

Supporting Information

**Copper-Catalyzed Regioselective 1,4-Sulfonylcyanation of 1,3-
Enynes with Sulfonyl Chlorides and TMS-CN**

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1. General Information

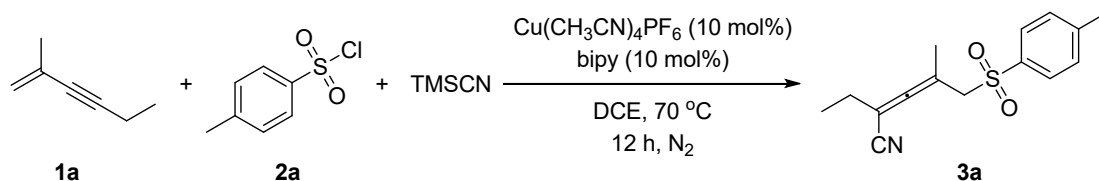
All deuterated solvents were purchased from Cambridge Isotope Laboratories. ^1H NMR, ^{13}C NMR and ^{19}F NMR spectra were recorded at 25 °C on a Bruker Advance 400 spectrometer (^1H : 400 MHz, ^{13}C : 100 MHz, and ^{19}F : 376 MHz). ^1H NMR chemical shifts were determined relative to internal $(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{Si}$ (TMS) at δ 0.00 ppm or to the signal of the residual protonated solvent: CDCl_3 at δ 7.26 ppm. ^{13}C NMR chemical shifts were determined relative to the signal of the solvent: CDCl_3 at δ 77.00 ppm. Data for ^1H , ^{13}C , ^{19}F NMR were recorded as follows: chemical shift (δ , ppm), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, m = multiplet, q = quartet, dd = doublet of doublets), coupling constants (Hz) and integration. Melting points were obtained with a micro melting point XT4A Beijing Keyi electrooptic apparatus and are uncorrected. High-resolution mass data were recorded on a Waters LCT PremierxeTM (USA). Single-crystal X-ray diffraction was carried out on a Bruker Smart Apex II diffractometer system.

Materials and Methods:

Unless otherwise stated, starting materials were purchased from Aldrich or Energy-Chemical Limited and used as supplied without further purification. Solvents were used directly without further purification. Enynes (**1b-1w**, **1y**) was synthesized following literature procedures.^[1, 2] The 1,4-sulfonylcyanation of 1,3-enynes were performed under a nitrogen atmosphere in flame dried flasks. All reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) with Taizhou GF254 silica gel coated plates. Flash column chromatography was carried out using 200-300 mesh silica gel at increased pressure.

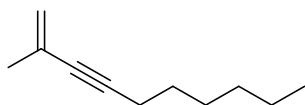
2. General Procedure for 1,4-Sulfonylcyanation of 1,3-Enynes

Typical Procedure for the Copper-Catalyzed Regioselective 1,4-Sulfonylcyanation of 1,3-Enynes with Sulfonyl Chlorides and TMSCN (**3a** as an example)



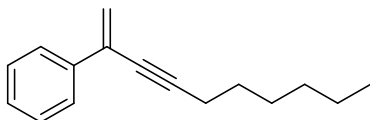
To a solution of the *p*-tosyl chloride **2a** (86.7 mg, 0.45 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (DCE, 1.0 mL) was added the 2-methylhex-1-en-3-yne **1a** (39 μ L, 0.3 mmol), TMSCN (59 μ L, 0.45 mmol), Cu(CH₃CN)₄PF₆ (11.5 mg, 0.03 mmol) and bipy (4.8 mg, 0.03 mmol) under a N₂ atmosphere in a Schlenk tube. The reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 12 h. After the reaction finished, the reaction mixture was purified by column chromatography to give the corresponding products **3a** (58.5 mg, 71%).

3. Analytical Data of Compounds 1, 3, 4 and 5



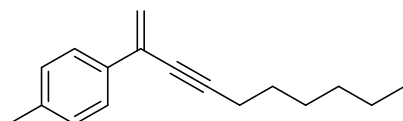
2-methyldec-1-en-3-yne **1b**

Colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.18 (s, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 2.28 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.86 (s, 3H), 1.56-1.49 (m, 2H), 1.43-1.25 (m, 6H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 127.4, 120.2, 89.5, 81.8, 31.3, 28.7, 28.6, 23.8, 22.5, 19.2, 14.0.



dec-1-en-3-yn-2-ylbenzene **1c**

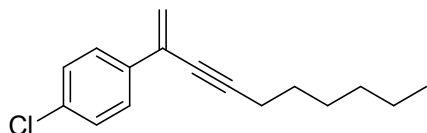
Colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.66-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.27 (m, 3H), 5.82 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 2.39 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.63-1.56 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.41 (m, 2H), 1.35-1.27 (m, 4H), 0.90 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 137.8, 131.0, 128.2, 128.0, 126.0, 119.2, 92.0, 79.7, 31.3, 28.7, 28.6, 22.6, 19.4, 14.0.



1-(dec-1-en-3-yn-2-yl)-4-methylbenzene **1d**

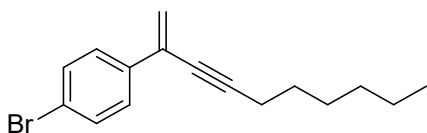
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2H), 1.36-1.31 (m, 4H), 0.91 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 137.9, 135.0, 130.8, 128.9, 125.9, 118.4, 91.8, 79.9, 31.3, 28.7, 28.6, 22.6, 21.1, 19.4, 14.0.



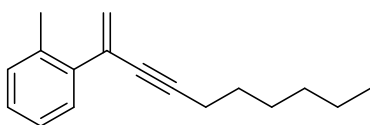
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Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.58 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 2.40 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.64-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.41 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.26 (m, 4H), 0.90 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 136.3, 133.9, 129.9, 128.4, 127.4, 119.6, 92.5, 79.3, 31.3, 28.6, 22.6, 19.4, 14.0.



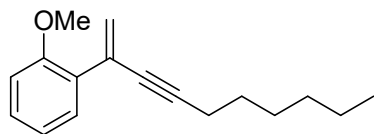
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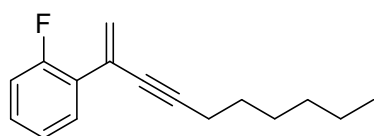
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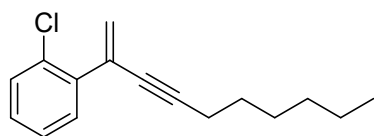
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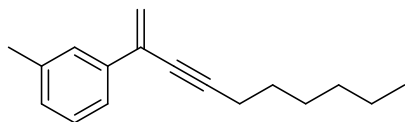
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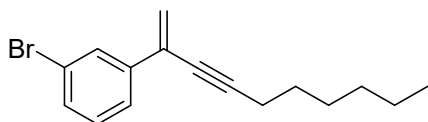
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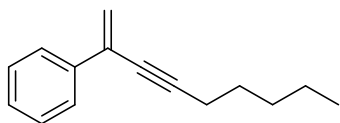
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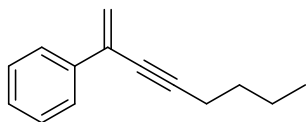
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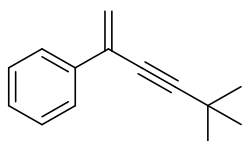
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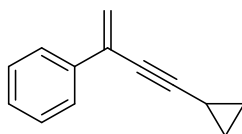
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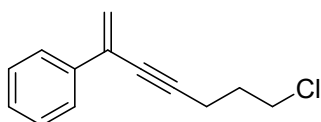
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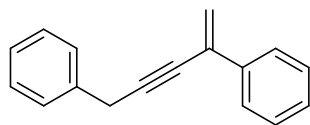
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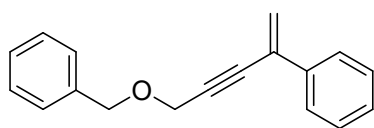
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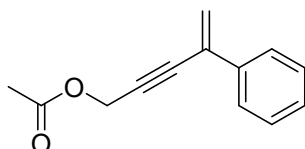
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Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.67 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.23 (m, 8H), 5.89 (s, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 137.6, 136.6, 130.7, 128.6, 128.3, 128.2, 127.9, 126.6, 126.1, 120.1, 89.0, 81.8, 25.7.



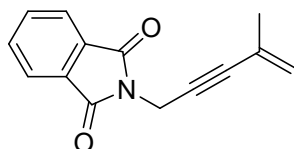
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Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.65 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.29 (m, 8H), 5.94 (s, 1H), 5.69 (s, 1H), 4.67 (s, 2H), 4.40 (s, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 137.5, 137.1, 130.2, 128.5, 128.4, 128.4, 128.1, 127.9, 126.0, 121.2, 86.6, 85.7, 71.7, 57.9.



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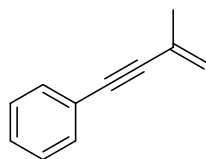
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2-(4-methylpent-4-en-2-yn-1-yl)isoindoline-1,3-dione 1u

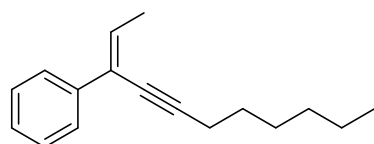
Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.87 (dd, $J_1 = 3.2$ Hz, $J_2 = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.73 (dd, $J_1 = 3.2$ Hz, $J_2 = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 4.56 (s, 2H), 1.83 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100

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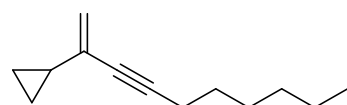
(3-methylbut-3-en-1-yn-1-yl)benzene 1v

Colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.48-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 3H), 5.43 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (t, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.02 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 131.5, 128.2, 128.1, 126.8, 123.2, 121.9, 90.5, 88.4, 23.5.



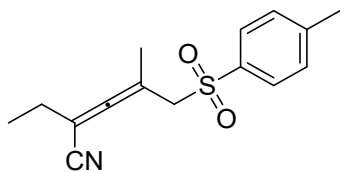
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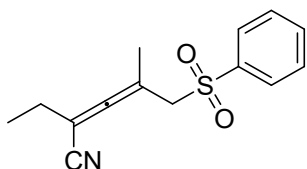
dec-1-en-3-yn-2-ylcyclopropane 1y

Colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.24 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.16 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 2.25 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.54-1.46 (m, 3H), 1.42-1.25 (m, 6H), 0.89 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.70-0.60 (m, 4H), . ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 134.3, 117.2, 90.4, 77.4, 31.3, 28.7, 28.5, 22.5, 19.1, 16.5, 13.9, 5.6.



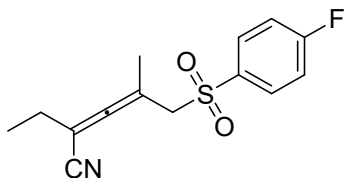
2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3a

Colorless oil (58.5 mg, 71%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.75 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.73 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 30.0 Hz, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.05-1.94 (m, 2H), 1.92 (s, 3H), 0.95 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 145.4, 134.8, 130.1, 128.1, 114.3, 96.6, 84.2, 59.8, 24.5, 21.6, 18.4, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 276.1058; Found 276.1055.



2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(phenylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienitrile 3b

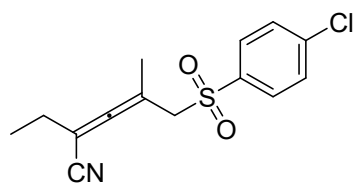
Colorless oil (58.7 mg, 75%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.90 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.77 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 31.2 Hz, 2H), 2.03-1.92 (m, 2H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 0.97 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 137.9, 134.2, 129.5, 128.2, 114.3, 96.5, 84.4, 59.8, 24.8, 18.5, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 262.0902; Found 262.0911.



2-ethyl-5-((4-fluorophenyl)sulfonyl)-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3c

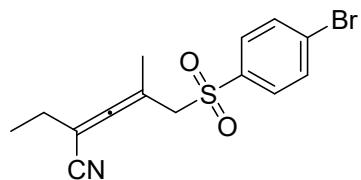
Colorless oil (58.6 mg, 70%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.95-7.92 (m, 2H), 7.30 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.78 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 25.2 Hz, 2H), 2.10-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.00 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C

NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.7, 166.1 (d, J = 256.0 Hz), 133.8 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 131.1 (d, J = 10.0 Hz), 116.9 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 114.2, 96.4, 84.5, 59.9, 24.8, 18.6, 12.0. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -102.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₄H₁₅FNO₂S 280.0808; Found 280.0821.



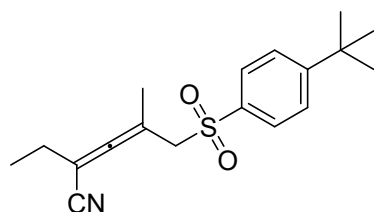
5-((4-chlorophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3d

Colorless oil (63.6 mg, 72%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.83 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.76 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 25.6 Hz, 2H), 2.08-1.97 (m, 2H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 0.98 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.7, 141.1, 136.2, 129.9, 129.7, 114.2, 96.3, 84.6, 59.8, 24.8, 18.6, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₄H₁₅ClNO₂S 296.0512; Found 296.0507.



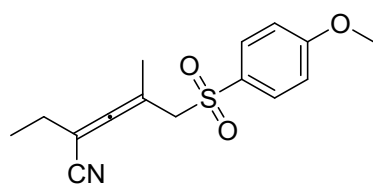
5-((4-bromophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3e

Colorless oil (71.5 mg, 70%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77-7.73 (m, 4H), 3.76 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 26.4 Hz, 2H), 2.05-1.97 (m, 2H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 0.98 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.7, 136.8, 132.9, 129.8, 129.7, 114.2, 96.3, 84.6, 59.8, 24.9, 18.6, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₄H₁₅BrNO₂S 340.0007, 341.9986; Found 340.0016, 341.9998.

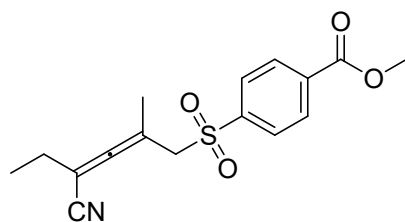


5-((4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3f

Colorless oil (64.6 mg, 68%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.80 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.76 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 33.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.94-1.88 (m, 2H), 1.34 (s, 9H), 0.95 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 158.2, 134.9, 128.1, 126.5, 114.4, 96.6, 84.2, 59.8, 35.3, 31.0, 24.8, 18.5, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 318.1528; Found 318.1521.

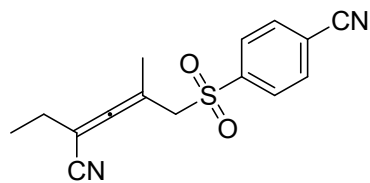
**2-ethyl-5-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3g**

Colorless oil (70.5 mg, 81%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.79 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.72 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 28.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.06-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.92 (s, 3H), 0.96 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 164.1, 130.3, 129.1, 114.7, 114.4, 96.8, 84.2, 60.0, 55.7, 24.8, 18.5, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ 292.1007; Found 292.1012.

**methyl 4-((4-cyano-2-methylhexa-2,3-dien-1-yl)sulfonyl)benzoate 3h**

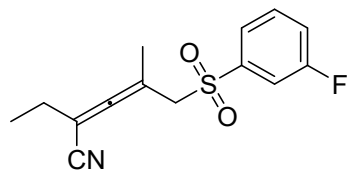
Colorless oil (64.1 mg, 67%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.24 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.97 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 3.79 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 28.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.05-1.97 (m, 2H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 0.96 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 165.2, 141.7, 135.3, 130.6, 128.3, 114.2, 96.1, 84.6, 59.7, 52.8, 24.8, 18.6, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_4\text{S}$

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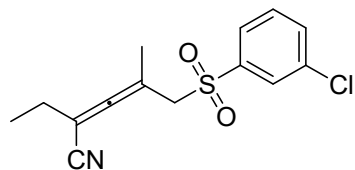
4-((4-cyano-2-methylhexa-2,3-dien-1-yl)sulfonyl)benzonitrile 3i

White solid (56.5 mg, 66%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 4/1 as eluent for column chromatography. Mp: 109–110 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.03 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.80 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 20.0 Hz, 2H), 2.08–1.99 (m, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 141.8, 133.3, 128.9, 118.1, 116.9, 114.1, 96.0, 84.9, 59.6, 24.8, 18.6, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ 287.0854; Found 287.0866.



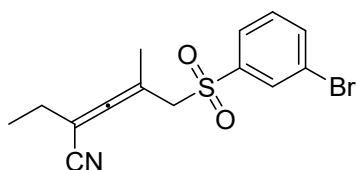
2-ethyl-5-((3-fluorophenyl)sulfonyl)-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3j

Colorless oil (50.1 mg, 60%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.70 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.64–7.60 (m, 2H), 7.43–7.39 (m, 1H), 3.78 (dd, J_1 = 14.0 Hz, J_2 = 28.0 Hz, 2H), 2.08–1.99 (m, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.8, 162.6 (d, J = 253.0 Hz), 139.8 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 131.5 (d, J = 8.0 Hz), 124.1 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 121.6 (d, J = 21.0 Hz), 115.6 (d, J = 24.0 Hz), 114.2, 96.2, 84.6, 59.7, 24.9, 18.5, 12.0. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -108.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{FNO}_2\text{S}$ 280.0808; Found 280.0815.



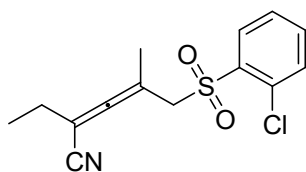
5-((3-chlorophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 3k

Colorless oil (52.2 mg, 59%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.88 (s, 1H), 7.79 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.56 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.78 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 30.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.08-1.94 (m, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.8, 139.6, 135.8, 134.4, 130.9, 128.2, 126.4, 114.2, 96.2, 84.6, 59.8, 24.9, 18.6, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNO}_2\text{S}$ 296.0512; Found 296.0517.



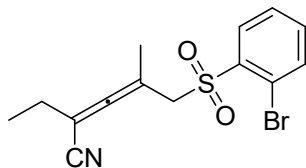
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Colorless oil (58.1 mg, 57%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.03 (t, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.85-7.81 (m, 2H), 7.50 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.78 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 31.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.08-1.96 (m, 2H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.8, 139.7, 137.4, 131.1, 131.1, 126.8, 123.5, 114.2, 96.2, 84.6, 59.8, 24.9, 18.6, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$ 340.0007, 341.9986; Found 340.0013, 341.9994.



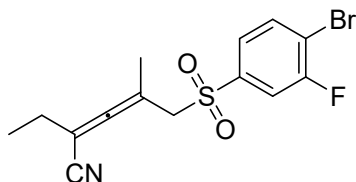
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Colorless oil (62.6 mg, 71%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.13-8.11 (m, 1H), 7.64-7.58 (m, 1H), 7.53-7.49 (m, 1H), 4.11 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 18.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.04-1.92 (m, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.6, 135.4, 132.5, 132.1, 132.0, 127.8, 114.2, 96.2, 84.5, 57.5, 24.9, 18.6, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNO}_2\text{S}$ 296.0512; Found 296.0519.



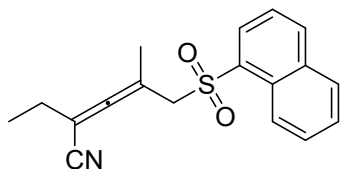
5-((2-bromophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3n

Colorless oil (66.3 mg, 65%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.15 (dd, *J*₁ = 2.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.80 (dd, *J*₁ = 0.8 Hz, *J*₂ = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.49 (m, 2H), 4.15 (dd, *J*₁ = 14.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 20.8 Hz, 2H), 2.03-1.91 (m, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.7, 137.0, 135.7, 135.3, 132.3, 128.3, 120.7, 114.3, 96.1, 84.4, 56.9, 24.9, 18.6, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₄H₁₅BrNO₂S 340.0007, 341.9986; Found 340.0011, 341.9993.



5-((4-bromo-3-fluorophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3o

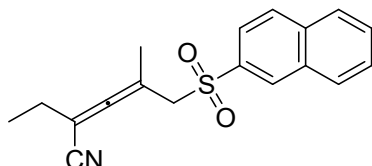
Colorless oil (70.6 mg, 66%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.85-7.81 (m, 1H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (dd, *J*₁ = 14.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 24.0 Hz, 2H), 2.11-2.01 (m, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.8, 159.1 (d, *J* = 253.0 Hz), 138.8 (d, *J* = 5.0 Hz), 135.1, 124.9 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 117.0 (d, *J* = 21.0 Hz), 116.4 (d, *J* = 25.0 Hz), 114.1, 96.1, 84.8, 59.8, 24.9, 18.6, 12.0. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -101.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₄H₁₄BrFNO₂S 357.9913, 359.9892; Found 357.9921, 359.9899.



2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(naphthalen-1-ylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienenitrile 3p

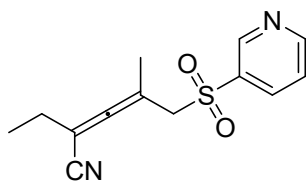
Colorless oil (69.8 mg, 75%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.67 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 8.30 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H),

8.16 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.75-7.71 (m, 1H), 7.66-7.60 (m, 2H), 3.99 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 42.0$ Hz, 2H), 1.91 (s, 3H), 1.83-1.74 (m, 1H), 1.68-1.58 (m, 1H), 0.77 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.6, 135.7, 134.2, 132.9, 131.2, 129.4, 129.0, 128.7, 127.1, 124.5, 123.6, 114.3, 96.3, 84.1, 59.4, 24.7, 18.5, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 312.1058; Found 312.1050.



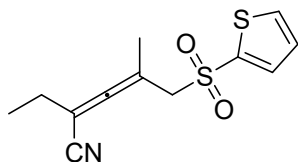
2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(naphthalen-2-ylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienitrile 3q

Colorless oil (71.0 mg, 76%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 8.05-8.00 (m, 2H), 7.94 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.85 (dd, $J_1 = 1.6$ Hz, $J_2 = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.71-7.63 (m, 2H), 3.85 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 36.0$ Hz, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.89-1.72 (m, 2H), 0.79 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 135.4, 134.8, 132.0, 130.2, 129.8, 129.6, 129.4, 128.0, 127.9, 122.5, 114.3, 96.4, 84.3, 59.8, 24.7, 18.7, 11.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 312.1058; Found 312.1055.



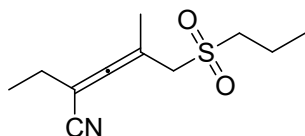
2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(pyridin-3-ylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienitrile 3r

Colorless oil (51.1 mg, 65%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.10 (s, 1H), 8.92 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 8.19 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.57 (dd, $J_1 = 4.8$ Hz, $J_2 = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.82 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 26.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.07-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.99 (s, 3H), 0.98 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.7, 154.8, 149.2, 136.0, 134.3, 124.2, 114.1, 96.1, 84.9, 60.2, 24.8, 18.6, 12.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ 263.0854; Found 263.0845.



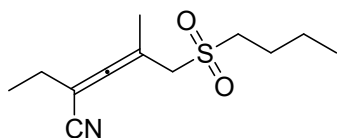
2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(thiophen-2-ylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienenitrile 3s

Colorless oil (68.0 mg, 85%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.78 (dd, $J_1 = 0.8$ Hz, $J_2 = 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.71-7.70 (m, 1H), 7.20 (t, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.86 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 28.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.12-2.01 (m, 2H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.01 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.8, 138.4, 135.0, 134.9, 128.3, 114.4, 96.6, 84.5, 61.1, 24.9, 18.4, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{NO}_2\text{S}_2$ 268.0466; Found 268.0472.



2-ethyl-4-methyl-5-(propylsulfonyl)penta-2,3-dienenitrile 3t

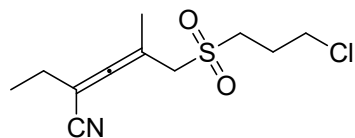
Colorless oil (37.5 mg, 55%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 3.63 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 22.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.02 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.28 (q, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.94-1.84 (m, 2H), 1.49 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H), 1.16 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.5, 114.5, 97.1, 84.8, 56.3, 53.8, 24.9, 18.8, 16.0, 13.2, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 228.1058; Found 228.1068.



5-(butylsulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3u

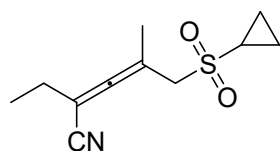
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C₁₂H₂₀NO₂S 242.1215; Found 242.1216.



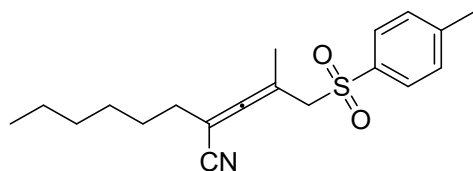
5-((3-chloropropyl)sulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3v

Colorless oil (48.5 mg, 62%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.73-3.68 (m, 4H), 3.22 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.37-2.26 (m, 4H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.15 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.5, 114.4, 96.7, 85.1, 57.0, 49.4, 42.7, 24.9, 24.9, 18.8, 12.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₁H₁₇ClNO₂S 262.0669; Found 262.0678.



5-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-2-ethyl-4-methylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 3w

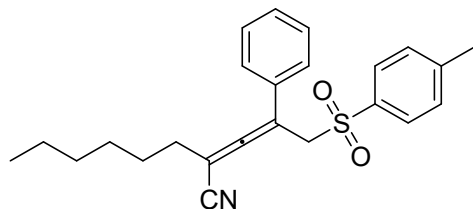
Colorless oil (41.1 mg, 61%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.70 (dd, *J*₁ = 14.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 23.6 Hz, 2H), 2.50-2.44 (m, 1H), 3.27 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.35-1.30 (m, 1H), 1.25-1.09 (m, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 211.8, 114.7, 97.0, 84.6, 57.5, 29.0, 24.9, 18.6, 12.1, 5.2, 4.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M + H]⁺ Calcd for C₁₁H₁₆NO₂S 226.0902; Found 226.0894.



2-(2-methyl-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4b

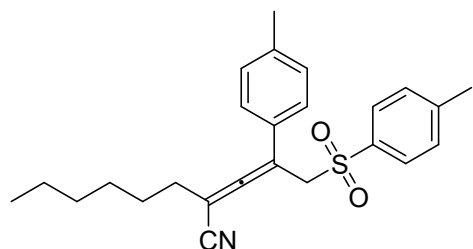
Colorless oil (59.5 mg, 60%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.76 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.73 (dd, *J*₁ = 14.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 27.2 Hz, 2H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 1.94-1.89 (m, 5H), 1.36-1.23 (m, 8H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 212.2, 145.4, 134.8, 130.1, 128.2, 114.4, 96.0,

82.8, 59.9, 31.3, 31.3, 28.2, 27.4, 22.5, 21.7, 18.4, 14.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF). HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{19}H_{26}NO_2S$, 332.1684; Found 332.1680.



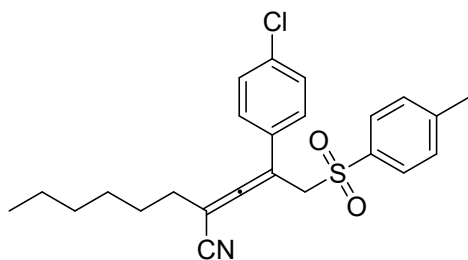
2-(2-phenyl-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4c

Colorless oil (88.4 mg, 75%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$): δ 7.72 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.25 (m, 7H), 4.23 (dd, $J_1 = 14.4$ Hz, $J_2 = 22.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.16 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.54-1.50 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.26 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$): δ 214.9, 145.3, 134.9, 131.3, 130.0, 128.8, 128.4, 126.8, 113.7, 102.0, 86.5, 57.0, 31.5, 31.3, 28.4, 27.4, 22.5, 21.6, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{24}H_{28}NO_2S$ 394.1841; Found 394.1827.



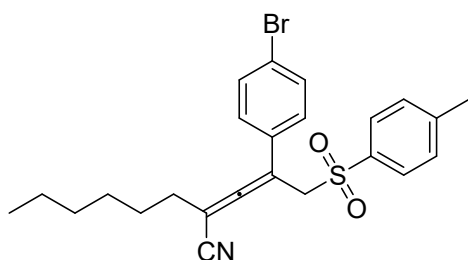
2-(2-(*p*-tolyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4d

Colorless oil (97.5 mg, 80%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$): δ 7.71 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.16-7.11 (m, 4H), 4.21 (dd, $J_1 = 14.4$ Hz, $J_2 = 23.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.13 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.52-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.26 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$): δ 214.8, 145.3, 139.0, 134.9, 130.0, 129.5, 128.4, 128.2, 126.7, 113.8, 102.0, 86.3, 57.0, 31.6, 31.3, 28.3, 27.4, 22.4, 21.6, 21.1, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{25}H_{30}NO_2S$ 408.1997; Found 408.1987.



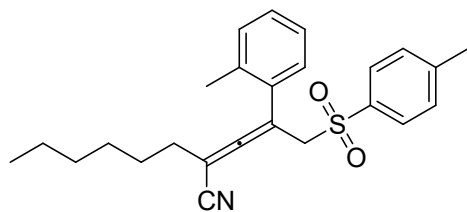
2-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4e

Colorless oil (92.2 mg, 72%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.71 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.19 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 25.6 Hz, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.16 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.51-1.49 (m, 2H), 1.28-1.26 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.8, 145.6, 135.0, 134.8, 130.1, 129.9, 129.1, 128.4, 128.2, 113.5, 101.3, 87.0, 57.1, 31.6, 31.3, 28.4, 27.5, 22.5, 21.6, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{ClNO}_2\text{S}$ 428.1451; Found 428.1441.



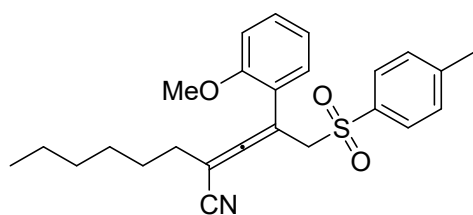
2-(2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4f

Colorless oil (100.5 mg, 71%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.71 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.45 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.19 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 25.6 Hz, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.16 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.51-1.49 (m, 2H), 1.28-1.26 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.8, 145.6, 134.8, 132.0, 130.4, 130.1, 128.4, 128.4, 123.2, 113.4, 101.4, 87.0, 57.0, 31.5, 31.3, 28.4, 27.4, 22.5, 21.6, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$ 472.0946, 474.0925; Found 472.0940, 474.0909.



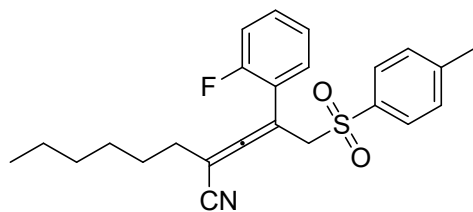
2-(2-(*o*-tolyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4g

Colorless oil (98.9 mg, 81%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.72 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.22-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.07 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.14 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 24.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 2.20-2.15 (m, 2H), 1.52-1.49 (m, 2H), 1.27-1.24 (m, 6H), 0.86 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 213.3, 145.2, 135.8, 135.5, 132.1, 130.9, 130.0, 128.7, 128.1, 128.1, 126.3, 114.1, 99.8, 84.4, 59.4, 31.3, 31.2, 28.3, 27.4, 22.4, 21.6, 20.4, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 408.1997; Found 408.2008.



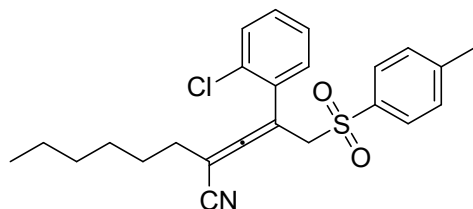
2-(2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4h

Colorless oil (96.5 mg, 76%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.65 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.23 (m, 3H), 7.01 (dd, $J_1 = 1.6$ Hz, $J_2 = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.87 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.78 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.31 (dd, $J_1 = 14.4$ Hz, $J_2 = 18.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.12 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.50-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.34-1.25 (m, 6H), 0.86 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 215.0, 156.4, 144.8, 135.2, 130.2, 130.0, 129.7, 128.2, 120.7, 114.3, 111.0, 99.6, 83.6, 58.0, 55.4, 31.3, 31.3, 28.3, 27.4, 22.4, 21.5, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ 424.1946; Found 424.1935.



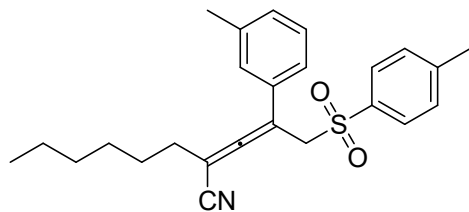
2-(2-(2-fluorophenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4i

Colorless oil (92.5 mg, 75%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.70 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 3H), 7.18 (dt, J_1 = 1.6 Hz, J_2 = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (dt, J_1 = 1.2 Hz, J_2 = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.04-6.99 (m, 1H), 4.23 (s, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.14 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.50-1.48 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.26 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 215.3, 159.7 (d, J = 249.0 Hz), 145.3, 134.8, 130.7 (d, J = 9.0 Hz), 130.0, 129.6 (d, J = 2.0 Hz), 128.3, 124.5 (d, J = 4.0 Hz), 120.0 (d, J = 11.0 Hz), 116.2 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 113.6, 96.9, 85.1 (d, J = 1.0 Hz), 58.0 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 31.3, 31.3, 28.3, 27.3, 22.5, 21.6, 13.9. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -112.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{FNO}_2\text{S}$ 412.1747; Found 412.1735.



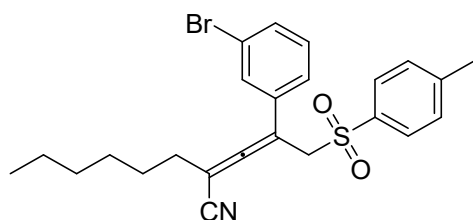
2-(2-(2-chlorophenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4j

Colorless oil (89.7 mg, 70%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.75 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.32 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.18 (m, 3H), 4.21 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 15.6 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.17-2.14 (m, 2H), 1.49-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.25-1.22 (m, 6H), 0.85 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.0, 145.2, 135.1, 132.5, 131.6, 130.4, 130.2, 130.0, 128.3, 127.1, 113.7, 99.3, 85.2, 58.6, 31.2, 31.2, 28.2, 27.2, 22.4, 21.6, 13.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{ClNO}_2\text{S}$ 428.1451; Found 428.1440.



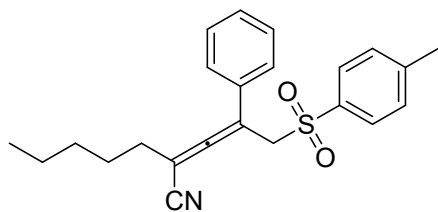
2-(2-(*m*-tolyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4k

Colorless oil (97.7 mg, 80%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.72 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 3H), 7.09 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.97 (s, 1H), 4.21 (dd, $J_1 = 14.4$ Hz, $J_2 = 22.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.18 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.55-1.51 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.21 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.9, 145.3, 138.6, 135.0, 131.3, 130.0, 129.6, 128.7, 128.5, 127.4, 124.0, 113.8, 102.1, 86.4, 57.2, 31.6, 31.3, 28.4, 27.5, 22.5, 21.6, 21.3, 14.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 408.1997; Found 408.1986.



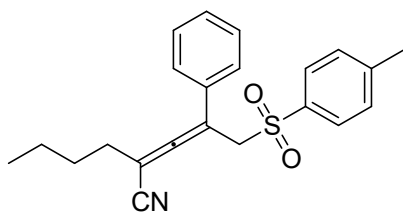
2-(2-(3-bromophenyl)-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4l

Colorless oil (99.0 mg, 70%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.71 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.40 (m, 1H), 7.31 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.17 (m, 3H), 4.18 (dd, $J_1 = 14.4$ Hz, $J_2 = 20.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.22 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.57-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.28-1.17 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.9, 145.6, 134.8, 133.7, 131.8, 130.3, 130.1, 129.7, 128.4, 125.5, 123.0, 113.4, 101.1, 87.2, 57.1, 31.6, 31.3, 28.4, 27.4, 22.5, 21.7, 14.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$ 472.0946, 474.0925; Found 472.0927, 474.0915.



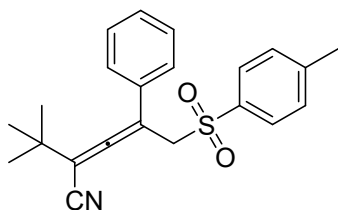
2-(2-phenyl-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)heptanenitrile 4m

Colorless oil (88.6 mg, 78%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.72 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.25 (m, 7H), 4.23 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 21.2 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.16 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.54-1.50 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.27 (m, 4H), 0.87 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.9, 145.3, 134.9, 131.3, 130.0, 128.8, 128.4, 126.8, 113.7, 102.0, 86.6, 57.1, 31.5, 30.8, 27.2, 22.1, 21.6, 13.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 380.1684; Found 380.1673.



2-(2-phenyl-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)hexanenitrile 4n

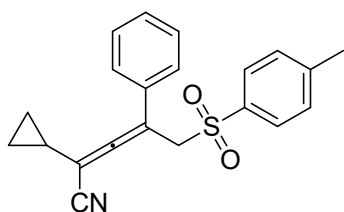
Colorless oil (76.7 mg, 70%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.72 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.25 (m, 7H), 4.23 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 21.2 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.17 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.52-1.48 (m, 2H), 1.34-1.32 (m, 2H), 0.90 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.9, 145.4, 134.9, 131.3, 130.0, 128.9, 128.4, 126.8, 113.7, 102.1, 86.6, 57.1, 31.3, 29.6, 21.9, 21.6, 13.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 366.1528; Found 366.1521.



2-(tert-butyl)-4-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 4o

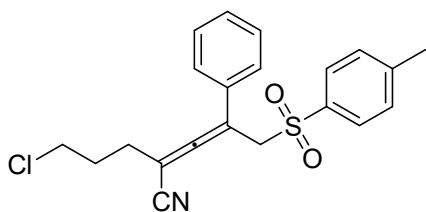
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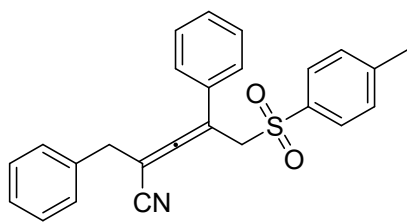
2-cyclopropyl-4-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 4p

Colorless oil (69.0 mg, 66%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.72 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.25 (m, 7H), 4.24 (s, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.43-1.37 (m, 1H), 0.90-0.81 (m, 2H), 0.73-0.69 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.7, 145.3, 135.0, 131.4, 130.0, 128.9, 128.9, 128.4, 126.9, 112.4, 103.5, 90.4, 57.2, 21.6, 11.4, 6.5, 6.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 350.1215; Found 350.1221.



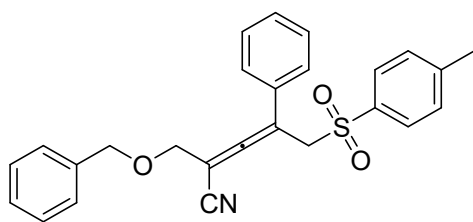
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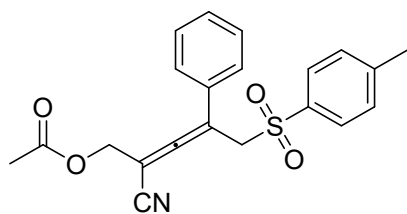
2-benzyl-4-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 4r

Colorless oil (78.0 mg, 65%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.71 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.35-7.27 (m, 8H), 7.21-7.17 (m, 4H), 4.17 (dd, J_1 = 14.4 Hz, J_2 = 24.4 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 215.4, 145.5, 135.6, 134.9, 131.1, 130.1, 129.0, 128.9, 128.9, 128.8, 128.4, 127.6, 126.9, 113.5, 102.9, 86.6, 57.0, 37.9, 21.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 400.1371; Found 400.1365.



2-((benzyloxy)methyl)-4-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienitrile 4s

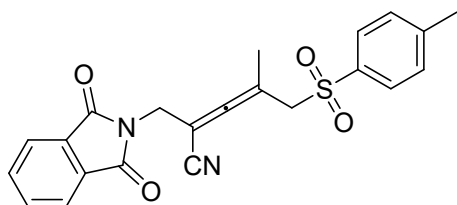
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2-cyano-4-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dien-1-yl acetate 4t

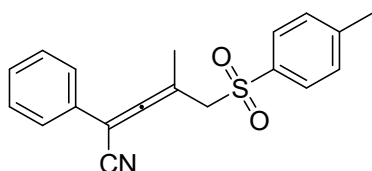
Colorless oil (62.6 mg, 55%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column

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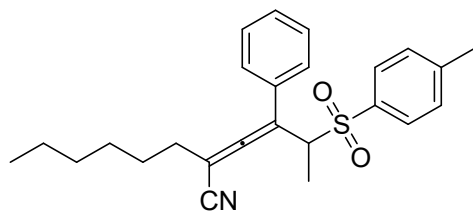
2-((1,3-dioxoisindolin-2-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 4u

Colorless oil (63.5 mg, 52%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.88 (dd, $J_1 = 3.2$ Hz, $J_2 = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.77 (dd, $J_1 = 3.2$ Hz, $J_2 = 5.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.73 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.26 (s, 2H), 3.70 (dd, $J_1 = 13.6$ Hz, $J_2 = 39.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.91 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 212.2, 167.0, 145.6, 134.5, 134.4, 131.7, 130.2, 128.2, 123.7, 112.3, 100.1, 79.2, 59.1, 37.6, 21.7, 18.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}$ 407.1066; Found 407.1058.



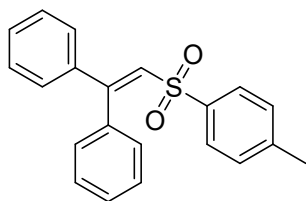
4-methyl-2-phenyl-5-tosylpenta-2,3-dienenitrile 4v

Colorless oil (38.0 mg, 39%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.79 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.36-7.33 (m, 7H), 3.89 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 31.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.44 (d, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 212.5, 145.6, 135.0, 130.3, 129.1, 129.0, 128.8, 128.1, 126.2, 113.0, 100.3, 86.9, 59.7, 21.7, 18.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 324.1058; Found 324.1051.



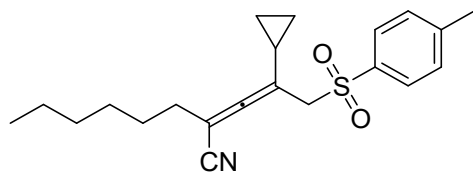
2-(2-phenyl-3-tosylbut-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4w

Colorless oil (61.1 mg, 50%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.68 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.15 (m, 7H), 4.32-4.23 (m, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 2.35-2.19 (m, 2H), 1.68-1.57 (m, 5H), 1.39-1.20 (m, 6H), 0.91-0.80 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 214.4, 213.6, 145.2, 145.0, 134.1, 132.7, 132.6, 132.5, 129.8, 129.6, 129.2, 129.1, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 126.9, 126.8, 114.1, 113.6, 109.5, 108.4, 88.5, 88.3, 60.5, 60.4, 31.8, 31.3, 31.2, 28.5, 28.2, 27.7, 27.3, 22.4, 22.3, 21.5, 15.0, 13.9, 13.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{30}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 408.1997; Found 408.1985.



(2-tosylethene-1,1-diyl)dibenzene 5

Colorless oil (60.1 mg, 60%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.47 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.30 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 4H), 7.20 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (s, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 154.7, 143.7, 139.2, 138.6, 135.6, 130.2, 129.8, 129.3, 129.0, 128.8, 128.5, 128.2, 127.8, 127.7, 21.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_2\text{S}$ 335.1106; Found 335.1121.



2-(2-cyclopropyl-3-tosylprop-1-en-1-ylidene)octanenitrile 4y

Colorless oil (32.1 mg, 30%). Petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15/1 as eluent for column

chromatography. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.79 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.39 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.86 (dd, $J_1 = 14.0$ Hz, $J_2 = 21.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 1.94-1.90 (m, 2H), 1.50-1.45 (m, 1H), 1.37-1.24 (m, 8H), 0.91-0.83 (m, 5H), 0.39 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 211.2, 145.3, 135.0, 130.1, 128.4, 114.3, 104.6, 85.7, 59.4, 31.5, 31.3, 28.3, 27.5, 22.5, 21.7, 14.0, 12.1, 8.3 8.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 358.1841; Found 358.1833.

4. Structure Analysis X-Ray Crystallography of **3i**

Single crystals for compound **3i** were grown by slow evaporation of concentrated solution in petroleum ether/ethyl acetate in glass vials, which were then sealed by plugs with needles on them.

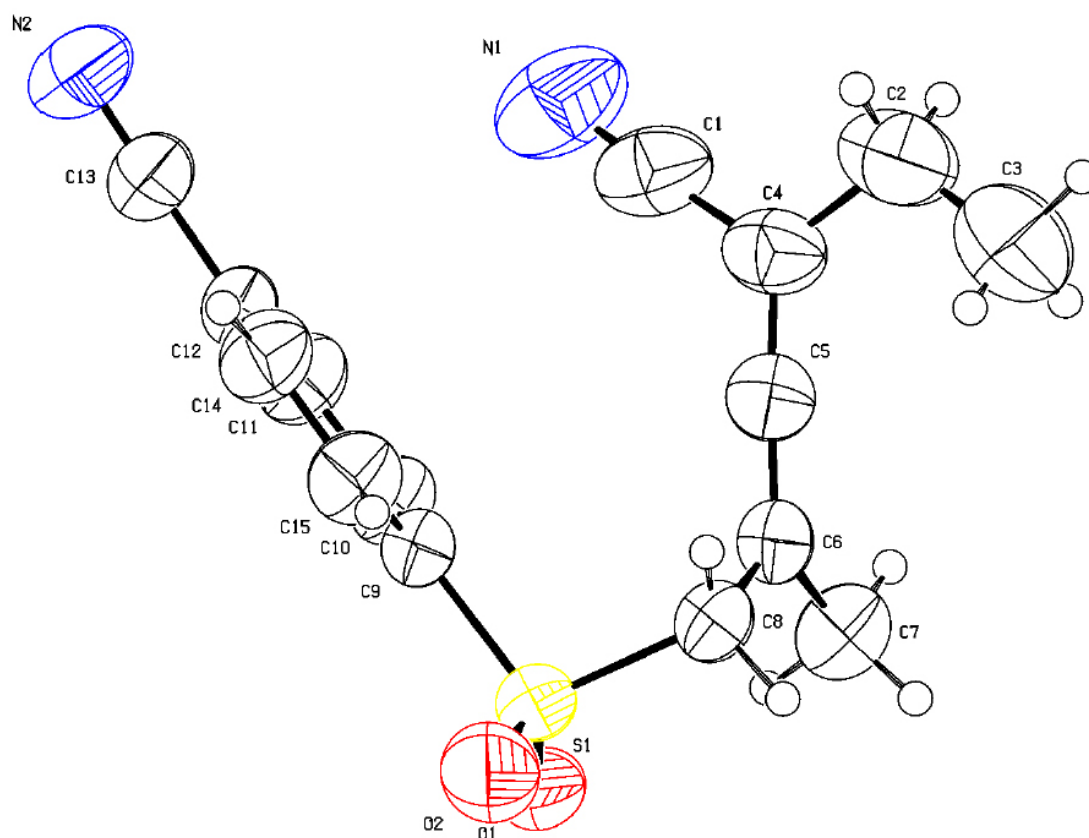


Fig. S1 Thermal ellipsoid plot (30%) of the crystal structure of **3i**

Table S1 The single crystal data of compounds **3i**

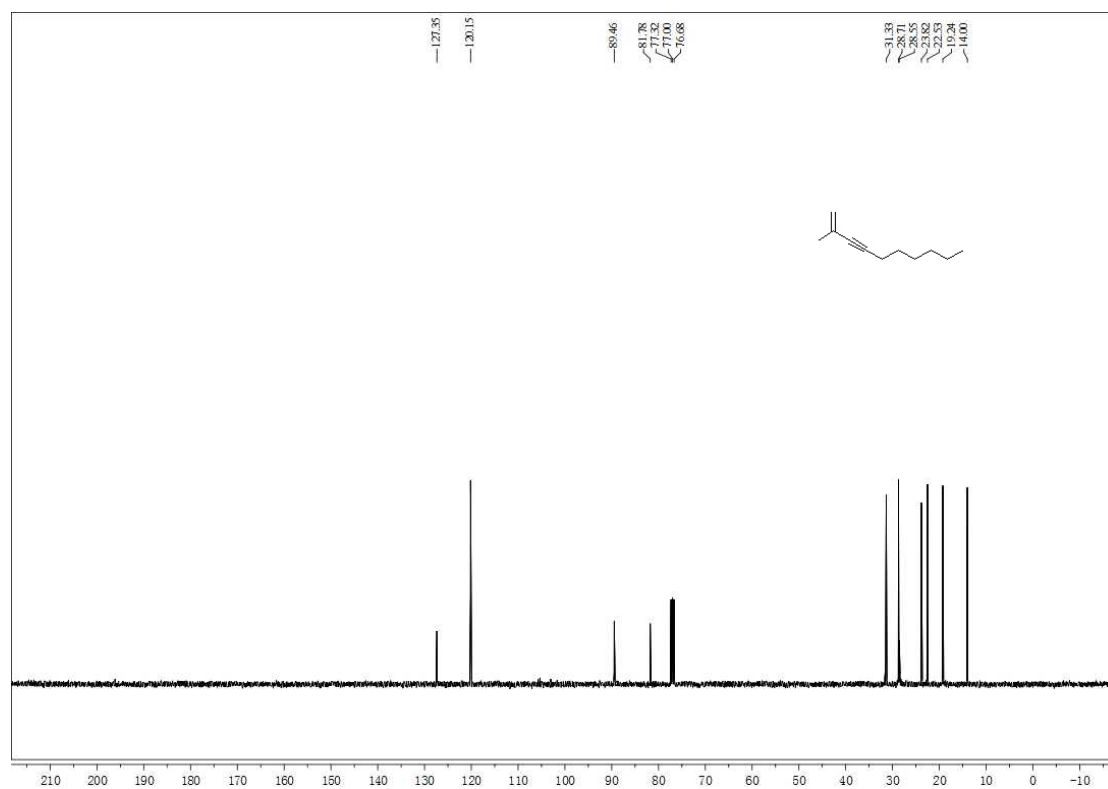
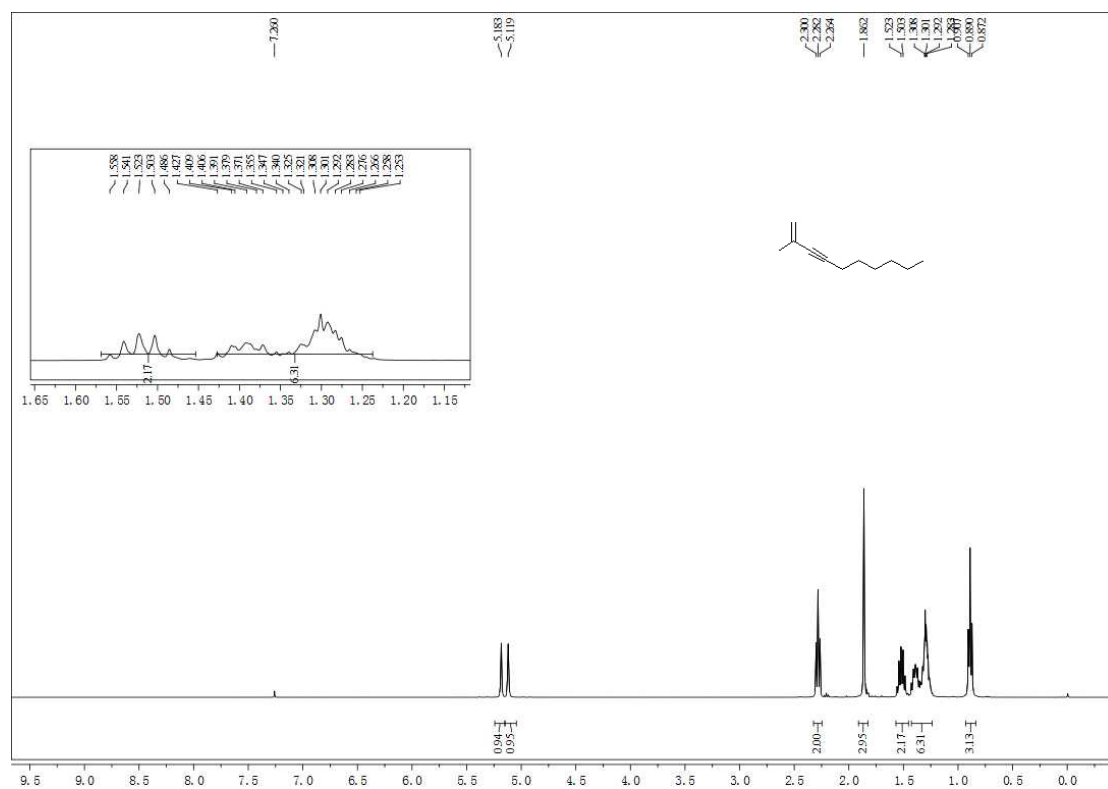
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Space group	P-1
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<i>b</i> (Å)	9.5180(4)
<i>c</i> (Å)	10.4880(5)
α (°)	100.7100(15)
β (°)	90.3641(15)
γ (°)	116.6448(14)
<i>V</i> (Å ³)	756.52(6)
<i>Z</i>	2
Calculated density (g·cm ⁻³)	1.257
Absorption coefficient(mm ⁻¹)	0.216
<i>F</i> (000)	300.0
θ range (°)	26.429 > θ > 2.656
Reflections collected/unique	3065 / 2358
Completeness to theta	0.989
Refinement method	full-matrix least-squares on <i>F</i> ²
	−10 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 10
Index range	−11 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 11
	−13 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 13
Goodness-of -fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.060
Final <i>R</i> indices [<i>I</i> >2sigma(<i>I</i>)]	0.0484
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5. References

