Supporting Information for

Visible-light-induced tandem radical addition/cyclization of 2alkenylphenols and CBr₄ for synthesis of 4-arylcoumarins

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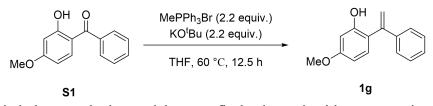
1. General information

Unless otherwise noted, materials were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. All the solvents were treated according to general methods. Flash column chromatography was performed using 200-300 mesh silica gel. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on 400 MHz spectrometers. Chemical shifts were reported on the delta (δ) scale in parts per million (ppm) relative to the singlet (0 ppm) for tetramethylsilane (TMS). Data are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, dd = doublet of doublets, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz) and integration. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded at 100 MHz with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to the central line of the triplet at 77.0 ppm for CDCl₃. ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded on 376 MHz with complete proton decoupling spectrophotometers. The high resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were measured on Bruker micrOTOF-II mass spectrometer by ESI. IR spectra were recorded on an IR spectrophotometer.

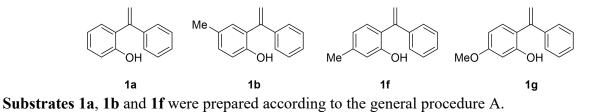
2. Preparation of substrates

Materials: The hydroxystyrenes^{[1][2]} were prepared according to the reported methods. Tetrabromomethane are commercially available. Anhydrous solvent (THF, DCM, MeCN, DMF and Toluene) were taken from JC-Meyer solvent purification system.

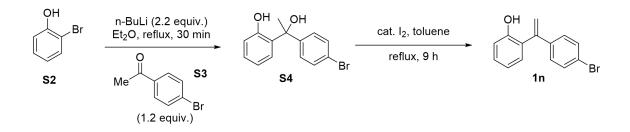
General Procedure A:



To an oven-dried three-necked round bottom flask charged with a magnetic stir-bar was added methyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (7.86 g, 22 mmol), KO'Bu (2.50 g, 22 mmol) and THF (50 mL) at room temperature. The resulting yellow mixture was stirred for 1 h at room temperature. A solution of 2-hydroxy-4-methoxybenzophenone (2.28 g, 10 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added at 0 °C and the reaction mixture was heated at 60 °C for 12.5 h. Sat. NH₄Cl aq. was added and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate three times. The combined organic layer was washed with water and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford **1** g as a yellow oil.

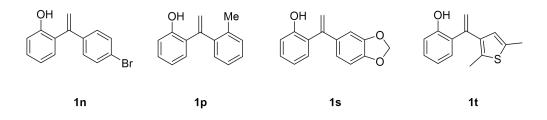






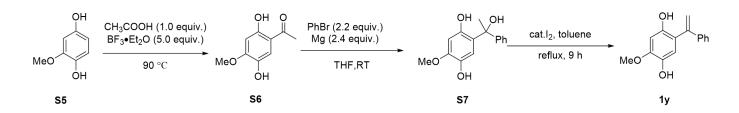
To a stirred solution of n-butyllithium (2.4 M sol. in hexane, 9.2 ml, 22 mmol) in Et₂O (50 mL) was added 2-bromophenol (1.05 ml, 15.0 mmol) at 0 $^{\circ}$ C. The resulting solution was heated at reflux for 30 min. A solution of 4'-bromoacetophenone (2.38 g, 12 mmol) in Et₂O (10 ml) was added slowly at 0 $^{\circ}$ C, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for overnight. Sat. NH₄Cl aq. was added and the reaction

mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate three times. The combined organic layer was washed with water and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford a crude product, which was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =20:1) to afford **S4** as a white solid. Then an oven-dried two-necked round bottom flask charged with a magnetic stir-bar was added **S4**, Iodine (7.9 mg, 0.031 mmol) and Toluene (10 mL) at room temperature, The resulting solution was heated at reflux for 9 h. The reaction mixture was cooled and washed with sat. Na₂S₂O₃ aq. twice and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. After removal of solvent under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =10:1) to afford **1n** as a yellow oil.



Substrates 1p, 1s and 1t were prepared according to the general procedure B.

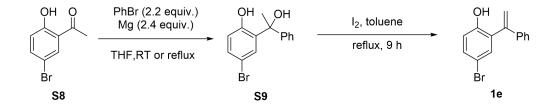
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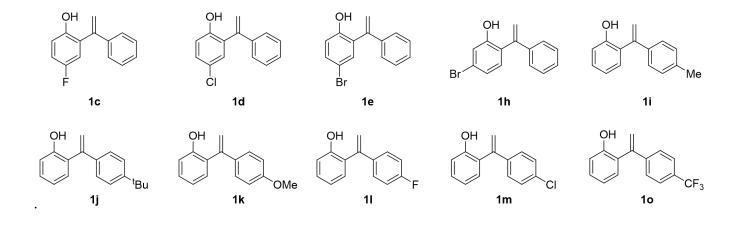
A mixture of the 2-methoxybenzene-1,4-diol (1.4 g, 10 mmol), acetic acid (0.6 mL, 10 mmol) and BF₃.Et₂O (50 mmol) was stirred at 90 °C for 90 min. The crude compounds were purified by column chromatography on silica gel using hexanes : AcOEt (10:1) to yield **S6** as a yellow solid. Then to magnesium turning (584 mg, 24 mmol) in THF (20 ml) was added dropwise bromobenzene (2.3 mL, 22 mmol), 2-Hydroxyacetophenone (1.2 mL, 10 mmol) was added to the resulting solution at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was warmed to room temperature and stirred overnight.Sat. NH₄Cl aq. was added and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate three times. The combined organic layer was washed with water and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford a crude product, which was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =20:1) to afford **S7** as a white solid. Then an oven-dried two-necked round bottom flask charged with a magnetic stir-bar was added **S7**, Iodine (7.9 mg, 0.031 mmol) and Toluene (10 mL) at room

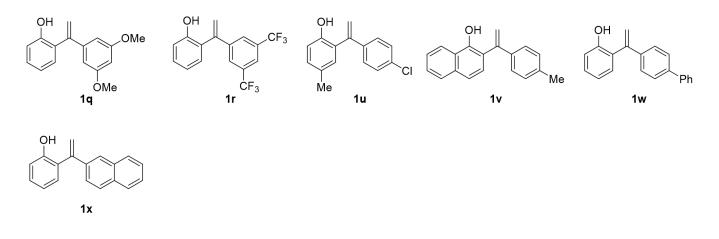
temperature, The resulting solution was heated at reflux for 9 h. The reaction mixture was cooled and washed with sat. Na₂S₂O₃ aq. twice and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. After removal of solvent under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =10:1) to afford **1y** as a white solid.^[3]

General Procedure D:



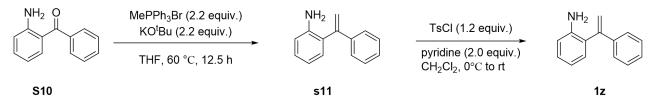
To magnesium turning (584 mg, 24 mmol) in THF (20 ml) was added dropwise bromobenzene (2.3 mL, 22 mmol), 1-(5-bromo-2-hydroxyphenyl)ethan-1-one (2.2 g, 10 mmol) was added to the resulting solution at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was warmed to room temperature and stirred overnight.Sat. NH₄Cl aq. was added and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate three times. The combined organic layer was washed with water and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford a crude product, which was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =20:1) to afford **S9** as a white solid. Then an oven-dried two-necked round bottom flask charged with a magnetic stir-bar was added **S9**, iodine (7.9 mg, 0.031 mmol) and Toluene (10 mL) at room temperature, The resulting solution was heated at reflux for 9 h. The reaction mixture was cooled and washed with sat. Na₂S₂O₃ aq. twice and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. After removal of solvent under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =10:1) to afford **1e** as a yellow oil.





Substrates 1c, 1d, 1h, 1i, 1j, 1k, 1l, 1m, 1o, 1q, 1r, 1u, 1v, 1w, and 1x were prepared according to the general procedure D

General Procedure E^[4]:



To an oven-dried three-necked round bottom flask charged with a magnetic stir-bar was added methyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (7.86 g, 22 mmol), KO'Bu (2.50 g, 22 mmol) and THF (50 mL) at room temperature. The resulting yellow mixture was stirred for 1 h at room temperature. A solution of (2-aminophenyl)(phenyl)methanone (1.97 g, 10 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added at 0 °C and the reaction mixture was heated at 60 °C for 8 h. Sat. NH₄Cl aq. was added and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate three times. The combined organic layer was washed with water and sat. NaCl aq. and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to afford a crude product, which was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes : AcOEt =20:1) to afford **S11** as a white solid. To a solution of 2-(1-phenylvinyl)aniline (1.36 g, 7 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (50 mL) were added pyridine (1.10 g, 14 mmol) and TsCl (1.43 g, 8.4 mmol) at 0 °C. After being stirred at 25 °C overnight, the reaction mixture was poured into water and the product was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (3 times), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated by rotary evaporation. The crude mixture was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 10/1) to afford the corresponding product **1z** as a white solid. References:

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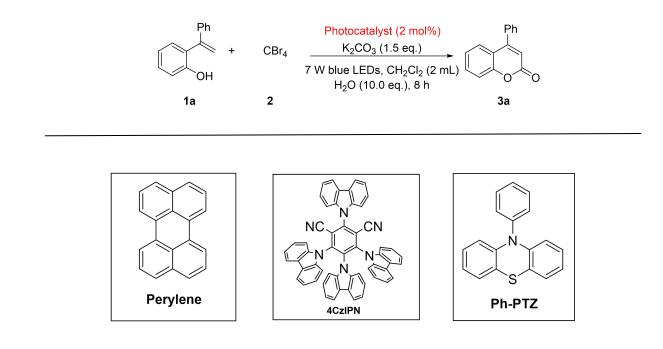
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3. Optimization studies

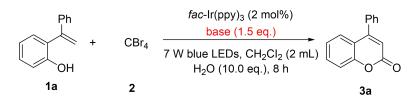
3.1 Screening of photocatalysts^[a]



Entry	Photocatalyst Yield (%) ^[b]	
1	<i>fac</i> -Ir(ppy) ₃	87
2	[Ir(ppy) ₂ (dtbbpy)]PF ₆	60
3	Ru(bpy) ₃ Cl ₂ · 6H ₂ O	67
4	Perylene (5 mol%)	NR
5	4CzIPN	18
6	Ph-PTZ ^[c]	68

[a] Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2** (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), photocatalyst (0.02 mmol, 2.0 mol %), H₂O (1.0 mmol, 10.0 equiv.), K₂CO₃ (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), CH₂Cl₂ (2.0 mL), rt, 8 h, irradiation with 7 W blue LEDs. [b] Yields determined by ¹H NMR using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as the internal standard. [c] Under the irradiation of 2 x 3 W purple LEDs.

3.2 Screening of base^[a]

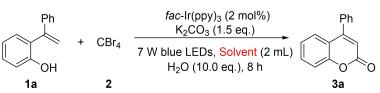


Entry	Base	Yield (%) ^[b]	Entry	Base	Yield (%) ^[b]
1	Na ₂ CO ₃	55	8	<i>i</i> Pr ₂ NH	38
2	K ₂ CO ₃	87	9	DBU	30
3	Cs ₂ CO ₃	74	10	TMG	50

4	NaOH	16	11	DMAP	60
5	Na ₂ HPO ₄	55	12	DABCO	66
6	NaOAc	76	13	NEt ₃	50
7	K ₃ PO ₄	71	14	4-Methylmorpholine	52

[a] Reaction conditions: 1a (0.1 mmol), 2 (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (0.02 mmol, 2.0 mol %), H₂O (1.0 mmol, 10 equiv.) base (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), CH₂Cl₂ (2.0 mL), rt, 8 h, irradiation with 7 W blue LEDs. [b] Yields determined by ¹H NMR using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as the internal standard.

