

Supporting Information for

NiFe₂O₄@SiO₂@PrNH₂-DPA-CeCl₃: a cerium-based magnetic nano dual-acid catalyst with high efficacy and recyclability for domino sequential synthesis of lactam ring-fused 1,5-benzodiazepines

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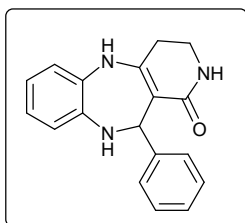
Table 1 Crystal data and structural refinement details for compound **4dad**.

Compound	4dad
Empirical formula	C ₂₀ H ₂₁ Br ₂ N ₃ O ₂
Formula weight	495.22
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>c</i>
<i>a</i> (Å)	10.7492(9)
<i>b</i> (Å)	21.4852(19)
<i>c</i> (Å)	8.9772(6)
α, β, γ (°)	90, 94.765(3), 90
Volume (Å ³)	2066.1(3)
<i>Z</i>	4
Density(calculated) (Mg·m ⁻³)	1.592
Absorption coefficient (mm ⁻¹)	3.943
<i>F</i> ₍₀₀₀₎	992
Crystal size (mm ³)	0.38 × 0.15 × 0.11
ϑ (°)	2.12 to 25.02
Reflections collected	9916
Independent reflections (<i>R</i> _(int))	3630 [<i>R</i> _{int} = 0.0839, <i>R</i> _{sigma} = 0.0908]
Data / restraints / parameters	3630/0/246
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.056
Final <i>R</i> indices [<i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>)] ^a	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0675, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1806
<i>R</i> indices (all data)	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.1239, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.2001
CCDC	2212904

^a $R_1 = \sum ||F_o| - |F_c|| / \sum |F_o|$; $wR_2 = \{\sum [w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \sum [w(F_o^2)^2]\}^{1/2}$.

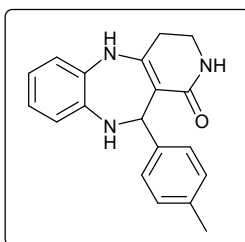
Spectral data of the synthesized compound **4aaa-4dae**

11-phenyl-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4aaa)



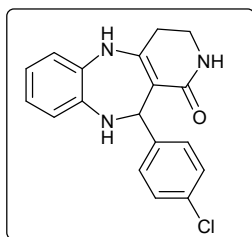
Creamy yellow solid; 95%; m.p.: 203-204 °C; IR (KBr): 3402, 3314, 3076, 1652, 1548, 1244 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.70 – 2.61 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.29 (2H, t, $J = 6.0$ Hz, CH_2), 5.65 (1H, d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, CH), 6.10 (1H, d, $J = 5.8$ Hz, NH), 6.56 – 6.50 (3H, m, Ph), 6.77 (1H, s, NH), 6.86 – 6.82 (1H, m, Ph), 7.01 (1H, t, $J = 6.5$ Hz, Ph), 7.16 – 7.10 (4H, m, Ph), 8.37 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.3, 38.6, 57.7, 102.4, 119.6, 120.1, 121.3, 122.0, 126.2, 127.9, 128.1, 132.5, 138.4, 145.7, 148.3, 168.4 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3\text{O}$ 291.14, found 292.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3\text{O}$: C 74.20, H 5.88, N 14.42; found: C 74.21, H 5.86, N 14.43.

11-(p-tolyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4aab)



Brown solid; 93%; m.p.: 196-198 °C; IR (KBr): 3402, 3314, 3076, 1652, 1548, 1244 cm^{-1} ; 3407, 3303, 3081, 1658, 1554, 1248 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.13 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.70 – 2.59 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.26 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.59 (1H, d, $J = 5.2$ Hz, CH), 6.03 (1H, d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, NH), 6.51 (3H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, Ph), 6.75 (1H, s, NH), 6.86 – 6.81 (1H, m, Ph), 6.95 (4H, dd, $J = 44.1, 7.7$ Hz, Ph), 8.40 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 21.0, 30.3, 38.6, 57.3, 102.6, 119.6, 120.0, 121.2, 122.0, 127.8, 128.7, 132.5, 134.9, 138.5, 142.6, 148.2, 168.4 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}$ 305.15, found 306.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}$: C 74.73, H 6.27, N 13.76; found: C 74.72, H 6.25, N 13.76.

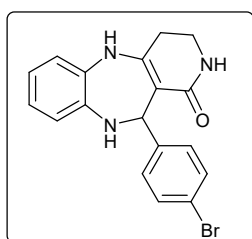
11-(4-chlorophenyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4aac)



Apricot solid; 96%; m.p.: 213-215 °C; IR (KBr): 3407, 3308, 3077, 1652, 1559, 1249 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 3.3 (DMSO-*d*₆), δ 2.67 (2H, dt, *J* = 14.7, 8.5 Hz, CH₂), 3.27 (2H, s, CH₂), 5.62 (1H, d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, CH), 6.12 (1H, d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, NH), 6.50 (1H, s, Ph), 6.58 – 6.53 (2H, m, Ph), 6.80 (1H, s, NH), 6.89 – 6.85 (1H, m, Ph),

7.18 – 7.12 (4H, m, Ph), 8.49 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 30.2, 38.5, 57.2, 101.8, 119.8, 120.3, 121.3, 122.2, 128.1, 129.7, 130.7, 132.6, 138.2, 144.6, 148.6, 168.3 ppm; MS calcd for C₁₈H₁₆ClN₃O 325.10, found 326.10 (M + 1); Anal. calcd (%) for C₁₈H₁₆ClN₃O: C 66.36, H 4.95, N 12.90; found: C 66.34, H 4.96, N 12.92.

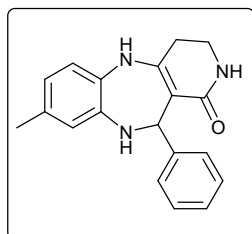
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Milk white solid; 96%; m.p.: 234-235 °C; IR (KBr): 3408, 3306, 3082, 1652, 1553, 1243 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 3.3 (DMSO-*d*₆), δ 2.69 – 2.58 (2H, m, CH₂), 3.26 (2H, t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, CH₂), 5.60 (1H, d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, CH), 6.11 (1H, d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, NH), 6.51 – 6.47 (1H, m, Ph), 6.55 (2H, dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.2 Hz, Ph), 6.79 (1H, s, NH), 6.86 – 6.82 (1H, m, Ph), 7.08 (2H, d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, Ph), 7.30 (2H, d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, Ph), 8.41

(1H, s, NH) ppm; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 30.2, 38.5, 57.3, 101.8, 119.3, 119.73, 120.4, 121.3, 122.2, 130.1, 131.0, 132.6, 138.1, 145.0, 148.5, 168.2 ppm; MS calcd for C₁₈H₁₆BrN₃O 369.05, found 370.10 (M + 1); Anal. calcd (%) for C₁₈H₁₆BrN₃O: C 58.39, H 4.36, N 11.35; found: C 58.43, H 4.34, N 11.32.

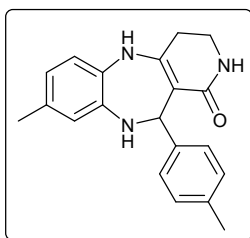
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Milky solid; 94%; m.p.: 185-186 °C; IR (KBr): 3411, 3308, 3076, 1642, 1553, 1233 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 3.3 (DMSO-*d*₆), δ 1.99 (3H, s, CH₃), 2.65 – 2.58 (2H, m, CH₂), 3.24 (2H, d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, CH₂), 5.62 (1H, d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, CH), 5.99 (1H, d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, NH), 6.30 (1H, s, Ph), 6.34 (1H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, Ph), 6.71 (2H, d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, Ph), 7.00 (1H, t, *J* = 6.3 Hz, NH), 7.12 (4H, d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, Ph), 8.28 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ¹³C

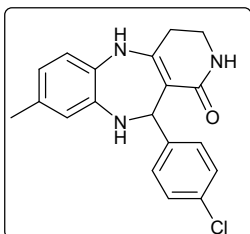
NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆, TMS): δ 20.5, 30.2, 38.4, 57.3, 101.7, 119.4, 120.6, 121.3, 126.0, 127.7, 128.0, 129.8, 130.5, 138.0, 145.5, 148.1, 168.2 ppm; MS calcd for C₁₉H₁₉N₃O 305.15, found 306.10 (M + 1); Anal. calcd (%) for C₁₉H₁₉N₃O: C 74.73, H 6.27, N 13.76; found: C 74.72, H 6.23, N 13.76.

8-methyl-11-(p-tolyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4bab)



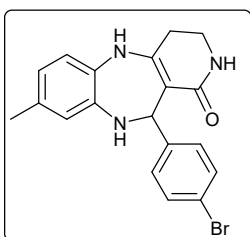
Apricot solid; 96%; m.p.: 185-186 °C; IR (KBr): 3614, 3308, 3076, 1657, 1554, 1243 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 1.99 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.14 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.63-2.57 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.24 (2H, t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, CH_2), 5.58 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, CH), 5.97 (1H, d, $J = 0.5$ Hz, NH), 6.30 (1H, s, Ph), 6.34 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, Ph), 6.69 (1H, s, Ph), 6.71 (1H, s, NH), 6.91 (2H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, Ph), 7.01 (2H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, Ph), 8.26 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 20.7, 21.0, 30.3, 38.6, 57.2, 102.1, 119.5, 120.7, 121.4, 127.8, 128.8, 130.0, 130.5, 135.0, 138.2, 142.7, 148.1, 168.3 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}$ 319.17, found 320.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}$: C 75.21, H 6.62, N 13.16; found: C 75.20, H 6.58, N 13.16.

11-(4-chlorophenyl)-8-methyl-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4bac)



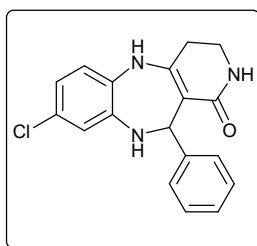
Apricot solid; 97%; m.p.: 193-194 °C; IR (KBr): 3604, 3080, 1657, 1553, 1209 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.01 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.61 (2H, m, $J = 14.7, 7.1$ Hz, CH_2), 3.24 (2H, d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, CH_2), 5.59 (1H, d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, CH), 6.03 (1H, d, $J = 5.8$ Hz, NH), 6.29 (1H, s, Ph), 6.36 (1H, s, Ph), 6.74-6.71 (2H, m, NH, Ph), 7.17 (4H, t, $J = 9.2$ Hz, Ph), 8.33 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 20.7, 30.3, 38.5, 57.0, 101.4, 119.7, 121.0, 121.4, 128.1, 129.7, 130.0, 130.7, 130.9, 137.9, 144.7, 148.5, 168.2 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$ 339.11, found 340.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$: C 67.16, H 5.34, N 12.37; found: C 67.20, H 5.33, N 12.39.

11-(4-bromophenyl)-8-methyl-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4bad)



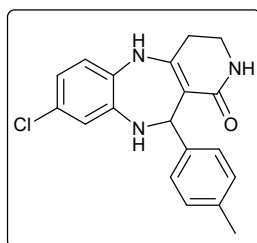
Powder white solid; 98%; m.p.: 214-215°C; IR (KBr): 3623, 3407, 3062, 1658, 1558, 1214 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.01 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.65-2.56 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.25 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.57 (1H, d, $J = 5.3$ Hz, CH), 6.03 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz, NH), 6.29 (1H, s, Ph), 6.37 (1H, d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, Ph), 6.74 (2H, t, $J = 8.5$ Hz, NH, Ph), 7.07 (2H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, Ph), 7.31 (2H, d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, Ph), 8.34 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 20.7, 30.2, 38.5, 57.1, 101.3, 119.3, 119.8, 121.0, 121.4, 130.0, 130.2, 130.9, 131.0, 137.9, 145.1, 148.6, 168.3 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$ 383.06, found 384.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$: C 59.39, H 4.72, N 10.94; found: C 59.42, H 4.70, N 10.96.

8-chloro-11-phenyl-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepin-1-one (4caa)



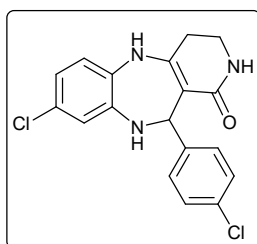
Milk white solid; 93%; m.p.: 246-248°C; IR (KBr): 3358, 3303, 3082, 1651, 1559, 1254 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.61 (2H, dd, $J = 14.2, 7.1$ Hz, CH_2), 3.26 (2H, d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, CH_2), 5.64 (1H, d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, CH), 6.37 (1H, d, $J = 5.8$ Hz, NH), 6.59-6.54 (2H, m, Ph), 6.82 (2H, d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, Ph), 7.03 (1H, t, $J = 6.4$ Hz, NH), 7.18-7.12 (4H, m, Ph), 8.49 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.1, 38.5, 57.5, 102.7, 119.6, 120.0, 120.8, 125.2, 126.5, 127.8, 128.4, 131.7, 139.9, 145.0, 148.0, 168.1 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$ 325.10, found 326.20 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$: C 66.36, H 4.95, N 12.90; found: C 66.34, H 4.92, N 12.92.

8-chloro-11-(p-tolyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4cab)



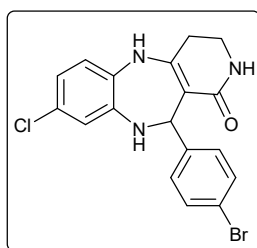
Cream yellow solid; 91%; m.p.: 183-185°C; IR (KBr): 3618, 3313, 3018, 1652, 1548, 1259 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.16 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.62 (2H, d, $J = 4.8$ Hz, CH_2), 3.26 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.60 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz, CH), 6.34 (1H, d, $J = 4.6$ Hz, NH), 6.55 (2H, s, Ph), 6.82 (2H, s, NH, Ph), 6.98 (4H, dd, $J = 26.0, 7.1$ Hz, Ph), 8.47 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 21.0, 30.1, 38.5, 57.2, 102.9, 119.5, 120.0, 120.7, 125.1, 127.7, 129.0, 131.7, 135.3, 140.0, 142.1, 147.9, 168.1 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$ 339.11, found 340.20 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}$: C 67.16, H 5.34, N 12.37; found: C 67.21, H 5.31, N 12.39.

8-chloro-11-(4-chlorophenyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4cac)



Milky solid; 94%; m.p.: 184-185°C; IR (KBr): 3603, 3076, 1667, 1555, 1258 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.63 (2H, q, $J = 15.9$ Hz, CH_2), 3.28 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.62 (1H, d, $J = 3.0$ Hz, CH), 6.41 (1H, d, $J = 3.7$ Hz, NH), 6.56 (1H, s, Ph), 6.60 (1H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, Ph), 6.91 – 6.83 (2H, m, NH, Ph), 7.18 (4H, dd, $J = 33.0, 7.7$ Hz, Ph), 8.55 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.1, 38.4, 57.0, 102.17, 119.9, 120.0, 120.9, 125.4, 128.5, 129.6, 131.1, 131.7, 139.6, 144.1, 148.3, 168.0 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}$ 359.06, found 359.90 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}$: C 60.02, H 4.20, N 11.66; found: C 60.06, H 4.18, N 11.70.

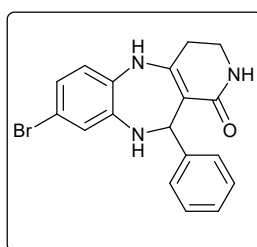
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Off-white solid; 94%; m.p.: 187-189°C; IR (KBr): 3608, 3087, 1672, 1554, 1258 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.65 (2H, dt, $J = 15.6$, 12.4 Hz, CH_2), 3.28 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.60 (1H, d, $J = 3.7$ Hz, CH), 6.44 (1H, d, $J = 4.3$ Hz, NH), 6.58 (1H, s, Ph), 6.61 (1H, s, NH), 6.90 (2H, s, Ph), 7.09 (2H, d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, Ph), 7.35 (2H, d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, Ph), 8.65 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$,

TMS): δ 30.1, 38.4, 57.0, 102.1, 119.6, 119.9, 120.0, 121.0, 125.4, 130.0, 131.2, 131.7, 139.6, 144.5, 148.4, 168.1 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrClN}_3\text{O}$ 403.01, found 403.80 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrClN}_3\text{O}$: C 53.42, H 3.74, N 10.38; found: C 53.45, H 3.72, N 10.42.

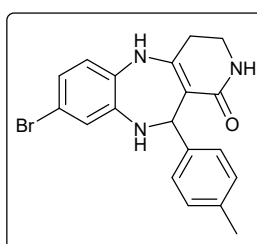
8-bromo-11-phenyl-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4daa)



Yellow-green solid; 93%; m.p.: 250-252°C; IR (KBr): 3609, 3308, 3076, 1657, 1539, 1254 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.63 (2H, dd, $J = 12.4$, 6.5 Hz, CH_2), 3.26 (2H, d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, CH_2), 5.63 (1H, d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, CH), 6.37 (1H, d, $J = 5.9$ Hz, NH), 6.68 (2H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, Ph), 6.77 (1H, d, $J = 9.1$ Hz, Ph), 6.83 (1H, s, Ph), 7.04 (1H, t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, NH), 7.17-7.12 (4H, m, Ph), 8.49 (1H, s, NH)

ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.1, 38.5, 57.5, 102.8, 113.1, 121.2, 122.4, 122.8, 126.5, 127.8, 128.4, 132.1, 140.2, 145.0, 148.0, 168.0 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$ 369.05, found 370.1 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$: C 58.39, H 4.36, N 11.35; found: C 58.43, H 4.34, N 11.38.

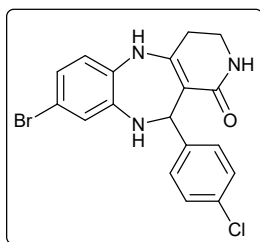
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Milk white solid; 91%; m.p.: 192-194°C; IR (KBr): 3618, 3308, 3076, 1651, 1548, 1253 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.16 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.65-2.58 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.25 (2H, d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, CH_2), 5.59 (1H, d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, CH), 6.34 (1H, d, $J = 5.9$ Hz, NH), 6.70-6.66 (2H, m, NH, Ph), 6.76 (1H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 6.83 (1H, s, Ph), 6.95 (2H, d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, Ph), 7.01 (2H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, Ph), 8.47 (1H, s, NH)

ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 21.0, 30.1, 38.5, 57.2, 103.0, 113.1, 121.1, 122.4, 122.7, 127.7, 129.0, 132.0, 135.3, 140.3, 142.0, 147.9, 168.1 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$ 383.06, found 383.90 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}$: C 59.39, H 4.72, N 10.94; found: C 59.42, H 4.70, N 10.96.

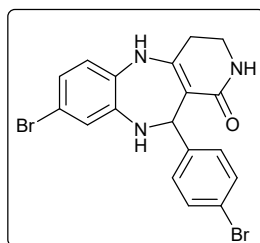
8-bromo-11-(4-chlorophenyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4dac)



Powder white solid; 92%; m.p.: 185-187°C; IR (KBr): 3607, 3323, 3086, 1677, 1553, 1259 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.70-2.58 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.27 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.61 (1H, d, $J = 5.3$ Hz, CH), 6.42 (1H, d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, NH), 6.71 (2H, d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, NH, Ph), 6.81 (1H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 6.88 (1H, s, Ph), 7.14 (2H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 7.22 (2H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 8.60 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C

NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.1, 38.4, 57.0, 102.3, 113.3, 121.3, 122.7, 122.8, 128.3, 129.6, 131.1, 132.1, 139.9, 144.1, 148.3, 168.0 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrClN}_3\text{O}$ 403.01, found 403.80 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrClN}_3\text{O}$: C 53.42, H 3.74, N 10.38; found: C 53.40, H 3.72, N 10.42.

