

Supporting Information

Electrochemical *N*-Acylation and *N*- α -Ketoacylation of Sulfoximines via the Selective Decarboxylation and Dehydration of α -Ketoacids

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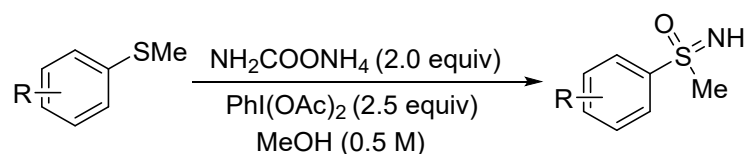
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A. Instrumentation and Chemicals

All purchased reagents and solvents were used without further purification unless otherwise noted. All the electrochemical reactions were performed in an undivided cell unless otherwise noted. The electrolysis instrument used is an adjustable DC regulated power supply (PGD-2303S) (Taiwan Gwinstek Electronic Technology Co., Ltd.). Cyclic voltammograms were obtained on a CHI 760E potentiostat (CH Instruments, Inc.). All the thioether, electrolyte, and redox mediators were purchased from WuXi AppTec. TecAnalytical thin-layer chromatography was performed by using commercially prepared 100-400 mesh silica gel plates (GF₂₅₄) and visualization was effected at 254 nm. All the *NH*-sulfoximines were prepared according to known procedures. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectras were recorded using a Bruker DRX-500 spectrometer using CDCl₃ as solvent. The chemical shifts are referenced to signals at 7.26 and 77.0 ppm, respectively. Mass spectra were recorded on a Thermo Scientific ISQ gas chromatograph-mass spectrometer. The data of HRMS was carried out on a high-resolution mass spectrometer (LCMS-IT-TOF). Melting points were determined with a Büchi Melting Point B-545 instrument.

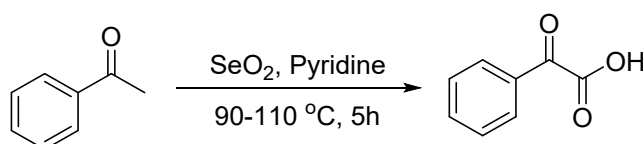
B. Experimental Procedure

B1. General Procedure for Synthesis of *NH*-sulfoximines¹⁻⁵



The sulfide **1** (0.5 mmol), (diacetoxyiodo)benzene (1.25 mmol, 2.5 equiv) and ammonium carbamate (2.0 equiv) were added to a flask containing a stirrer bar. MeOH (1 mL, 0.5 M) was added and the reaction was stirred at 25 °C for 3 h. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure. Purification by flash chromatography afforded the sulfoximine products.

B2. General Procedure for Synthesis of 2-Oxo-2-Phenylacetic Acid⁶⁻¹⁰.



Methyl ketones (5 mmol), SeO₂ (6 mmol), 20 mL of pyridine were added in a 50 mL round-bottom flask. The reaction mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 1 h in an oil bath, then reduce the temperature to 90 °C for 4 h. The desired products were isolated by flash chromatography on silica gel using (EA / petroleum ether = 1: 20) to give 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid acids in 65-90% yields.

B3. General Procedures for the Electrolysis

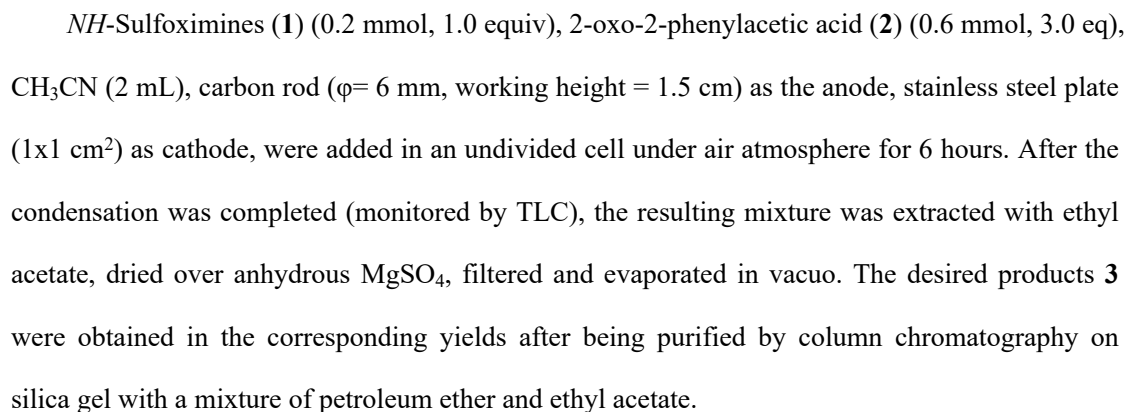
B3.1 The Materials Used to Make the Electrolytic Cell

All the materials used to make the electrolytic cell were commercially available. The anode used graphite rod (φ = 6 mm, working height = 1.5 cm) and cathode used stainless steel electrodes (1.0 cm × 1.0 cm).



Figure S1. The materials

B3.2 General Procedure for the Synthesis of **3**.


$$\begin{array}{c} \text{R}^1-\text{S}(=\text{O})_2-\text{R}^2 + \text{R}^3-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{COOH} \\ \text{1} \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{2} \end{array} \xrightarrow[\text{3 h, r.t., Acetone (2 mL)}]{\begin{array}{c} \text{C}(+) | \text{Pt}(-), 6 \text{ mA} \\ \text{}^n\text{Bu}_4\text{NBF}_4 (1 \text{ eq}) \\ \text{NiBr}_2 (10 \text{ mol}\%) \end{array}} \begin{array}{c} \text{R}^3-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{N}=\text{S}(\text{R}^1)(\text{R}^2) \\ \text{4} \end{array}$$

NH-Sulfoximines (**1**) (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (**2**) (0.4 mmol, 2.0 eq), ^{*n*}Bu₄NBF₄ (1 eq), NiBr₂ (10 mol%), Acetone (2 mL), carbon rod (φ= 6 mm, working height = 1.5 cm) as the anode, platinum plate (1x1 cm²) as cathode, were added in an undivided cell under air atmosphere for 3 hours. After the condensation was completed (monitored by TLC), the resulting mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated in vacuo. The desired products **4** were obtained in the corresponding yields after being purified by column chromatography on silica gel with a mixture of petroleum ether and ethyl acetate.

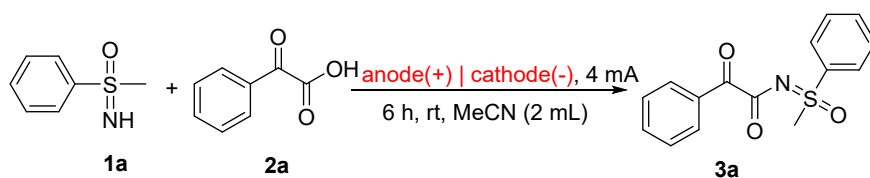
Reaction scheme showing the synthesis of 3a from 1a and 2a:

1a (N-methylbenzenesulfonamide) + 2a (benzoic acid) $\xrightarrow[\text{6 h, rt, Solvent (2 mL)}]{\text{C(+) | SS(-), 4 mA}}$ 3a (N-methyl-N-(2-oxo-2-phenylacetyl)benzenesulfonamide)

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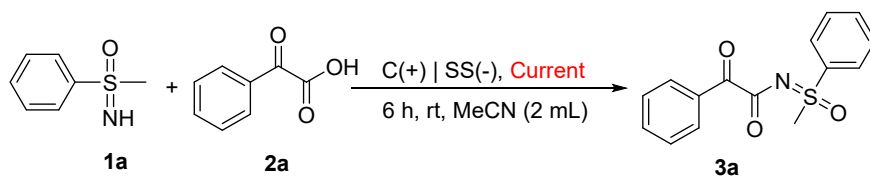
3	DMF	N.R.
4	DMSO	N.R.
5	EtOH	N.R.
6	THF	N.R.
7	1,4-Dioxane	N.R.
8	MeCN:H ₂ O (5:1)	Trace

^a Reaction conditions: undivided cell, **1a** (0.20 mmol), **2a** (0.60 mmol), MeCN (2 mL). graphite rod (Ø 6 mm) as anode, Fe sheets (10 mm × 10 mm × 0.1 mm) as cathode, constant current = 4 mA, room temperature, 6 h. ^b Isolated yields. ^c N.R. = No Reaction.



Entry ^a	anode/cathode	Yield ^b (3a %)
1	C/Ni	17
2	RVC/Ni	21
3	SS/Pt	N.R.
4	C/C	23
5	C/Zn	N.R.
6	Pt/C	N.R.
7	Pt/Zn	N.R.
8	Pt/Ni	Trace

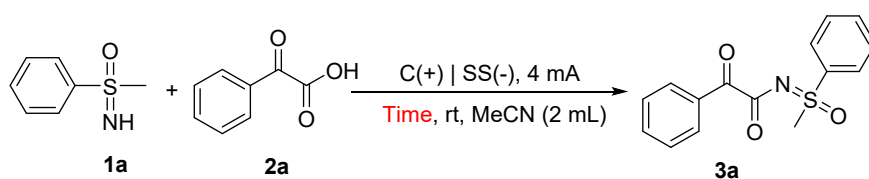
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Entry ^a	Current/mA	Yield ^b (3a %)
1	2 mA	15

2	4 mA	72
3	6 mA	38
4	8 mA	41
5	10 mA	56
6	12 mA	46

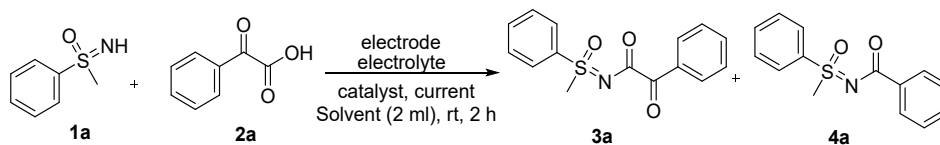
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Entry ^a	Time/h	Yield ^b (3a %)
1	2 h	52
2	4 h	78
3	6 h	95
4	7 h	88
5	8 h	89

^a Reaction conditions: undivided cell, **1a** (0.20 mmol), **2a** (0.60 mmol), MeCN (2 mL). graphite rod (Ø 6 mm) as anode, Fe sheets (10 mm × 10 mm × 0.1 mm) as cathode, constant current = 4 mA, room temperature, 6 h. ^b Isolated yields. ^c N.R. = No Reaction.

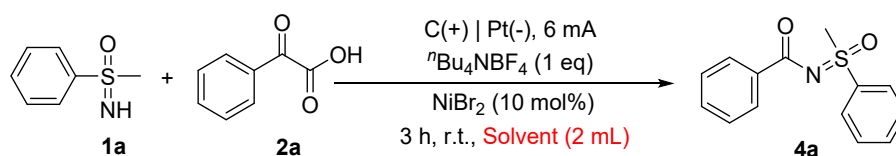
Table S2. Optimization of 4a



Entry	Variation from standard conditions	Yield ^[b] (3a %)	Yield ^[b] (4a %)
1	None	38	22
2	MeOH instead of MeCN	29	20
3	acetone instead of MeCN	33	56
4	H ₂ O instead of solvent	N.R.	N.R.

5	TBAPF ₆ instead of ⁿ Bu ₄ NBF ₄	15	23
6	ⁿ Bu ₄ NClO ₄ instead of ⁿ Bu ₄ NBF ₄	16	18
7	ⁿ Bu ₄ NOAc instead of ⁿ Bu ₄ NBF ₄	28	21
8	2eq ⁿ Bu ₄ NBF ₄	12	48
9	Without electrolyte	33	26
10	RVC anode	35	24
11	Pt(+) anode	trace	trace
12	SS(−) cathode	trace	trace
13	4 mA instead of 6 mA	28	53
14	10 mA instead of 6 mA	22	53
15	2 equiv. of 2a	19	64
16	3 equiv. of 2a	22	59
17 ^c	With catalyst	N.D.	88

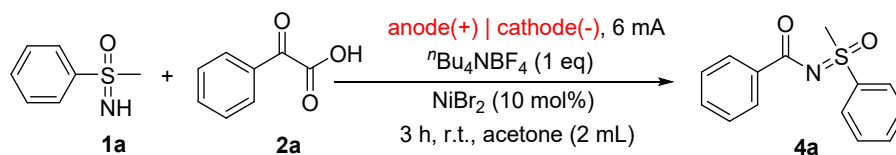
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Entry ^a	Solvent	Yield ^b (4a %)
1	DCM	N.R.
2	DCE	29
3	DMF	N.R.
4	DMSO	N.R.
5	EtOH	N.R.
6	THF	23
7	1,4-Dioxane	N.R.
8	acetone	56

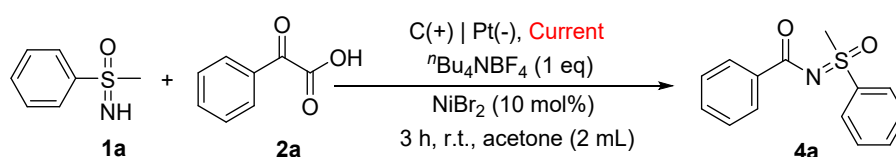
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(10 mmol%), acetone (2 mL). graphite rod (Ø 6 mm) as anode, Pt sheets (10 mm × 10 mm × 0.1 mm) as cathode, constant current = 6 mA, room temperature, 3 h. ^b Isolated yields. ^c N.R. = No Reaction.



Entry ^a	anode/cathode	Yield ^b (4a %)
1	C/Ni	28
2	RVC/Ni	21
3	Fe/Pt	N.R.
4	C/C	25
5	C/Zn	N.R.
6	Pt/C	trace
7	Pt/Zn	N.R.
8	Pt/Ni	N.R.

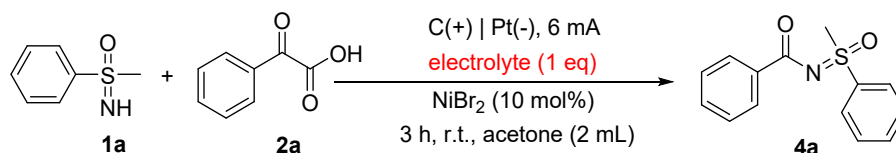
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Entry ^a	Current/mA	Yield ^b (4a %)
1	2 mA	15
2	4 mA	53
3	6 mA	56
4	8 mA	51
5	10 mA	53
6	12 mA	42

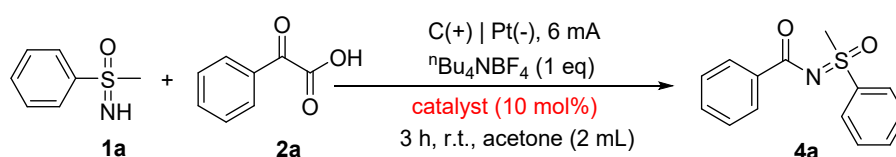
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Entry ^a	Electrolyte	Yield ^b (4a %)
1	TEAB	Trace
2	TBPAF ₆	23
3	ⁿ Bu ₄ NClO ₄	18
4	ⁿ Bu ₄ NOAc	21
5	TBAI	N.R.
6	TBAF	Trace
7	LiClO ₄	Trace
8	KPF ₆	Trace

^a Reaction conditions: undivided cell, **1a** (0.20 mmol), **2a** (0.40 mmol), ⁿBu₄NBF₄ (1 eq), NiBr₂ (10 mmol%), acetone (2 mL). graphite rod (Ø 6 mm) as anode, Pt sheets (10 mm × 10 mm × 0.1 mm) as cathode, constant current = 6 mA, room temperature, 3 h. ^b Isolated yields. ^c N.R. = No Reaction.



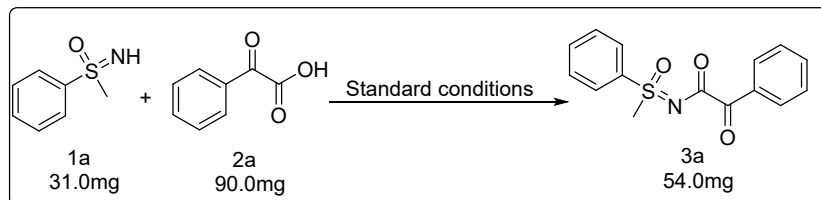
Entry ^a	Catalyst	Yield ^b (4a %)
1	Ni(OTf) ₂	49
2	NiI ₂	65
3	NiCl ₂	59
4	NiBr ₂	88
5	Ni(PPh ₃) ₂ Cl ₂	66
6	NiOAc	76

^a Reaction conditions: undivided cell, **1a** (0.20 mmol), **2a** (0.40 mmol), ⁿBu₄NBF₄ (1 eq),

NiBr₂ (10 mmol%), acetone (2 mL). graphite rod (Ø 6 mm) as anode, Pt sheets (10 mm × 10 mm × 0.1 mm) as cathode, constant current = 6 mA, room temperature, 3 h. ^b Isolated yields. ^c N.R. = No Reaction.

C. Green Chemistry Metrics Analysis¹¹⁻¹⁸

C1. Green Chemistry Metrics for 3a and 4a



Total amount of reactants: 31.0 mg + 90.0 mg = 121.0 mg

Amount of final product: 54.0 mg

Amount of waste: 121.0 mg - 54.0 mg = 67.0 mg

E-Factor = Amount of waste/Amount of product = 67.0/54.0 = 1.24

Molecular weight of product: 287

Sum of molecular weight of reagent: 155 + 150 = 305

Atom economy = Molecular weight of product/Sum of molecular weight of reagent = 287/305 = 94%

Mass of product: 54.0 mg

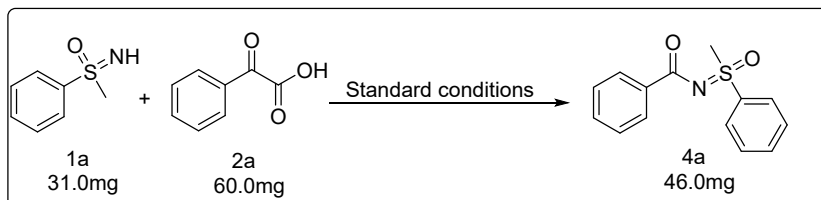
Total mass of reagent: 31.0 mg + 90.0 mg = 121.0 mg

RME = Mass of product/Total mass of reagent = 54.0/121.0 = 45%

Total mass in process: 31.0 mg + 90.0 mg = 121.0 mg

Mass of product: 54.0 mg

PMI = Total mass in process/Mass of product = 121.0/54.0 = 2.24



Total amount of reactants: 31.0 mg + 60.0 mg + 4.37 mg = 95.4 mg

Amount of final product: 46.0 mg

Amount of waste: 95.4 mg - 46.0 mg = 49.4 mg

E-Factor = Amount of waste/Amount of product = 49.4/46.0 = 1.07

Molecular weight of product: 259

Sum of molecular weight of reagent: 155 + 150 = 305

Atom economy = Molecular weight of product/Sum of molecular weight of reagent = 259/305 = 85%

Mass of product: 46.0 mg

Total mass of reagent: 31.0 mg + 60.0 mg = 91.0 mg

RME = Mass of product/Total mass of reagent = 46.0/91.0 = 51%

Total mass in process: 31.0 mg + 60.0 mg + 4.37 mg = 95.4 mg

Mass of product: 46.0 mg

PMI = Total mass in process/Mass of product = 95.4/46.0 = 2.07

C2. Green Chemistry Metrics Compared with Scheme a-f

According to the above green index calculation method, we compared our work with the previous works. The results showed that our work has the advantages of high atom economy and low negative impact on the environment, the reaction mass efficiency is at a medium level, and the process mass intensity is better than most of the previous work.

Method	This work (3a)	Scheme-1d	Scheme-1e	Scheme-1f
E-factor	1.24	0.89	7.79	0.88
AE	94.0%	74.0%	26.0%	89%
RME	45.0%	52.9%	11.4%	54%
PMI	2.24	1.89	8.79	1.87

Method	This work (4a)	Scheme-1a	Scheme-1b	Scheme-1c
E-factor	1.07	9.44	1.13	2.31
AE	85.0%	58.0%	99.0%	85.7%
RME	51.0%	9.78%	46.9%	43.0%
PMI	2.07	10.43	2.13	30.2

C3. Eco-Scale for this work

According to the calculation method proposed in the reference (DOI: 10.1186/1860-5397-2-3), we also carried out the Eco-Scale calculation. As shown in the table, our work can reach qualified to excellent results. The results indicated that our work carried a minimal risk to the operator and a minimal impact to the environment.

The Penalty Points for This Work

Penalty (3a)		Penalty (4a)	
1 Yield:95%	$(100-95)/2=2.5$	1 Yield:88%	$(100-88)/2=6$
2 Inexpensive	0	2 Inexpensive	0
3 MeCN (T、F)	10	3 Acetone (T、F)	10
4 common setup	0	4 common setup	0
5 temperature/time	1	5 temperature/time	1
6 classical chromatography	10	6 classical chromatography	10
Penalty points total:	23.5	Penalty points total:	27
Eco-Scale	76.5 (excellent)	Eco-Scale	73 (qualified)

Green chemistry metrics for other compounds and protocols were calculated following the above procedures, which were similar to compound **3a** and **4a**.

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E. Gram-Scale Experiment

NH-Sulfoximines (**1**) (7 mmol), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (21 mmol, 3.0 eq), CH₃CN (10 mL), carbon rod (ϕ = 6 mm, working height = 1.5 cm) as the anode, stainless steel plate (1x1 cm²) as cathode, were added in an undivided cell under air atmosphere for 12 h with 12 mA constant current. After the condensation was completed (monitored by TLC), the resulting mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated in vacuo. The desired products **3a** were obtained in the corresponding yields after being purified by column chromatography on silica gel with a mixture of petroleum ether and ethyl acetate.

NH-Sulfoximines (**1**) (7 mmol), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (14 mmol, 2.0 eq), ⁿBu₄NBF₄ (7 mmol, 1.0 eq), NiBr₂ (10 mol%), Acetone (10 mL), carbon rod (ϕ = 6 mm, working height = 1.5 cm) as the anode, platinum plate (1x1 cm²) as cathode, were added in an undivided cell under air atmosphere for 12 h with 12 mA constant current. After the condensation was completed (monitored by TLC), the resulting mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated in vacuo. The desired products **4a** were obtained in the corresponding yields after being purified by column chromatography on silica gel with a mixture of petroleum ether and ethyl acetate.

F. Electric On/off Current Experiment.

To the 10 mL three-necked round bottom flask with a magnetic stir bar was added S-Methyl-S-phenylsulfoximide (**1a**) (0.2 mmol), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (**2a**) (0.6 mmol, 3.0 eq), CH₃CN (2 mL) in an undivided cell. The flask was equipped with a carbon rod (φ = 6 mm, working height = 1.5 cm) as an anode, stainless steel plate (1 x 1 cm²) as a cathode. The electrolysis was carried out at room temperature using a constant current of 4 mA. The reaction mixture was stirred and electrolyzed for 0, 2, 4, and 6 hours respectively. Meanwhile, the setting time span for 1 hours, and only stirred without electrolyzed. The yield of the product was determined by GC and dodecane as internal standard.

G. H₂ Detection Experiments

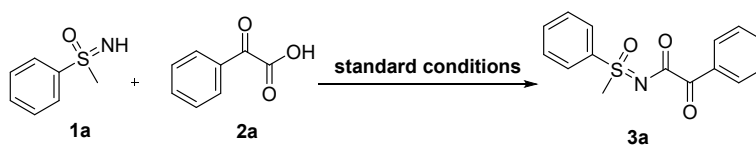


Figure S2 H₂ detection experiment by a H₂ detector

In order to prove the mechanism, the model reaction of S-Methyl-S-phenylsulfoximide (**1a**), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (**2a**) were monitored by a H₂ detector under standard conditions. Just as shown in Figure S2, as the reaction proceeded, it was observed that no H₂ was produced in dehydration reaction system.

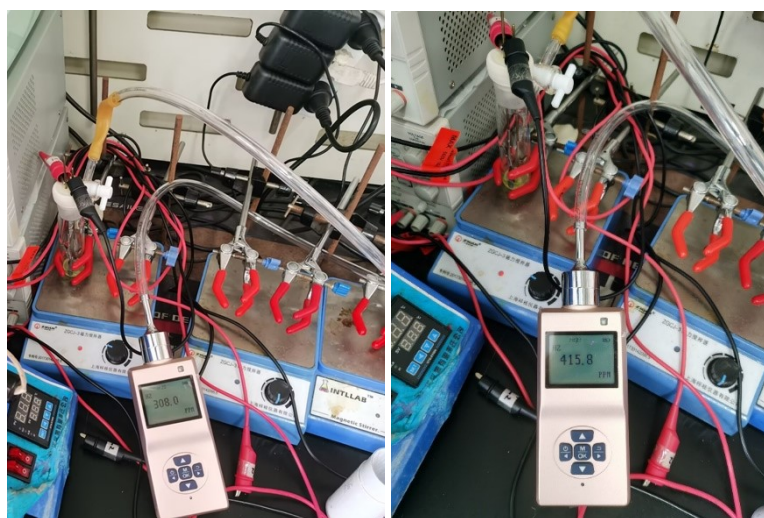
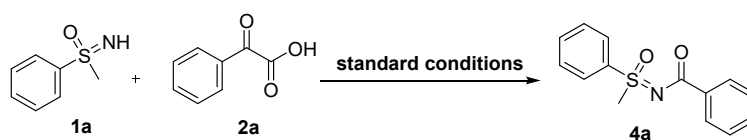
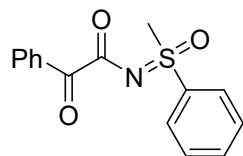


Figure S3 H₂ detection experiment by a H₂ detector

In order to demonstrate the release of H₂ during the decarboxylation, the model reaction of S-Methyl-S-phenylsulfoximide (**1a**), 2-oxo-2-phenylacetic acid (**2a**) were monitored by a H₂ detector under standard conditions. Just as shown in Figure S2, as the decarboxylation reaction proceeded, the H₂ was observed clearly and the concentration increased gradually.

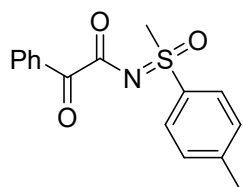
H. Characterisation Data

N-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3a)



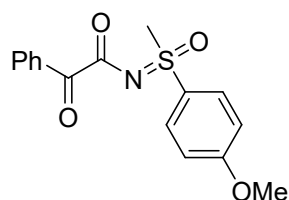
Yield 54.5 mg (95%, white solid); mp 131.6-132.5 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.23-7.88 (m, 4H), 7.72 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.61-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.46 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.1, 173.2, 137.6, 134.4, 134.2, 132.7, 130.1, 129.9, 128.6, 127.1, 44.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{NaS}$ 310.0518); Found 310.0514.

N-(methyl(oxo)(*p*-tolyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3b)



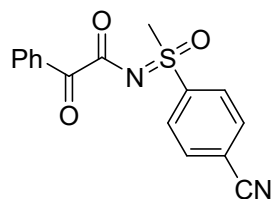
Yield 57.8 mg (96%, white solid); mp 88.3-89.8 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.10-8.01 (m, 2H), 7.95 (dd, J = 8.4, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (td, J = 6.6, 5.7, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.45-7.39 (m, 2H), 3.47 (s, 3H), 2.47 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.3, 173.3, 145.8, 134.5, 134.2, 132.8, 130.6, 130.2, 128.7, 127.2, 45.0, 21.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{NaS}$ 324.0665); Found 324.0667.

N-((4-methoxyphenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3c)



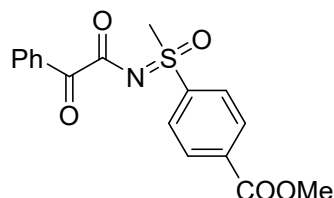
Yield 53.3 mg (84%, yellow solid); mp 117.2-119.3 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.06 (dd, J = 7.2, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 8.00 (dd, J = 9.1, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 7.67-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.48 (td, J = 6.3, 4.8, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (dd, J = 9.2, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.48 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.4, 173.3, 164.4, 134.2, 132.8, 130.2, 129.5, 128.7, 128.4, 115.2, 55.9, 45.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_4\text{NaS}$ 340.0614); Found 340.0617.

***N*-((4-cyanophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3d)**



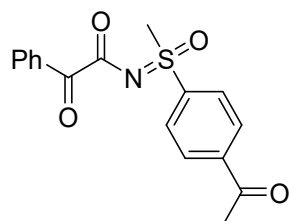
Yield 47.4 mg (76%, yellow solid); mp 143.3-146.4 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.26-8.18 (m, 2H), 8.02 (ddd, *J* = 8.5, 4.7, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 7.99-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.63 (ddt, *J* = 8.8, 4.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (td, *J* = 7.8, 3.2 Hz, 2H), 3.51 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.7, 173.0, 142.1, 134.6, 133.6, 132.4, 130.2, 128.8, 128.1, 118.3, 116.8, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₂N₂O₃NaS 335.0461); Found 335.0465.

Methyl 4-(*S*-methyl-*N*-(2-oxo-2-phenylacetyl)sulfonimidoyl)benzoate (3e)



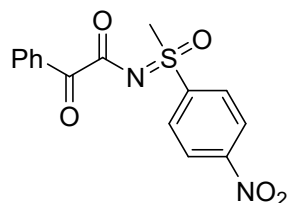
Yield 46.2 mg (67%, white solid); mp 92.8-94.8 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.34-8.23 (m, 2H), 8.16 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 8.10-7.94 (m, 2H), 7.62 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.9, 173.1, 165.2, 141.6, 135.5, 134.4, 132.6, 131.0, 130.2, 128.7, 127.4, 52.9, 44.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₇H₁₅NO₅NaS 368.0563); Found 368.0565.

***N*-((4-acetylphenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3f)**



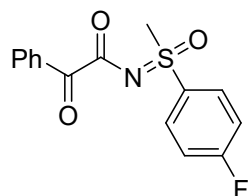
Yield 48.0 mg (73%, white solid); mp 119.1-121.1 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.17 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 4H), 8.07-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.65-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.47 (td, *J* = 6.6, 5.3, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.67 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 196.5, 189.9, 173.2, 141.5, 141.4, 134.4, 132.6, 130.2, 129.6, 128.8, 127.7, 44.5, 27.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₇H₁₅NO₄NaS 352.0614); Found 352.0617.

***N*-(methyl(4-nitrophenyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3g)**



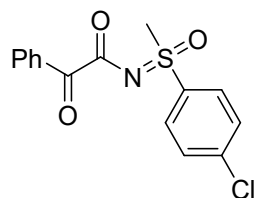
Yield 39.8 mg (60%, yellow solid); mp 123.2-124.5 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 8.64-8.51 (m, 2H), 8.44-8.29 (m, 2H), 7.86 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.75 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.85 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 190.6, 173.1, 151.3, 143.6, 135.4, 132.5, 129.9, 129.7, 129.5, 125.4, 43.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{S}$ 333.0540); Found 333.0540.

***N*-((4-fluorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide(3h)**



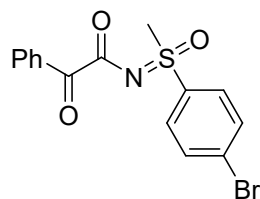
Yield 43.3 mg (71%, yellow solid); mp 109.1-110.2 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 8.15-8.08 (m, 2H), 8.07-8.00 (m, 2H), 7.65-7.58 (m, 1H), 7.49 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 190.1, 173.2, 166.3 (d, J = 256.3 Hz), 132.3 (d, J = 513.8 Hz), 133.4 (d, J = 2.5 Hz), 132.6, 130.2, 129.3 (d, J = 207.5 Hz), 128.7, 117.4 (d, J = 23.8 Hz), 45.0. ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ -101.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSF}$ 328.0414); Found 328.0417.

***N*-((4-chlorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3i)**



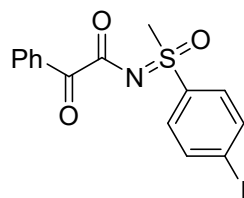
Yield 44.9 mg (70%, yellow solid); mp 84.3-85.6 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 8.09-7.98 (m, 4H), 7.68-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.49 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 190.0, 173.2, 141.4, 136.1, 134.4, 133.8, 132.6, 130.3, 130.2, 128.7, 44.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSCl}$ 344.0119); Found 344.0120.

***N*-((4-bromophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3j)**



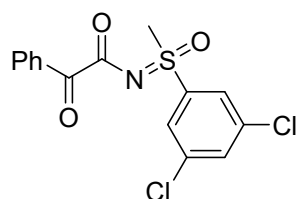
Yield 44.5 mg (61%, white solid); mp 114.9-116.0 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.08-8.01 (m, 2H), 7.98-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.80 (dd, J = 8.6, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.66-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.49 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.0, 173.2, 136.7, 134.4, 133.3, 132.6, 130.2, 130.0, 128.8, 128.7, 44.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_2\text{SBr}$ 337.9845); Found 337.9855.

***N*-((4-iodophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3k)**



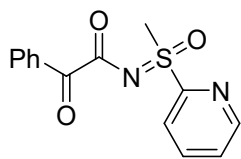
Yield 55.3 mg (67%, white solid); mp 126.3-128.5 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.11-7.96 (m, 4H), 7.79 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.0, 173.2, 139.3, 137.4, 134.4, 132.6, 130.2, 128.7, 128.5, 102.7, 44.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaI}$ 435.9475); Found 435.9482.

***N*-((3,5-dichlorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3l)**



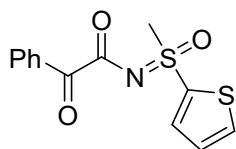
Yield 44.7 mg (63%, white solid); mp 100.5-100.9 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.08-8.00 (m, 2H), 7.96 (t, J = 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (q, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.6, 173.0, 140.7, 137.1, 134.6, 134.5, 132.5, 130.2, 128.8, 125.7, 44.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSCl}_2$ 377.9729); Found 377.9731.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(pyridin-2-yl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3m)**



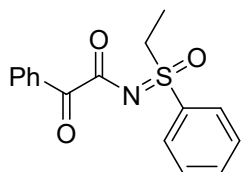
Yield 48.4 mg (84%, yellow liquid); mp 93.5-95.1 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.77 (dd, *J* = 4.7, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 8.37 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (td, *J* = 7.8, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 8.02-7.89 (m, 2H), 7.67-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.50-7.39 (m, 2H), 3.58 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.0, 172.9, 155.8, 150.3, 138.6, 134.2, 132.8, 130.1, 128.7, 128.1, 123.6, 40.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₄H₁₂N₂O₃NaS 311.0461); Found 311.0464.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(thiophen-2-yl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3n)**



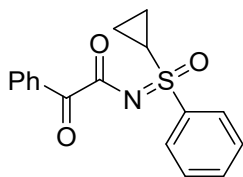
Yield 52.2 mg (89%, white solid); mp 89.2-89.9 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.31 (dt, *J* = 3.6, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 8.10-7.96 (m, 2H), 7.61 (td, *J* = 7.3, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (dt, *J* = 5.5, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.48 (td, *J* = 7.8, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 3.55 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.2, 173.2, 136.8, 134.3, 133.3, 132.7, 130.2, 129.6, 128.7, 125.1, 45.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₃H₁₁NO₃NaS₂ 316.0073); Found 316.0074.

***N*-(ethyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3o)**



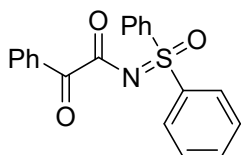
Yield 54.8 mg (91%, yellow solid); mp 92.6-94.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.10-7.98 (m, 4H), 7.77-7.69 (m, 1H), 7.68-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.47 (td, *J* = 7.9, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 3.60 (dddd, *J* = 28.8, 12.1, 8.3, 6.1 Hz, 2H), 1.32 (td, *J* = 7.4, 3.1 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.3, 173.5, 135.2, 134.5, 134.3, 132.8, 130.2, 129.9, 128.7, 128.0, 51.2, 6.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₃NaS 324.0665); Found 324.0669.

***N*-(cyclopropyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3p)**



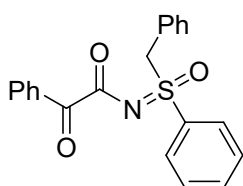
Yield 46.3 mg (74%, white solid); mp 93.4-94.4 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.03 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.9 Hz, 4H), 7.71 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 7.67-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.47 (td, *J* = 7.8, 2.6 Hz, 2H), 3.00-2.59 (m, 1H), 1.71 (ddd, *J* = 9.9, 7.4, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 1.31 (dddt, *J* = 16.2, 12.5, 7.2, 4.7 Hz, 2H), 1.08 (qt, *J* = 8.3, 4.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.3, 172.9, 137.9, 134.2, 134.1, 132.8, 130.2, 129.8, 128.7, 127.3, 33.7, 7.1, 5.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₇H₁₅NO₃NaS 336.0665); Found 336.0669.

2-oxo-*N*-(oxodiphenyl-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-phenylacetamide (3q)



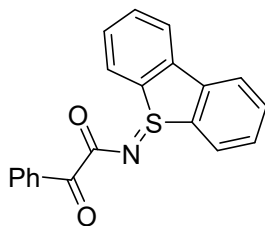
Yield 54.5 mg (78%, yellow solid); mp 80.1-81.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 6H), 7.60 (dq, *J* = 28.3, 7.7 Hz, 7H), 7.50 (s, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.2, 173.3, 138.8, 134.3, 134.0, 133.9, 132.7, 130.3, 130.2, 129.8, 129.8, 128.7, 127.7, 127.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₂₀H₁₅NO₃NaS 372.0665); Found 372.0669.

***N*-(benzyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3r)**



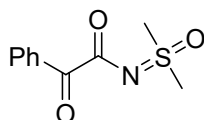
Yield 69.0 mg (95%, white solid); mp 153.1-155.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.07 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (dt, *J* = 19.1, 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (td, *J* = 7.8, 3.9 Hz, 4H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 5.01-4.80 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.4, 173.7, 134.5, 134.3, 132.8, 131.4, 130.2, 129.6, 129.4, 128.7, 128.7, 128.5, 126.2, 62.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₂₁H₁₇NO₃NaS 386.0821); Found 386.0824.

***N*-(5λ⁴-dibenzo[b,d]thiophen-5-ylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3s)**



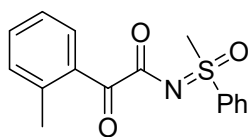
Yield 33.1 mg (50%, white solid); mp 220.9-221.6 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.32 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (dt, *J* = 15.6, 7.6 Hz, 3H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.0, 174.1, 136.1, 135.2, 134.3, 133.3, 132.9, 130.9, 130.2, 128.7, 125.8, 122.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₂₀H₁₃NO₂NaS 354.0565); Found 354.0568.

***N*-(dimethyl(oxo)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3t)**



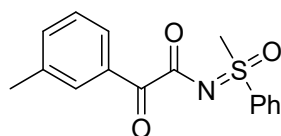
Yield 28.8 mg (64%, white solid); mp 96.5-97.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.13-8.00 (m, 2H), 7.64 (tt, *J* = 7.3, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 6H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.2, 173.2, 134.3, 132.7, 130.2, 128.7, 42.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₀H₁₁NO₃S 226.0532); Found 226.0535.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-(*o*-tolyl)acetamide (3u)**



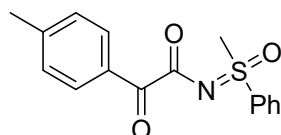
Yield 52.4 mg (87%, yellow solid); mp 130.6-132.9 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12-8.04 (m, 2H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.45 (dt, *J* = 7.5, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.64 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 192.6, 173.9, 141.2, 137.7, 134.4, 133.1, 132.7, 132.1, 131.6, 129.9, 127.2, 125.8, 44.8, 21.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₃NaS 324.0665); Found 324.0669.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-(*m*-tolyl)acetamide (3v)**



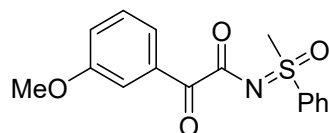
Yield 53.0 mg (88%, yellow solid); mp 104.9-106.1 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (dd, *J* = 7.7, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 7.85 (q, *J* = 3.8, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 7.77-7.71 (m, 1H), 7.69-7.60 (m, 2H), 7.43 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.40-7.32 (m, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.41 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.4, 173.5, 138.5, 137.7, 135.1, 134.5, 132.7, 130.5, 129.94, 128.6, 127.5, 127.2, 44.9, 21.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₃NaS 324.0665); Found 324.0661.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-(*p*-tolyl)acetamide (3w)**



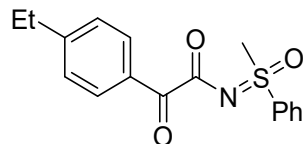
Yield 50.0 mg (83%, white solid); mp 131.2-133.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 7.99-7.93 (m, 2H), 7.77-7.69 (m, 1H), 7.68-7.61 (m, 2H), 7.28 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.8 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.9, 173.5, 145.4, 137.7, 134.5, 130.4, 130.2, 129.9, 129.4, 127.2, 44.8, 21.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₃NaS 324.0665); Found 324.0660.

2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3x)



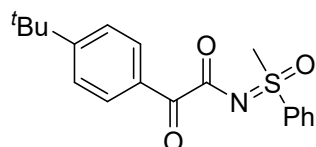
Yield 45.7 mg (72%, yellow solid); mp 66-67 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12-8.02 (m, 2H), 7.78-7.71 (m, 1H), 7.69-7.60 (m, 3H), 7.59-7.54 (m, 1H), 7.39 (td, *J* = 8.0, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 7.22-7.13 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.50 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.0, 173.3, 159.8, 137.6, 134.5, 134.0, 130.0, 129.7, 127.2, 123.4, 121.4, 113.2, 55.5, 44.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₄NaS 340.0614); Found 340.0610.

2-(4-ethylphenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3y)



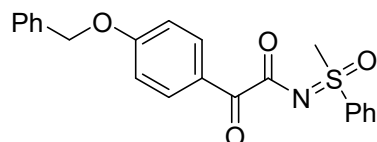
Yield 39.1 mg (62%, white solid); mp 120.5-122.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.13-8.05 (m, 2H), 7.99 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.72 (q, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.9, 173.6, 151.5, 137.8, 134.4, 130.5, 129.9, 128.3, 127.2, 44.9, 29.1, 15.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₇H₁₇NO₃NaS 338.0821); Found 338.0818.

2-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3z)



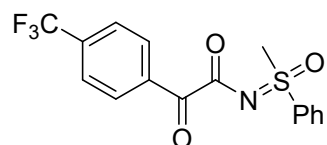
Yield 47.4 mg (69%, white solid); mp 105.6-107.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 8.00 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.79-7.70 (m, 1H), 7.70-7.61 (m, 2H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.9, 173.5, 158.2, 137.8, 134.4, 130.2, 129.9, 127.2, 125.7, 44.8, 35.3, 31.1, 31.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₉H₂₁NO₃NaS 366.1134); Found 366.1130.

2-(4-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3aa)



Yield 53.5 mg (68%, white solid); mp 162.5-163.7 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.15-7.93 (m, 4H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.48-7.31 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 5.15 (s, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.8, 173.7, 163.6, 137.7, 136.0, 134.4, 132.7, 129.9, 128.7, 128.3, 127.5, 127.2, 125.9, 114.9, 70.2, 44.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₂₂H₁₉NO₄NaS 416.0927); Found 416.0925.

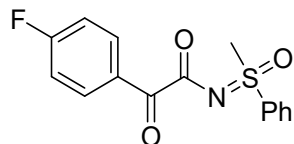
***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)acetamide (3ab)**



Yield 37.6 mg (53%, white solid); mp 121.2-124.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.19 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 8.14-8.04 (m, 2H), 7.76 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 7.68 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.51 (s, 3H).

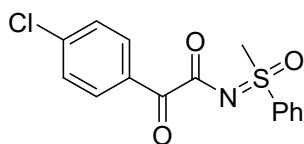
$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.8, 172.2, 137.4, 135.6, 135.2 (d, $J = 32.5$ Hz), 134.6, 130.6, 130.0, 127.2, 125.7 (q, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 124.5 (d, $J = 21.3$ Hz), 44.9. ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -63.25. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSF}_3$ 378.0382); Found 378.0388.

2-(4-fluorophenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3ac)



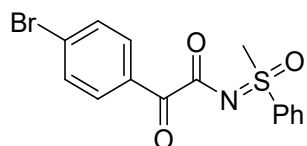
Yield 31.1 mg (51%, white solid); mp 128.5-129.3 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.19-8.02 (m, 4H), 7.79-7.71 (m, 1H), 7.66 (td, $J = 7.8, 2.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.22-7.04 (m, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.5, 172.9, 166.5 (d, $J = 255.0$ Hz), 137.6, 134.5, 133.1, 133.0 (d, $J = 10$ Hz), 129.3 (d, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 127.2, 116.0 (d, $J = 21.3$ Hz), 44.9. ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -102.66, -102.68, -102.69. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSF}$ 328.0414); Found 328.0417.

2-(4-chlorophenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3ad)



Yield 44.3 mg (69%, white solid); mp 136.5-138.2 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12-8.05 (m, 2H), 8.02 (dd, $J = 8.7, 1.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.79-7.71 (m, 1H), 7.67 (dt, $J = 9.1, 4.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.48-7.43 (m, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.8, 172.7, 140.8, 137.6, 134.6, 131.6, 131.2, 130.0, 129.1, 127.2, 44.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaSCl}$ 344.0119); Found 344.0110.

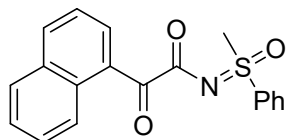
2-(4-bromophenyl)-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3ae)



Yield 38.0 mg (52%, white solid); mp 130.0-132.1 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12-8.05 (m, 2H), 7.94 (dd, $J = 8.6, 3.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.75 (t, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.66 (ddt, $J = 17.6, 8.3, 3.1$ Hz, 3H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.0, 172.6, 137.6, 134.6, 132.0, 131.7,

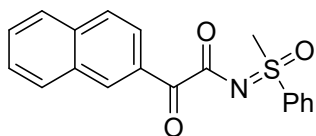
130.0, 129.8, 129.7, 127.2, 44.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+Na]^+$ Calcd ($C_{15}H_{12}NO_3NaSBr$ 387.9613); Found 387.9613.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-oxoacetamide (3af)**



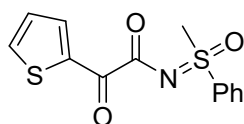
Yield 36.4 mg (54%, white solid); mp 143.1-144.2 °C. 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.11 (dd, J = 8.8, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 8.13-8.01 (m, 3H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.77-7.70 (m, 1H), 7.66 (q, J = 7.6, 6.3 Hz, 3H), 7.61-7.46 (m, 2H), 3.51 (s, 3H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 192.8, 173.9, 137.7, 135.1, 134.5, 134.2, 134.0, 131.3, 129.9, 128.8, 128.7, 128.6, 127.2, 126.7, 125.9, 124.5, 44.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+Na]^+$ Calcd ($C_{19}H_{15}NO_3NaS$ 360.0665); Found 360.0661.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-oxoacetamide (3ag)**



Yield 39.8 mg (59%, white solid); mp 129.2-133.2 °C. 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.62 (s, 1H), 8.18-8.05 (m, 3H), 8.00-7.84 (m, 3H), 7.80-7.73 (m, 1H), 7.72-7.66 (m, 2H), 7.64 (ddd, J = 8.2, 6.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (ddd, J = 8.0, 6.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (s, 3H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.1, 173.4, 137.7, 136.2, 134.5, 133.6, 132.4, 130.0, 130.0, 129.1, 128.7, 127.9, 127.3, 126.9, 124.4, 44.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+Na]^+$ Calcd ($C_{19}H_{15}NO_3NaS$ 360.0665); Found 360.0663.

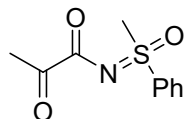
***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-(thiophen-2-yl)acetamide (3ah)**



Yield 36.3 mg (62%, yellow solid); mp 120.7-123.0 °C. 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.15-8.02 (m, 3H), 7.79-7.70 (m, 2H), 7.69-7.60 (m, 2H), 7.15 (t, J = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$

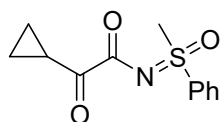
NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 180.8, 170.7, 139.1, 137.5, 136.9, 136.7, 134.5, 130.0, 128.3, 127.2, 44.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₃H₁₁NO₃NaS₂ 316.0073); Found 316.0078.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxopropanamide (3ai)**



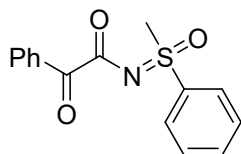
Yield 26.6 mg (59%, yellow solid); mp 77.6-78.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.02 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 2.44 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 197.0, 169.8, 137.6, 134.4, 129.9, 127.1, 44.5, 26.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₀H₁₁NO₃NaS 248.0352); Found 248.0359.

2-cyclopropyl-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxoacetamide (3aj)



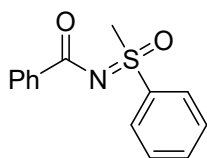
Yield 26.1 mg (52%, white solid); mp 78.8-80.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.03 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 2.79 (tt, *J* = 8.3, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 1.19 (t, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 2H), 1.12-1.04 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.7, 170.0, 137.7, 134.4, 129.9, 127.1, 44.5, 17.1, 13.8, 13.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₂H₁₃NO₃NaS 274.0508); Found 274.0511.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)-2-oxo-2-phenylacetamide (3a) from gram scale**



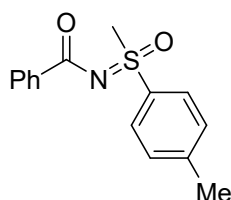
Yield 1305 mg (65%, white solid); mp 96.5-97.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.14-8.02 (m, 4H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.64-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 190.2, 173.3, 137.6, 134.5, 134.3, 132.7, 130.2, 130.0, 128.7, 127.2, 44.9.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4a)**



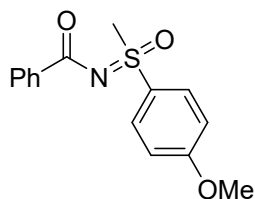
Yield 45.6 mg (88%, white solid); mp 78.5-79.2 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.23-8.15 (m, 2H), 8.09 (dd, J = 7.6, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.76-7.69 (m, 1H), 7.64 (ddd, J = 8.7, 6.7, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (tt, J = 7.3, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.39 (m, 2H), 3.50 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 139.1, 135.6, 133.8, 132.2, 129.7, 129.5, 128.1, 127.2, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_2\text{NaS}$ 282.0565); Found 282.0565.

***N*-((methyl(oxo)(*p*-tolyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4b)**



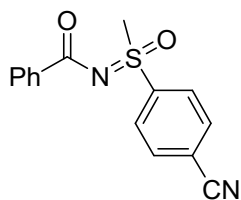
Yield 43.1 mg (79%, white solid); mp 92.0-92.6 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.23-8.17 (m, 2H), 7.96 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.56-7.48 (m, 1H), 7.43 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 4H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 2.49 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 144.9, 136.0, 135.7, 132.1, 130.3, 129.4, 128.0, 127.2, 44.5, 21.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 274.0896); Found 274.0893.

***N*-((4-methoxyphenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4c)**



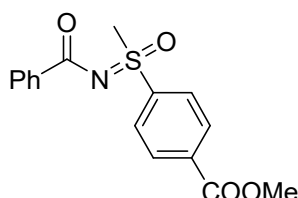
Yield 41.0 mg (71%, white solid); mp 88.8-89.6 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.19 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 8.03-7.96 (m, 2H), 7.52 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.08 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 2H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.47 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 163.9, 135.8, 132.1, 130.1, 129.4, 129.4, 128.0, 114.9, 55.8, 44.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ 290.0845); Found 290.0841.

***N*-((4-cyanophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4d)**



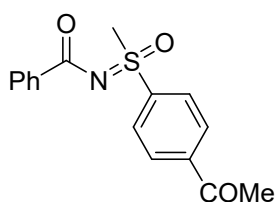
Yield 42.0 mg (74%, white solid); mp 135.5-136.7 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.19 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 8.17-8.12 (m, 2H), 7.93 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (td, *J* = 7.3, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 143.6, 134.9, 133.4, 132.6, 129.5, 128.2, 128.0, 117.6, 117.0, 44.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₂N₂O₂S 285.0692); Found 285.0689.

Methyl 4-((*N*-benzoyl-*S*-methylsulfonimidoyl)benzoate (4e)



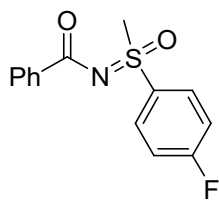
Yield 41.2 mg (65%, white solid); mp 138.6-140.0 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.28 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 8.21-8.10 (m, 4H), 7.55 (td, *J* = 7.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 3.50 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 165.4, 143.1, 135.2, 135.0, 132.4, 130.8, 129.5, 128.1, 127.4, 52.8, 44.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₄S 318.0794); Found 318.0792.

***N*-((4-acetylphenyl)(methyl)(oxo)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4f)**



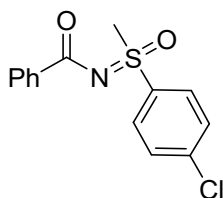
Yield 37.9 mg (63%, white solid); mp 118.6-120.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.22-7.43 (m, 6H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.69 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 196.6, 174.2, 143.1, 141.0, 135.2, 132.4, 129.5, 129.4, 128.1, 127.7, 44.1, 27.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₃S 302.0845); Found 302.0843.

***N*-((4-fluorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4g)**



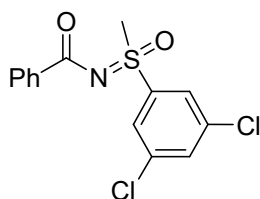
Yield 33.8 mg (61%, white solid); mp 108.6-109.4 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.22-8.15 (m, 2H), 8.11 (ddd, J = 9.1, 4.9, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (td, J = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 165.9 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 265 Hz), 135.4, 134.9 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 3.75 Hz), 131.2 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 271 Hz), 130.1, 128.8 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 169 Hz), 128.5, 117.1 (d, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ = 22.5 Hz), 44.6. ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -103.3, -103.3, -103.3, -103.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{FNO}_2\text{S}$ 278.0646); Found 278.0650.

