

Supporting Information

Synthesis of 3-trifluoromethylated 1,3-butadienes via a Pd(0)- catalyzed fluorinated Heck reaction

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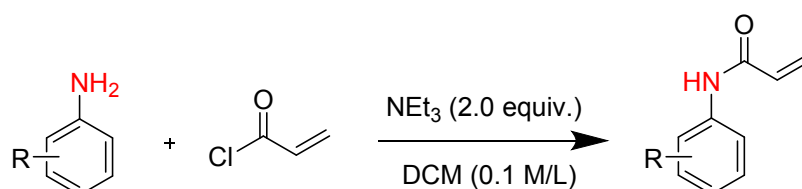
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All reactions were carried out under an atmosphere of nitrogen. Chemicals were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich, TCI and Alfa Aesar. Anilines and 2-Bromo-3,3,3-Trifluoropropane were used without any purification. Other chemicals were used as received. Multiplets of NMR were assigned as s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), dd (doublet of doublet), dt (doublet of triplet), td (triplet of doublet), m (multiplet), and br. s (broad singlet).

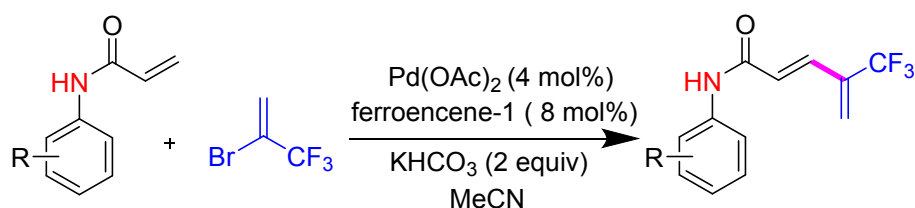
2 General methods

NMR data were recorded on Bruker Avance 300 or Bruker ARX 400 spectrometers at room temperature. ^1H NMR, ^{13}C NMR and ^{19}F NMR spectra were referenced to signals of deuterio solvents and residual protiated solvents, respectively. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on Agilent 6210. The data are given as mass units per charge (m/z).

3 General procedures



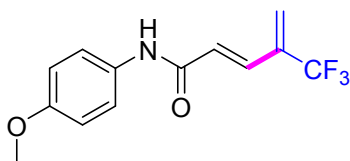
Acryloyl chloride (12.0 mmol) was slowly added to a solution of aniline (10.0 mmol), NEt_3 (20.0 mmol) in dry DCM (100 mL) at $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$. After stirring at room temperature for 30 minutes, the solvent removed under vacuum and purification of the residue mixture by silica gel column chromatography afforded the desired the acrylamide as white solid (all of the yields > 95%)



The reaction was carried out in an autoclave containing a 25.0 mL glass reaction tube. Pd(OAc)₂ (0.04 mmol), ligand (0.08 mmol), acrylamide (1.0 mmol), 2-bromo-3,3,3-trifluoropropane (2.0 mmol), KHCO₃ (2.0 mmol), MeCN (4.0 mL) were added to the tube. The tube was placed in the autoclave. Once sealed, the autoclave was purged three times with nitrogen, then heated in an oil bath at 80 °C for 5 h. After the reaction, the autoclave was then cooled to room temperature and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel using a mixture of ethyl acetate and petroleum ether as eluent to give the following compounds.

4 Characterization data of the 3-trifluoromethylated 1,3-butadienes

(*E*)-N-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3a**)



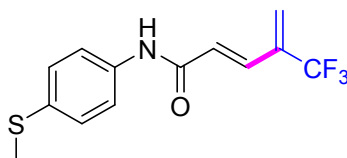
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (d, 1 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 7.46 (s, 1 H), 7.35 (d, 1 H, J = 15.0 Hz), 6.89 (d, 2 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 6.32 (dd, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.06 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.89 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.4, 156.4, 135.2, 134.8, 134.6, 130.7, 126.4 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 121.8, 114.3, 54.7

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.8 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₃F₃NO₂, 272.0898; found, 272.0892.

(E)-N-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3b**)



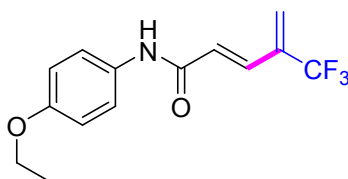
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.03 (s, 1 H), 7.53 (d, 2 H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 7.31 (d, 1 H, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 6.37 (dd, 1 H, *J* = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 7.21 (d, 2 H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 6.05 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 5.84 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.6, 135.2, 134.9 (q, *J* = 30.8 Hz), 135.2, 134.8, 134.4, 127.7, 126.6 (q, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 122.5 (q, *J* = 273.0 Hz), 120.9, 16.4.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -66.0 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₃F₃NOS, 288.0670; found, 288.0664.

(E)-N-(4-ethoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3c**)



¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50 (d, 2 H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 7.39 (s, 1 H), 7.35 (d, 1 H, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 6.89 (d, 2 H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 6.30 (dd, 1 H, *J* = 18.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.07 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 5.89 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 4.04 (q, 2 H, *J* = 6.0 Hz), 1.43 (q, 3 H, *J* = 6.0 Hz).

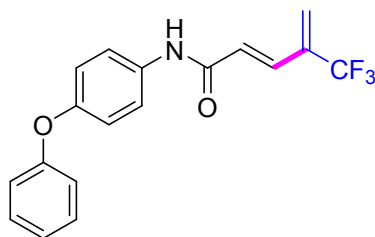
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.6, 156.1, 135.0 (q, *J* = 30.8 Hz), 134.6, 130.6,

126.4 (q, $J = 6.0$ Hz), 122.5 (q, $J = 275.5$ Hz), 121.8, 114.9, 67.7, 18.6.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.8 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_2$, 286.1055; found, 286.1050

(E)-N-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3d**)



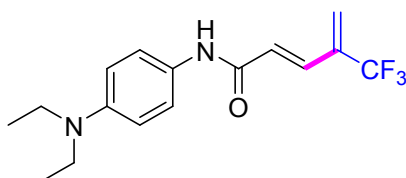
^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.51 (s, 1 H), 7.39-7.33 (m, 3 H), 7.12 (t, 1 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.03-7.00 (m, 4 H), 6.30 (dd, 1 H, $J = 18.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.09 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.91 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.3, 158.5, 154.6, 135.1, 135.0, 134.7, 133.0, 129.8, 126.7 (q, $J = 5.3$ Hz), 124.8, 123., 121.8, 119.5, 118.7.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.9 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_2$, 334.1055; found, 334.1050

(E)-N-(4-(diethylamino)phenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3e**)



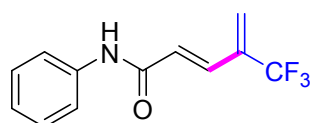
^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.43 (d, 3 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.32 (d, 1 H, $J = 15.0$ Hz), 6.66 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 6.32 (dd, 1 H, $J = 15.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.03 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.85 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 3.35 (q, 4 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz), 1.16 (t, 6 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.9, 147.7, 135.0 (q, J = 30.0 Hz), 133.9, 127.1, 125.9 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 122.8 (q, J = 300.0 Hz), 113.3, 47.7, 13.7.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.7 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₂₀F₃N₂O, 313.1528; found, 313.1522

(E)-N-phenyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3f**)



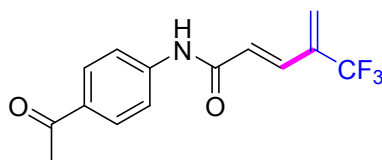
¹H NMR (300 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ 7.66 (d, 2 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 7.37-7.29 (m, 3 H), 7.13 (tt, 1 H, J = 9.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.59 (dd, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.13 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 6.09 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz).

¹³C NMR (400 MHz NMR, 100 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ 162.9, 137.5, 134.9 (q, J = 31.0 Hz), 133.5, 128.5, 125.8 (q, J = 5.0 Hz), 124.2, 122.0, 121.0.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ -67.4 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₁F₃NO, 242.0793; found, 242.0790.

(E)-N-(4-acetylphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3g**)



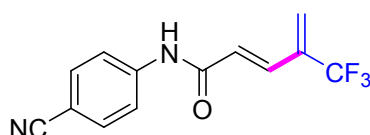
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99 (d, 2 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 7.76 (d, 2 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 7.76 (s, 1 H), 7.40 (d, 1 H, J = 18.0 Hz), 6.36 (dd, 1 H, J = 18.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.12 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.94 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 2.62 (s, 3 H).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.1, 160.0, 142.1, 134.8 (q, J = 30.8 Hz), 133.3, 129.3, 127.3 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 124.5, 117.7, 23.4.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.7 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₃F₃NO₂, 284.0898; found, 284.0890.

(E)-N-(4-cyanophenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3h**)



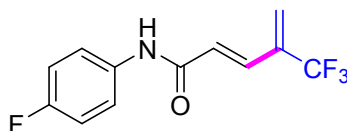
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.78 (d, 2 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 7.66 (d, 2 H, J = 6.0 Hz), 7.38 (d, 1 H, J = 18.0 Hz), 6.35 (dd, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.13 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.95 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.2, 140.5, 136.2, 134.7 (q, J = 31.5 Hz), 133.4, 127.6 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 124.2, 120.6, 118.8, 108.3.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.7 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₀F₃N₂O, 267.0745; found, 267.0741.

(E)-N-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3i**)



¹H NMR (300 MHz, d₄-MeOD) δ 9.62 (s, 1 H), 7.80 (dd, 2 H, J = 9.0, 3.0 Hz), 7.36 (d, 1 H, J = 15.0 Hz), 6.55 (dq, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.20 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 6.18 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz).

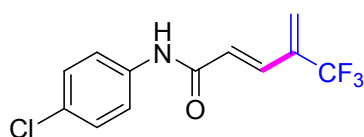
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, d₄-MeOD) δ 162.4, 161.0, 157.4, 135.5 (q, J = 30.0 Hz),

133.4, 126.6 (q, $J = 5.3$ Hz), 125.8, 121.1 (q, $J = 7.5$ Hz), 124.8, 115.2 (q, $J = 22.5$ Hz).

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, d_4 -MeOD) δ -66.5 (s, 3 F), -120.3 (s, 1 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_4\text{NO}$, 260.0699; found, 260.0686

(E)-N-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3j**)



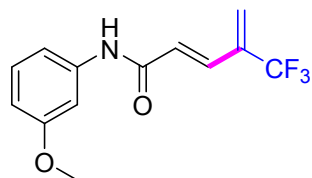
^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.40 (s, 1 H), 7.33 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 6.30 (dd, 1 H, $J = 15.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.11 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.93 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 136.2, 135.4, 134.9, 129.2, 127.0 (q, $J = 5.3$ Hz), 124.5, 121.2.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.8 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{10}\text{ClF}_3\text{NO}$, 276.0403; found, 276.0401

(E)-N-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3k**)



^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.80 (s, 1 H), 7.37 (d, 1 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz), 7.31-7.21 (m, 2 H), 7.08 (d, 1 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz), 7.21 (dd, 1 H, $J = 9.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.35 (dd, 1 H, $J = 15.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.05 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.86 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 3.82 (s, 3 H).

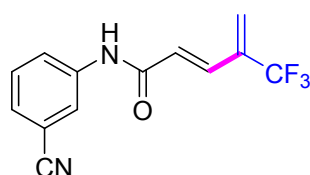
^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.0, 160.2, 138.9, 135.0, 134.9 (q, $J = 30.8$ Hz),

129.8, 126.7 (q, $J = 5.3$ Hz), 125.0, 122.5 (q, $J = 273.0$ Hz), 112.3, 110.7, 105.7, 60.0.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.9 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_2$, 272.0898; found, 272.0894.

(E)-N-(3-cyanophenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3l**)



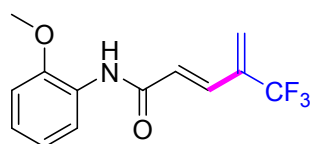
^1H NMR (300 MHz, d_6 -acetone) δ 8.18-8.17 (m, 1 H), 7.89-7.85 (m, 1 H), 7.53 (td, 1 H, $J = 9.0, 3.0$ Hz), 7.49-7.46 (m, 1 H), 7.37 (d, 1 H, $J = 18.0$ Hz), 6.57 (dq, 1 H, $J = 15.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.17 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 6.13 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (400 MHz NMR, 100 MHz, d_6 -acetone) δ 164.8, 138.8, 134.9 (q, $J = 37.5$ Hz), 134.4, 130.2, 128.4, 127.3, 126.5 (q, $J = 7.5$ Hz), 124.7, 124.8 (q, $J = 188.8$ Hz), 122.6, 121.4, 118.1, 112.4.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, d_6 -acetone) δ -67.3 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}$, 267.0745; found, 267.0741

(E)-N-(2-methoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3m**)



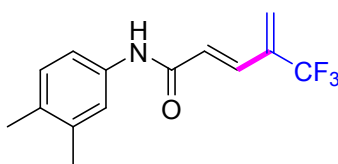
^1H NMR (300 MHz, d_6 -acetone) δ 9.05 (s, 1 H), 8.46 (d, 1 H, $J = 33.0$ Hz), 7.38-7.31 (m, 1 H), 7.12-6.92 (m, 3 H), 6.83 (dd, 1 H, $J = 18.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.21 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 6.15 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (400 MHz NMR, 100 MHz, *d*₆-acetone) δ 161.0, 147.8, 134.8 (q, J = 37.5 Hz), 133.1, 128.1, 126.4, 126.1 (q, J = 6.3 Hz), 124.1, 122.9 (q, J = 340.0 Hz), 120.5, 120.4, 54.4.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, *d*₆-acetone) δ -66.5 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_2$, 272.0898; found, 272.0892

(E)-N-(3,4-dimethylphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3n**)



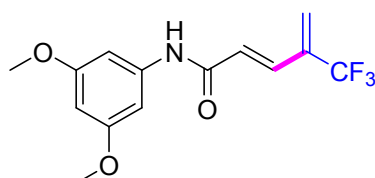
^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.87 (s, 1 H), 7.36-7.28 (m, 3 H), 7.08 (d, 1 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 6.37 (dd, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.03 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.83 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 2.22 (s, 6 H).

^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.3, 137.3, 135.2, 134.8, 134.4, 133.2, 130.1, 126.2 (q, J = 52.5 MHz, 125.3, 122.2 (q, J = 309.8 MHz), 121.2, 117.8, 19.8, 18.6.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -66.5 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}$, 270.1106; found, 270.1102

(E)-N-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**3o**)



^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36 (t, 2 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 6.86 (s, 2 H), 6.29 (d, 2 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 6.08 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.92 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 3.82 (s, 6 H).

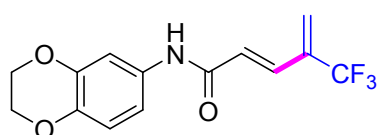
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.2, 138.9, 135.2, 134.7, 126.8 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 123.5, 99.9, 97.7, 56.3,

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.9 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₅F₃NO₃, 302.1004; found, 302.1012.

(E)-N-(2,3-dihydrobenzo[b][1,4]dioxin-6-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide

(3p)



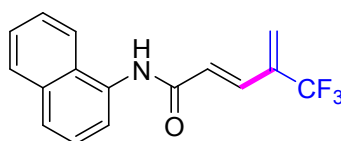
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52 (s, 1 H), 7.33 (d, 1 H, J = 12.0 Hz), 7.23 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 6.98 (dd, 1 H, J = 9.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.82 (d, 1 H, J = 9.0 Hz), 6.30 (dd, 1 H, J = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.06 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 5.87 (d, 1 H, J = 3.0 Hz), 4.25 (s, 4 H).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.6, 144.6, 141.2, 135.4 (q, J = 36.8 Hz), 134.7, 131.3, 126.4 (q, J = 5.3 Hz), 125.0, 122.5 (q, J = 272.3 Hz), 117.3, 113.1, 109.9, 58.8.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.9 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₃F₃NO₃, 300.0848; found, 300.0838

(E)-N-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide **(3p)**



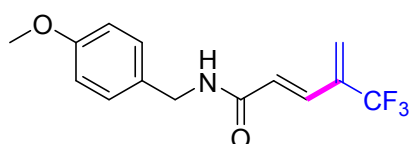
¹H NMR (300 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ 8.02-7.98 (m, 1 H), 7.94-7.92 (m, 1 H), 7.81 (d, 1 H, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 7.72 (d, 1 H, *J* = 6.0 Hz), 7.57-7.49 (m, 1 H), 6.83 (dd, 1 H, *J* = 15.0, 3.0 Hz), 6.17 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 6.13 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ 165.0, 135.1 (q, *J* = 30.0 Hz), 134.3, 134.0, 132.5, 128.4, 128.0, 126.4, 125.9 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 125.8, 125.1, 125.0, 122.3, 121.9.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ -67.4 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₁₃F₃NO, 292.0949; found, 292.0941

(E)-N-(4-methoxybenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4a**)



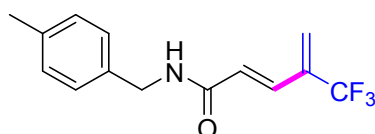
¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 (d, 2 H, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 6.87 (d, 2 H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 6.21 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 6.16 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 6.01 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 5.83 (d, 1 H, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 4.45 (d, 2 H, *J* = 6.0 Hz), 3.80 (s, 3 H).

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.6, 159.2, 135.0 (q, *J* = 22.5 Hz), 134.0, 129.9, 129.3, 126.0 (q, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 124.6, 122.5 (q, *J* = 273.0 Hz), 114.1, 55.3, 43.4.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.6 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₅F₃NO₂, 286.1055; found, 286.1049

(E)-N-(4-methylbenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4b**)



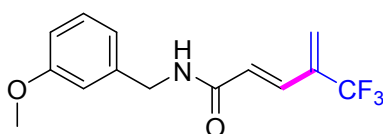
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¹³C NMR (400 MHz NMR, 100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.8, 137.4, 134.8, 135.0 (q, J = 31.0 Hz), 134.8, 133.9, 129.5, 127.9, 125.9 (q, J = 5.0 Hz), 124.7, 122.5 (q, J = 273.0 Hz).

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -66.1 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₅F₃NO, 270.1106; found, 270.1102

(E)-N-(3-methoxybenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4c**)



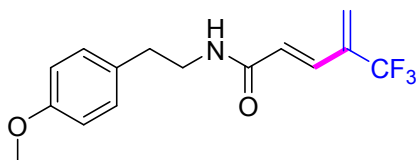
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¹³C NMR (400 MHz NMR, 100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.2, 160.9, 138.6, 134.2, 135.9 (q, J = 30.0 Hz), 129.9, 126.2 (q, J = 5.0 Hz), 124.4, 122.5 (q, J = 273.0 Hz), 120.2, 114.4, 113.0.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -66.0 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₅F₃NO₂, 286.1055; found, 286.1050

(E)-N-(4-methoxyphenethyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4d**)



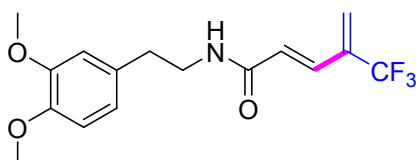
^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.24 (d, 2 H, $J = 15.0$ Hz), 7.15 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 6.88 (d, 2 H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 6.09 (dq, 1 H, $J = 15.0, 3.0$ Hz), 6.03 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.85 (d, 1 H, $J = 3.0$ Hz), 5.71 (s, 1 H), 3.80 (s, 3 H), 3.62 (q, 2 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz), 2.83 (t, 2 H, $J = 6.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 164.6, 159.2, 135.0 (q, $J = 22.5$ Hz), 134.0, 129.9, 129.3, 126.0 (q, $J = 5.3$ Hz), 124.6, 122.5 (q, $J = 273.0$ Hz), 114.1, 55.3, 43.4.

^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.6 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}$, 300.1211; found, 300.1212

(E)-N-(3,4-dimethoxyphenethyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4e**)



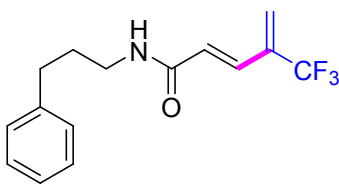
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.15 (d, 1 H, $J = 12.0$ Hz), 6.74 (d, 1 H, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 6.68 (d, 1 H, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 6.65 (s, 1 H), 6.02 (d, 1 H, $J = 12.0$ Hz), 5.92 (s, 1 H), 5.84 (s, 1 H), 5.75 (s, 1 H), 3.79 (s, 3 H), 3.78 (s, 3 H), 3.52 (q, 2 H, $J = 4.0$ Hz), 2.74 (t, 2 H, $J = 4.0$ Hz).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.8, 148.1, 146.8, 133.9 (q, $J = 20.4$ Hz), 130.2, 124.9, 123.7, 121.5 (q, $J = 233.1$ Hz), 117.6, 110.9, 110.5, 54.9, 54.8, 40.0, 34.1.

