

Supporting Information

Silver-Catalyzed Domino Inverse Electron-Demand oxo-Diels-Alder Reaction of 3-Cyclopropylideneprop-2-en-1-ones with 2,3-Dioxopyrrolidines via Cyclobutane-fused Furan

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(A) General Information

Proton nuclear magnetic resonance (^1H NMR) spectra, carbon nuclear magnetic resonance (^{13}C NMR) spectra fluorine nuclear magnetic resonance (^{19}F NMR) were recorded at 400 MHz, 100 MHz and 367 MHz, respectively. Data are presented as follows: chemical shift (ppm), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants in Hertz (Hz) and integration. Mass and High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) spectra were recorded by ESI method. The employed solvents were dry up by standard methods when necessary. Commercially obtained reagents were used without further purification. Petroleum ether refers to the fraction with boiling point in the range 60-90 °C. For thin-layer chromatography (TLC), silica gel plates (Huanghai GF254) were used. Flash column chromatography was carried out using 300-400 mesh silica gel at increased pressure.

The preparation of 3-cyclopropylideneprop-2-en-1-ones **1**¹ and *N*-benzyl-4-benzylidenepyrrolidine-2,3-dione **2**² followed the previous literature procedure.

1. Miao, M.; Cao, J.; Zhang, J.; Huang, X.; Wu, L. *Org. Lett.* **2012**, *14*, 2718-2721.
2. Huang, Y.; Li, Y.; Sun, J.; Li, J.; Zha, Z.; Wang, Z. *J. Org. Chem.* **2018**, *83*, 8464-8472.

(B) Substrate Scopes of Substrates 1 and 2

3-cyclopropylideneprop-2-en-1-ones 1:

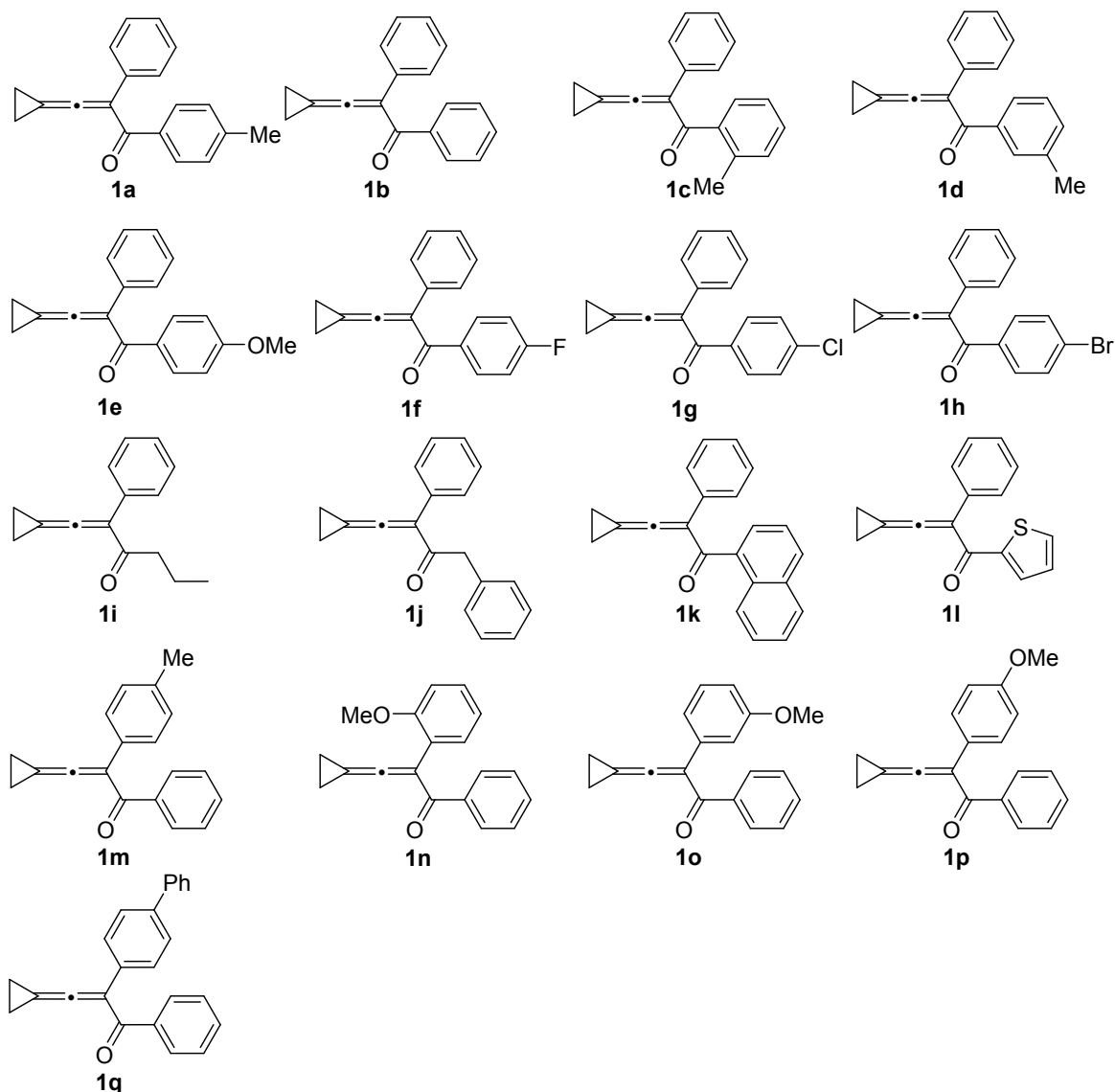
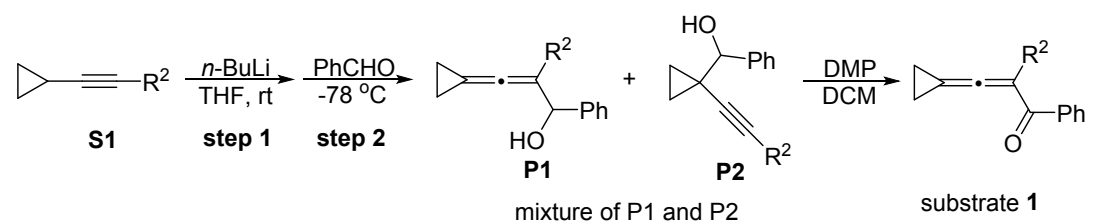


Table S1. Substrate Scope of **1**

According to the previously reported literature procedure [*Org. Lett.* **2012**, *14*, 2718-2721], the general procedure for synthesis of substrate **1** was shown in Scheme S1. Due to the instability or lability, it is impossible to prepare alkyl substituted substrate **1** (R^2 = alkyl group). We also have failed to synthesize the substrates **1**, in which R^2 were 2-pyridyl or 2-thienyl group. When R^2 was a 2-pyridyl group, product **S1** was more reactive upon treatment with *n*-BuLi and a complex mixture was obtained after **step 1** and **step 2**. Changing the reaction temperature of **step 1** and **step 2** did not give the desired substrate as well. When R^2 was a 2-thienyl group, the electron-rich aromatic ring inhibited the isomerization of alkynyl moiety, giving the undesired product **P2** in 94% yield.



R² = 2-pyridyl group

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| 1) step 1, rt; step 2, -78 °C | complex |
| 2) step 1, 0 °C; step 2, -78 °C | complex |
| 3) step 1, rt; step 2, -40 °C | complex |

R² = 2-thienyl group

P1 not detected, **P2** (94%)

Scheme S1

***N*-benzyl-4-benzylidenepyrrolidine-2,3-dione **2**:**

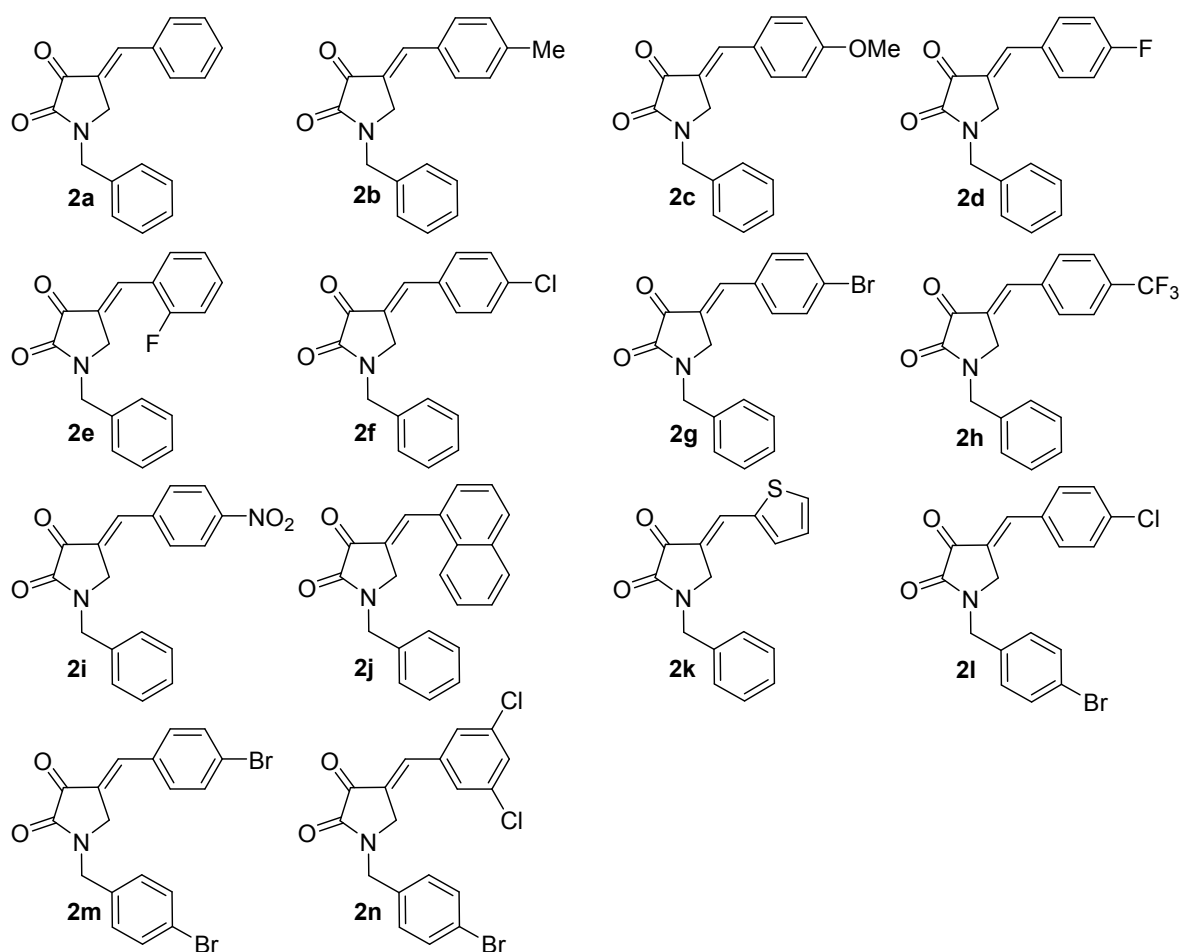
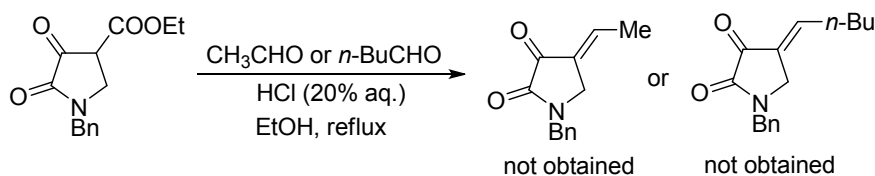


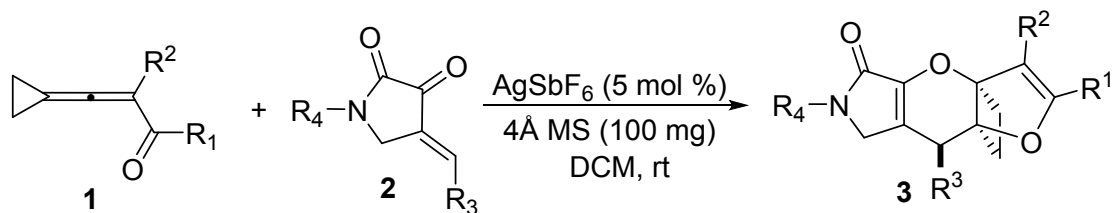
Table S2. Substrate Scope of **2**

According to the previously reported literature procedure [*J. Org. Chem.* **2018**, 83, 8464-8472], we have attempted to synthesize substrates **2**, in which R³ was a methyl or a *n*-butyl group, however, these desired substrates could not be obtained from these reactions (Scheme S2). The reason could be that substrates **2** with an aromatic ring were more stable than those of alkyl substituted ones due to a conjugated system of aromatic ring.

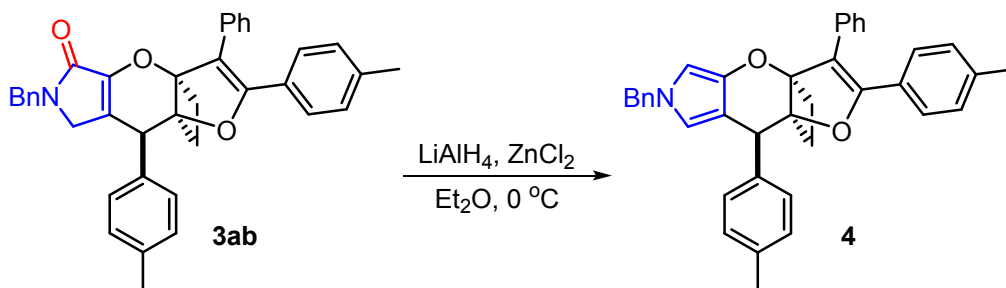


Scheme S2

(C) General Procedure for Preparation of Products 3 and 4



A dried 10 mL Schlenk tube was charged with anhydrous 4Å MS (100 mg), *N*-benzyl-4-benzylidenepyrrolidine-2,3-dione **2** (0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv) and AgSbF₆ (0.01 mmol, 5 mol %), then the tube was evacuated and backfilled with argon for 3 times. Then 3-cyclopropylideneprop-2-en-1-one **1** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and anhydrous DCM (2.0 mL) was added under argon protected atmosphere. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature and monitored by TLC analysis. After completion, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by a flash silica gel chromatography (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1, v/v) to afford product **3**.



To a solution of LiAlH₄ (380 mg, 10.0 mmol) in ethyl ether (70 mL) at room temperature was added ZnCl₂ (682 mg, 5.0 mmol) as a solid in three portions. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir for 2 hours at room temperature. Stirring was stopped and the precipitate was allowed to settle down. The clear supernatant (4.0 mL) was then added to a solution of compound **3ab** (110 mg, 0.2 mmol) in ethyl ether (1.0 mL) at 0 °C. After being stirred for 30 min, the mixture was quenched with 1.0 M HCl, extracted with ethyl acetate, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered, and evaporated. The residue was chromatographed through a silica gel column (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 10:1, v/v) to afford product **4** (53 mg, 50%).

(D) Mechanistic Investigation

The ^1H NMR spectroscopic tracing experiments

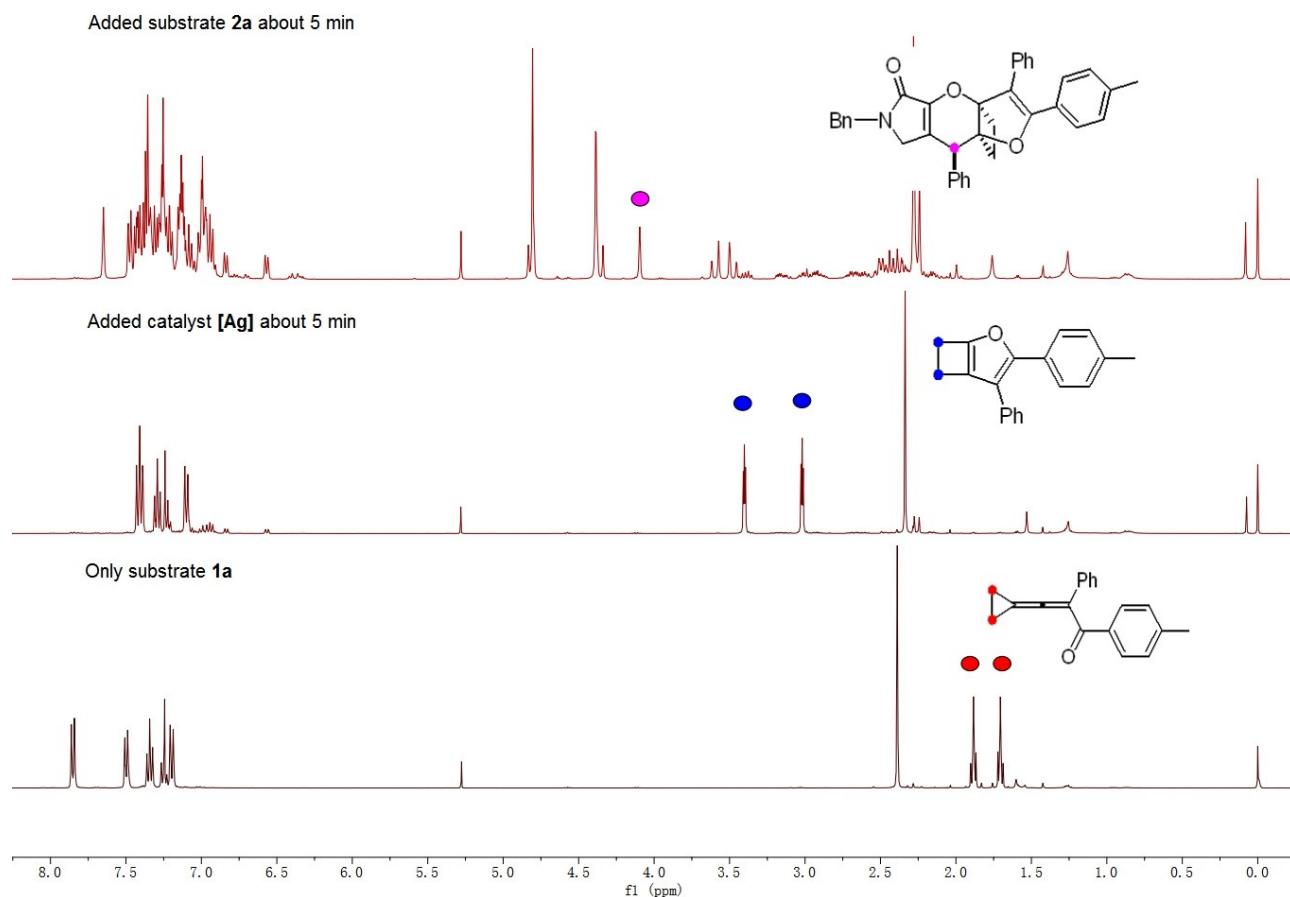
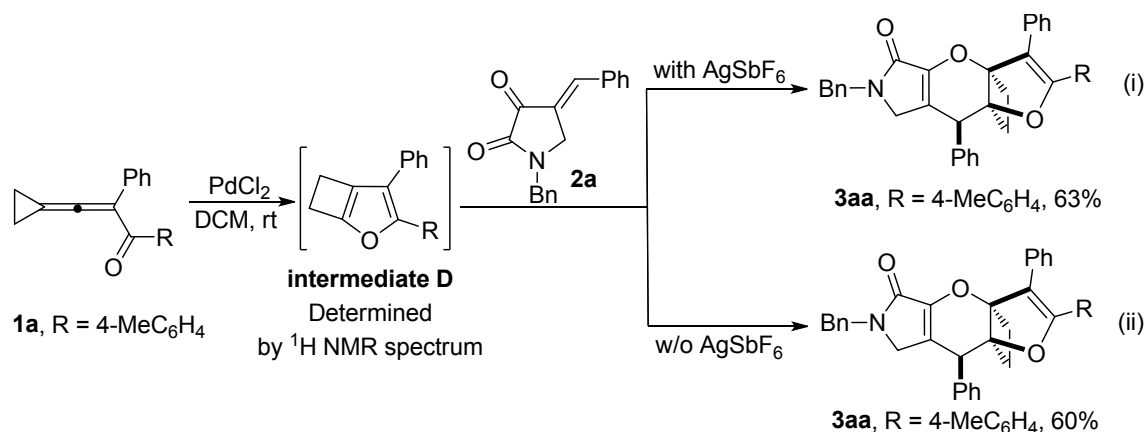


Figure S1. ^1H -NMR spectra of tracing experiments

Compound **1a** (30 mg, 0.11 mmol) was dissolved in CDCl_3 (1.0 mL) in a dried NMR tube. Then AgSbF_6 (2.0 mg, 5 mol %) was added; **1a** was fastly exhausted and transformed into **intermediate D**, which gave two sets of CH_2 signals in NMR spectra at δ 3.40 (t, $J = 4.2$ Hz, 2H) and δ 3.02 (t, $J = 4.2$ Hz, 2H) together with one methyl resonance signals in the high field region. Notably, the **intermediate D** was similar to the cyclobutane-fused furan, which was reported by Huang's group. This result indicates that the reaction was initiated with transformation of **1a** to **intermediate D**. When **2a** (46 mg, 0.17 mmol) was added, the **intermediate D** was rapidly consumed and converted into product **3aa** via an IEDDA reaction process.

The control experiments



Parallel reaction i:

Compound **1a** (52 mg, 0.20 mmol) and PdCl₂ (3.5 mg, 10 mol %) was dissolved in 2 mL of dry DCM in a dried vial under argon atmosphere. After being stirred for 10 min (monitored by TLC analysis) and the subsequent filtration and removal of the solvent in vacuo, the crude product of **intermediate D** was determined by ¹H NMR spectrum.

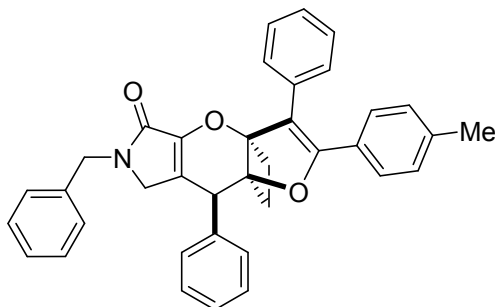
Under an atmosphere of argon, 1.5 equiv of **2a** and AgSbF₆ (5 mol %) was added to a solution of **intermediate D** in 2 mL of dry DCM at room temperature to afford **3aa** in 63% yield.

Parallel reaction ii:

Compound **1a** (52 mg, 0.20 mmol) and PdCl₂ (3.5 mg, 10 mol %) was dissolved in 2 mL of dry DCM in a dried vial under argon atmosphere. After being stirred for 10 min (monitored by TLC) and the subsequent filtration and removal of the solvent in vacuo, the crude product of **intermediate D** was determined by ¹H NMR spectrum.

Under an atmosphere of argon, 1.5 equiv of **2a** was added to a solution of **intermediate D** in 2 mL of dry DCM at room temperature to afford **3aa** in 60% yield without AgSbF₆.

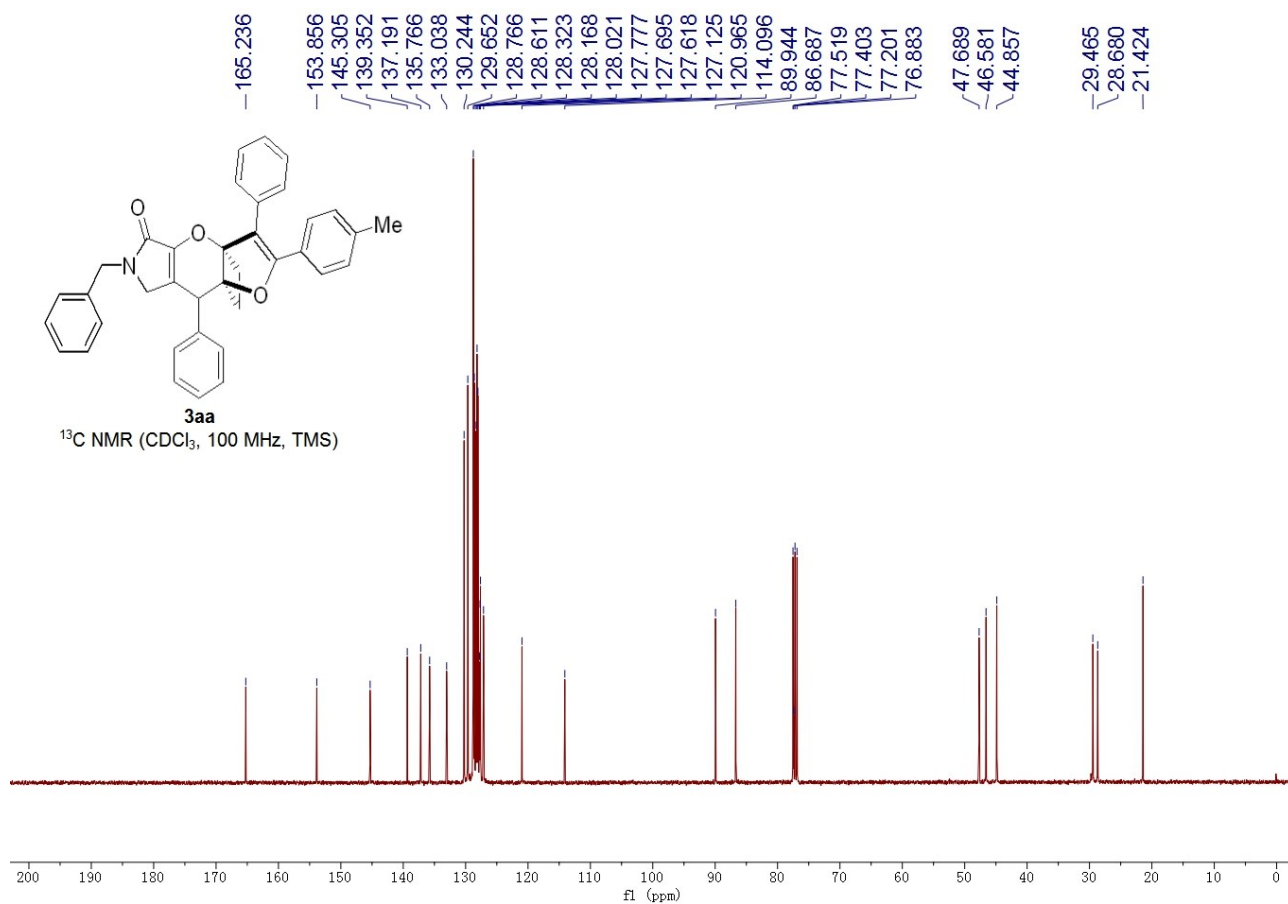
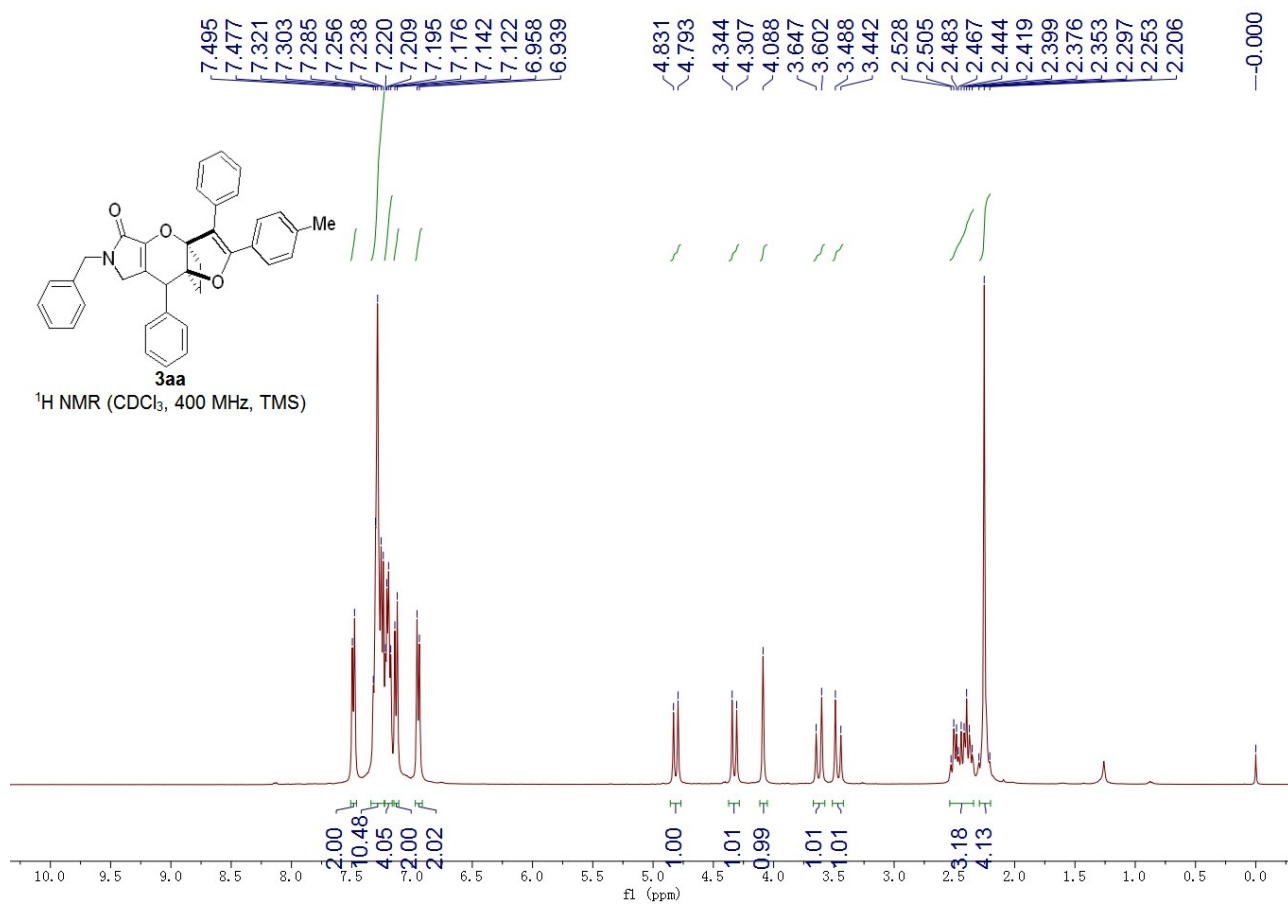
(E) Spectroscopic Data of Products 3 and 4

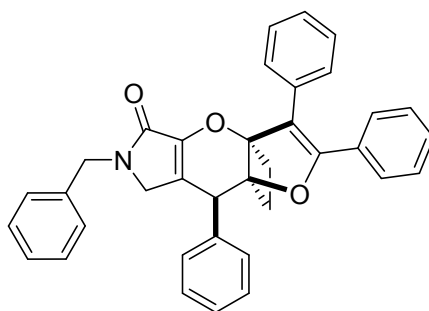


3aa

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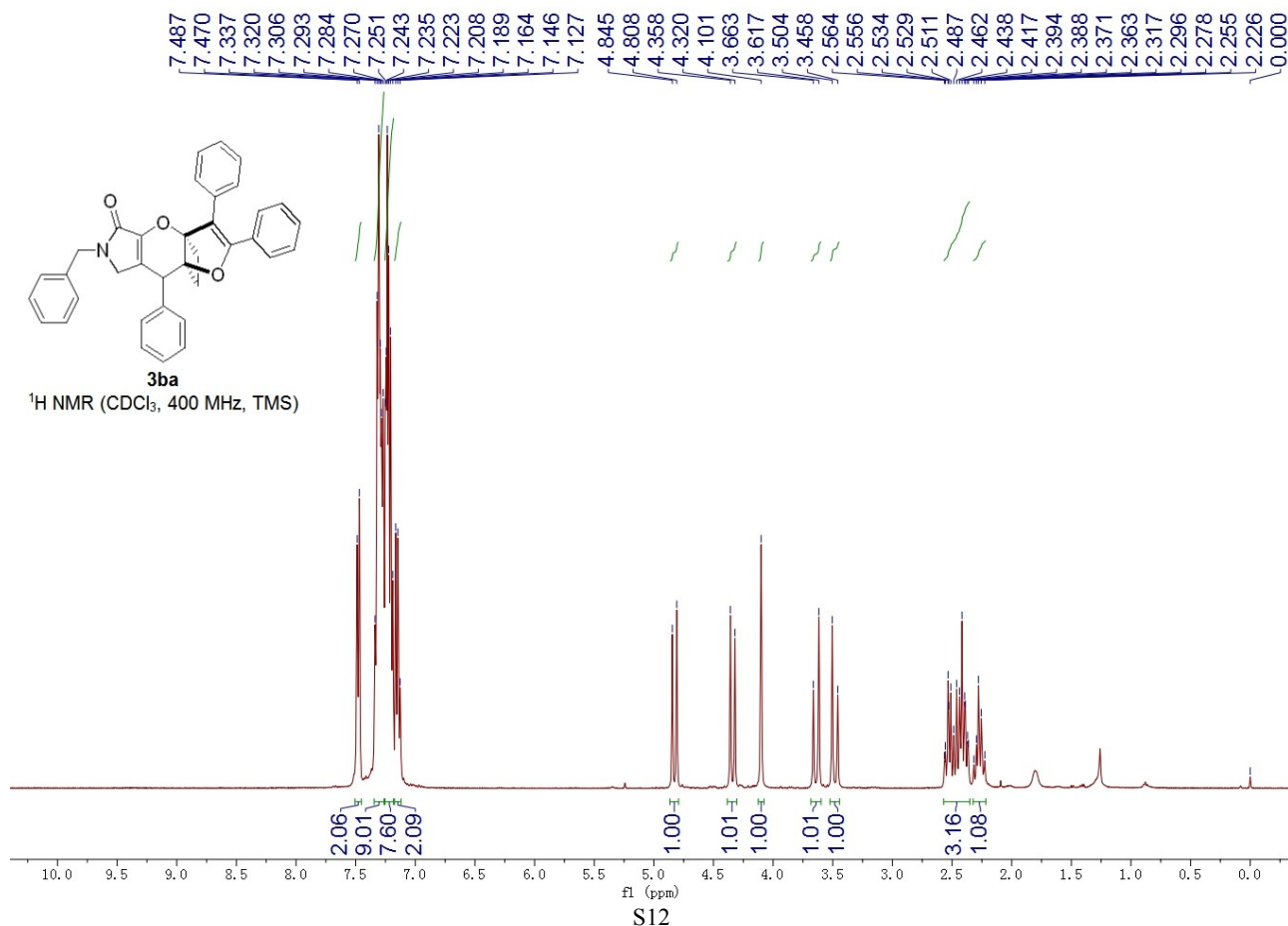
ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-c]pyrrol-5(8H)-one (3aa), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 111-113 °C, 96.8 mg, 90% yield. R_f = 0.35 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.49 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.24 (m, 9H), 7.22-7.20 (m, 4H), 7.13 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.81 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (s, 1H), 3.62 (d, J = 18.4 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (d, J = 18.4 Hz, 1H), 2.53-2.35 (m, 3H), 2.30-2.21 (m, 4H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.2, 153.9, 145.3, 139.4, 137.2, 135.8, 133.0, 130.2, 129.6, 128.8, 128.6, 128.3, 128.2, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 127.1, 121.0, 114.1, 89.9, 86.7, 47.7, 46.6, 44.9, 29.5, 28.7, 21.4. IR (neat) ν 2922, 1698, 1490, 1452, 1354, 1230, 1179, 1098, 1030, 1004, 825, 759, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_3$: 538.2377, found: 538.2378.

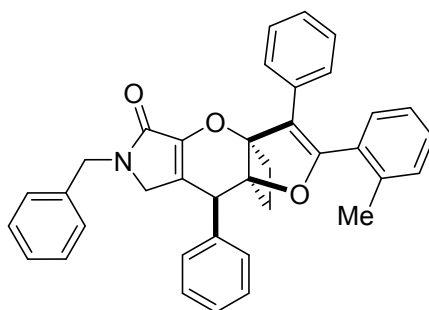
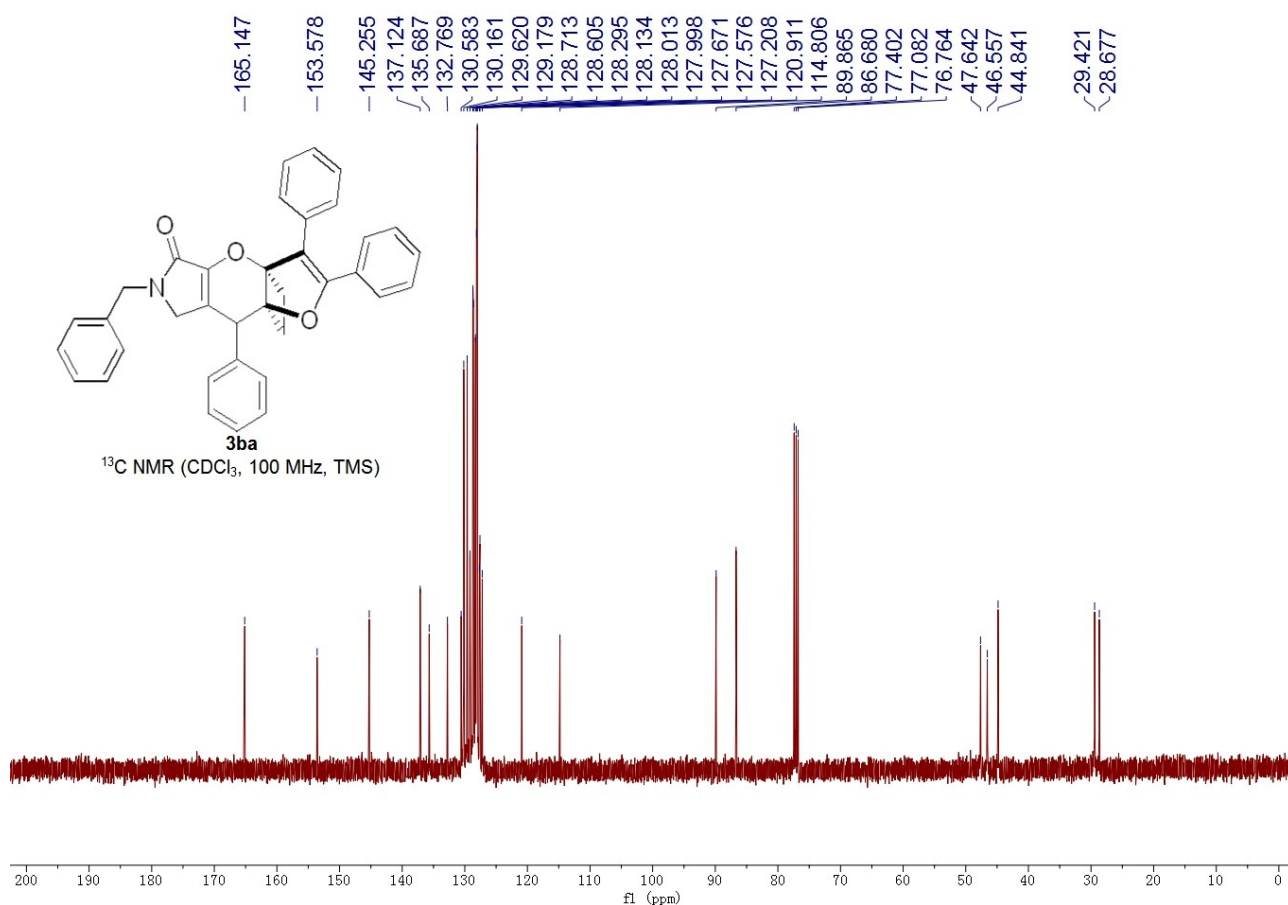




3ba

(3aS,8aS)-6-benzyl-2,3,8-triphenyl-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-c]pyrrol-5(8H)-one (3ba), the title compound was achieved as orange solid, MP = 90-91 °C, 96.3 mg, 92% yield. R_f = 0.35 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.48 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.34-7.27 (m, 9H), 7.25-7.19 (m, 7H), 7.16-7.13 (m, 2H), 4.83 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (s, 1H), 3.64 (d, J = 18.4 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (d, J = 18.4 Hz, 1H), 2.56-2.36 (m, 3H), 2.32-2.23 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.1, 153.6, 145.3, 137.1, 135.7, 132.8, 130.6, 130.2, 129.6, 129.2, 128.7, 128.6, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.7, 127.6, 127.2, 120.9, 114.8, 89.9, 86.7, 47.8, 46.6, 44.8, 29.4, 28.7. IR (neat) ν 1694, 1496, 1452, 1353, 1249, 1176, 1121, 1004, 909, 731, 696, 656 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_3$: 524.2220, found: 524.2221.

