

Supporting Information for

**Structure-activity relationships of valine-, *tert*-leucine-, and phenylalanine amino acid-
derived synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists related to ADB-BUTINACA, APP-
BUTINACA, and ADB-P7AICA**

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Figure S1. Concentration-displacement curves at the hCB1 receptor derived from the [^3H]CP-55,940 mediated in vitro receptor affinity assay upon the concentration-dependent stimulation with the 12 test compounds. Substances are clustered in their respective indole, indazole and butyl-7-azaindole or pentyl-7-azaindole group. Data are given as mean receptor affinity $\pm$ SEM (n = 3).

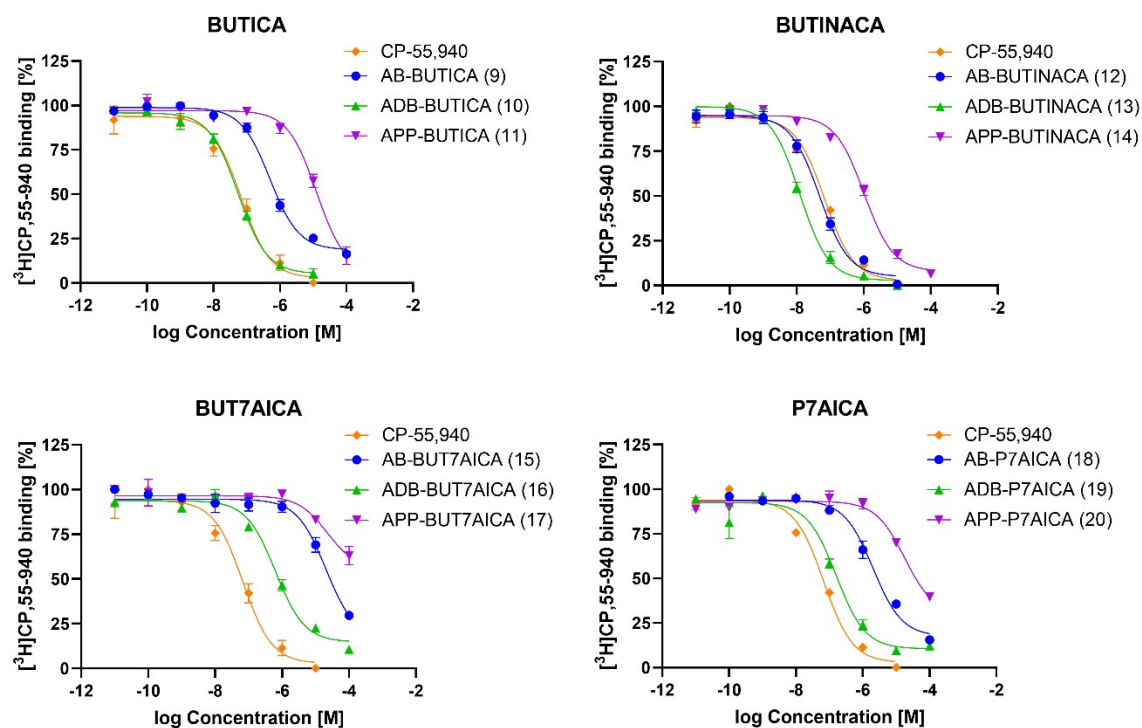


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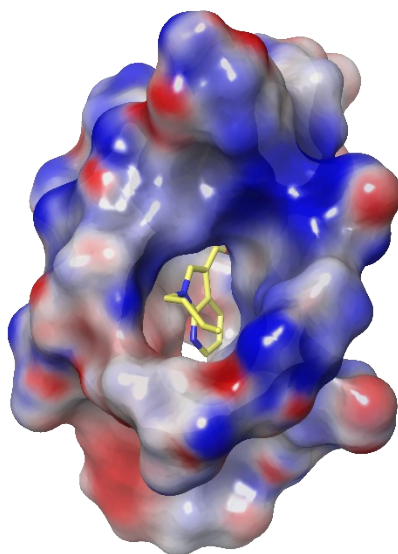


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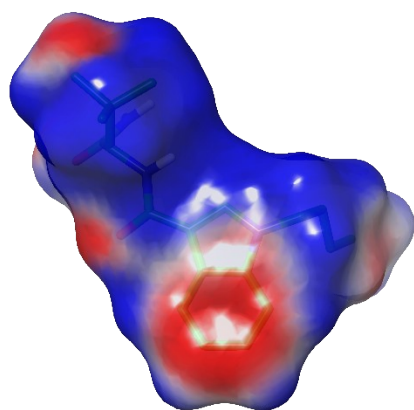


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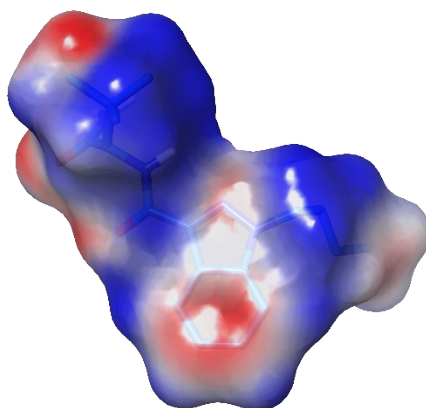


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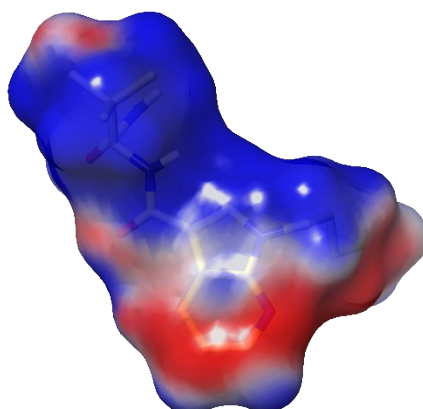


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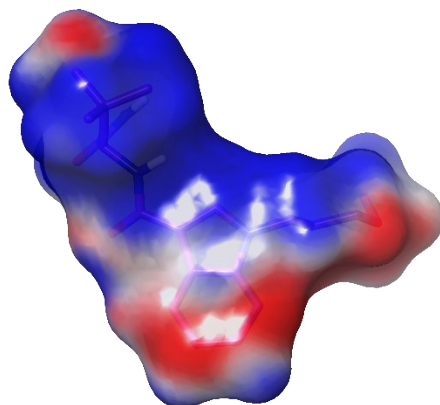


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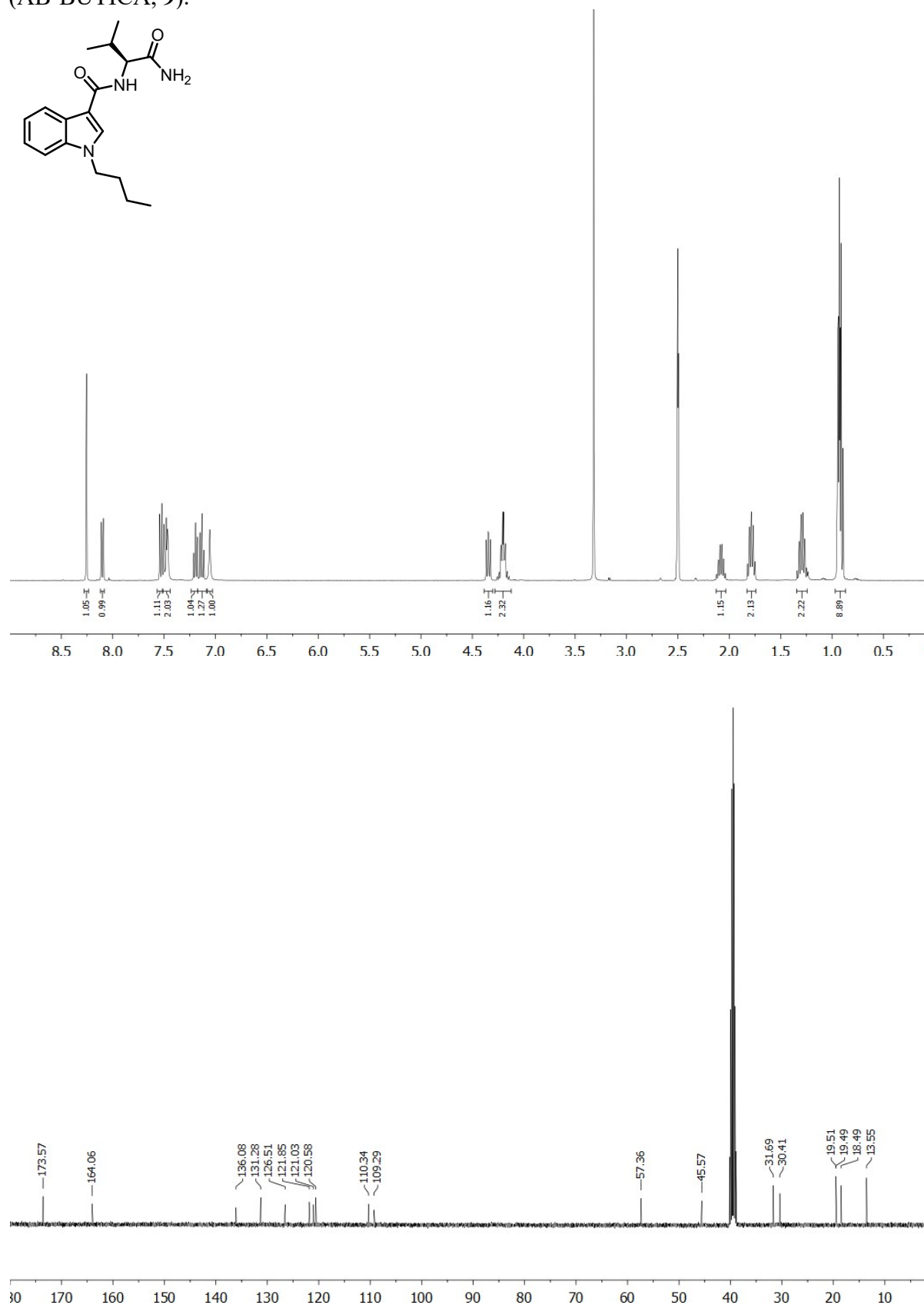


