

Supporting Information

Dimethylformamide-Modulated Stereoselective Synthesis of α -Kdo Glycosides with Kdo Ynenoate as Donor

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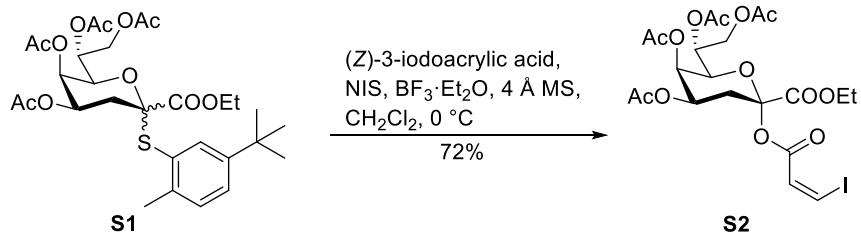
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1. General Information. All reactions were performed with anhydrous solvents in oven-dried glassware with magnetic stirring under argon or nitrogen unless otherwise stated. The chemicals were purchased as reagent grade and used without further purification unless otherwise noted. Dry dichloromethane was distilled over calcium hydride prior to use. Anhydrous DMF (Extra dry) was purchased from Acros Co. The boiling range of petroleum ether (PE) used as fluent in column chromatography was 65-80 °C. Analytical thin layer chromatography (TLC) was conducted on precoated plates of silica gel (0.25-0.3 mm, Shanghai, China). The TLC plates were visualized by exposure to UV light or by staining with a sulfuric acid-ethanol solution. Silica gel column chromatography was performed on silica gel AR (100-200 mesh, Shanghai, China). Optical rotations (OR) were measured with a Rudolph Research Analytical Autopol I automatic polarimeter. NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker Avance III 400 spectrometer. The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were calibrated against the residual proton and carbon signals of the solvents as internal references (CDCl_3 : $\delta_{\text{H}} = 7.26$ ppm and $\delta_{\text{C}} = 77.2$ ppm). Multiplicities are quoted as singlet (s), broad singlet (br s), doublet (d), triplet (t), quartet (q), doublet of doublets (dd), doublet of doublet of doublets (ddd), doublet of triplets (dt) or multiplet (m). All NMR chemical shifts (δ) were recorded in ppm and coupling constants (J) were reported in Hz. High-resolution mass spectra were recorded on ESI-TOF spectrometer.

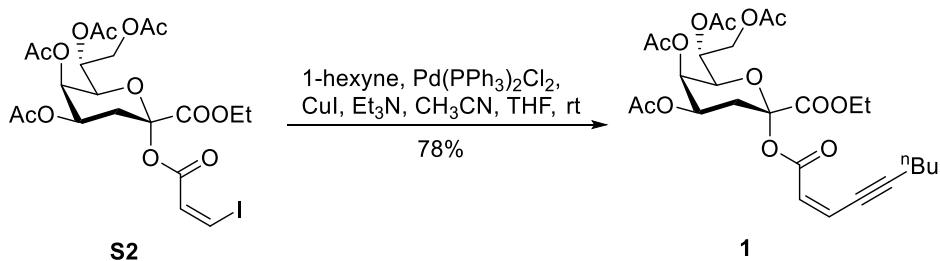
2. Experimental details and characterization data of new compounds

2.1. Synthesis of ethyl ((Z)-non-2-en-4-ynoyl 4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 1



To a solution of **S1**¹ (2.65 g, 4.4 mmol) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (30 mL) was added (Z)-3-iodoacrylic acid (1.8 g, 8.9 mmol) and 4 Å MS (4.5 g). The mixture was stirred

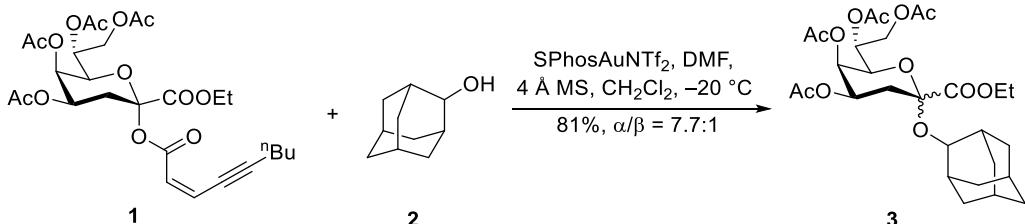
at room temperature for 15 min, and then $\text{BF}_3 \cdot \text{Et}_2\text{O}$ (1.1 mL, 8.9 mmol) and NIS (2.0 g, 8.9 mmol) were added. After being stirred at room temperature for 1.5 h, the reaction was filtered, diluted with CH_2Cl_2 and washed with saturated aqueous $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$. The organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 4/1) to give **S2** (1.95 g, 72%) as a pale yellow foam. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +82.0$ (*c* 0.32, CHCl_3); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1 H, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}$), 7.00 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1 H, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}$), 5.45–5.39 (m, 2 H, H-5/7), 5.23 (ddd, *J* = 2.4, 3.6, 10.0 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.49 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.33–4.26 (m, 2 H), 4.23 (dd, *J* = 1.2, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.13–4.09 (m, 1 H), 2.33–2.22 (m, 2 H, H-3), 2.11 (s, 3 H), 2.00 (s, 6 H), 1.99 (s, 3 H), 1.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.6, 170.5, 170.2, 169.8, 165.8, 161.6, 128.9, 98.3, 98.1, 70.0, 67.5, 66.2, 64.1, 62.7, 62.2, 31.1, 20.9, 20.8, 14.1; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{27}\text{O}_{13}\text{INa}$ [M + Na]⁺ 637.0394, found 637.0395.



To a solution of **S2** (2.2 g, 3.6 mmol) in anhydrous CH_3CN (30 mL) was added CuI (68.8 mg, 0.36 mmol) and $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2$ (126.3 mg, 0.18 mmol). After purged with argon for three times, Et_3N (1 mL, 7.2 mmol) and 1-hexyne (618 μL , 5.4 mmol) were added to the solution. After the mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight, the reaction was diluted with CH_2Cl_2 and washed with saturated aqueous NH_4Cl . The organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 8/1) to afford **1** (1.60 g, 78%) as a yellow syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +85.1$ (*c* 0.32, CHCl_3); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 6.27 (dt, *J* = 2.4, 11.6 Hz, 1 H, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}$), 6.01 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz, 1 H, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}$), 5.38–5.35 (m, 2 H, H-5/7), 5.23 (ddd, *J*

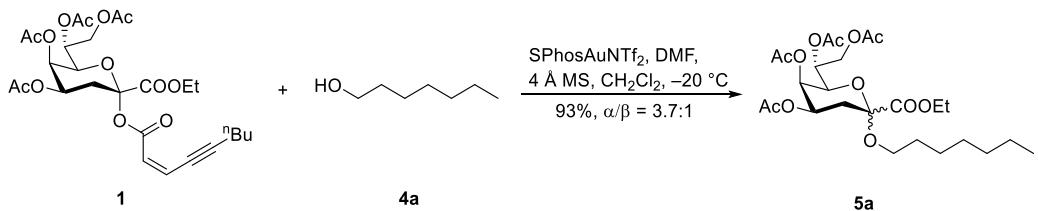
δ = 2.0, 3.2, 10.0 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.44 (dd, J = 1.6, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.31–4.24 (m, 3 H), 4.15–4.10 (m, 1 H), 2.46 (td, J = 2.0, 7.2 Hz, 2 H), 2.31–2.22 (m, 2 H, H-3), 2.11 (s, 3 H), 2.00 (s, 3 H), 1.98 (s, 6 H), 1.58–1.51 (m, 2 H), 1.47–1.39 (m, 2 H), 1.28 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3 H), 0.91 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.7, 170.6, 170.1, 169.8, 166.2, 161.6, 126.4, 125.4, 106.7, 97.6, 77.9, 69.6, 67.5, 66.3, 64.1, 62.5, 62.3, 31.2, 30.4, 22.2, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7, 19.9, 14.1, 13.7; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_{13}\text{Na} [\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 591.2054, found 591.2056.

2.2. Synthesis of ethyl (adamantan-2-yl 4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy-D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 3



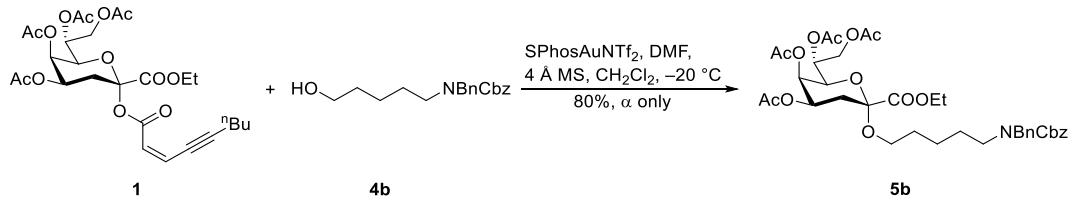
To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), 2-adamantanol **2** (15.2 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μL , 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH_2Cl_2 (0.1 M, 0.25 mL) under argon. After being stirred at -20 °C for 2 h, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **3**² (23.0 mg, 81%, α/β = 7.7:1) as a colorless syrup. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.38–5.33 (m, 2 H, H-4 α /5 α /7 α), 5.26–5.25 (m, 0.13 H, H-5 β /7 β), 5.19 (dt, J = 2.8, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4 α /5 α /7 α), 5.13 (ddd, J = 2.4, 4.8, 9.6 Hz, 0.13 H, H-5 β /7 β), 4.87 (ddd, J = 3.2, 4.4, 13.2 Hz, 0.13 H, H-4 β), 4.68 (dd, J = 2.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.37 (dd, J = 2.4, 12.4 Hz, 0.13 H), 4.31–4.09 (m, 4.52 H), 3.92 (m, 0.14 H), 3.89 (m, 1 H), 2.40 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 0.13 H, H-3 β), 2.35–2.31 (m, 1 H, H-3 α), 2.10–1.92 (m, 17.86 H), 1.83–1.44 (m, 13.78 H), 1.30 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3.39 H).

2.3. Synthesis of ethyl (*n*-heptanyl 4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy-D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 5a



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), *n*-heptanol **4a** (14 μL, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μL, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.2 mL) under argon. After being stirred at -20 °C for 2 h, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5a**² (24.8 mg, 93%, α/β = 3.7:1) as a colorless syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.36–5.31 (m, 2 H, H-4α/5α/7α), 5.27 (br s, 0.27 H, H-5β/7β), 5.22 (dt, *J* = 2.8, 10.0 Hz, 1 H, H-4α/5α/7α), 5.17 (dt, *J* = 3.2, 9.6 Hz, 0.27 H, H-5β/7β), 4.87 (ddd, *J* = 3.2, 4.4, 13.2 Hz, 0.27 H, H-4β), 4.60 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.36–4.35 (m, 0.54 H), 4.28–4.22 (m, 2.54 H), 4.20–4.17 (m, 0.27 H), 4.14 (dd, *J* = 3.6, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.08 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.73 (dt, *J* = 6.4, 9.2 Hz, 0.27 H), 3.46 (dt, *J* = 6.4, 9.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.31–3.25 (m, 1.27 H), 2.36 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 0.27 H, H-3β), 2.20–2.15 (m, 1 H, H-3α), 2.10–1.97 (m, 16.51 H), 1.60–1.53 (m, 2.54 H), 1.34–1.24 (m, 13.97 H), 0.89–0.86 (m, 3.81 H).

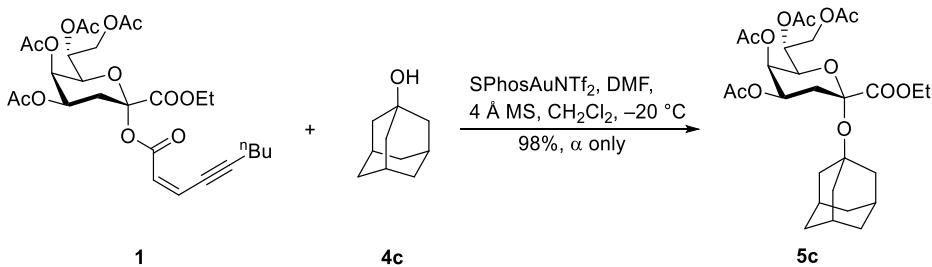
2.4. Synthesis of ethyl (*N*-benzyl-benzyloxycarbonyl-5-aminopentyl 4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy-*a*-D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate **5b**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), linker **4b**³ (32.7 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μL, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.2 mL) under argon. After being stirred at -20 °C for 2 h, TLC indicated the

disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5b**² (29.8 mg, 80%, α only) as a yellow syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.17 (m, 10 H), 5.35–5.31 (m, 2 H, H-4/5/7/Cbz), 5.24–5.16 (m, 3 H, H-4/5/7/Cbz), 4.60 (dd, J = 0.8, 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.50 (br s, 2 H), 4.24 (q, J = 6.8 Hz, 2 H), 4.13 (dd, J = 3.2, 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.07–4.03 (m, 1 H), 3.44 (br s, 1 H), 3.26–3.20 (m, 3 H), 2.16 (dd, J = 4.0, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.08–1.97 (m, 13 H), 1.54 (br s, 4 H), 1.33–1.25 (m, 5 H).

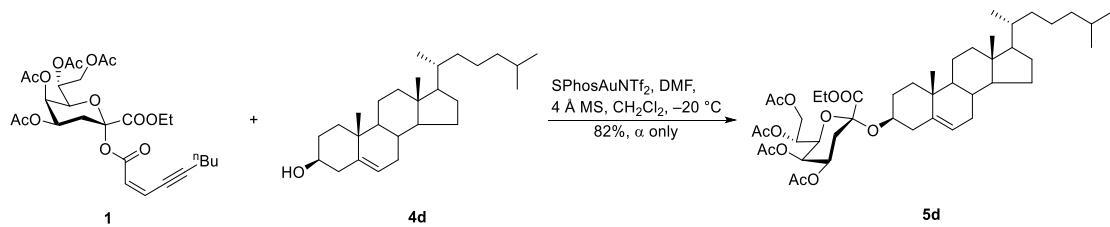
2.5. Synthesis of ethyl (adamantan-1-yl 4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate **5c**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), 1-adamantanol **4c** (15.3 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.25 mL) under argon. After being stirred at -20 °C for 2 h, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5c**² (27.9 mg, 98%, α only) as a colorless syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.37–5.32 (m, 2 H, H-4/5/7), 5.22 (dt, J = 3.2, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4/5/7), 4.66 (dd, J = 2.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.35–4.12 (m, 4 H), 2.18 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.0 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.10 (br s, 3 H), 2.06 (s, 3 H), 2.05 (s, 3 H), 1.98 (s, 3 H), 1.96 (s, 3 H), 1.89 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.86 (br s, 6 H), 1.63–1.53 (m, 6 H), 1.34 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3 H).

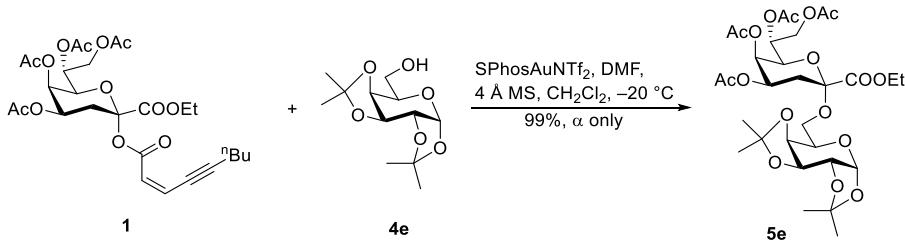
2.6. Synthesis of ethyl (cholesteryl 4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-

oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 5d



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), cholesterol **4d** (38.7 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH_2Cl_2 (0.1 M, 0.25 mL) under argon. After being stirred at -20 °C for 2 h, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5d**² (32.9 mg, 82%, α only) as a colorless syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.37–5.33 (m, 2 H, H-5/7), 5.24 (ddd, J = 2.8, 4.4, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.69 (dd, J = 2.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.29 – 4.17 (m, 3 H), 4.11 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.51 (dt, J = 4.8, 10.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.39–2.26 (m, 2 H), 2.22 (dd, J = 4.0, 12.0 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.06 (s, 3 H), 2.05 (s, 3 H), 1.98 (s, 3 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H).

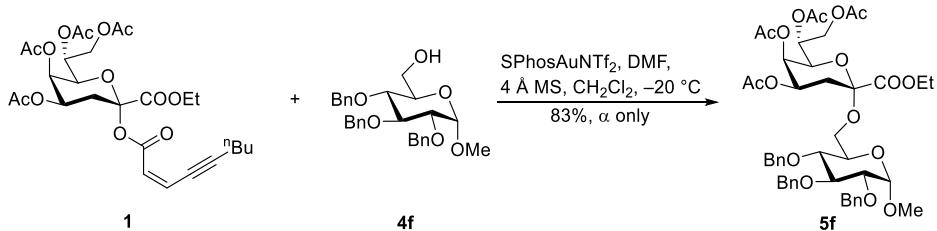
2.7. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-*manno*-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2 \rightarrow 6)-1,2:3,4-di-*O*-isopropylidene- α -D-galactopyranoside



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the galactosyl acceptor **4e**⁴ (26.0 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.25 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column

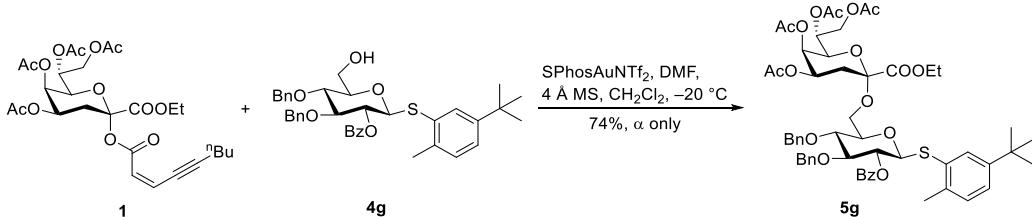
chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5e**² (33.5 mg, 99%, α only) as a colorless syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.51 (d, J = 4.8 Hz, 1 H, H-1'), 5.36–5.32 (m, 2 H, H-5/7), 5.27 (ddd, J = 2.0, 5.2, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.60–4.55 (m, 2 H), 4.34 (d, J = 9.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.30–4.22 (m, 3 H), 4.19 (dd, J = 1.6, 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.14 (dd, J = 5.6, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.99–3.96 (m, 1 H), 3.67–3.60 (m, 2 H), 2.20–2.16 (m, 1 H, H-3), 2.09–2.05 (m, 7 H), 2.00 (s, 3 H), 1.96 (s, 3 H), 1.56 (s, 3 H), 1.41 (s, 3 H), 1.33–1.30 (m, 9 H).

2.8. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2→6)-methyl 2,3,4-tri-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranoside **5f**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the glucosyl acceptor **4f**⁵ (46.4 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at –20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.25 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at –20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 4/1) to provide **5f**² (36.6 mg, 83%, α only) as a white foam. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37–7.24 (m, 15 H), 5.34–5.29 (m, 2 H, H-5/7), 5.18 (ddd, J = 2.4, 4.4, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.99 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1 H), 4.92 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1 H), 4.82–4.78 (m, 2 H), 4.67 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.57 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1 H, H-1'), 4.55–4.50 (m, 2 H), 4.20–4.11 (m, 3 H), 4.08 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.99 (t, J = 9.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.82 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.66 (dd, J = 1.2, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.48–3.44 (m, 2 H), 3.42 (s, 3 H), 3.24 (dd, J = 5.2, 6.0 Hz, 1 H), 2.16 (dd, J = 5.2, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.07–2.04 (m, 4 H), 1.98 (s, 3 H), 1.96 (s, 3 H), 1.88 (s, 3 H), 1.21 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3 H).

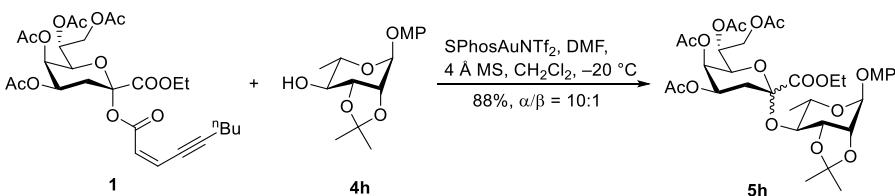
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To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the glucosyl acceptor **4g**⁶ (62.7 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.3 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5g** (38.6 mg, 74%, α only) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +56.4$ (*c* 0.38, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06–8.03 (m, 2 H), 7.61–7.56 (m, 1 H), 7.47–7.43 (m, 3 H), 7.36–7.27 (m, 5 H), 7.19 (dd, *J* = 2.0, 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.15–7.10 (m, 6 H), 5.34–5.26 (m, 3 H, H-5/7/1'), 5.22 (ddd, *J* = 2.4, 3.2, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.94 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.72 (d, *J* = 11.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.69–4.65 (m, 2 H), 4.63–4.56 (m, 2 H), 4.23–4.16 (m, 2 H), 4.15–4.07 (m, 2 H), 3.87–3.83 (m, 1 H), 3.78 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.65–3.57 (m, 3 H), 2.30–2.25 (m, 4 H, H-3/ArCH₃), 2.08 (s, 3 H), 2.05 (m, 1 H, H-3), 2.01 (s, 3 H), 2.00 (s, 3 H), 1.98 (s, 3 H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3 H), 1.22 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.7, 170.6, 169.9, 169.8, 166.9, 165.5, 149.8, 138.0, 137.7, 133.4, 133.2, 130.3, 130.1, 130.0, 128.7, 128.5, 128.2, 128.1, 127.9, 125.5, 99.1, 88.6, 84.5, 78.6, 78.1, 75.5, 75.3, 73.0, 68.5, 67.8, 66.6, 64.4, 64.0, 62.2, 62.1, 34.5, 31.9, 31.4, 21.1, 20.9, 20.8, 20.6, 14.2; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for C₅₆H₆₆O₁₇SNa [M + Na]⁺ 1065.3918, found 1065.3917.

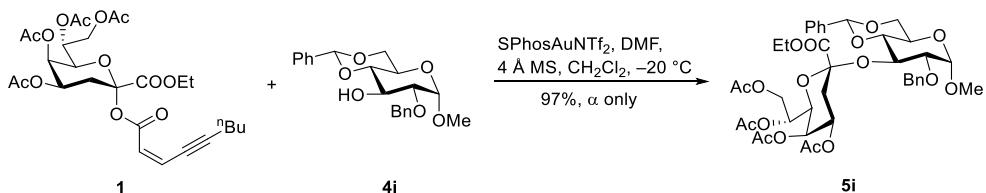
2.10. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy-D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2 \rightarrow 4)-4-methoxyphenyl 2,3-*O*-isopropylidene- α -L-

rhamnopyranoside **5h**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the L-rhamnosyl acceptor **4h**⁷ (31.0 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μL, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (1 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.5 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 7/1) to provide **5h**² (21.6 mg, 88%, $\alpha/\beta = 10:1$) as a white foam. **5h** α : ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.99–6.97 (m, 2 H), 6.84–6.82 (m, 2 H), 5.56 (s, 1 H, H-1'), 5.38–5.30 (m, 3 H, H-4/5/7), 4.65 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.31–4.20 (m, 6 H), 3.81–3.77 (m, 4 H), 3.63 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 9.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.20 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 12.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.11–2.08 (m, 7 H), 1.99 (s, 3 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H), 1.53 (s, 3 H), 1.38 (s, 3 H), 1.33 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3 H), 1.16 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3 H).

