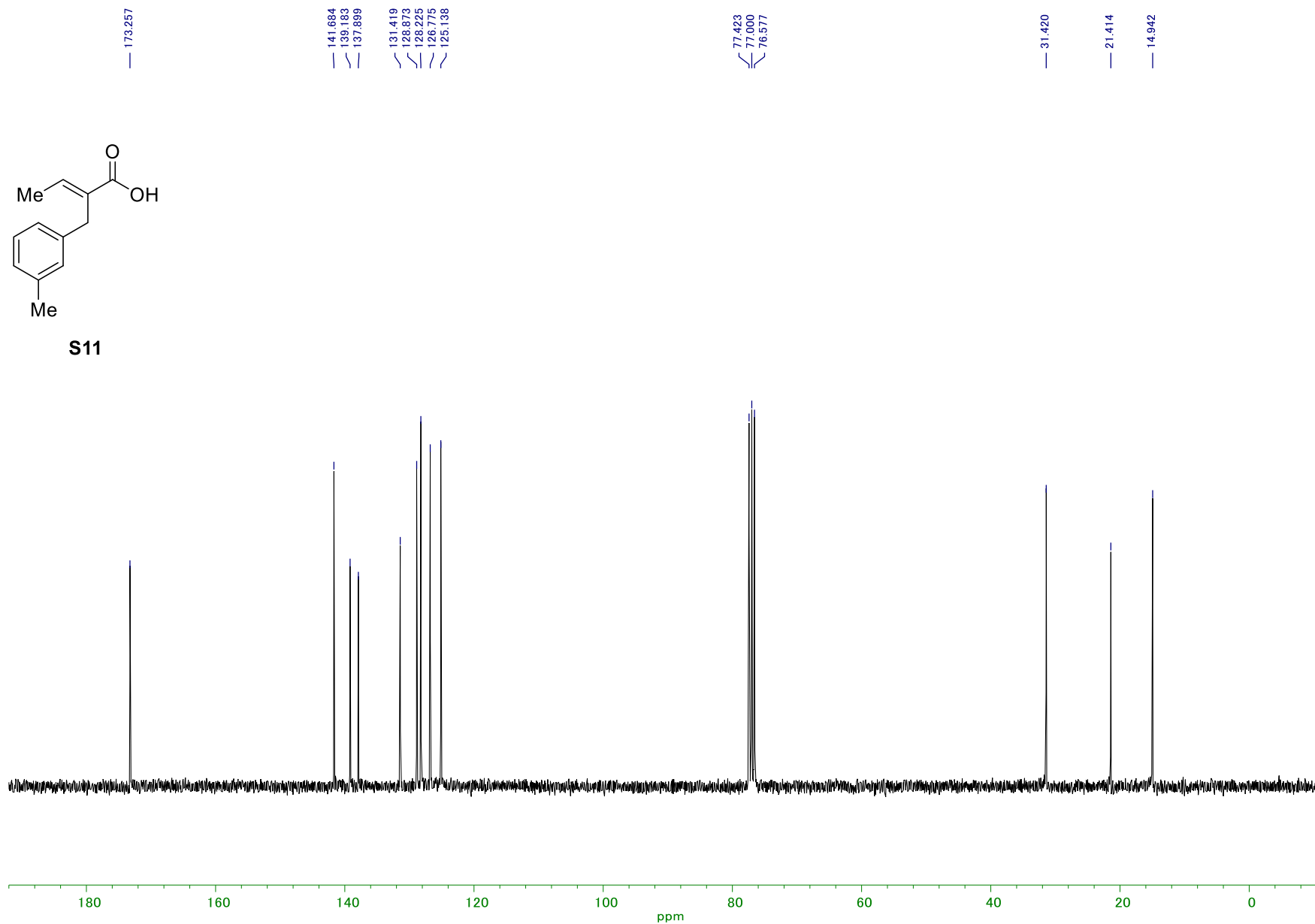


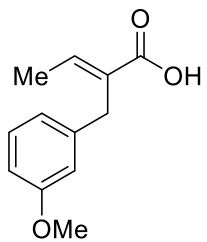
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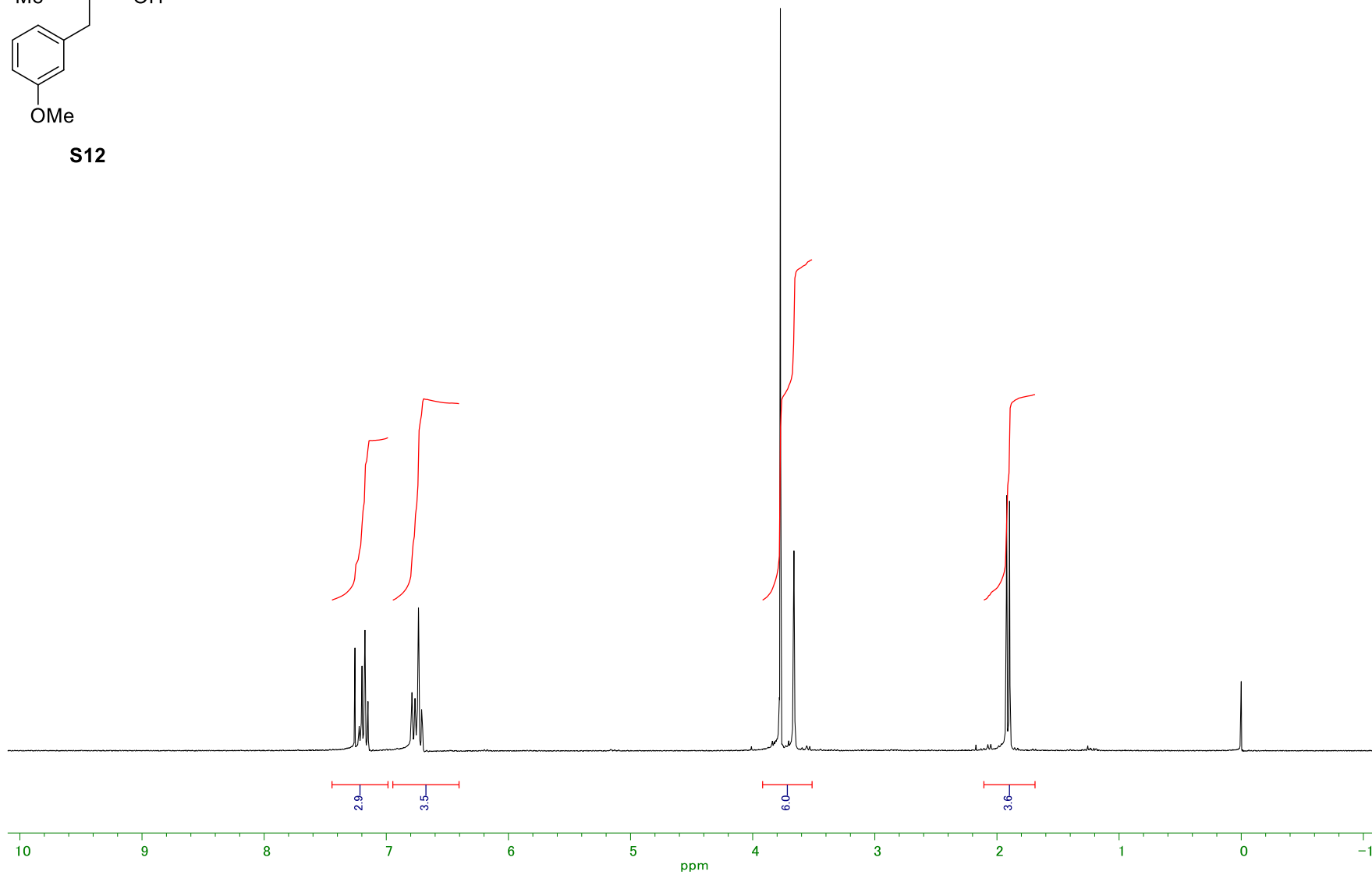


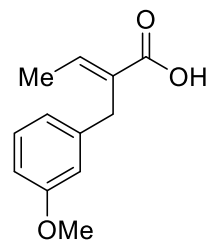
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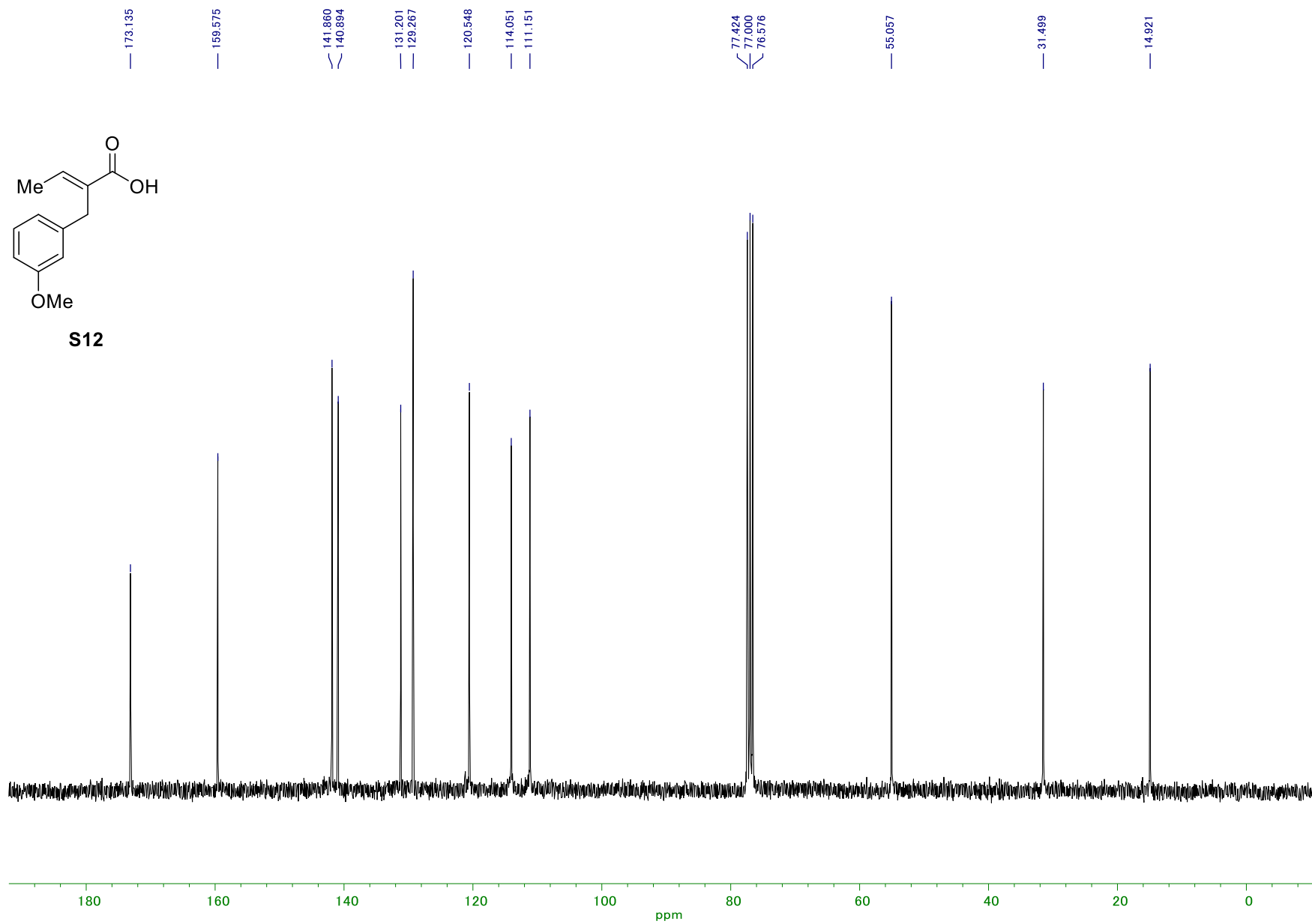


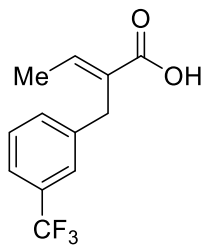
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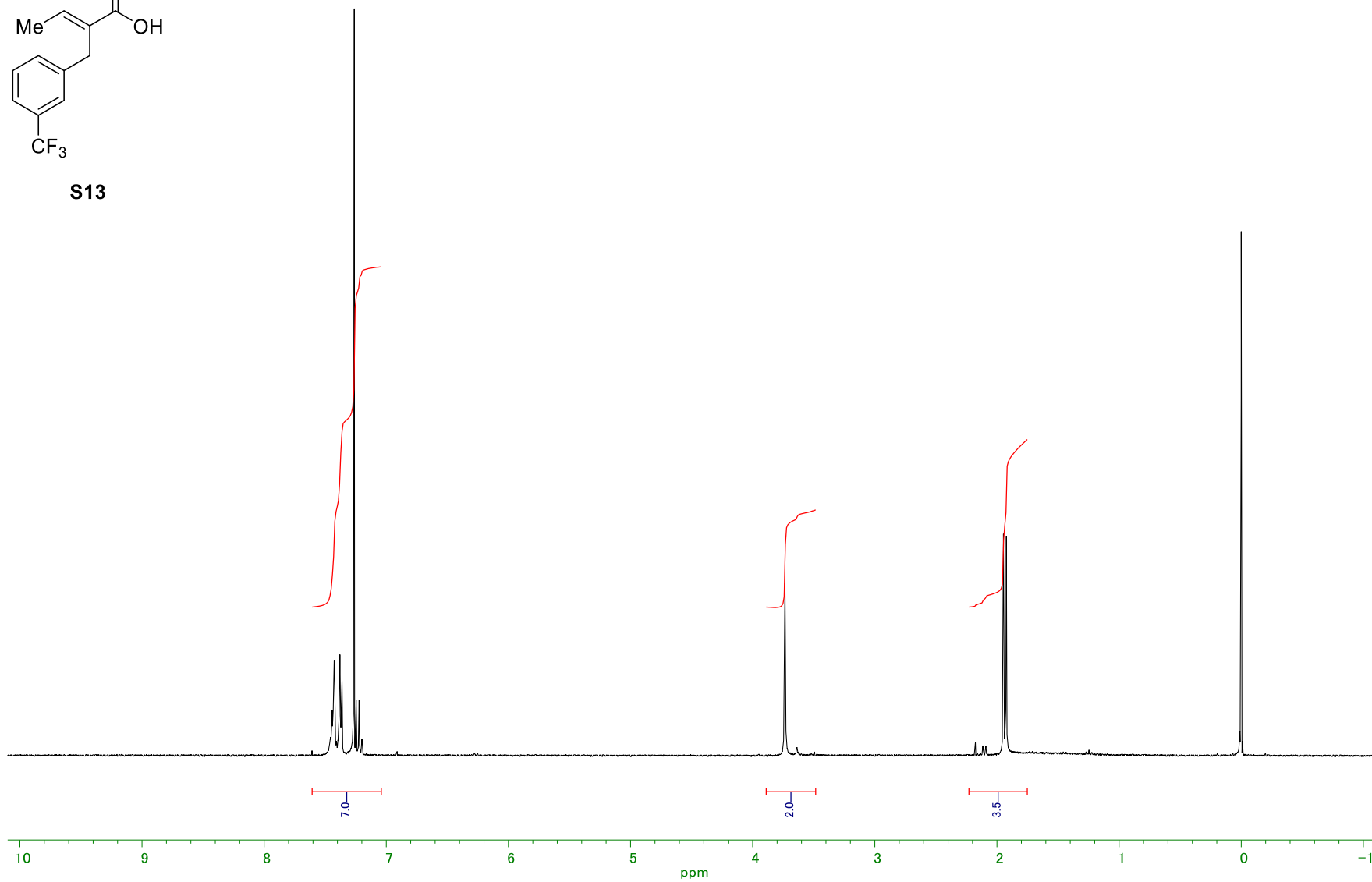


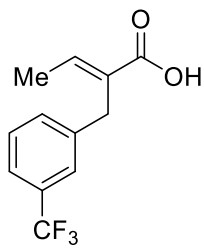
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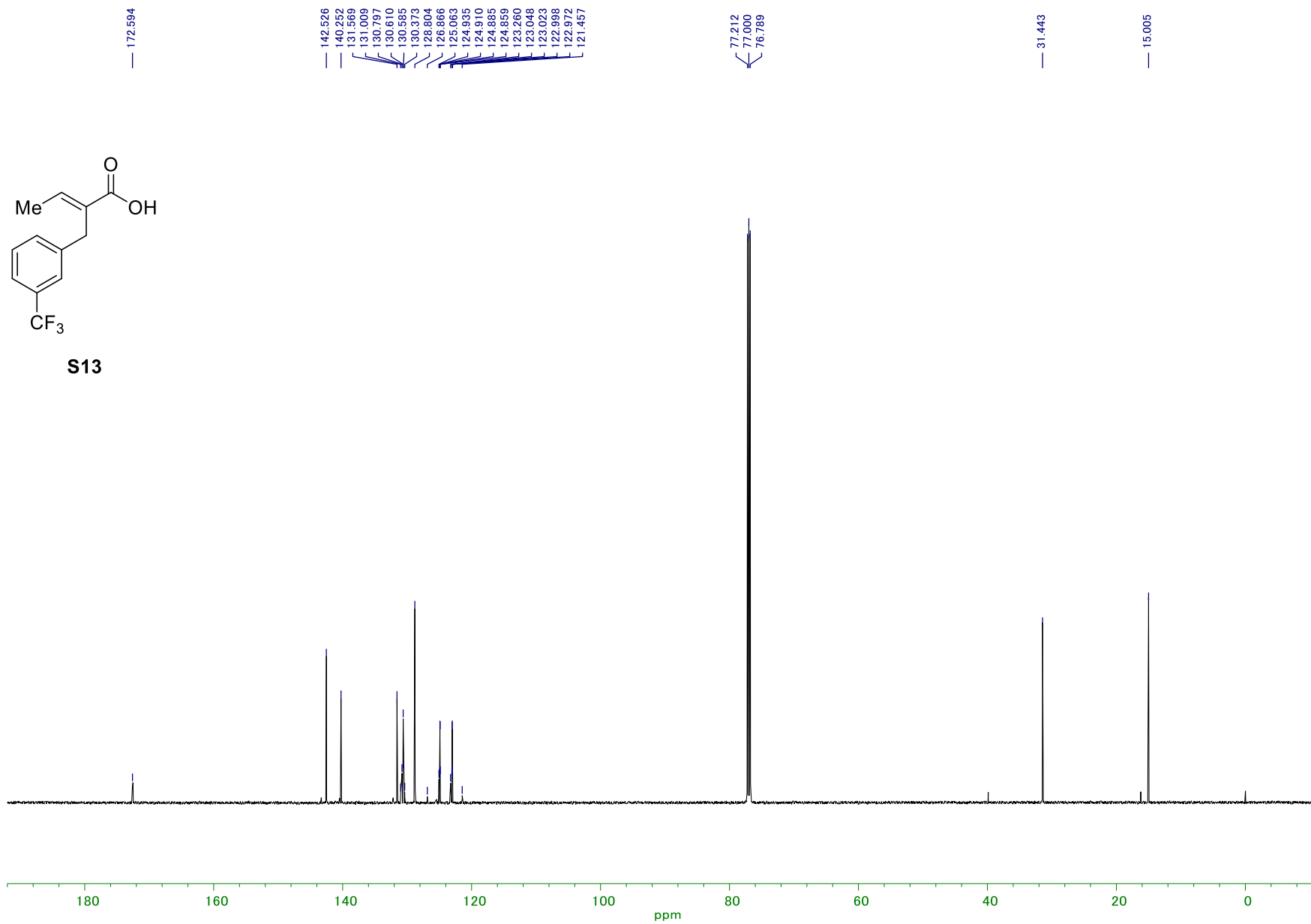


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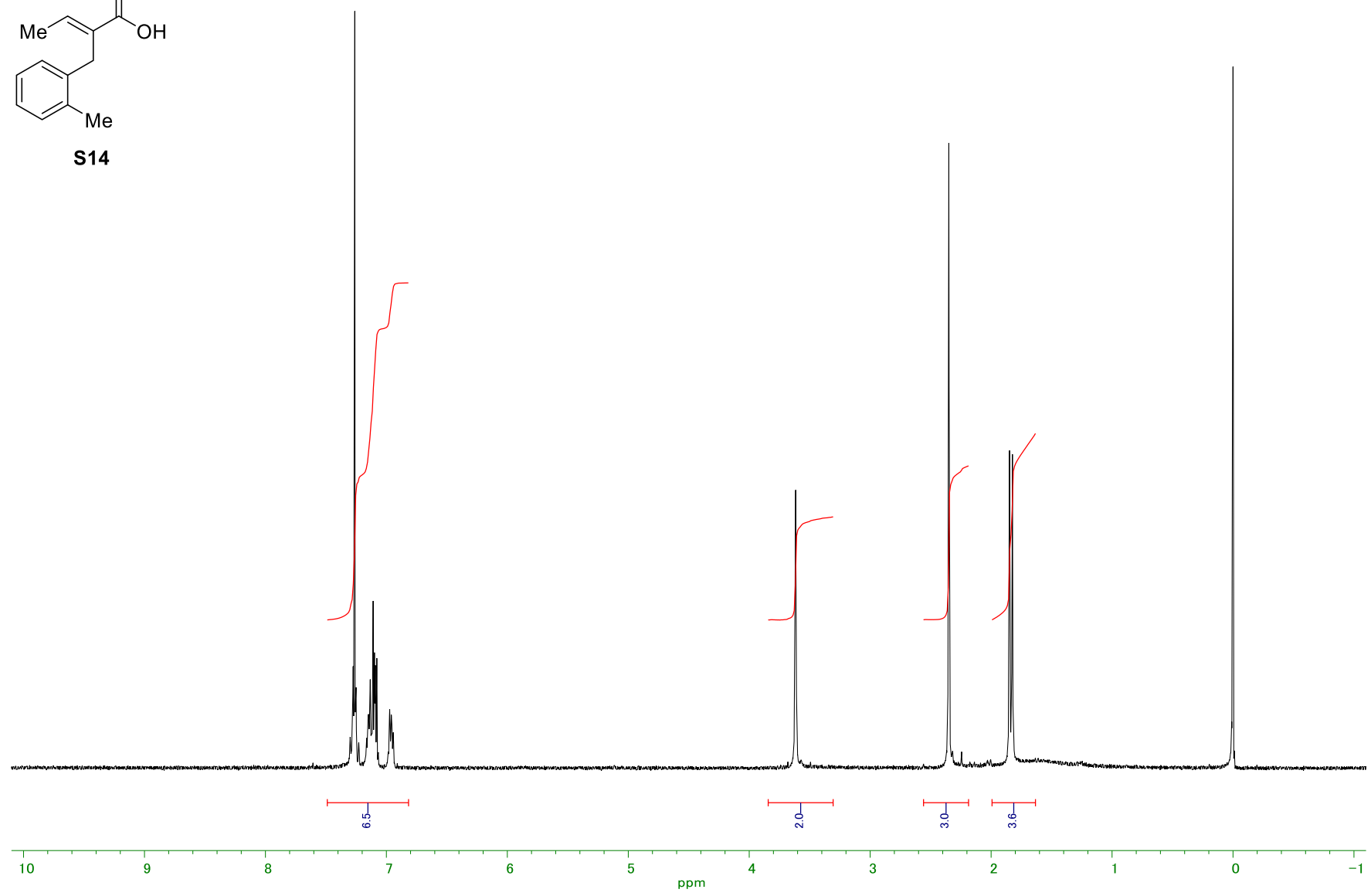
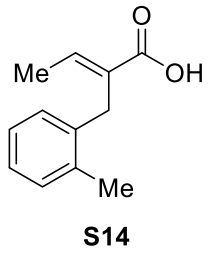


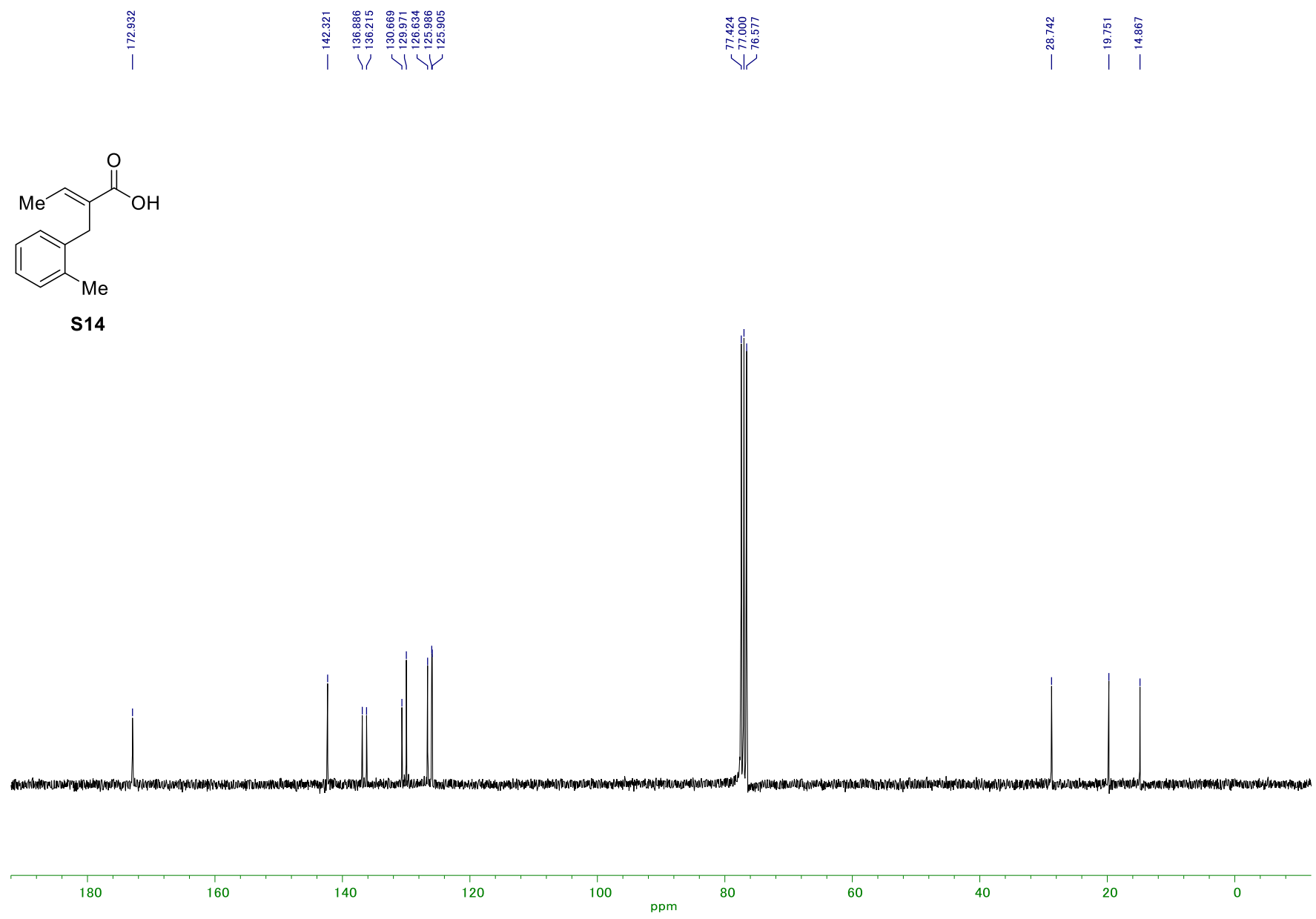
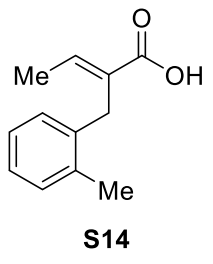


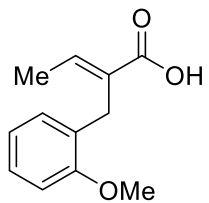
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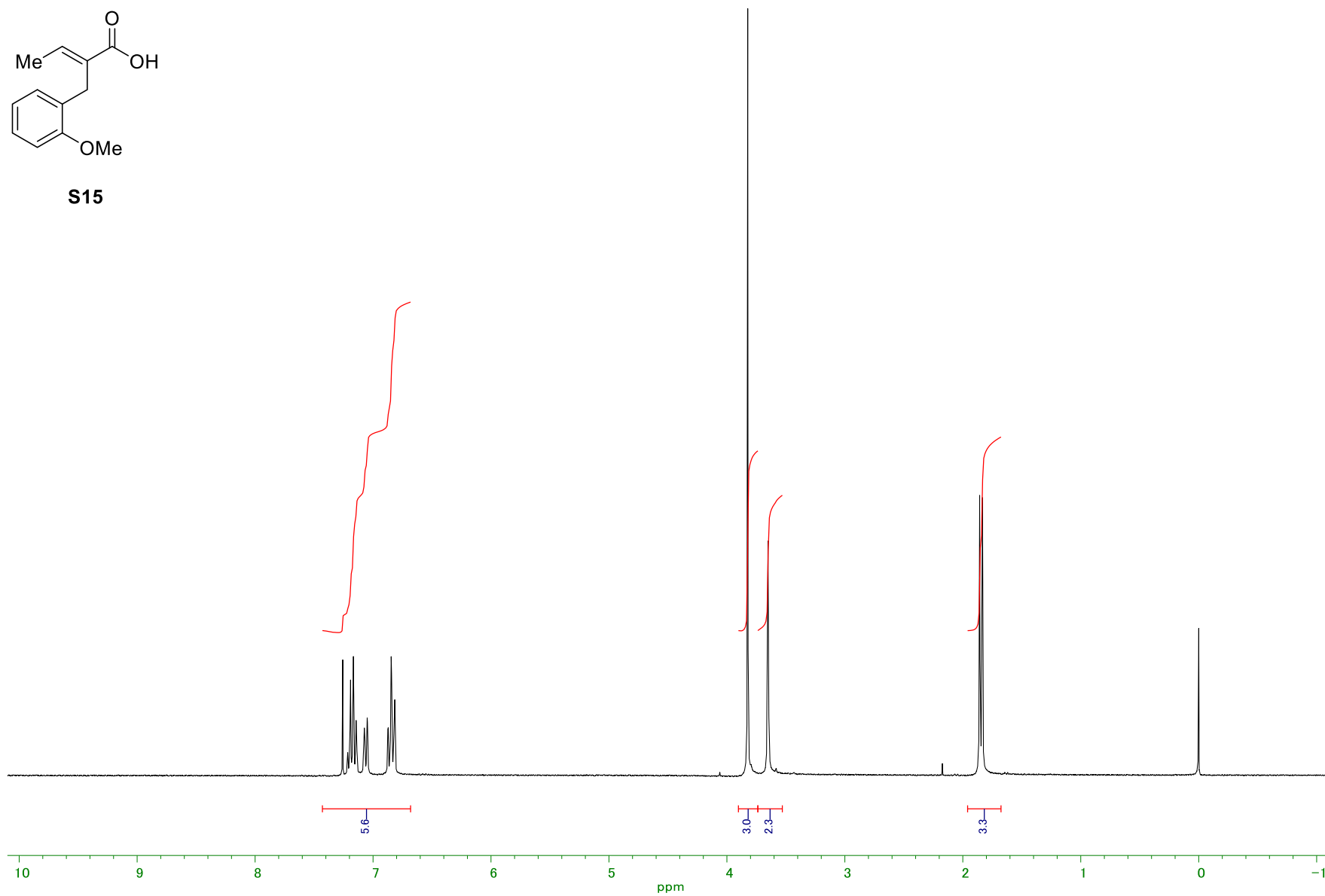


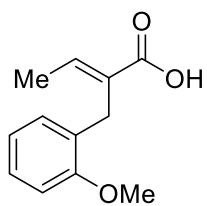




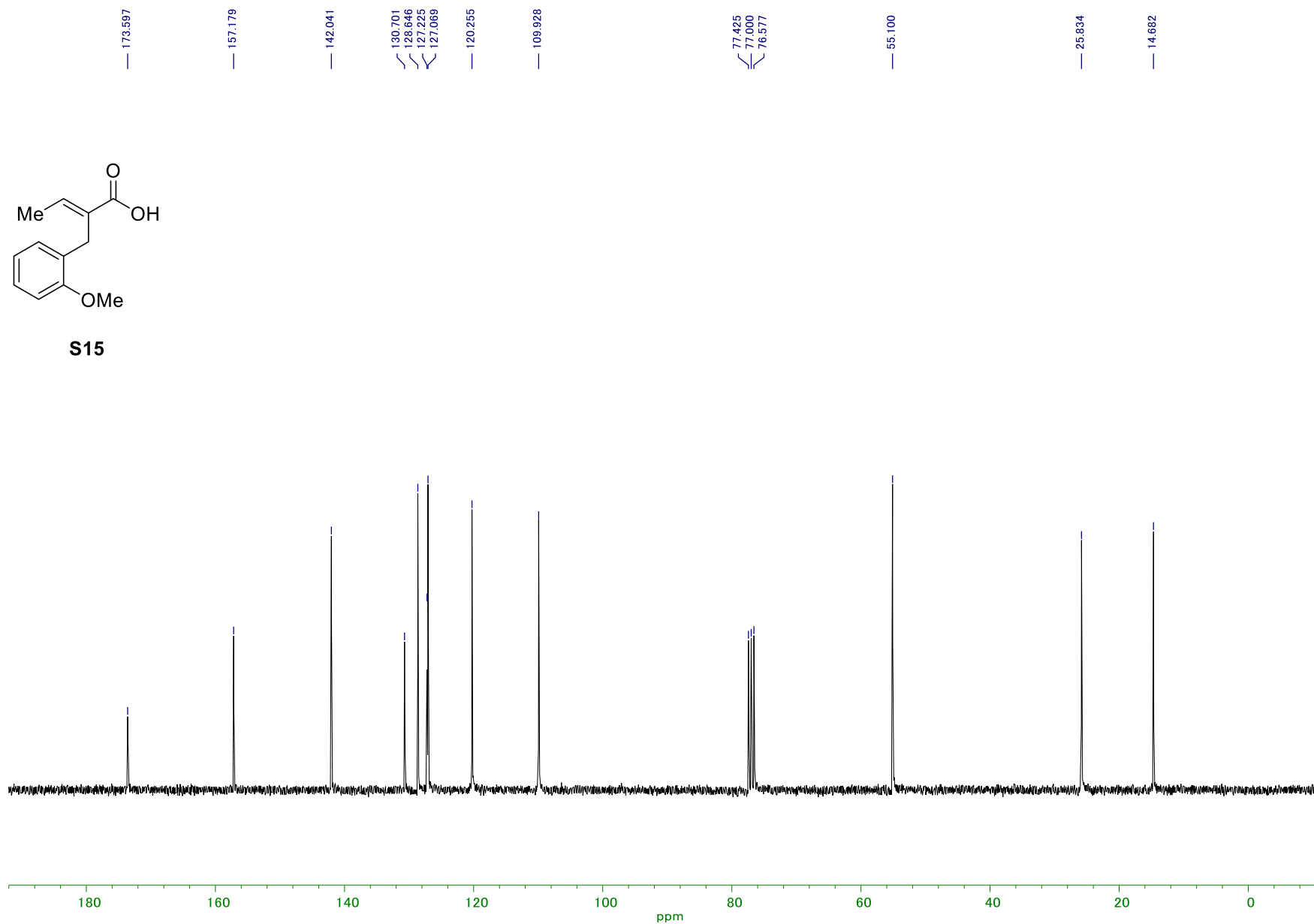


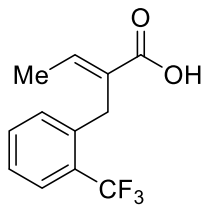
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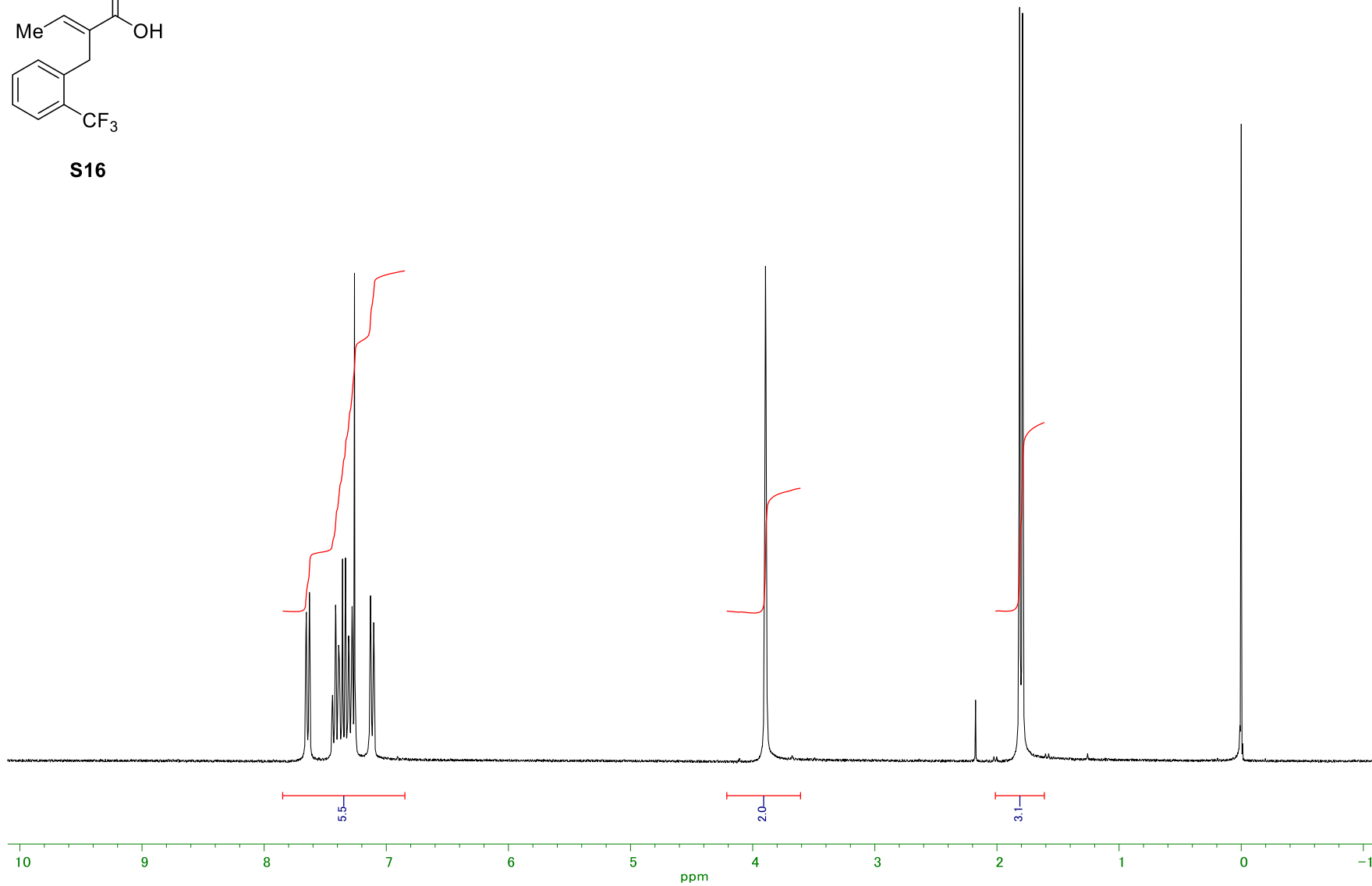


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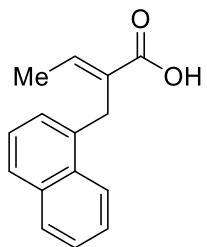




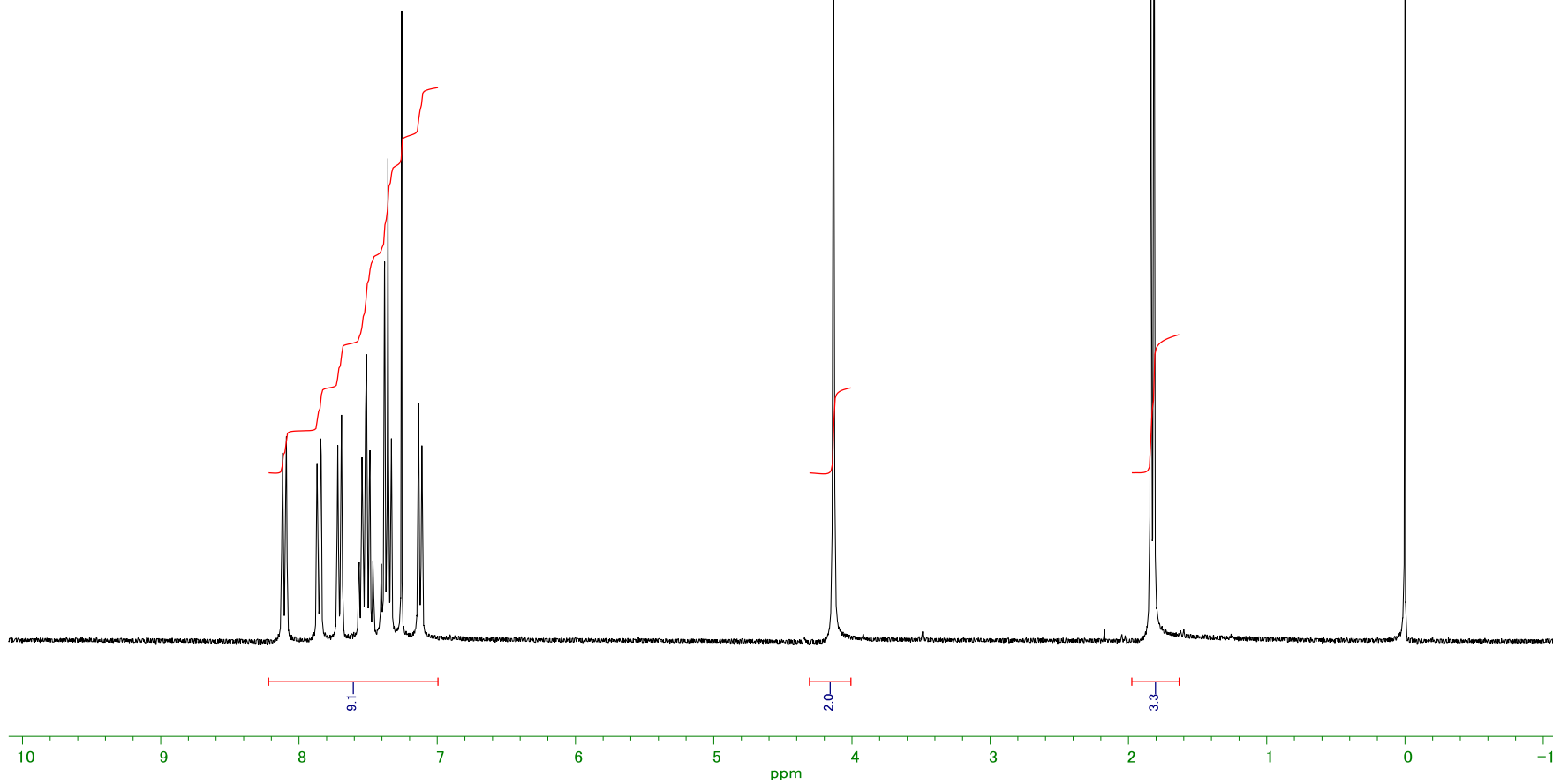
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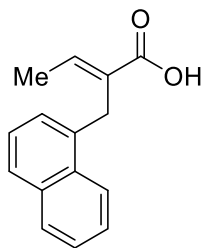




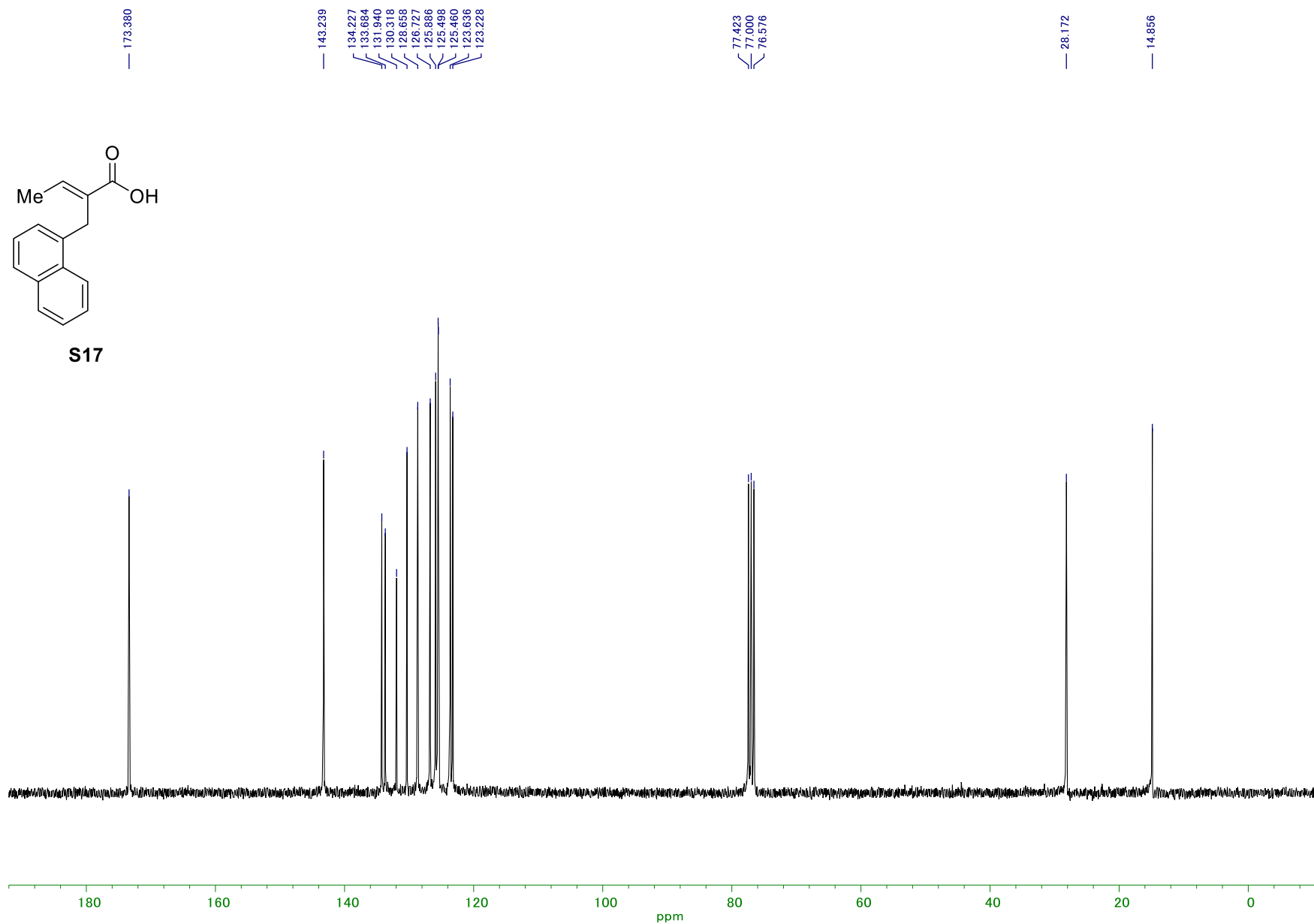


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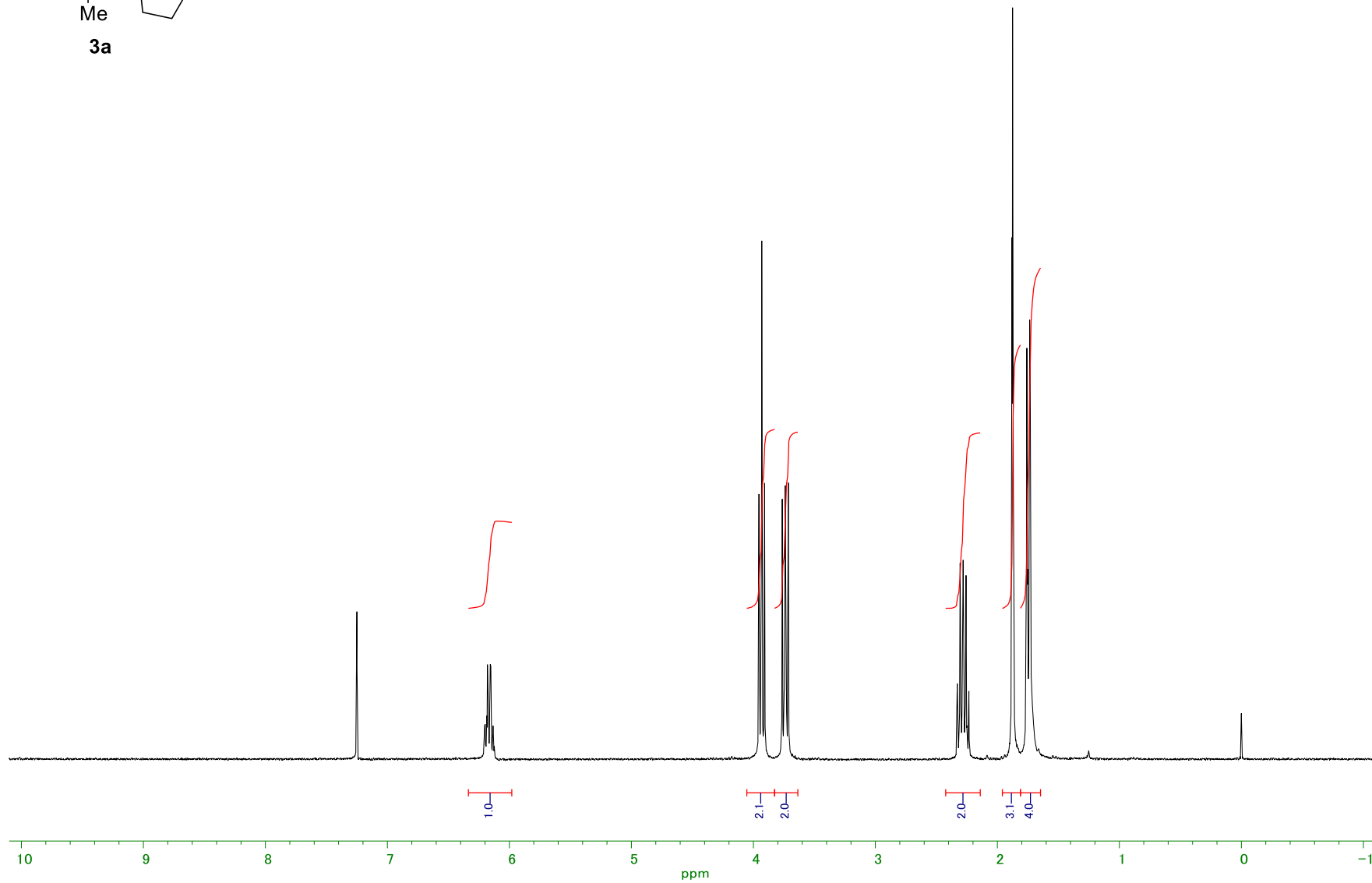
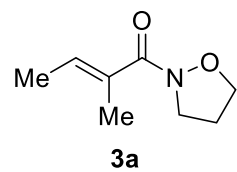