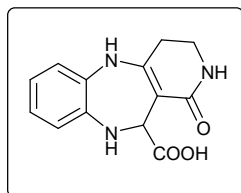
8-bromo-11-(4-bromophenyl)-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-1-one (4dad)



Milk white solid; 94%; m.p.: 175-176°C; IR (KBr): 3612, 3308, 3086, 1657, 1559, 1253 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.68-2.58 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.27 (2H, s, CH_2), 5.58 (1H, d, $J = 5.6$ Hz, CH), 6.40 (1H, d, $J = 5.8$ Hz, NH), 6.74-6.67 (2H, m, NH, Ph), 6.79 (1H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, Ph), 6.86 (1H, s, Ph), 7.07 (2H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 7.36 (2H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, Ph), 8.54 (1H, s, NH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz,

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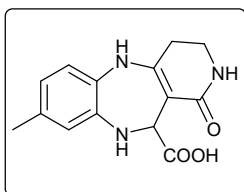
1-oxo-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-11-carboxylic acid (4aae)



Brown-yellow solid; 87%; m.p.: 167-169°C; IR (KBr): 3455, 3323, 3096, 1722, 1658, 1553, 1233 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.55 (2H, t, $J = 4.7$ Hz, CH_2), 3.24 (2H, s, CH_2), 4.89 (1H, s, CH), 5.98 (1H, d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, NH), 6.69 (1H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, NH), 6.75 (1H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, Ph), 6.83 (1H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, Ph), 6.93 (1H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, Ph), 7.33 (1H, s, Ph), 8.69 (1H, s, NH), 13.11 (1H, s, COOH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ

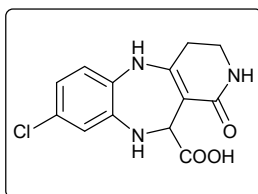
30.4, 38.2, 57.5, 96.9, 120.1, 120.1, 121.5, 122.6, 131.0, 138.6, 148.8, 170.1, 173.4 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ 259.10, found 260.20 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$: C 68.05, H 5.11, N 12.53; found: C 68.07, H 5.10, N 12.55.

8-methyl-1-oxo-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-11-carboxylic acid (4bae)



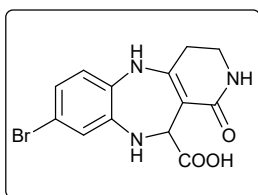
Brown-yellow solid; 89%; m.p.: 184-185°C; IR (KBr): 3446, 3347, 1736, 1638, 1568, 1238 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.15 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.75-2.54 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.23 (2H, s, CH_2), 4.86 (1H, d, $J = 0.6$ Hz, CH), 5.89 (1H, d, $J = 0.6$ Hz, NH), 6.50 (1H, d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, Ph), 6.63 (1H, s, NH), 6.81 (1H, d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, Ph), 7.31 (1H, s, Ph), 8.62 (1H, s, NH), 13.17 (1H, s, COOH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 20.7, 30.5, 38.2, 57.4, 96.2, 120.2, 120.9, 121.7, 128.5, 131.3, 138.4, 148.9, 170.2, 173.4 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ 273.11, found 274.20 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$: C 68.75, H 5.48, N 12.03; found: C 68.78, H 5.50, N 12.05.

8-chloro-1-oxo-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-11-carboxylic acid (4cae)



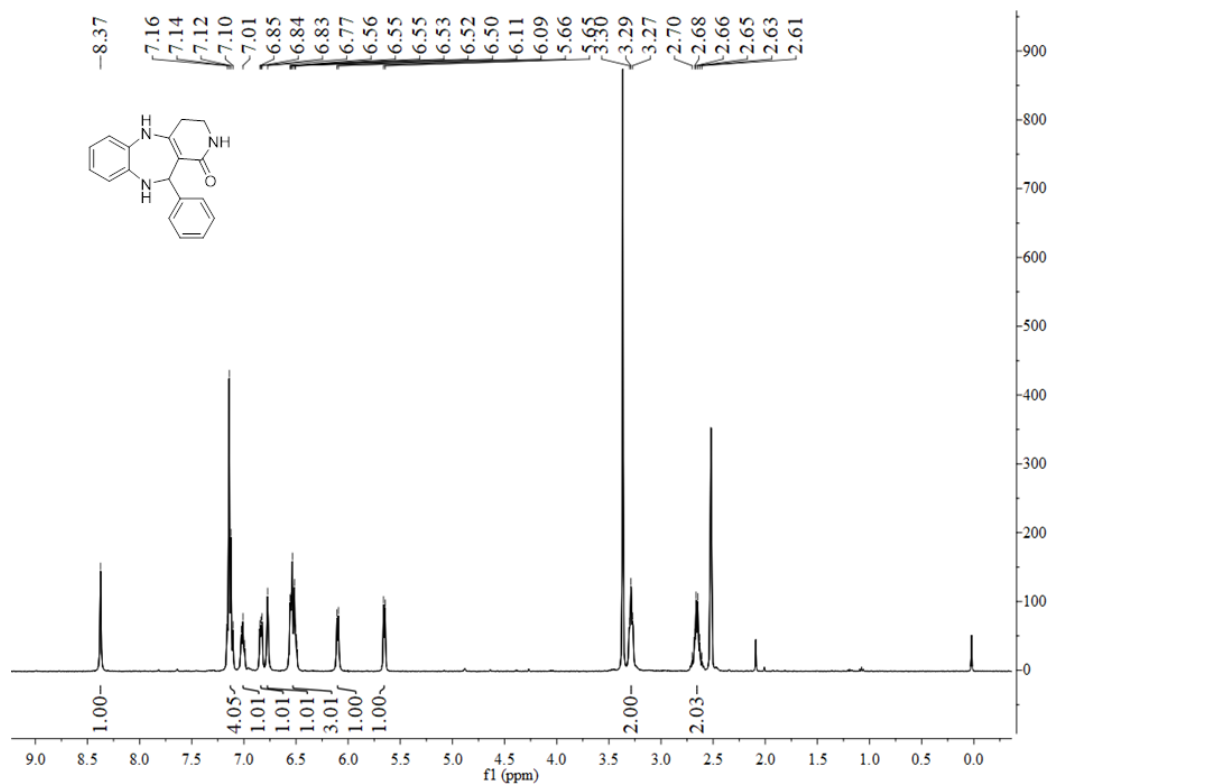
Yellow-green solid; 85%; m.p.: 204-205°C; IR (KBr): 3460, 3342, 1716, 1637, 1558, 1238 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.65 (2H, dt, $J = 22.6, 7.7$ Hz, CH_2), 3.24 (2H, s, CH_2), 4.92 (1H, d, $J = 5.3$ Hz, CH), 6.26 (1H, d, $J = 5.5$ Hz, NH), 6.72 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 1.9$ Hz, NH), 6.88 (1H, d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, Ph), 6.92 (1H, d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, Ph), 7.38 (1H, s, Ph), 8.76 (1H, s, NH), 13.15 (1H, s, COOH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.3, 38.2, 57.2, 97.3, 119.6, 120.3, 121.4, 125.9, 130.0, 140.1, 148.5, 169.8, 173.1 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3$ 293.06, found 294.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3$: C 61.71, H 4.36, N 11.36; found: C 61.73, H 4.35, N 11.34.

8-bromo-1-oxo-2,3,4,5,10,11-hexahydro-1H-benzo[b]pyrido[4,3-e][1,4]diazepine-11-carboxylic acid (4dae)

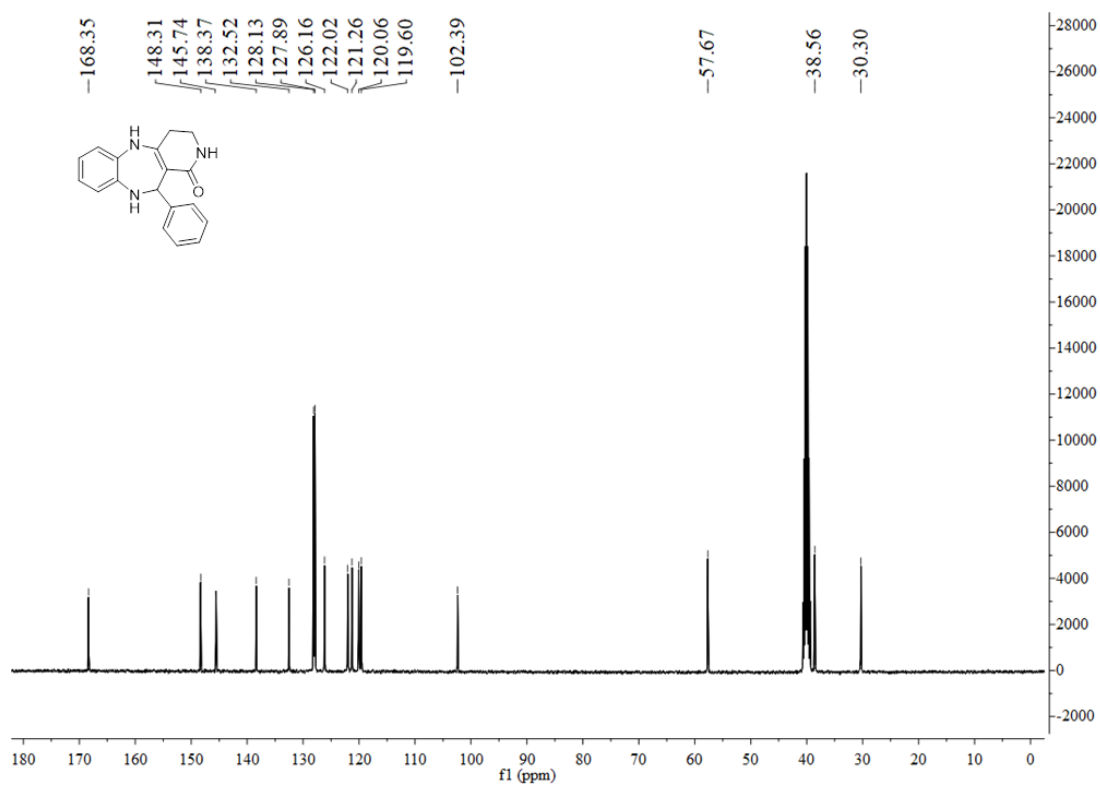


Creamy yellow solid; 85%; m.p.: 227-228°C; IR (KBr): 3455, 3337, 1711, 1638, 1564, 1249 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 3.3 ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$), δ 2.71-2.53 (2H, m, CH_2), 3.24 (2H, s, CH_2), 4.95 (1H, d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, CH), 6.28 (1H, d, $J = 0.5$ Hz, NH), 6.95-6.82 (2H, m, NH, Ph), 7.06-6.99 (1H, m, Ph), 7.38 (1H, s, Ph), 8.84 (1H, s, NH), 13.14 (1H, s, COOH) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$, TMS): δ 30.3, 38.2, 57.3, 97.5, 113.8, 121.8, 122.4, 123.1, 130.5, 140.4, 148.5, 169.8, 173.2 ppm; MS calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_3$ 337.01, found 338.10 ($M + 1$); Anal. calcd (%) for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_3$: C 55.09, H 3.89, N 10.14; found: C 55.11, H 3.90, N 10.12.

