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## Harnessing Visible-light Energy for Unbiased Organic Photoelectrocatalysis: Synthesis of N-Bearing Fused Rings

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## Supplemental Experimental Procedures

### 1. General Information

All reactions were performed using quartz tube. The divided cell used for mechanism study (Fig. 4A, exp.3) is “H-type” cell with a porous glass to separate photoanode and cathode. Commercial grade reagents **2** and EtOH (OCEANPAK, GC ≥ 99.9%) were used without further purification except as indicated below. *N*-aryltetrahydroisoquinolines (**1**) were prepared according to reported procedures.<sup>1</sup> Analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on Merck silica gel aluminum plates with F-254 indicator, visualized by irradiation with UV light. Flash chromatography columns were packed with 200-300 mesh silica gel and silica gel was purchased from Qing Dao Hai Yang Chemical Industry. <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DPX-400 spectrometer in CDCl<sub>3</sub>. All chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) are reported in ppm and coupling constants ( $J$ ) in Hz relative to tetramethylsilane as internal standard ( $\delta = 0$  ppm). For the <sup>19</sup>F spectra,  $\alpha$ -trifluorotoluene served as external standard ( $\delta = -63.9$  ppm). High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained on an Agilent LC-MSD-Trap-XCT spectrometer with micromass MS software using electrospray ionization (ESI). The UV-Vis absorption spectra were recorded in MeCN on a Perkin Elmer Lambda 35 spectrometer. X-Ray powder diffraction (XRD) patterns were recorded using an X-ray Diffractometer (X' Pert PRO) at a scan rate of 5 ° min<sup>-1</sup> by using Cu<sub>Kα</sub> radiation. The LCD Digital Hotplate Magnetic Stirrer MS-H-Pro<sup>+</sup> and Digital Single Channel Adjustable Automatic Electronic Pipette Micropipette dPettee<sup>+</sup> were purchased from Dragon Laboratory Instruments Limited. The linear sweep voltammetry (LSV), cyclic voltammetry (CV) curves and electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS) measurements were performed using a CHI660E Instruments. All reactions were carried out with photoreactor (Serial No: D243V12) which was purchased from LUOYANG JINFENG ELECTROMECHANICAL EQUIPMENT CO., LTD.

### 2. Experimental Procedures

#### 1) Preparation of the BiVO<sub>4</sub>

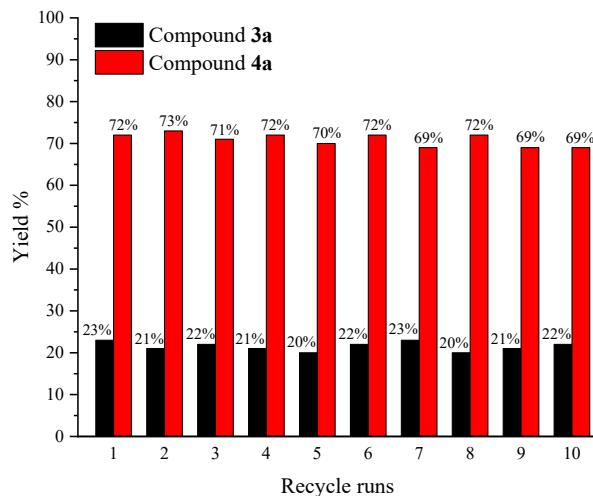
Firstly, Contaminants of the fluorine-doped SnO<sub>2</sub> (FTO) conducting glass (10 mm × 23 mm × 1.1 mm, ≤ 7 ohm/sq, Xiang Science & Technology) were removed by washing with deionized water, acetone and ethanol three times (15 minutes each wash). After drying with Ar, the BiVO<sub>4</sub> electrode was prepared by electro-deposition as following steps:<sup>2</sup> (1) Bi(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>·5H<sub>2</sub>O (0.04 M) and KI (0.4 M) were dissolved in 50 mL distilled water to form a clear solution; (2) HNO<sub>3</sub> was used to adjust the pH to 1.7; (3) *p*-benzoquinone ethanol solution (0.23 M, 20 mL) was added to above mixed solution and stirred vigorously for 20 min; (4) The electrodeposition was carried out in three-electrode cell using a constant potential of -0.1 V versus Ag/AgCl for 600 seconds at room temperature (FTO as a working electrode, Pt plate as a counter electrode and Ag/AgCl as a reference electrode); (5) After being taken out and washed with distilled water, the dried BiOI film was covered by dipping 200 μL containing vanadyl acetylacetone (0.2 M) DMSO solution. BiVO<sub>4</sub> film was formed by heating in a muffle furnace at 450 °C for 1 hour; (6) After being cooled down to room temperature, the electrode was soaked in NaOH solution (1.0 M) for 30 min to remove excess V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. Finally, the BiVO<sub>4</sub> electrode was rinsed with distilled water.

## 2) General procedure for photoelectrocatalytic transformation of malononitrile (**2**) and *N*-aryl-tetrahydroisoquinolines (**1**)

*N*-aryl-tetrahydroisoquinoline (**1**) (0.2 mmol), malononitrile (**2**) (1.5 equiv.), ammonium chloride (0.1 M) and EtOH (5 mL) were added to a quartz-tube with BiVO<sub>4</sub>/FTO as photoanode and Pt plate as counter electrode at room temperature under 3 W blue LED irradiation. Electrodes were rinsed with DCM (3 mL). The mixture was extracted with dichloromethane (2 × 5 mL) and saturated salt water (2 × 5 mL) and dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The solvent was removed in vacuum, and the crude reaction mixture was purified by chromatography on silica gel (elute: ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/30-1/10, v/v) to give the desired product **3** and **4**.

## 3) Reuse of photoanode

The reaction procedure is as mentioned above for the photoelectrocatalysis. After the completion of the reaction, the BiVO<sub>4</sub>/FTO photoanode was separated from the reaction mixture, and was applied to the next run after cleaning with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (3 x 0.5 mL). The reaction mixture was extracted with dichloromethane and saturated salt water, the organic phase was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under reduced pressure. Finally, they were purified by chromatography on silica gel (elute: ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/30-1/10, v/v) to give the desired product **3** and **4**.

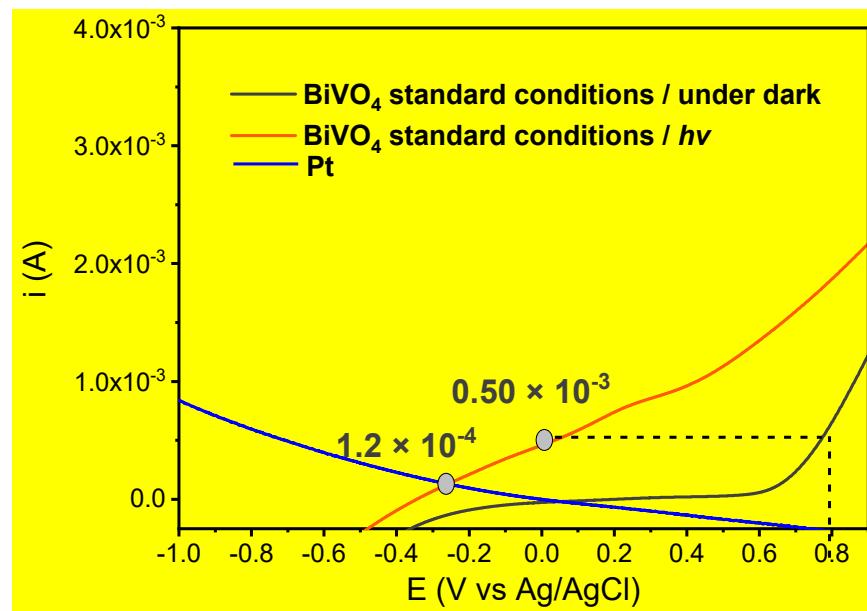


**Figure S1.** <sup>a</sup>Reaction condition: 2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (**1a**, 0.2 mmol), malononitrile (**2a**, 1.5 equiv.), ammonium chloride (0.1 M), EtOH (5 mL) in a quartz-tube under air at room temperature, 3 W blue LED, for 5 h. Isolated yield.

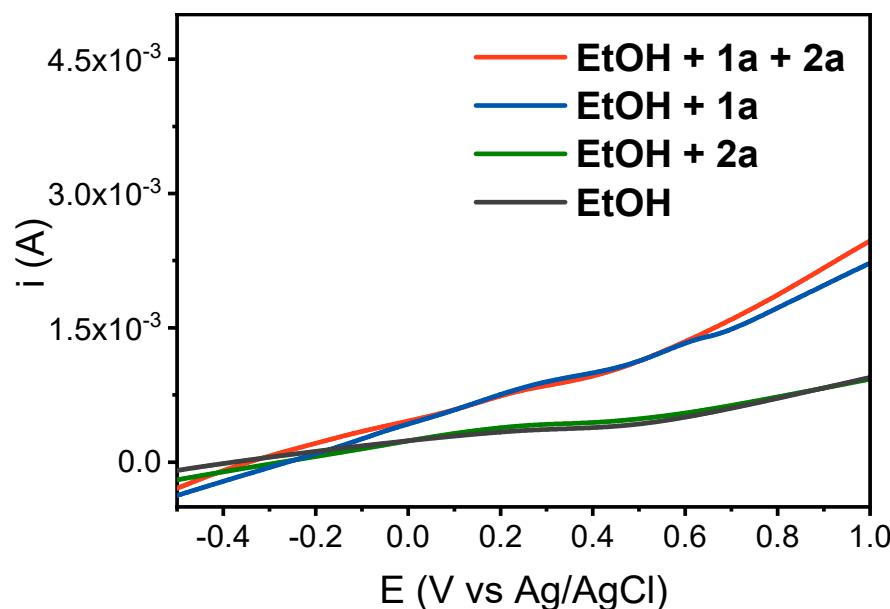
### 3. LSV Curves, Photocurrent Density Response and EIS Experiments

#### 1) The linear sweep voltammetry (LSV) curves of BiVO<sub>4</sub> photoanode

LSV curves were recorded with a three-electrode configuration using a CHI660E electrochemical workstation. BiVO<sub>4</sub>/FTO electrode was used as the working electrode with the Ag/AgCl reference electrode and Pt counter electrode. LSV curves were performed at a scan rate of 0.1 V/s without stirring.



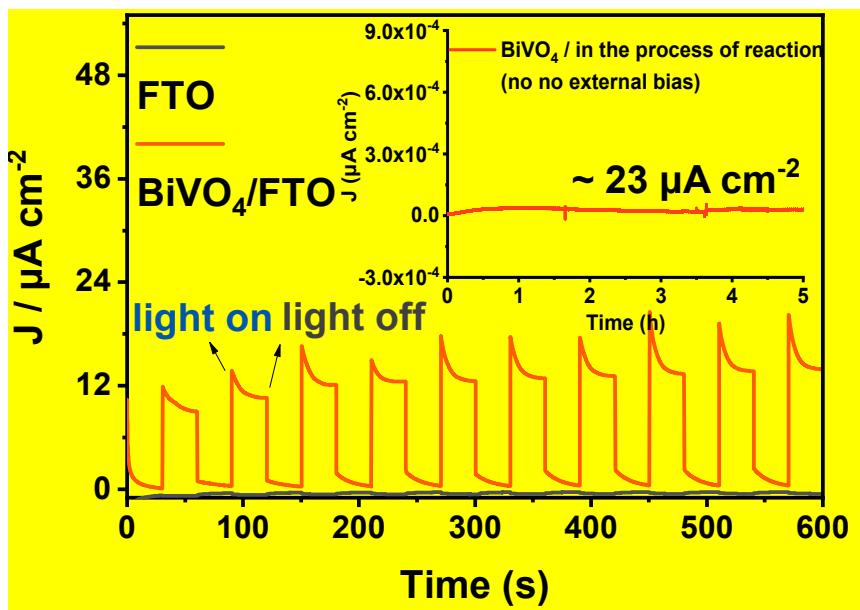
**Figure S2.** LSVs of a BiVO<sub>4</sub> photoanode obtained under blue LED ( $E = 5.00-5.15 \times 10^4$  lx,  $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 450-465$  nm) illumination (red) and under dark (black) in EtOH (5 mL) that contained NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (0.1 M), **1a** (0.2 mmol) and **2a** (0.3 mmol)



**Figure S3.** LSVs of PEC oxidation under LED illumination. The electrolyte is 0.1 M NH<sub>4</sub>Cl

#### 2) Photocurrent density response test

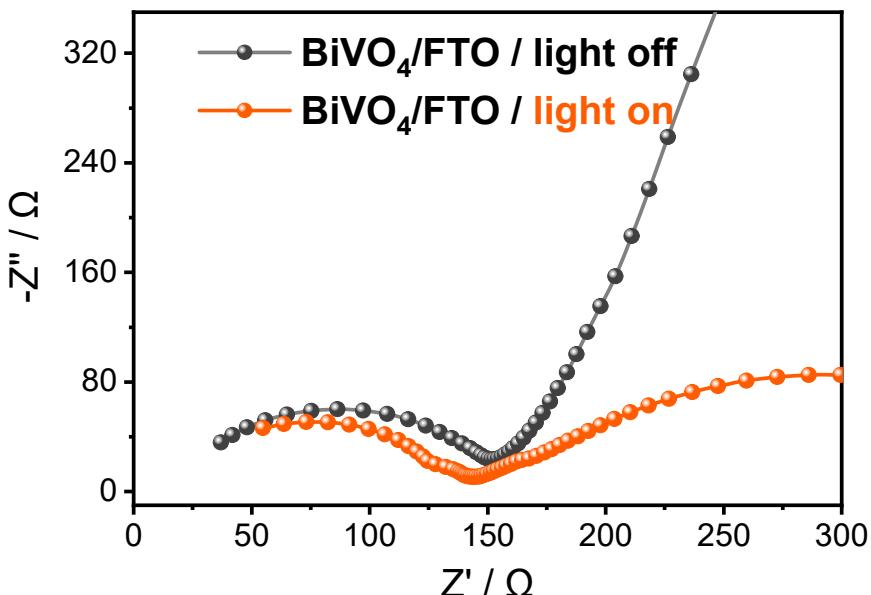
The measurement was performed by a two-electrode configuration ( $\text{BiVO}_4/\text{FTO}$  electrode as the working electrode and Pt as the counter electrode.).



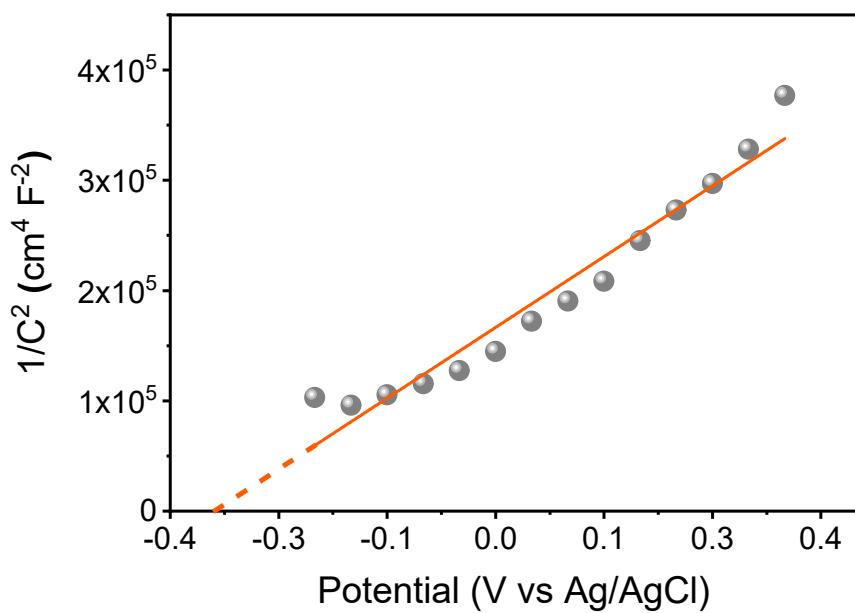
**Figure S4.** Photocurrent density response for  $\text{BiVO}_4/\text{FTO}$ ,  $E_{\text{appl}} = 0 \text{ V}$ . (Net photocurrent during the 5 hours of operation using  $\text{BiVO}_4$  photoanode with Pt in reaction mixture (5 mL EtOH, **1a**, **2a** and  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (0.1 M)) in a two-electrode configuration (no external bias))

### 3) Electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS) investigation

EIS measurements were performed by a three-electrode configuration in EtOH using a CHI660E electrochemical workstation with 5 mV amplitude and frequencies that ranged from 100 kHz to 1 Hz.  $\text{BiVO}_4/\text{FTO}$  electrode was used as the working electrode with the Ag/AgCl reference electrode and Pt counter electrode. For developing Mott-Schottky plot, the values of capacitance were taken at voltage range between -0.5 V and 0.5 V versus Ag/AgCl.



**Figure S5.** Nyquist plots for  $\text{BiVO}_4$  photoanode measured in 0.1 M  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  solution in the dark (black circles) and blue LED ( $\lambda = 450\text{-}460 \text{ nm}$ ) illumination (red circles)



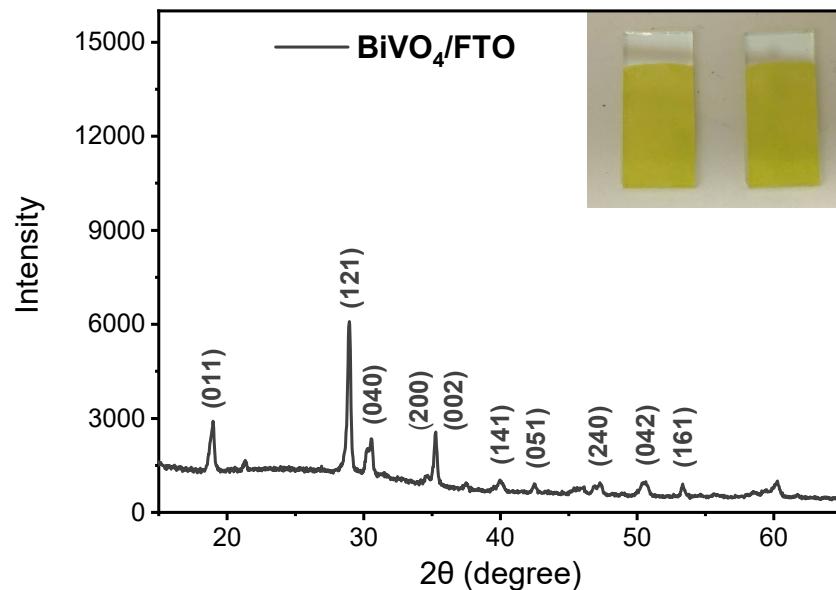
**Figure S6.** Mott-Schottky plot measured in EtOH

$V_{fb} = -0.39$  V vs Ag/AgCl;  
 $E_{\text{Ag/AgCl}}(\text{reference}) = 0.1976$  V vs NHE at  $25^\circ\text{C}$   
 $V_{fb} = -0.19$  V vs NHE.

#### 4. XRD, UV/VIS Absorption Spectra, Cyclic Voltammetry Experiments

##### 1) The X-ray diffraction (XRD) analysis

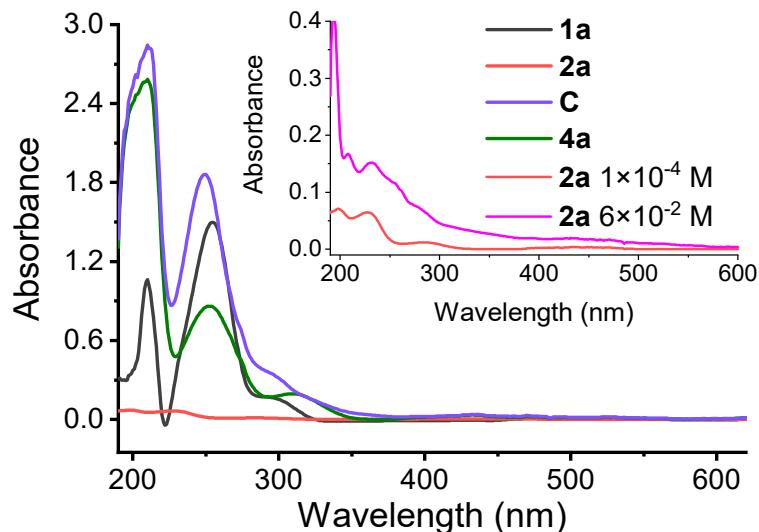
The spectra were recorded using a X-ray Diffractometer (X' Pert PRO) at a scan rate of  $5^{\circ} \text{ min}^{-1}$  by using  $\text{CuK}\alpha$  radiation. The XRD pattern showed strong XRD peaks for  $\text{BiVO}_4$ , which suggests that  $\text{BiVO}_4$  is monoclinic phase.



**Figure S7.** XRD patterns of  $\text{BiVO}_4/\text{FTO}$  sample.

##### 2) UV/VIS Absorption spectra

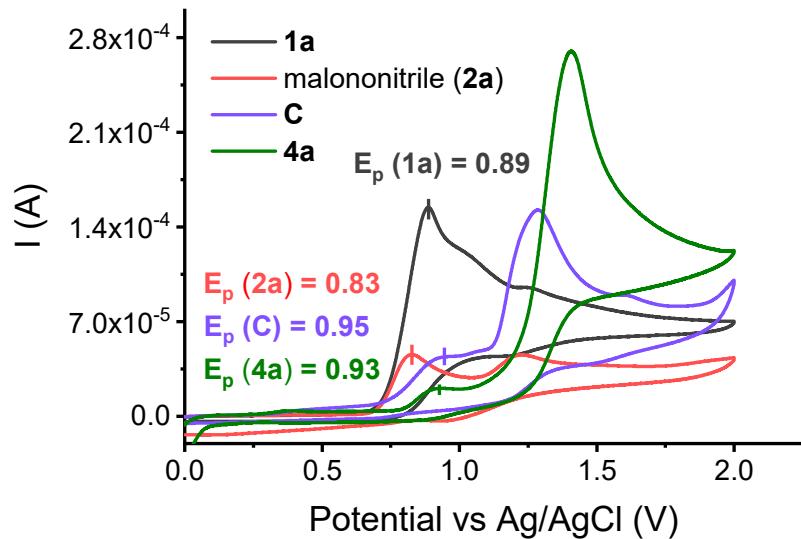
The UV/VIS Absorption spectra were recorded in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  of a 0.1 mM solution in 10 mm path length quartz cuvette on a Perkin Elmer Lambda 35 Spectrometer.



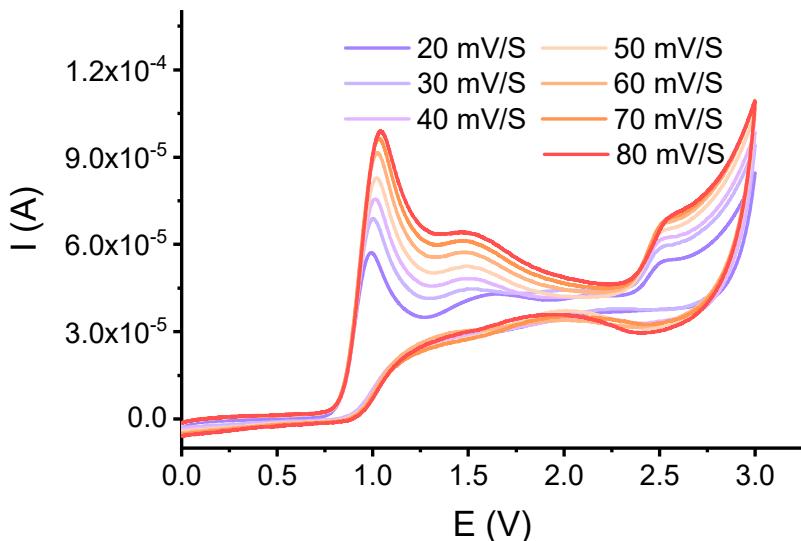
**Figure S8.** Absorption spectra of *N*-phenyltetrahydroisoquinoline (**1a**), malononitrile (**2a**), 5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (**4a**) and 2-(2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinolin-1-yl)malononitrile (**C**) in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  (0.1 mM).

## 2) Cyclic Voltammetry Experiments

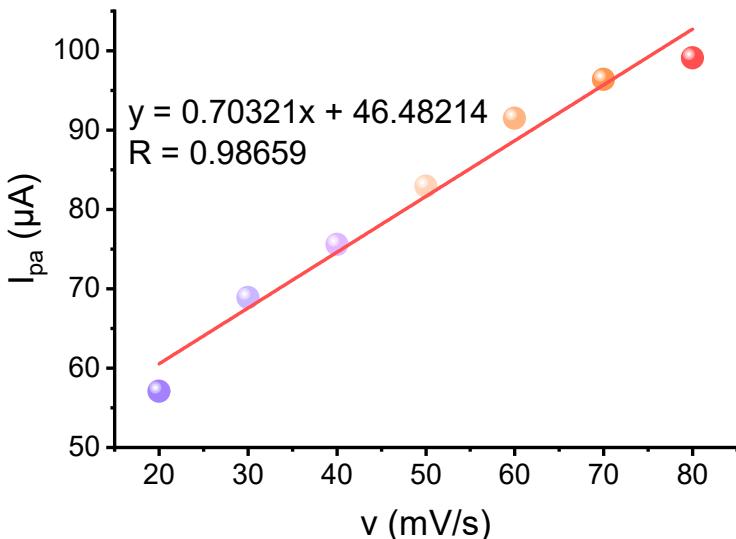
Cyclic voltammetry was measured in a glass cell with a CHI660E electrochemical workstation under Ar balloon protection with conventional three-electrode system. The working electrode was a steady glassy carbon disk electrode, and the counter electrode was a platinum wire. The reference was an Ag/AgCl electrode submerged in saturated aqueous KCl solution. 5 mL of CH<sub>3</sub>CN containing 0.1 M *n*-Bu<sub>4</sub>NPF<sub>6</sub> were poured into the electrochemical cell. The CV of substrates were measured at the concentration of 5 mM. The scan rate was 0.1 V/s, ranging from 0 V to 2 V.



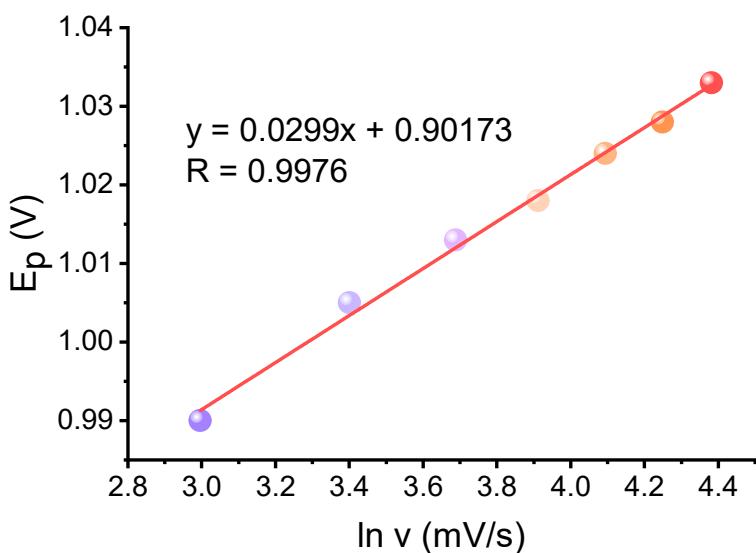
**Figure S9.** Cyclic voltammograms of compound **1a**, **2a**, **C** and **4a**



**Figure S10.** Cyclic voltammetry of compound **1a** (5 mM) in CH<sub>3</sub>CN at different scan rates. Curves are obtained at 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70 and 80 mV/s, respectively



**Figure S11.** The plot of peak current versus scan rate of **1a**

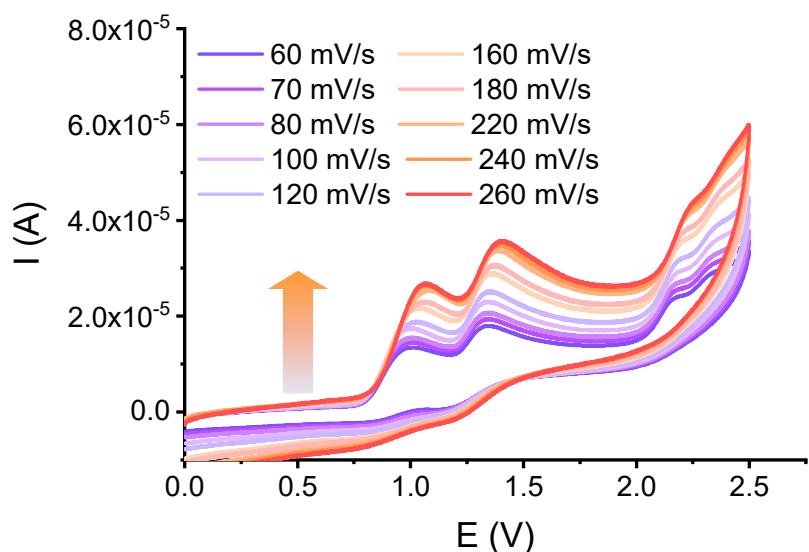


**Figure S12.** The relationship between E<sub>pa</sub> of **1a** and ln v.

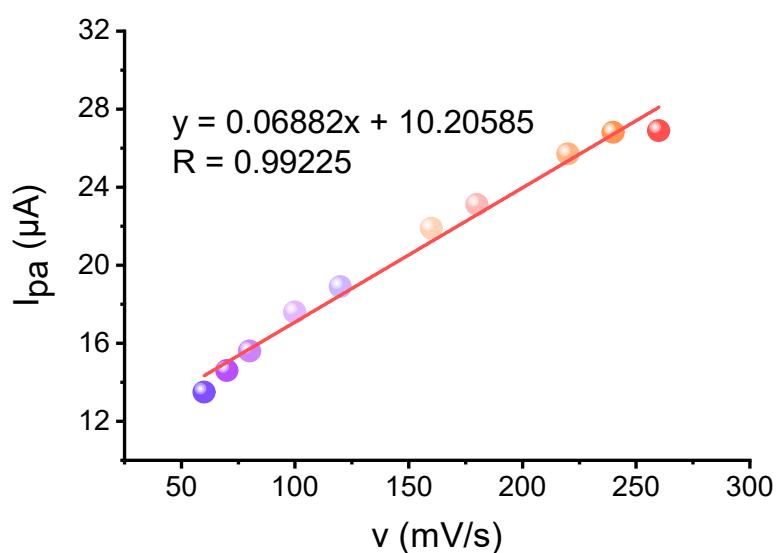
The peak current increased linearly with the scan rate in the range of 20-80 mV/s and the equation could be expressed as follows:  $y = 0.70321 x + 46.48214$ ,  $R = 0.98659$ . It could be seen that the oxidation of compound **1a** was an absorption-controlled process. For an adsorption-controlled and irreversible electrode process, according to Laviron method, E<sub>pa</sub> is defined by the following equation:

$$E_{pa} = E^0 + (RT/\alpha nF) \ln(RTk^0/\alpha nF) + (RT/\alpha nF) \ln v$$

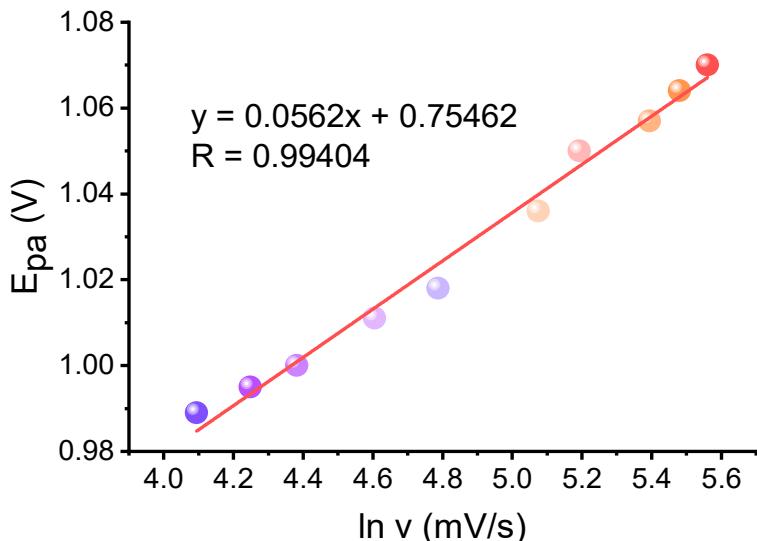
where  $\alpha$  is transfer coefficient,  $k^0$  is standard rate constant of the reaction,  $n$  is electron transfer number involved in the rate-determining step,  $v$  is scan rate, and  $E^0$  is formal potential. Other symbols have their usual meanings. Thus, the value of  $\alpha n$  can be easily calculated from the slope of E<sub>pa</sub>-ln v. In this system, the slope is 0.0299. Generally, transfer coefficient  $\alpha$  was assumed as 0.5, so the value of the number of electron ( $n$ ) was calculated to be 2.



**Figure S13.** Cyclic voltammetry of compound **2a** (5 mM) in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  at different scan rates. Curves are obtained at 60, 70, 80, 100, 120, 160, 180, 220, 240 and 260 mV/s, respectively



**Figure S14.** The plot of peak current versus scan rate of **2a**



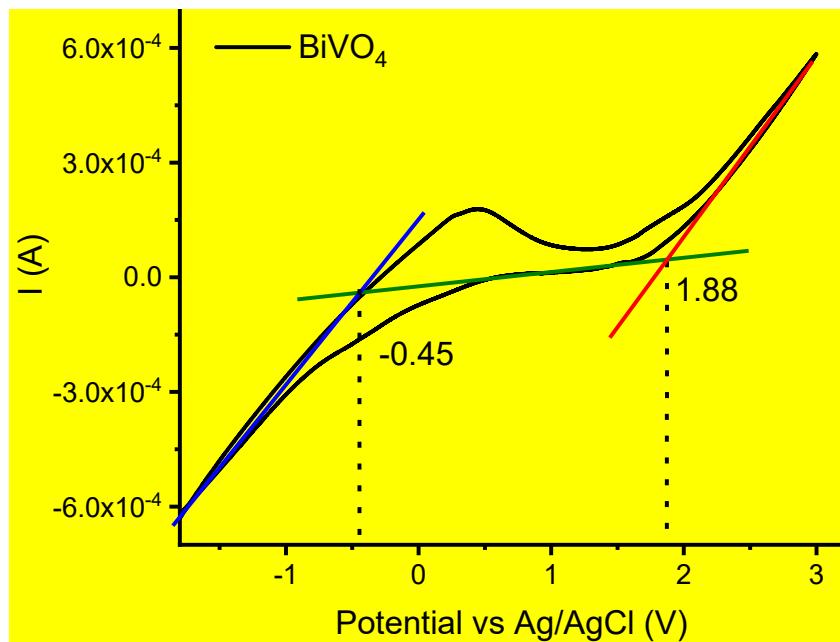
**Figure S15.** The relationship between  $E_{pa}$  of **2a** and  $\ln v$

It could be seen that the oxidation of compound **2a** was an absorption-controlled process. According to Laviron method,  $E_{pa}$  is defined by the following equation:

$$E_{pa} = E^0 + (RT/\alpha nF) \ln(RTk^0/\alpha nF) + (RT/\alpha nF) \ln v$$

In this system, the slope of  $E_{pa}$ - $\ln v$  was 0.0562. Generally, transfer coefficient  $\alpha$  was assumed as 0.5, so the value of the number of electron ( $n$ ) was calculated to be 1.

The cyclic voltammetry of BiVO<sub>4</sub> was tested in a three-electrode configuration (BiVO<sub>4</sub>/FTO electrode as the working electrode, Ag/AgCl as the reference electrode and Pt as the counter electrode) under 3 W blue LED ( $E = 5.00-5.15 \times 10^4$  lx,  $\lambda_{max} = 450-465$  nm).



**Figure S16.** Cyclic voltammetry of BiVO<sub>4</sub> in EtOH (5 mL) that contained NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (0.1 M), **1a** (0.2 mmol) and **2a** (0.3 mmol)

$$E_{Ag/AgCl}(\text{reference}) = 0.1976 \text{ V vs NHE at } 25^\circ\text{C}$$

the  $E_{CB} = -0.25 \text{ V vs NHE}$  and  $E_{VB} = 2.1 \text{ V vs NHE}$ .

### 3) Data processing

With the reversible waves of all the reagents in hand, we calculated the excited redox potential,  $E_g$  of different reagents.