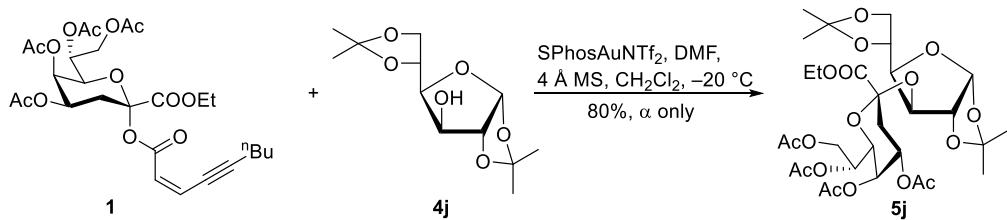
2.11. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2→3)-methyl 2-*O*-benzyl-4,6-*O*-benzylidene- α -D-glucopyranoside **5i**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the glucosyl acceptor **4i**⁸ (78.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μL, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.2 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 7/1) to provide **5i** in 97% yield.

chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5i** (38.3 mg, 97%, α only) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +52.5$ (c 0.32, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45–7.30 (m, 10 H), 5.36–5.31 (m, 2 H, H-4/5/7/PhCH), 5.19–5.13 (m, 2 H, H-4/5/7/PhCH), 4.79 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.65–4.57 (m, 4 H, H-1'), 4.29 (t, J = 9.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.20–4.11 (m, 2 H), 3.76 (td, J = 4.8, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.66 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.60–3.56 (m, 2 H), 3.43–3.37 (m, 1 H), 3.34 (s, 3 H), 3.16–3.08 (m, 1 H), 2.20 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.09 (s, 3 H), 2.04–2.03 (m, 4 H), 1.95 (s, 6 H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.0, 170.6, 170.1, 170.0, 167.7, 137.8, 137.2, 129.4, 128.8, 128.7, 128.4, 126.9, 102.1, 98.6, 81.7, 79.3, 73.8, 71.3, 69.3, 69.2, 68.4, 66.6, 64.8, 62.8, 62.4, 61.2, 55.4, 32.9, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8, 13.9; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₉H₄₈O₁₇Na [M + Na]⁺ 811.2789, found 811.2791.

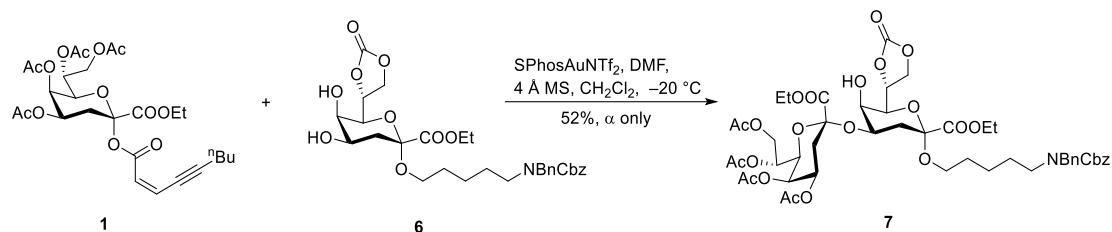
2.12. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-O-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2→3)-1,2:5,6-di-O-isopropylidene- α -D-glucofuranoside **5j**



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (28.4 mg, 0.05 mmol), the glucofunanosyl acceptor **4j**⁹ (26.0 mg, 0.1 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at –20 $^{\circ}$ C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.4 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at –20 $^{\circ}$ C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to provide **5j** (27.1 mg, 80%, α only) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +16.7$ (c 0.51, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.92 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1 H, H-1'), 5.39 (br s, 1 H, H-5/7), 5.27 (ddd, J = 3.2, 4.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-5/7), 5.18 (ddd, J = 2.8, 4.0, 9.2 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 4.78 (dd, J = 2.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.64 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.35–4.17 (m, 6 H), 4.10–3.99 (m, 3 H), 2.30 (dd, J = 4.4, 12.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.17–2.10 (m, 4 H), 2.08 (s, 3 H), 1.99 (s, 3 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H), 1.49

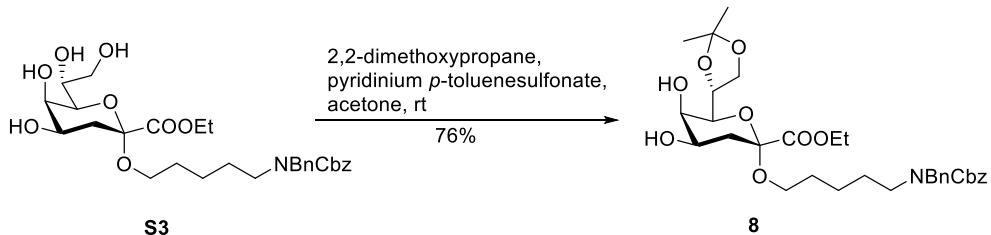
(s, 3 H), 1.41 (s, 3 H), 1.37–1.34 (m, 6 H), 1.31 (s, 3 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.7, 170.5, 170.1, 169.8, 166.4, 112.4, 109.3, 105.1, 100.0, 83.1, 80.9, 79.1, 72.6, 69.5, 68.1, 67.0, 66.3, 64.5, 62.6, 61.7, 31.9, 27.0, 26.9, 26.7, 26.6, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7, 14.1; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{44}\text{O}_{17}\text{Na} [\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 699.2476, found 699.2475.

2.13. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2 \rightarrow 4)-ethyl (*N*-benzyl-benzyloxycarbonyl-5-aminopentyl 7,8-*O*-carbonyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 7

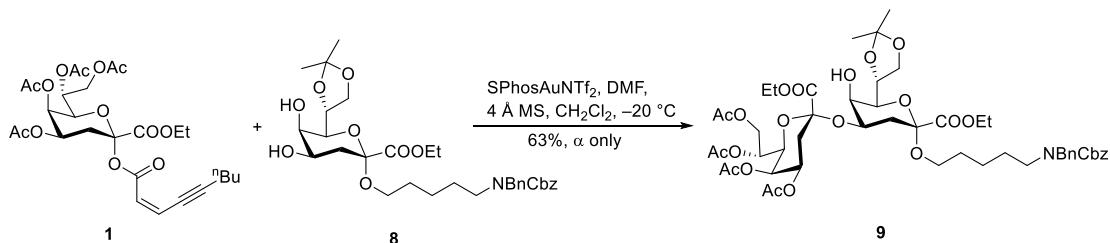


To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (56.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), the Kdo acceptor **6**² (30.1 mg, 0.05 mmol), DMF (23 μL , 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH_2Cl_2 (0.1 M, 1.0 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 2/1) to provide **7**² (26.5 mg, 52%, α only) as a colorless syrup. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.37–7.17 (m, 10 H), 5.38 (br s, 1 H, H-4/5/Cbz), 5.27–5.15 (m, 4 H, H-4/5/Cbz), 4.89–4.84 (m, 1 H), 4.78–4.71 (m, 2 H), 4.53–4.50 (m, 3 H), 4.29–4.21 (m, 5 H), 4.09 (d, $J = 9.6$ Hz, 1 H), 3.97–3.83 (m, 2 H), 3.72–3.69 (m, 1 H), 3.41–3.15 (m, 4 H), 2.22 (dd, $J = 4.8, 13.2$ Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.09–1.98 (m, 15 H), 1.52–1.50 (m, 4 H), 1.35–1.28 (m, 8 H).

2.14. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2 \rightarrow 4)-ethyl (*N*-benzyl-benzyloxycarbonyl-5-aminopentyl 7,8-*O*-isopropylidene-5-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 10

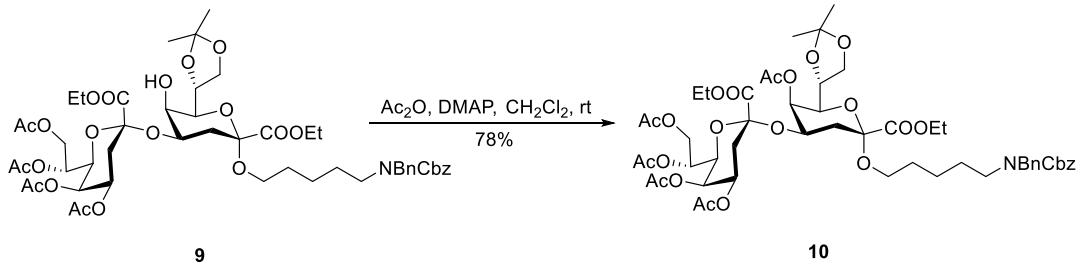


Tetraol **S3** was prepared from compound **5b** in 89% yield upon exposure to K_2CO_3 in ethanol according to our previously reported procedure.² To a solution of tetraol **S3** (208 mg, 0.36 mmol) in acetone (2.8 mL) at room temperature was added pyridinium *p*-toluenesulfonate (38 mg, 0.15 mmol) and 2,2-dimethoxypropane (79.7 μL , 0.65 mmol). After the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h, the reaction was quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 , extracted with CH_2Cl_2 , dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 2/1) to afford **8** (170 mg, 76%) as a pale yellow syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +36.2$ (*c* 0.50, CHCl_3); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36–7.16 (m, 10 H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 2 H, Cbz), 4.49 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2 H), 4.39 (dt, *J* = 6.0, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.22 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2 H), 4.15 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 4.05–3.94 (m, 3 H), 3.53–3.46 (m, 1 H), 3.40–3.36 (m, 1 H), 3.25–3.18 (m, 3 H), 2.62 (br s, 1 H), 2.44 (br s, 1 H), 2.14 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.83 (t, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.57–1.51 (m, 4 H), 1.39 (s, 3 H), 1.36 (s, 3 H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 5 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.5, 138.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.1, 128.0, 127.4, 127.3, 109.6, 99.0, 73.8, 72.9, 67.4, 67.2, 66.9, 65.9, 63.8, 61.9, 50.6, 50.3, 47.2, 46.2, 35.2, 29.4, 28.1, 27.7, 27.1, 25.5, 23.7, 14.3; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{45}\text{O}_{10}\text{NNa} [\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 638.2941, found 638.2942.



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (56.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), the Kdo acceptor **8** (30.8 mg, 0.05 mmol), DMF (23 μL , 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 \AA MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (2 mL) at -20°C , was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in

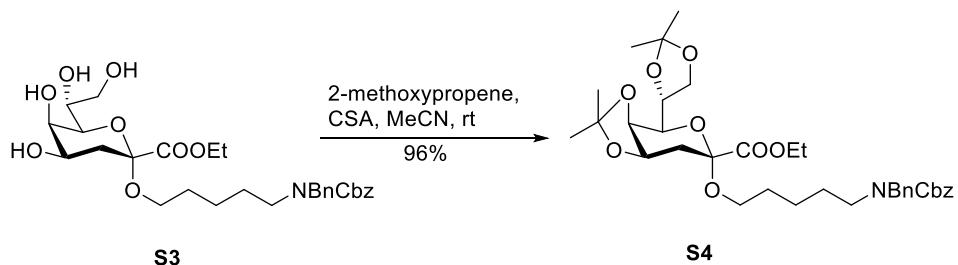
CH_2Cl_2 (0.1 M, 0.8 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20°C , TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 2/1) to provide **9** (32.5 mg, 63%, α only) as a colorless syrup: $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +65.3$ (*c* 0.33, CHCl_3); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36–7.16 (m, 10 H), 5.38 (br s, 1 H, H-4/5/7/Cbz), 5.31–5.26 (m, 1 H, H-4/5/7/Cbz), 5.20–5.14 (m, 3 H, H-4/5/7/Cbz), 4.75 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.48 (br s, 2 H), 4.40–4.35 (m, 1 H), 4.27–4.09 (m, 8 H), 4.00–3.92 (m, 2 H), 3.75 (br s, 1 H), 3.40–3.16 (m, 5 H), 2.28 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 12.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.11–2.05 (m, 9 H), 1.98 (s, 3 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H), 1.50 (m, 4 H), 1.35–1.28 (m, 14 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.8, 170.5, 170.2, 169.8, 167.9, 167.7, 156.8, 156.3, 138.1, 137.1, 136.9, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.0, 127.9, 127.4, 127.3, 109.3, 98.7, 97.8, 73.7, 72.3, 69.3, 68.9, 68.0, 67.3, 67.1, 66.3, 64.5, 64.4, 63.6, 62.6, 61.9, 61.6, 50.6, 50.3, 47.2, 46.3, 33.2, 32.4, 29.3, 28.1, 27.6, 27.0, 25.5, 23.5, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7, 14.3, 14.0; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for $\text{C}_{51}\text{H}_{69}\text{O}_{21}\text{NNa}$ [$\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 1054.4260, found 1054.4261.



To a solution of compound **9** (26.8 mg, 0.026 mmol) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) were added DMAP (3.5 mg, 0.03 mmol) and acetic anhydride (11 μ L, 0.12 mmol) at room temperature. After the mixture was stirred for 1 h, the reaction was quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃. The mixture was then extracted with CH₂Cl₂ and dried over Na₂SO₄. After filtration, the mixture was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 1/1) to provide **10** (21.8 mg, 78%) as a colorless syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +147.8$ (*c* 0.36, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.19 (m, 10 H), 5.34 (br s, 1 H, H-4/5/7/5'/Cbz), 5.27 (br s, 1 H, H-4/5/7/5'/Cbz), 5.23–5.13 (m, 4 H, H-4/5/7/5'/Cbz), 4.75–4.72 (m, 1 H), 4.64–4.59 (m, 1 H), 4.50 (br s, 2 H), 4.34–4.22 (m, 4 H), 4.13 (d,

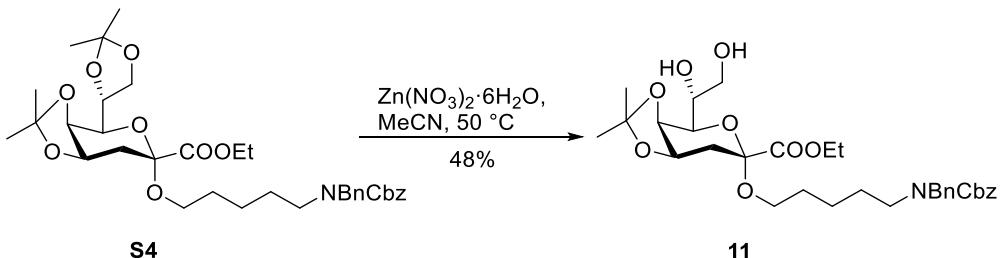
$J = 9.6$ Hz, 1 H), 4.11–4.06 (m, 1 H), 4.01–3.98 (m, 3 H), 3.60 (m, 1 H), 3.38 (m, 1 H), 3.27–3.19 (m, 3 H), 2.19–1.98 (m, 19 H, H-3), 1.53 (m, 4 H), 1.37 (s, 3 H), 1.36–1.32 (m, 5 H), 1.30 (s, 3 H), 1.26 (s, 3 H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.8, 170.6, 170.4, 170.0, 169.8, 167.8, 166.7, 156.9, 156.3, 139.5, 138.1, 136.9, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.1, 128.0, 127.5, 127.4, 109.5, 98.7, 97.9, 73.7, 71.7, 69.3, 68.1, 67.3, 67.2, 66.7, 66.6, 66.4, 64.5, 63.8, 63.7, 62.5, 62.0, 61.7, 50.7, 50.3, 47.2, 46.3, 34.3, 31.8, 31.6, 29.9, 29.8, 29.4, 27.0, 25.6, 23.5, 22.9, 21.1, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7, 14.4, 14.0; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{53}\text{H}_{71}\text{O}_{22}\text{NNa} [\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 1096.4365, found 1096.4366.

2.15. Synthesis of ethyl (4,5,7,8-tetra-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-*manno*-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate-(2 \rightarrow 8)-ethyl (*N*-benzyl-benzyloxycarbonyl-5-aminopentyl 4,5-*O*-isopropylidene-7-*O*-acetyl-3-deoxy- α -D-*manno*-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate

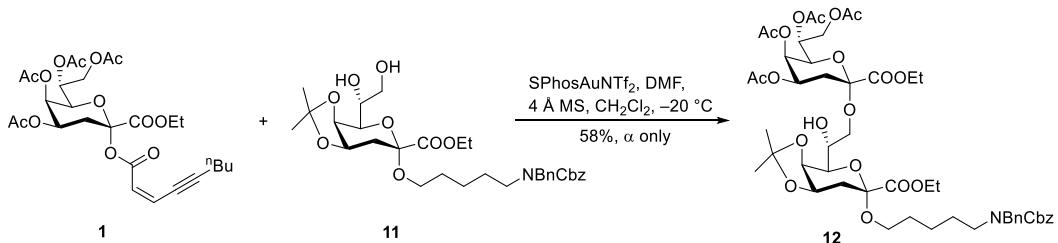


To a solution of tetraol **S3**² (100 mg, 0.17 mmol) in anhydrous acetonitrile (3 mL) at room temperature were added 2-methoxypropene (36 μ L, 0.38 mmol) and camphorsulfonic acid (8.06 mg, 0.03 mmol). After the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h, the reaction was quenched with Et₃N and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 6/1) to afford **S4** (110 mg, 96%) as a pale yellow syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +12.6$ (*c* 0.30, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.16 (m, 10 H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 2 H, Cbz), 4.50–4.48 (m, 3 H), 4.40–4.36 (m, 1 H), 4.27–4.18 (m, 3 H), 4.15–4.12 (m, 1 H), 3.97 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.59–3.55 (m, 2 H), 3.25–3.14 (m, 3 H), 2.75 (dd, *J* = 4.0, 15.6 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.83 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.52–1.48 (m, 4 H), 1.41 (br s, 5 H), 1.37 (s, 3 H), 1.31–1.25 (m, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.8, 156.9, 156.3, 138.1, 137.1, 136.9, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.1, 127.9, 127.5,

127.4, 127.3, 109.7, 109.3, 97.5, 74.0, 72.2, 71.7, 70.3, 67.3, 67.2, 63.0, 61.6, 50.6, 50.3, 47.3, 46.3, 33.1, 29.5, 27.1, 25.8, 25.5, 25.2, 23.6, 14.3; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{36}H_{49}O_{10}NNa$ [M + Na]⁺ 678.3254, found 678.3256.

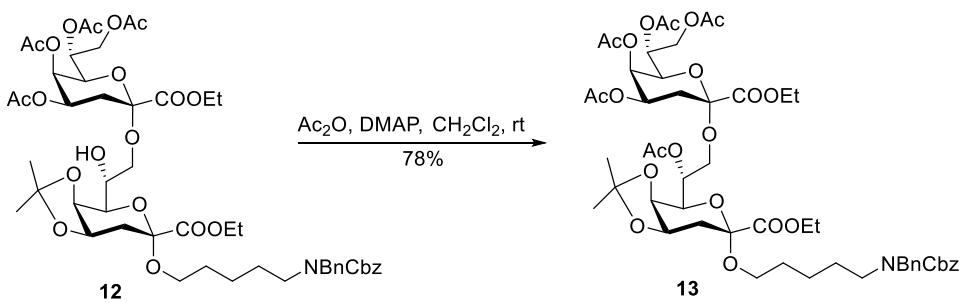


To a solution of **S4** (110 mg, 0.17 mmol) in CH₃CN (0.8 mL) was added Zn(NO₃)₂ 6H₂O¹⁰ (160 mg, 0.54 mmol). After being stirred at 50 °C for 2 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with water and the product was extracted with EtOAc. The combined EtOAc phases were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 1/1) to afford **11** (50 mg, 48%) as a pale yellow syrup and **S3** (47 mg, 48%) as a pale yellow syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +18.9$ (*c* 0.33, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.15 (m, 10 H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 2 H, Cbz), 4.54–4.29 (m, 4 H), 4.27–4.18 (m, 2 H), 4.01 (br s, 1 H), 3.85–3.69 (m, 3 H), 3.63–3.50 (m, 1 H), 3.39–3.14 (m, 3 H), 2.62 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 15.2 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.91–1.87 (m, 1 H, H-3), 1.60–1.47 (m, 4 H), 1.43 (s, 3 H), 1.33–1.25 (m, 8 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.9, 156.6, 137.9, 136.7, 128.7, 128.6, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.5, 127.4, 109.6, 97.6, 72.3, 71.0, 70.4, 67.5, 63.8, 63.2, 62.9, 61.8, 50.6, 50.3, 47.3, 46.2, 33.3, 31.6, 31.1, 30.4, 29.9, 29.3, 27.5, 26.2, 25.4, 23.5, 14.3; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{33}H_{45}O_{10}NNa$ [M + Na]⁺ 638.2941, found 638.2942.



To a stirred mixture of the Kdo donor **1** (56.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), the Kdo acceptor

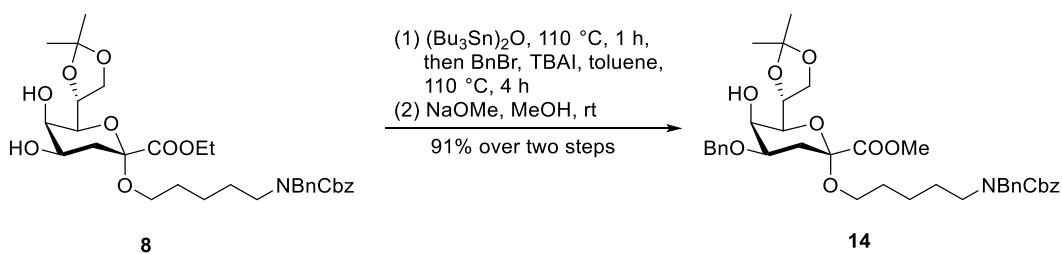
11 (30.8 mg, 0.05 mmol), DMF (23 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) at -20 °C, was added dropwise SPhosAuNTf₂ in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 1 mL) under argon. After being stirred overnight at -20 °C, TLC indicated the disappearance of compound **1**. The mixture was filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 2/1) to provide **12** (29.9 mg, 58%, α only) as a colorless syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +39.5$ (*c* 0.33, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35–7.16 (m, 10 H), 5.34 (br s, 1 H, H-5/7), 5.32–5.27 (m, 1 H, H-5/7), 5.23 (ddd, *J* = 2.0, 3.6, 9.6 Hz, 1 H, H-4), 5.15 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 2 H, Cbz), 4.54–4.46 (m, 4 H), 4.35 (dd, *J* = 1.6, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.27–4.09 (m, 7 H), 3.65 (br s, 2 H), 3.59 (br s, 1 H), 3.51 (br s, 1 H), 3.26–3.17 (m, 3 H), 3.02 (br s, 1 H), 2.60 (m, 1 H, H-3'), 2.16 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 12.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.08 (s, 3 H), 2.06 (s, 3 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H), 1.95 (s, 3 H), 1.89–1.82 (m, 2 H, H-3/3'), 1.51 (m, 4 H), 1.32–1.23 (m, 14 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.8, 170.6, 170.0, 169.9, 168.6, 167.5, 156.9, 156.3, 138.1, 137.1, 136.9, 132.3, 132.2, 132.1, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.0, 127.9, 127.4, 127.3, 109.7, 99.0, 97.8, 72.0, 70.3, 70.0, 69.5, 68.6, 67.9, 67.3, 66.5, 65.9, 64.5, 63.3, 62.4, 61.6, 60.6, 50.5, 50.3, 47.3, 46.3, 33.2, 32.0, 29.4, 28.1, 27.6, 26.2, 25.4, 23.7, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8, 14.3, 14.2; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for C₅₁H₆₉O₂NNa [M + Na]⁺ 1054.4260, found 1054.4261.