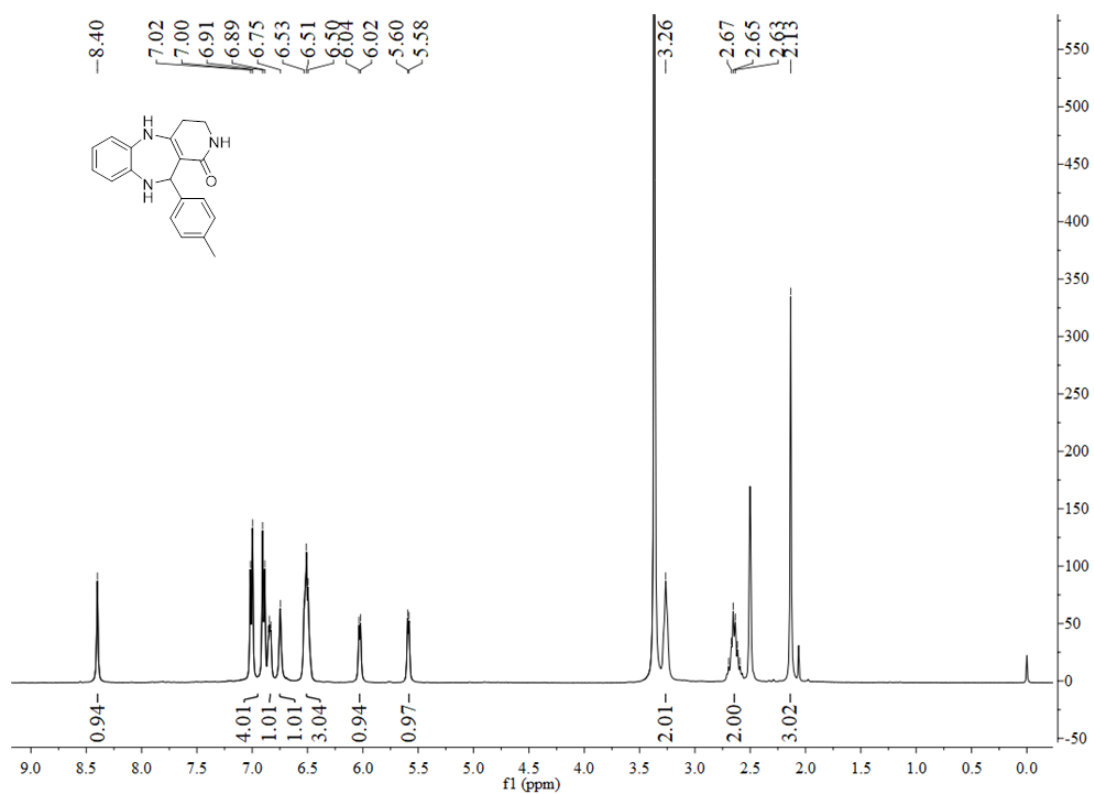
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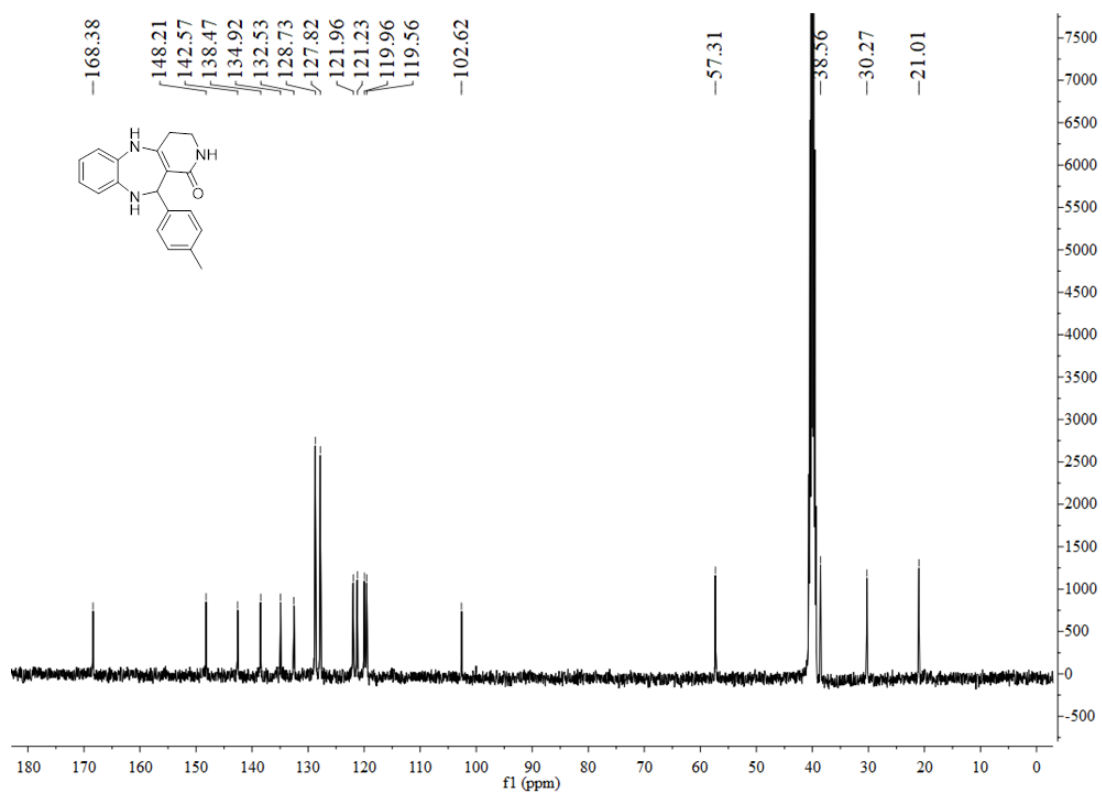
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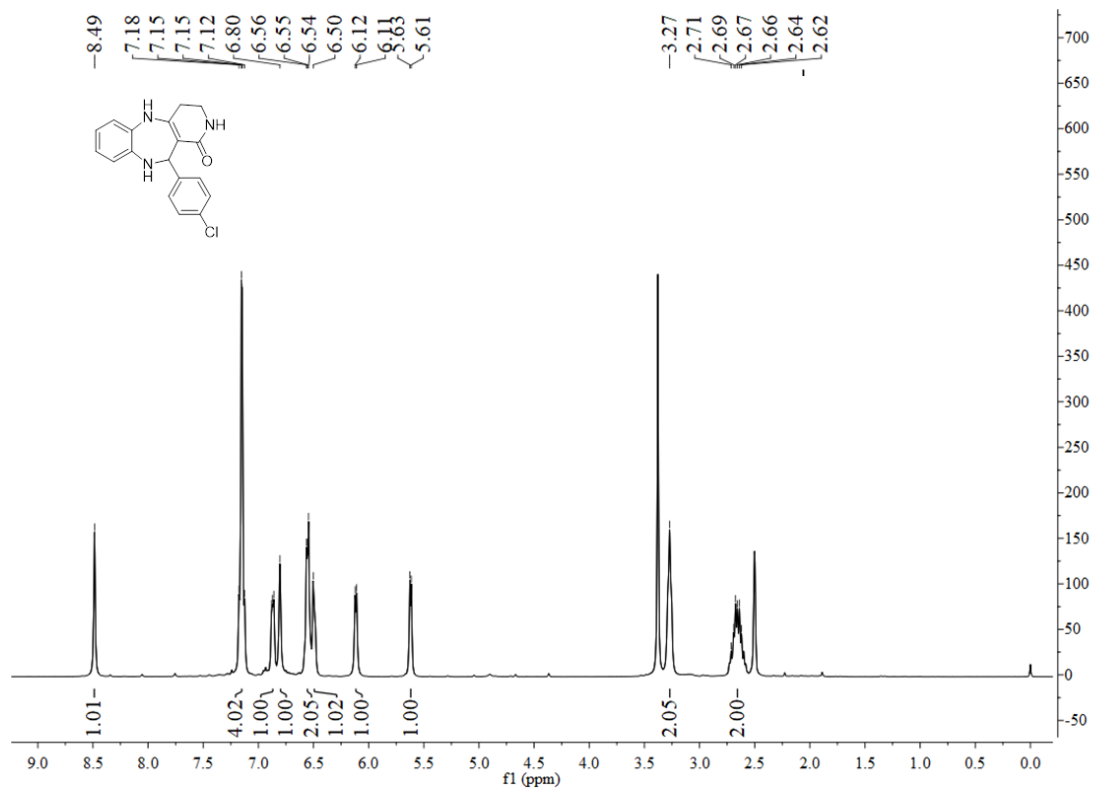
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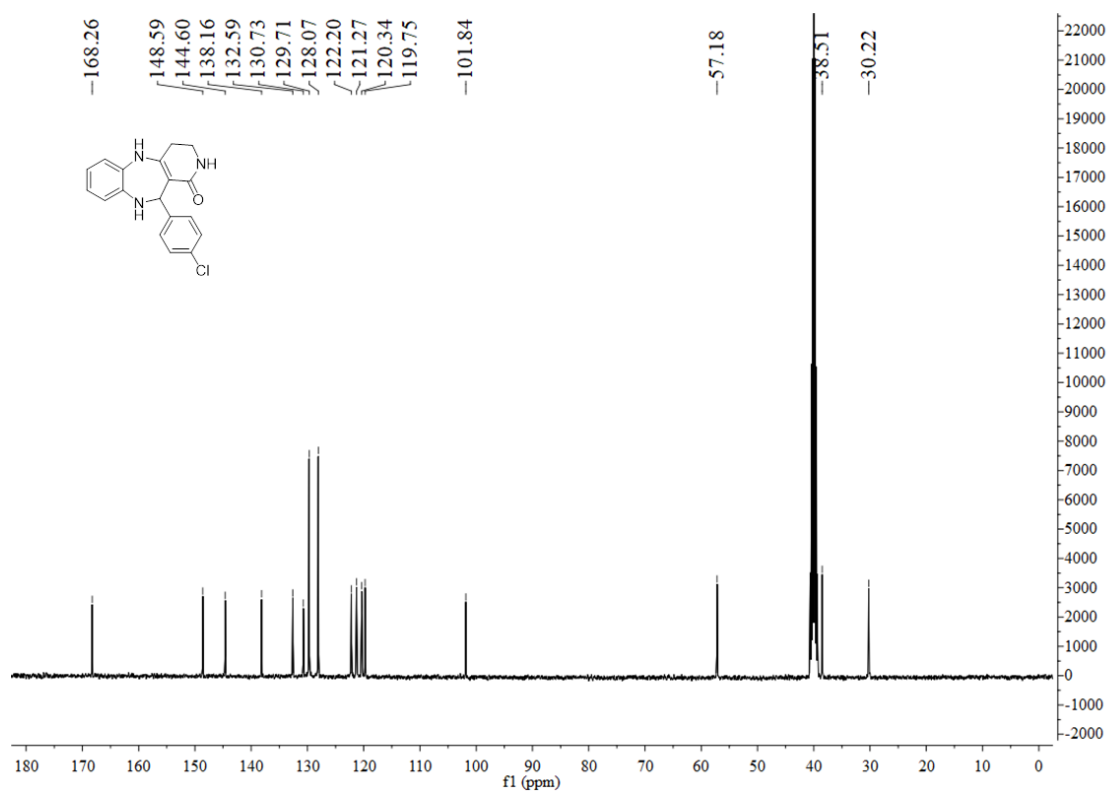
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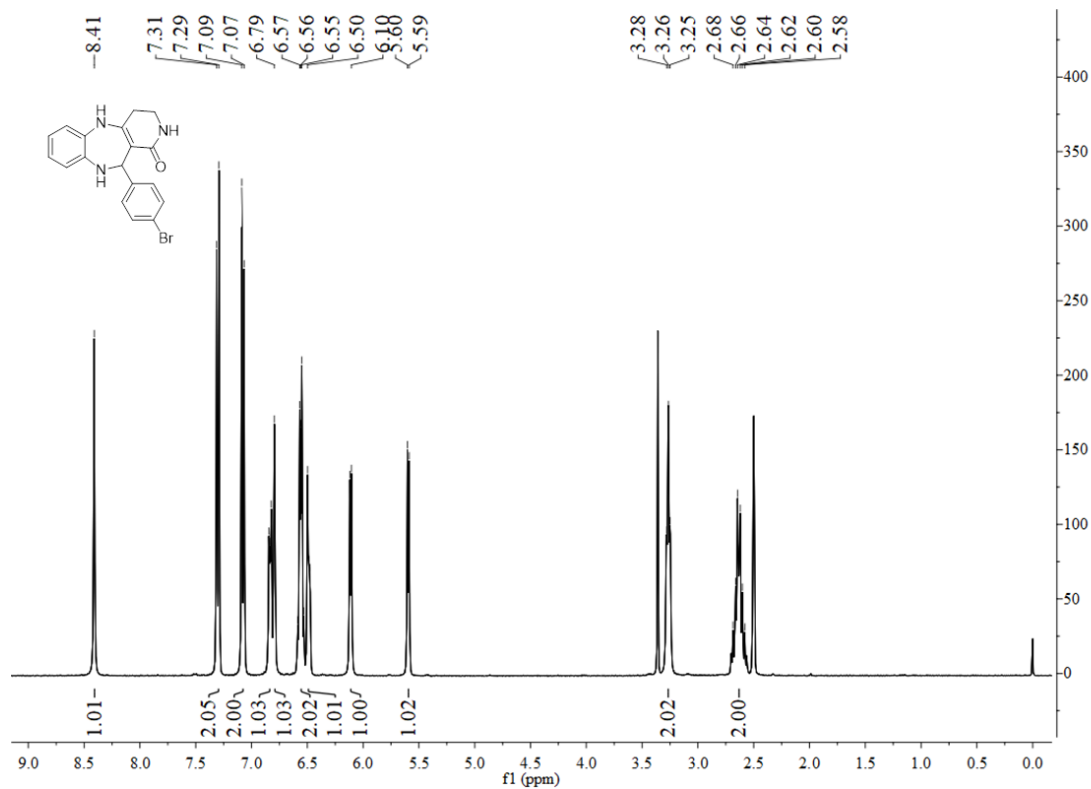
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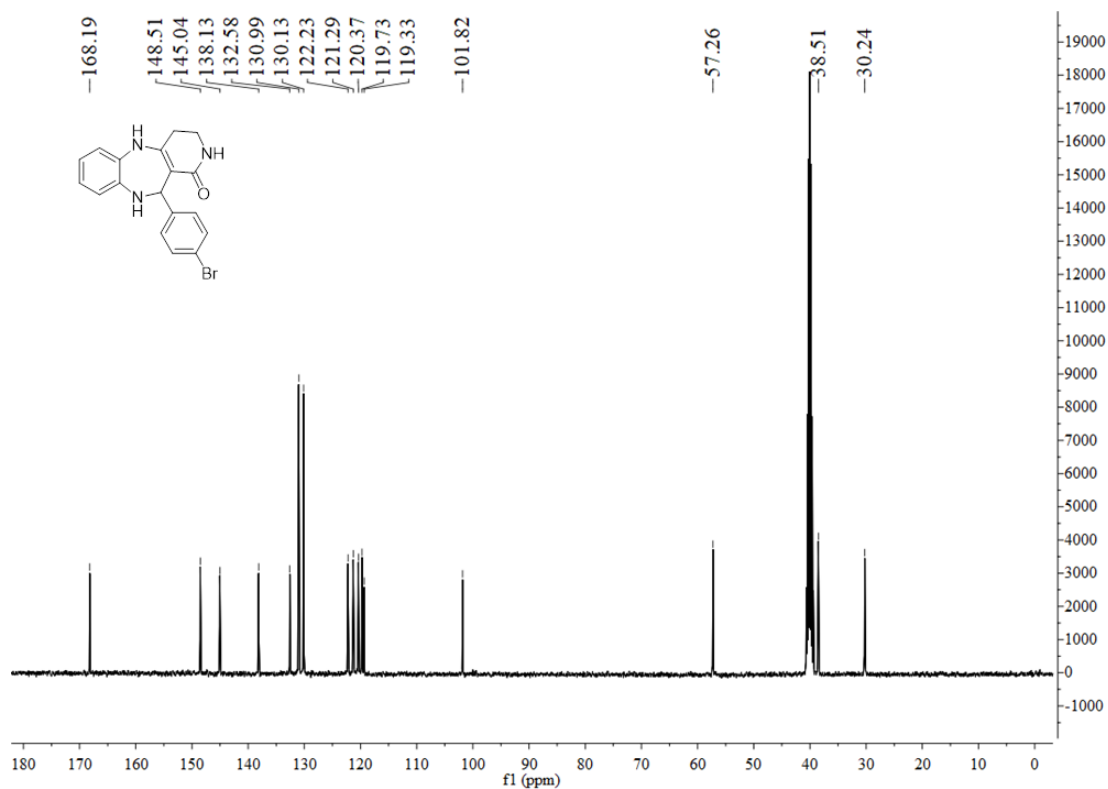
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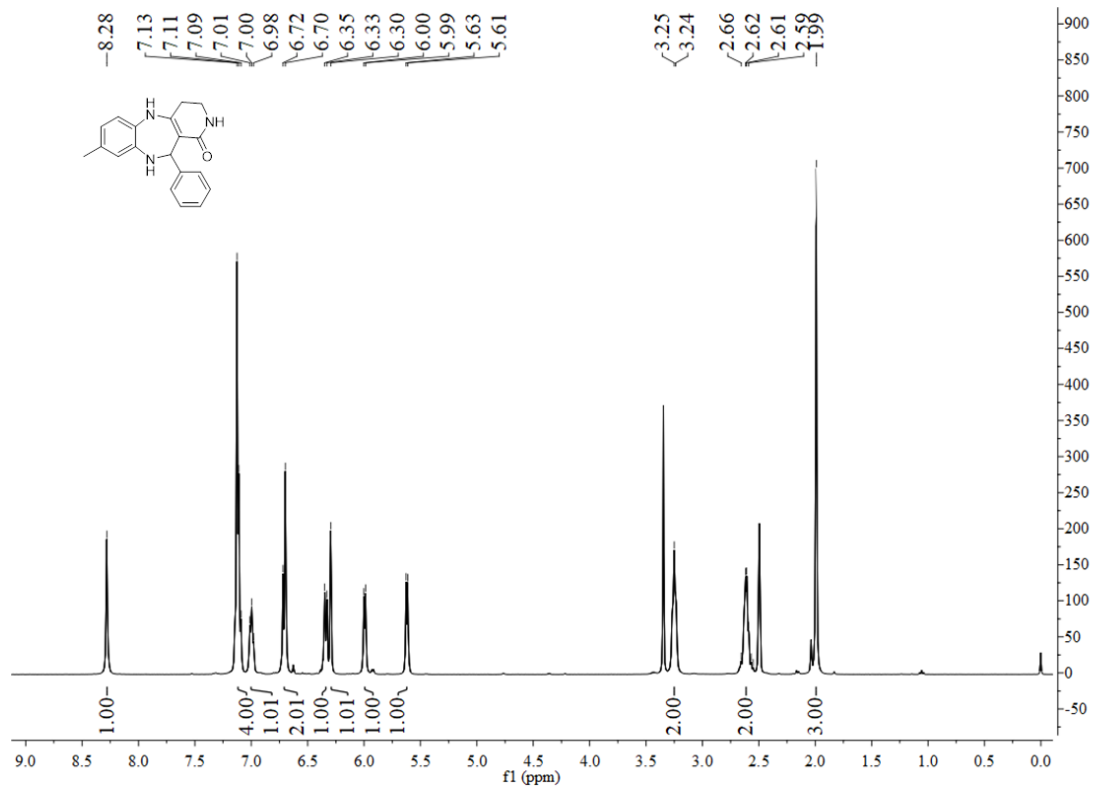
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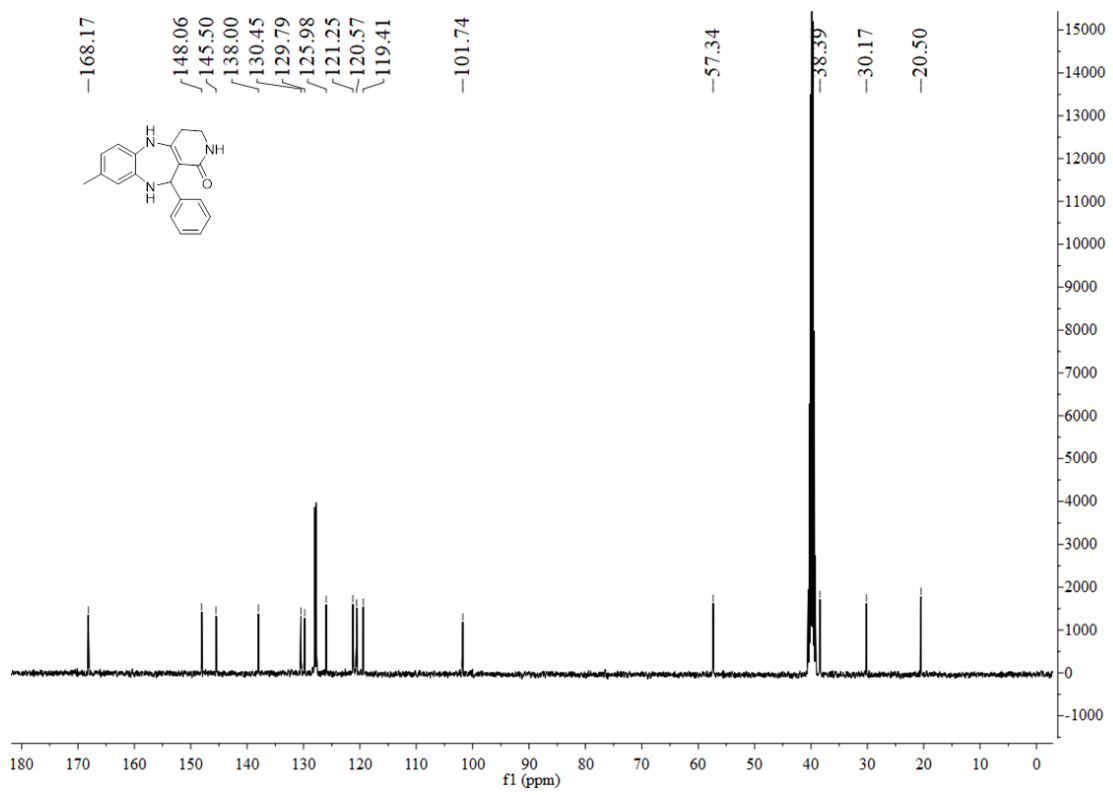