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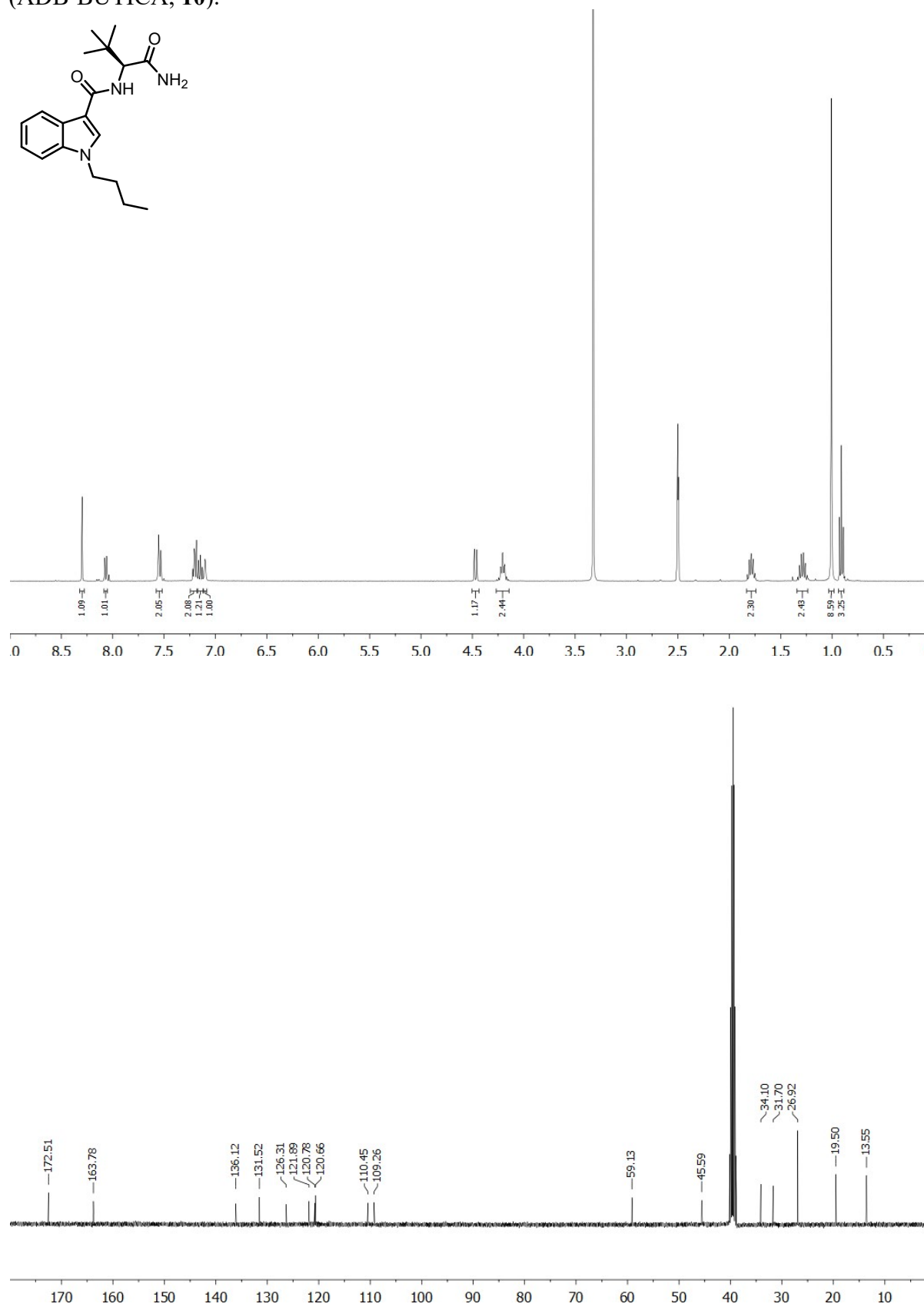


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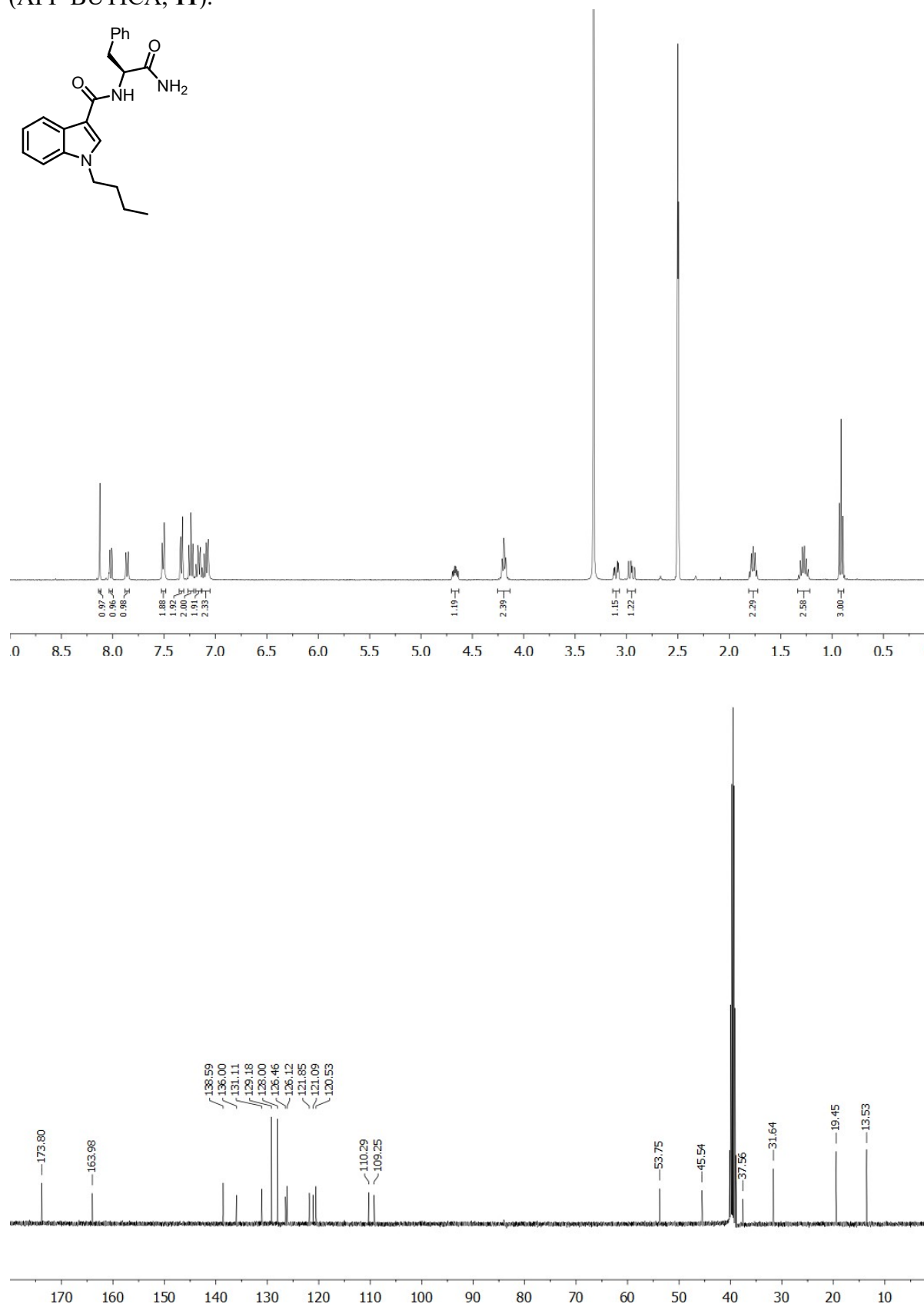


