

# Enantioselective Synthesis of N-Arylpyrrole Aldehydes *via* NHC-Organocatalytic Atroposelective Desymmetrization Followed by Kinetic Resolution

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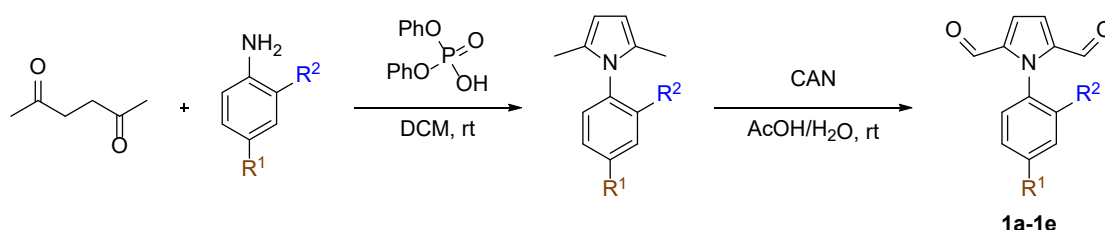
## 1. General methods

All reactions were carried out in dry glassware and were monitored by analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC), which was visualized by ultraviolet light (254 nm). All solvents were obtained from commercial sources and were purified according to standard procedures. Purification of the products was accomplished by flash chromatography using silica gel (200-300 mesh). Substrates **1** were prepared according to the known procedures.<sup>[1]</sup> Alcohols were used as received from commercially available sources. All NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker spectrometers, running at 300 MHz or 400 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H and 75 MHz or 101 MHz for <sup>13</sup>C respectively. Chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) and coupling constants ( $J$ ) are reported in ppm and Hz respectively. The solvent signals were used as references (residual CHCl<sub>3</sub> in CDCl<sub>3</sub>:  $\delta_{\text{H}}$  = 7.26 ppm,  $\delta_{\text{C}}$  = 77.0 ppm). The following abbreviations are used to indicate the multiplicity in NMR spectra: s (singlet); d (doublet); t (triplet); q (quartet); m (multiplet). High resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS) was recorded on TOF perimer for ESI<sup>+</sup>. The ee. values were determined via chiral HPLC analysis.

## 2. Substrate synthesis

### Synthesis of 1a-1e

The dicarbaldehydes were synthesized according to a literature procedure.<sup>[1]</sup>

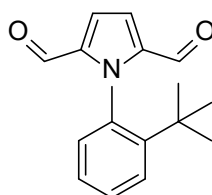


Diphenyl phosphonate (20 mol%) was added to a solution of 1,4-diketones (12.0 mmol) and aromatic amines (10.0 mmol) in methylene chloride. The mixture was stirred until aromatic amines completely consumed (monitored by TLC). The mixture was concentrated in vacuo and purified by flash chromatography on silica gel eluted with PE/EA to afford the corresponding N-arylpyrrole derivatives.

N-arylpyrrole derivatives (1.0 equiv., 500 mg) was dissolved in THF (50 mL), HOAc (10

mL), and H<sub>2</sub>O (10 mL). Then ceric ammonium nitrate (8.7 equiv.) was added to the mixture all in once. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6h until the reaction was complete (monitored by TLC). Then, the mixture was poured into water and extracted with EA. The organic layer was washed with water three times followed by saturated aqueous NaCl. Then the organic extracts were combined and dried over anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. the solution was concentrated under vacuum to remove the solvents. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to afford **1a-1e**.

#### Characterization of 1a-1e

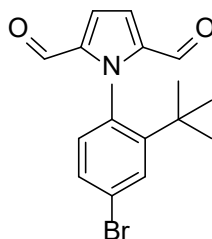


**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2,5-dicarbaldehyde (1a).** **1a** was isolated as a white solid (84mg, 15% yield for the last step). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether: EtOAc = 80 : 1. MP: 83 –85 °C.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.50 (s, 2H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (s, 2H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 1.14 (s, 9H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 181.2, 147.1, 138.0, 133.4, 130.6, 130.3, 129.4, 127.1, 117.7, 77.5, 76.8, 36.3, 31.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>18</sub>NO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> [M+H]<sup>+</sup> : 256.1332, found: 256.1334.

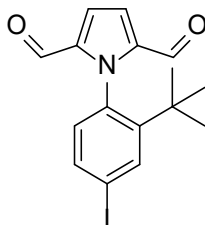


**1-(4-bromo-2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2,5-dicarbaldehyde (1b).** **1b** was isolated as a yellow oil (60mg, 11% yield for the last step). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether: EtOAc = 80 : 1.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.54 (s, 2H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (s, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.12, 181.0, 149.0, 137.8, 132., 131.7, 130.2, 124.2, 118.8, 36.4, 31.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{BrNO}_2^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 334.0437, found: 334.0436.

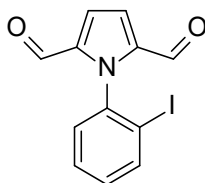


**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)-4-iodophenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2,5-dicarbaldehyde (1c).** **1c** was isolated as a yellow oil (81mg, 15% yield for the last step). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether: EtOAc = 80 : 1.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.52 (s, 2H), 7.93 (d,  $J$  = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (dd,  $J$  = 8.2, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (s, 2H), 6.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 1.08 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.8, 148.9, 138.5, 137.6, 136.0, 133.8, 131.8, 96.4, 36.2, 31.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{INO}_2^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 382.0299, found: 382.0302.

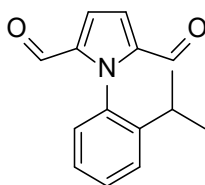


**1-(2-iodophenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2,5-dicarbaldehyde (1d).** **1d** was isolated as a yellow oil (109mg, 20% yield for the last step). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether: EtOAc = 80 : 1.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.53 (s, 2H), 7.95 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.53 – 7.46 (m, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.15 (s, 2H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.5, 139.8, 139.4, 135.9, 131.2, 129.3, 129.0, 119.0, 97.9, 76.7.

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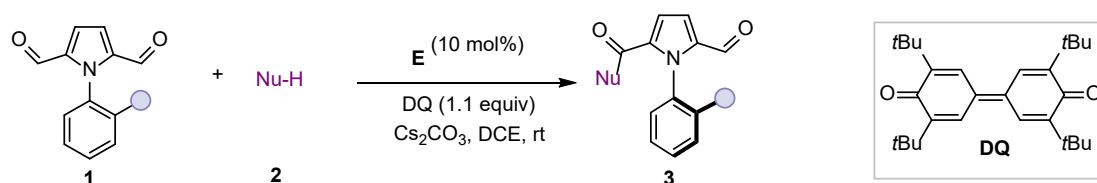
**1-(2-isopropylphenyl)-1H-pyrrole-2,5-dicarbaldehyde (1e).** **1e** was isolated as a yellow oil (90mg, 14% yield for the last step). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether: EtOAc = 80 : 1.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.48 (s, 2H), 7.53 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (s, 2H), 2.37 (h,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.7, 146.6, 137.0, 133.2, 130.6, 128.1, 126.9, 126.7, 117.6, 77.5, 76.8, 28.0, 23.8.

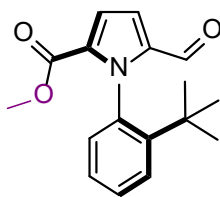
HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_2^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 242.1176, found: 242.1174.

### 3. Synthesis of C-N axially chiral N-arylpyrroles **3**



**General procedure:** To a 10 mL oven-dried Schlenk tube equipped with a PTFE-coated stirring bar were charged with substrate **1** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), substrate **2** (0.24 mmol, 1.2 equiv.), DQ (90 mg, 0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv.),  $\text{Cs}_2\text{CO}_3$  (26 mg, 0.08 mmol, 0.4 equiv), cat. **E** (10 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %) and 4 ÅMS (25 mg) under air. The vessel was evacuated and back-filled with  $\text{N}_2$  three times. Then, anhydrous DCE (4 mL) was added to the tube. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature under  $\text{N}_2$  for 12 h. After that, the mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to afford the product **3a-3ad**.

#### Characterization of product **3**



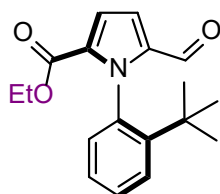
**methyl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3a).** **3a** was isolated as a yellow oil (40 mg, 70% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -2.873$  ( $c = 0.116$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.582 min (minor), 6.039 min (major), 97% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.35 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, 1H), 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 6.98 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.7, 160.2, 148.7, 138.4, 137.8, 135.7, 135.2, 131.6, 130.5, 117.8, 117.5, 95.8, 51.9, 31.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 286.1438, found: 286.1440.



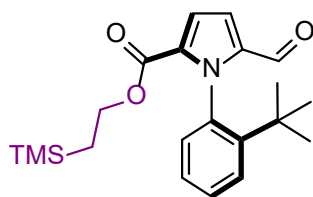
**ethyl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3b).** **3b** was isolated as a yellow oil (42 mg, 70% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -8.871$  ( $c = 0.124$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 8.548 min (minor), 10.129 min (major), 86% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.25 (t,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.10 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 9.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.20 – 4.06 (m, 2H), 1.13 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 160.0, 146.5, 138.0, 135.2, 131.0, 130.3, 129.6, 129.1, 126.5, 117.4, 116.6, 77.5, 76.8, 60.8, 36.2, 31.5, 14.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{18}H_{22}NO_3^+$   $[M+H]^+$  : 300.1594, found: 300.2897.



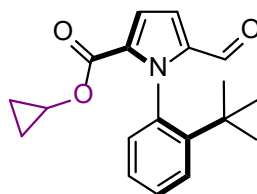
**2-(trimethylsilyl)ethyl (R)-1-(2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3c).** **3c** was isolated as a yellow oil (60 mg, 80% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -6.812$  ( $c = 0.230$  in  $CHCl_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 97/3, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 8.203 min (minor), 9.544 min (major), 94% ee.

$^1H$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.23 (s, 1H), 7.11 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 4.27 – 4.11 (m, 2H), 1.12 (s, 9H), 0.95 – 0.88 (m, 2H), 0.01 (s, 9H).

$^{13}C$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 160.1, 146.5, 138.0, 135.1, 131.1, 130.3, 129.6, 129.1, 126.5, 117.2, 116.6, 76.8, 63.2, 36.2, 31.5, 17.3, -1.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{21}H_{30}NO_3Si^+$   $[M+H]^+$  : 286.1438, found: 286.1440.



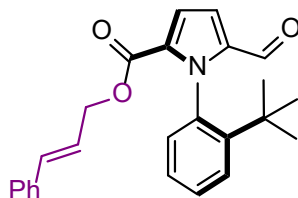
**cyclopropyl (R)-1-(2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3d).** **3d** was isolated as a yellow oil (32 mg, 51% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -43.182$  ( $c = 0.044$  in  $CHCl_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IF, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 12.740 min (minor), 13.574 min (major), 88% ee.

$^1H$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.35 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t, 1H), 7.24 (t, 1H), 7.08 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 6.97 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 4.18 – 4.09 (m, 1H), 1.11 (s, 9H), 0.67 – 0.60 (m, 2H), 0.53 – 0.45 (m, 2H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 160.8, 146.5, 138.1, 135.1, 130.6, 130.3, 129.6, 129.1, 126.5, 117.6, 116.6, 76.7, 49.2, 36.2, 31.5, 5.3, 5.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 312.1594, found: 312.1591.



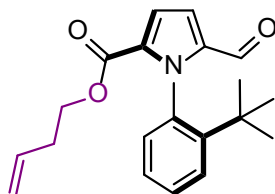
**cinnamyl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3e).** **3e** was isolated as a yellow oil (56 mg, 73% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -9.151$  ( $c = 0.0204$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 25.689 min (minor), 35.793 min (major), 86% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.35 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.36 – 7.29 (m, 4H), 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 7.01 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.55 (d,  $J = 15.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.12 (dt,  $J = 15.9, 6.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.83 – 4.66 (m, 2H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 159.6, 146.5, 138.1, 136.1, 135.0, 134.4, 130.5, 130.2, 129.5, 129.1, 128.6, 128.2, 126.6, 126.5, 122.6, 117.6, 116.5, 65.2, 36.2, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 388.1907, found: 388.1903.



**but-3-en-1-yl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3f).** **3f** was isolated as a yellow oil (48 mg, 75% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

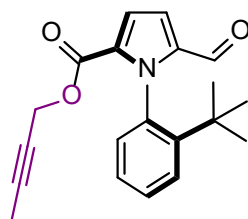
$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -166.667$  ( $c = 0.006$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IF, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 10.808 min (minor), 11.275 min (major), 90% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 8.2$

Hz, 1H), 7.23 (s, 1H), 7.08 (s, 2H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 5.73 – 5.57 (m, 1H), 5.10 – 4.99 (m, 2H), 4.24 – 4.05 (m, 2H), 2.27 (q,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform- $d$ )  $\delta$  181.2, 159.8, 146.4, 138.0, 135.0, 133.7, 130.7, 130.2, 129.5, 129.0, 126.5, 117.4, 117.4, 116.5, 63.8, 36.1, 32.9, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 326.1451, found: 326.1447.



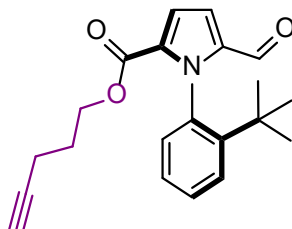
**but-2-yn-1-yl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3g).** **3g** was isolated as a yellow oil (54 mg, 85% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -11.278$  ( $c = 0.266$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IF, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 12.628 min (minor), 13.158 min (major), 92% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform- $d$ )  $\delta$  9.35 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.25 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.17 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 4.66 (s, 2H), 1.82 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform- $d$ )  $\delta$  181.2, 159.2, 146.4, 138.2, 134.8, 130.2, 129.9, 129.5, 129.1, 126.5, 117.8, 116.4, 83.5, 72.8, 53.0, 36.1, 31.4, 3.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 324.1594, found: 324.1592.



**pent-4-yn-1-yl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3h).** **3h** was isolated as a yellow oil (48 mg, 72% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

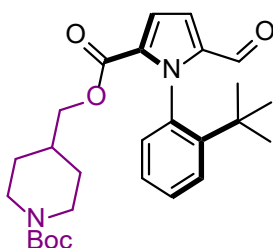
$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -32.353$  ( $c = 0.034$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, *n*-hexane/2-propanol

= 98/2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 15.663 min (major), 16.986 min (minor), 92% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.33 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (t,  $J$  = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.13 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 7.00 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 4.28 – 4.09 (m, 2H), 2.10 – 2.03 (m, 2H), 1.93 (t,  $J$  = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.11 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 159.9, 146.4, 138.0, 135.1, 130.7, 130.3, 129.6, 129.1, 126.5, 117.7, 116.6, 82.8, 69.1, 63.3, 36.1, 31.4, 27.3, 15.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 338.1751, found: 338.1754.



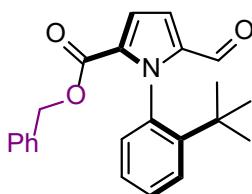
**tert-butyl (R)-4-(((1-(2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carbonyl)oxy)methyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (3i).** **3i** was isolated as a yellow oil (32 mg, 34% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25}$  = -0.915 ( $c$  = 1.530 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 14.834 min (minor), 18.719 min (major), 92% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.30 (s, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.47 – 7.41 (m, 1H), 7.28 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.12 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 7.00 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 4.12 – 3.76 (m, 4H), 2.59 (s, 2H), 1.65 – 1.55 (m, 1H), 1.44 (s, 11H), 1.10 (s, 9H), 1.05 – 0.91 (m, 2H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 160.0, 154.8, 146.5, 138.0, 135.2, 130.7, 130.3, 129.5, 129.1, 126.5, 117.7, 116.6, 79.5, 68.8, 36.1, 35.5, 31.4, 28.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 469.2697, found: 469.2694.



**benzyl (R)-1-(2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3j).** **3j** was

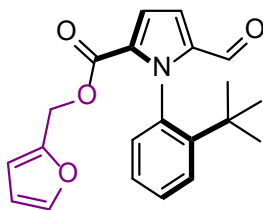
isolated as a yellow oil (44 mg, 61% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -29.167$  ( $c = 0.096$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IF, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99.2/0.8, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 19.544 min (minor), 21.664 min (major), 92% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.37 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.33 (dd,  $J = 5.7, 2.3$  Hz, 3H), 7.27 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.21 (dt,  $J = 5.8, 2.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 4.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 4.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.27 – 5.06 (m, 2H), 1.11 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 159.7, 146.4, 138.1, 135.3, 135.0, 130.5, 130.2, 129.5, 129.1, 128.5, 128.3, 128.2, 126.5, 117.8, 116.5, 76.7, 66.5, 36.1, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 362.1751, found: 362.1755.



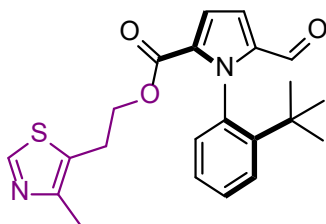
**furan-2-ylmethyl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3k).** 3k was isolated as a yellow oil (38 mg, 54% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -30.006$  ( $c = 0.054$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 25.579 min (major), 30.354 min (minor), 90% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.33 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.46 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.38 (t,  $J = 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.23 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.13 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.98 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.36 – 6.28 (m, 2H), 5.07 (s, 2H), 1.09 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 159.4, 148.9, 146.4, 143.3, 138.1, 134.8, 130.2, 129.5, 129.0, 126.4, 117.8, 116.4, 110.9, 110.5, 58.1, 36.1, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_4^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 352.1543, found: 352.1550.



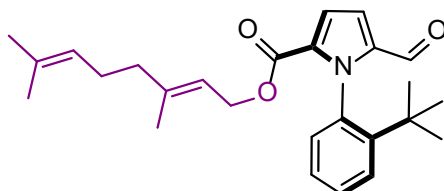
**2-(4-methylthiazol-5-yl)ethyl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3l).** **3l** was isolated as a yellow oil (56 mg, 70% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -16.337$  ( $c = 0.023$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.164 min (minor), 10.551 min (major), >99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.35 (s, 1H), 8.61 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.08 (s, 2H), 6.96 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.38 – 4.17 (m, 2H), 3.04 (t,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 146.6, 130.3, 129.7, 129.2, 126.6, 117.7, 116.6, 77.5, 76.8, 64.2, 31.5, 29.8.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 397.1580, found: 397.1579.

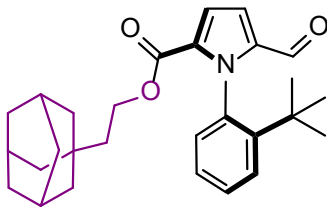


**(E)-3,7-dimethylocta-2,6-dien-1-yl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3m).** **3m** was isolated as a yellow oil (72 mg, 88% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -20.349$  ( $c = 0.172$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 10.121 min (major), 10.797 min (minor), 91% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.25 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.23 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 4.59 (m, 2H), 2.10 – 1.95 (m, 4H), 1.68 (s, 3H), 1.62 (s, 3H), 1.60 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 160.0, 146.4, 142.5, 137.9, 135.1, 131.9, 131.0, 130.2, 129.4, 129.0, 126.4, 123.7, 117.8, 117.4, 116.5, 61.6, 39.5, 36.1, 26.2, 25.7, 17.7, 16.5.  
HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{34}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 408.2533, found: 408.2531.



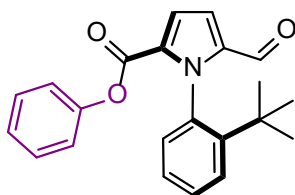
**2-(adamantan-1-yl)ethyl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3n).** **3n** was isolated as a yellow oil (36 mg, 40% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -20.732$  ( $c = 0.164$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 7.461 min (minor), 8.312 min (major), 99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.09 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.25 – 4.06 (m, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.72 – 1.57 (m, 6H), 1.47 (s, 6H), 1.31 (t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 2H), 1.12 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 160.0, 146.4, 137.9, 135.0, 131.0, 130.3, 129.5, 129.0, 126.4, 117.2, 116.5, 61.2, 42.5, 42.2, 37.0, 36.1, 31.7, 31.4, 28.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{36}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 434.2690, found: 434.2690.



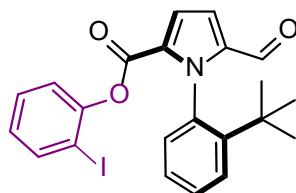
**phenyl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3o).** **3o** was isolated as a yellow oil (48 mg, 70% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -3.827$  ( $c = 0.046$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 15.95 min (minor), 17.29 min (major), 84% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.41 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t,  $J$  = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 7.26 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.22 – 7.15 (m, 2H), 7.06 (d,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 1.17 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.4, 158.2, 150.2, 146.5, 138.7, 134.8, 130.3, 129.8, 129.8, 129.5, 129.2, 126.7, 126.0, 121.5, 118.6, 116.5, 77.5, 76.8, 36.3, 31.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 348.1594, found: 348.1596.



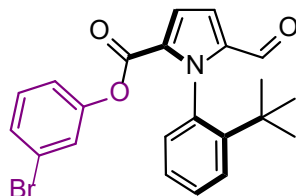
**2-iodophenyl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3p).** **3p** was isolated as a yellow oil (62 mg, 65% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25}$  = -3.827 ( $c$  = 0.784 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 10.015 min (major), 11.611 min (minor), 78% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.42 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.46 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.31 (m, 1H), 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.18 (d,  $J$  = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.12 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.95 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 1.18 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 157.2, 150.6, 146.5, 139.4, 138.9, 134.4, 130.2, 129.7, 129.4, 129.2, 129.1, 127.8, 126.6, 123.2, 119.1, 116.4, 90.3, 36.2, 31.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{INO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 474.0561, found: 474.0559.



**3-bromophenyl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3q).** **3q** was isolated as a yellow oil (42mg, 50% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

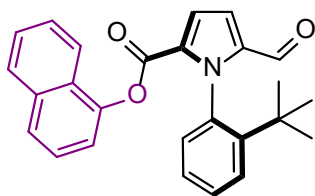
$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25}$  = -62.222 ( $c$  = 0.090 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol

= 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 15.111 min (minor), 15.902 min (major), 99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.41 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J$  = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 7.28 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.24 (t,  $J$  = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (t,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d,  $J$  = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd,  $J$  = 7.8, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (dd,  $J$  = 8.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 1.16 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 157.6, 150.6, 146.4, 138.8, 134.6, 130.5, 130.2, 129.8, 129.2, 129.2, 129.1, 126.7, 124.9, 122.4, 120.3, 118.8, 116.4, 36.2, 31.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrNO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 426.0700, found: 426.0697.



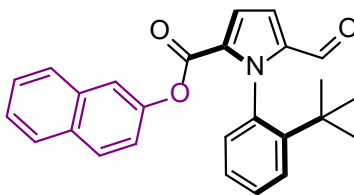
**naphthalen-1-yl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3r).** 3r was isolated as a yellow oil (48 mg, 60% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25}$  = -25.472 ( $c$  = 0.318 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 99/1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 18.905 min (major), 23.117 min (minor), 99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.44 (s, 1H), 7.85 (m, 1H), 7.81 – 7.78 (m, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (m, 1H), 7.51 – 7.46 (m, 3H), 7.44 – 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 3H), 7.11 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 1.18 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 158.3, 146.4, 145.9, 138.8, 134.6, 134.6, 130.2, 129.7, 129.5, 129.2, 128.0, 126.8, 126.7, 126.5, 126.5, 126.2, 125.3, 121.1, 118.6, 118.2, 116.5, 36.2, 31.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 398.1751, found: 398.1749.



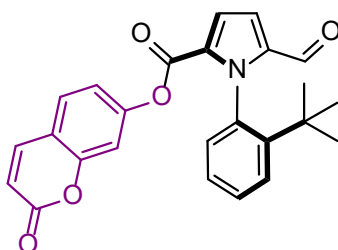
**naphthalen-2-yl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3s).** **3s** was isolated as a yellow oil (64 mg, 80% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -26.156$  ( $c = 0.427$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 16.504 min (minor), 17.222 min (major), 91% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.45 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2H), 7.78 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.64 (d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 3H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 4.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.29 (s, 1H), 7.21 (d,  $J = 4.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.16 (dd,  $J = 8.9, 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 9.1$  Hz, 1H), 1.21 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.3, 158.3, 147.8, 146.5, 138.7, 134.8, 133.7, 131.5, 130.3, 129.7, 129.5, 129.2, 127.8, 127.7, 126.7, 126.7, 125.9, 120.9, 118.7, 118.5, 116.6, 77.5, 76.8, 36.3, 31.6, 31.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 398.1751, found: 398.1751.



**2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-7-yl (*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3t).** **3t** was isolated as a yellow oil (70 mg, 85% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

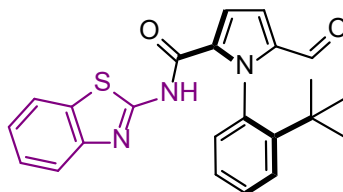
$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -20.862$  ( $c = 0.890$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 15.547 min (minor), 16.610 min (major), 80% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.42 (s, 1H), 7.64 (t,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.49 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 4.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d,  $J = 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.08 – 6.97 (m, 3H), 6.37 (d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz, 1H), 1.15 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 160.2, 157.4, 154.6, 152.5, 146.5, 142.8, 139.0,

134.6, 130.1, 129.9, 129.2, 128.8, 128.5, 126.7, 119.1, 118.2, 116.7, 116.5, 116.2, 110.2, 36.2, 31.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{25}H_{22}NO_5^+$   $[M+H]^+$ : 416.1492, found: 416.1495.



**(*R*)-*N*-(benzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-**

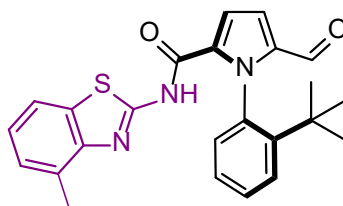
**carboxamide (3u).** **3u** was isolated as a yellow oil (40 mg, 50% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -15.299$  ( $c = 0.268$  in  $CHCl_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 12.484 min (minor), 22.487 min (major), 92% ee.

$^1H$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.38 (s, 1H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.54 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.37 – 7.27 (m, 3H), 7.10 (dd,  $J = 7.8, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d,  $J = 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d,  $J = 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 1.19 (s, 9H).

$^{13}C$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.2, 156.0, 157.9, 147.6, 146.6, 138.4, 134.5, 131.8, 131.3, 130.3, 130.0, 129.5, 126.9, 126.2, 124.1, 121.4, 120.7, 116.9, 115.6, 36.3, 31.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $C_{23}H_{22}N_3O_5S^+$   $[M+H]^+$ : 404.1427, found: 404.1426.



**(*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(4-methylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-**

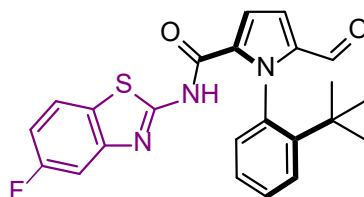
**carboxamide (3v).** **3v** was isolated as a yellow solid (50 mg, 60% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 10 : 1.

MP: 202 – 204 °C.  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -107.692$  ( $c = 0.026$  in  $CHCl_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IF, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 6.528 min (minor), 7.256 min (major), 88% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.39 (s, 1H), 7.69 (d,  $J$  = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.60 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.32 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.24 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 7.13 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 1.15 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.1, 157.3, 156.8, 147.2, 146.6, 138.4, 134.3, 131.8, 131.5, 130.5, 130.2, 130.0, 129.6, 127.0, 126.9, 124.0, 118.8, 117.0, 114.9, 36.3, 31.4, 18.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 418.1584, found: 417.1581.



**(*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N*-(5-fluorobenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-**

**carboxamide (3w)** **3w** was isolated as a yellow solid (54 mg, 63% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 10 : 1.

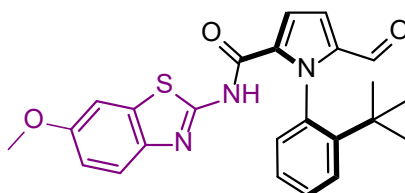
MP: 154 – 156 °C.  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25}$  = -136.364 ( $c$  = 0.022 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 7.139 min (minor), 13.365 min (major), 98% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.40 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (dd,  $J$  = 8.7, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.25 (m, 3H), 7.14 (d,  $J$  = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (d,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.07 – 7.00 (m, 1H), 1.17 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.1, 162.1 (d,  $^1J_{\text{C-F}}$  = 242.9 Hz), 157.4, 146.9, 138.6, 130.3, 129.8, 127.5, 127.2, 122.2 (d,  $^3J_{\text{C-F}}$  = 9.9 Hz), 117.2, 115.7, 112.8, 107.6, 107.3, 77.5, 76.8, 36.4, 31.6.

$^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  -115.61.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{21}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 422.1333, found: 422.1332.



**(*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-**

**carboxamide (3x).** **3x** was isolated as a yellow solid (52 mg, 60% yield). Column

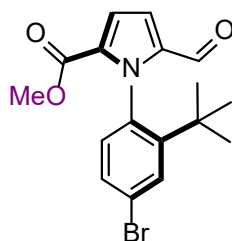
chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 10 : 1.

MP: 215 – 217 °C.  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -85.556$  ( $c = 0.030$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 11.039 min (minor), 19.792 min (major), 98% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.37 (s, 1H), 7.70 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.57 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.33 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.13 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 6.97 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 1.16 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  181.1, 146.9, 133.4, 130.4, 130.2, 129.8, 127.1, 121.5, 117.2, 115.5, 115.3, 104.4, 77.5, 76.8, 56.0, 36.4, 31.6.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+ : 434.1534$ , found: 434.1529.



**methyl (R)-1-(4-bromo-2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3aa).**

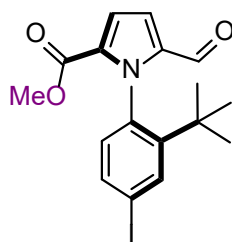
**3aa** was isolated as a yellow oil (60 mg, 82% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -0.515$  ( $c = 0.388$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 13.365 min (minor), 17.016 min (major), >99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.41 (s, 1H), 7.73 (d,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.37 (dd,  $J = 8.3$ , 2.3 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 6.83 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.6, 160.2, 148.6, 137.8, 134.4, 132.4, 131.5, 130.6, 129.7, 123.6, 117.9, 117.5, 51.9, 36.4, 31.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{BrNO}_3^+ [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+ : 364.0543$ , found: 364.0548.



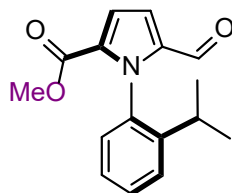
**methyl (R)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)-4-iodophenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3ab).** **3ab** was isolated as a yellow oil (70 mg, 86% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -0.962$  ( $c = 0.520$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 12.644 min (major), 13.267 min (minor), >99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.40 (s, 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.56 (dd,  $J = 8.2$ , 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 6.68 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.8, 160.4, 148.8, 138.6, 137.9, 135.8, 135.3, 131.7, 130.62, 117.9, 117.6, 95.8, 77.5, 76.8, 52.0, 36.3, 31.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{INO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 412.0404, found: 412.0410.



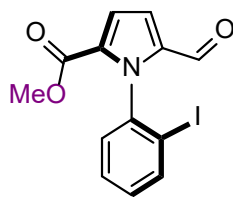
**methyl (R)-5-formyl-1-(2-isopropylphenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3ac).** **3ac** was isolated as a yellow oil (34 mg, 62% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = 1.154$  ( $c = 0.340$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 13.055 min (major), 17.016 min (minor), 66% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.34 (s, 1H), 7.50 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.13 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 2.42 – 2.27 (m, 1H), 1.11 (d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 3H), 1.08 (d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 3H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.7, 160.0, 146.2, 137.2, 134.9, 129.9, 129.4, 127.78, 126.5, 126.2, 117.3, 116.4, 51.8, 28.0, 23.9, 23.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 272.1281, found: 272.1285.



**methyl (*R*)-5-formyl-1-(2-iodophenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3ad).** **3ad** was isolated as a yellow oil (26 mg, 51% yield). Column chromatography eluent: petroleum ether : EtOAc = 50 : 1.

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = 0.897$  ( $c = 0.260$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 19.555 min (minor), 21.443 min (major), 36% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.42 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.36 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.22 (td,  $J = 7.7, 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (s, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.1, 159.9, 140.8, 139.3, 135.8, 130.6, 128.9, 128.8, 128.7, 118.3, 117.6, 98.0, 52.0.