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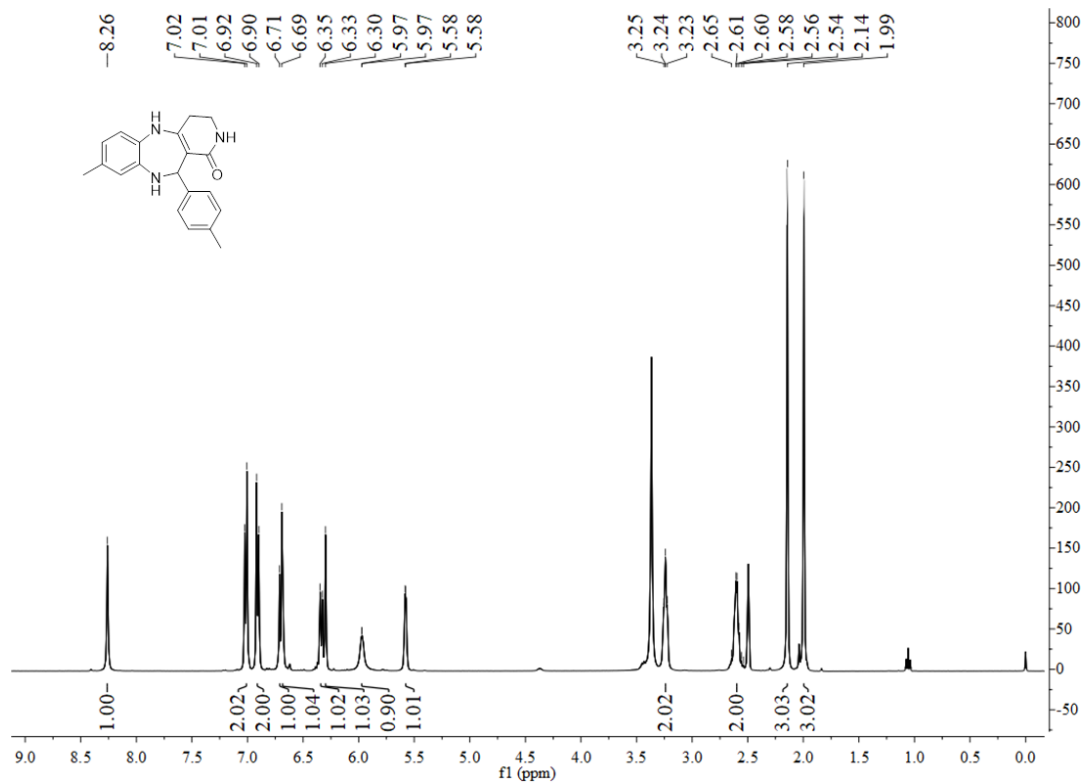
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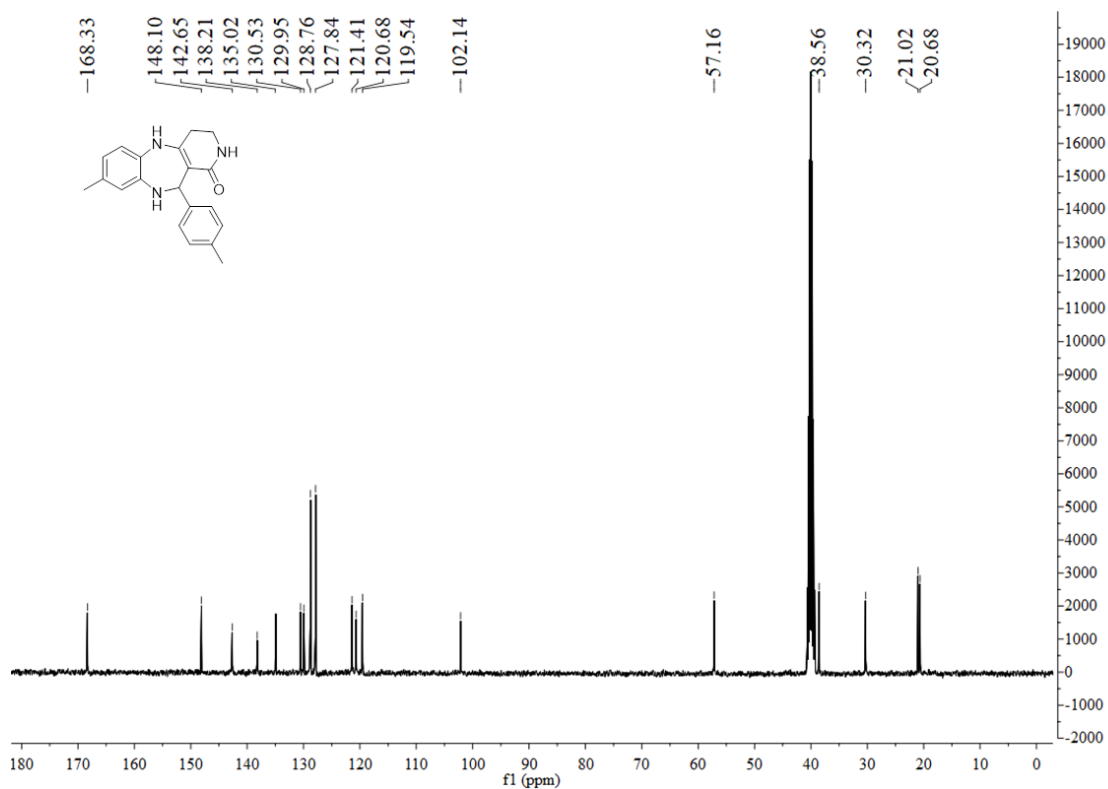
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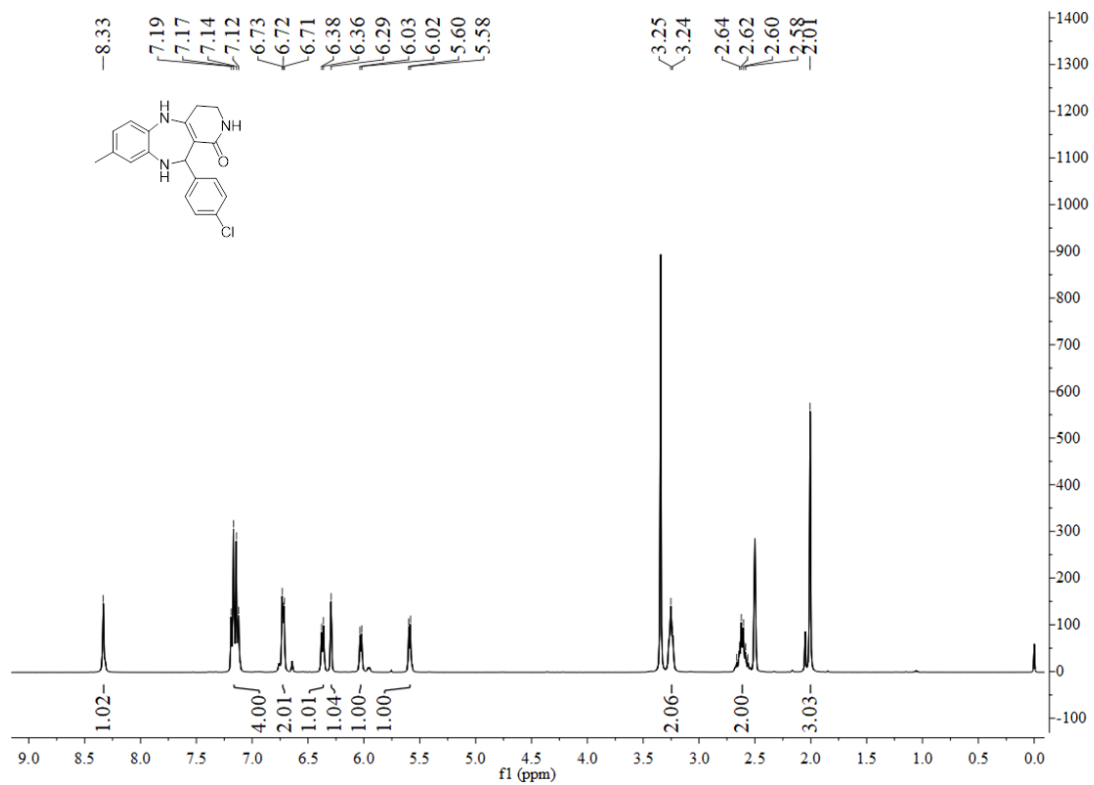
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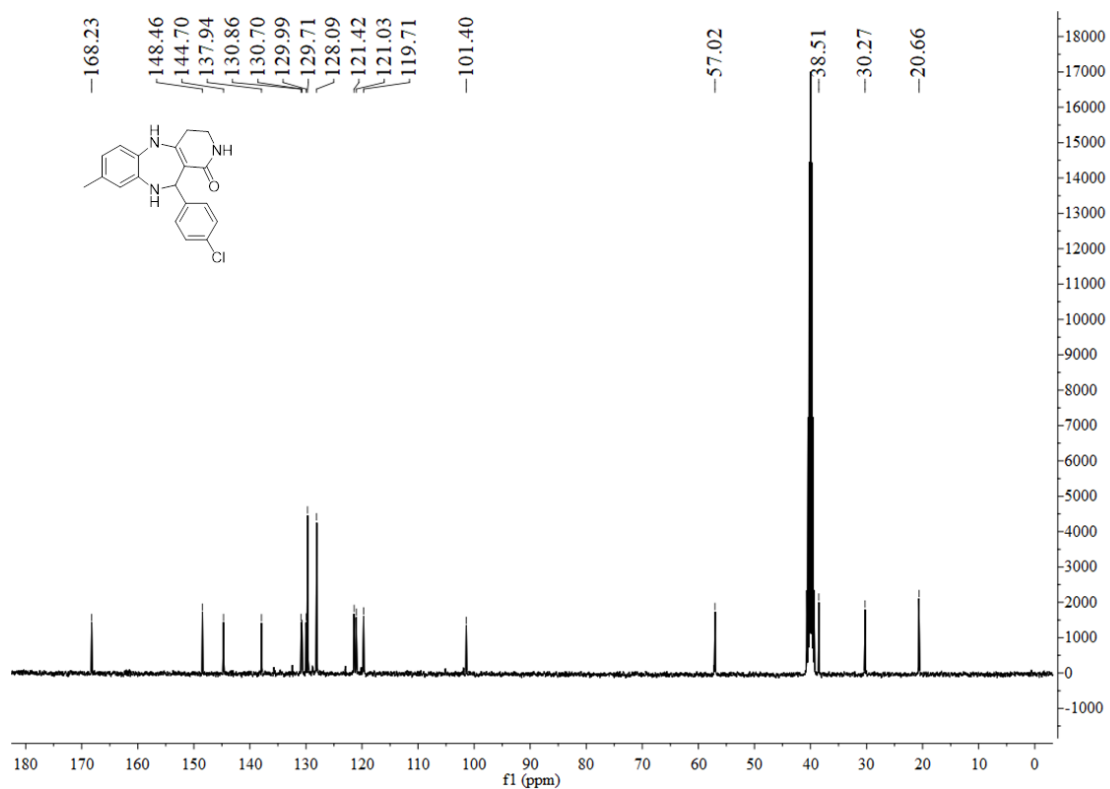
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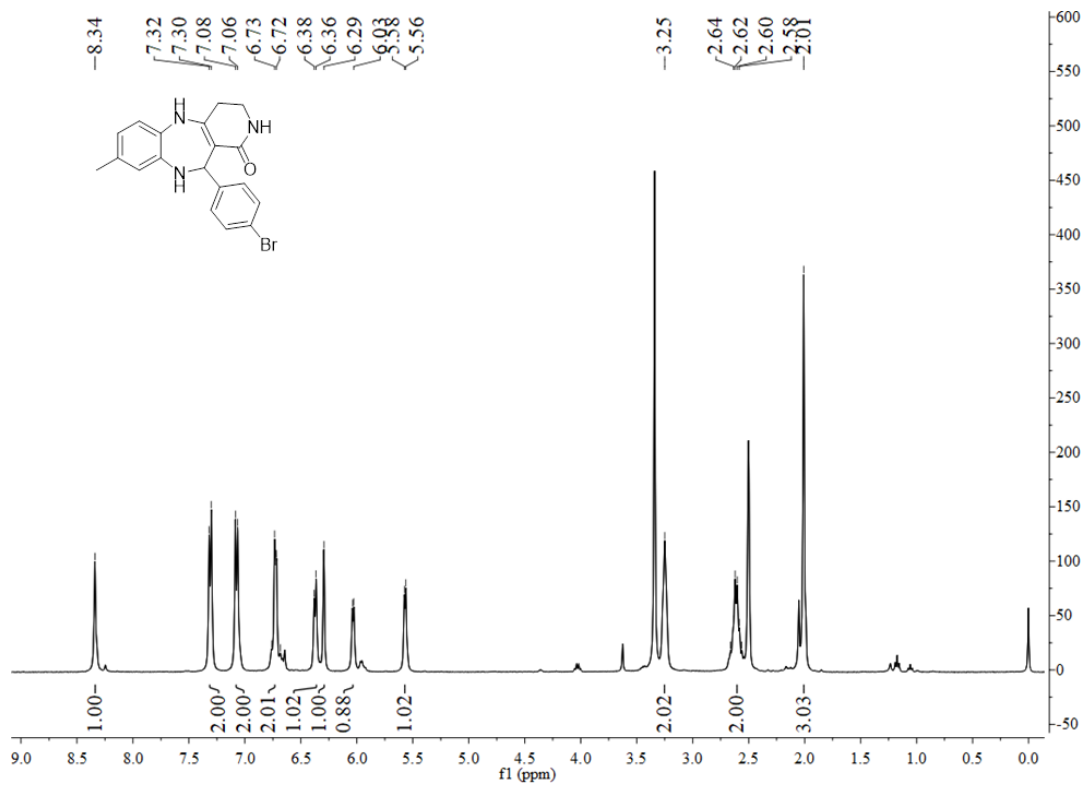
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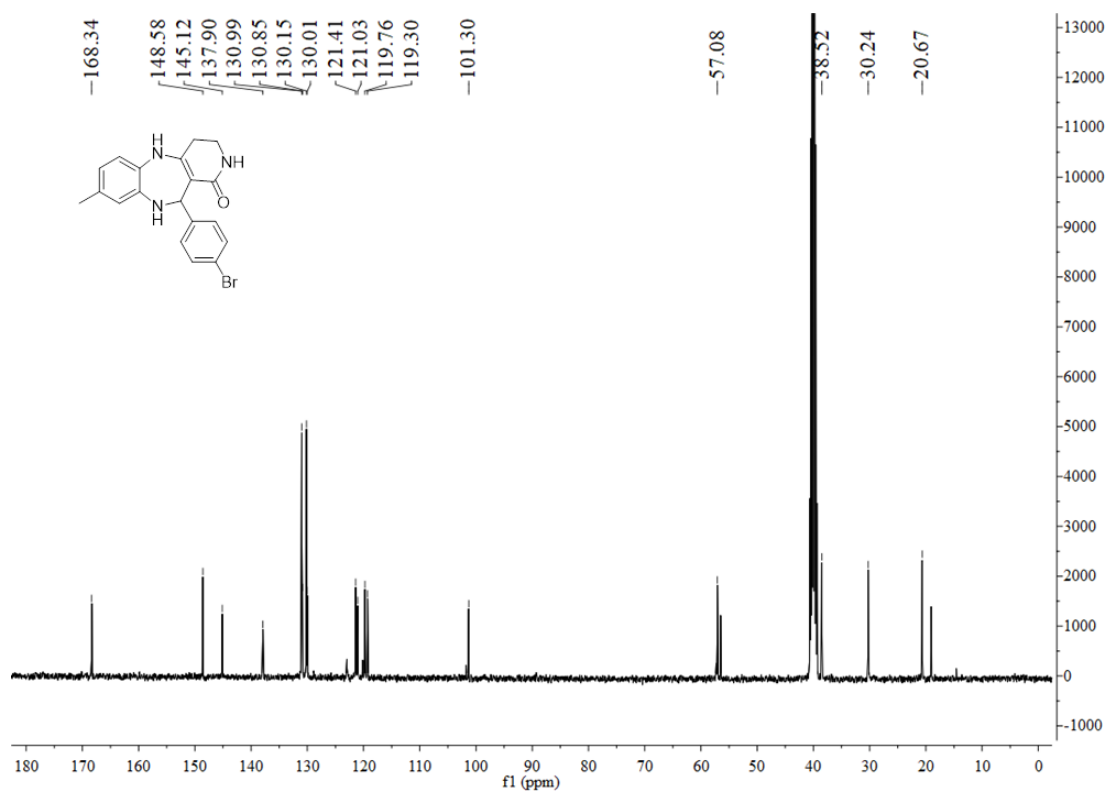
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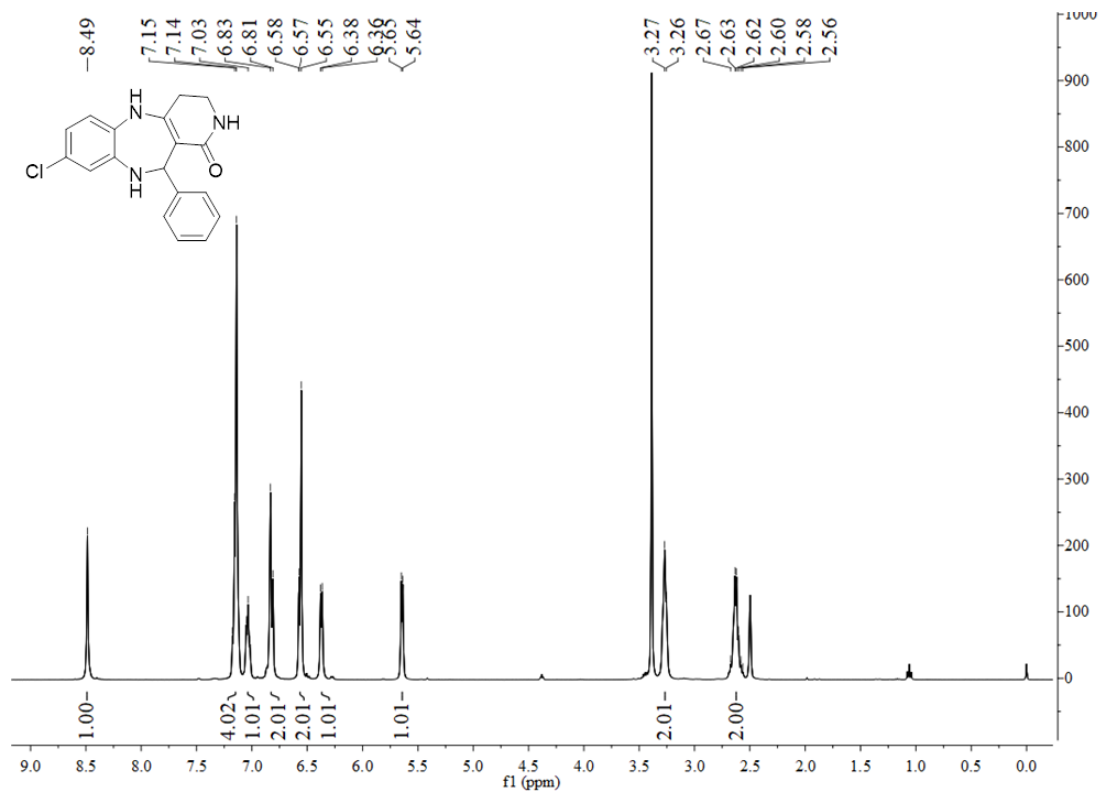
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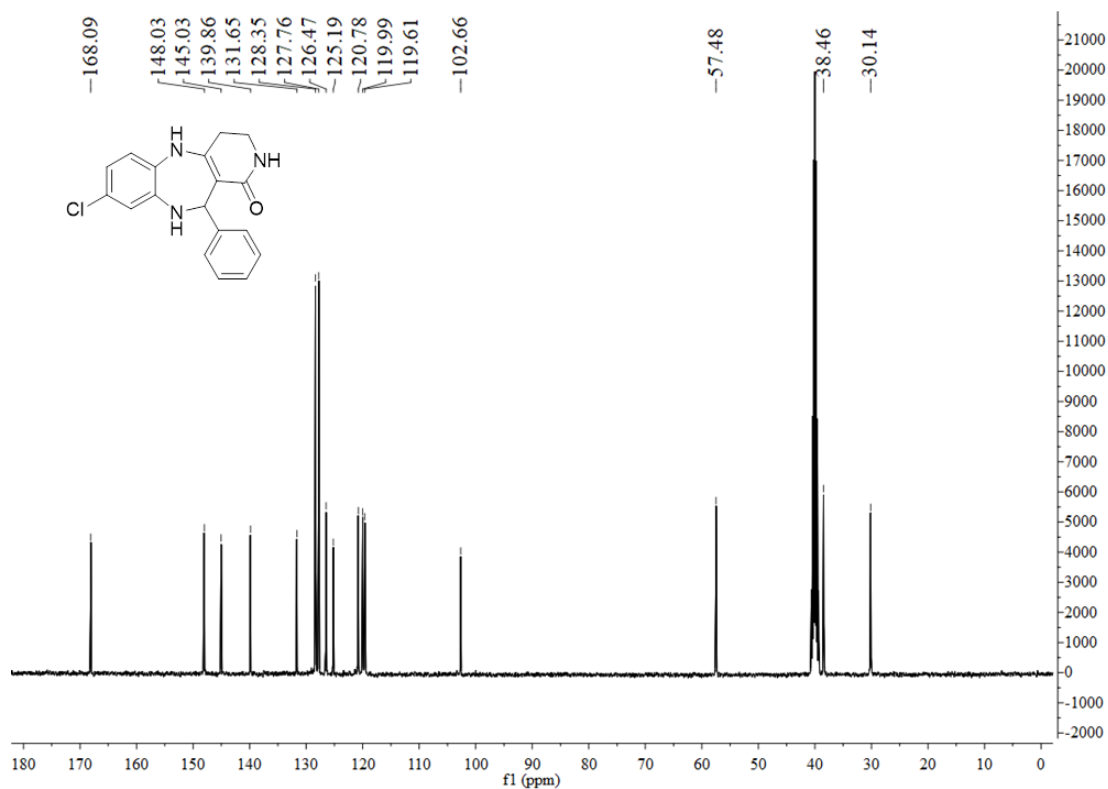
