

Supporting Information

Photocatalytic redox-neutral arylation of cyclopropanols with cyanoarenes via radical-mediated C–C and C–CN bond cleavage

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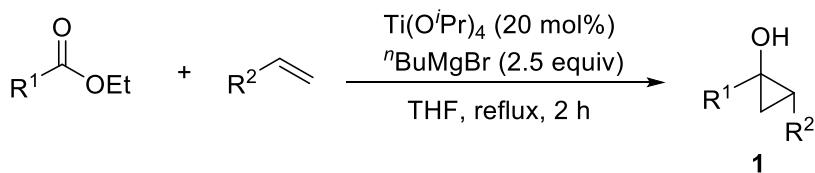
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1. General information

All reagents and starting materials, unless otherwise noted, were purchased from Energy, J&K, TCI, and Adamas-beta® Chemical company as reagent grade and used without further purification. Anhydrous solvents (including DME, CH₂Cl₂, DMF, THF, MeCN, Water < 0.005%) were purchased from Energy, and used as received. Unless otherwise indicated, all syntheses and manipulations were carried out under argon atmosphere.

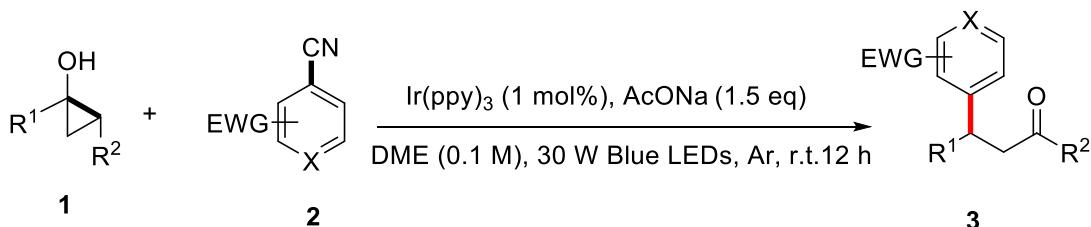
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR, and ¹⁹F NMR spectra were obtained with a Bruker AV II-400 spectrometer (¹H: 400 MHz, ¹³C: 101 MHz, ¹⁹F: 376 MHz). The chemical shifts were measured with tetramethylsilane as the internal reference. The chemical shifts (δ) were expressed in ppm and J values were given in Hz. The following abbreviations were used to explain the multiplicities: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, dd = doublet of doublets, dt = doublet of triplets, and br = broad. TLC was performed using commercially prepared silica gel plates (GF254), and visualized under UV light 254 nm. Flash column chromatography was performed on silica gel (100-200 mesh). All mixed solvent eluents are reported as v/v solutions. Cyclic voltammetry tests were carried out with a CHI700E electrochemical workstation. Mass analysis data were acquired on a SCIEX UPLC (EXion) –QTOF (X500R). Melting points were measured using a Hanon MP470 apparatus.

2. Synthesis of cyclopropanols



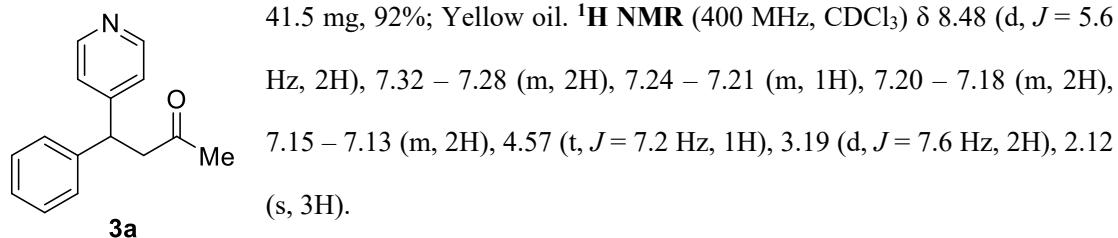
The procedure was followed by previous work^{1a}: To a solution of ester (10 mmol, 1.0 equiv), alkene (11 mmol, 1.1 equiv) and $\text{Ti(O}^i\text{Pr)}_4$ (2 mmol, 0.2 equiv) in 15 mL of anhydrous THF, a solution of $^n\text{BuMgBr}$ (25 mmol, 2.5 equiv) in THF was added dropwise over 1 h, at reflux. The mixture was stirred for an additional 30 min, then was poured into ice-cold 10% sulfuric acid (50 mL). The organic layer was separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with Et_2O (2×20 mL). The combined organic layer extracts were washed with saturated NaHCO_3 , dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel with a gradient eluent of petroleum ether and ethyl acetate (~ 10/1) to give the desired product **1** (the corresponding cyclopropanols have been reported, see the ref.1).

3. Typical experimental procedure



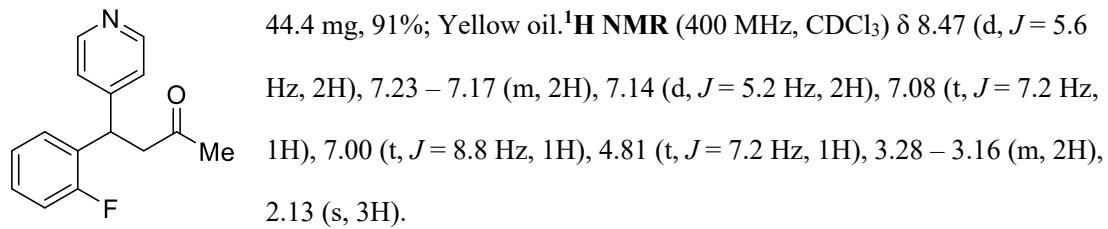
An oven-dried Schlenk tube (10 mL) containing a stirring bar was charged with the corresponding aromatic nitrile (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), the corresponding cyclopropanol (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv), Ir(ppy)_3 (0.002 mmol, 1 mol%), AcONa (0.3 mmol, 1.5 equiv). The Schlenk tube was then connected to a vacuum line where it was evacuated and back-filled with argon for 3 times. Then DME (2 mL) was added under argon flow. Finally, the tube was placed approximately 2 cm from 30 W blue LEDs, and stirred at room temperature for 12 h. After completion, the reaction was quenched with H_2O (2.5 mL) and extracted with EtOAc . The organic layer was dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 3/1 ~ 1/1) to afford the corresponding product **3**.

4. Characterization data for products



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.0, 152.9, 150.0, 142.2, 129.0, 127.9, 127.2, 123.2, 48.8, 45.2, 30.8.

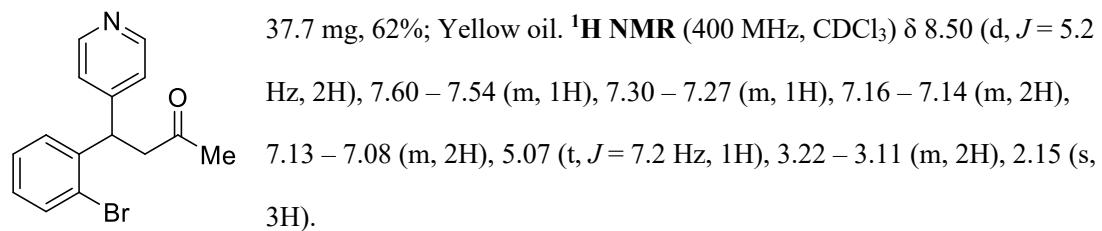
HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₅H₁₆NO]⁺: 226.1226, found: 226.1226.



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.5, 160.6 (d, *J* = 247.5 Hz), 151.7, 150.0, 129.2 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz), 129.0, 129.0 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz), 124.5 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 123.1, 116.1 (d, *J* = 22.2 Hz), 47.5 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz), 39.1 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz), 30.4.

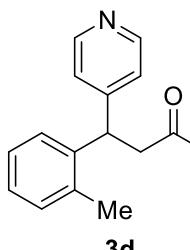
¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -116.15.

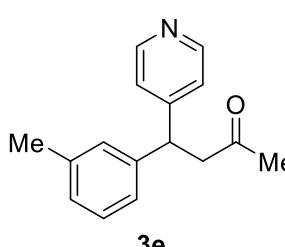
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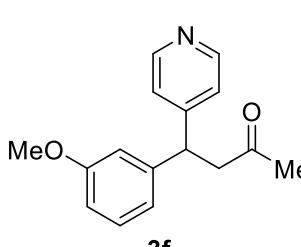


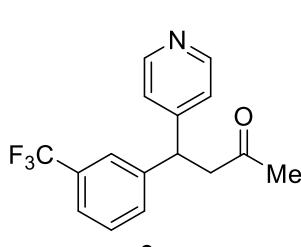
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.3, 151.6, 149.9, 141.2, 133.7, 128.8, 128.7, 128.0, 125.0, 123.5, 48.5, 44.1, 30.3.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₅H₁₅BrNO]⁺: 304.0332, found: 304.0331


3d
 37.4 mg, 83%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, MeOD) δ 8.39 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (s, 1H), 7.21 – 7.17 (m, 1H), 7.15 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 4.82 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.33 – 3.30 (m, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, MeOD) δ 208.7, 156.0, 150.0, 141.4, 137.4, 131.9, 128.0, 127.8, 127.5, 125.2, 49.3, 42.3, 30.3, 19.9.
HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₆H₁₈NO]⁺: 240.1383, found: 240.1382


3e
 38.3 mg, 80%; Yellow solid, m.p. 58.6–62.2 °C. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.48 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.20 – 7.16 (m, 1H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 7.00 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 4.53 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.18 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.1, 153.0, 150.0, 142.1, 138.6, 128.8, 128.7, 127.9, 124.7, 123.1, 48.8, 45.1, 30.8, 21.6.
HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₆H₁₈NO]⁺: 240.1383, found: 240.1382.

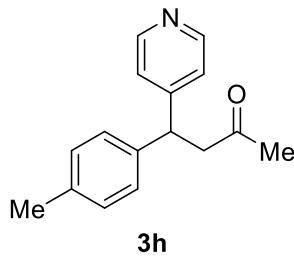

3f
 40.7 mg, 80%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.48 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 6.79 – 6.74 (m, 2H), 6.72 – 6.71 (m, 1H), 4.53 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.17 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.0, 159.9, 152.7, 150.0, 143.8, 130.0, 123.1, 120.1, 114.2, 111.9, 55.3, 48.7, 45.1, 30.8.
HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₆H₁₈NO₂]⁺: 256.1332, found: 256.1332.


3g
 51 mg, 87%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.51 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (s, 1H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 4.65 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.28 – 3.15 (m, 2H), 2.14 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.2, 151.9, 150.3, 143.3, 131.5,

131.3 (q, $J = 31.3$ Hz), 129.5, 124.5 (q, $J = 4.0$ Hz), 124.1 (q, $J = 4.0$ Hz), 124.0 (q, $J = 272.7$ Hz), 123.1, 48.6, 44.8, 30.7.

$^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -62.58.

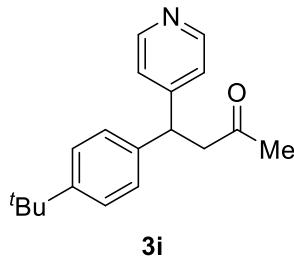
HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H] $^+$ for $[\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{NO}]^+$: 294.1100, found: 294.1099.



40.1 mg, 84%; Yellow solid, m.p. 54.9-55.8 °C. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.47 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.09 – 7.06 (m, 4H), 4.53 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.16 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 206.1, 153.1, 150.0, 139.2, 136.8, 129.6, 127.7, 123.1, 48.8, 44.8, 30.7, 21.1.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H] $^+$ for $[\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}]^+$: 240.1383, found: 240.1383.

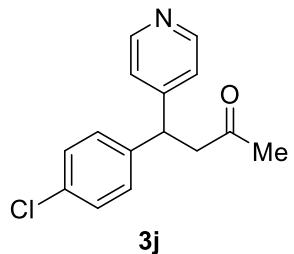


48.4 mg, 86%; Yellow solid, m.p. 97.1-99.6 °C. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.48 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (dd, $J_1 = 1.6$ Hz, $J_2 = 6.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.16 – 7.13 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.54 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.23-3.12 (m, 2H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.27 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 206.2, 153.1, 150.0, 139.1, 139.1,

127.4, 125.9, 123.2, 49.0, 44.8, 34.5, 31.4, 30.7.

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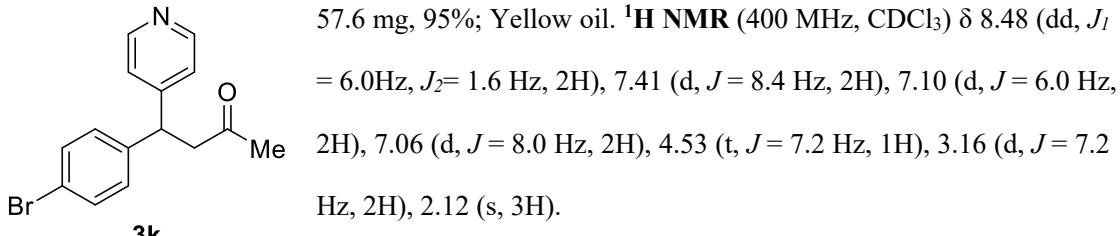


43.6 mg, 84%; Yellow oil. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.49 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.25 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.55 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.16 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 205.5, 152.4, 150.2, 140.7, 133.0,

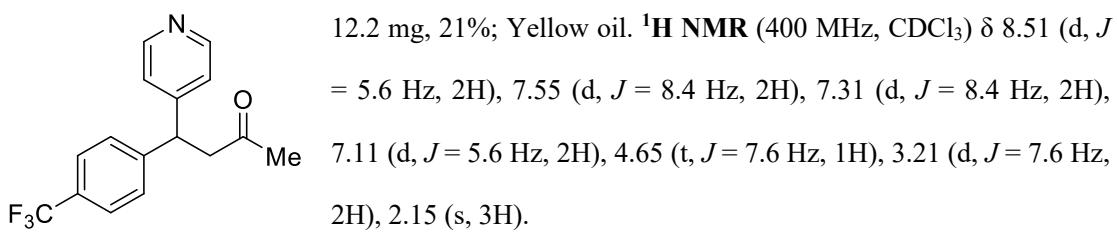
129.3, 129.1, 123.1, 48.7, 44.5, 30.7.

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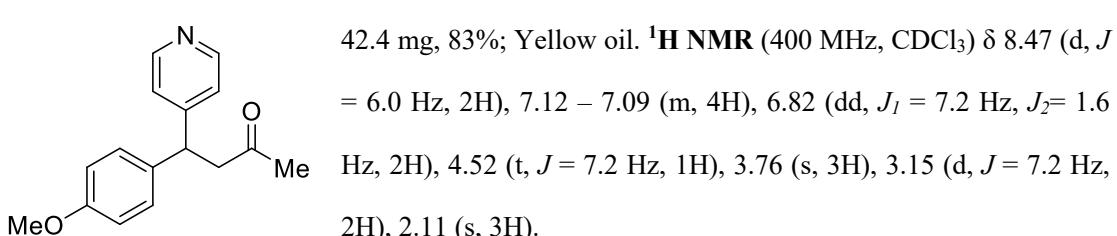
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.5, 152.3, 150.2, 141.3, 132.1, 129.6, 123.0, 121.1, 48.6, 44.5, 30.7.

HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₅H₁₅BrNO]⁺: 304.0332, found: 304.0328.



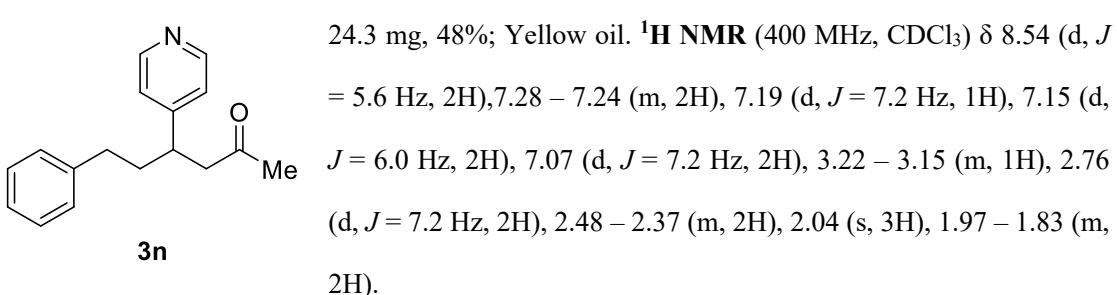
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.3, 151.9, 150.3, 146.3, 129.5 (q, *J* = 32.3 Hz), 128.3, 125.9 (q, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 124.1 (q, *J* = 273.7 Hz), 123.1, 48.5, 44.8, 30.7.

HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₆H₁₅F₃NO]⁺: 294.1100, found: 294.1100.



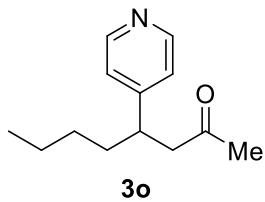
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HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₆H₁₈NO₂]⁺: 256.1332, found: 256.1331.



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.7, 153.4, 150.1, 141.4, 128.6, 128.4, 126.2, 123.3, 50.0, 39.9, 37.3, 33.5, 30.7.

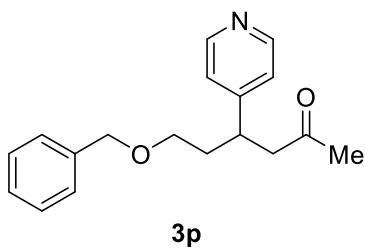
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16.0 mg, 39%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.49 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (dd, *J*₁ = 5.6 Hz, *J*₂ = 1.6 Hz 2H), 3.15 – 3.08 (m, 1H), 2.72 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.62 – 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.32 – 1.02 (m, 4H), 0.81 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

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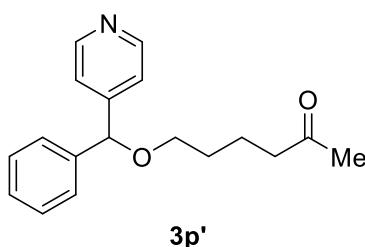
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5.1 mg, 9%; Yellow oil. Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.43 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 7.24 – 7.20 (m, 4H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 4.38 – 4.30 (m, 2H), 3.36 – 3.26 (m, 2H), 3.21 – 3.15 (m, 1H), 2.77 – 2.66 (m, 2H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 1.96 – 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.76 – 1.73 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.5, 153.4, 150.0, 138.2, 128.5, 127.9, 127.8, 123.2, 73.1, 67.6, 49.6, 37.3, 35.6, 30.6.

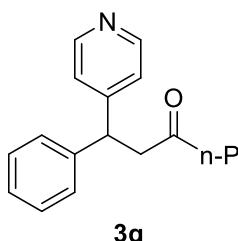
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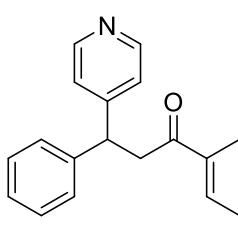
19.8 mg, 35%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 88.53 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 7.36 – 7.33 (m, 1H), 7.33 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.30 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.28 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 3.44 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.45 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.71 – 1.62 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 209.1, 151.5, 149.9, 140.9, 128.8, 128.2, 127.2, 121.7, 82.5, 69.0, 43.4, 30.1, 29.3, 20.6.

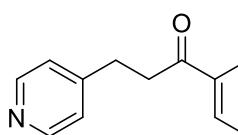
HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₈H₂₂NO₂]⁺: 284.1645, found: 284.1644.


3q 40.5 mg, 80%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.47 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.19 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 4.59 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.32 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.56 – 1.46 (m, 2H), 0.81 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 208.3, 153.0, 150.0, 142.3, 128.9, 127.9, 127.1, 123.2, 47.9, 45.5, 45.2, 17.1, 13.7.

HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₇H₂₀NO]⁺: 254.1539, found: 254.1538.

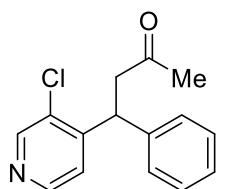

3r 24.2 mg, 40%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.48 – 8.47 (m, 2H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.33 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.26 – 7.25 (m, 5H), 7.19 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 4.81 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.79 – 3.64 (m, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.9, 153.2, 150.0, 144.4, 142.7, 134.3, 129.5, 129.0, 128.3, 128.0, 127.1, 123.3, 45.4, 43.9, 21.8.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₂₁H₂₀NO]⁺: 302.1540, found: 302.1542

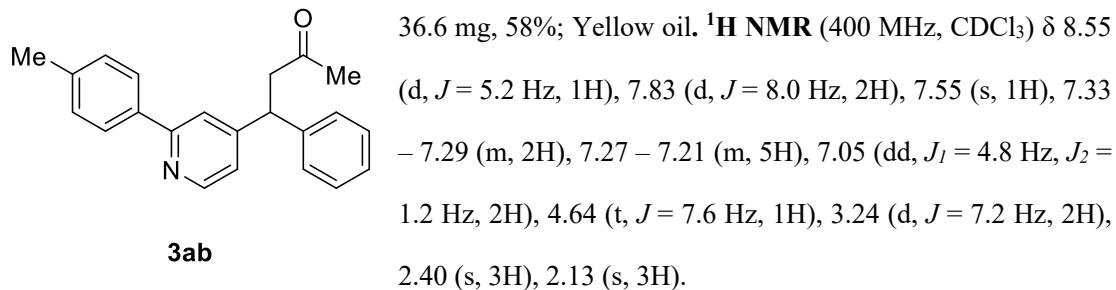

3s 10.4 mg, 25%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.51(brs, 2H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.21(brs, 2H), 3.34 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.08 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.4, 150.5, 149.9, 136.7, 133.5, 128.8, 128.1, 124.1, 39.0, 29.3

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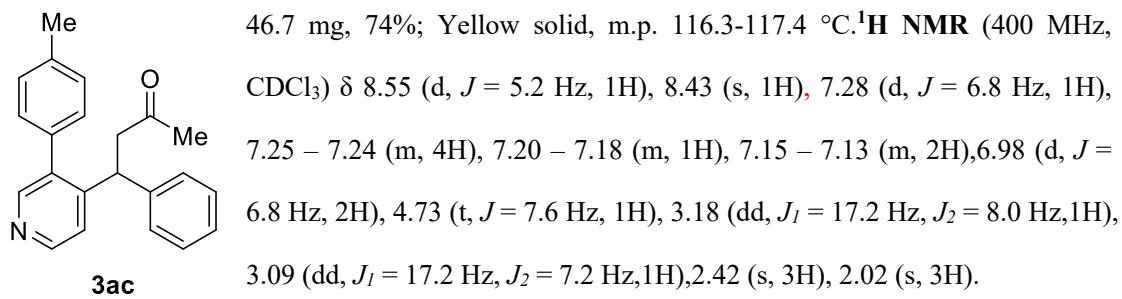

3aa 33.8 mg, 65%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.53 (s, 1H), 8.40 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.24 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.22 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 5.01 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.25 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 2.14 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.4, 150.0, 150.0, 148.0, 140.4, 132.1, 129.0, 128.1, 127.3, 122.9, 48.2, 41.9, 30.4.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₅H₁₅ClNO]⁺: 260.0837, found: 260.0837.



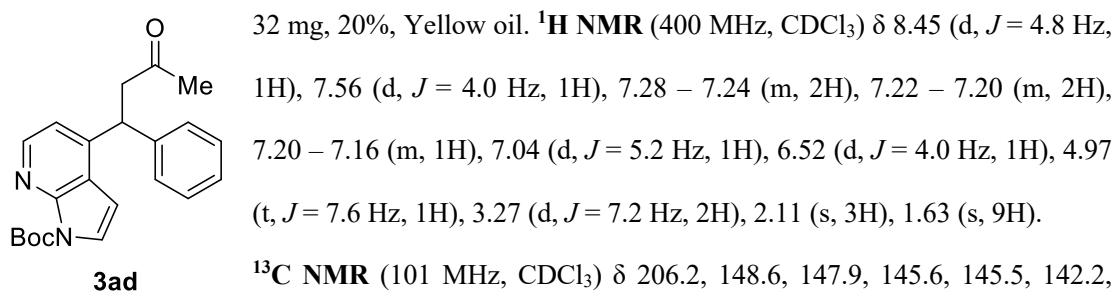
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HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₂₂H₂₂NO]⁺: 316.1696, found: 316.1694.



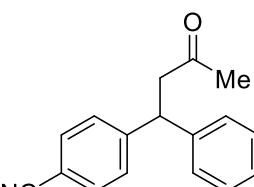
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HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₂₂H₂₂NO]⁺: 316.1696, found: 316.1694.



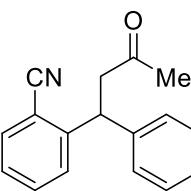
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HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₂₂H₂₅N₂O₃]⁺: 365.1860, found: 365.1854.


 36.4 mg, 73%; Yellow oil. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 (dd, *J*₁ = 6.4 Hz, *J*₂ = 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.24 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 4.65 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.20 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H).

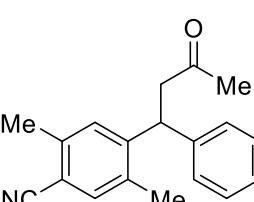
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HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₇H₁₆NO]⁺: 250.1226, found: 250.1222


 17.5 mg, 35%; Yellow solid, m.p. 98.0–99.1 °C. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59 (dd, *J*₁ = 6.4 Hz, *J*₂ = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (td, *J*₁ = 7.6 Hz, *J*₂ = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.24 (m, 5H), 7.21 – 7.17 (m, 1H), 4.99 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H).

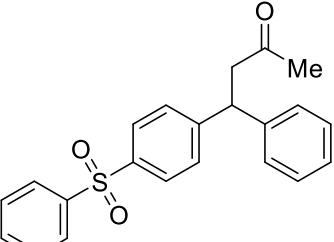
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HRMS(ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₇H₁₆NO]⁺: 250.1226, found: 250.1226


 20.0 mg, 36%; White solid, m.p. 132.0–132.2 °C. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (s, 1H), 7.28 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 7.25 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.21 – 7.16 (m, 1H), 7.15 – 7.11 (m, 3H), 4.76 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.16 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.11 (s, 3H).

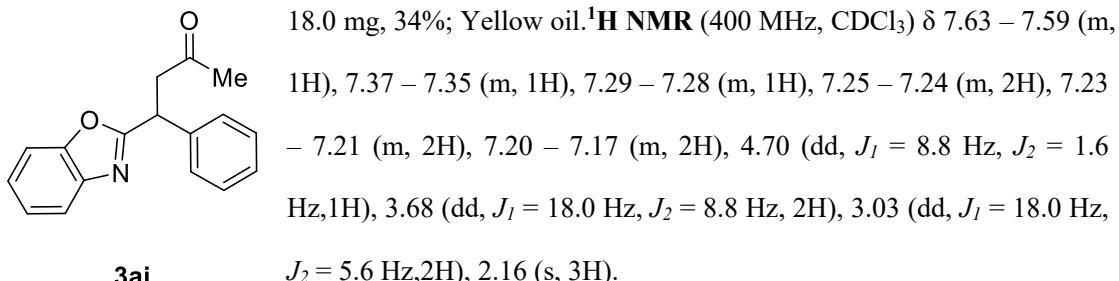
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HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₉H₂₀NO]⁺: 278.1539, found: 278.1539


 24.8 mg, 34%; White solid, m.p. 90.8–92.7 °C. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.92 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.58 – 7.54 (m, 1H), 7.51 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.19 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.64 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.24 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 2.10 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.1, 149.9, 142.5, 141.6, 139.7, 133.3, 129.4, 129.0, 128.8, 128.1, 127.8, 127.7, 127.1, 49.2, 45.7, 30.8.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₂₂H₂₁O₃S]⁺: 365.1206, found: 365.1200.



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 205.8, 167.5, 151.1, 141.1, 139.2, 129.1, 128.0, 127.8, 124.9, 124.3, 119.9, 110.8, 48.0, 40.6, 30.5.

HRMS (ESI+): calculated m/z [M+H]⁺ for [C₁₇H₁₆NO₂]⁺: 266.1176, found: 266.1163.

5. Cyclic voltammetry test for cyclopropanol

Cyclic voltammetry test was performed in a three-electrode cell under argon at room temperature. All cyclic voltammograms were measured using Ag/Ag⁺ (0.01 M AgNO₃ in MeCN) reference electrode, platinum (Pt) wire counter electrode, and a glassy carbon working electrode. The conditions of the experiments were as follows: testing compounds are in a solution of 0.1 M hexafluorophosphate ("Bu₄NPF₆) in MeCN at a scan rate of 50 mV/s; Prior to each measurement, solutions were purged with argon (Ar) for 10 minutes to ensure the oxygen-free conditions.

Measuring the Fc/Fc⁺ redox couple afforded E_{1/2} = +0.11 V vs. Ag/Ag⁺ under our experimental conditions. The obtained value was referenced to Ag/Ag⁺ and converted to SCE by subtracting 0.31 V, providing a value of +0.42 V for the Fc/Fc⁺ couple.² The oxidation half-peak potential of **1a** in MeCN was measured as +0.69 V (vs Ag/Ag⁺), and calculated to +1.00 V (vs. SCE).