To a solution of compound **12** (29.9 mg, 0.029 mmol) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) were added DMAP (3.5 mg, 0.03 mmol) and acetic anhydride (11 μ L, 0.12 mmol) at room temperature. After the mixture was stirred for 1 h, the reaction was quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃. The mixture was then extracted with CH₂Cl₂ and dried over Na₂SO₄. After filtration, the mixture was concentrated *in vacuo*. The

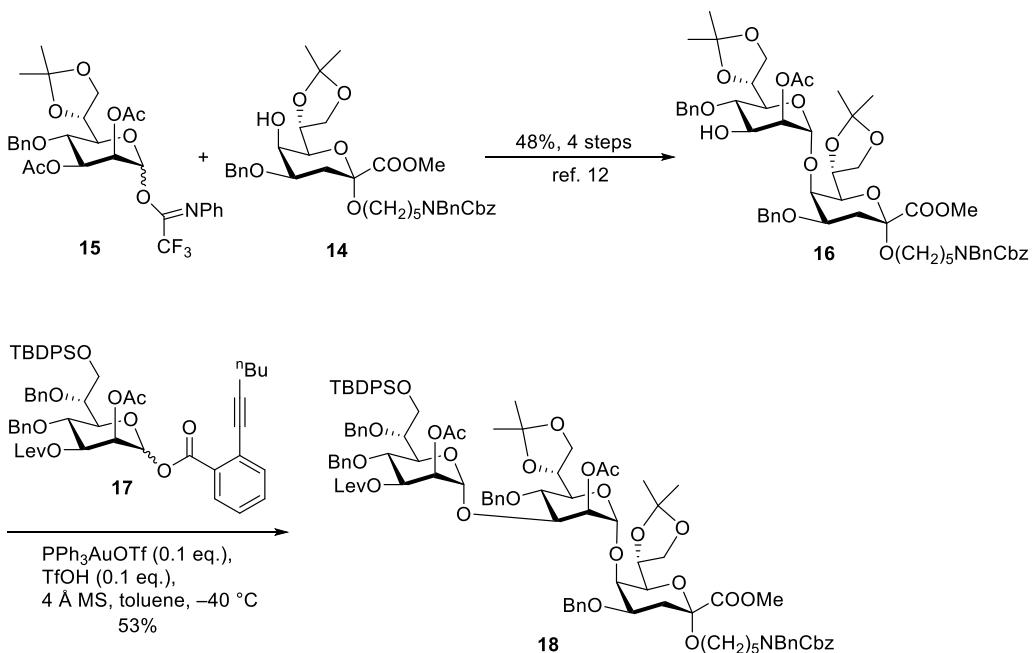
residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 1/1) to provide **13** (24.3 mg, 78%) as a colorless syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +125.1$ (*c* 0.36, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.18 (m, 10 H), 5.34 (br s, 1 H, H-4/5/7/5'), 5.32–5.15 (m, 5 H, H-4/5/7/5'/Cbz), 4.63 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.49 (br s, 2 H), 4.44 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 10.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.28–4.09 (m, 7 H), 4.00 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 1 H), 3.87–3.85 (m, 1 H), 3.79 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 10.8 Hz, 1 H), 3.53 (m, 1 H), 3.25–3.19 (m, 3 H), 2.50 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1 H, H-3'), 2.20 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 2.12–2.03 (m, 10 H), 1.97 (s, 3 H), 1.95 (s, 3 H), 1.88 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1 H), 1.51 (m, 4 H), 1.38 (s, 3 H), 1.34–1.25 (m, 11 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.6, 170.5, 170.1, 170.0, 169.9, 168.3, 167.1, 156.9, 156.3, 138.1, 137.1, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.5, 127.4, 127.3, 109.7, 99.0, 97.9, 71.9, 70.3, 69.9, 68.7, 68.0, 67.3, 66.6, 64.4, 63.4, 63.1, 62.4, 62.1, 61.6, 50.6, 50.3, 47.3, 46.3, 33.4, 31.9, 29.9, 29.5, 28.2, 27.7, 26.3, 25.5, 23.7, 21.2, 20.9, 20.8, 14.3, 14.2; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for C₅₃H₇₁O₂₂NNa [M + Na]⁺ 1096.4365, found 1096.4366.

2.16. Synthesis of 2-*O*-acetyl-3-*O*-levulinoyl-4,6-di-*O*-benzyl-7-*O*-*tert*-butyl diphenylsilyl-D-glycero- α -D-manno-heptopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 3)-2-*O*-acetyl-4-*O*-benzyl-6,7-*O*-isopropylidene-D-glycero- α -D-manno-heptopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 5)-methyl (*N*-benzyl-benzyloxycarbonyl-5-aminopentyl 4-*O*-benzyl-7,8-*O*-isopropylidene-3-deoxy- α -D-manno-oct-2-ulopyranoside)onate 18



A mixture of compound **8** (61.5 mg, 0.1 mmol), bis(tributyltin) oxide (76.4 μ L, 0.15 mmol) in toluene (2 mL) was heated at 110 °C for 1 h. After cooling to room temperature, benzyl bromide (21.4 μ L, 0.18 mmol) and tetrabutylammonium iodide (22 mg, 0.06 mmol) were added, and the mixture was heated at 110 °C for 4 h. The cooling mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was evaporated. The residue was

dissolved in MeOH (5 mL) and sodium methoxide (54 mg, 1 mmol) was added. After being stirred for 2 h, the mixture was neutralized with Amberlite IR120 H⁺ resin, filtered, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc: 3/1) to give **14**¹¹ (63 mg, 91%) as a colorless syrup. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36–7.16 (m, 15 H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 2 H, Cbz), 4.64–4.57 (m, 2 H), 4.51–4.44 (m, 3 H), 4.18–4.14 (m, 2 H), 3.97 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.90 (m, 1 H), 3.76 (s, 3 H), 3.47 (m, 1 H), 3.39 (m, 1 H), 3.26–3.17 (m, 3 H), 2.27 (br s, 1 H), 2.22 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.97 (t, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1 H, H-3), 1.53 (m, 4 H), 1.41 (s, 3 H), 1.38 (s, 3 H), 1.28–1.25 (m, 2 H).

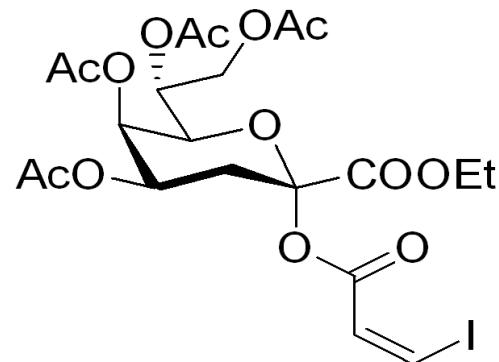


Disaccharide **16** was prepared from *N*-phenyl trifluoroacetimidate **15** and Kdo acceptor **14** according to our previously reported procedure.¹² To a stirred mixture of disaccharide acceptor **16** (21.1 mg, 0.02 mmol), donor **17**¹³ (45.8 mg, 0.048 mmol), and freshly activated 4 Å MS (100 mg) in anhydrous toluene (4 mL) at -40 °C were added dropwise a solution of PPh₃AuOTf in CH₂Cl₂ (0.1 M, 0.02 mL) and TfOH (0.177 μL, 0.002 mmol) under argon. After being stirred at -40 °C for 12 h, the mixture was quenched by triethylamine, filtered, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc:

4/1) to afford **18** (19.2 mg, 53%) as a colorless syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +30.7$ (*c* 0.34, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.57 (dd, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.38–7.05 (m, 32 H), 6.78 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 16.4 Hz, 2 H), 5.35–5.30 (m, 3 H, H-2/3/2'), 5.22 (br s, 1 H, H-1/1'), 5.18–5.14 (m, 2 H, Cbz), 5.05 (m, 1 H, H-1/1'), 4.98 (t, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.89 (t, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.80 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.69–4.65 (m, 2 H), 4.54–4.45 (m, 4 H), 4.34–4.28 (m, 2 H), 4.22–4.17 (m, 3 H), 4.14–4.00 (m, 4 H), 3.87–3.79 (m, 6 H), 3.68 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 4 H), 3.33–3.16 (m, 5 H), 3.07 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.65–2.40 (m, 4 H), 2.21 (d, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 1 H, H-3''), 2.10 (s, 3 H), 2.04 (dd, *J* = 3.2, 12.0 Hz, 1 H, H-3''), 2.01–1.90 (m, 6 H), 1.48–1.21 (m, 18 H), 1.04 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.4, 206.1, 171.9, 171.7, 170.1, 170.0, 169.9, 168.6, 168.5, 139.7, 139.6, 138.4, 138.2, 138.1, 138.0, 137.8, 136.0, 135.9, 133.7, 133.6, 129.7, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 127.5, 127.4, 127.3, 109.7, 109.2, 99.3 (¹*J*_{C1,H1} = 172.1 Hz), 99.0, 97.6 (¹*J*_{C1,H1} = 172.1 Hz), 76.5, 76.4, 75.0, 74.9, 74.7, 74.5, 74.4, 73.9, 73.8, 73.6, 73.5, 73.1, 72.6, 72.5, 72.2, 71.8, 71.3, 70.5, 70.3, 70.2, 67.9, 67.3, 66.0, 65.8, 64.8, 64.7, 63.7, 62.1, 52.6, 52.5, 50.6, 50.3, 47.2, 46.3, 37.9, 37.8, 33.0, 29.9, 29.4, 28.1, 28.0, 27.0, 26.9, 26.3, 24.9, 24.2, 23.6, 21.1, 21.0, 20.9, 19.5, 19.2; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for C₁₀₂H₁₂₃O₂₆NSiNa [M + Na]⁺ 1828.8000, found 1828.7976.

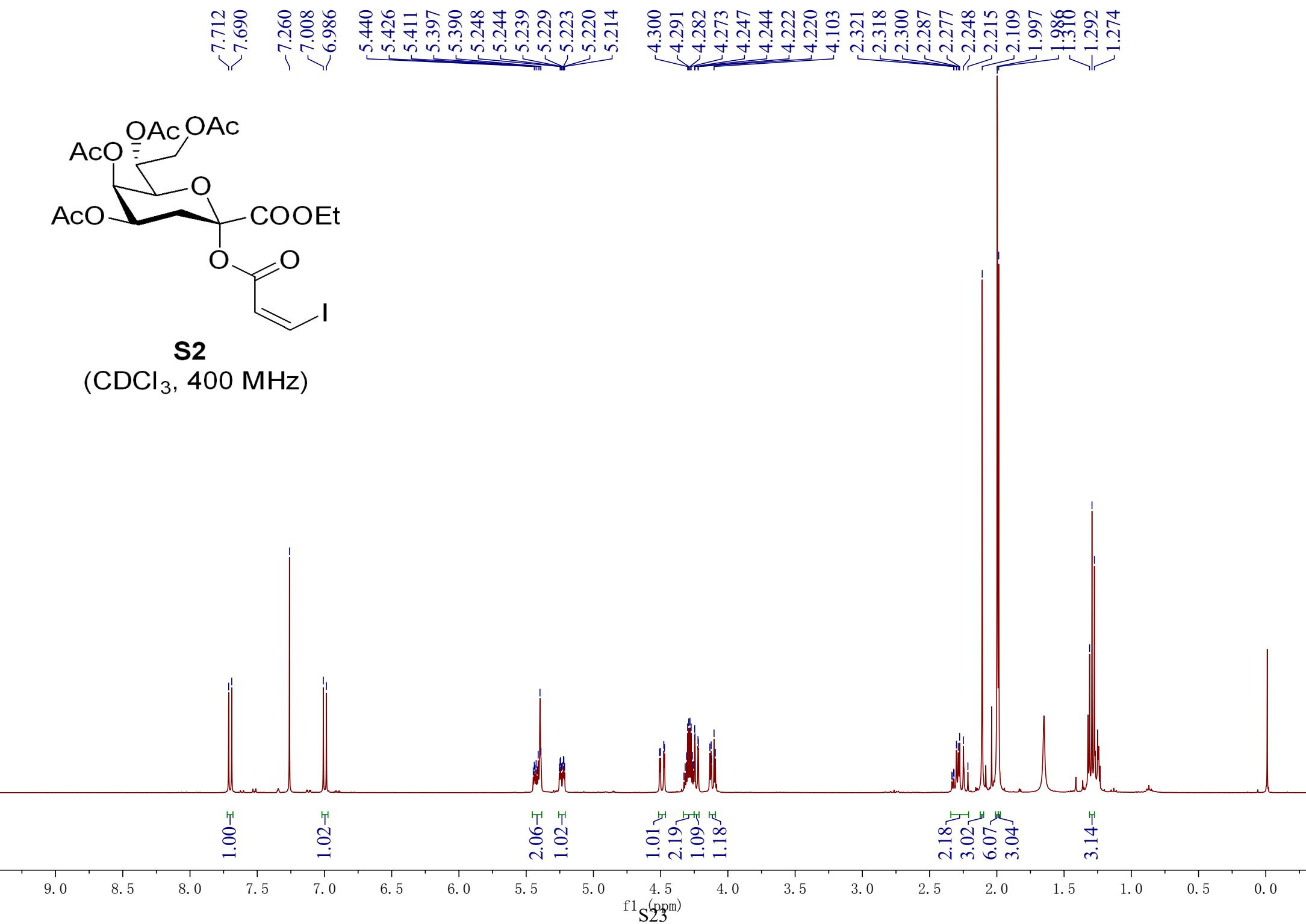
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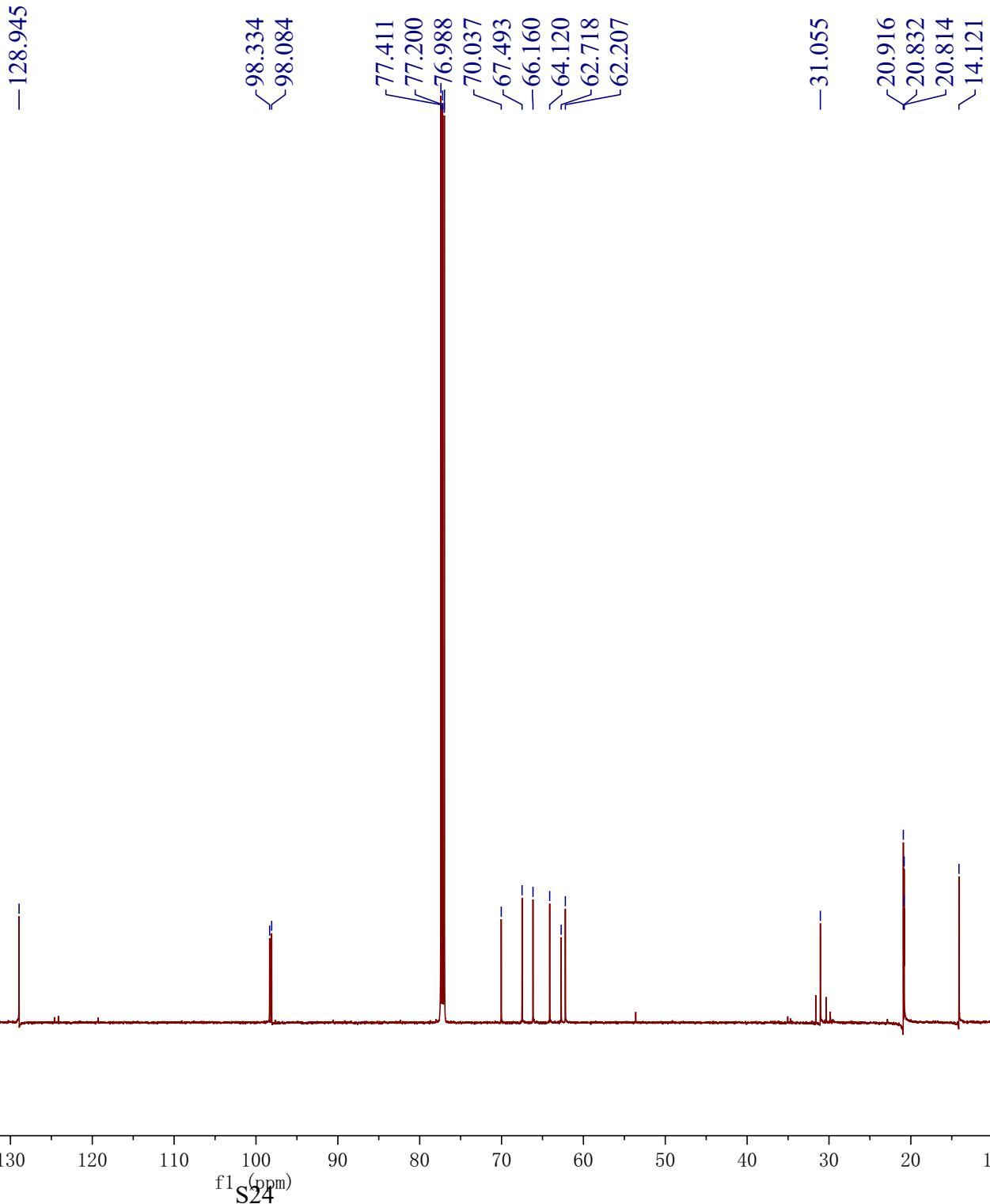
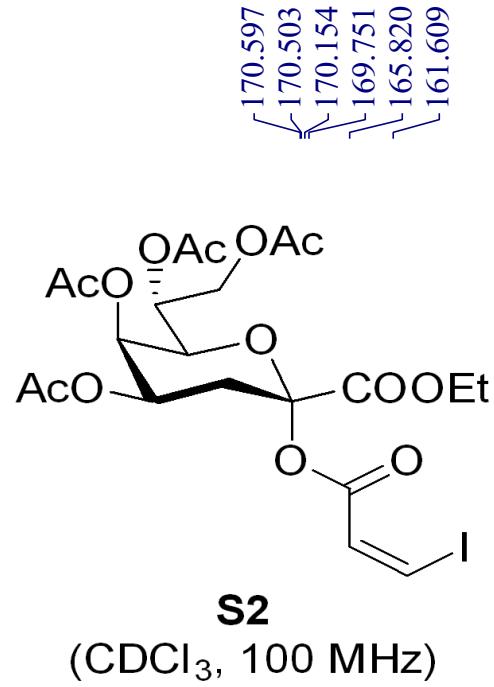
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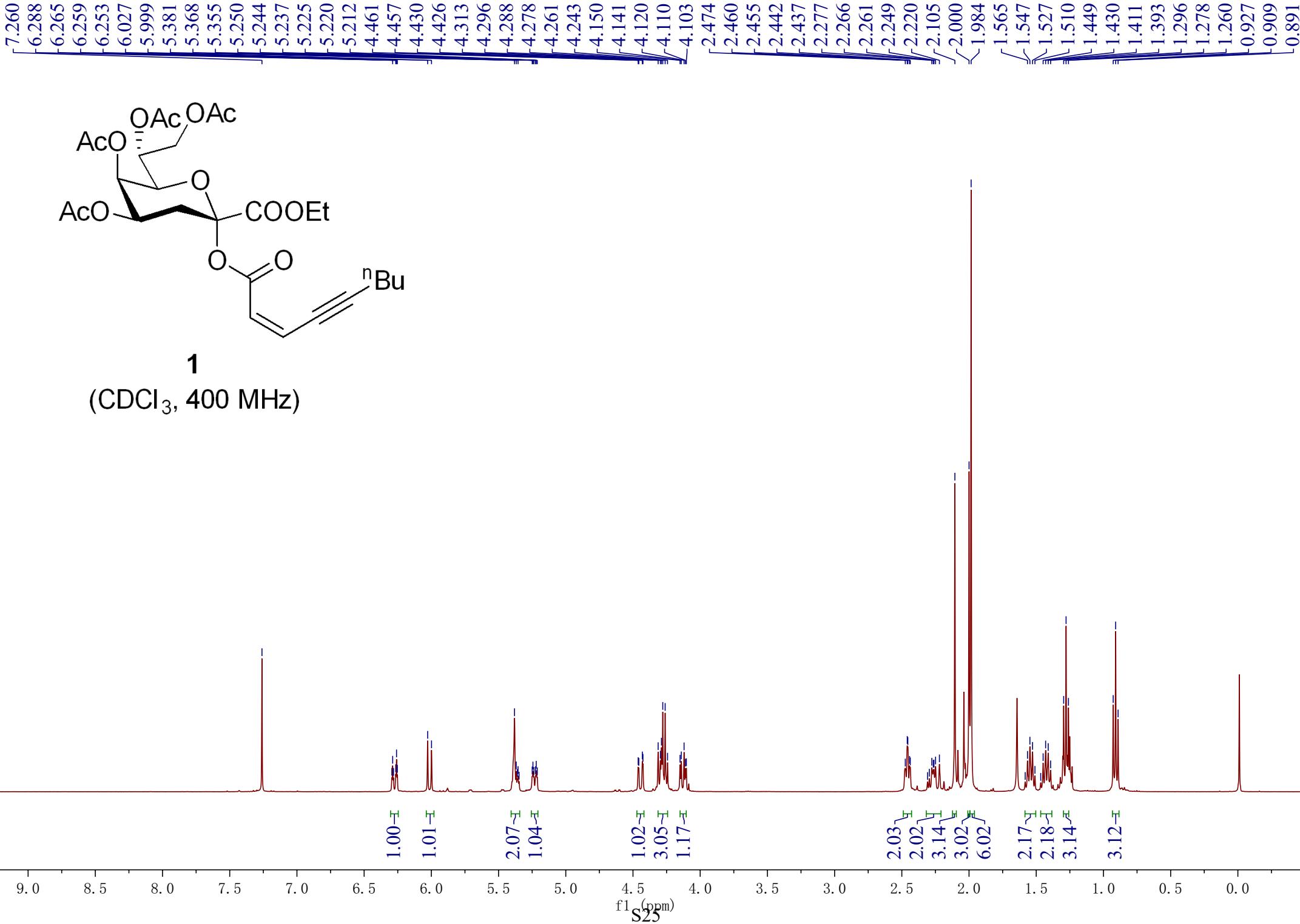