^{19}F NMR (470 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -65.9 (s, 3 F).

HRMS (EI) $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{F}_3\text{NO}_3$, 330.1317; found, 330.1310

(E)-N-(3-phenylpropyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)penta-2,4-dienamide (**4f**)



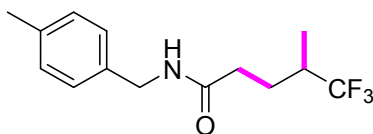
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¹³C NMR (75 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ 166.9, 141.5, 135.0 (q, *J* = 30.0 Hz), 132.5, 128.6, 125.5, 125.3 (q, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 125.0, 122.7 (q, *J* = 271.5 Hz), 40.4, 33.0, 29.9.

¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, *d*₄-MeOD) δ -67.6 (s, 3 F)

HRMS (EI) [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₁₇F₃NO, 284.1262; found, 284.1260

5,5,5-trifluoro-4-methyl-N-(4-methylbenzyl)pentanamide (**5a**)



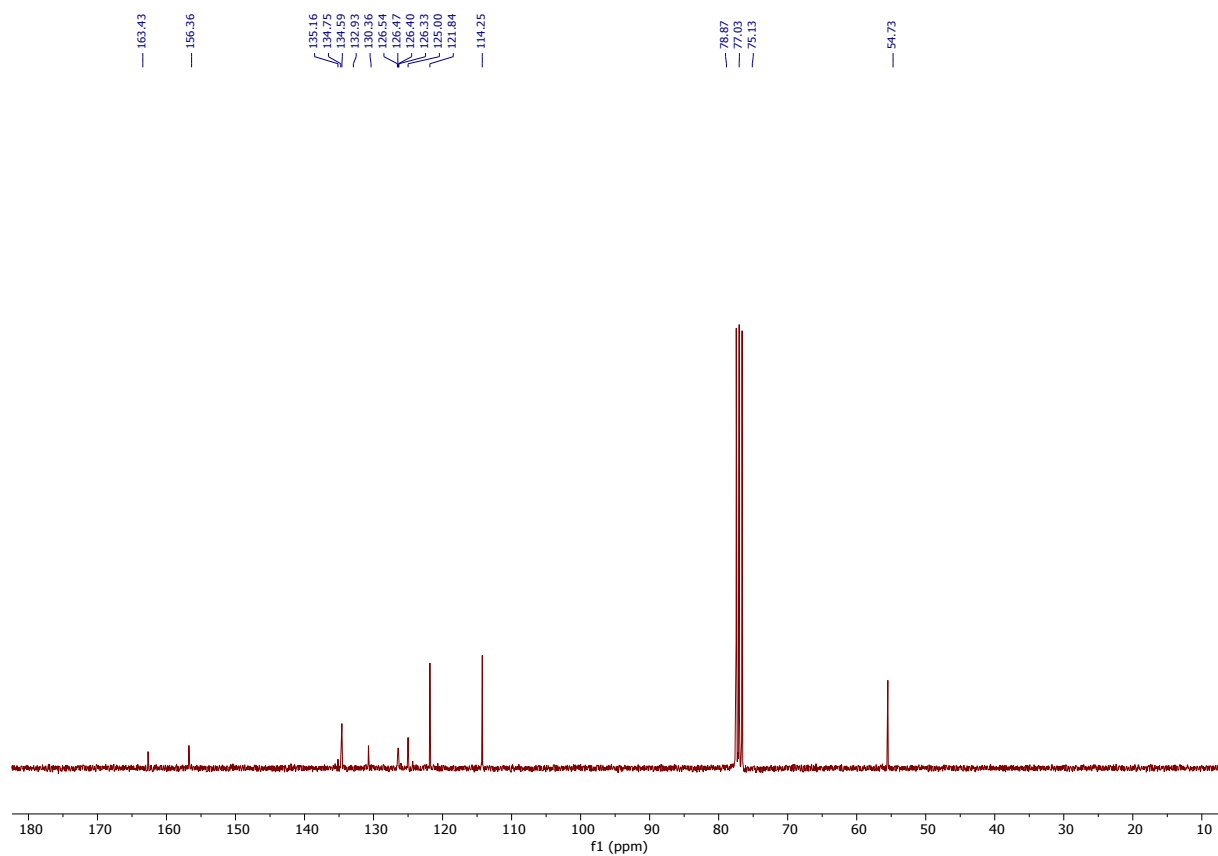
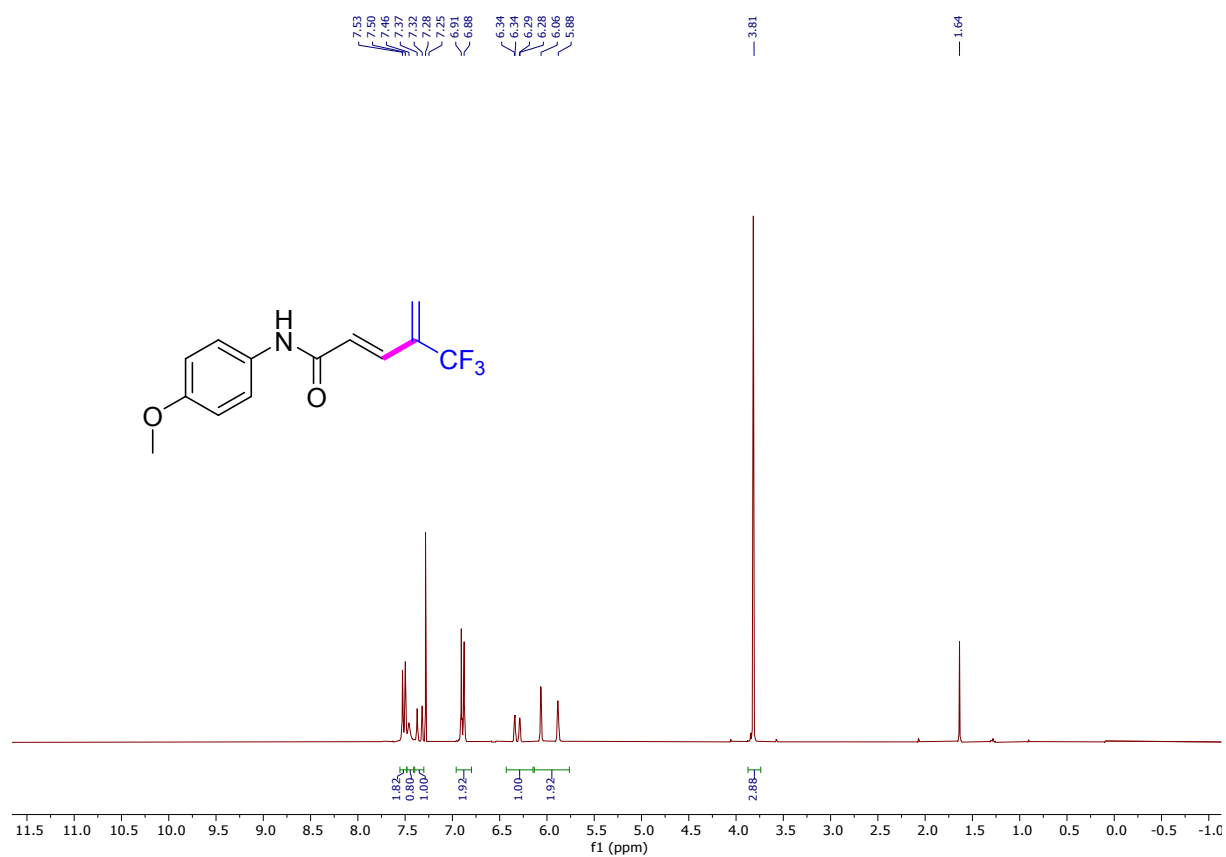
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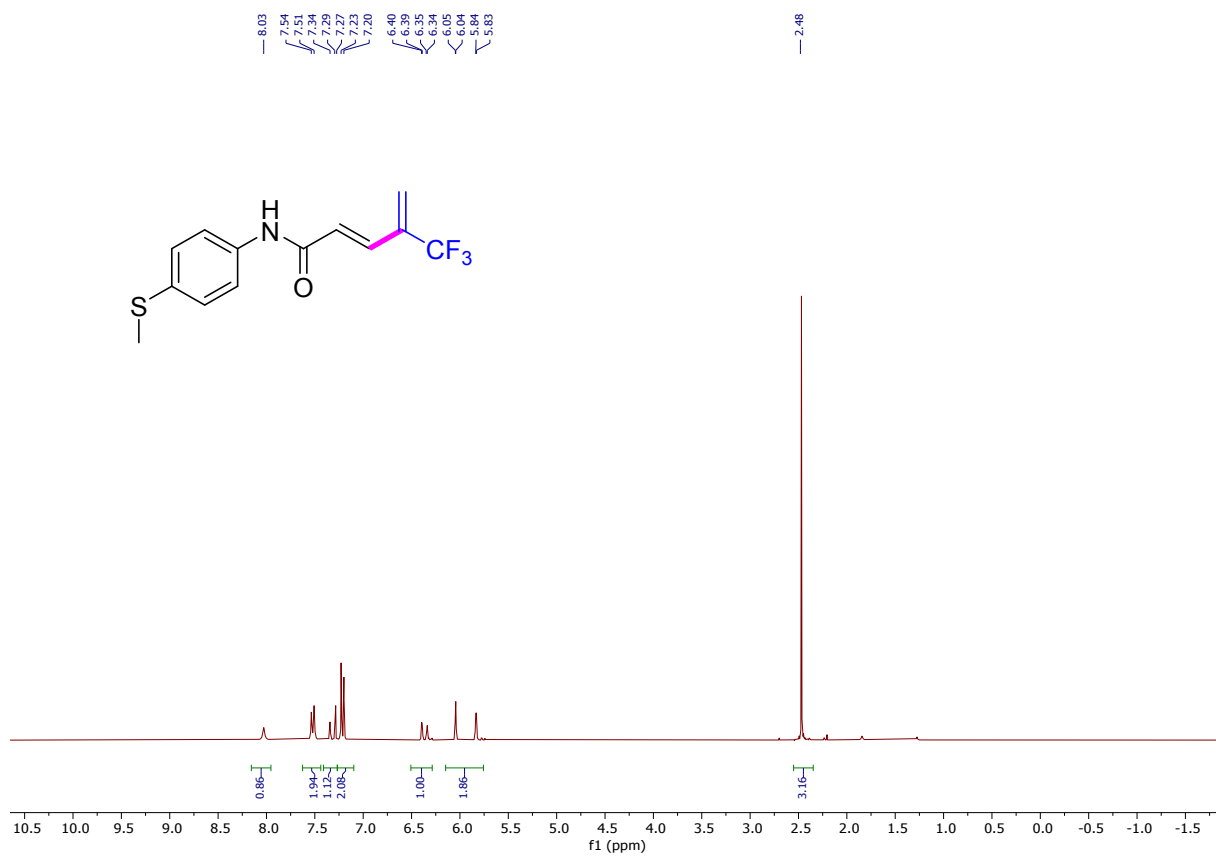
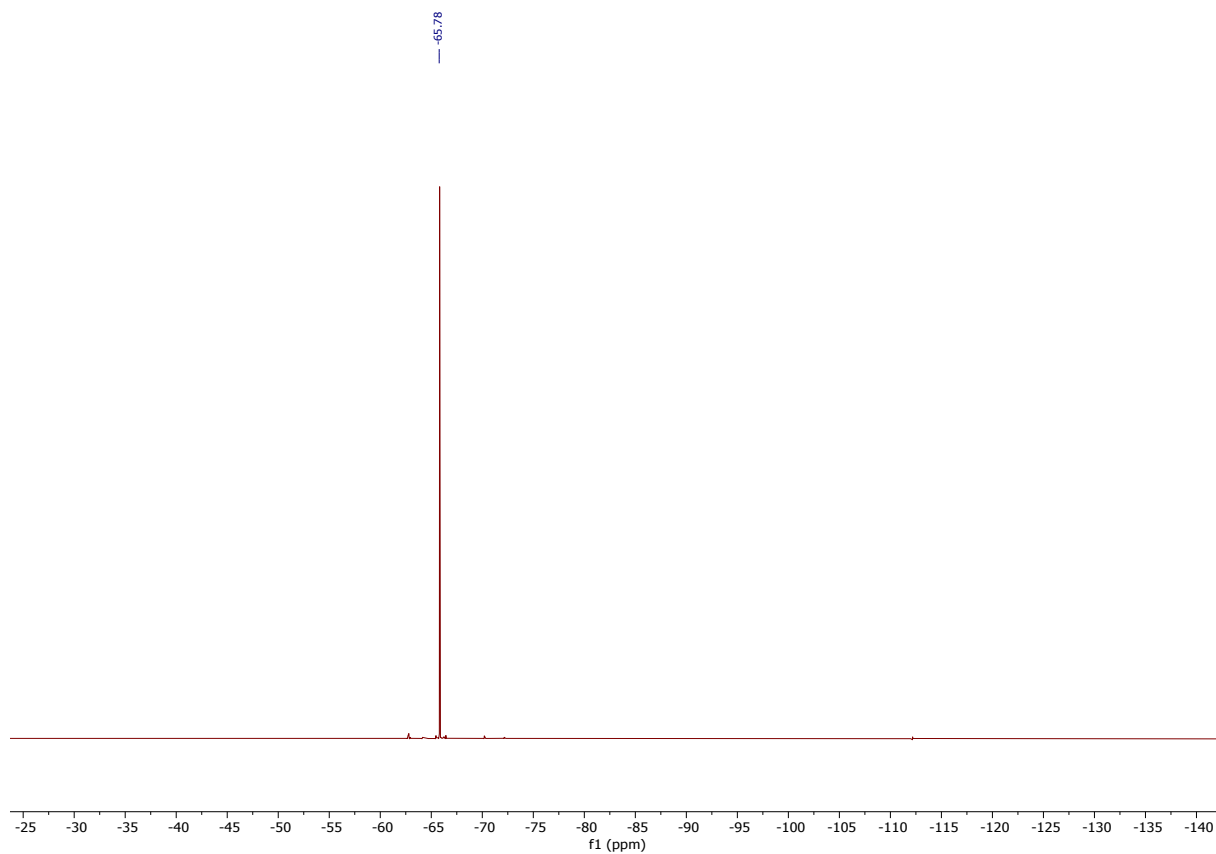
¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.5, 137.4, 135.1, 129.4, 127.8, 128.3 (q, *J* = 278.3 Hz), 43.5, 33.3, 25.5 (q, *J* = 2.3 Hz), 21.0.