***N*-((4-chlorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4h)**



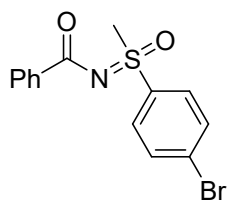
Yield 39.3 mg (67%, white solid); mp 136.7-137.9 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.21-8.11 (m, 2H), 8.02 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.57-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.44 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 140.7, 137.5, 135.3, 132.4, 130.1, 129.5, 128.7, 128.1, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{ClNO}_2\text{S}$ 294.0350); Found 294.0349.

***N*-((3,5-dichlorophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4i)**



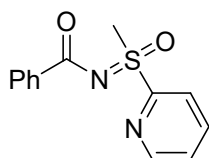
Yield 41.2 mg (63%, white solid); mp 137.9-139.2 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.20-8.10 (m, 2H), 7.92 (d, J = 1.9 Hz, 2H), 7.67 (t, J = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (td, J = 7.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.1, 142.2, 136.8, 134.9, 133.9, 132.6, 129.5, 128.2, 125.7, 44.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{Cl}_2\text{NO}_2\text{S}$ 327.9960); Found 327.9962.

***N*-((4-bromophenyl)(methyl)(oxo)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4j)**



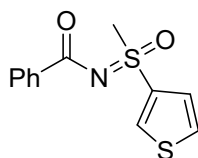
Yield 35.0 mg (52%, white solid); mp 142.2-144.0 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.19-8.14 (m, 2H), 7.93 (dd, J = 8.7, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.77 (dd, J = 8.6, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (td, J = 7.7, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 138.1, 135.3, 133.1, 132.4, 129.47, 129.2, 128.8, 128.1, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_2\text{SBr}$ 337.9850); Found 337.9855.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(pyridin-2-yl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4k)**



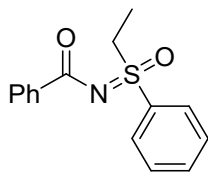
Yield 34.3 mg (66%, yellow solid); mp 101.0-103.3 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.75-8.68 (m, 1H), 8.40 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 8.18-8.10 (m, 2H), 8.05 (td, J = 7.9, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (dd, J = 7.7, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.46 (m, 1H), 7.40 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.58 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 157.1, 150.0, 138.3, 135.2, 132.2, 129.5, 128.0, 127.3, 123.4, 39.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ 261.0692); Found 261.0690.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(thiophen-3-yl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4l)**



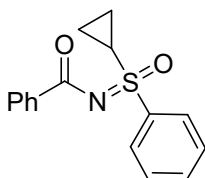
Yield 37.6 mg (71%, green solid); mp 104.6-106.2 °C. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.29 (dd, J = 3.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 8.23-8.12 (m, 2H), 7.53 (pt, J = 3.5, 2.2, 1.6 Hz, 3H), 7.44 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.56 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.1, 138.7, 135.5, 132.4, 132.2, 129.4, 128.9, 128.1, 125.4, 44.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd ($\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_2\text{S}_2$ 266.0304); Found 266.0297.

***N*-(ethyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4m)**



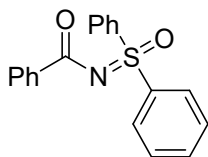
Yield 37.7 mg (69%, black solid); mp 120.0-122.6 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.20 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 8.03 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 3.69-3.59 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.33 (m, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 136.6, 135.7, 133.8, 132.1, 129.6, 129.5, 128.0, 50.7, 7.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₅NO₂S 274.0896); Found 274.0893.

***N*-(cyclopropyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4n)**



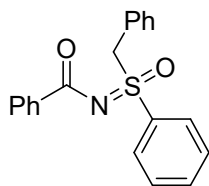
Yield 31.9 mg (56%, white solid); mp 140.7-142.4 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.22-8.11 (m, 2H), 8.04-7.95 (m, 2H), 7.70-7.63 (m, 1H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.55-7.48 (m, 1H), 7.43 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.80 (tt, *J* = 7.9, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 1.74 (ddt, *J* = 10.3, 7.3, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 1.46 (ddt, *J* = 10.4, 7.2, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 1.35-1.23 (m, 1H), 1.10 (dtd, *J* = 9.1, 7.5, 5.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.7, 139.3, 135.8, 133.4, 132.1, 129.6, 129.4, 128.0, 127.3, 33.4, 7.0, 5.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₅NO₂S 286.0896); Found 286.0890.

***N*-(oxodiphenyl-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4o)**



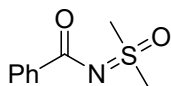
Yield 39.8 mg (62%, yellow solid); mp 118.2-119.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.28 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 8.16-8.01 (m, 4H), 7.57 (dt, *J* = 15.6, 7.3 Hz, 7H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.9, 139.9, 135.8, 133.9, 133.3, 132.3, 129.8, 129.6, 129.6, 128.1, 127.7, 127.6, 124.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₉H₁₅NO₂S 322.0896); Found 322.0893.

***N*-(benzyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4p)**



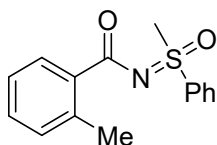
Yield 49.6 mg (74%, white solid); mp 128.2-129.7 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.21 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.52-7.41 (m, 4H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 5.07-4.69 (m, 2H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.6, 135.8, 135.6, 133.8, 132.2, 131.3, 129.5, 129.1, 129.1, 128.6, 128.5, 128.1, 127.4, 62.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₂₀H₁₇NO₂S 336.1052); Found 336.1051.

***N*-(dimethyl(oxo)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4q)**



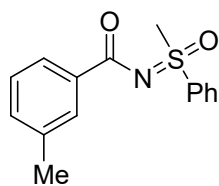
Yield 26.0 mg (66%, yellow solid); mp 76.2-77.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.20-8.10 (m, 2H), 7.53 (td, *J* = 7.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (td, *J* = 7.6, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 3.41 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 6H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.2, 135.4, 132.2, 129.3, 128.1, 41.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₉H₁₁NO₂S 198.0583); Found 198.0582.

2-methyl-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4r)



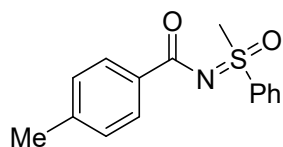
Yield 36.0 mg (66%, white solid); mp 155.7-158.4 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (dt, *J* = 7.6, 2.5 Hz, 3H), 7.71 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (td, *J* = 7.5, 7.0, 3.7 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (td, *J* = 7.5, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.27-7.18 (m, 2H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 2.62 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.6, 139.3, 139.1, 135.3, 133.8, 131.6, 131.0, 130.6, 129.7, 127.2, 125.4, 44.5, 21.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₅NO₂S 274.0896); Found 274.0894.

3-methyl-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4s)



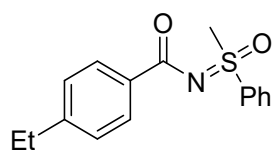
Yield 38.8 mg (71%, white solid); mp 66.7-68.6 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.08 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 8.00 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.75-7.68 (m, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.30 (m, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.42 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.5, 139.1, 137.8, 135.5, 133.8, 133.0, 130.0, 129.7, 128.0, 127.2, 126.6, 44.4, 21.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₅NO₂S 274.0896); Found 274.0892.

4-methyl-N-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4t)



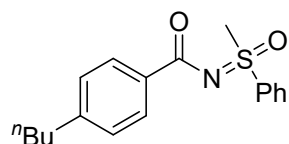
Yield 42.1 mg (77%, white solid); mp 167.5-168.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 4H), 7.71 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 142.7, 139.2, 133.8, 132.9, 129.7, 129.5, 128.8, 127.2, 44.4, 21.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₅NO₂S 274.0896); Found 274.0894.

4-ethyl-N-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4u)



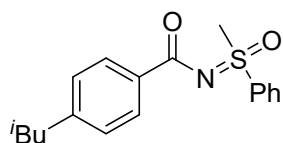
Yield 41.3 mg (72%, white solid); mp 110.9-112.0 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.16-8.05 (m, 4H), 7.71 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.72 (q, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 149.0, 139.2, 133.8, 133.2, 129.7, 129.6, 127.6, 127.2, 44.4, 29.0, 15.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₆H₁₇NO₂S 288.1053); Found 288.1052.

4-butyl-N-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4v)



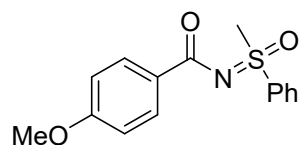
Yield 36.6 mg (58%, white solid); mp 103.8-104.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.09 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 4H), 7.71 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 2.68 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 1.64 (q, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 1.38 (h, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 0.95 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 147.7, 139.2, 133.8, 133.1, 129.7, 129.5, 128.2, 127.2, 44.4, 35.7, 33.4, 22.3, 14.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₈H₂₁NO₂S 316.1366); Found 316.1363.

4-isobutyl-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4w)



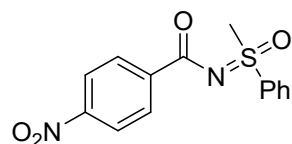
Yield 41.6 mg (66%, yellow solid); mp 108.7-109.1 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.14-8.00 (m, 4H), 7.71 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.55 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.92 (dh, *J* = 13.5, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 0.92 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 6H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.4, 146.5, 139.2, 133.8, 133.2, 129.7, 129.4, 128.9, 127.2, 45.4, 44.4, 30.2, 22.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₈H₂₁NO₂S 316.1366); Found 316.1363.

4-methoxy-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4x)



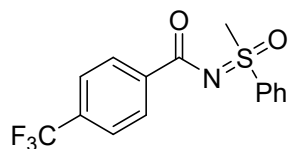
Yield 42.2 mg (73%, yellow solid); mp 128.9-130.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 7.71 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 142.7, 139.2, 133.8, 132.9, 129.7, 129.5, 128.8, 127.2, 44.4, 21.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₅NO₃S 312.0665); Found 312.0665.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-4-nitrobenzamide (4y)**



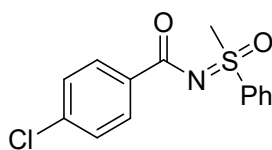
Yield 35.8 mg (59%, yellow solid); mp 87.1-88.6 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 8.07 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.72 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.2, 138.8, 138.5, 134.1, 133.9, 130.9, 129.8, 128.3, 127.2, 44.4.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzamide (4z)**



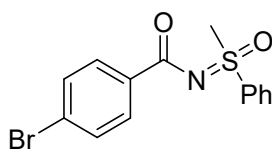
Yield 41.2 mg (63%, white solid); mp 116.8-117.8 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.29 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.71-7.62 (m, 4H), 3.51 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 172.9, 138.8, 138.6, 134.1, 133.6 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 32.5 Hz), 129.8, 129.8, 127.1, 125.1 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 3.8 Hz), 122.8, 44.4. ¹⁹F NMR (471 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -62.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₅H₁₂F₃NO₂S 328.0614); Found 328.0613.

4-chloro-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4aa)



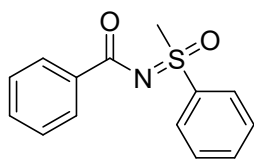
Yield 36.9 mg (65%, white solid); mp 102.6-105.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 8.07 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.2, 138.9, 138.5, 134.1, 133.9, 130.9, 129.8, 128.3, 127.2, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₄H₁₂ClNO₂S 294.0350); Found 294.0351.

4-bromo-*N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)-λ⁶-sulfanylidene)benzamide (4ab)



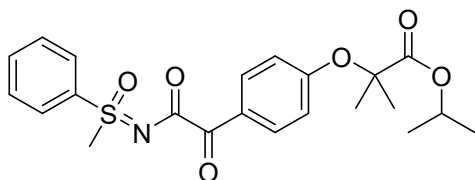
Yield 46.5 mg (69%, white solid); mp 118.1-119.3 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.06 (ddd, *J* = 10.9, 5.8, 2.0 Hz, 4H), 7.76-7.69 (m, 1H), 7.68-7.61 (m, 2H), 7.57 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (s, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.4, 138.8, 134.5, 134.0, 131.3, 131.1, 129.8, 127.2, 127.2, 44.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd (C₁₄H₁₂BrNO₂S 337.9845); Found 337.9842.

***N*-(methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)benzamide (4a) from gram scale**



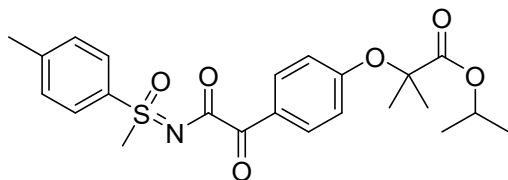
Yield 1033 mg (57%, white solid); mp 78.5-79.2 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.23-8.17 (m, 2H), 8.09 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.75-7.68 (m, 1H), 7.64 (ddd, *J* = 8.7, 6.7, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 7.56-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 3H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.3, 139.1, 135.6, 133.8, 132.2, 129.7, 129.5, 128.1, 127.2, 44.4.

Isopropyl 2-methyl-2-(4-(2-((methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)amino)-2-oxoacetyl)phenoxy)propanoate (5a)



Yield 49.1 mg (67%, white solid); mp 178.8-179.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.14-8.03 (m, 2H), 8.03-7.93 (m, 2H), 7.73 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.89-6.73 (m, 2H), 5.07 (hept, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 6H), 1.19 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 6H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.8, 173.6, 173.0, 160.9, 137.7, 134.42, 132.2, 129.9, 127.2, 126.0, 117.3, 79.5, 69.4, 44.8, 25.3, 21.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd (C₂₂H₂₅NO₆NaS 454.1295); Found 454.1292.

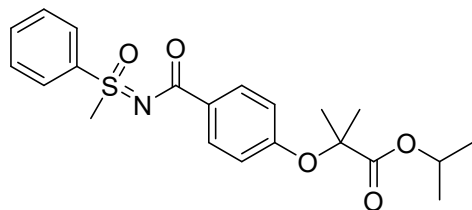
Isopropyl 2-methyl-2-(4-(2-((methyl(oxo)(*p*-tolyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)amino)-2-oxoacetyl)phenoxy)propanoate (5b)



Yield 57.0 mg (64%, white solid); mp 174.8-175.5 °C. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.04-7.91 (m, 4H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 5.08 (hept, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 6H), 1.19 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 6H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 188.9,

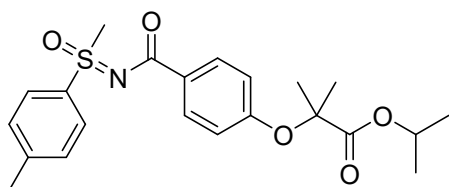
173.0, 145.7, 134.6, 132.2, 130.5, 126.1, 117.3, 79.5, 69.4, 45.0, 25.3, 21.7, 21.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+Na]^+$ Calcd ($C_{23}H_{27}NO_6NaS$ 468.1451); Found 468.1450.

Isopropyl 2-methyl-2-(4-((methyl(oxo)(phenyl)- λ^6 -sulfanylidene)carbamoyl)phenoxy)propanoate
(6a)



Yield 37.1 mg (46%, white solid); mp 116.8-117.8 °C. 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 8.08 (ddd, J = 8.2, 5.4, 2.0 Hz, 4H), 7.71 (td, J = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.66-7.58 (m, 2H), 6.83 (dd, J = 9.0, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.09 (h, J = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 6H), 1.21 (dd, J = 6.4, 1.7 Hz, 6H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 173.8, 173.5, 159.2, 139.2, 133.8, 131.0, 129.7, 128.9, 127.2, 117.1, 79.2, 69.2, 44.4, 29.7, 25.4, 25.3, 21.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd ($C_{21}H_{25}NO_5S$ 404.1526); Found 404.1525.

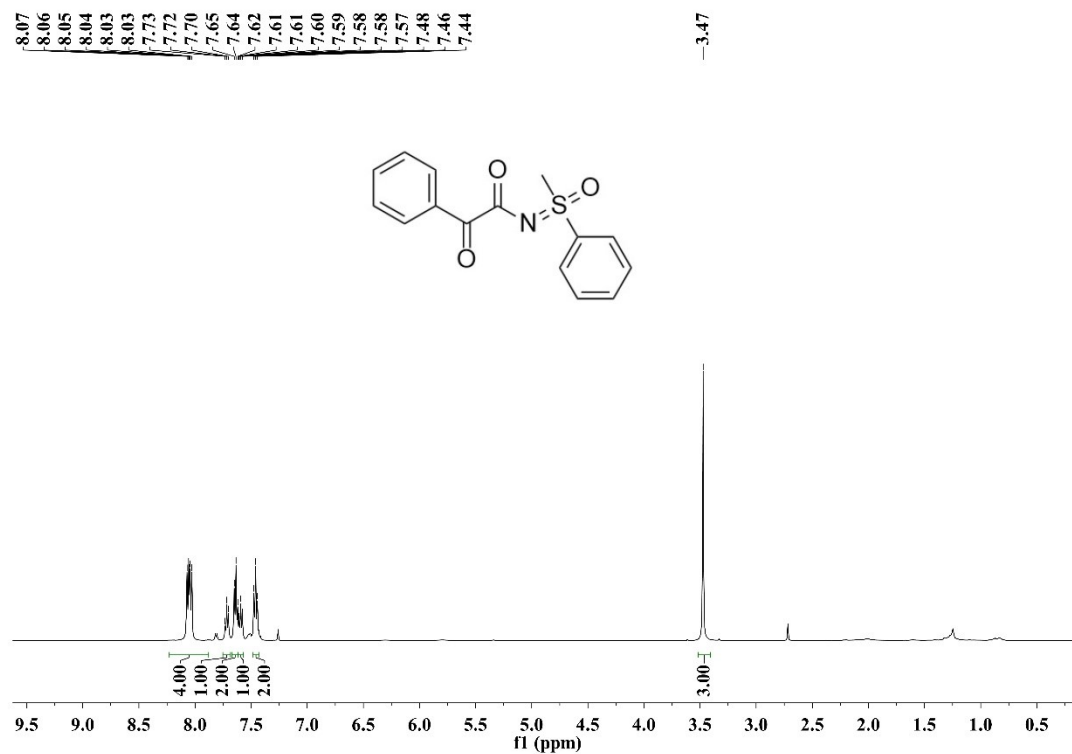
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(6b)



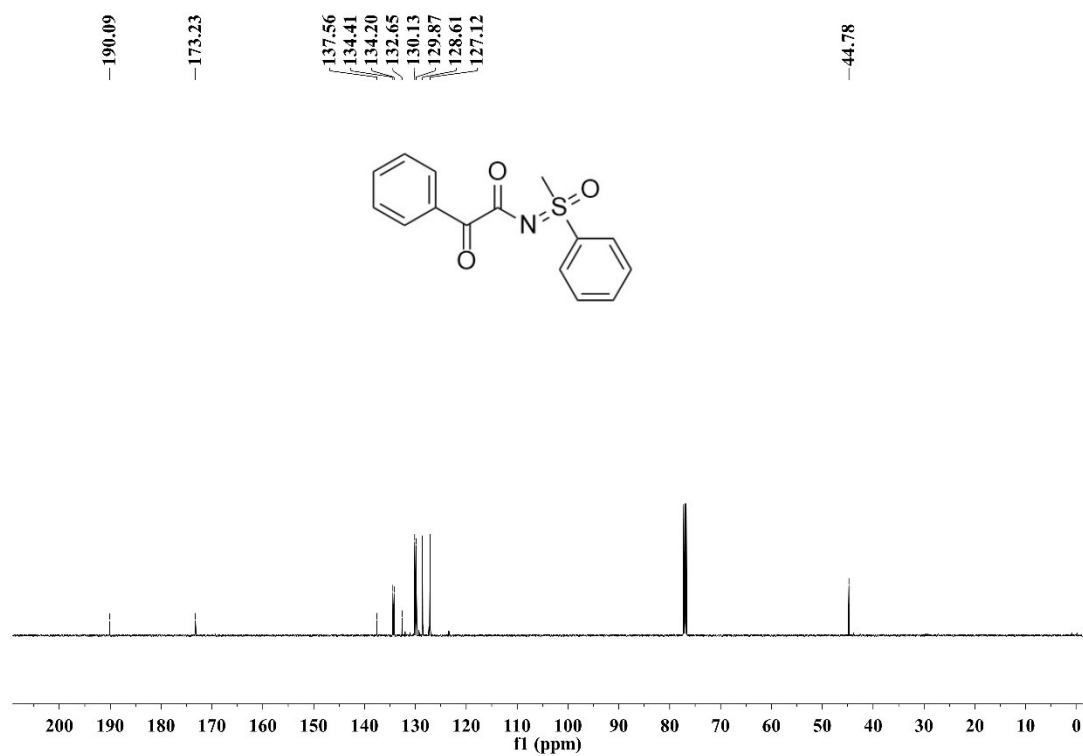
Yield 42.5 mg (51%, white solid); mp 118.5-119.8 °C. 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 8.14-8.03 (m, 2H), 7.94 (dd, J = 6.3, 4.5 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.88-6.76 (m, 2H), 5.09 (p, J = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 2.48 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 6H), 1.21 (dd, J = 6.3, 1.7 Hz, 6H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR (125 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 173.8, 173.5, 159.1, 144.8, 136.1, 131.0, 130.3, 129.0, 127.2, 117.1, 79.17, 69.2, 44.5, 25.4, 25.3, 21.5. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M+Na]^+$ Calcd ($C_{22}H_{27}NO_5NaS$ 440.1502); Found 440.1503.

