

Supporting Information

**A simple Iodine-DMSO-promoted multicomponent reaction for the synthesis of  
2,4-disubstituted dihydrotriazole-3-ones**

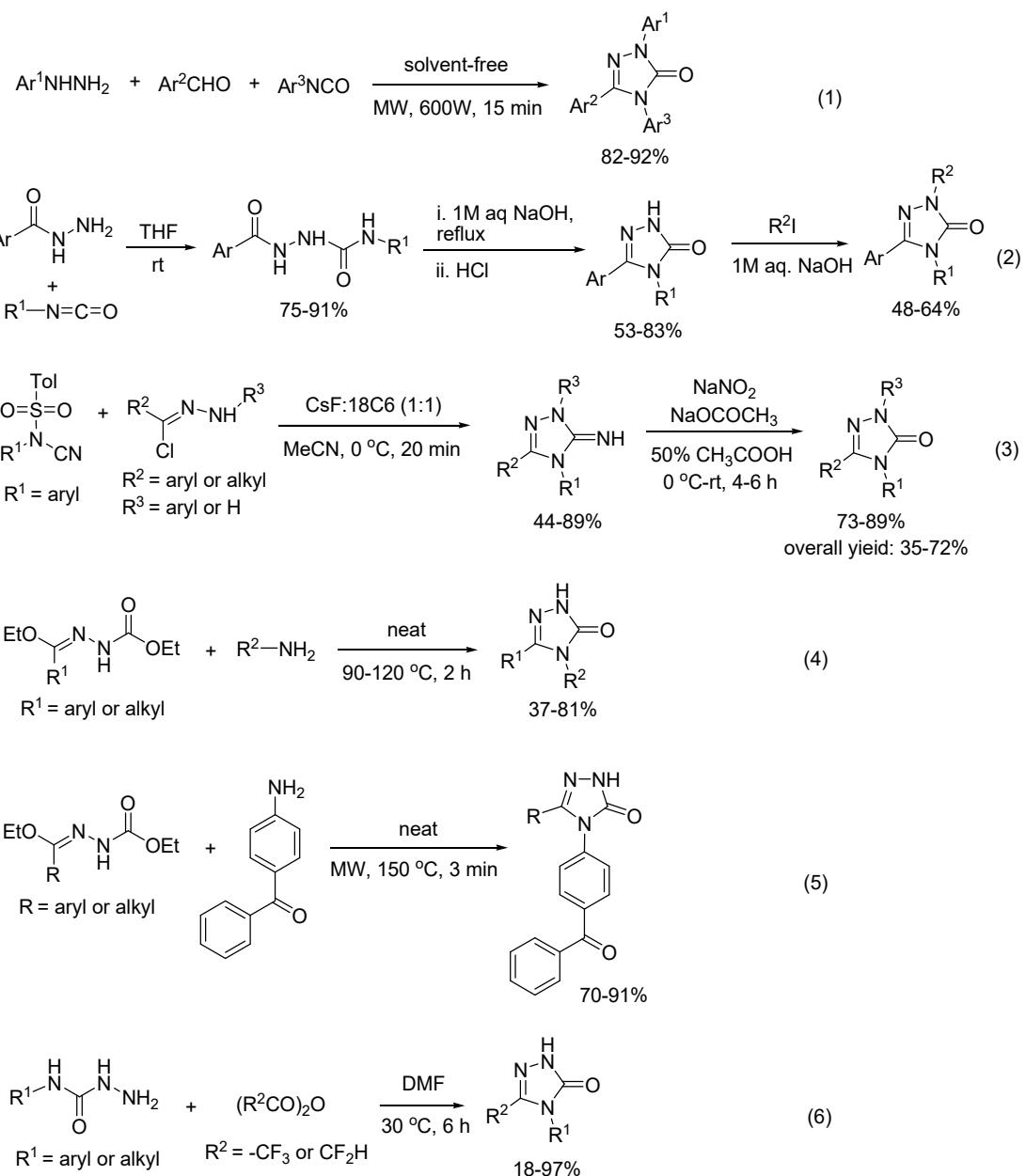
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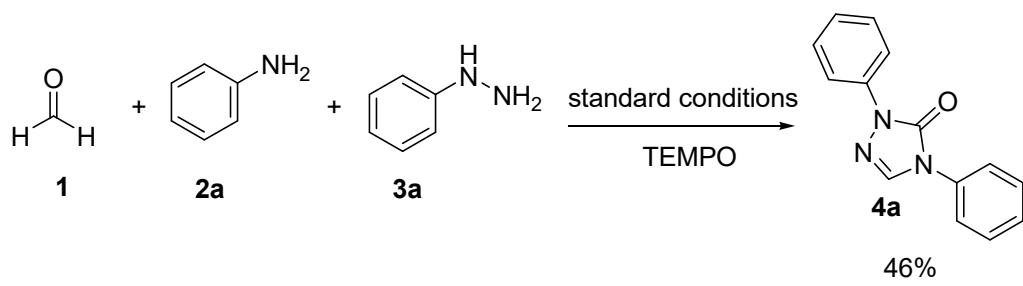
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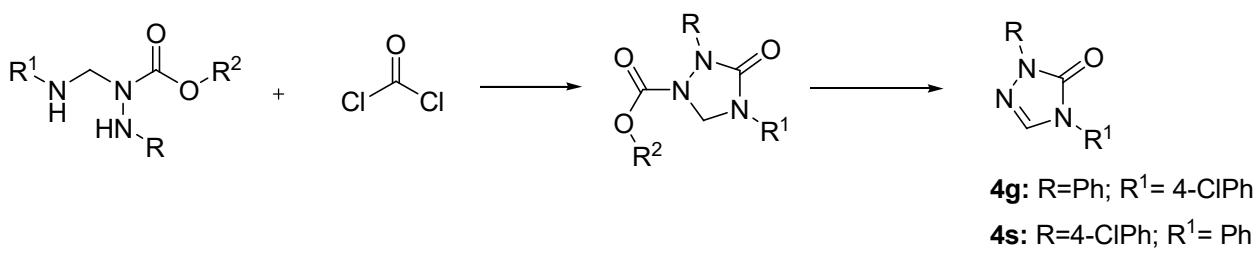
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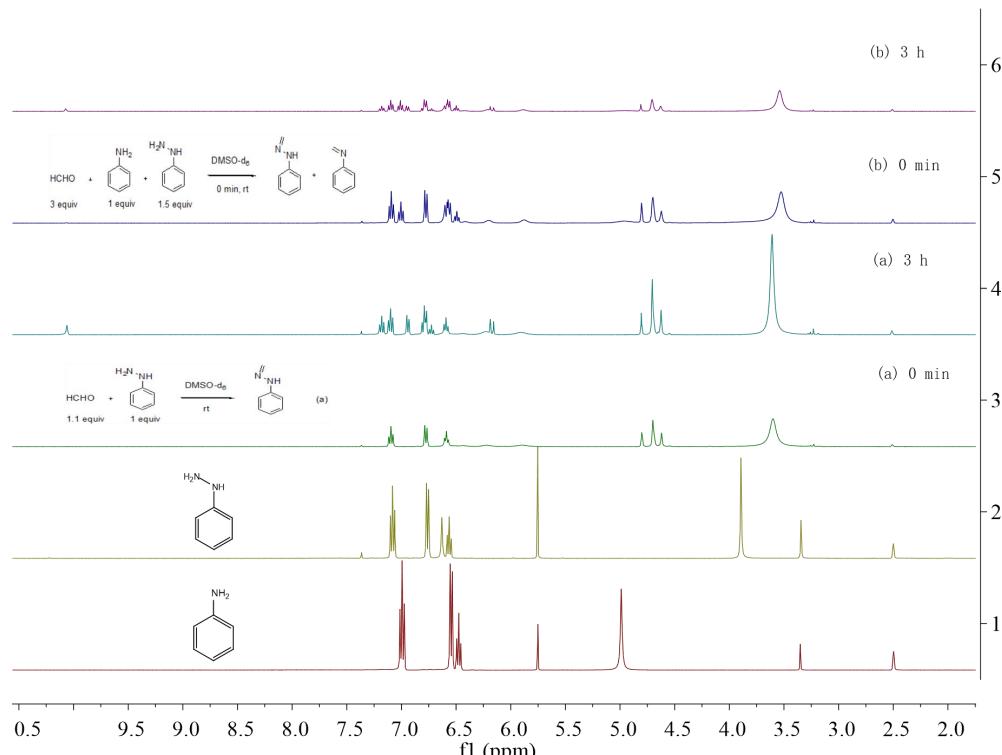
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**Figure S2.** Control experiment



**Figure S3** synthesis of **4g** and **4s** in patent[7]



**Figure S4.** **1H** NMR spectra monitoring formation of intermediate **5** and **6**

**1H** NMR spectra of aniline (1), phenylhydrazine (2), the reaction (a) of aldehyde and phenylhydrazine in DMSO-d6 at room temperature for 0 min and 3 h, respectively (3 and 4, respectively), the reaction (b) of aldehyde, aniline and phenylhydrazine in DMSO-d6 at room temperature for 0 min and 3 h, respectively (5 and 6, respectively)

**Table S1. Influence of temperature on the MCR for the synthesis of **4a**<sup>a</sup>**

entry	T (°C)	Yield (%)
1	100	0
2	120	14
3	140	28
4	160	28

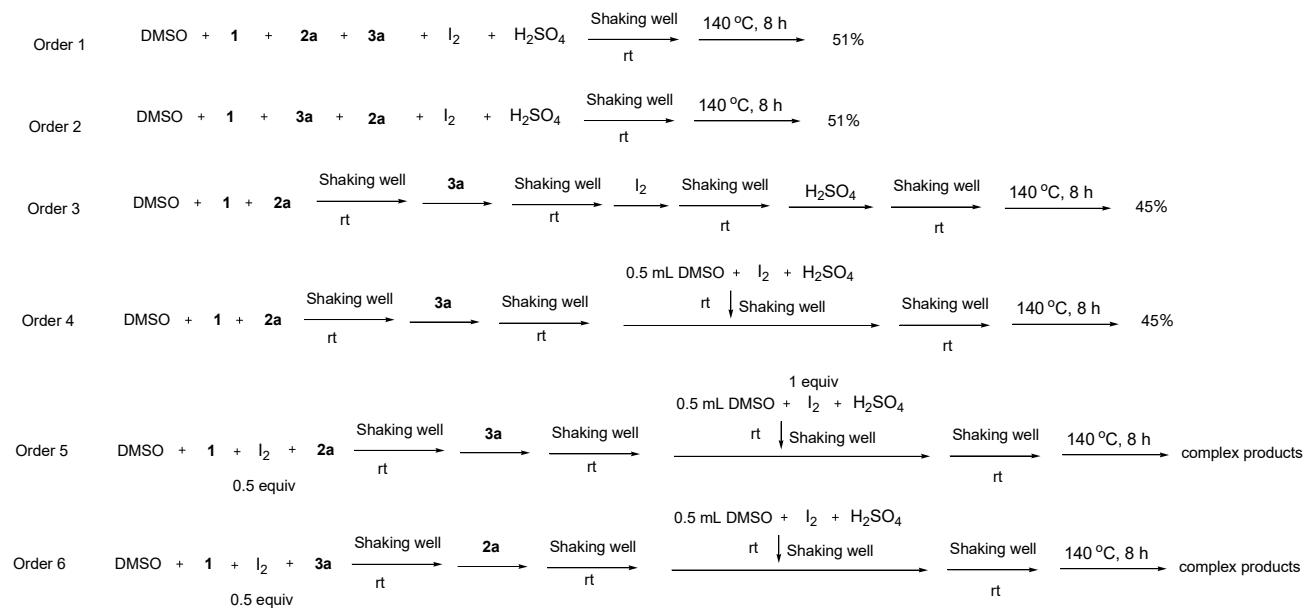
**Table S2. Optimization of C sources, iodine-containing activators and solvents for the MCR synthesis of 4a<sup>a</sup>**

C source (3 equiv)	2a (1.5 equiv)	3a (1 equiv)	I <sub>2</sub> (1.5 equiv)	Solvent, 140 °C, 8 h	4a
Entry	C source	[I]		Solvent	Yield <sup>b</sup> (%)
1	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		DMSO	28
2	(CH <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>n</sub>	I <sub>2</sub>		DMSO	0
3	DMSO	I <sub>2</sub>		DMSO	0
4	DMF	I <sub>2</sub>		DMSO	0
5	MeOH	I <sub>2</sub>		DMSO	0
6	HCHO	NIS		DMSO	13
7	HCHO	CuI		DMSO	5
8	HCHO	KI		DMSO	trace
9	HCHO	TBAI		DMSO	trace
10	HCHO	NH <sub>4</sub> I		DMSO	0
11	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		DMF	0
12	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		HMPA	0
13	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		1,4-Dioxane	0
14	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		<i>n</i> BuOH	0
15	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		H <sub>2</sub> O	0
16	HCHO	I <sub>2</sub>		Toluene	0

<sup>a</sup> Reaction was carried out with C source (0.9 mmol), **2a** (0.45 mmol), **3a** (0.3 mmol) and iodine-containing catalyst (0.45 mmol) in 2 mL solvent at 140 °C for 8 h. <sup>b</sup> Isolated yield.

**Table S3. Crystallographic information of 4a**

<i>T</i> <sup>a</sup> [K]	293
crystal system	Monoclinic
space group	<i>P</i> 121/ <i>c</i> 1
<i>a</i> [Å]	13.7128 (11)
<i>b</i> [Å]	7.4784 (7)
<i>c</i> [Å]	11.7095 (9)
$\alpha$ [Å]	90
$\beta$ [deg]	96.628 (7)
$\gamma$ [deg]	90
<i>V</i> [Å <sup>3</sup> ]	1192.78 (17)
<i>Z</i>	4
<i>D</i> <sub>calcu</sub> [mg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	1.321
<i>R</i>	0.0458

**Scheme S1. Screen of the adding orders of reactants****Materials and Instruments**

All the starting materials were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. All melting points were measured using a X-5 micro melting point apparatus and were uncorrected. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz) and <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz) spectra were recorded on a Bruker Avance 400 MHz NMR spectrometer with DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub> or CDCl<sub>3</sub> as the solvent. <sup>1</sup>H NMR chemical shifts were referenced to DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub> at 2.50 ppm or referenced to TMS at 0.00 ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR chemical shifts were referenced to DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub> at 39.50 ppm. IR spectra were obtained as potassium bromide pellets or as liquid films on potassium bromide pellets with a Bruker Vector 22 spectrometer. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on an Thermo Q Exactive Plus or Agilent 6210 ESI/TOF mass spectrometer. Single-crystal X-ray diffraction data were measured by Bruker D8 Venture. The reactions were monitored by thin-layer chromatography (TLC) using 100–400 mesh silica gel plates (GF254) and were visualized using UV lamp (254 and 365 nm).

**General procedure for the one-pot synthesis of 4a–4w**

The reactions were run with the following steps: Add 0.9 mmol formaldehyde **1**, 0.3 mmol amine **2**, 0.45 mmol hydrazine **3** (If **3** is hydrazine hydrochloride, adding **3** and equivalent of NaHCO<sub>3</sub> into a 25 ml sealed tube containing 2 ml DMSO before other reagents, stirring until no carbon dioxide gas emission and then adding other reagents.), 0.45 mmol iodine and 0.15 mmol H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> to a 25 ml sealed tube containing 2 ml DMSO, and stir in a 140 °C oil bath for 8 hours. Then, take out the sealed tube and cool it to room temperature; extract the reaction solution with saturated sodium thiosulfate aqueous solution and ethyl acetate for three times; collect the organic layer; dry anhydrous sodium sulfate, filter, and remove the solvent to obtain the concentrated solution via a rotary evaporation instrument; The concentrated solution was separated by thin layer chromatography to obtain the target products **4a–w** with petroleum ether: ethyl acetate = 6:1–2:1 as eluent.

### Structure Characteristics of 4a–4w

**2,4-Diphenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4a):** Yellow brown solid, 51% yield, mp=107.5–108.5 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3133, 3062, 2929, 2851, 1696, 1588, 1490, 1388, 1235, 932, 750, 685 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.74 (s, 1H), 8.07–7.86 (m, 2H), 7.83–7.66 (m, 2H), 7.65–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 149.70, 137.51, 136.70, 133.54, 129.38, 129.13, 127.55, 125.50, 122.40, 118.39 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 238.0975; found: 238.0971.

**2-Phenyl-4-(*p*-tolyl)-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4b):** Yellow brown solid, 55% yield, mp=134.4–135.1 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3132, 3067, 2923, 2849, 1692, 1579, 1504, 1382, 1230, 940, 892, 743 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.66 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 149.75, 137.55, 137.09, 136.75, 131.05, 129.75, 129.11, 125.45, 122.33, 118.35, 20.57 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 274.0951; found: 274.0945.

**4-(4-(*tert*-Butyl)phenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4c):** White solid, 49% yield, mp=154.5–155.2 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3136, 3074, 2925, 2860, 1692, 1600, 1506, 1458, 1382, 1228, 833, 749 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.66 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 1.32 (s, 9H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 150.24, 149.81, 137.55, 136.86, 130.98, 129.14, 126.13, 125.47, 122.31, 118.35, 34.41, 31.03 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 316.1420; found: 316.1417.

**4-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4d):** Yellow brown solid, 57% yield, mp=161.1–161.8 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3071, 2923, 2847, 1688, 1453, 1240, 1029, 826, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.63 (s, 1H), 7.95 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.55–7.44 (m, 2H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 158.54, 149.98, 137.61, 137.10, 129.13, 126.33, 125.43, 124.53, 118.30, 114.51, 55.49 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>3</sub>NaO<sub>2</sub> [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 290.0900; found: 290.0898.

**4-(4-Ethoxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4e):** White solid, 56% yield, mp=141.5–142.1 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3145, 3077, 2922, 2858, 1692, 1581, 1509, 1456, 1375, 1242, 1048, 937, 822, 745 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.60 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.08 (q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 157.80, 149.97, 137.61, 137.08, 129.12, 126.19, 125.41, 124.50, 118.29, 114.95, 63.44, 14.56 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 282.1237; found: 282.1234.

**4-(4-Fluorophenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4f):** Yellow brown solid, 45% yield, mp=161.5–162.4 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3128, 3066, 2922, 2855, 1689, 1457, 1233, 833, 741 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.71 (s, 1H), 7.95 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.82–7.70 (m, 2H), 7.56–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 162.13, 159.70, 149.76, 137.49, 136.80, 129.90, 129.87, 129.39, 129.14, 125.52, 125.02, 124.93, 122.40, 118.40, 118.36, 116.31, 116.08 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>FN<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 278.0700; found: 278.0701.

**4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4g):** Light yellow solid, 33% yield, mp=187.2–188.1 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3130, 3065, 2923, 2855, 1689, 1458, 1230, 826, 744 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.76 (s, 1H), 8.02–7.87 (m, 2H), 7.87–7.73 (m, 2H), 7.70–7.57 (m, 2H), 7.57–7.43 (m, 2H), 7.30 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 149.52, 137.41, 136.45, 132.48, 131.77, 129.32, 129.14, 125.57, 123.97, 118.41 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 294.0405; found: 294.0438.

**4-(4-Bromophenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4h):** White solid, 32% yield, mp=201.3–202.2 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3068, 2928, 2855, 1728, 1673, 1593, 1509, 1252, 930, 835, 750 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  = 8.74 (s, 1H), 7.93 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.80–7.70 (m, 4H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.4

Hz, 1H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 149.47, 137.39, 136.37, 132.90, 132.25, 129.13, 125.57, 124.19, 120.07, 118.41 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{BrN}_3\text{O} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 316.0080; found: 316.0073.