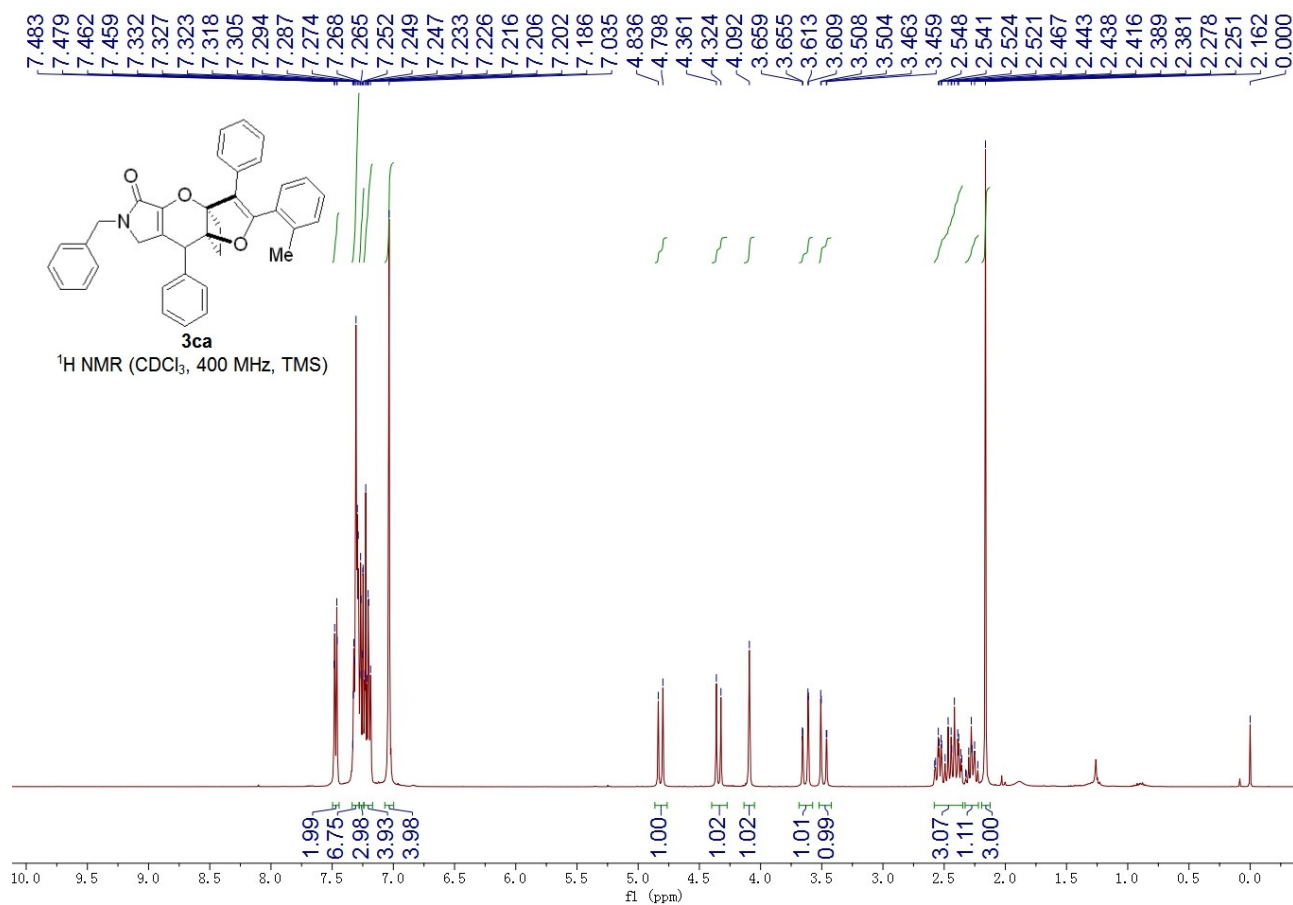


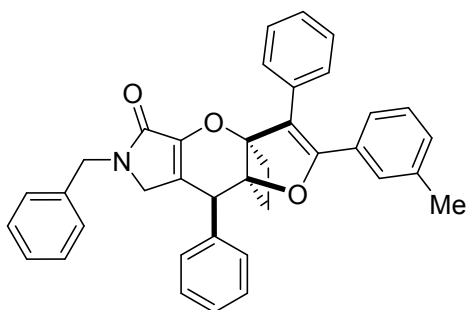
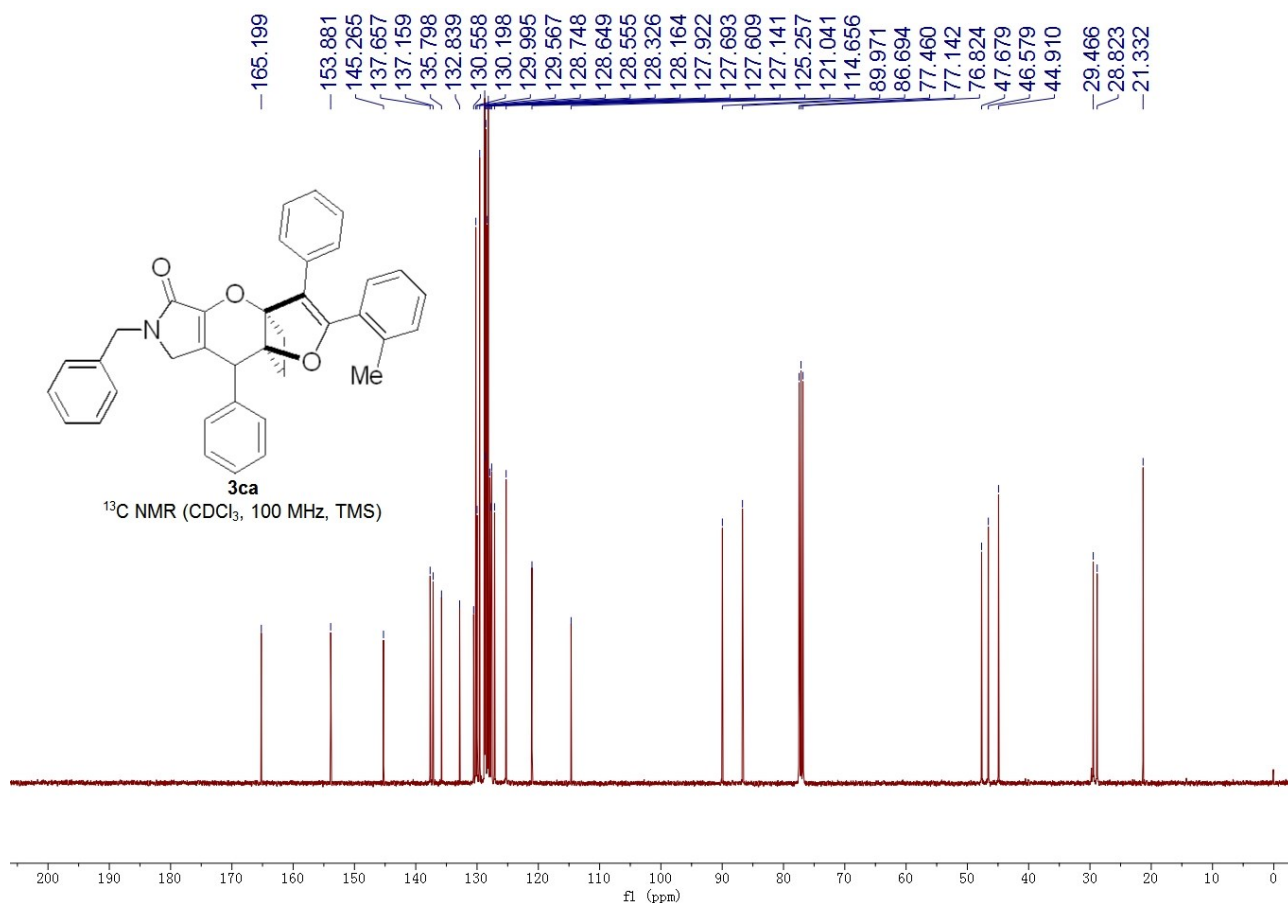


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44.9, 29.5, 28.8, 21.3. IR (neat) ν 2922, 1694, 1495, 1453, 1354, 1242, 1175, 1099, 1070, 1004, 756, 732, 699 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_3$: 538.2377, found: 538.2383.



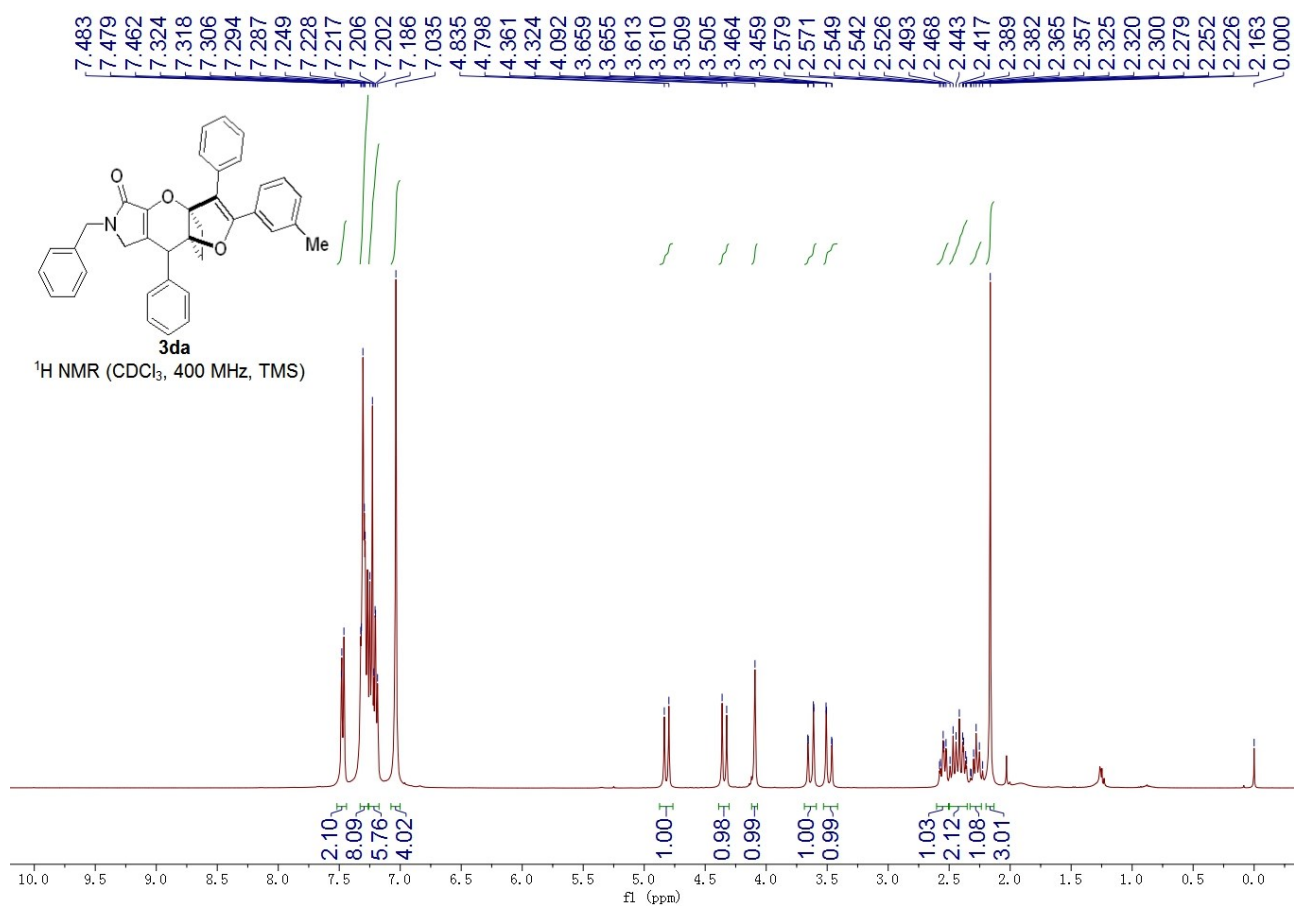


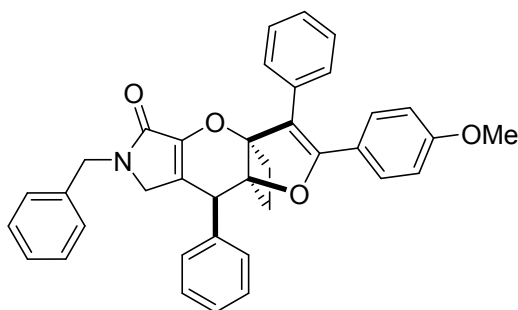
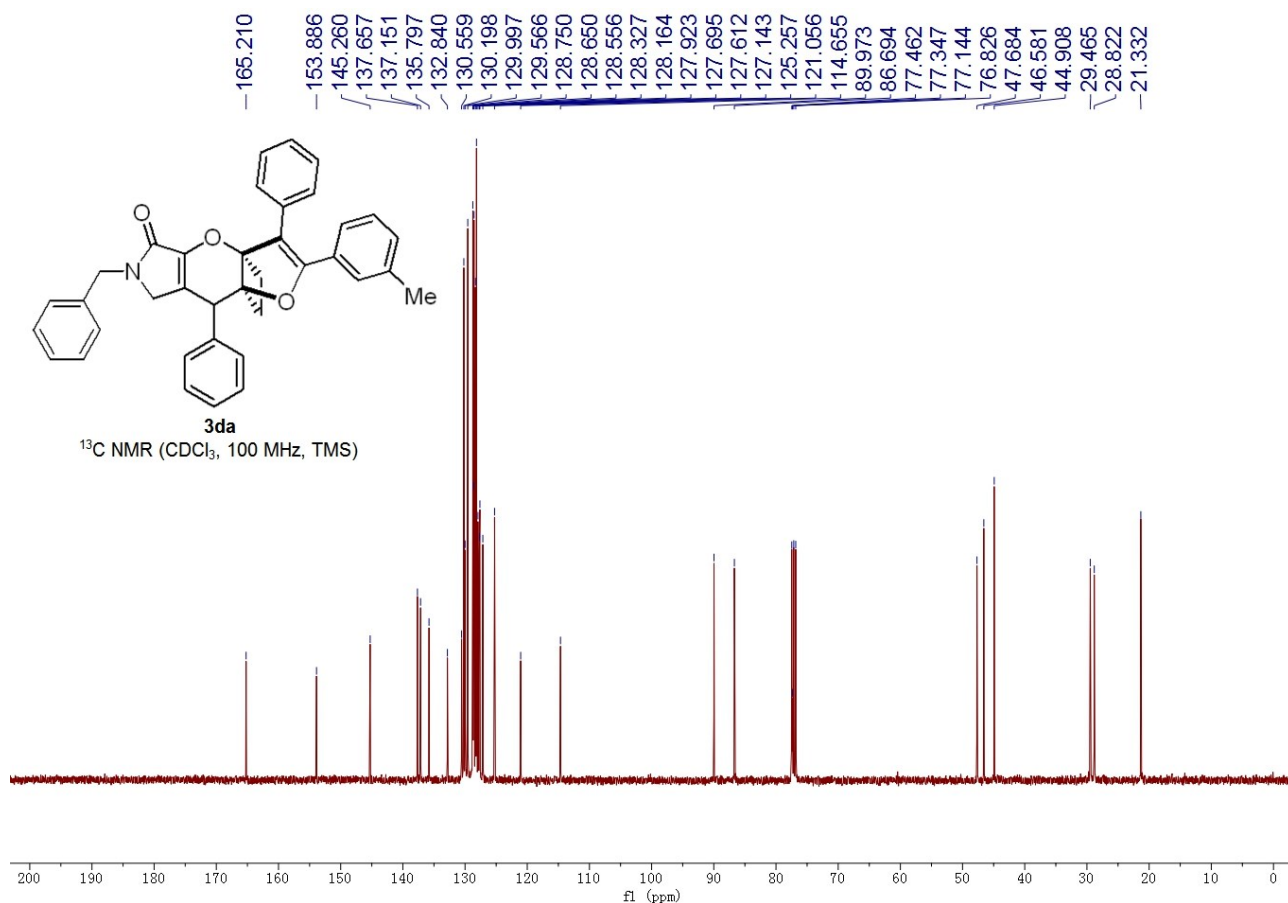
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114.7, 90.0, 86.7, 47.7, 46.6, 44.9, 29.5, 28.8, 21.3. IR (neat) ν 2922, 1694, 1510, 1453, 1286, 1245, 1173, 1098, 1030, 993, 834, 731, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_3$: 538.2377, found: 538.2361.

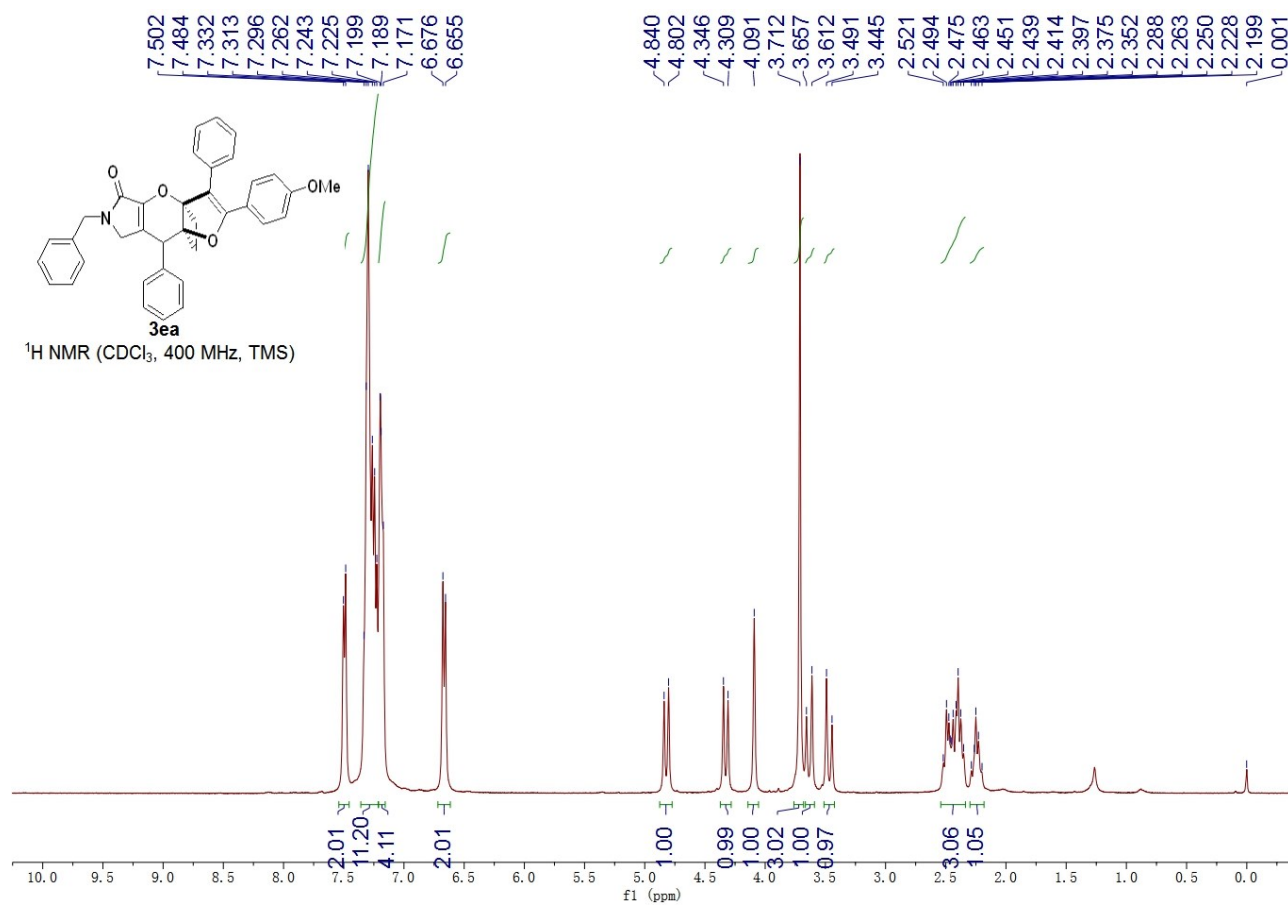


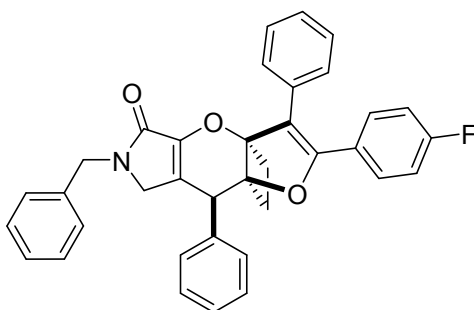
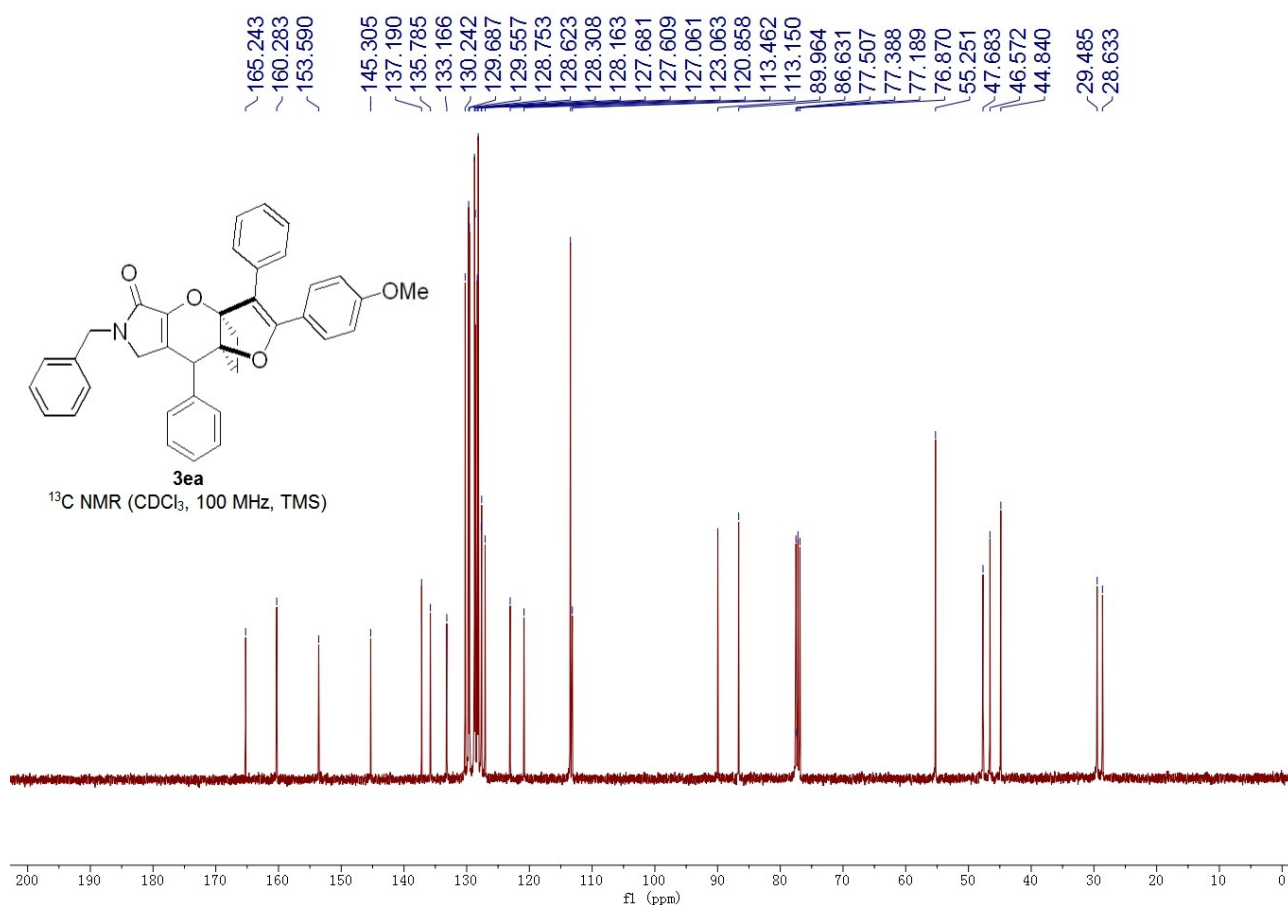


3ea

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47.7, 46.6, 44.8, 29.5, 28.6. IR (neat) ν 2920, 1694, 1495, 1453, 1375, 1243, 1174, 1099, 1070, 1004, 908, 766, 732, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_4$: 554.2326, found: 554.2310.

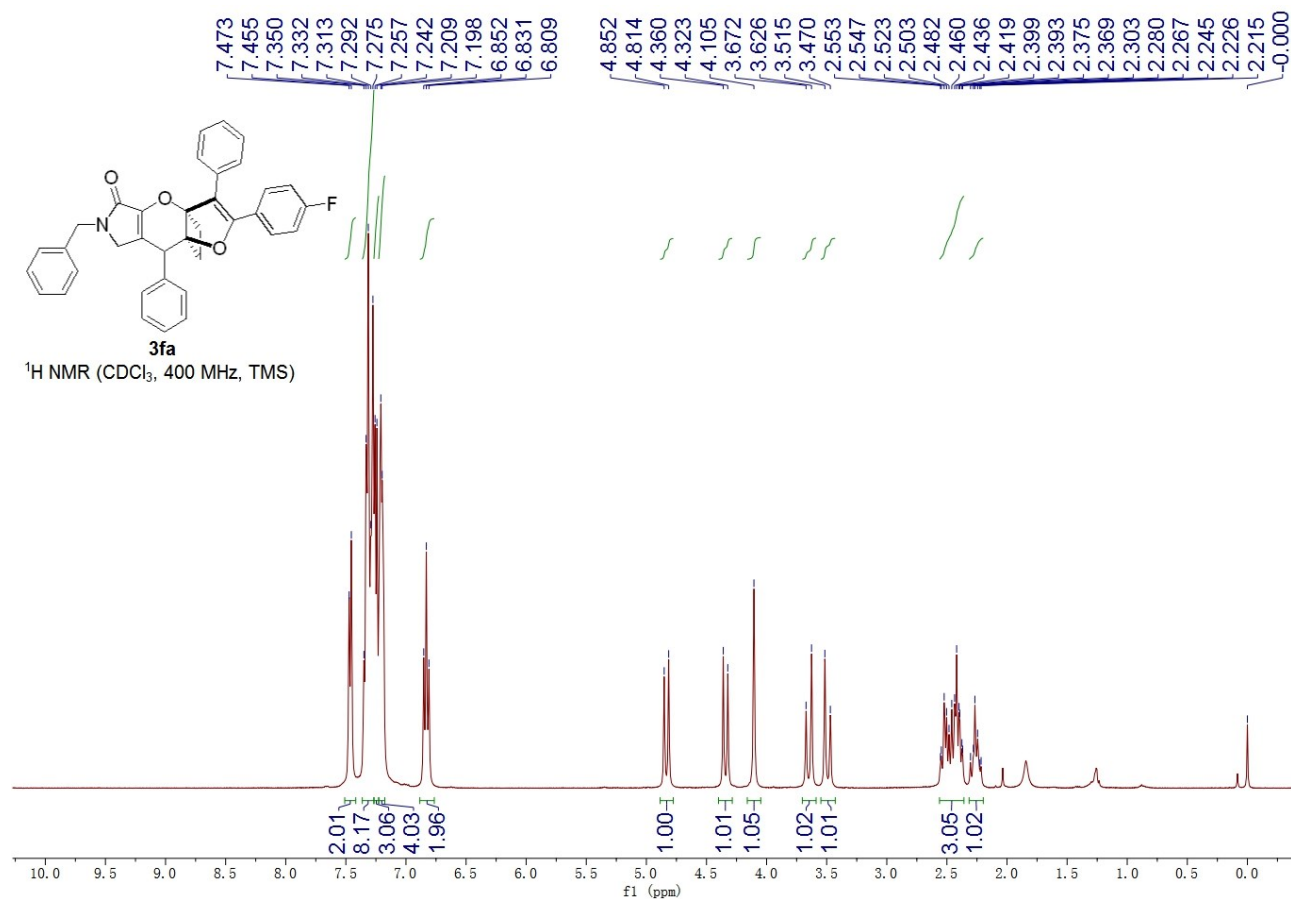


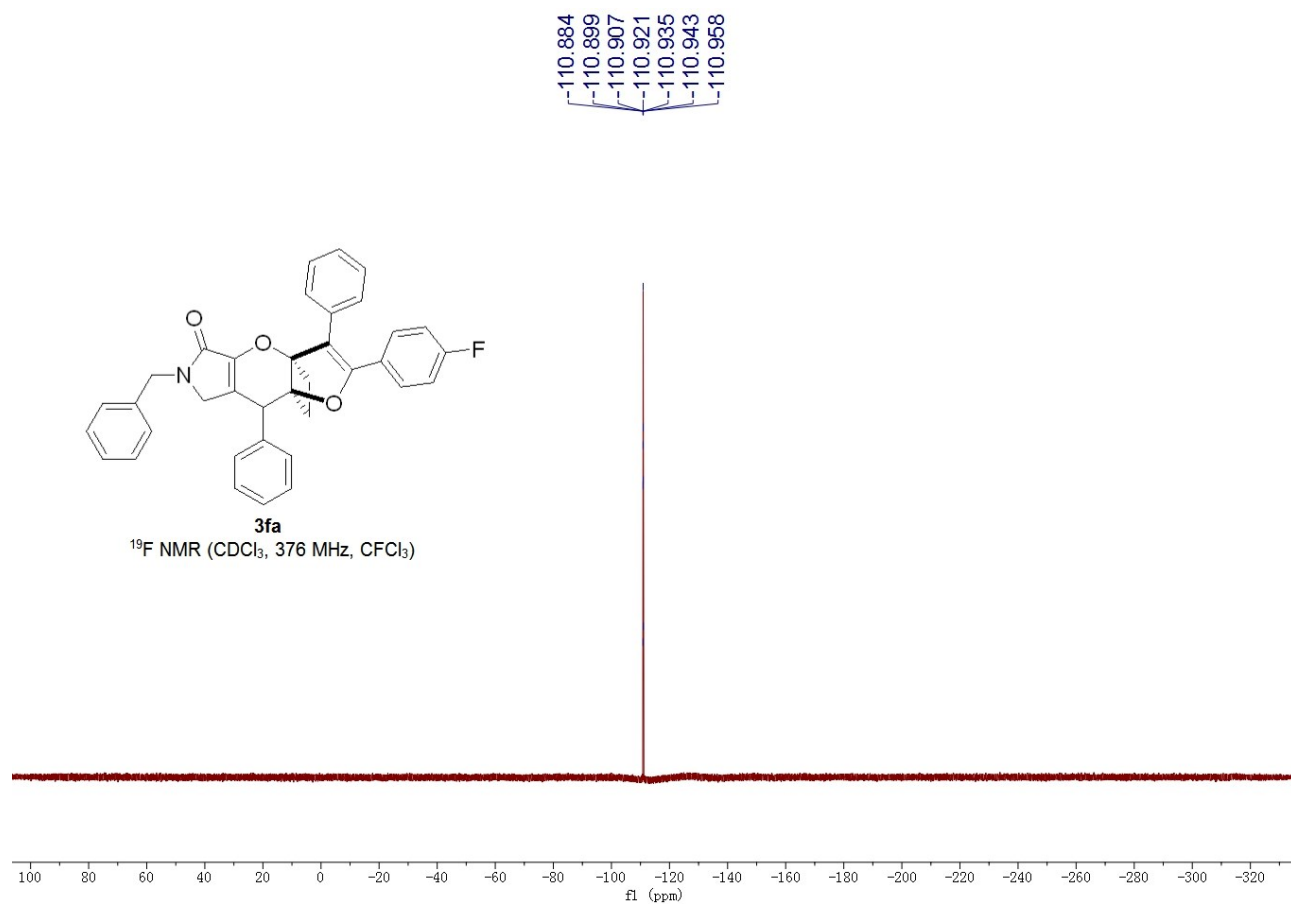
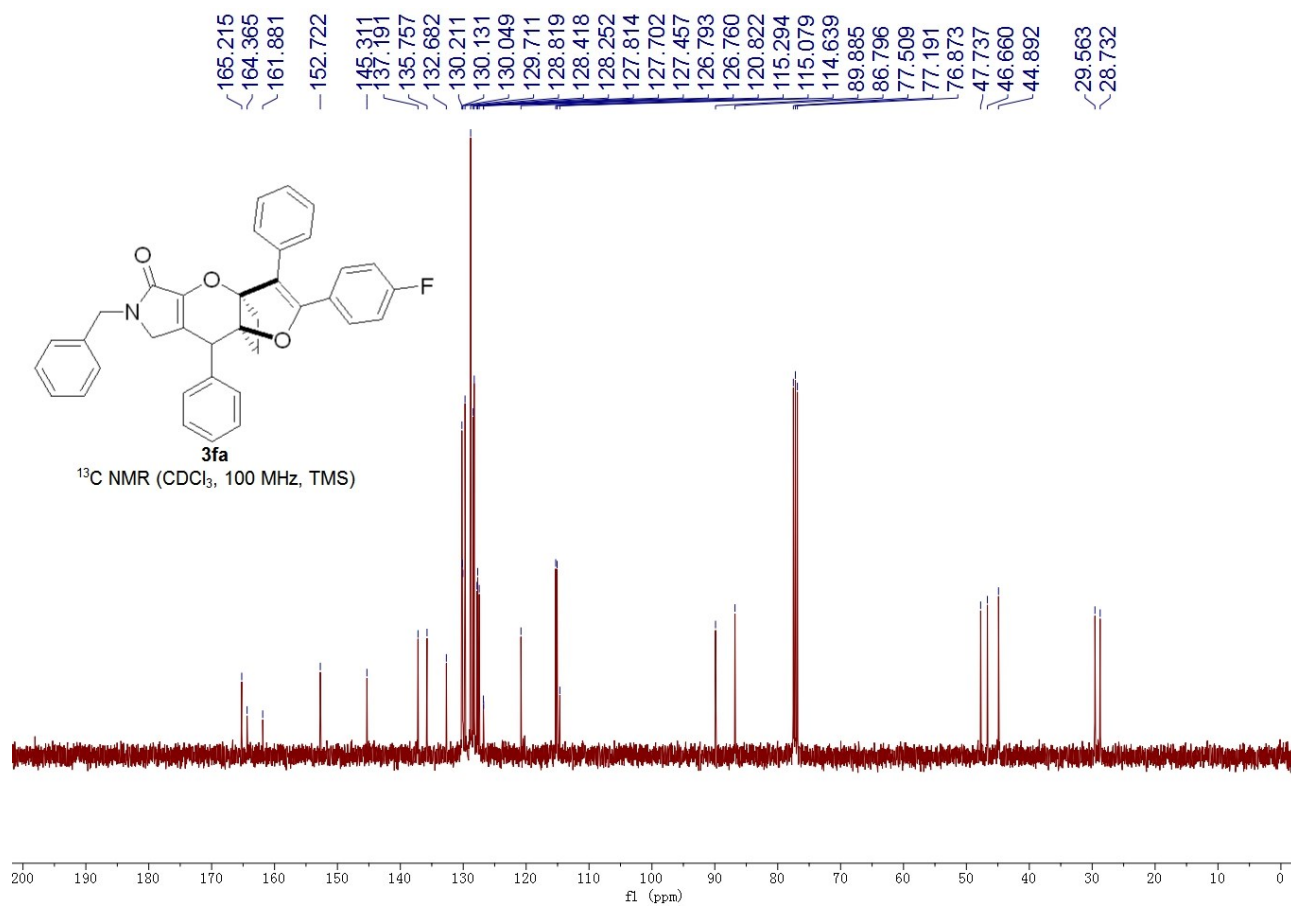


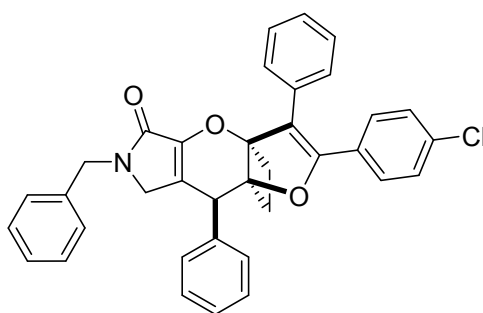
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= 3.3 Hz), 120.8, 115.2 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}} = 21.5$ Hz), 114.6, 89.9, 86.8, 47.7, 46.7, 44.9, 29.6, 28.7. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CFCl_3): δ 110.9 (m, 1F). IR (MeOH) ν 2972, 1691, 1495, 1453, 1354, 1248, 1173, 1091, 1046, 1005, 880, 839, 766, 733, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_3\text{F}$: 542.2126, found: 542.2118.