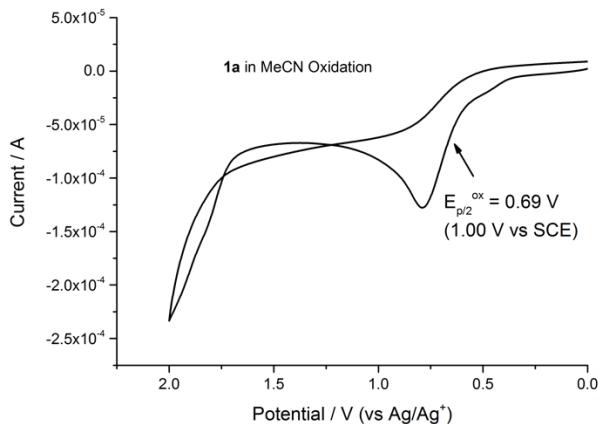
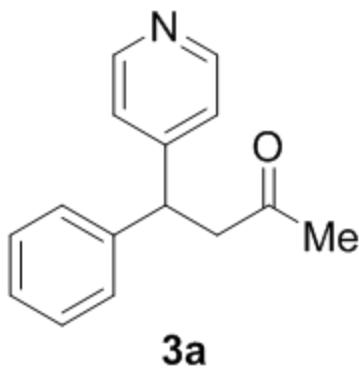
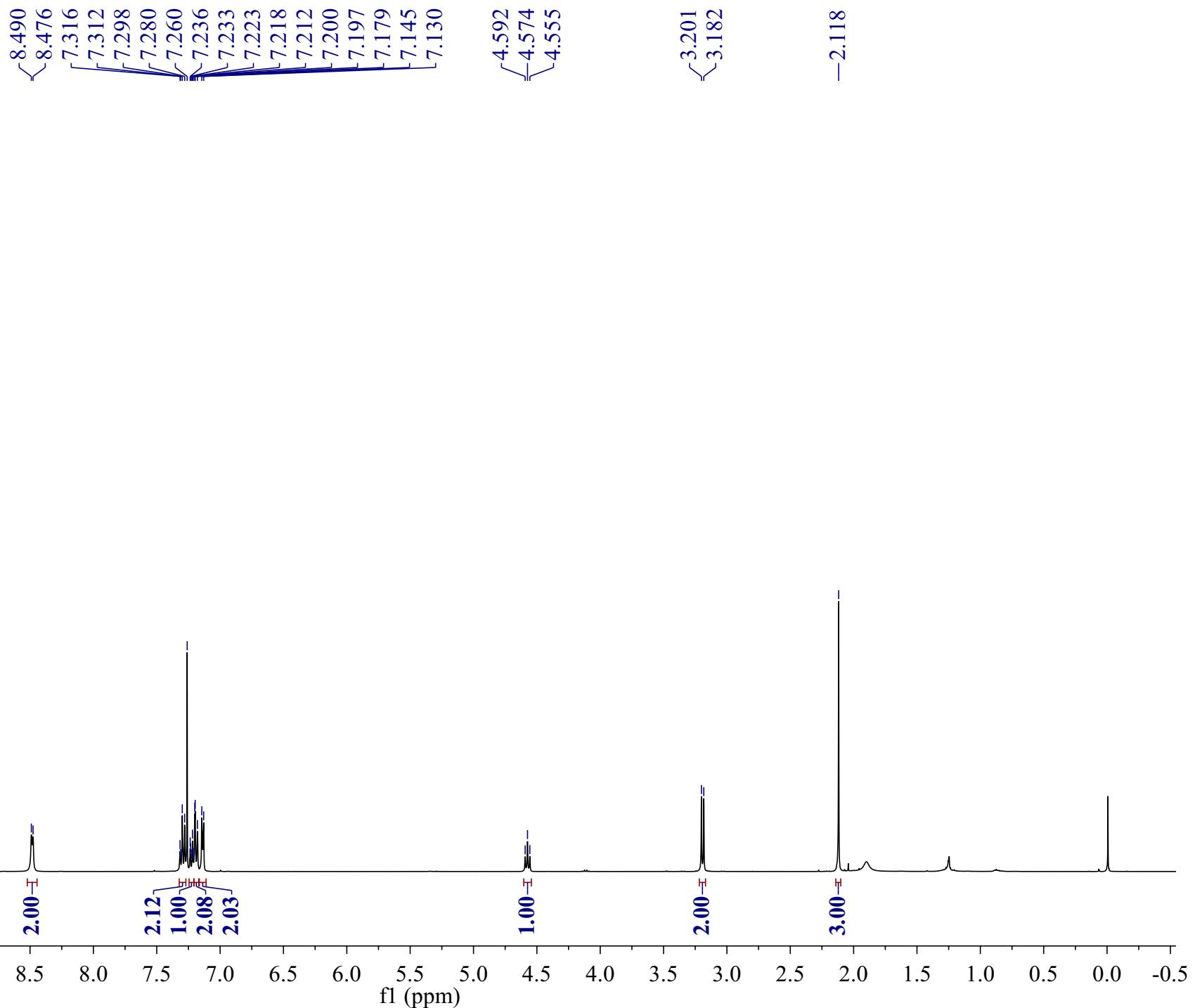


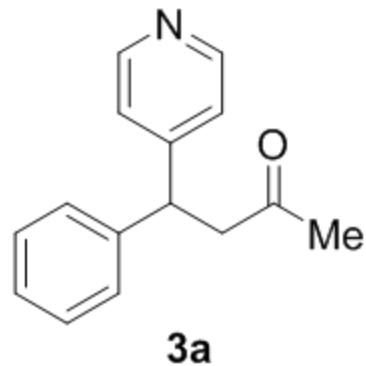
Figure S1. Cyclic voltammetry of **1a** (0.01 M) in MeCN (vs Ag/Ag⁺) with ⁿBu₄NPF₆ (0.1 M) under argon at a glassy carbon electrode at a scan rate of 50 mV/s.

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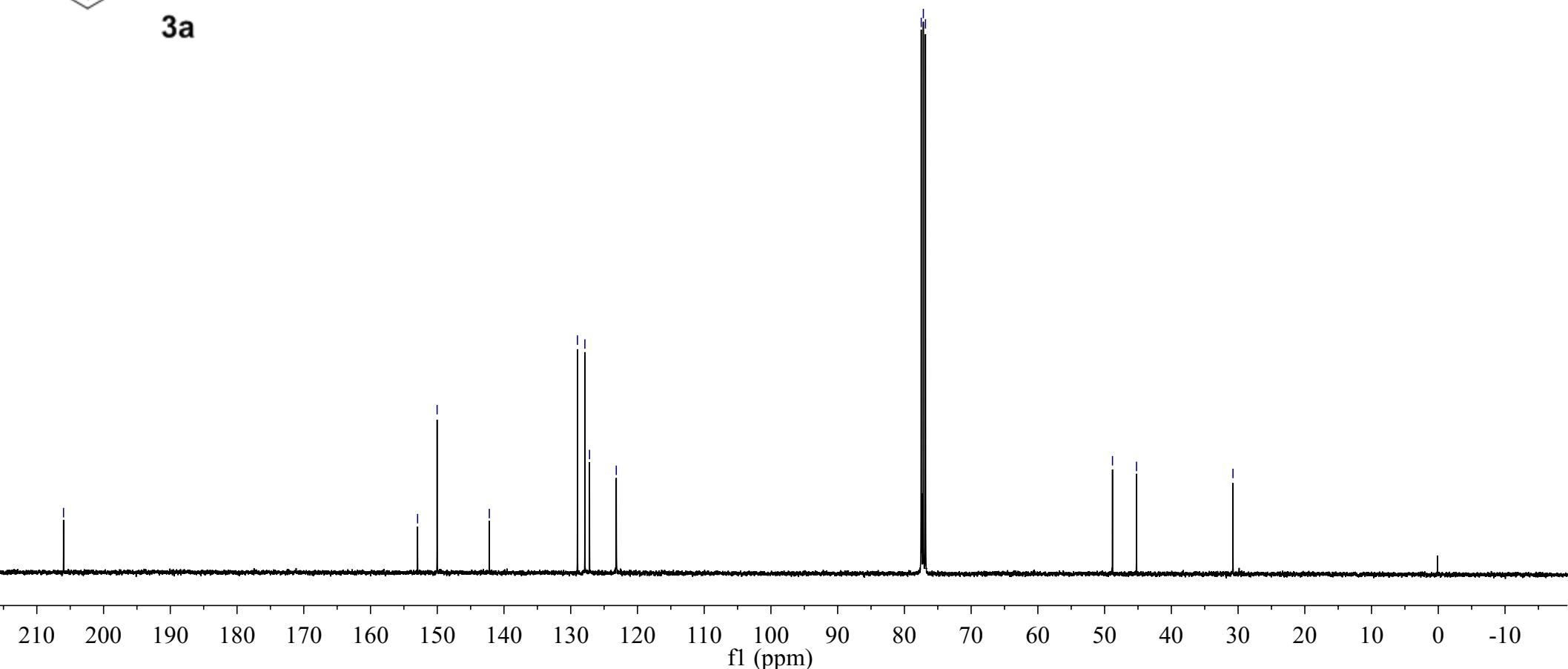
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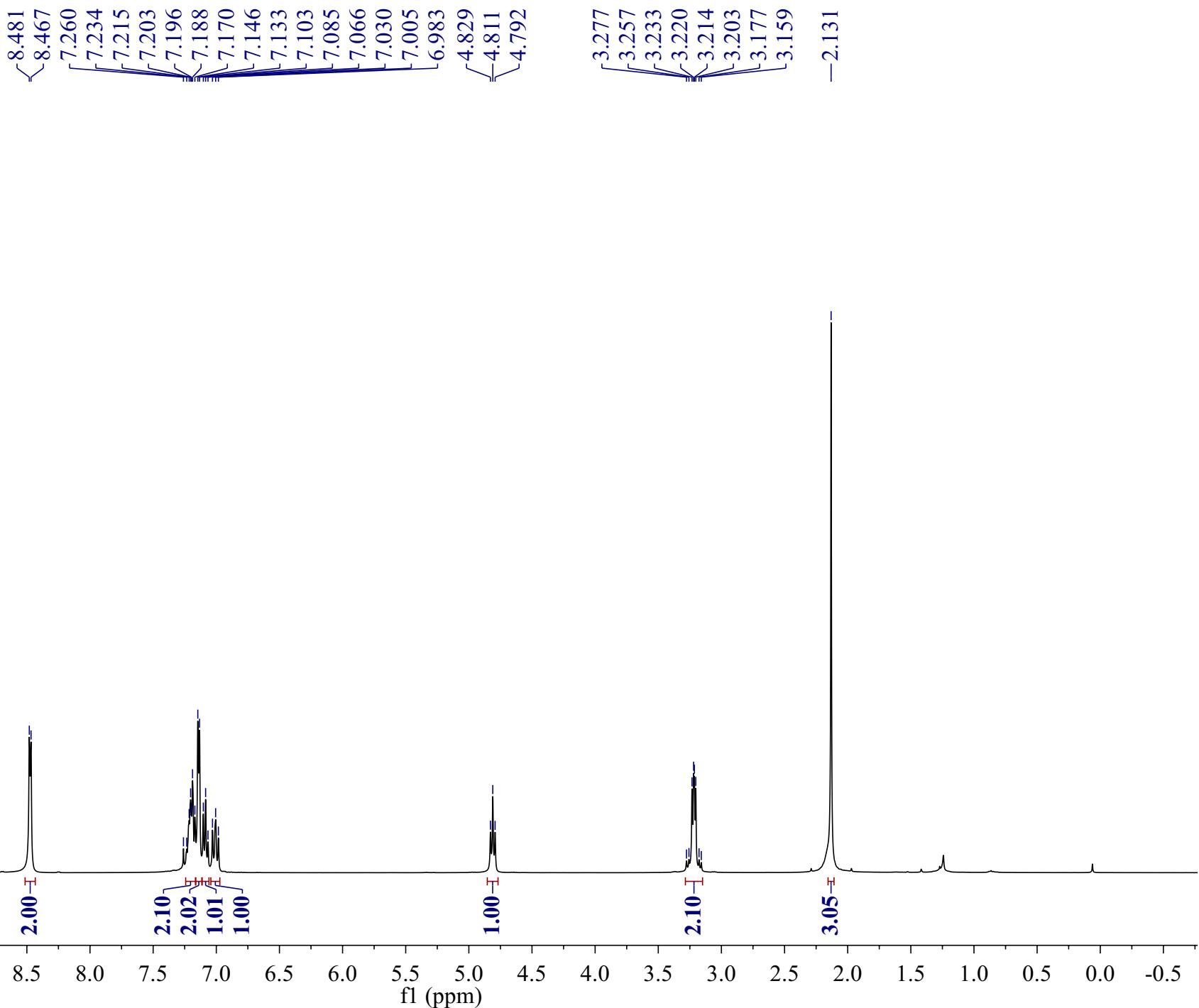
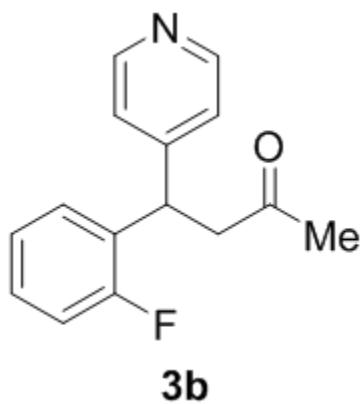
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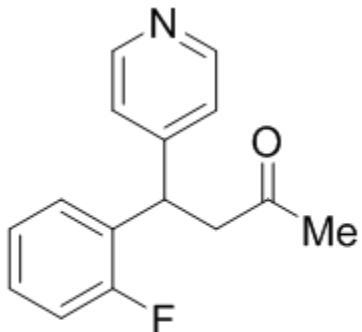
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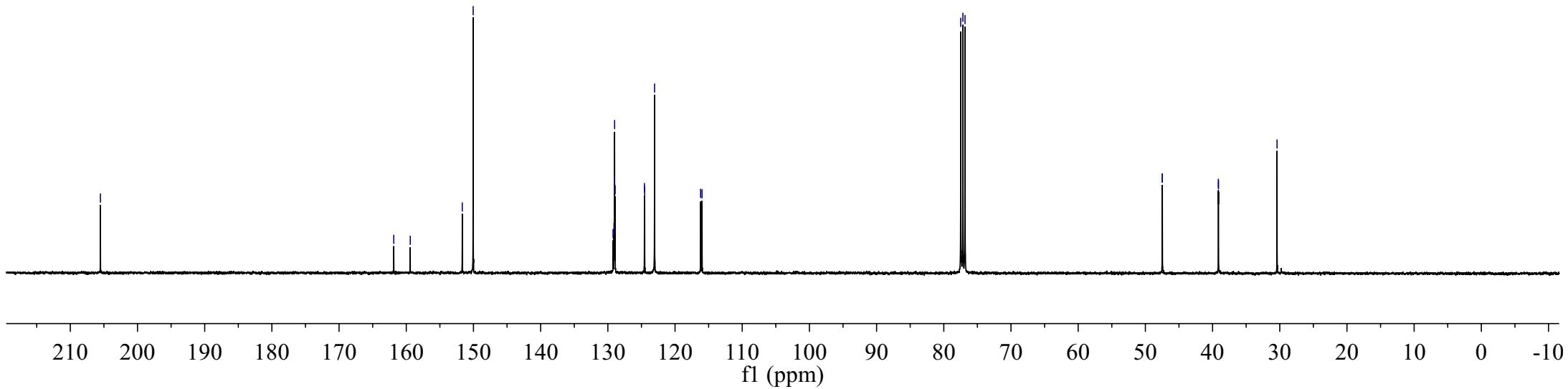


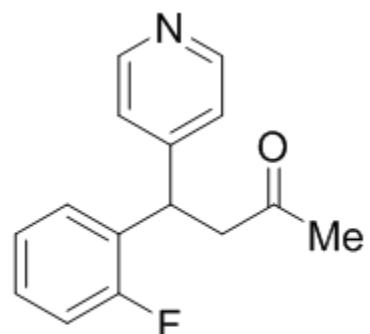


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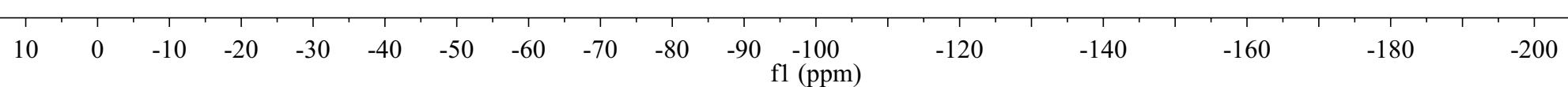
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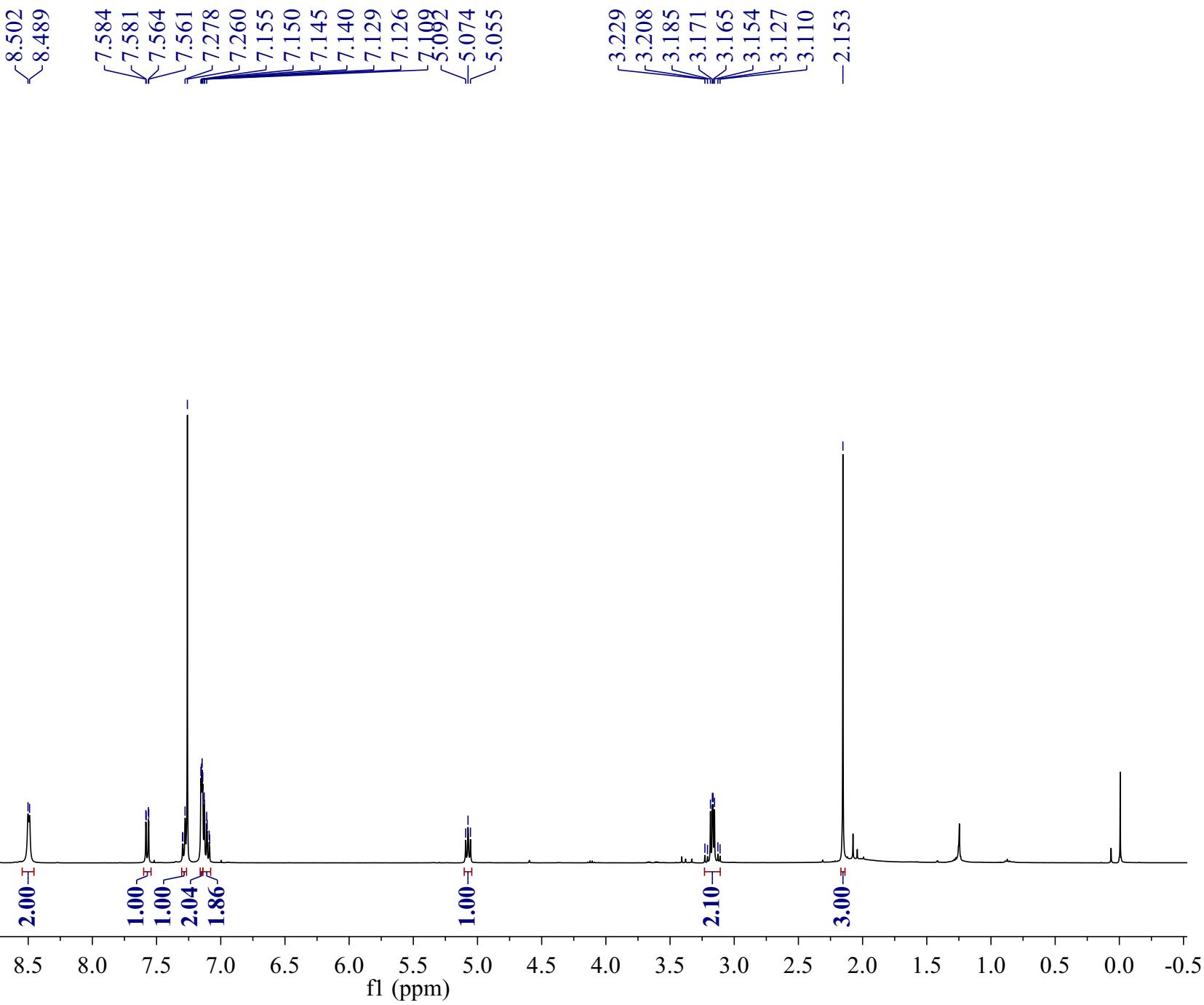
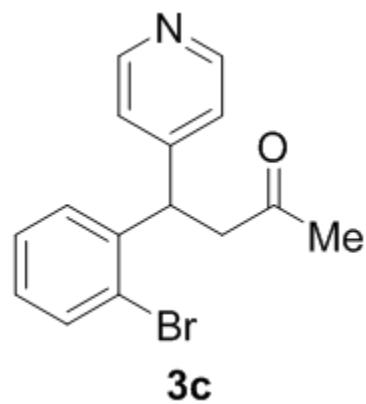




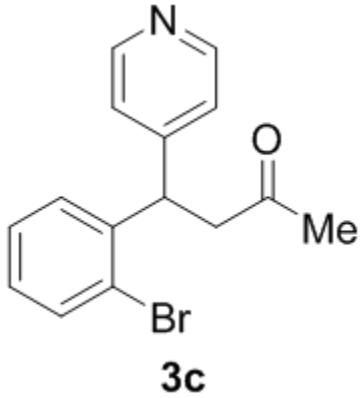
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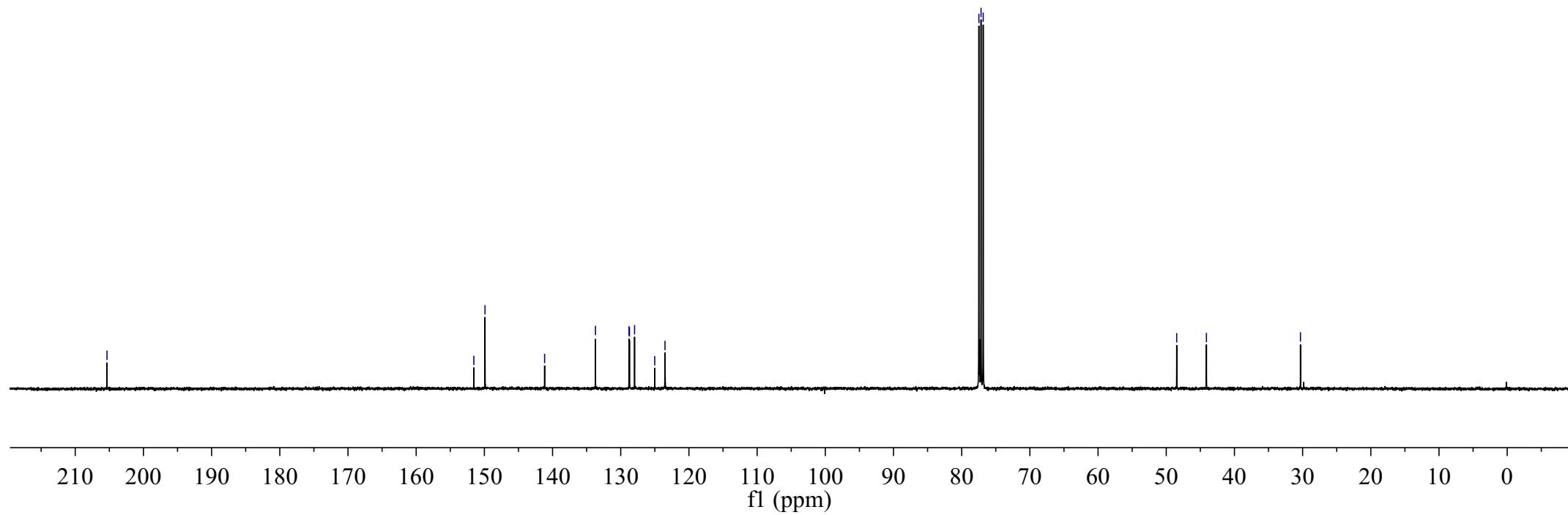


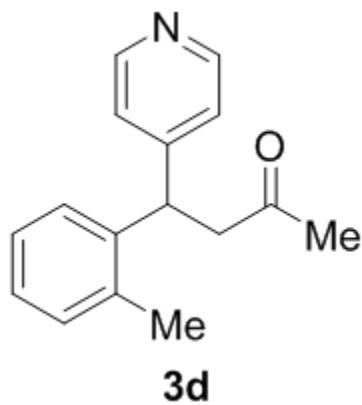
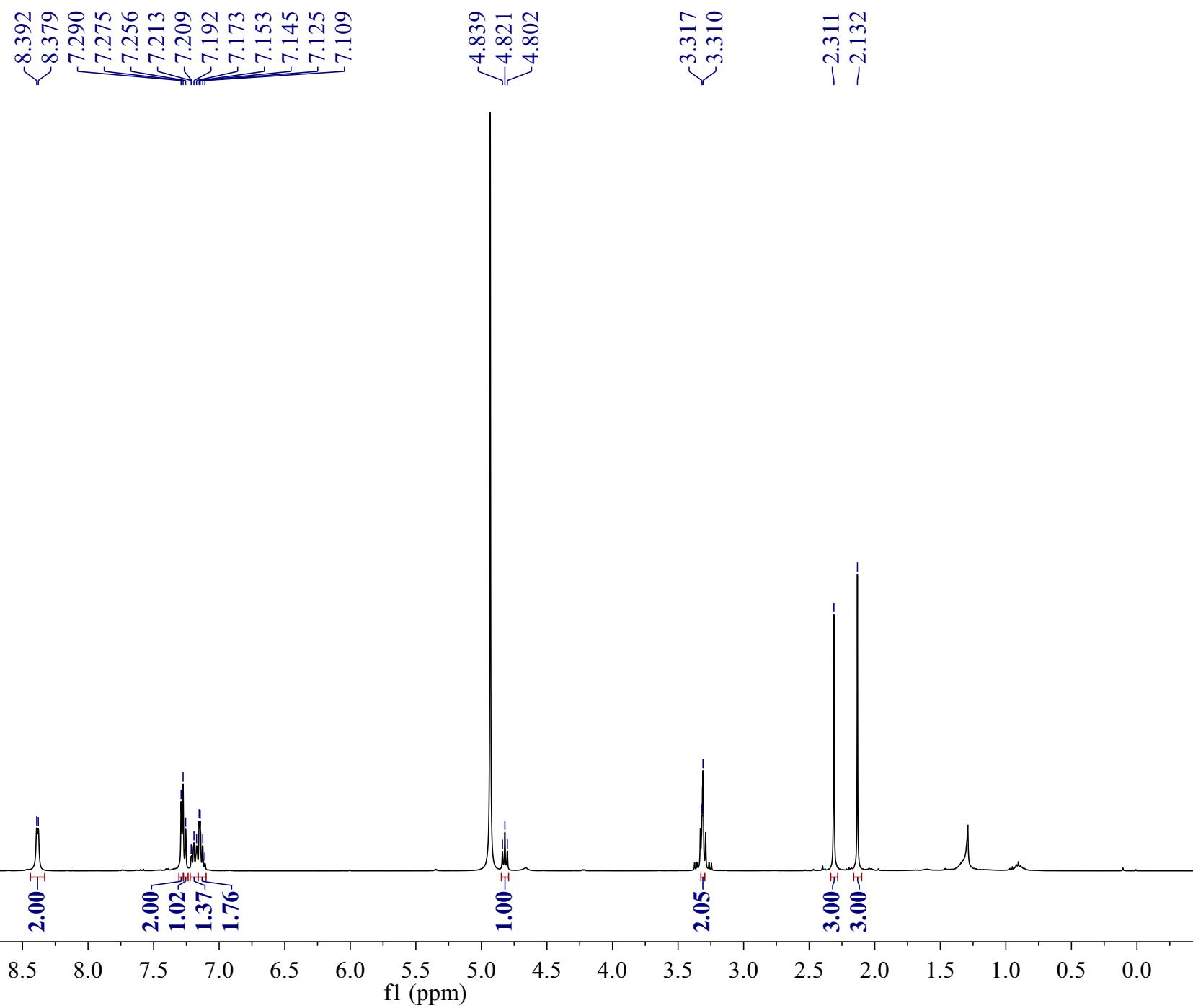
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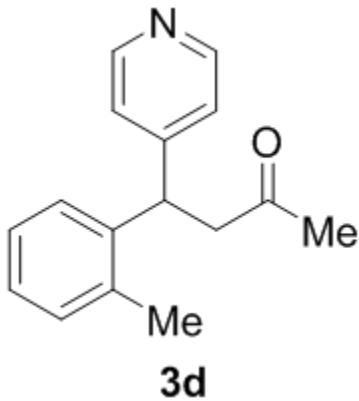
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**3d**