**4-(3,4-Dimethylphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4i):** Orange red solid, 52% yield, mp=107.5–108.2 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3144, 3078, 2925, 2858, 1706, 1573, 1497, 1458, 1378, 1232, 954, 753 cm<sup>-1</sup>;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.64 (s, 1H), 7.98–7.90 (m, 2H), 7.49 (t,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 3H), 7.42 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.32–7.24 (m, 2H), 2.27 (d,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 6H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 149.77, 137.57, 137.49, 136.81, 135.89, 131.19, 130.13, 129.12, 125.46, 123.35, 119.81, 118.34, 19.43, 18.94 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 288.1107; found: 288.1105.

**2-Phenyl-4-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4j):** Yellow brown solid, 50% yield, mp=144.7–145.5 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3146, 3078, 2930, 2850, 1707, 1587, 1490, 1367, 1242, 1118, 1006, 847, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.69 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (t,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (t,  $J$  = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 3.83 (s, 6H), 3.70 (s, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 153.17, 149.71, 137.50, 136.96, 136.68, 129.26, 129.14, 125.54, 118.44, 100.70, 60.16, 56.20 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4 [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 350.1111; found: 350.1106.

**4-(Naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4k):** Yellow brown solid, 39% yield, mp=172.4–173.5 °C; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  = 3137, 3070, 2922, 2852, 1690, 1454, 1374, 1234, 858, 743 cm<sup>-1</sup>;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.84 (s, 1H), 8.31 (d,  $J$  = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 8.11 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 8.05–7.94 (m, 4H), 7.91–7.84 (m, 1H), 7.65–7.56 (m, 2H), 7.52 (t,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 149.85, 137.54, 136.84, 132.79, 131.66, 131.09, 129.26, 129.18, 127.92, 127.76, 127.14, 126.67, 125.58, 120.88, 120.29, 118.45 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_3\text{O} [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 288.1131; found: 288.1104.

**4-Benzyl-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4l):** Reddish brown oil, 37% yield;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.38 (s, 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.54–7.16 (m, 8H), 4.89 (s, 2H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  = 151.61, 137.83, 135.60, 134.88, 129.16, 128.95, 128.58, 128.10, 125.54, 118.65, 46.21 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 274.0951; found: 274.0946.

**4-Butyl-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4m):** Reddish brown oil, 34% yield;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.29 (s, 1H), 8.04–7.77 (m, 2H), 7.47 (t,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.75–1.60 (m, 2H), 1.43–1.16 (m, 2H), 0.92 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  = 151.65, 137.90, 135.82, 128.91, 125.43, 118.61, 42.31, 31.12, 19.70, 13.47 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 240.1107; found: 240.1104.

**4-Cyclopropyl-2-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4n):** White solid, 32% yield, mp=120.5–121.4 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.20 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.60–7.36 (m, 2H), 7.33–7.15 (m, 1H), 3.12–2.97 (m, 1H), 1.05–0.88 (m, 4H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  = 152.28, 137.84, 136.19, 128.94, 125.49, 118.70, 24.23, 5.65 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 224.0794; found: 224.0792.

**4-Phenyl-2-(*p*-tolyl)-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4o):** Light yellow solid, 48% yield, mp=156.2–157.1 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 8.69 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (d,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  = 149.66, 138.96, 137.51, 136.69, 133.45, 129.17, 129.10, 128.14, 125.46, 122.78, 119.43, 118.34, 20.91 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 274.0951; found: 274.0945.

**2-(4-Ethylphenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (4p):** Yellow brown solid, 56% yield, mp=111.0–112.0 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  = 7.89 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.51 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 2.68 (q,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.26 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  = 150.20, 141.98, 135.40, 134.46, 133.63, 129.69, 128.39, 127.86, 122.37, 119.19, 28.39, 15.57 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{NaO} [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 288.1107; found: 288.1105.

**2-(4-(*tert*-Butyl)phenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4q**):** Yellow brown solid, 55% yield, mp=152.4–153.2 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 7.90 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.55–7.44 (m, 4H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 1.35 (s, 9H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 150.22, 148.86, 135.10, 134.49, 133.62, 129.68, 127.84, 125.89, 122.35, 118.87, 34.50, 31.33 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 316.1420; found: 316.1418.

**2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4r**):** Yellow brown solid, 46% yield, mp=171.3–172.1 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) δ = 8.74 (s, 1H), 8.02–7.89 (m, 2H), 7.82–7.66 (m, 2H), 7.56 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.49–7.29 (m, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 161.65, 159.21, 150.15, 134.69, 133.45, 129.73, 128.01, 122.38, 120.82, 120.74, 115.88, 115.66 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>FN<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 278.0700; found: 278.0698.

**2-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4s**):** Yellow brown solid, 37% yield, mp=206.3–207.2 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 7.99 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.85 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 150.08, 136.27, 134.90, 133.36, 131.07, 129.76, 129.10, 128.08, 122.42, 120.02 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 294.0405; found: 294.0403.

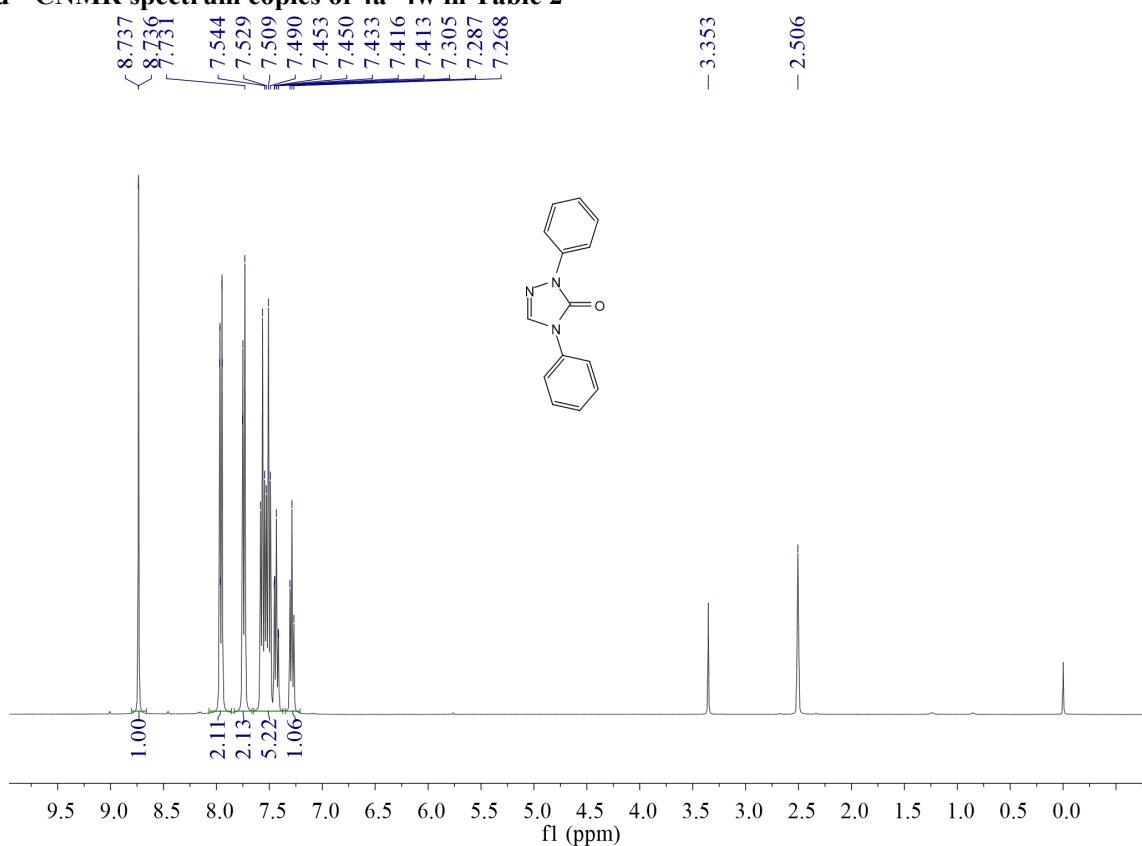
**2-(4-Bromophenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4t**):** Yellow brown solid, 39% yield, mp=213.2–214.0 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 7.94 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.85 (s, 1H), 7.62–7.49 (m, 6H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 150.07, 136.78, 134.94, 133.34, 132.05, 129.76, 128.09, 122.42, 120.30, 118.85 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 337.9899; found: 337.9898.

**2-(3,4-Dimethylphenyl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4u**):** Reddish brown solid, 46% yield, mp=140.2–141.0 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) δ = 8.70 (s, 1H), 7.78–7.69 (m, 3H), 7.68–7.62 (m, 1H), 7.56 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 2.32–2.18 (m, 6H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 150.17, 137.38, 135.44, 134.35, 134.33, 133.66, 130.04, 129.67, 127.82, 122.32, 120.32, 116.66, 19.98, 19.30 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>15</sub>N<sub>3</sub>NaO [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 288.1107; found: 288.1105.

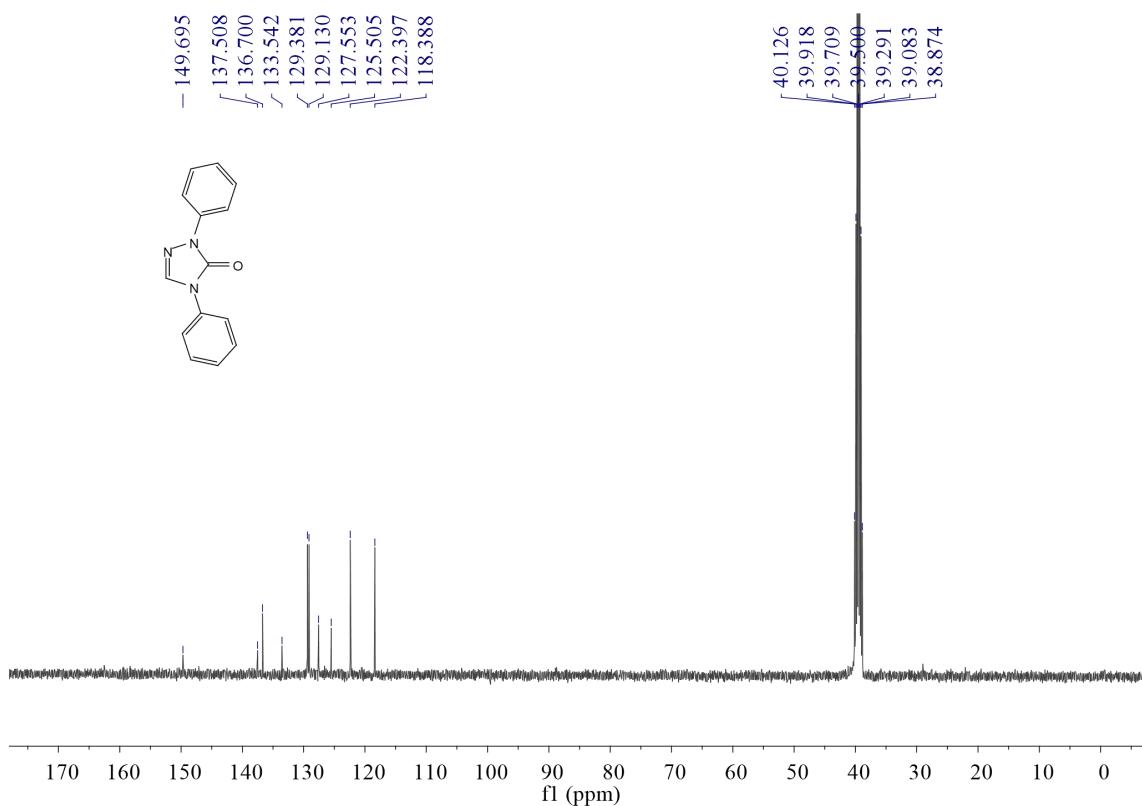
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**2-(Naphthalen-2-yl)-4-phenyl-2,4-dihydro-3*H*-1,2,4-triazol-3-one (**4w**):** White solid, 47% yield, mp=147.5–148.2 °C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 8.54 (s, 1H), 8.19 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz, 1H), 7.95–7.84 (m, 4H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.56–7.39 (m, 5H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ = 150.35, 134.75, 133.43, 131.34, 129.72, 128.98, 128.16, 127.96, 127.65, 126.63, 125.71, 122.39, 118.17, 116.33 ppm. HRMS (ESI) calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 288.1131; found: 288.1124.