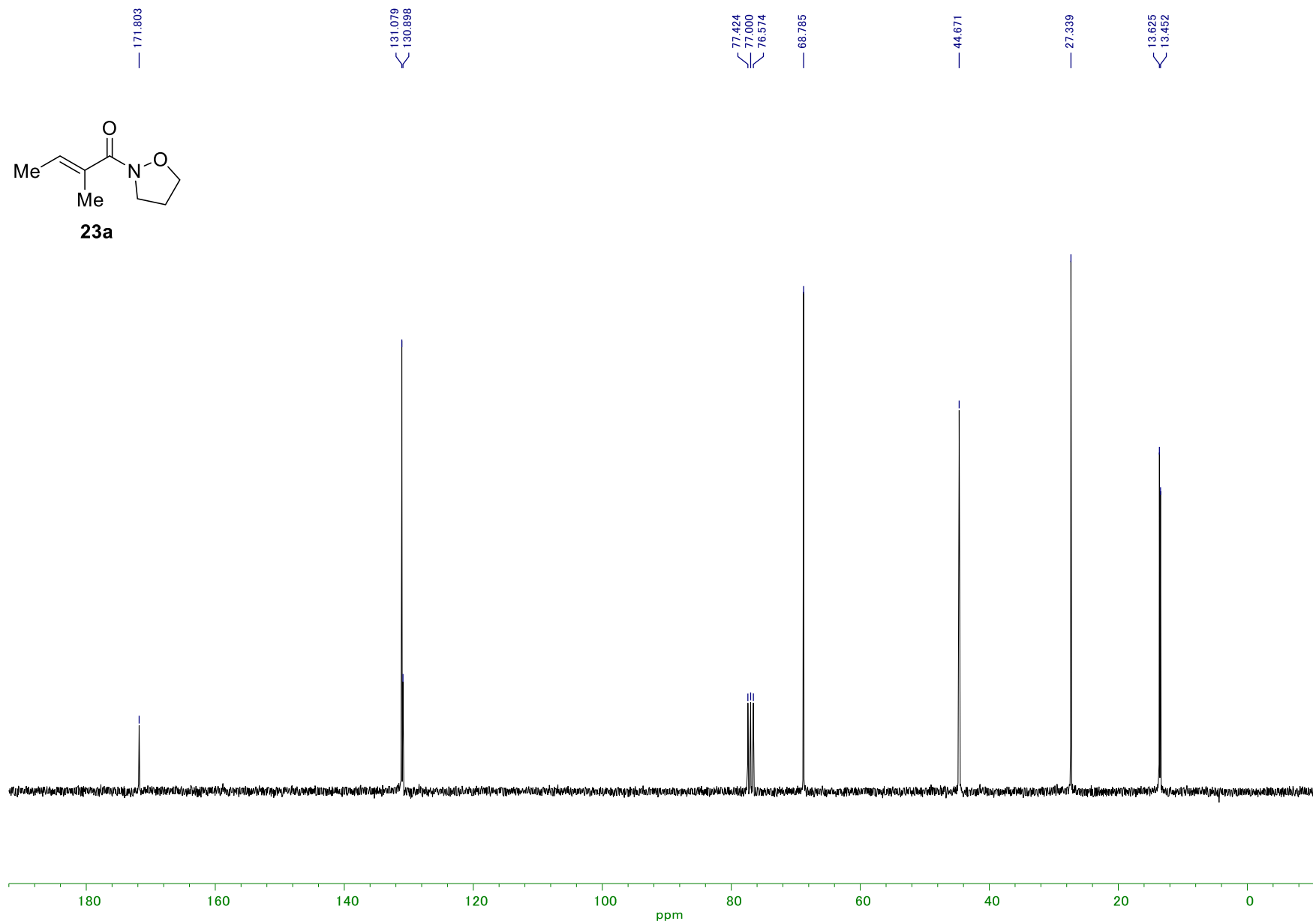
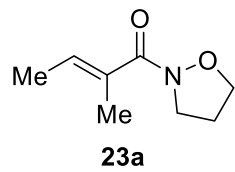


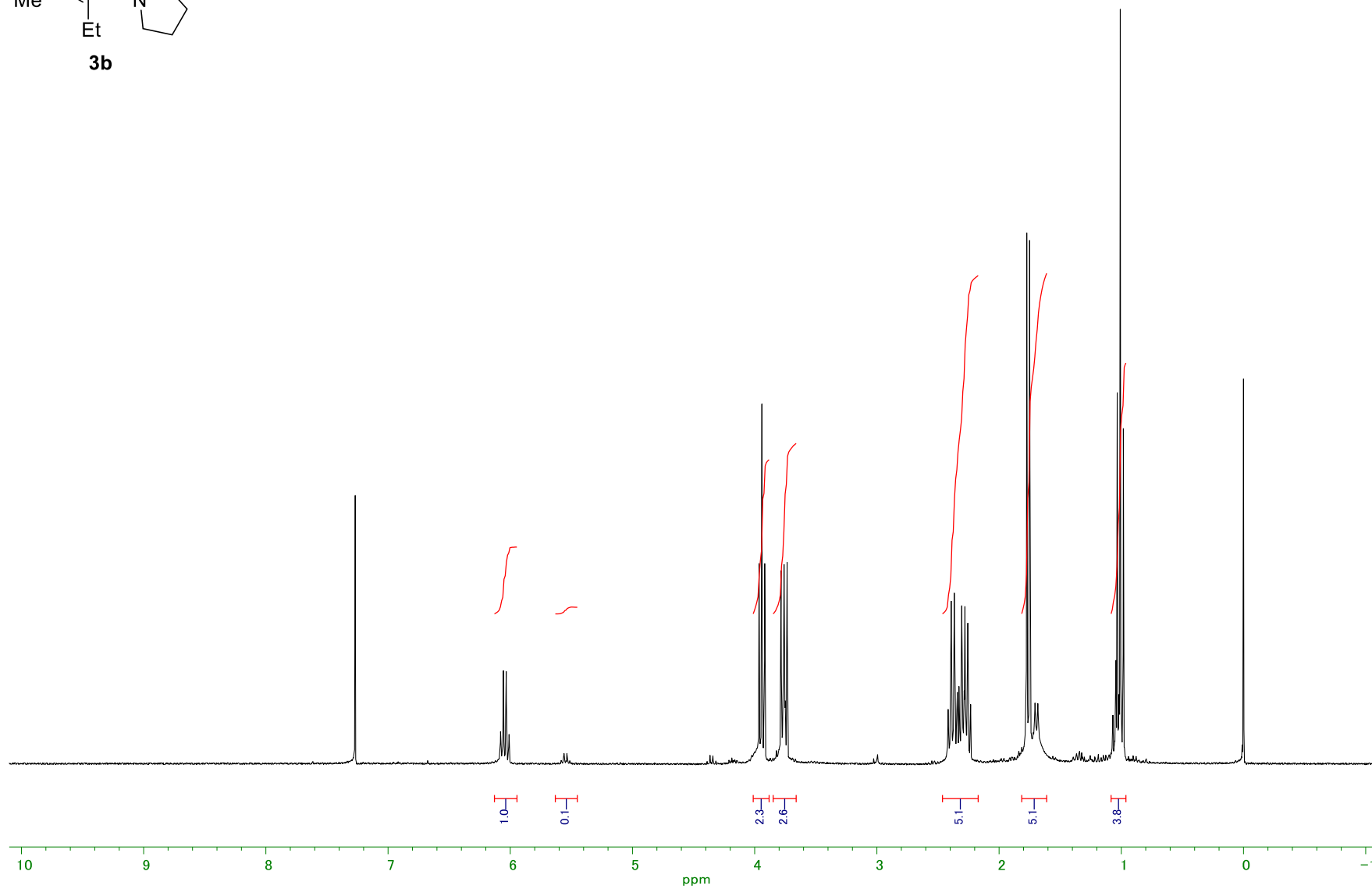
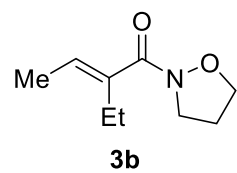
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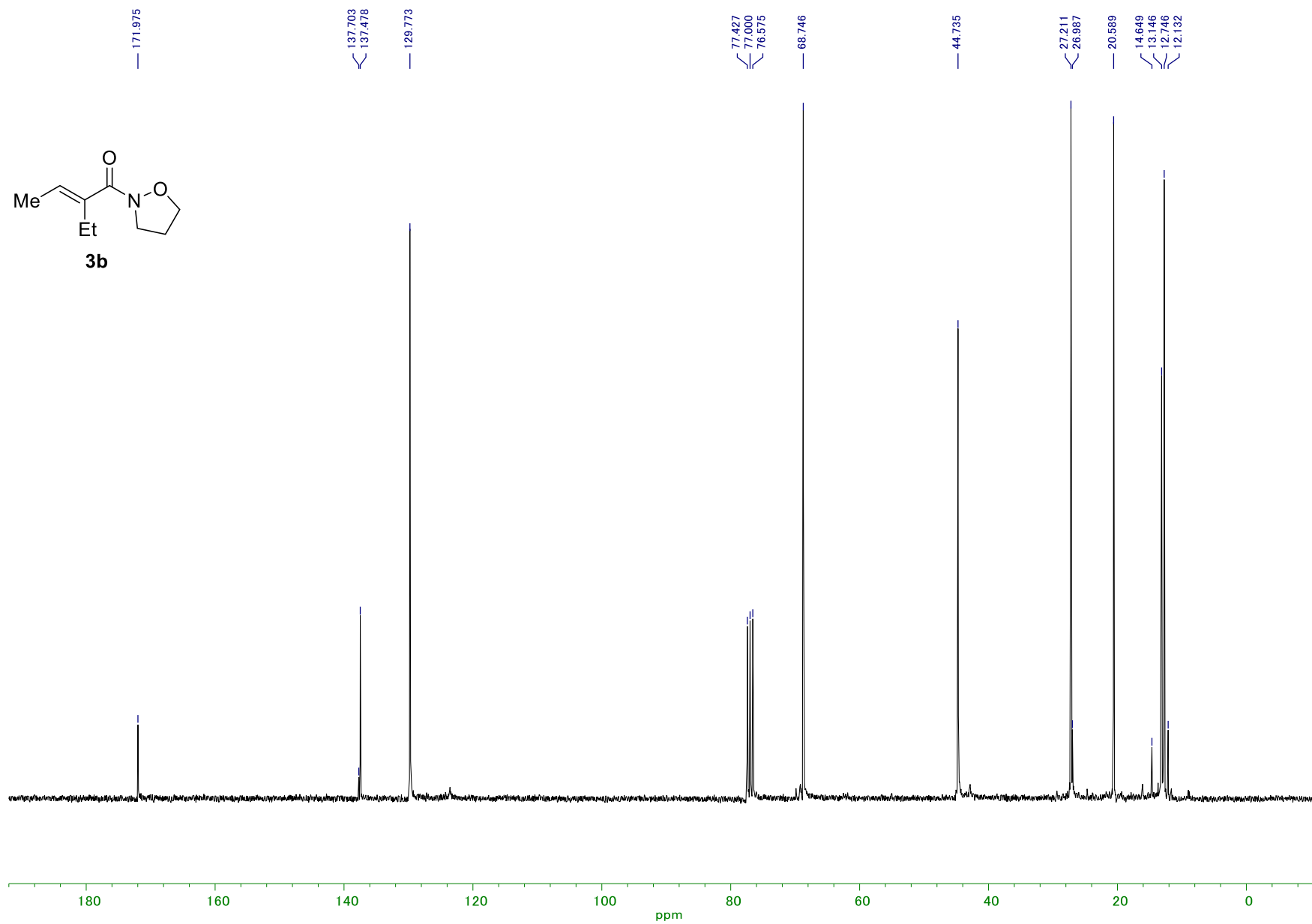
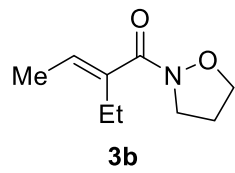


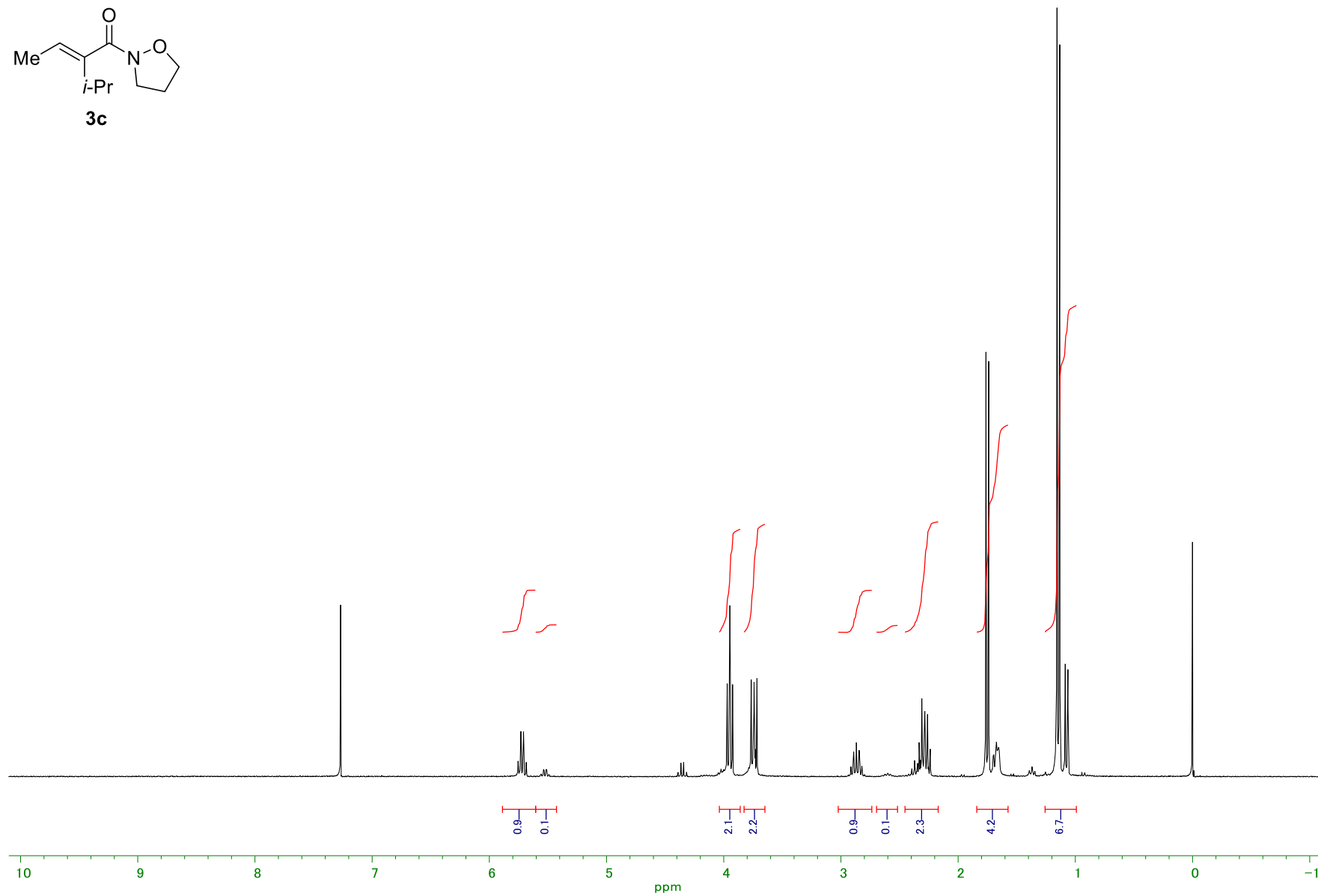
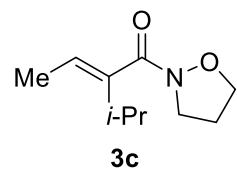


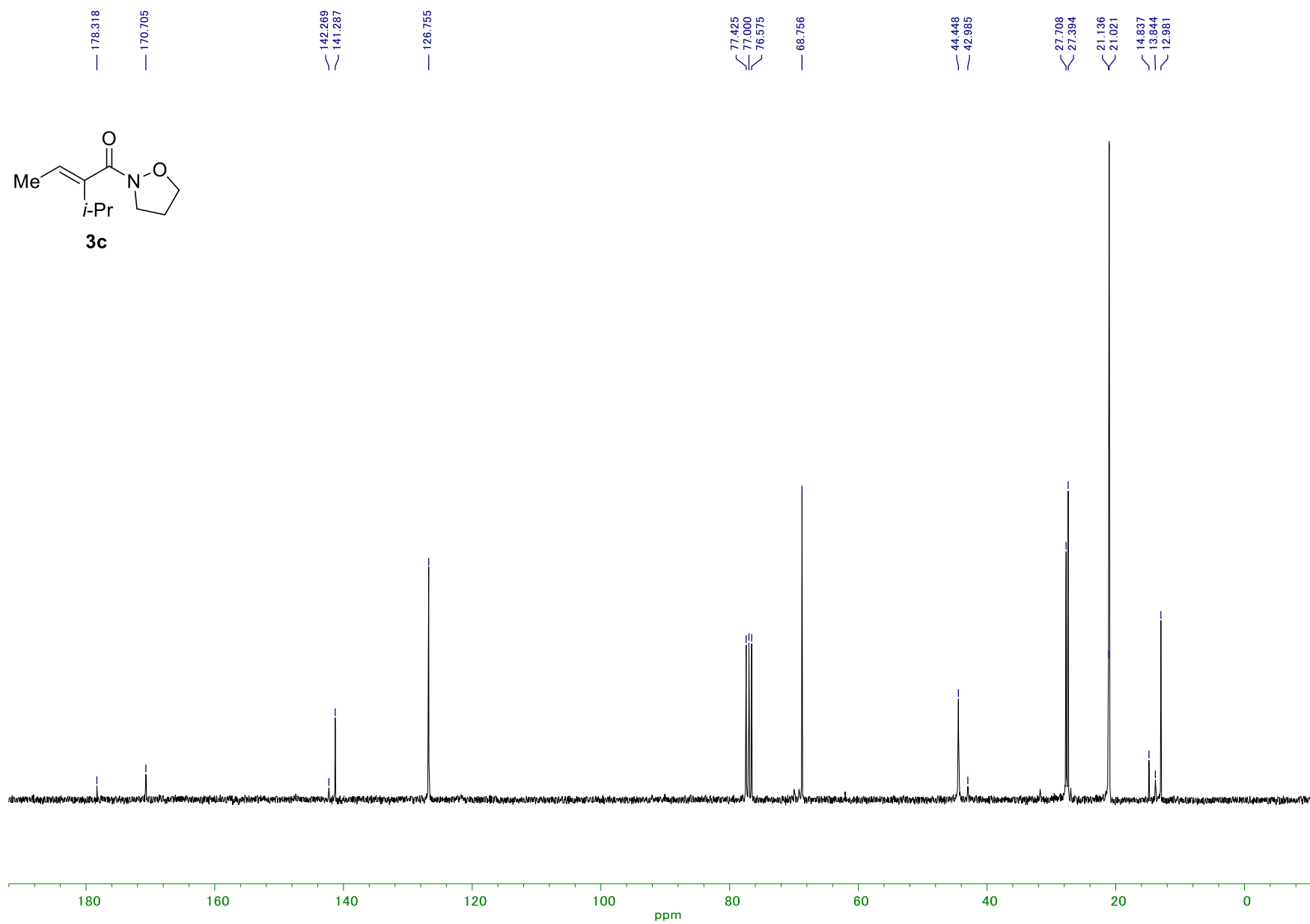
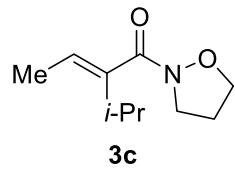


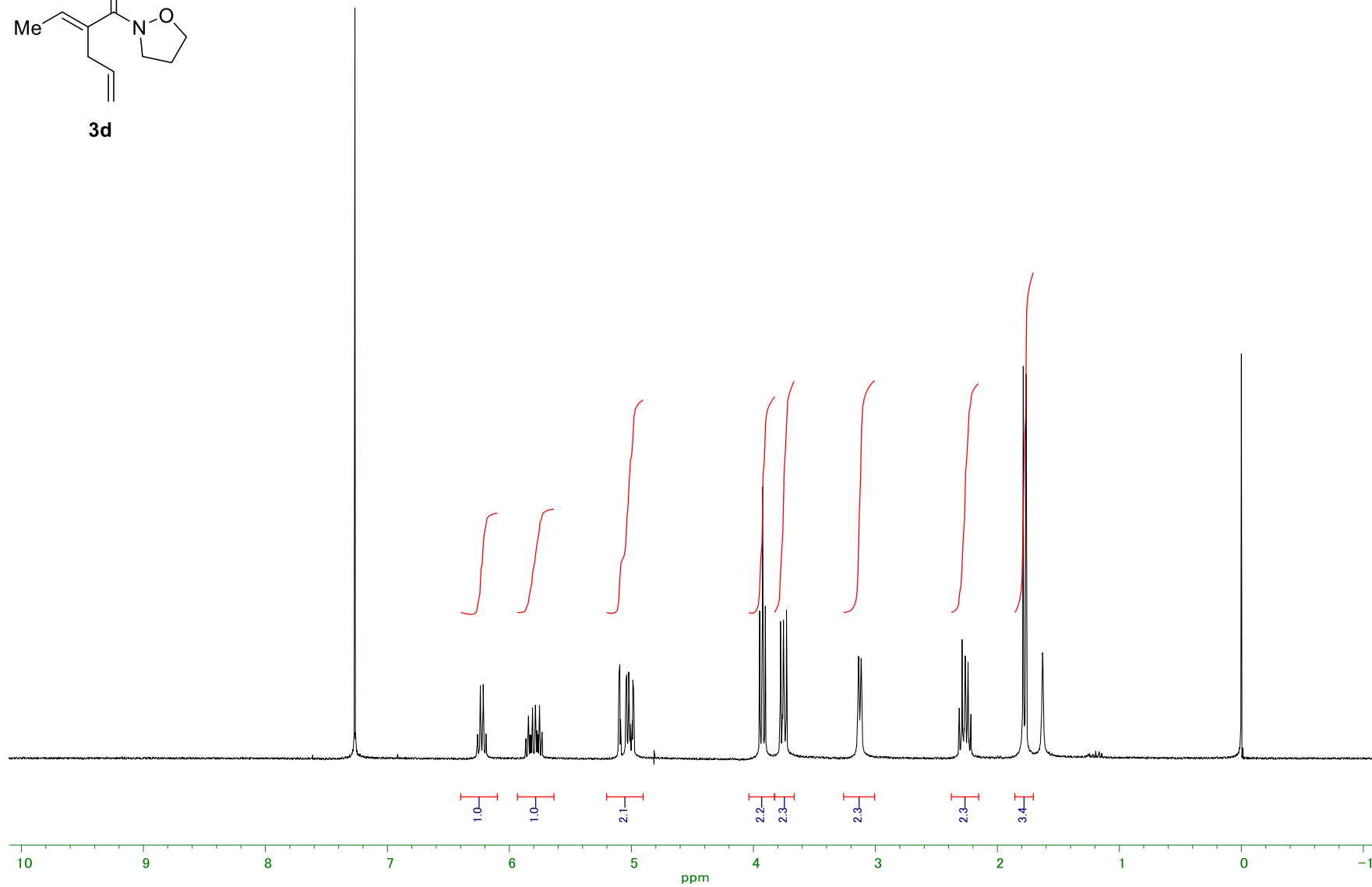
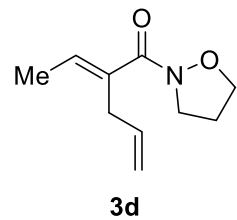


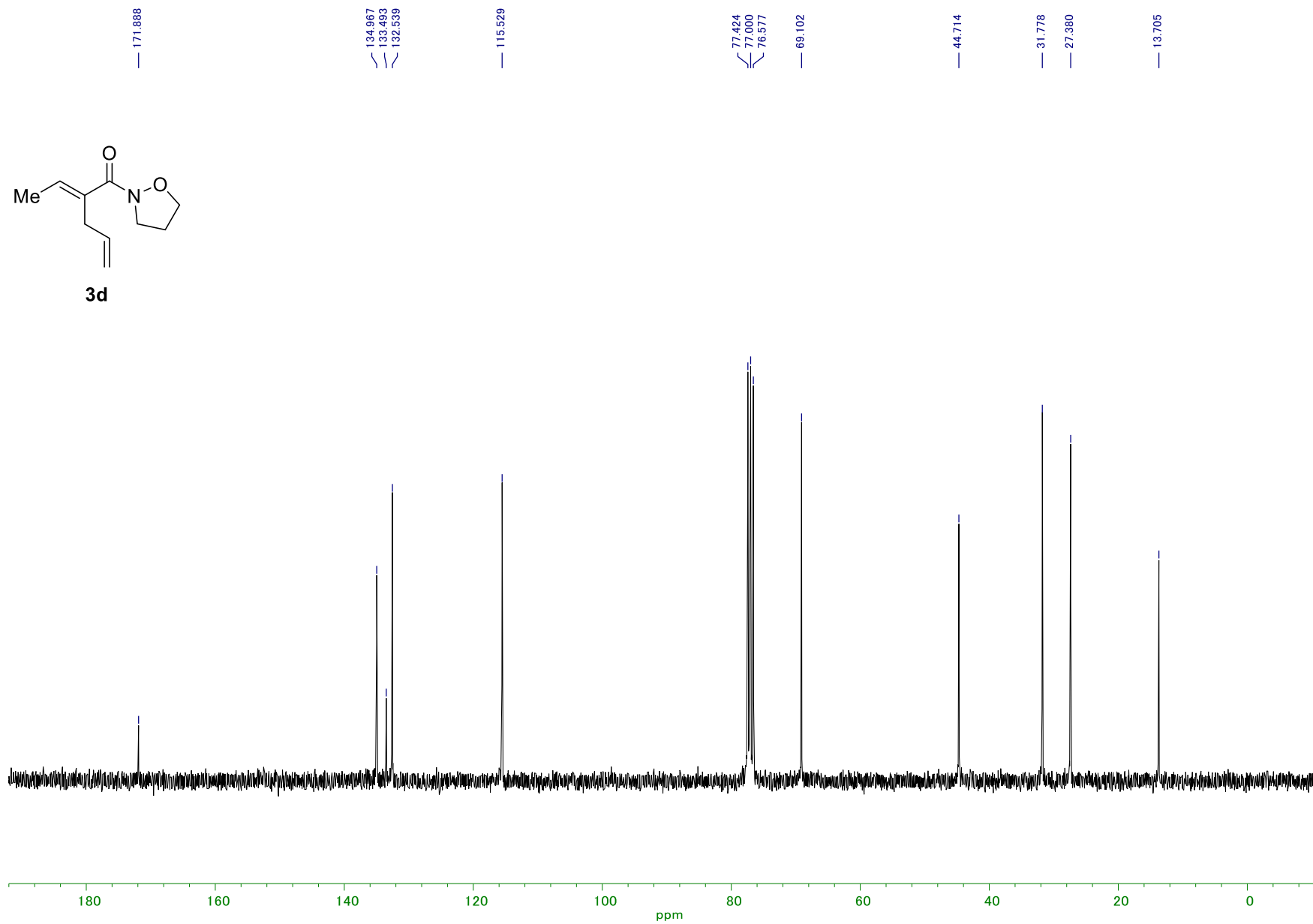
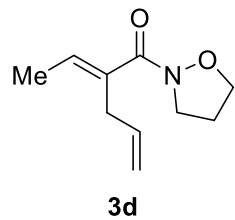




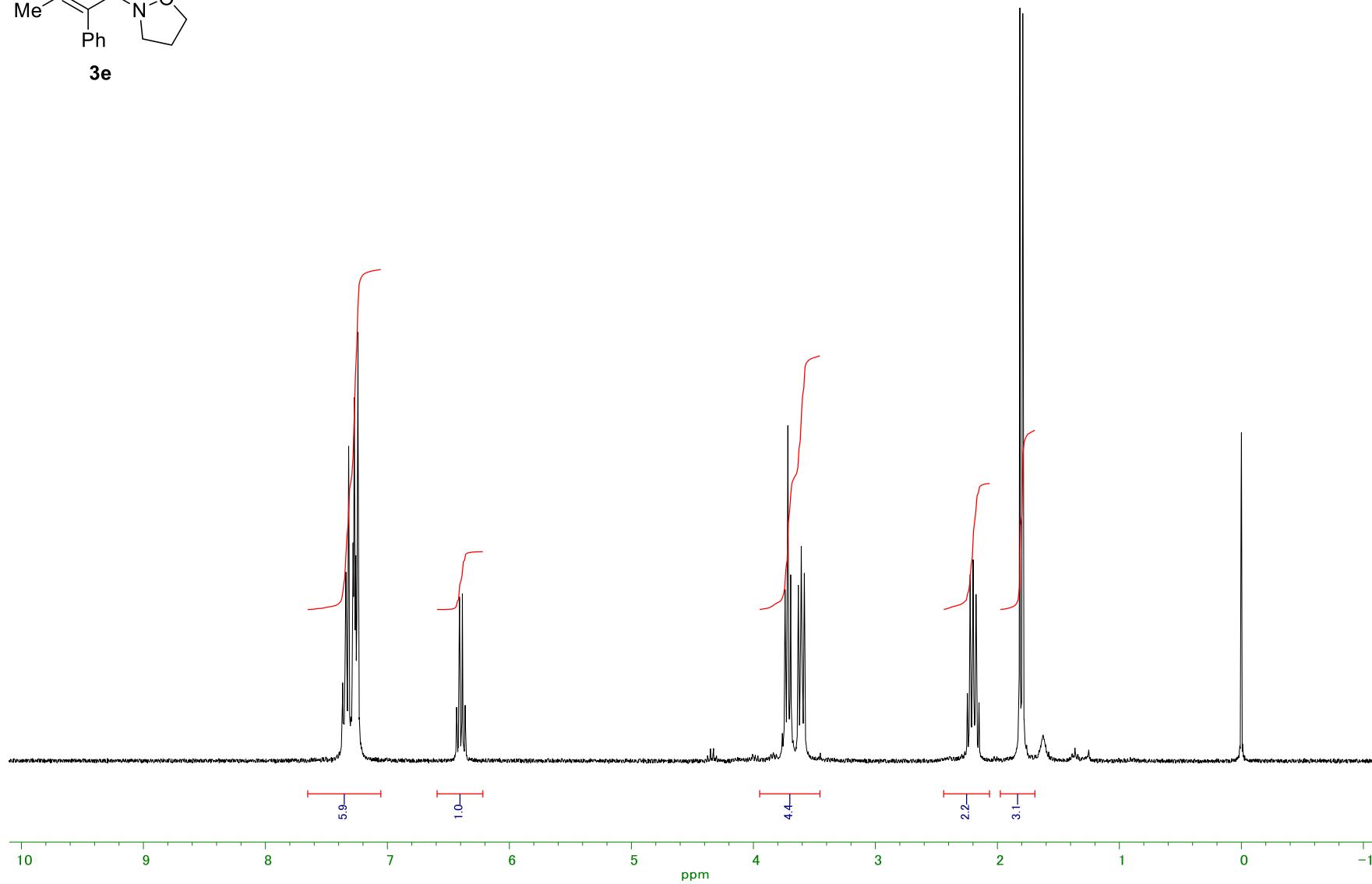
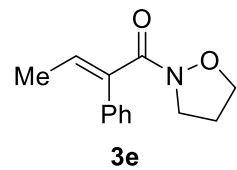


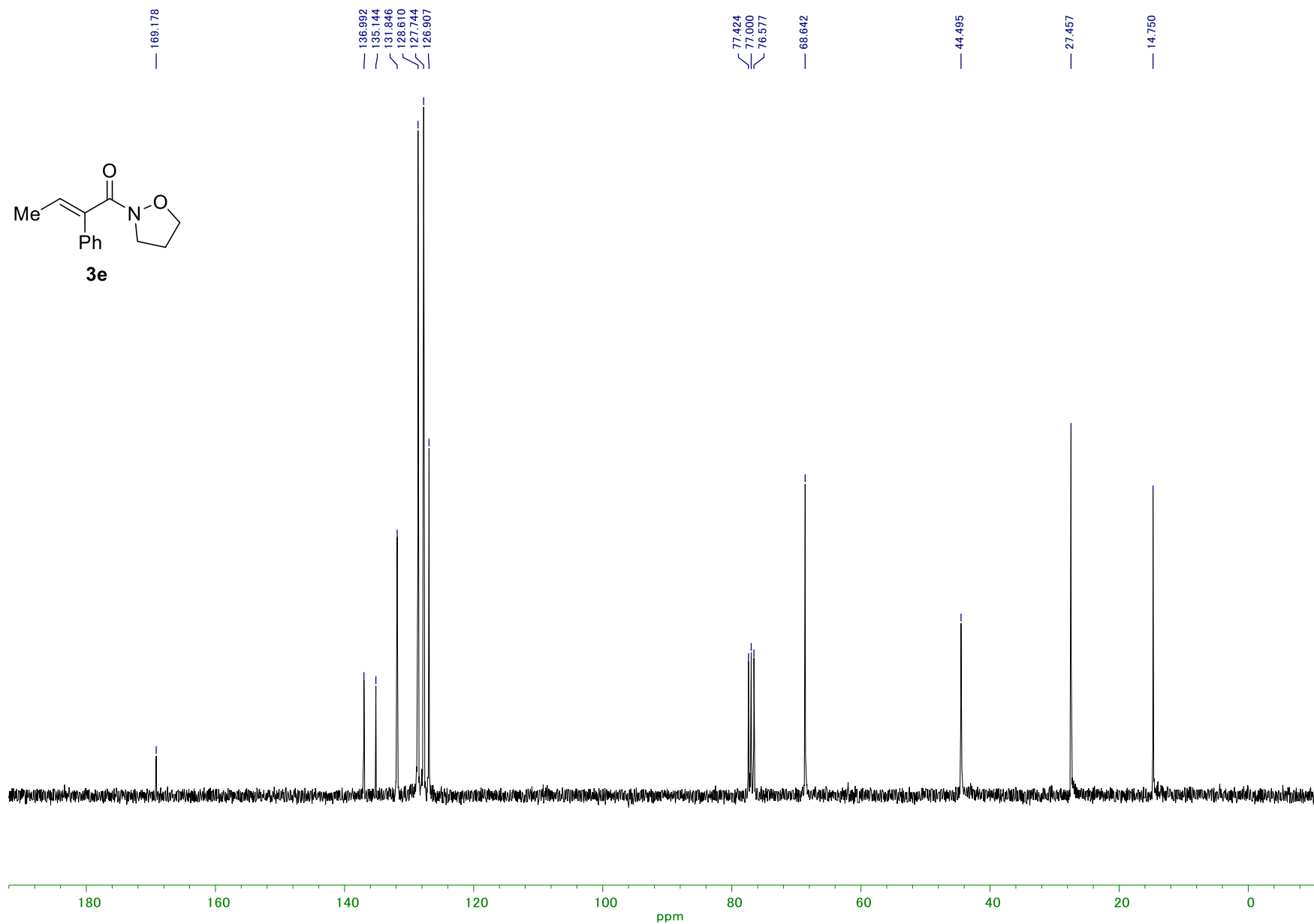
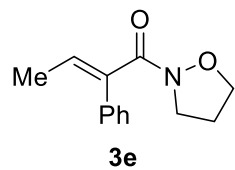


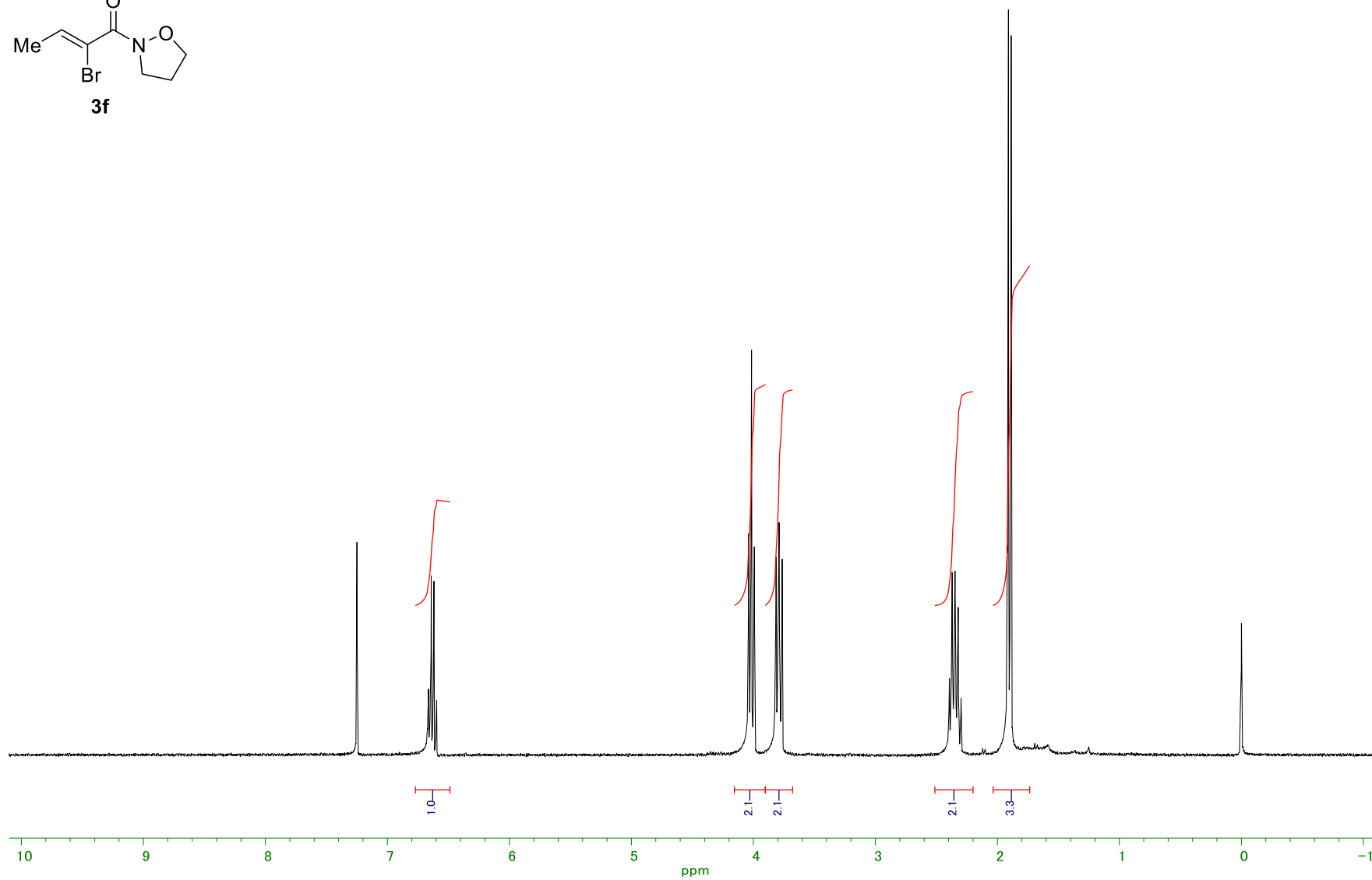
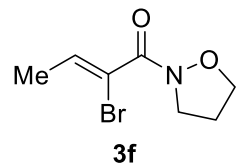


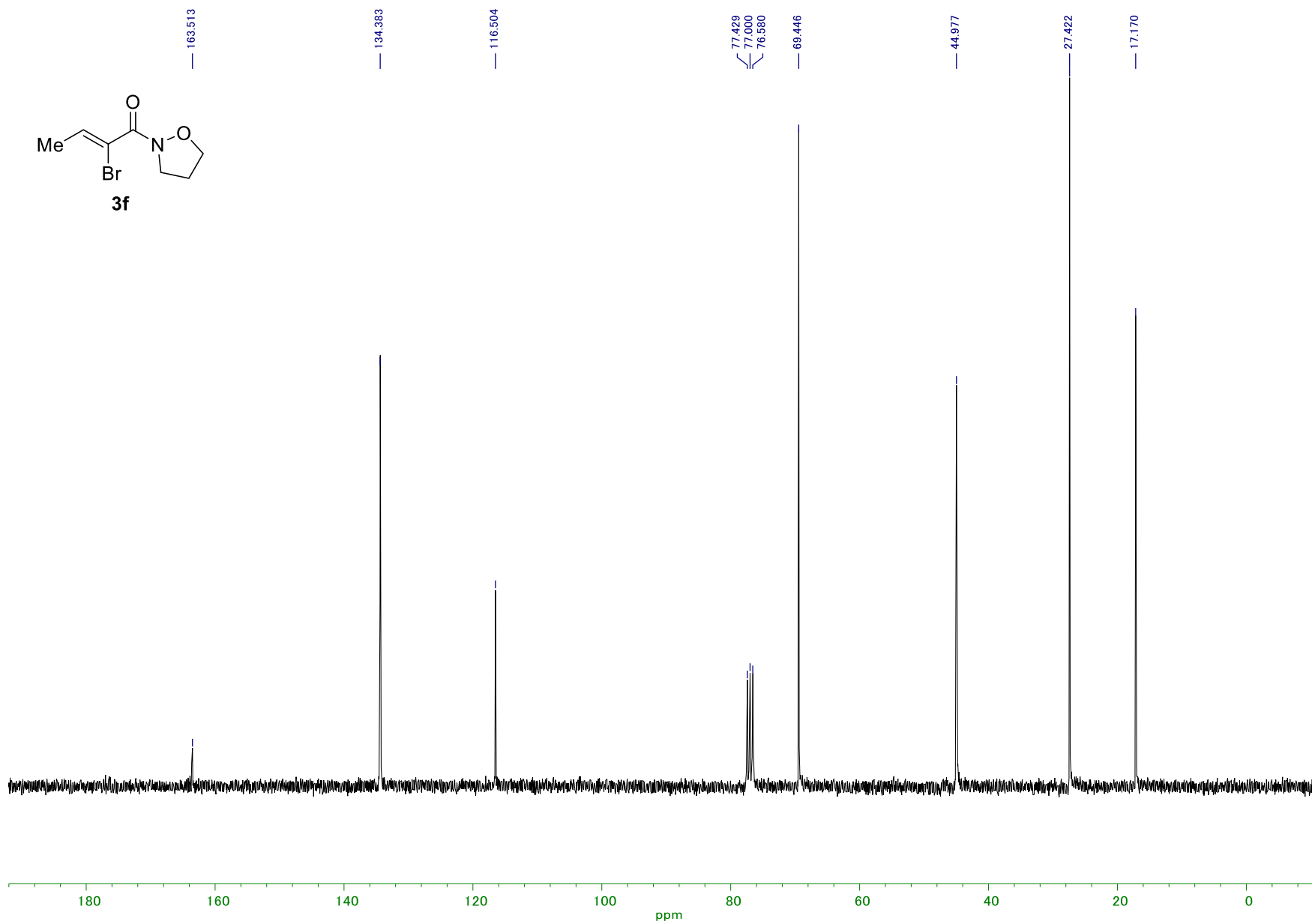
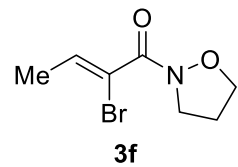


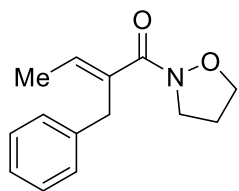




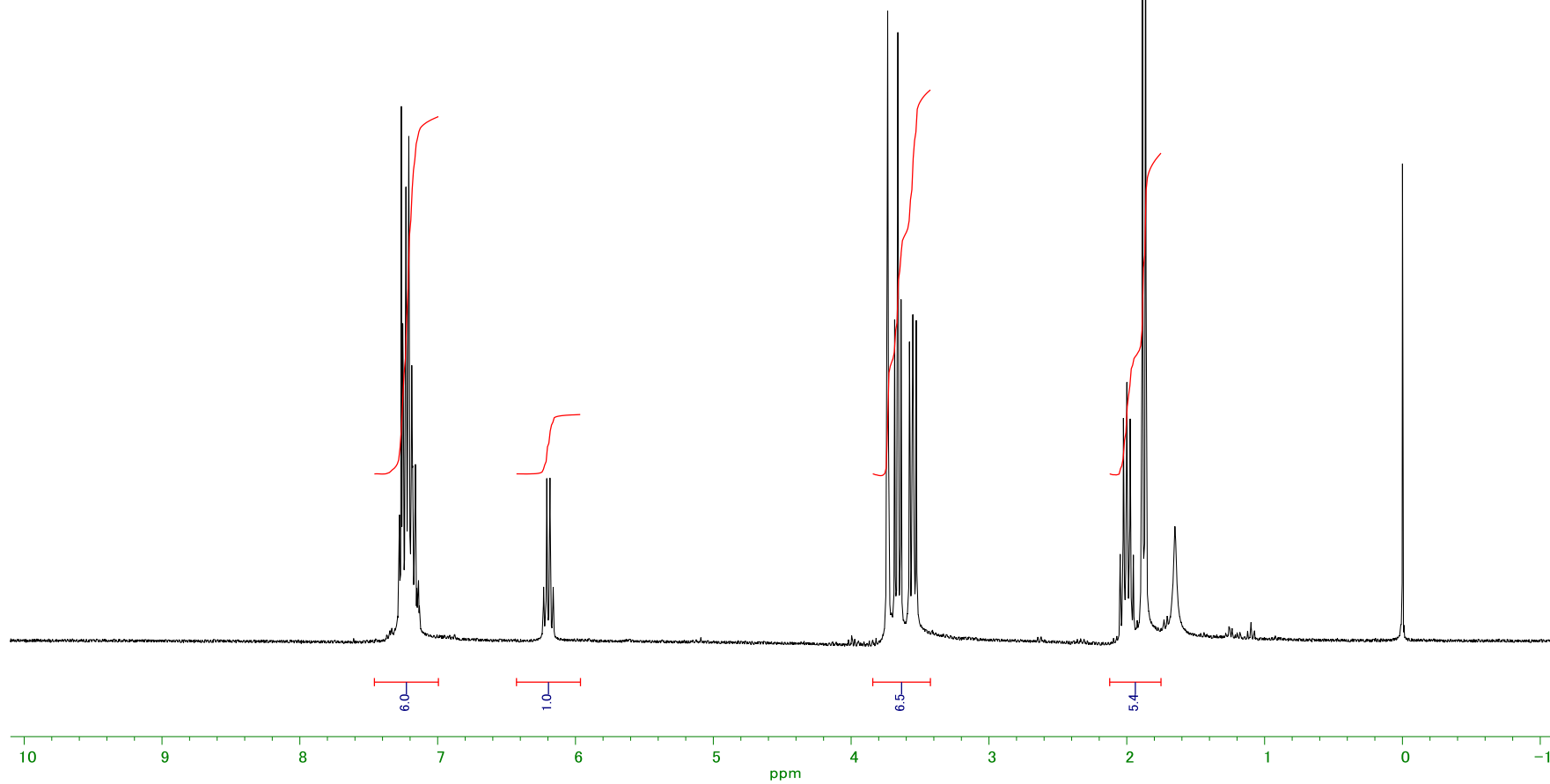


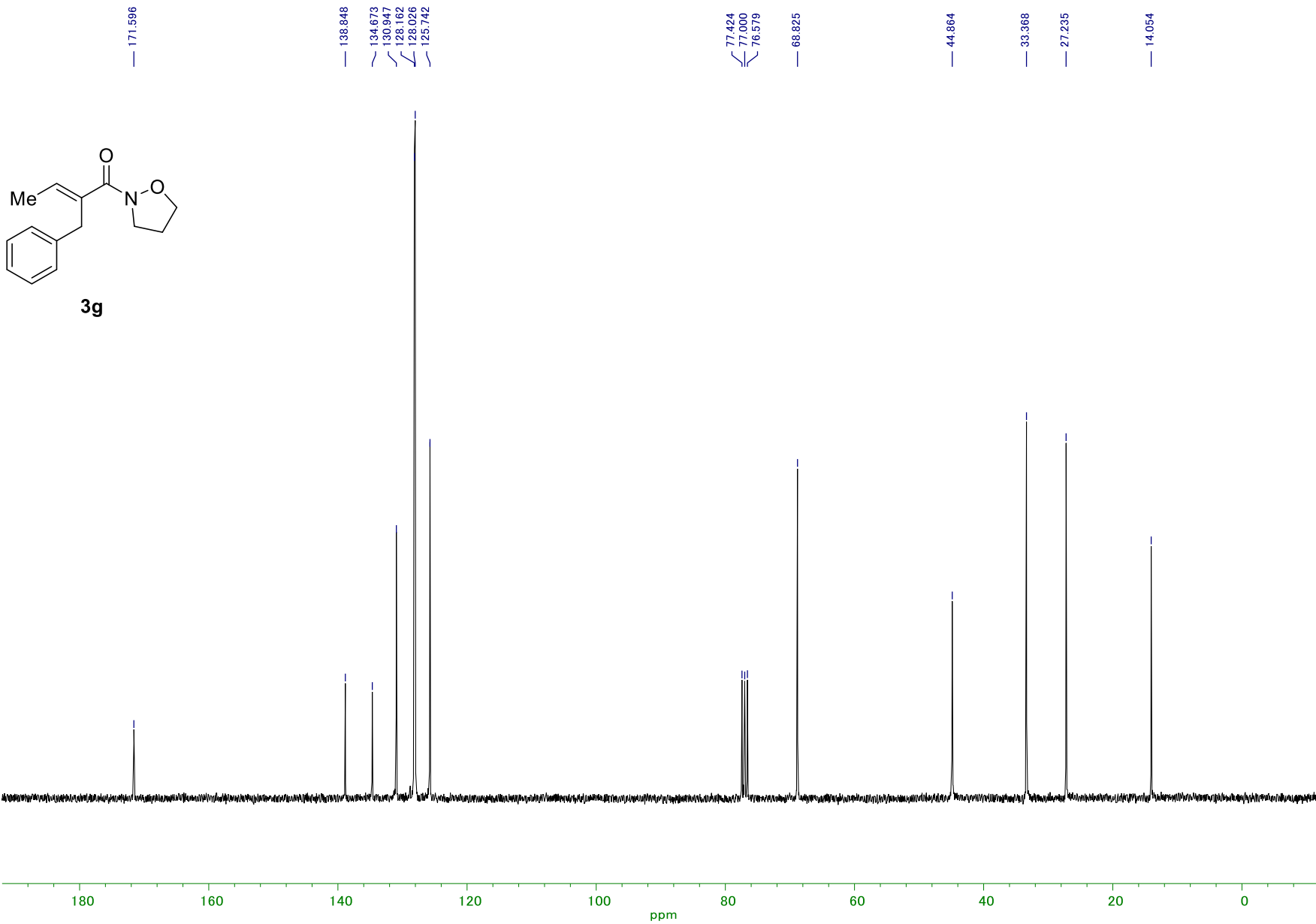


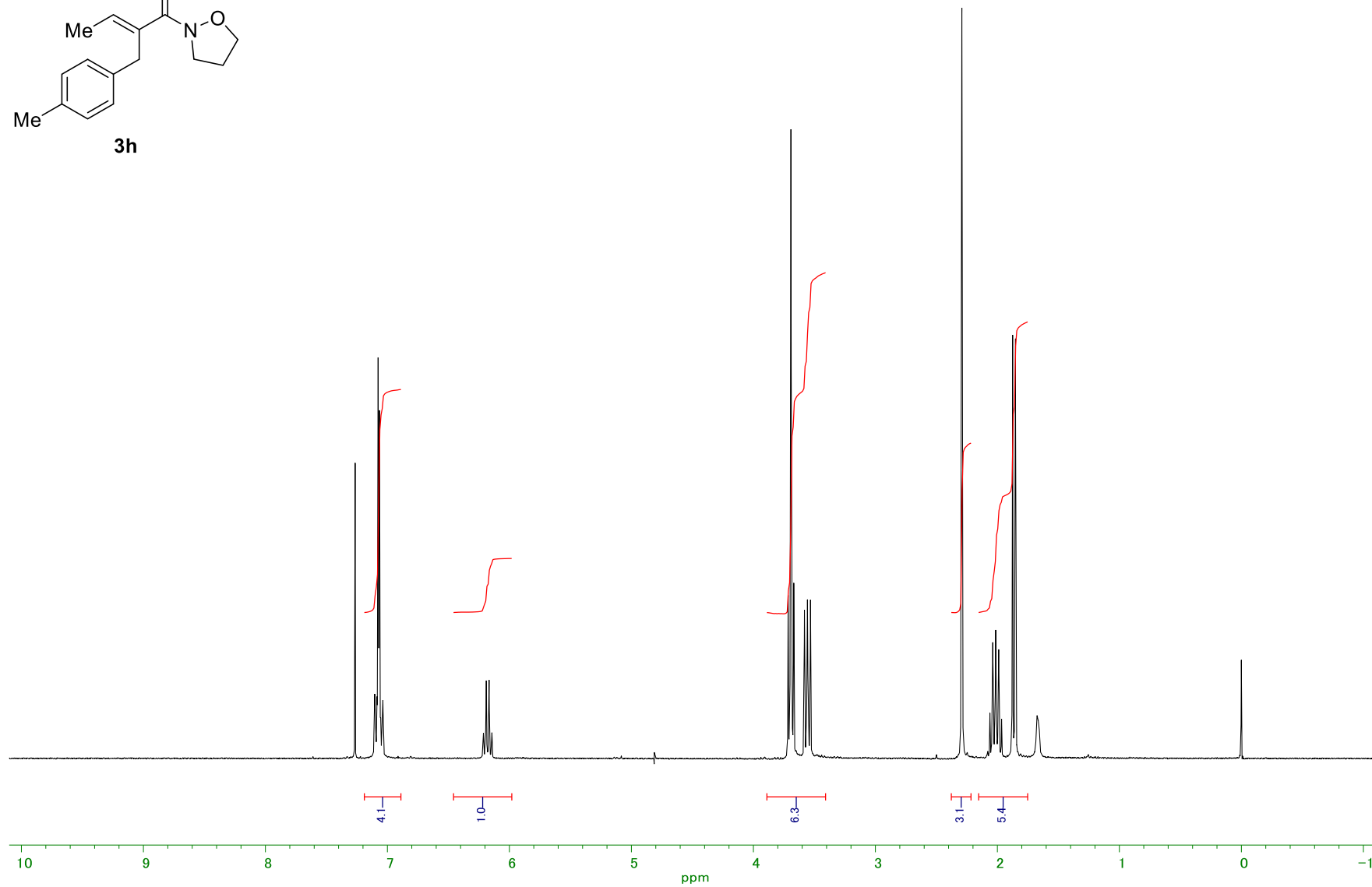
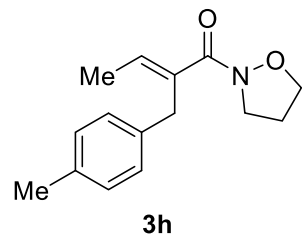