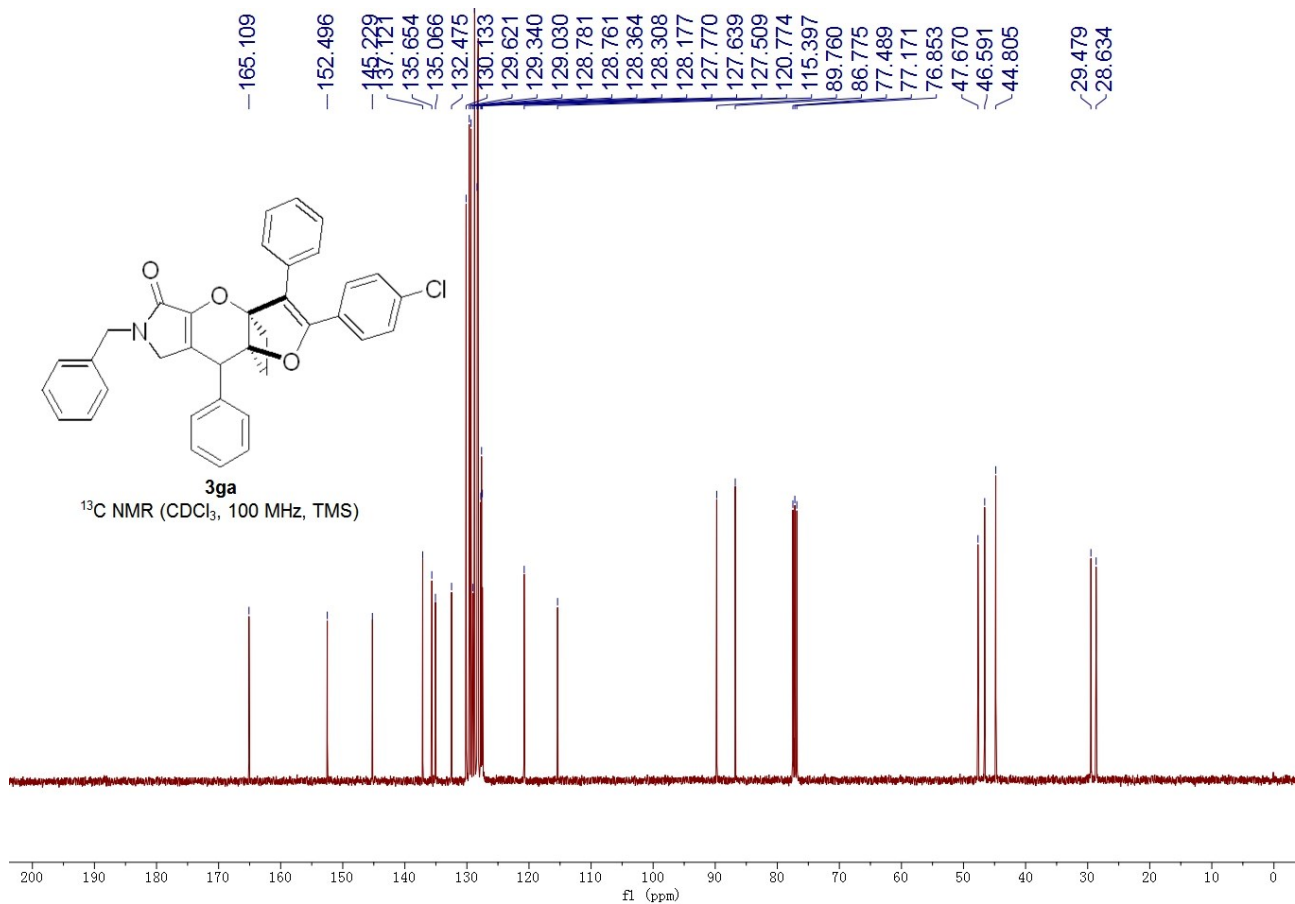
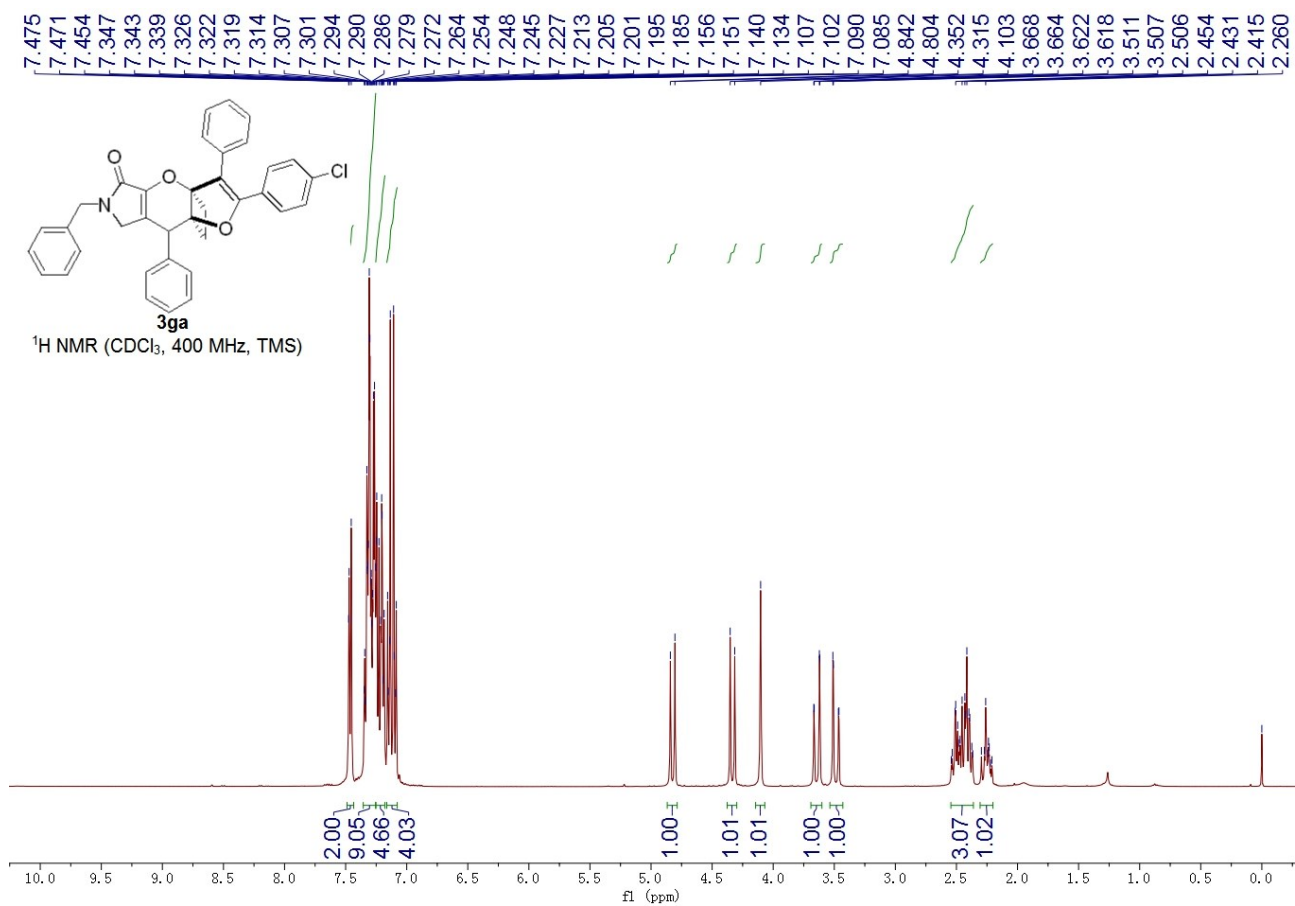


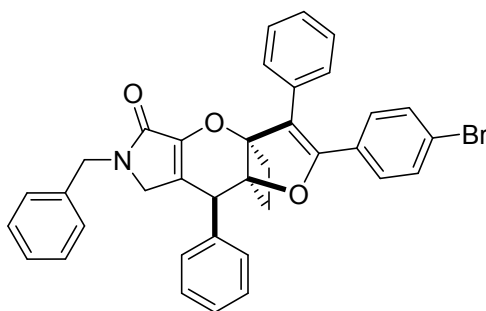




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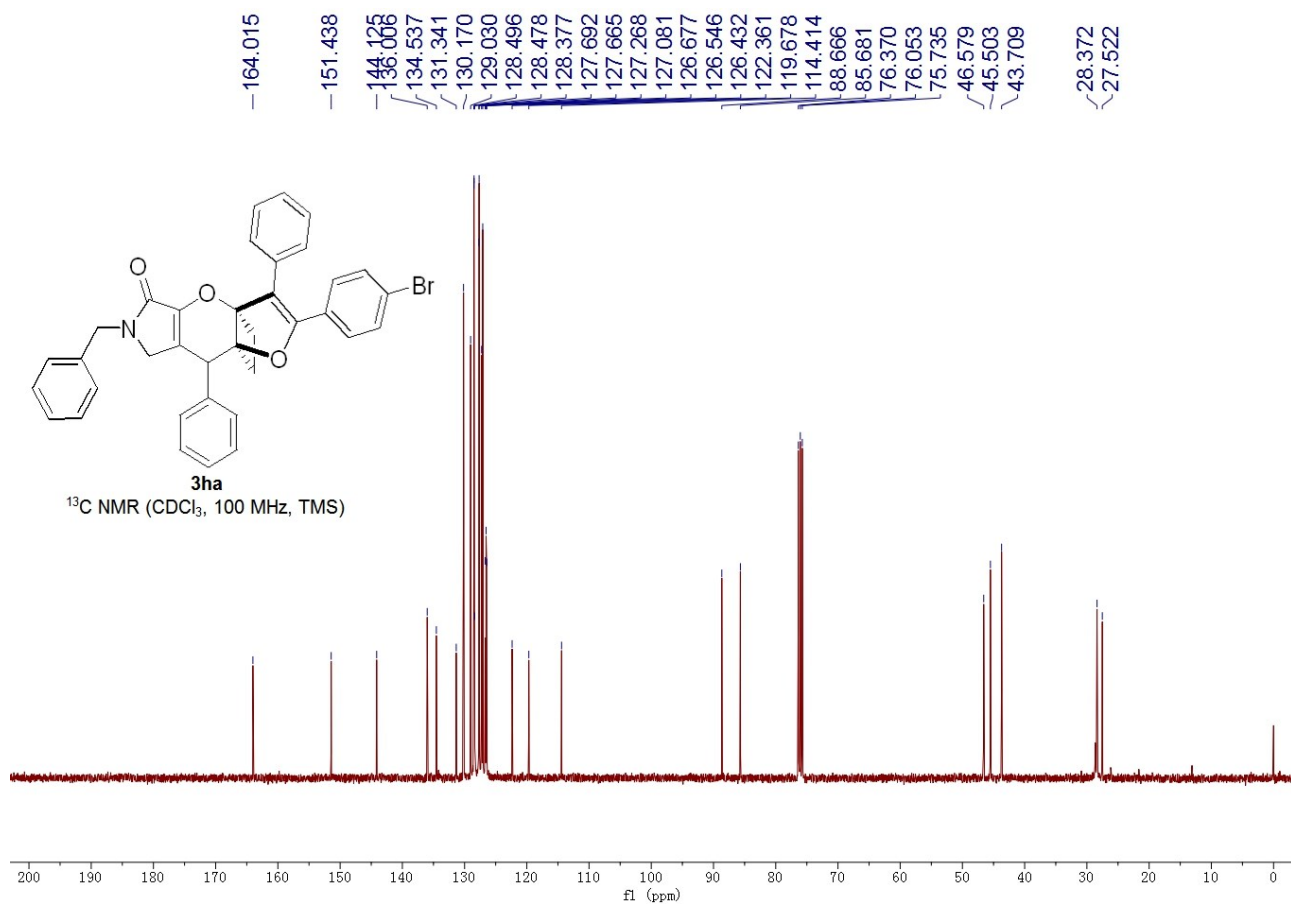
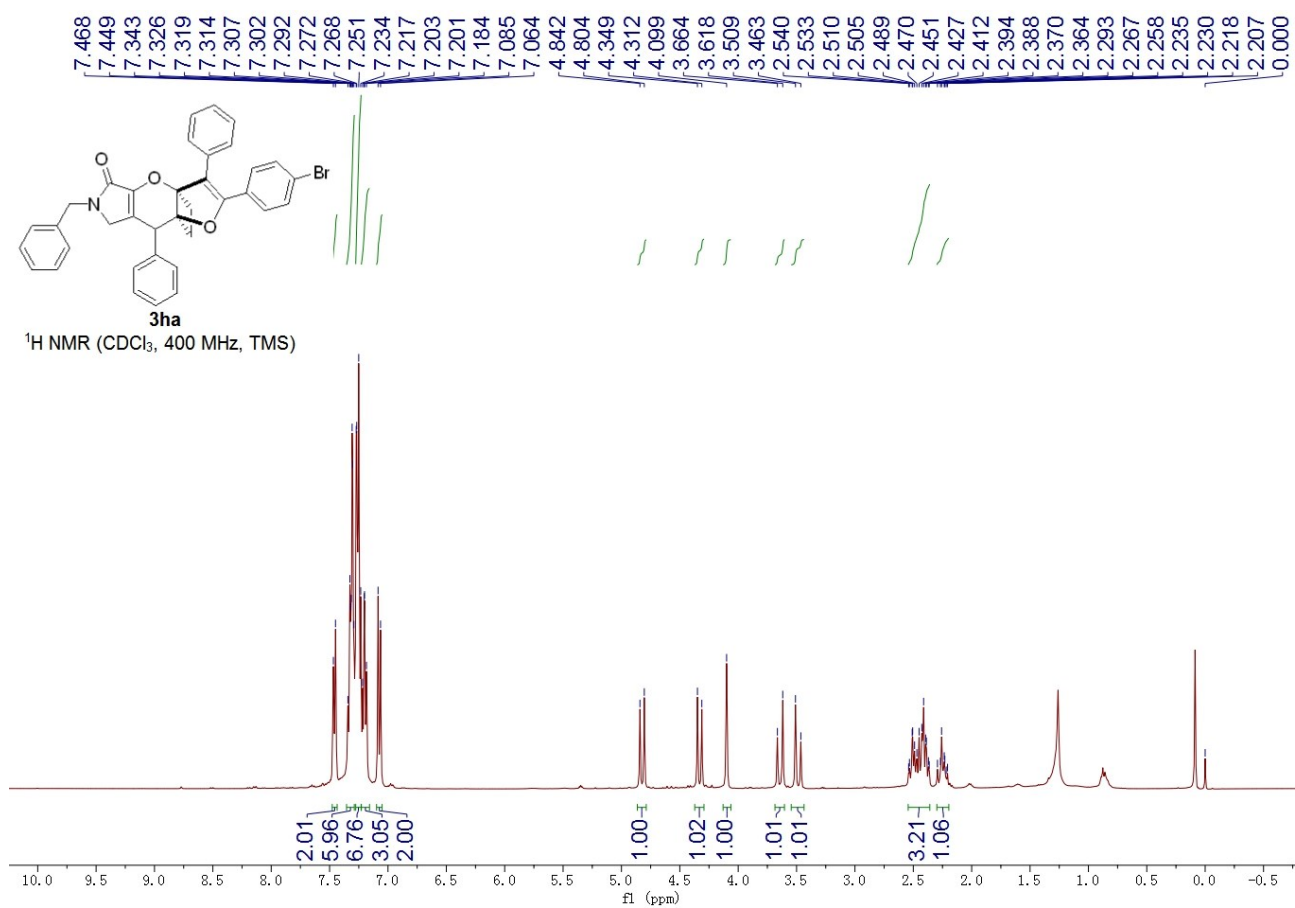
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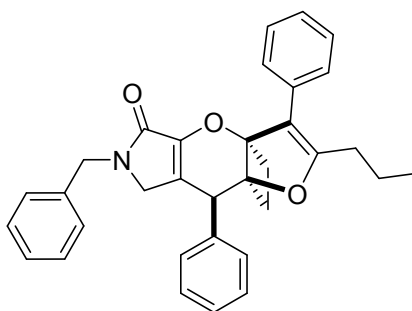




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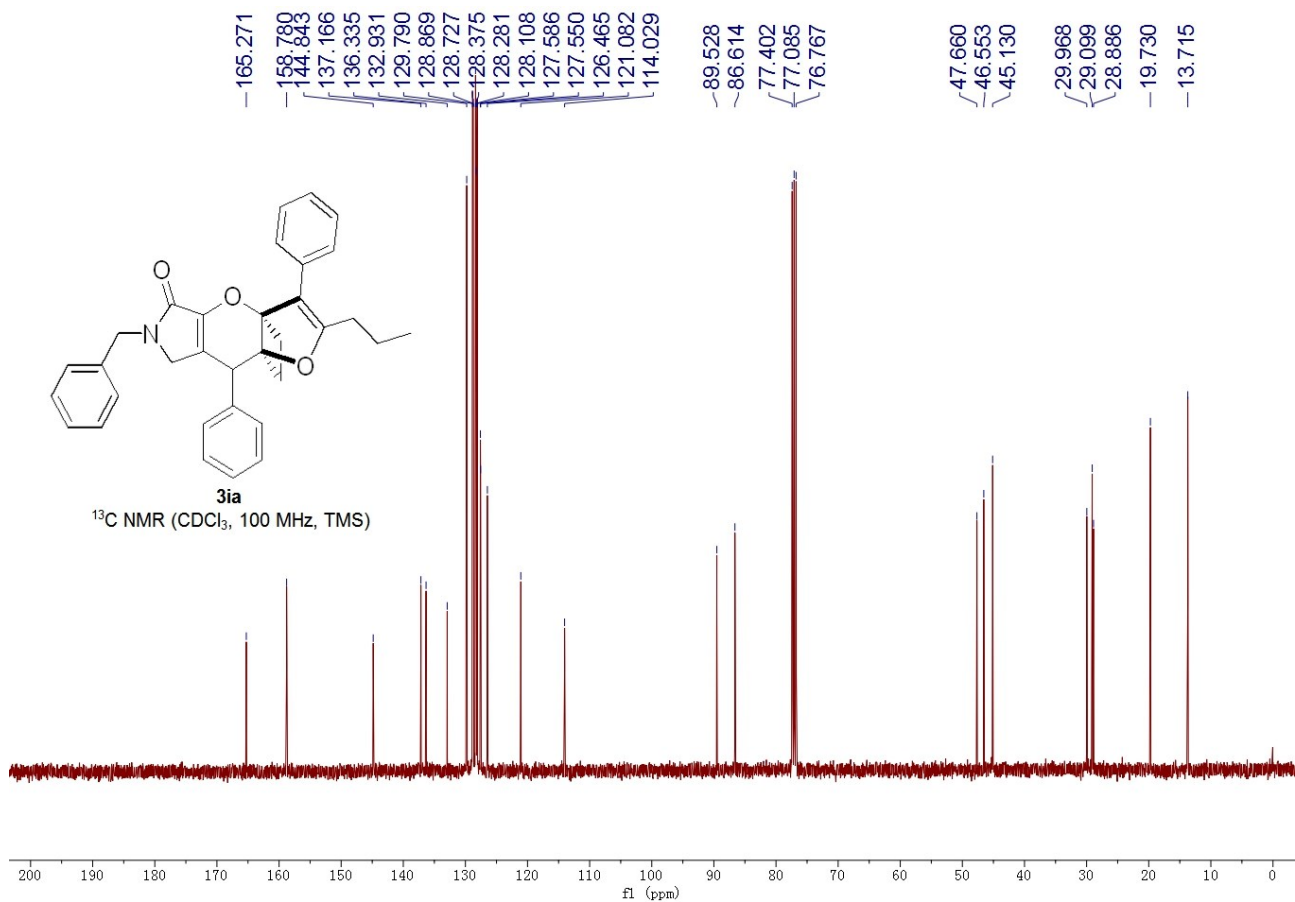
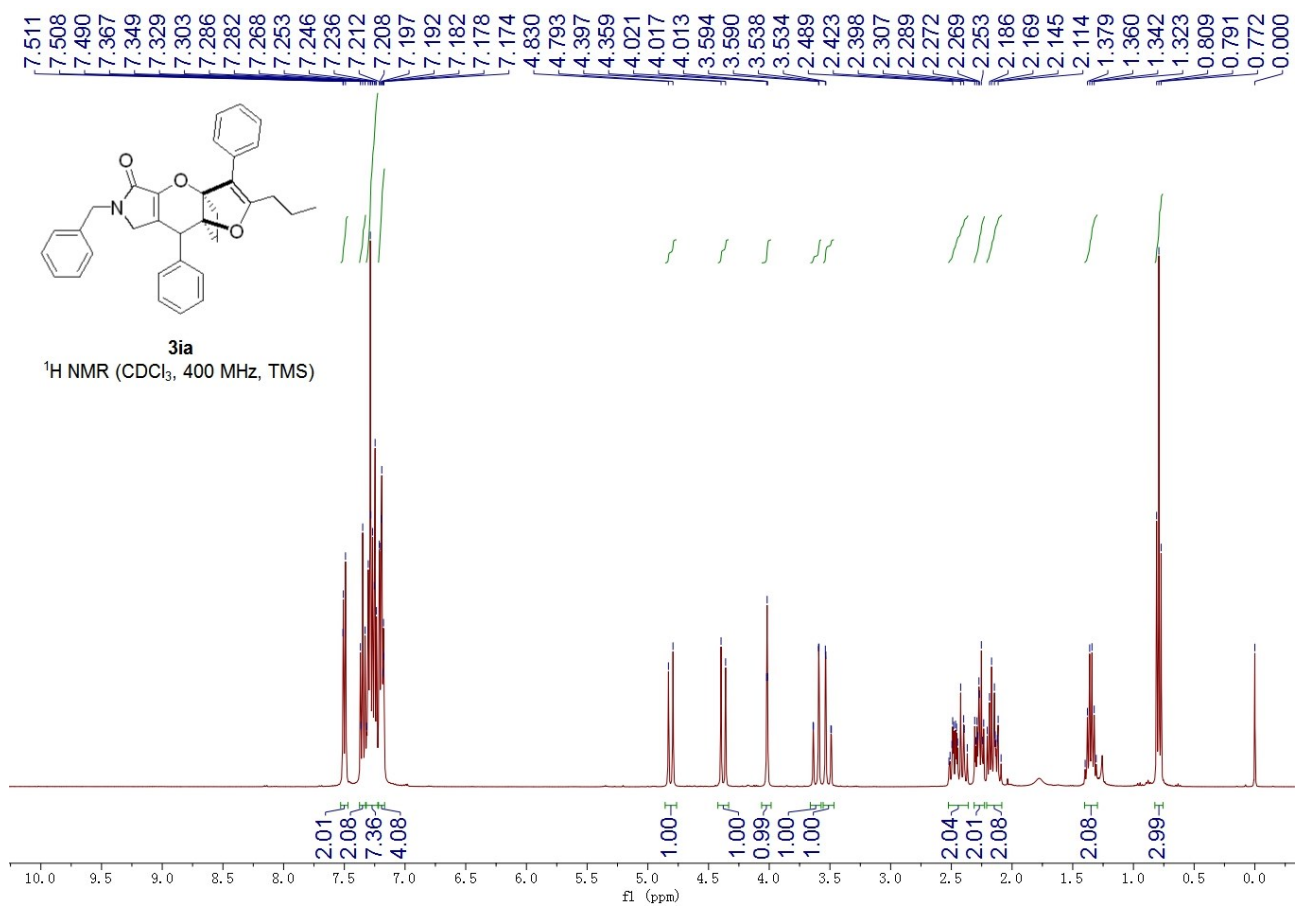
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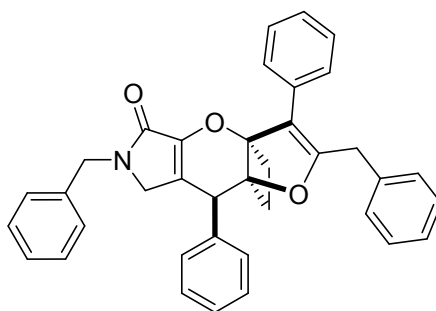




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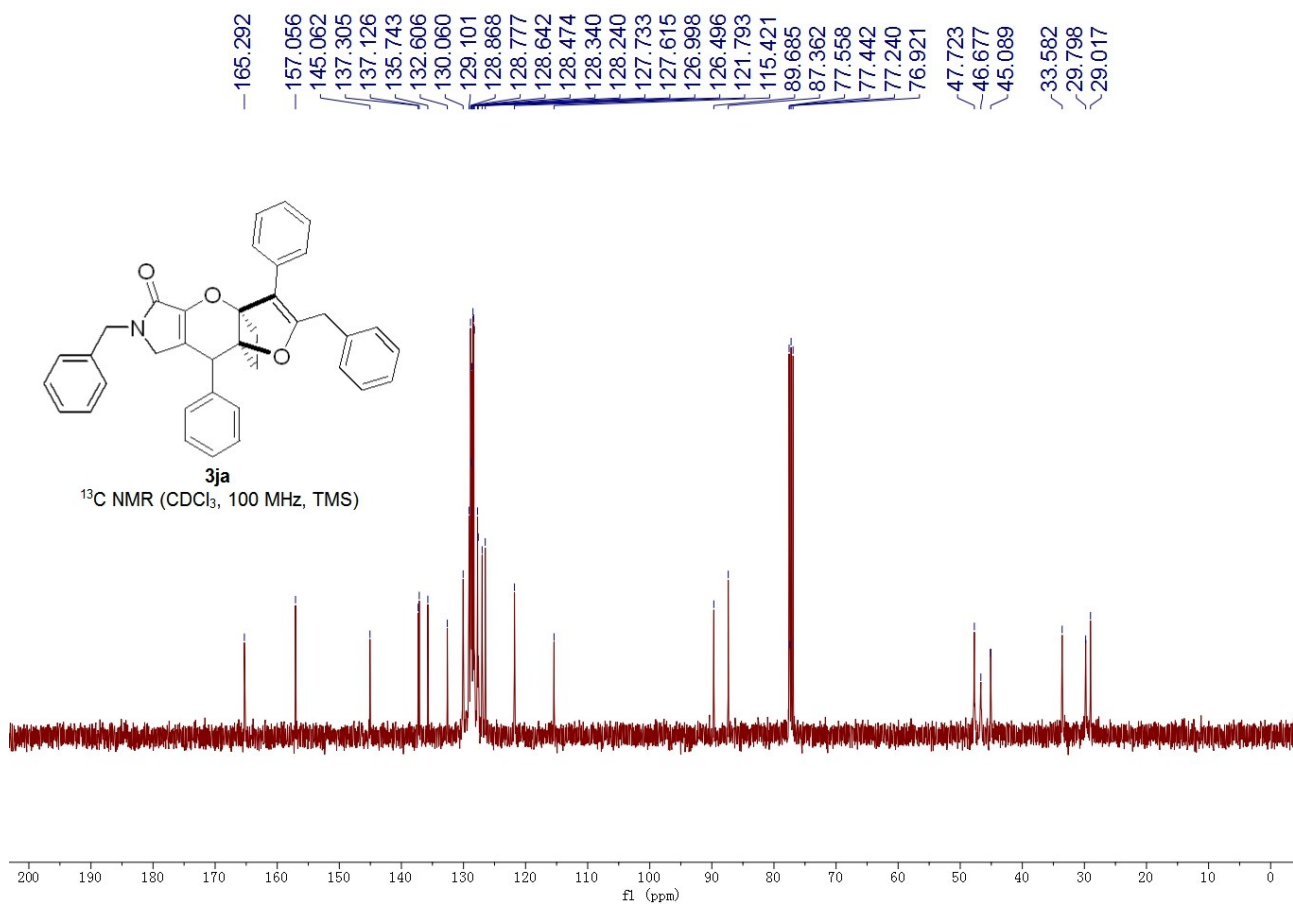
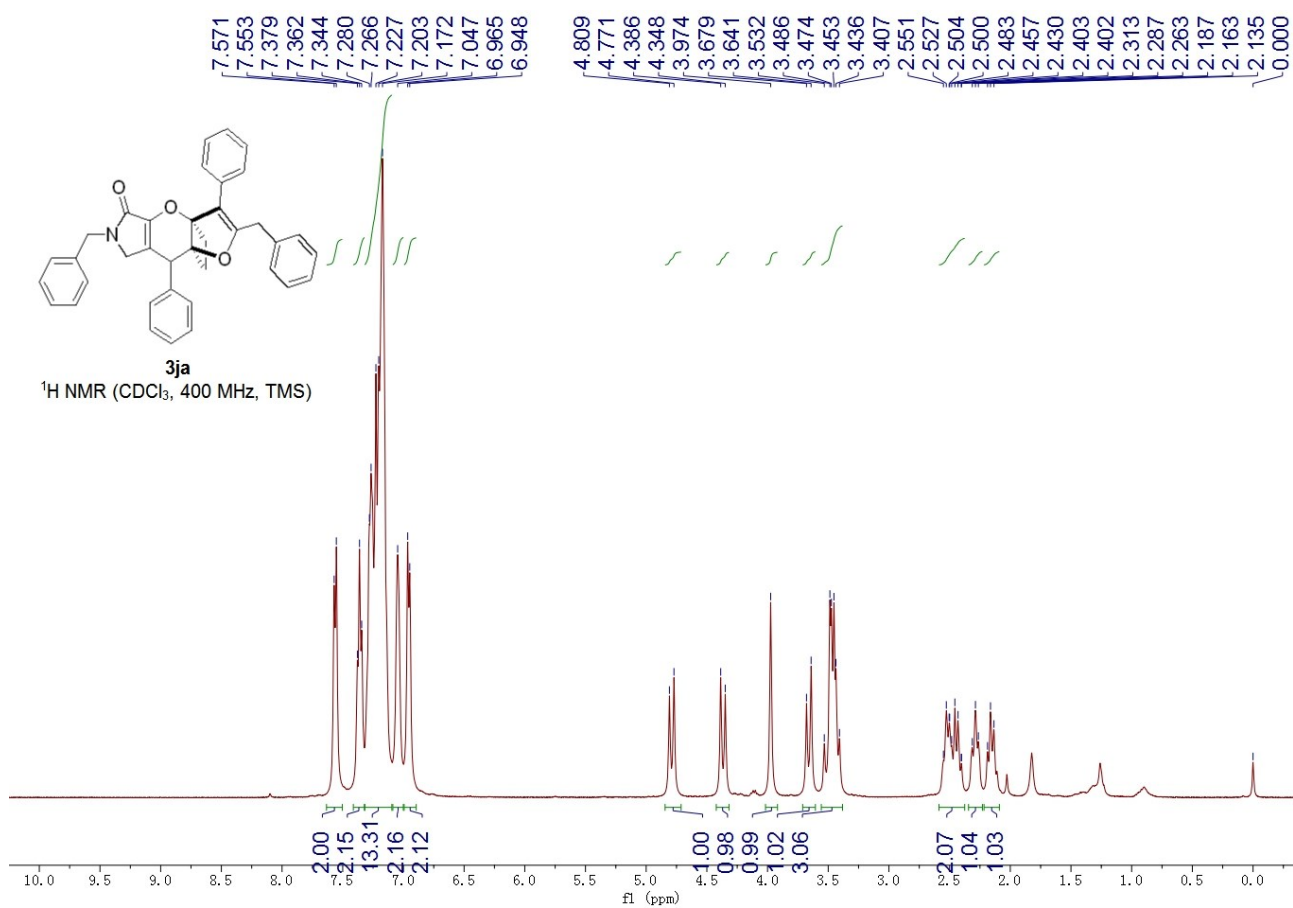
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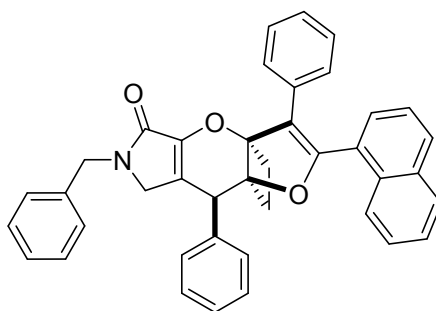




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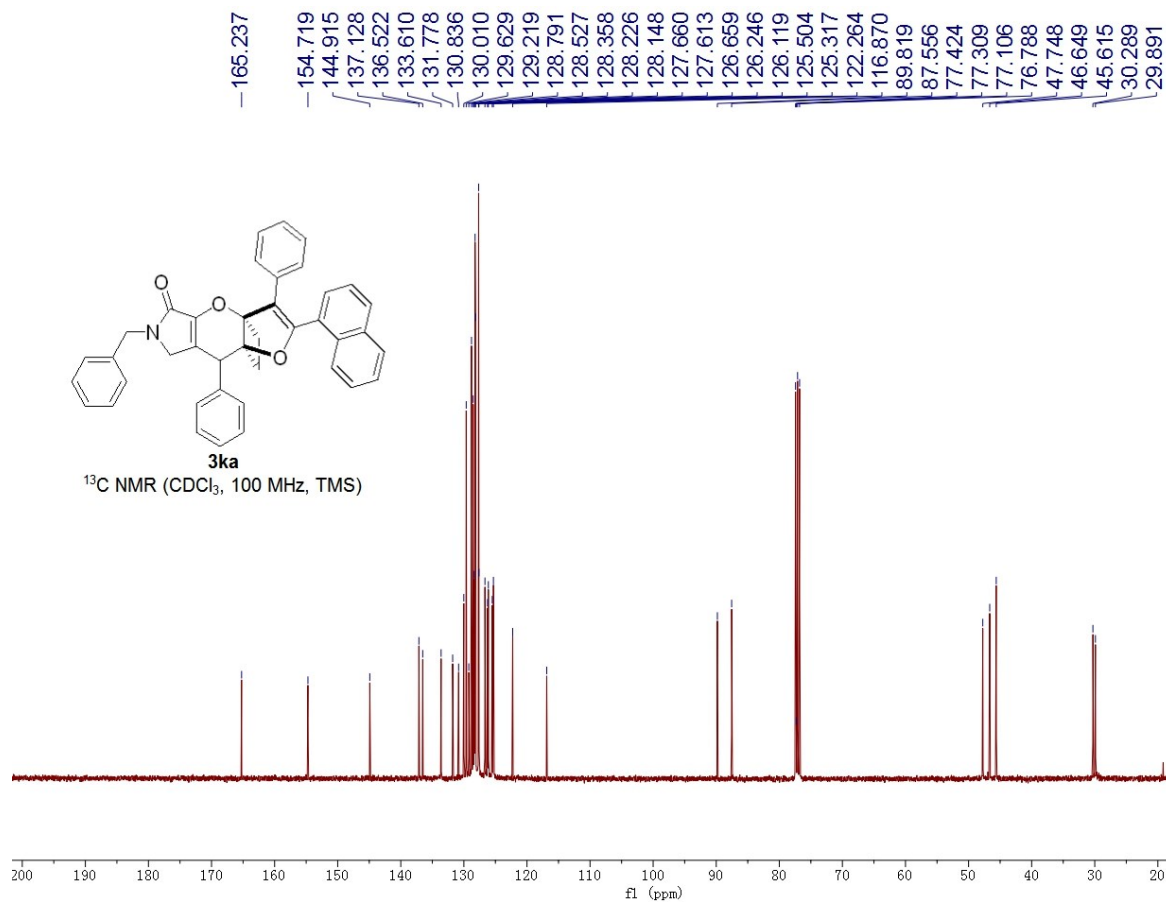
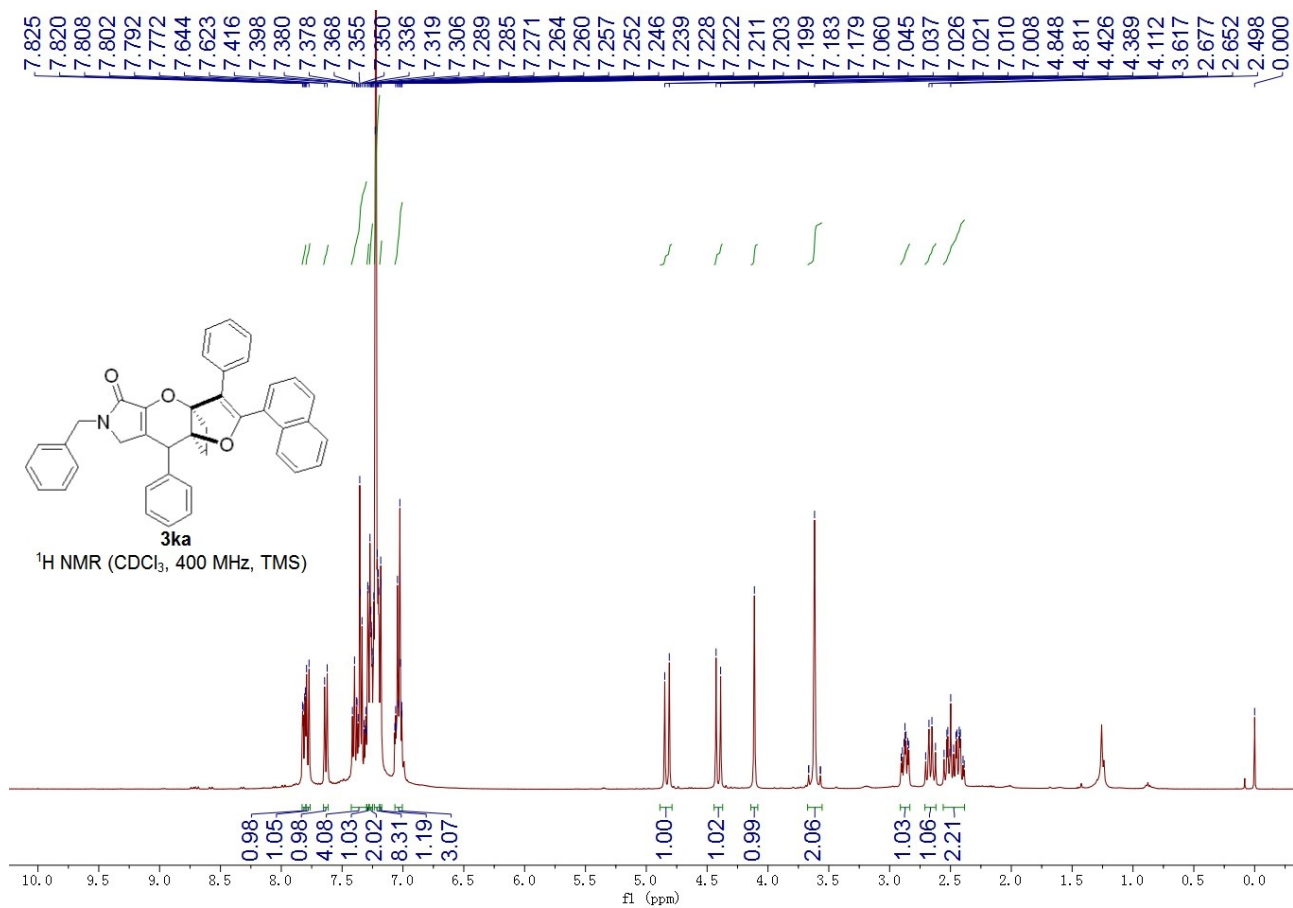
(3a*S*,8a*S*)-2,6-dibenzyl-3,8-diphenyl-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3ja), the title compound was achieved as yellow oil, 95.4 mg, 76% yield. *R_f* = 0.35 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.56 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.17 (m, 12H), 7.05 (s, 2H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.37 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.97 (s, 1H), 3.66 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.53-3.41 (m, 3H), 2.55-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.29 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.19-2.11 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.3, 157.1, 145.1, 137.3, 137.1, 135.7, 132.6, 130.1, 129.1, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 128.5, 128.3, 128.2, 127.7, 127.6, 127.0, 126.5, 121.8, 115.4, 89.7, 87.4, 47.7, 46.7, 45.1, 33.6, 29.8, 29.0. IR (neat) ν 2925, 1694, 1495, 1453, 1244, 1149, 1118, 1005, 908, 763, 729, 697 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₃₇H₃₂NO₃: 538.2377, found: 538.2376.