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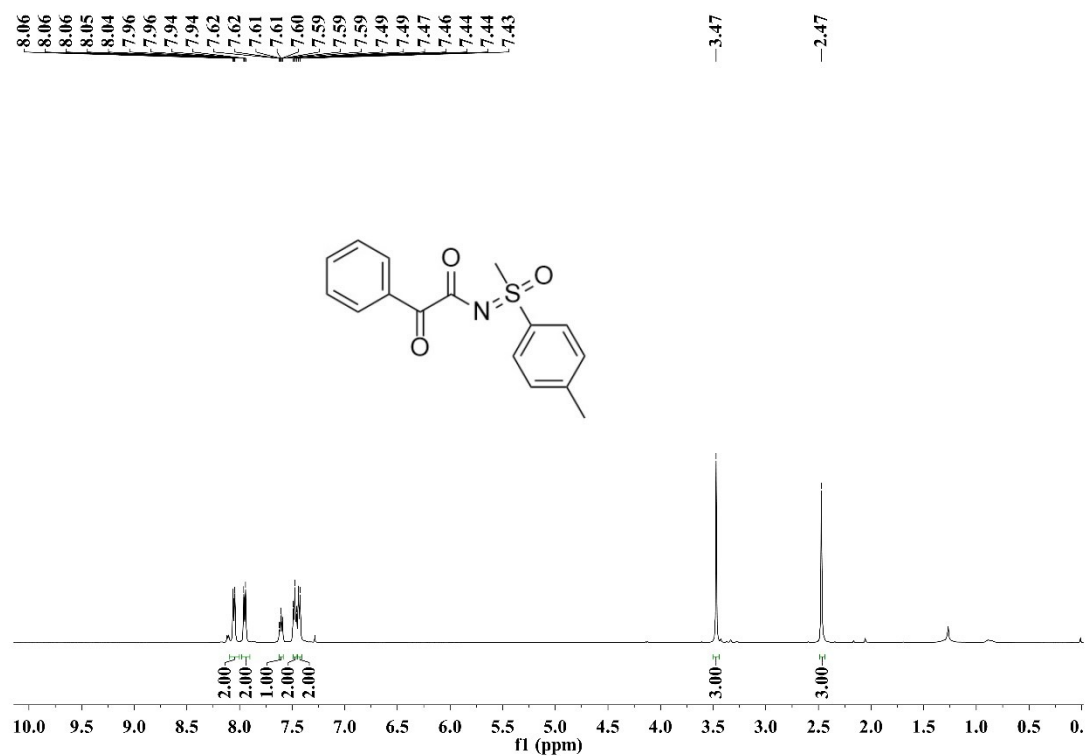
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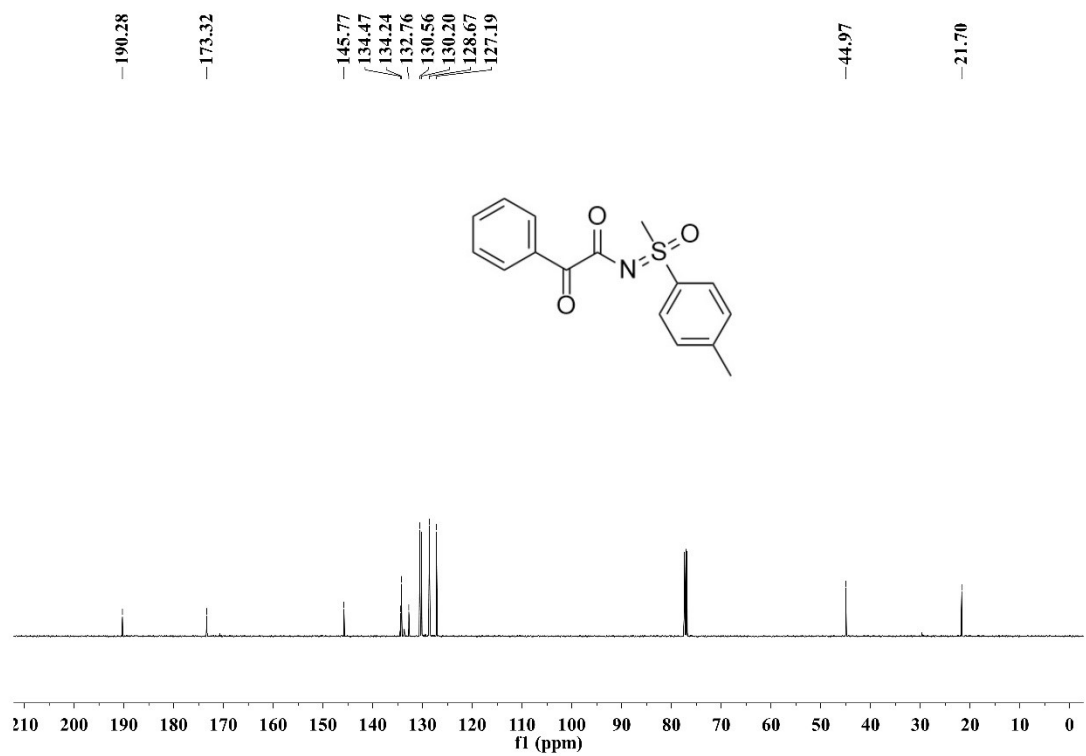
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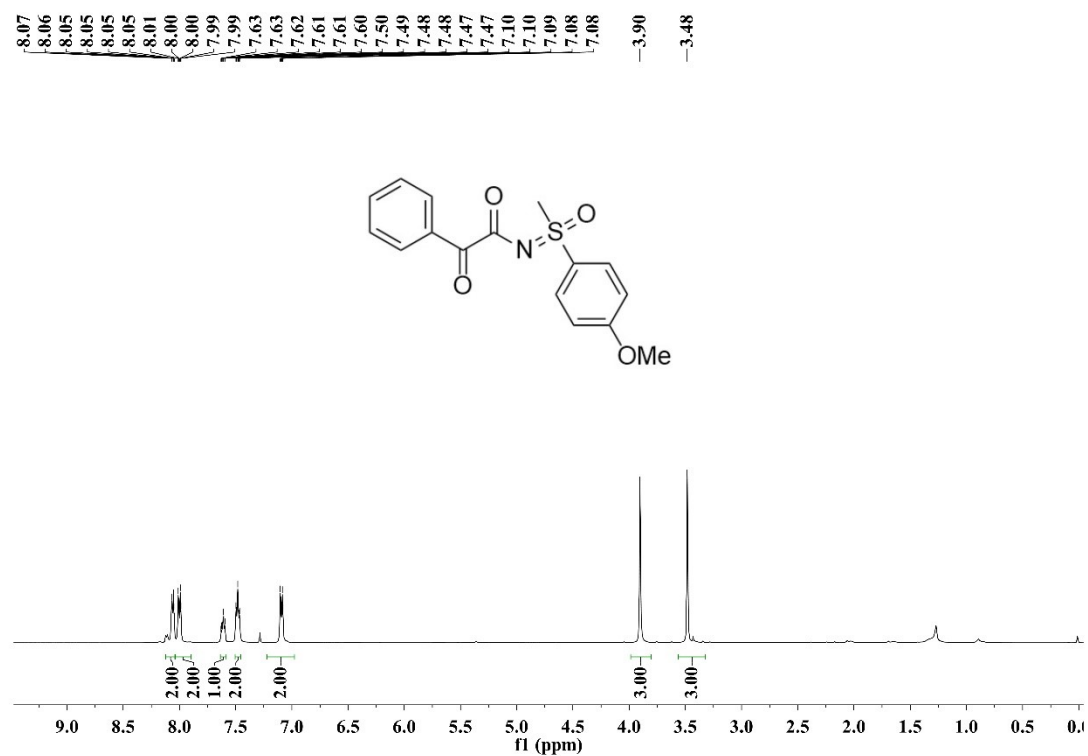
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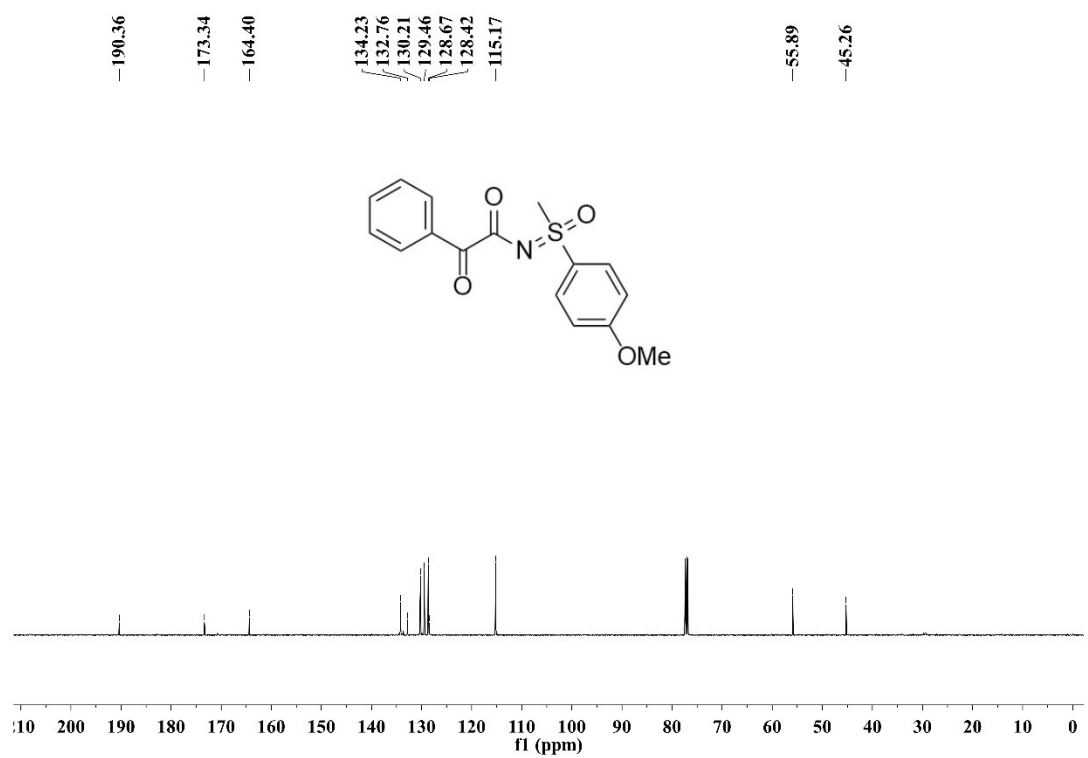
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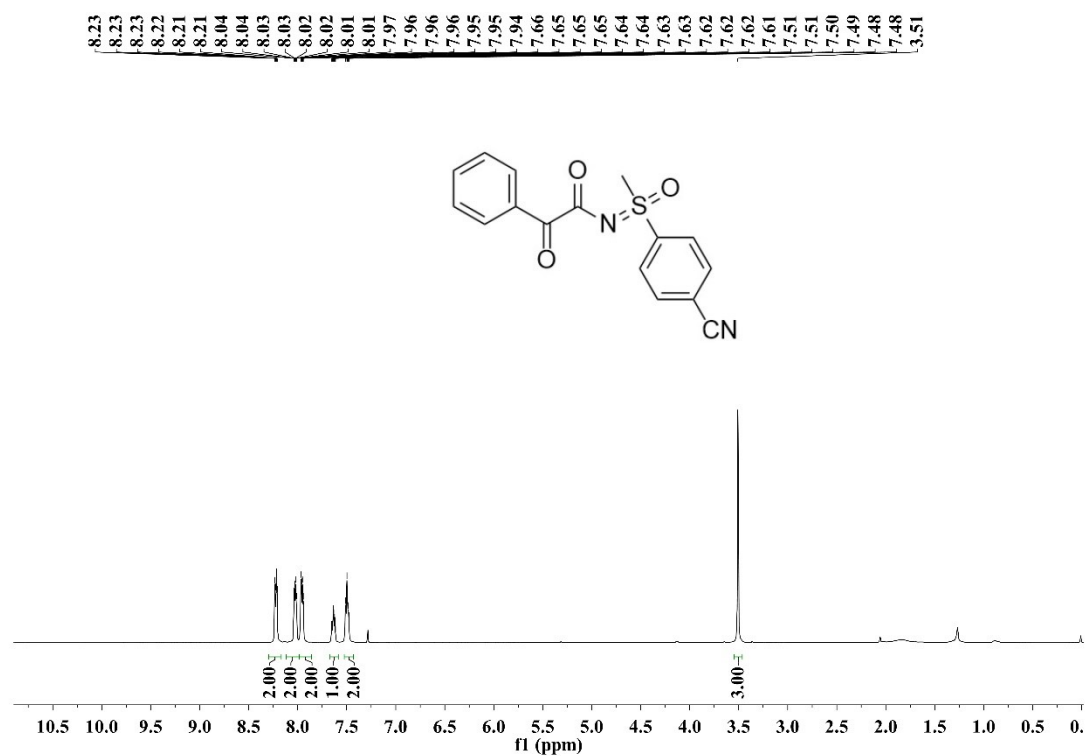
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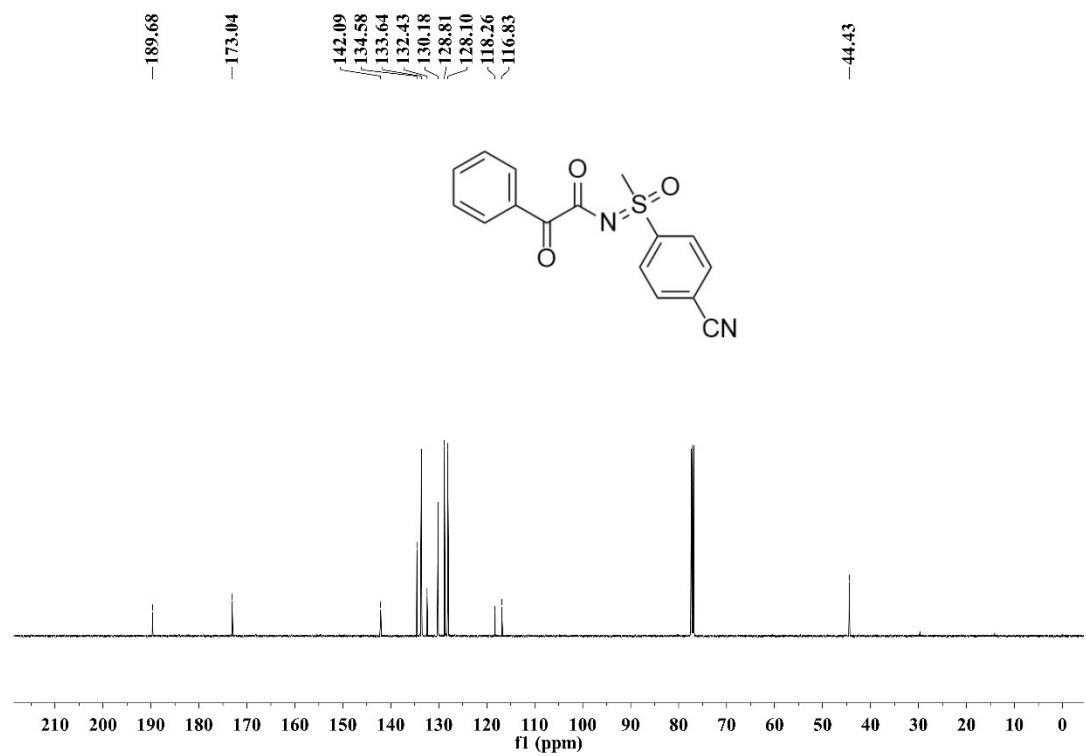
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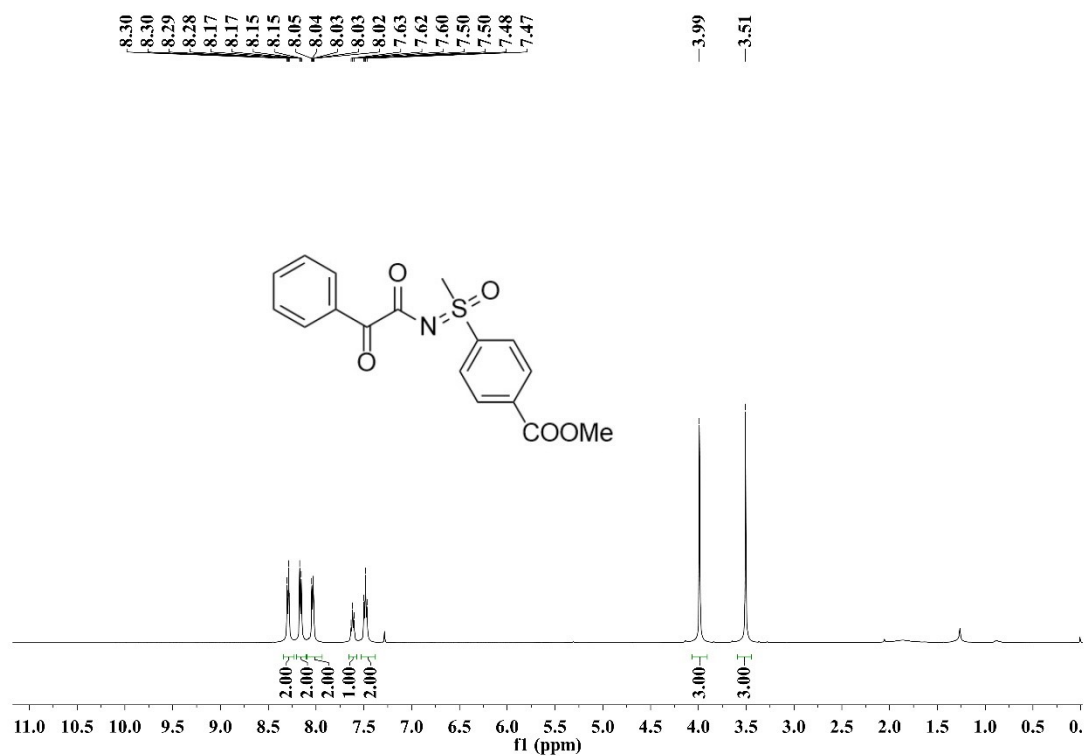
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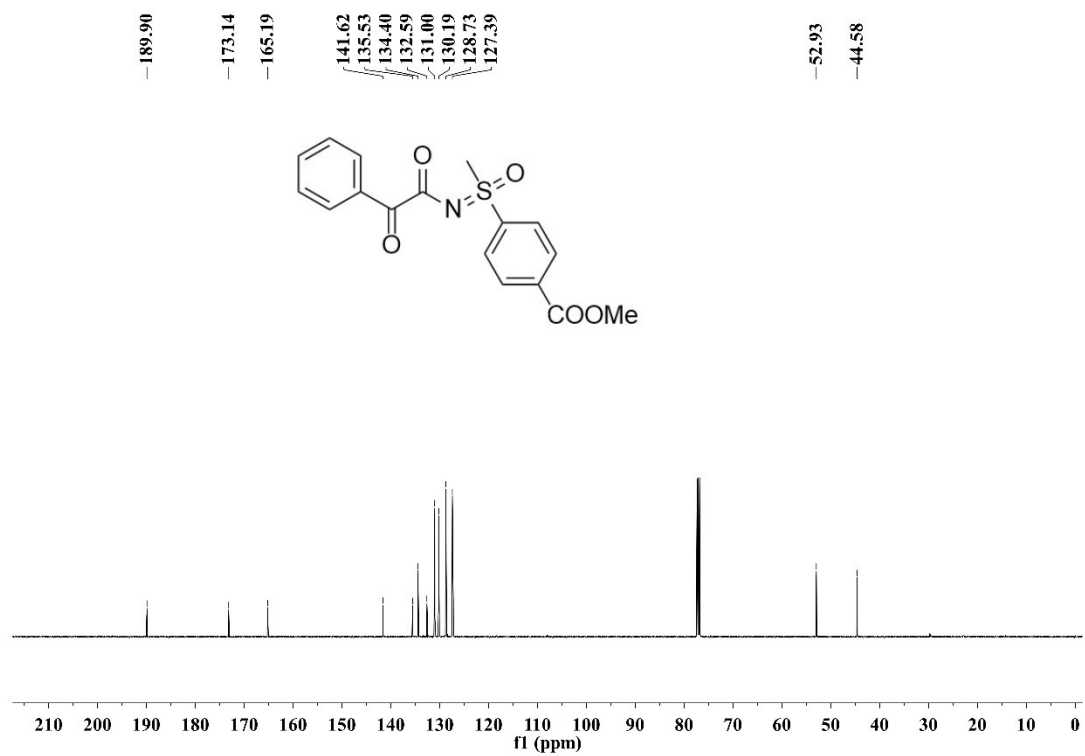
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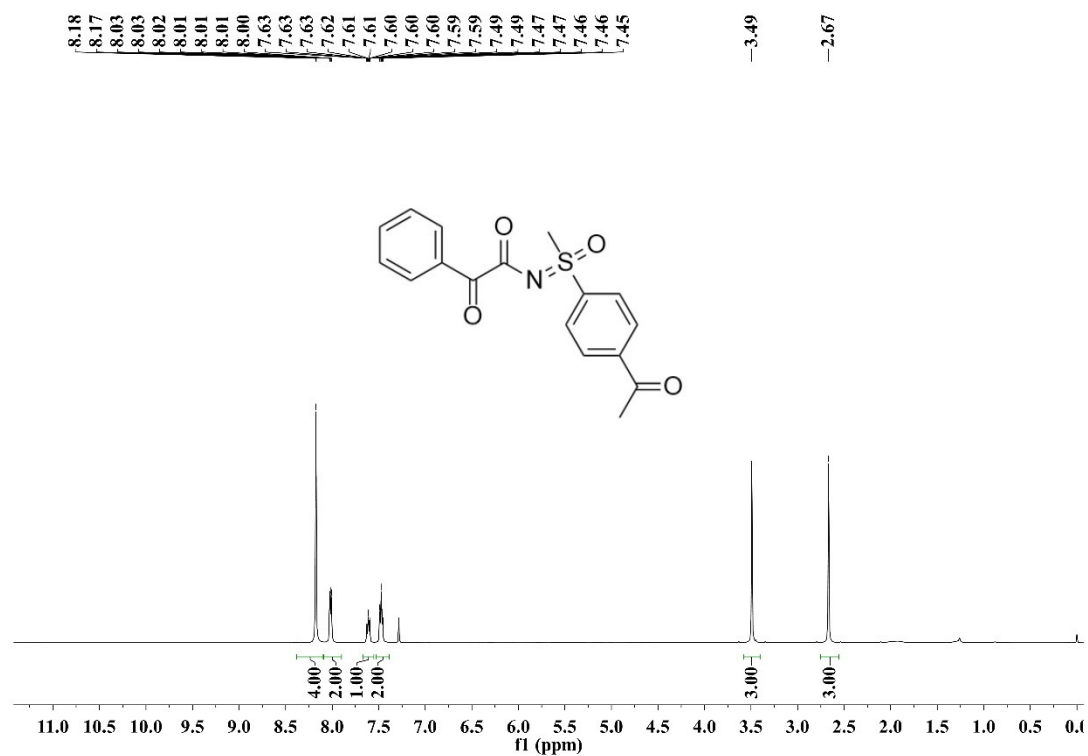
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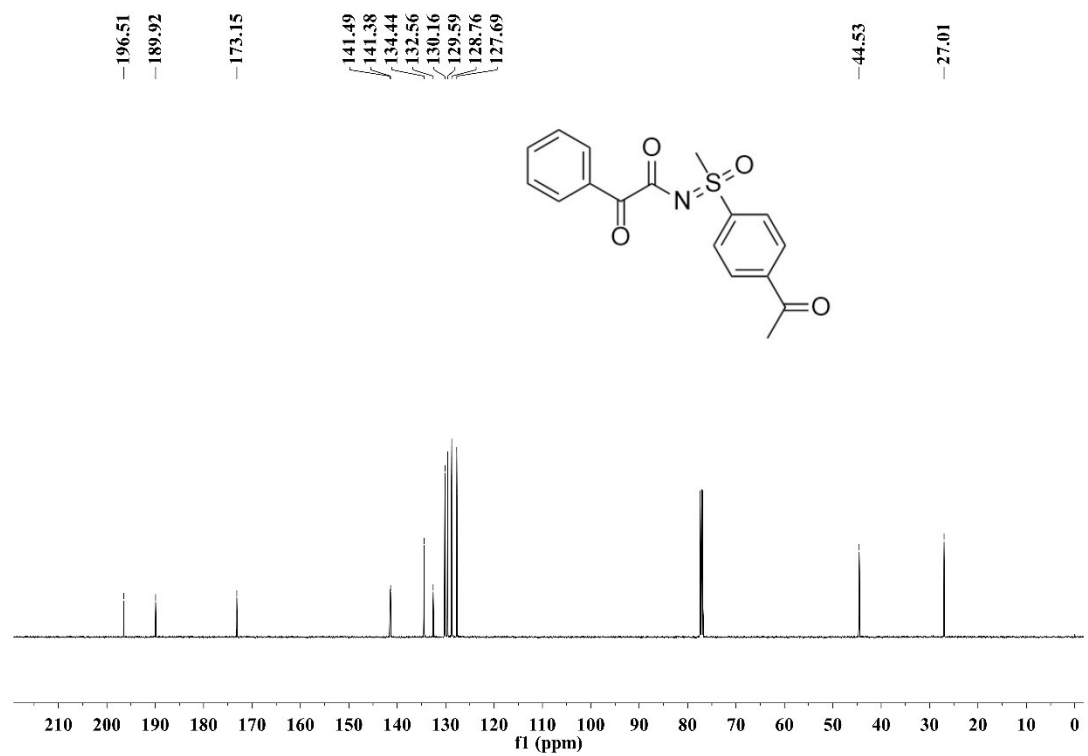
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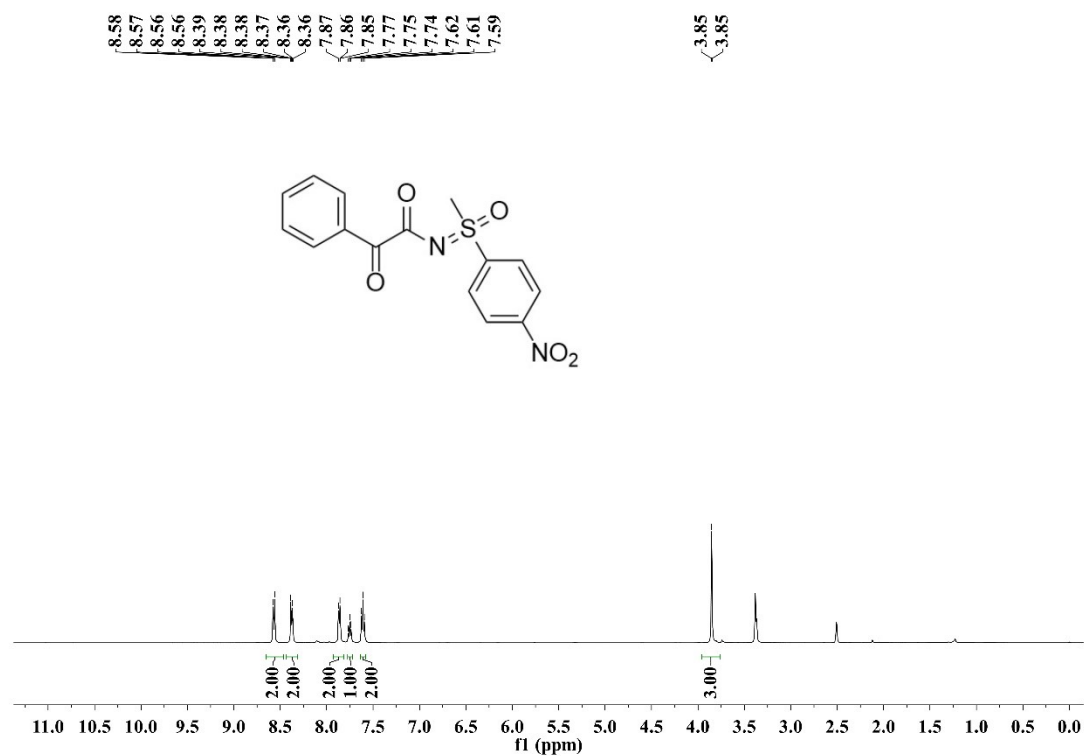
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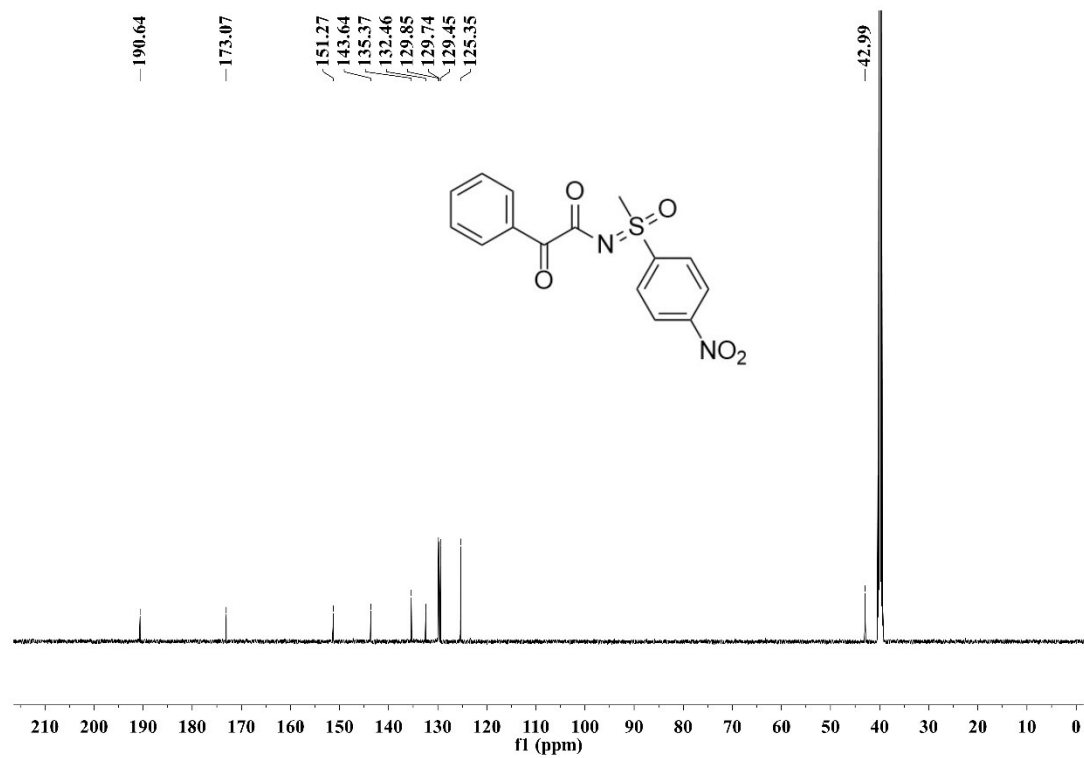
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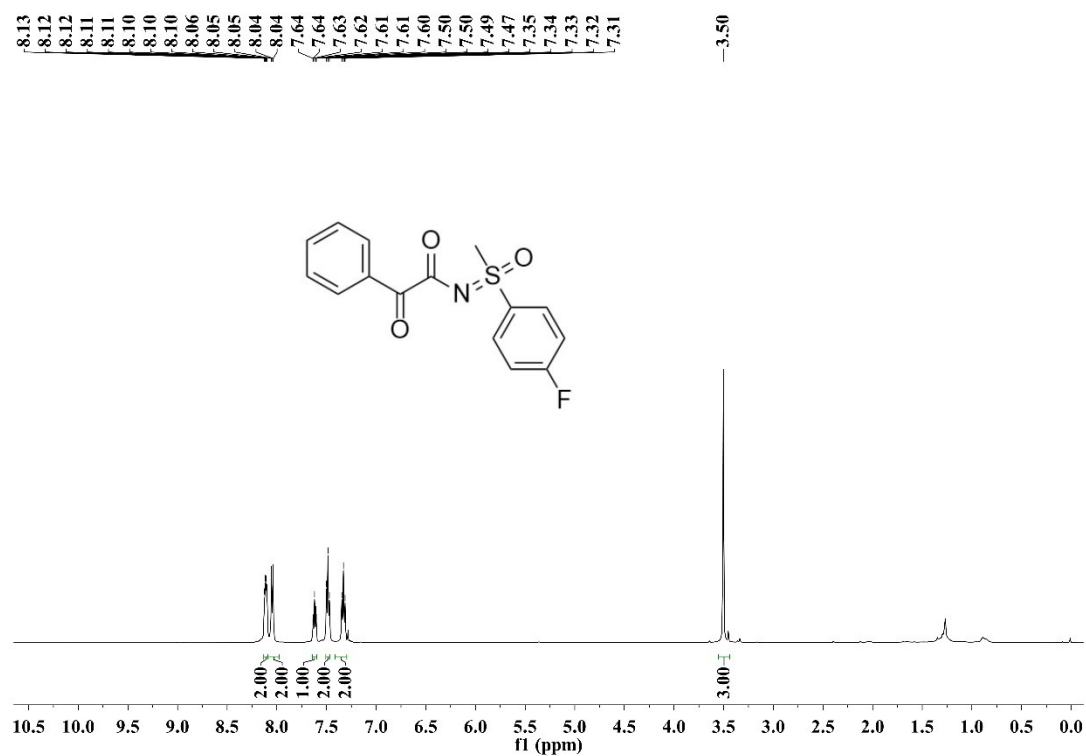
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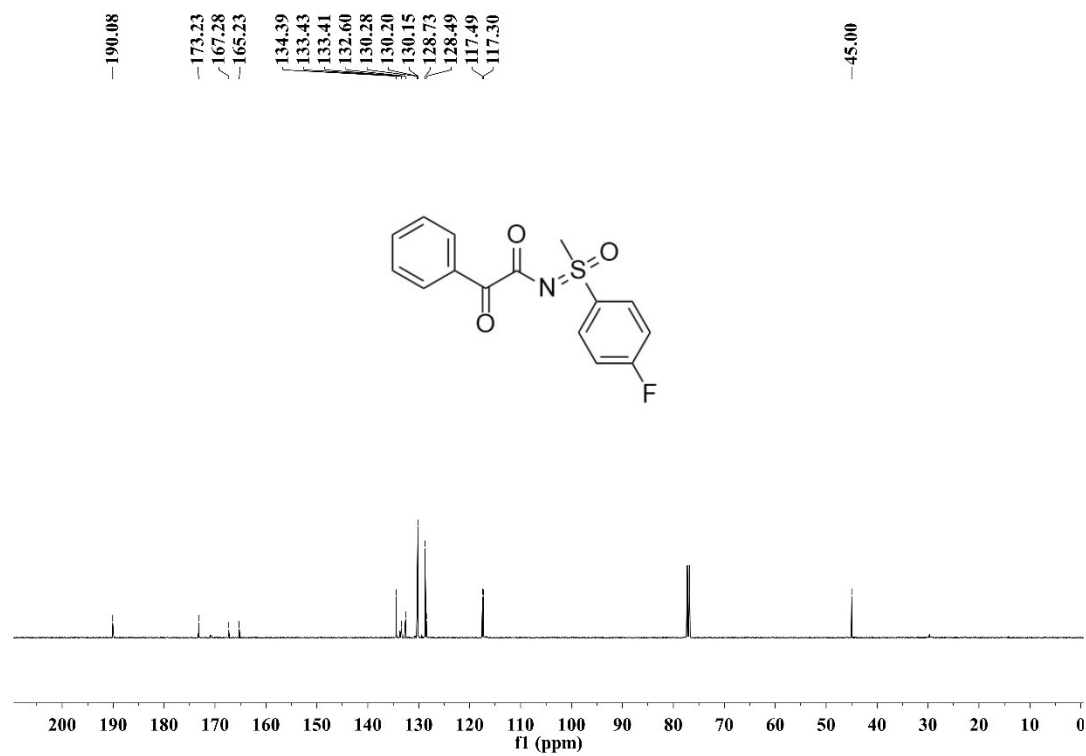
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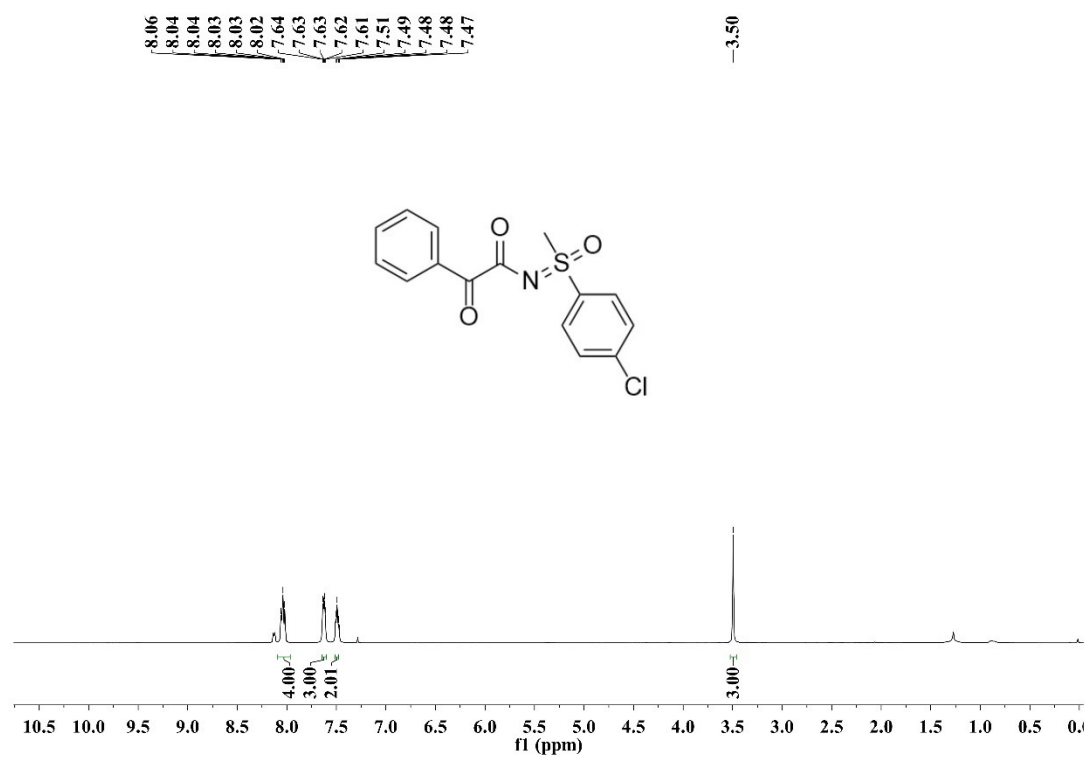
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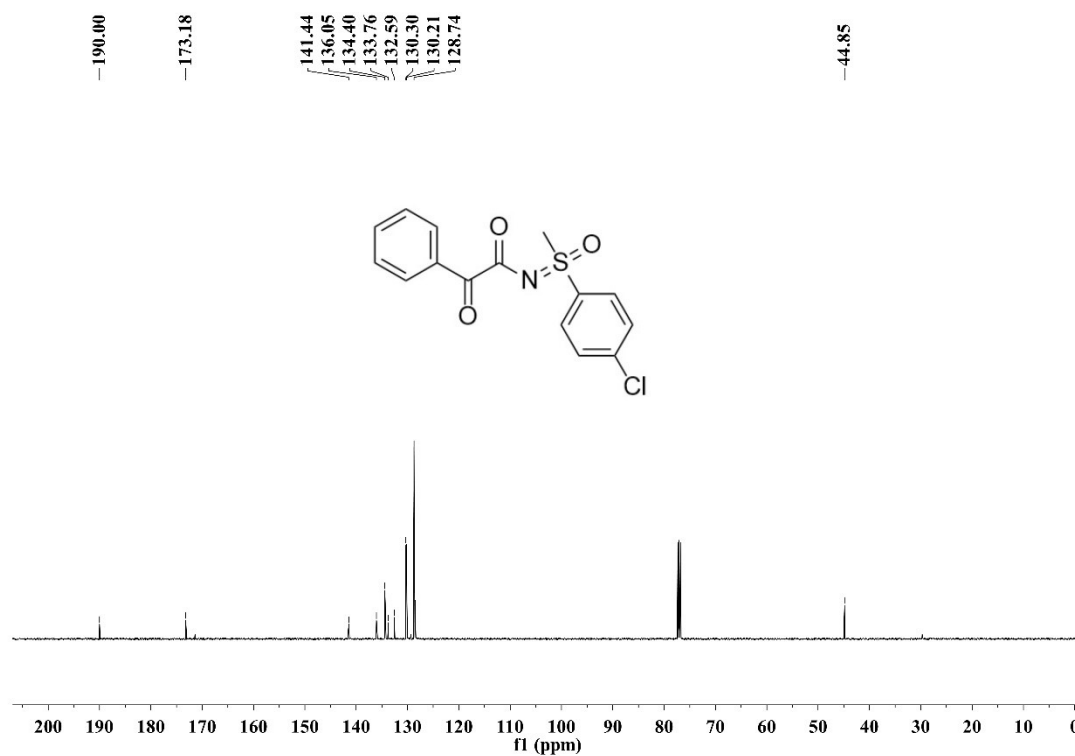
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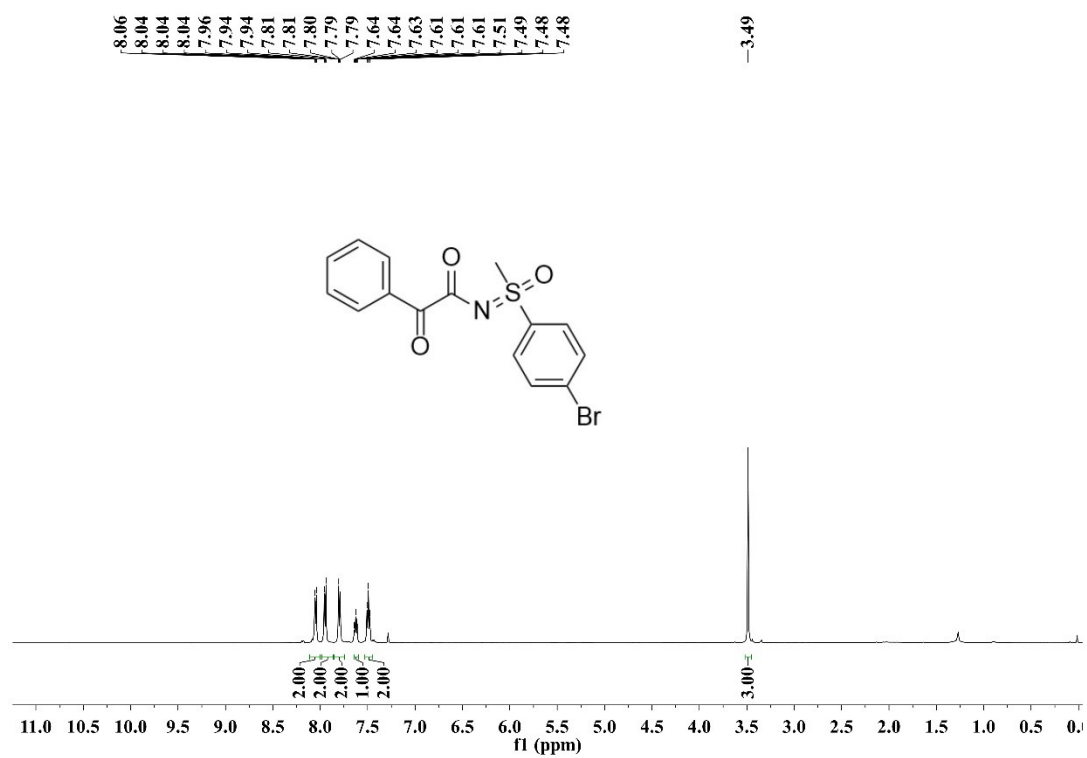
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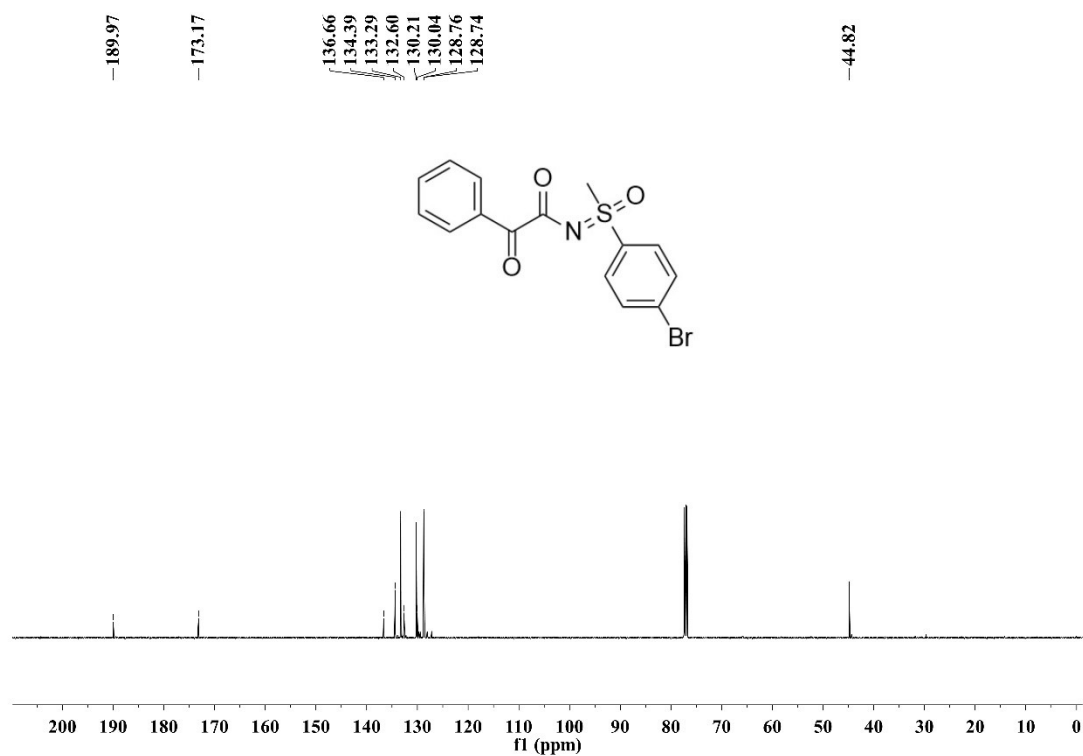
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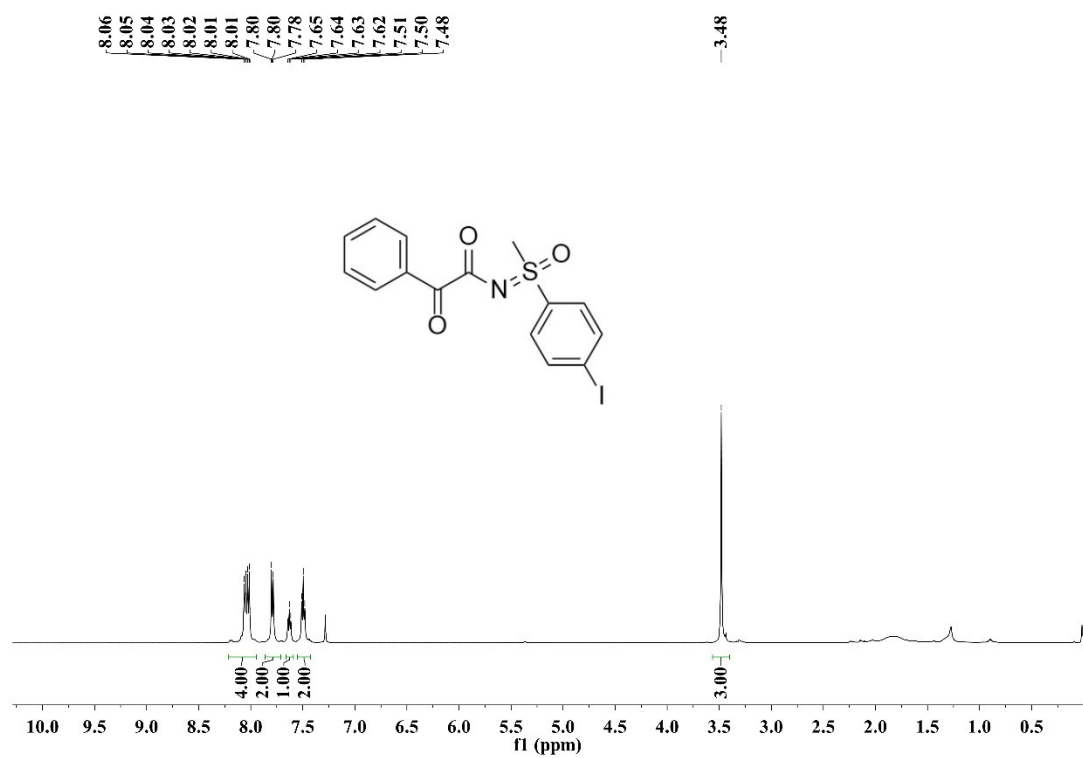
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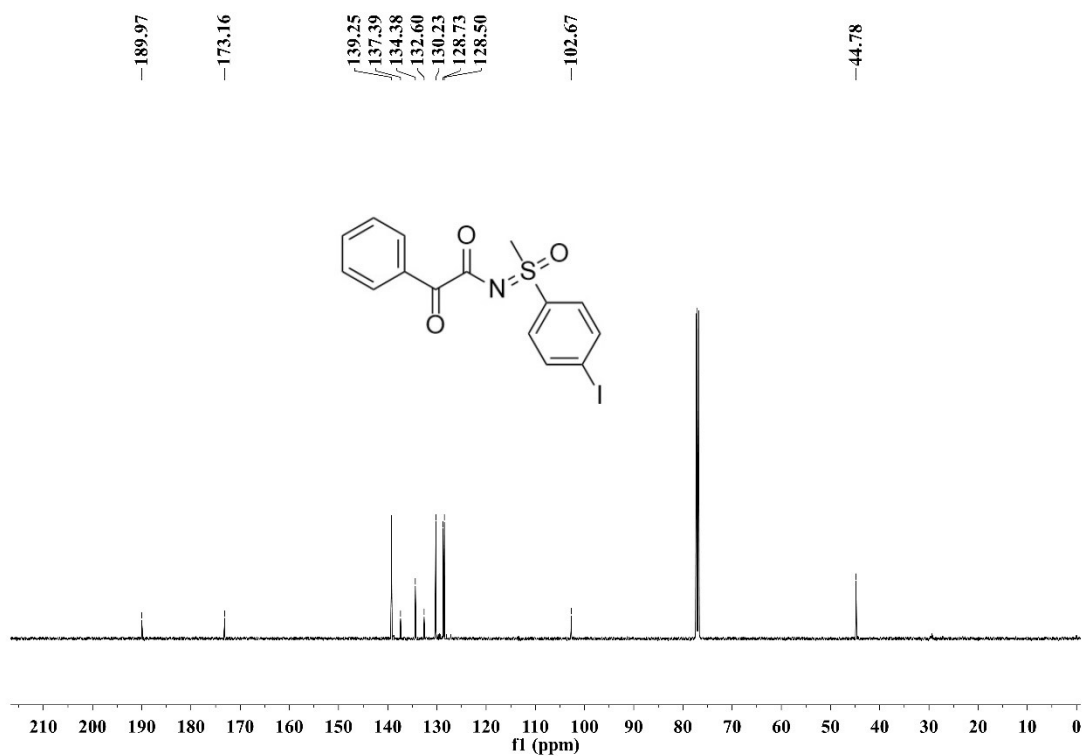
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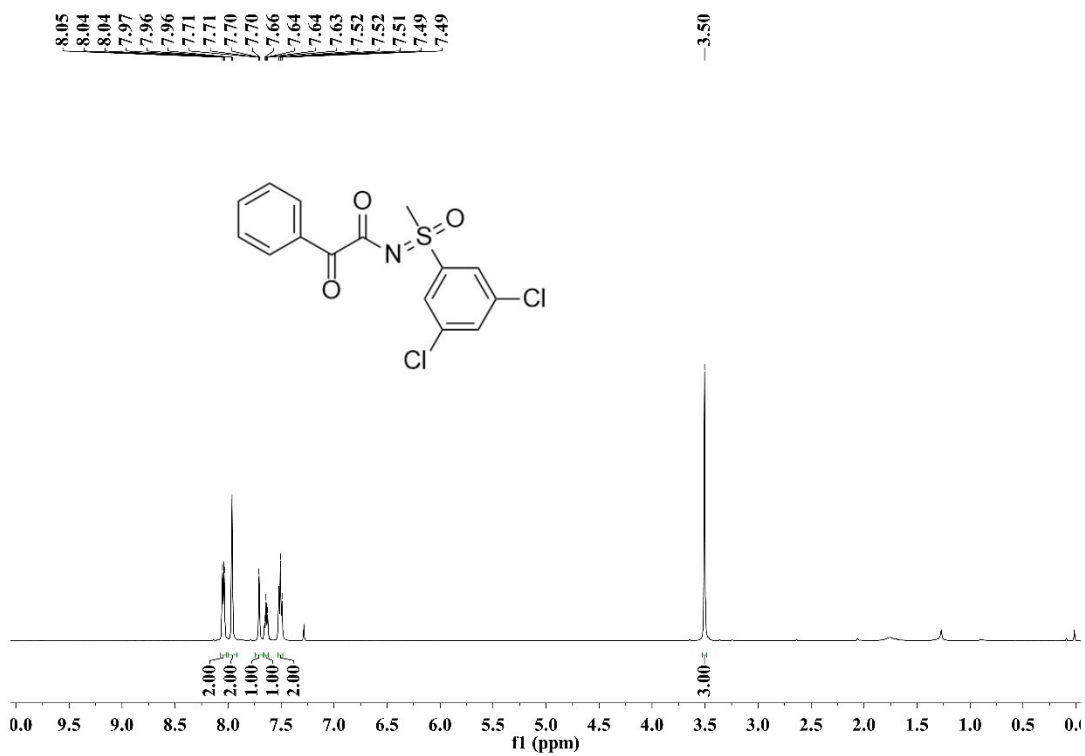
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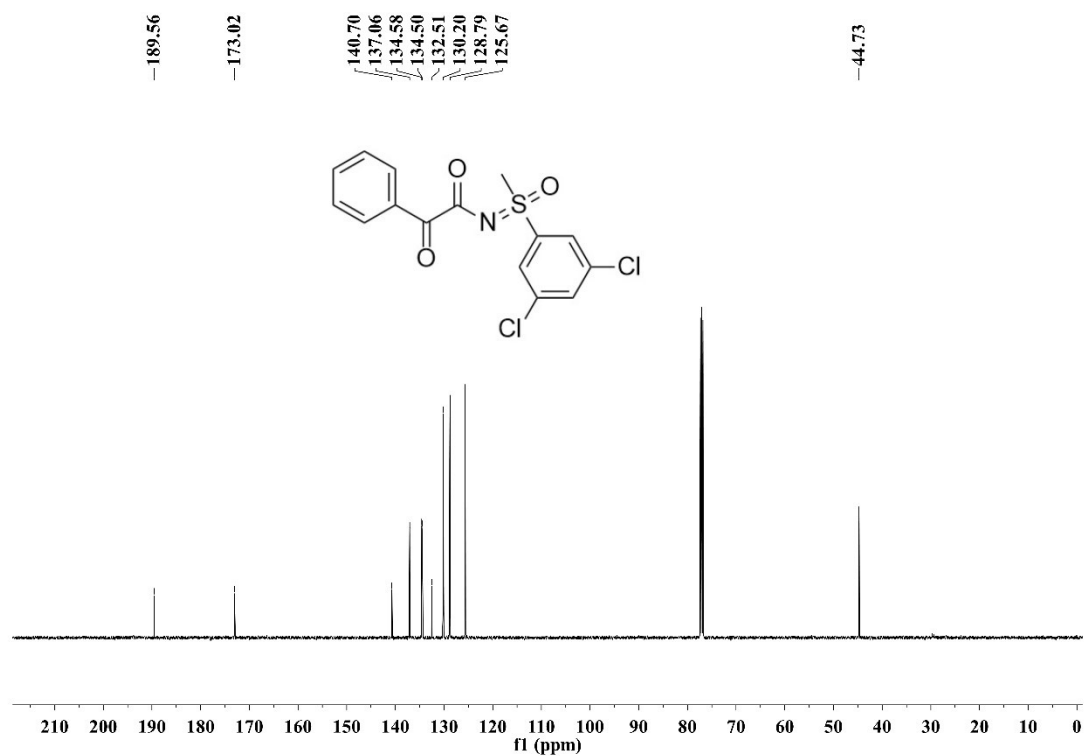
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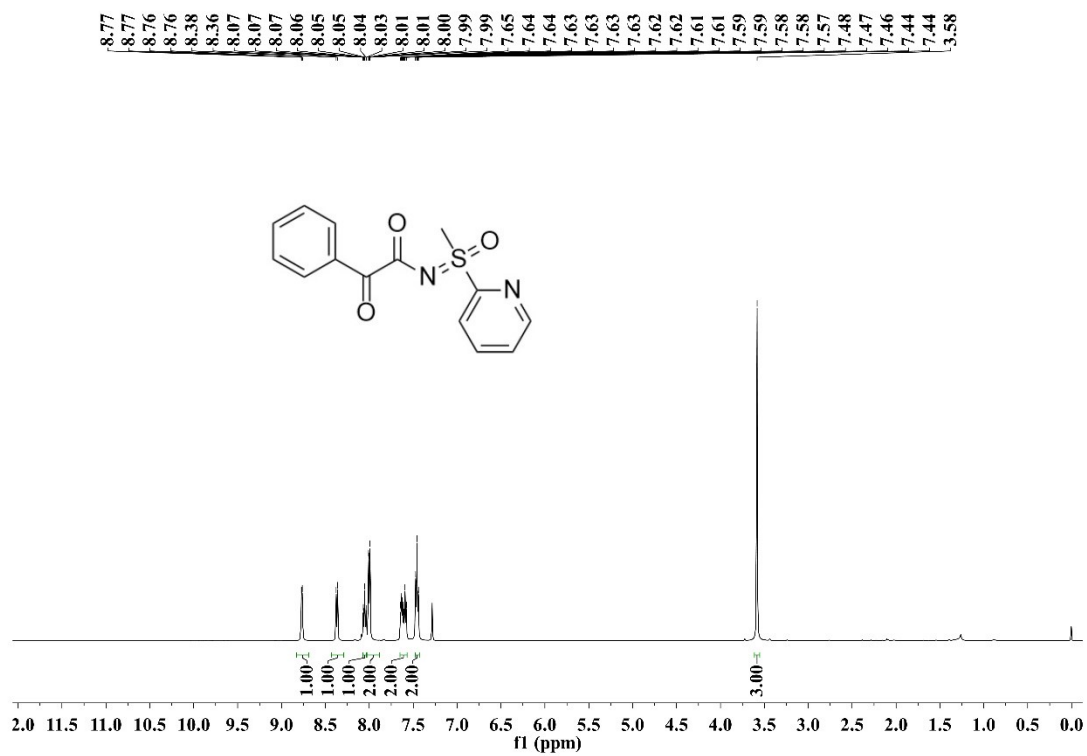
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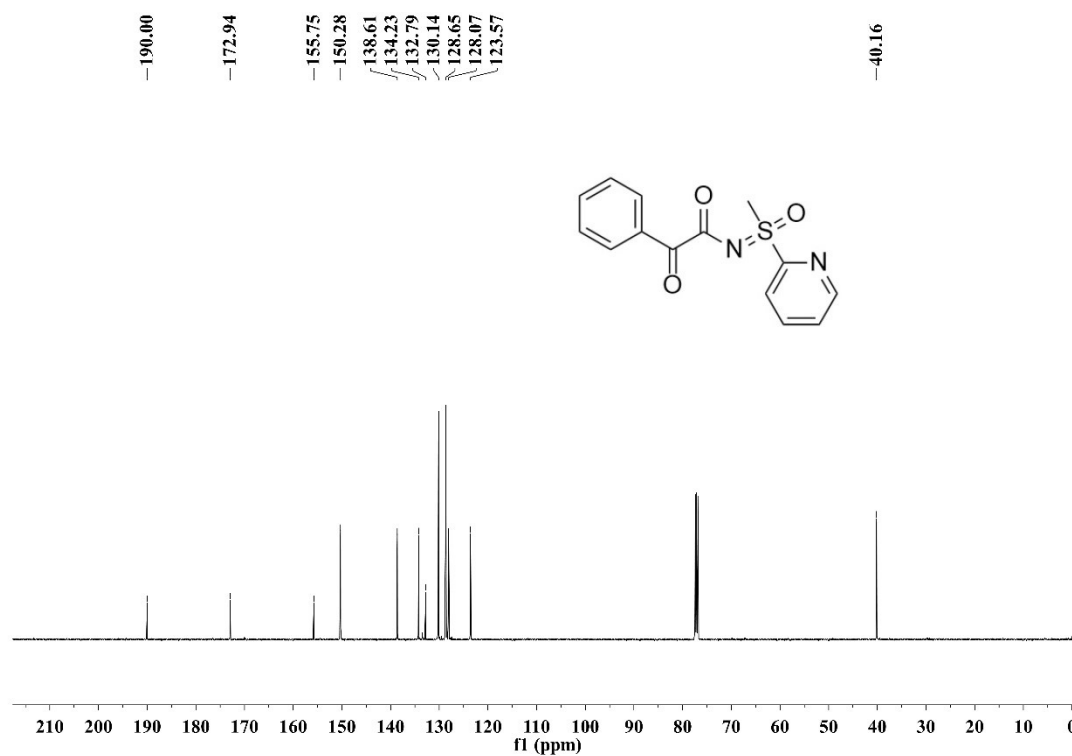
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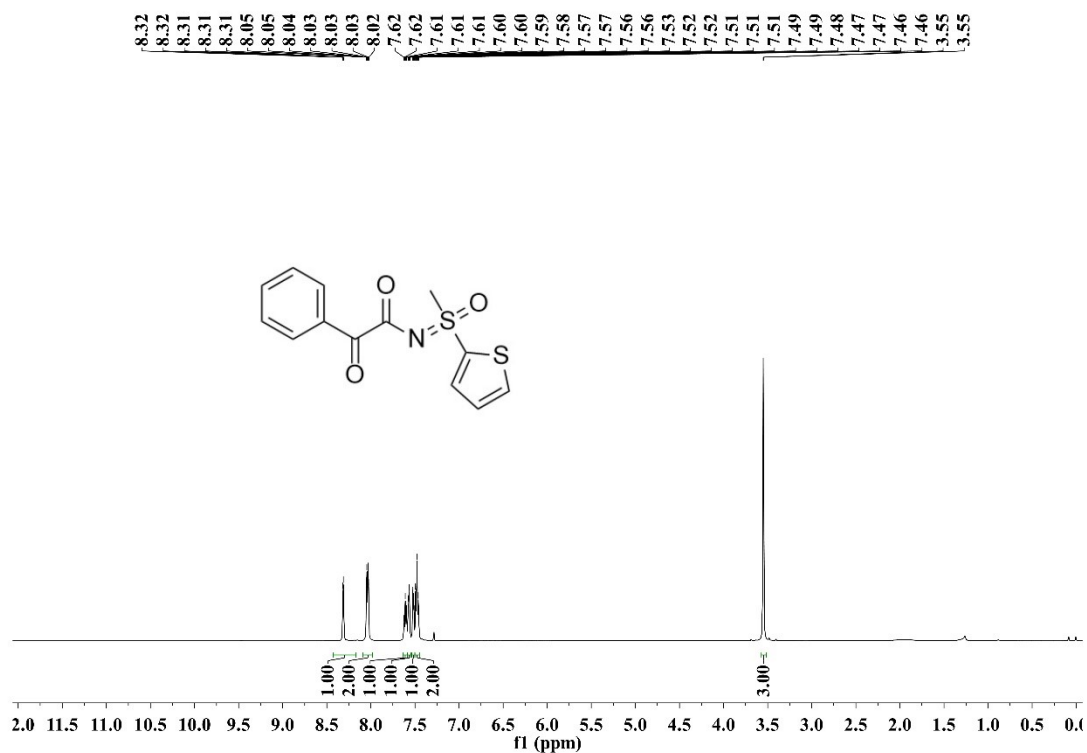
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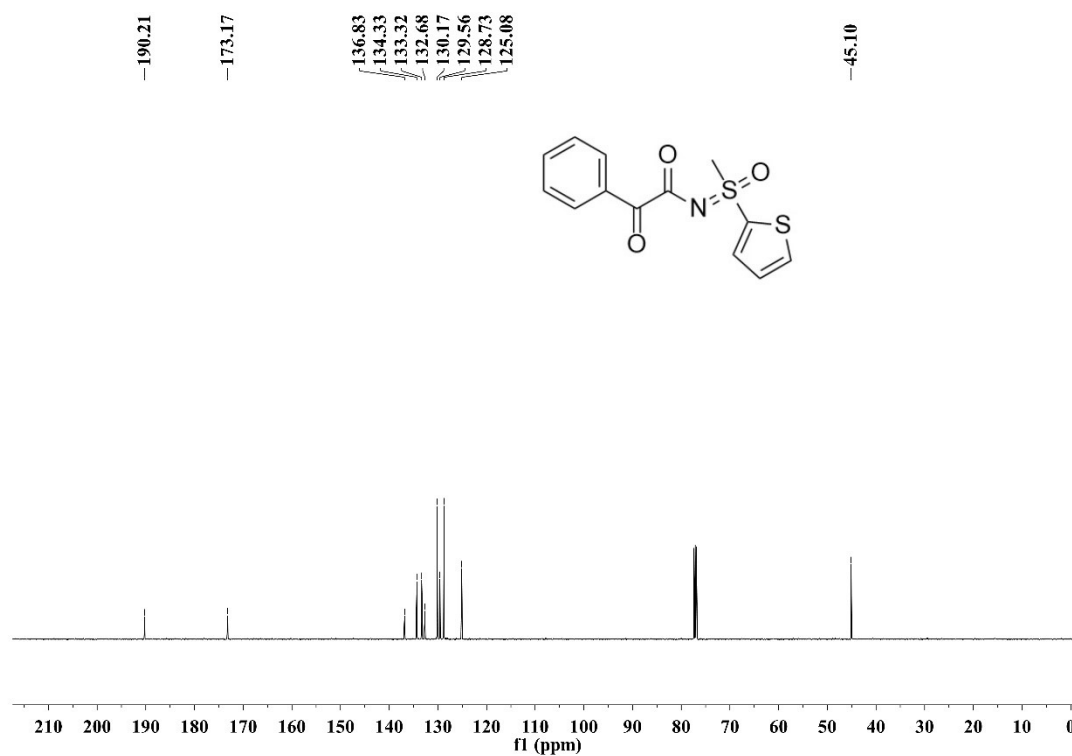
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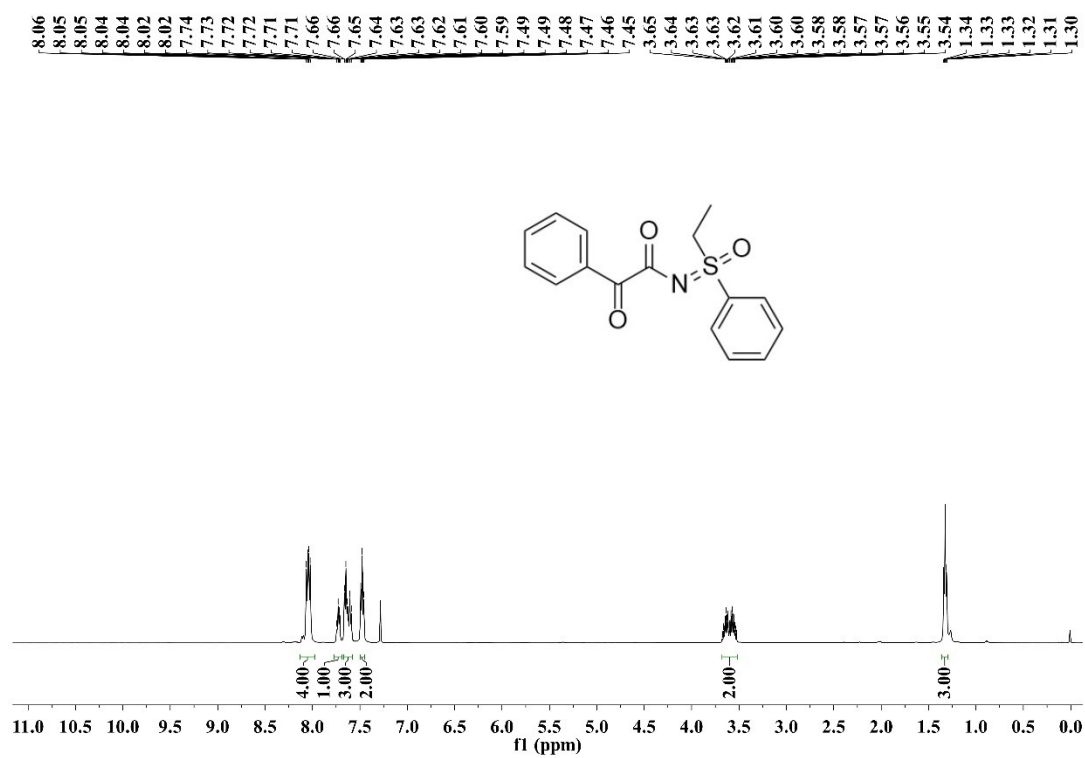
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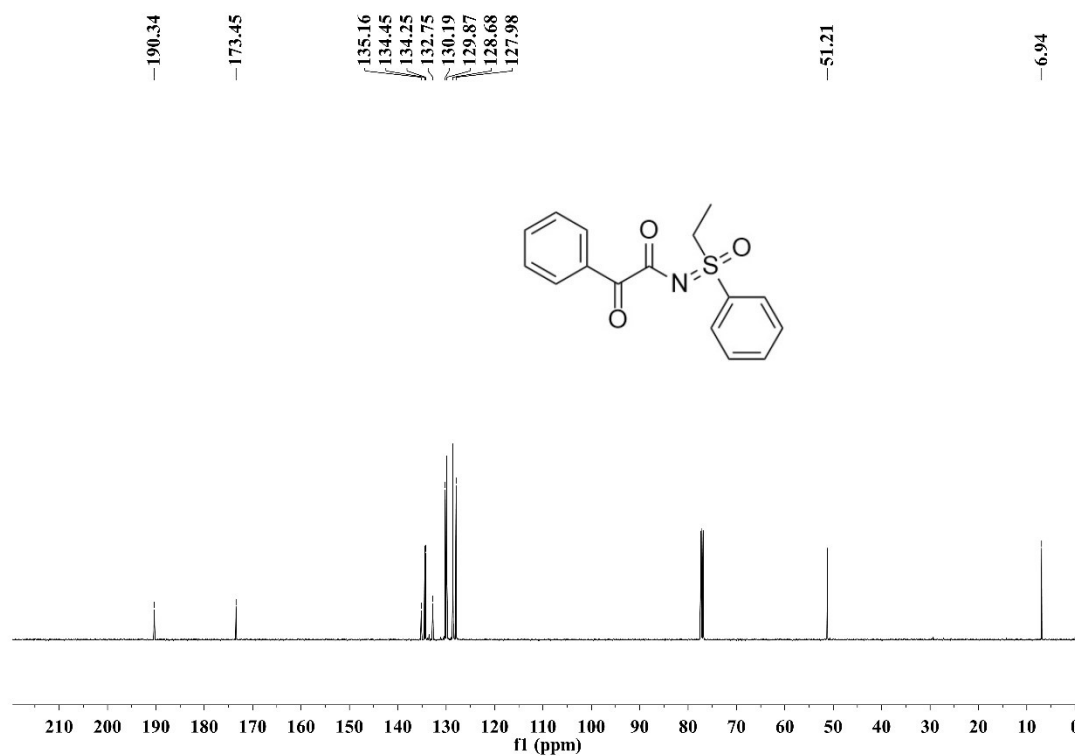
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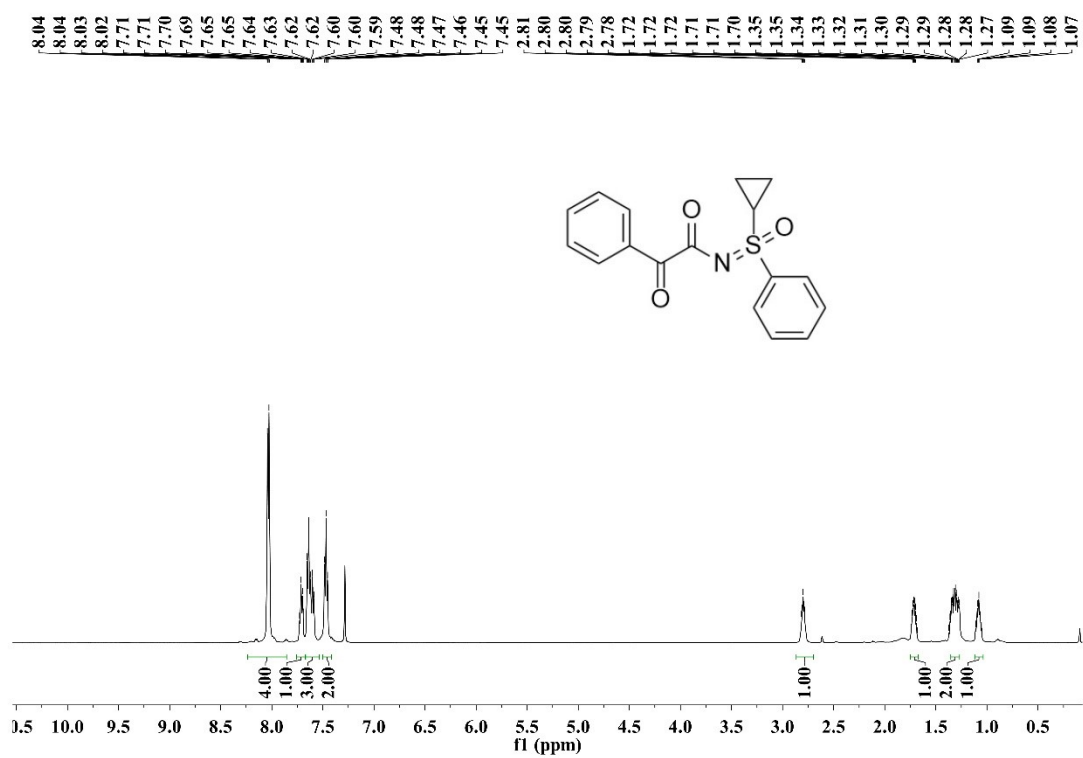
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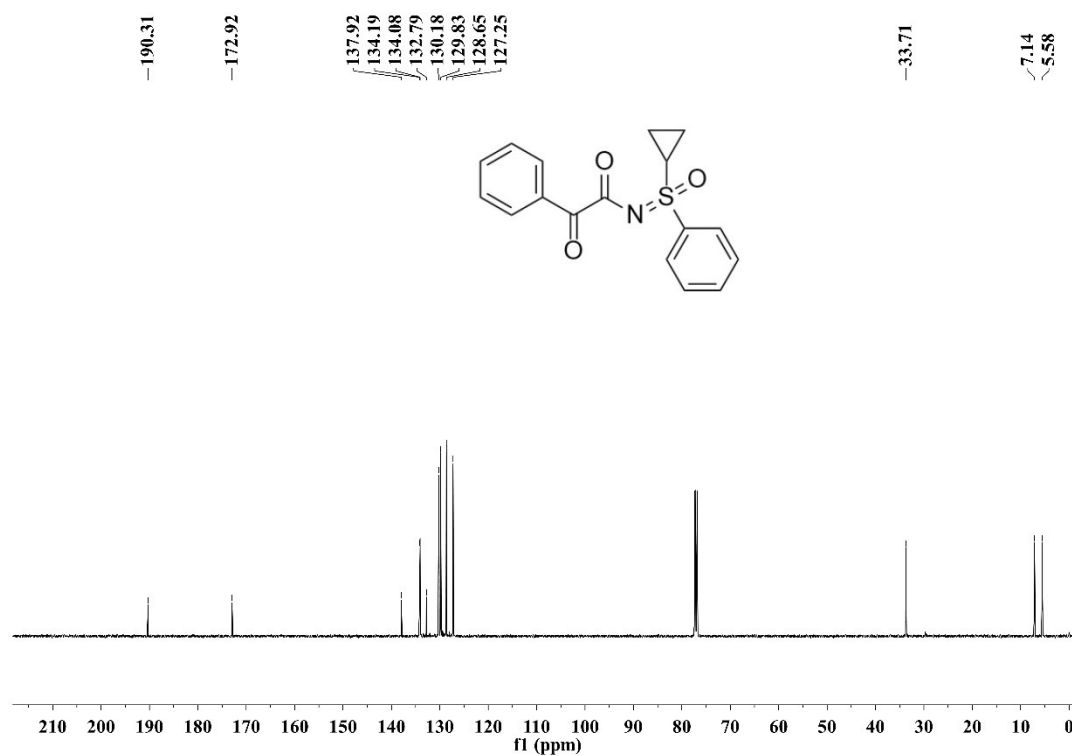
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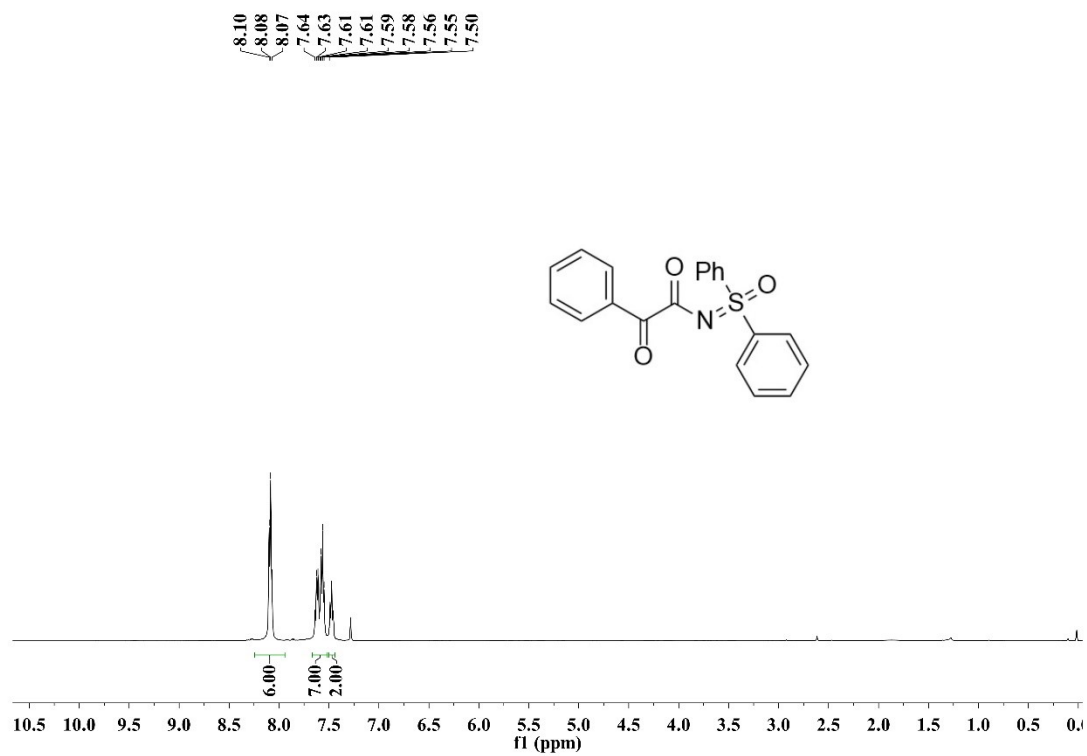
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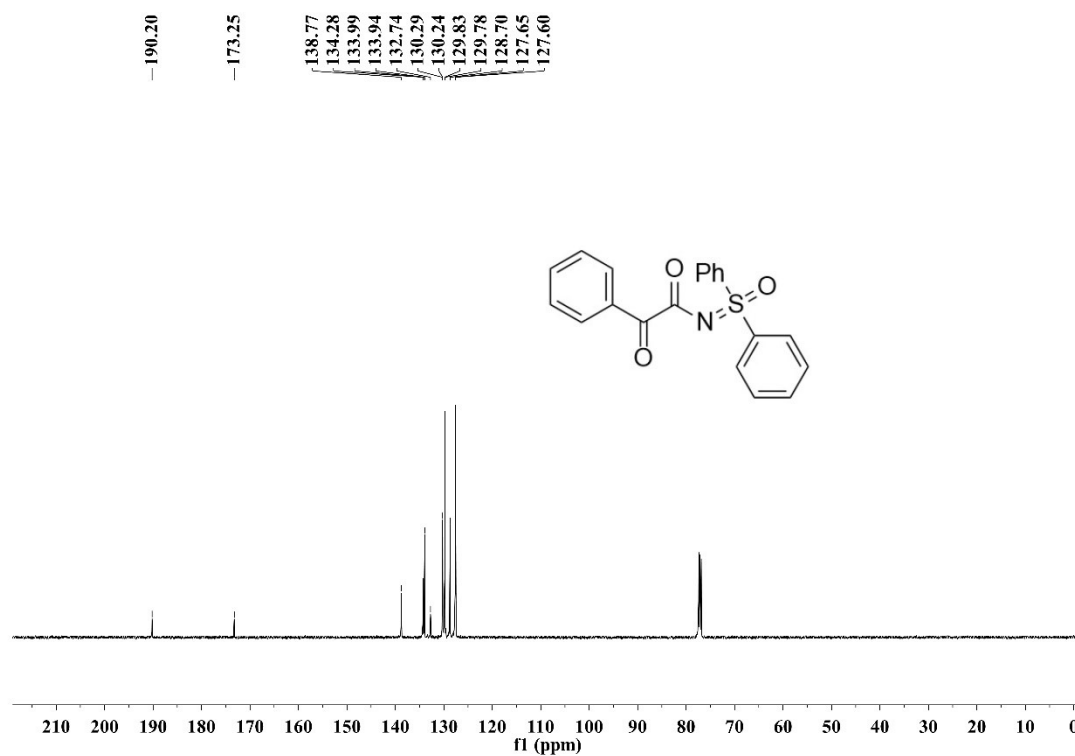
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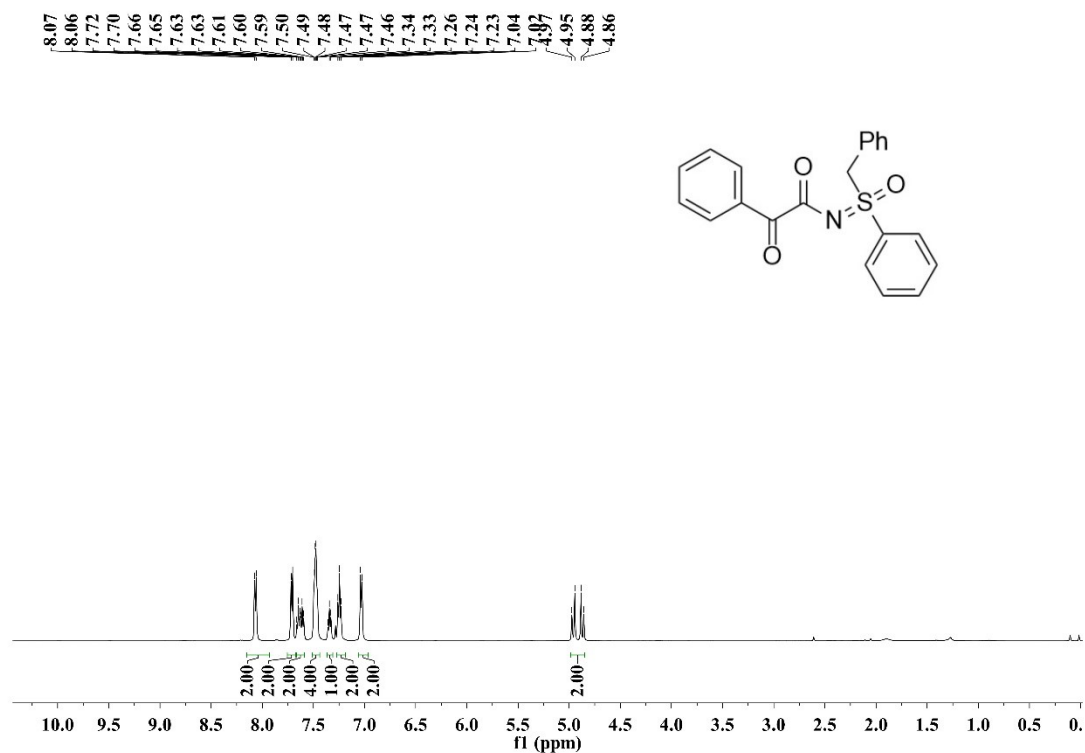