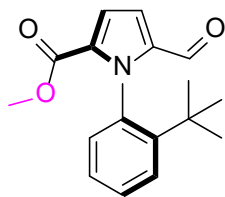
HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{11}\text{INO}_3^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  : 355.9778, found: 355.9773.

#### 4. Thermal racemization study of C-N axially chiral N-aryl pyrroles 3a

The enantiomerization barrier, corresponding to the barrier to rotation for the following atropisomers, was obtained by kinetic of racemization of an enantiomer. The slope of the first order kinetic line gives the racemization constant ( $k_{\text{racemization}} = 2 \times k_{\text{enantiomerization}}$ ). Eyring equation gives the enantiomerization barrier ( $\Delta G_{\text{enantiomerization}}^\ddagger$ ) from enantiomerization constant ( $k_{\text{enantiomerization}}$ ),  $R$  = Gas constant =  $8.31451 \text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ,  $h$  = Planck constant =  $6.62608 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}$  and  $k_B$  = Boltzmann constant =  $1.38066 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}$ .

$$\Delta G_{\text{enantiomerization}}^\ddagger = RT_1 \ln(k_B T_1 / h k_{\text{enantiomerization}})$$

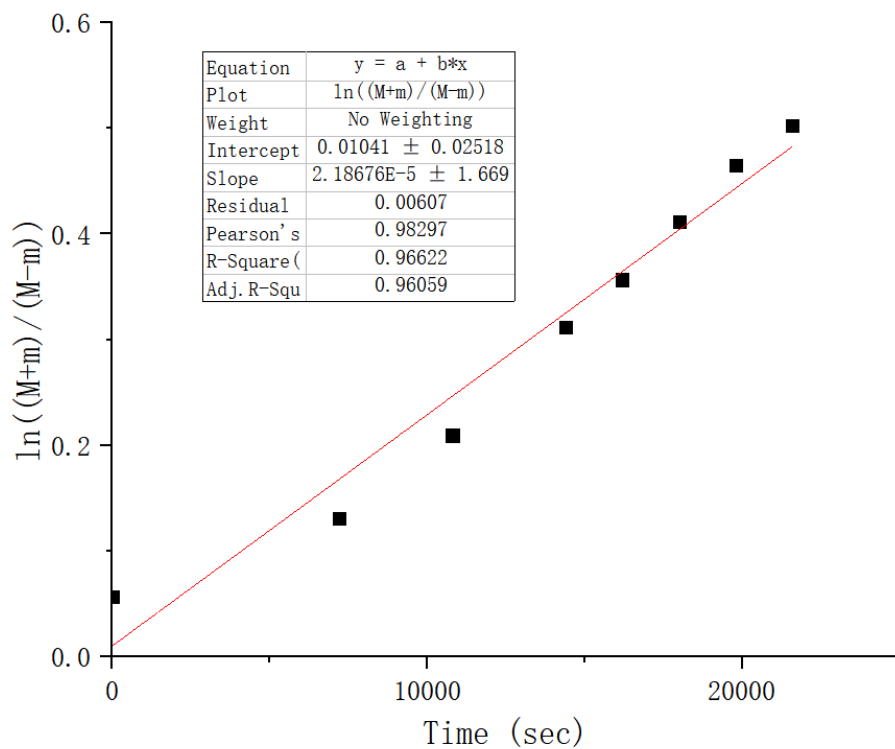
The half-life time ( $t_{1/2}$ ) given below, is at the temperature used for the kinetic. Racemization of 3a in toluene at 100 °C (oil bath temperature).



**3a**

**Table S1.** The detailed racemization results of **3a** at different times.

| Time(sec) | M      | m      | M-m    | M+m | (M+m)/<br>(M-m) | ln((M+m)/<br>(M-m)) |
|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-----------------|---------------------|
| 0         | 97.229 | 2.771  | 94.458 | 100 | 1.0587          | 0.0570              |
| 10800     | 93.869 | 6.131  | 87.738 | 100 | 1.1398          | 0.1308              |
| 14400     | 90.552 | 9.448  | 81.104 | 100 | 1.2330          | 0.2094              |
| 18000     | 86.596 | 13.404 | 73.192 | 100 | 1.366           | 0.3121              |
| 21600     | 84.997 | 15.003 | 69.994 | 100 | 1.4287          | 0.3568              |



**Figure S1.** Thermal racemization of **3a**.

$$\ln\left(\frac{ee_0}{ee_t}\right) = 2k_{ent}t + C$$

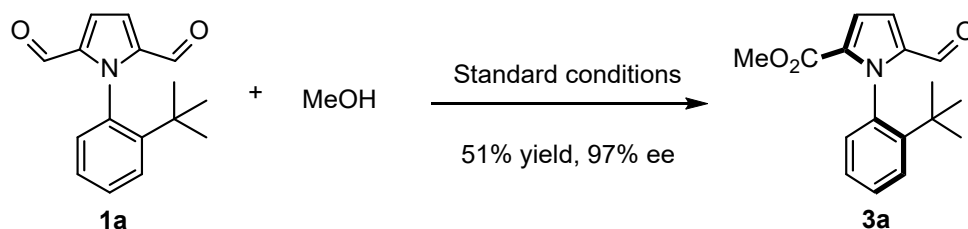
$$k_{ent} = 1/2 \text{ slope} = 1.09338 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$k_{rac} = 2k_{ent} = 2.18676 \times 10^{-5} s^{-1}$$

$$t_{\frac{1}{2}}^{373.15K}_{rac} = \frac{\ln 2}{k_{rac}} = 3.170 \times 10^4 s = 8.8 h$$

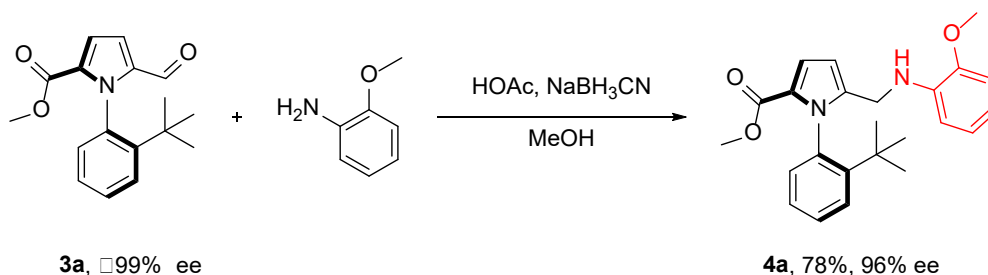
$$\Delta G = -RT \ln(k_{ent}h/k_B T) = 127.52 \text{ kJ/mol} = 30.48 \text{ kcal/mol}$$

## 5. A scale-up synthesis of product 3a



To an oven-dried 50 mL flask was charged with substrate **1a** (255 mg, 1.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), substrate **2a** (38.4 mg, 1.2 mmol, 1.2 equiv.), Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (130 mg, 0.4 mmol, 0.4 equiv.), cat. **E** (48.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 0.1 equiv.), **DQ** (449 mg, 1.1 mmol, 1.1 equiv.) and 4 ÅMS (250 mg). Then anhydrous DCE (20 mL) was added to the flask. The resulting mixture was stirred at 0 °C under N<sub>2</sub> for 12 h. After that, the mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1 as eluent to afford product **3a** (145 mg, 51% yield, 97% ee).

## 6. Further chemical transformation



To an oven-dried 25 mL round-bottomed flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar, **3a** (40 mg, 0.14 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 2-methoxyaniline (17 mg, 0.14 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) were added. To this mixture was added MeOH (10 mL) and HOAc (8 mg, 0.14 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). After



ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1 as eluent to afford the **4b** as a yellow oil (44 mg, 55% yield, >99% ee).

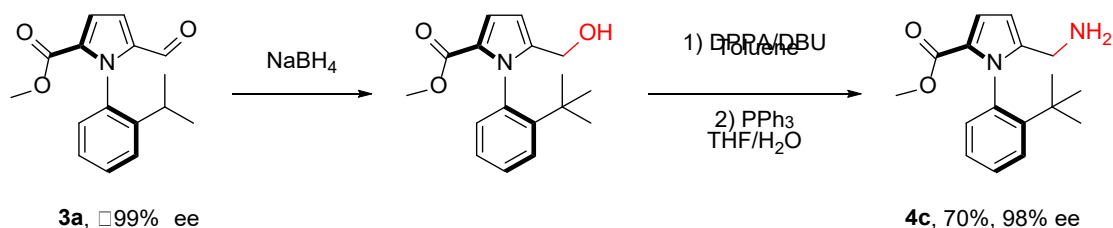
**dimethyl (*R*)-2-((1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-(methoxycarbonyl)-1*H*-pyrrol-2-yl)methylene)malonate (**4b**)**

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -775.000$  ( $c = 0.004$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 7.485 min (major), 9.850 min (minor), >99% ee.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  7.63 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.47 – 7.42 (m, 1H), 7.24 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d,  $J = 4.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.02 (s, 1H), 6.89 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 6.63 (d,  $J = 4.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 9H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  167.1, 164.3, 160.4, 147.1, 134.6, 134.2, 130.6, 130.4, 129.7, 129.4, 128.8, 126.7, 122.9, 118.4, 113.1, 77.5, 76.8, 52.9, 52.6, 51.6, 36.2, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_6^+$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 400.1755, found: 400.1750.



To an oven-dried 25 mL round-bottomed flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar, **3a** (60 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) THF (12 ml) and MeOH (4 ml) were added at 0 °C. To this mixture was added  $\text{NaBH}_4$  (3.8 mg, 0.1 mmol, 0.5 equiv.) After stirring at r.t. for 2 h (monitored by TLC), the reaction was concentrated under reduced pressure, then purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20/1 as eluent to afford the methyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-(hydroxymethyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate as a yellow oil.

To a solution of methyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-(hydroxymethyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (40 mg, 0.14 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and DPPA (45  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.21 mmol, 1.5 equiv.) in toluene (10 mL) at 0° C, was added DBU (38 mg, 0.25 mmol, 1.75 equiv.) via syringe. The mixture was stirred at rt for 2 h. Ethyl acetate (0.2 mL) was added, and the mixture was washed with water, brine, dried over anhydrous  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtrated and concentrated in vacuo. The reaction crude

was directly used for the next step without further purification. The reaction crude was dissolved in THF (400  $\mu$ L), and PPh<sub>3</sub> (66 mg, 0.25 mmol, 1.75 equiv.) was added portionwise. After 5 min, H<sub>2</sub>O was added and the mixture was stirred at rt for 12 h. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuo. Purification by flash chromatography (1:3 EtOAc/PE) afforded **4c** as a light-yellow oil (28 mg, 70% yield, 98% ee).

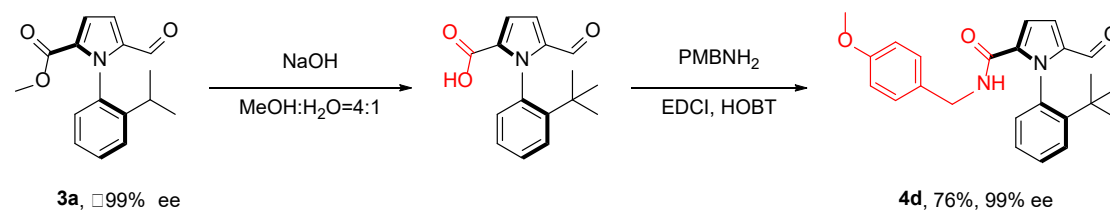
**methyl (*R*)-5-(aminomethyl)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (**4c**)**

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -89.394$  ( $c = 0.022$  in CHCl<sub>3</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.294 min (major), 6.142 min (minor), 98% ee.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  7.59 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 3.9$  Hz, 1H), 6.87 – 6.83 (m, 1H), 6.15 (d,  $J = 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.49 (d,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 1H), 4.13 (m, 1H), 3.84 (m, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 9H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  160.8, 157.0, 146.5, 139.1, 139.0, 135.7, 130.1, 129.5, 129.1, 126.4, 125.4, 117.6, 107.9, 51.0, 37.4, 36.1, 31.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>23</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 287.1754, found: 287.1758.



To an oven-dried 25 mL round-bottomed flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar, **3a** (60 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) MeOH (12 ml) and H<sub>2</sub>O (3ml ) were added. To this mixture was added NaOH (40 mg, 2.0 mmol, 10 equiv.) After stirring at 60°C for 2 h (monitored by TLC), To this mixture was added HCl to pH<7 this mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate, washed with brine for 3 times. The organic layer was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under vacuum to give a residue, which was purified by column chromatography on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1 as eluent to afford 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylic acid as a white solid.

To an oven-dried 25 mL round-bottomed flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar, 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylic acid (27 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) EDCI (58

mg, 0.3 mmol, 3.0 equiv.) and HOBt (41 mg, 0.3 mmol, 3.0 equiv.) were added. To this mixture was added anhydrous DCM (10 mL). After stirring at r.t. under N<sub>2</sub> for 2 h. To this mixture was added (4-methoxyphenyl)methanamine (21 mg, 0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.) and Et<sub>3</sub>N (30 mg, 0.3 mmol, 3.0 equiv.) After stirring at r.t. under N<sub>2</sub> for 2 h. (monitored by TLC), the reaction was concentrated under reduced pressure, then purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel using ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1 as eluent to afford the **4d** as a white solid (30 mg, 76% yield, 99% ee).

**(*R*)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(4-methoxybenzyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (**4d**)**

MP: 121 – 123 °C.  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -129.630$  (c = 0.018 in CHCl<sub>3</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IG, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 17.891 min (minor), 18.780 min (major). 99% ee.

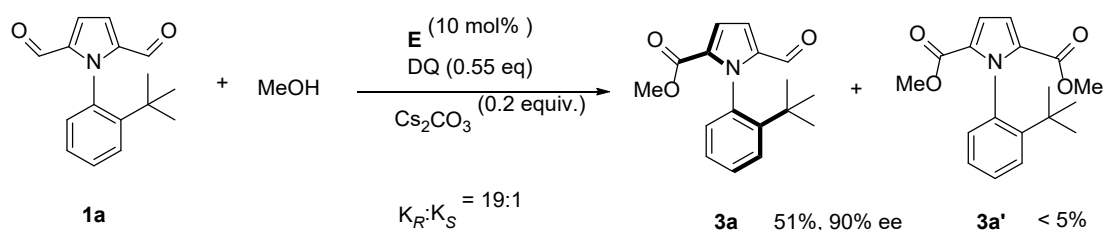
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  9.33 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.45 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 7.24 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.06 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 4.27 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 9H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*)  $\delta$  180.8, 159.5, 159.1, 146.9, 136.8, 134.8, 134.7, 130.3, 130.0, 129.7, 129.5, 129.2, 126.9, 118.0, 114.3, 114.0, 55.3, 43.2, 36.2, 31.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>27</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup> [M+H]<sup>+</sup> : 391.2016, found: 391.2021.

## 7. Control experiments

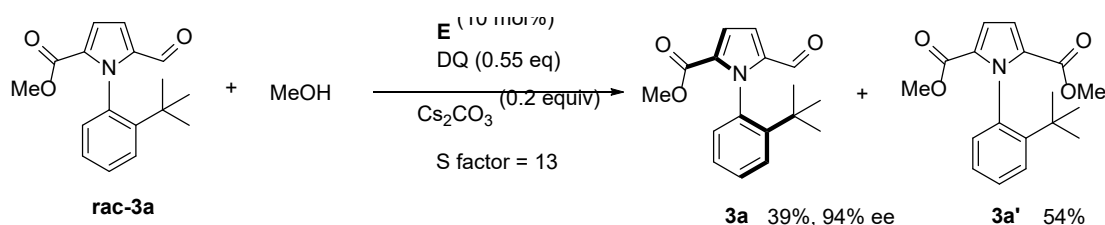
### 7.1 Desymmetrization



To an oven-dried 25 ml Schlenk tube equipped with a stir bar was charged with catalysts **E** (5 mg, 10 mmol%), oxidant DQ (22 mg, 0.55 equiv.), **1a** (30 mg, 0.1 mmol), Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (13mg, 0.02 mmol) and MeOH (4 mg, 0.12 mmol). The tube was closed with a septum, evacuated, back-filled with nitrogen three times. To this mixture was added freshly distilled DCE (4 mL).

The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 12 h until the reaction was completed as monitored by TLC. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1-10:1) to furnish the corresponding product **3a** (15 mg, 51%, 90% ee) and **3a'** (<5%).

## 7.2 Kinetic resolution (KR)



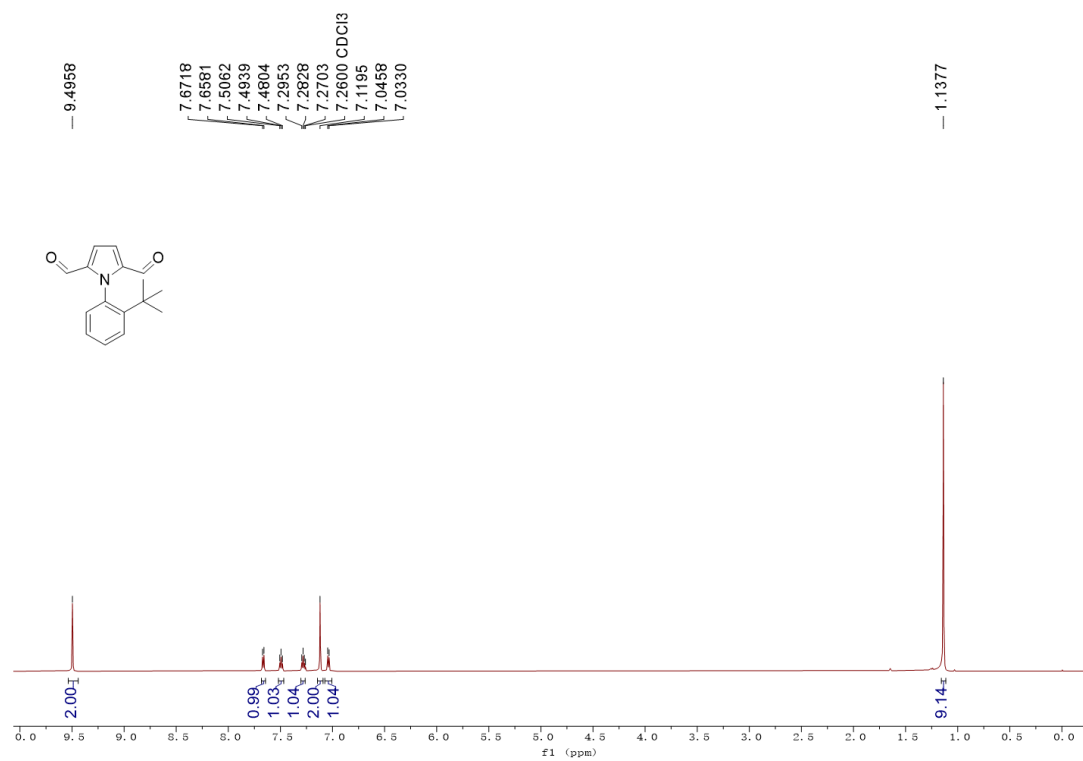
To an oven-dried 25 ml Schlenk tube equipped with a stir bar was charged with catalysts **E** (5 mg, 10 mmol%), oxidant DQ (22 mg, 0.55 equiv), **rac 3a** (30 mg, 0.1 mmol), Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (13mg, 0.02 mmol ) and MeOH (4 mg, 0.12 mmol). The tube was closed with a septum, evacuated, back-filled with nitrogen three times. To this mixture was added freshly distilled DCE (4 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 12 h until the reaction was completed as monitored by TLC. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1-10:1) to recover the starting material **3a** (11 mg, 39% yield, 94% ee), along with diesterification product **3a'** (17 mg, 54% yield).

## 8 References

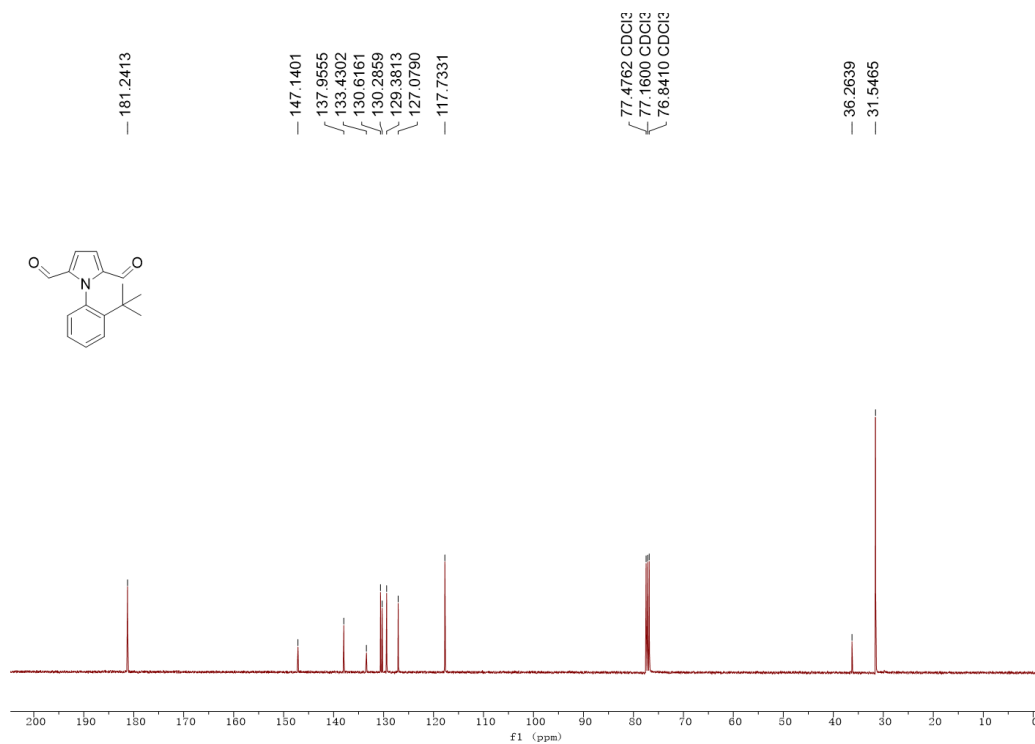
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## 9. Copies of the NMR spectra

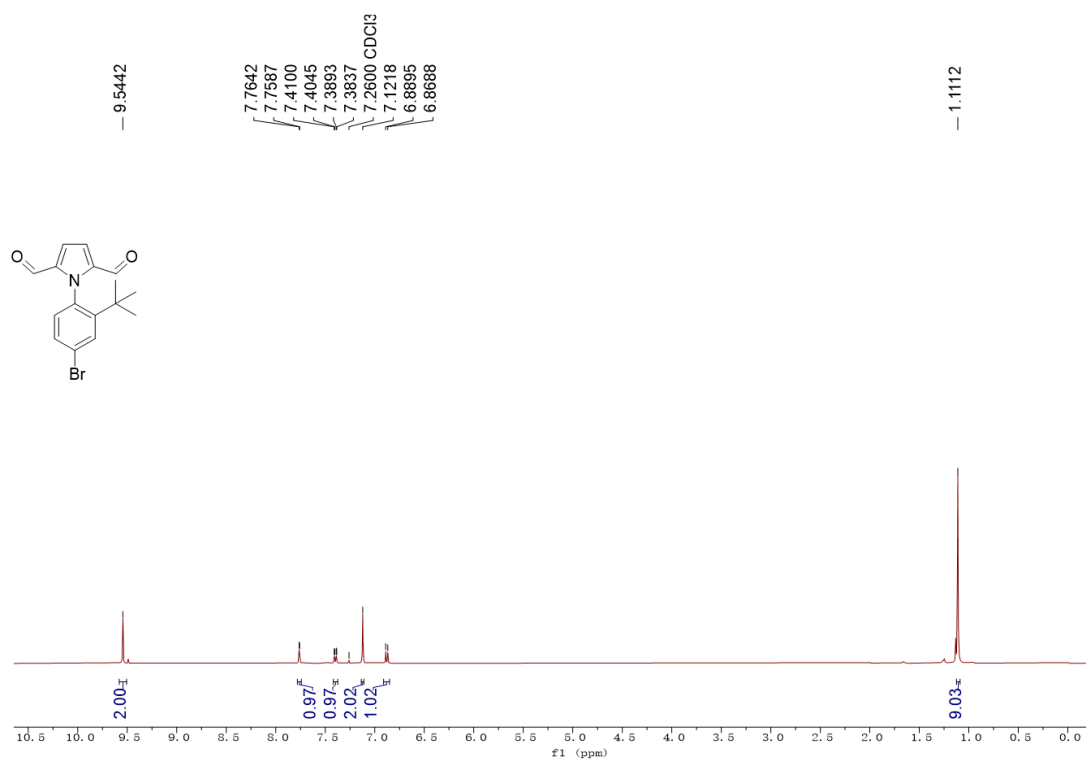
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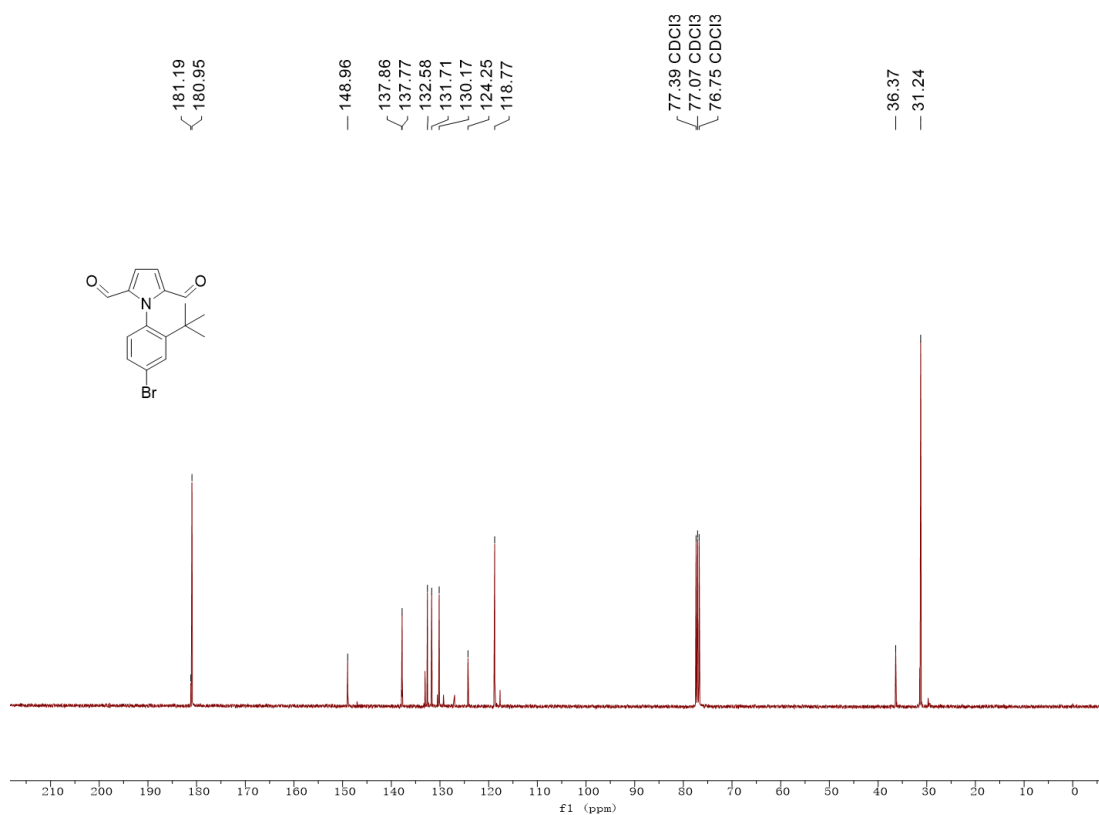
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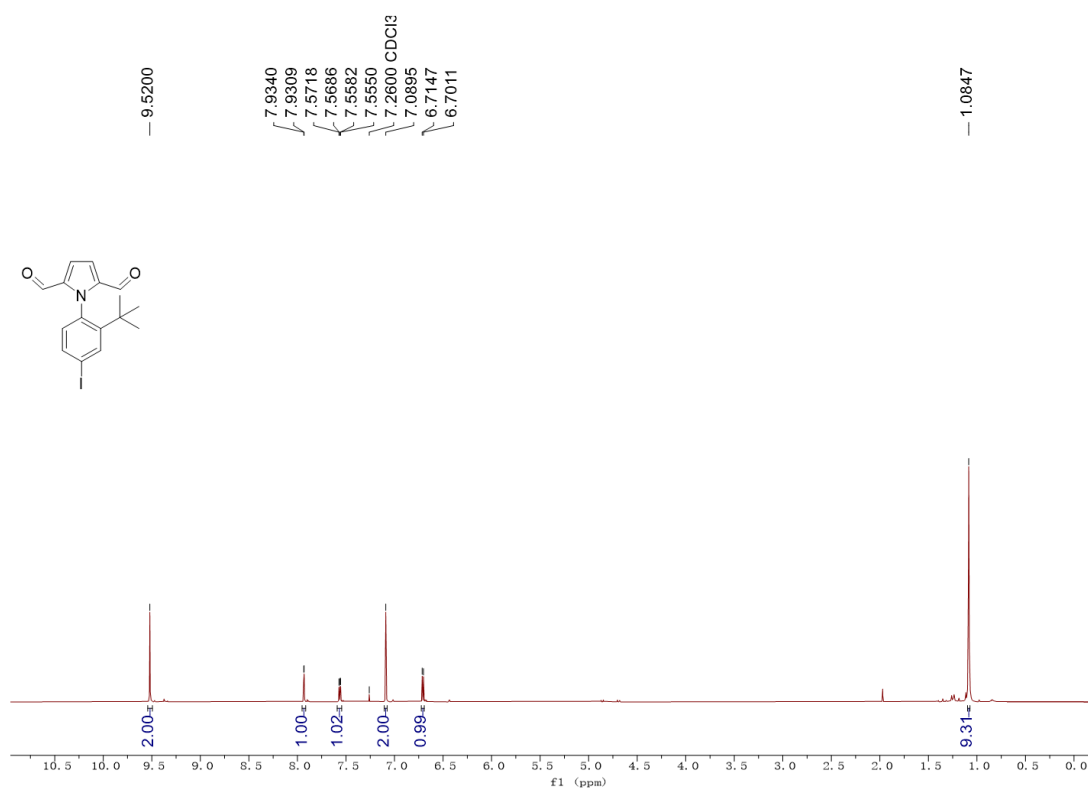
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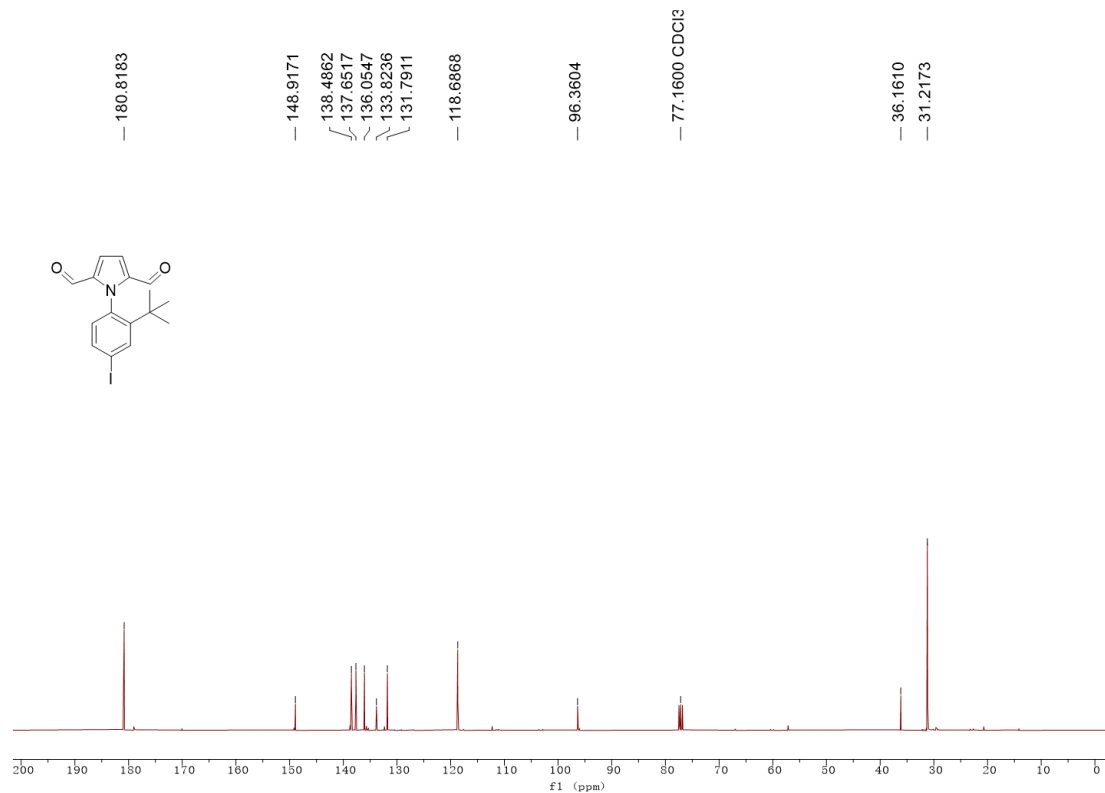
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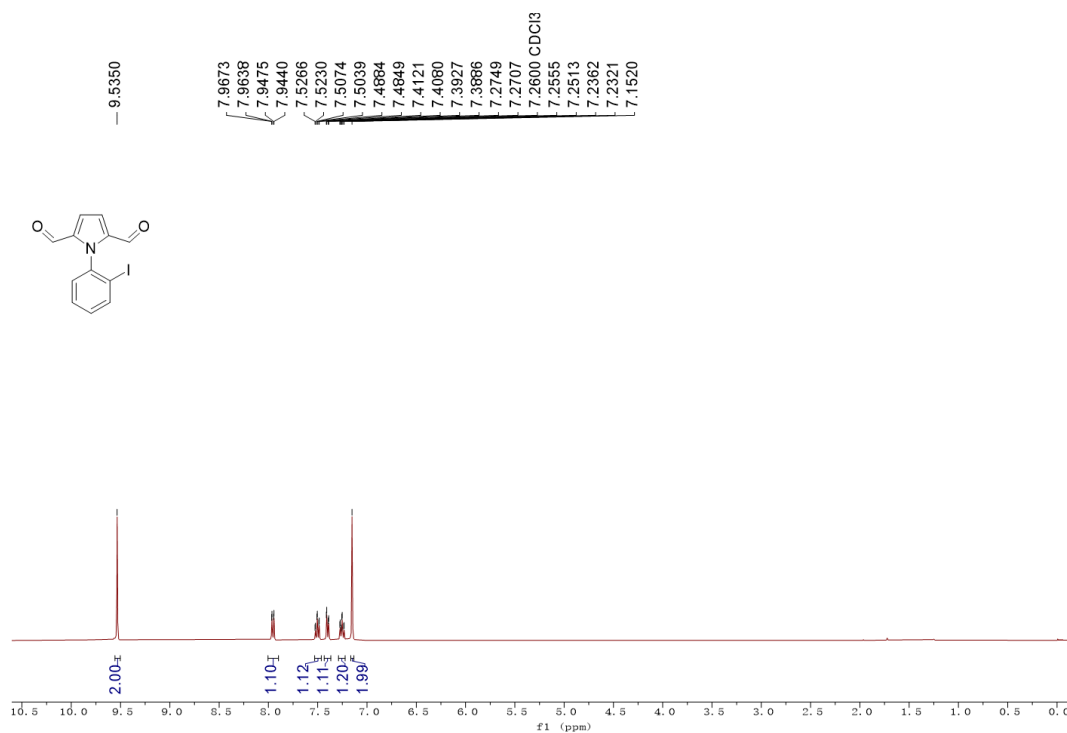
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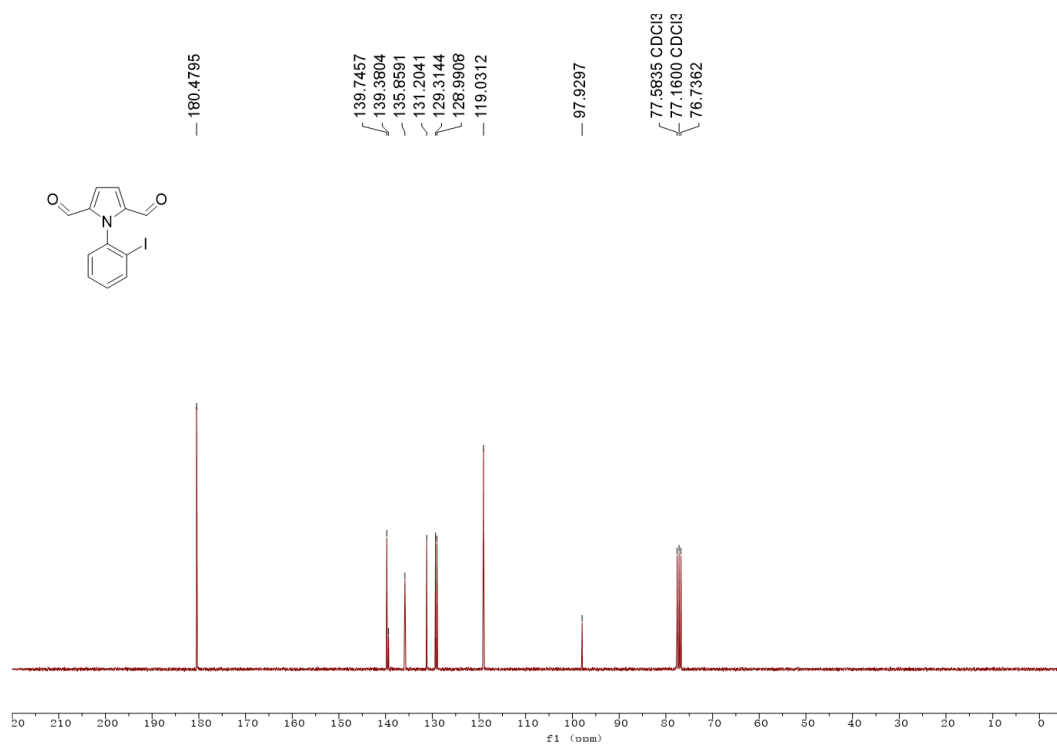
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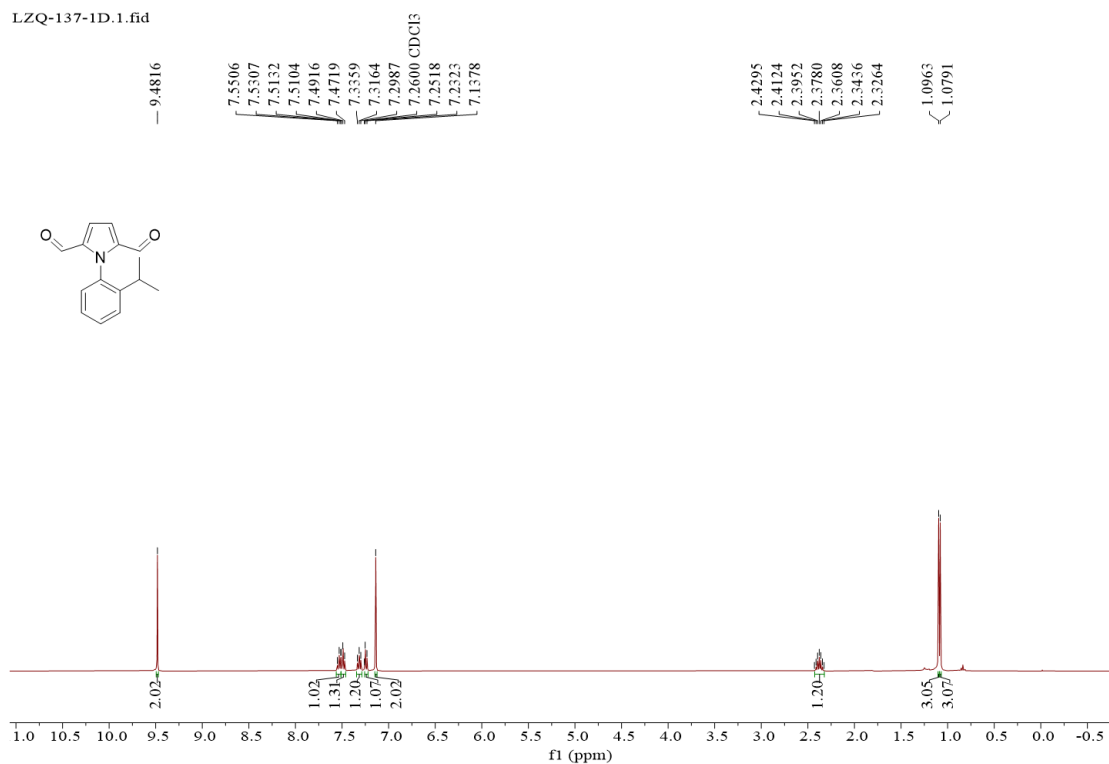