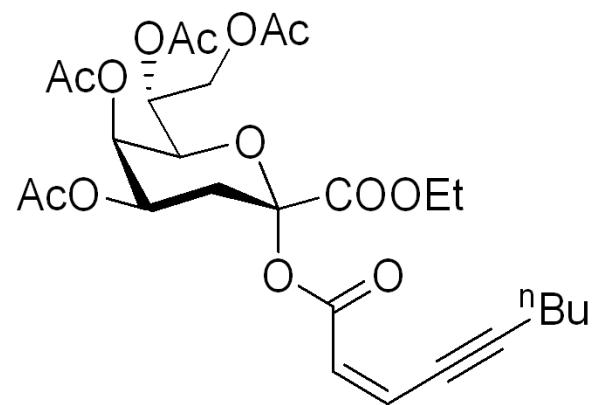
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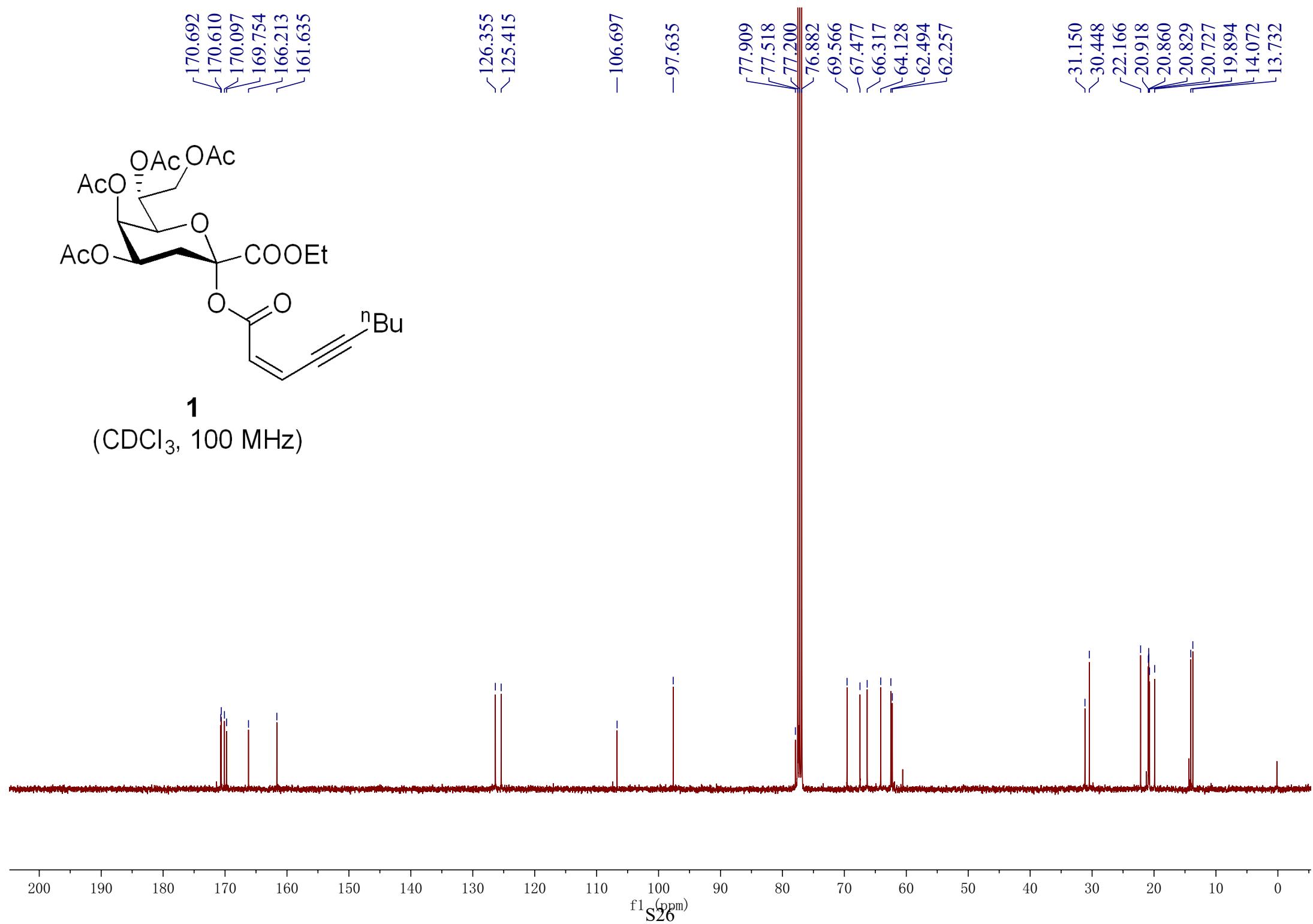


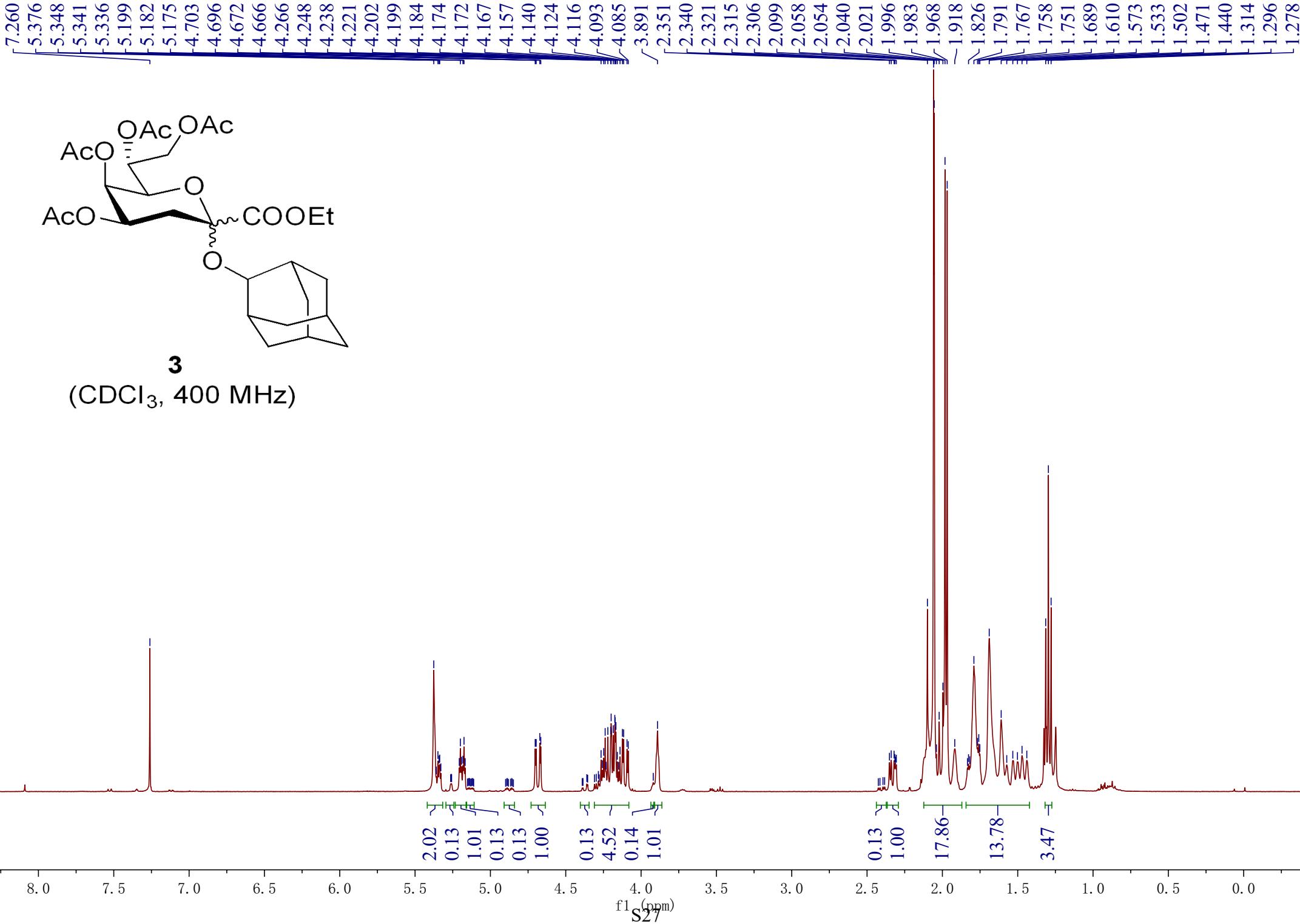


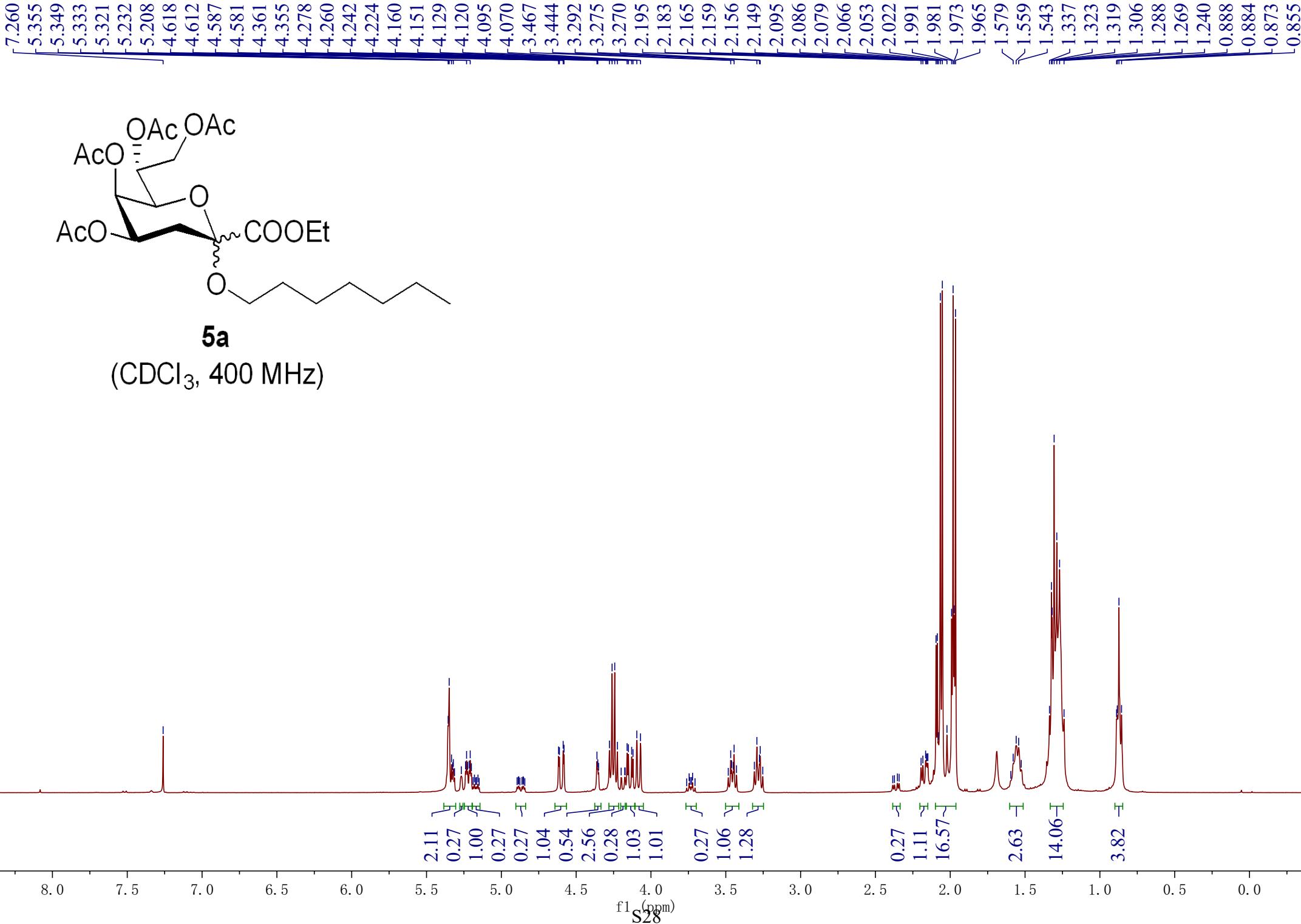




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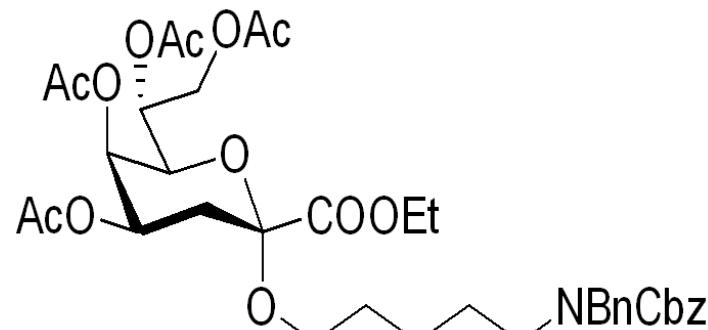


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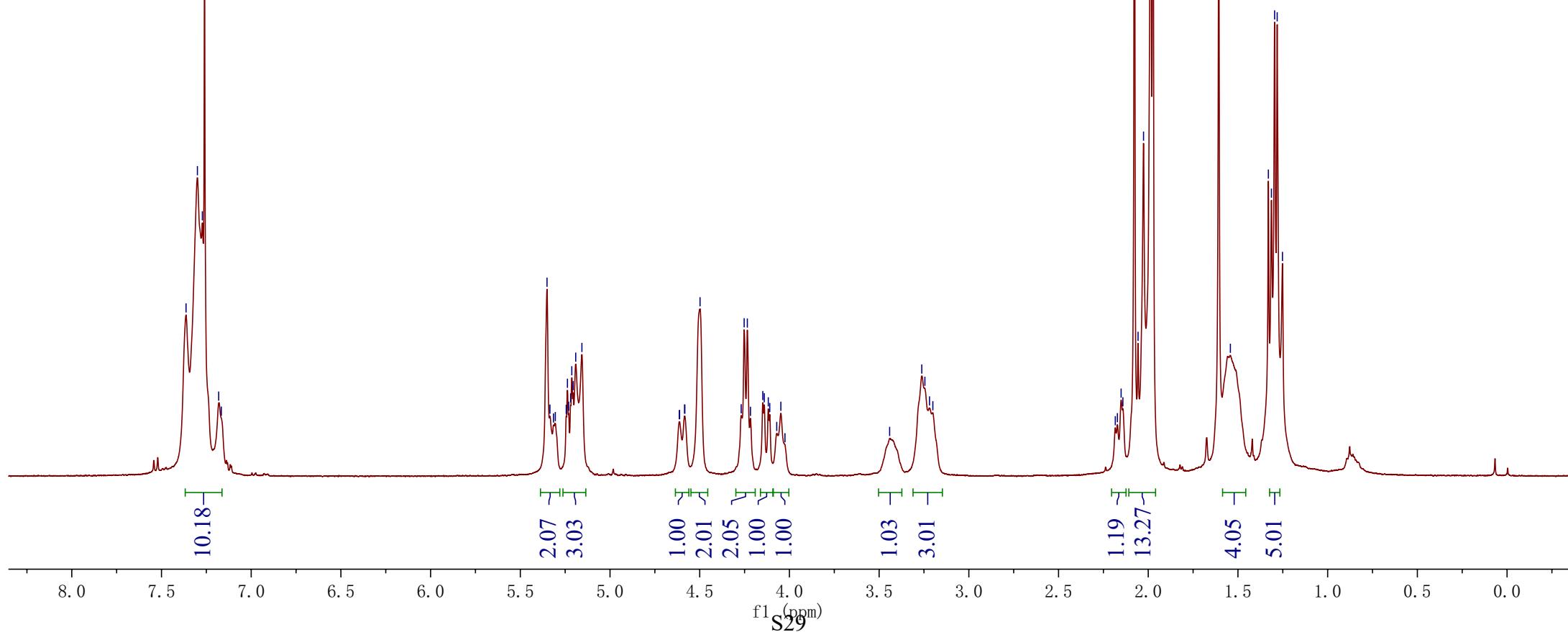
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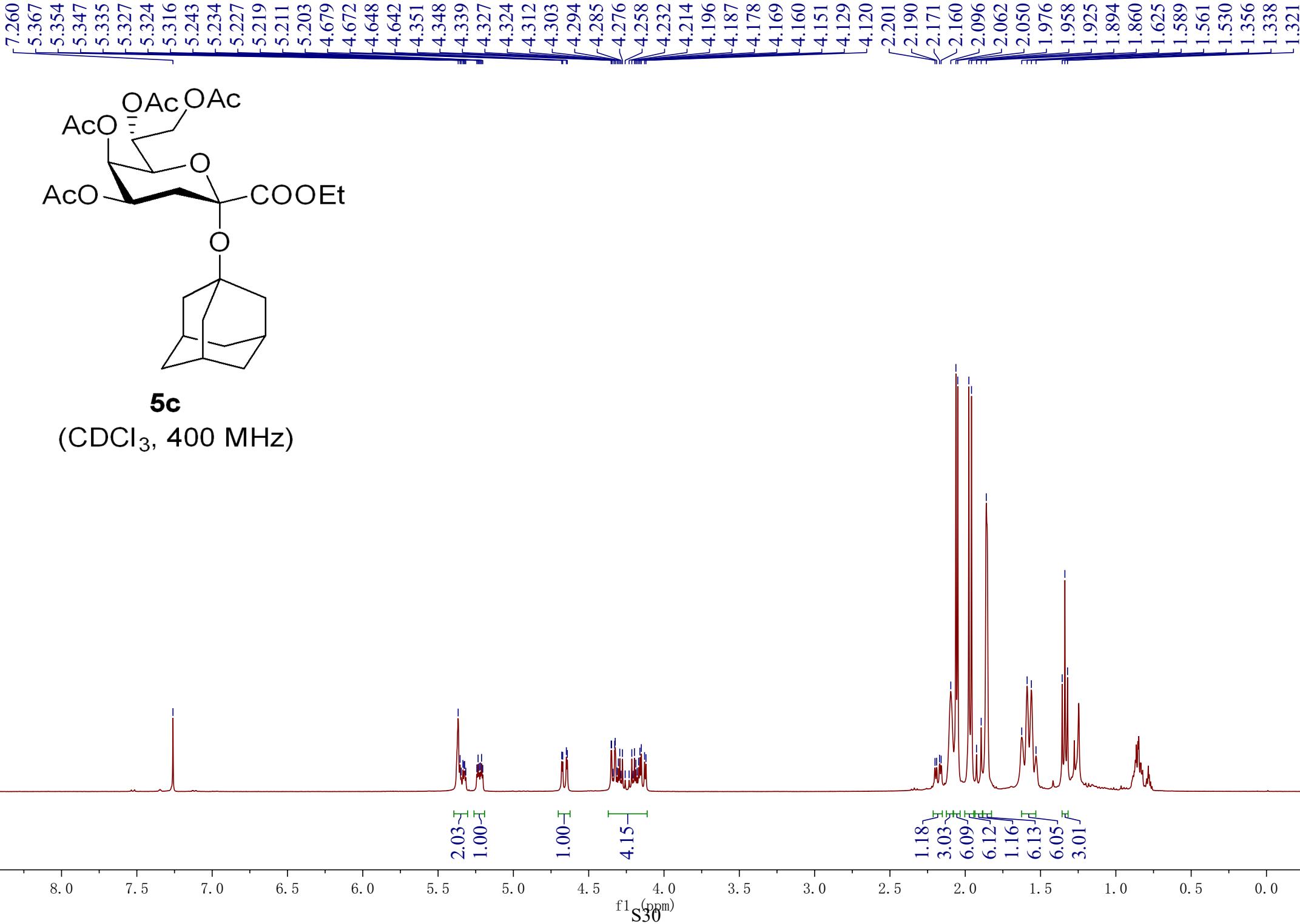
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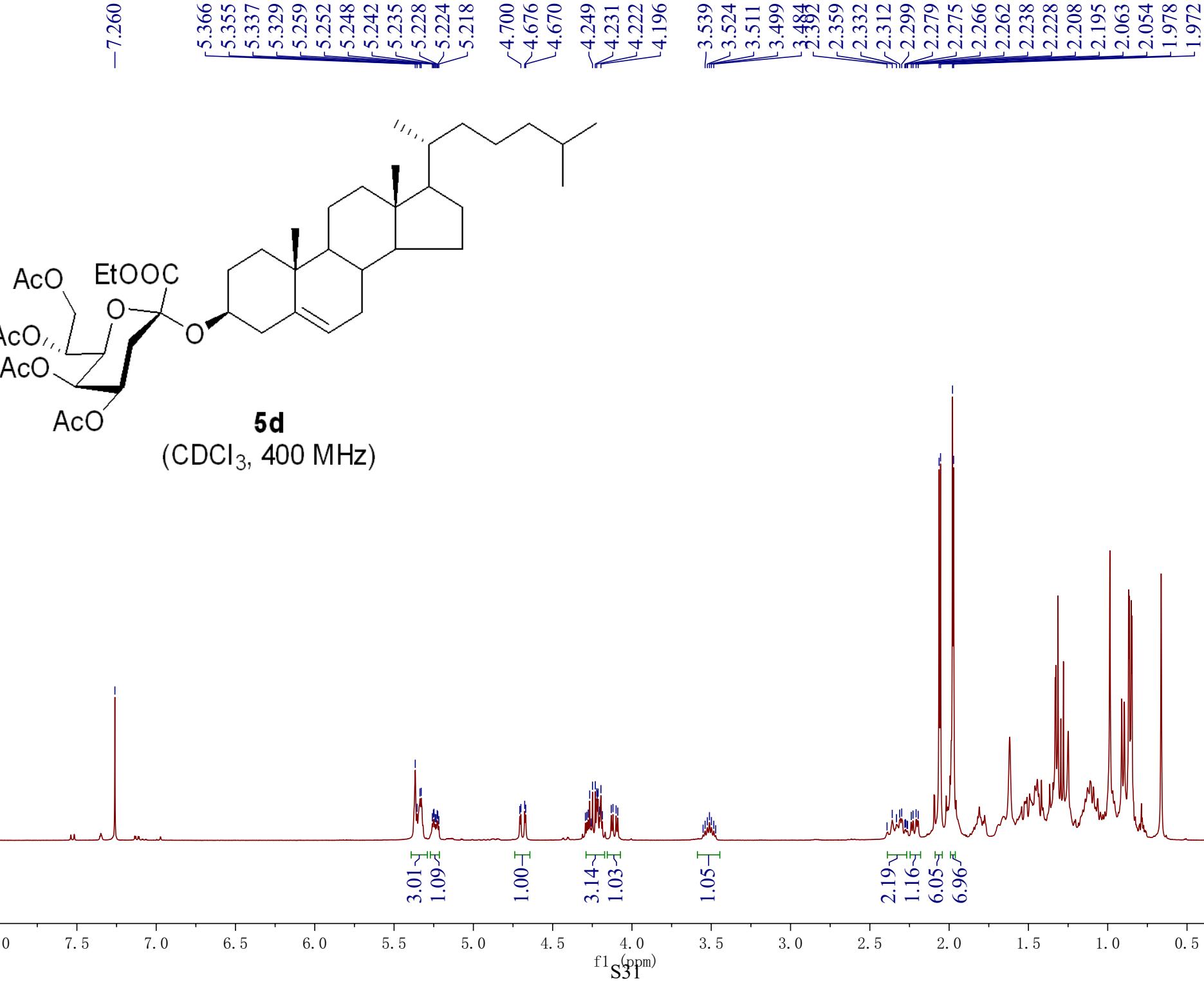
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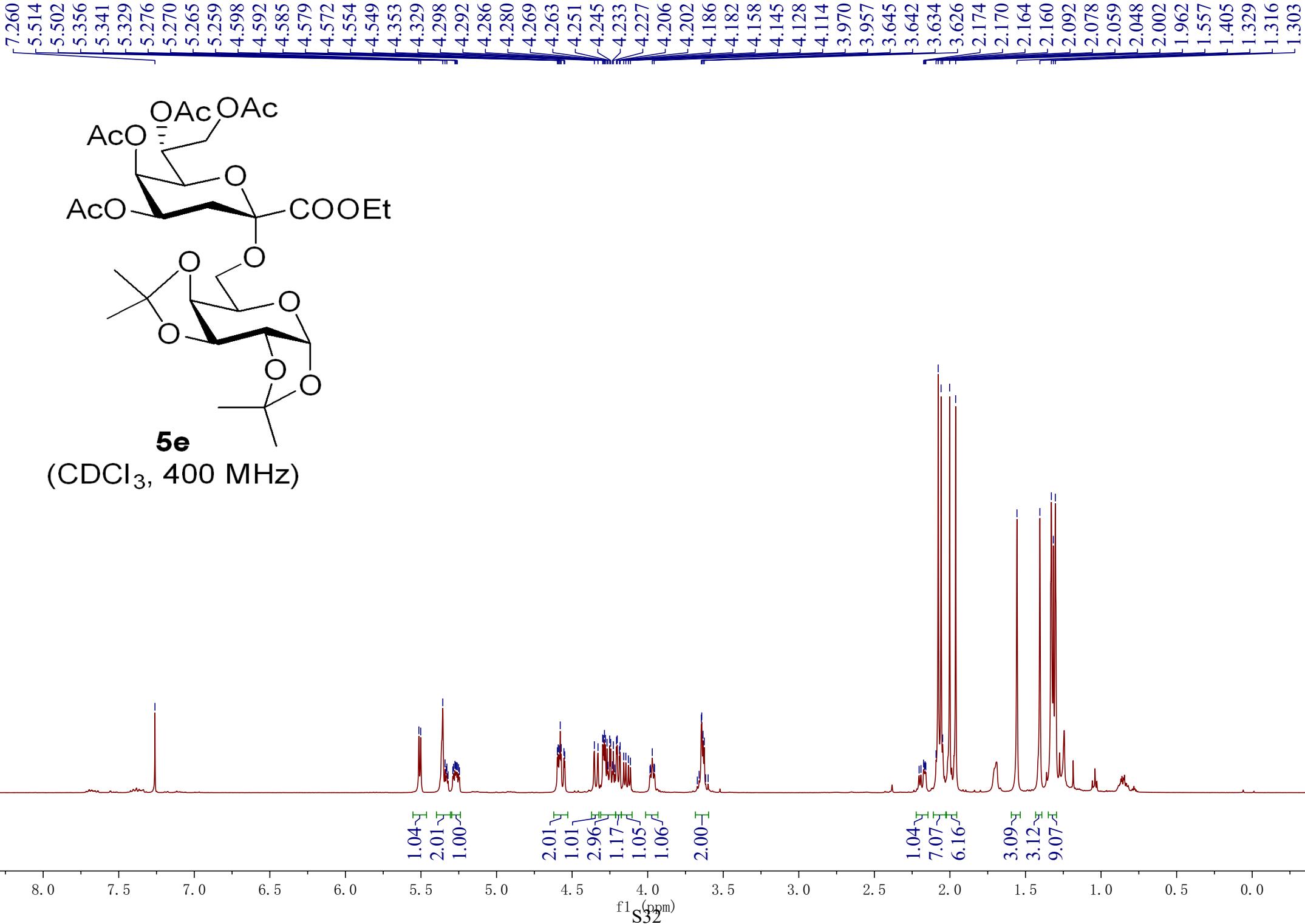
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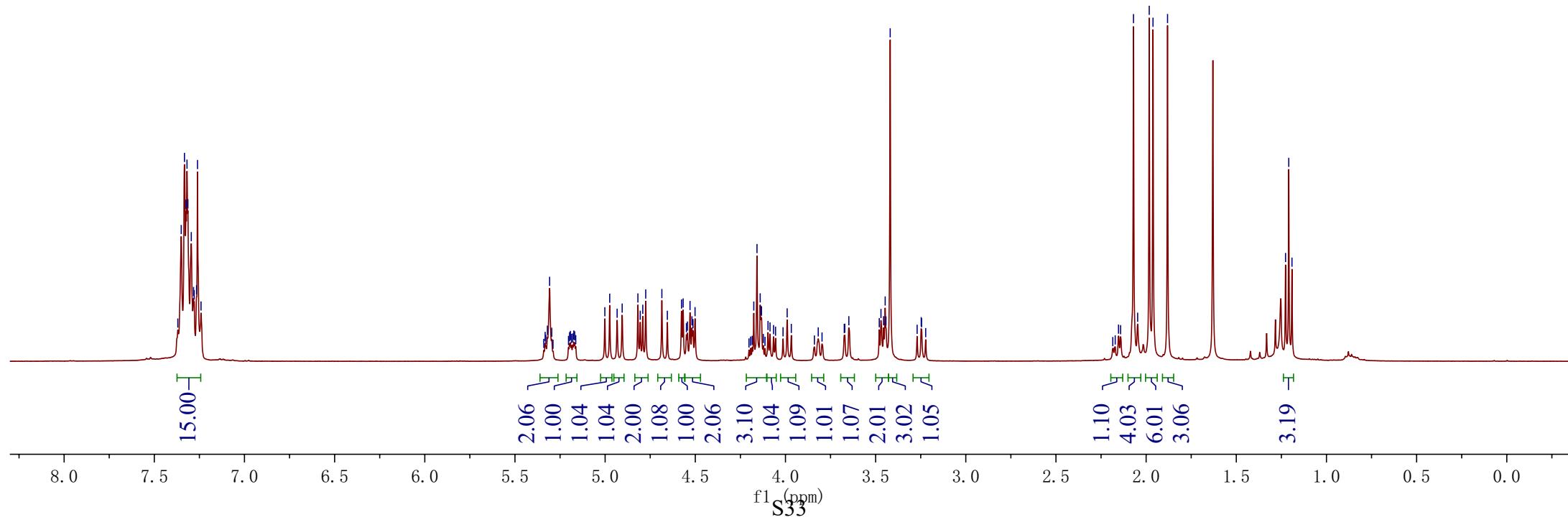
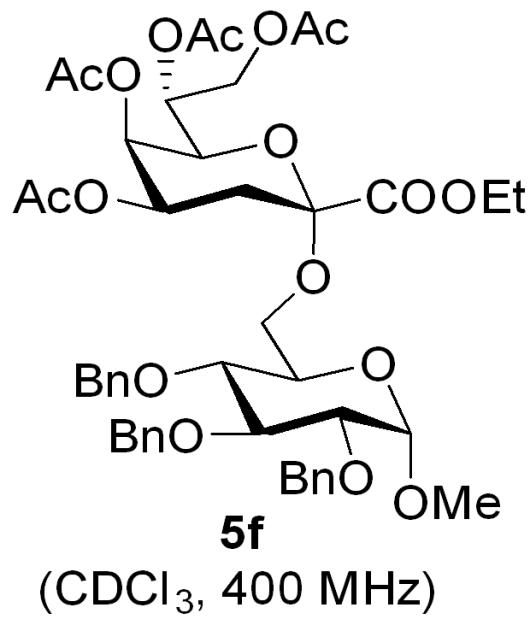