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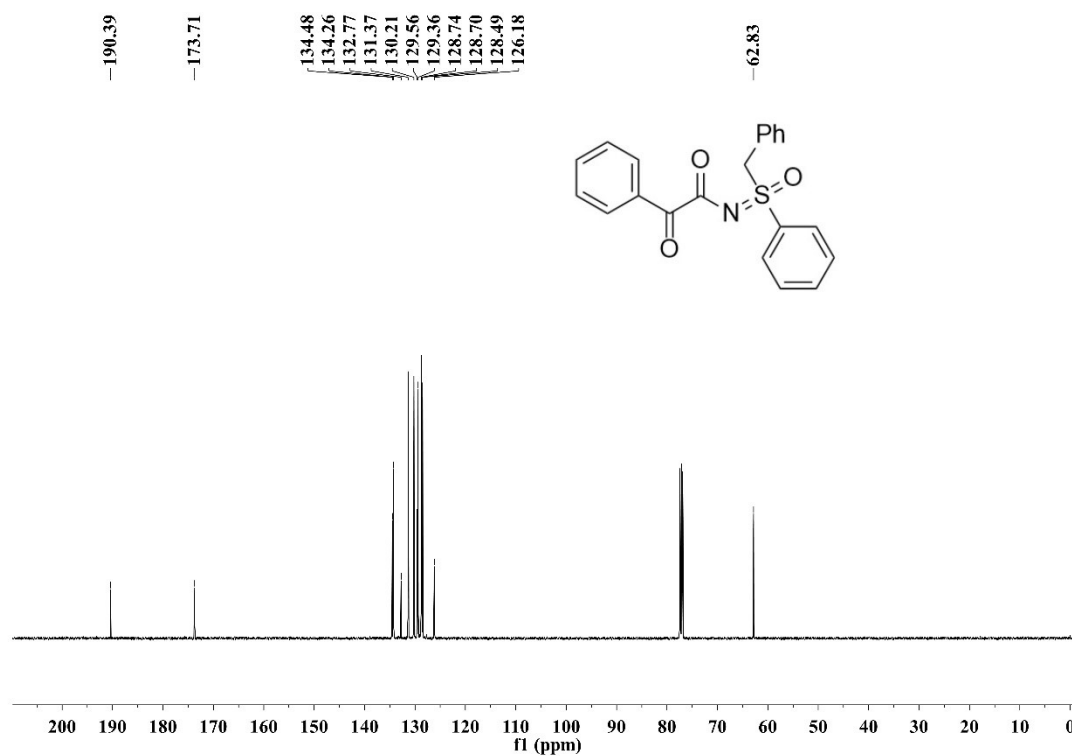
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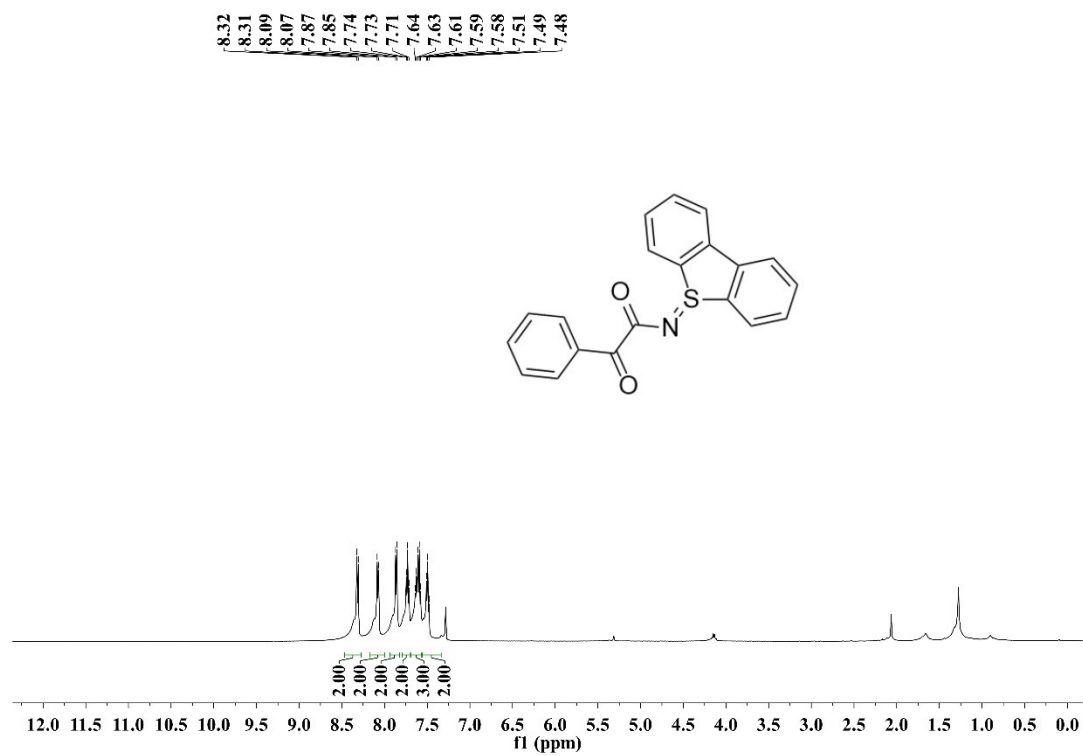
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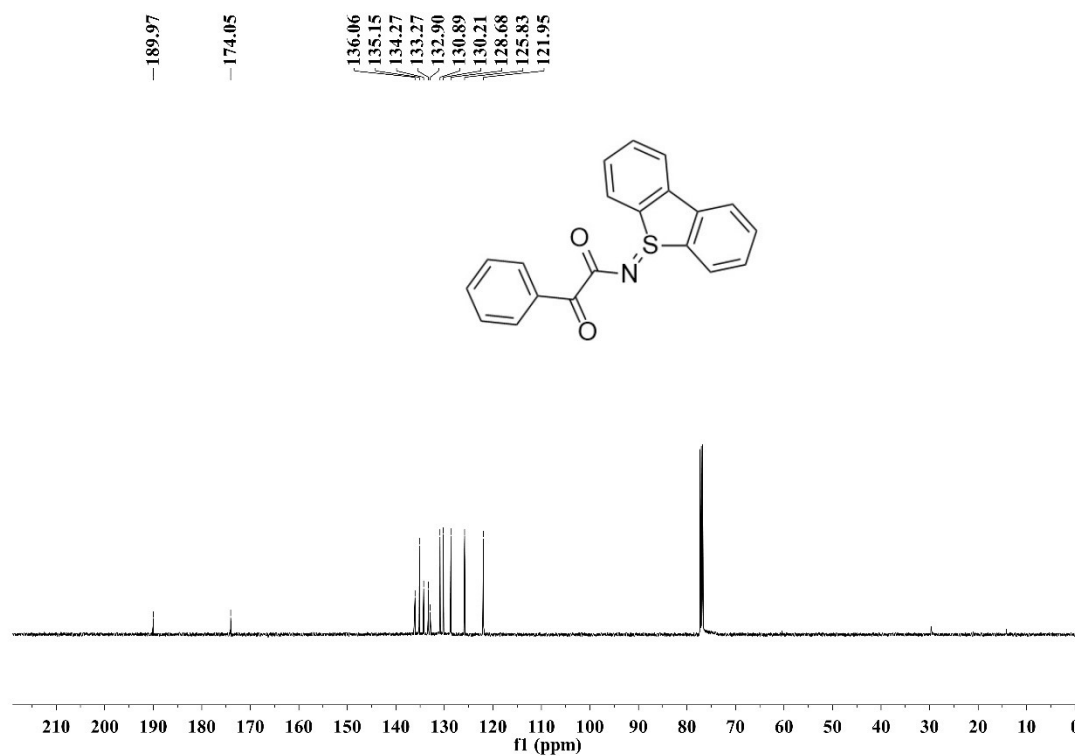
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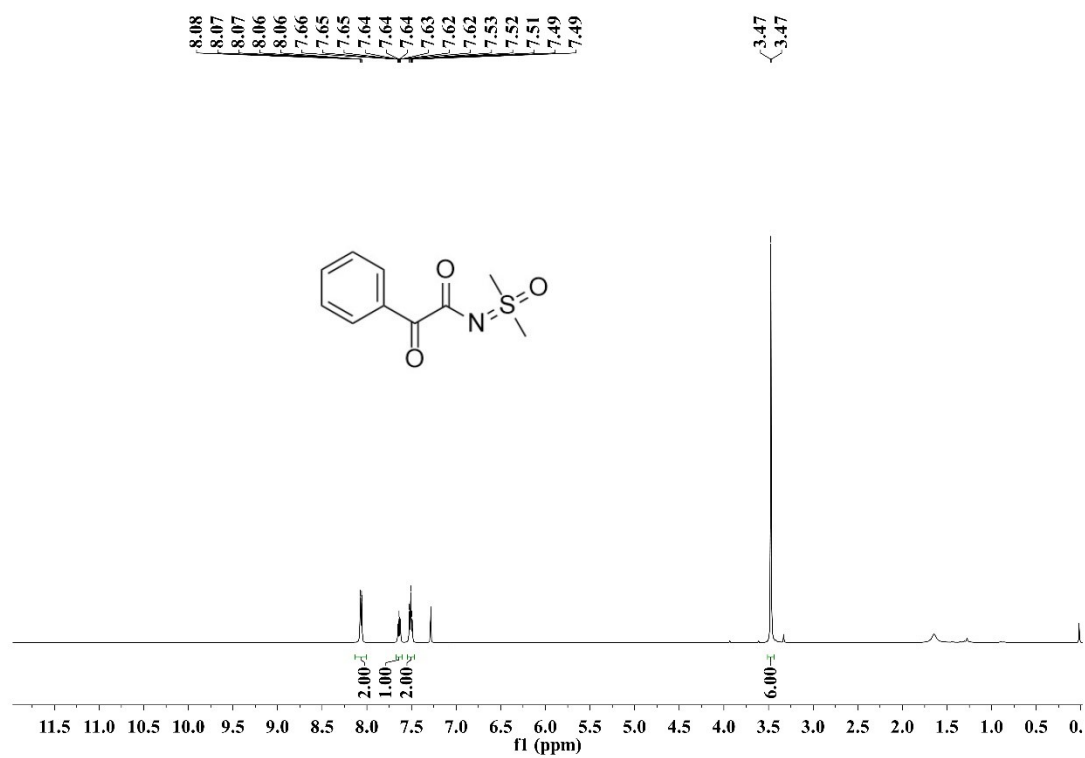
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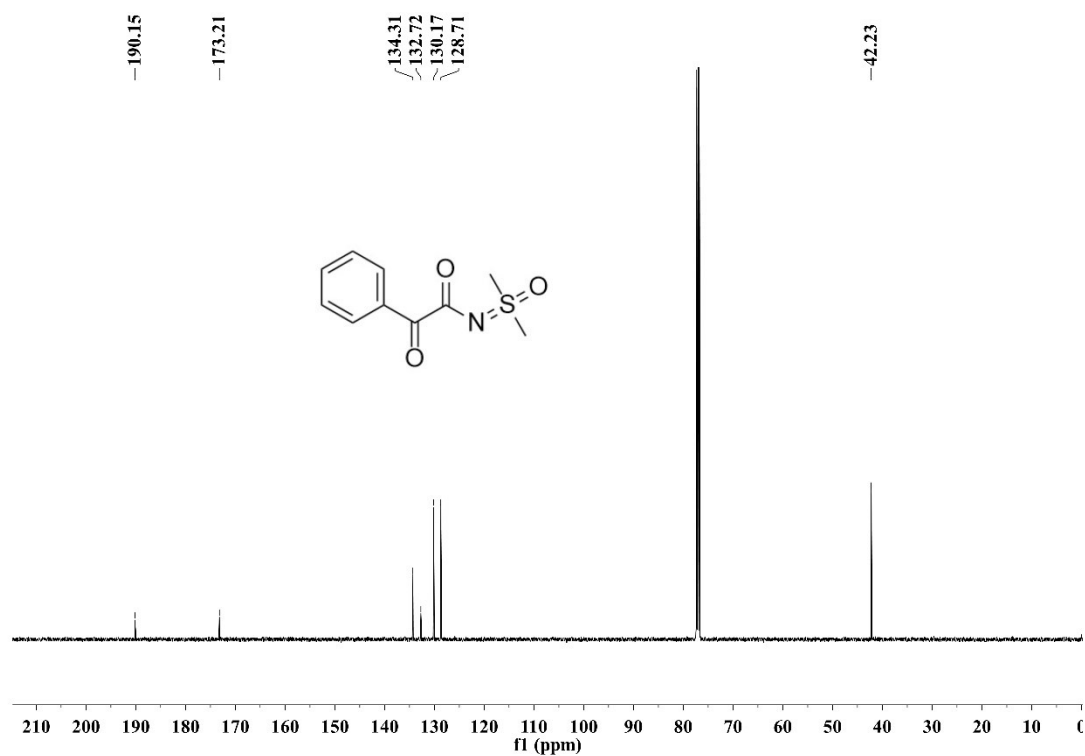
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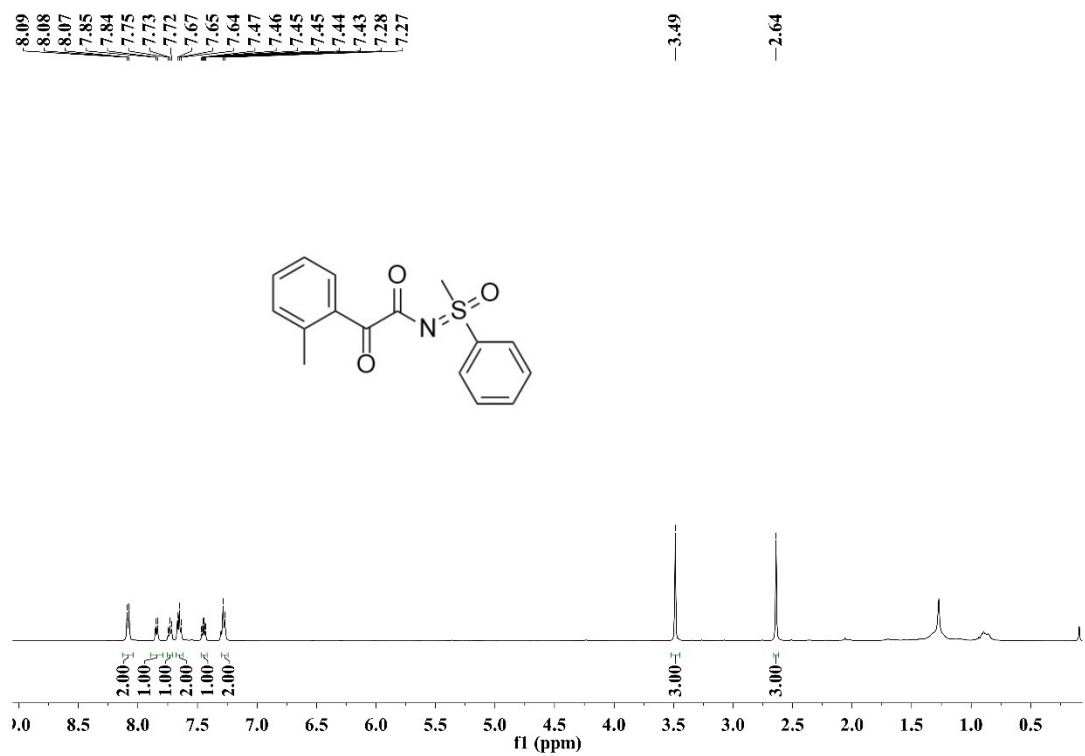
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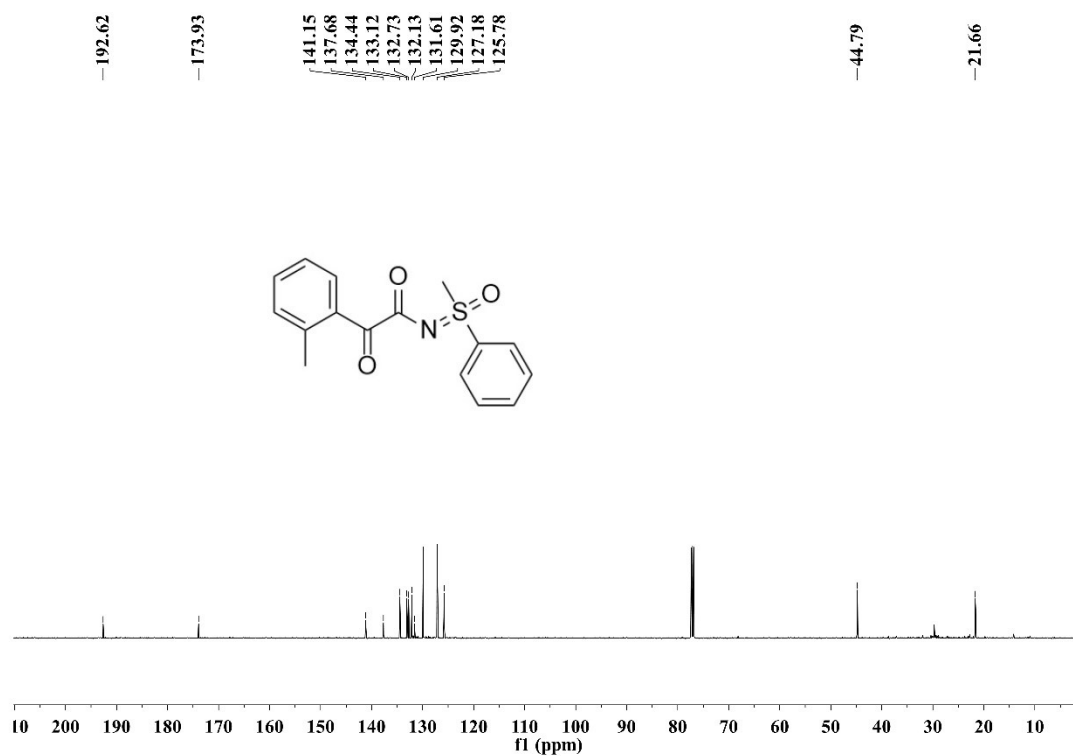
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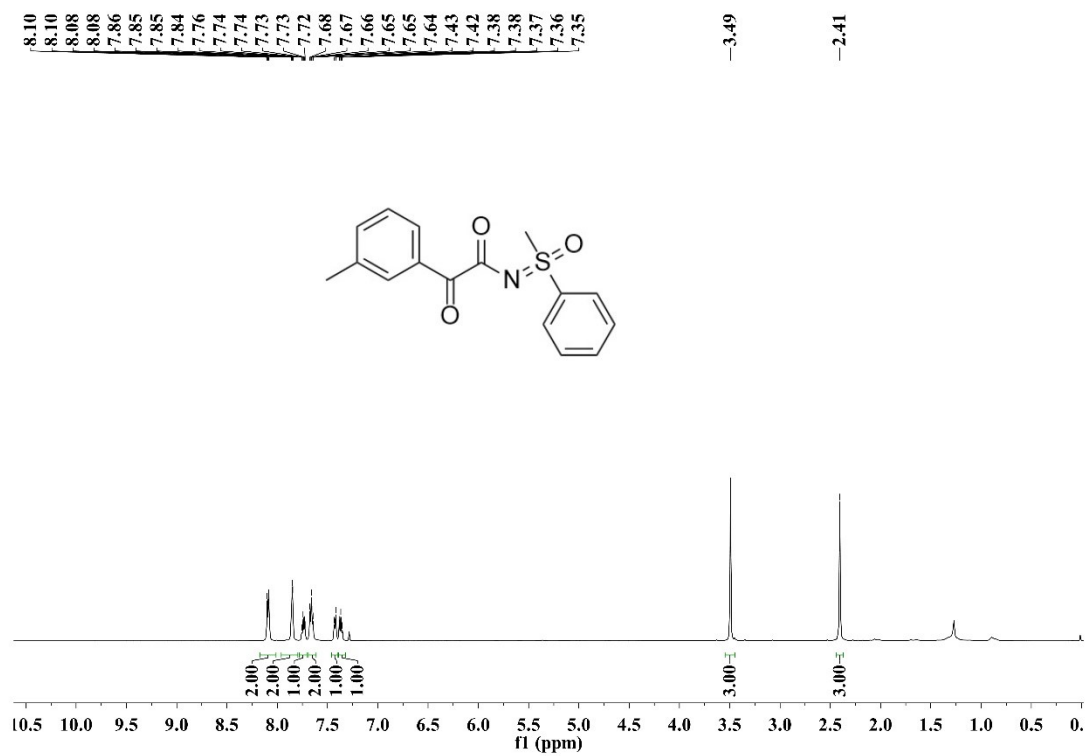
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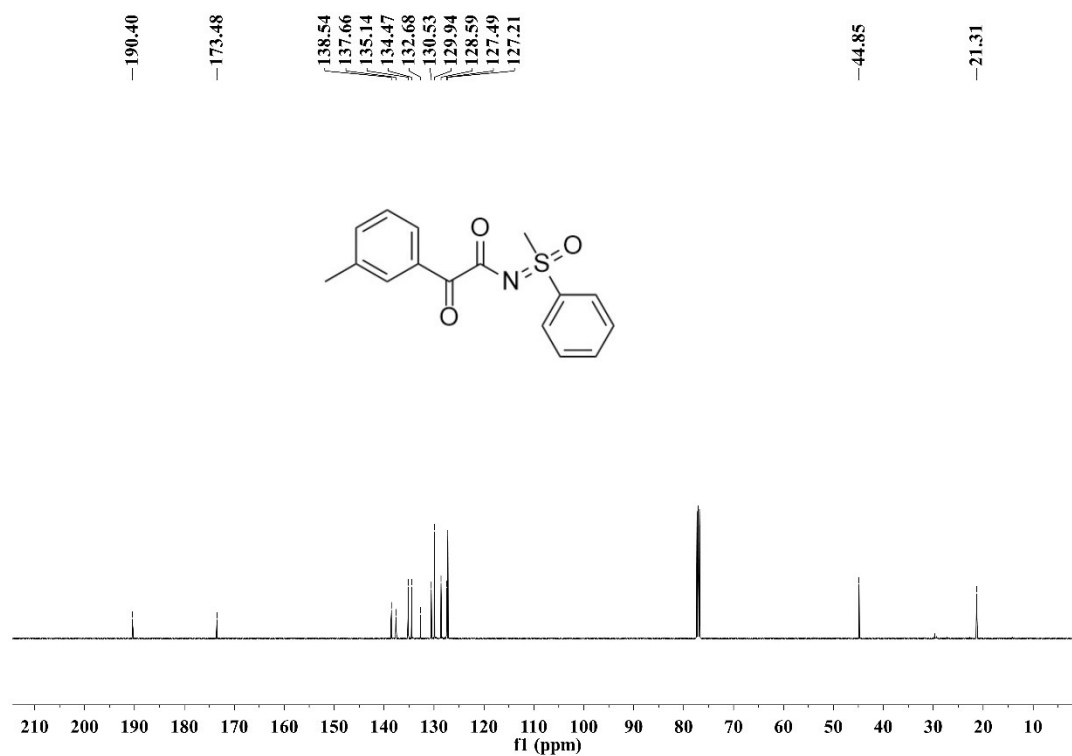
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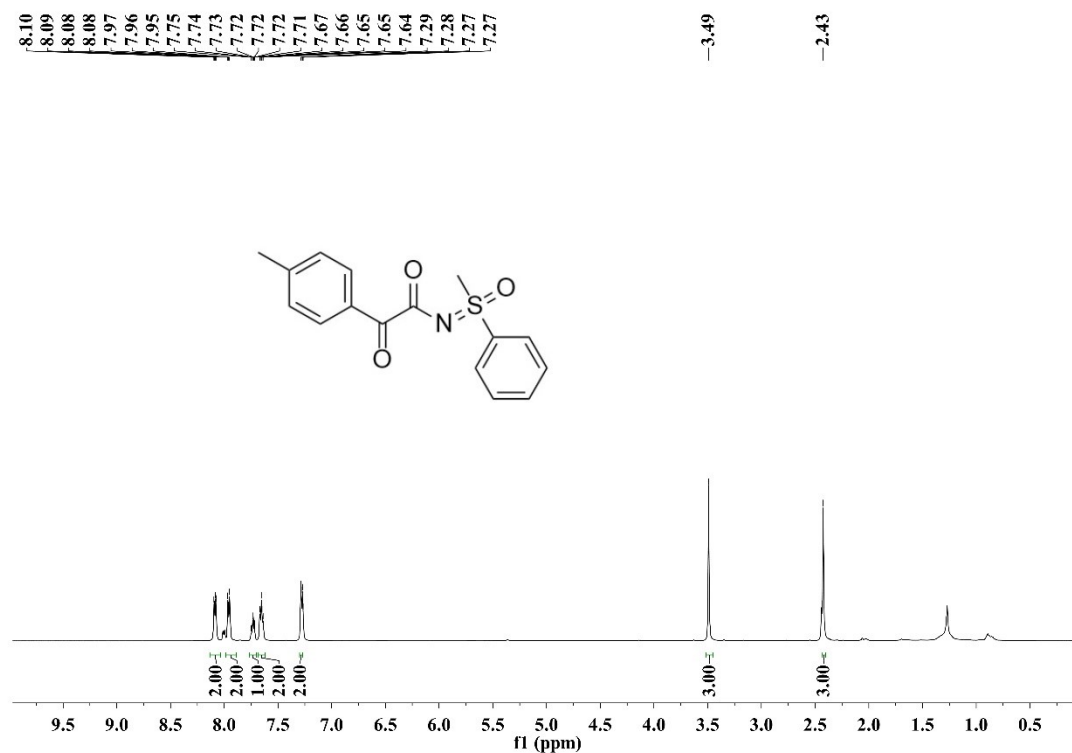
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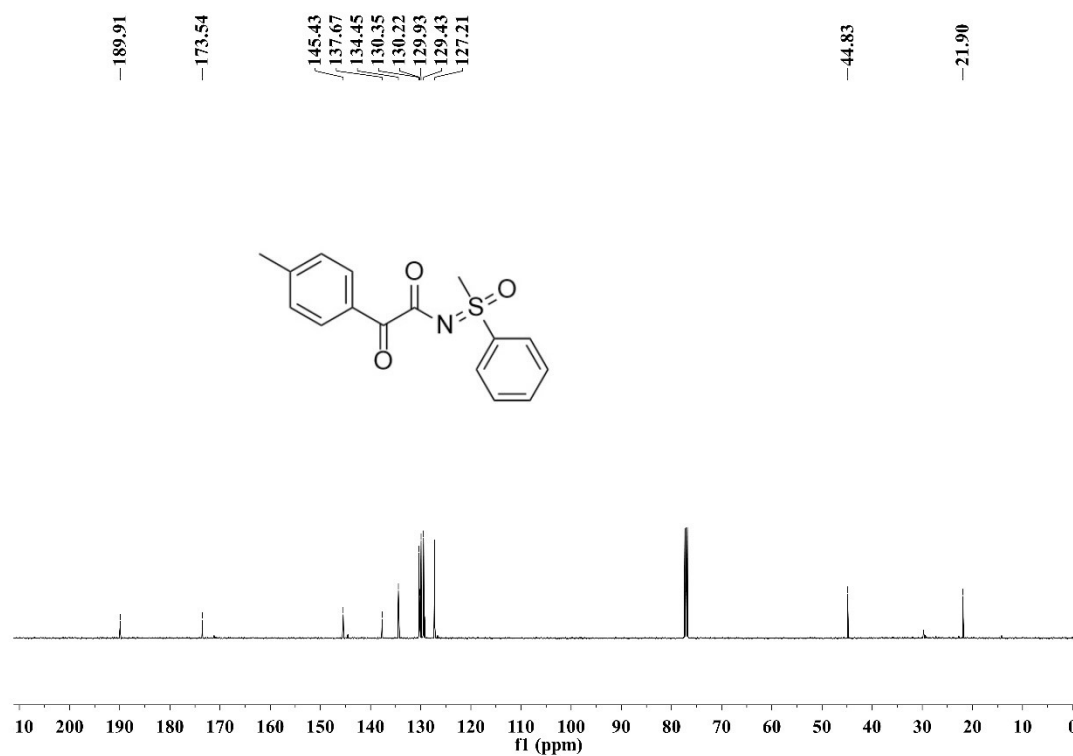
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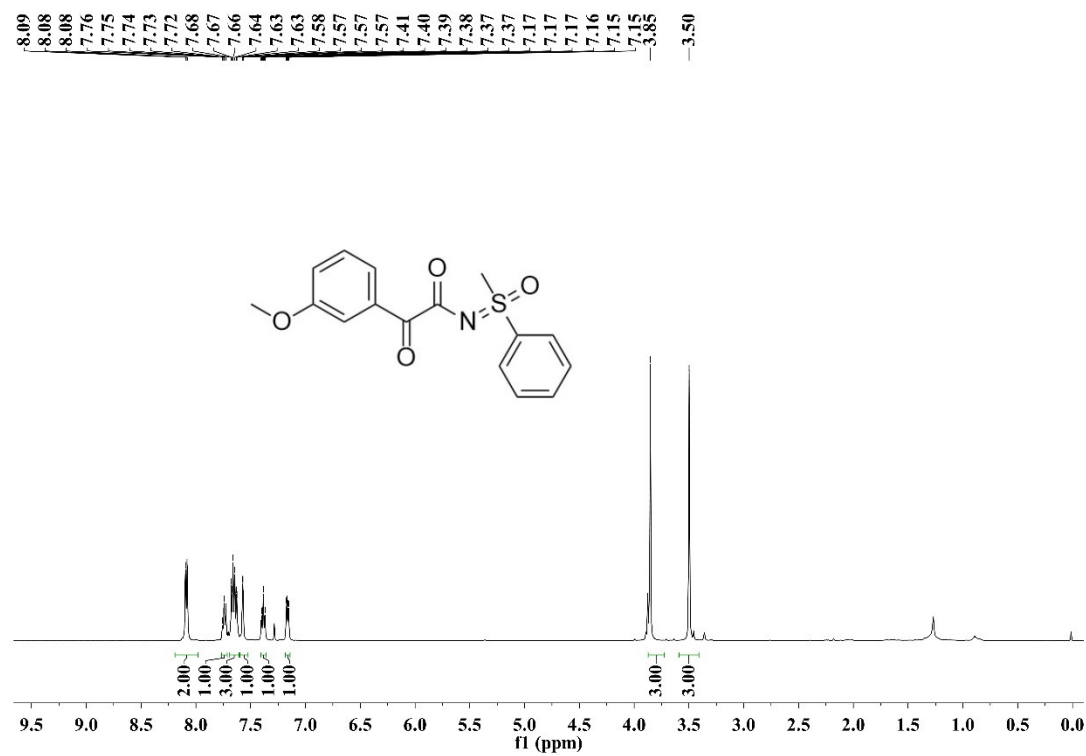
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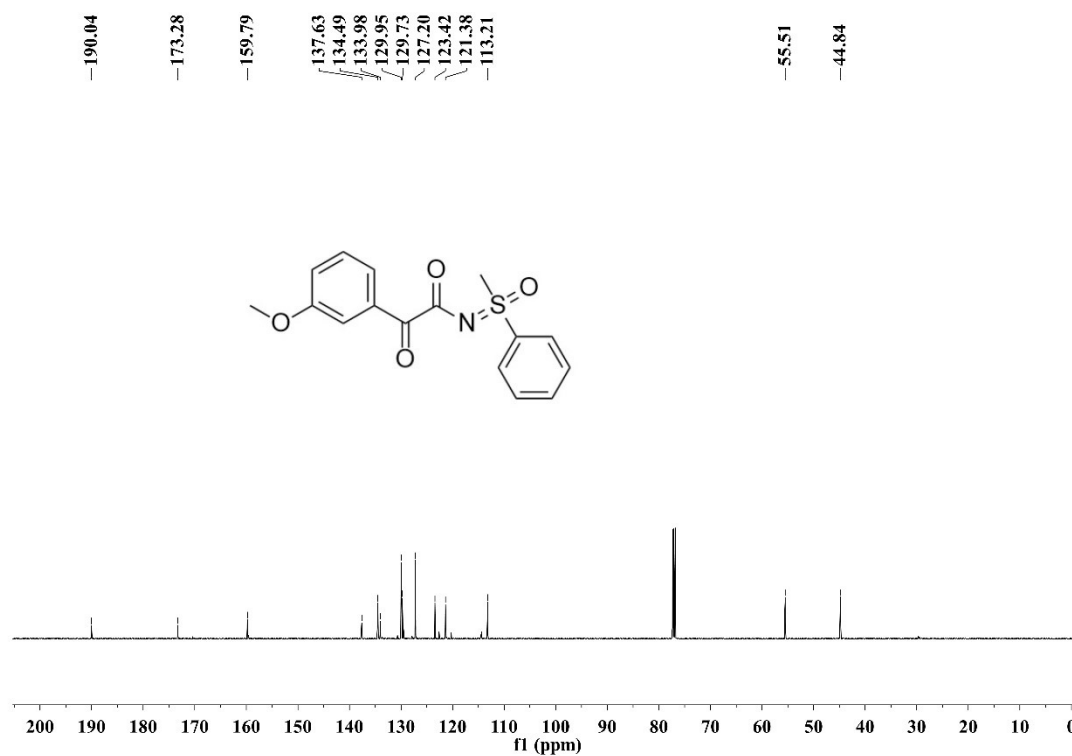
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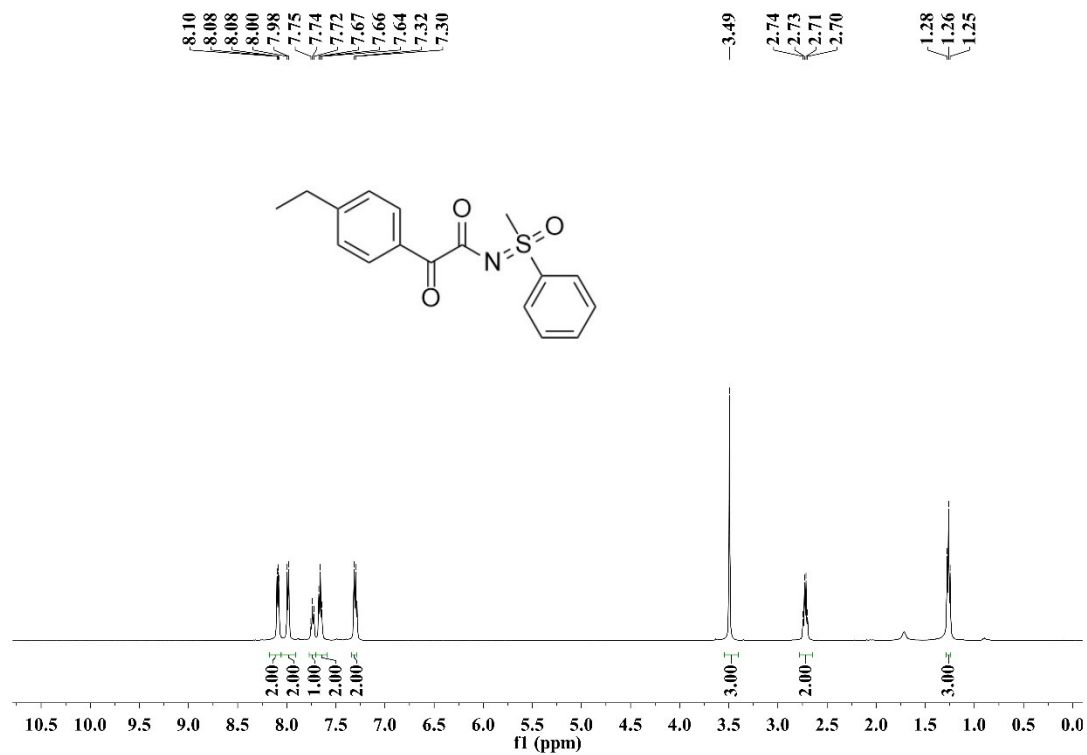
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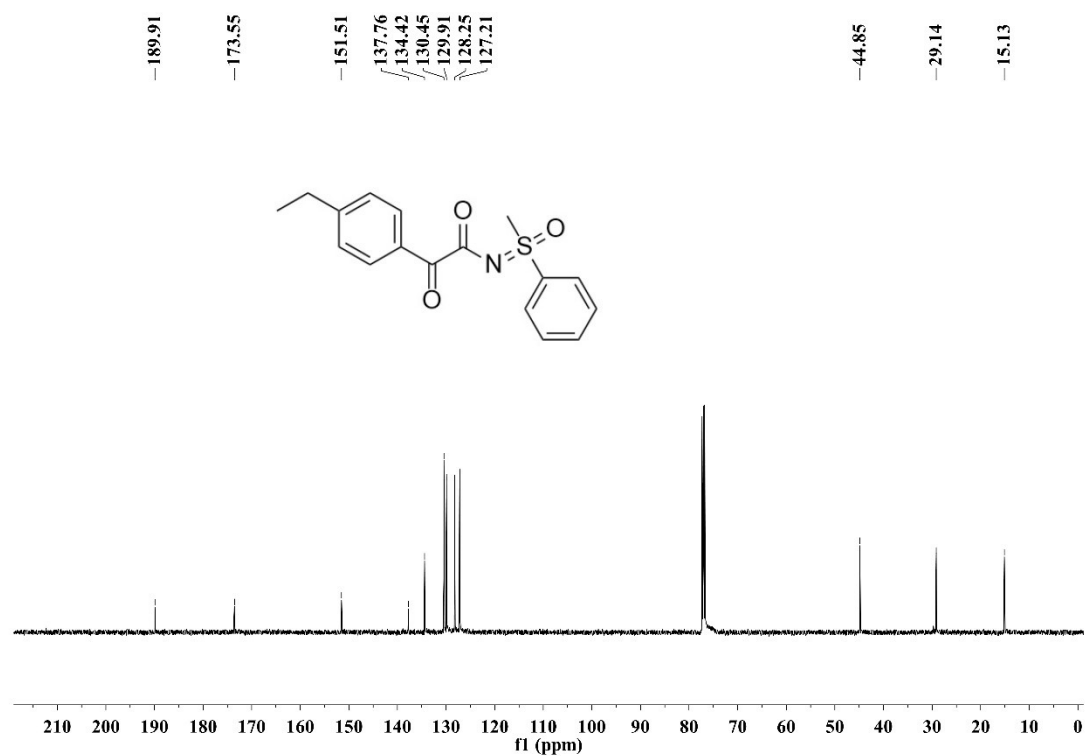
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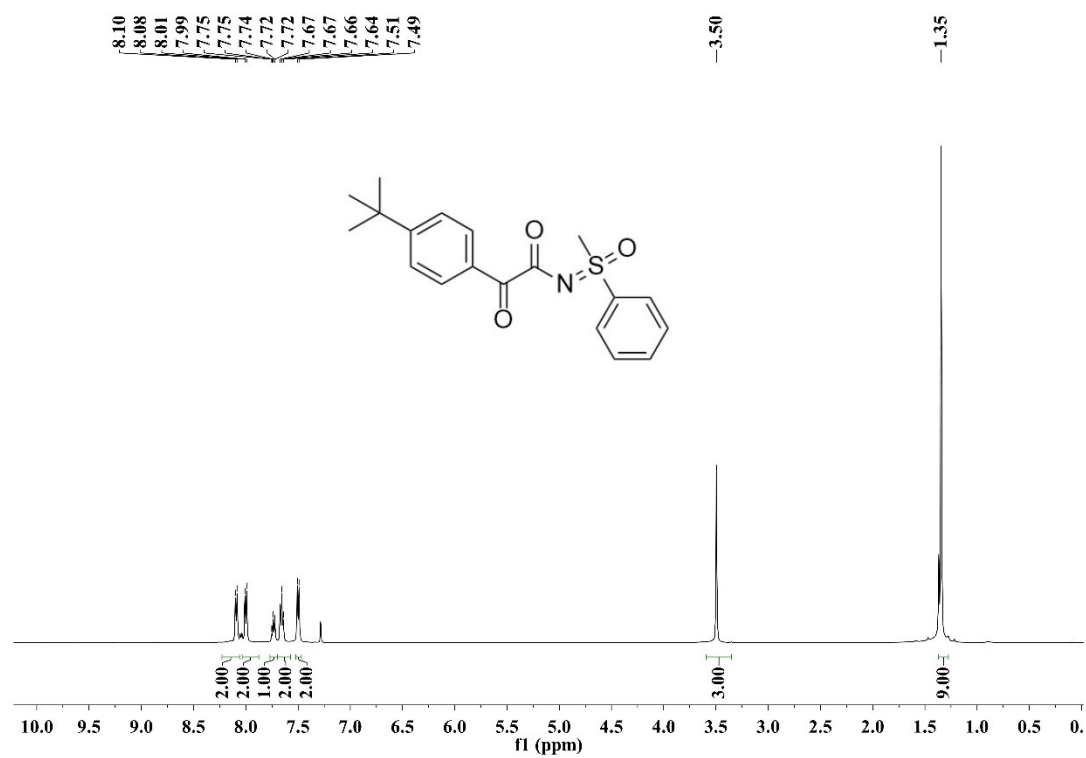
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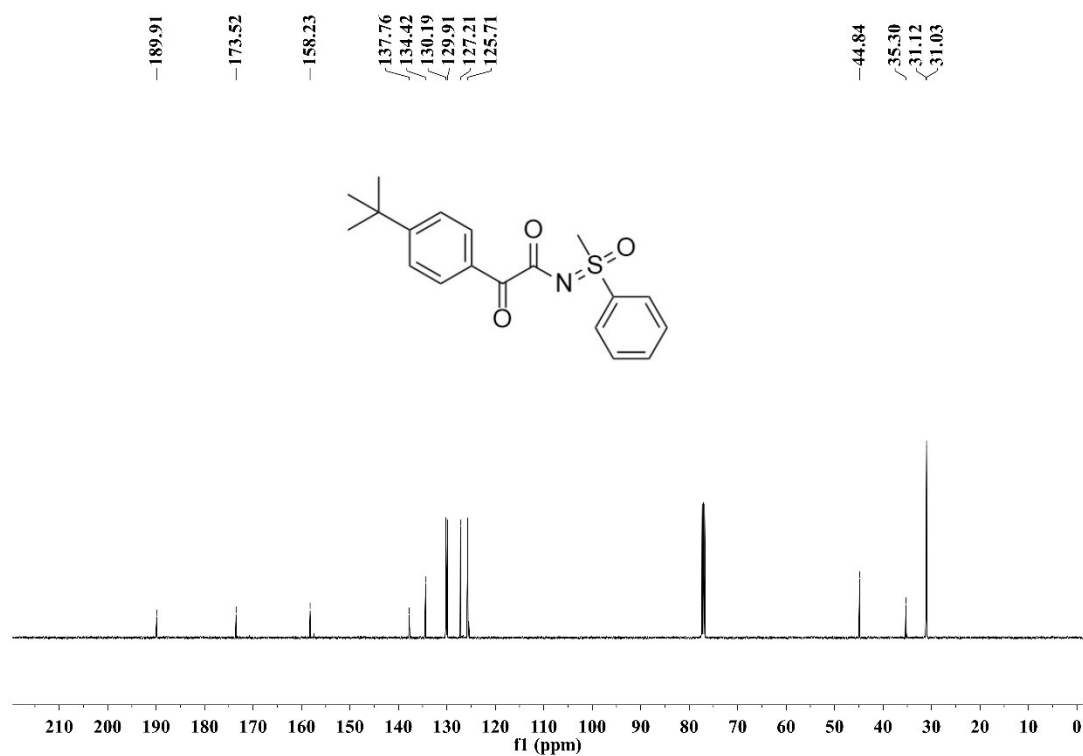
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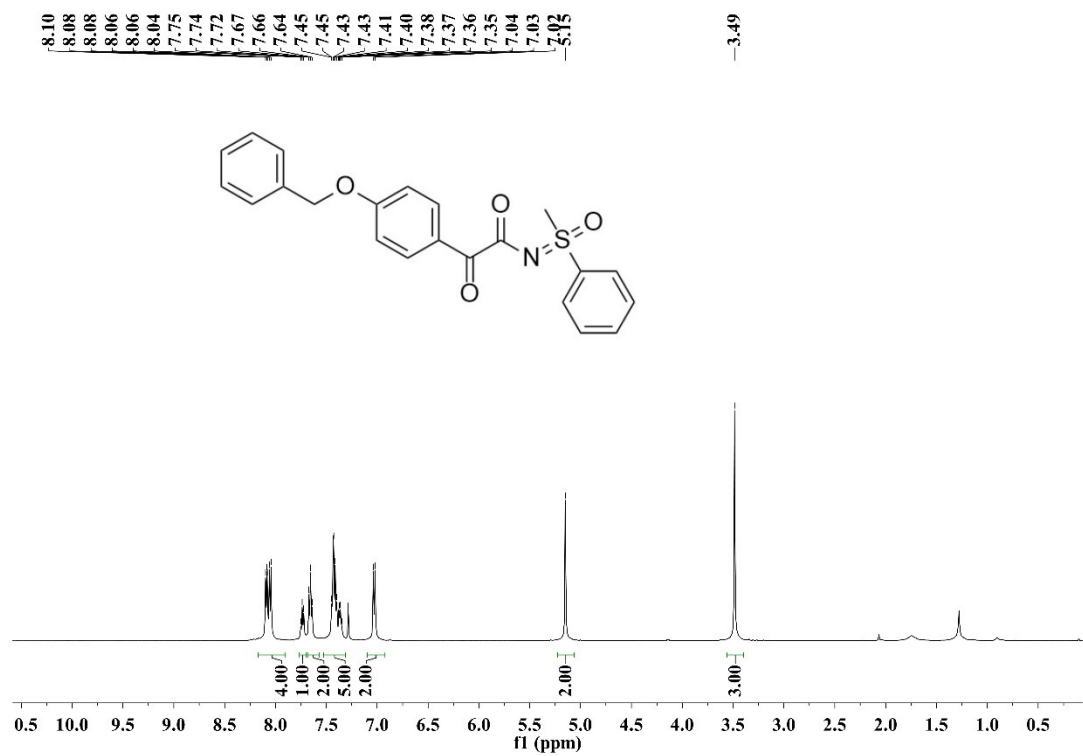
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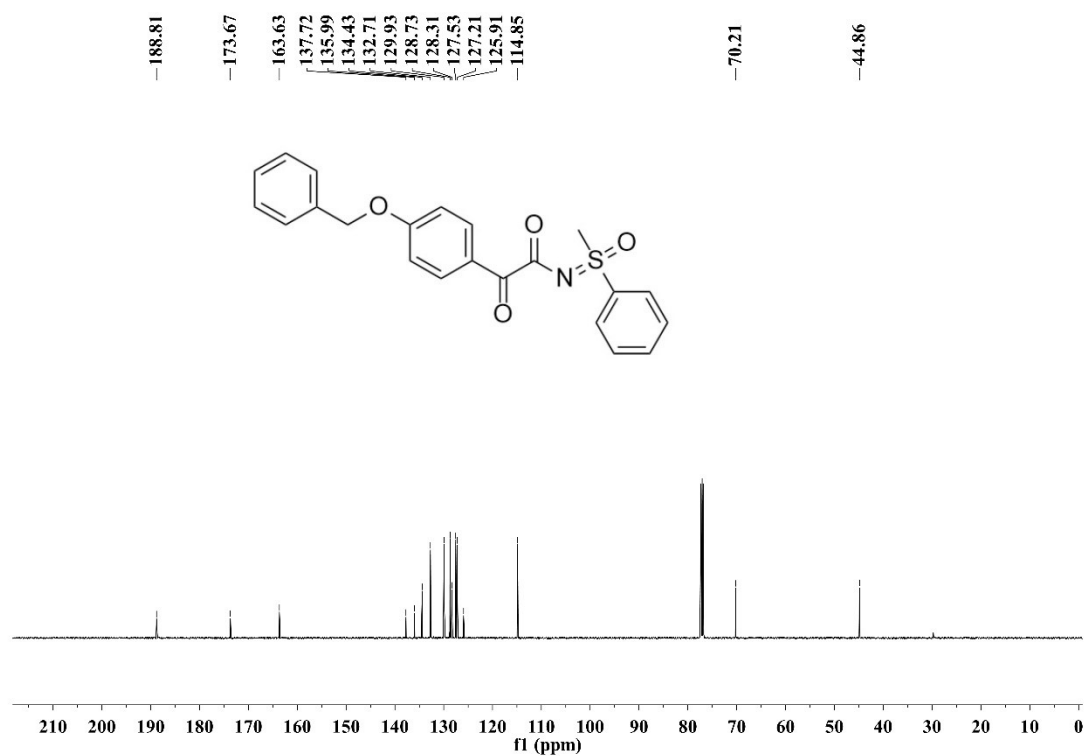
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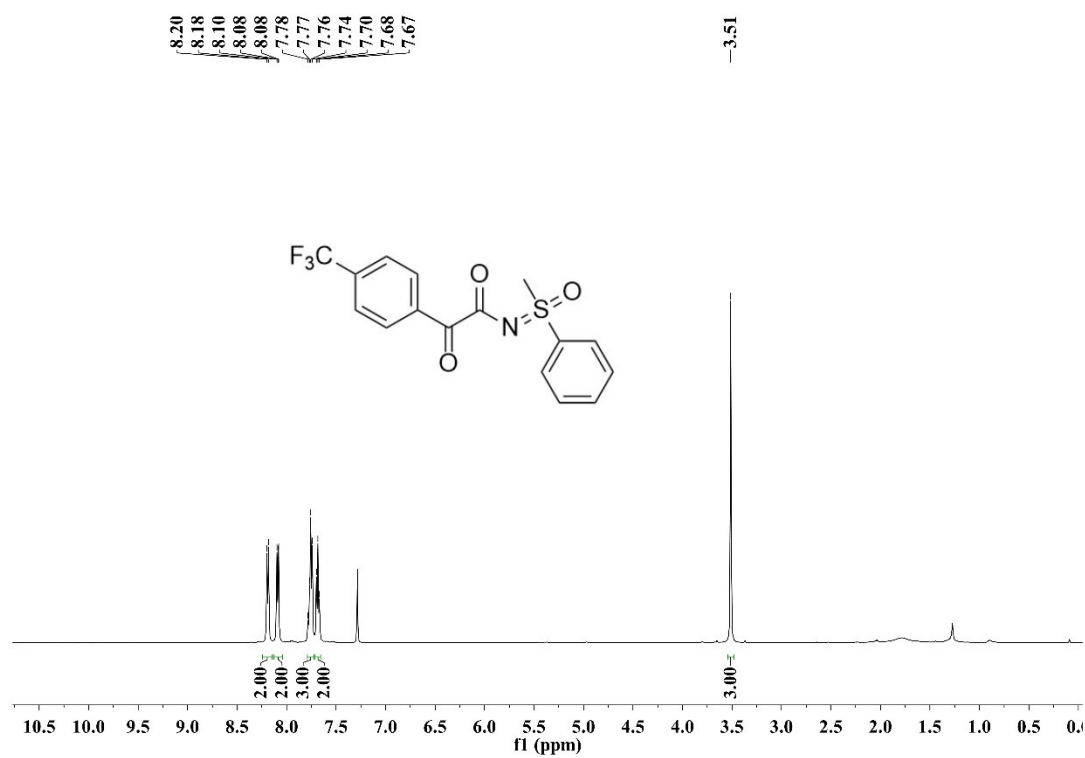
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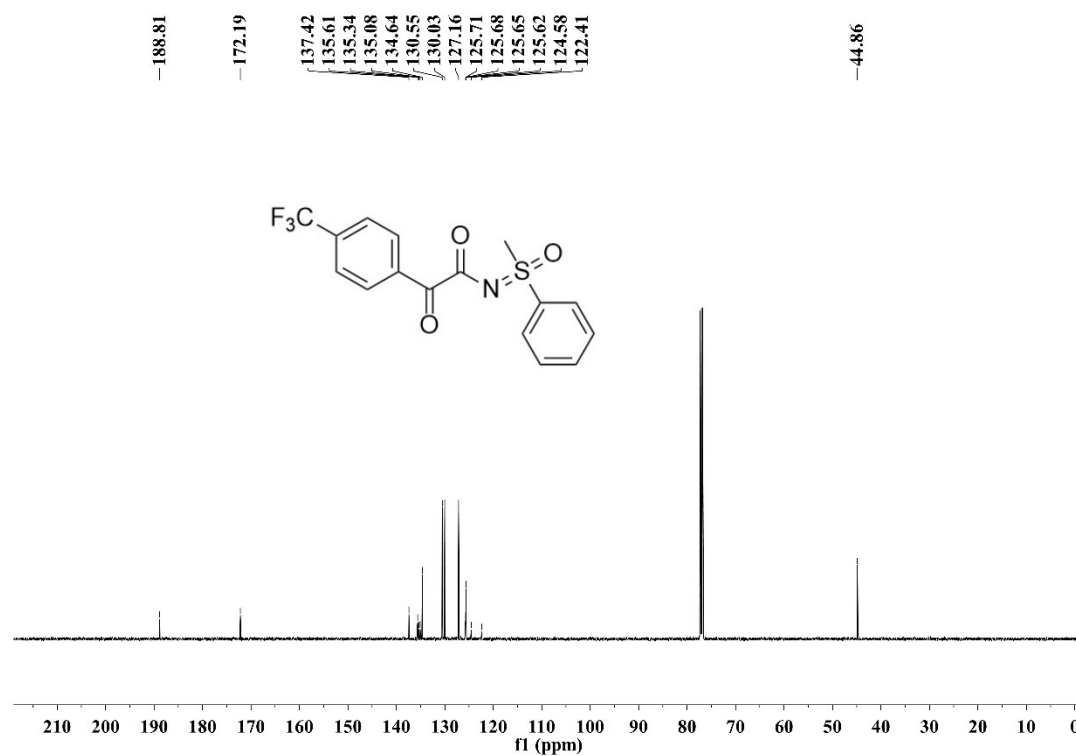
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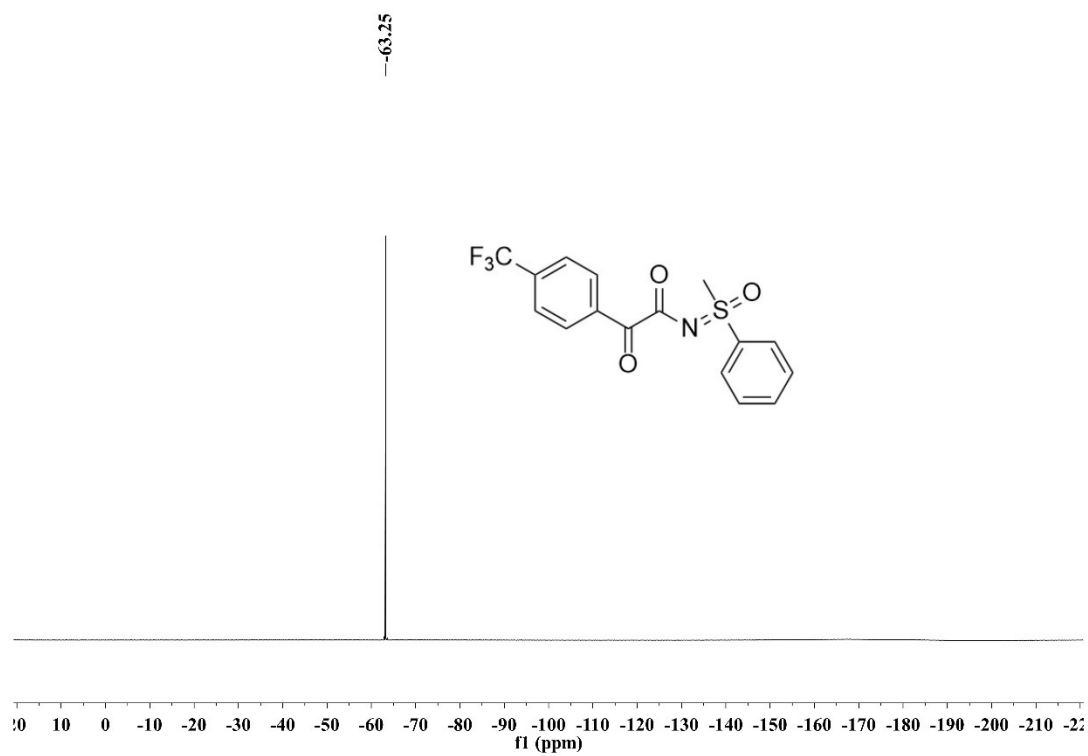
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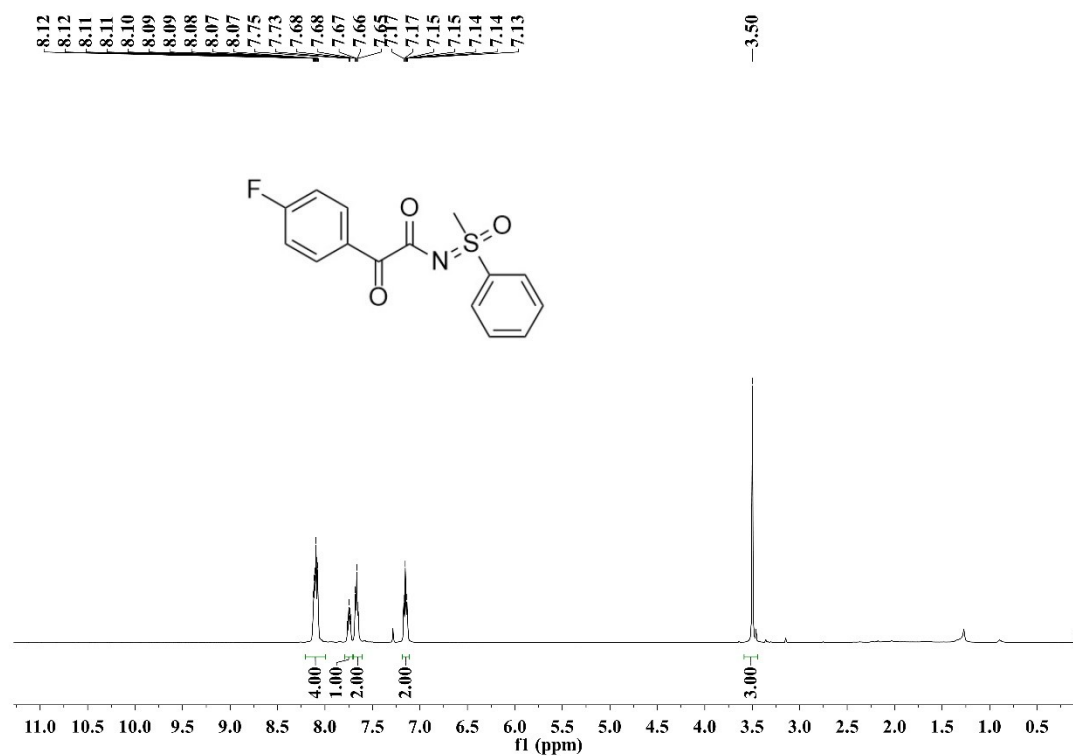
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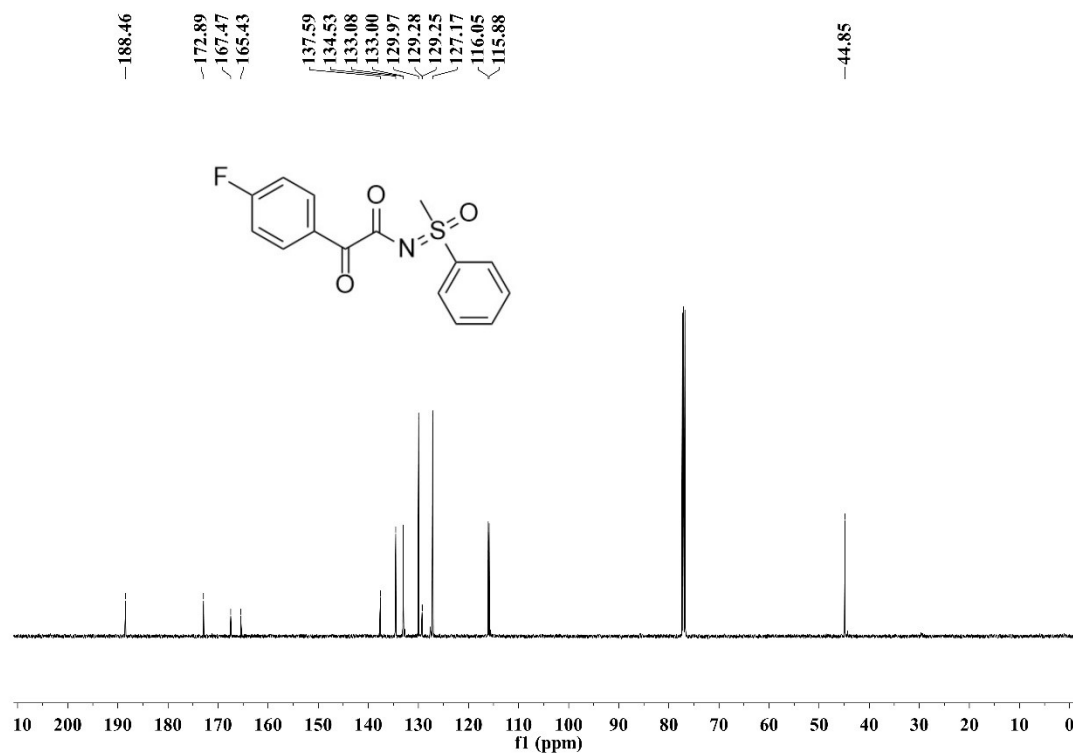
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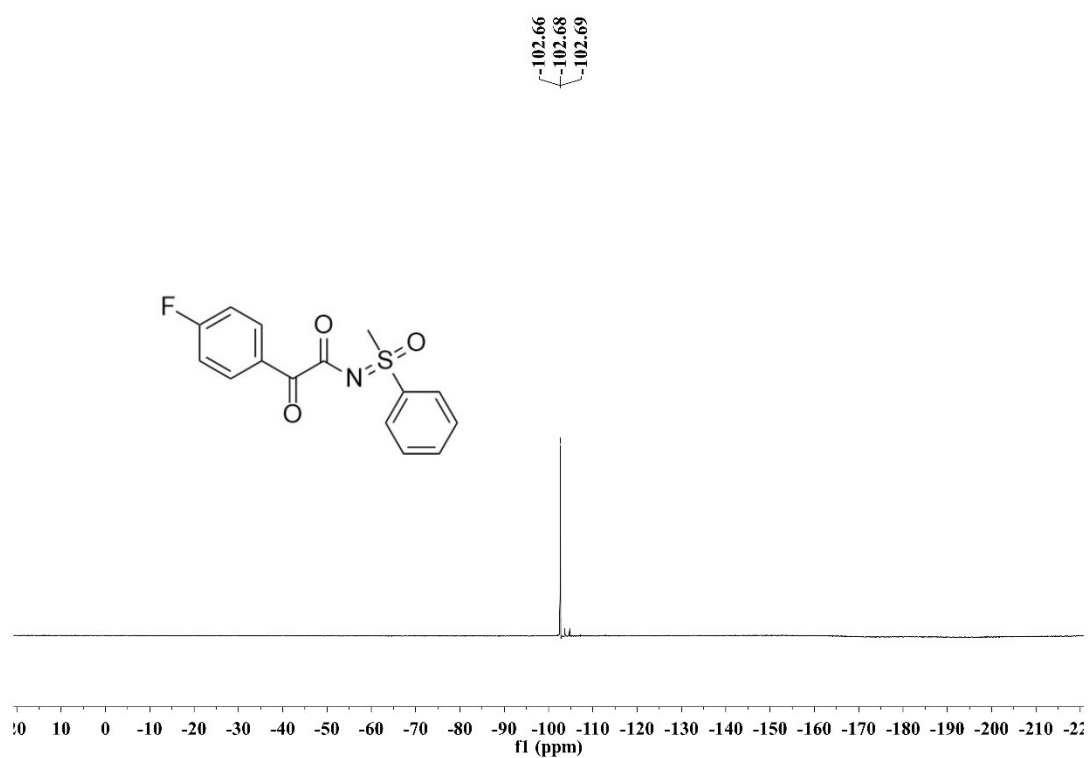
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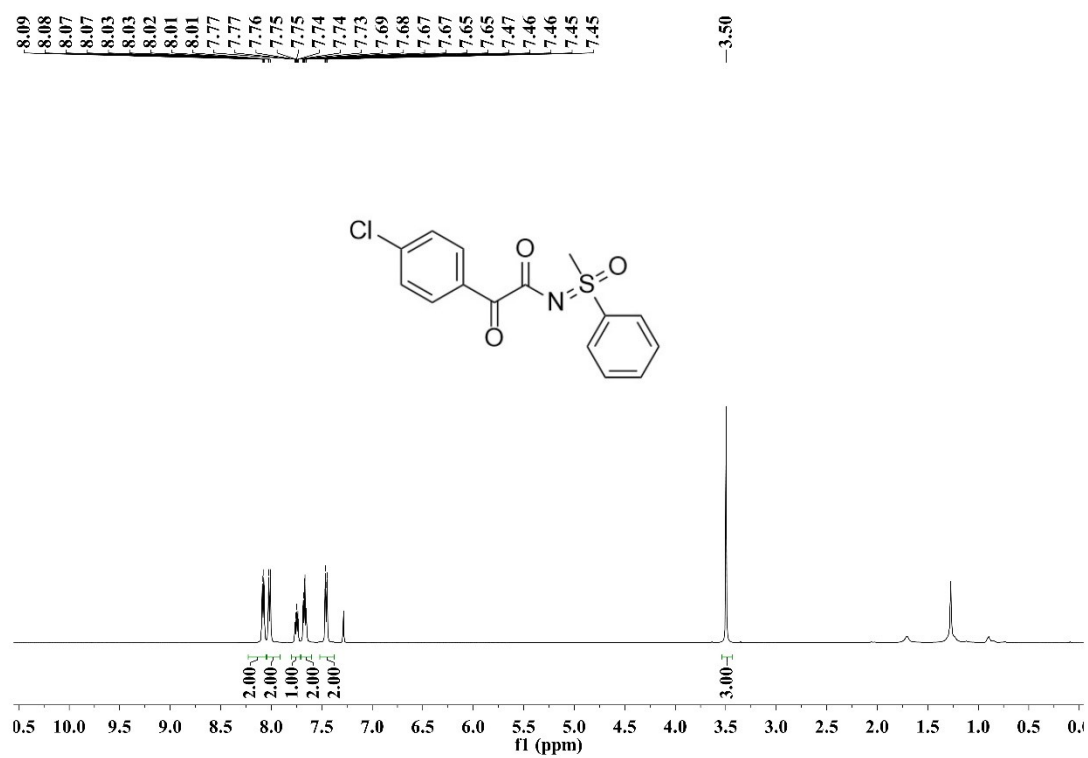
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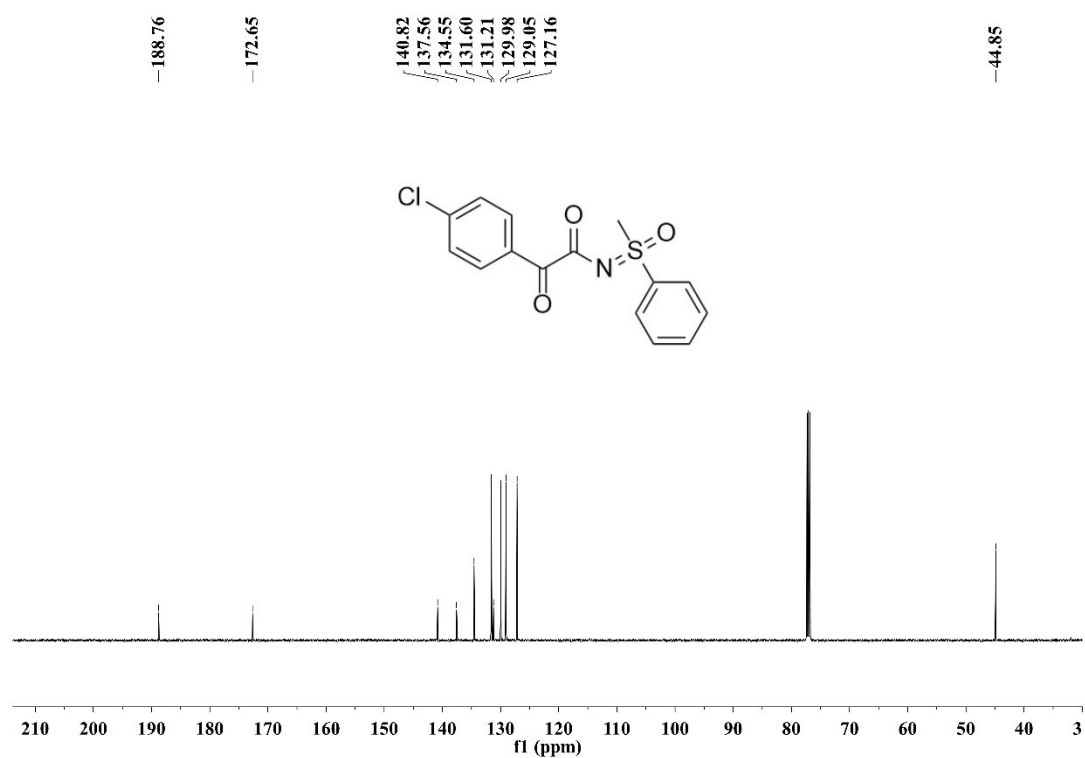
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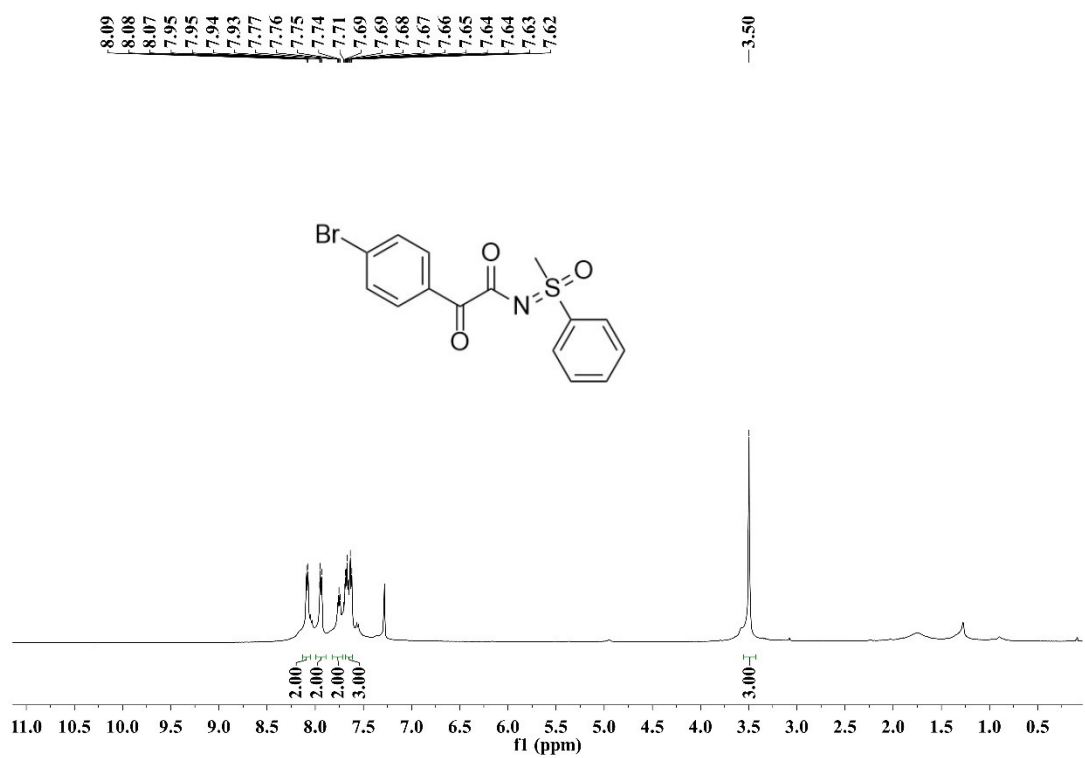
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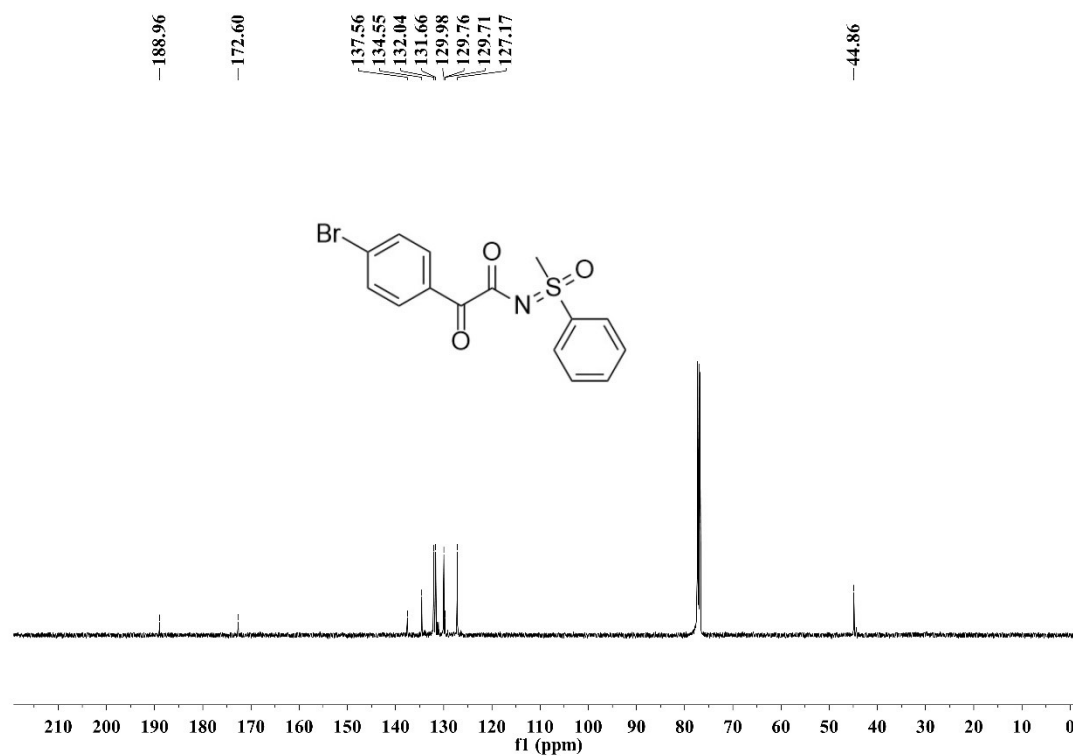
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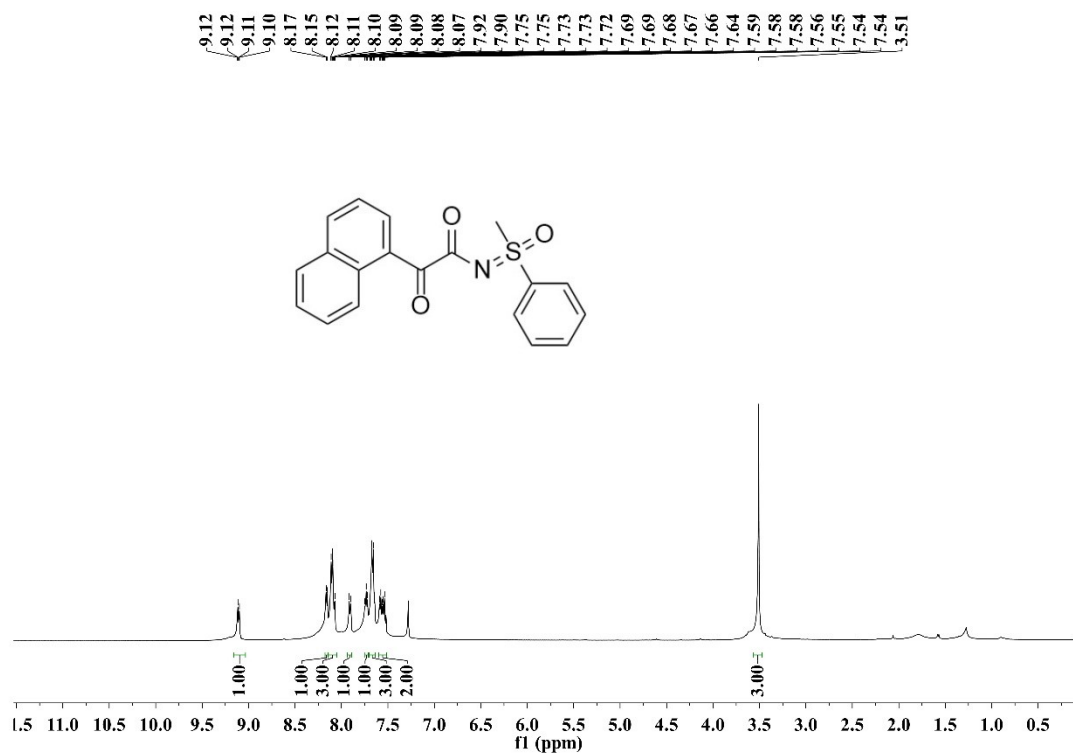
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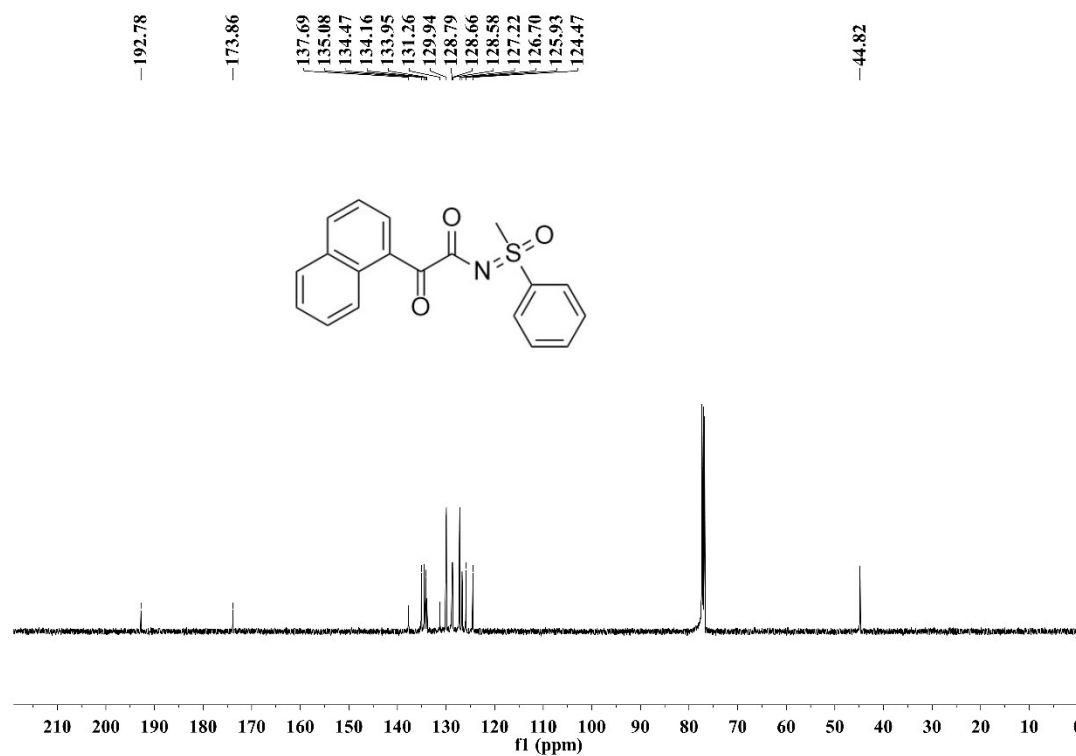
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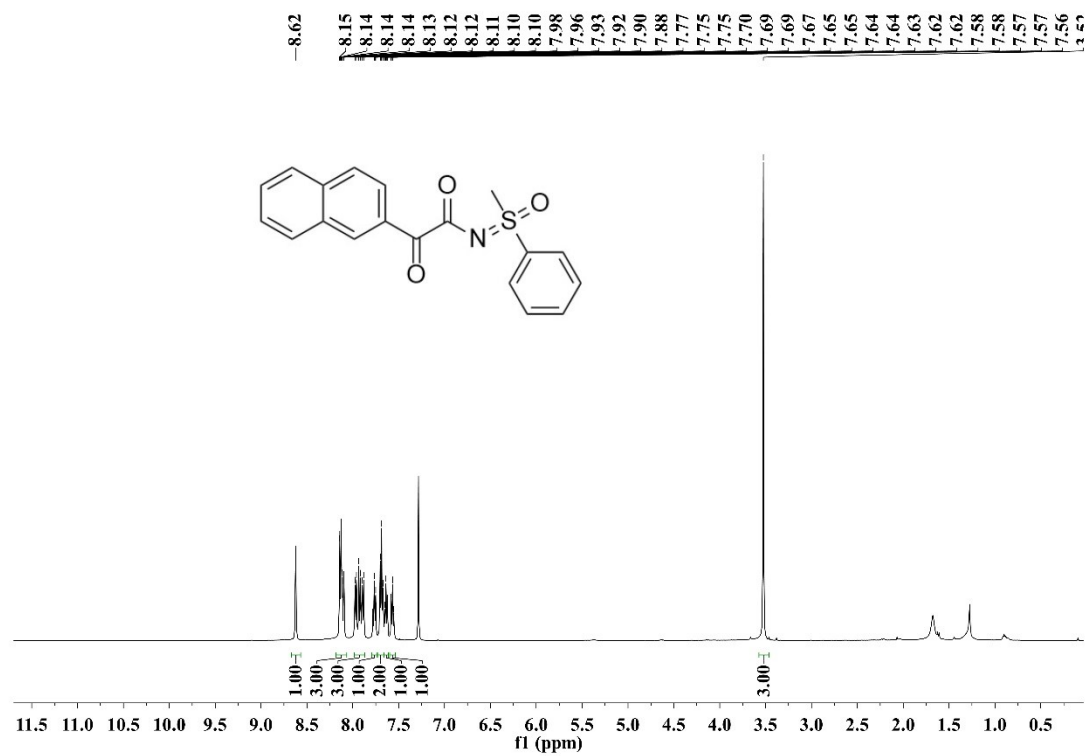
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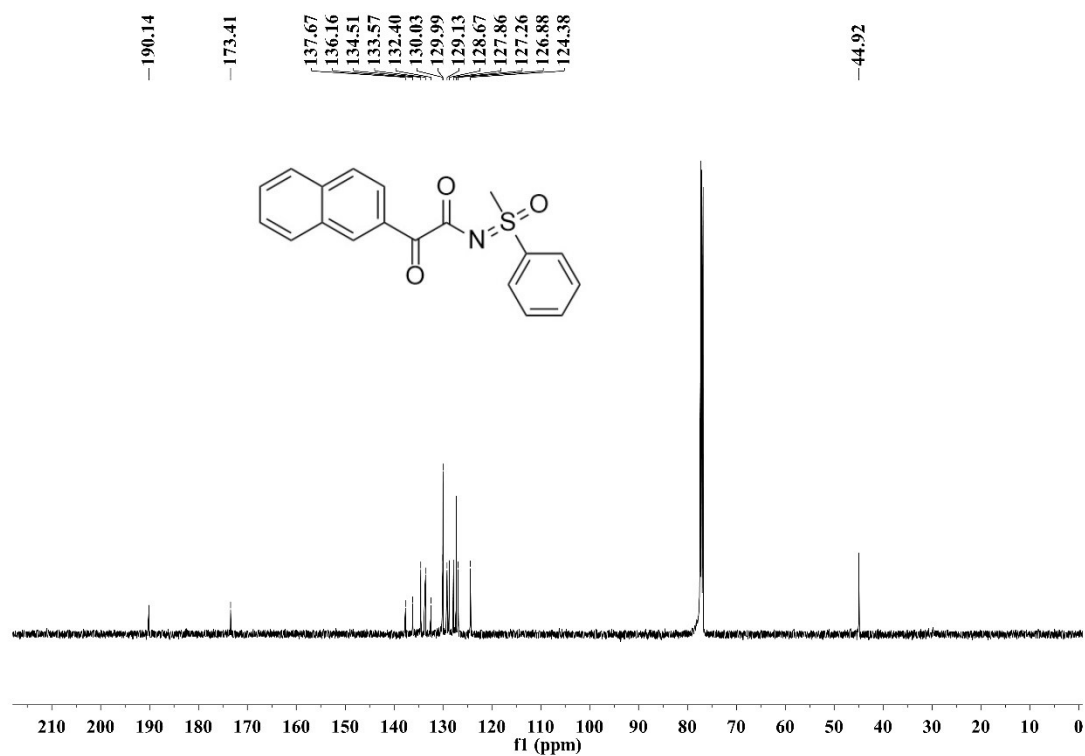
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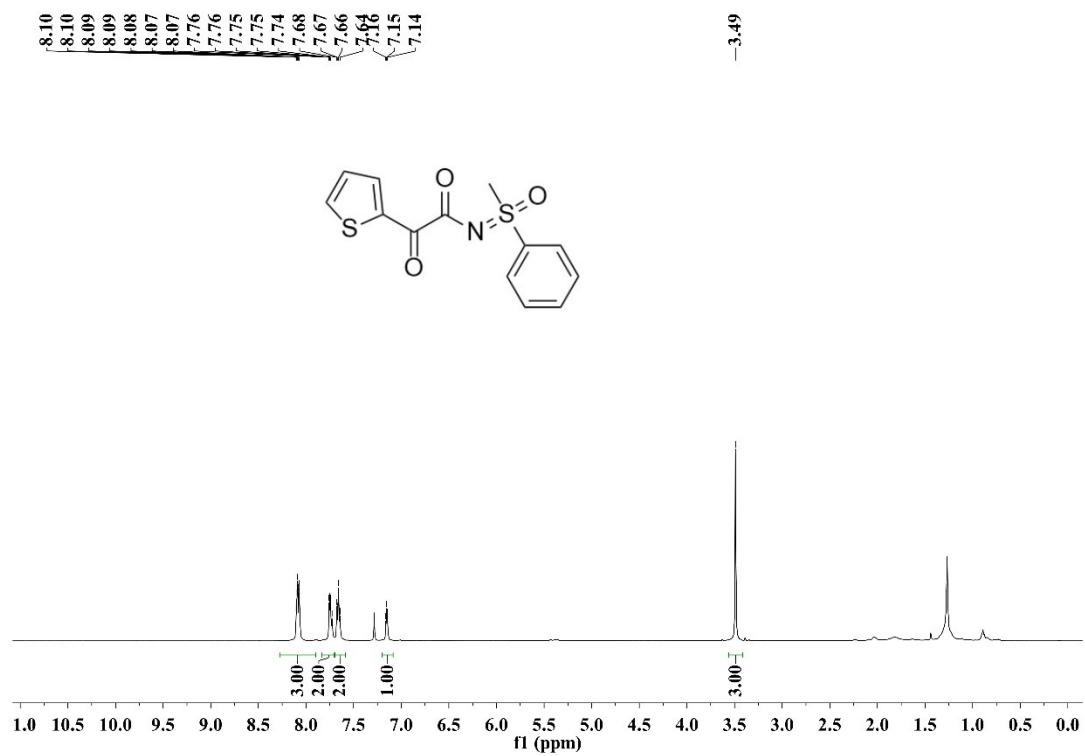