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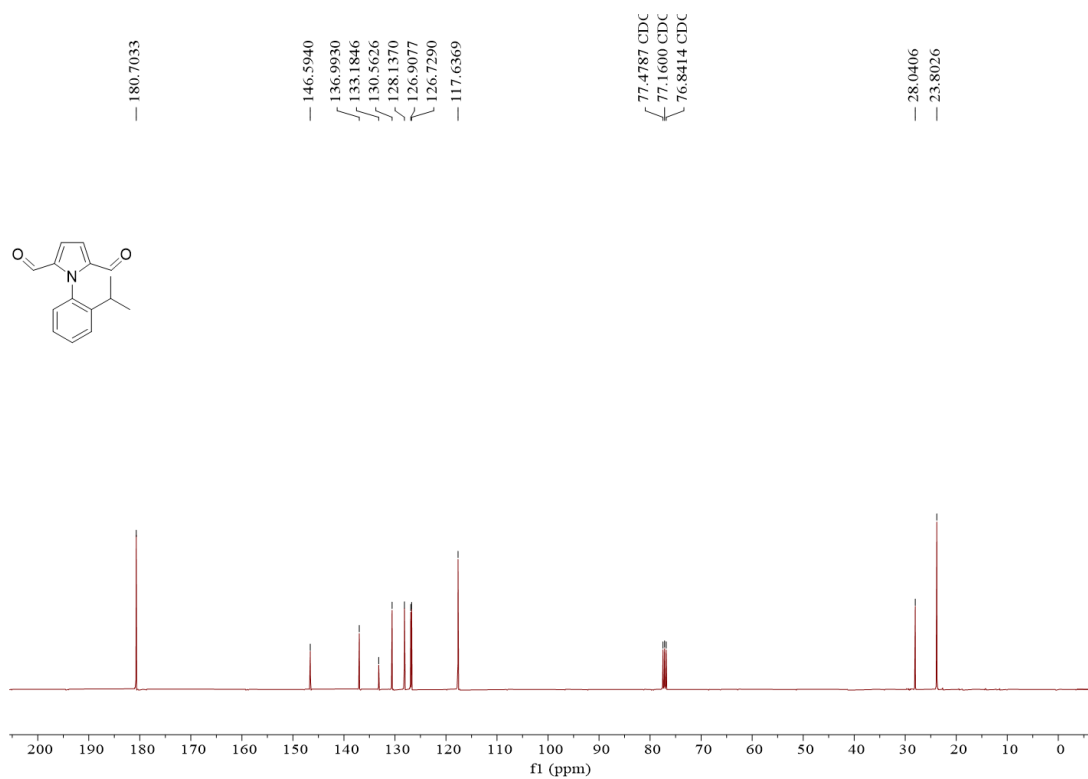