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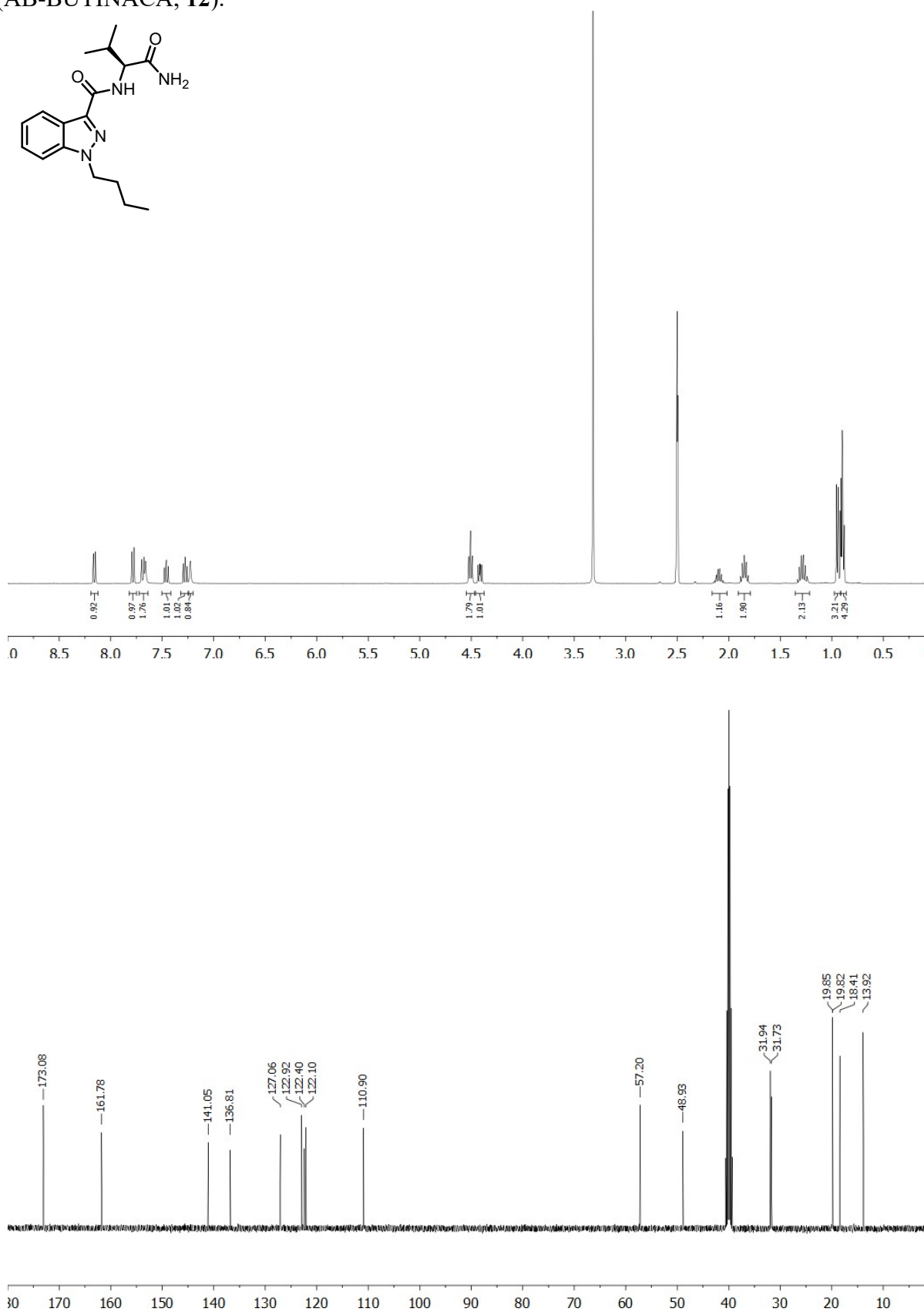


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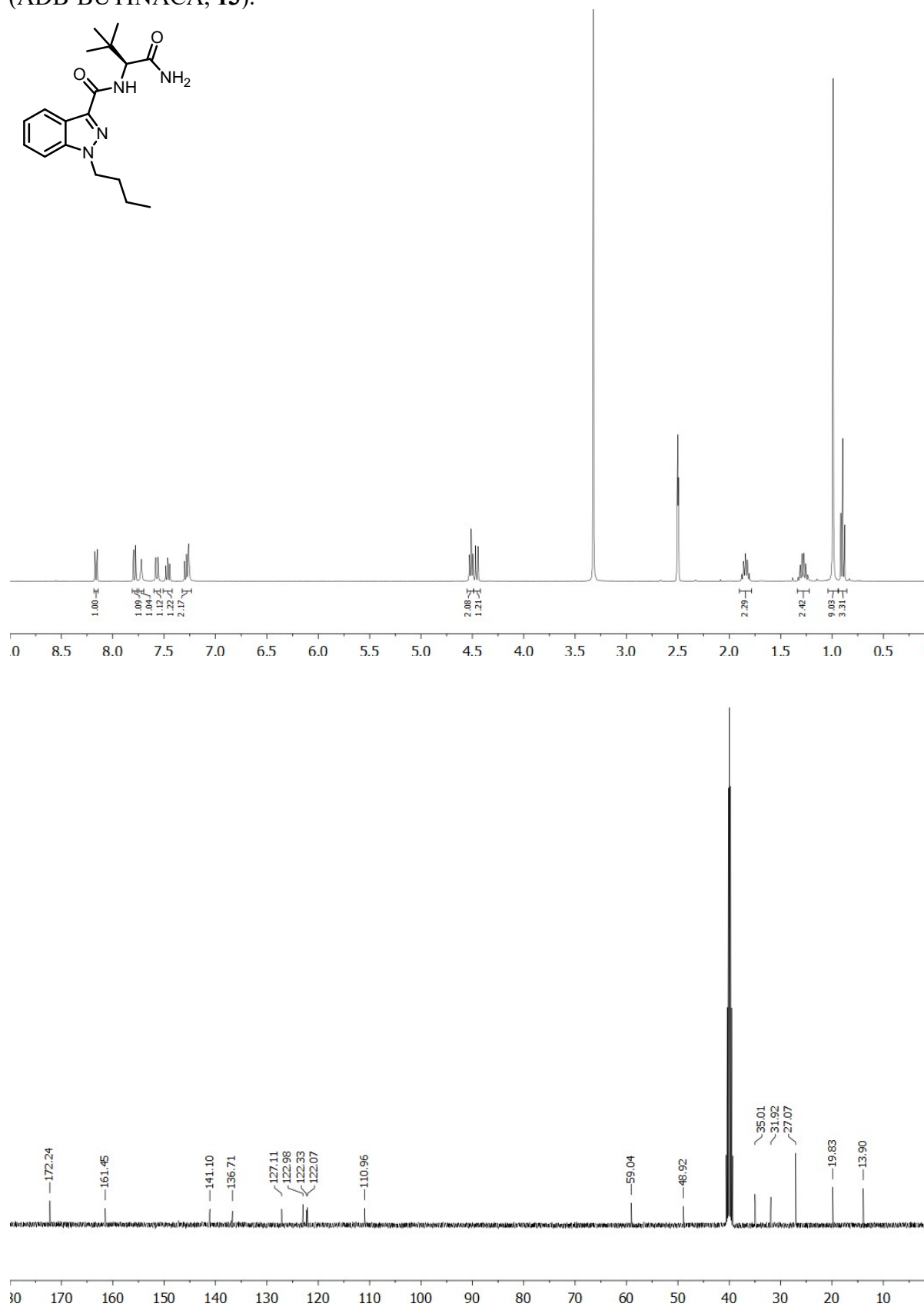


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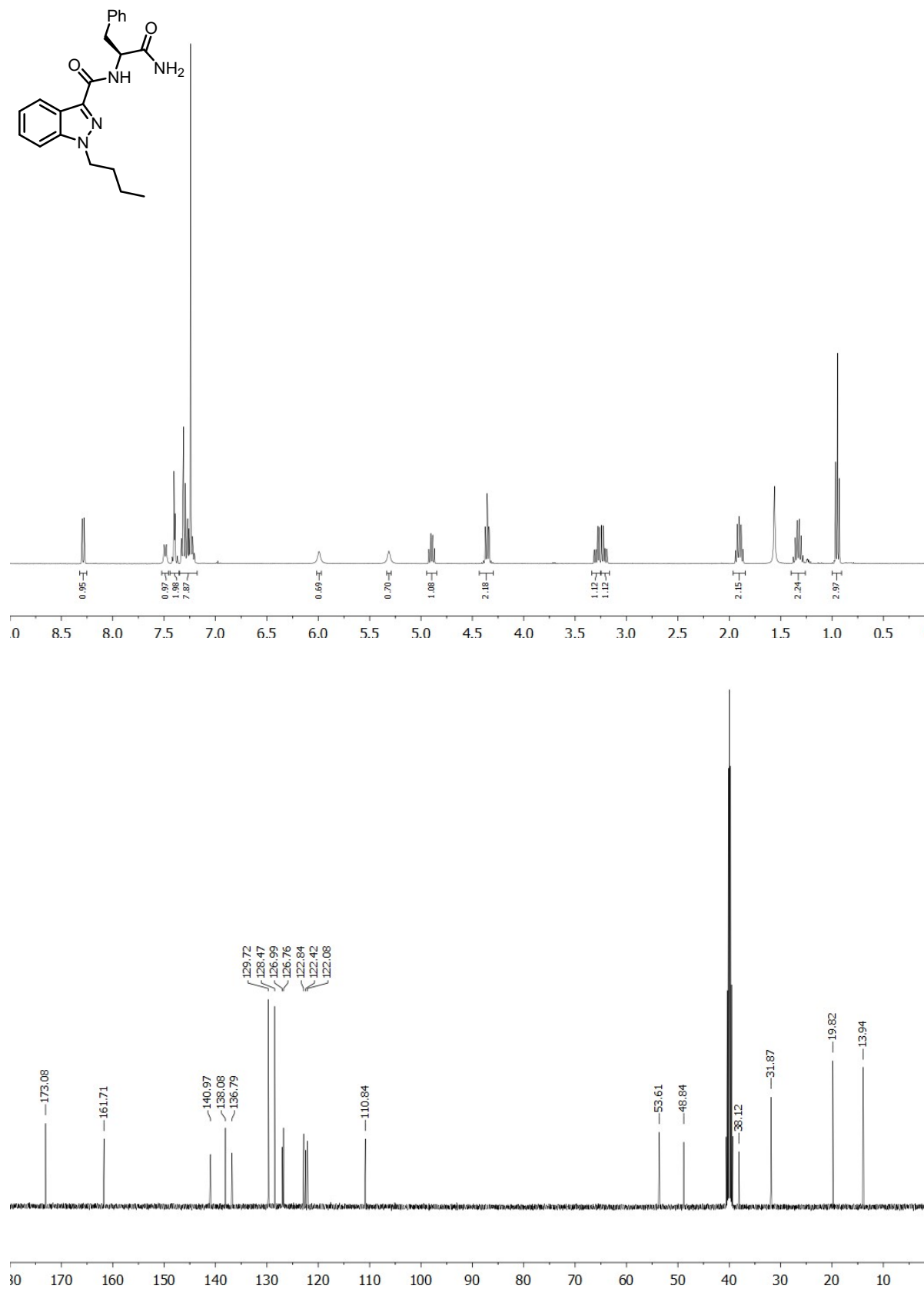