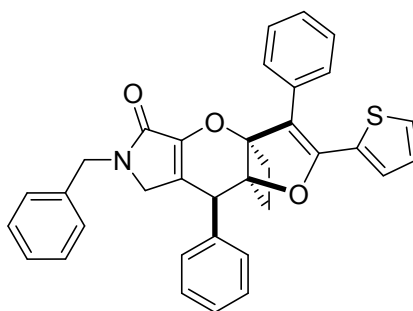




3ka

(3a*S*,8a*S*)-6-benzyl-2-(naphthalen-1-yl)-3,8-diphenyl-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3ka), the title compound was achieved as brown solid, MP = 133-135 °C, 126.2 mg, 87% yield. *R*_f = 0.32 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.81 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.25 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.20 (m, 8H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.07-7.01 (m, 3H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.41 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.11 (s, 1H), 3.67-3.57 (m, 2H), 2.87 (ddd, *J* = 16.0, 9.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (q, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 2.55-2.39 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.2, 154.7, 144.9, 137.1, 136.5, 133.6, 131.8, 130.8, 130.0, 129.6, 129.2, 128.8, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.1, 127.7, 127.6, 126.7, 126.2, 126.1, 125.5, 125.3, 122.2, 116.9, 89.8, 87.6, 47.7, 46.6, 45.6, 30.3, 29.9. IR (MeOH) ν 2972, 2926, 1688, 1453, 1383, 1245, 1172, 1088, 1047, 880, 804, 777, 701 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₄₀H₃₂NO₃: 574.2377, found: 574.2373.

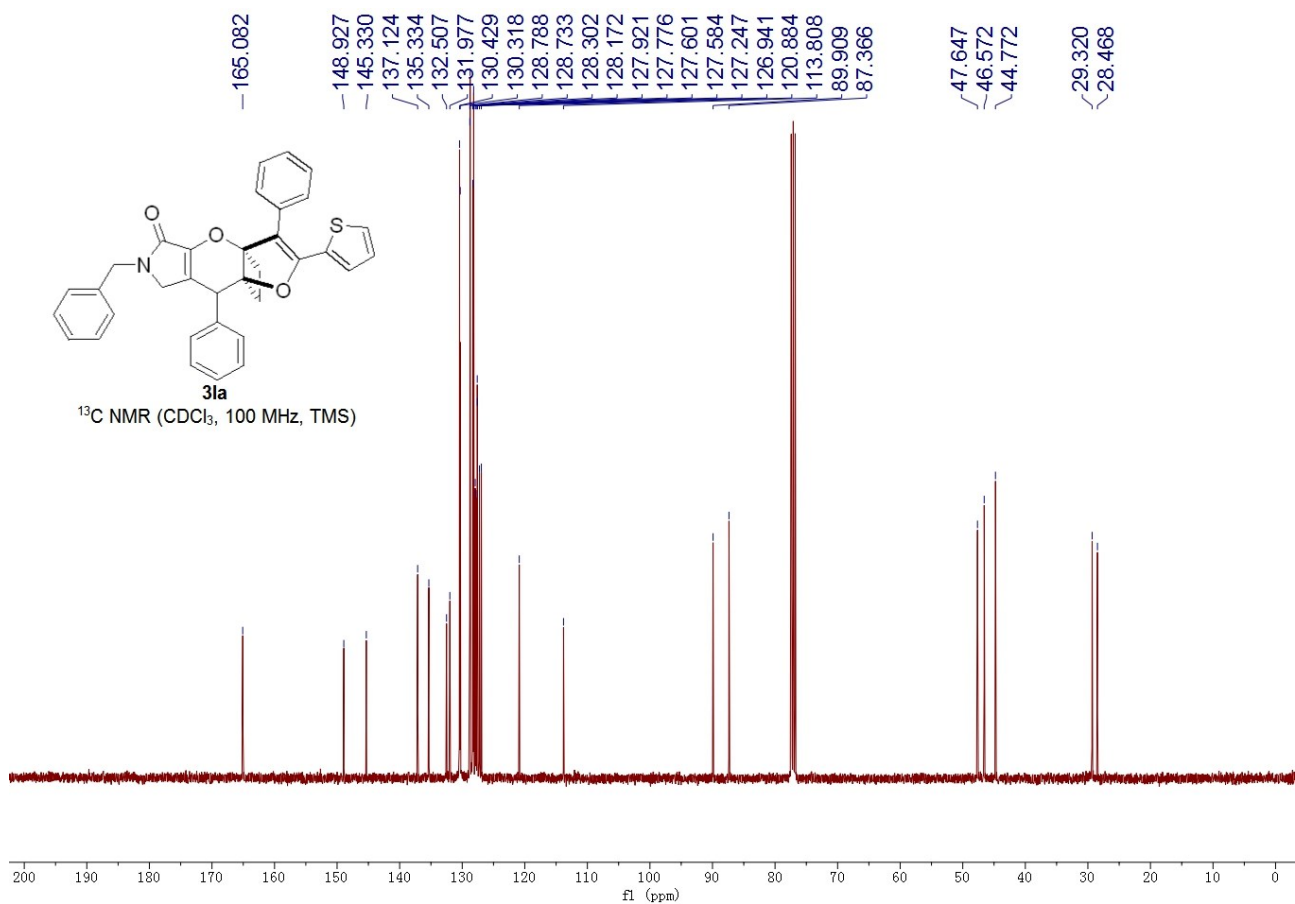
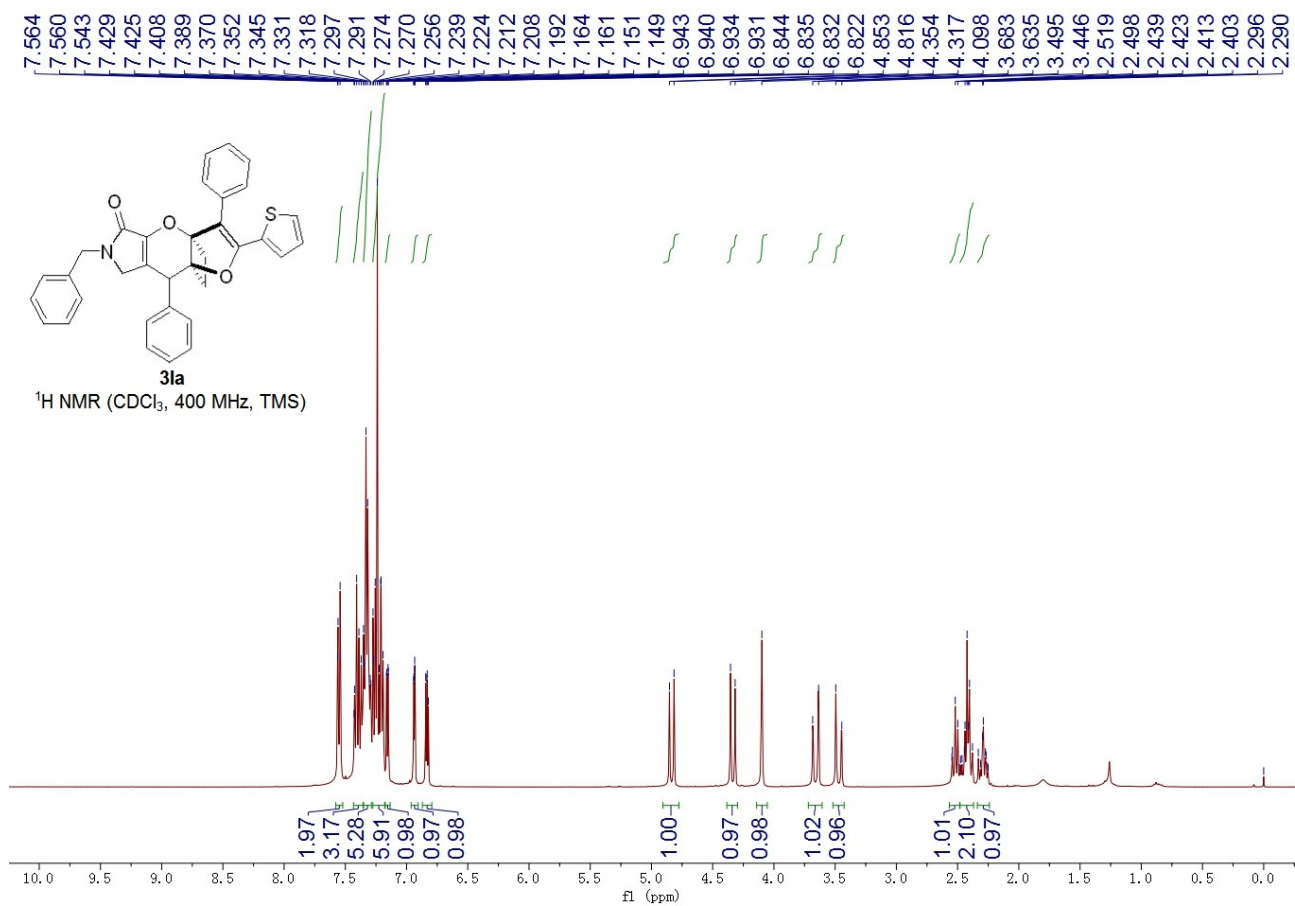


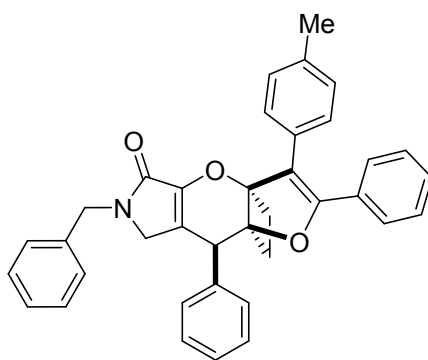


3la

(3a*S*,8a*S*)-6-benzyl-3,8-diphenyl-2-(thiophen-2-yl)-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-

ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3la), the title compound was achieved as brown solid, MP = 210-211 °C, 46.1 mg, 50% yield. R_f = 0.38 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.56-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.37 (m, 3H), 7.35-7.29 (m, 5H), 7.27-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.16 (dd, J = 4.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.94 (dd, J = 3.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (dd, J = 4.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (s, 1H), 3.66 (dd, J = 18.4, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, J = 18.4, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 2.55-2.49 (m, 1H), 2.48-2.38 (m, 2H), 2.33-2.25 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.1, 148.9, 145.3, 137.1, 135.3, 132.5, 131.9, 130.4, 130.3, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 128.2, 127.9, 127.8, 127.6, 127.5, 127.3, 126.9, 120.9, 113.8, 89.9, 87.4, 47.6, 46.6, 44.8, 29.3, 28.5. IR (neat) ν 1702, 1675, 1497, 1454, 1423, 1367, 1248, 1173, 1117, 1002, 850, 762, 709, 694 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$: 530.1784, found: 530.1786.

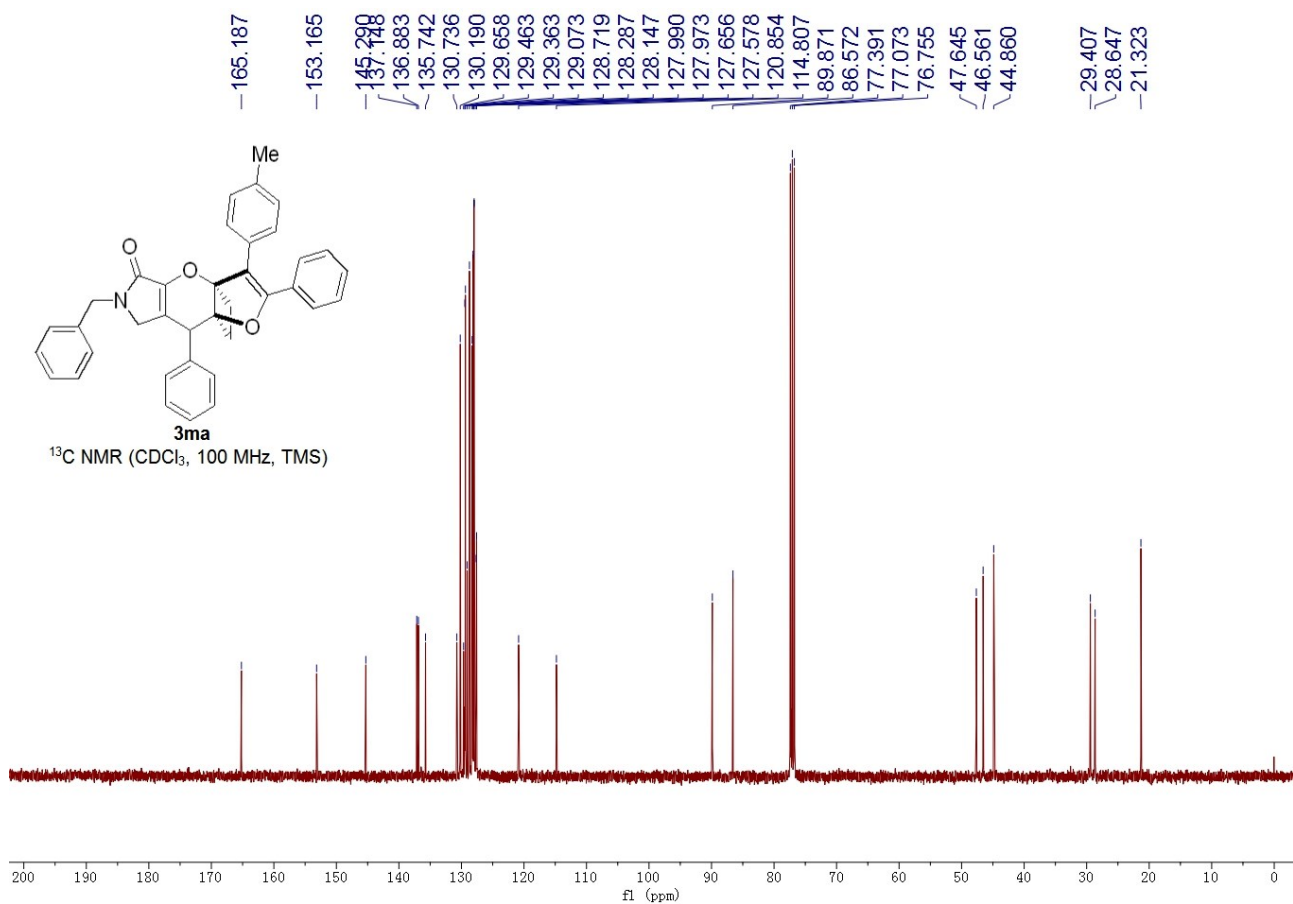
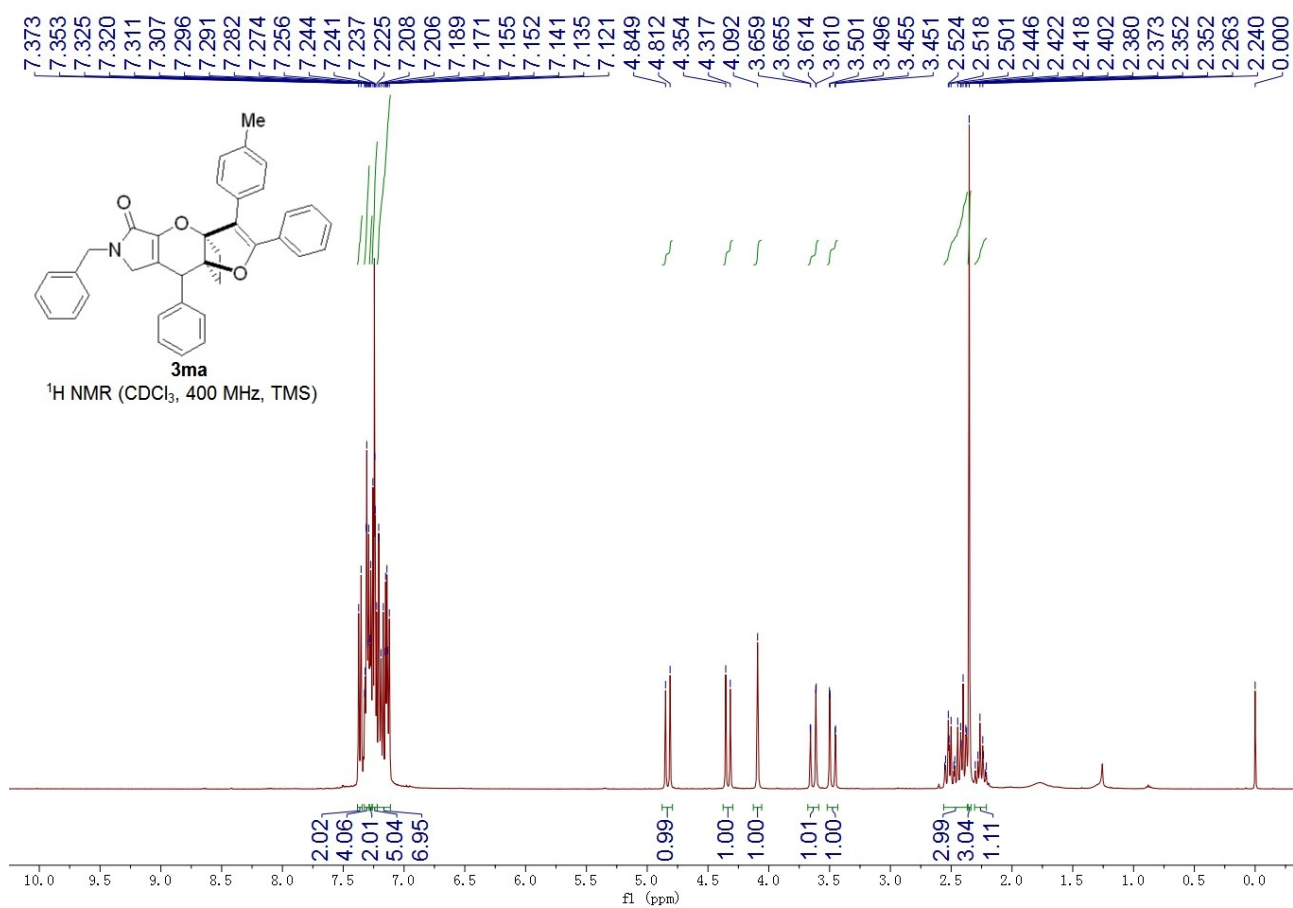


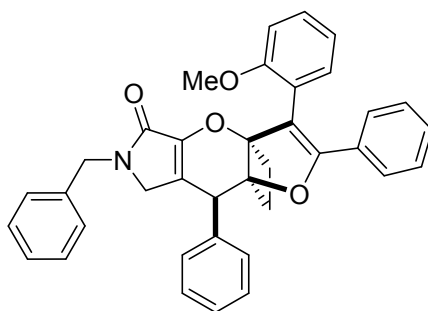


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(3a*S*,8a*S*)-6-benzyl-2,8-diphenyl-3-(*p*-tolyl)-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-

ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3ma), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 148-150 °C, 90.7 mg, 81% yield. R_f = 0.35 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.36 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.29 (m, 4H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.26-7.23 (m, 4H), 7.21-7.12 (m, 7H), 4.83 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (s, 1H), 3.63 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.55-2.37 (m, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 2.30-2.21 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.2, 153.2, 145.3, 137.1, 136.9, 135.7, 130.7, 130.2, 129.7, 129.5, 129.4, 129.0, 128.7, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.7, 127.6, 120.9, 114.8, 89.9, 86.6, 47.7, 46.6, 44.9, 29.4, 28.6, 21.3. IR (neat) ν 2942, 1693, 1477, 1452, 1354, 1230, 1129, 1078, 1007, 885, 767, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_3$: 538.2377, found: 538.2375.

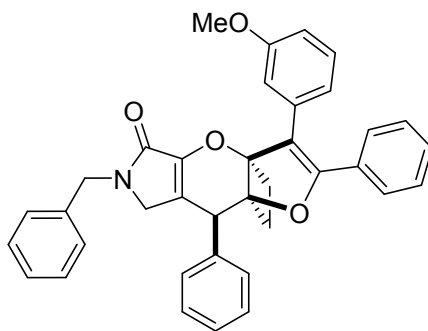




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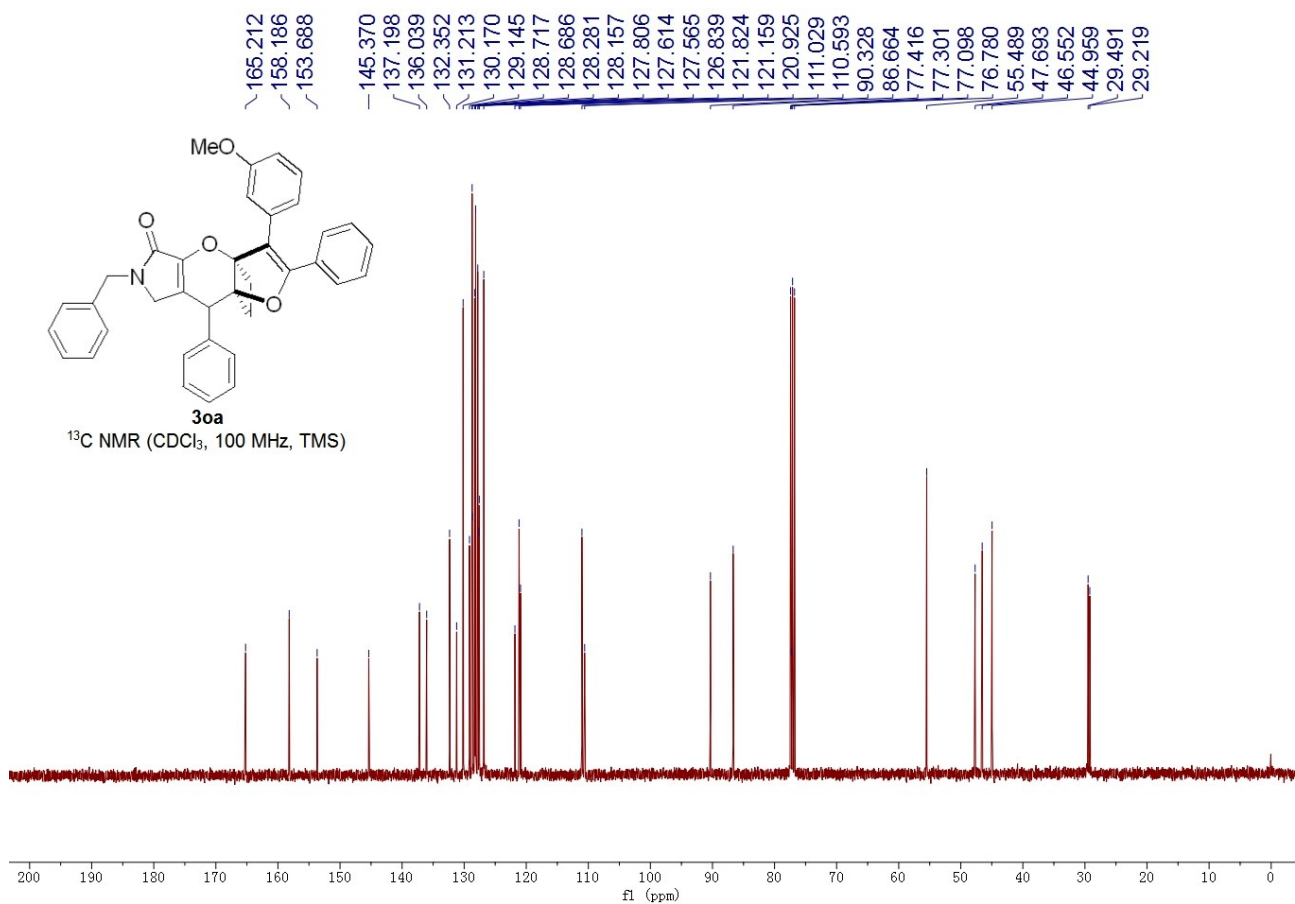
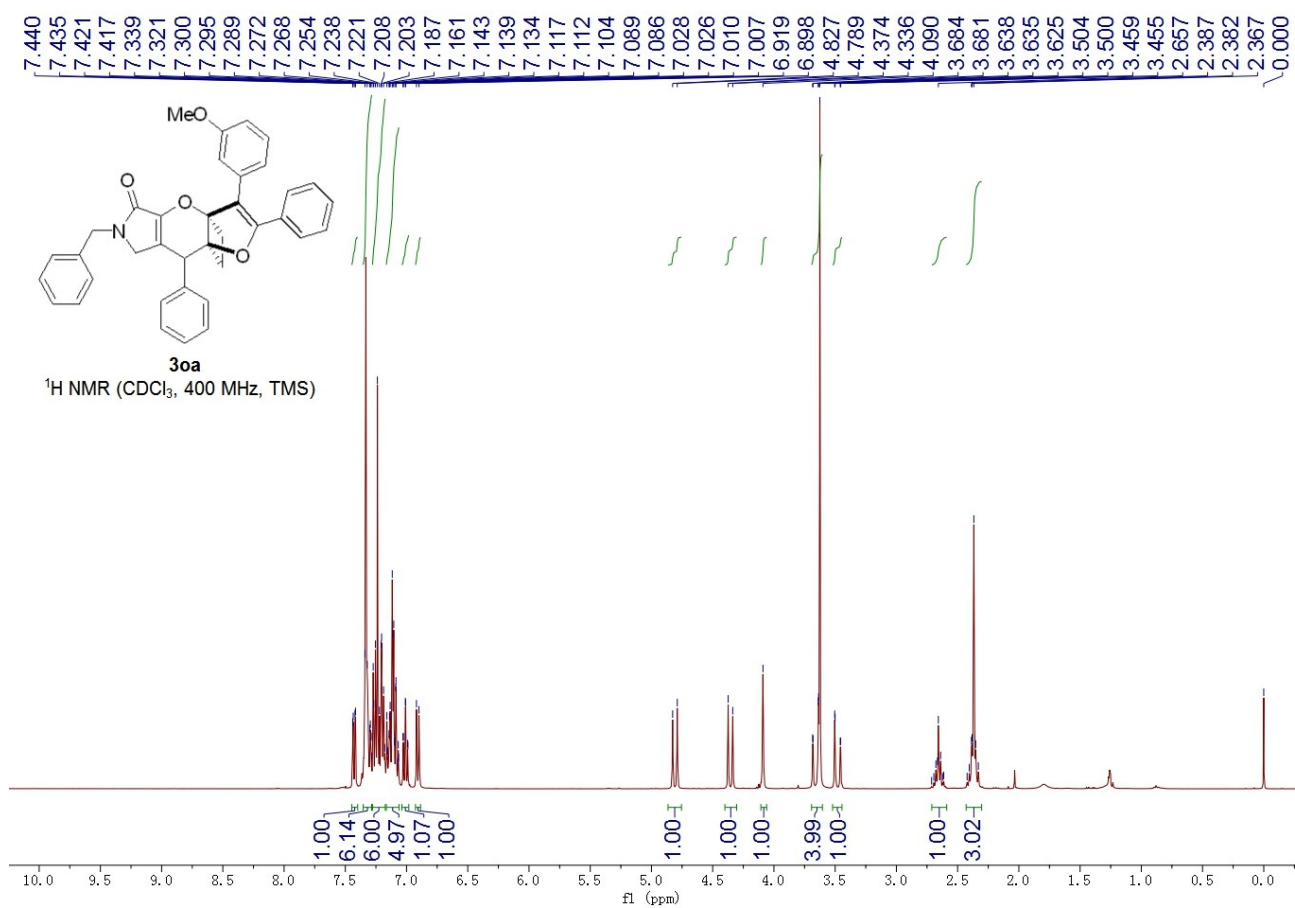
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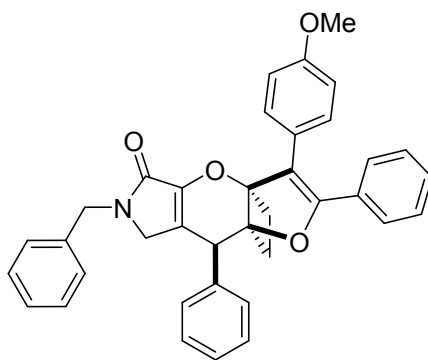
ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3na), the title compound was achieved as brown solid, MP = 134-136 °C, 64.5 mg, 53% yield. *R*_f = 0.30 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.33-7.28 (m, 5H), 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.25-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.23-7.20 (m, 3H), 7.18-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.08-7.05 (m, 2H), 6.83 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.64 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.58-2.53 (m, 1H), 2.51-2.37 (m, 2H), 2.31-2.22 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.1, 159.7, 153.7, 145.3, 137.1, 135.6, 134.1, 130.6, 130.2, 129.6, 129.2, 128.7, 128.3, 128.1, 128.04, 128.03, 127.7, 127.6, 122.1, 121.1, 114.7, 114.5, 113.6, 89.9, 86.8, 55.2, 47.7, 46.6, 44.9, 29.4, 28.7. IR (neat) ν 2953, 2833, 1694, 1511, 1494, 1453, 1286, 1245, 1173, 1029, 993, 836, 767, 731, 700 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₃₇H₃₂NO₄: 554.2326, found: 554.2320.



3oa

(3a*S*,8a*S*)-6-benzyl-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)-2,8-diphenyl-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3oa), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 123-125 °C, 78.2 mg, 71% yield. R_f = 0.31 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.43 (dd, J = 7.2, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.34-7.29 (m, 6H), 7.27-7.18 (m, 5H), 7.16-7.07 (m, 5H), 7.01 (td, J = 7.2, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.36 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (s, 1H), 3.66 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.48 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.71-2.61 (m, 1H), 2.42-2.33 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.2, 158.2, 153.7, 145.4, 137.2, 136.0, 132.4, 131.2, 130.2, 129.1, 128.7, 128.6, 128.3, 128.2, 127.8, 127.6, 127.5, 126.8, 121.8, 121.2, 120.9, 111.0, 110.6, 90.3, 86.7, 55.5, 47.7, 46.6, 44.9, 29.5, 29.2. IR (neat) ν 2922, 2852, 1694, 1495, 1453, 1250, 1176, 1071, 1007, 903, 833, 766, 732, 699 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_4$: 554.2326, found: 554.2319.

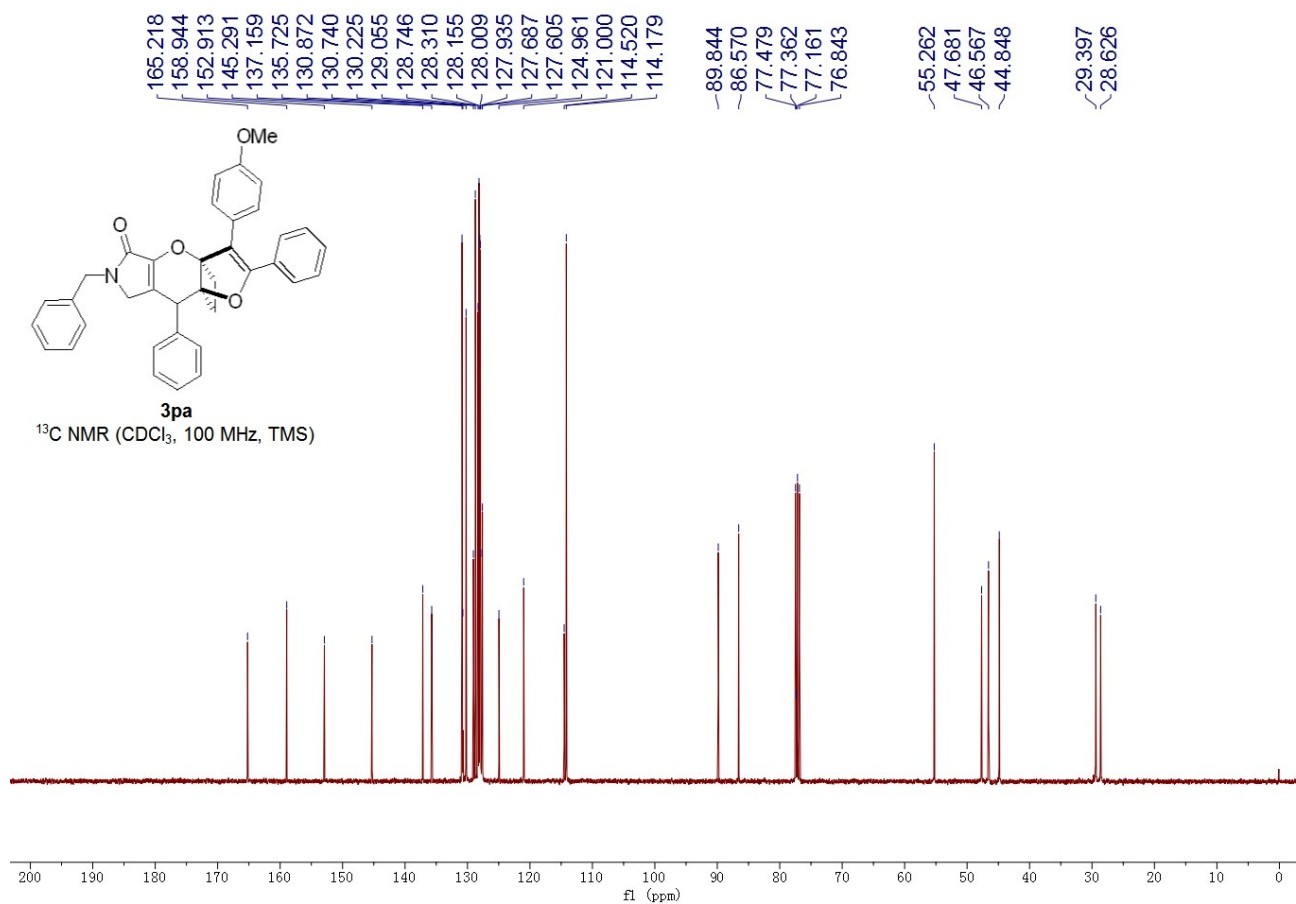
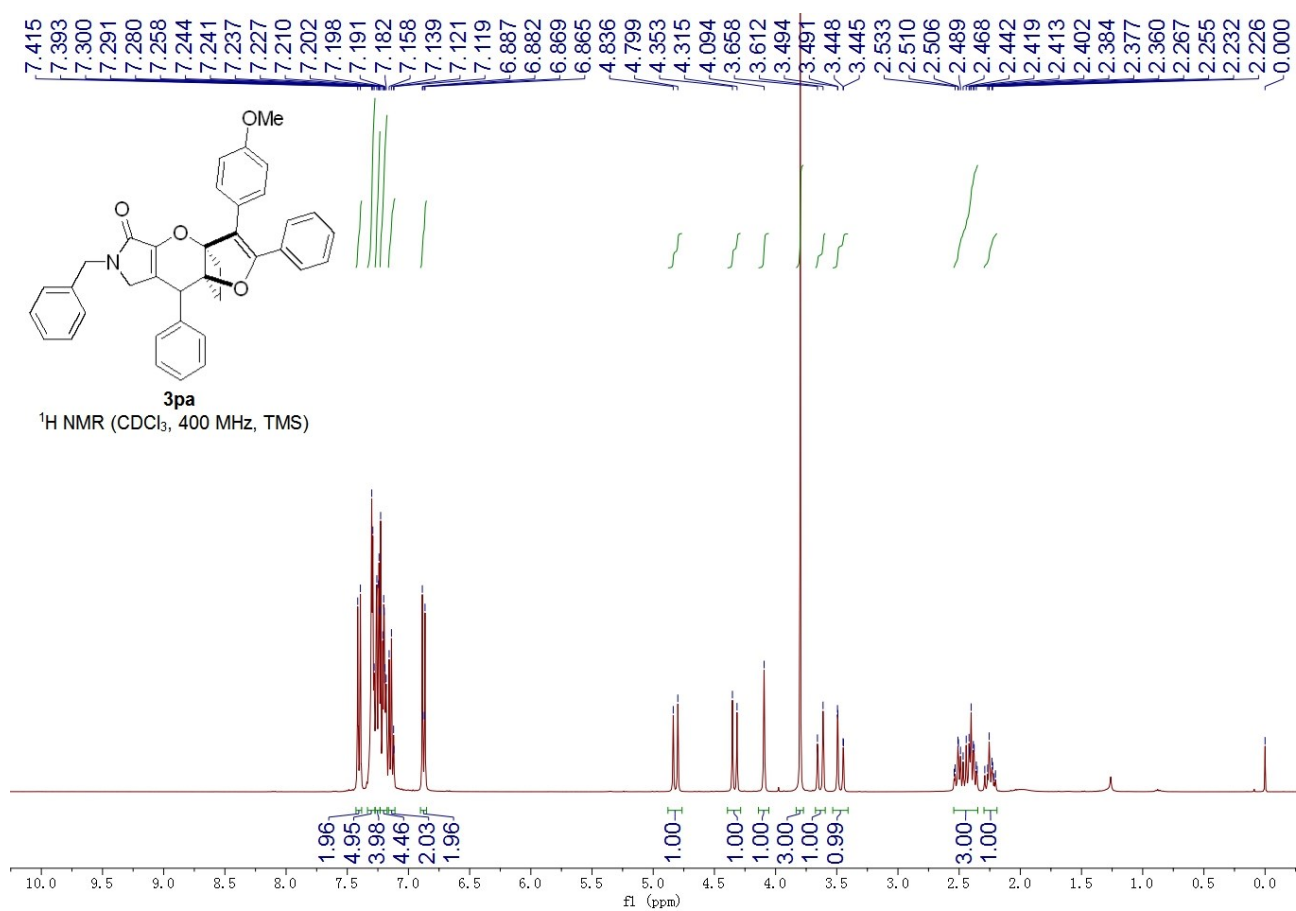