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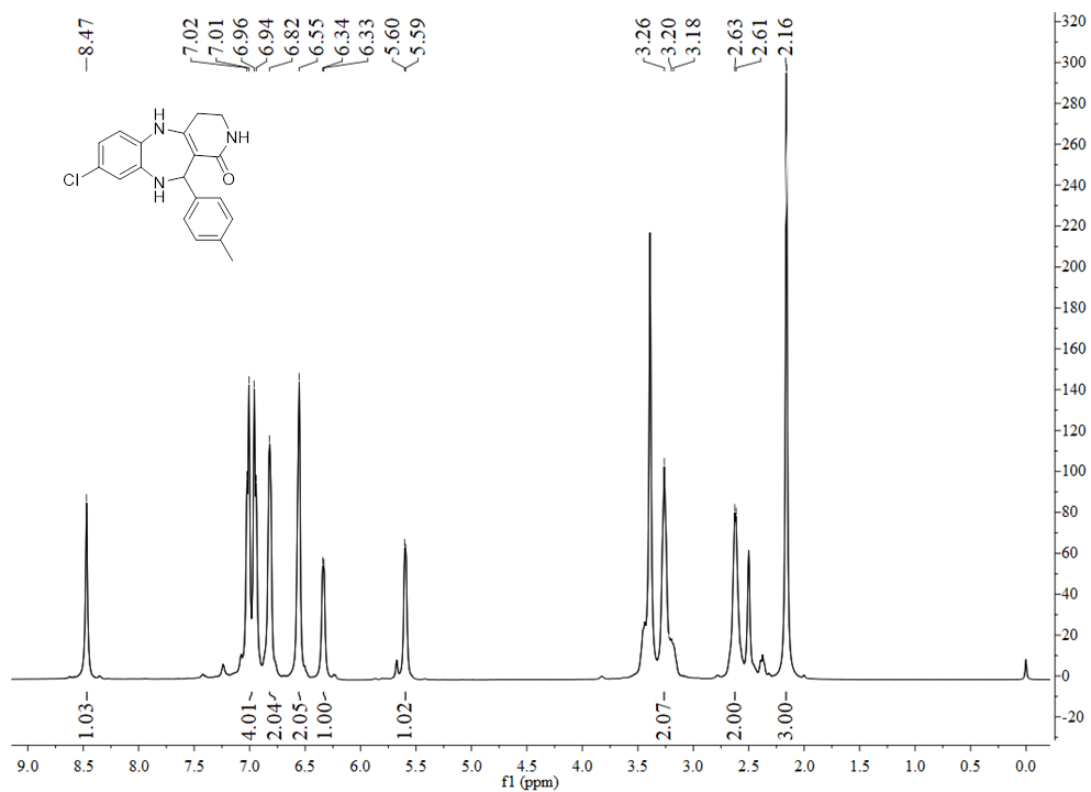
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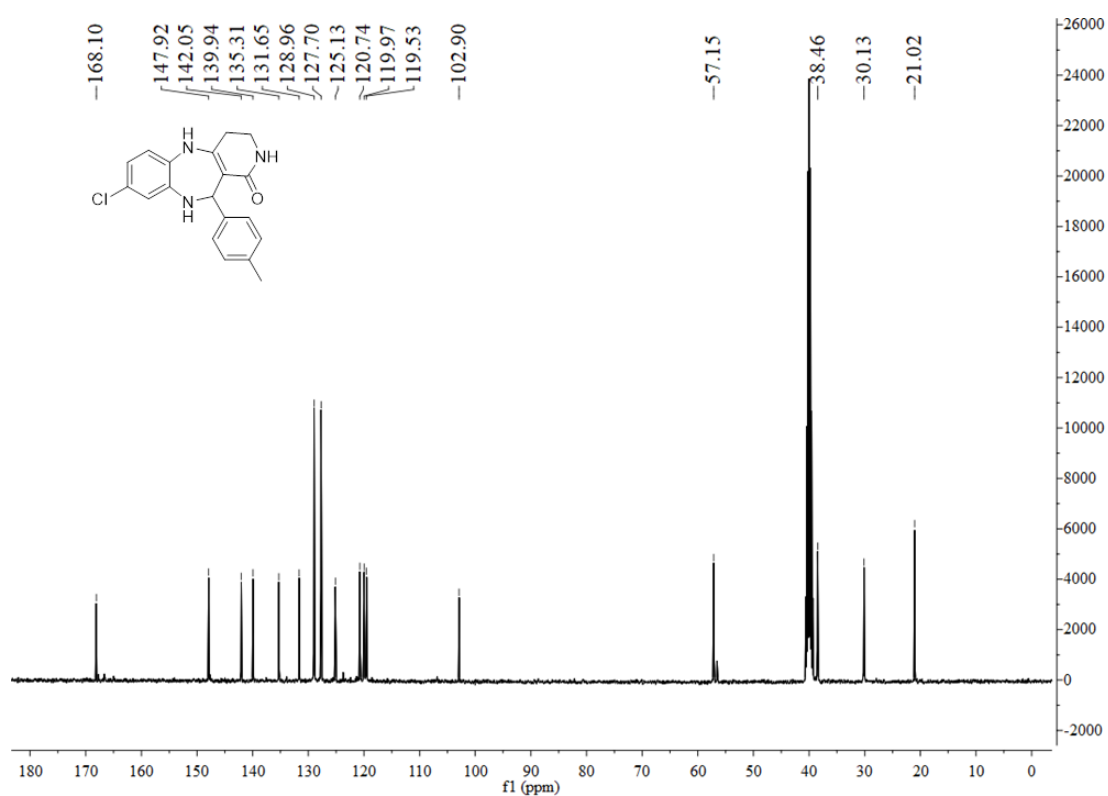
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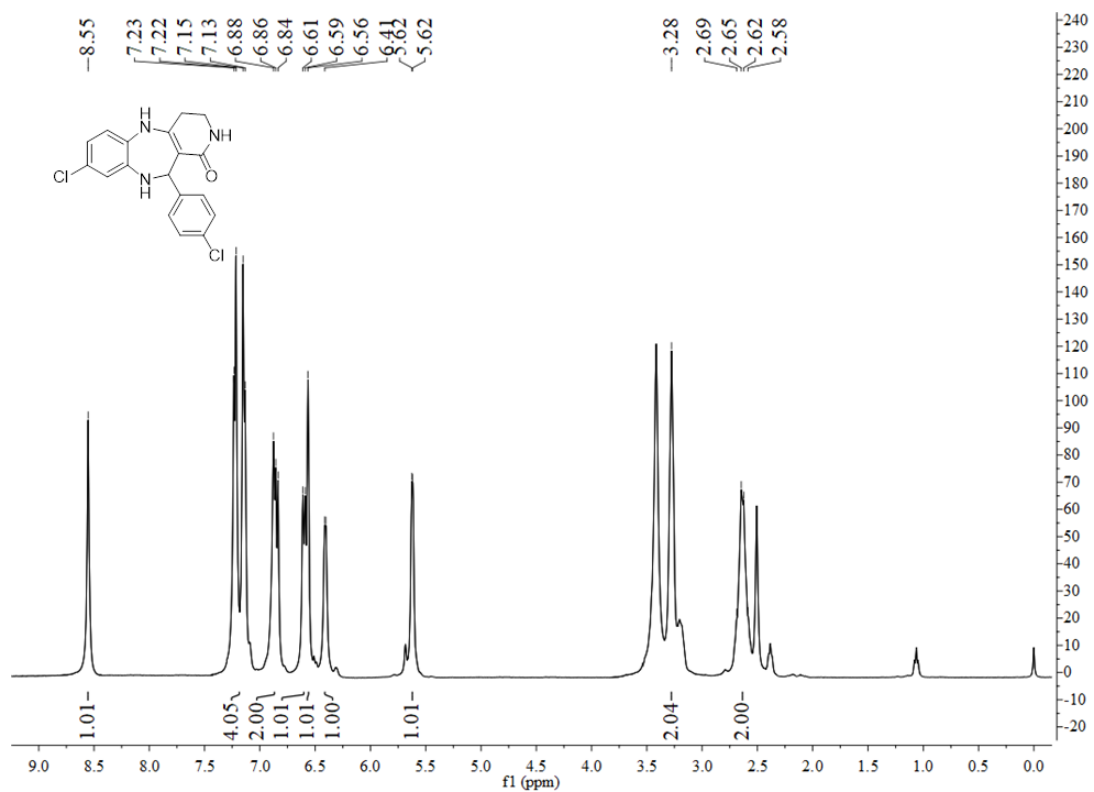
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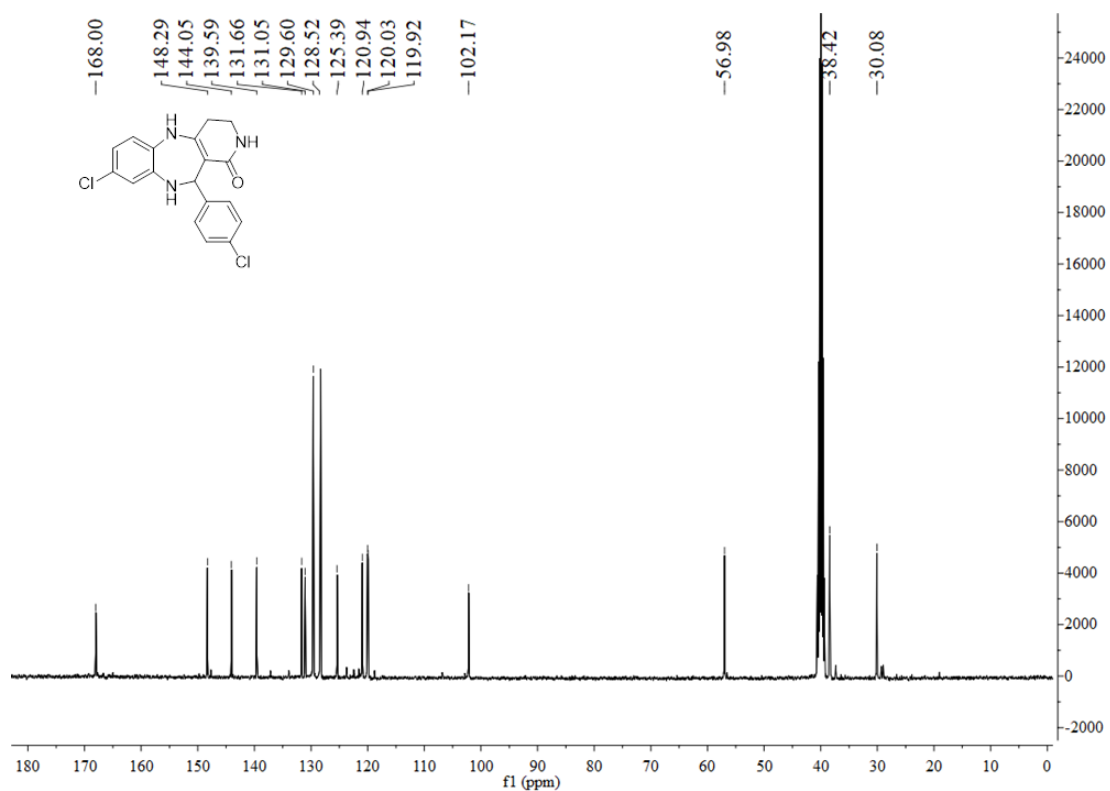
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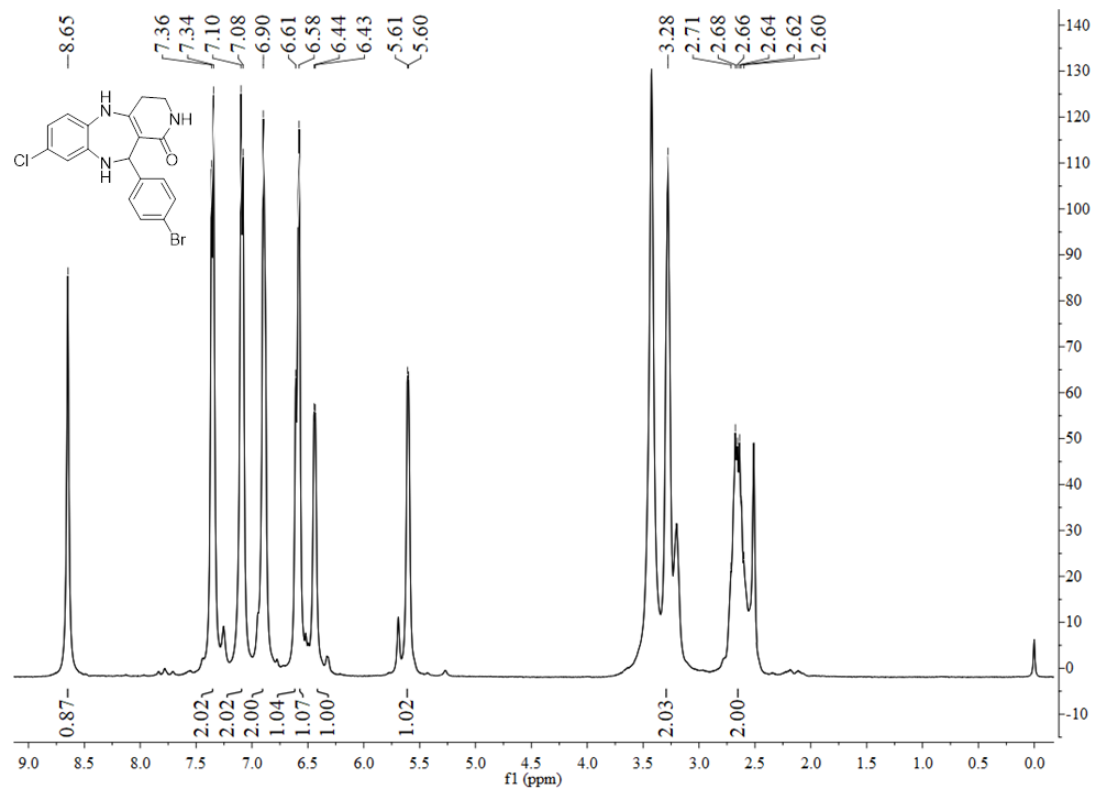
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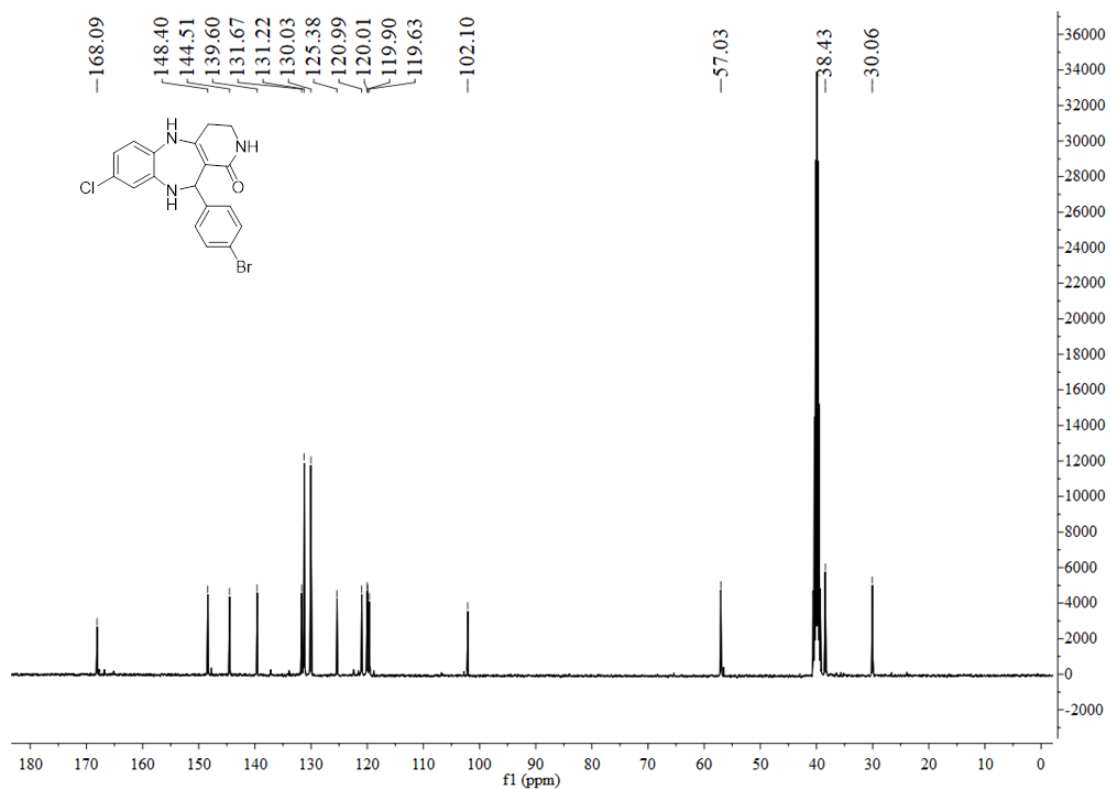
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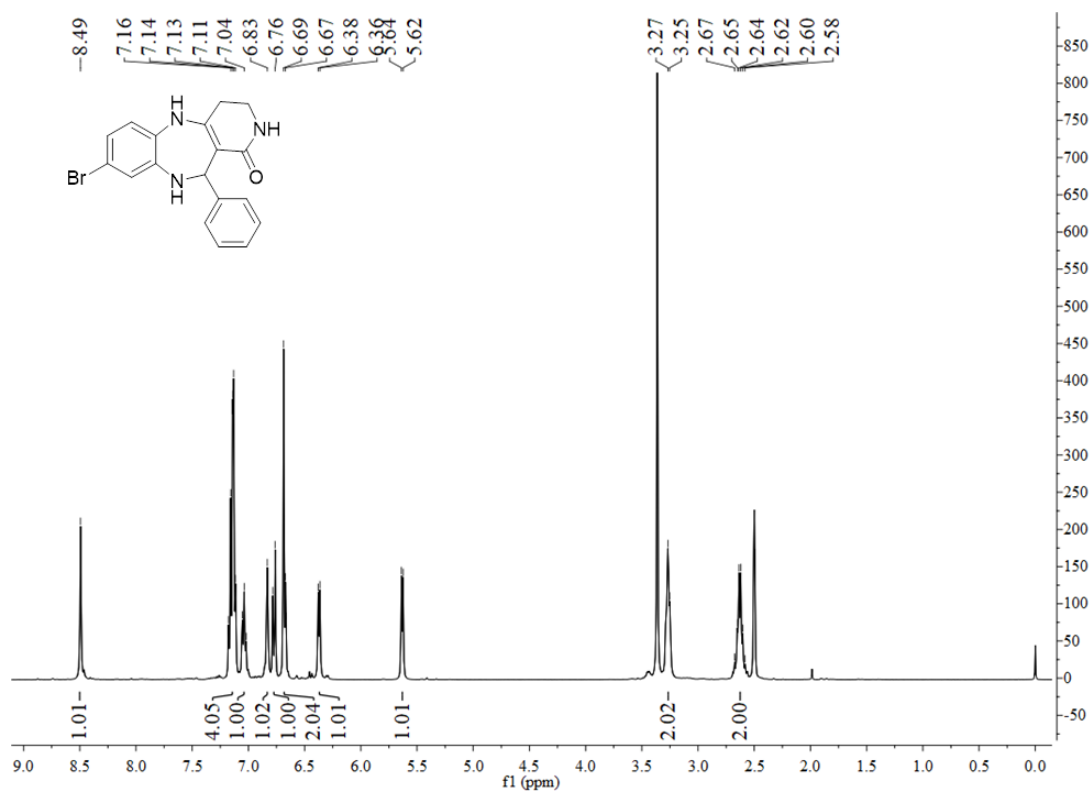
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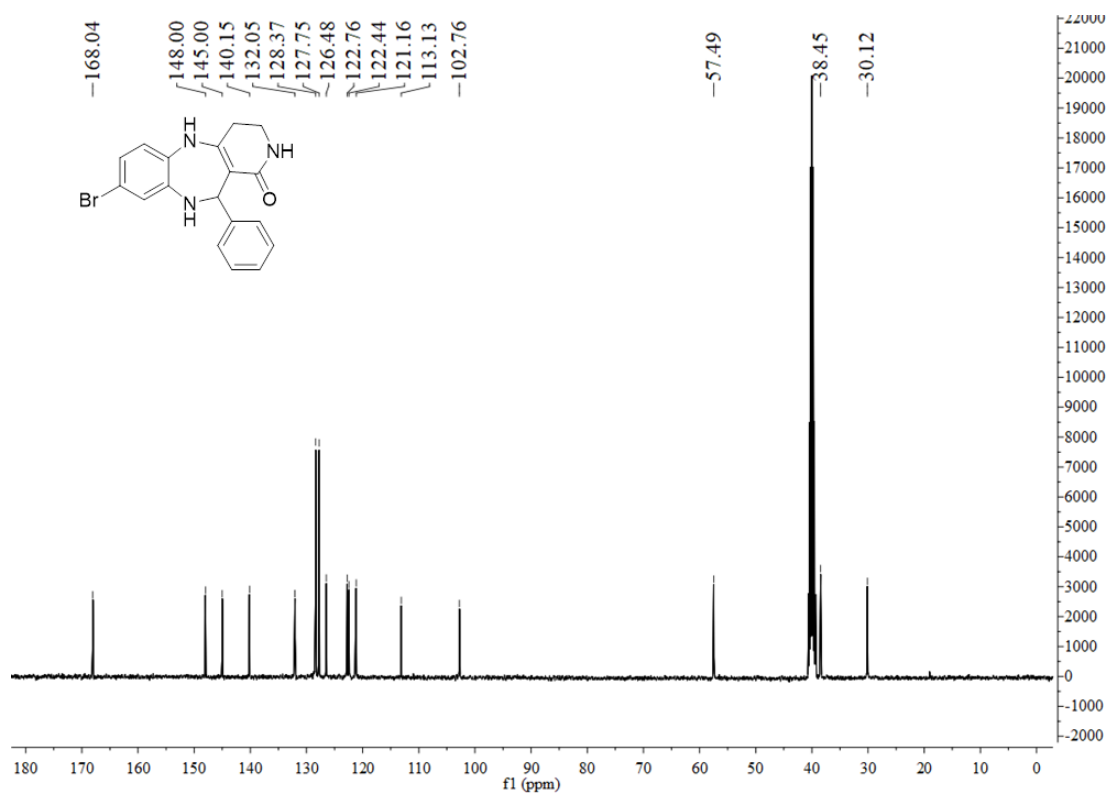