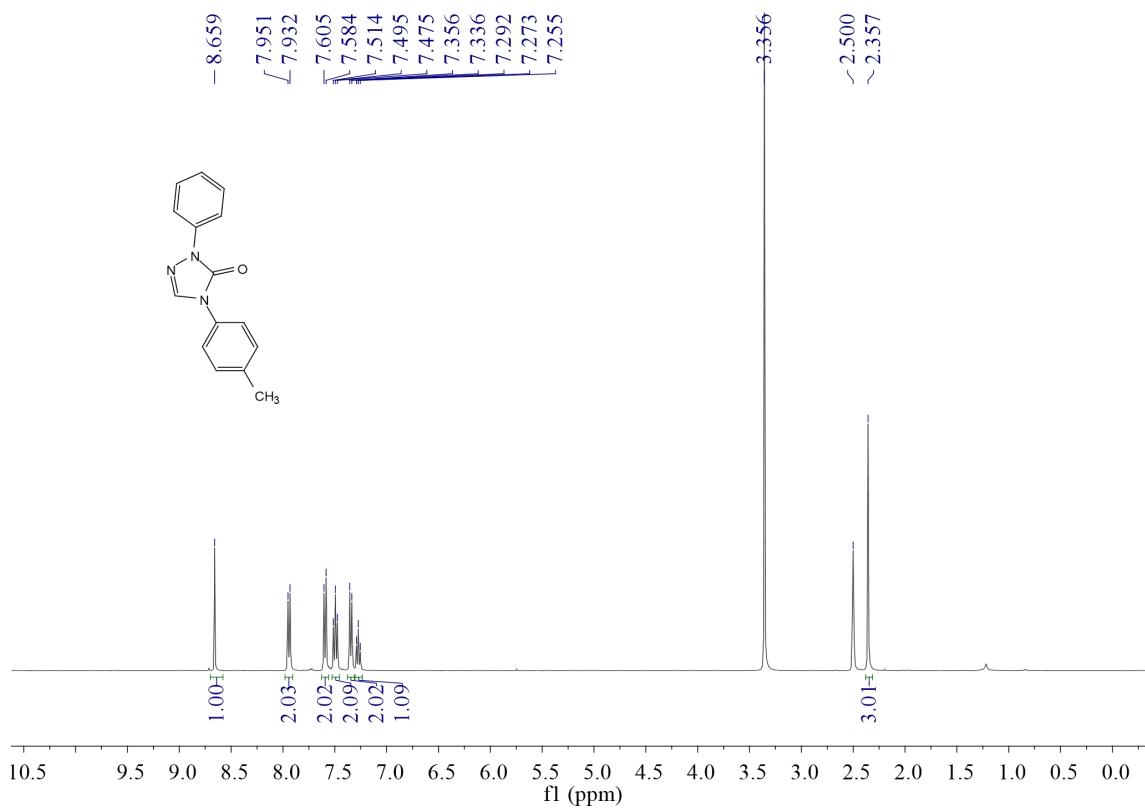
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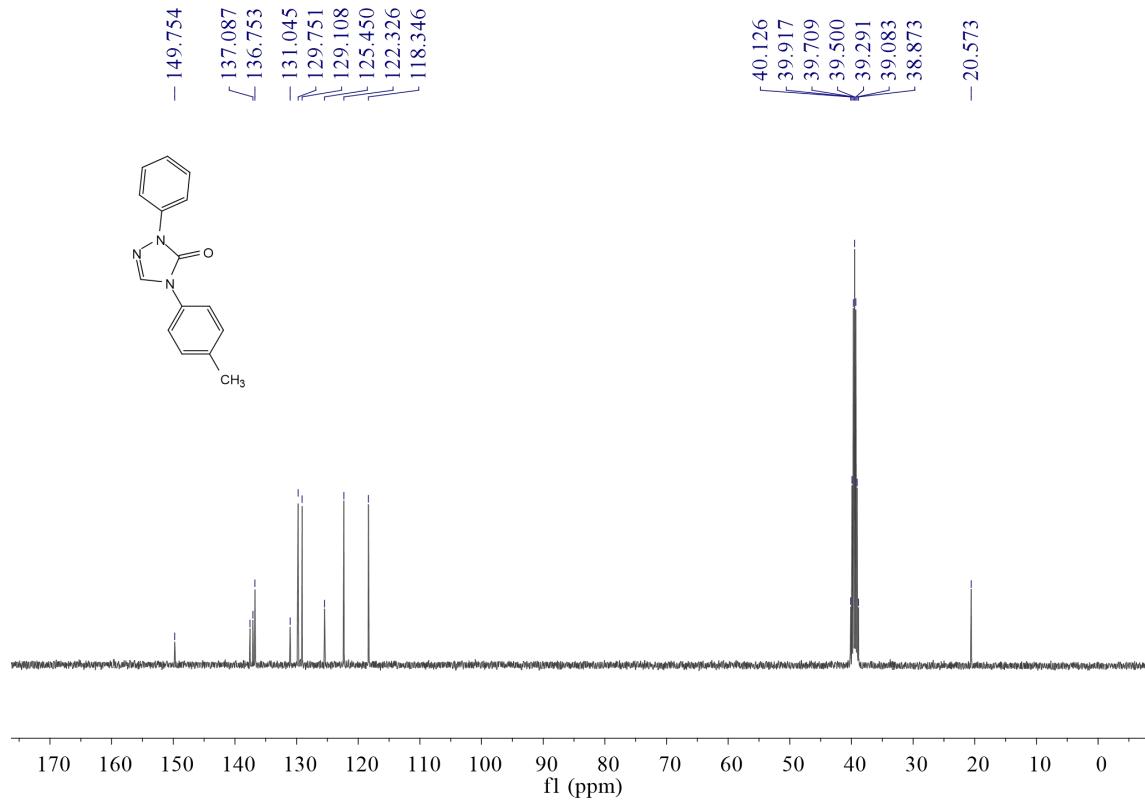
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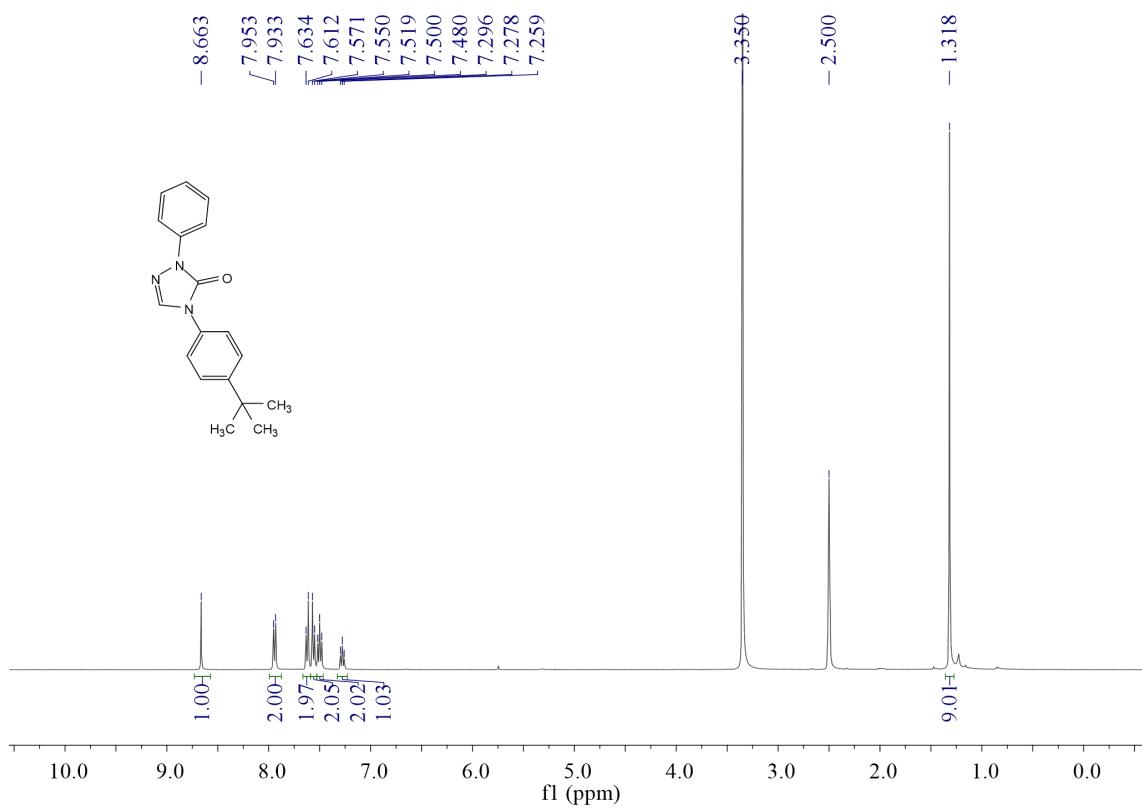
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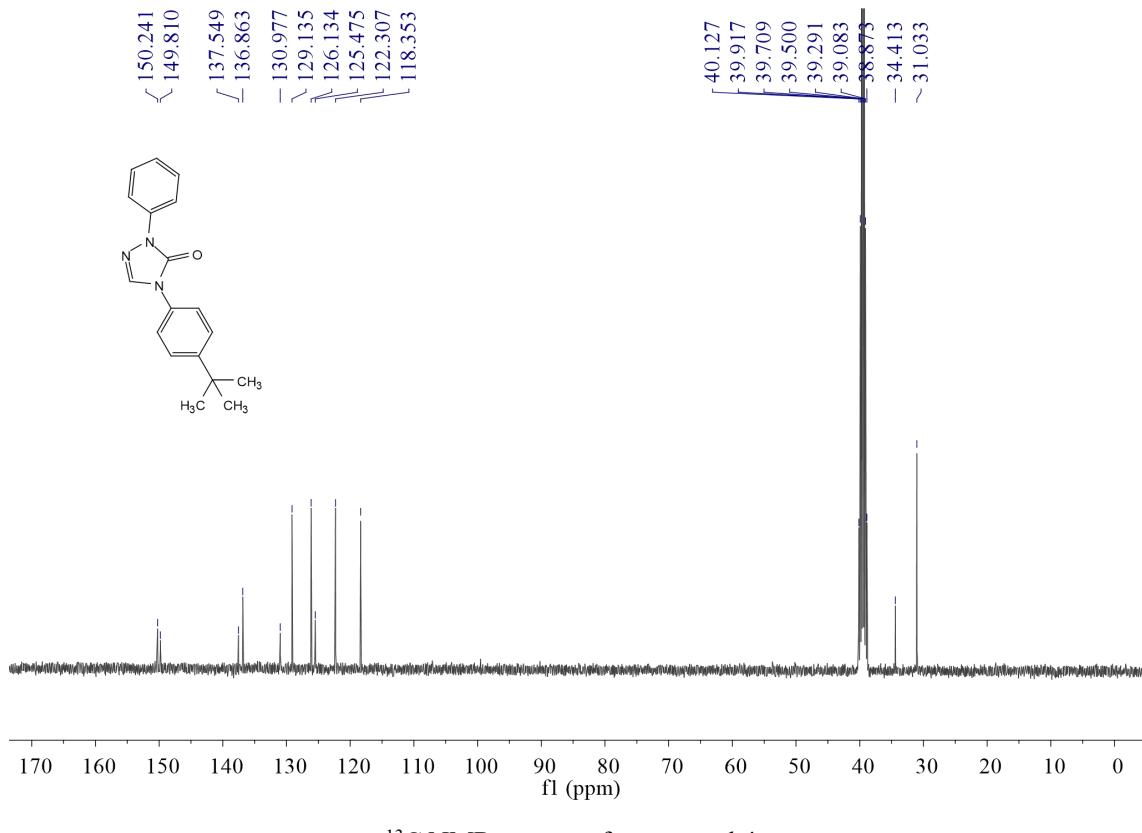
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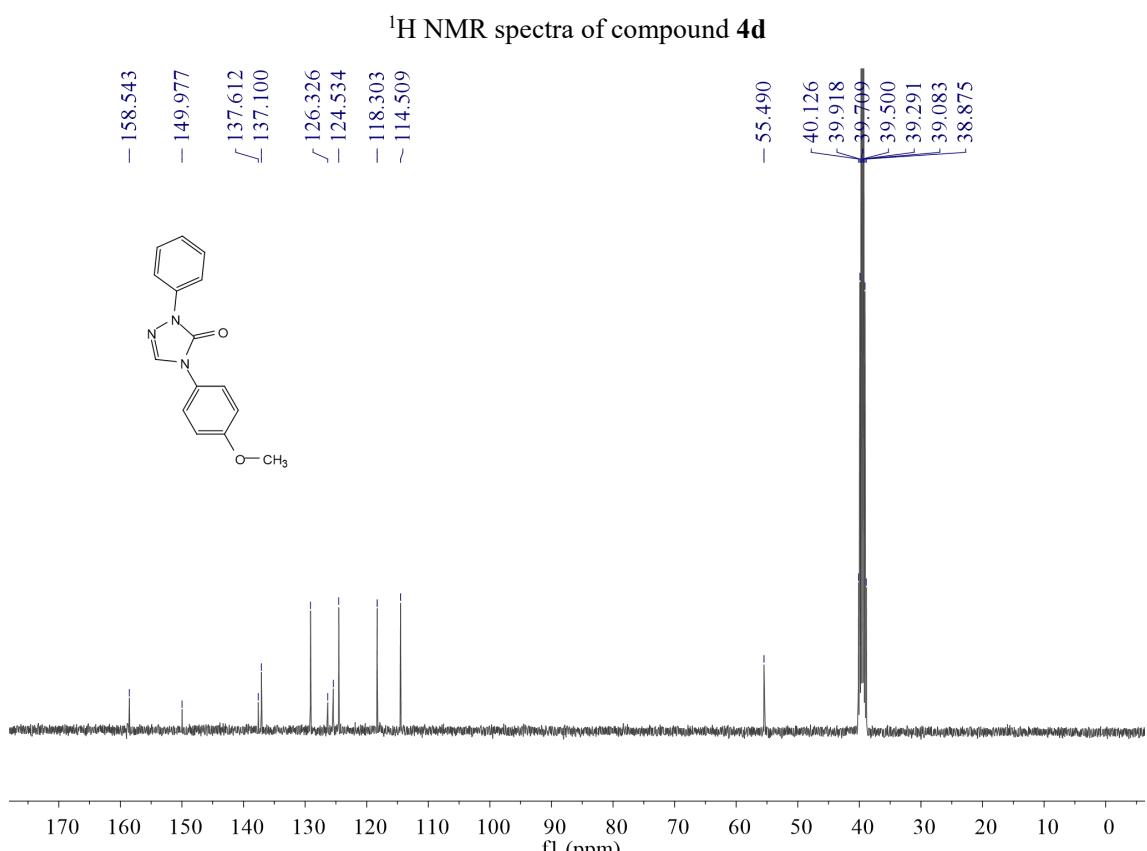
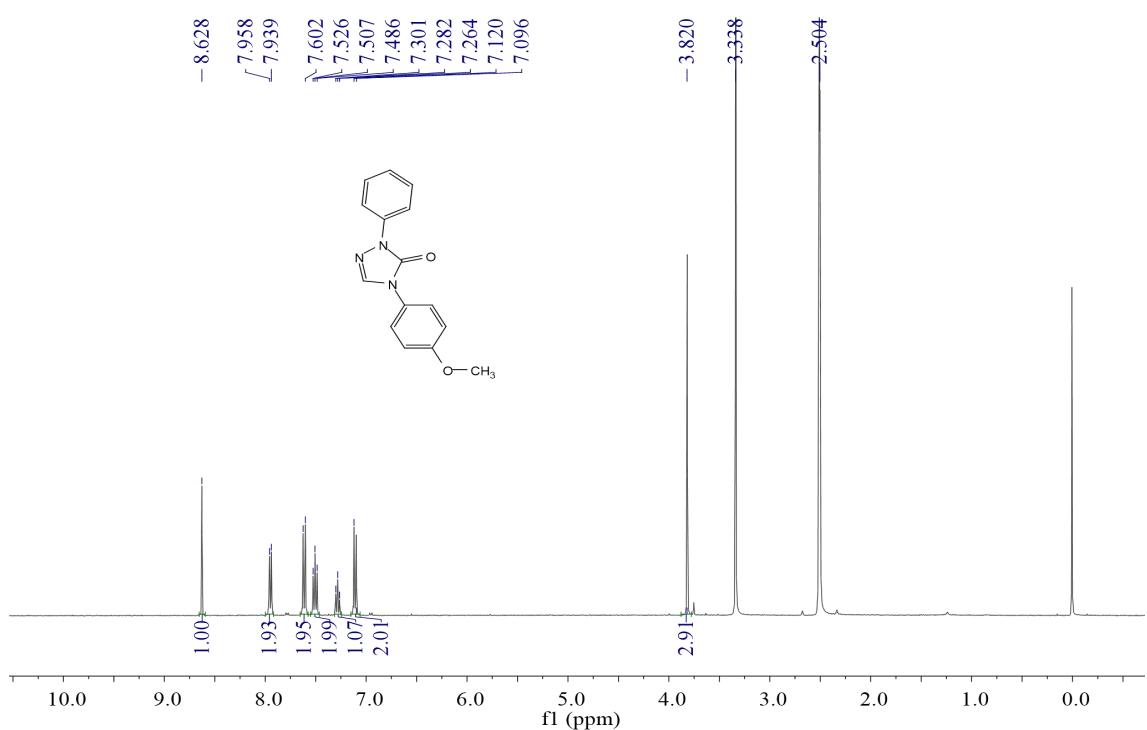
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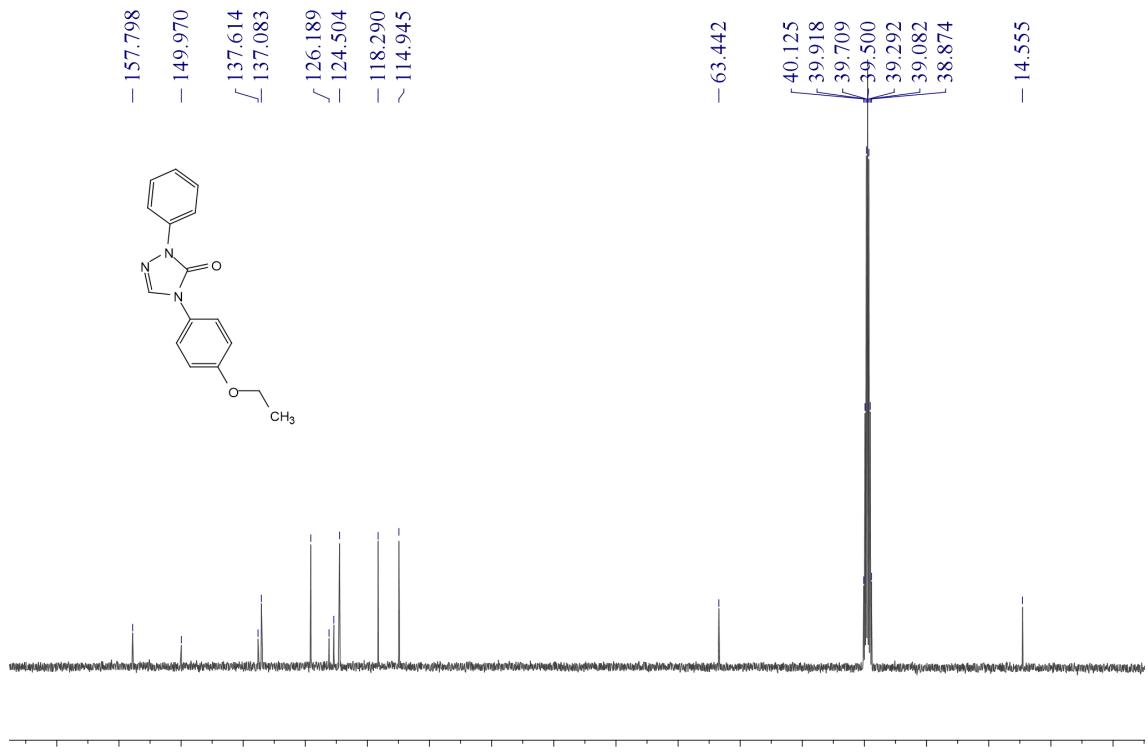
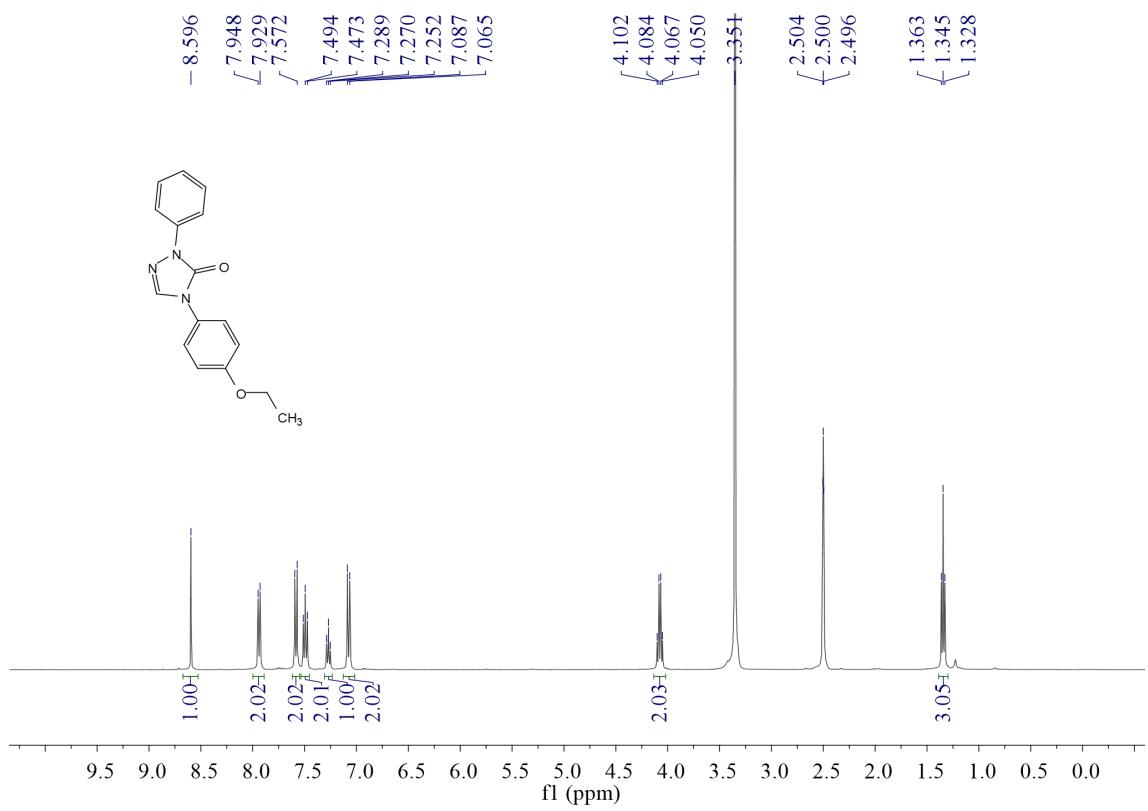