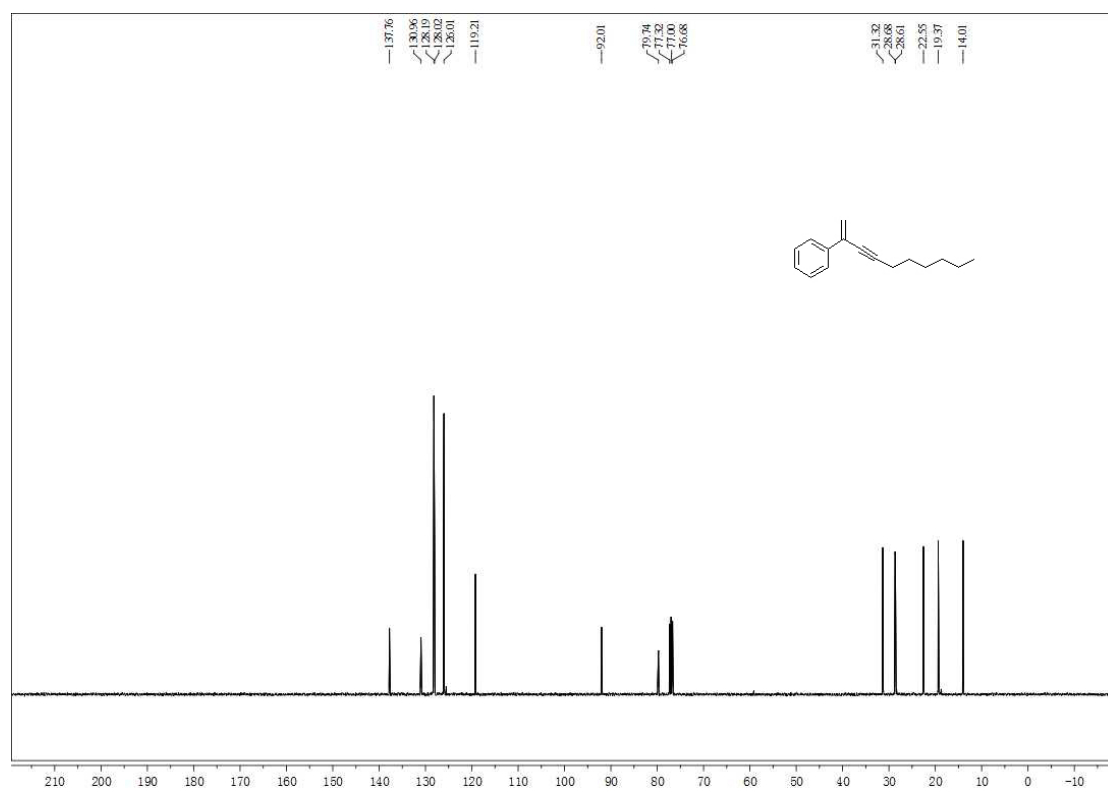
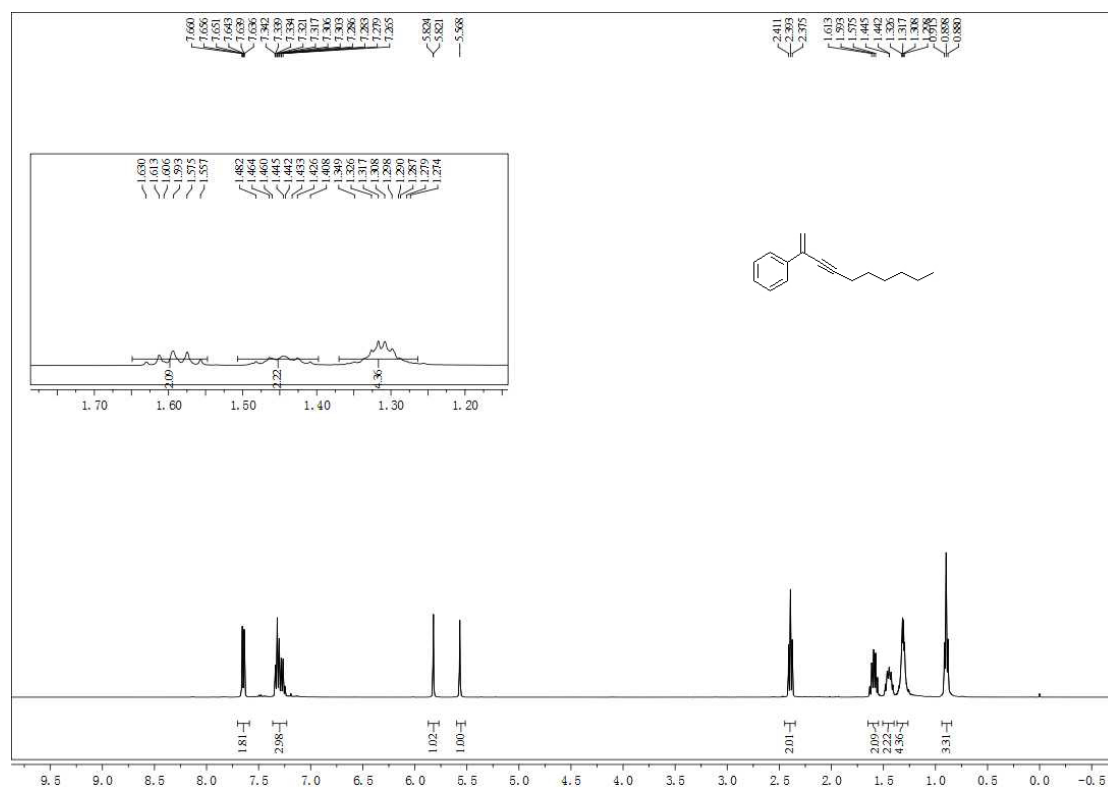
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6. NMR Spectra of Compounds 1, 3, 4 and 5

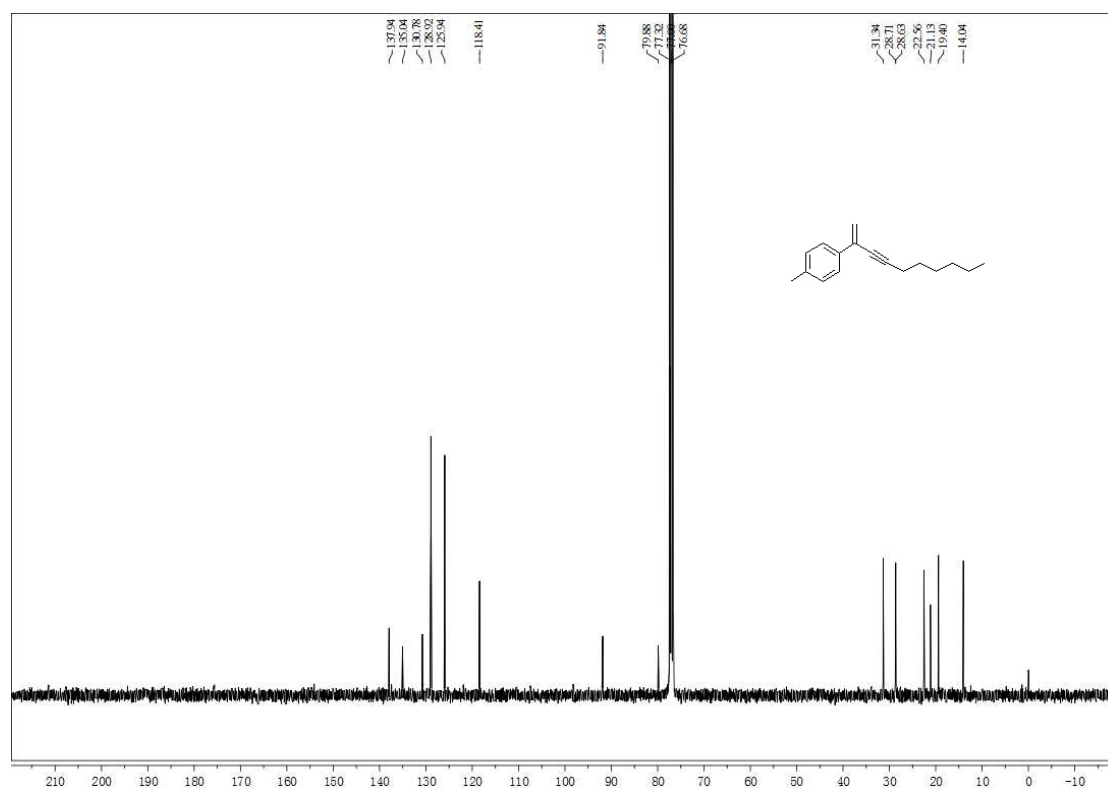
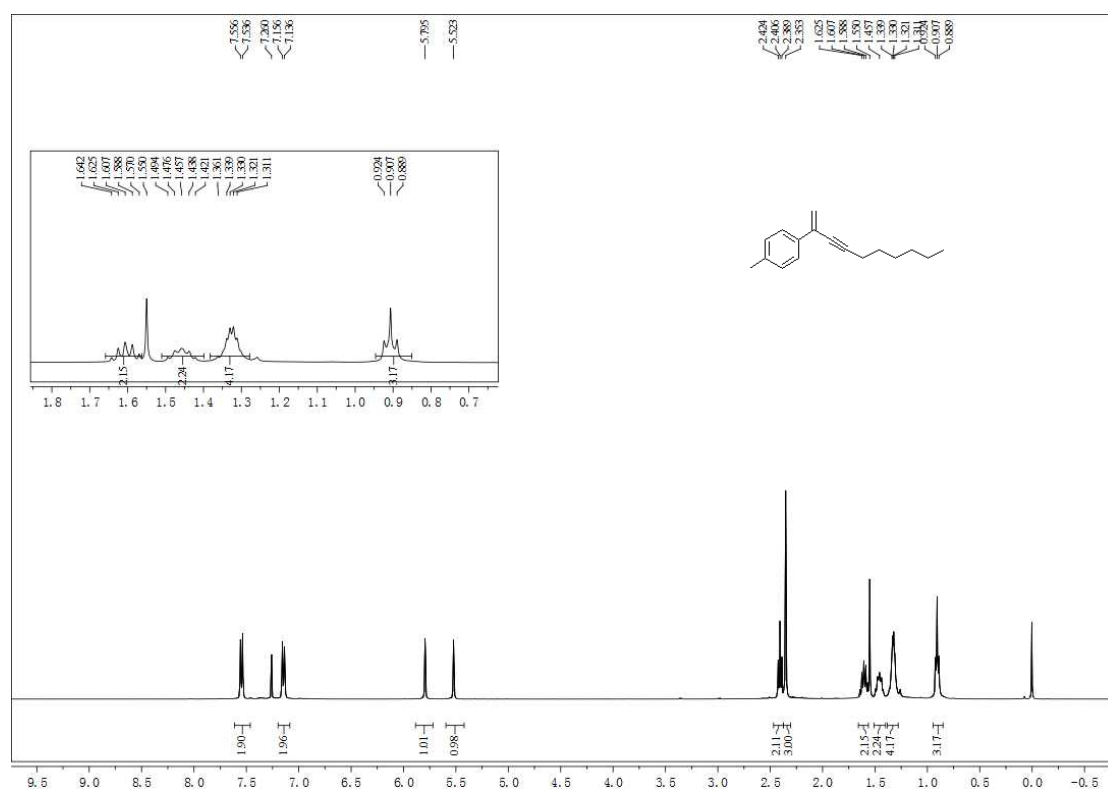
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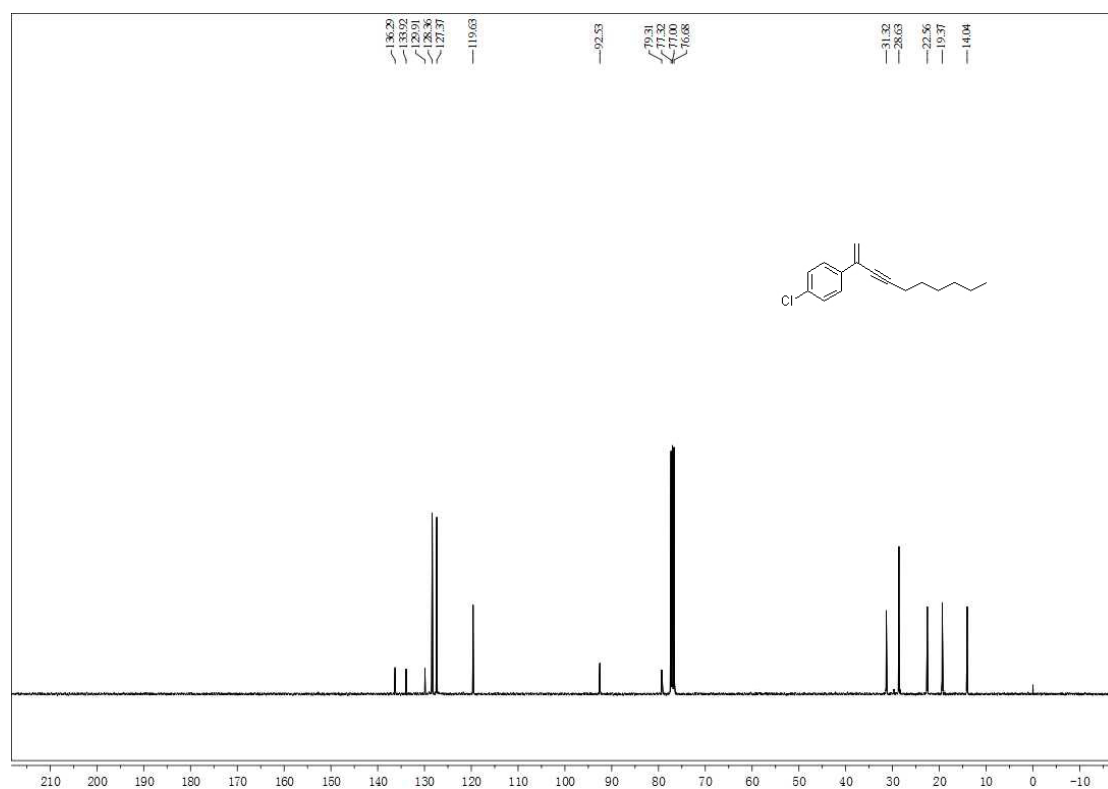
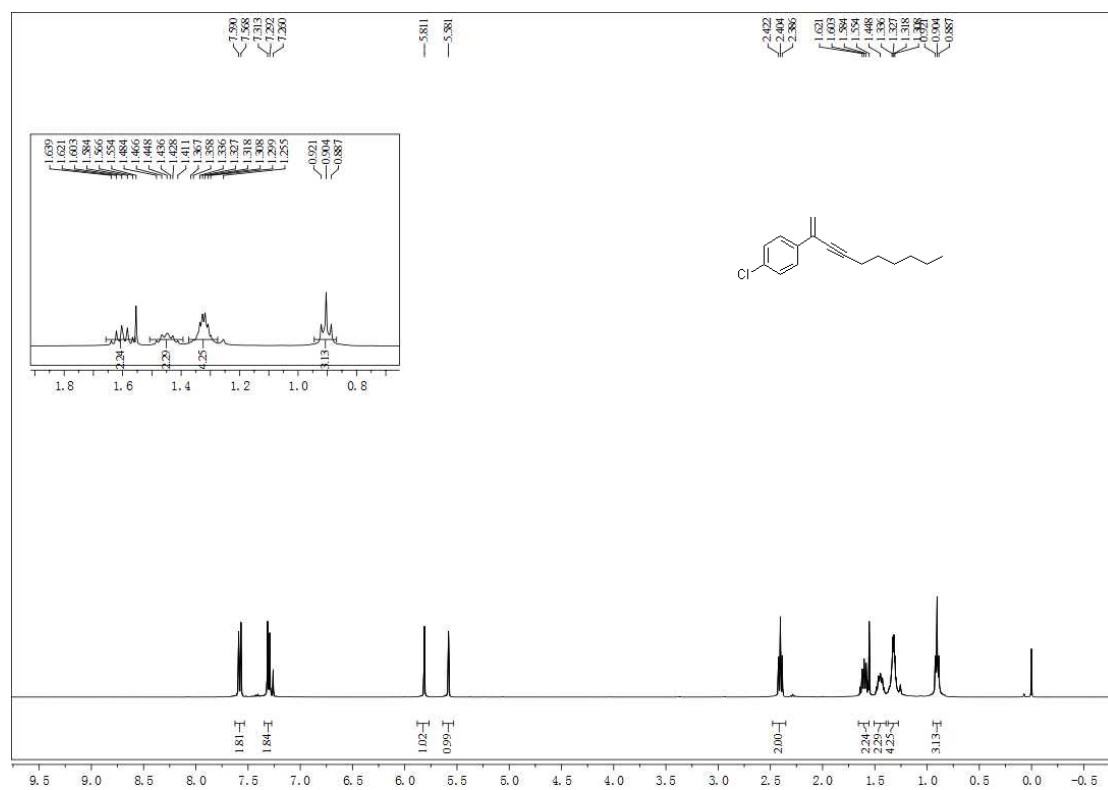
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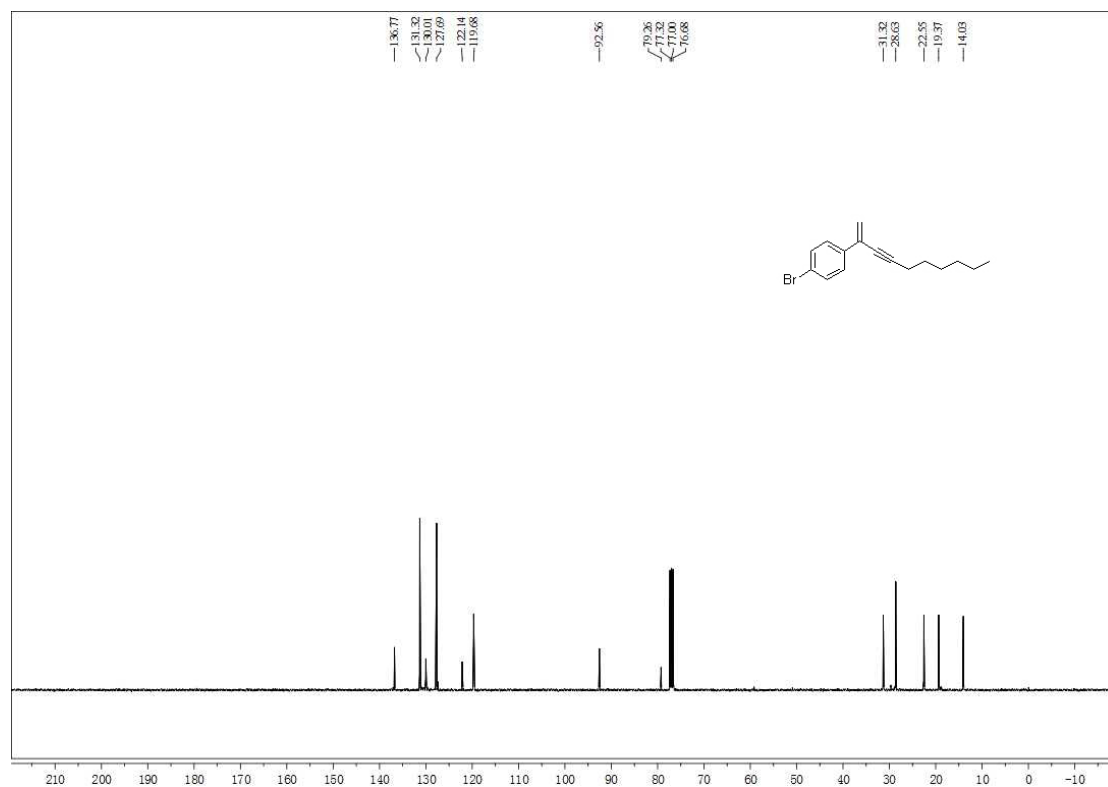
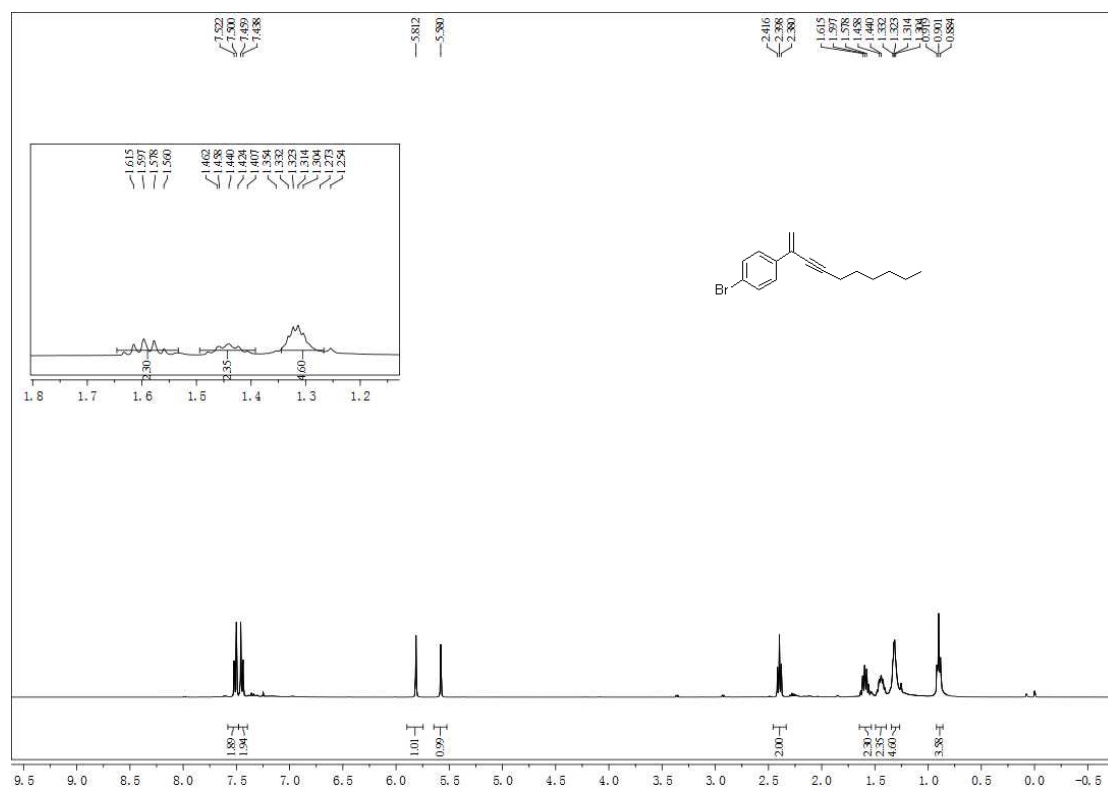
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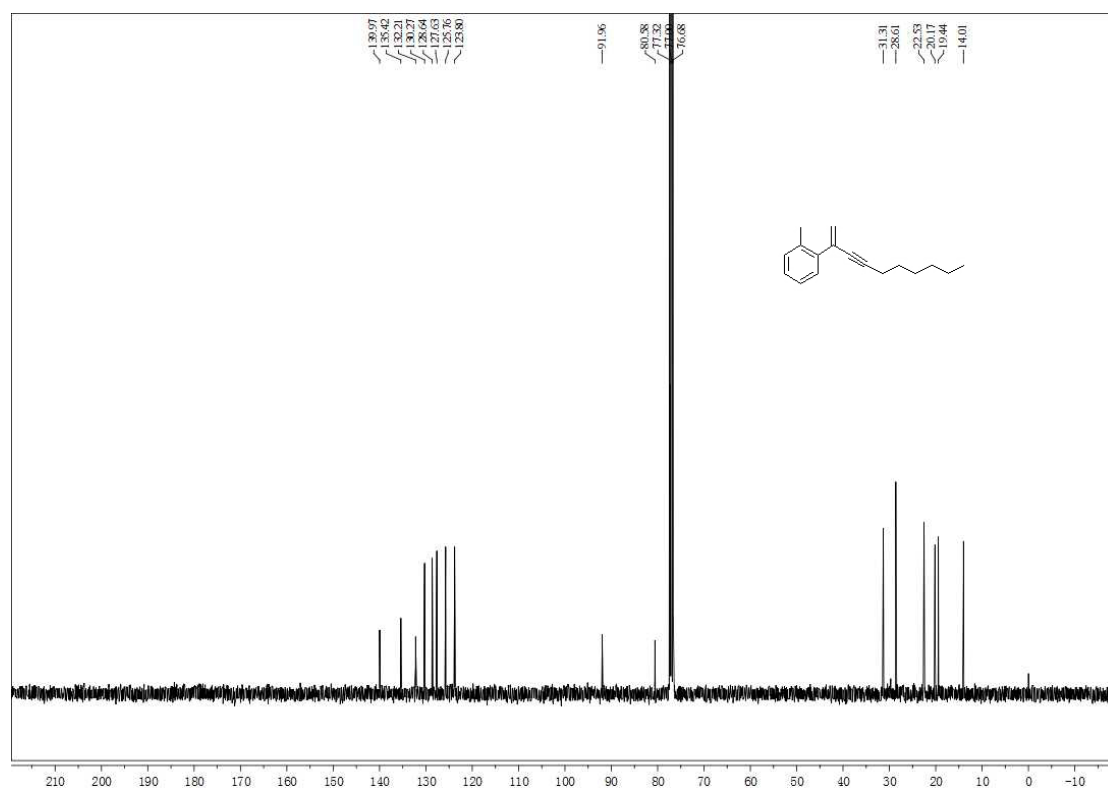
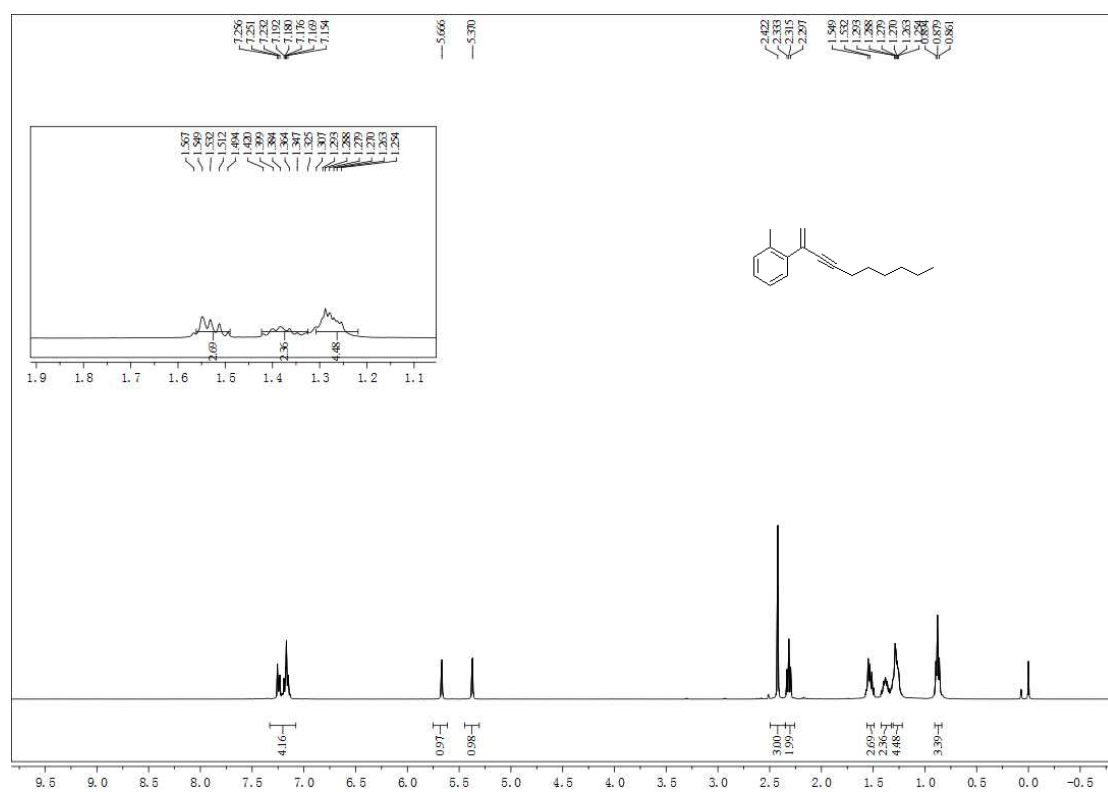
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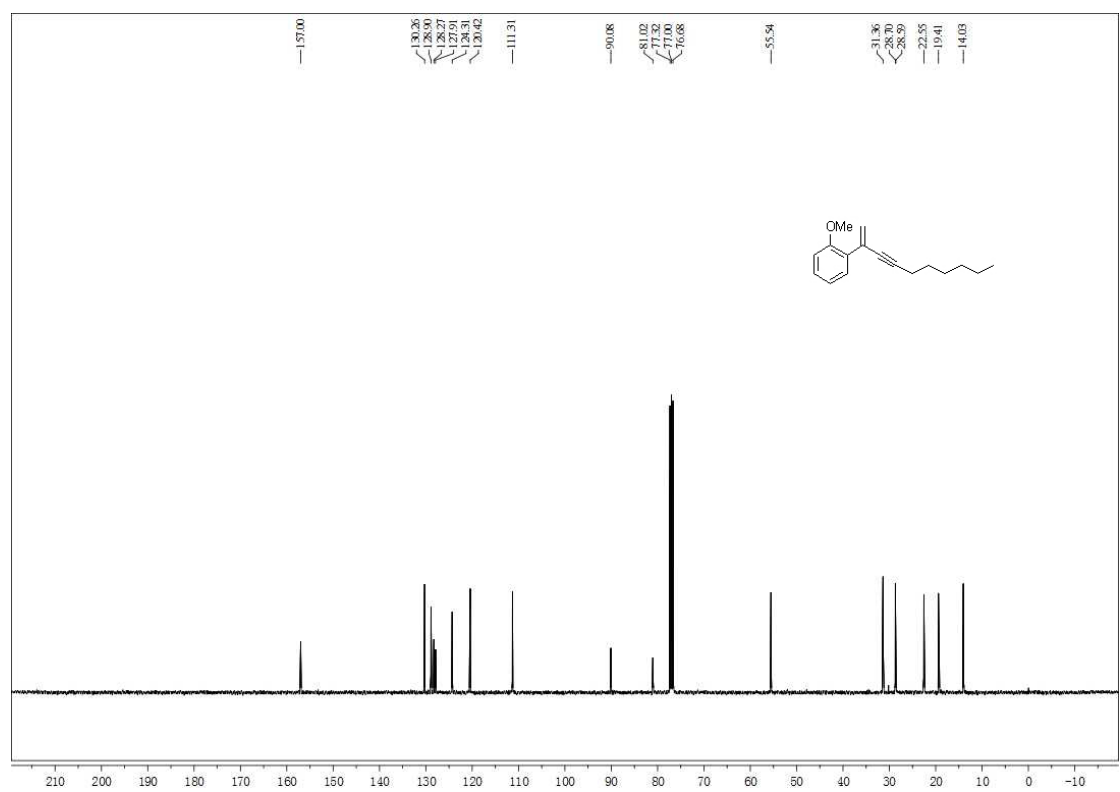
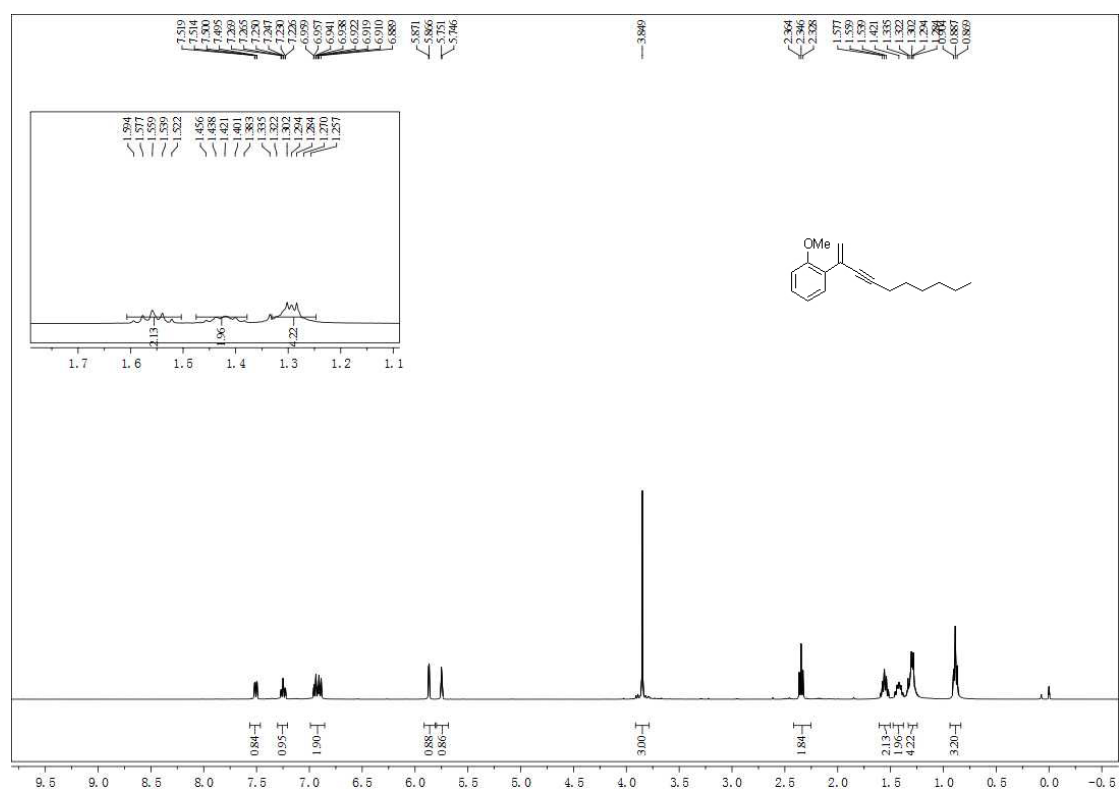
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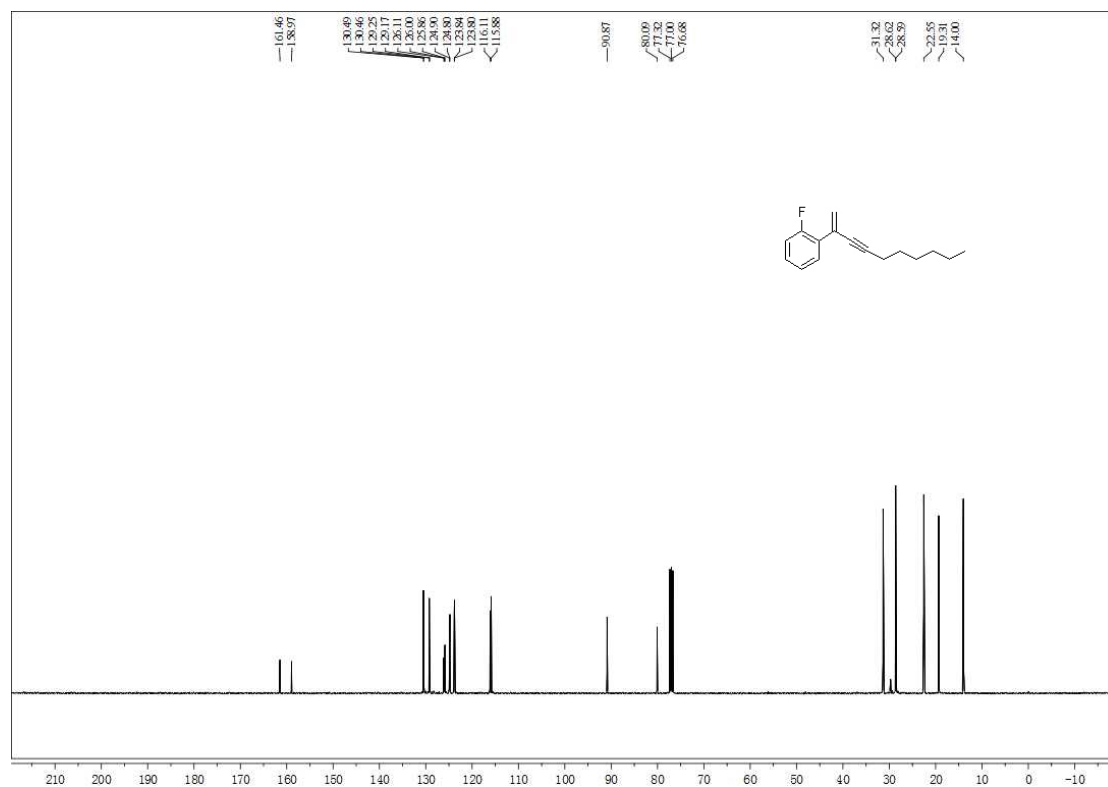
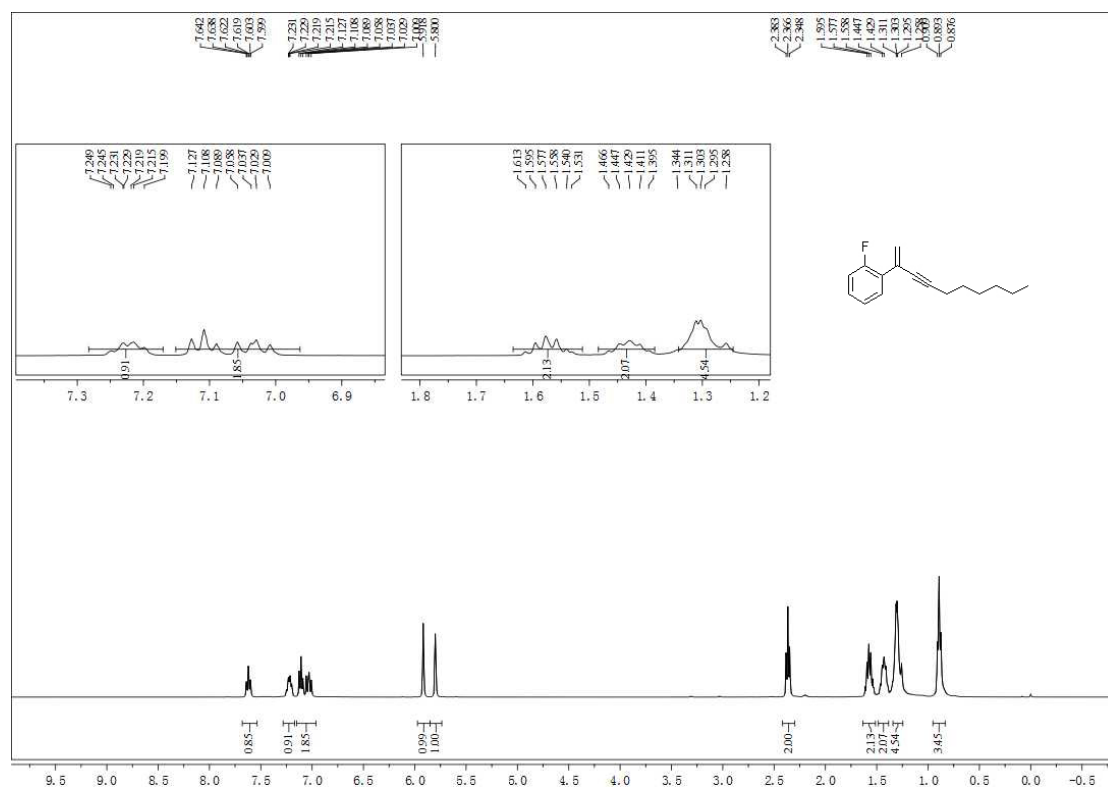
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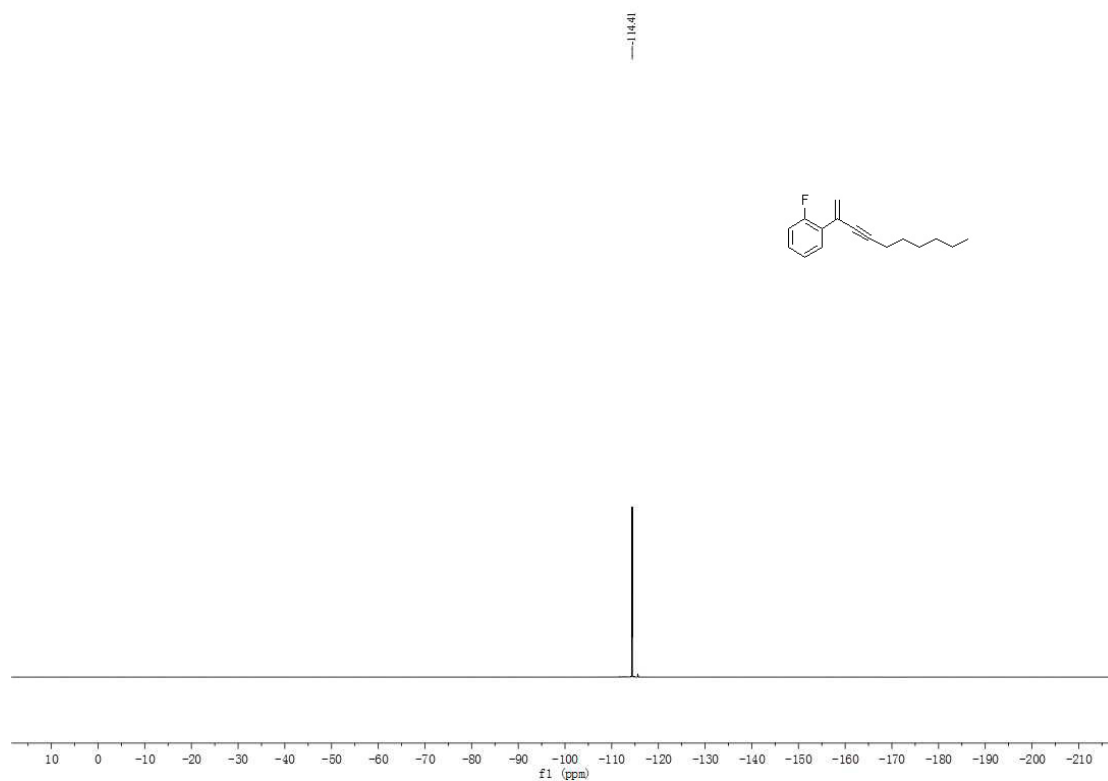


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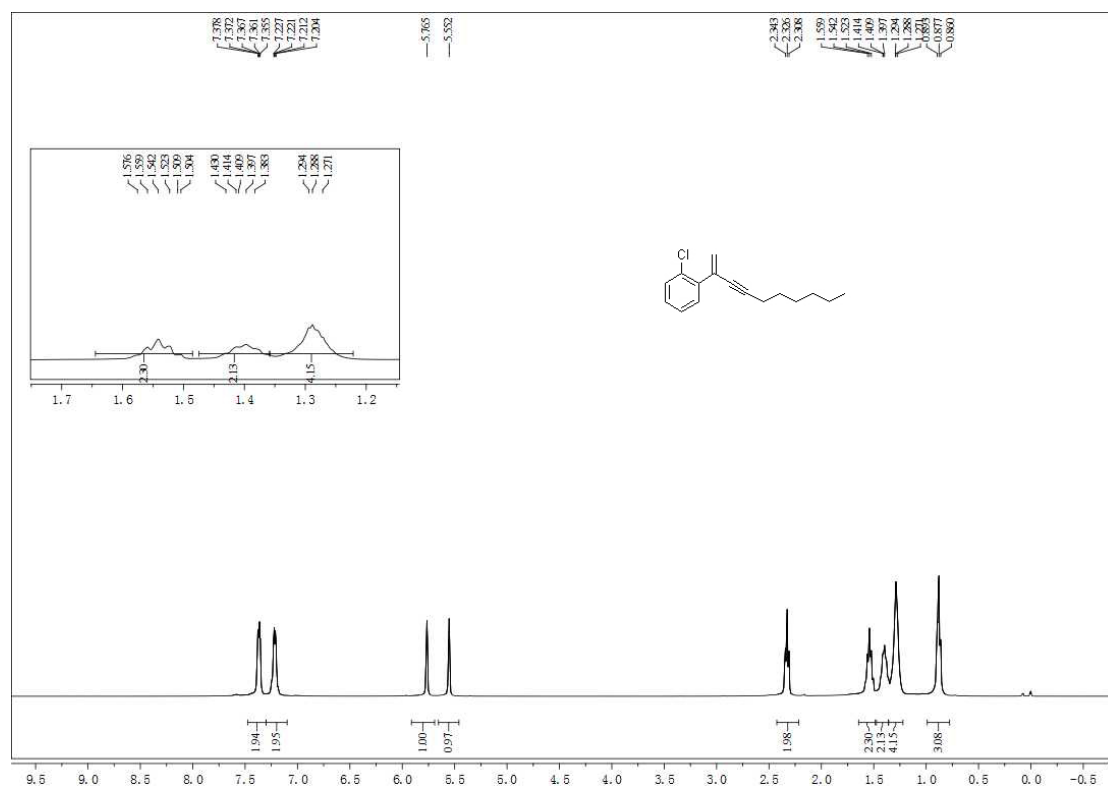


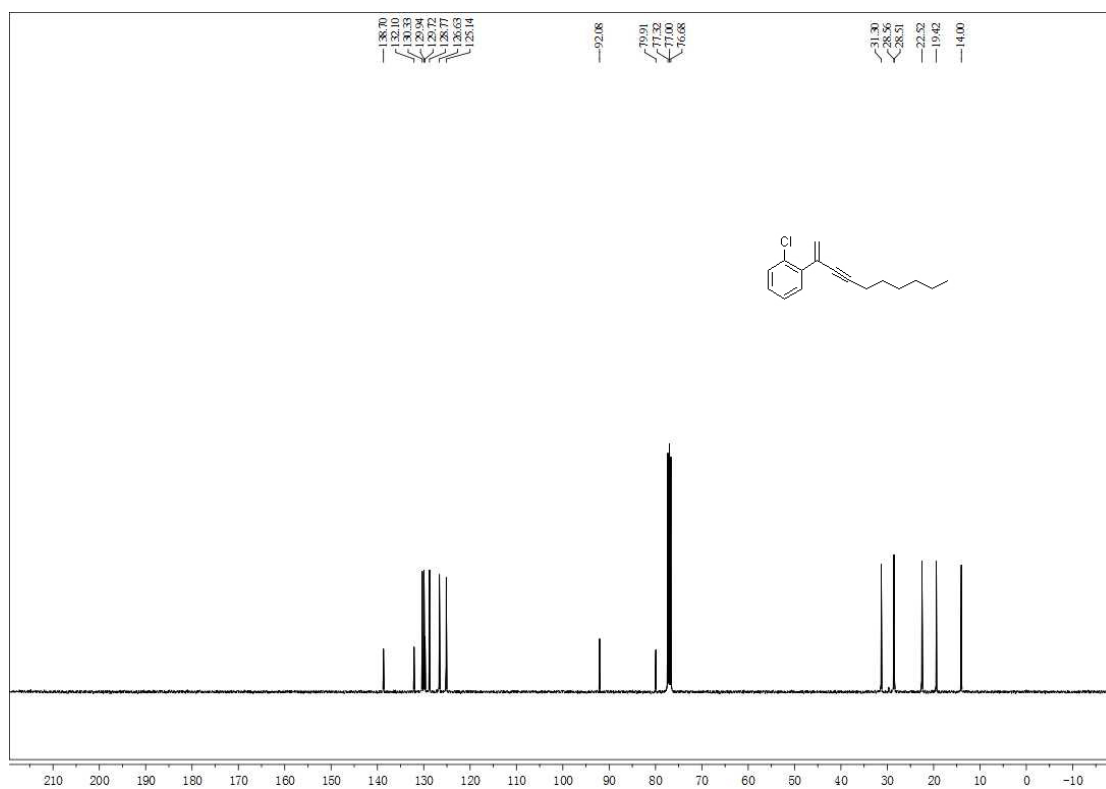
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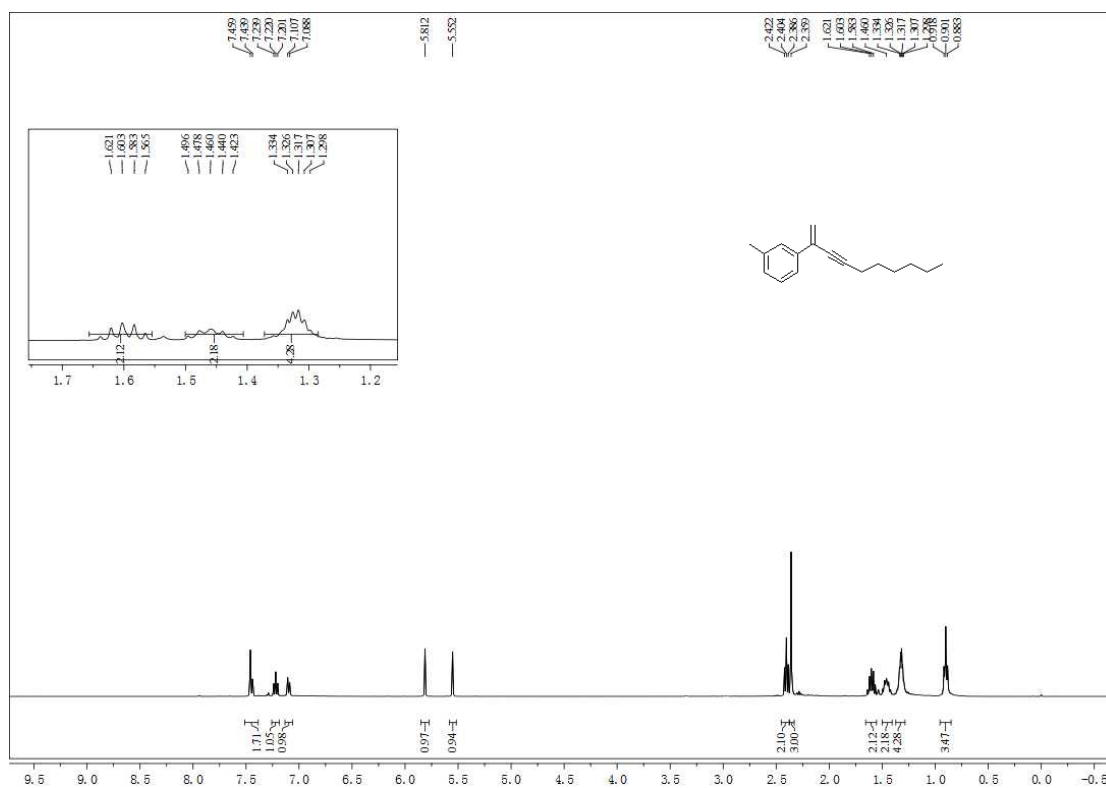


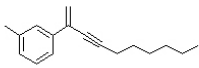
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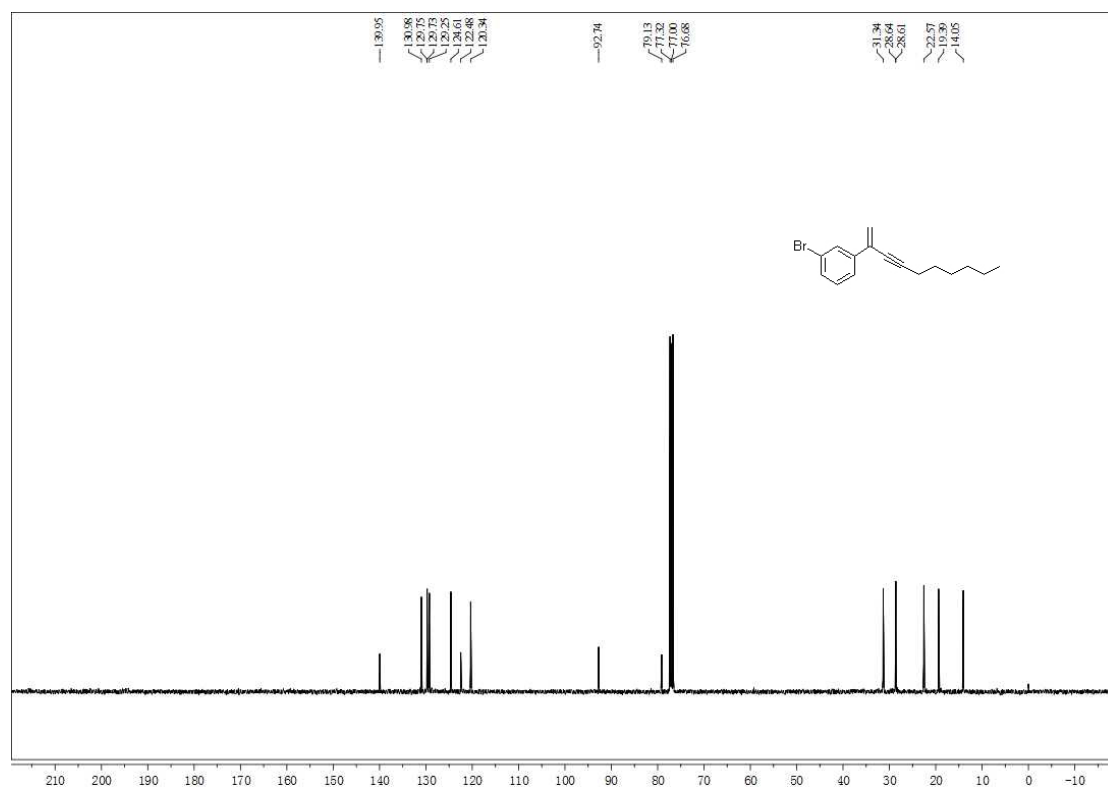
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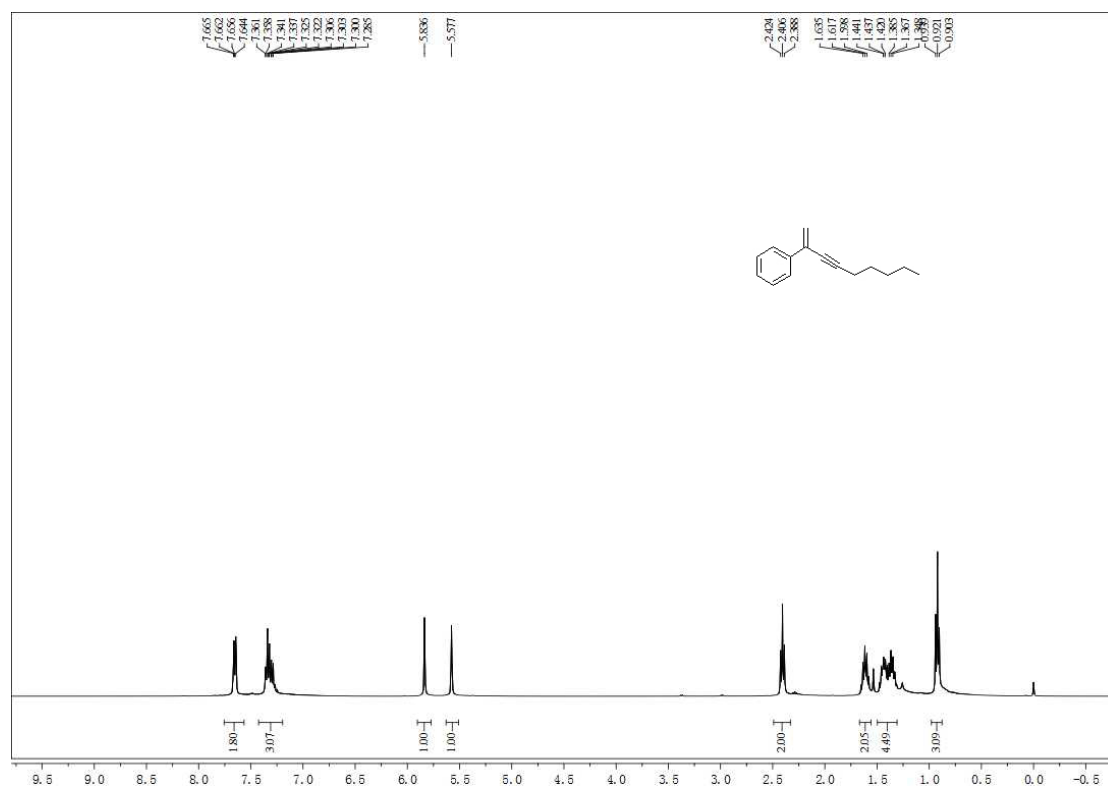
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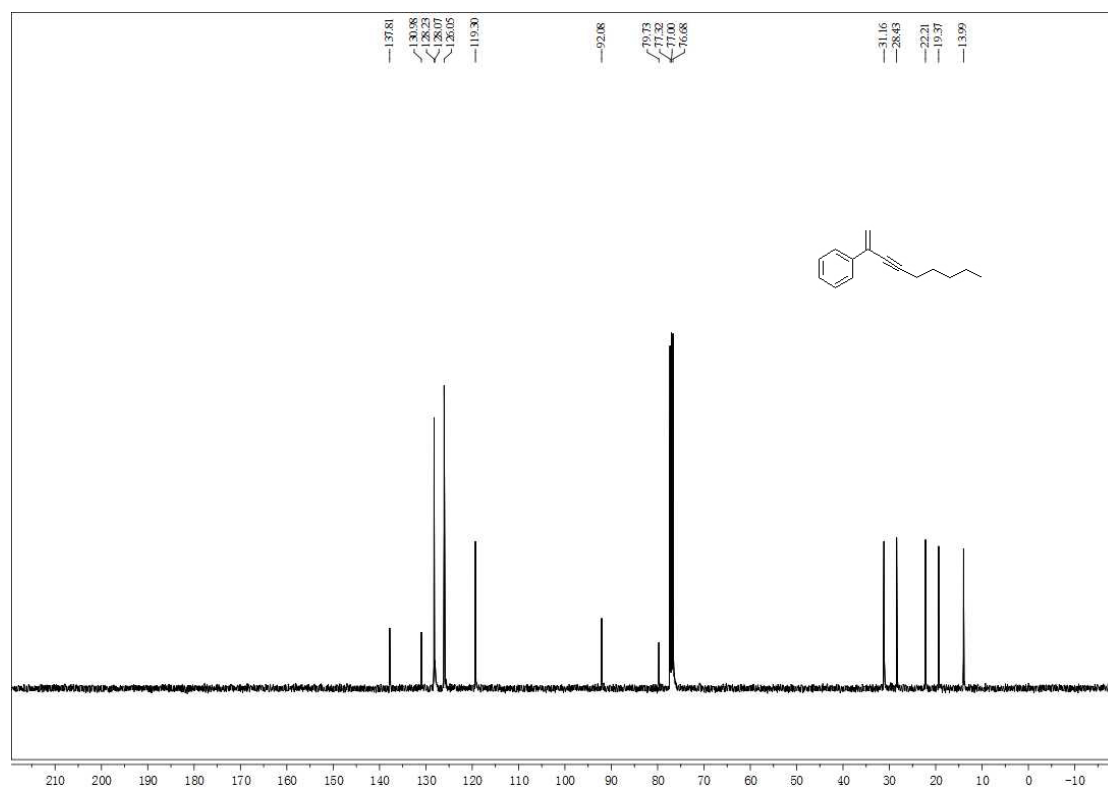
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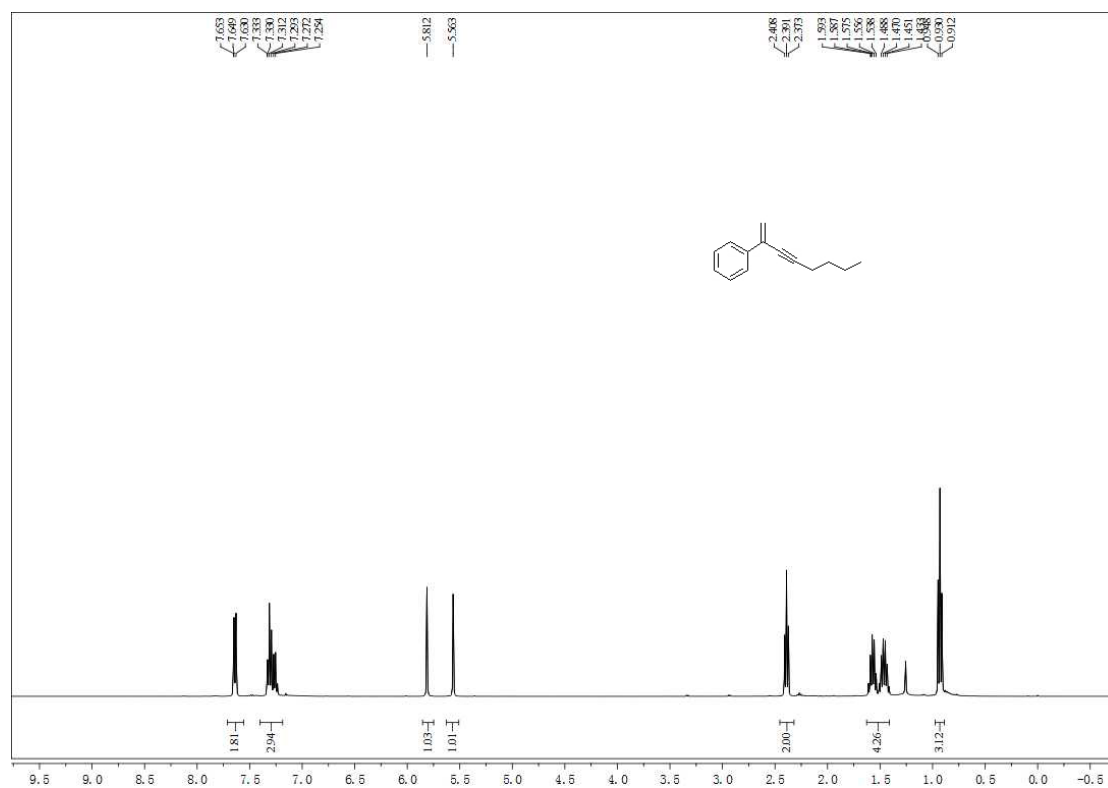