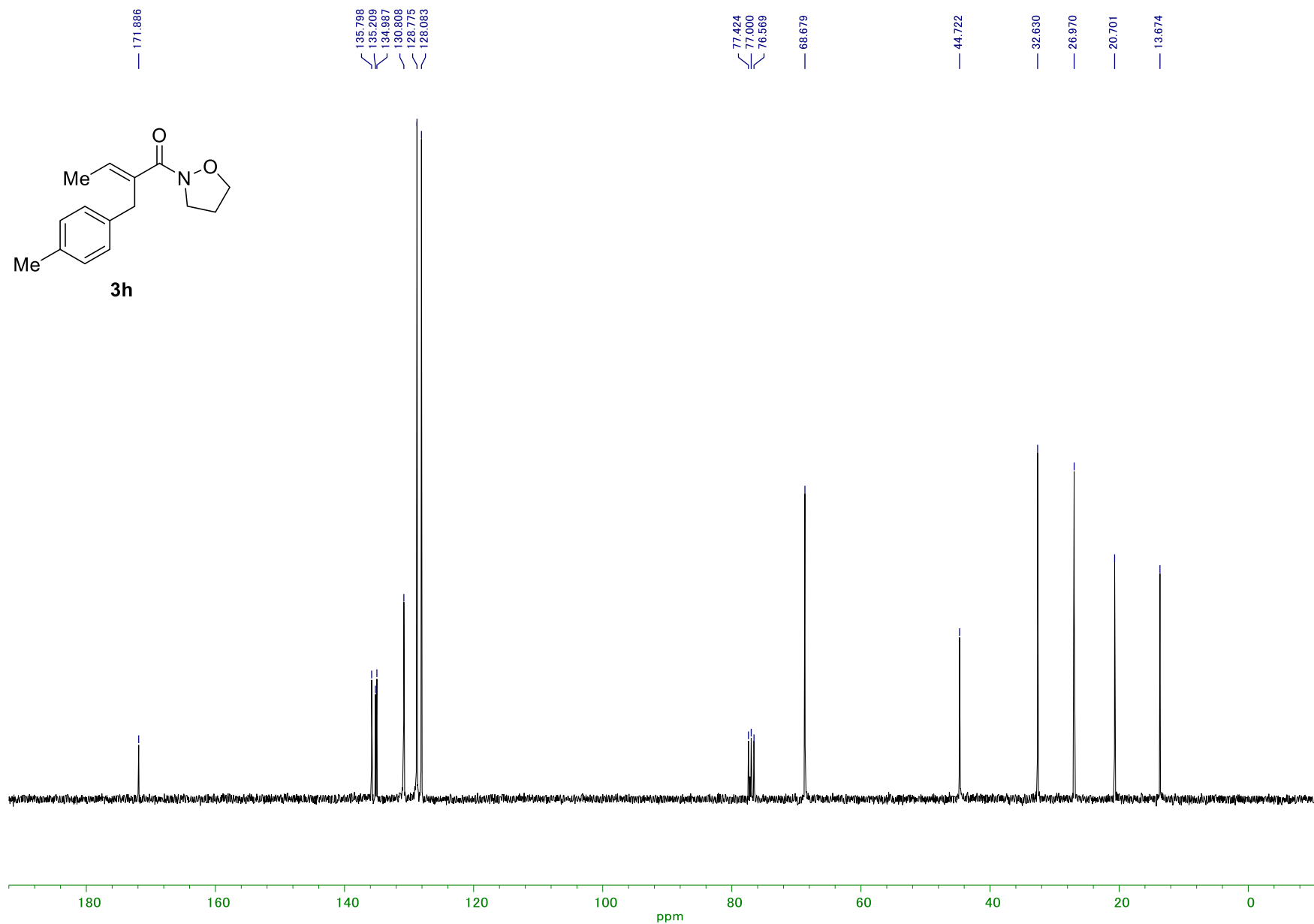
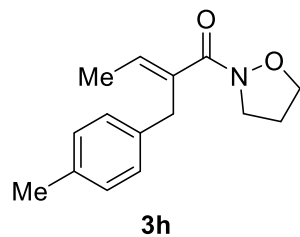


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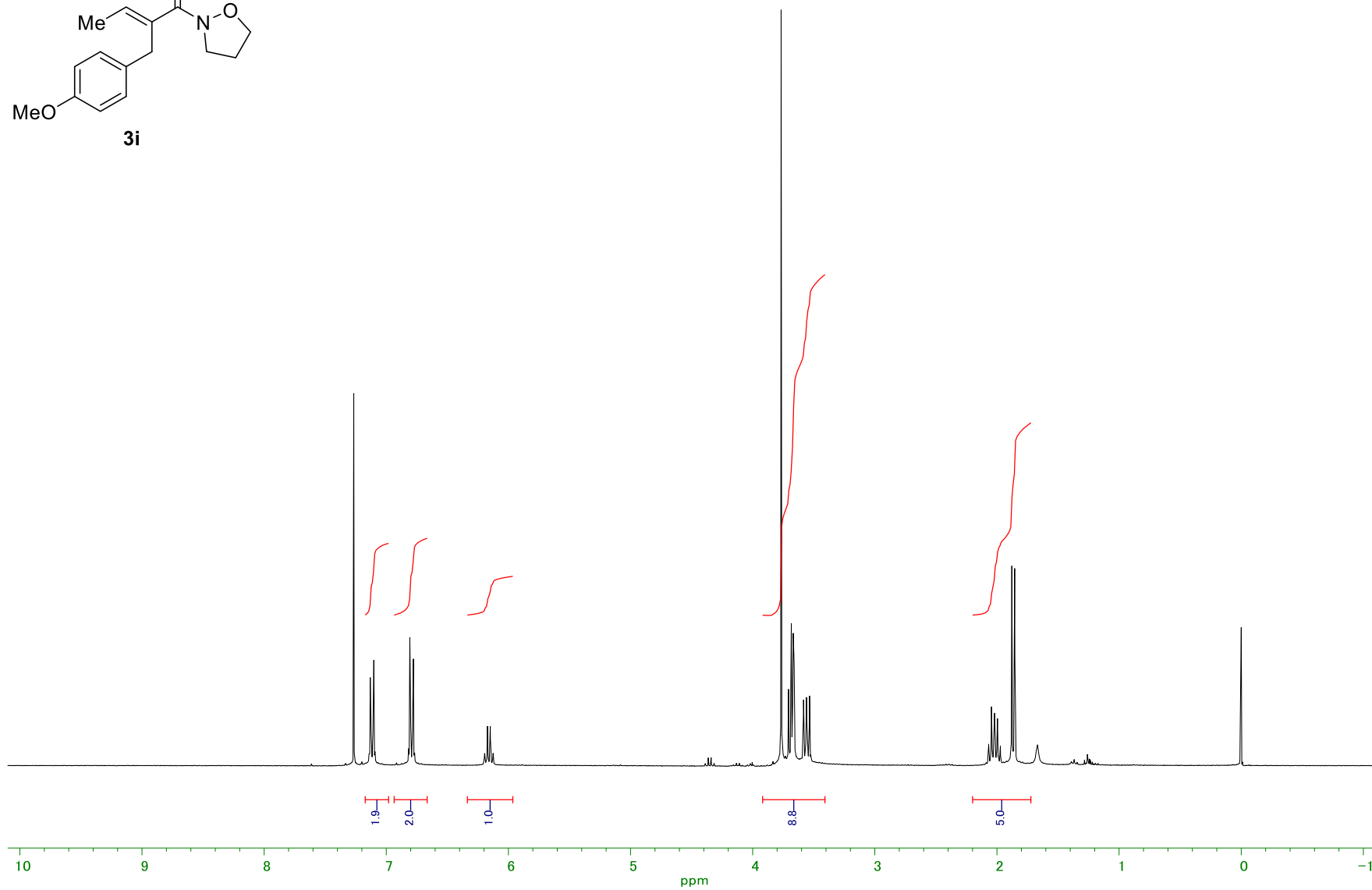
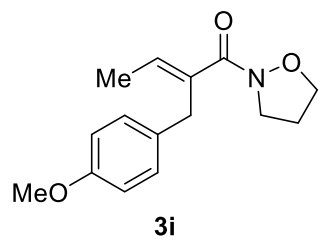


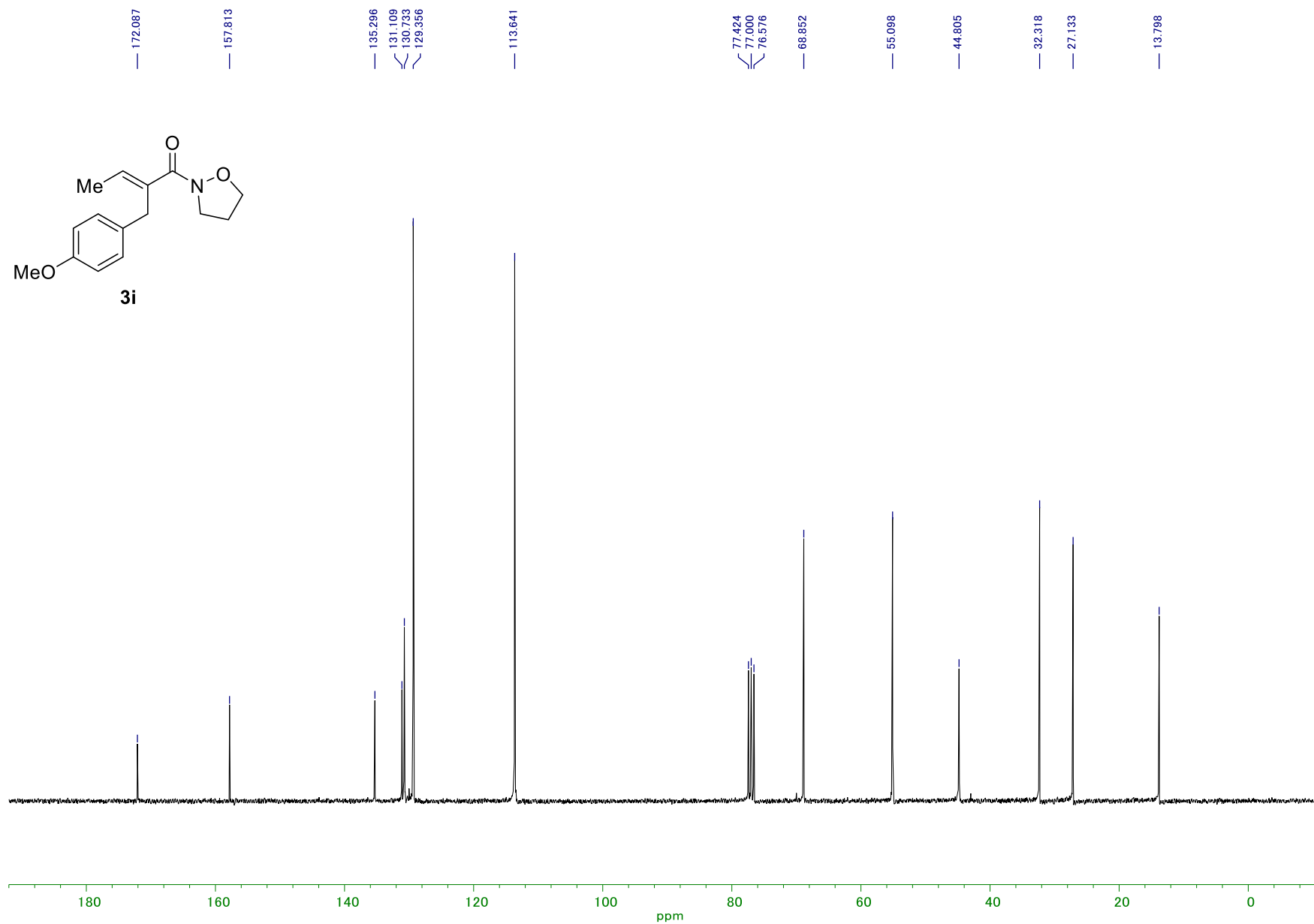
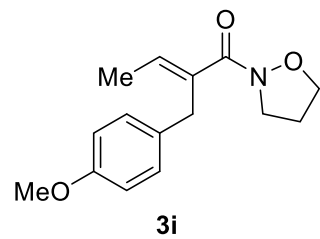




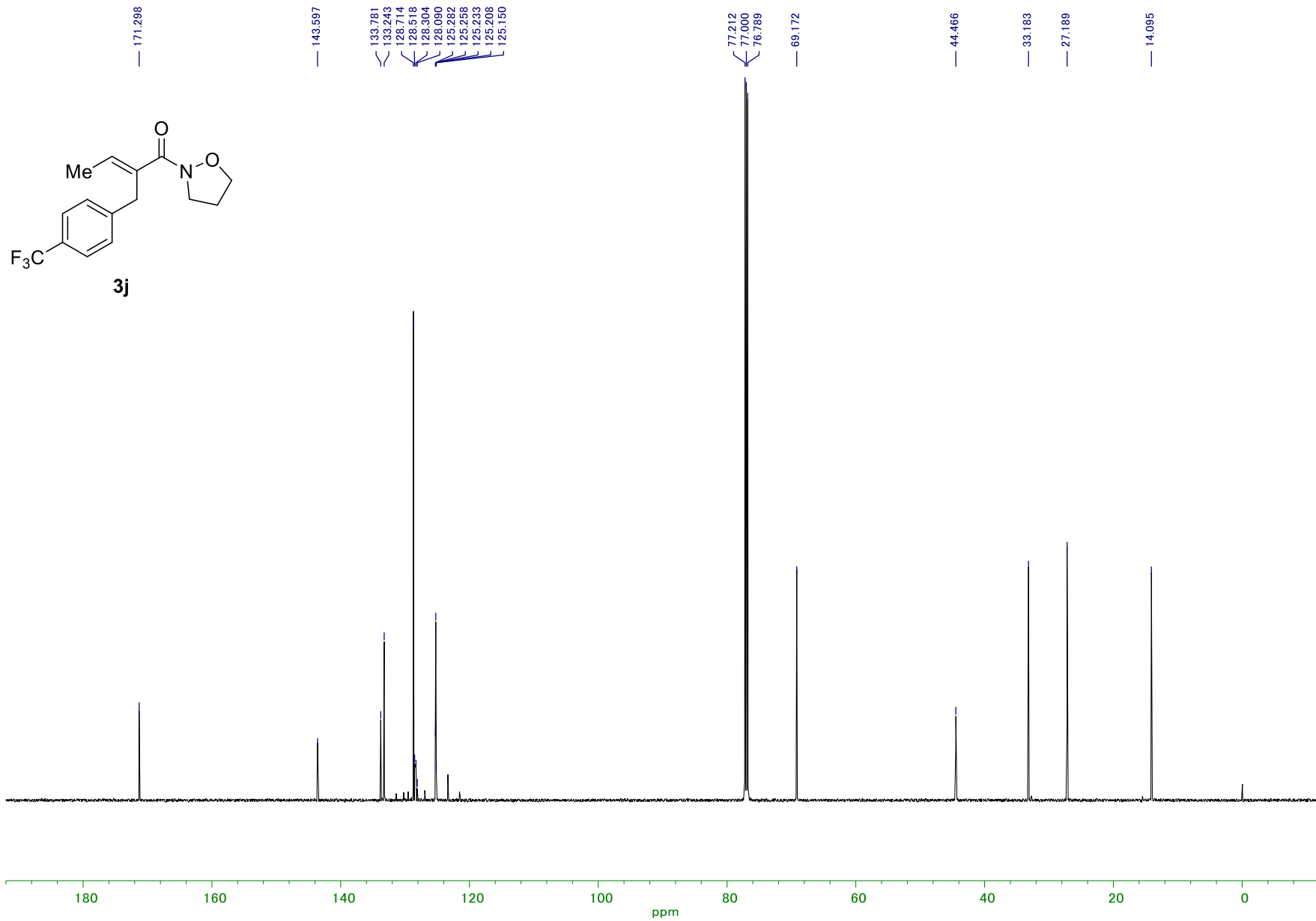


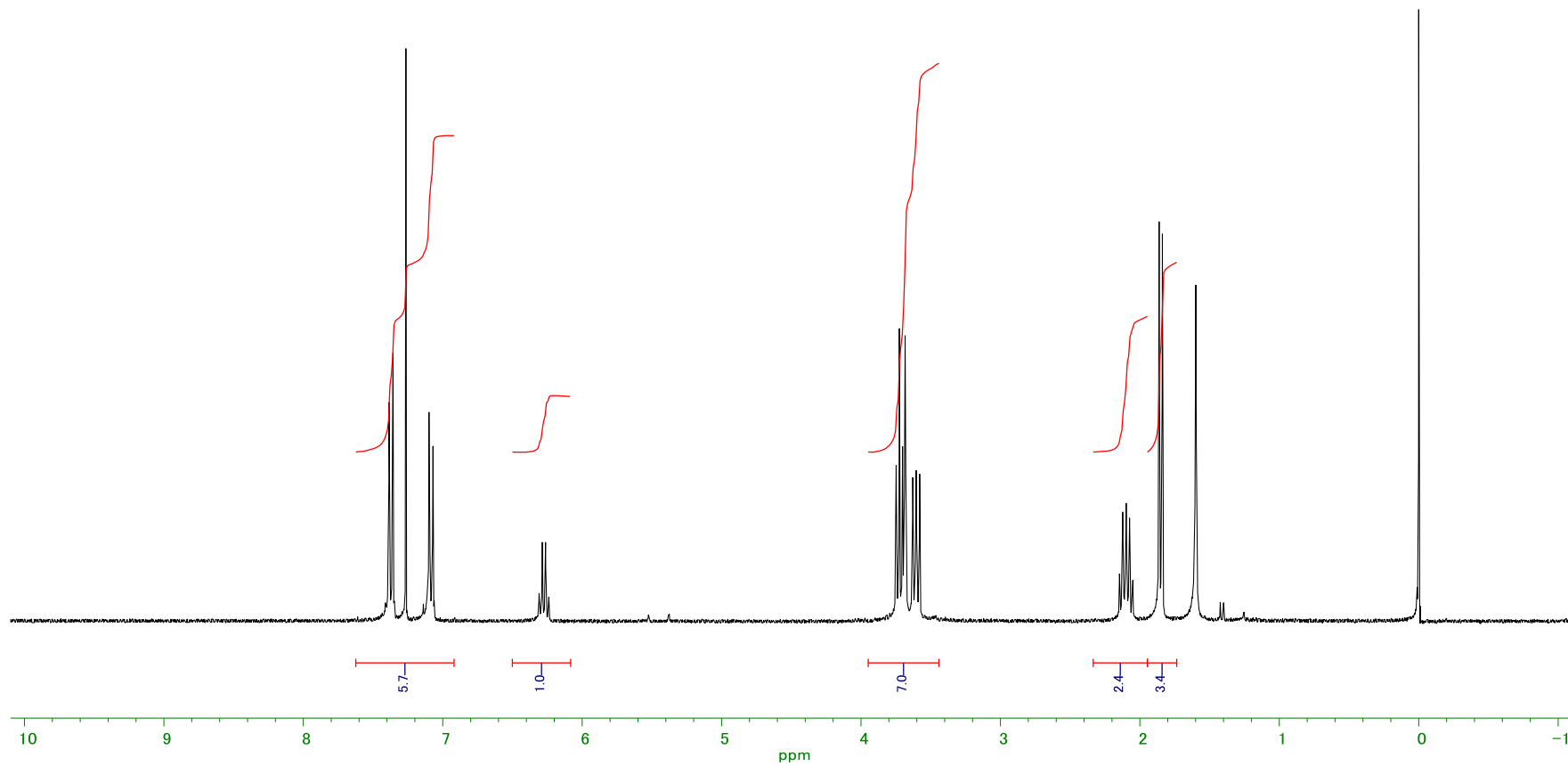
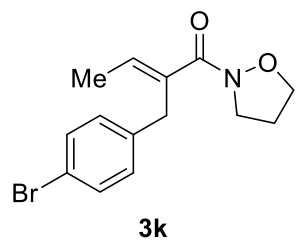


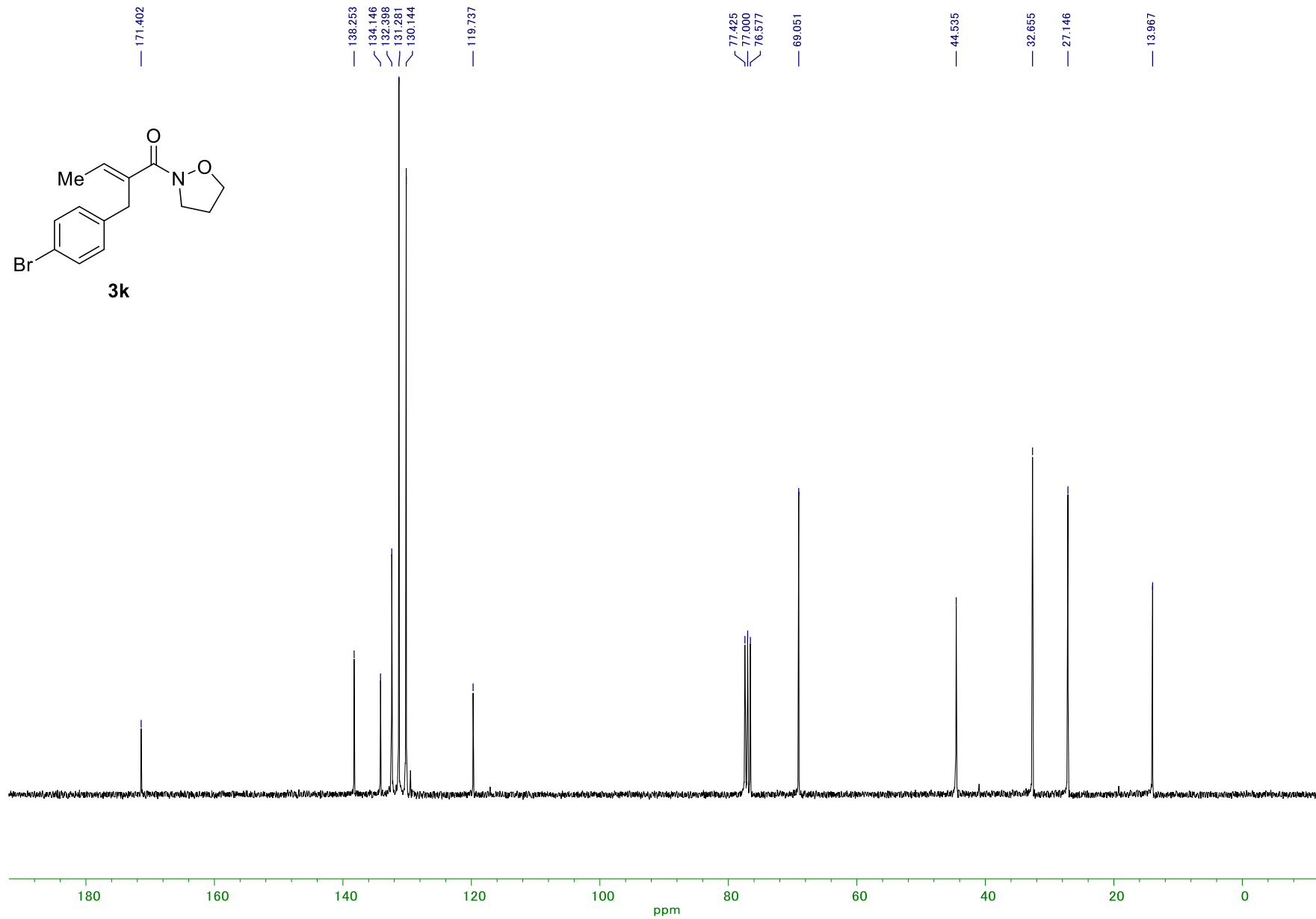
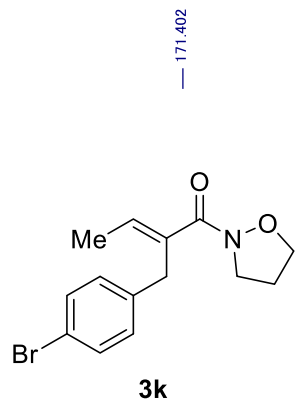


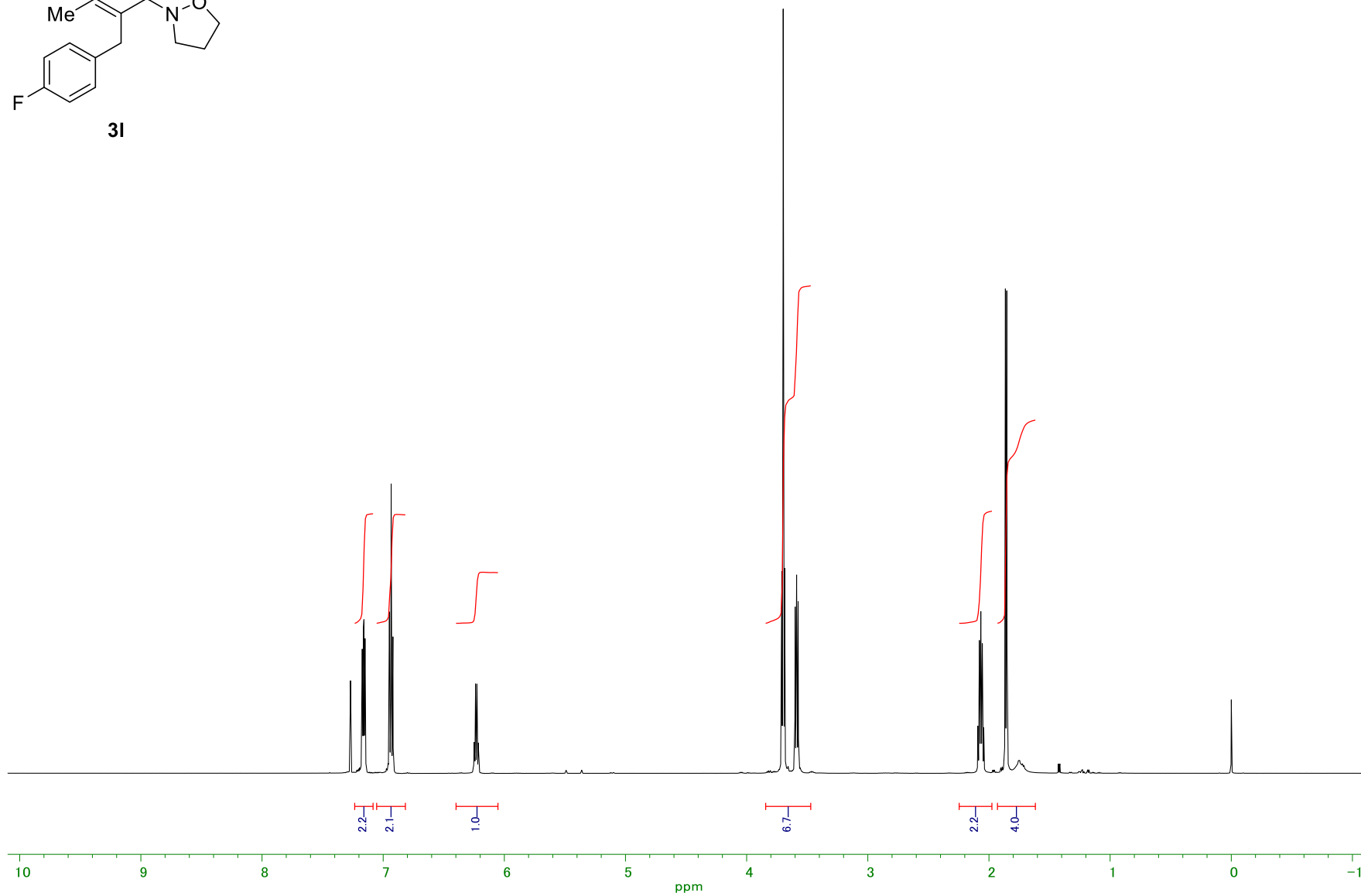
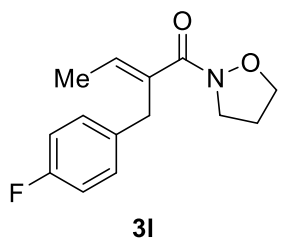


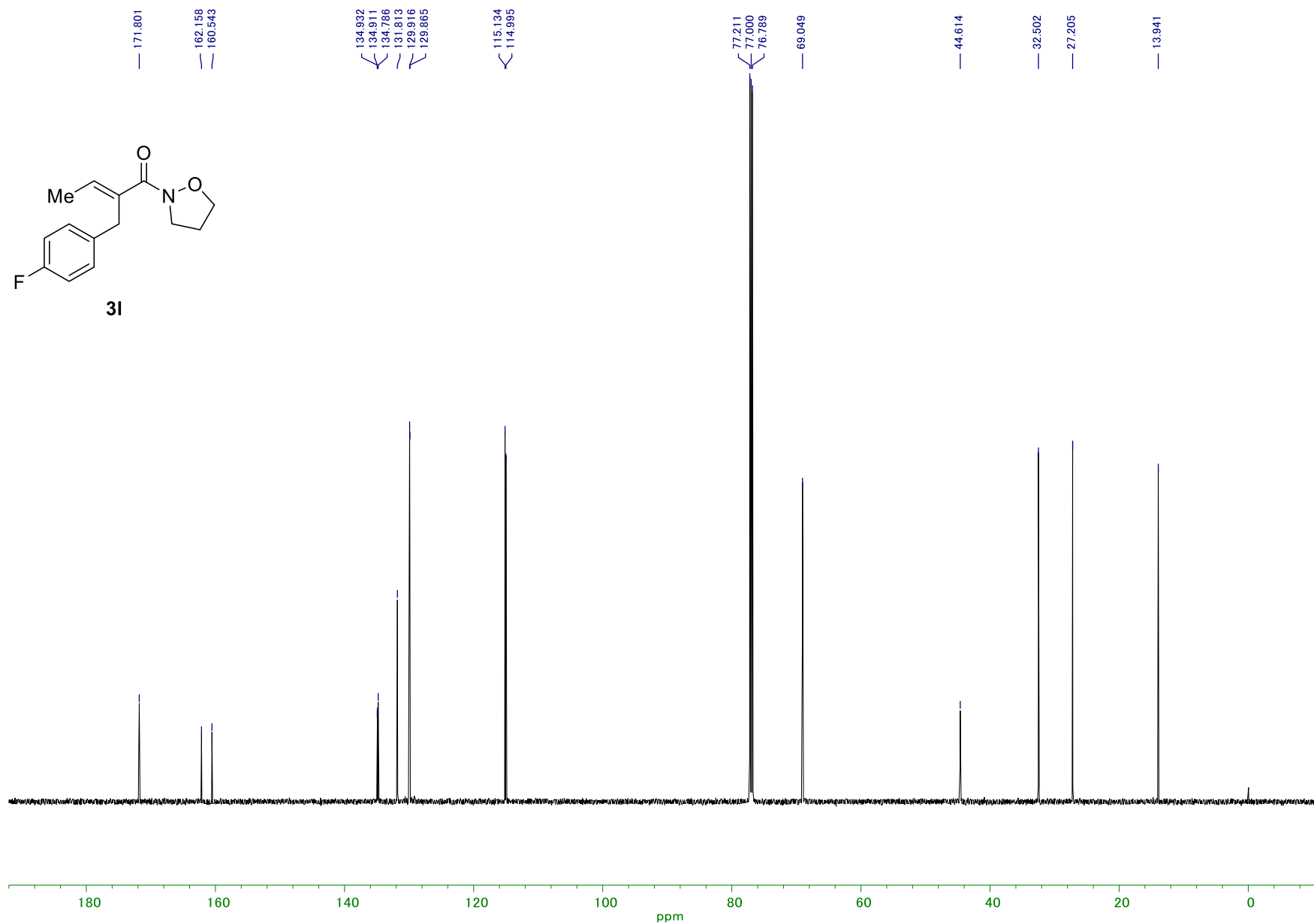
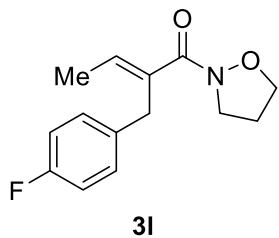




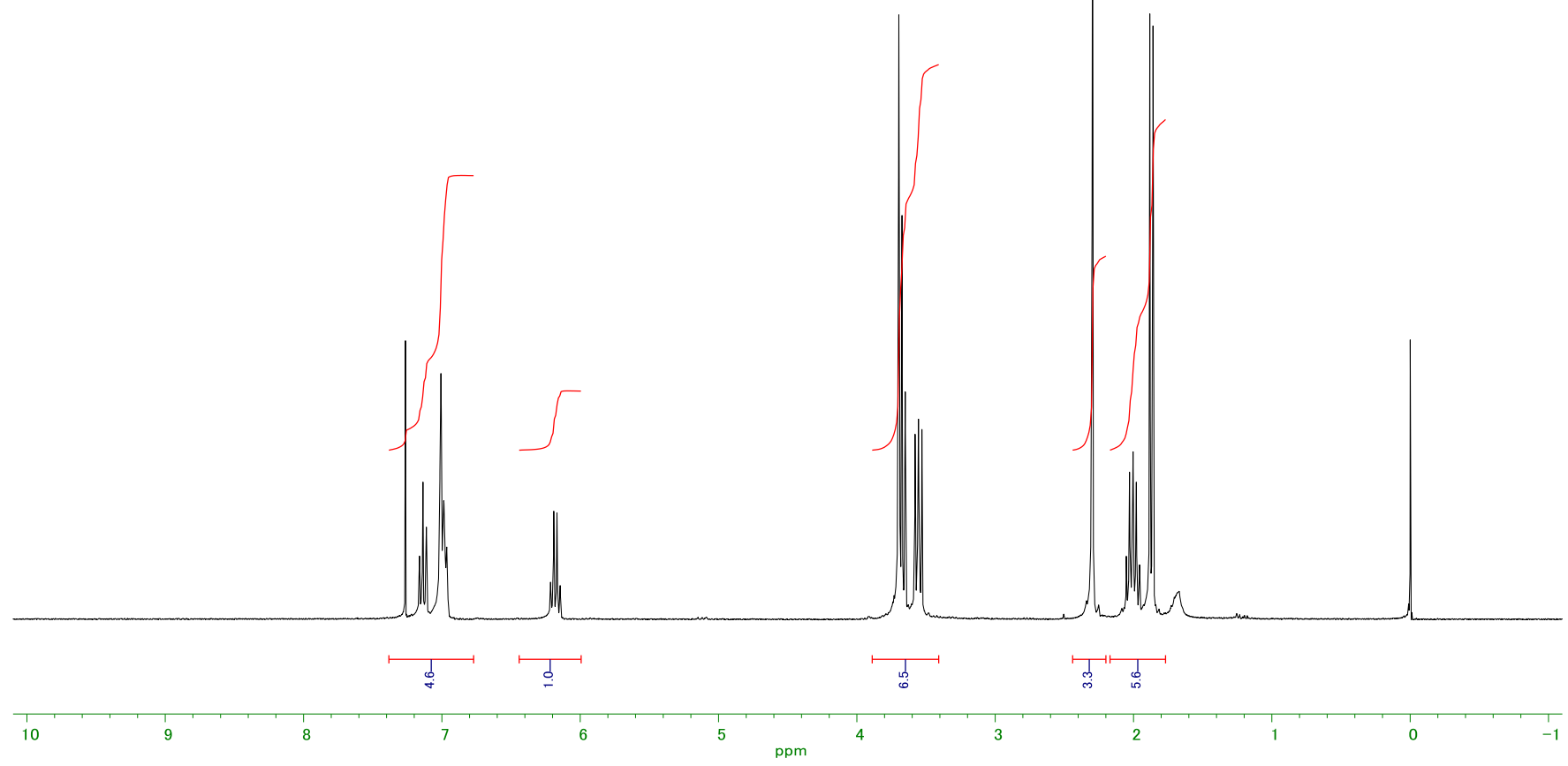
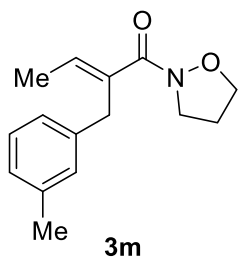


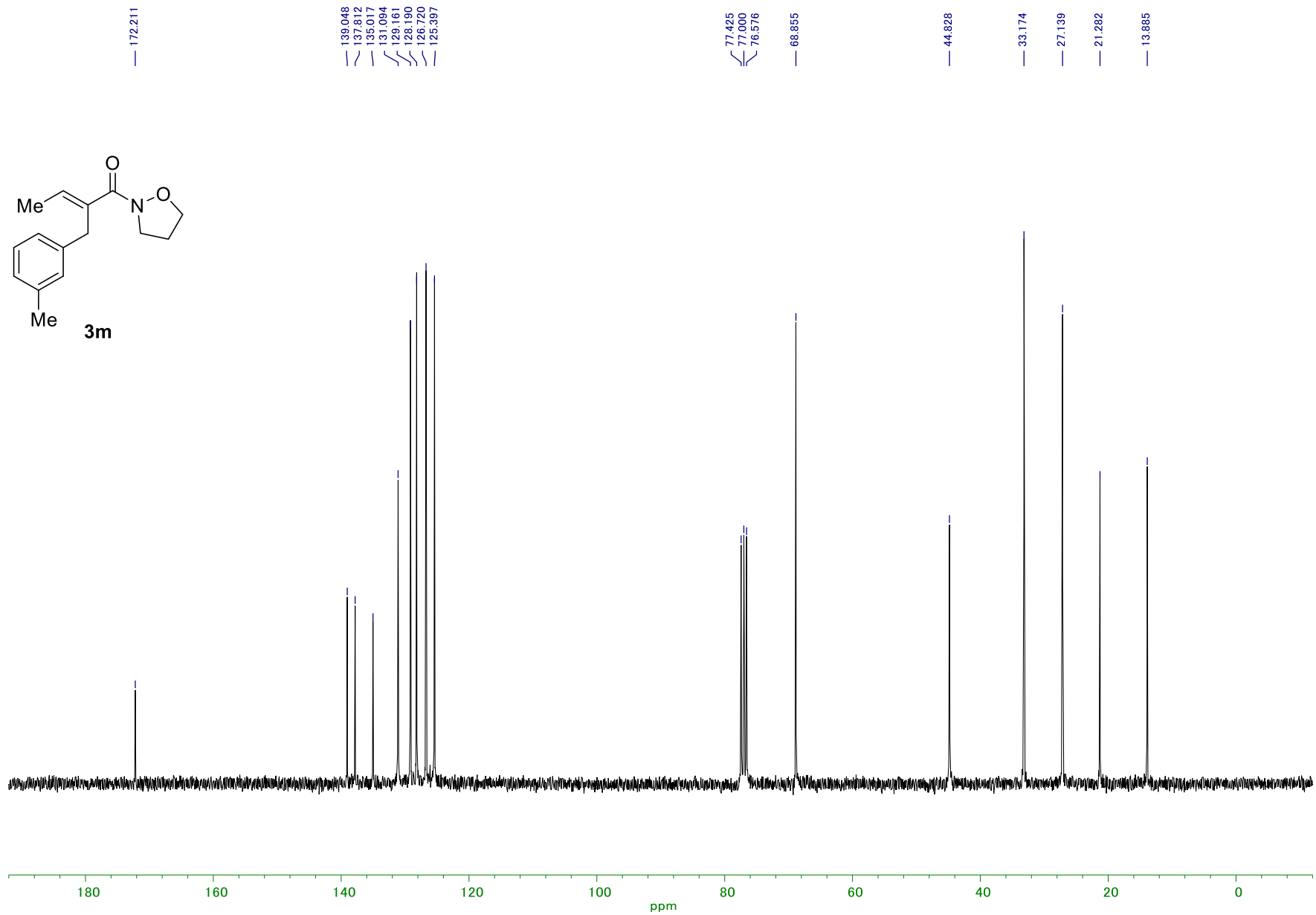
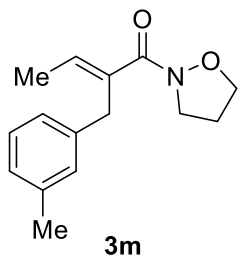


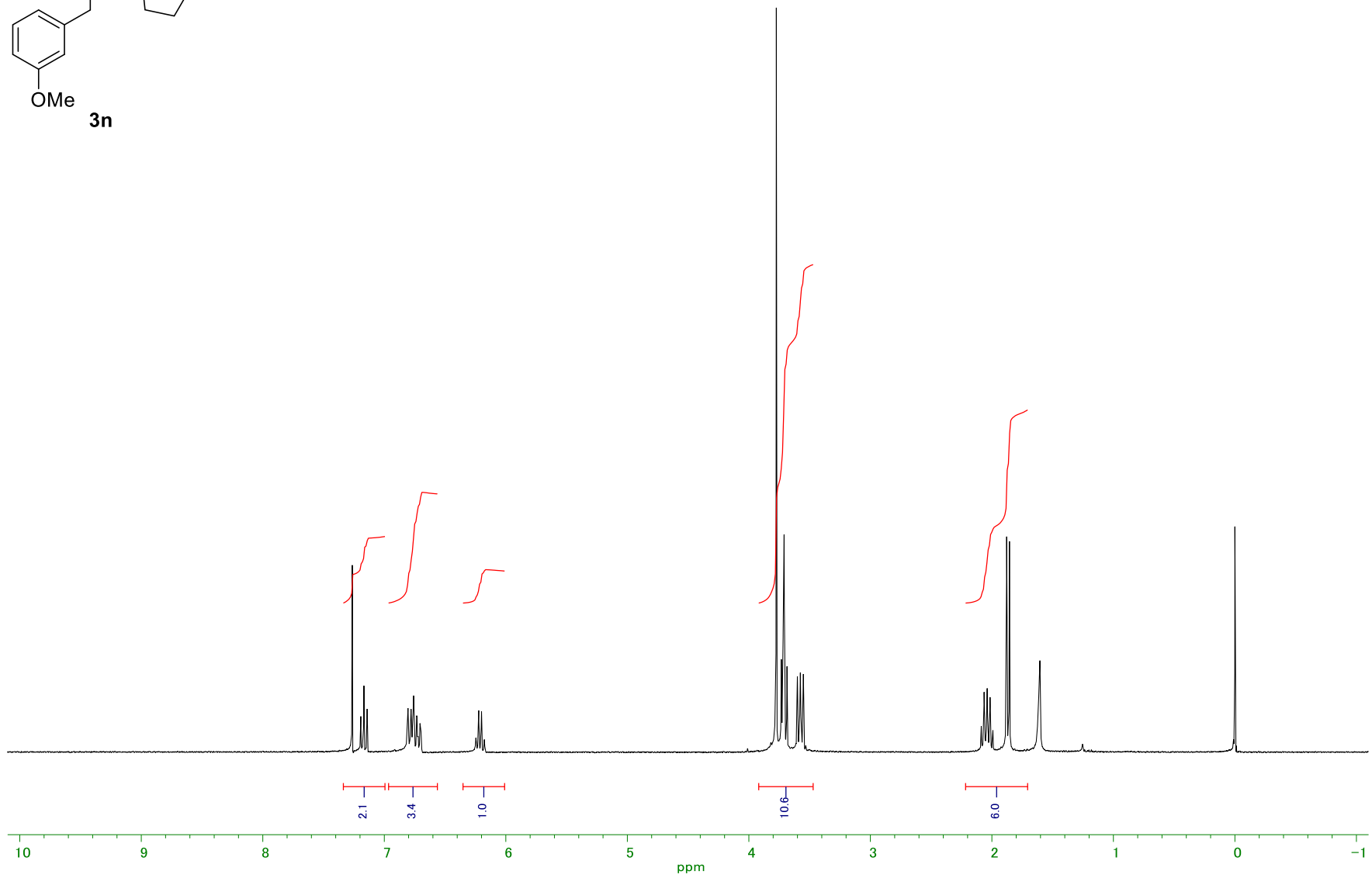
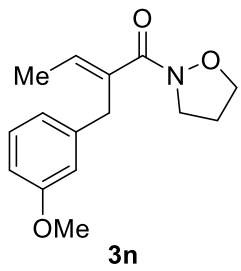


