

Supporting Information

Selectfluor-Mediated Construction of 3-Arylselenenyl and 3,4-Bisarylselenenyl Spiro[4.5]trienones *via* Cascade Annulation of *N*-Phenylpropiolamides with Diselenides

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1 General information

All chemicals were commercially available and used as received without further. Column chromatography was performed using 300-400 mesh silica. Nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were recorded on Bruker Avance 400 MHz spectrometer. ¹H NMR spectra are recorded in parts per million from tetramethylsilane. Data were reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, m = multiplet and br = broad), coupling constant in Hz and integration. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded in parts per million from tetramethylsilane. ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded in parts per million with fluorobenzene as external standard. High resolution mass spectra (HR MS) were obtained on Thermo Scientific LTQ Orbitrap XL instrument using the ESI technique. IR spectra were recorded on WQF-510 Fourier transform infrared spectrophotometer. Melting points were measured on an XT4A microscopic apparatus uncorrected.

2 Screening the reaction conditions

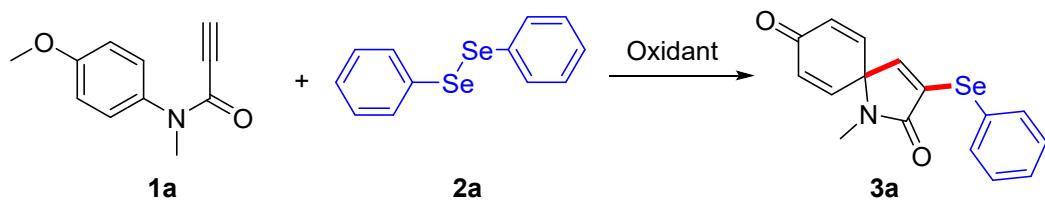


Table S1 Screening the molar ratio of **1a** and **2a**^a

Entry	the molar ratio of 1a and 2a	Yields (%) ^b
1	1 : 0.5	40
2	1 : 1.0	75
3	1 : 1.5	72
4	1 : 2.0	69

^a Reaction conditions: *N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-methylpropiolamide **1a** (0.2 mmol, 37.8 mg), diphenyl diselenide

2a, Selectfluor agen (0.2 mmol, 70.8 mg) in CH₃CN (2.0 mL) at 40 °C for 4.0 h.

^b Isolated yield.

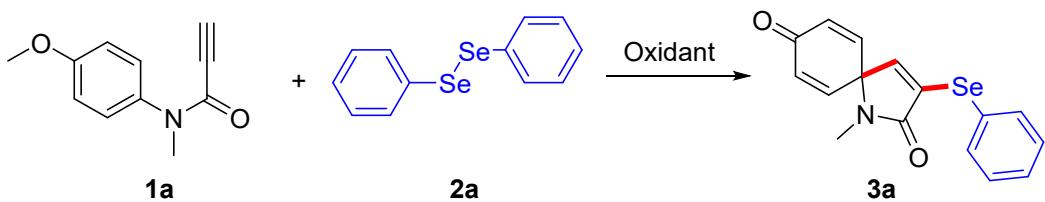


Table S2 Screening the molar ratio of **1a** and **2a**^a

Entry	Reaction temperature (°C)	Yields (%) ^b
1	20	40
2	40	75
3	60	75
4	80	72

^a Reaction conditions: *N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-methylpropiolamide **1a** (0.2 mmol, 37.8 mg), diphenyl diselenide **2a** (0.2 mmol, 62.8 mg), Selectfluor agen (0.2 mmol, 70.8 mg) in CH₃CN (2.0 mL) for 4.0 h.

^b Isolated yield.

3 Copies of spectra of products

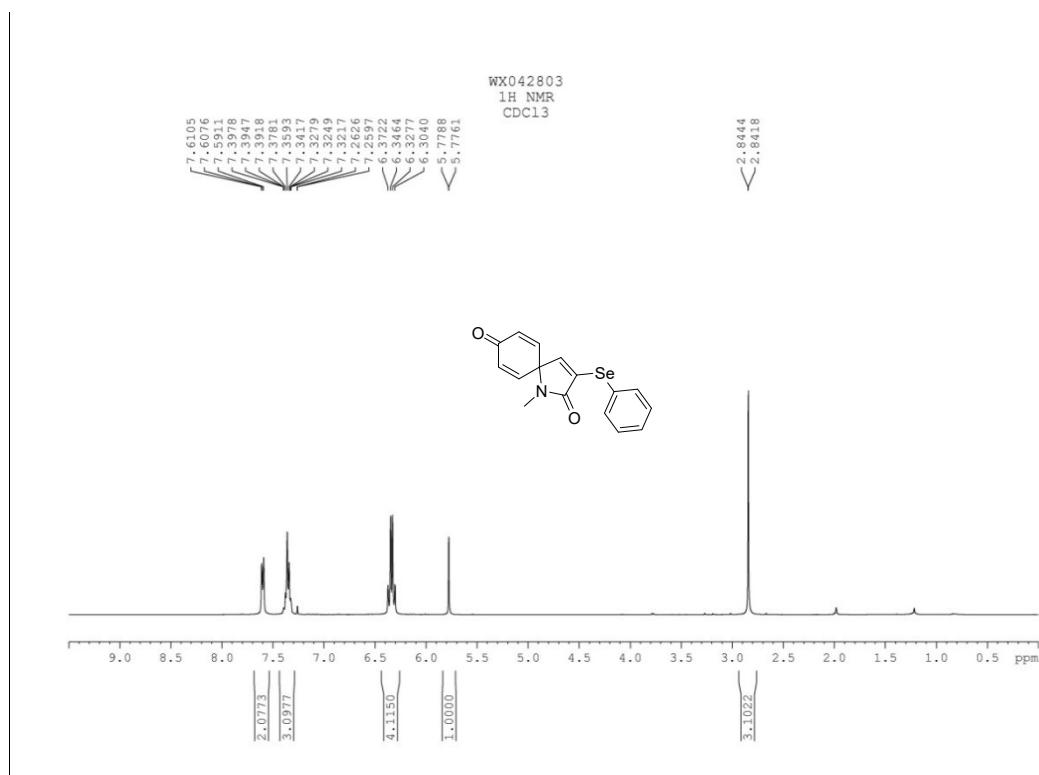
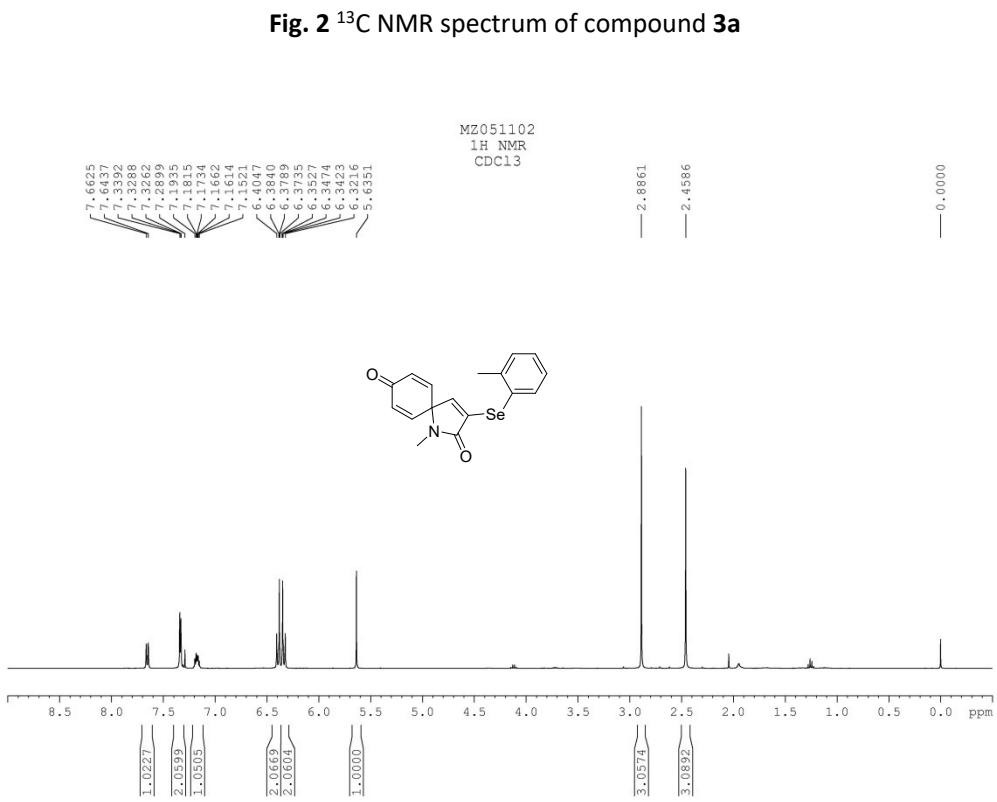
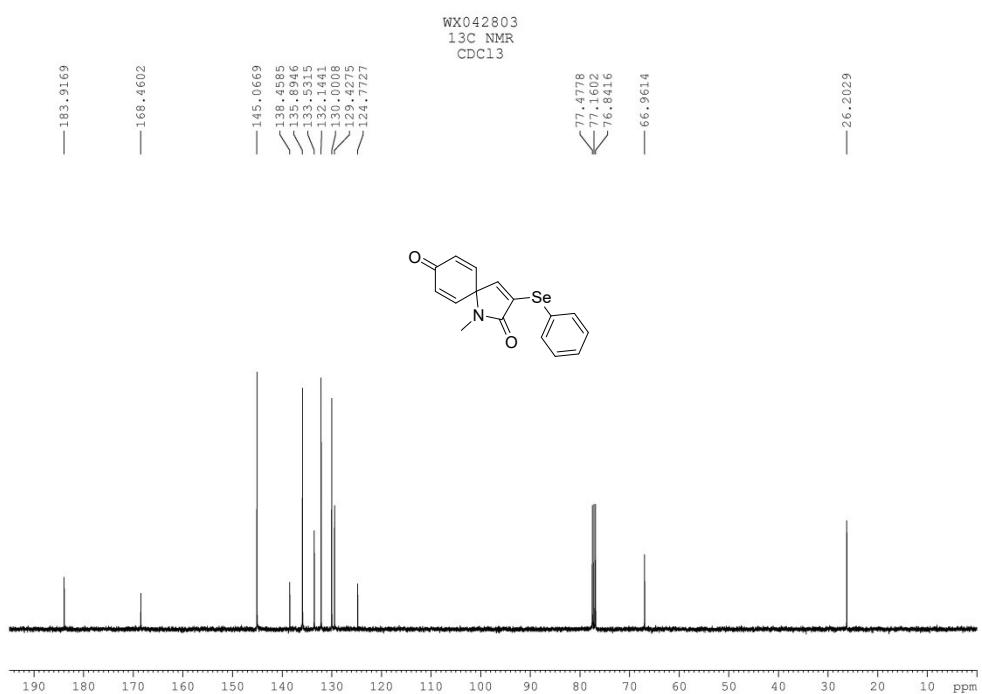