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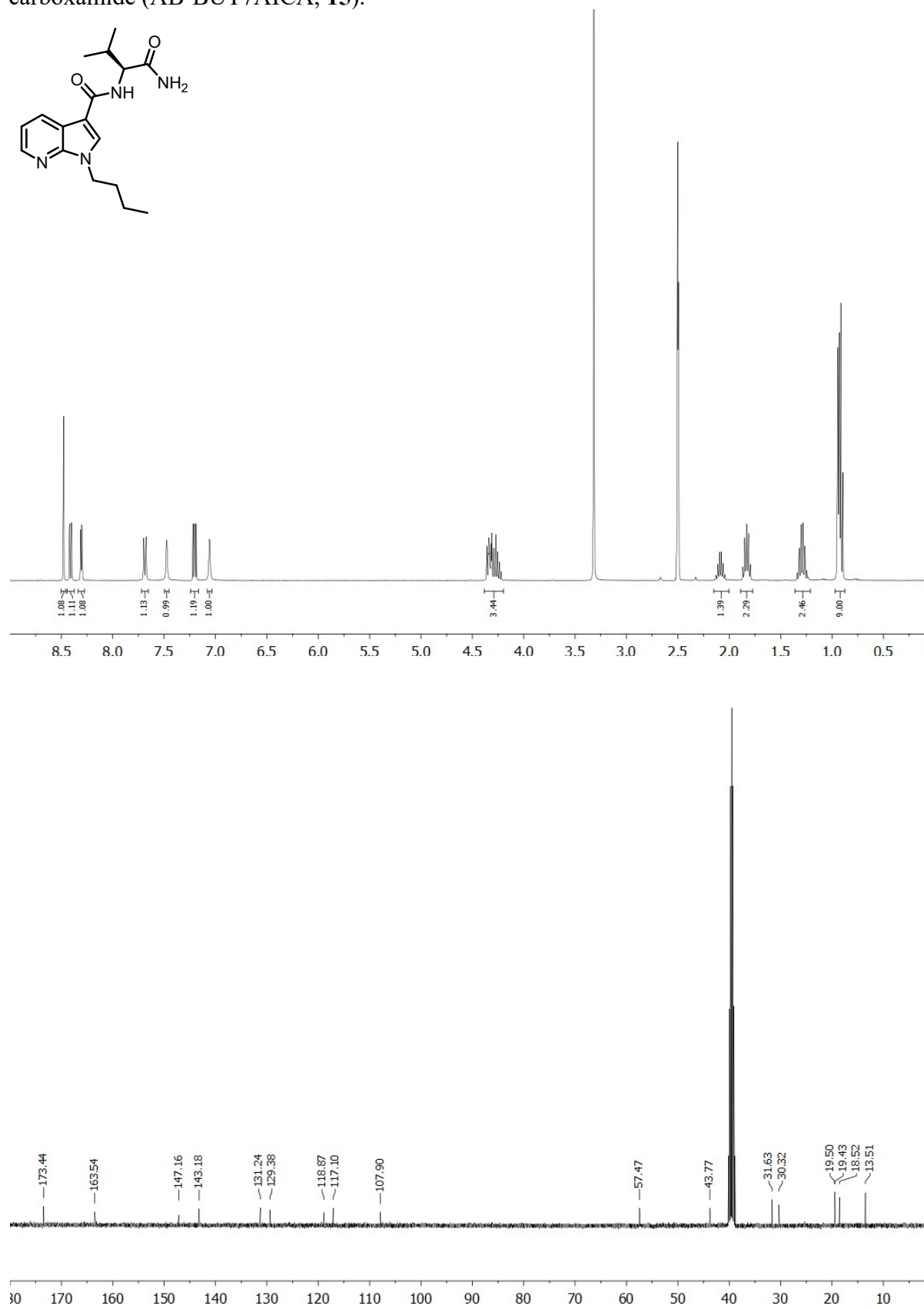


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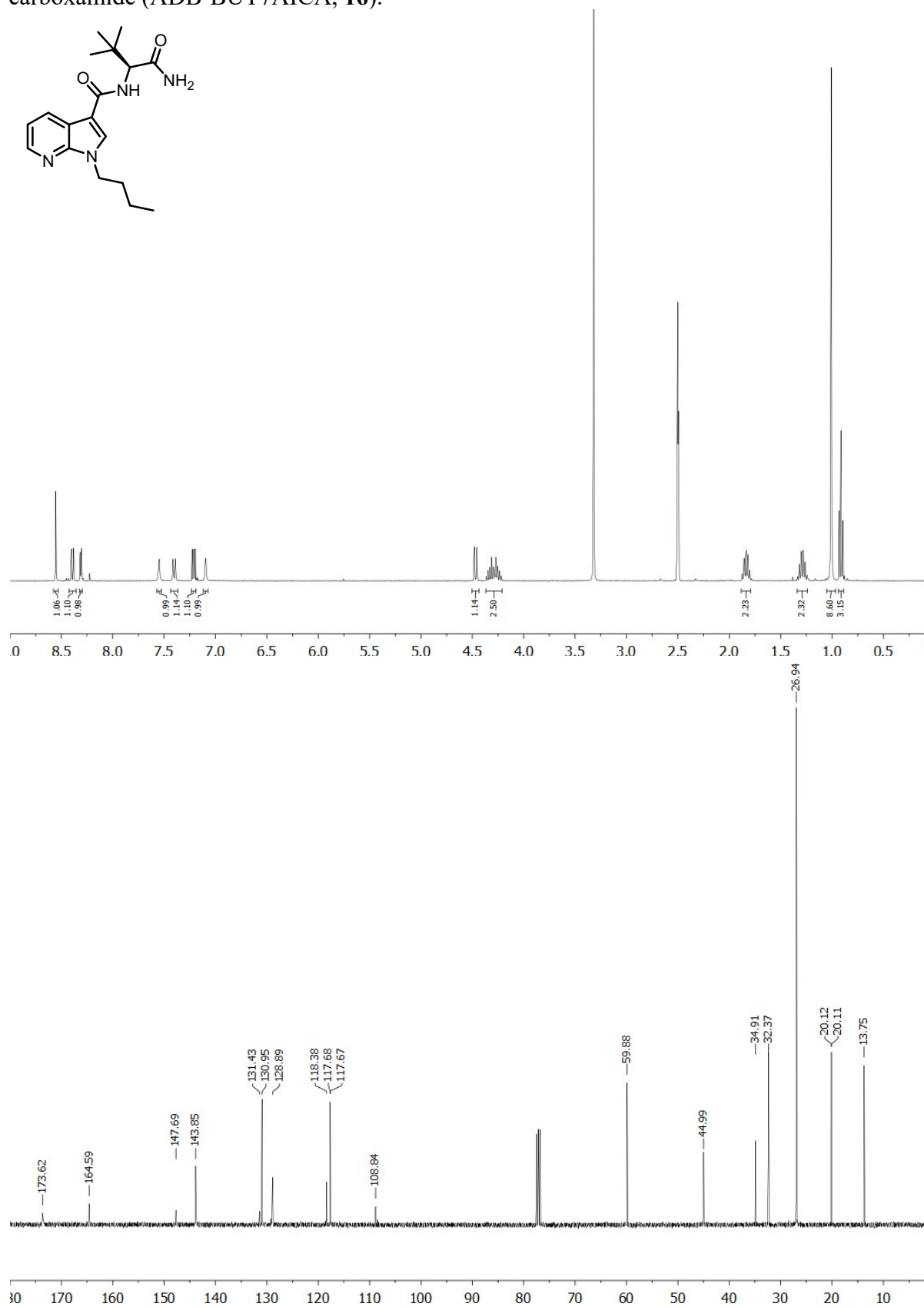


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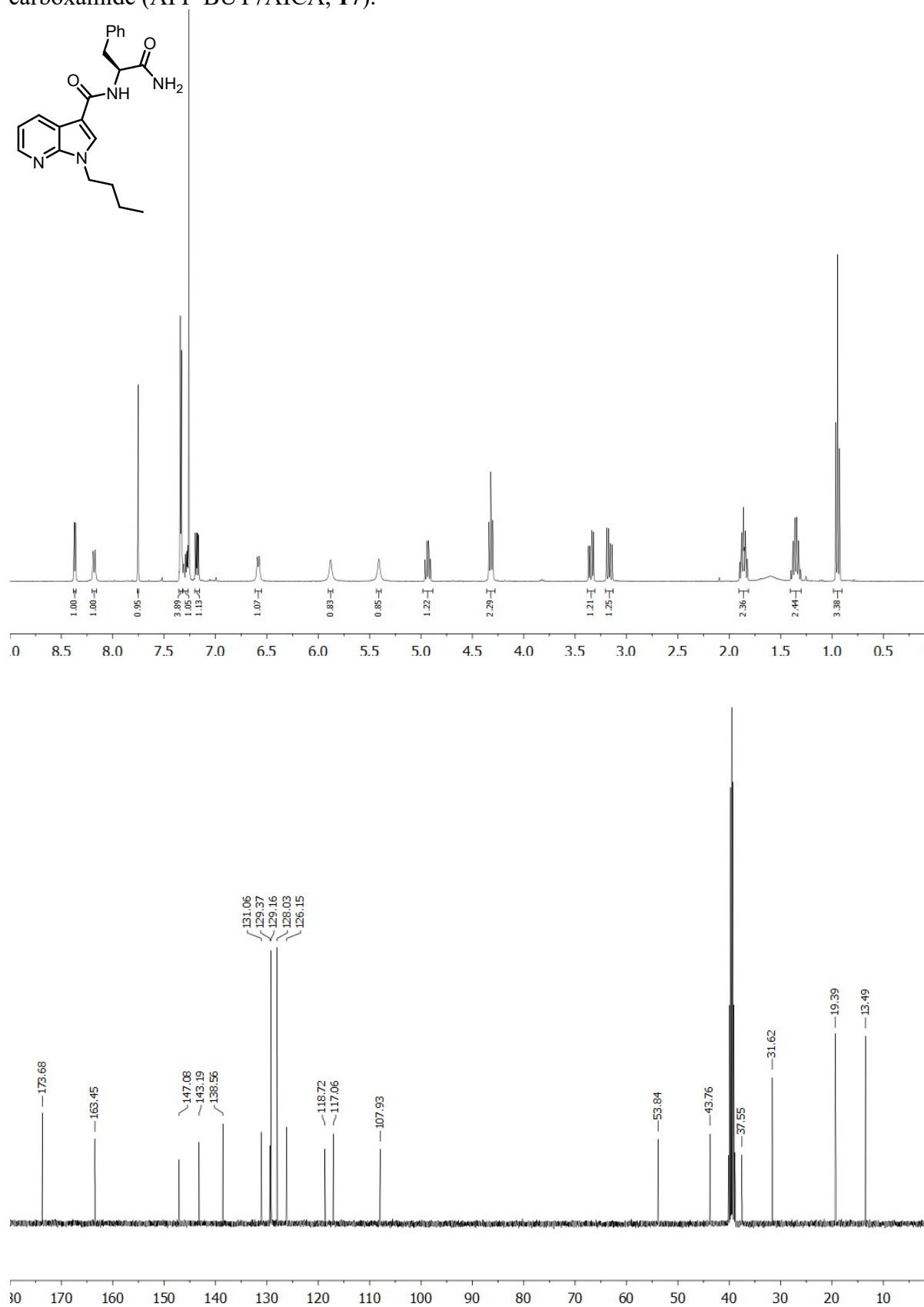