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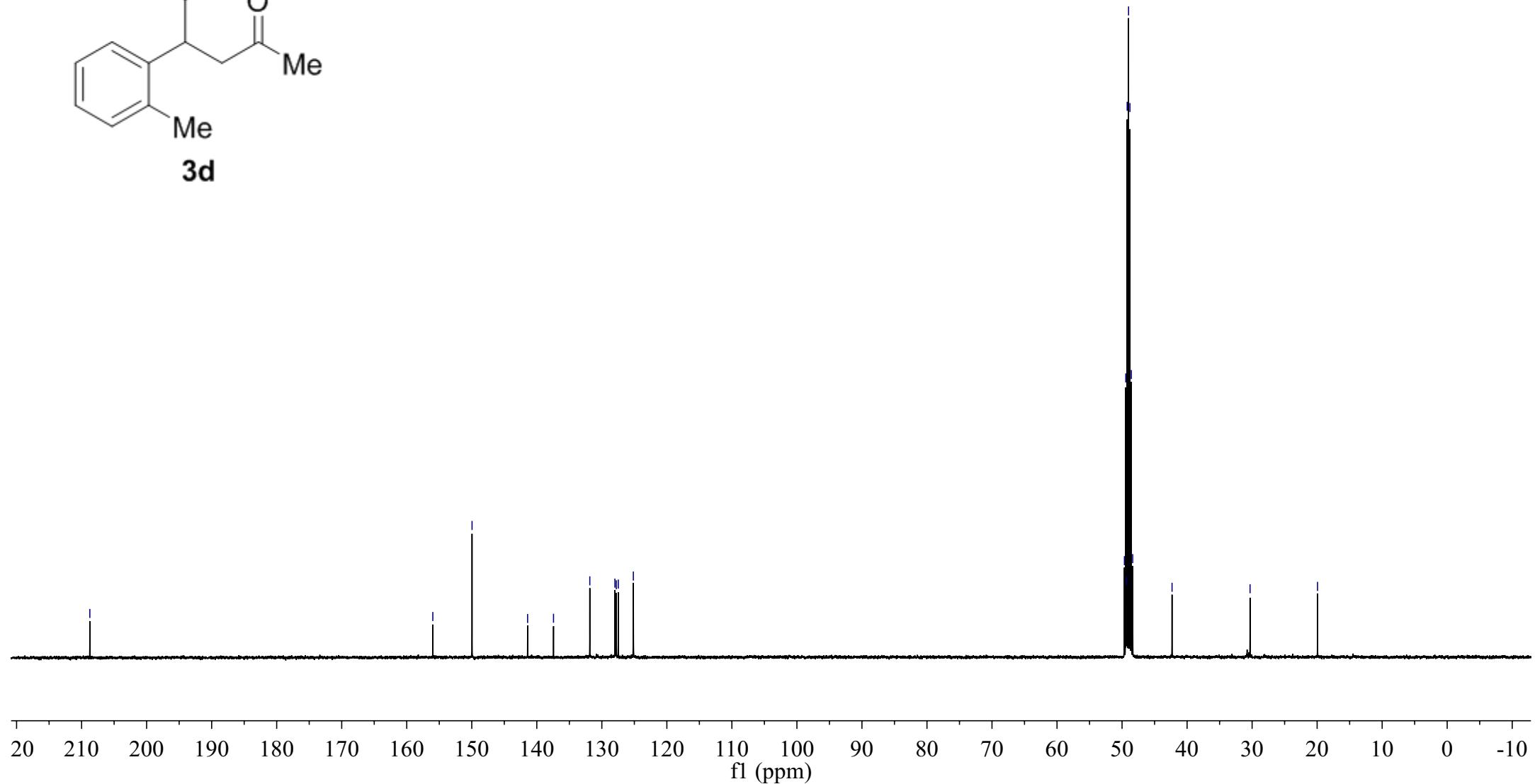
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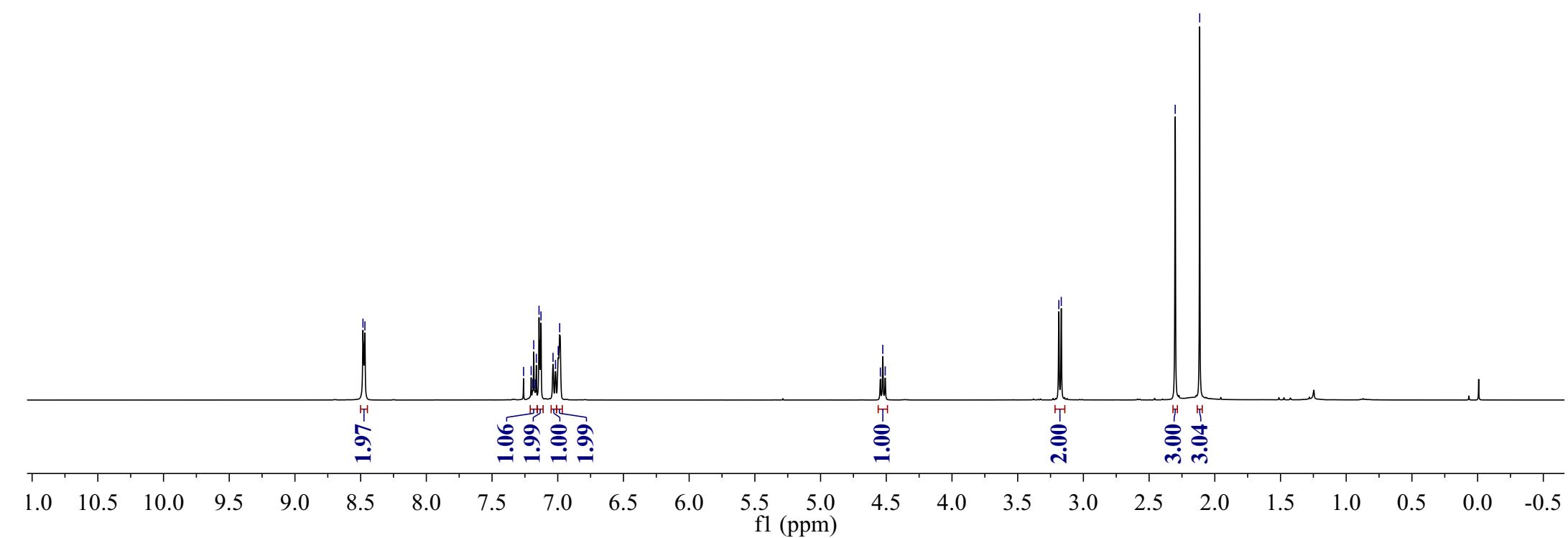
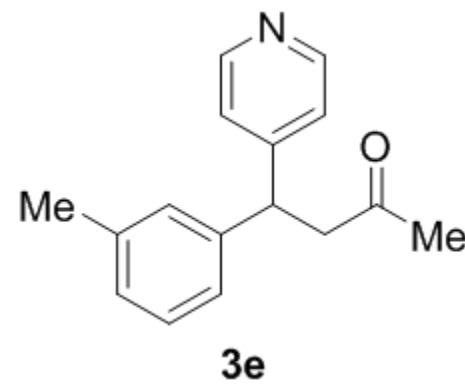
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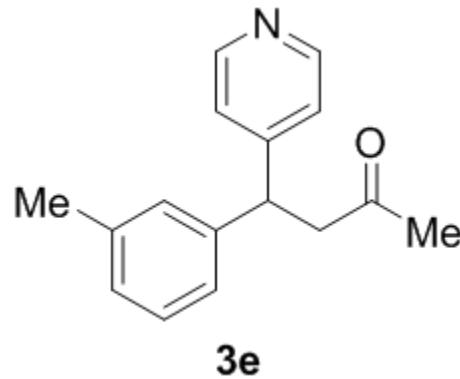


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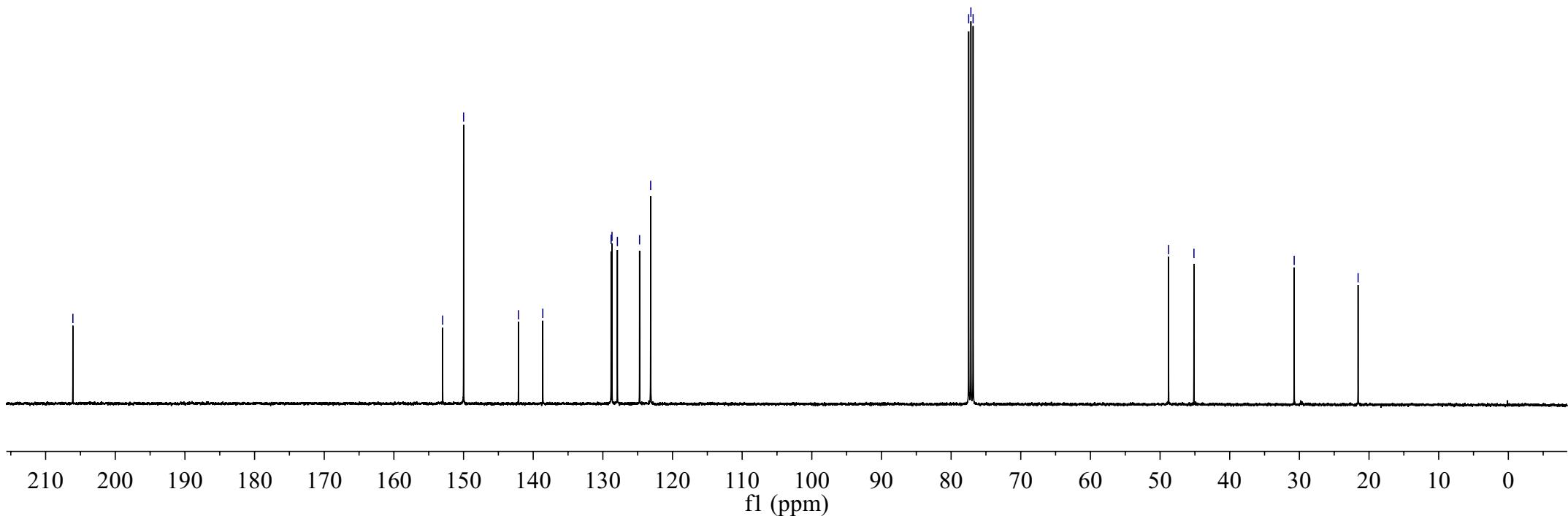


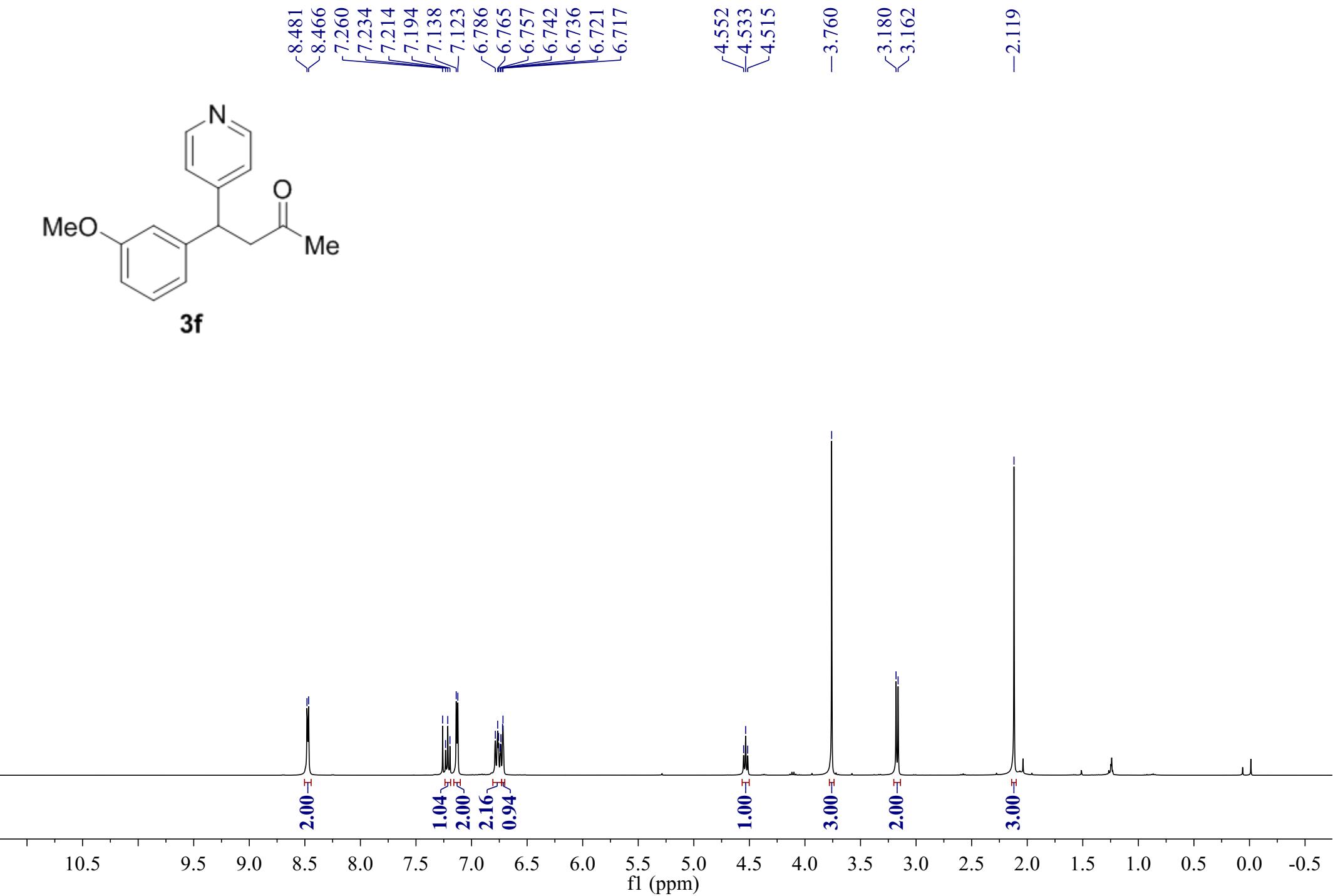
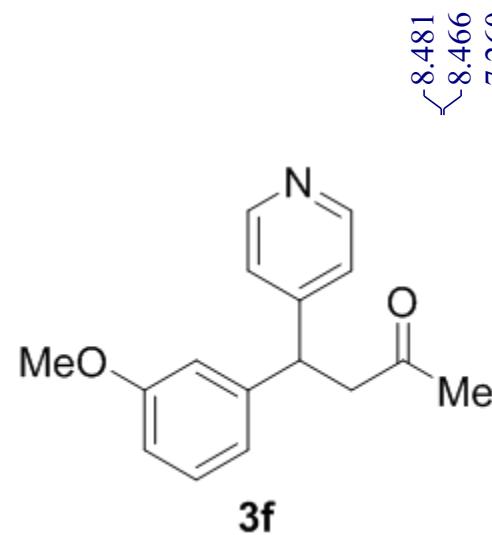
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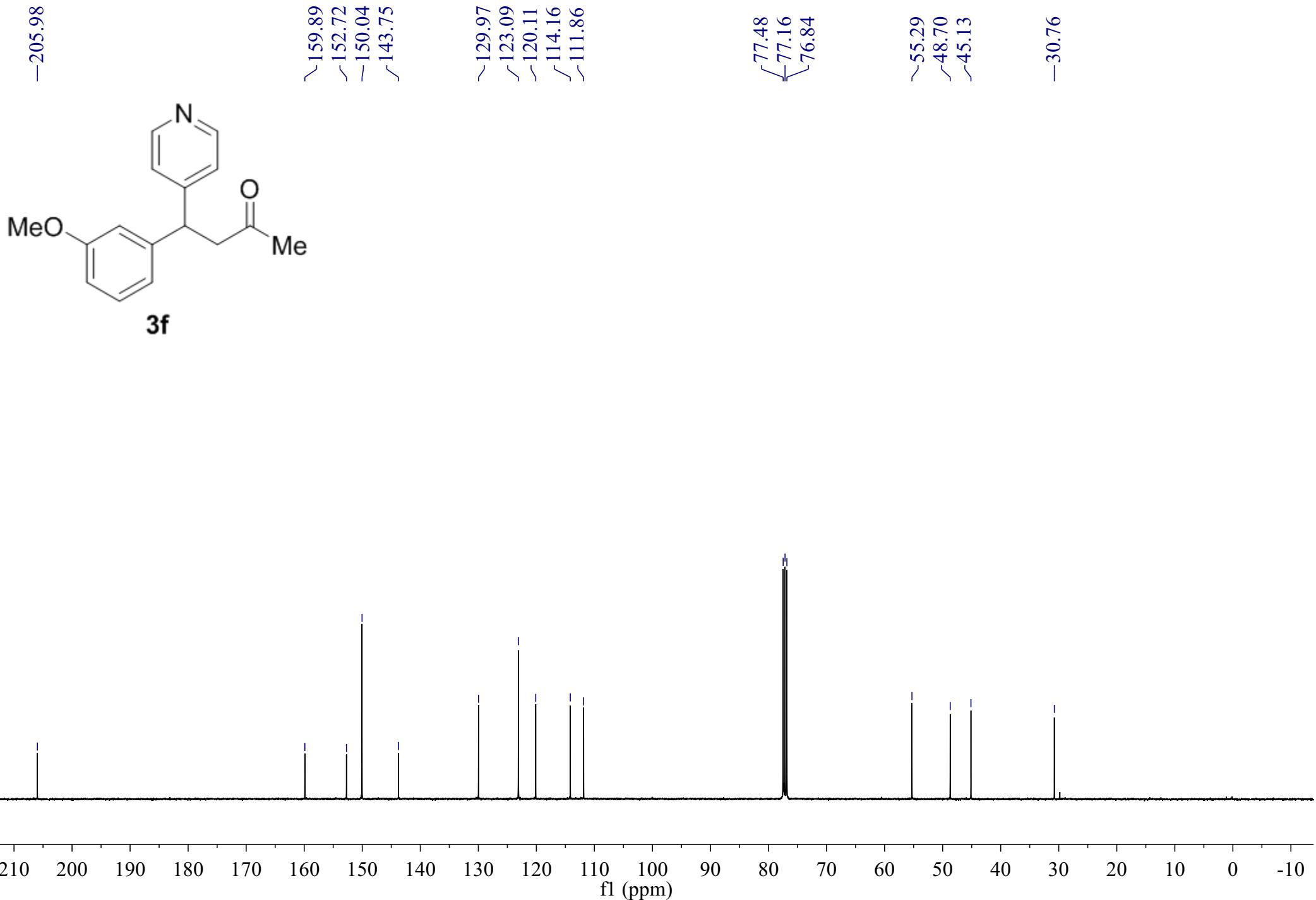
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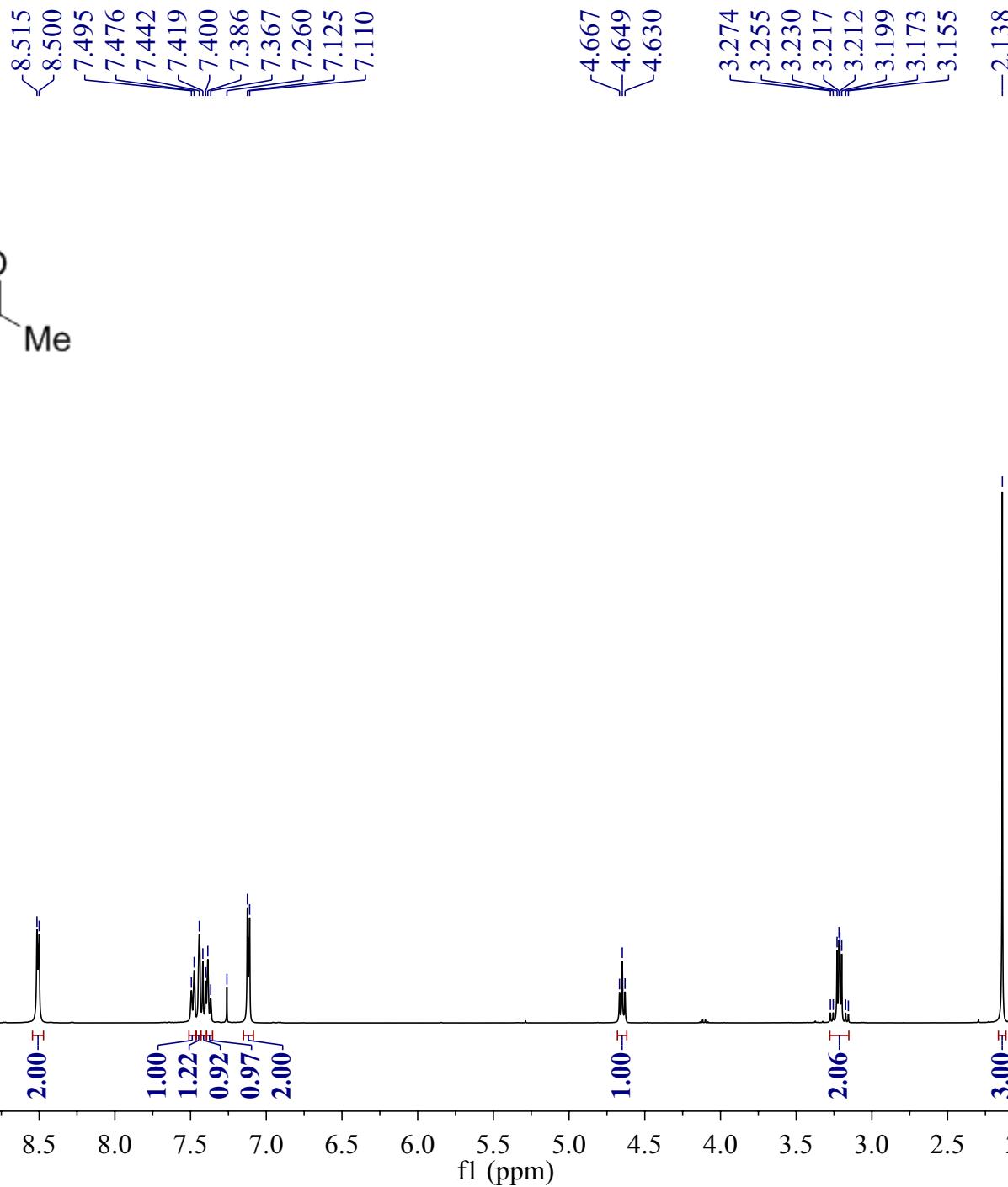
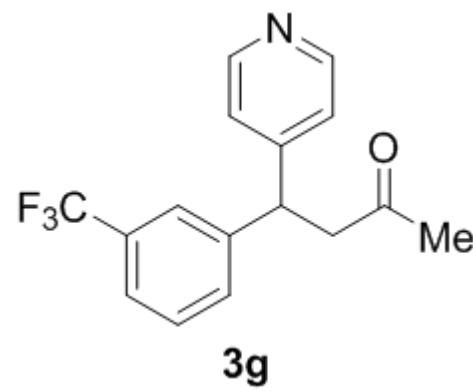
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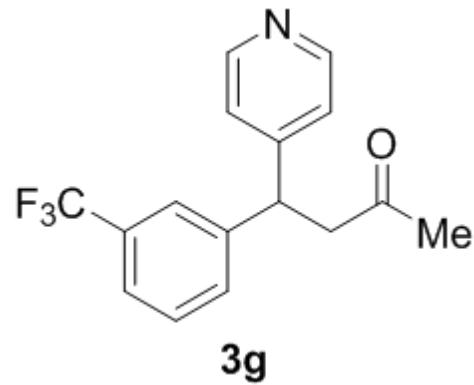
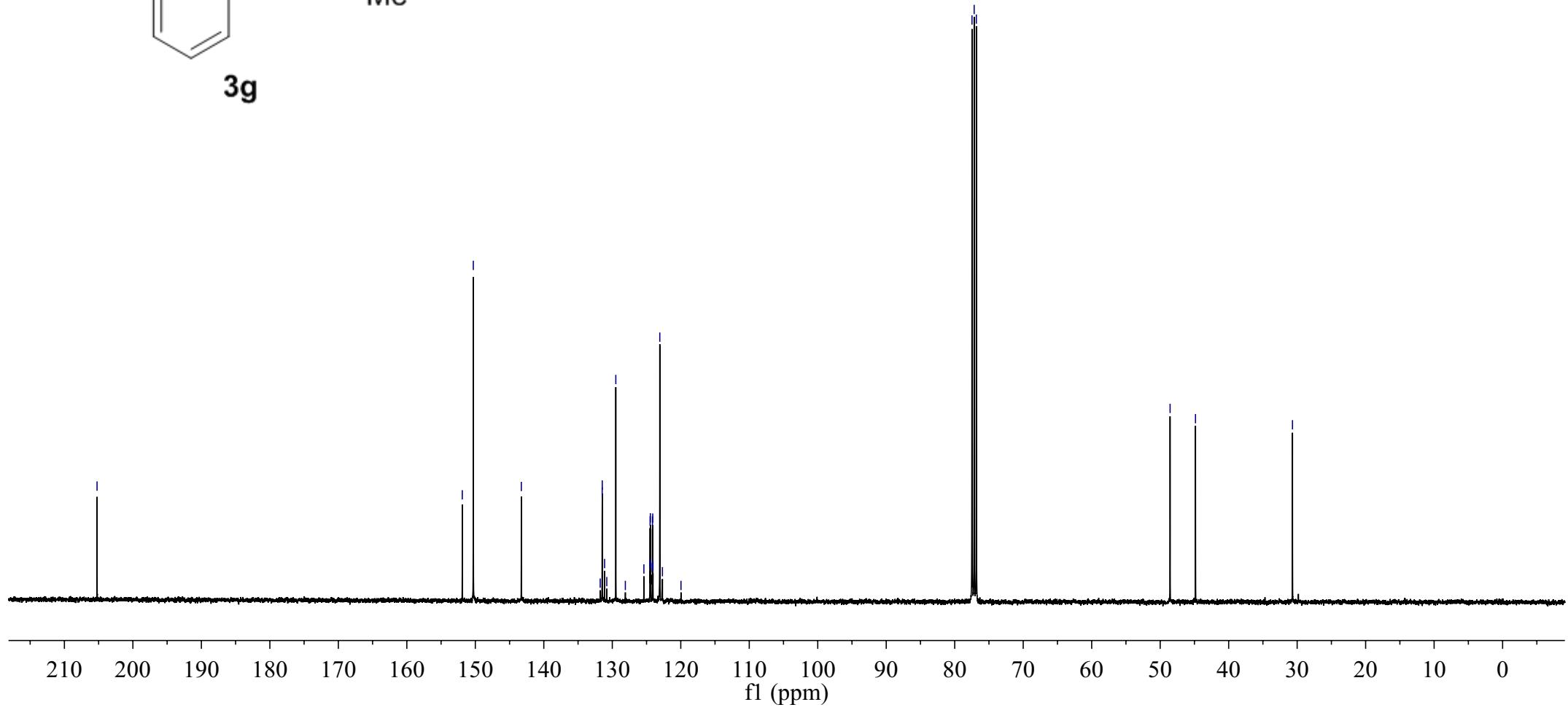
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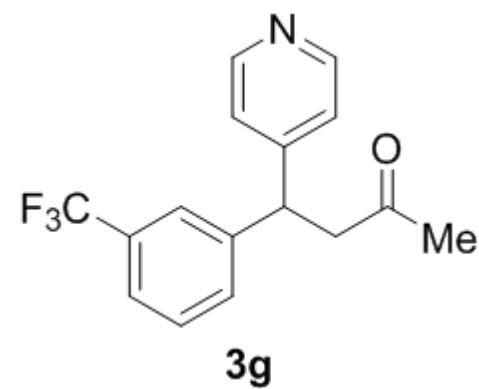