Fig. 1 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **3a**



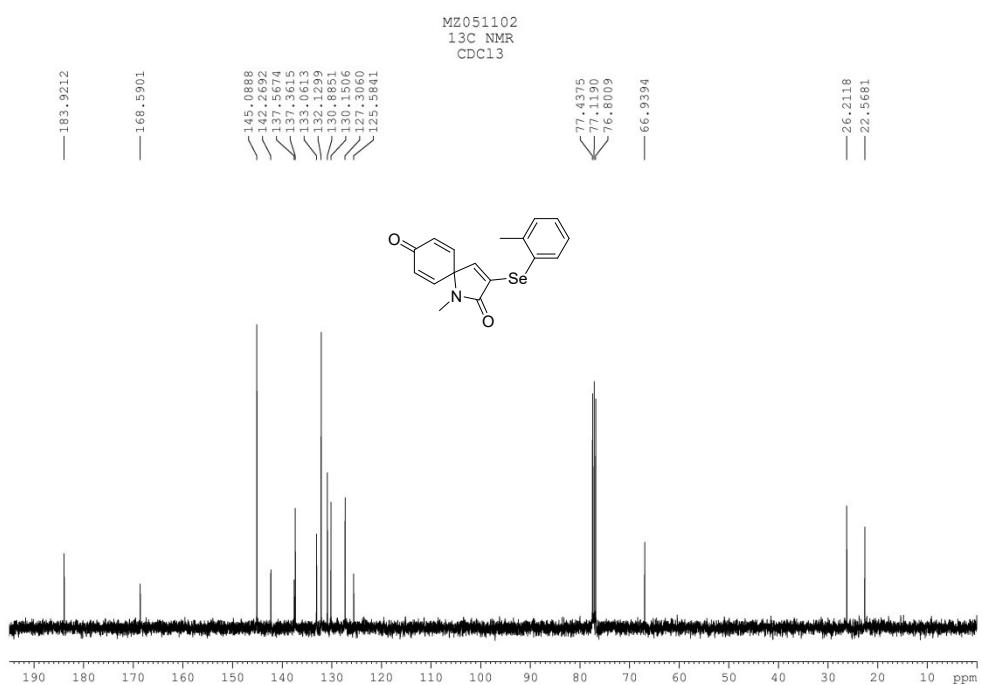


Fig. 4 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **3b**

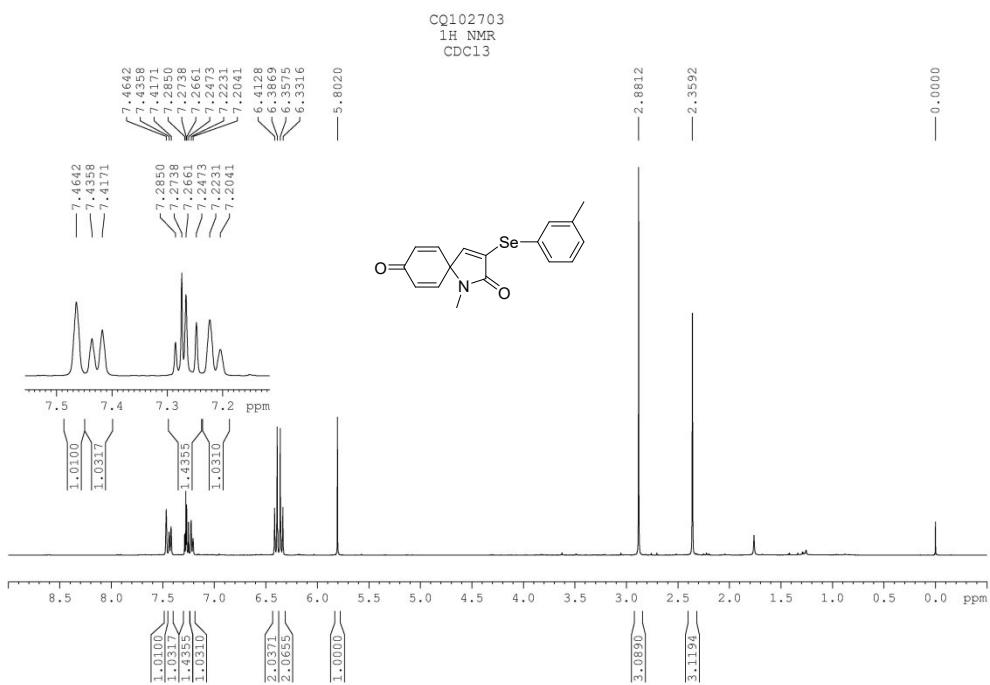


Fig. 5 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **3c**

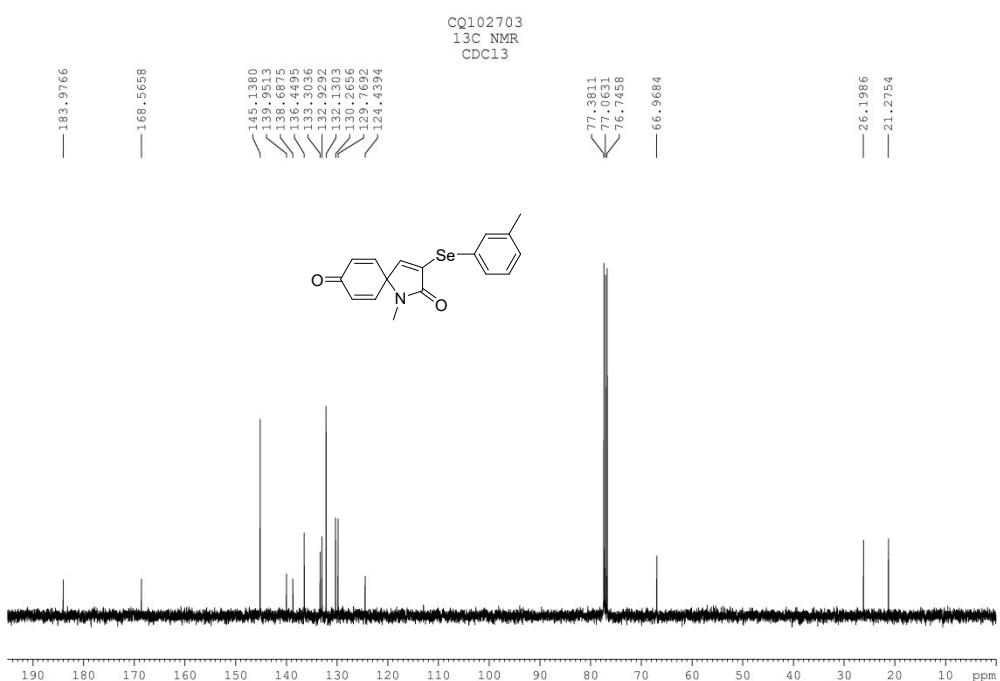


Fig. 6 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 3c

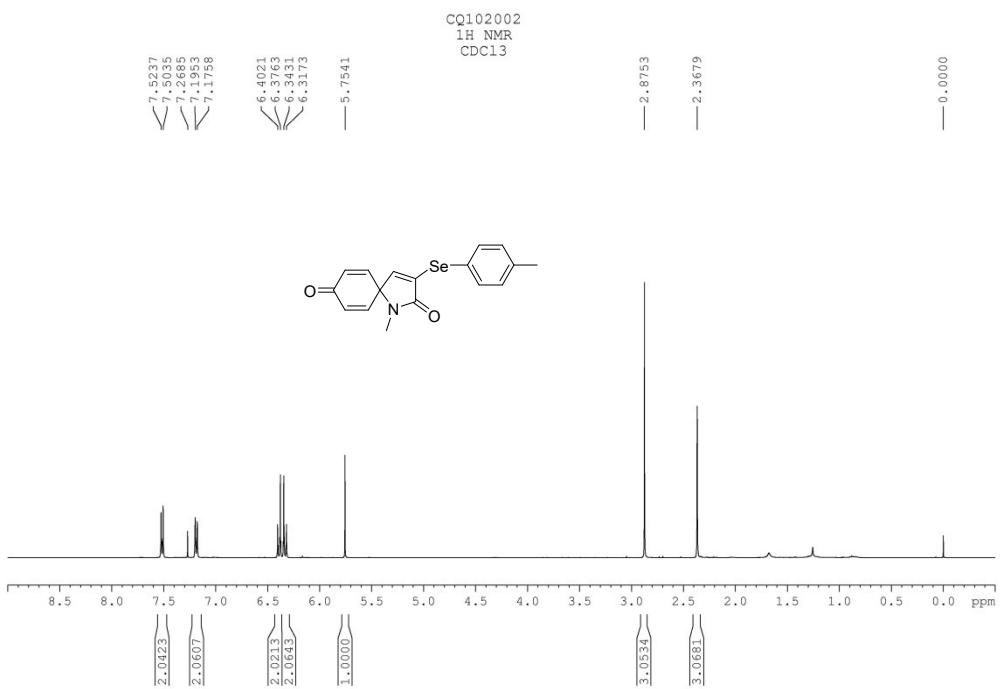


Fig. 7 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3d

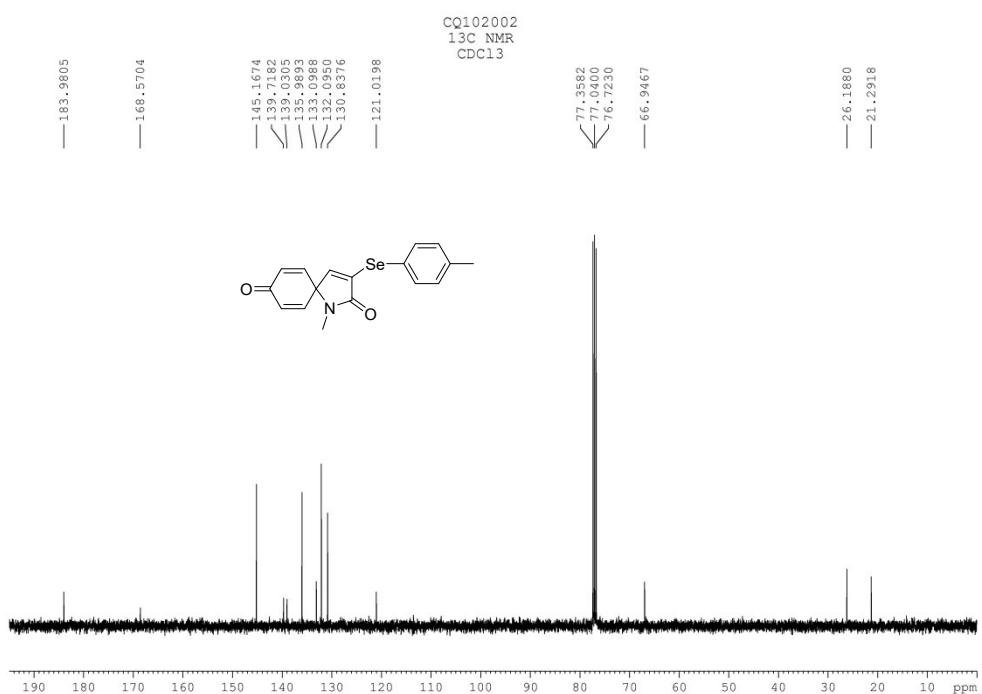


Fig. 8 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3d

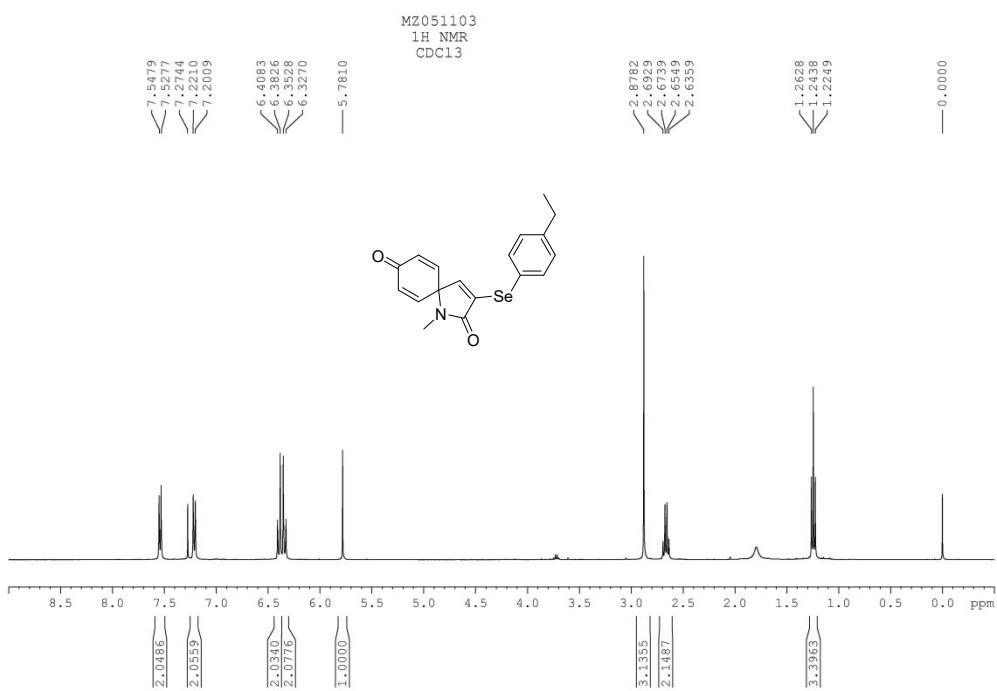


Fig. 9 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 3e

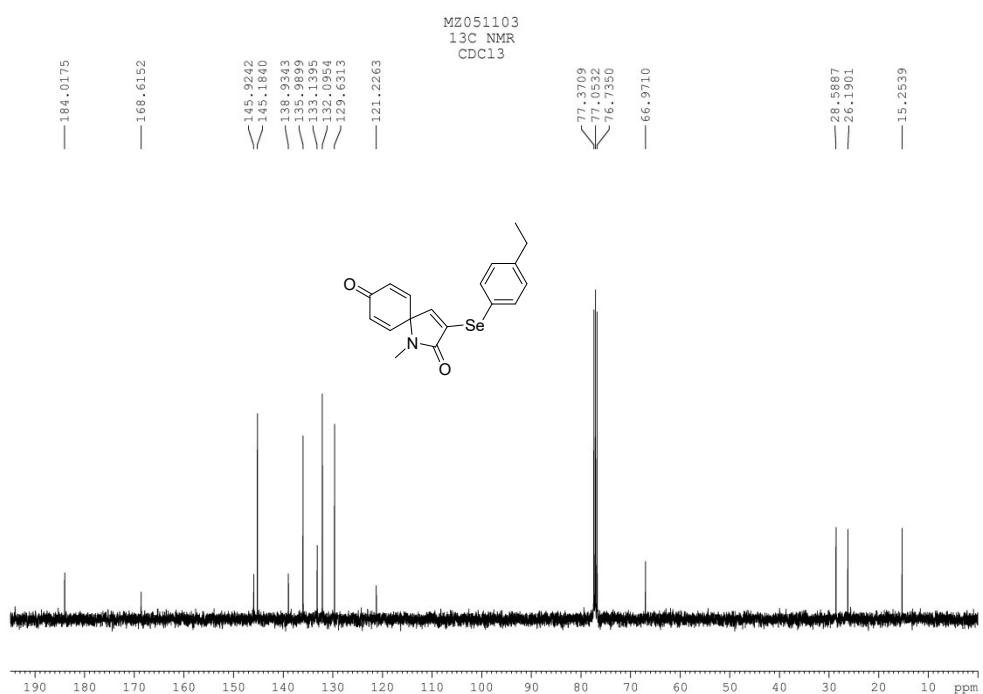


Fig. 10 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3e

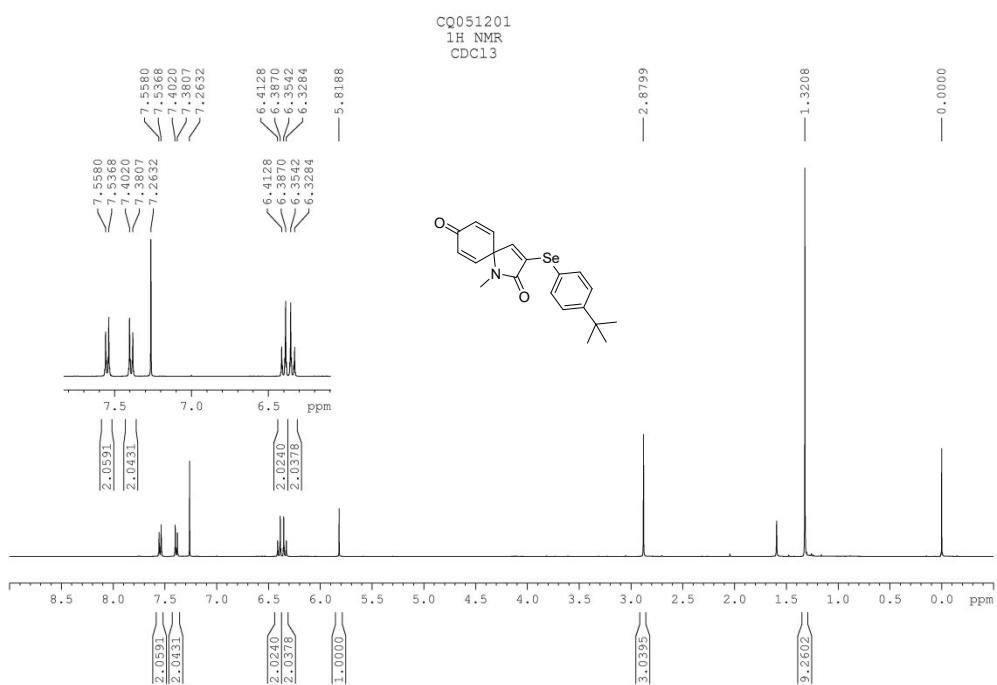


Fig. 11 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 3f

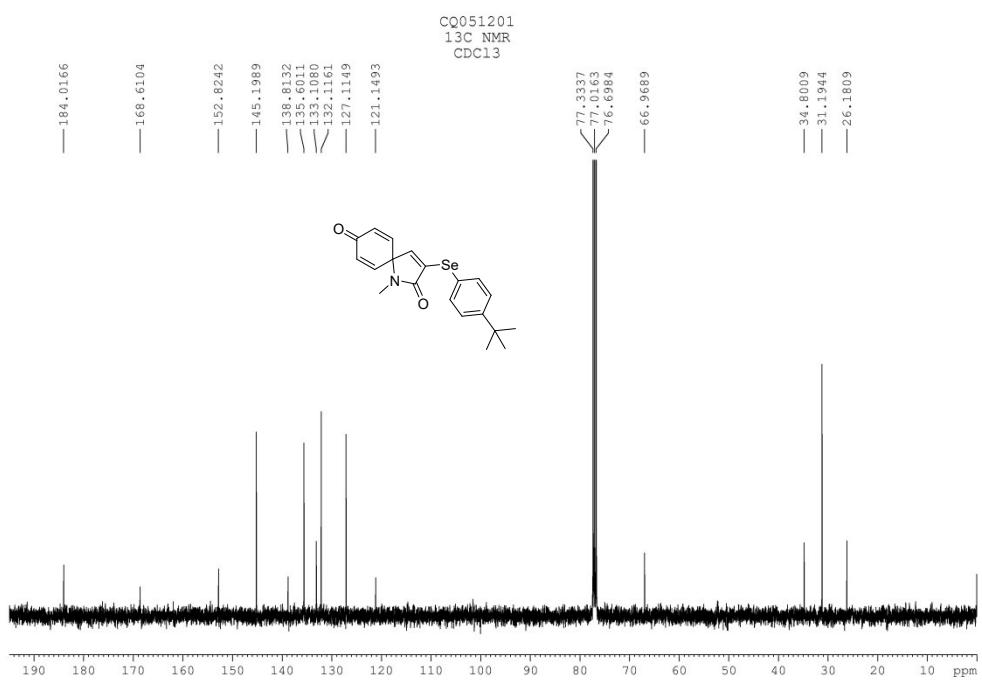


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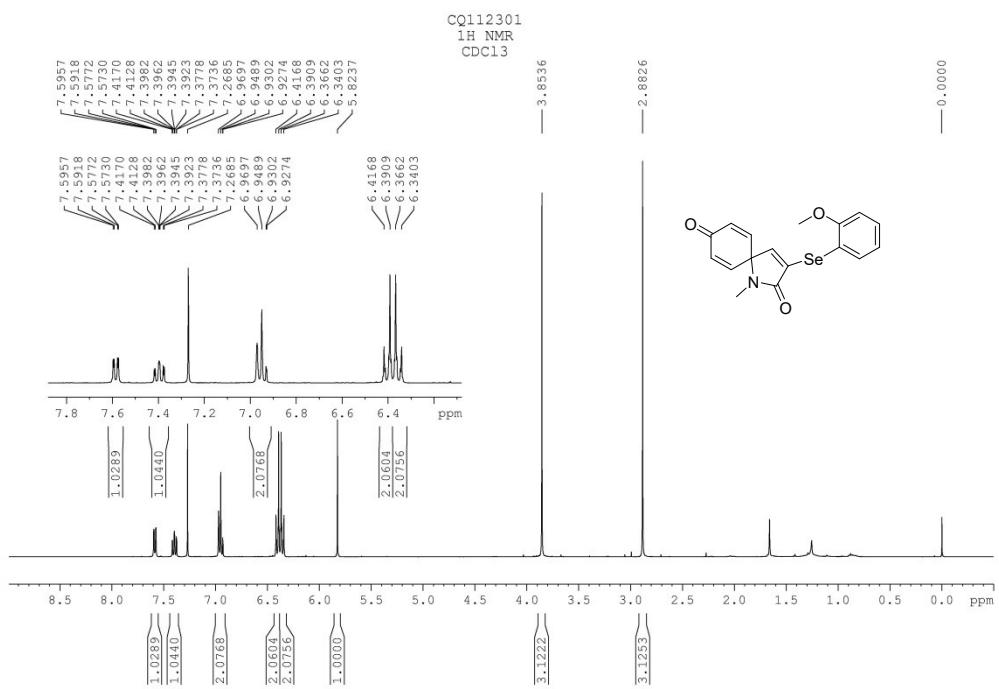