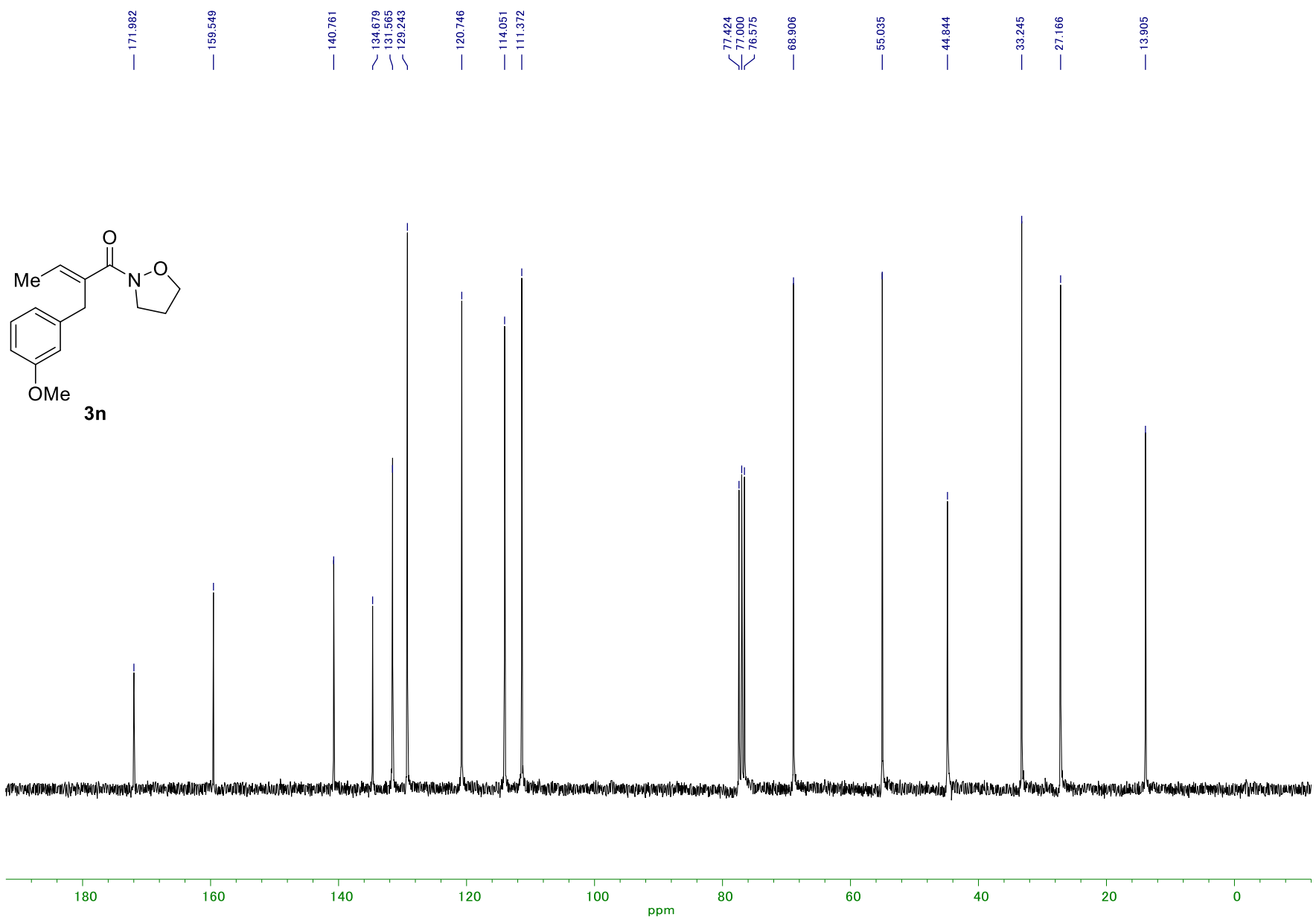


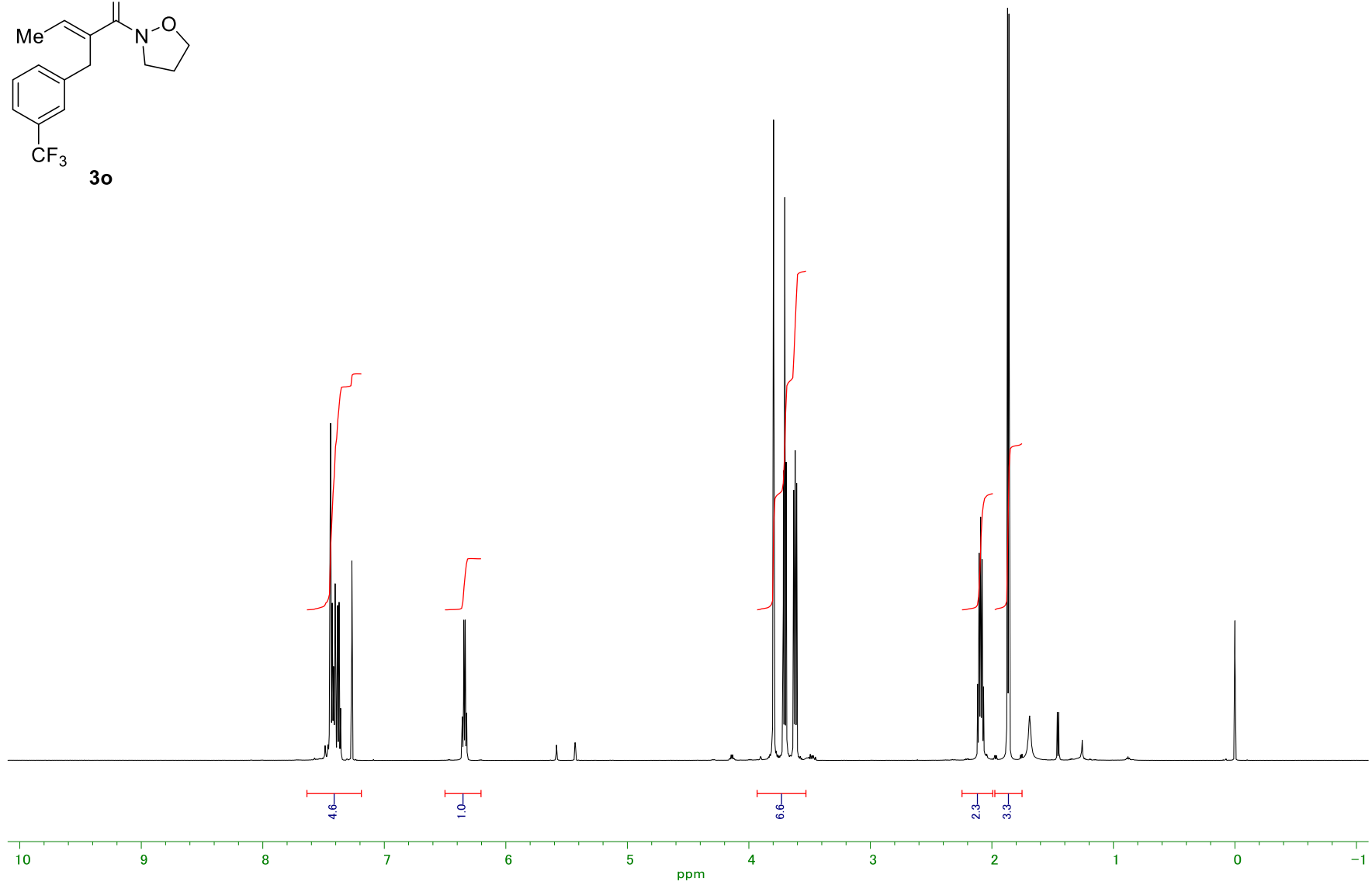
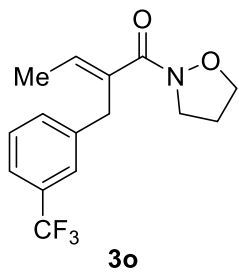




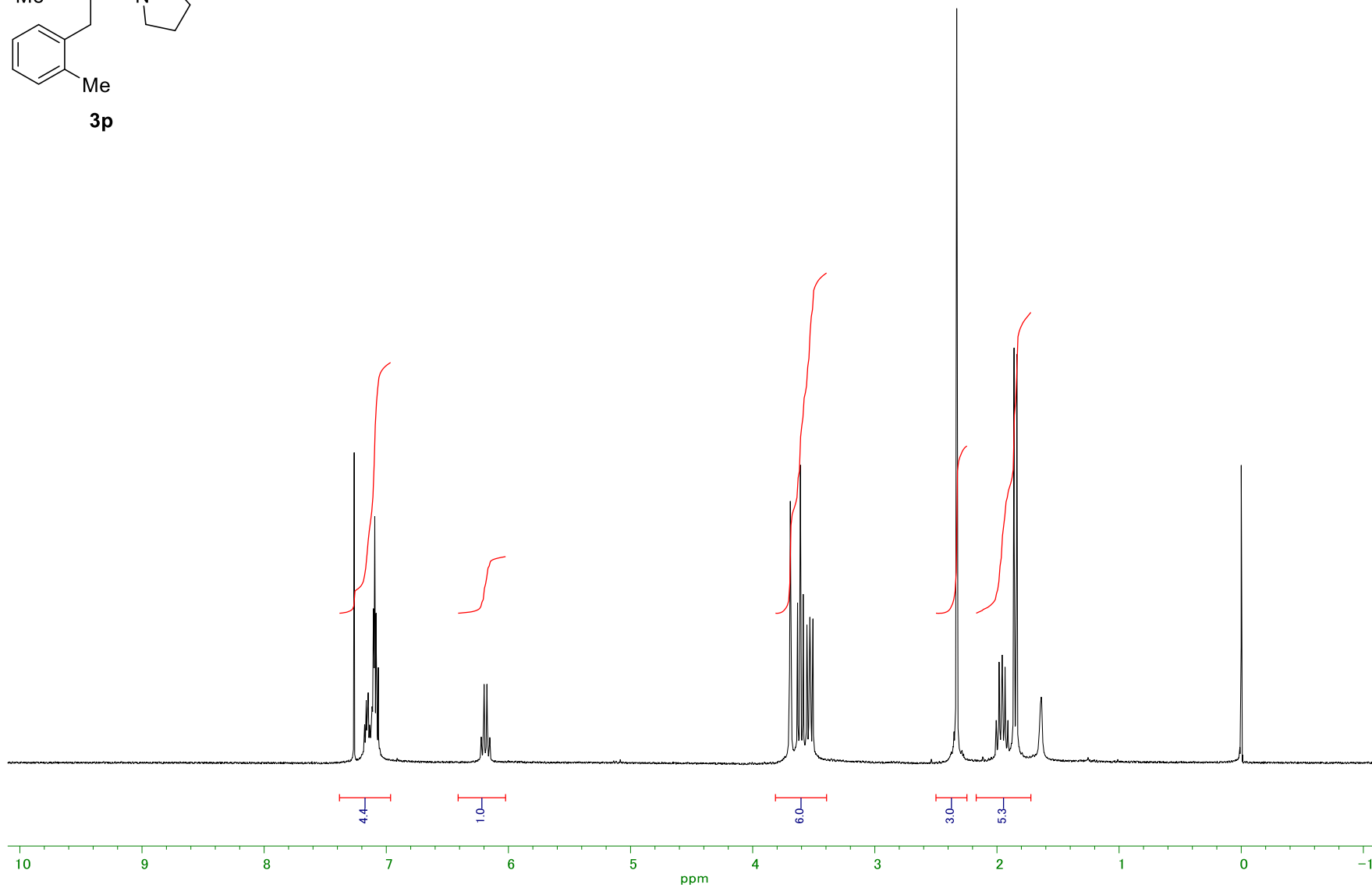
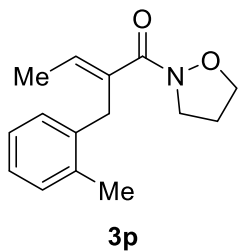


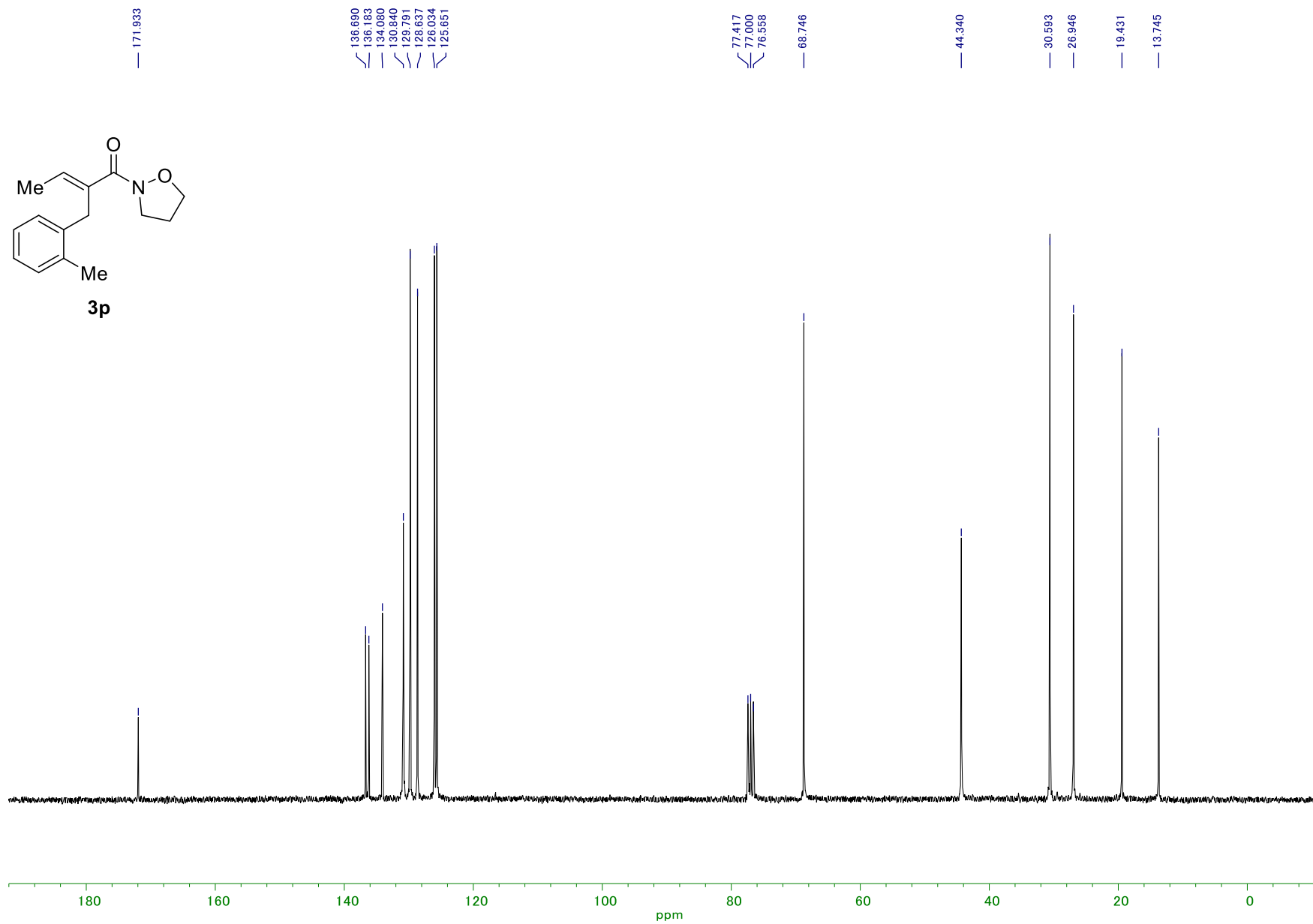
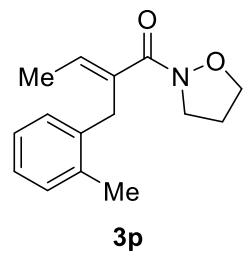




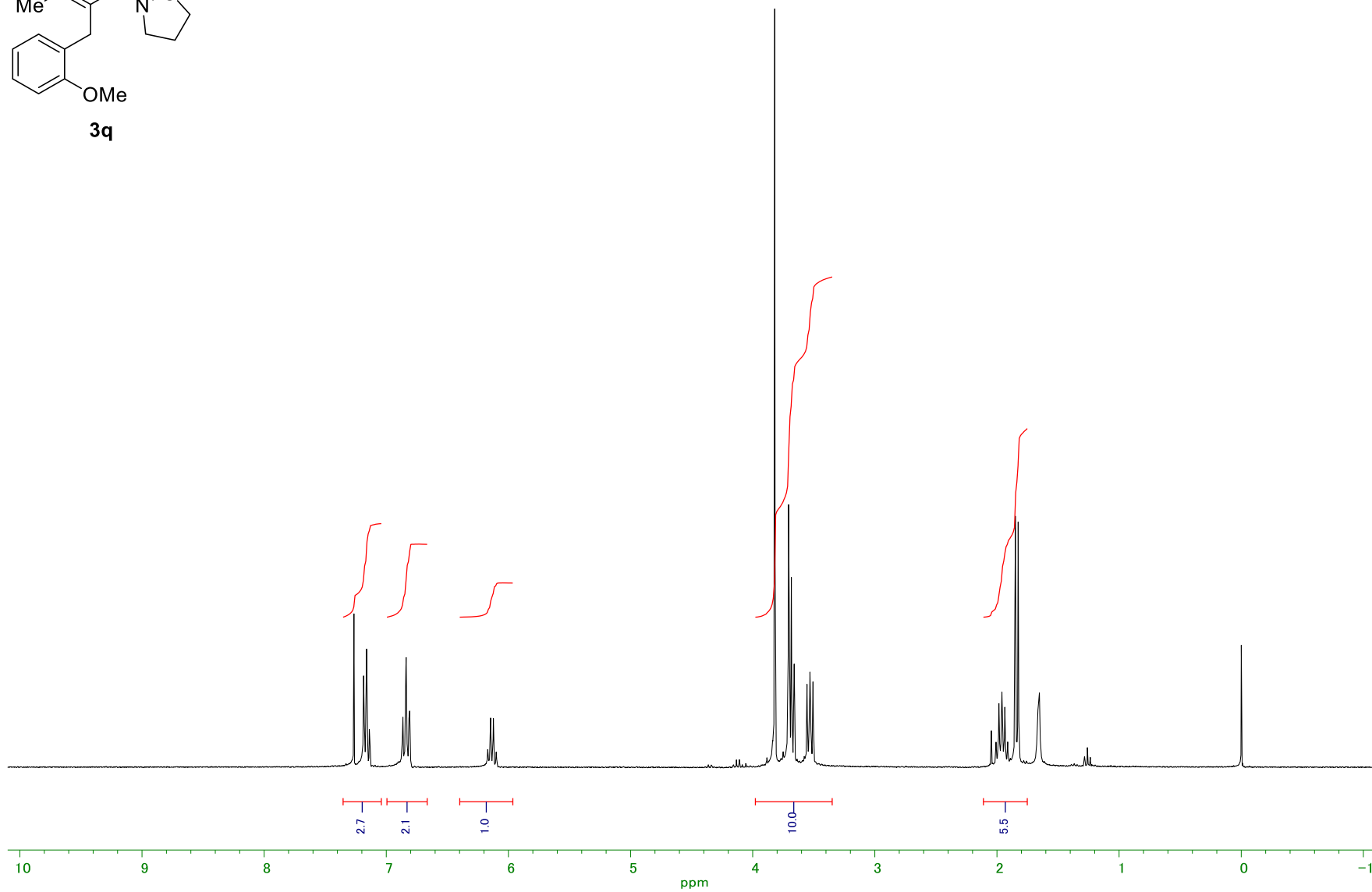
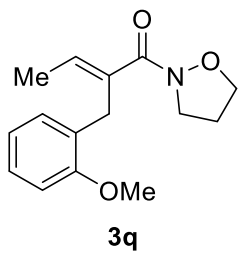


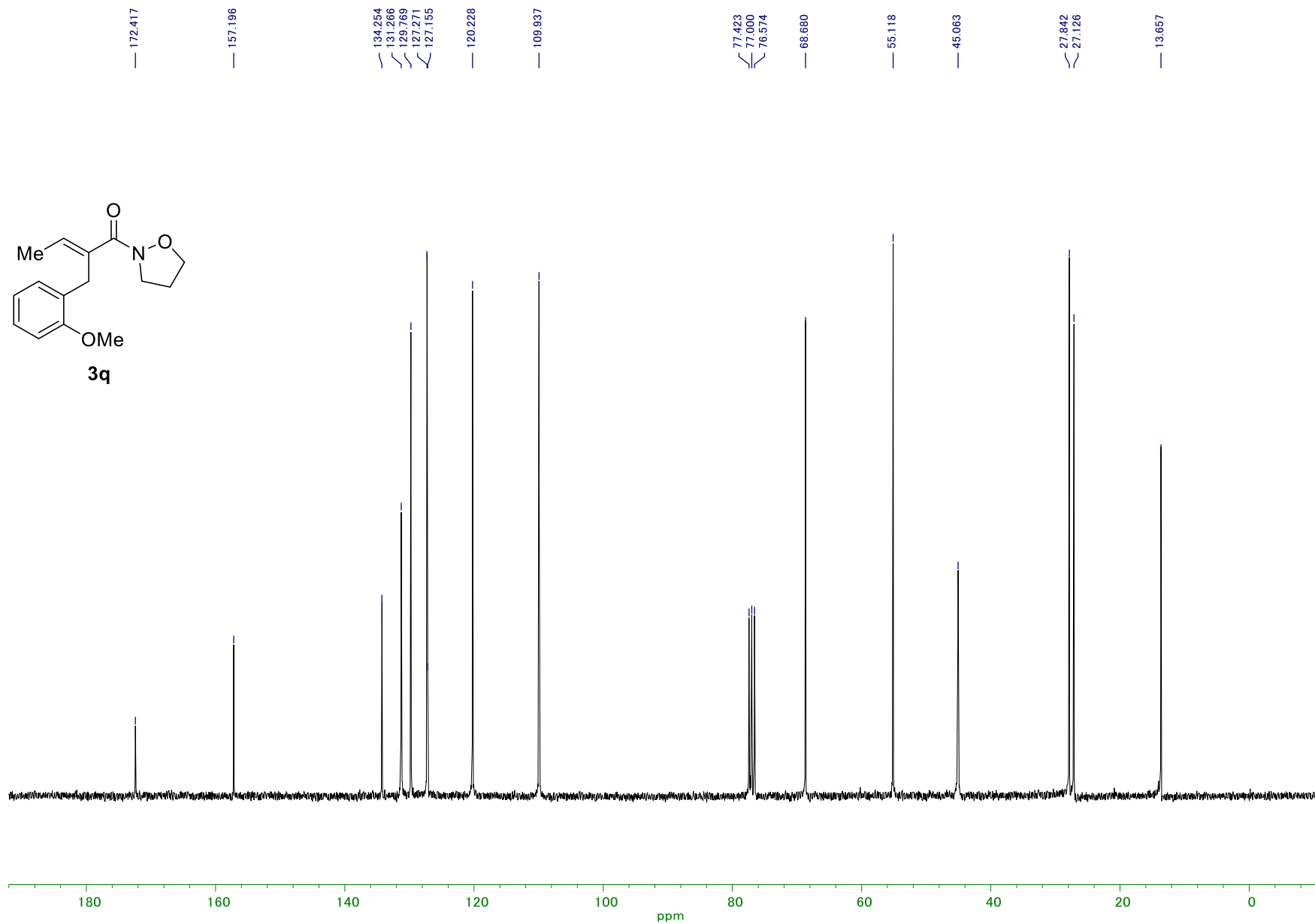
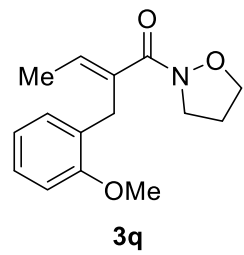


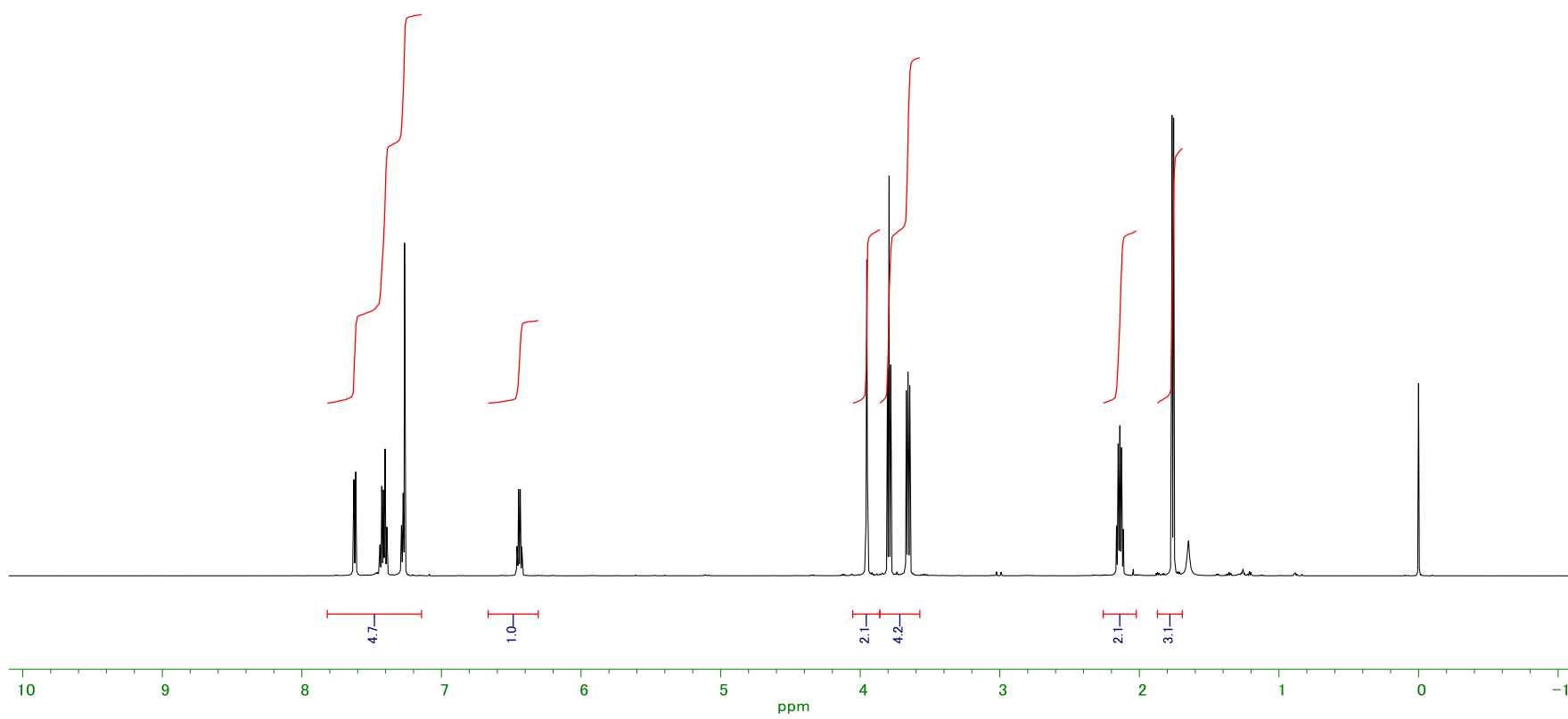
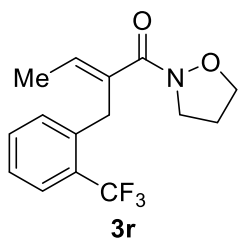


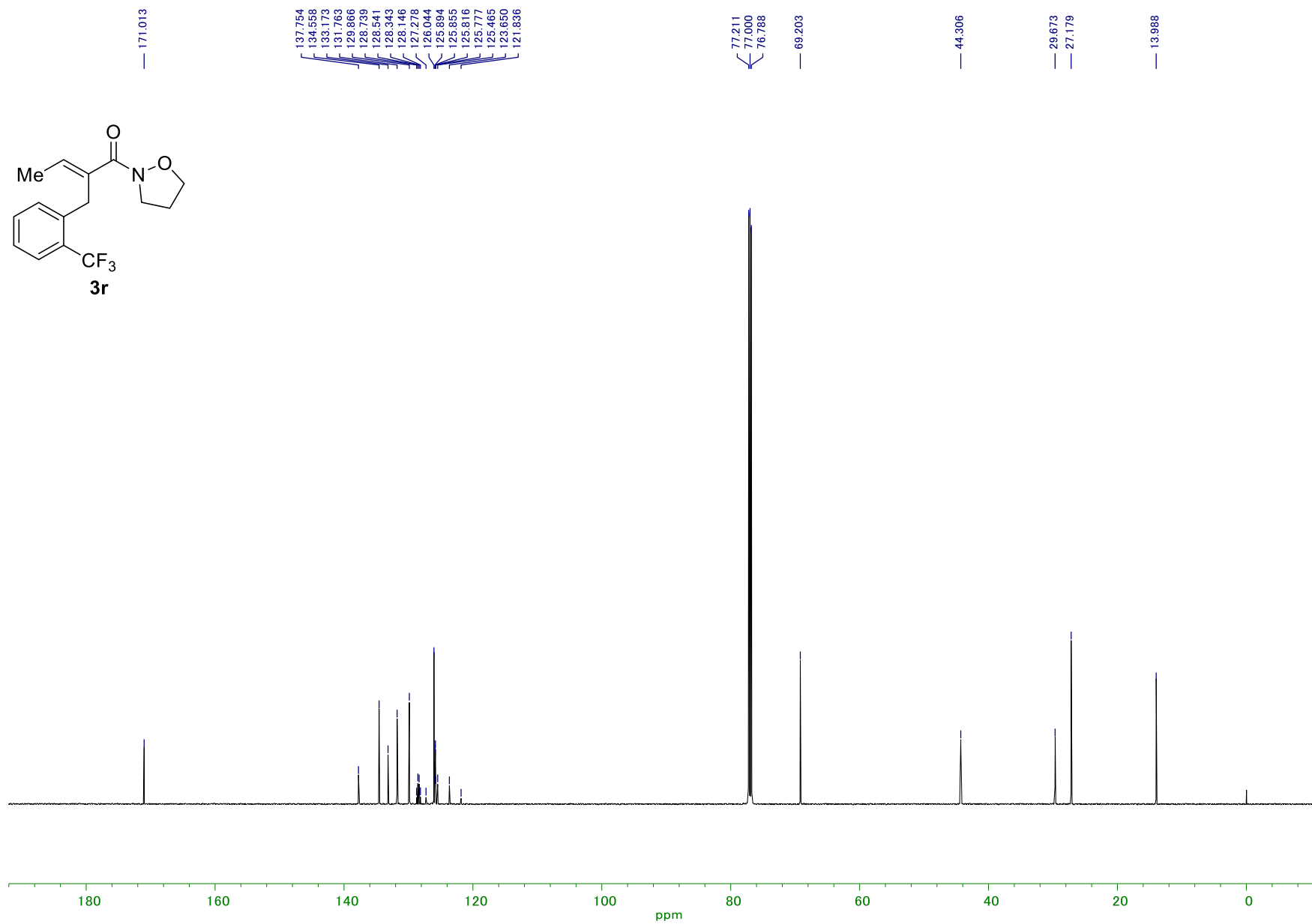
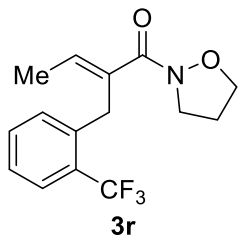


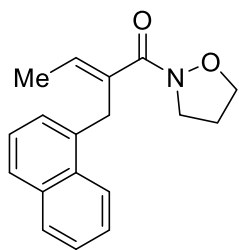




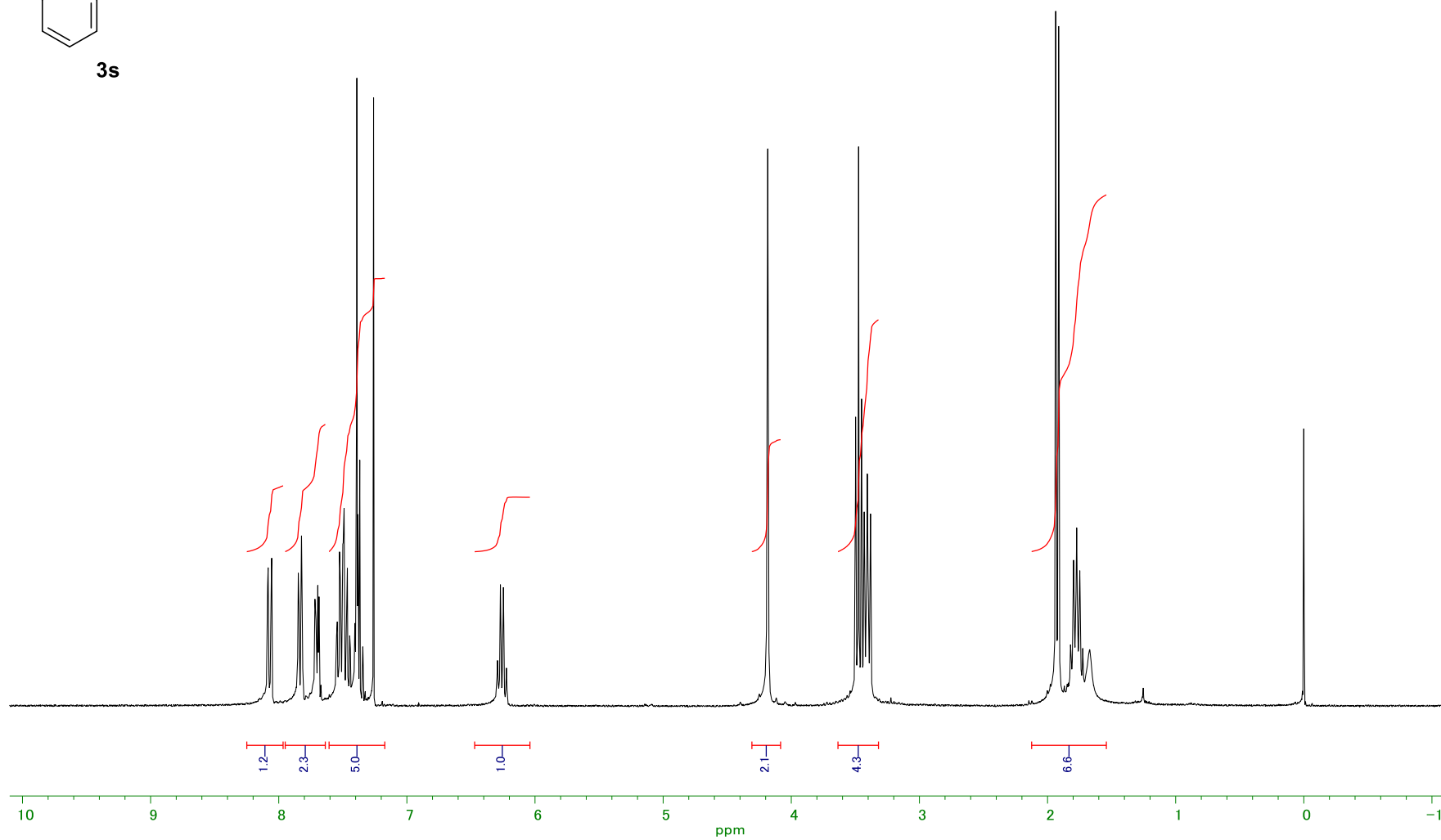


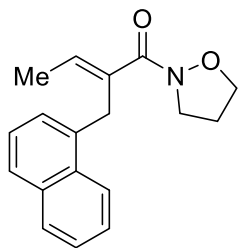




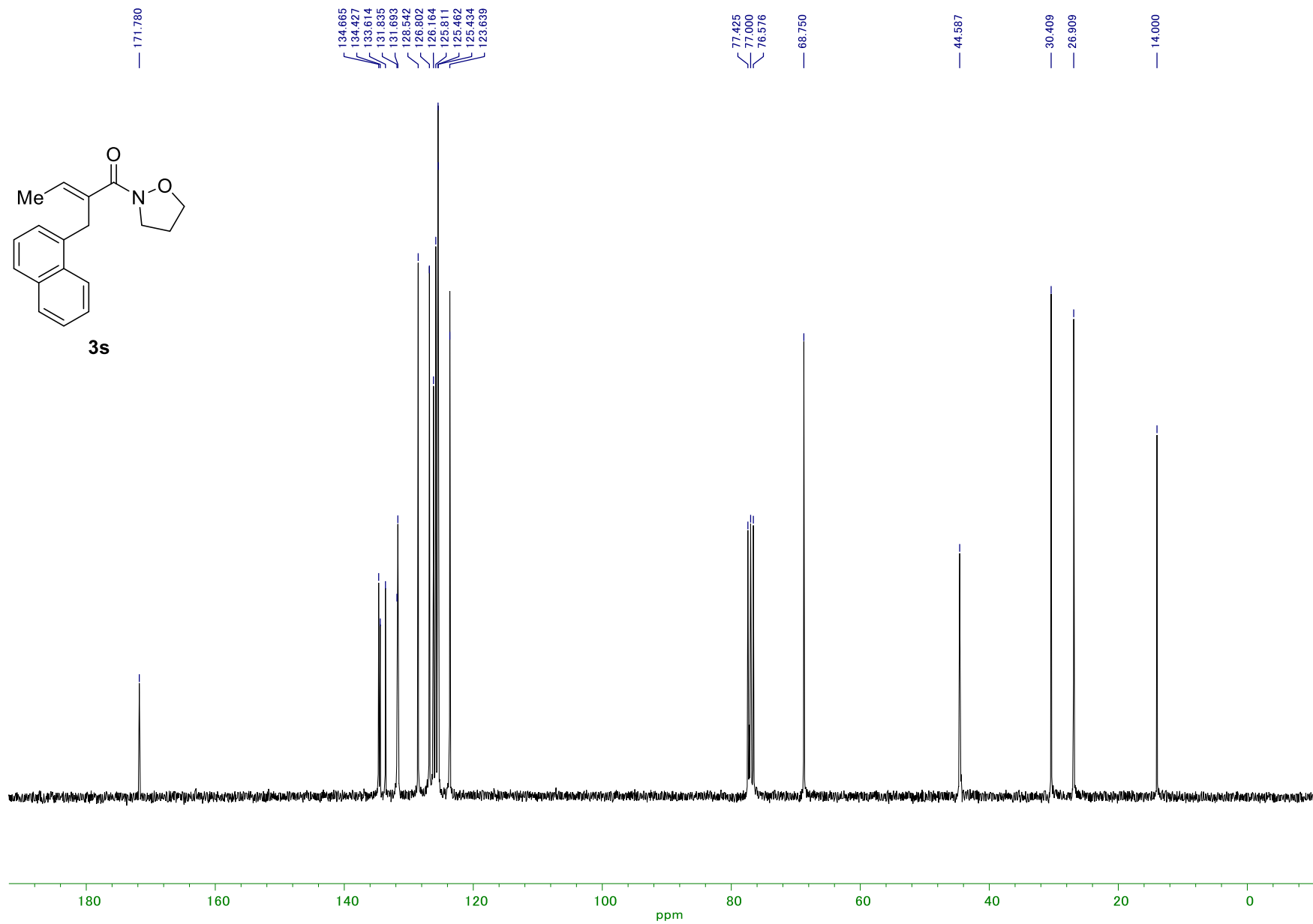


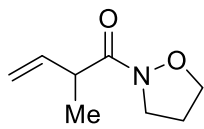
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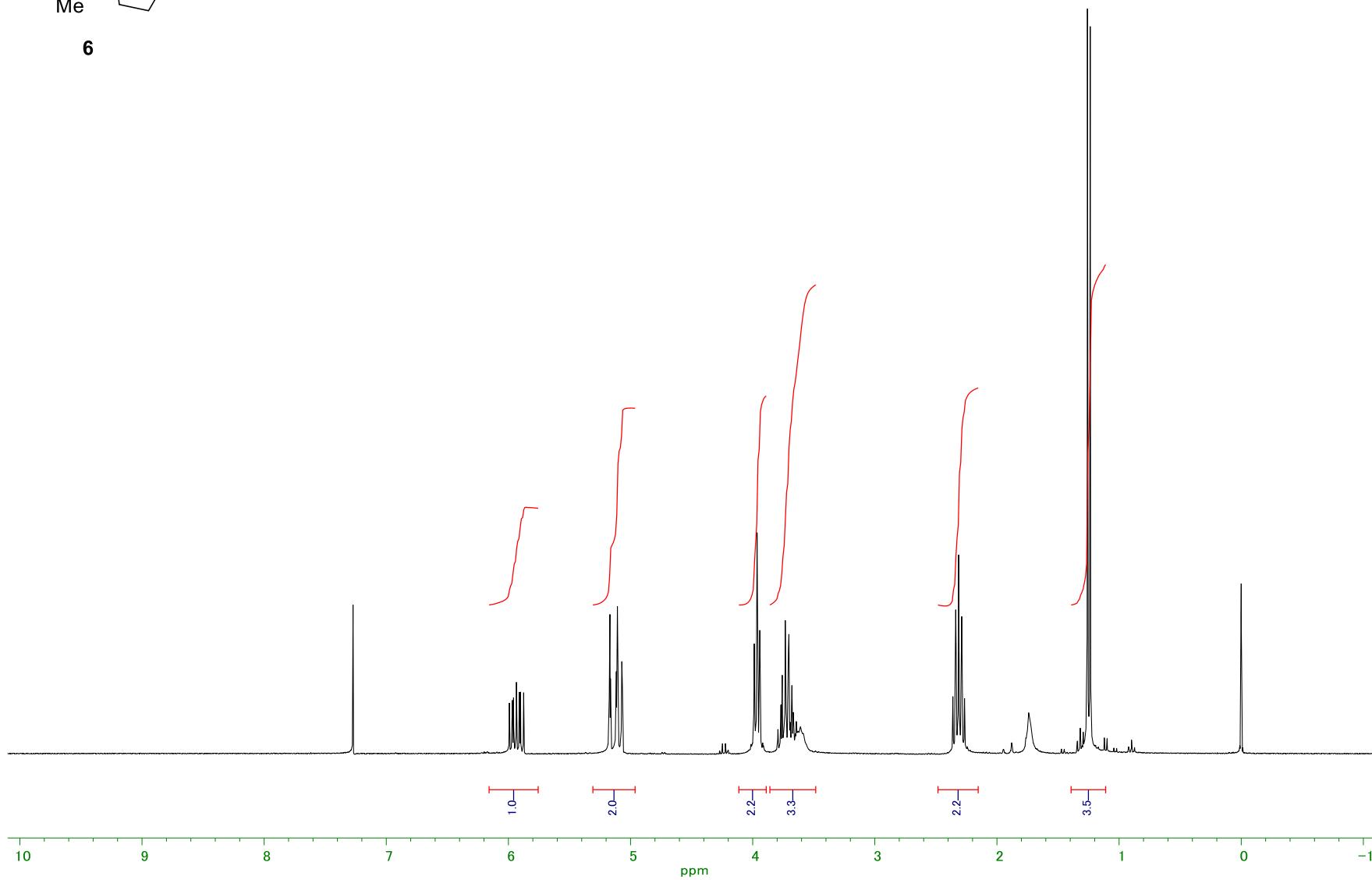


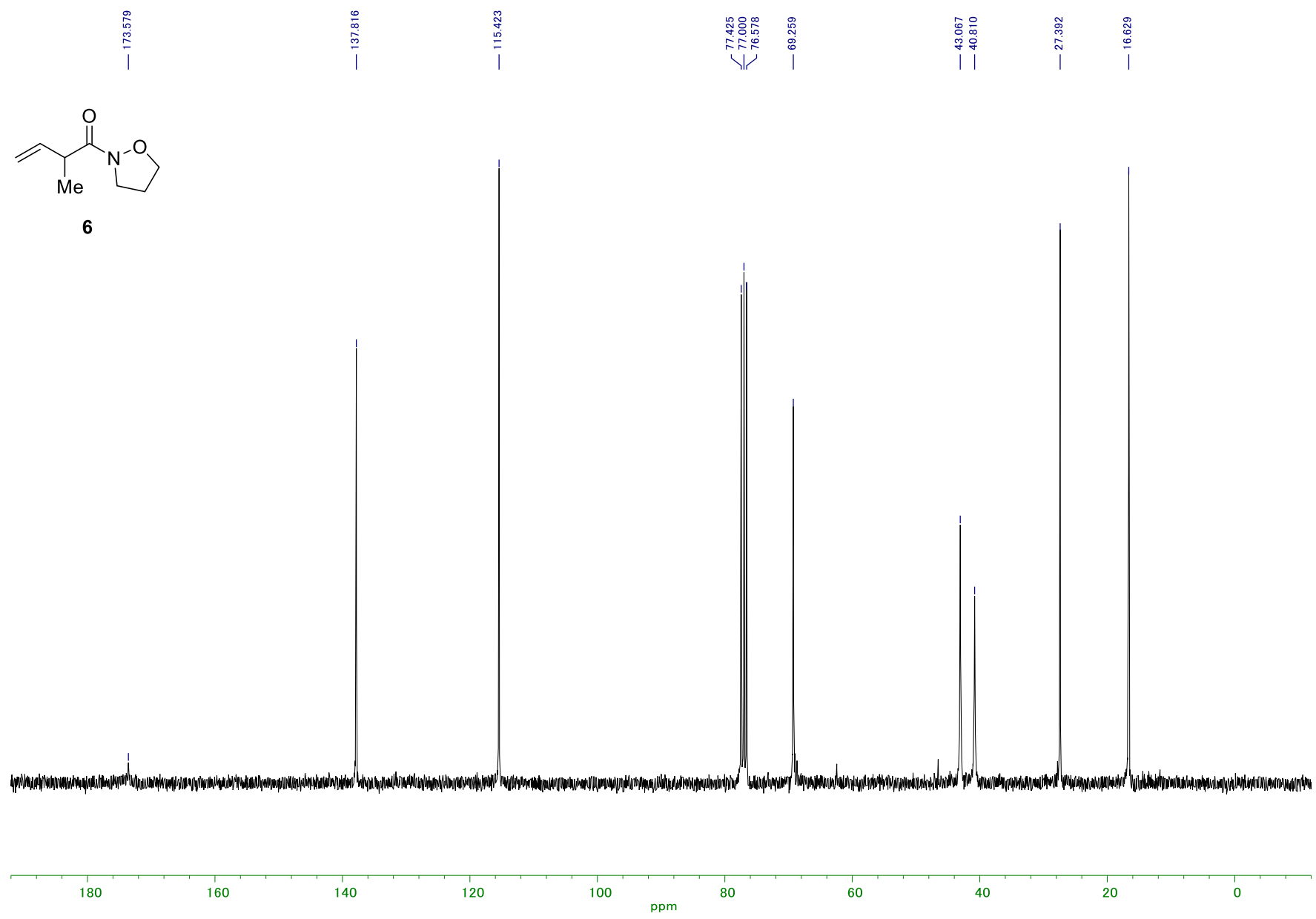
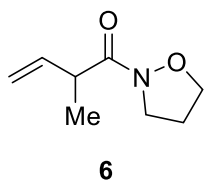
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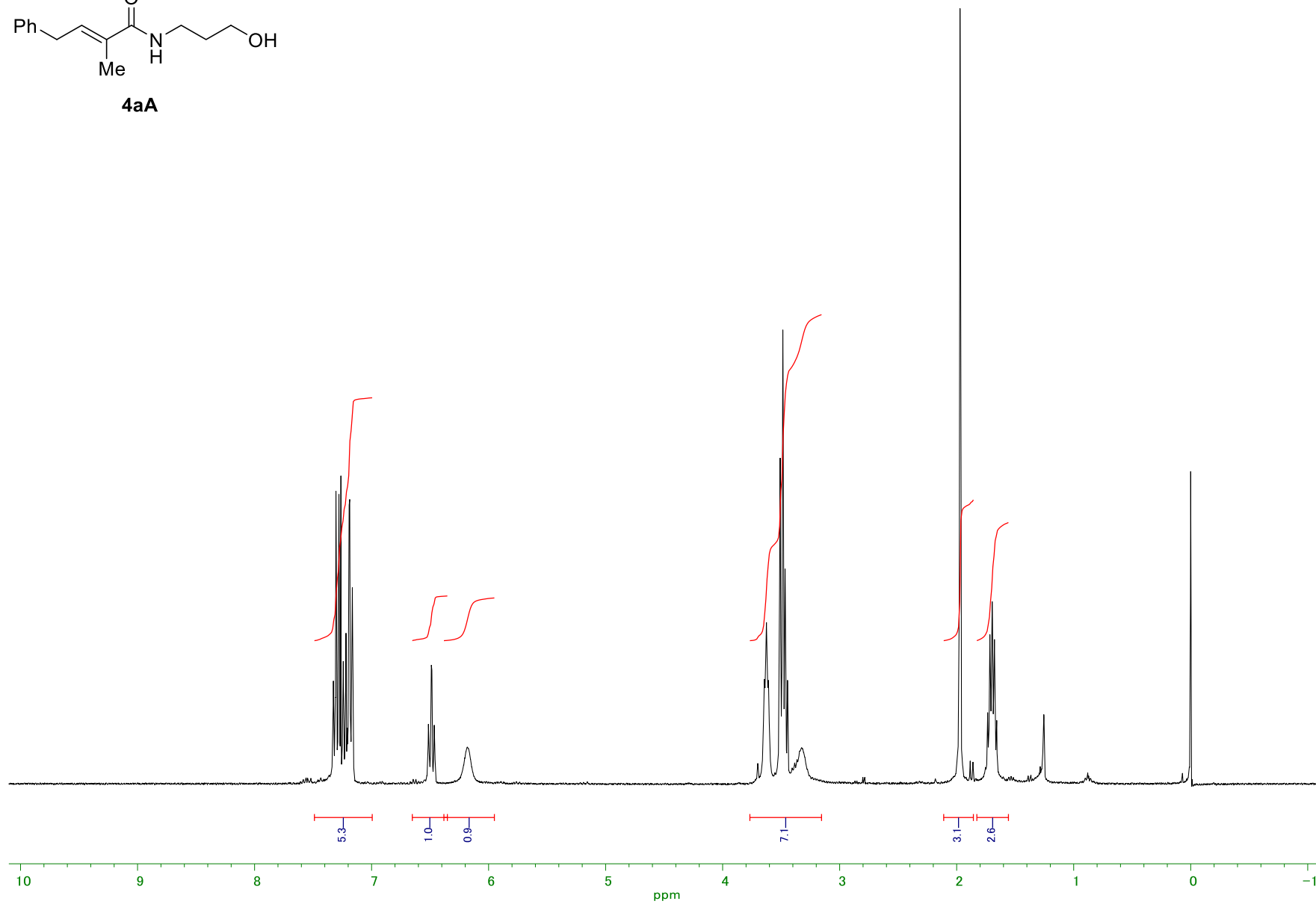
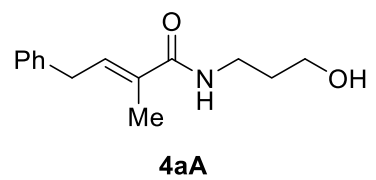


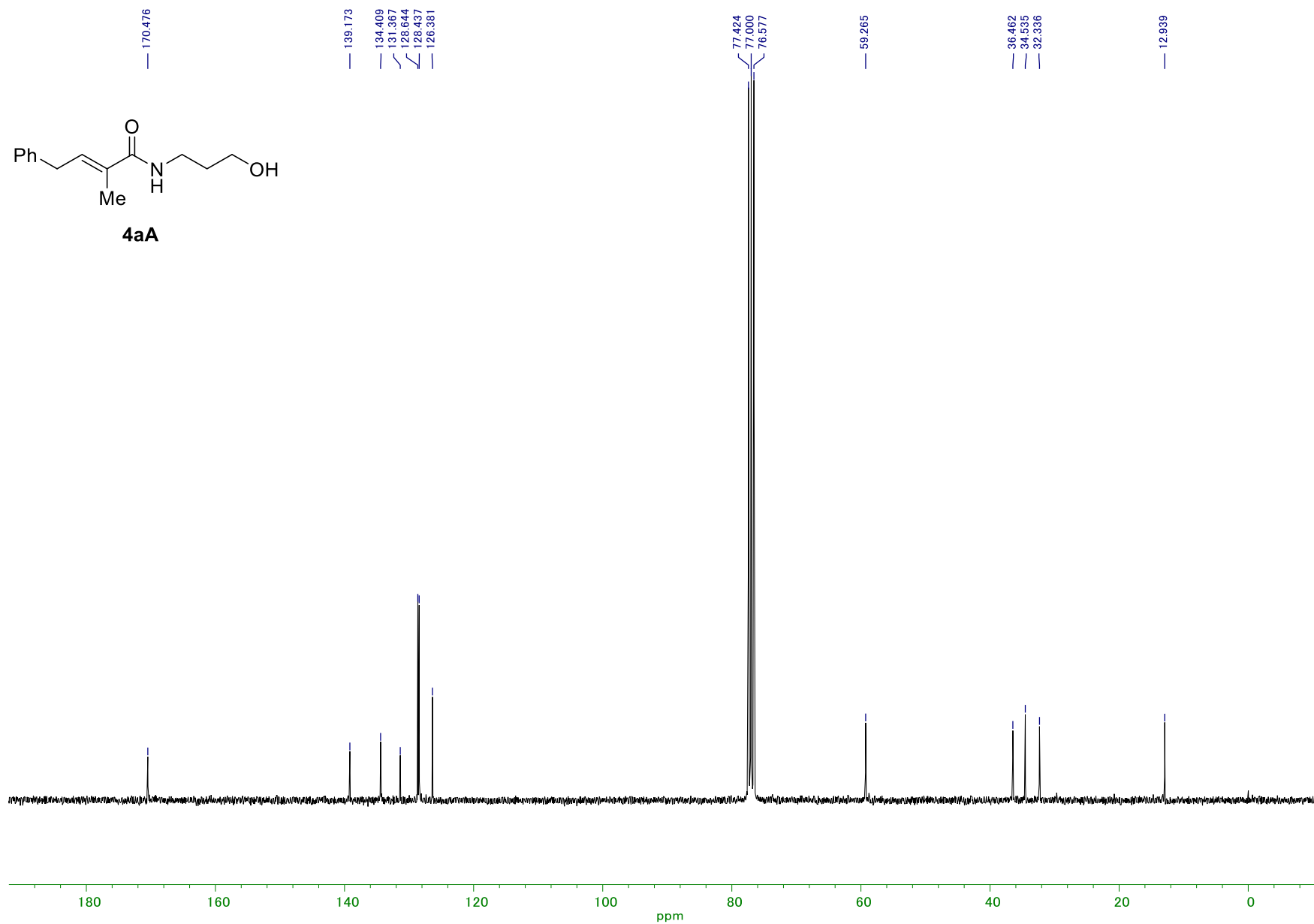
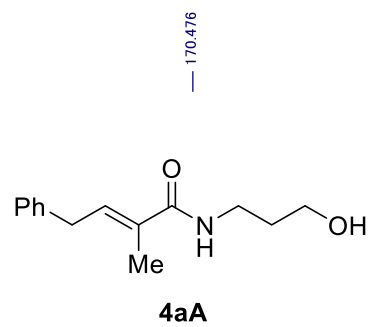
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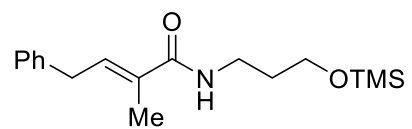