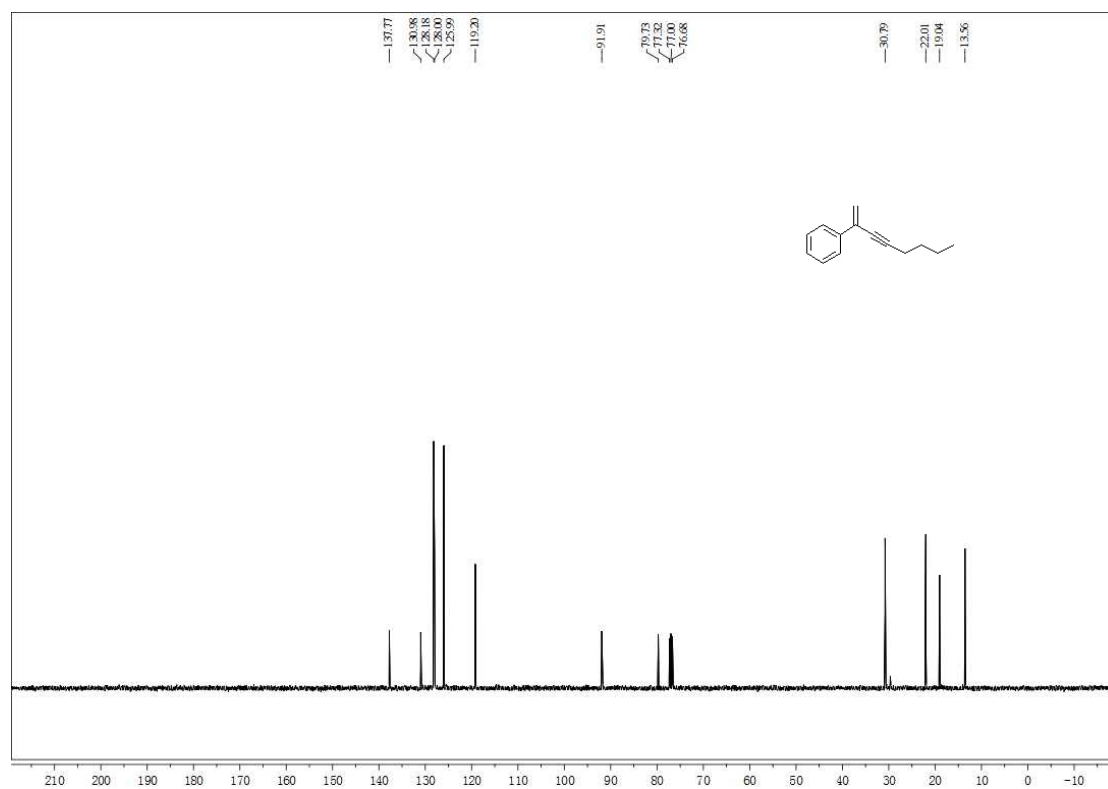
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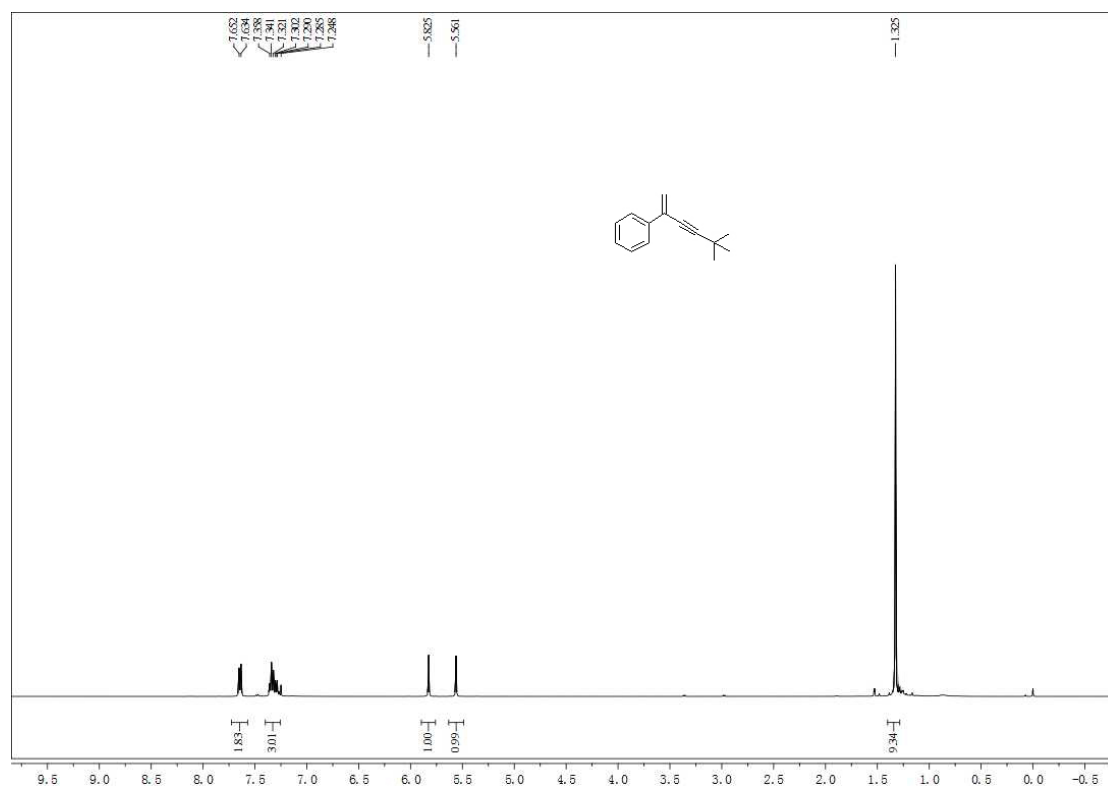


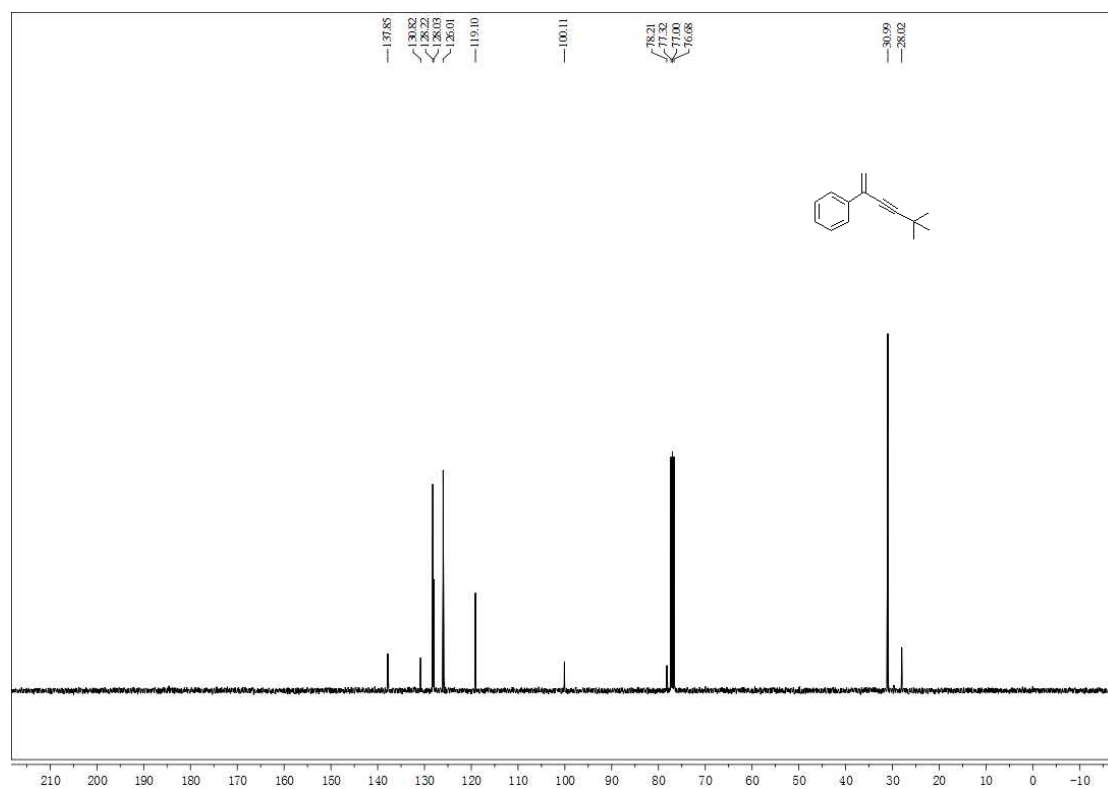
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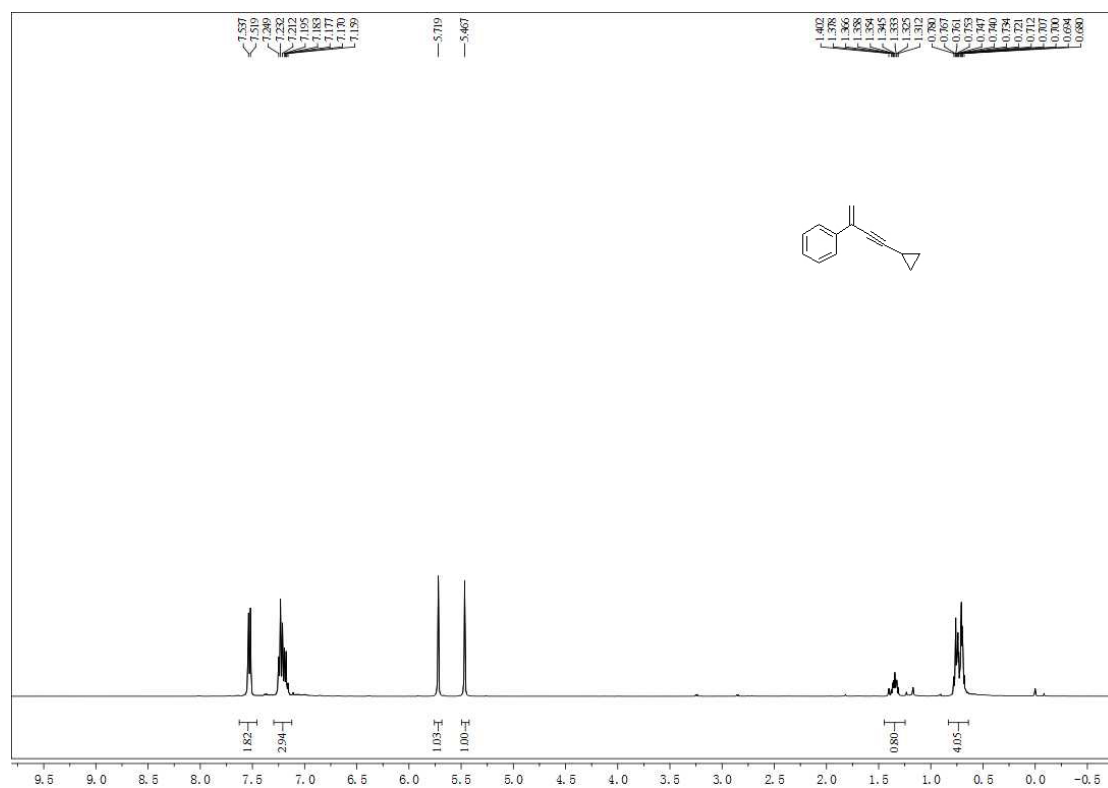


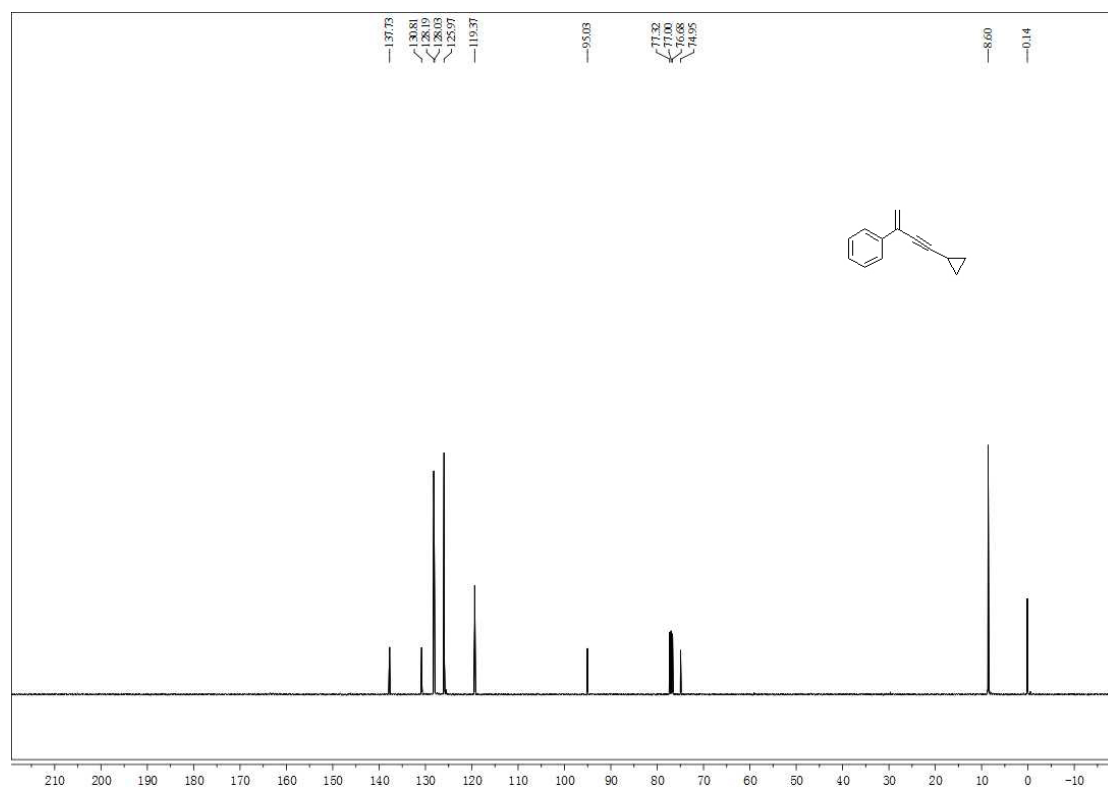
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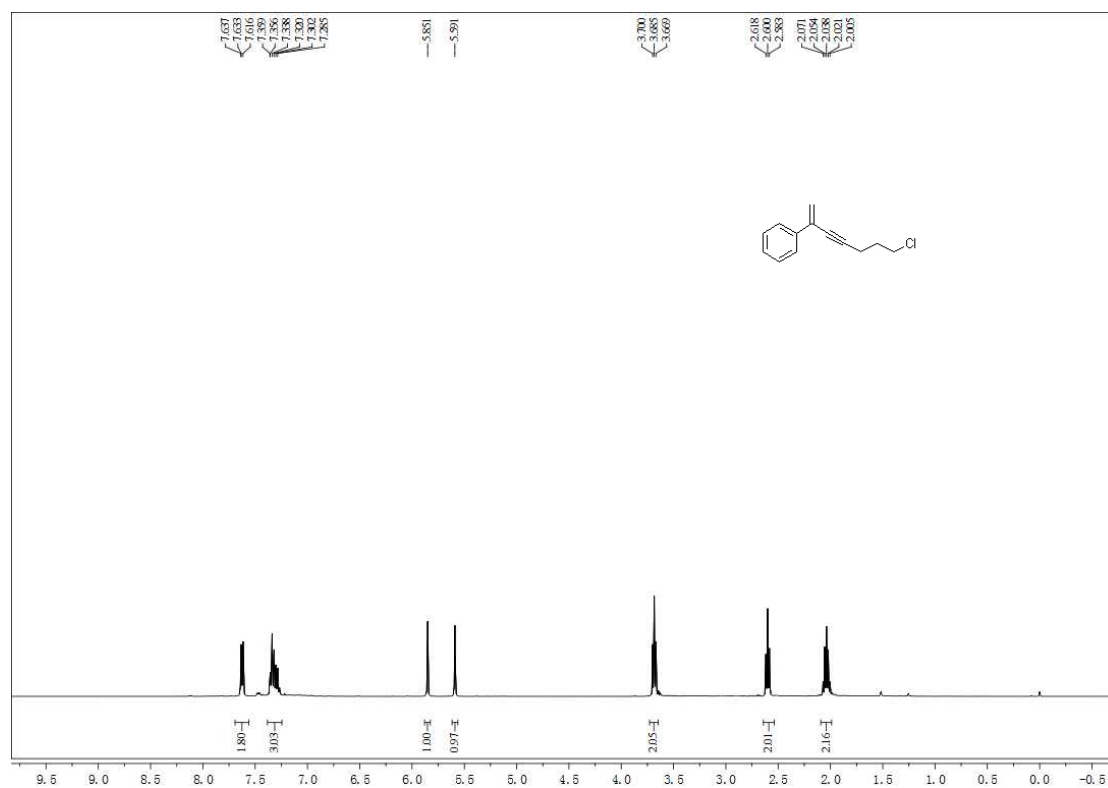


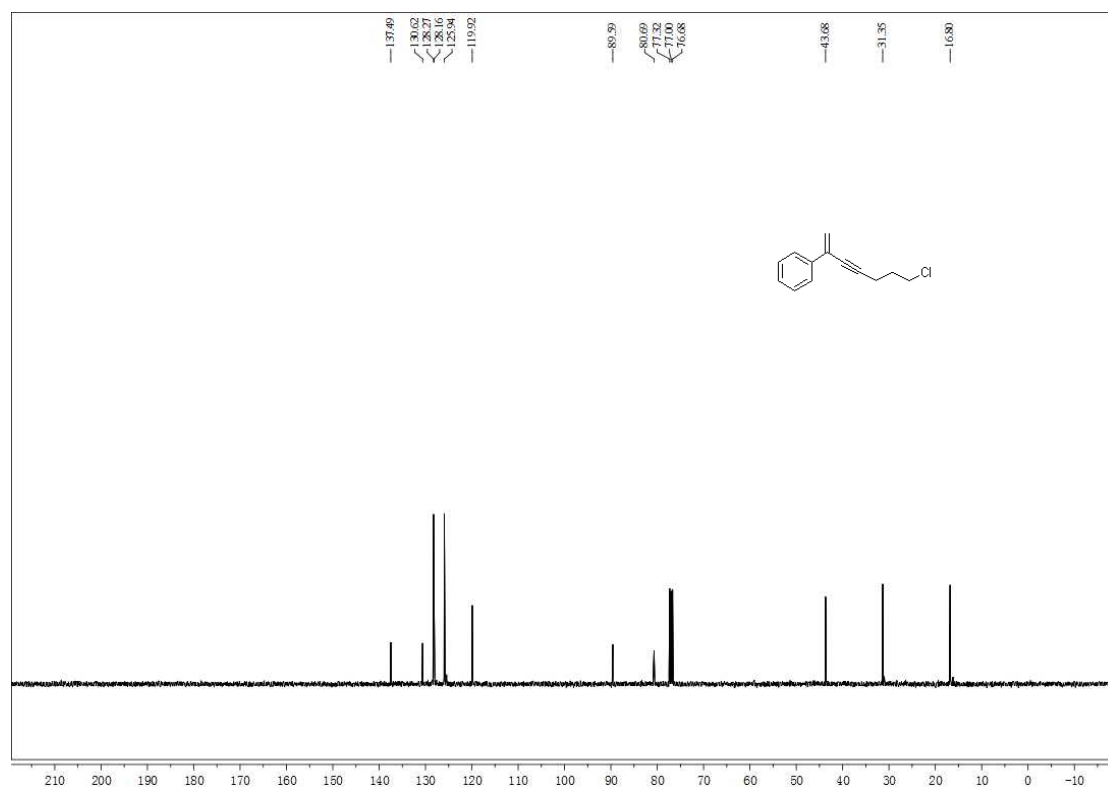
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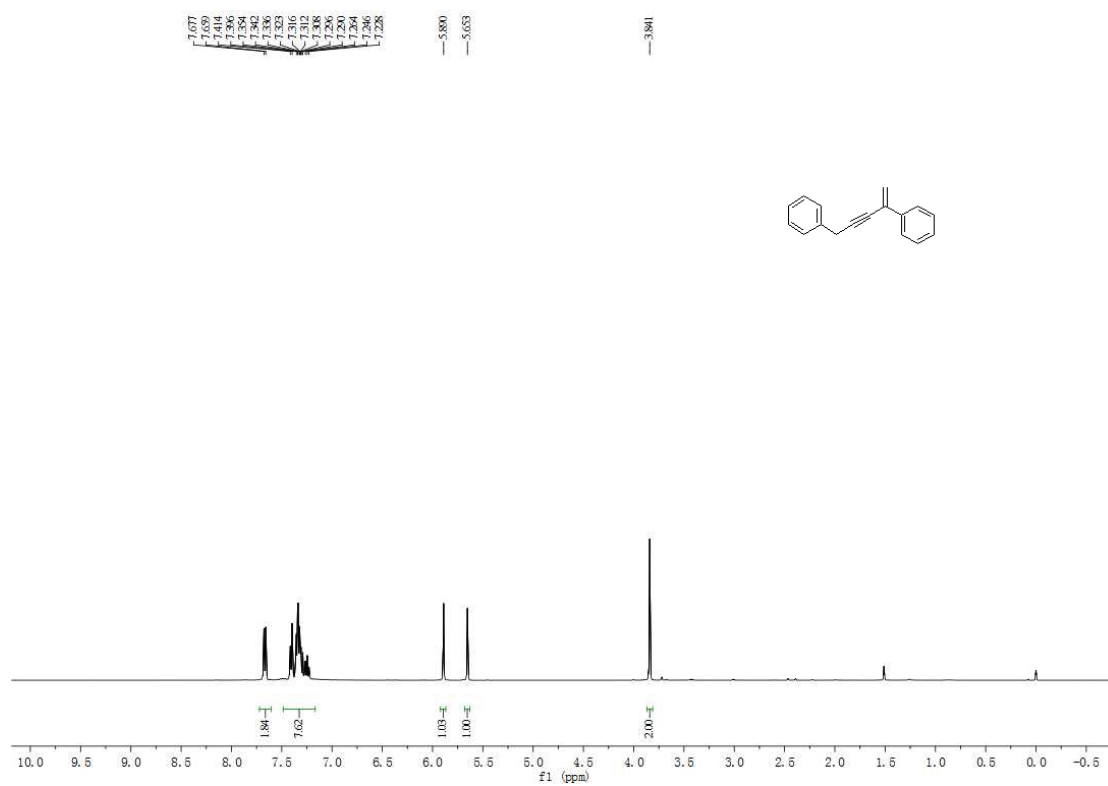


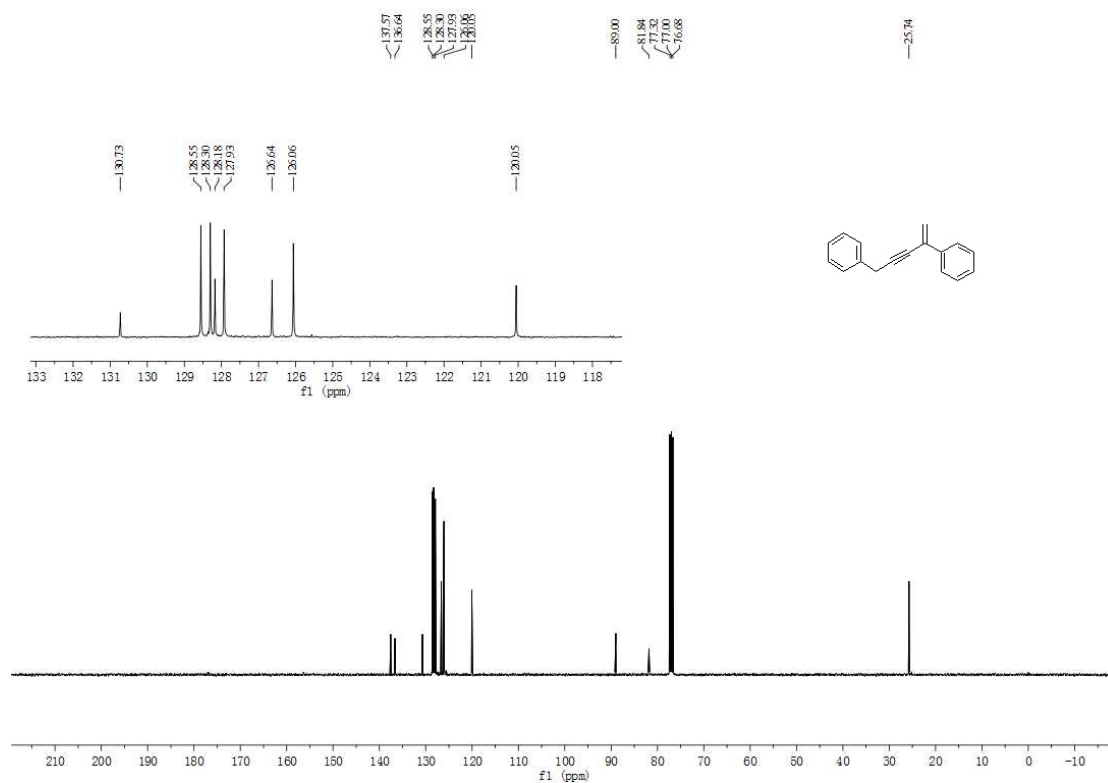
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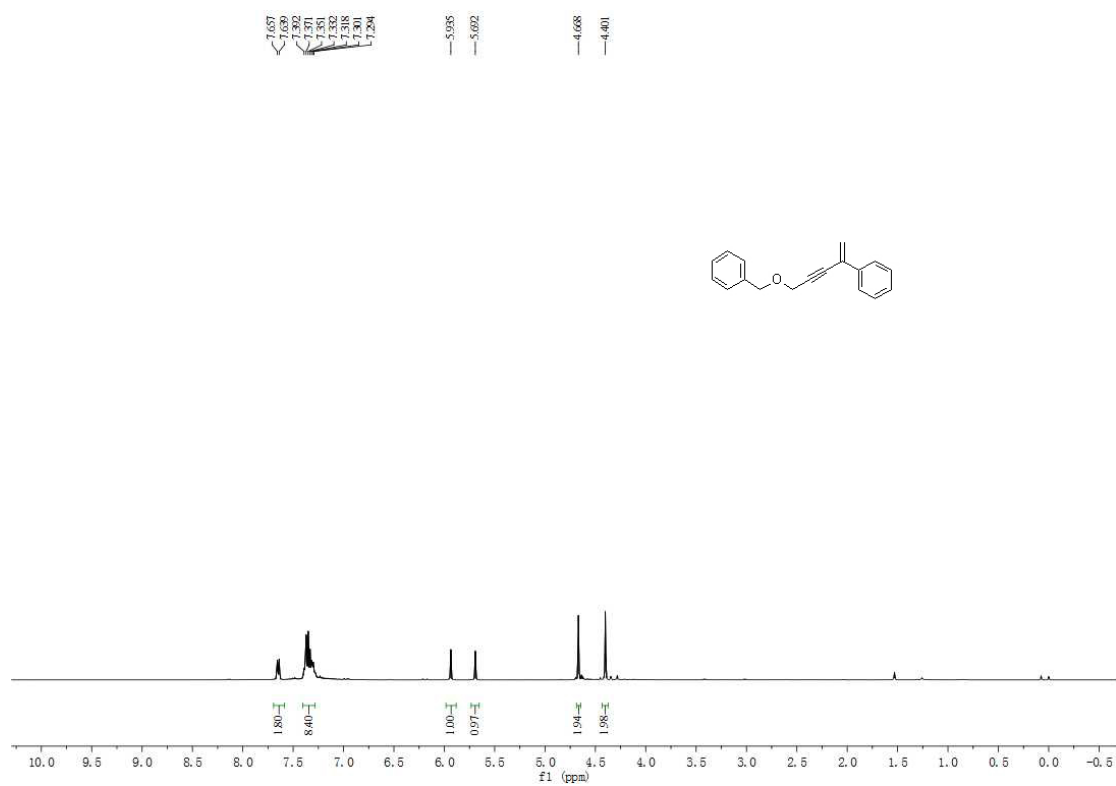


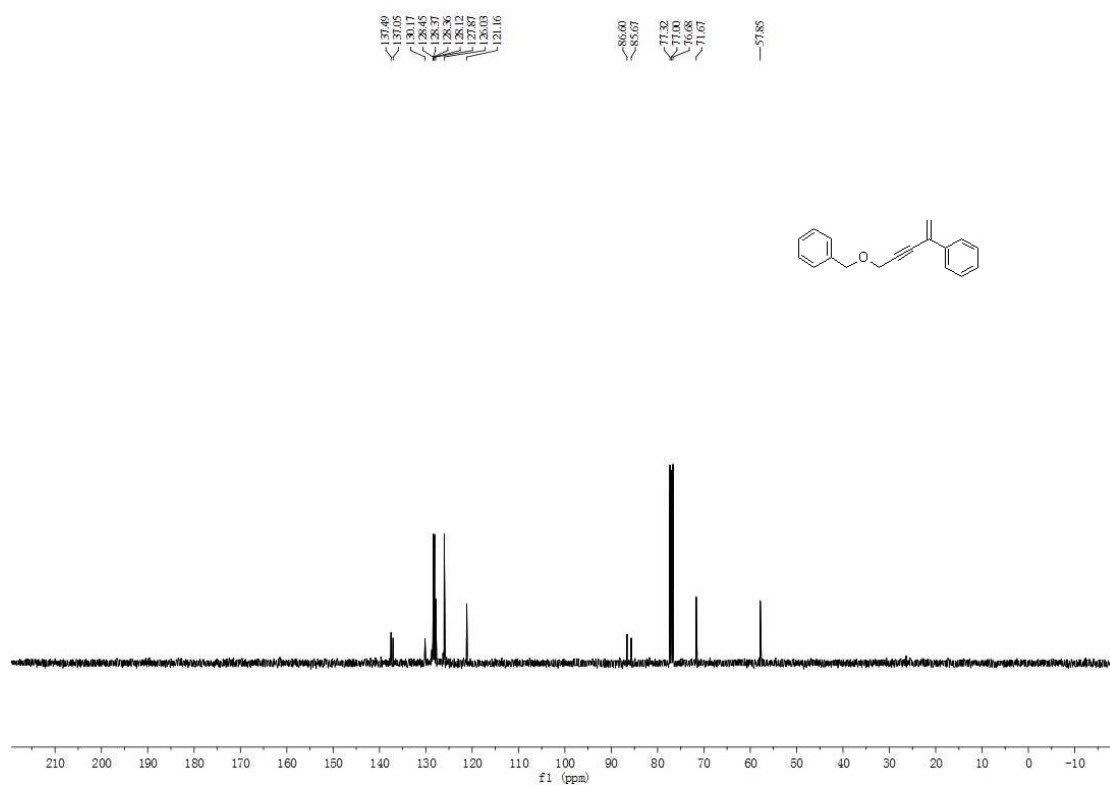
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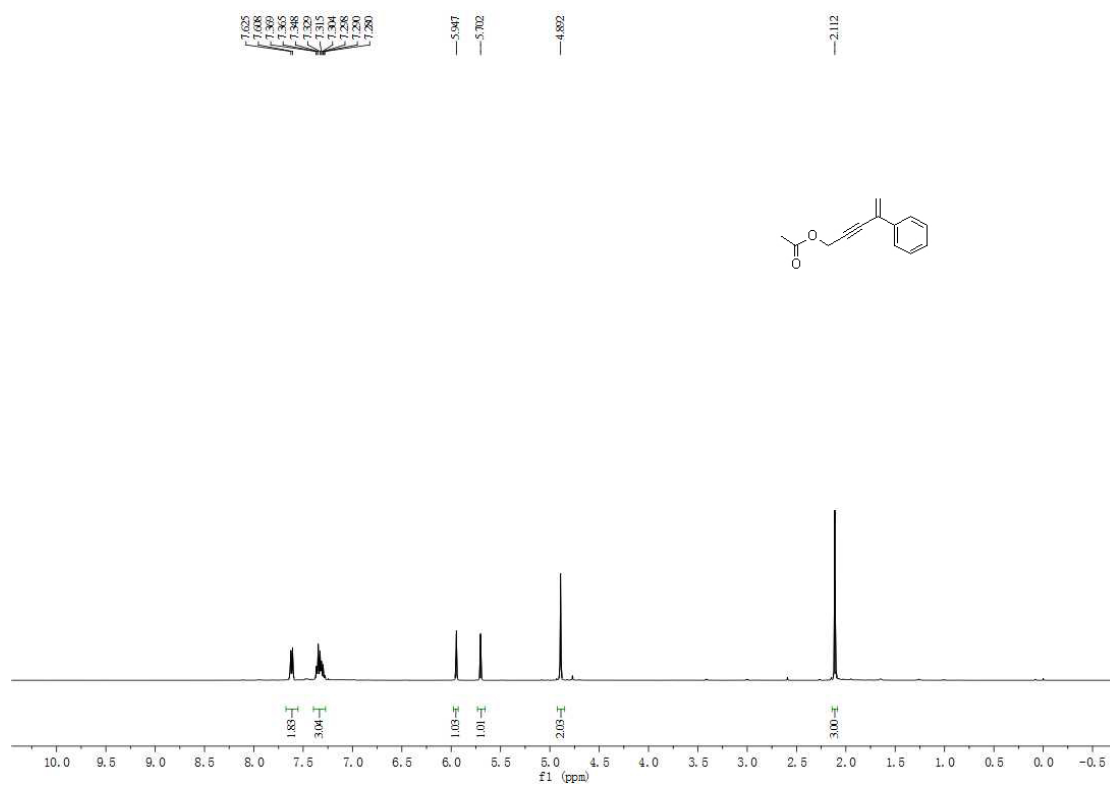


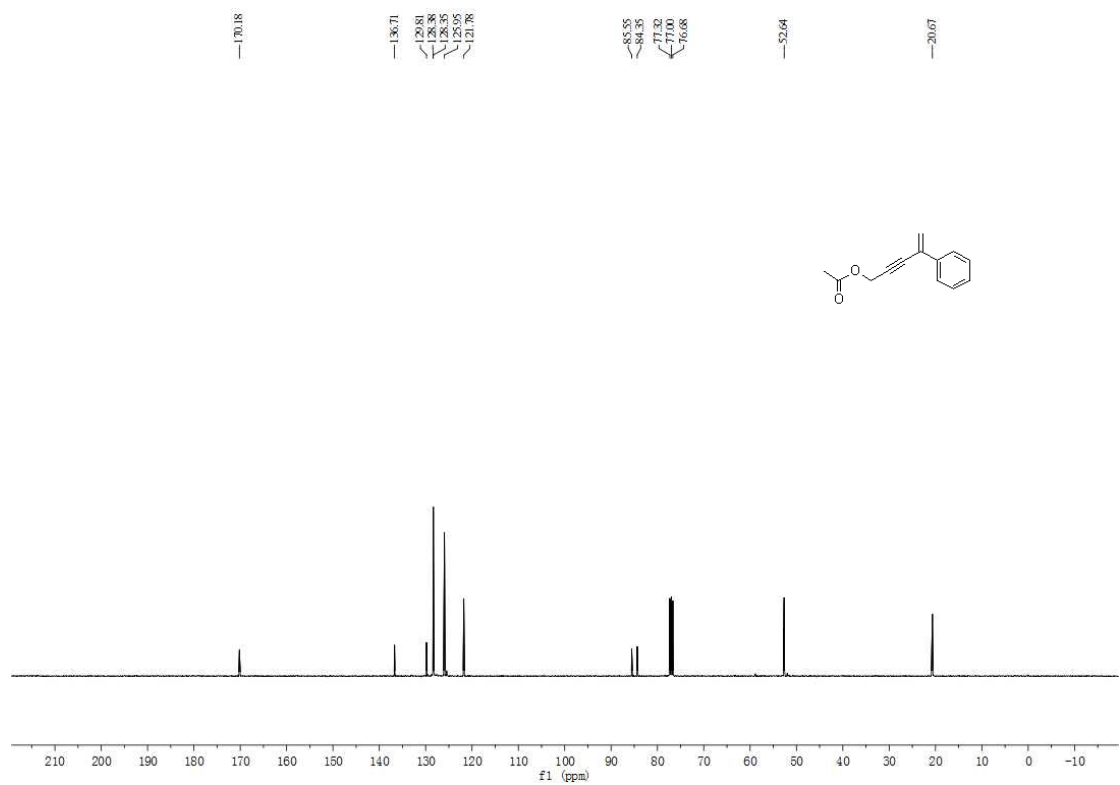
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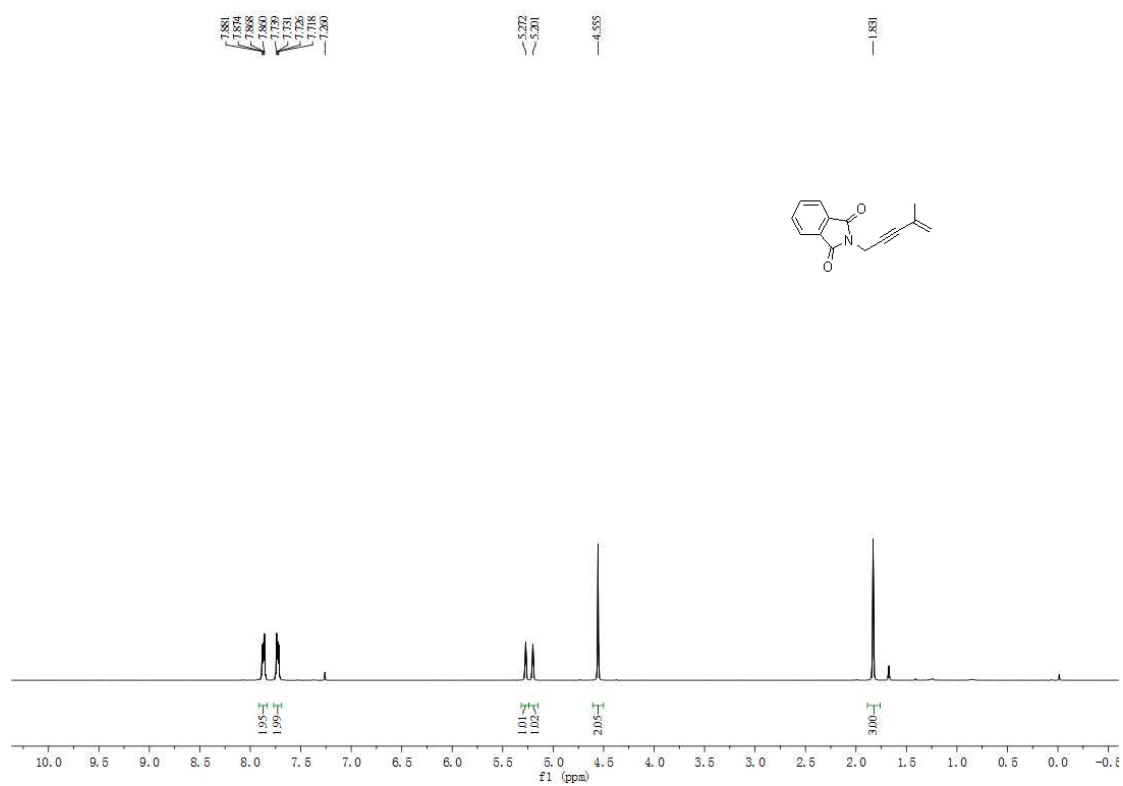


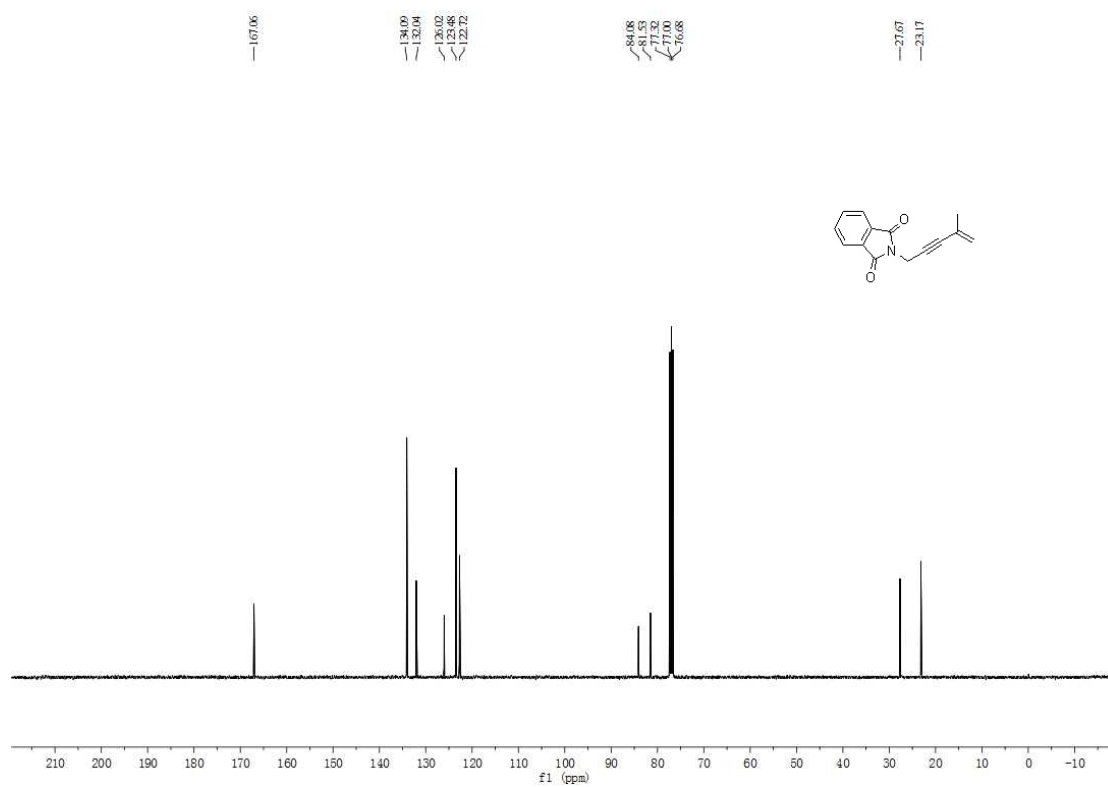
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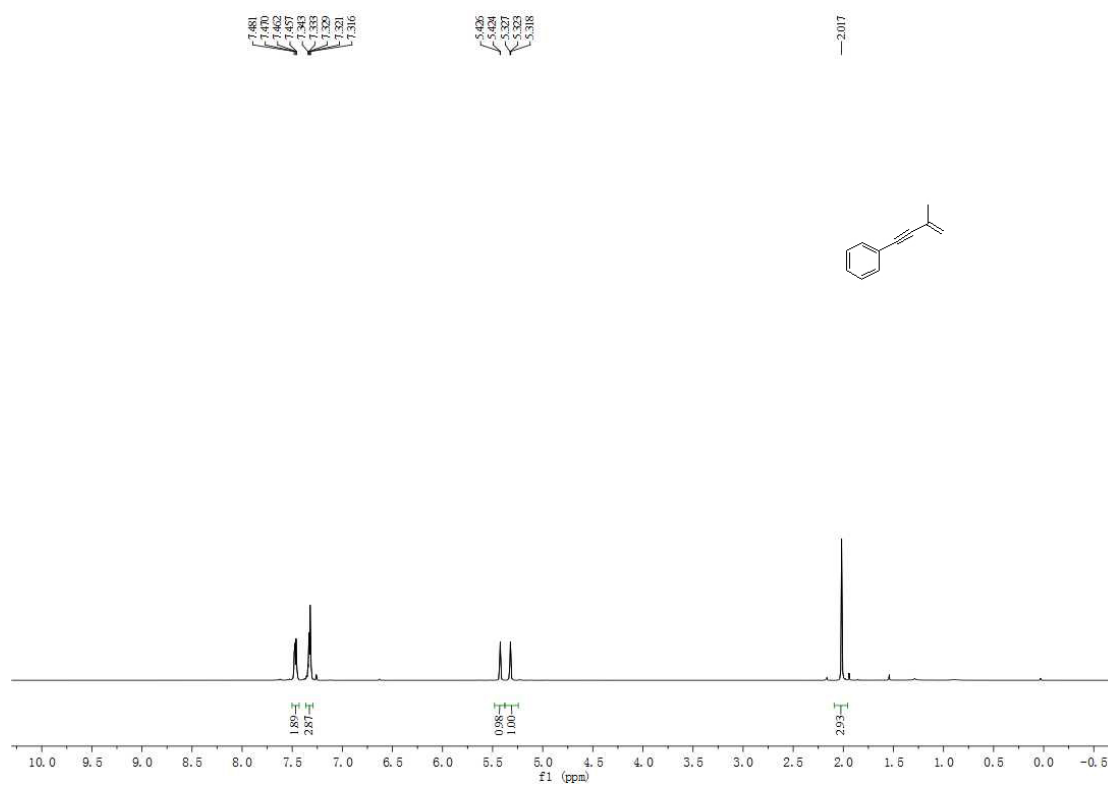


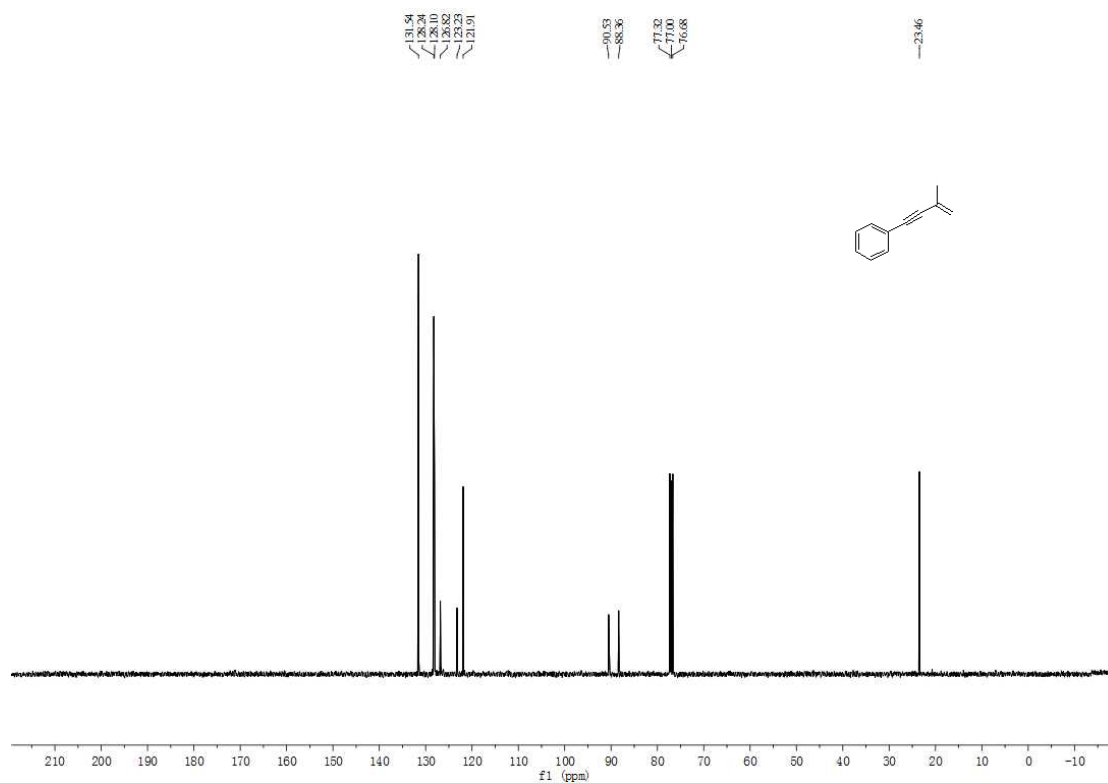
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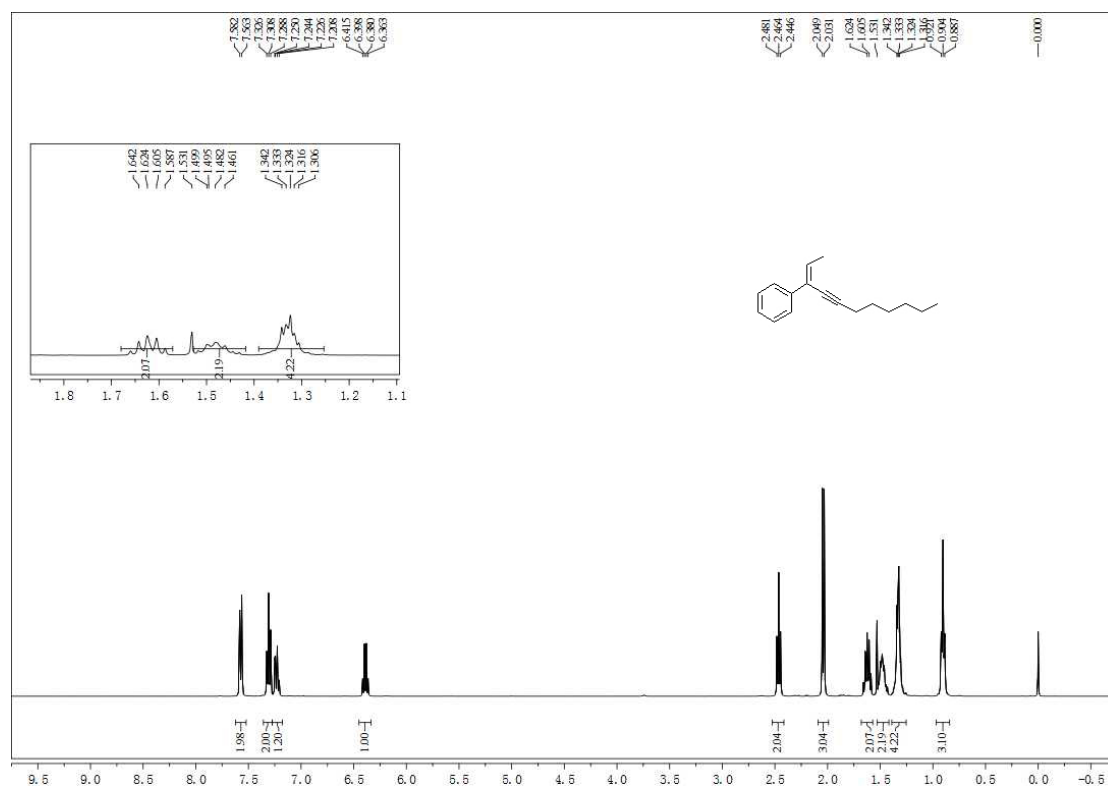