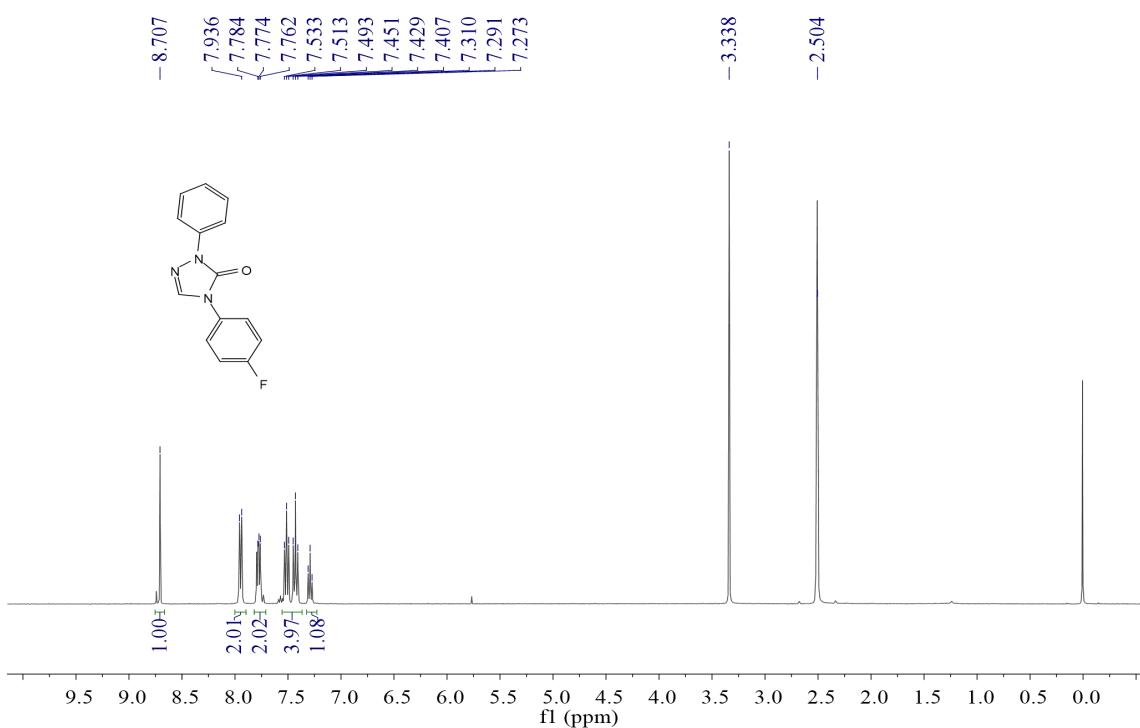
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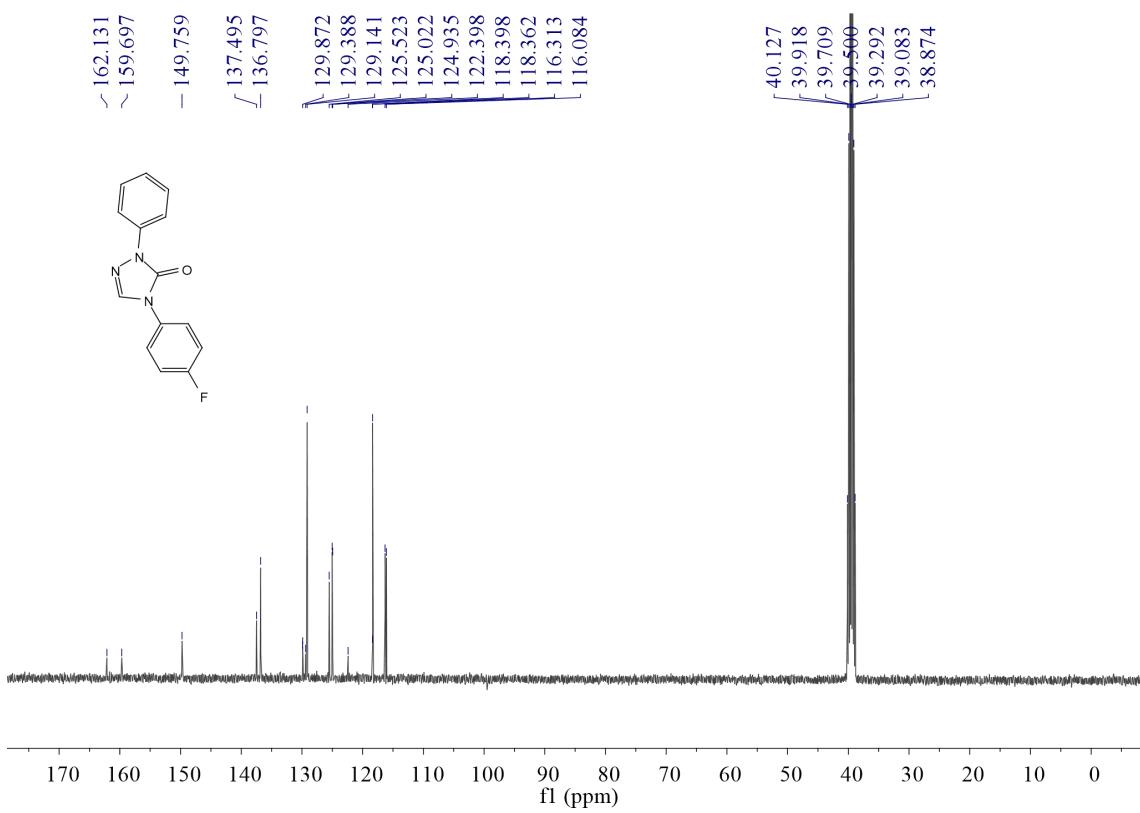
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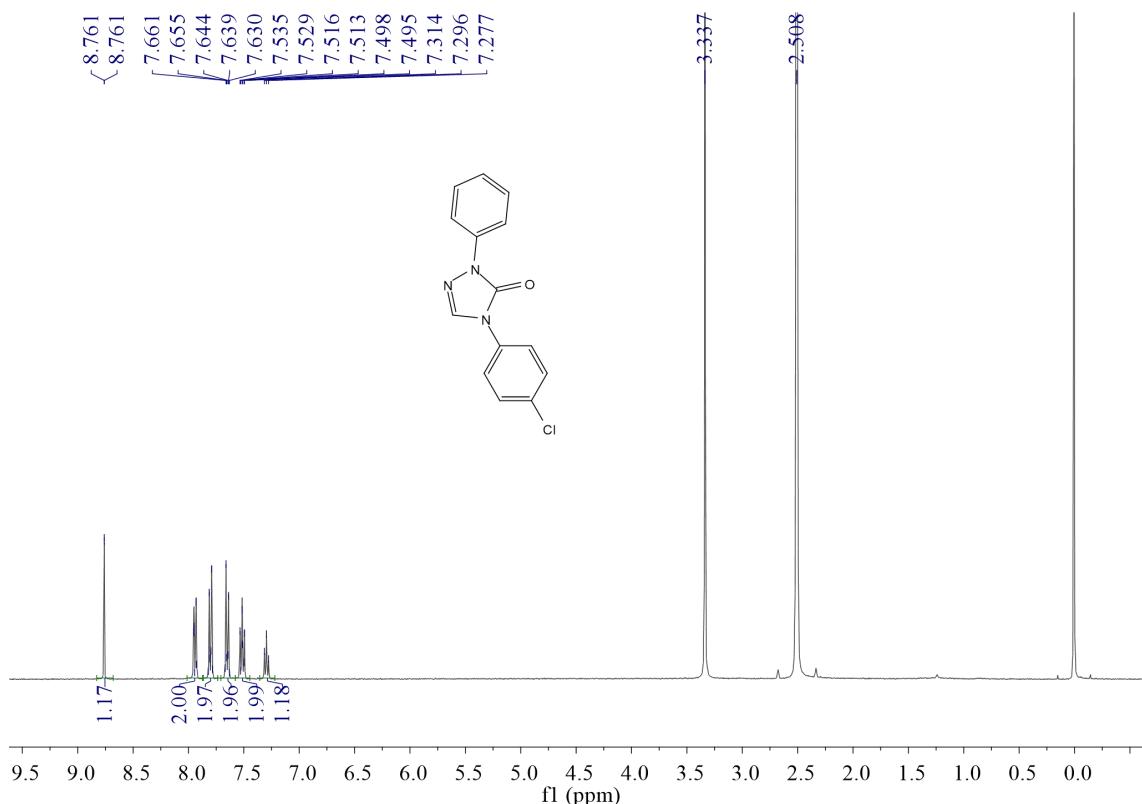