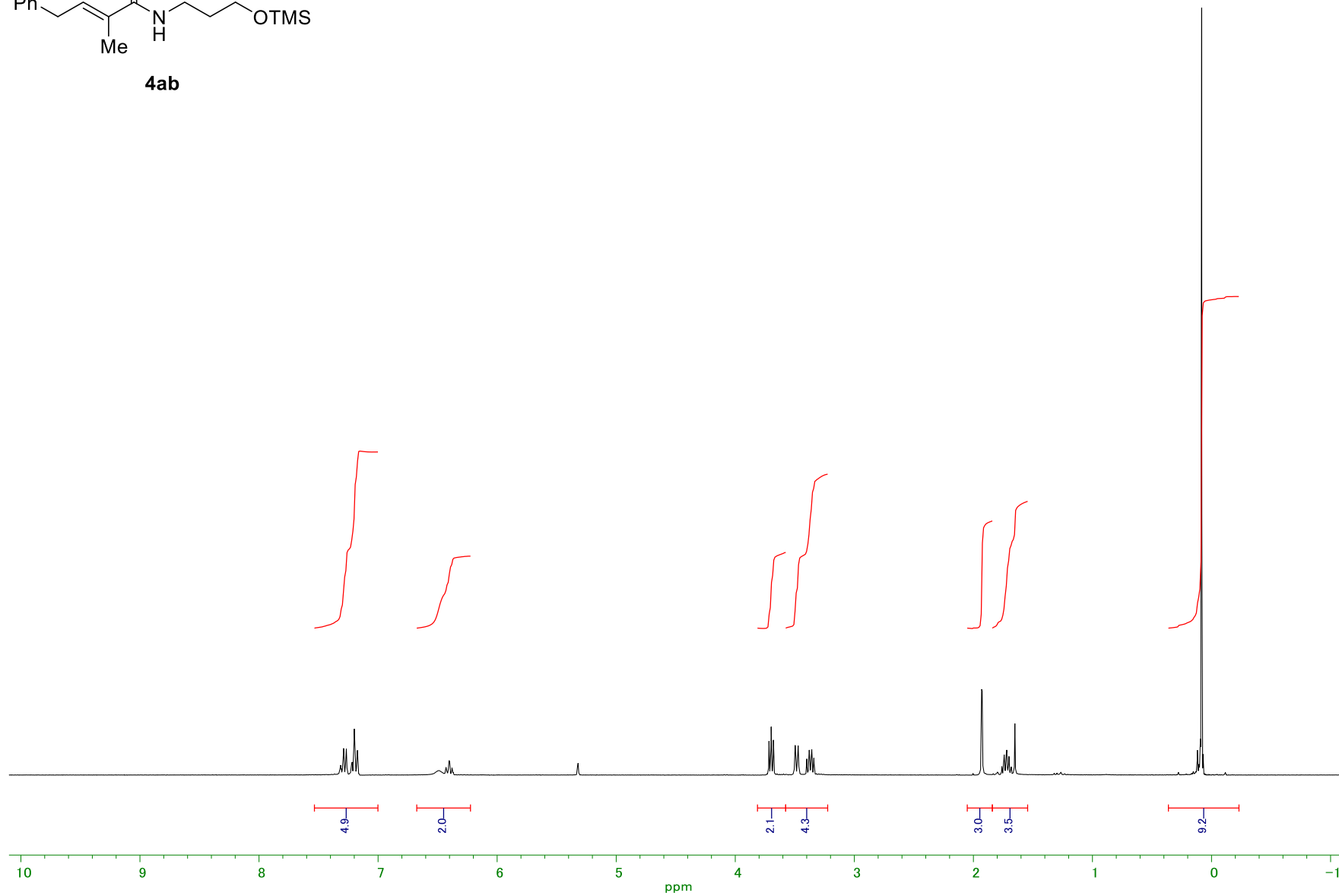


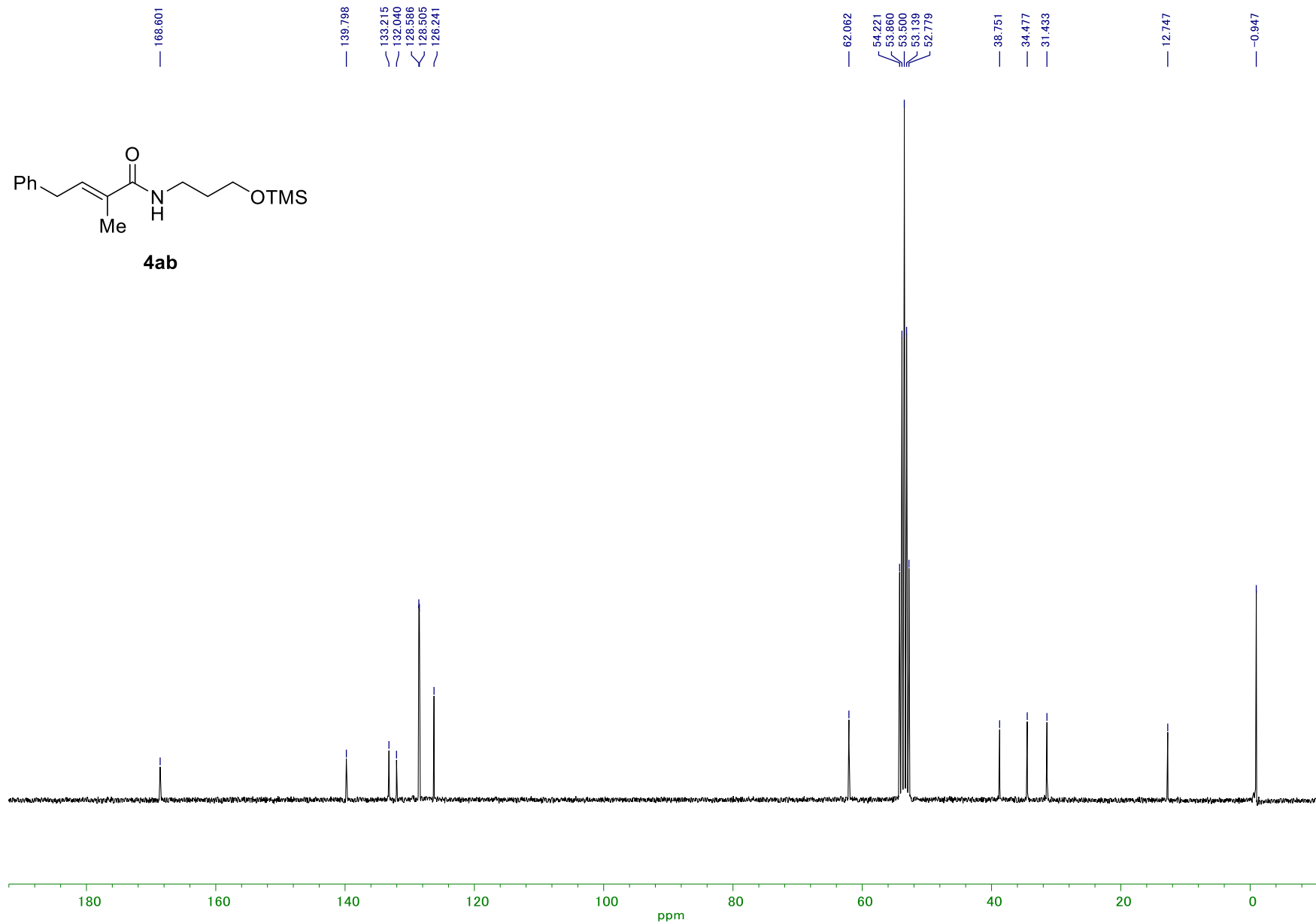
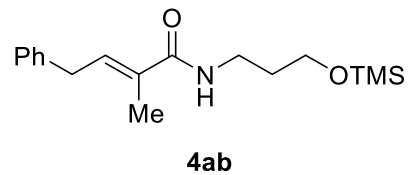


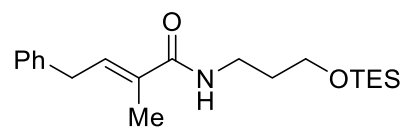




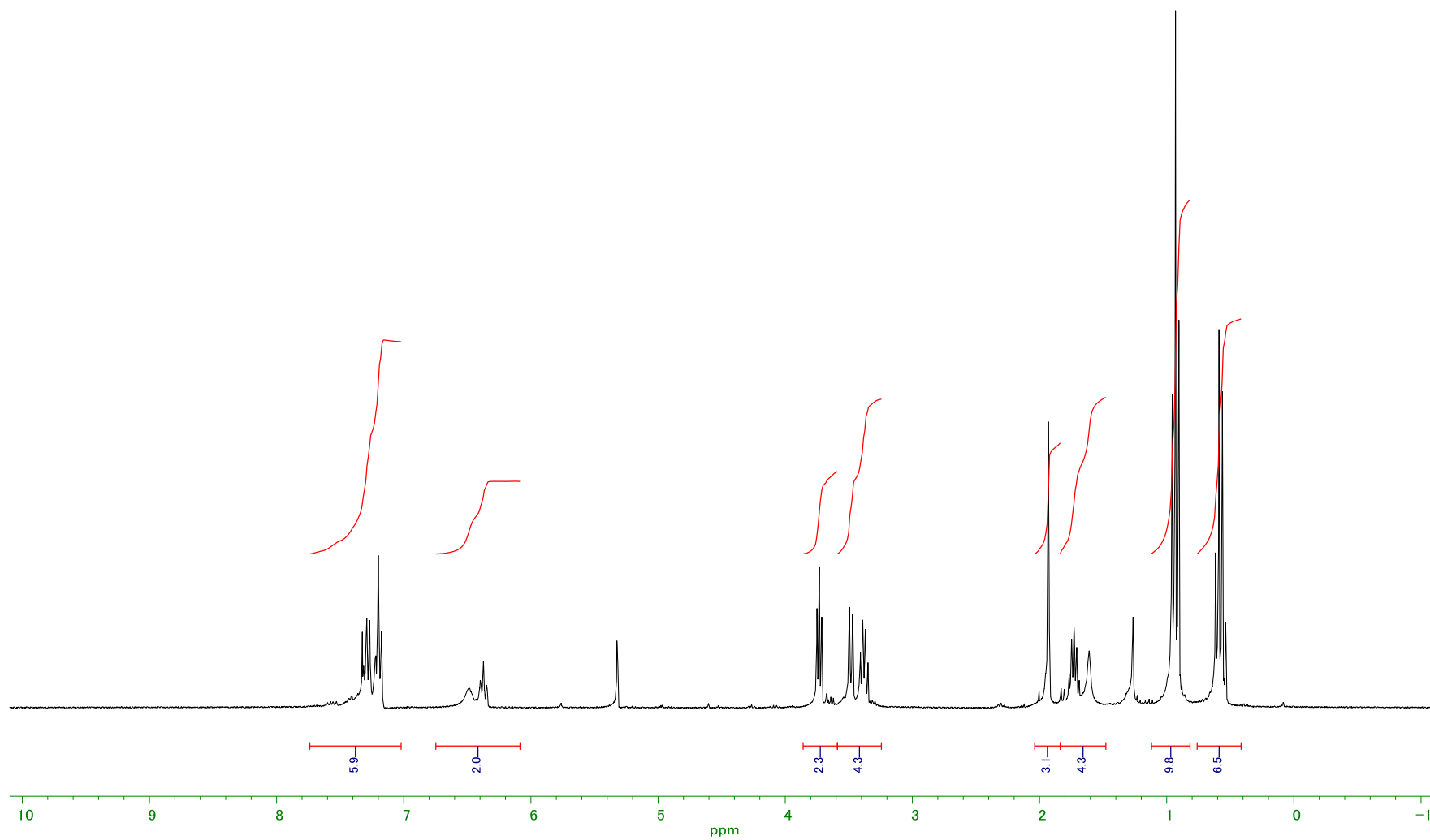
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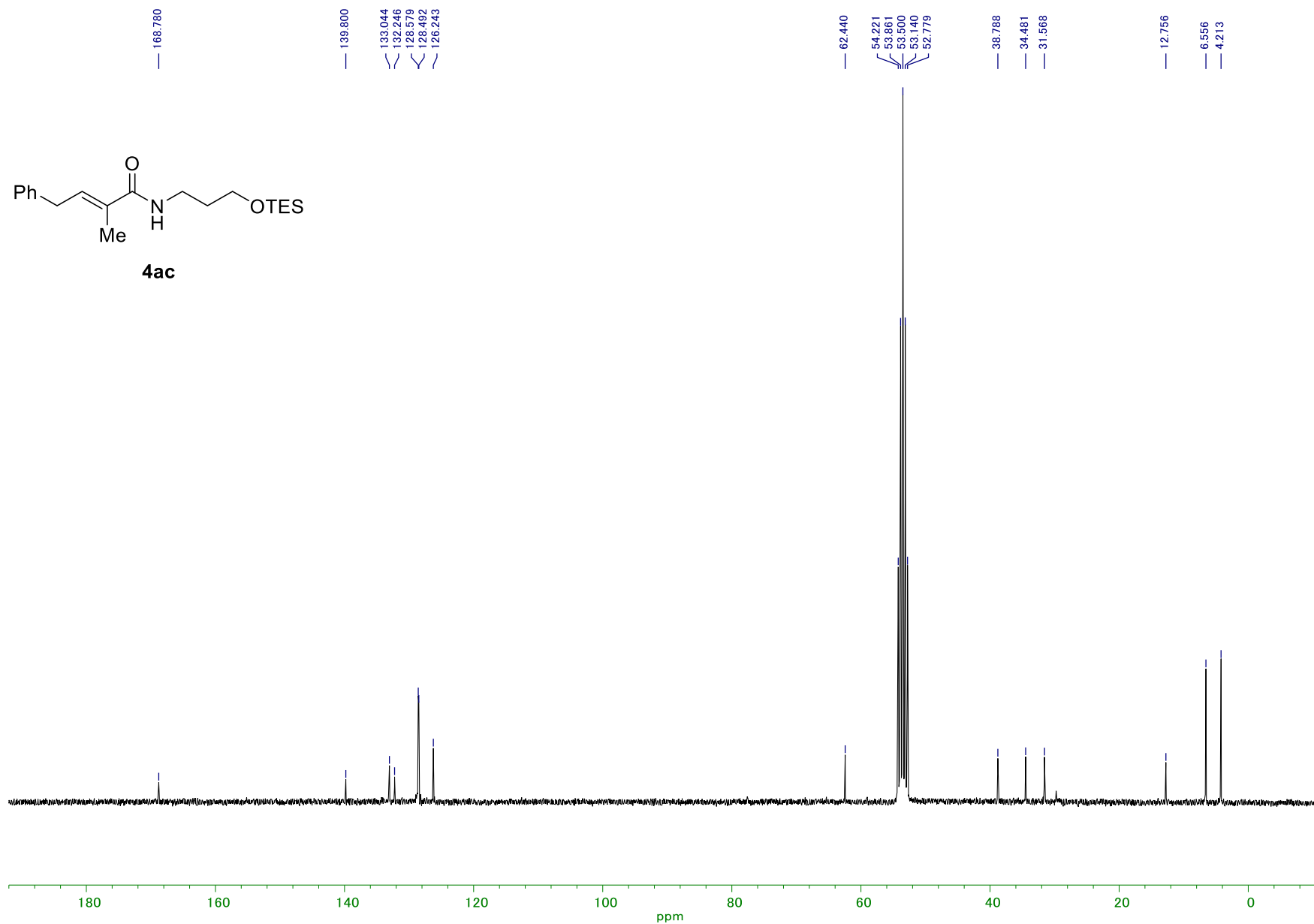
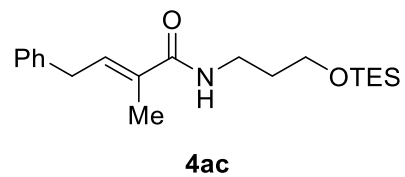


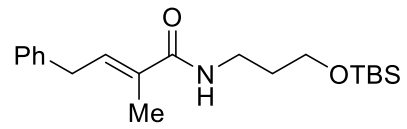




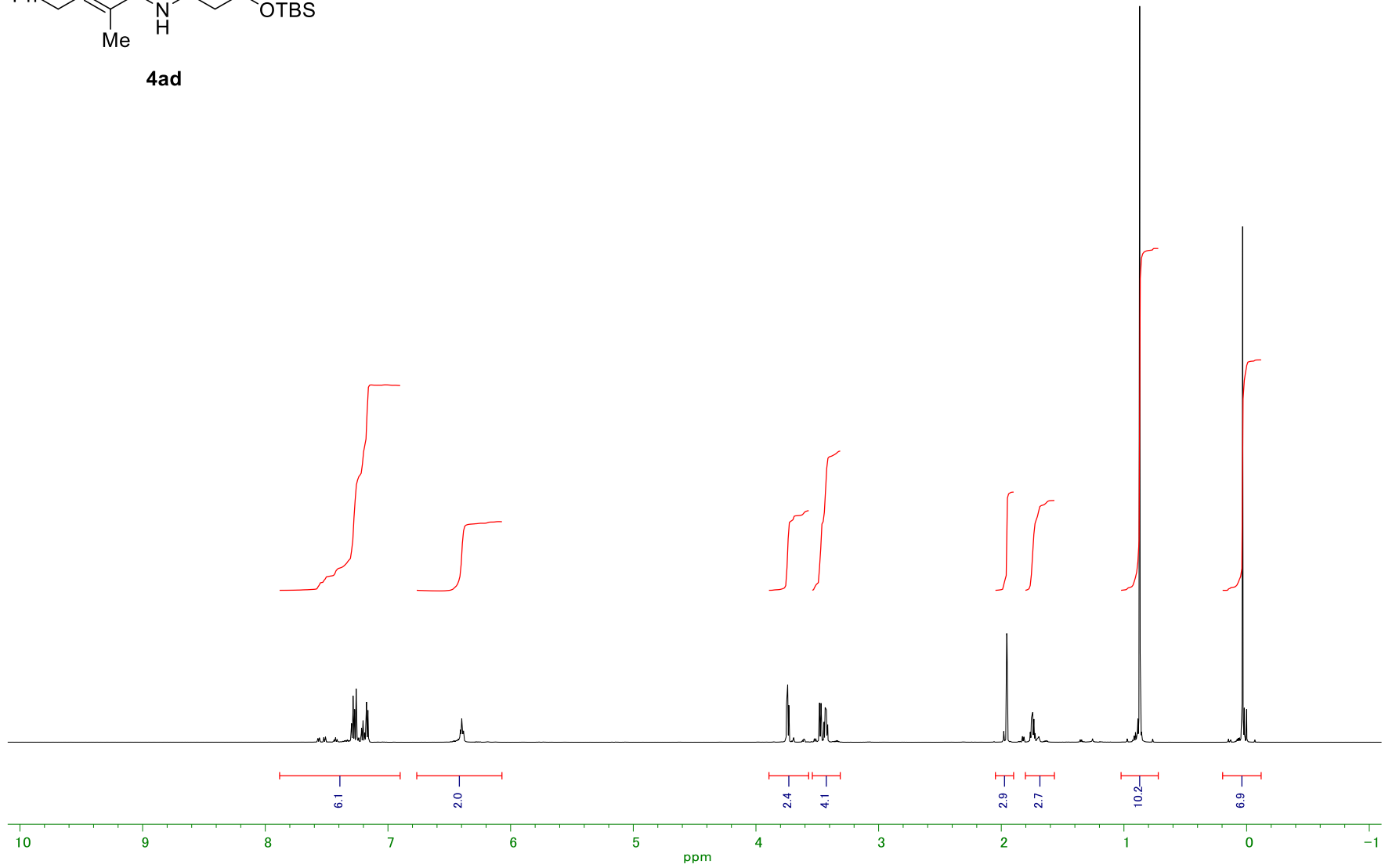
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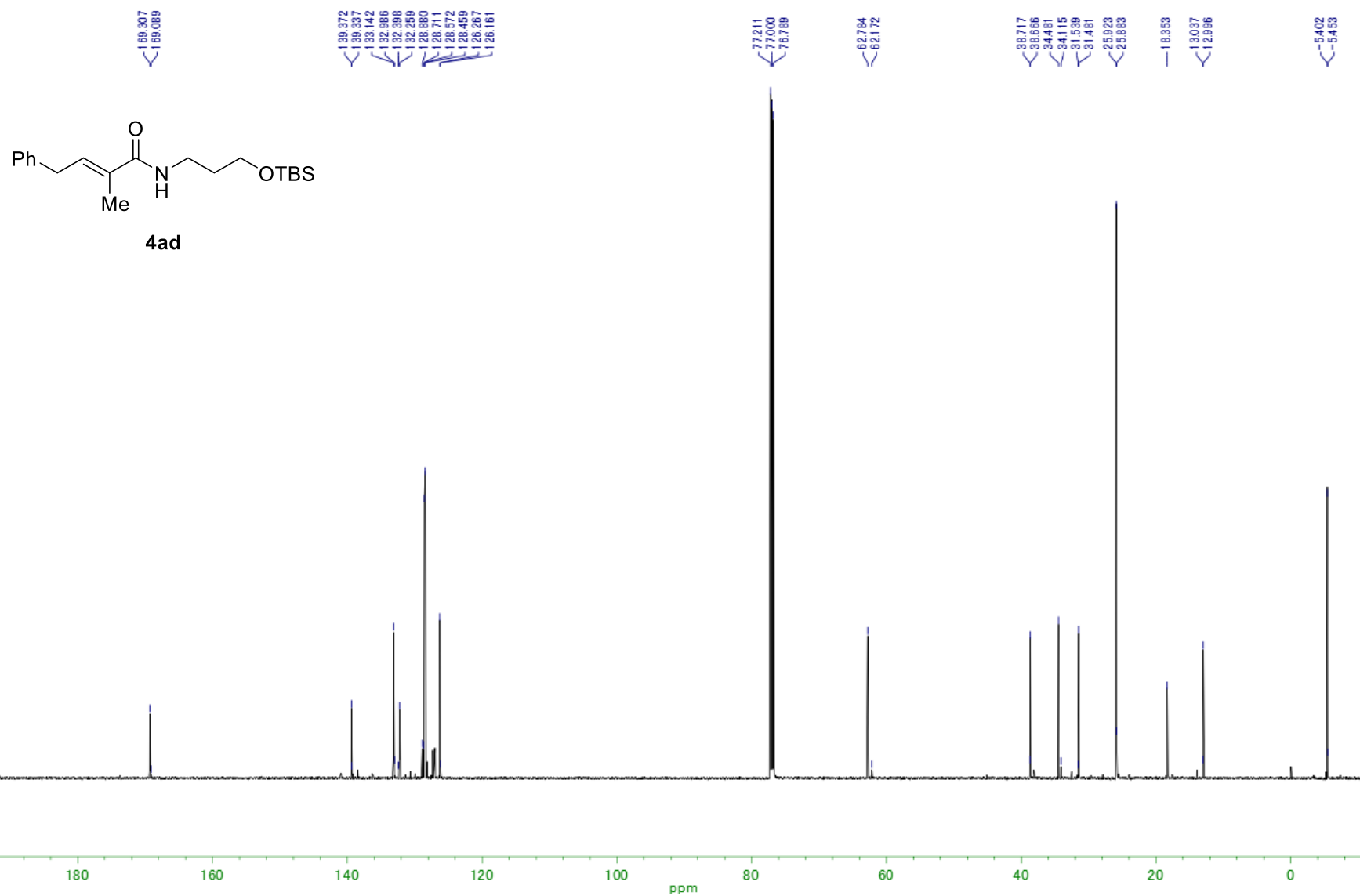






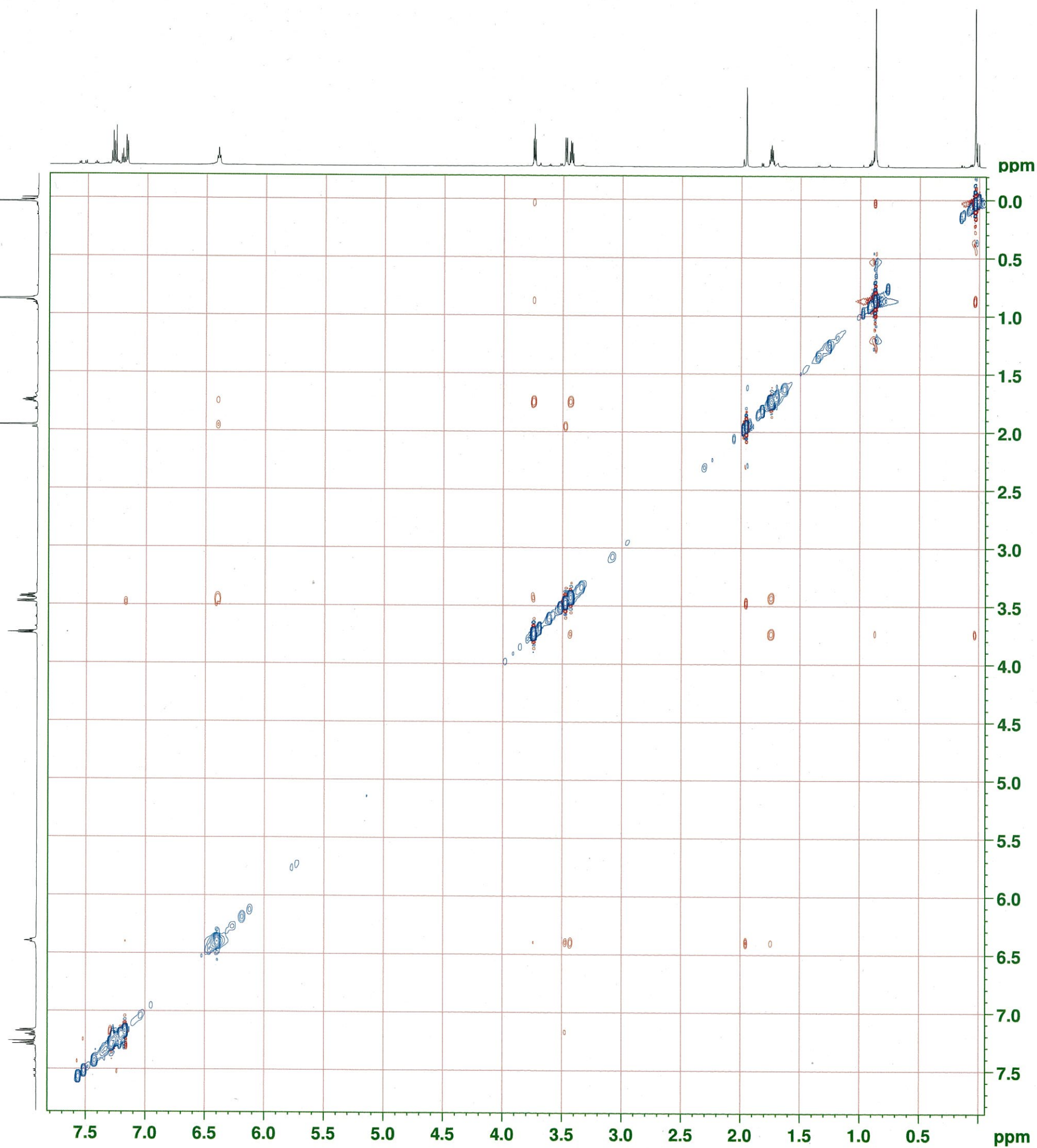
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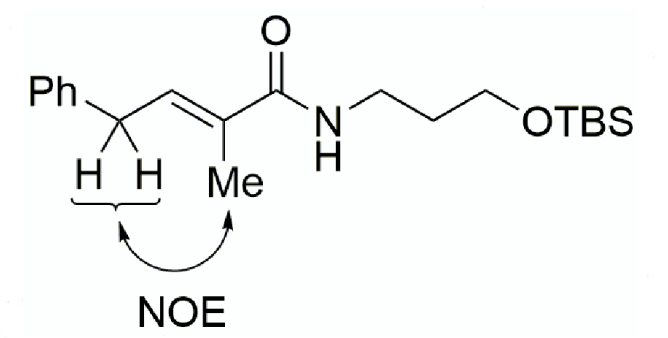
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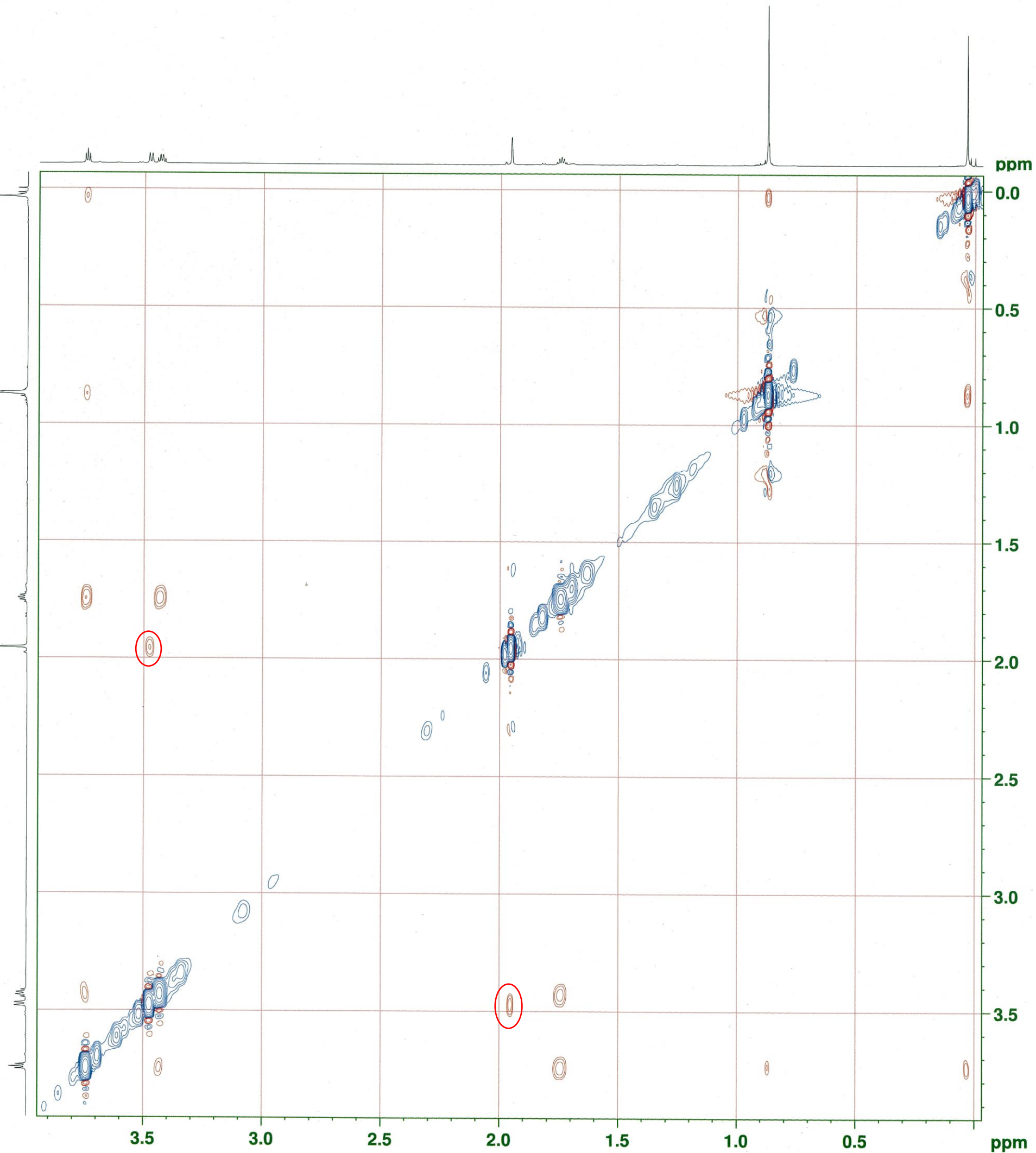
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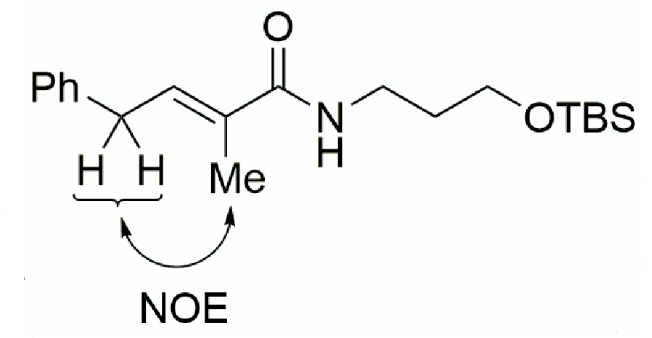
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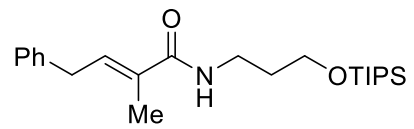
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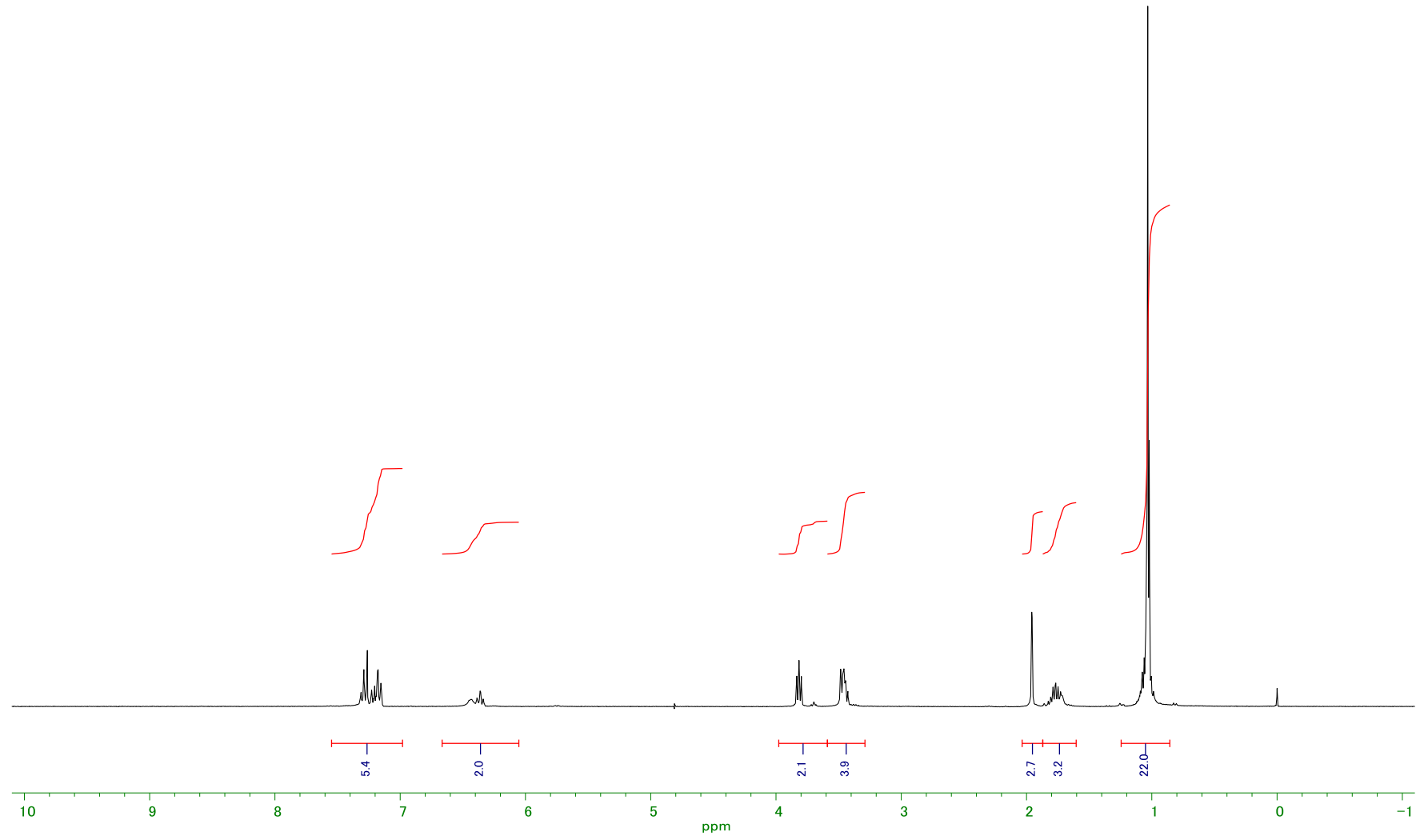
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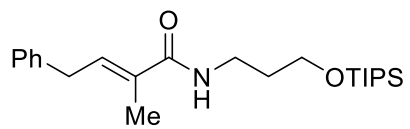
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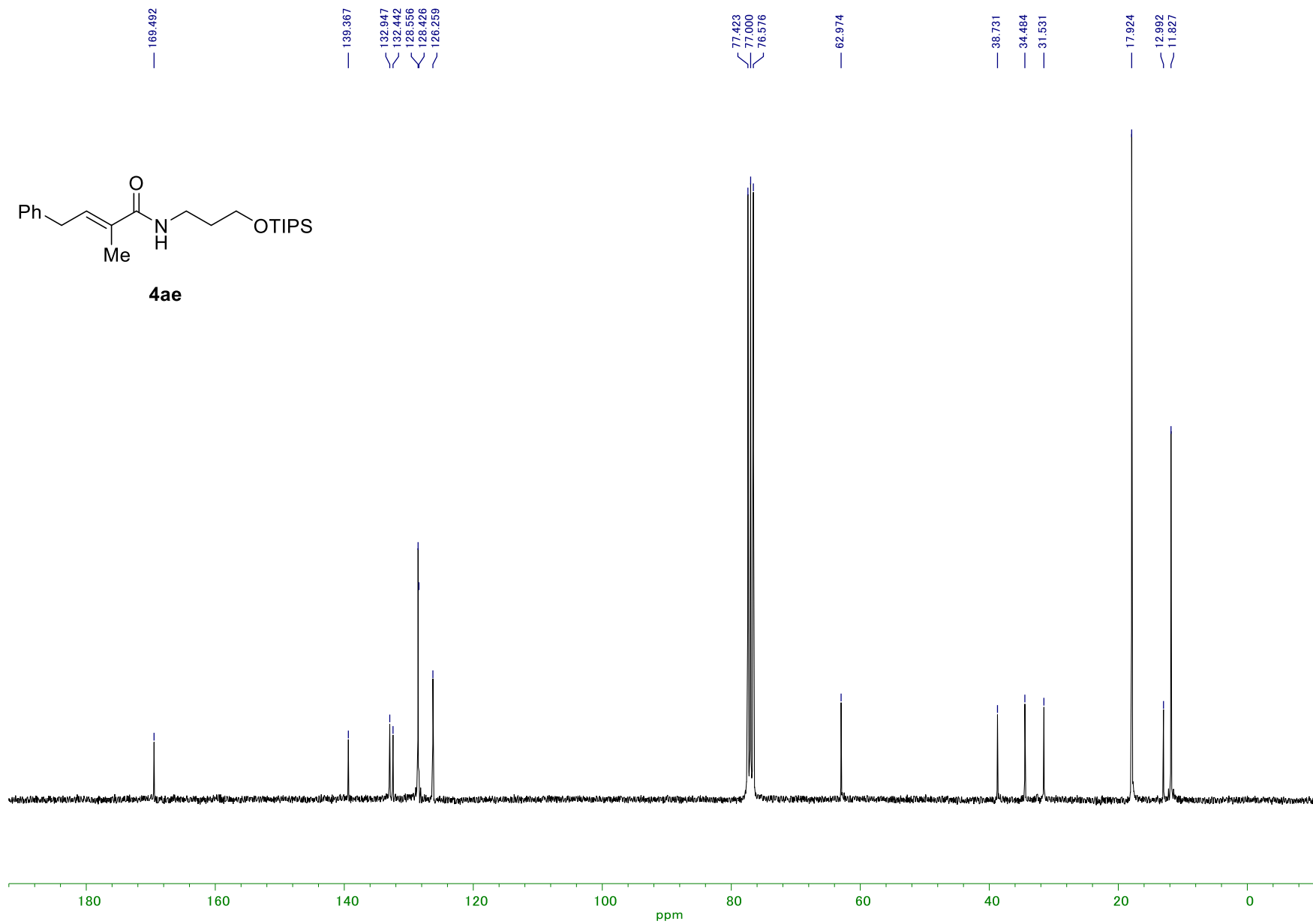


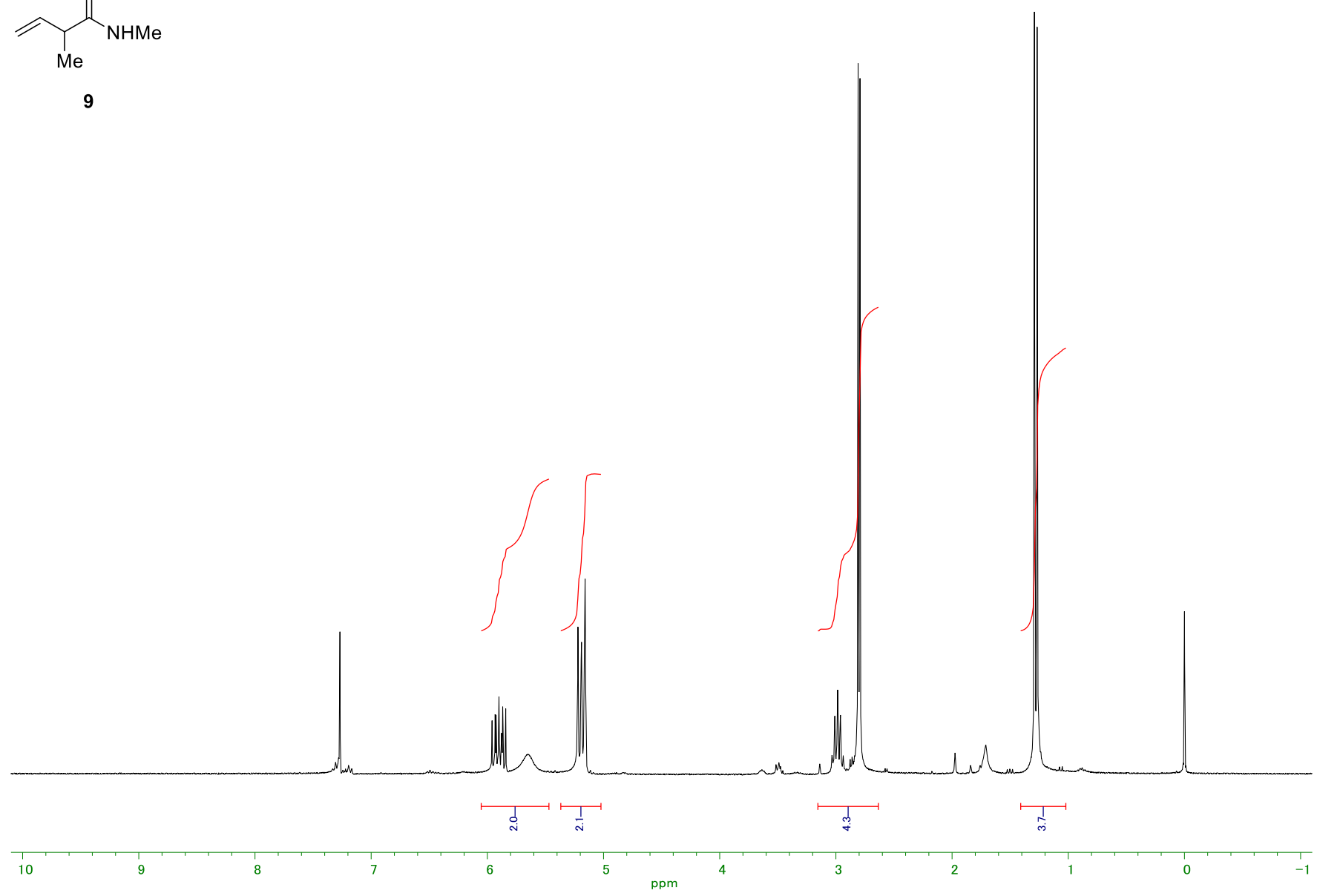
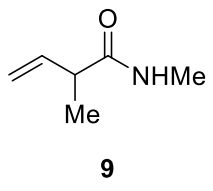
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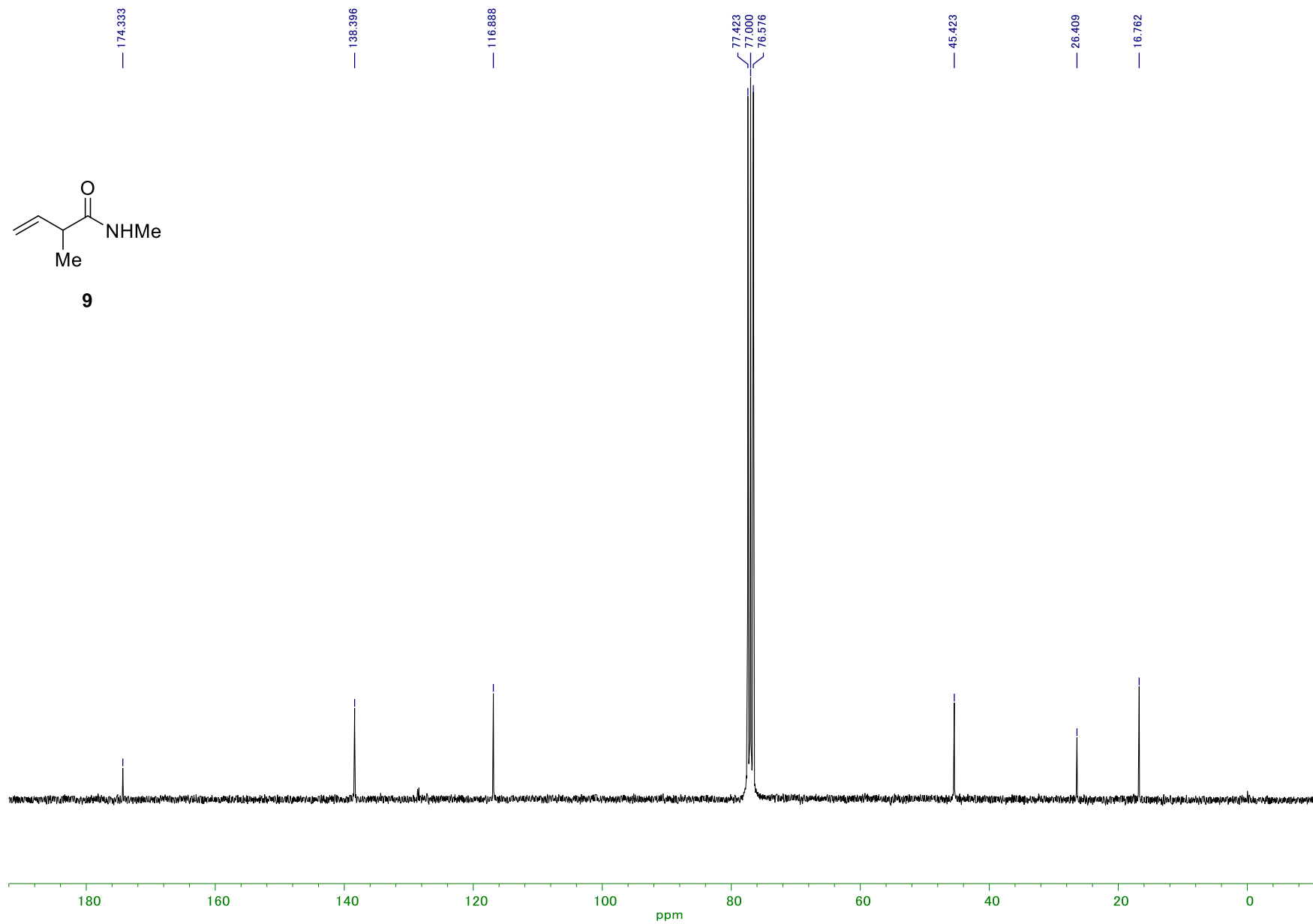
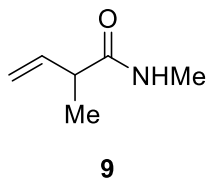