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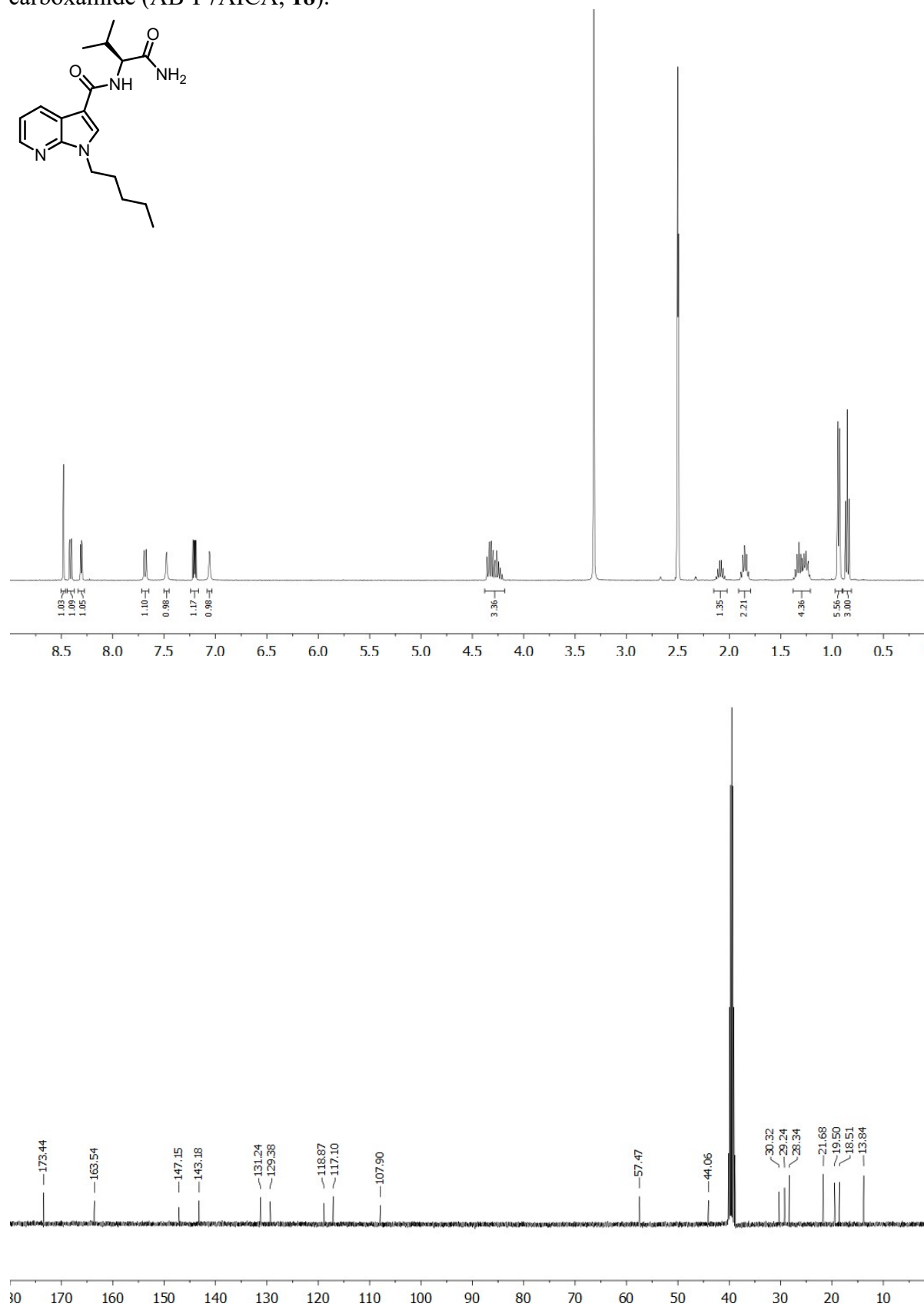


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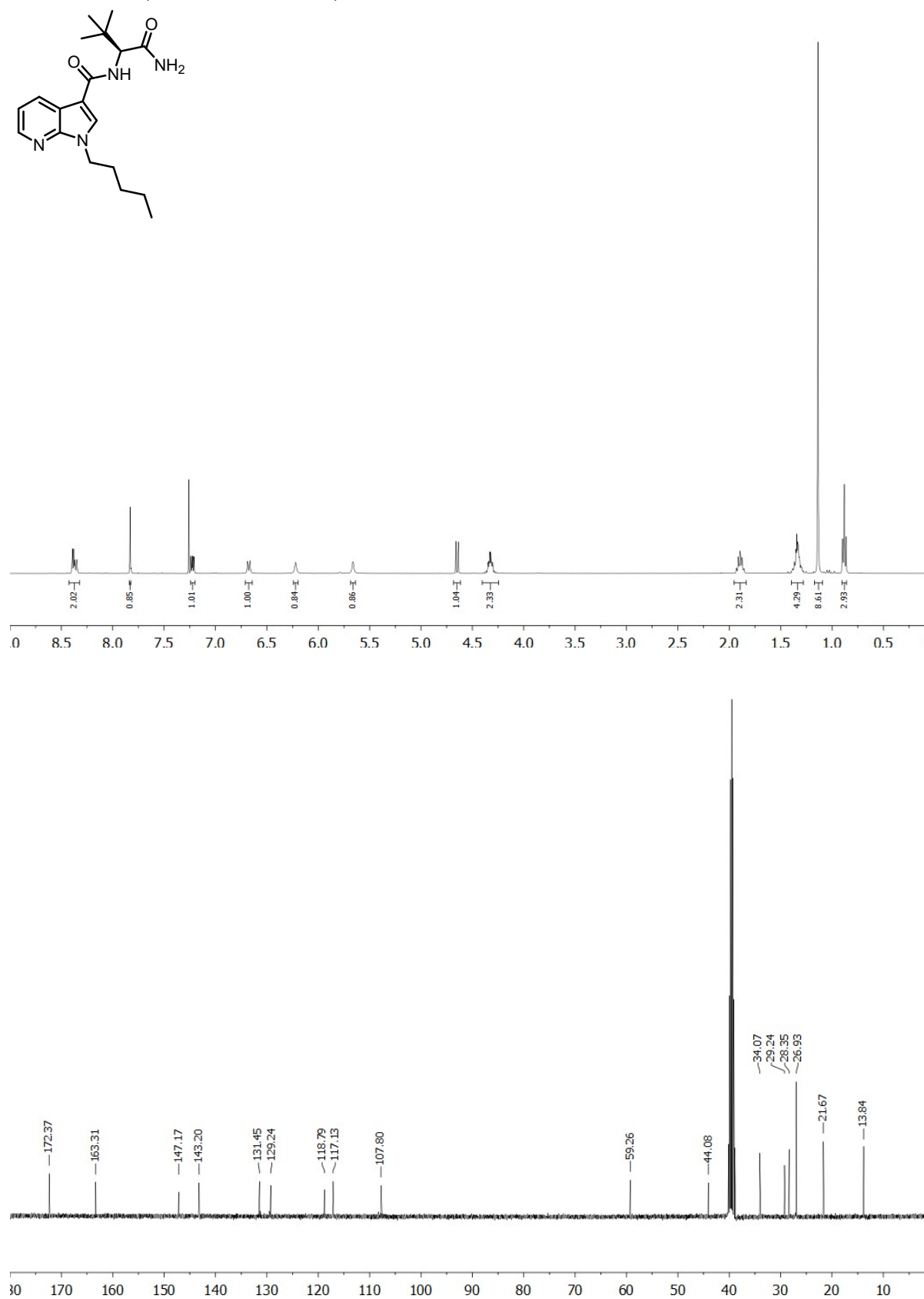