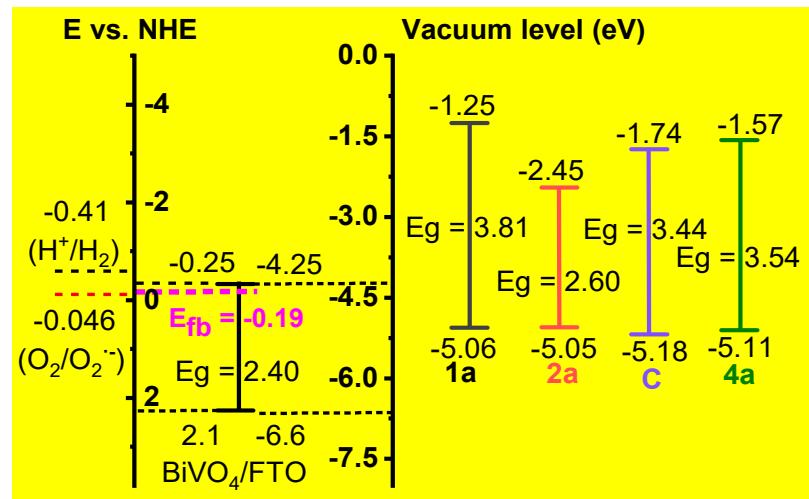


Figure S17. The  $E_{HOMO}$ ,  $E_{LUMO}$  and  $E_g$  of different reagents

## 5. Control Experiments

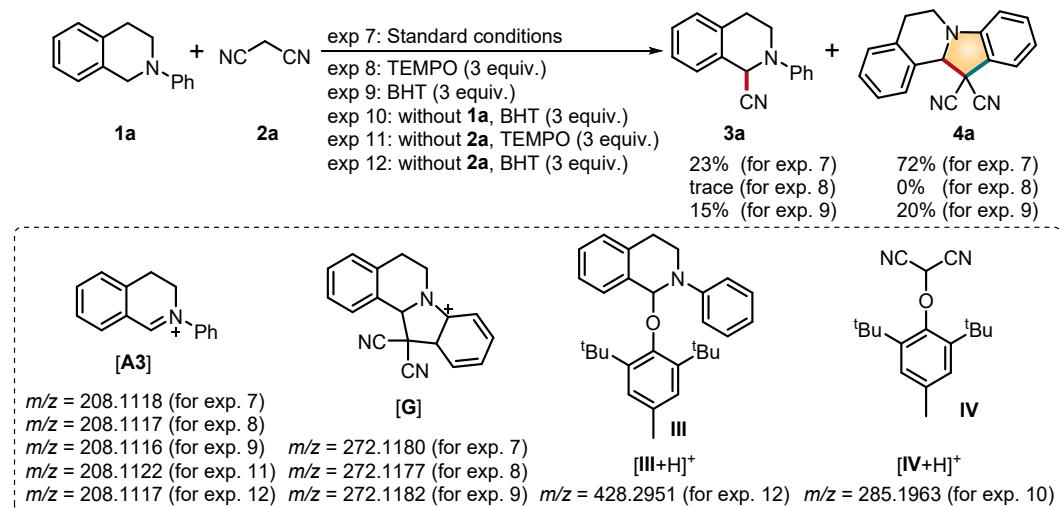


Figure S18. Control experiments

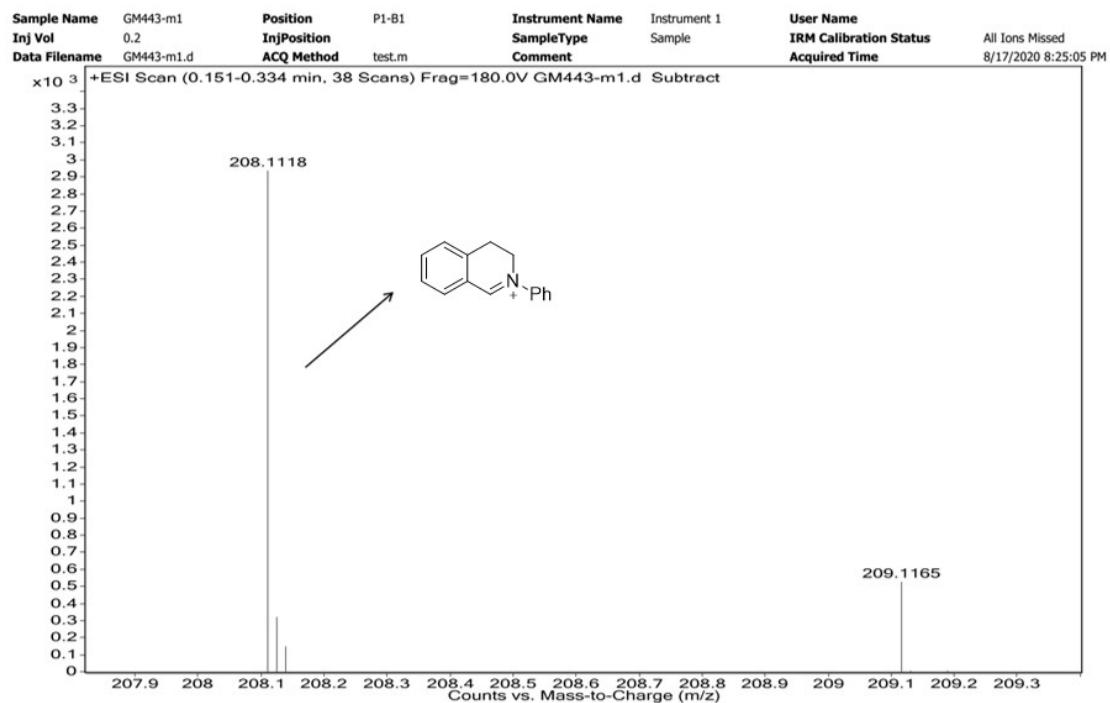


Figure S19. HRMS spectrum of compound A3 for exp 7

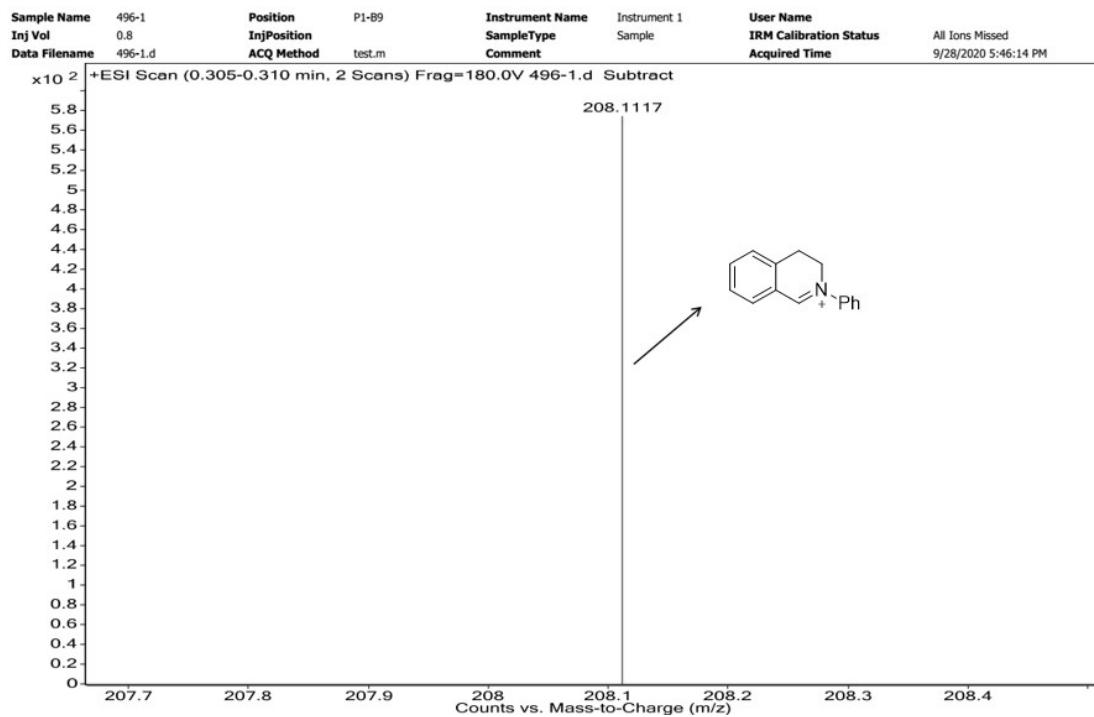


Figure S20. HRMS spectrum of compound A3 for exp 8

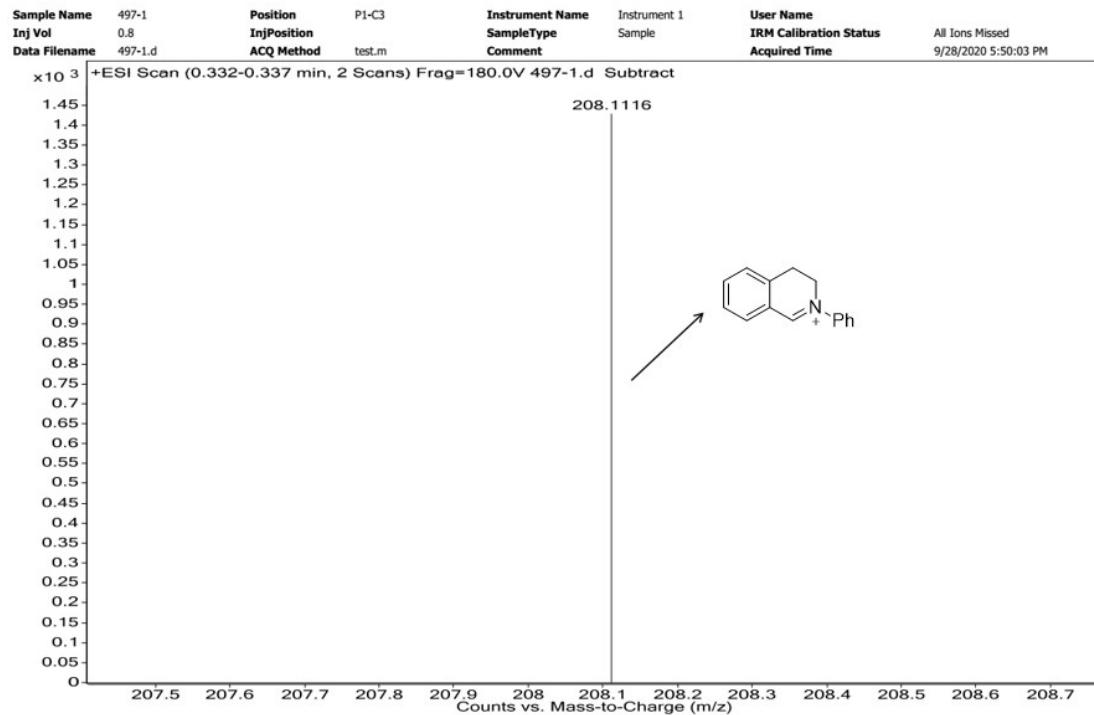
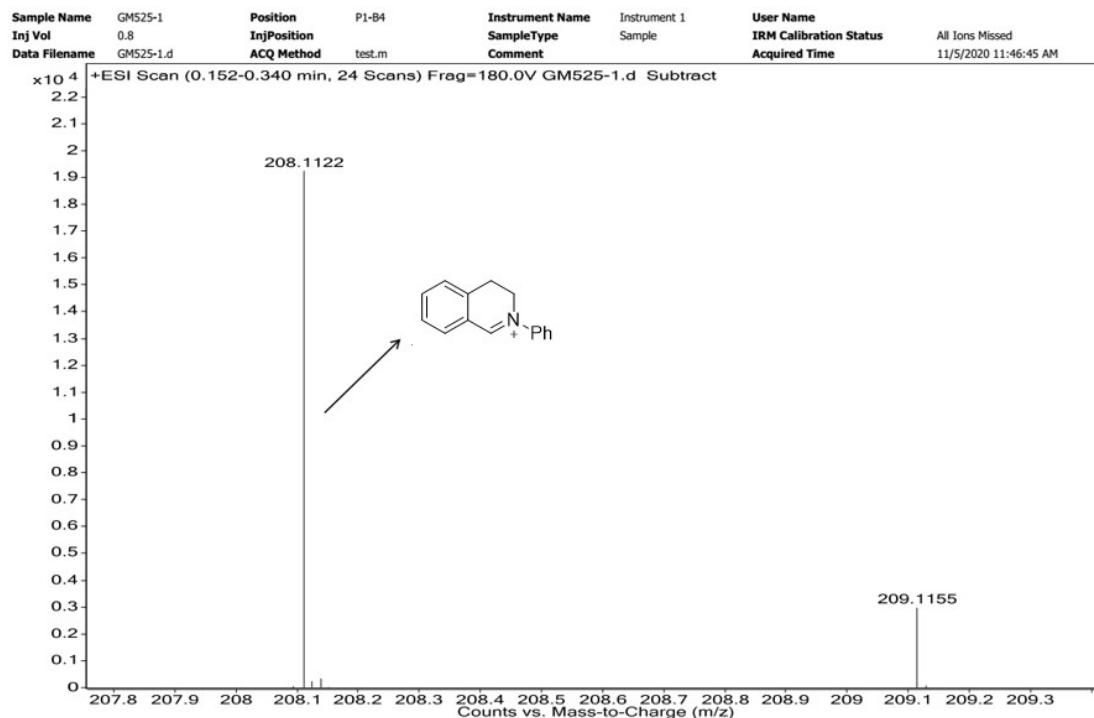
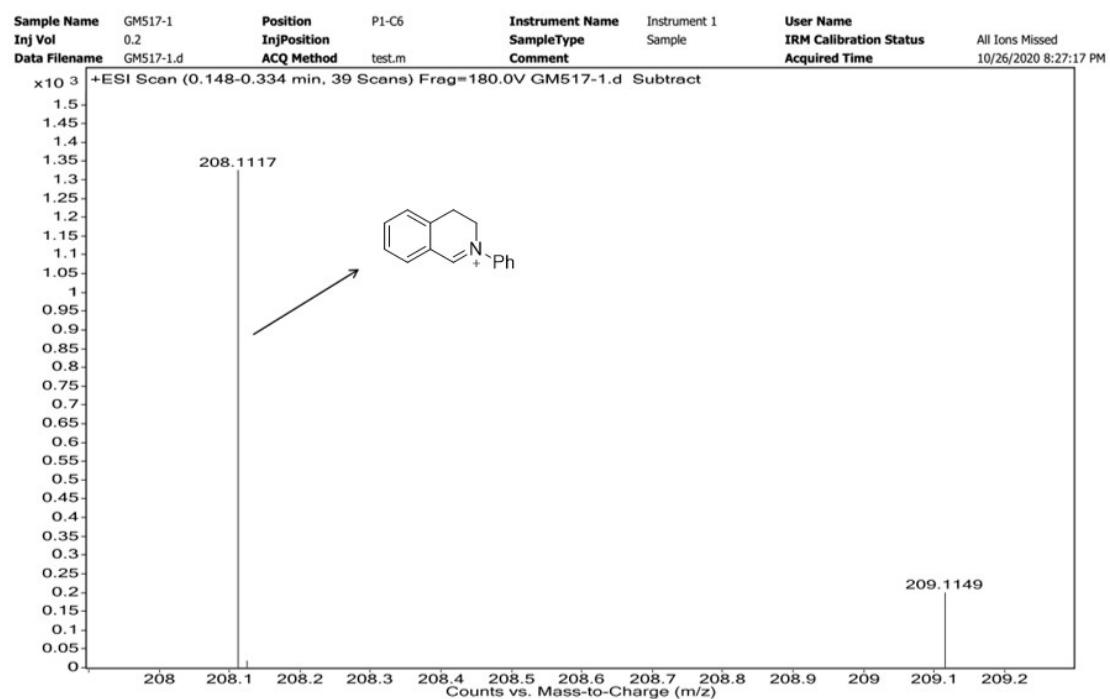


Figure S21. HRMS spectrum of compound A3 for exp 9



**Figure S22.** HRMS spectrum of compound A3 for exp 11



**Figure S23.** HRMS spectrum of compound A3 for exp 12

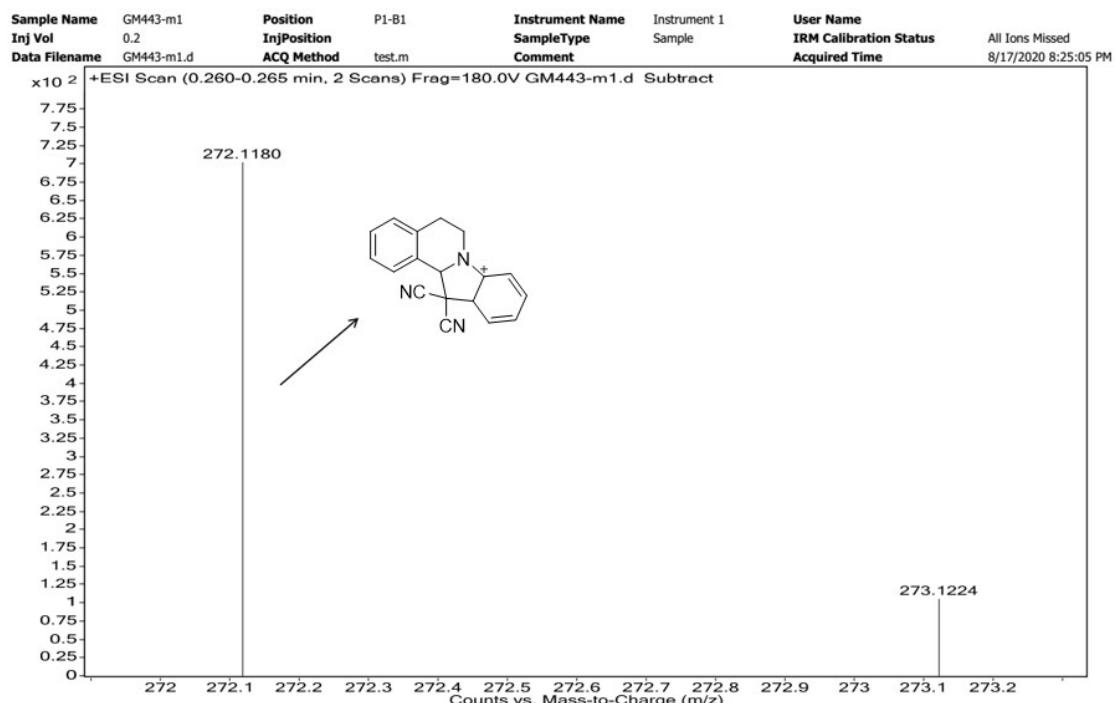


Figure S24. HRMS spectrum of compound G for exp 7

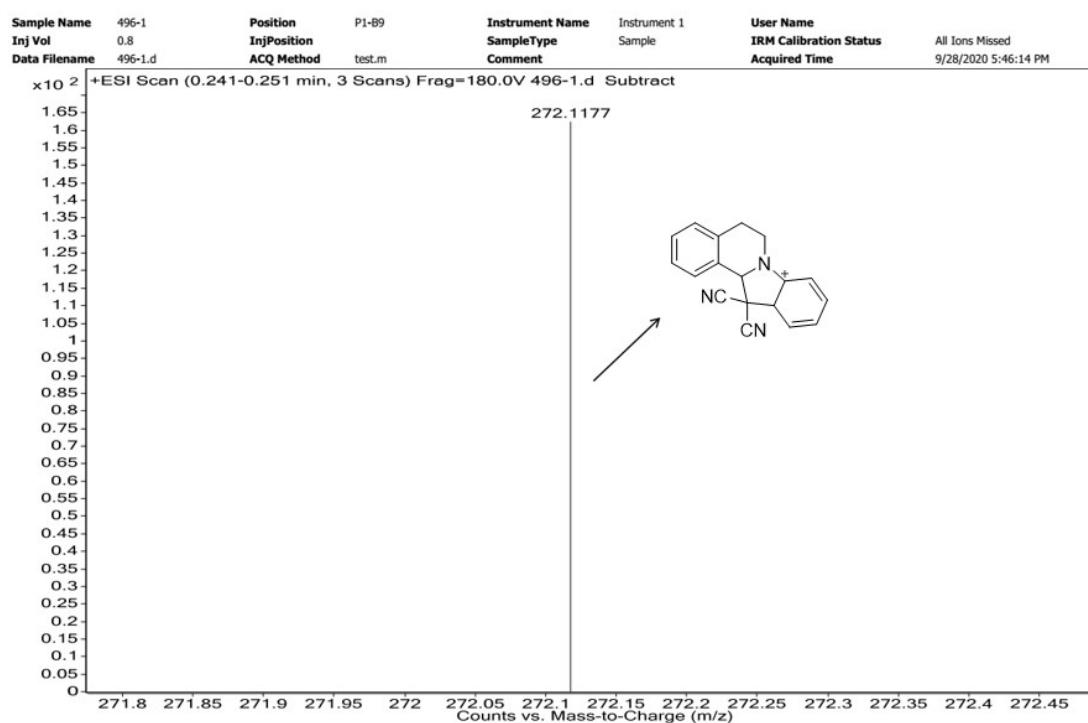


Figure S25. HRMS spectrum of compound G for exp 8

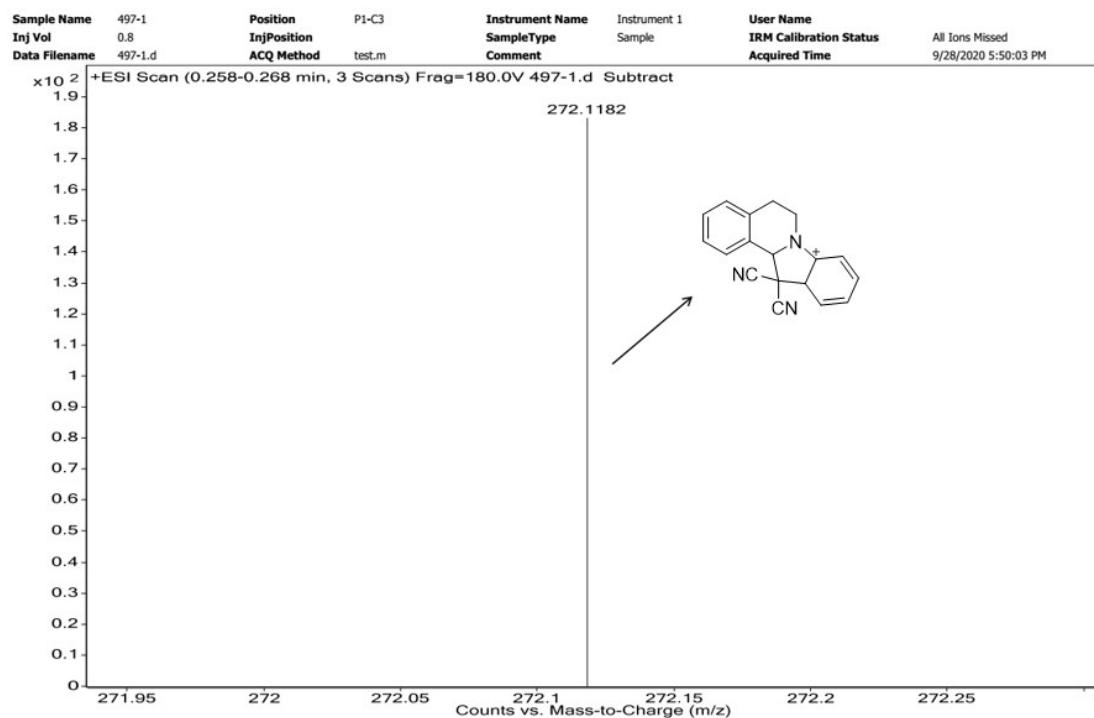


Figure S26. HRMS spectrum of compound G for exp 9

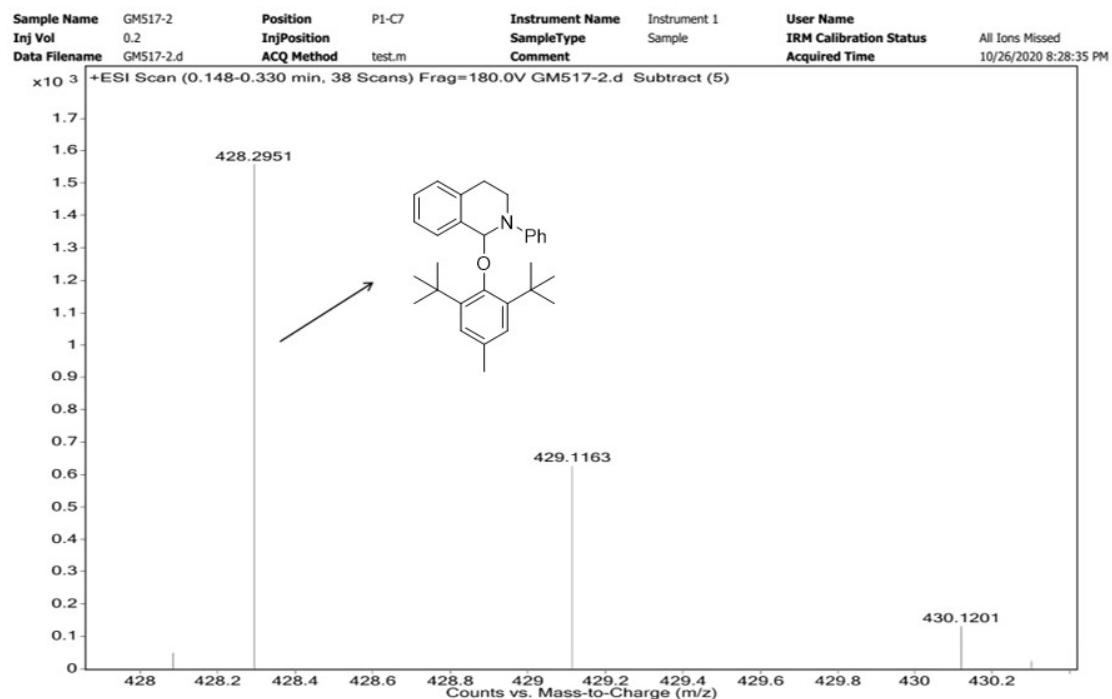
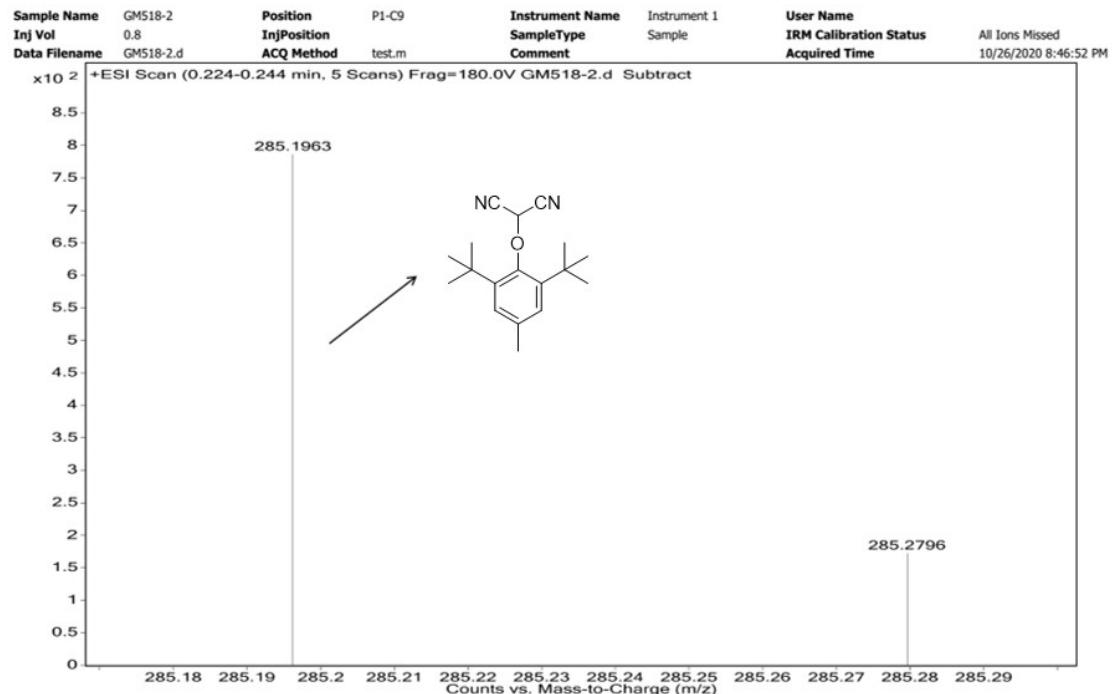
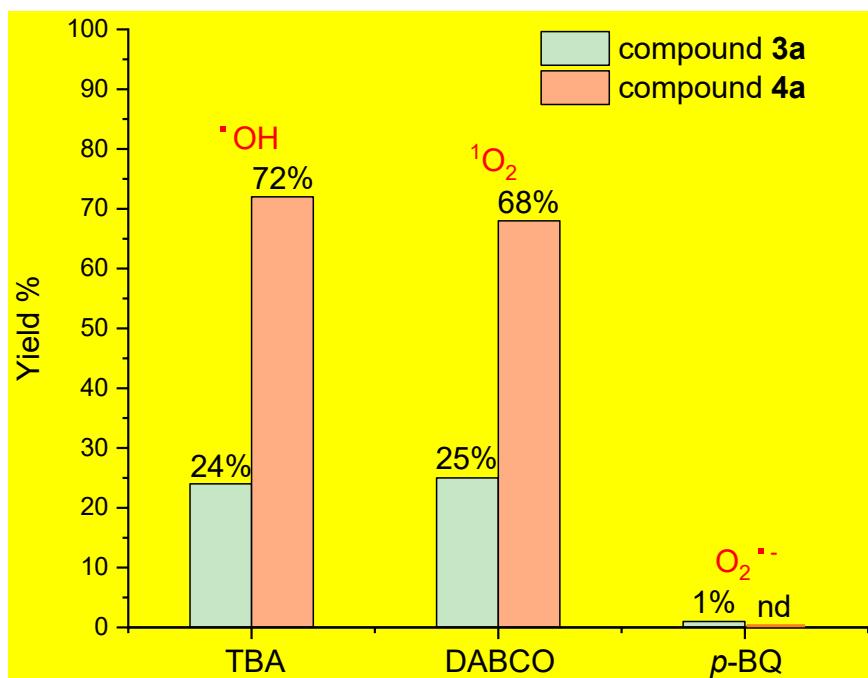


Figure S27. HRMS spectrum of compound  $[III+H]^+$  for exp 12



**Figure S28.** HRMS spectrum of compound [IV+H]<sup>+</sup> for exp 10



**Figure S29.** Quenching experiments of reactive oxygen species. Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.2 mmol), malononitrile **2a** (1.5 equiv.), quenching agent, NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (0.1 M), EtOH (5 mL) in a quartz-tube under air at room temperature, 3 W blue LED, for 5 h, isolated yield. TBA = tert-butyl alcohol (2 equiv.); DABCO = bicyclo[2.2.2]-1,4-diazaoctane (0.5 equiv.); *p*-BQ = 1,4-benzochinon (0.5 equiv.).

## 6. Computational Details

All the calculations were conducted by using the Gaussian 16 program package.<sup>3</sup> The Coulomb attenuation method cam-B3LYP functional<sup>4</sup> and the def2-TZVP(D) basis set<sup>5</sup> were used for all the calculations. The polarizable continuum model (PCM)<sup>6</sup> was employed to consider the solvent effect of EtOH. The intrinsic reaction coordinate (IRC)<sup>6</sup> analysis was carried out to confirm that all the saddle point connected the correct reactant and product on the potential energy surface. With the help of Multiwfn 3.7-dew<sup>7-8</sup> and VMD VERSION 1.9.3 program<sup>9</sup>, we drawn and analyzed **TS1** and **TS2**. **A3**, **I**, **II**, **B3** and **B5** were also analyzed by ADCH<sup>10</sup>.

### 1a

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### **3a**

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Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-727.298112		
N	-0.54482600	-0.37056000	0.10286600
N	0.15261300	2.42771500	1.95195100
C	-2.49434600	1.03040100	-0.37622900
H	-1.90025900	1.93139400	-0.37920800
C	-3.85249300	1.14264700	-0.63193900
H	-4.26654600	2.12144900	-0.83571500
C	-4.67345600	0.03147700	-0.61475100
H	-5.73286400	0.12473000	-0.80928400
C	-4.11007300	-1.20781700	-0.34700500
H	-4.72948600	-2.09518000	-0.34054700
C	-2.75752900	-1.33331100	-0.10266000
H	-2.34479300	-2.31712200	0.06529500
C	-1.92044100	-0.21267200	-0.10744400
C	0.32748100	0.75700200	-0.07618700
H	0.02308400	1.30192900	-0.96935800
C	1.77725100	0.33662900	-0.25613500
C	2.68163200	1.26549100	-0.75467400
H	2.34170700	2.26381900	-1.00274500
C	4.00661400	0.92441200	-0.93848400
H	4.70411400	1.65187400	-1.33055300
C	4.43294000	-0.35708500	-0.61941600
H	5.46917300	-0.63513900	-0.75800600
C	3.53225900	-1.27843300	-0.12221800
H	3.86590200	-2.27755200	0.12979300

C	2.19446800	-0.94692300	0.06859900
C	1.22100300	-1.96292300	0.59783000
H	1.68566600	-2.53899000	1.39890300
H	0.96874100	-2.66798000	-0.19813800
C	-0.04742500	-1.30840600	1.10182900
H	-0.80378300	-2.05439900	1.31198600
H	0.14670600	-0.77839200	2.04387700
C	0.23513900	1.71442100	1.06054700

#### 4a

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=		-857.589605
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=		-857.573678
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=		-857.572734
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=		-857.633117
N	-0.41175300	-1.17427400
N	0.05037300	1.59919900
N	-0.66186000	3.34528100
C	3.71516900	-1.15569900
H	4.21086000	-2.08411000
C	4.44868700	0.01138200
H	5.51361100	-0.00391300
C	3.81730000	1.19784700
H	4.38187700	2.11677700
C	2.45835500	1.19989200
H	1.97546700	2.12710200
C	1.71492800	0.03021500
C	2.34452100	-1.16852500
C	1.58220000	-2.46449300
H	1.44328100	-2.69053900
H	2.17350400	-3.27738900
C	0.21925600	-2.41392900
H	0.31516000	-2.48641300
H	-0.39656900	-3.24521600
C	0.24383700	0.03141200
H	0.09605000	0.14285000
C	-0.65503700	1.14203500
C	-2.01029000	0.43411700
C	-1.76780100	-0.93583900
C	-2.82939900	-1.82552600
H	-2.67219300	-2.89083300
C	-4.11251900	-1.30733300
H	-4.95165400	-1.99032000
C	-4.34663300	0.05626000
H	-5.35740100	0.42832400

C	-3.27795100	0.94577000	0.12564900
H	-3.44407100	2.01211300	0.20554900
C	-0.24957000	1.41407600	1.40955200
C	-0.64925700	2.38336100	-0.74972000

### A1

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-634.821190		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-634.808932		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-634.807988		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-634.861670		
C	-0.39497400	-0.91433000	0.84337800
H	-0.47462100	-1.13109200	1.91202200
C	-1.74859200	-0.54985200	0.27425500
C	-2.68278900	-1.56849100	0.13118900
H	-2.42275200	-2.57784100	0.42602900
H	-4.65505700	-2.10224300	-0.49448500
C	-4.25962300	-0.00988300	-0.77136600
H	-5.23748100	0.20680000	-1.17960200
C	-3.33190700	1.00261700	-0.62782000
H	-3.58477000	2.01374600	-0.92140500
C	-2.06993700	0.74683700	-0.10266300
C	-1.06632600	1.85439000	0.05422500
H	-0.60944200	2.09489400	-0.90829200
H	-1.55291800	2.76161300	0.41059900
C	0.01174500	1.46536100	1.04897800
H	0.79164100	2.20916600	1.13014700
H	-0.42398000	1.33354300	2.04088000
N	0.57029400	0.16686400	0.68097800
H	-0.03608600	-1.80541300	0.34600600
C	1.82367700	-0.01361400	0.23438700
C	2.62786200	1.09846500	-0.14364400
C	2.38329400	-1.31828700	0.13091000
C	3.90087000	0.90331800	-0.60159300
H	2.23024700	2.09874500	-0.11279000
C	3.66423200	-1.48415800	-0.31626100
H	1.82196500	-2.18218700	0.44438800
C	4.43383800	-0.38248300	-0.68992000
H	4.49326600	1.75496000	-0.90320700
H	4.08294300	-2.47857500	-0.37119200
H	5.44375000	-0.52528900	-1.04724300
C	-3.93449900	-1.30303400	-0.38717100

### A2

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-634.403246
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Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-634.391127		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-634.390183		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-634.442683		
C	0.35657500	-0.76814600	-0.14371500
C	1.74647200	-0.56315800	-0.09585400
C	2.65389000	-1.60896200	-0.37151600
H	2.26673800	-2.58843300	-0.62430100
H	4.69219100	-2.20454400	-0.54522200
C	4.51483200	-0.12972400	-0.01523200
H	5.58217400	0.04247900	0.00994700
C	3.63166600	0.90736800	0.26679900
H	4.01770500	1.88862700	0.51745900
C	2.26712400	0.71029700	0.23957000
C	1.27878500	1.77867900	0.59639700
H	1.04972600	1.72460600	1.66544300
H	1.69191100	2.76989600	0.40927900
C	-0.01618100	1.62172000	-0.18364900
H	-0.75733700	2.31893800	0.19540800
H	0.15199600	1.84695700	-1.24220500
N	-0.53720200	0.26635000	-0.04347200
H	-0.04926300	-1.74691100	-0.34459300
C	-1.91330100	0.03160000	-0.01584500
C	-2.81424800	0.96432300	-0.53347900
C	-2.41808500	-1.15168200	0.52986700
C	-4.17497600	0.71616000	-0.50077800
H	-2.45621600	1.87706900	-0.98547100
C	-3.77909000	-1.39115500	0.54718300
H	-1.74384100	-1.87249800	0.96883800
C	-4.67045100	-0.46127200	0.03478800
H	-4.85327700	1.45218500	-0.91220200
H	-4.14621400	-2.31192100	0.98146100
H	-5.73472600	-0.65096900	0.05493600
C	4.01179600	-1.39103800	-0.32861400

### A3

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-634.263322		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-634.251472		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-634.250528		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-634.302080		
C	1.74898700	-0.54039700	-0.11095300
C	2.59209400	-1.60055300	-0.44606200
H	2.16887400	-2.55646600	-0.72430500
H	4.62142900	-2.22173300	-0.69774500
C	4.47279300	-0.17698600	-0.06325700

H	5.54416100	-0.02899200	-0.04794200
C	3.63619500	0.87260800	0.28970900
H	4.05610300	1.82531200	0.58308900
C	2.26719500	0.70484600	0.26560700
C	1.29587400	1.76296400	0.69266200
H	1.11427100	1.66594600	1.76648700
H	1.70577500	2.75721900	0.52732800
C	-0.00968900	1.64666200	-0.06238000
H	-0.77821500	2.27066300	0.38037000
H	0.11420500	1.93118600	-1.10834100
N	-0.50623300	0.25121900	-0.04619900
C	-1.92158900	0.02038200	-0.02289000
C	-2.74541200	0.77500500	-0.84136700
C	-2.43679400	-0.94933200	0.81948500
C	-4.10712300	0.53594800	-0.82421800
H	-2.33267100	1.52759700	-1.49769500
C	-3.80109400	-1.18076900	0.82490800
H	-1.78410800	-1.50014800	1.48247700
C	-4.63593000	-0.44118400	0.00452800
H	-4.75632900	1.11410200	-1.46667800
H	-4.21062600	-1.93339500	1.48391700
H	-5.70195200	-0.62112600	0.01512100
C	3.95722700	-1.41266700	-0.43019800
C	0.33127500	-0.72730200	-0.12230500
H	-0.08132600	-1.72405000	-0.21231200

## B1

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-224.565253		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-224.559710		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-224.558766		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-224.593504		
C	0.00000000	1.21723000	0.01330800
N	0.00000000	2.23861400	-0.54008400
C	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.73384900
H	0.82583800	0.00000000	1.49918900
H	-0.82583800	0.00000000	1.49918900
C	0.00000000	-1.21723000	0.01330800
N	0.00000000	-2.23861400	-0.54008400

## B2

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-224.992980
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-224.987722
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-224.986778
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-225.021911

C	0.04658300	0.99899100	0.00000500
H	0.00544200	1.64419400	0.87635300
H	0.00544100	1.64420300	-0.87633600
C	-1.10791900	0.11349600	0.00000100
C	1.41993800	0.23821000	0.00000100
N	-1.93851900	-0.68035800	-0.00000200
N	1.62959200	-0.94715400	-0.00000700

### B3

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-224.469065		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-224.464397		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-224.463452		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-224.496402		
C	0.00000000		
N	0.05797500	-1.20845200	
N	0.00000000	-0.49530800	-2.22986100
C	0.00000000	0.73707800	0.00000000
H	0.00000000	1.81614000	0.00000000
C	0.00000000	0.05797500	1.20845200
N	0.00000000	-0.49530800	2.22986100

### B4

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-224.290165		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-224.285441		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-224.284496		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-224.317545		
C	0.00000000		
N	1.21423900	0.05429800	
N	0.00000000	2.22882900	-0.49257900
C	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.73755200
H	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.81922800
C	0.00000000	-1.21423900	0.05429800
N	0.00000000	-2.22882900	-0.49257900

### B5

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-92.950860		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-92.948499		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-92.947555		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-92.969878		
C	0.00000000		
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.62606500
N	0.00000000	0.53662700	

### C

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-858.764070
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-858.746967
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-858.746023

	Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=		
N	0.56898200	-0.63268900	-0.26557000
C	2.23337500	-0.32958300	1.47599900
H	1.45308000	-0.13914800	2.19907500
C	3.55017300	-0.31675900	1.89430600
H	3.77096700	-0.09571500	2.93042400
C	4.57869000	-0.60256100	1.01002500
H	5.60762600	-0.59695600	1.34212300
C	4.26318500	-0.89767100	-0.30459800
H	5.04948600	-1.11684700	-1.01519800
C	2.94816300	-0.89669600	-0.73717800
H	2.74031100	-1.08982500	-1.77888500
C	1.90837500	-0.61213300	0.14721300
C	-0.35954400	0.35394800	0.20735300
H	-0.03518000	0.72556000	1.17312100
C	-1.75683000	-0.20283600	0.33733800
C	-2.66713600	0.40313300	1.19610500
H	-2.35890700	1.25271200	1.79069800
C	-3.95857500	-0.07396600	1.30734200
H	-4.65636800	0.40548000	1.98015200
C	-4.34850000	-1.17194000	0.55571700
H	-5.35869000	-1.55182200	0.63063000
C	-3.43797100	-1.79193200	-0.27799500
H	-3.73508800	-2.66413700	-0.84734300
C	-2.13370800	-1.32408400	-0.39378300
C	-1.13850700	-2.08032200	-1.22955500
H	-1.58479500	-2.35865700	-2.18506400
H	-0.90615200	-3.01335600	-0.71025900
C	0.15800000	-1.32468100	-1.47270000
H	0.93056500	-2.03344700	-1.74992600
H	0.04951500	-0.63670400	-2.32009000
C	-0.37327000	1.60645800	-0.77104800
H	-0.75140500	1.27343700	-1.73952800
C	-1.24748500	2.68426900	-0.31564700
C	0.97163900	2.14321800	-0.98008600
N	-1.92512600	3.53076500	0.04545200
N	2.01965500	2.56538900	-1.15027800

## D

	Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=		
			-858.555512
	Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=		
			-858.538478
	Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=		
			-858.537534
	Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=		
			-858.602320
N	-0.67842000	-0.23332900	0.52383400

C	-2.33860700	0.39656000	-1.11461900
H	-1.73598700	1.20440900	-1.49326300
C	-3.57435700	0.19600100	-1.65649100
H	-3.91008500	0.83181100	-2.46251500
C	-4.40867900	-0.81279900	-1.16989400
H	-5.38394500	-0.96533300	-1.60961300
C	-3.98333200	-1.62447000	-0.11613300
H	-4.62370500	-2.41423200	0.24855500
C	-2.75738800	-1.43707600	0.45251600
H	-2.44055500	-2.09846700	1.24060400
C	-1.88754400	-0.41637900	-0.03279200
C	0.38212700	0.54536700	-0.11138100
H	0.04830500	0.86103900	-1.09044200
C	1.62264700	-0.30764300	-0.28963800
C	2.55196300	0.07473800	-1.25089200
H	2.36858200	0.94573700	-1.86483700
C	3.70621500	-0.65820000	-1.43739000
H	4.42469800	-0.35002000	-2.18393700
C	3.93060000	-1.79156800	-0.67090900
H	4.83244900	-2.37190200	-0.81016600
C	2.99267200	-2.19006200	0.26028600
H	3.15669700	-3.08749400	0.84298400
C	1.82704800	-1.46050100	0.46105700
C	0.78915400	-1.96246400	1.42467200
H	1.25421100	-2.29242400	2.35258200
H	0.28707400	-2.83120600	0.99359500
C	-0.23846400	-0.89777000	1.75281000
H	-1.08853500	-1.29023800	2.29203100
H	0.20198500	-0.13368400	2.39095500
C	0.66356400	1.83641400	0.73582800
H	1.16510400	1.55951500	1.66484400
C	1.55491400	2.75357700	0.02676200
C	-0.58224400	2.52504800	1.08148700
N	2.24737300	3.47436900	-0.52492700
N	-1.57724300	3.01894000	1.34637300

## E

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-858.139167		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-858.122052		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-858.121107		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-858.186278		
N	-0.49046000	-0.74155600	0.09256100
C	-2.40381300	-0.57079600	-1.38448900
H	-1.73727800	-0.52145300	-2.23429600

C	-3.76906500	-0.53483100	-1.58867600
H	-4.15176500	-0.44210100	-2.59632100
C	-4.64520400	-0.63269100	-0.51792700
H	-5.71373100	-0.60847900	-0.68166500
C	-4.13482200	-0.76237100	0.76154400
H	-4.80414600	-0.83271600	1.60866000
C	-2.76677700	-0.78523000	0.97668000
H	-2.38982000	-0.85684700	1.98644100
C	-1.88388900	-0.69458300	-0.09593500
C	0.32646000	0.29494900	-0.51636300
H	-0.02324000	0.46765300	-1.52985100
C	1.78954400	-0.06418500	-0.56485300
C	2.64178100	0.73850600	-1.31510100
H	2.23700700	1.58406600	-1.85816000
C	3.99329900	0.46688400	-1.37211100
H	4.64841500	1.09468400	-1.96042900
C	4.50269400	-0.61663300	-0.66948700
H	5.56128200	-0.83693200	-0.70346400
C	3.65635200	-1.41312300	0.07583500
H	4.05448000	-2.25658200	0.62626300
C	2.29123100	-1.14967300	0.13930600
C	1.37761700	-2.03921500	0.93299500
H	1.87605800	-2.36389200	1.84678300
H	1.16366900	-2.93903100	0.35116000
C	0.06655900	-1.36181800	1.28392500
H	-0.64170700	-2.10373500	1.64025300
H	0.21261000	-0.64074400	2.09571200
C	0.08995100	1.57528300	0.27167800
C	0.84520100	1.86839600	1.41040200
C	-0.99430700	2.39990200	-0.04056500
N	1.49247000	2.09215100	2.33785300
N	-1.88611000	3.06990500	-0.33216200

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Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=		-858.133075	
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=		-858.116792	
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=		-858.115847	
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=		-858.177620	
N	-0.46343000	-1.02153500	-0.95019900
N	-0.21353700	0.68542100	2.45758100
N	-0.19999500	3.67060200	-0.64074900
C	3.43063500	-1.23537500	0.65982100
H	3.75210000	-2.15381100	1.13479800
C	4.31273100	-0.17899900	0.53477800

H	5.31957400	-0.26777000	0.92022900
C	3.91092400	0.98513800	-0.10266100
H	4.59959000	1.81046600	-0.22052100
C	2.62588400	1.08152800	-0.59924300
H	2.31693800	1.98266800	-1.11375600
C	1.72762000	0.03175800	-0.44618100
C	2.13081500	-1.14621700	0.17635700
C	1.18405600	-2.30895600	0.27801200
H	0.61587700	-2.25753700	1.21028400
H	1.74402100	-3.24380700	0.29429700
C	0.21652600	-2.29719200	-0.89325300
H	0.75349900	-2.46619300	-1.82902200
H	-0.52726500	-3.08195000	-0.79778700
C	0.31986600	0.20310000	-0.94879500
H	0.34804400	0.64831700	-1.94846600
C	-0.57566900	1.15963800	-0.08015300
C	-1.99685900	0.66480800	-0.51624200
C	-1.76281300	-0.81329500	-0.59467800
C	-2.74241800	-1.71265800	-0.28708700
H	-2.58186000	-2.77351700	-0.41633200
C	-3.94665600	-1.25455400	0.27524100
H	-4.72201600	-1.96463800	0.52324500
C	-4.11159900	0.10845000	0.61027300
H	-5.00806900	0.41107000	1.13622700
C	-3.17913700	1.04284200	0.30224300
H	-3.32011100	2.08551100	0.55340300
C	-0.36352600	0.91269200	1.34784500
C	-0.35460500	2.56869800	-0.37875600
H	-2.10623600	1.06133200	-1.53815800

## G

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=		-857.977100
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=		-857.961075
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=		-857.960131
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=		-858.020570
N	-0.47362700	-1.06283300
N	-0.16097000	1.02862700
N	-0.32819000	3.62860700
C	3.47598000	-1.24328000
H	3.84051200	-2.17958900
C	4.30581900	-0.14024700
H	5.31556700	-0.21206800
C	3.84917200	1.05161300
H	4.49737200	1.91526800

C	2.56108600	1.12926500	-0.46609500
H	2.21301100	2.05542500	-0.90424100
C	1.71658400	0.02708600	-0.39945300
C	2.17309600	-1.17848100	0.12375400
C	1.29251900	-2.39795500	0.15750300
H	0.81654400	-2.49405900	1.13576200
H	1.89209400	-3.29378100	0.00475400
C	0.22144000	-2.33681100	-0.91430100
H	0.65671700	-2.37581600	-1.91280000
H	-0.49732900	-3.14285100	-0.81962300
C	0.30904700	0.17313700	-0.90532600
H	0.30941900	0.47967000	-1.95477100
C	-0.60614200	1.18708100	-0.13280500
C	-2.00924000	0.60778700	-0.45794900
C	-1.72442700	-0.85514300	-0.51695200
C	-2.74663300	-1.79628600	-0.25014800
H	-2.60560200	-2.84812700	-0.44055400
C	-3.86342500	-1.33254300	0.35311800
H	-4.63881500	-2.03879200	0.61802900
C	-4.06750100	0.05477300	0.71131400
H	-4.96317500	0.31619300	1.25493400
C	-3.18495500	0.98997100	0.36392500
H	-3.34019700	2.03706400	0.58344300
C	-0.34701700	1.11935000	1.31207800
C	-0.44158200	2.55989000	-0.60457600
H	-2.23954500	0.90542200	-1.49315100