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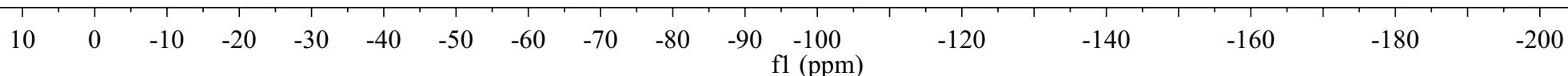
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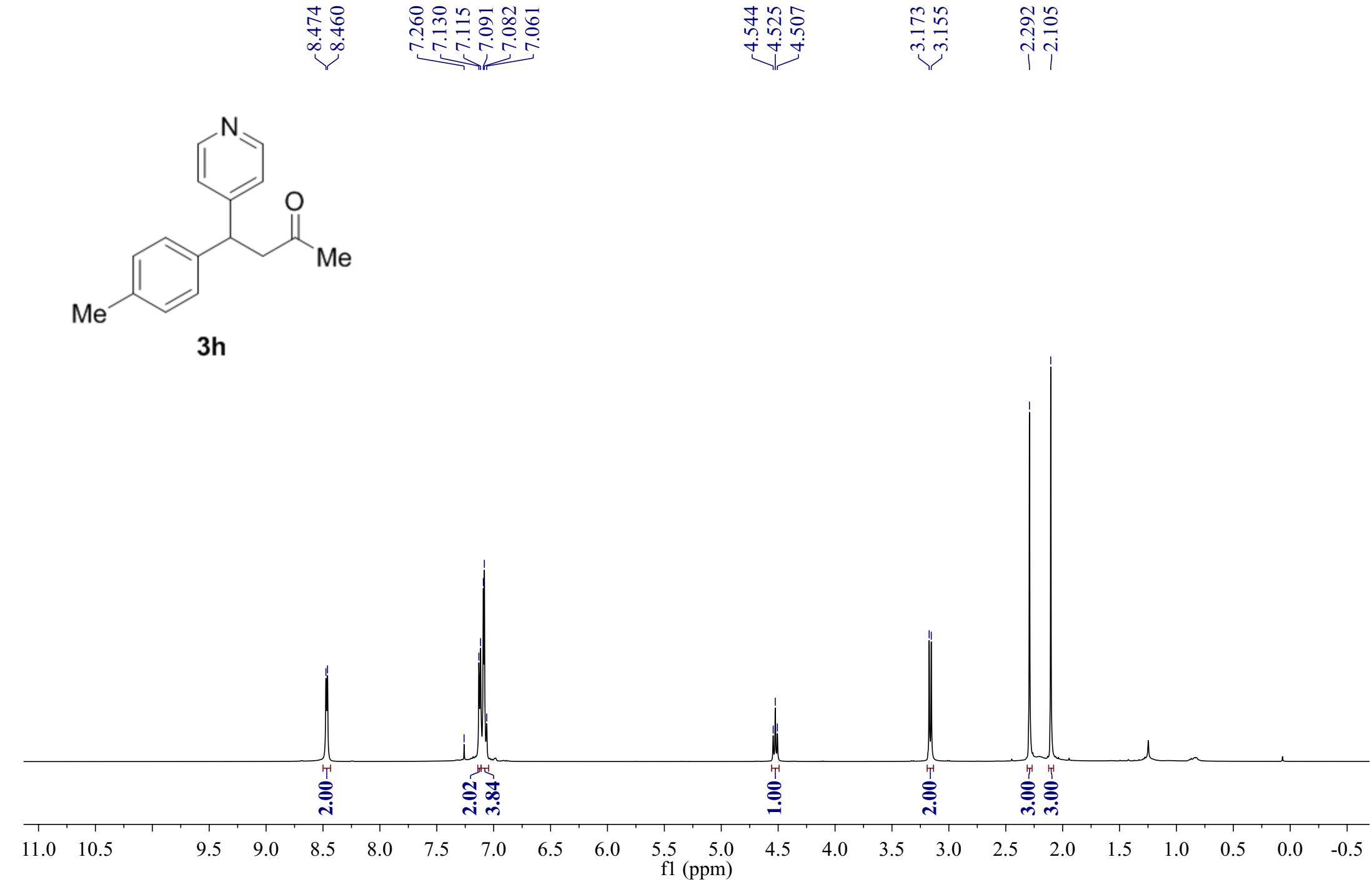
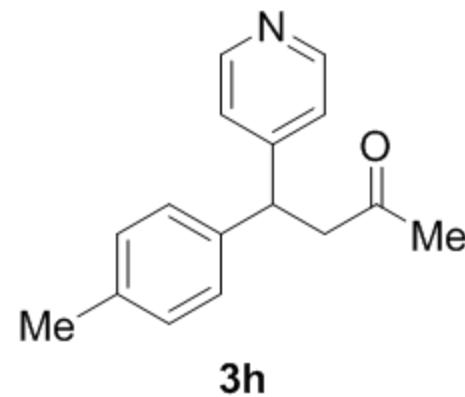
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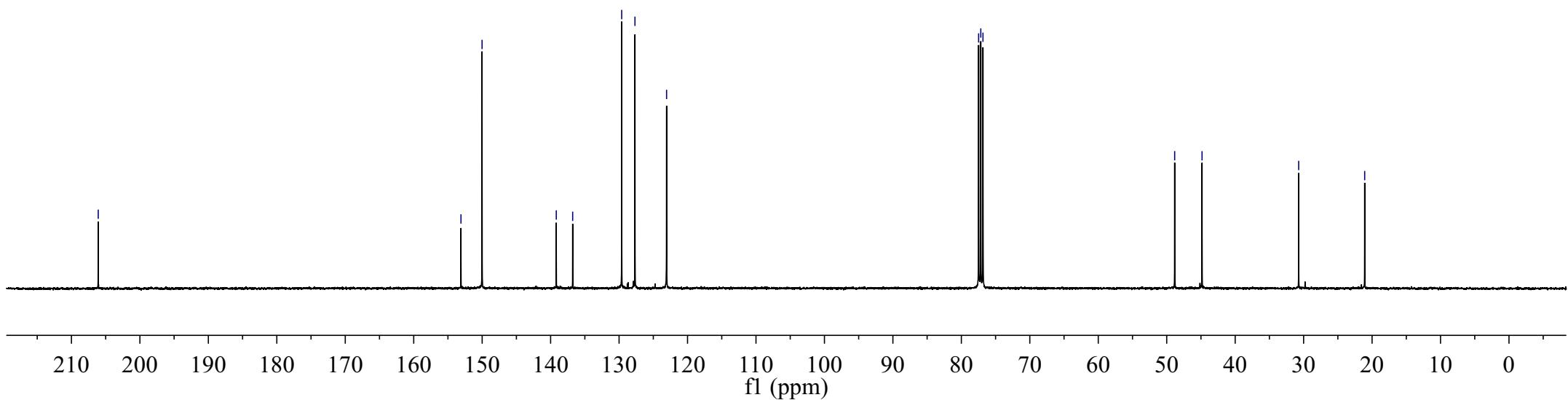
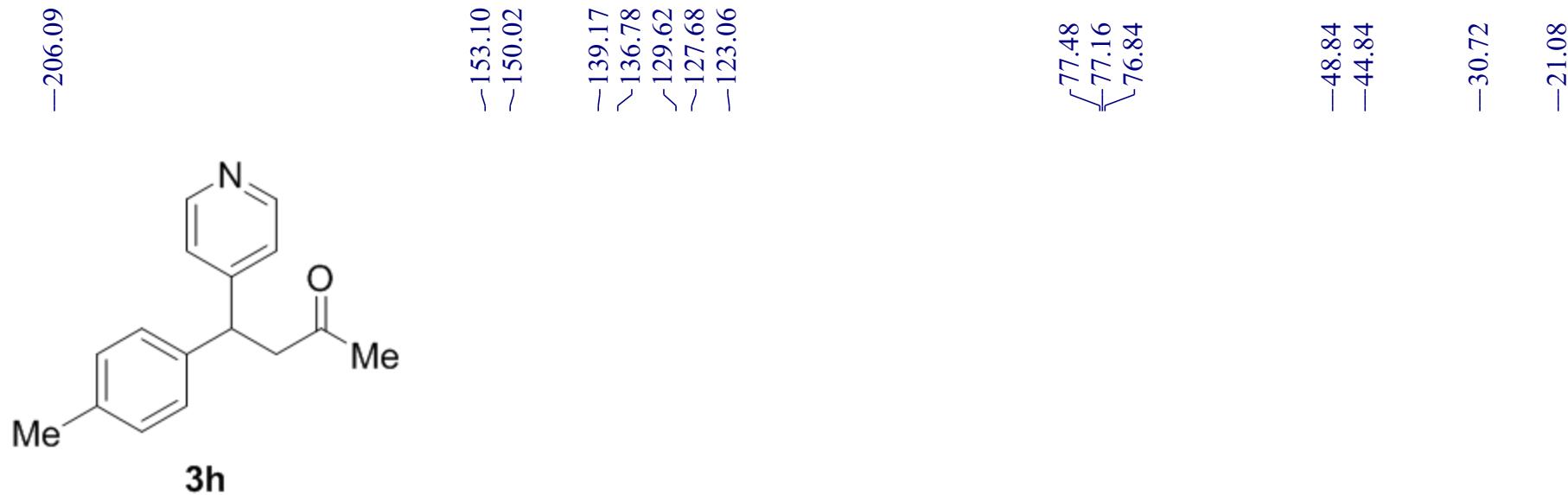
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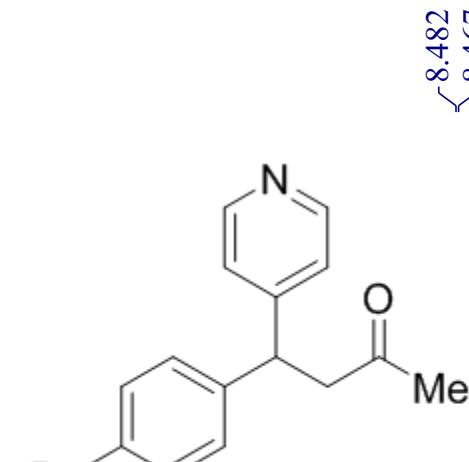
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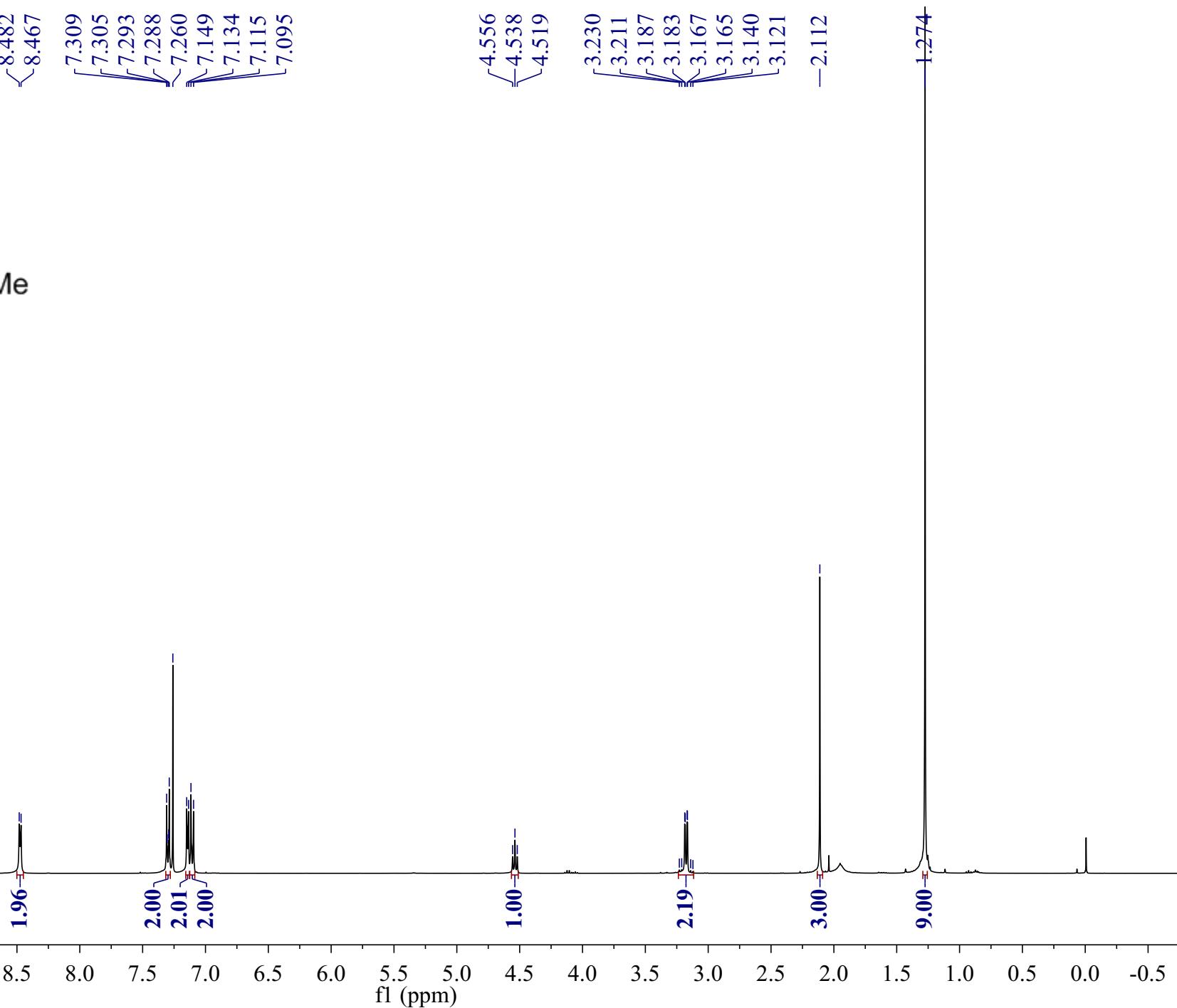
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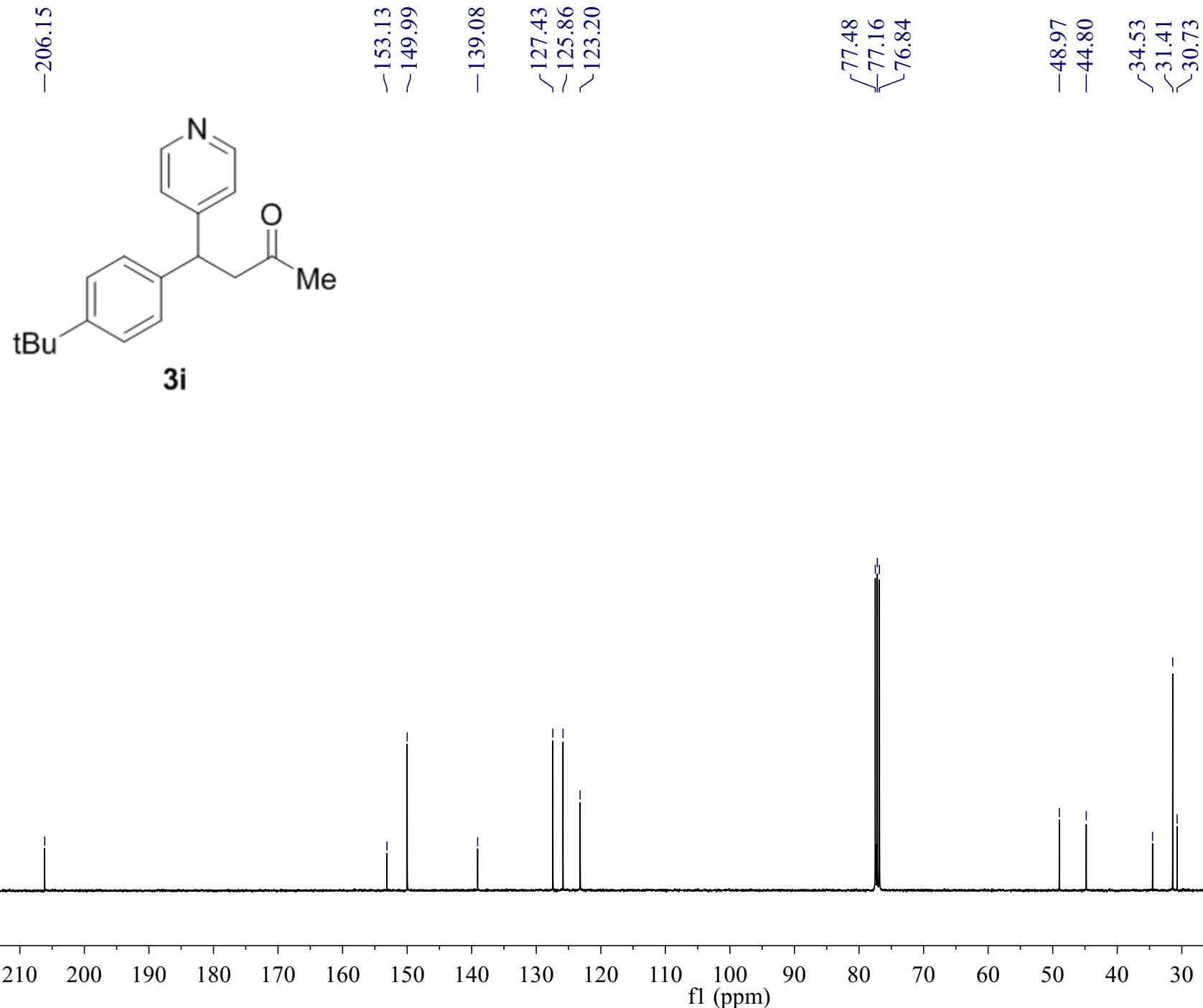
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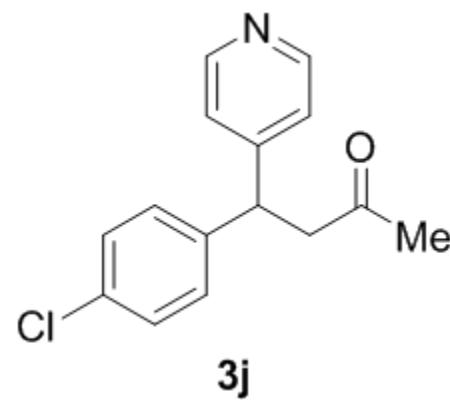
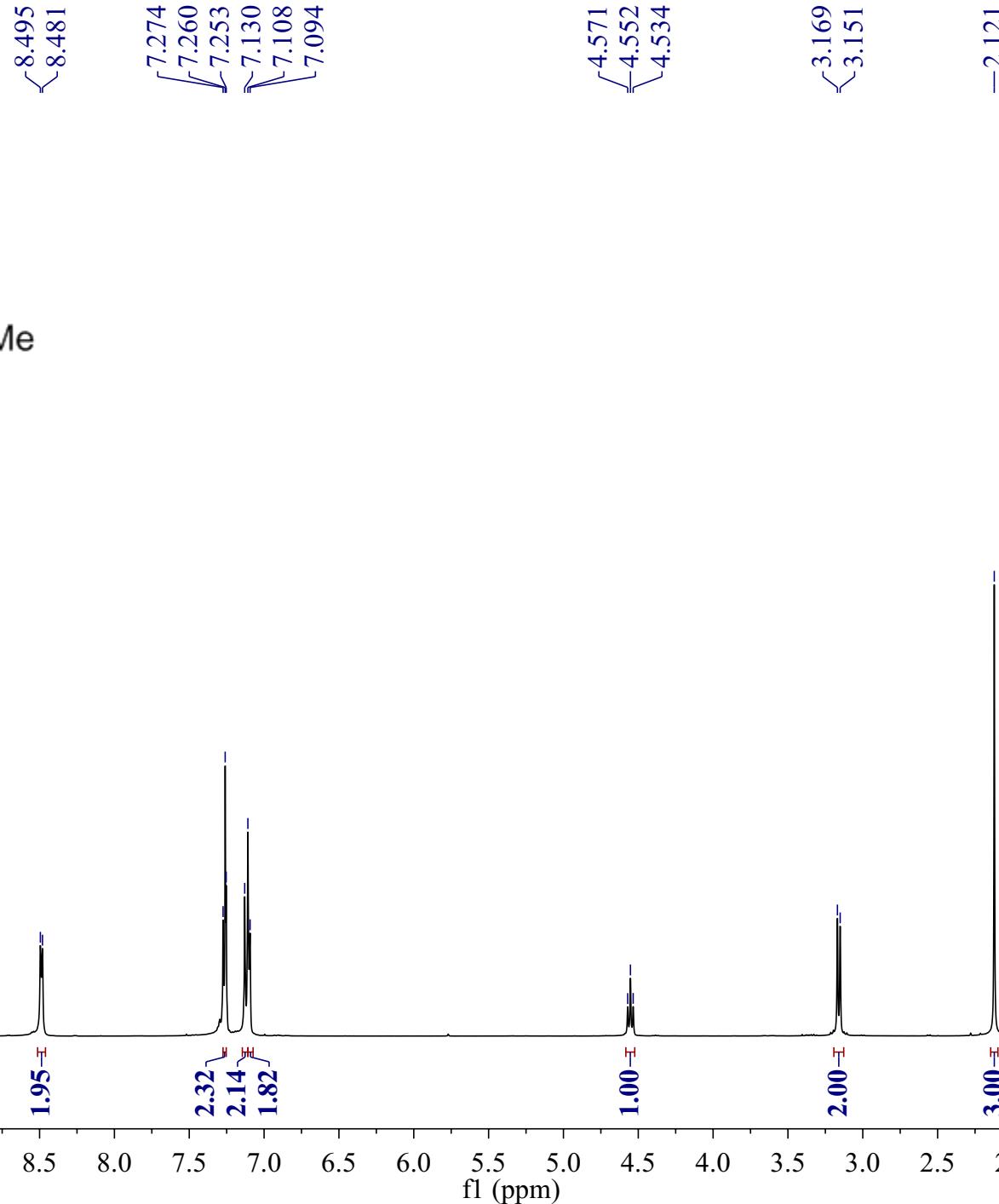


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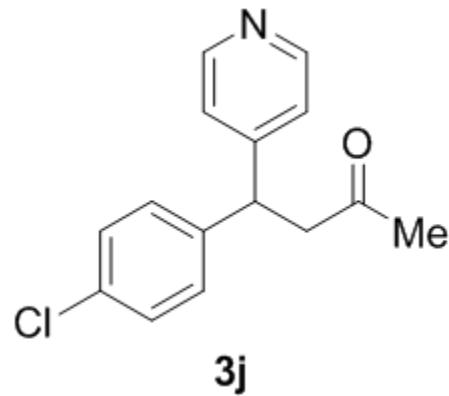


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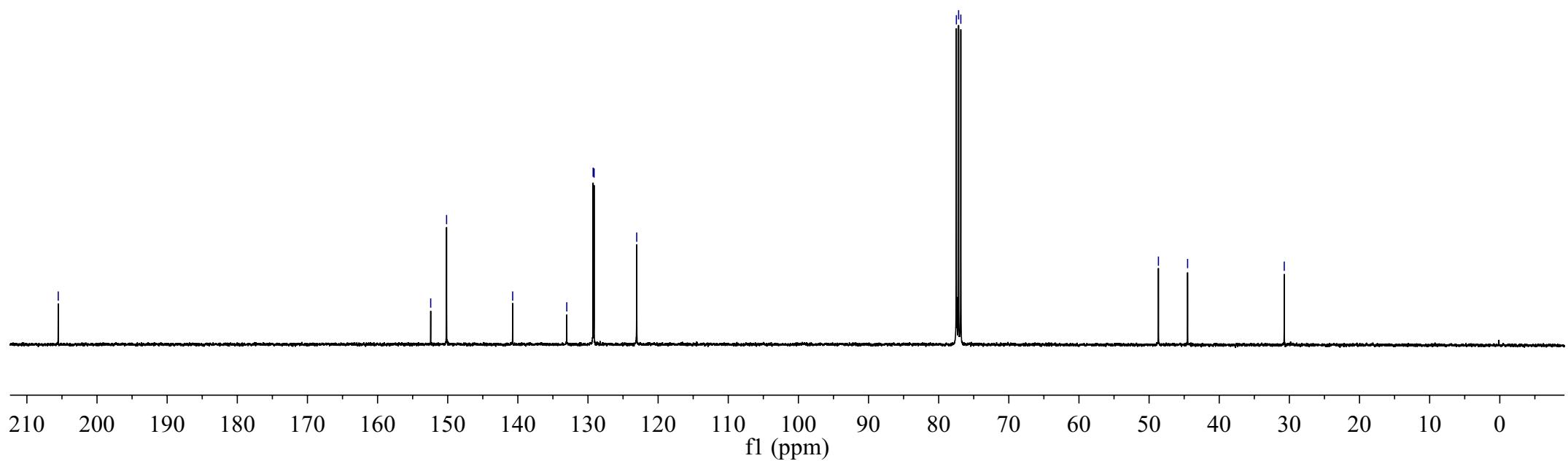
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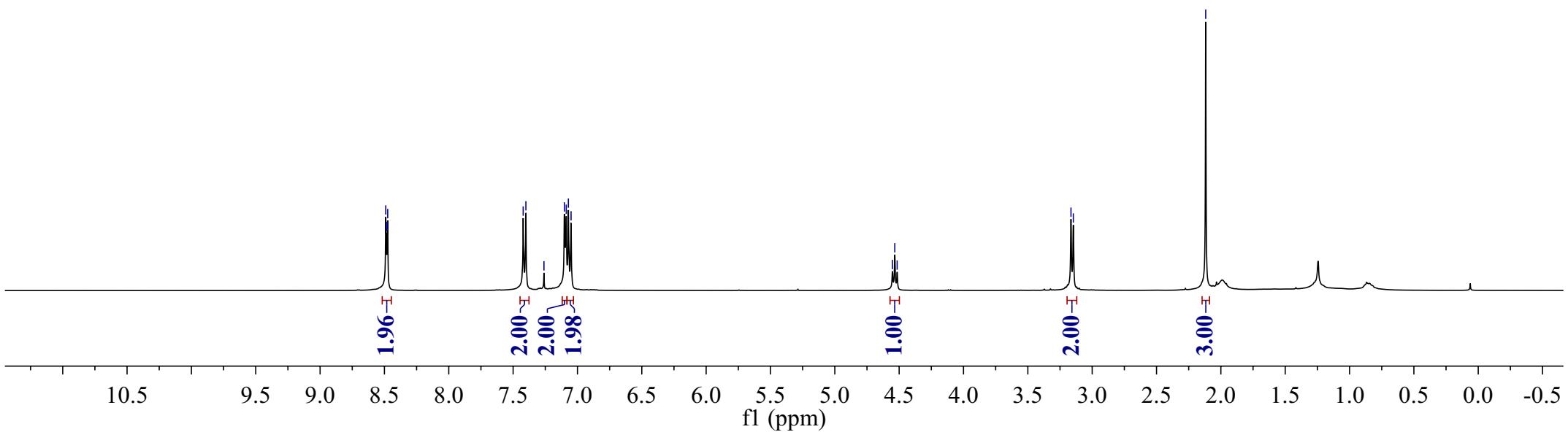
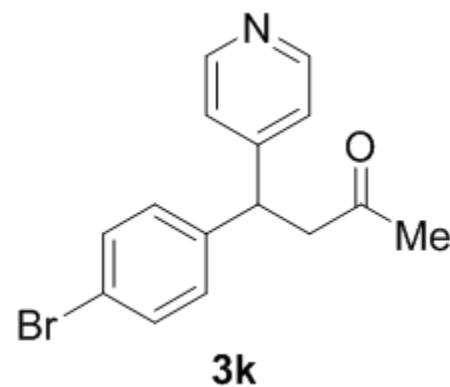
-140.74

 ~ 133.03
 $\swarrow 129.27$
 $\searrow 129.13$
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 ~ 44.51

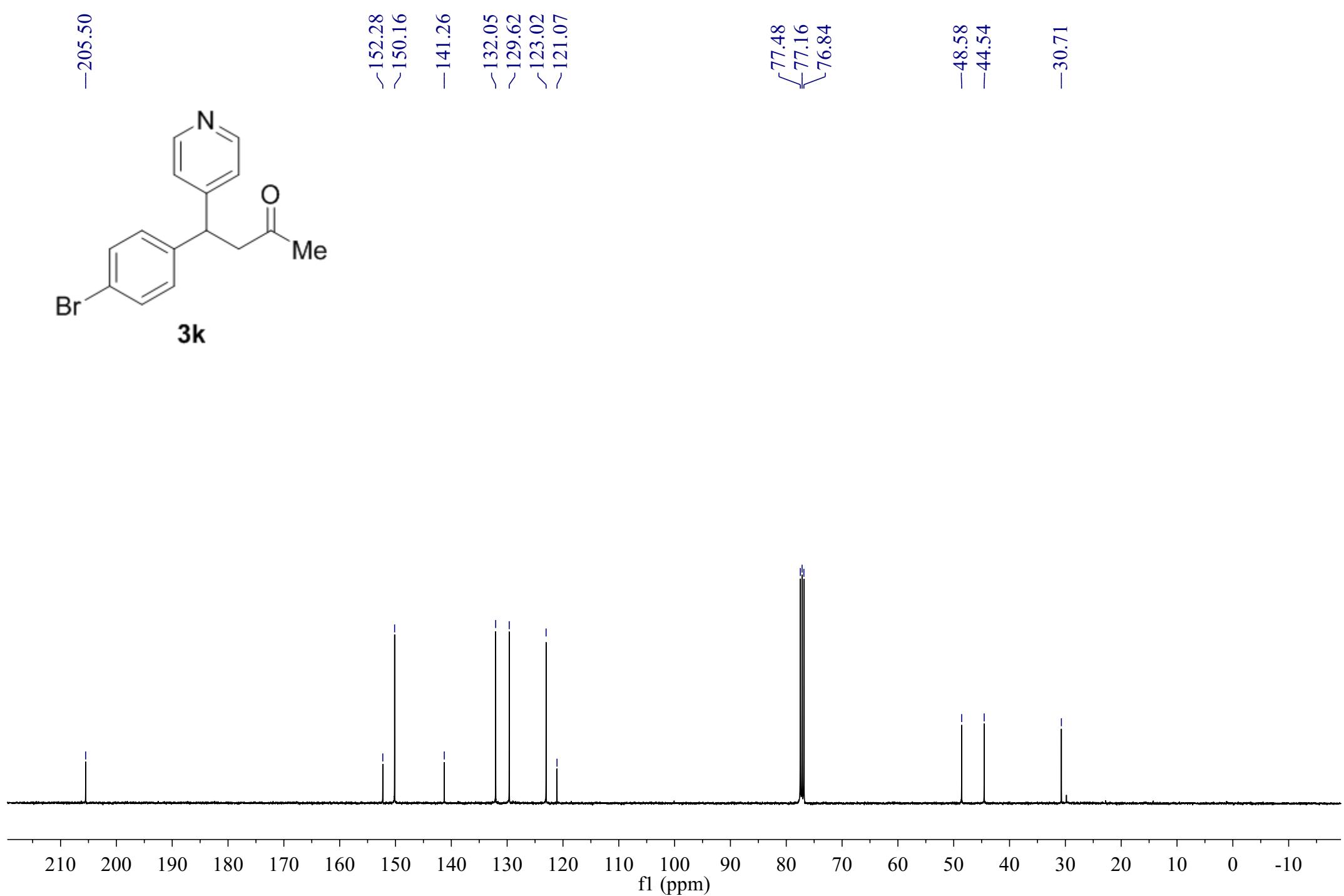
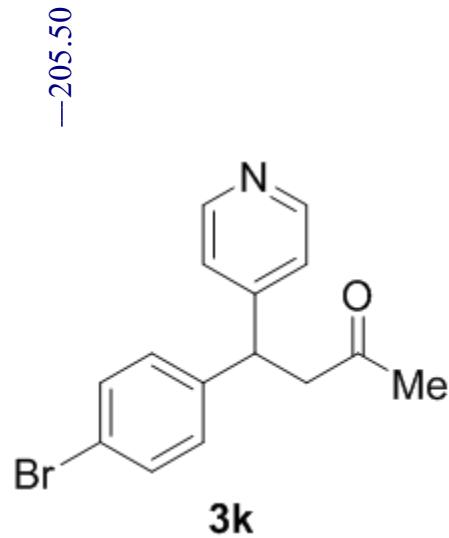
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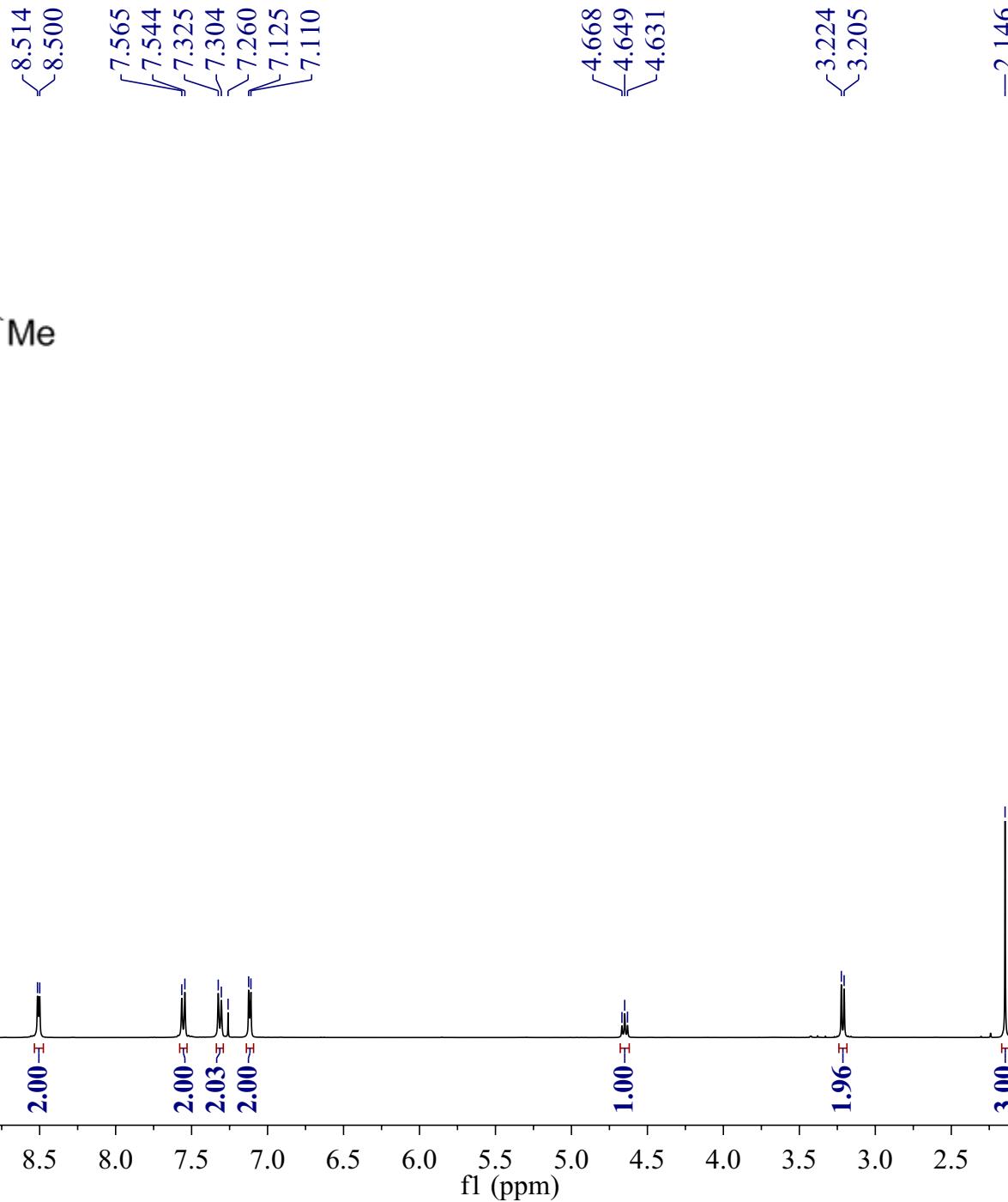
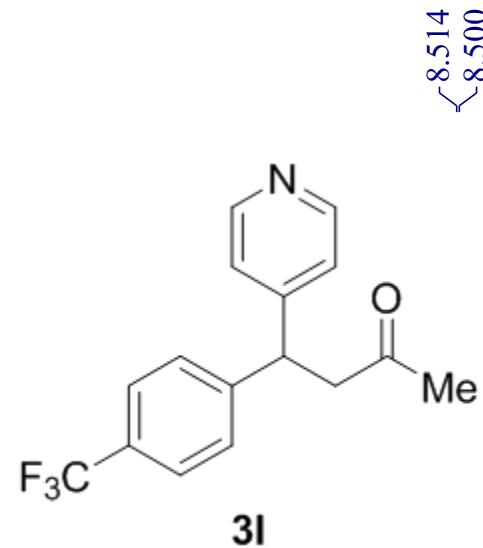
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ty-4-73 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