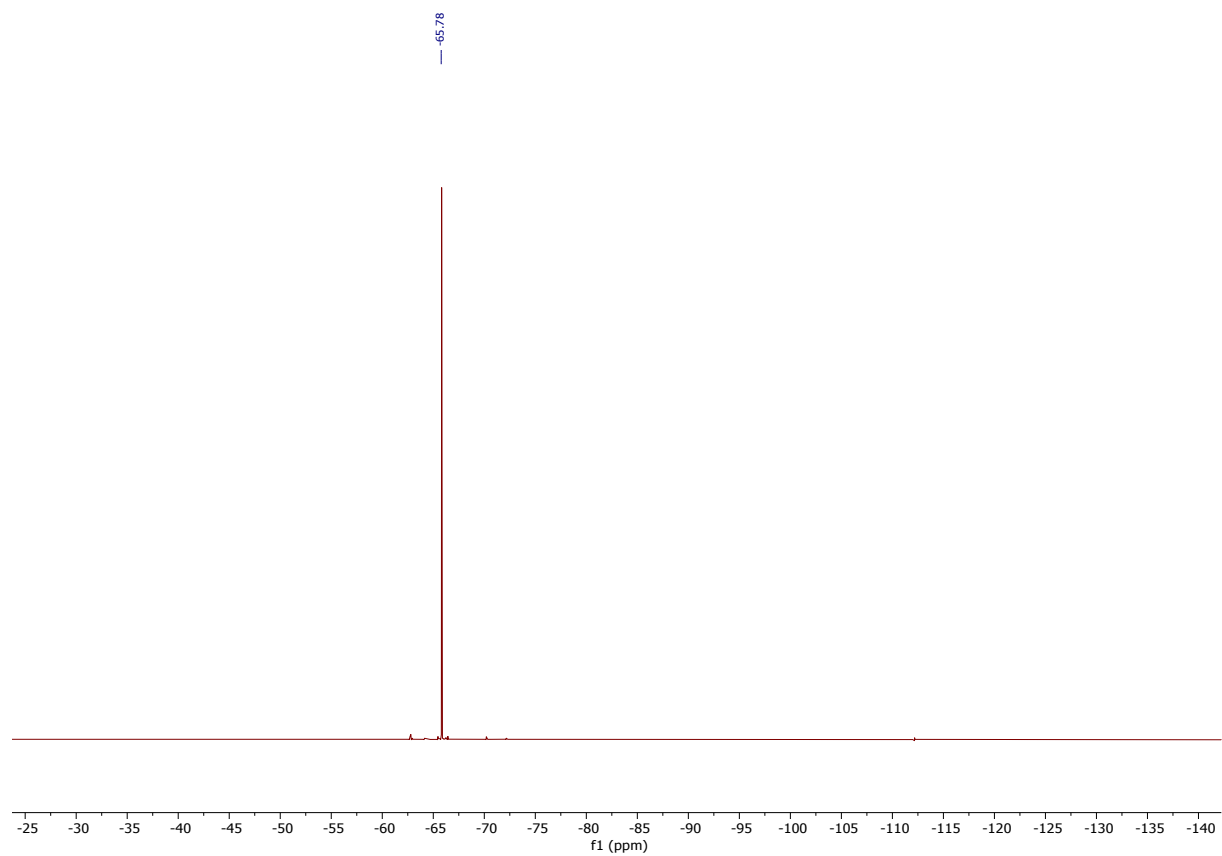
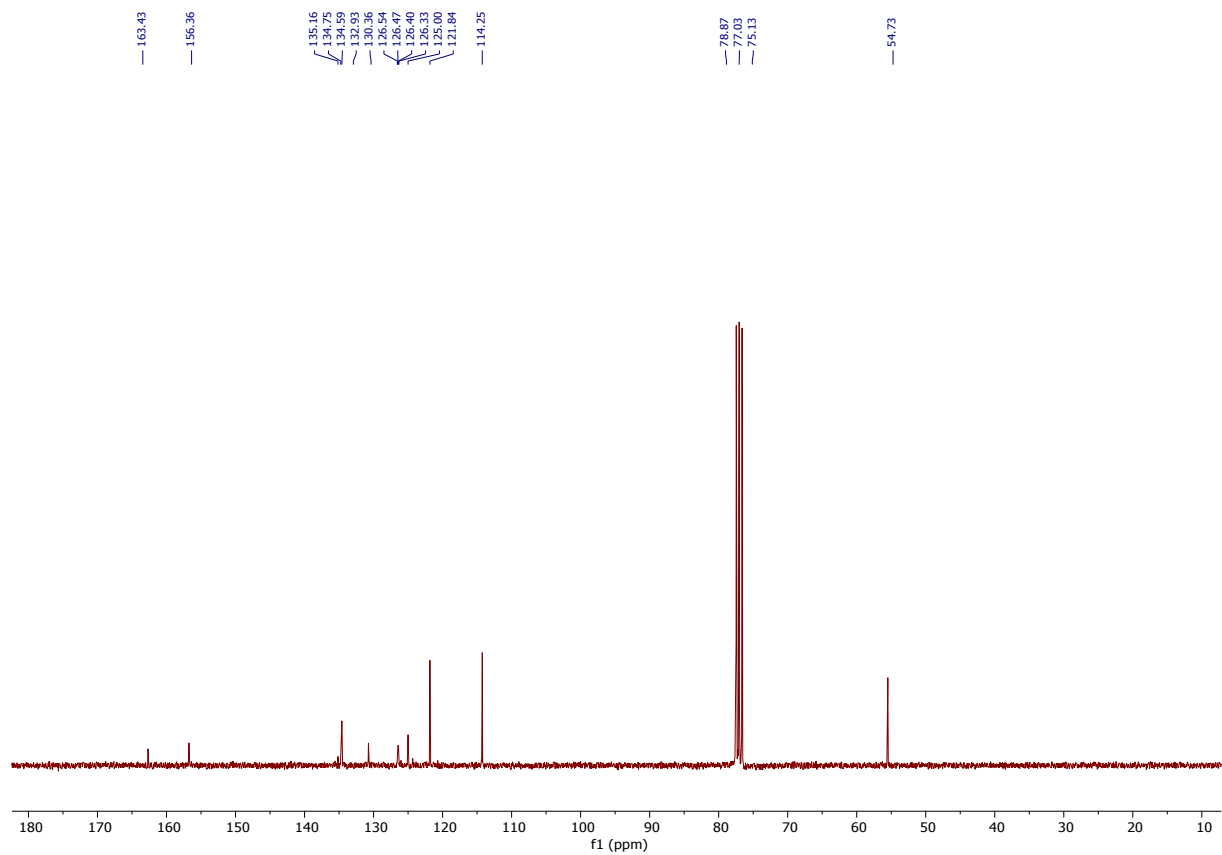
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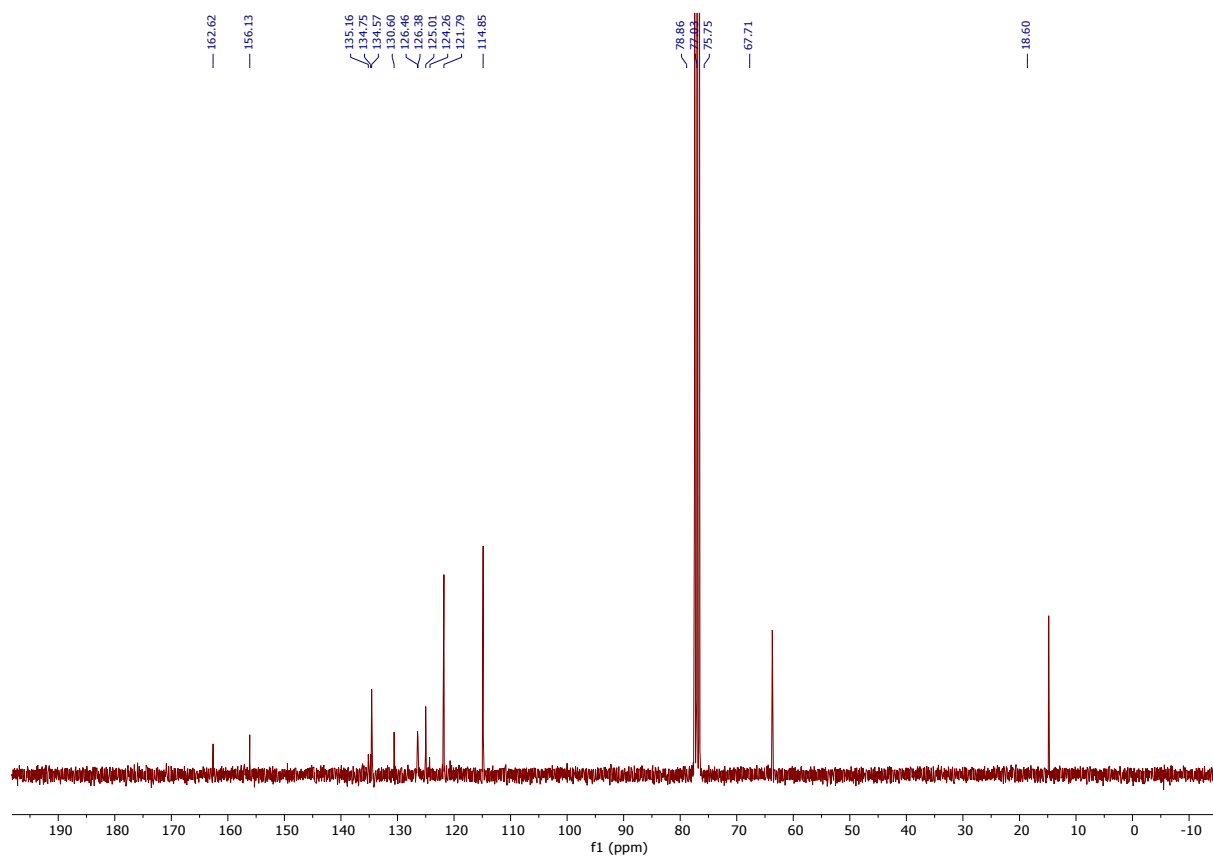
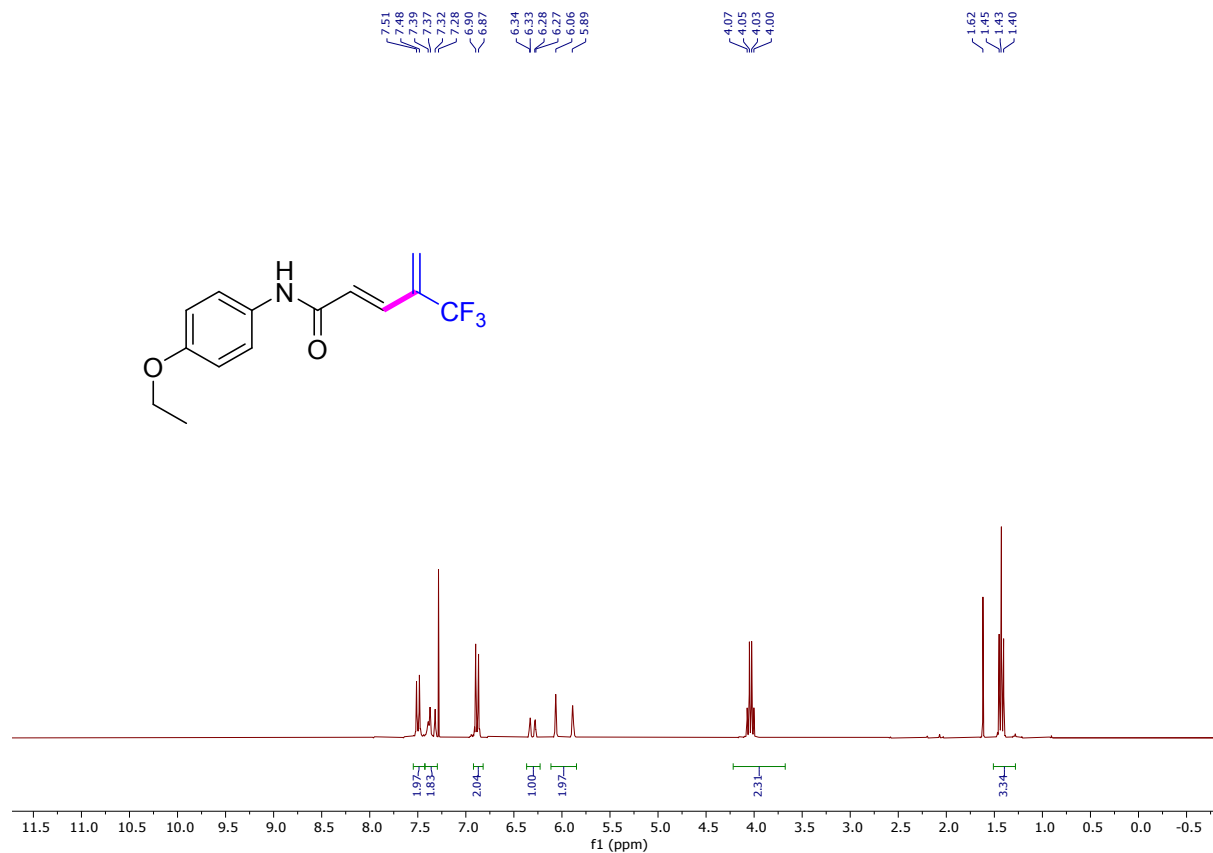
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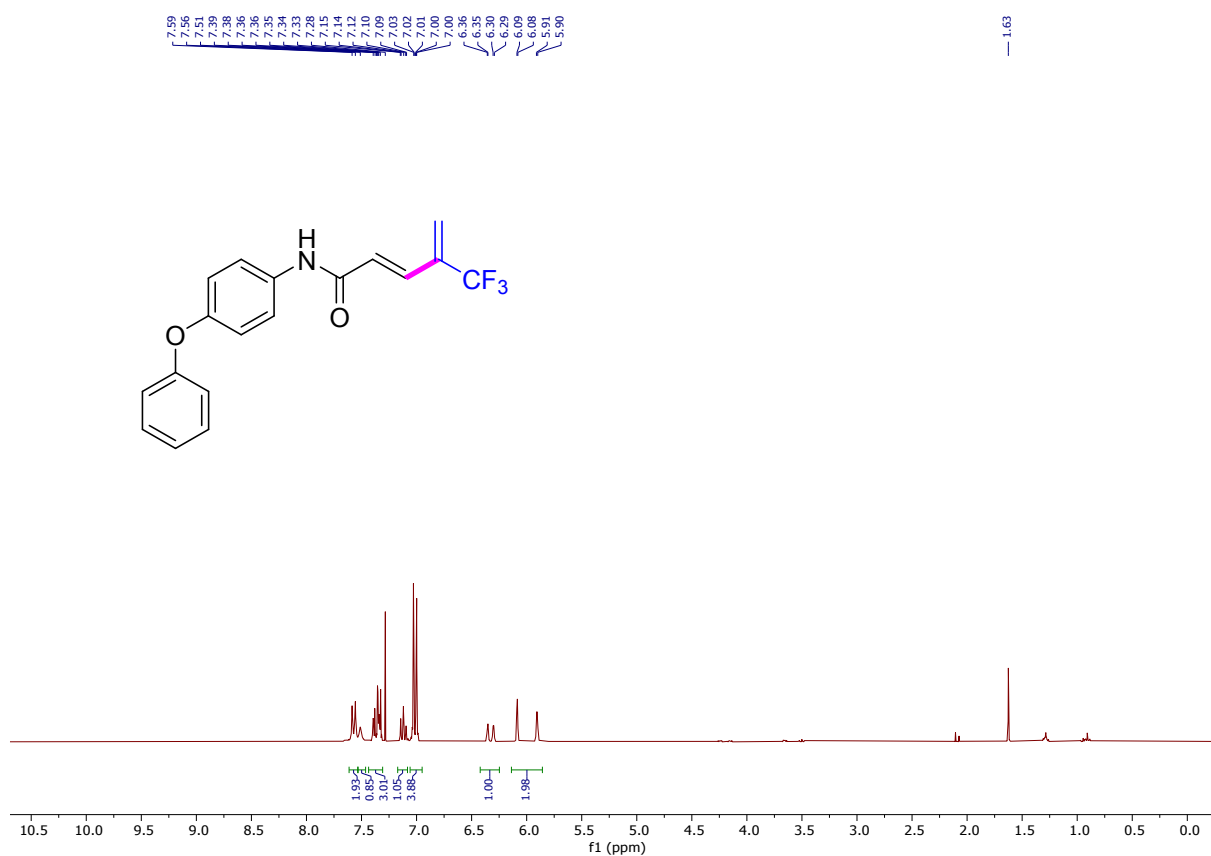
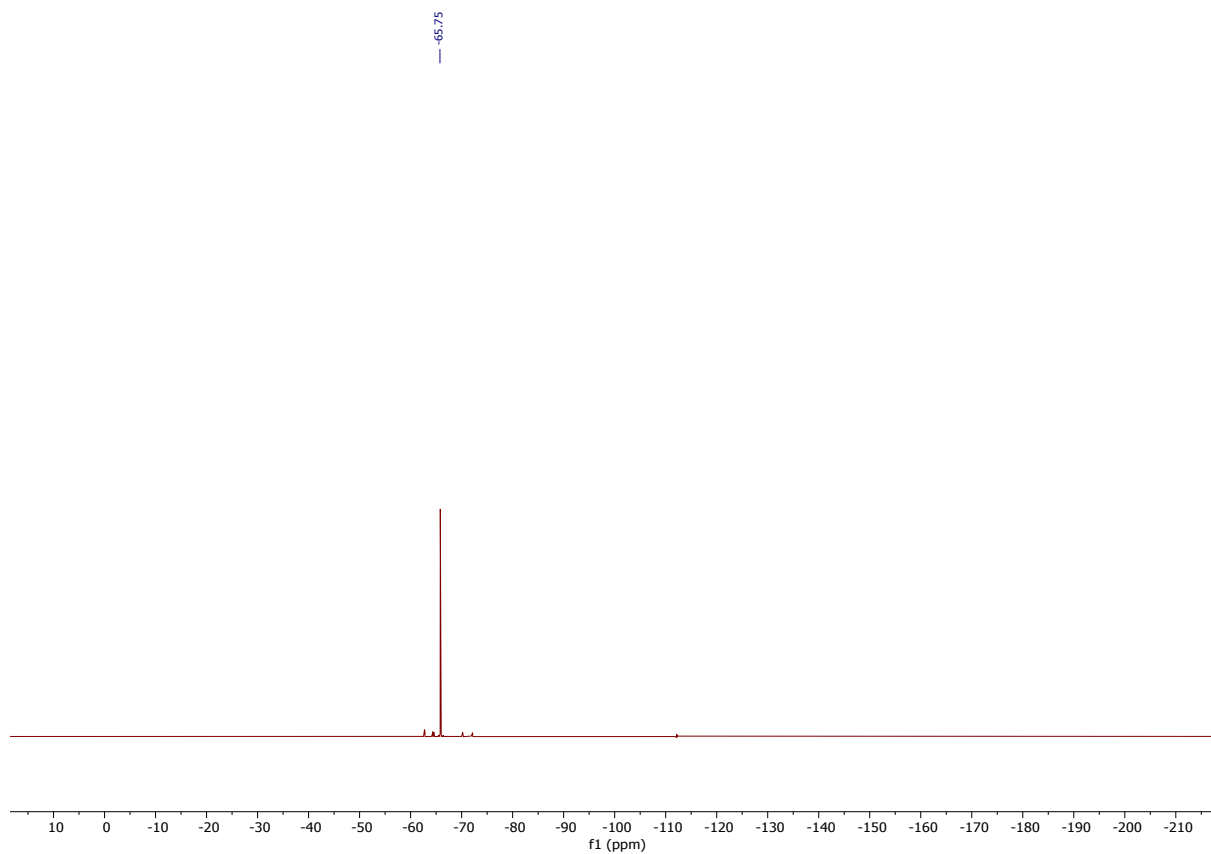
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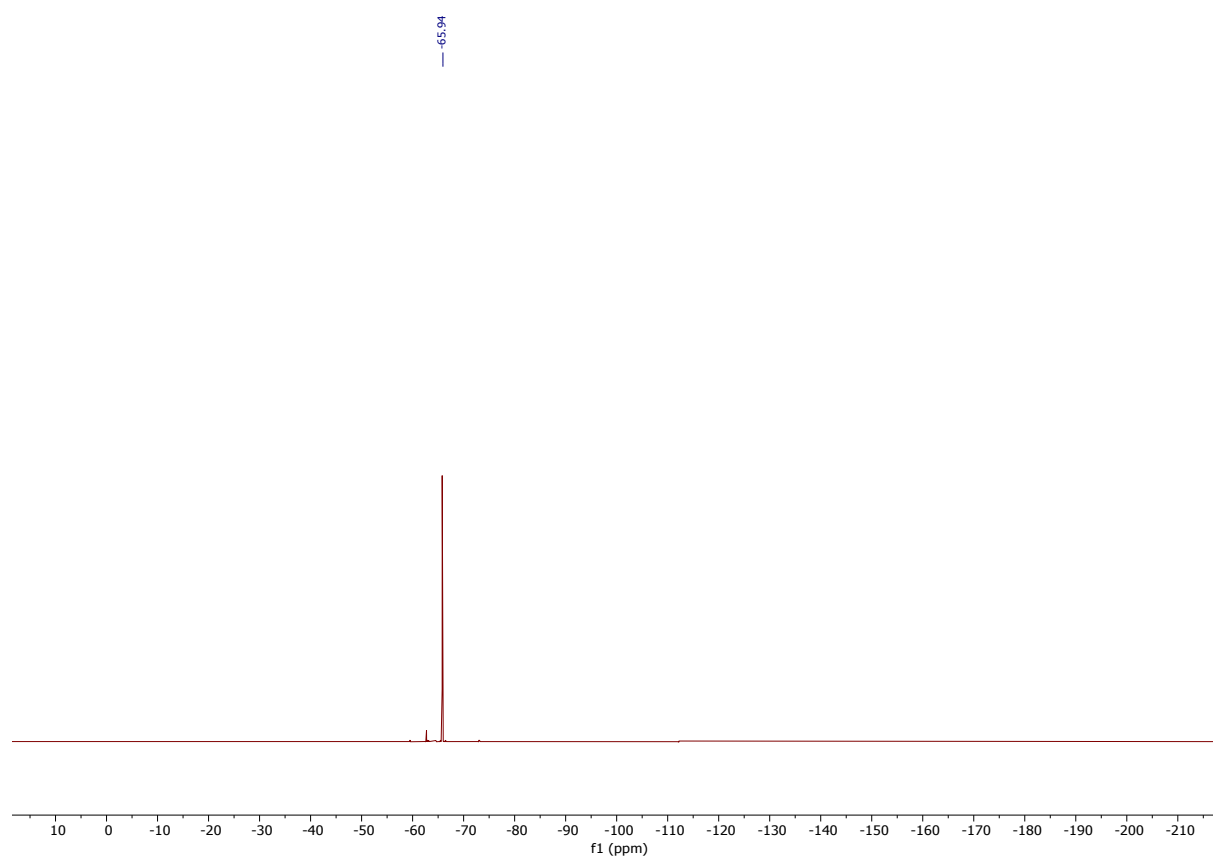
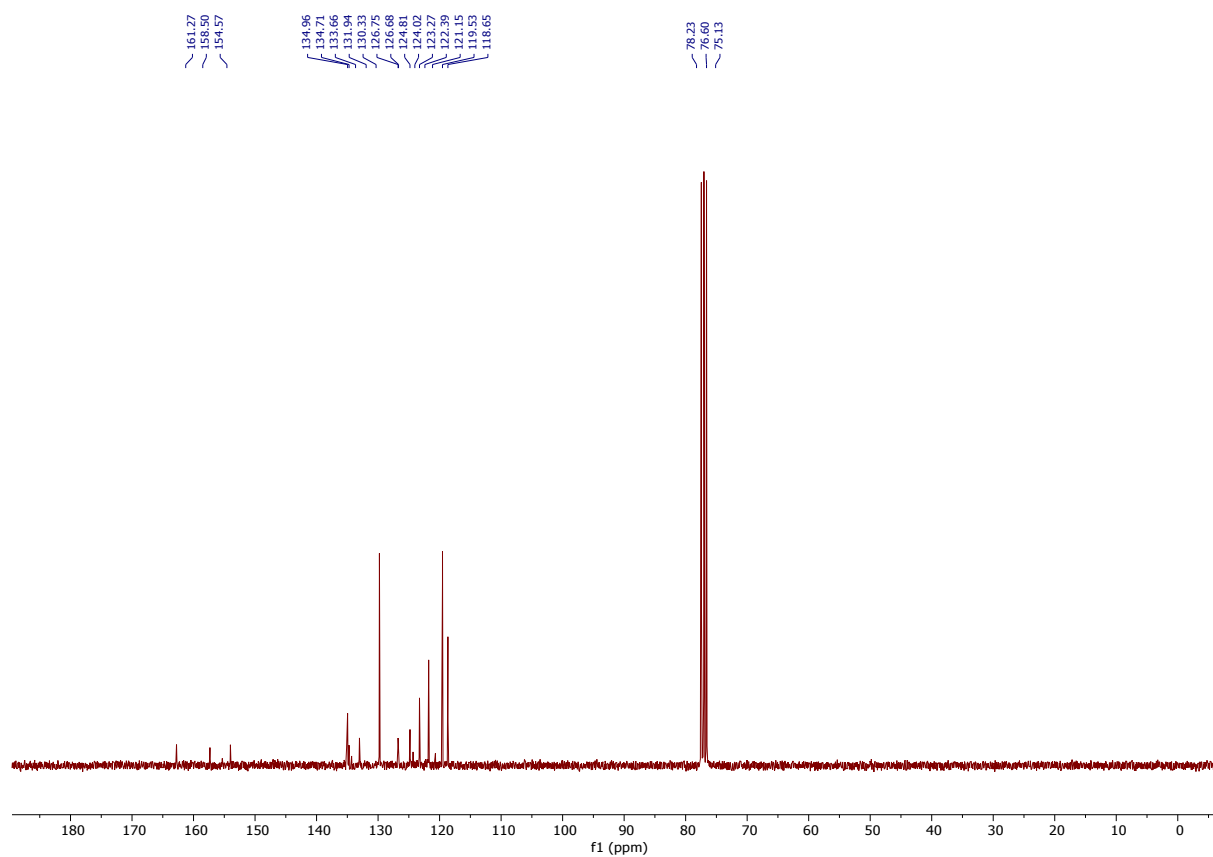