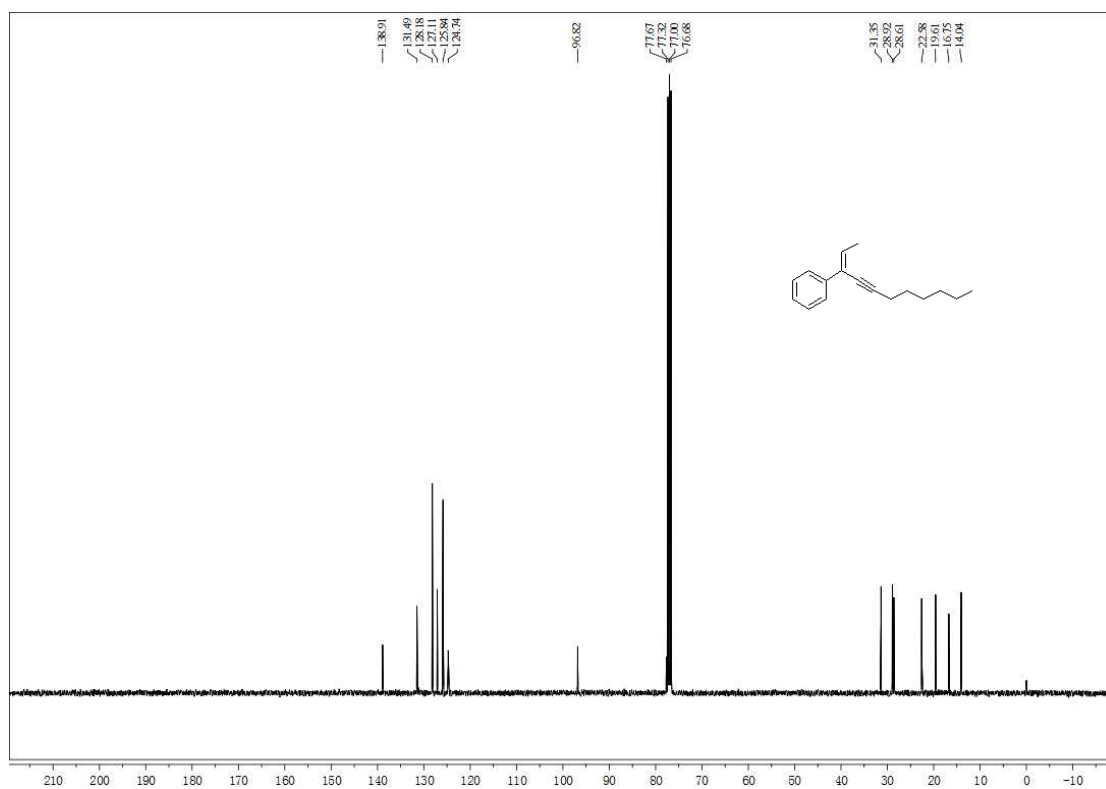
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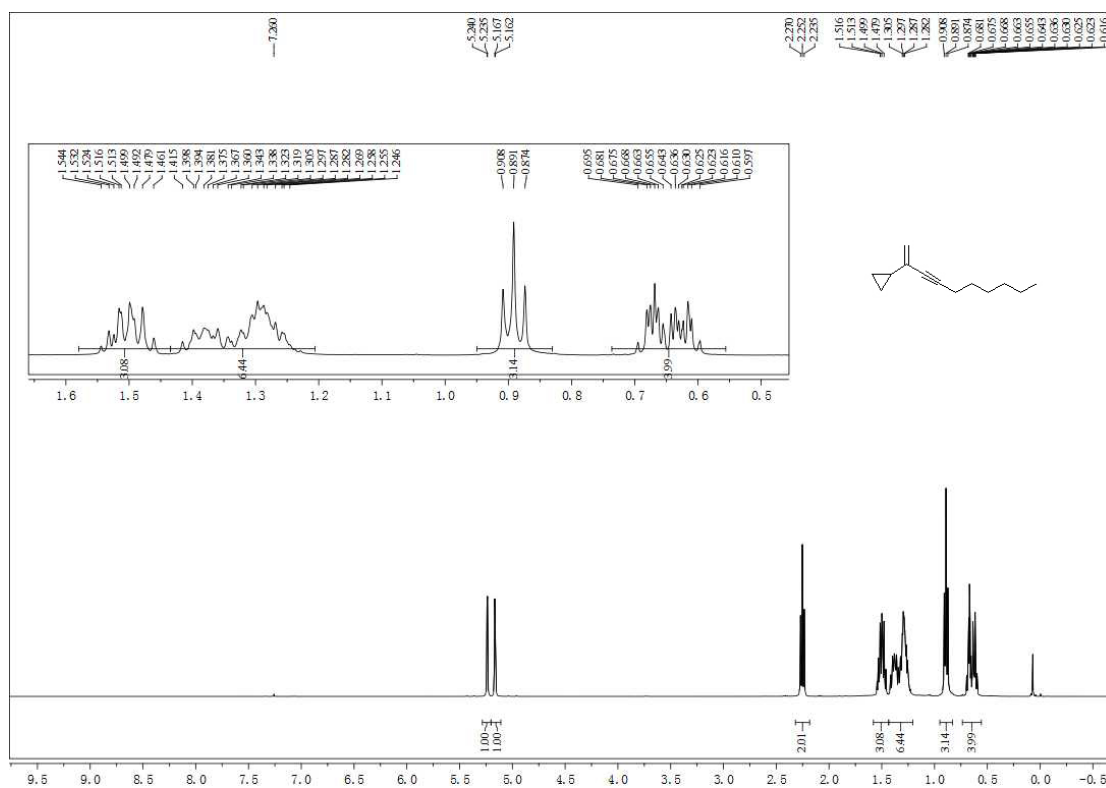


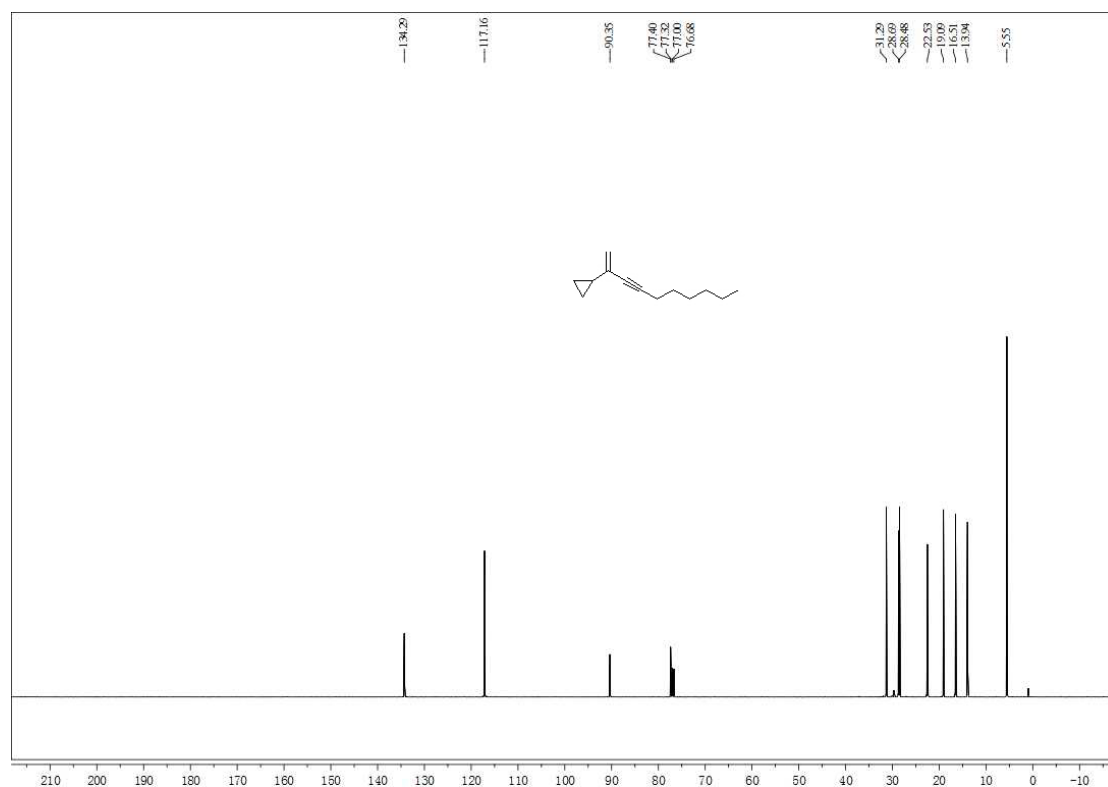
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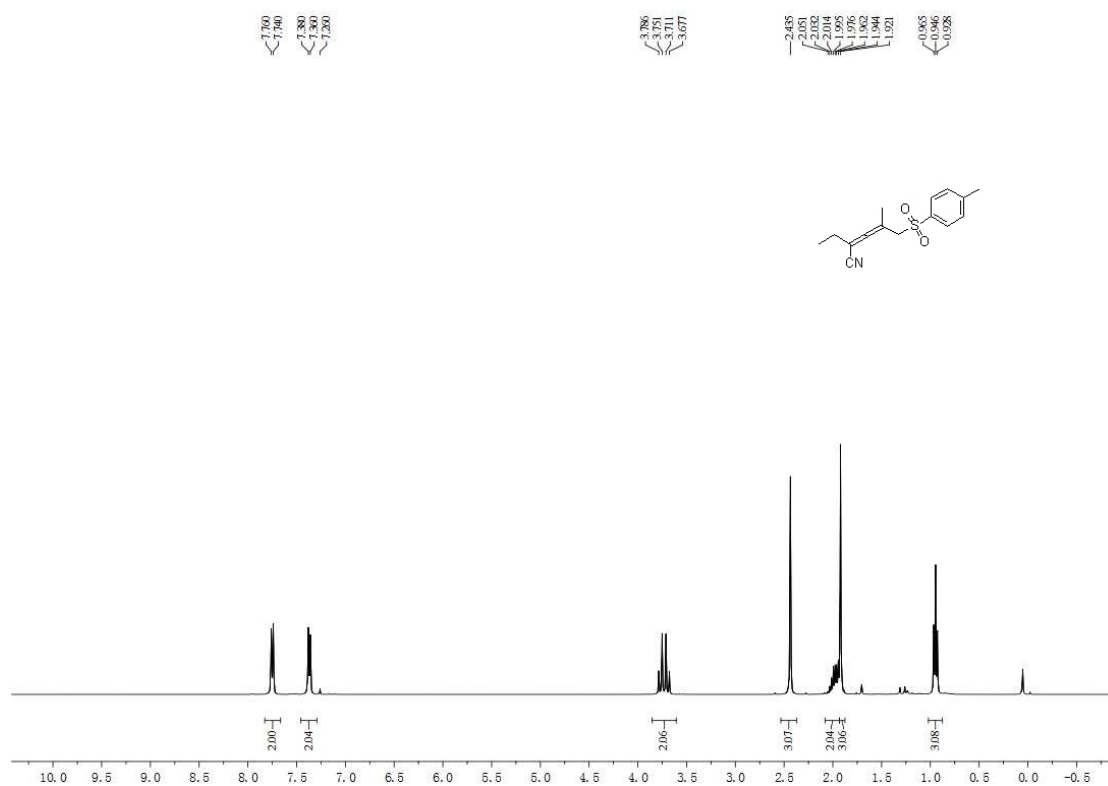


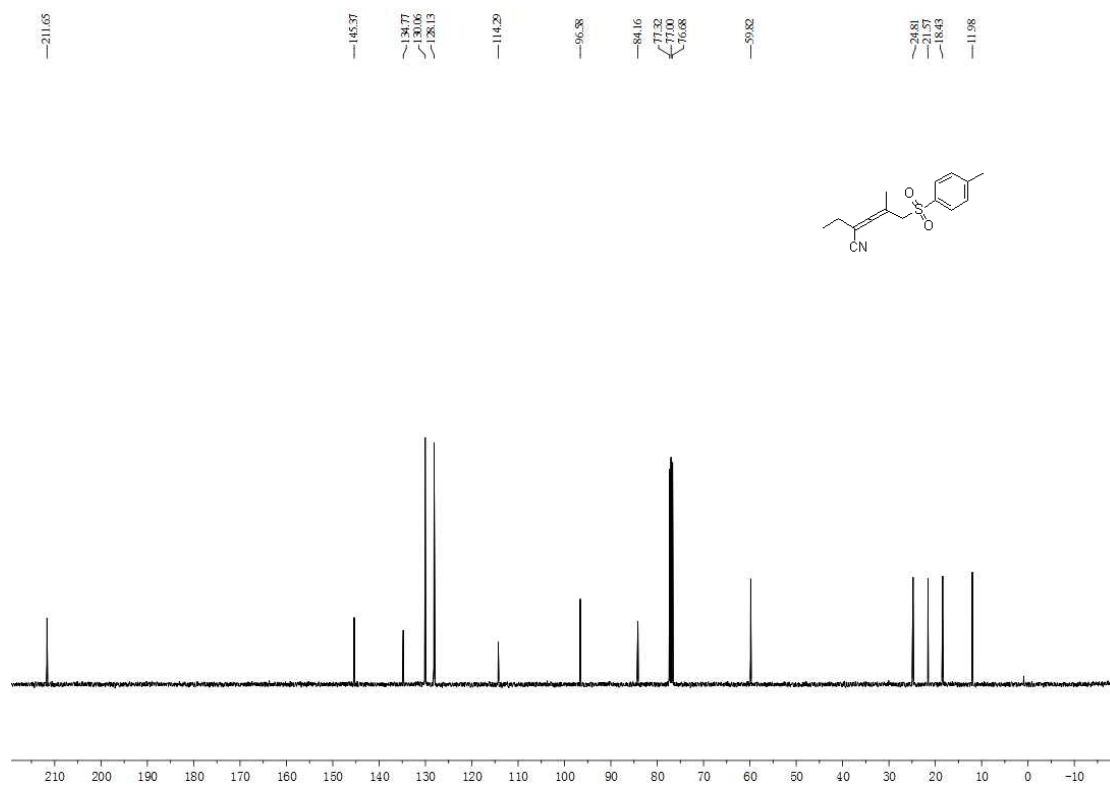
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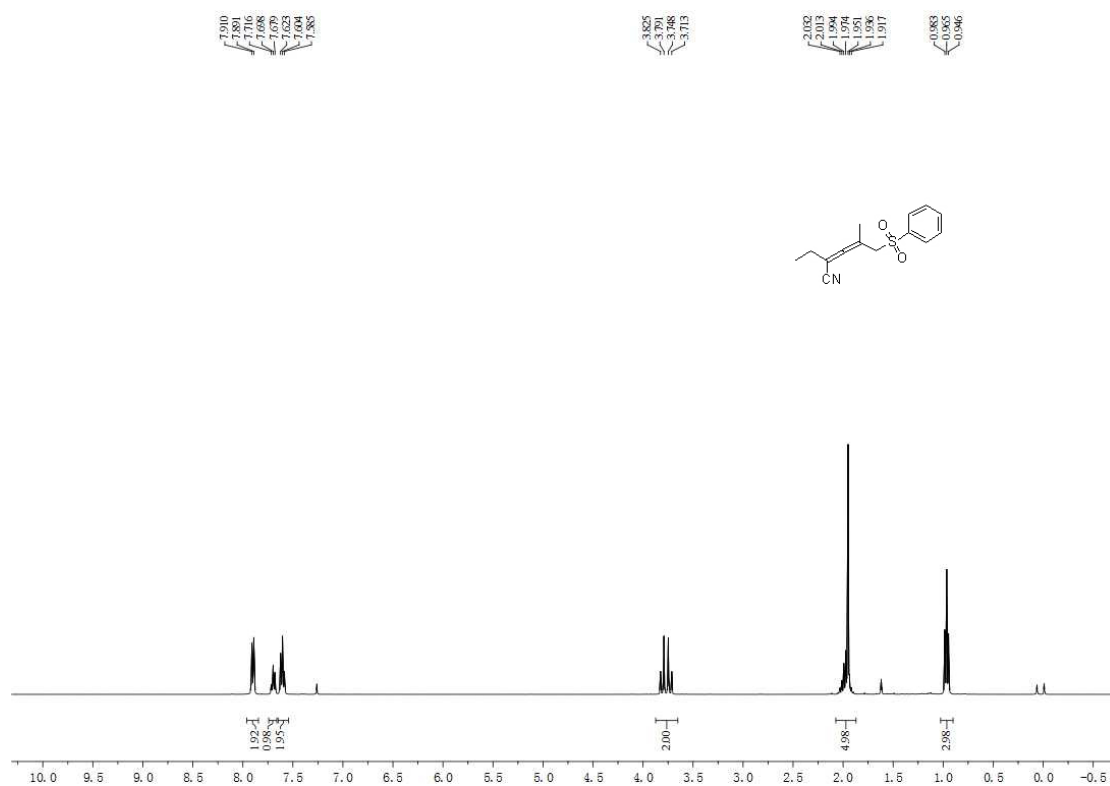


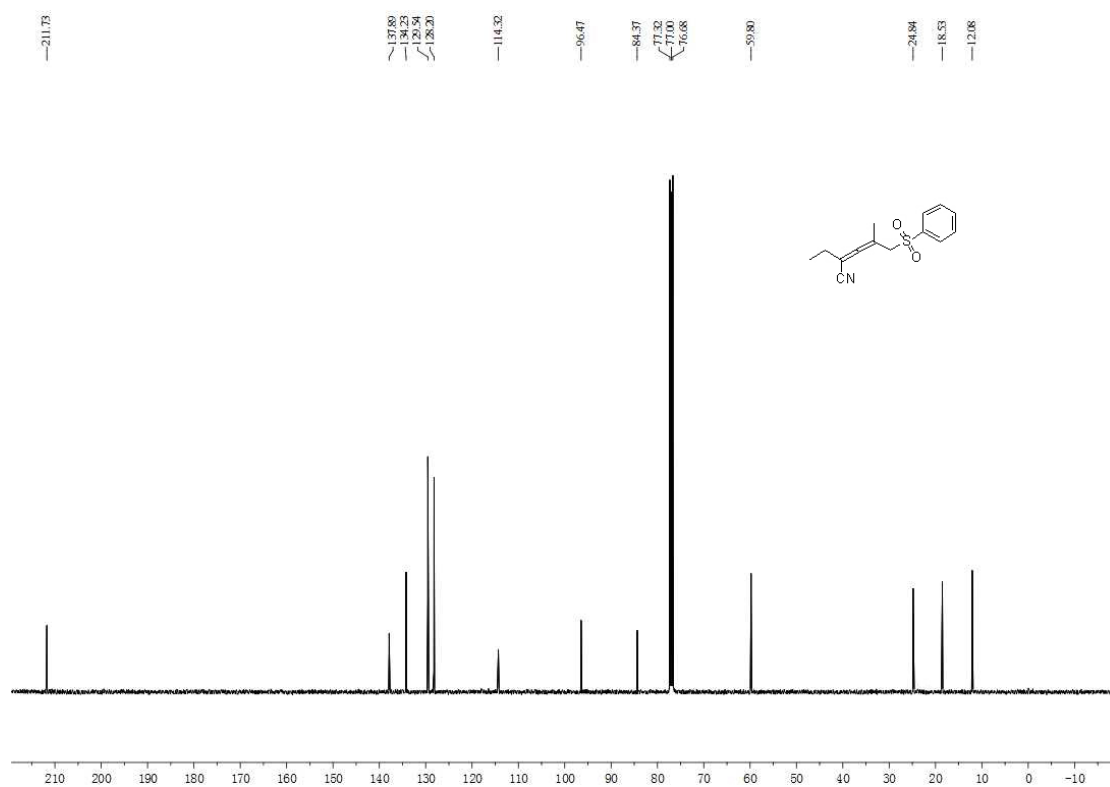
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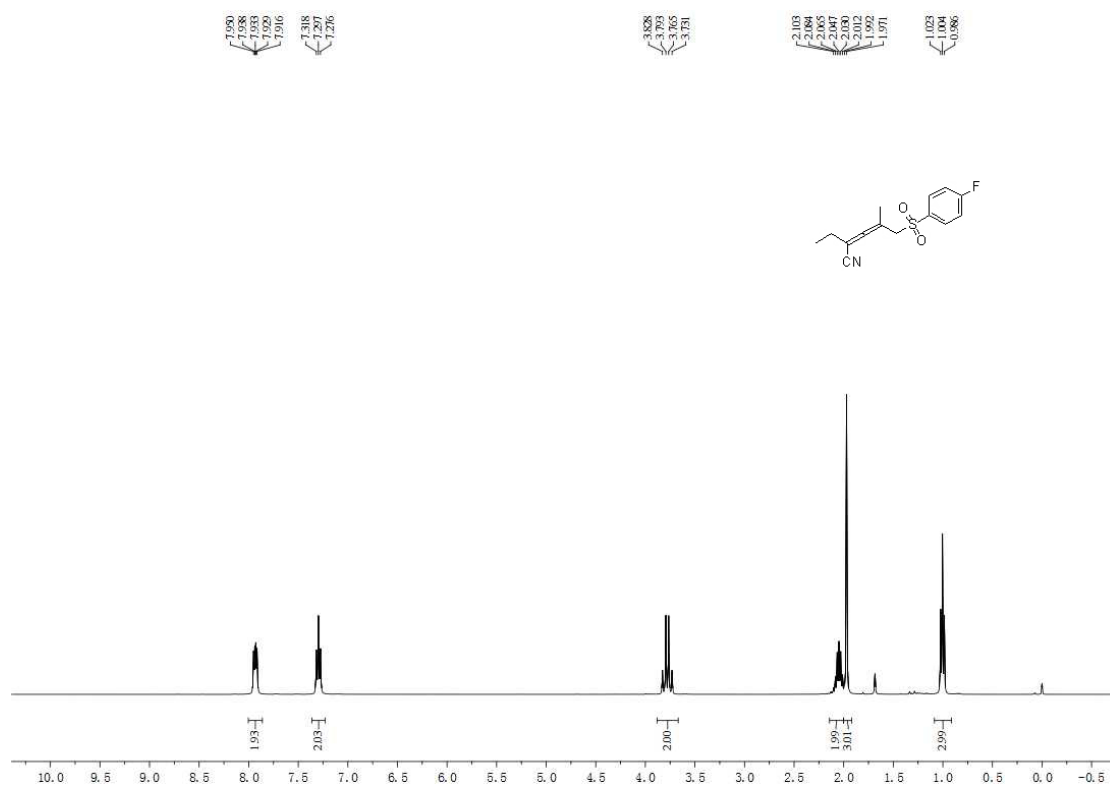


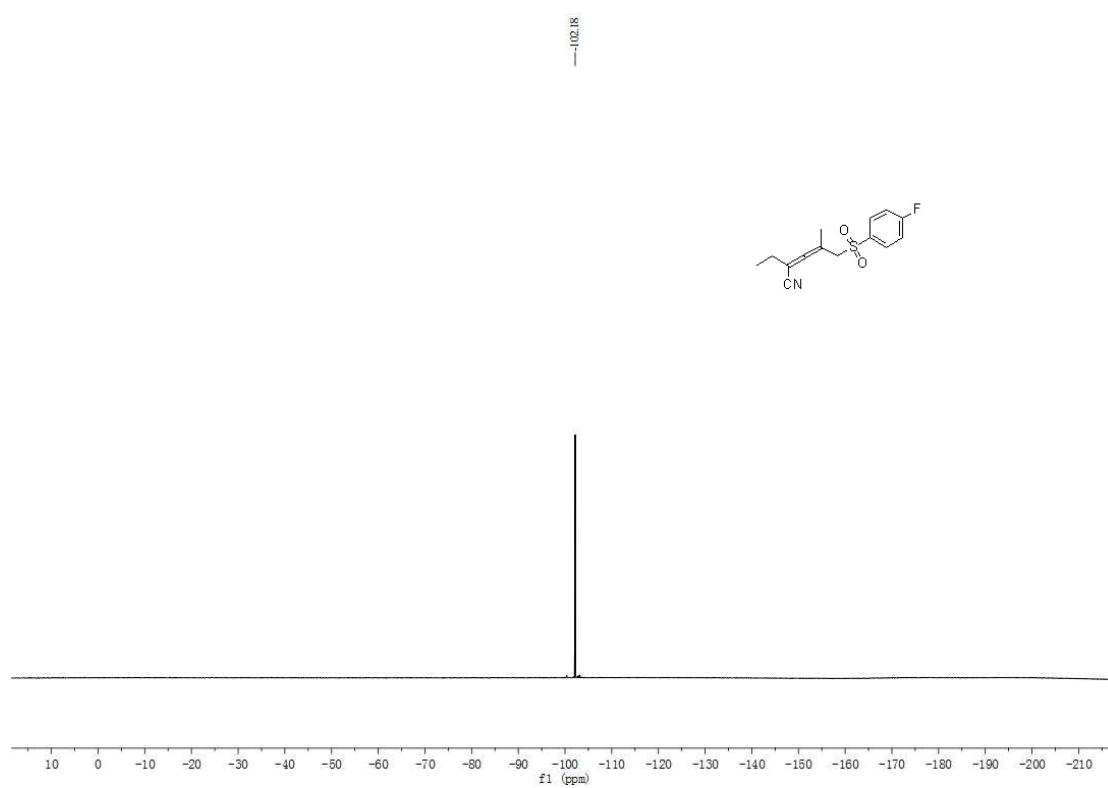
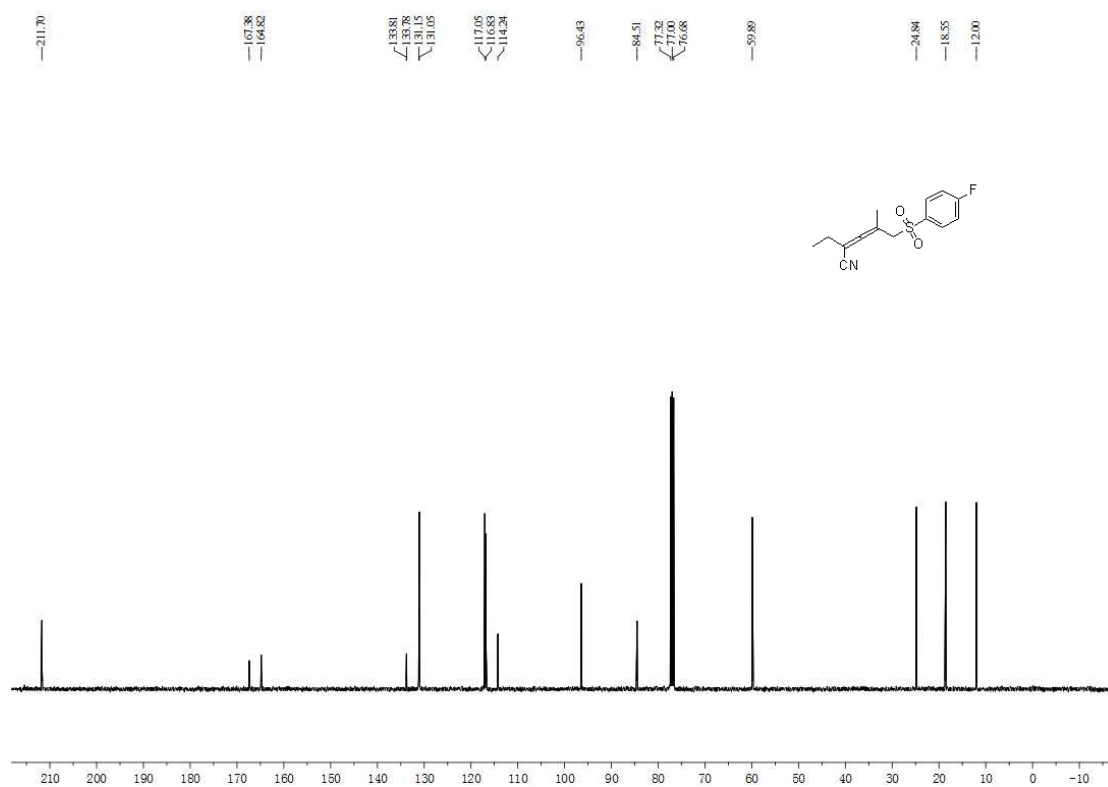
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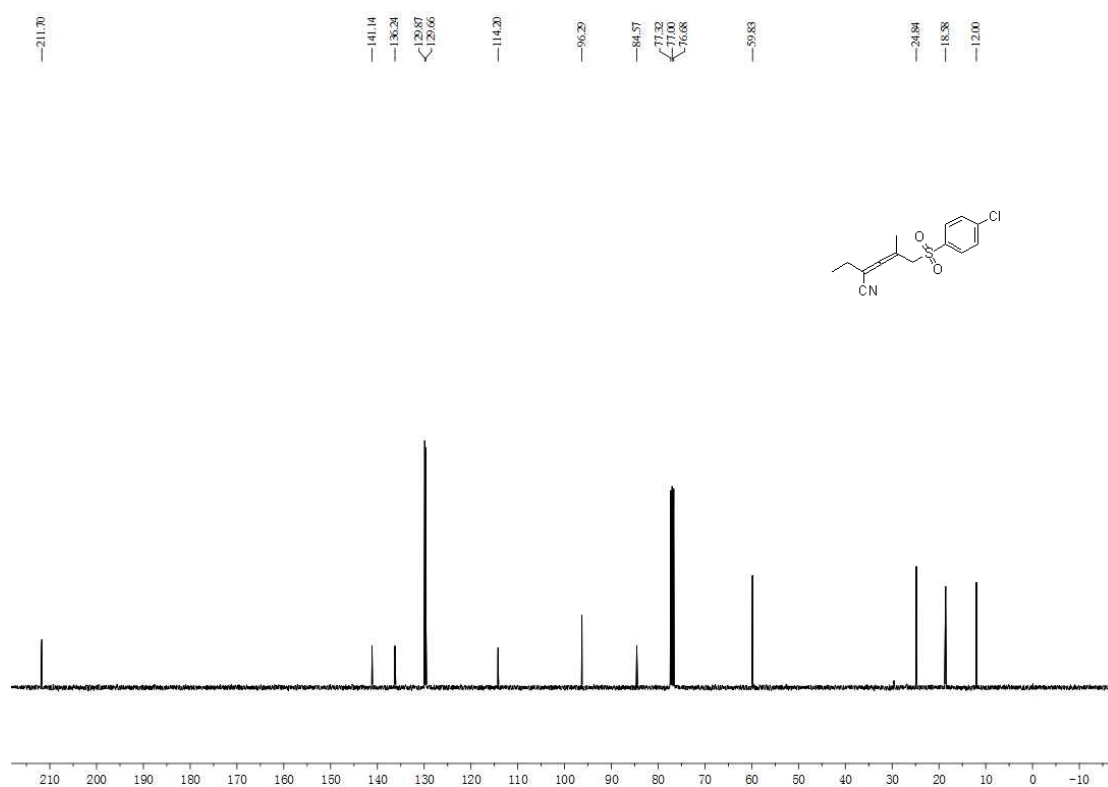
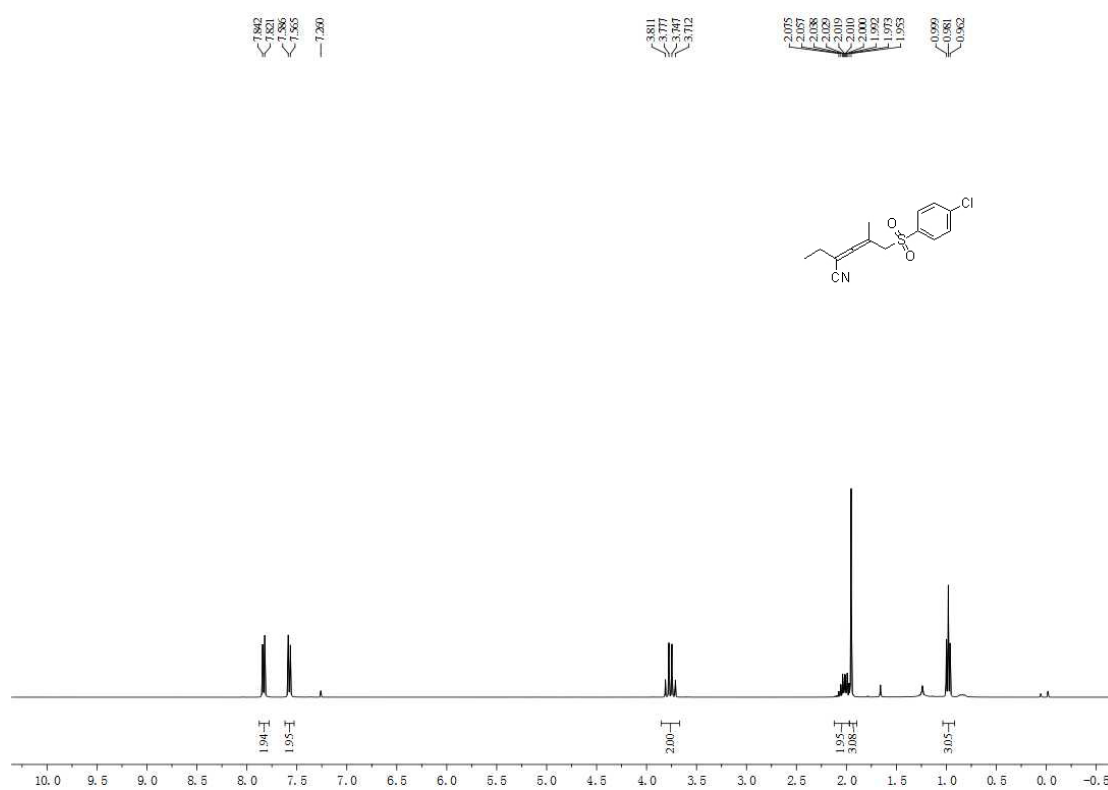


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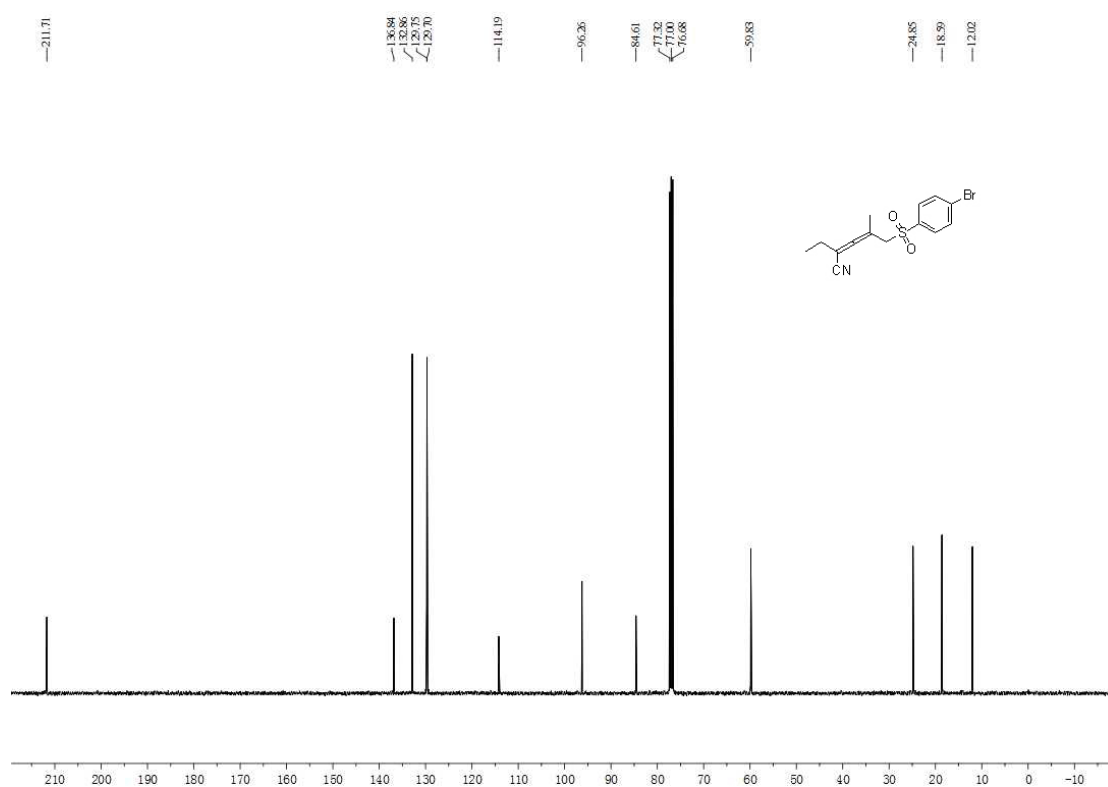
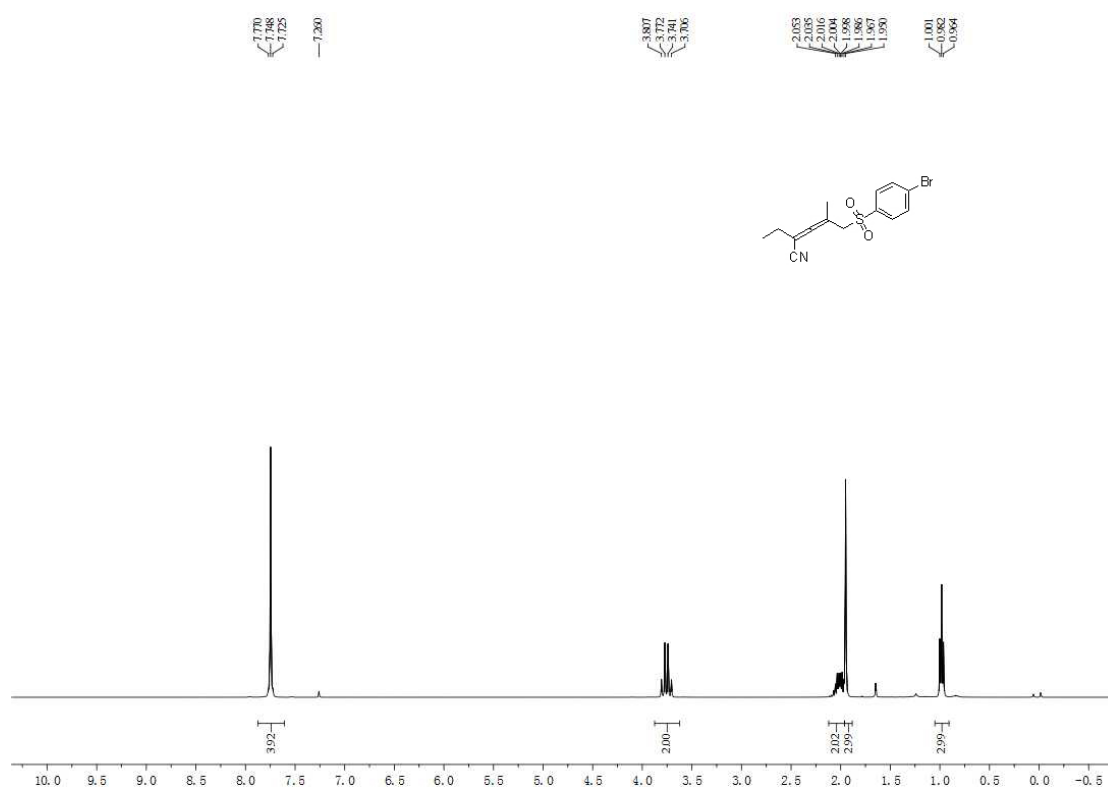