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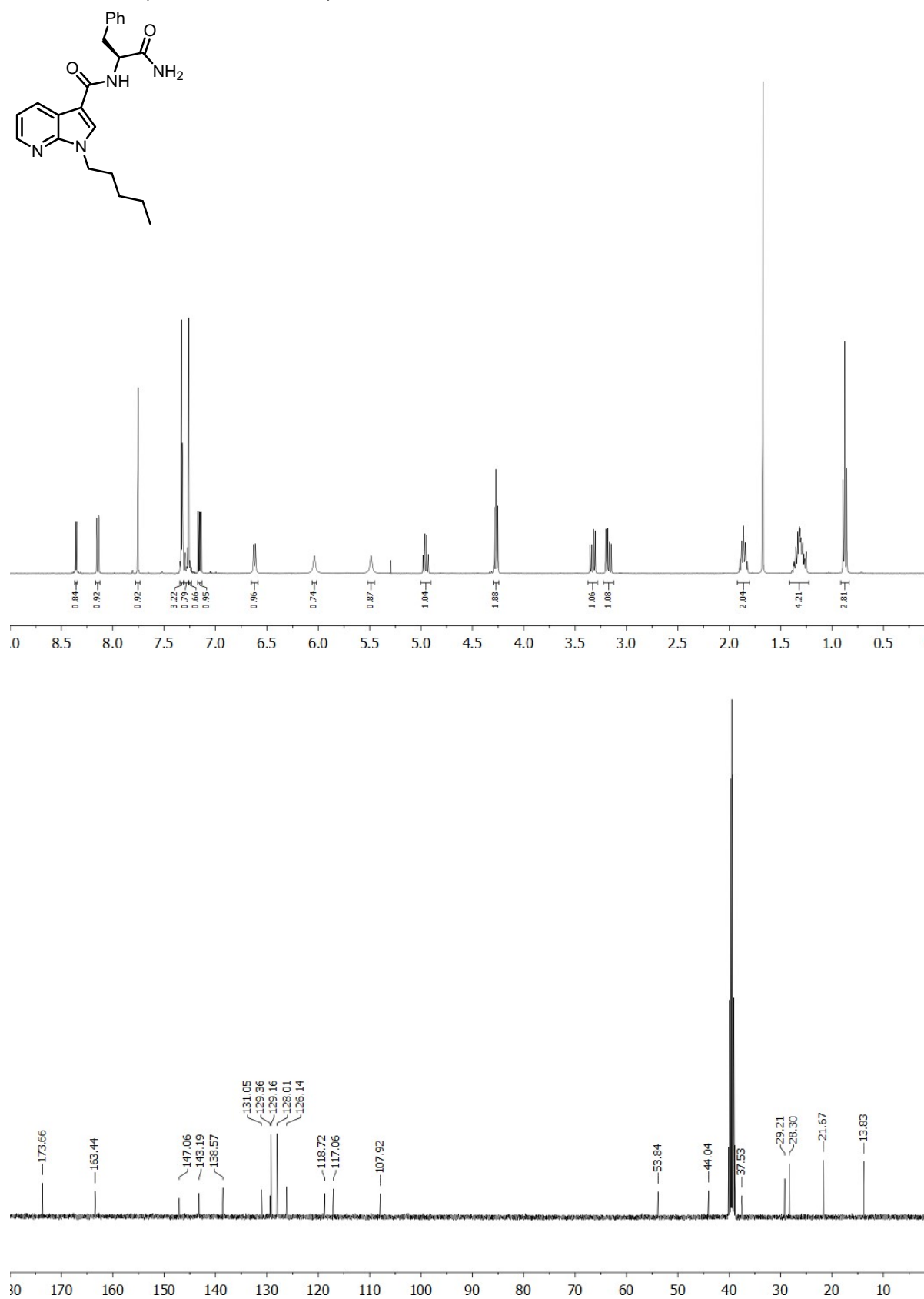


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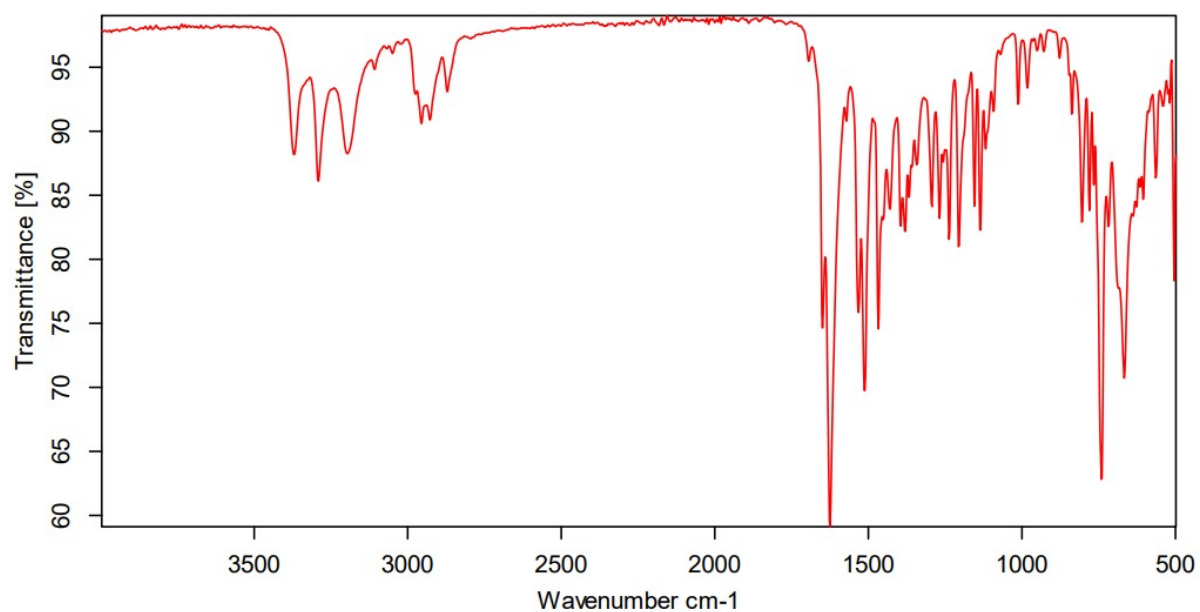


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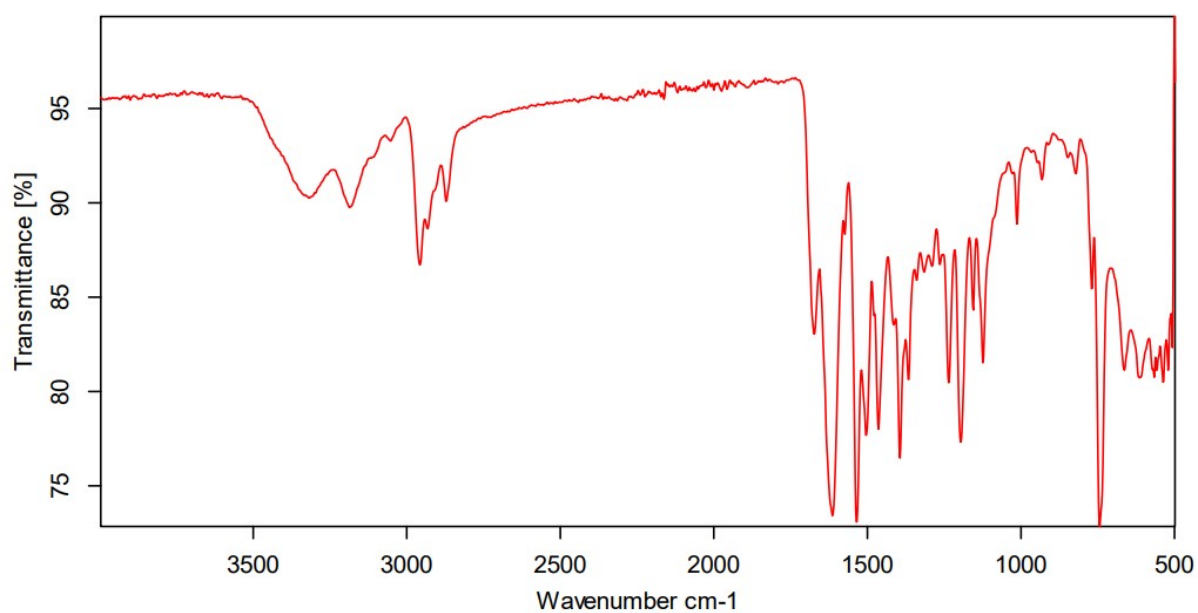


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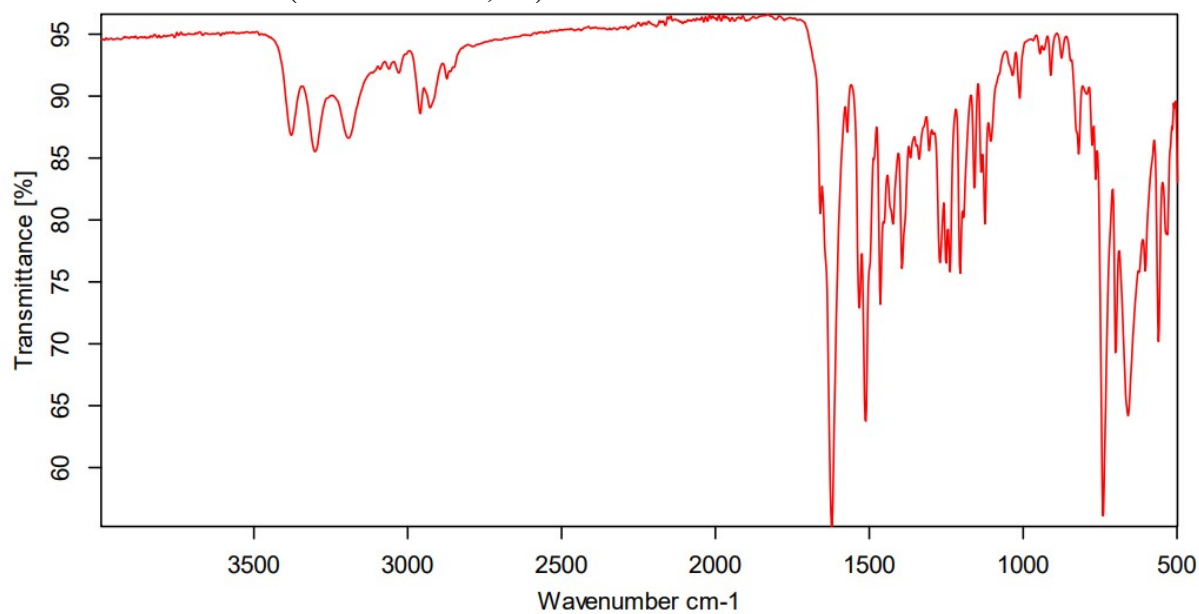