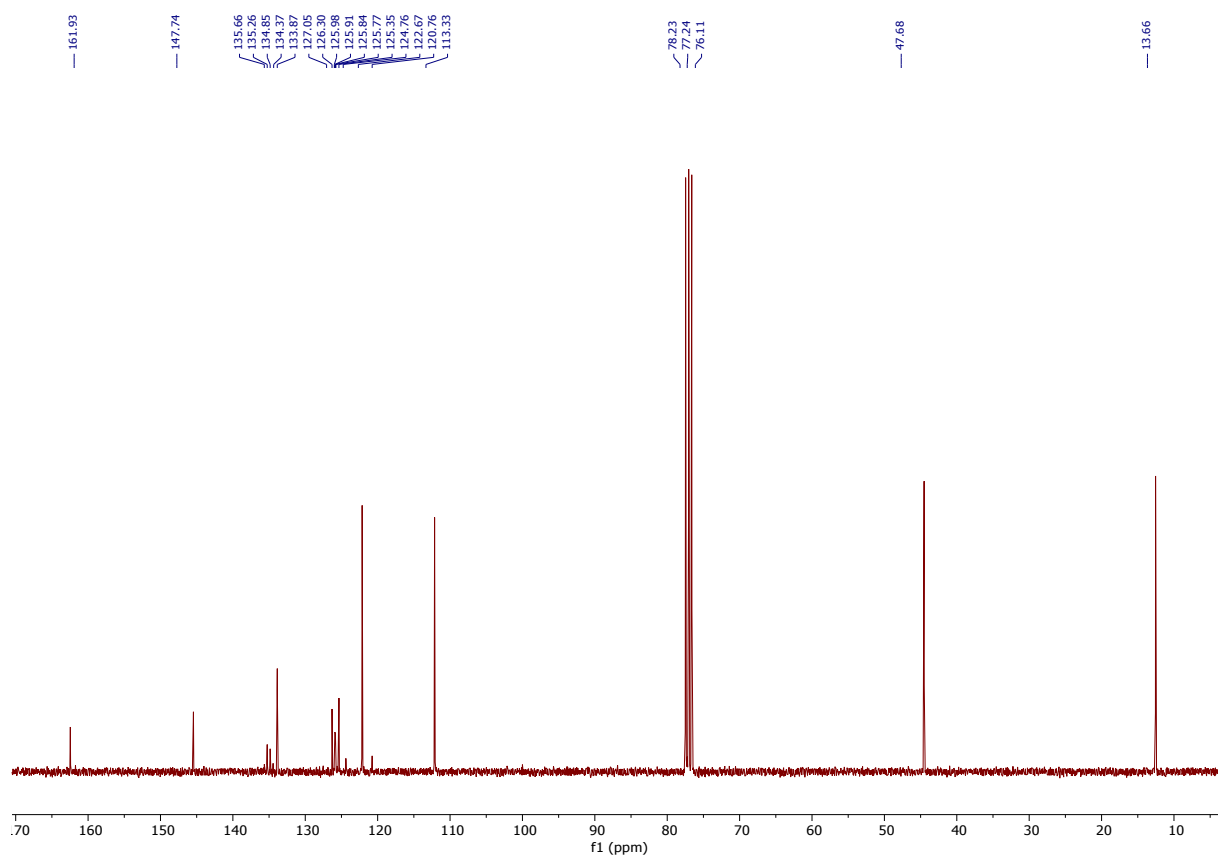
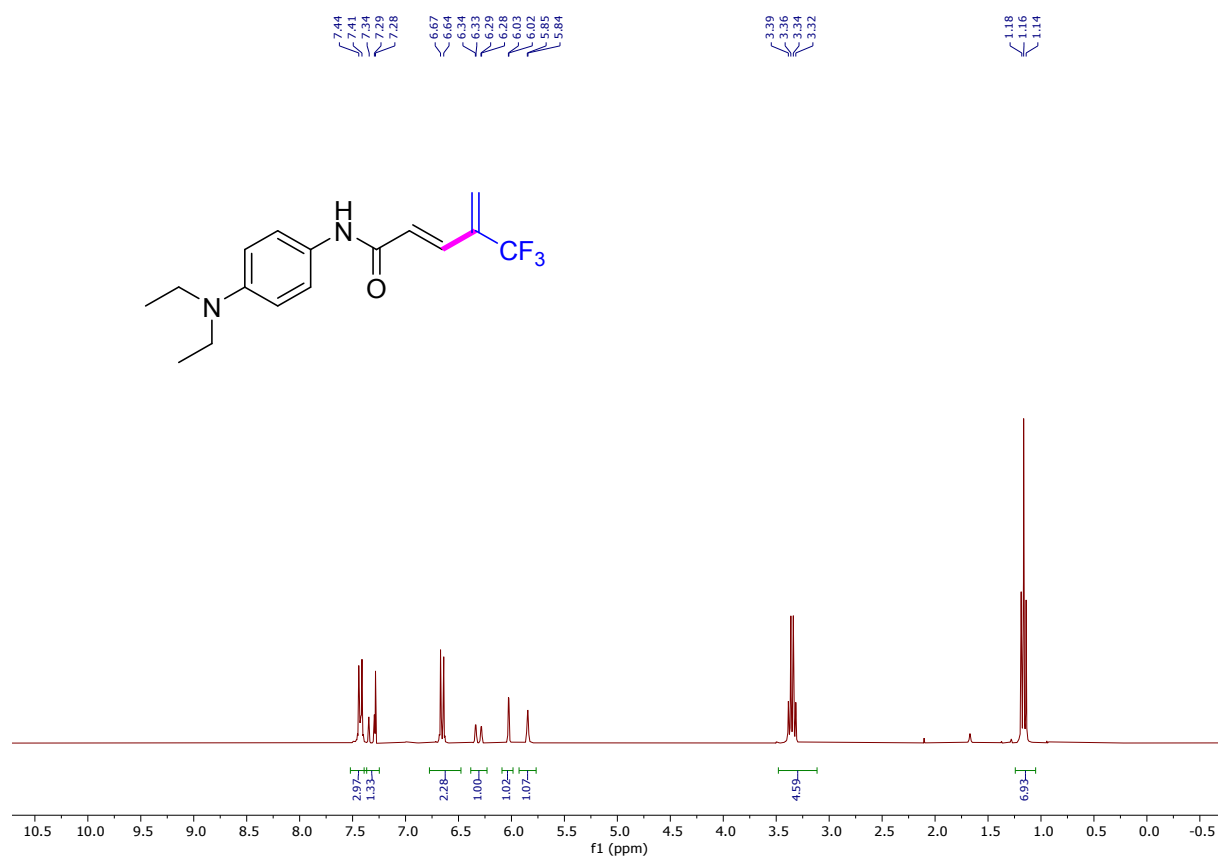


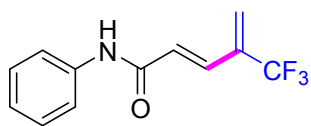
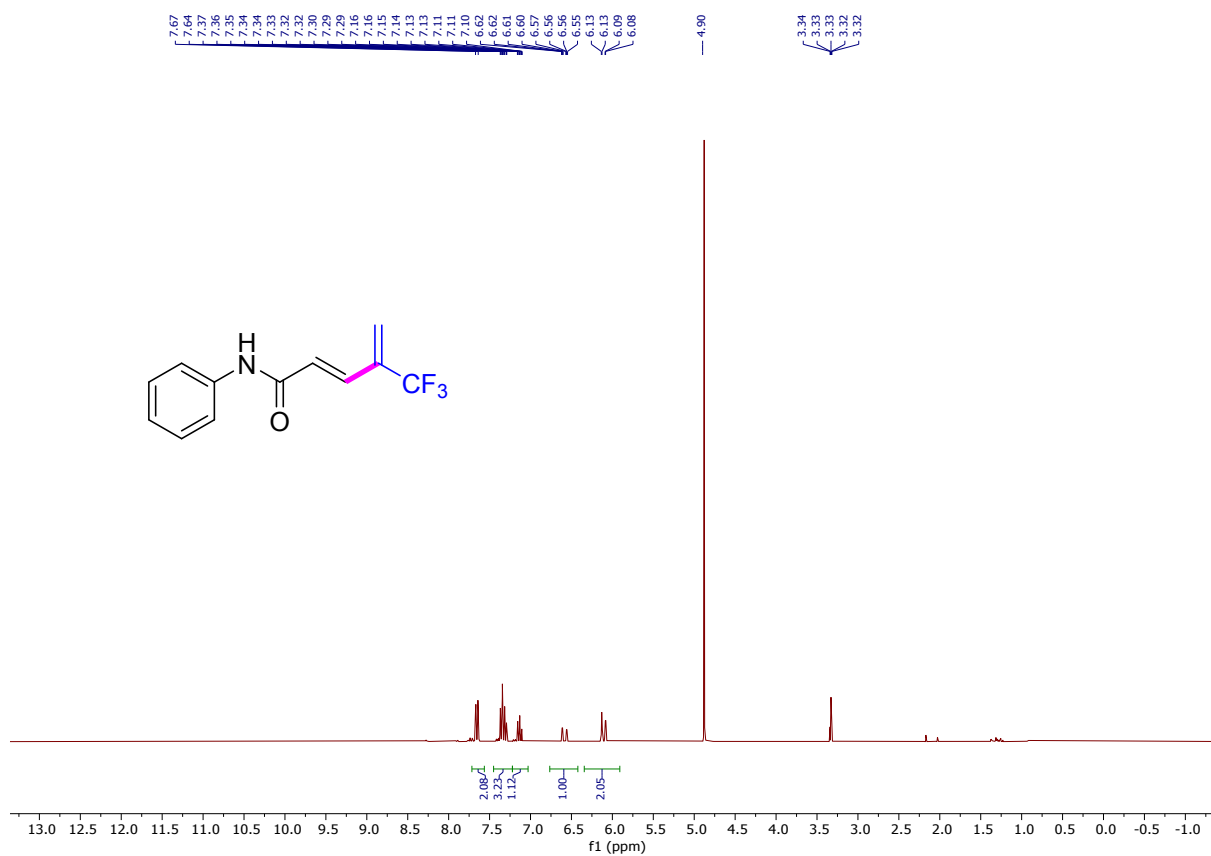
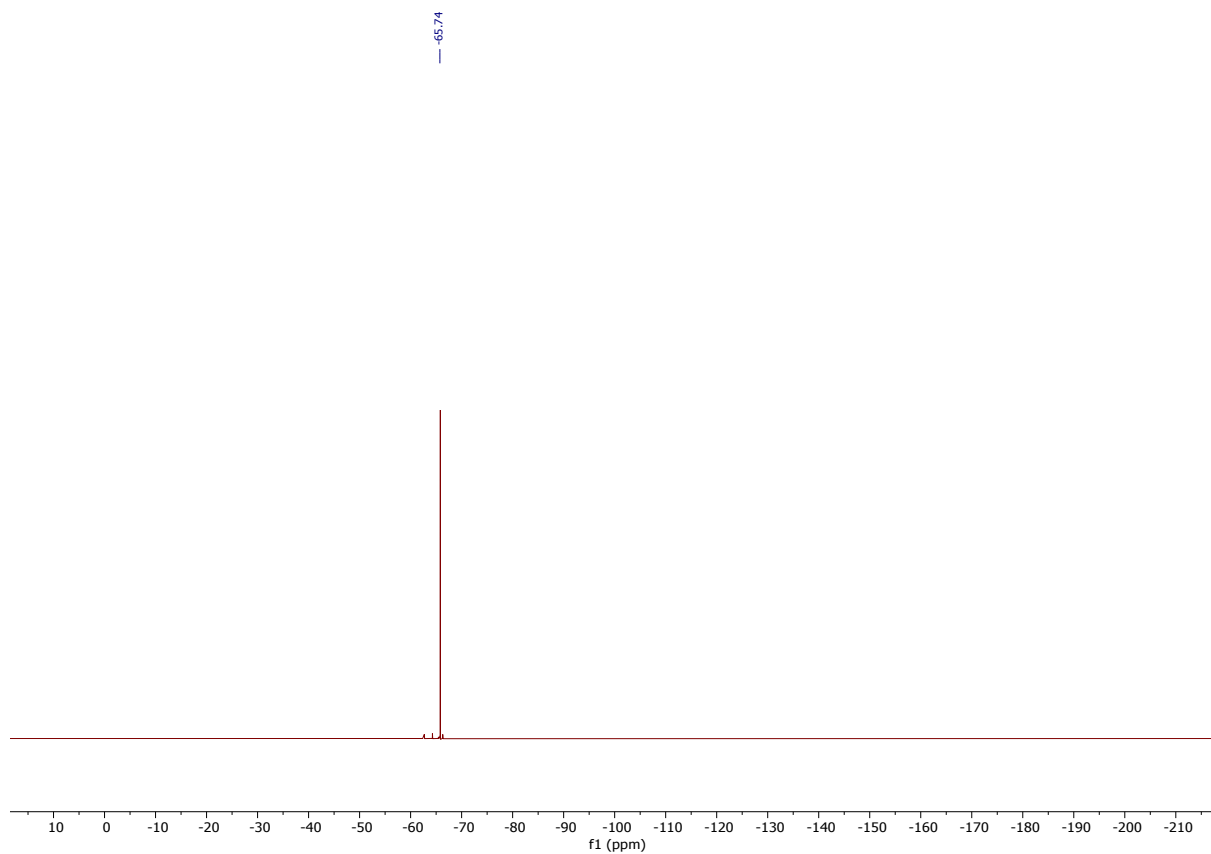


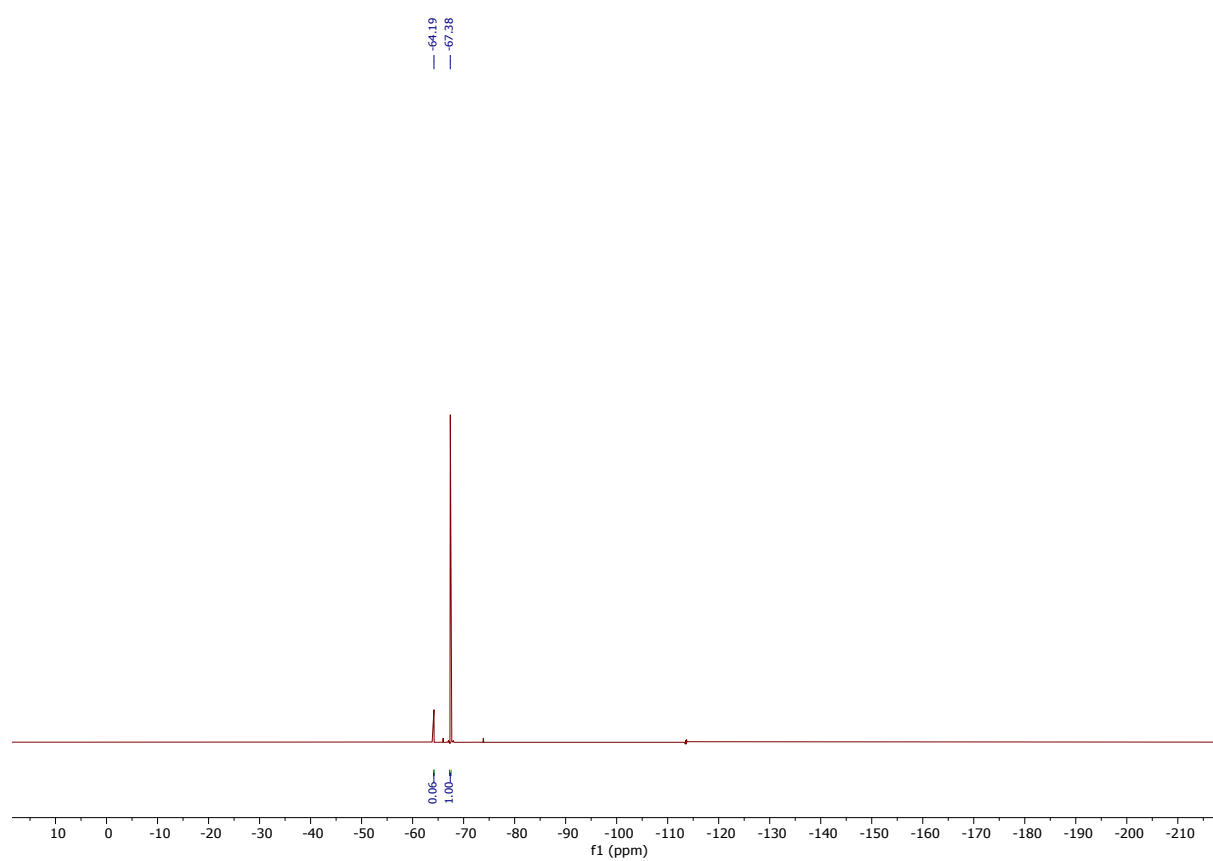
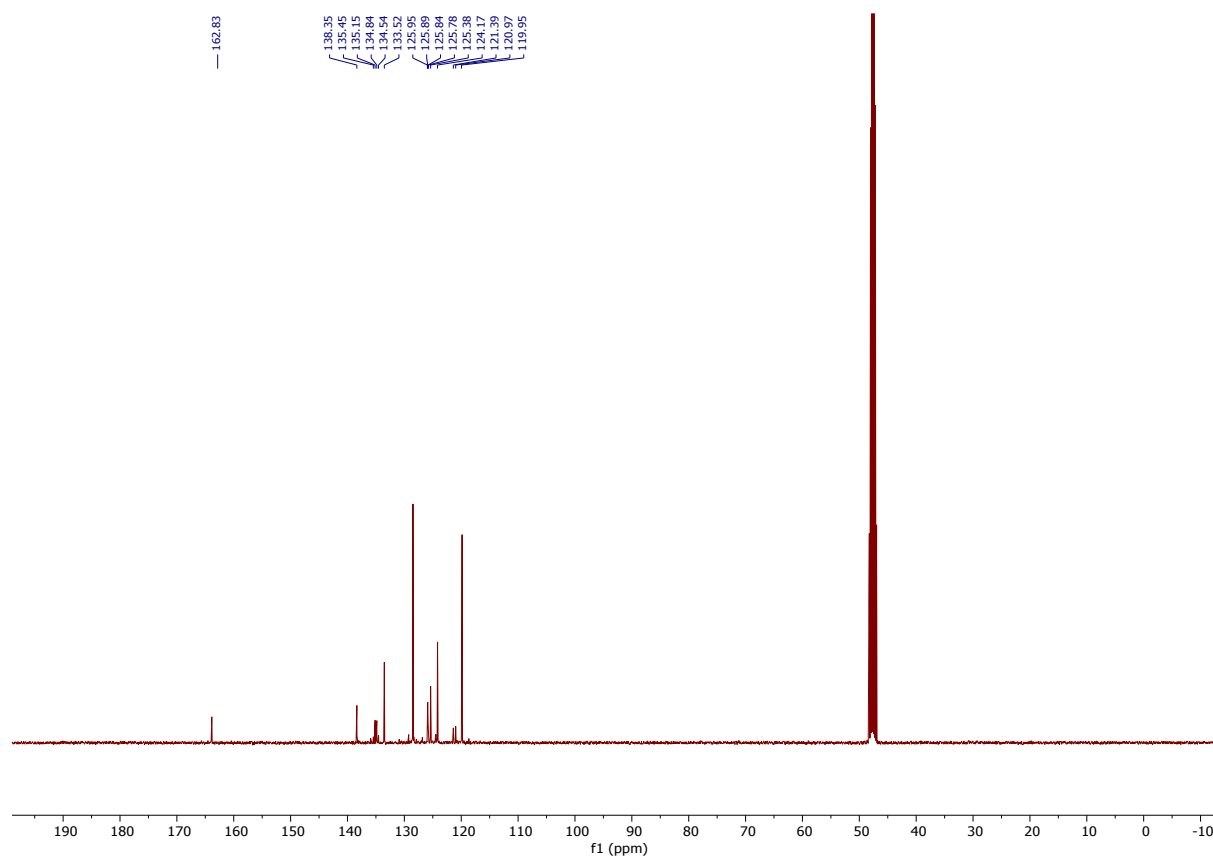