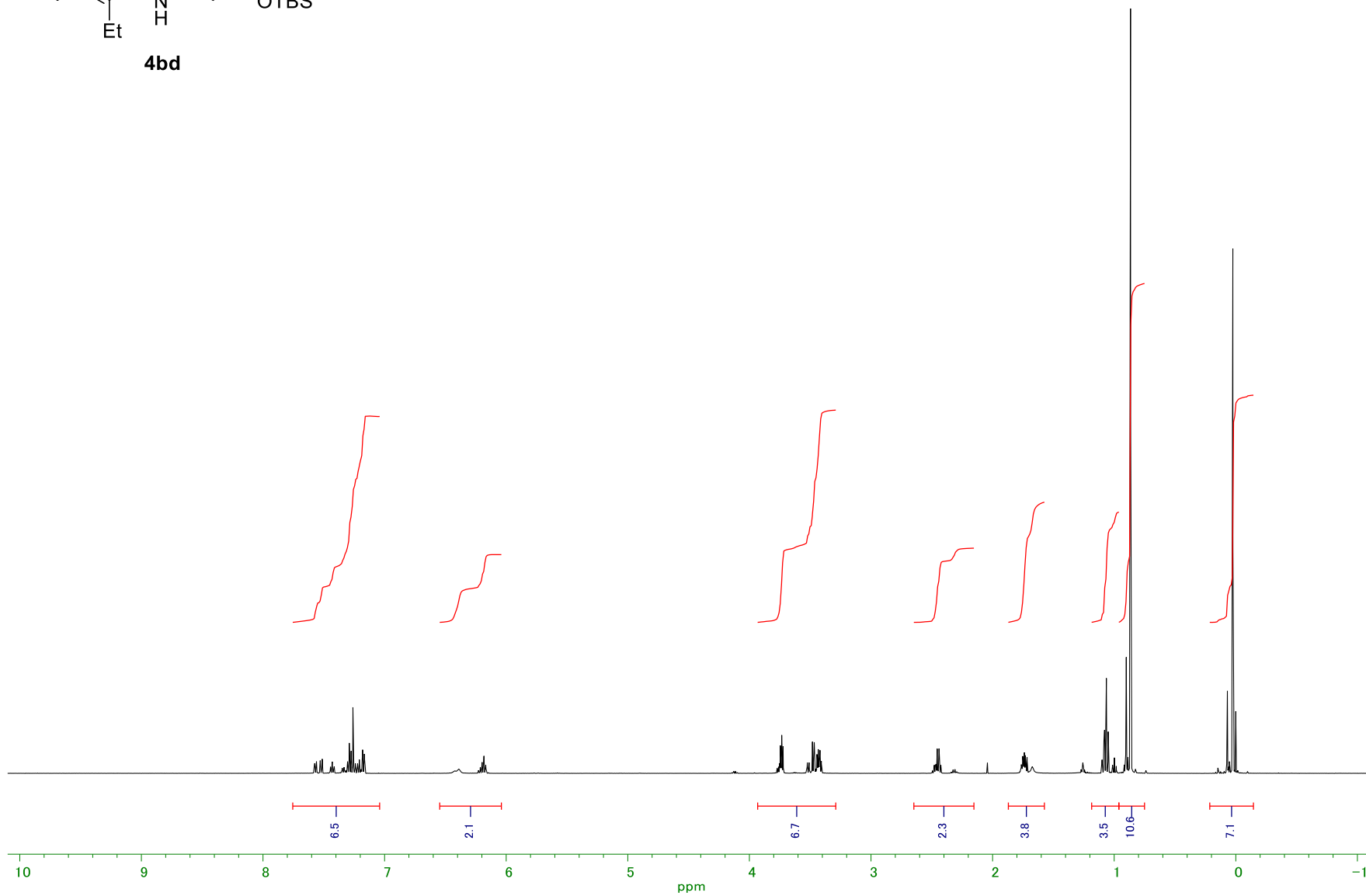
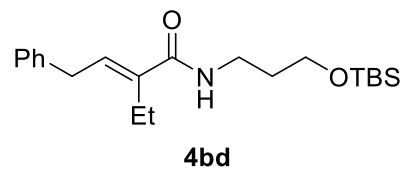


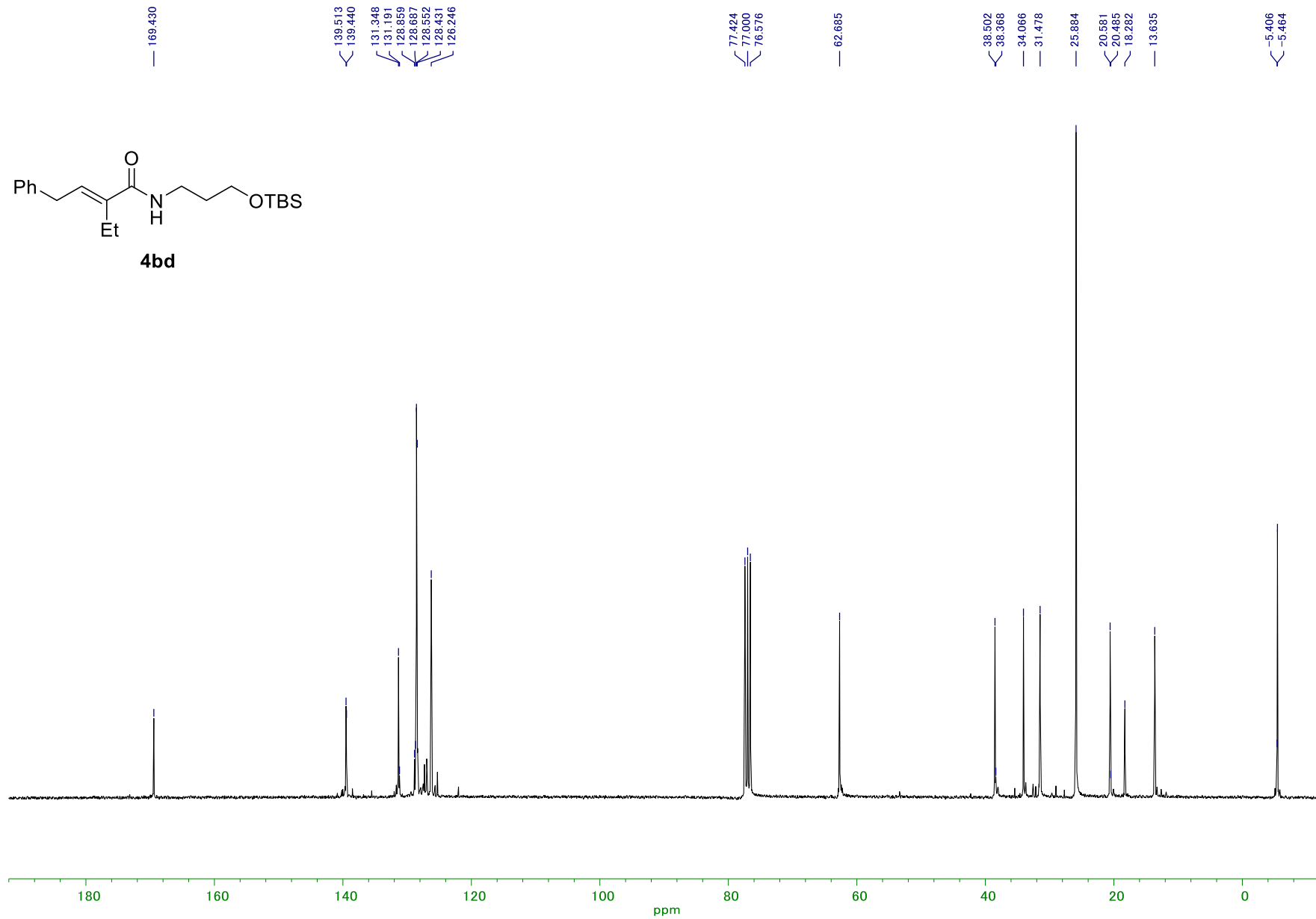
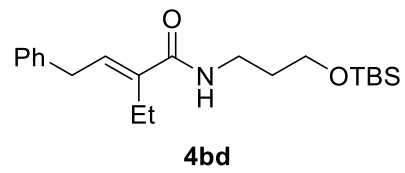
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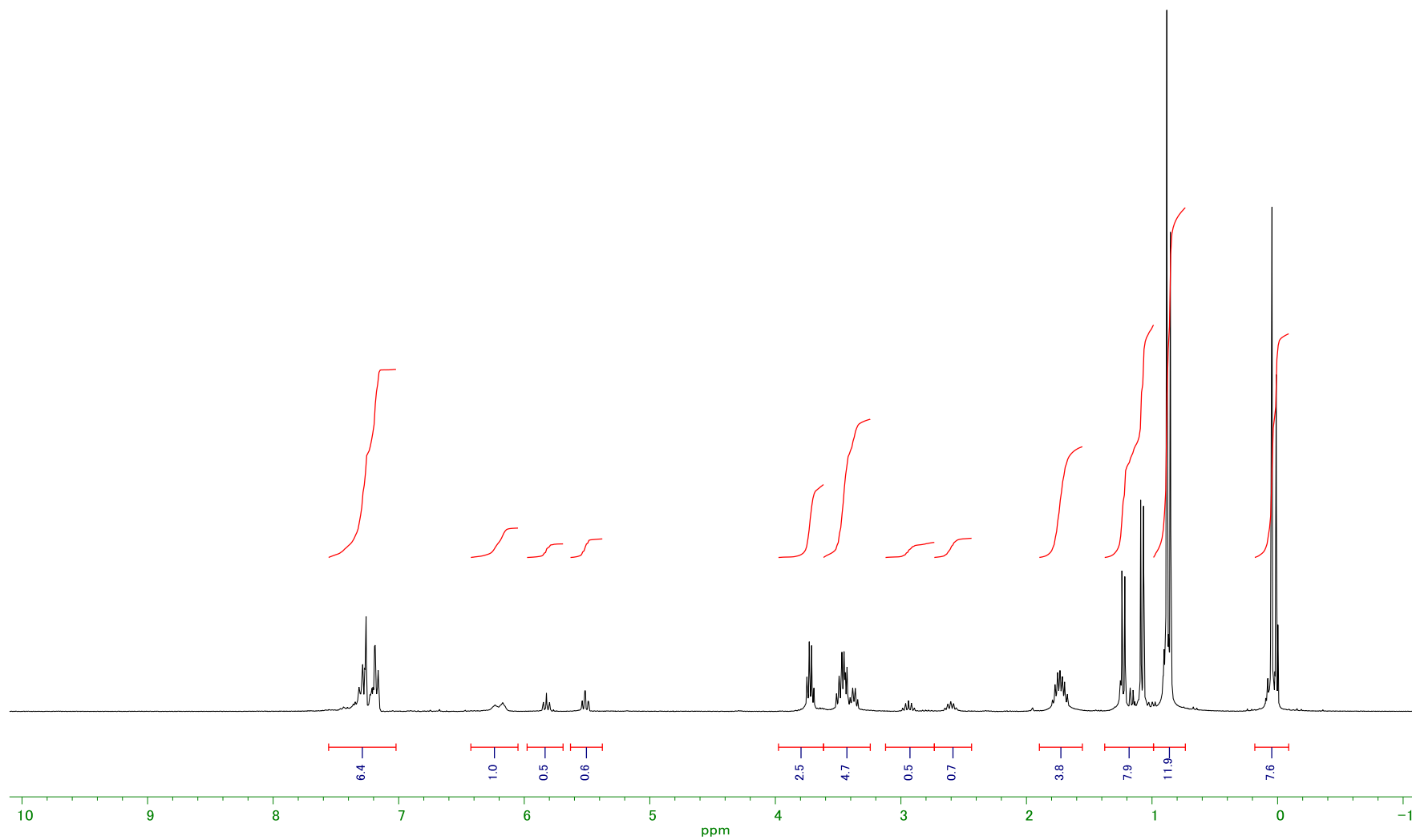
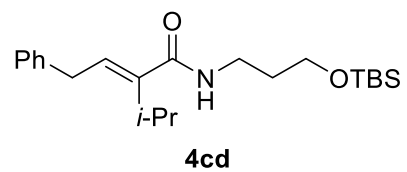


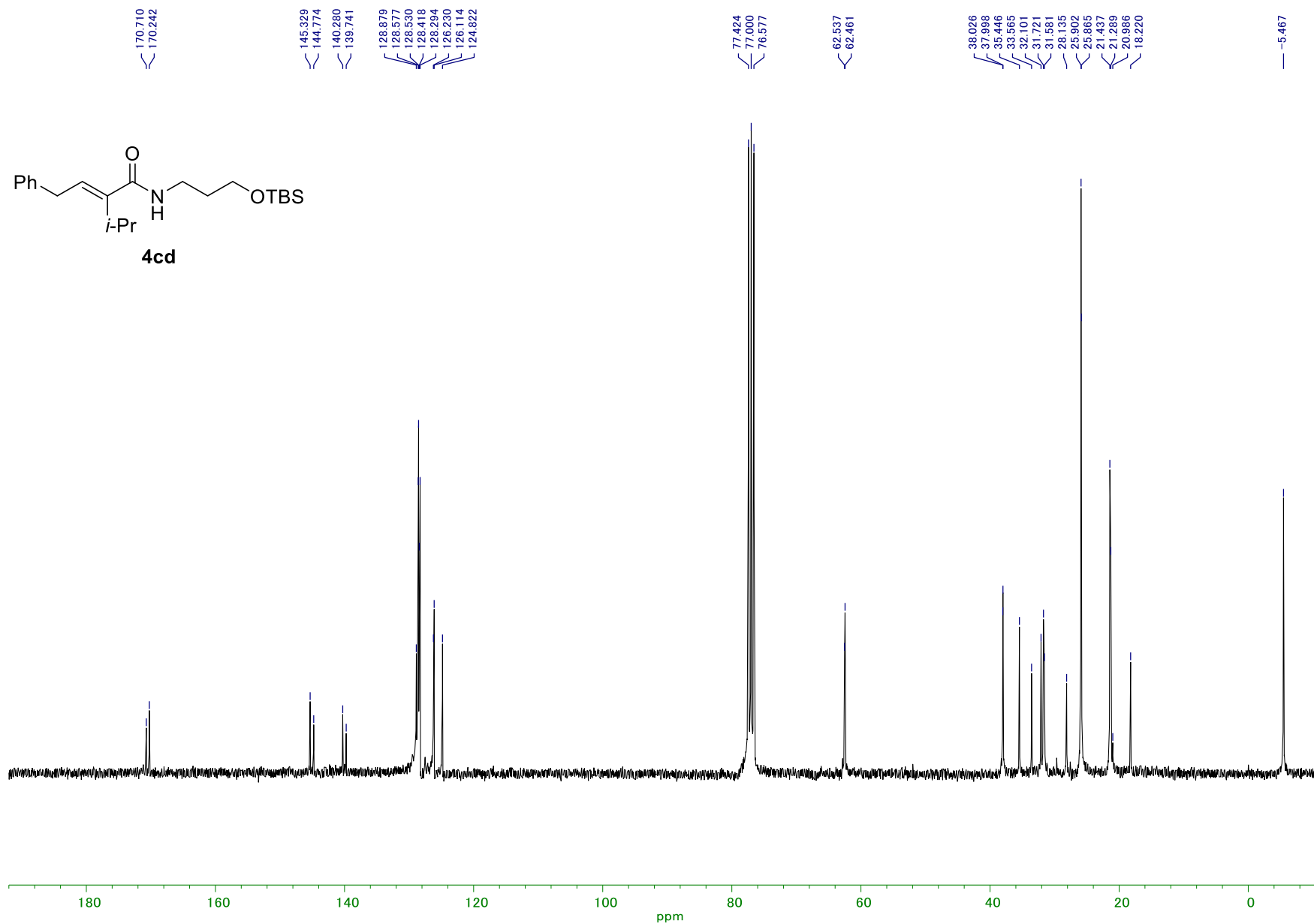
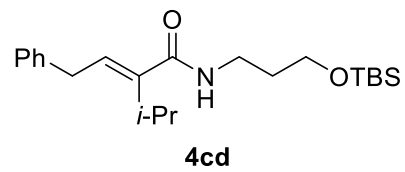


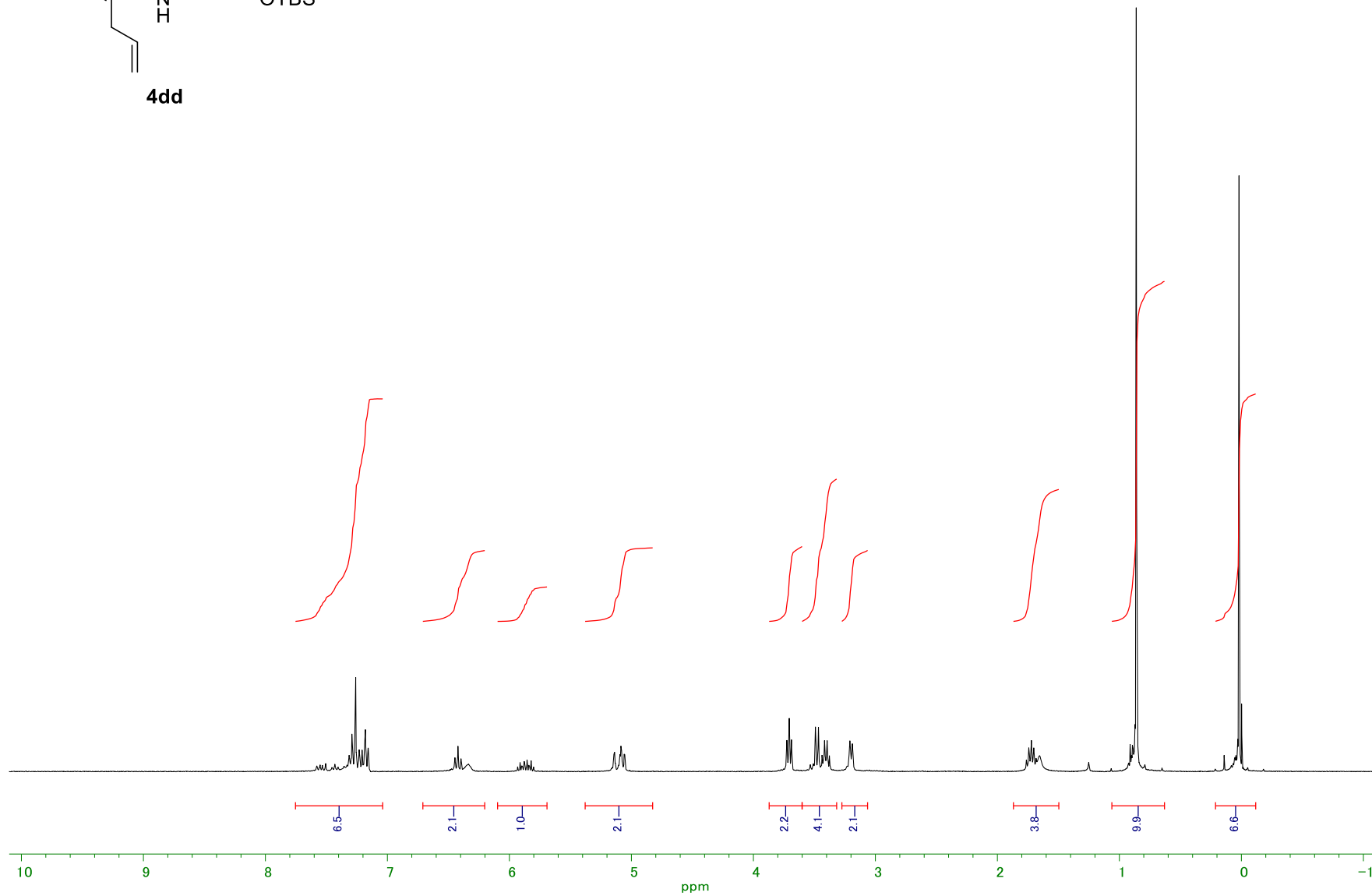
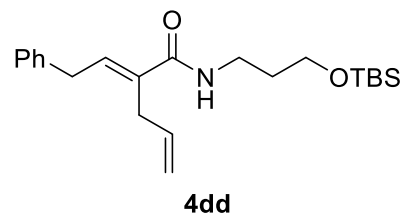


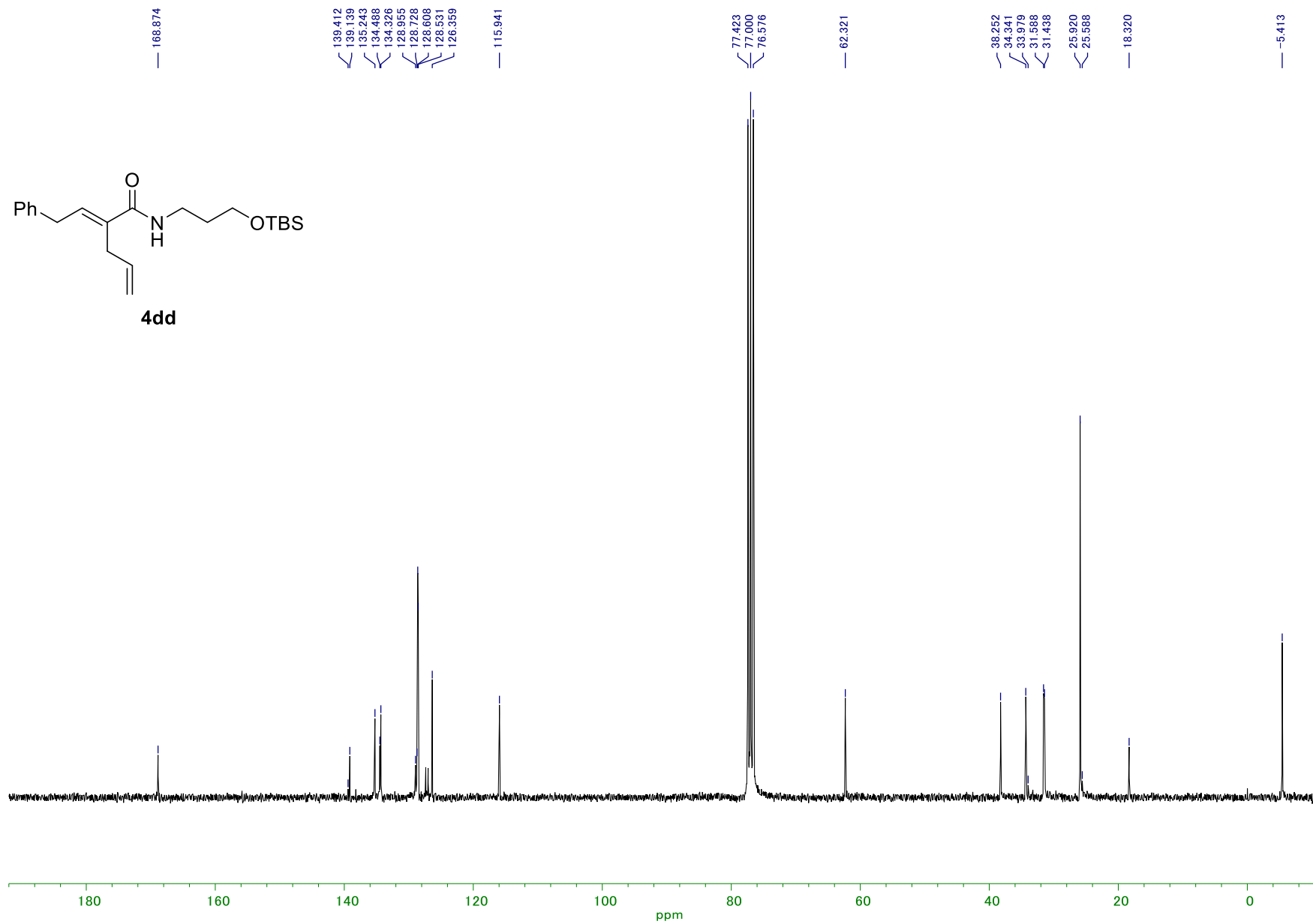
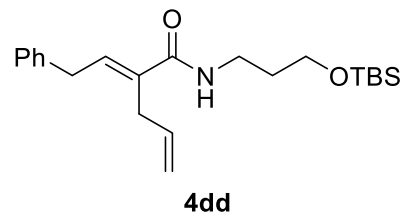


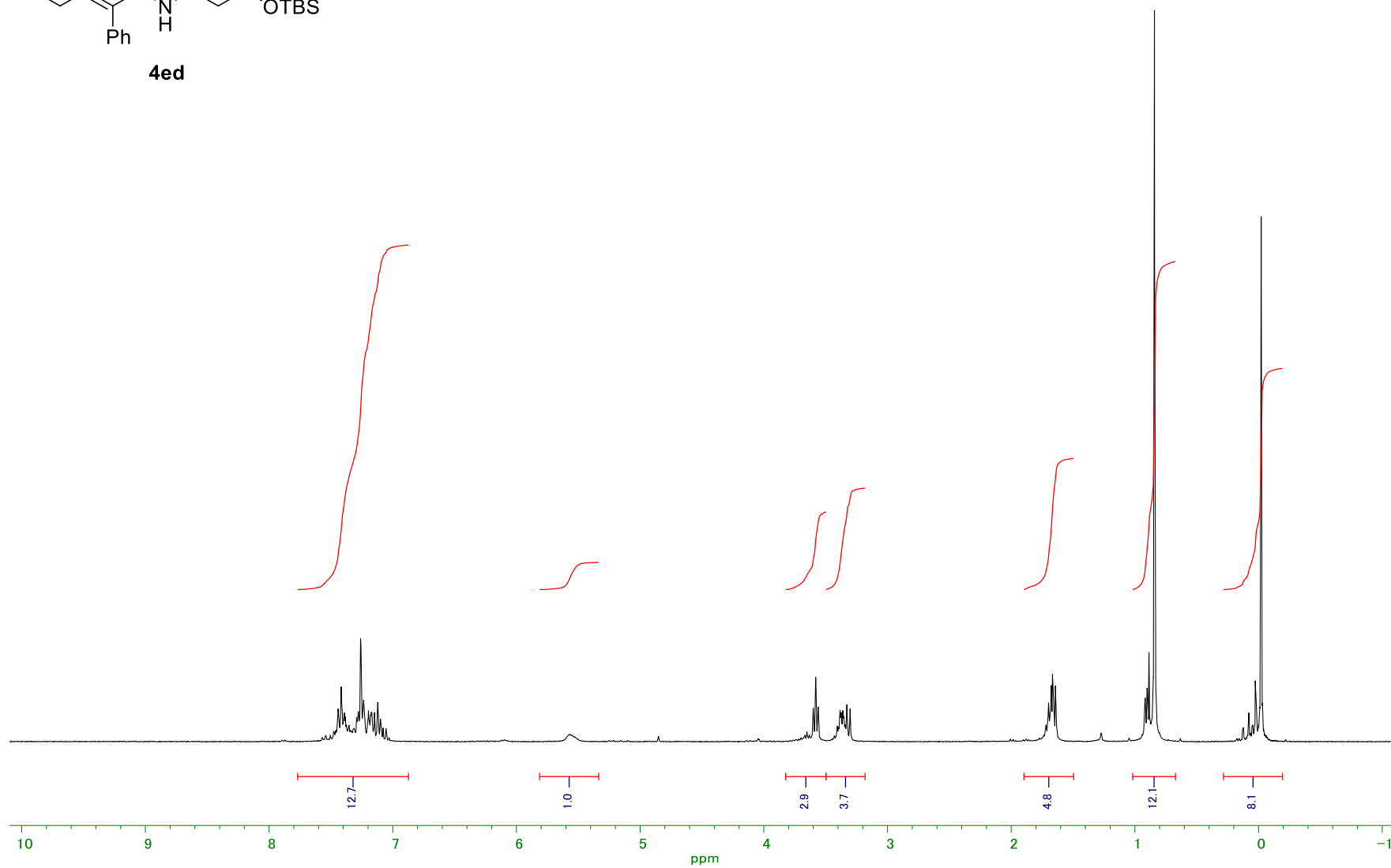
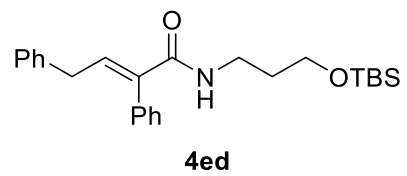


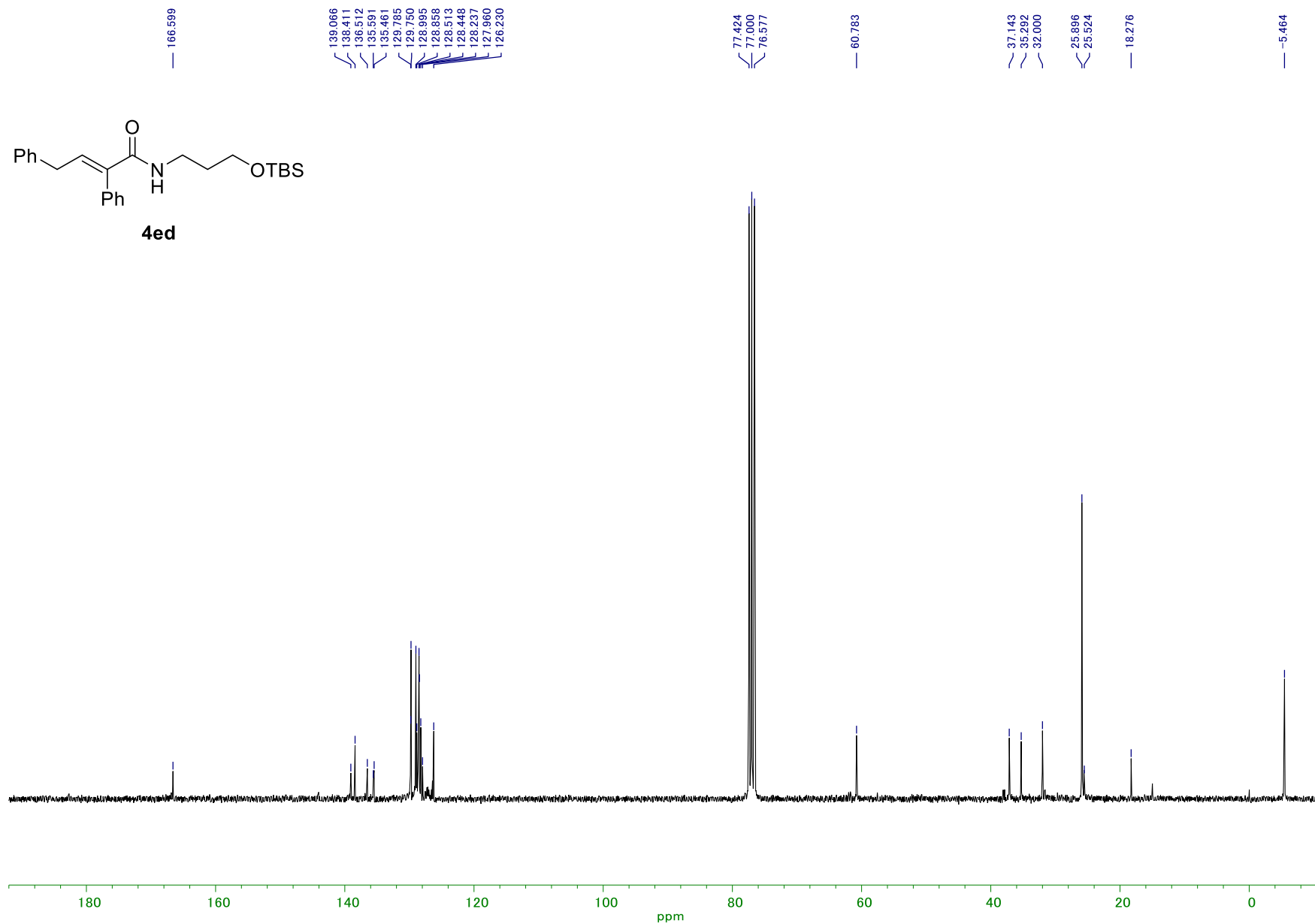
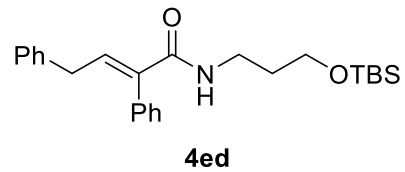


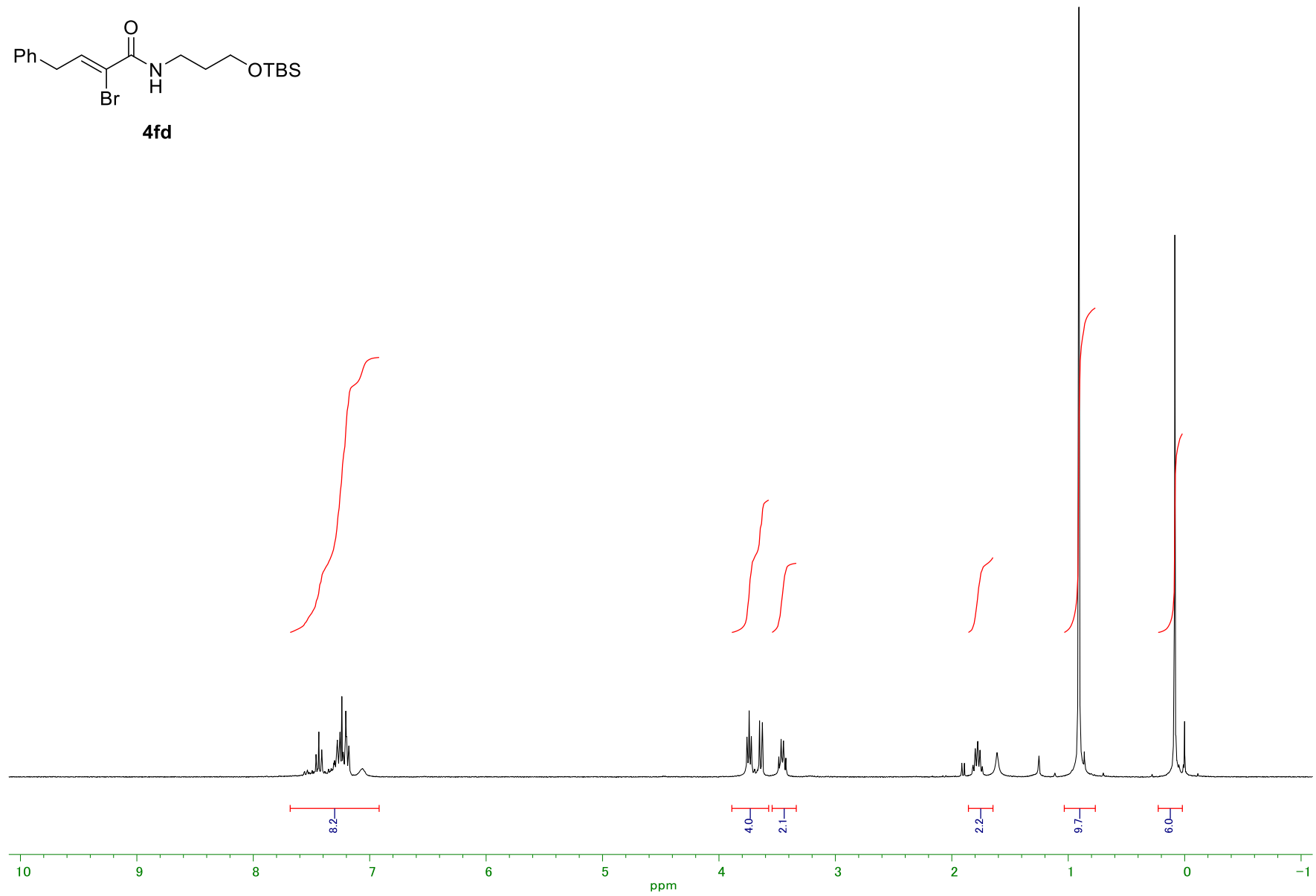
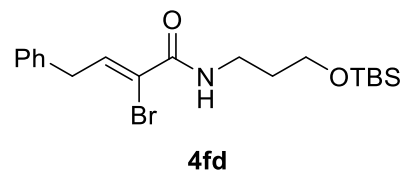


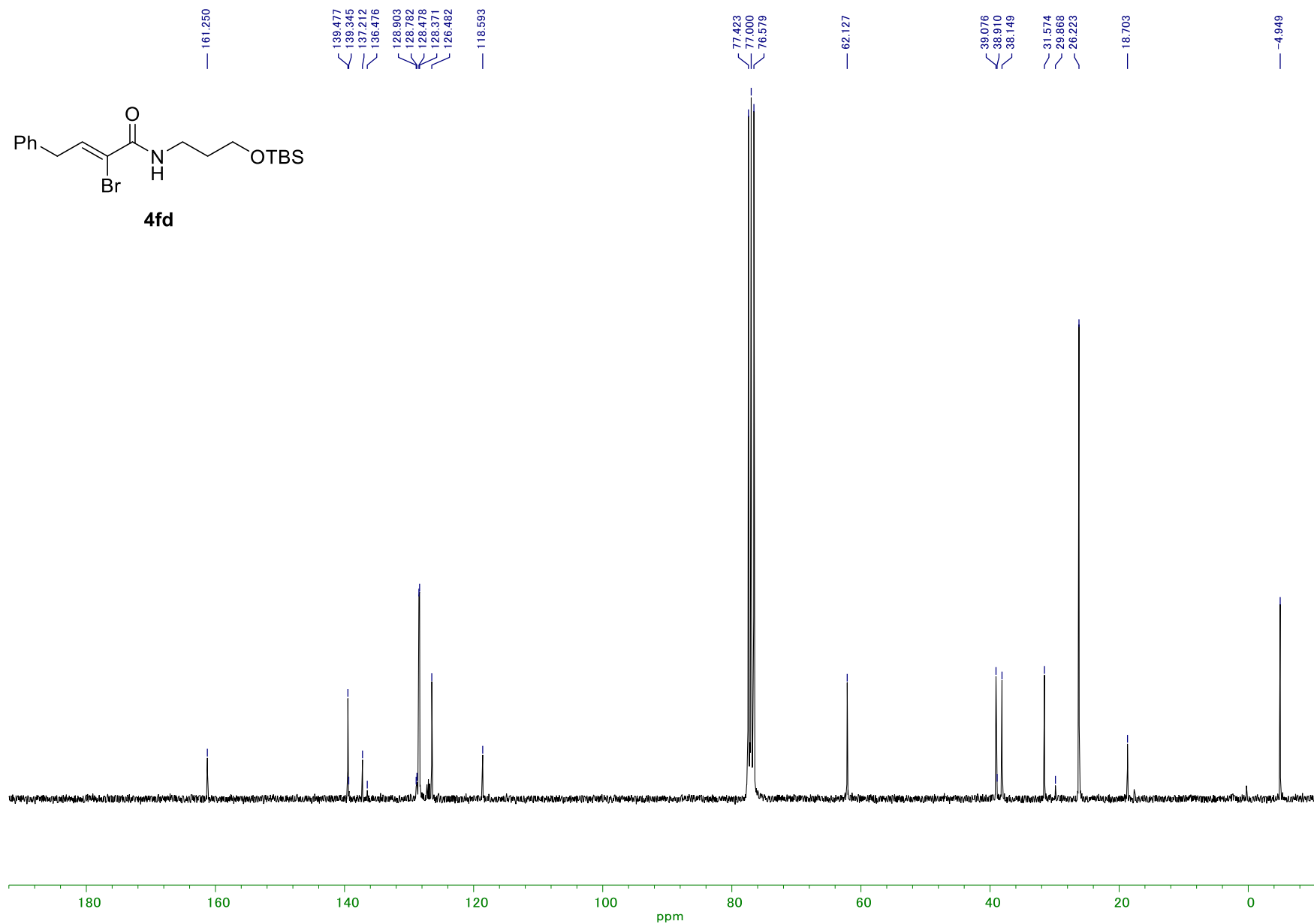
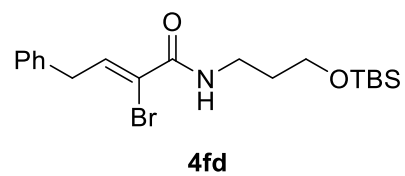




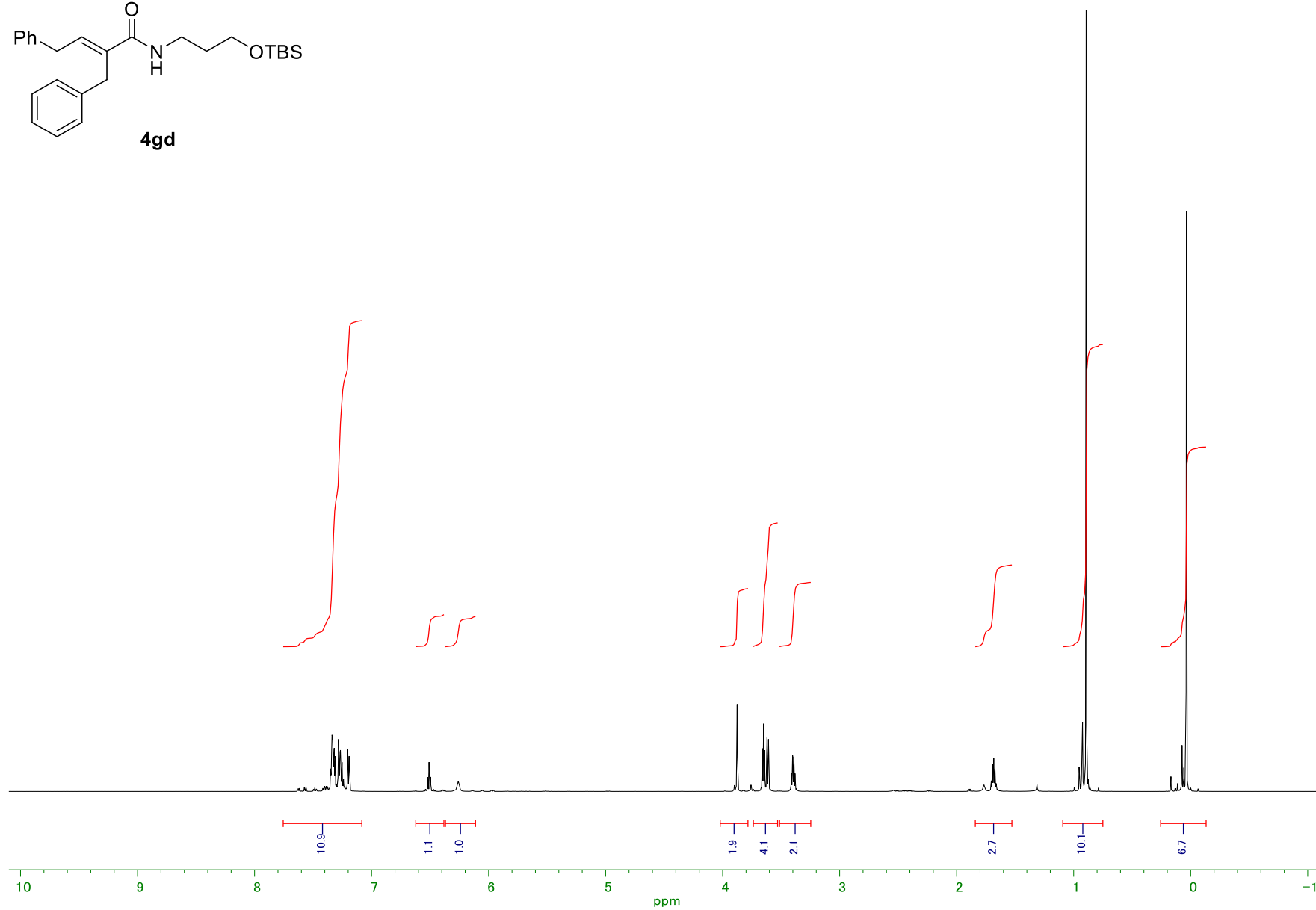
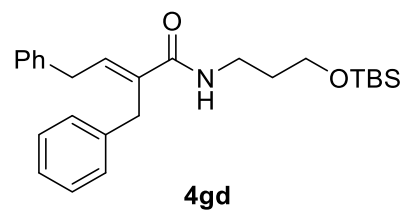


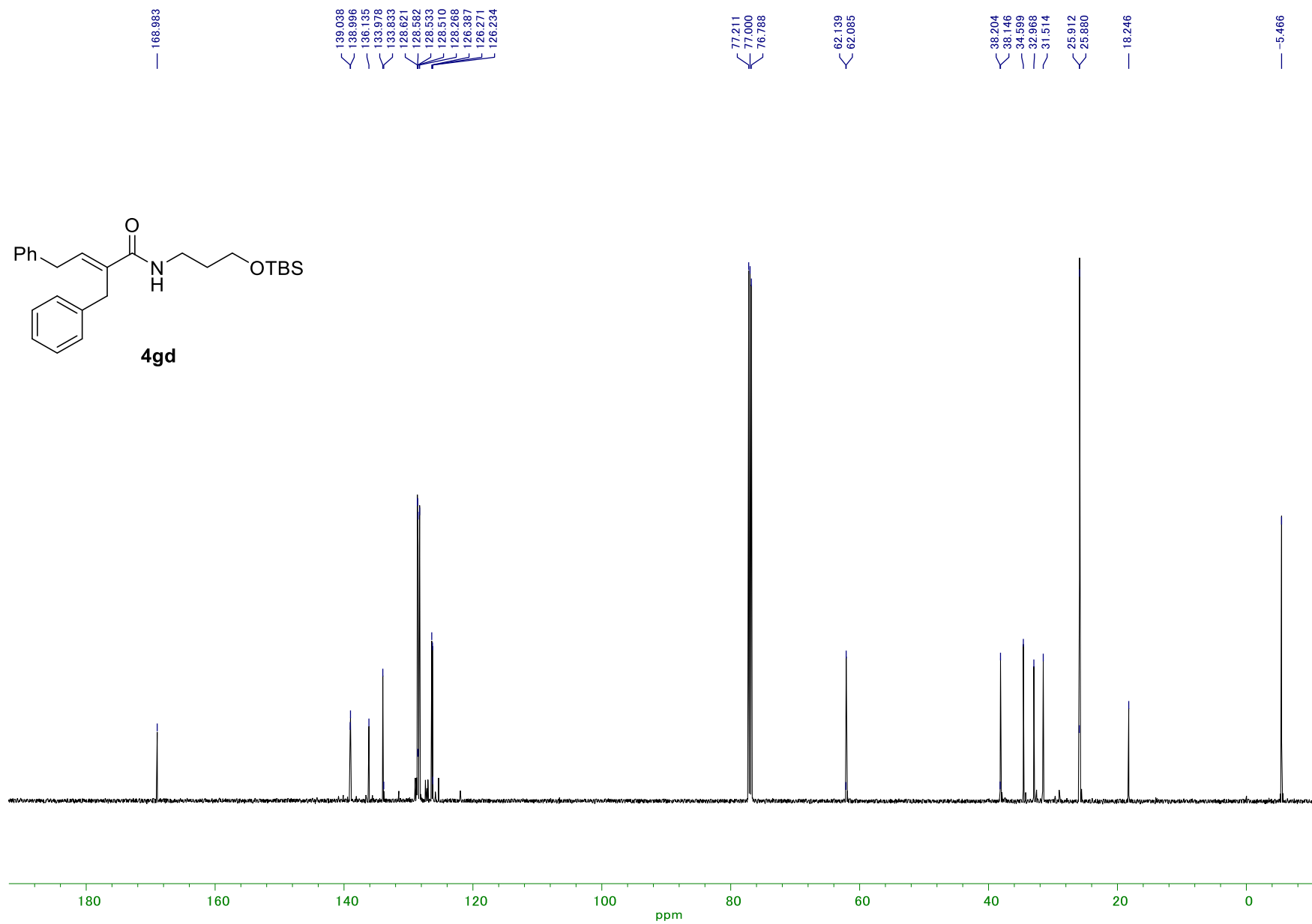
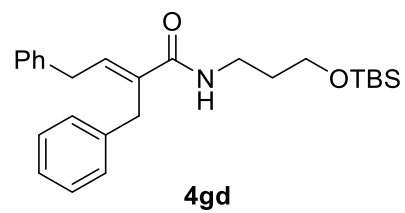