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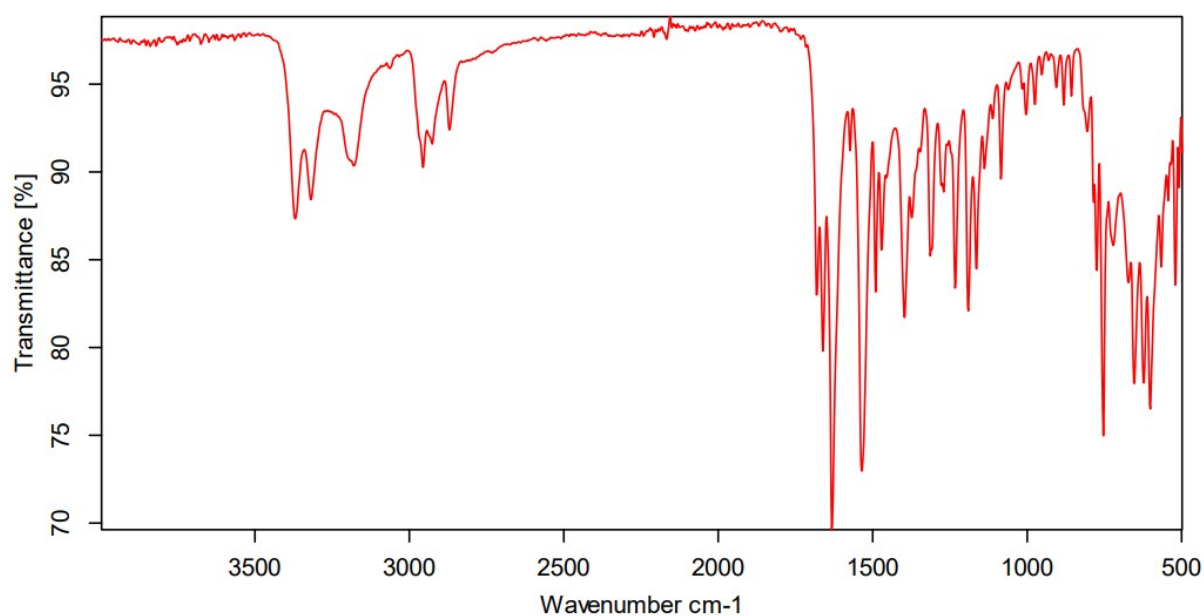


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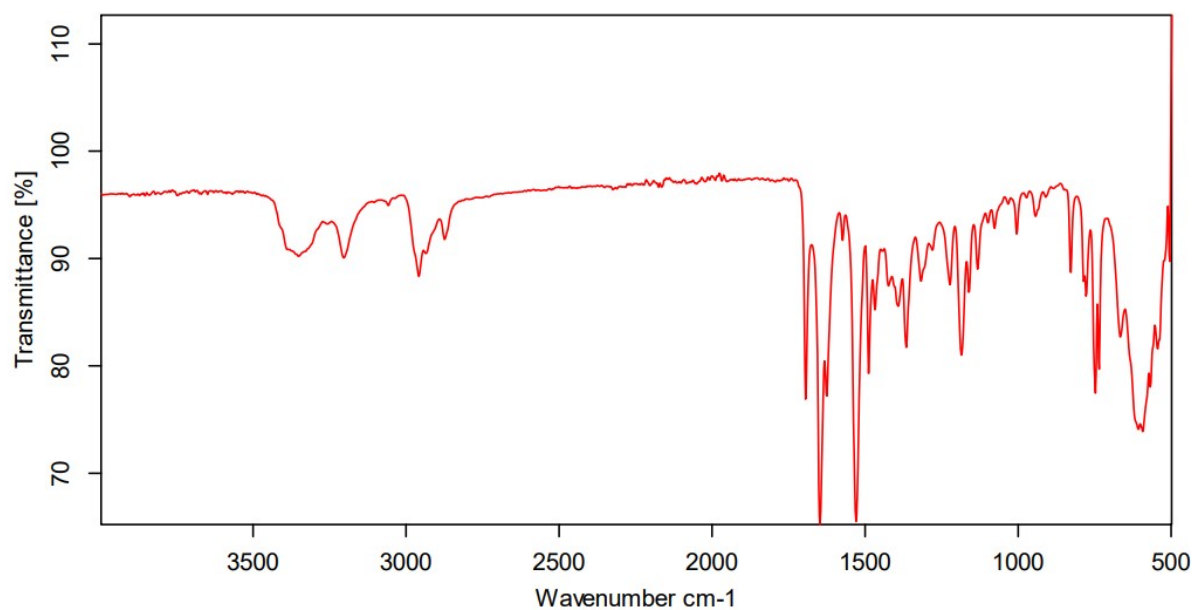


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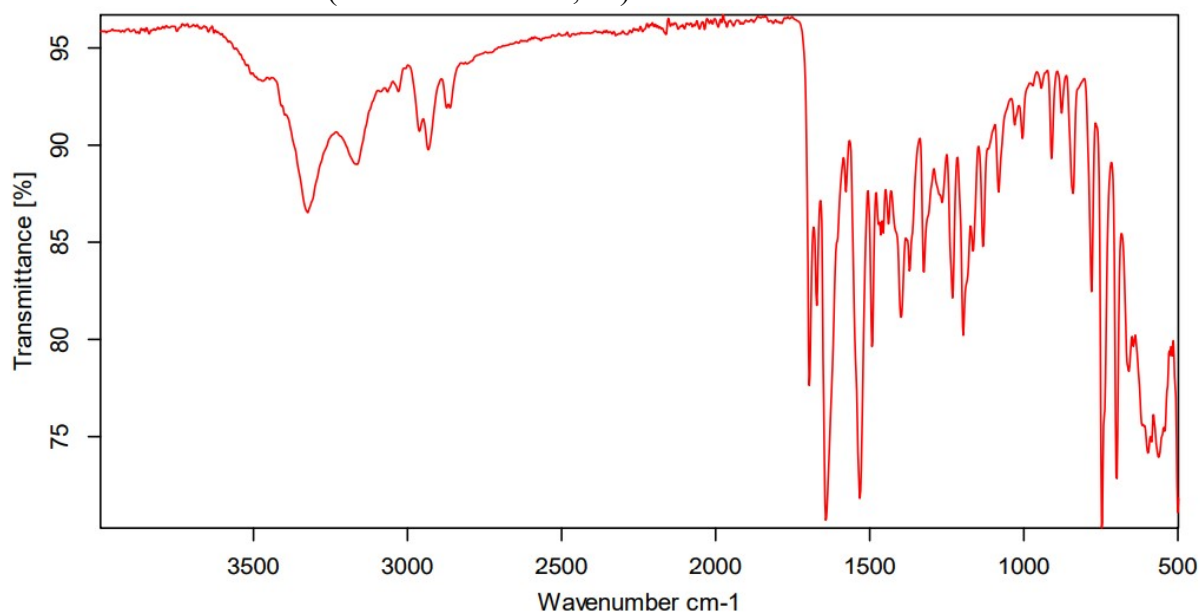


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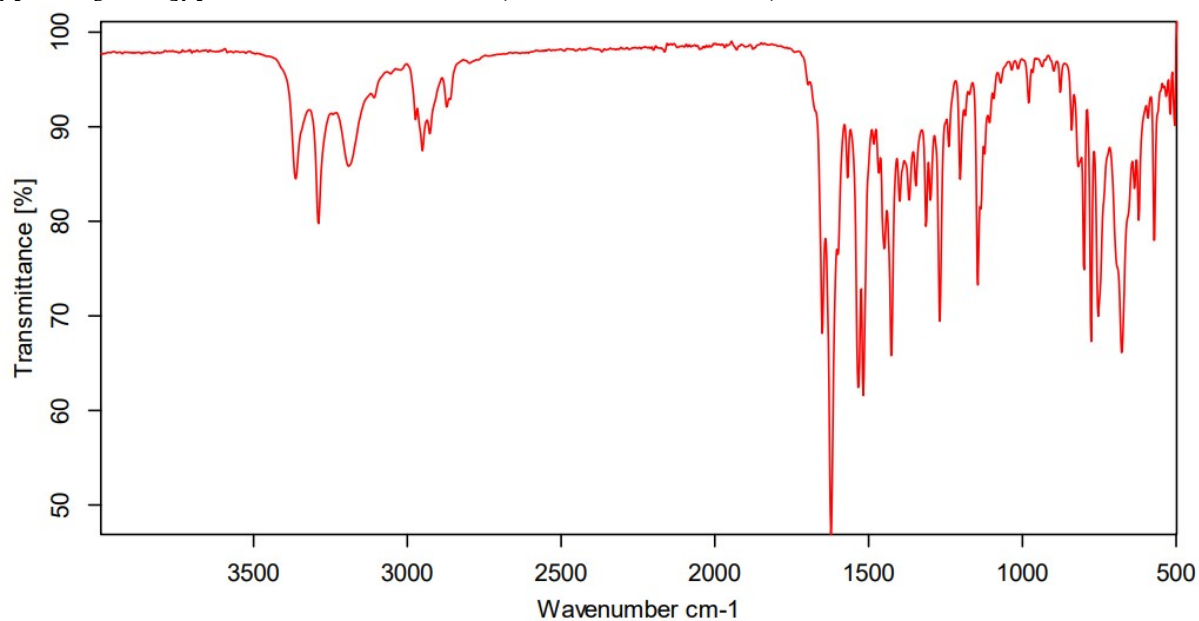