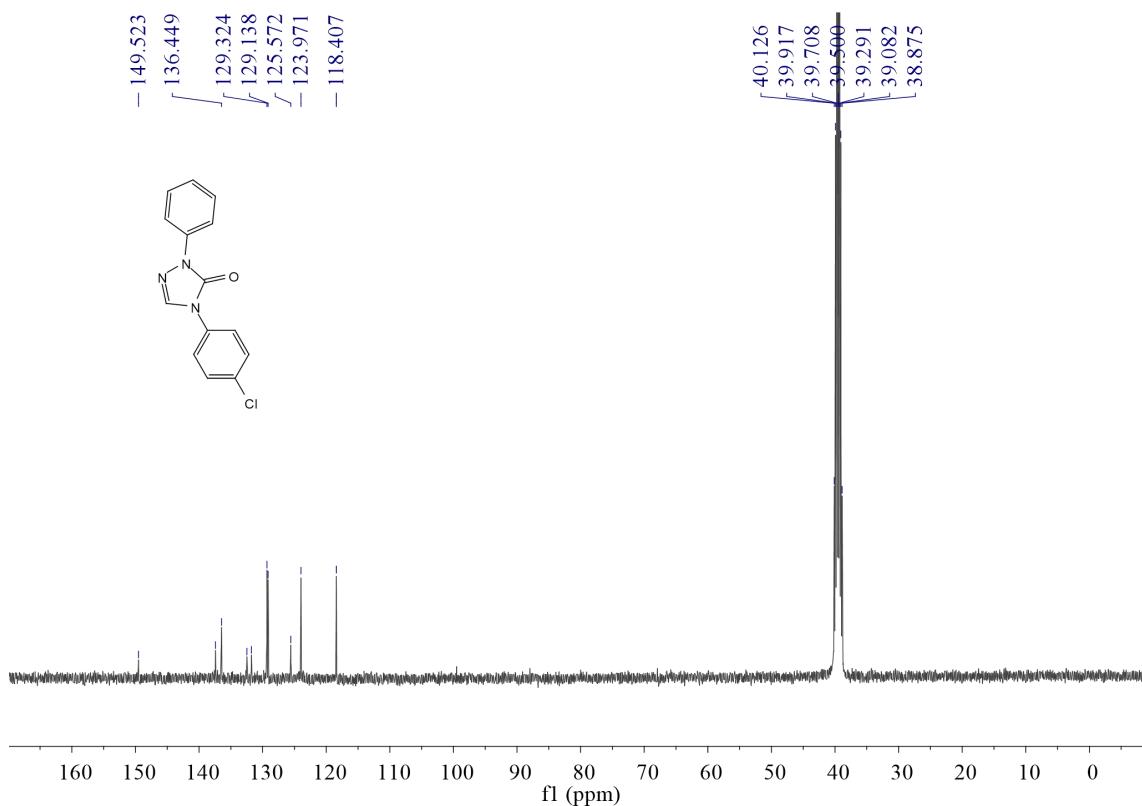
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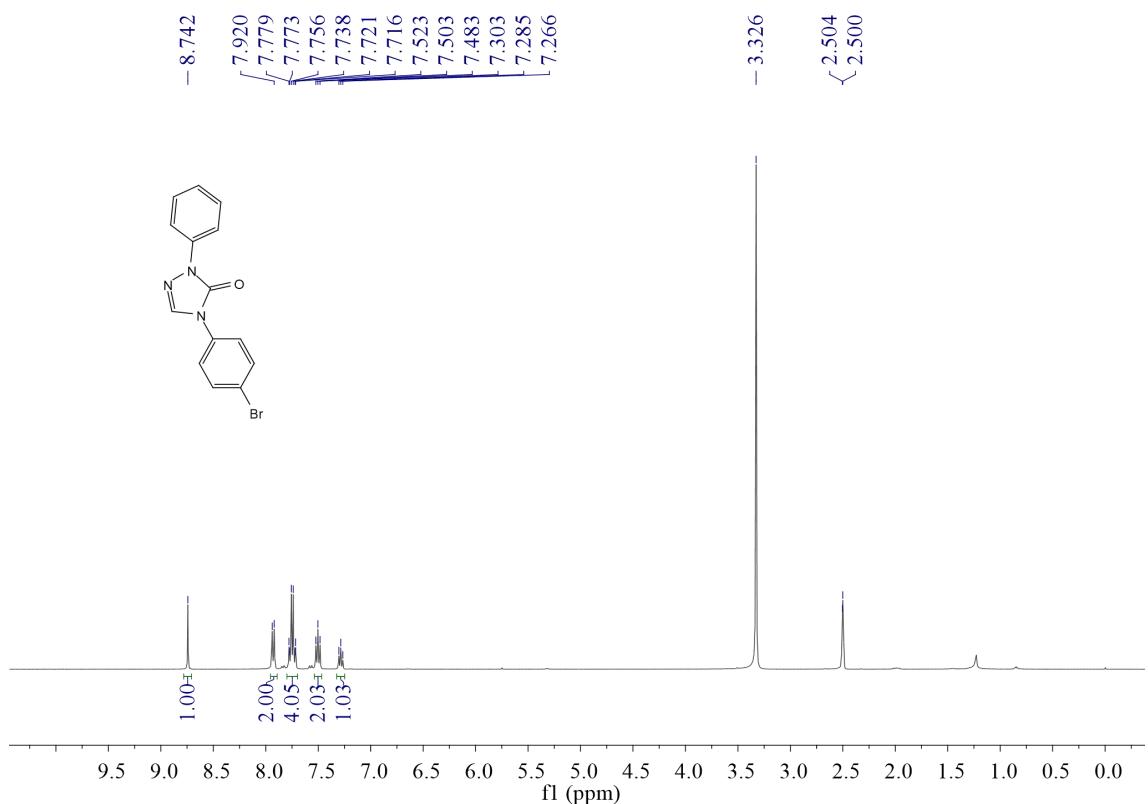
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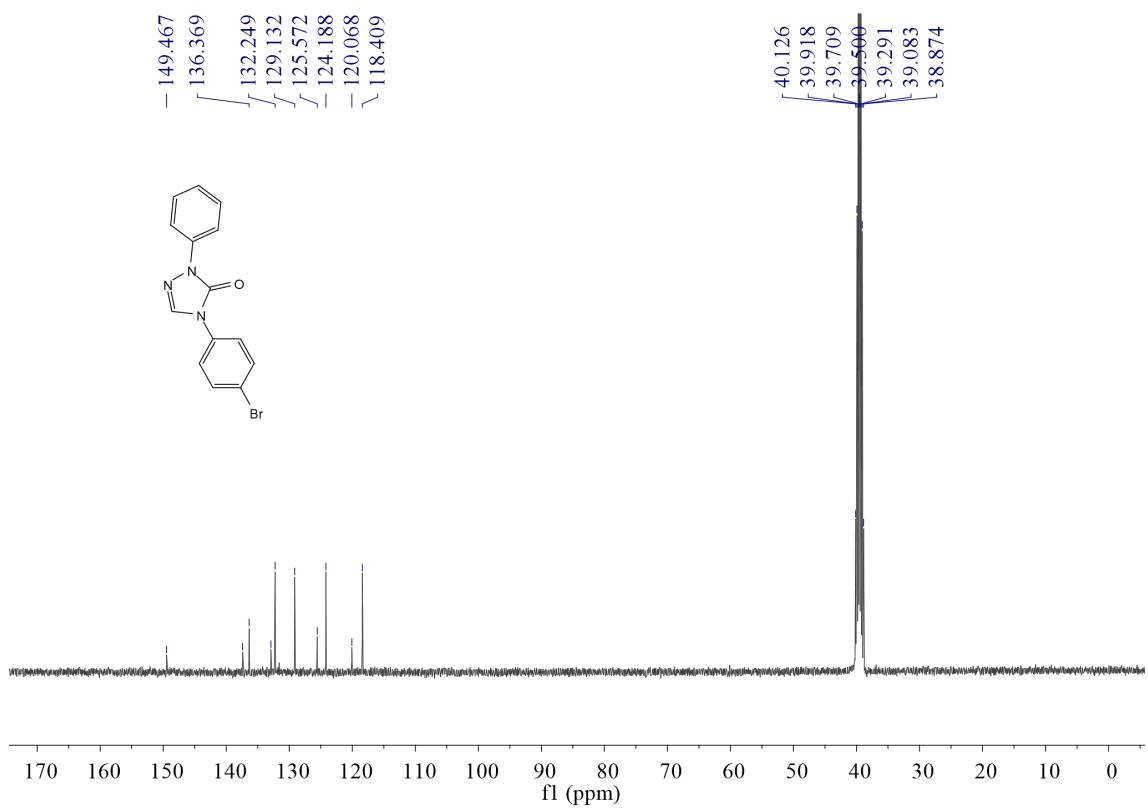
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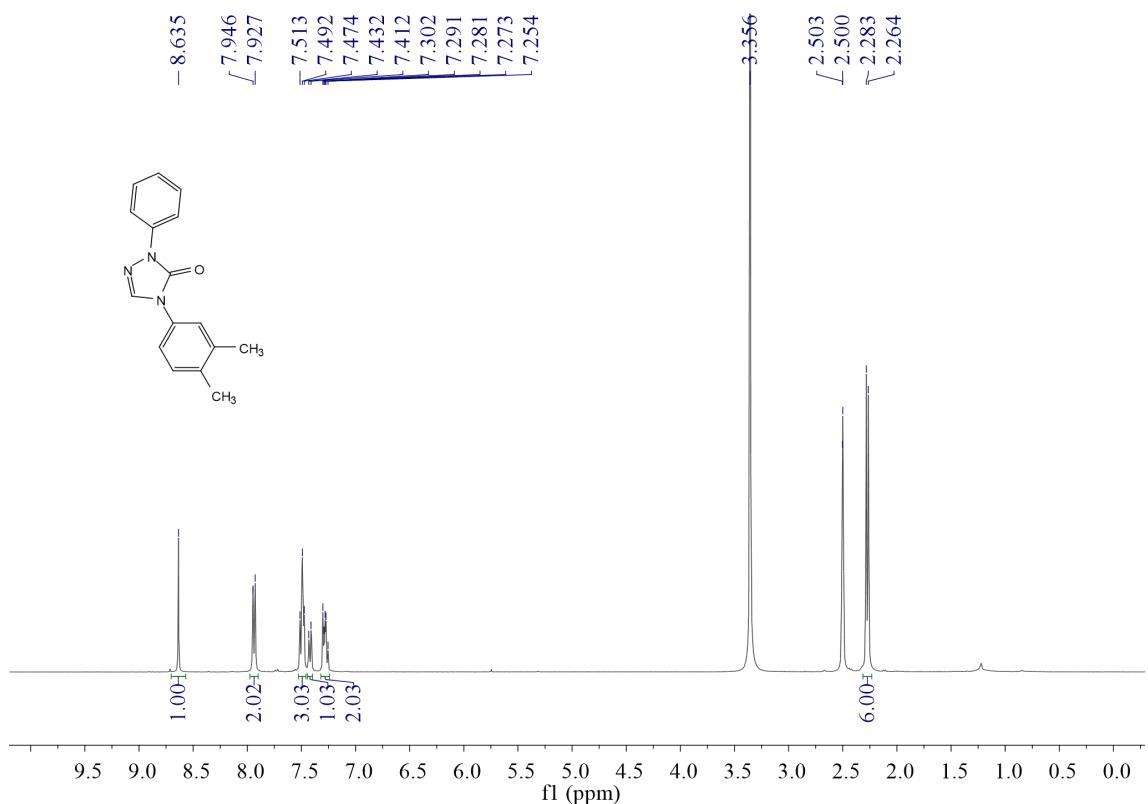
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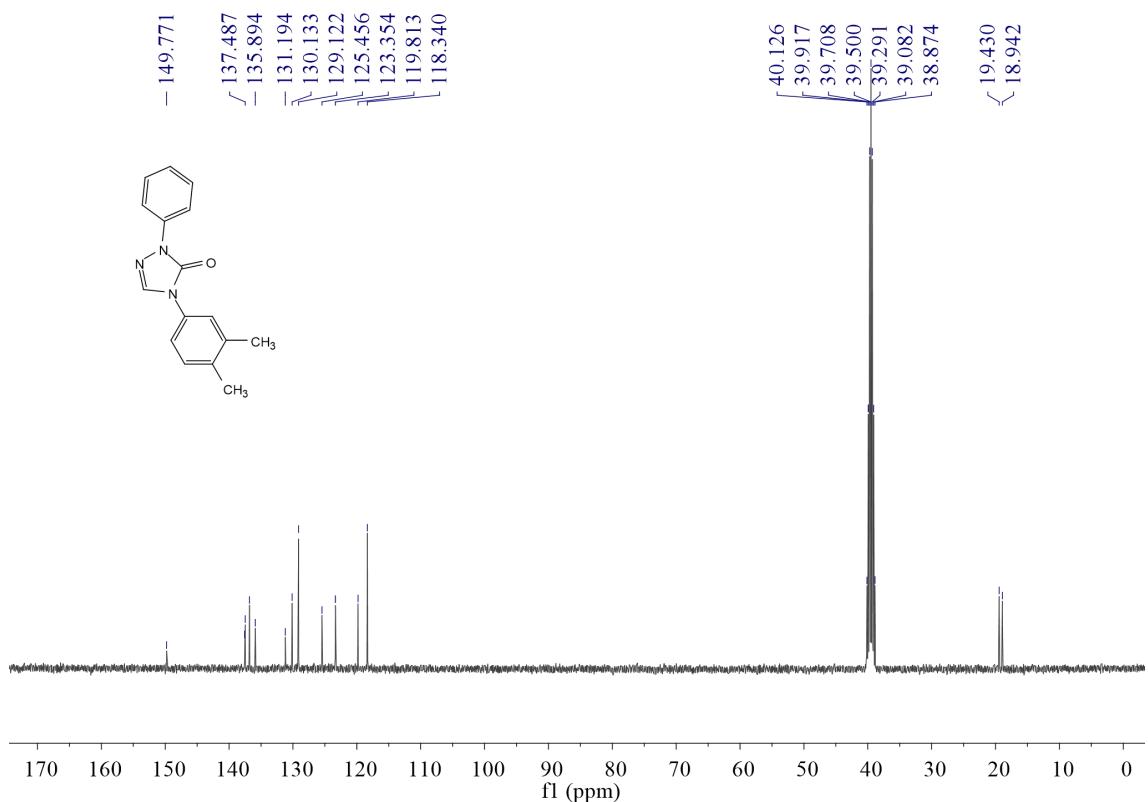
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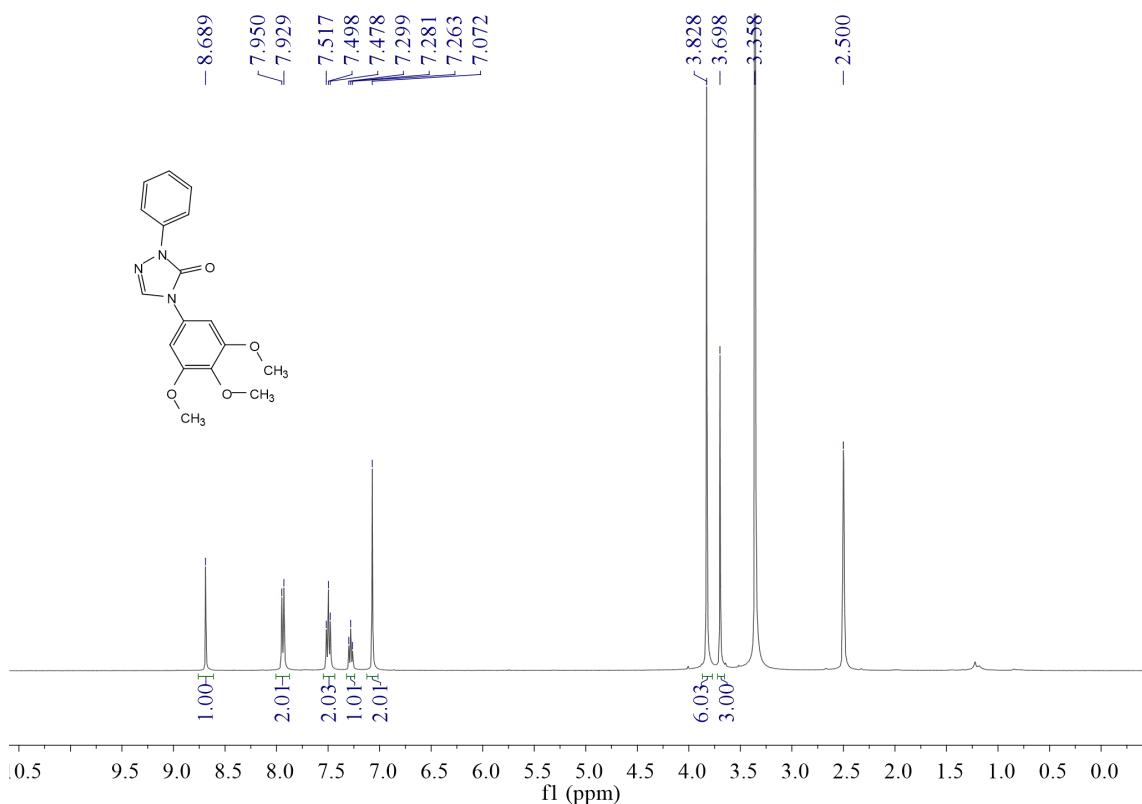
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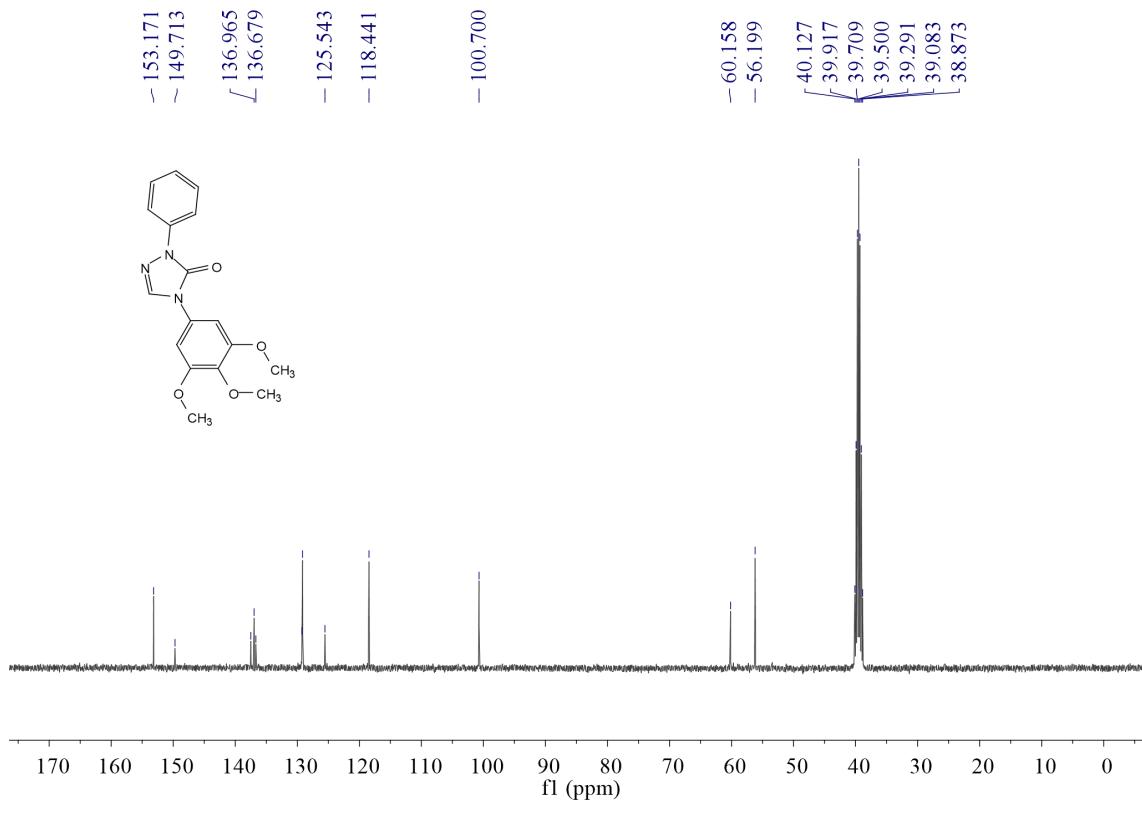
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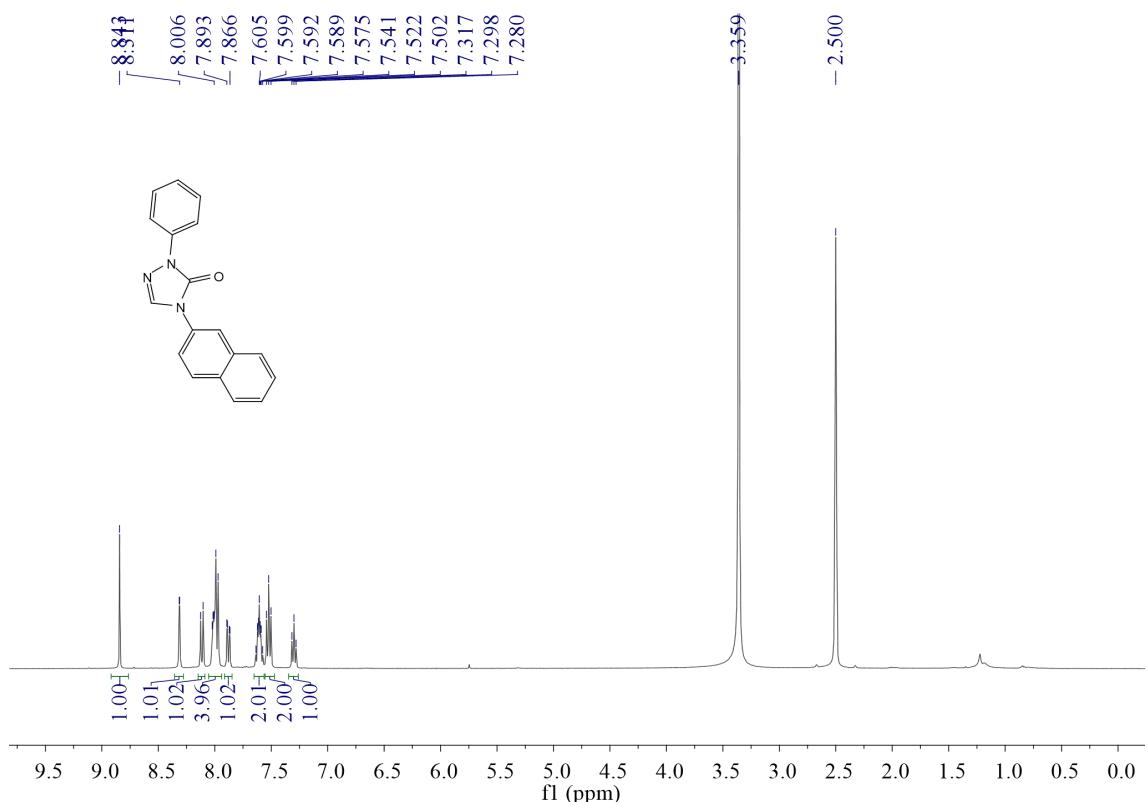
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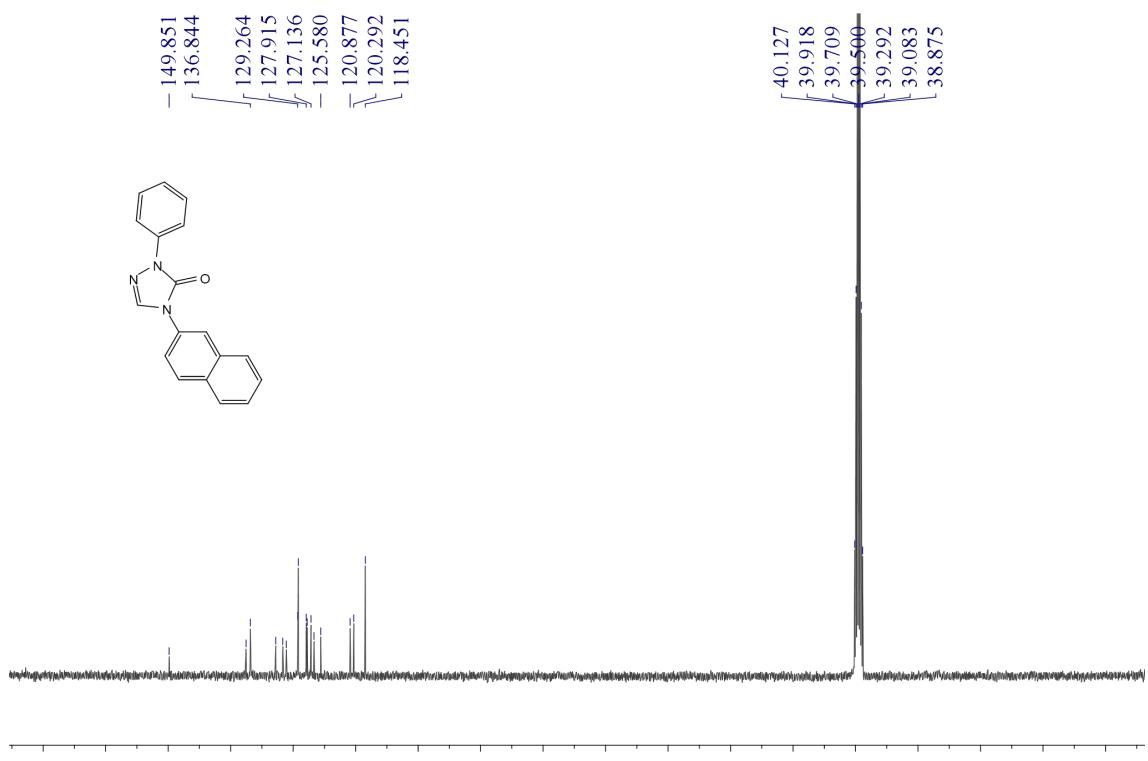
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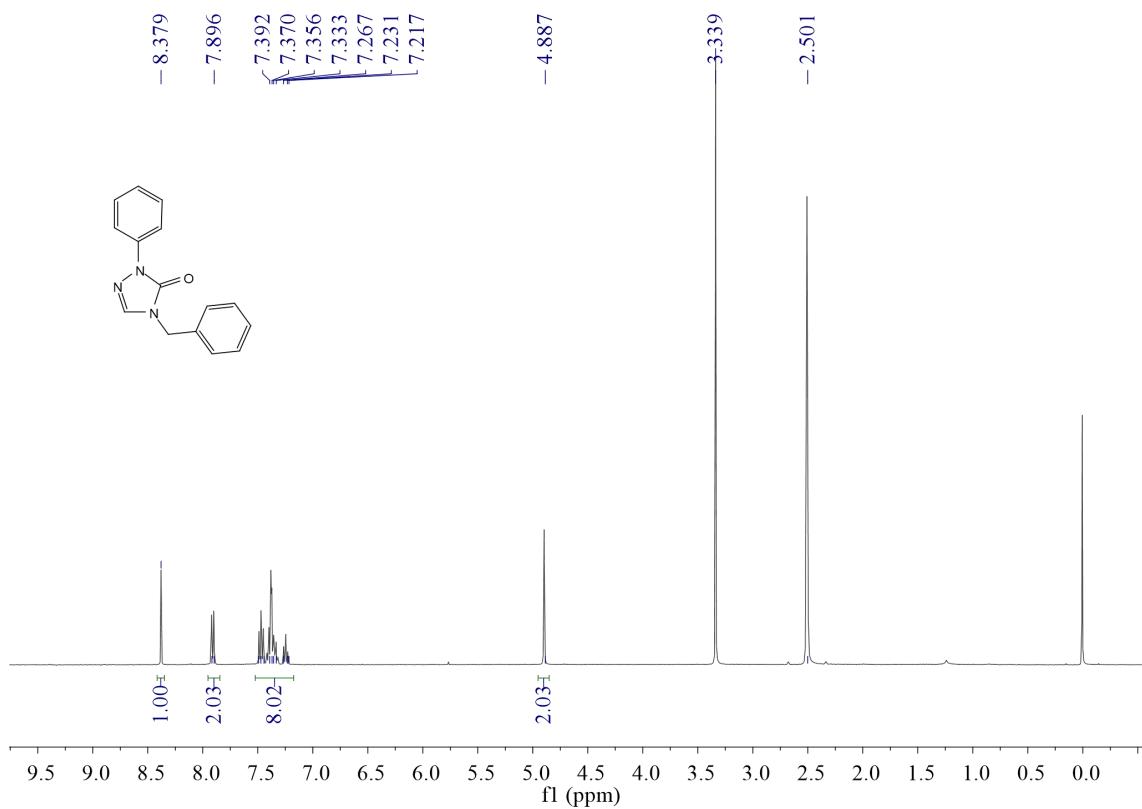
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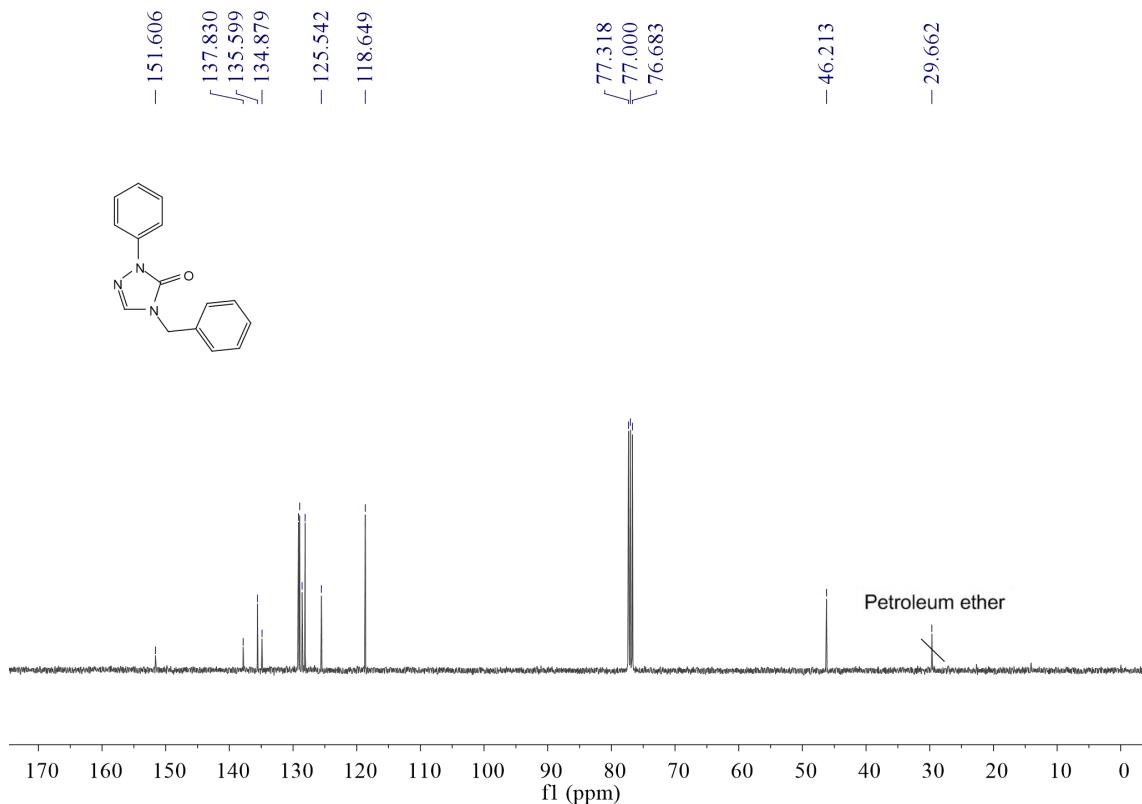
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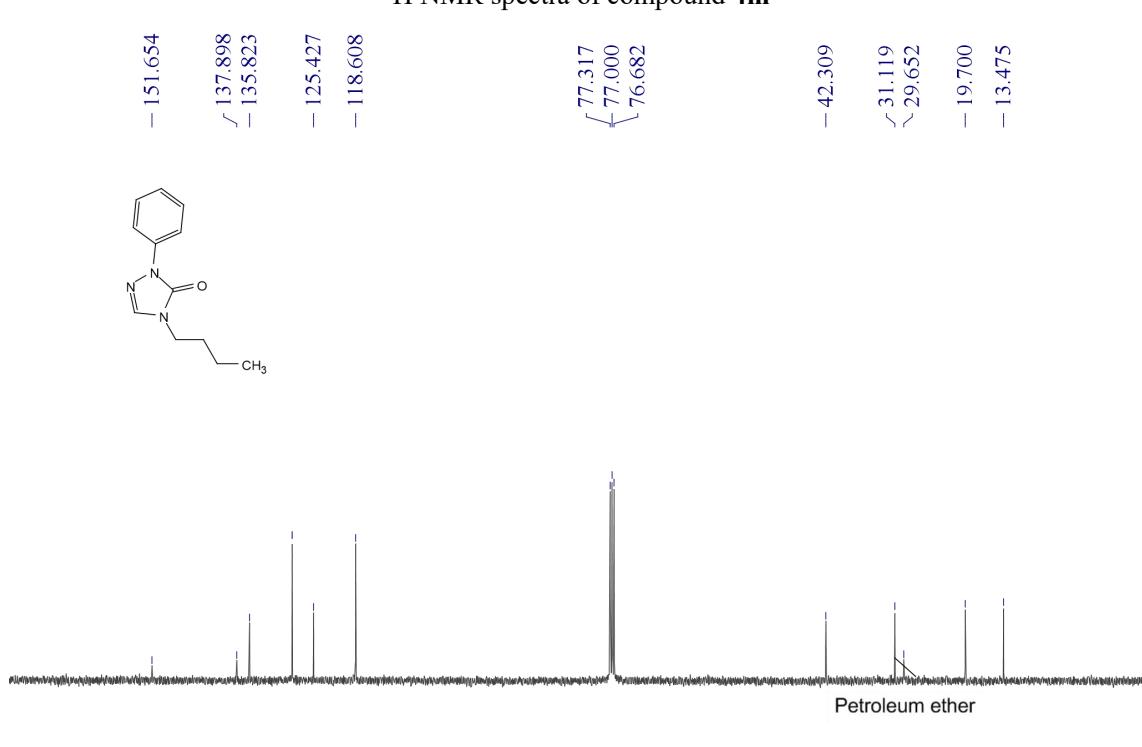
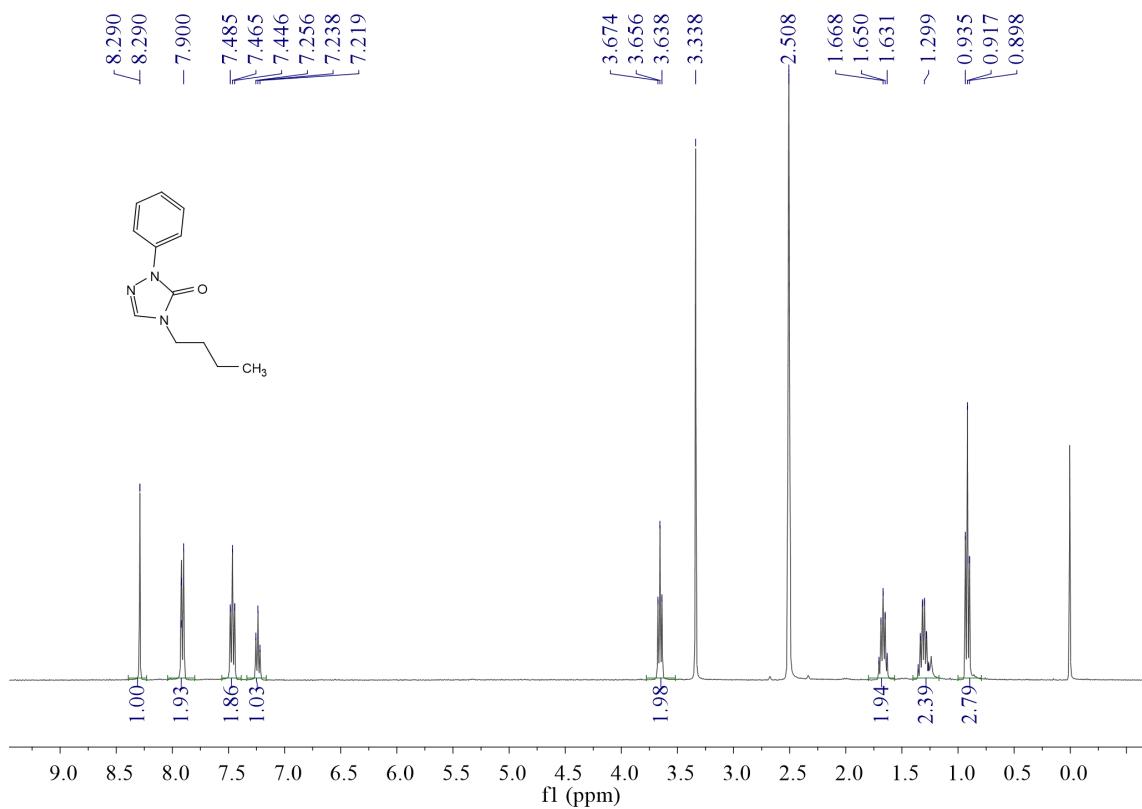
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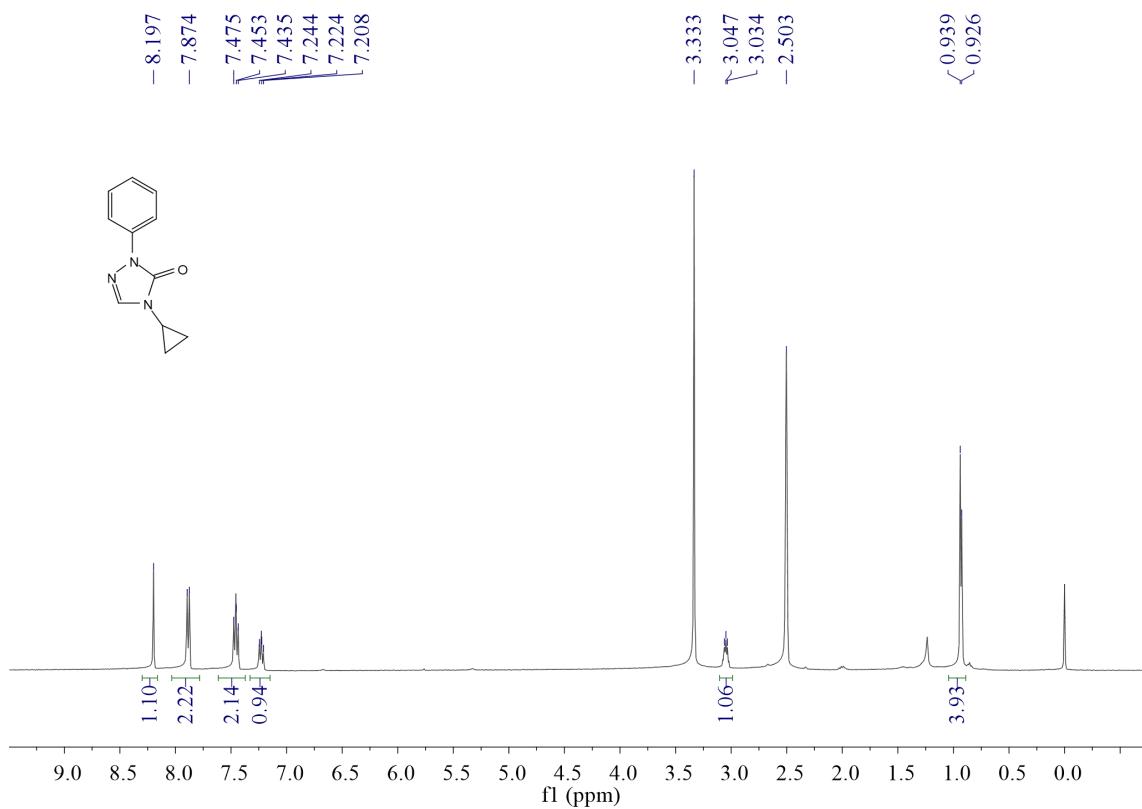