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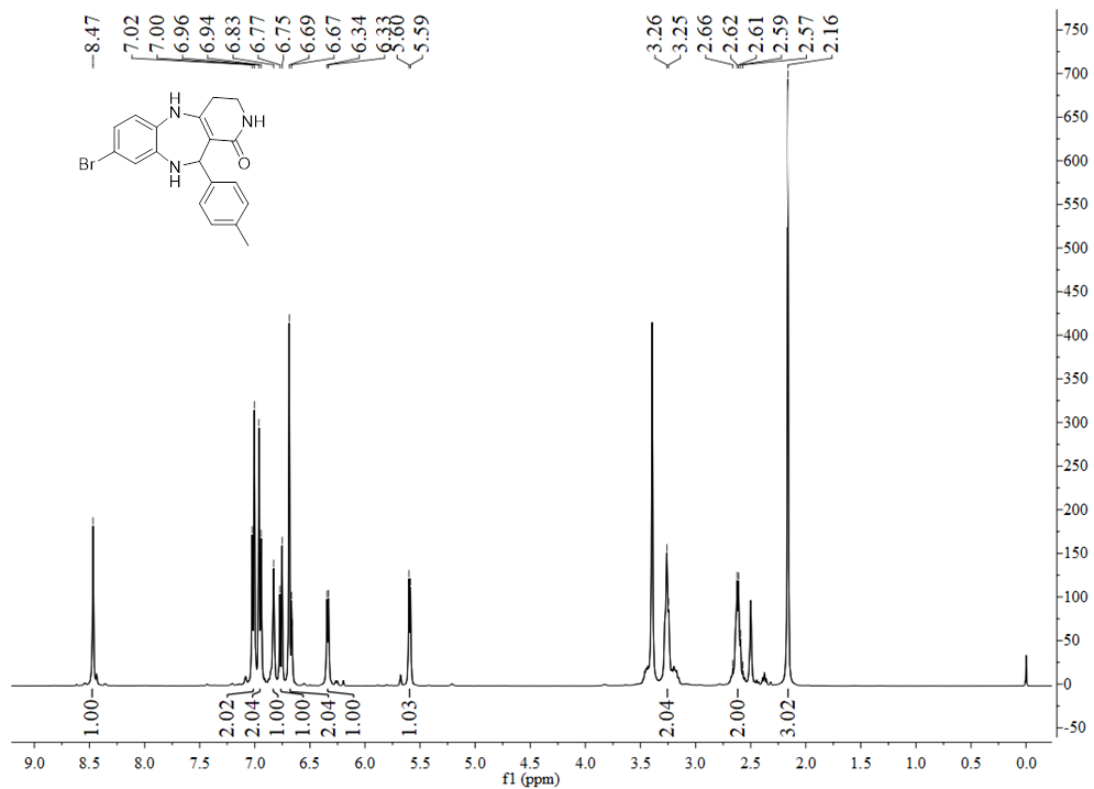
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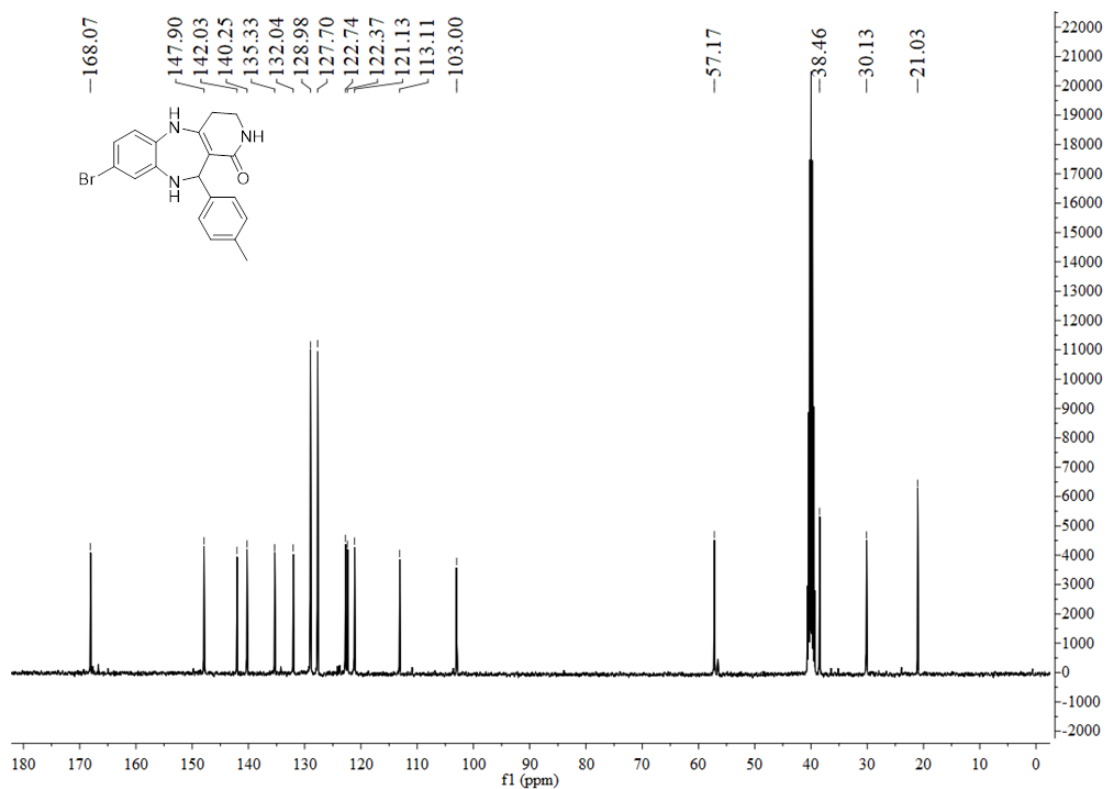
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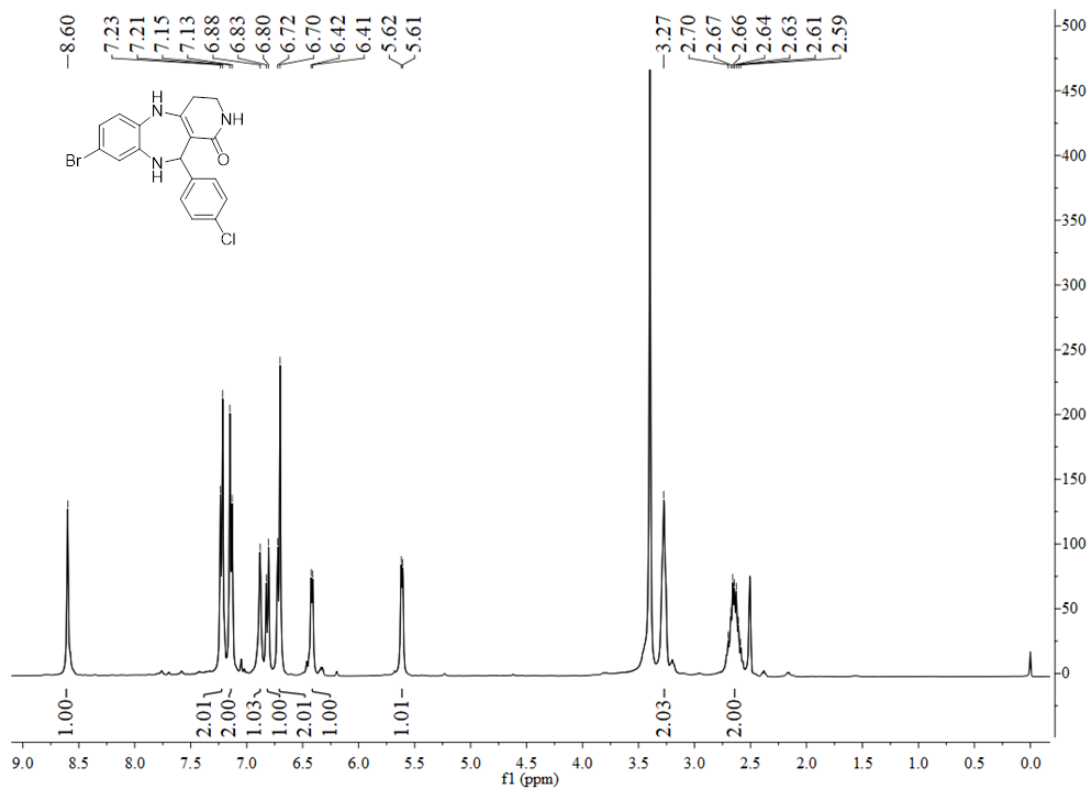
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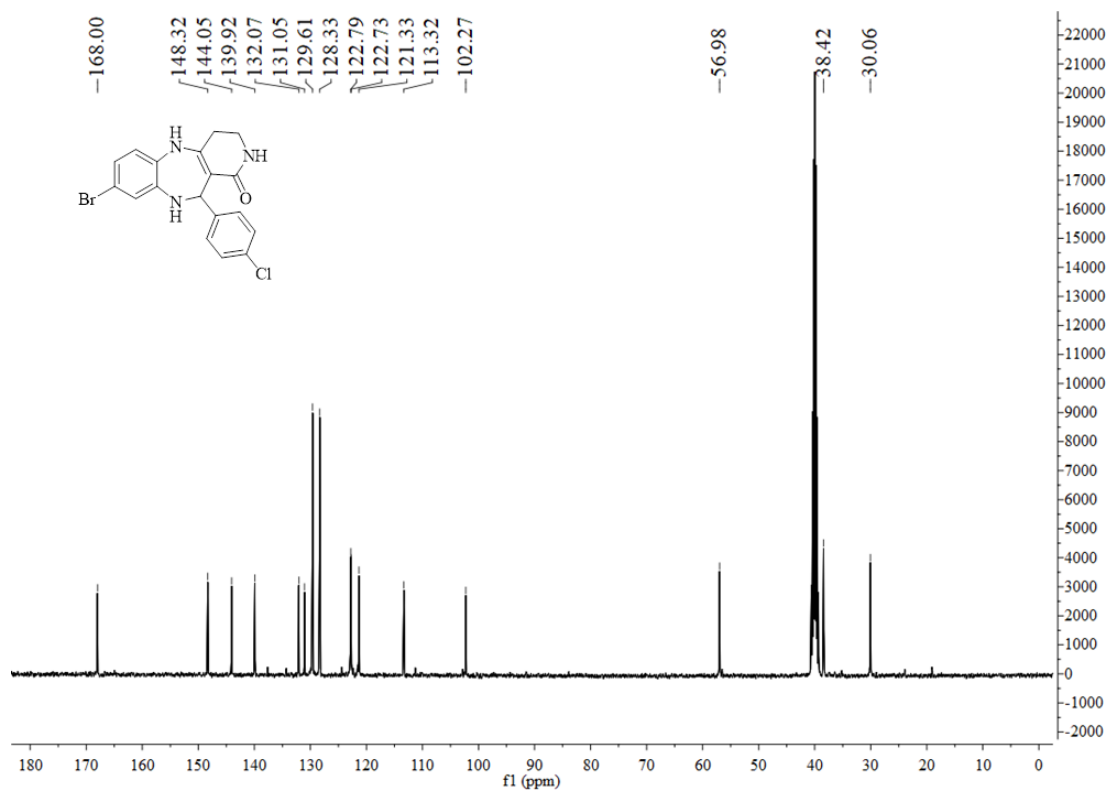
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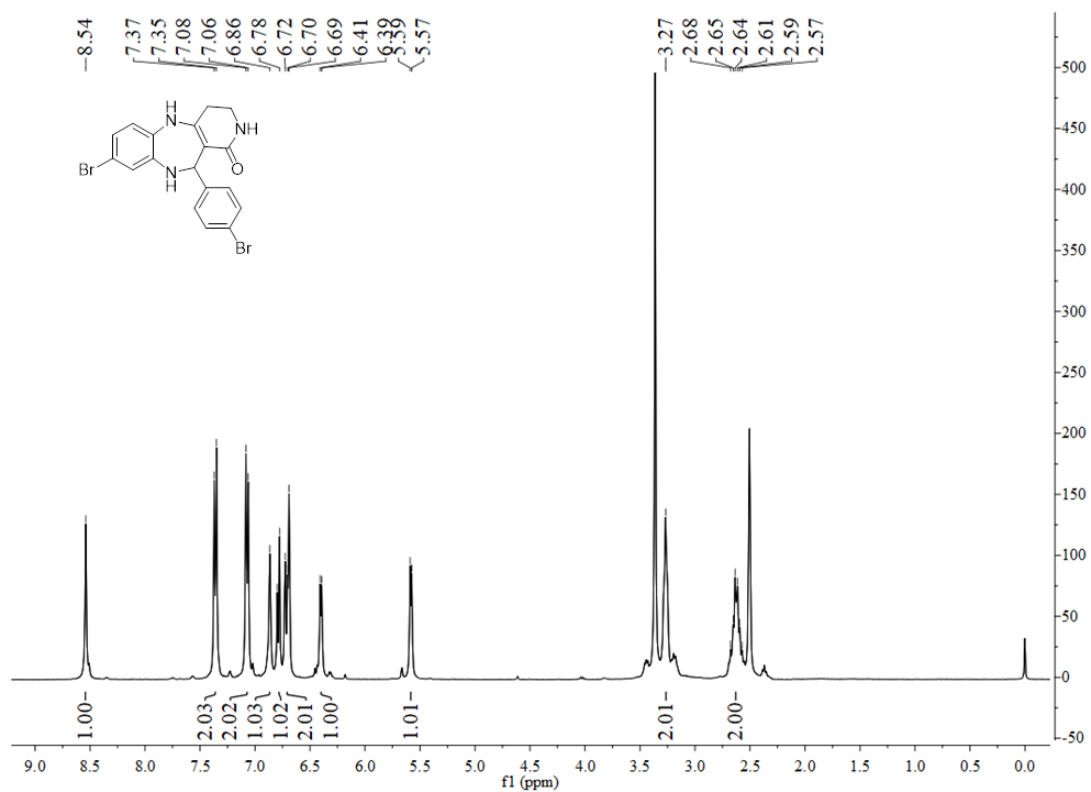
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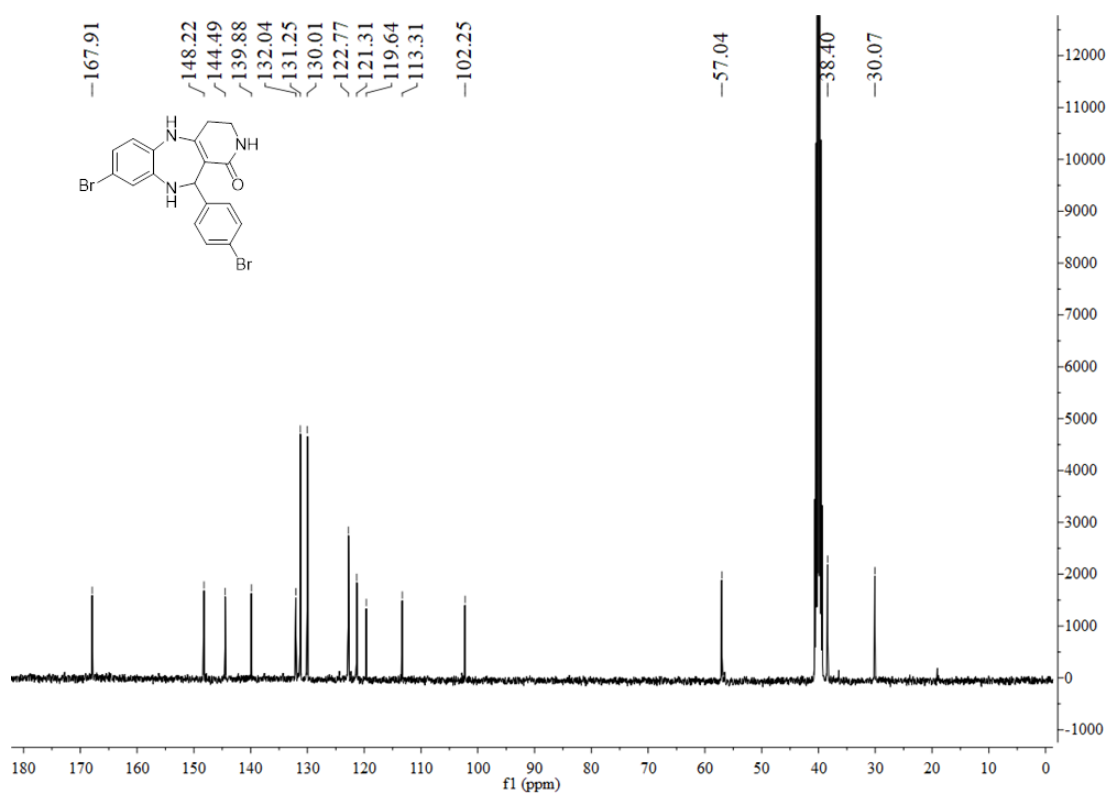
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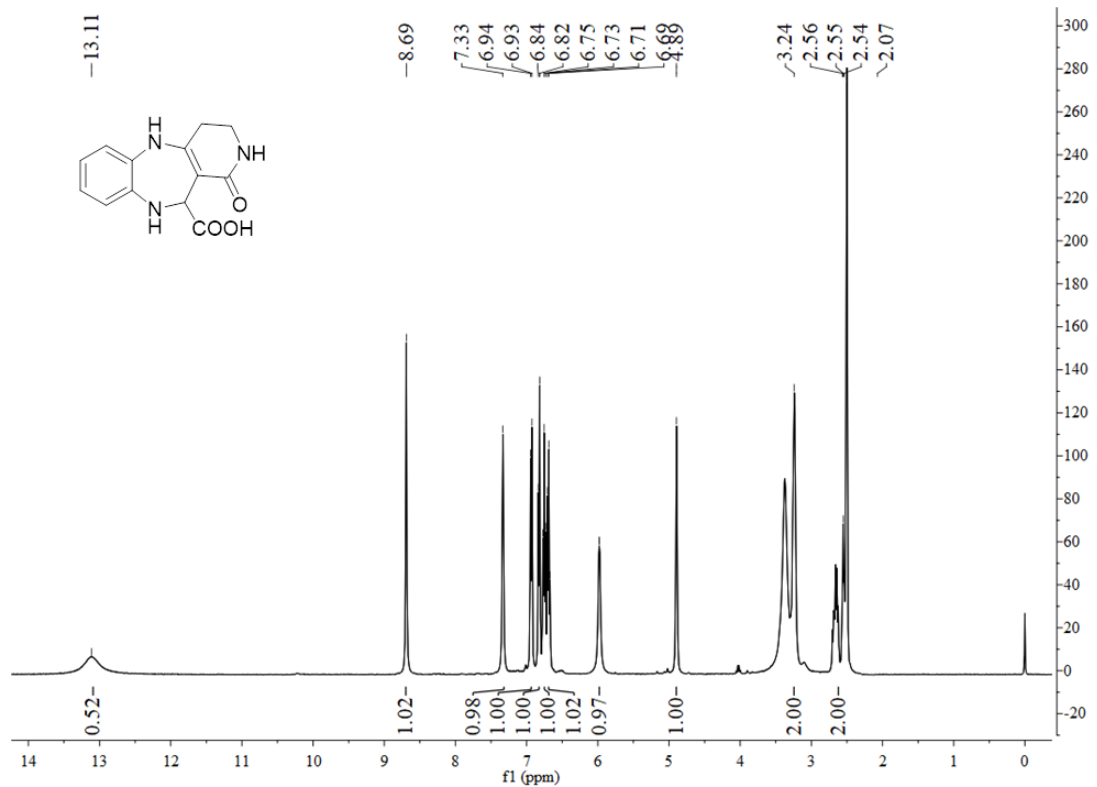