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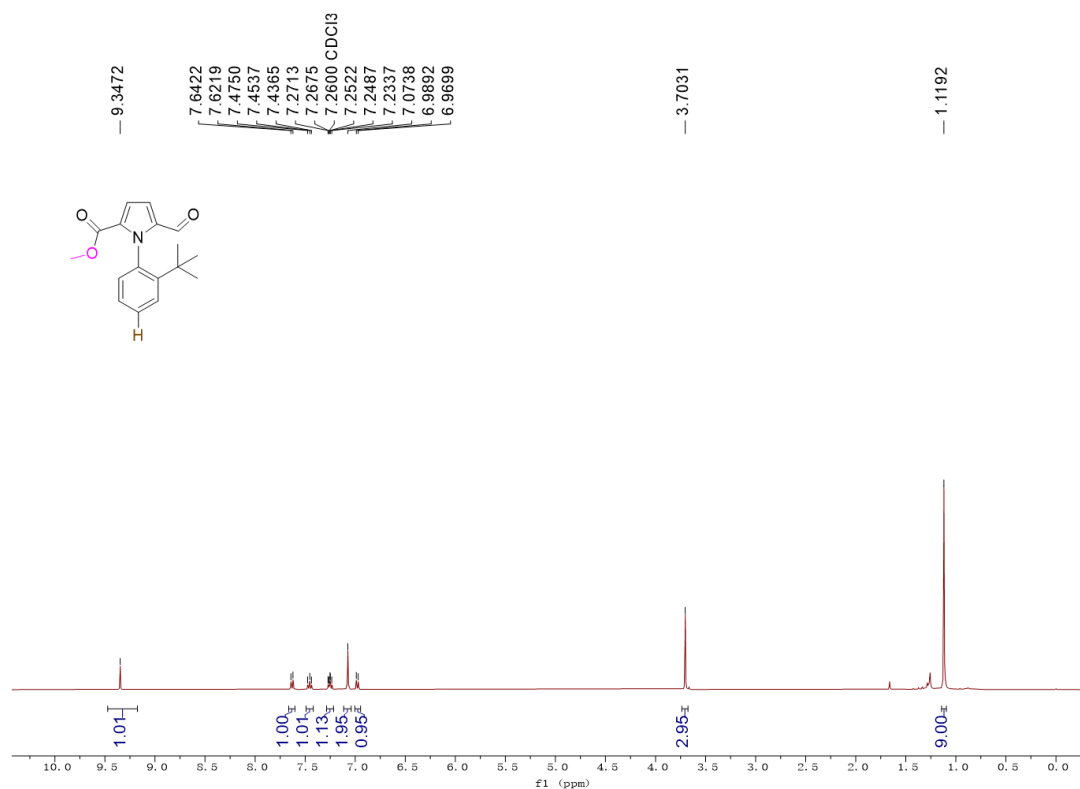
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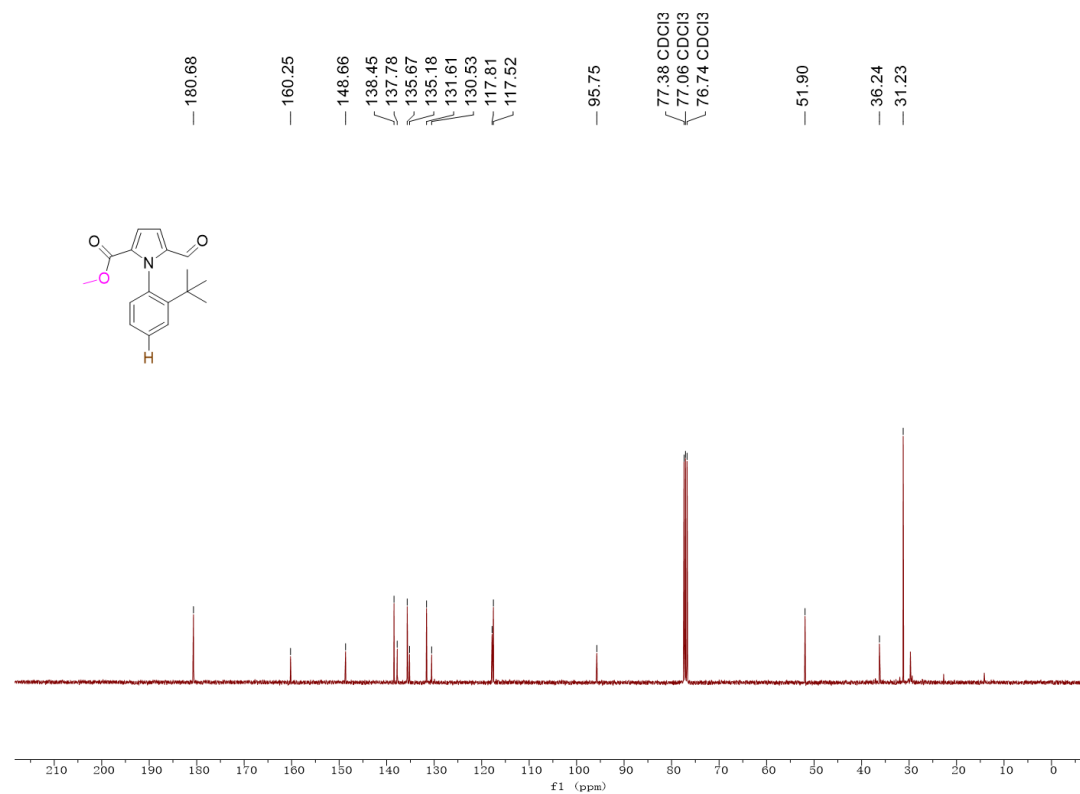
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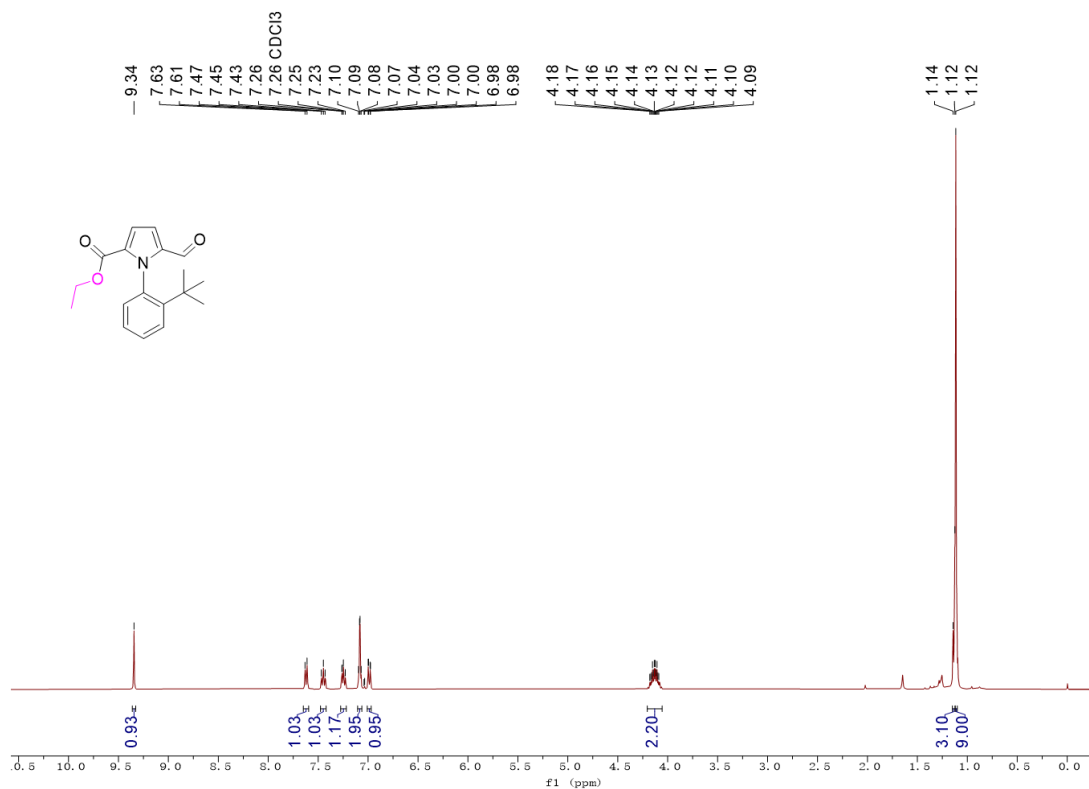
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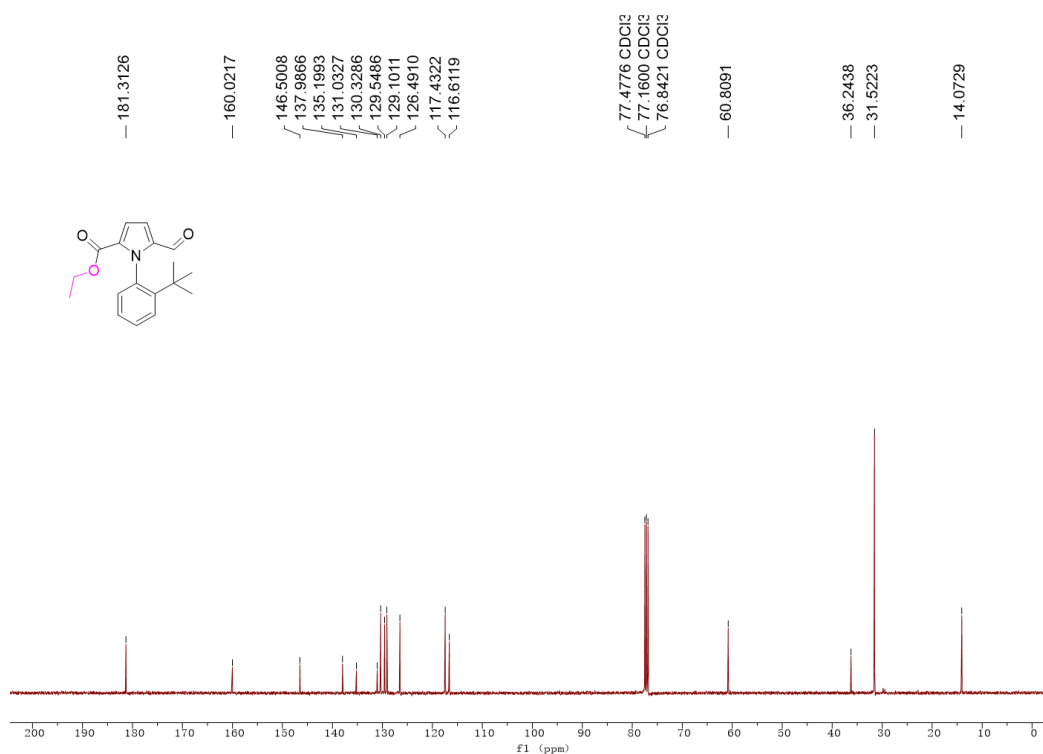
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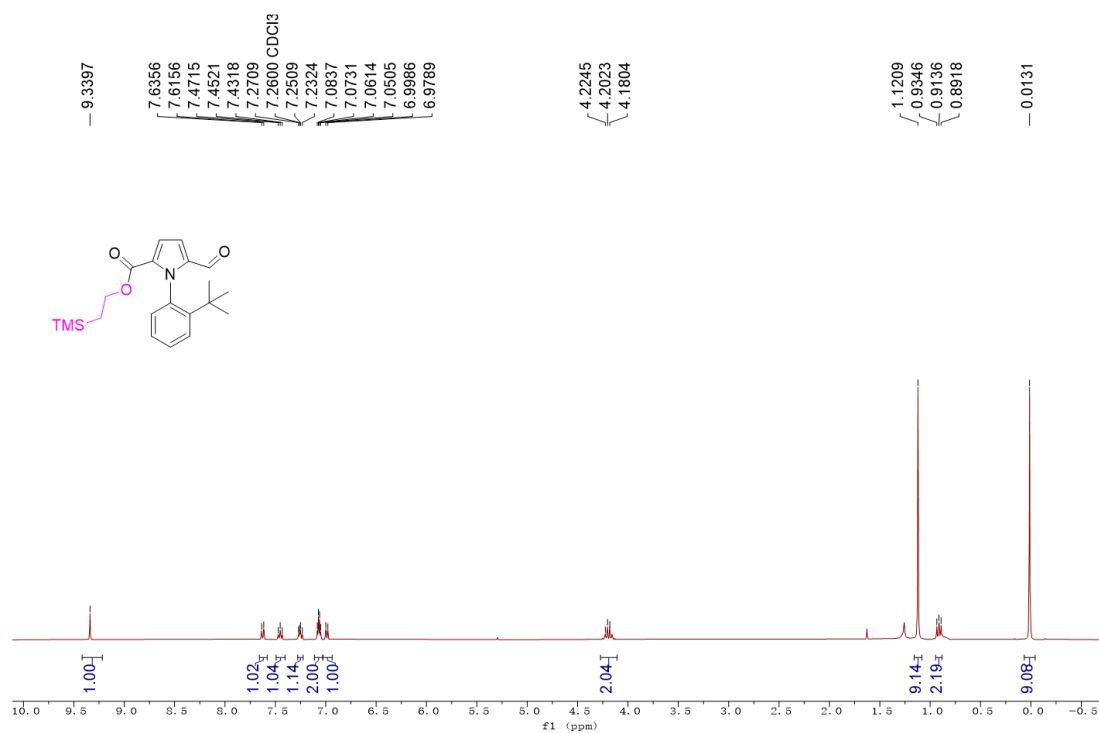
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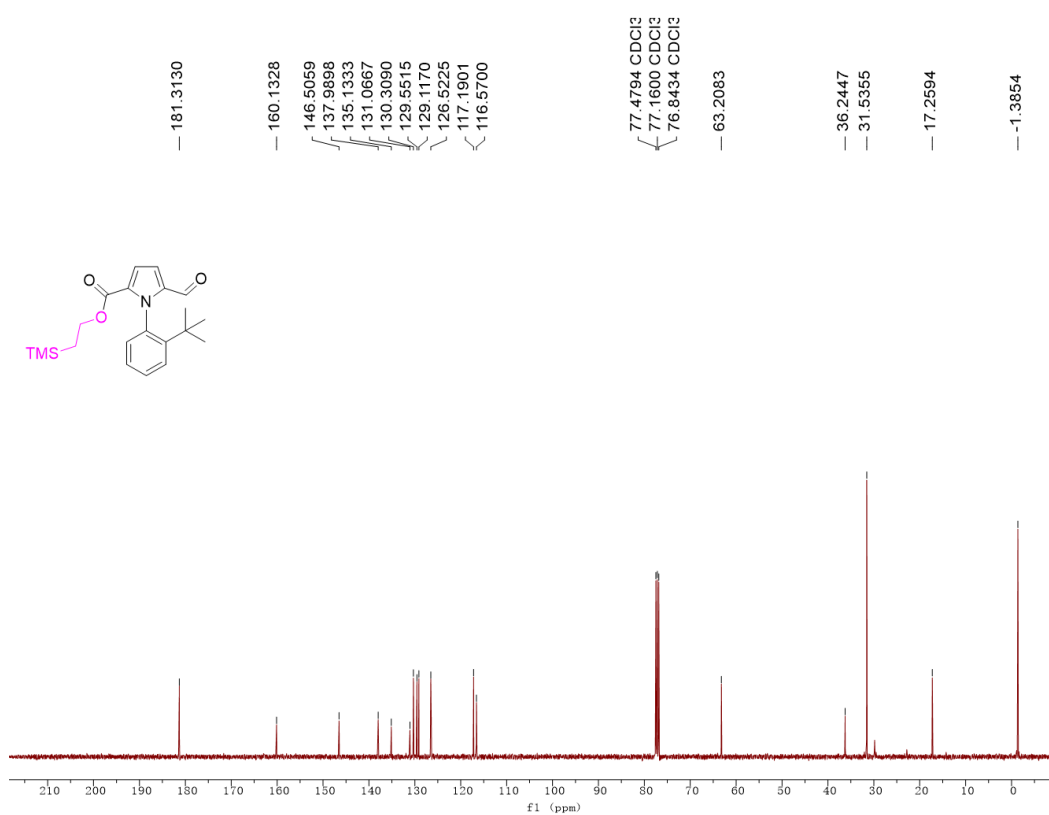
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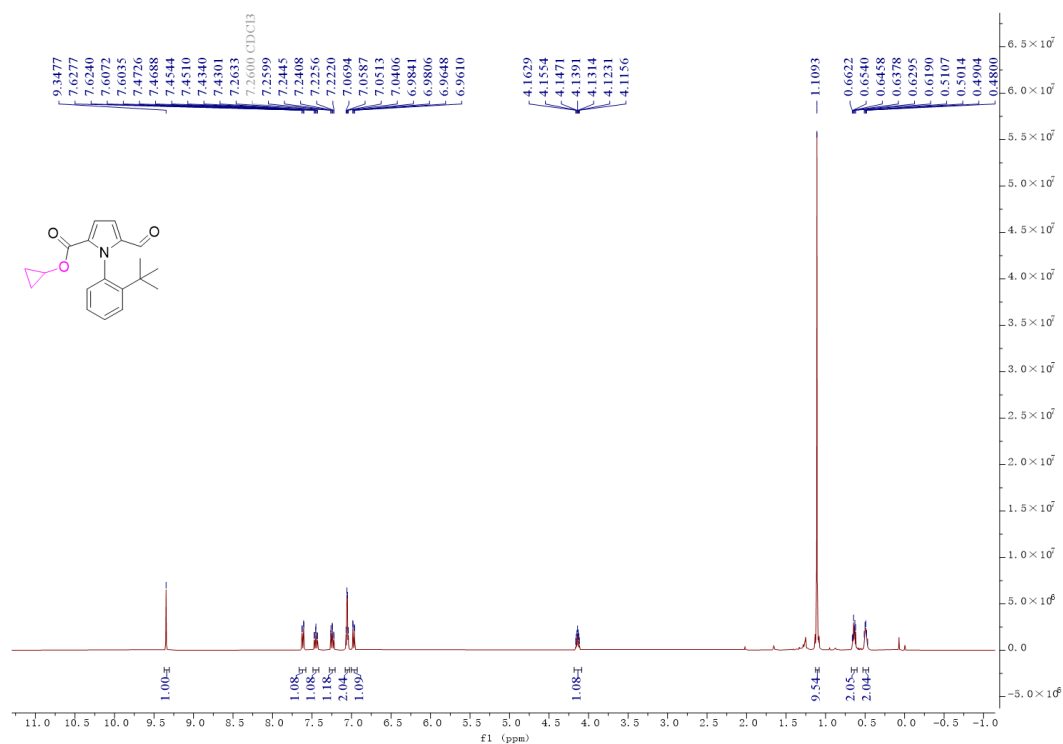
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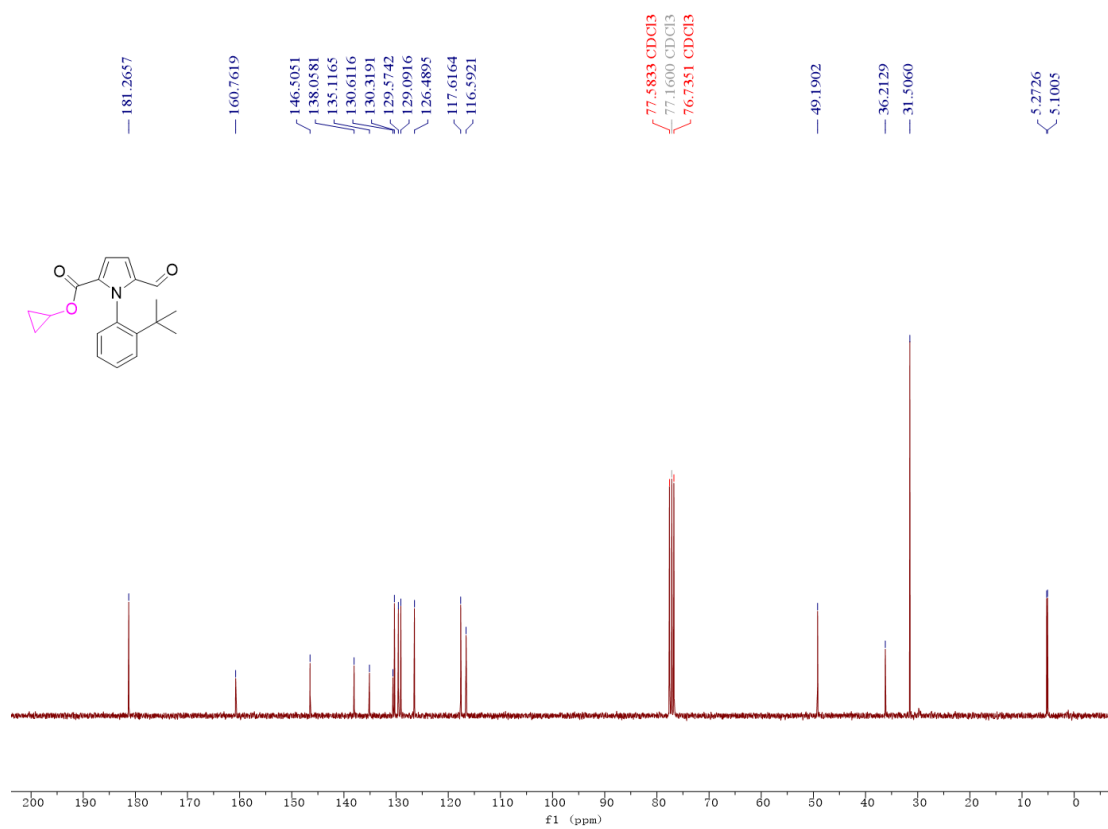
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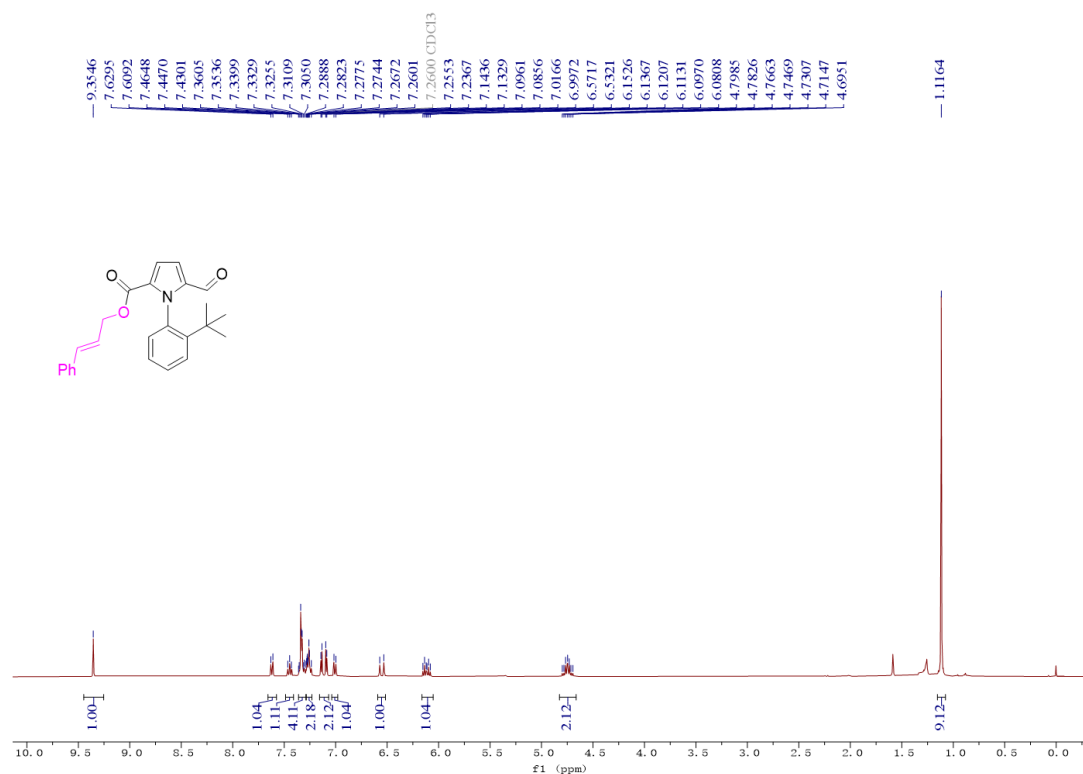
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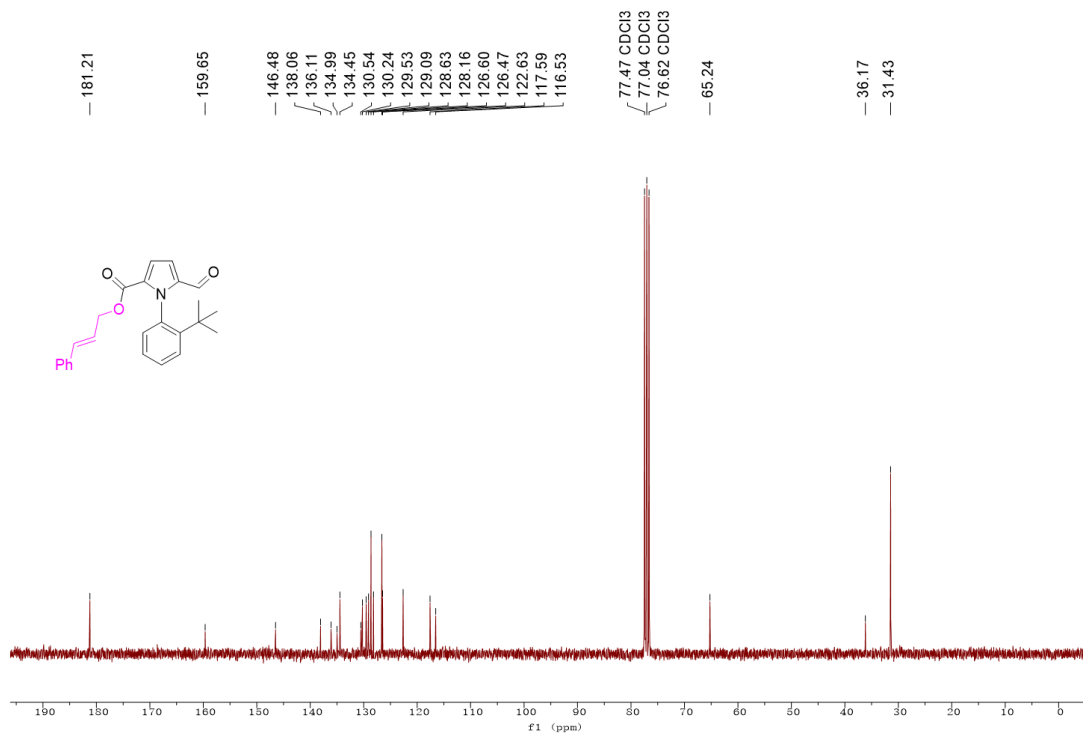
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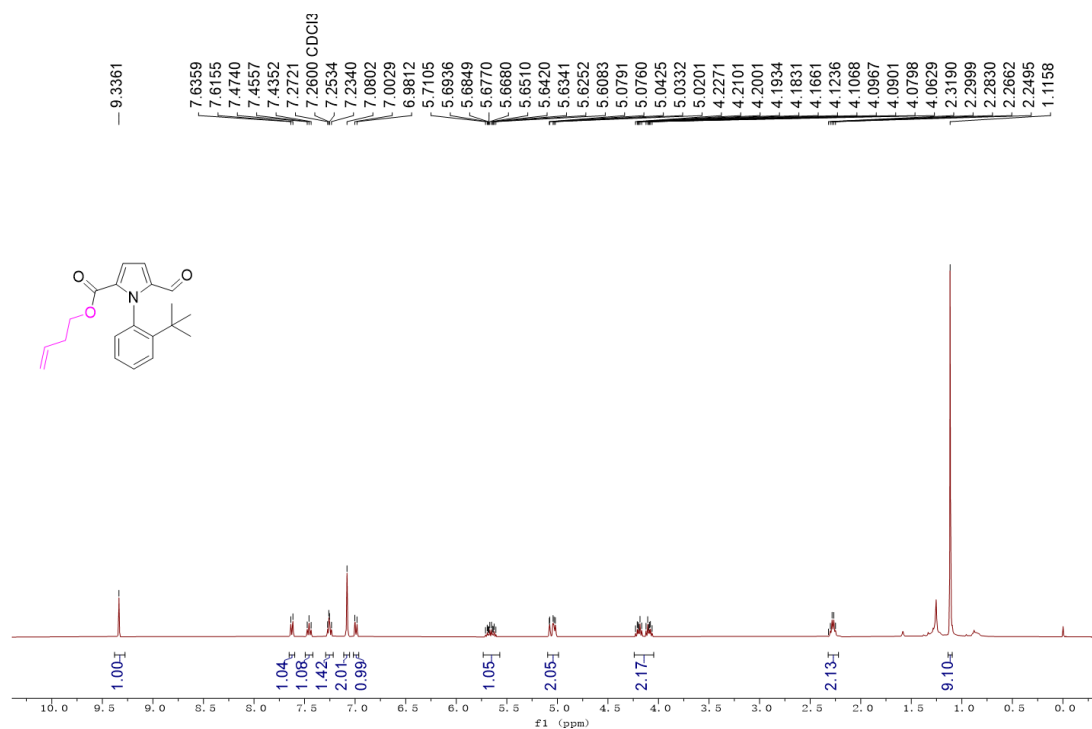
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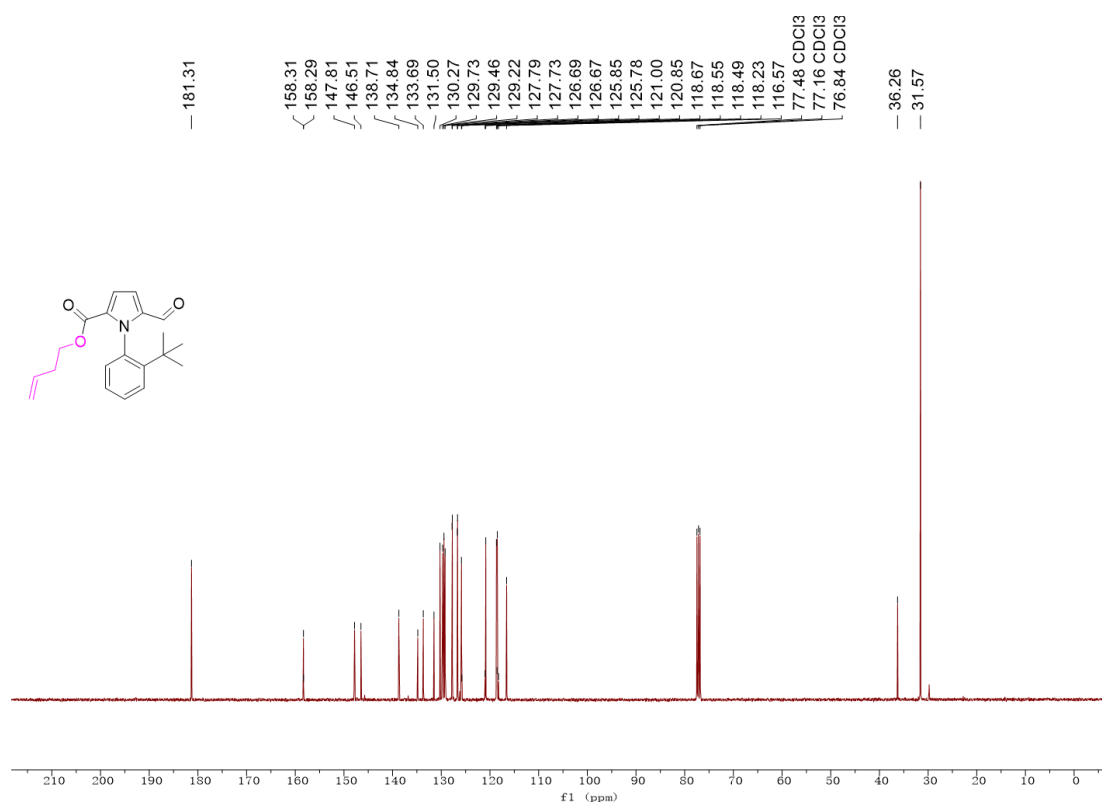
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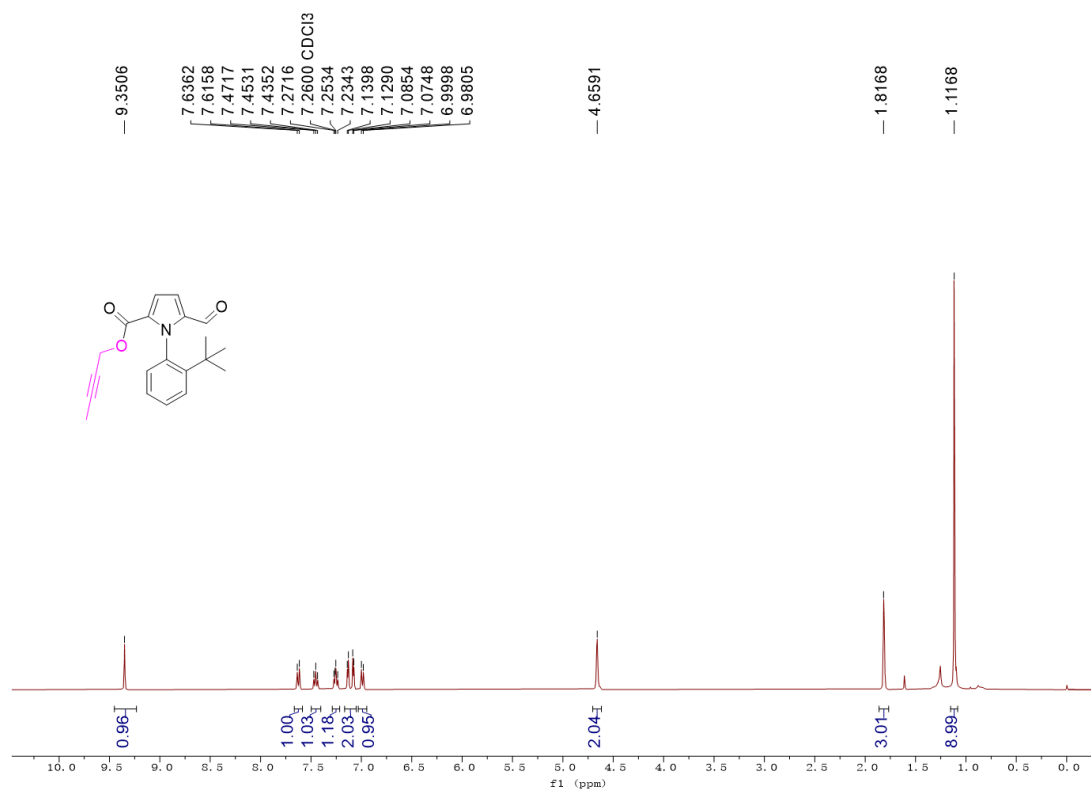
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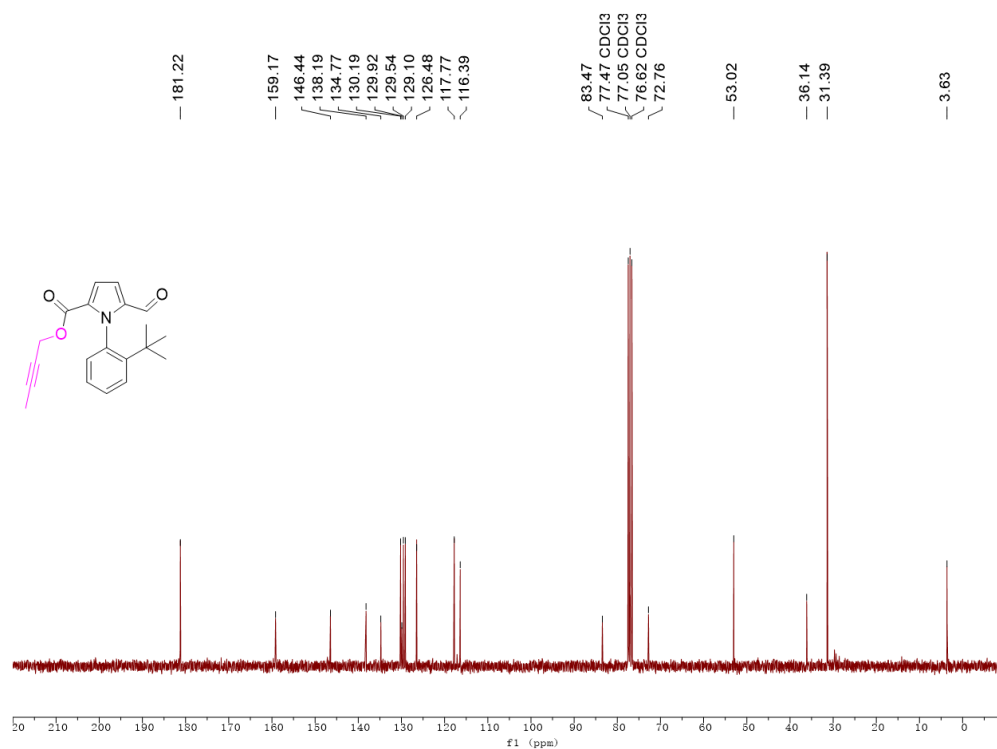
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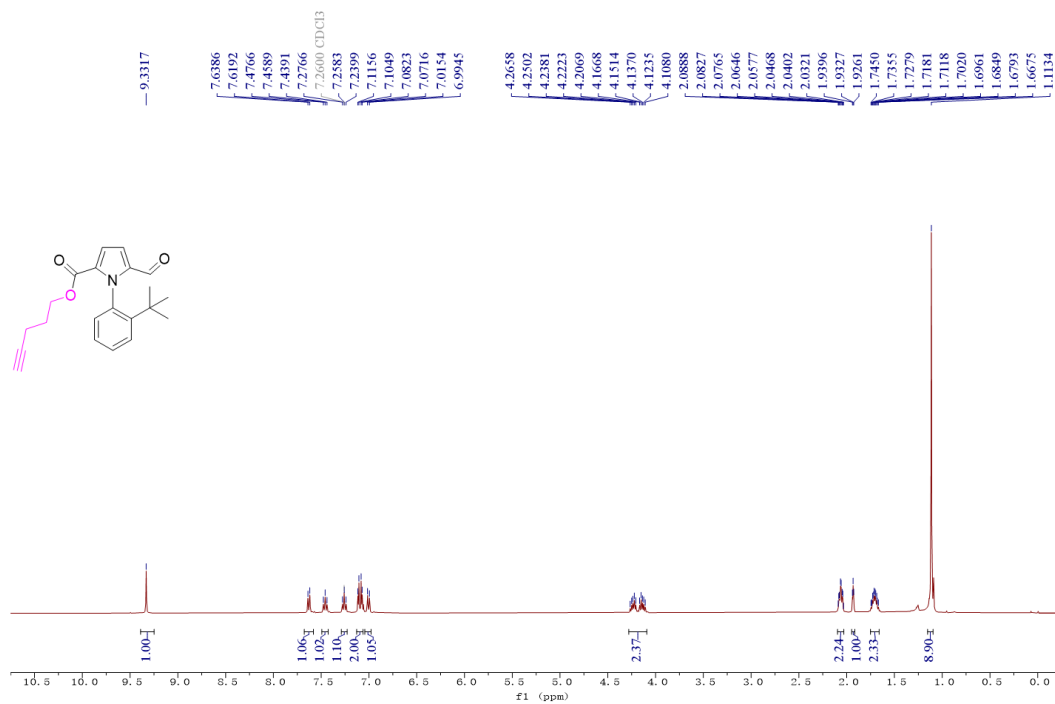
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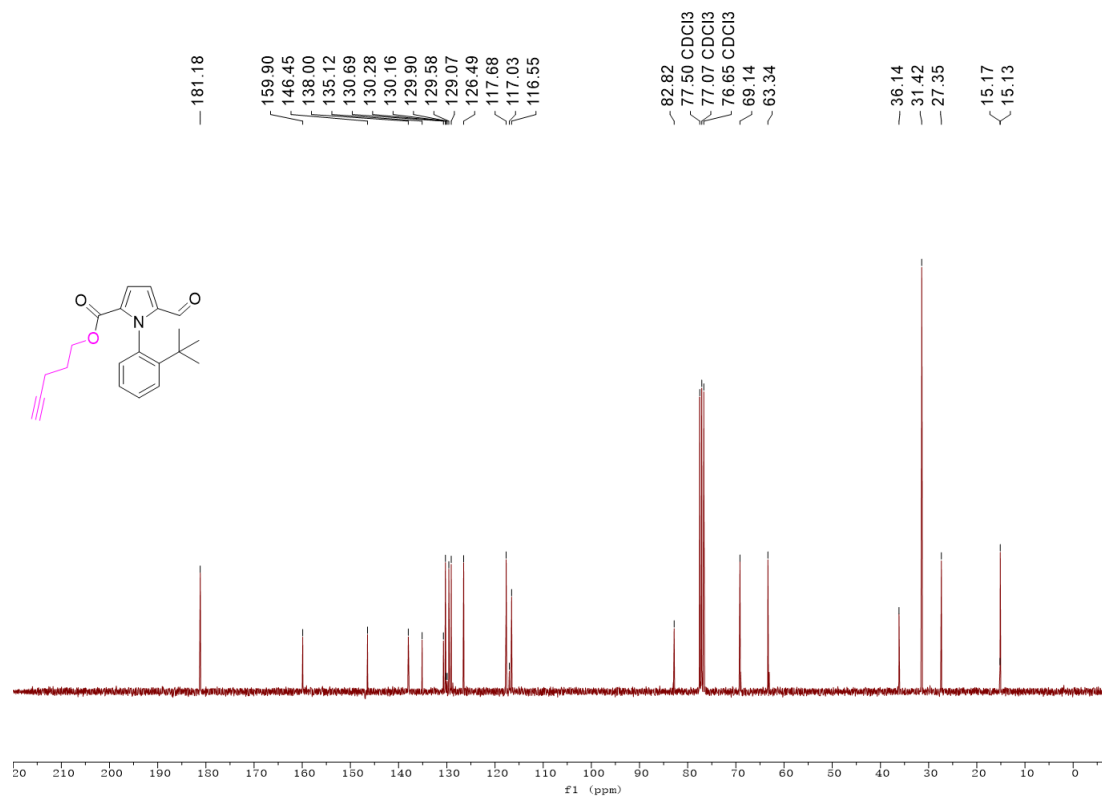
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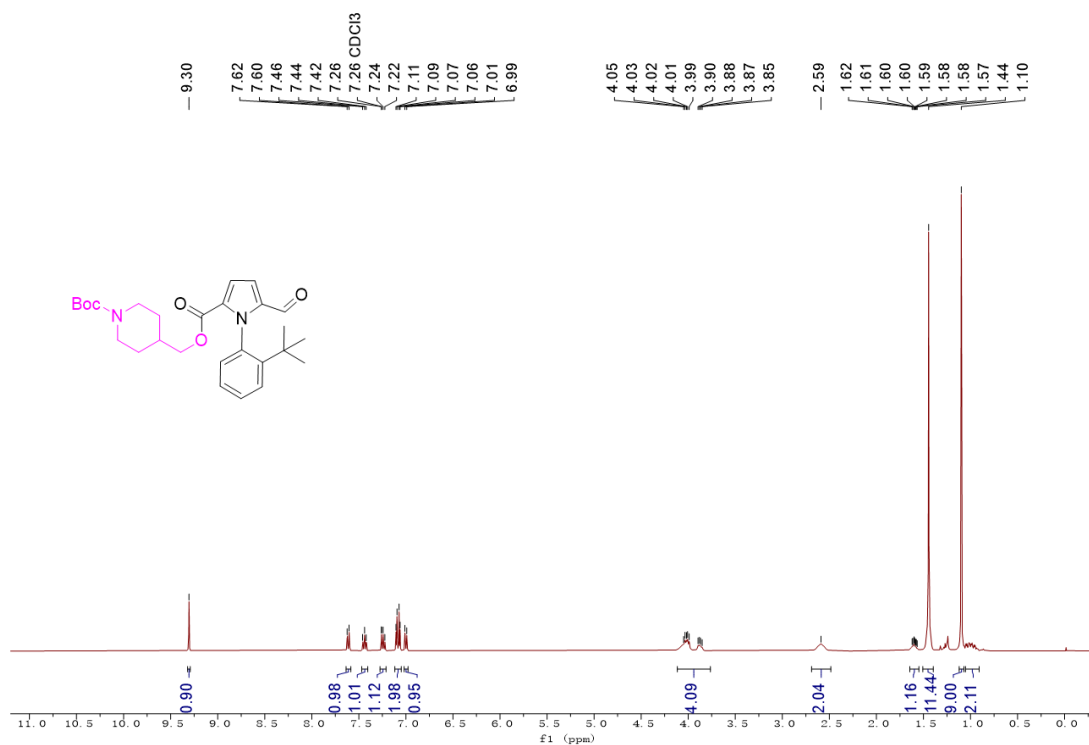
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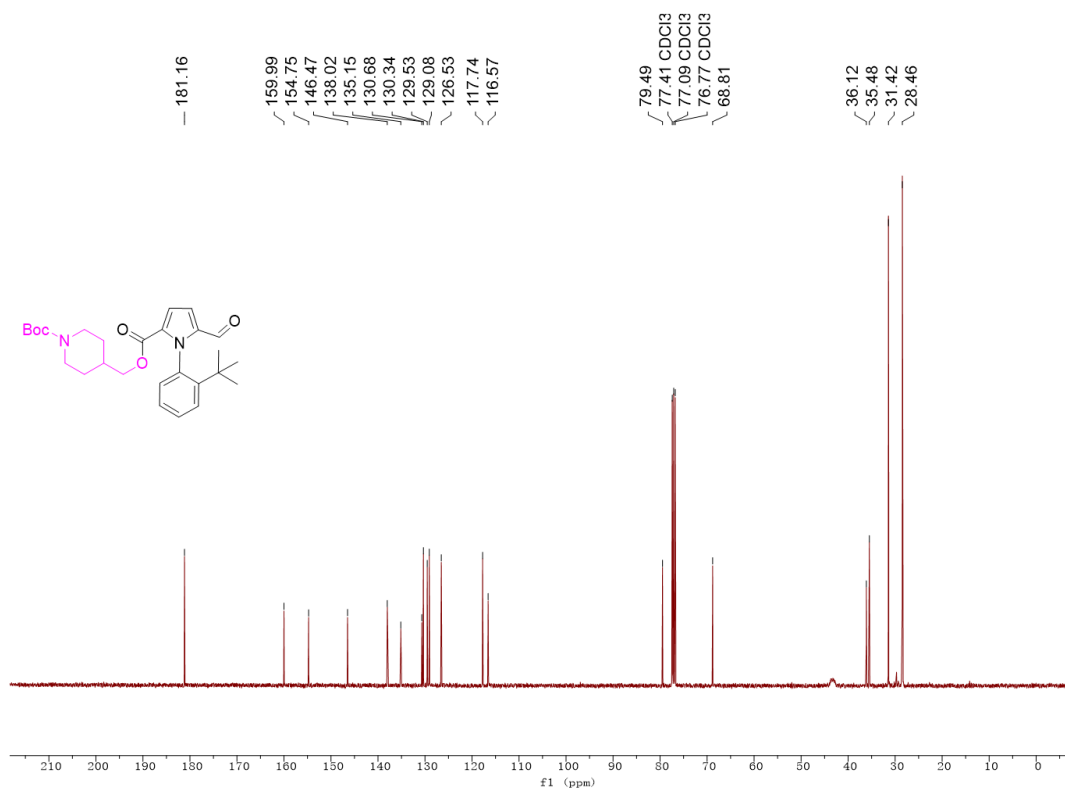
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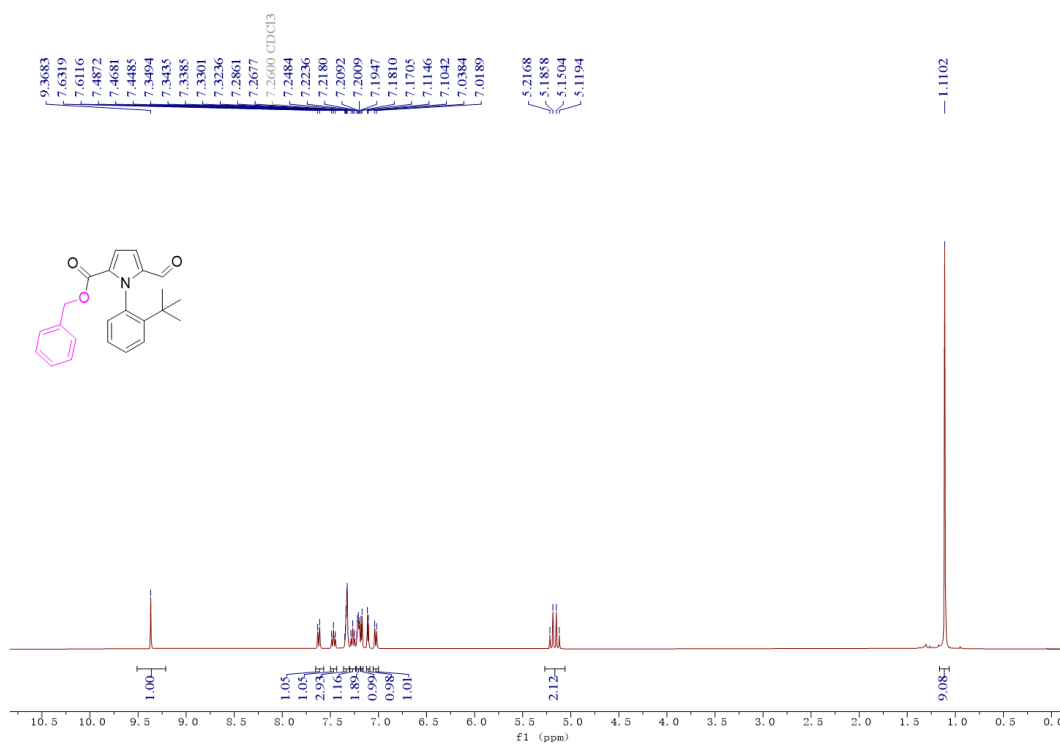
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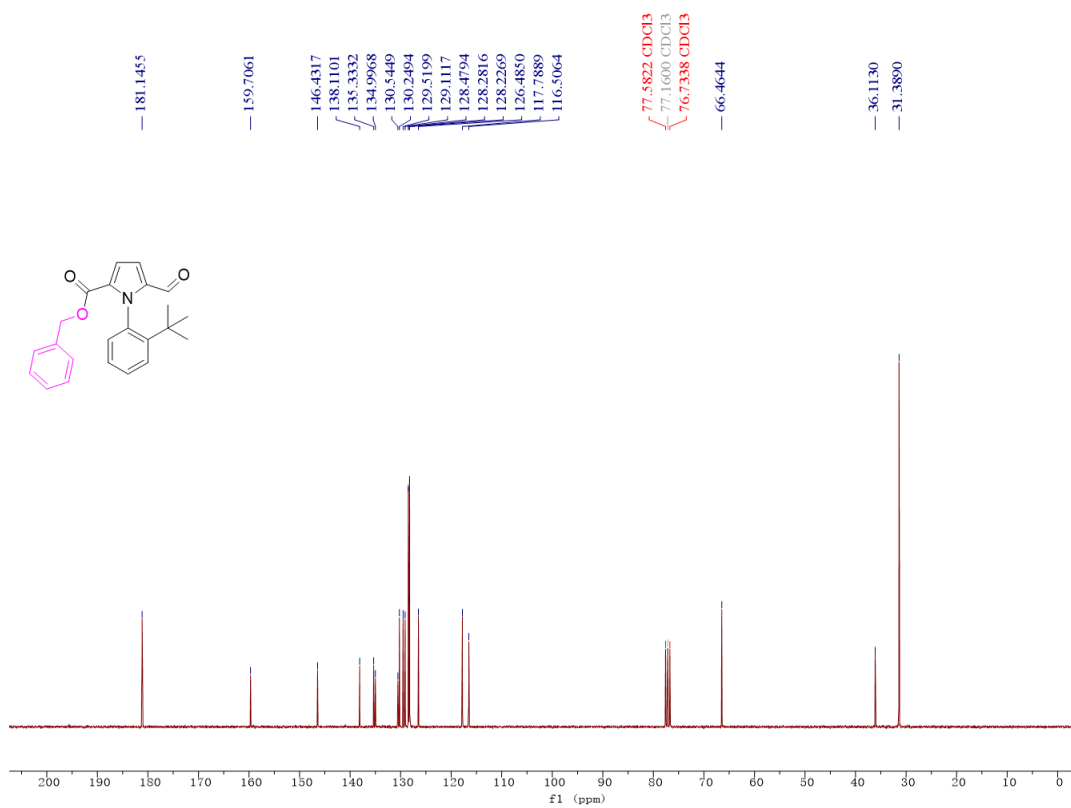
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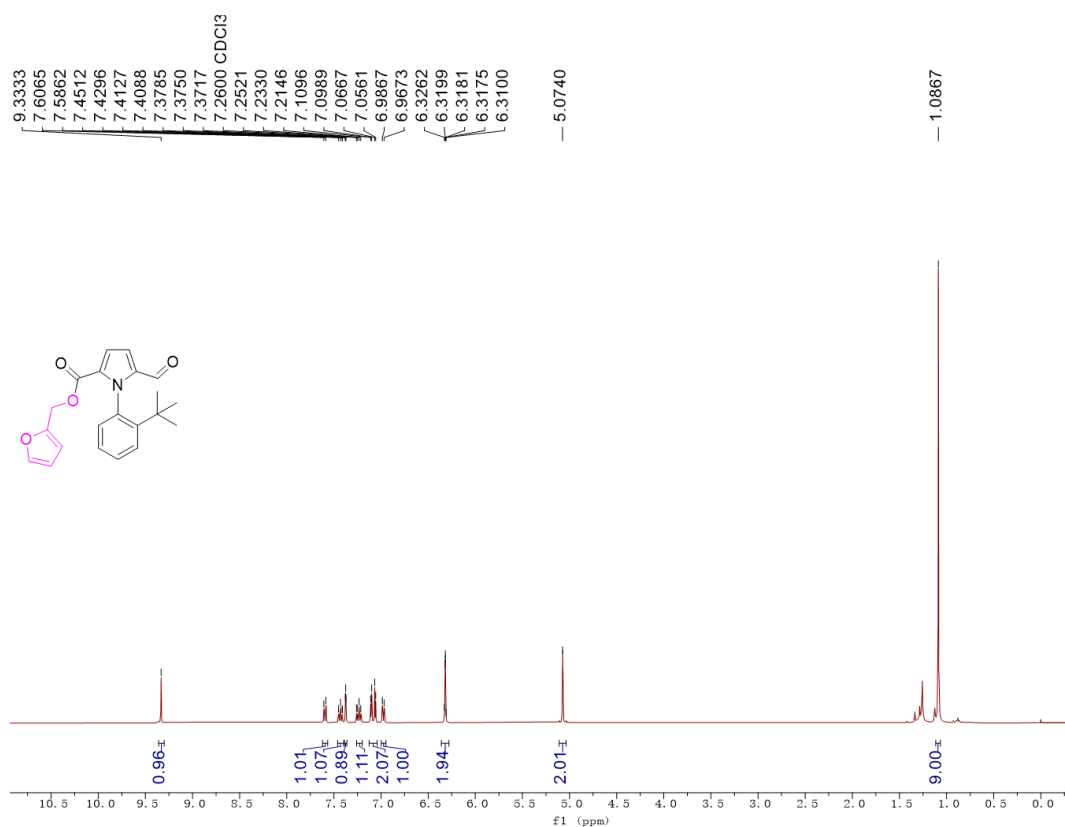
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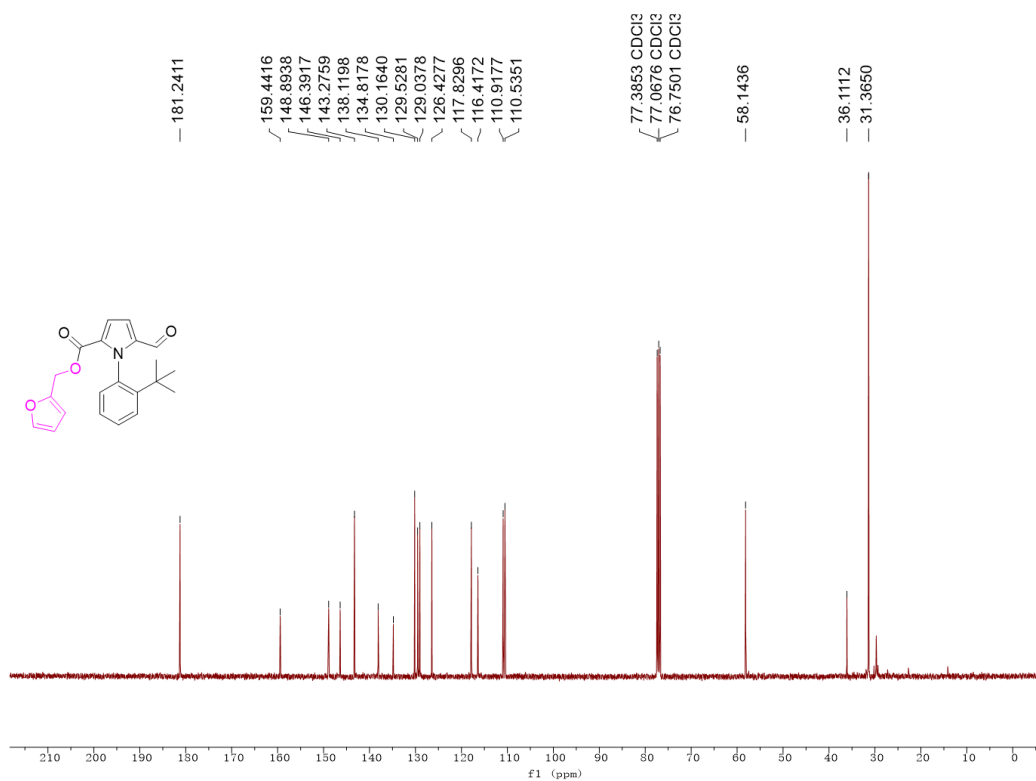
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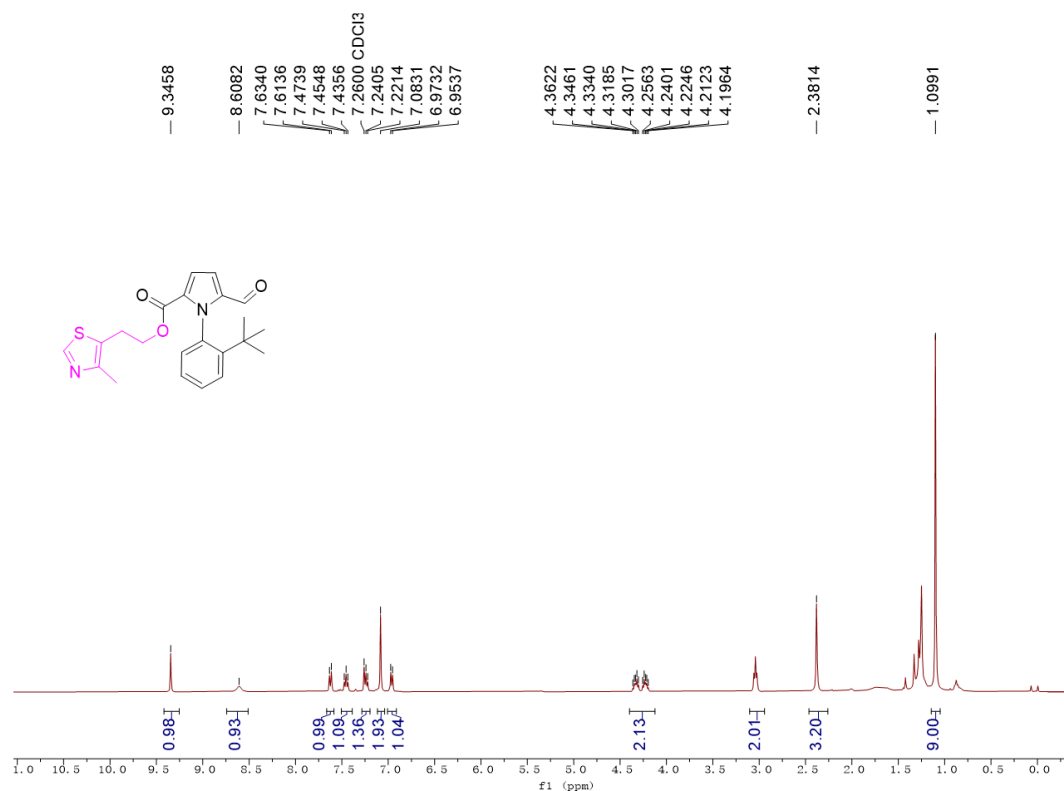
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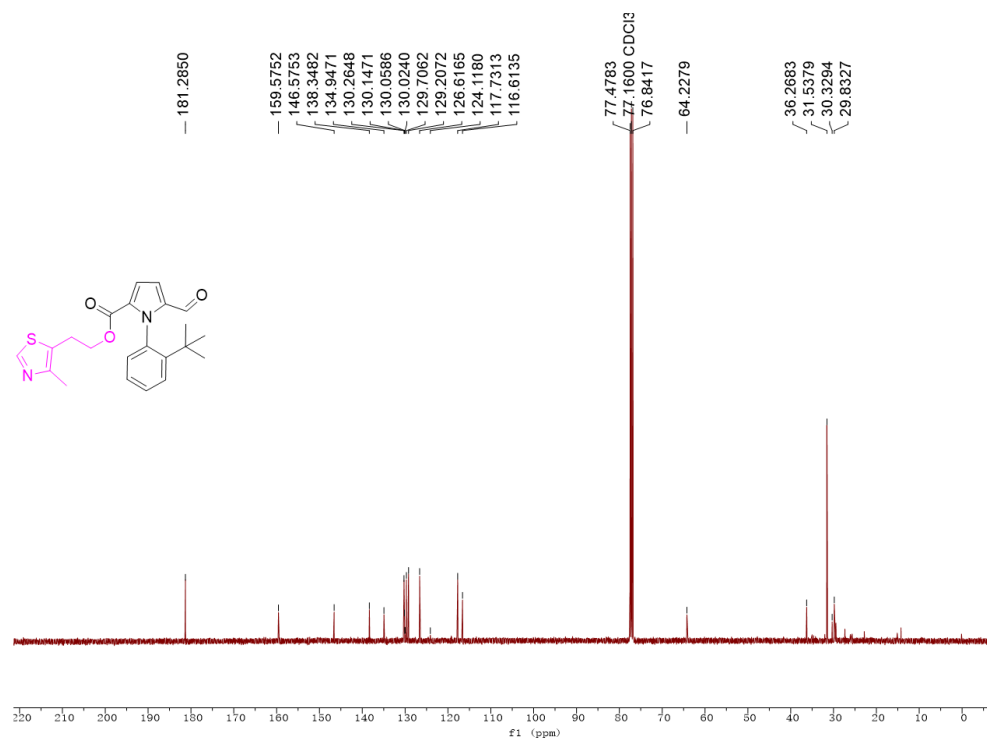
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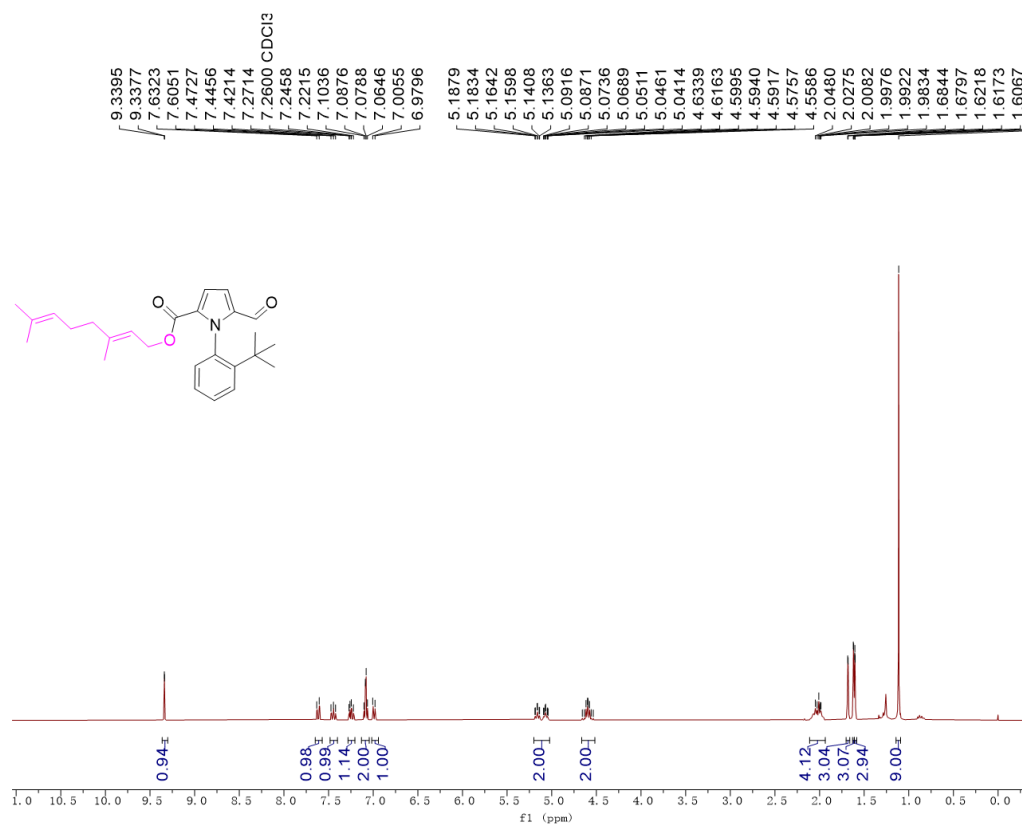
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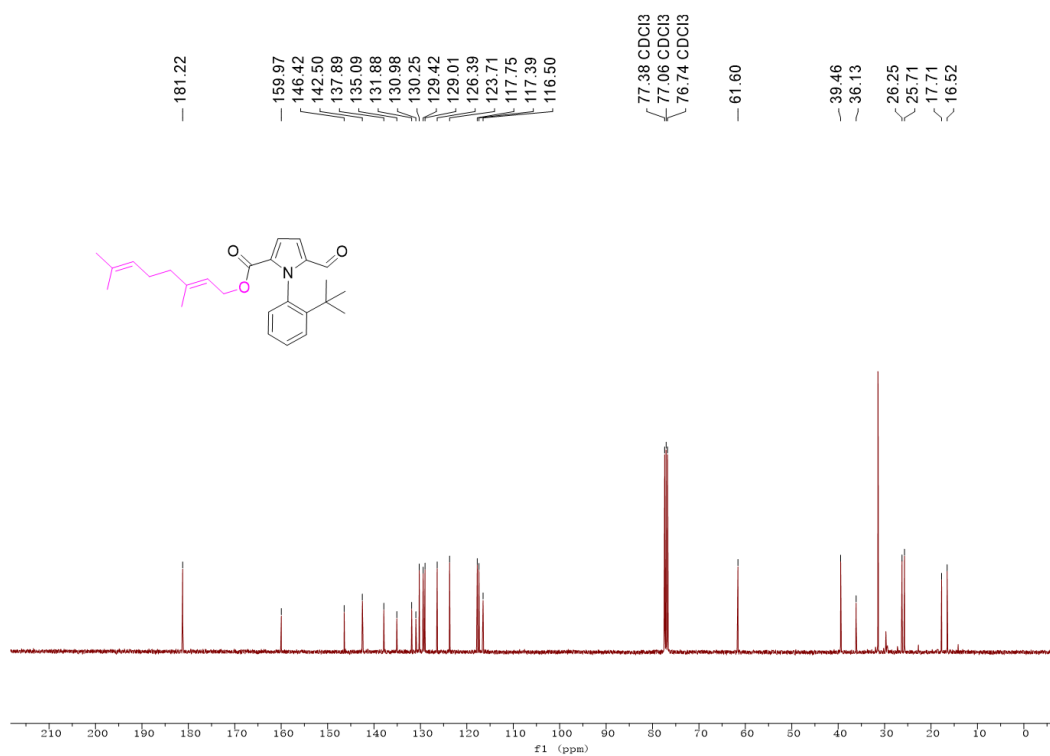
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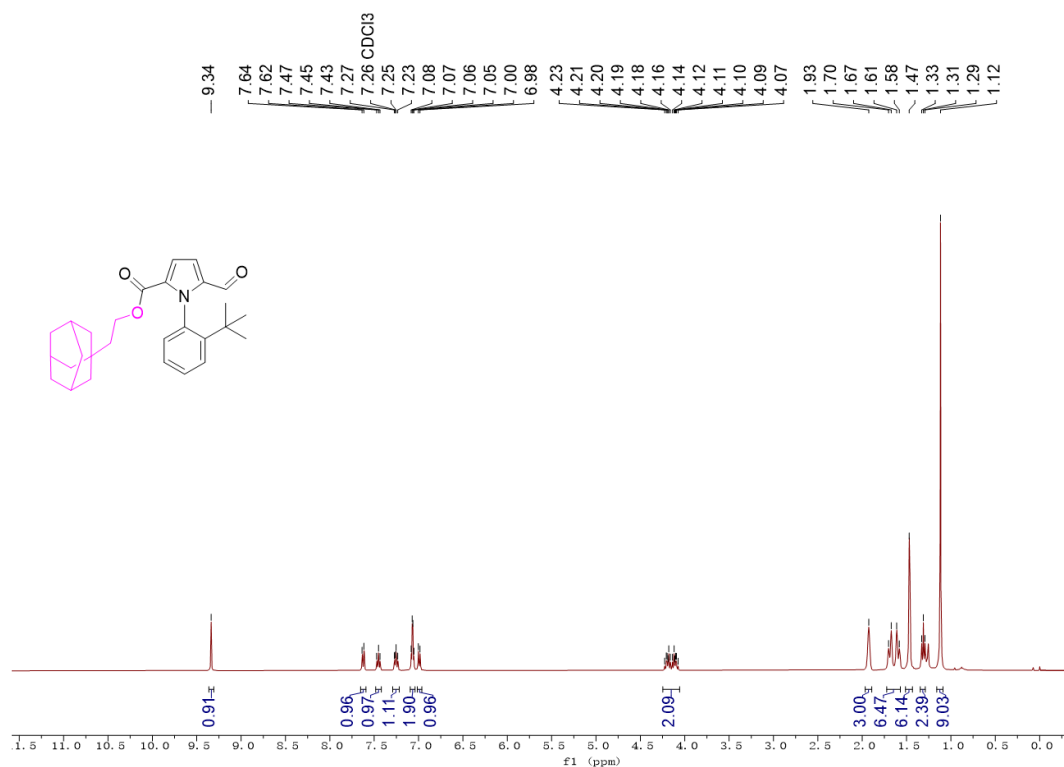
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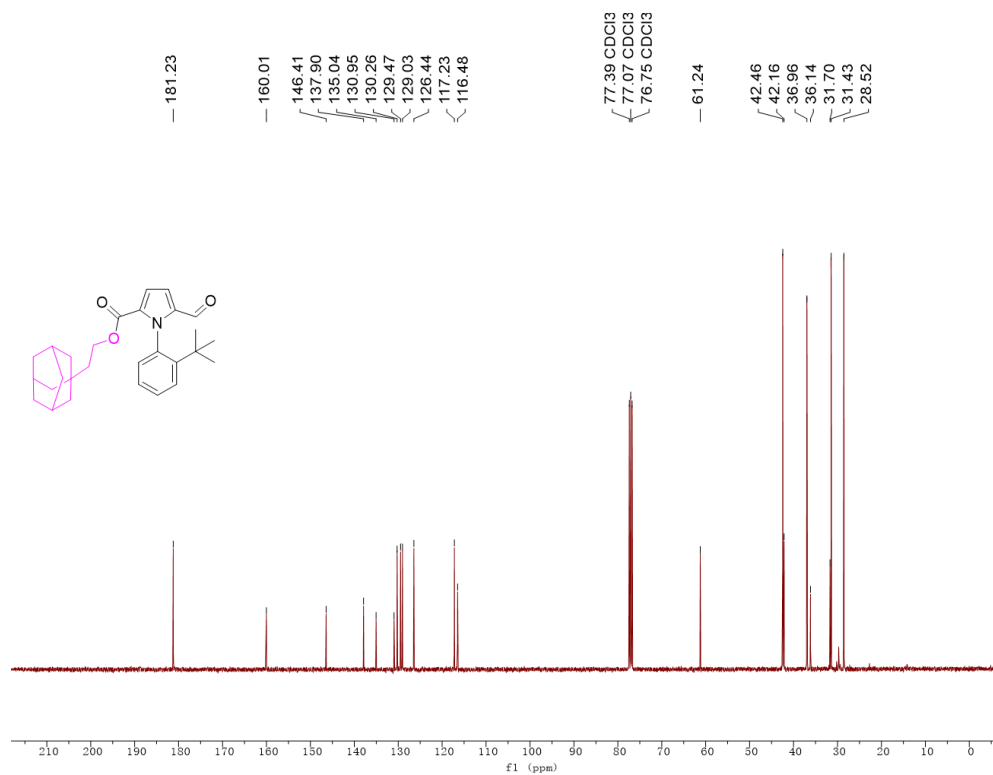
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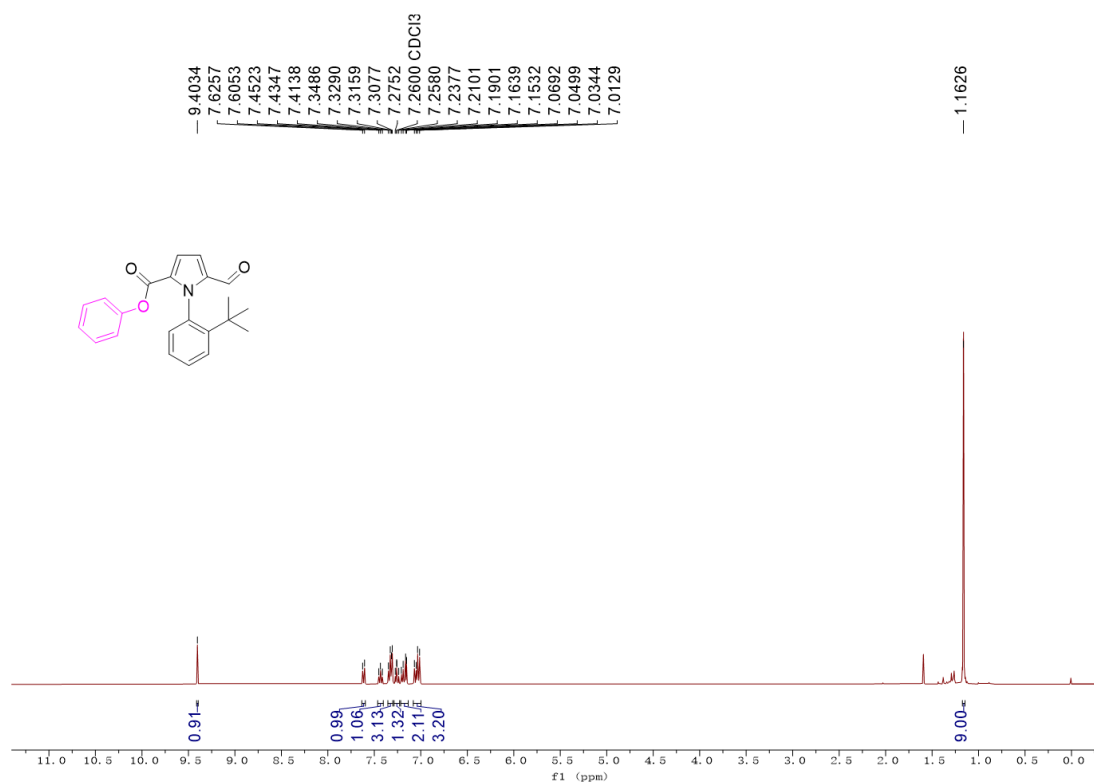
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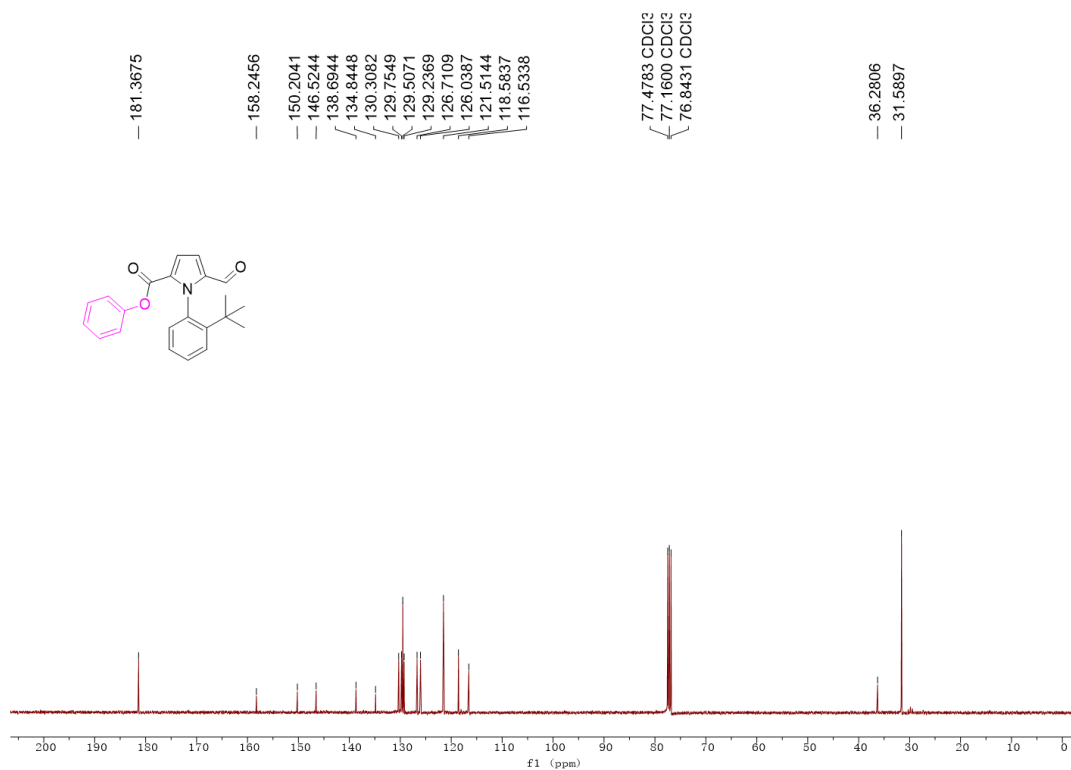
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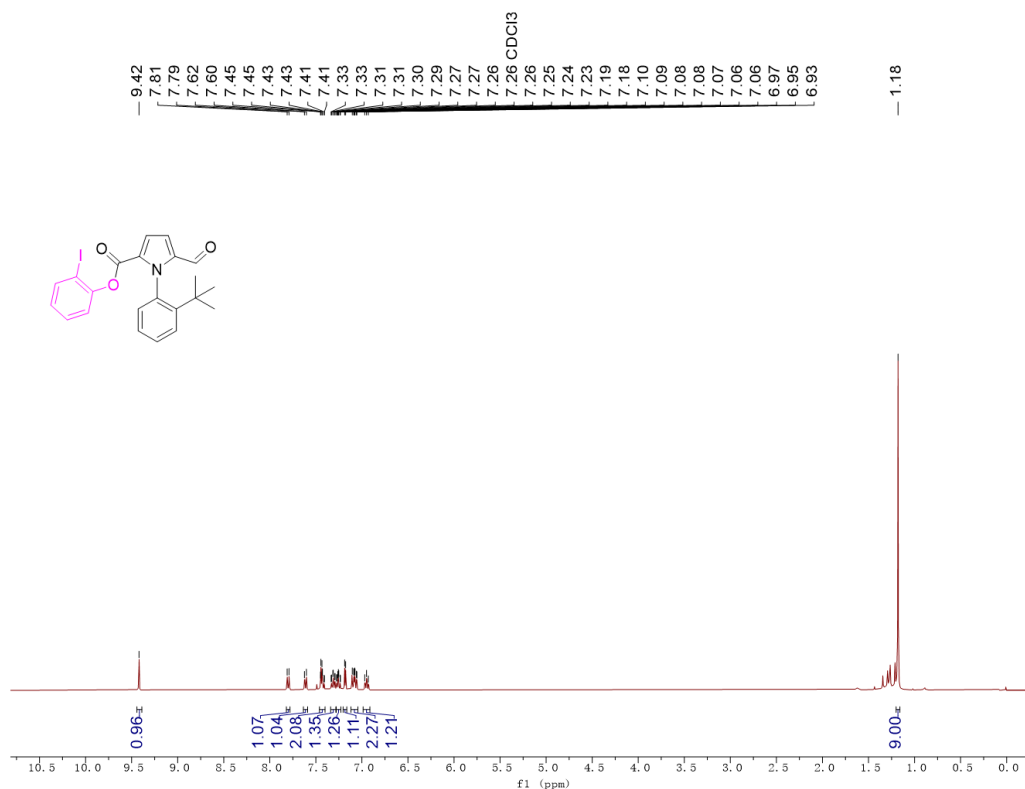
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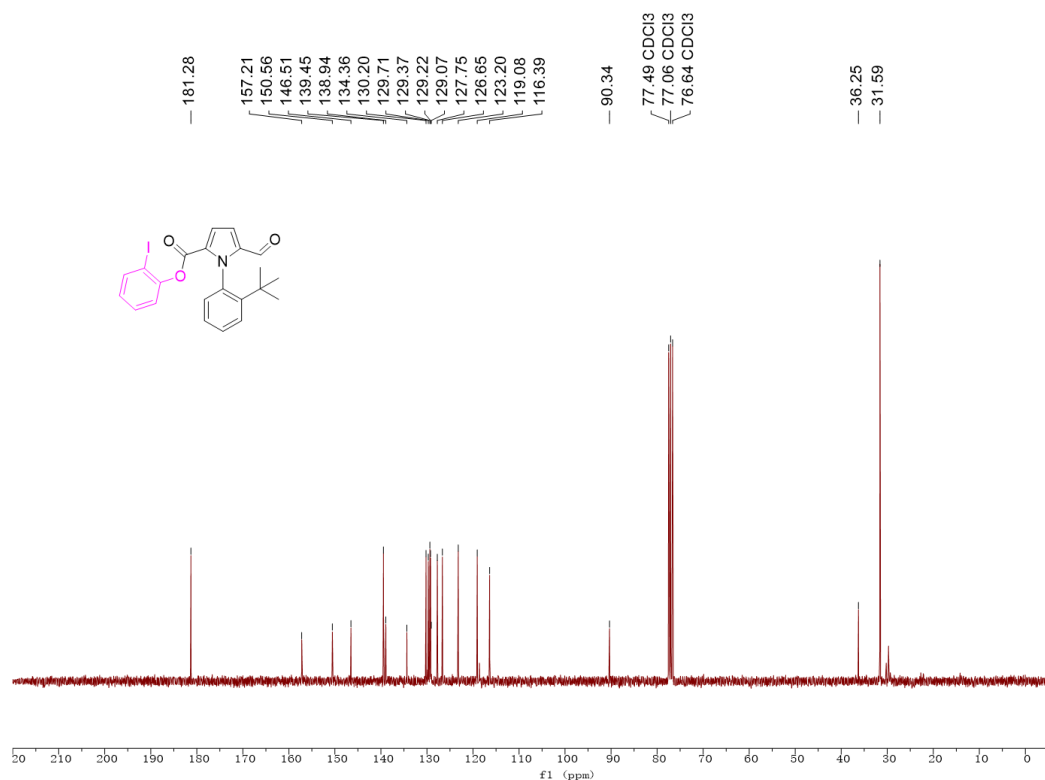
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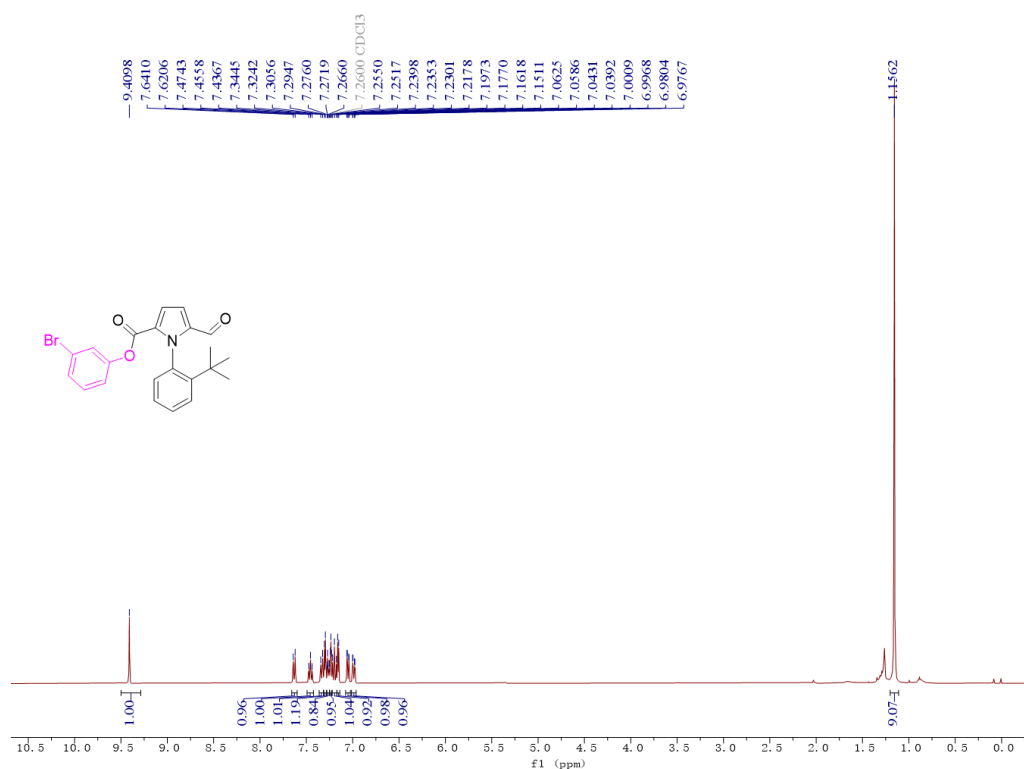
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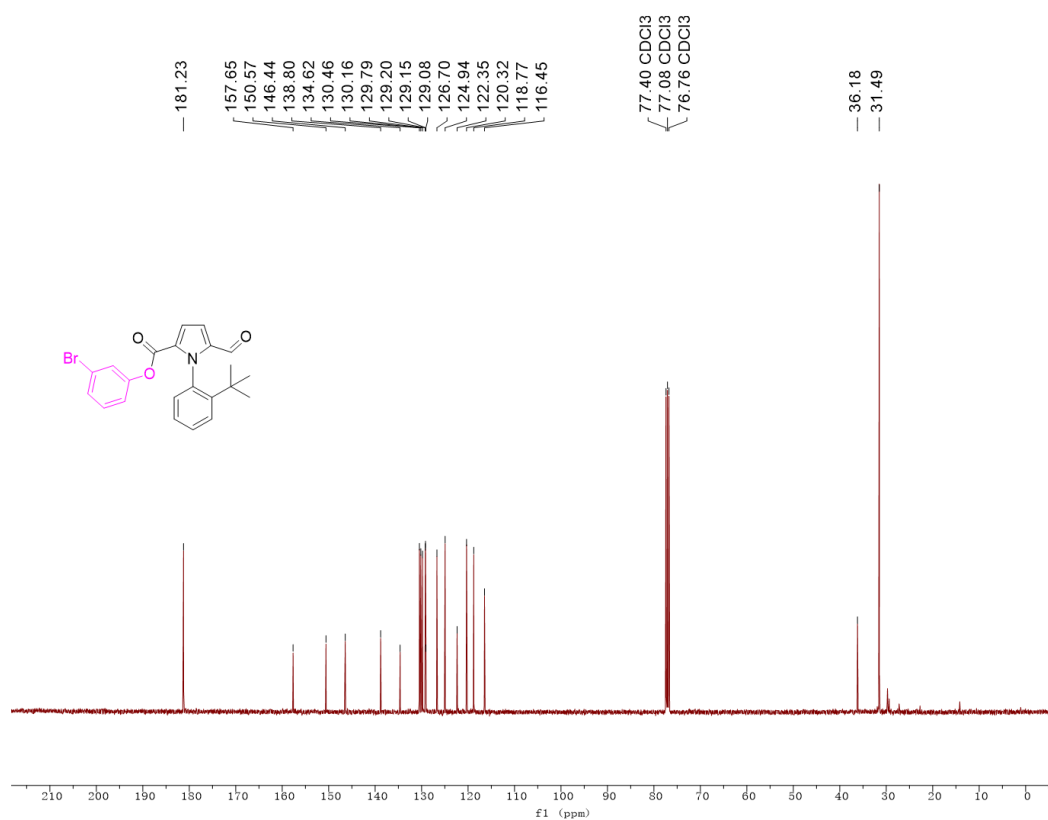
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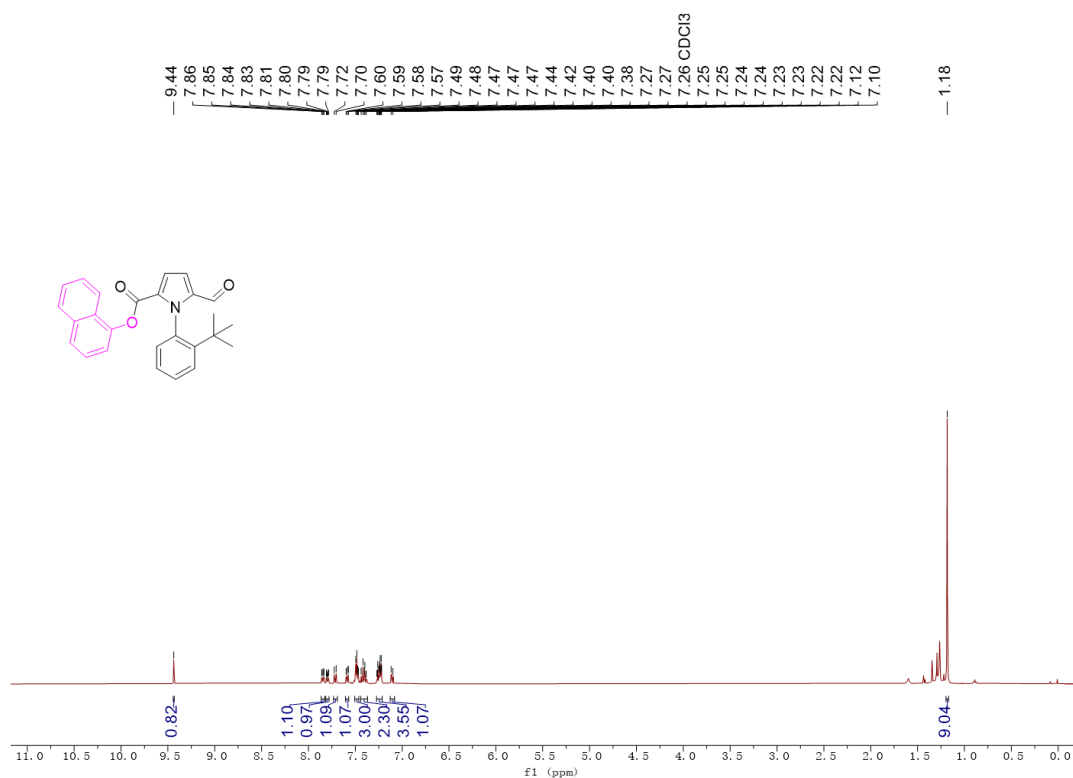
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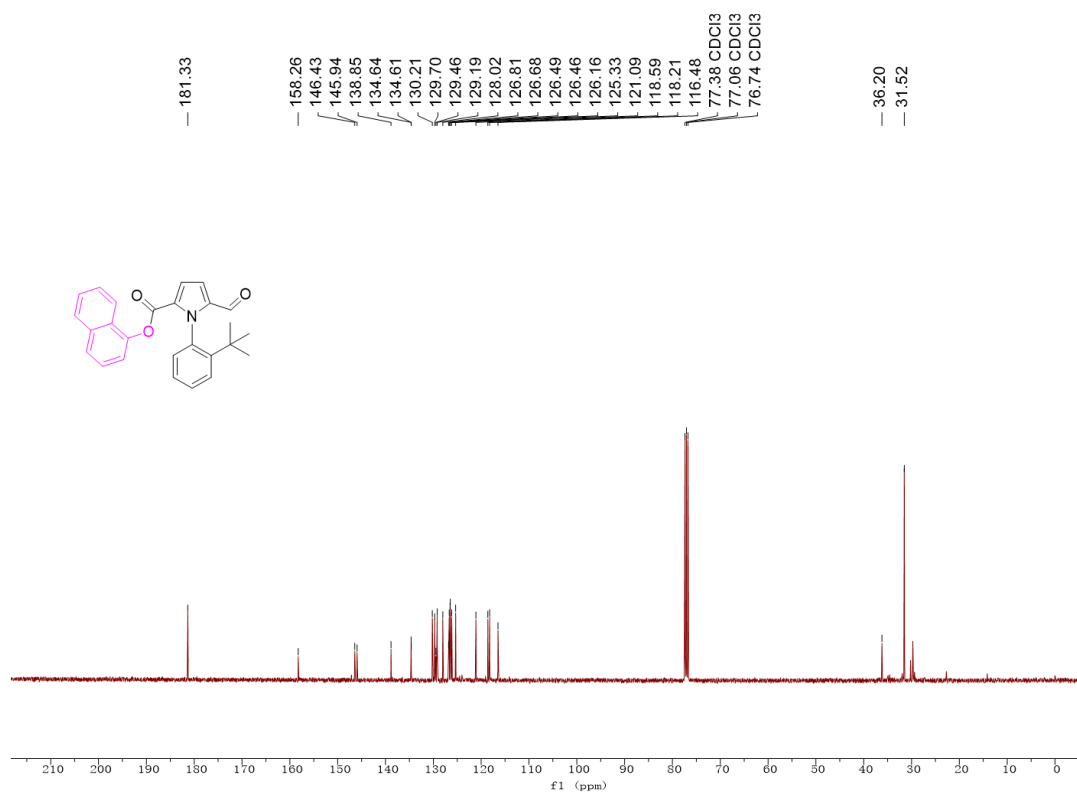
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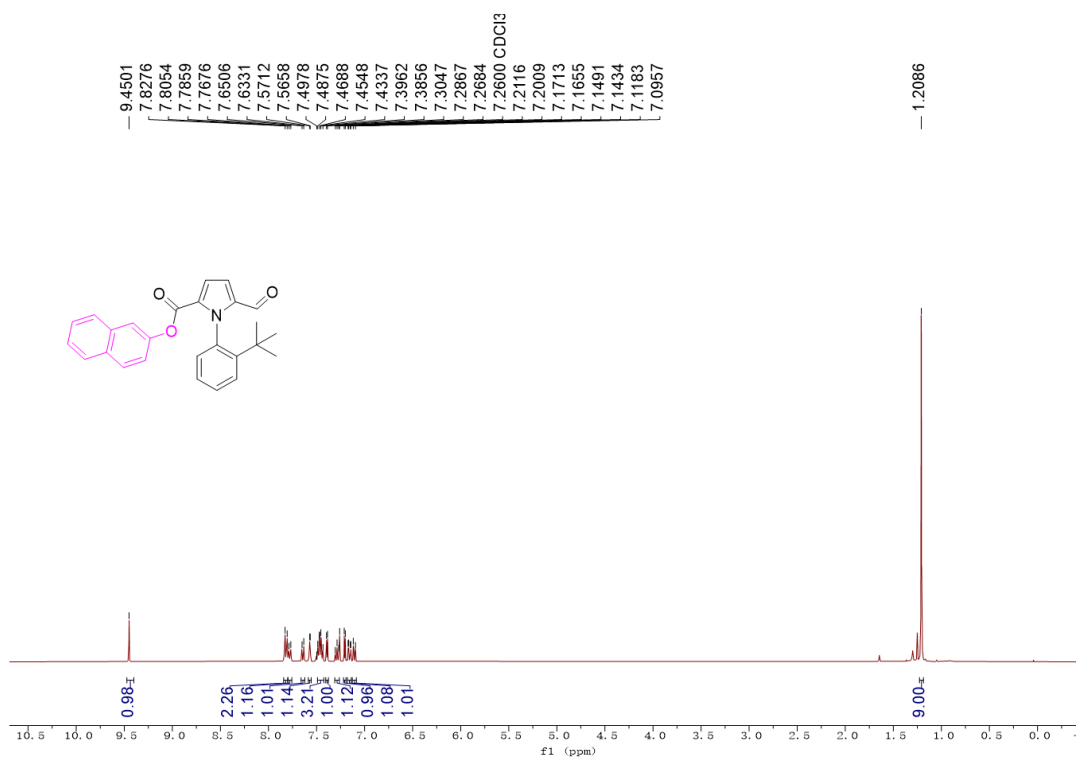
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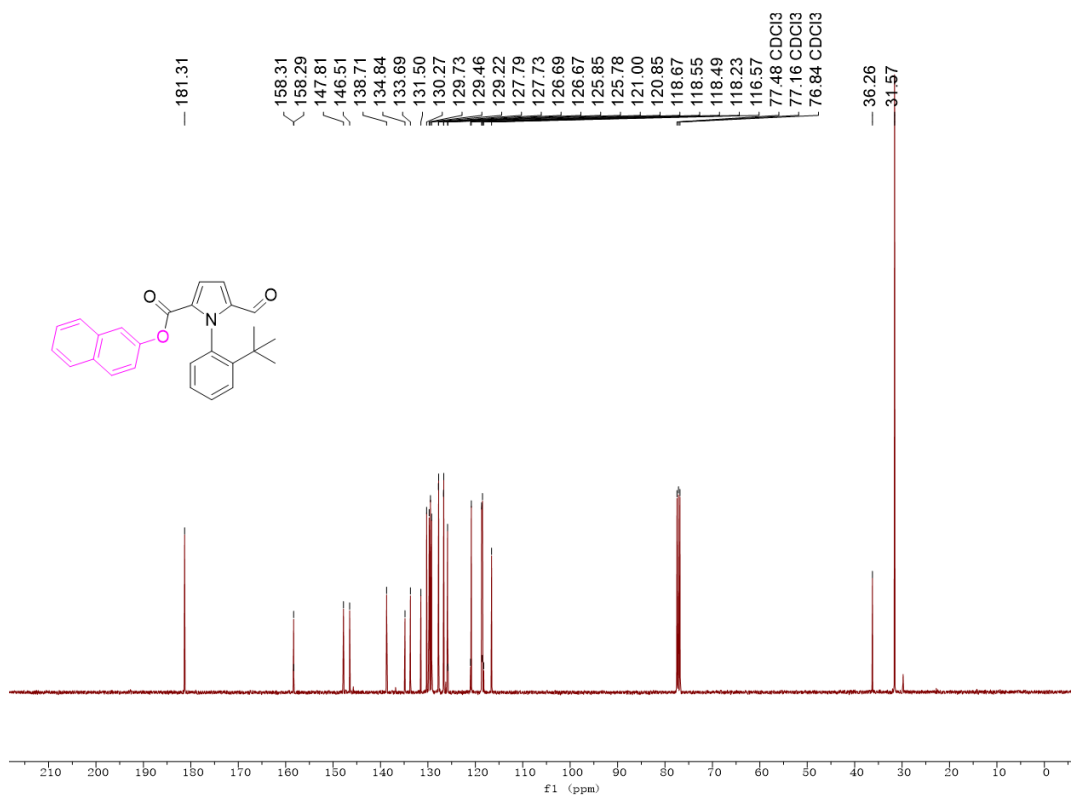
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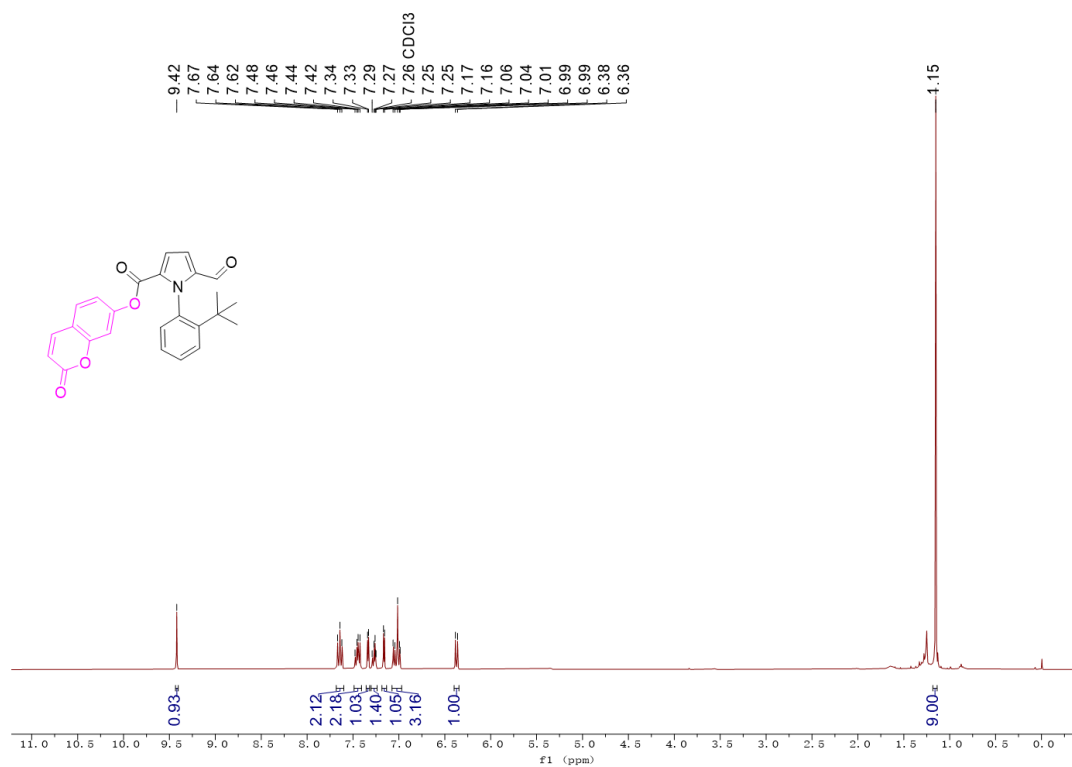
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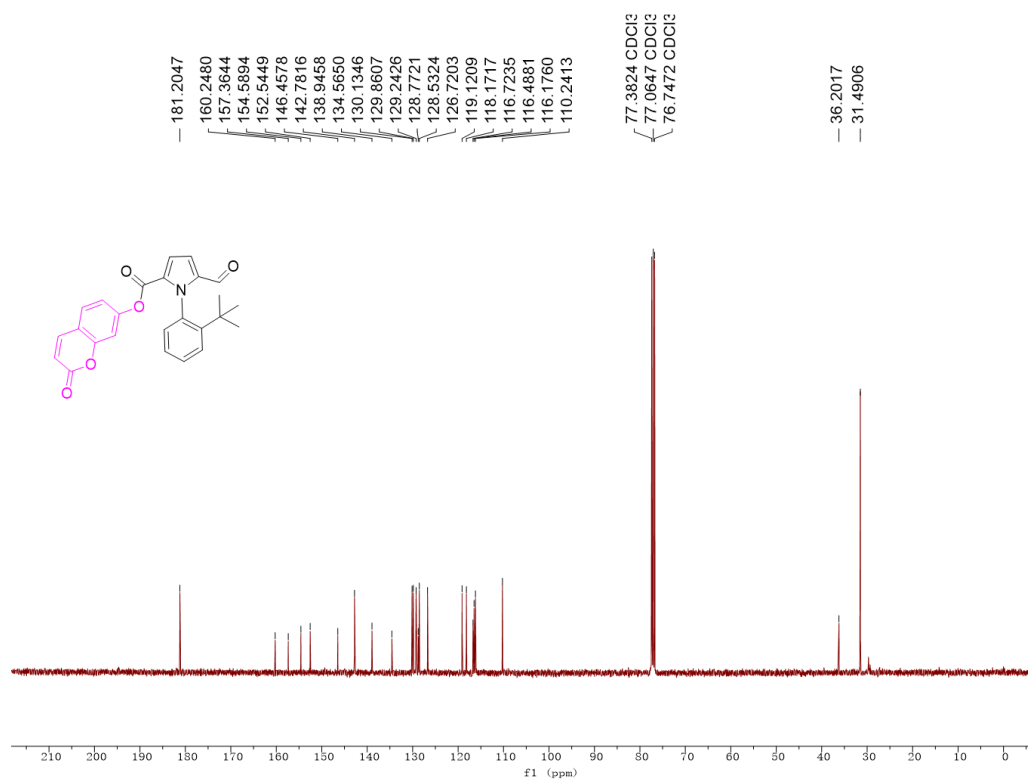
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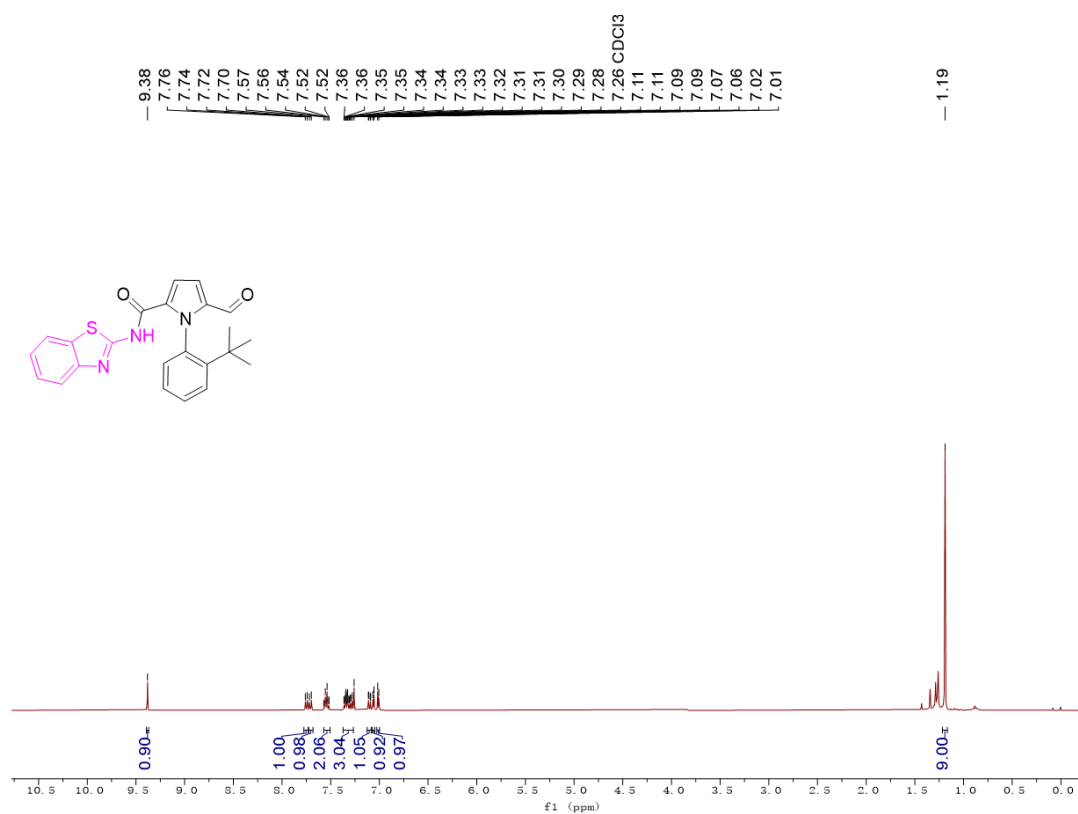
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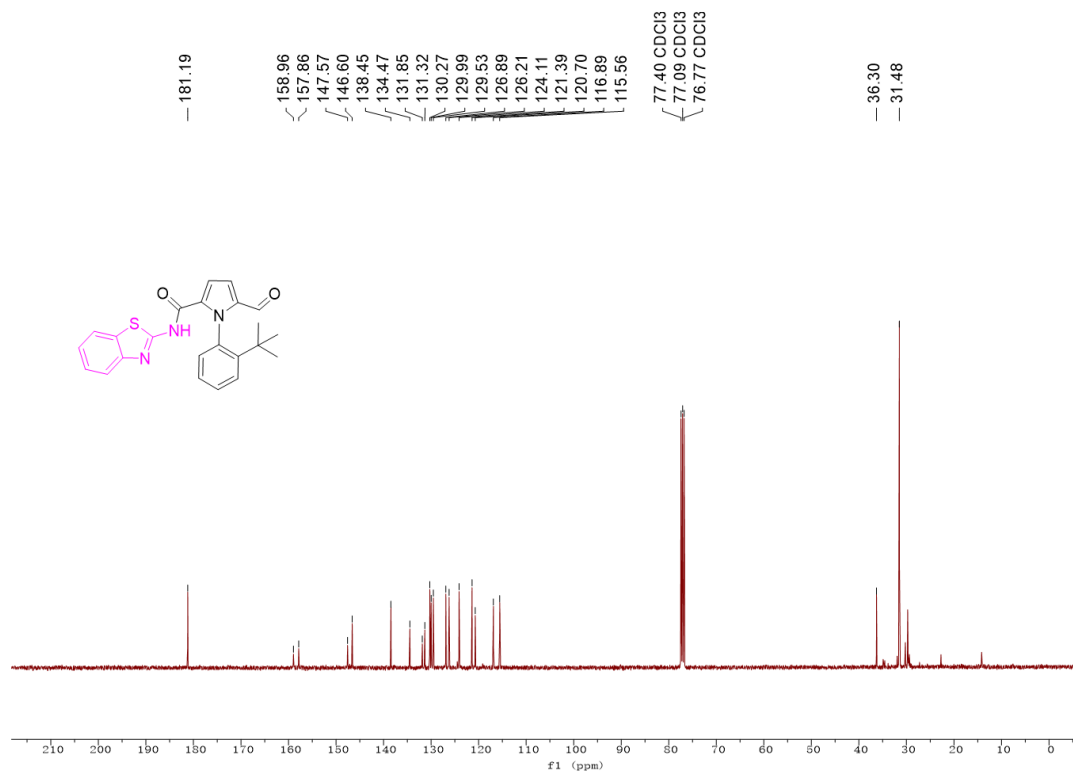
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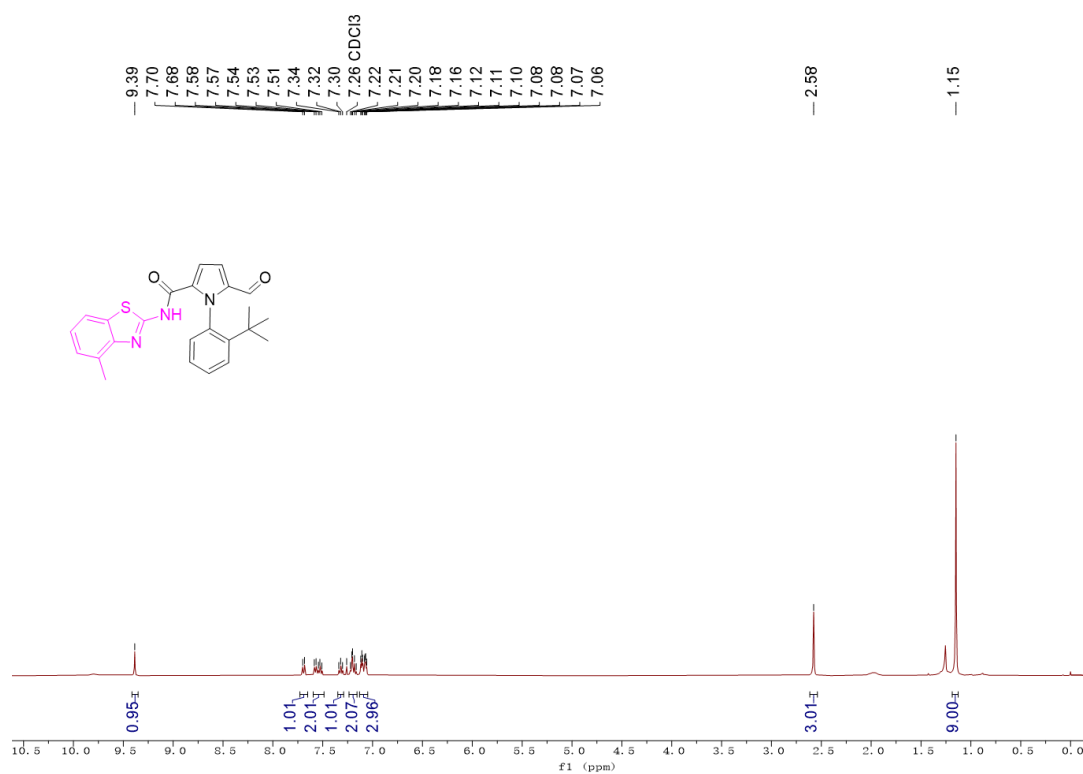
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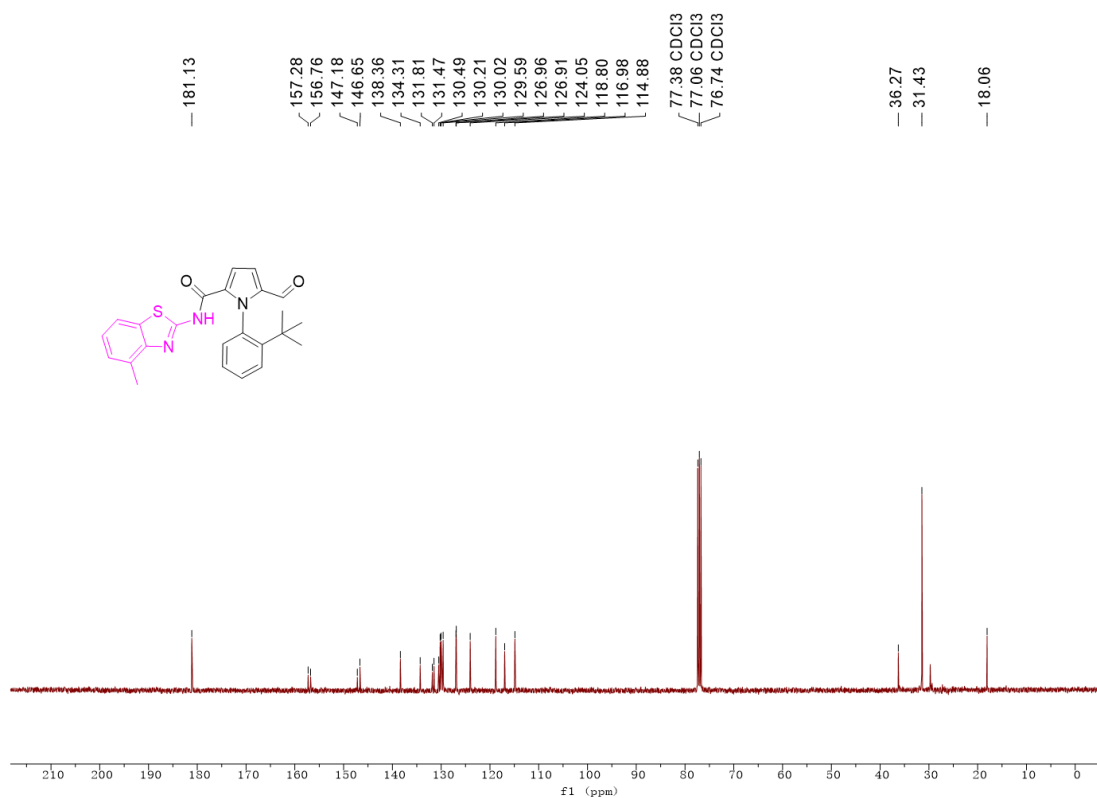
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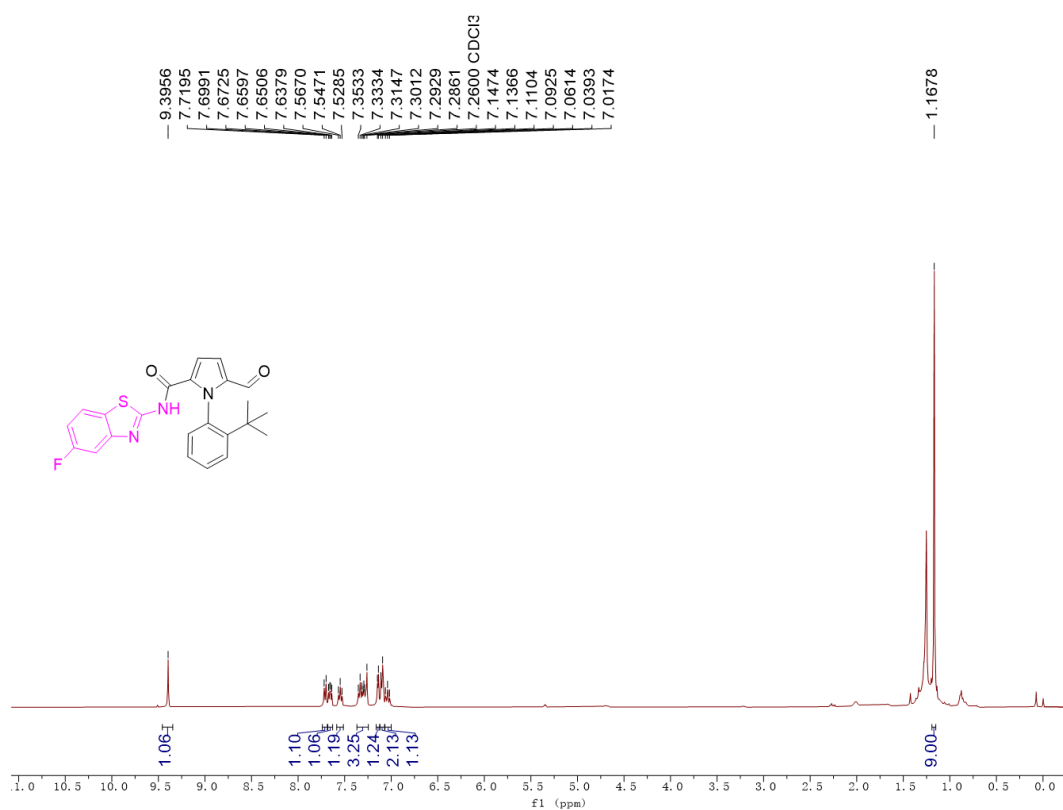
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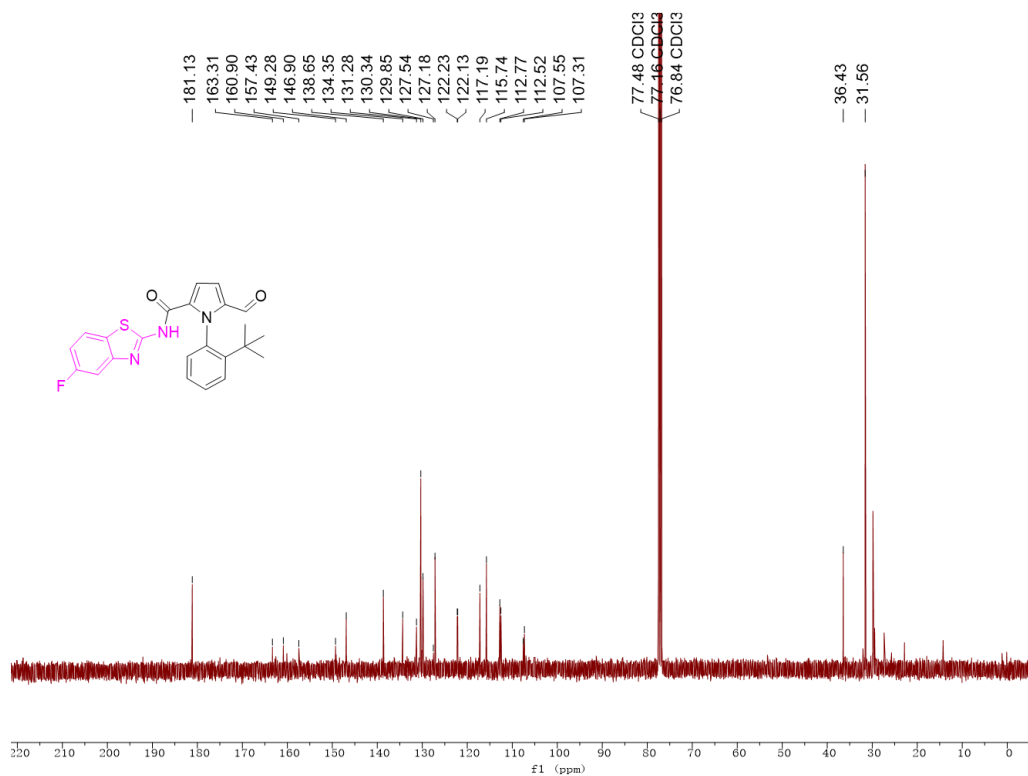
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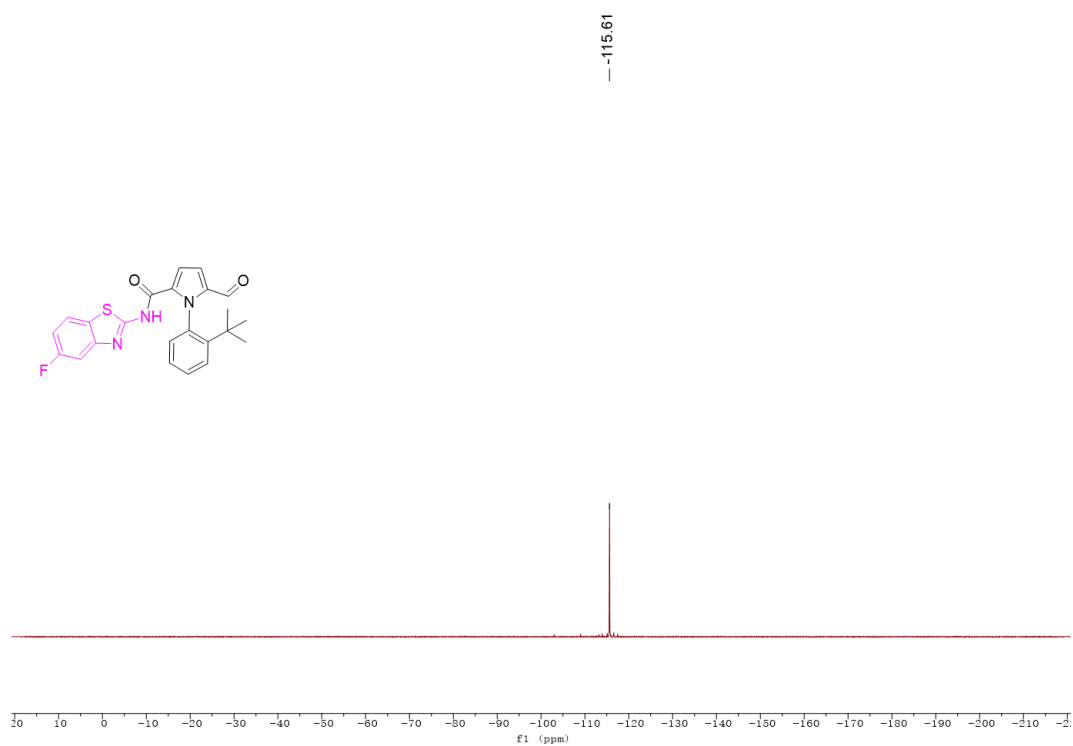
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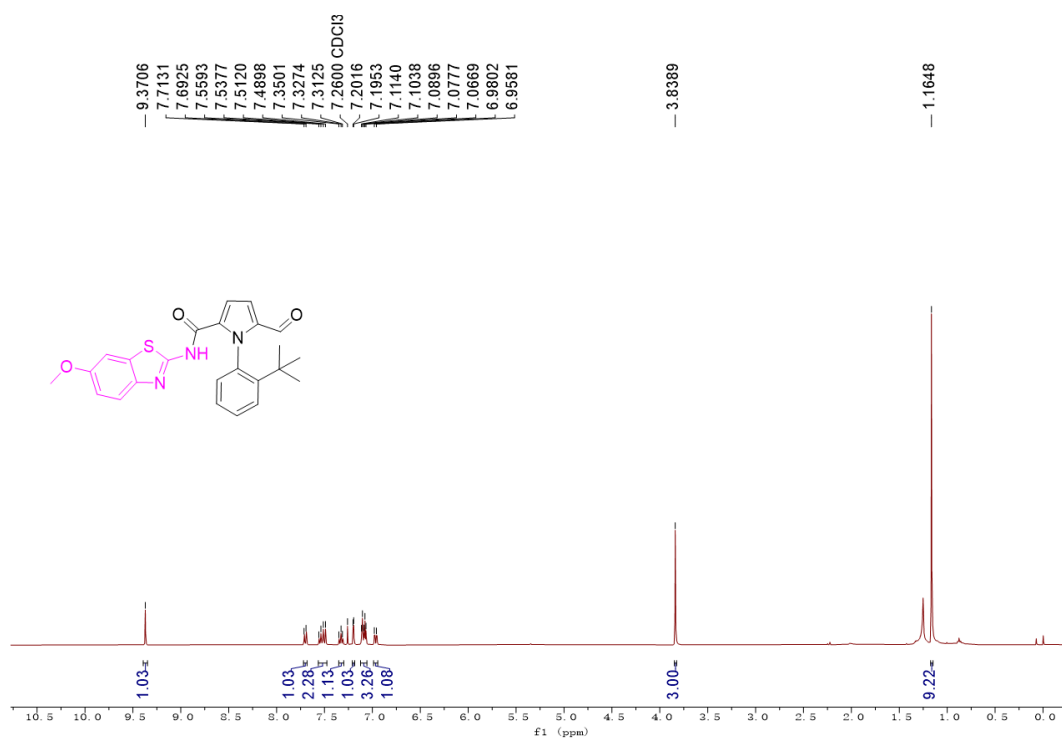
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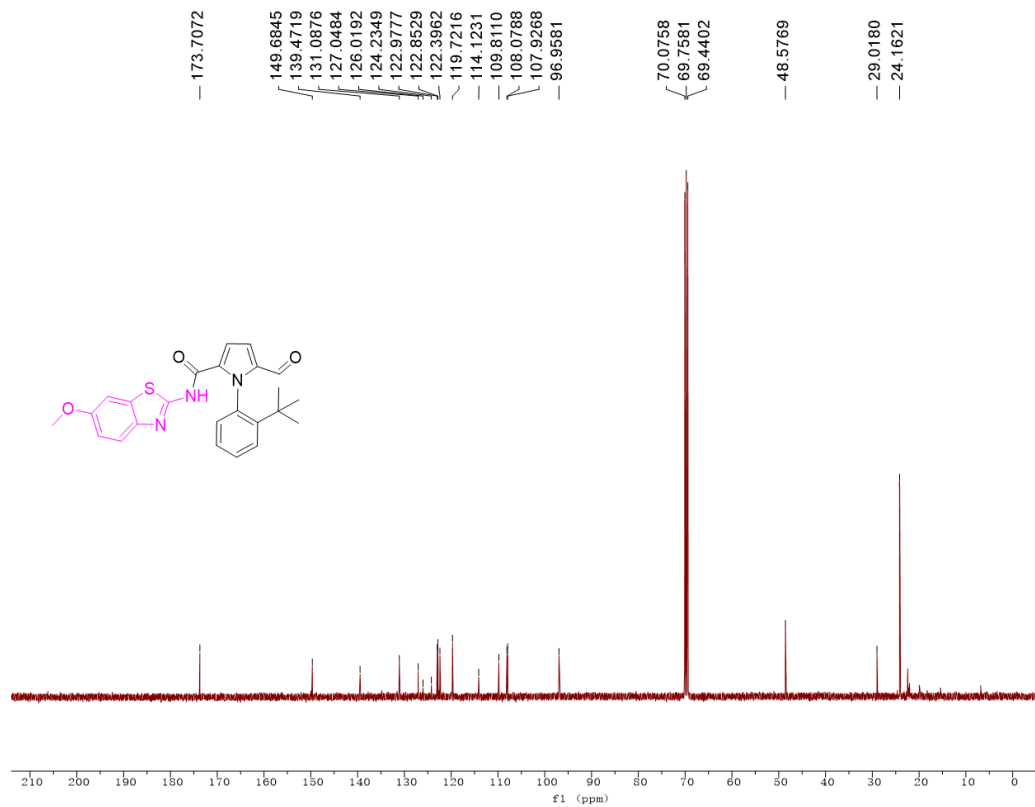
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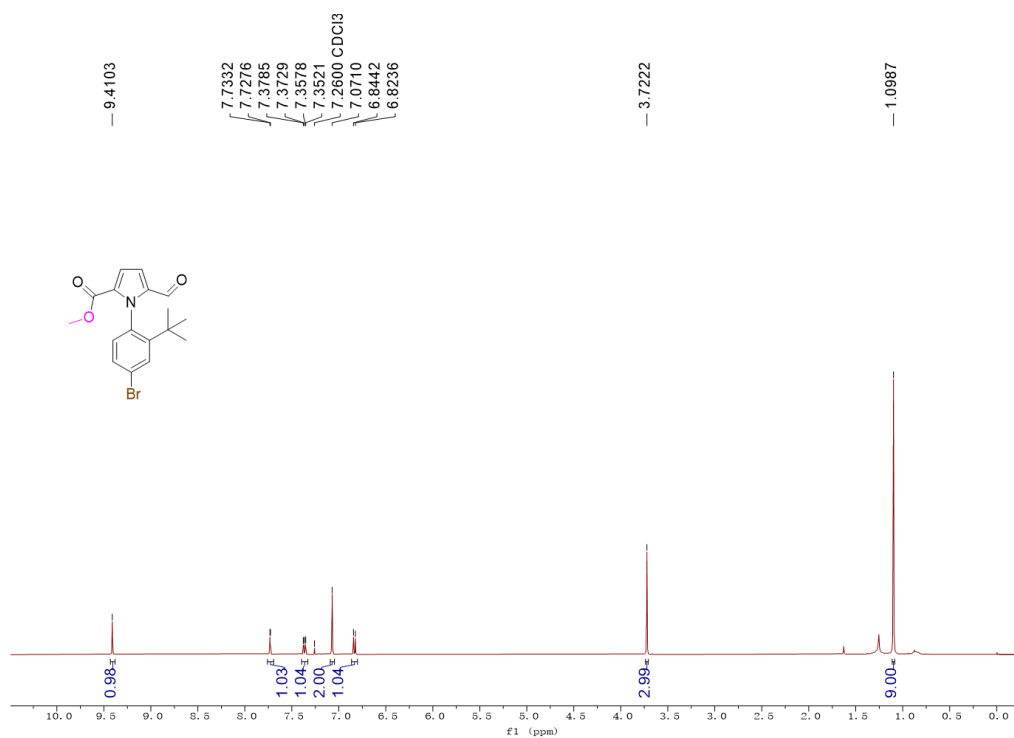