Fig. 13 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 3g

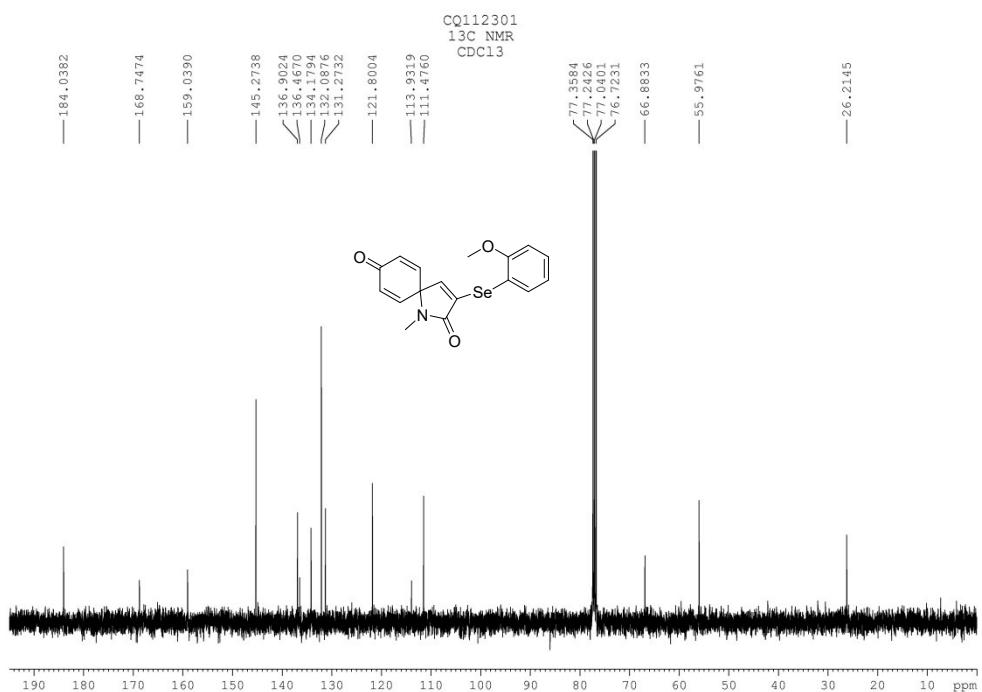


Fig. 14 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3g

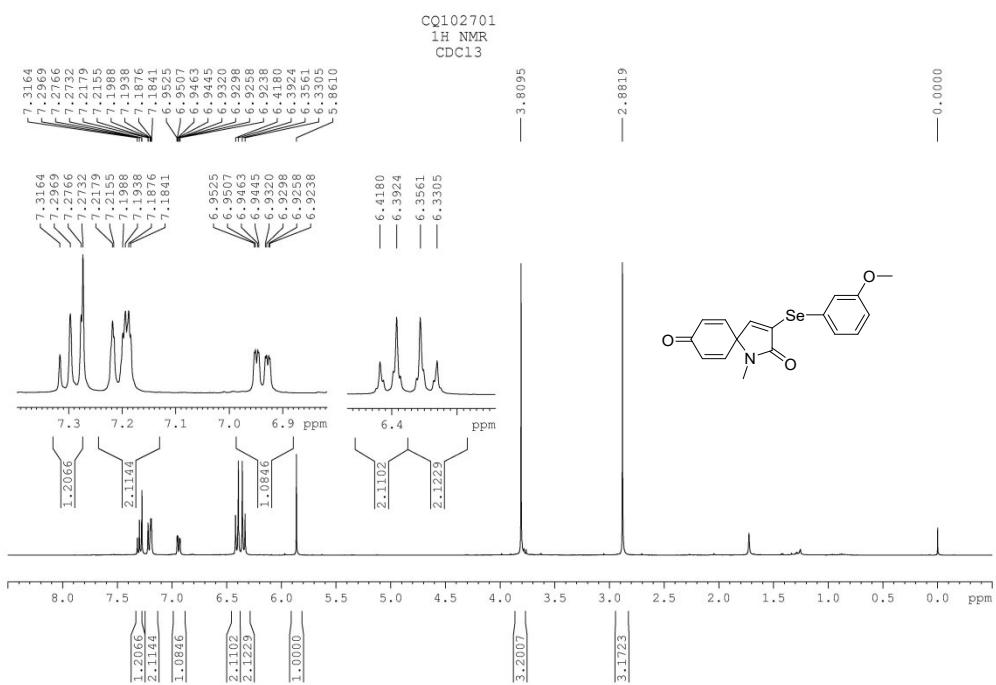


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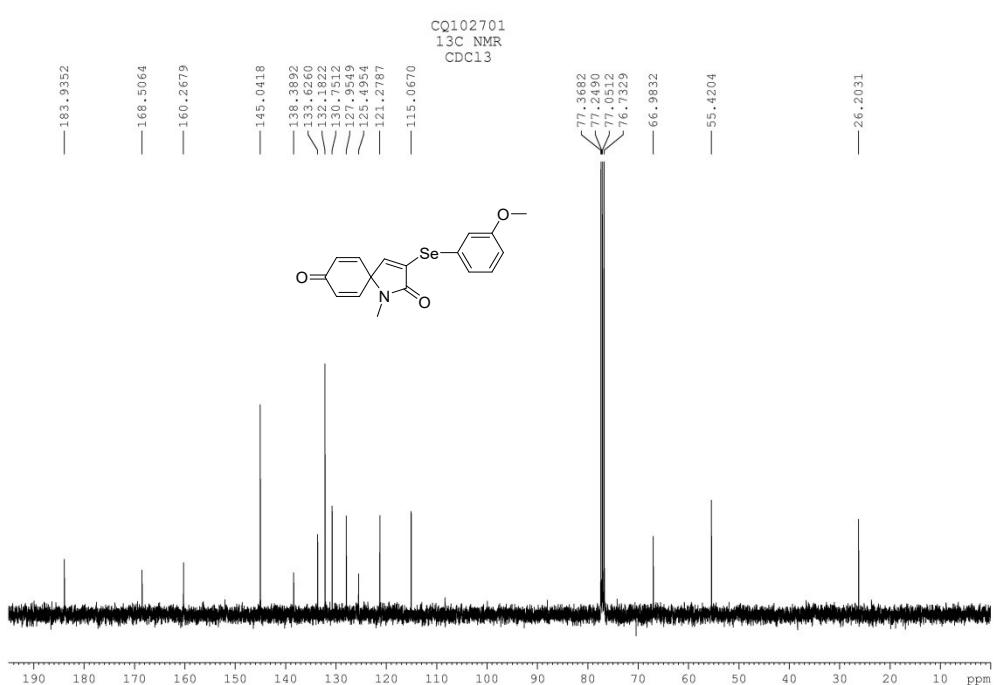


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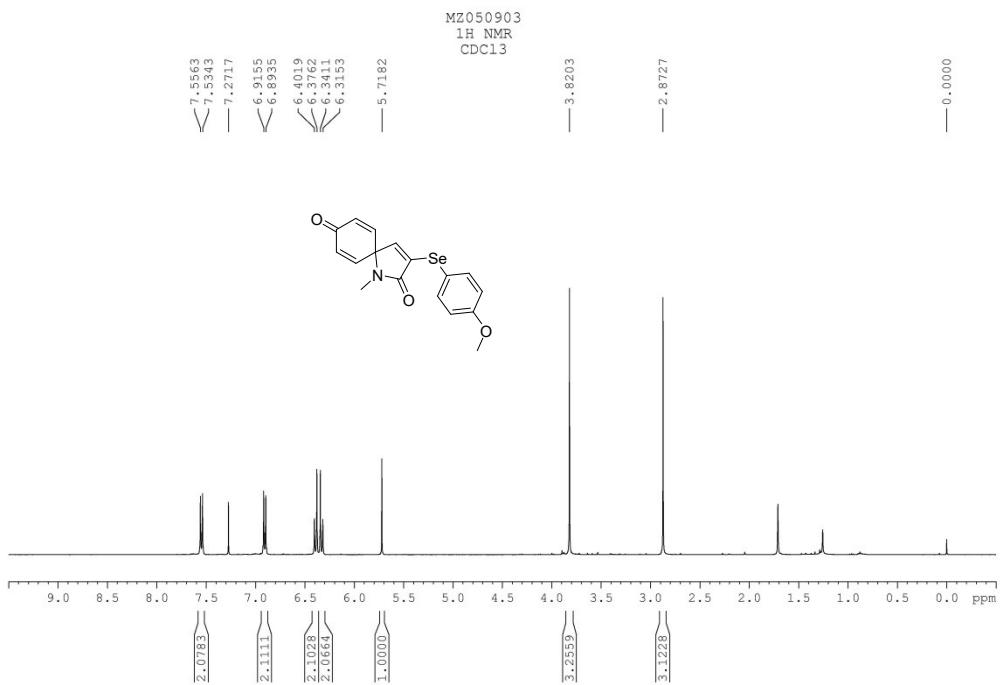