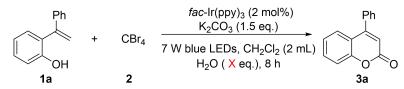
3.3 Screening of the solvent^[a]



Entry	Solvent	Yield (%) ^[b]
1	CH ₂ Cl ₂	87
2	CH ₃ CN	32
3	THF	82
4	Toluene	36
5	DMF	81

[a] Reaction conditions: 1a (0.1 mmol), 2 (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (0.02 mmol, 2.0 mol %), H₂O (1.0 mmol, 10 equiv.) K₂CO₃ (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), solvent (2.0 mL), rt, 8 h, irradiation with 7 W blue LEDs. [b] Yields determined by ¹H NMR using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as the internal standard.

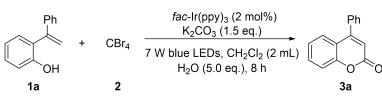
3.4 Screening of the ratio of H₂O^[a]



Entry	H ₂ O (X eq.)	Yield (%) ^[b]
1	1	50
2	2.5	75
3	5	87
4	10	86

[a] Reaction conditions: 1a (0.1 mmol), 2 (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (0.02 mmol, 2.0 mol %), K₂CO₃ (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), CH₂Cl₂ (2.0 mL), rt, 8 h, irradiation with 7 W blue LEDs. [b] Yields determined by ¹H NMR using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as the internal standard.

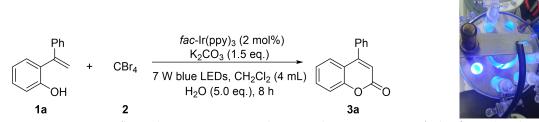
3.5 Control experiments^[a]



Entry ^[a]	Condition	Yield (%) ^[b]
1	-	87 (80) ^[c]
2	No PC	0
3	No light	0
4	No H ₂ O	20
5	No Base	28

[a] Reaction conditions: 1a (0.1 mmol), 2 (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (0.02 mmol, 2.0 mol %), H₂O (0.5mmol, 5 equiv.) K₂CO₃ (0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), CH₂Cl₂ (2.0 mL), rt, 8 h, irradiation with 7 W blue LEDs. [b] Yields determined by ¹H NMR using 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene as the internal standard. [c] Isolated yield.

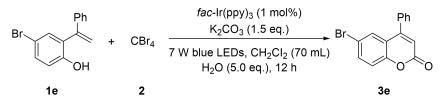
4. Representative procedure for preparation of the products 3



1a (39.3 mg, 0.2 mmol), **2** (99.5 mg, 1.5 eq.), H₂O (18 μ L, 5.0 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (2.6 mg, 2.0 mol%), K₂CO₃ (41.5 mg, 1.5 eq.) and anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (4.0 mL) were added to a 10 mL Schlenk flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar. The resulting mixture was degassed by a "freeze-pump-thaw" procedure (3 times) under argon atmosphere. Then the solution was stirred at a distance of ca. 5 cm from a 7 W blue LEDs. Upon the completion of reaction as monitored by TLC, the solvent was removed by vacuum and the crude reaction mixture was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (silica: 200 – 300; eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (20 : 1 – 10 : 1) to provide the pure product **3a** as a white solid.

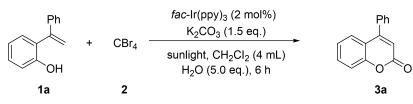
5. Synthetic application

5.1 Gram-scale reaction



1e (2.0 g, 7.2 mmol), 2 (3.6 g, 1.5 eq.), H₂O (6.5 mL, 5.0 eq.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (46.8 mg, 1.0 mol%), K₂CO₃ (1.6 mg, 1.5 eq.) and anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (70.0 mL) were added to a 100 mL Schlenk flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar. The resulting mixture was degassed by a "freeze-pump-thaw" procedure (3 times) under argon atmosphere. Then the solution was stirred at a distance of ca. 5 cm from a 7 W blue LEDs. Upon the completion of reaction as monitored by TLC, the solvent was removed by vacuum and the crude reaction mixture was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (silica: 200 – 300; eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (20 : 1 - 10 : 1) to provide the pure product **3e** (5.8 mmol, 1.74 g) as a white solid in 80 % yield.

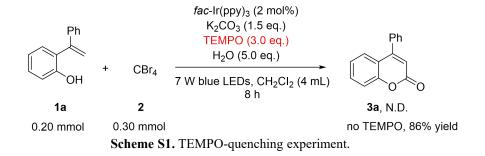
5.2 Sun-light-driven reaction



1a (39.3 mg, 0.2 mmol), **2** (99.5 mg, 1.5 eq.), H₂O (18 μ L, 5.0 equiv.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (2.6 mg, 2.0 mol%), K₂CO₃ (41.5 mg, 1.5 eq.) and anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (4.0 mL) were added to a 10 mL Schlenk flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar. The resulting mixture was degassed by a "freeze-pump-thaw" procedure (3 times) under argon atmosphere. Then the solution was stirring under sun light for 6 h. Upon the completion of reaction as monitored by TLC, the solvent was removed by vacuum and the crude reaction mixture was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (silica: 200–300; eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (20 : 1–10 : 1) to provide the pure product **3a** as a white solid in 72% yield.

6. Mechanistic Studies

6.1 TEMPO-quenching experiment



In the presence of stoichiometric radical quenchers, such as TEMPO, significant inhibition of the reactivity was observed, which supports that the process involves radical steps. (Scheme S1)

6.2 Luminescence quenching experiment

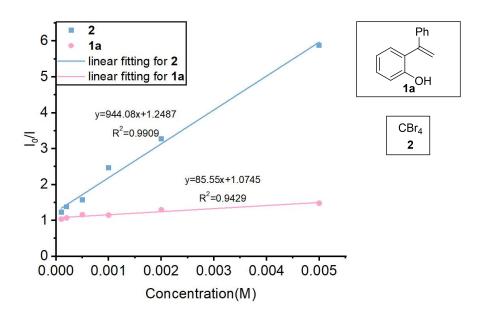
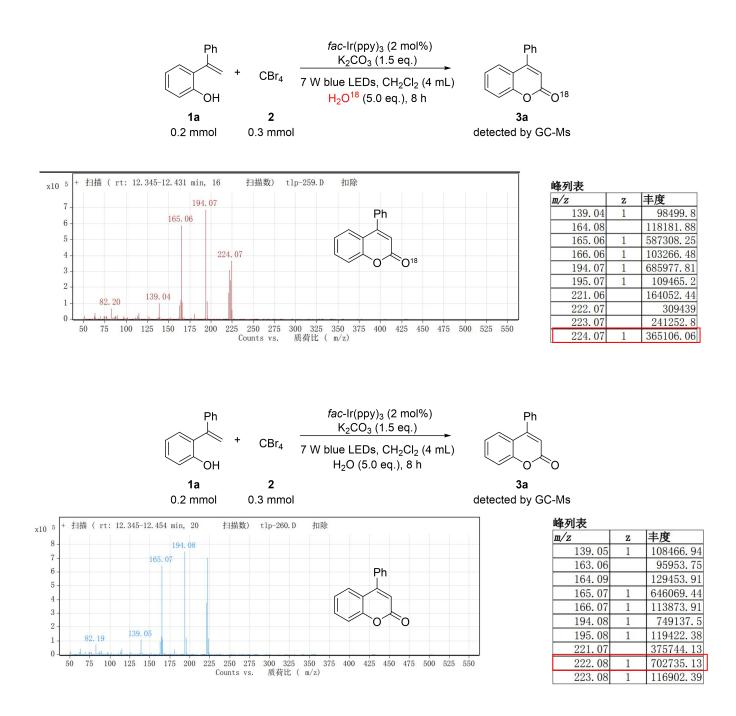


Figure S1. *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ emission quenching by 1a and 2.

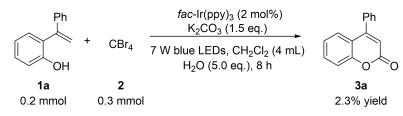
Fluorescence spectra was collected on Agilent Fluorescence Spectrophotometer G9800AS24 for all experiments. All *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ solutions were excited at 350 nm and the emission intensity was collected at 510 nm. In a typical experiment, the emission spectrum of a 1×10^{-5} M solution of *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ in CH₂Cl₂ was collected. The significant decrease of *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ luminescence could be observed in the presence of substrate **2**. And a slightly decrease of *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ luminescence was observed in the presence of substrate **1a**. (Figure S1).

6.3¹⁸O-Labeling experiments reaction



When 5.0 equiv of $H_2^{18}O$ was added to the standard reaction system, a large portion of ¹⁸O from water was successfully introduced into the product.

6.4 Determination of quantum yield



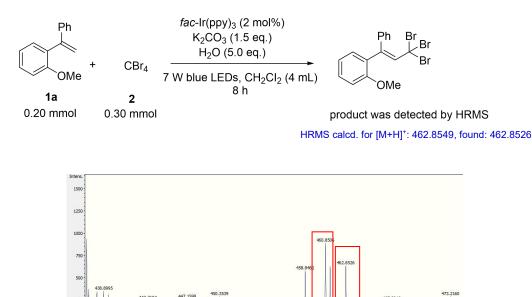
A cuvette was charged with **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 eq.), **2** (0.3 mmol, 1.5 eq.), *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (2.6 mg, 2.0 mol%), K₂CO₃ (41.5 mg, 1.5 eq.) and anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (4.0 mL). The sample was irradiated (λ =455 nm, slit width = 3.0 mm, slit height 5.0 mm with intensity of 3.572 mW • cm⁻²) for 11700 s (3 h 15 min). After irradiation, the yield of product formed was determined by ¹H NMR based on a 1,3,5-trimethoxybenzene standard. The quantum yield was determined as follows.

ϕ = Mole number for product/Mole number for absorption of photons = 0.193

$$\Phi = \frac{nN_A/t}{f P \lambda/hc}$$

n: the mole number of the product **3a**; t: reaction time (11700 s); NA: 6.02×10^{23} /mol; f: 1-10^{-A} (455 nm, A= 0.23); P: P=E*S (E: illumination intensity, E= 3.572 mW/cm²; S: the area that irradiated S= 0.15 cm²); λ : wavelength ($\lambda = 4.55 \times 10^{-7}$ m); h: planck constant (h = 6.626×10^{-34} J*s); c: velocity of light (c = 3×10^8 m/s).

6.5 Monitoring of intermediates



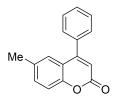
7. Spectral data of products

4-Phenyl-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁴ (3a)



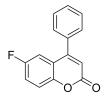
35.6 mg, white solid, yield: 80%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.58 - 7.49 (m, 5H), 7.47 - 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.8, 155.7, 154.2, 135.2, 131.9, 129.7, 128.9, 128.4, 127.0, 124.2, 119.0, 117.3, 115.2 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₁₀O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 223.0754, found: 223.0751.

6-Methyl-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁴ (3b)



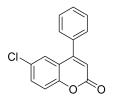
30.8 mg, white solid, yield: 64%. ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.55 - 7.52 (m, 3H), 7.46 - 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.36 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (s, 1H), 6.35 (s, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9, 155.6, 152.2, 135.3, 133.8, 132.9, 129.5, 128.8, 128.4, 126.6, 118.6, 117.0, 115.1, 20.9. **HRMS** (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 237.0910, found: 237.0904.

6-fluoro-4-phenyl-2H-chromen-2-one² (3c)



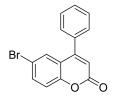
43.2 mg, white solid, yield: 90%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.56 - 7.53 (m, 3H), 7.47 - 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.41 - 7.38 (m, 1H), 7.30 - 7.25 (m, 1H),7.18 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 6.43 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.3, 158.6 (d, J = 242.2 Hz), 154.7 (d, J = 2.5 Hz), 150.2 (d, J = 1.8 Hz), 134.6, 129.9, 129.0, 128.2, 119.9 (d, J = 8.6 Hz), 119.3 (d, J = 24.2 Hz), 118.8 (d, J = 8.4 Hz), 116.0, 112.5 (d, J = 25.1 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -116.9. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉FO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 241.0659, found: 241.0653.