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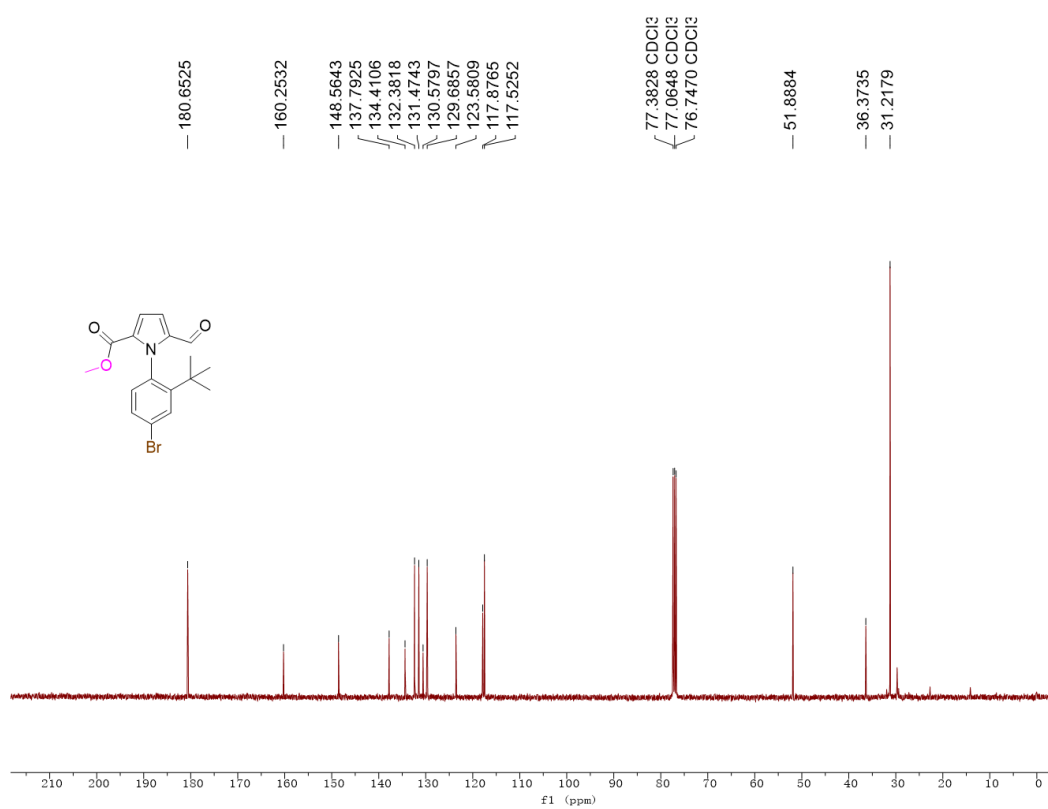