Fig. 17 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **3i**

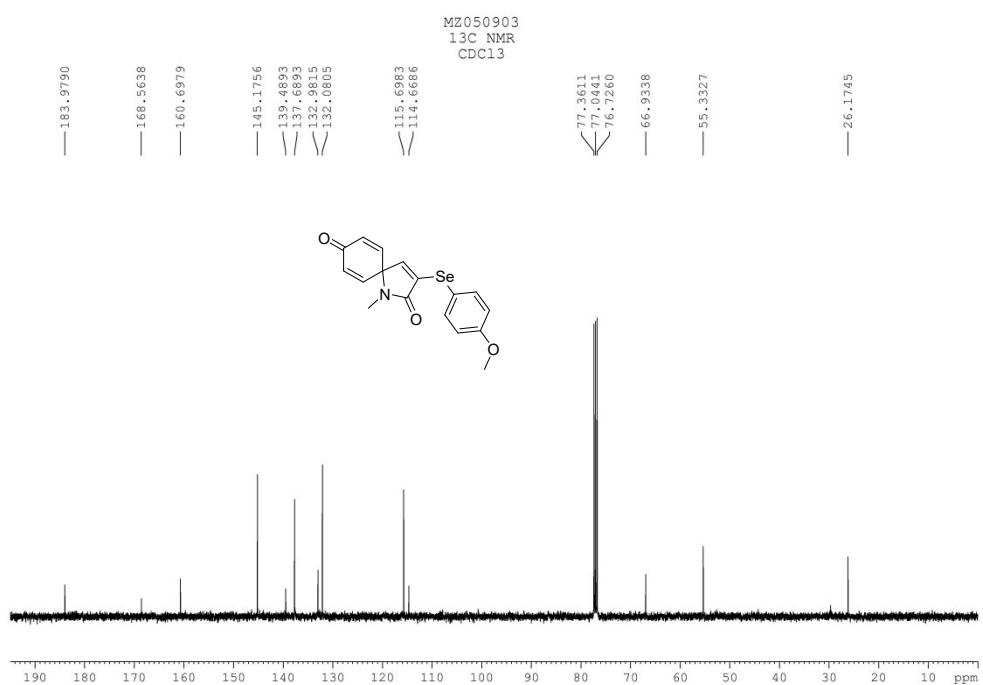


Fig. 18 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3i

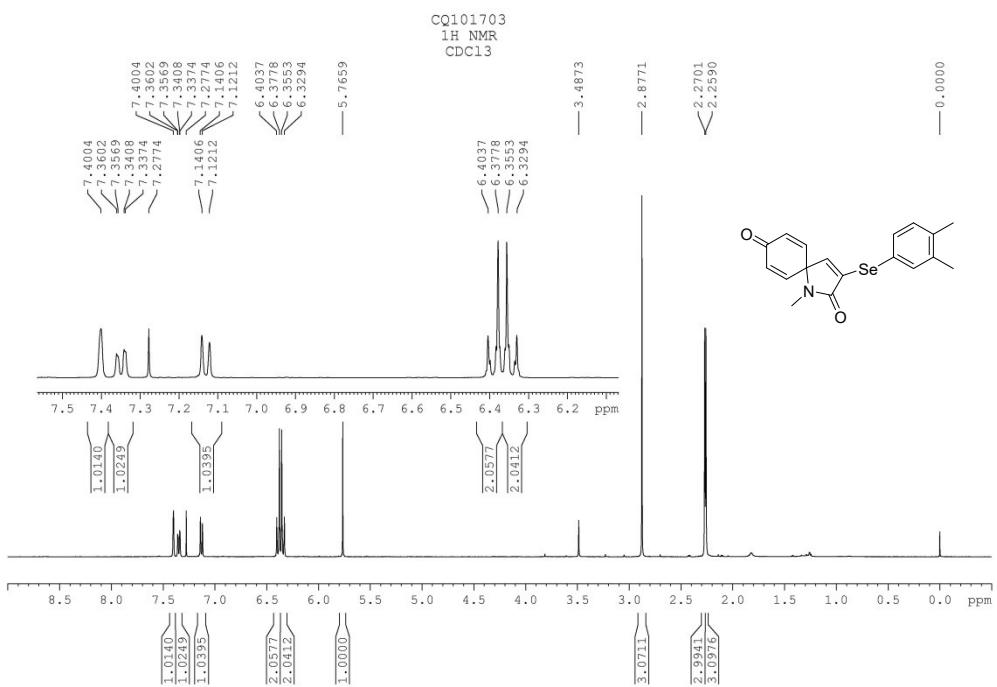


Fig. 19 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 3j

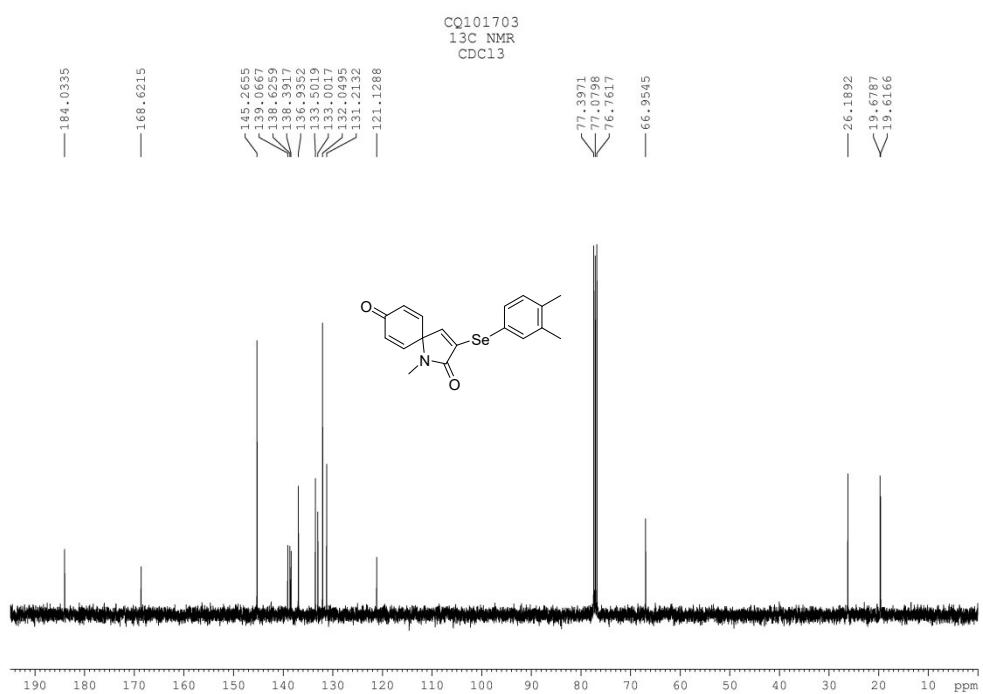


Fig. 20 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3j

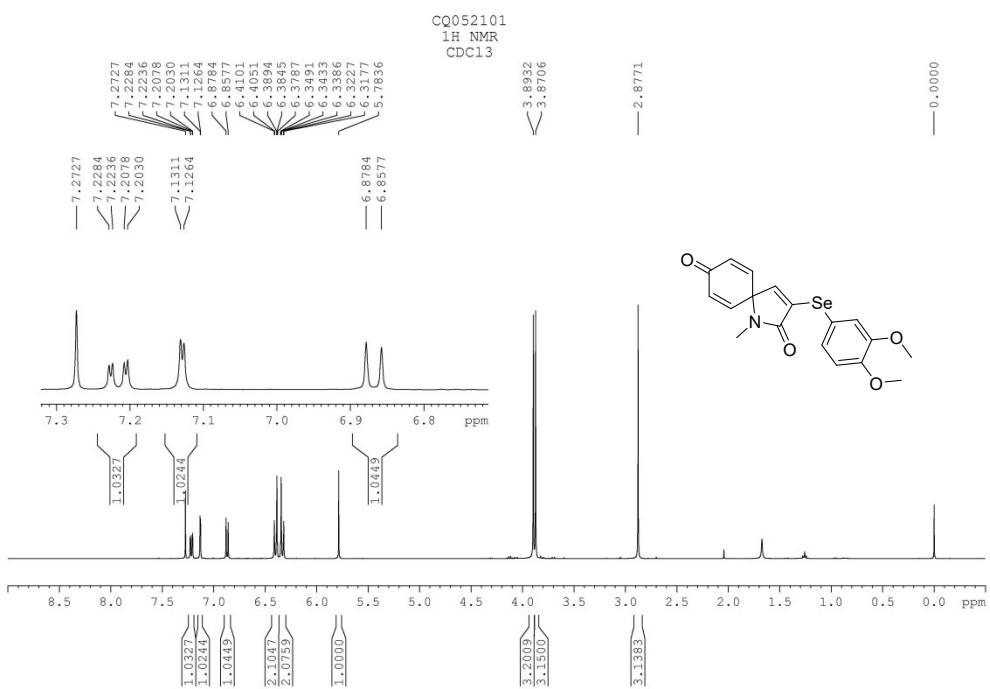


Fig. 21 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 3k

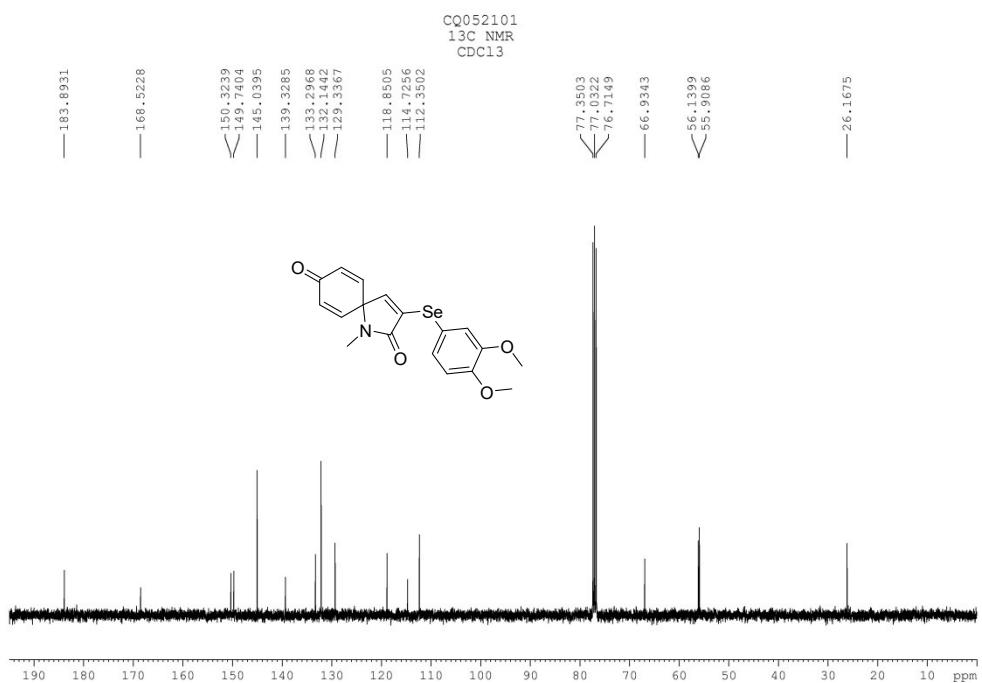


Fig. 22 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 3k

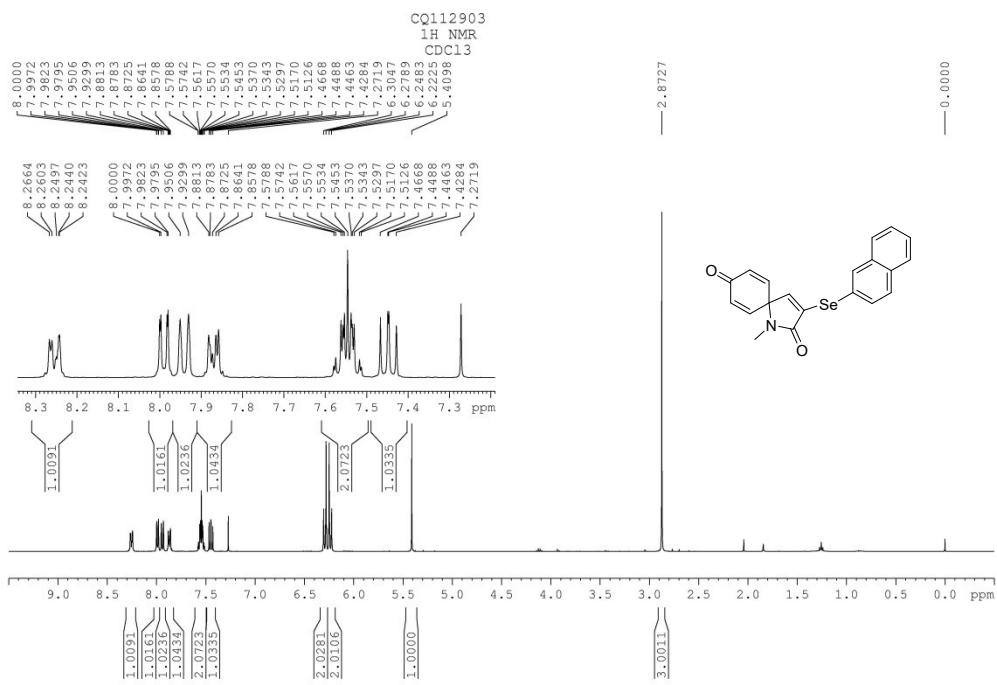


Fig. 23 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3l

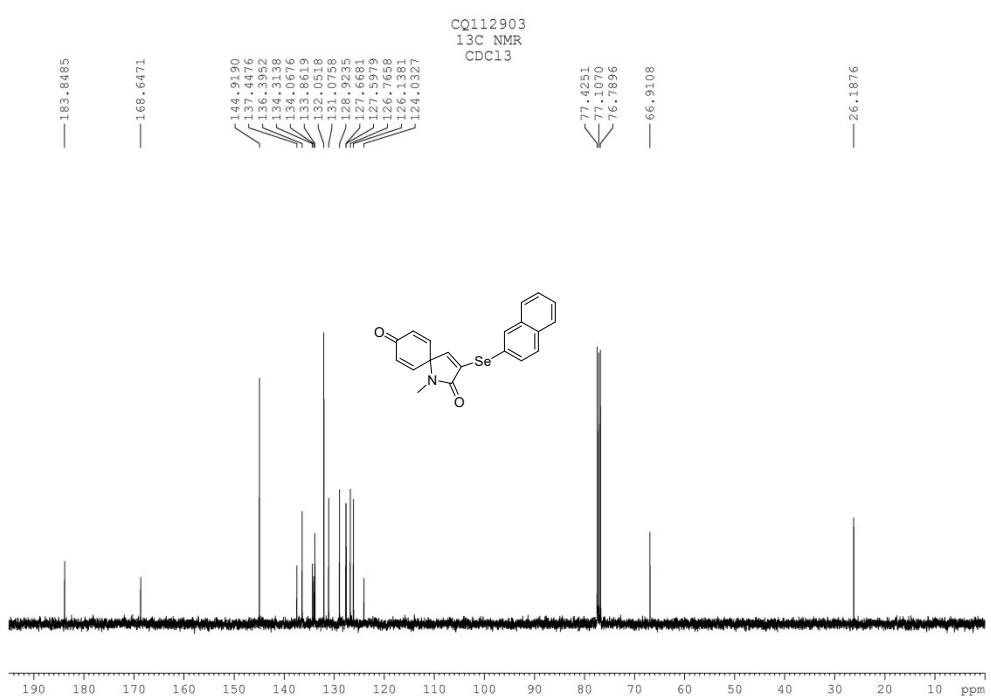


Fig. 24 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **3l**

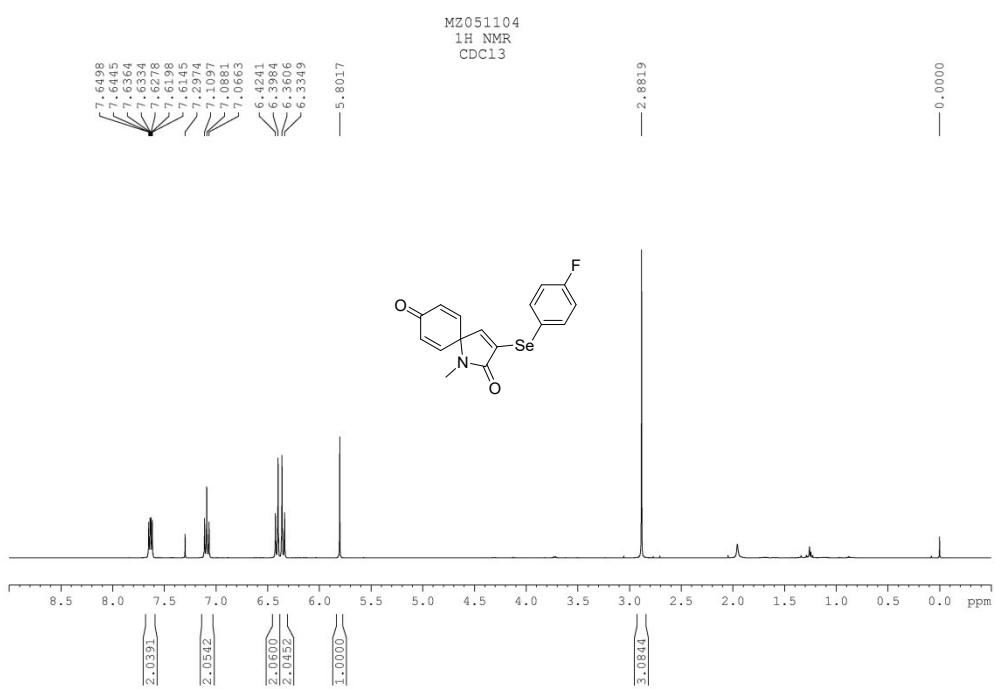


Fig. 25 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **3m**

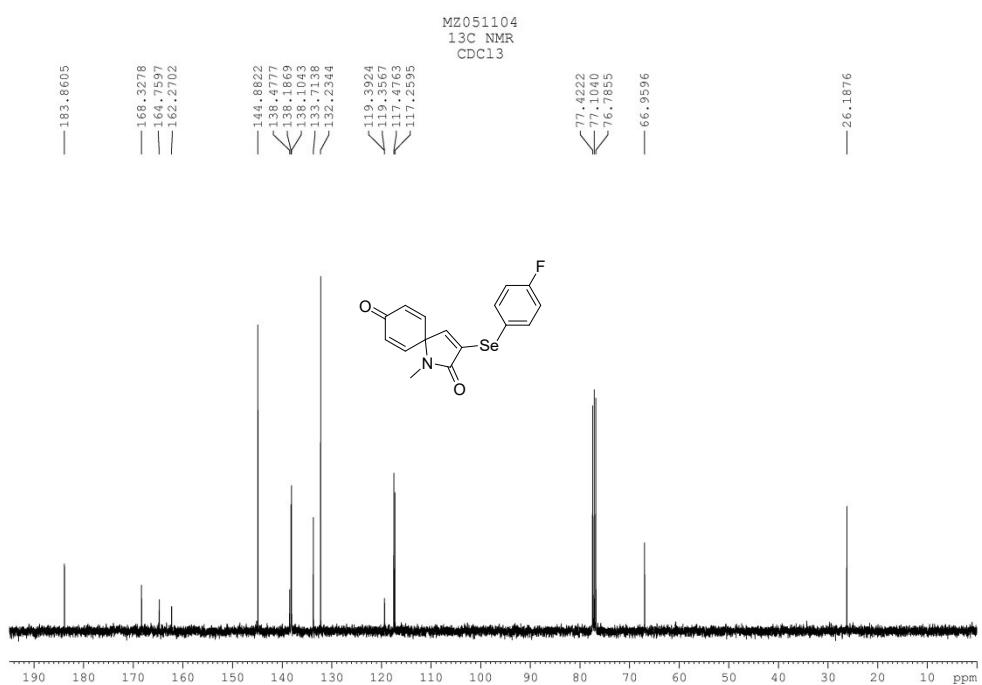


Fig. 26 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 3m

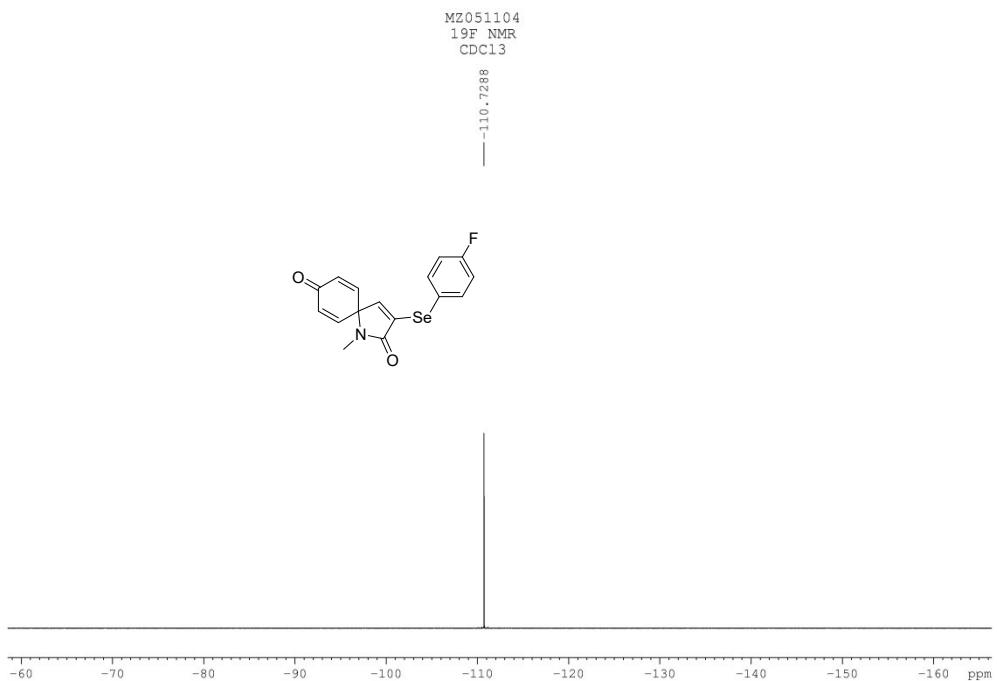


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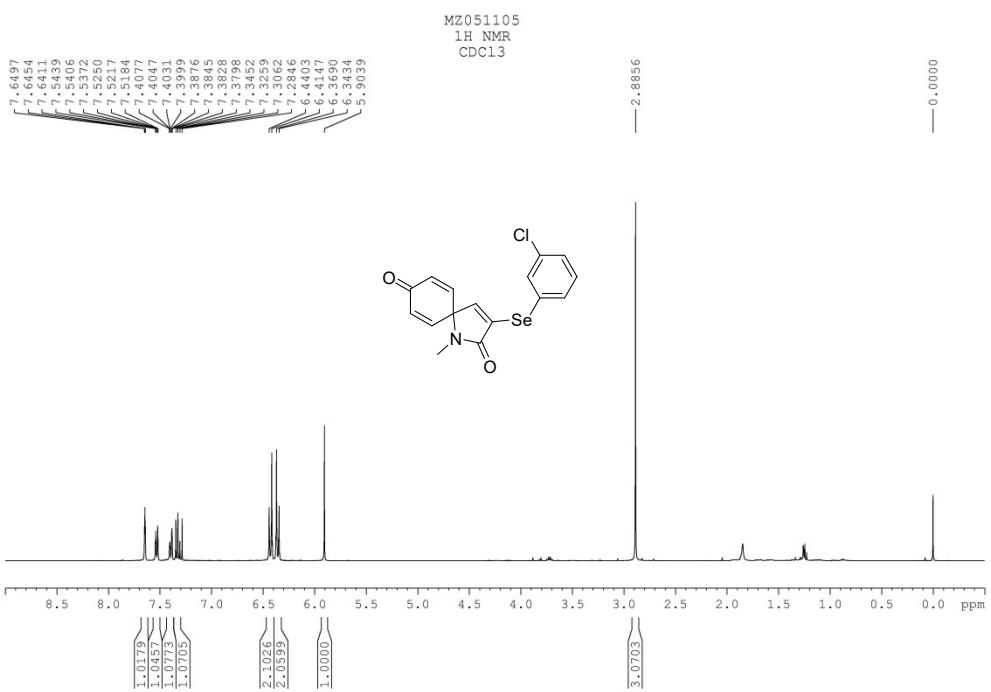


Fig. 28 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3n

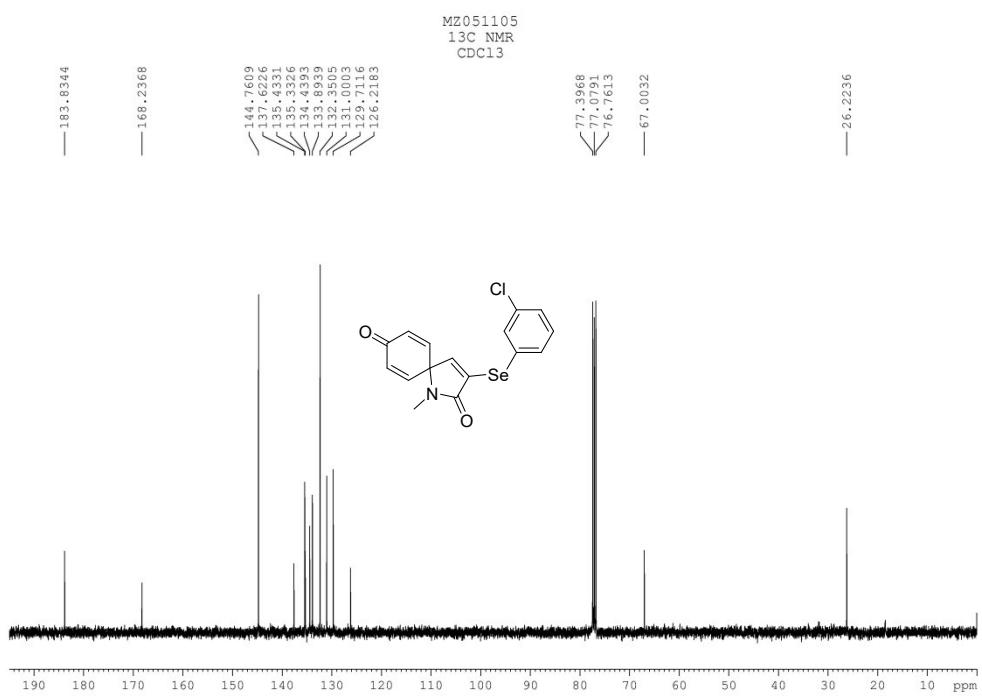


Fig. 29 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 3n

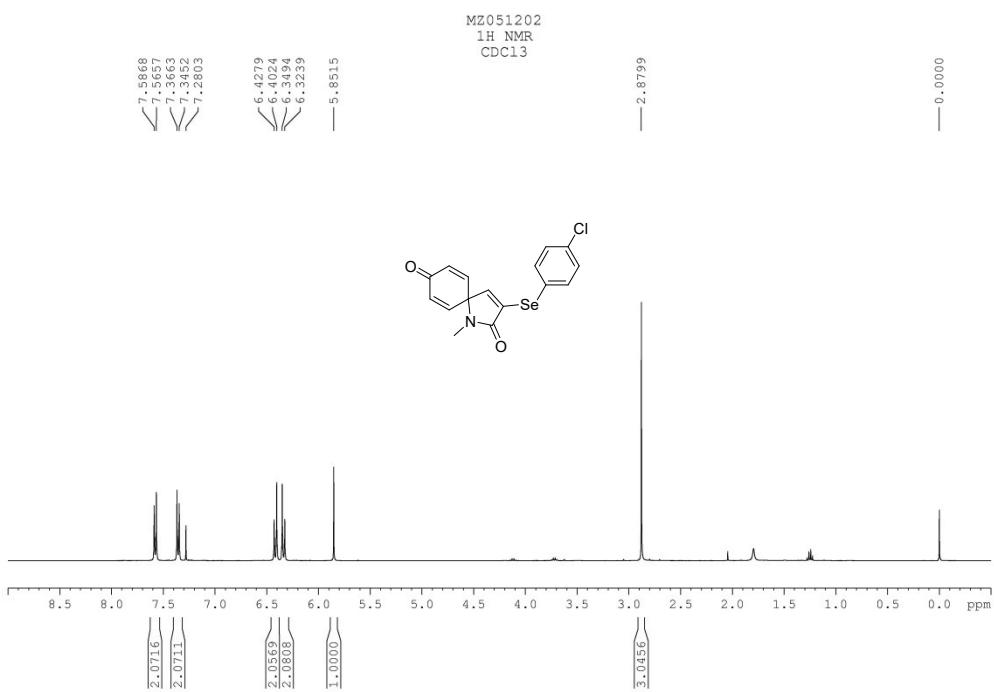


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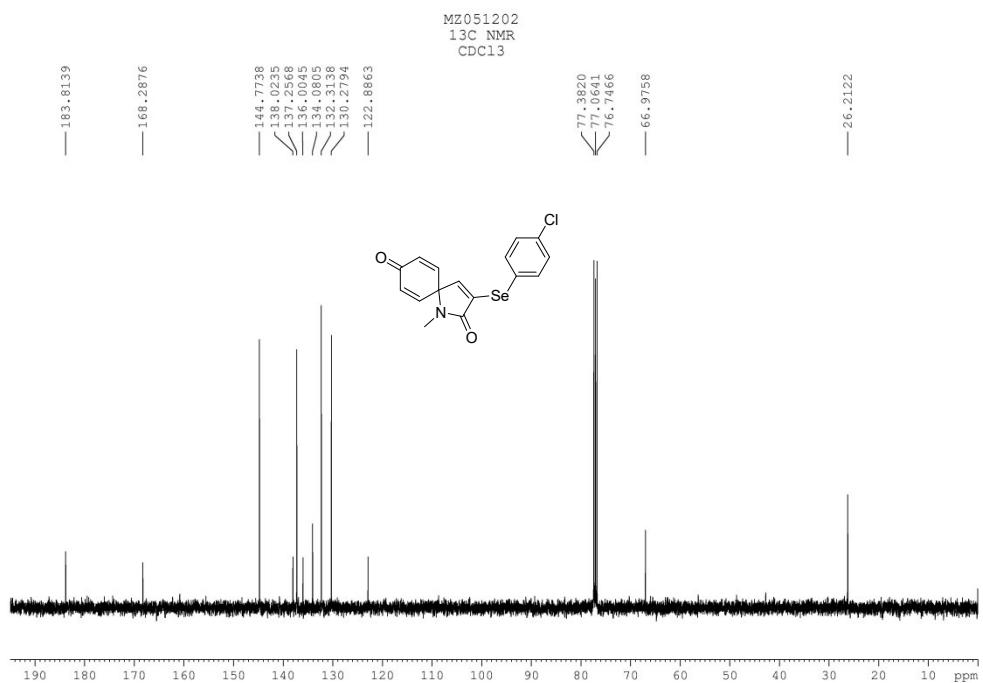