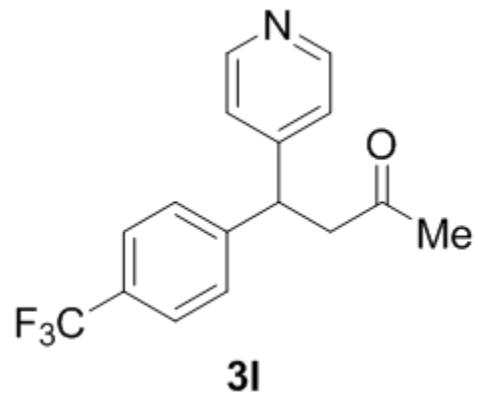


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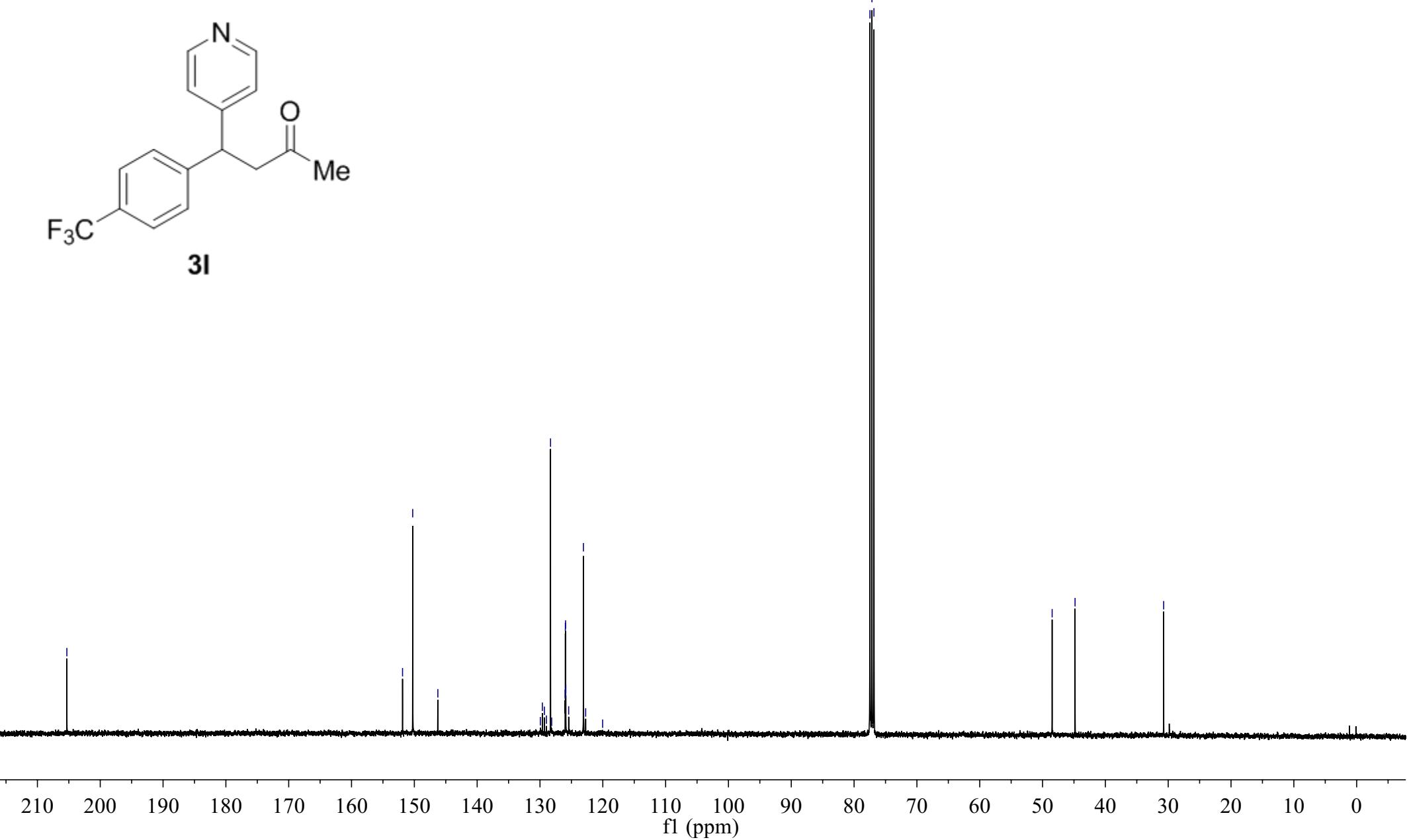


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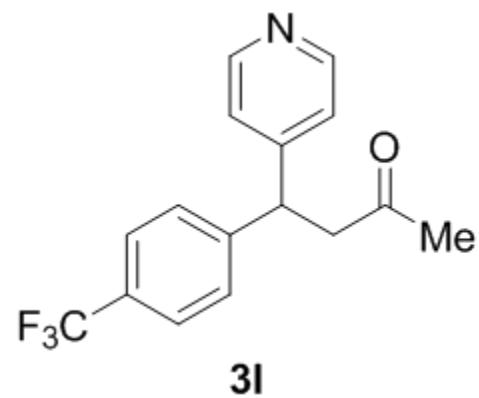
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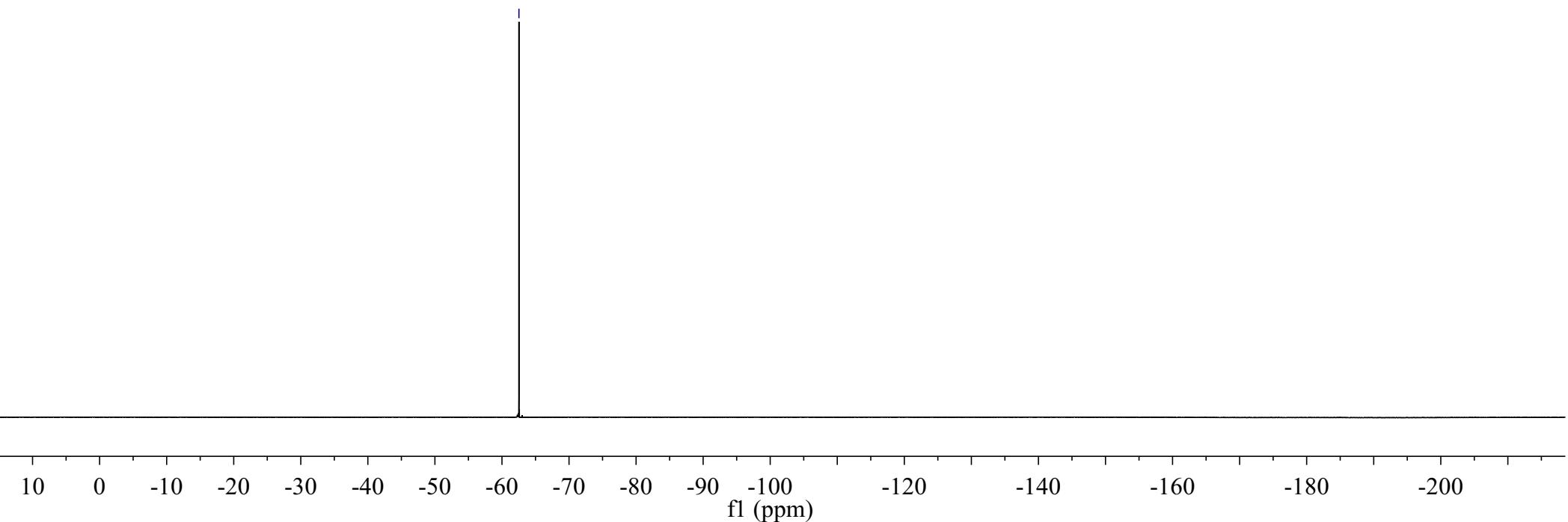
~151.88
~150.26
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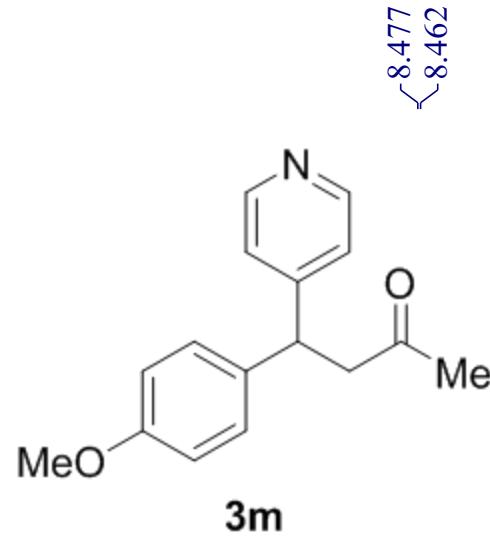
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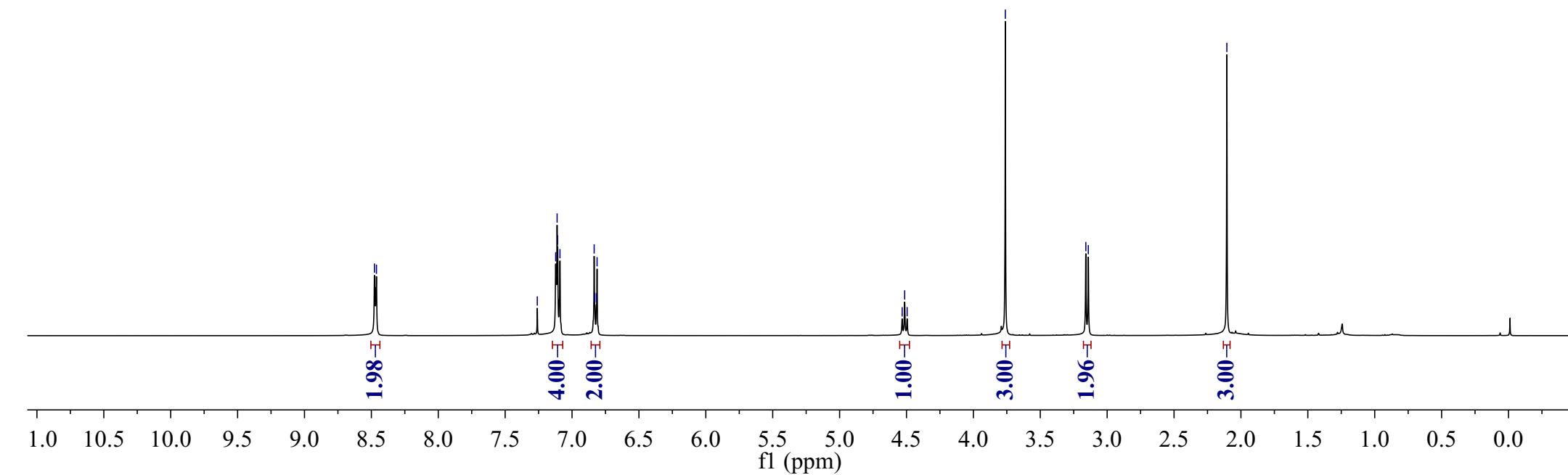
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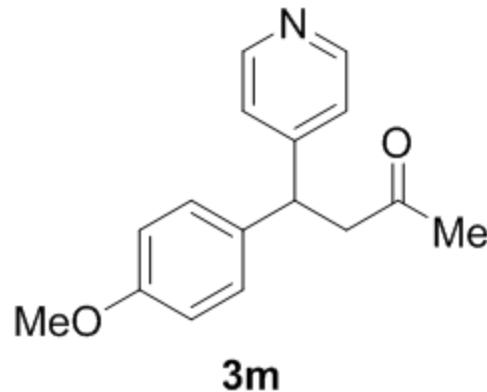


3m



ty-4-10 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

-206.19



3m

~158.56

~153.25

~150.02

~134.23

~128.85

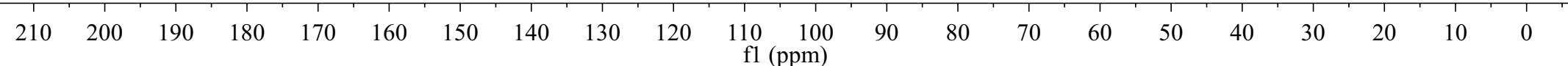
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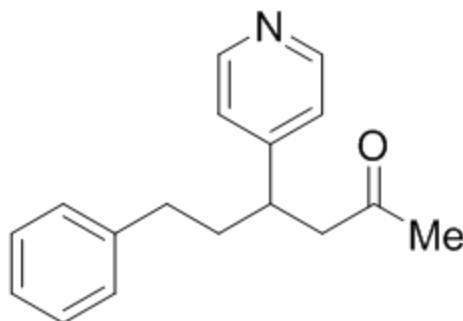
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~55.35
~48.97
✓44.43

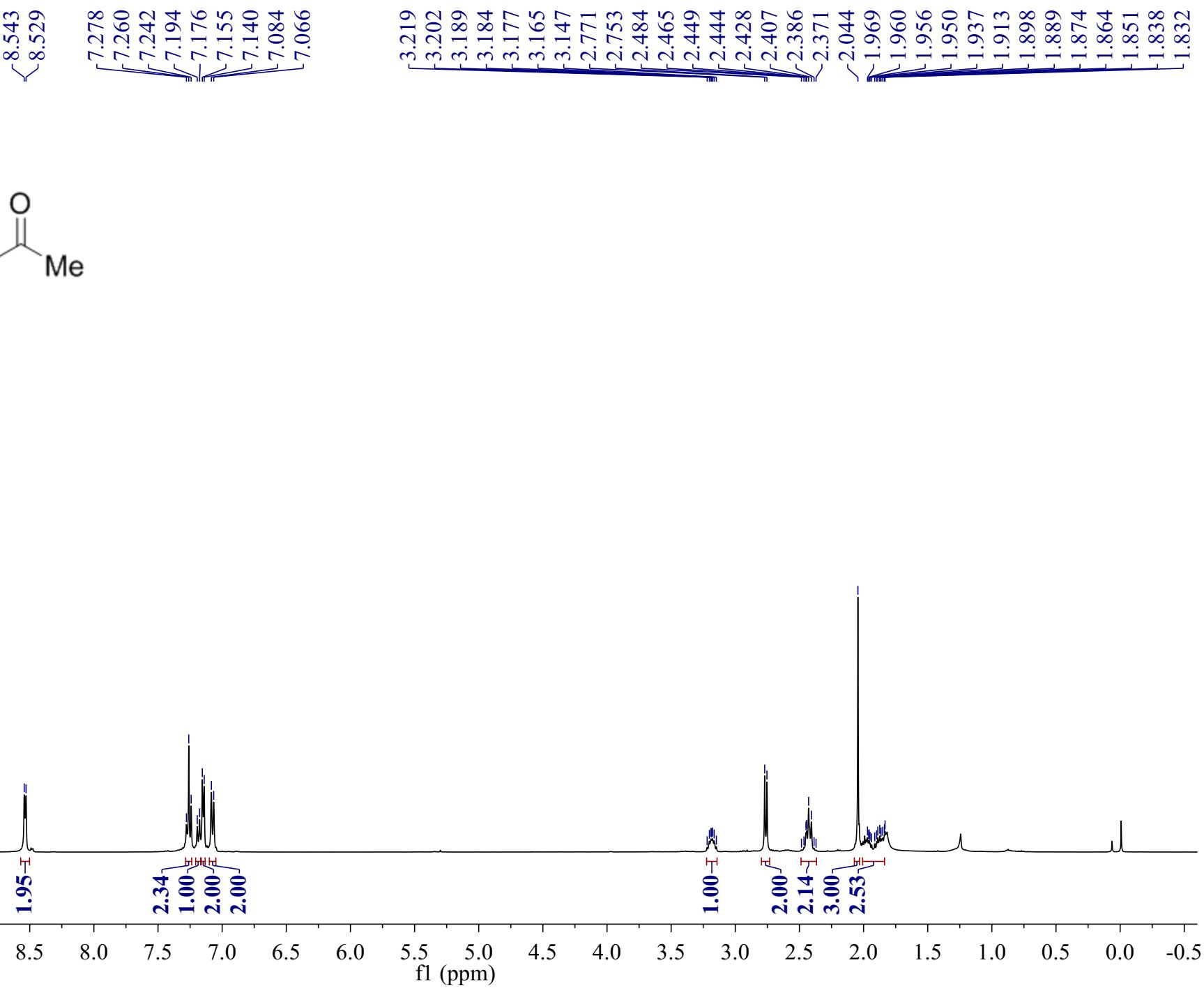
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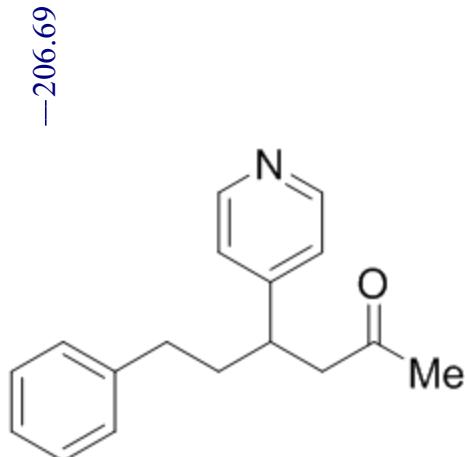
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3n



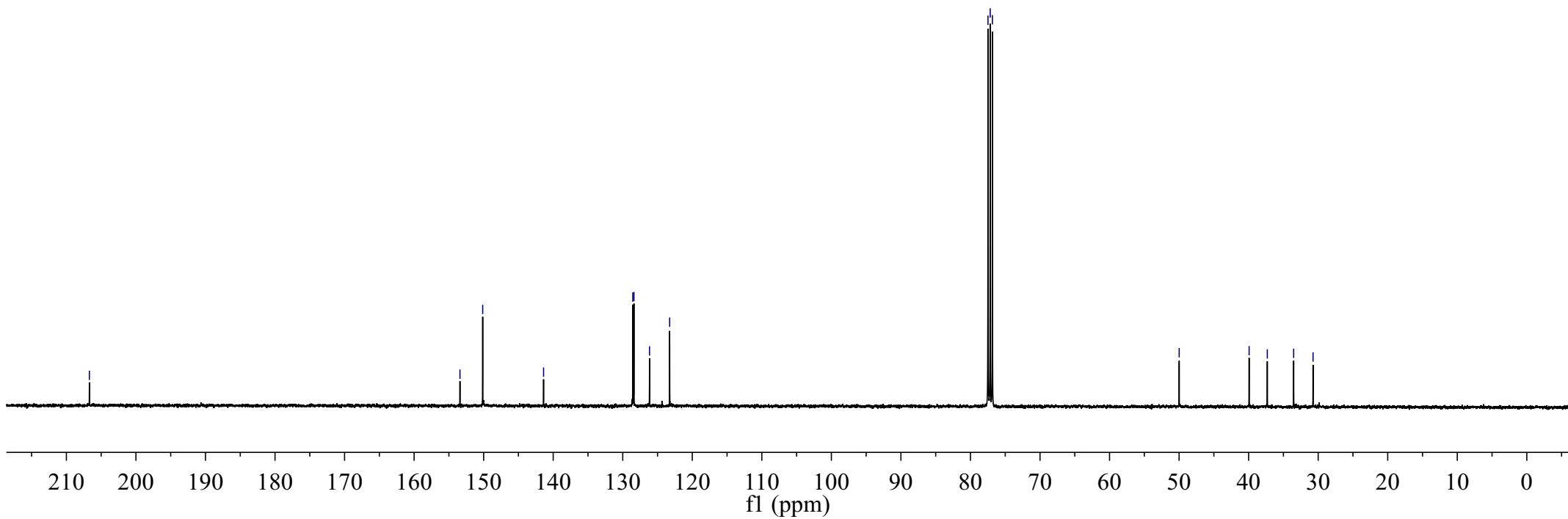
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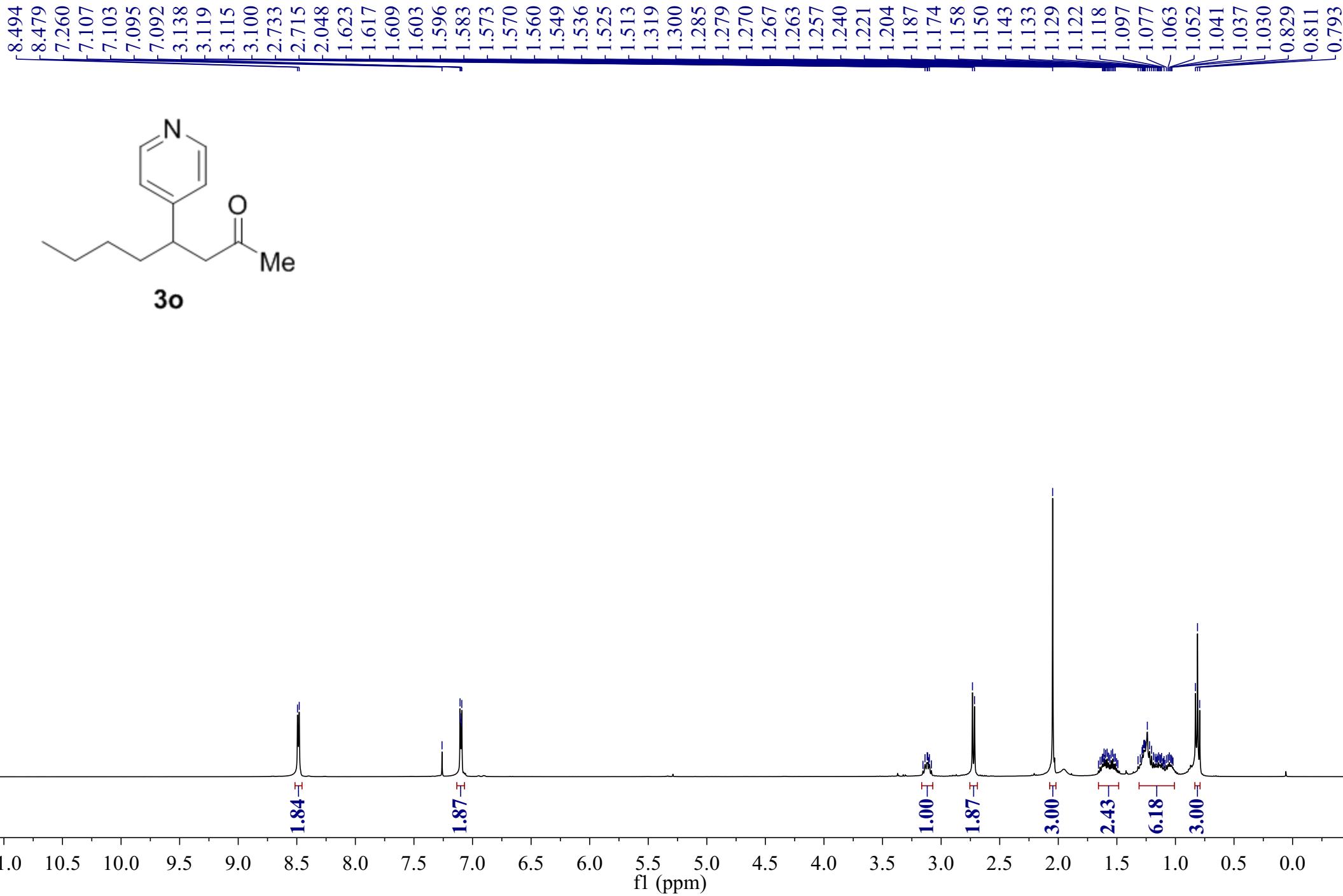
3n

Peak assignments for **3n**:

- 153.41
- 150.14
- 141.38
- 128.56
- 128.39
- 126.15
- 123.26
- 77.48
- 77.16
- 76.84
- 49.98
- 39.93
- 37.31
- 33.52
- 30.74



ty-4-56 H1 CDCl₃ 400 M Hz

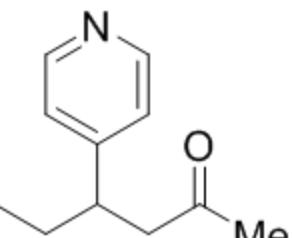


-206.92

-153.99

-149.98

-123.15

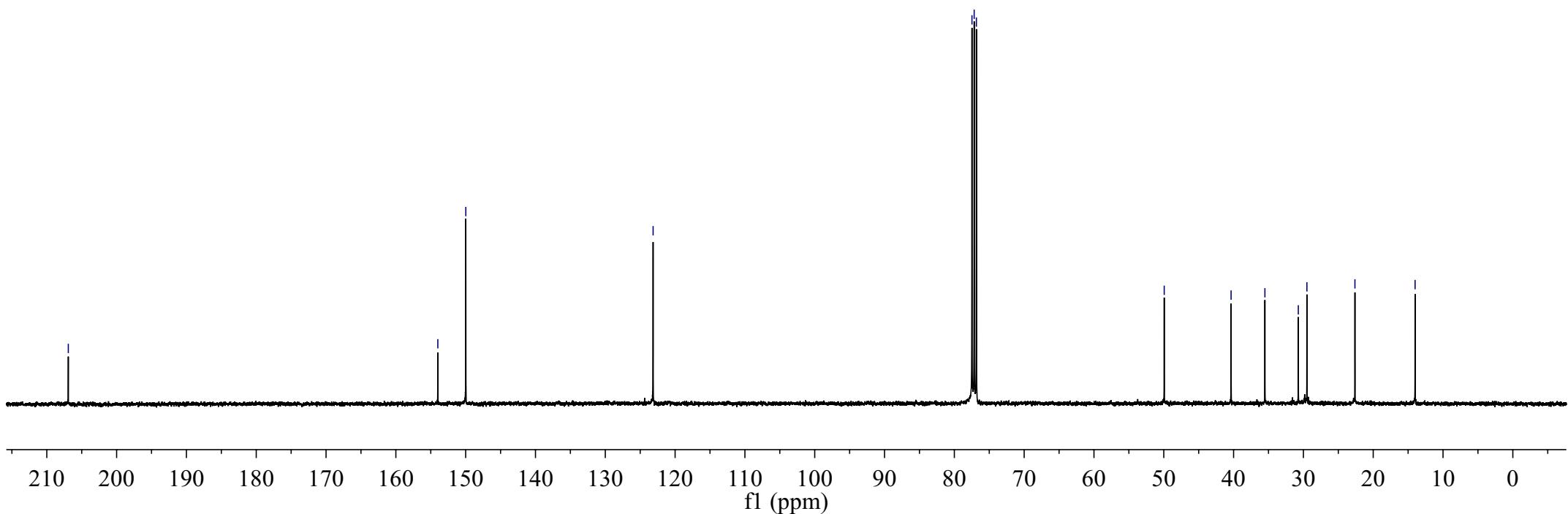
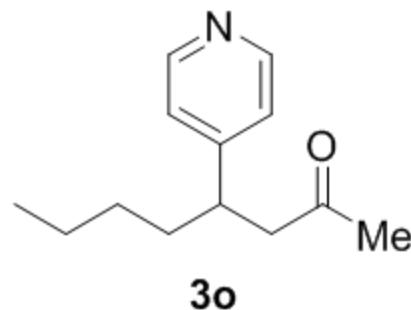


77.48
77.16
76.84

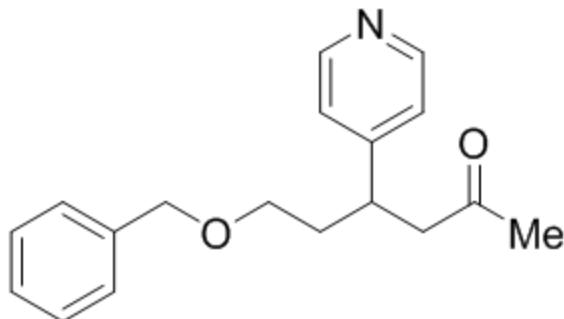
-49.94

~40.36
-35.51
~30.73
~29.50
~22.62

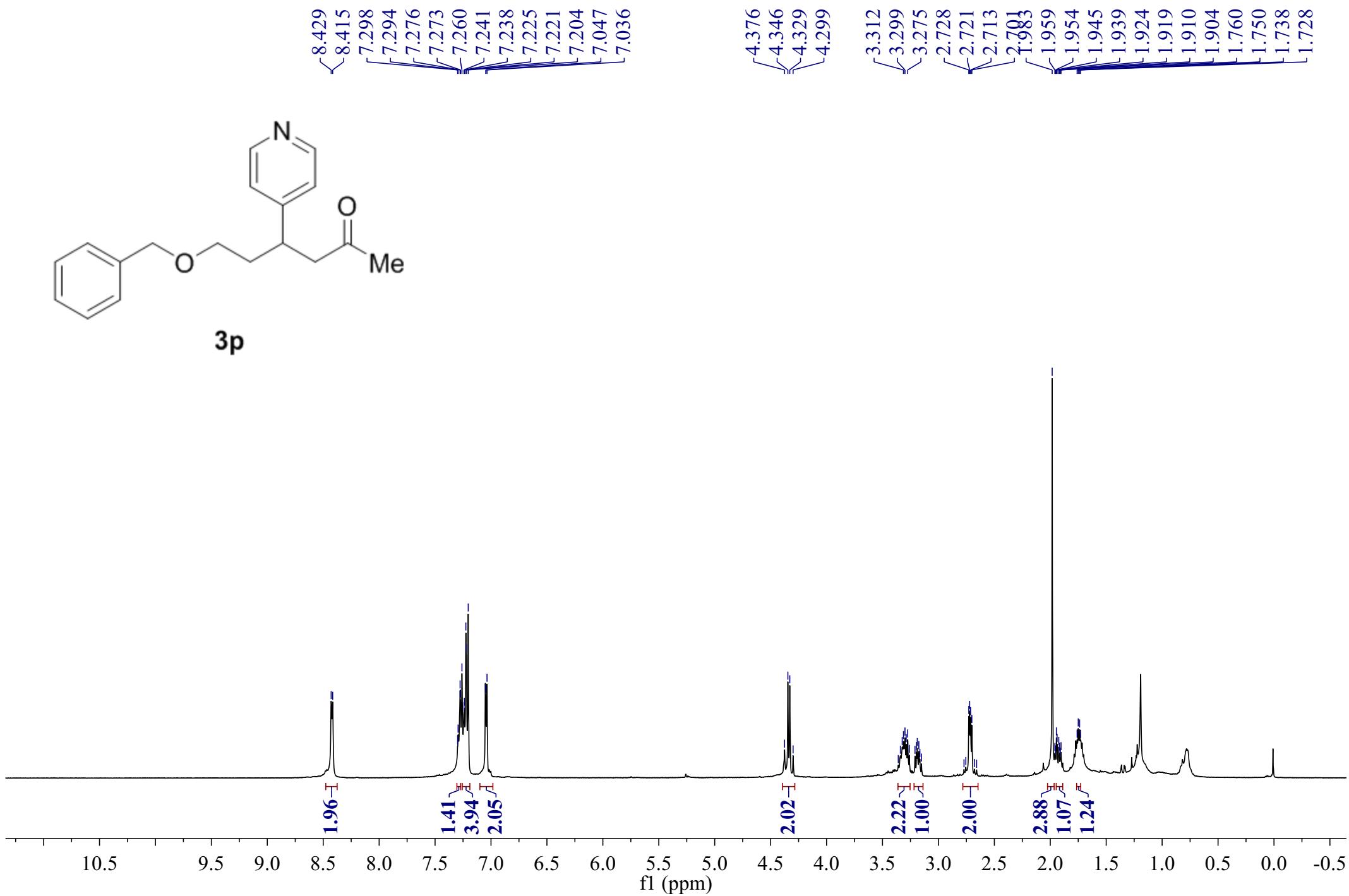
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ty-4-90 H1 CDCl₃ 400 M Hz