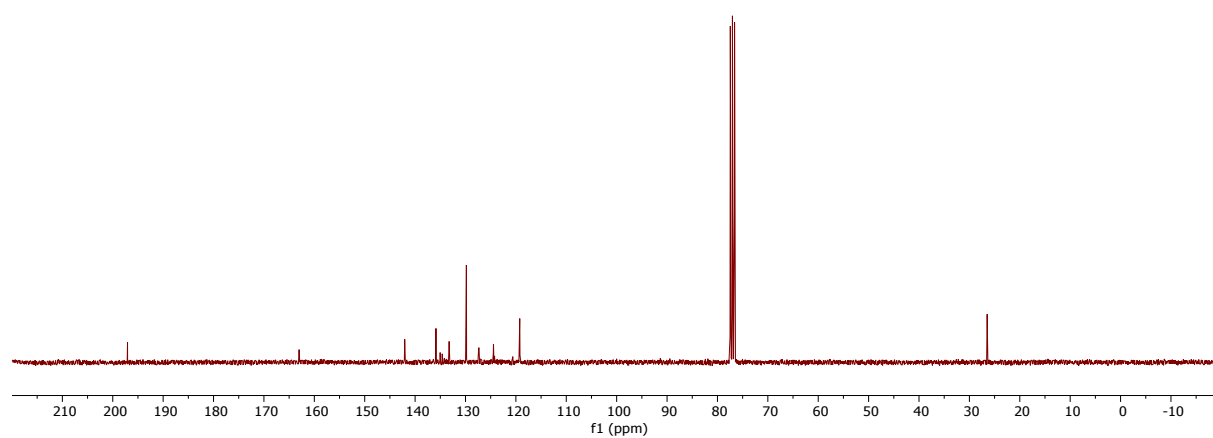
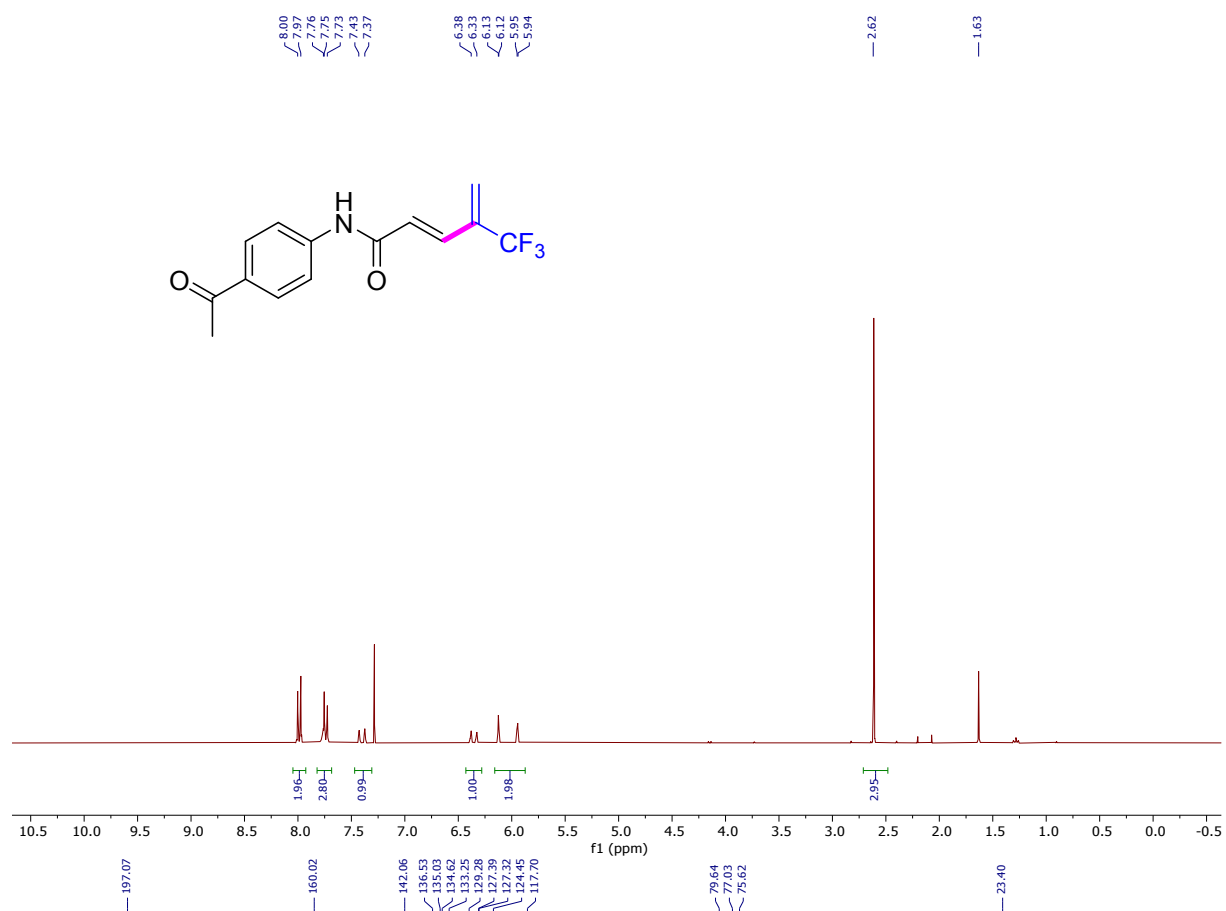


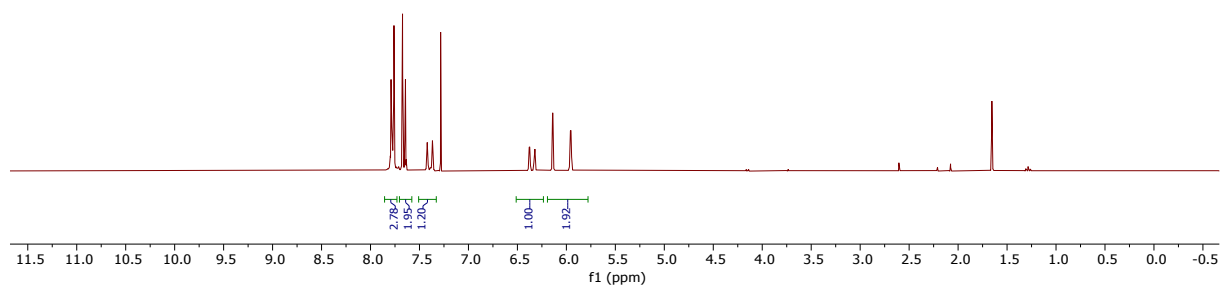


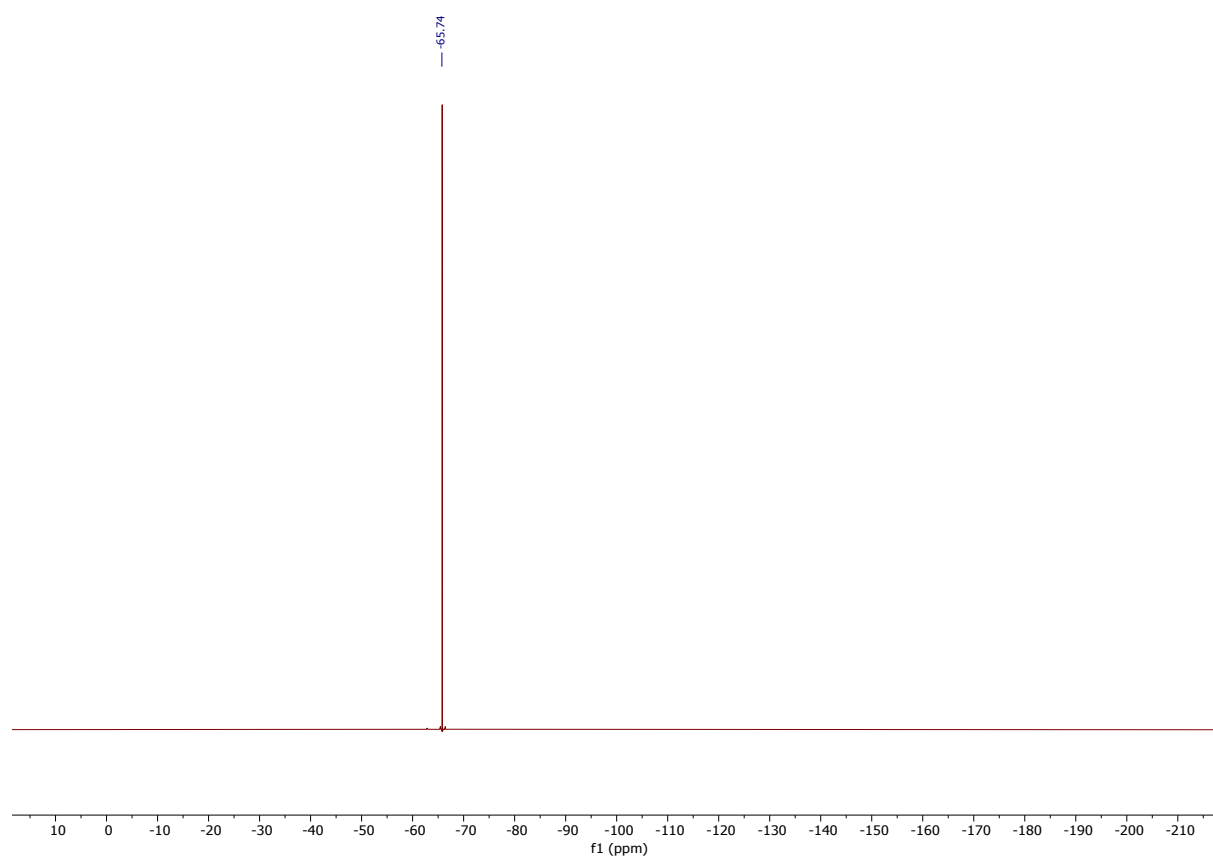
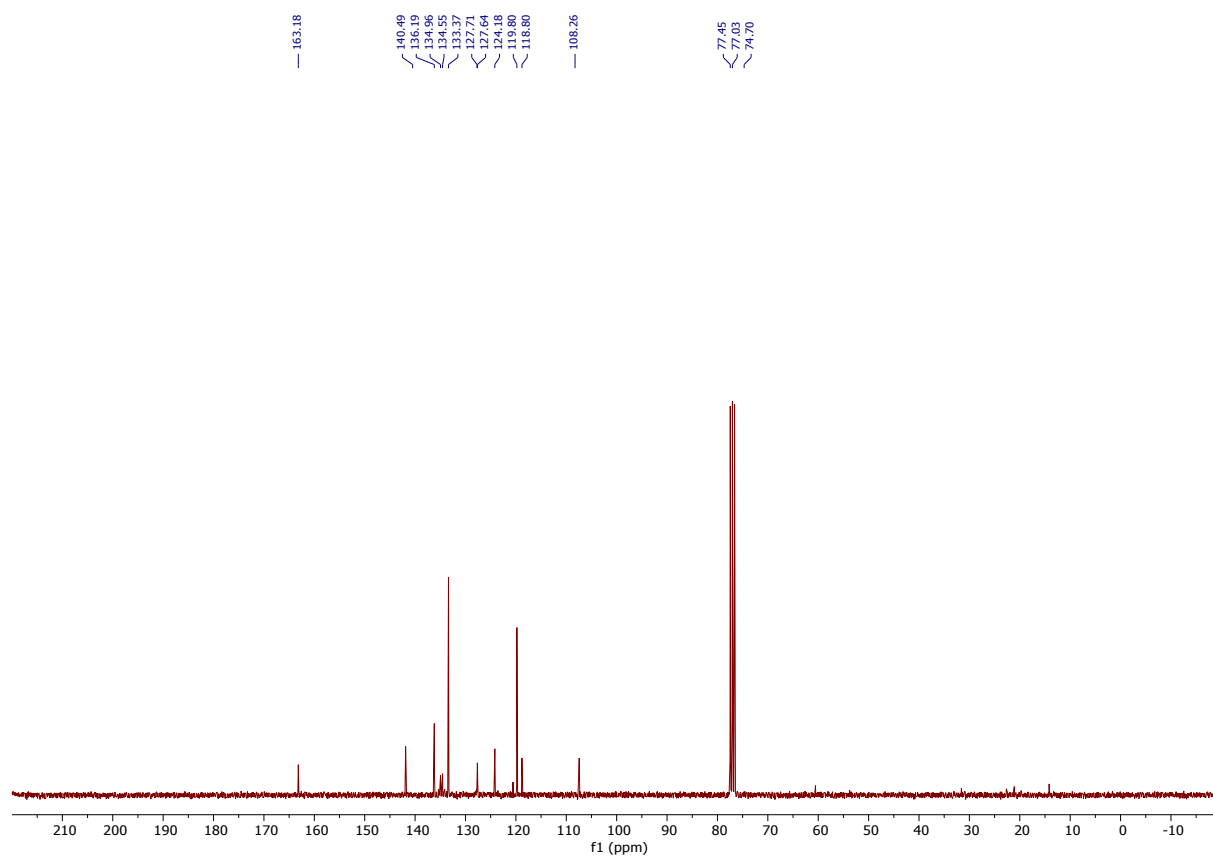


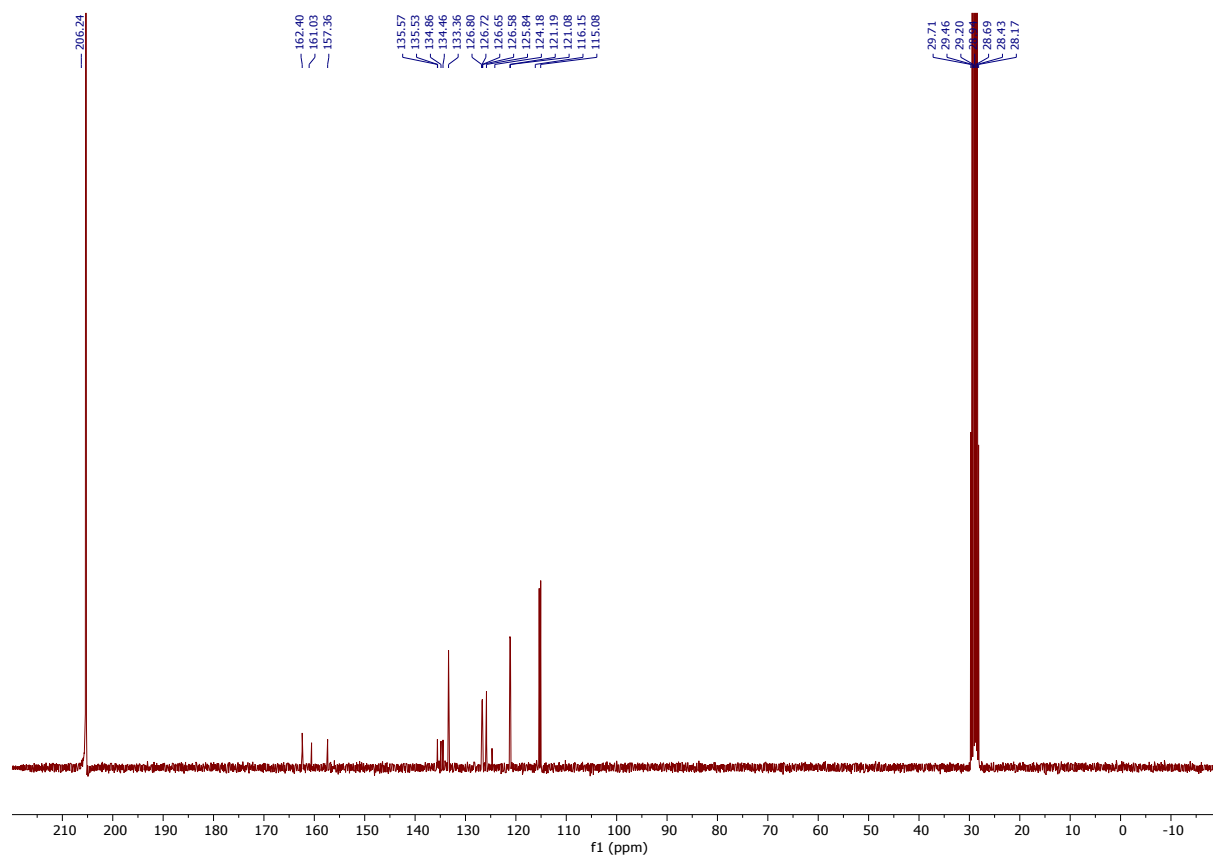
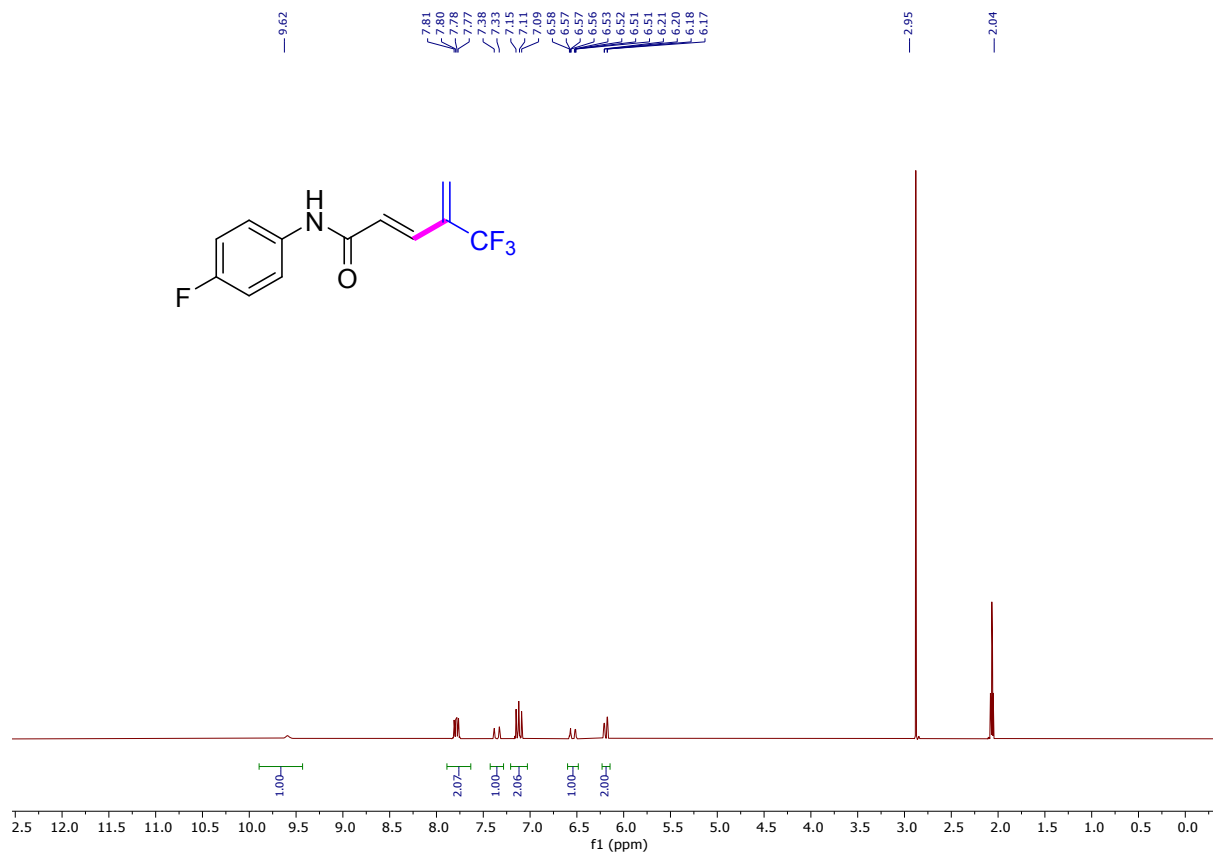