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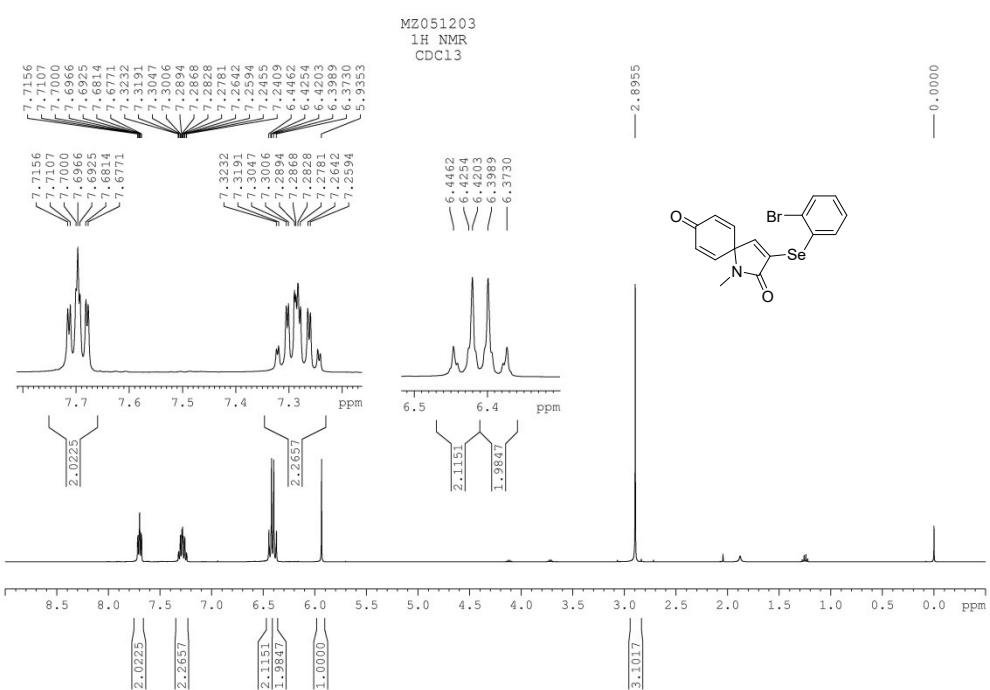


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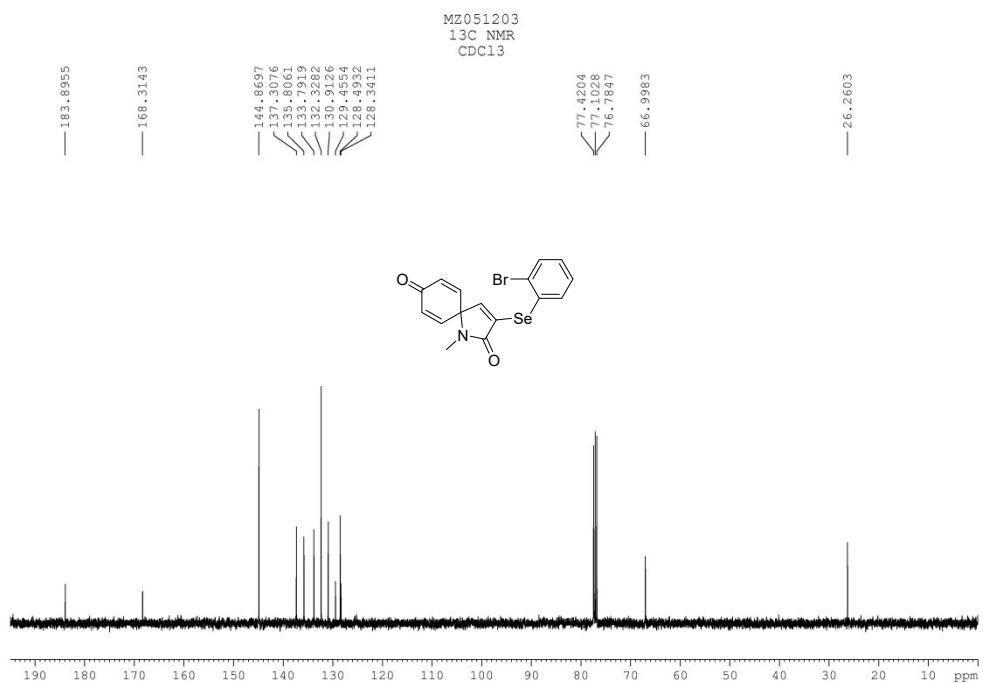


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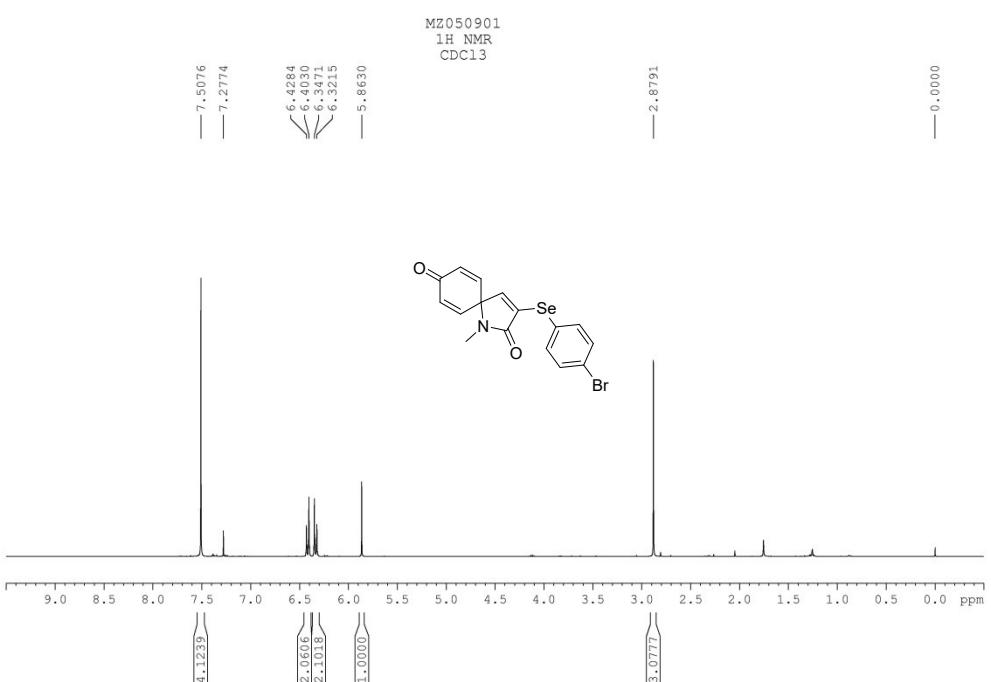


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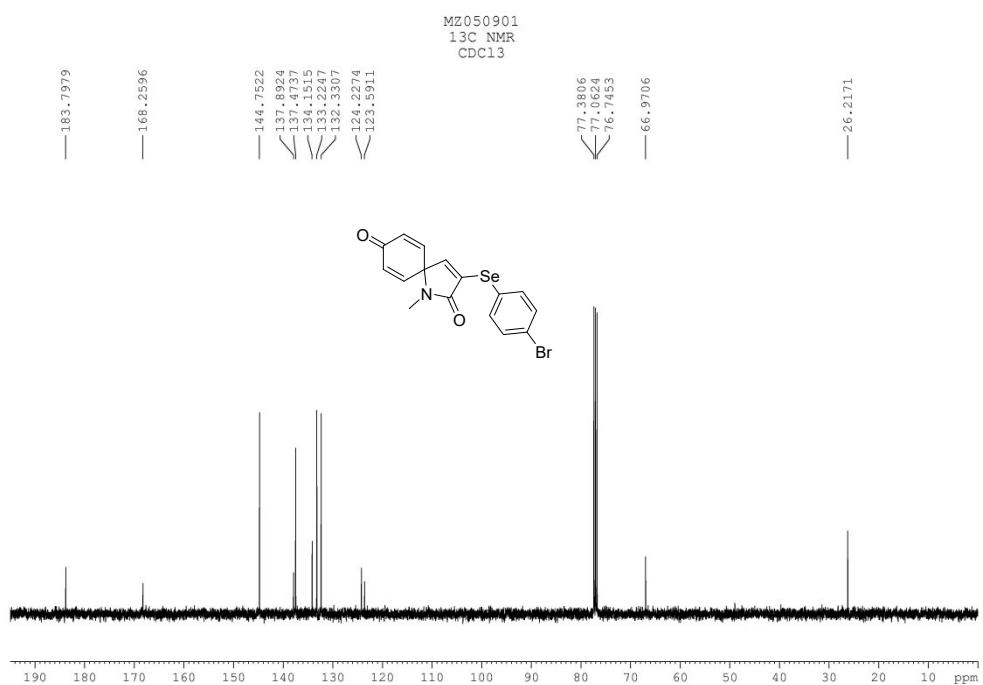


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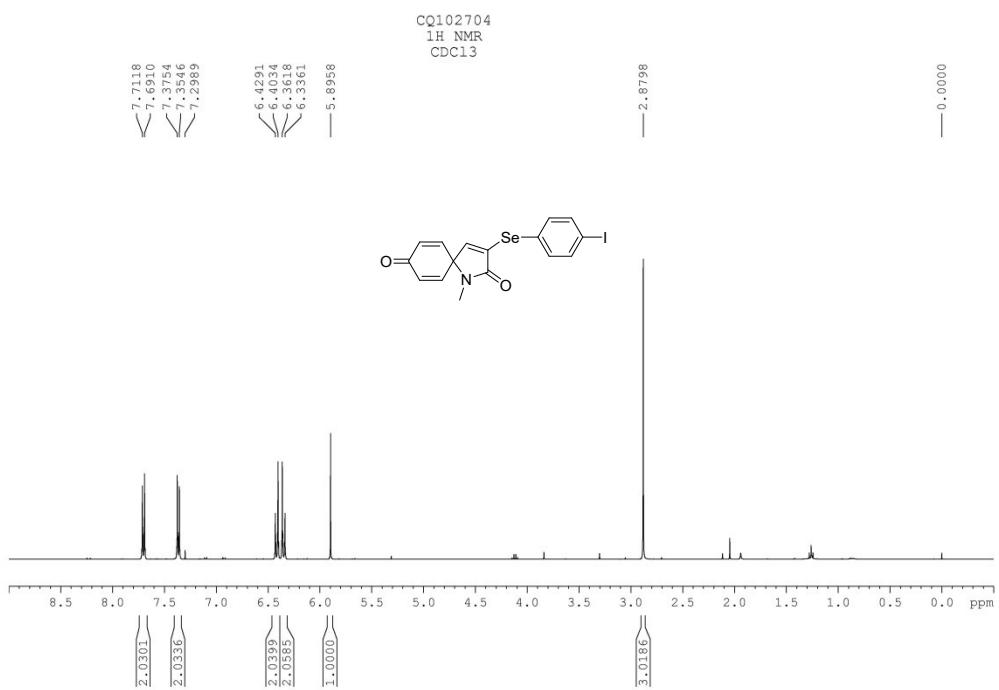


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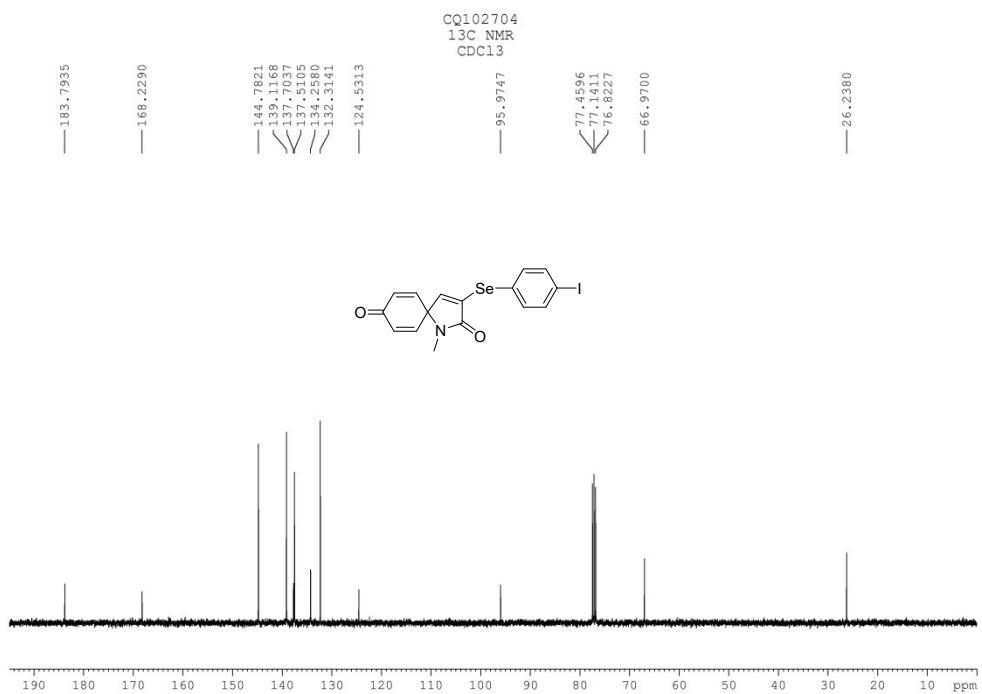


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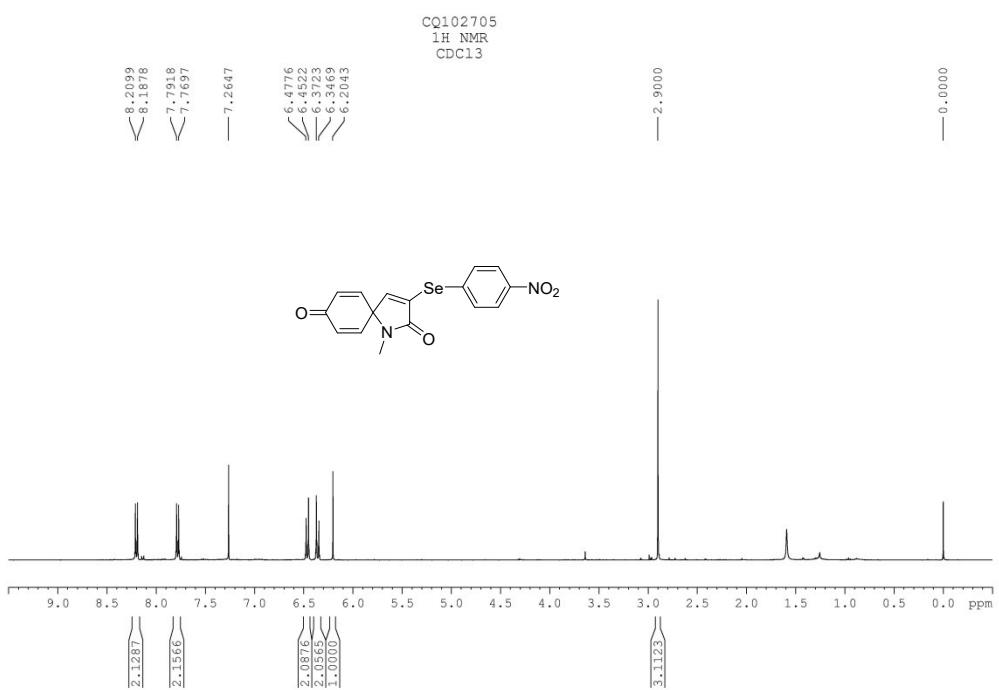


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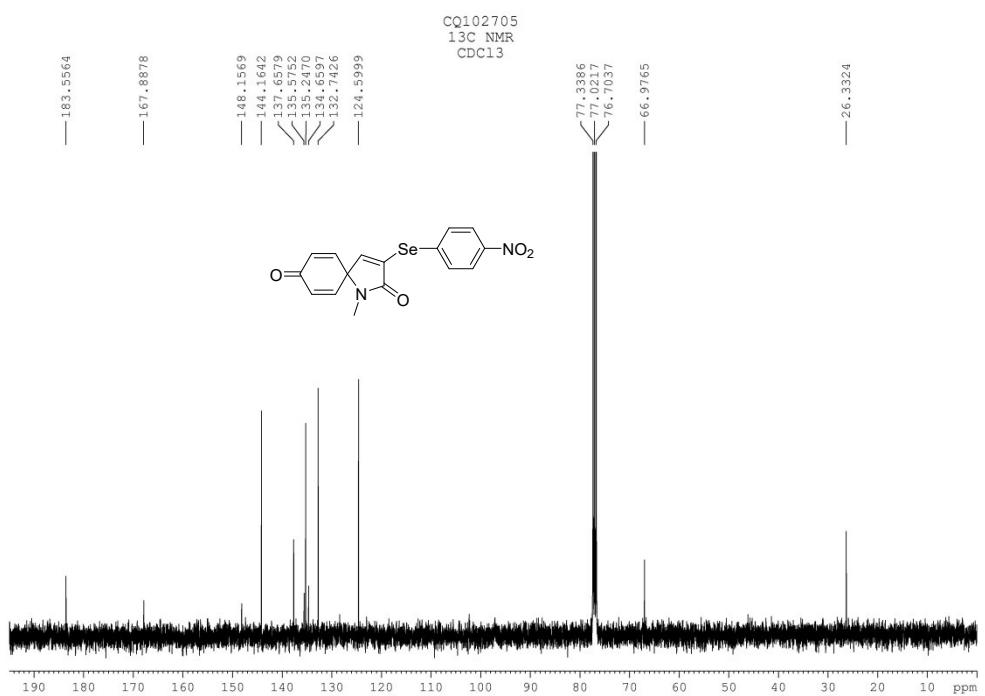