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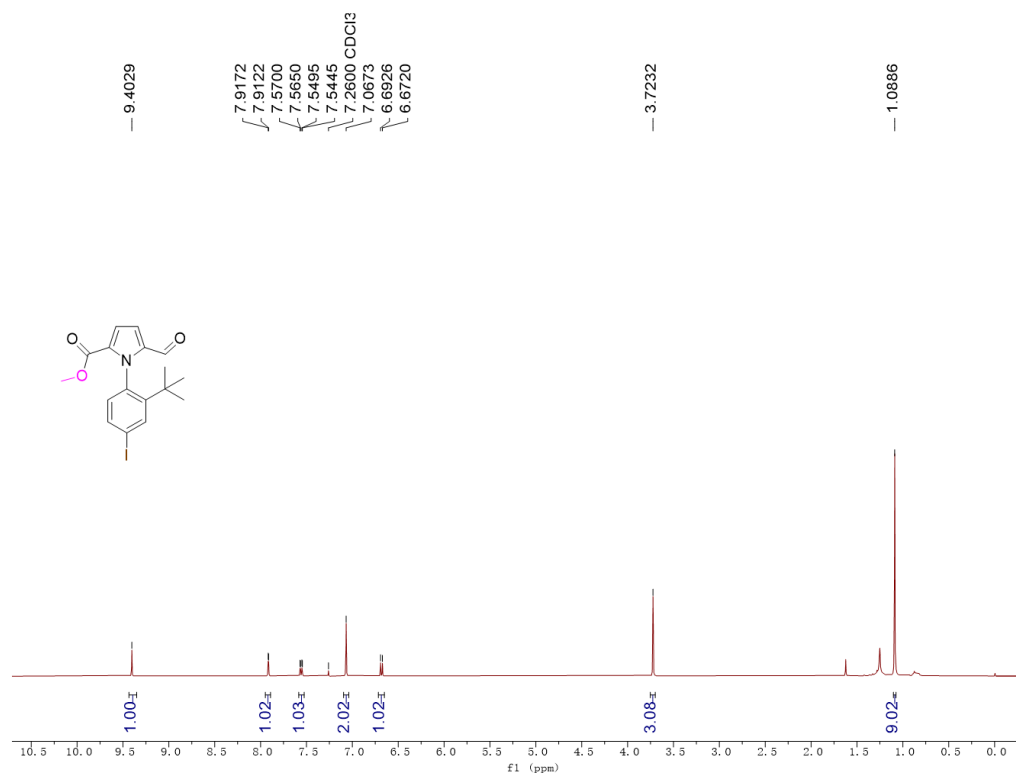