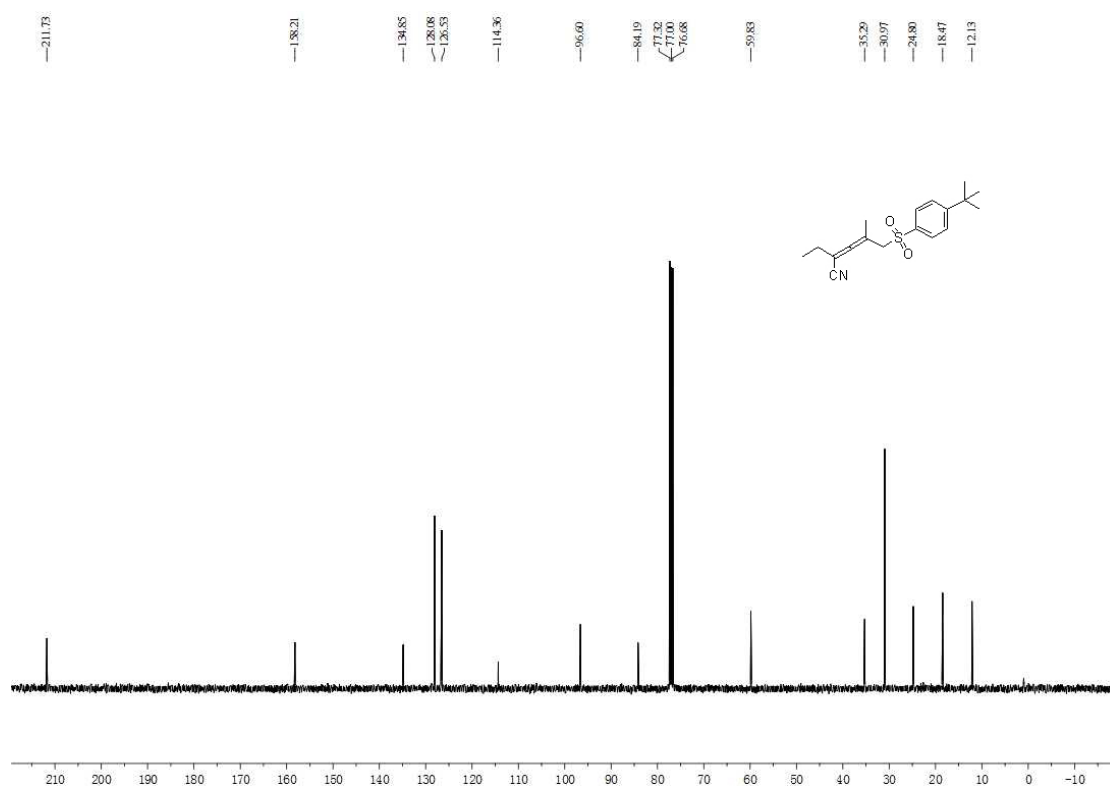
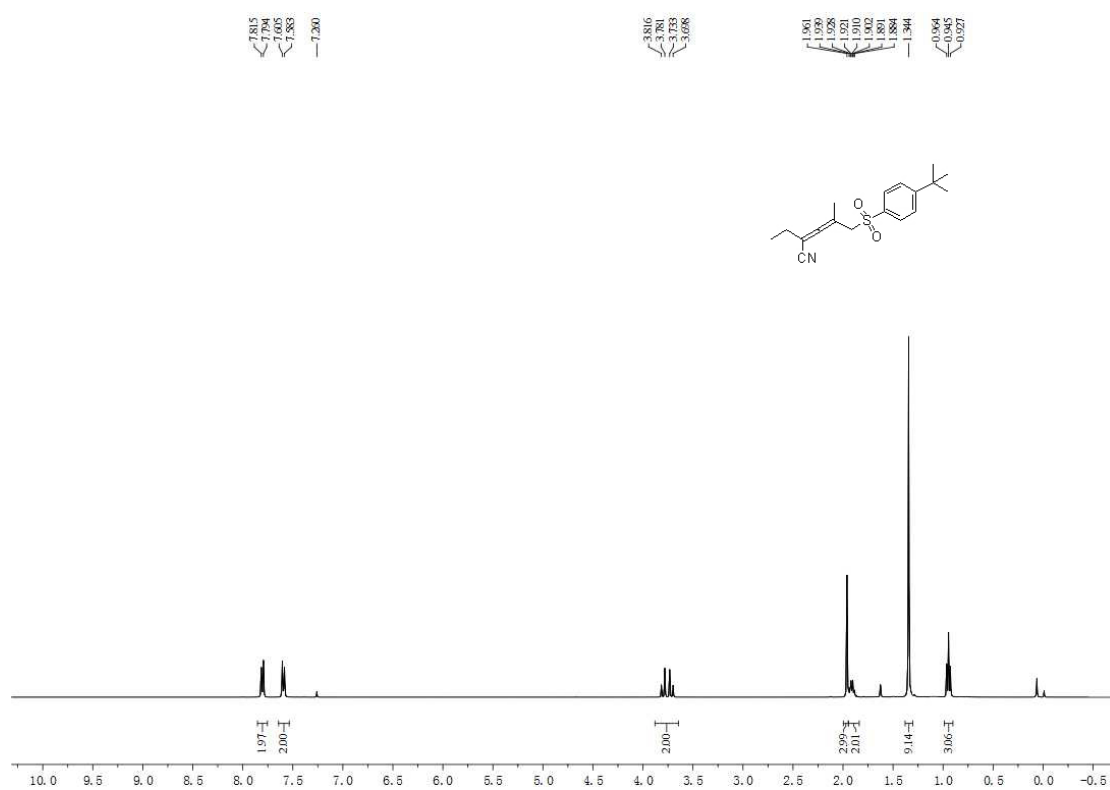
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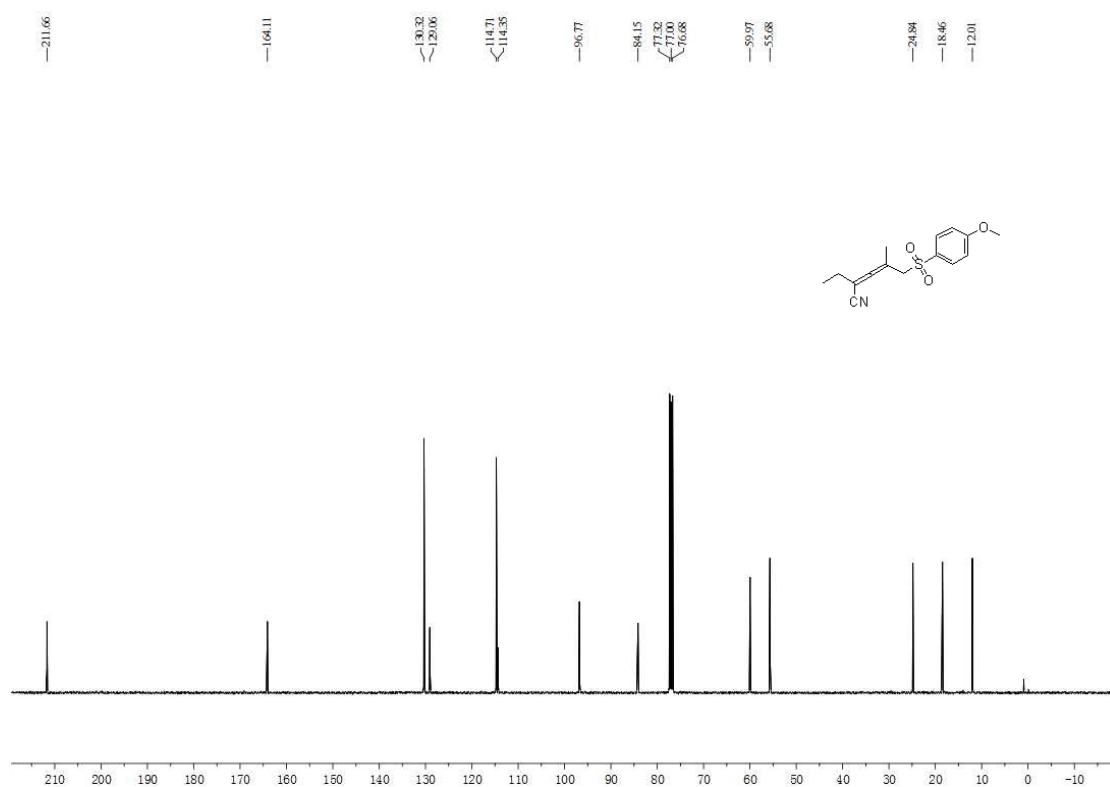
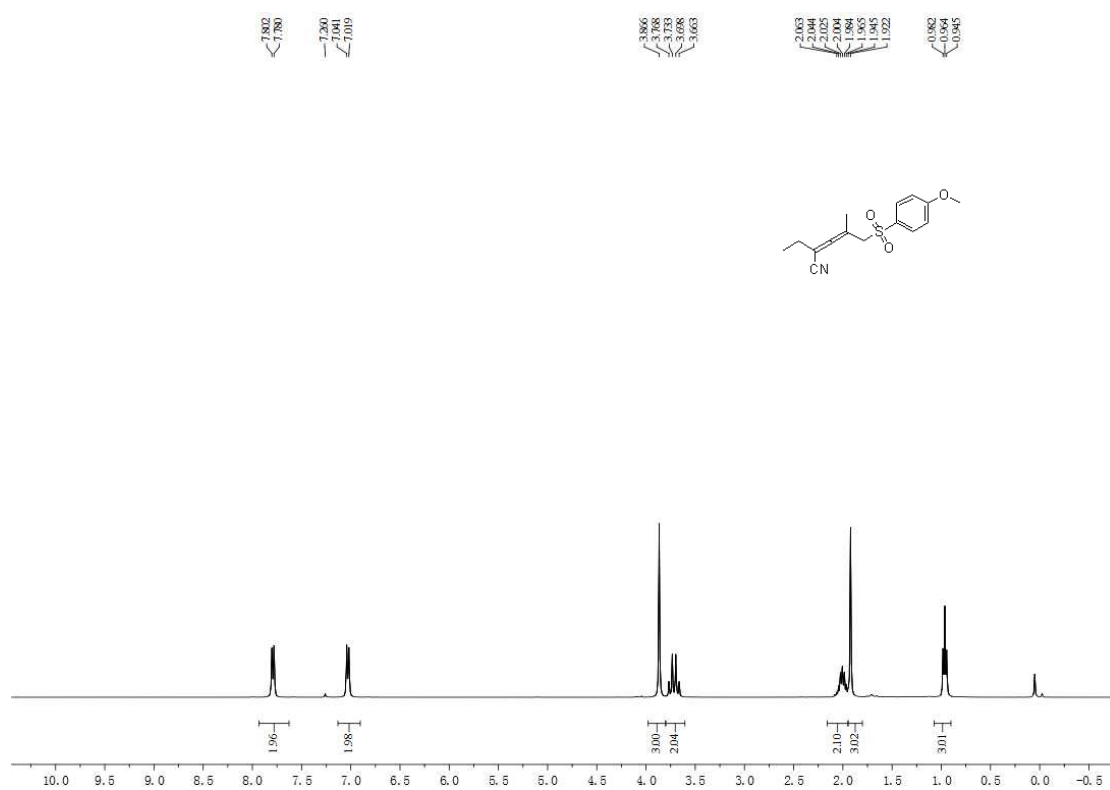
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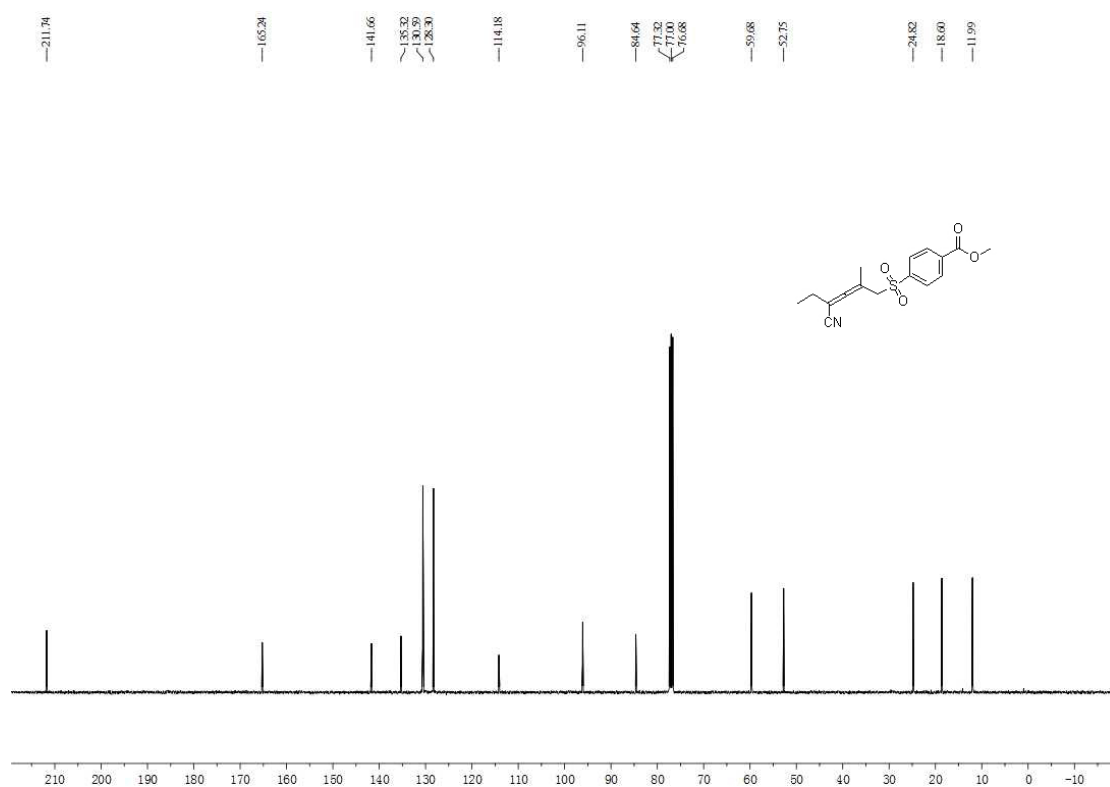
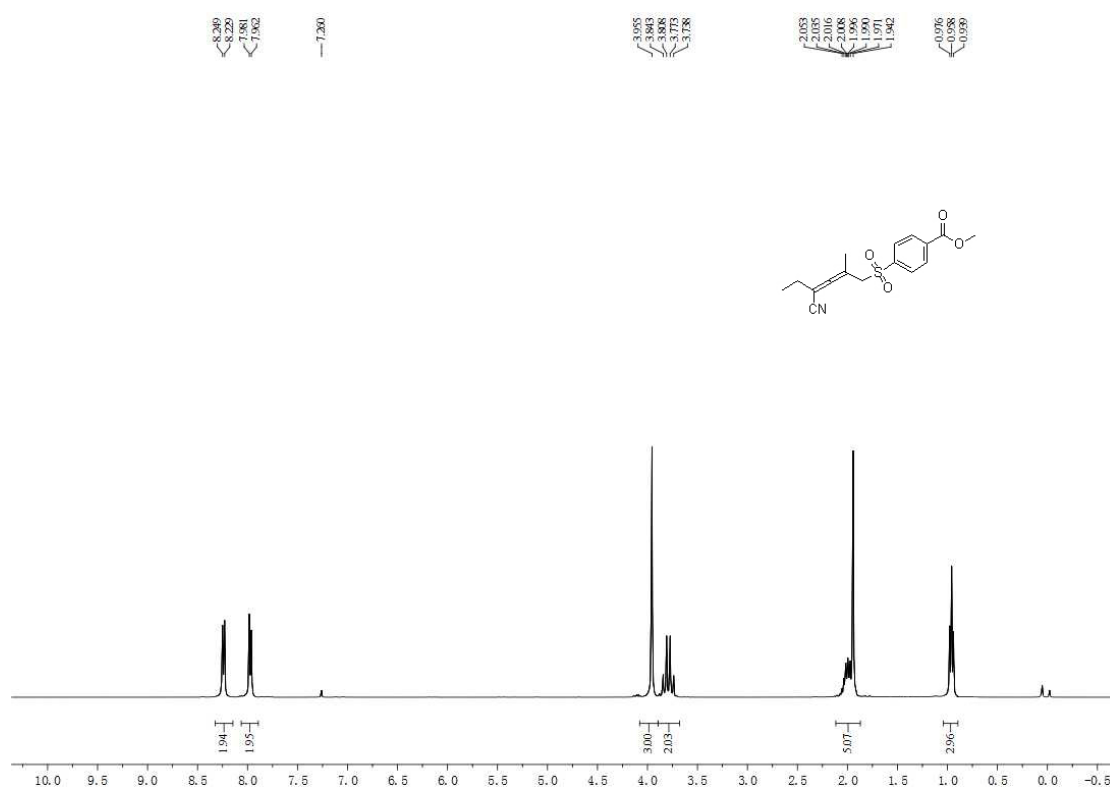
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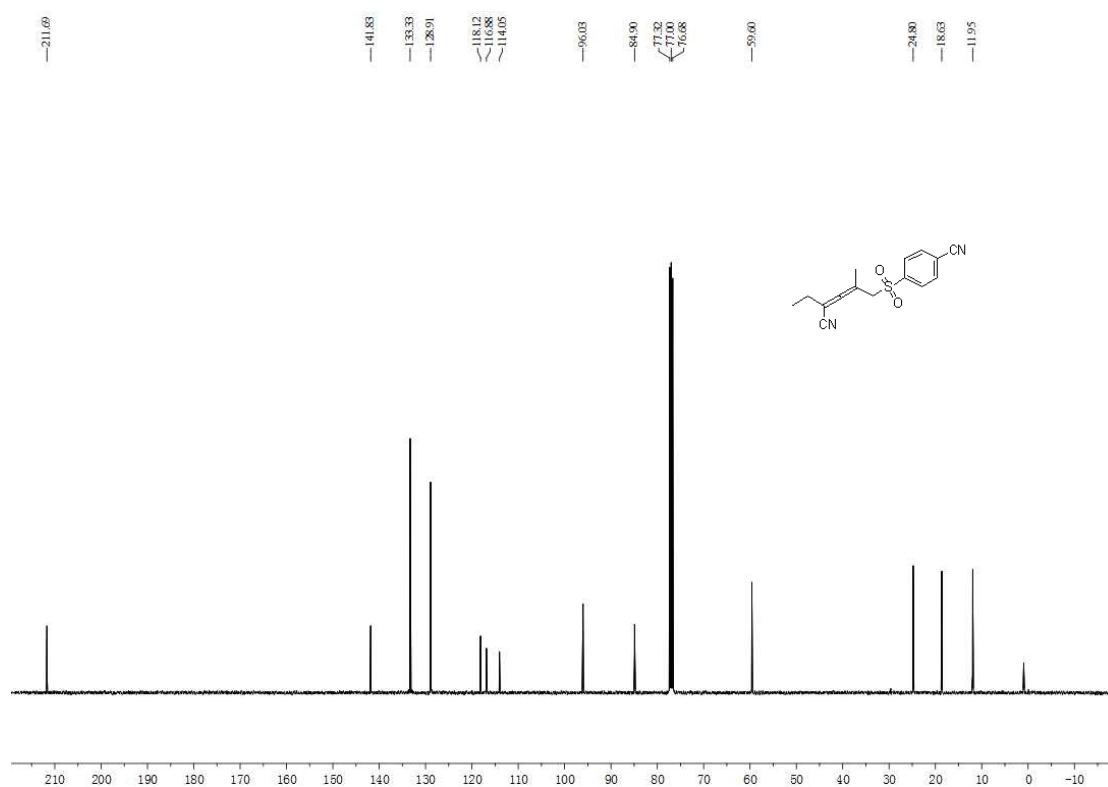
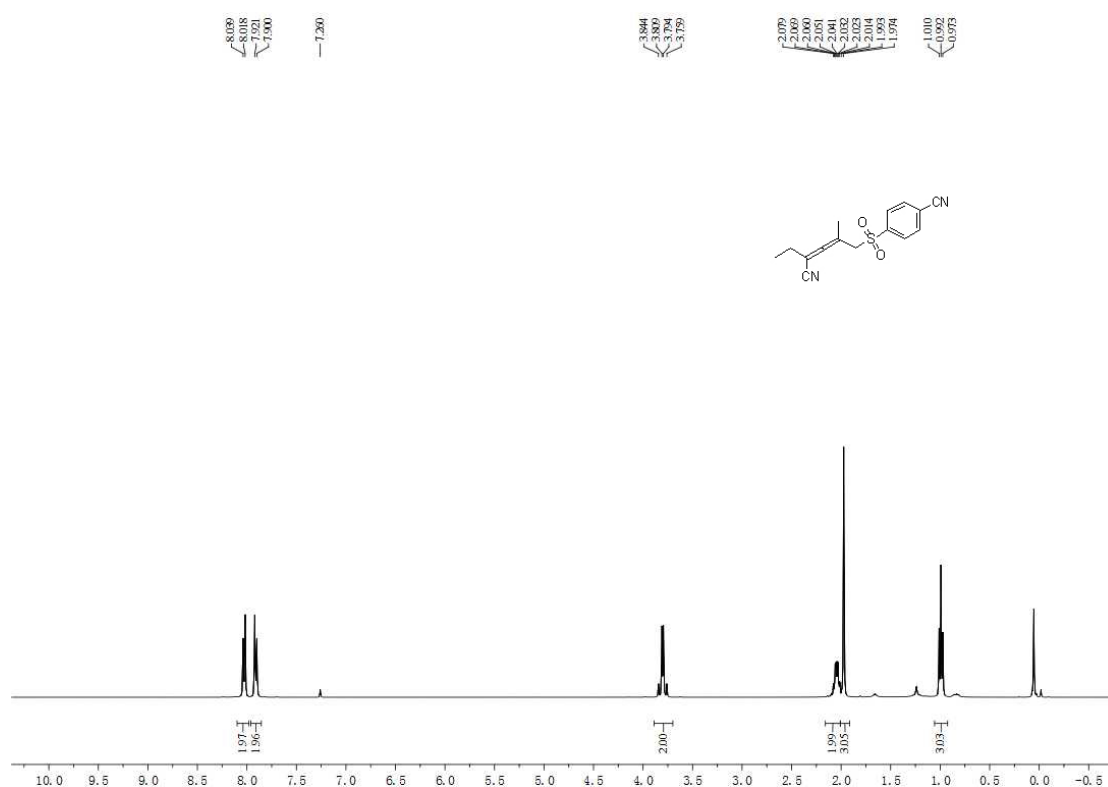
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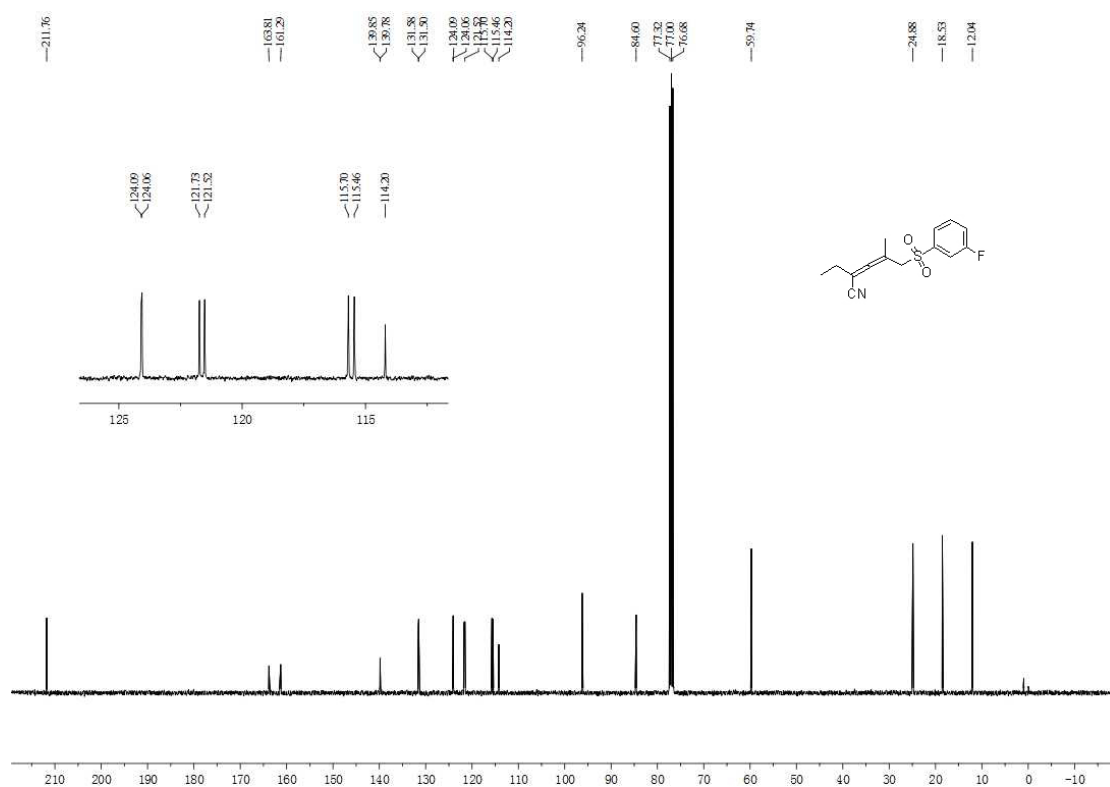
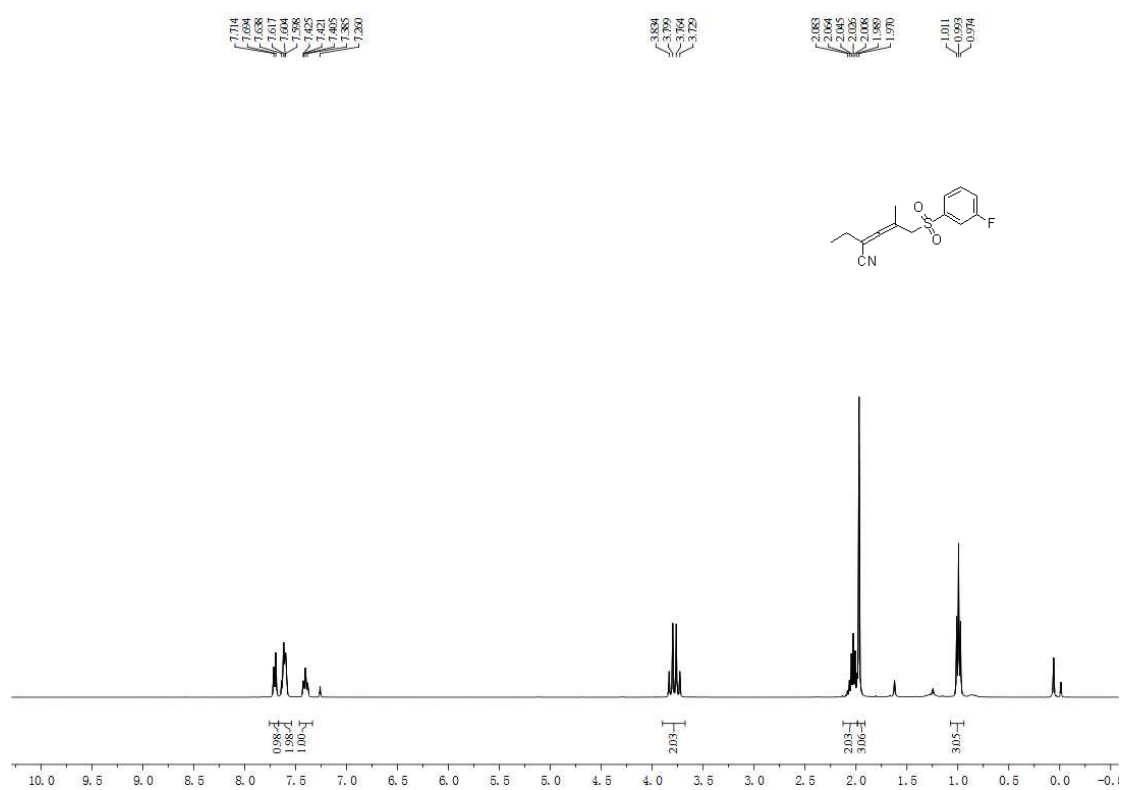
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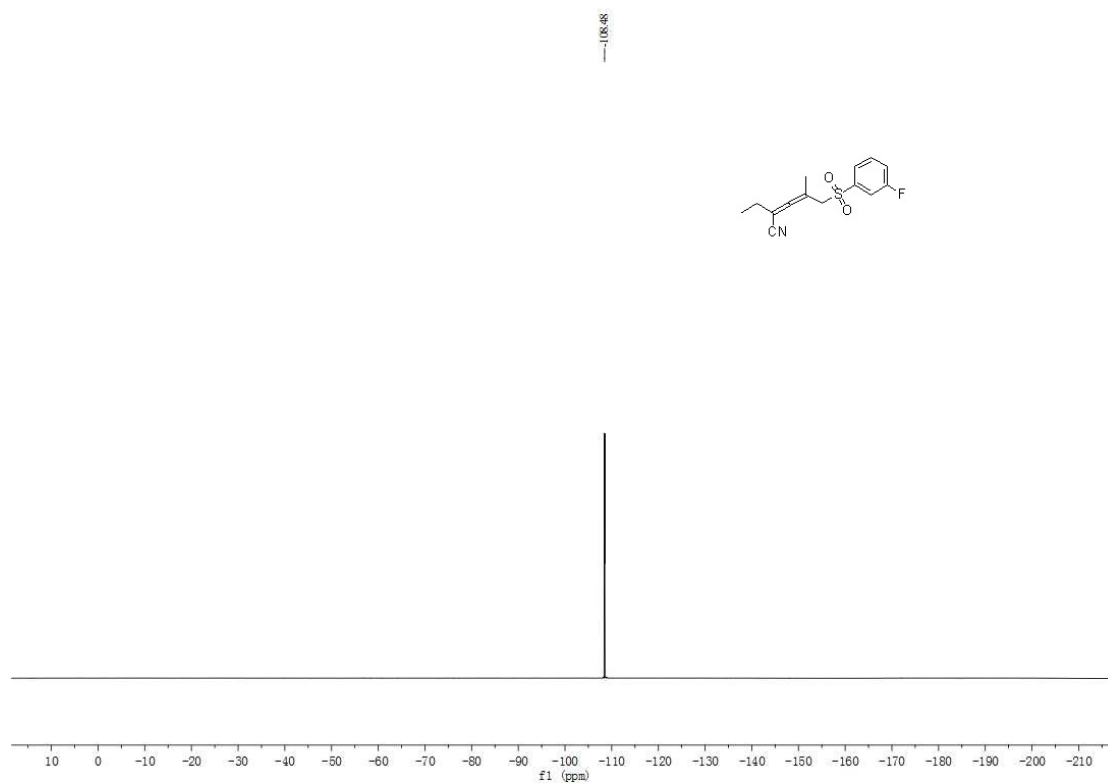


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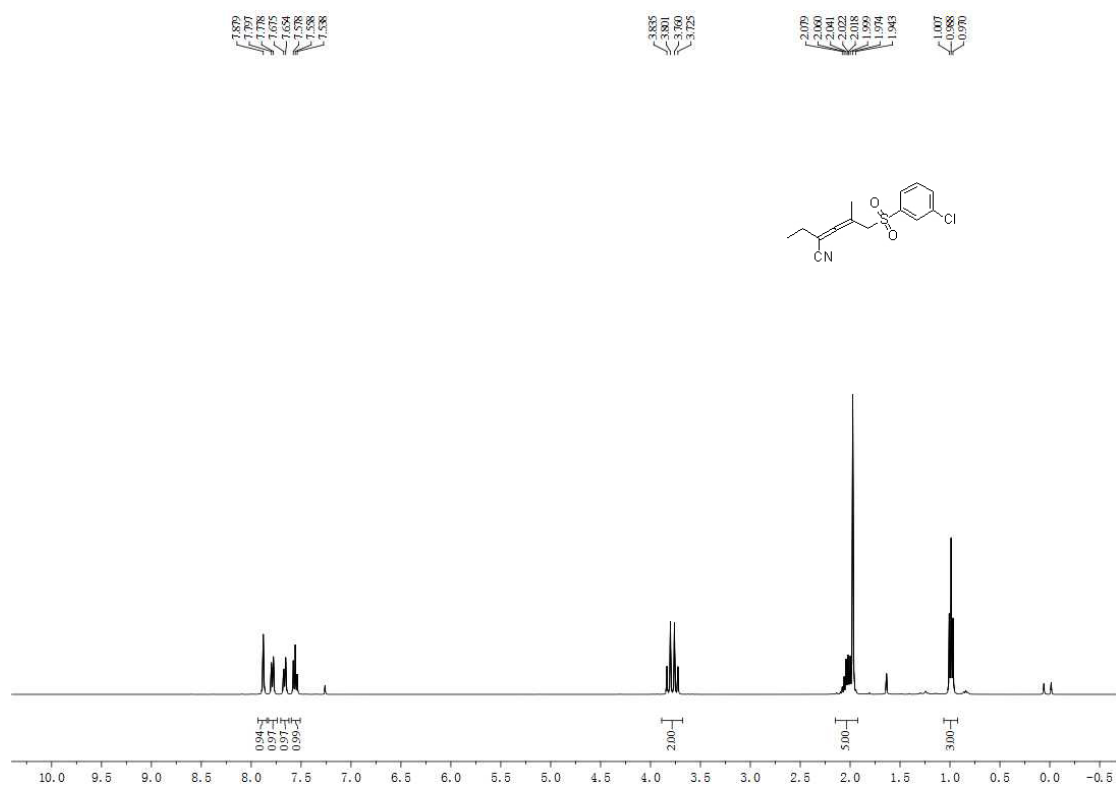


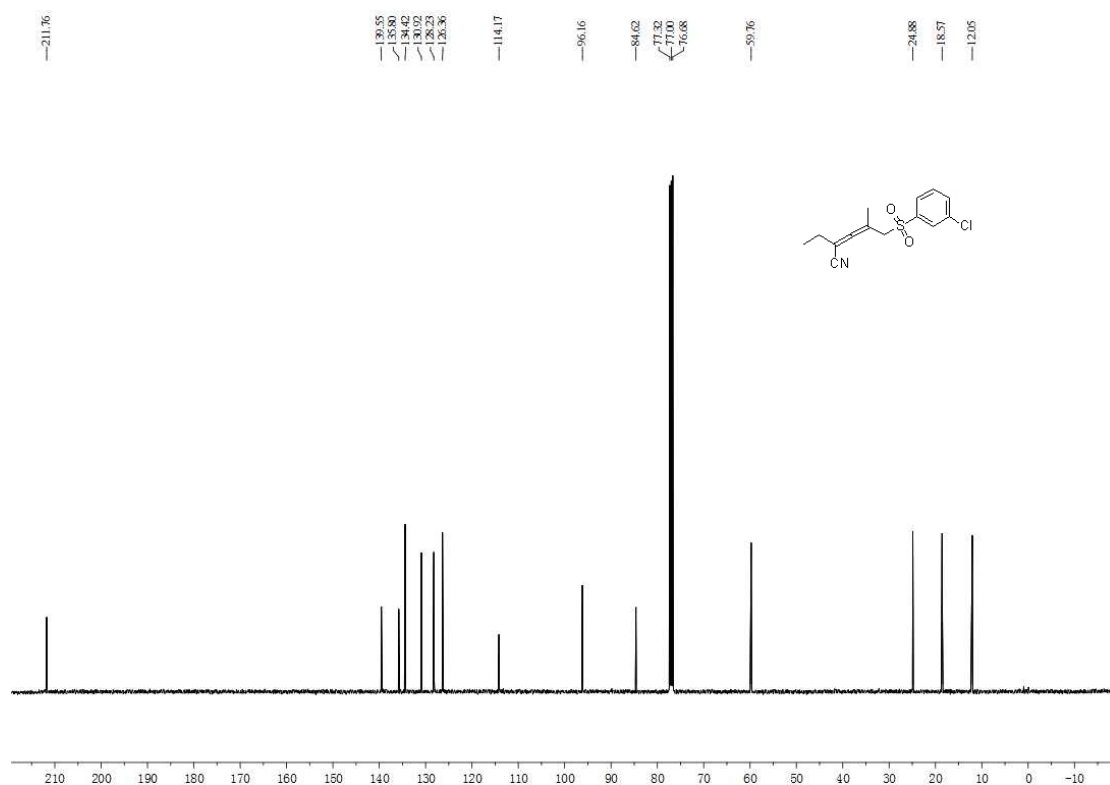
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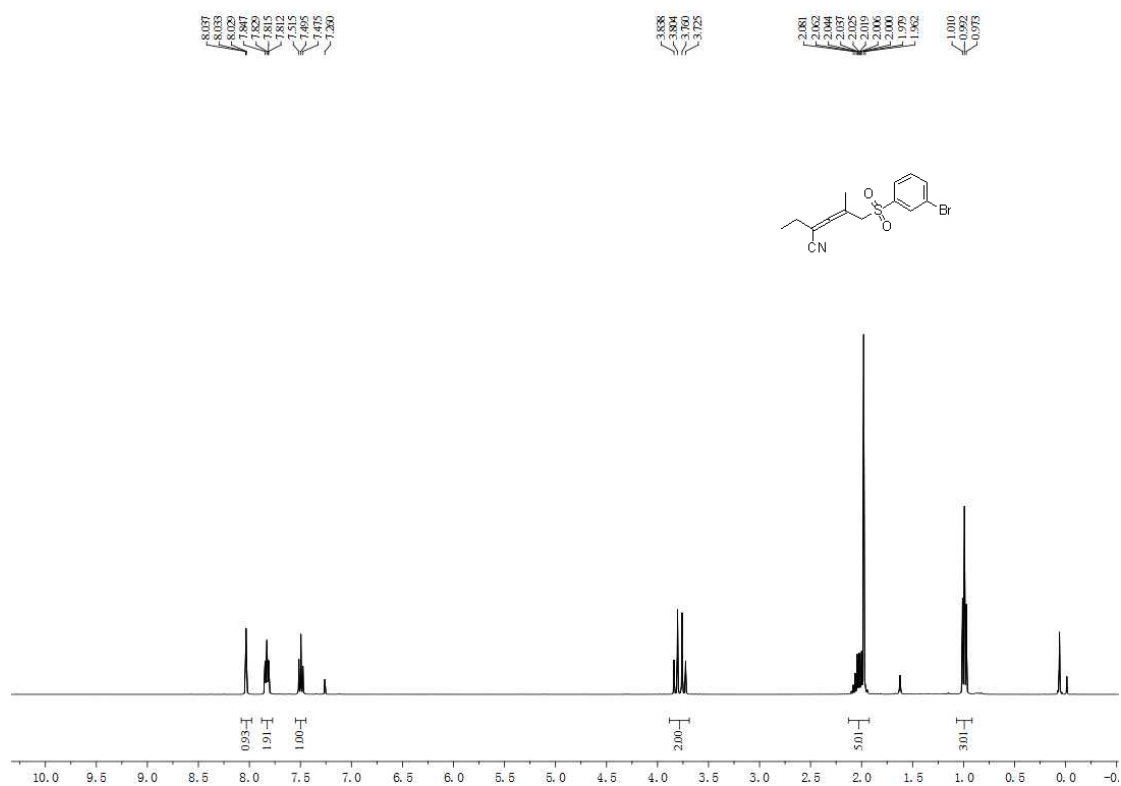


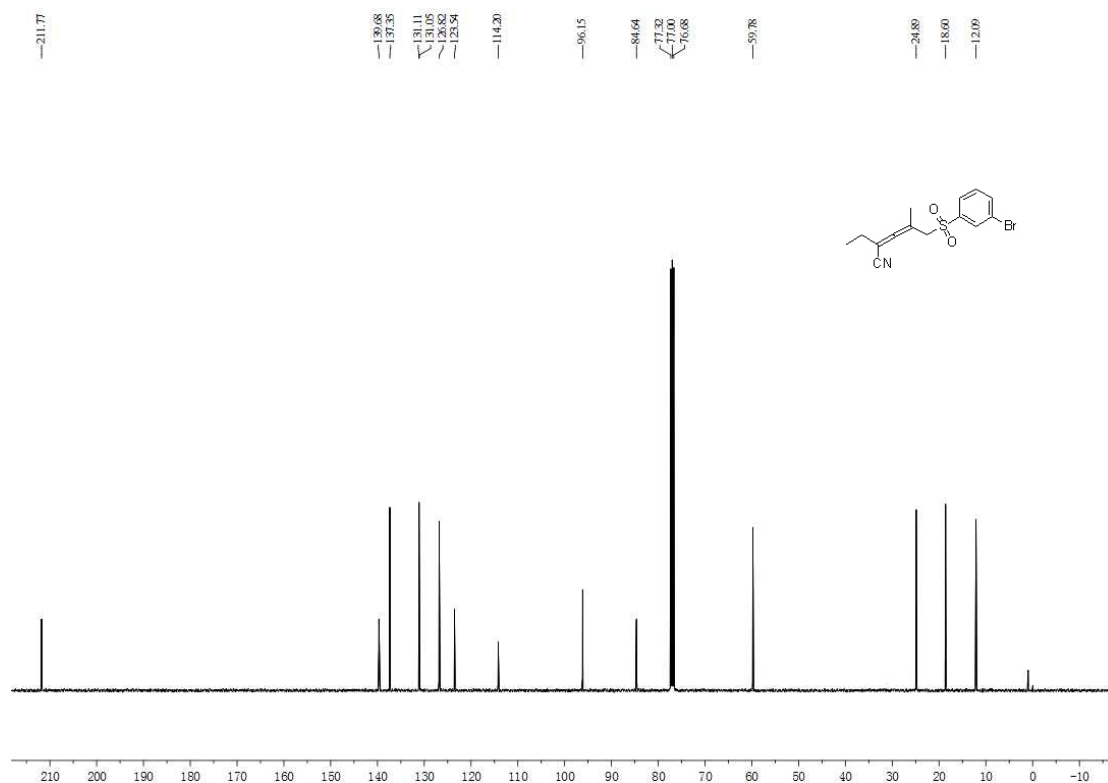
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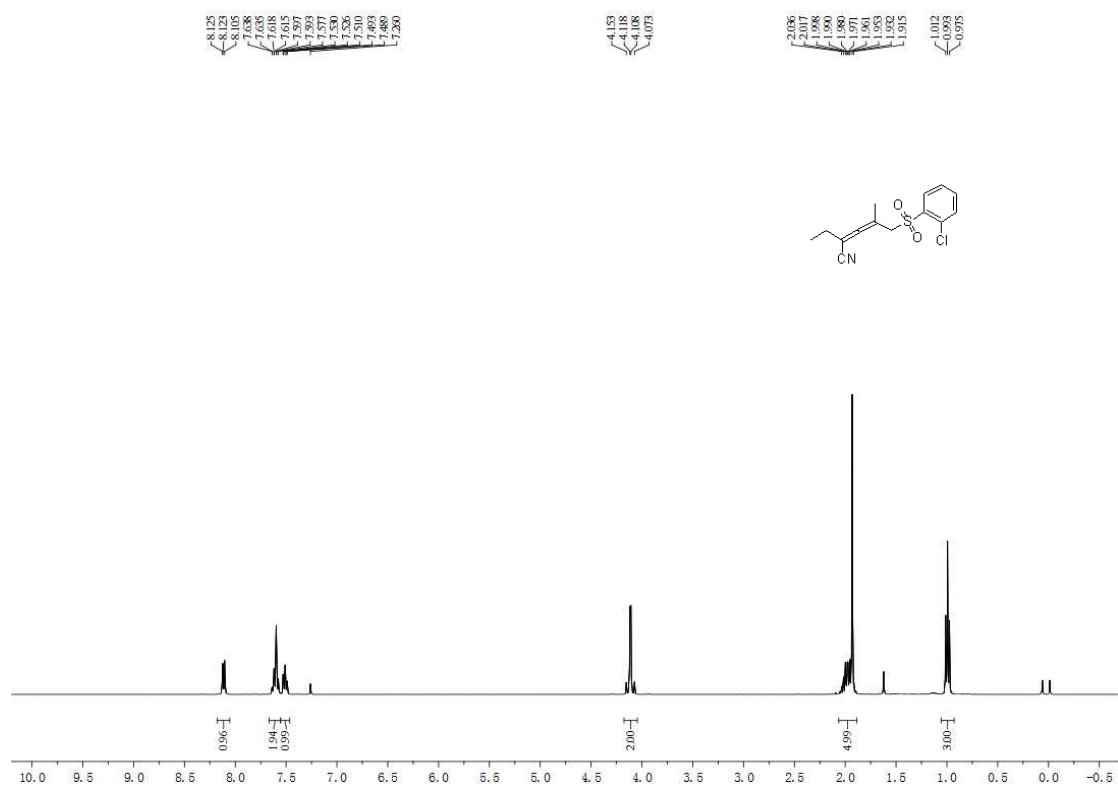


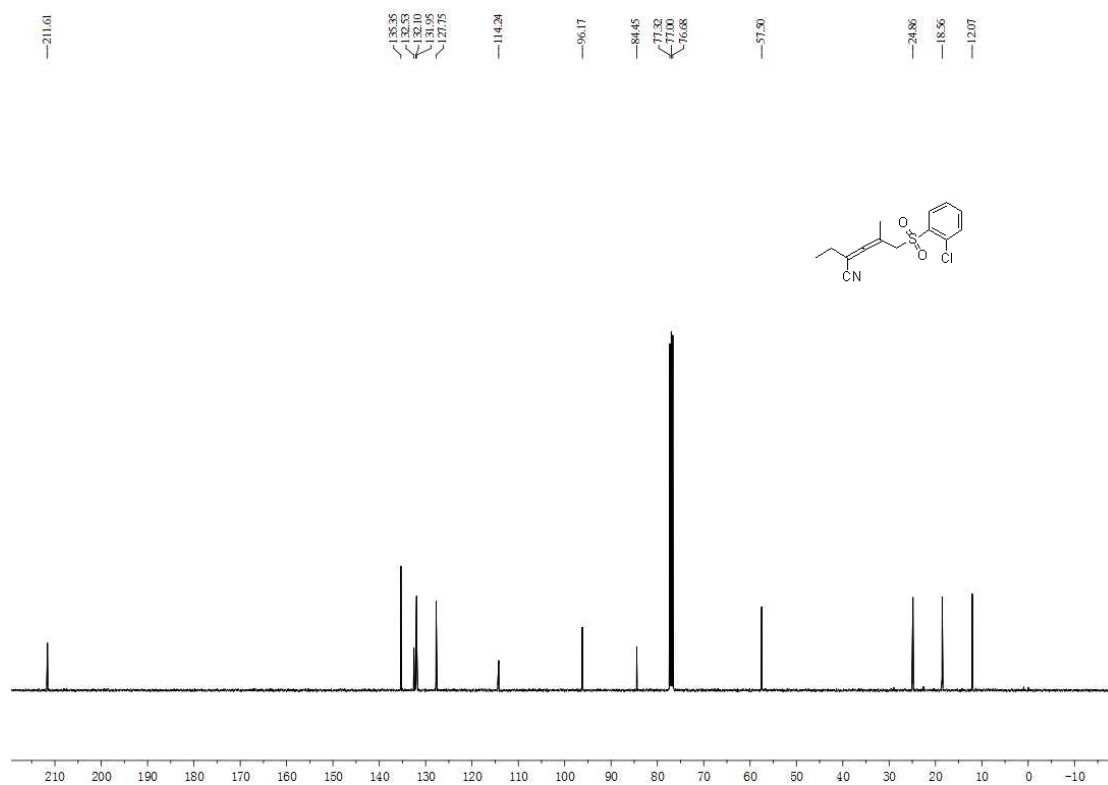
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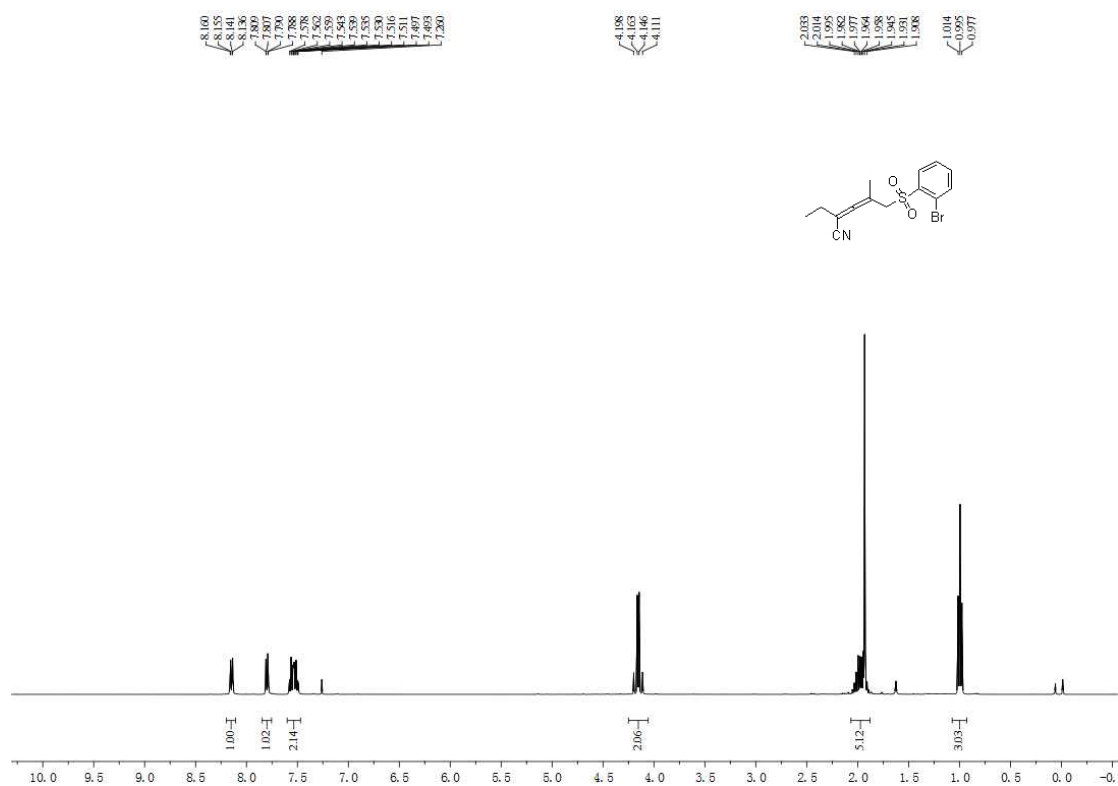


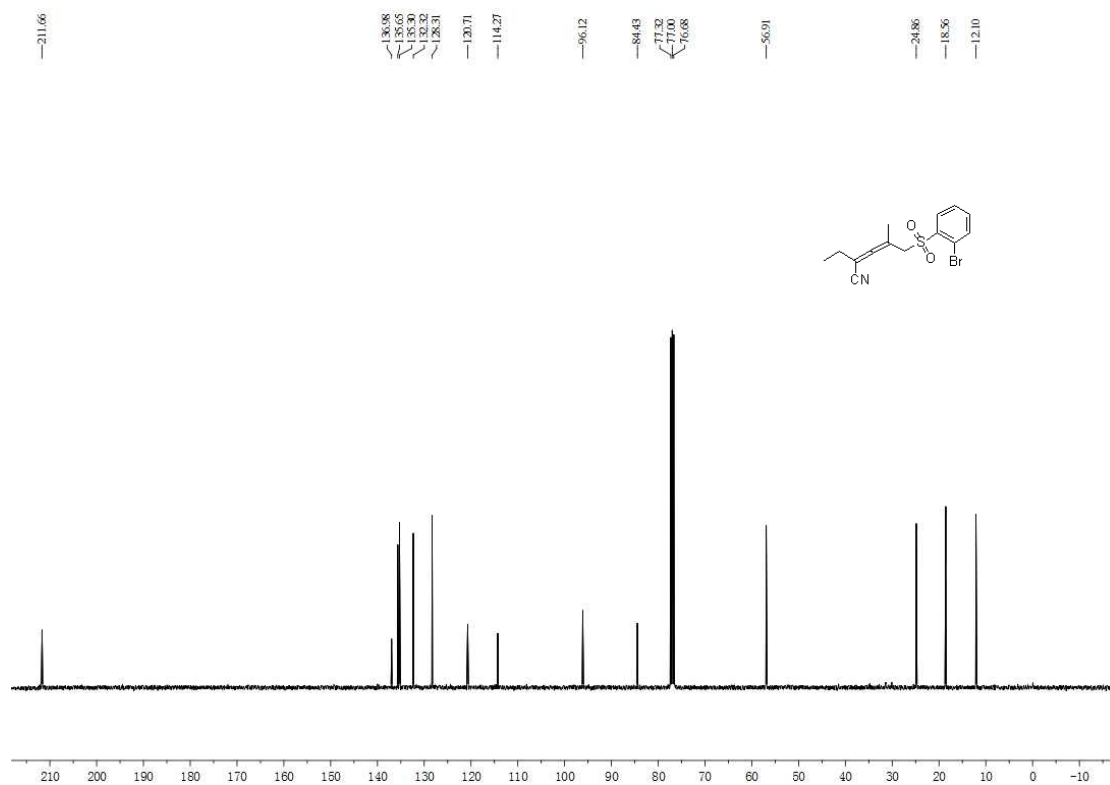
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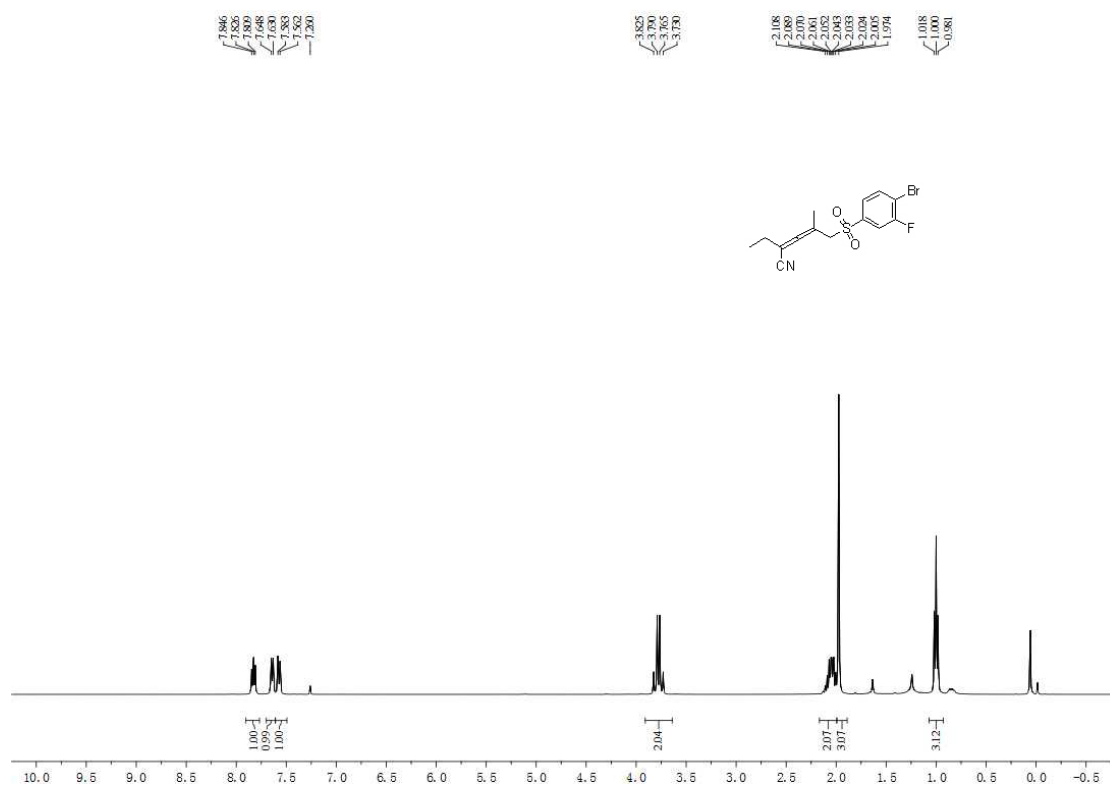


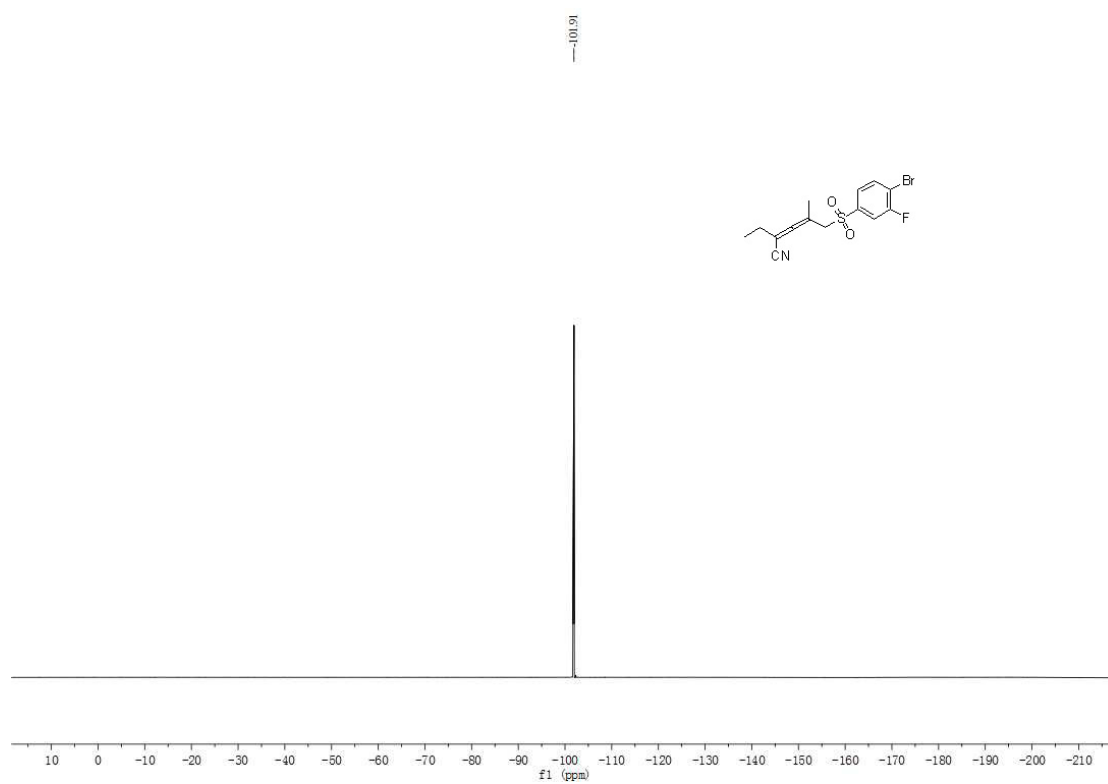
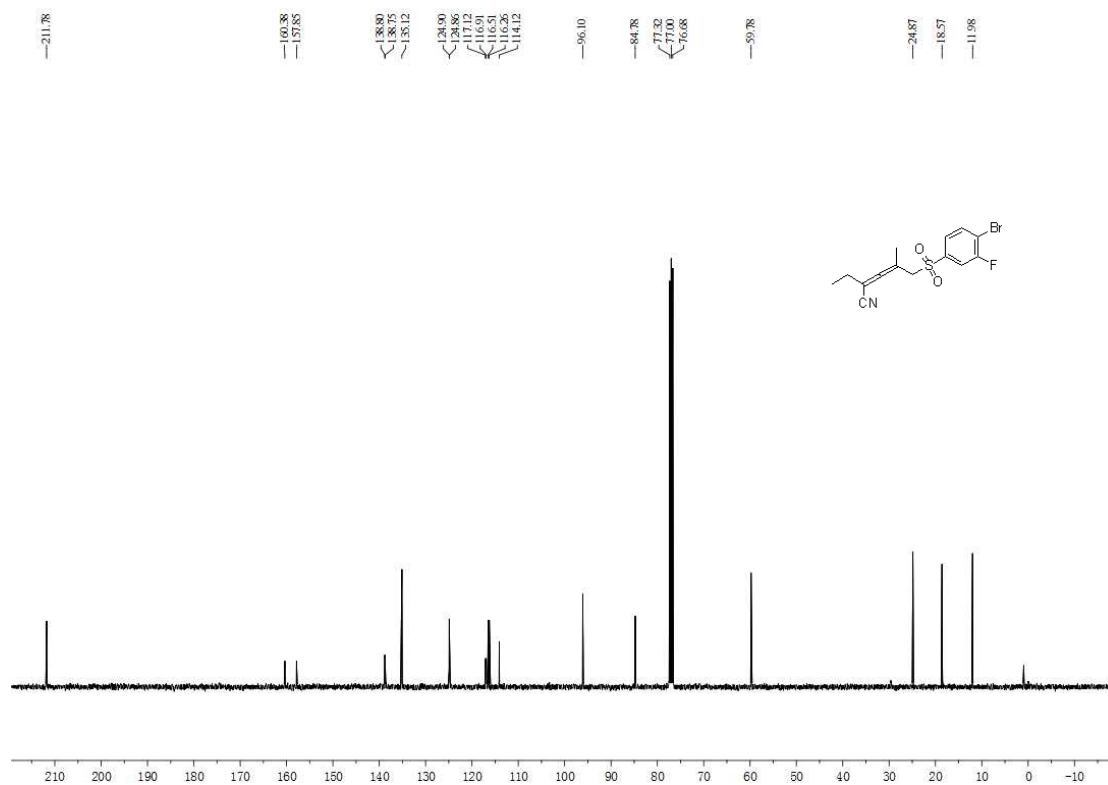
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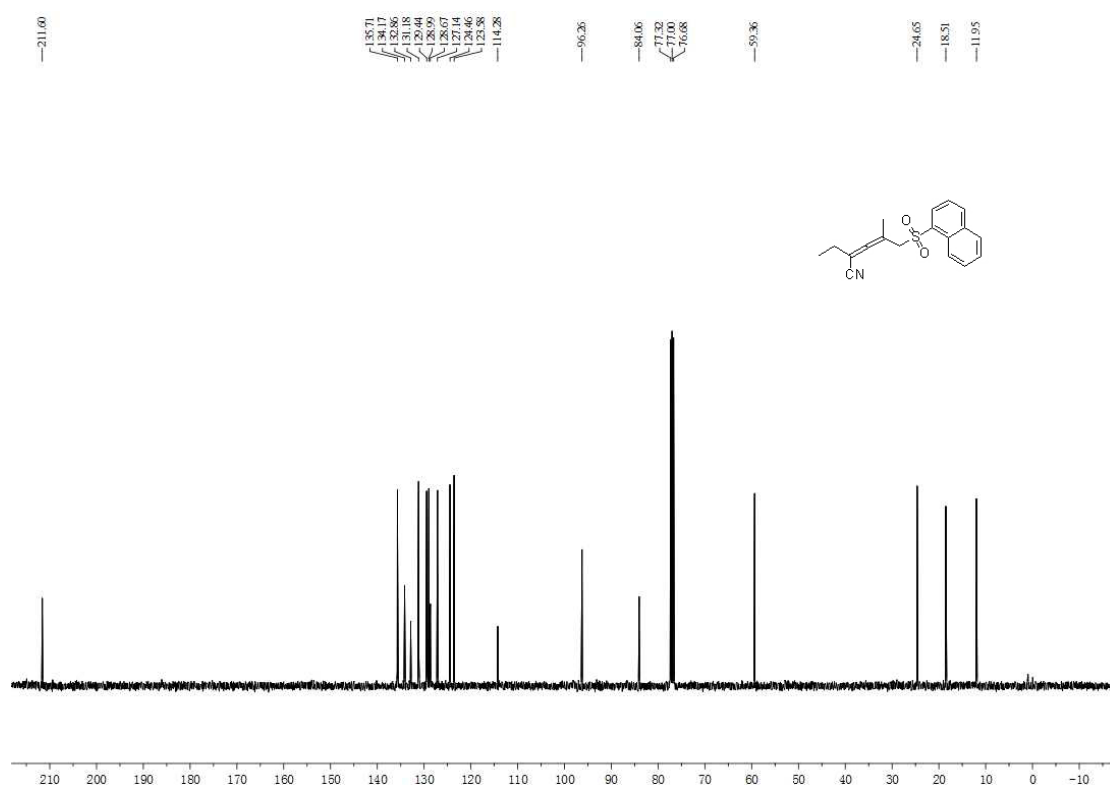
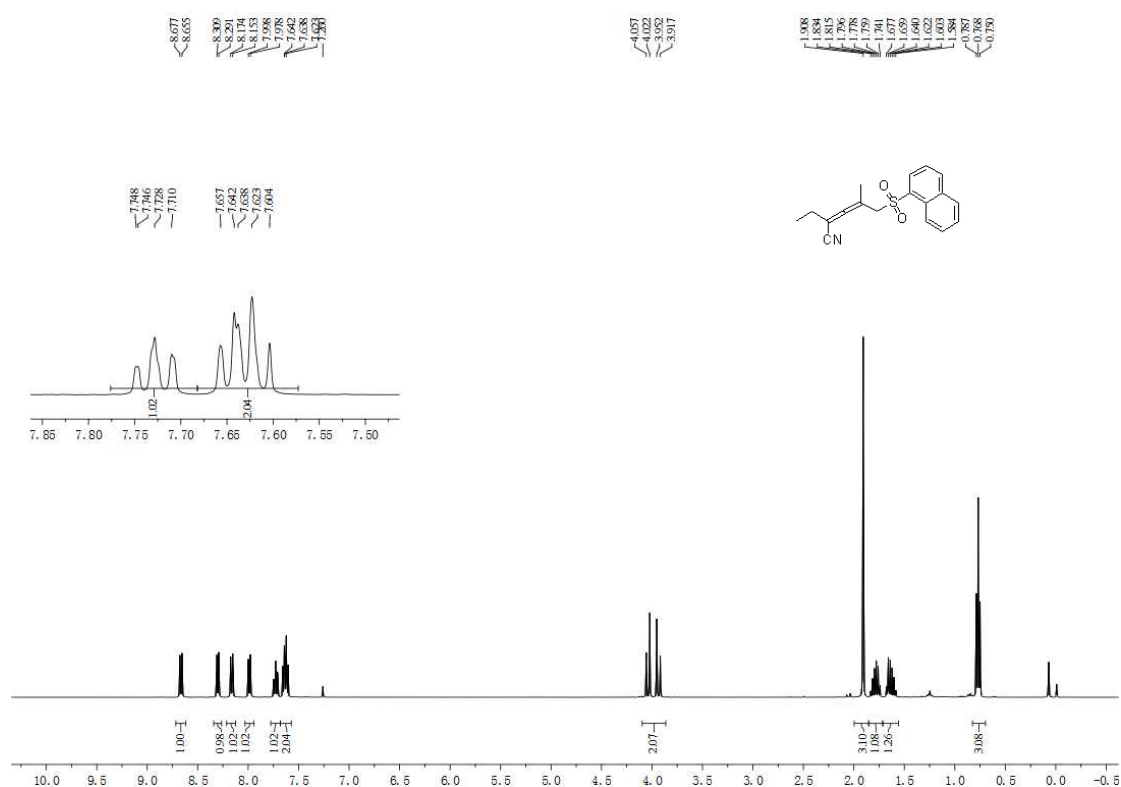


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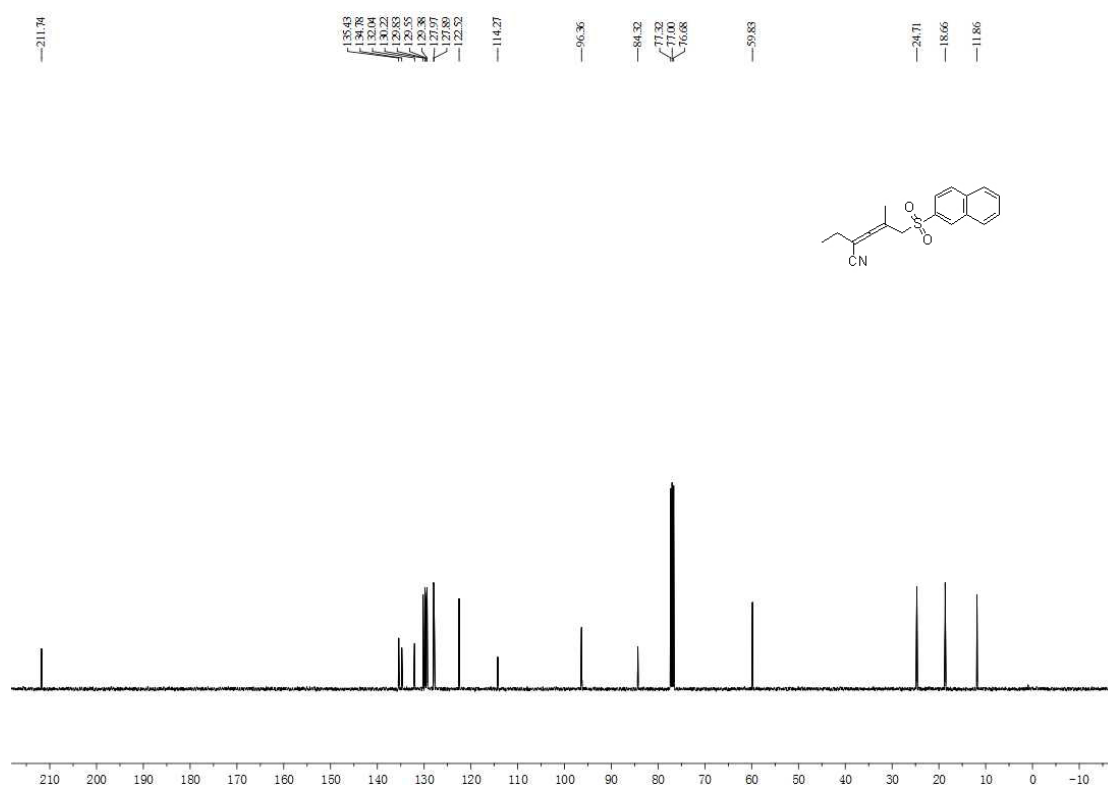
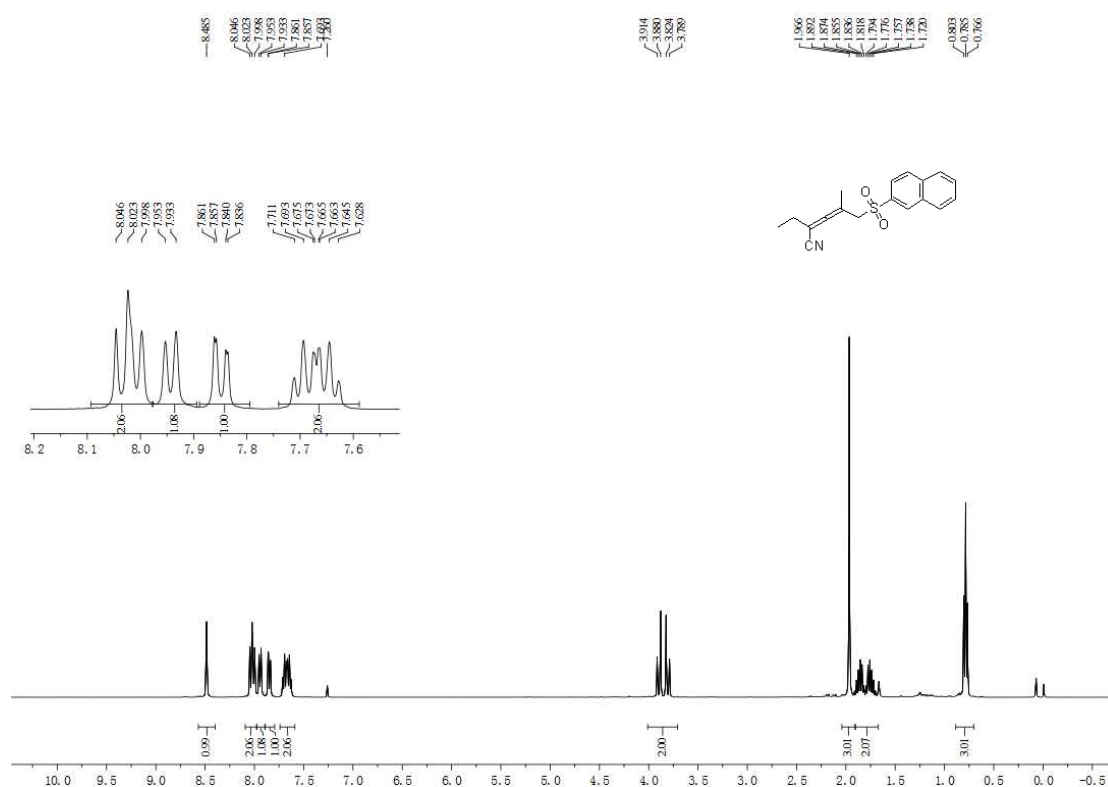