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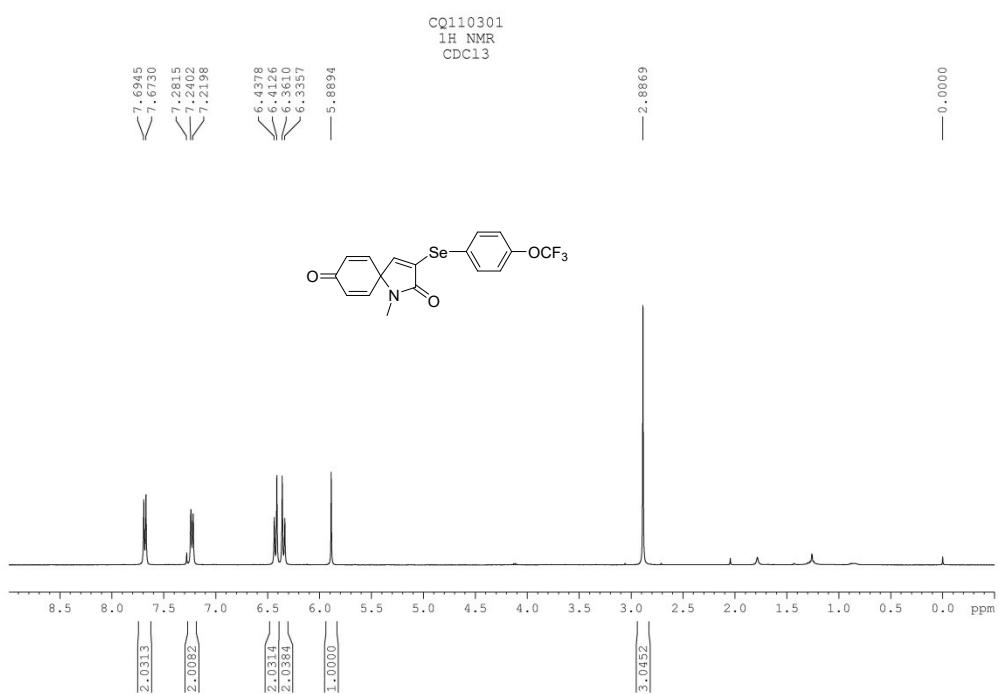


Fig. 40 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3t

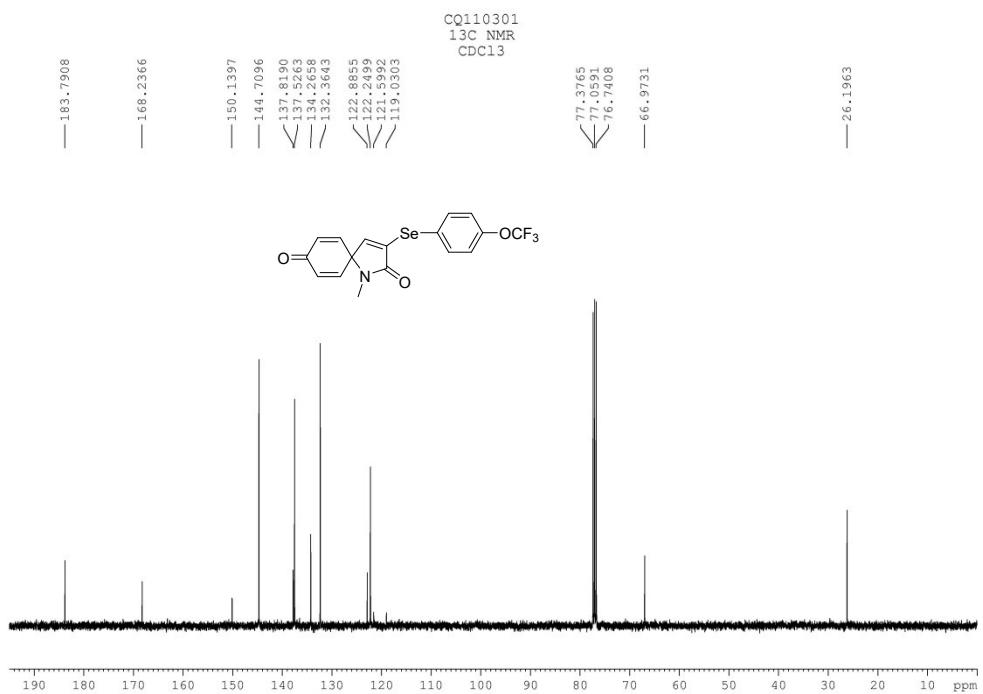


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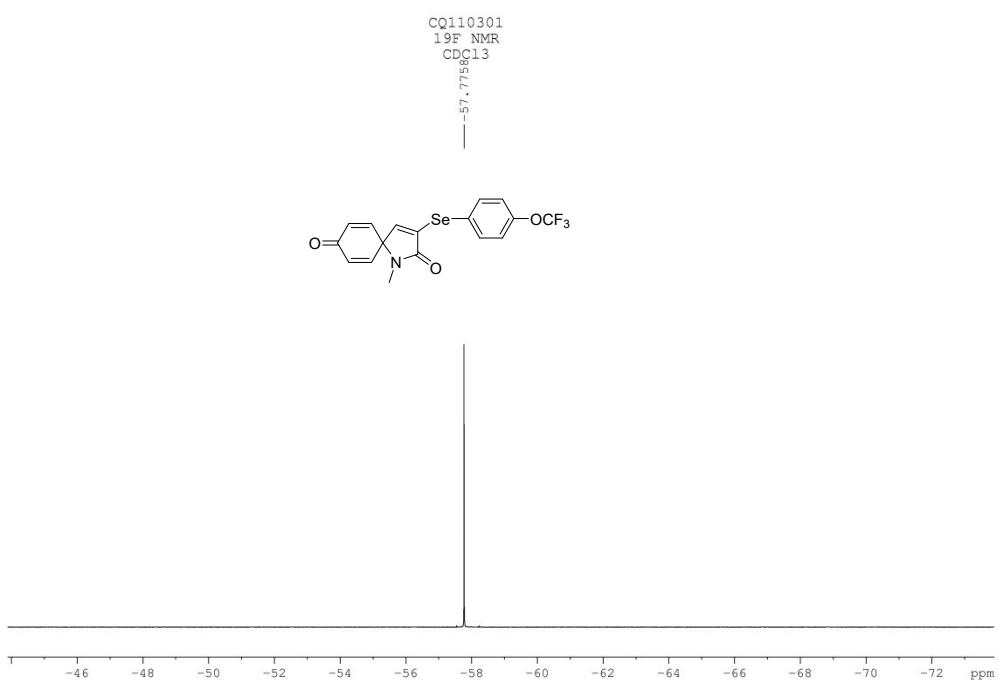


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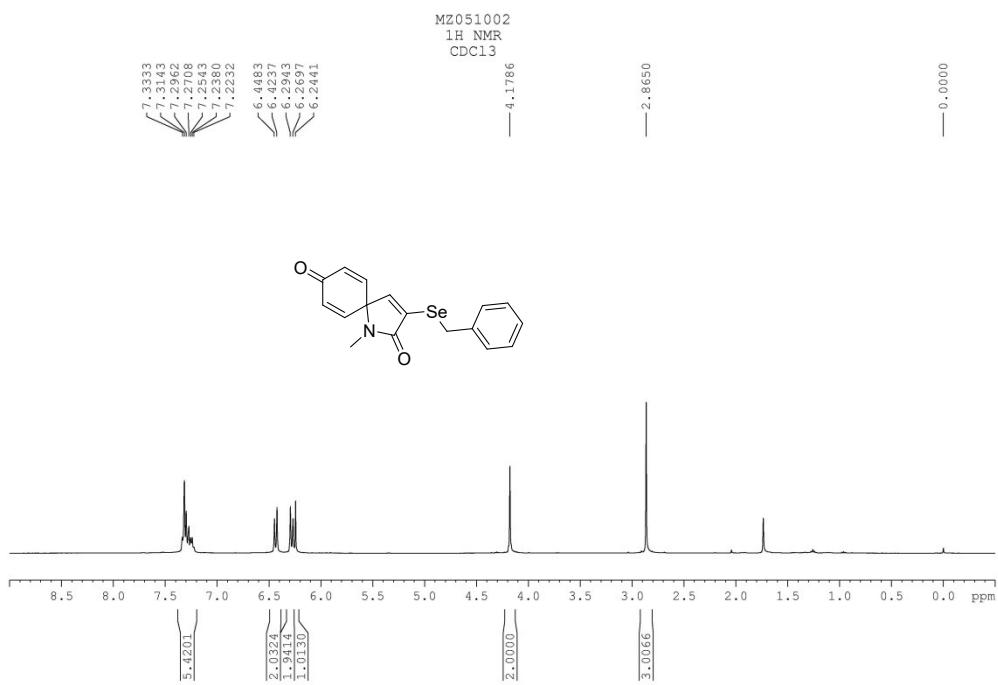


Fig. 43 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **3u**

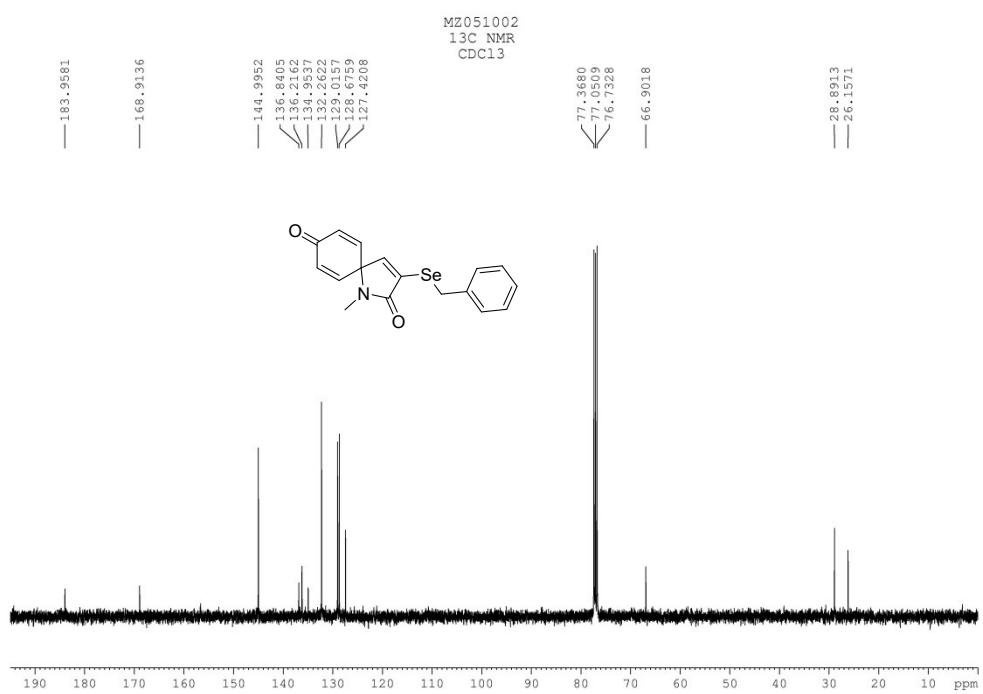


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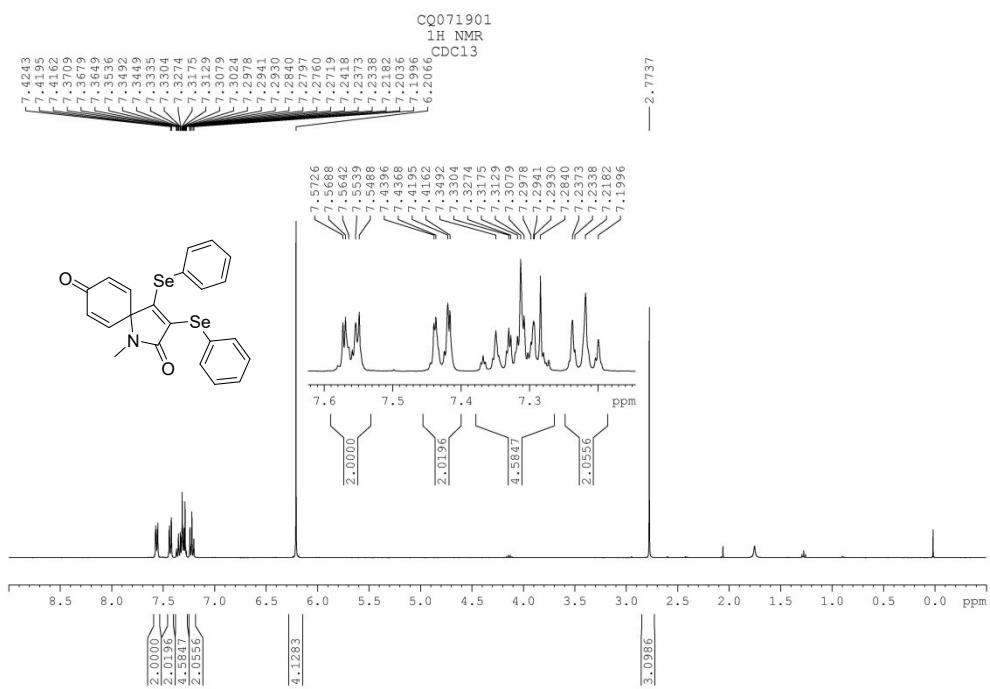


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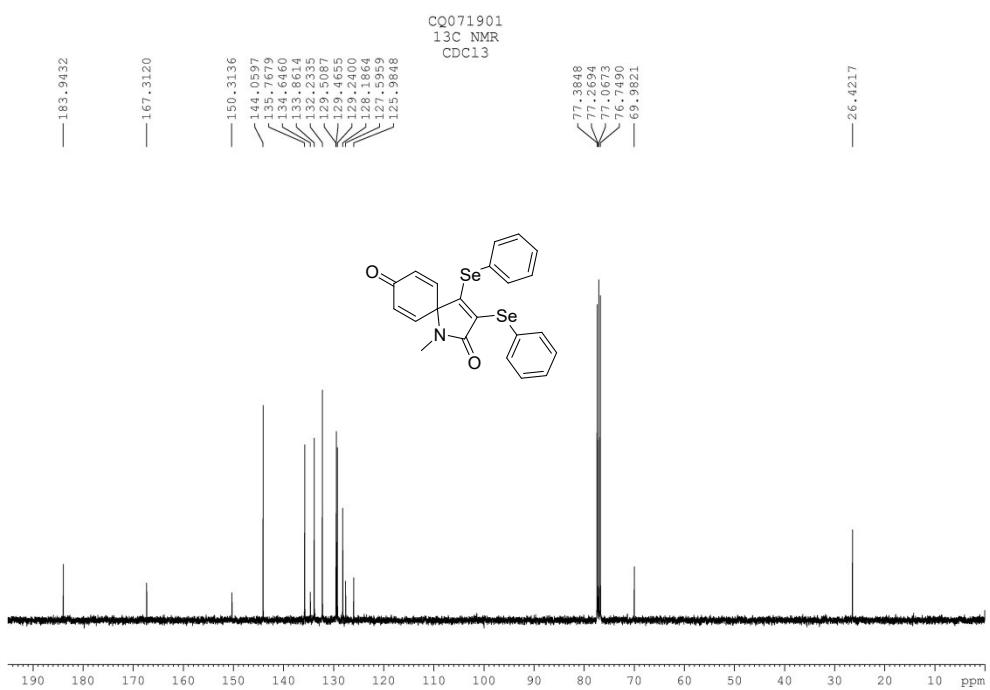


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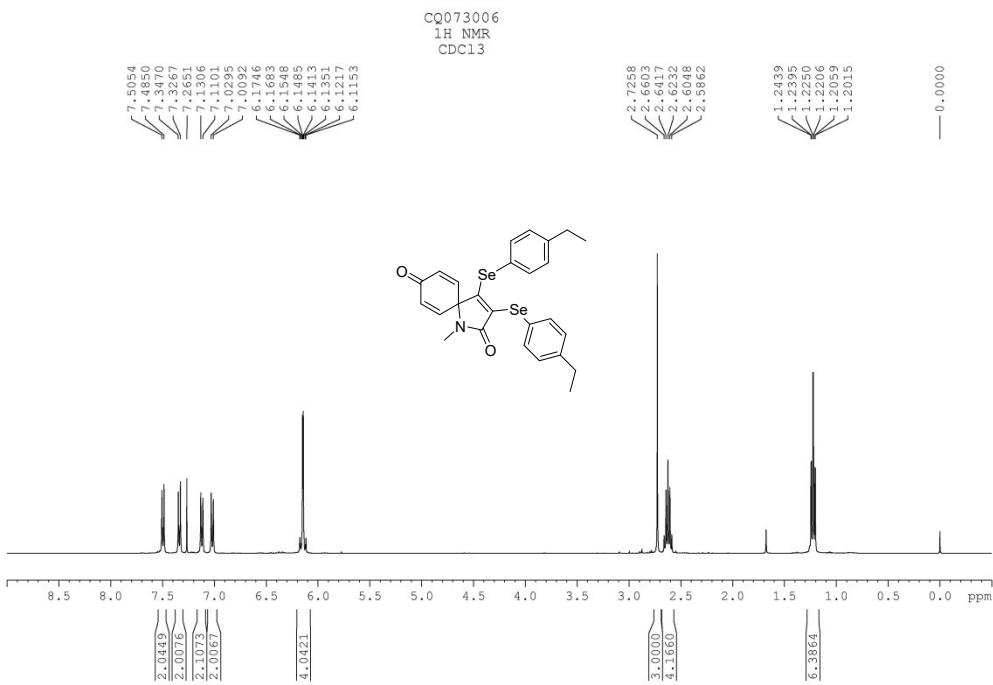