3p



ty-4-90 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

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-153.35
-149.99

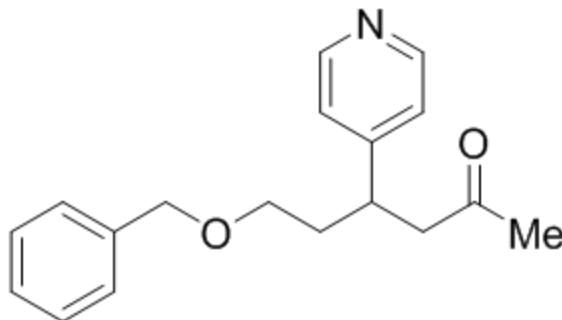
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128.54
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123.19

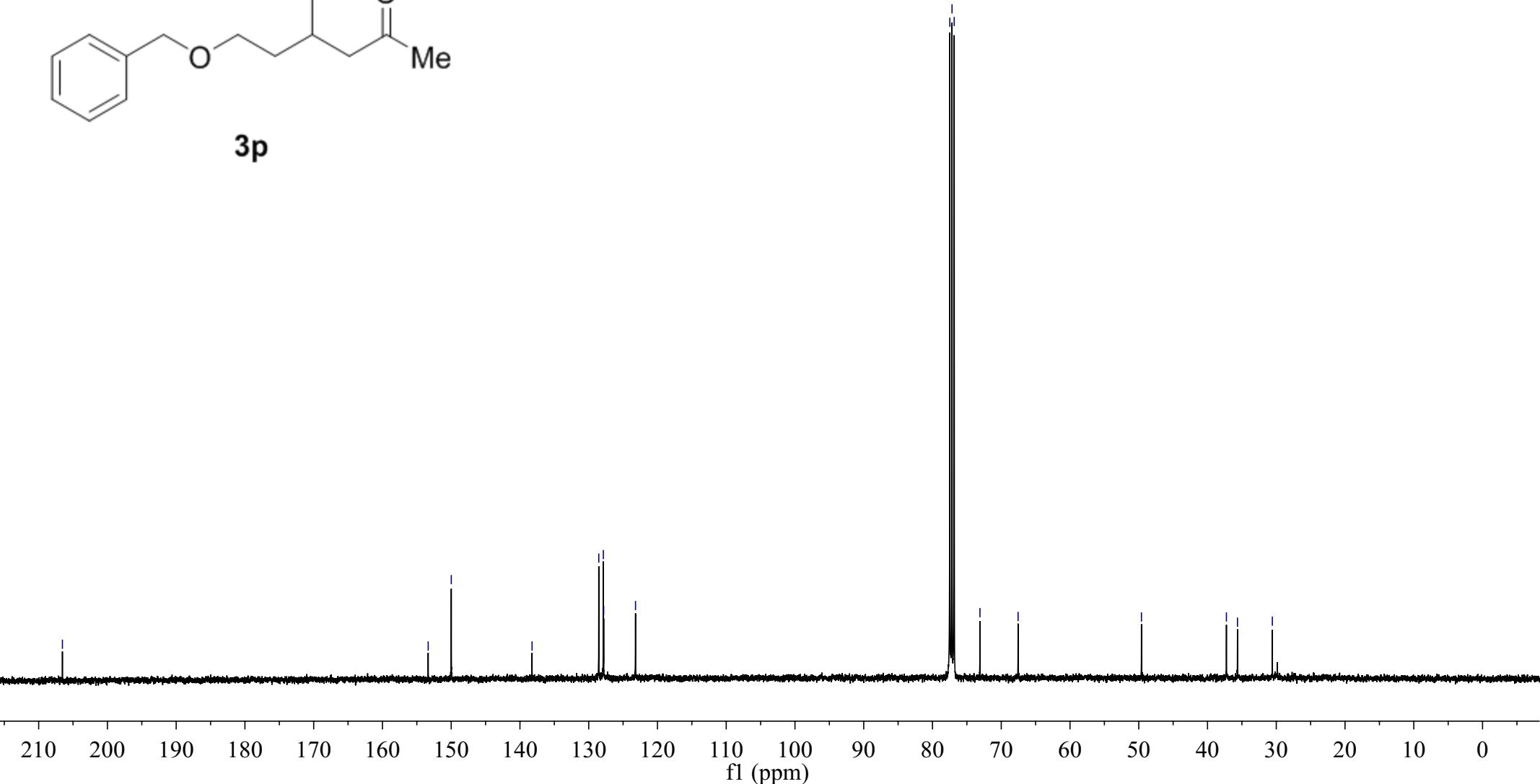
77.48
77.16
76.84
73.10
67.55

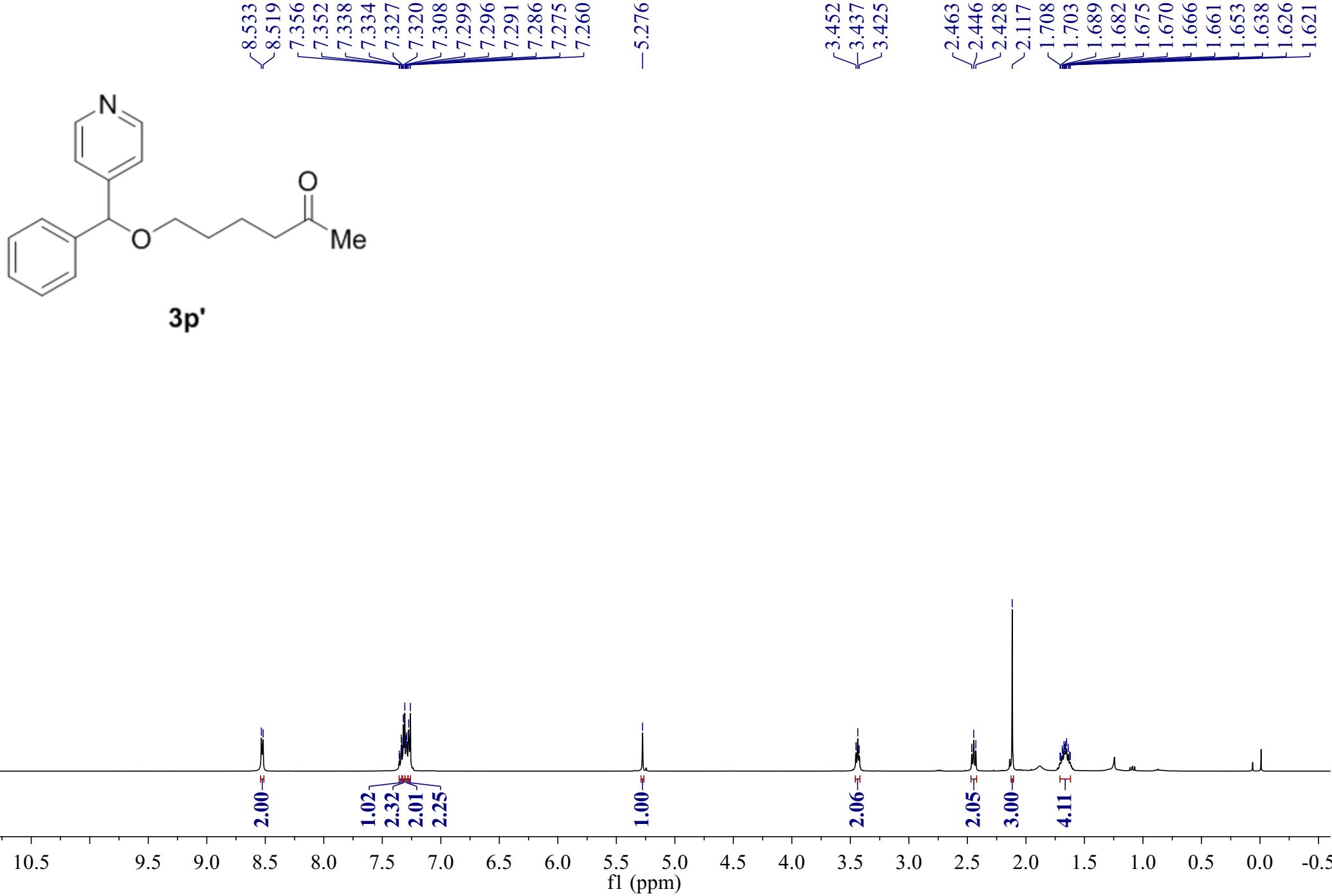
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-37.25
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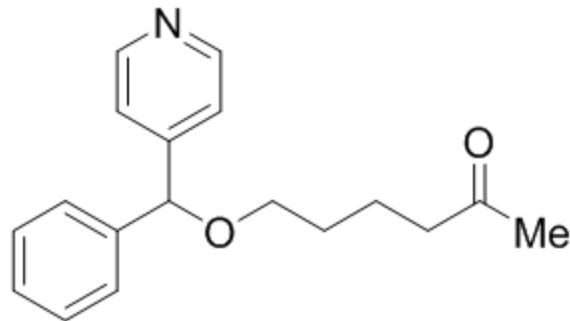
3p





ty-4-45 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

-209.05



3p'

~151.48

~149.92

-140.91

128.80

128.23

127.24

121.65

82.49

77.48

77.16

76.84

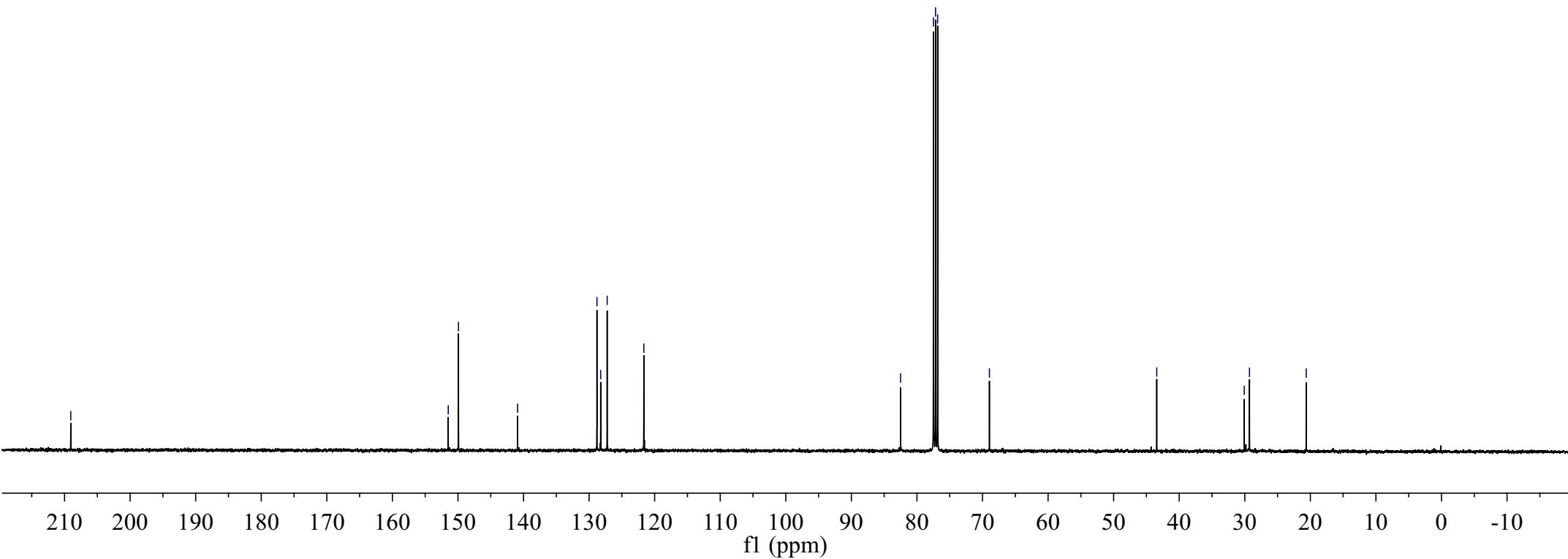
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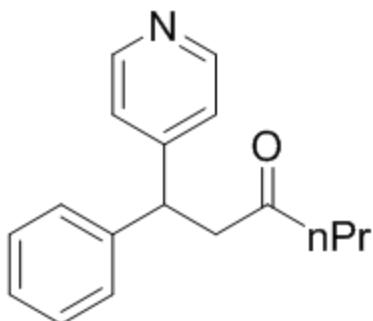
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29.28

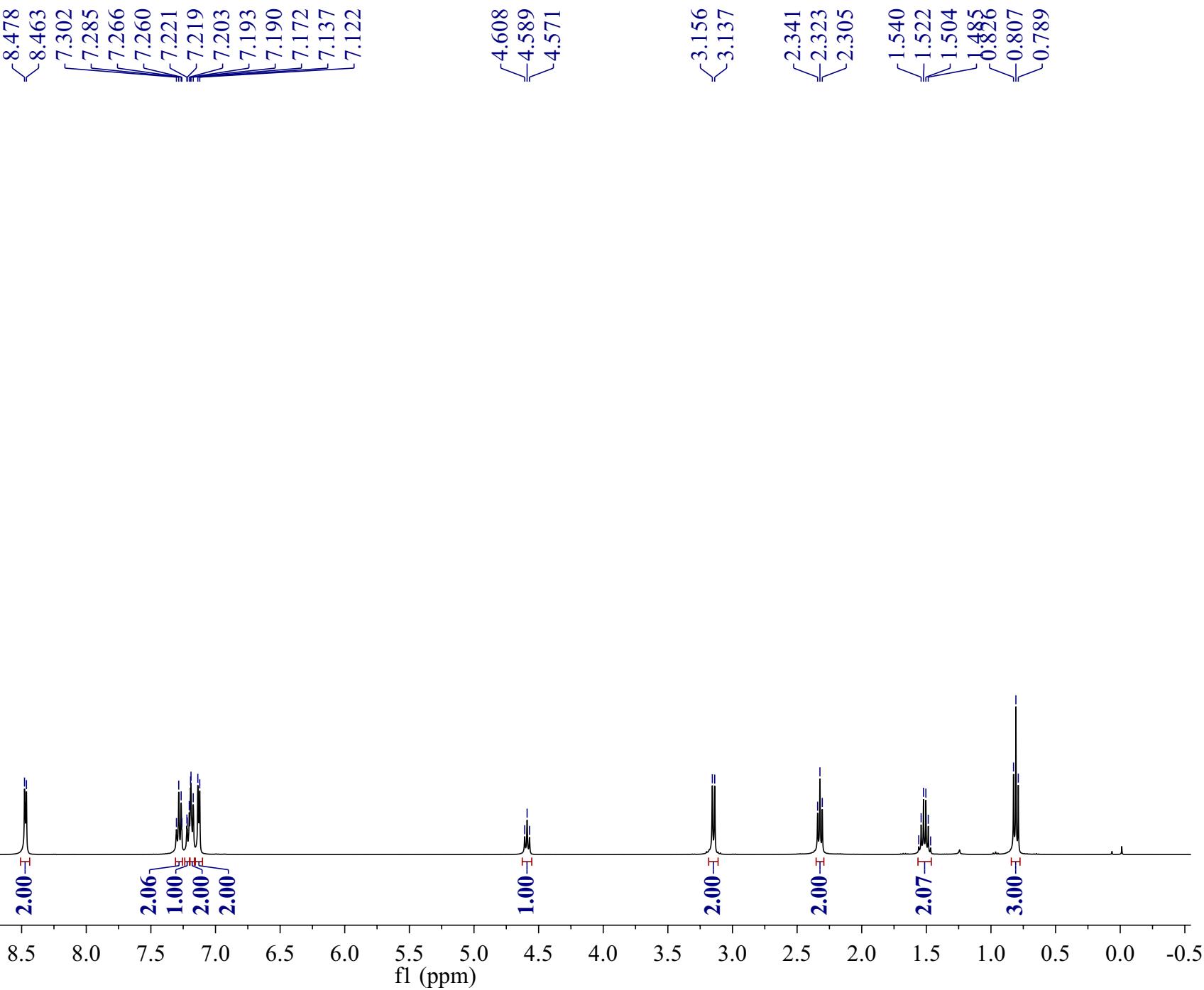
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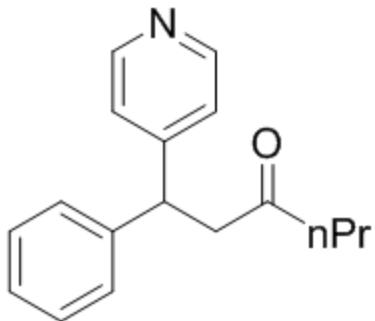
ty-4-46 H1 CDCl₃ 400 M Hz



3q



-208.28

**3q**

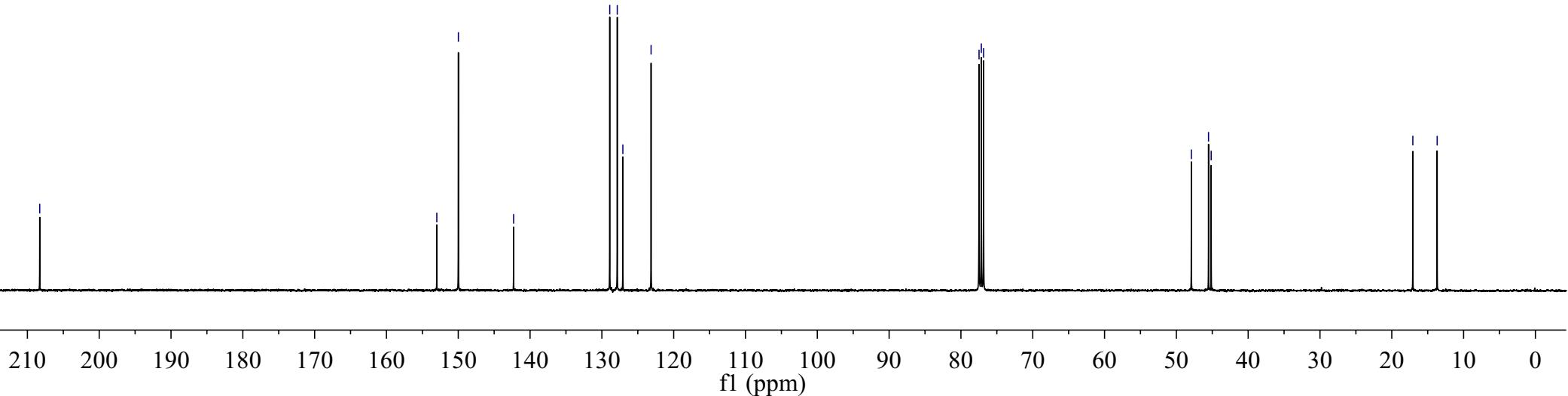
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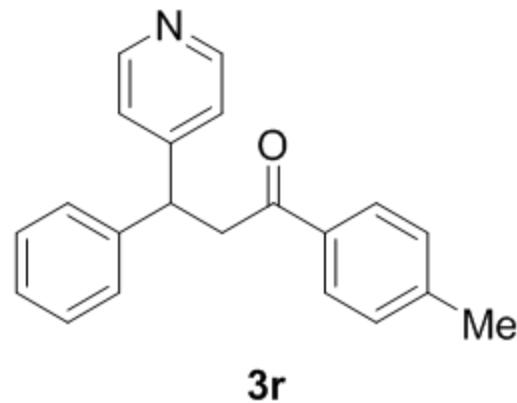
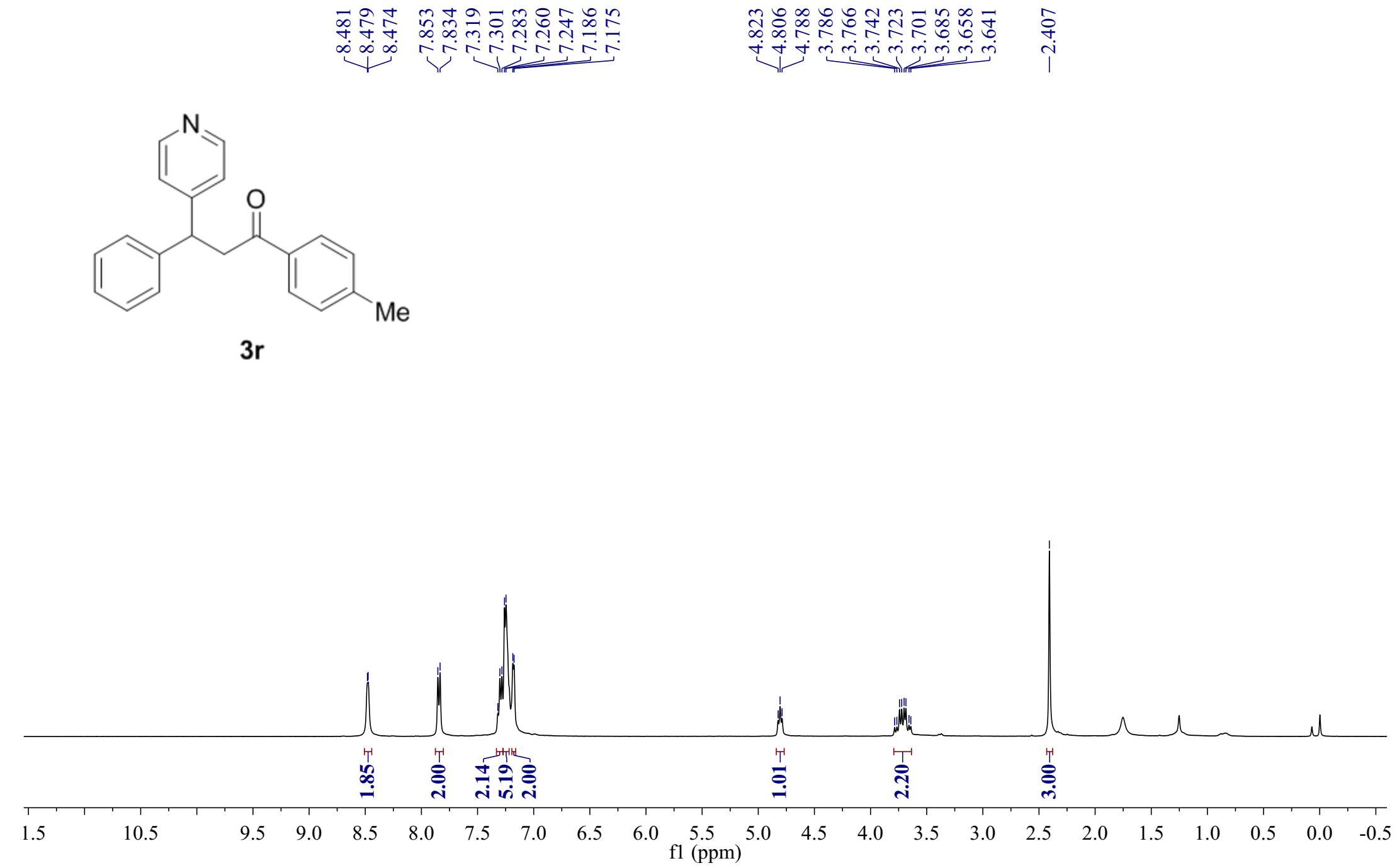
128.90
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77.48
77.16
76.84