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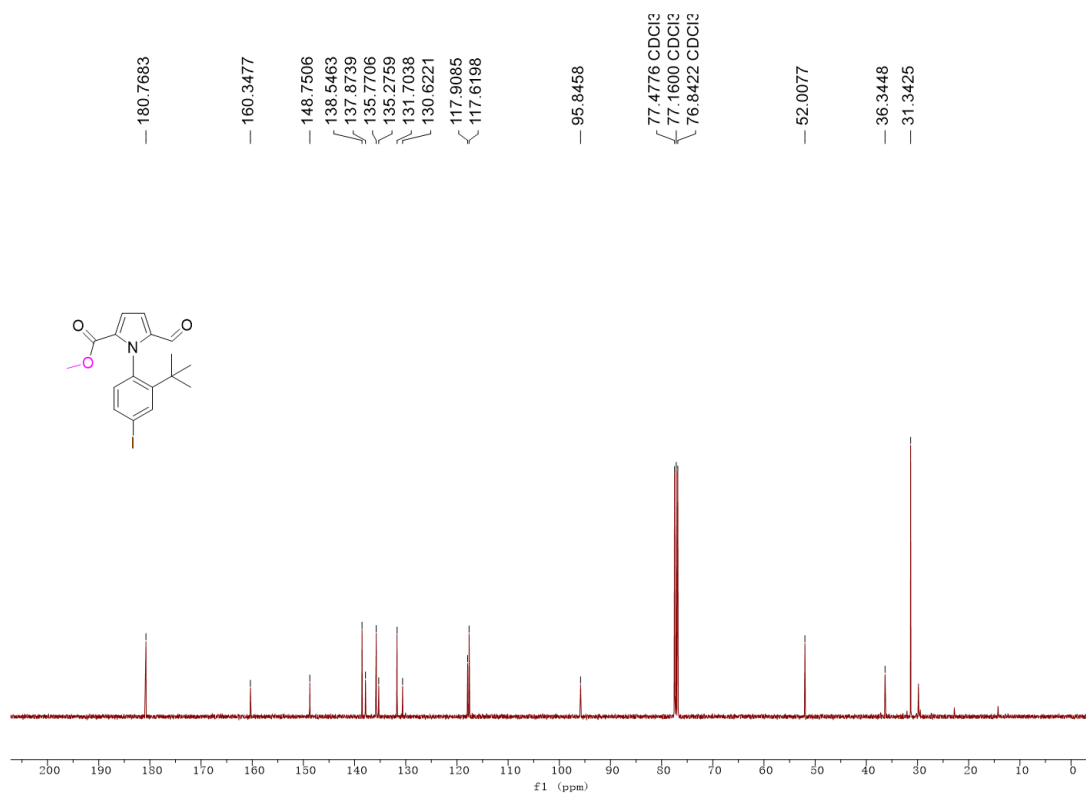
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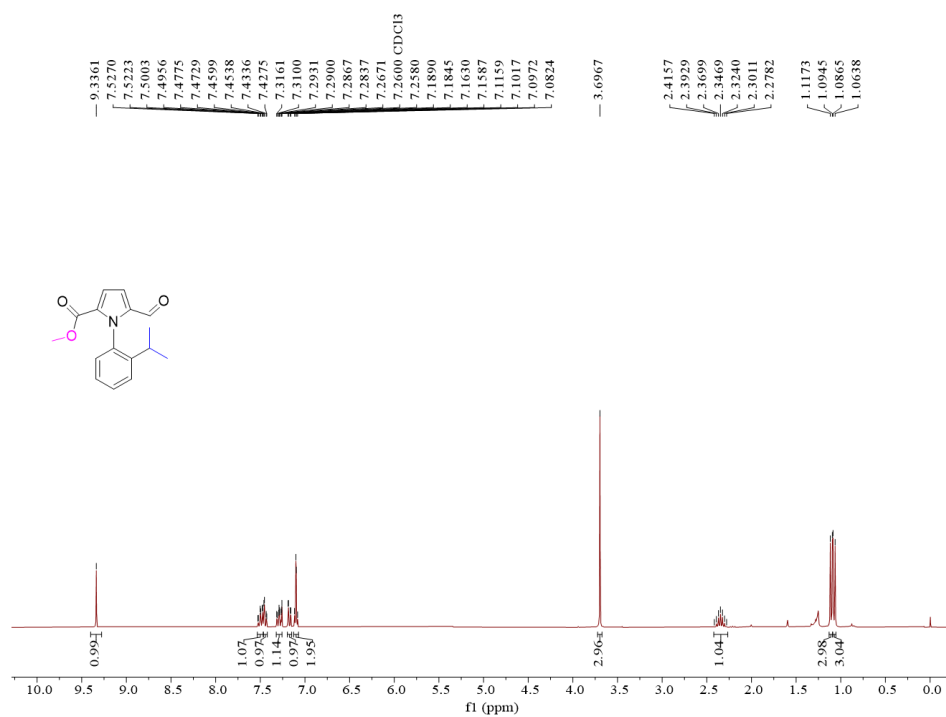
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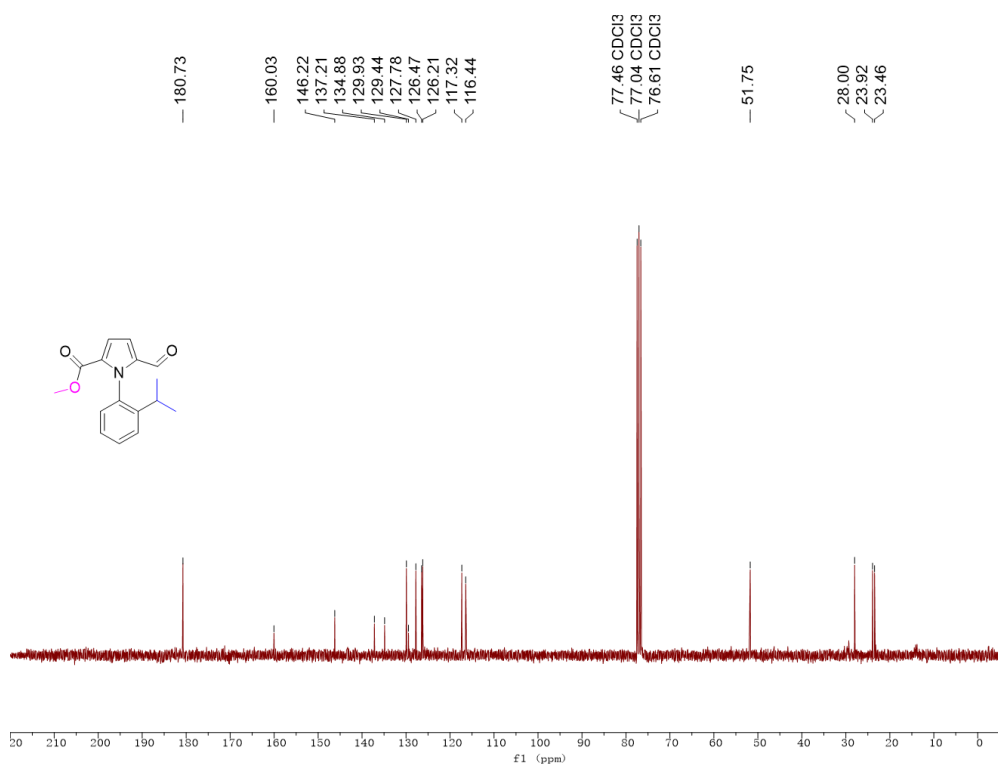
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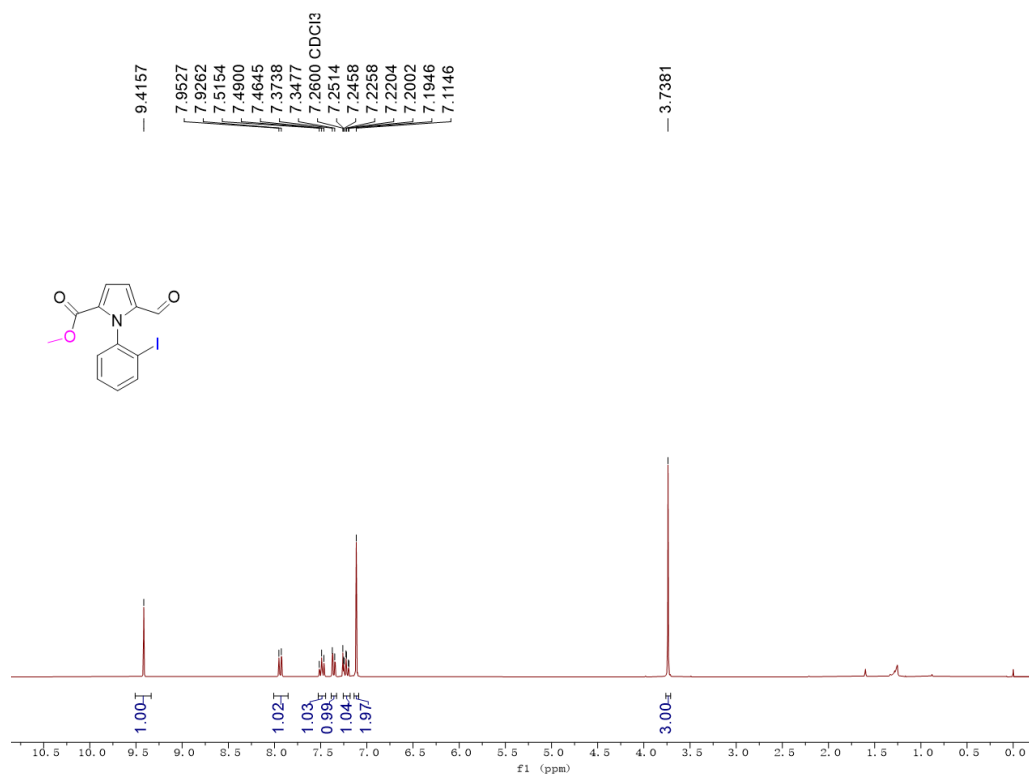
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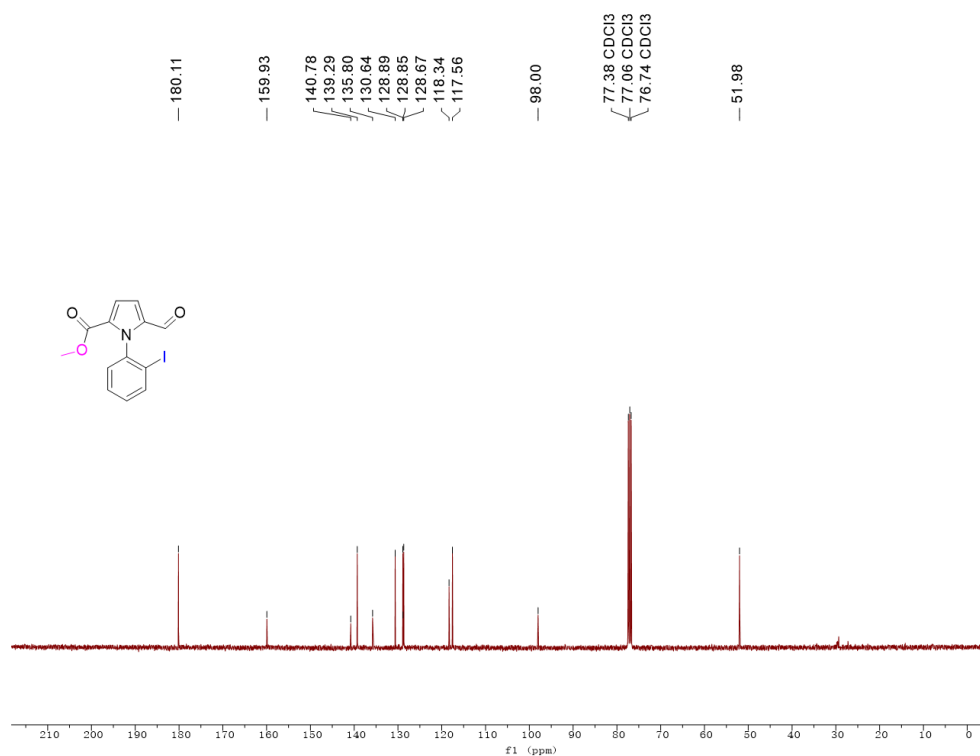
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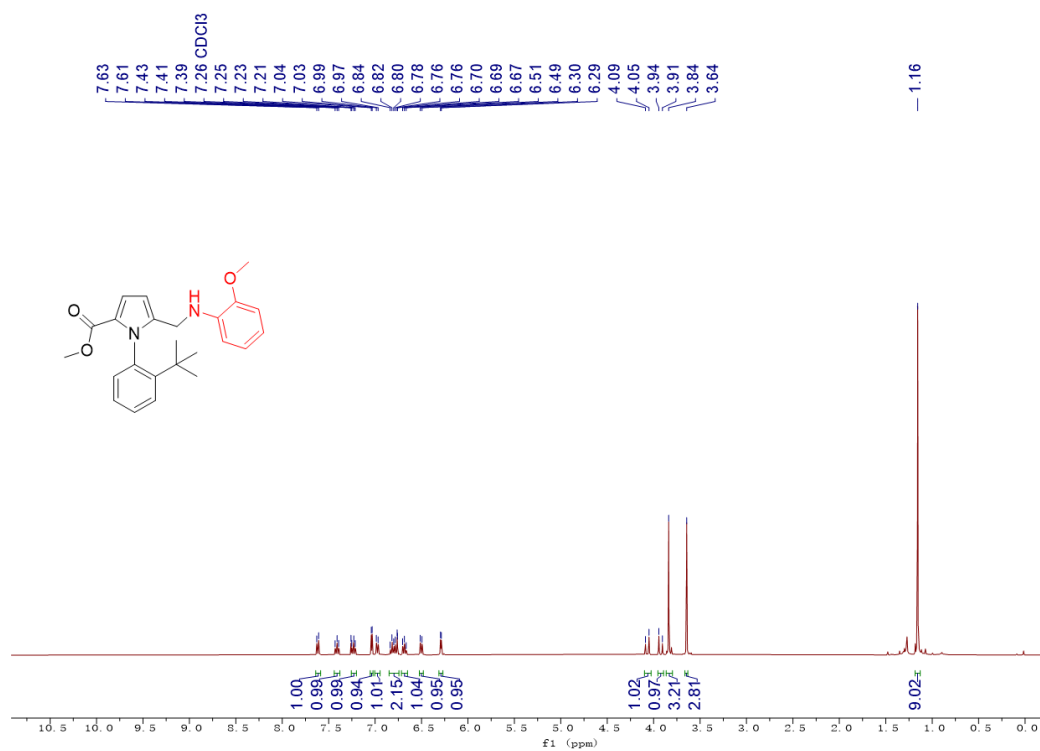
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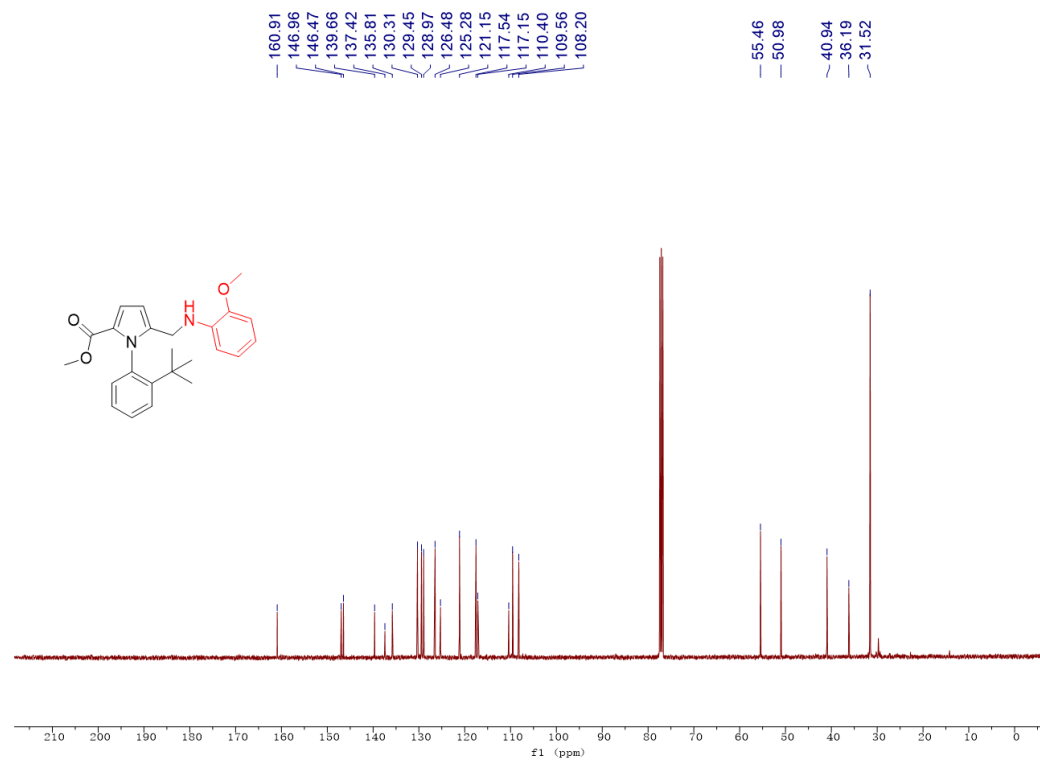
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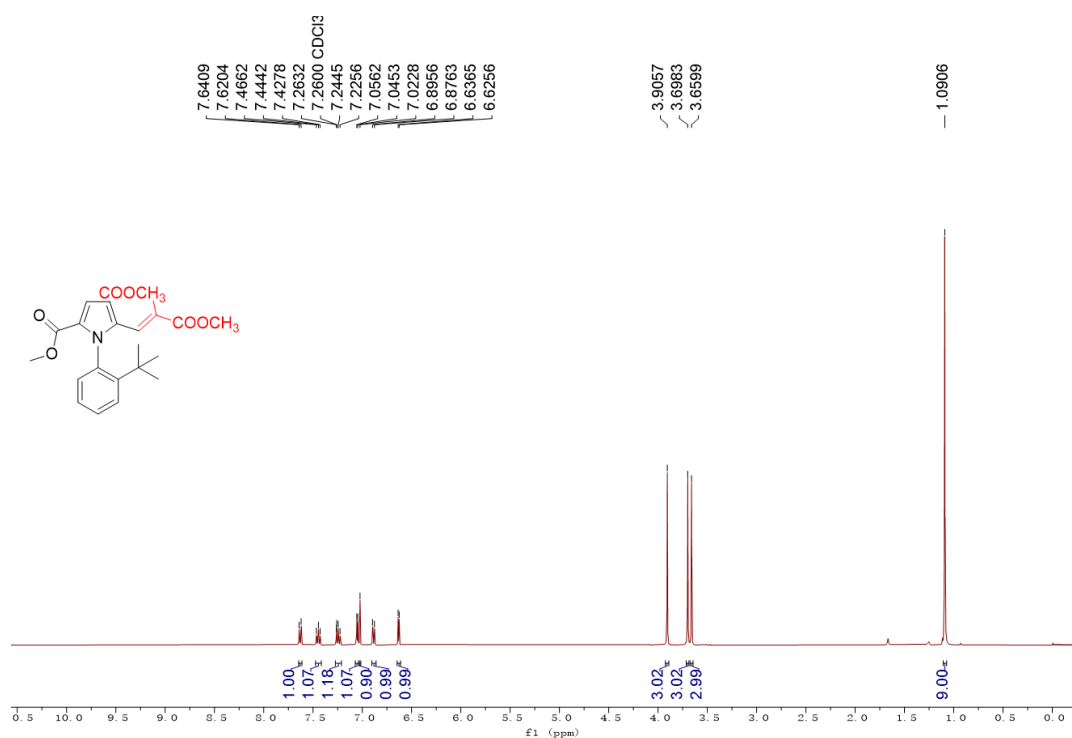
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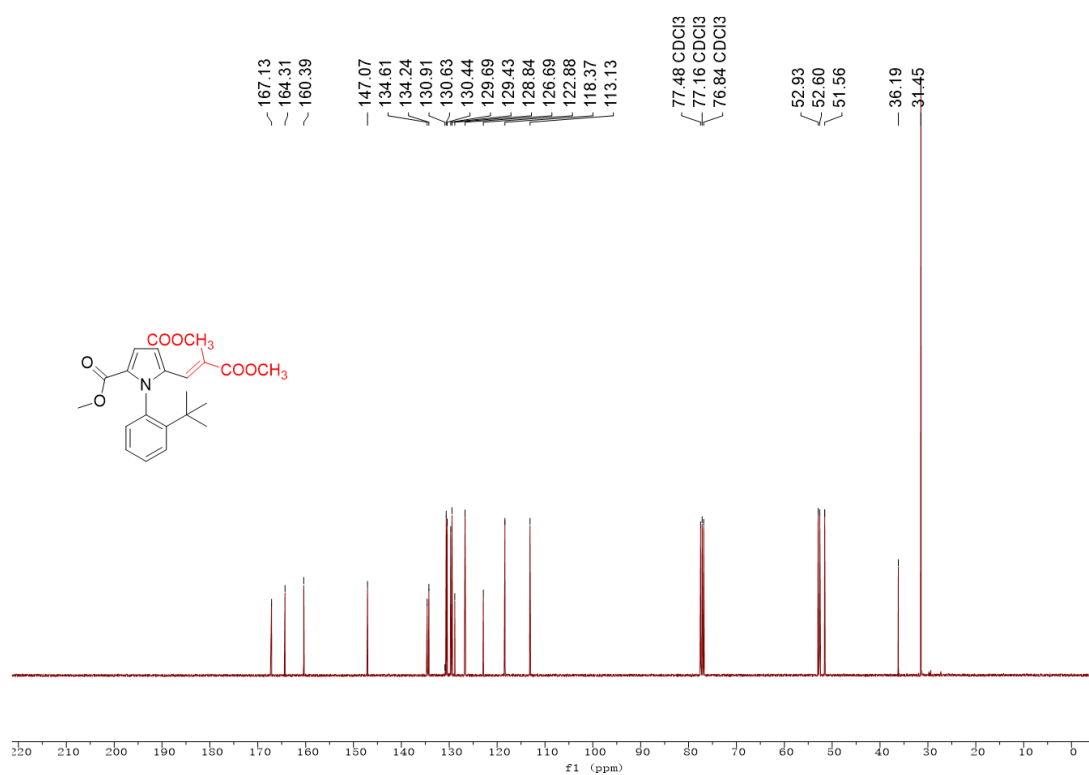
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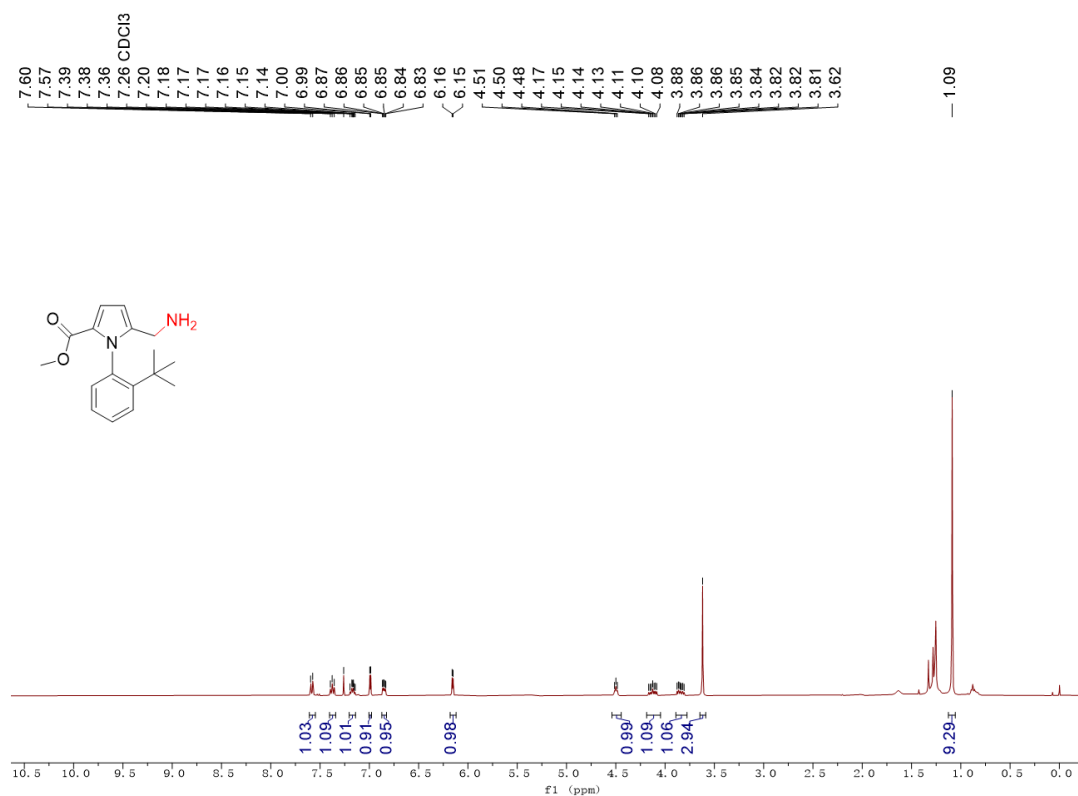
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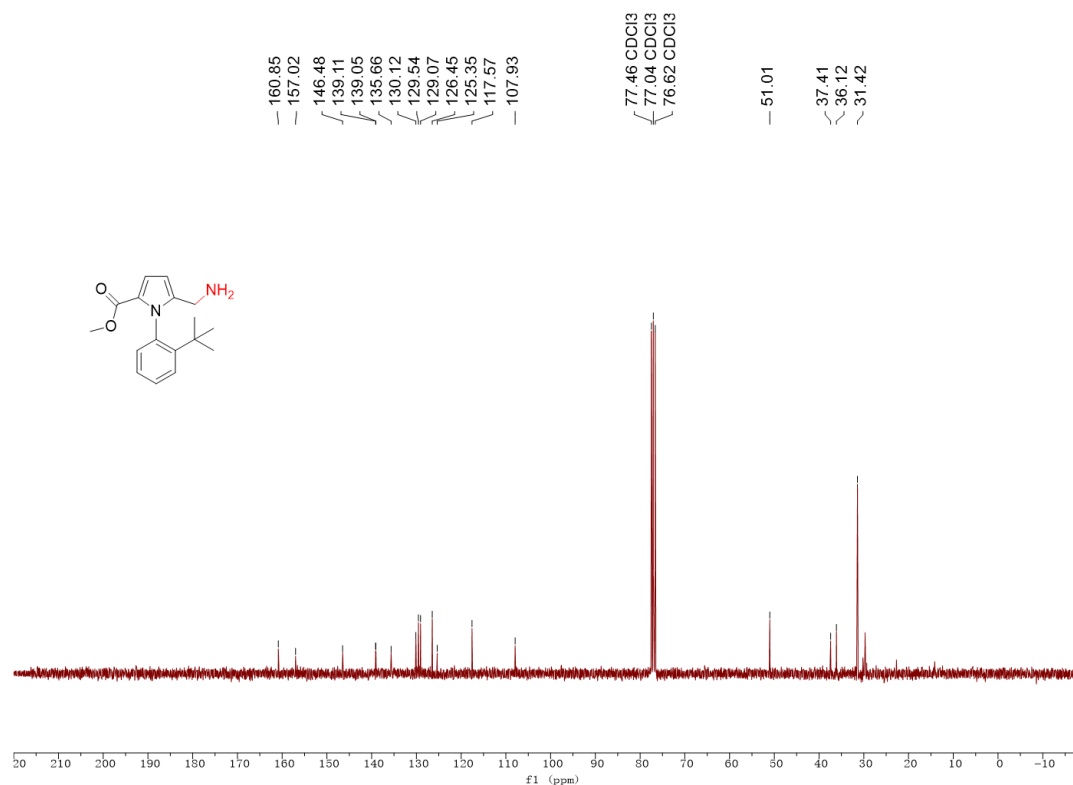
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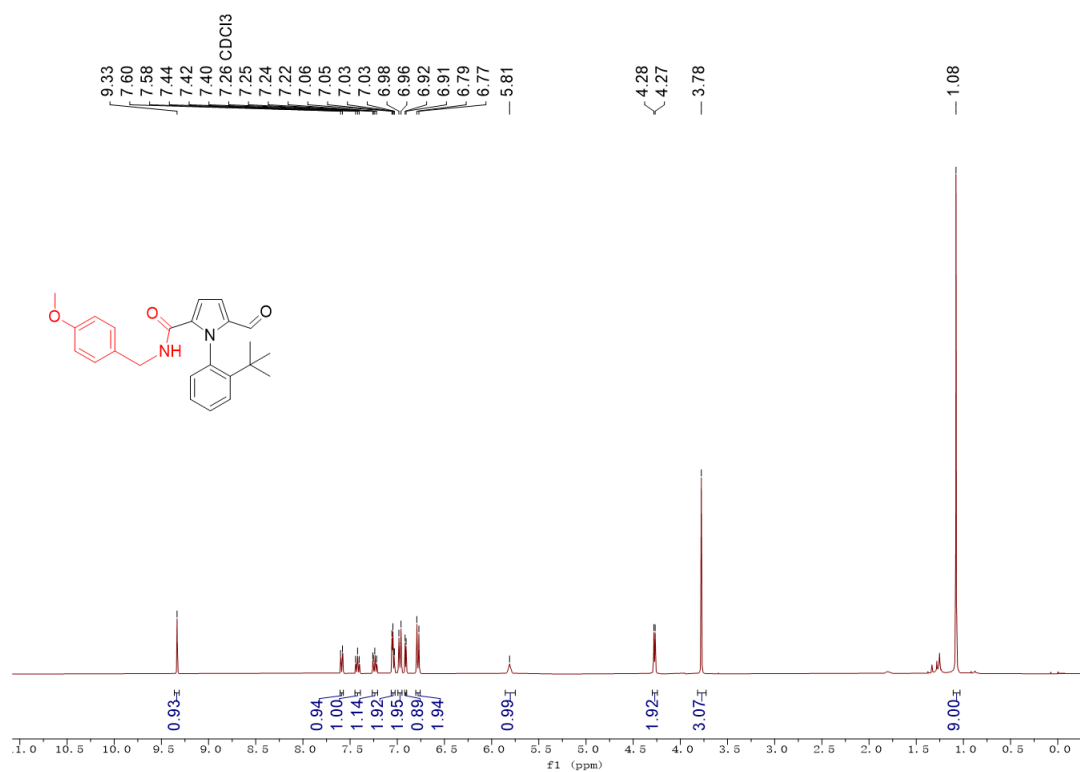
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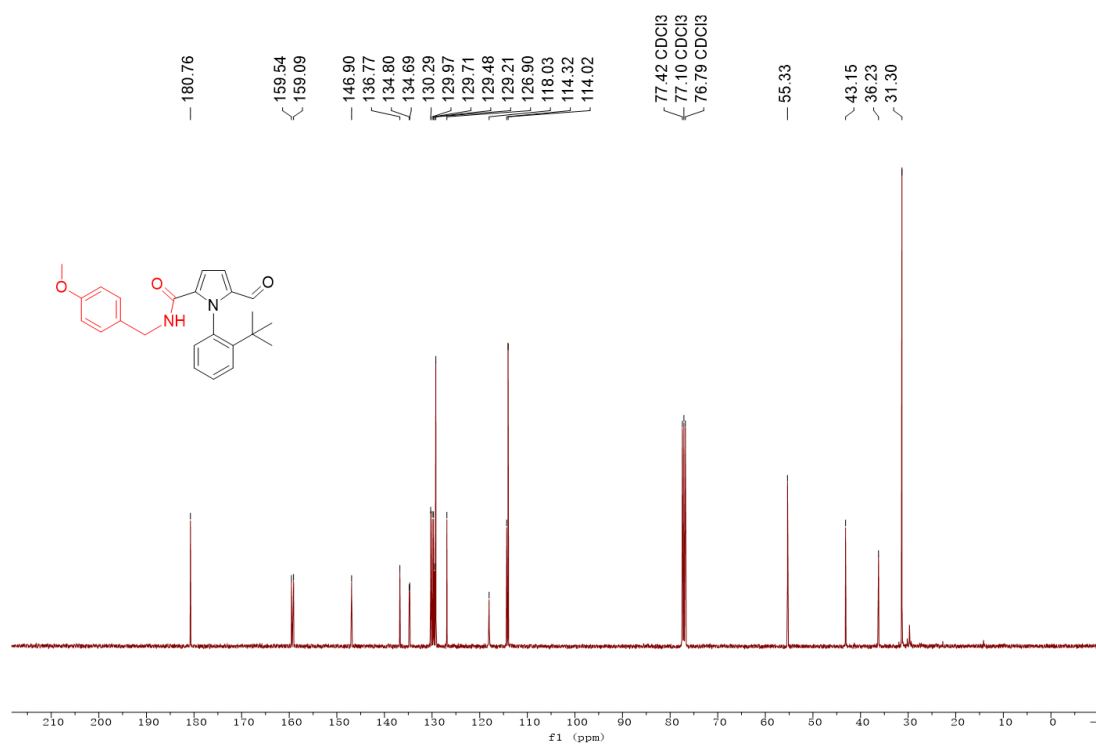
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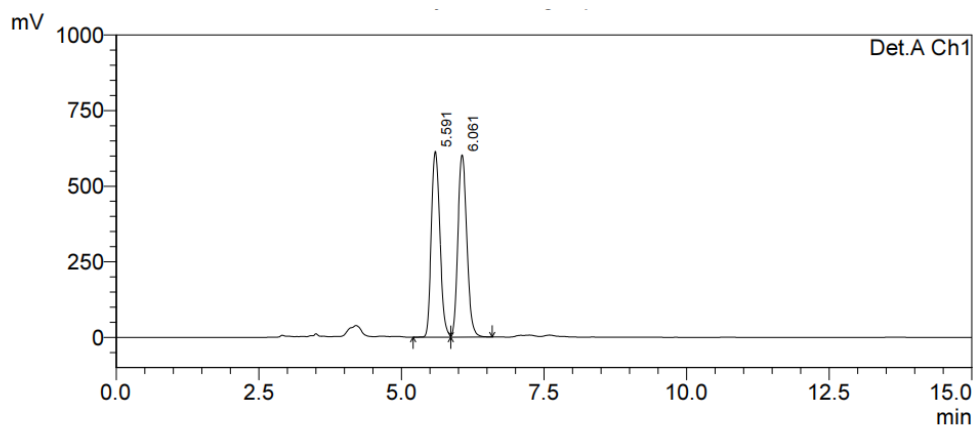
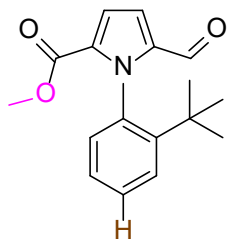