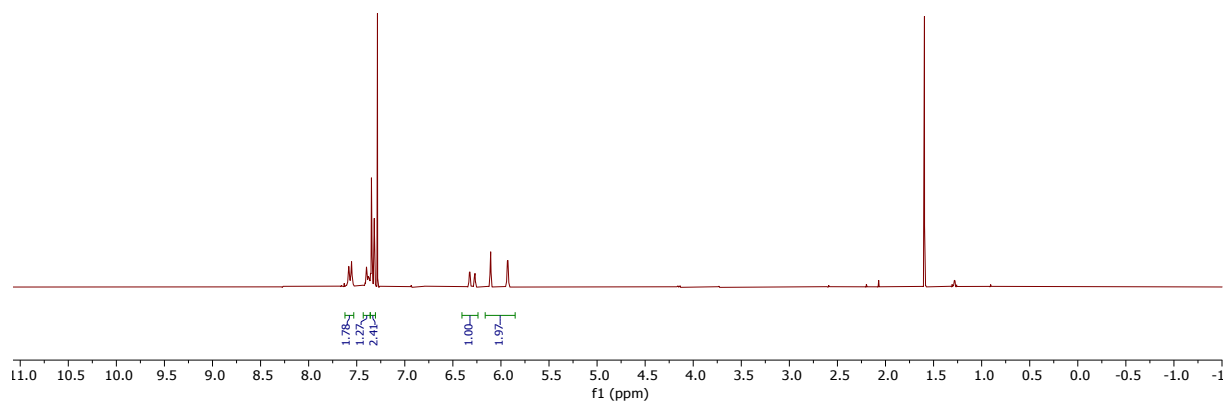
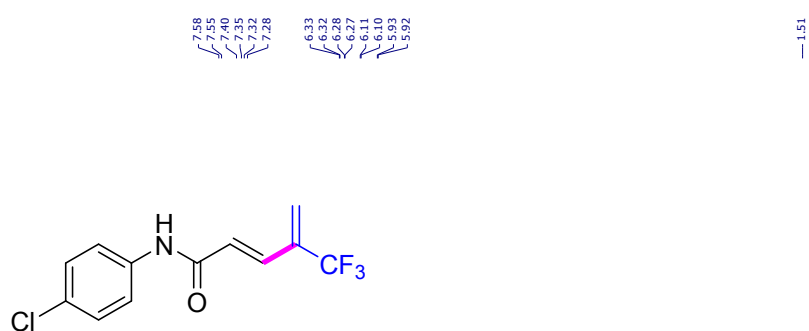
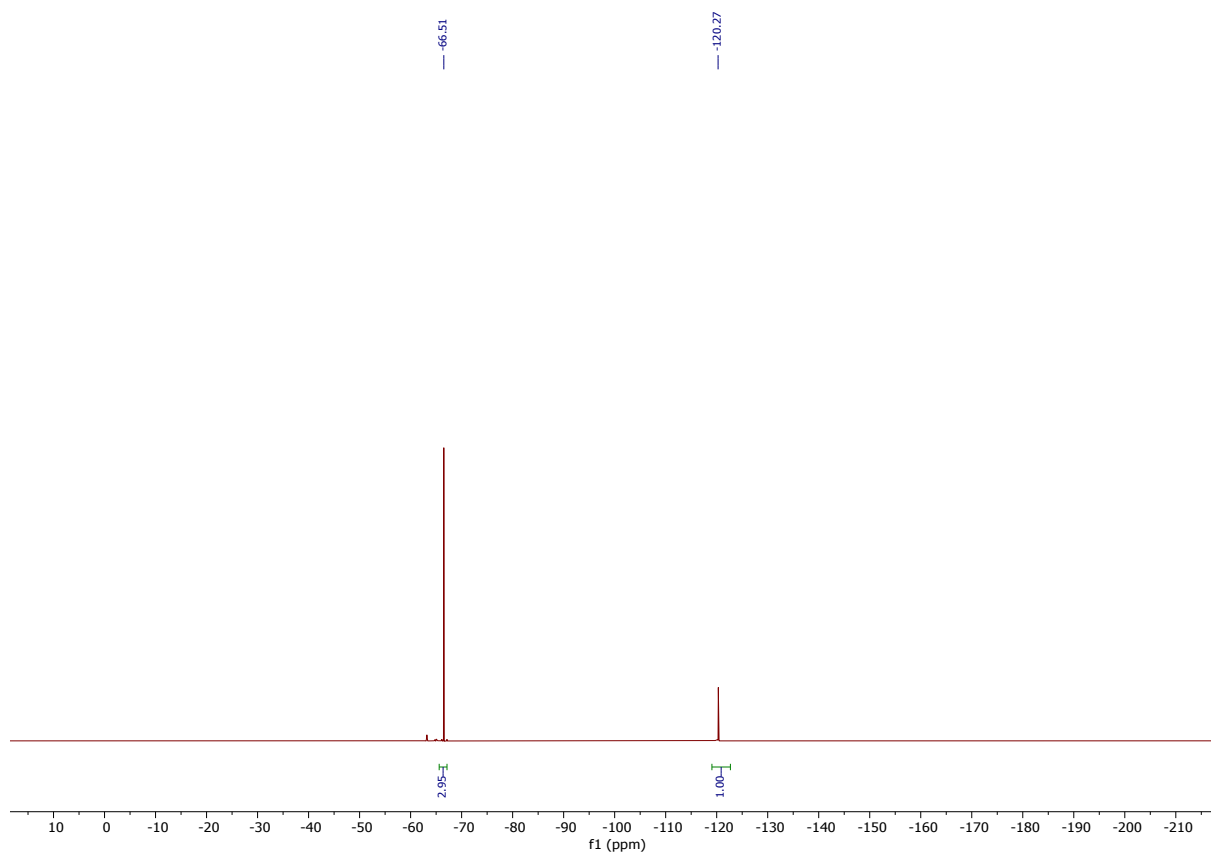


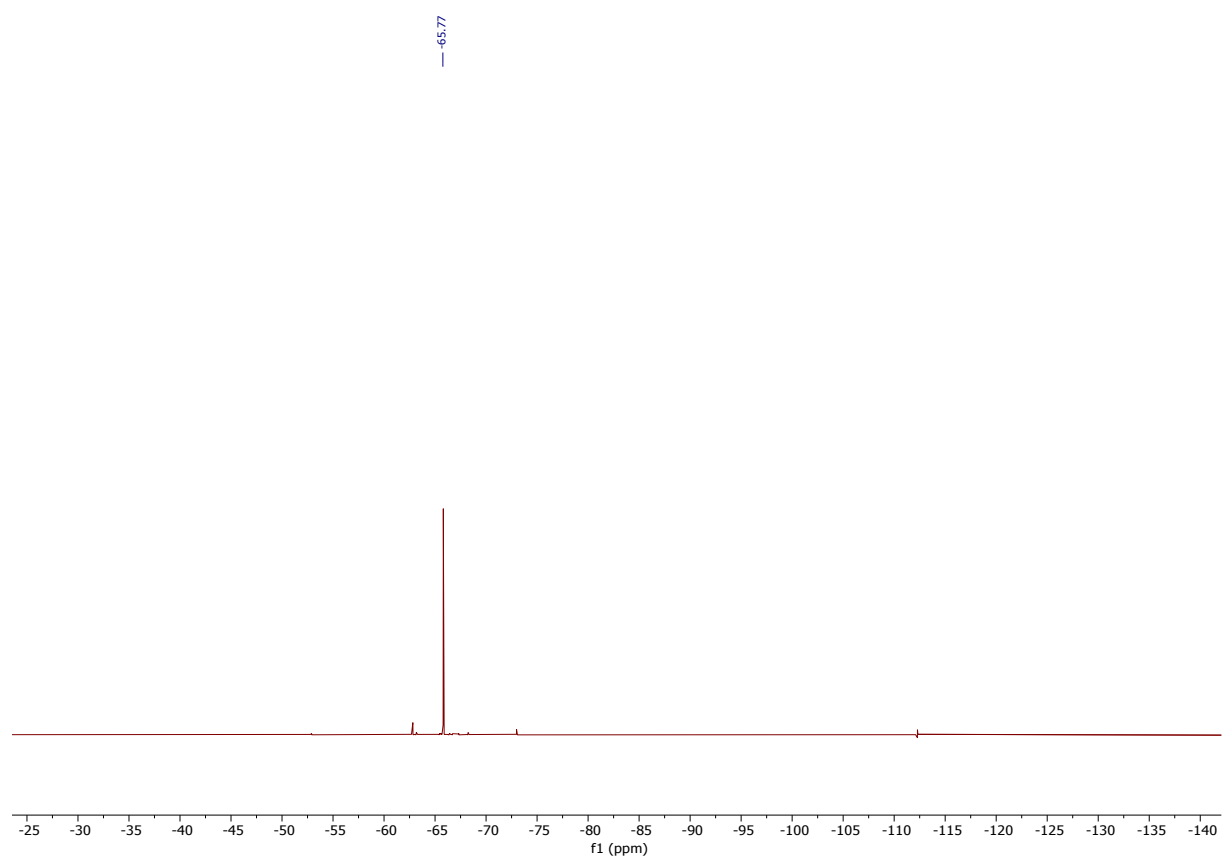
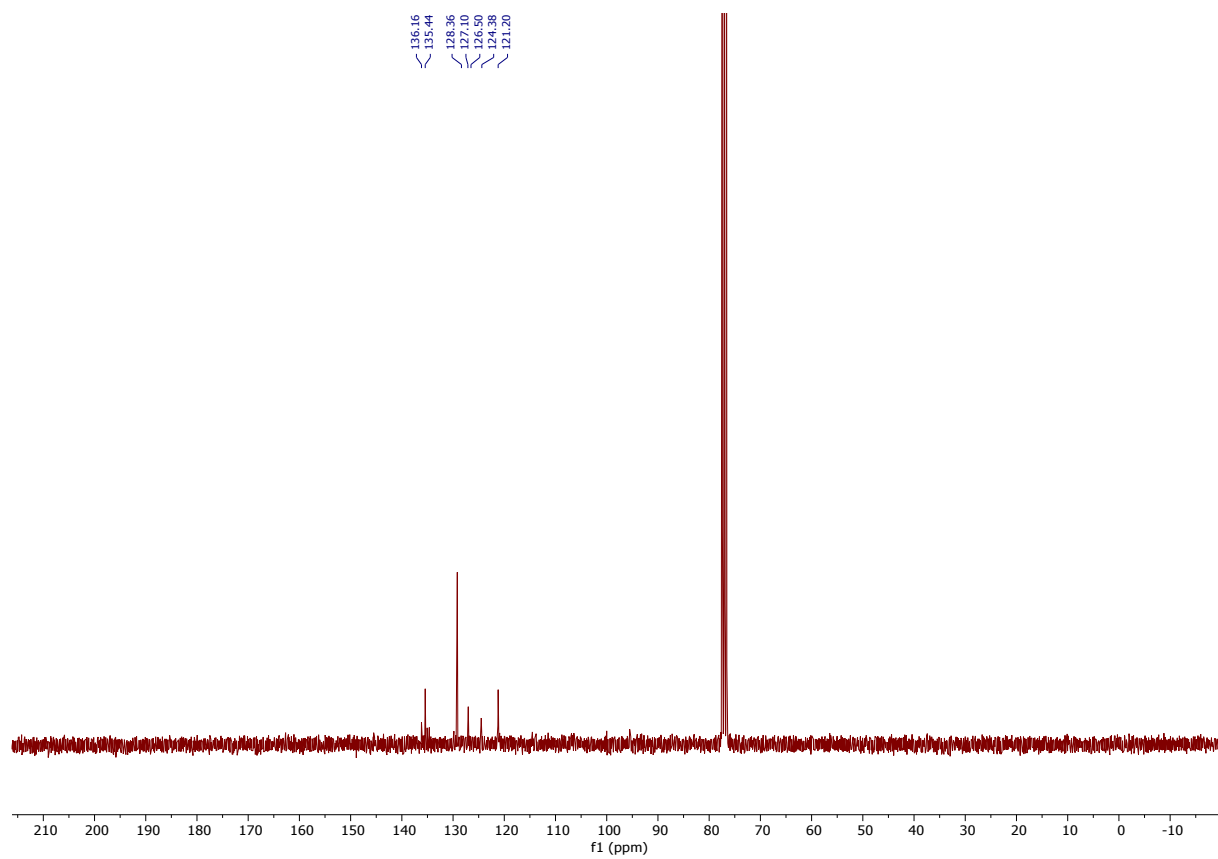


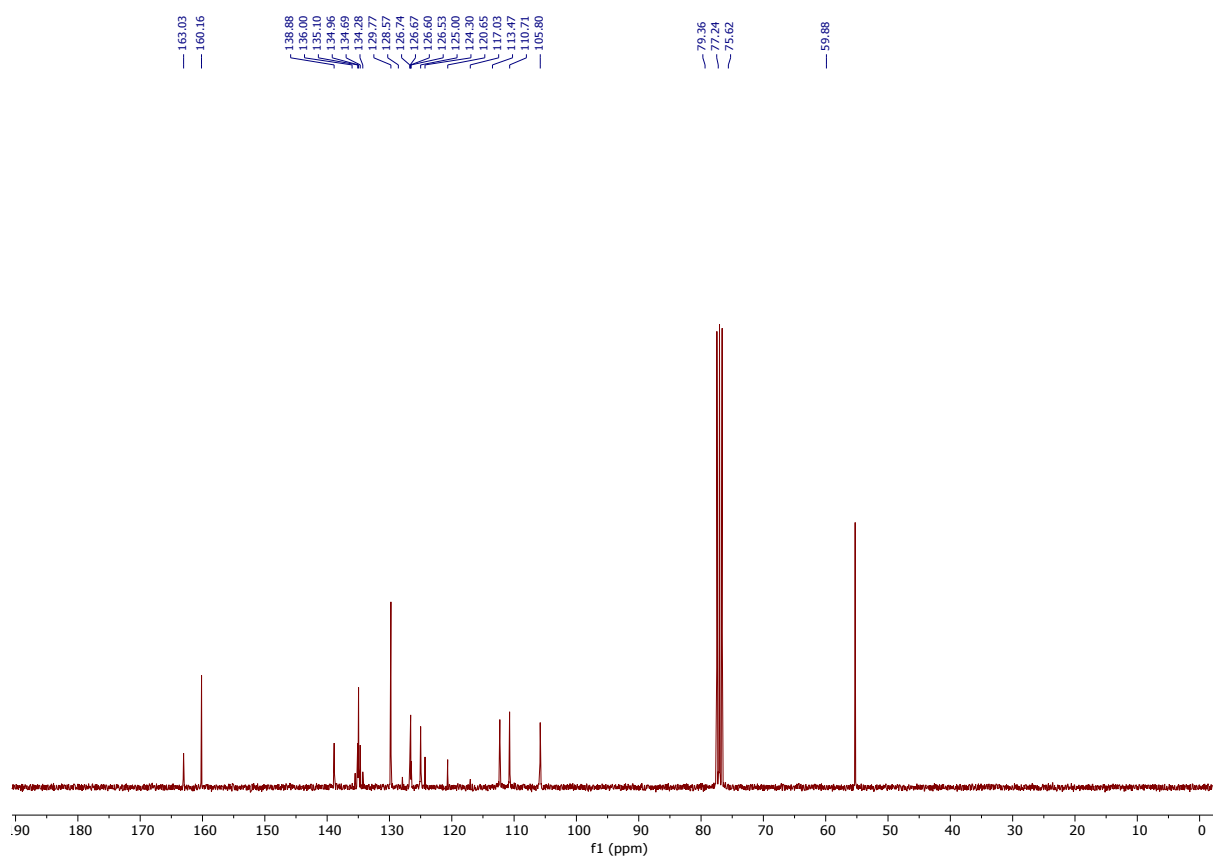
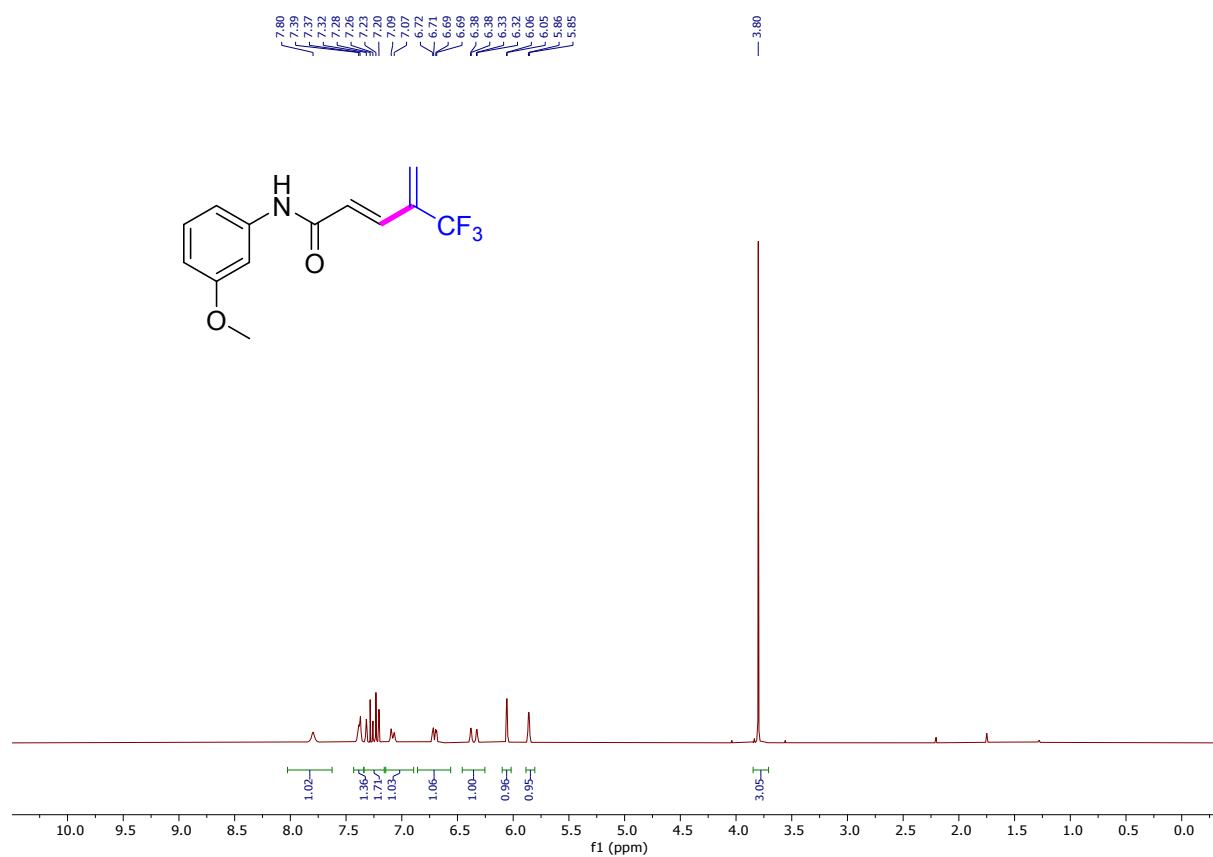