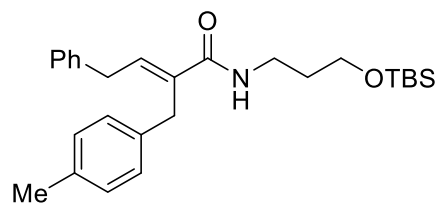




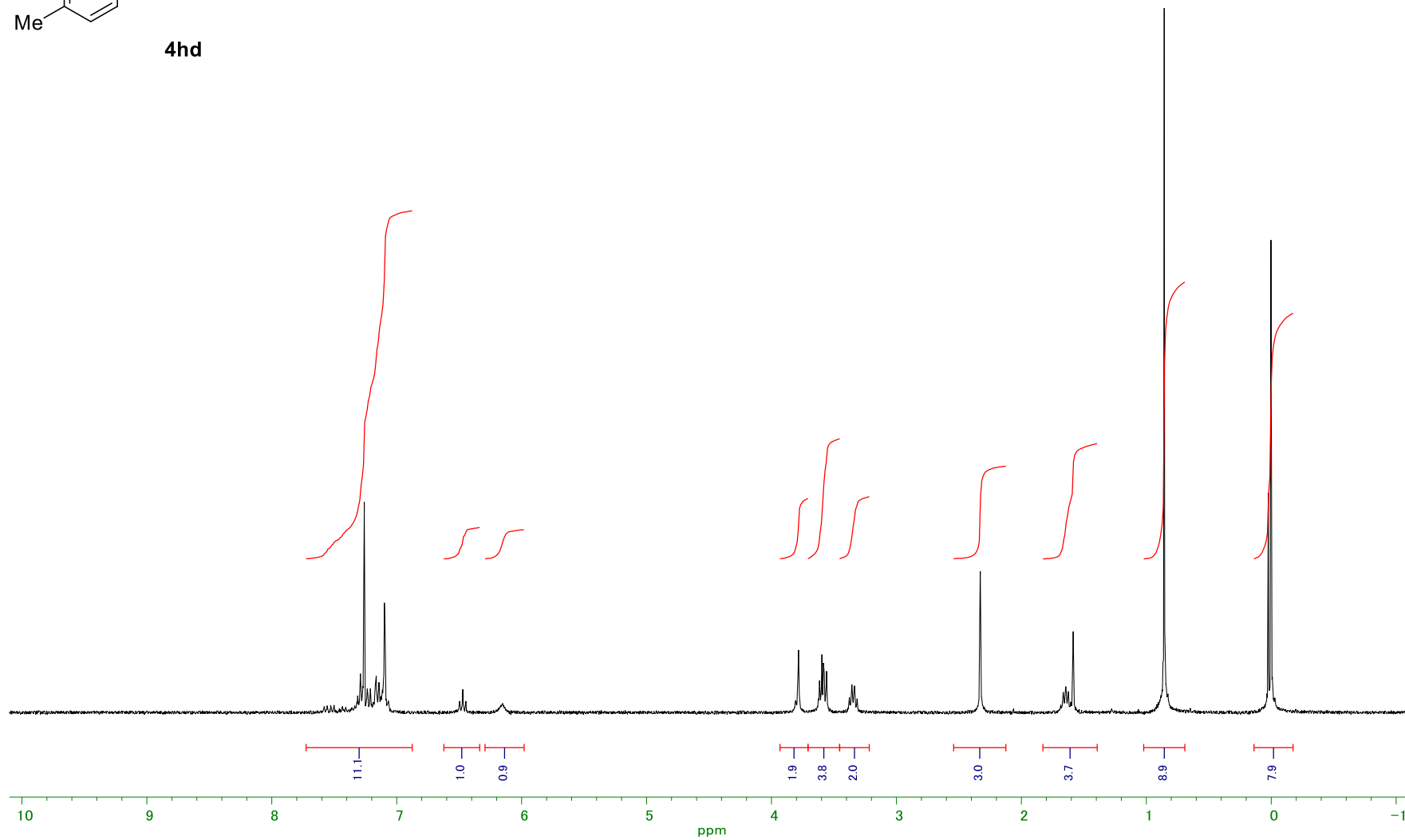


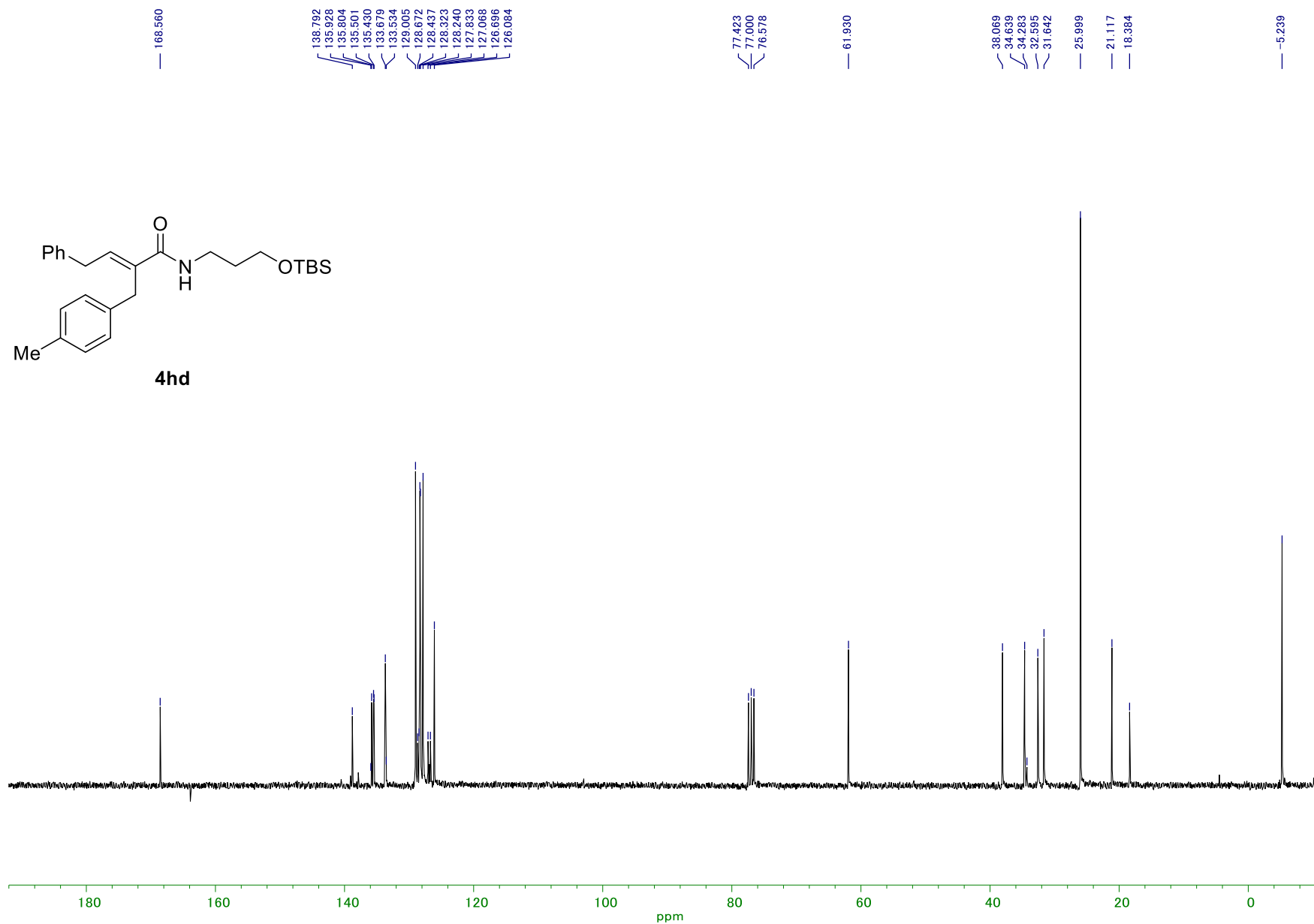
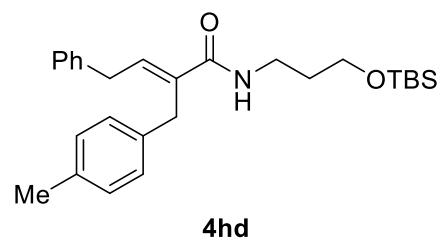


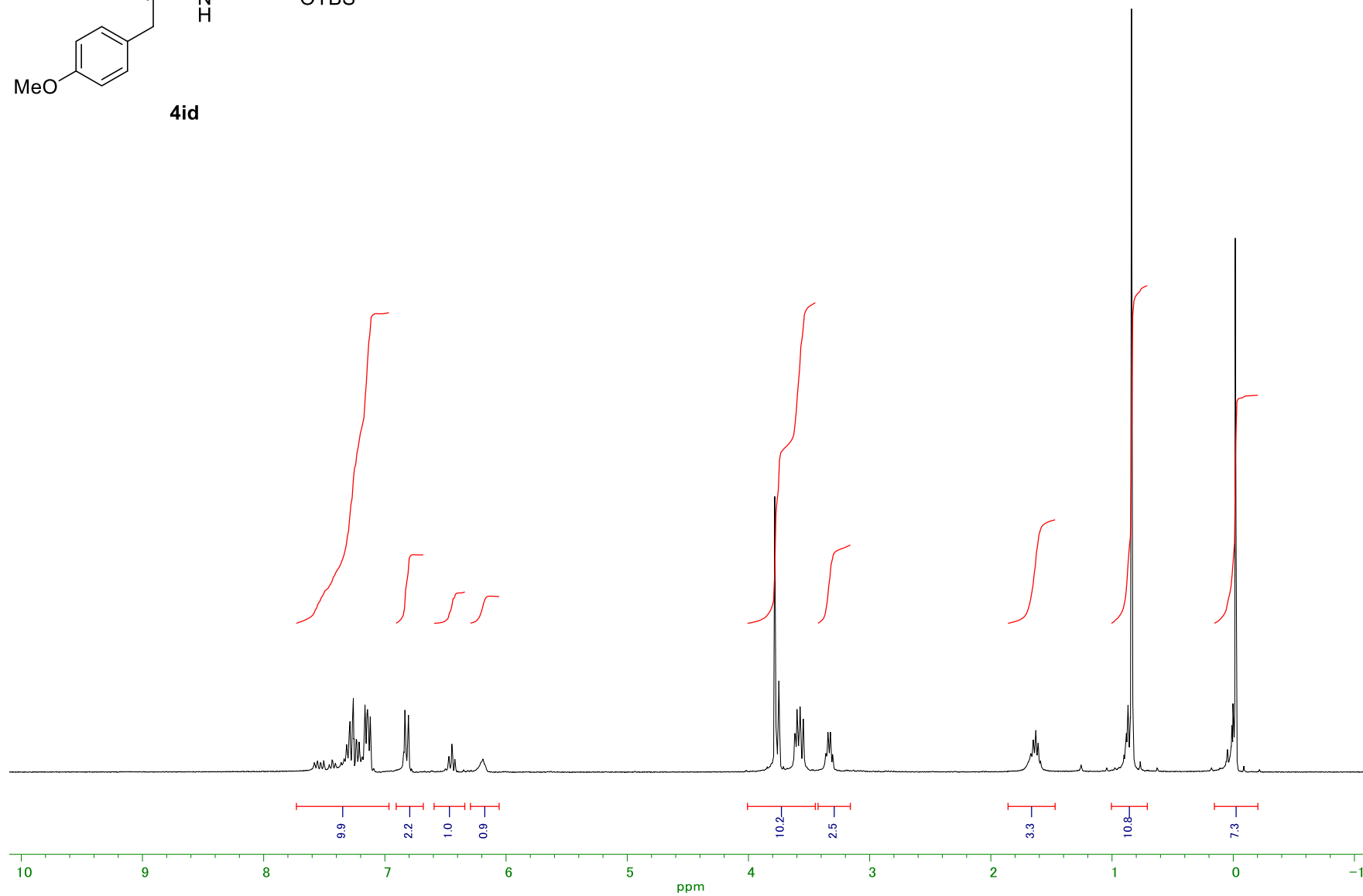
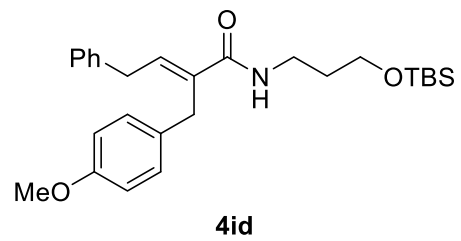


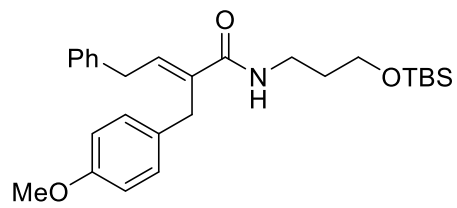


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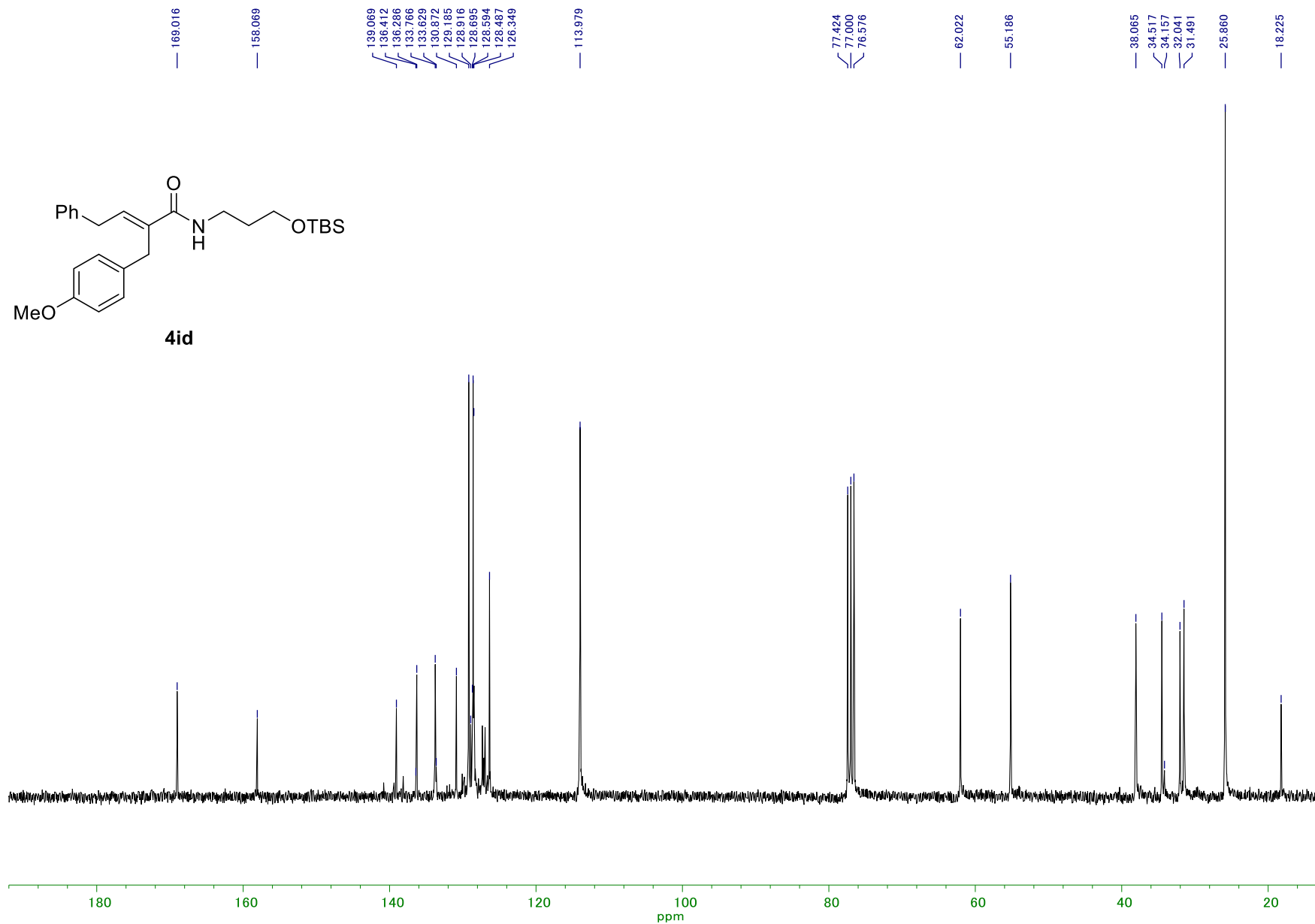


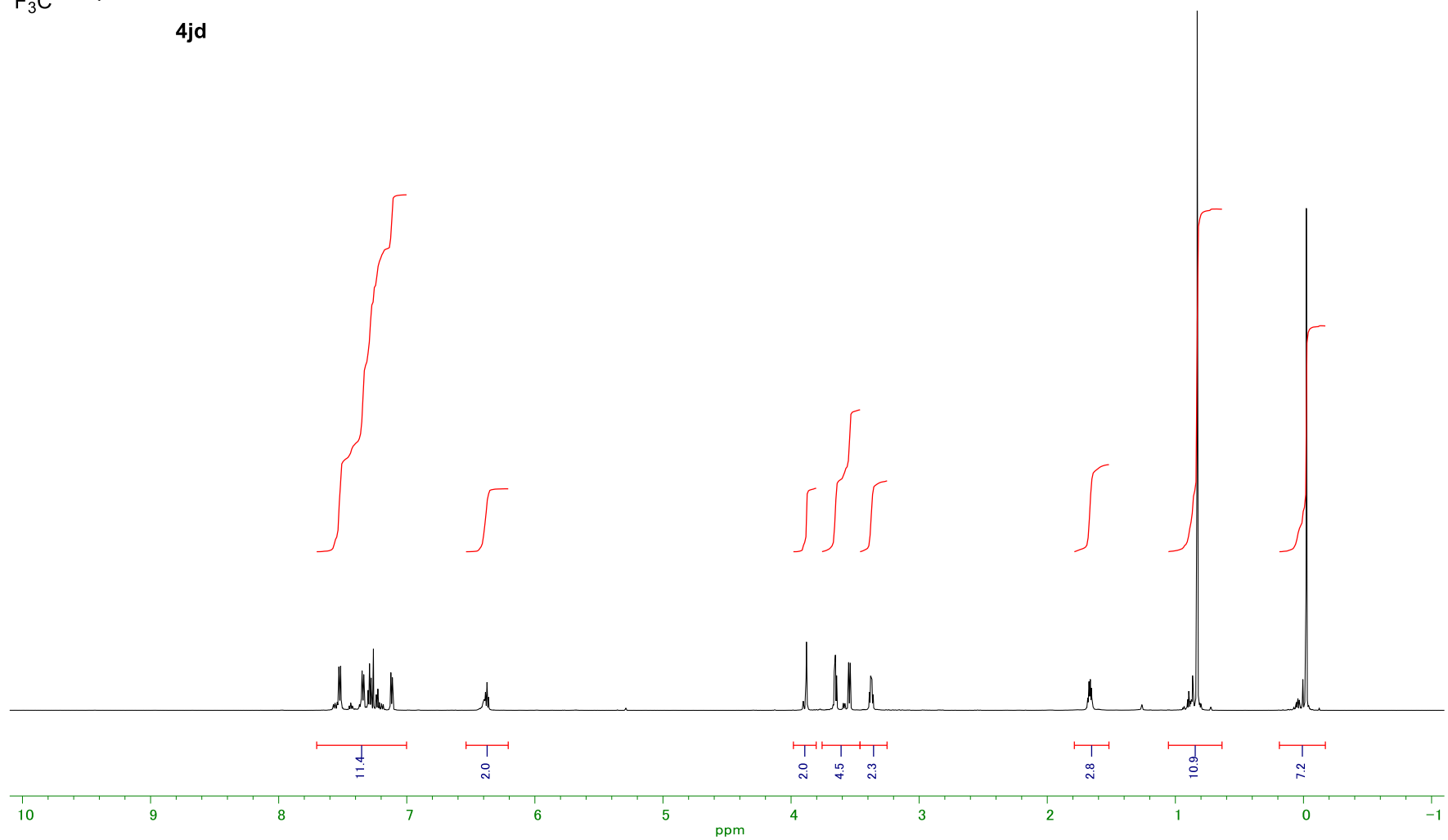
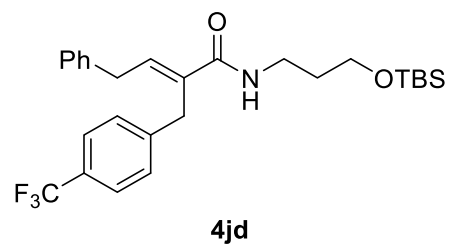


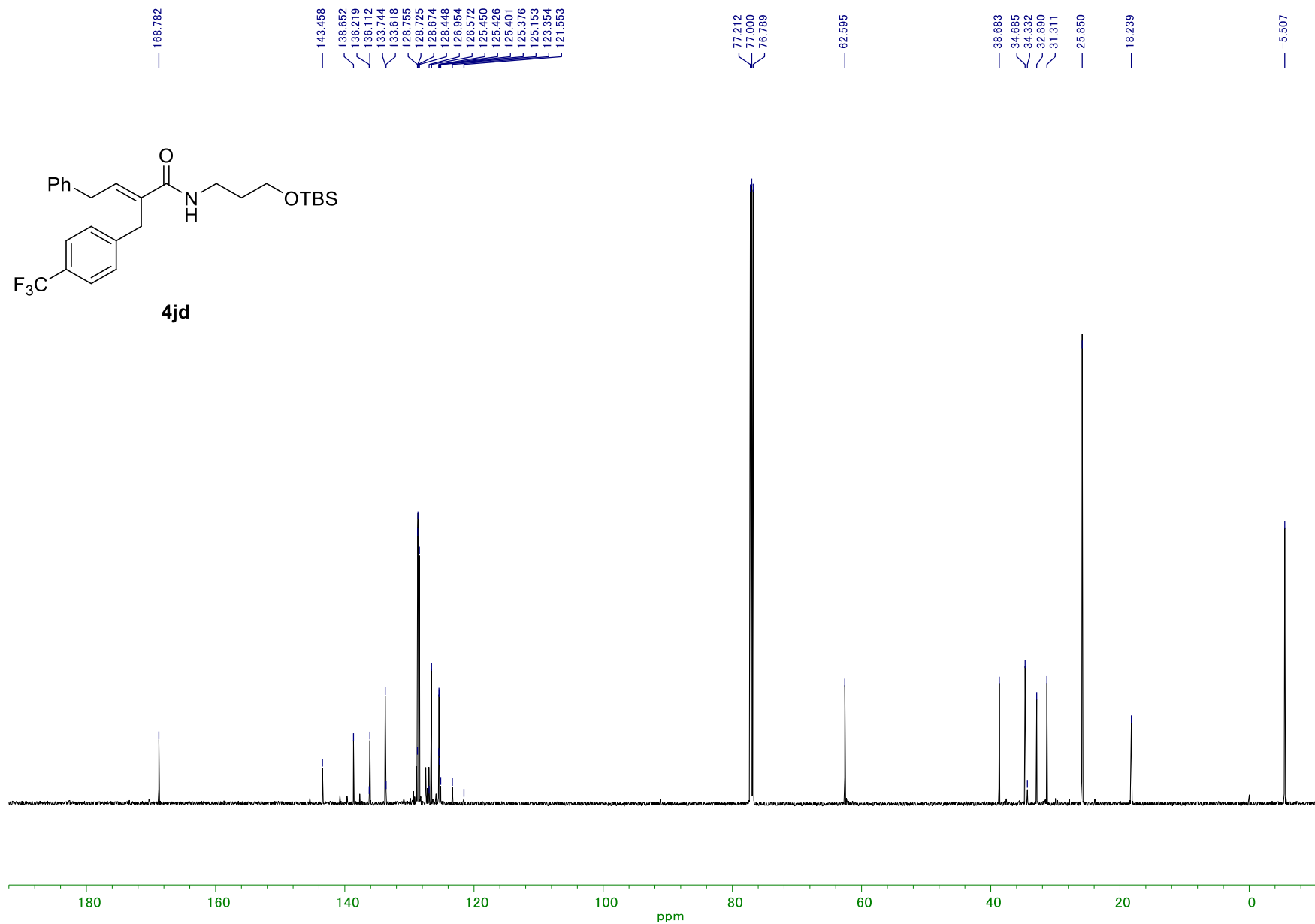
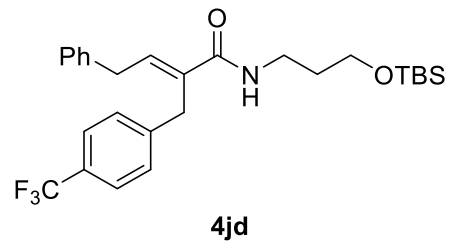




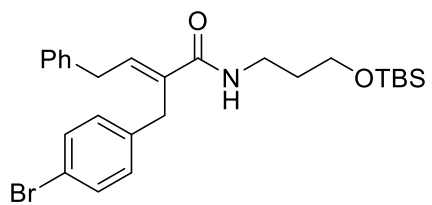
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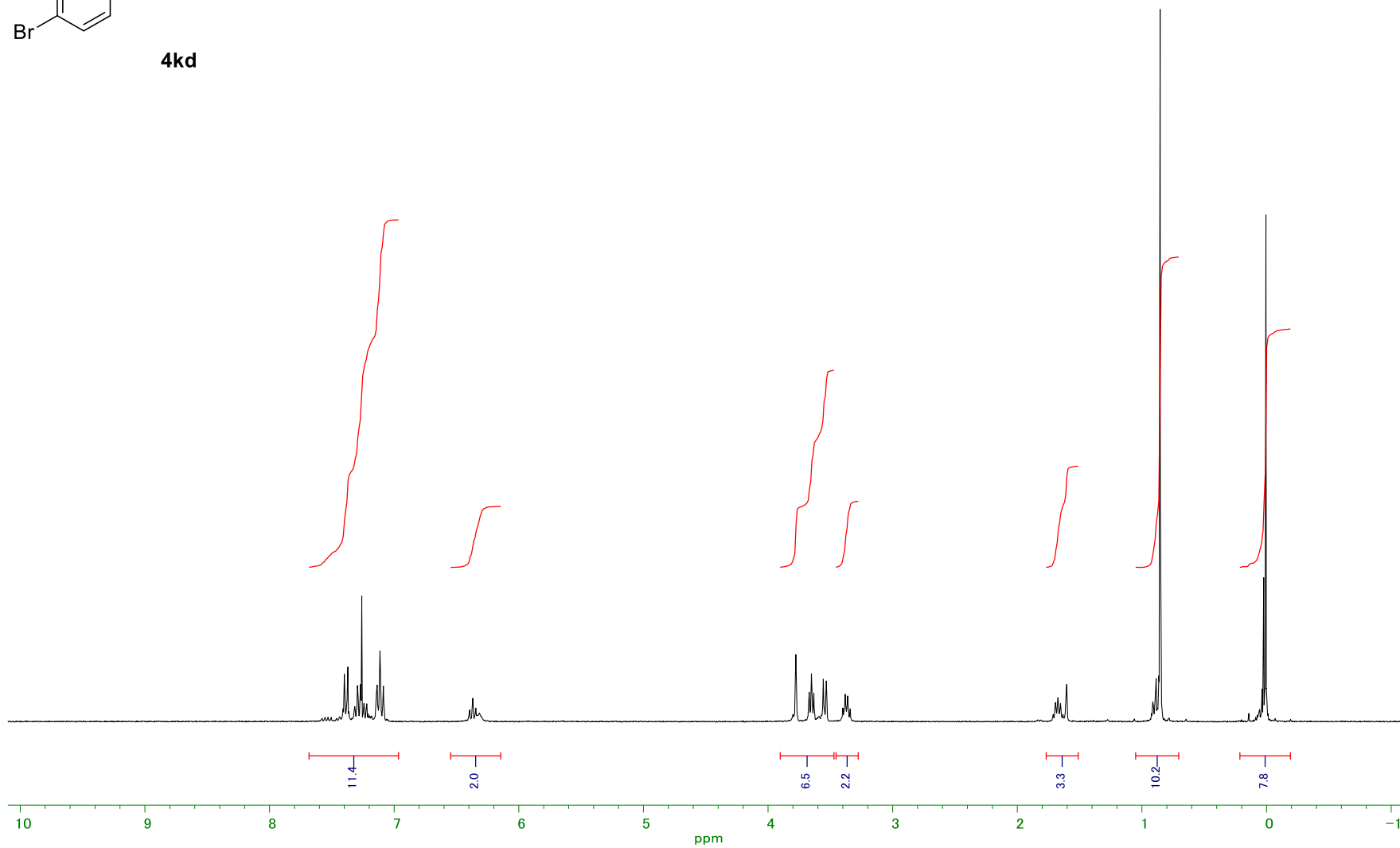


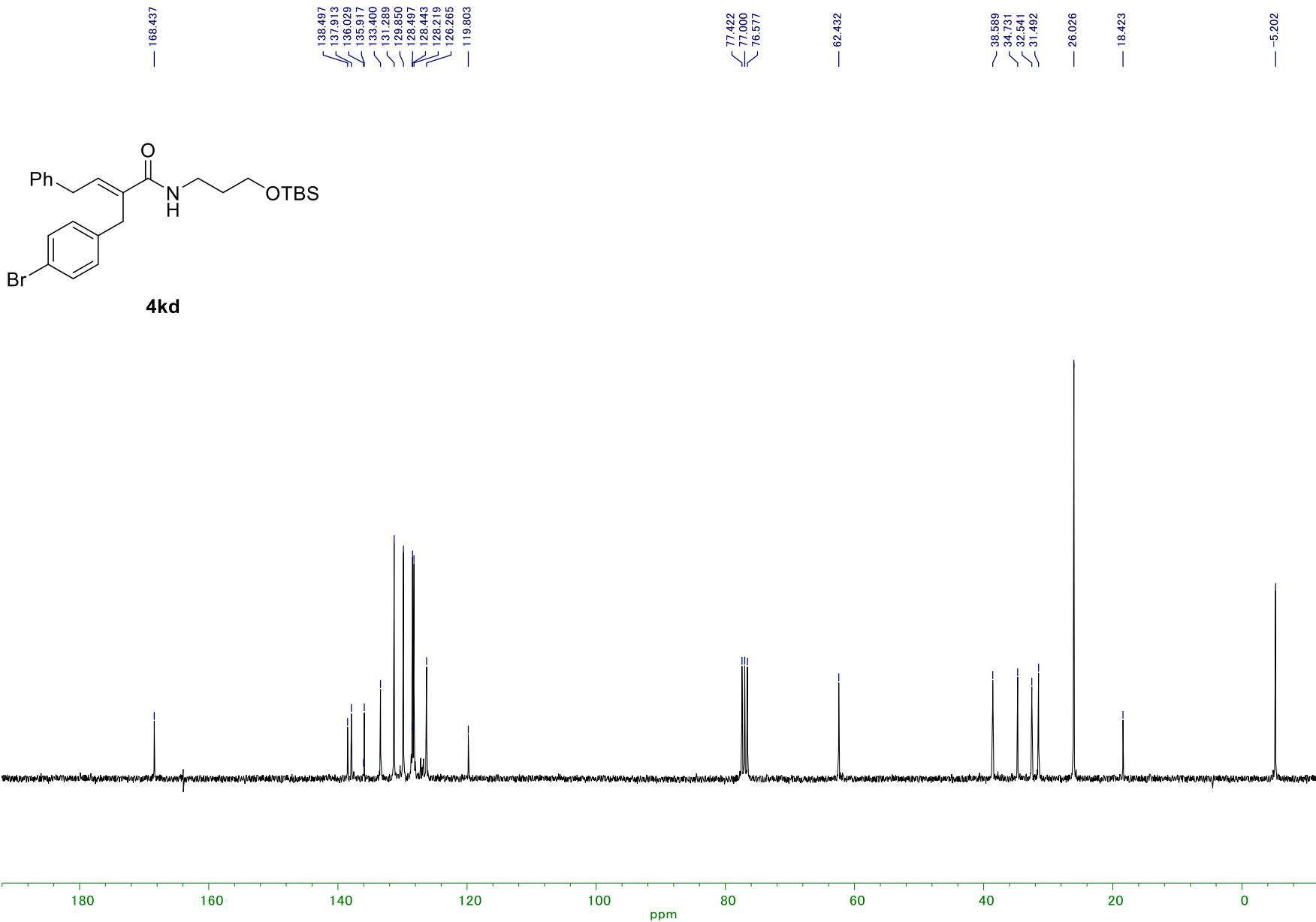


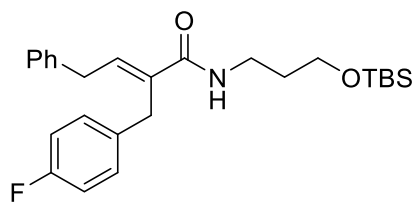




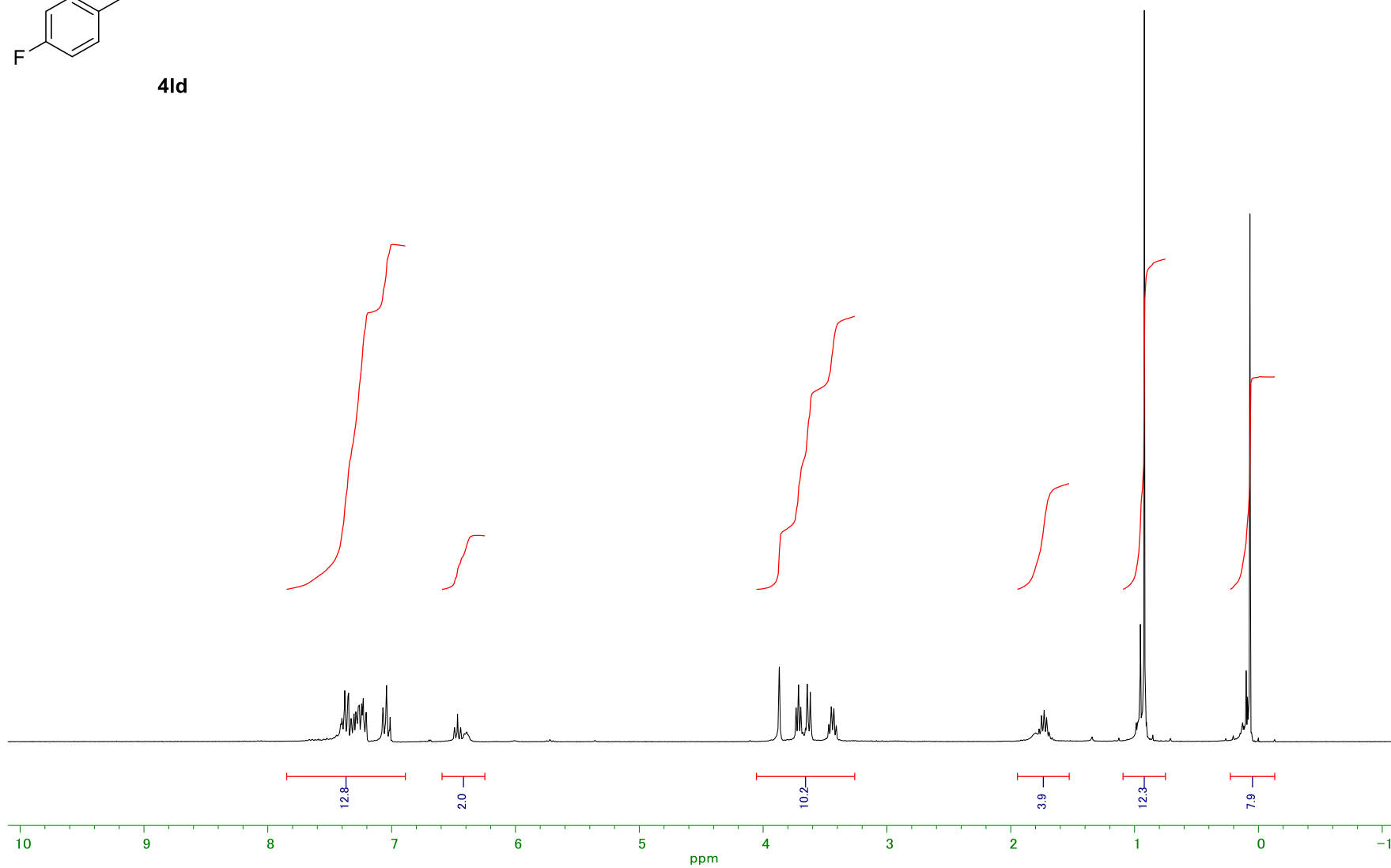
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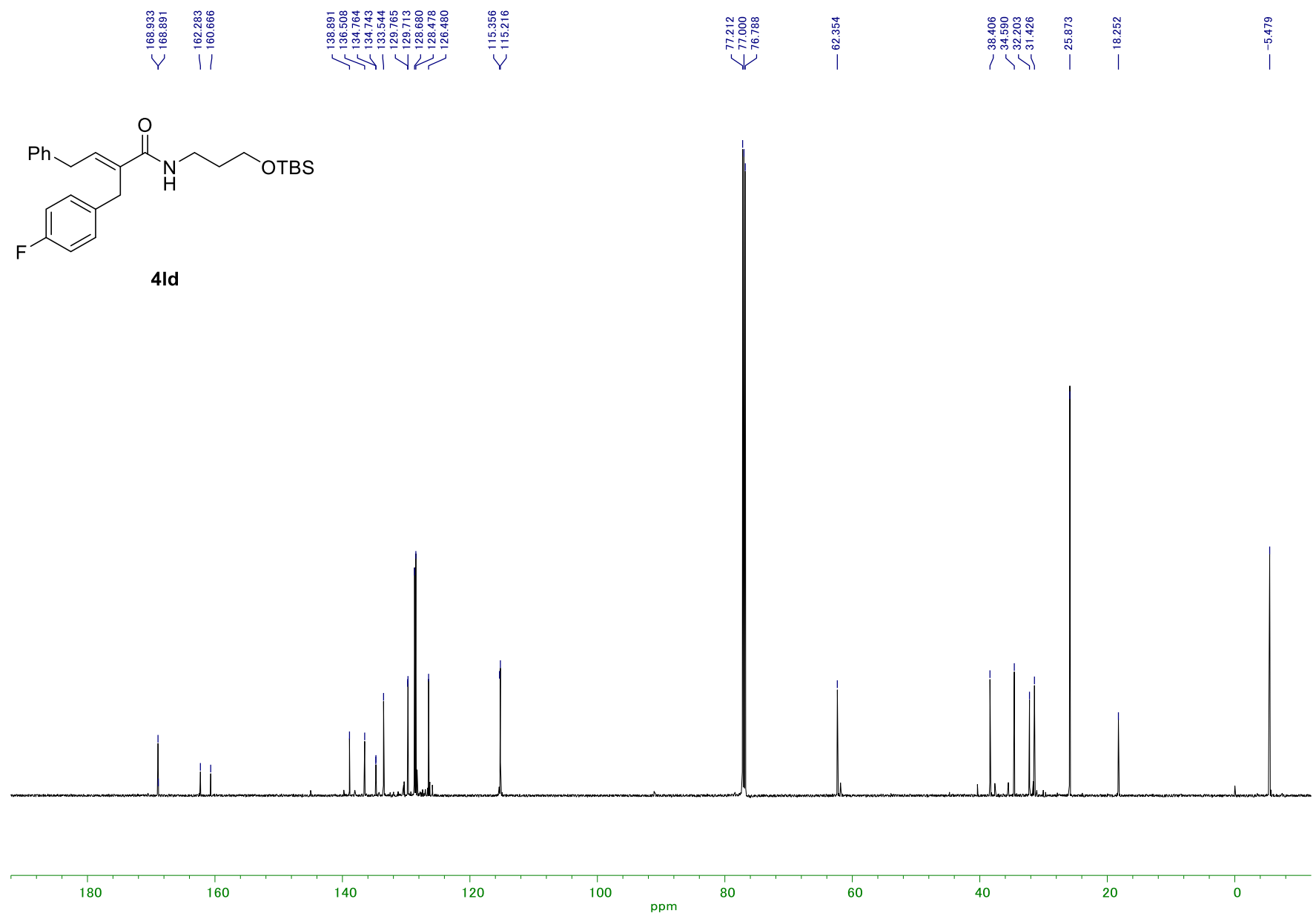
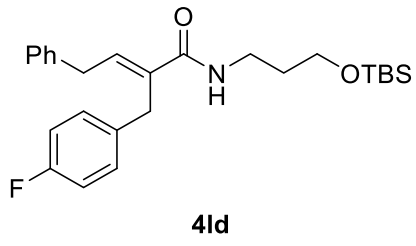


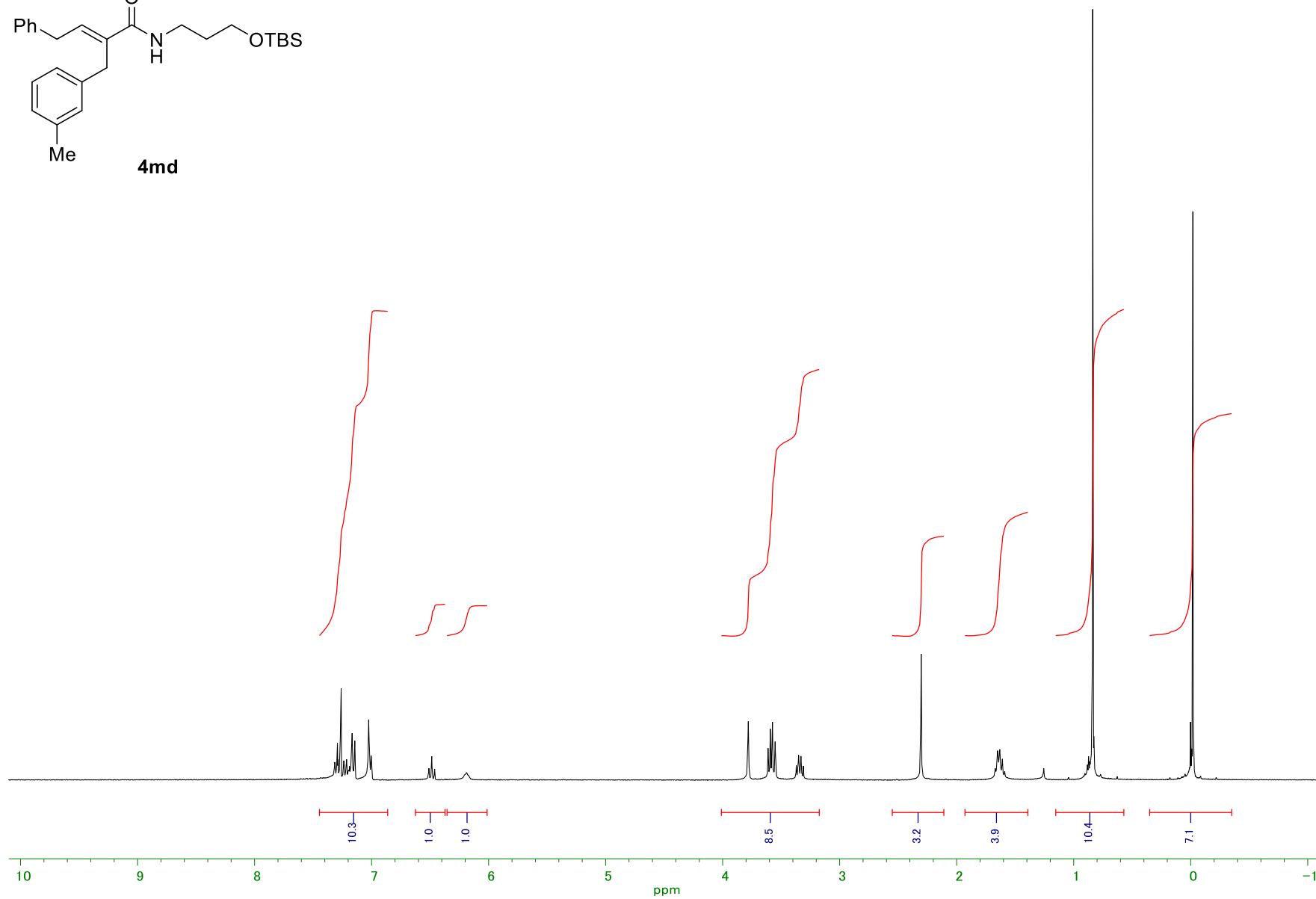
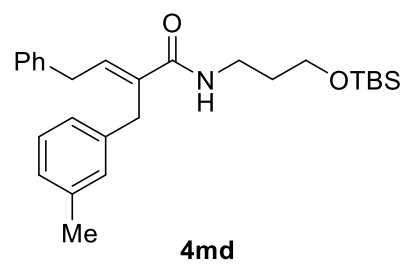


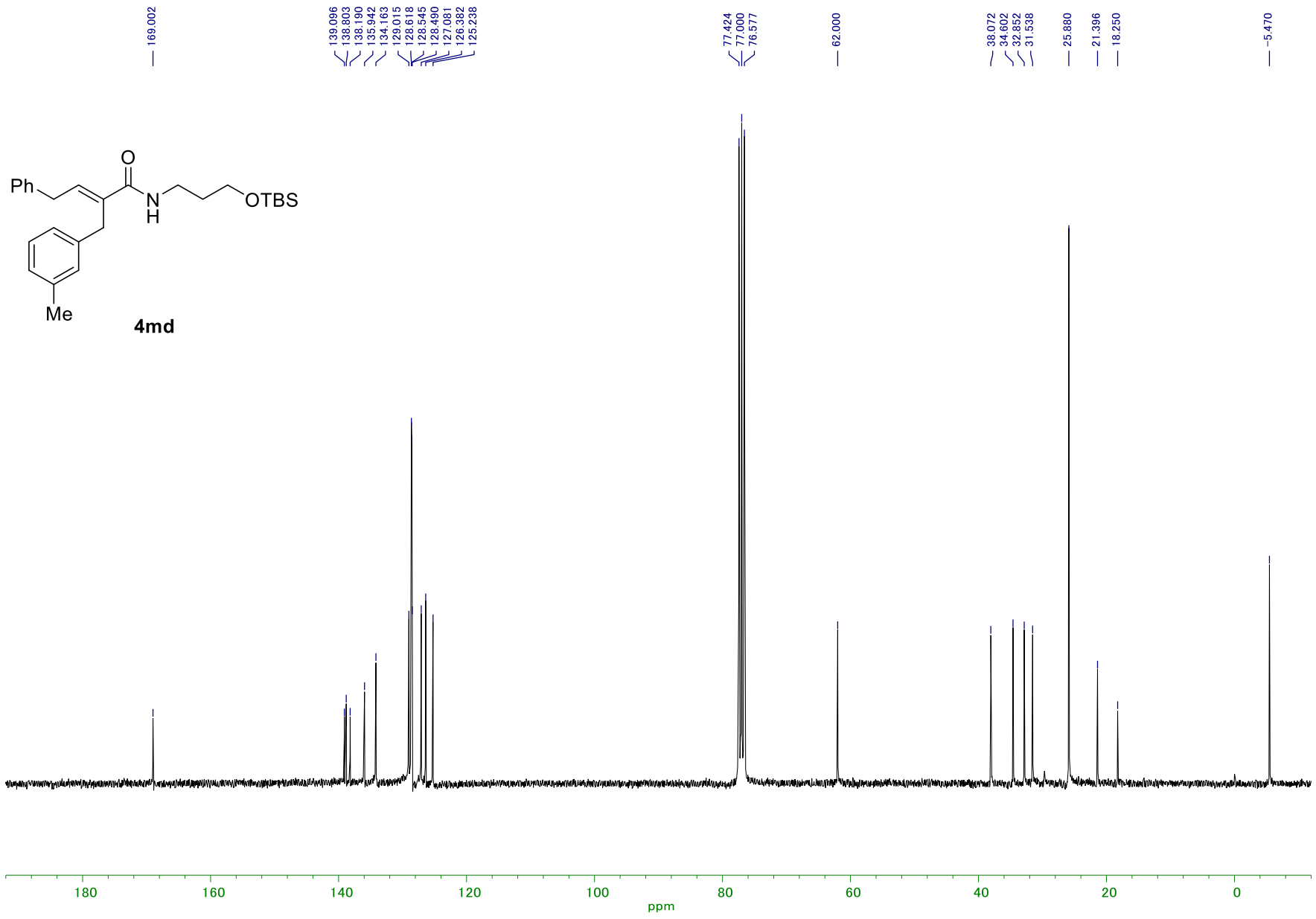


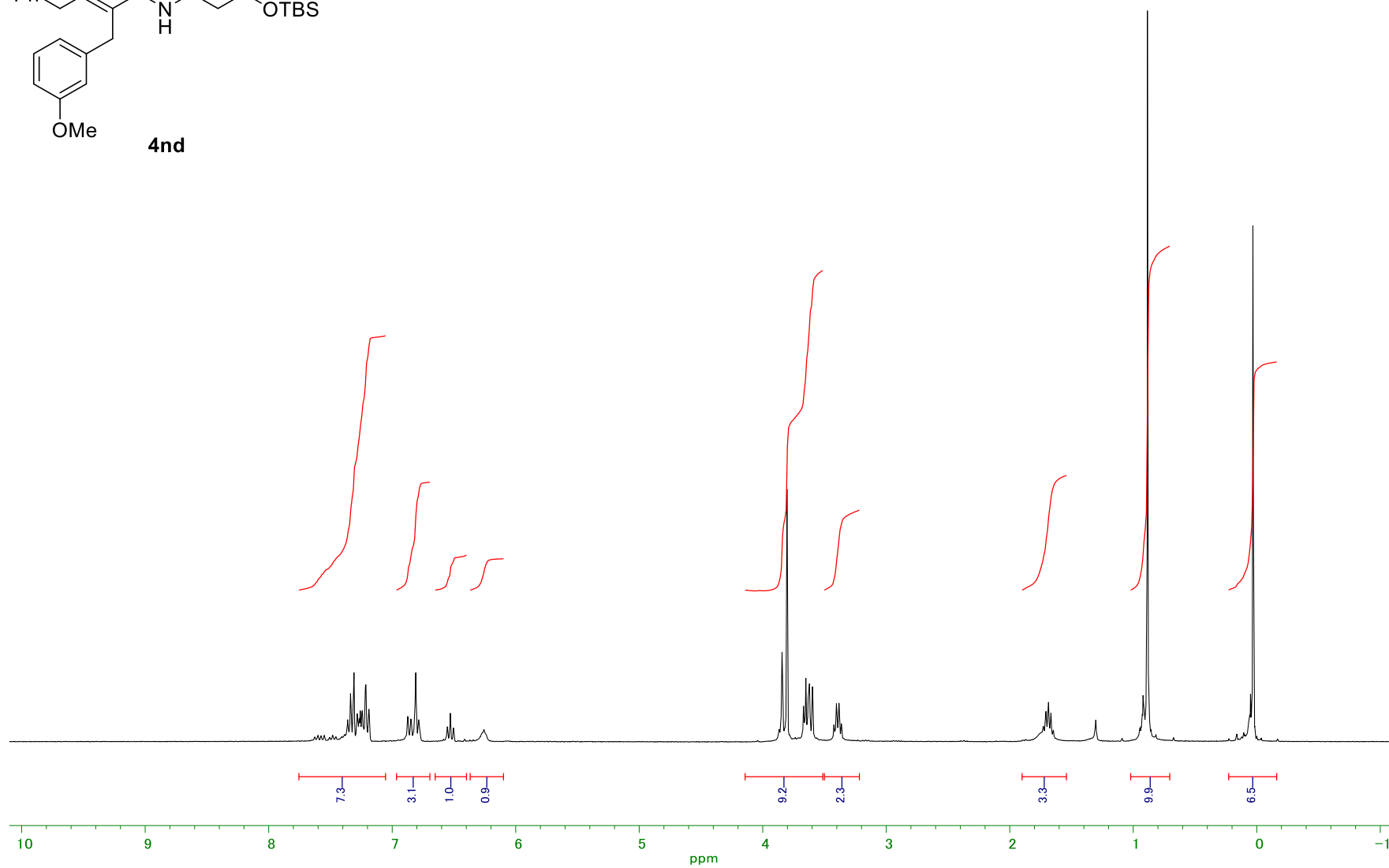
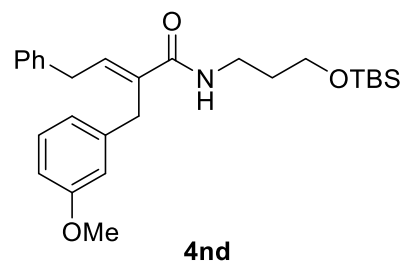
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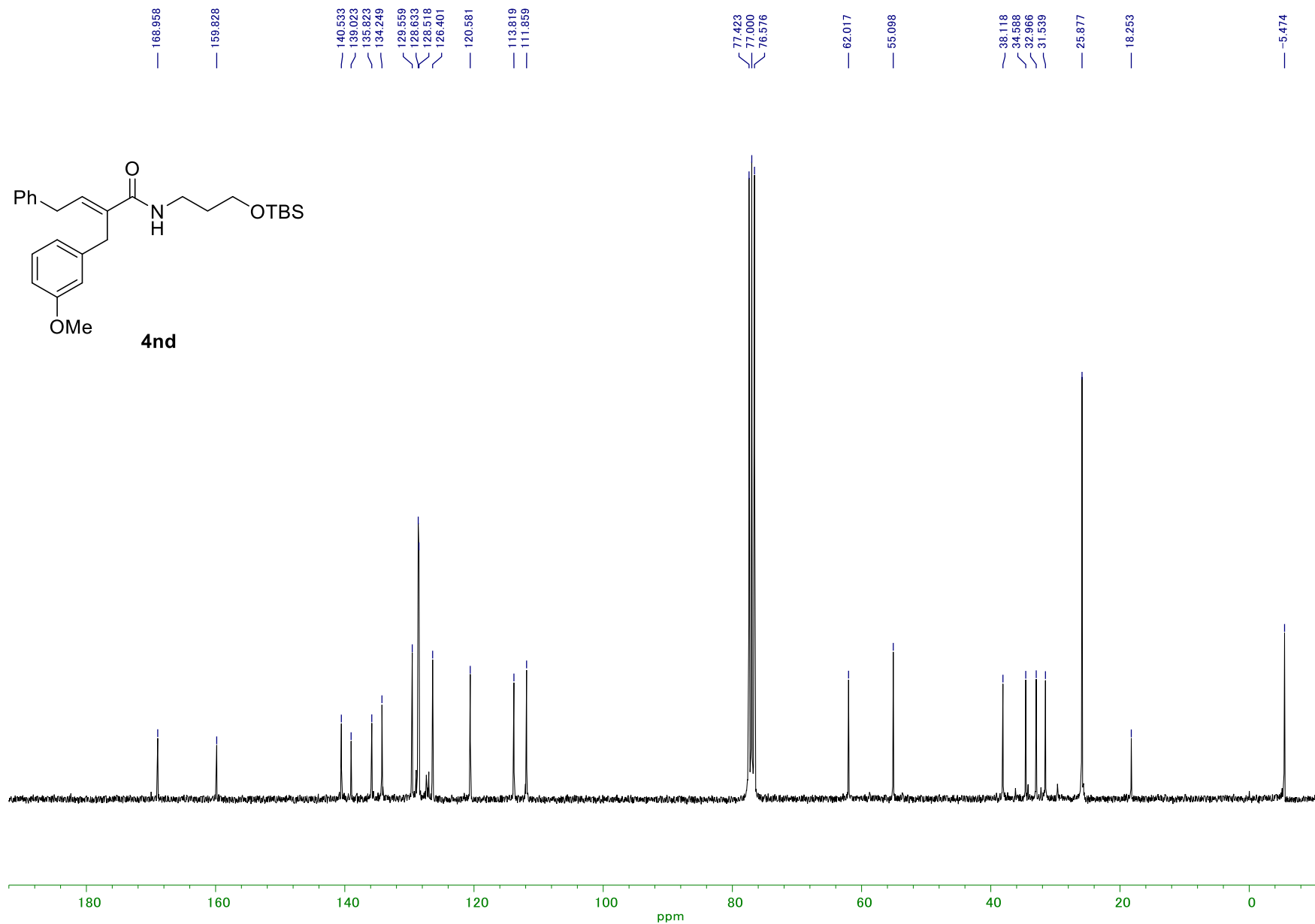
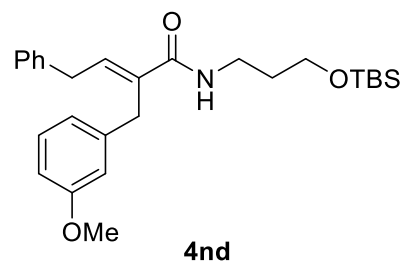