6-Chloro-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-2-one² (3d)



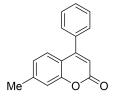
42.5 mg, white solid, yield: 83%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.58 - 7.55 (m, 3H), 7.51 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.46 - 7.43 (m, 3H), 7.36 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.0 , 154.6, 152.5, 134.4, 131.8, 130.0, 129.6, 129.1, 128.3, 126.3, 120.1, 118.7, 116.1 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉ClO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 257.0363, found: 257.0361.

6-bromo-4-phenyl-2H-chromen-2-one² (3e)



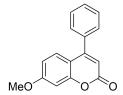
52.4 mg, white solid, yield: 87%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.65 - 7.62(m, 1H), 7.60 - 7.55 (m, 4H), 7.45 - 7.42(m, 2H), 7.31 - 7.27, (m, 1H), 6.40 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 159.9, 154.4, 153.0, 134.7, 134.5, 130.00, 129.3, 129.1, 128.3, 120.6, 119.0, 117.00, 116.1. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉BrO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 300.9858, found: 300.9859.

7-Methyl-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-2-one² (3f)



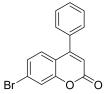
31.8 mg, white solid, yield: 66%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.53 – 7.51 (m, 3H), 7.46 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (s, 1H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 6.31 (s, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 161.0 , 155.6 , 154.2 , 143.1 , 135.3 , 129.6 , 128.8 , 128.4 , 126.6 , 125.3 , 117.4 , 116.5 , 113.9 , 21,6 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 237.0910, found: 237.0902.

7-Methoxy-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁴ (3g)



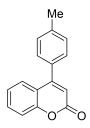
29.1 mg, white solid, yield: 58%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.53 - 7.50 (m, 3H), 7.46 - 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.39 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (dd, J = 8.9, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.22 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 162.7, 161.3, 155.9, 155.8, 135.5, 129.6, 128.8, 128.4, 128.0, 112.3, 111.8, 101.0, 55.8 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₃ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 253.0859, found: 253.0855.

7-bromo-4-phenyl-2H-chromen-2-one² (3h)



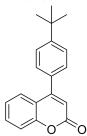
45.1 mg, white solid, yield: 75%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.55 – 7.52(m, 3H), 7.45 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.36 (S, 2H), 6.38 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 159.9, 155.1, 154.4, 134.7, 129.9, 129.0, 128.3, 128.0, 127.5, 125.9, 120.5, 118.0, 115.2. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉BrO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 300.9858, found: 300.9858.

4-(*p*-Tolyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁵ (3i)



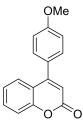
42.9 mg, white solid, yield: 91%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.57 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.40 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.23 (td, J = 7.6, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.37 (s, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9, 155.7, 154.2, 139.9, 132.3, 131.8, 129.5, 128.4, 127.0, 124.1, 119.0, 117.3, 114.9, 21.3 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 237.0910, found: 237.0904.

4-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-2H-chromen-2-one² (3j)



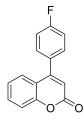
46.7 mg, white solid, yield: 84%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.59 – 7.53 (m, 4H), 7.40 – 7.42 (m, 3H), 7.26 – 7.22(m, 1H), 6.38 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9 , 155.7 , 154.2 , 153.0 , 132.2 , 131.8 , 128.2 , 127.1 , 125.8 , 124.1 , 119.0 , 117.3 , 114.9 , 34.8 , 31.2 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₉H₁₈O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 279.1379, found: 279.1375.

4-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁴ (3k)



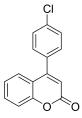
40.9 mg, white solid, yield: 81%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.57 - 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.43 - 7.40 (m, 3H), 7.23 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.36 (s, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9, 160.8, 155.3, 154.2, 131.8, 129.9, 127.4, 127.0, 124.1, 119.1, 117.3, 114.6, 114.3, 55.4 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₃ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 253.0859, found: 253.0856.

4-(4-fluorophenyl)-2H-chromen-2-one² (3l)



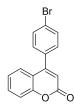
45.6 mg, white solid, yield: 95%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.60 - 7.55 (m, 3H), 7.48 - 7.44 (m, 4H), 7.28 - 7.22 (m, 3H), 6.37 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 163.5 (d, J = 248.6 Hz), 160.6, 154.6, 154.1, 132.1, 131.1 (d, J = 3.2 Hz), 130.4 (d, J = 8.4 Hz), 126.7, 124.3, 118.8, 117.4, 116.1(d, J = 21.7 Hz), 115.3. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -110.8 .**HRMS** (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉F₁O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 241.0659, found: 241.0651.

4-(4-chlorophenyl)-2H-chromen-2-one² (3m)



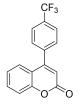
42.1 mg, white solid, yield: 82%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.60 – 7.56 (m, 1H), 7.53 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.40(m, 4H), 7.24 – 7.29(m, 1H), 6.37 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.5 , 154.4 , 154.1 , 135.9 , 133.5 , 132.1 , 129.8 , 129.1 , 126.6 , 124.3 , 118.6 , 117.4 , 115.3 . HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉ClO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 257.0363, found: 257.0362.

4-(4-Bromophenyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one⁸ (3n)



57.3 mg, pale yellow solid, yield: 95%. ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.68 (dd, J = 8.5, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.45 - 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.35 - 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.27 - 7.23 (m, 1H), 6.36 (s, 1H). ¹³**C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.4 , 154.4 , 154.1 , 134.0 , 132.2 , 132.1 , 130.0 , 126.6 , 124.3 , 124.1 , 118.5 , 117.4 , 115.3 . **HRMS** (ESI) for: C₁₅H₉BrO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 300.9859, found: 300.9859.

4-(4-Trifluoromethylphenyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one¹ (30)



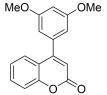
45.9 mg, white solid, yield: 79%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.82 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 3H), 7.42 (dd, J = 16.8, 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.2, 154.1, 138.7, 132.3, 131.8 (q, J = 34 Hz), 128.9, 126.5, 125.9 (q, J = 3.9 Hz), 124.4, 123.7 (q, J = 273 Hz), 118.4, 117.5, 115.8. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -62.80. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₉F₃O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 291.0627, found: 291.0625.

4-(o-tolyl)-2H-chromen-2-one⁶ (3p)



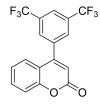
37.8 mg, pale red oil, yield: 80%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.56-7.52 (m, 1H), 7.43-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.18 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.26-7.06 (m, 1H), 6.33 (s, 1H), 2.16 (s, 3H) . ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.8, 156.1, 153.8, 135.3, 134.7, 131.9, 130.5, 129.2, 128.4, 126.9, 126.1, 124.3, 119.4, 117.1, 115.7, 19.7. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 237.0910, found: 237.0903.

4-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3q)



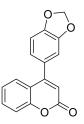
^a 39.6 mg, white solid, yield: 70%, mp 106-109 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.58-7.53 (m, 2H), 7.41 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.22 (m, 1H), 6.60-6.57 (m, 3H), 6.40 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 161.0, 160.8, 155.6, 154.1, 137.0, 131.9, 127.0, 124.2, 118.9, 117.3, 115.0, 106.6, 101.3, 55.5. IR (in KBr): 1730, 1591, 1453, 1379, 1205, 1157, 1062 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₇H₁₄O₄[M + H]⁺: calcd: 283.0964, found:283.0958.

4-(3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3r)



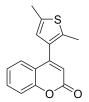
58.1 mg, white solid, yield: 81%, mp 96-99 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.07 (s, 1H), 7.93 (s, 2H), 7.65-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.47 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 2H), 6.44 (s, 1H) . ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 159.7, 154.2, 152.4, 137.2, 132.8, 132.6 (q, J = 33.9 Hz), 128.6, 126.0, 124.8, 123.6 (hept, J = 4.0 Hz), 122.8 (q, J = 271.4 Hz), 118.0, 117.8, 116.6. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -62.8 . **IR** (in KBr): 3632, 3526, 3320, 1730, 1563, 1350, 1239 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) for: $C_{17}H_8F_6O_2$ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 369.0501, found: 369.0496.

4-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-2H-chromen-2-one⁷ (3s)



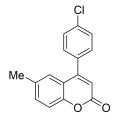
30.5 g, white solid, yield: 56%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.59-7.53 (m, 2H), 7.41 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (s, 2H), 6.94 (d, J = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (s, 1H), 6.08 (s, 2H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.8, 155.2, 154.1, 148.9, 148.0, 131.9, 128.8, 126.9, 124.1, 122.6, 118.9, 117.3, 114.8, 108.8, 108.8, 101.6. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₀O₄ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 267.0651, found: 267.0647.

4-(2,5-dimethylthiophen-3-yl)-2H-chromen-2-one¹ (3t)



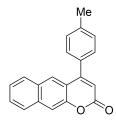
29.3 mg, yellow oil, yield: 57%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm)7.54 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (dd, J = 142.8 Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.22 (m, 1H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 6.29 (s, 1H), 2.48 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9, 154.0, 151.1, 137.3, 136.0, 131.8, 131.4, 127.1, 126.2, 124.1, 119.4, 117.1, 115.7, 15.1, 13.9. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₁₂O₂S [M + H]⁺: calcd: 257.0630, found: 257.0629.

4-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-methyl-2H-chromen-2-one (3u)



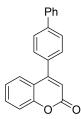
49.3 mg, white solid, yield: 91%, mp 174-177 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.54-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.36(m, 3H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (s, 1H), 6.33 (s, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.8, 154.4, 152.3, 135.9, 134.1, 133.7, 133.2, 129.8, 129.2, 126.4, 118.4, 117.2, 115.4, 21.0, IR (in KBr): 3321, 3195, 1728, 1571, 1399, 1181, 821 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₁ClO₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 271.0520, found: 271.0520.

4-(p-tolyl)-2H-benzo[g]chromen-2-one (3v)



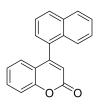
30.3 mg, yellow oil, yield: 53%, mp 136-139 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.64-8.62 (m, 1H), 7.87-7.85 (m, 1H), 7.67-7.64 (m, 2H),7.62 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (q, J = 7.8 Hz, 4H), 6.46 (s, 1H), 2.47 (s, 3H) . ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.9, 156.7, 151.4, 139.8, 134.7, 132.6, 129.5, 128.8, 128.4, 127.6, 127.1, 123.8, 123.3, 122.7, 122.4, 114.3, 114.2, 21.4. IR (in KBr): 1730, 1467, 1369, 1092, 930, 820, 754 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) for: C₂₀H₁₄O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 287.1066, found: 287.1061.

4-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2H-chromen-2-one² (3w)



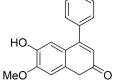
31.1 mg, white solid, yield: 52%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.77-7.75 (m, 2H), 7.68-7.65 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.48 (m, 6H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.26 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 6.44 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.8, 155.3, 154.2, 142.7, 140.0, 134.0, 131.9, 129.0, 127.9, 127.5, 127.1, 127.0, 124.2, 118.9, 117.4, 115.1. HRMS (ESI) for: C₂₁H₁₄O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 299.1066, found: 299.1061.

4-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2H-chromen-2-one² (3x)



28.3 mg, white solid, yield: 52%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm)8.00 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.62-7.51 (m, 4H), 7.46-7.41 (m, 3H), 7.08 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 160.7, 155.2, 153.7, 133.4, 132.7, 132.0, 130.8, 129.7, 128.5, 127.4, 126.9, 126.5, 126.5, 125.3, 125.3, 124.2, 120.0, 117.1, 116.8. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₉H₁₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 273.0910, found: 273.0905.

6-hydroxy-7-methyl-4-phenyl-2H-chromen-2-one³ (3y)



37.3 mg, white solid, yield: 74%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.52-7.50 (m, 3H), 7.44-7.42(m, 2H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 6.25 (s, 1H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 4.00 (s, 3H) . ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 161.5, 155.8, 150.0, 149.3, 142.4, 135.6, 129.5, 128.8, 128.3, 112.5, 112.3, 110.5, 99.6, 56.4, HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₆H₁₂O₄ [M + H]⁺: calcd: 269.0808, found: 269.0804.