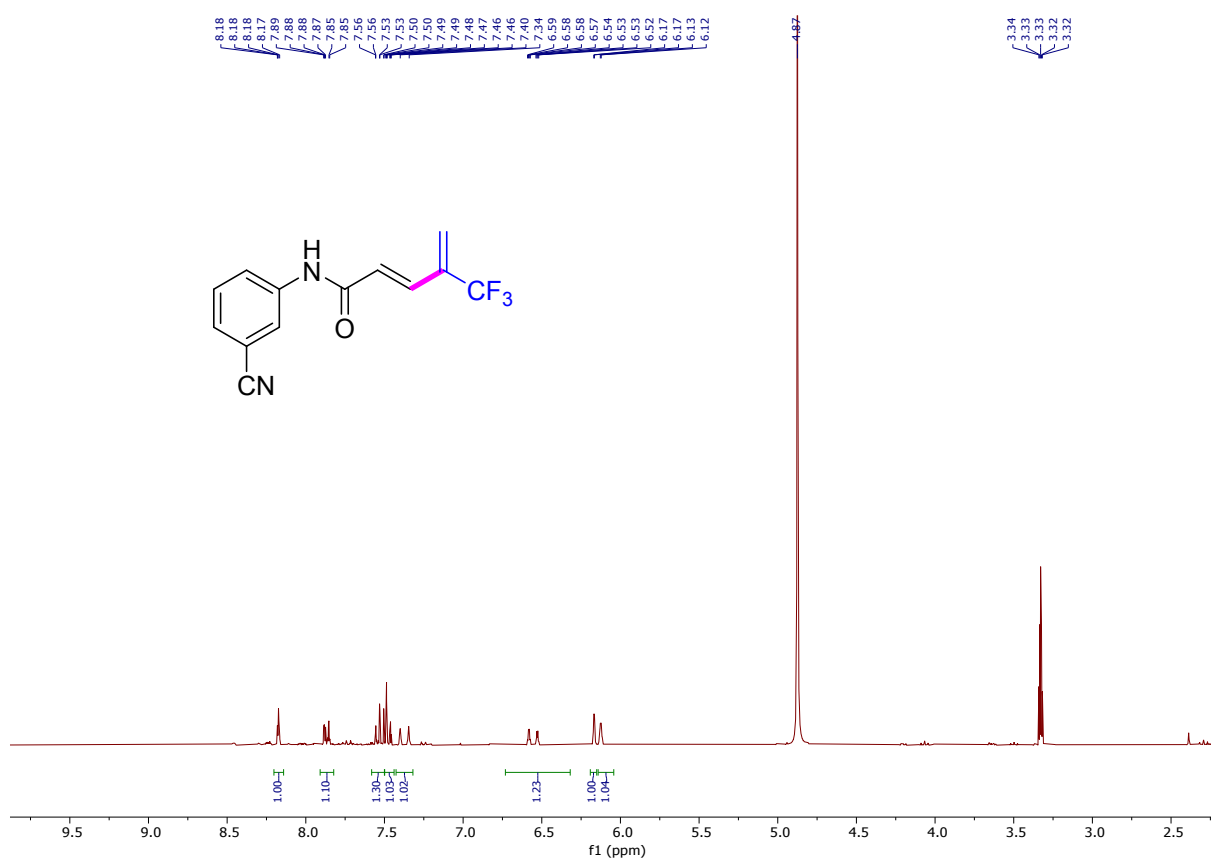
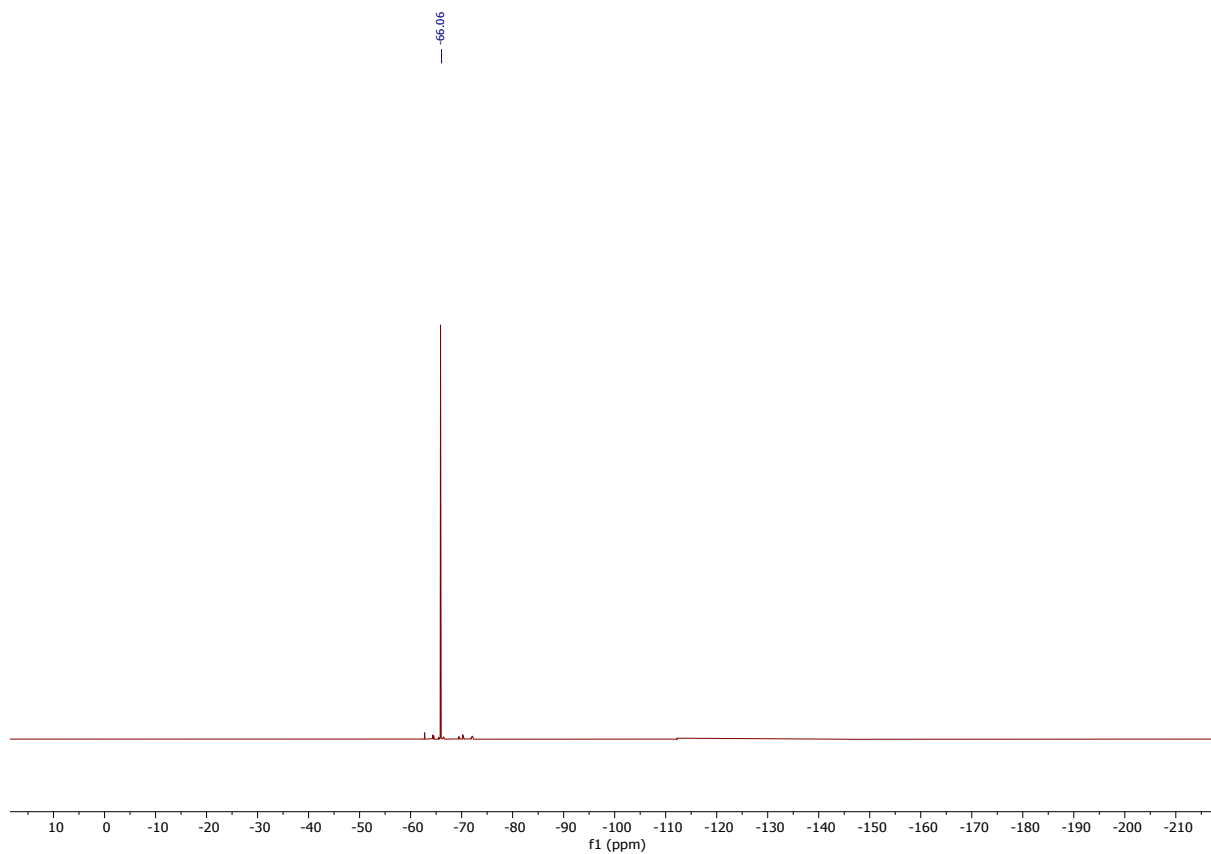


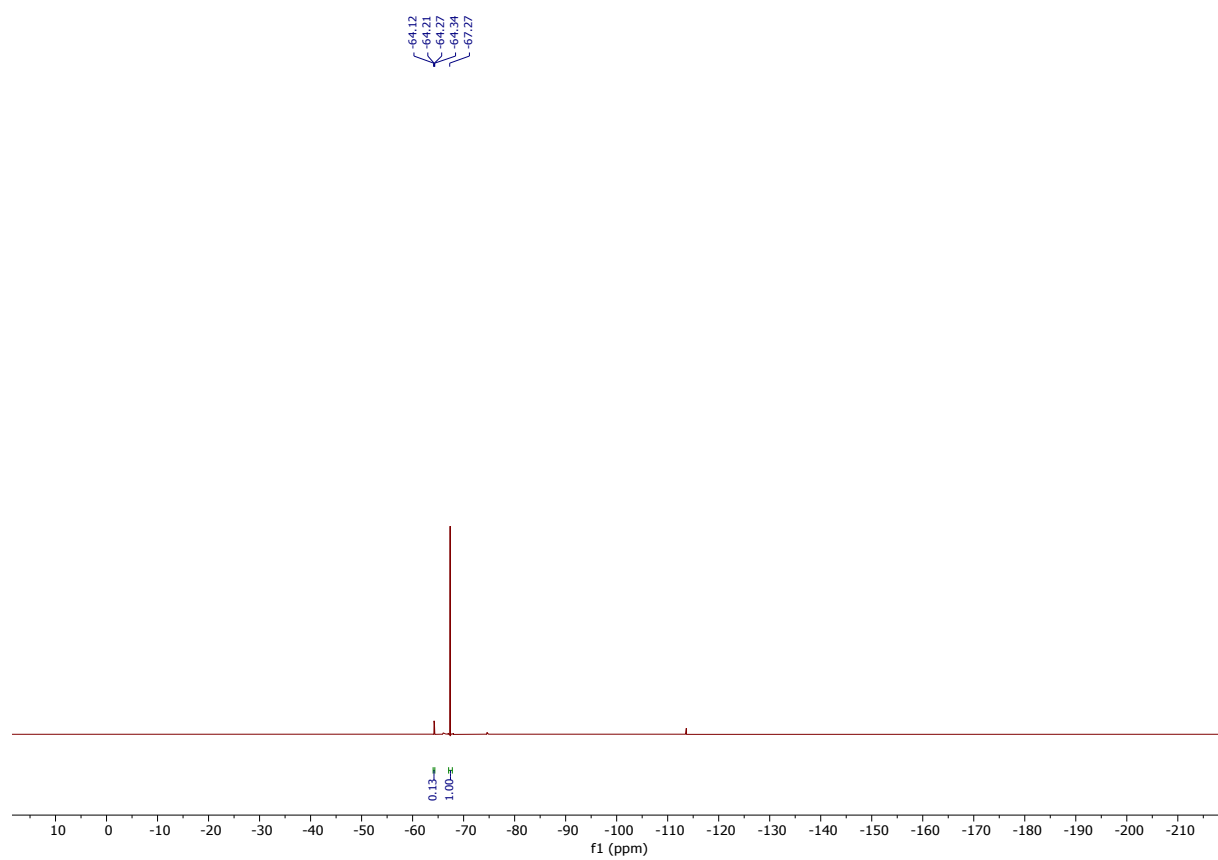
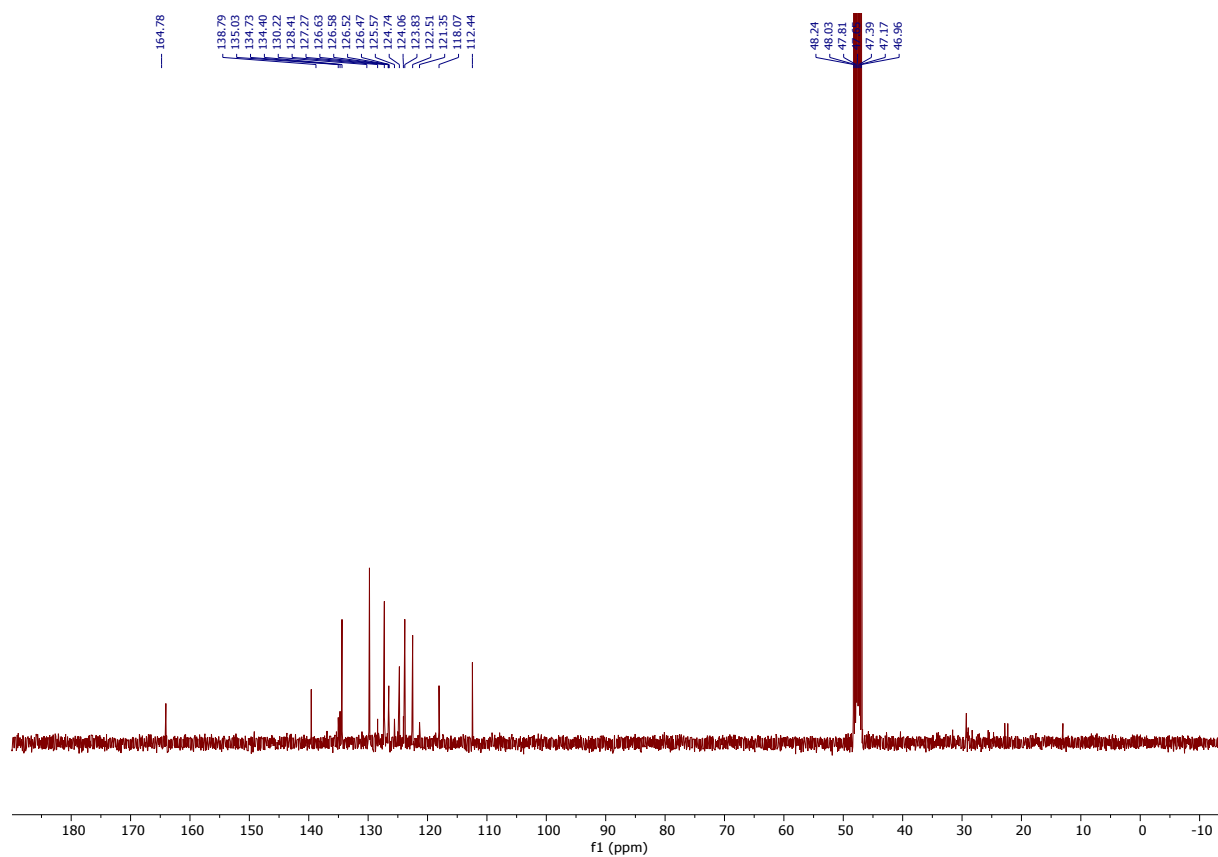


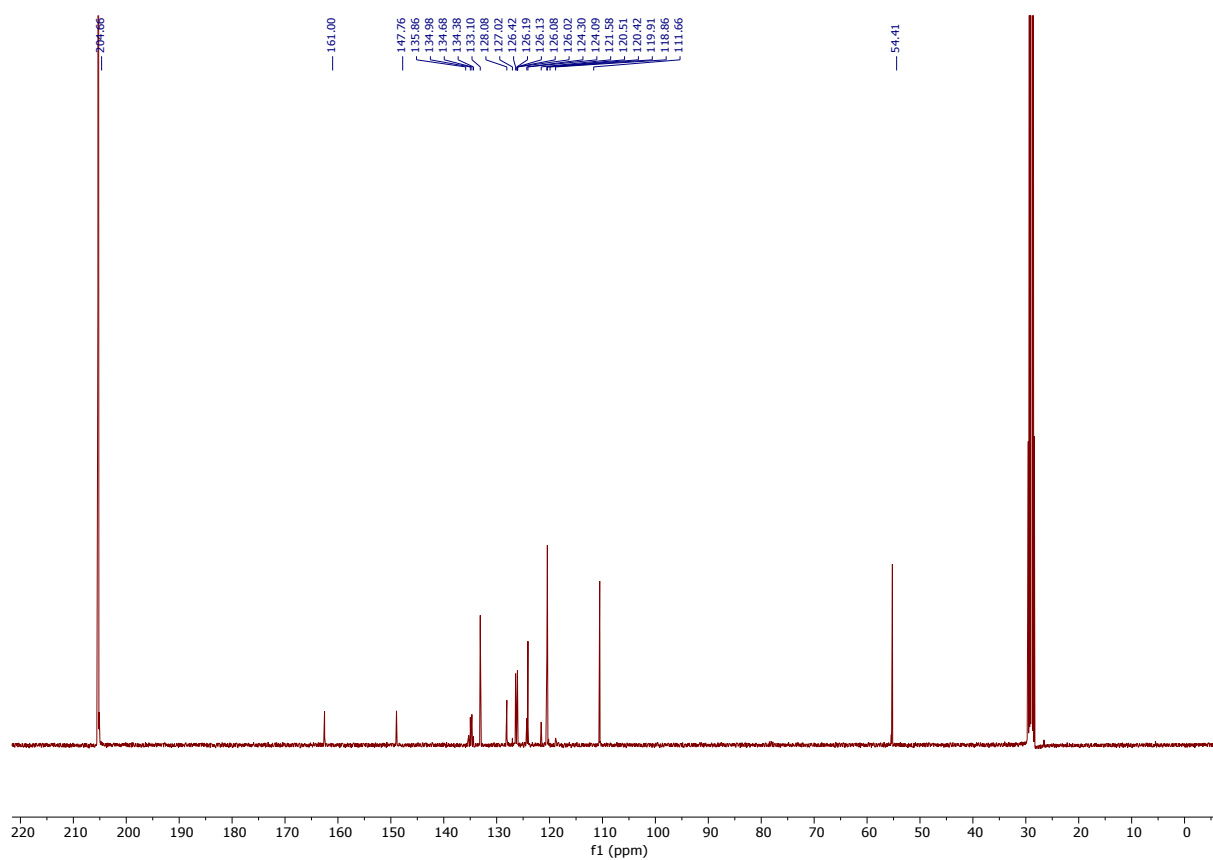
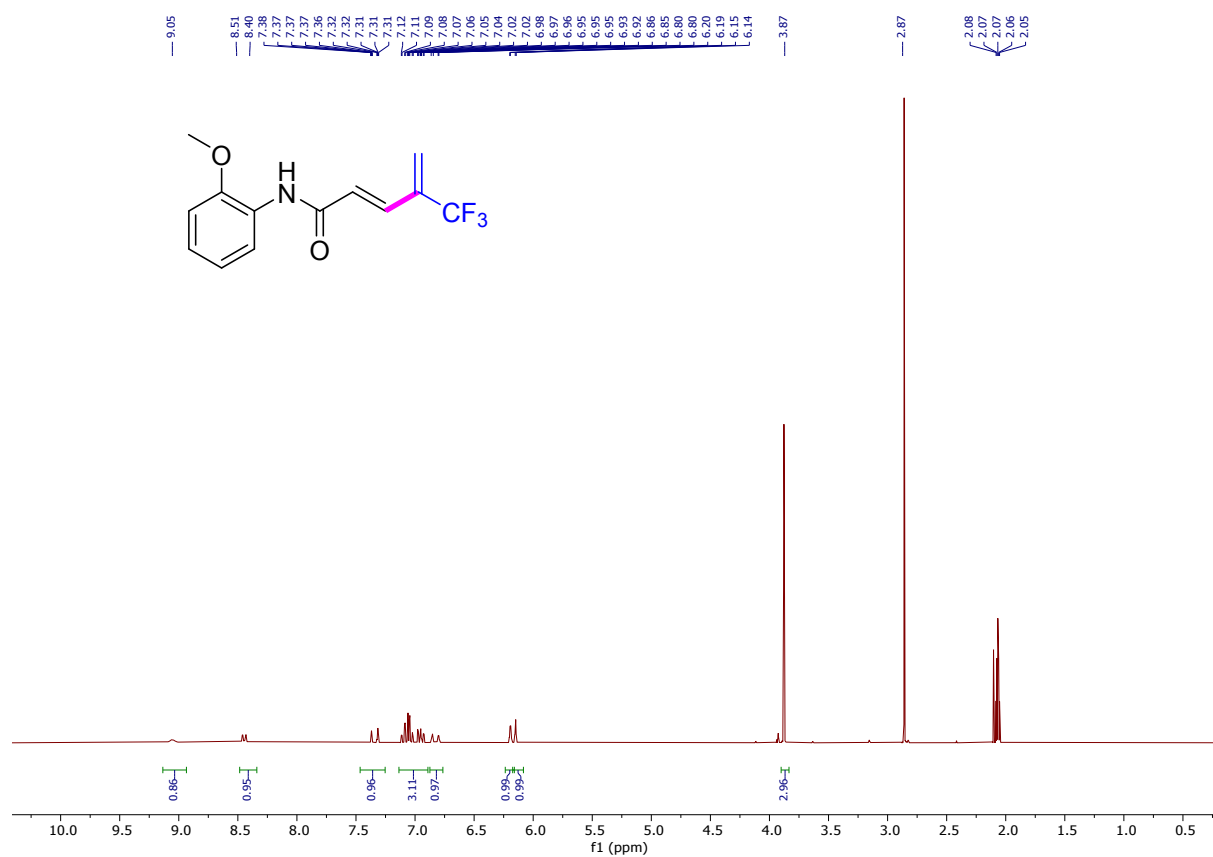