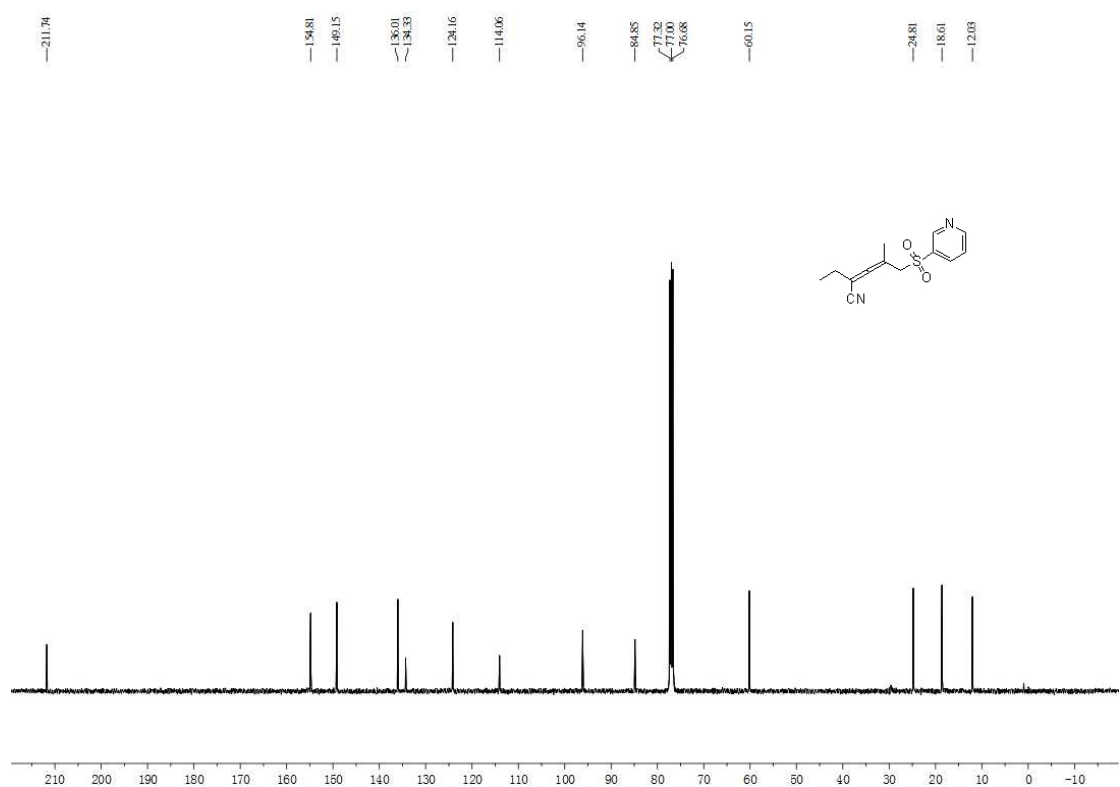
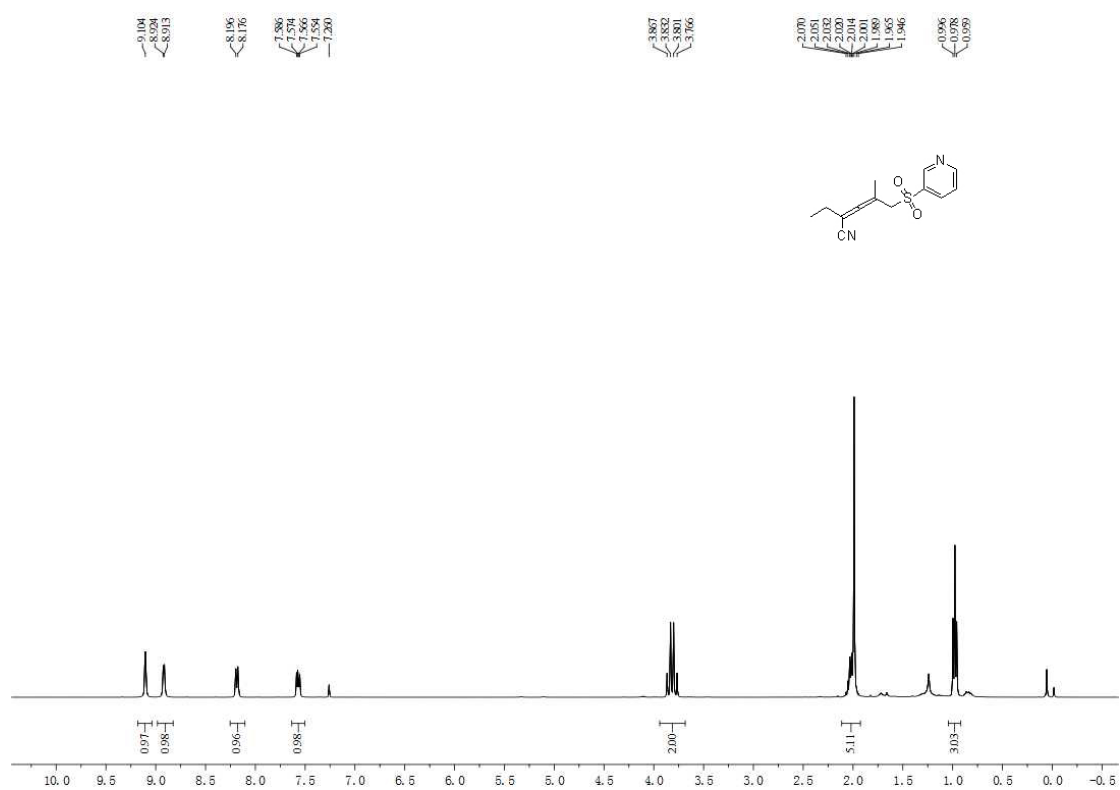
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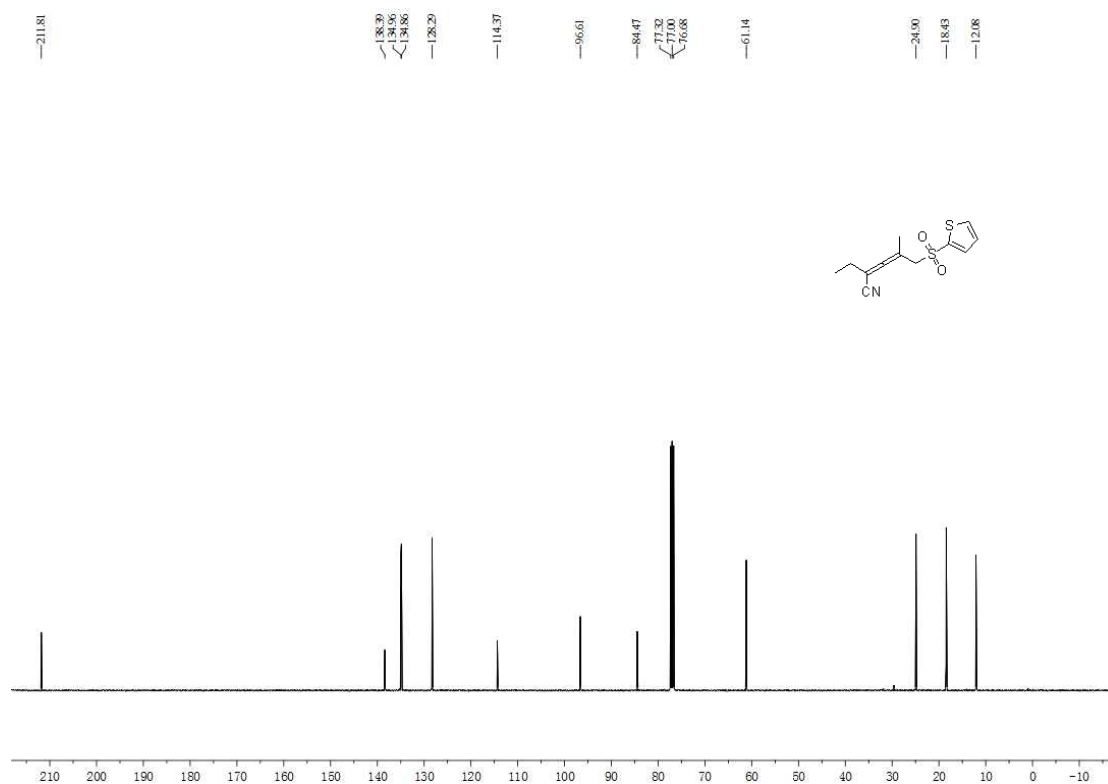
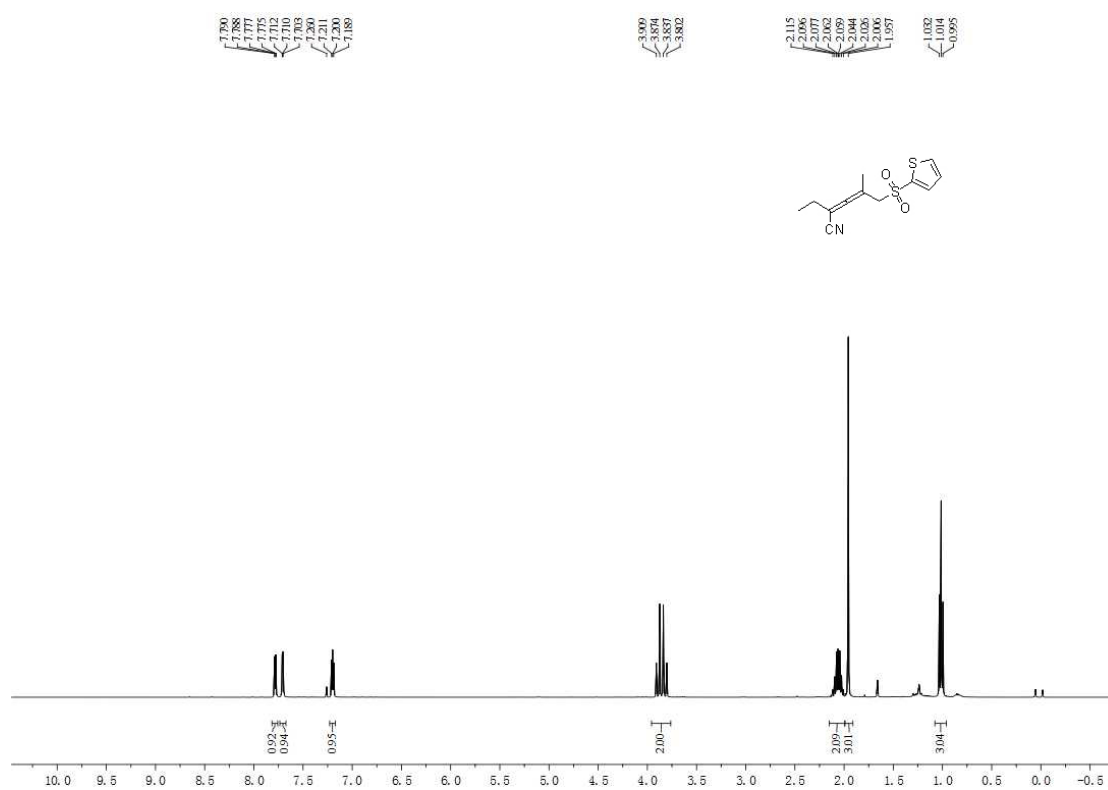
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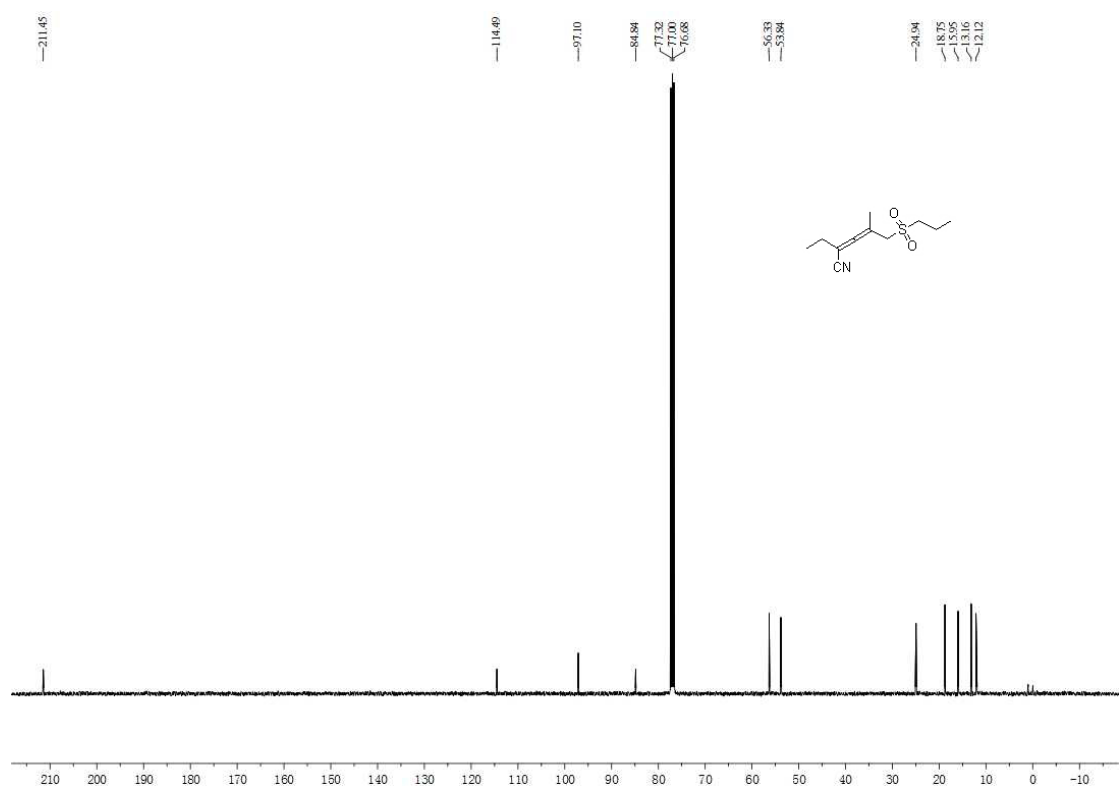
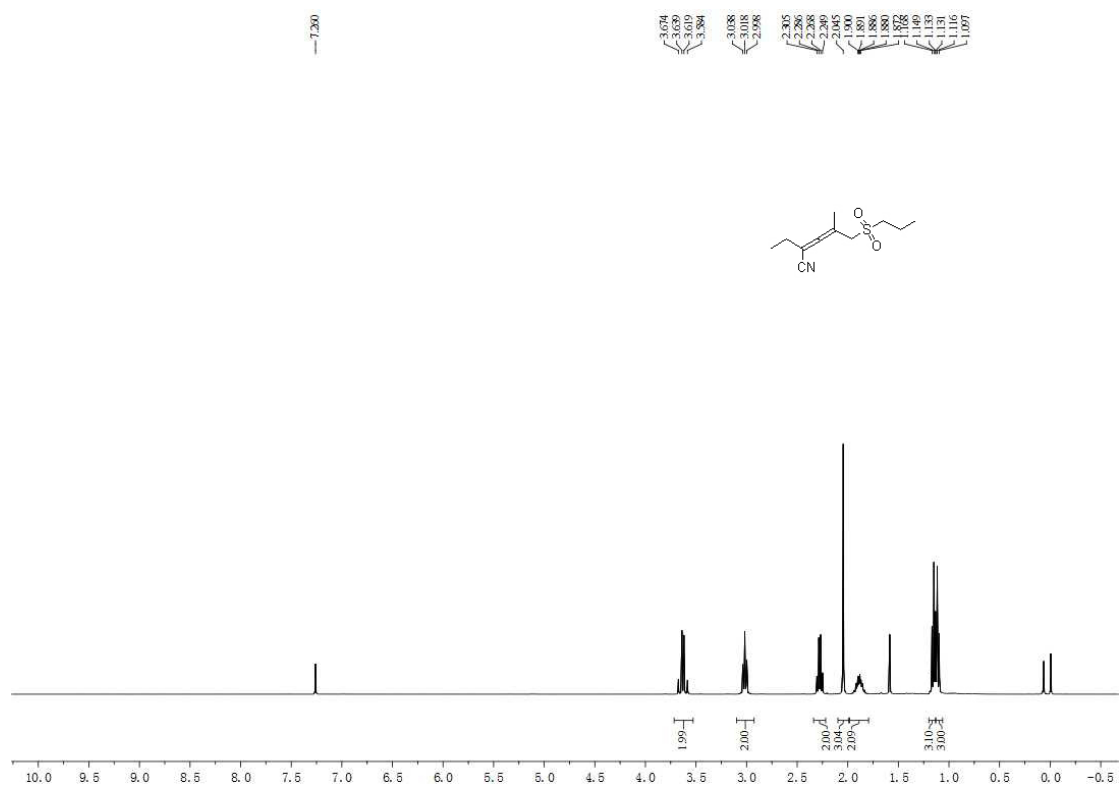
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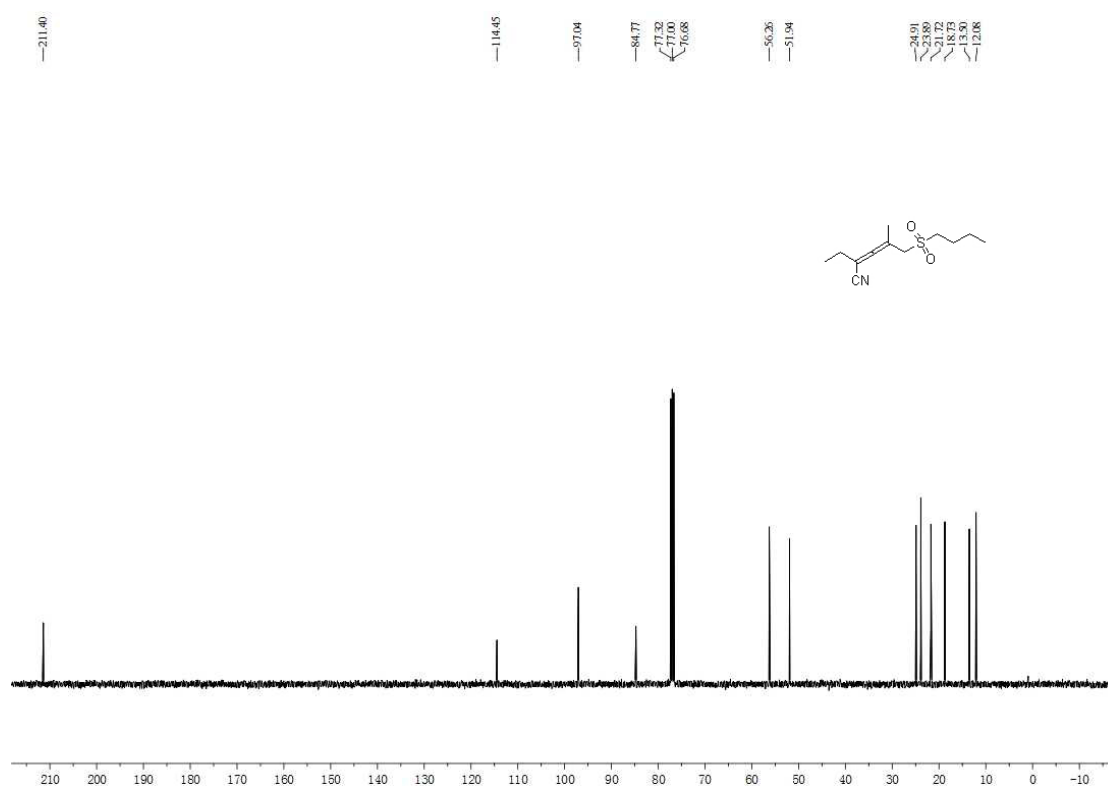
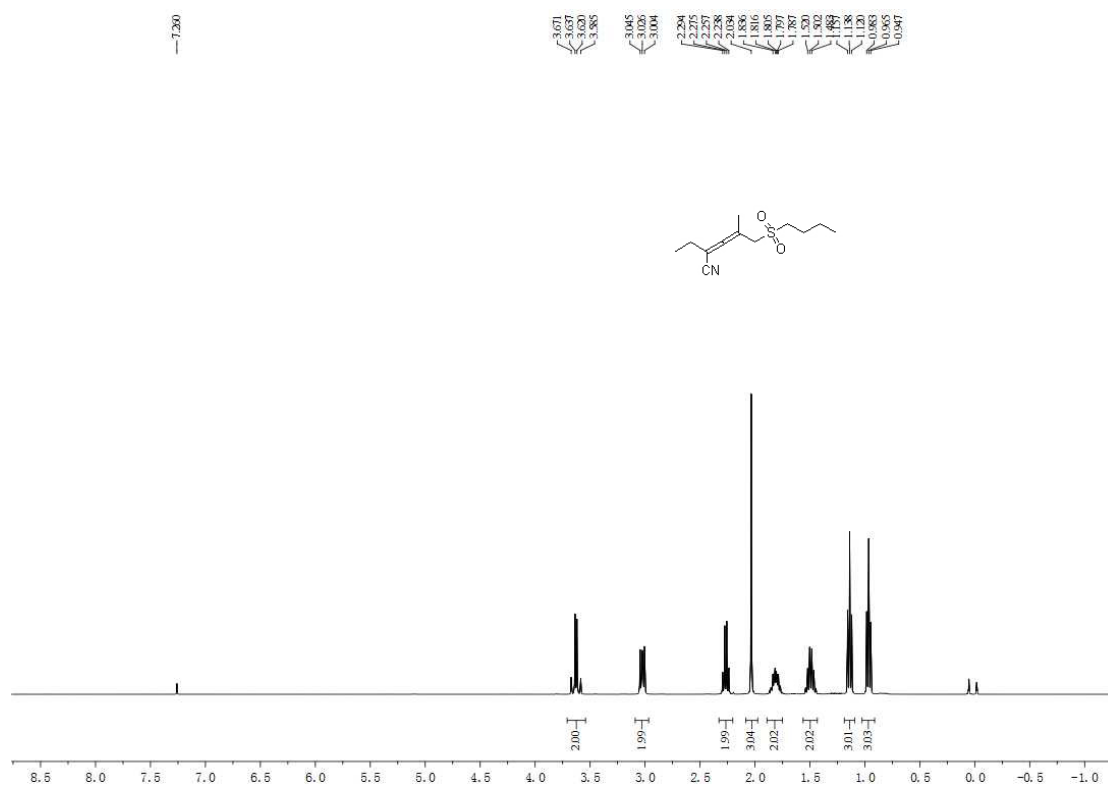
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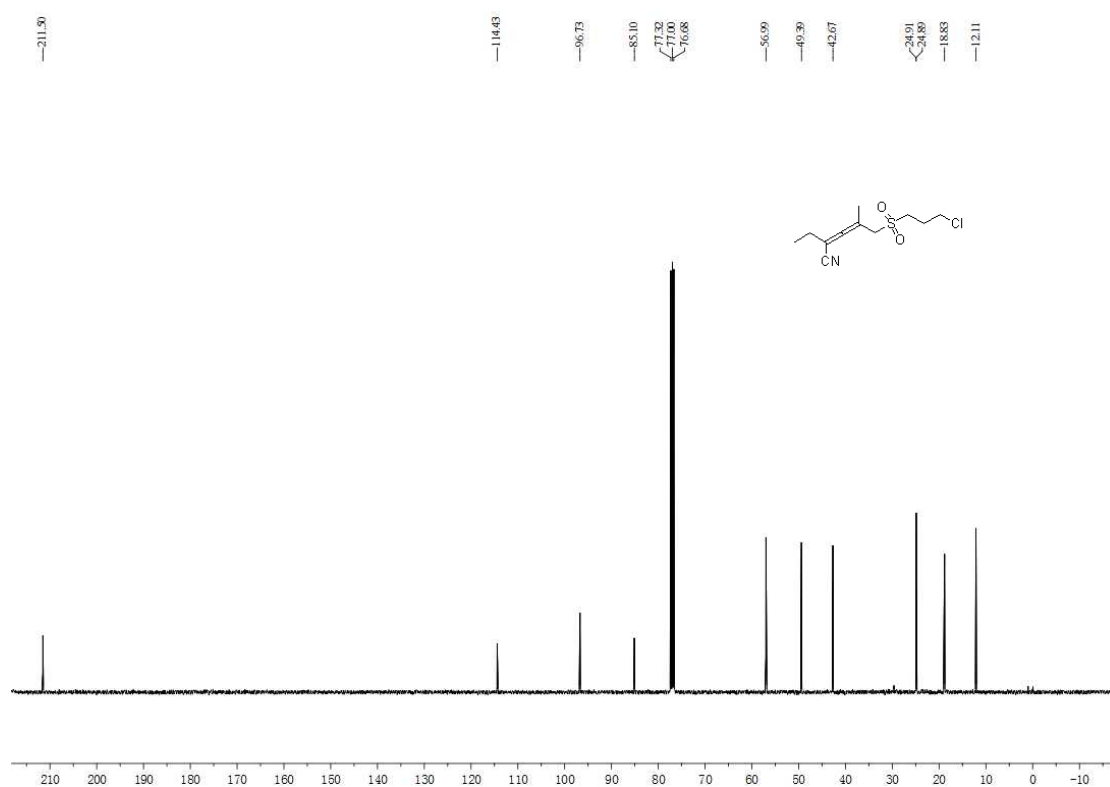
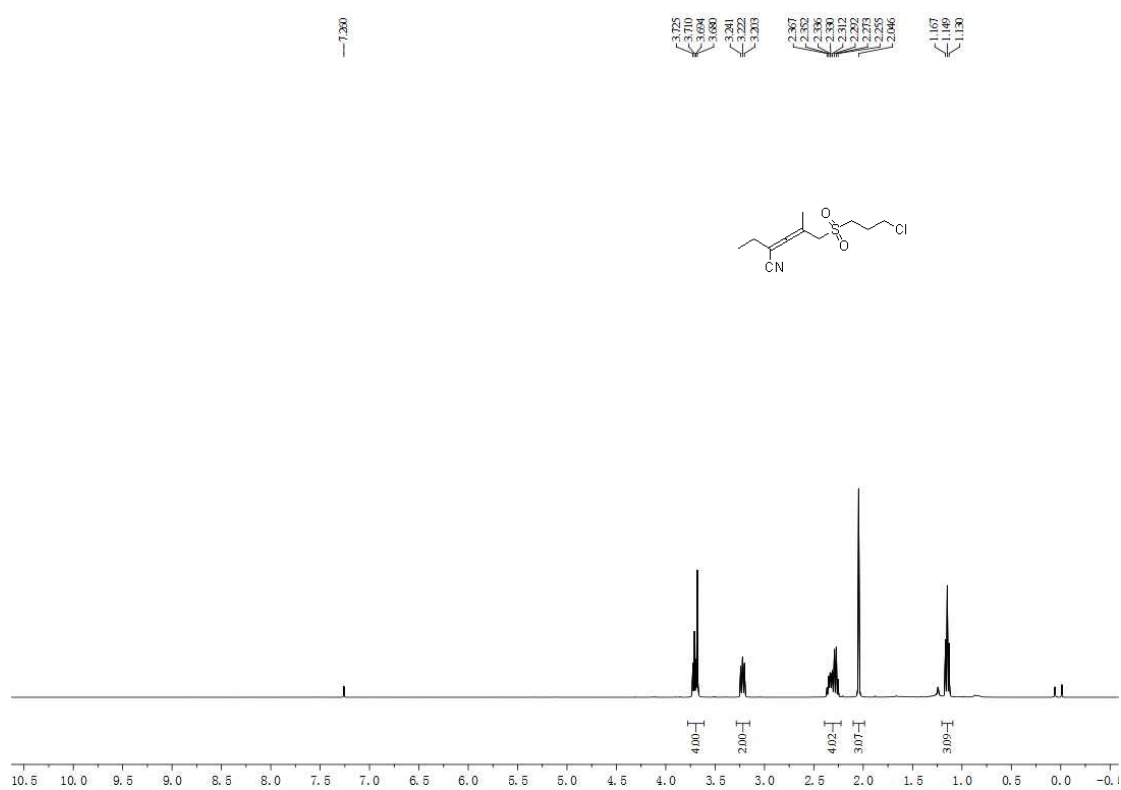
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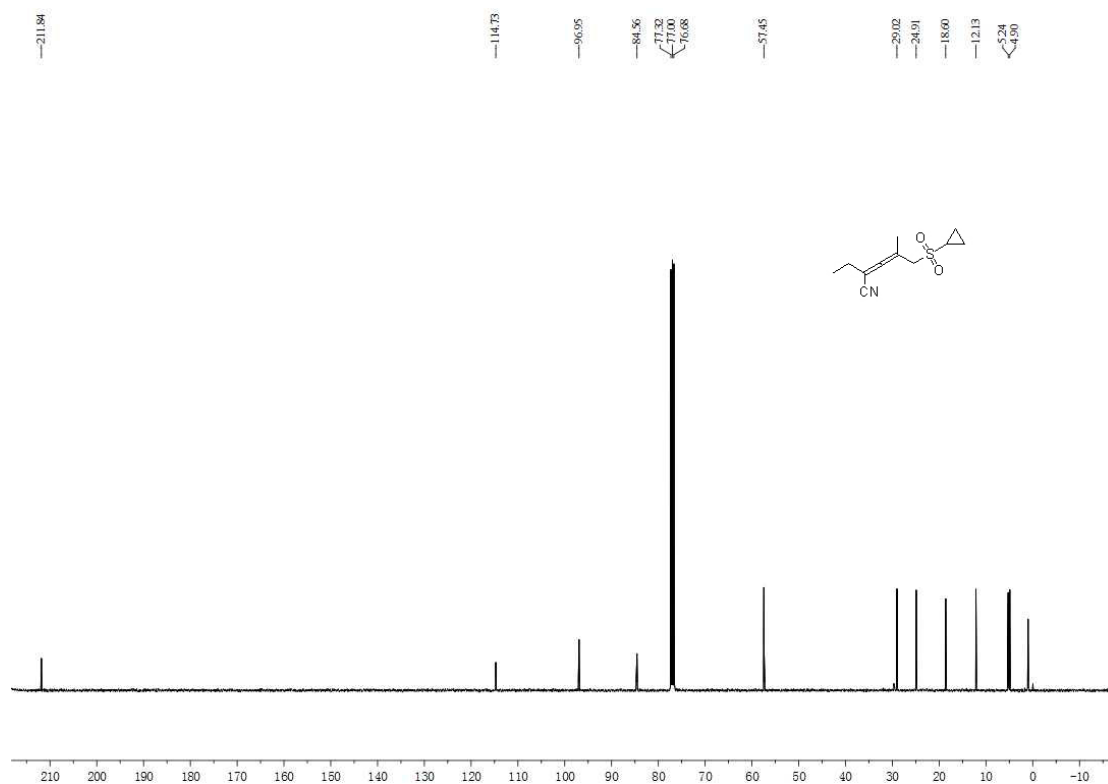
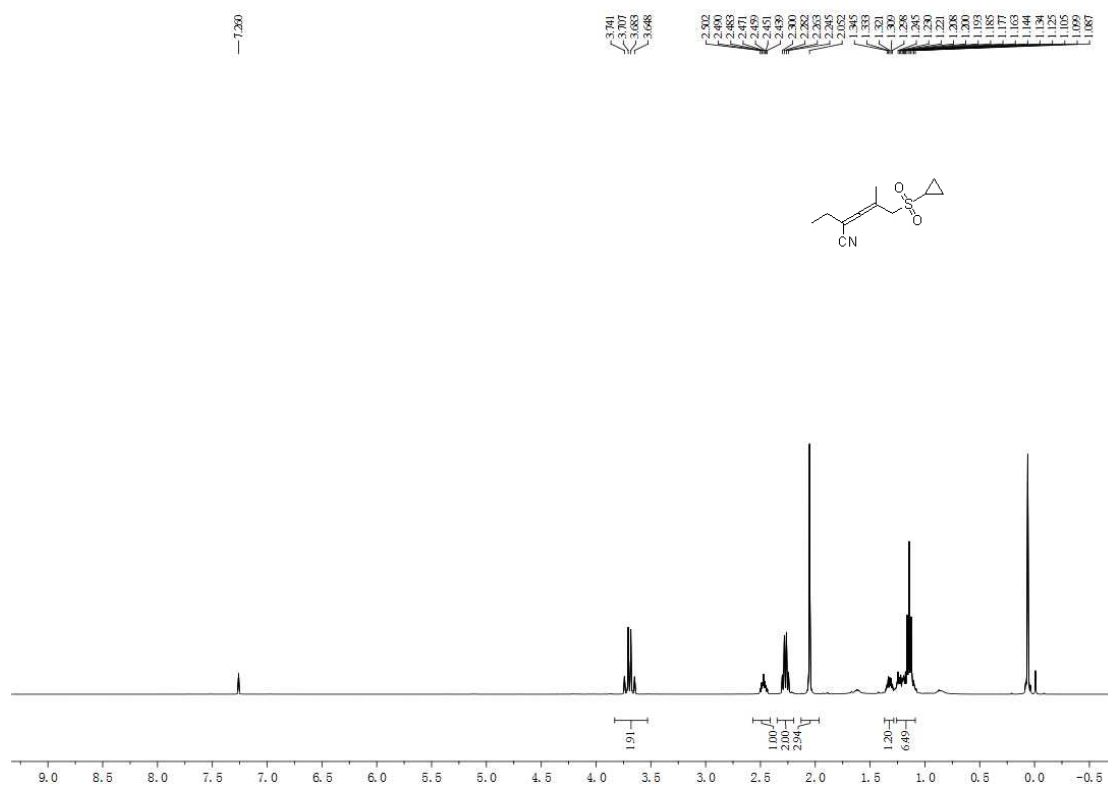
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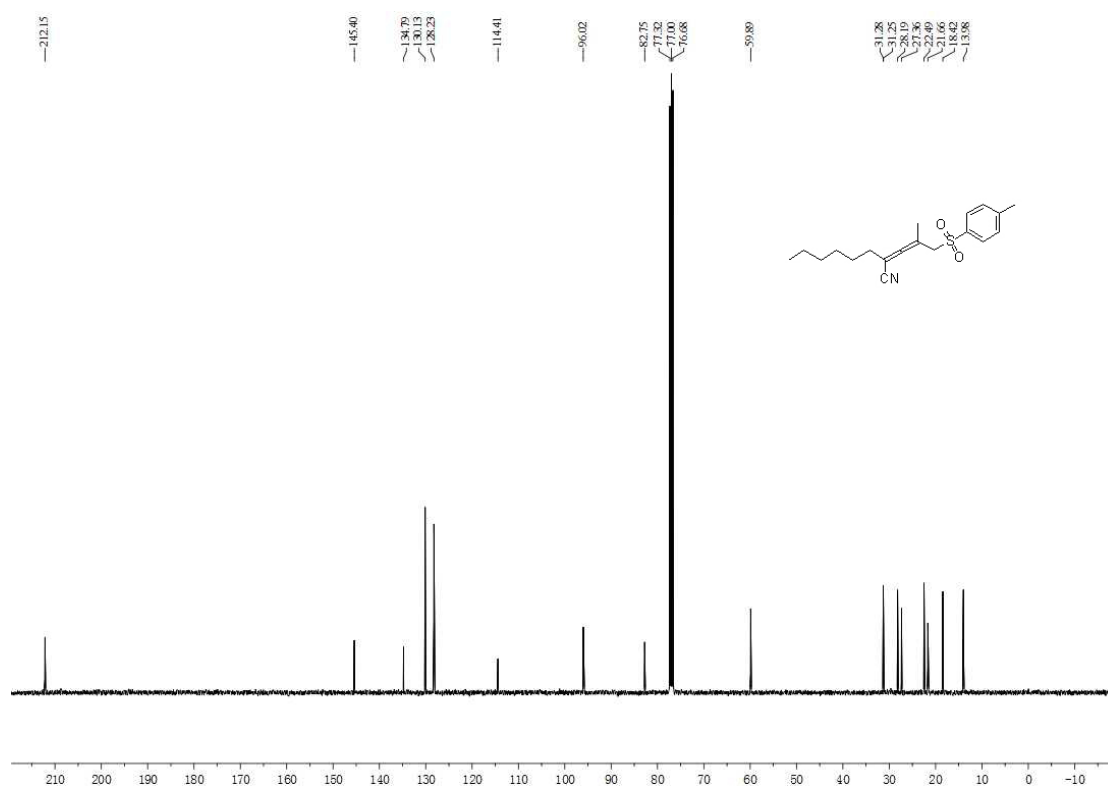
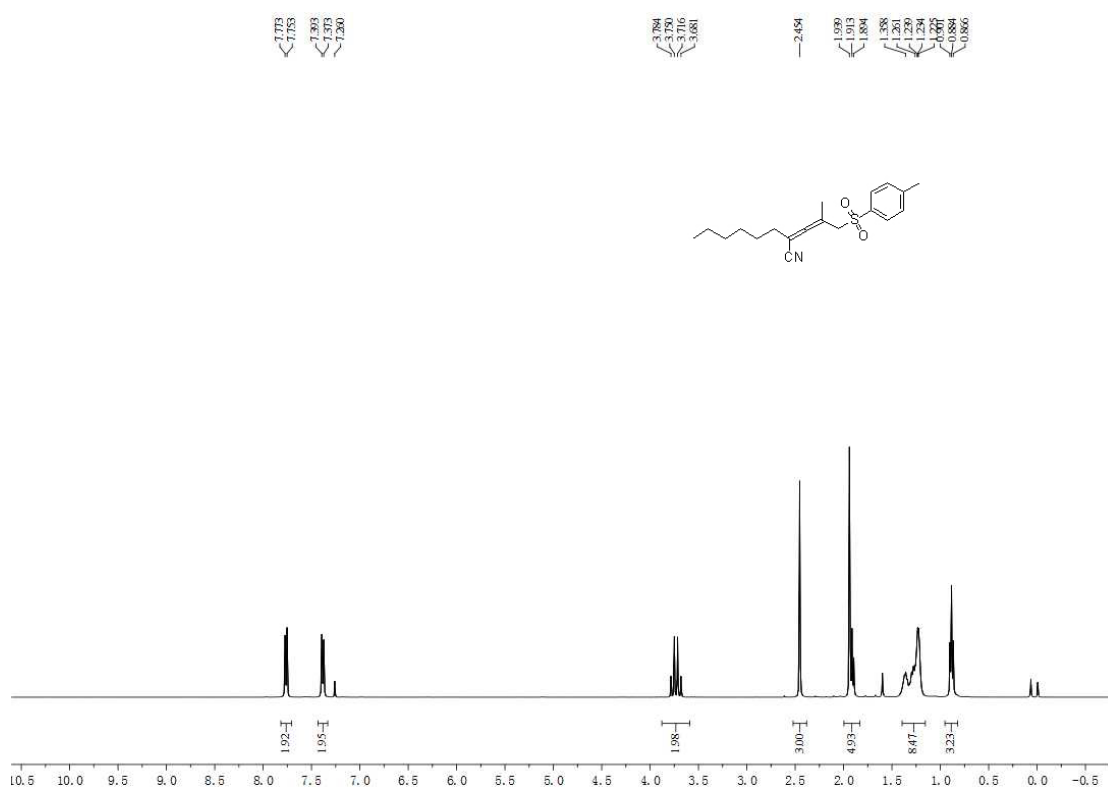
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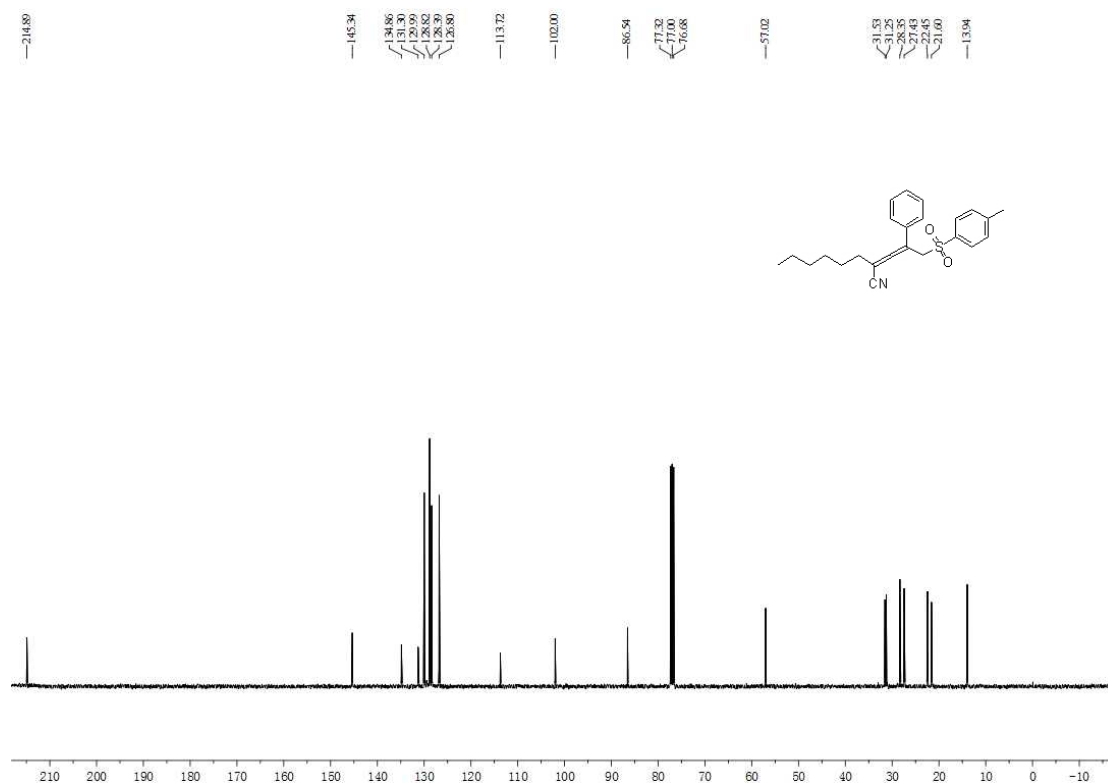
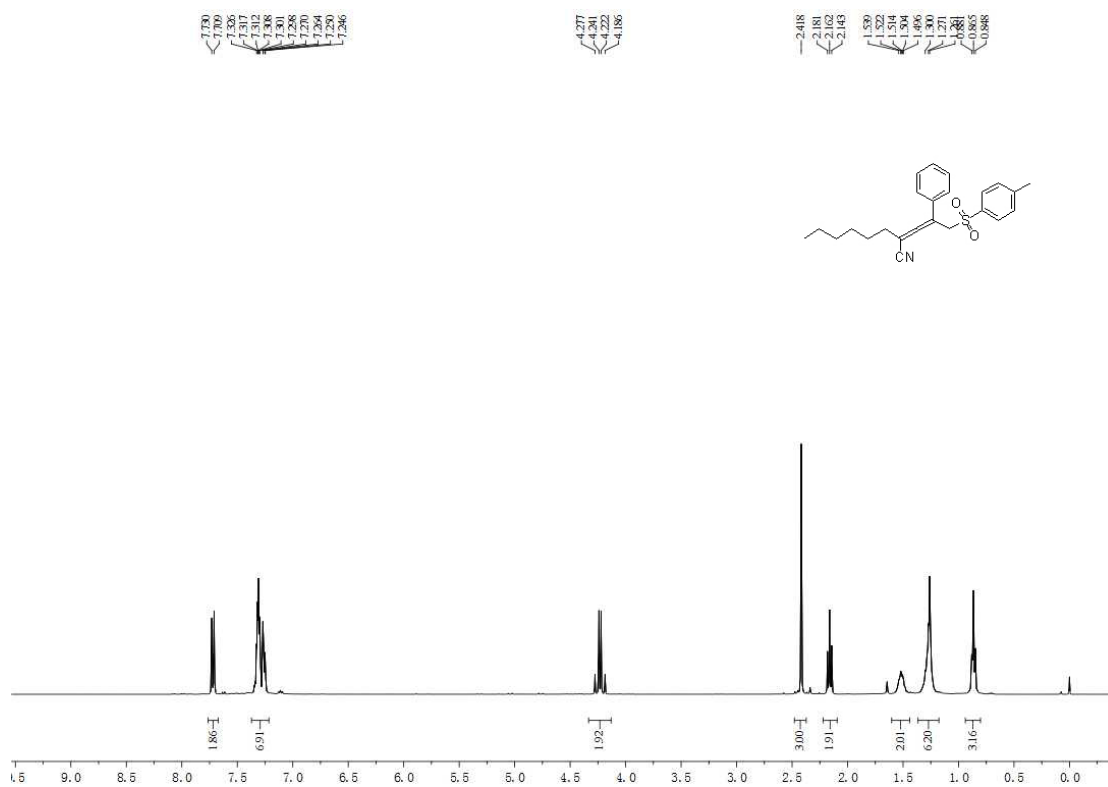
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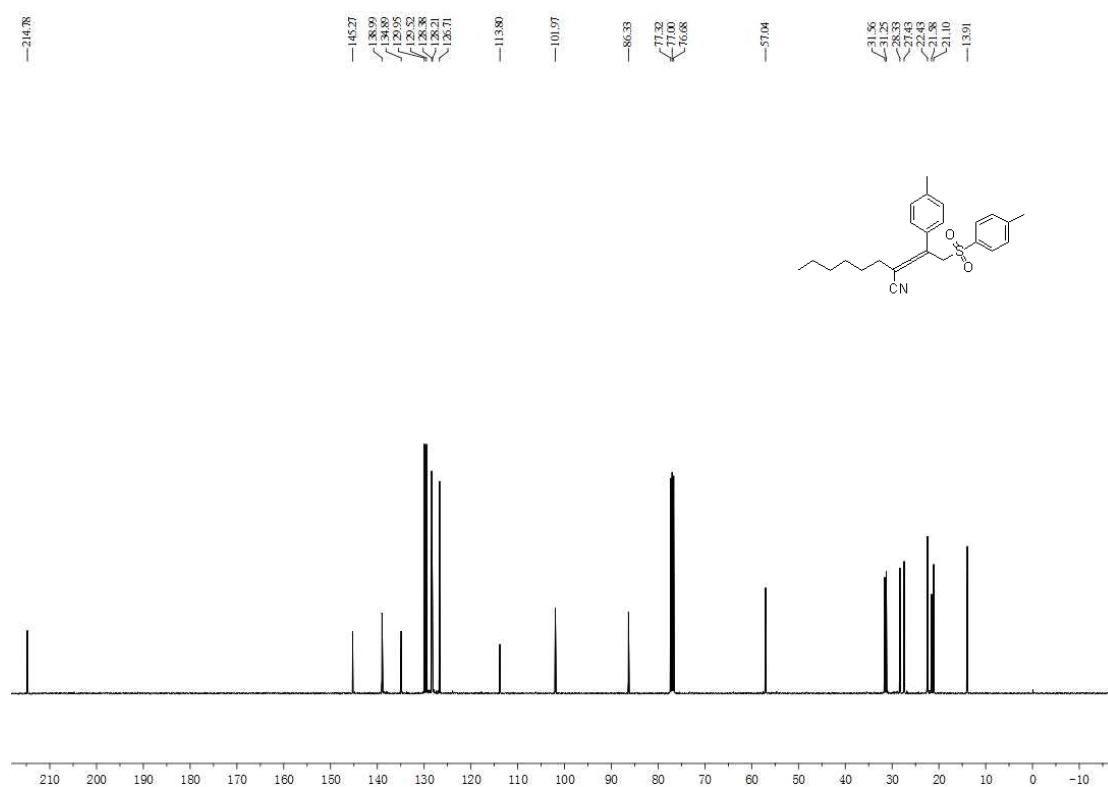
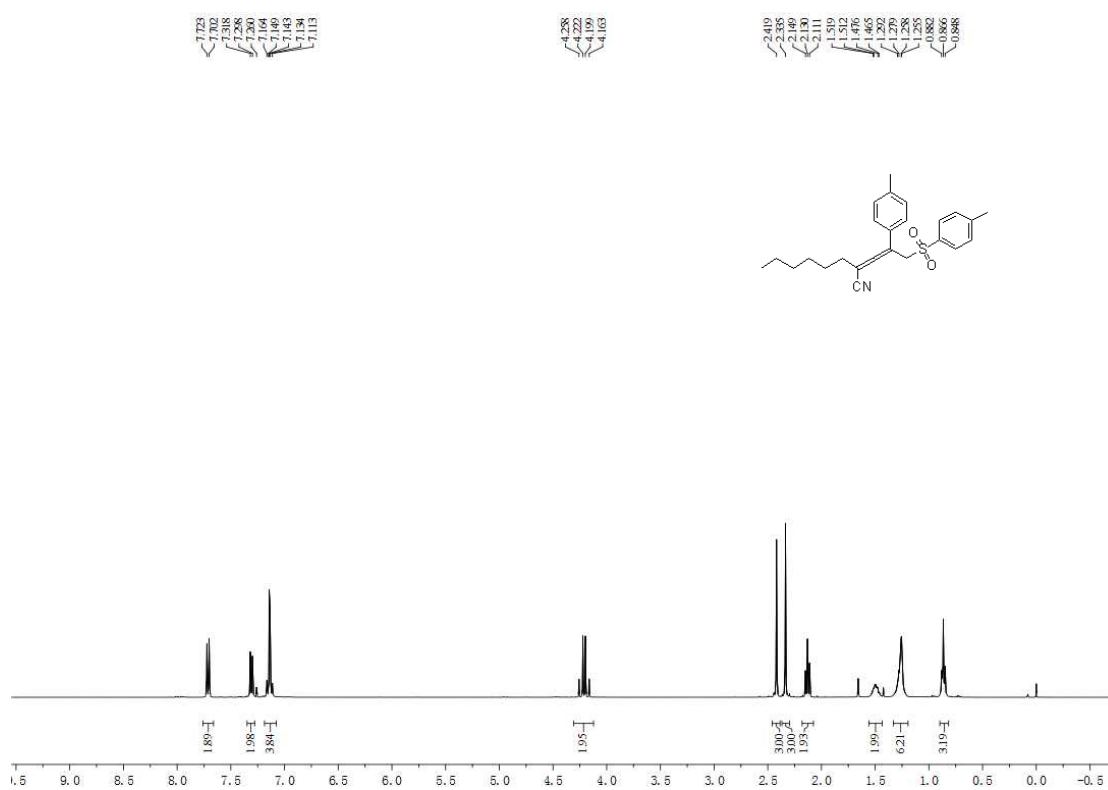
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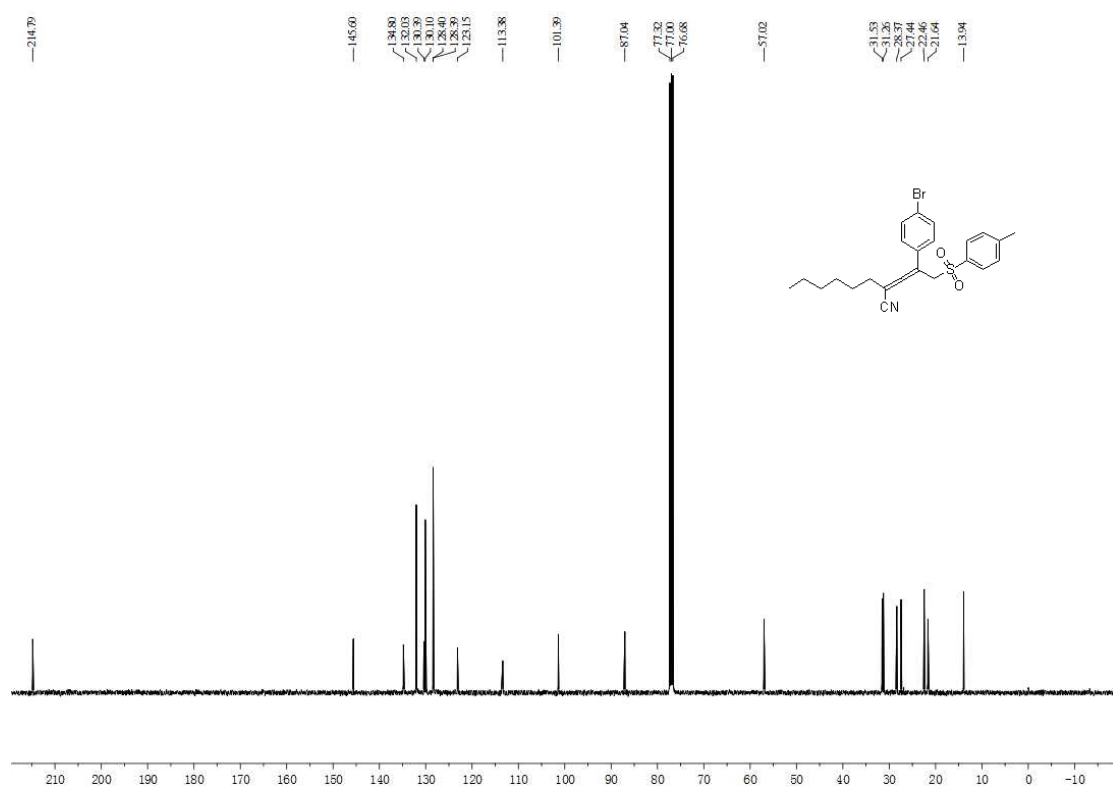
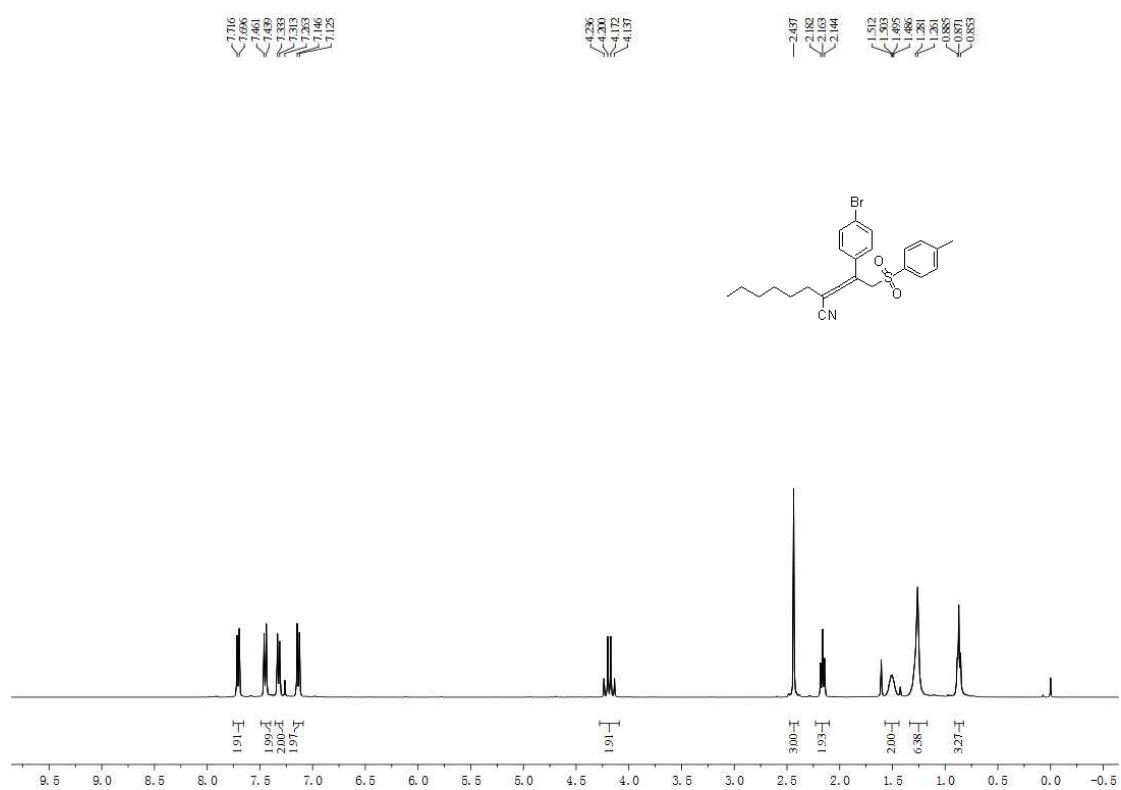
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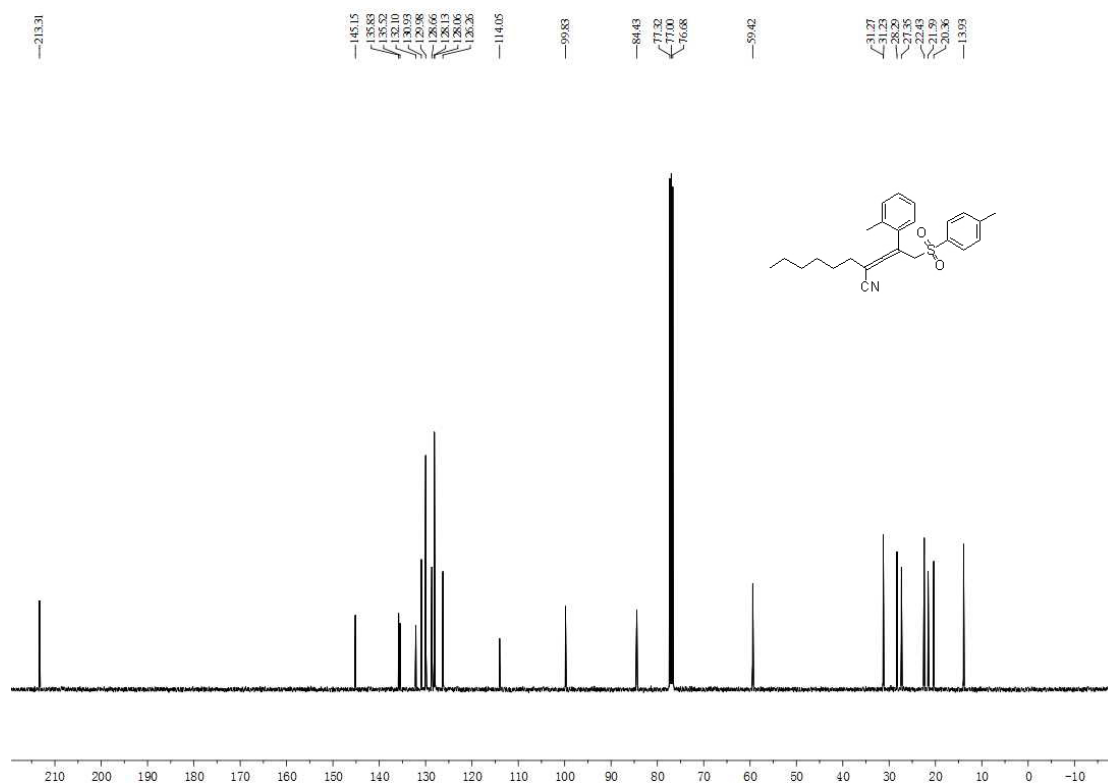
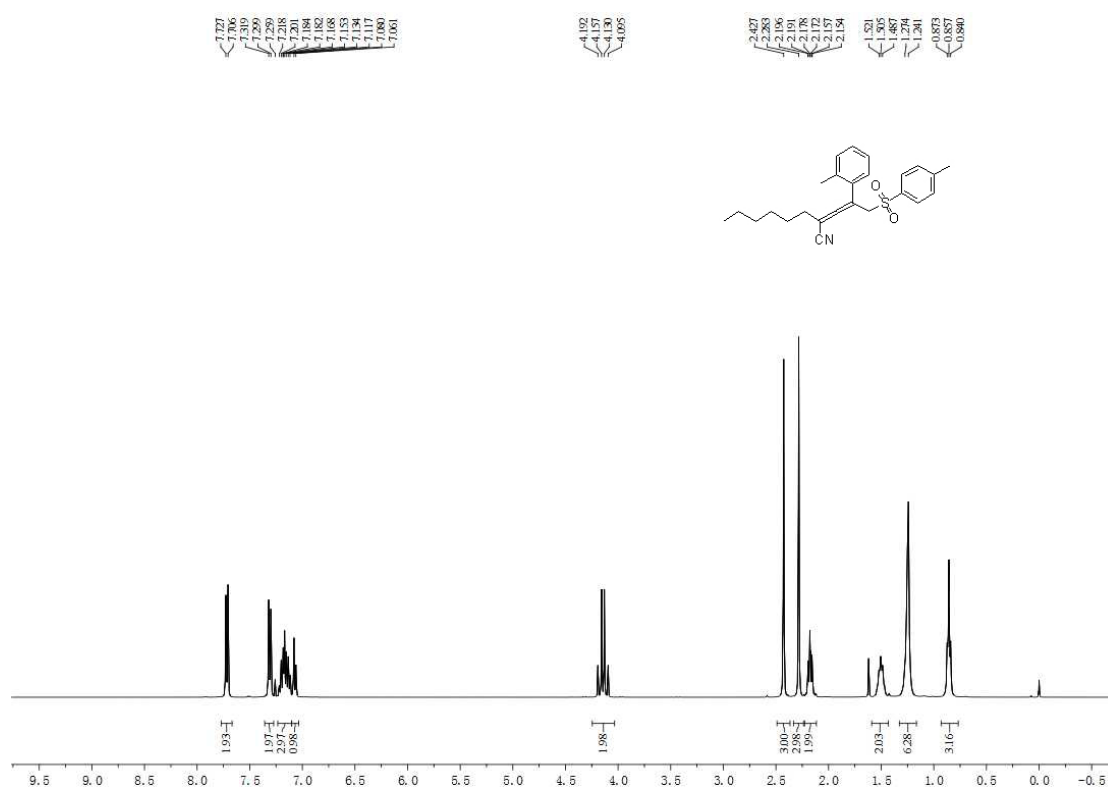
The spectrum shows a complex pattern of peaks, including a large peak at approximately 2.1 ppm, a smaller peak at approximately 2.4 ppm, and several peaks in the aromatic region between 7.2 and 7.7 ppm. Integration values are provided below the baseline: 190, 190, 207, 190, 300, 190, 204, 634, 331.