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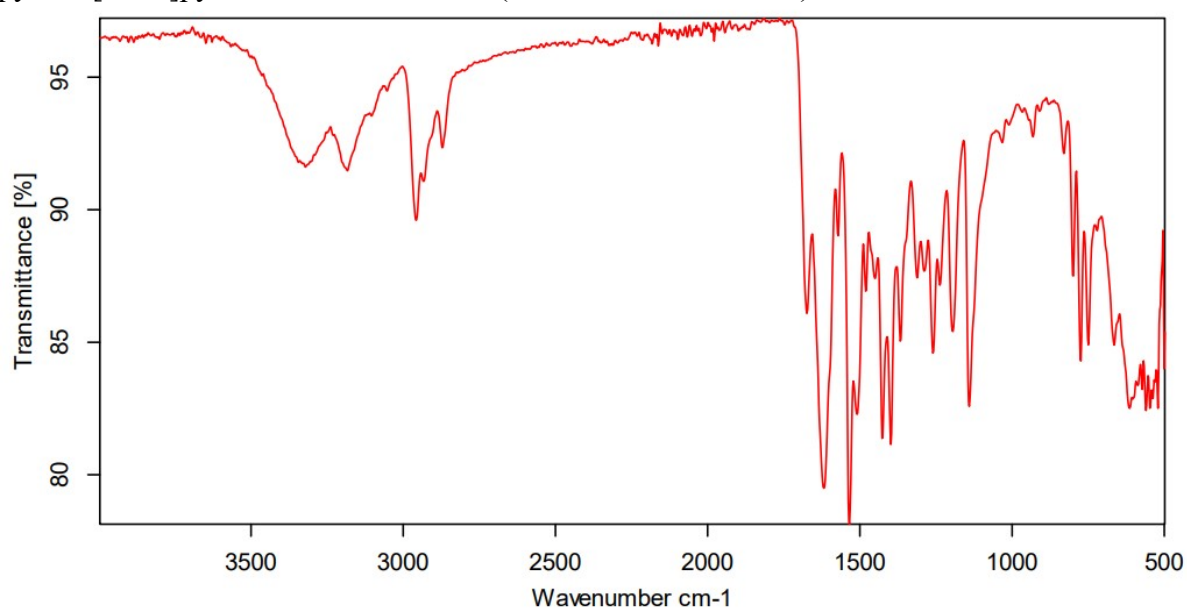


Figure S27. FTIR spectrum for (*S*)-*N*-(1-amino-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1-butyl-1*H*-pyrrolo[2,3-*b*]pyridine-3-carboxamide (APP-BUT7AICA, **17**).

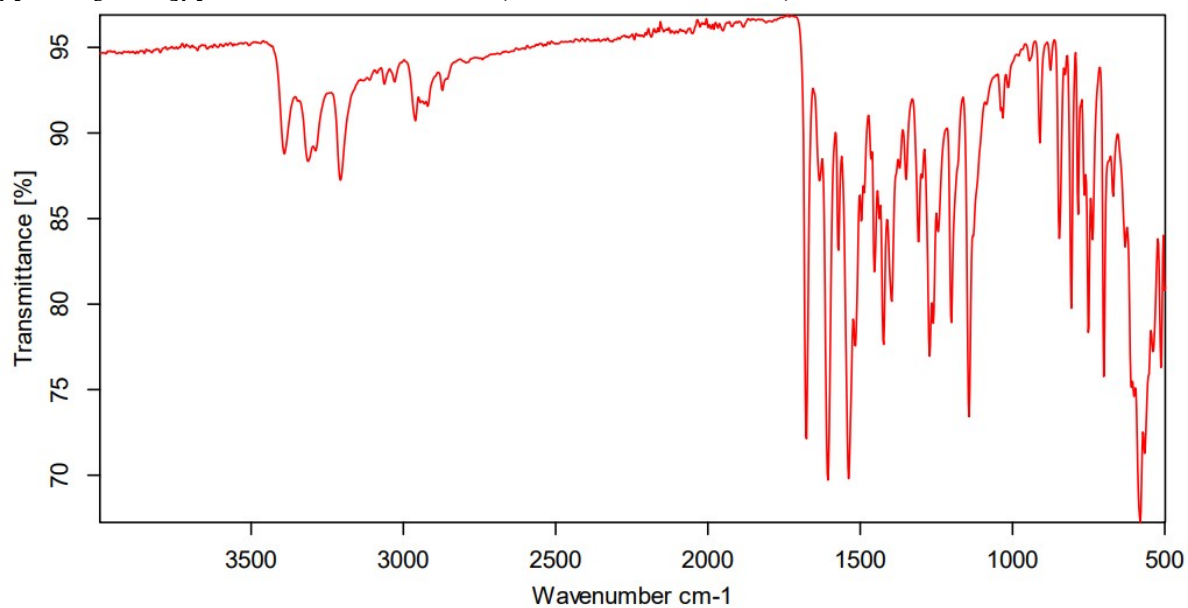


Figure S28. FTIR spectrum for (*S*)-*N*-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1*H*-pyrrolo[2,3-*b*]pyridine-3-carboxamide (AB-P7AICA, **18**).

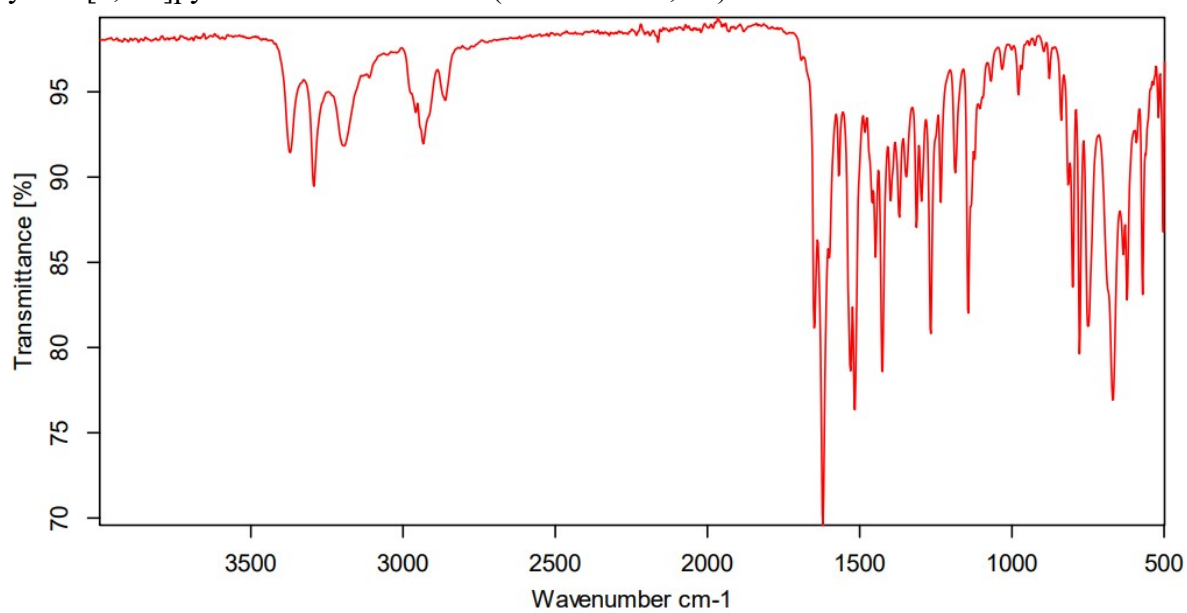


Figure S29. FTIR spectrum for (*S*)-*N*-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1*H*-pyrrolo[2,3-*b*]pyridine-3-carboxamide (ADB-P7AICA, **19**).

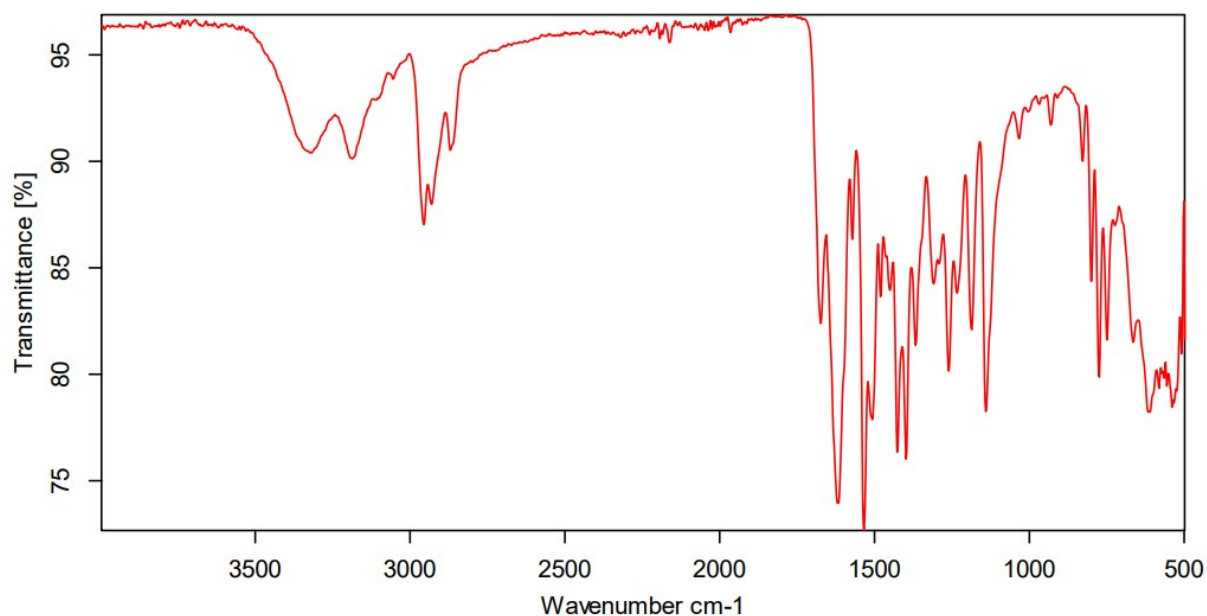


Figure S30. FTIR spectrum for (*S*)-*N*-(1-amino-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1*H*-pyrrolo[2,3-*b*]pyridine-3-carboxamide (APP-P7AICA, **20**).