## H

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-375.272485		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-375.265418		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-375.264473		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-375.303923		
C	1.55899100	-0.25025500	0.08042600
N	2.67108600	-0.36568600	-0.14815400
C	-0.34017000	1.25454000	0.07510700
N	-0.73583100	2.29835700	-0.16473600
C	0.13224500	-0.10741200	0.38785500
H	-0.01835000	-0.29013200	1.45569200
O	-0.54008200	-1.08426900	-0.37585400
O	-1.86602200	-1.14377400	0.13591500
H	-2.38600800	-0.79546200	-0.60627100

## J

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-298.934562
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Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-298.929137
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-298.928193
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-298.963040
C	0.00000000	1.23458700	-0.30190900
N	0.00000000	2.20453000	-0.90635400
C	0.00000000	-1.23458700	-0.30190900
N	0.00000000	-2.20453000	-0.90635400
C	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.48429200
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.67576400

## K

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-93.407486
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-93.404975
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-93.404030
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-93.426828
C	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.49398900
H	0.00000000	0.00000000	-1.56383400
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.64682400

## L

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-360.520423
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-360.512930
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-360.511986
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-360.553116
C	-1.44158300	0.68705900	-0.00039100
N	-1.98113200	1.69446900	-0.00064700
C	-0.81285300	-0.65020700	0.00004700
O	-1.50223700	-1.62734200	-0.00028100
O	0.49546600	-0.68339900	0.00063800
C	1.28582800	0.54181800	0.00211800
H	1.02685100	1.11613000	-0.88576000
H	1.03005800	1.11163800	0.89381400
C	2.73118400	0.13353900	-0.00158600
H	2.96668600	-0.44997900	-0.89027000
H	3.35301500	1.02794100	-0.00055400
H	2.97003000	-0.45434000	0.88332200

## M

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-282.420287
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-282.415127
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-282.414183
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-282.449509
C	0.00000000	0.63216300	0.00000000
H	0.17033400	1.22972600	0.89358100

H	0.17033400	1.22972600	-0.89358100
C	-1.34639900	0.07908300	0.00000000
N	-2.40700600	-0.34531600	0.00000000
O	0.92355600	-0.48348000	0.00000000
O	2.14978900	-0.05523500	0.00000000

## N

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-283.050943
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-283.045363
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-283.044419
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-283.079551
C	-0.04403300	0.60347600	0.00268400
H	0.12371000	1.20168600	0.90079100
H	0.11205500	1.22551500	-0.88034000
C	-1.41392400	0.09859400	0.00594500
N	-2.48998700	-0.28639700	0.00997500
O	0.80422600	-0.53162700	-0.02443700
O	2.13270700	-0.02888800	-0.09511800
H	2.44642100	-0.15072700	0.81438500

## O<sub>2</sub>

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-150.341418
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-150.339055
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-150.338111
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-150.361365
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.59729800
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.59729800

## O<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-150.470802
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-150.468428
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-150.467484
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-150.490564
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.66233300
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.66233300

## HOO<sup>-</sup>

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-151.068632
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-151.065729
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-151.064785
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-151.090357
O	0.67453500	-0.11946300	-0.00000100
H	0.96529200	0.79786200	0.00000800
O	-0.79519600	0.01973000	0.00000000

**HOO<sup>.</sup>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-150.920011
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-150.917158
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-150.916214
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-150.942161
O	0.59000500 -0.12521500 -0.00000100
H	0.97360600 0.77371200 0.00000800
O	-0.71170600 0.02850100 0.00000000

**H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-151.549171
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-151.545970
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-151.545025
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-151.571429
O	-0.70652500 -0.10645100 -0.06599000
H	-1.01649000 0.59192600 0.52790900
O	0.70652500 0.10645000 -0.06598900
H	1.01648800 -0.59191600 0.52792400

**HO<sup>-</sup>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-75.926885
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-75.924524
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-75.923580
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-75.943132
O	0.00000000 0.00000000 0.10689000
H	0.00000000 0.00000000 -0.85512400

**H<sub>2</sub>O**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-76.421167
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-76.418331
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-76.417387
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-76.438812
O	0.00000000 0.00000000 0.11720000
H	0.00000000 0.76373500 -0.46880200
H	0.00000000 -0.76373500 -0.46880200

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Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-154.958297
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-154.953987
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-154.953043
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-154.983701
O	1.19658400 -0.22245300 0.00000000
H	1.95066100 0.37479900 0.00000000

C	0.00000000	0.54977600	0.00000000
H	-0.03303100	1.19406700	0.88416400
H	-0.03303100	1.19406700	-0.88416400
C	-1.17345600	-0.39623400	0.00000000
H	-2.10982400	0.16213700	0.00000000
H	-1.15335700	-1.03334900	-0.88472400
H	-1.15335700	-1.03334900	0.88472400

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Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-154.302123		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-154.297682		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-154.296738		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-154.328403		
O	1.29655900	0.09286000	0.00000000
C	0.00000000	0.50762900	0.00000000
H	-0.11823100	1.18863200	0.86215900
H	-0.11823100	1.18863200	-0.86215900
C	-1.03874600	-0.59287700	0.00000000
H	-2.04364900	-0.16922600	0.00000000
H	-0.92994300	-1.21971700	-0.88503300
H	-0.92994300	-1.21971700	0.88503300

### **H<sup>+</sup>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-0.159984		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-0.158567		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-0.157623		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-0.169983		
H	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000

### **H<sub>2</sub>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-1.161316		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-1.158956		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-1.158012		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-1.172813		
H	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.37330900
H	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.37330900

### **TS1**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-858.482145		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-858.464963		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-858.464019		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-858.528611		
N	0.50645000	-0.66970200	-0.15085400
C	2.17149900	-0.23498200	1.55546200

H	1.40133600	-0.00757100	2.27689500
C	3.48908400	-0.19922500	1.94289700
H	3.73892900	0.09505700	2.95216300
C	4.49280800	-0.56622400	1.05327600
H	5.52704100	-0.53861700	1.36679000
C	4.16870300	-0.97976600	-0.23158400
H	4.94844900	-1.25865000	-0.92561700
C	2.85530800	-1.02569200	-0.63689900
H	2.62339500	-1.31264400	-1.65025700
C	1.83983200	-0.64002600	0.25255500
C	-0.41323800	0.17429400	0.36249000
H	-0.06686200	0.79350500	1.17628400
C	-1.82994400	-0.18140000	0.33870600
C	-2.75656100	0.64338800	0.97717300
H	-2.43149000	1.55587700	1.45769000
C	-4.08870900	0.29070200	1.00468800
H	-4.80679300	0.93096100	1.49717900
C	-4.49881500	-0.89195900	0.40520600
H	-5.54345100	-1.17170900	0.42331200
C	-3.57748000	-1.72354500	-0.20674900
H	-3.90149300	-2.65357500	-0.65523800
C	-2.23681100	-1.37963200	-0.24923100
C	-1.20511400	-2.29887300	-0.82832900
H	-1.59171000	-2.81147000	-1.70785100
H	-0.96073600	-3.07109400	-0.09480200
C	0.05499900	-1.56284600	-1.23623600
H	0.84672500	-2.26629300	-1.45462300
H	-0.11937600	-0.94659700	-2.12046500
C	-0.32414000	1.83683800	-1.00973800
H	-1.08934000	1.46867900	-1.68301300
C	-0.70307900	2.94492200	-0.20526700
C	0.98977700	1.86342800	-1.53737900
N	-1.01626900	3.81263100	0.47659500
N	2.06077000	1.82531800	-1.94927000

## TS2

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-858.072703
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-858.056606
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-858.055662
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-858.117346
N	-0.43046700 -0.95522900 -0.86426600
N	-0.51743600 0.60559600 2.58085900
N	-0.31759000 3.74899400 -0.45482200
C	3.54192400 -1.24138800 0.54996800

H	3.88624100	-2.18165400	0.96274600
C	4.41811900	-0.17986800	0.43020900
H	5.44369400	-0.28514300	0.75827100
C	3.98315300	1.01226400	-0.12978800
H	4.66498500	1.84401700	-0.24444600
C	2.67333700	1.13044400	-0.55124900
H	2.33864000	2.05753000	-0.99997900
C	1.78116600	0.07265000	-0.40711900
C	2.21893900	-1.13160400	0.13580600
C	1.28103400	-2.30338400	0.21717400
H	0.75918200	-2.31394900	1.17747400
H	1.84203400	-3.23529500	0.14666700
C	0.26492400	-2.22637200	-0.90690700
H	0.76714600	-2.32681300	-1.87253800
H	-0.46266500	-3.02816600	-0.83931400
C	0.34461200	0.28151700	-0.83582500
H	0.34821400	0.75687100	-1.82281900
C	-0.44070400	1.24033500	0.08903700
C	-2.17999400	0.58140600	-0.71193200
C	-1.75080200	-0.79414400	-0.61487500
C	-2.62931200	-1.76350300	-0.13231900
H	-2.33847300	-2.80232700	-0.08919500
C	-3.85327300	-1.37706600	0.37160300
H	-4.51631300	-2.12899400	0.77728800
C	-4.24241200	-0.02359700	0.40037700
H	-5.20446700	0.24520400	0.81477000
C	-3.44338300	0.93246700	-0.15375300
H	-3.77663800	1.95905000	-0.22497700
C	-0.45381800	0.91272400	1.47612800
C	-0.34601200	2.63188400	-0.18696000
H	-1.89812400	1.11554400	-1.61379600

### **BiVO<sub>4</sub>**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=			-1459.735606
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=			-1459.728887
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=			-1459.727943
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=			-1459.769153
Bi	-1.09323200	0.00000000	0.00000000
O	0.42362200	-0.40812400	1.25015800
O	0.42362200	0.40812200	-1.25015900
V	1.78093400	0.00000000	-0.00000100
O	2.68742500	1.25556600	0.40636600
O	2.68743100	-1.25556200	-0.40636400

**I**

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-1093.902404		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-1093.889315		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-1093.888371		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-1093.943356		
C	2.52810900	-0.56593100	-0.11378300
C	3.32241100	-1.66430300	-0.44662800
H	2.85697700	-2.60005700	-0.72598800
H	5.32150000	-2.37864300	-0.69142600
C	5.26535500	-0.32914800	-0.05709900
H	6.34237200	-0.23101200	-0.03813900
C	4.47738700	0.75808900	0.29406700
H	4.94053300	1.68976400	0.58992100
C	3.10230300	0.65395000	0.26587600
C	2.18027900	1.75473300	0.69421200
H	1.99489800	1.66430500	1.76796600
H	2.63488300	2.72960900	0.53030100
C	0.87027400	1.70033500	-0.06002400
H	0.13133800	2.35635100	0.38683300
H	1.00571600	1.98318000	-1.10498500
N	0.31150900	0.32810400	-0.04895800
C	-1.11089100	0.16218300	-0.02728500
C	-1.90099300	0.96098700	-0.83675000
C	-1.67500000	-0.78876200	0.80475800
C	-3.27131600	0.79318100	-0.82614400
H	-1.45803500	1.70014100	-1.48812100
C	-3.04641000	-0.95943700	0.81338600
H	-1.05561000	-1.38041200	1.46421600
C	-3.83265000	-0.16767000	-0.00295000
H	-3.89937800	1.40235600	-1.45900900
H	-3.49995400	-1.69401600	1.46201000
C	4.69449200	-1.53973300	-0.42612600
C	1.10446800	-0.68755100	-0.12936500
H	0.64712600	-1.66366800	-0.22647900
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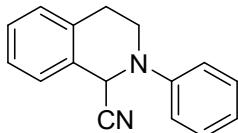
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Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies=	-726.504113		
Sum of electronic and thermal Energies=	-726.490435		
Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=	-726.489491		
Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies=	-726.545541		
C	2.37986600	-0.56807500	-0.11156200
C	3.17561600	-1.66640800	-0.44415200
H	2.71112800	-2.60370600	-0.71970000

H	5.17535300	-2.37636200	-0.69366800
C	5.11590900	-0.32532200	-0.06415600
H	6.19276400	-0.22483900	-0.04894000
C	4.32727100	0.76146700	0.28733200
H	4.78981400	1.69443000	0.57982500
C	2.95266200	0.65458200	0.26381800
C	2.02977100	1.75362400	0.69381500
H	1.84737400	1.66358900	1.76806700
H	2.48176700	2.72929700	0.52778500
C	0.71825200	1.69617500	-0.05735800
H	-0.01986800	2.35258300	0.39033800
H	0.85120900	1.97609500	-1.10334200
N	0.16272000	0.32212500	-0.04030500
C	-1.25780800	0.15125700	-0.02239200
C	-2.04680600	0.96519300	-0.81879200
C	-1.81592200	-0.81769600	0.79416700
C	-3.41453800	0.79347900	-0.81131600
H	-1.60329200	1.71616100	-1.45532400
C	-3.18455800	-0.99184700	0.79877300
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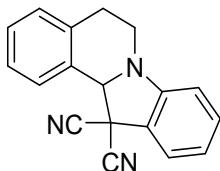
## 7. Characterization Data

### 2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3a)<sup>11</sup>



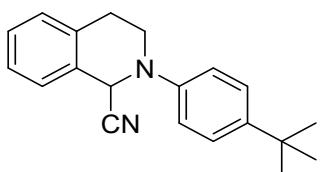
White solid (10.8 mg, 23 %). mp. 96-97 °C (lit.<sup>11</sup> 95-96 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.38$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.40-7.20 (m, 6H), 7.12-7.05 (m, 2H), 7.01 (t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.51 (s, 1H), 3.82-3.71 (m, 1H), 3.53-3.42 (m, 1H), 3.21-3.09 (m, 1H), 2.96 (dt,  $J = 16.3, 3.4$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  148.4, 134.7, 129.7, 129.6, 129.4, 128.8, 127.1, 126.9, 121.9, 117.8, 117.6, 53.2, 44.2, 28.6.

### 5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4a)



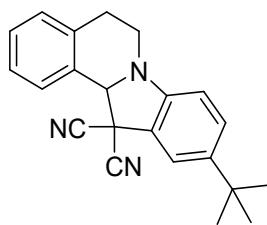
White solid (39.2 mg, 72 %). mp. 125-126 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.28$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.66-7.45 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.21 (m, 4H), 6.92 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.75 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 3.91-3.76 (m, 1H), 3.27-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.94-2.82 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  149.5, 135.6, 132.2, 129.7, 129.6, 128.9, 127.2, 125.6, 124.9, 122.0, 120.5, 115.1, 112.2, 109.6, 72.0, 42.6, 42.5, 28.7. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 272.1182, found: 272.1183.

### 2-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3b)<sup>12</sup>



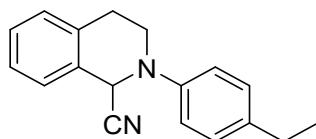
Yellow oil (10.5 mg, 18 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.43$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.41-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.21 (m, 4H), 7.07-7.01 (m, 2H), 5.48 (s, 1H), 3.74 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 6.0, 2.6, 1.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 11.0, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.21-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.95 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 3.3$  Hz, 1H), 1.32 (s, 9H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  146.0, 144.9, 134.6, 129.7, 129.4, 128.7, 127.1, 126.8, 126.4, 117.9, 117.6, 53.7, 44.3, 34.2, 31.4, 28.6.

### 10-(tert-butyl)-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4b)



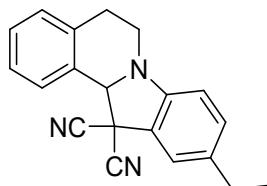
White solid (43.3 mg, 66 %). mp. 145-146 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.32$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.62-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.52 (d,  $J = 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.43-7.32 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.24 (m, 1H), 6.73 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 3.86-3.75 (m, 1H), 3.26-3.11 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.84 (m, 1H), 1.33 (s, 9H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  147.5, 144.6, 135.7, 129.9, 129.6, 129.2, 128.9, 127.2, 125.6, 122.0, 121.6, 115.3, 112.5, 109.8, 72.3, 43.1, 42.9, 34.6, 31.5, 28.8. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 328.1808, found: 328.1812.

### 2-(4-ethylphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3c)<sup>13</sup>



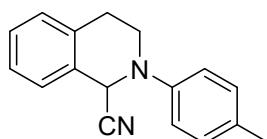
White solid (6.9 mg, 13 %). mp. 133-134 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 133-134 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.38$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.33-7.25 (m, 3H), 7.24-7.16 (m, 3H), 7.06-7.00 (m, 2H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 3.75-3.67 (m, 1H), 3.45 (ddd,  $J = 12.1, 11.0, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.21-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.94 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 3.3$  Hz, 1H), 2.62 (q,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 1.23 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 3H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  146.4, 138.2, 134.6, 129.7, 129.4, 128.9, 128.7, 127.1, 126.8, 118.3, 117.8, 54.0, 44.4, 28.6, 28.0, 15.7.

### 10-ethyl-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4c)



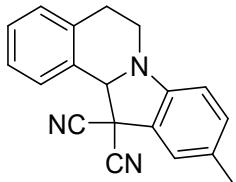
White solid (36.6 mg, 61 %). mp. 105-106 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.30$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.62-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.40-7.31 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.20 (dd,  $J = 8.2, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.72 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.18 (s, 1H), 3.85-3.74 (m, 1H), 3.26-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.84 (m, 1H), 2.64 (q,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 1.24 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 3H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  147.9, 137.4, 135.7, 131.6, 129.9, 129.6, 128.9, 127.2, 125.6, 124.1, 122.3, 115.2, 112.4, 110.1, 72.3, 43.2, 42.7, 28.8, 28.3, 15.8. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 300.1495, found: 300.1497.

### 2-(p-tolyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3d)<sup>11</sup>



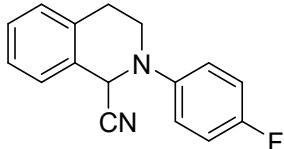
White solid (6.0 mg, 12 %). mp. 96-97 °C (lit.<sup>11</sup> 94-96 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.42$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.33-7.20 (m, 4H), 7.16 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.00 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 3.75-3.65 (m, 1H), 3.44 (td,  $J = 11.5, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.22-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.94 (dt,  $J = 16.3, 3.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 3H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  146.3, 134.5, 131.8, 130.1, 129.6, 129.4, 128.7, 127.1, 126.8, 118.3, 117.7, 54.1, 44.4, 28.6, 20.6.

#### 10-methyl-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4d)



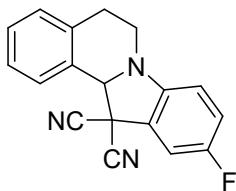
White solid (38.8 mg, 68 %). mp. 135-136 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.32$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.62-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.40-7.31 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 1H), 6.79 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 3.83-3.72 (m, 1H), 3.24-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.94-2.84 (m, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  147.7, 135.7, 132.7, 130.8, 129.9, 129.6, 128.9, 127.2, 125.6, 125.3, 122.4, 115.2, 112.4, 110.1, 72.3, 43.3, 42.7, 28.8, 20.8. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 286.1339, found: 286.1338.

#### 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3e)<sup>13</sup>



White solid (9.6 mg, 19 %). mp. 125-126 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 124-125 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.30$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.35-7.21 (m, 4H), 7.10-7.03 (m, 4H), 5.40 (s, 1H), 3.63 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 6.1, 2.4, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.45 (td,  $J = 11.6, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.22-3.11 (m, 1H), 2.95 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 2.9$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  158.6 (d,  $J = 242.1$  Hz), 145.1 (d,  $J = 2.9$  Hz), 134.3, 129.5, 129.4, 128.8, 127.1, 126.8, 120.5 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz), 117.4, 116.2 (d,  $J = 22.7$  Hz), 54.8, 44.8, 28.6. **<sup>19</sup>F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -120.7.

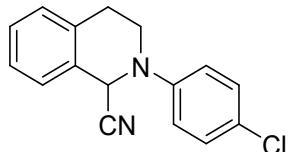
#### 10-fluoro-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4e)



White solid (44.5 mg, 77 %). mp. 140-141 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.24$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.63-7.52 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.20 (m, 4H), 7.11 (td,  $J = 8.7, 2.4$  Hz, 1H), 6.74 (dd,  $J = 8.7, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 3.82-3.70 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.98-2.86 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  157.2 (d,  $J = 242.1$  Hz), 146.4 (d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 135.5, 129.6, 129.4, 129.1, 127.3, 125.6, 123.1 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 119.1 (d,  $J = 23.5$  Hz), 114.6, 112.5 (d,  $J = 25.7$  Hz), 111.8, 111.0 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz), 72.5,

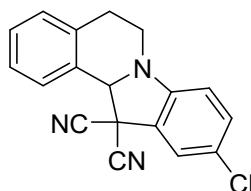
43.4, 42.7, 28.7. **<sup>19</sup>F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -121.3. HRMS (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 290.1088, found: 290.1086.

**2-(4-chlorophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3f)<sup>13</sup>**



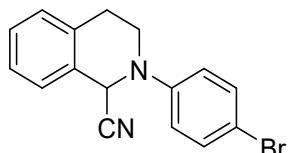
White solid (12.5 mg, 23 %). mp. 152-153 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 152-153 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.35. **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.36-7.28 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 1H), 7.05-6.98 (m, 2H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 3.72 (dd, *J* = 12.2, 5.9, 3.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (ddd, *J* = 12.3, 10.6, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.22-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.98 (dt, *J* = 16.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  147.0, 134.4, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 128.9, 127.1, 127.1, 127.0, 118.9, 117.5, 53.2, 44.3, 28.4.

**10-chloro-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4f)**



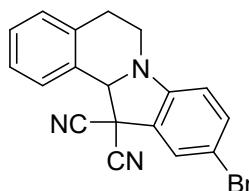
White solid (48.2 mg, 77 %). mp. 152-153 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.26. **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.61-7.45 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.24 (m, 4H), 6.69 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 3.88-3.75 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.11 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.84 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  148.1, 135.4, 132.3, 129.7, 129.3, 129.1, 127.4, 125.6, 125.1, 125.0, 123.1, 114.4, 111.6, 110.4, 72.1, 42.6, 42.5, 28.6. HRMS (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 306.0793, found: 306.0791.

**2-(4-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3g)<sup>13</sup>**



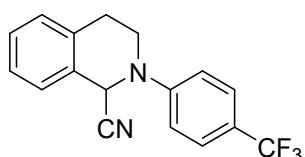
White solid (15.2 mg, 24 %). mp. 156-157 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 155-156 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.36. **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.49-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.22 (m, 1H), 6.98-6.91 (m, 2H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 3.72 (dd, *J* = 12.3, 5.8, 3.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (ddd, *J* = 12.3, 10.5, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.98 (dt, *J* = 16.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  147.4, 134.4, 132.4, 129.4, 129.2, 128.9, 127.1, 127.0, 119.1, 117.5, 114.4, 52.9, 44.2, 28.4.

**10-bromo-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4g)**



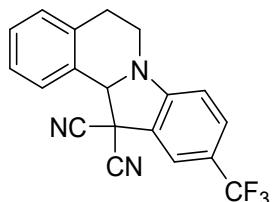
White solid (52.0 mg, 74 %). mp. 161-162 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.24$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.66-7.26 (m, 6H), 6.64 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 3.94-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.28-3.11 (m, 2H), 2.97-2.80 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  148.5, 135.4, 135.1, 129.7, 129.2, 129.1, 127.9, 127.4, 125.6, 123.4, 114.4, 111.6, 111.5, 110.8, 72.0, 42.4, 42.4, 28.6. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 350.0287, found: 350.0291.

#### 2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3h)<sup>13</sup>



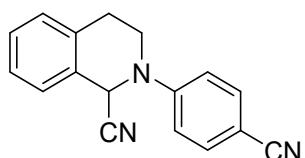
White solid (44.2 mg, 73 %). mp. 101-102 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 102-103 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.30$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.60 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 7.38-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 3.86 (dt,  $J = 12.2, 5.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.61-3.52 (m, 1H), 3.22-3.11 (m, 1H), 3.05 (dt,  $J = 16.3, 4.4$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  150.3, 134.6, 129.2, 129.1, 129.0, 127.2, 127.0, 126.9 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 124.4 (q,  $J = 271.4$  Hz), 122.6 (q,  $J = 33.0$  Hz), 117.5, 115.4, 51.2, 43.9, 28.3. **<sup>19</sup>F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -61.6.

#### 10-(trifluoromethyl)-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6H)-dicarbonitrile (4h)



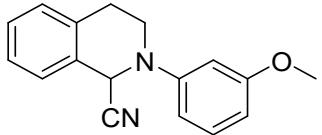
White solid (13.6 mg, 20 %). mp. 157-158 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.16$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.74 (s, 1H), 7.65-7.55 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.27 (m, 1H), 6.77 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 5.37 (s, 1H), 3.98-3.90 (ddd,  $J = 12.4, 6.0, 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.35-3.15 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.87 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  151.4, 135.2, 130.1 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 129.8, 129.3, 129.0, 127.6, 125.6, 123.9 (d,  $J = 271.4$  Hz), 122.5 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 122.0 (d,  $J = 33.8$  Hz), 121.7, 114.2, 111.4, 108.4, 71.6, 42.5, 41.7, 28.7. **<sup>19</sup>F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -61.3. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>12</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 340.1056, found: 340.1058.

#### 2-(4-cyanophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3i)<sup>13</sup>



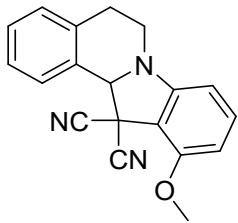
White solid (20.2 mg, 39 %). mp. 153-154 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 155-156 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 5:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.26$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.63 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.27 (m, 4H), 7.03 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 3.90-3.80 (m, 1H), 3.67-3.57 (m, 1H), 3.21-3.06 (m, 2H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  150.6, 134.7, 133.9, 129.4, 129.1, 128.8, 127.4, 127.0, 119.4, 117.3, 114.7, 102.7, 50.1, 43.8, 28.2.

### 2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3j)<sup>12</sup>



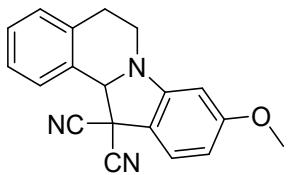
Yellow oil (8.1 mg, 15 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.26$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.34-7.21 (m, 5H), 6.68 (dd,  $J = 8.1, 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.61 (t,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 6.56 (dd,  $J = 8.2, 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 5.51 (s, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.77 (dd,  $J = 12.4, 5.8, 3.1, 0.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.47 (ddd,  $J = 12.5, 10.6, 4.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.09 (m, 1H), 2.96 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 3.6$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  160.8, 149.7, 134.6, 130.3, 129.5, 129.3, 128.8, 127.1, 126.9, 117.7, 109.9, 106.5, 104.0, 55.3, 52.9, 44.1, 28.5.

### 11-methoxy-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4j1)



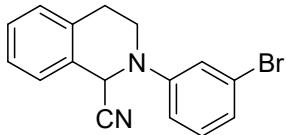
White solid (35.1 mg, 58 %). mp. 129-130 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.17$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.63-7.59 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.28 (m, 3H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 1H), 6.40 (dd,  $J = 18.7, 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 5.34 (s, 1H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 3.81 (ddd,  $J = 12.4, 5.6, 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.25 (td,  $J = 11.3, 3.7$  Hz, 1H), 3.17-3.07 (m, 1H), 2.85 (dt,  $J = 15.5, 2.5$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  157.0, 151.5, 135.7, 133.8, 130.0, 129.5, 128.9, 127.3, 125.9, 114.9, 111.9, 107.6, 102.9, 102.5, 72.2, 56.0, 43.1, 40.8, 28.9. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 302.1288, found: 302.1293.

### 9-methoxy-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4j2)



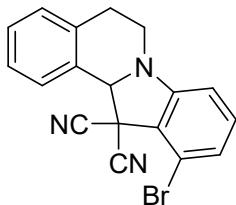
White solid (10.9 mg, 18 %). mp. 135-136 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.12$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.60-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.32 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.24 (m, 1H), 6.44 (dd,  $J = 8.4, 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.28 (d,  $J = 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 3.86-3.80 (m, 4H), 3.26-3.13 (m, 2H), 2.94-2.84 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  163.4, 150.9, 135.5, 129.8, 129.6, 128.9, 127.2, 125.7, 125.5, 115.2, 113.9, 112.4, 105.4, 96.2, 72.4, 55.7, 42.4, 42.2, 28.8. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 302.1288, found: 302.1291.

**2-(3-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3k)<sup>14</sup>**



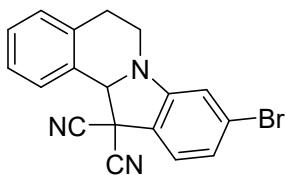
White solid (13.8 mg, 22 %). mp. 93-94 °C (lit.<sup>14</sup> 92-93 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.31$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.36-7.27 (m, 3H), 7.25-7.17 (m, 3H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.98 (dd,  $J = 8.2, 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 3.80-3.72 (m, 1H), 3.54-3.44 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.09 (m, 1H), 3.00 (dt,  $J = 16.3, 3.8$  Hz, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  149.5, 134.5, 130.8, 129.3, 129.1, 129.0, 127.0, 127.0, 124.4, 123.5, 120.1, 117.5, 115.4, 52.4, 44.1, 28.4.

**11-bromo-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4k1)**



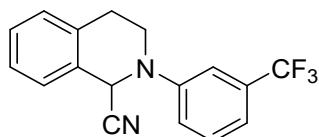
White solid (26.0 mg, 37 %). mp. 183-184 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.12$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.66-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.22 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.68 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 5.44 (s, 1H), 3.82 (ddd,  $J = 12.5, 5.8, 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.29 (td,  $J = 11.5, 3.7$  Hz, 1H), 3.18-3.08 (m, 1H), 2.92-2.83 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  151.3, 135.5, 133.6, 129.7, 129.3, 129.2, 127.5, 125.9, 123.6, 120.7, 120.4, 114.2, 110.7, 108.3, 71.5, 44.7, 42.8, 28.8. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 350.0287, found: 350.0284.

**9-bromo-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4k2)**



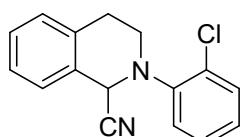
White solid (10.6 mg, 15 %). mp. 84-85 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.28$ . **<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.58-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.42-7.34 (m, 3H), 7.32-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.04 (dd,  $J = 8.1, 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d,  $J = 1.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 3.88-3.81 (m, 1H), 3.29-3.14 (m, 2H), 2.93-2.86 (m, 1H). **<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  150.3, 135.3, 129.7, 129.2, 129.1, 127.4, 126.6, 126.0, 125.5, 123.1, 120.7, 114.5, 112.6, 111.6, 71.9, 42.3, 42.1, 28.7. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 350.0287, found: 350.0286.

**2-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3l)<sup>14</sup>**



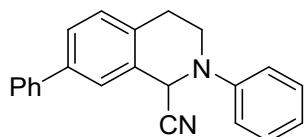
White solid (46.1 mg, 76 %). mp. 101-102 °C (lit.<sup>14</sup> 100-101 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.34. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.47 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.37-7.29 (m, 3H), 7.29-7.21 (m, 4H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 3.81 (dd, J = 12.4, 5.6, 3.7, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (ddd, J = 12.4, 10.3, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.23-3.12 (m, 1H), 3.03 (dt, J = 16.4, 3.9 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 148.5, 134.4, 132.0 (q, J = 32.3 Hz), 130.2, 129.3, 129.0, 127.1, 127.0, 124.0 (d, J = 272.2 Hz), 119.8, 118.0 (q, J = 3.7 Hz), 117.4, 113.6 (q, J = 3.7 Hz), 52.4, 44.1, 28.4. <sup>19</sup>F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -62.7.

#### 2-(2-chlorophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3m)<sup>13</sup>



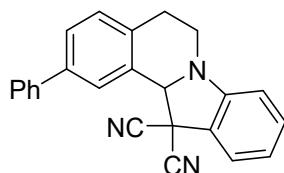
White solid (28.6 mg, 53 %). mp. 115-116 °C (lit.<sup>13</sup> 115-116 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.40. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.45-7.40 (m, 1H), 7.38-7.20 (m, 6H), 7.17-7.11 (m, 1H), 5.53 (s, 1H), 3.62 (td, J = 12.0, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.50-3.41 (m, 1H), 3.31-3.20 (m, 1H), 2.92 (dt, J = 16.5, 2.7 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 145.8, 134.1, 130.6, 129.6, 129.5, 129.4, 128.7, 128.2, 127.1, 126.7, 126.0, 123.2, 117.3, 53.8, 45.6, 28.8.

#### 2,7-diphenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3n)



White solid (17.2 mg, 28 %). mp. 133-134 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.36. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.61-7.50 (m, 4H), 7.45 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.34 (m, 3H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 3.81 (dd, J = 12.5, 6.0, 2.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (ddd, J = 12.4, 10.8, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.25-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.01 (dt, J = 16.5, 3.4 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 148.4, 140.1, 133.6, 130.0, 129.8, 129.6, 128.9, 127.6, 127.6, 127.0, 125.6, 122.0, 117.8, 53.5, 44.3, 28.3. HRMS (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>2</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 311.1543, found: 311.1546.

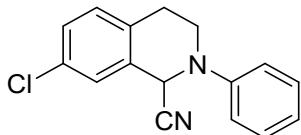
#### 2-phenyl-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6H)-dicarbonitrile (4n)



White solid (35.7 mg, 51 %). mp. 157-158 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v): R<sub>f</sub> = 0.24. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.68-7.44 (m, 6H), 7.43-7.29 (m, 3H), 6.94 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 3.96-3.82 (m, 1H), 3.31-3.15 (m, 2H), 2.98-2.86 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz,

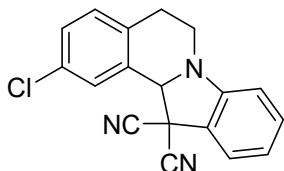
$\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  149.5, 140.3, 140.0, 134.6, 132.2, 130.2, 130.1, 129.0, 127.7, 127.7, 127.1, 125.0, 124.1, 121.9, 120.6, 115.0, 112.3, 109.7, 72.2, 42.7, 42.5, 28.4. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 348.1495, found: 348.1493.

#### 7-chloro-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3o)<sup>15</sup>



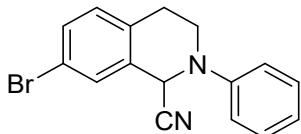
White solid (9.0 mg, 16 %). mp. 108-109 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.26$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.41-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.726 (m, 2H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.10-7.01 (m, 3H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 3.77 (dd,  $J = 12.5, 5.9, 2.6, 1.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.46 (ddd,  $J = 12.5, 10.9, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.16-3.05 (m, 1H), 2.93 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 3.3$  Hz, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.1, 133.1, 132.4, 131.1, 130.8, 129.7, 129.1, 127.0, 122.4, 117.9, 117.2, 53.1, 44.1, 28.0.

#### 2-chloro-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6H)-dicarbonitrile (4o)



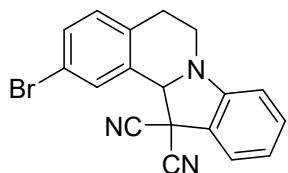
White solid (39.9 mg, 65 %). mp. 152-153 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.17$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.63-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.15 (m, 1H), 6.95 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.77 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 3.96-3.77 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.06 (m, 2H), 2.94-2.81 (m, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  149.2, 134.2, 133.0, 132.3, 131.4, 131.0, 129.3, 125.5, 124.9, 121.8, 120.8, 114.7, 111.9, 109.7, 71.5, 42.5, 42.4, 28.4. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClN}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 306.0793, found: 306.0790.

#### 7-bromo-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3p)



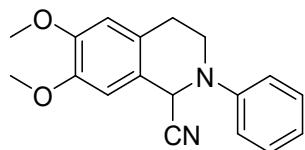
White solid (9.0 mg, 14 %). mp. 90-91 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.31$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.48-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.16-6.98 (m, 4H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 3.83-3.71 (m, 1H), 3.45 (td,  $J = 11.5, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.17-3.01 (m, 1H), 2.91 (dt,  $J = 16.4, 3.1$  Hz, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.1, 133.6, 132.0, 131.5, 131.0, 129.9, 129.7, 122.4, 120.2, 117.9, 117.2, 52.9, 44.1, 28.1. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 313.0335, found: 313.0334.

#### 2-bromo-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6H)-dicarbonitrile (4p)



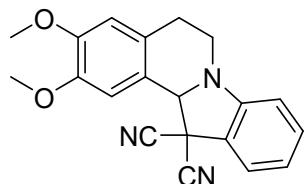
White solid (59.8 mg, 85 %). mp. 158-159 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.17$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.69 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.37 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.94 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.66 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 3.94-3.77 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.01 (m, 2H), 2.84 (d,  $J = 15.8$  Hz, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  149.2, 137.4, 132.3, 132.1, 131.7, 131.3, 128.4, 124.9, 121.7, 120.8, 120.7, 114.7, 111.9, 109.7, 71.3, 42.5, 42.3, 28.4. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 350.0287, found: 350.0289.

#### **6,7-dimethoxy-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3q)<sup>11</sup>**



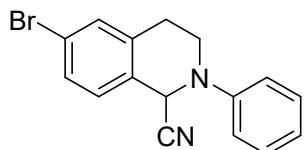
Yellow solid (12.6 mg, 21 %). mp. 136-137 °C (lit.<sup>11</sup> 137-138 °C). TLC (PE : EA, 5:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.30$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.36 (t,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.08 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.02 (t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 6.75 (s, 1H), 6.69 (s, 1H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 6H), 3.82-3.74 (m, 1H), 3.45 (td,  $J = 12.1, 3.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.14-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.86 (dt,  $J = 16.0, 2.8$  Hz, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  149.4, 148.5, 148.1, 129.6, 126.9, 122.0, 121.1, 117.9, 117.8, 111.5, 109.3, 56.1, 56.0, 53.1, 44.2, 28.1.

#### **2,3-dimethoxy-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-a]isoquinoline-12,12(6H)-dicarbonitrile (4q)**



Yellow solid (35.7 mg, 54 %). mp. 168-169 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 5:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.21$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.50 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 6.92 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.80-6.67 (s, 2H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 4.00-3.79 (m, 7H), 3.27-3.04 (m, 2H), 2.78 (d,  $J = 15.3$  Hz, 1H). **13C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  149.6, 149.4, 148.3, 132.2, 128.2, 125.0, 121.9, 121.3, 120.4, 115.3, 112.4, 111.9, 109.7, 108.0, 71.9, 56.1, 55.9, 43.1, 42.6, 28.3. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup>: 332.1394, found: 332.1398.

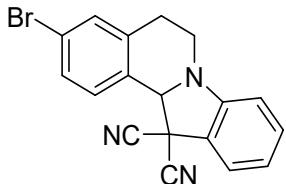
#### **6-bromo-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline-1-carbonitrile (3r)**



Colorless oil (11.0 mg, 17 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.38$ . **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.44-7.33 (m, 4H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 1H), 7.10-7.00 (m, 3H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 3.80-3.72 (m, 1H), 3.45 (td,  $J = 12.4$ ,

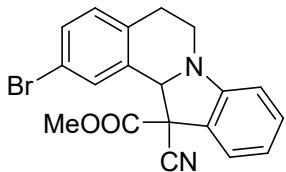
11.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.07 (m, 1H), 2.94 (dt,  $J$  = 16.5, 3.3 Hz, 1H).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  148.1, 136.8, 132.3, 130.1, 129.6, 128.6, 128.6, 122.7, 122.3, 117.9, 117.2, 53.0, 43.9, 28.4. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 313.0335, found: 313.0337.

### 3-bromo-5,12a-dihydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12,12(6*H*)-dicarbonitrile (4r)



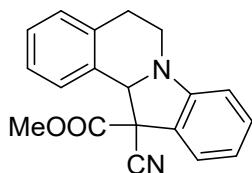
White solid (46.3 mg, 66 %). mp. 160-161 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f$  = 0.26.  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.55-7.32 (m, 5H), 6.95 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 3.94-3.76 (m, 1H), 3.24-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.93-2.82 (m, 1H).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  149.2, 137.9, 132.6, 132.3, 130.4, 128.7, 127.1, 124.9, 123.0, 121.7, 120.8, 114.8, 112.0, 109.7, 71.6, 42.4, 42.1, 28.5. **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{13}\text{BrN}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 350.0287, found: 350.0289.

### methyl 2-bromo-12-cyano-5,6,12,12a-tetrahydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12-carboxylate (4s)



Yellow solid (52.8 mg, 68 %). mp. 77-78 °C. TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f$  = 0.19. Isolated diastereomeric ratio = 4:1;  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.59 (s, 1H, minor isomer), 7.41-7.26 (m, 4H, mixture of isomers), 7.09-7.03 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.84-6.77 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.48 (s, 1H, mixture of isomers), 4.06 (s, 3H, major isomer), 3.92-3.78 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.45 (s, 3H, minor isomer), 3.25-3.15 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.10-2.98 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 2.74 (d,  $J$  = 15.9 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  167.1 (165.0), 149.5 (150.3), 134.8 (135.1), 133.9 (133.5), 131.3 (131.2), 131.1, 131.0 (130.8), 129.3 (128.6), 124.7 (125.0), 124.3 (124.7), 120.1 (120.0), 119.6 (119.4), 115.5, 109.2 (109.3), 68.5 (70.3), 54.7 (55.9), 53.3, 42.7 (42.7), 28.0 (28.4). **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 383.0390, found: 383.0386.

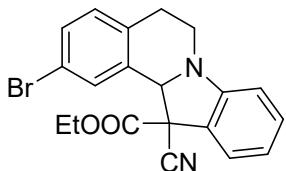
### methyl 12-cyano-5,6,12,12a-tetrahydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12-carboxylate (4t)



Colorless oil (23.5 mg, 38 %). TLC (PE : DCM, 1:1 v/v):  $R_f$  = 0.35. Isolated diastereomeric ratio = 4:1;  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.49-7.45 (m, 1H, minor isomer), 7.34-7.26 (m, 4H, mixture of isomers), 7.22-7.17 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 7.16-7.12 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.83-6.76 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.72 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.56 (s, 1H, minor isomer), 5.52 (s, 1H, major isomer).

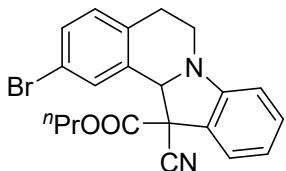
isomer), 4.05 (s, 3H, major isomer), 3.93-3.78 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.34 (s, 3H, minor isomer), 3.26 (td,  $J$  = 11.6, 3.4 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.20-3.09 (m, 1H, major isomer), 3.08-2.98 (m, 1H, minor isomer), 2.85-2.75 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  167.6 (165.3), 149.8 (150.7), 135.7 (136.0), 131.8 (131.3), 131.2 (131.1), 129.4 (129.1), 128.0 (127.9), 126.7 (126.6), 126.3 (125.9), 124.6 (124.6), 124.5, 119.4 (119.1), 115.8, 109.0 (109.2), 69.3 (70.9), 54.5 (56.0), 53.1, 42.8 (43.0), 28.3 (28.9). **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 305.1285, found: 305.1281.

**ethyl 2-bromo-12-cyano-5,6,12,12a-tetrahydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12-carboxylate (4u)**



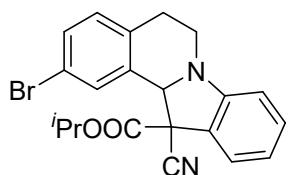
Colorless oil (44.4 mg, 56 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f$  = 0.24. Isolated diastereomeric ratio = 4:1;  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.63 (d,  $J$  = 1.7 Hz, 1H, minor isomer), 7.41-7.26 (m, 4H, mixture of isomers), 7.11-7.03 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.81 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.47 (s, 1H, mixture of isomers), 4.58-4.47 (m, 2H, major isomer), 3.97-3.77 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.21 (td,  $J$  = 11.9, 3.6 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.11-3.96 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 2.82-2.70 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 1.48 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 3H, major isomer), 0.98 (t,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 3H, minor isomer).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.6, 149.5, 134.8, 133.9, 131.2 (131.2), 131.1, 131.0 (130.7), 129.3 (128.8), 124.6 (124.6), 124.5, 120.1, 119.7, 115.6, 109.1, 68.5 (70.3), 64.1 (62.9), 55.9, 42.7, 28.1 (28.6), 14.2 (13.6). **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 397.0546, found: 397.0542.