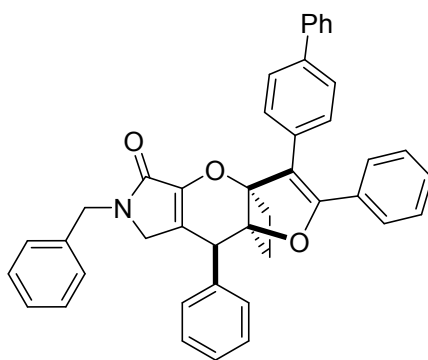


3pa

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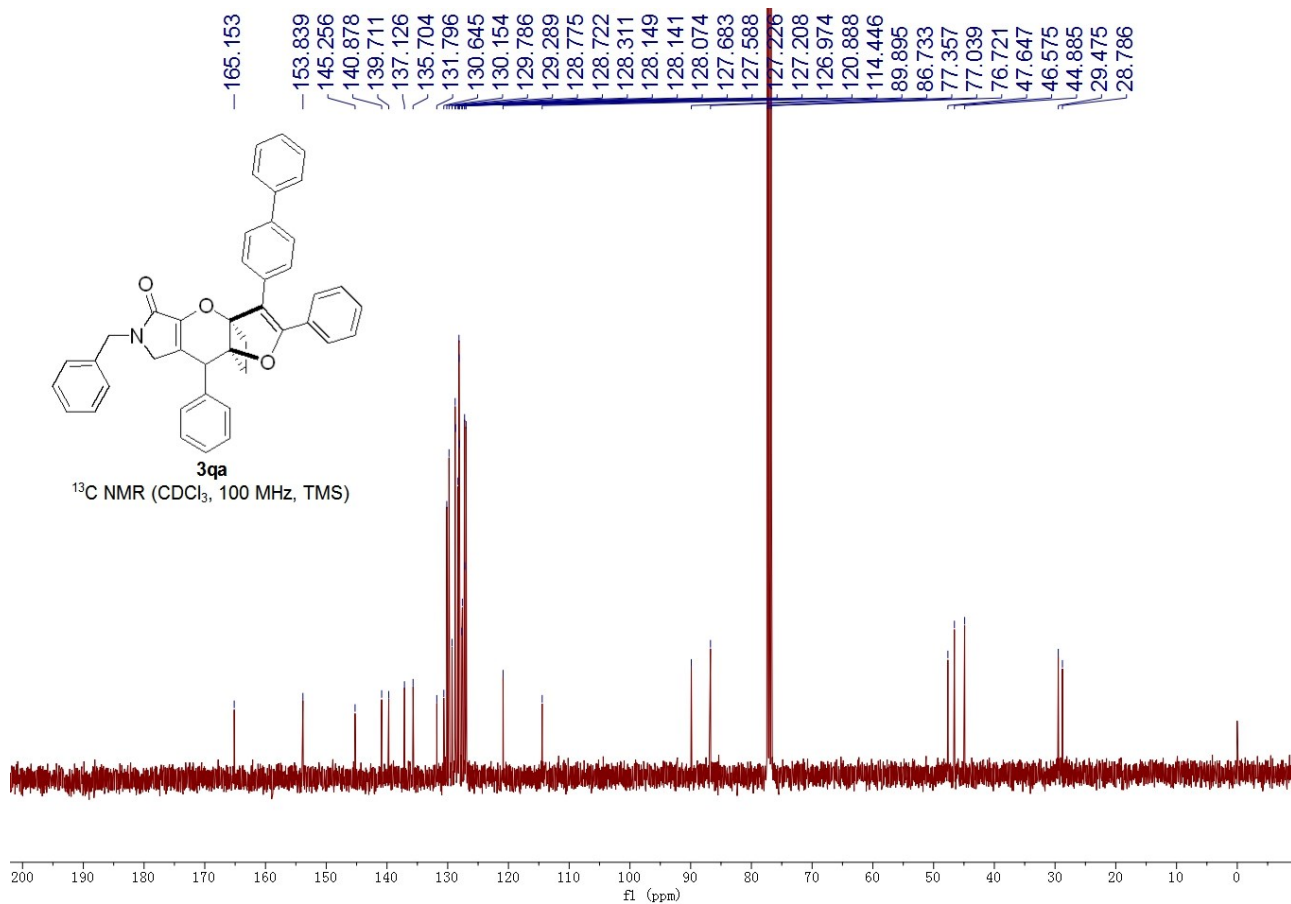
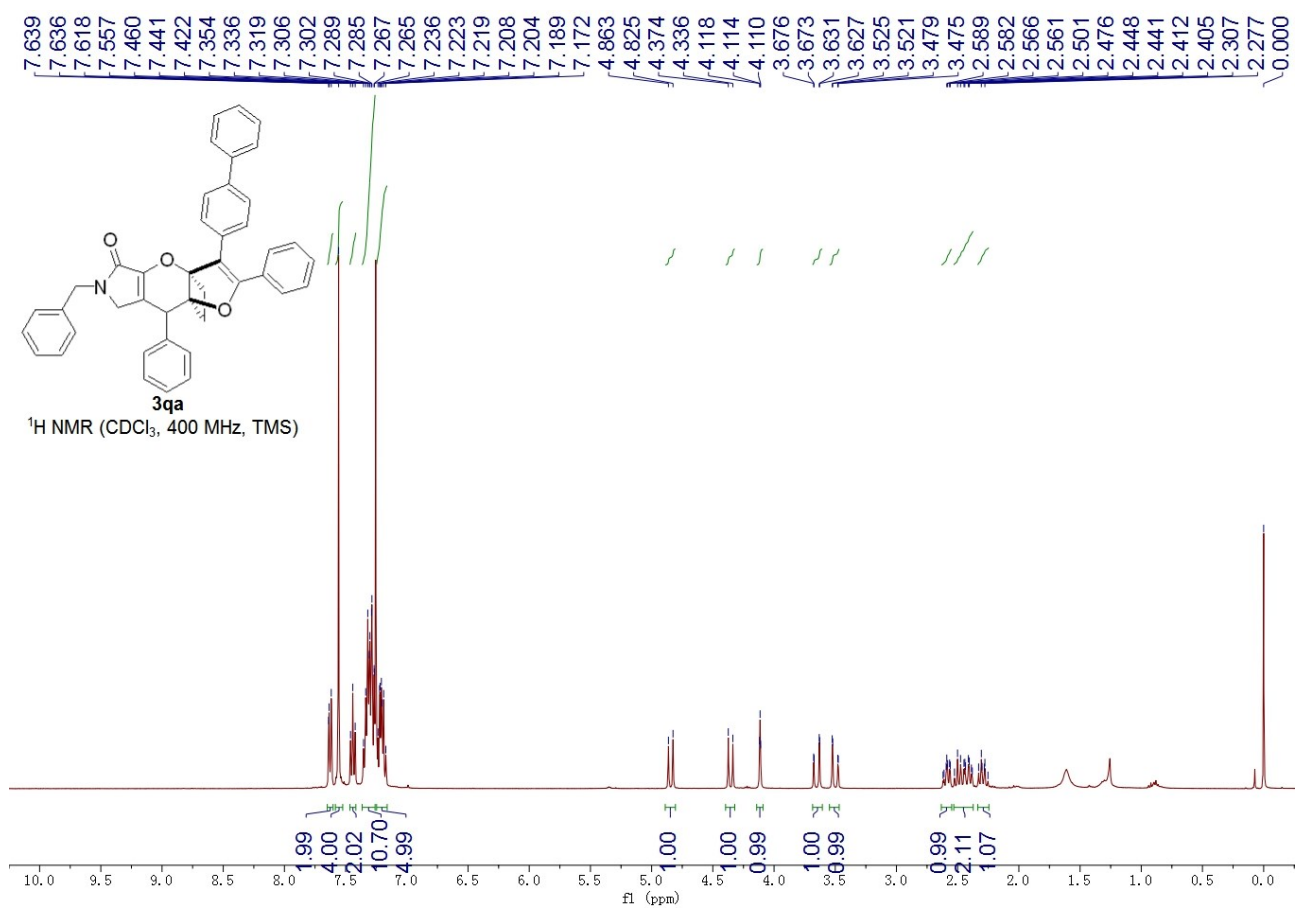
ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-c]pyrrol-5(8H)-one (3pa), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 96-98 °C, 98.8 mg, 93% yield. R_f = 0.34 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.40 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 5H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 4H), 7.23-7.18 (m, 4H), 7.16-7.14 (m, 2H), 6.89-6.86 (m, 2H), 4.82 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (s, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.64 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, J = 18.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.54-2.35 (m, 3H), 2.29-2.20 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 165.2, 158.9, 152.9, 145.3, 137.2, 135.7, 130.9, 130.7, 130.2, 129.1, 128.7, 128.3, 128.2, 128.0, 127.9, 127.7, 127.6, 125.0, 121.0, 114.5, 114.2, 89.8, 86.6, 55.3, 47.7, 46.6, 44.8, 29.4, 28.6. IR (MeOH) ν 3400, 2973, 1693, 1454, 1253, 1221, 1087, 1046, 1010, 879, 701 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_4$: 554.2326, found: 554.2320.

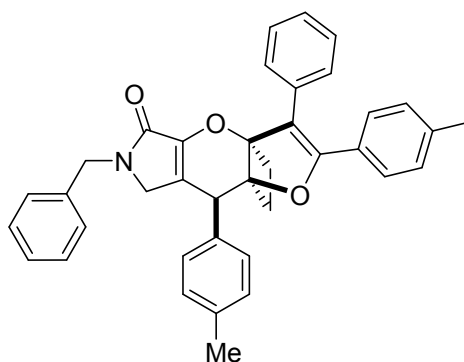




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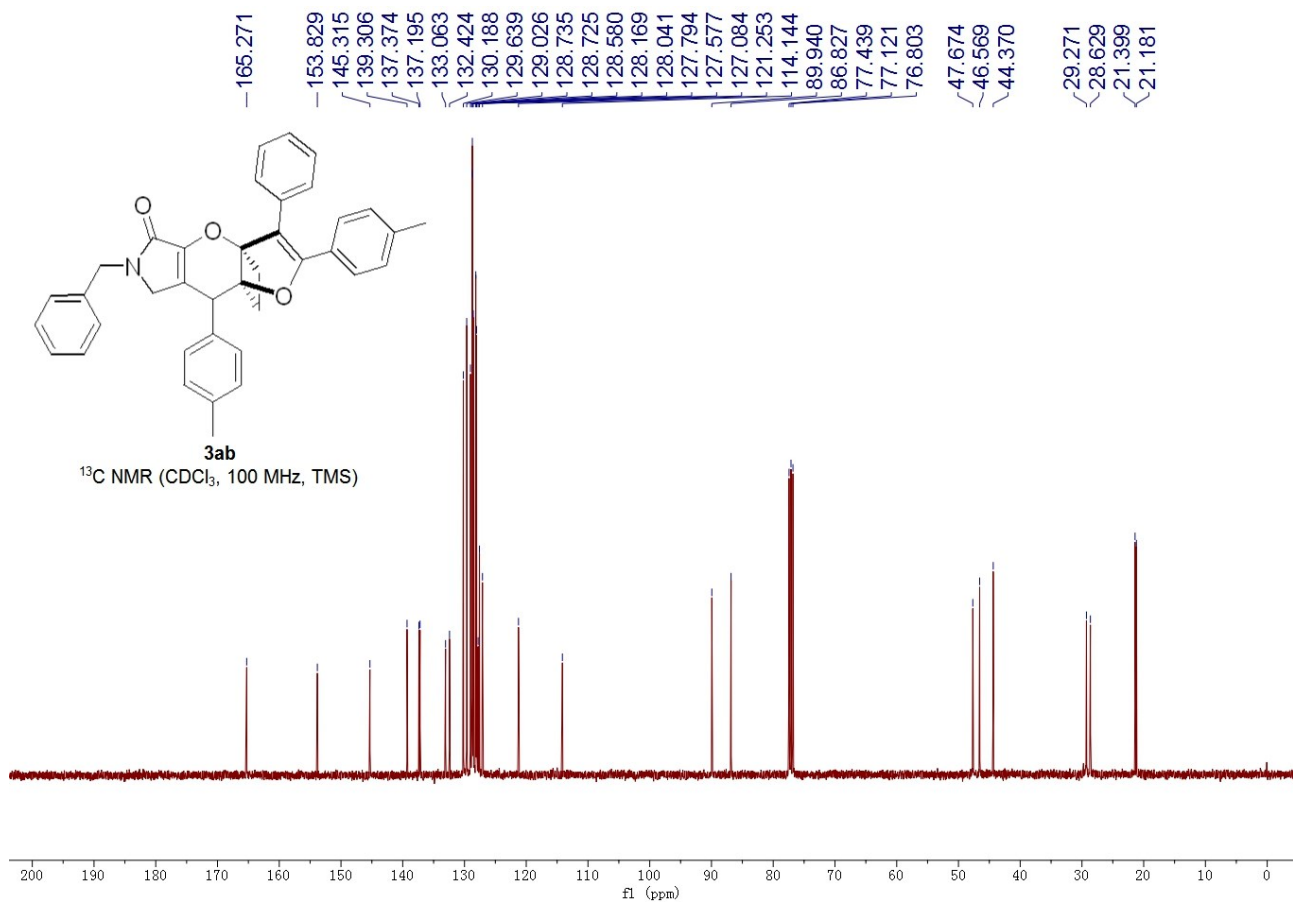
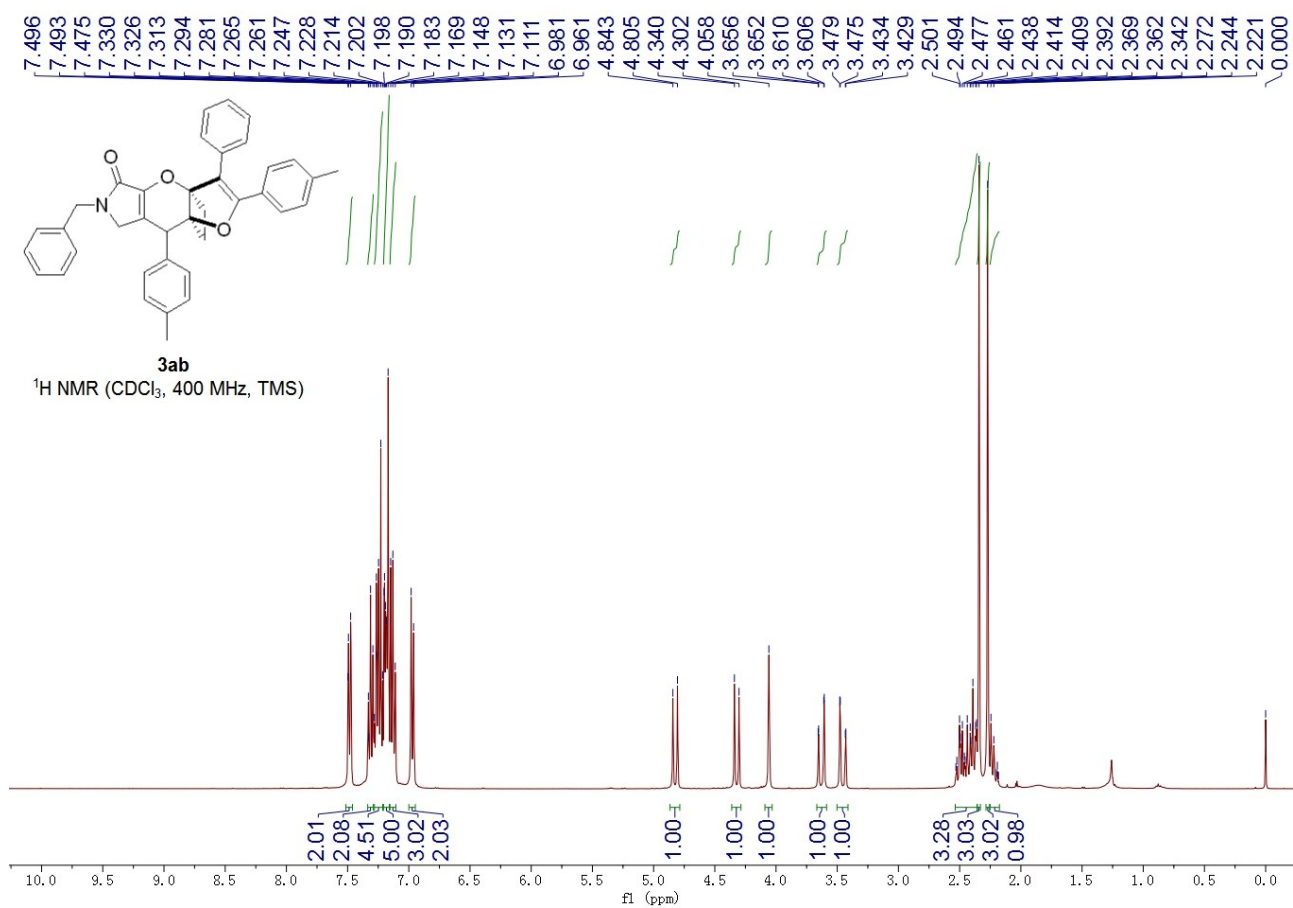
(3a*S*,8a*S*)-3-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-6-benzyl-2,8-diphenyl-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3qa), the title compound was achieved as light yellow solid, MP = 200-202 °C, 50.9 mg, 45% yield. *R*_f = 0.45 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 2:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.64-7.62 (m, 2H), 7.56 (s, 4H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.35-7.27 (m, 11H), 7.24-7.17 (m, 5H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.36 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.11 (s, 1H), 3.65 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.62-2.56 (m, 1H), 2.53-2.38 (m, 2H), 2.33-2.25 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.2, 153.8, 145.3, 140.9, 139.7, 137.1, 135.7, 131.8, 130.6, 130.2, 129.8, 129.3, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 128.2, 128.1, 128.0, 127.7, 127.6, 127.23, 127.21, 127.0, 120.9, 114.4, 89.9, 86.7, 47.6, 46.6, 44.9, 29.5, 28.8. IR (neat) ν 2917, 1694, 1512, 1493, 1453, 1355, 1245, 1173, 1121, 1069, 1006, 898, 836, 768, 732, 700 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₄₂H₃₄NO₃: 600.2533, found: 600.2533.

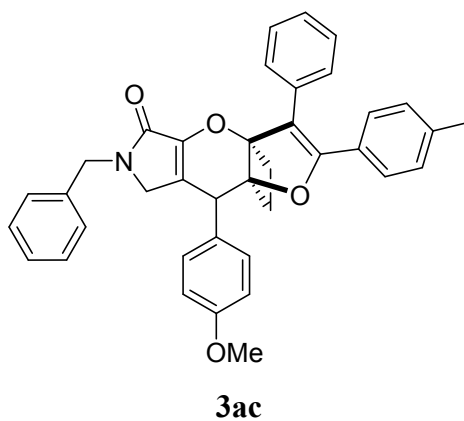




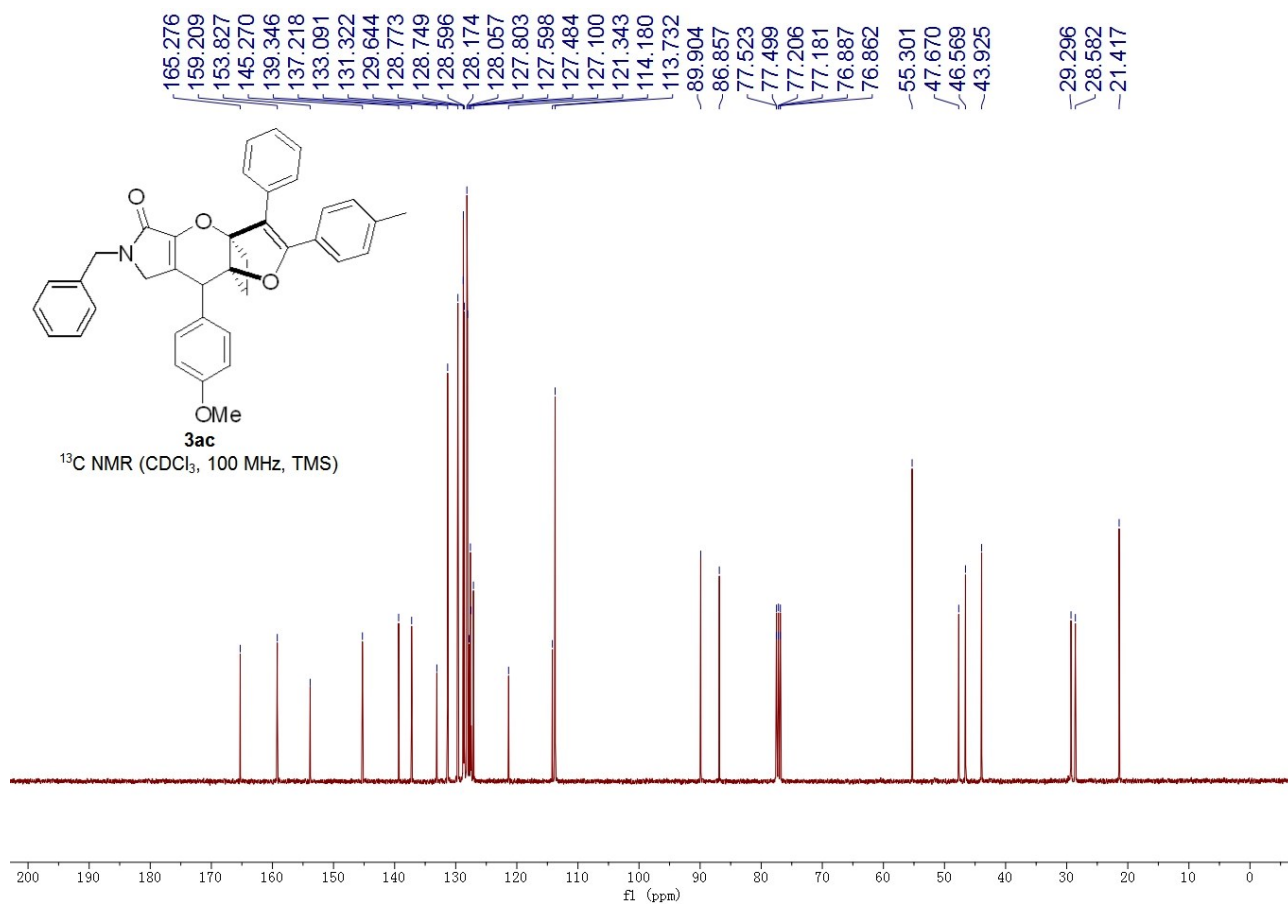
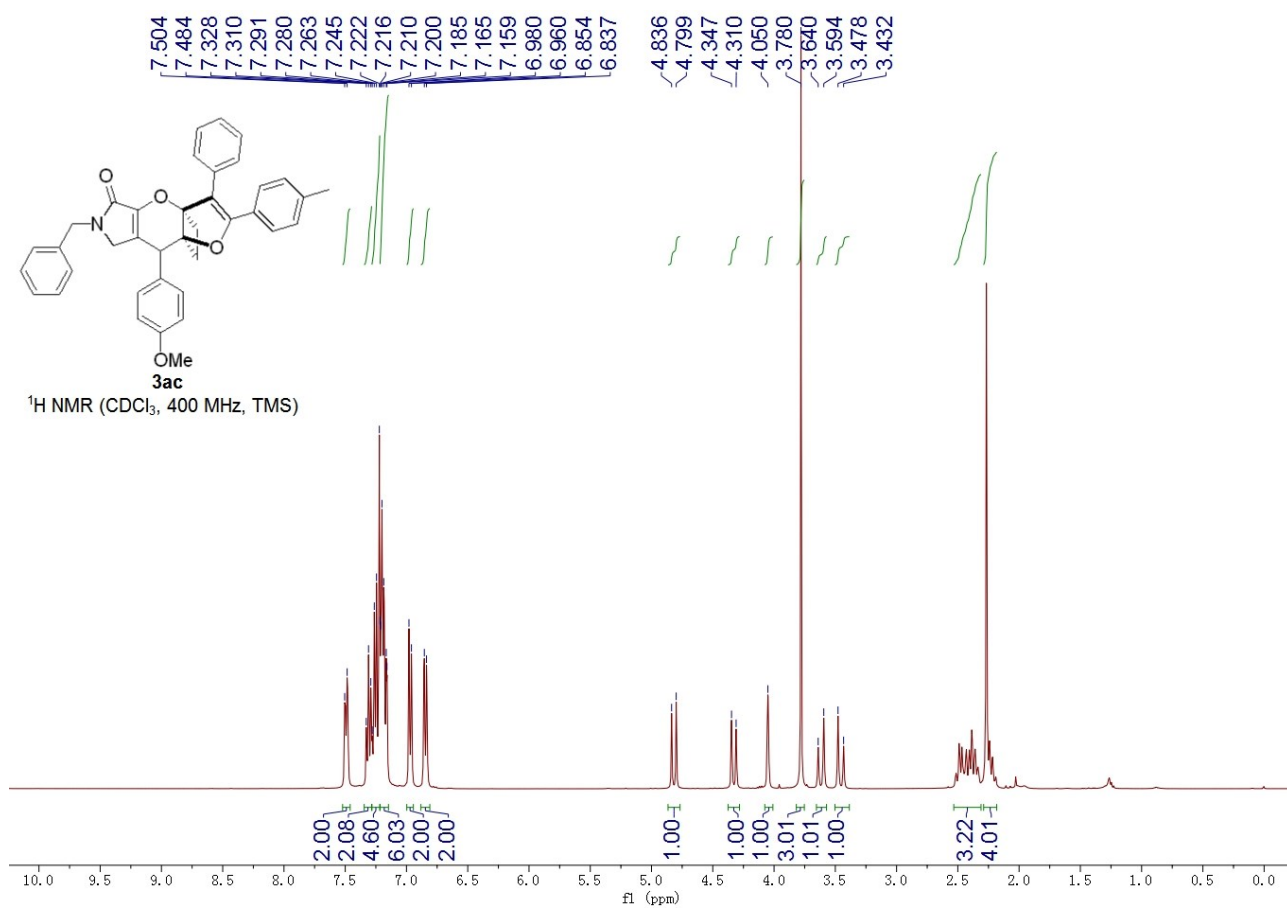
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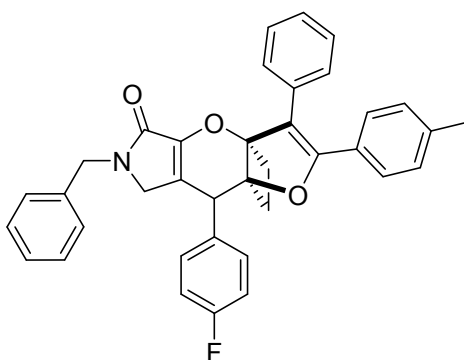
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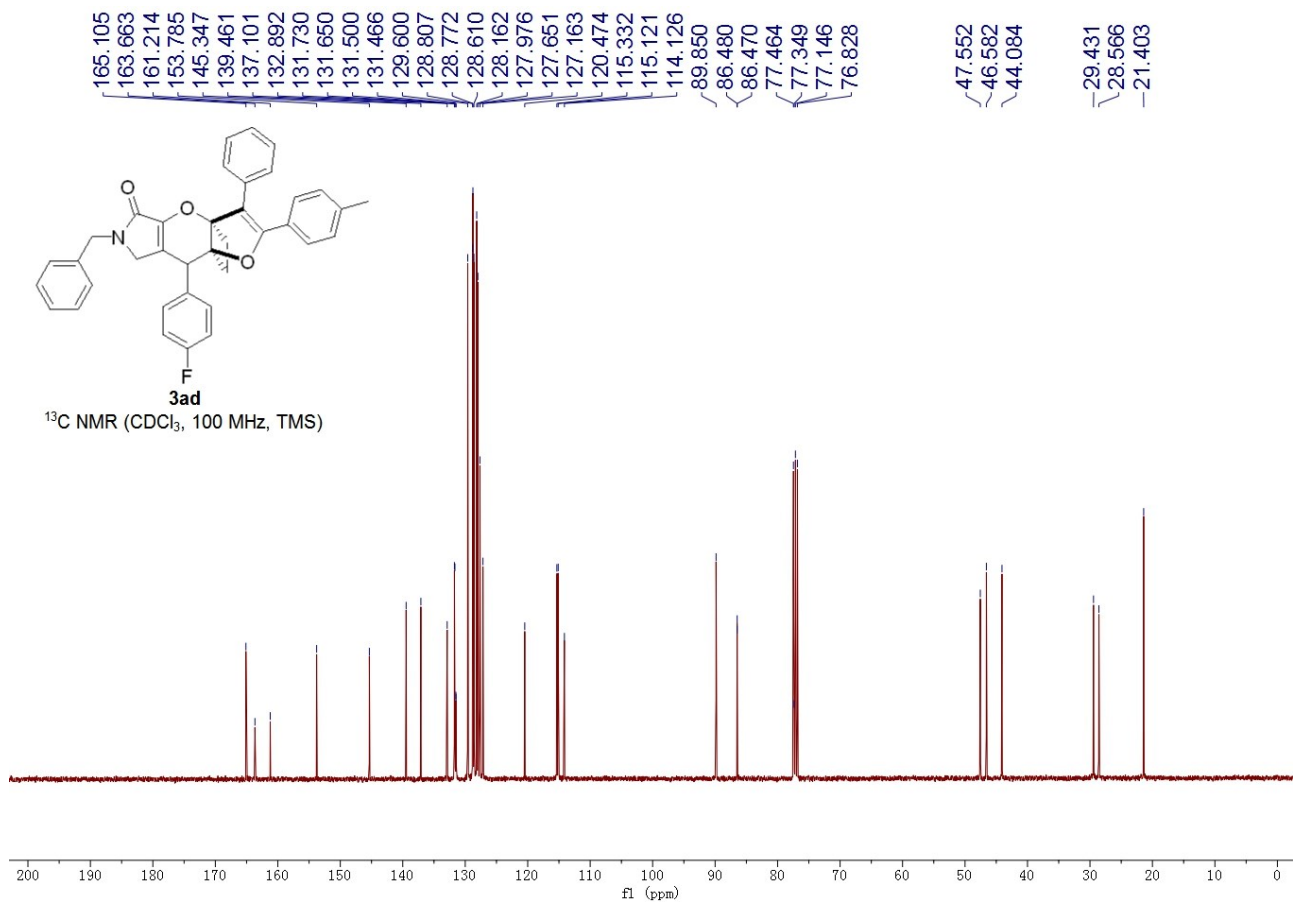
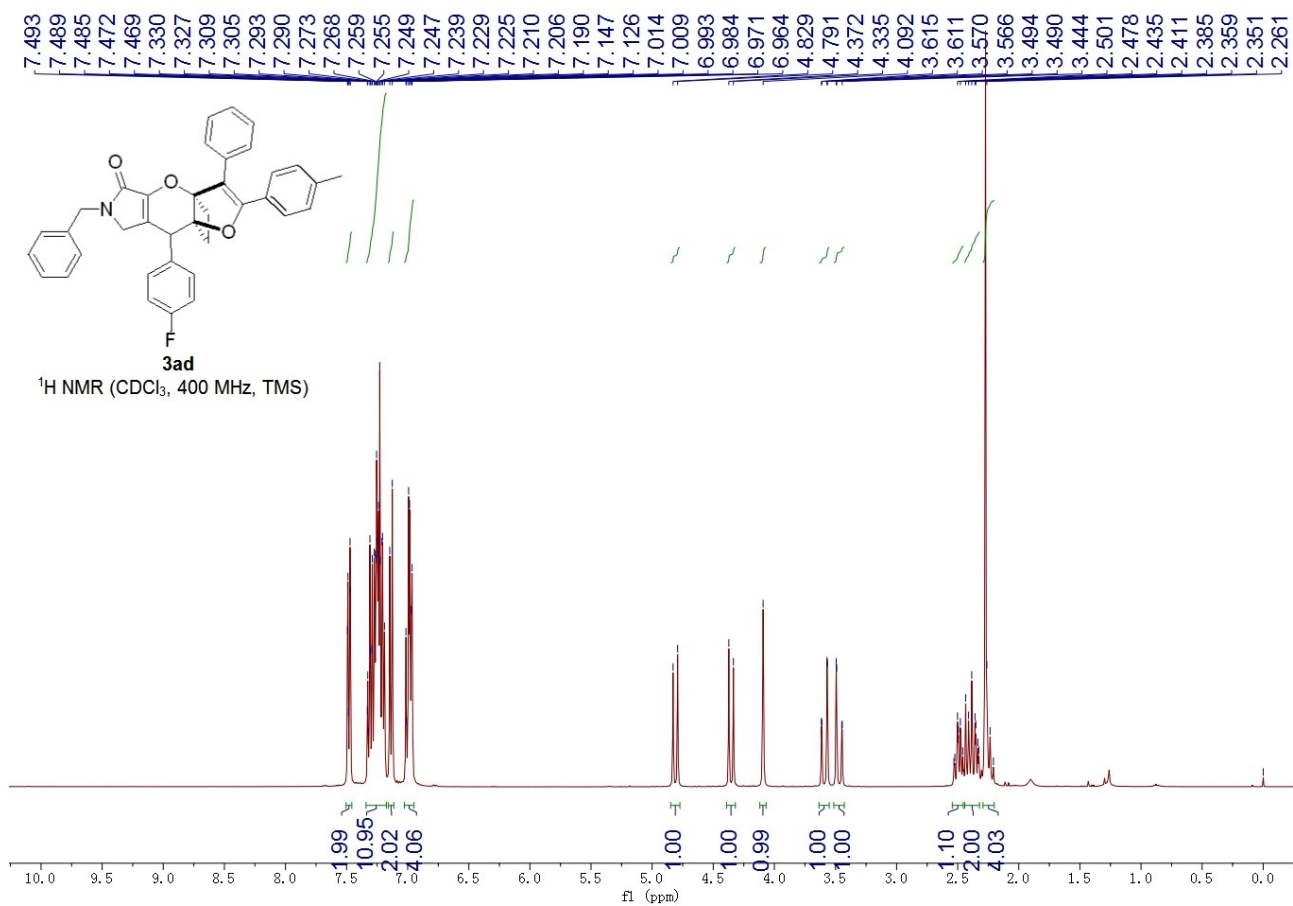
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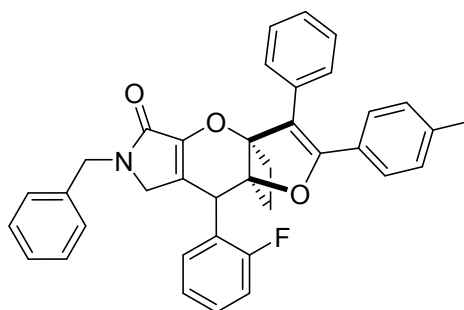
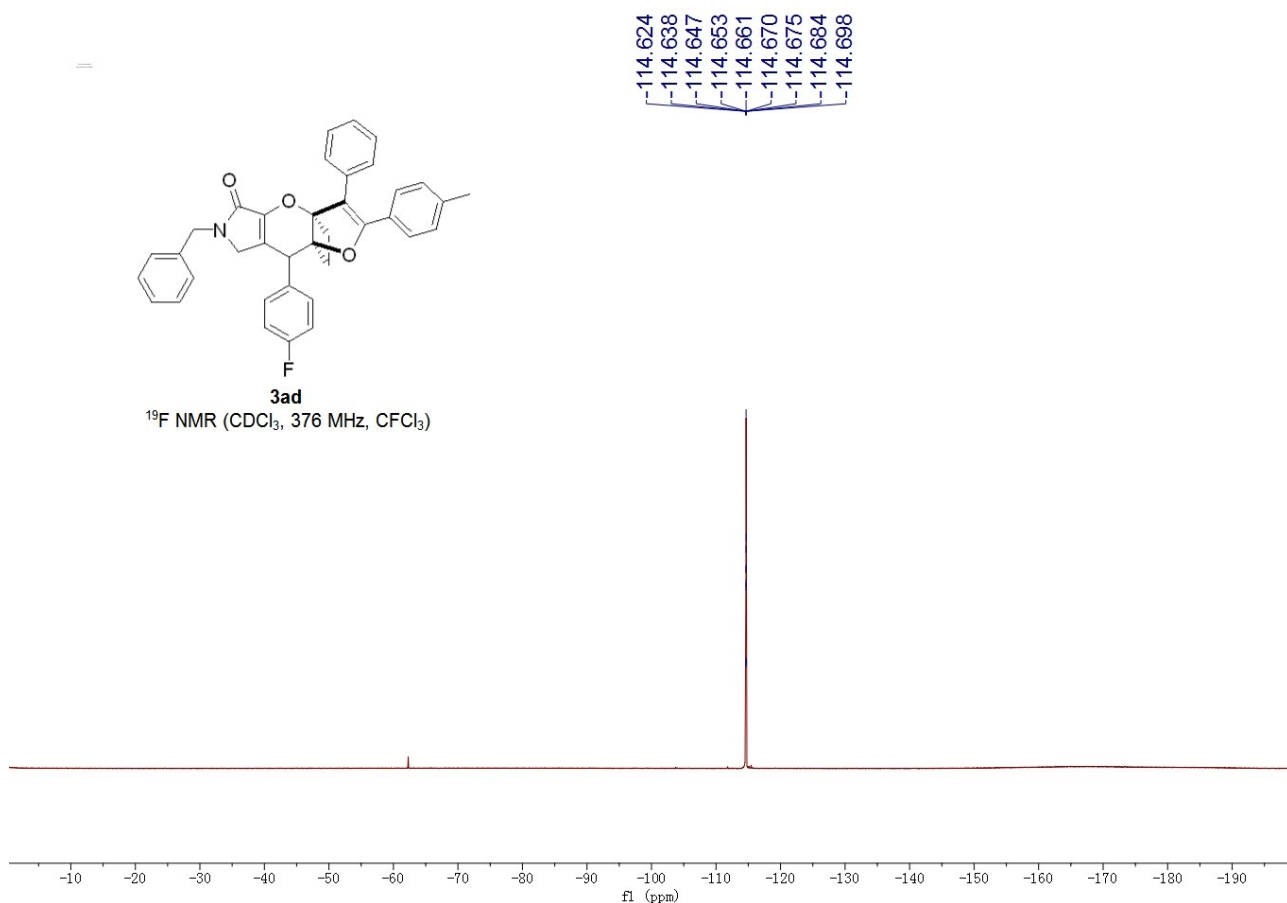