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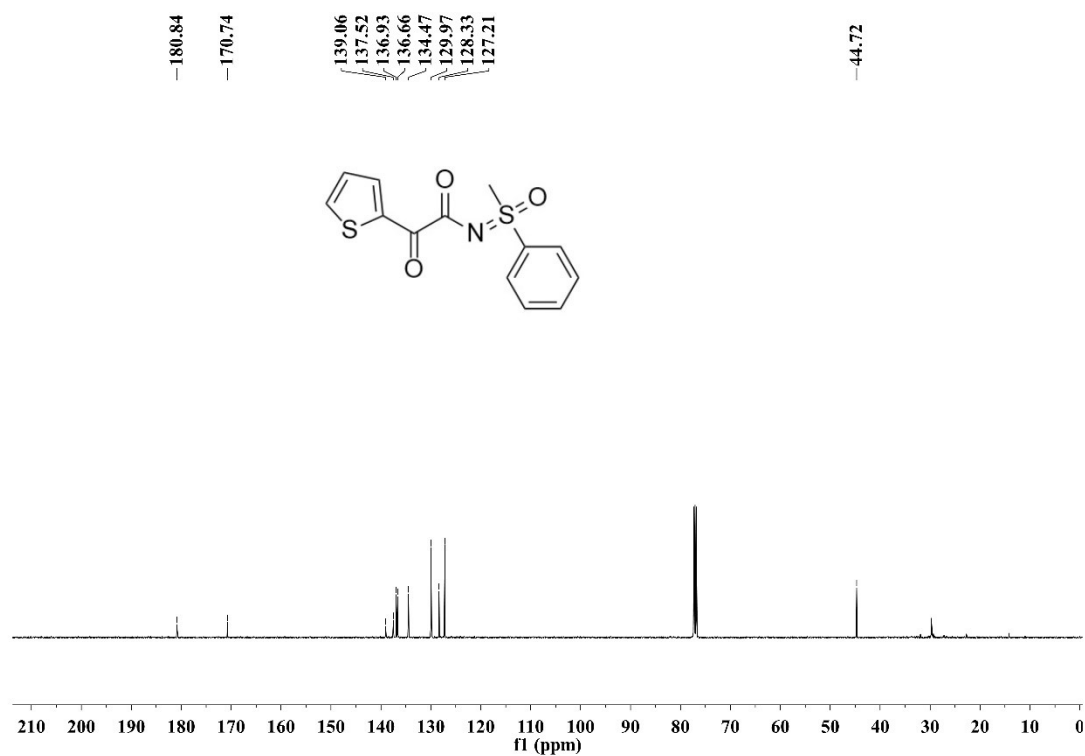
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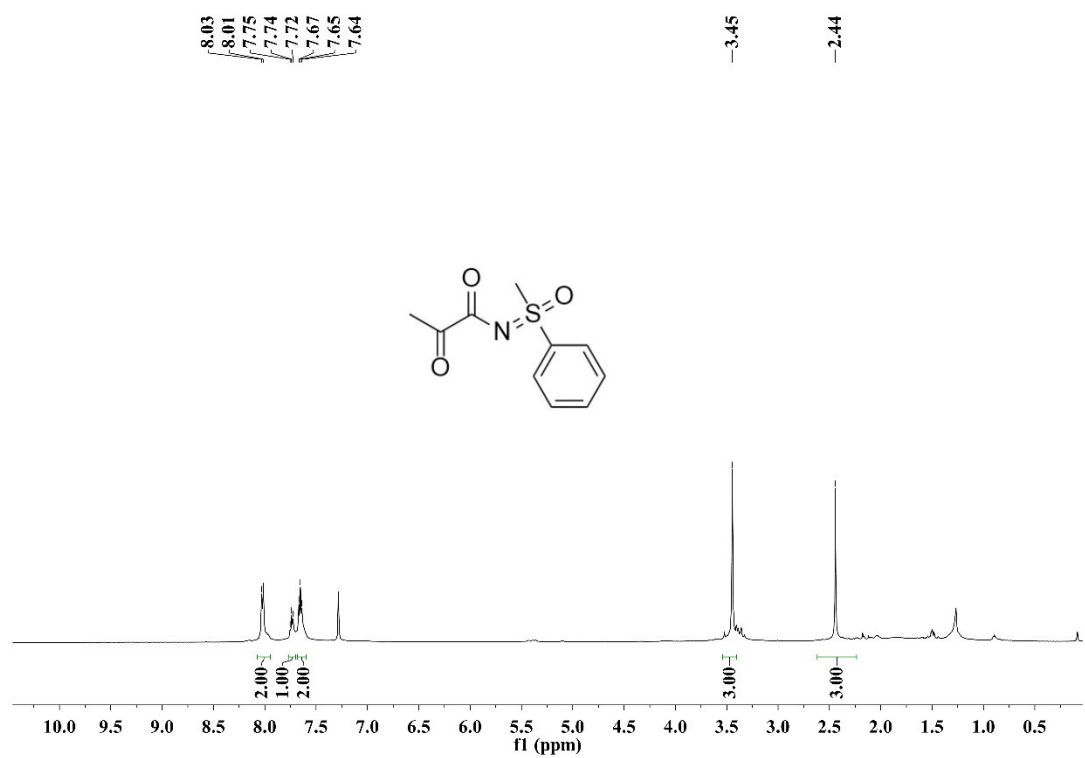
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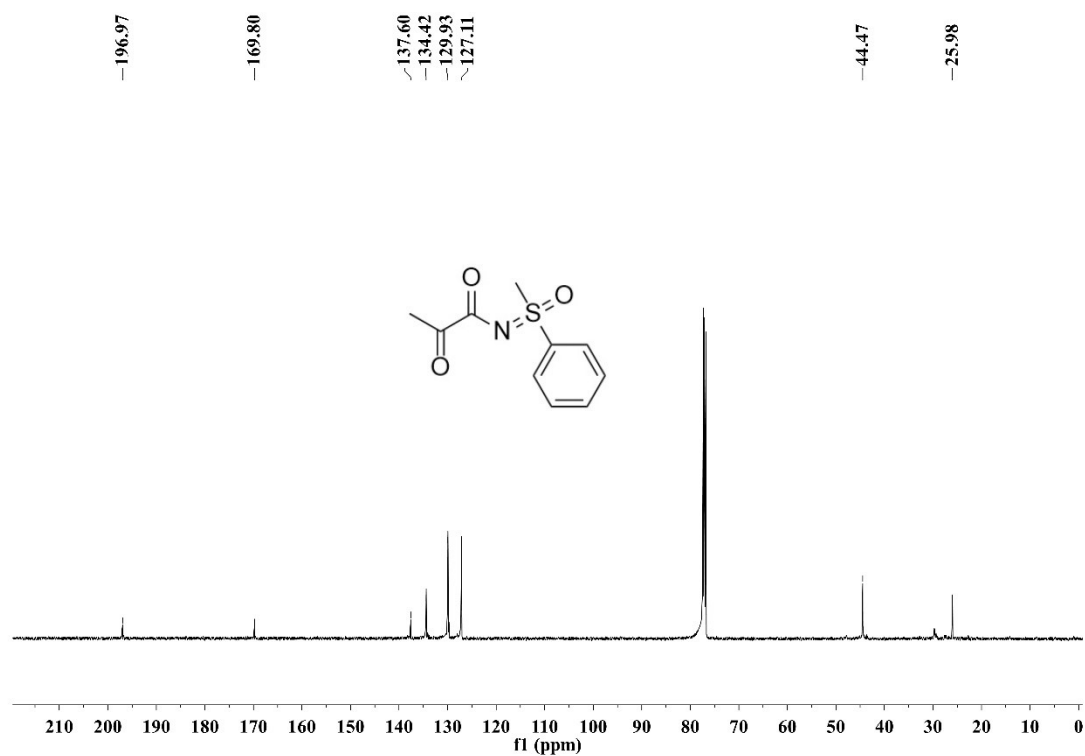
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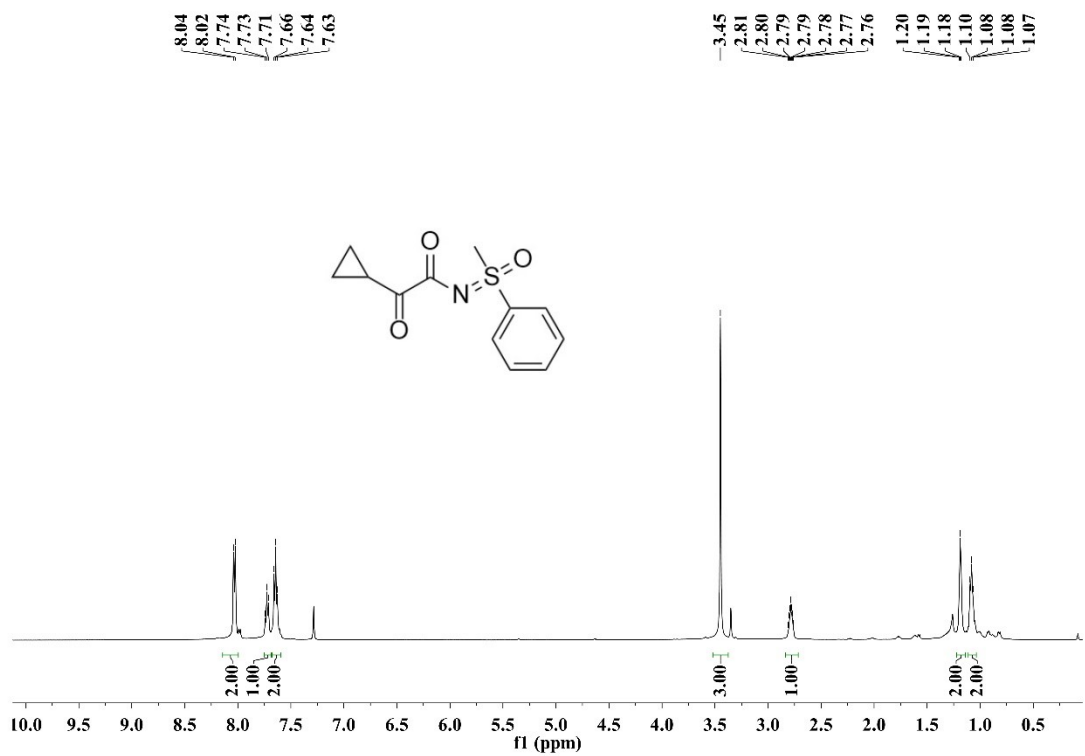
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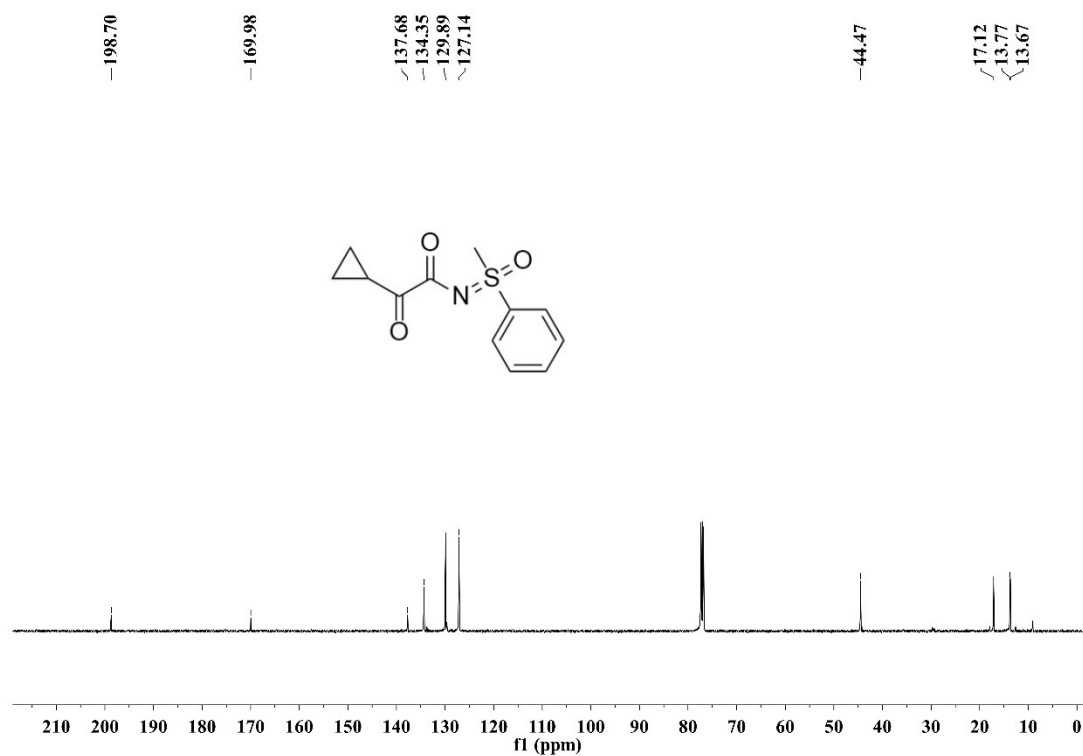
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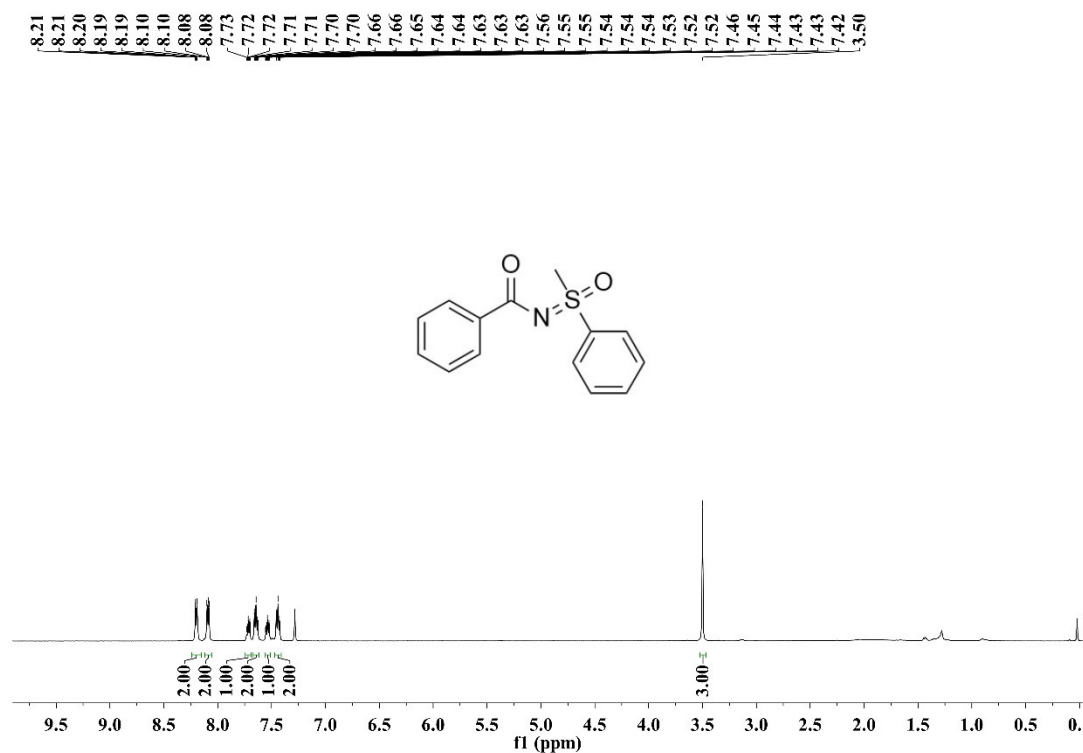
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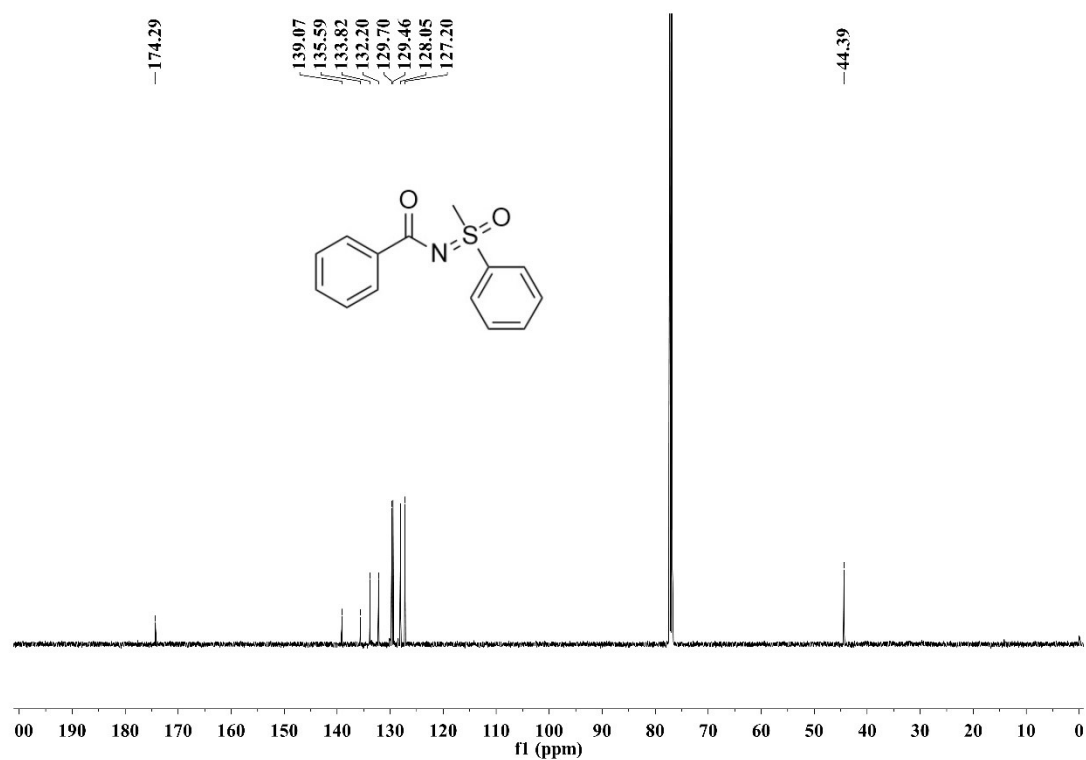
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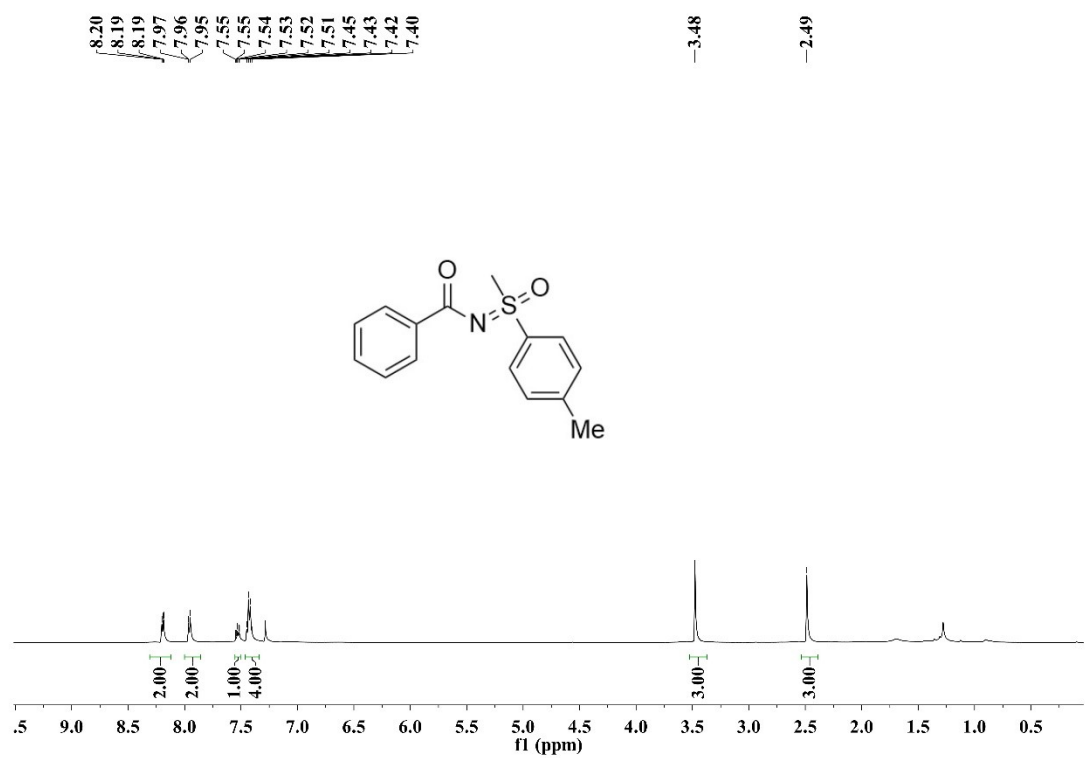
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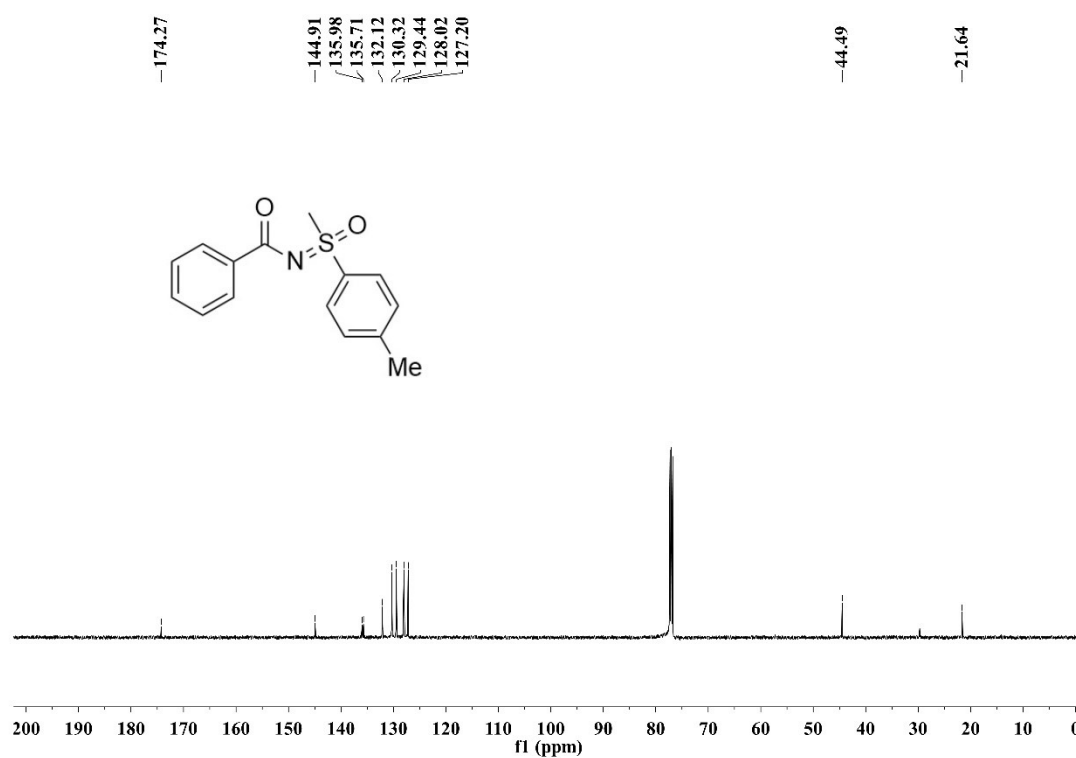
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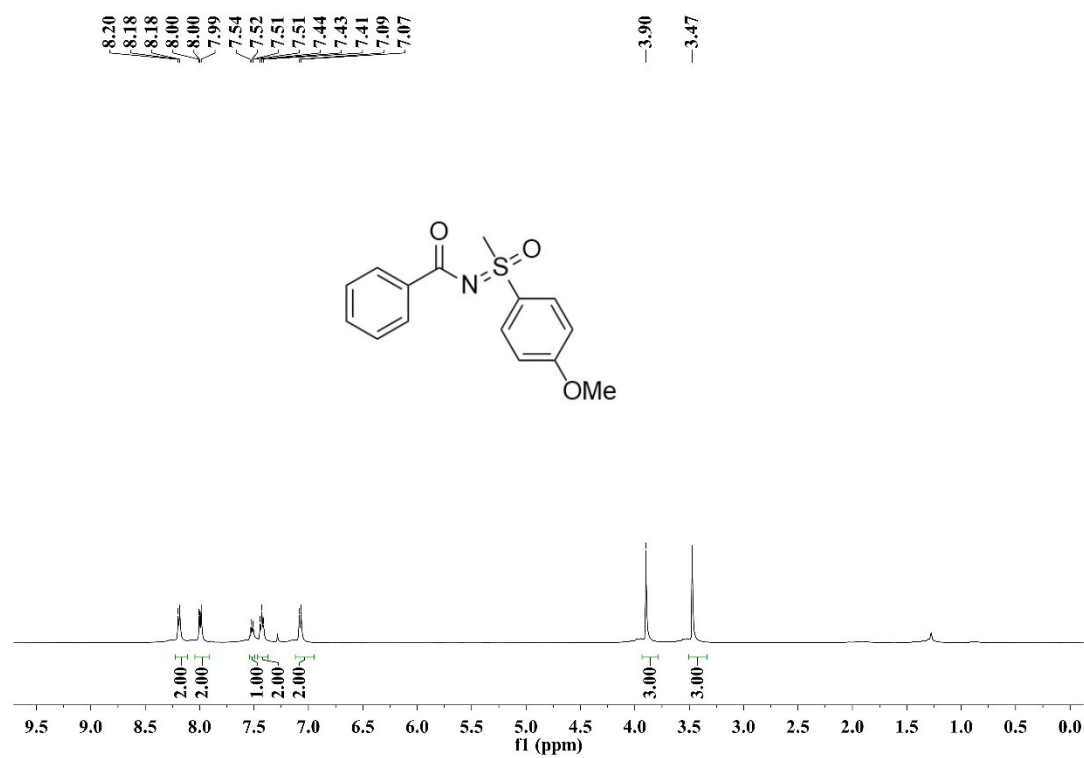
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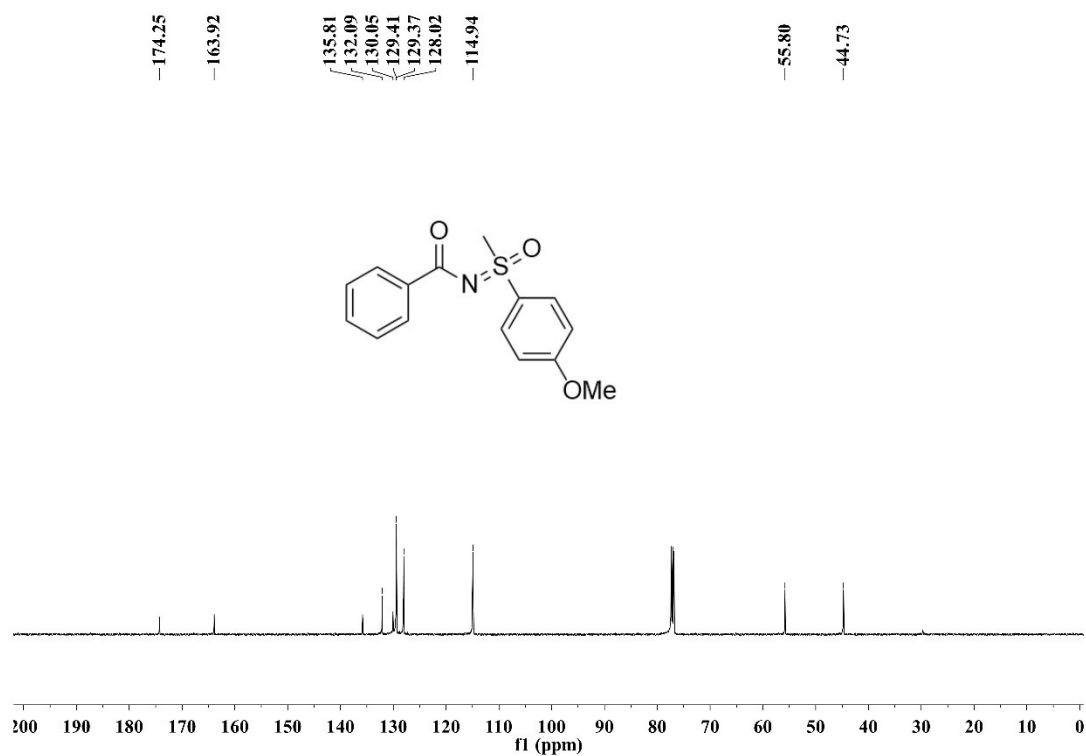
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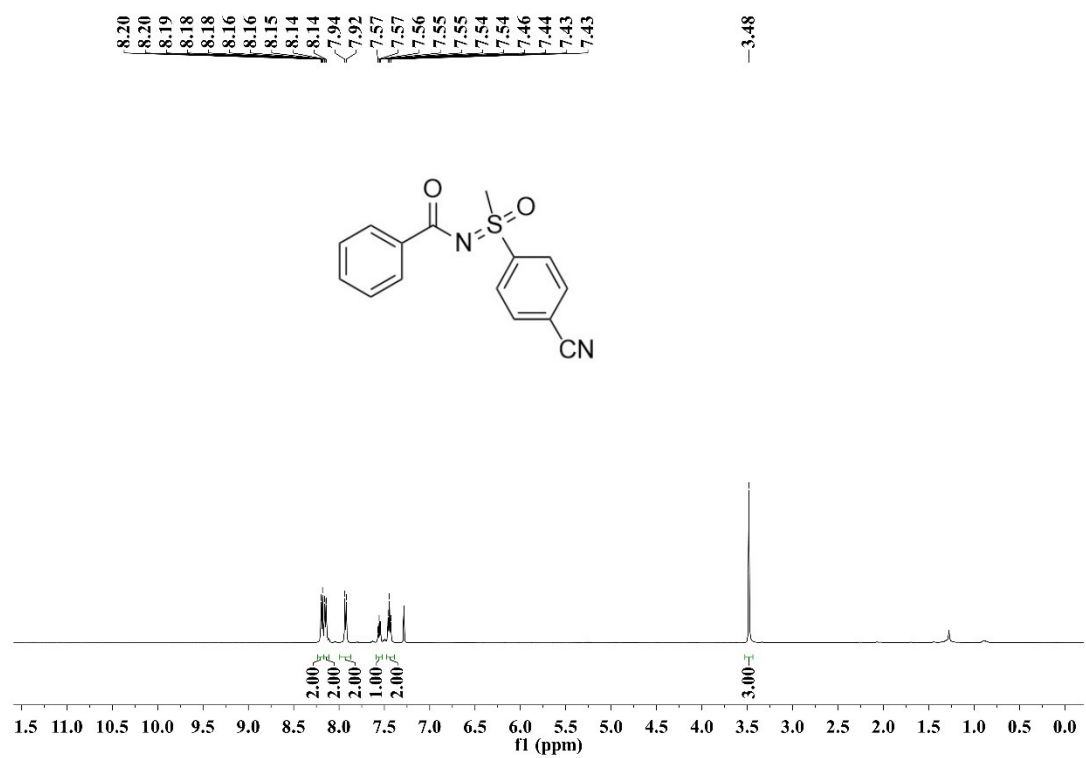
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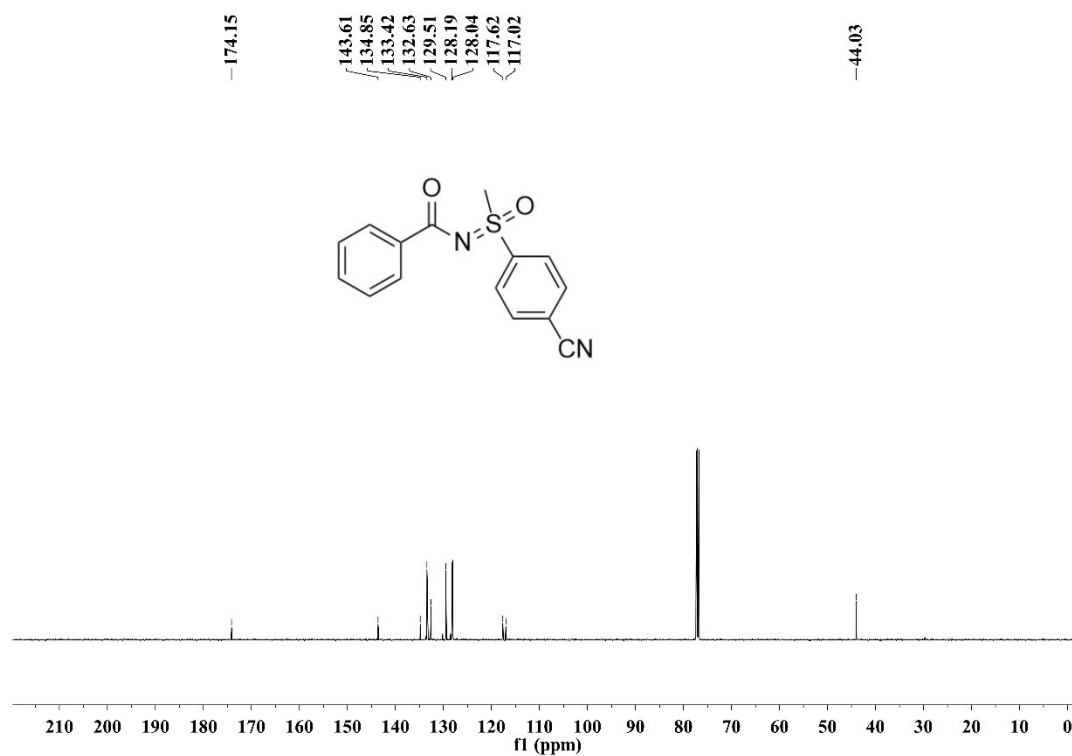
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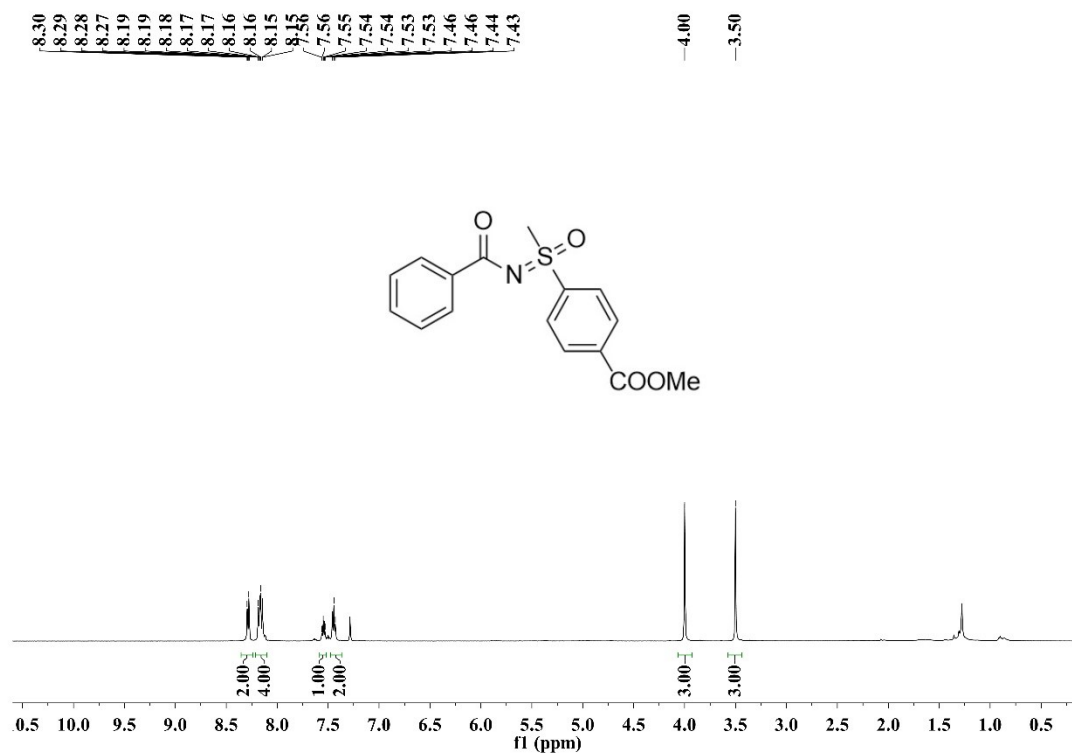
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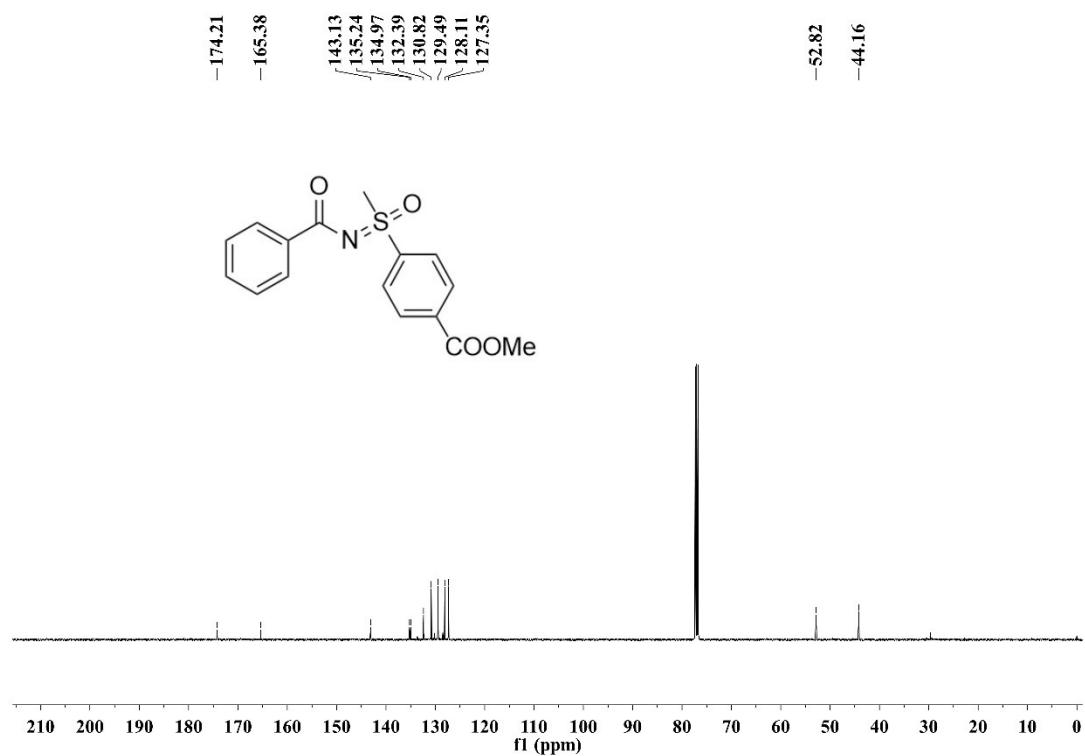
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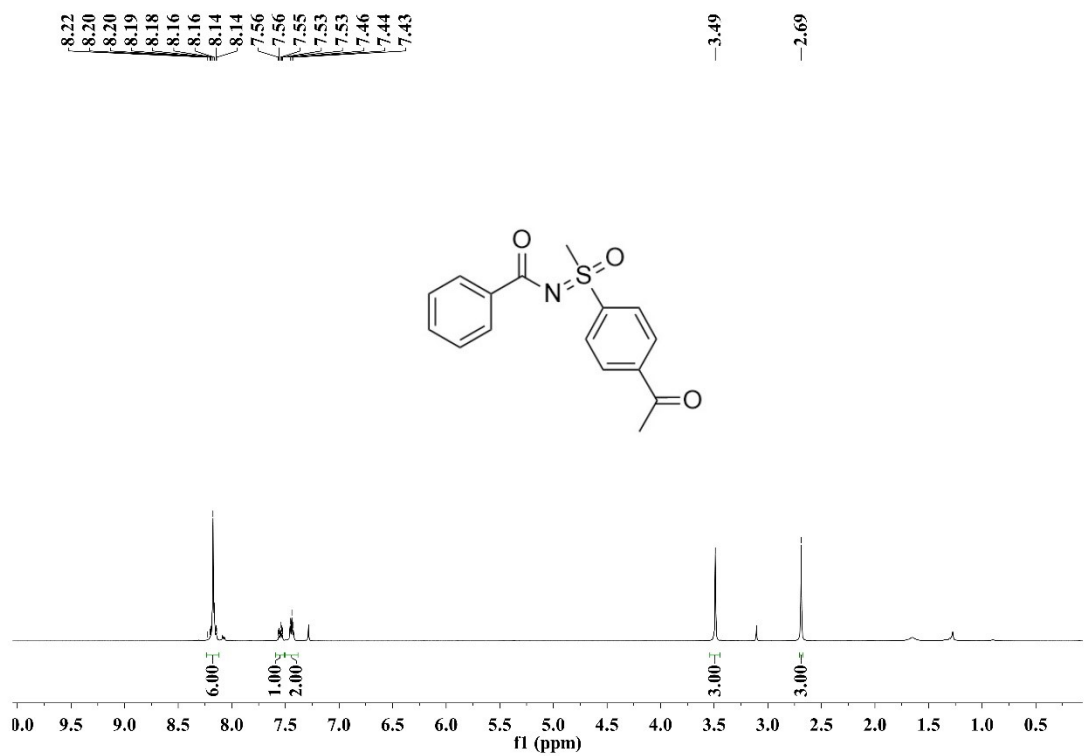
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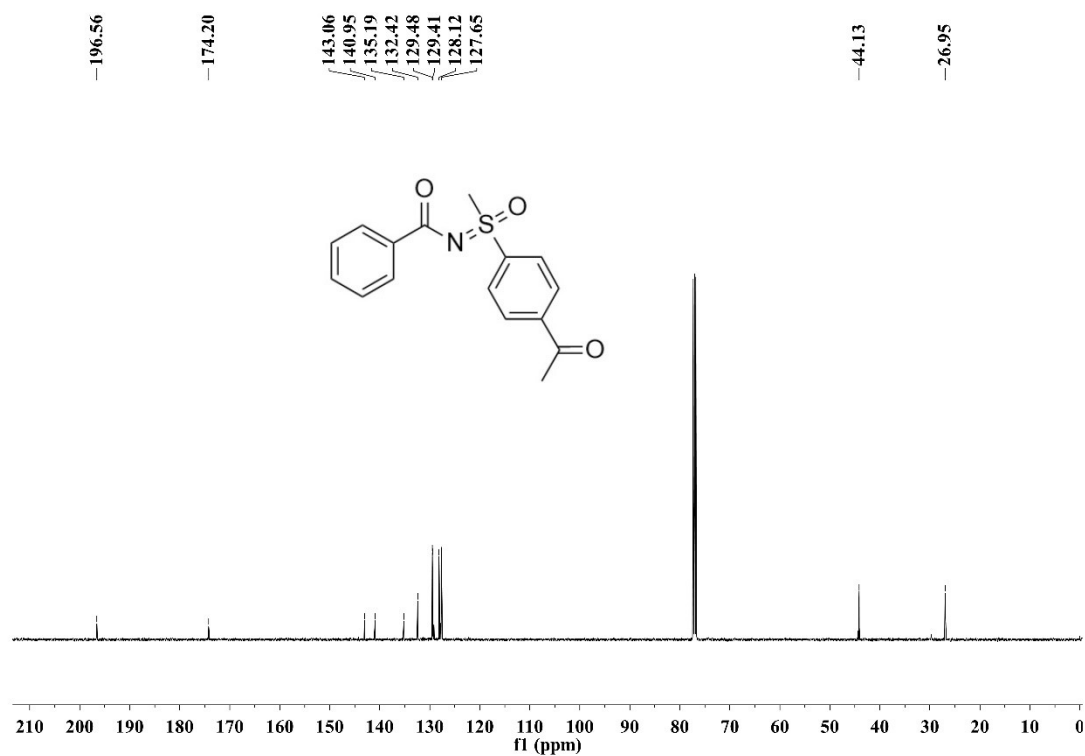
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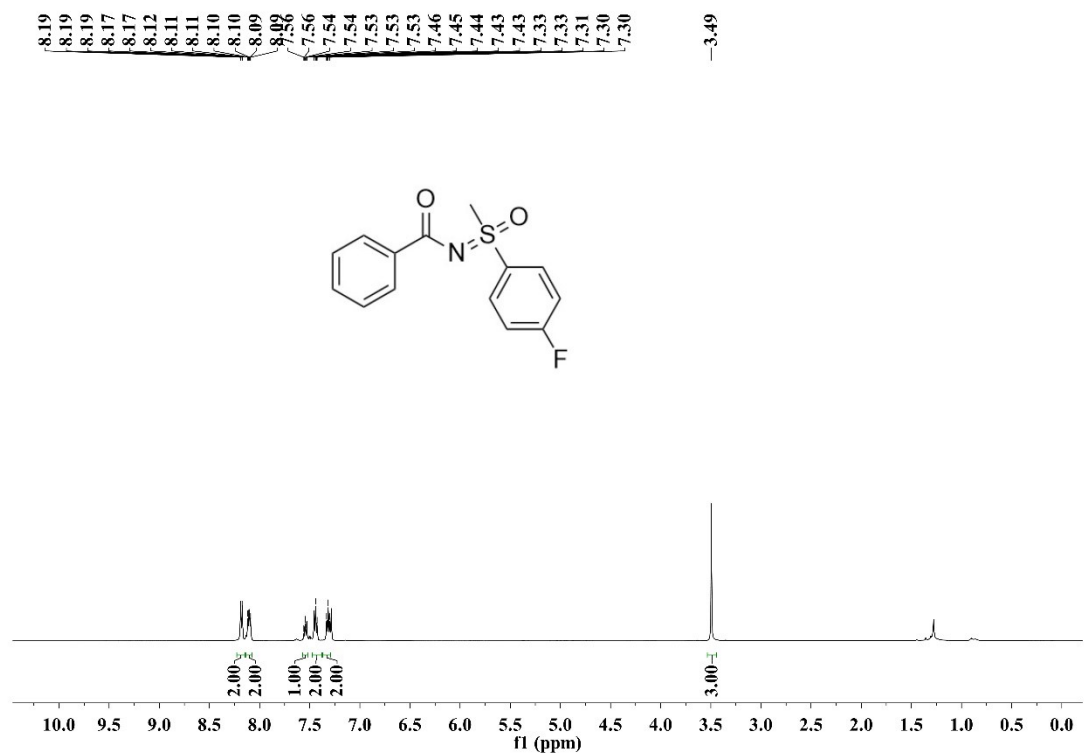
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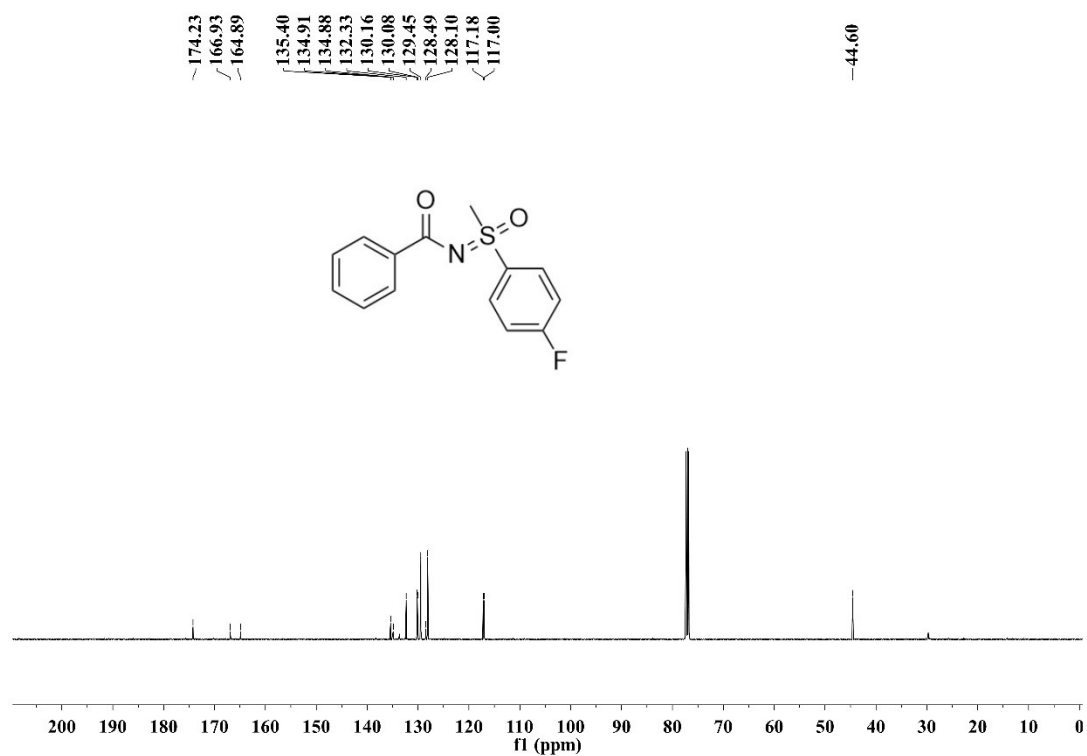
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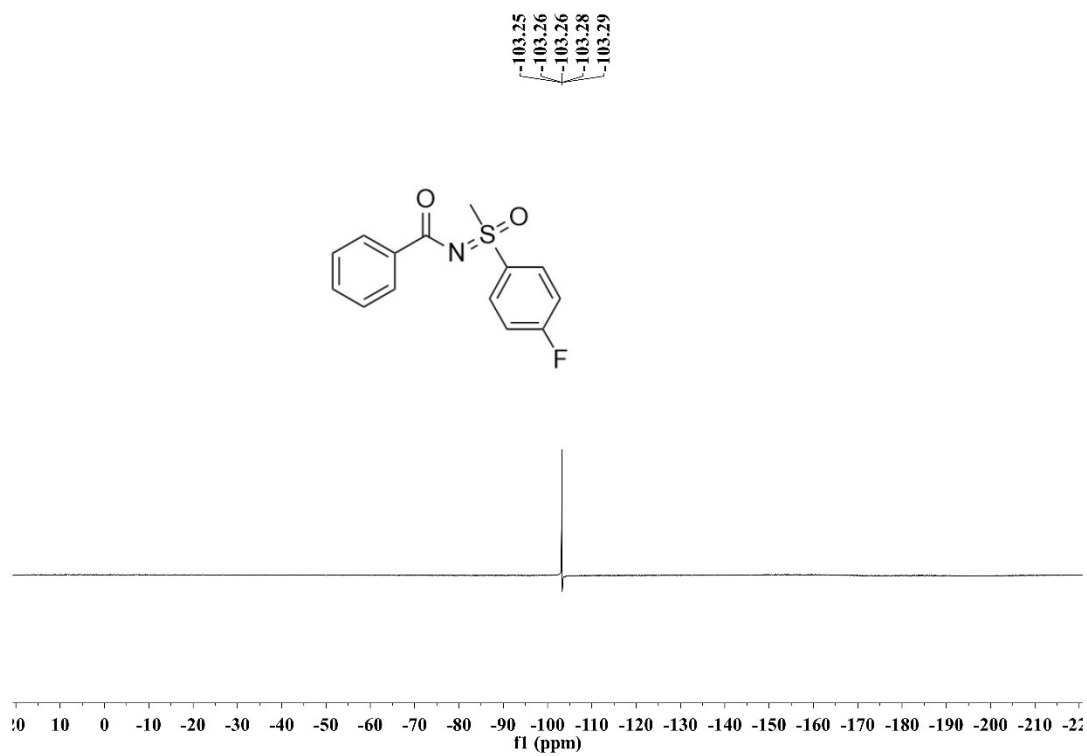
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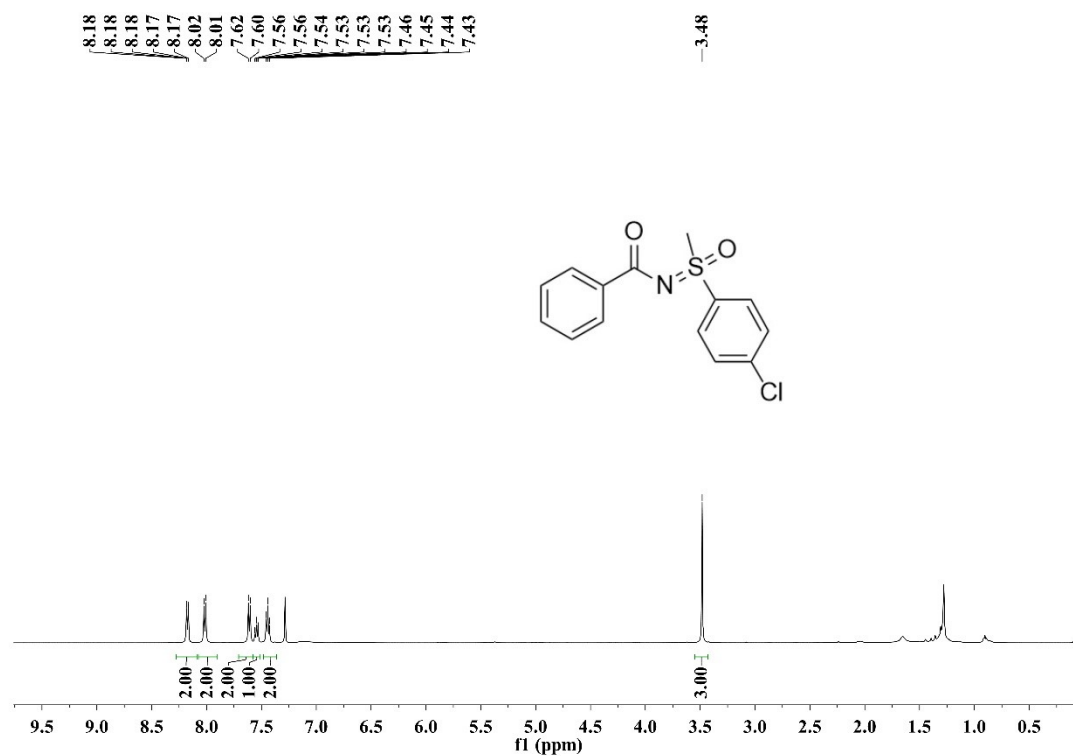
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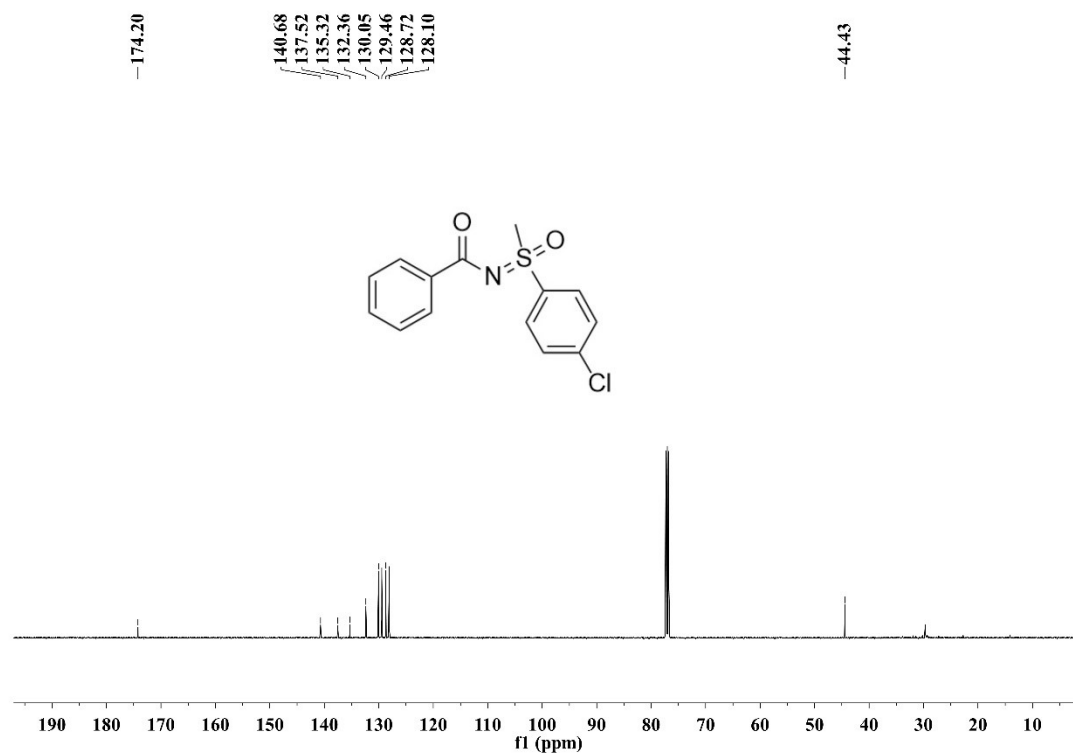
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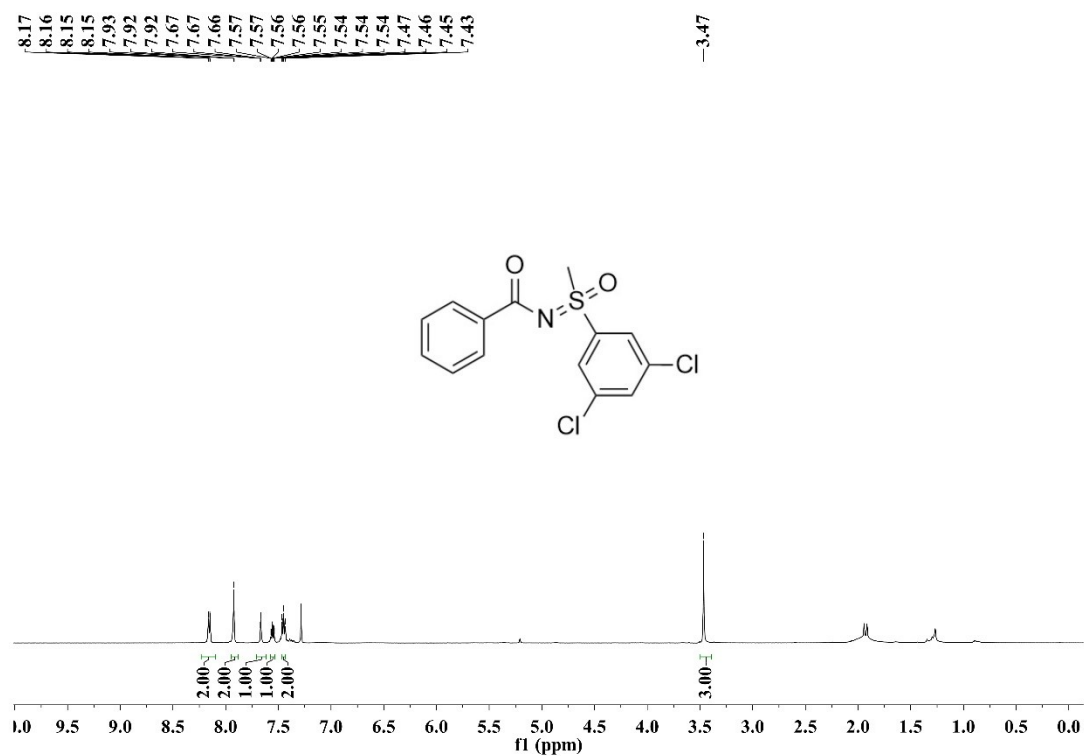
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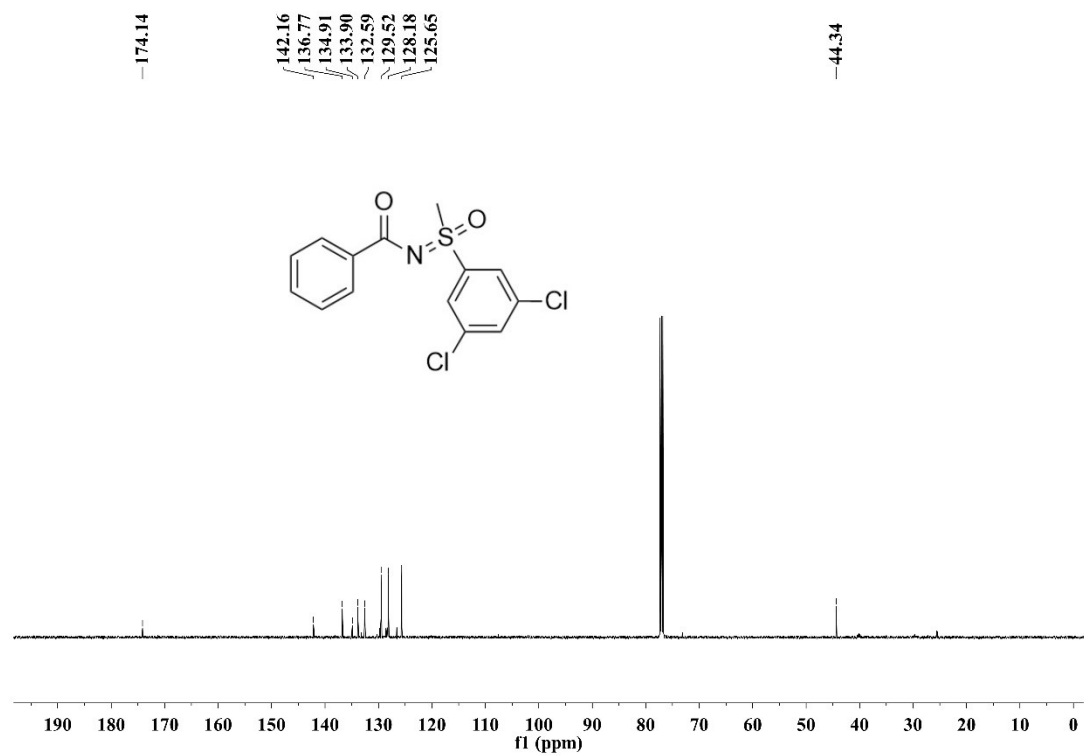
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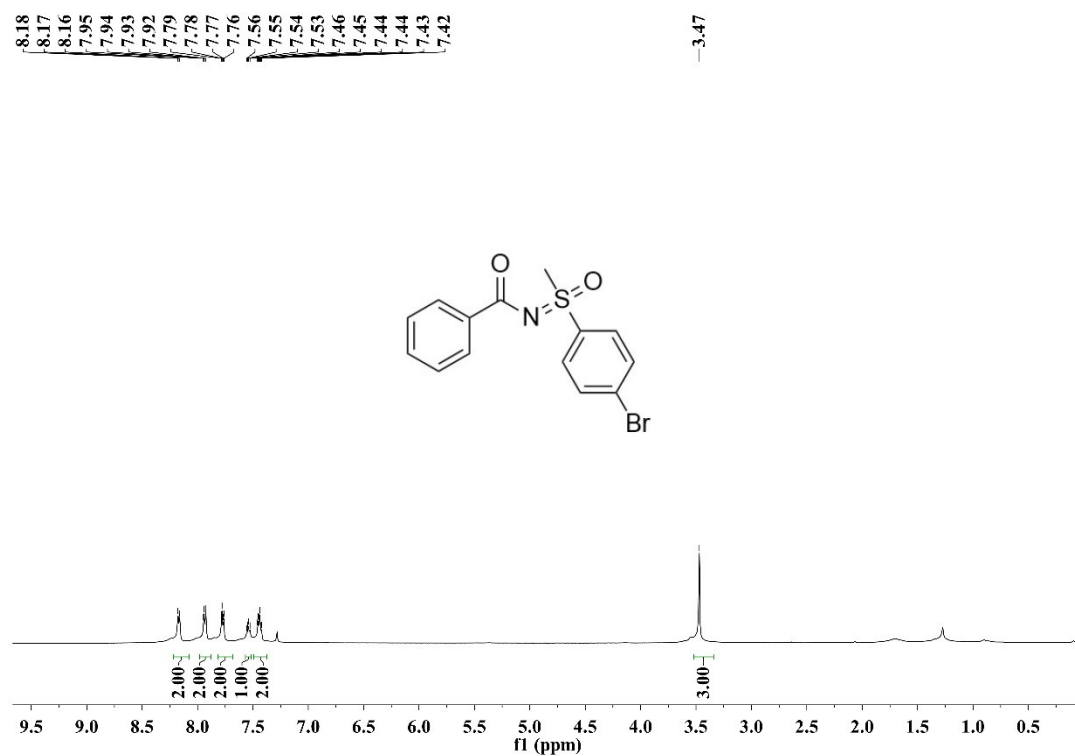
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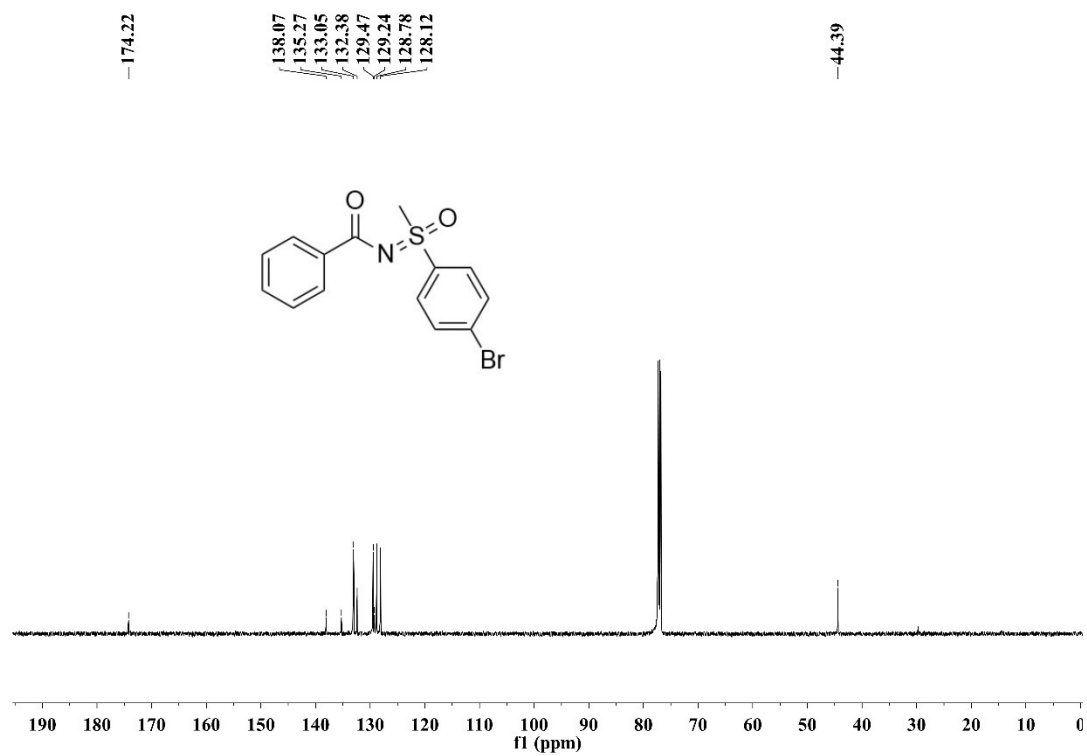
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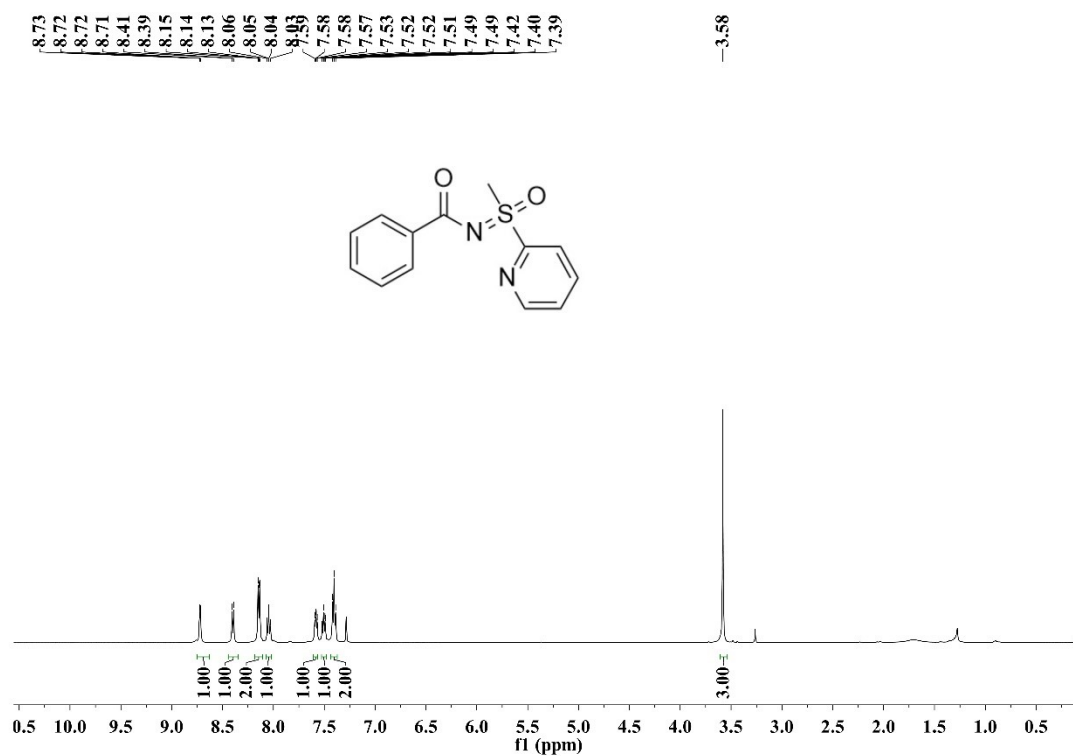
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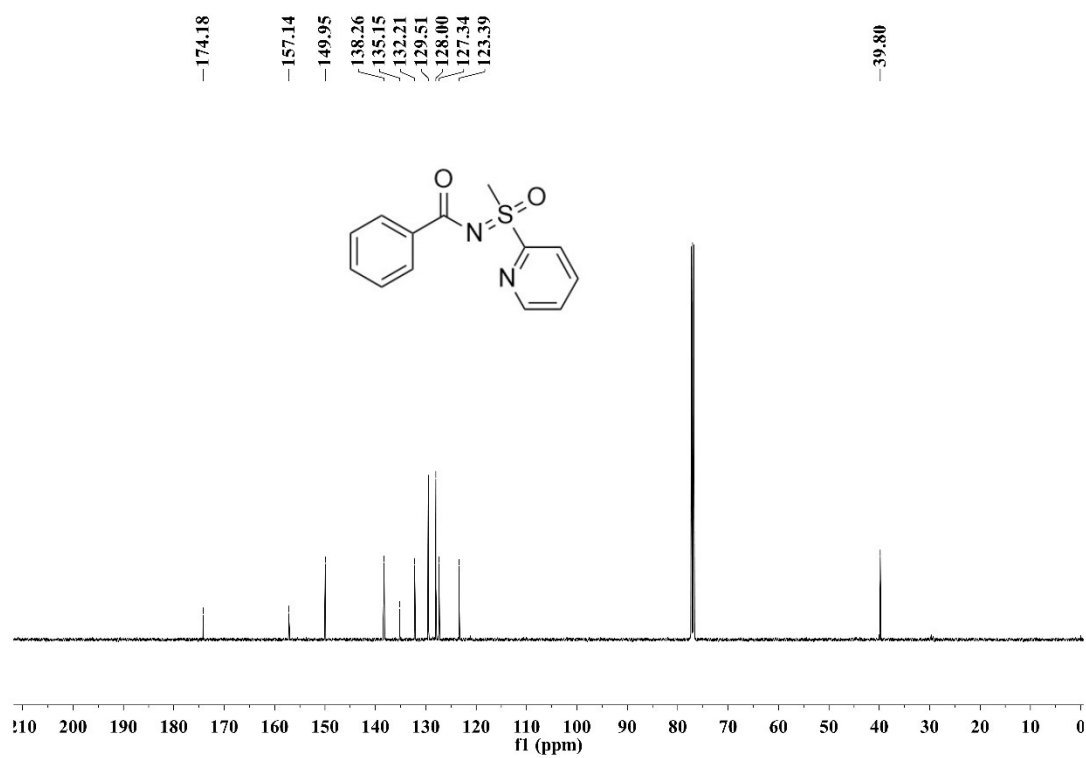
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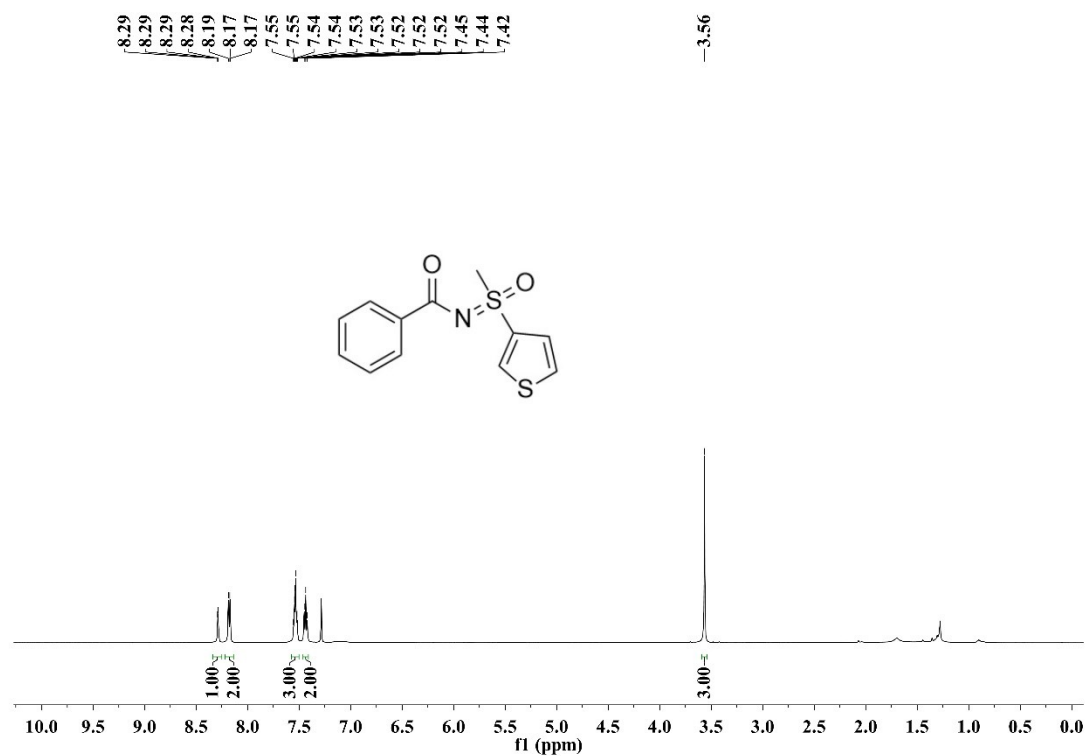
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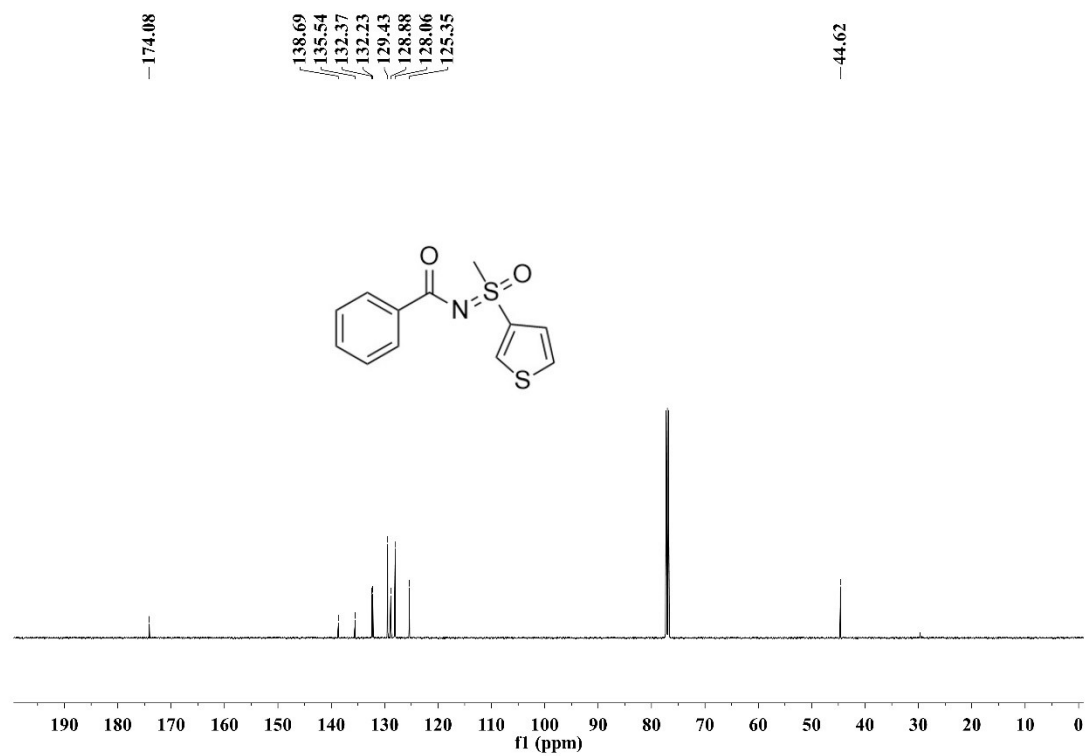
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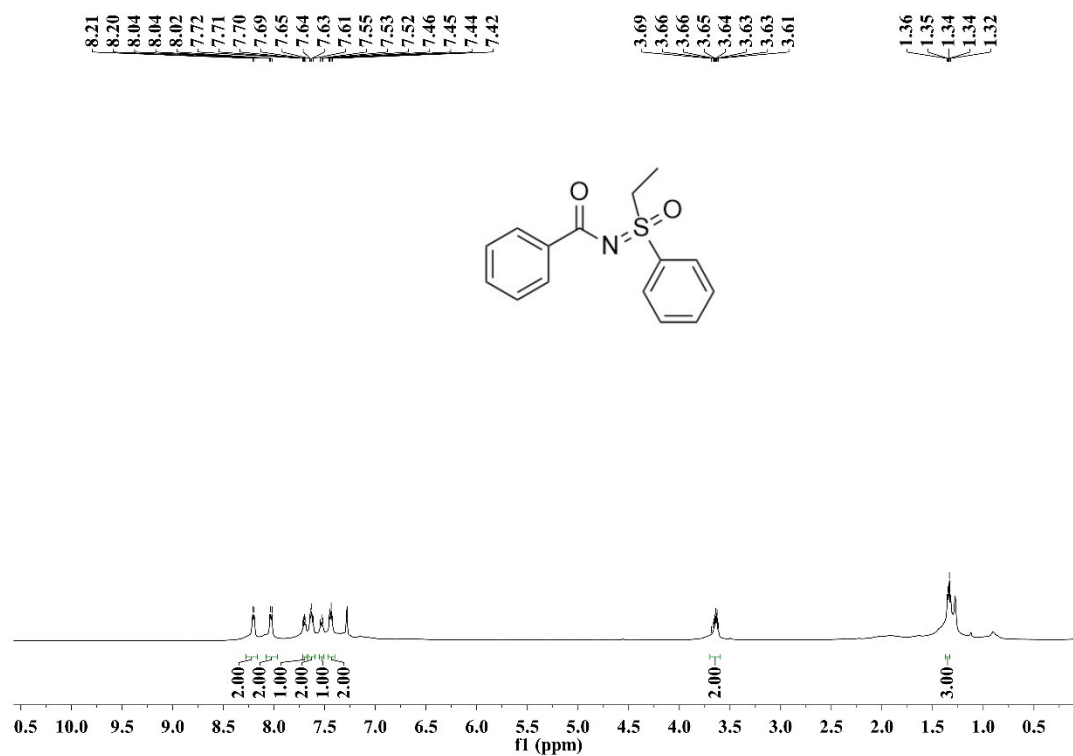
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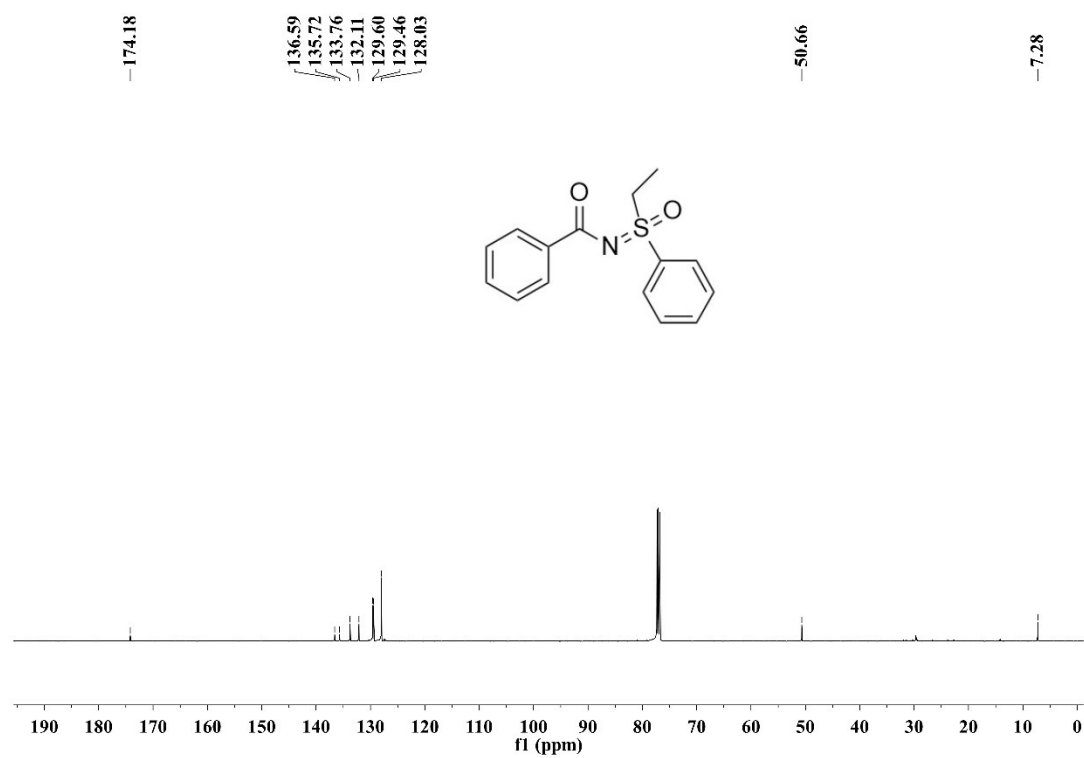
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^1H NMR spectrum of 4m (500 MHz, CDCl_3)