**propyl 2-bromo-12-cyano-5,6,12,12a-tetrahydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12-carboxylate (4v)**



Colorless oil (49.5 mg, 60 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f$  = 0.29. Isolated diastereomeric ratio = 4:1;  **$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.62 (d,  $J$  = 1.3 Hz, 1H, minor isomer), 7.41-7.26 (m, 4H, mixture of isomers), 7.10-7.03 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.80 (td,  $J$  = 7.6, 0.7 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.70 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.46 (s, 1H, major isomer), 5.44 (s, 1H, minor isomer), 4.50-4.43 (m, 2H, major isomer), 3.90-3.74 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.26-3.15 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.10-2.92 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 2.75 (d,  $J$  = 15.8 Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 1.93-1.81 (m, 2H, major isomer), 1.47-1.35 (m, 2H, minor isomer), 1.07 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 3H, major isomer), 0.78 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 3H, minor isomer).  **$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.7 (164.6), 149.5 (150.3), 134.8 (135.0), 134.0 (133.7), 131.2 (131.1), 131.1 (130.9), 131.0 (130.8), 129.2 (128.6), 124.6 (125.4), 124.5 (124.5), 120.1 (120.0), 119.6 (119.4), 115.5 (115.3), 109.1 (109.2), 69.5 (70.2), 68.5 (68.4), 55.9 (55.7), 42.6, 28.0 (28.5), 22.0 (21.5), 10.4 (10.1). **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 411.0703, found: 411.0702.

**isopropyl 2-bromo-12-cyano-5,6,12,12a-tetrahydroindolo[2,1-*a*]isoquinoline-12-carboxylate (4w)**

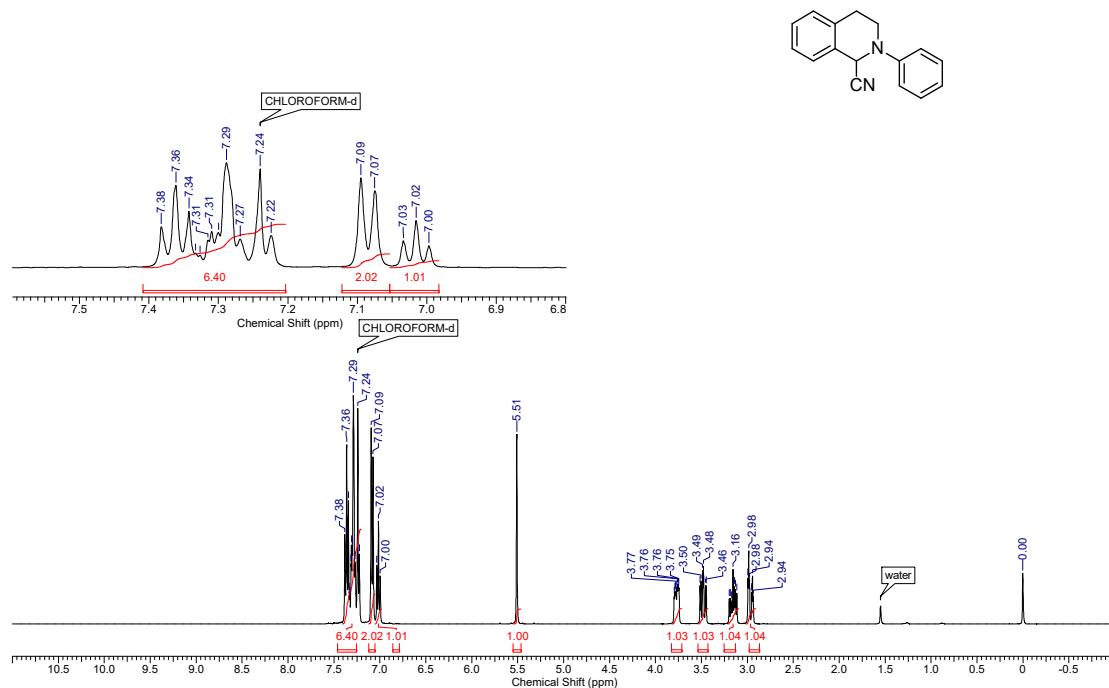


Colorless oil (41.3 mg, 50 %). TLC (PE : EA, 10:1 v/v):  $R_f = 0.24$ . Isolated diastereomeric ratio = 3:1;  **$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.63 (d,  $J = 1.3$  Hz, 1H, minor isomer), 7.41-7.26 (m, 4H, mixture of isomers), 7.10-7.03 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.85-6.77 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 6.73-6.67 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.48-5.40 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 5.38-5.29 (m, 1H, major isomer), 4.75-4.65 (m, 1H, minor isomer), 3.91-3.83 (m, 1H, major isomer), 3.82-3.74 (m, 1H, minor isomer), 3.28-3.15 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 3.10-2.93 (m, 1H, mixture of isomers), 2.77 (d,  $J = 15.3$  Hz, 1H, mixture of isomers), 1.46 (dd,  $J = 14.8, 6.4$  Hz, 6H, major isomer), 1.02 (d,  $J = 6.2$  Hz, 3H, minor isomer), 0.93 (d,  $J = 6.2$  Hz, 3H, minor isomer).  **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.1, 149.5, 134.8, 134.0, 131.1, 131.0, 131.0, 129.2 (128.8), 124.6, 124.5, 120.1, 119.6 (119.3), 115.6, 109.0 (109.2), 72.4 (71.2), 68.6 (70.1), 55.9, 42.6, 28.2 (28.6), 21.7 (21.1), 21.6 (21.1). **HRMS** (ESI), calcd. for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$ : 411.0703, found: 411.0696.

## Supplemental Data

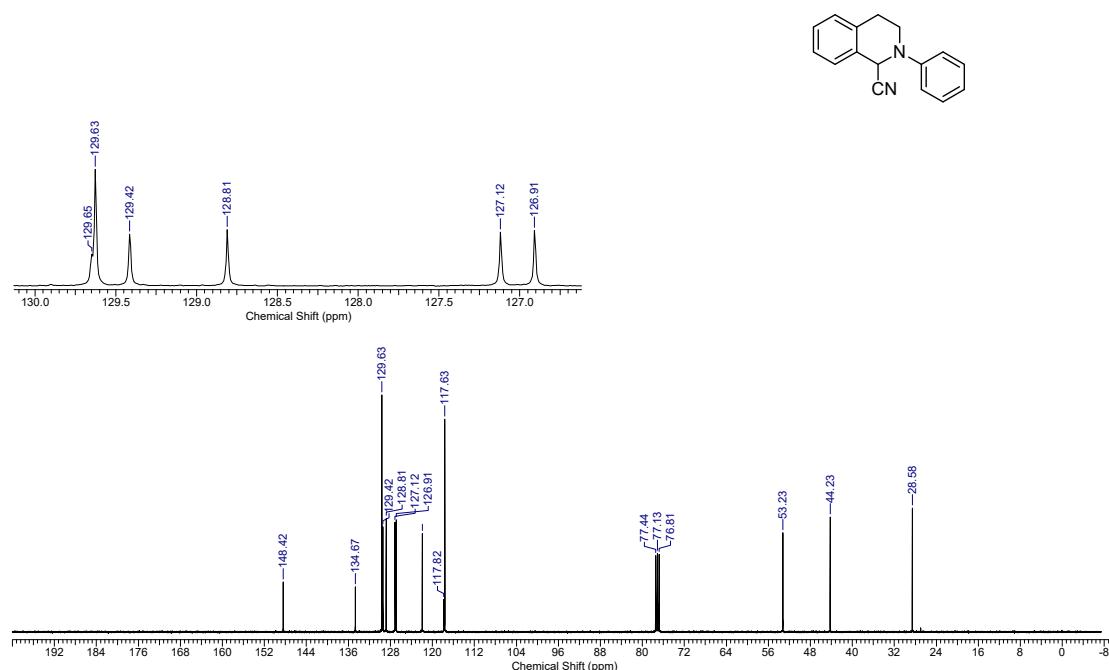
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**Figure S28.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 3a

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**Figure S29**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 3a

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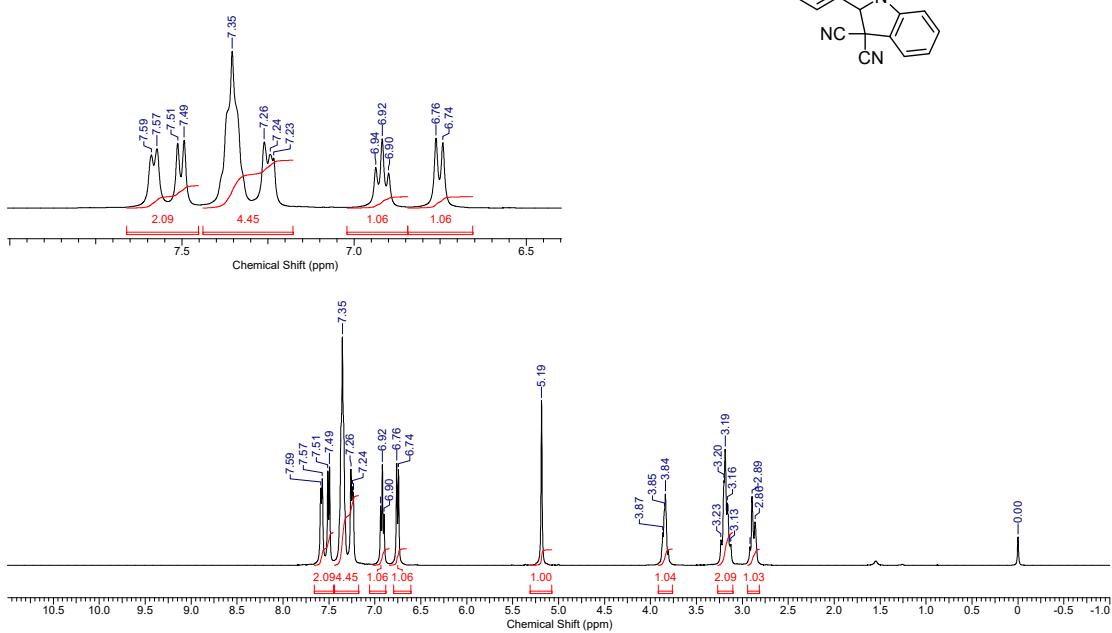
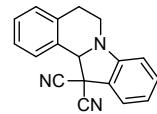


Figure S30. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4a

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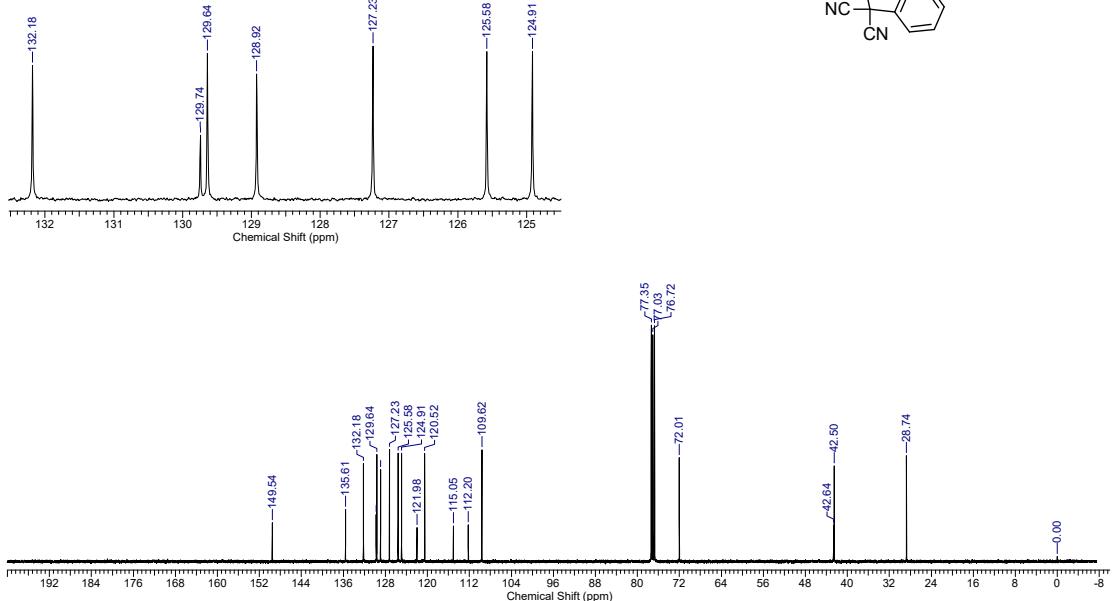
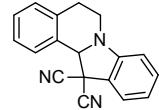


Figure S31. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4a

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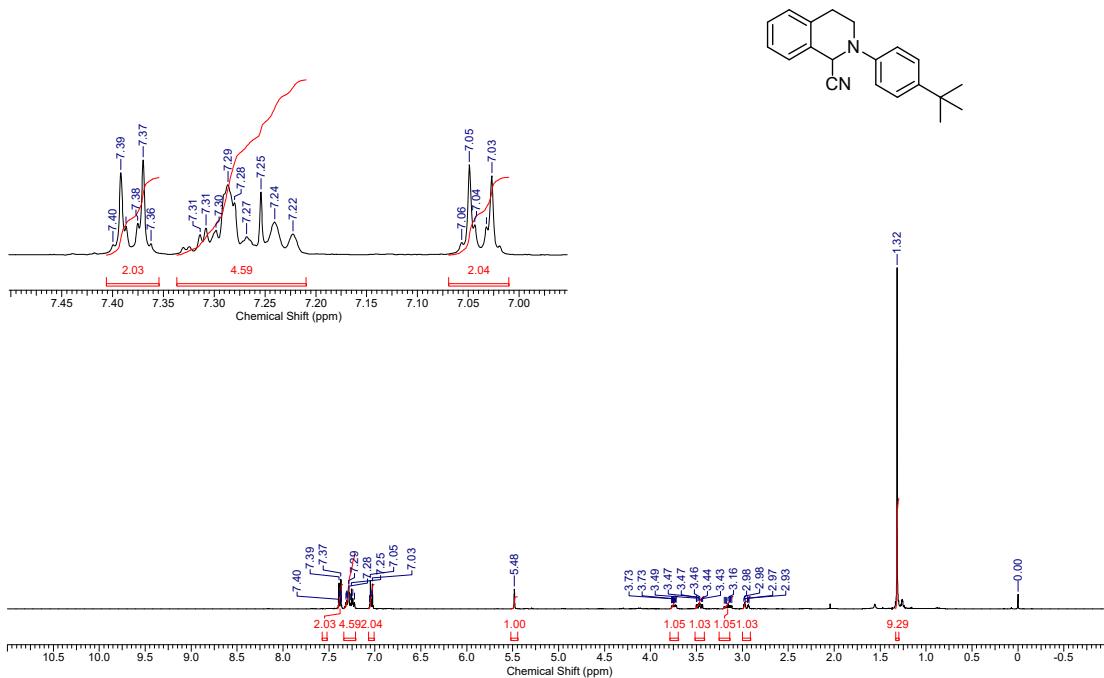


Figure S32. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3b

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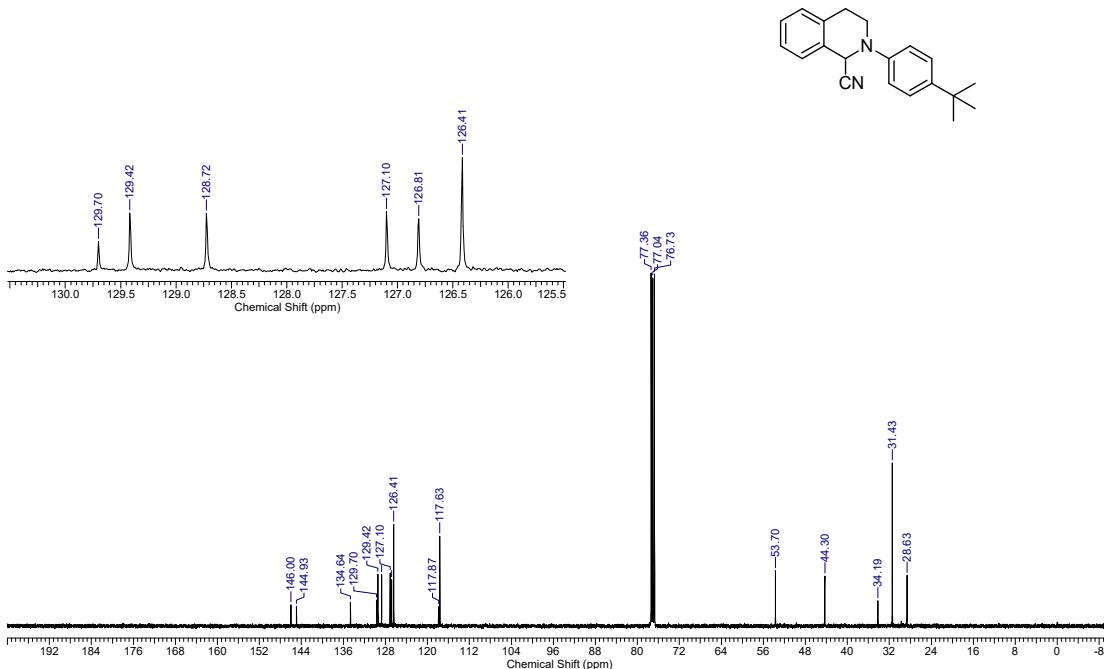


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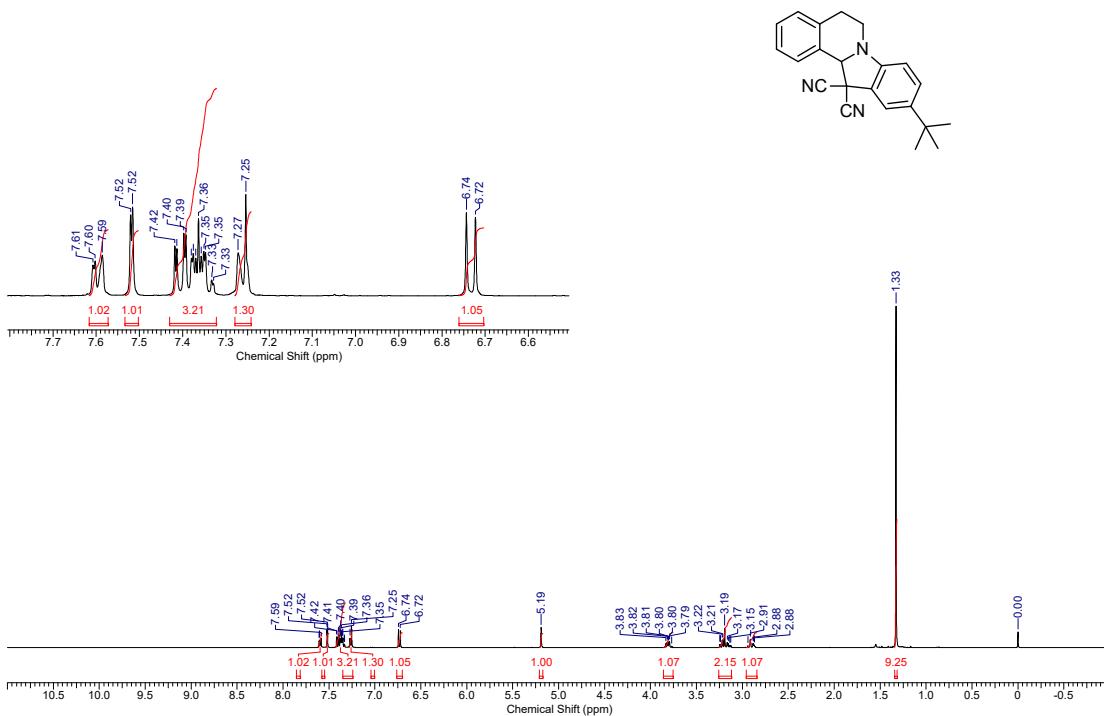


Figure S34.<sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4b

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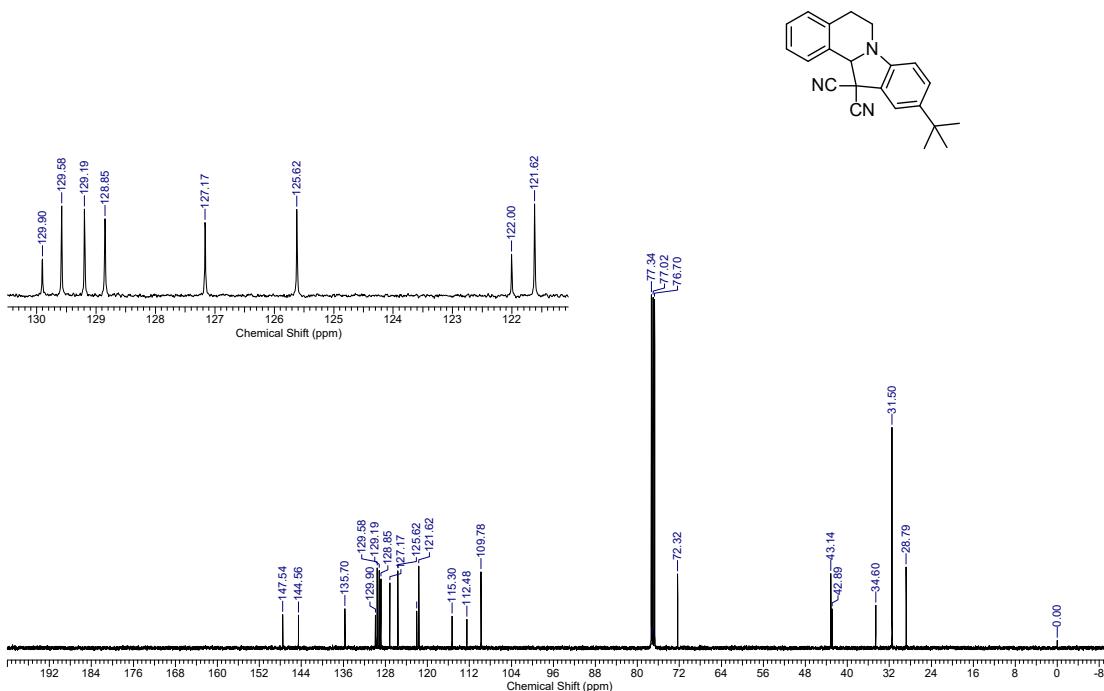


Figure S35.<sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4b

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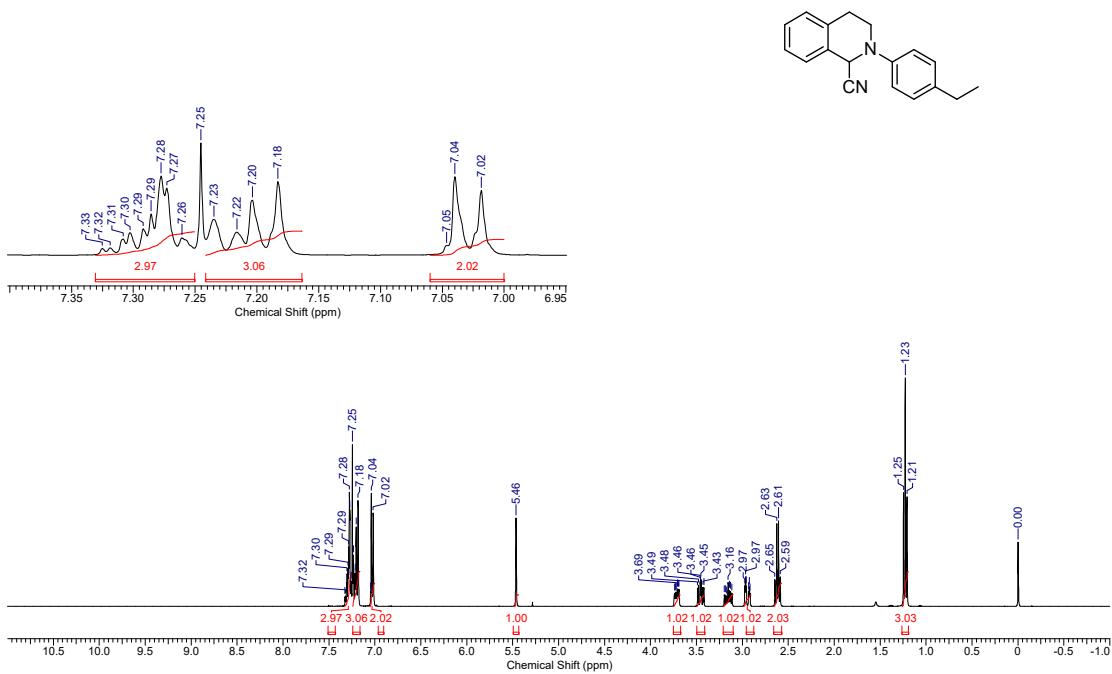


Figure S36. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3c

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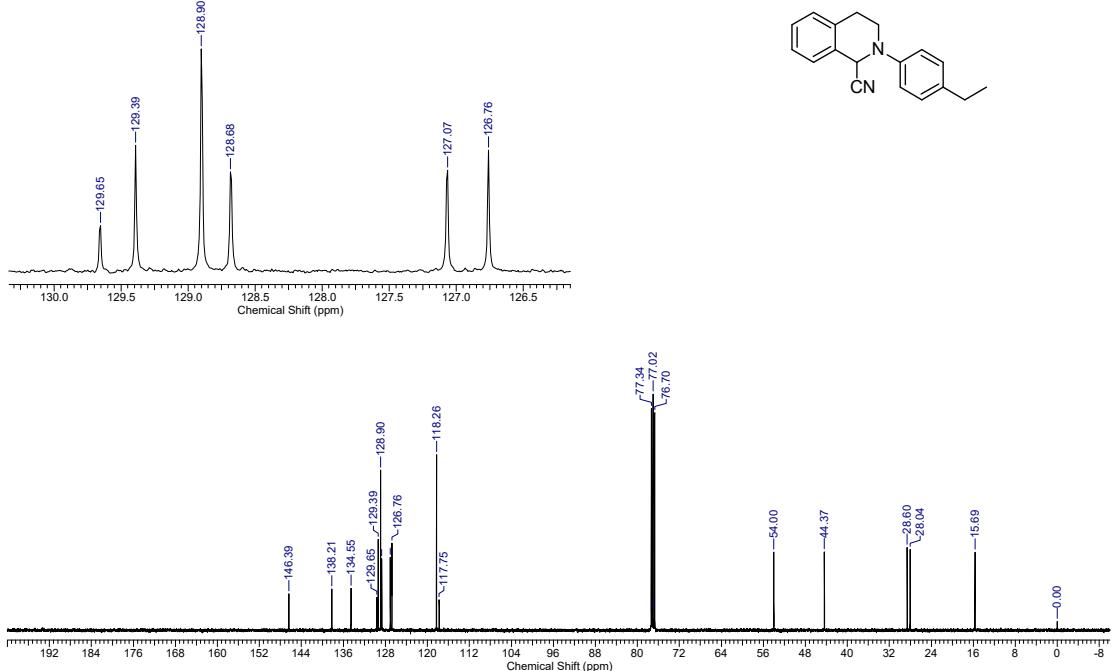


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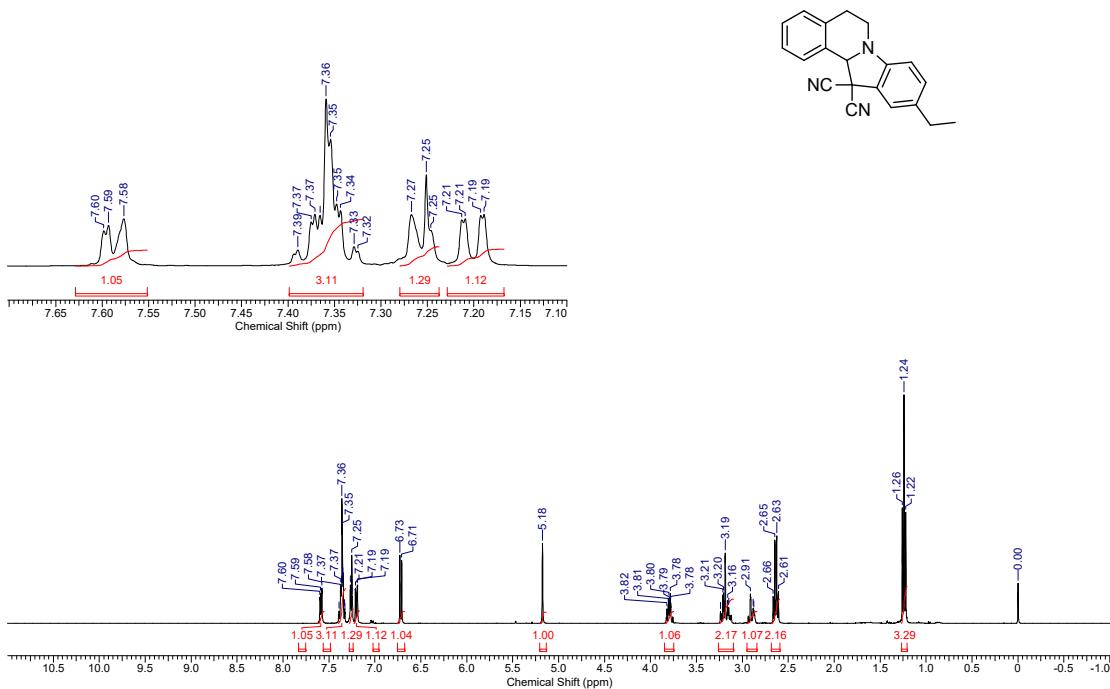


Figure S38. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4c

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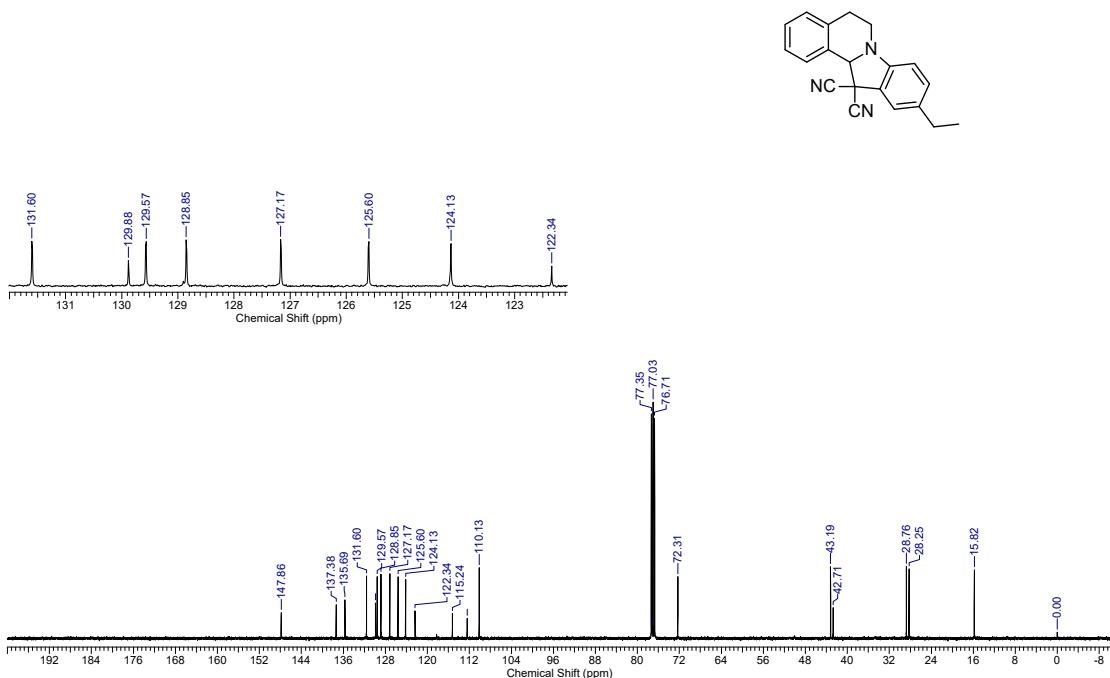


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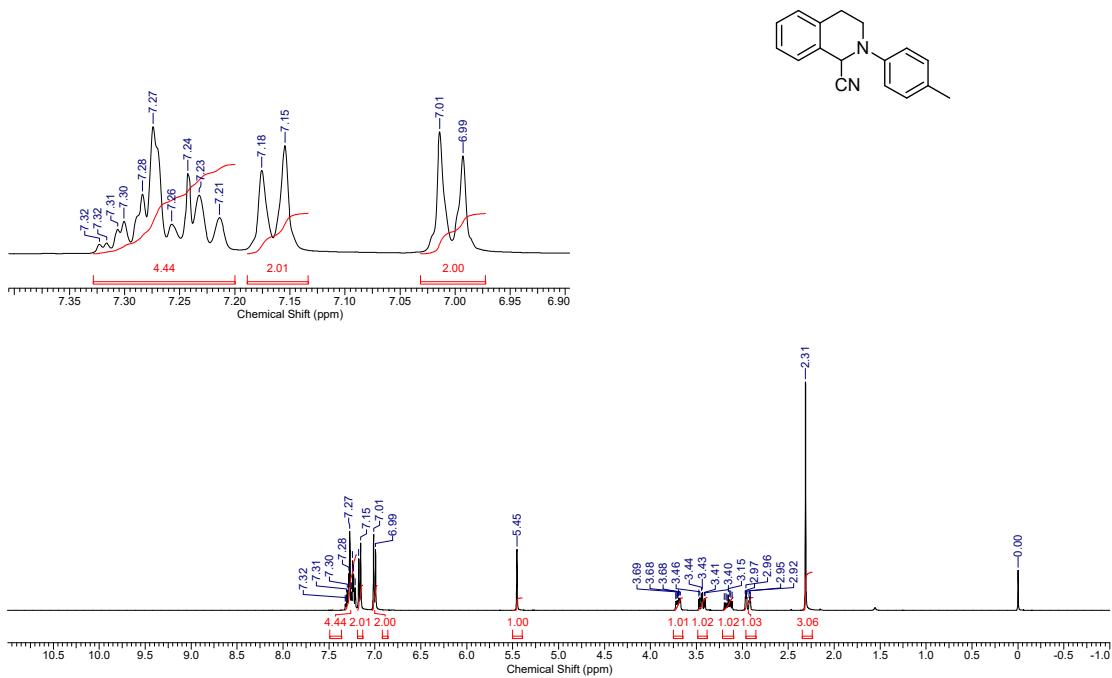


Figure S40. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3d

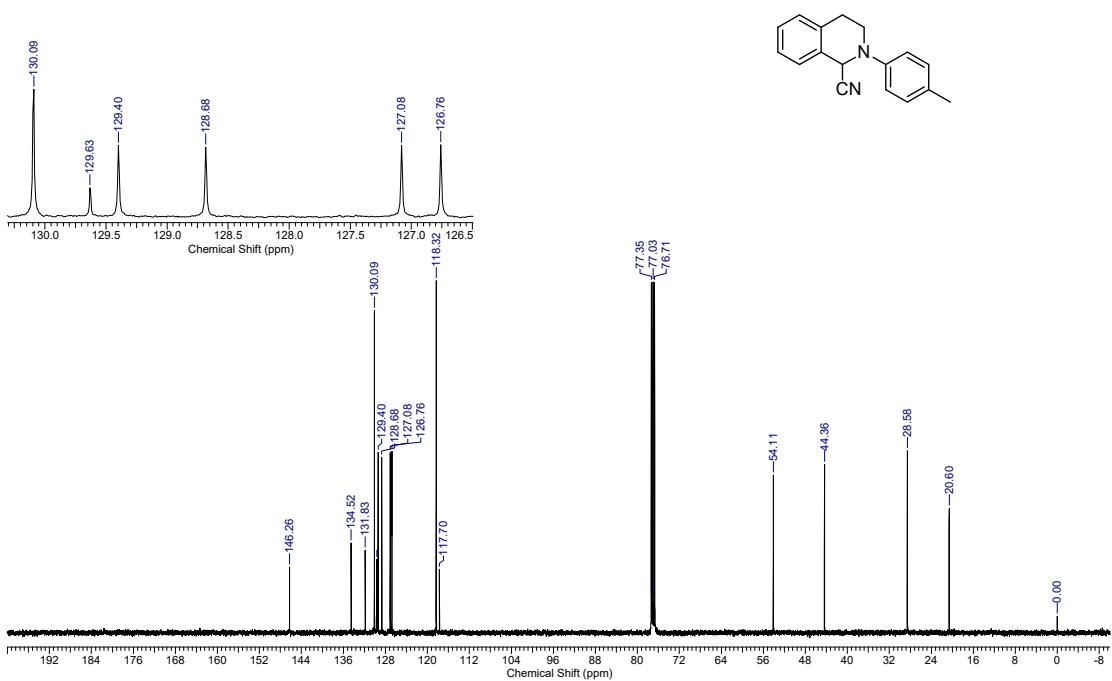


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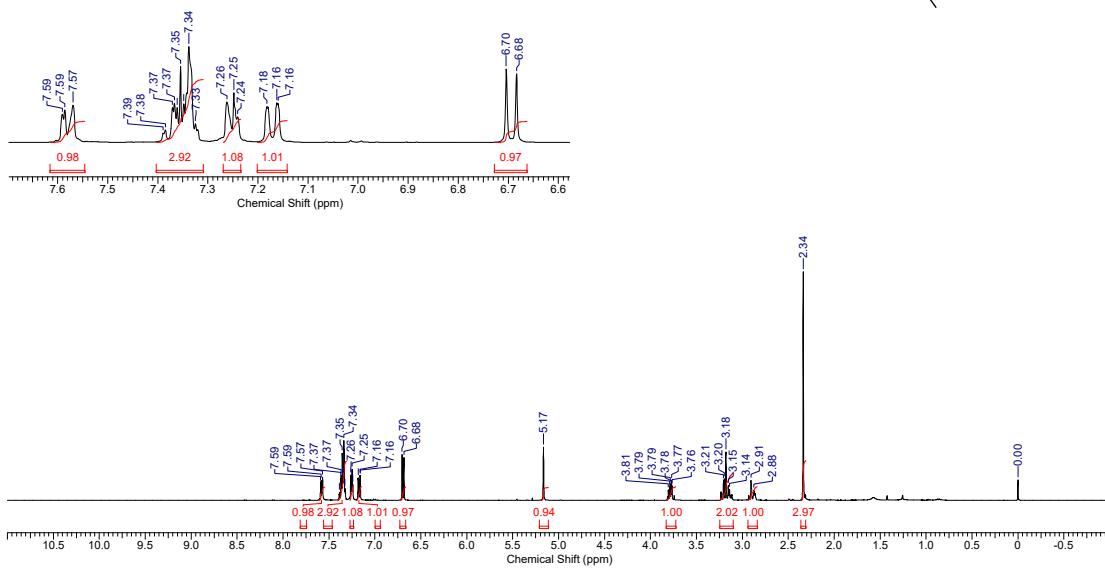
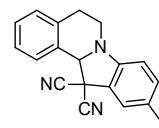


Figure S42. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4d

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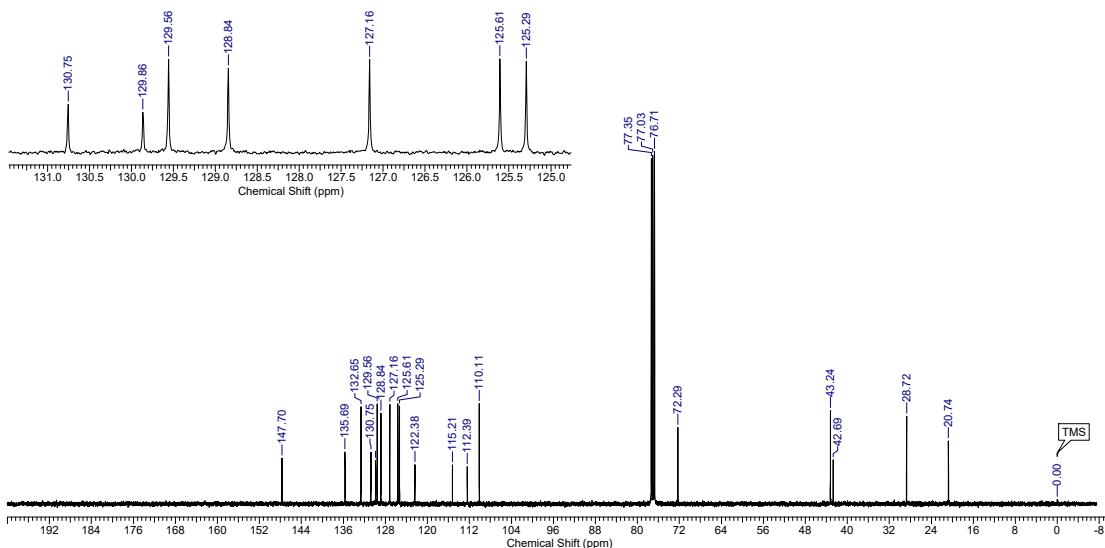
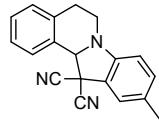


Figure S43. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4d

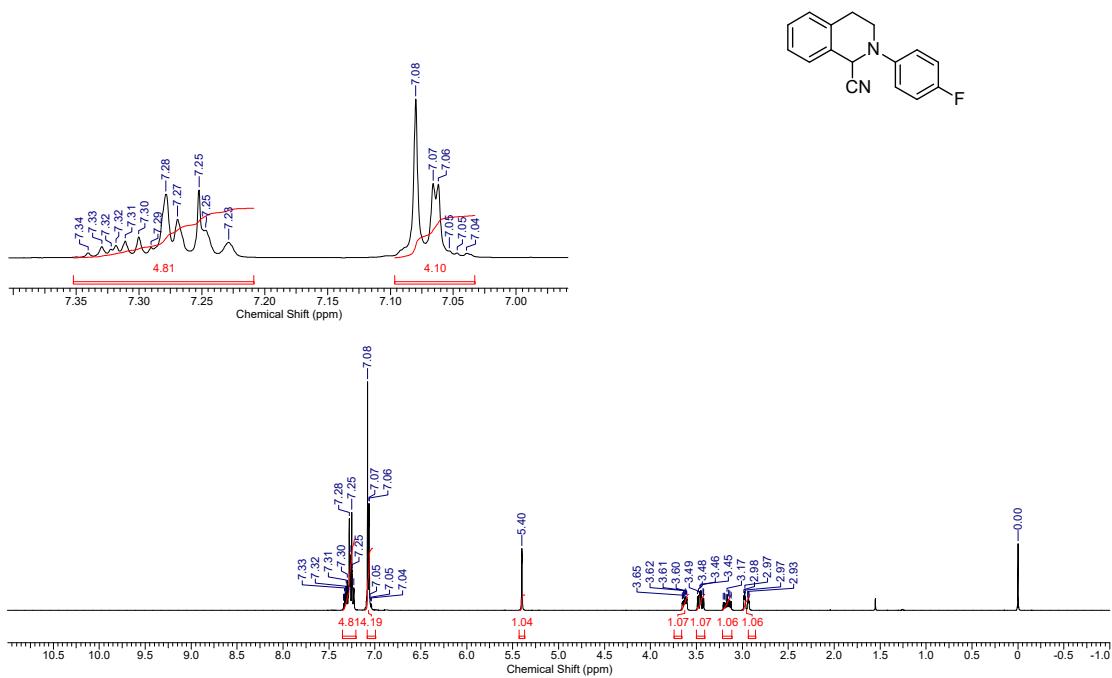


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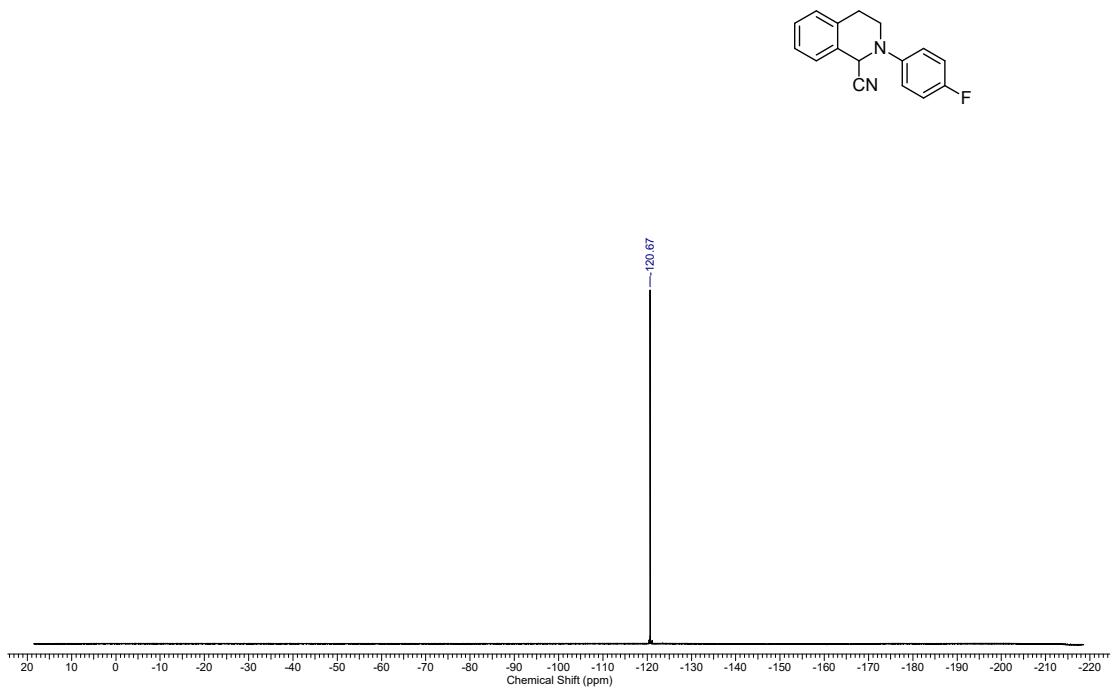