3ad

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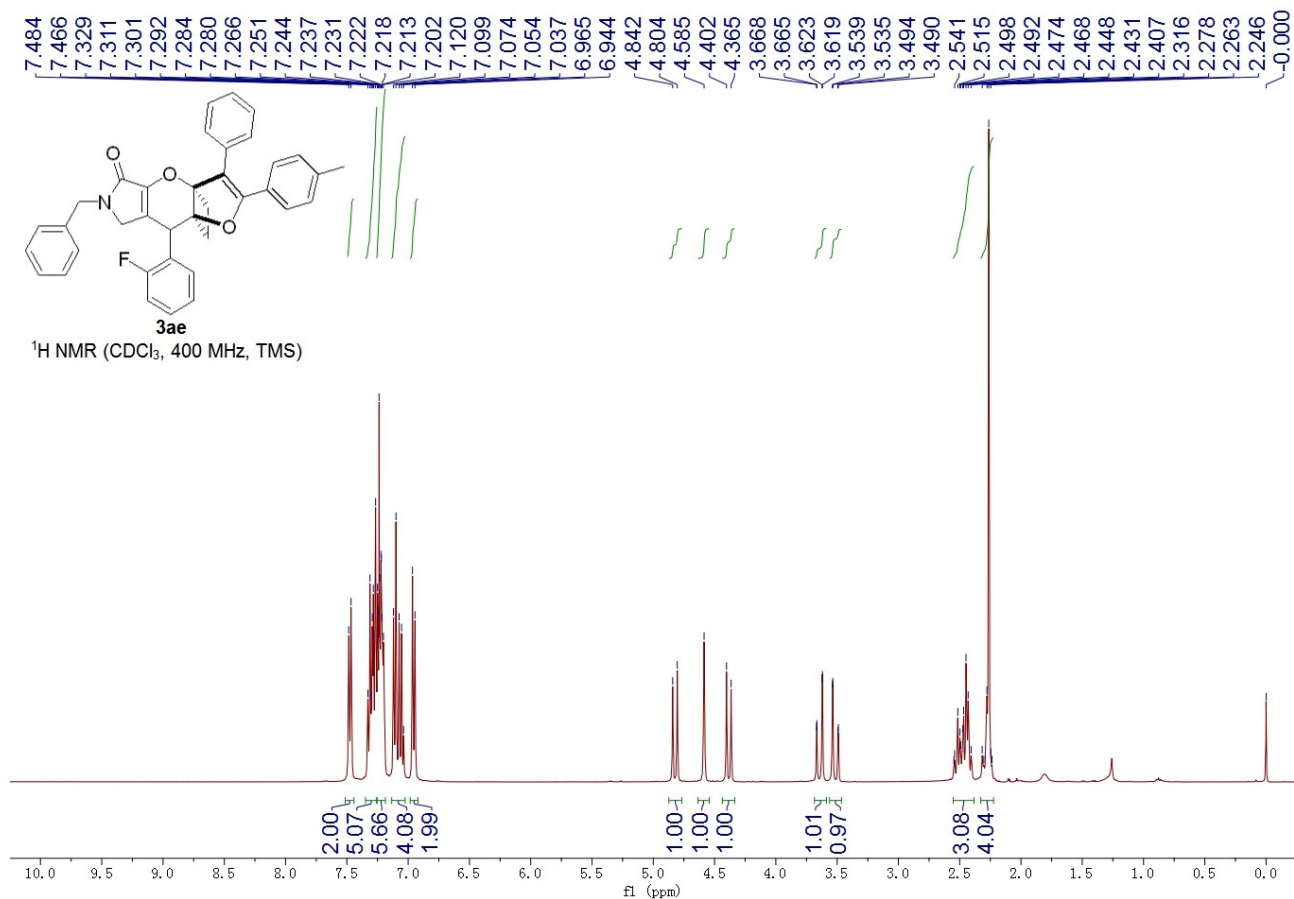


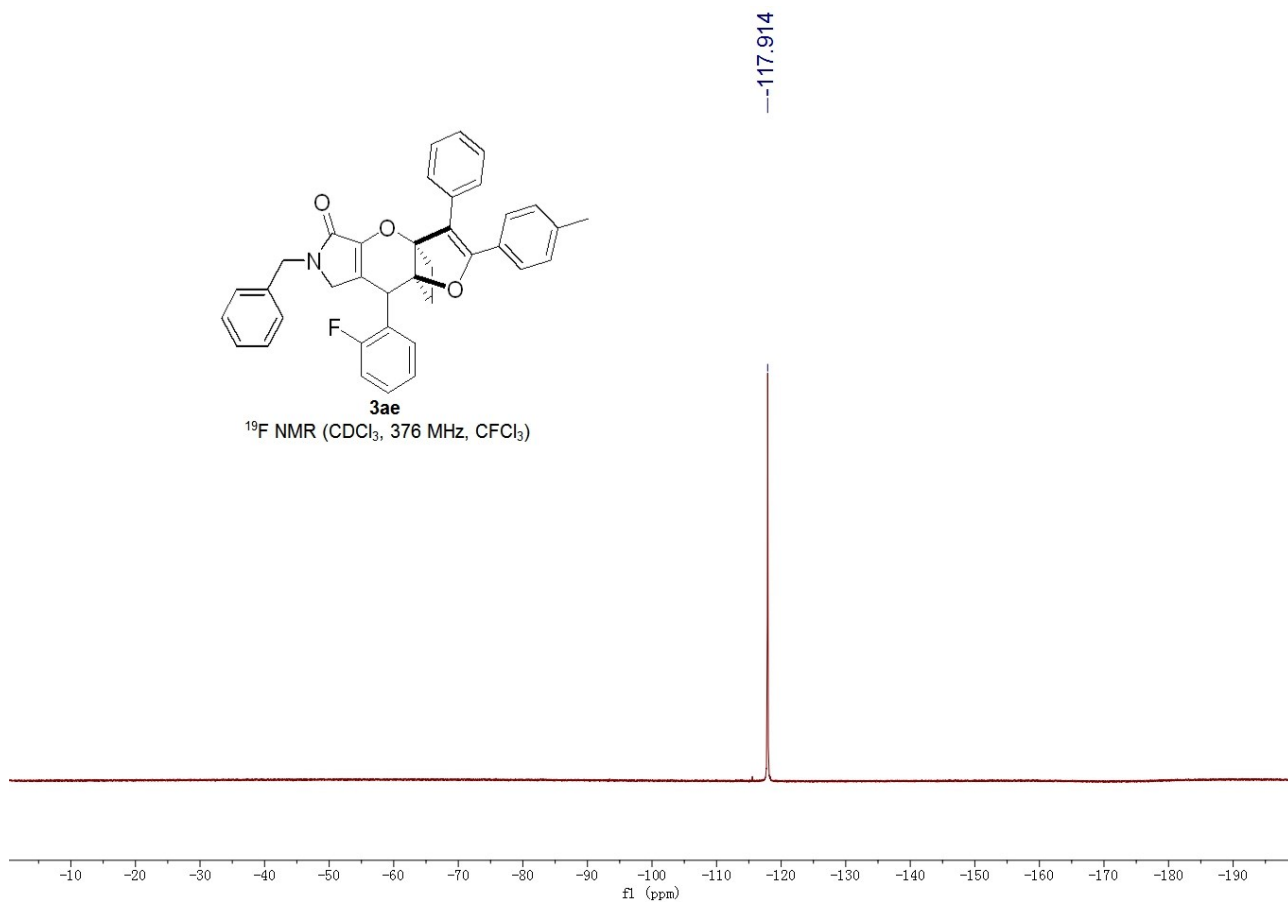
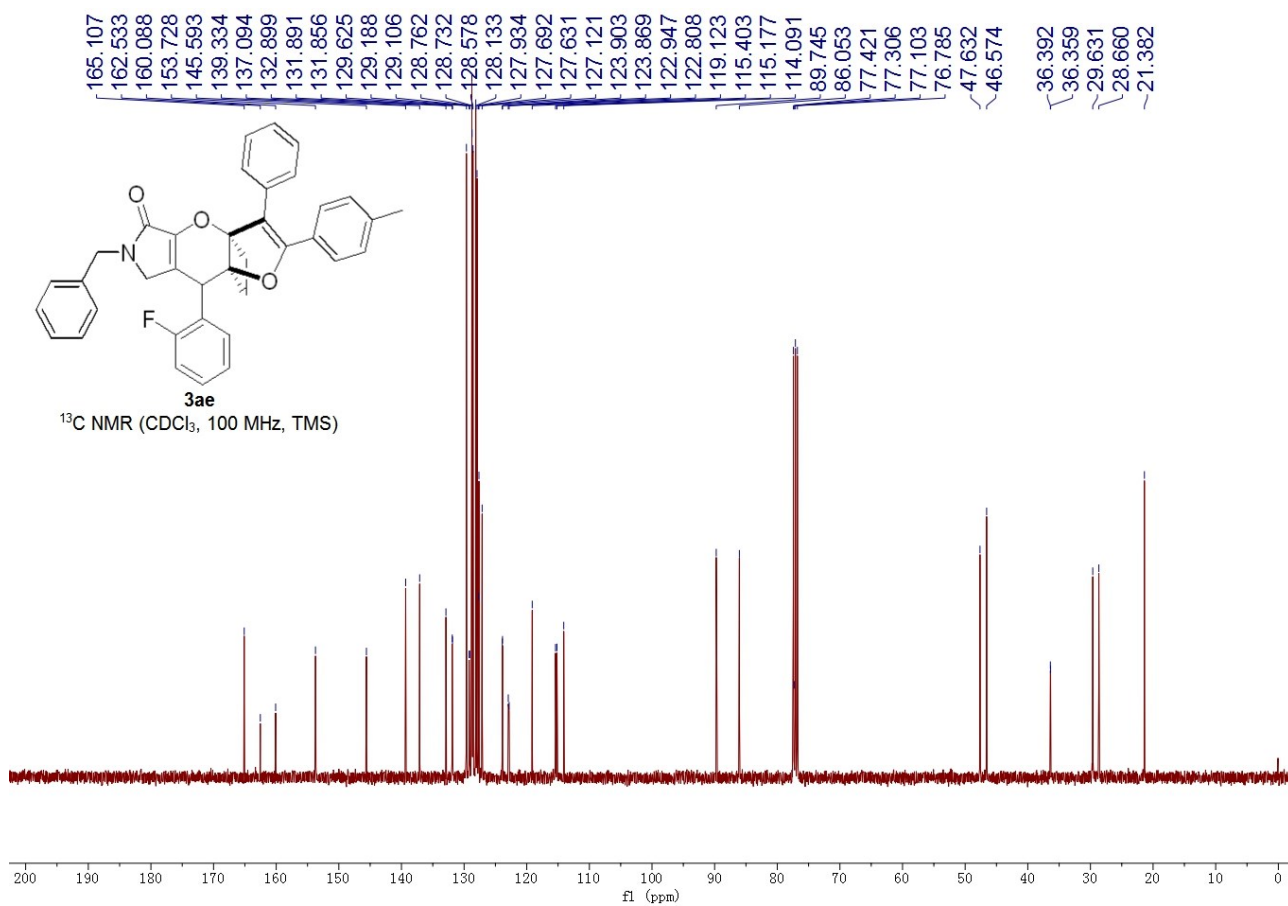


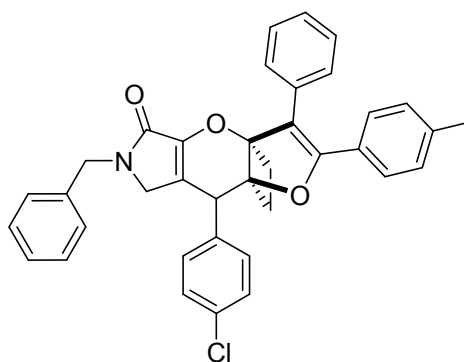
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127.7, 127.6, 127.1, 123.9 (d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 3.4$ Hz), 122.9 (d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 13.9$ Hz), 119.1, 115.3 (d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 22.6$ Hz), 114.1, 89.7, 86.1, 47.6, 46.6, 36.4, 29.6, 28.7, 21.4. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CFCl_3) δ 117.9 (s, 1F). IR (neat) ν 2925, 1702, 1515, 1491, 1454, 1355, 1231, 1179, 1004, 826, 761, 702 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{31}\text{NO}_3\text{F}$: 556.2283, found: 556.2288.

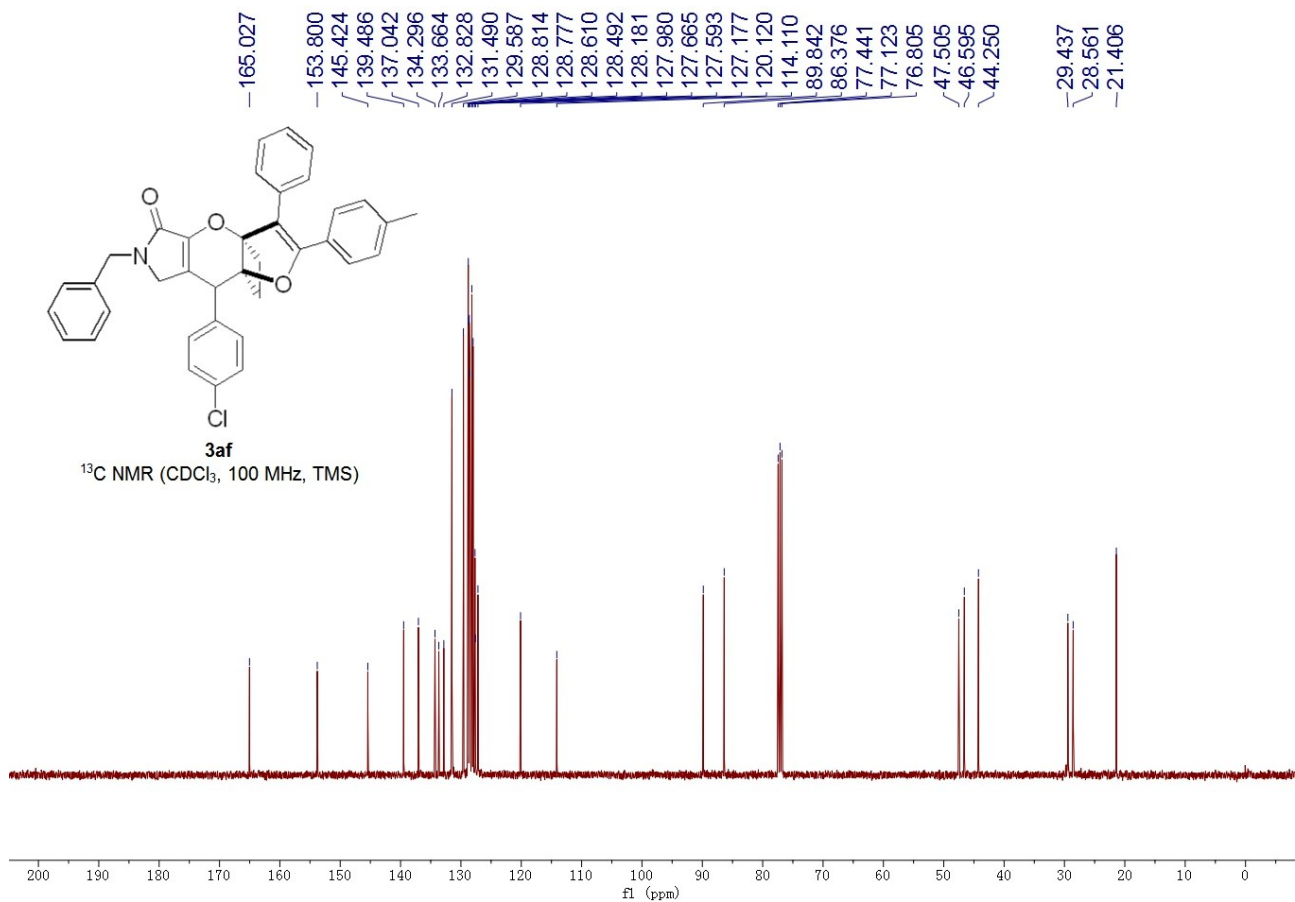
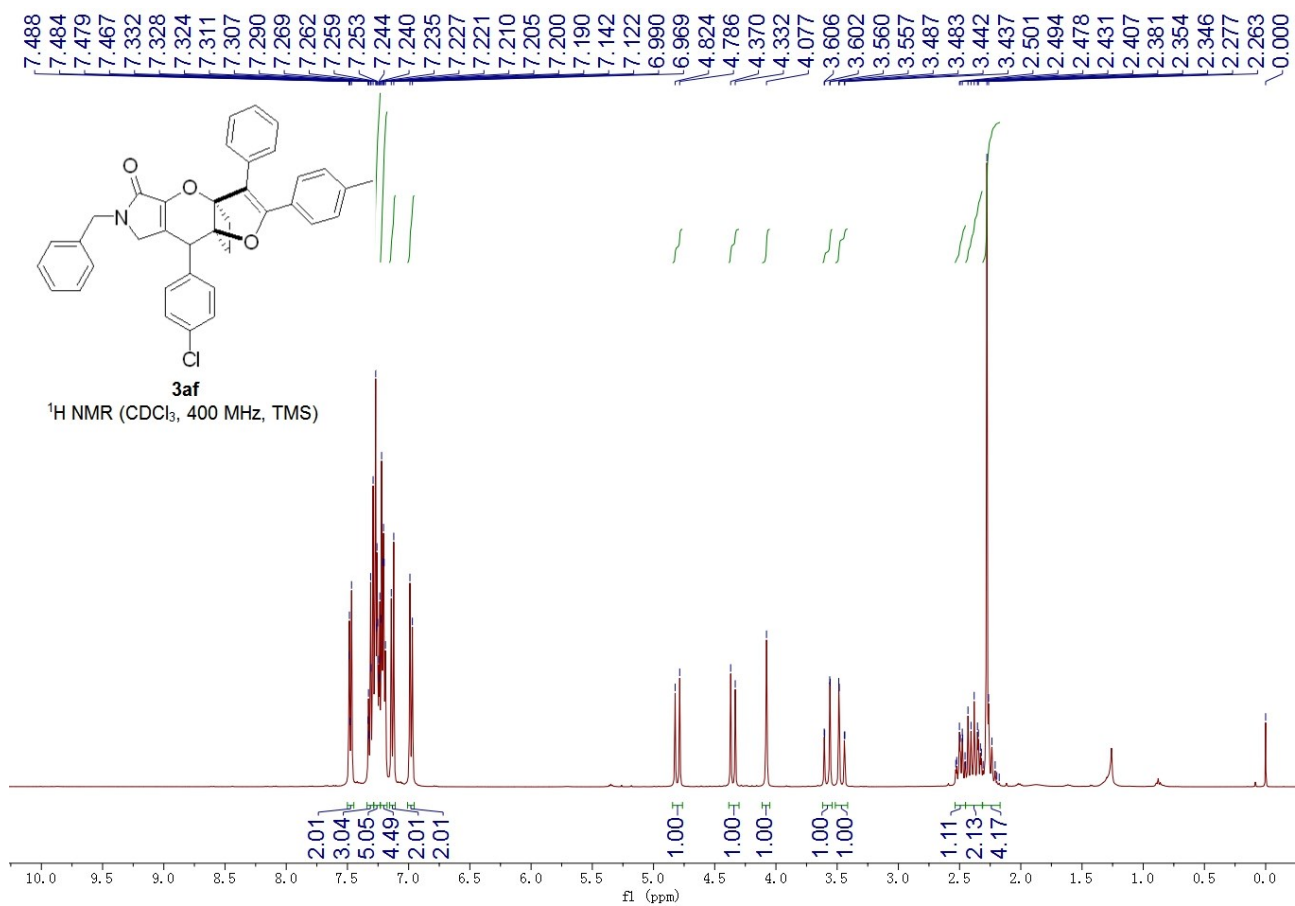


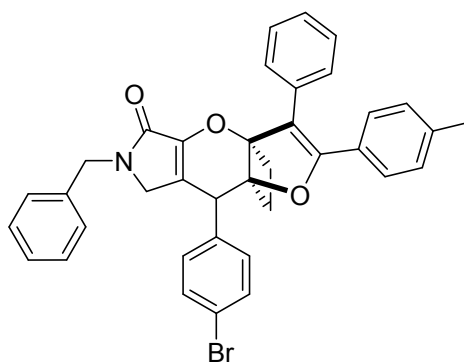




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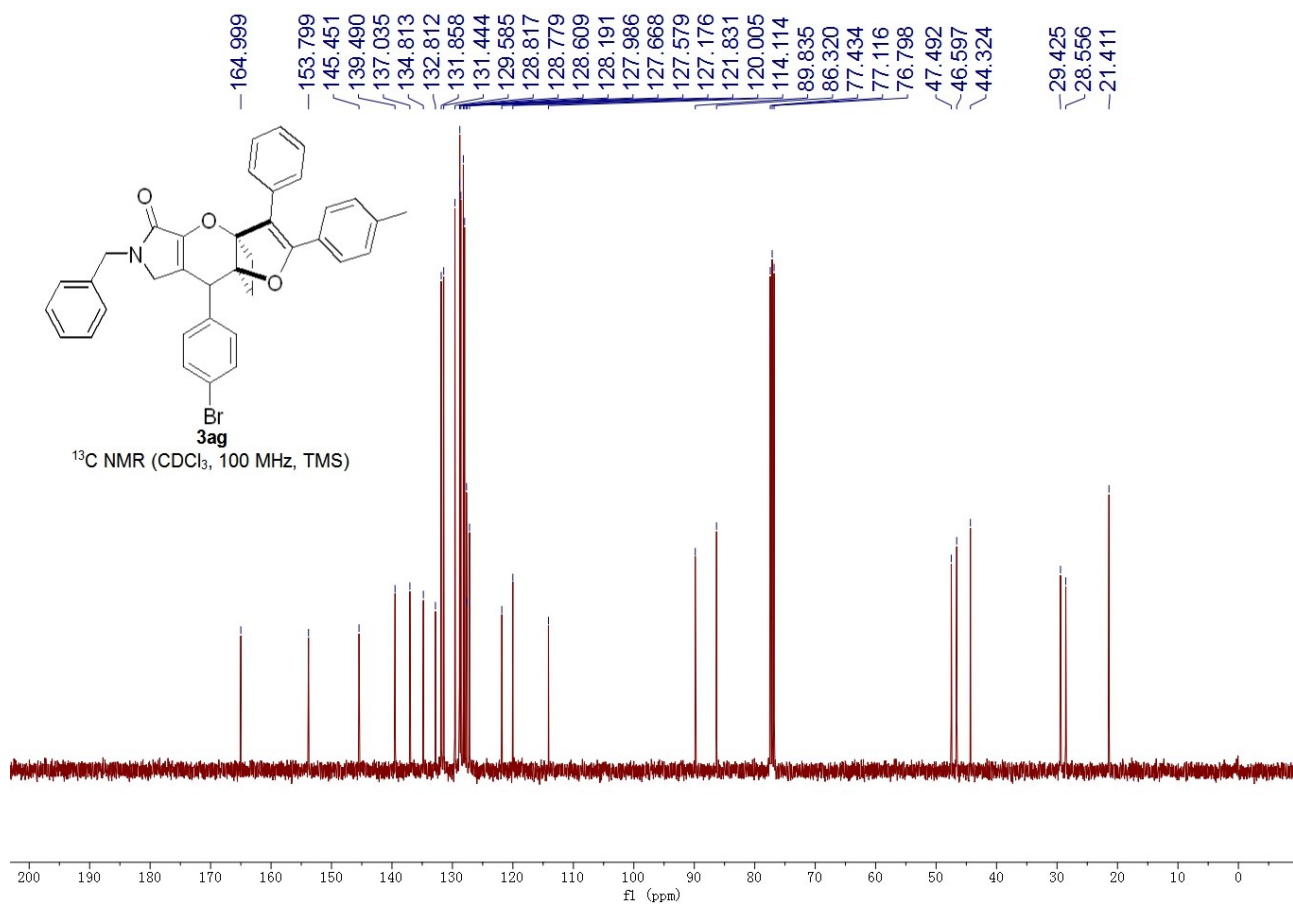
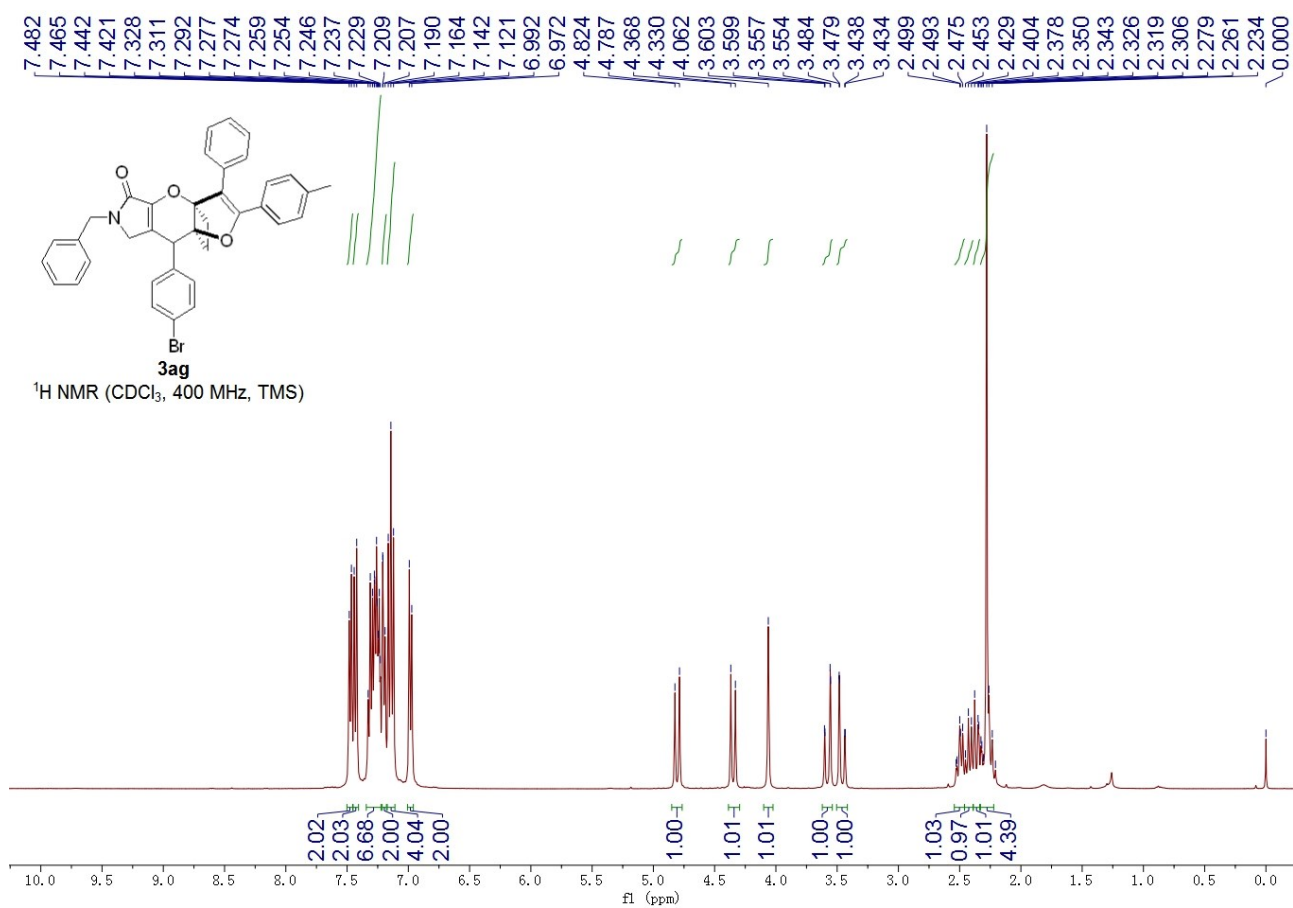
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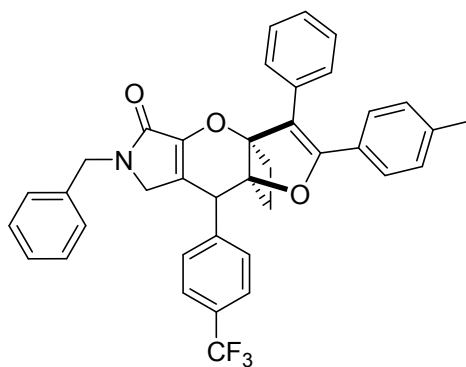




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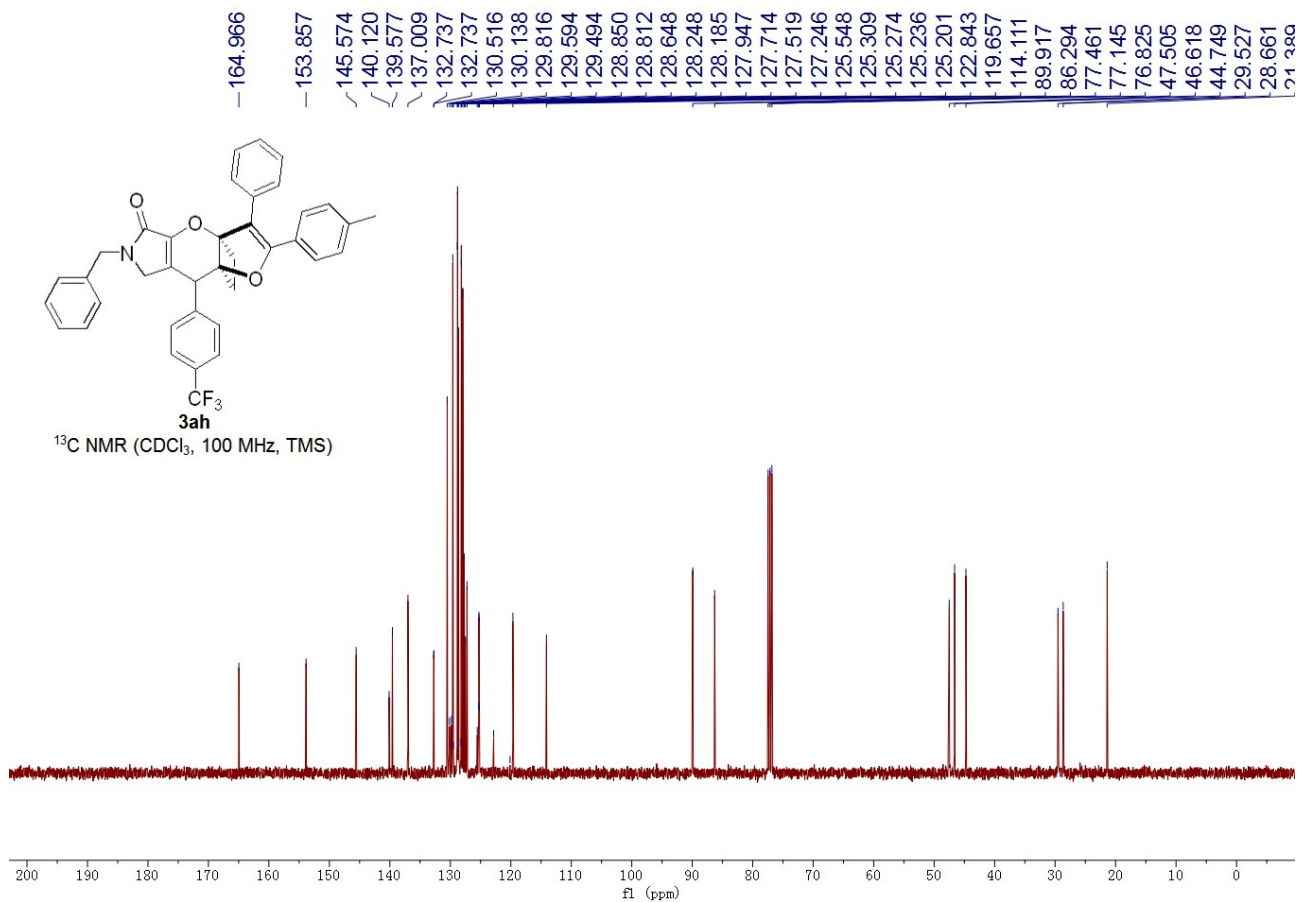
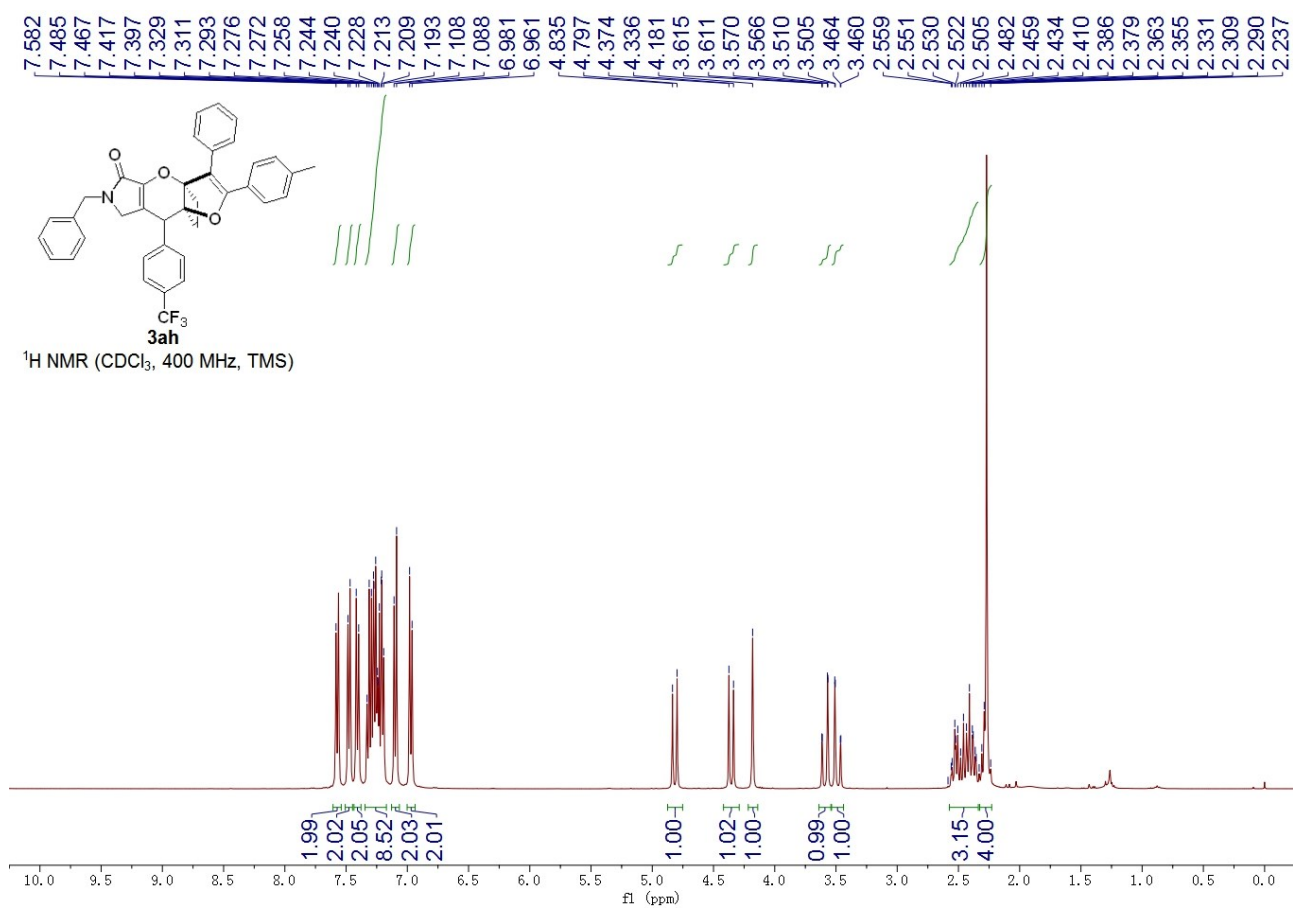
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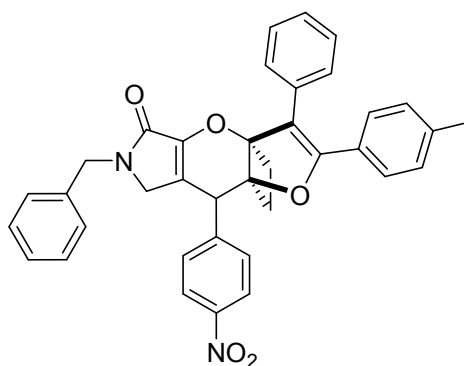
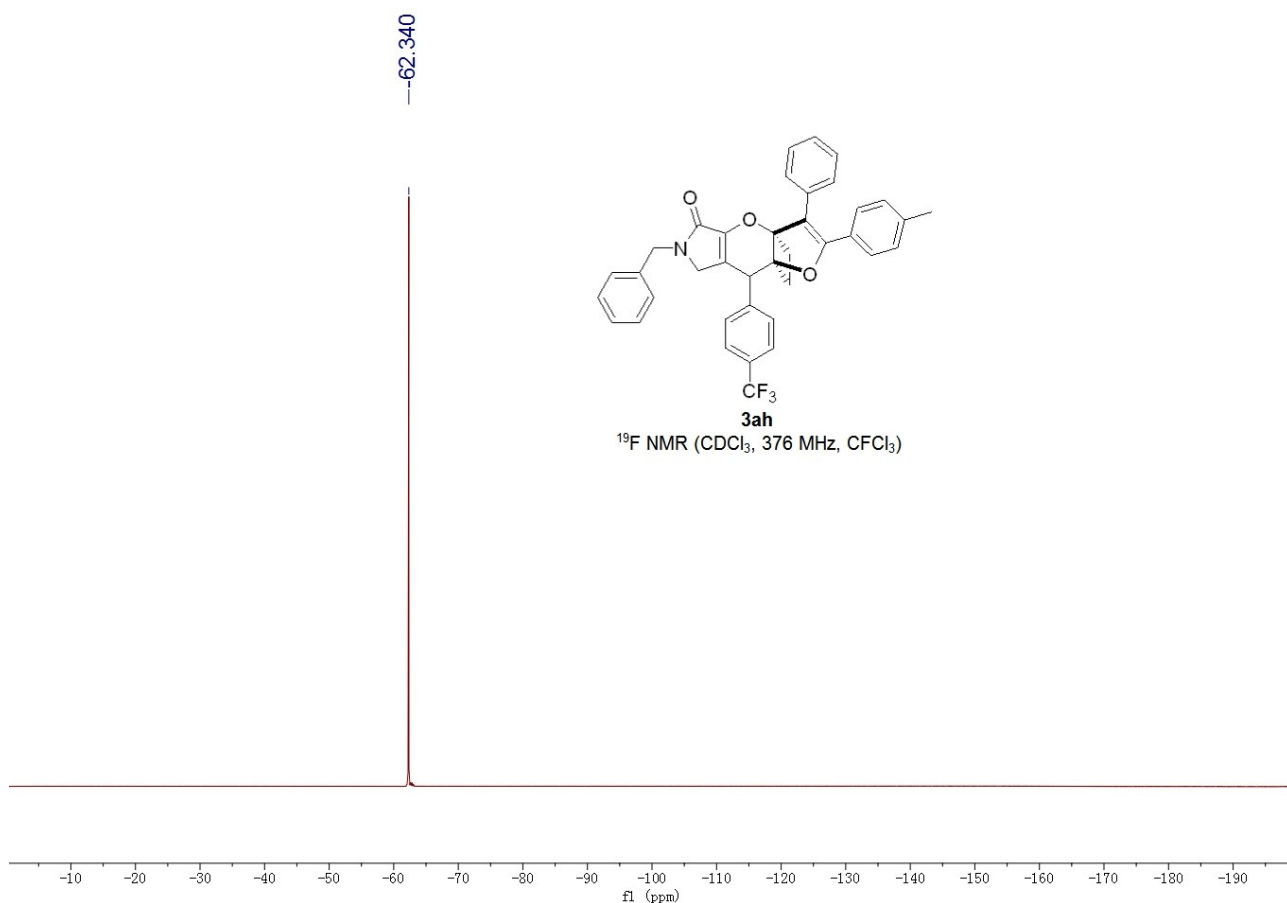