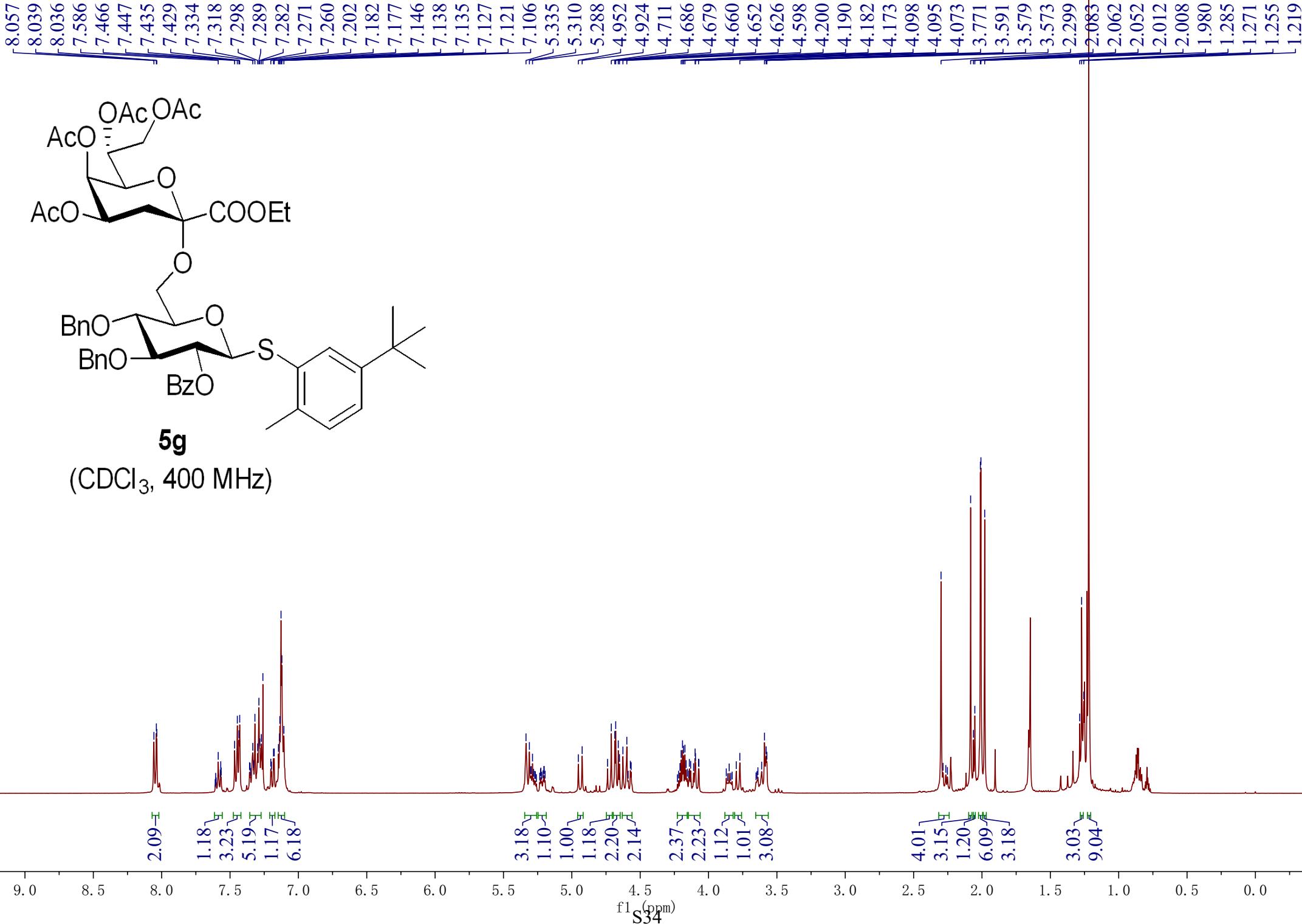
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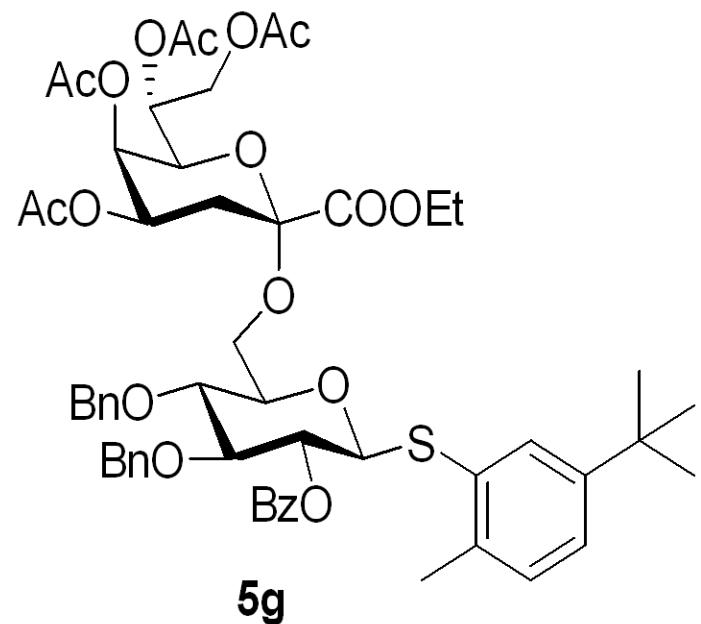




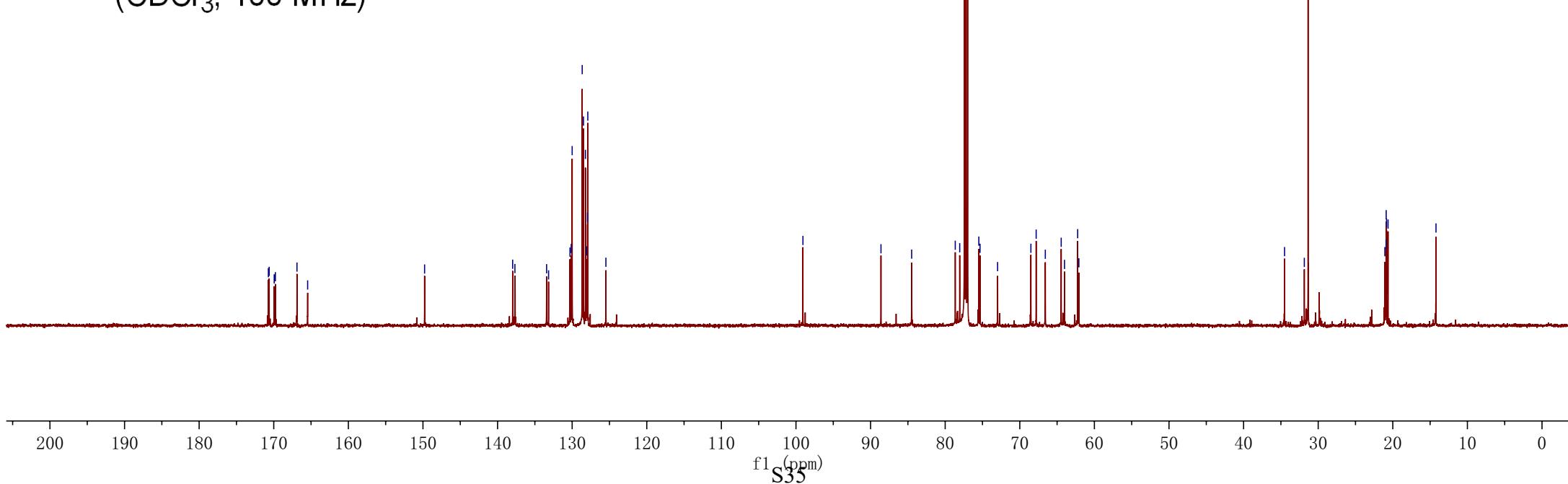
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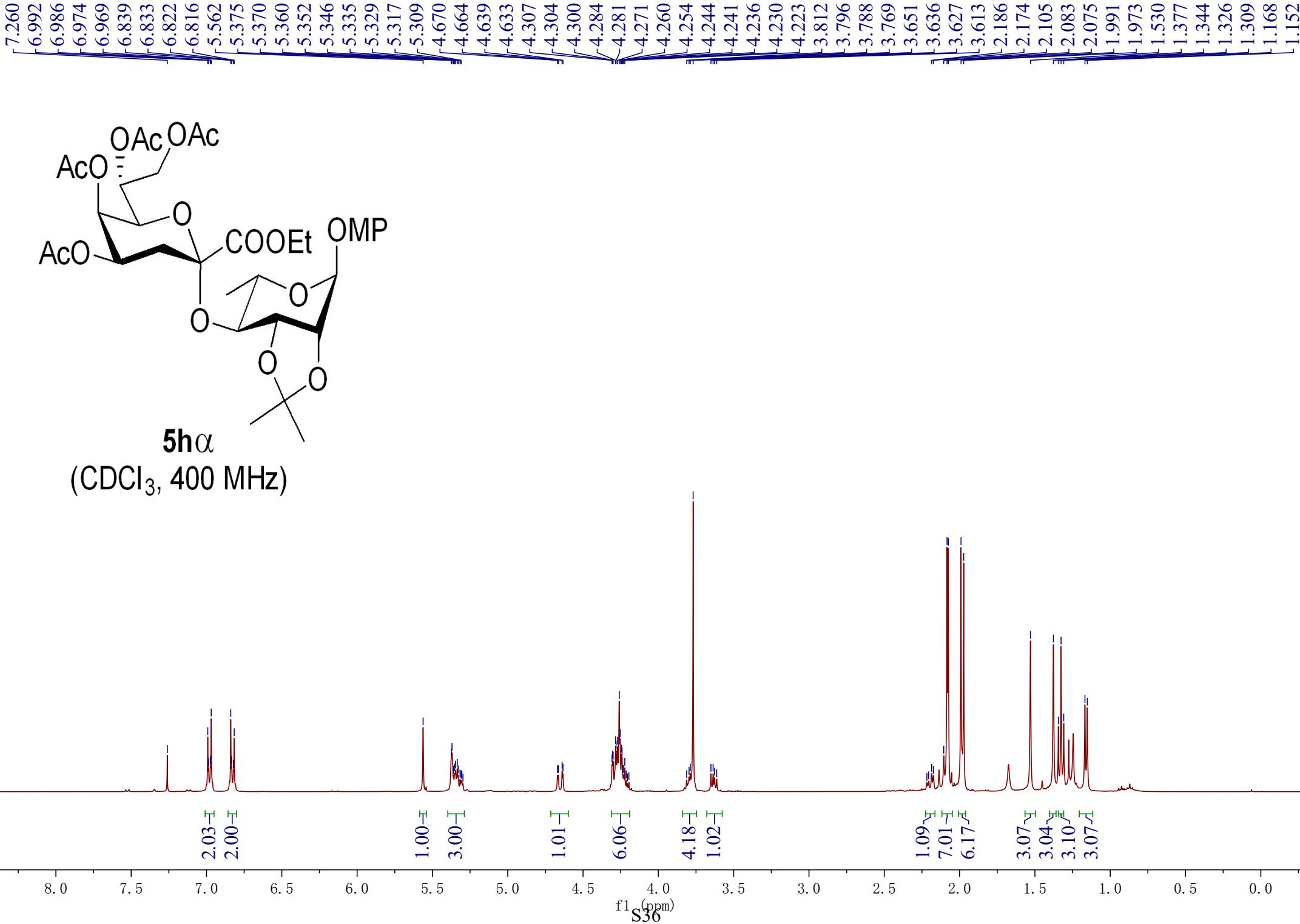




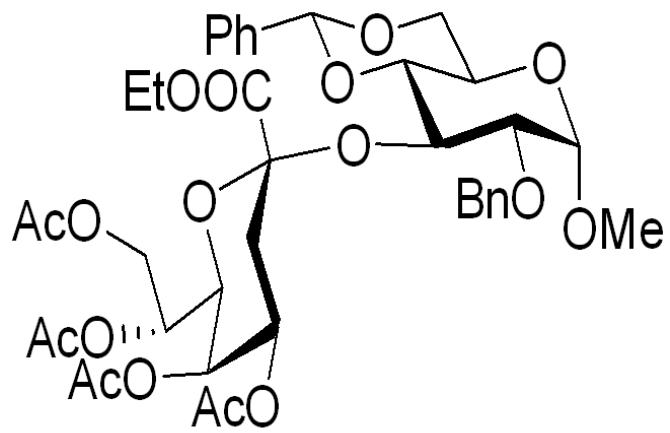


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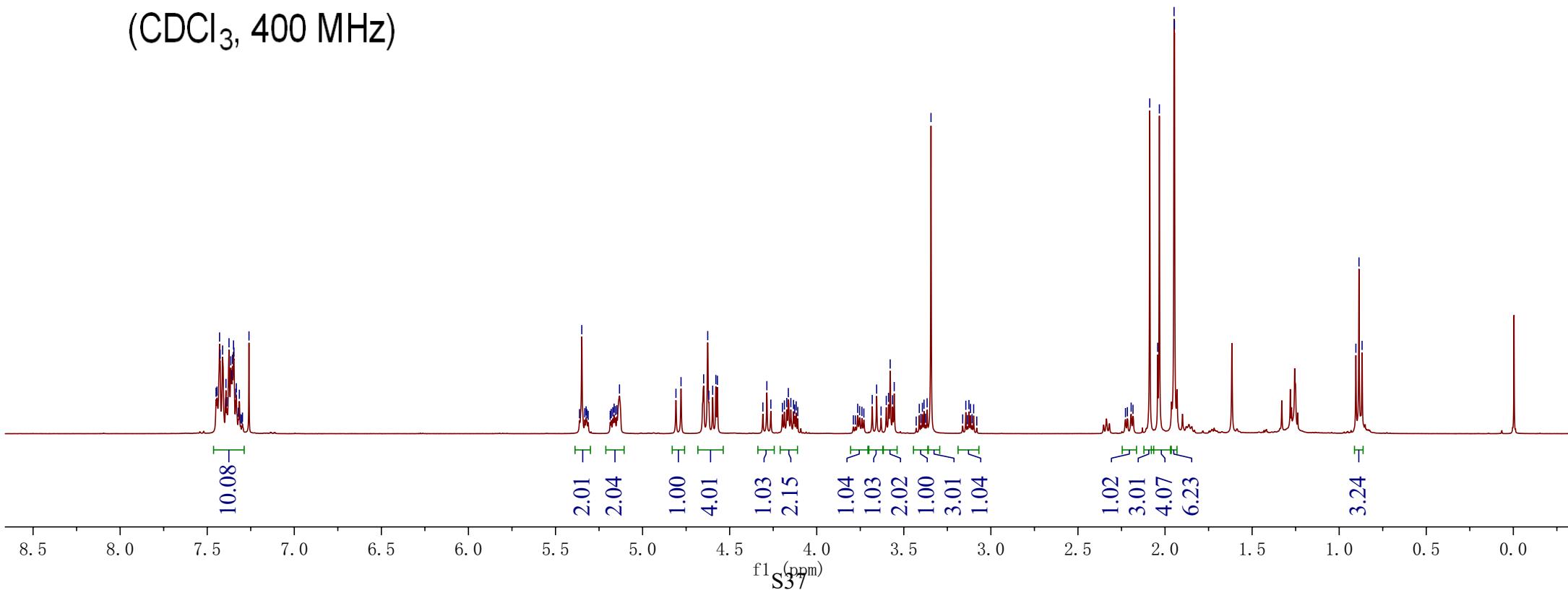