Figure S45. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound 3e

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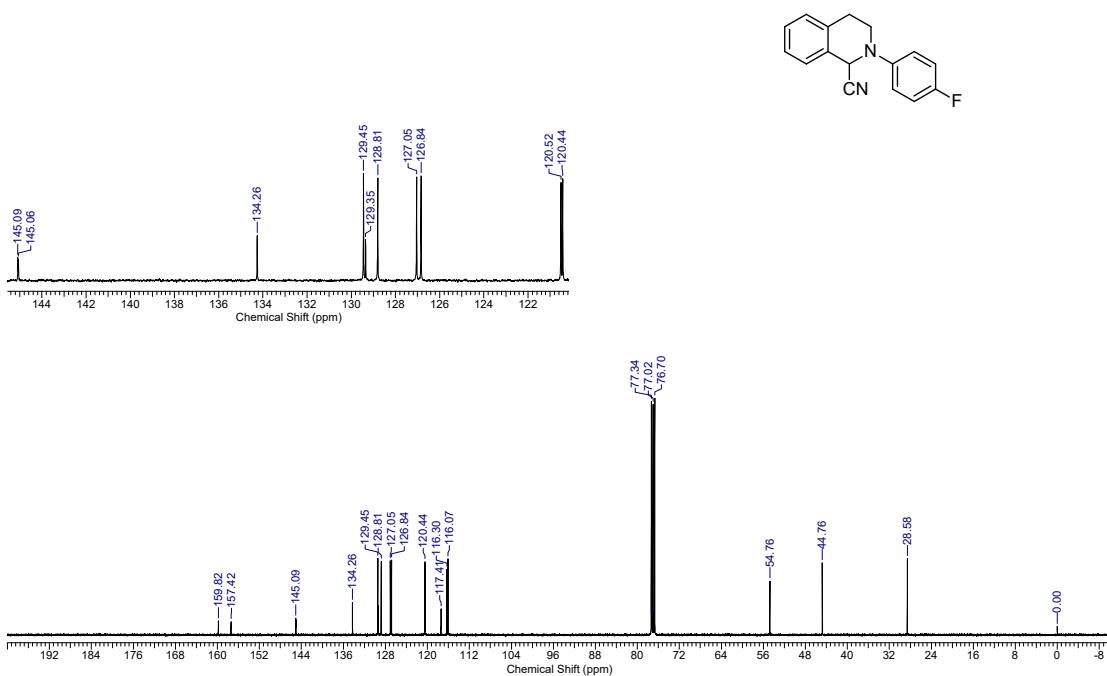


Figure S46. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3e

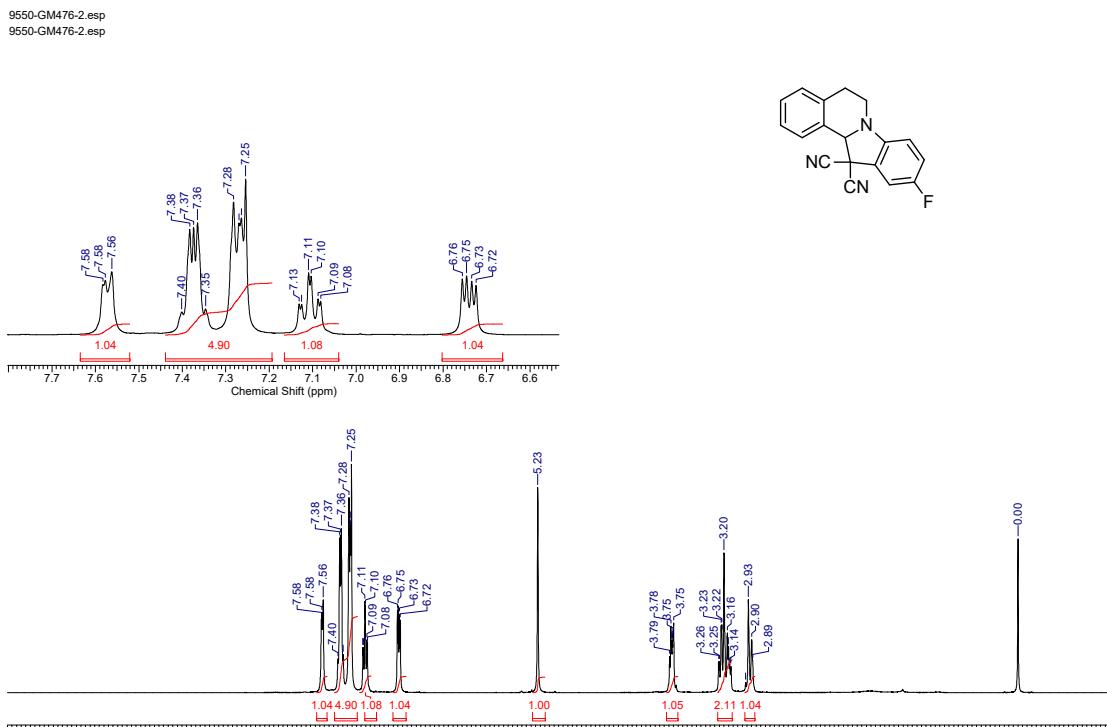
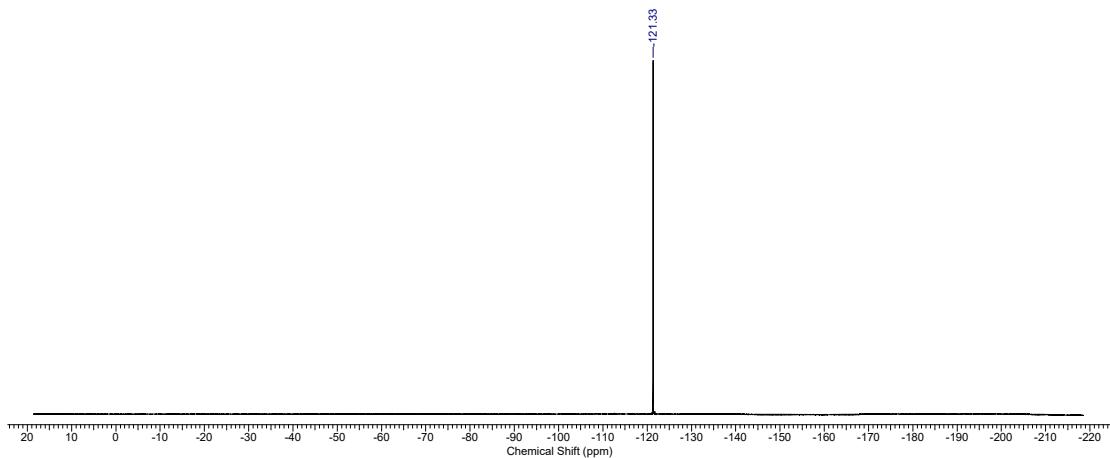
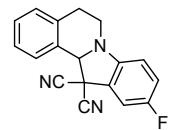
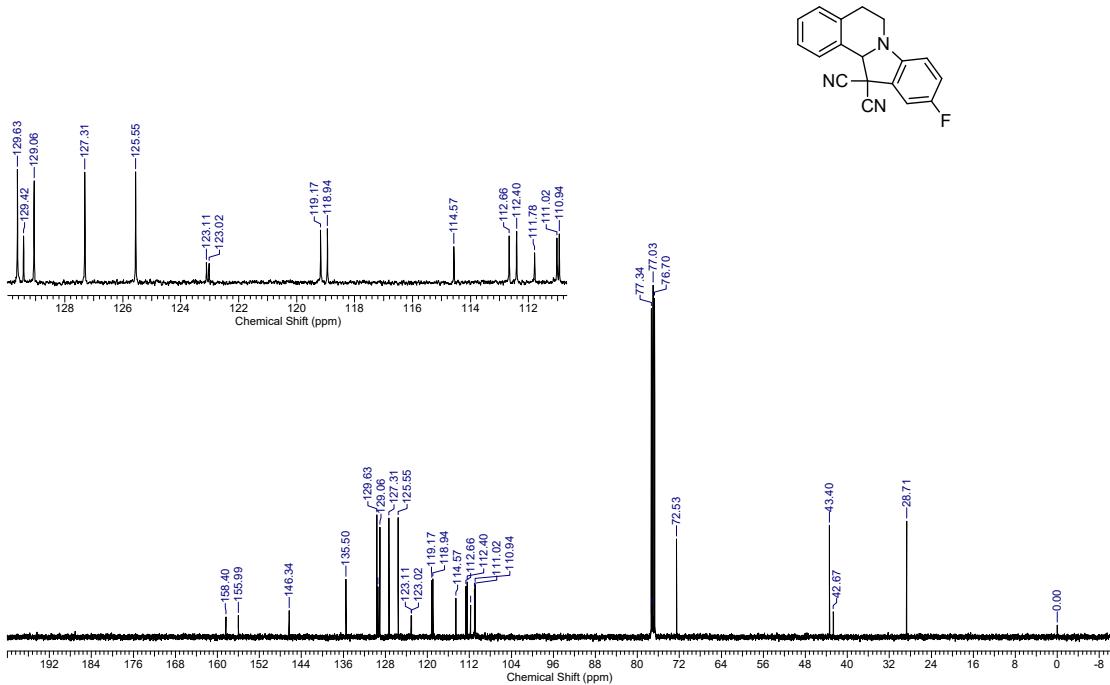


Figure S47. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4e



**Figure S48.** <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound 4e



**Figure S49.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4e

10250-GM-551-1.esp  
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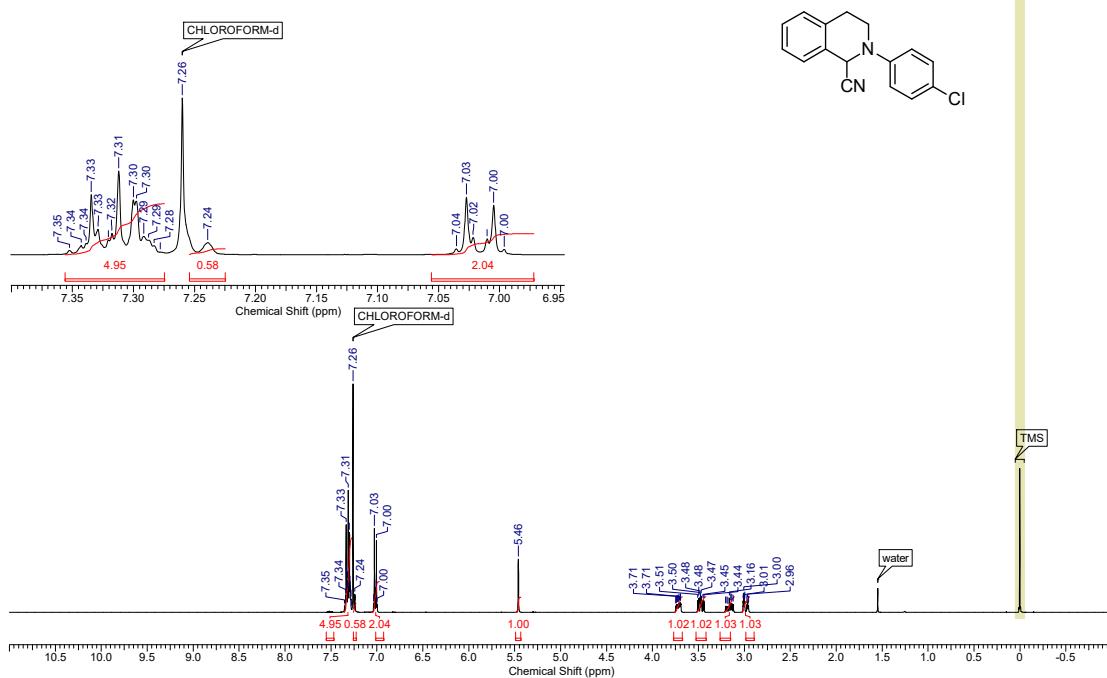


Figure S50. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3f

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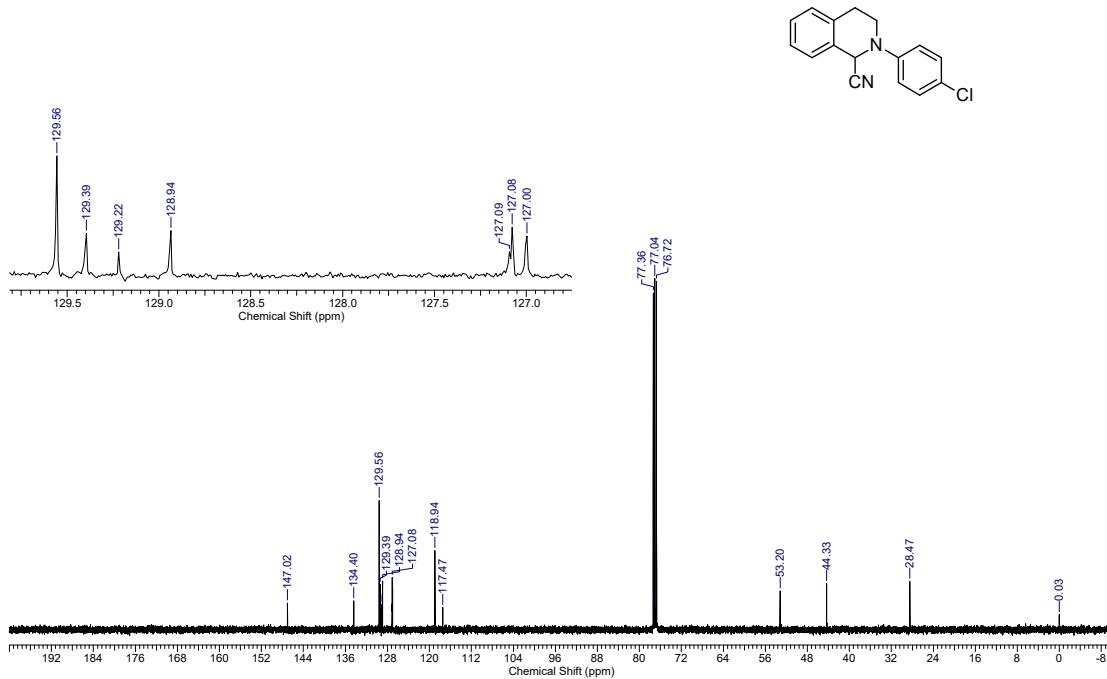


Figure S51. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3f

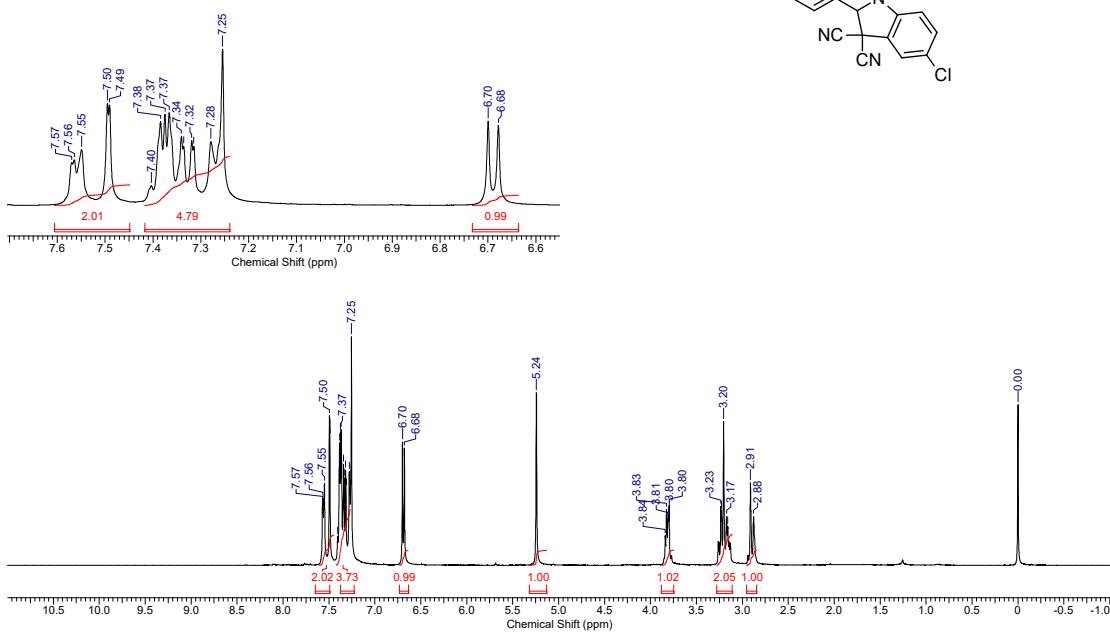
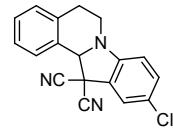


Figure S52. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4f

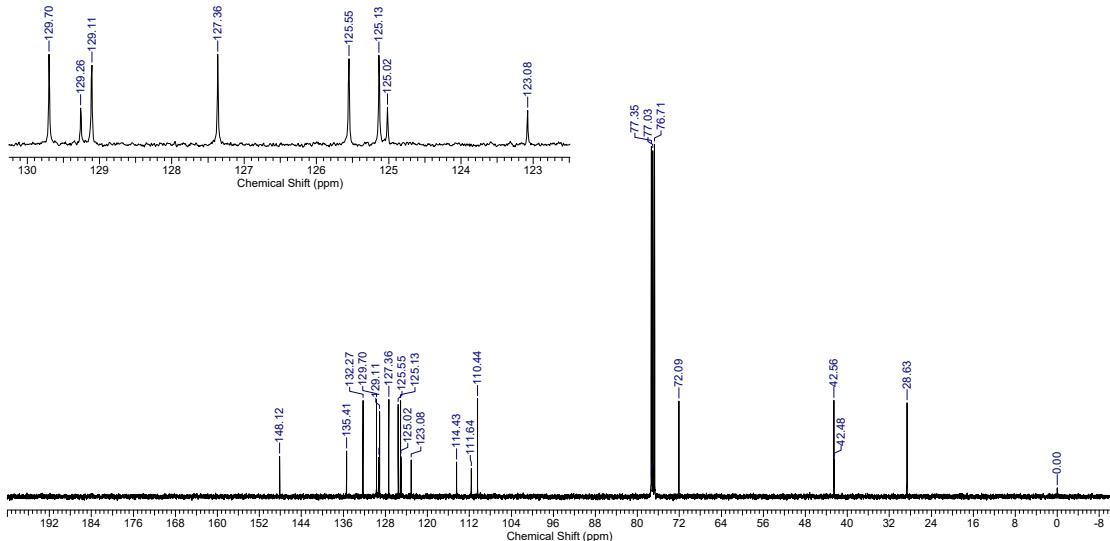
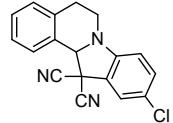


Figure S53. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4f

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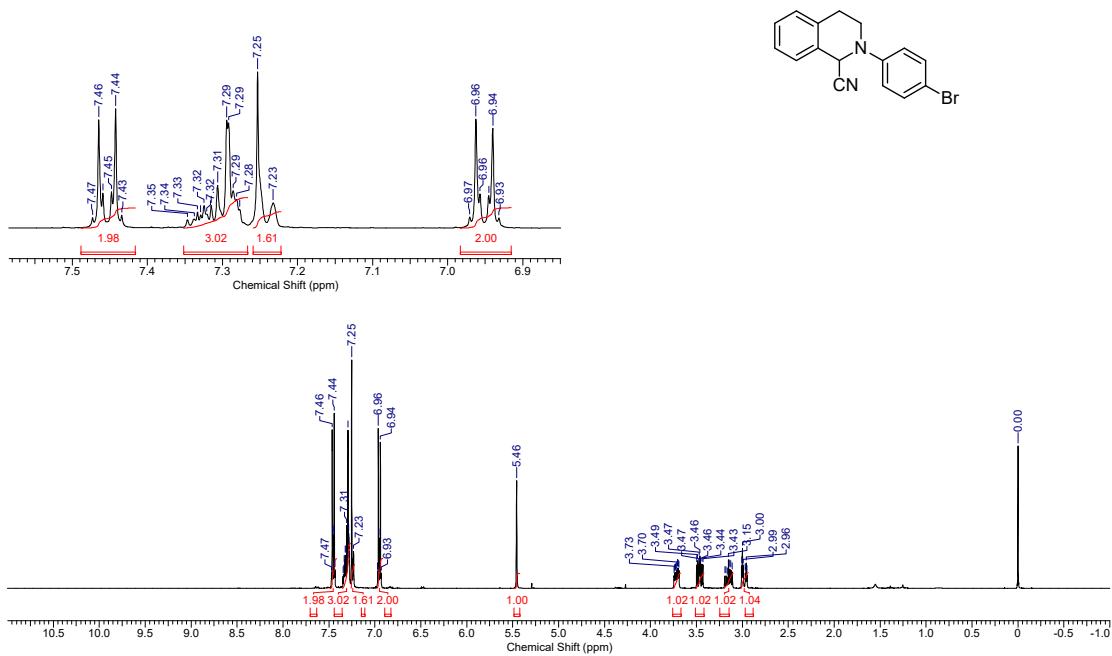


Figure S54. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3g

132-GM556-1-13C.esp  
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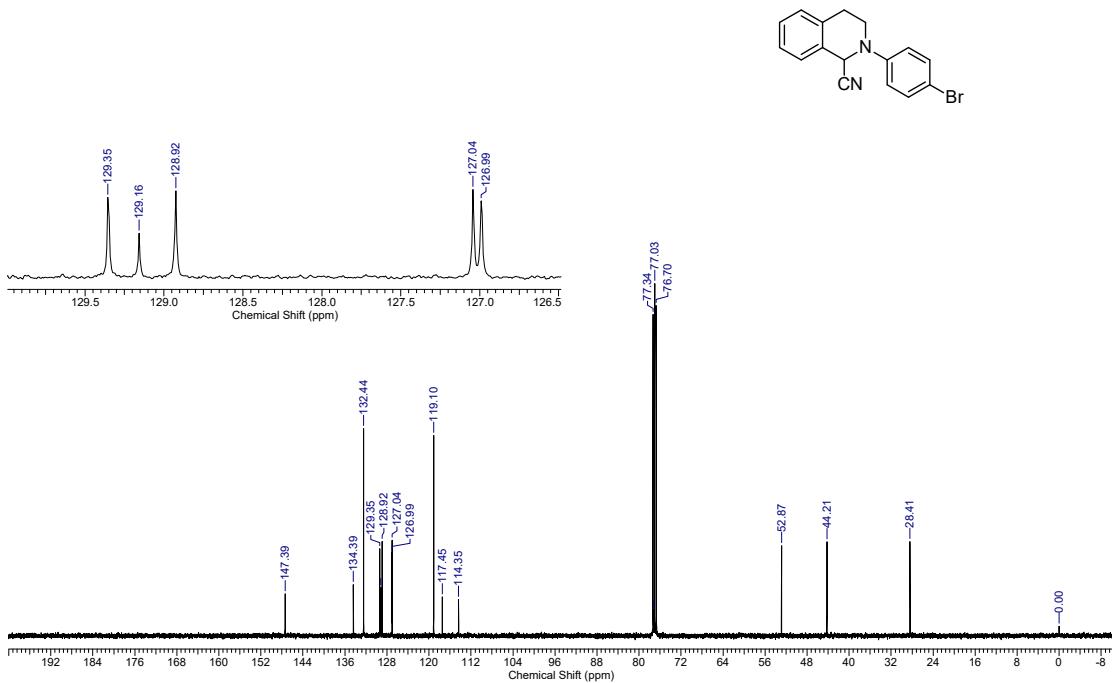


Figure S55. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3g

9610-GM475-2r.esp  
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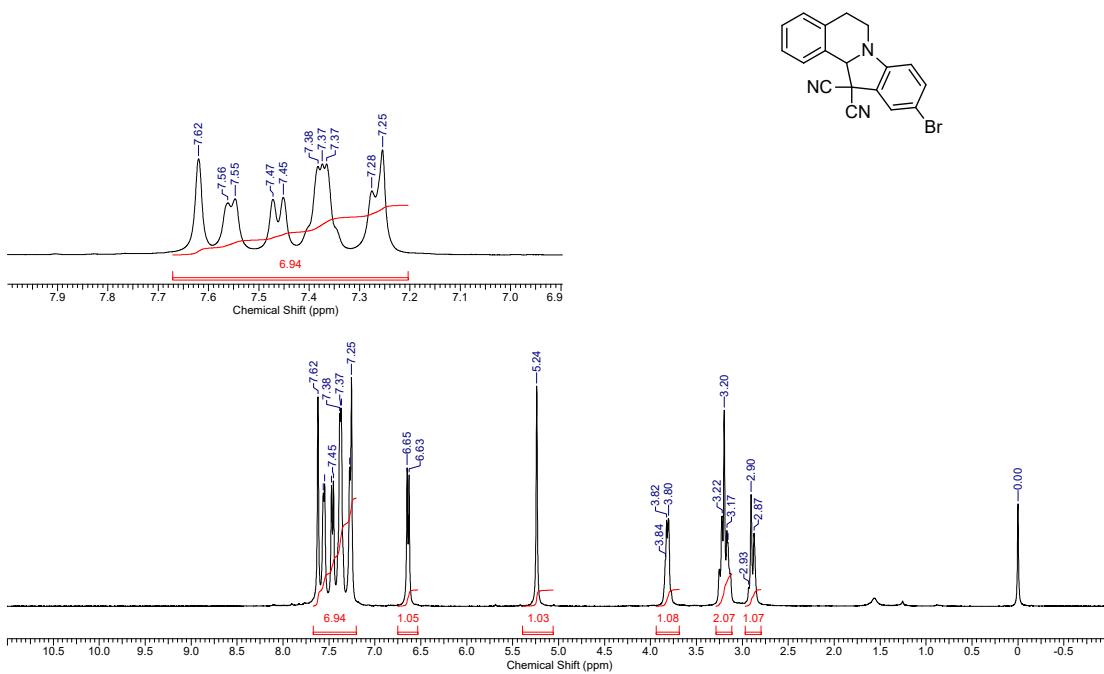


Figure S56. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4g

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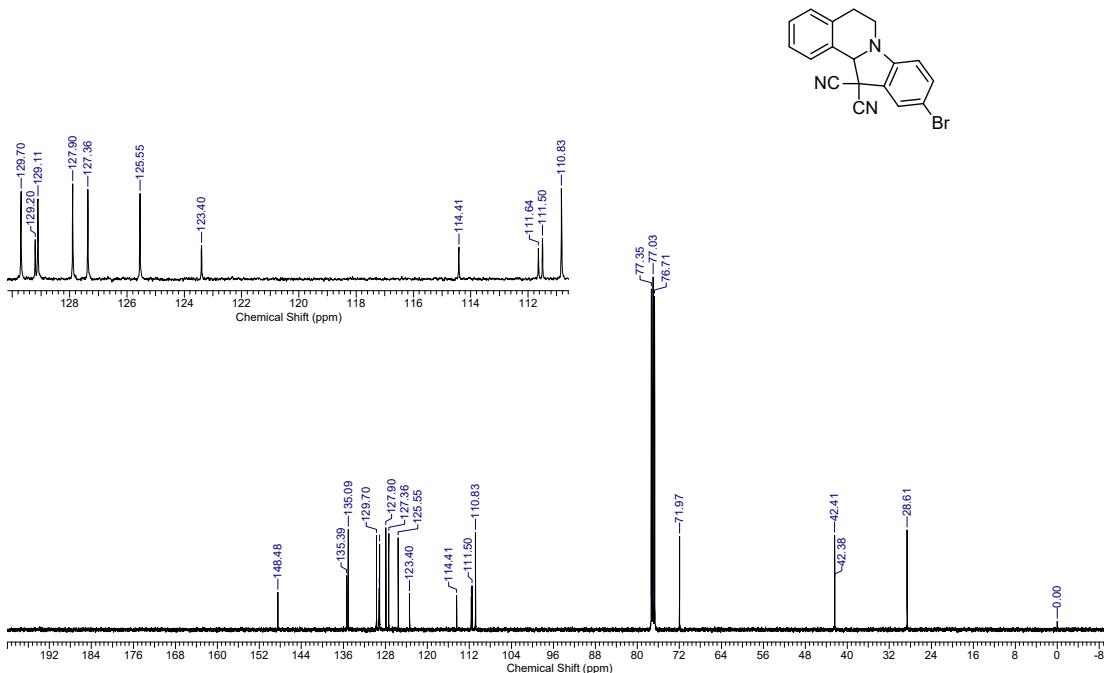


Figure S57. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4g

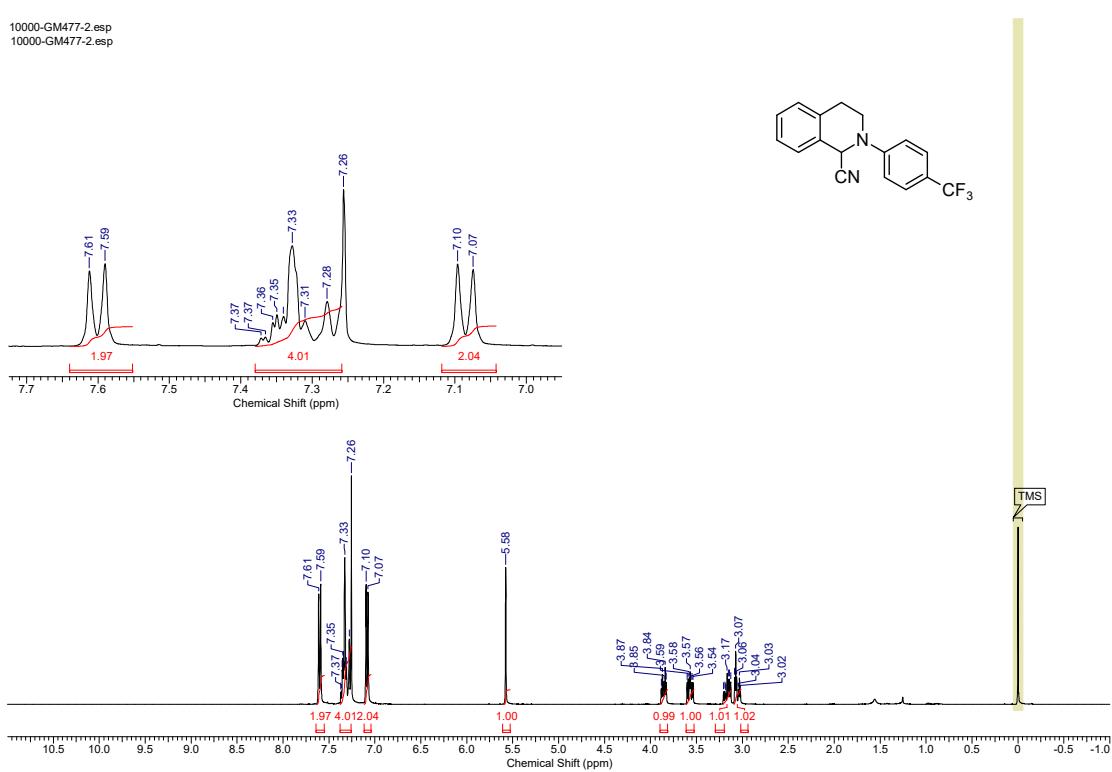


Figure S58. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3h

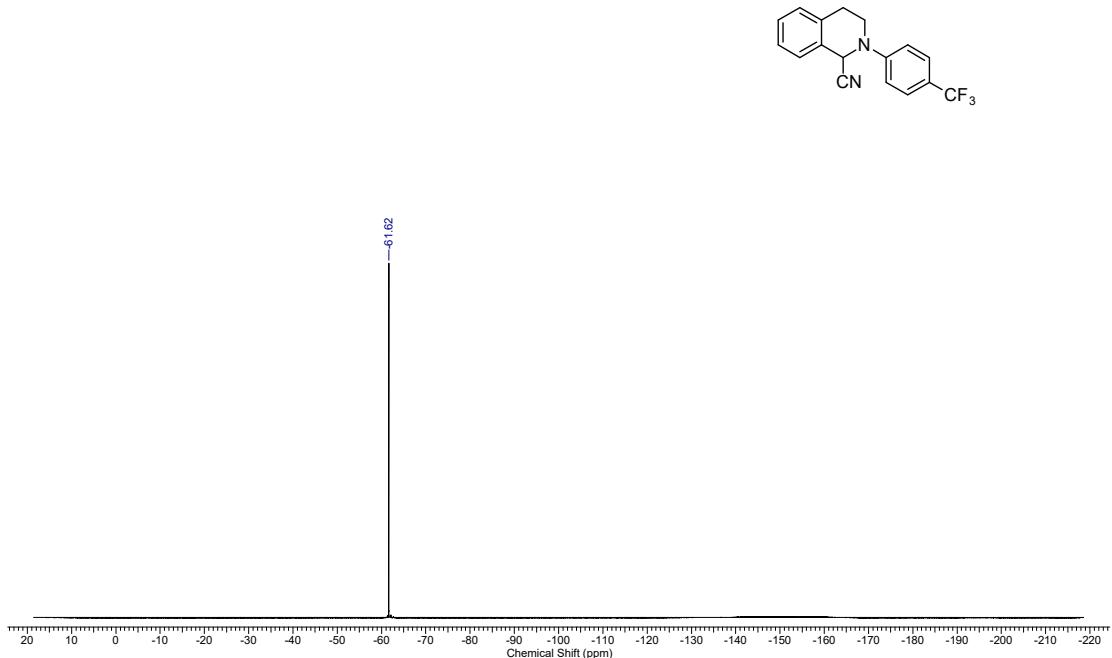


Figure S59. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound 3h

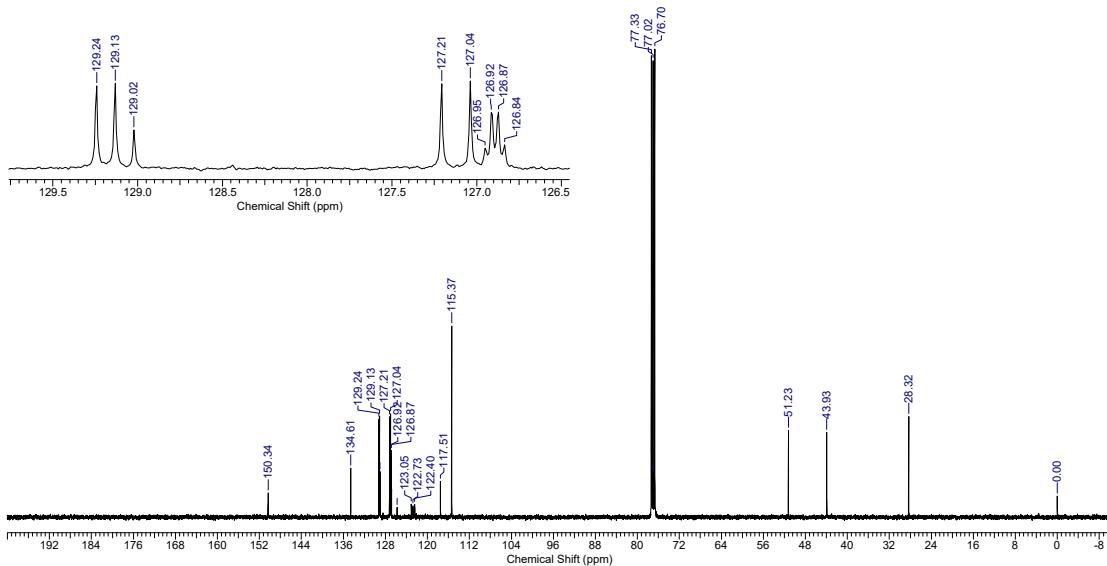
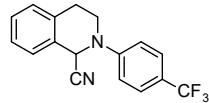
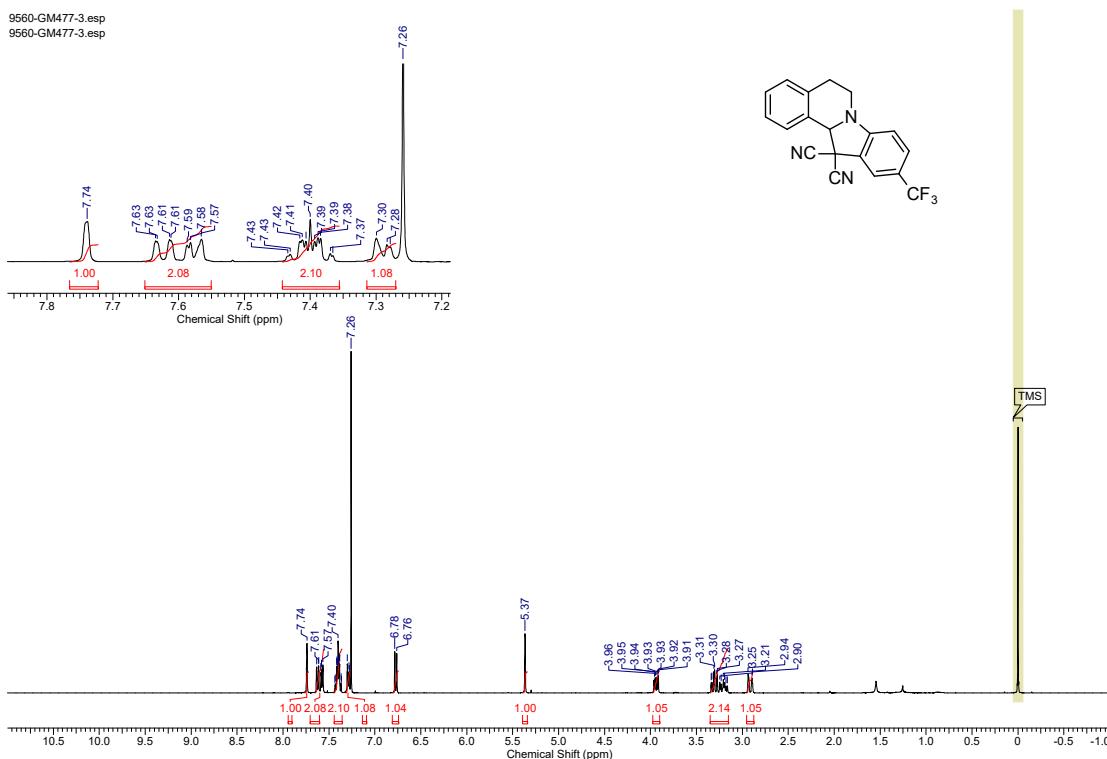
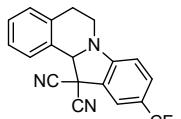
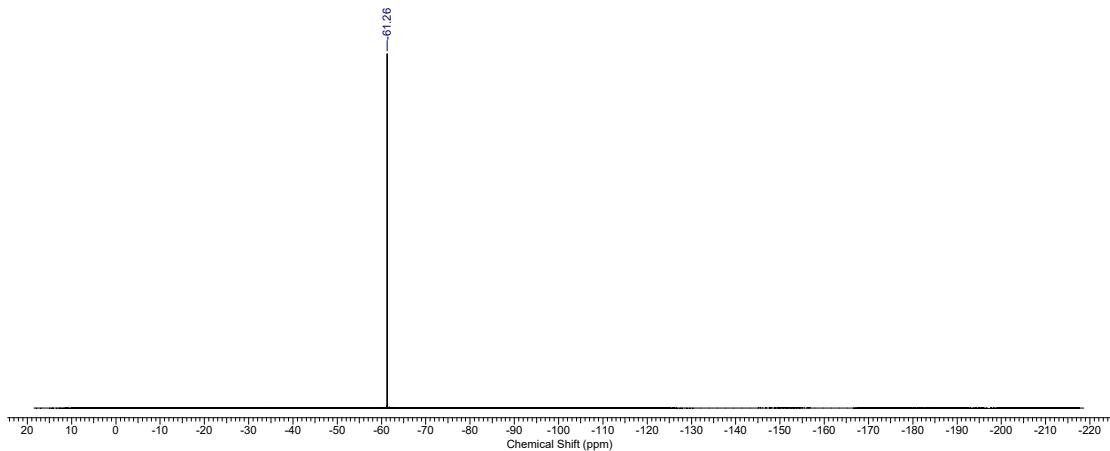
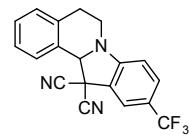
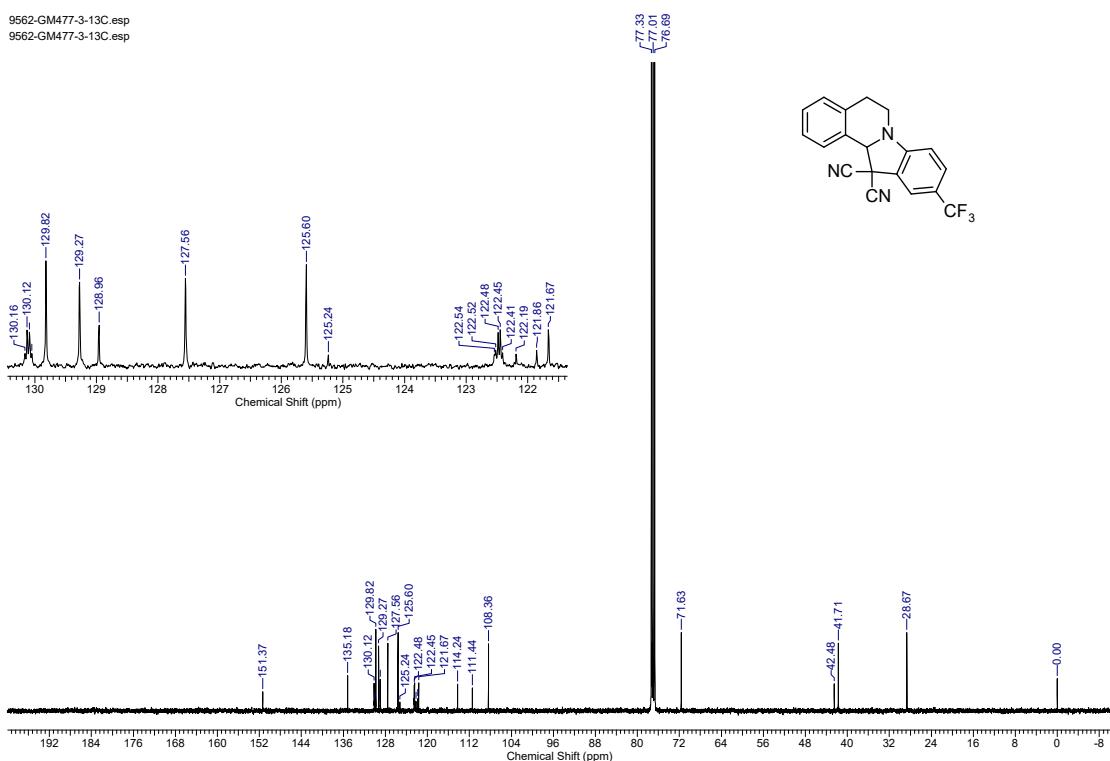