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Chemical structure of N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)benzamide is shown above the spectrum.

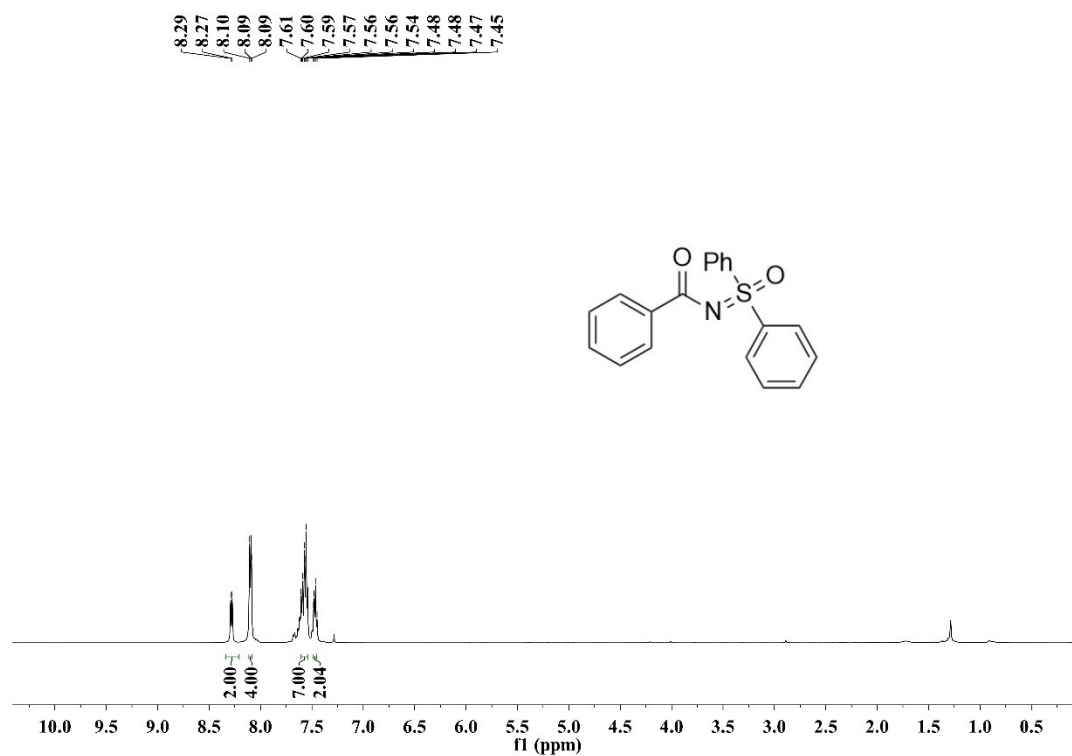
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2.81, 2.80, 2.80, 2.79, 2.79, 1.75, 1.74, 1.74, 1.73, 1.72, 1.46, 1.46, 1.45, 1.45, 1.44, 1.31, 1.31, 1.30, 1.30, 1.29, 1.29, 1.28, 1.28, 1.11, 1.10, 1.10, 1.09	1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00