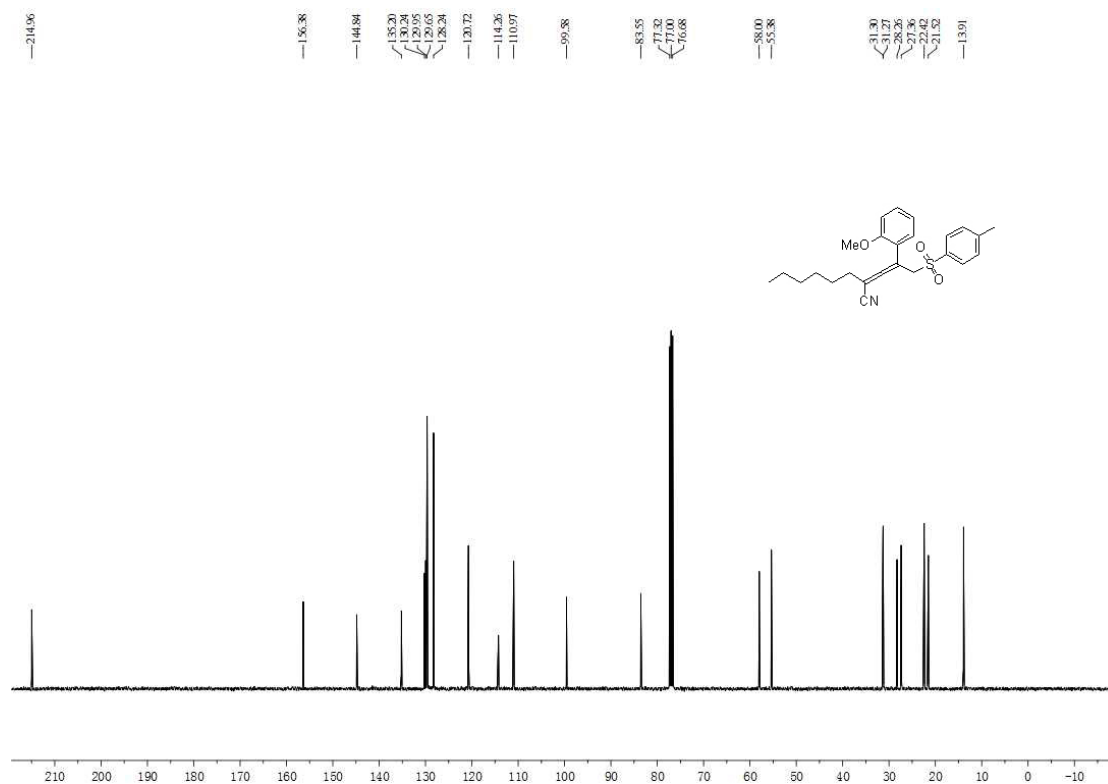
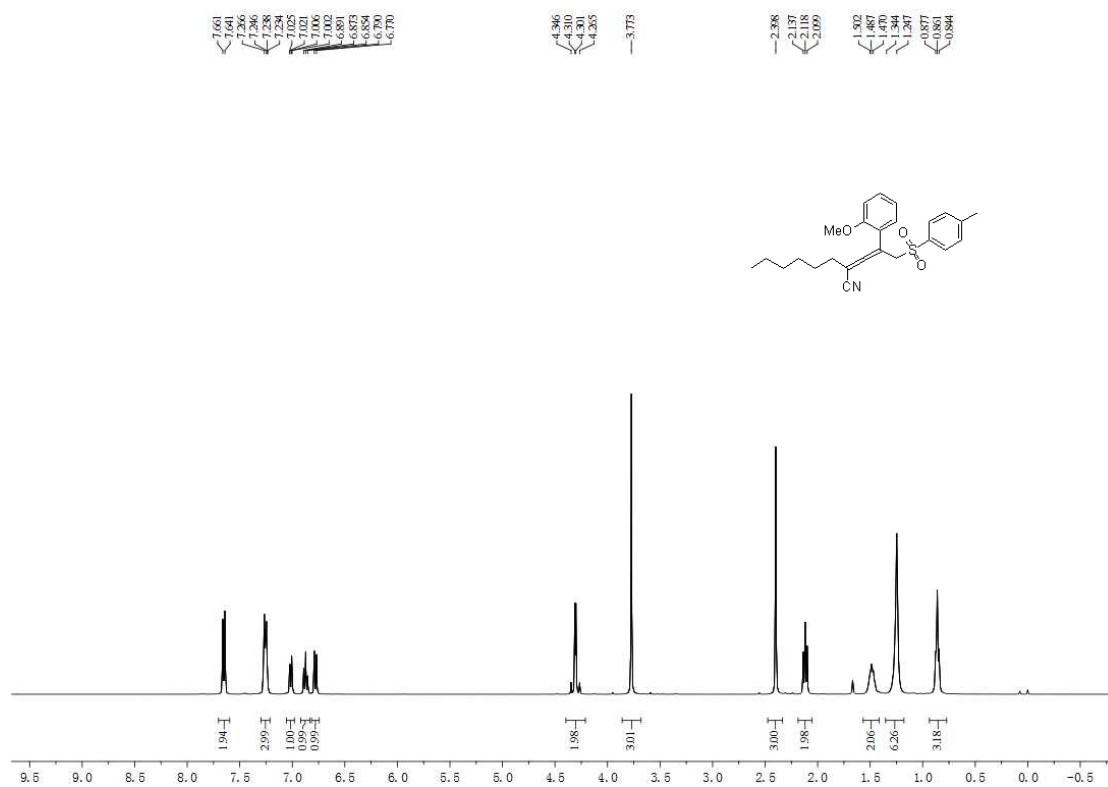
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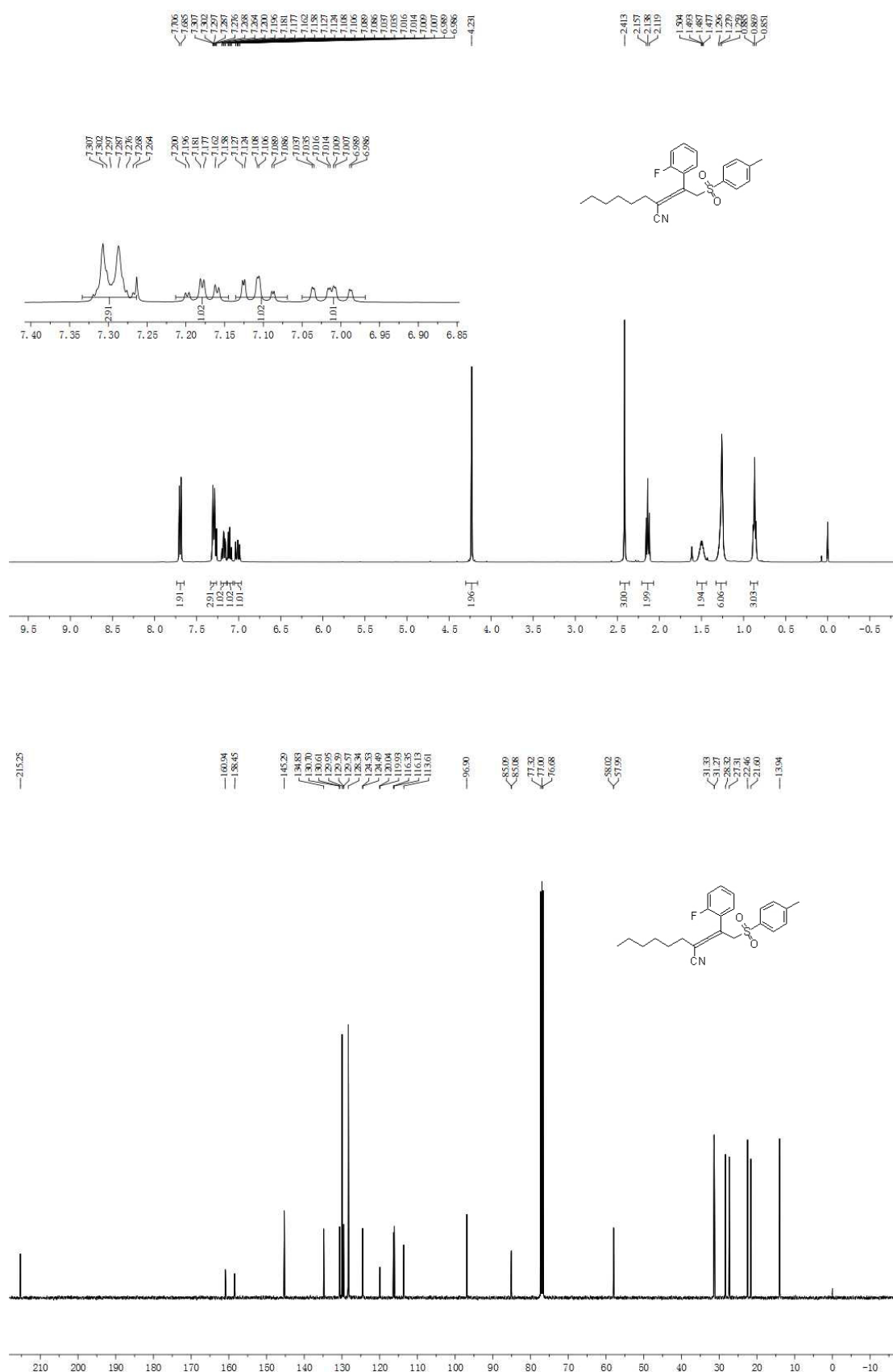
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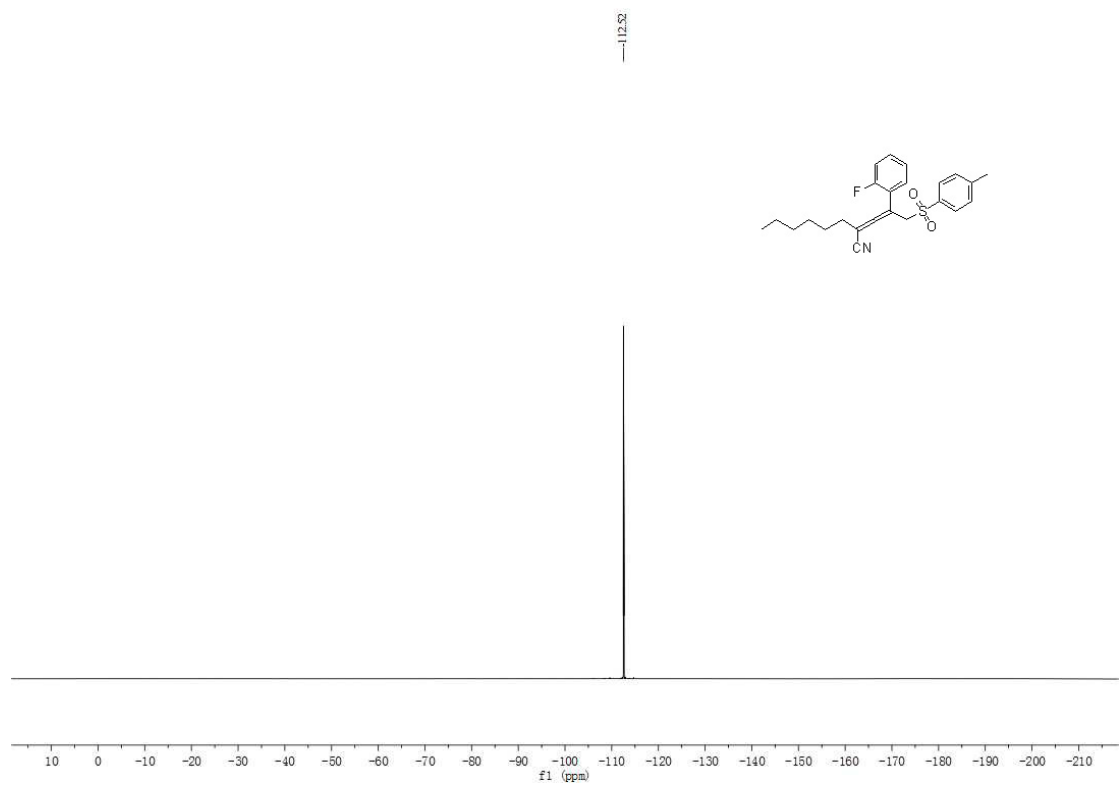


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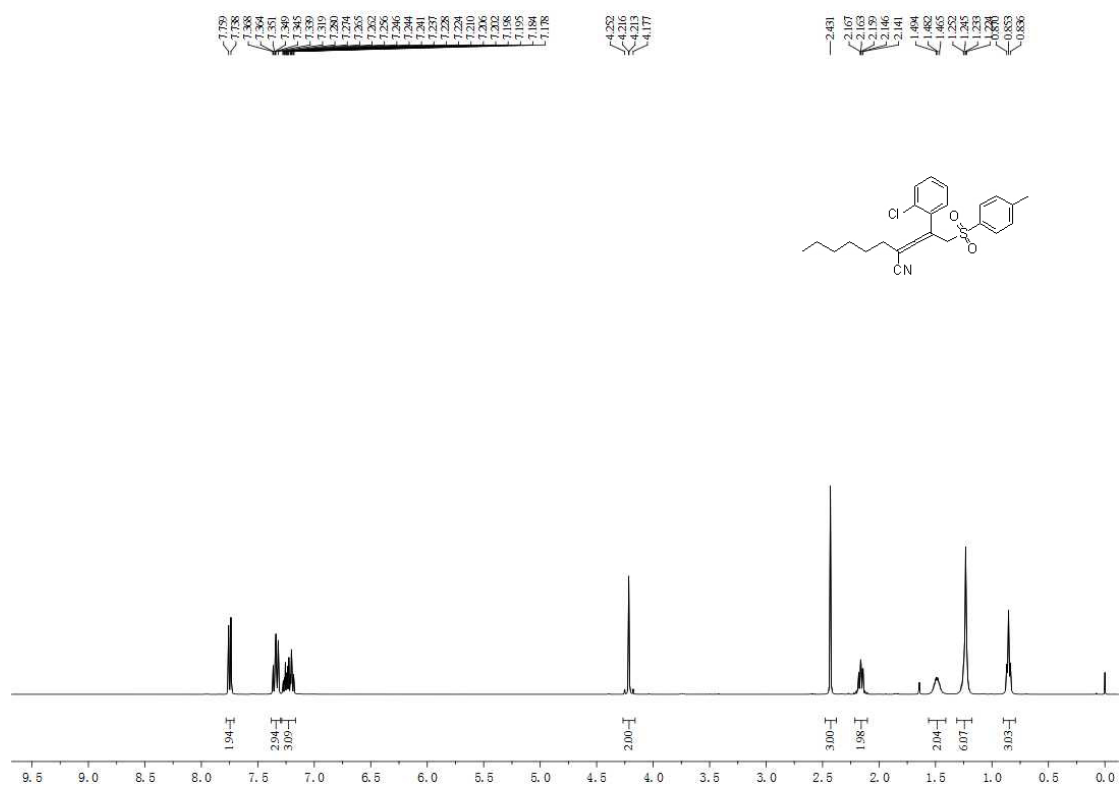


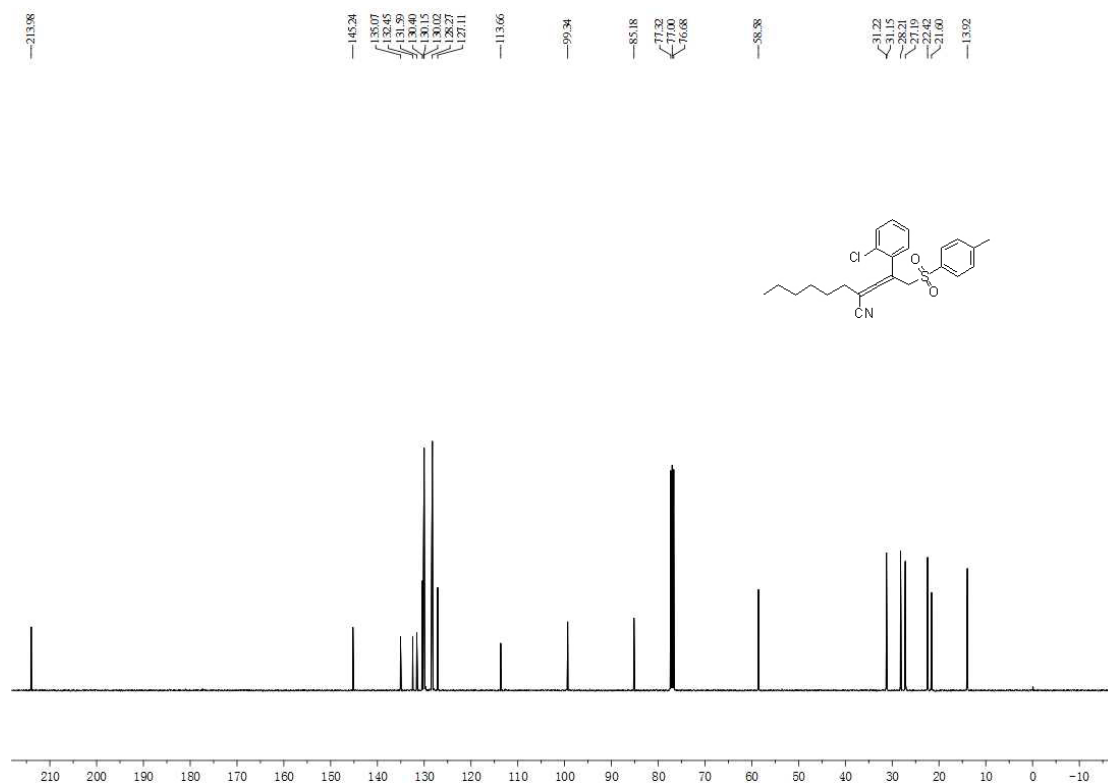
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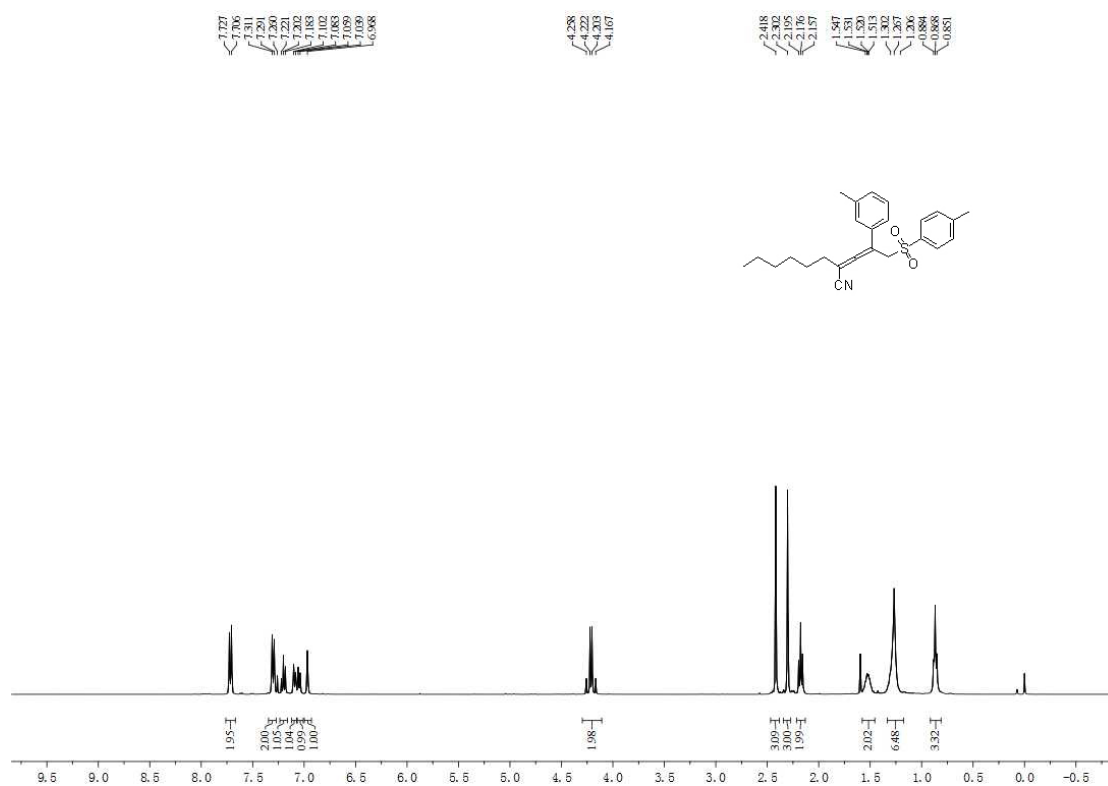


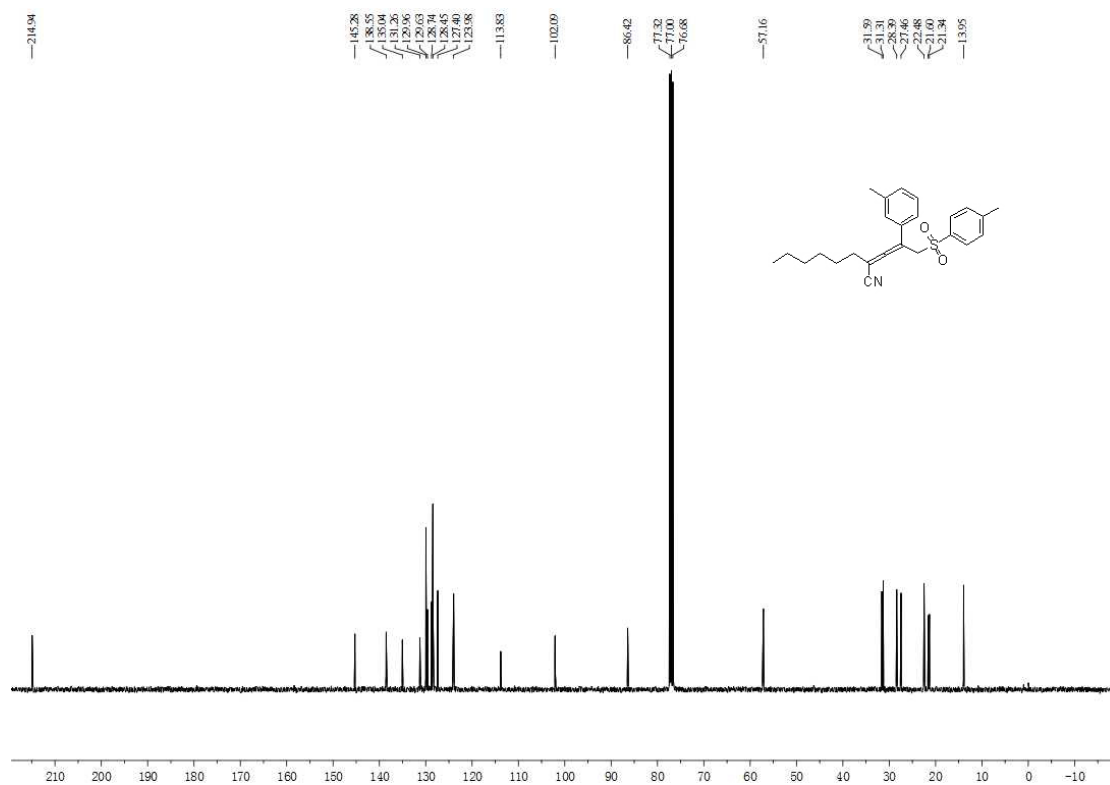
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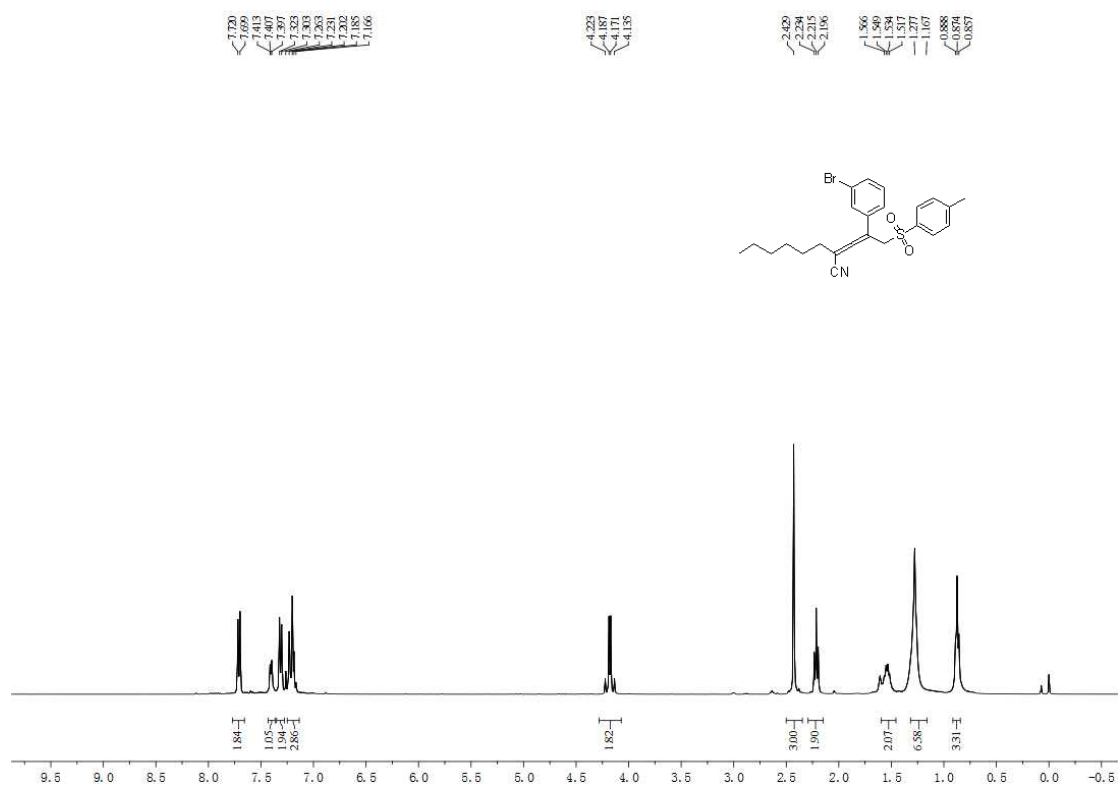


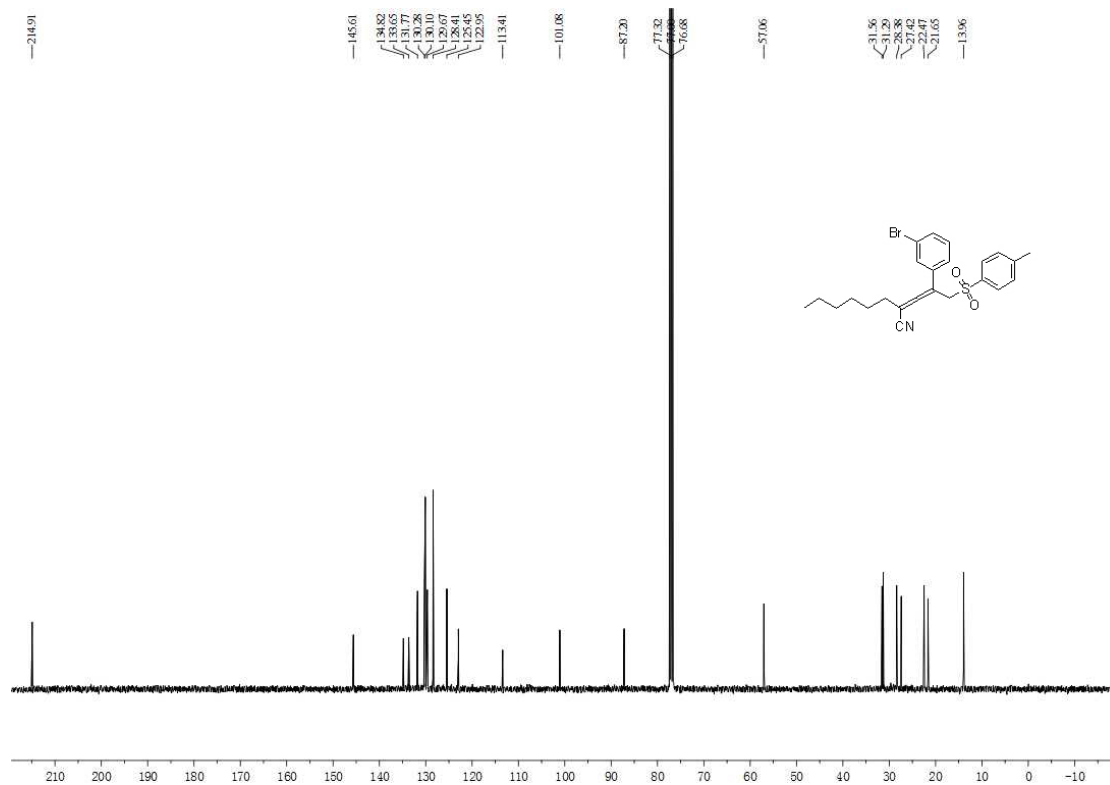
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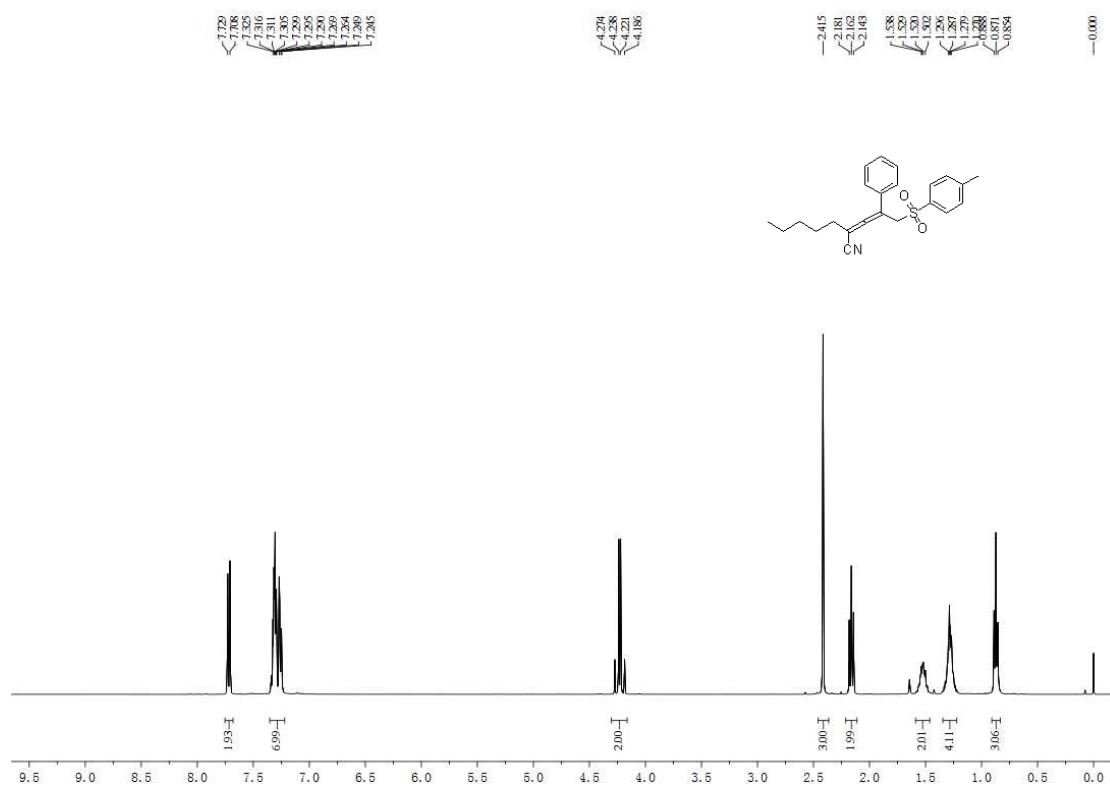


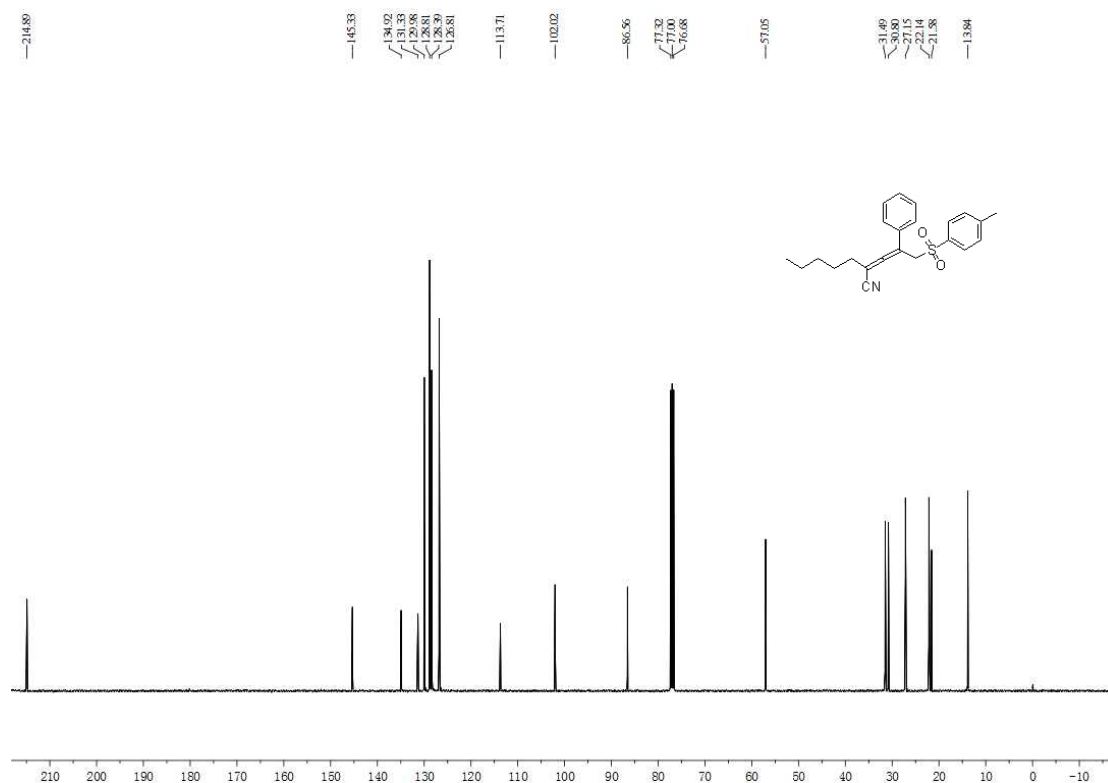
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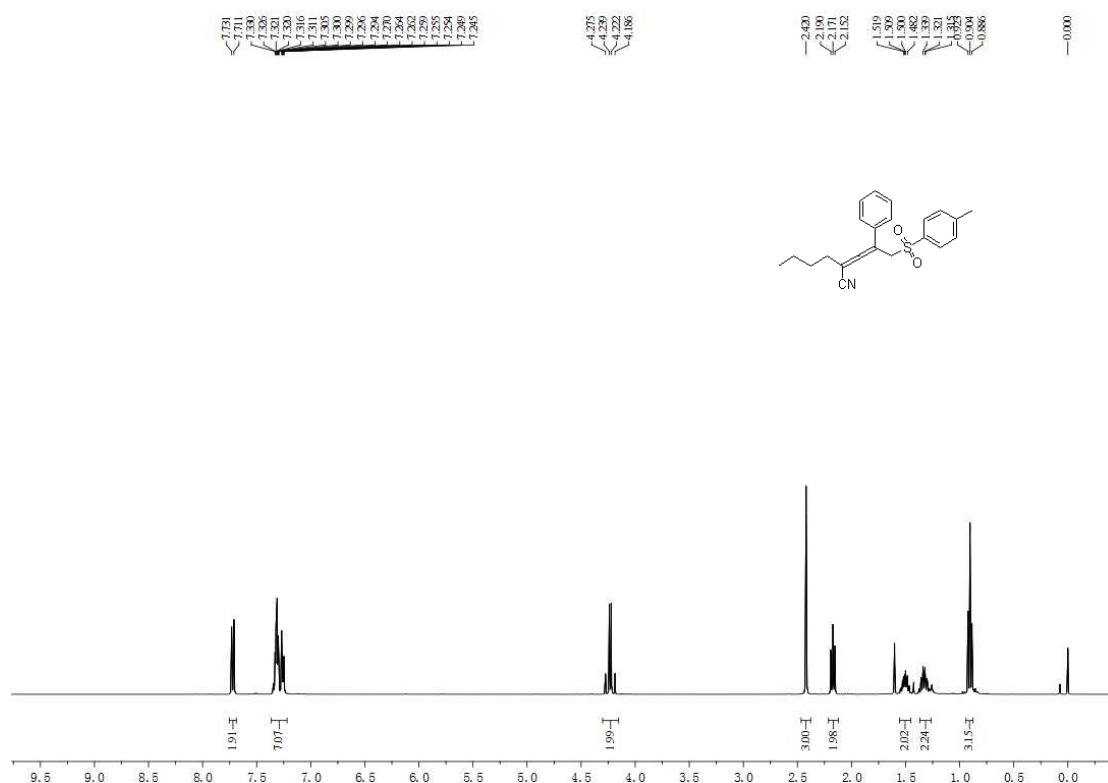


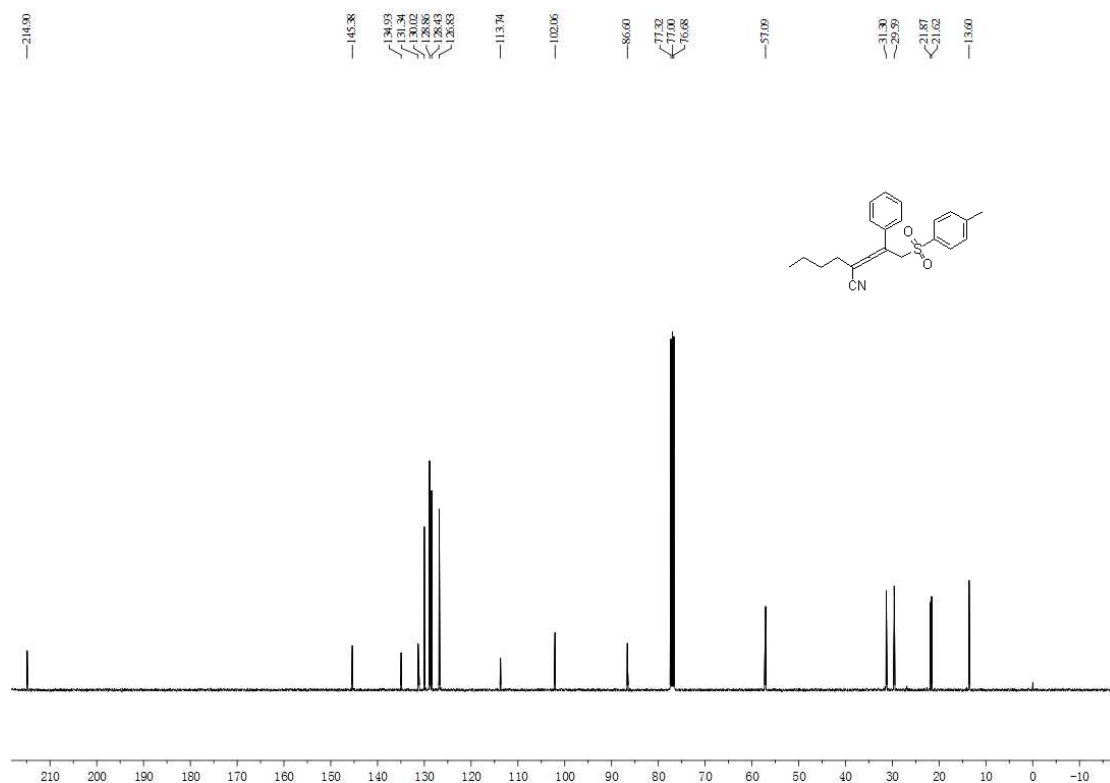
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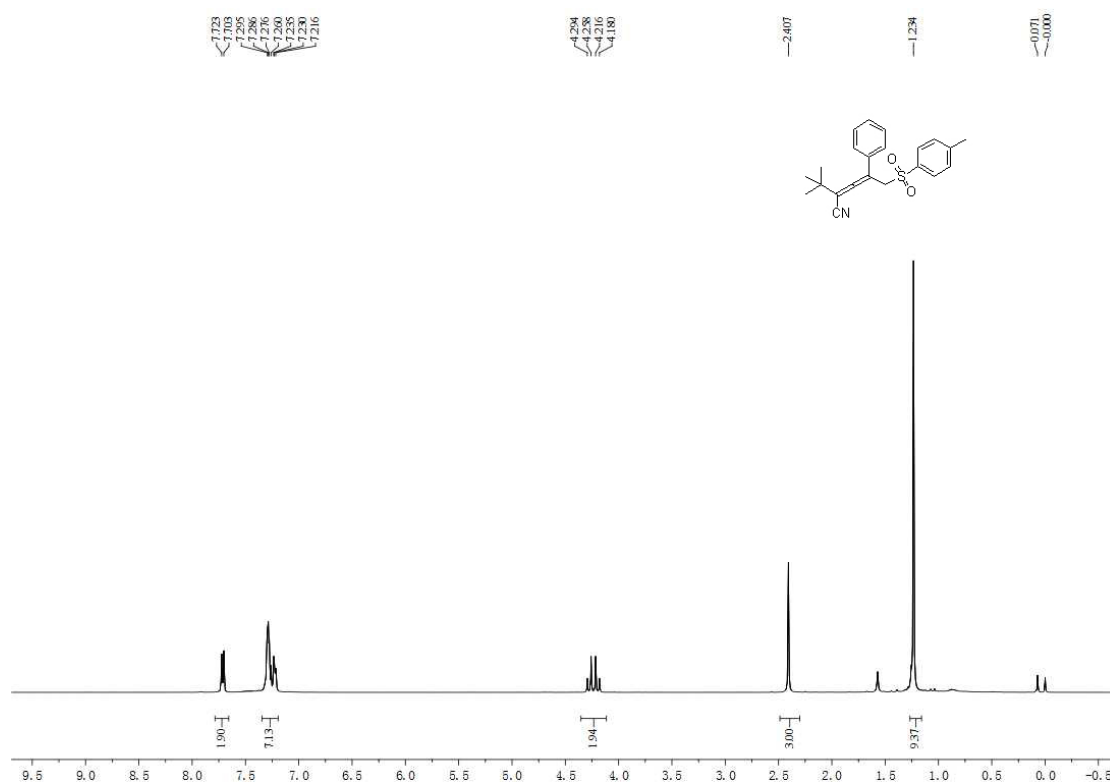


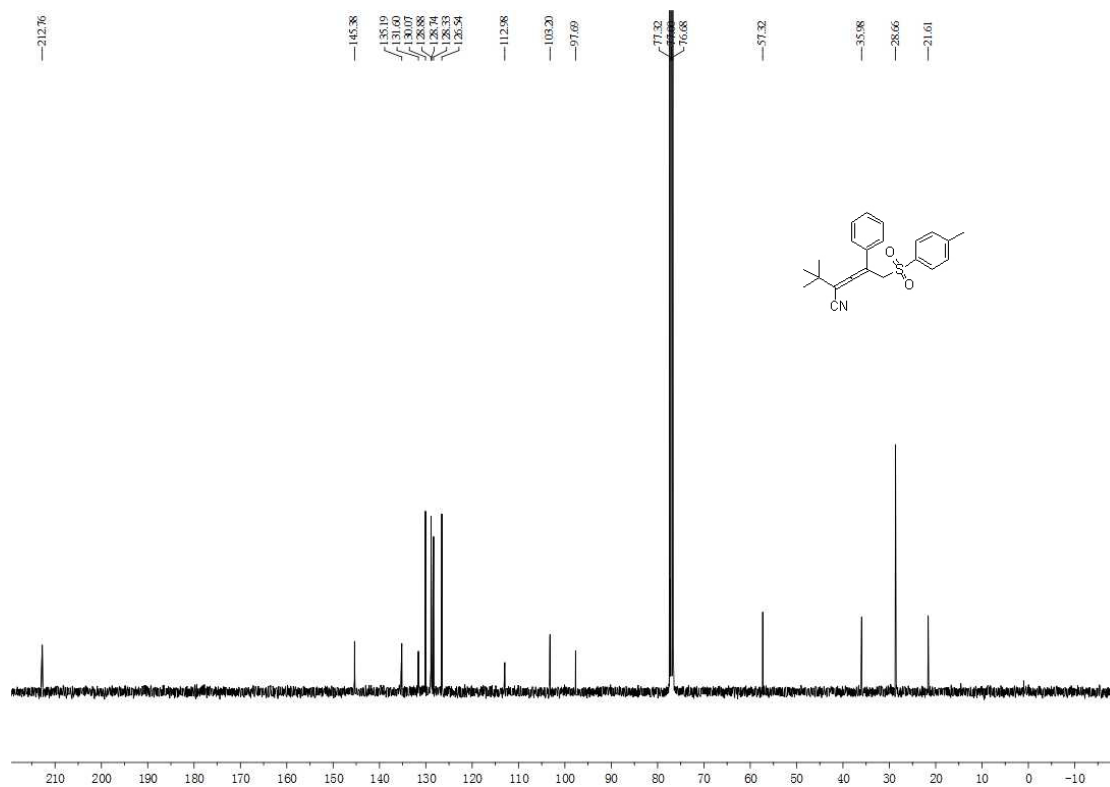
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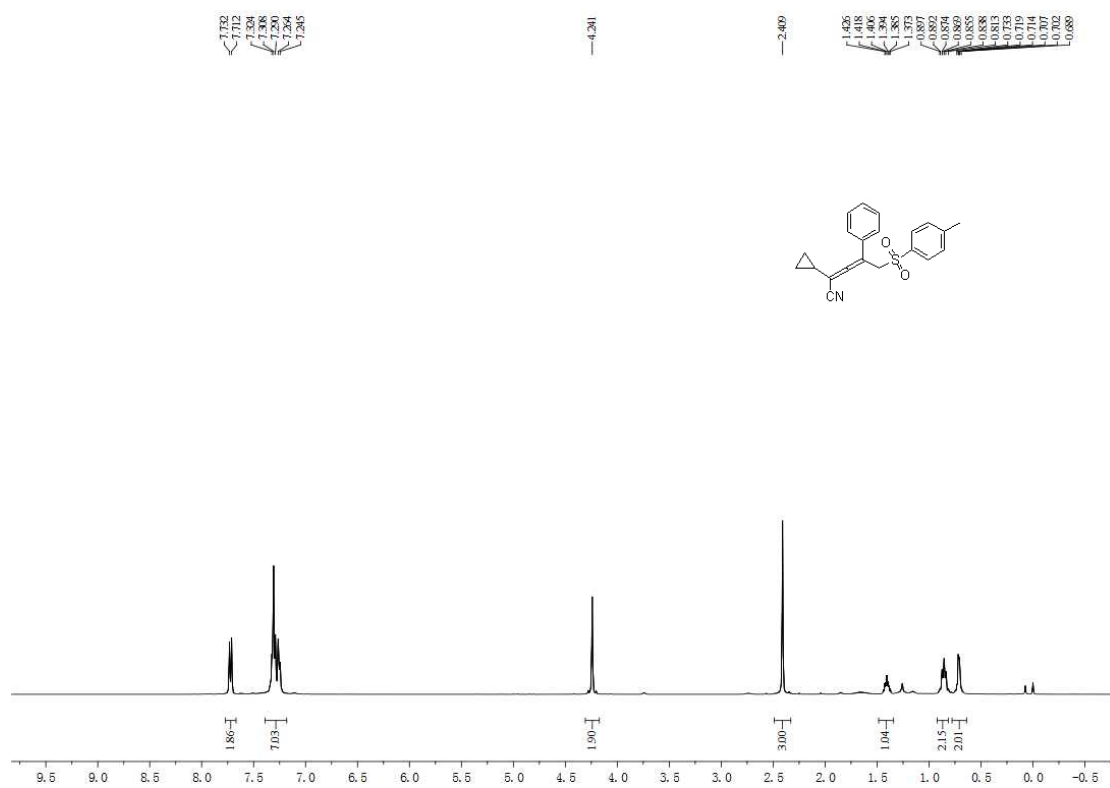