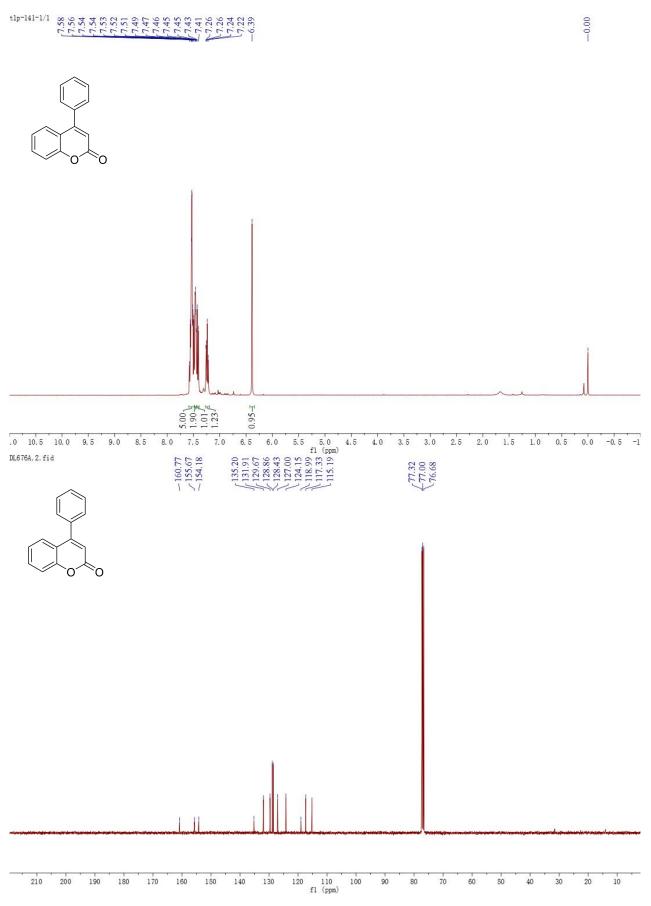
2-bromo-4-phenylquinoline⁹ (3z)



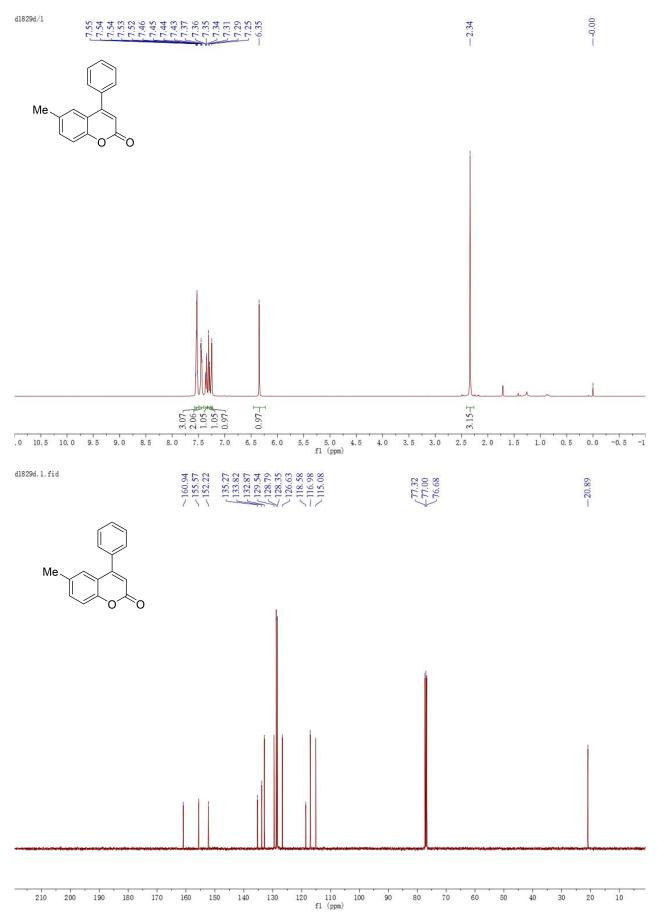
23.6 mg, white solid, yield: 42%. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ (ppm) 8.11 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.88 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.72 (m, 1H), 7.54-7.48 (m,7H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ (ppm) 151.1, 149.0, 141.6, 136.6, 130.4, 129.4, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 127.1, 126.1, 125.5. HRMS (ESI) for: C₁₅H₁₀BrN [M + H]⁺: calcd: 284.0069, found: 284.0074.

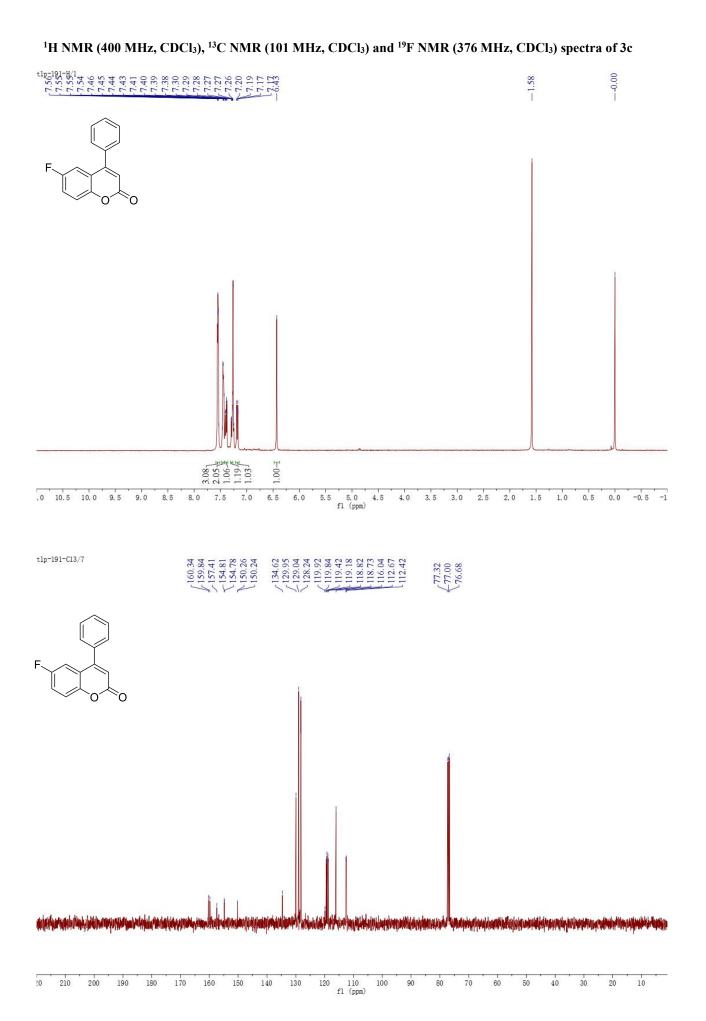
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¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) and ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) spectra of 3a

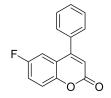


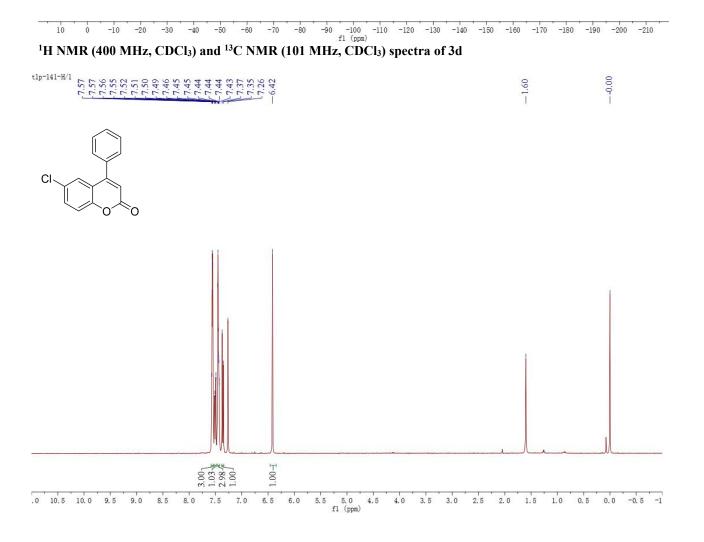
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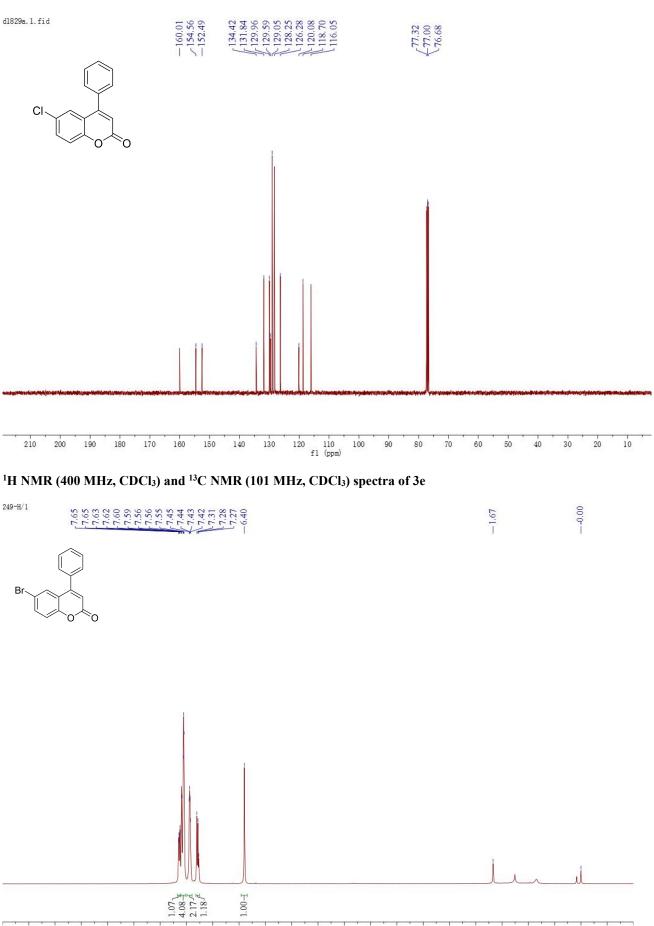




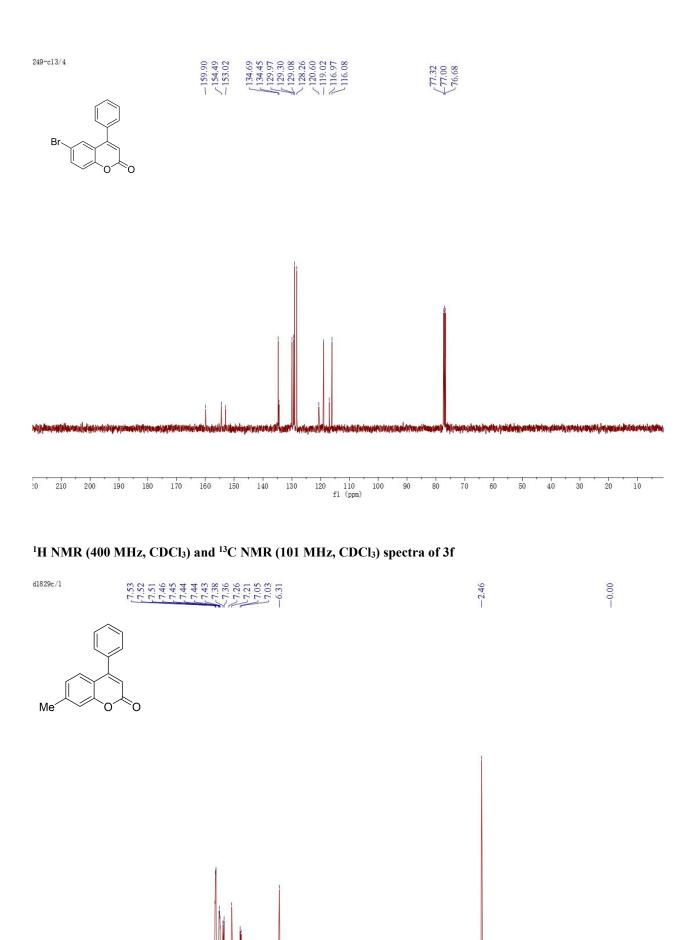
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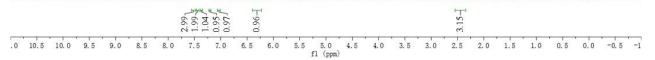