Fig. 47 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 5b

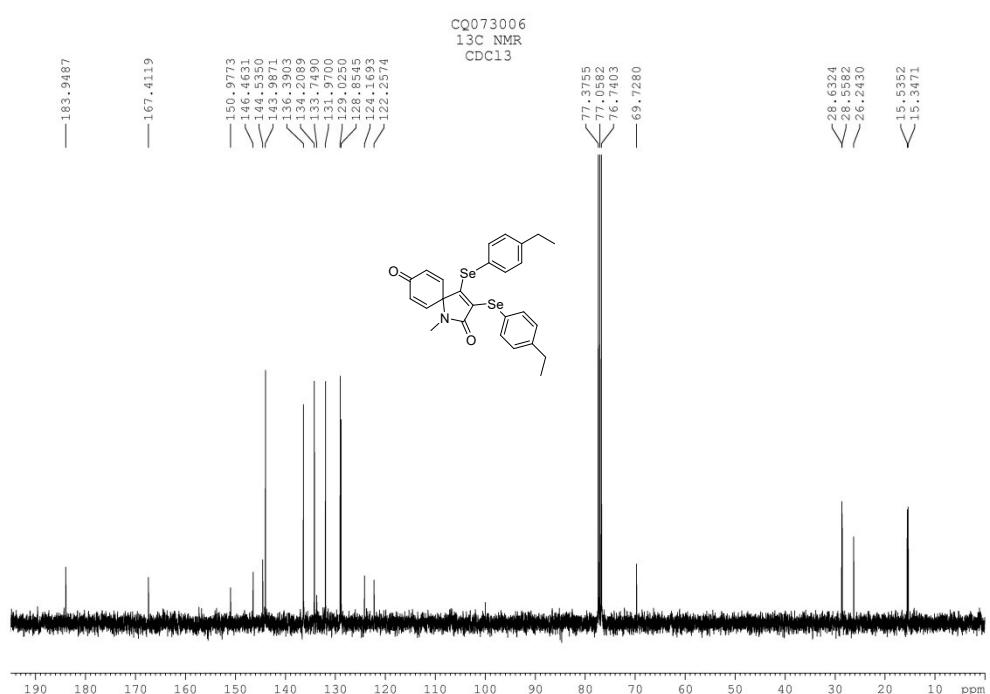


Fig. 48 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 5b

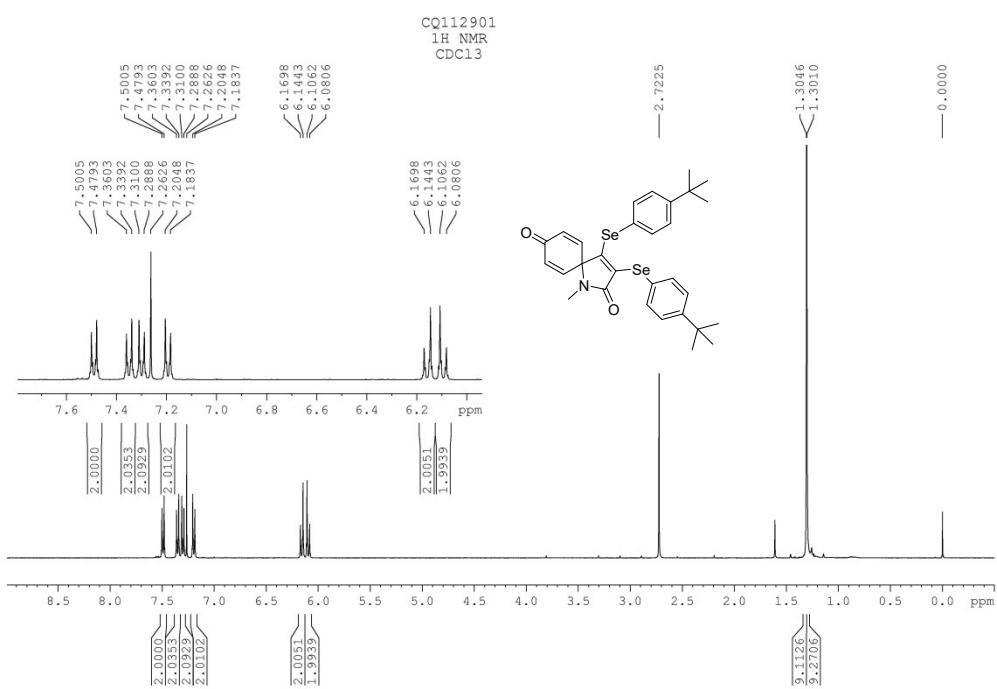


Fig. 49 ^1H NMR spectrum of compound 5c

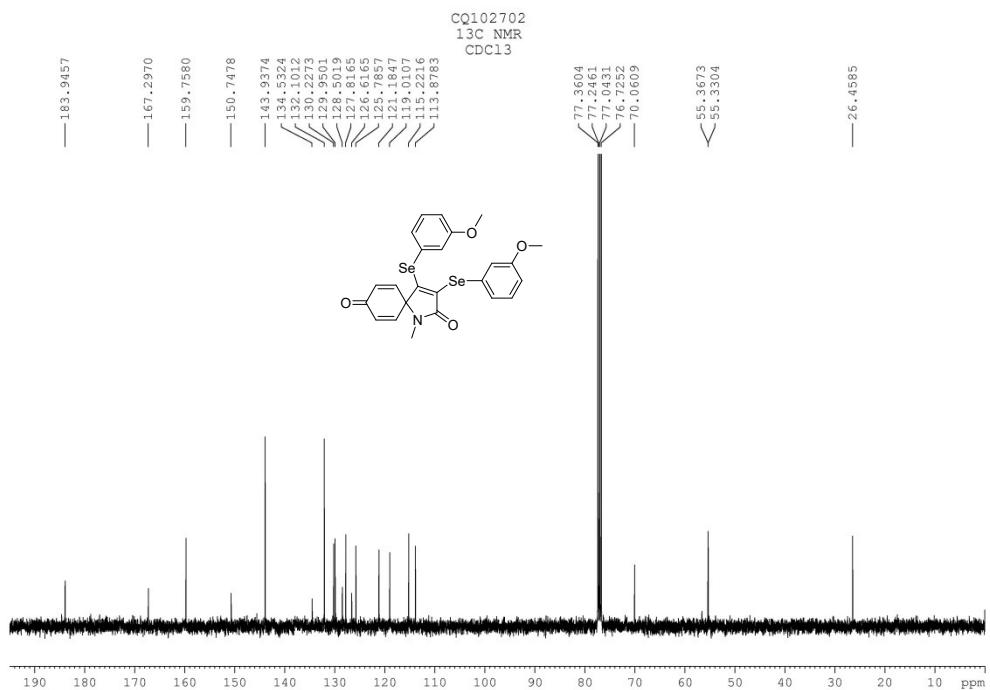


Fig. 52 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **5d**

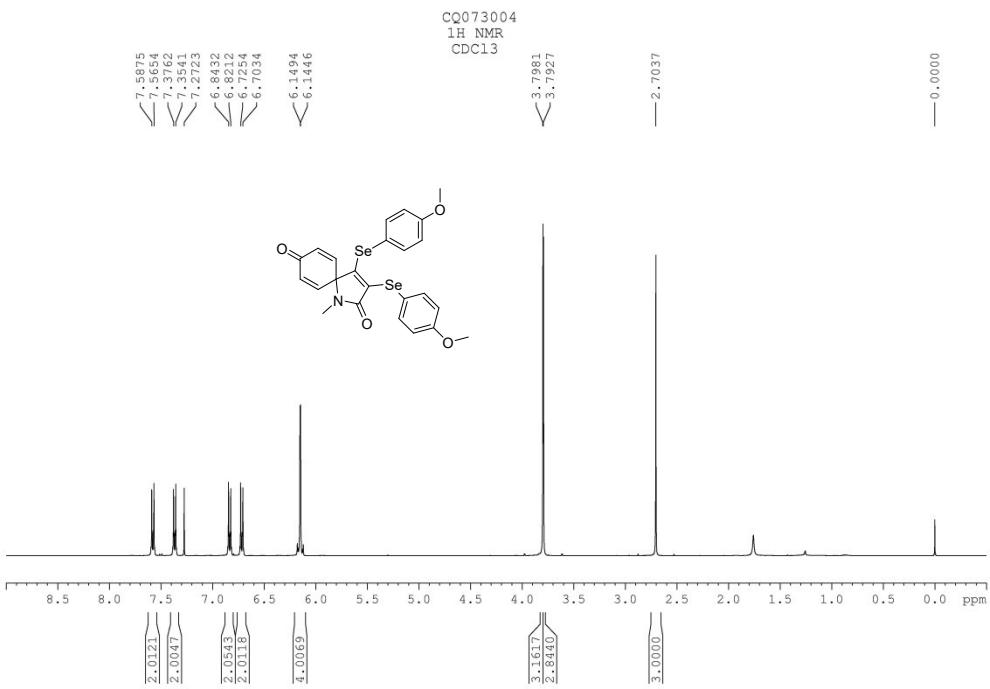


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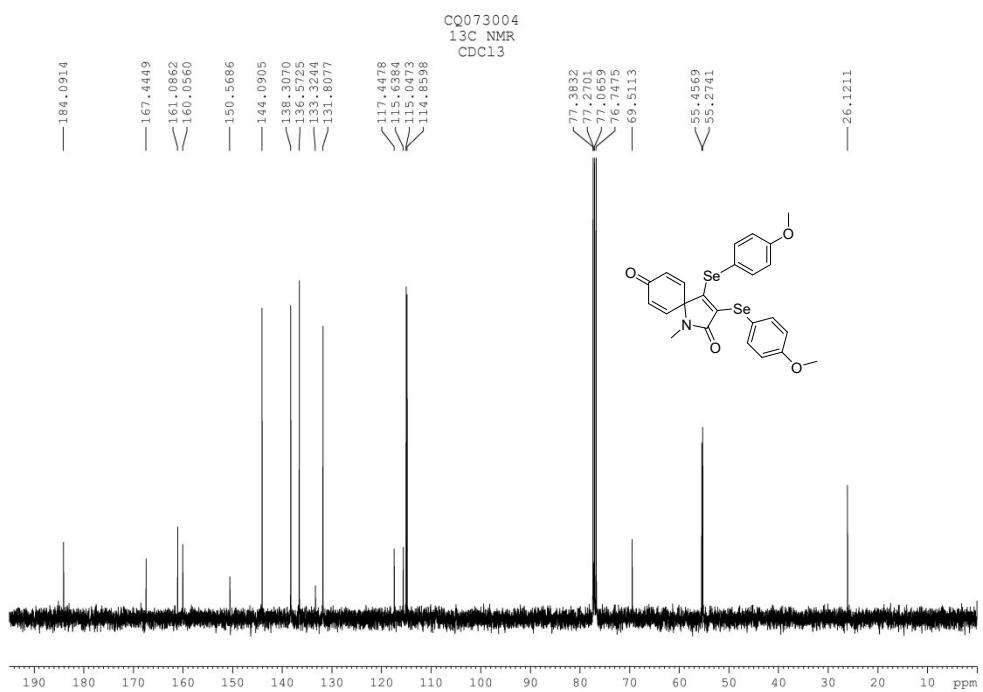


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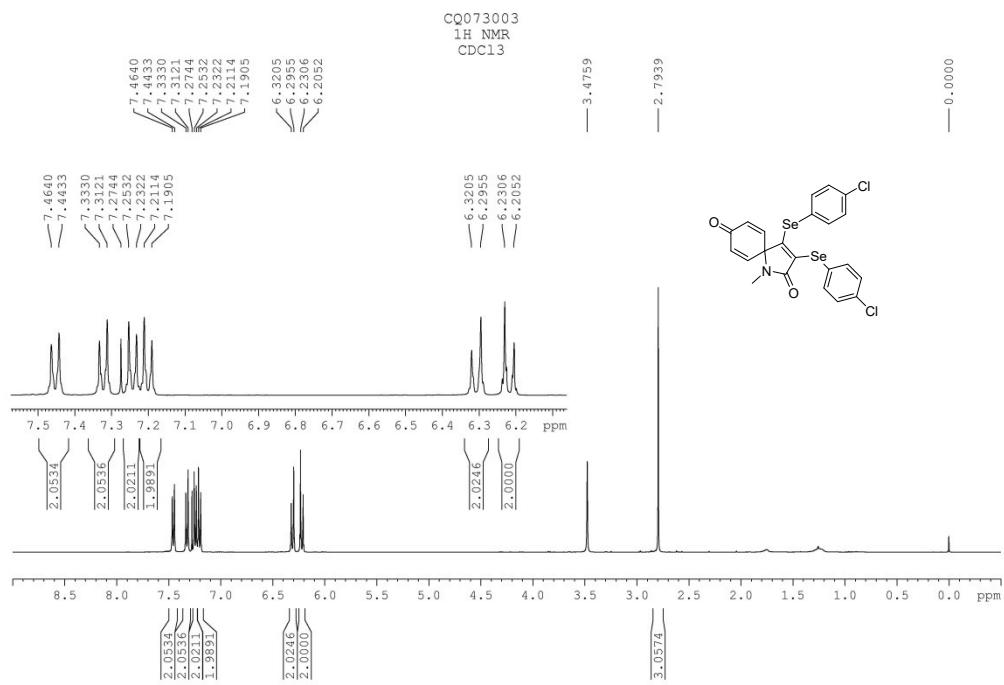


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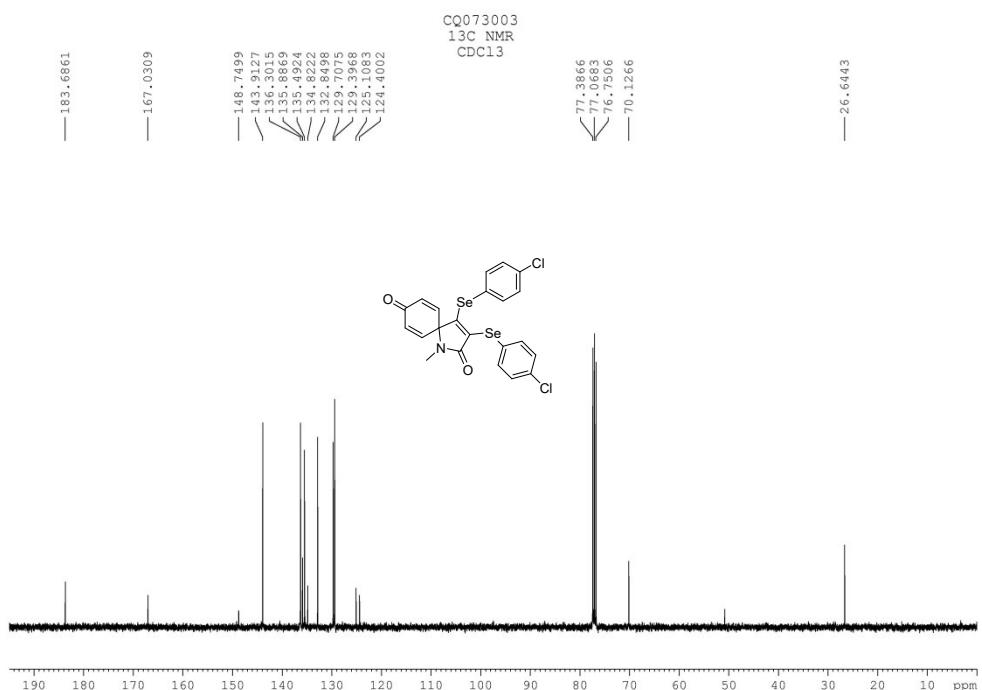


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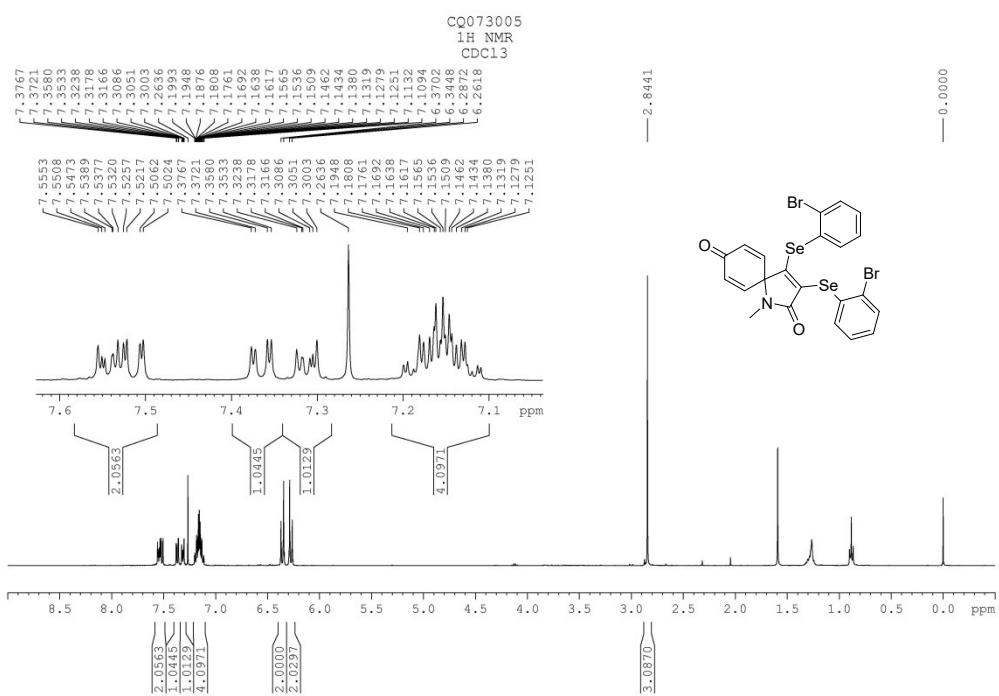