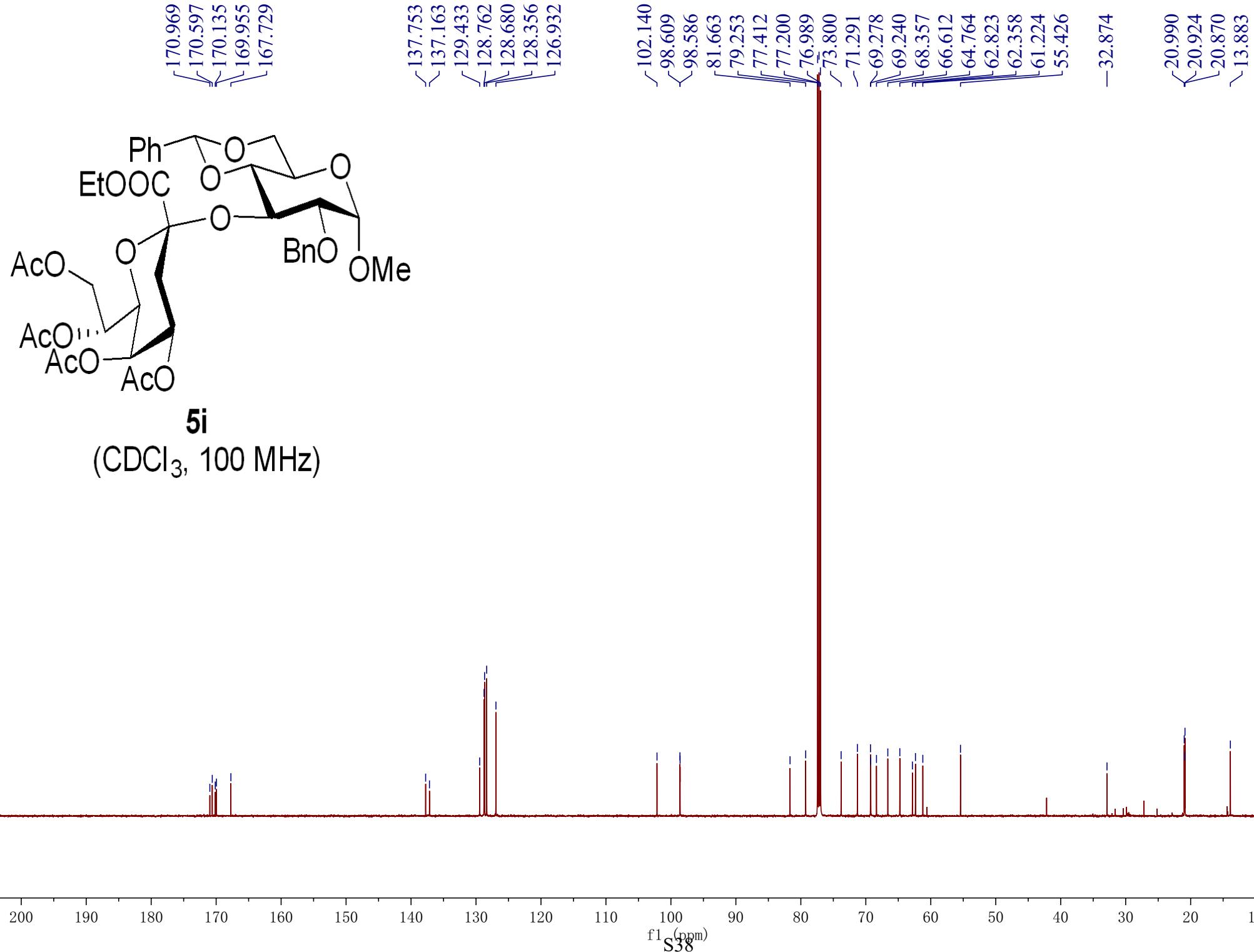
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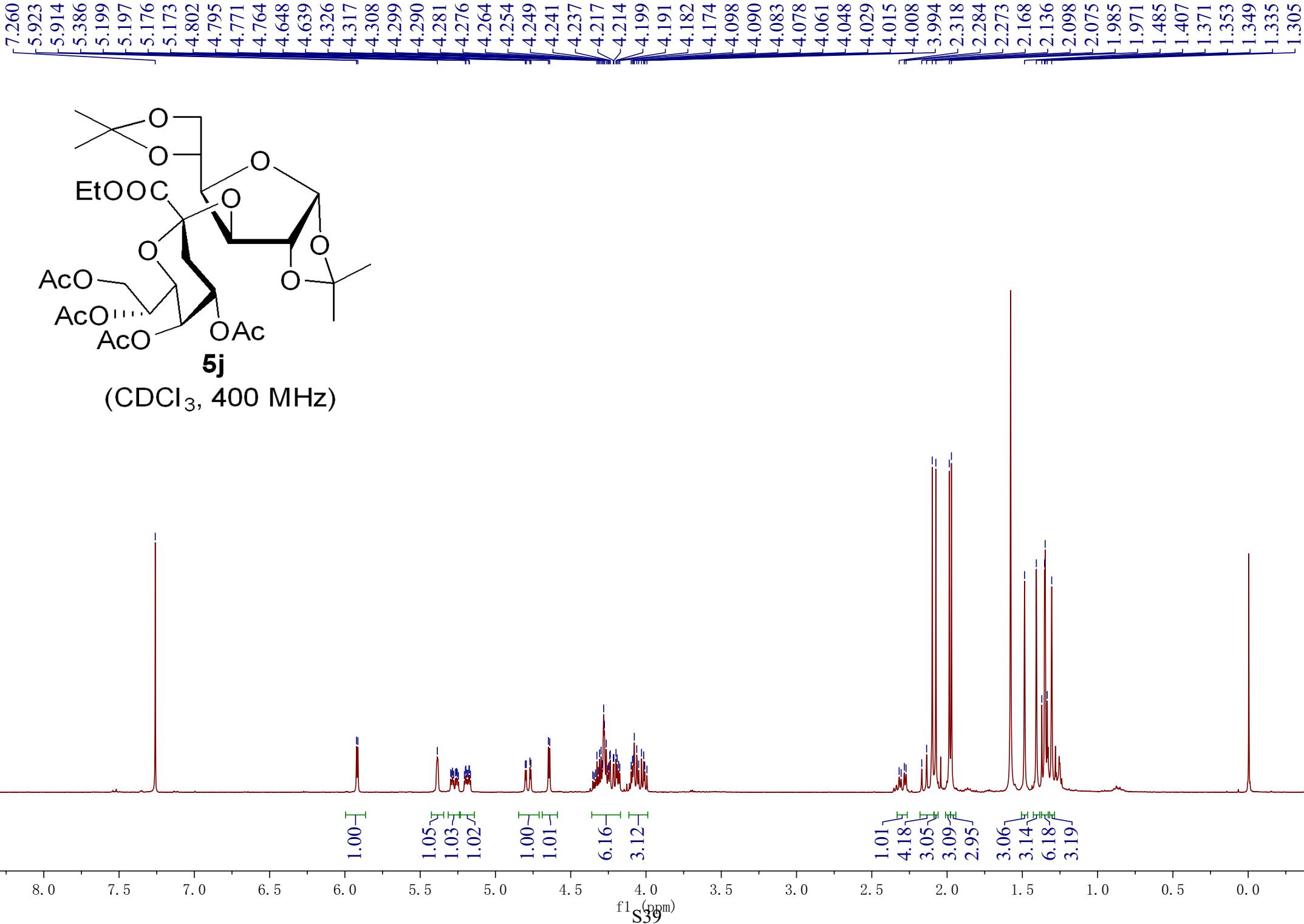


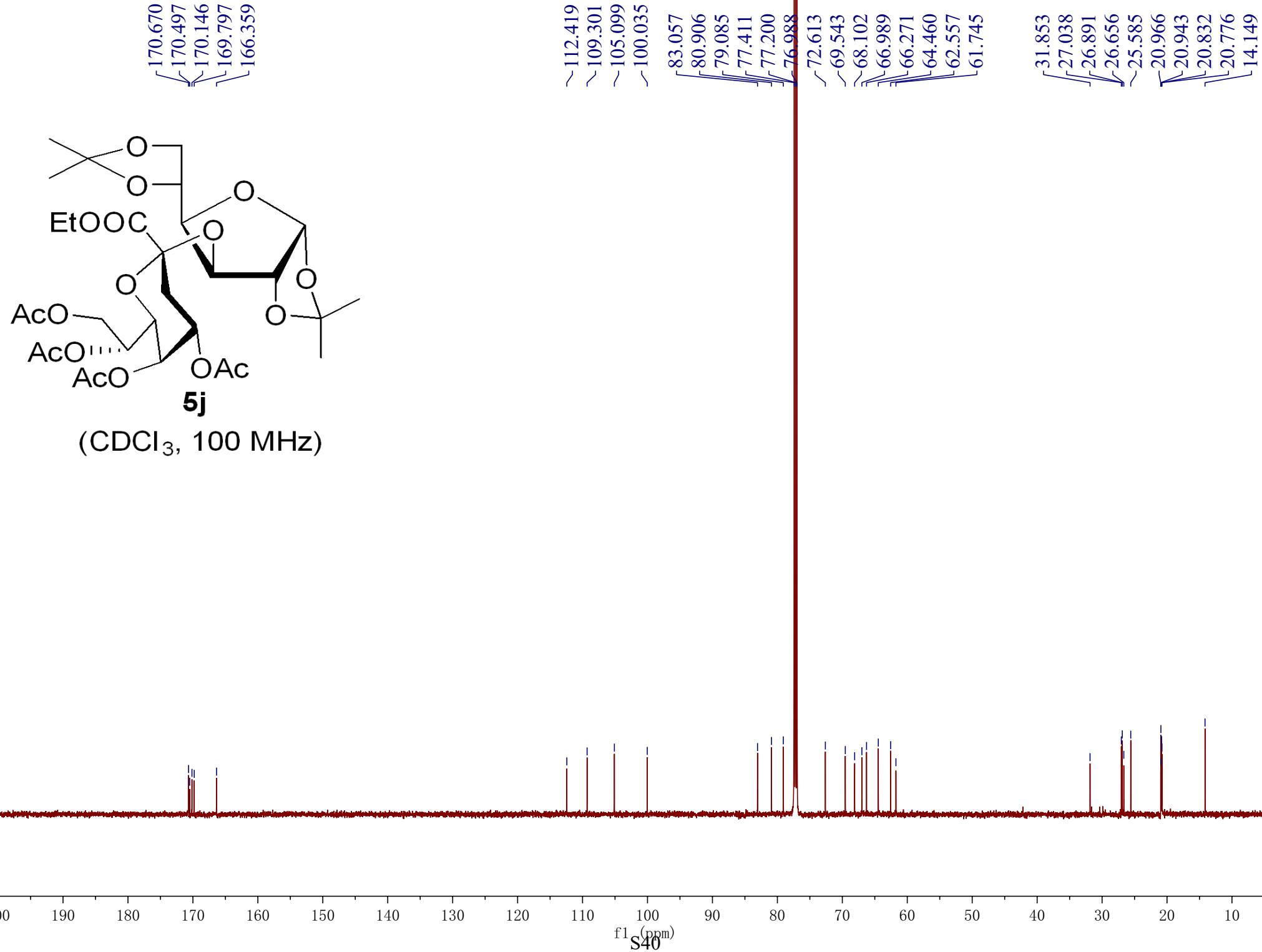
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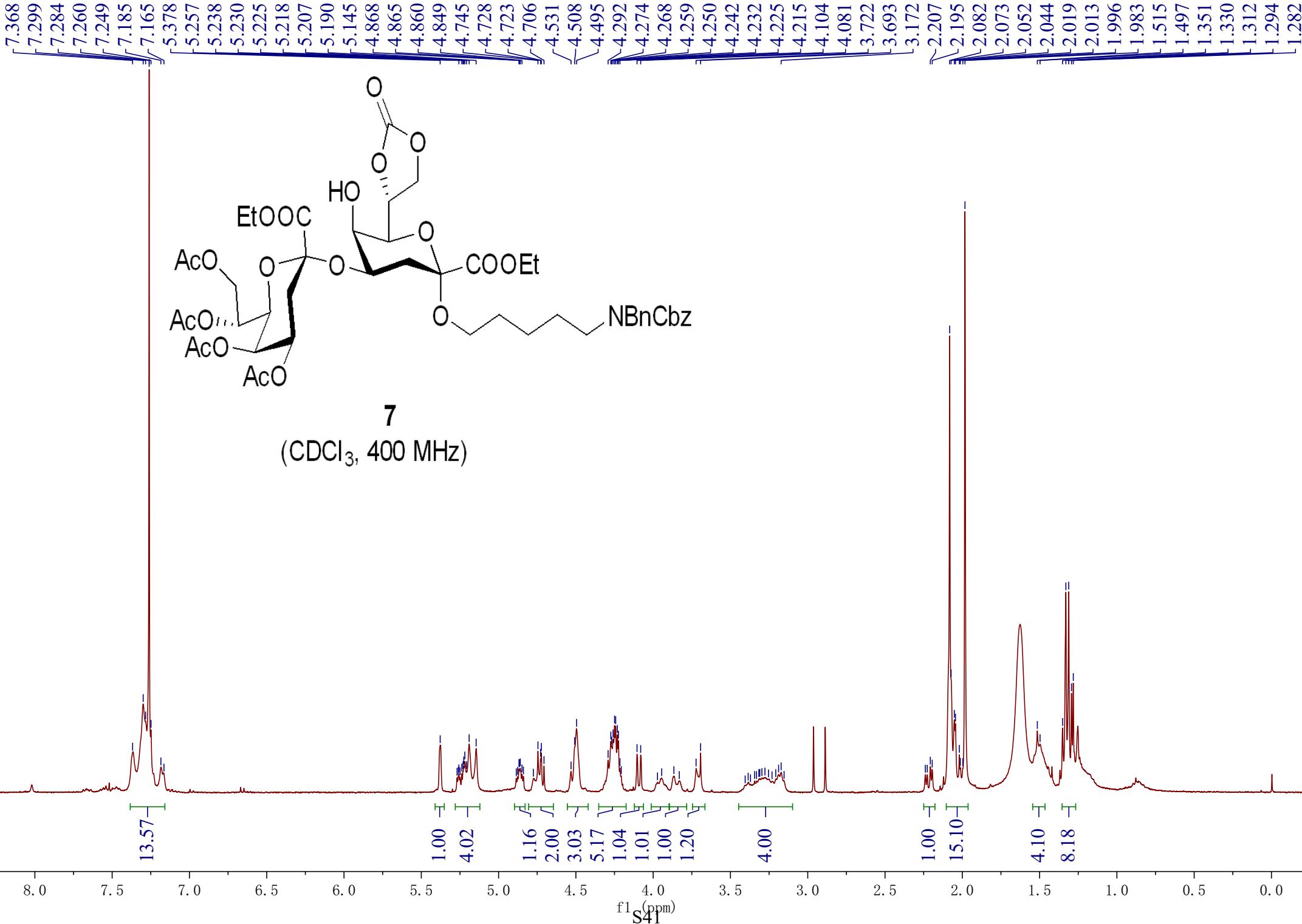
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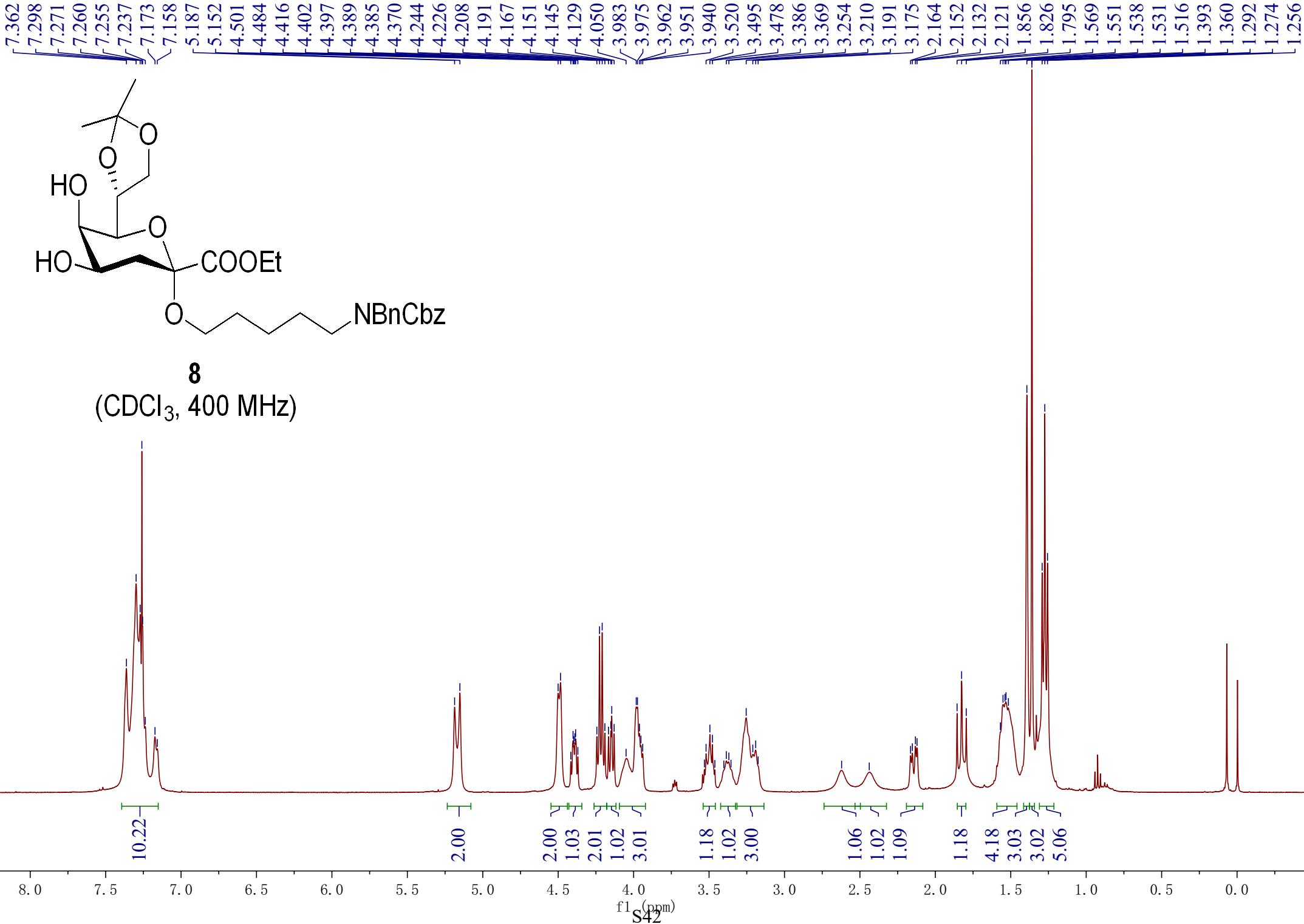