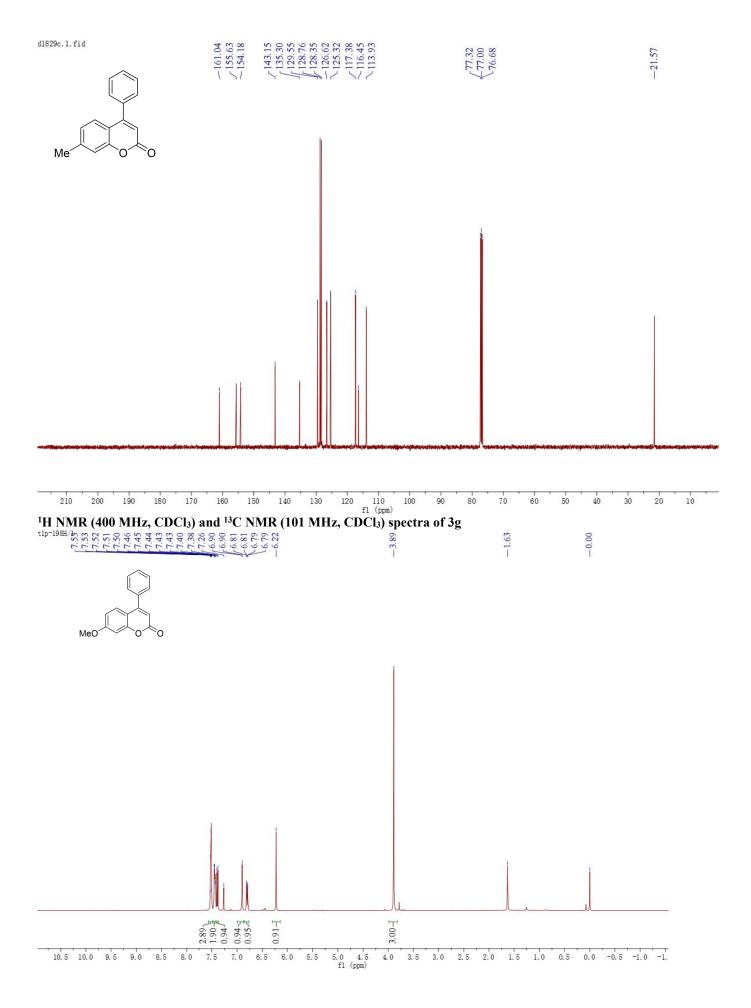


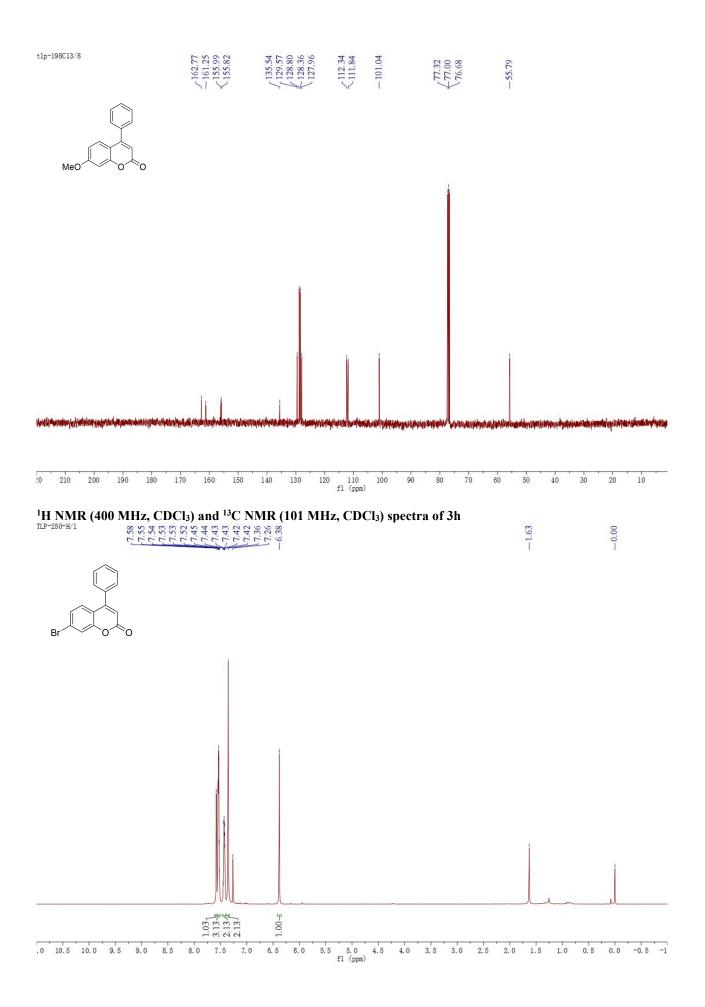


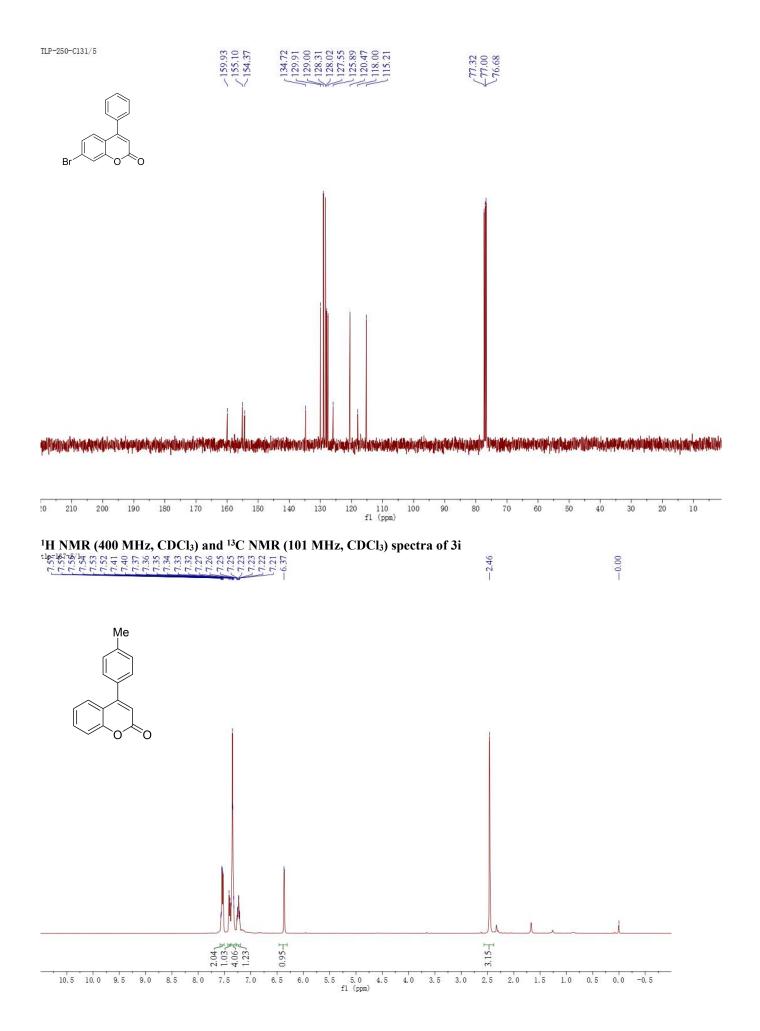
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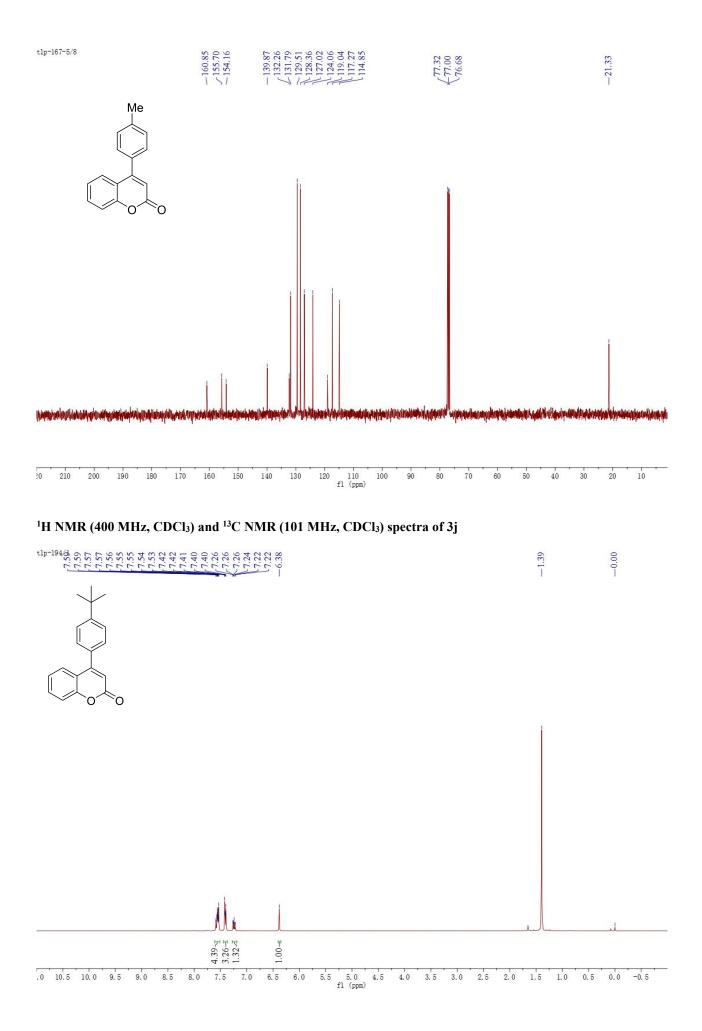