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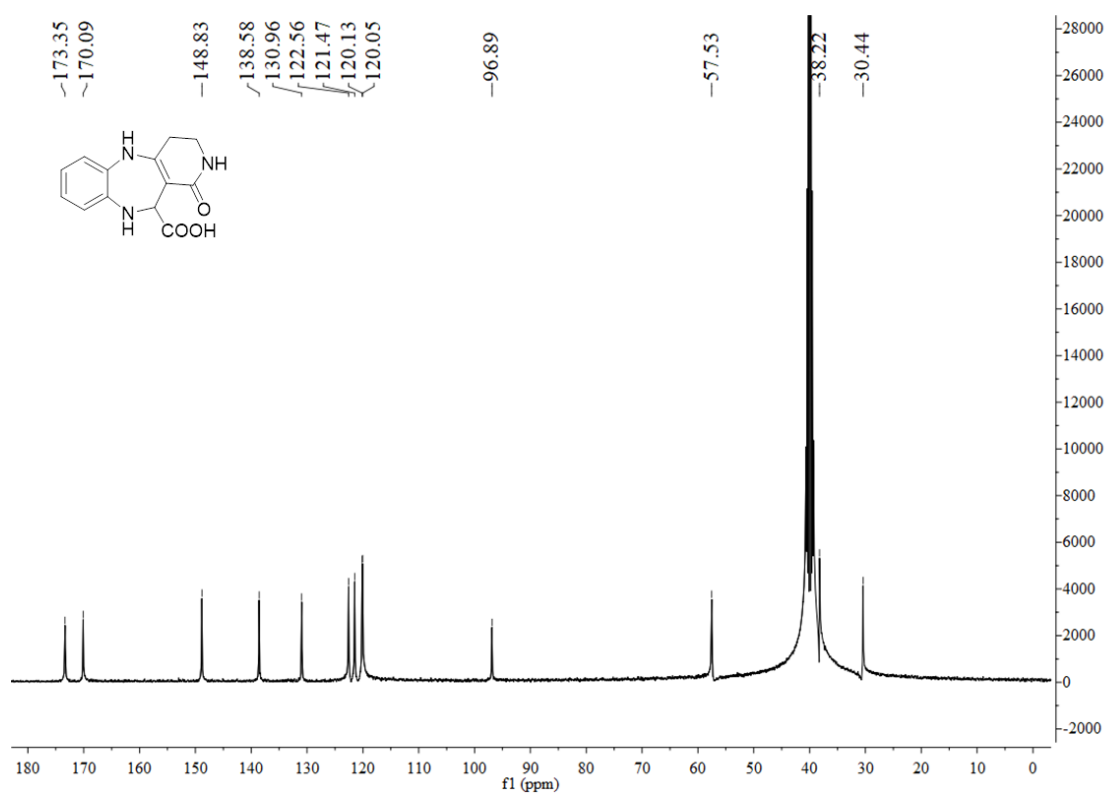
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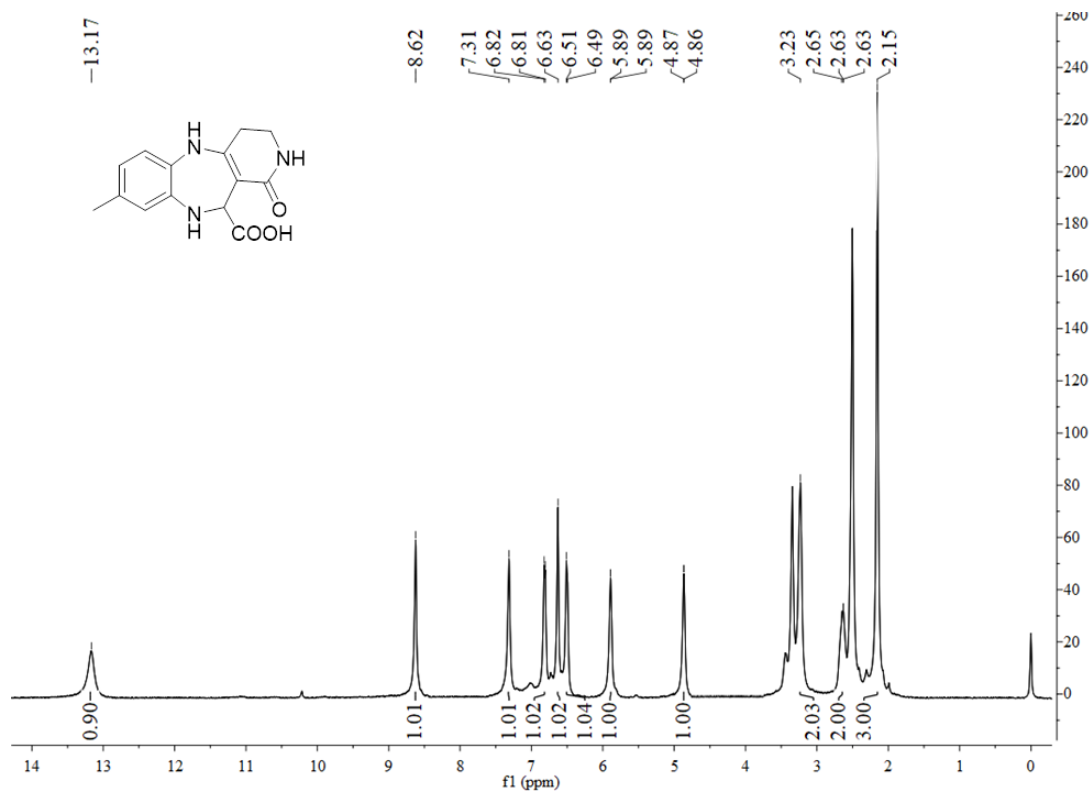
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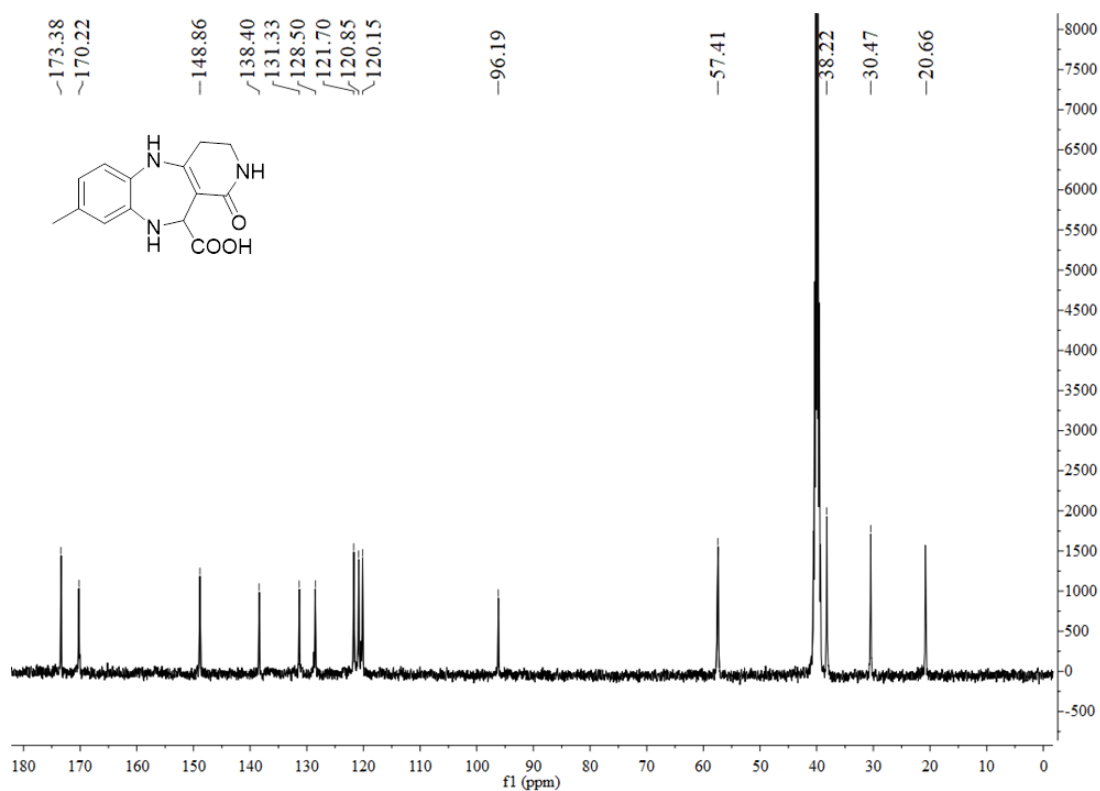
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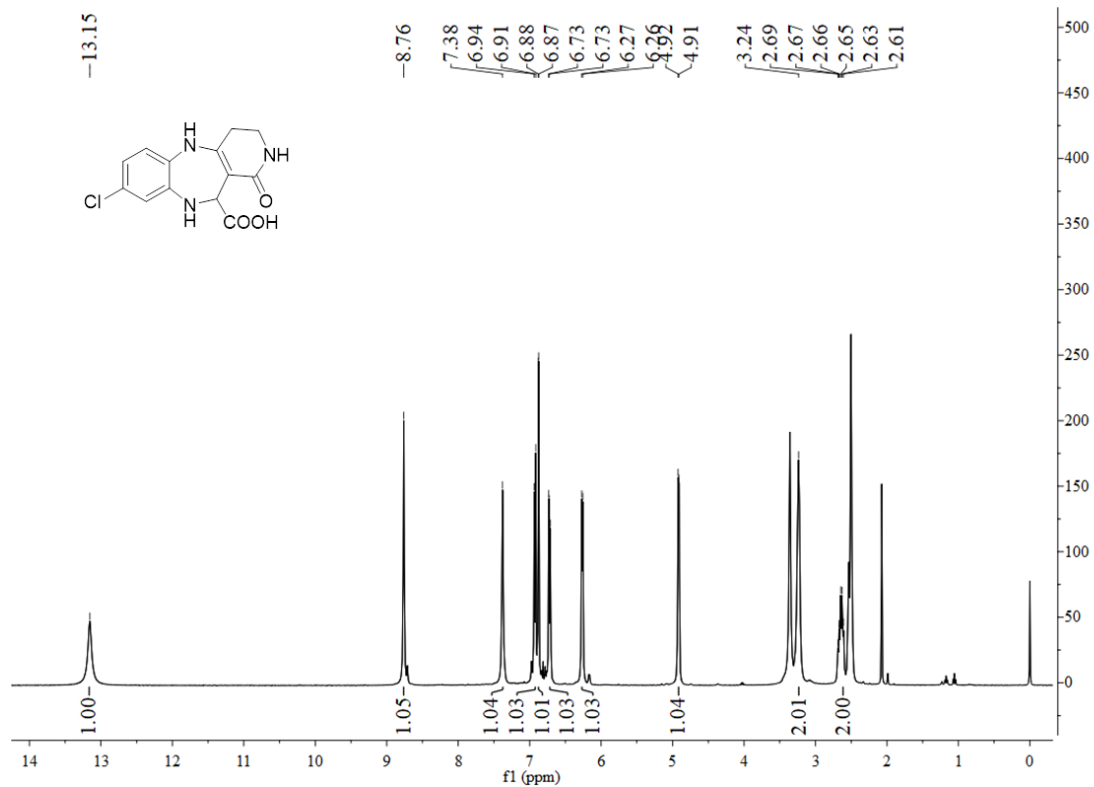
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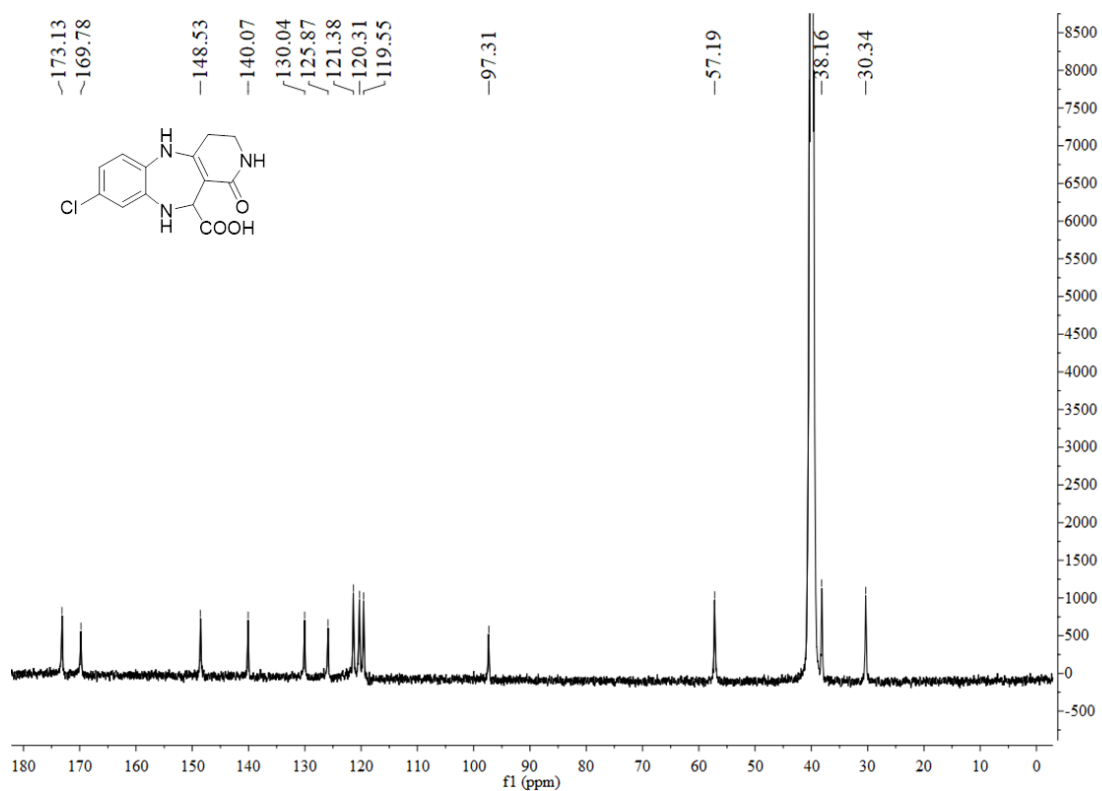
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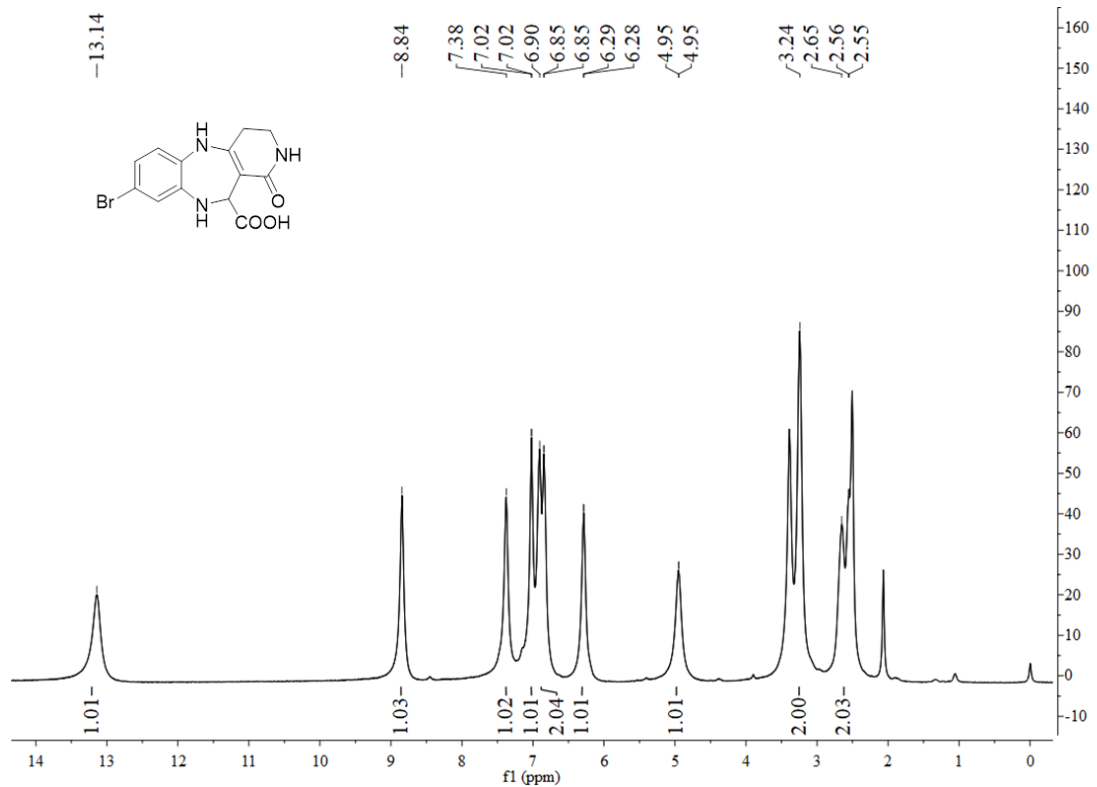
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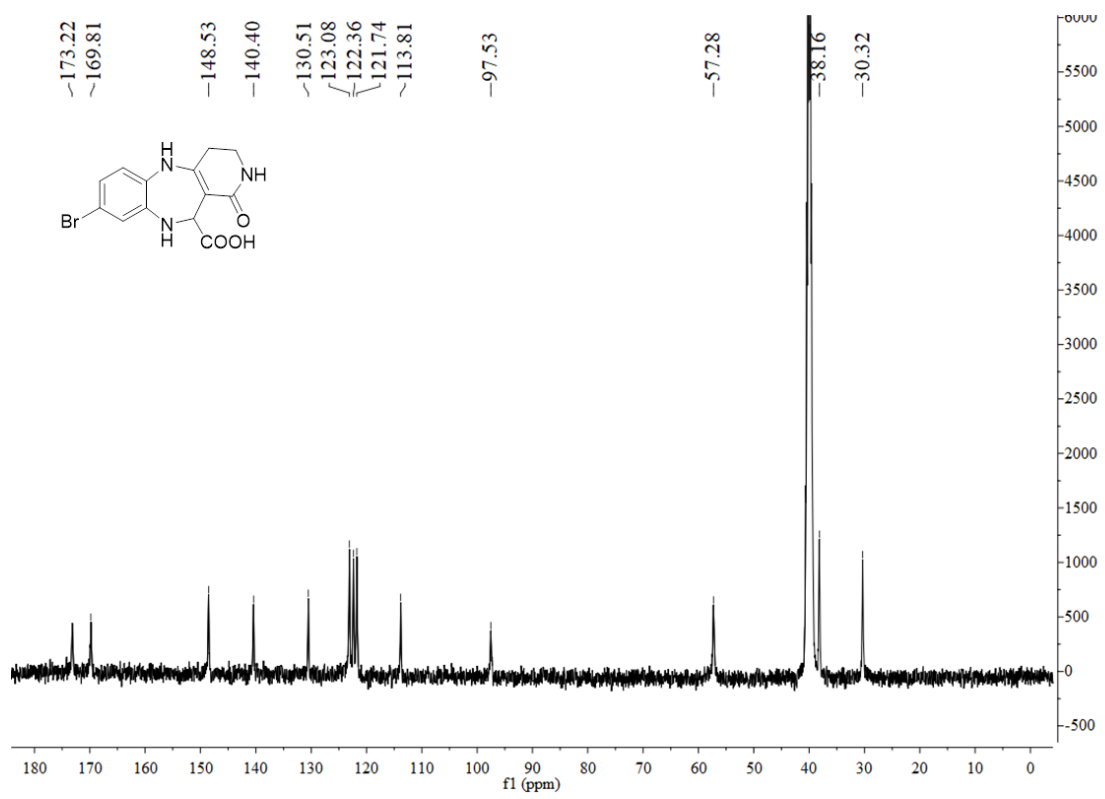
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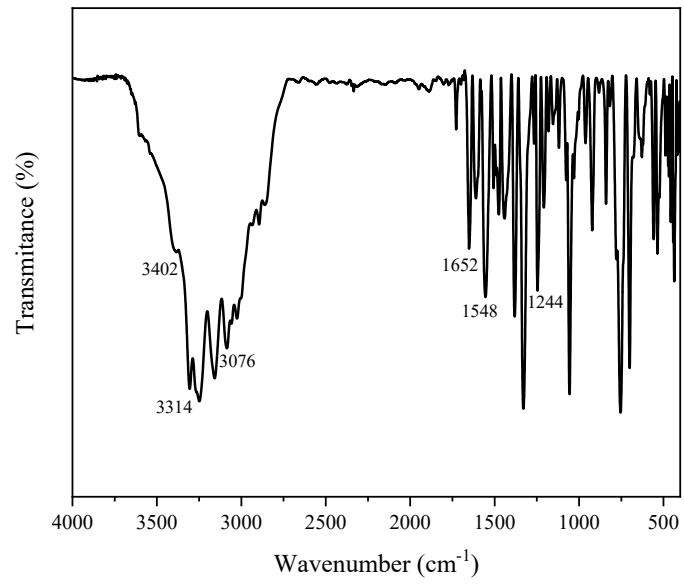