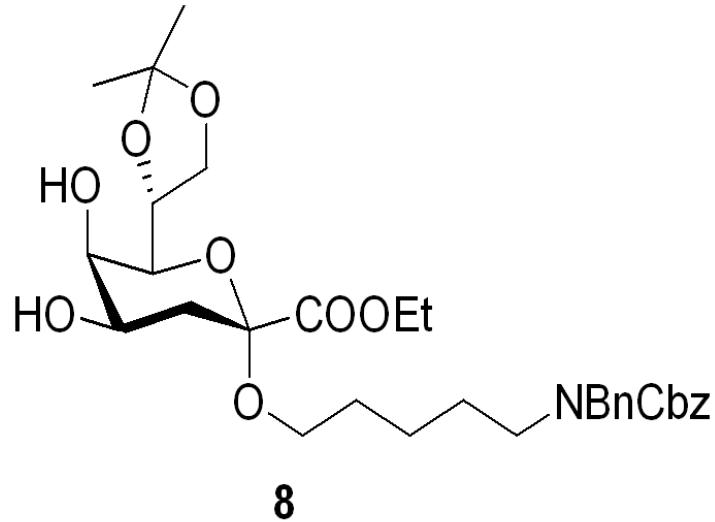












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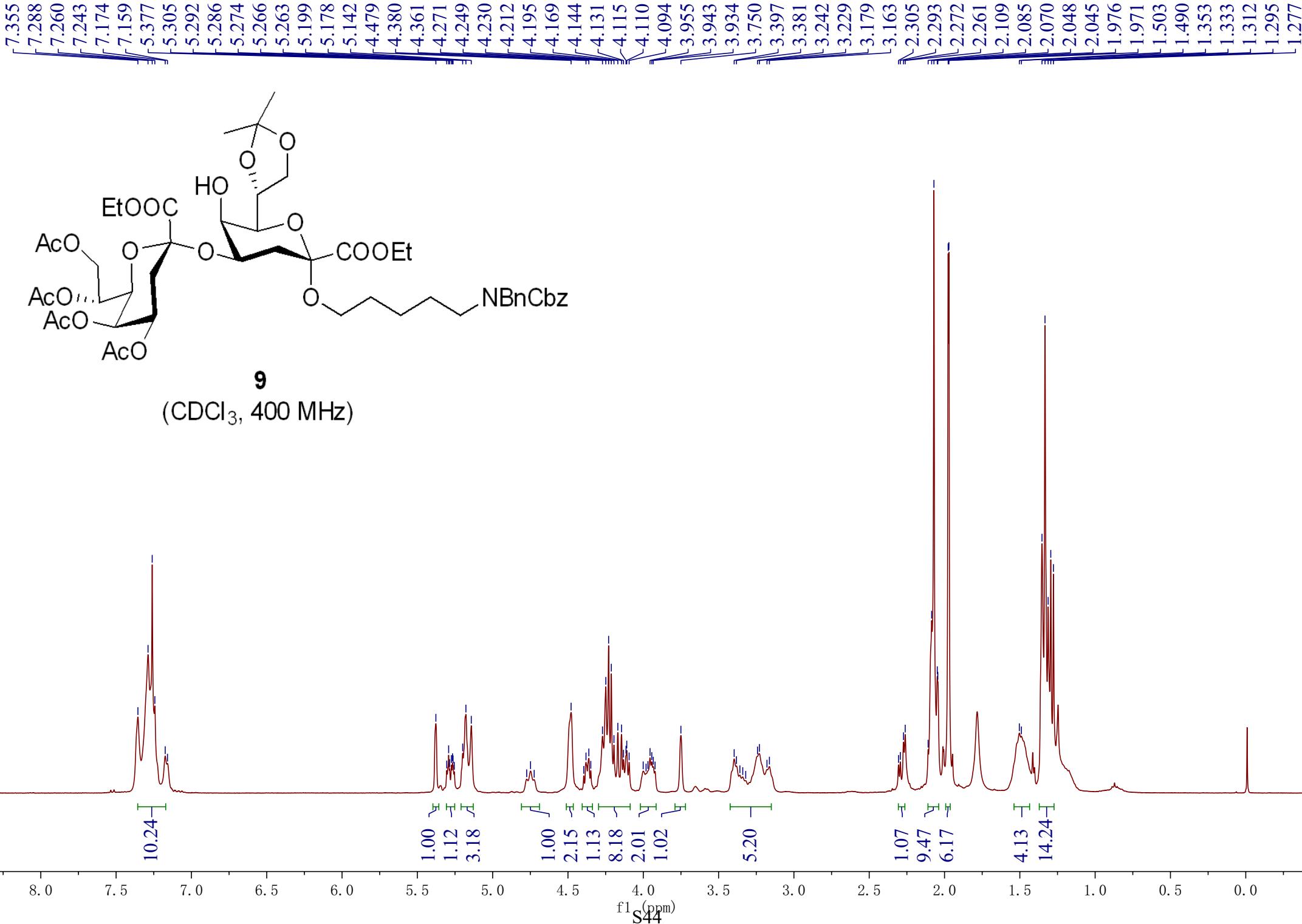
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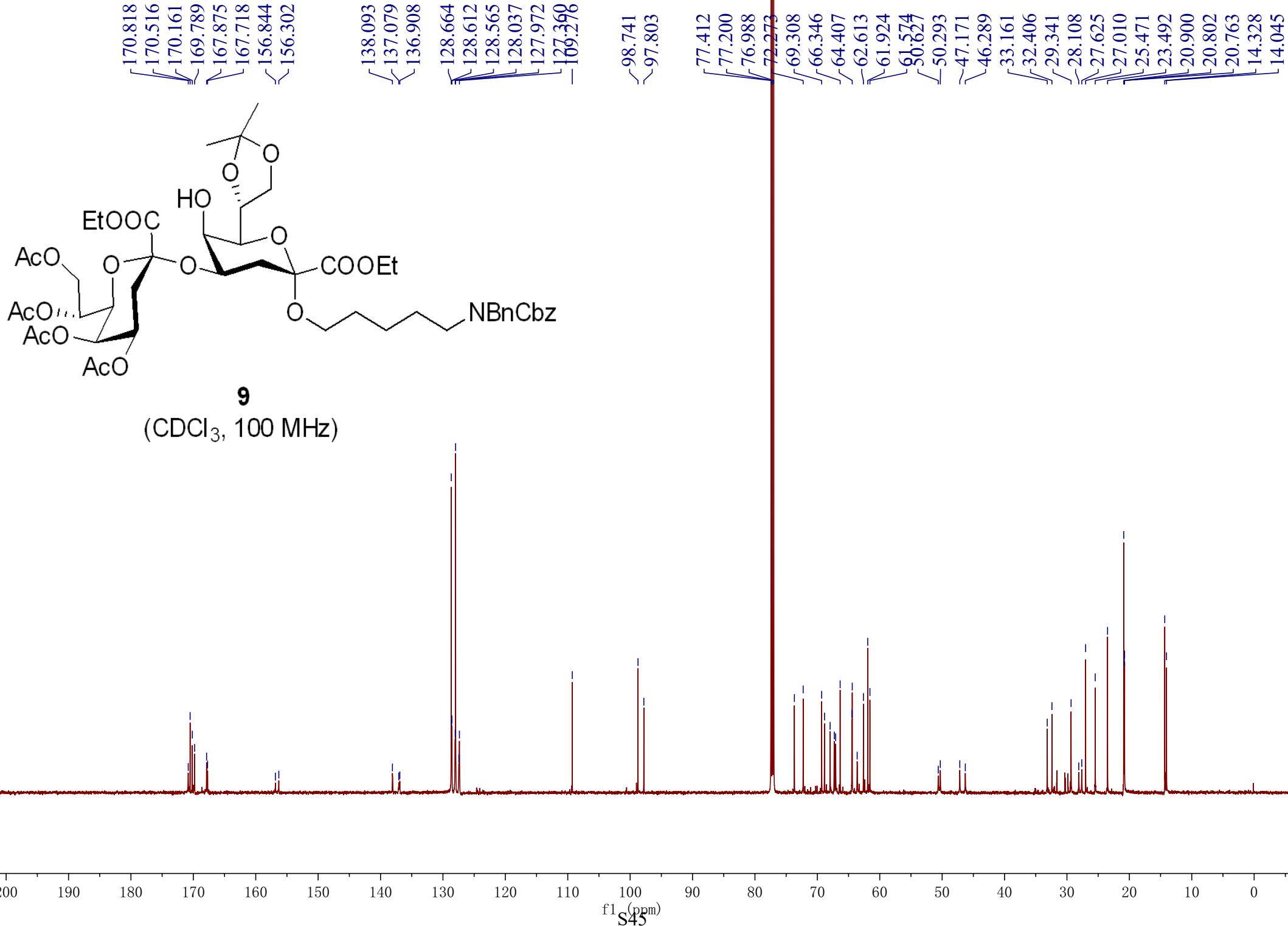
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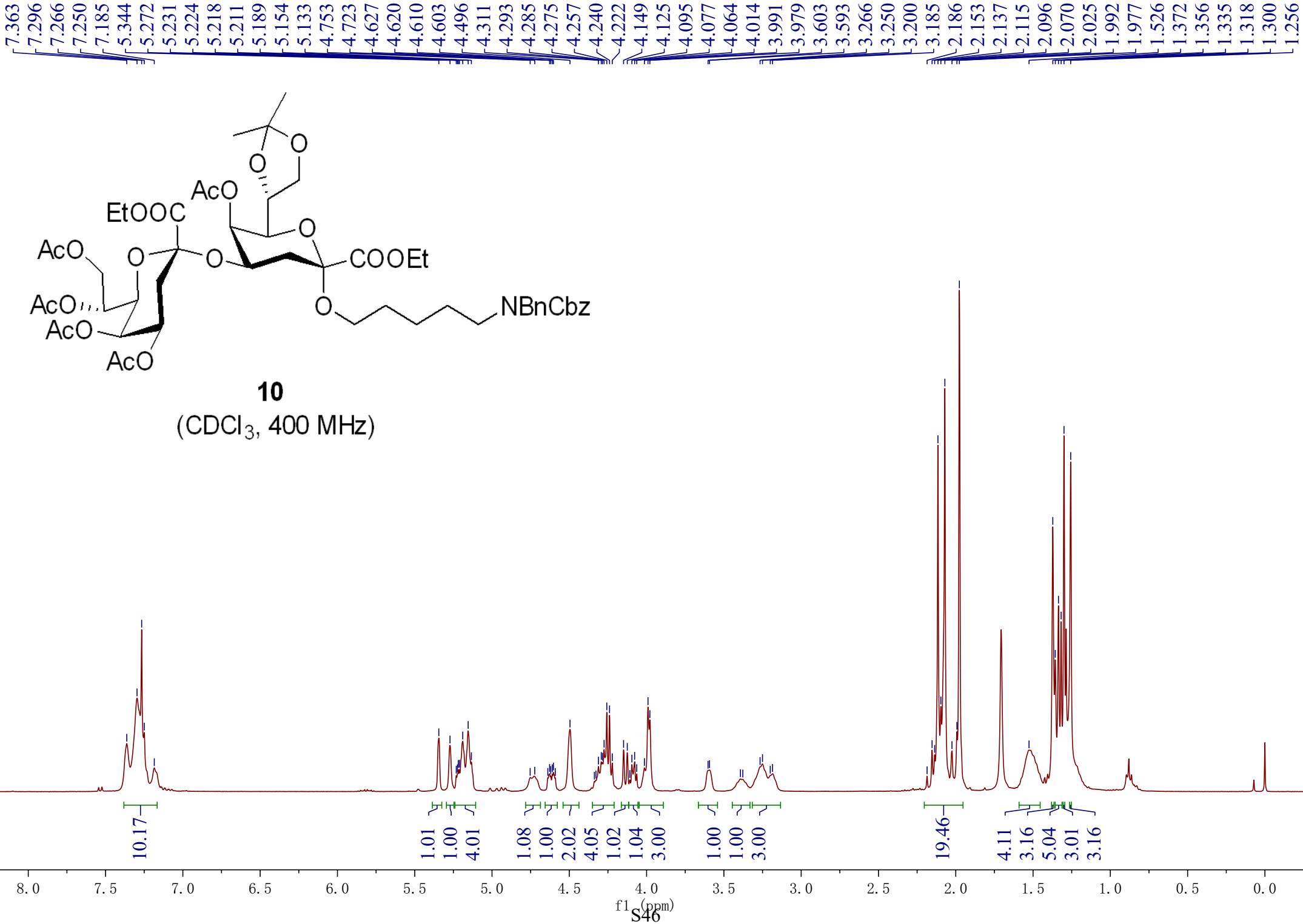
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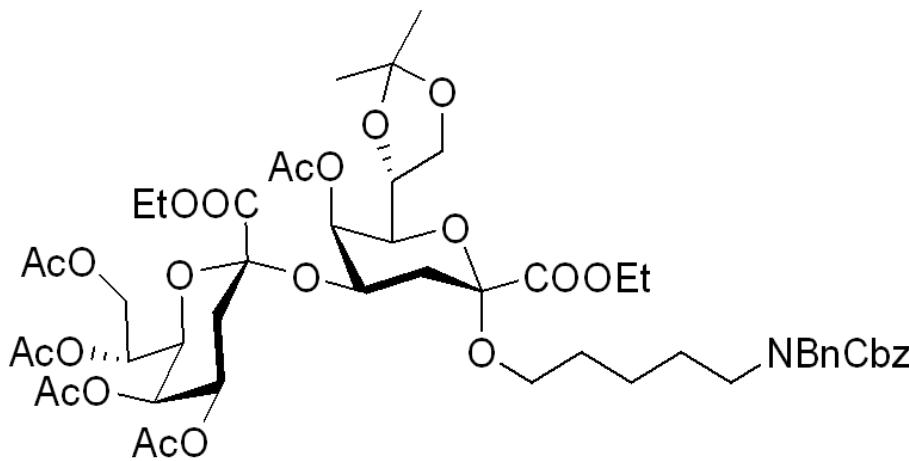
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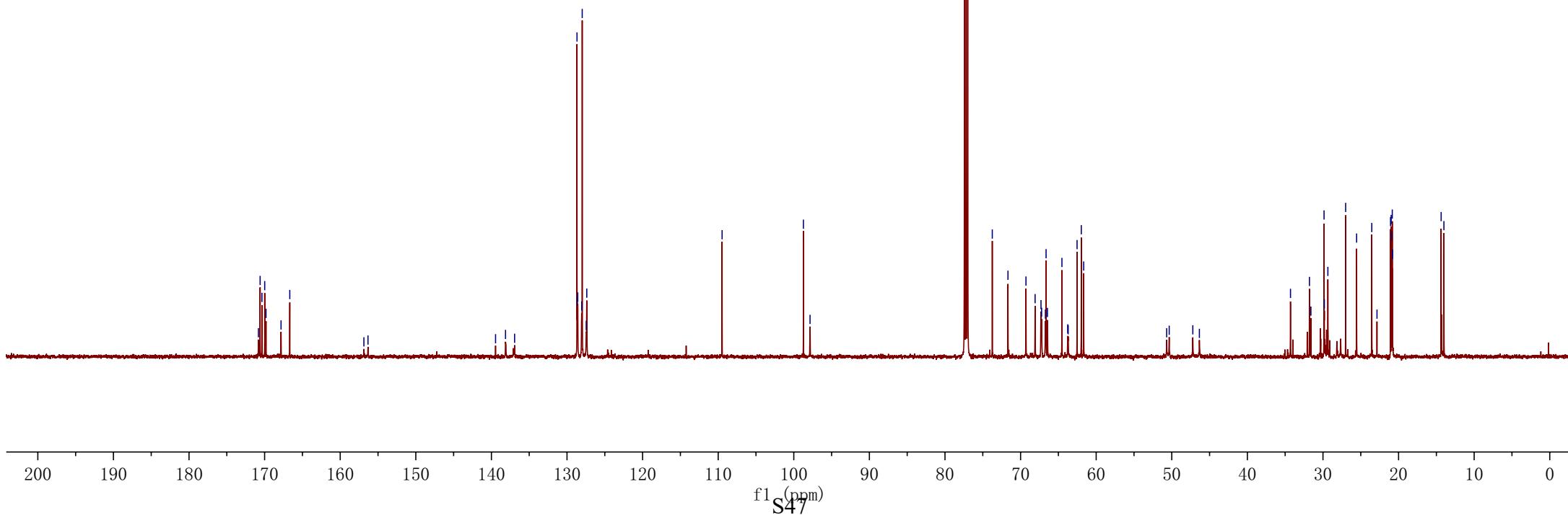


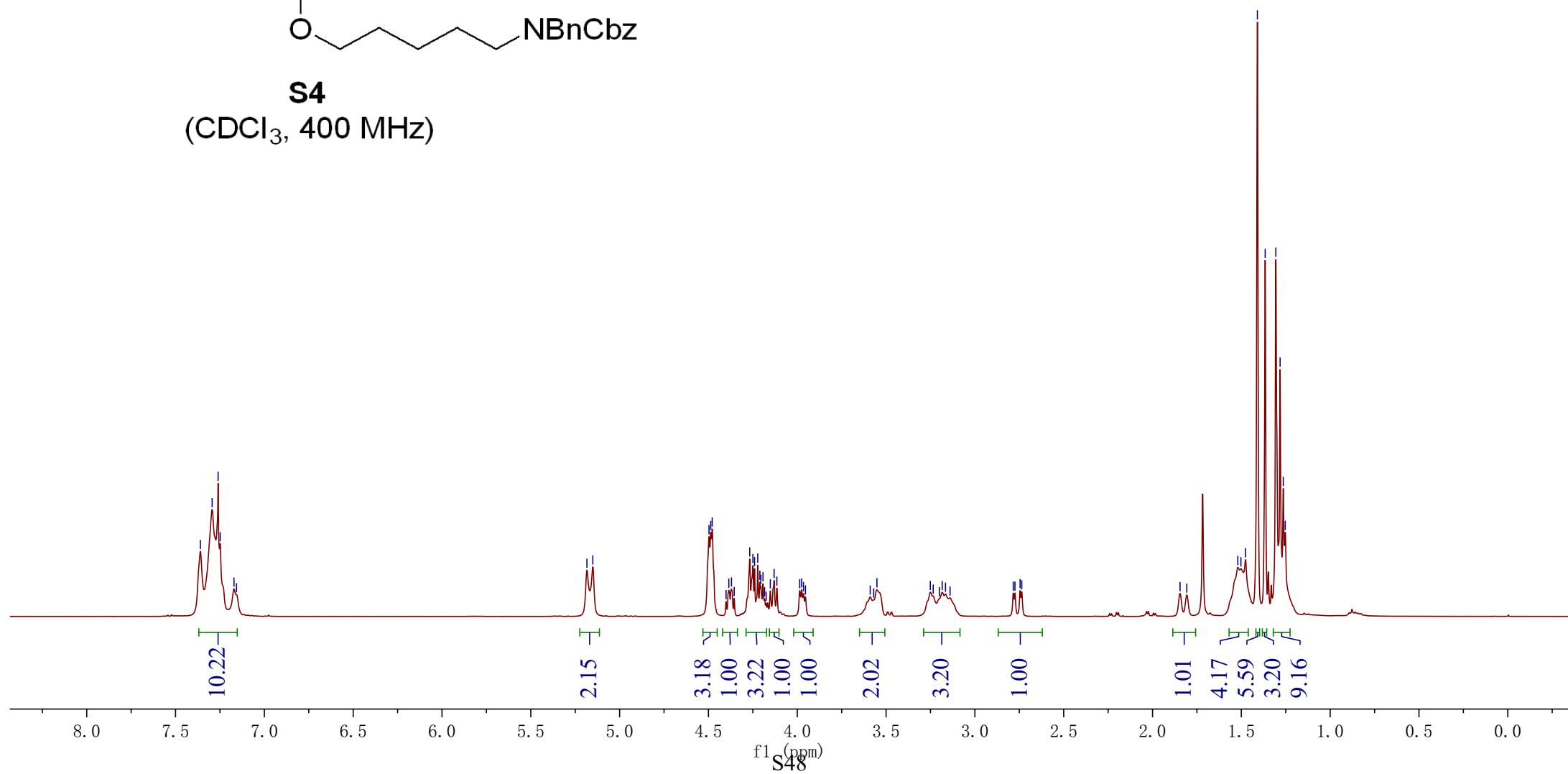
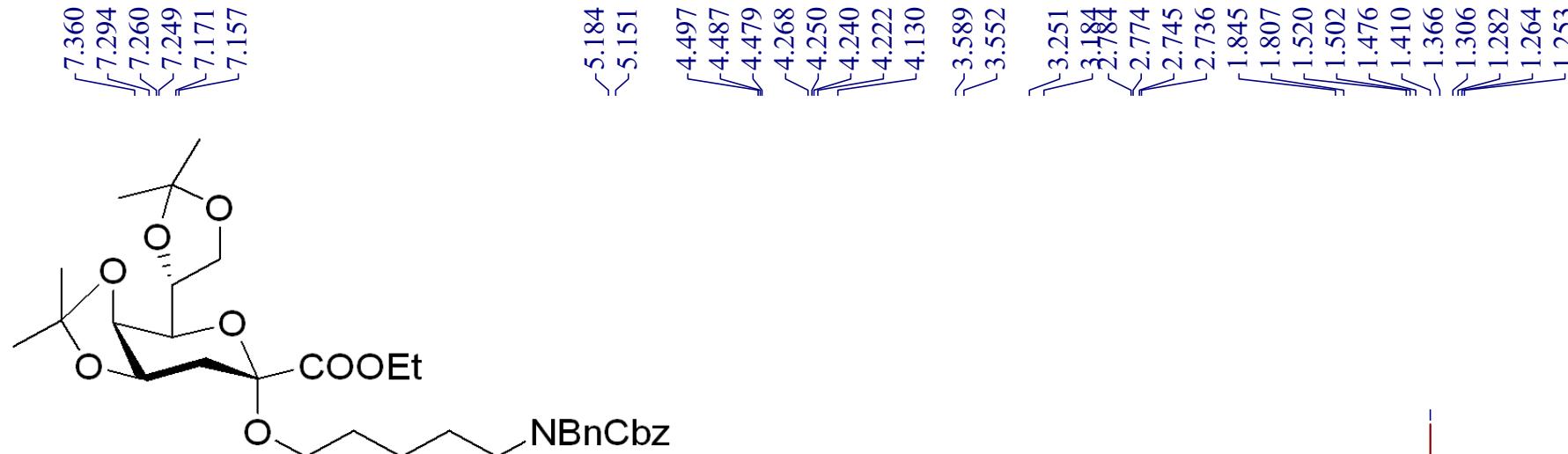


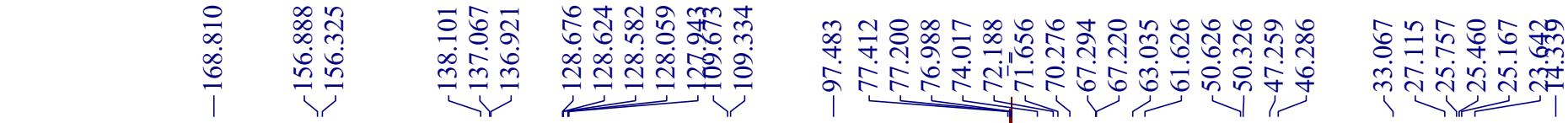
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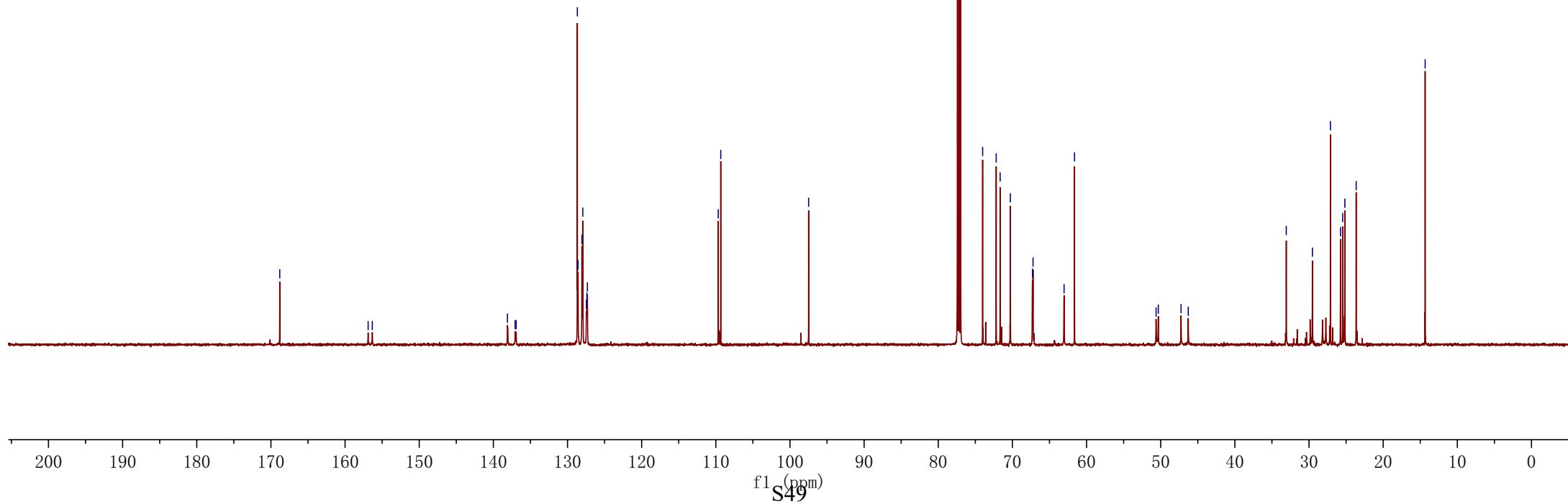
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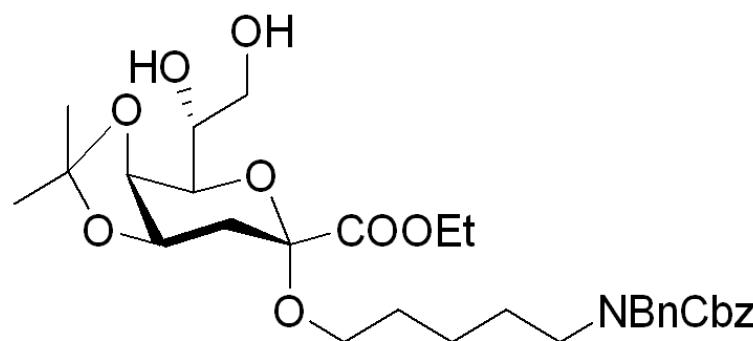




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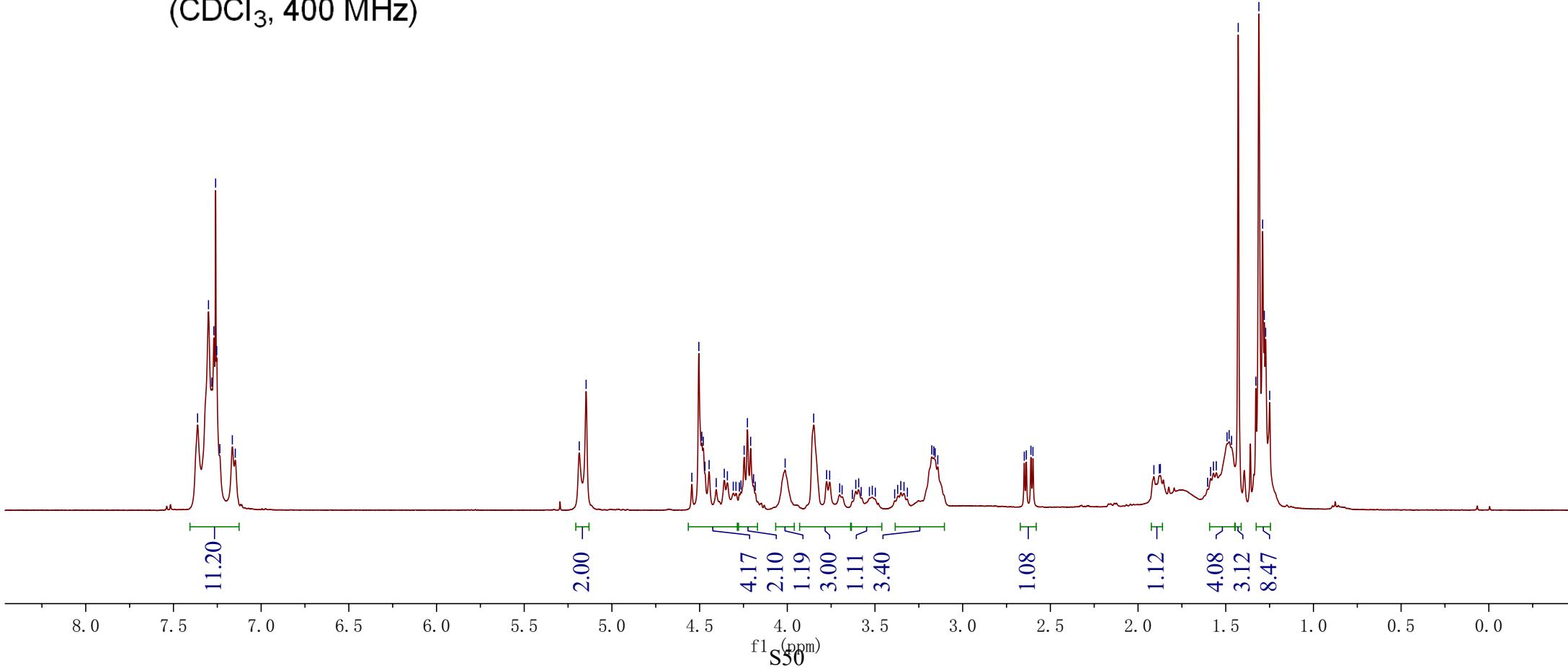