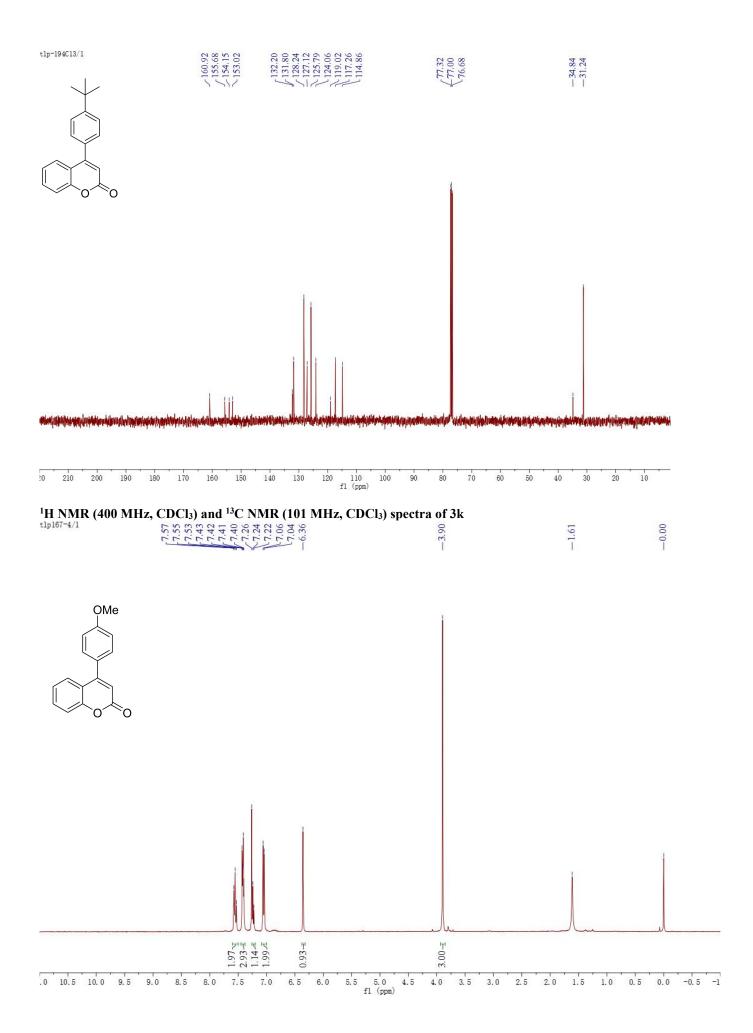


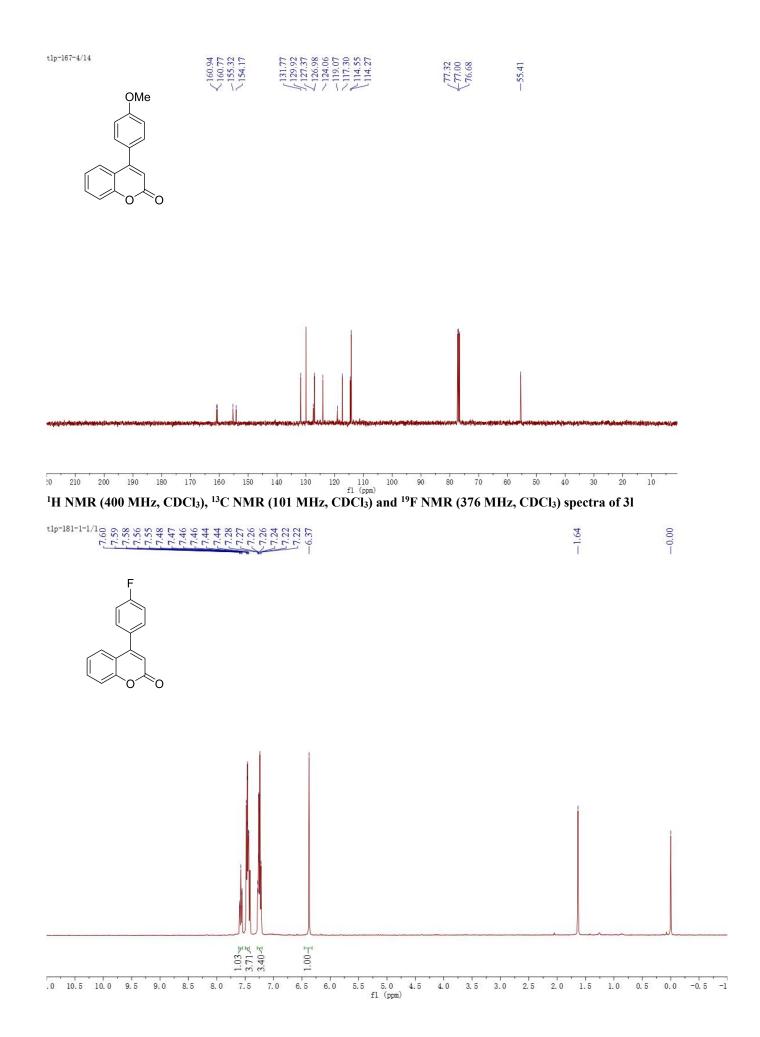


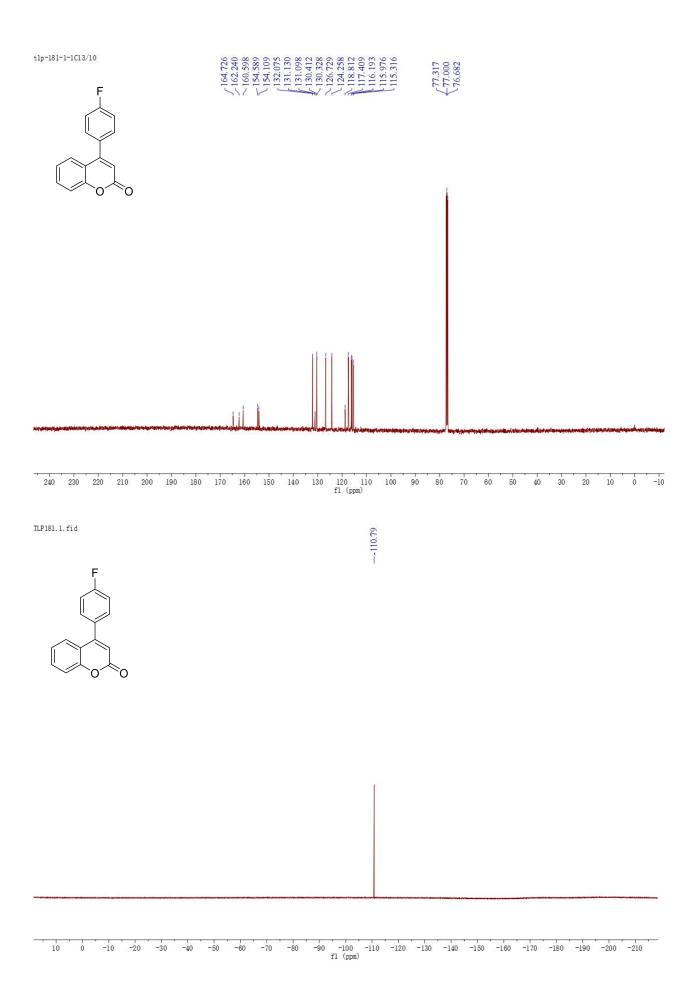


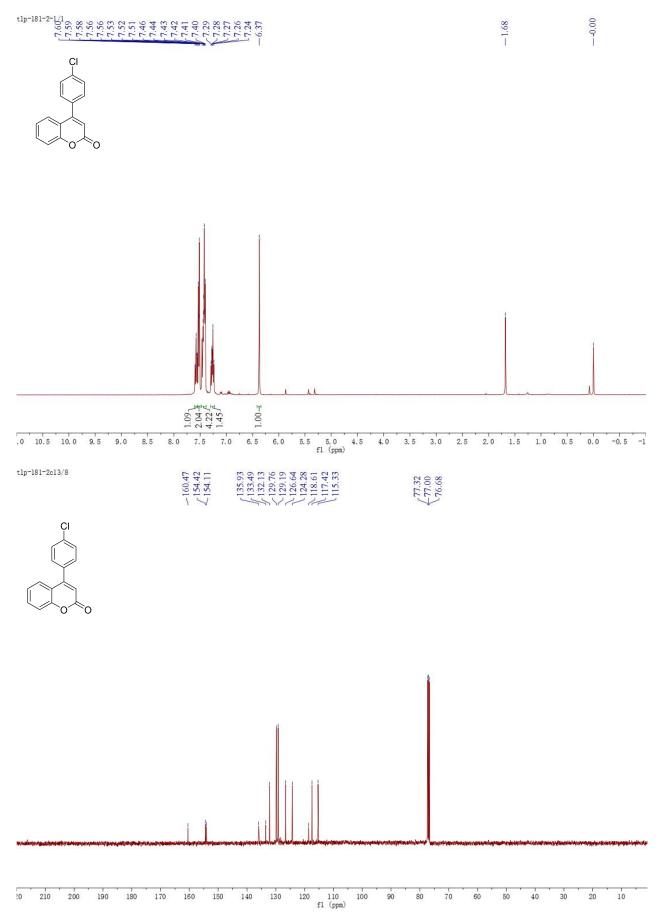




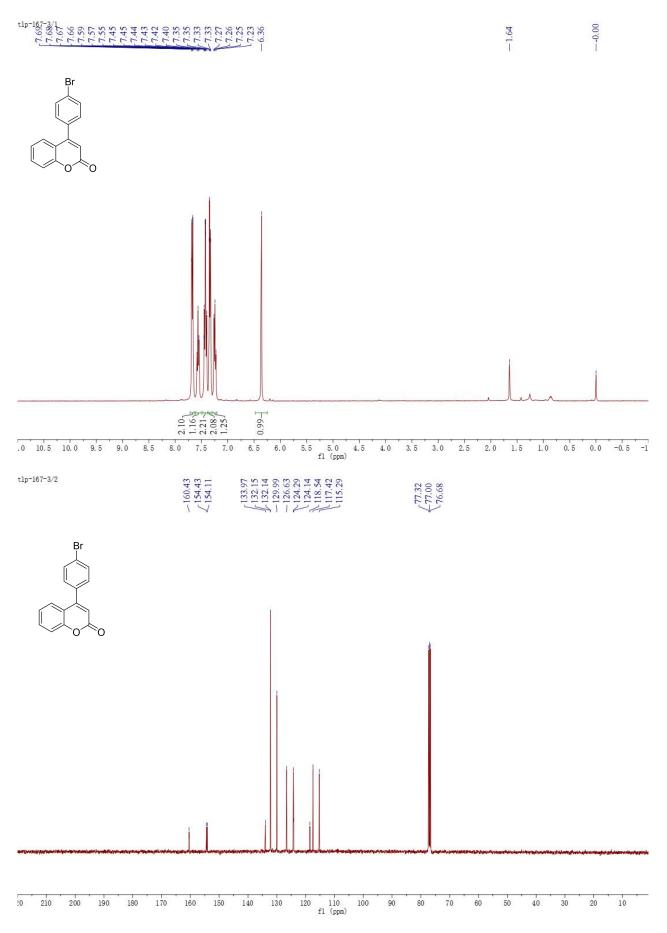


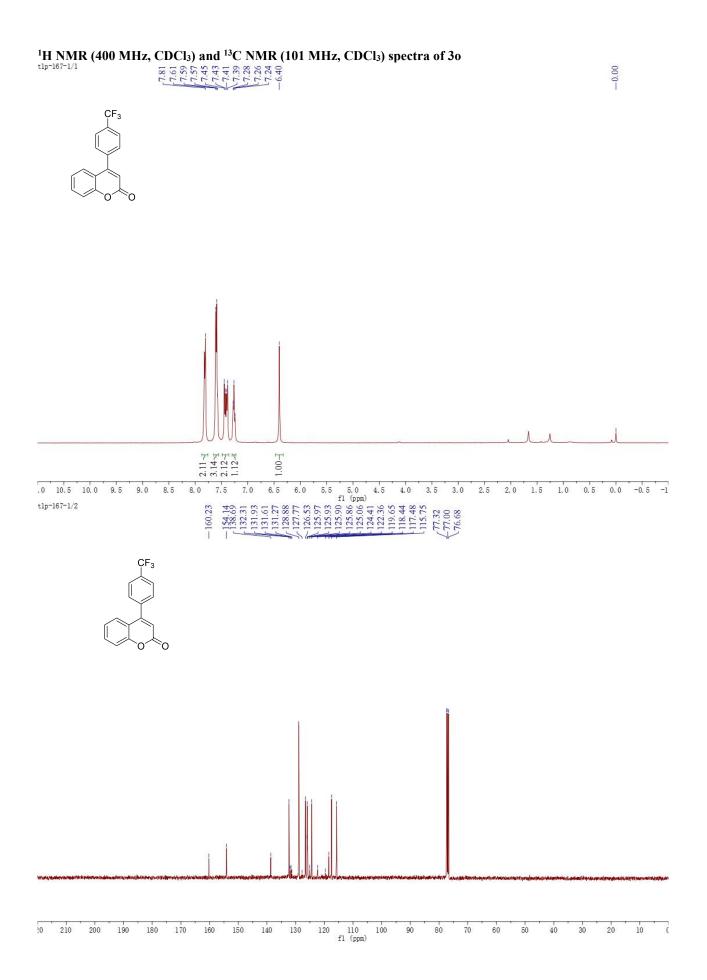






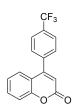
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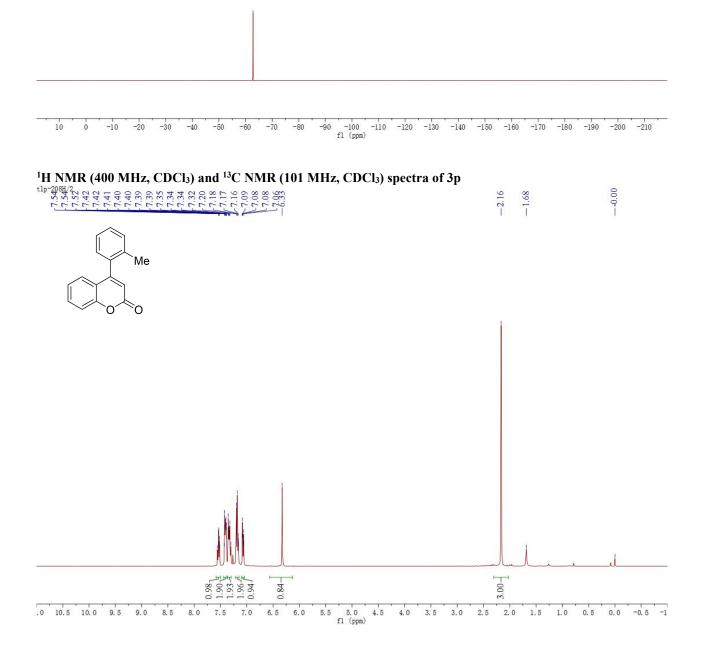