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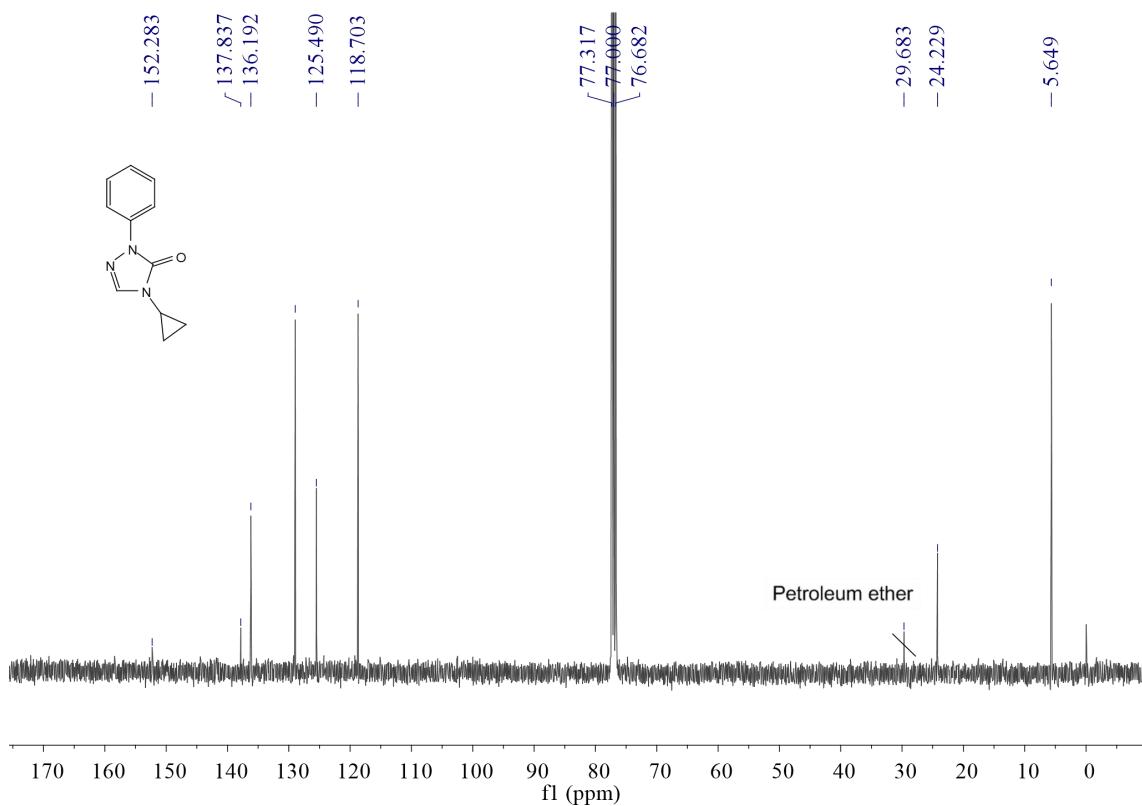


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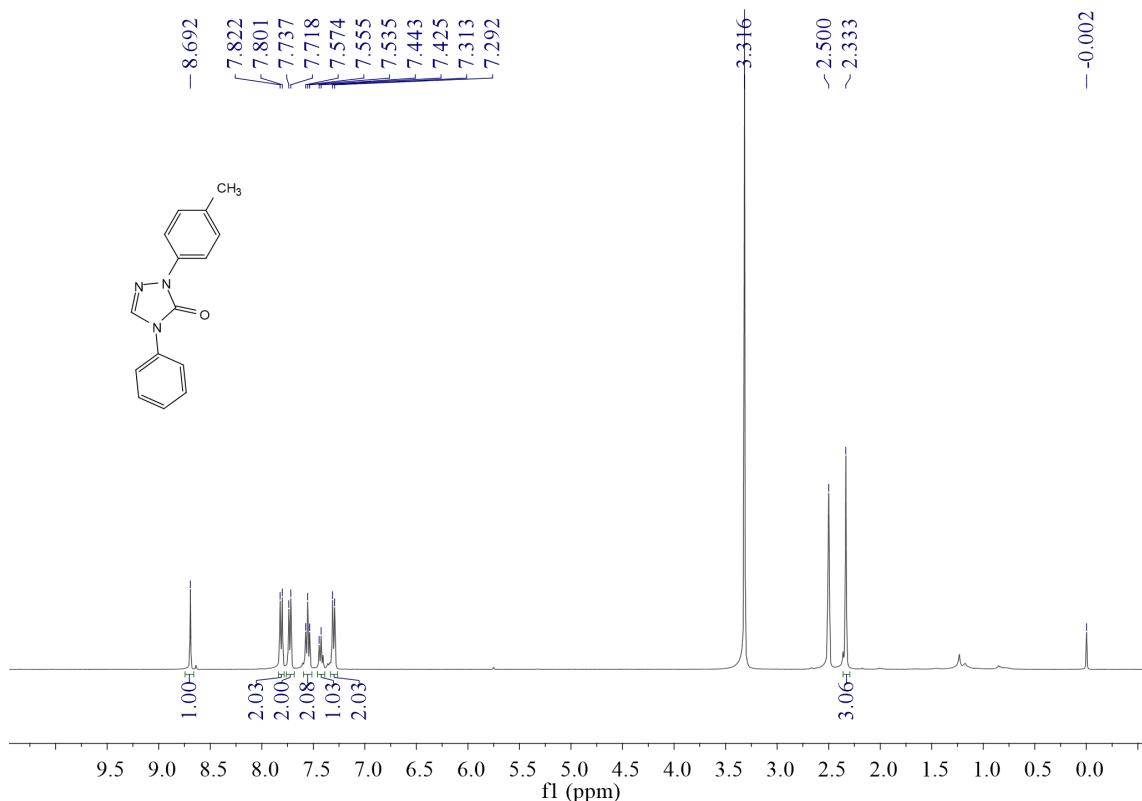




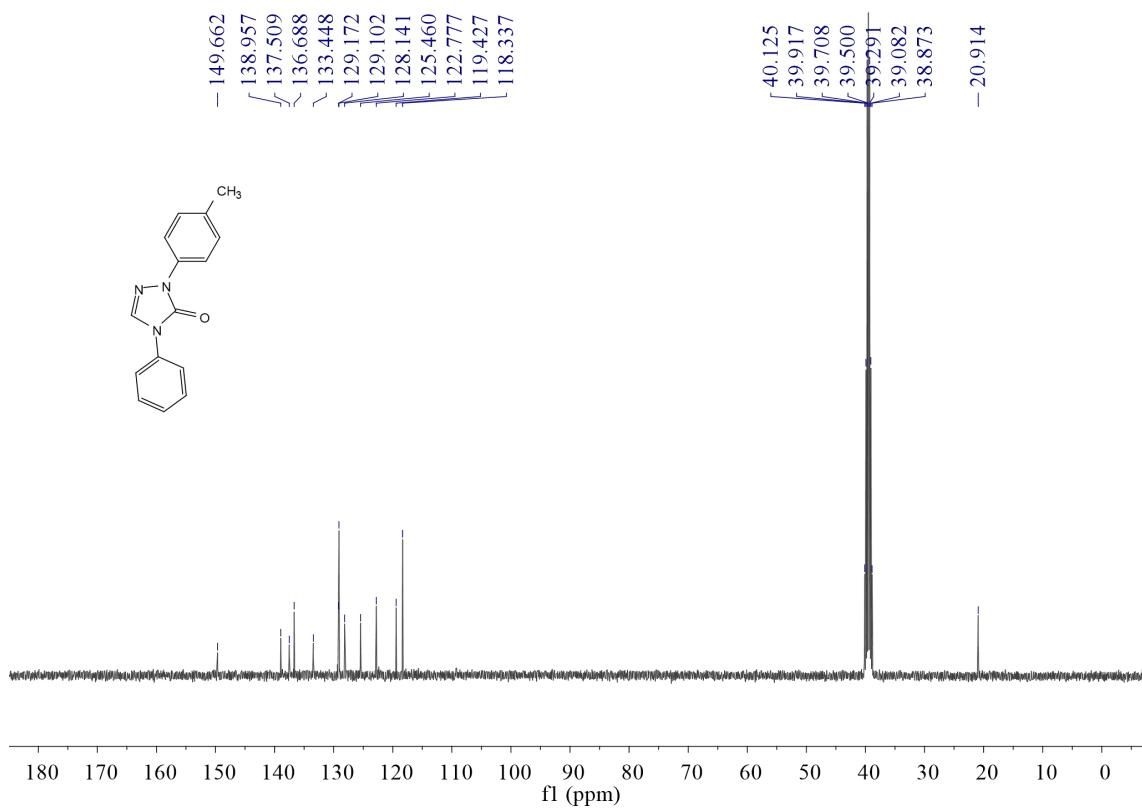
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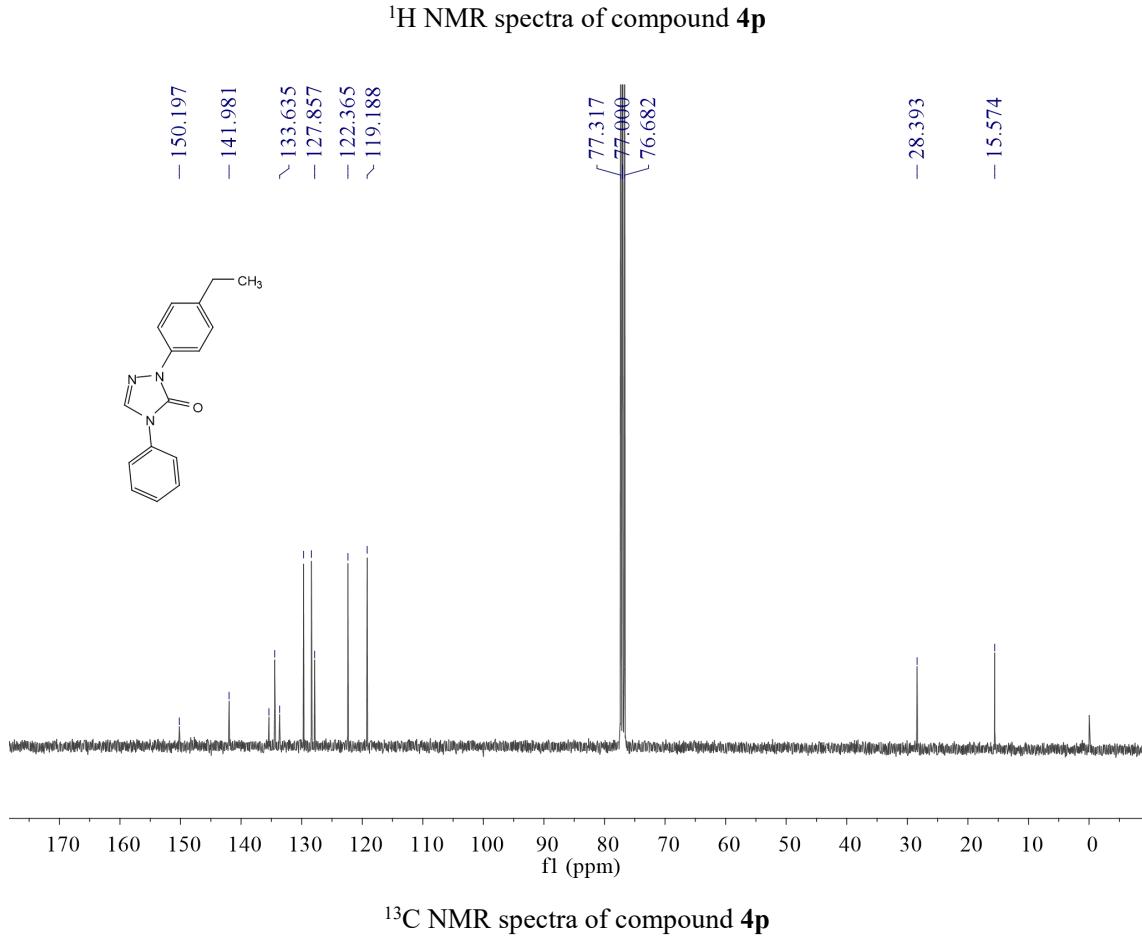
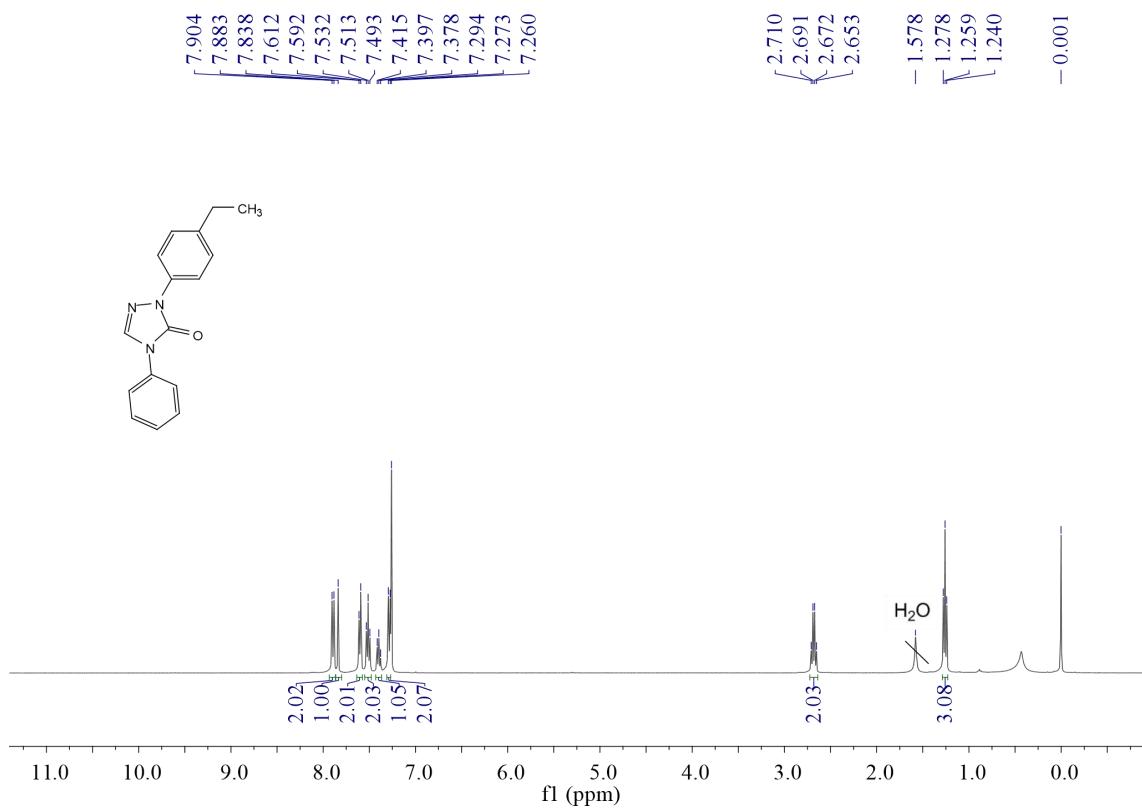
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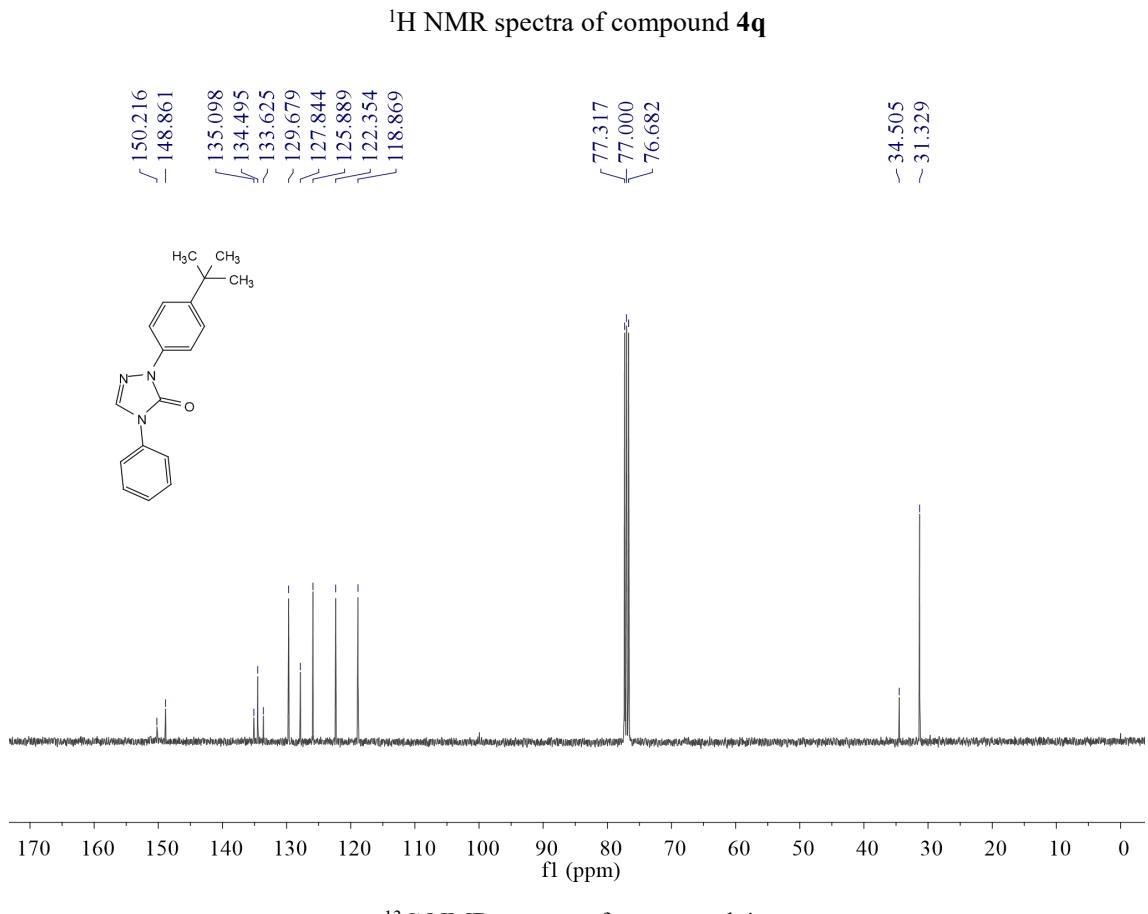
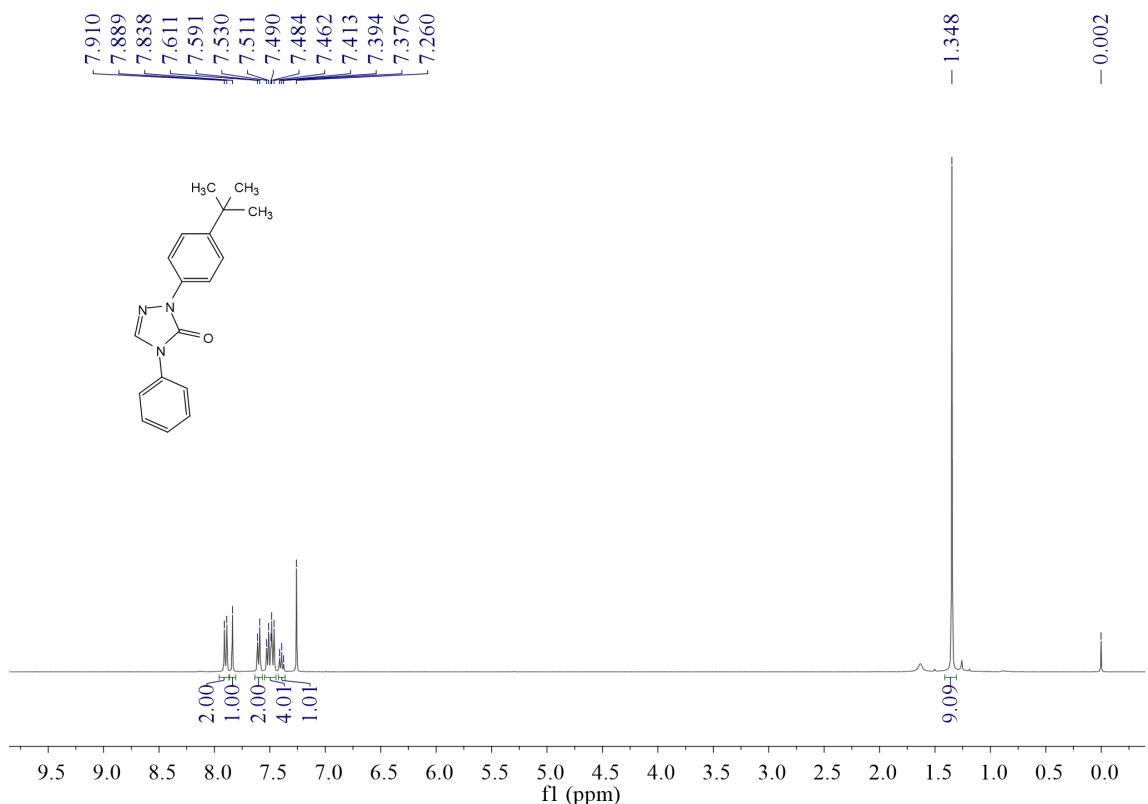