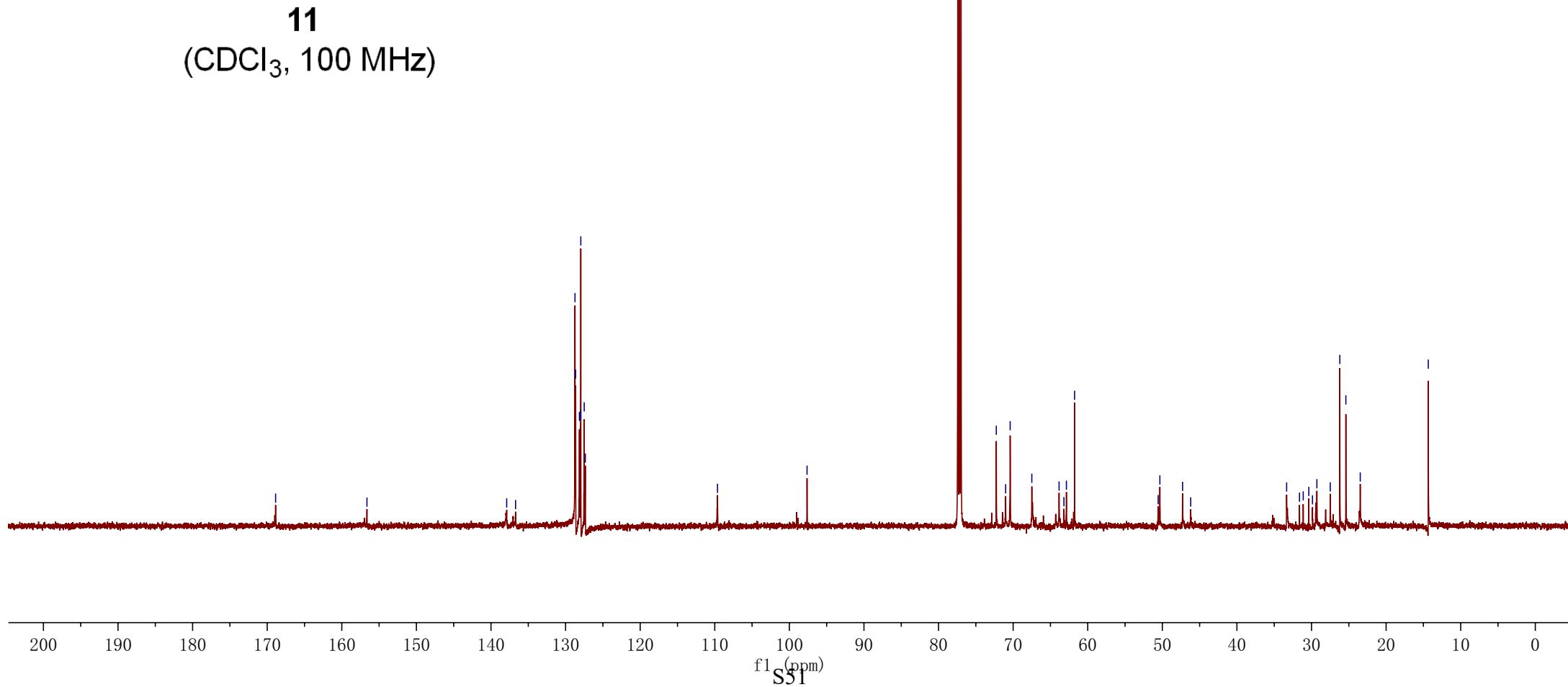
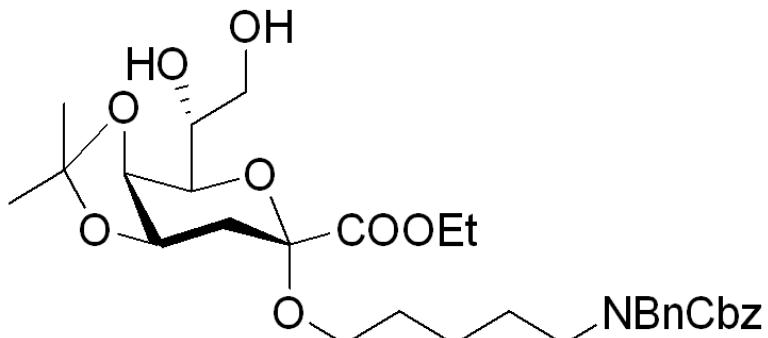
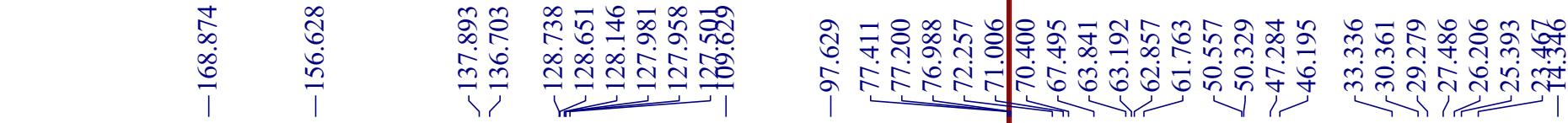
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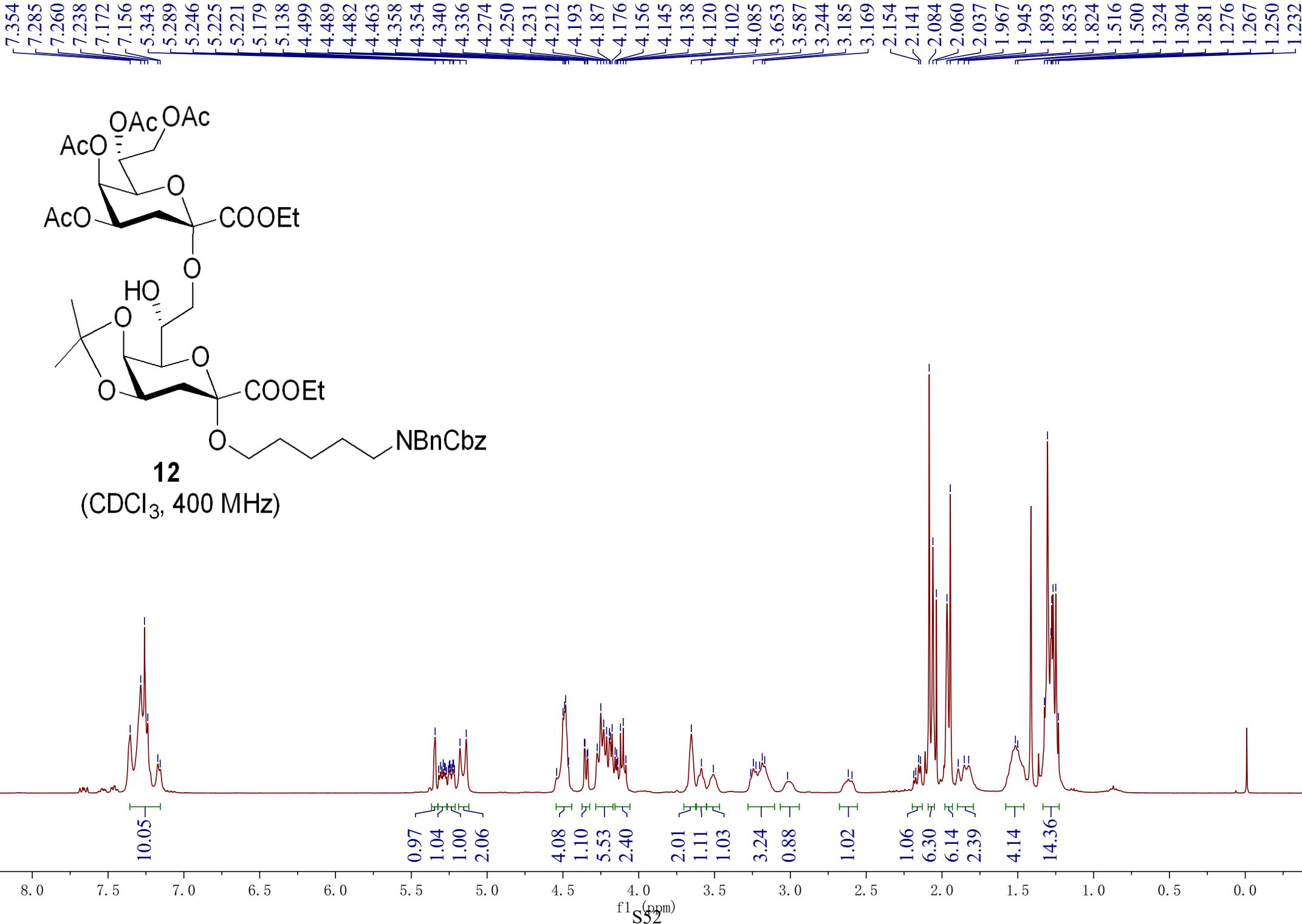


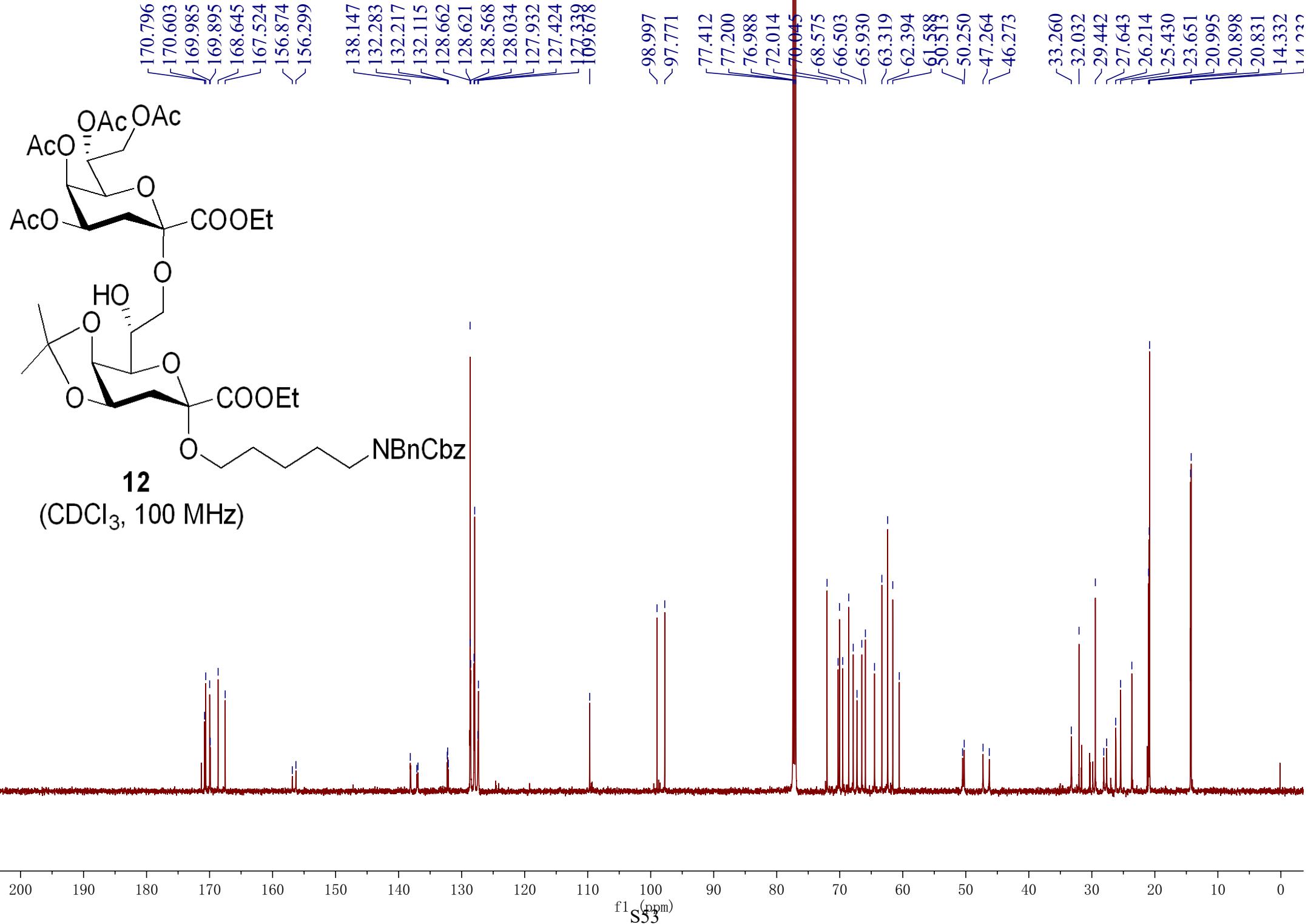
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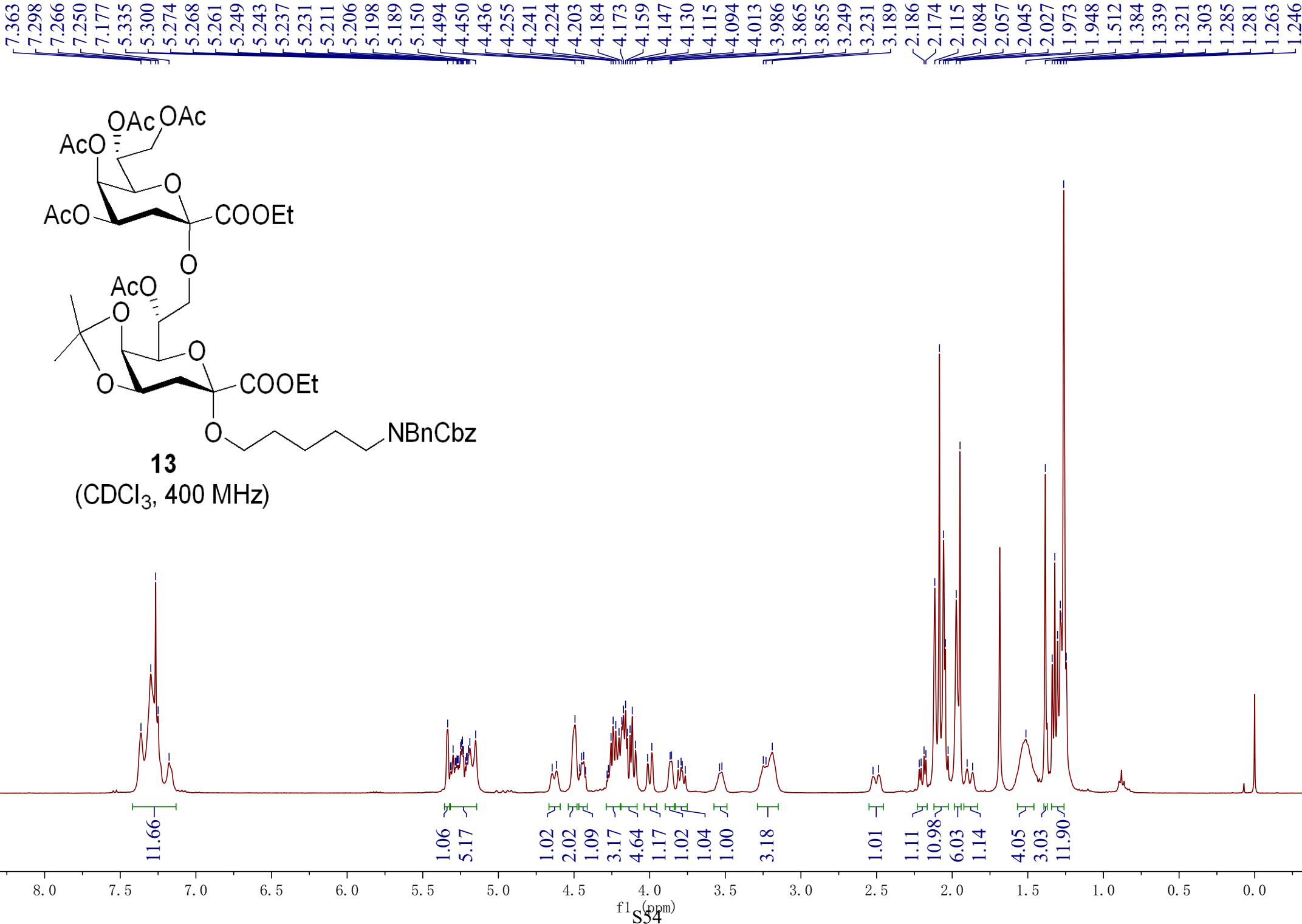
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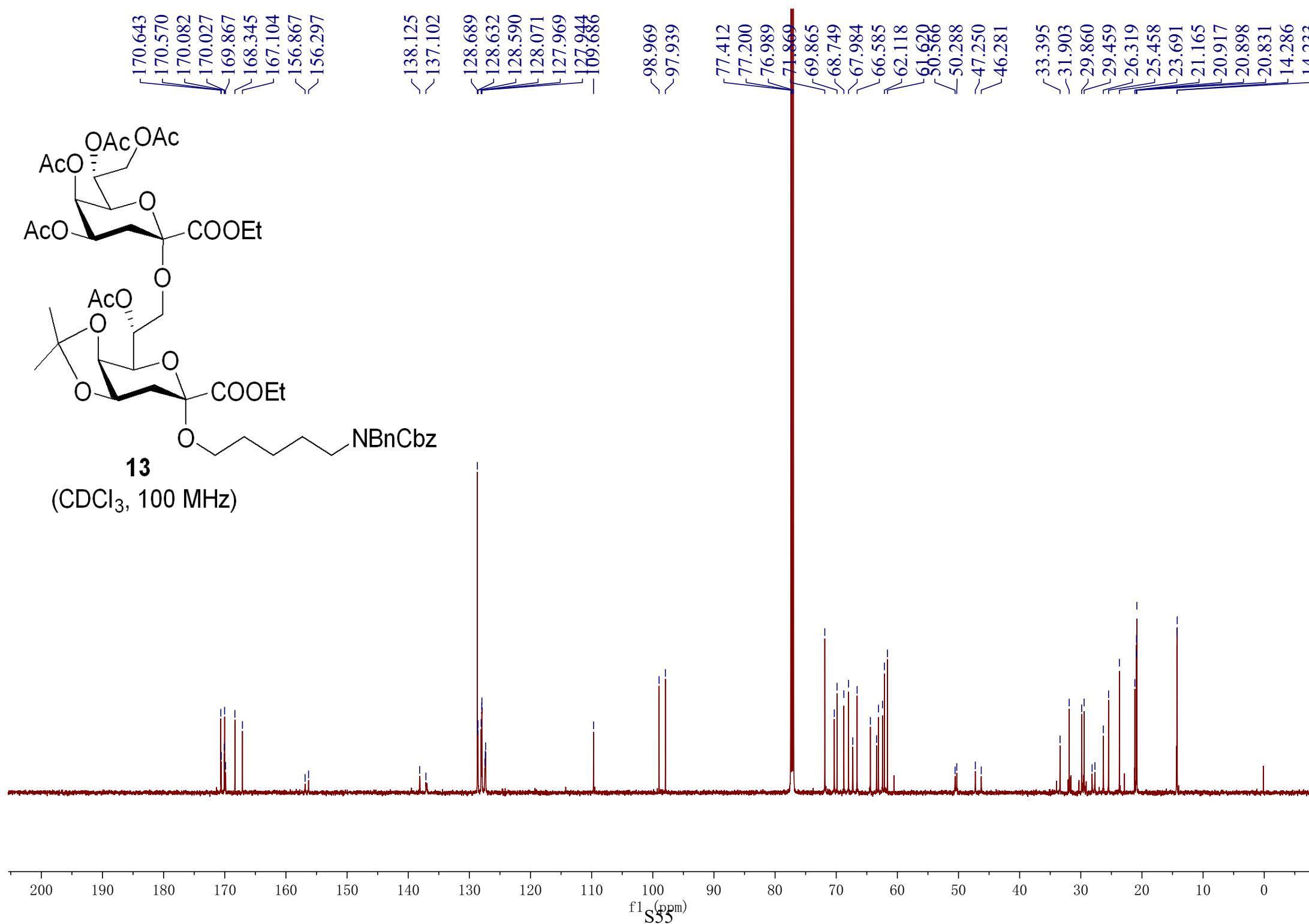
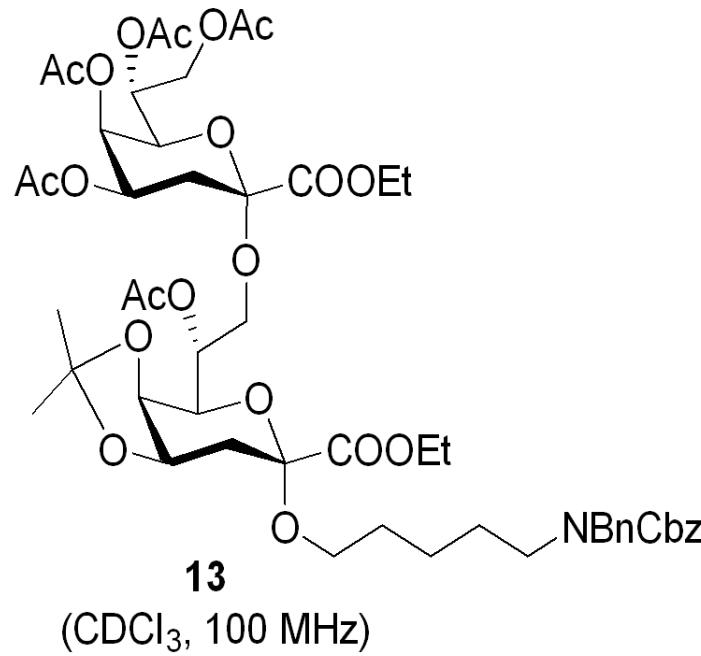
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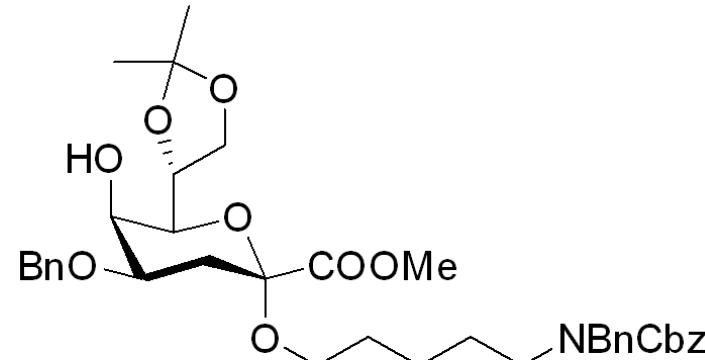


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(CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