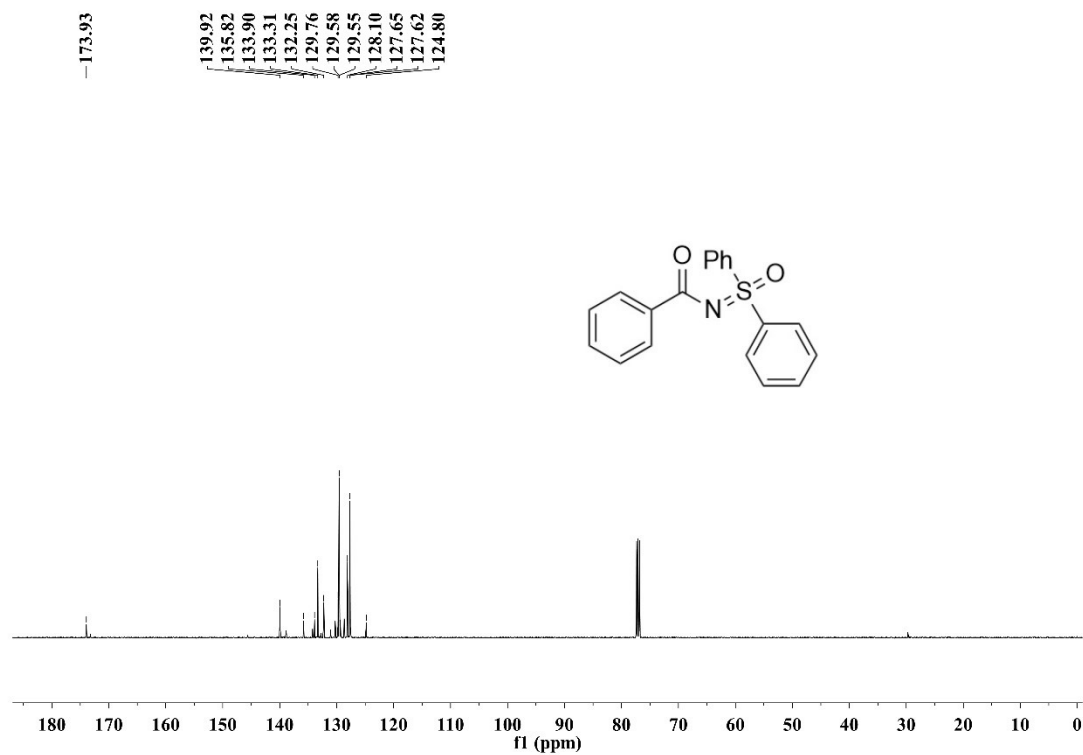
Chemical structure of the compound is shown above the spectrum. The spectrum displays peaks corresponding to the following chemical shifts (ppm):