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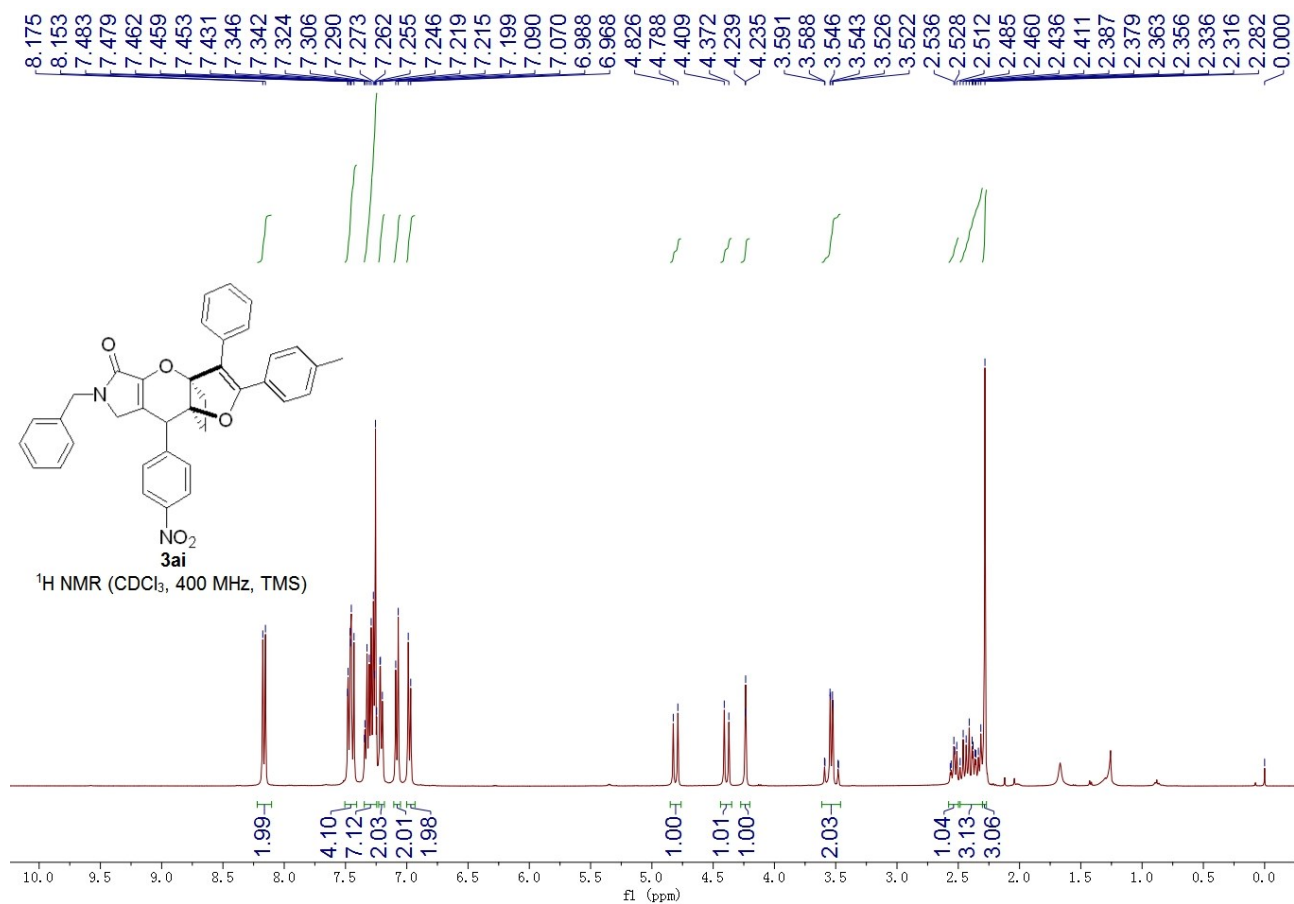


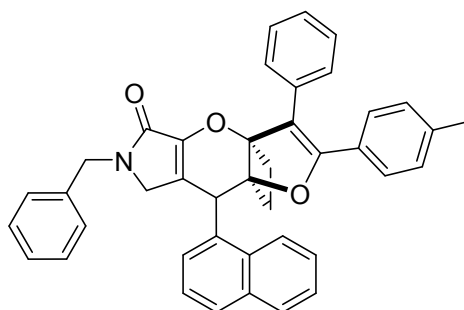
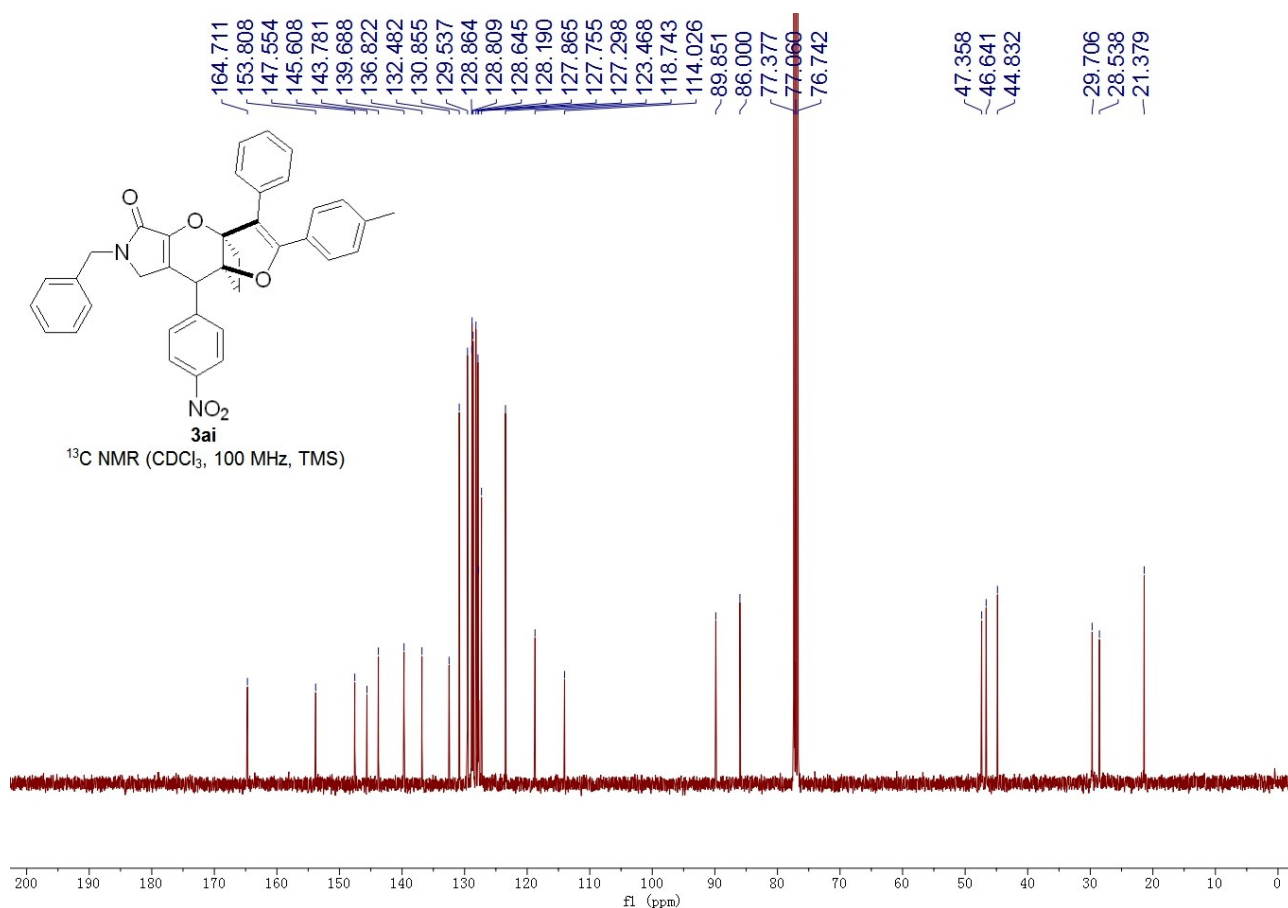
3ai

(3aS,8aS)-6-benzyl-8-(4-nitrophenyl)-3-phenyl-2-(p-tolyl)-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-

ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-c]pyrrol-5(8H)-one (3ai), the title compound was achieved as brown solid, MP = 120-122 °C, 30.7 mg, 26% yield. *R*_f = 0.33 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 2:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.16 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.48-7.43 (m, 4H), 7.35-7.25 (m, 6H), 7.22-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.98 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.81 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (s, 1H), 3.57 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (d, *J* = 18.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.57-2.51 (m, 1H), 2.49-2.32 (m, 3H), 2.28 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 164.7, 153.8, 147.6, 145.6, 143.8, 139.7, 136.8, 132.5, 130.9, 129.5, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 128.2, 127.9,

127.8, 127.3, 123.5, 118.7, 114.0, 89.9, 86.0, 47.4, 46.6, 44.8, 29.7, 28.5, 21.4. IR (neat) ν 2935, 1694, 1600, 1511, 1453, 1352, 1245, 1173, 1069, 994, 836, 768, 731, 700 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$: 583.2228, found: 583.2227.

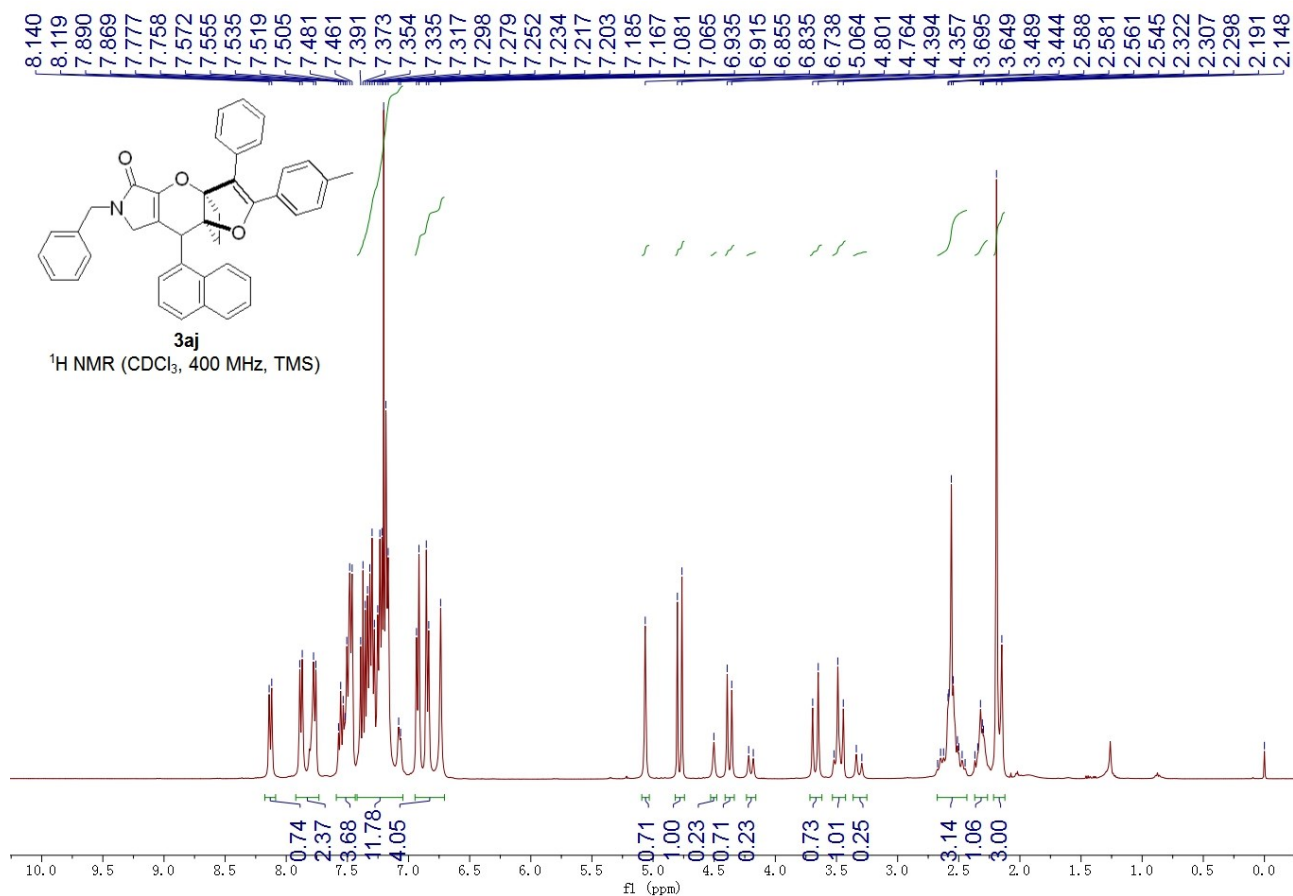


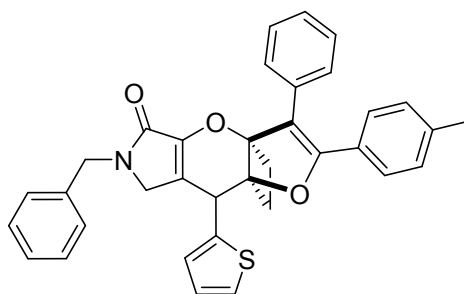
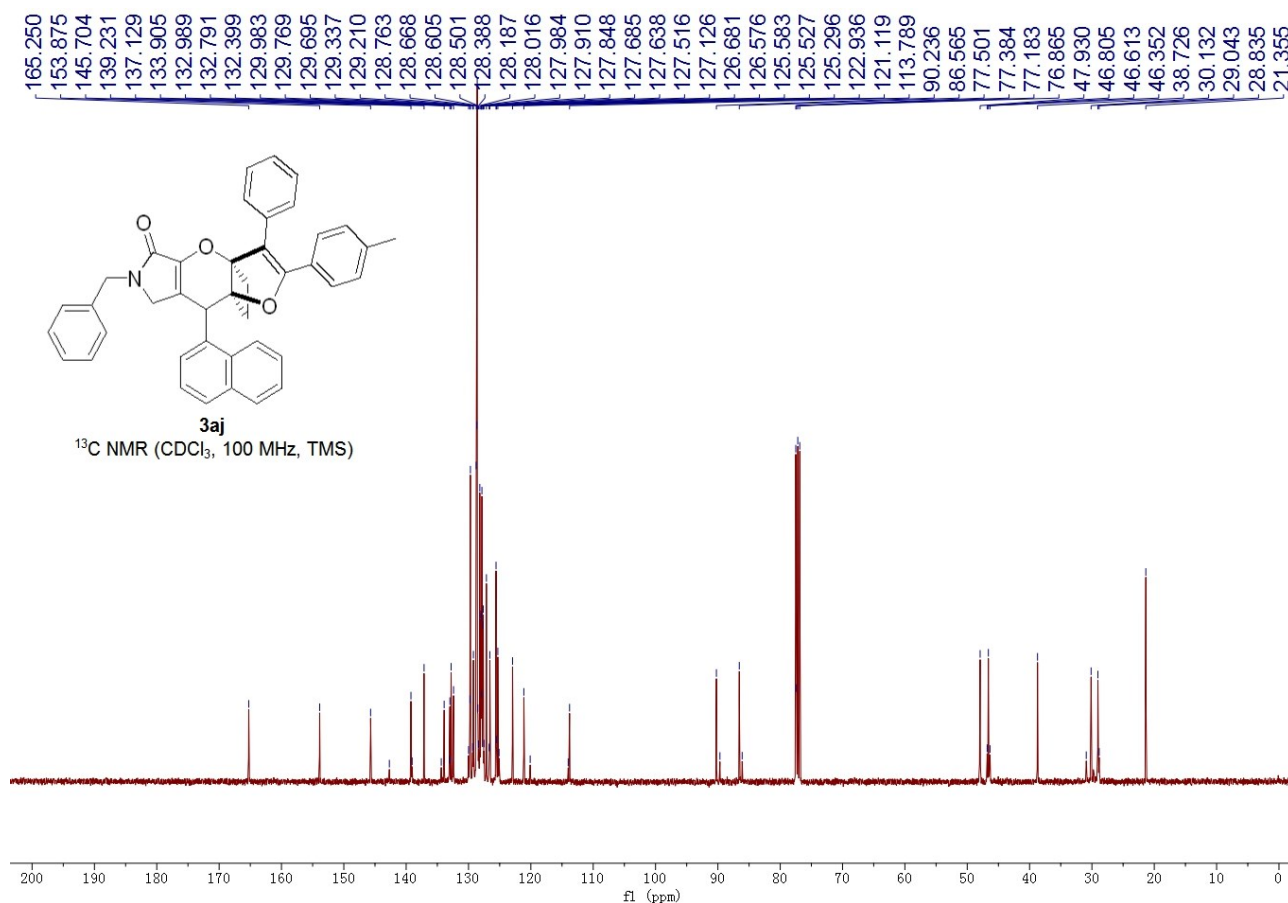


3aj

(3a*S*,8a*S*)-6-benzyl-8-(naphthalen-1-yl)-3-phenyl-2-(p-tolyl)-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrrol-5(8*H*)-one (3aj), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 120-122 °C, 83.3 mg, 70% yield (**d.s.** = **3:1**). *R_f* = 0.35 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.13 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 0.7H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.81-7.76 (m, 1.3H), 7.57-7.46 (m, 3.7H), 7.39-7.28 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.17 (m, 6H), 7.08-7.07 (m, 0.7H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 0.7H), 4.78 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.50 (s, 0.3H), 4.38 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 0.7H), 4.20 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 0.3H), 3.67 (d, *J* = 18.4 Hz, 0.7H), 3.52-3.44 (m, 1H), 3.32 (d, *J* = 18.4 Hz, 0.3H), 2.67-2.45 (m, 3H), 2.37-2.30 (m,

1H), 2.19 (s, 2.3H), 2.15 (s, 0.7H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.3, 153.9, 145.7, 139.2, 137.1, 133.9, 133.0, 132.8, 132.4, 130.0, 129.8, 129.7, 129.2, 128.8, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 127.98, 127.91, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 127.5, 127.1, 126.7, 126.6, 125.6, 125.5, 125.3, 122.9, 121.1, 113.8, 90.2, 86.6, 47.9, 46.8, 46.6, 46.4, 38.7, 30.1, 29.0, 28.8, 21.4. IR (neat) ν 2936, 1694, 1600, 1511, 1453, 1352, 1245, 1173, 1030, 994, 836, 768, 731, 700 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₄₁H₃₄NO₃: 588.2533, found: 588.2529.

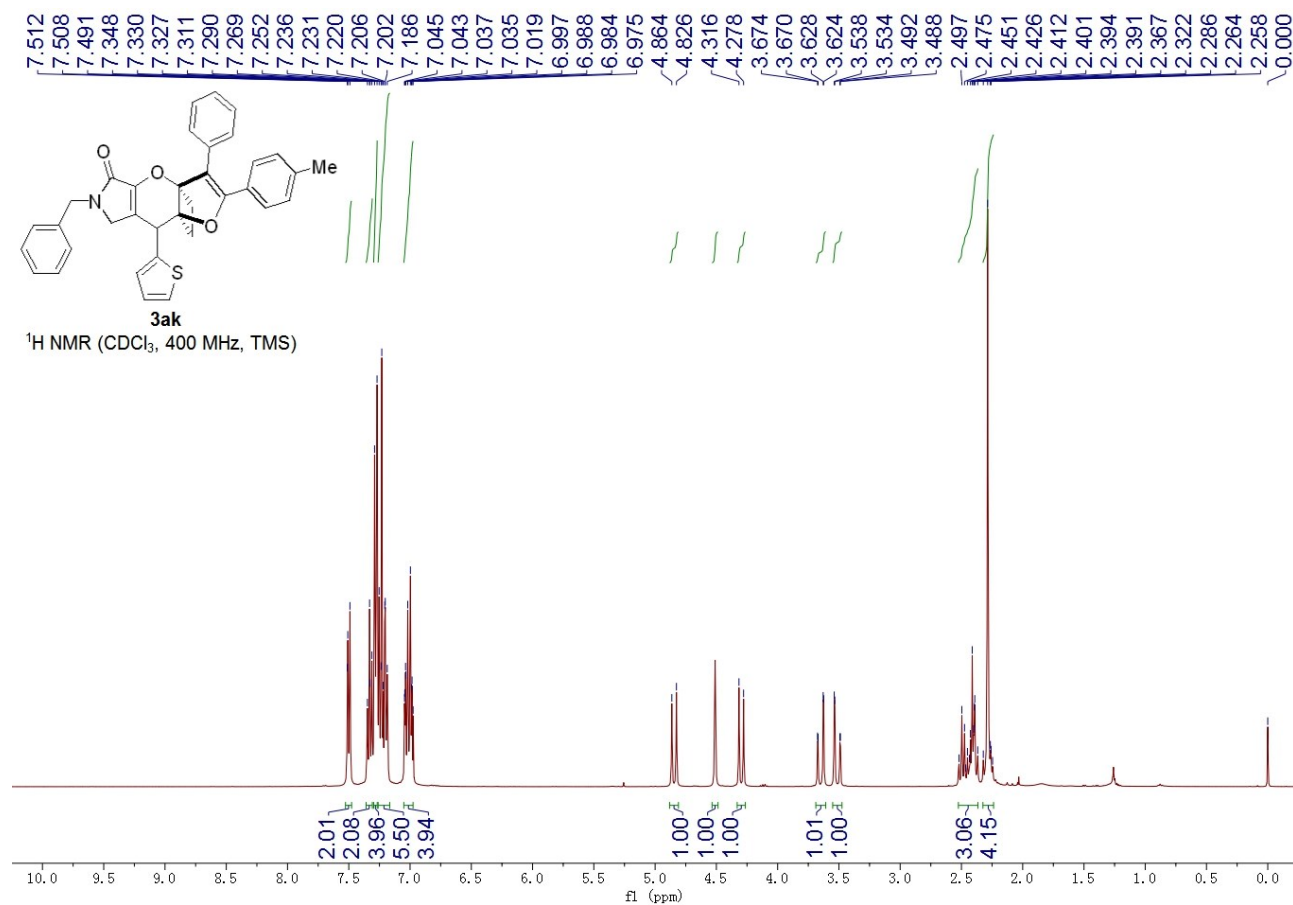


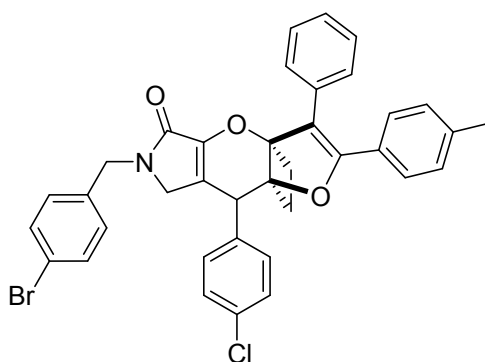
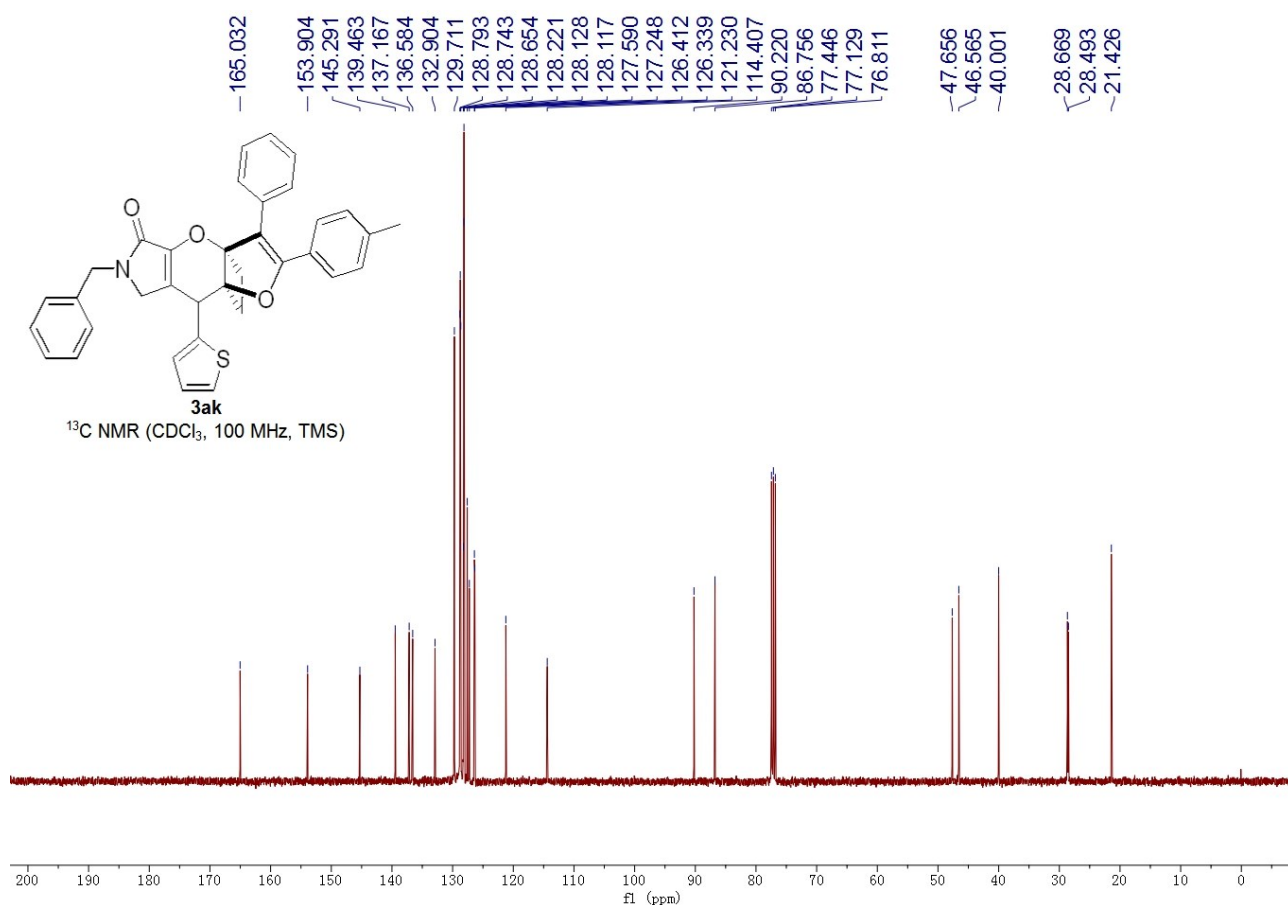


3ak

(3aS,8aS)-6-benzyl-3-phenyl-8-(thiophen-2-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)-6,7-dihydro-3a,8a-ethanofuro[2',3':5,6]pyrano[2,3-c]pyrrol-5(8H)-one (3ak), the title compound was achieved as yellow solid, MP = 106-108 °C, 86.4 mg, 65% yield. *R*_f = 0.38 (Petroleum Ether:Ethyl Acetate = 3:1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.51-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.05-6.98 (m, 4H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (s, 1H), 4.30 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.52-2.37 (m, 3H), 2.32-2.25 (m, 4H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.0, 153.9, 145.3, 139.5, 137.2, 136.6, 132.9, 129.7, 128.8, 128.7, 128.6, 128.2, 128.1, 127.6, 127.2, 126.4, 126.3, 121.2, 114.4, 90.2, 86.8, 47.7, 46.6,

40.0, 28.7, 28.5, 21.4. IR (neat) ν 2920, 1691, 1511, 1451, 1352, 1255, 1174, 1109, 1007, 827, 767, 699 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$: 544.1941, found: 544.1934.

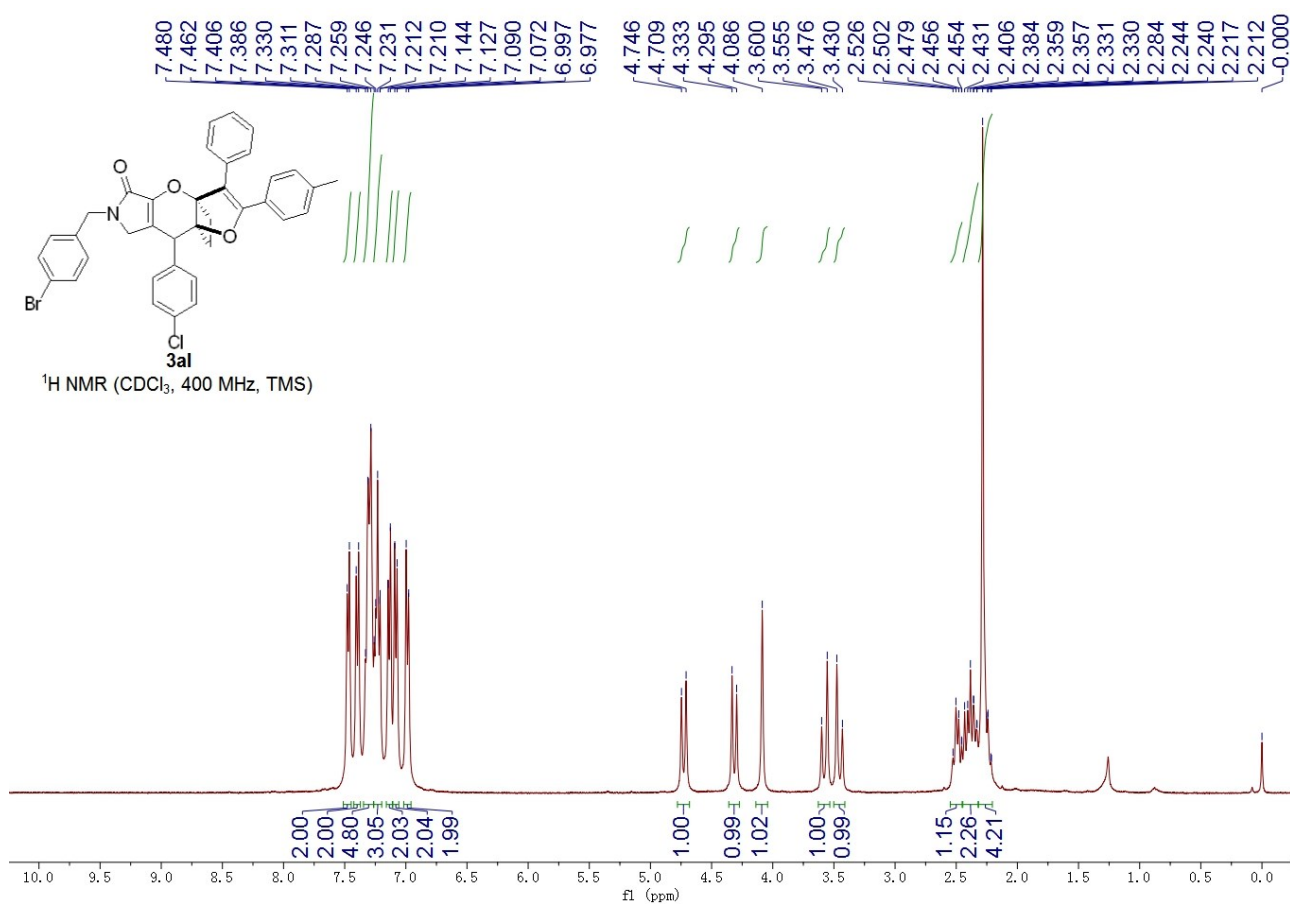


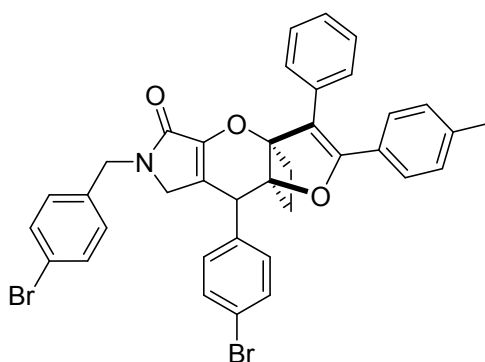
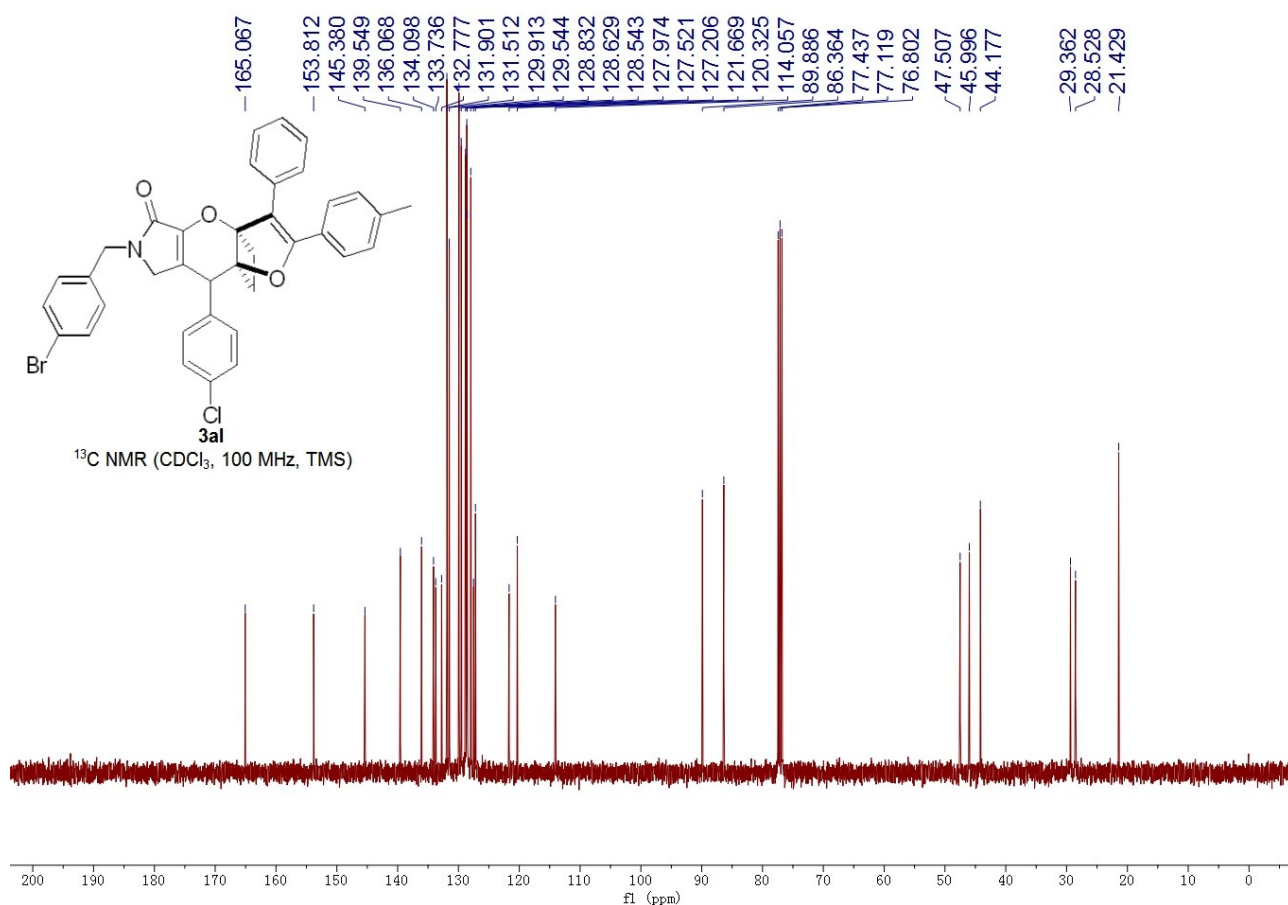