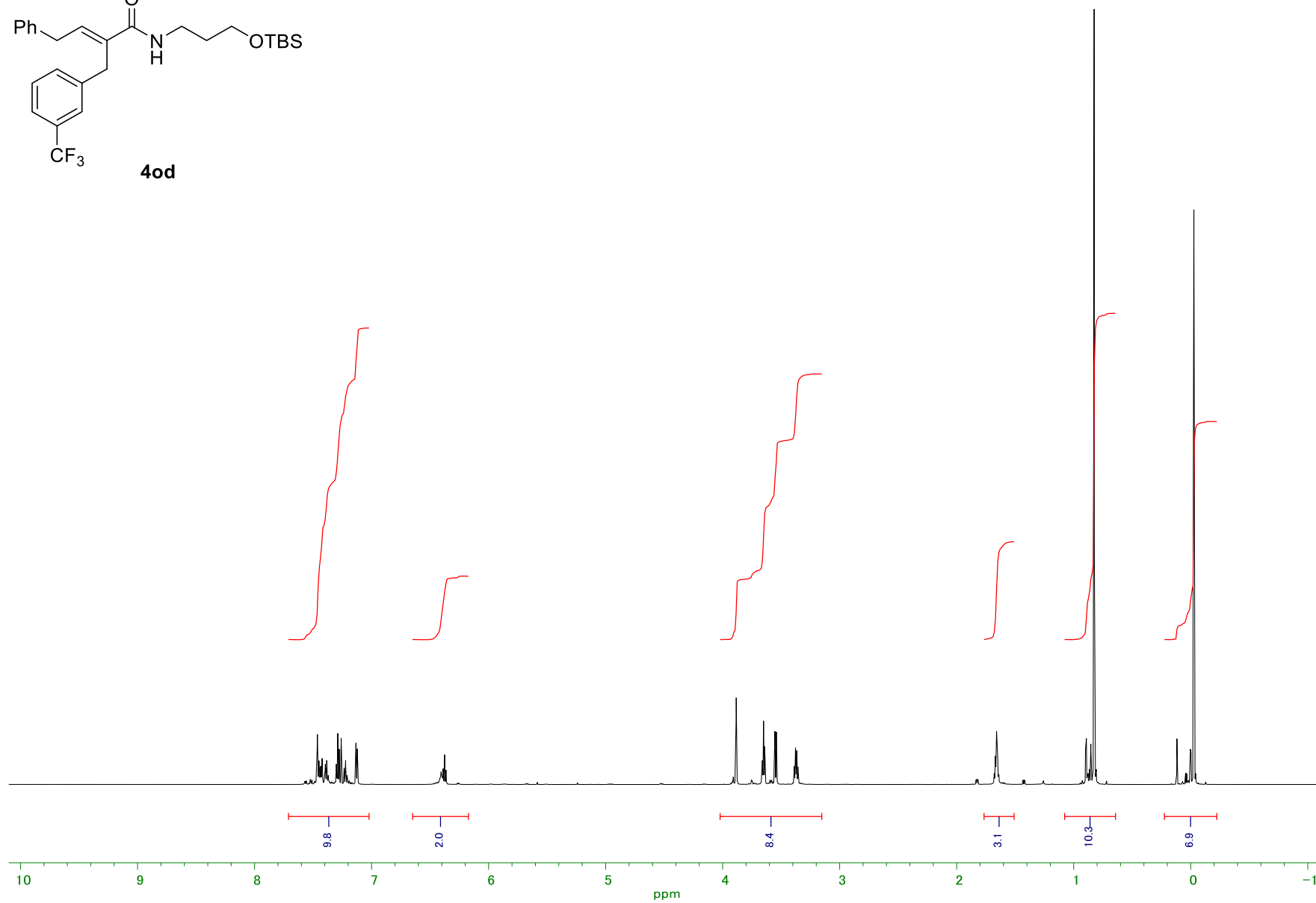
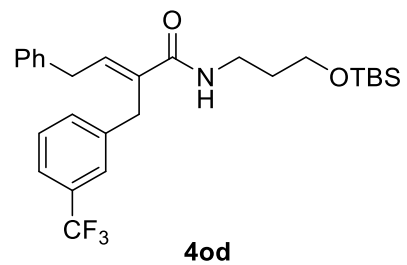


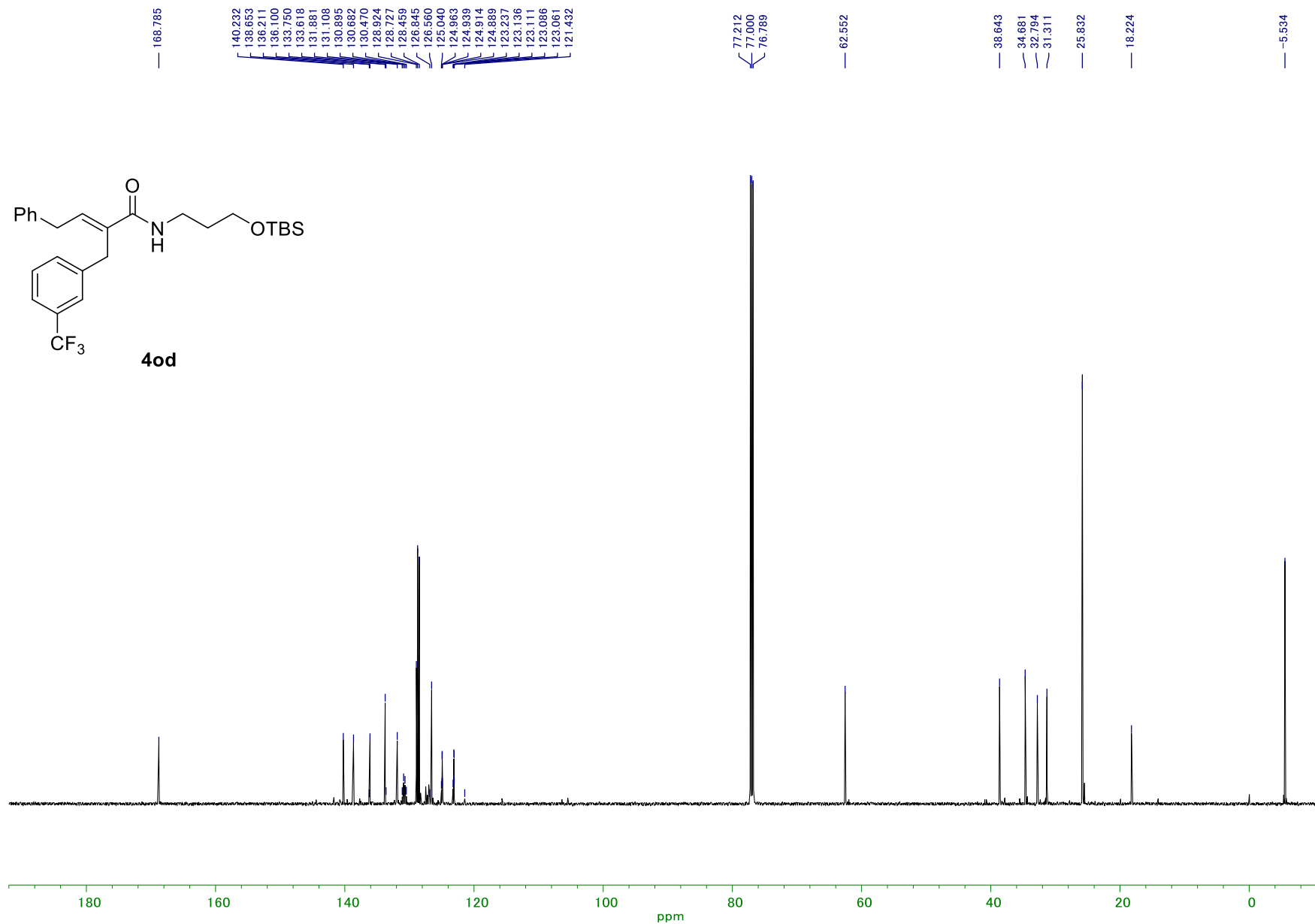
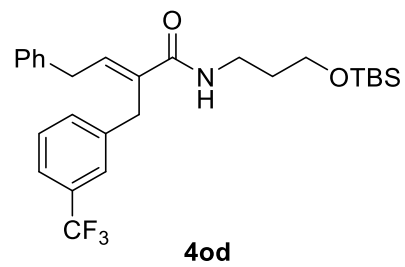


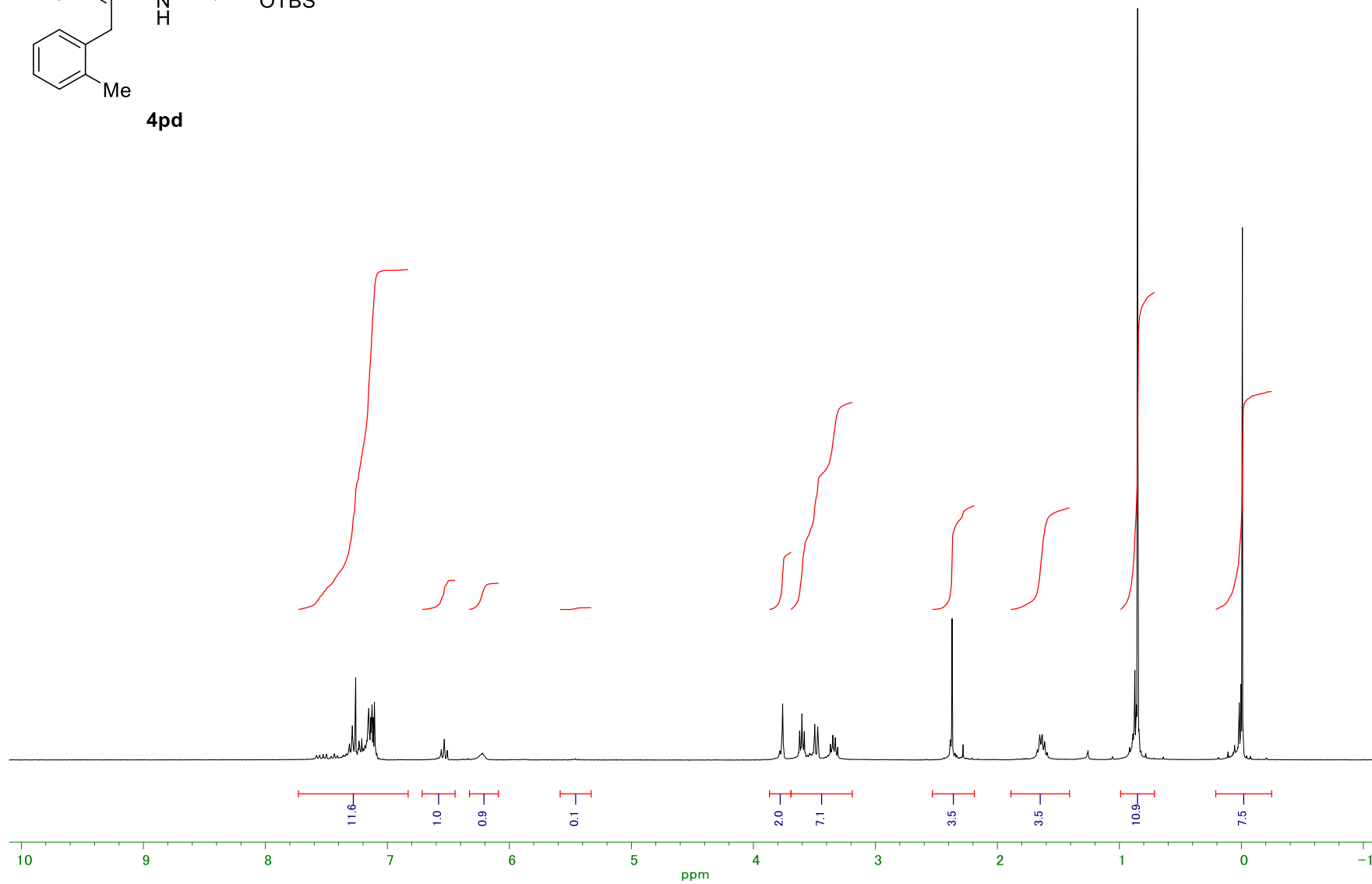
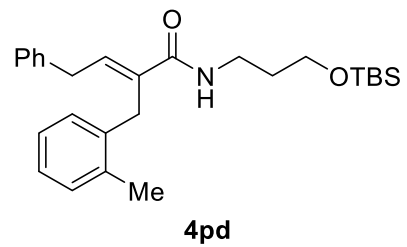


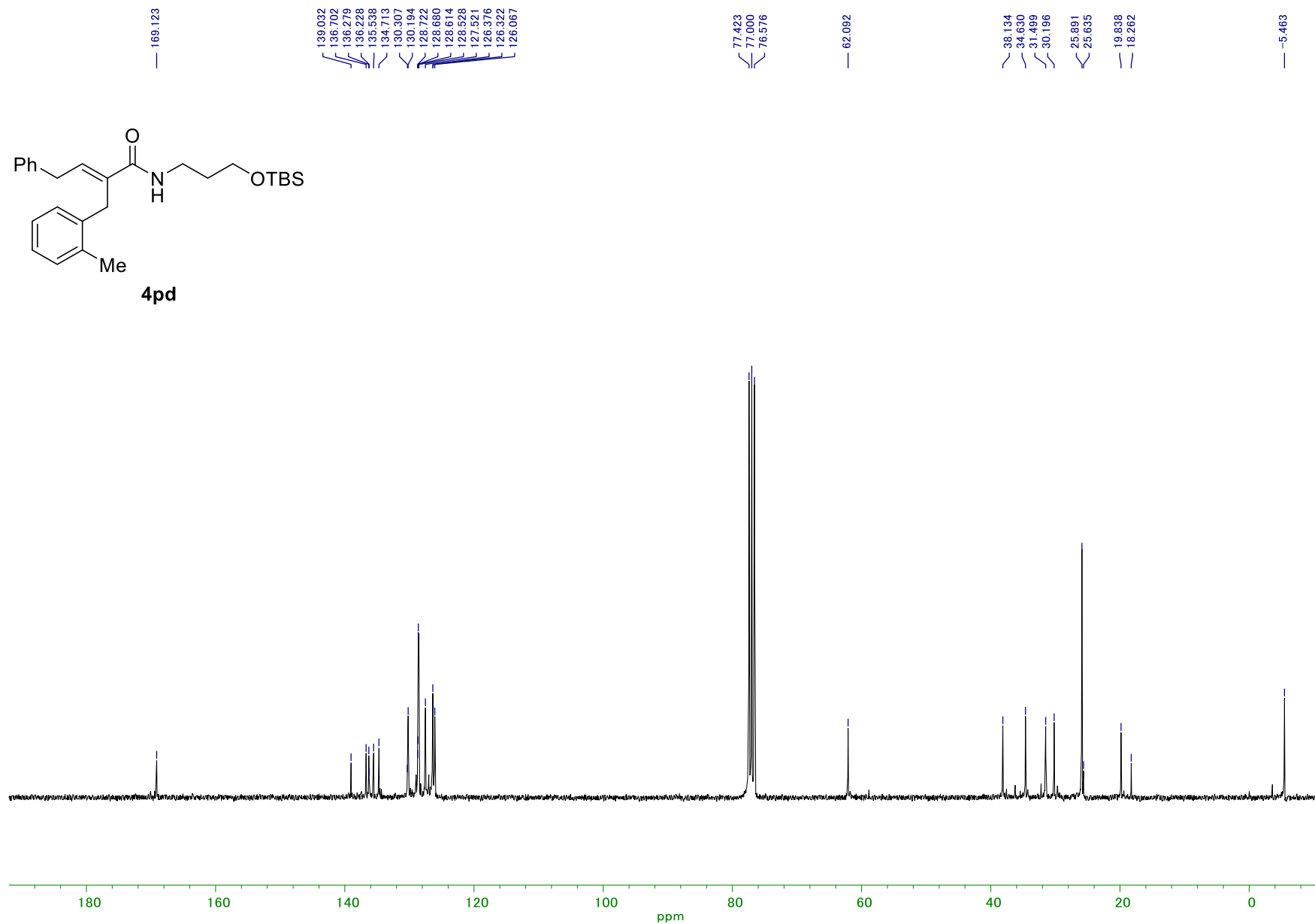
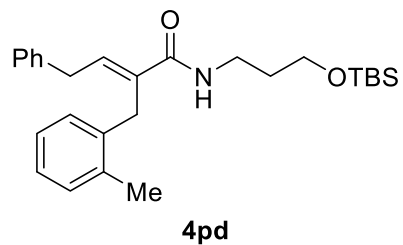


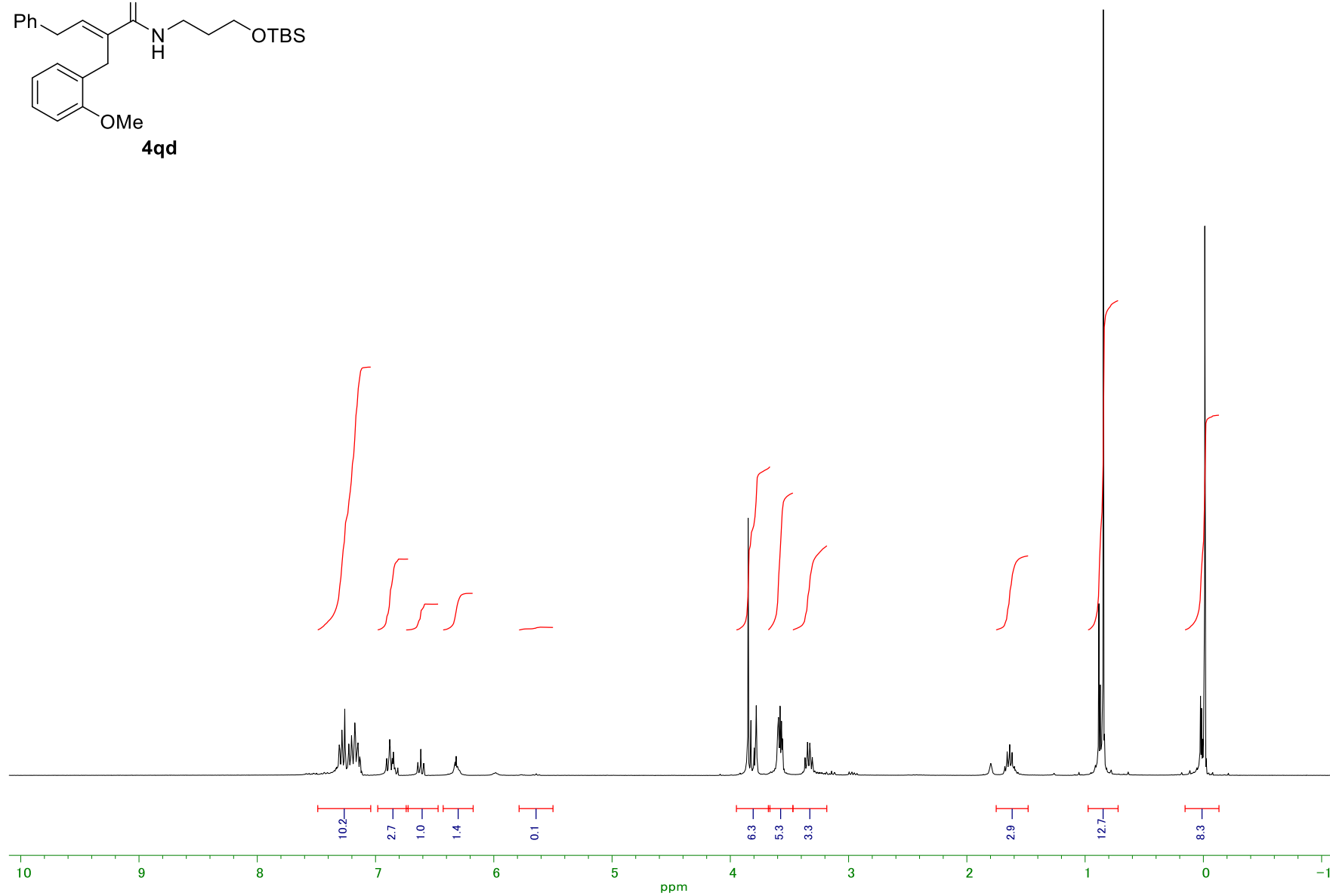
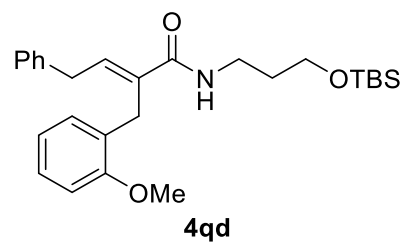


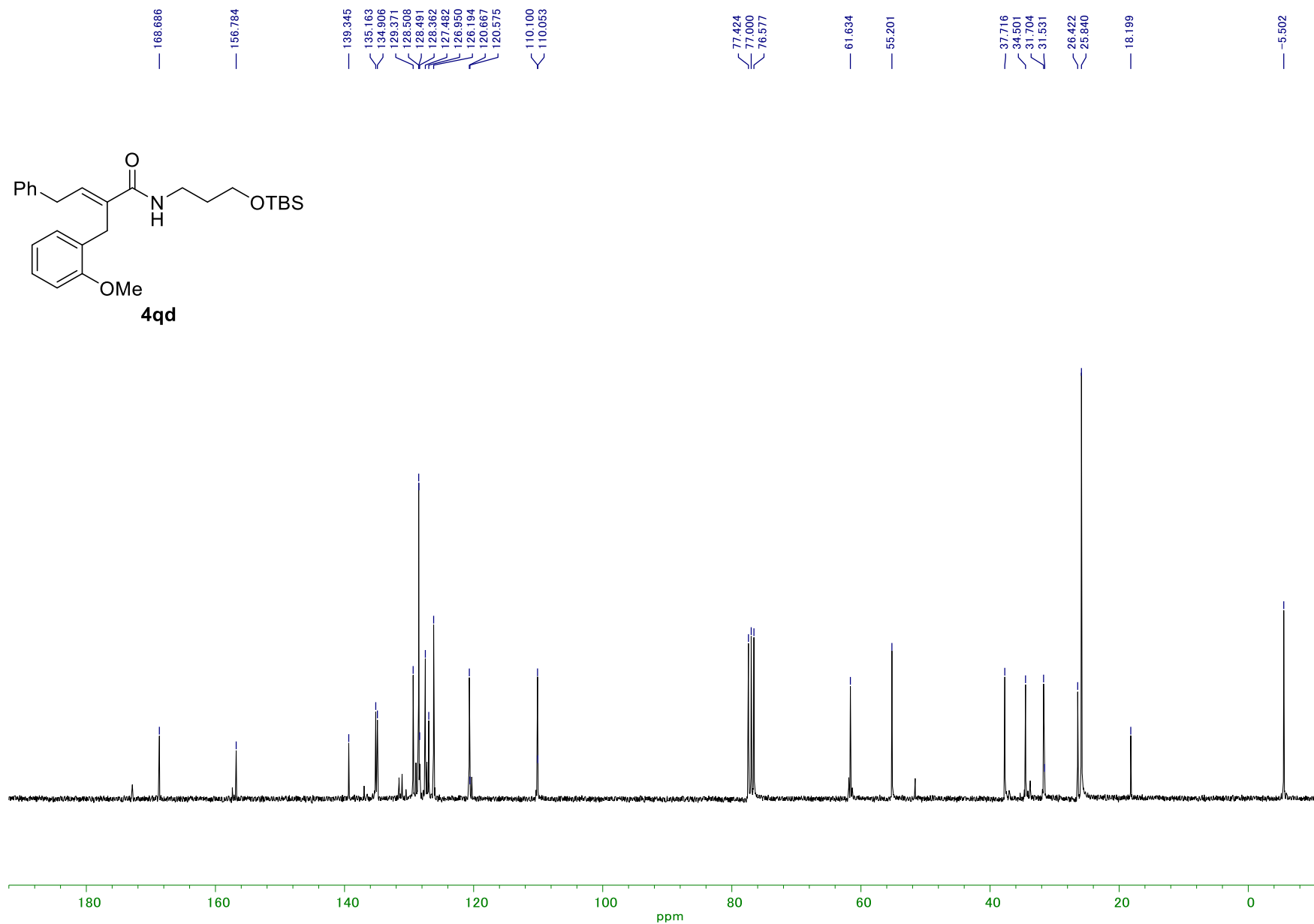
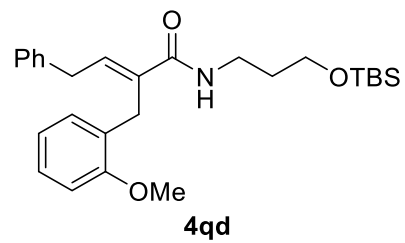


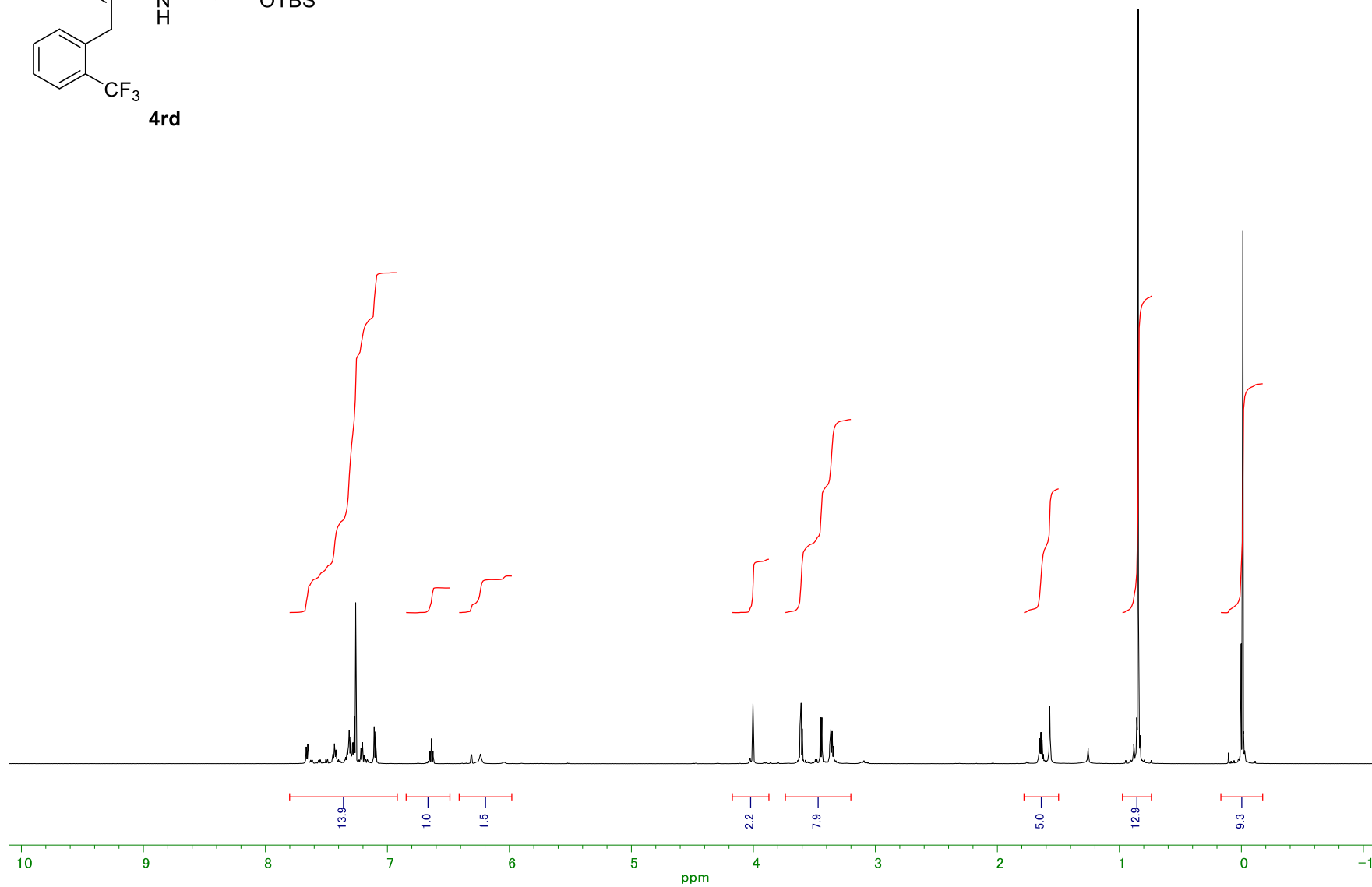
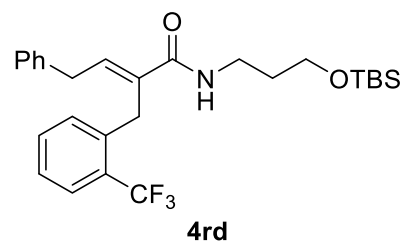


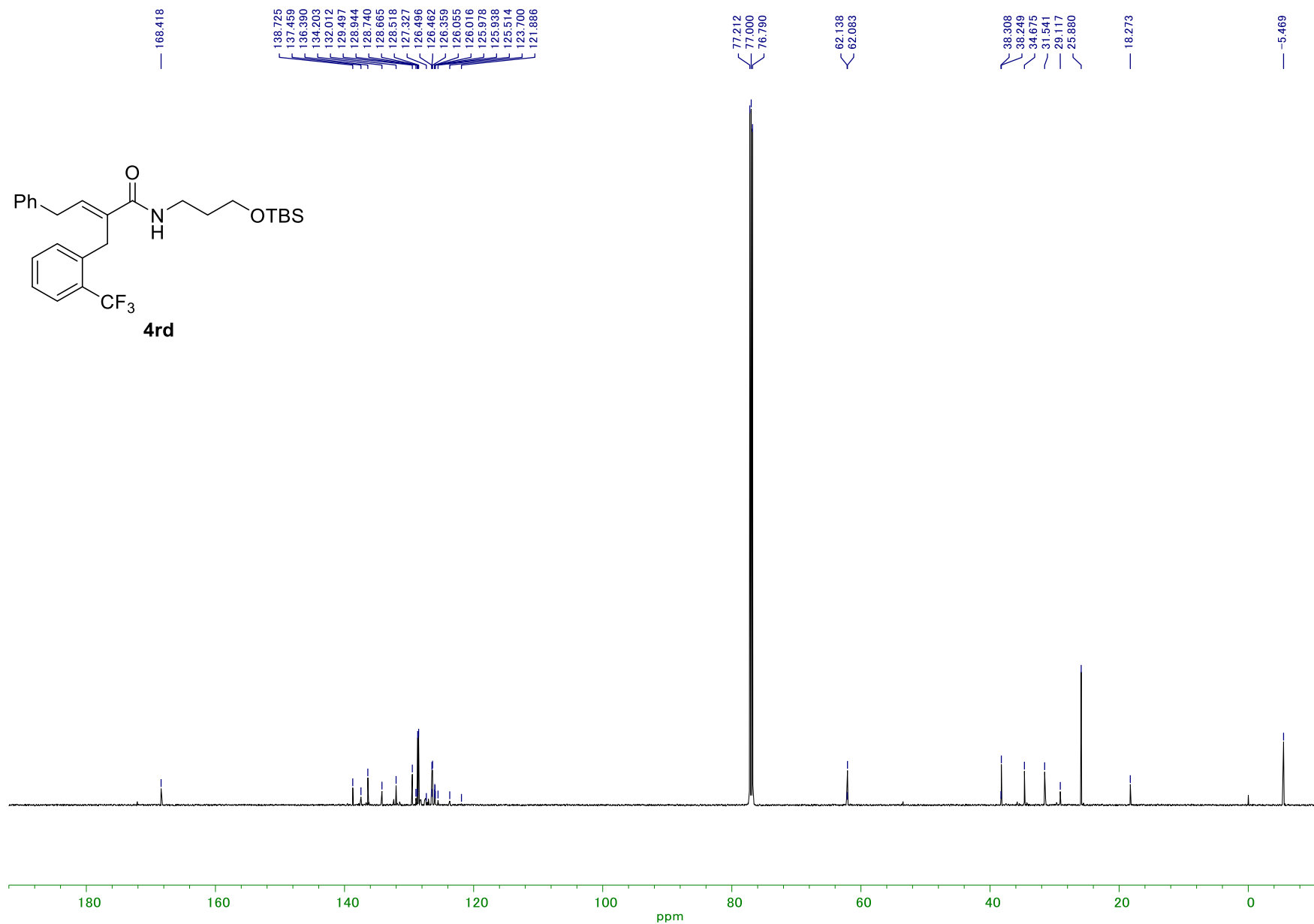
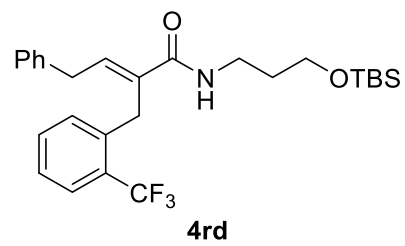




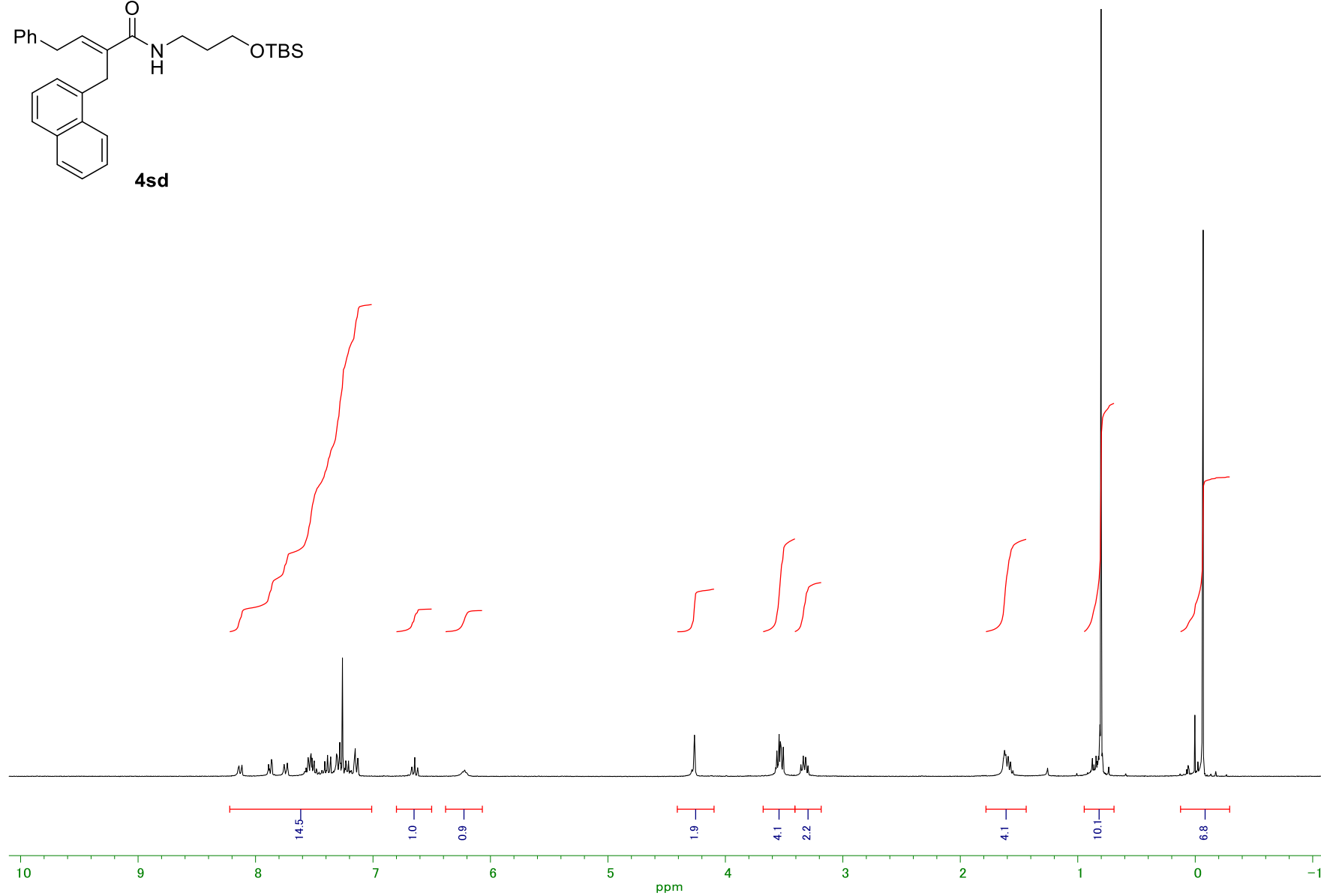
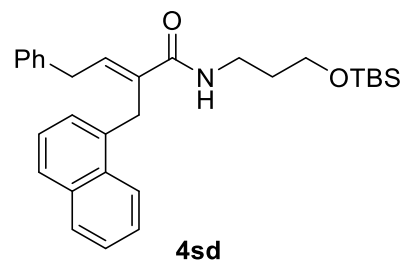


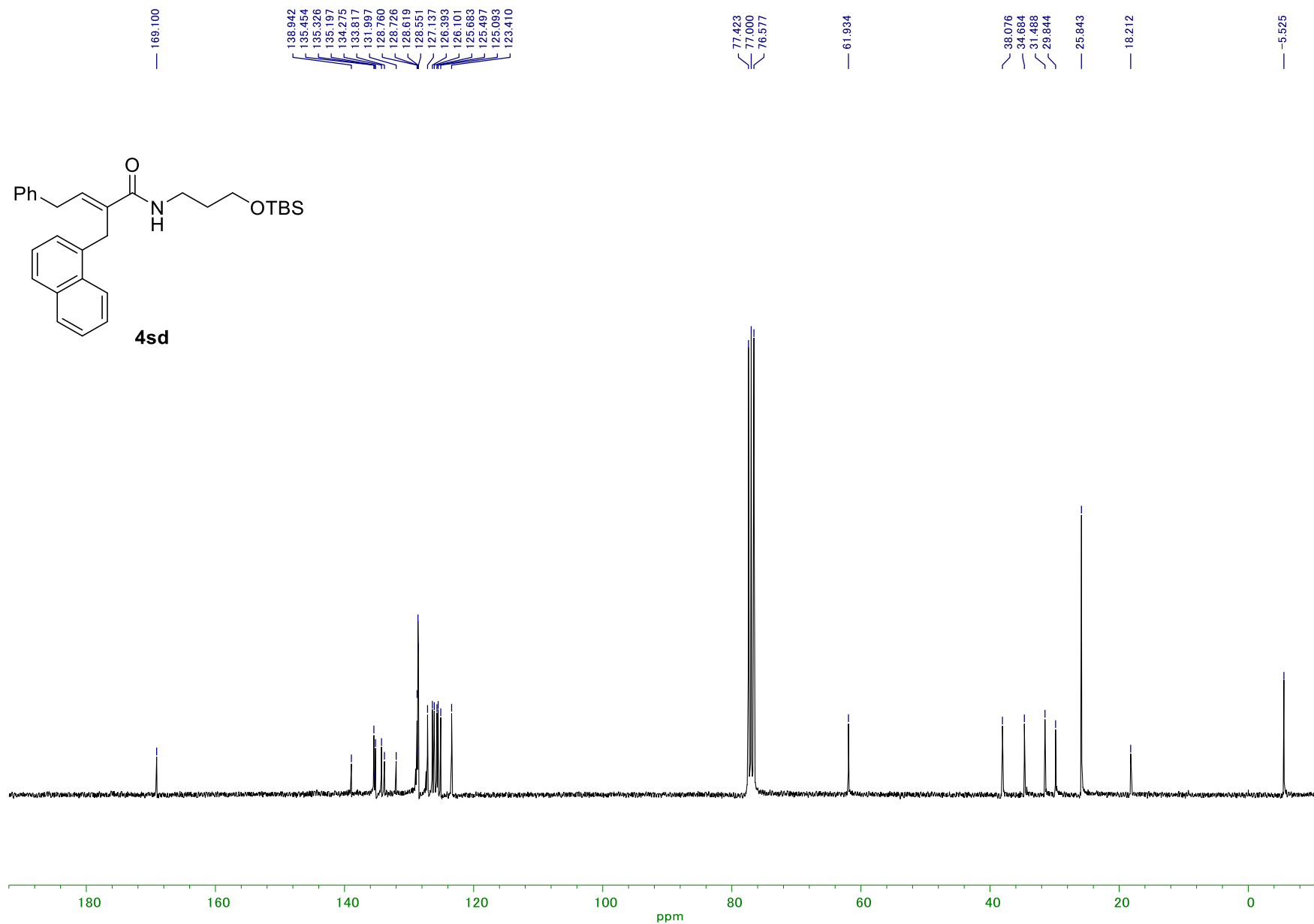
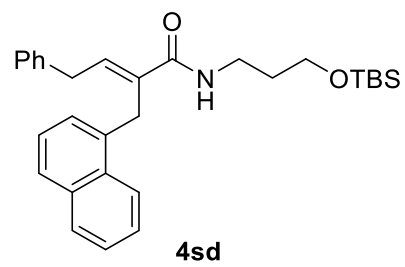


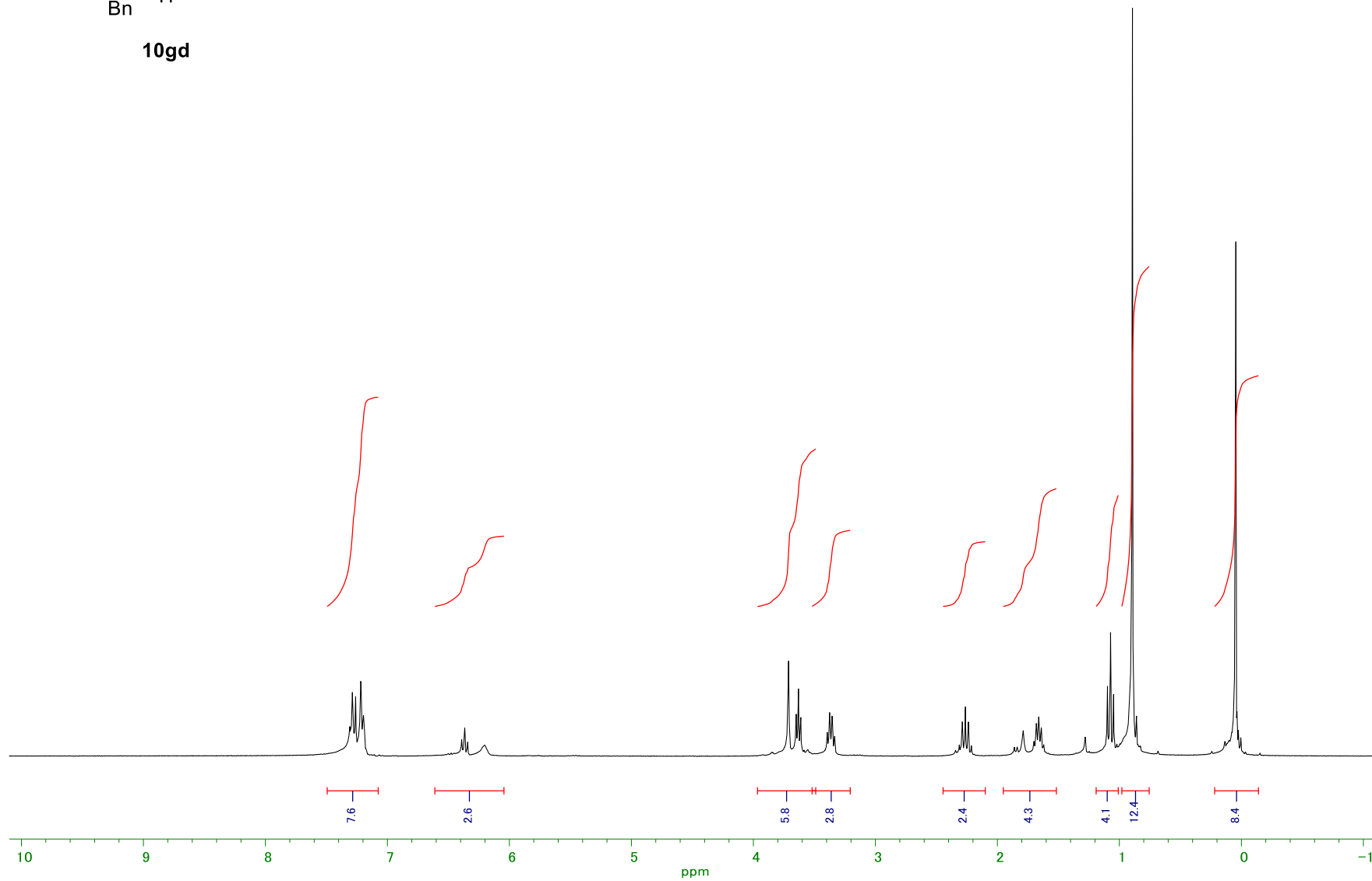
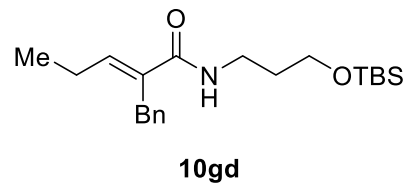


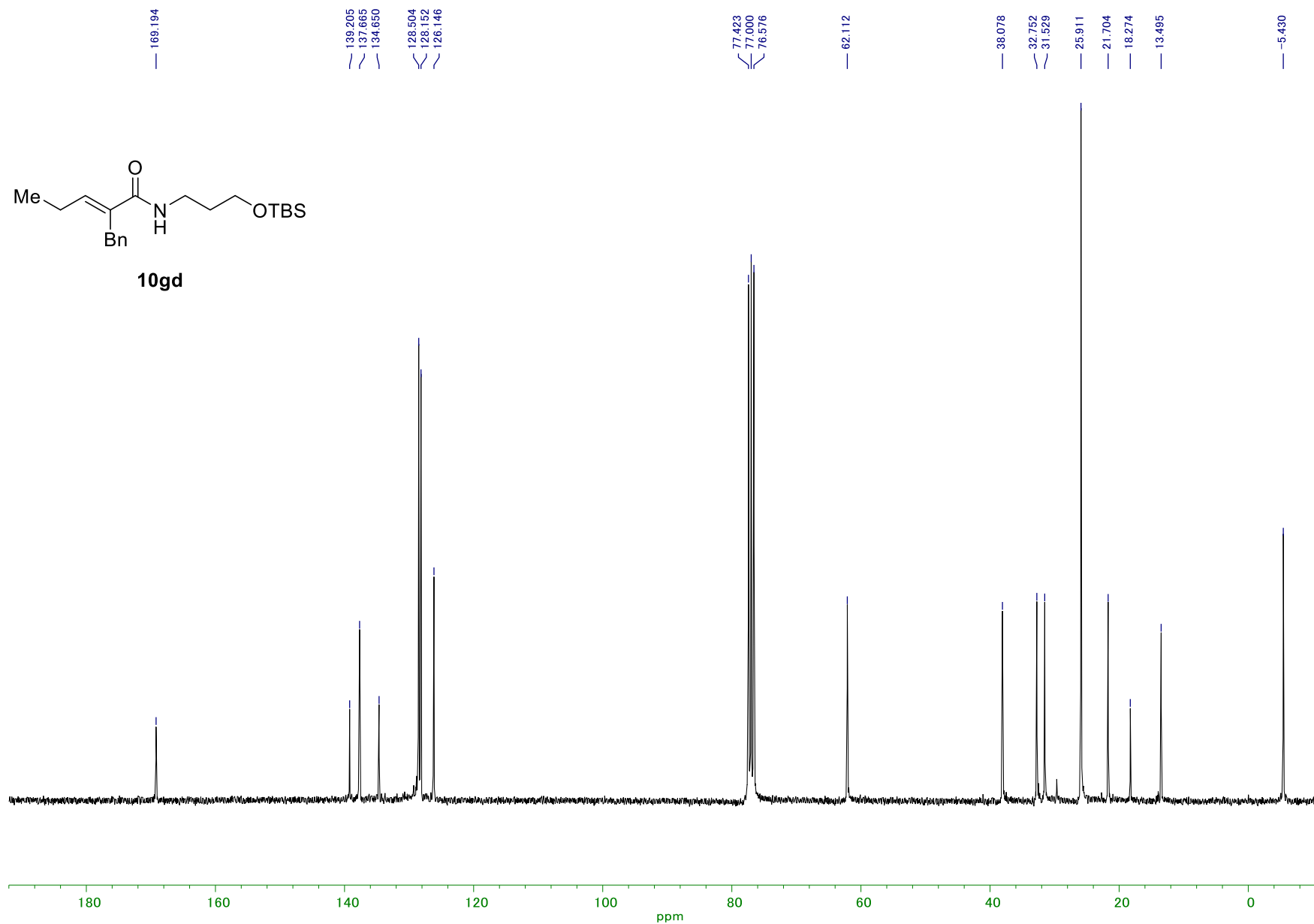
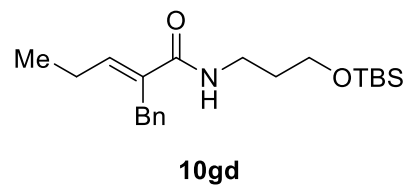


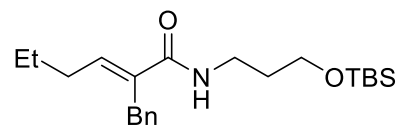












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