Chemical Shift (ppm)
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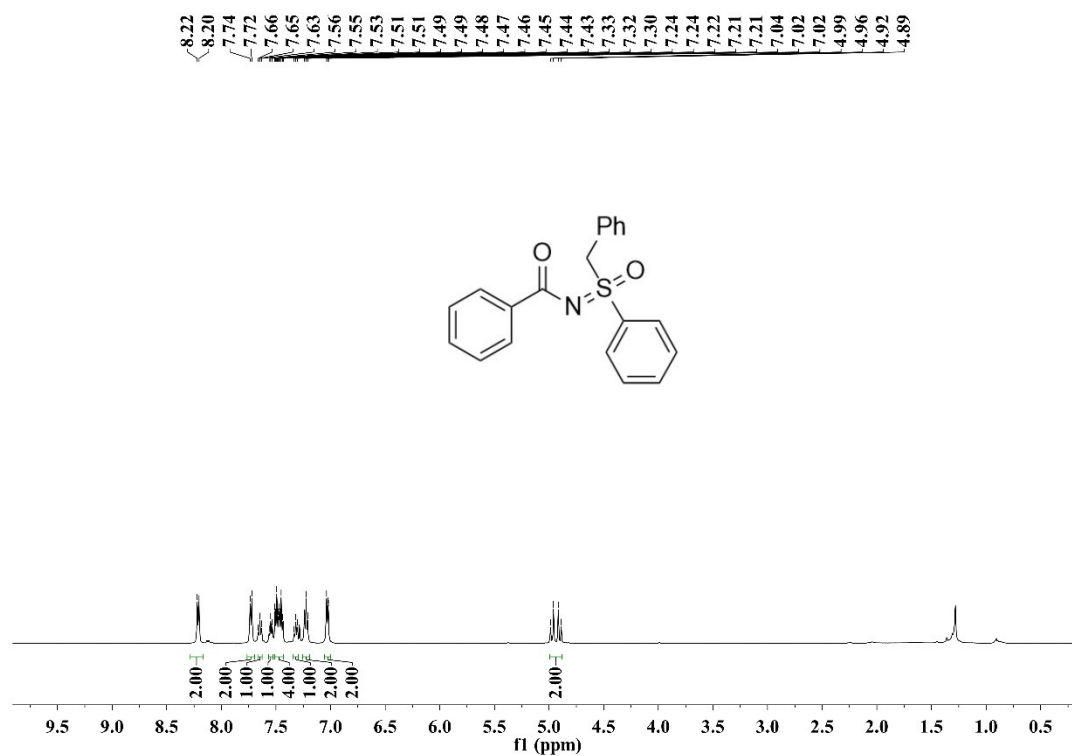
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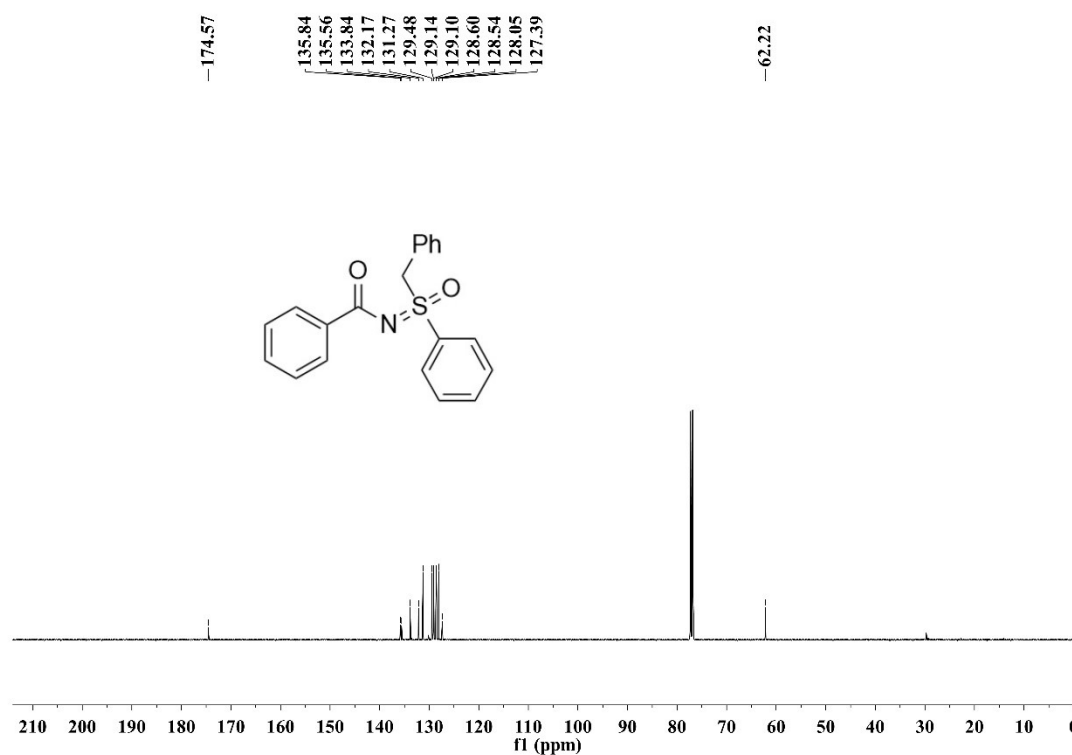
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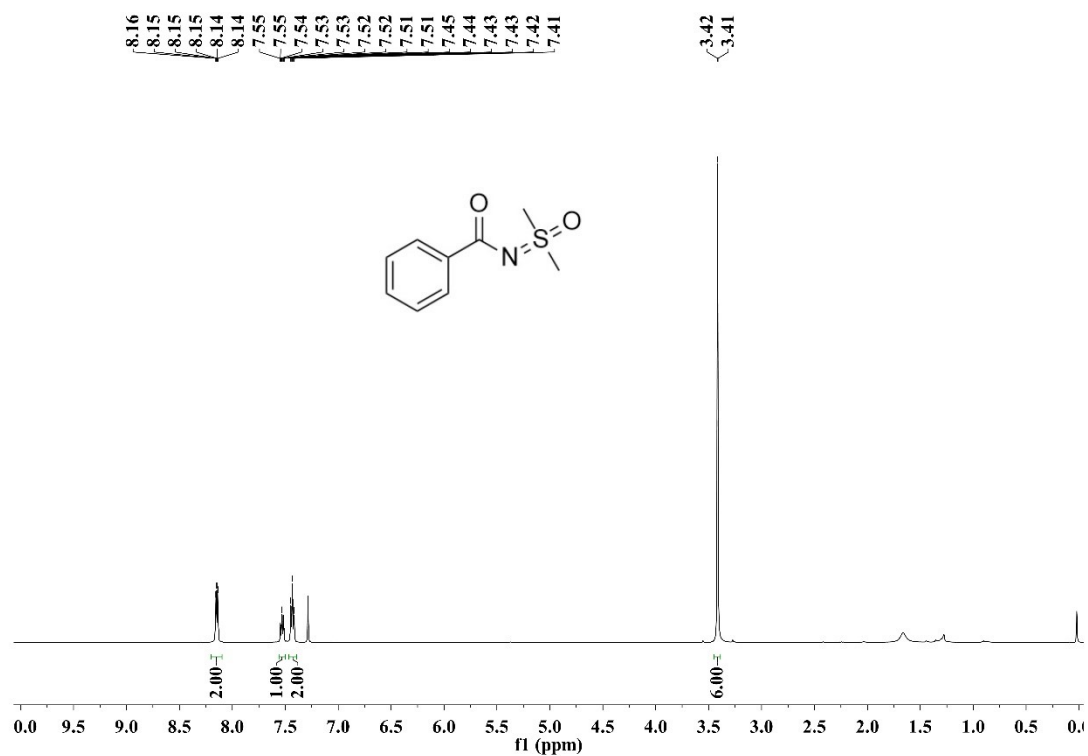
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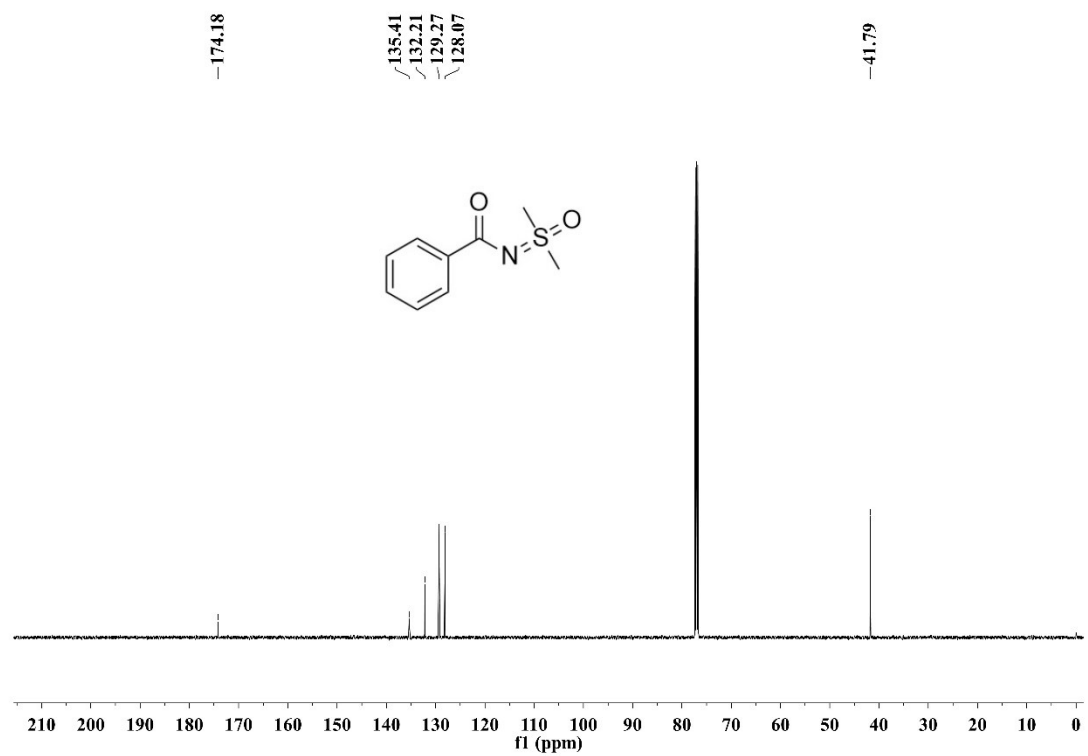
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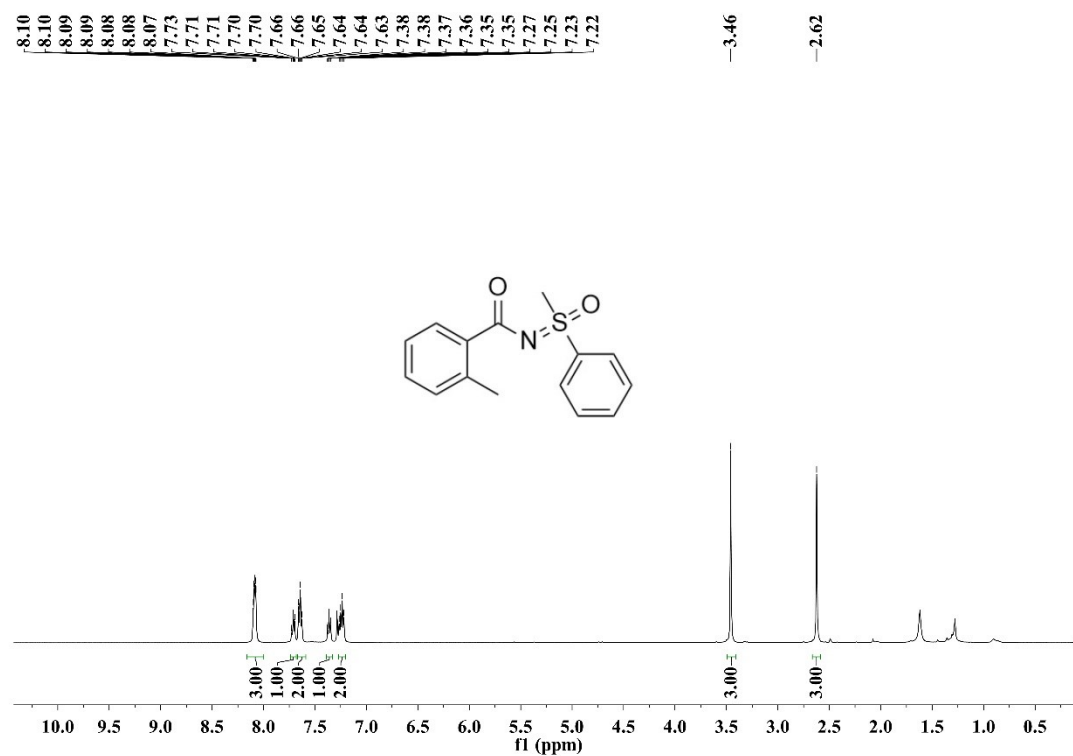
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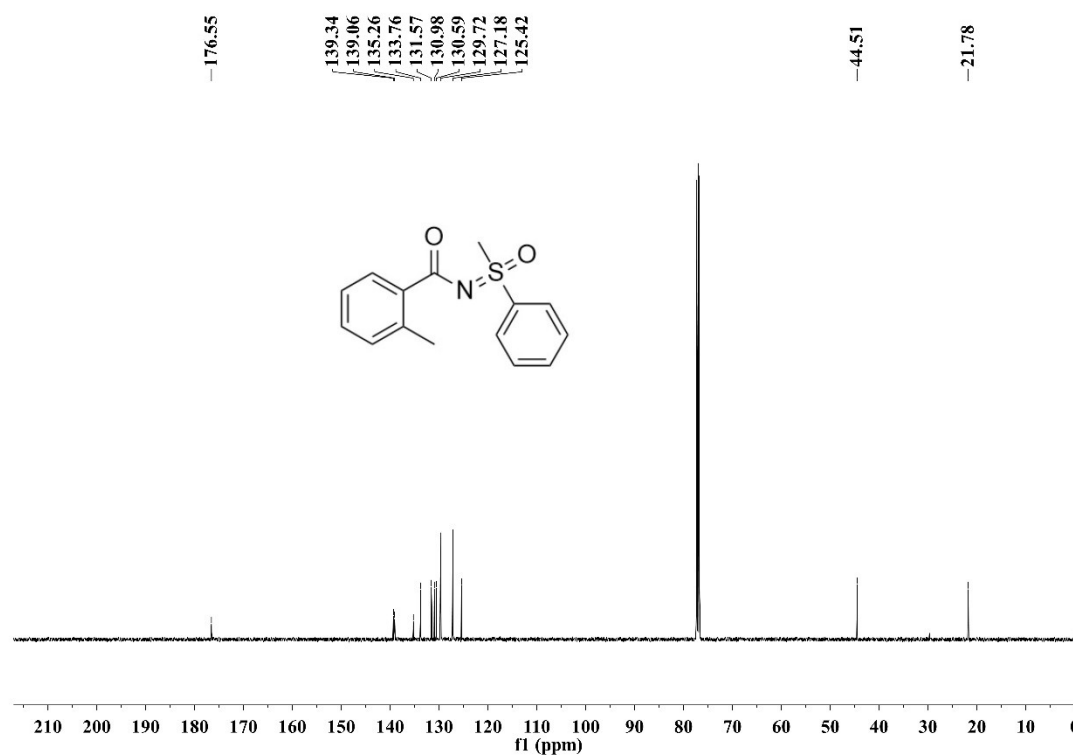
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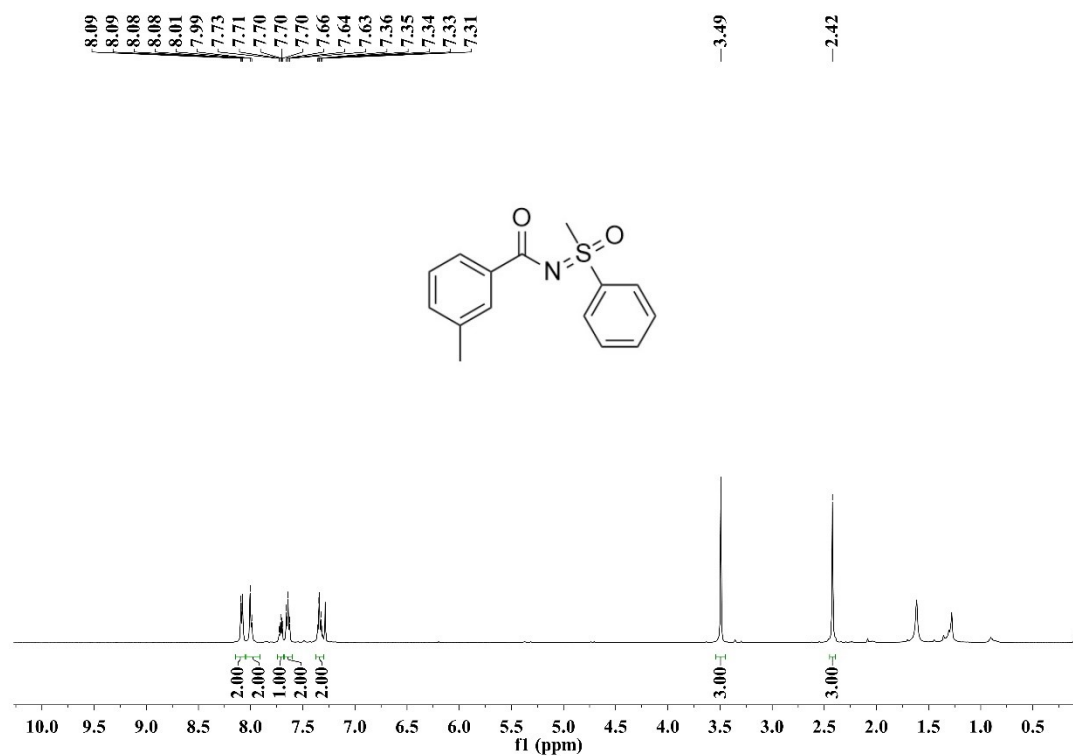
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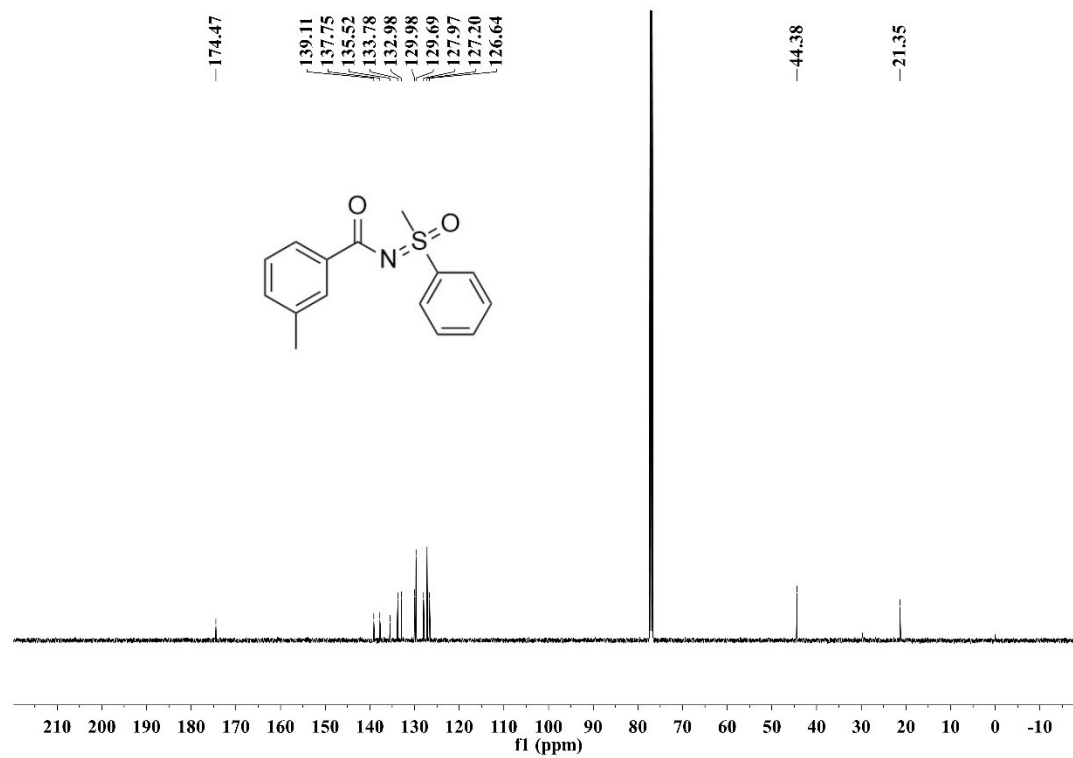
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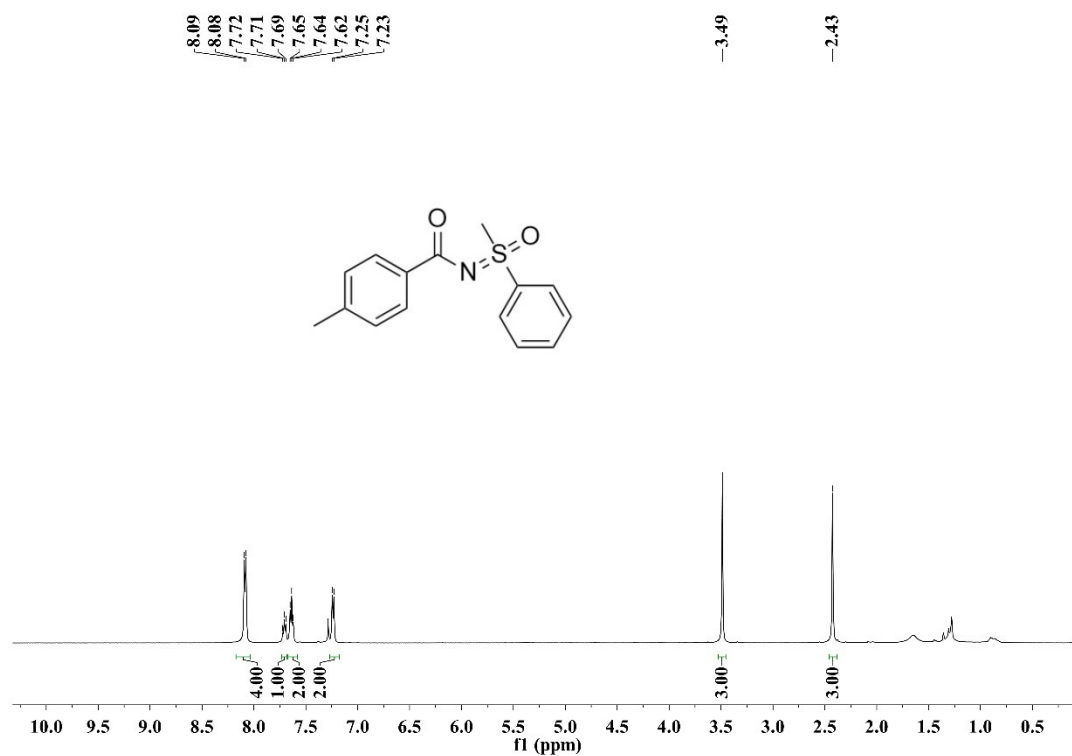
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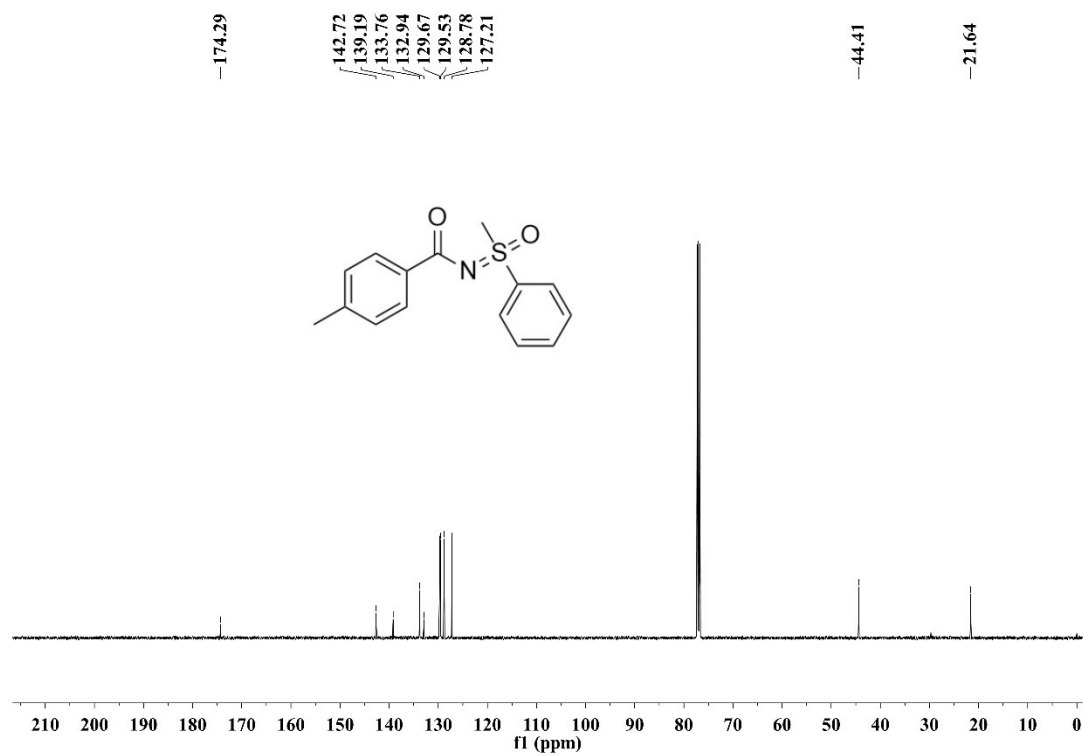
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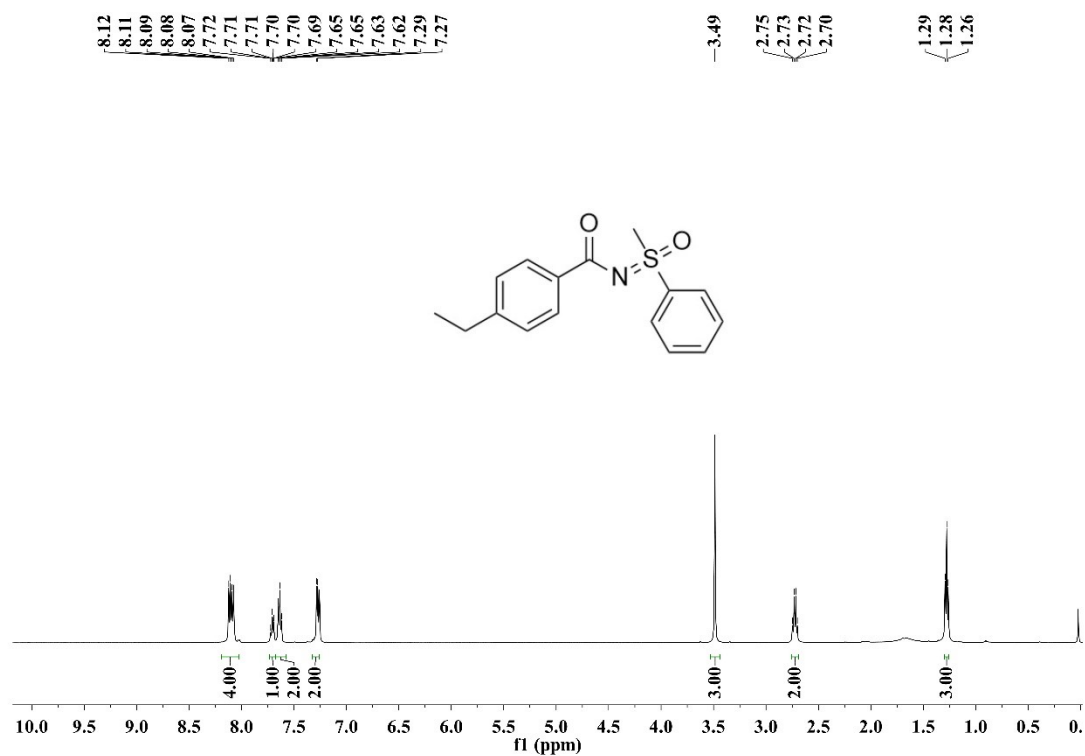
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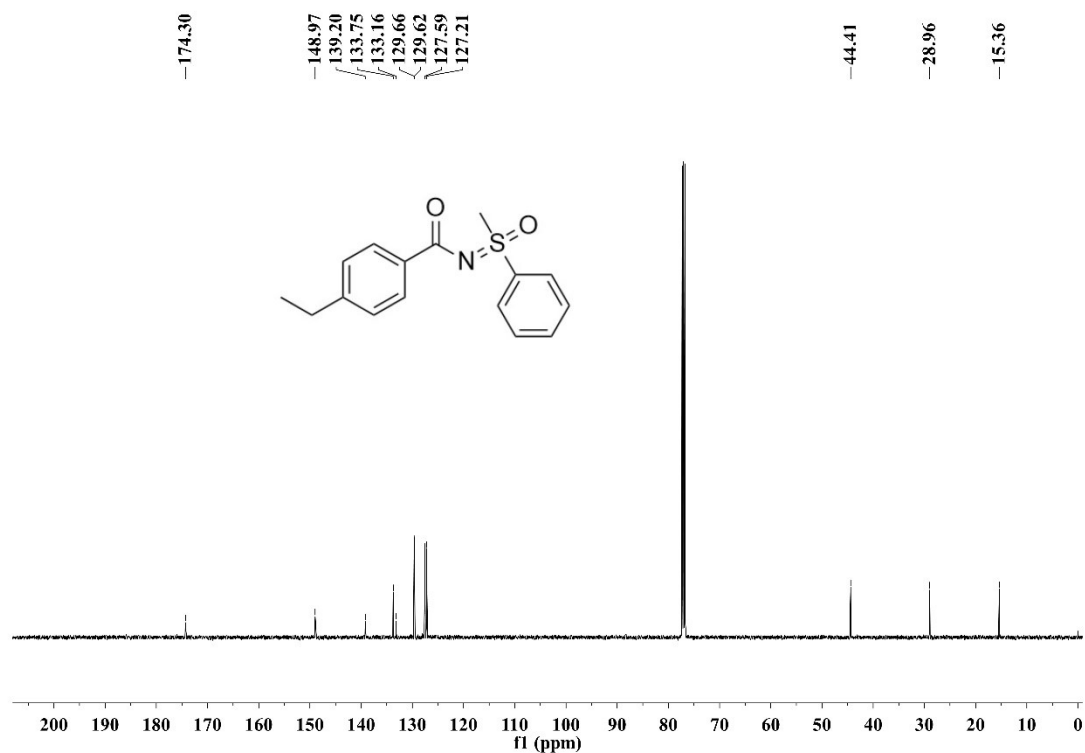
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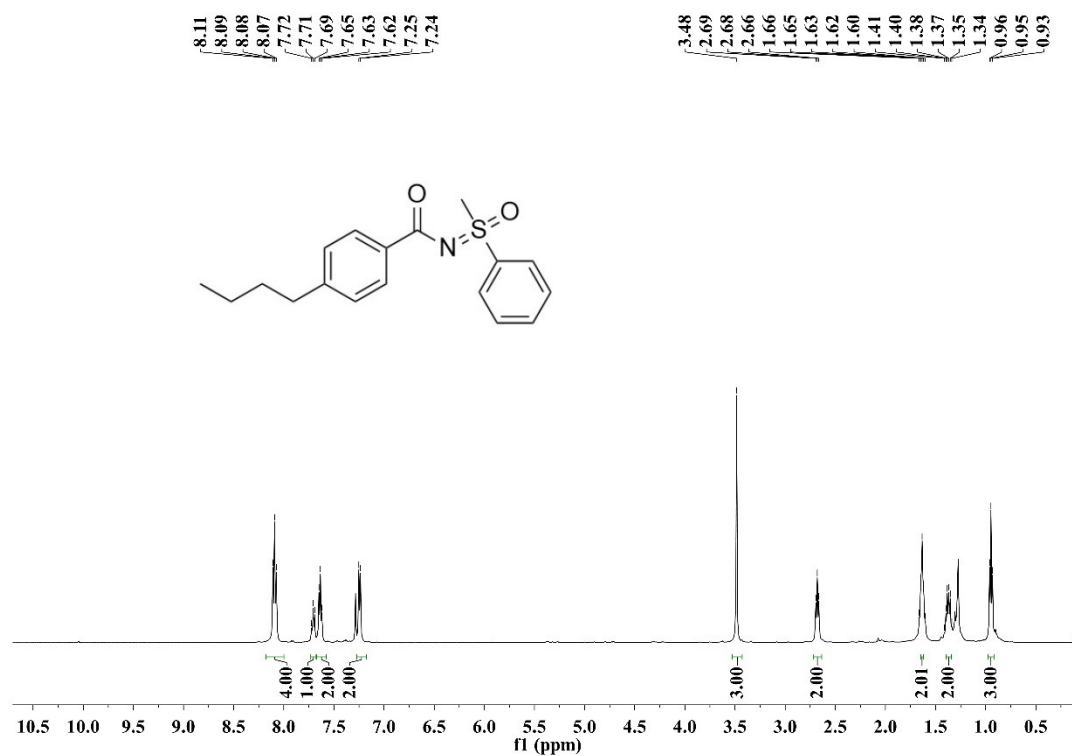
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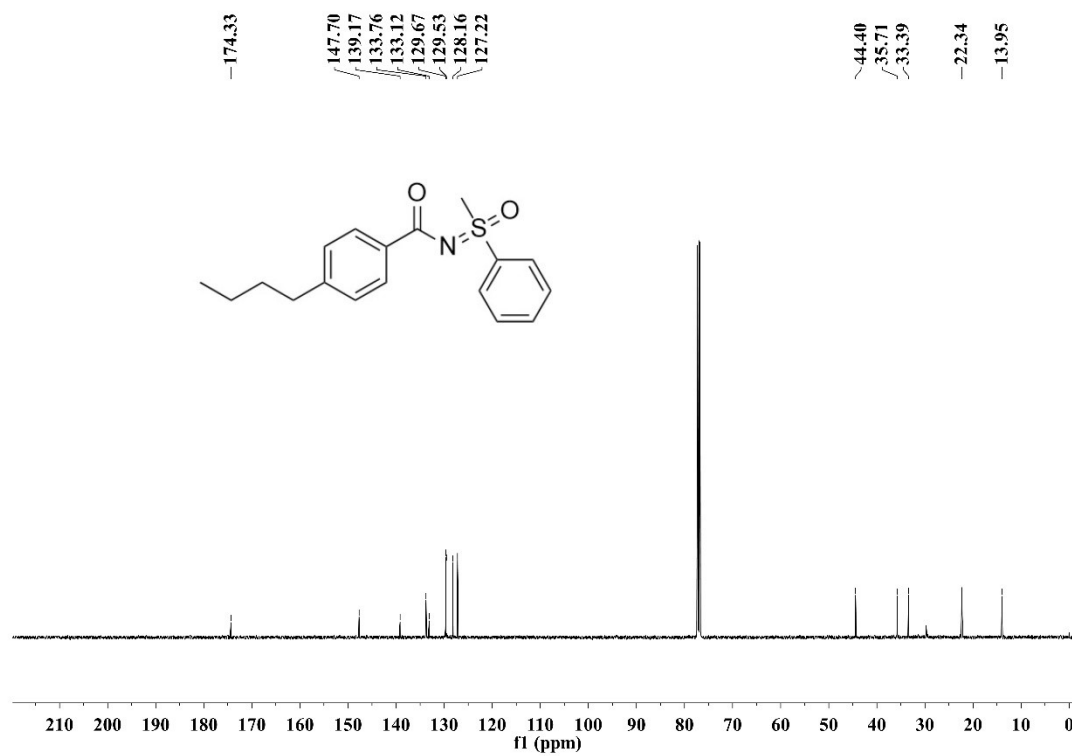
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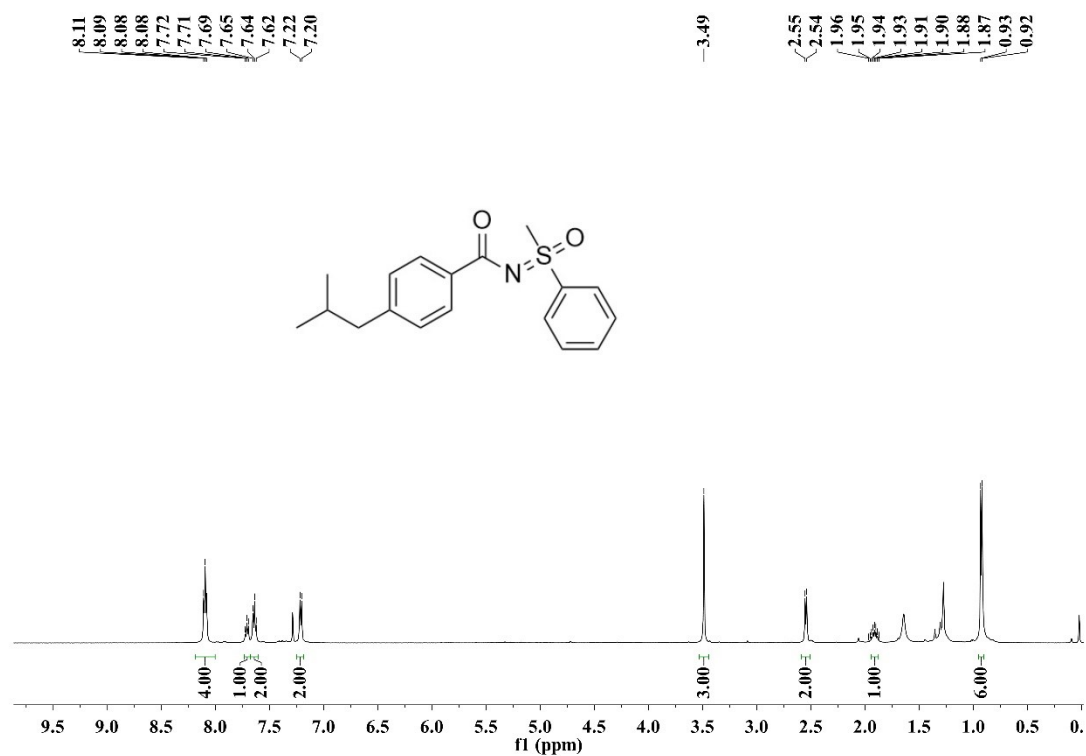
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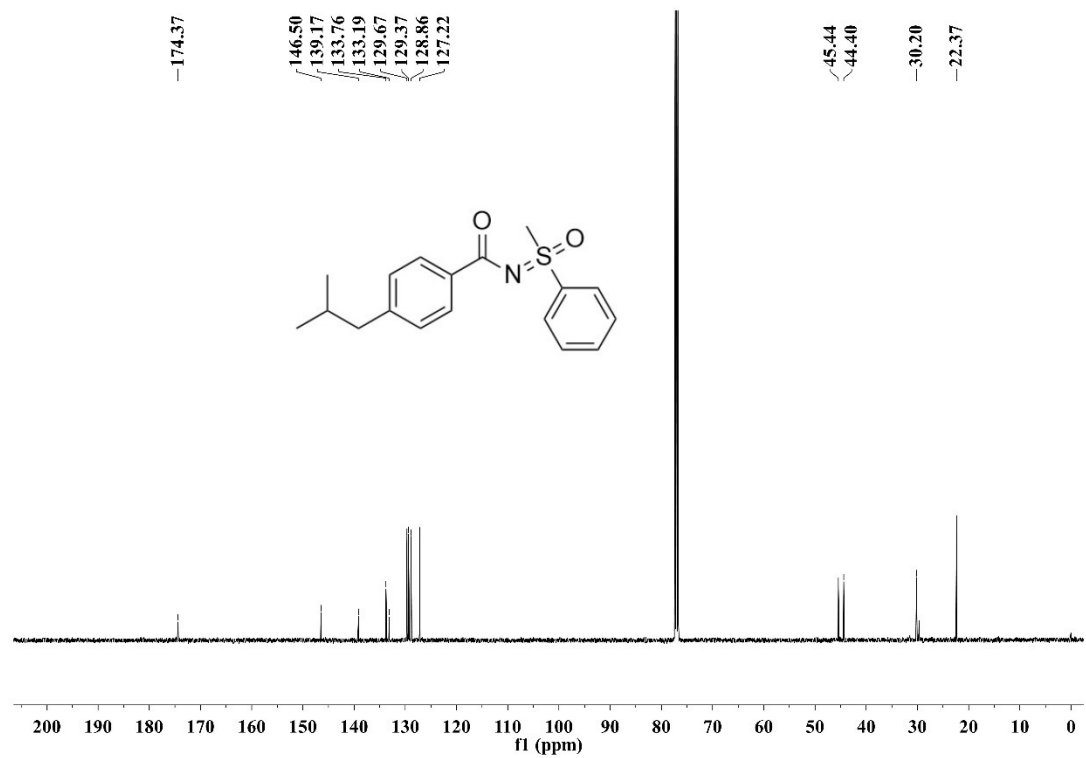
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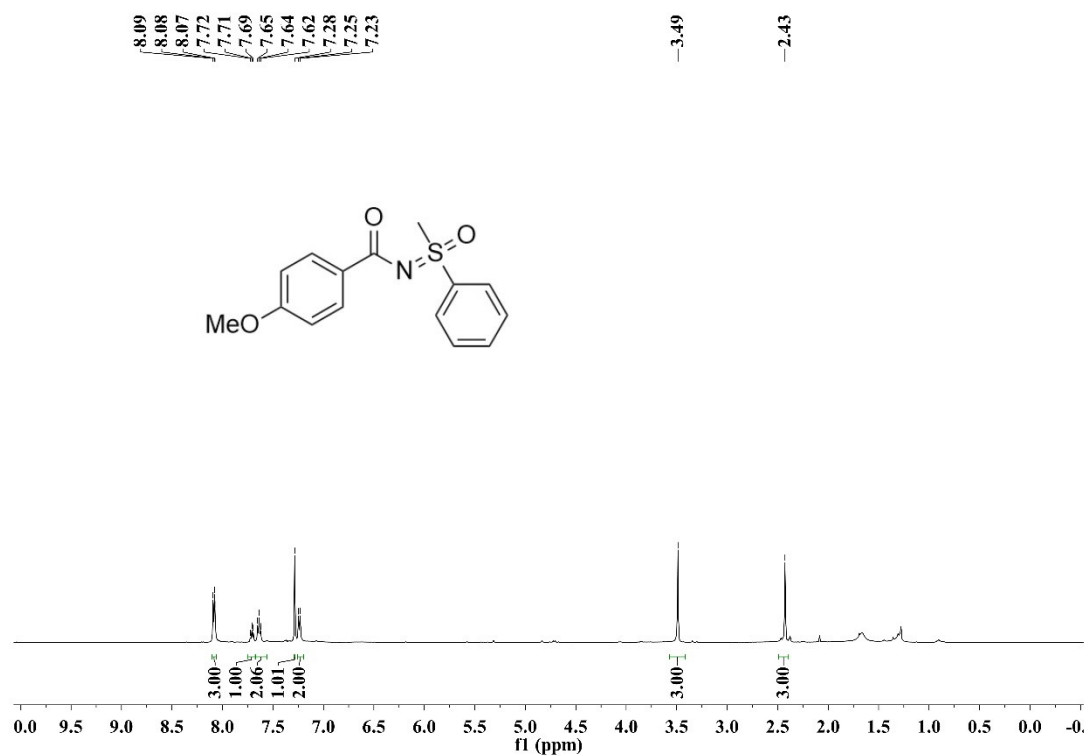
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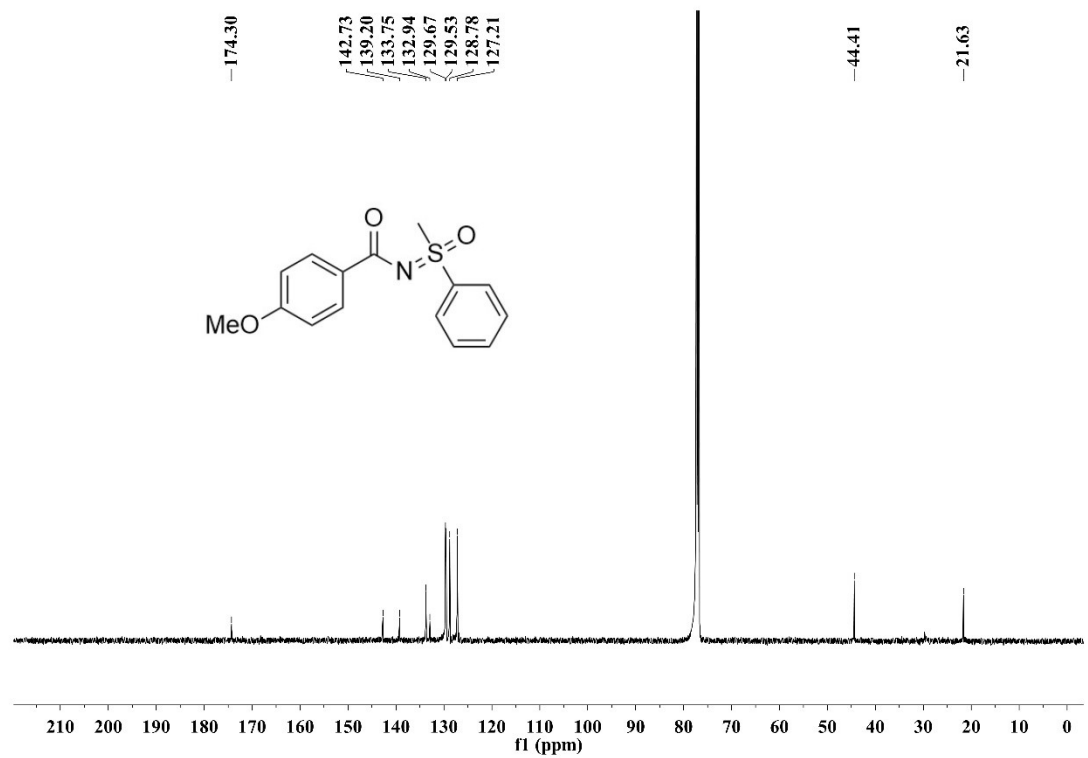
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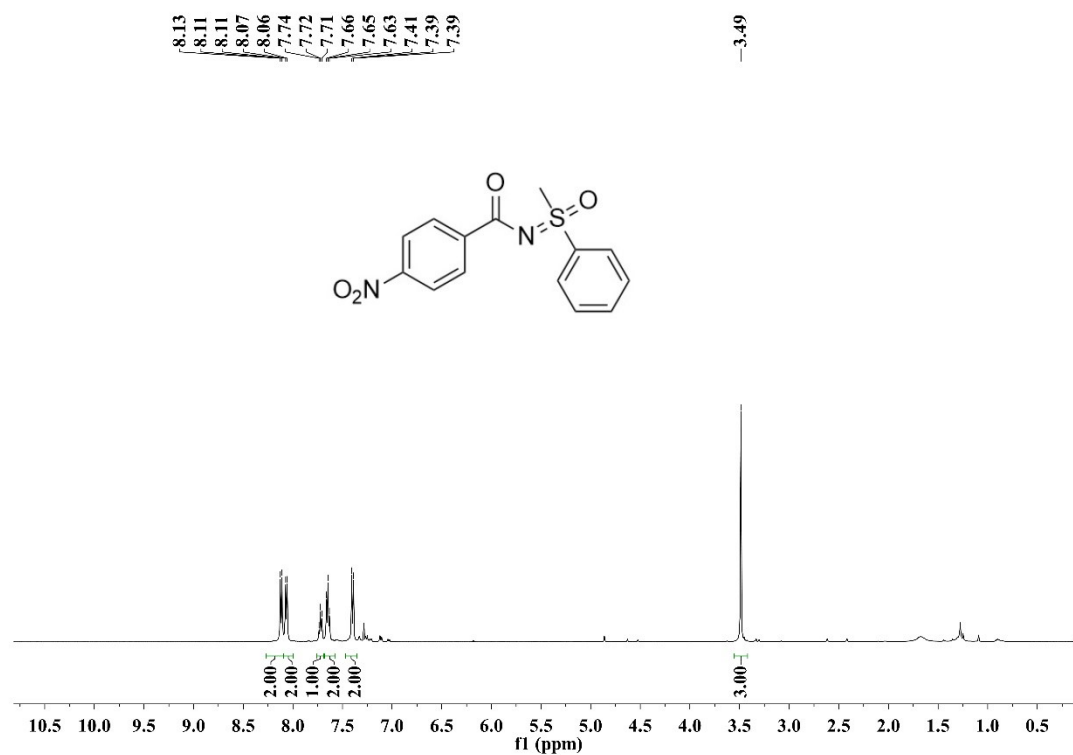
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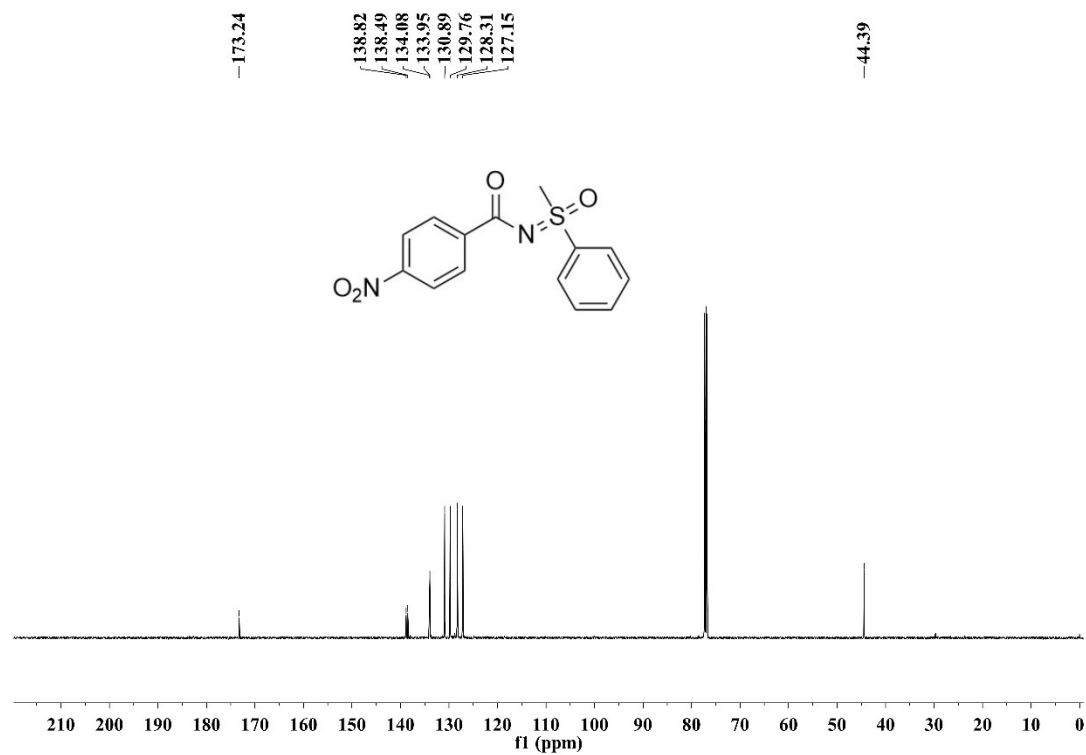
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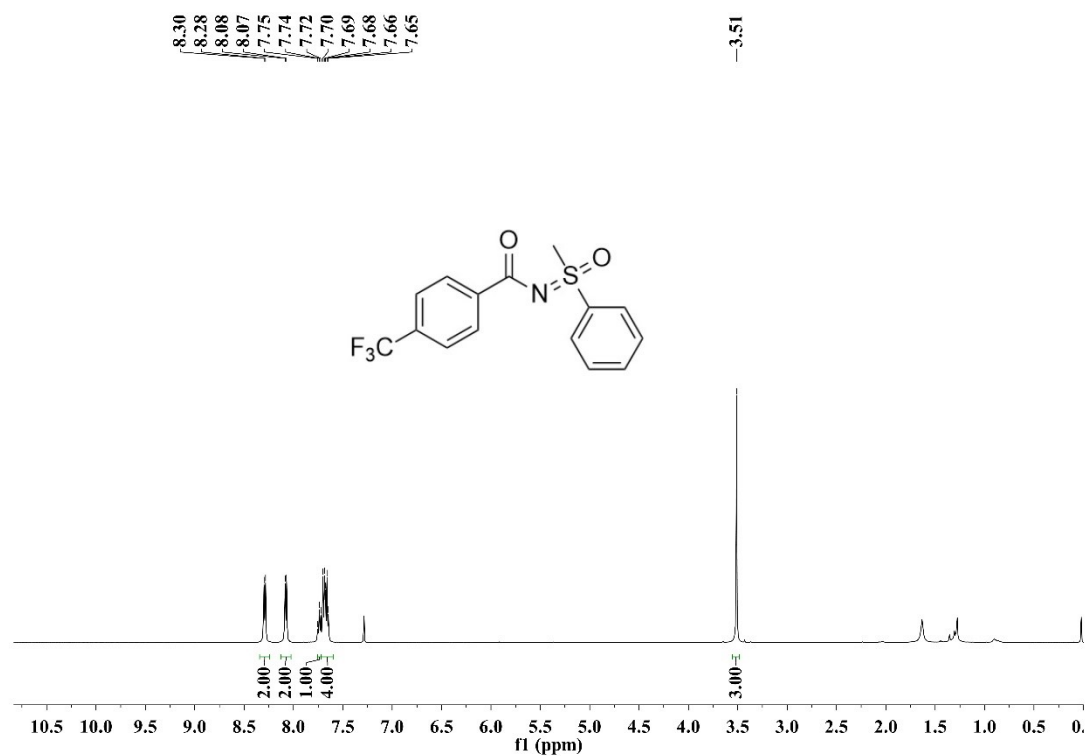
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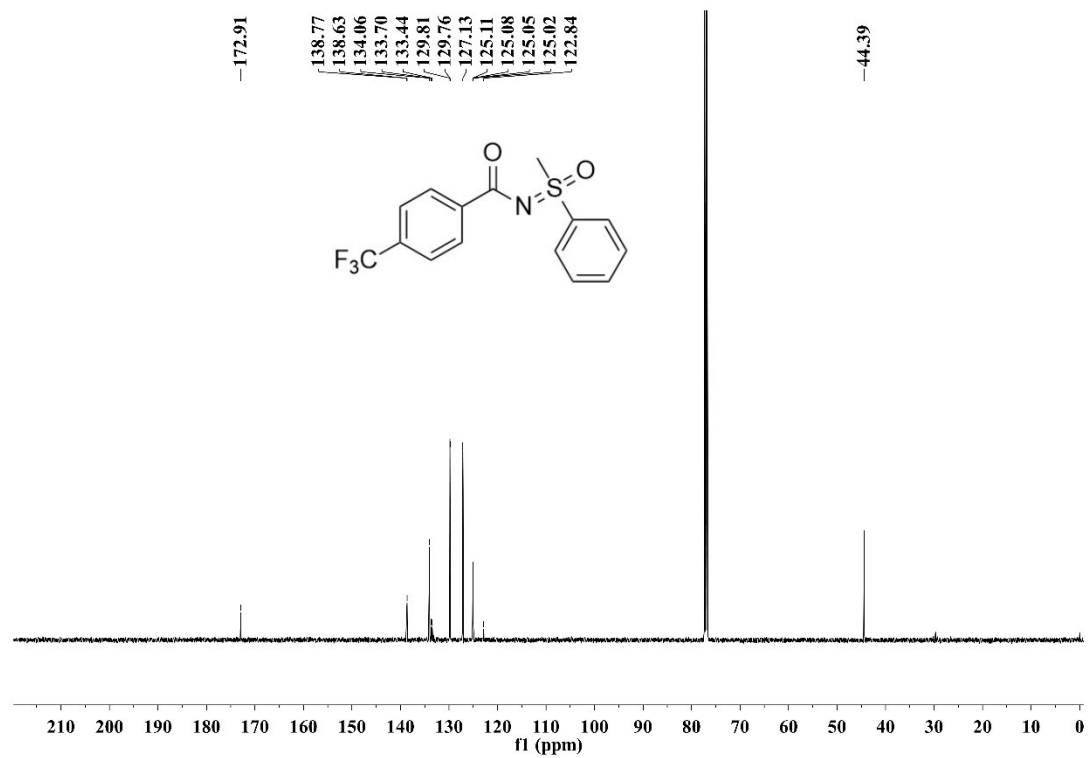
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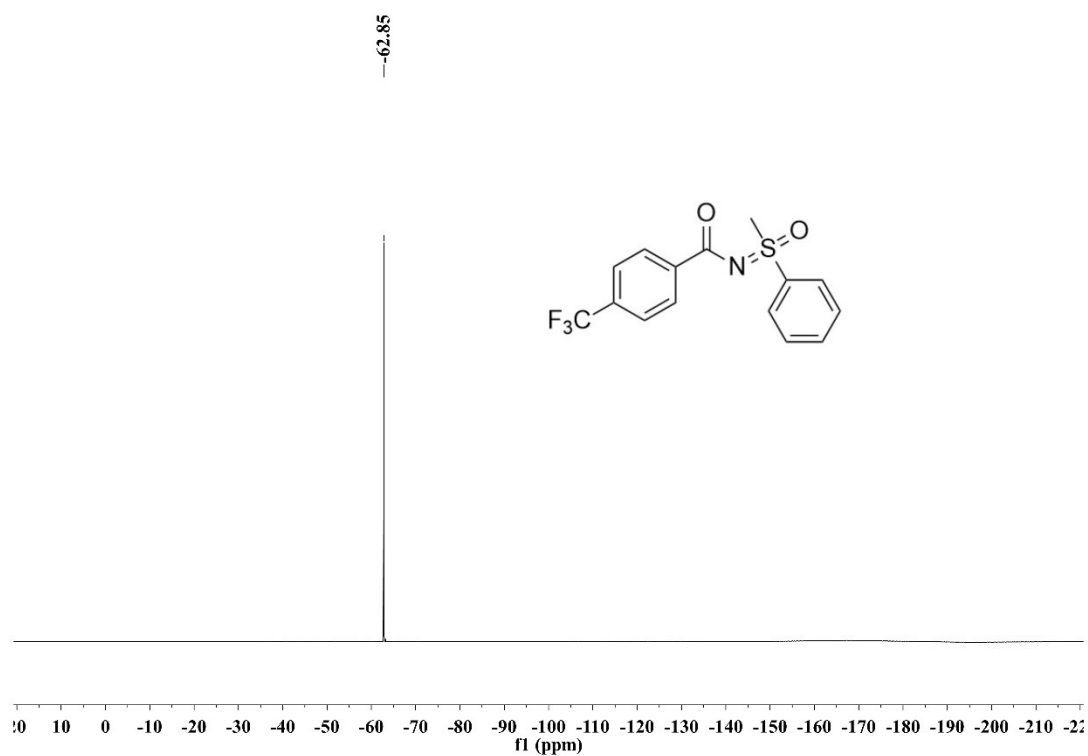
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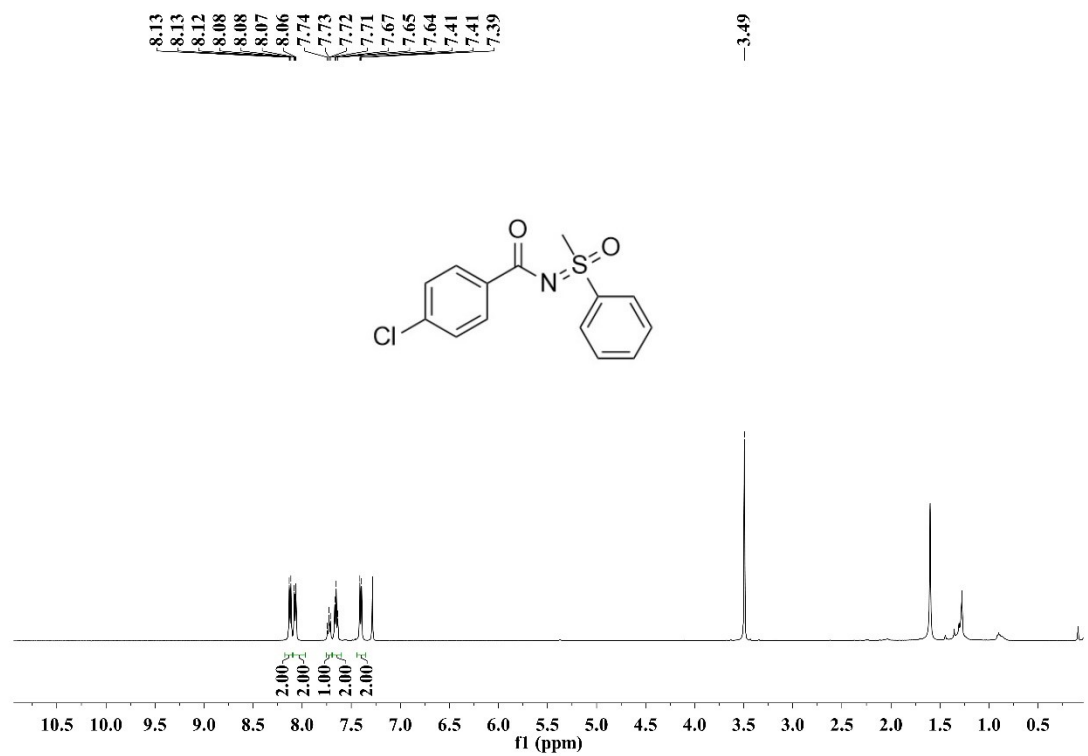
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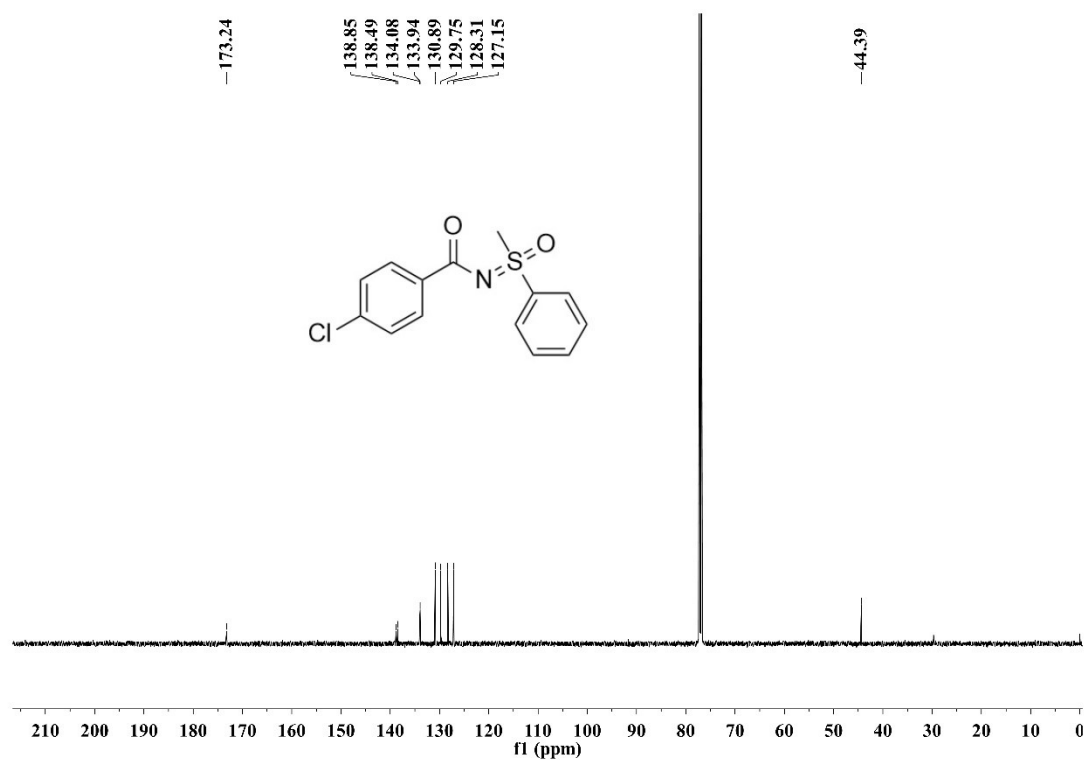
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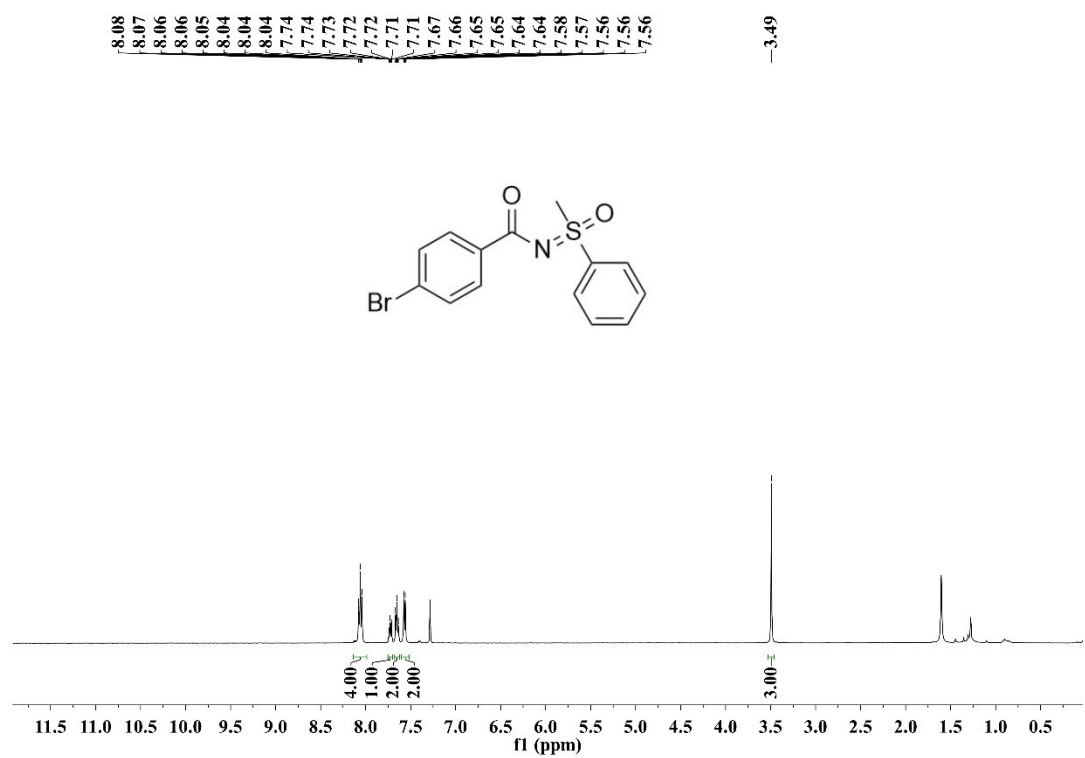
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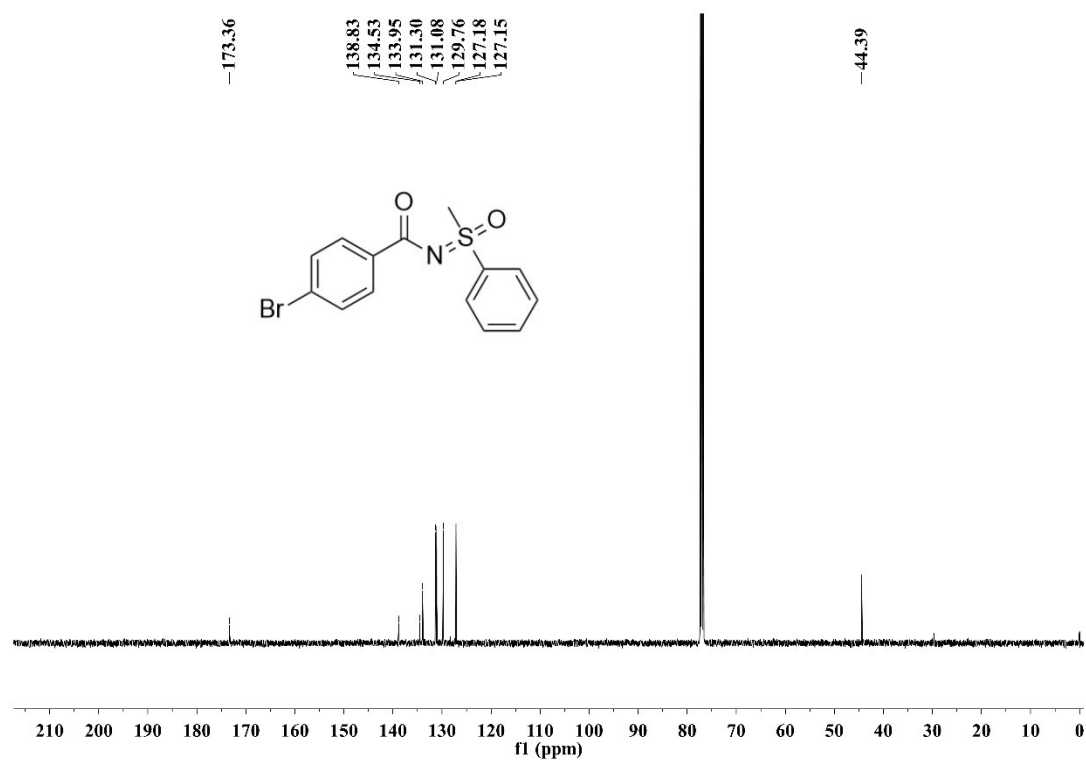
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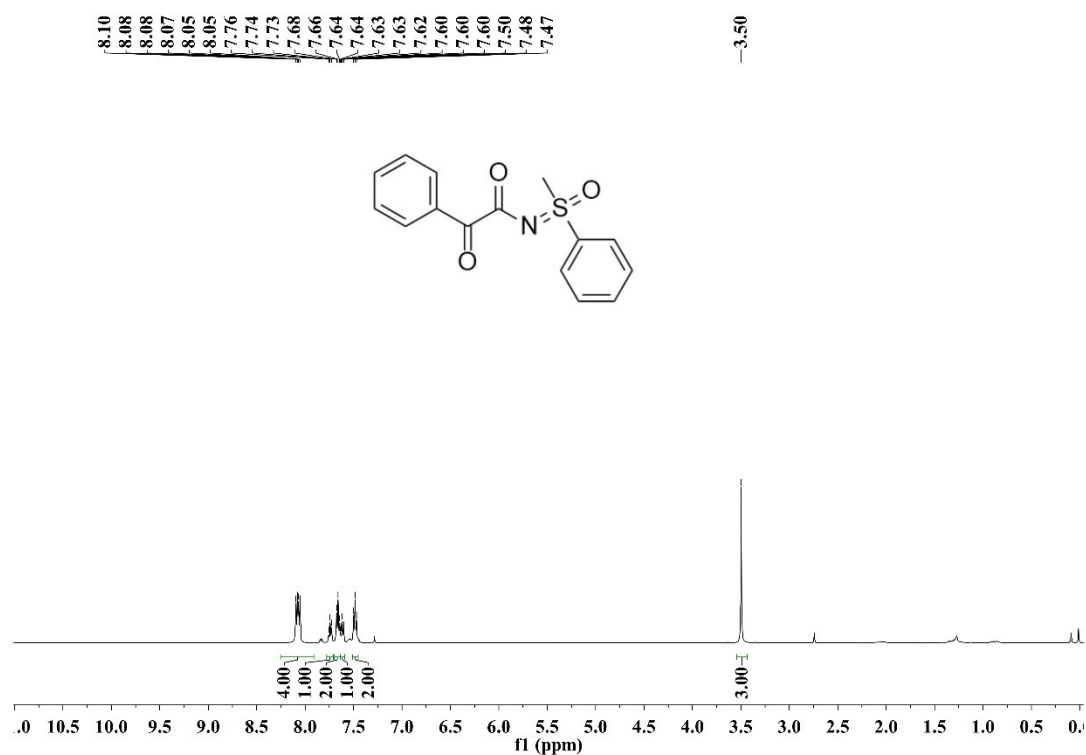
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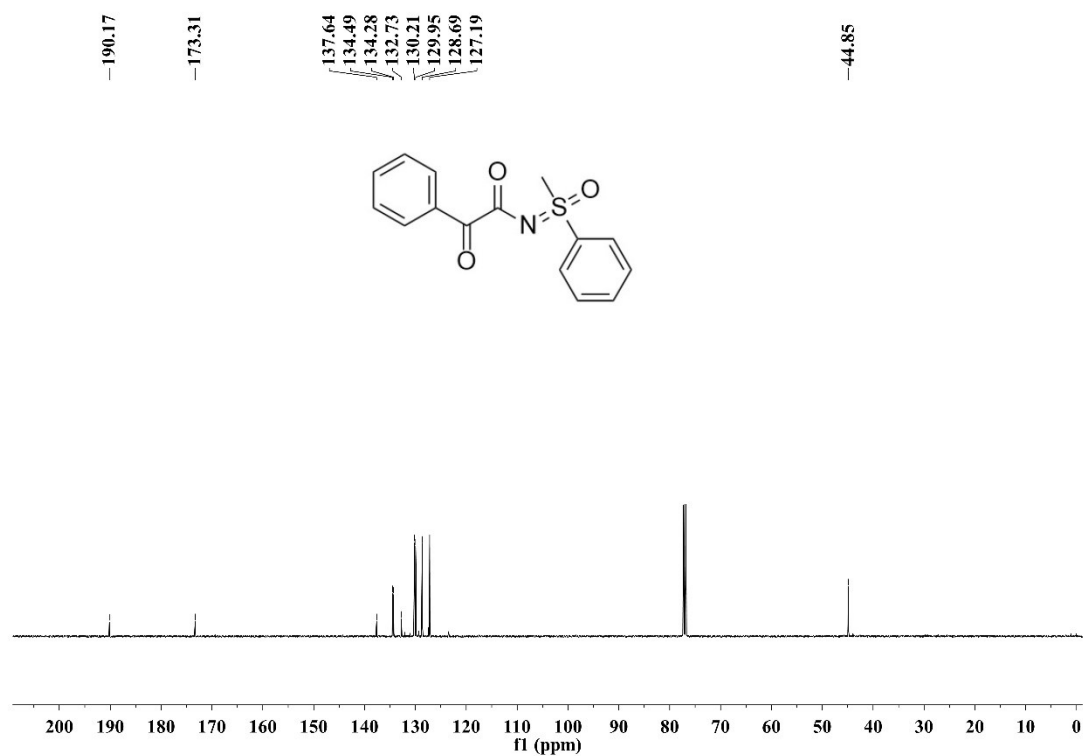
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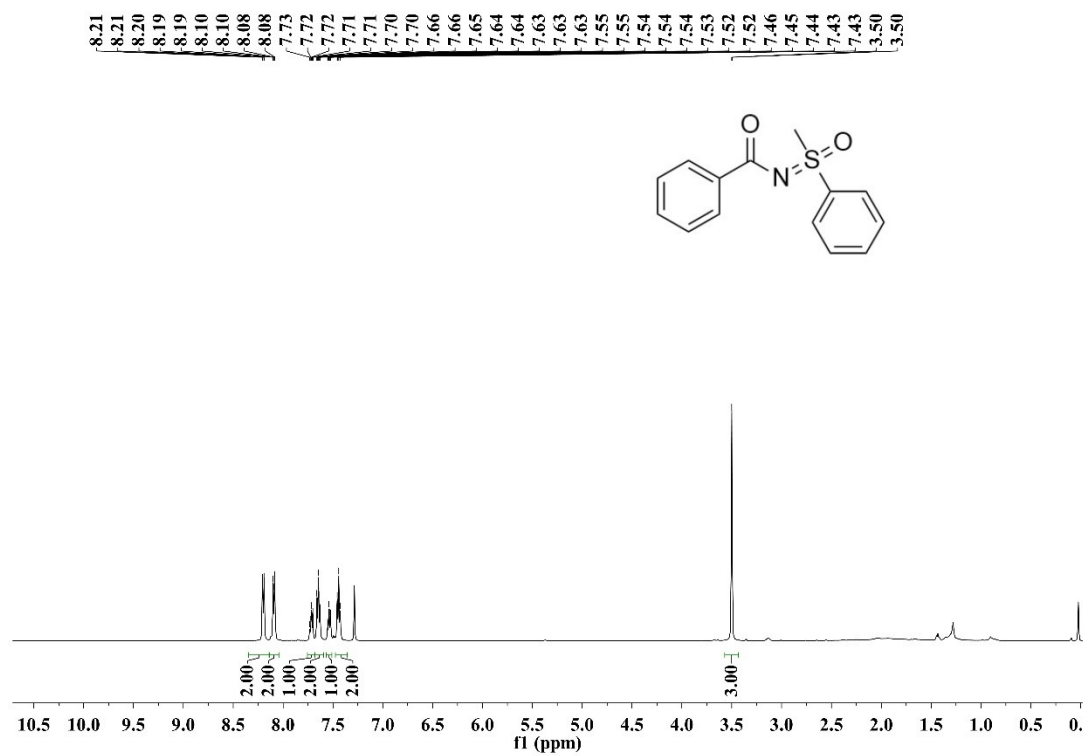
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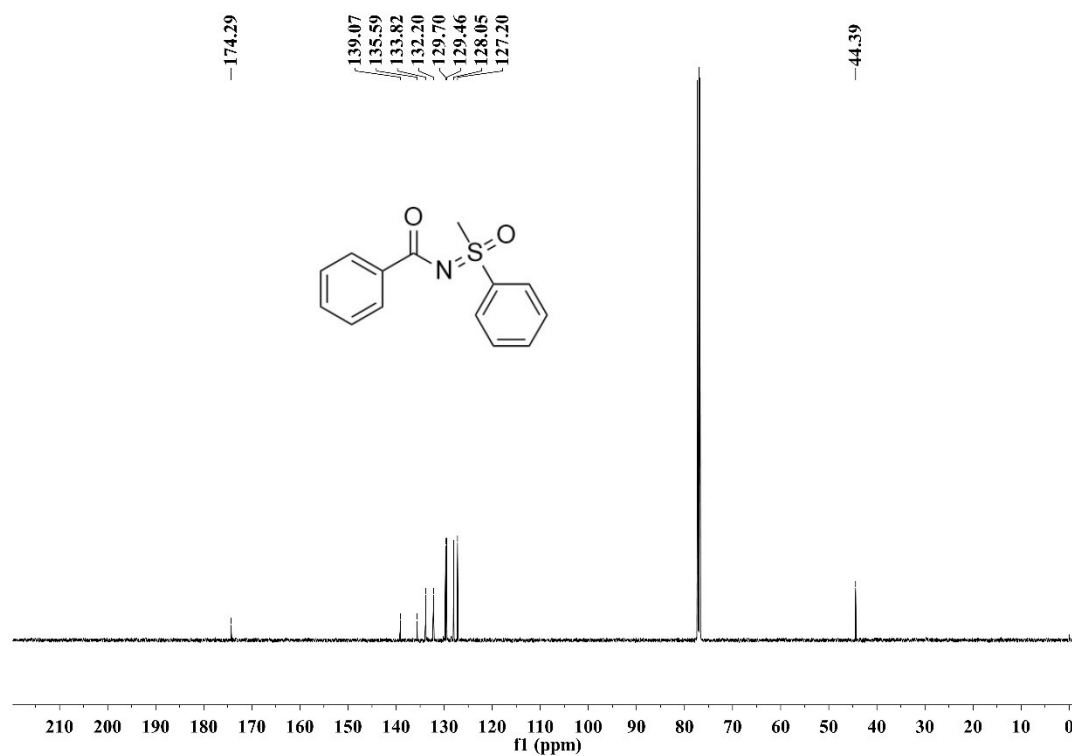
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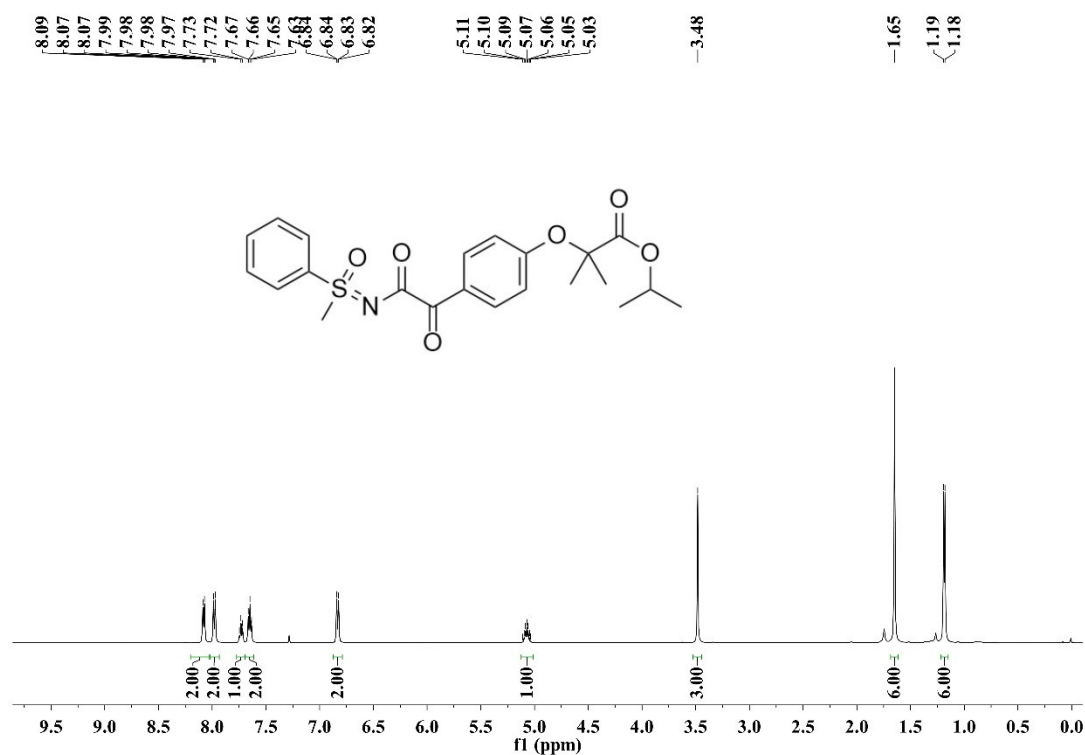
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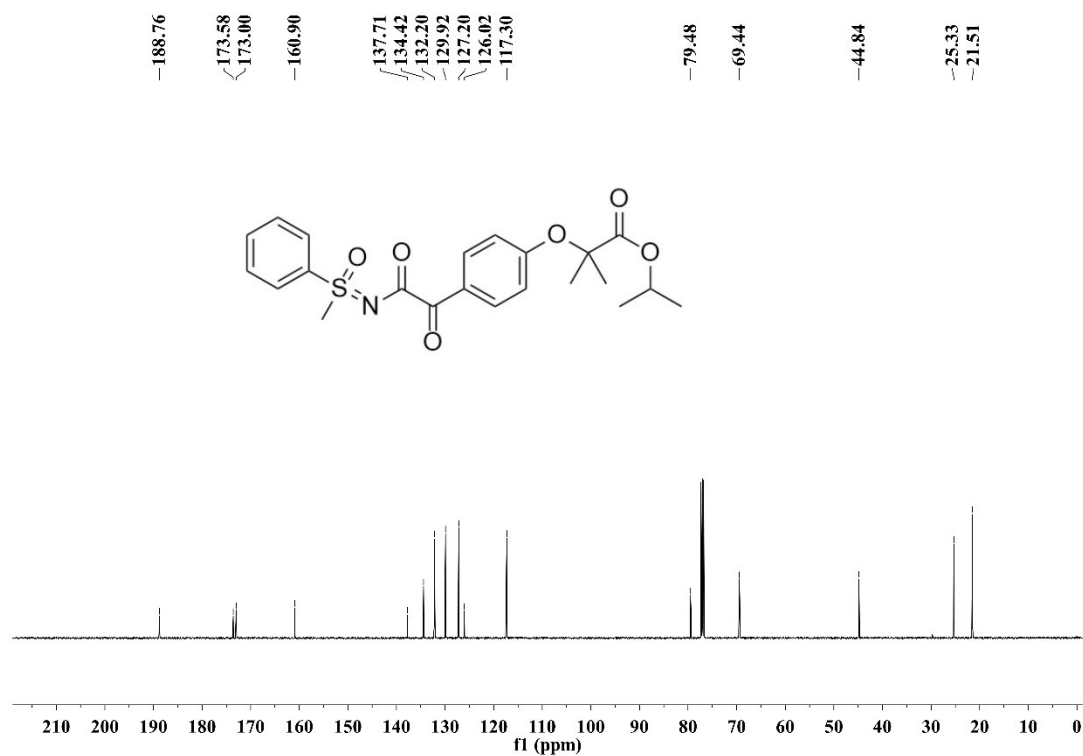
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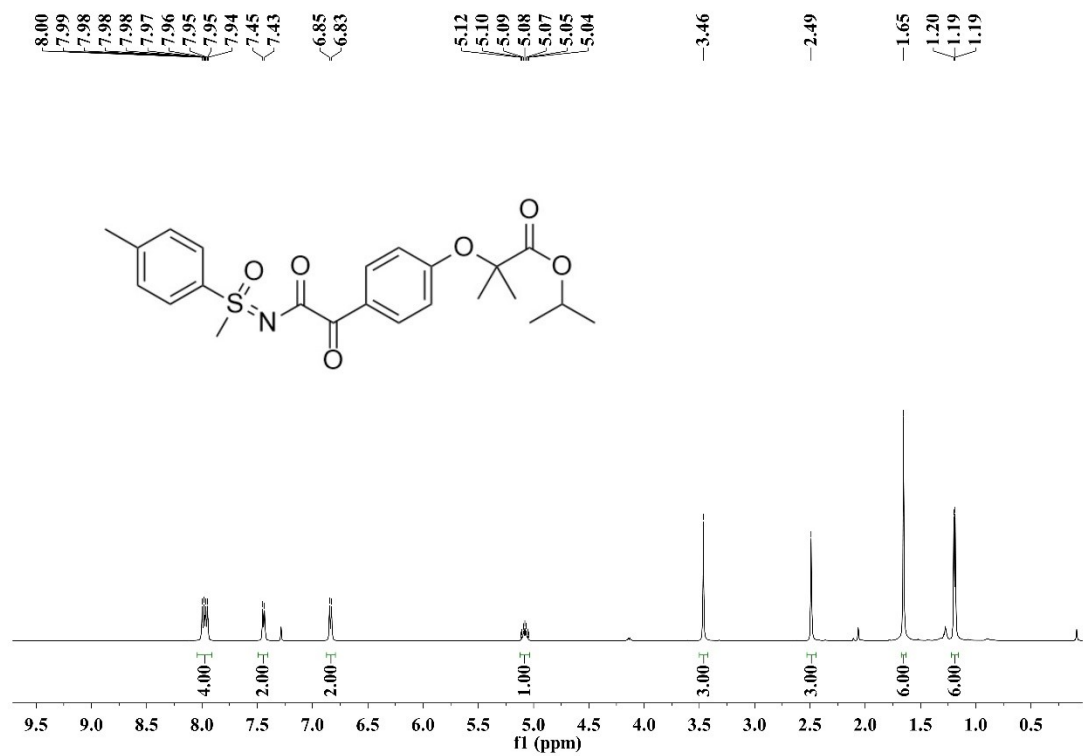
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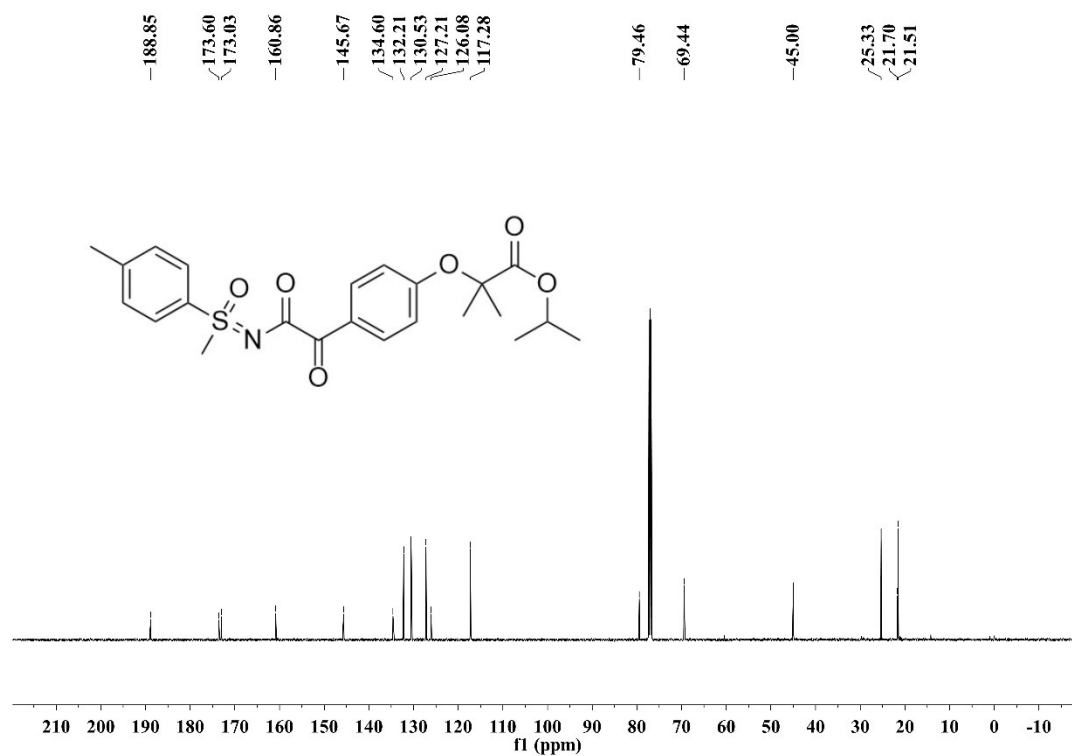
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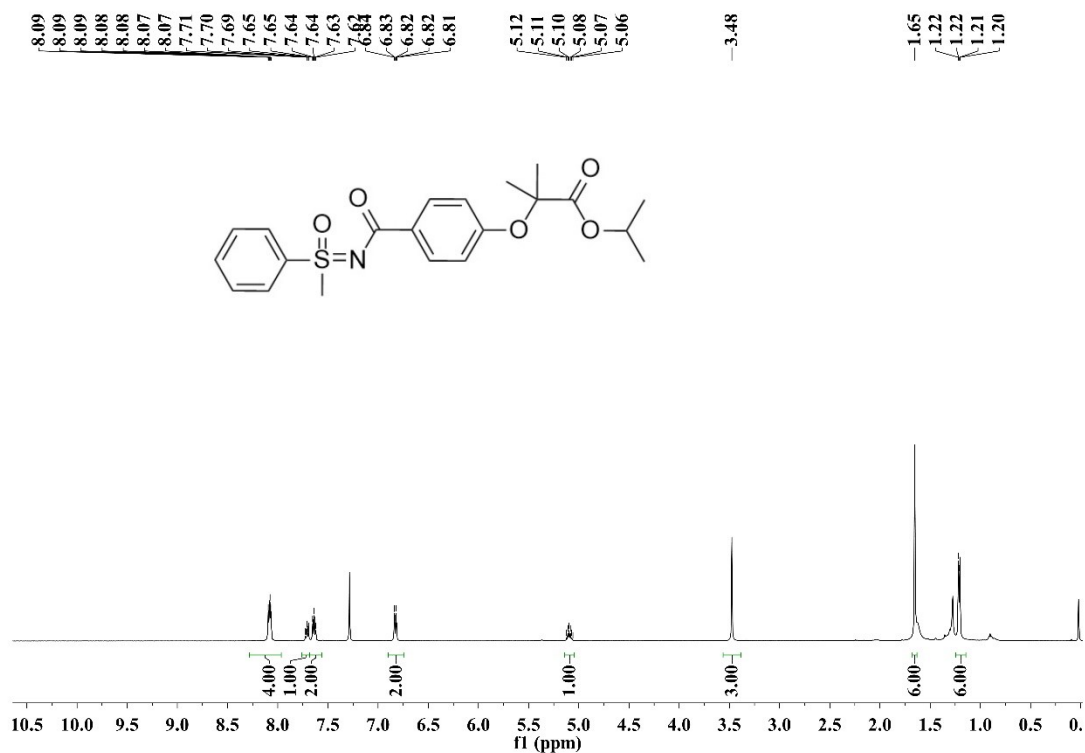
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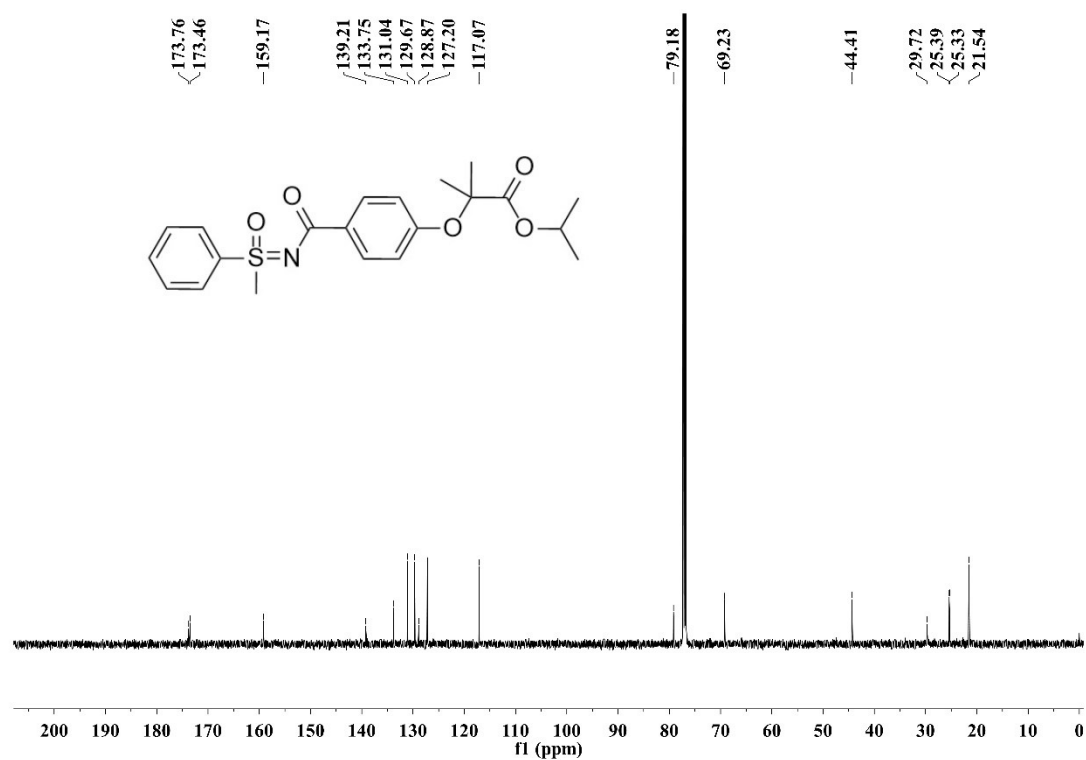
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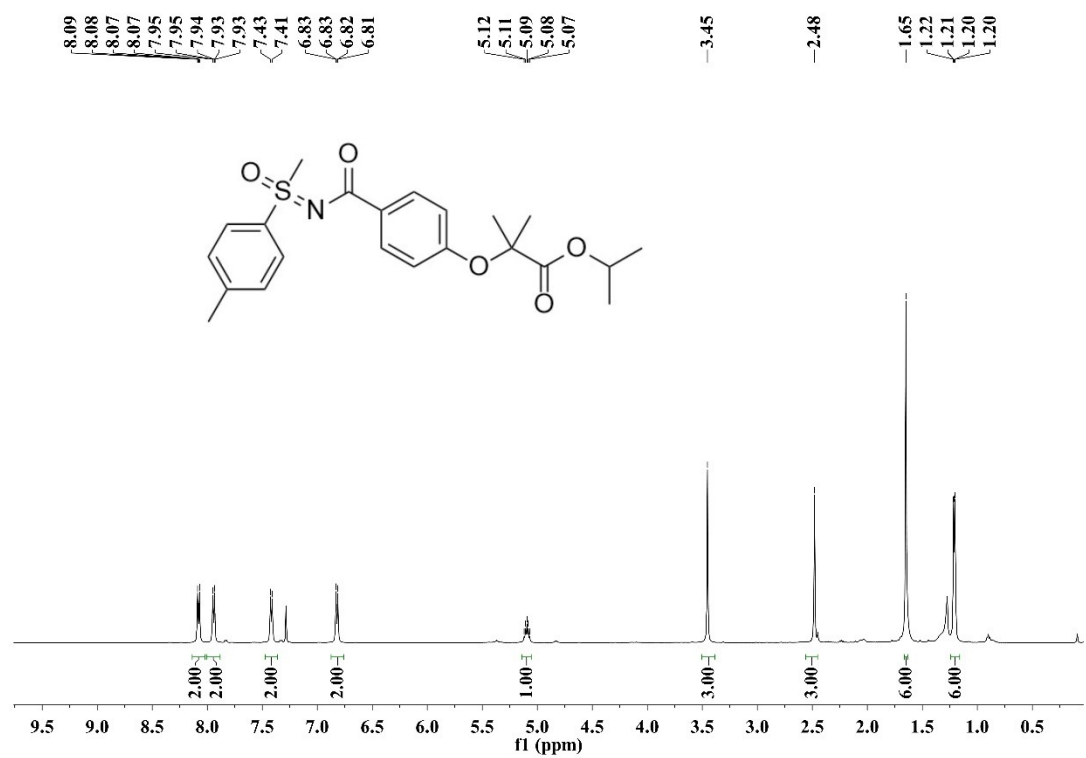
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$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of 6a (125 MHz, CDCl_3)



^1H NMR spectrum of 6b (500 MHz, CDCl_3)



$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of 6b (125 MHz, CDCl_3)