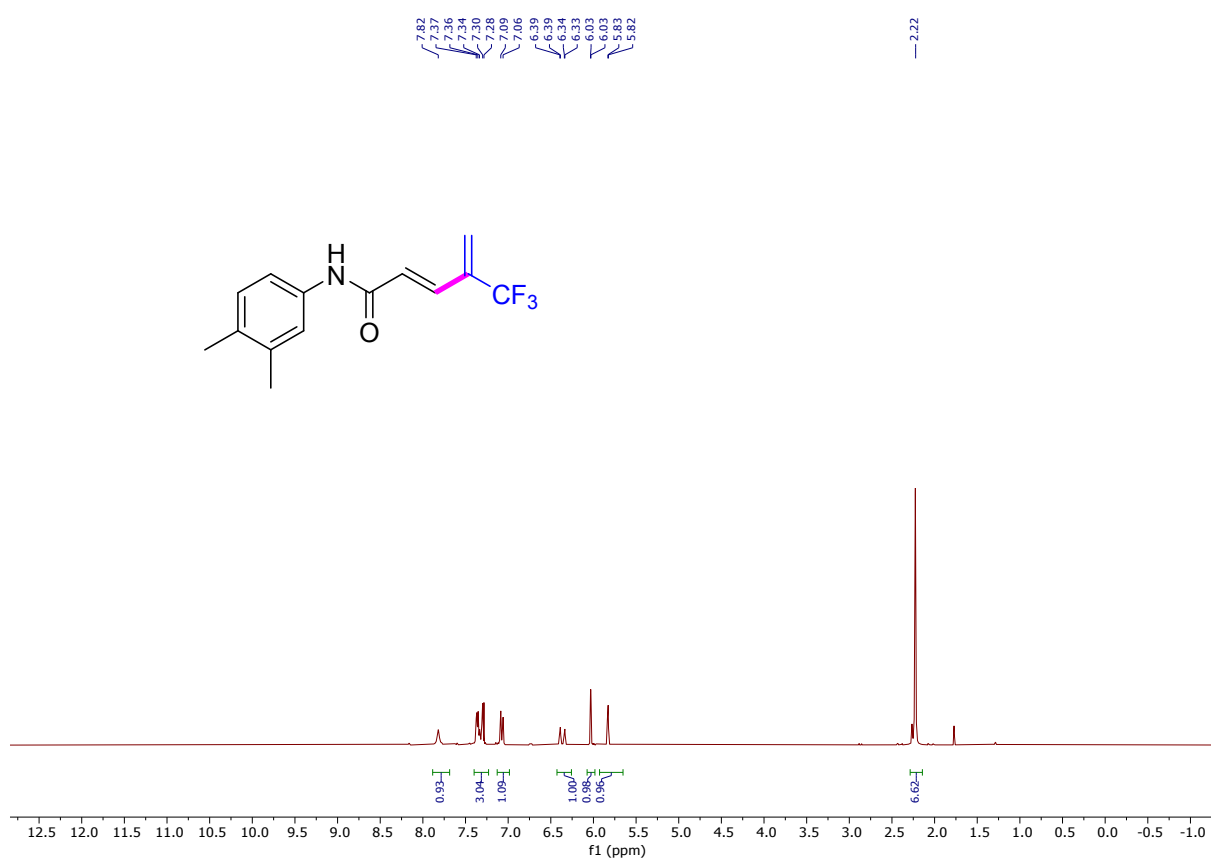
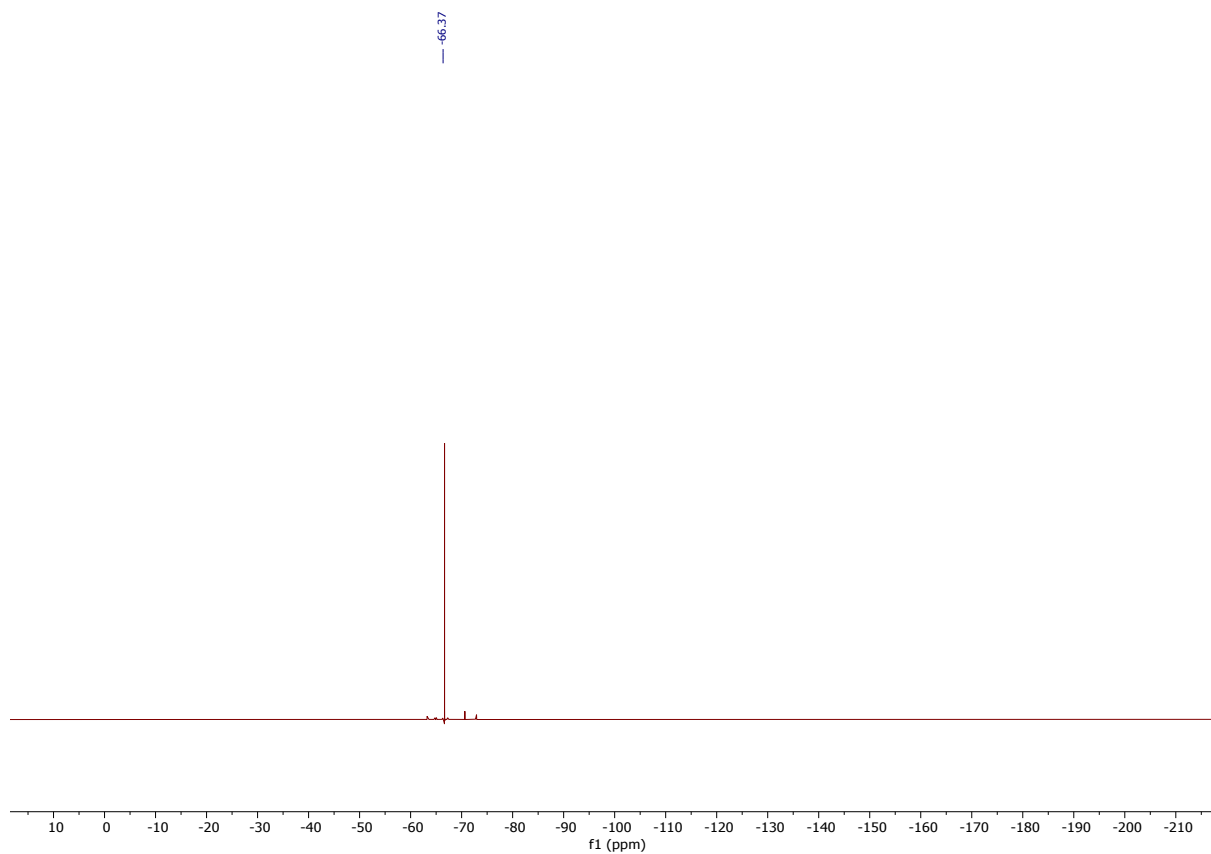


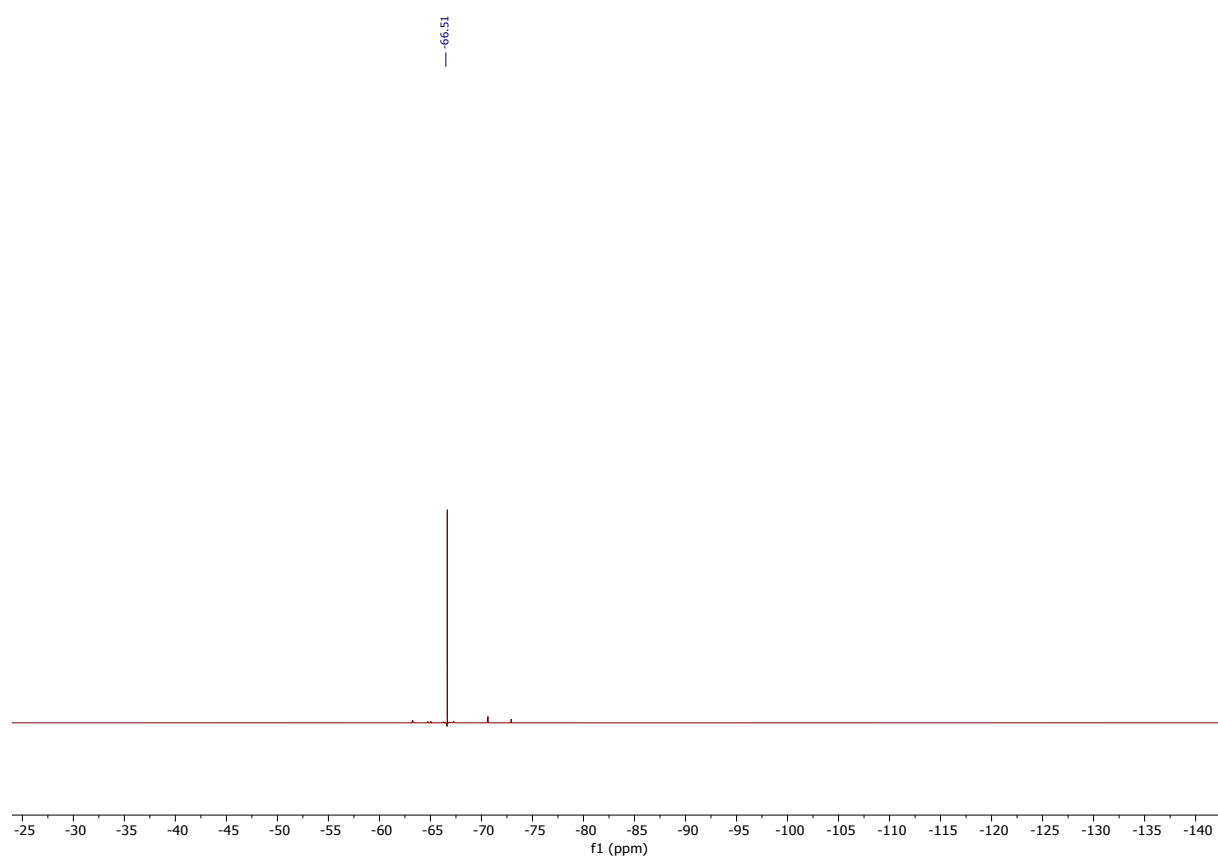
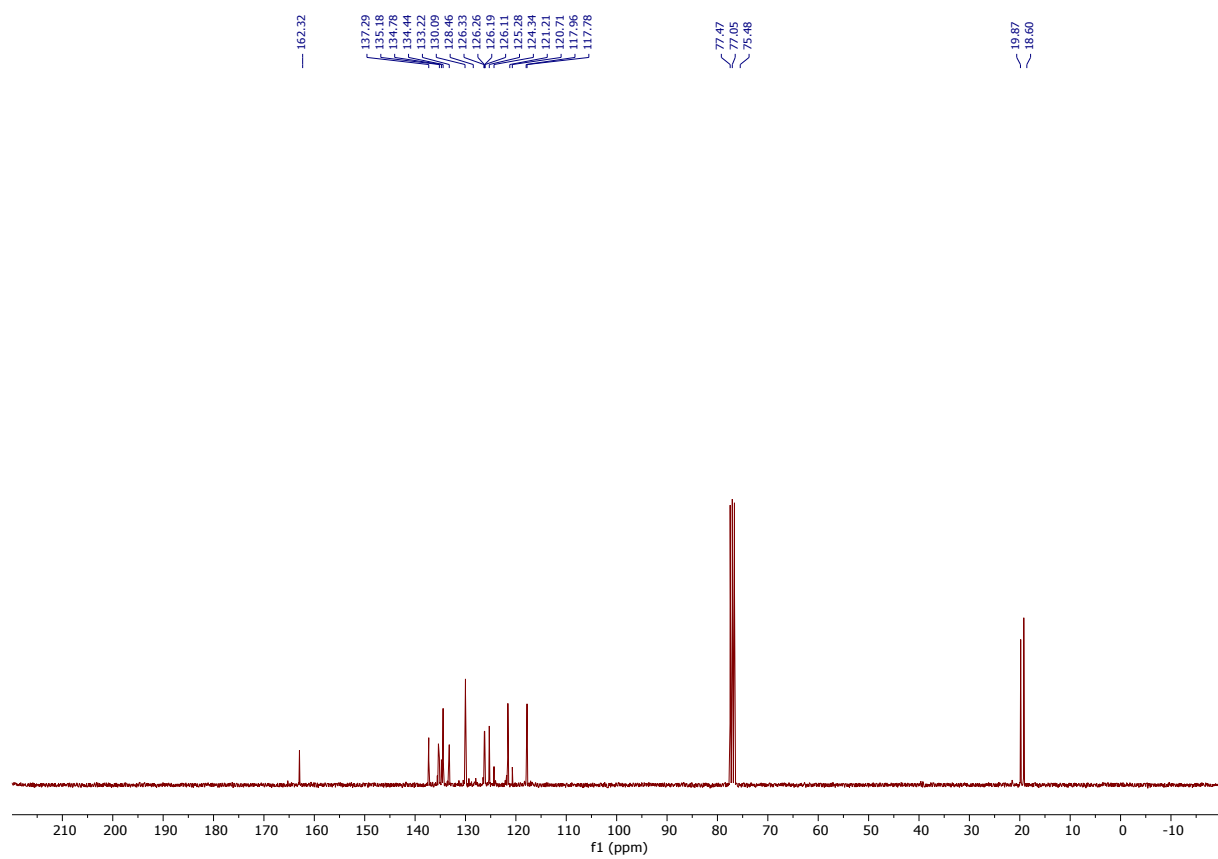


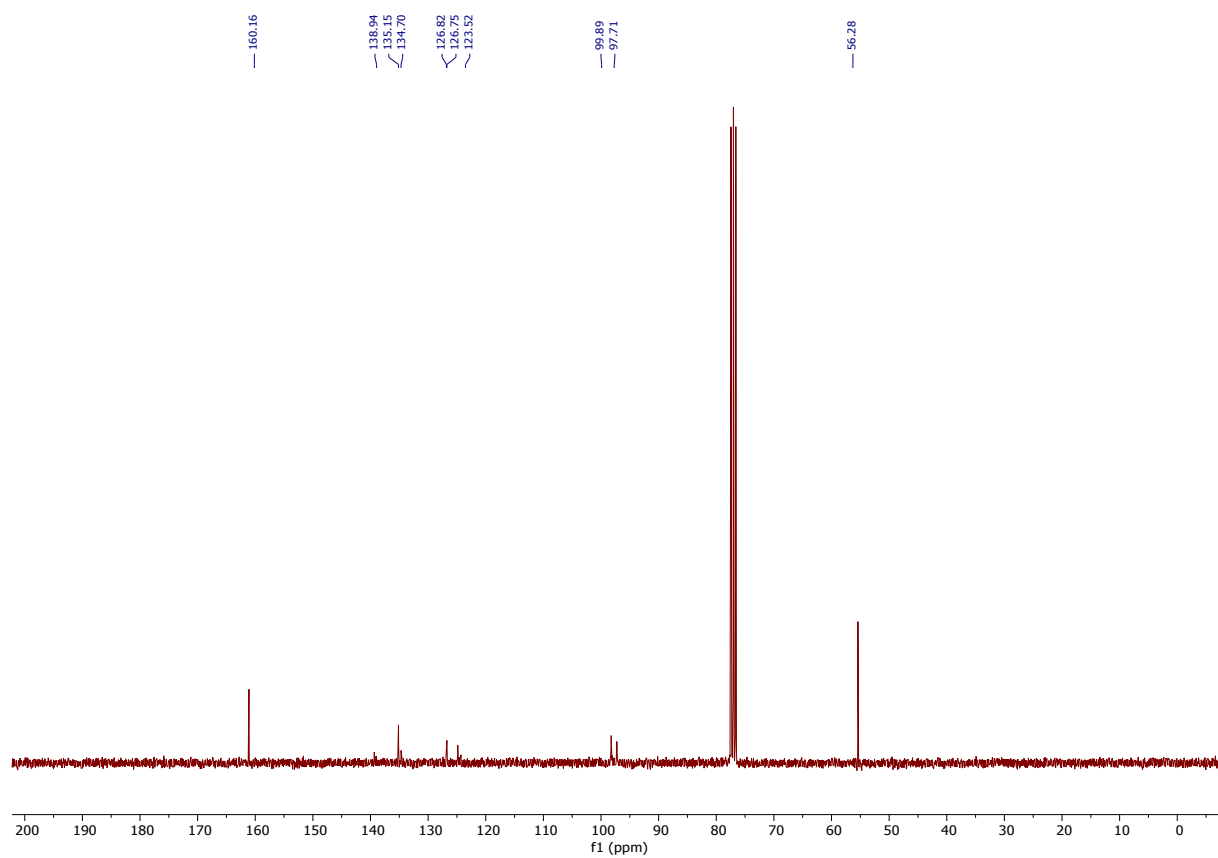
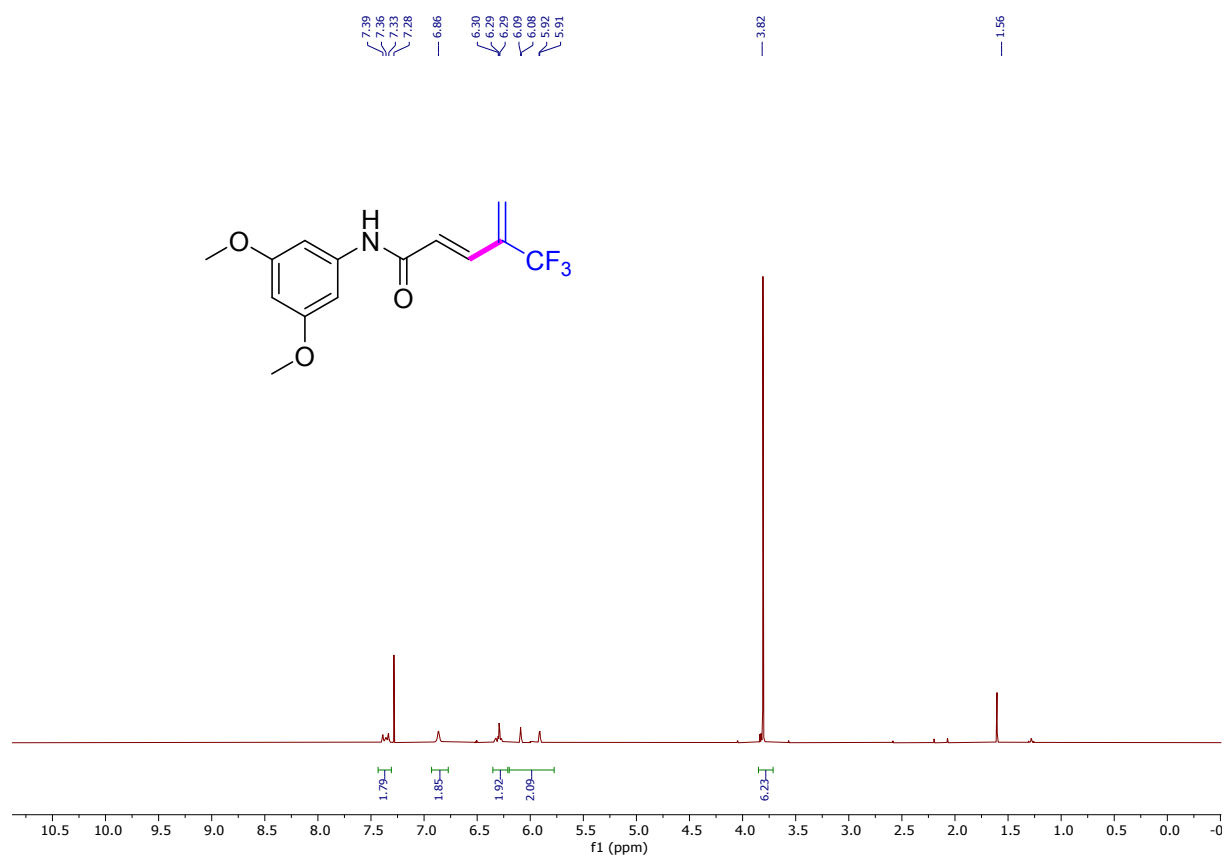


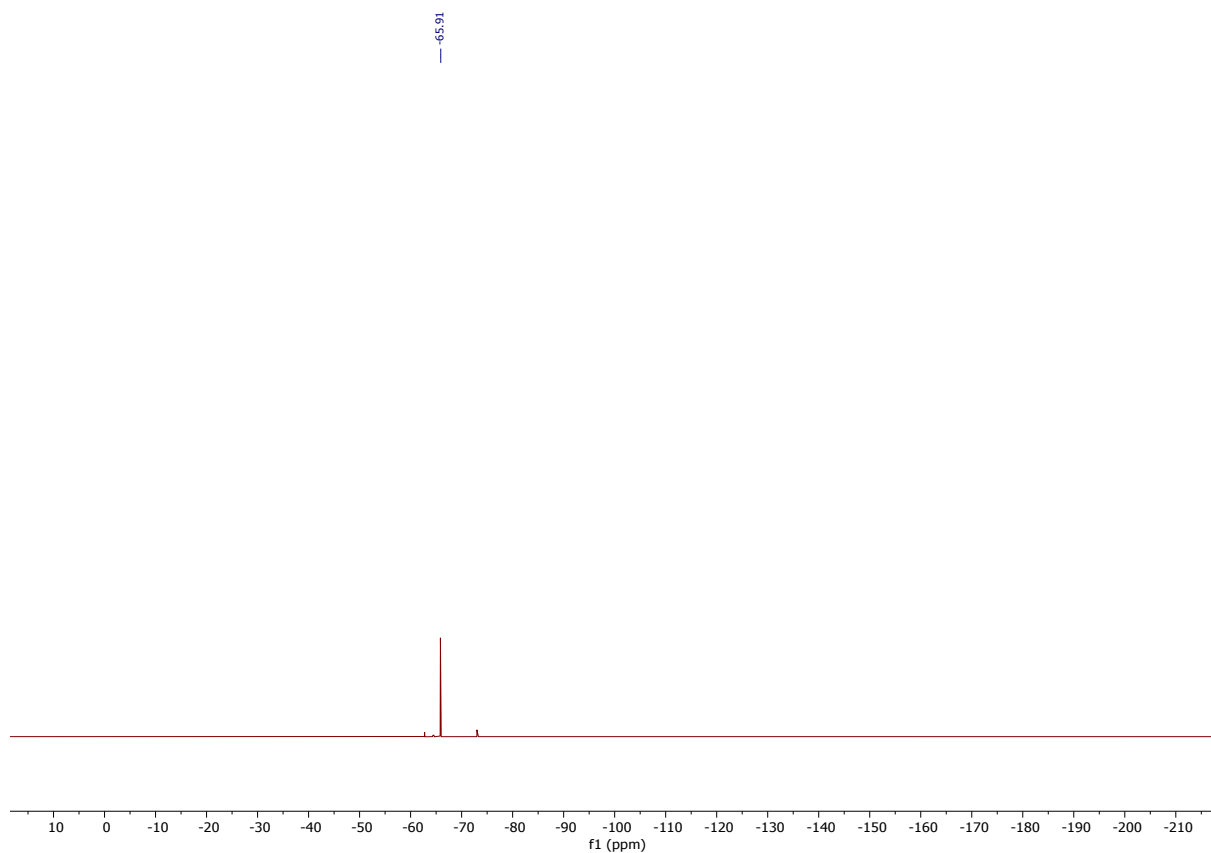












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