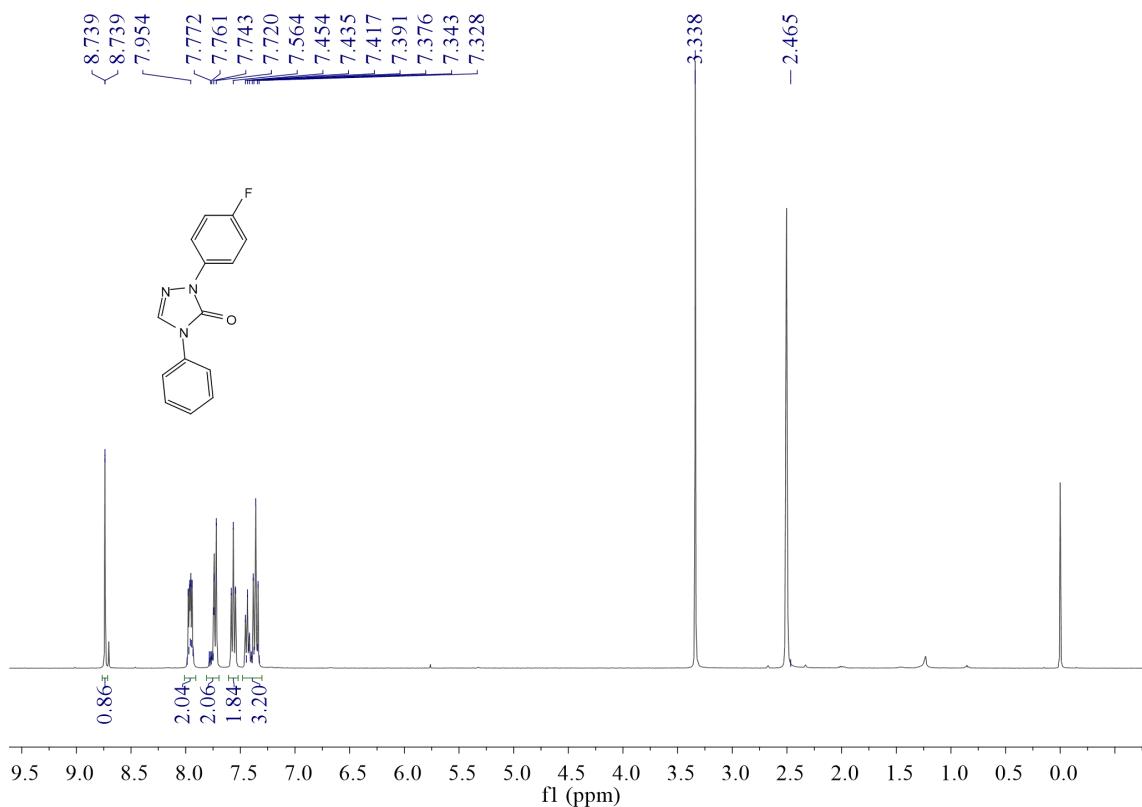
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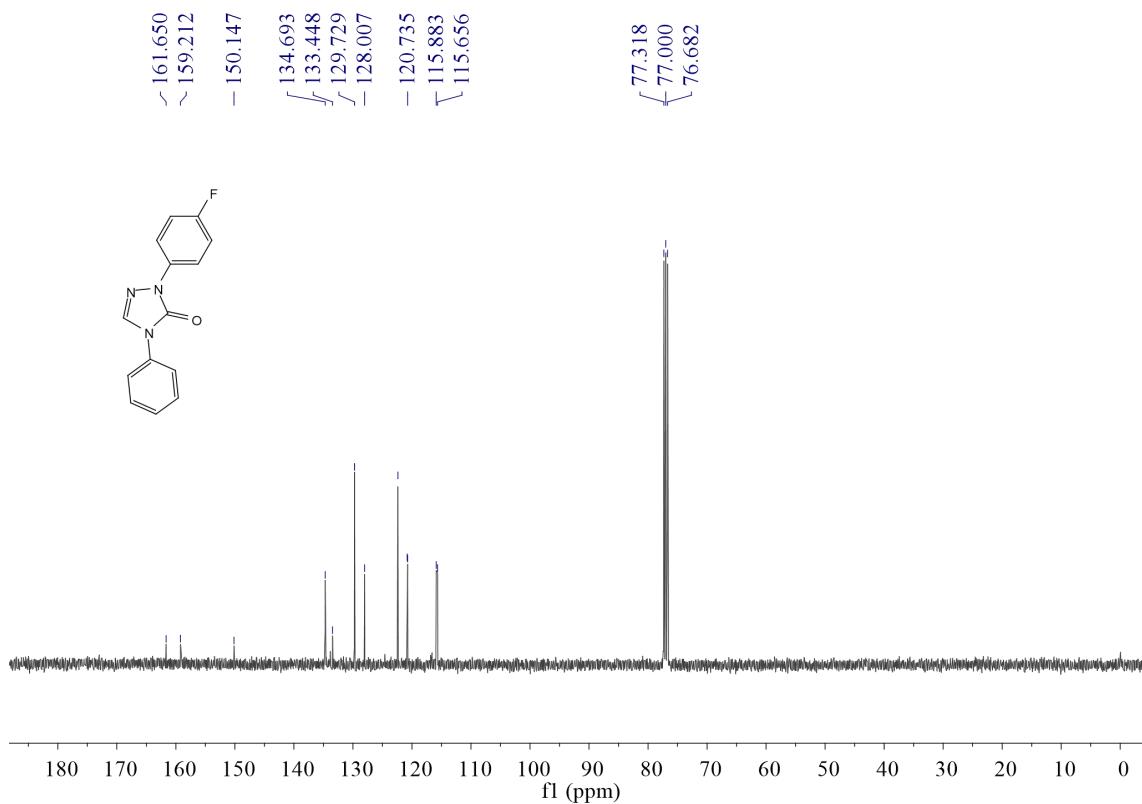
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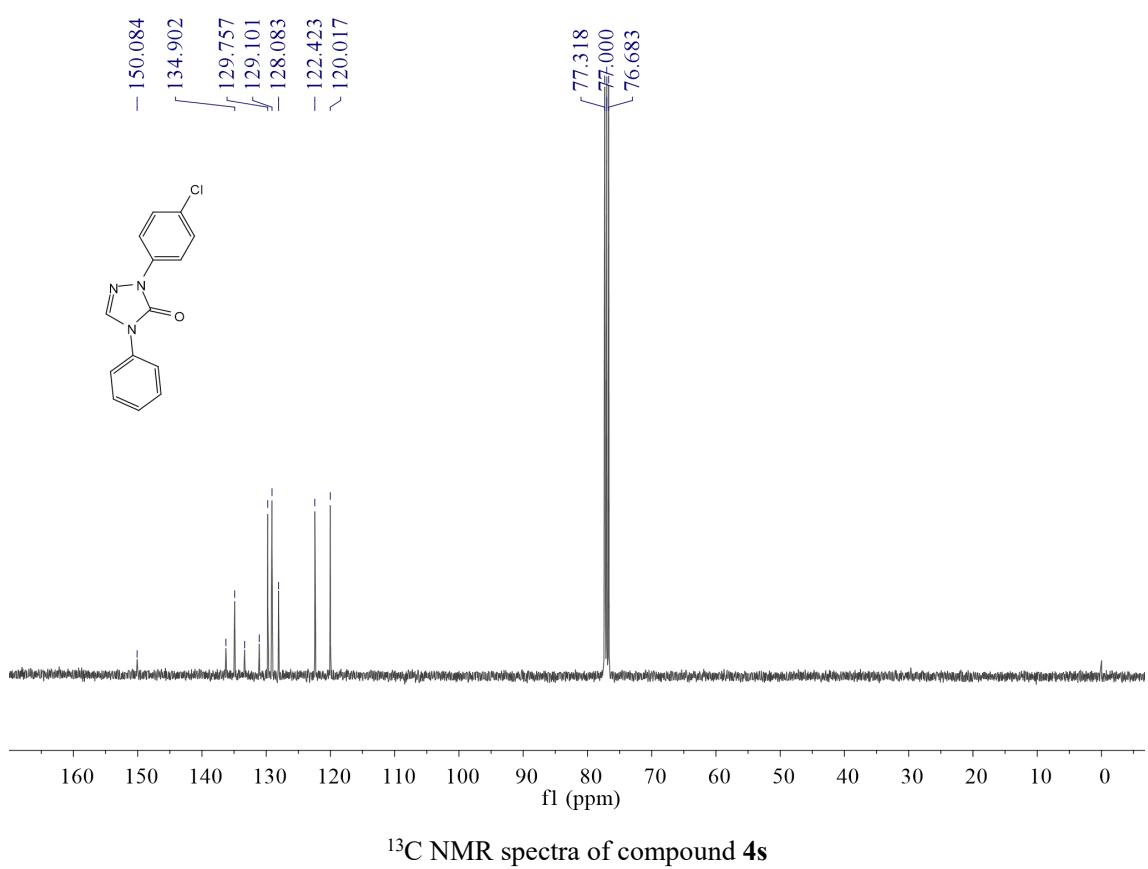
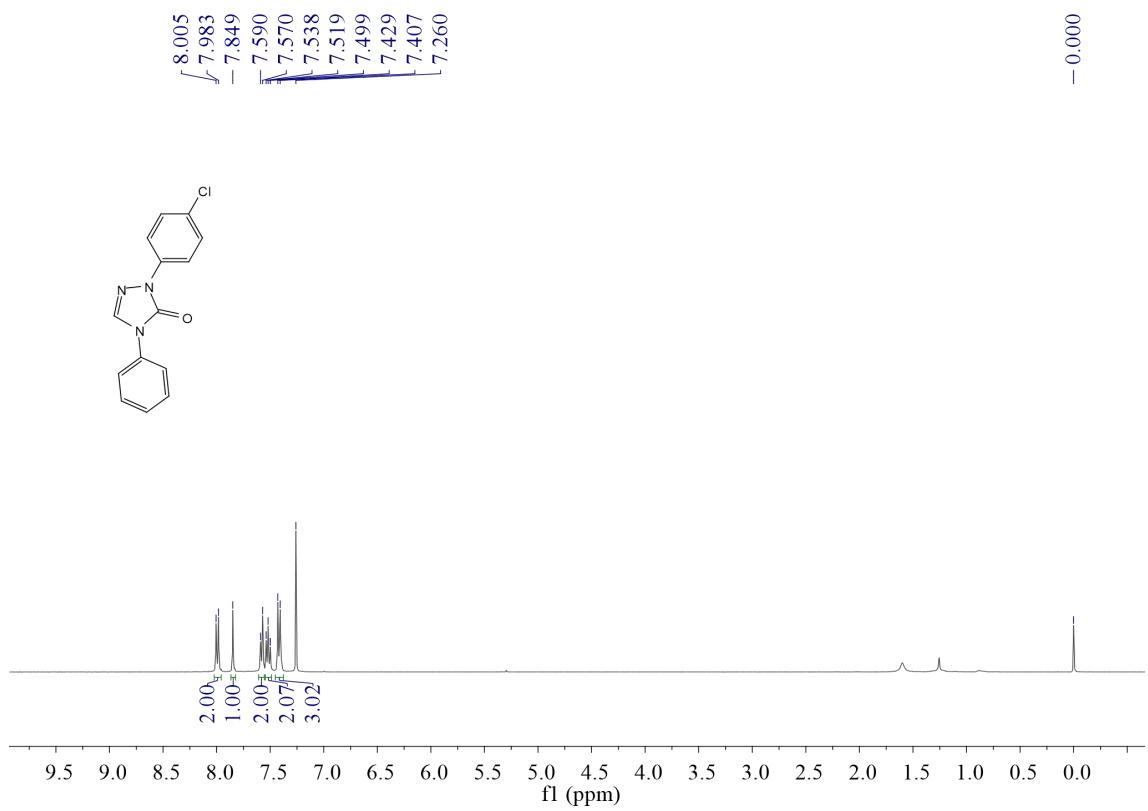