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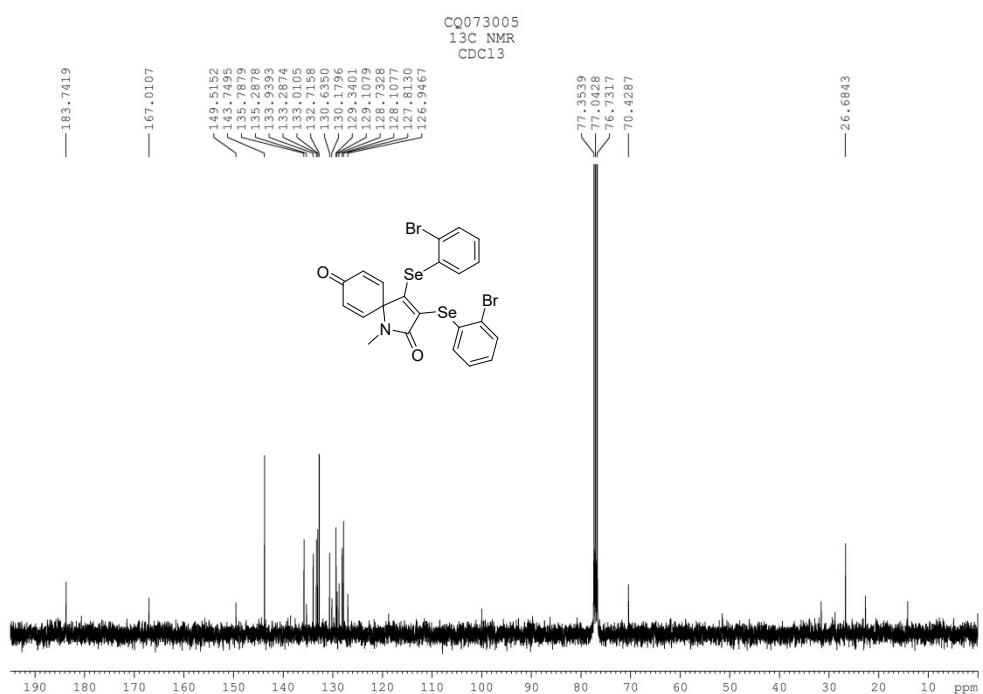


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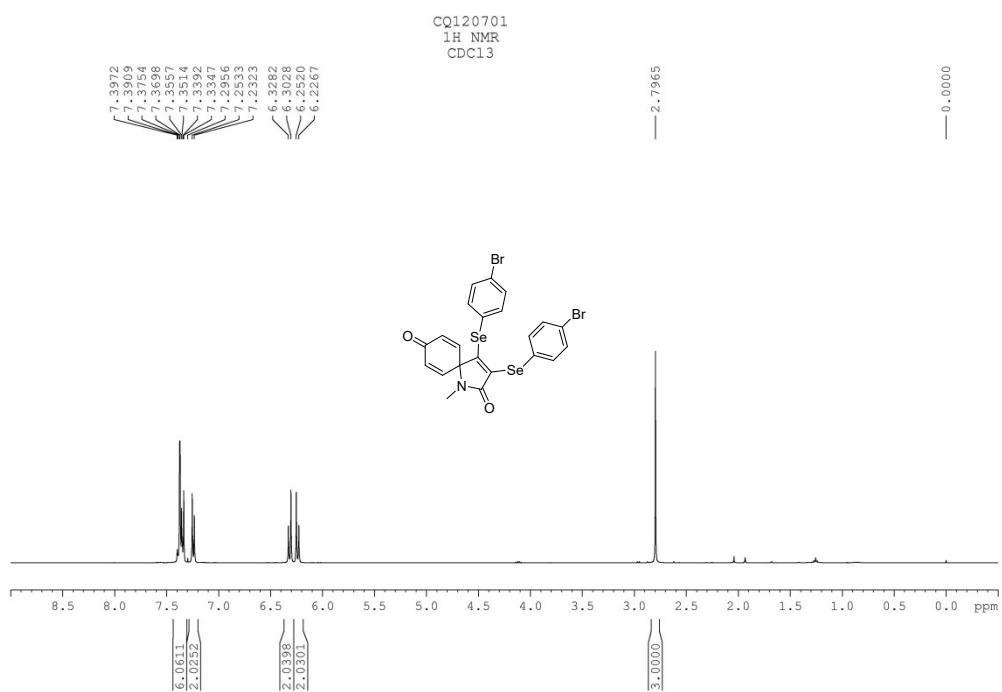


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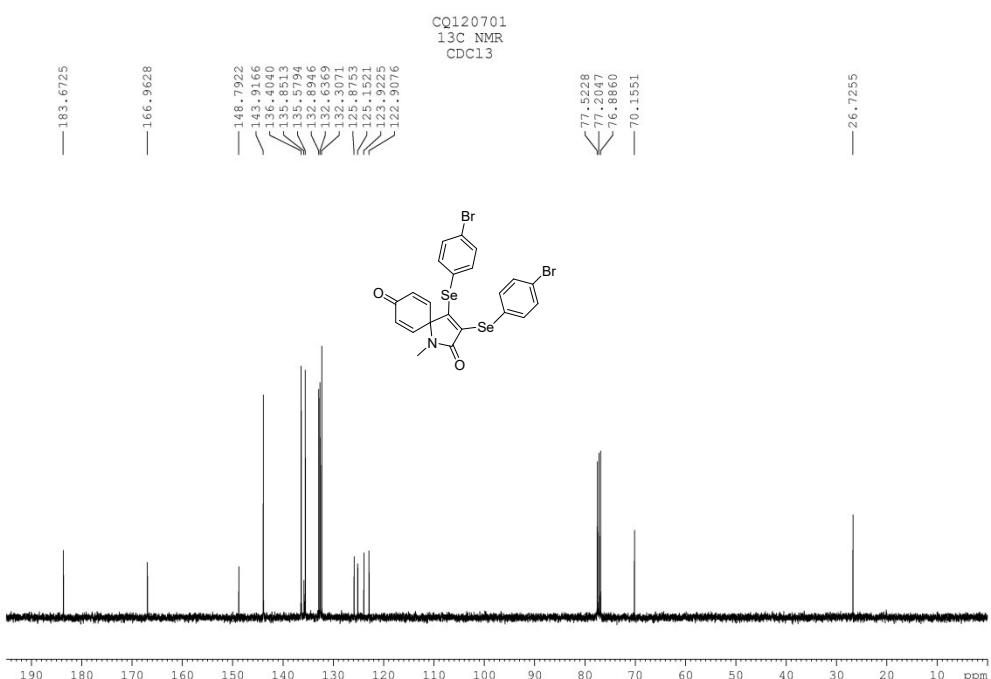


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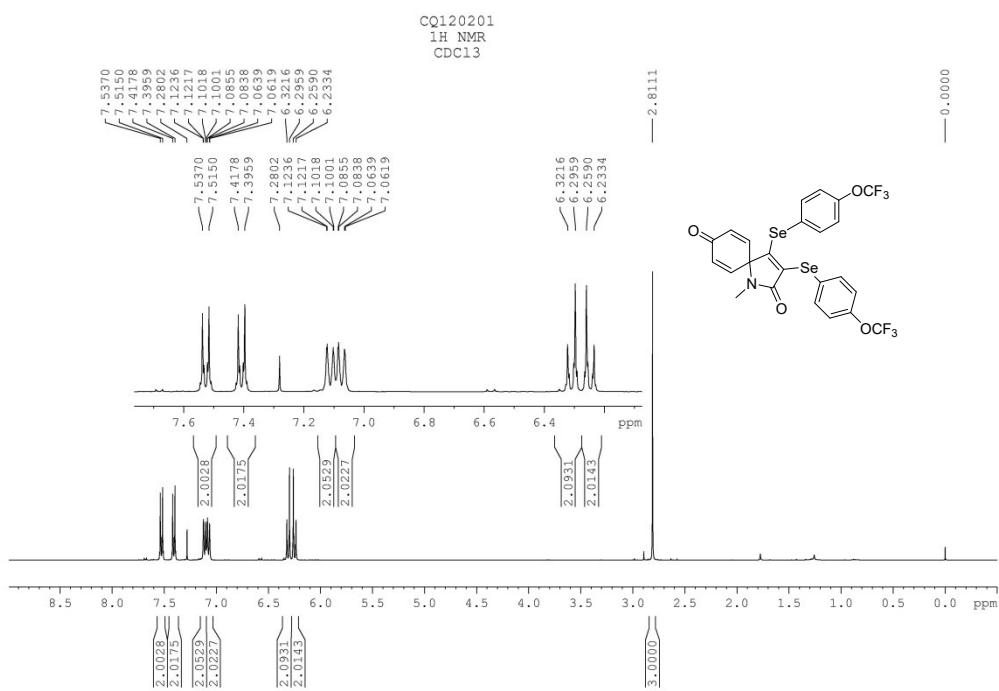


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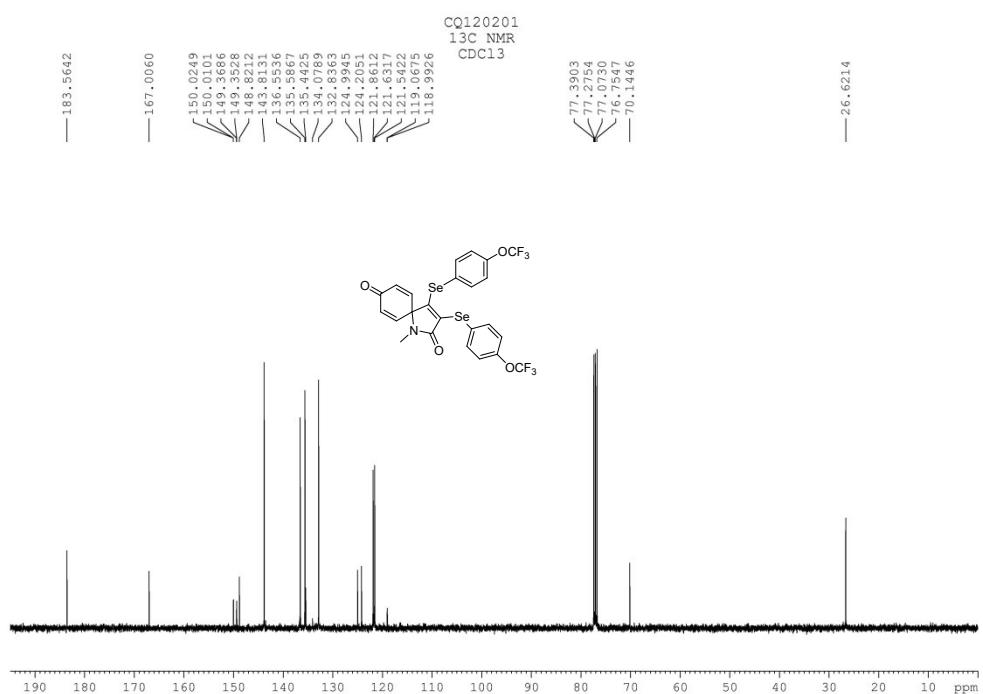


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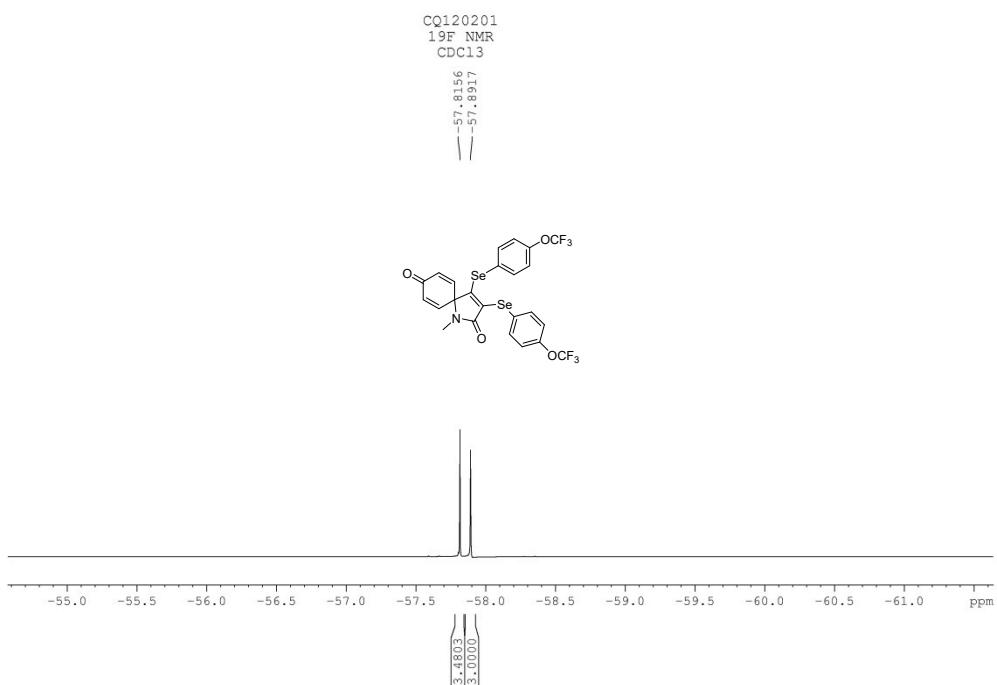


Fig. 63 ^{19}F NMR spectrum of compound 5i

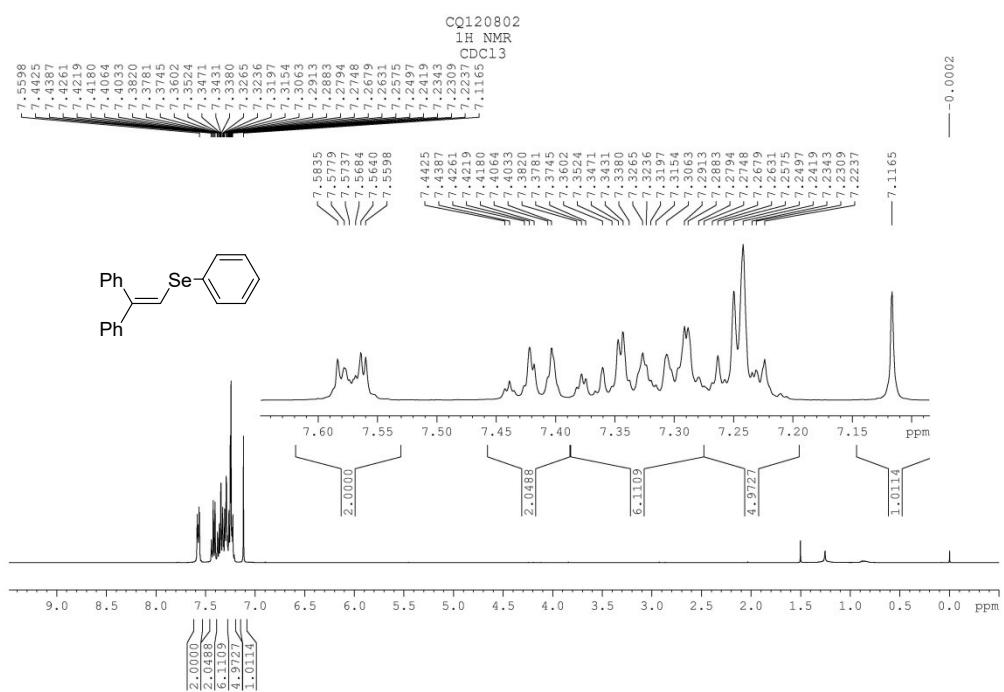


Fig. 64 ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 6

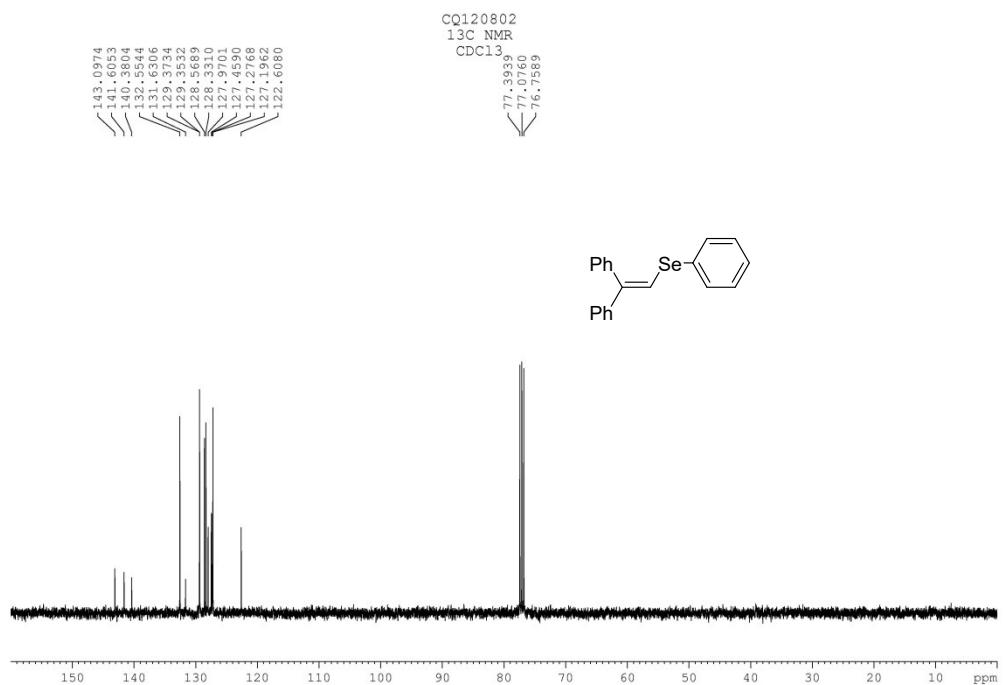


Fig. 65 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 6