47.91
45.52
45.15

-17.07
-13.68



**3r**

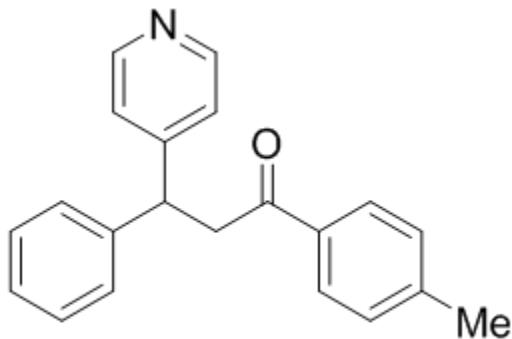
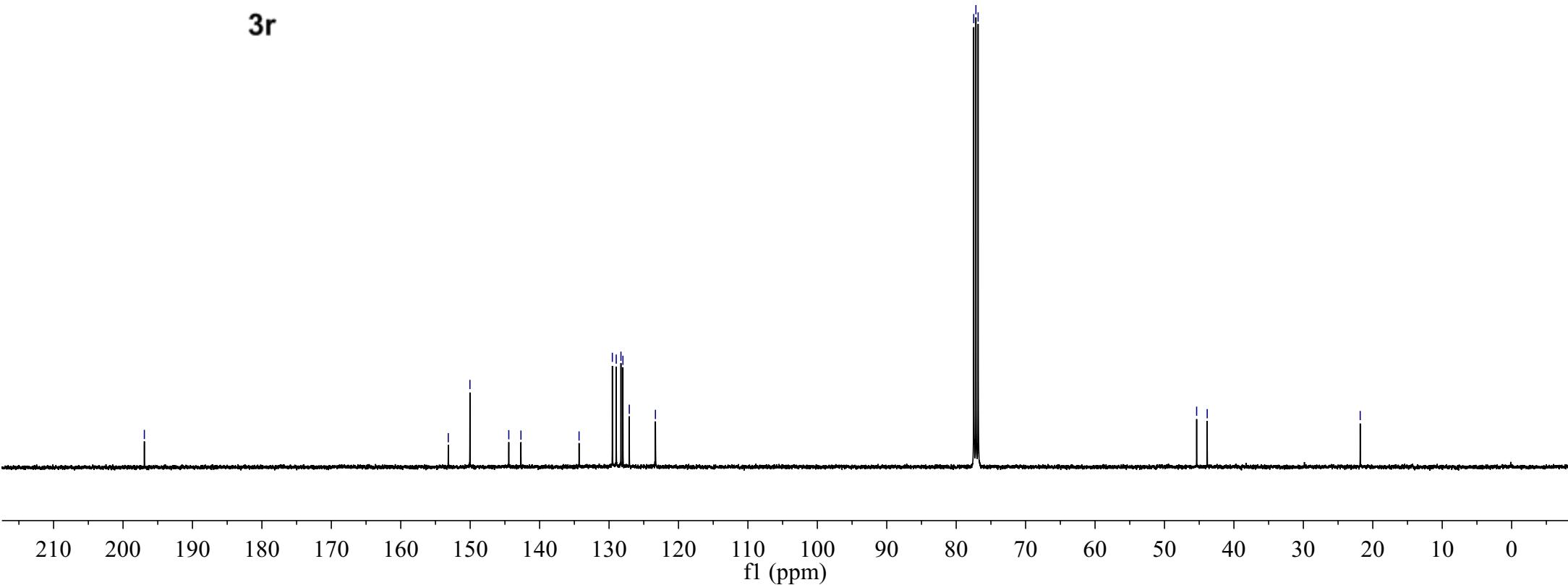
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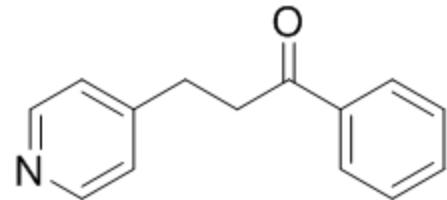
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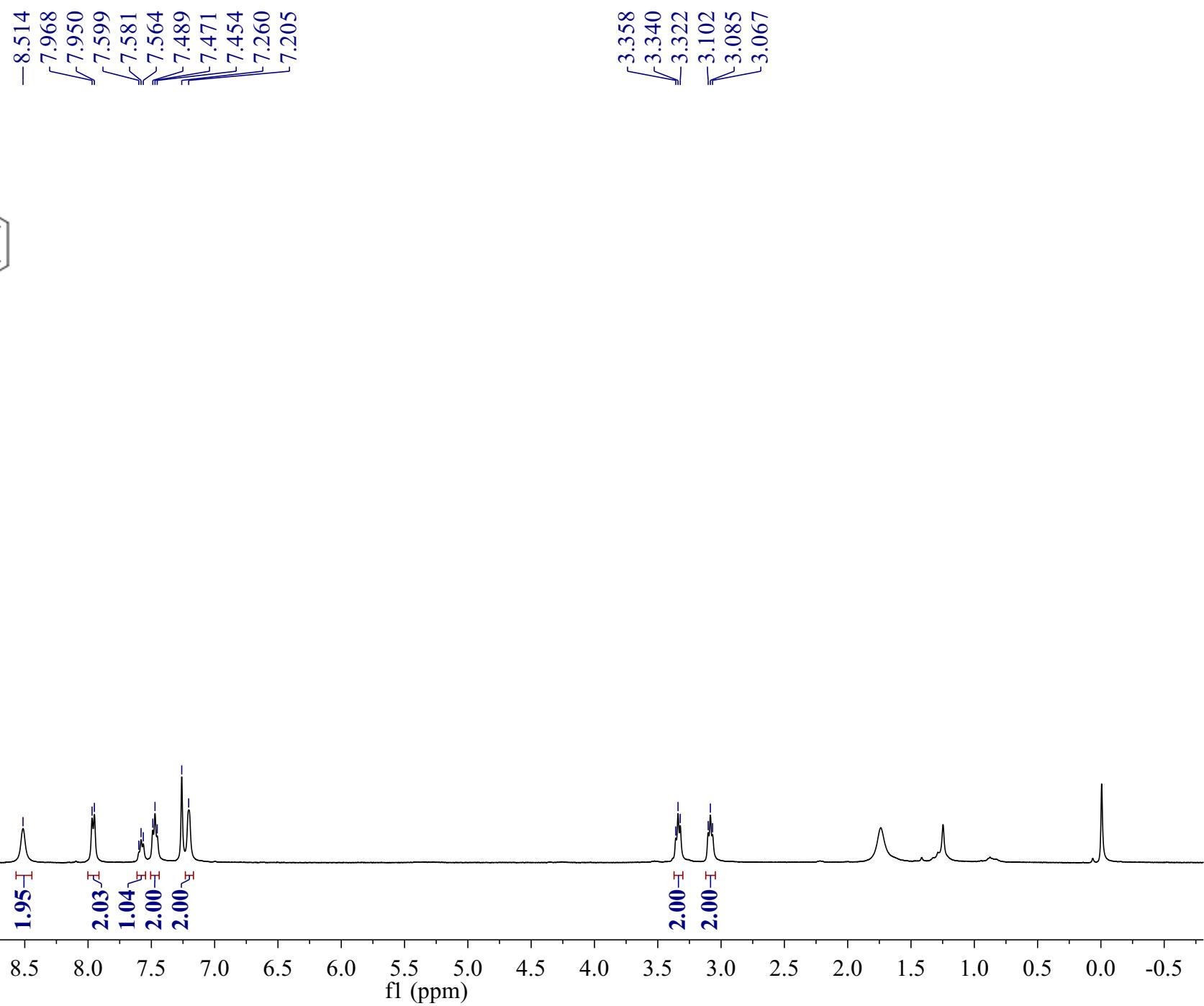
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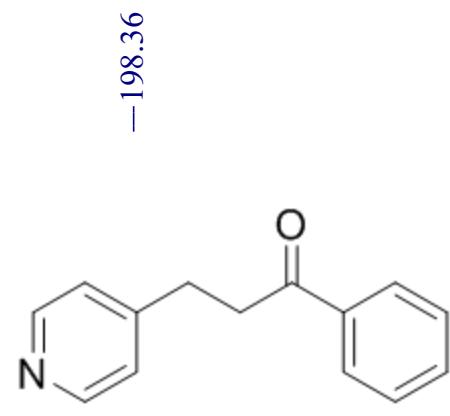
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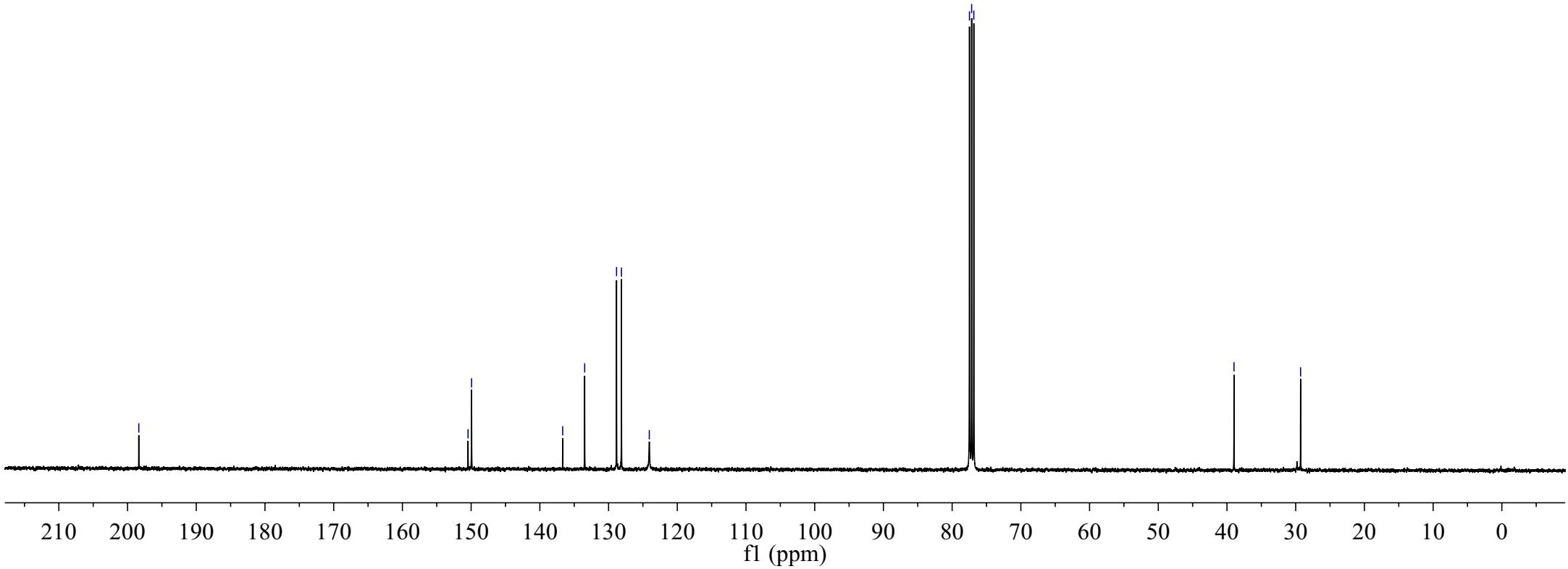
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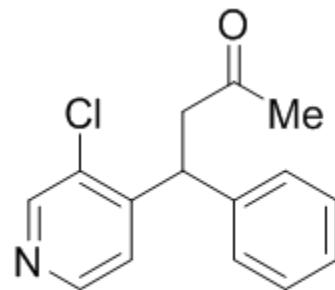
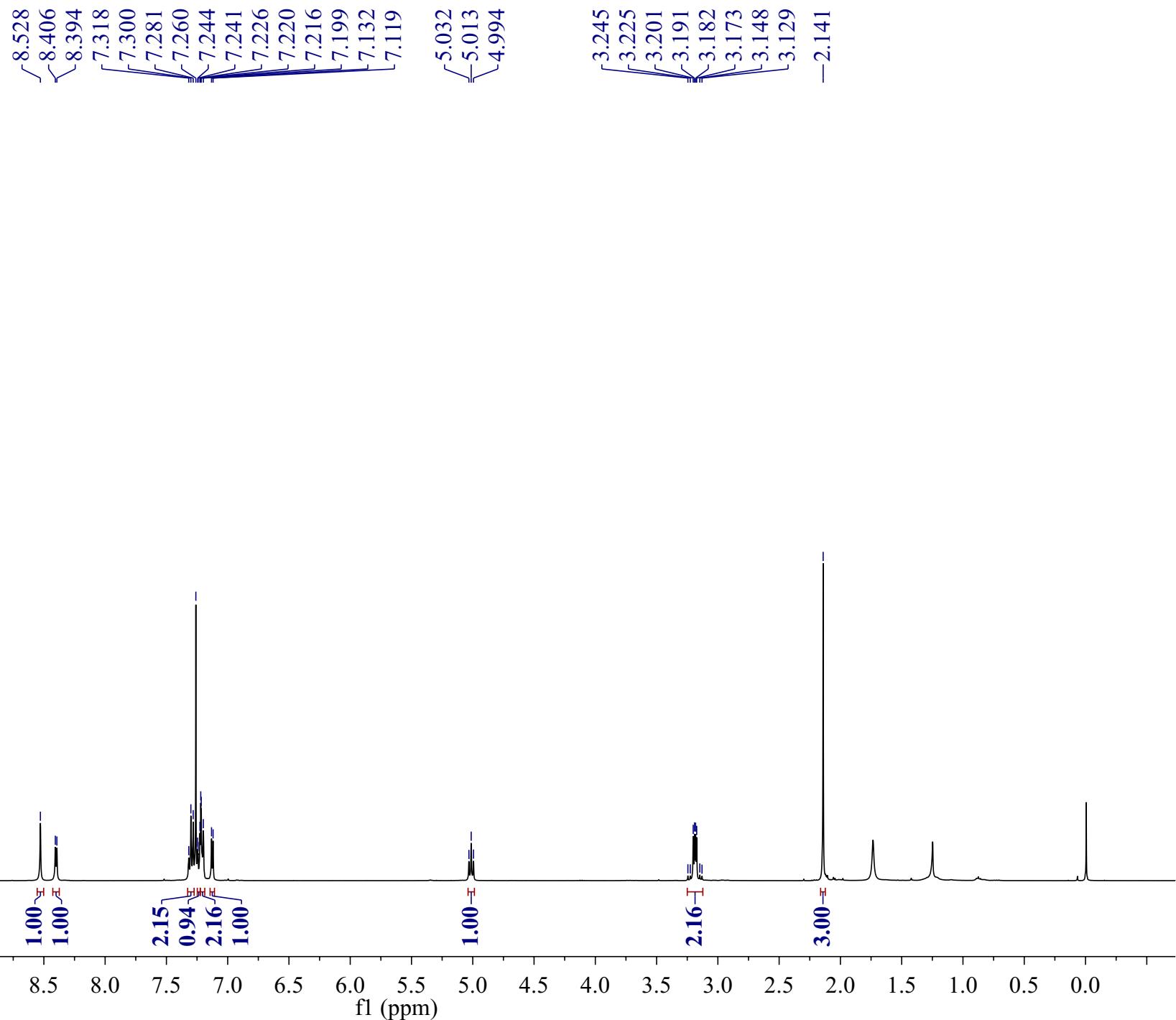
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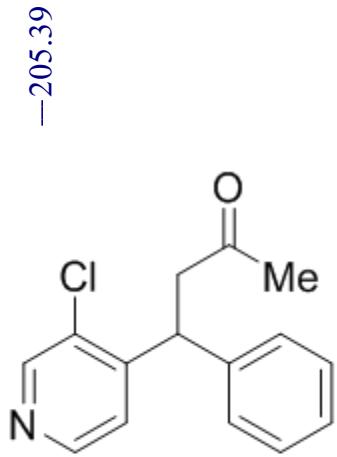
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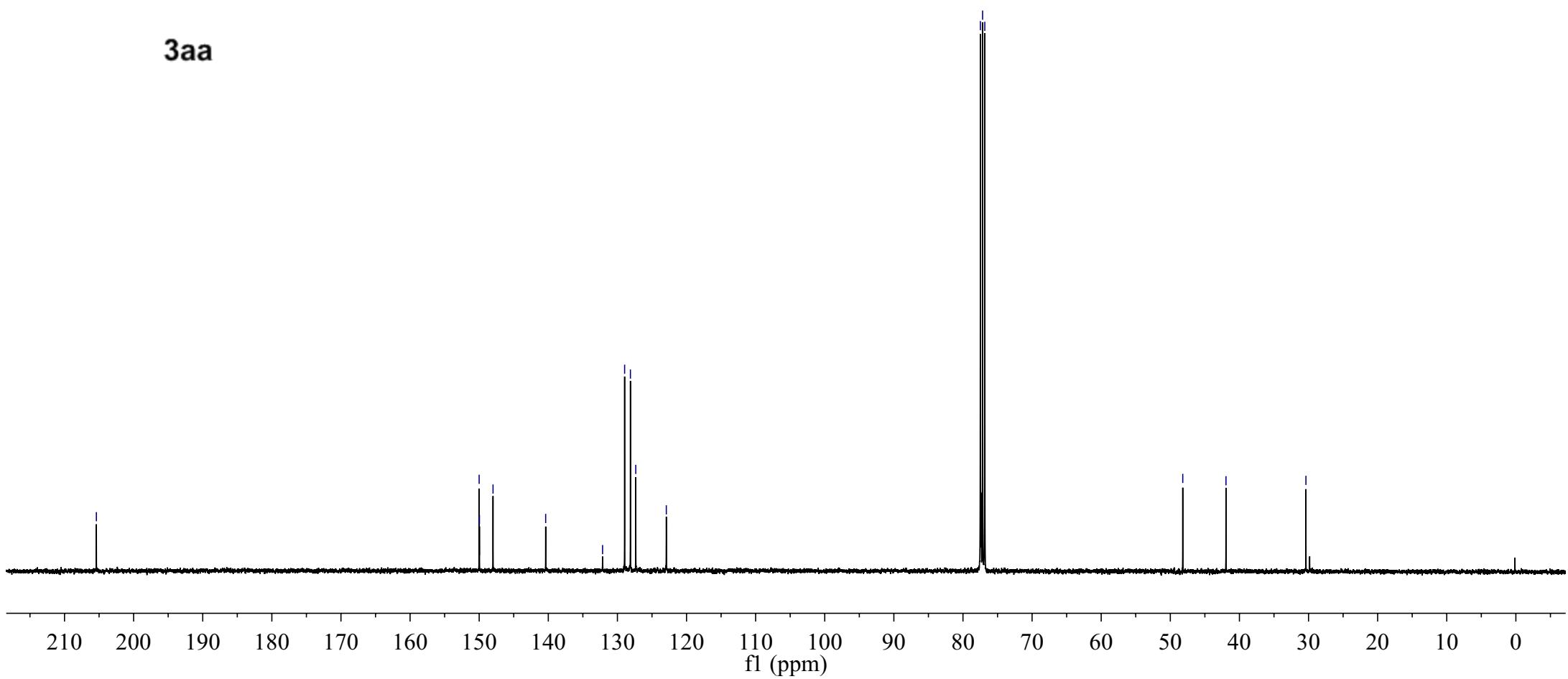


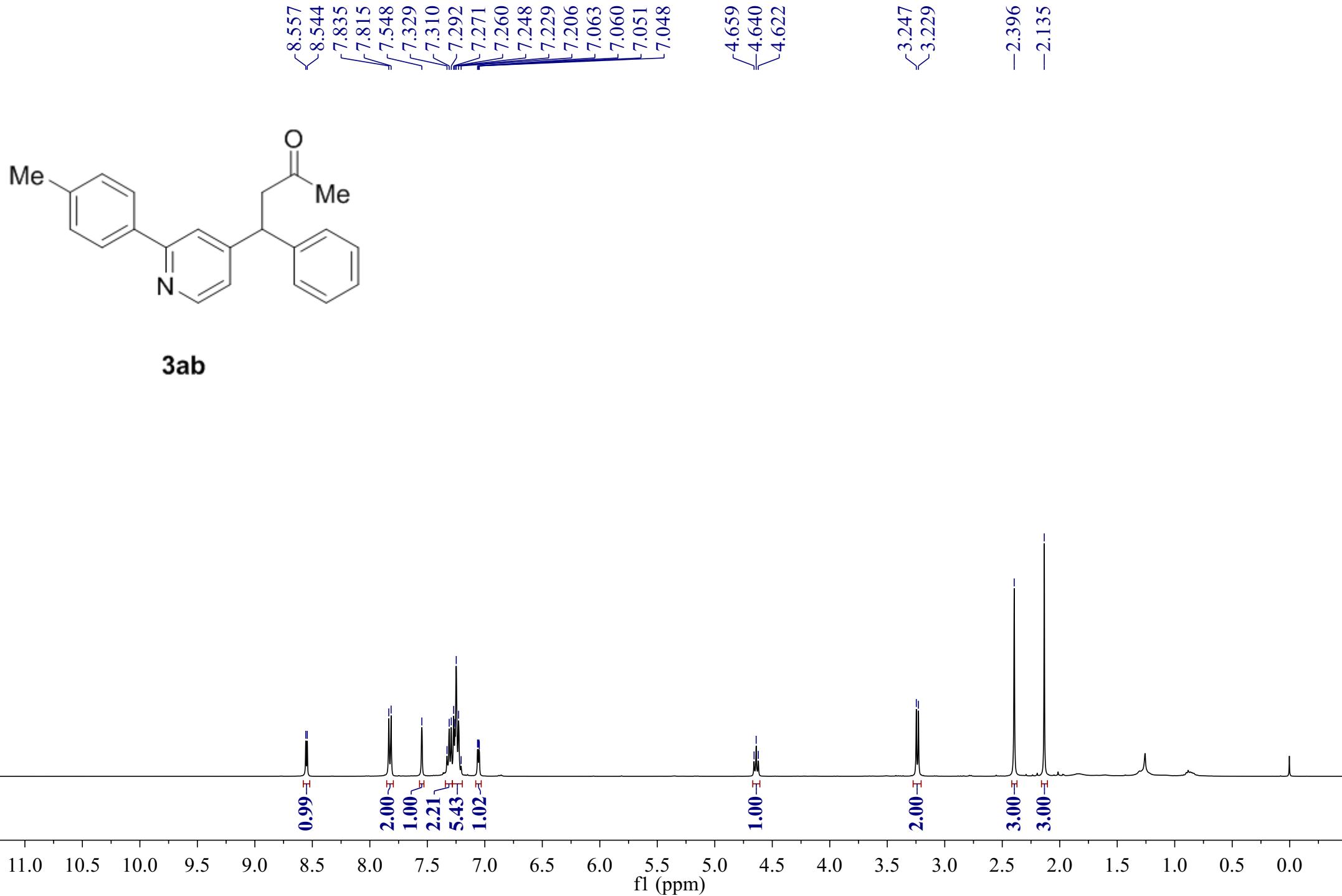
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ty-3-54-3 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

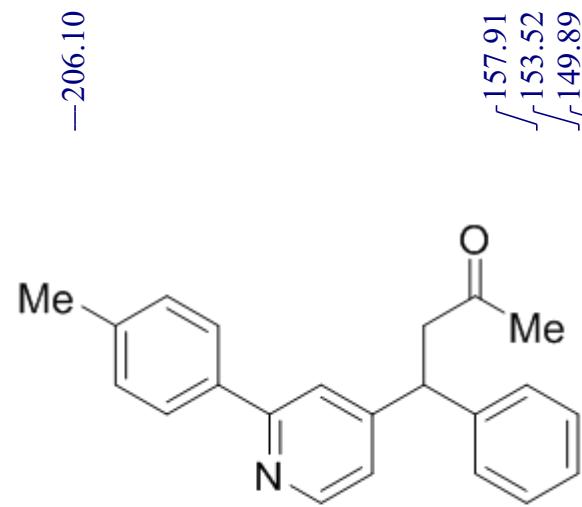


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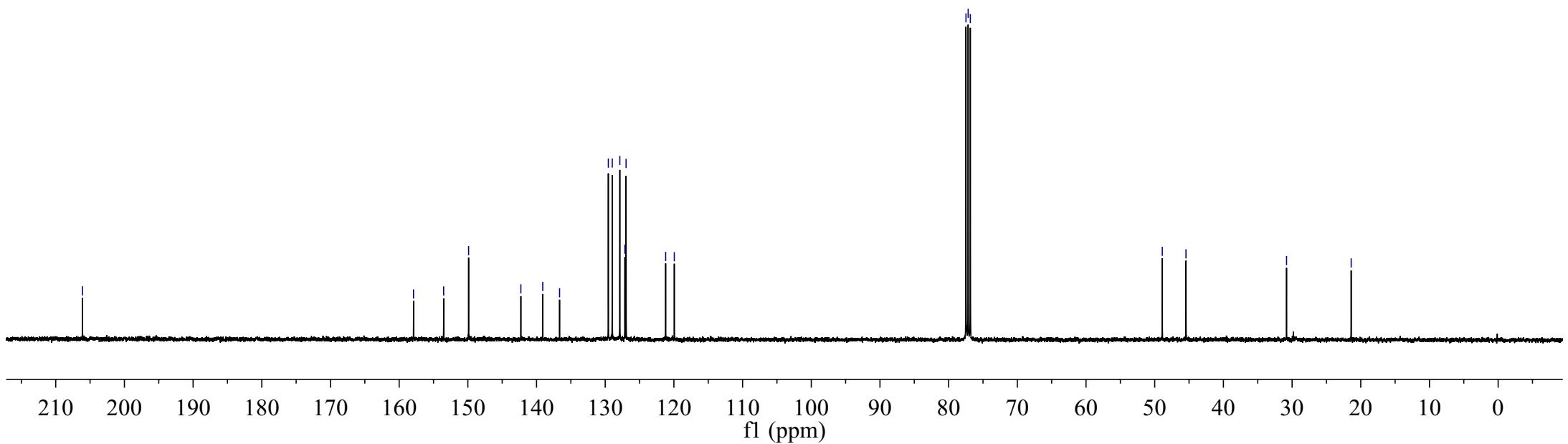
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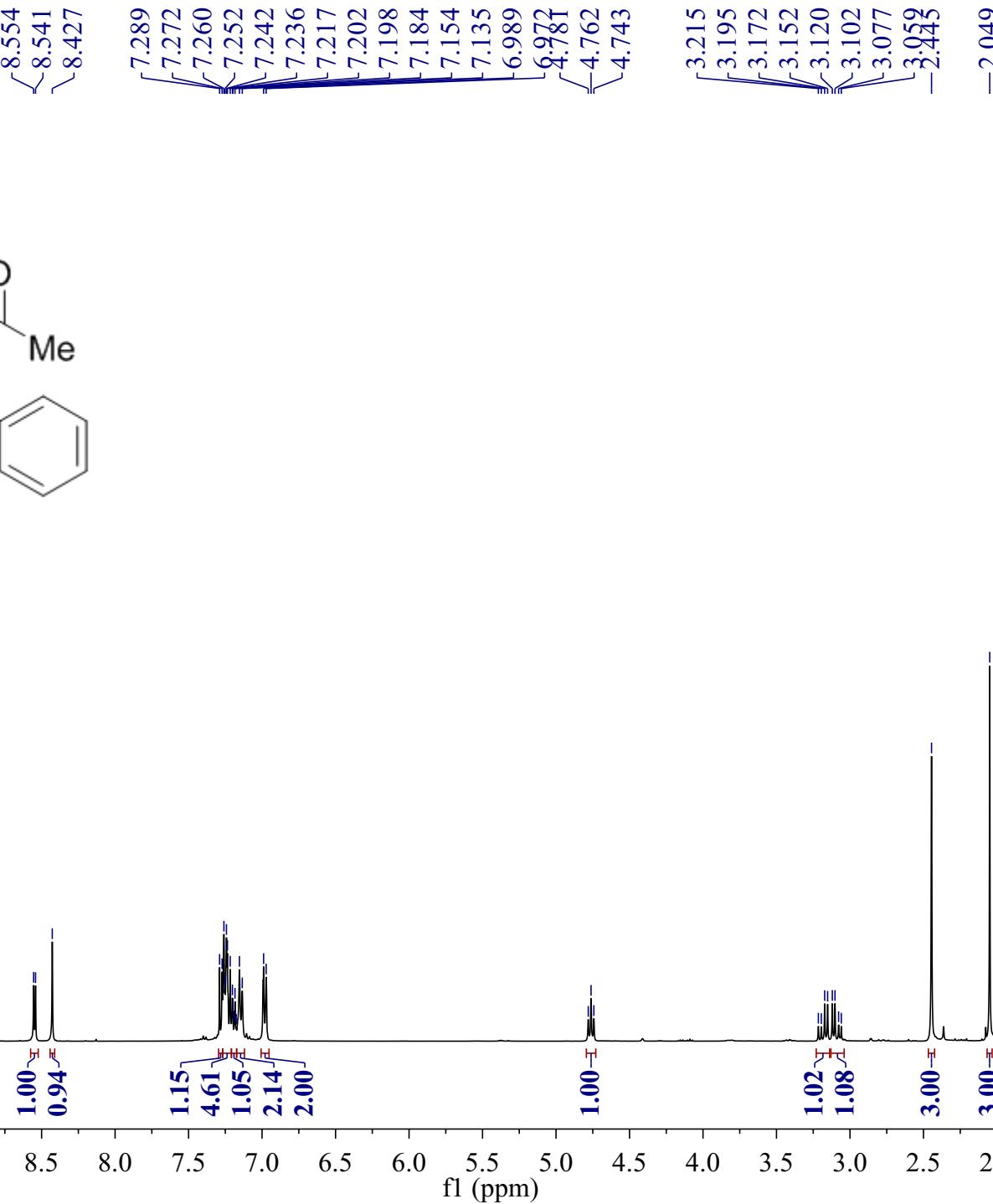
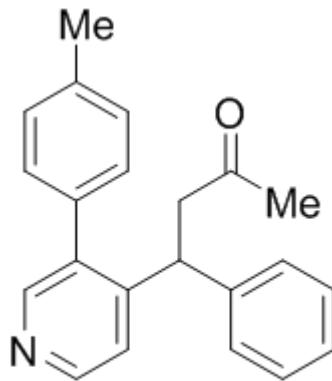


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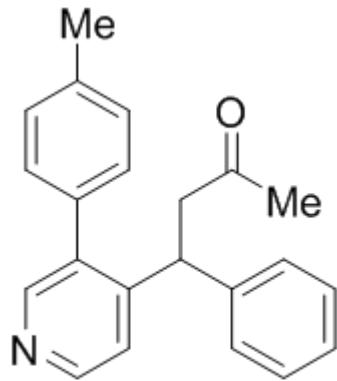
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- 206.10
- 157.91
- 153.52
- 149.89
- 142.28
- 139.09
- 136.64
- 129.55
- 128.98
- 127.87
- 127.14
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- 48.90
- 45.45
- 30.80
- 21.40

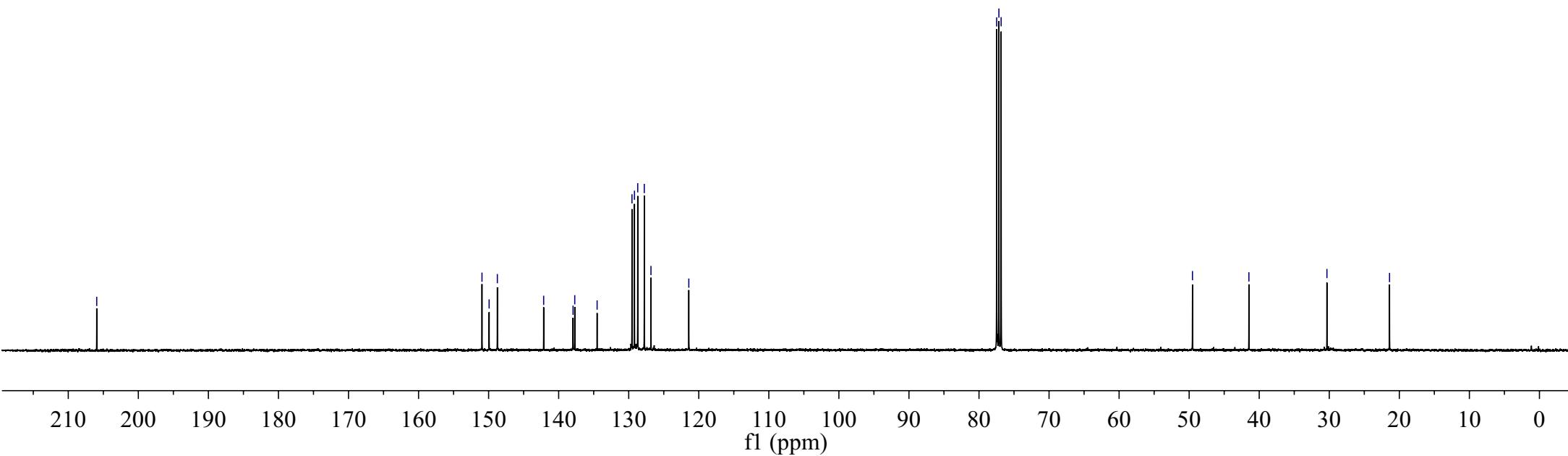


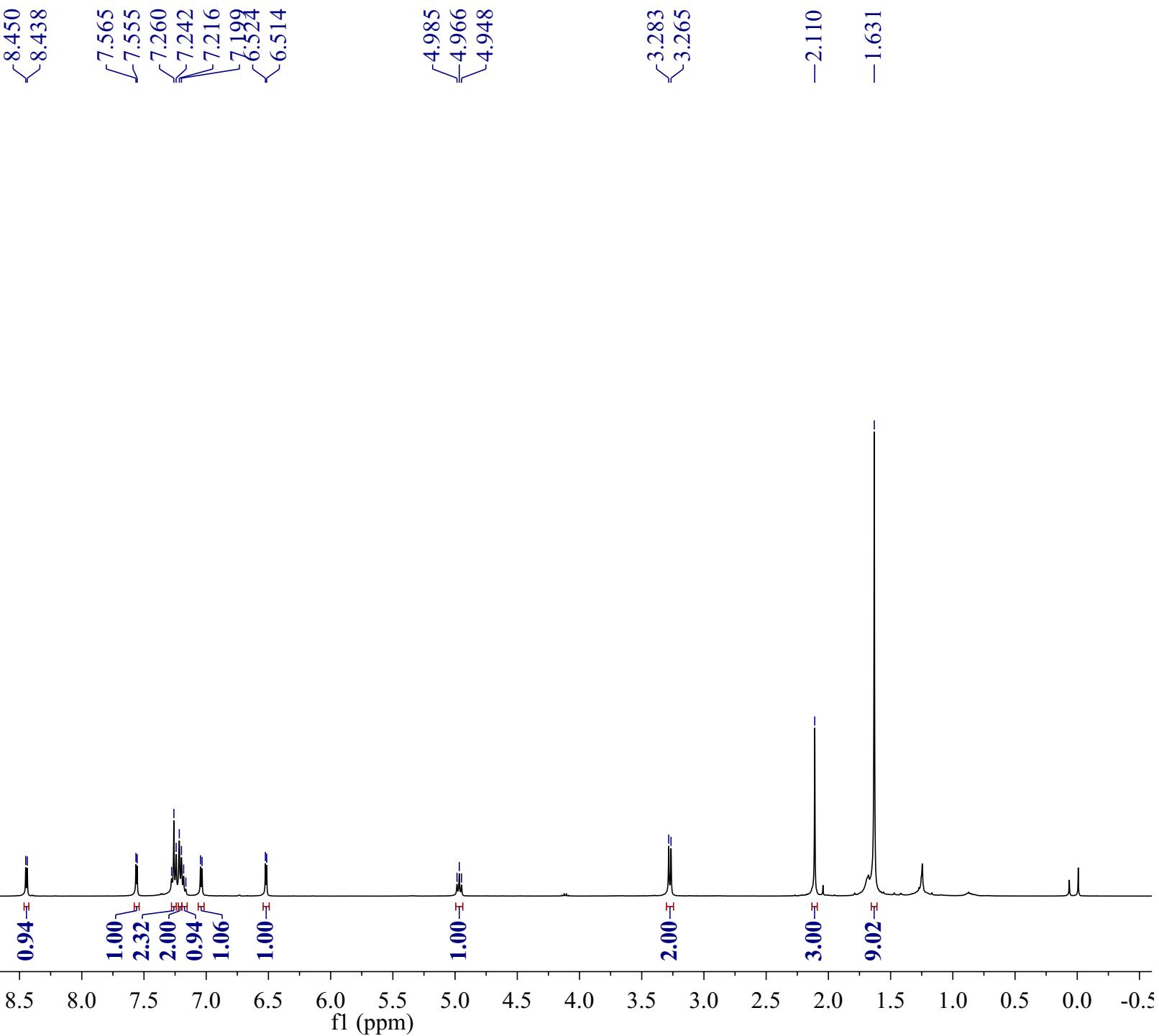
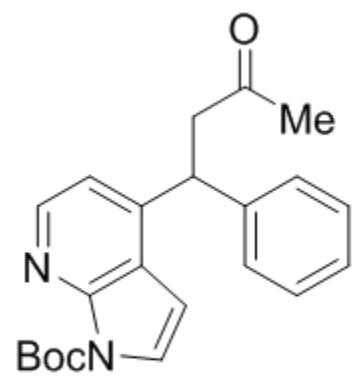


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-21.40



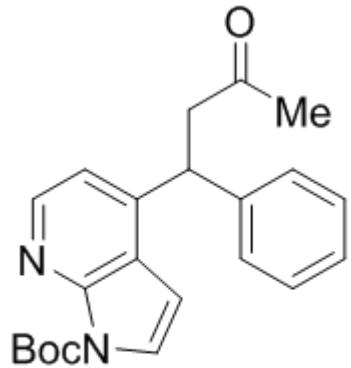
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ty-4-42 C13 CDCl₃ 101 M Hz