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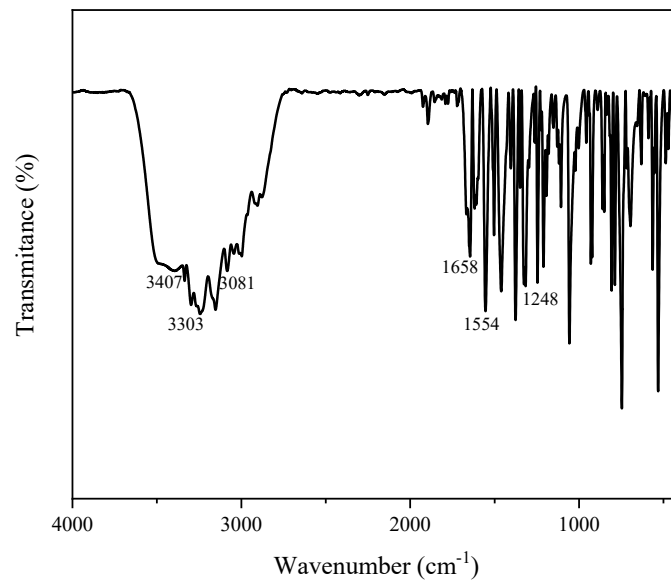


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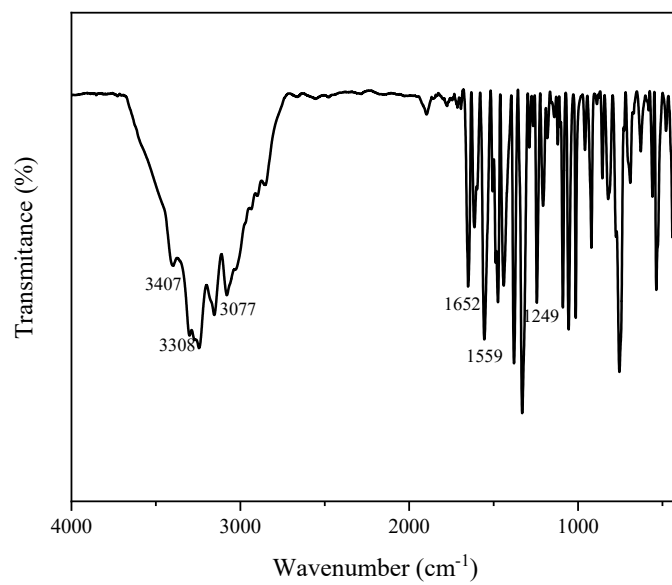
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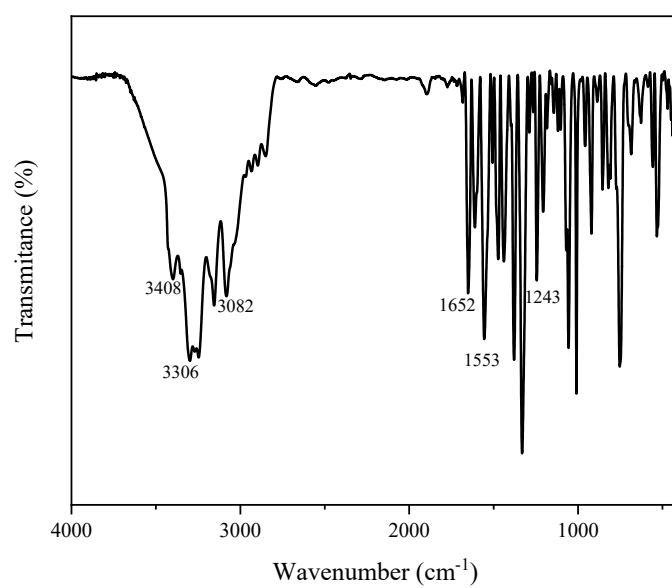
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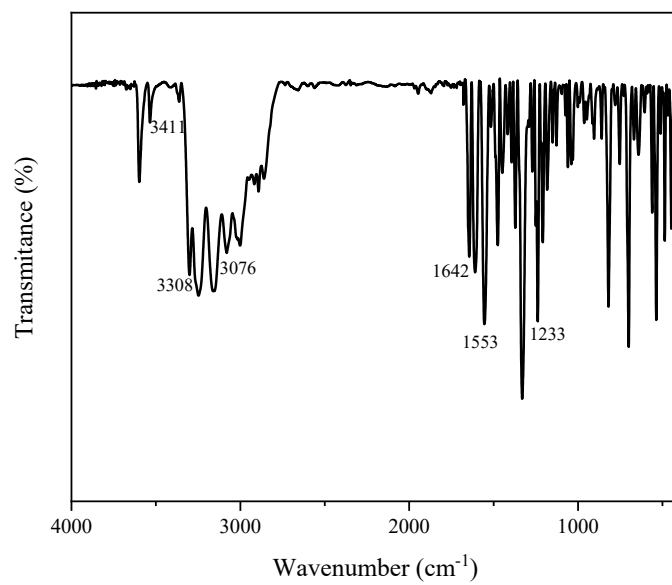
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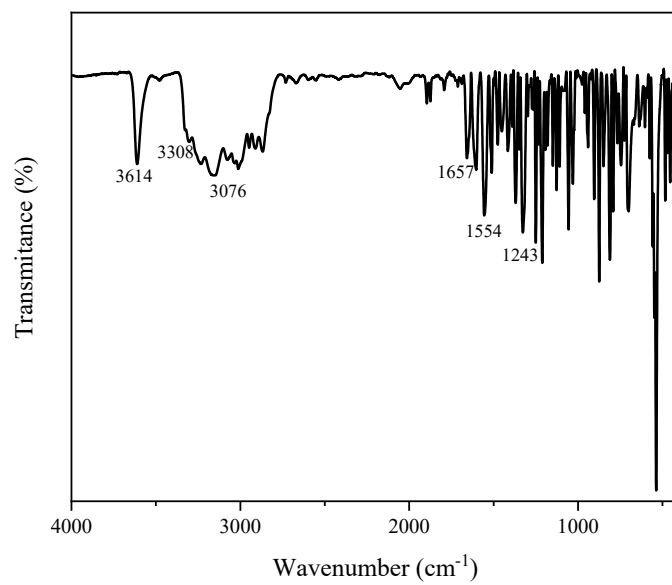
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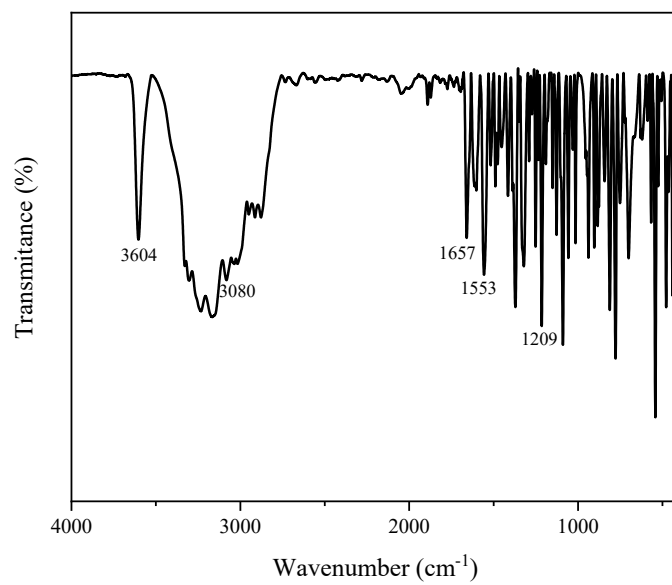
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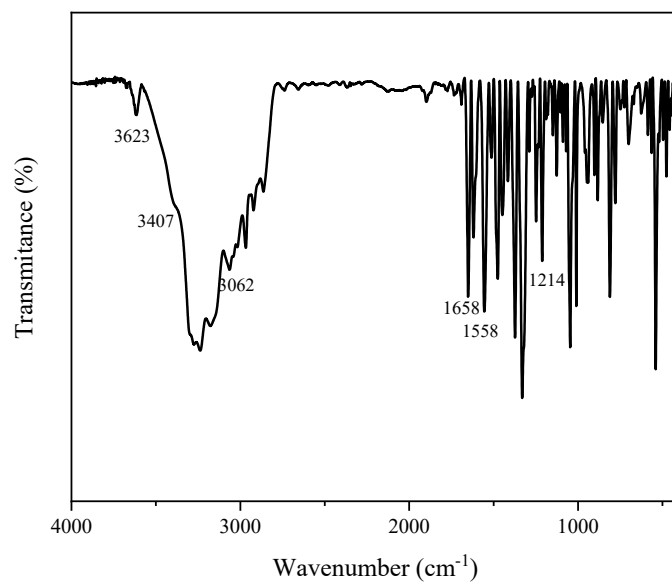
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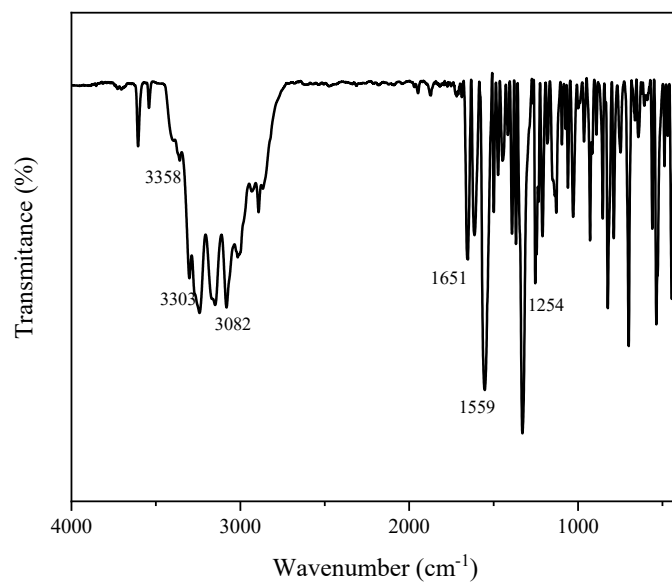
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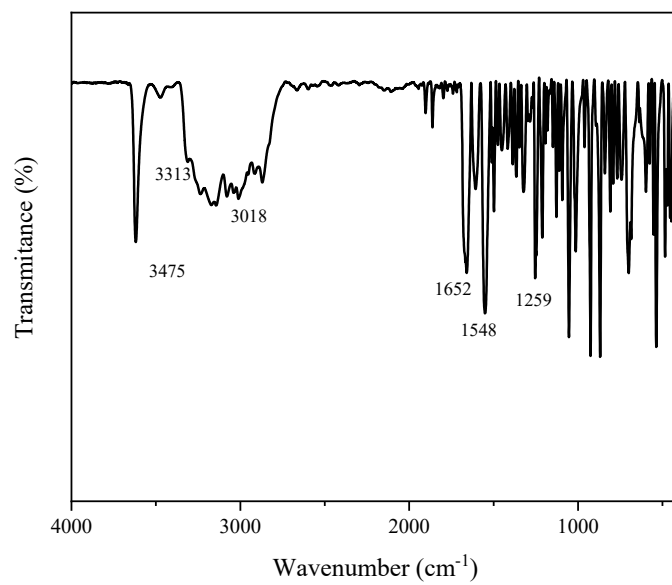
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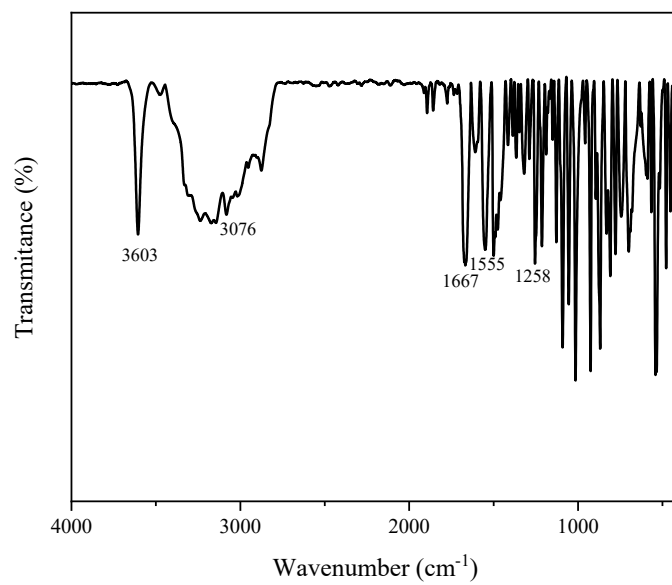
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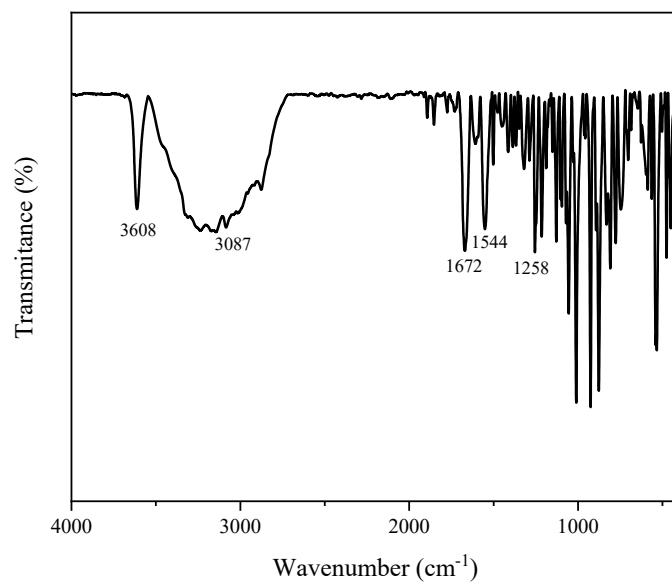
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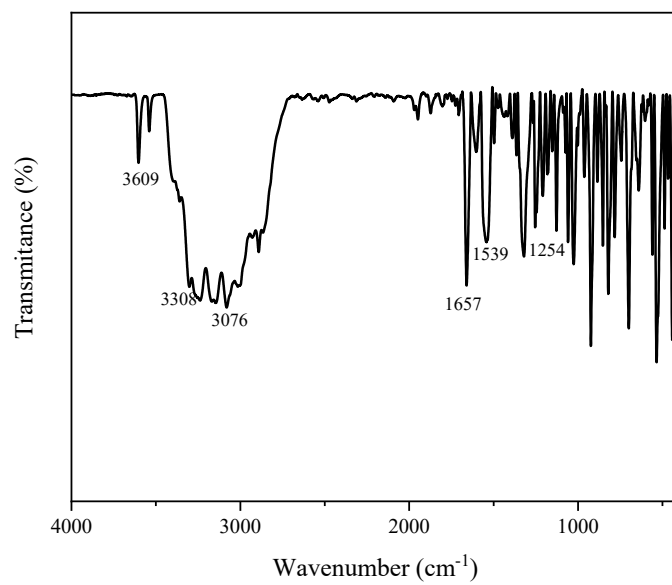
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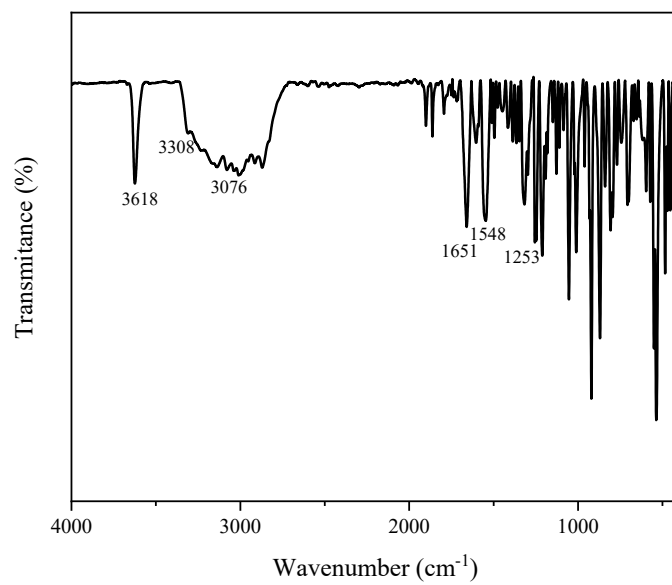
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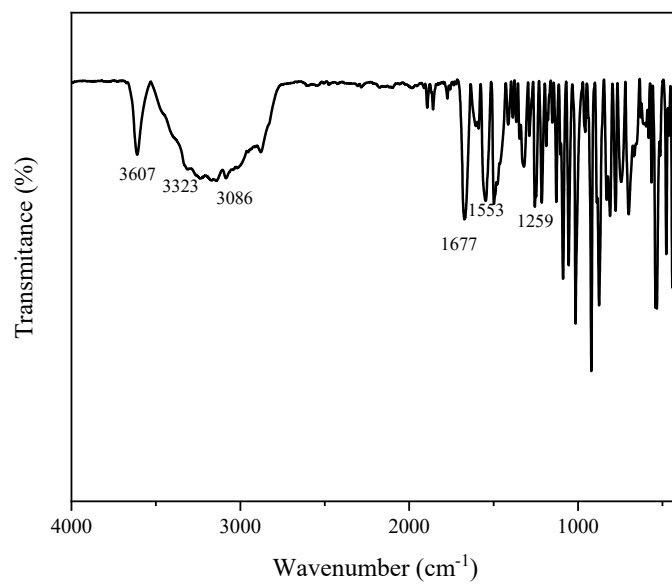
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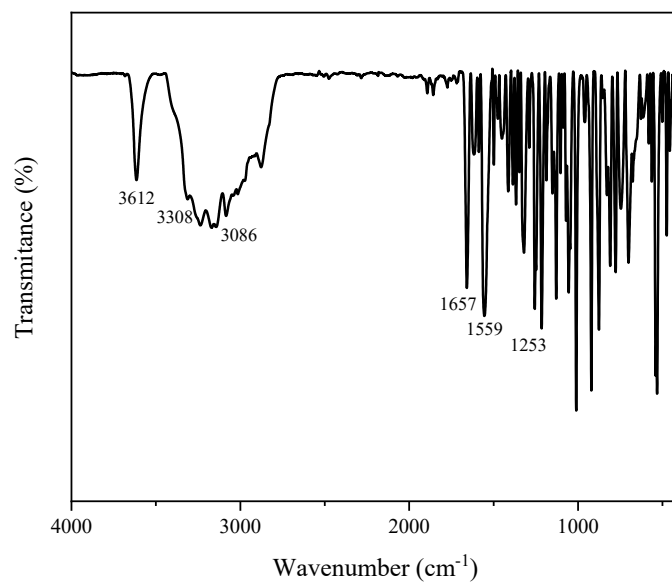
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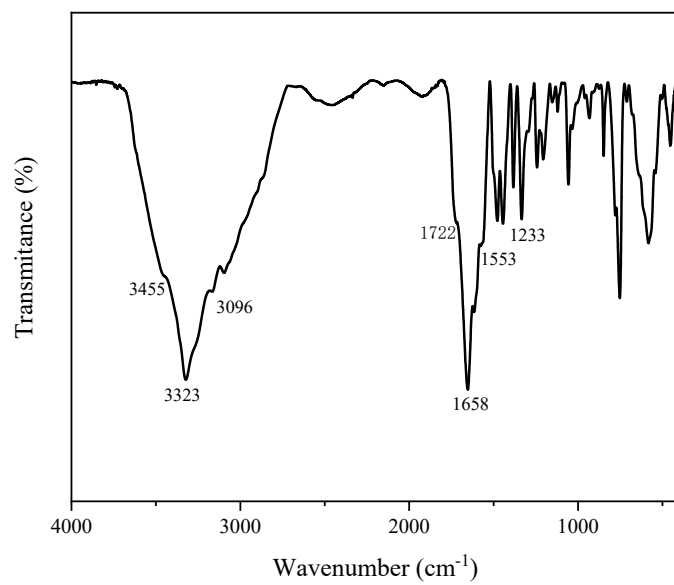
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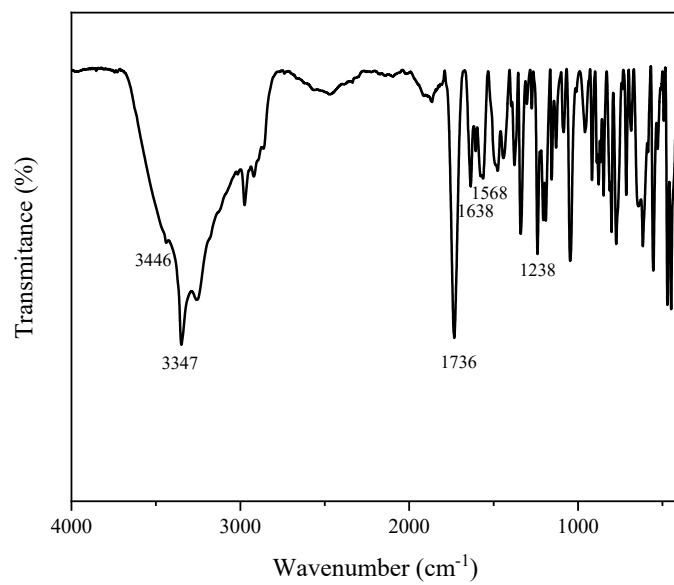
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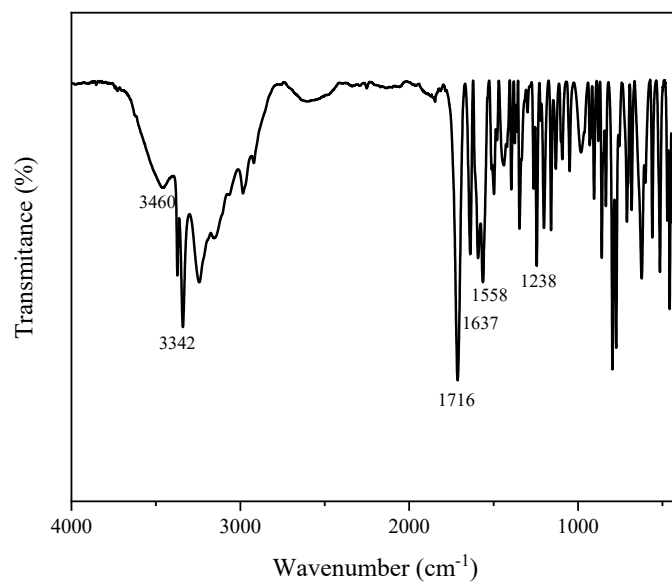
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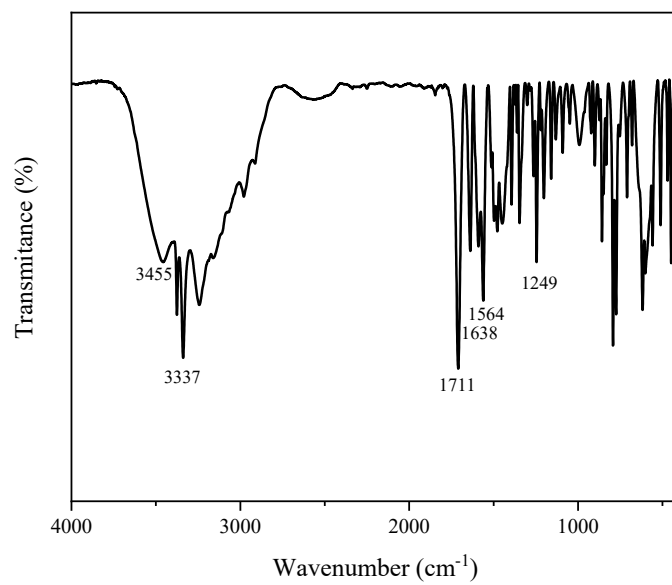
IR spectra of compound **4aae**



IR spectra of compound **4bae**



IR spectra of compound **4cae**



IR spectra of compound **4dae**

MS spectra of the synthesized compound **4aaa-4dae**

MS of compound **4aaa**

MS of compound **4aab**

MS of compound **4aac**

MS of compound **4aad**

MS of compound **4baa**

MS of compound **4bab**

MS of compound **4bac**

MS of compound **4bad**

MS of compound **4ca**

MS of compound **4cb**

MS of compound **4cac**

MS of compound **4cad**

MS of compound **4daa**

MS of compound **4dab**

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MS of compound **4dae**