Figure S60.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 3h





**Figure S62.** <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound 4h



**Figure S63.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4h

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770-GM503.esp

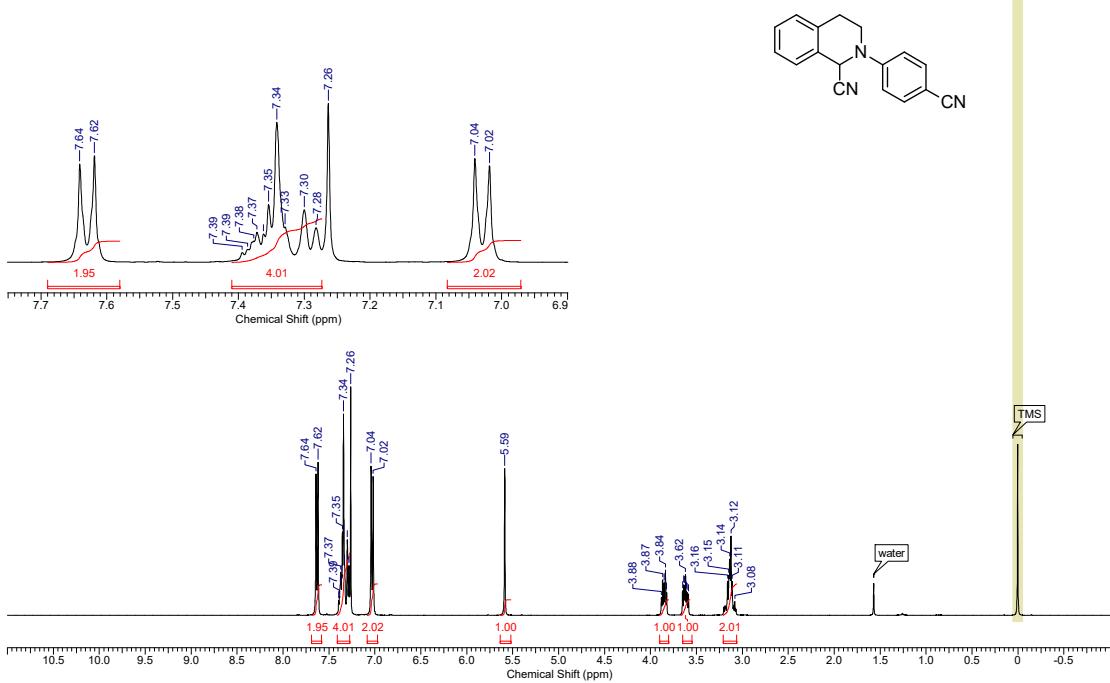


Figure S64. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3i

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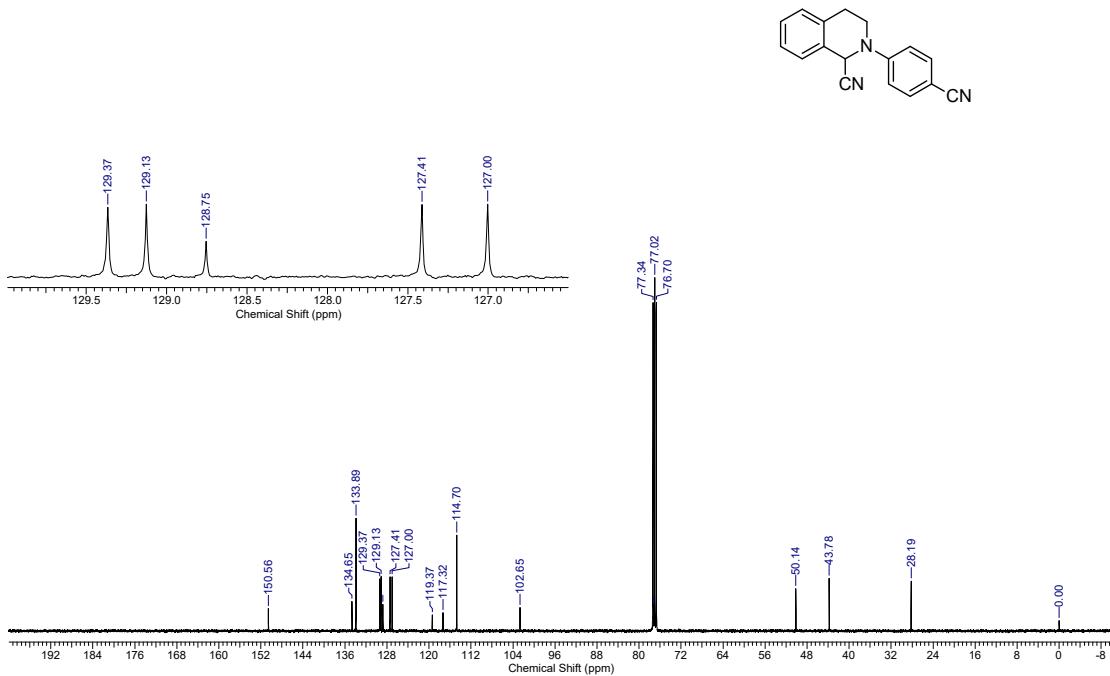


Figure S65. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3i

630-GM559-1.esp  
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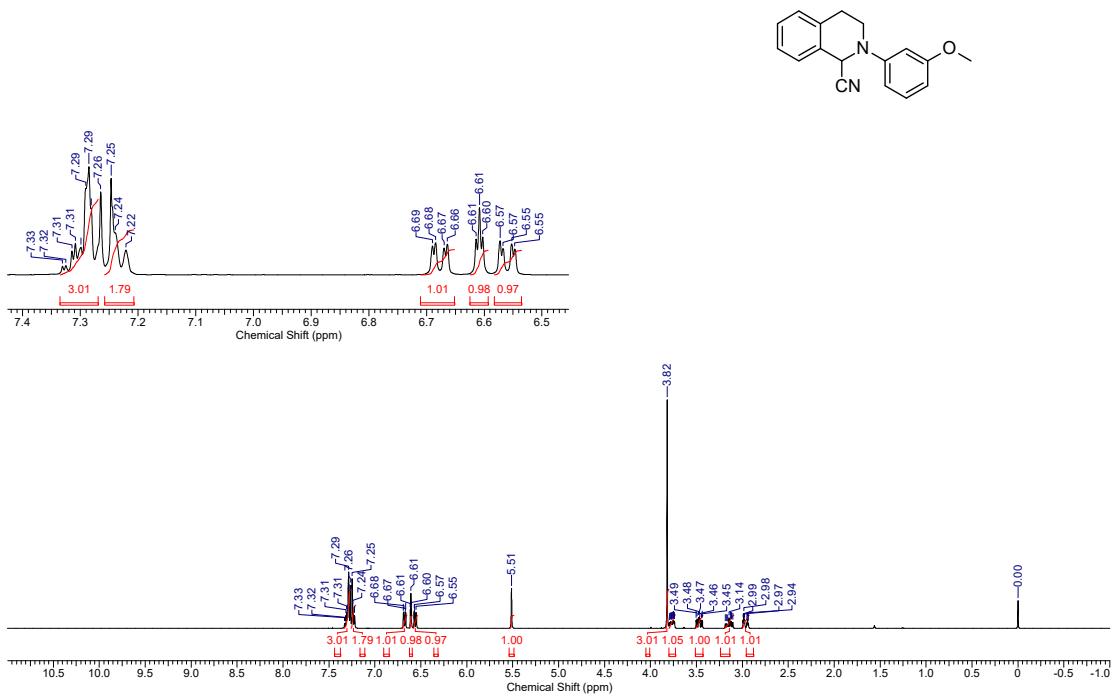


Figure S66. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3j

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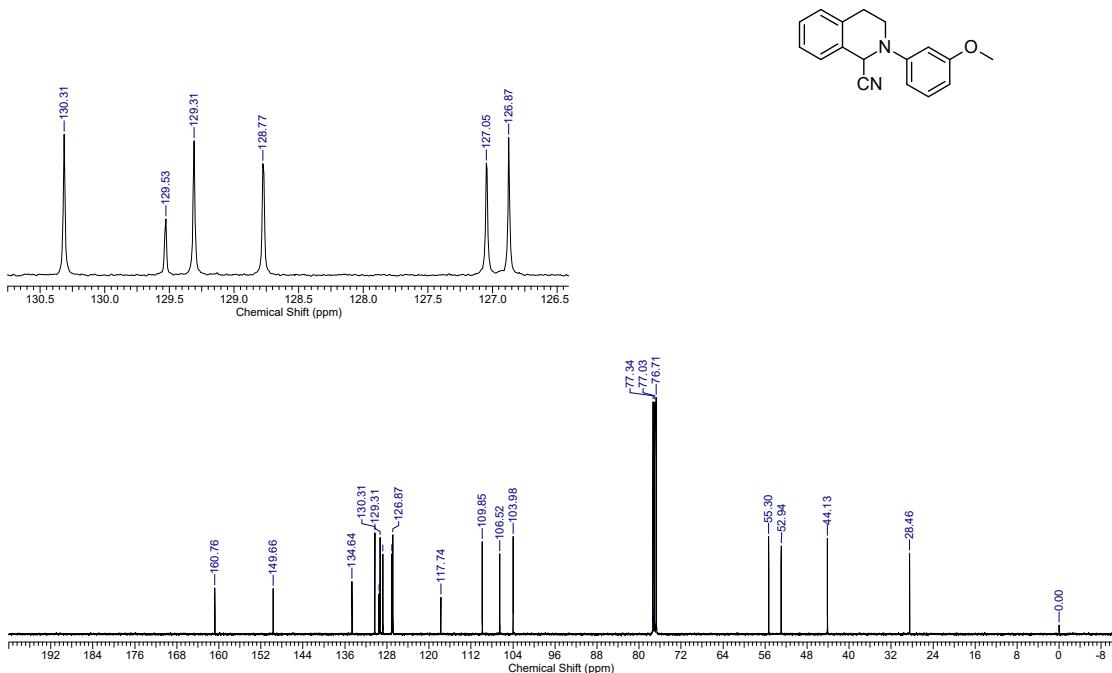
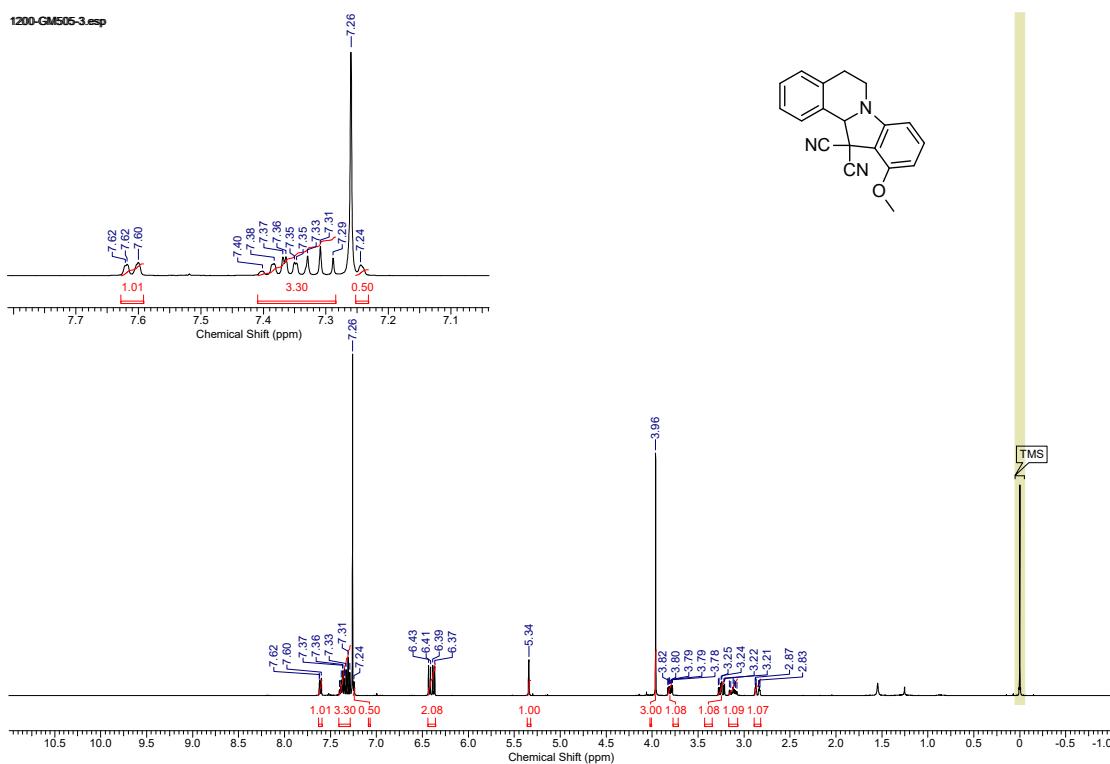
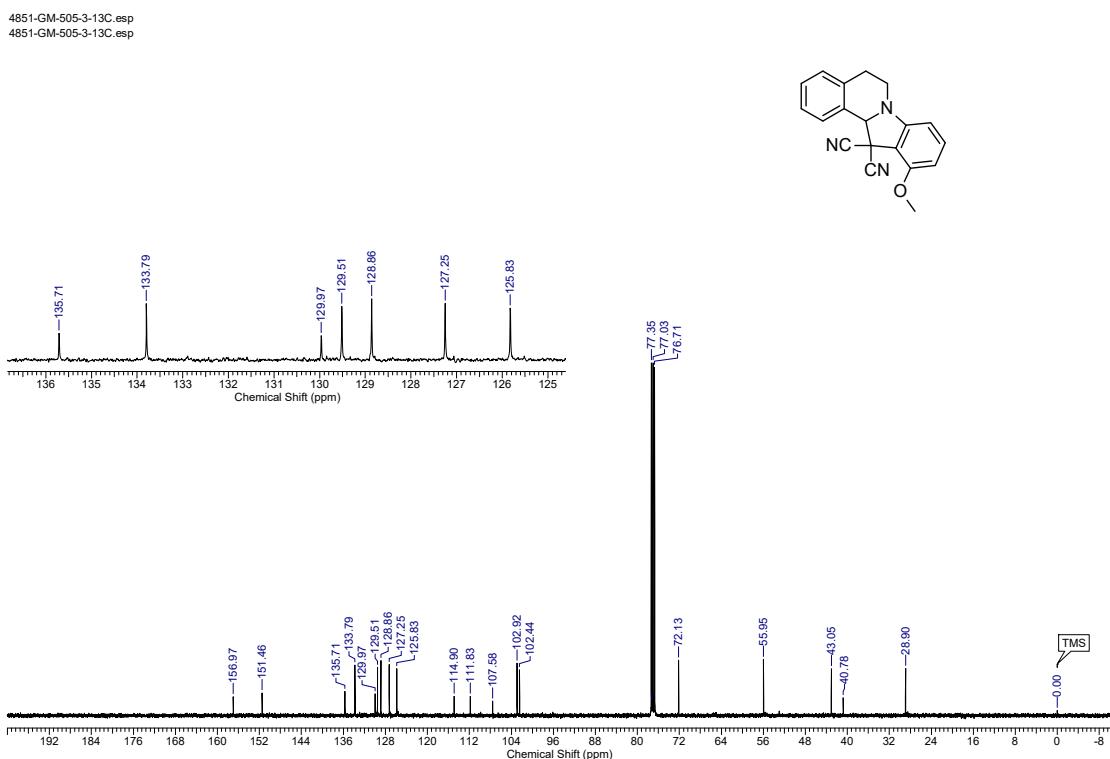


Figure S67. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3j



**Figure S68.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4j1



**Figure S69.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4j1

1270-GM505-7.esp  
1270-GM505-7.esp

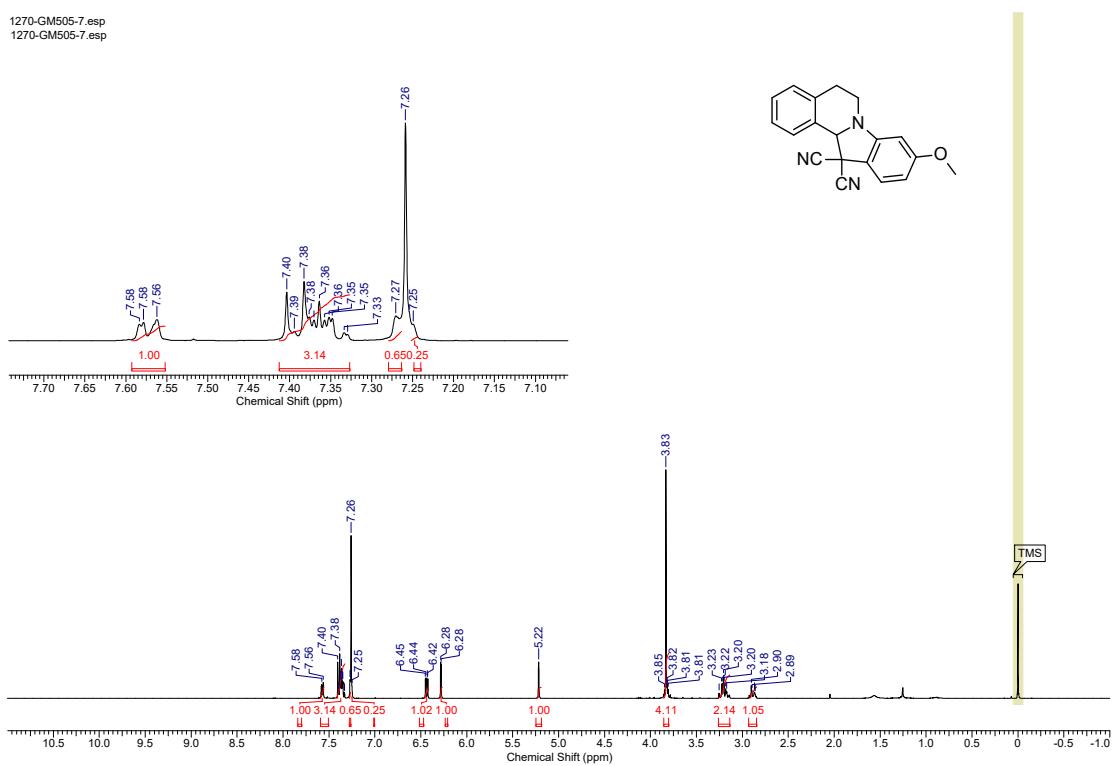


Figure S70. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4j2

4871-GM-505-5-13C.esp  
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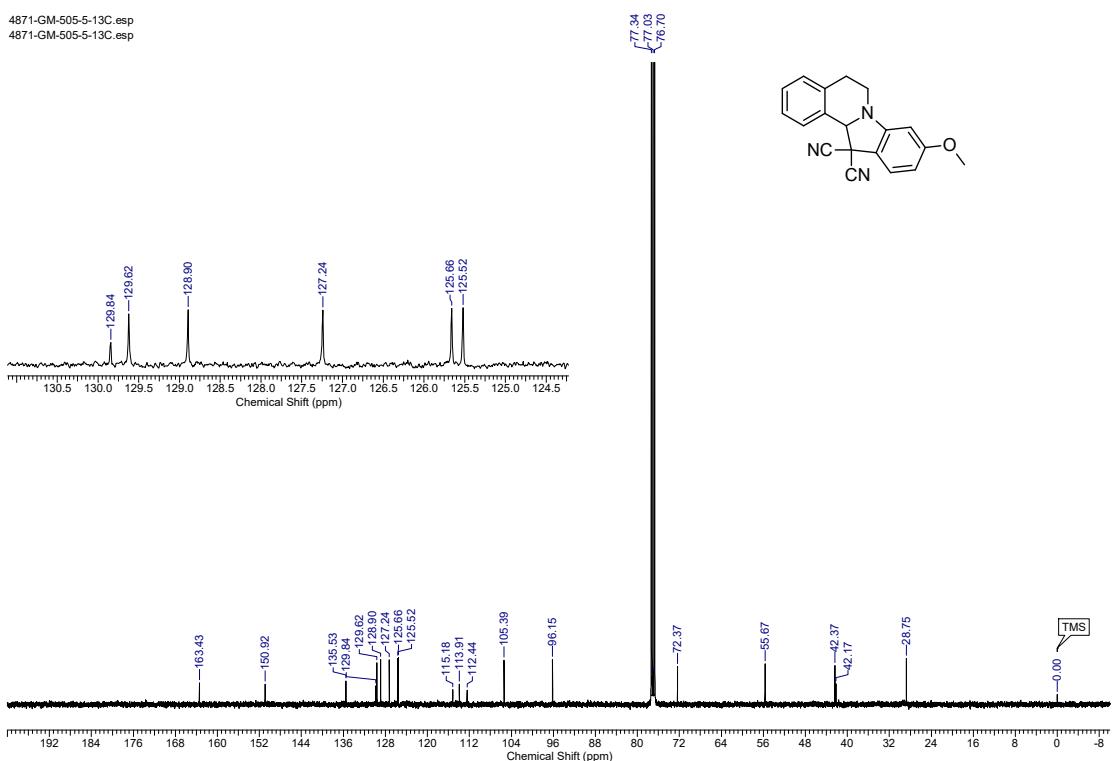


Figure S71. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4j2

9900-GM550-1.esp  
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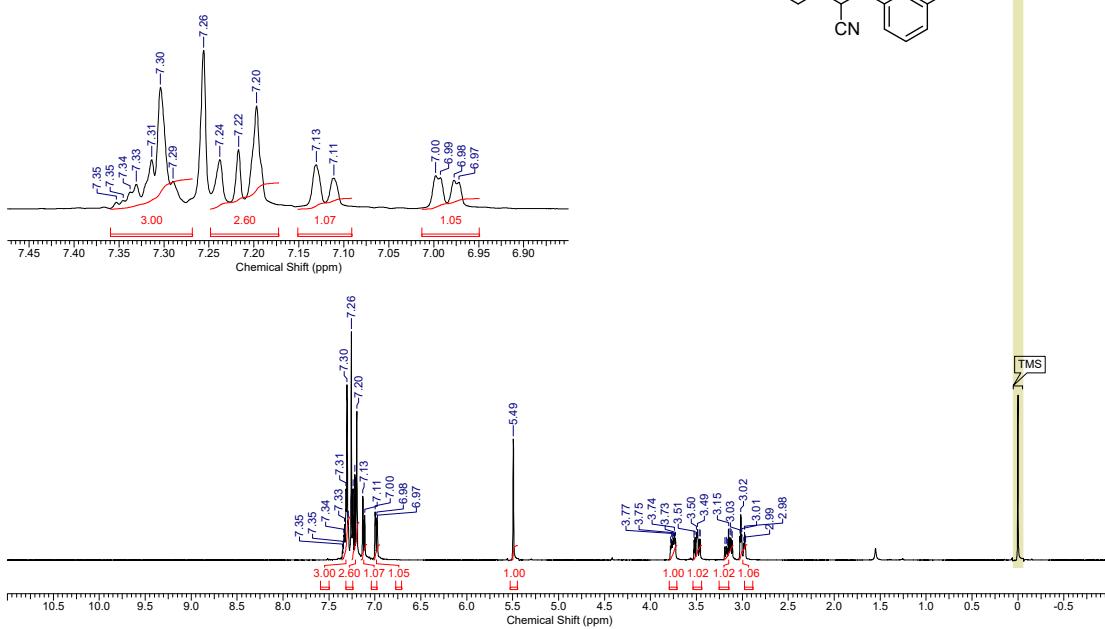
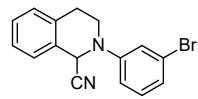


Figure S72. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3k

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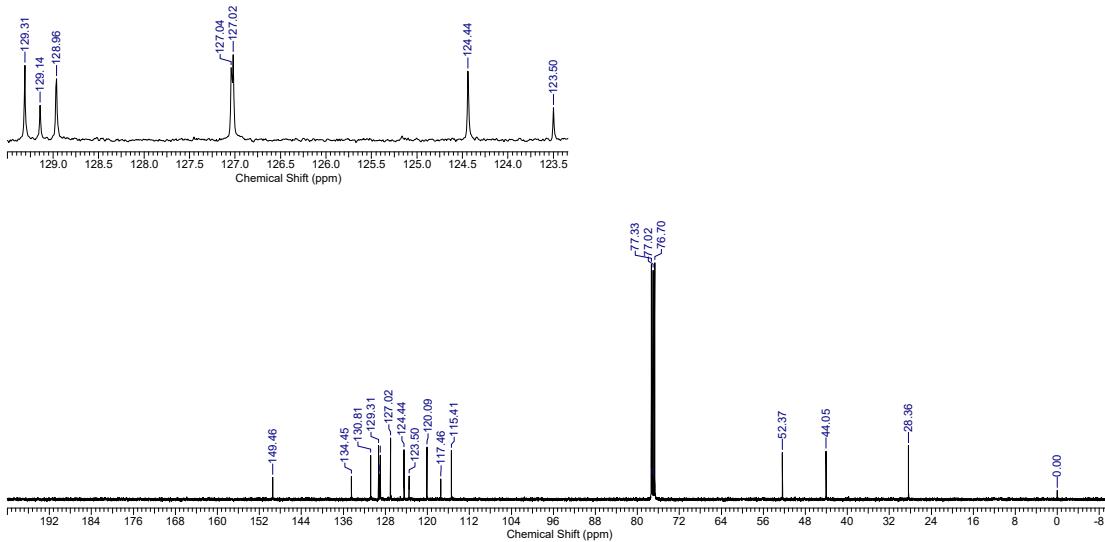
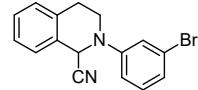
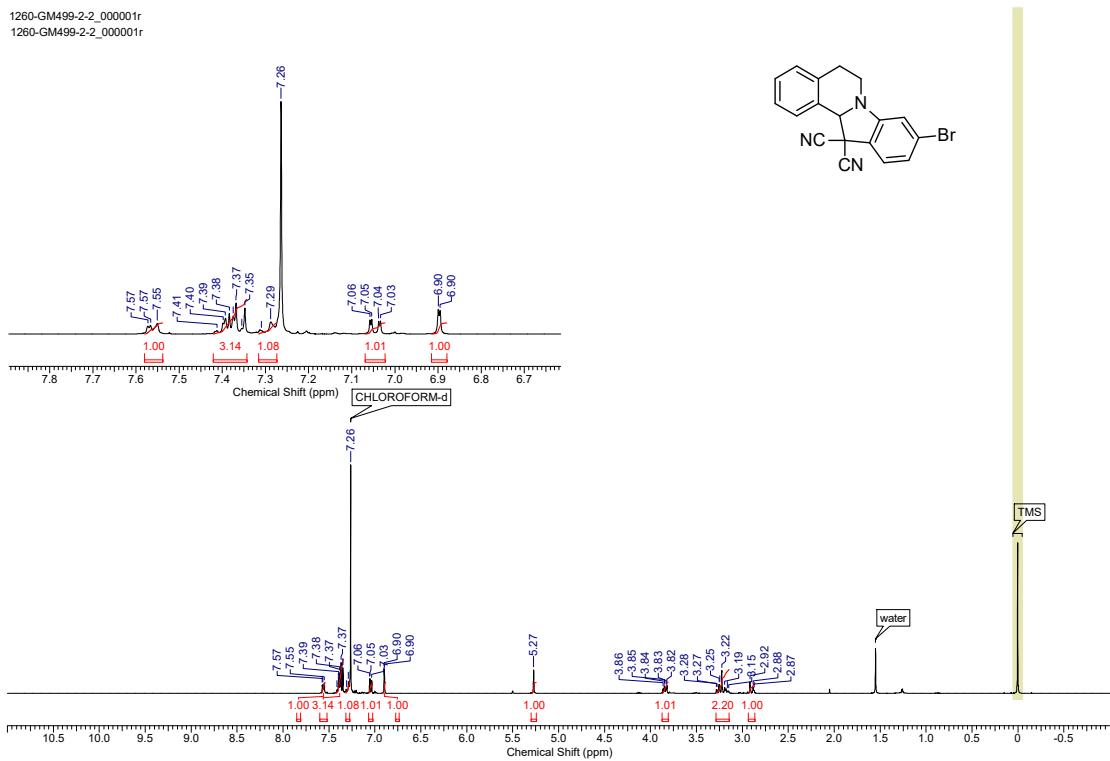
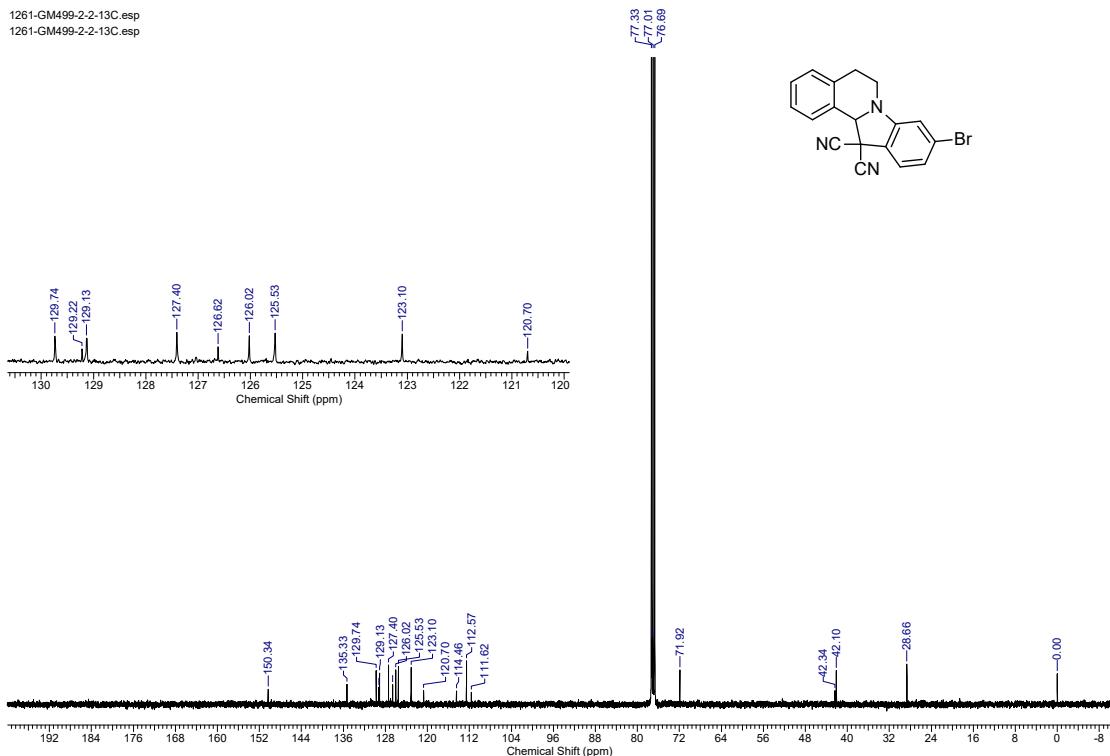


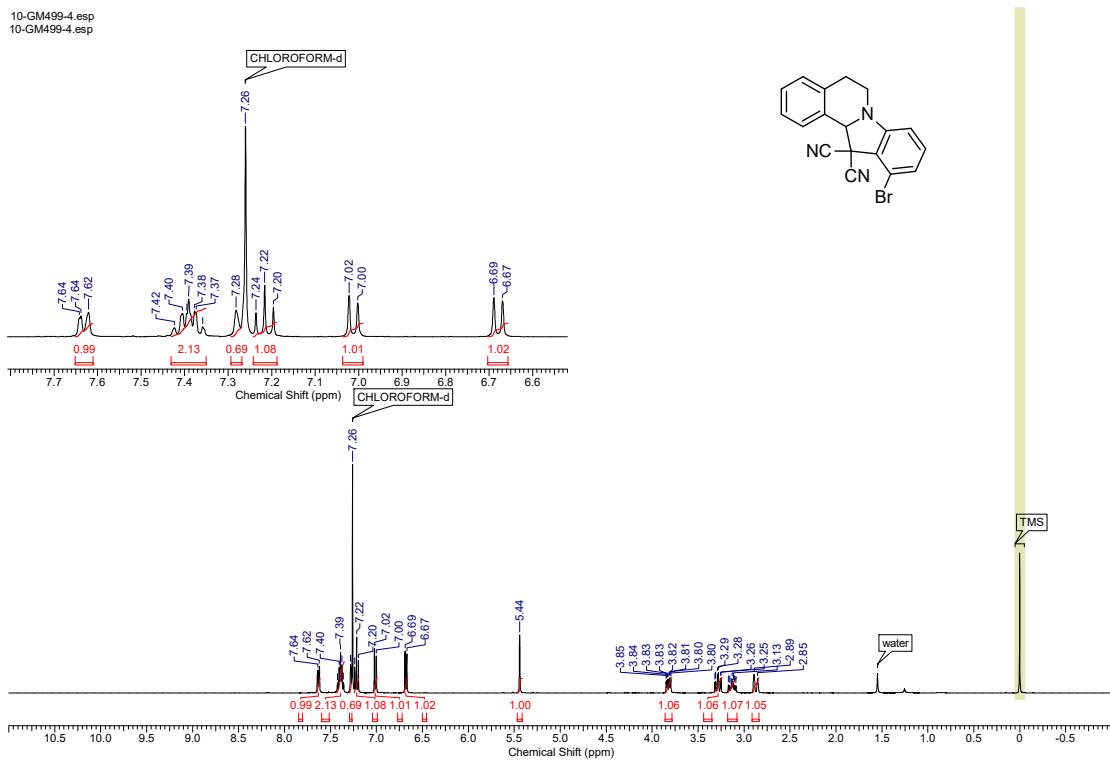
Figure S73. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3k



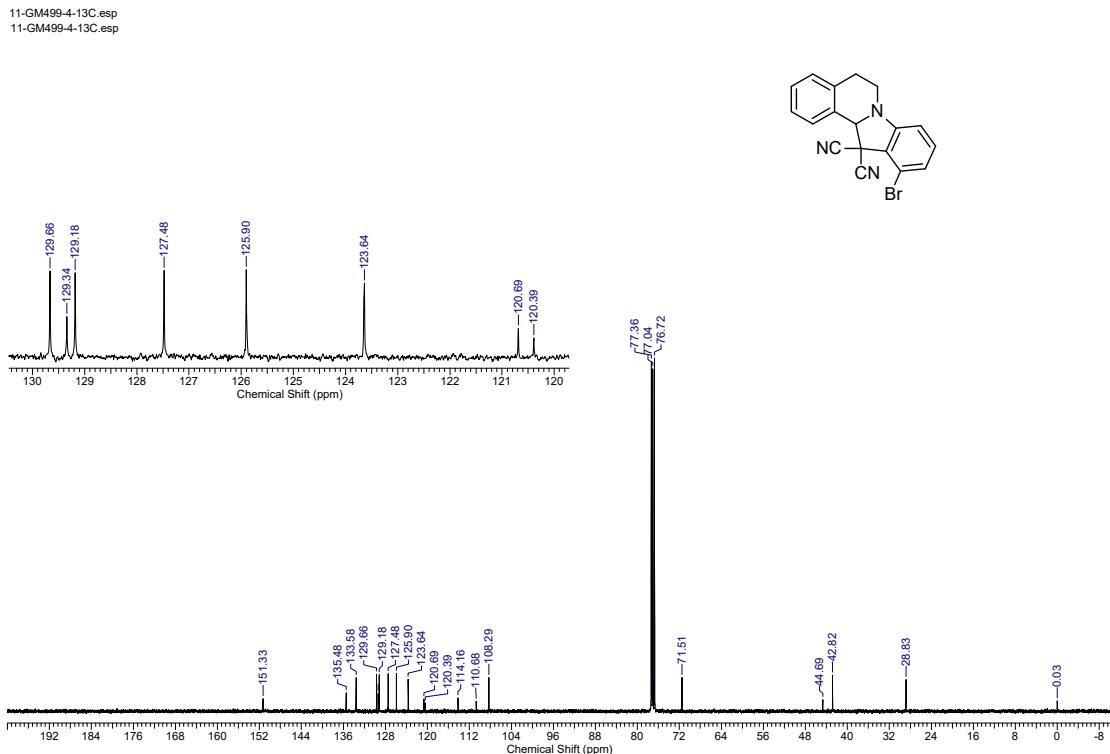
**Figure S74.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4k1



**Figure S75.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4k1



**Figure S76.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4k2



**Figure S77.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4k2

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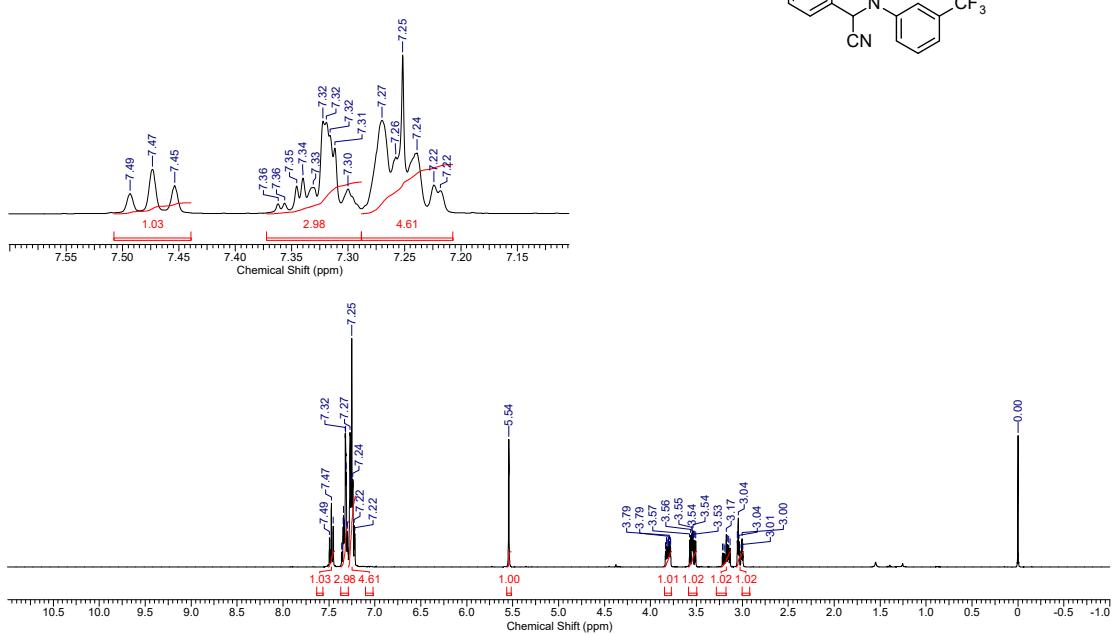
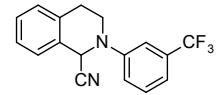


Figure S78. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3l

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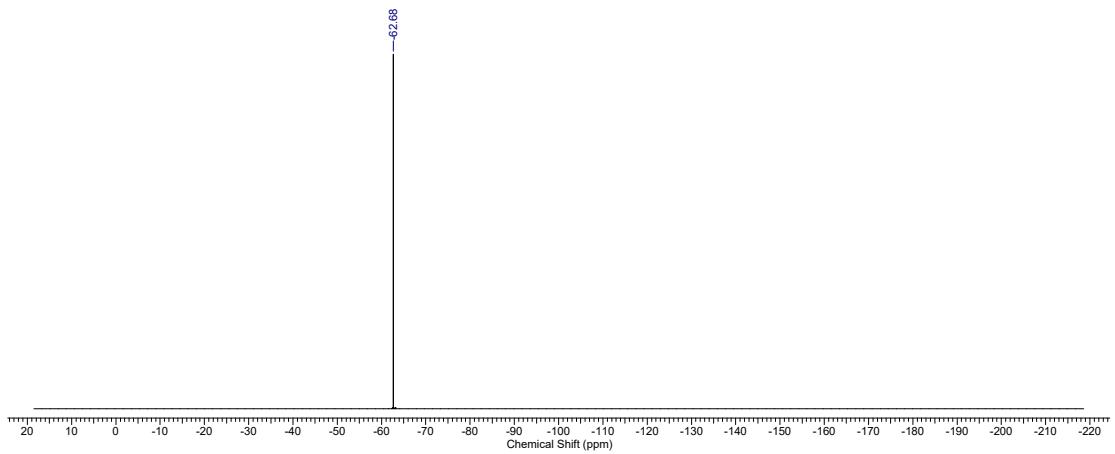
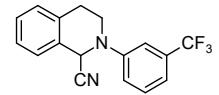
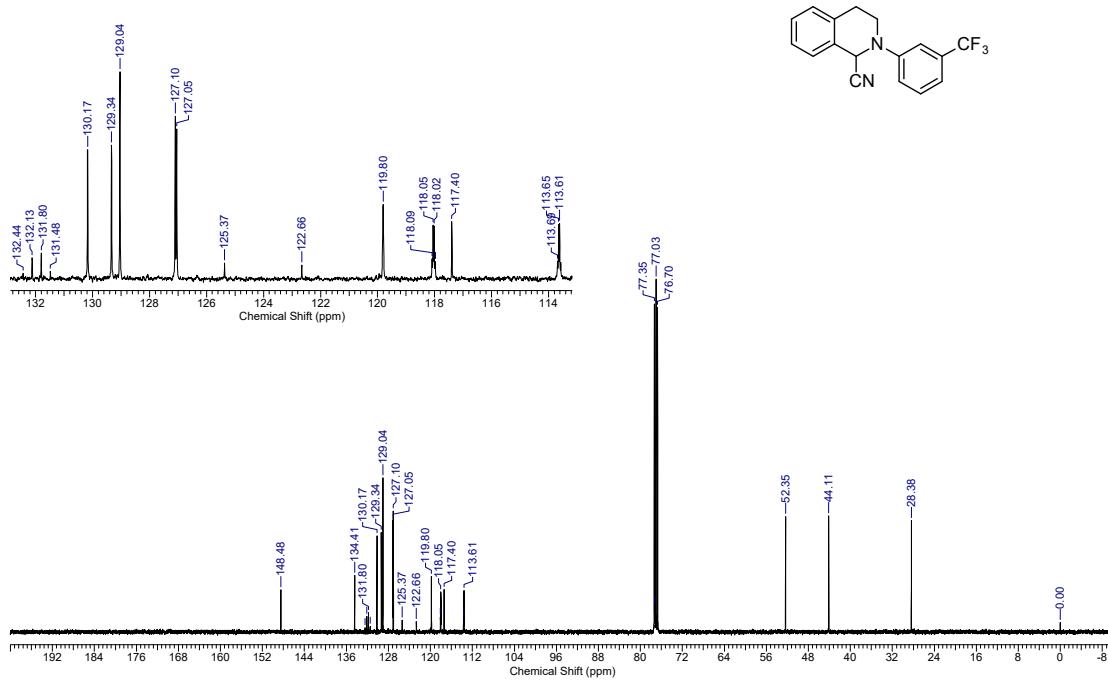