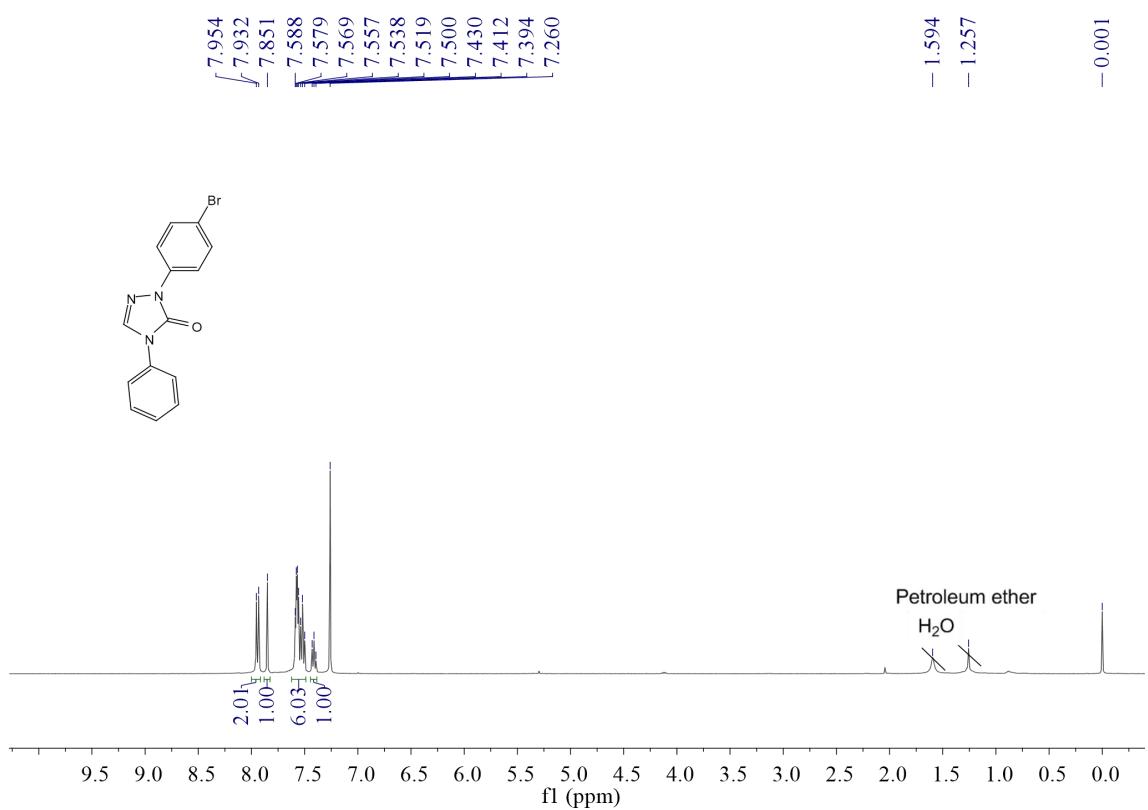


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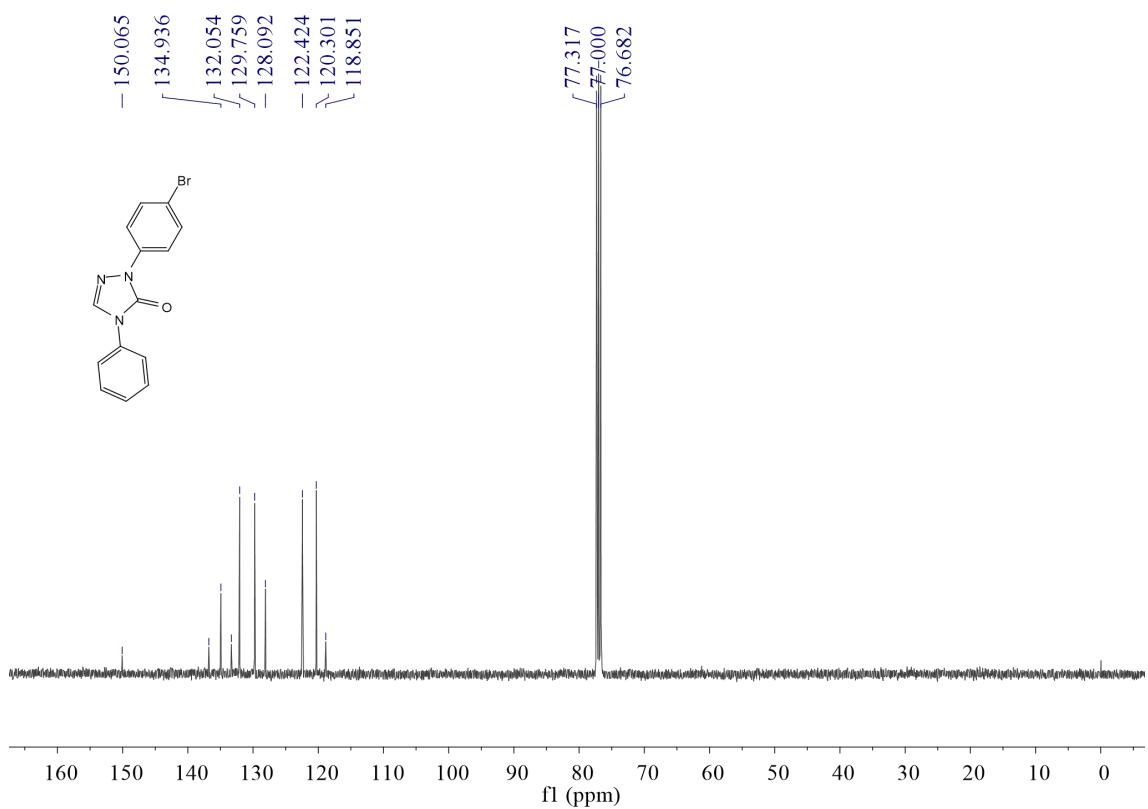


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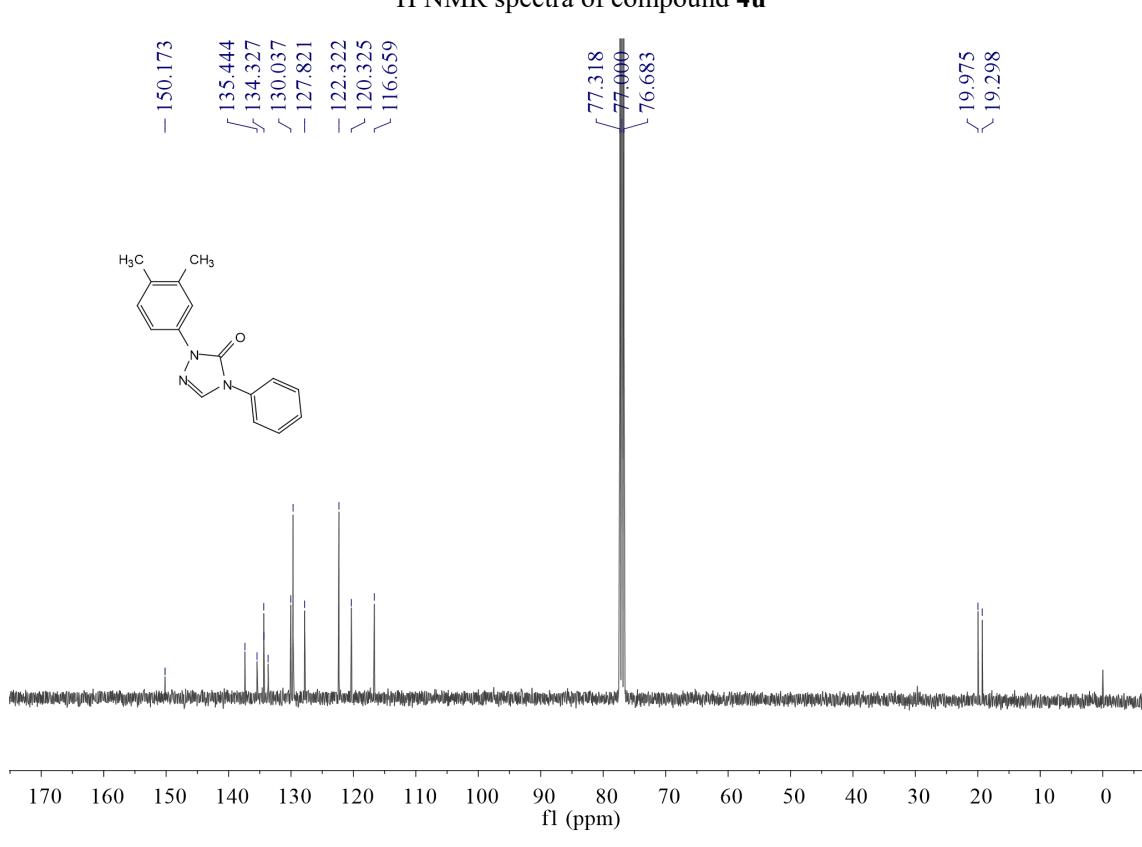
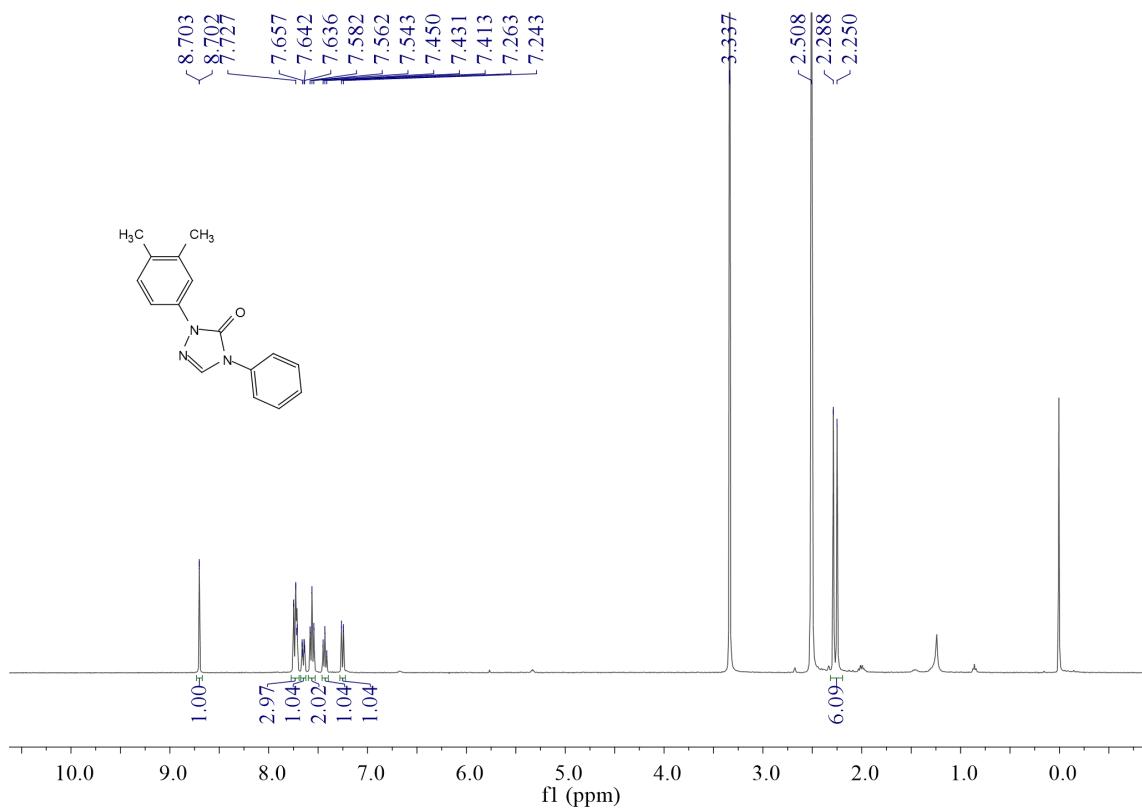


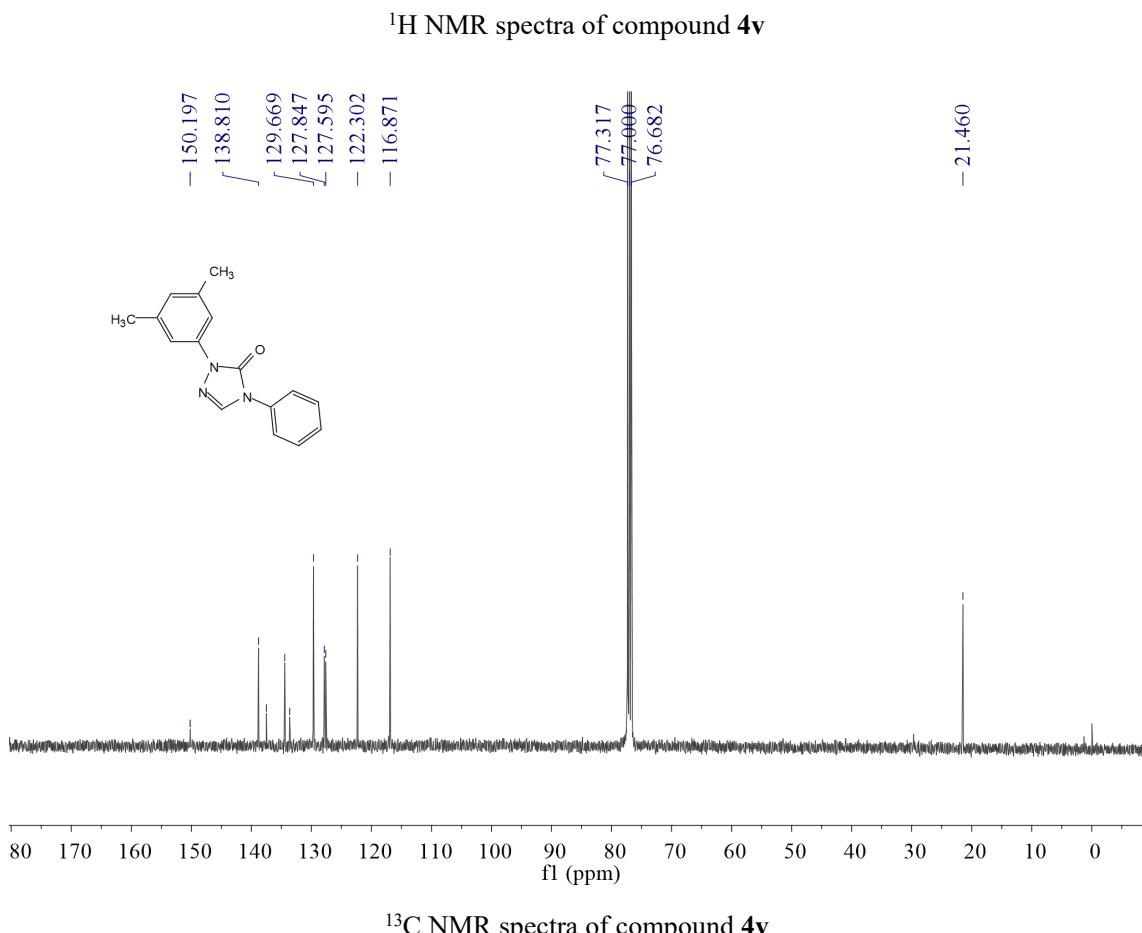
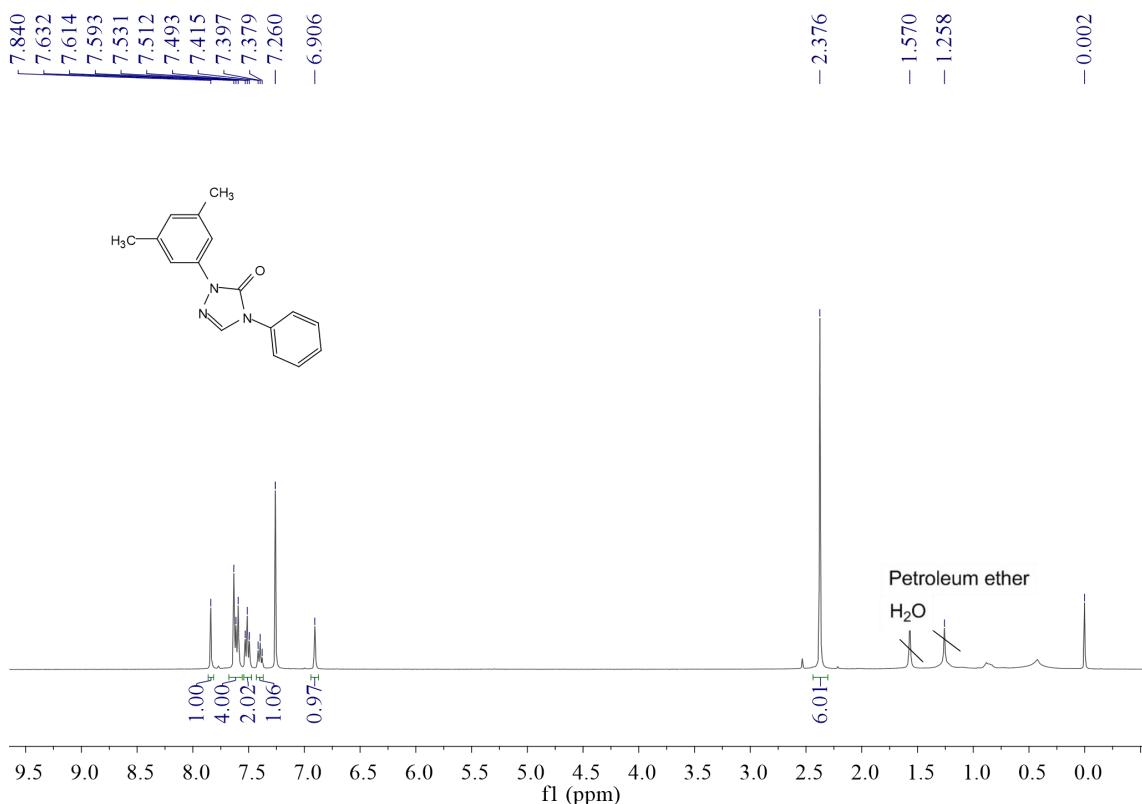


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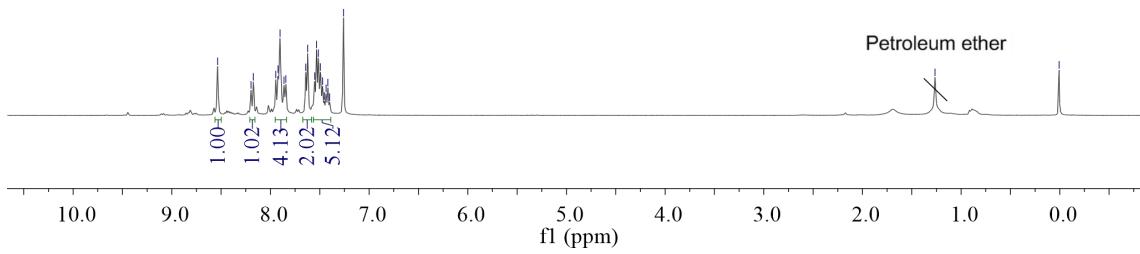
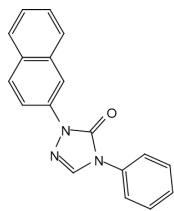




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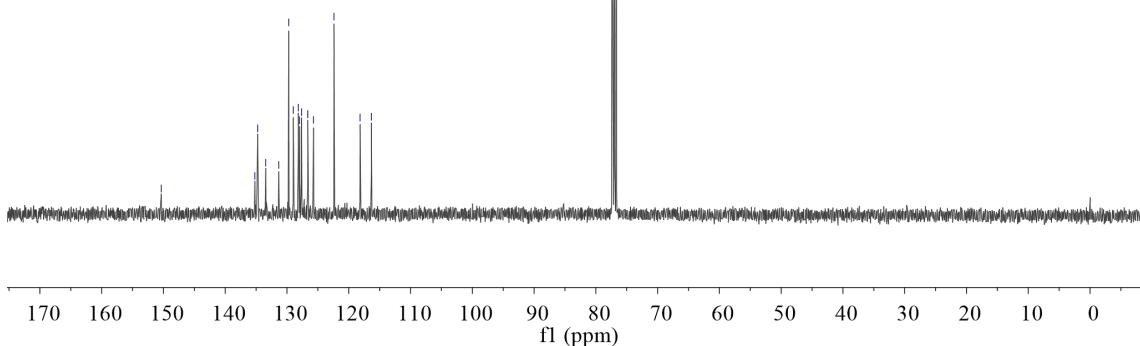
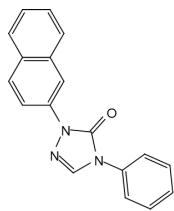
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