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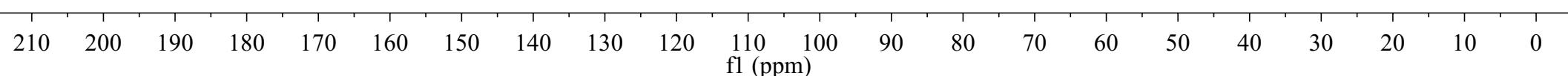
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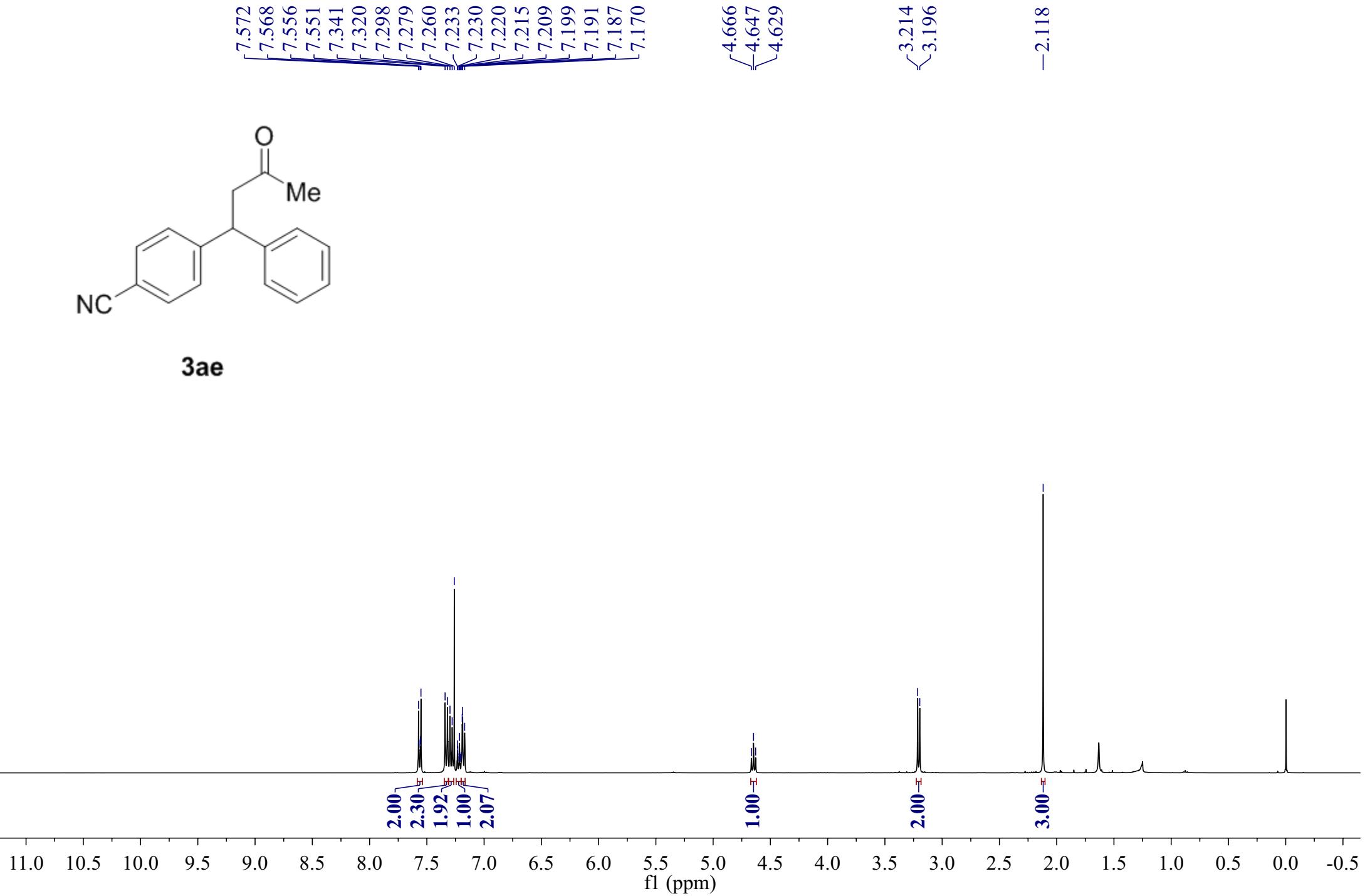
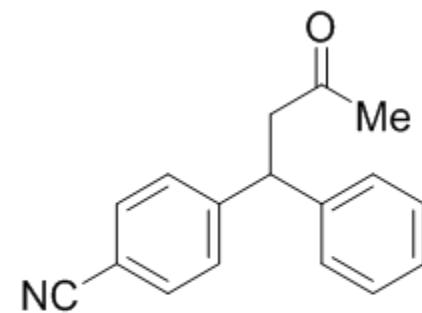
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-206.00

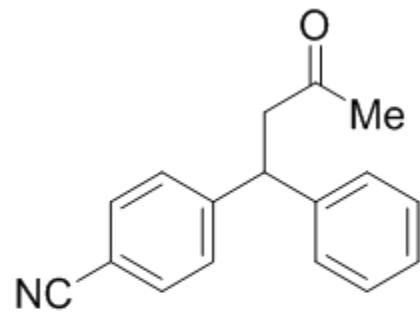
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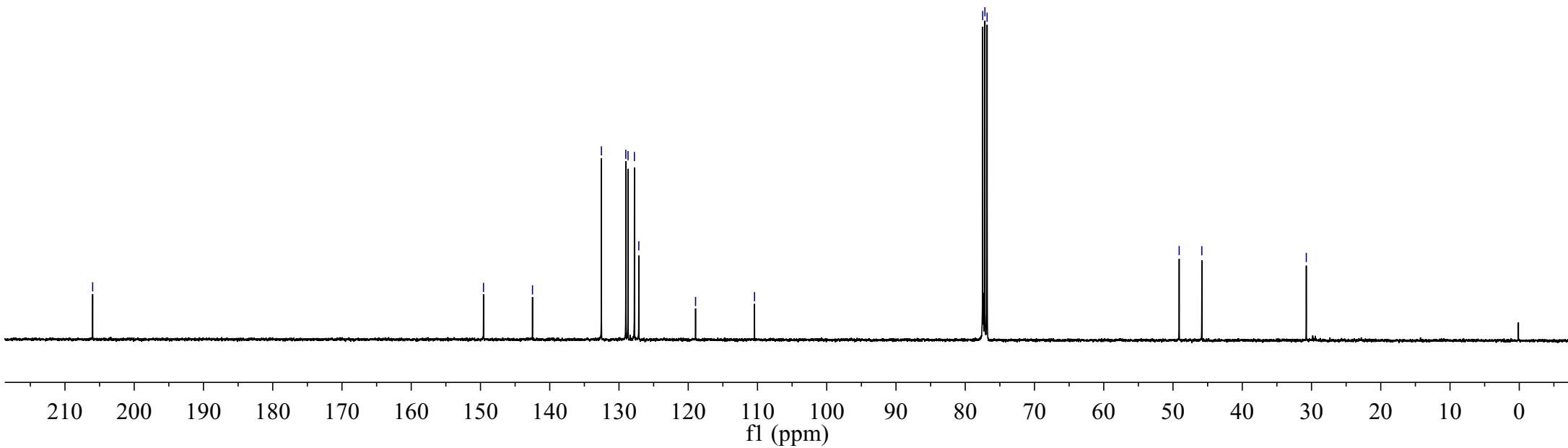
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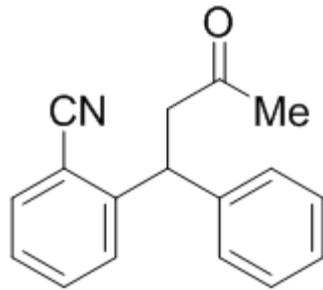
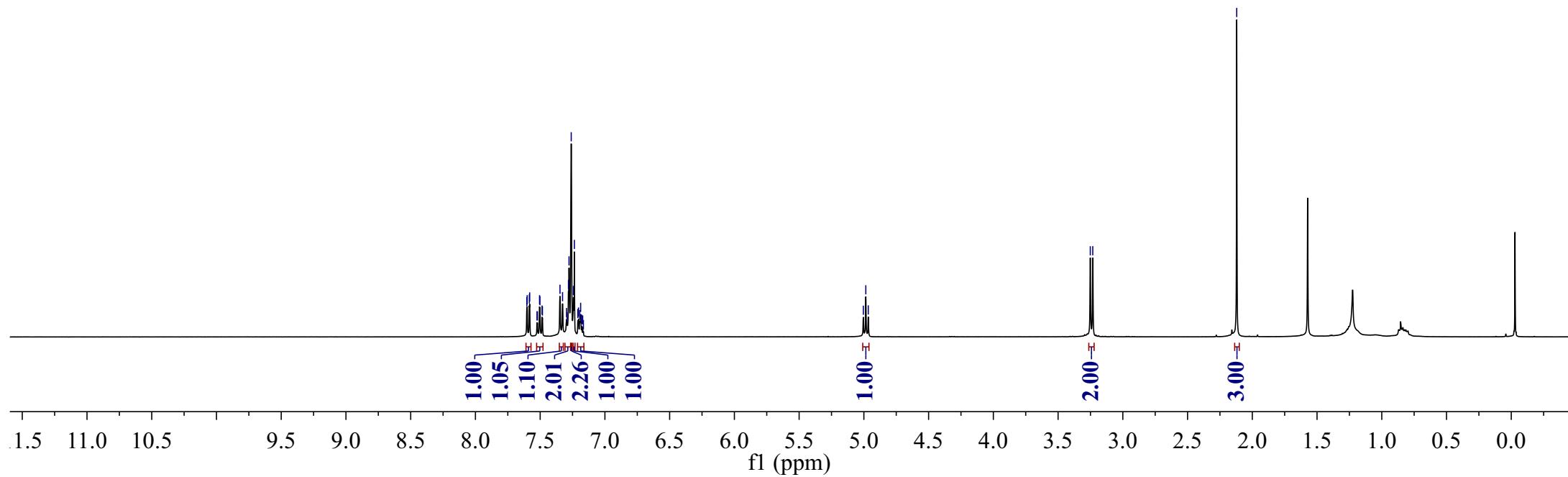
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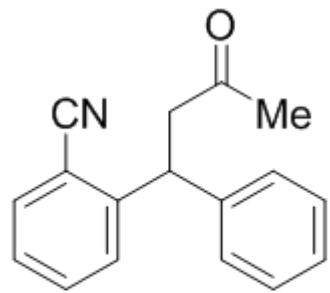


3ae



**3af**

-205.61



3af

-147.45

-141.56

133.61

133.13

128.95

127.93

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77.48

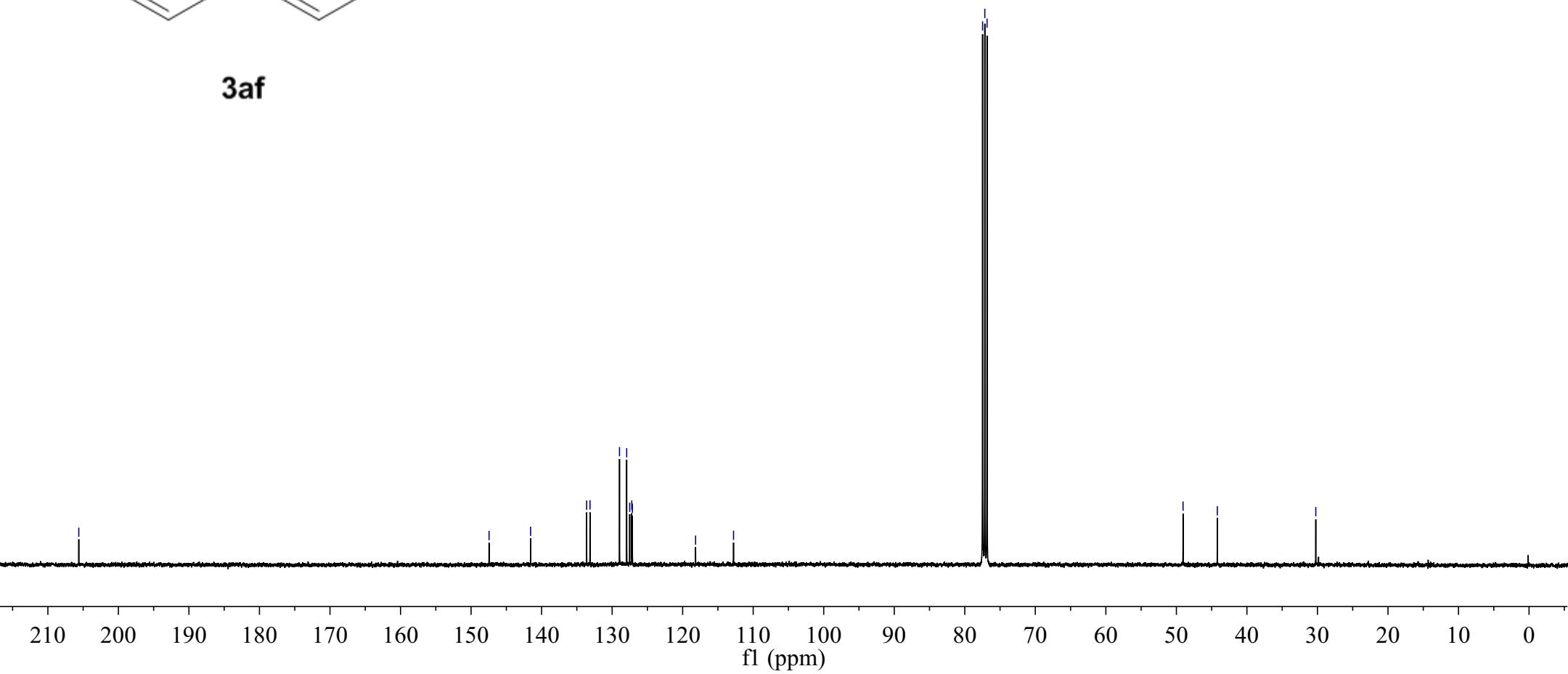
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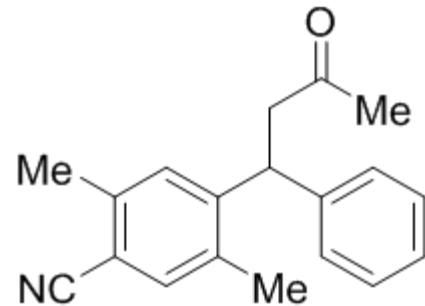
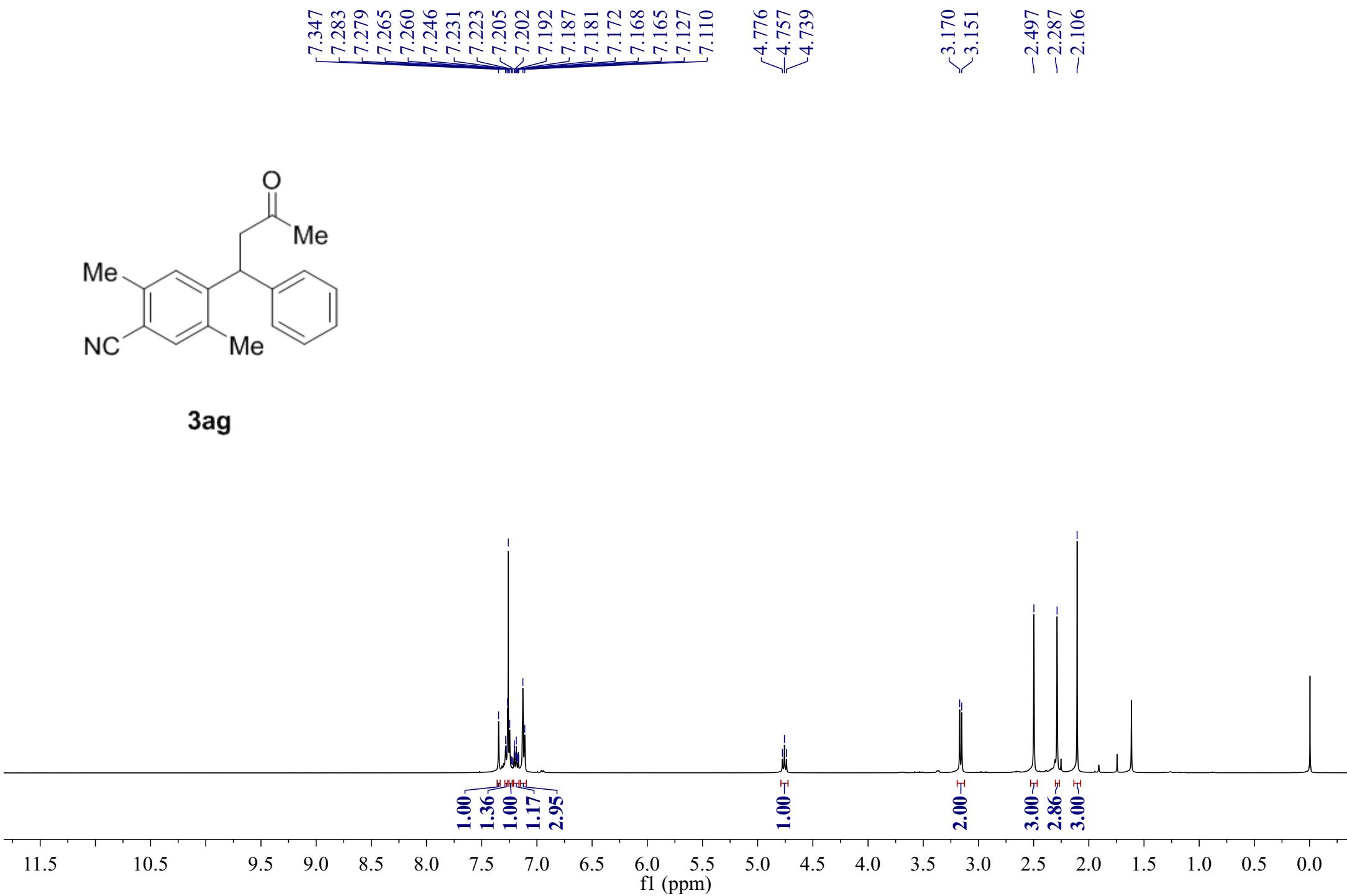
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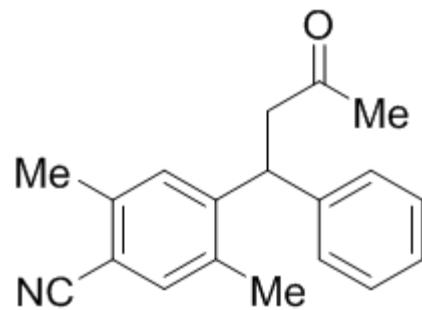
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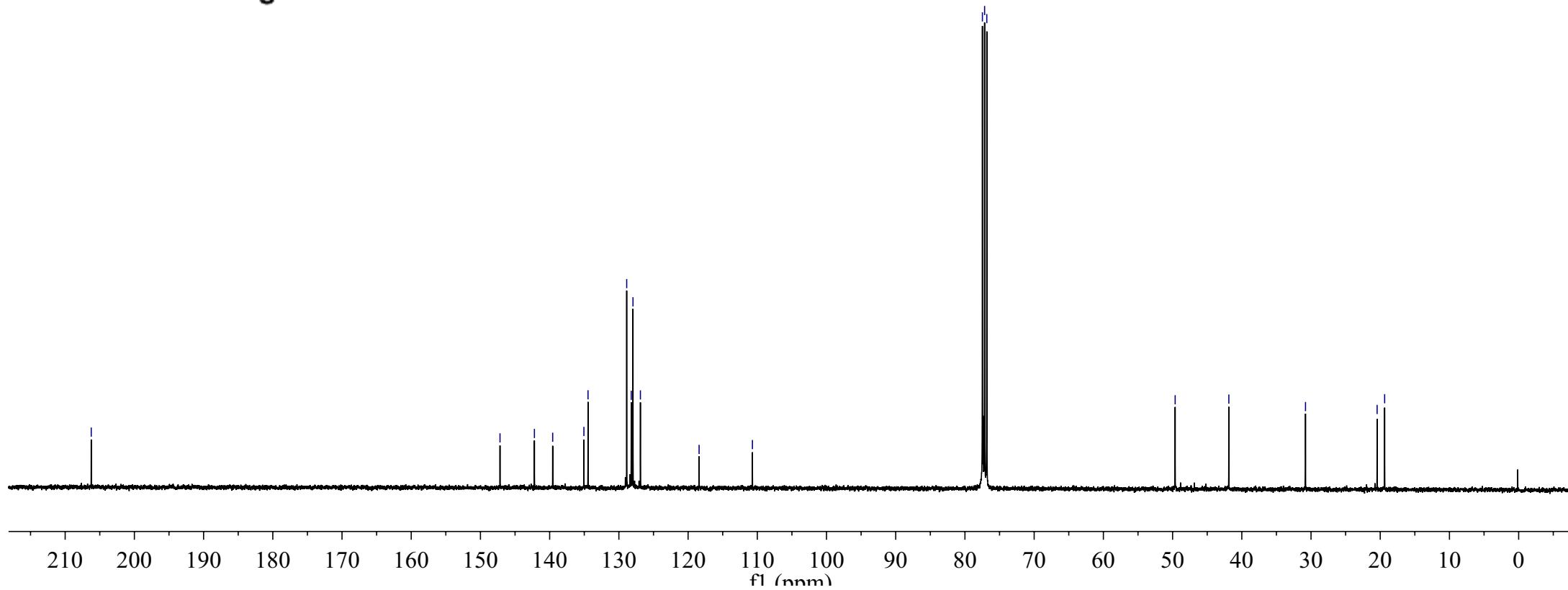


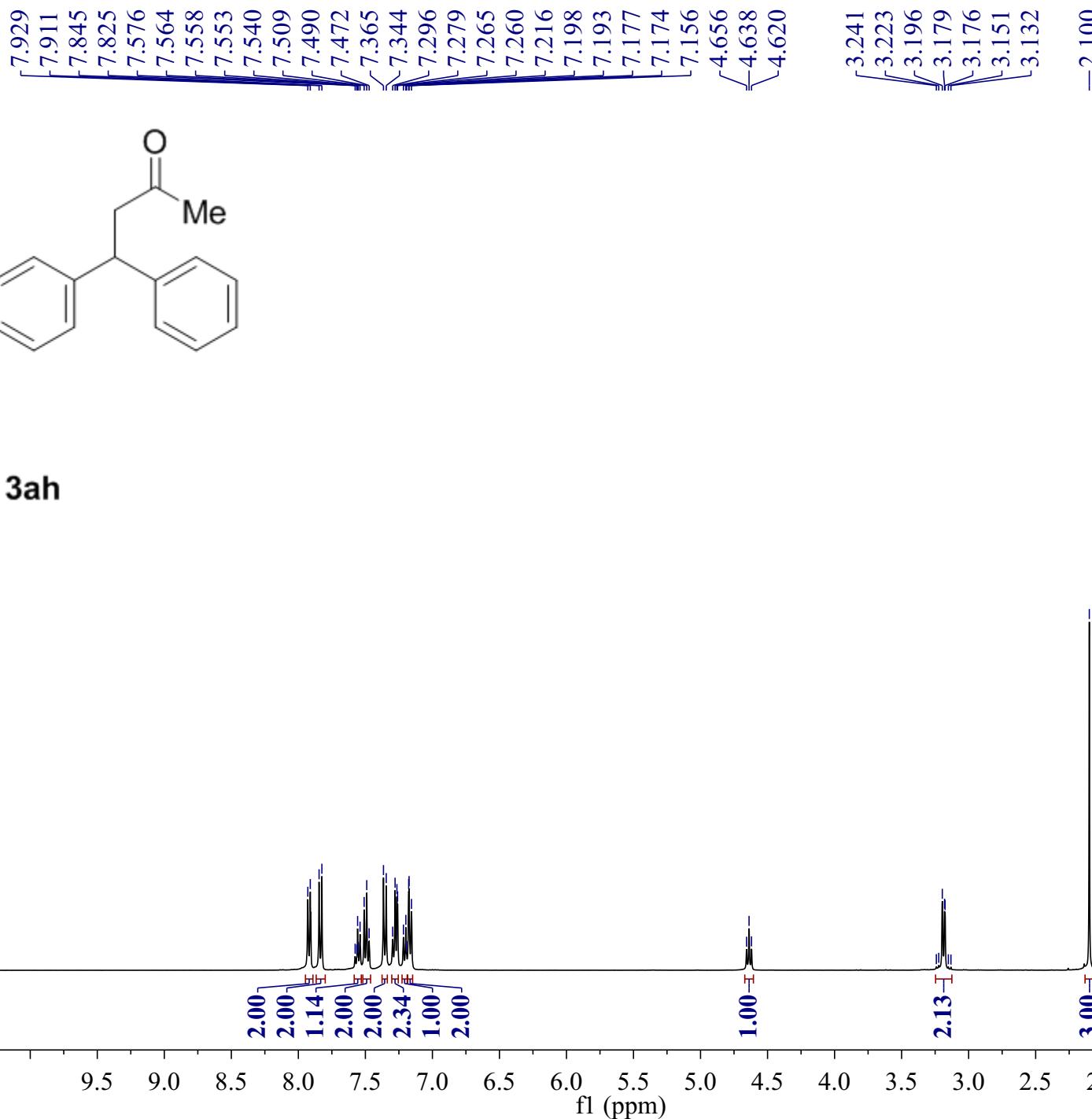
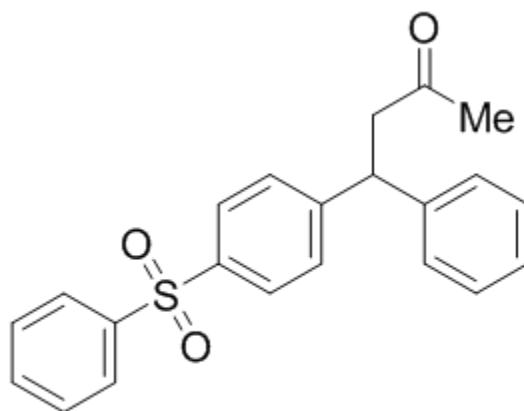
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3ag





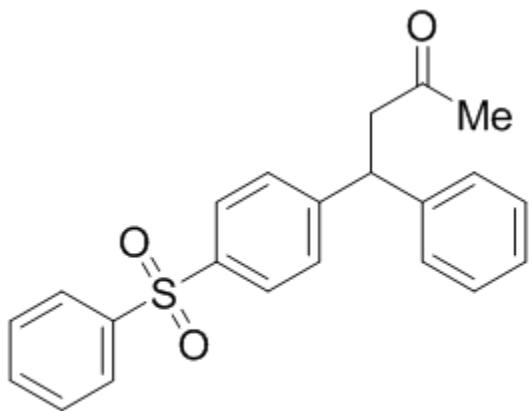
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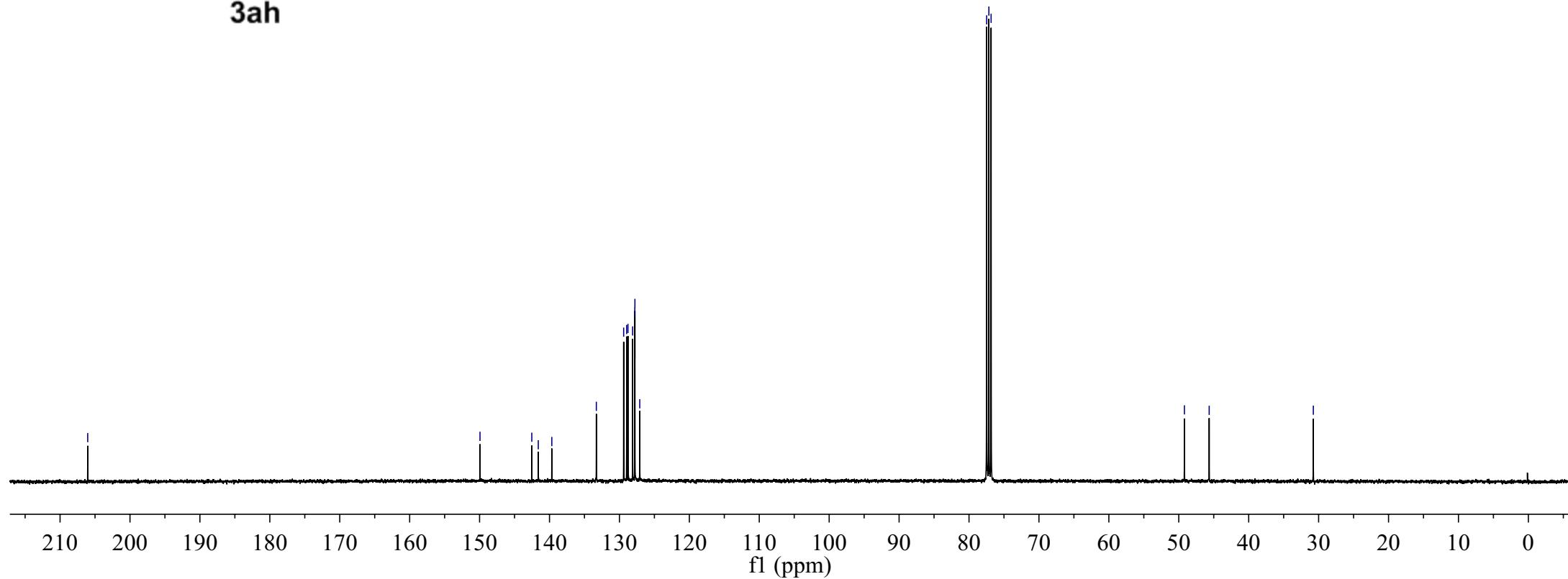
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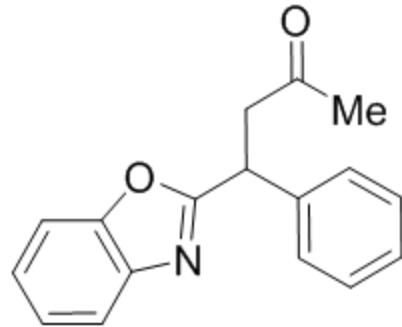
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3ah



**3ai**

-205.75

-167.47

-151.08

~141.14

~139.22

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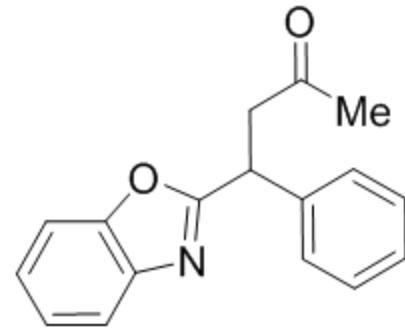
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