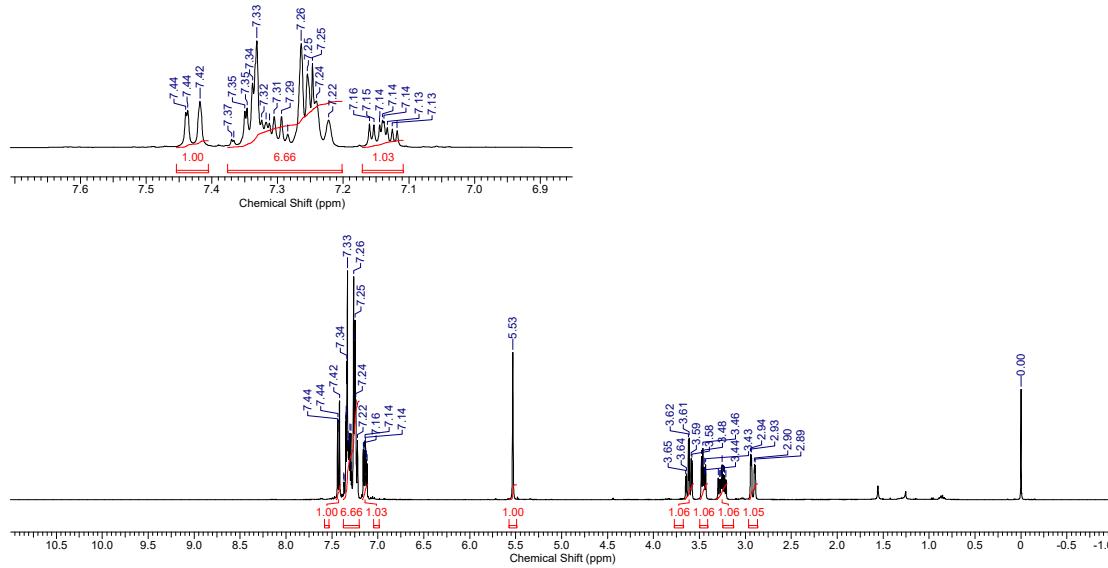
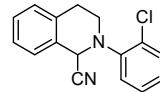
Figure S79. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound 3l

292-GM558-1-13C.esp  
292-GM558-1-13C.esp



**Figure S80.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound **3l**

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**Figure S81.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **3m**

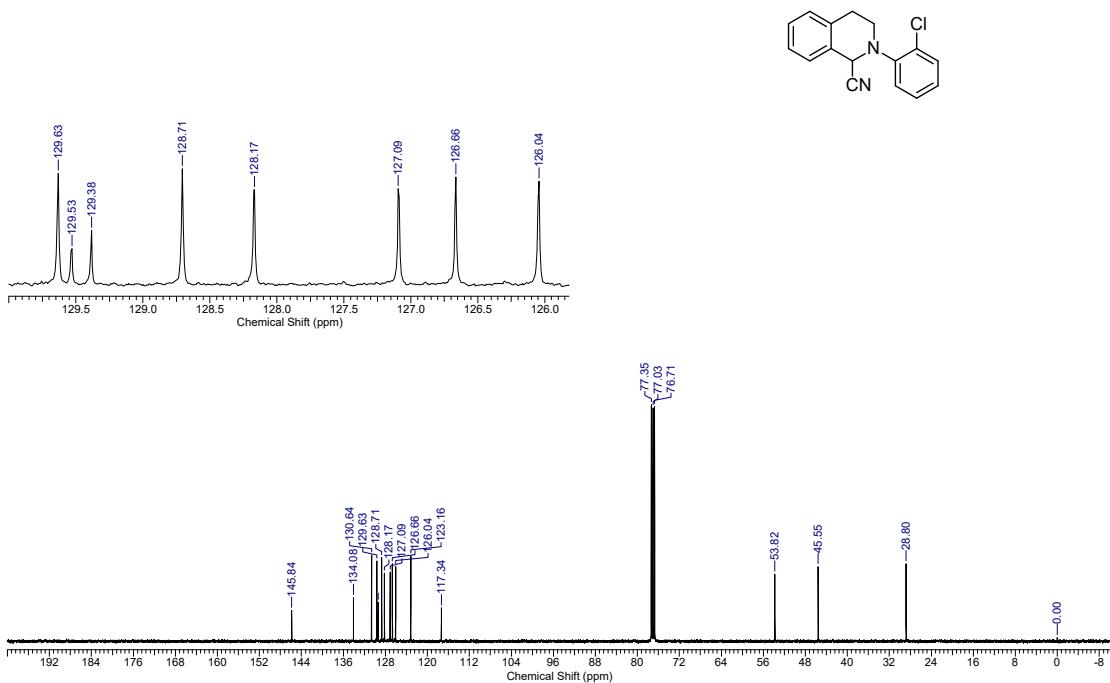


Figure S82. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3m

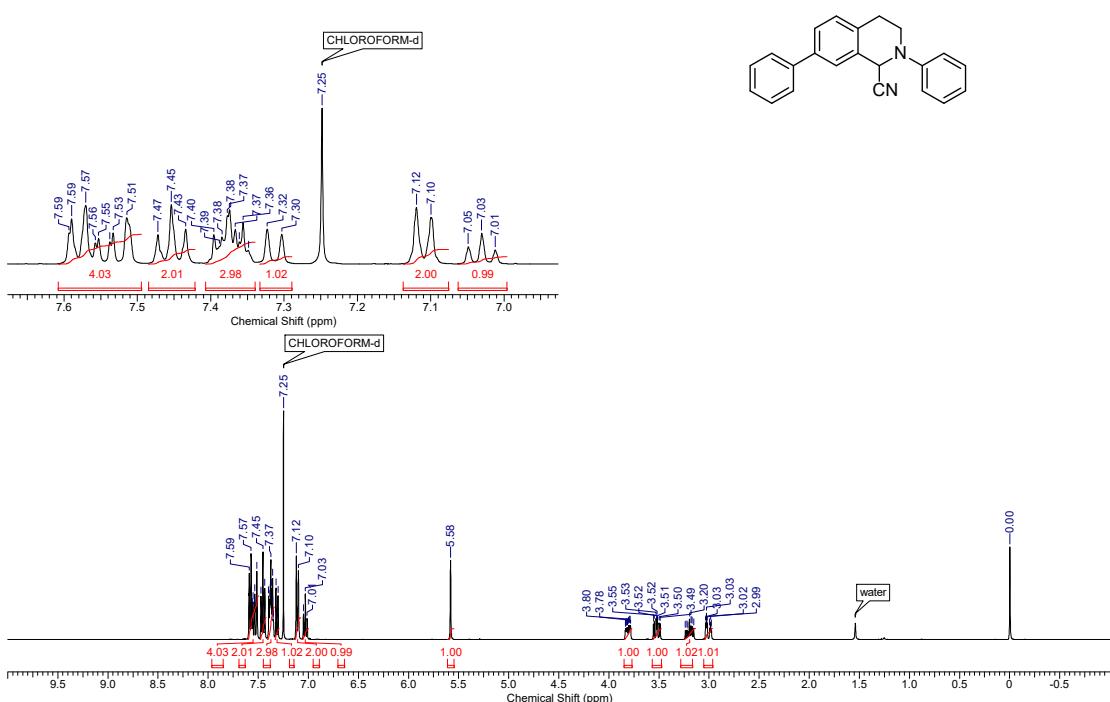
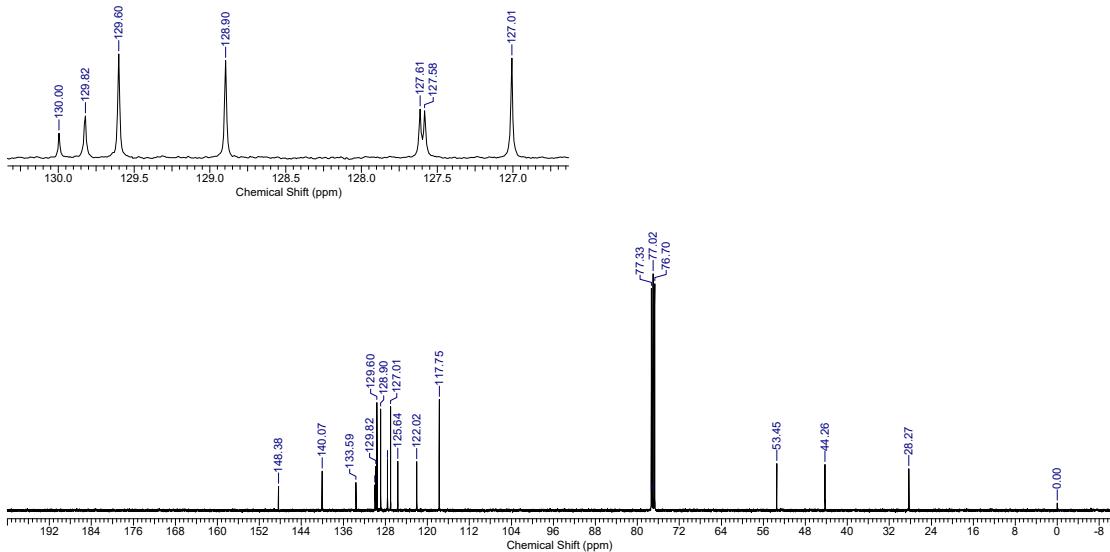
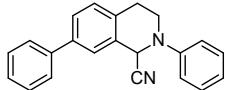


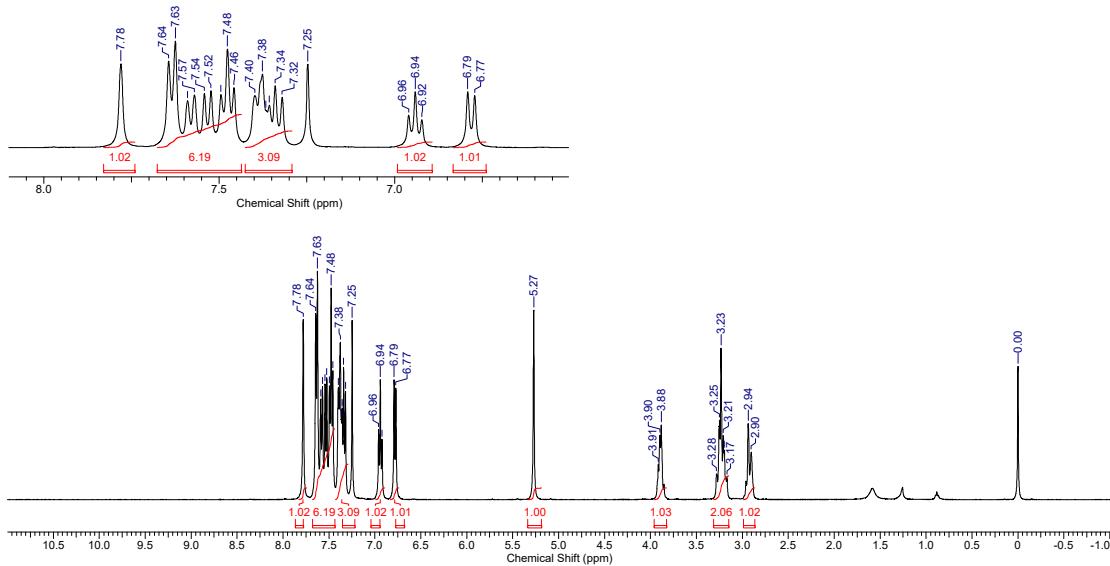
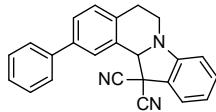
Figure S83. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3n

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7741-GM537-2-13C.esp



**Figure S84.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound **3n**

9280-GM537-3.esp  
9280-GM537-3.esp



**Figure S85.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4n**

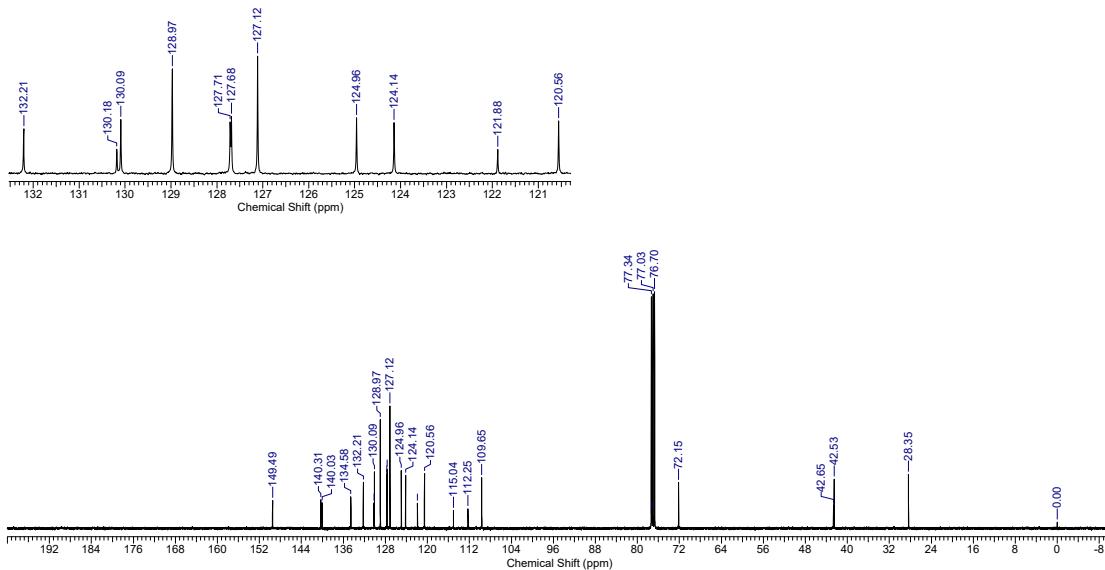
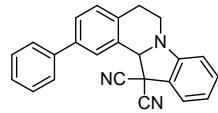


Figure S86. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4n

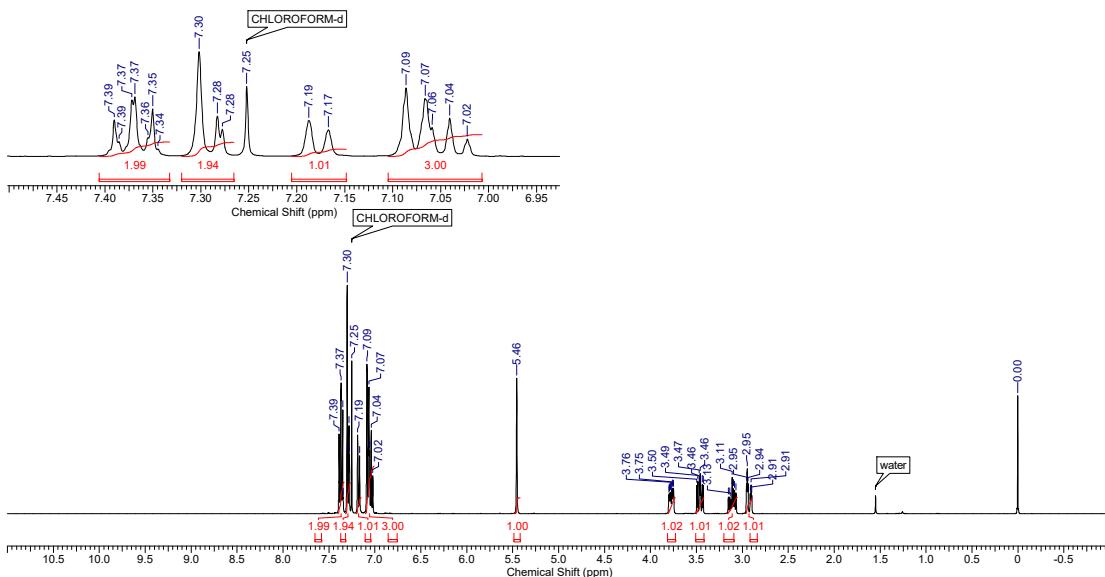
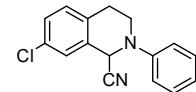


Figure S87. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3o

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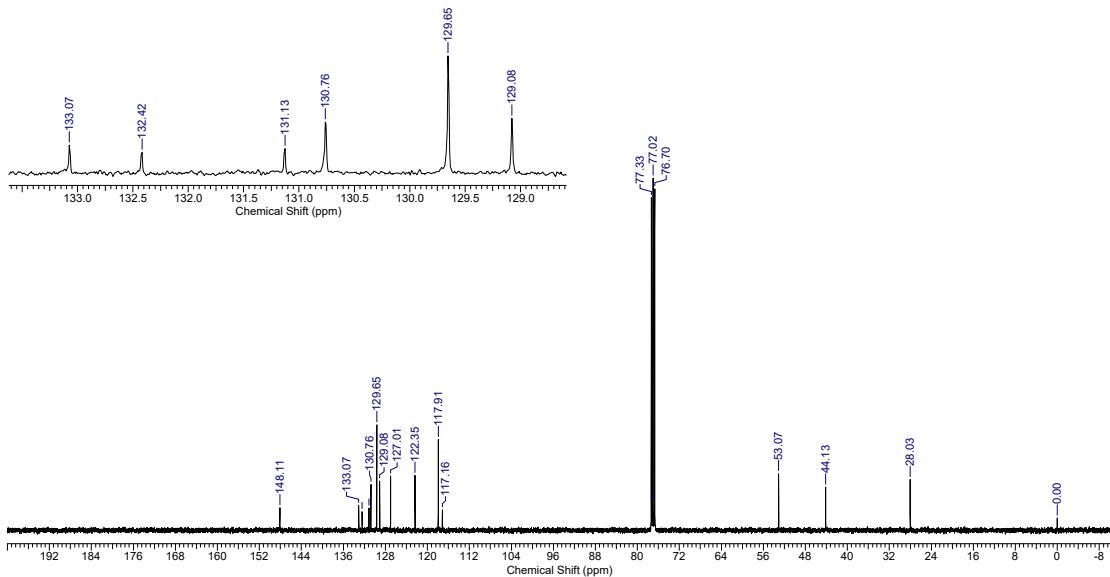
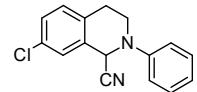


Figure S88. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3o

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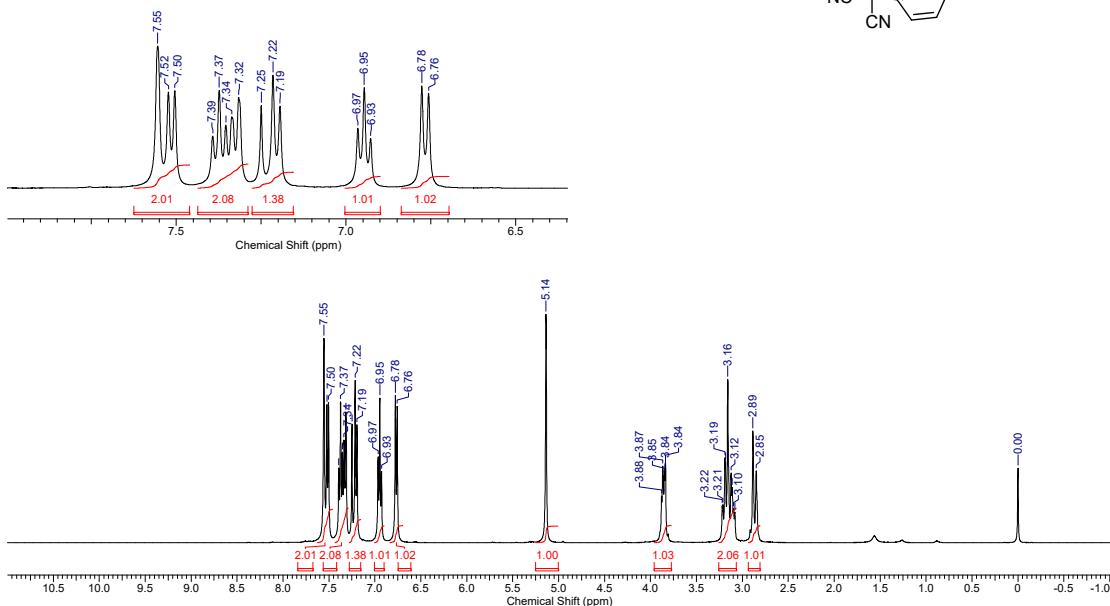
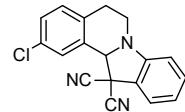


Figure S89. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4o

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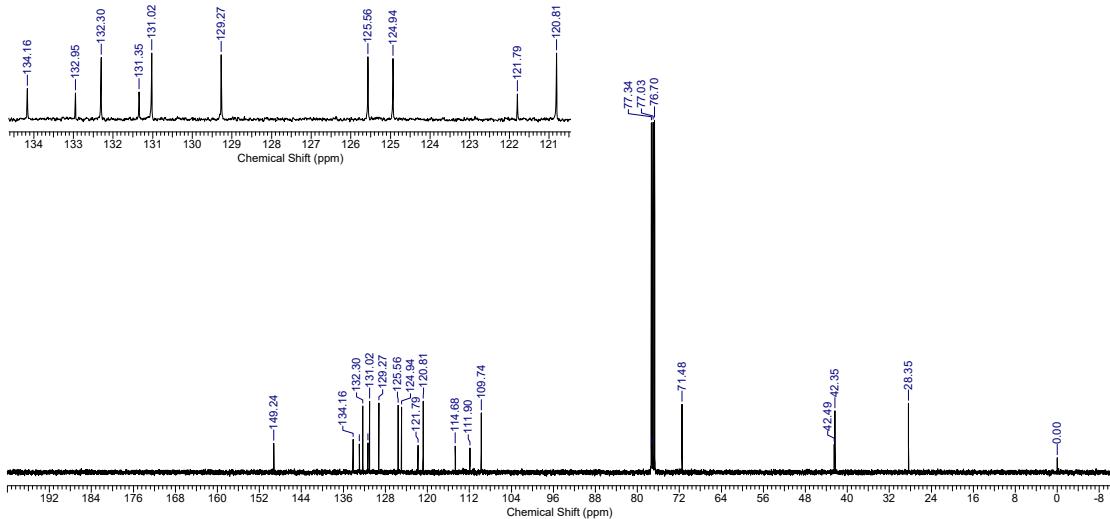
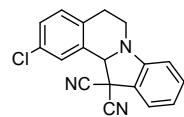


Figure S90. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4o

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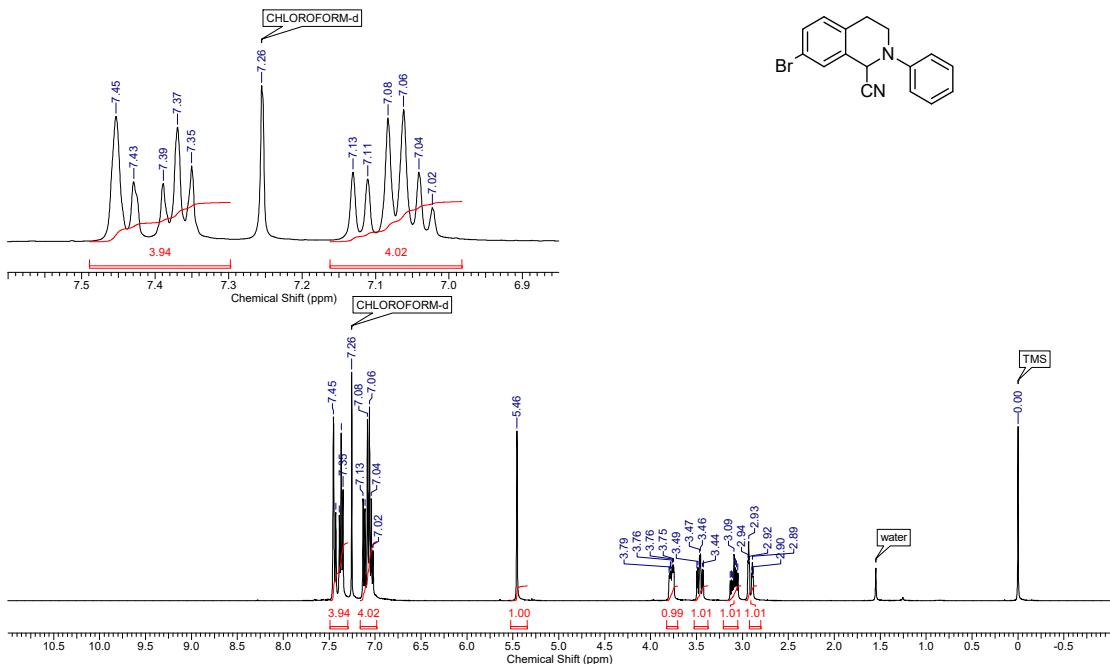
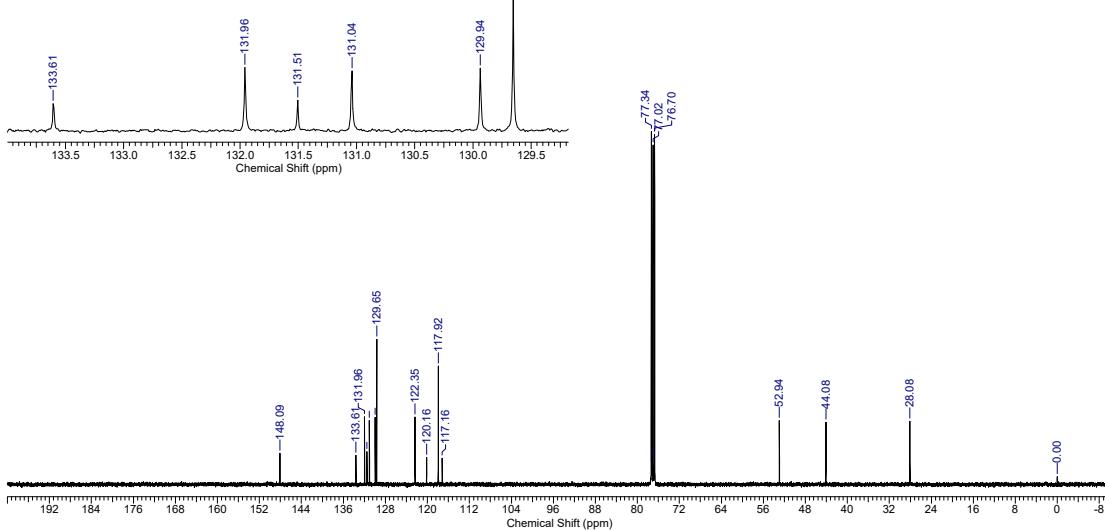
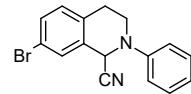


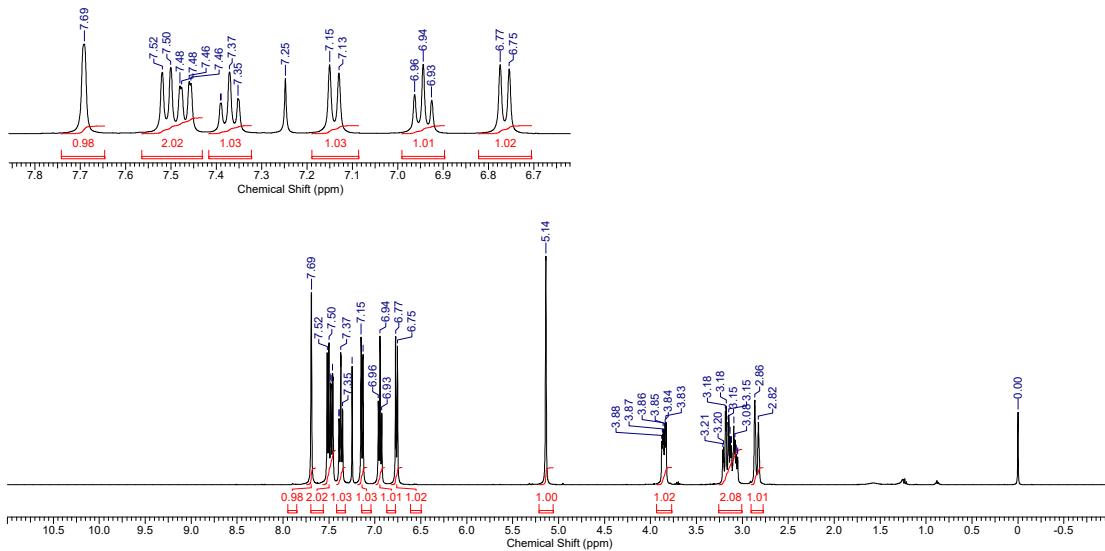
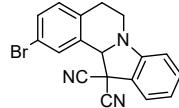
Figure S91. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3p

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**Figure S92.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound **3p**

9110-GM-522-2.esp  
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**Figure S93.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4p**

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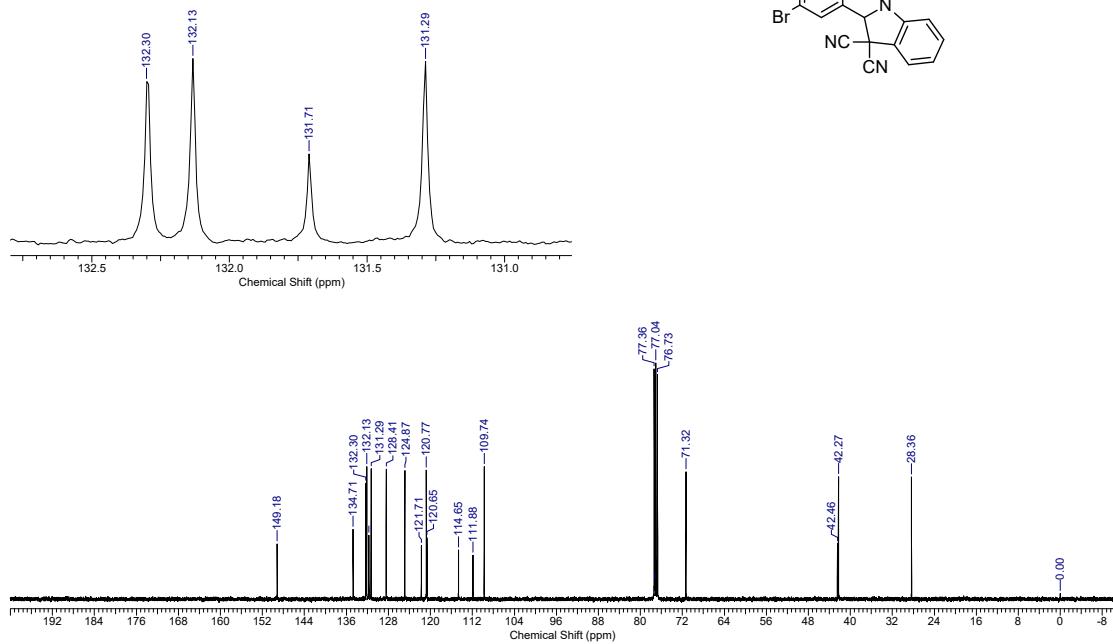
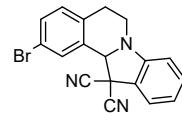


Figure S94.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4p

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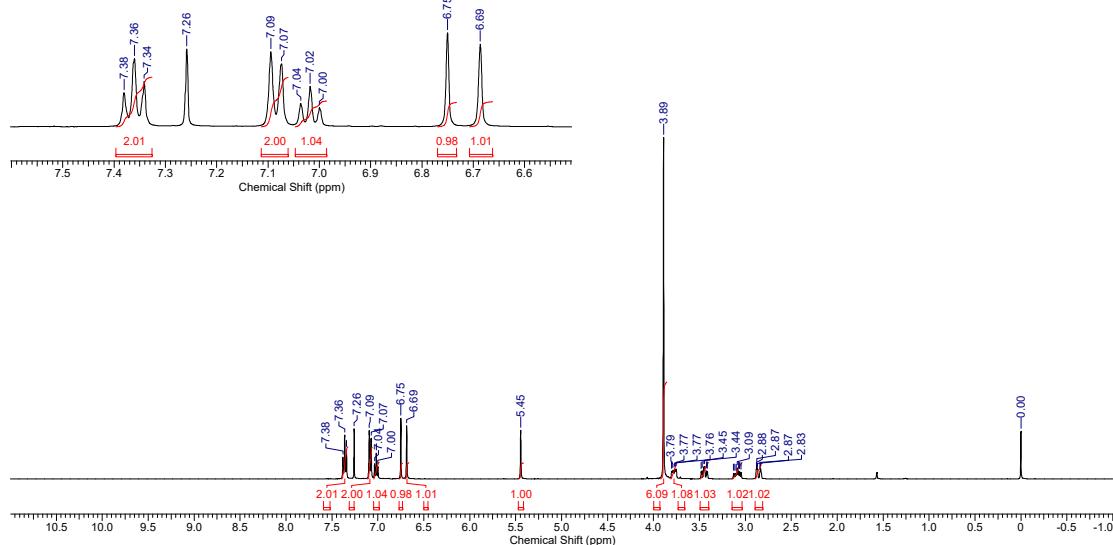
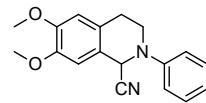


Figure S95.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 3q

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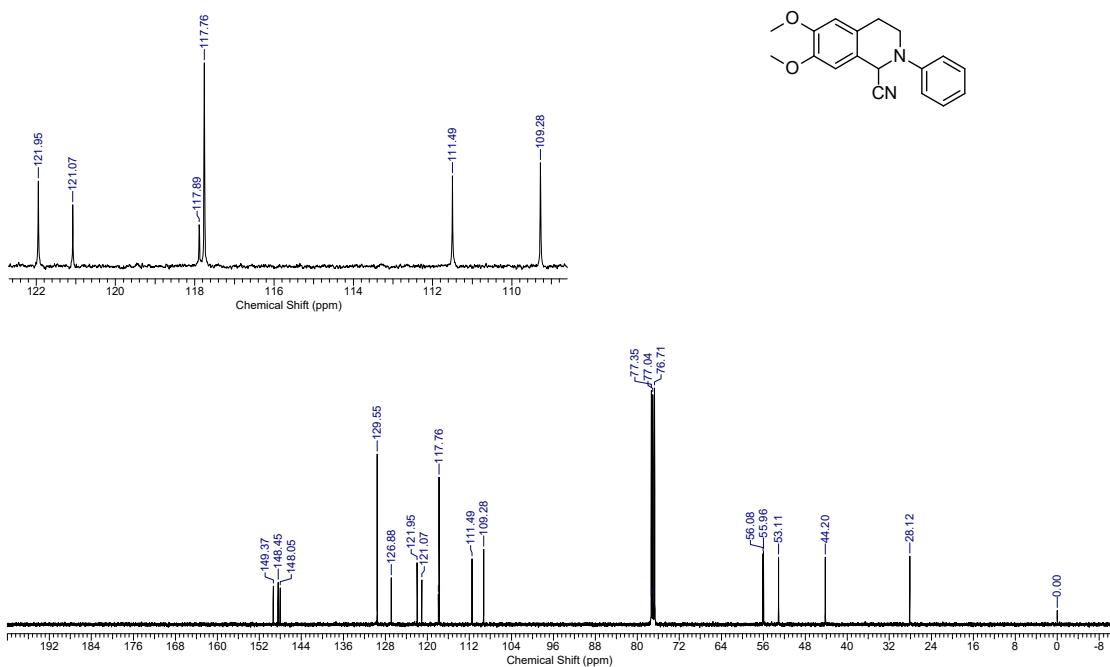


Figure S96. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 3q

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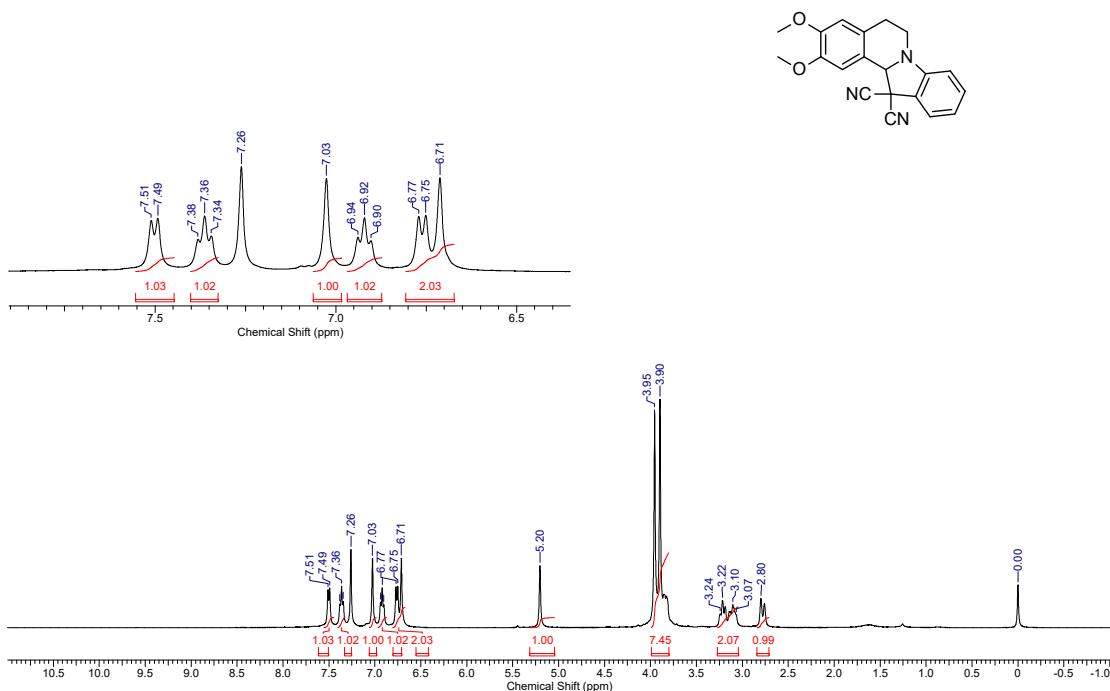
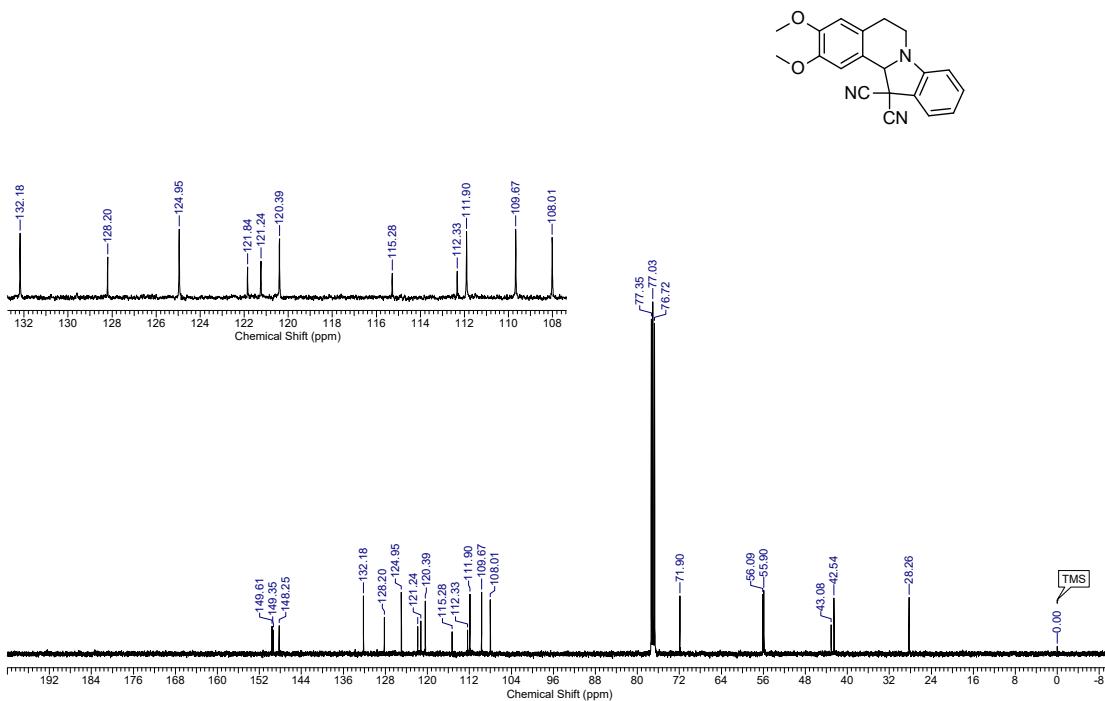
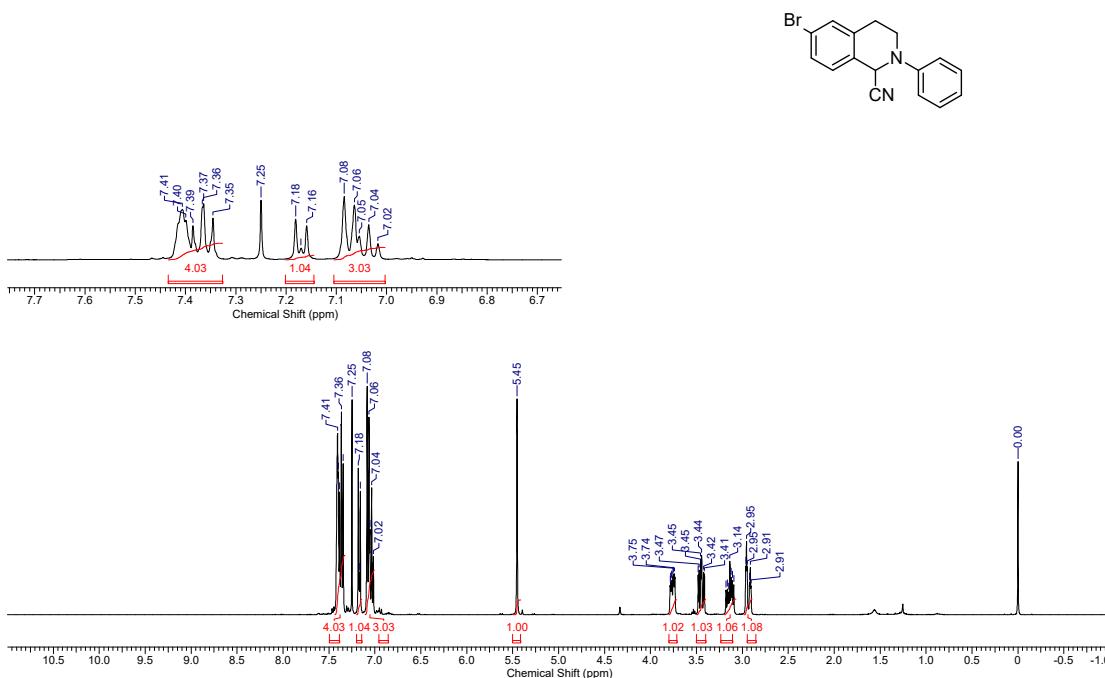