3al

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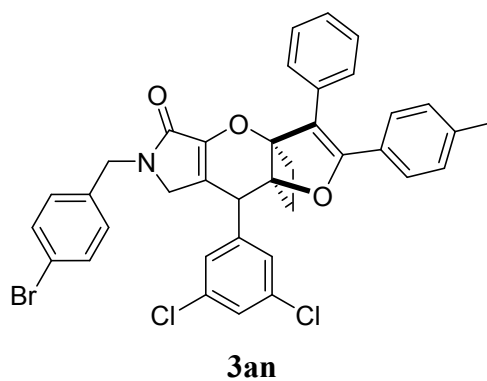
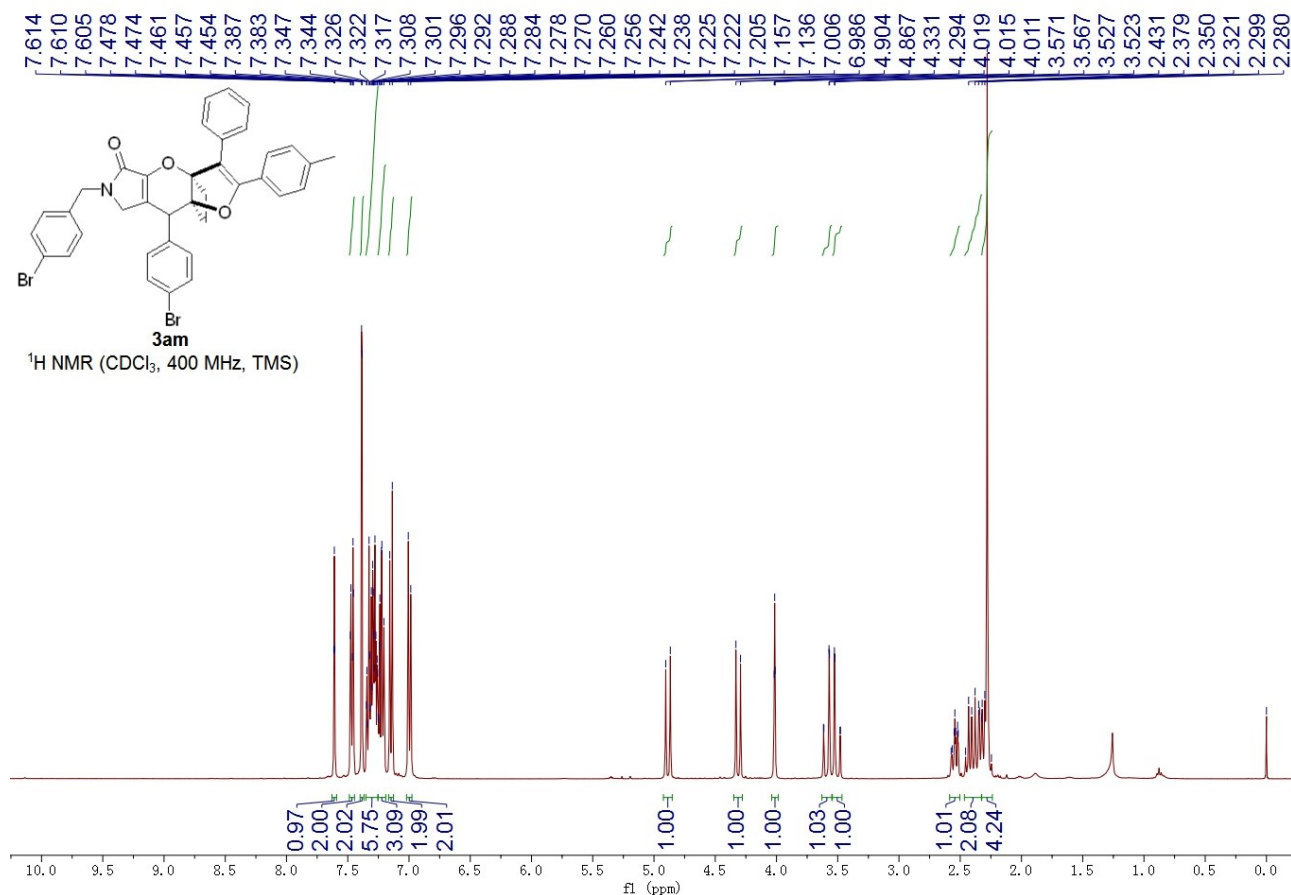
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 IR (neat) ν 2917, 1698, 1489, 1406, 1353, 1251, 1176, 1087, 1013, 824, 797, 767, 700, 668 cm^{-1} .
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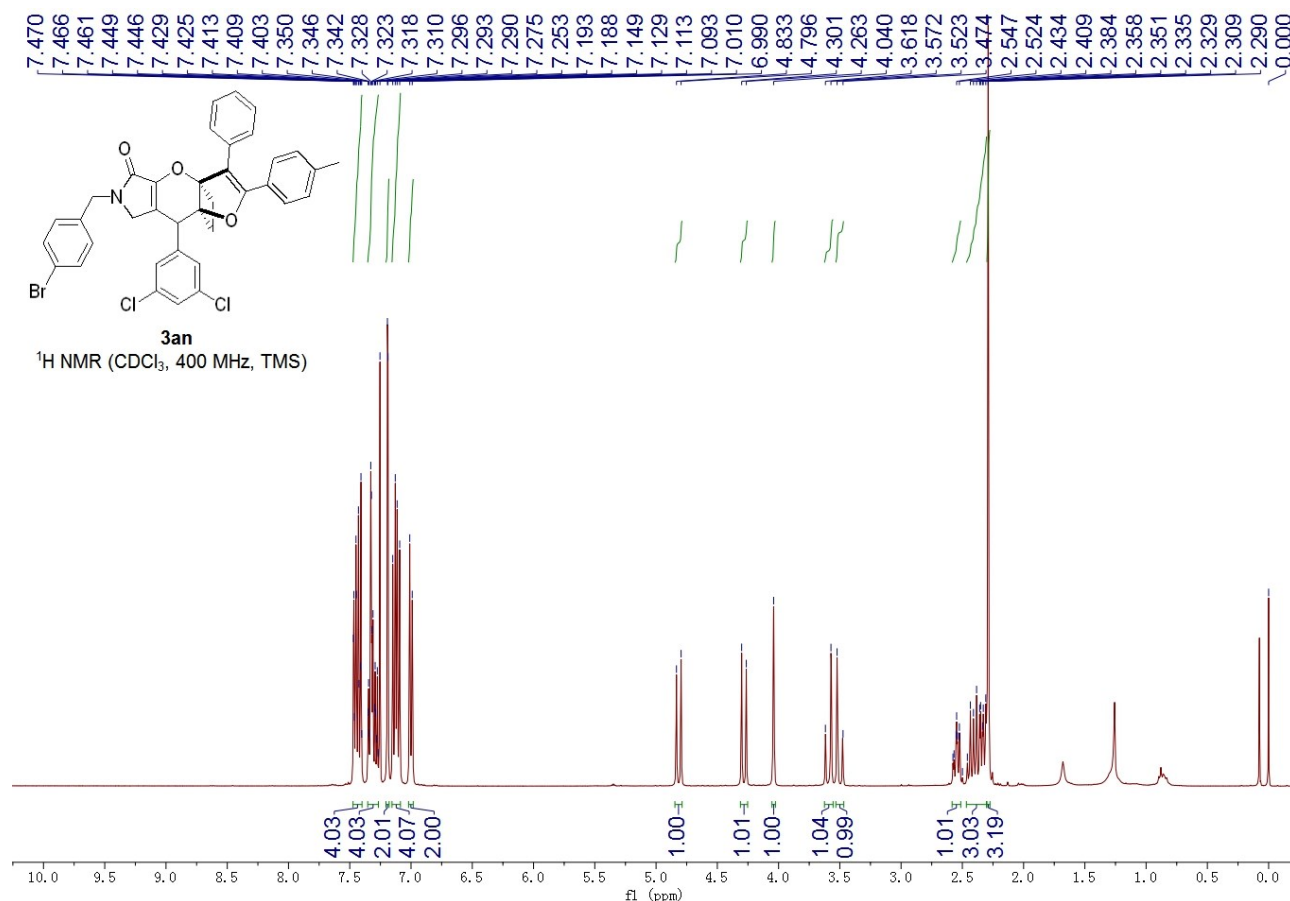
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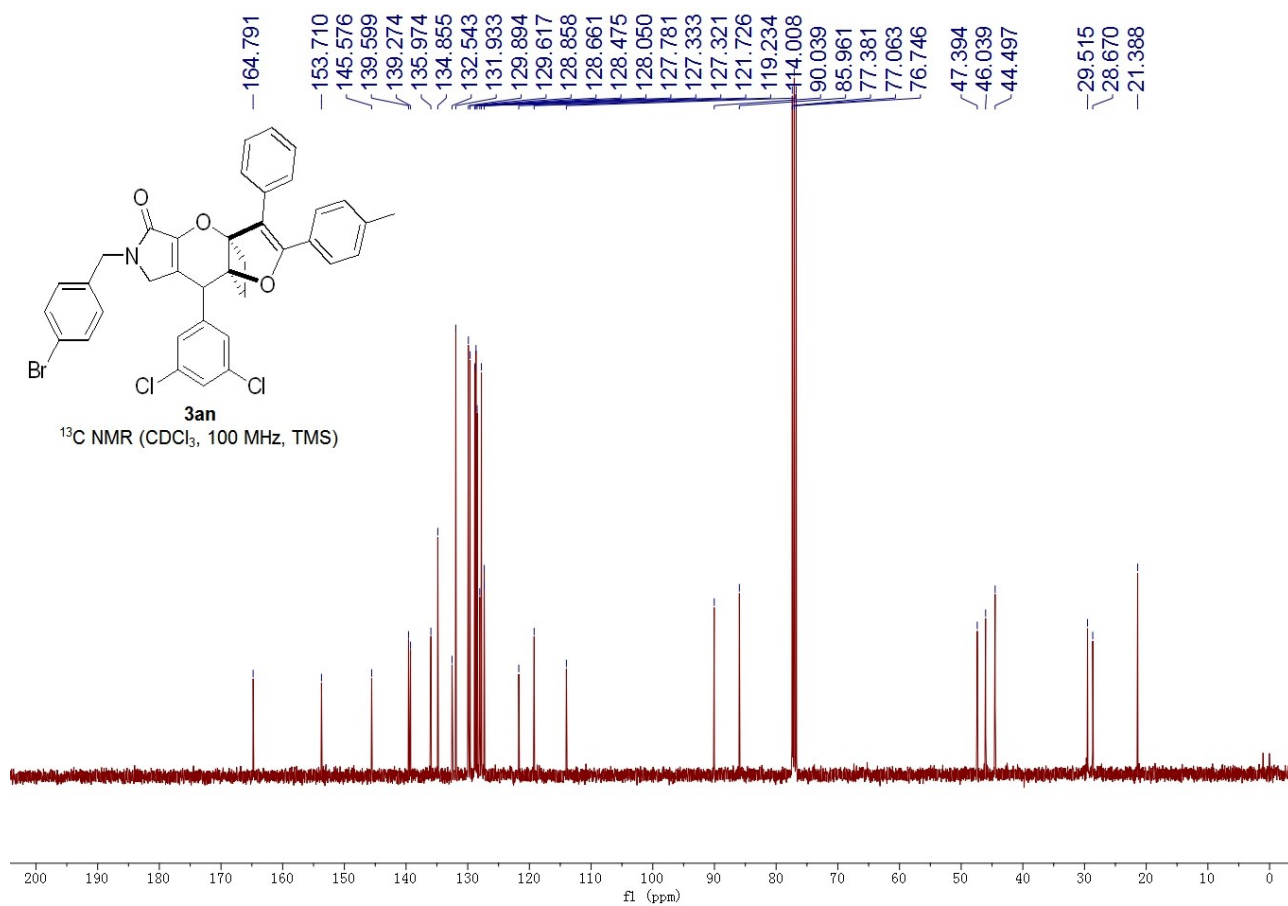
128.7, 128.2, 127.8, 127.7, 127.4, 127.3, 122.8, 119.0, 114.0, 90.0, 85.9, 47.4, 46.6, 44.4, 29.6, 28.7, 21.5. IR (neat) ν 2917, 1694, 1584, 1550, 1456, 1427, 1240, 1177, 1099, 1005, 825, 767, 744, 699 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_3\text{Br}_2$: 694.0587, found: 694.0587.

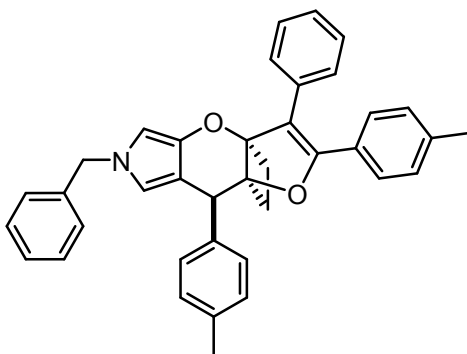


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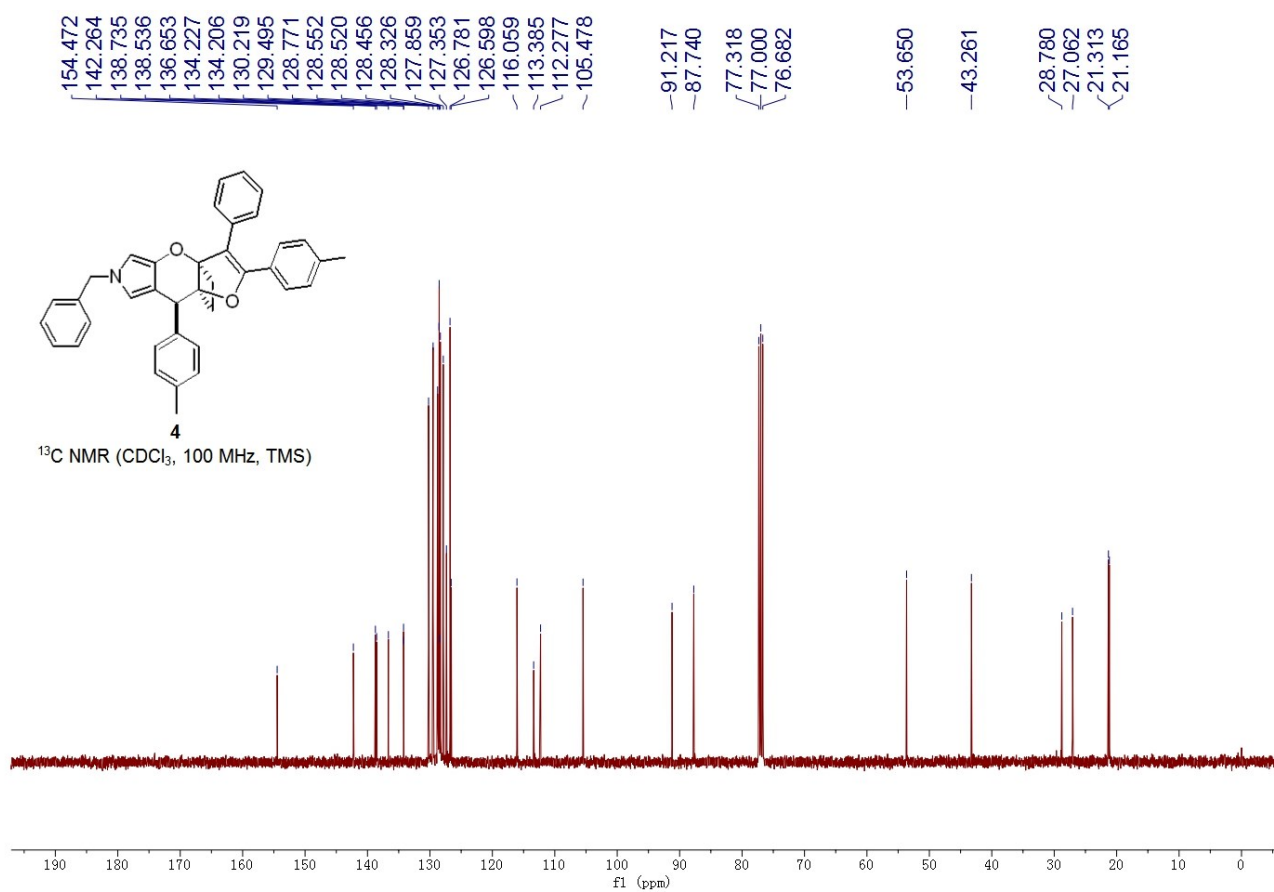
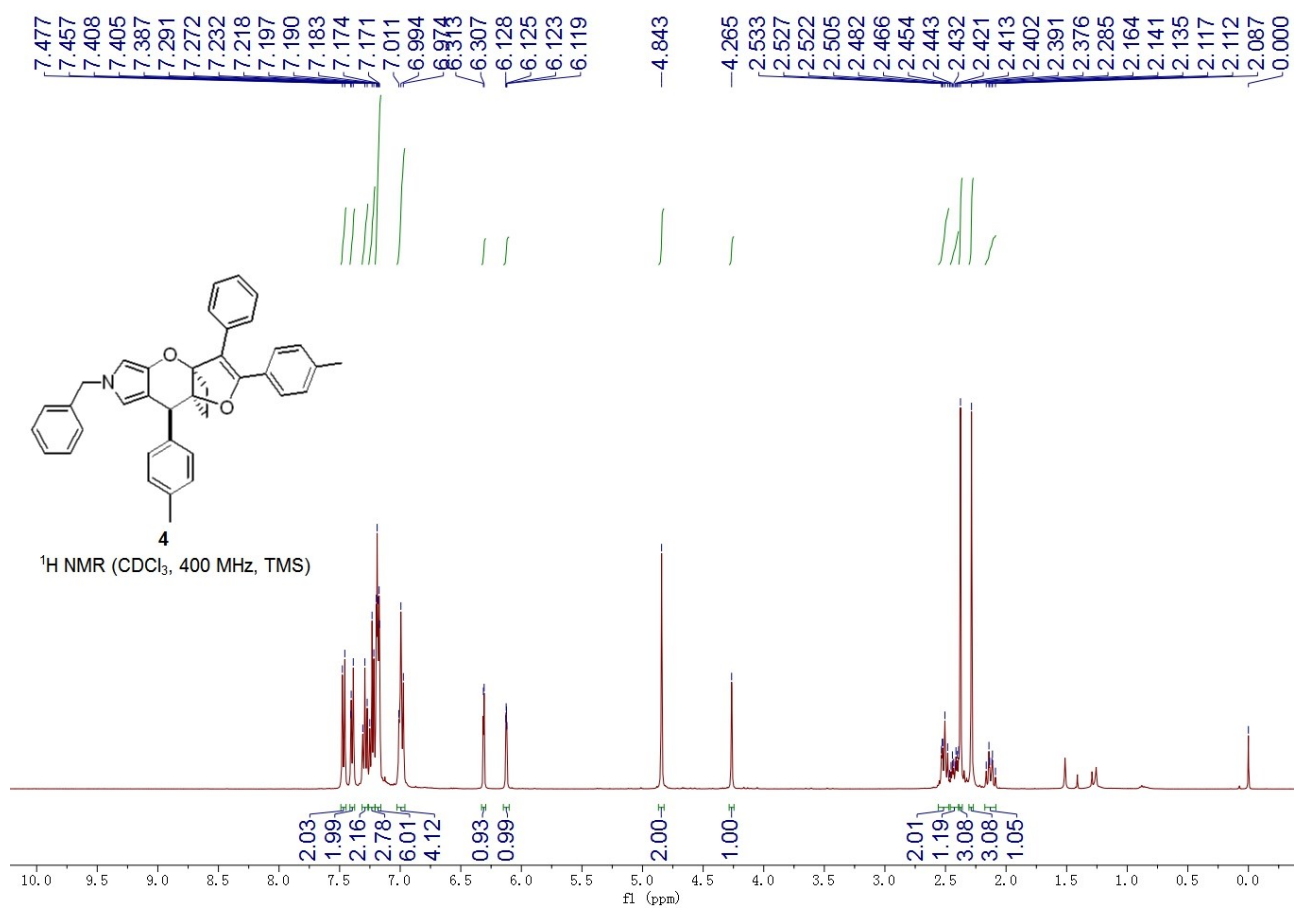
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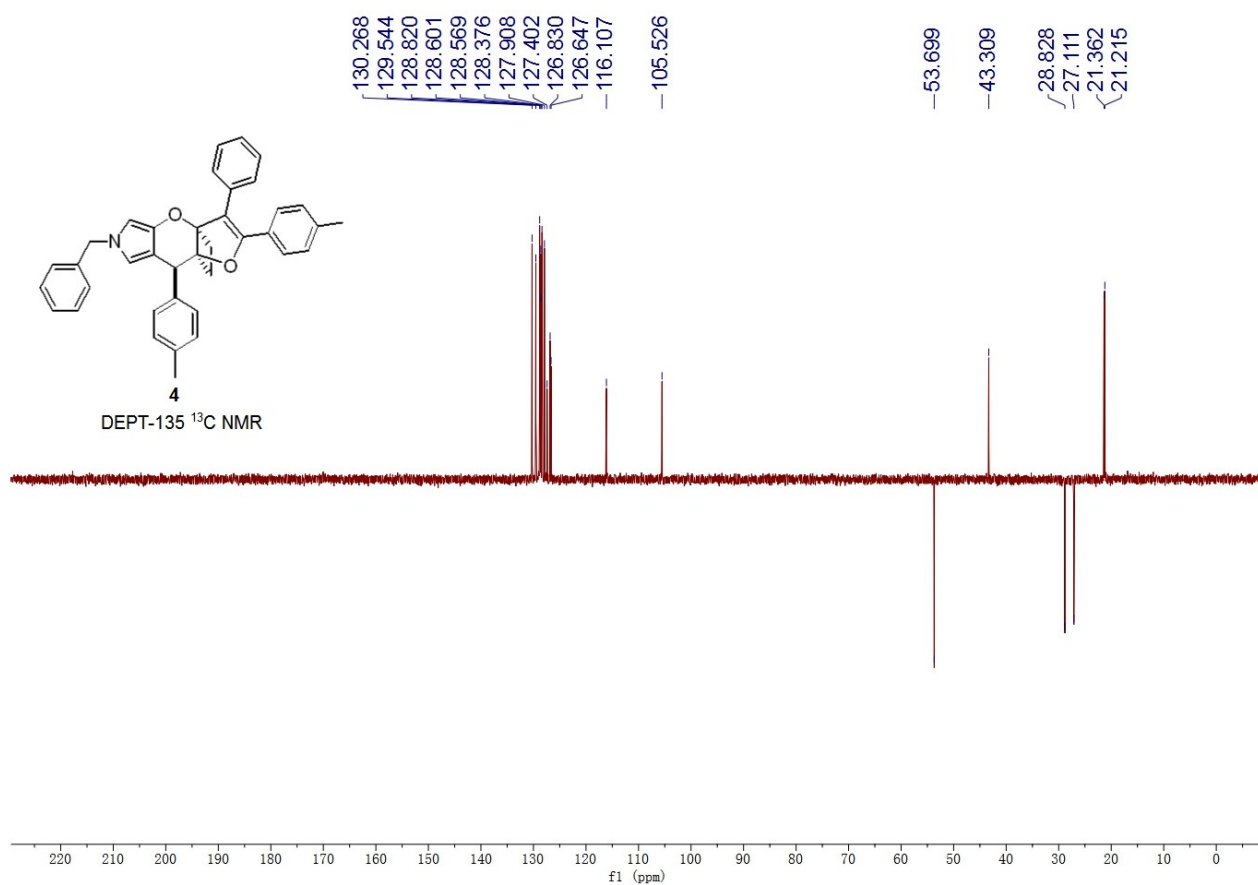




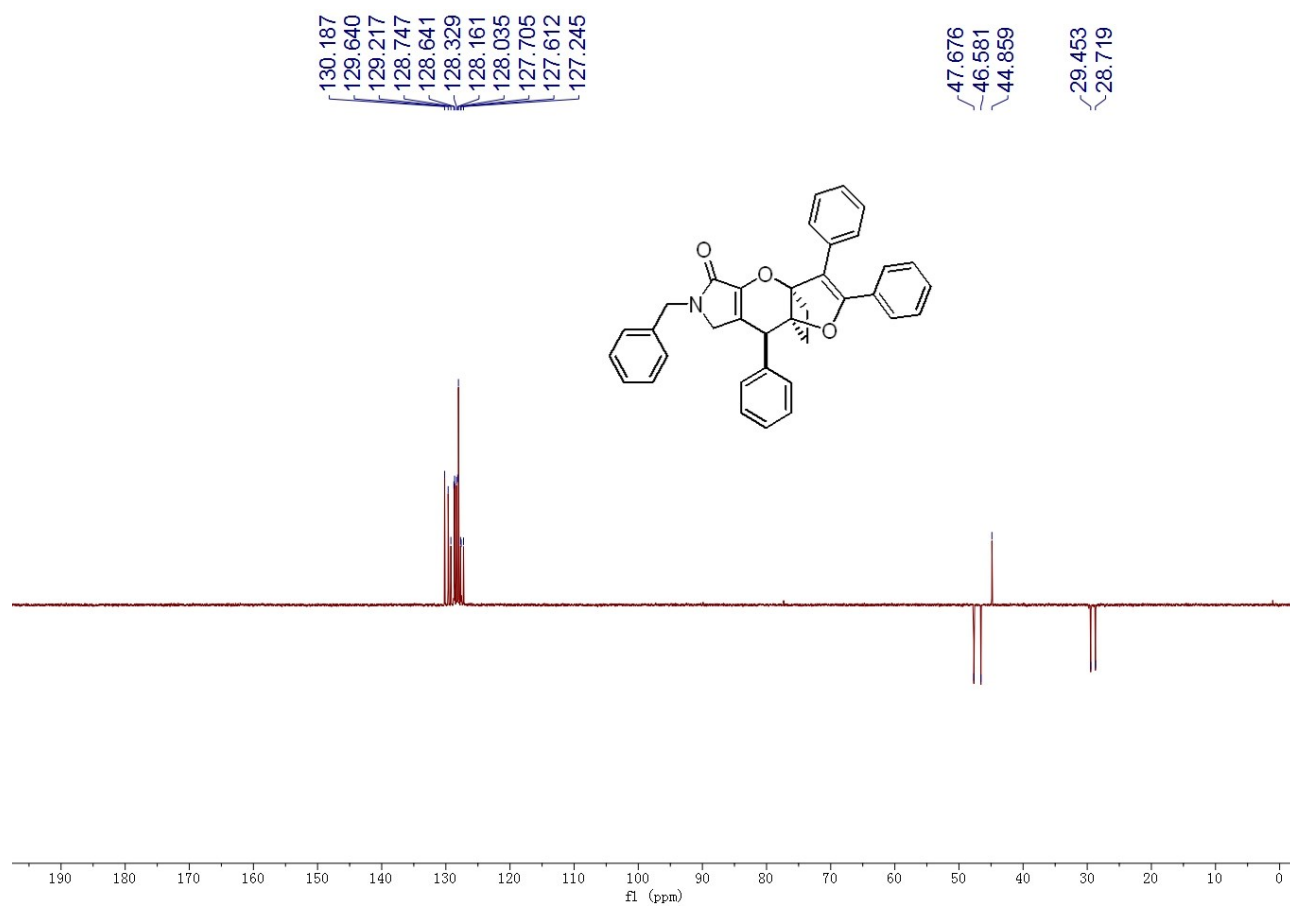


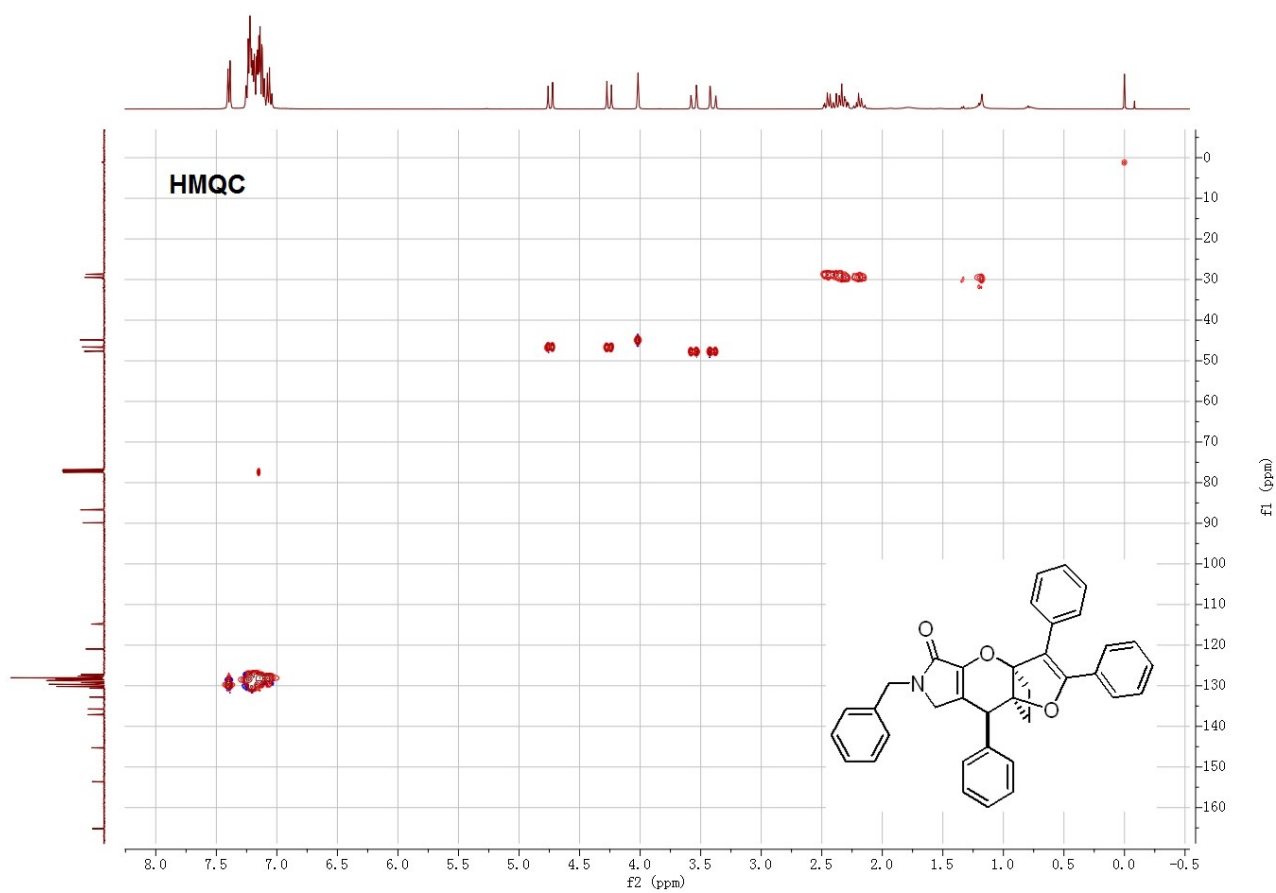
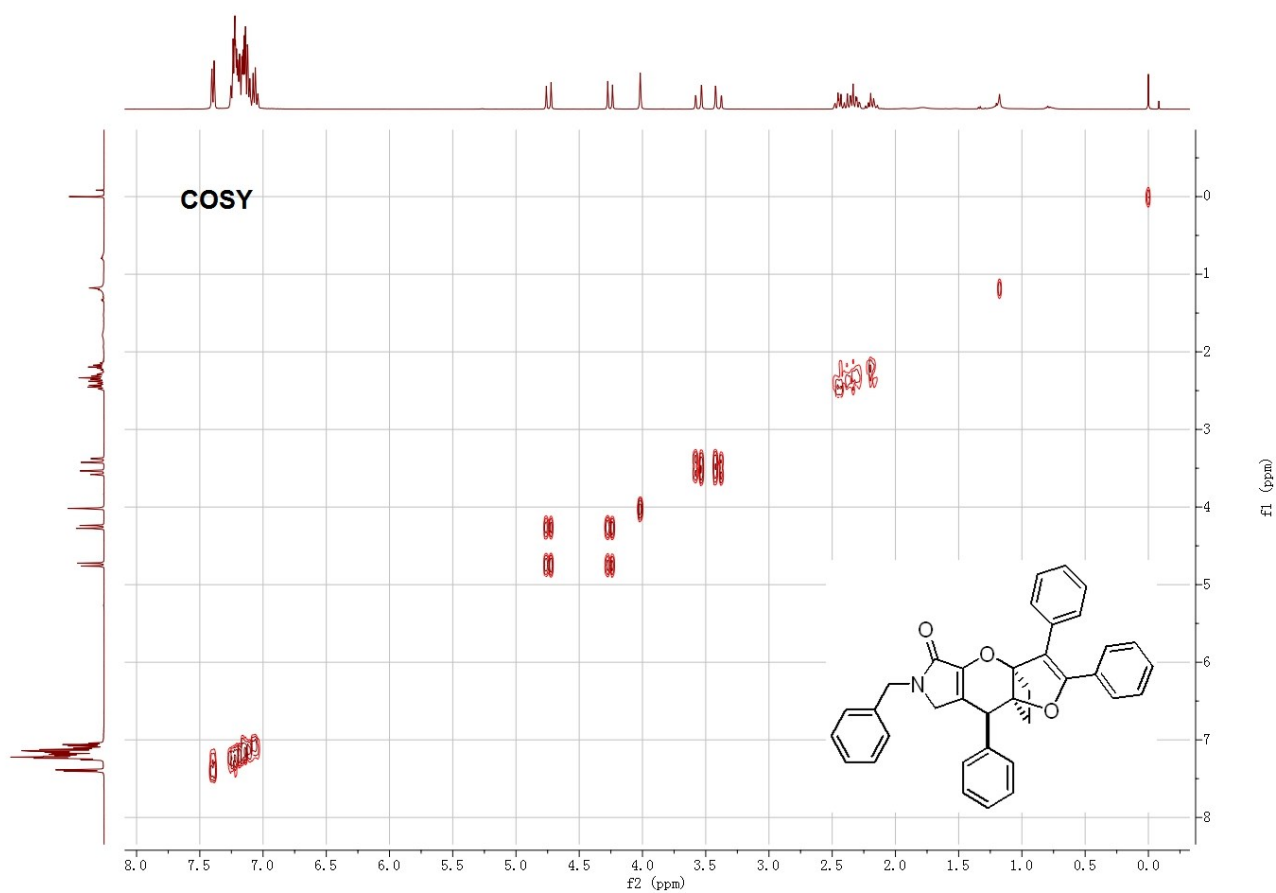
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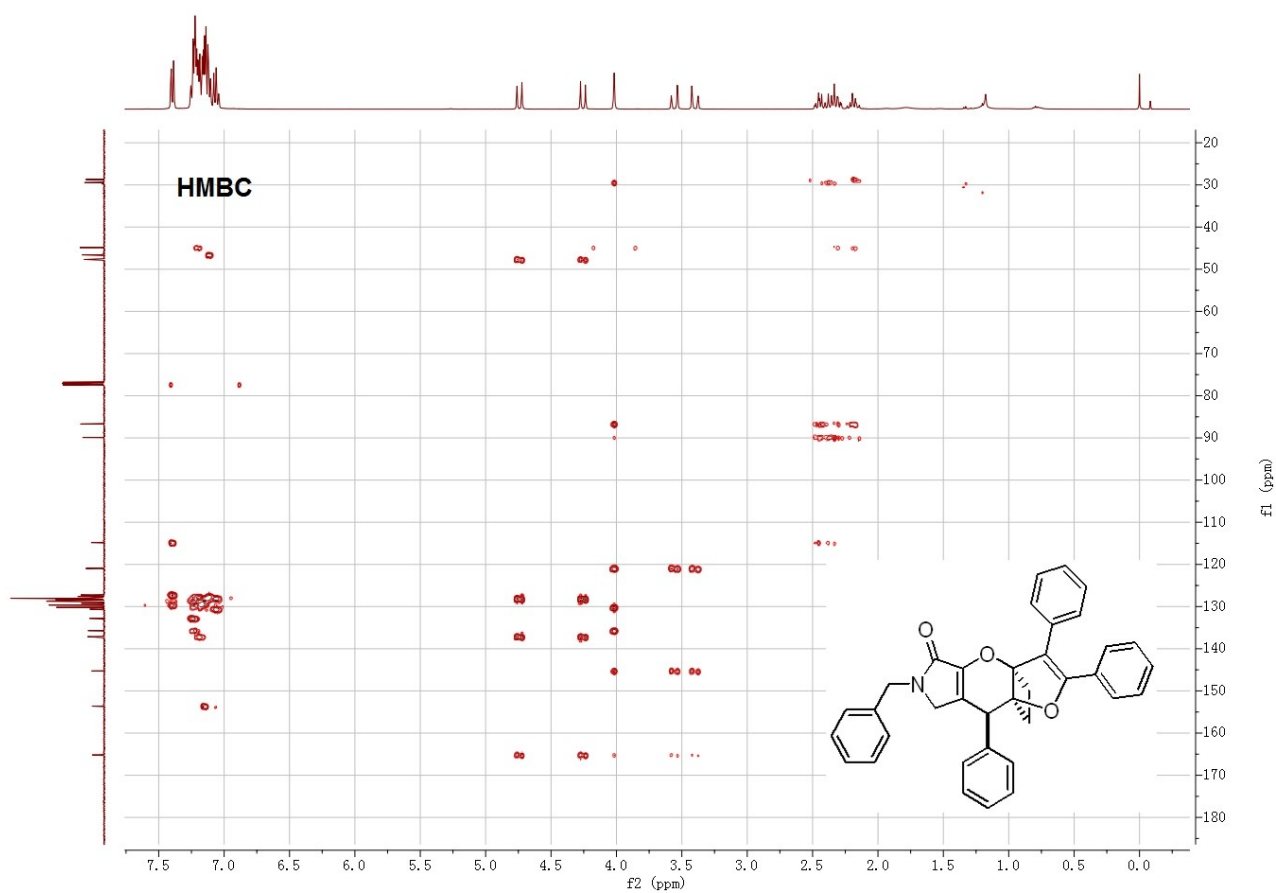




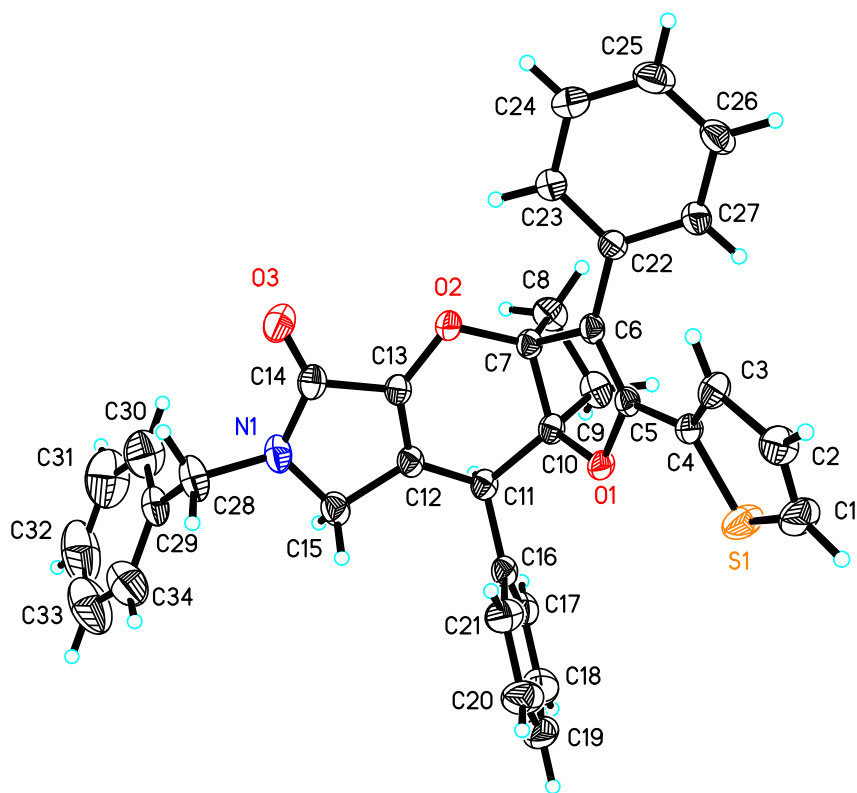
DEPT-135 spectra and 2D NMR spectra of **3ba**







(F) X-ray of Product 3la



The crystal data of **3la** have been deposited in CCDC with number 2052391. Empirical Formula: $C_{34}H_{27}NO_3S$; Formula Weight: 529.62; Crystal Color, Habit: colorless, Crystal Dimensions: 0.200 x 0.150 x 0.100 mm³; Crystal System: Triclinic; Lattice Parameters: $a = 10.5667(4)$ Å, $b = 10.7003(5)$ Å, $c = 13.9406(6)$ Å, $\alpha = 69.3010(10)^\circ$, $\beta = 88.1310(10)^\circ$, $\gamma = 67.2510(10)^\circ$, $V = 1349.84(10)$ Å³; Space group: P -1; $Z = 2$; $D_{calc} = 1.303$ g/cm³; $F_{000} = 556$; Final R indices [$I > 2\sigma(I)$] $R1 = 0.0657$, $wR2 = 0.1745$.