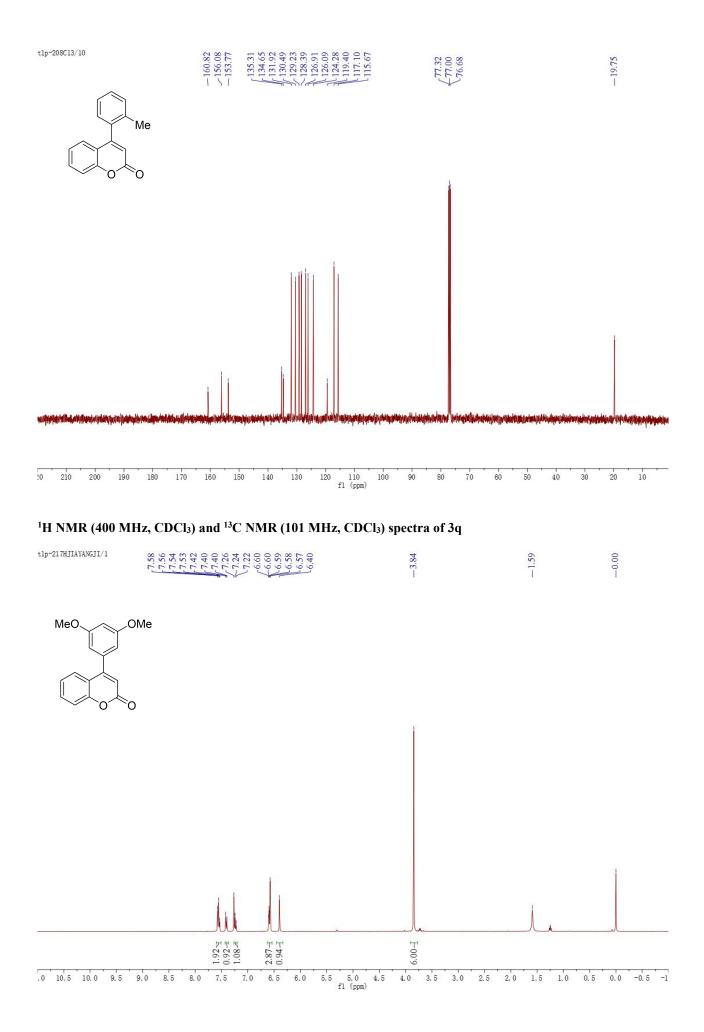
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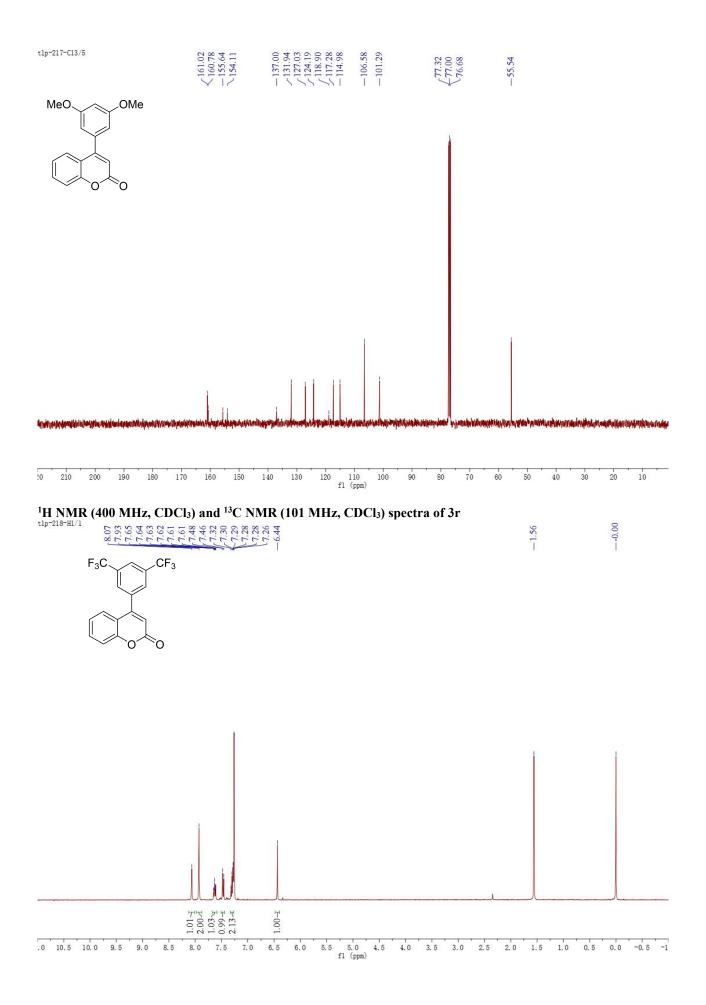
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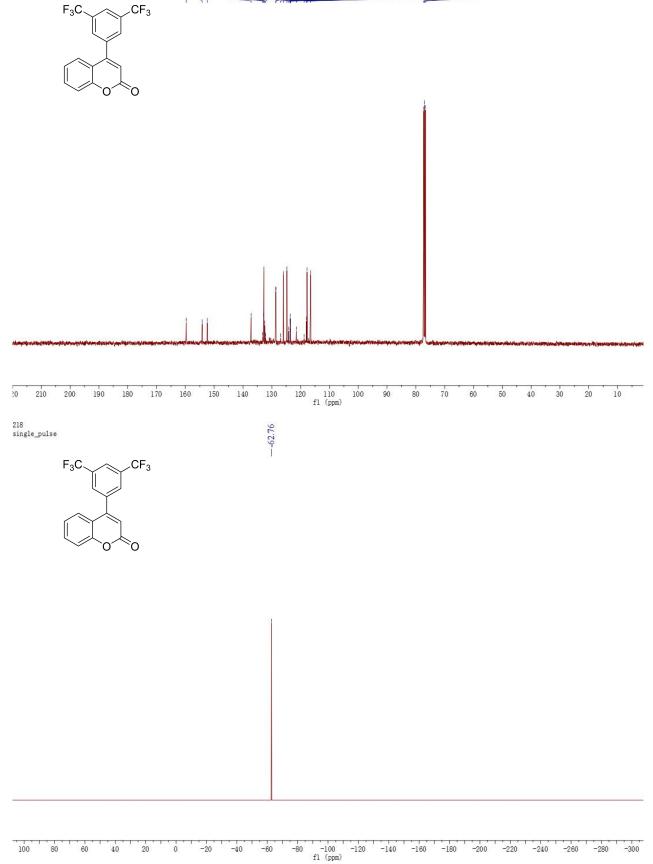