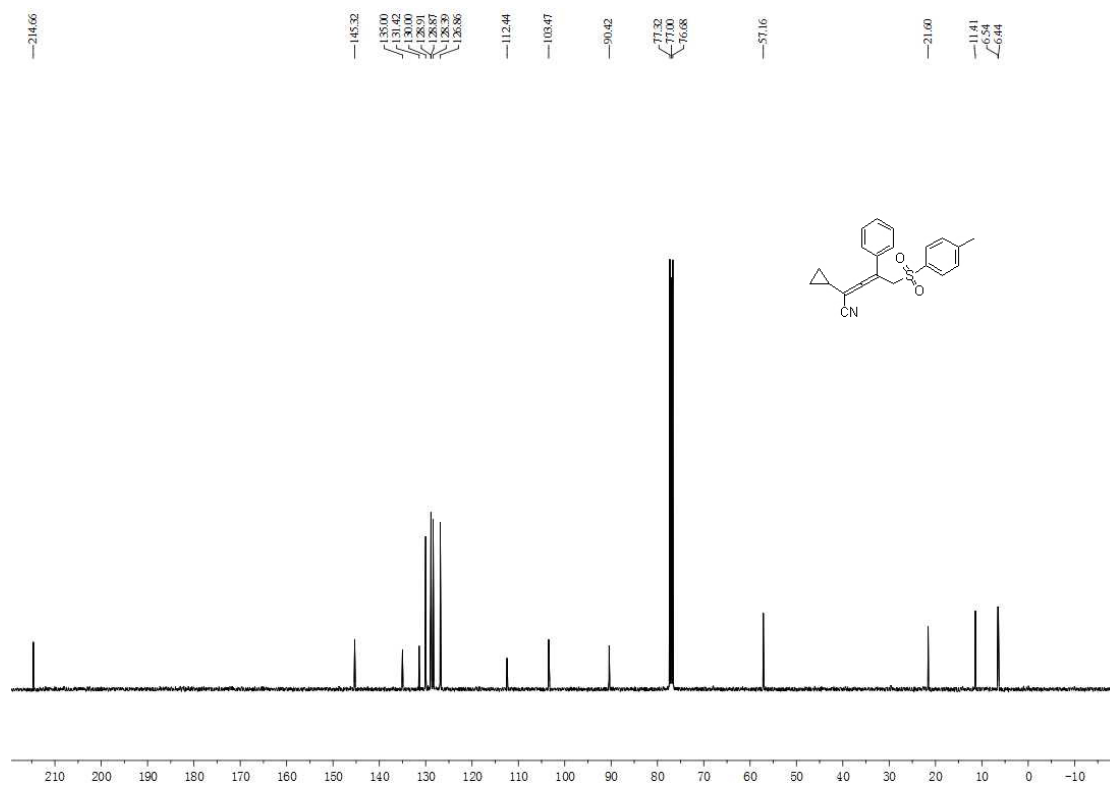
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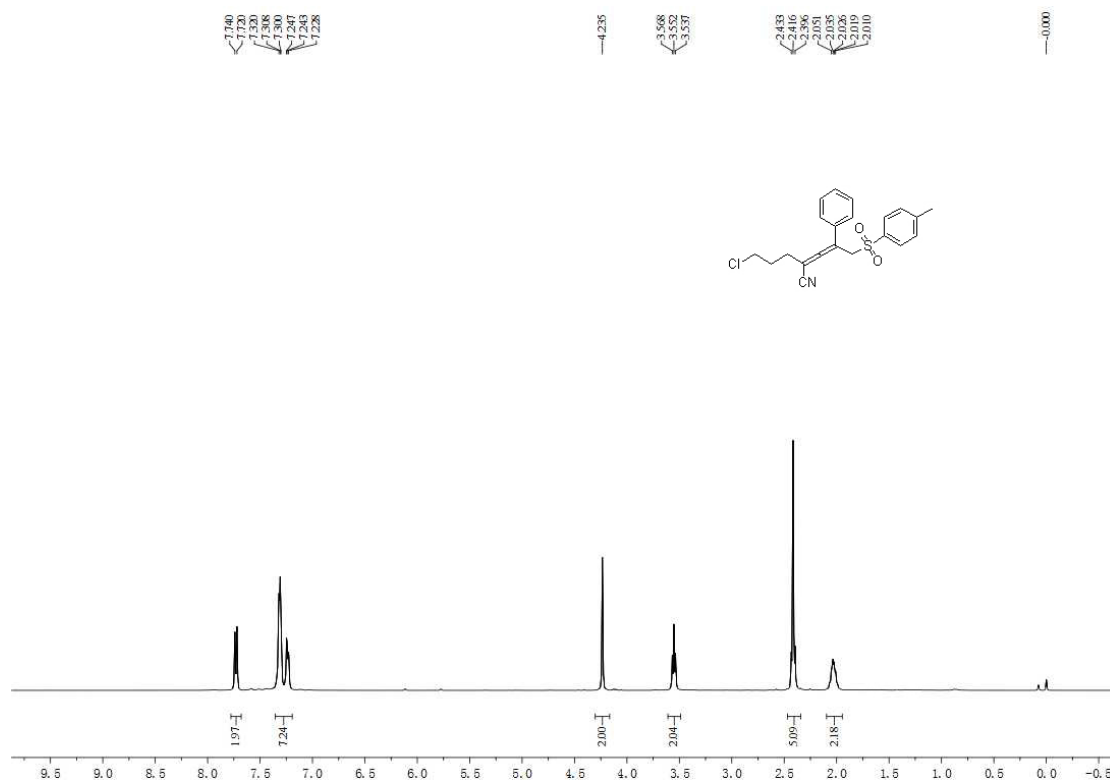


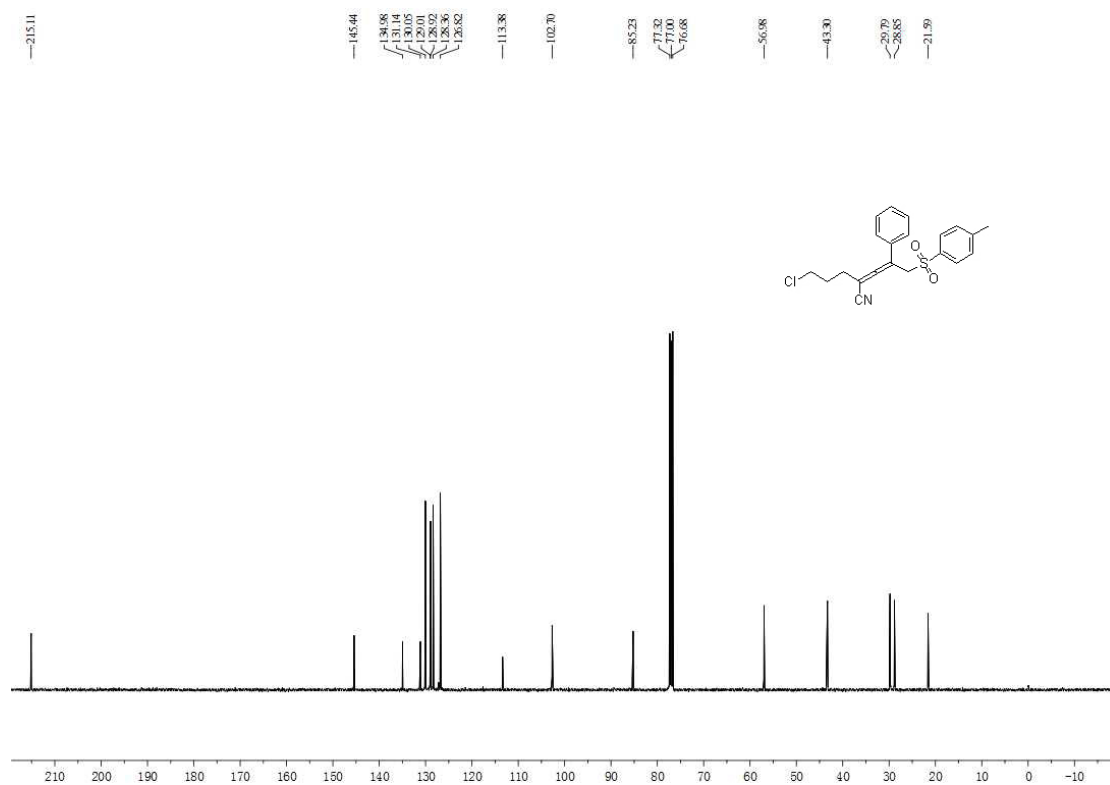
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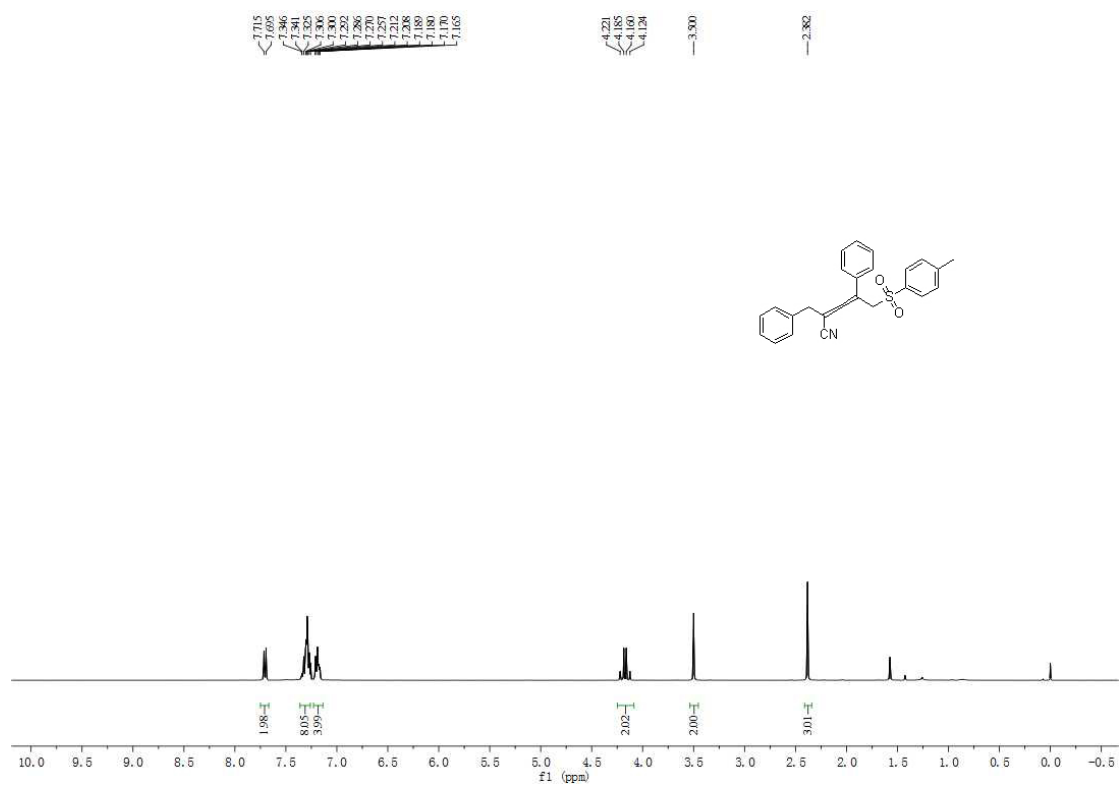


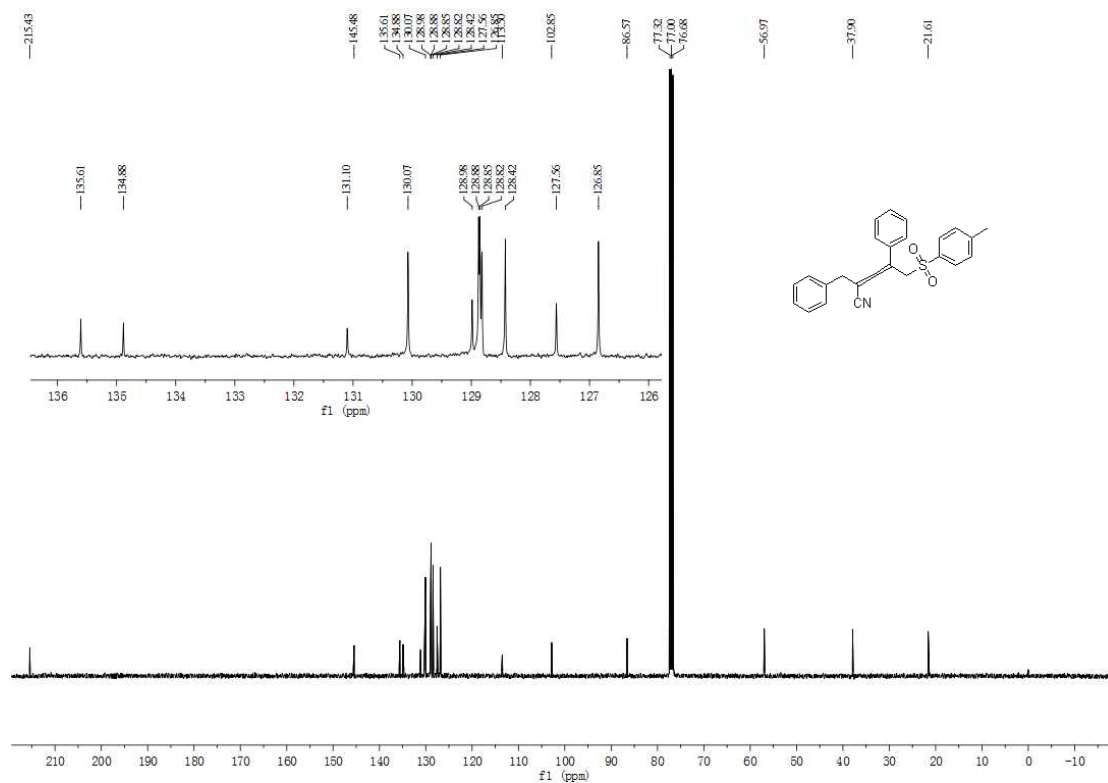
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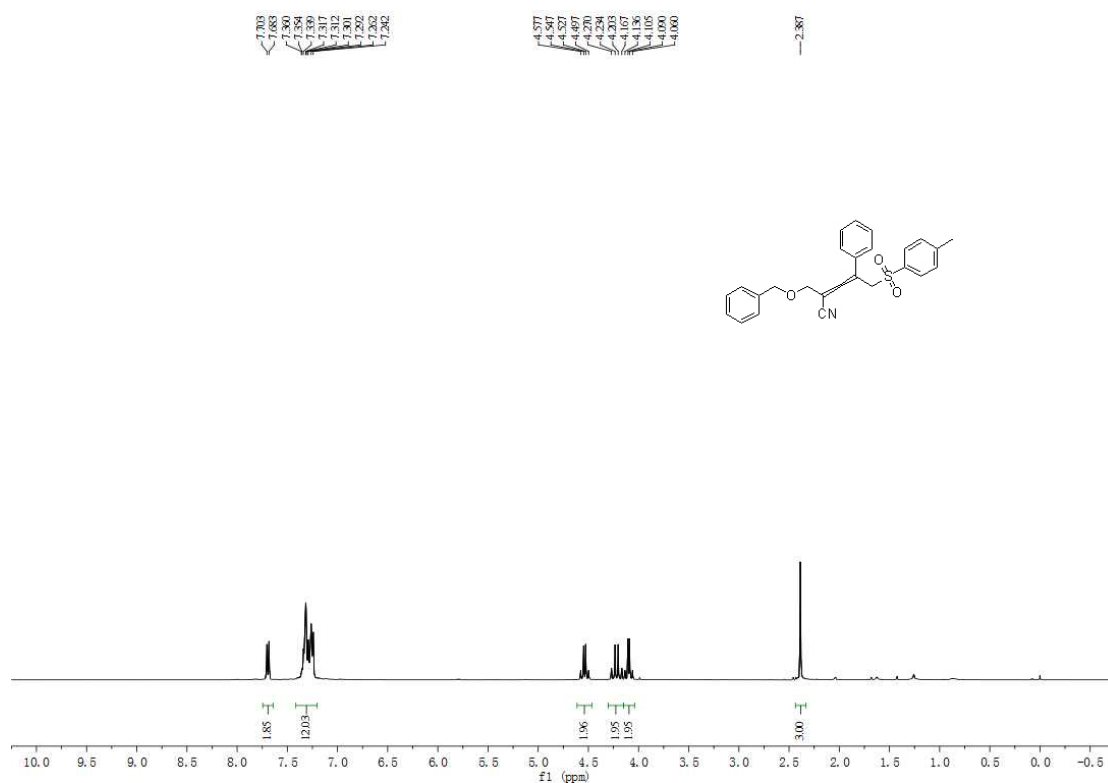


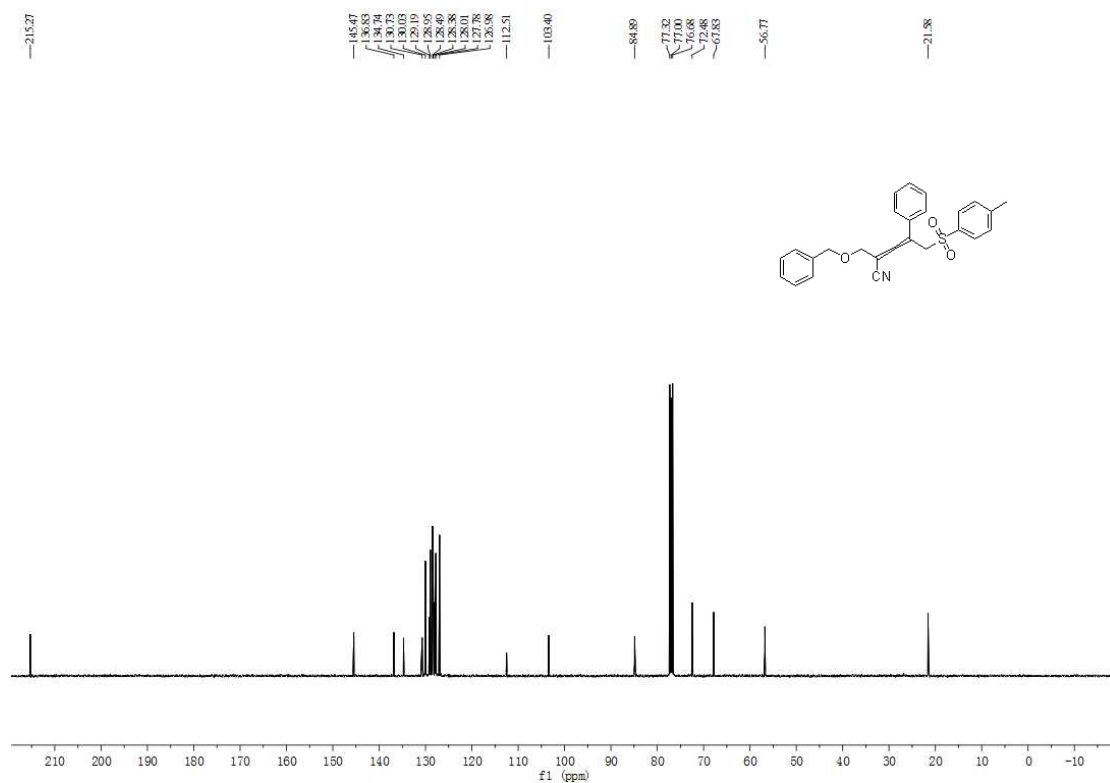
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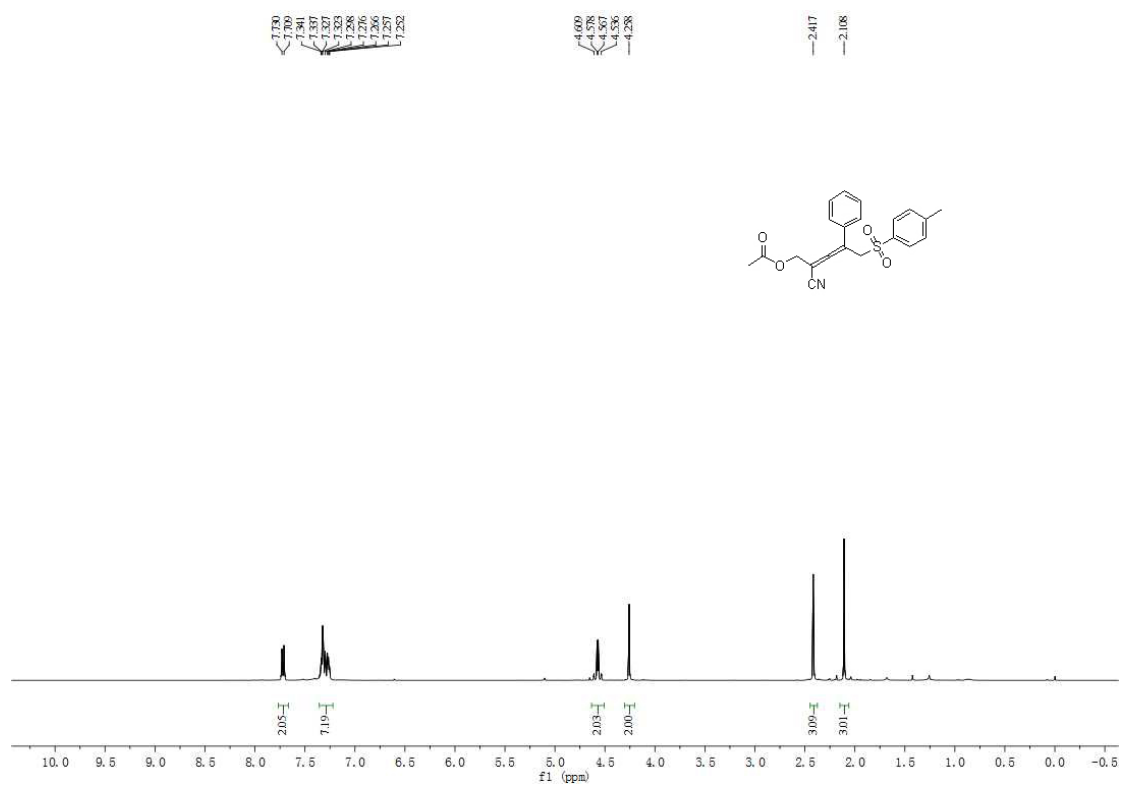


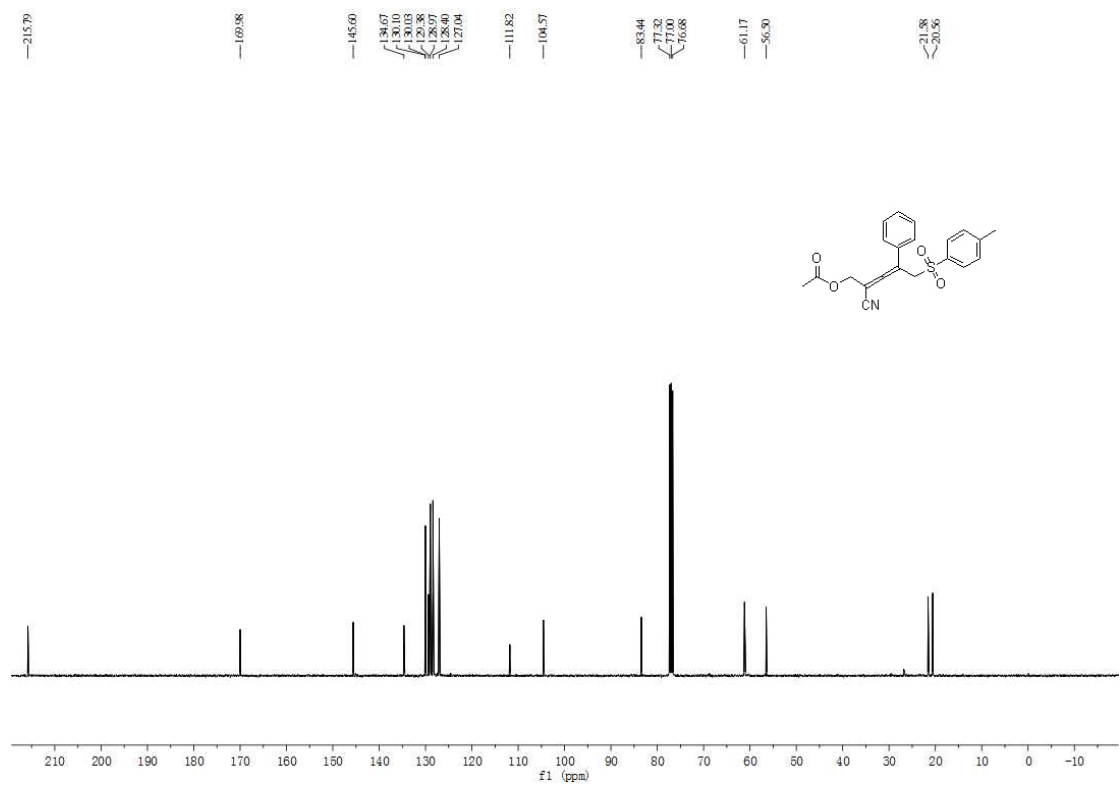
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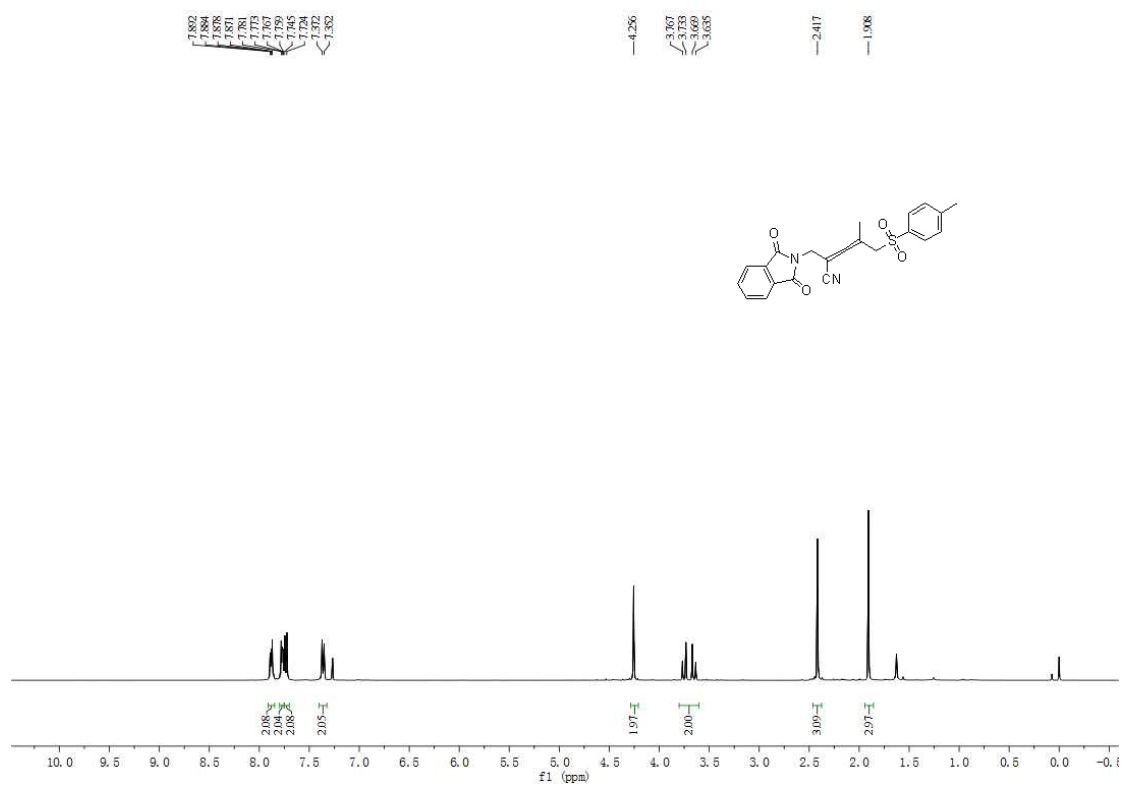


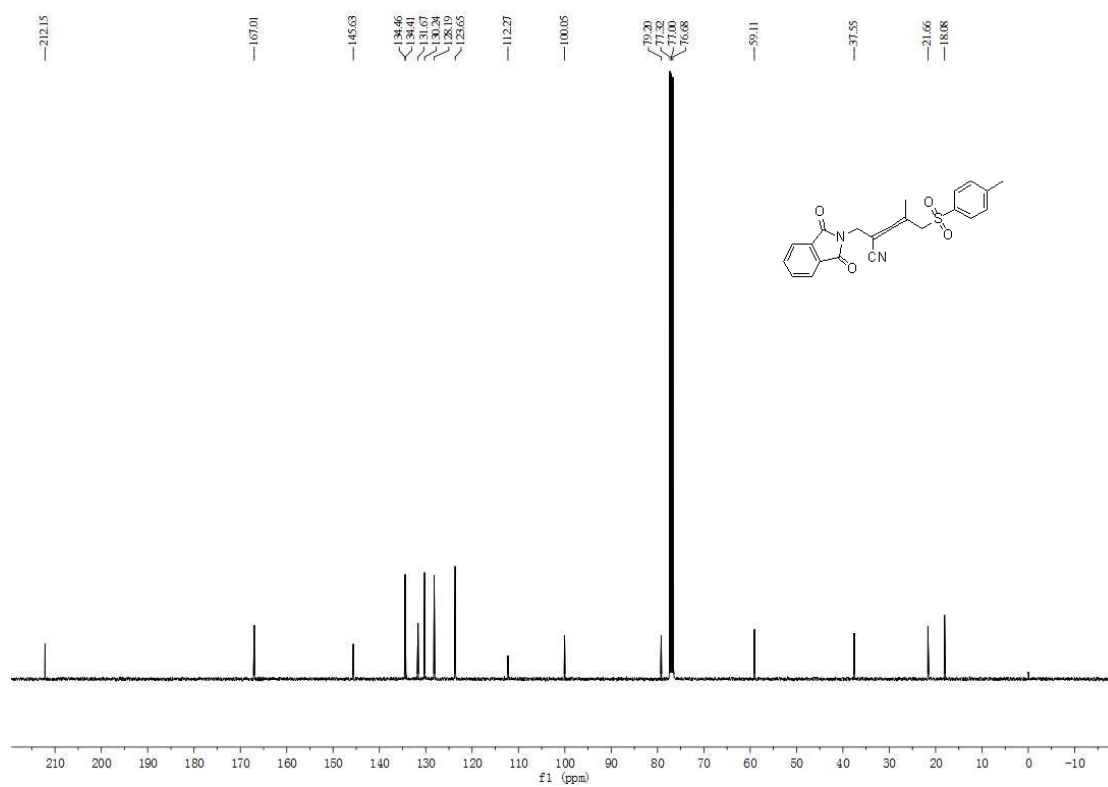
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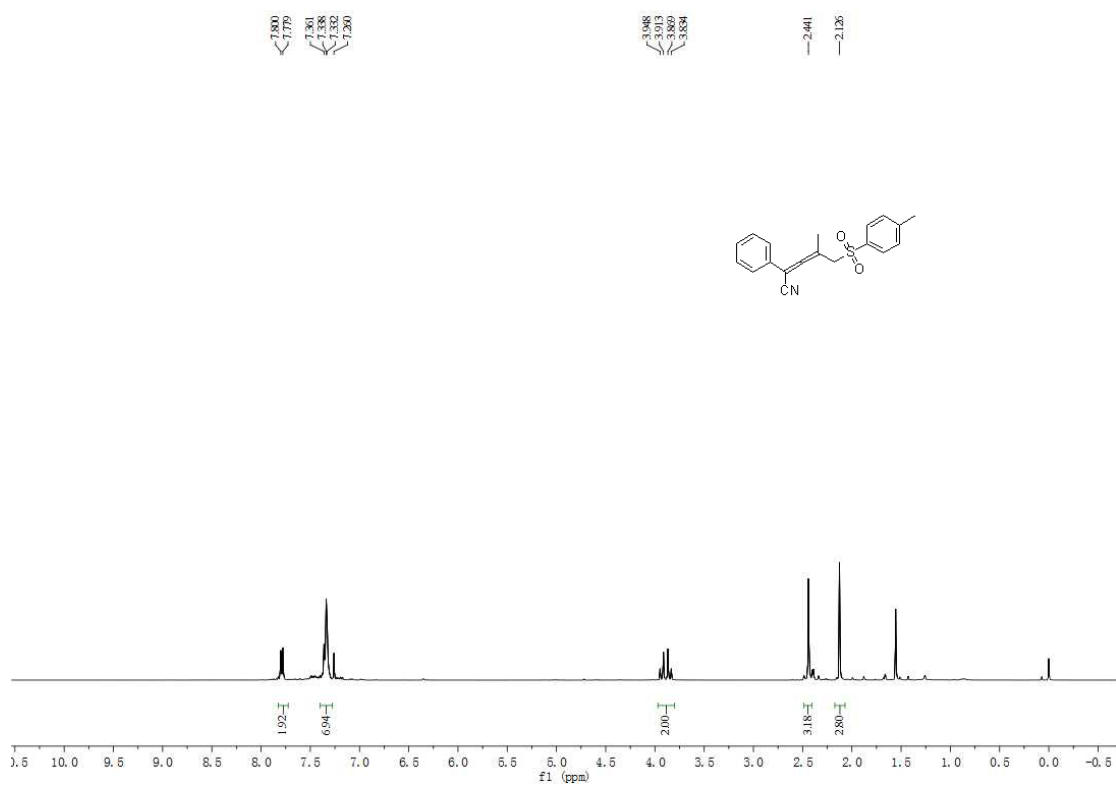


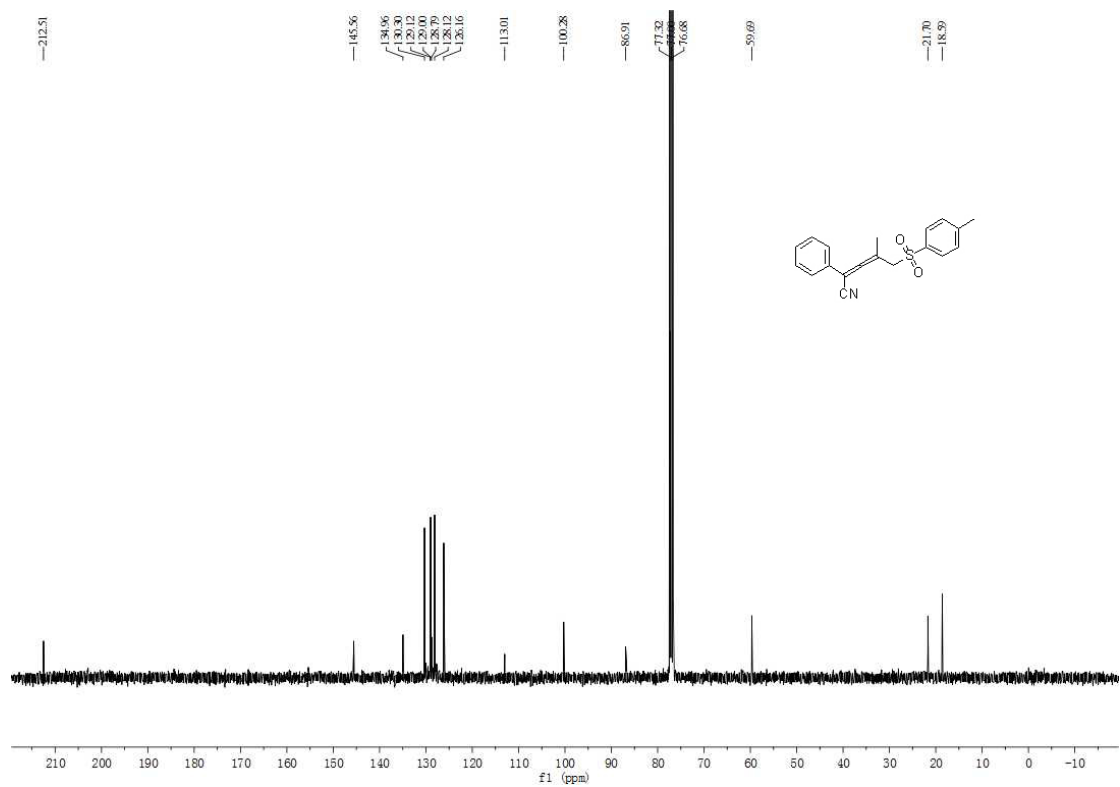
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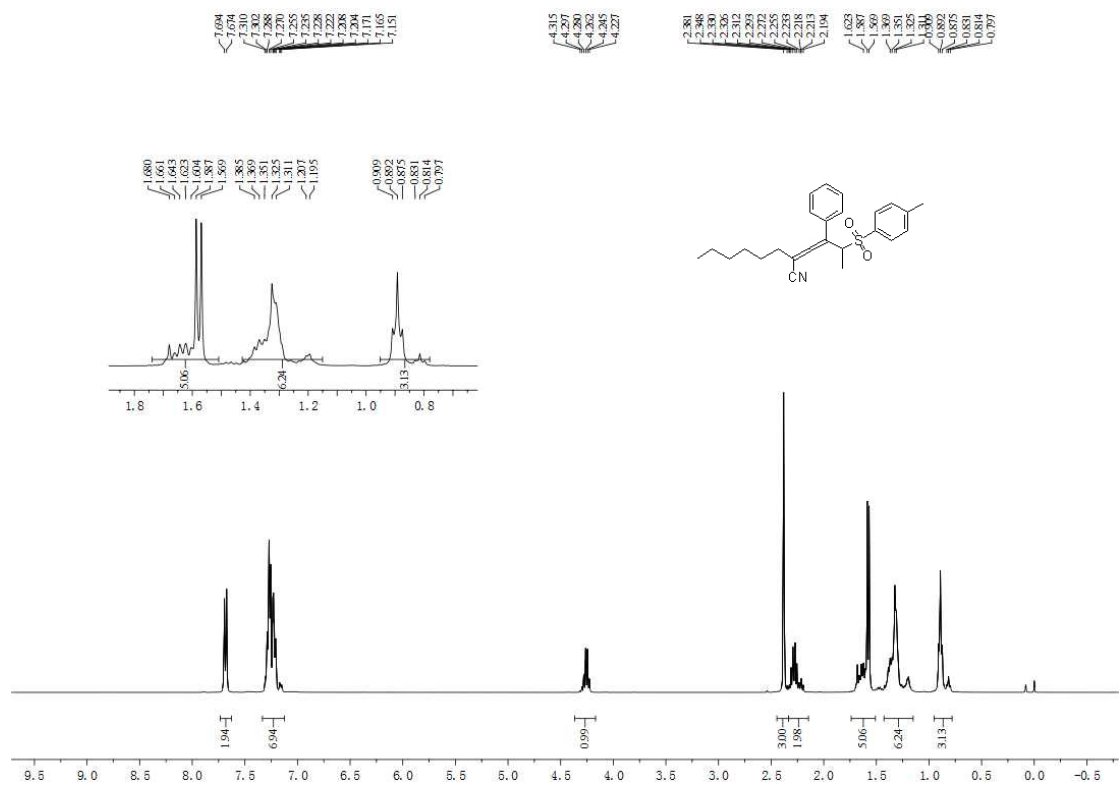


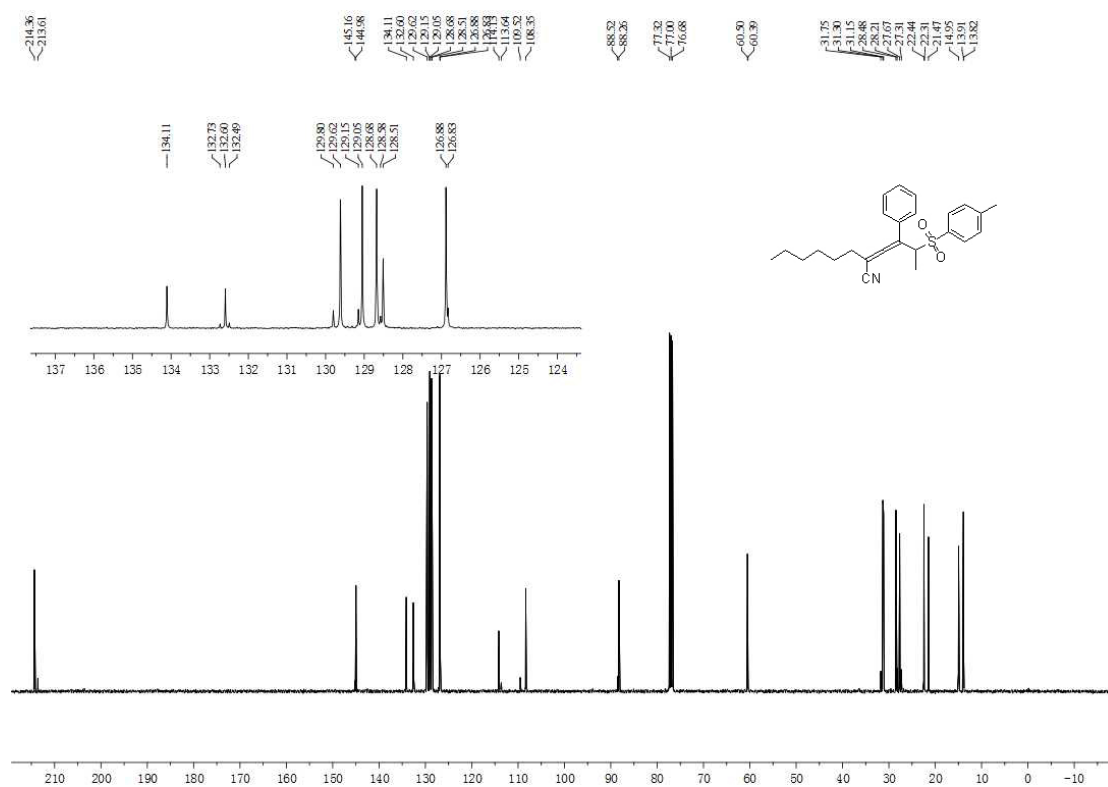
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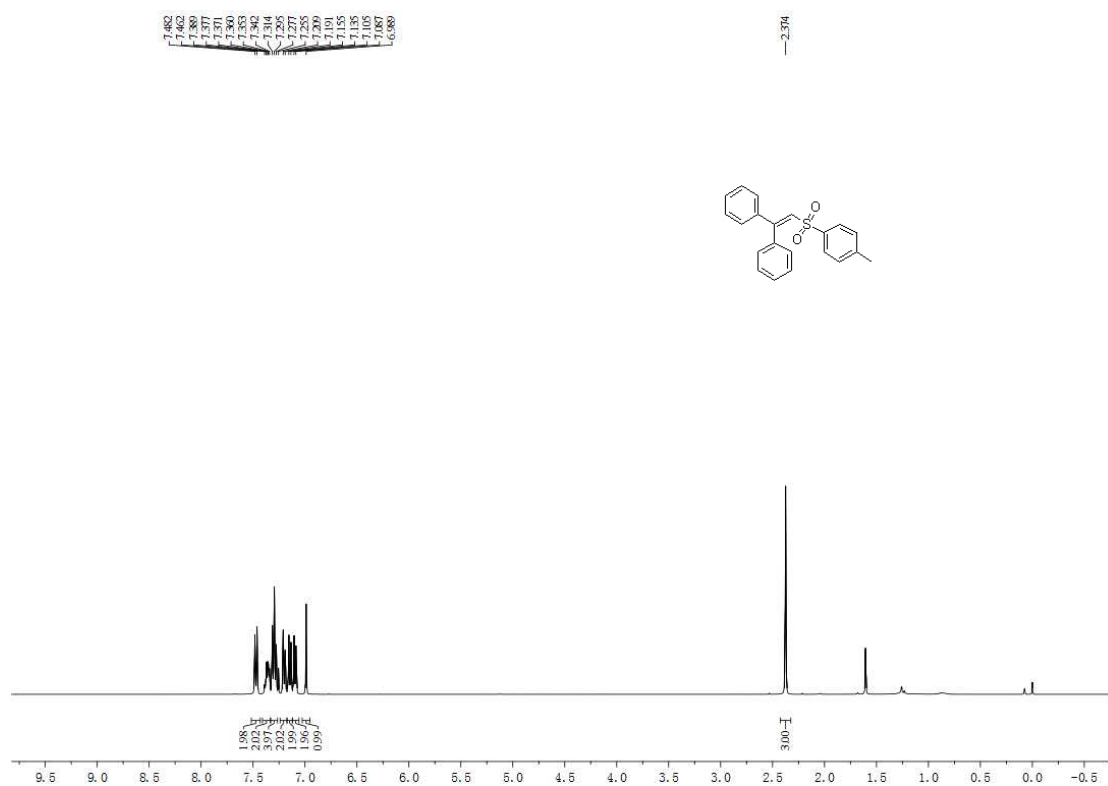


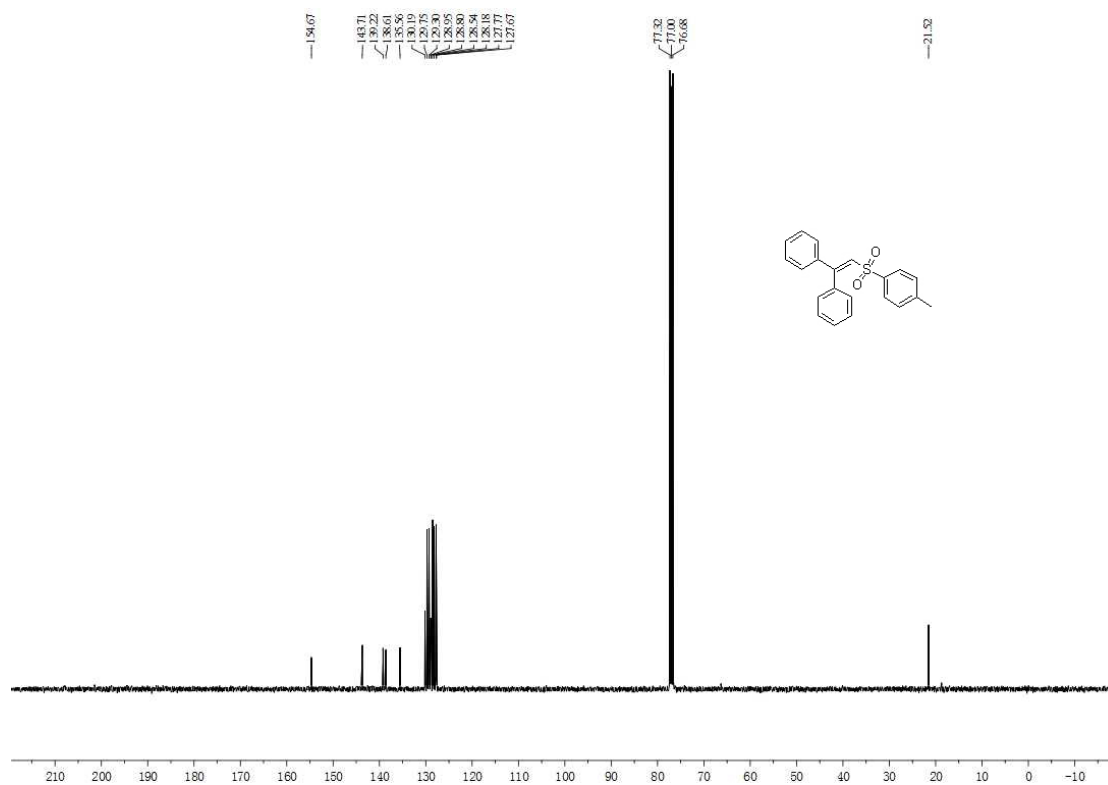
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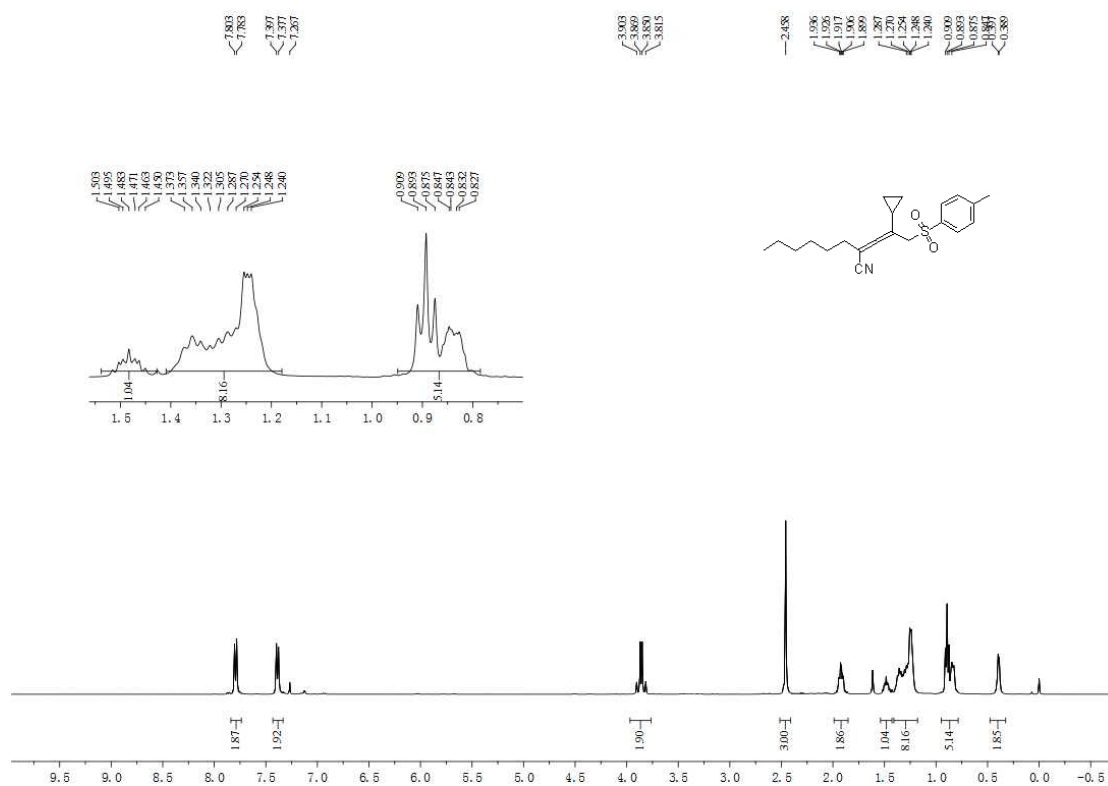


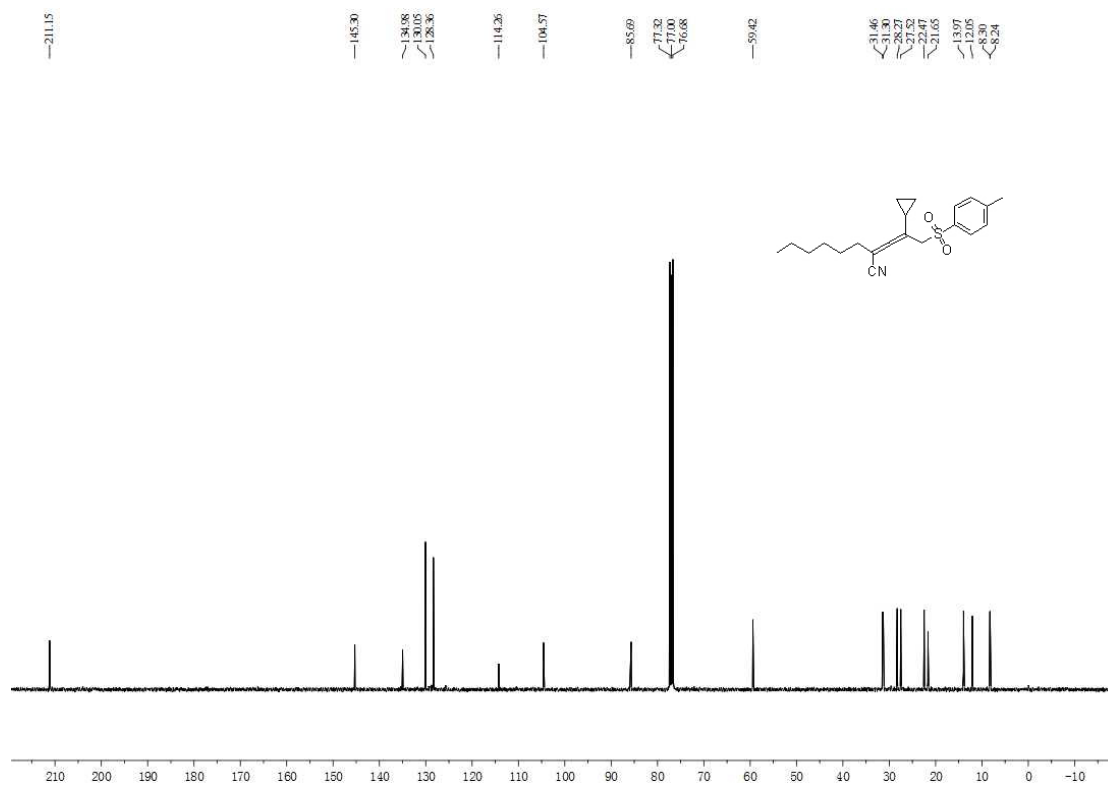
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