Figure S97. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4q

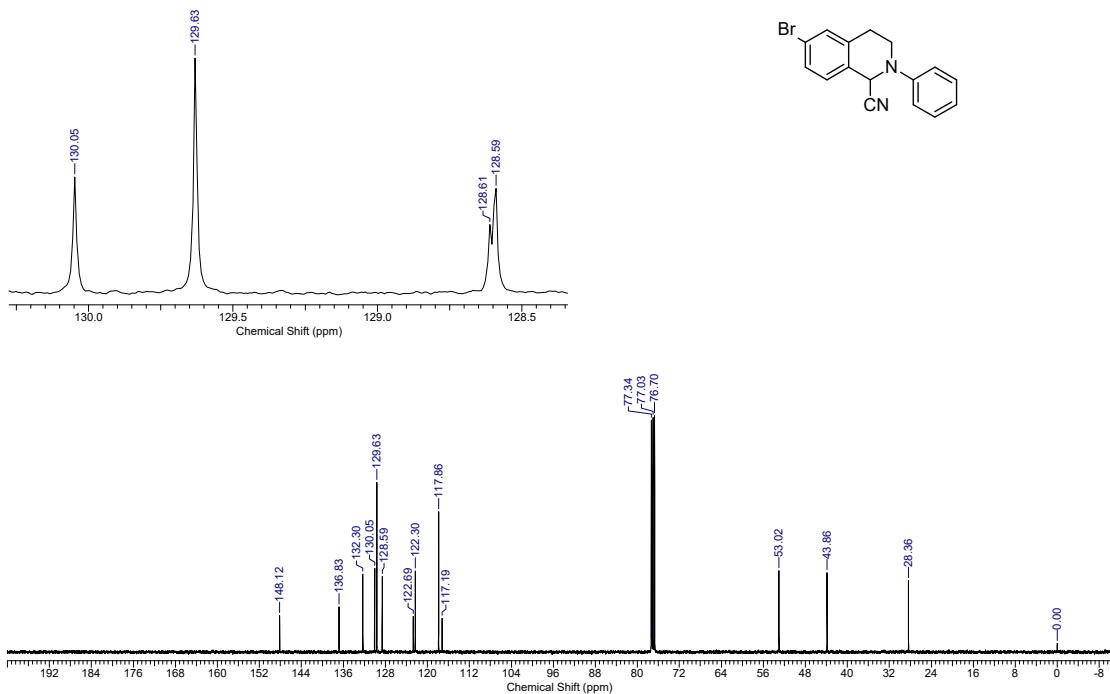


**Figure S98.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4q



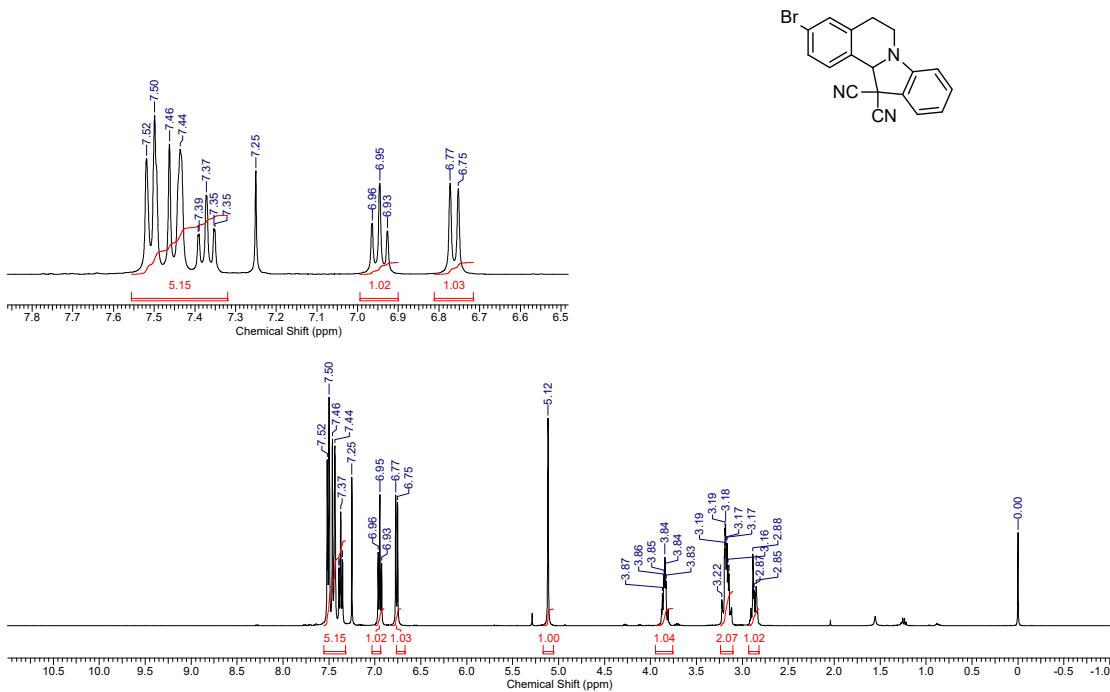
**Figure S99.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 3r

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9581-GM545-1-13C.esp



**Figure S100.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 3r

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**Figure S101.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4r**

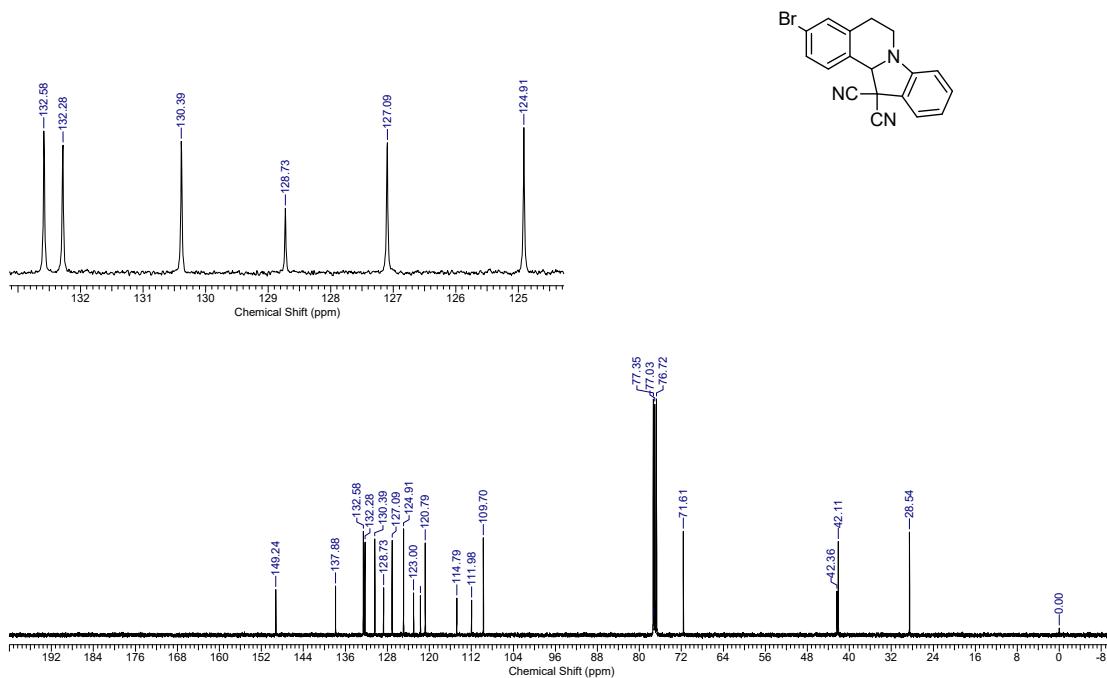


Figure S102.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4r

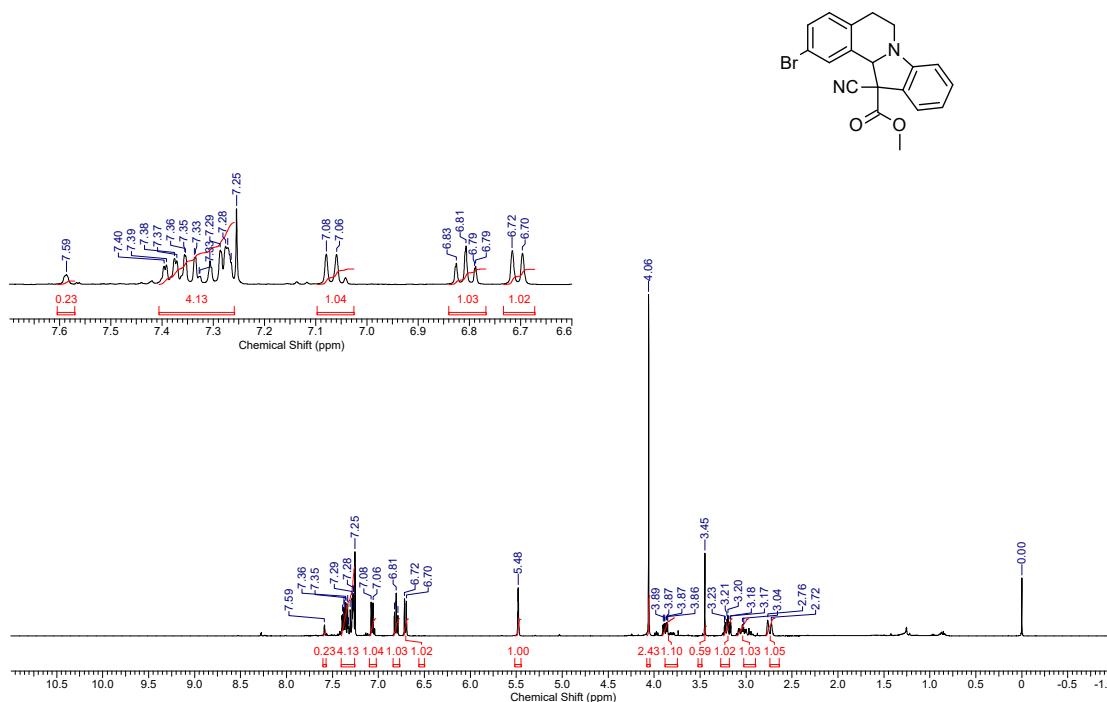


Figure S103.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4s

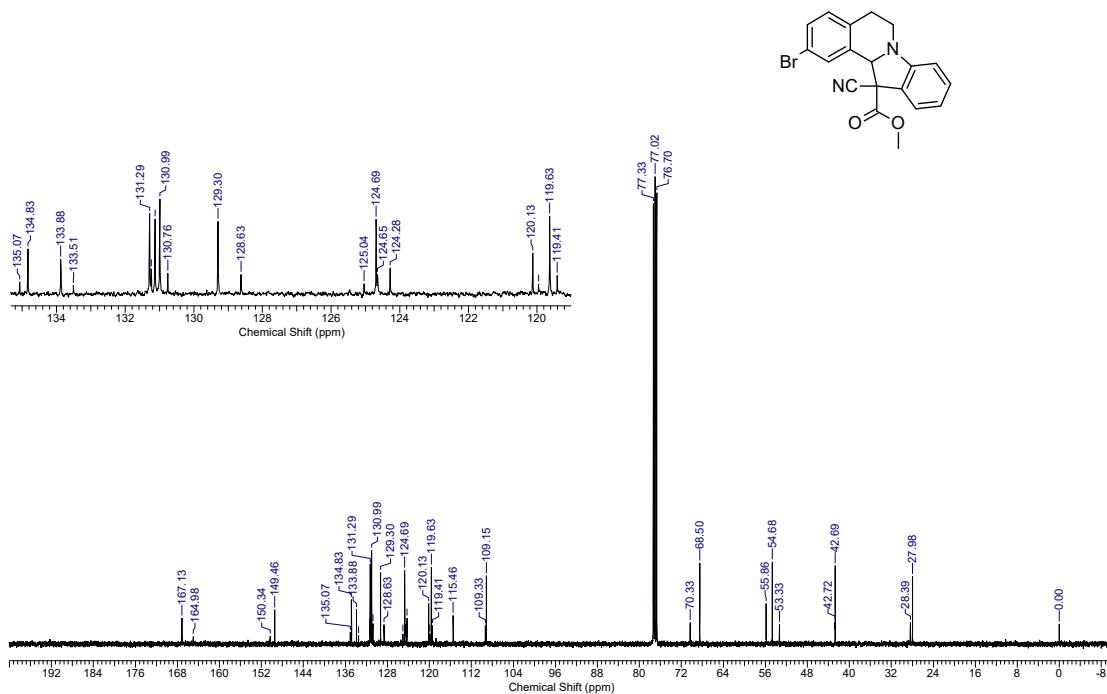


Figure S104. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4s

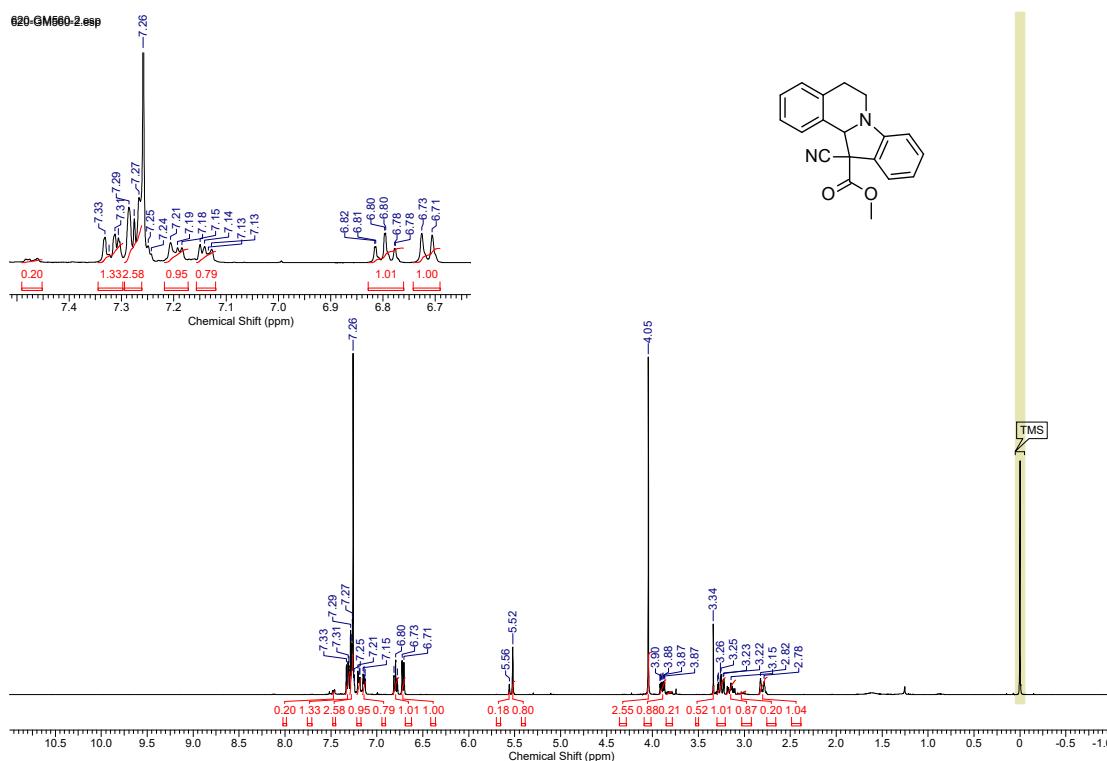
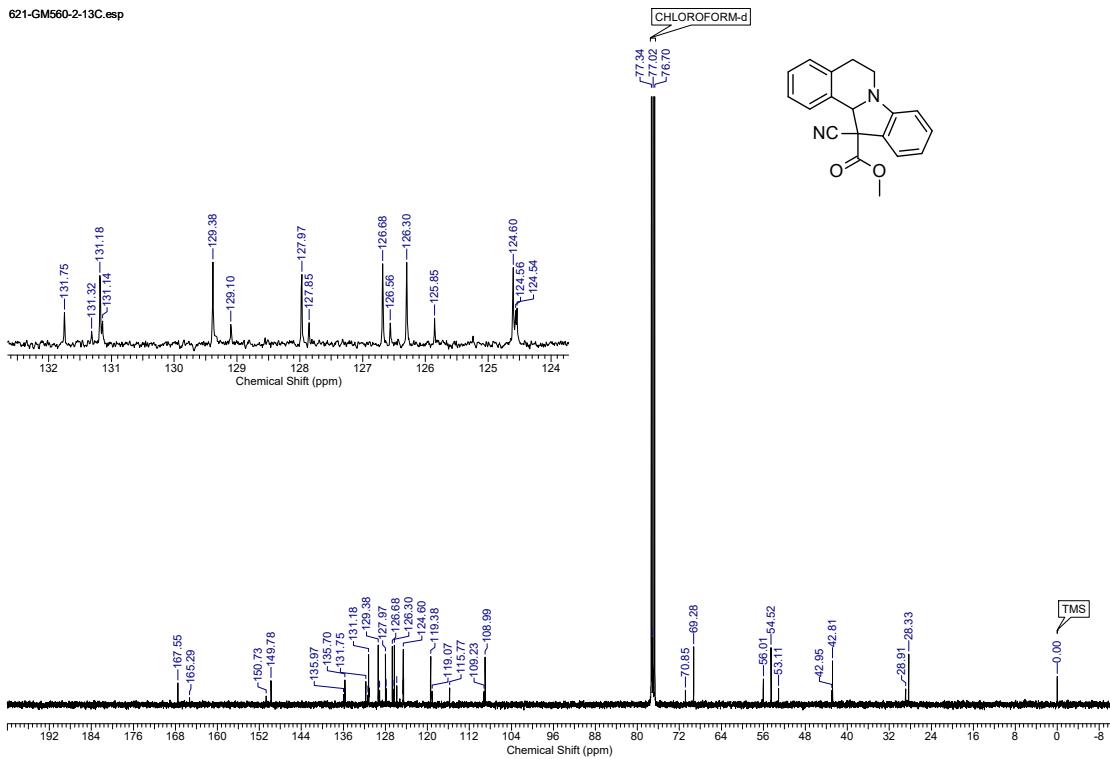
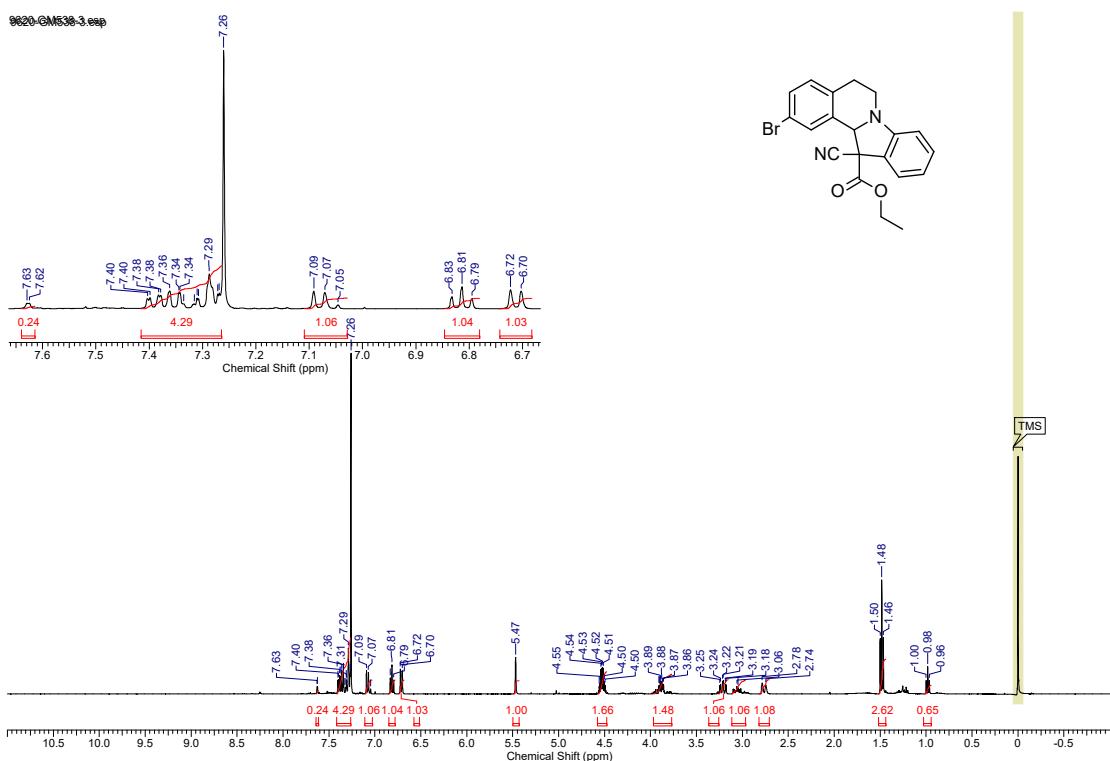


Figure S105. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4t



**Figure S106.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound 4t



**Figure S107.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4u**

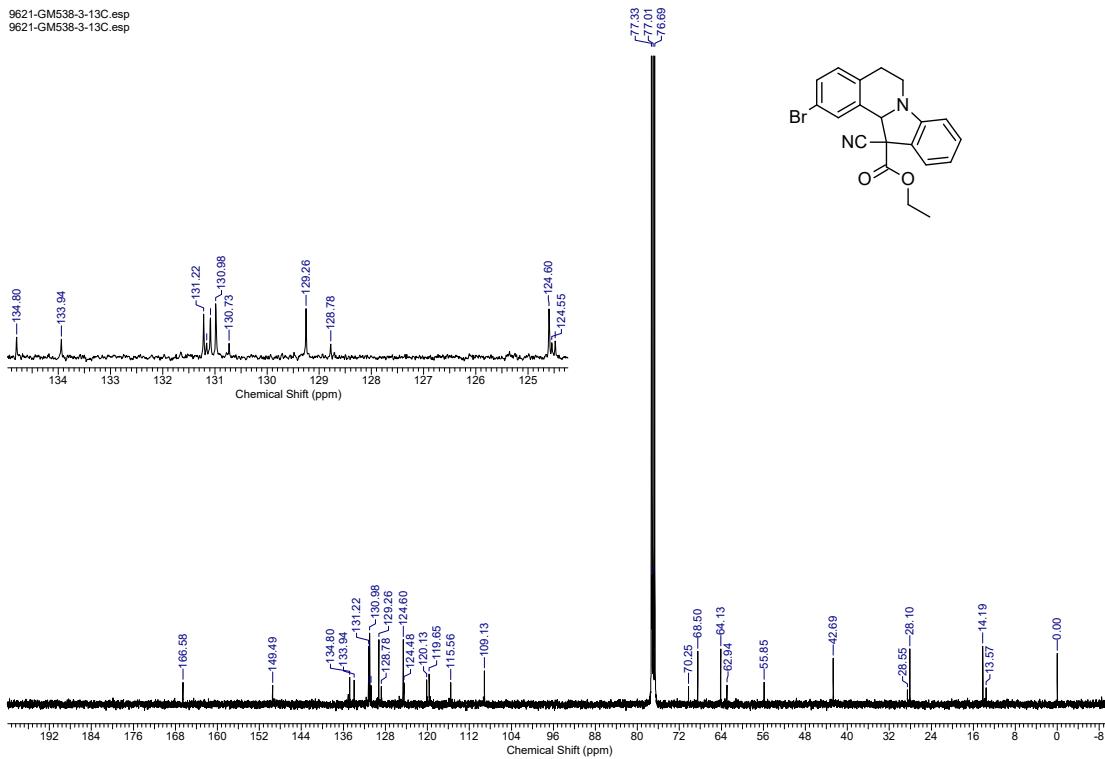


Figure S108. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4u

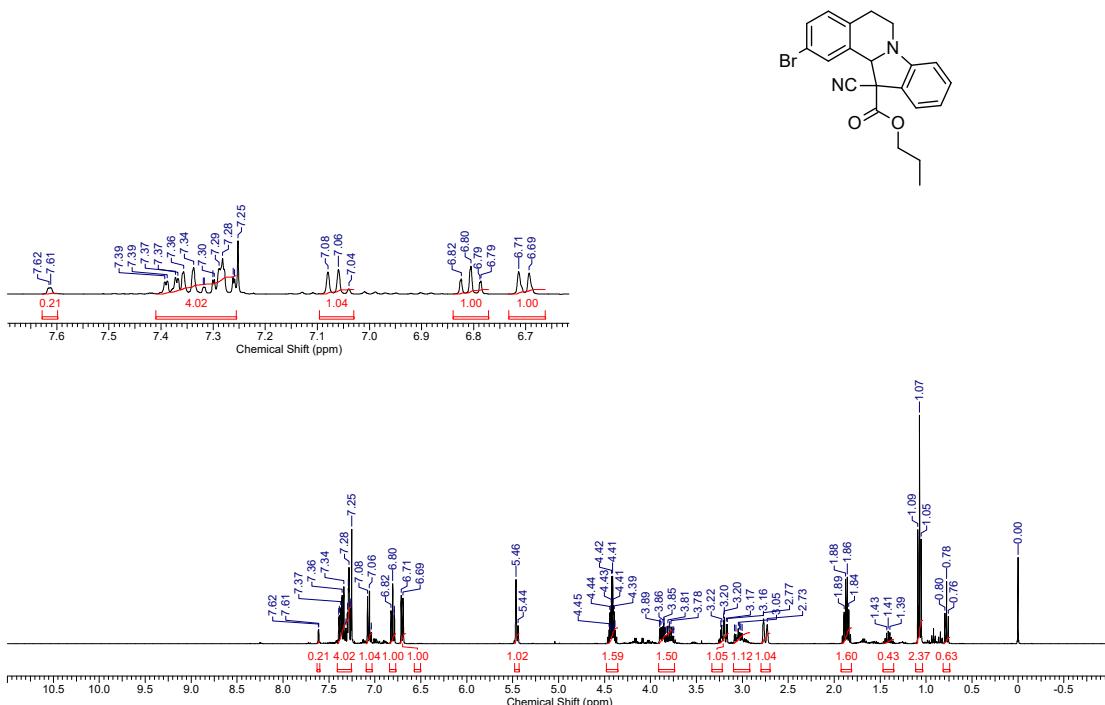
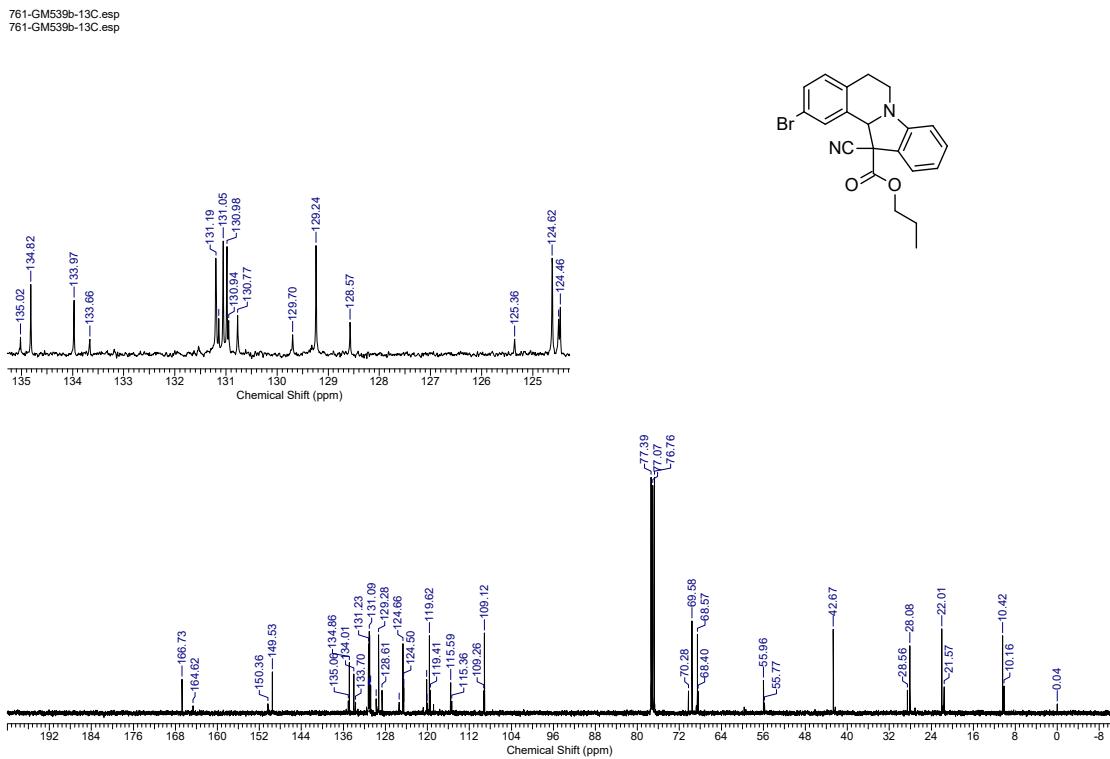
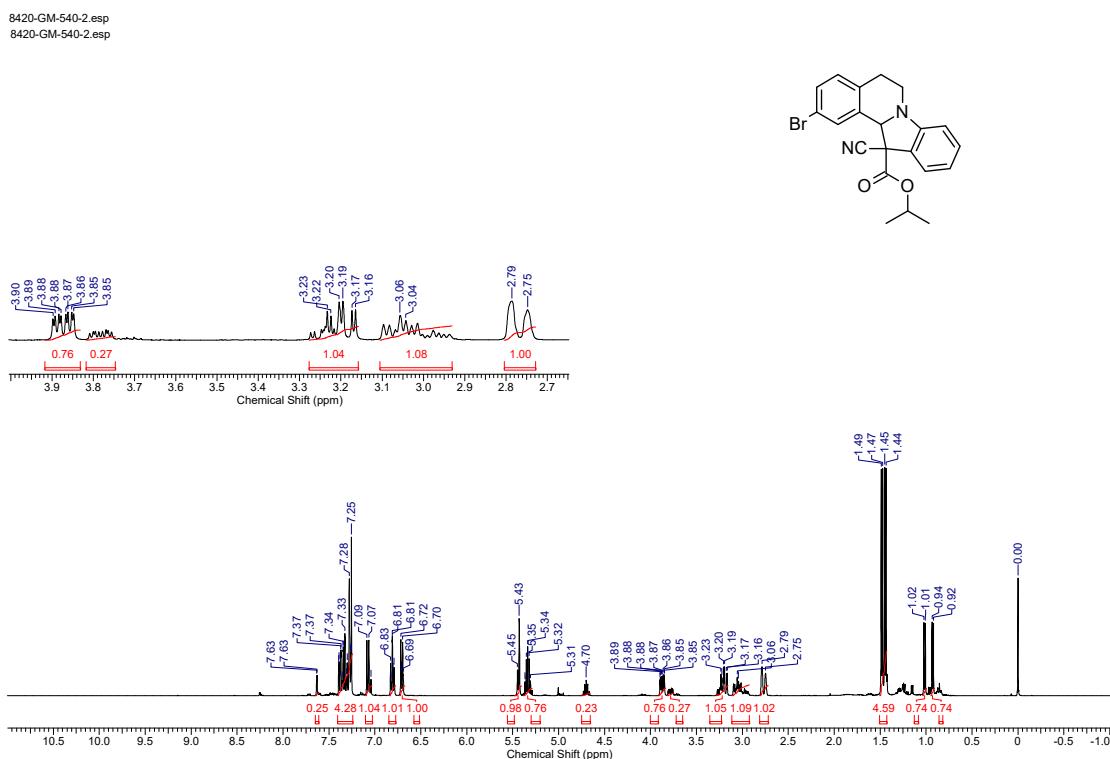


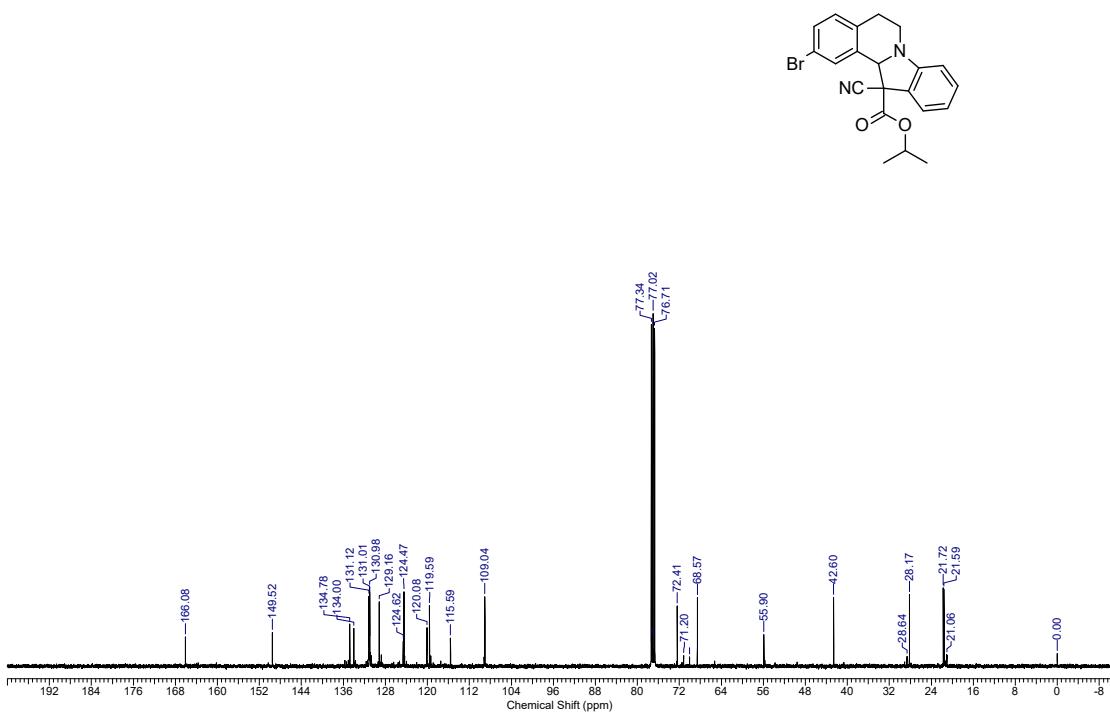
Figure S109. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 4v



**Figure S110.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4v**



**Figure S111.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **4w**

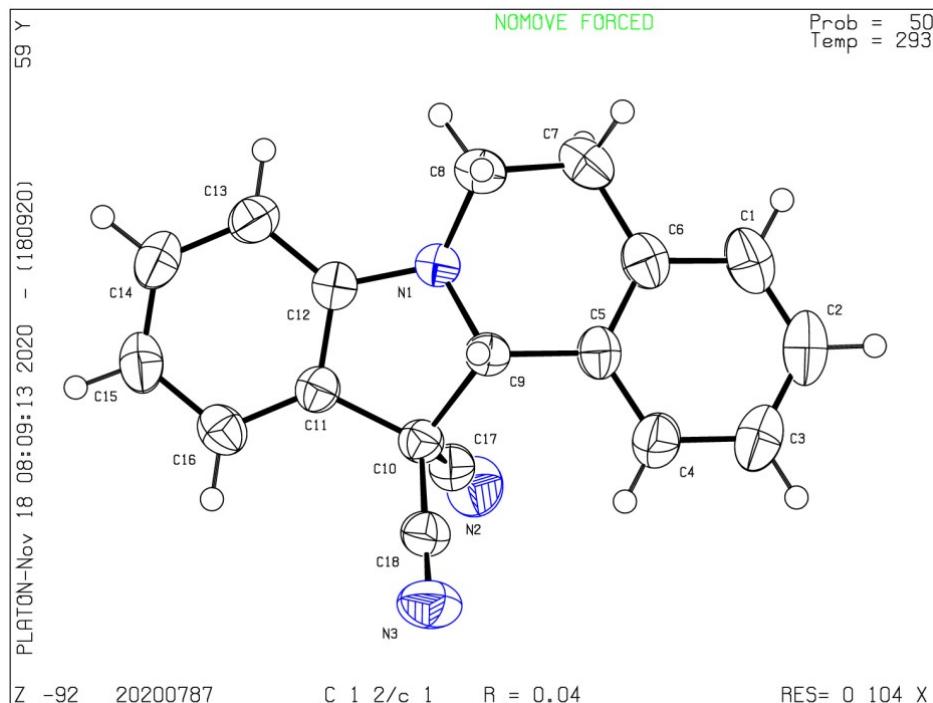


**Figure S112.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 4w

## 2. Crystallographic Analysis: Determination of Structure of 4a, 4j1 and 4s

### 1) Structure determination of 4a

The structure of **4a** was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from dichloromethane/EtOH. Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2077460.



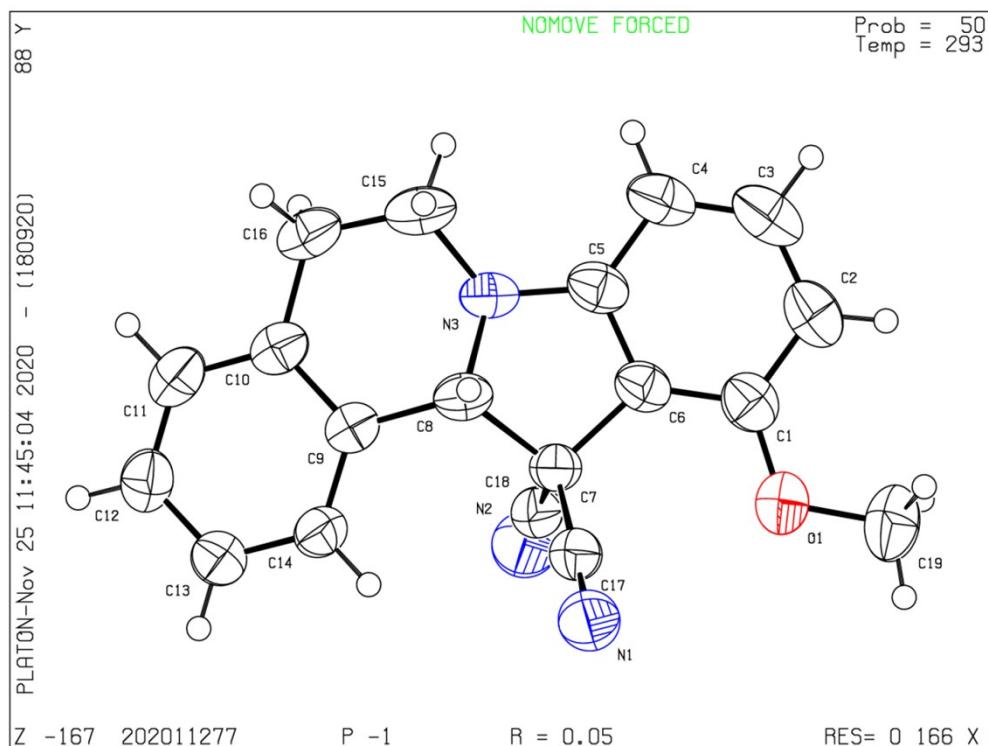
**Table S1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4a.**

Identification code	20200787
Empirical formula	C18H13N3
Formula weight	271.31
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	C2/c
a/Å	10.9525(3)
b/Å	12.9657(4)
c/Å	20.7069(7)
α/°	90
β/°	103.542(3)
γ/°	90
Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>	2858.76(16)
Z	8
ρcalcg/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.261
μ/mm <sup>-1</sup>	0.600

F(000)	1136.0
Crystal size/mm <sup>3</sup>	0.18 × 0.15 × 0.1
Radiation	CuKα ( $\lambda = 1.54184$ )
2Θ range for data collection/°	8.786 to 134.144
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 13, -15 ≤ k ≤ 12, -24 ≤ l ≤ 18
Reflections collected	5277
Independent reflections	2555 [Rint = 0.0257, Rsigma = 0.0323]
Data/restraints/parameters	2555/0/190
Goodness-of-fit on F2	1.043
Final R indexes [I>=2σ (I)]	R1 = 0.0439, wR2 = 0.1125
Final R indexes [all data]	R1 = 0.0544, wR2 = 0.1230
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å <sup>-3</sup>	0.13/-0.18

## 2) Structure determination of 4j1

The structure of **4j1** was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from dichloromethane/EtOH. Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2077464.



**Table S2. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4j1.**

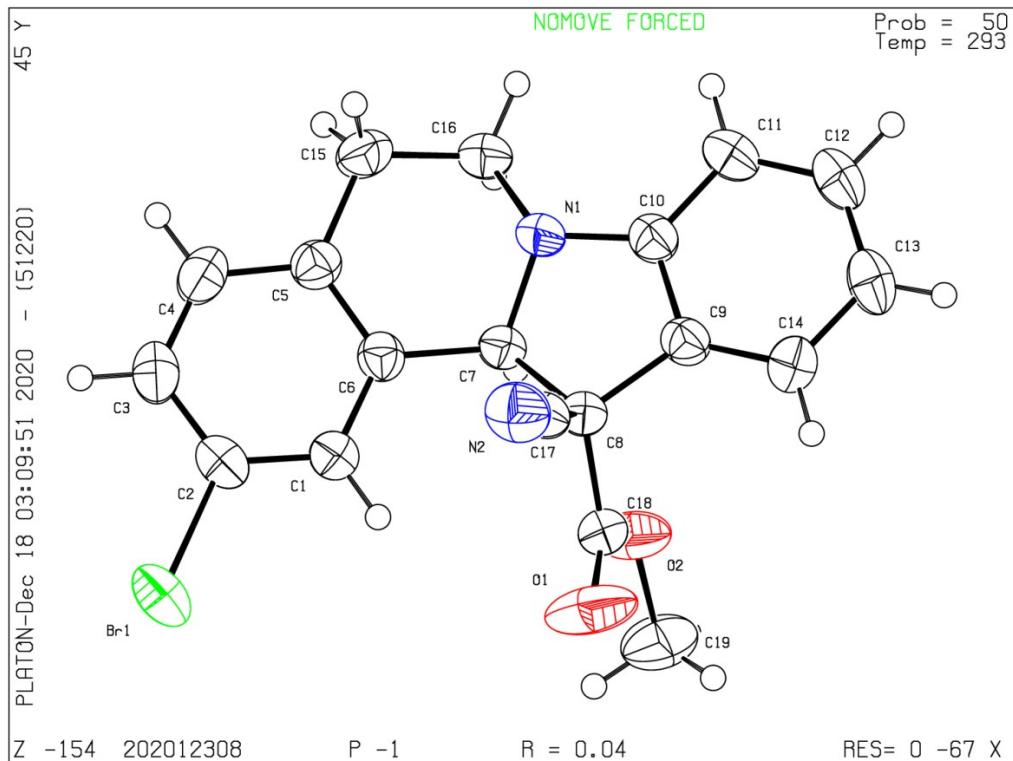
Identification code	202011277
Empirical formula	C19H15N3O
Formula weight	301.34
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1

a/Å	7.5372(7)
b/Å	7.8330(5)
c/Å	13.1572(11)
α/°	81.704(6)
β/°	86.697(7)
γ/°	83.076(6)
Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>	762.42(11)
Z	2
ρ <sub>calcg/cm<sup>3</sup></sub>	1.313
μ/mm <sup>-1</sup>	0.667
F(000)	316.0
Crystal size/mm <sup>3</sup>	0.19 × 0.15 × 0.11
Radiation	CuKα ( $\lambda = 1.54184$ )
2Θ range for data collection/°	6.794 to 134.092
Index ranges	-8 ≤ h ≤ 9, -6 ≤ k ≤ 9, -15 ≤ l ≤ 15
Reflections collected	5367
Independent reflections	2719 [R <sub>int</sub> = 0.0216, R <sub>sigma</sub> = 0.0347]
Data/restraints/parameters	2719/0/209
Goodness-of-fit on F <sub>2</sub>	1.061
Final R indexes [I>=2σ (I)]	R <sub>1</sub> = 0.0466, wR <sub>2</sub> = 0.1078
Final R indexes [all data]	R <sub>1</sub> = 0.0660, wR <sub>2</sub> = 0.1220
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å <sup>-3</sup>	0.13/-0.24

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### 3) Structure determination of **4s**

The structure of **4s** was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from dichloromethane/EtOH. Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2077465.



**Table S3. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4s.**

Identification code	202012308
Empirical formula	C19H15BrN2O2
Formula weight	383.24
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
a/Å	8.5331(6)
b/Å	9.1322(6)
c/Å	11.9513(10)
$\alpha/^\circ$	77.749(6)
$\beta/^\circ$	79.907(7)
$\gamma/^\circ$	65.413(7)
Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>	823.62(11)
Z	2
$\rho_{\text{calcd}}/\text{cm}^3$	1.545
$\mu/\text{mm}^{-1}$	3.514
F(000)	388.0
Crystal size/mm <sup>3</sup>	0.15 × 0.12 × 0.1
Radiation	CuK $\alpha$ ( $\lambda = 1.54184$ )
2 $\Theta$ range for data collection/°	7.606 to 134.16
Index ranges	-10 ≤ h ≤ 10, -10 ≤ k ≤ 10, -13 ≤ l ≤ 14

Reflections collected	11170
Independent reflections	2930 [Rint = 0.0433, Rsigma = 0.0360]
Data/restraints/parameters	2930/0/218
Goodness-of-fit on F2	1.041
Final R indexes [I>=2σ (I)]	R1 = 0.0372, wR2 = 0.0835
Final R indexes [all data]	R1 = 0.0491, wR2 = 0.0907
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å <sup>-3</sup>	0.66/-0.51

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