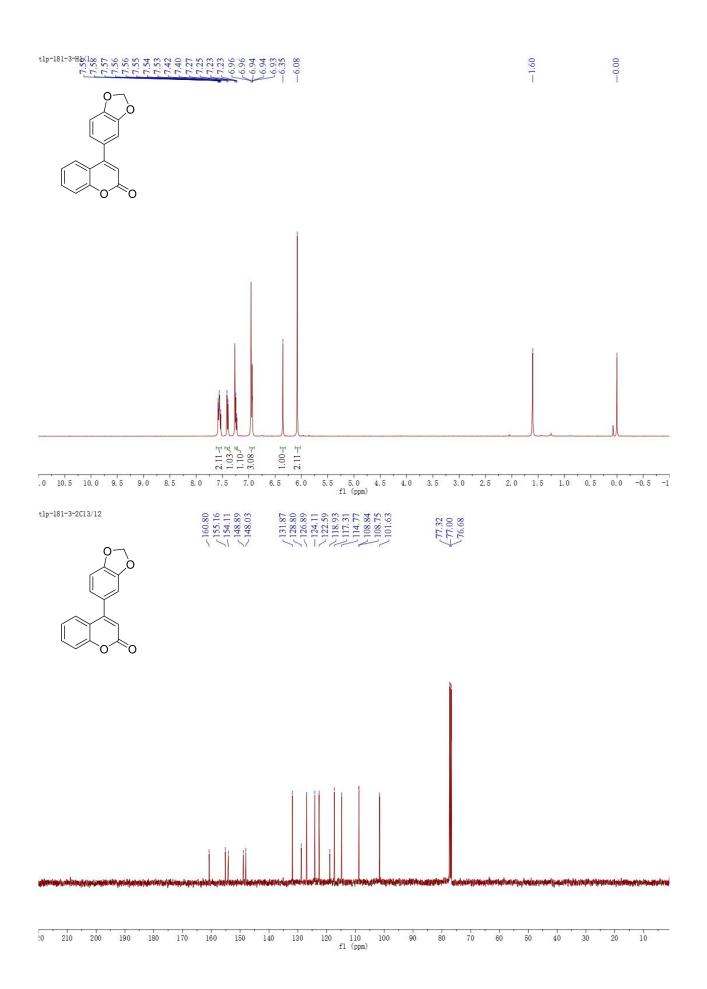


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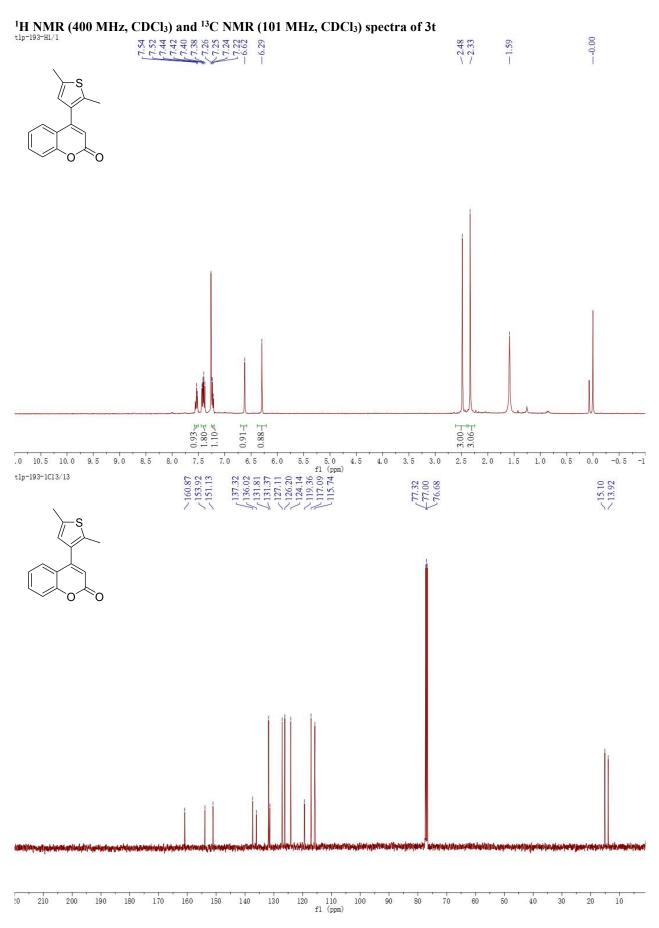
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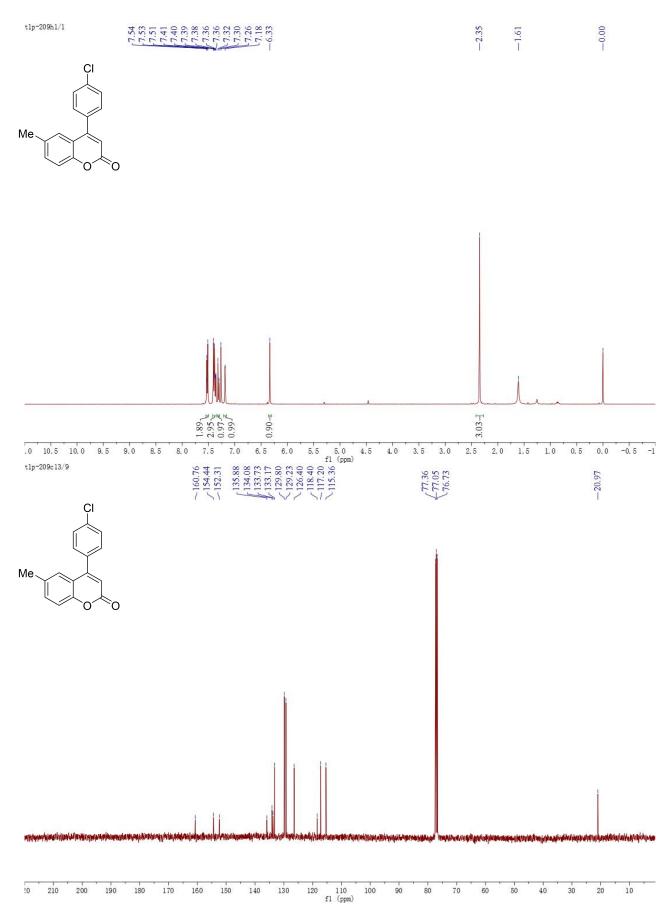
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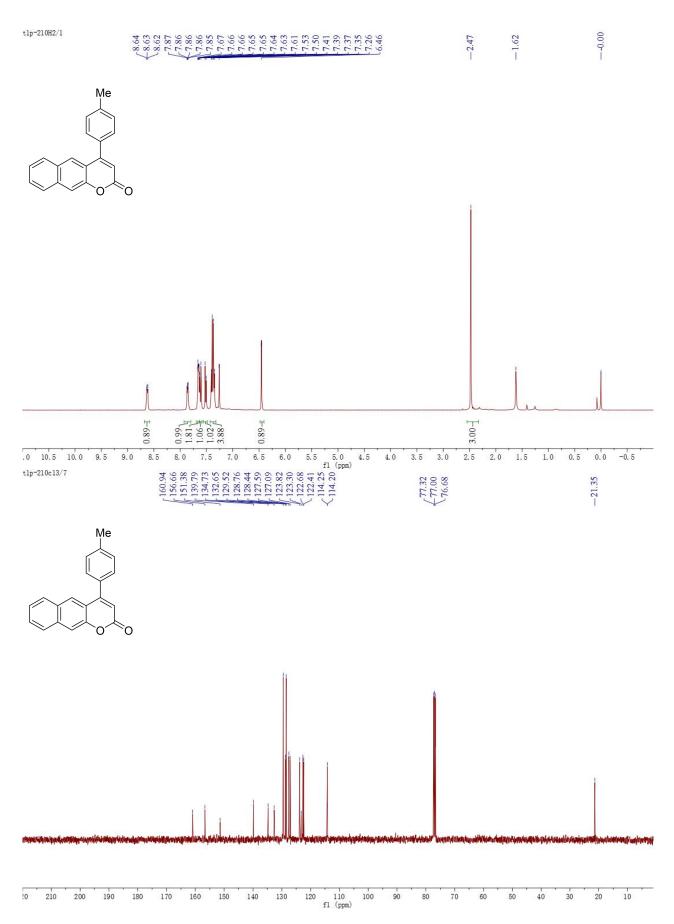
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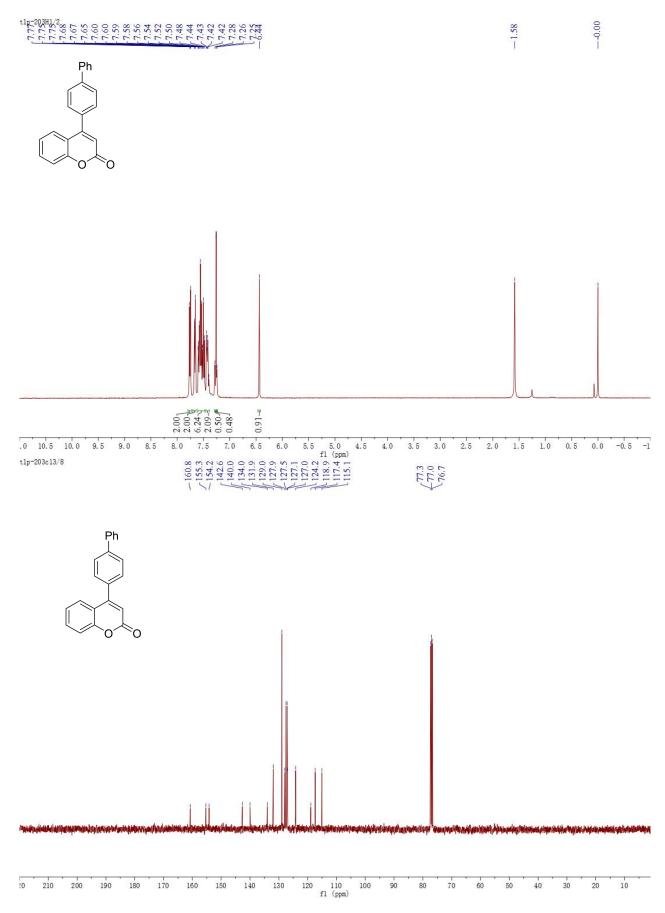
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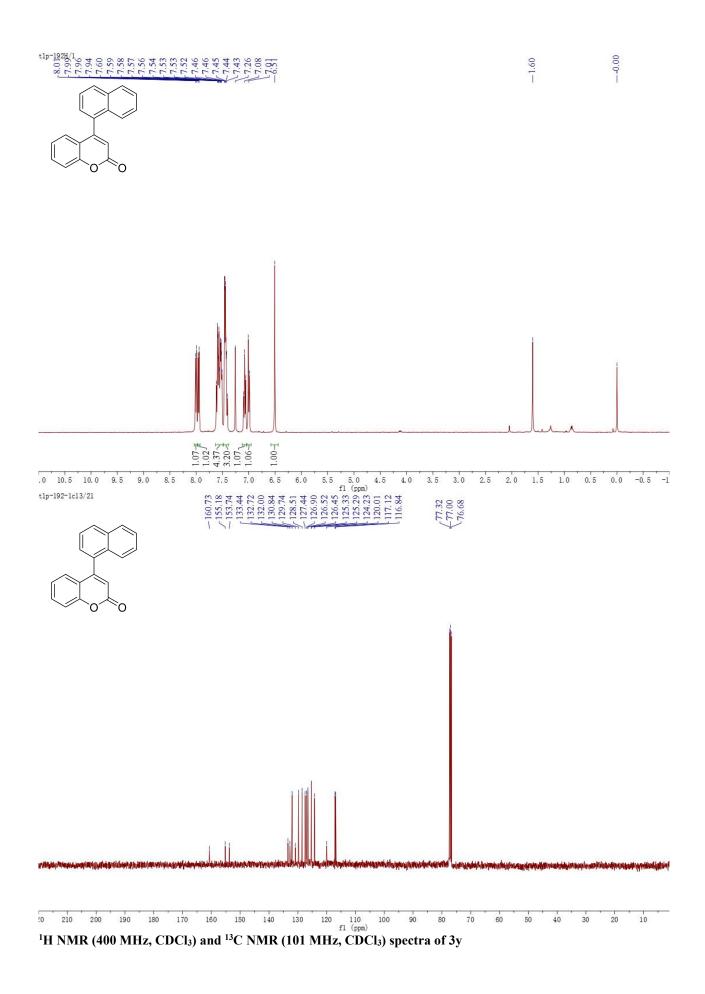
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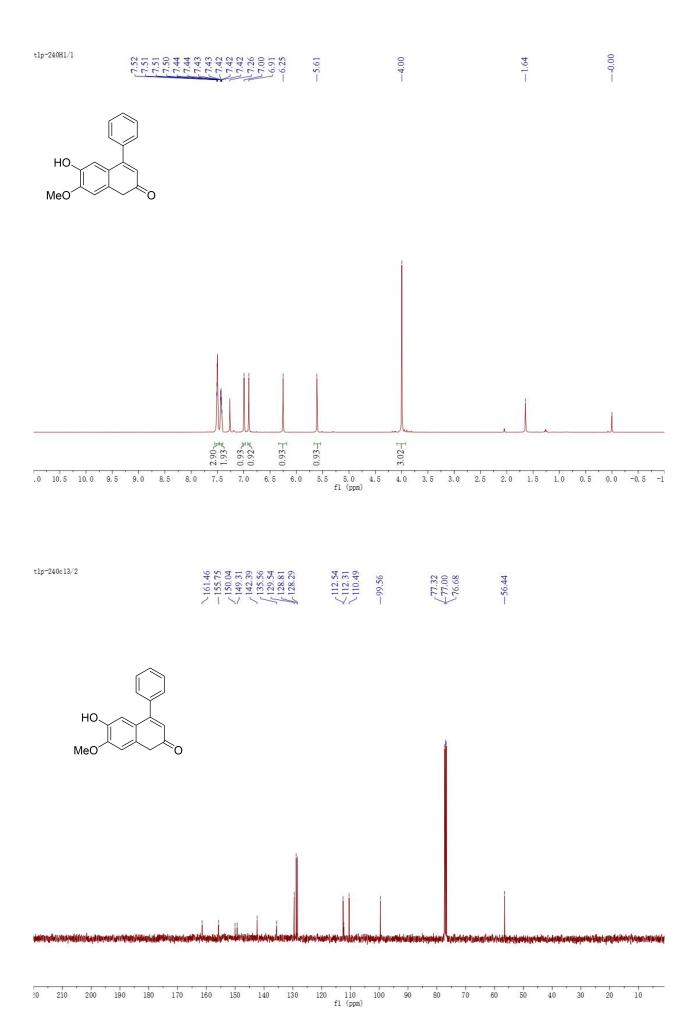


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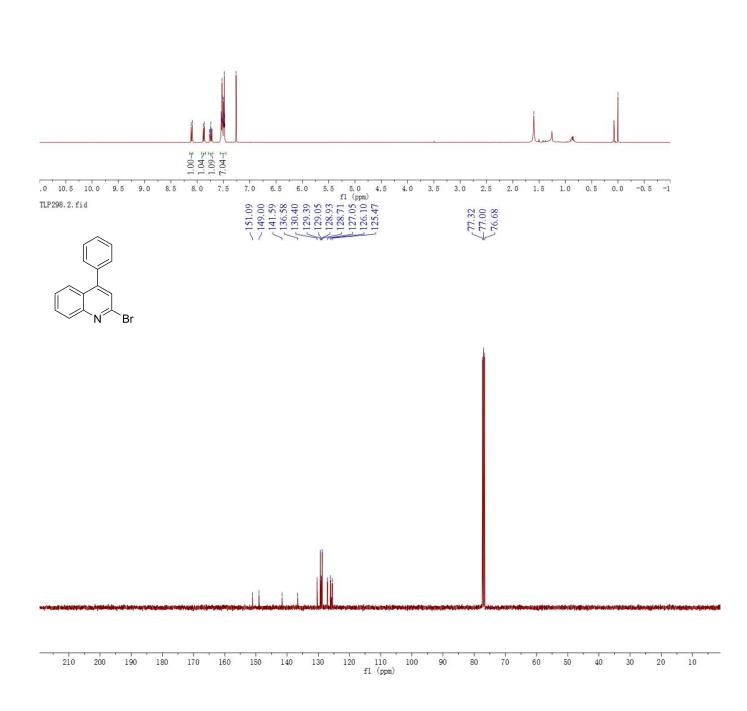




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