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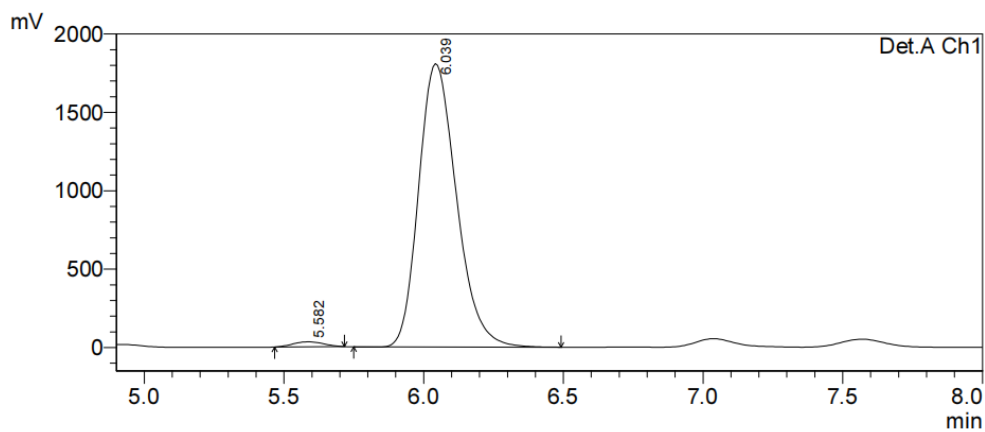
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 5.591     | 6480027  | 614313  | 49.646  |
| 2     | 6.061     | 6572401  | 602982  | 50.354  |
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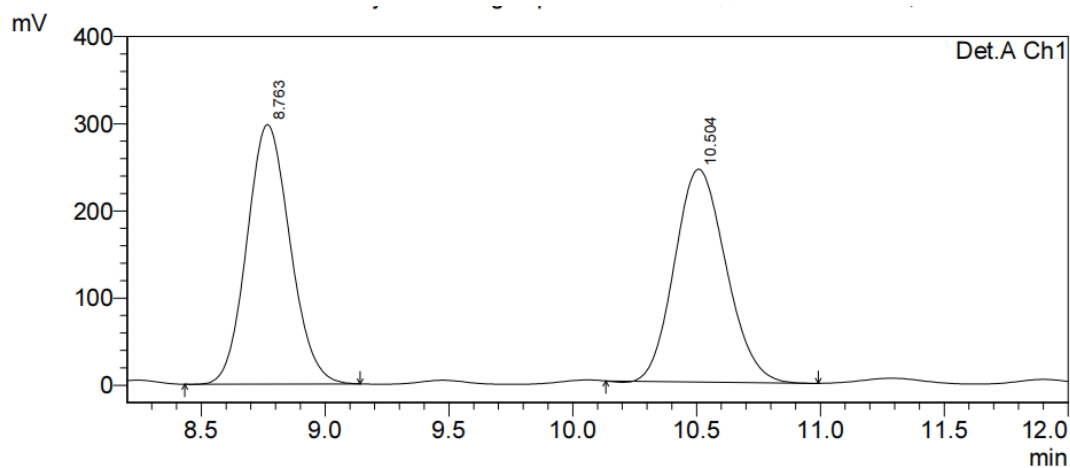
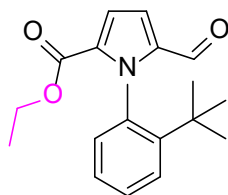


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
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| 1     | 5.582     | 242818   | 31933   | 1.406   |
| 2     | 6.039     | 17025289 | 1808669 | 98.594  |
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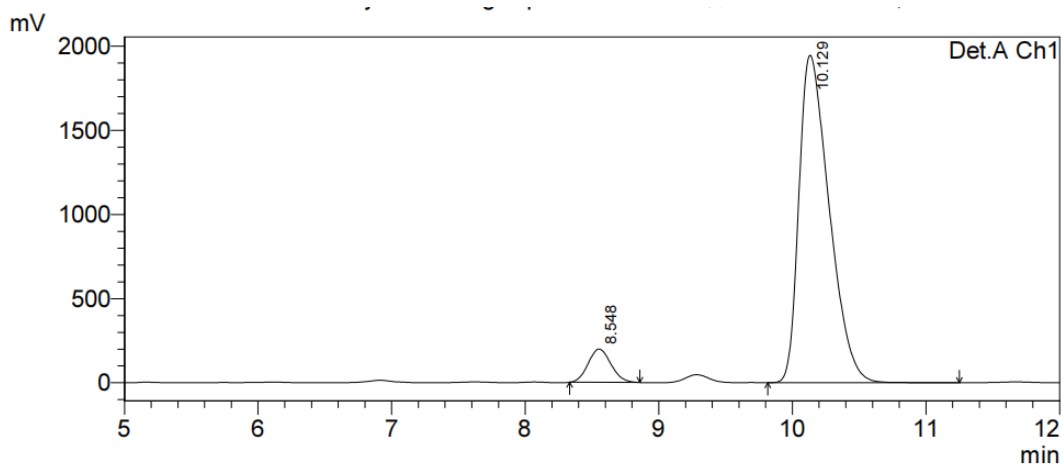


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

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| 1     | 8.763     | 3614883 | 297862 | 50.633  |
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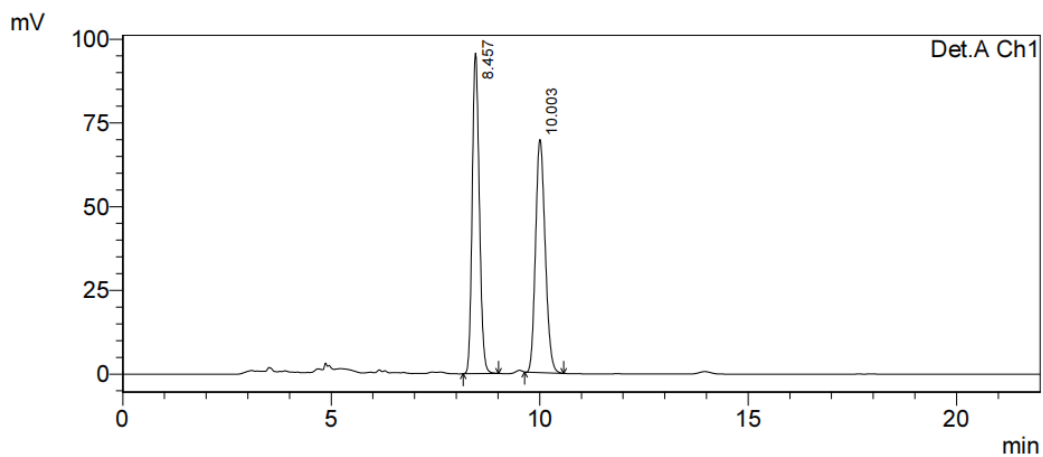
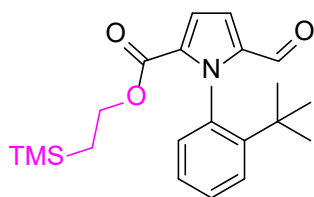
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
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| 1     | 8.548     | 2354432  | 197675  | 7.144   |
| 2     | 10.129    | 30604574 | 1945063 | 92.856  |
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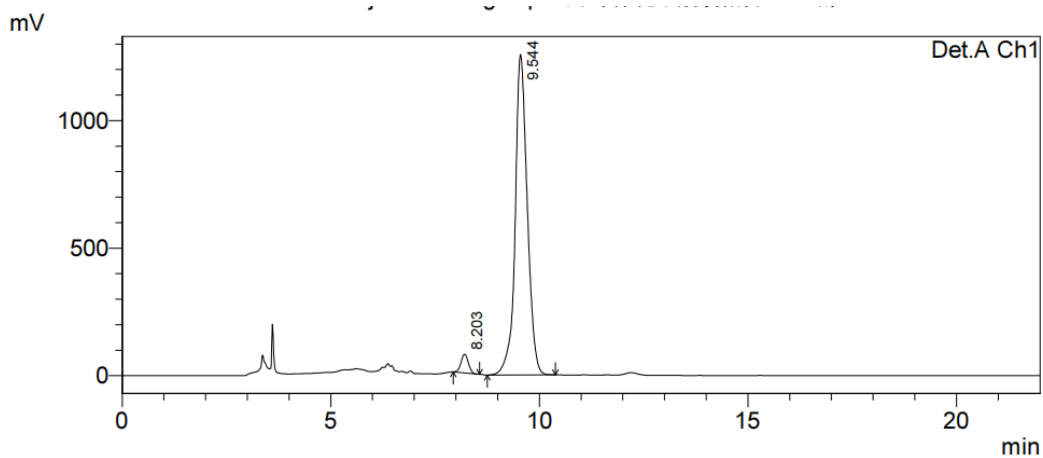


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
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| 1     | 8.457     | 1135515 | 95633  | 50.372  |
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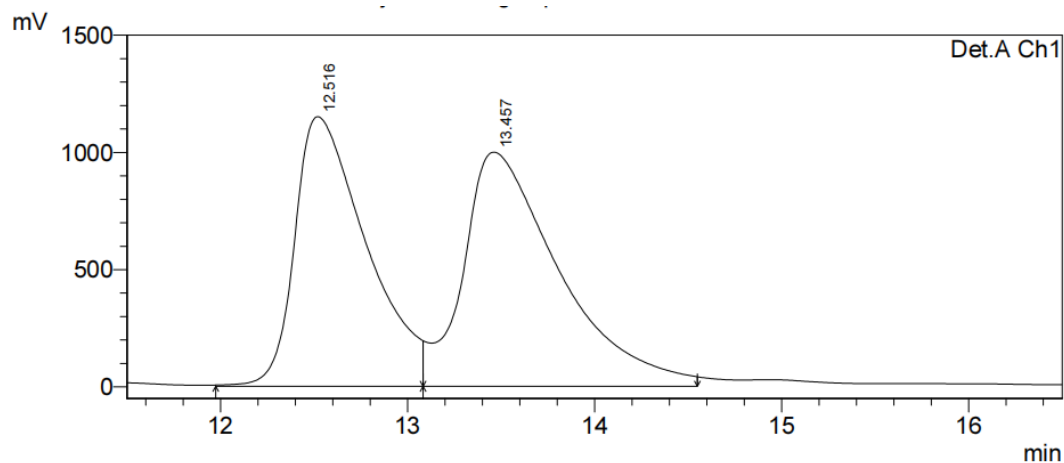
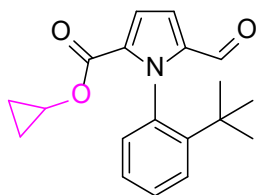
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
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| 1     | 8.203     | 895406   | 72998   | 3.405   |
| 2     | 9.544     | 25399778 | 1256279 | 96.595  |
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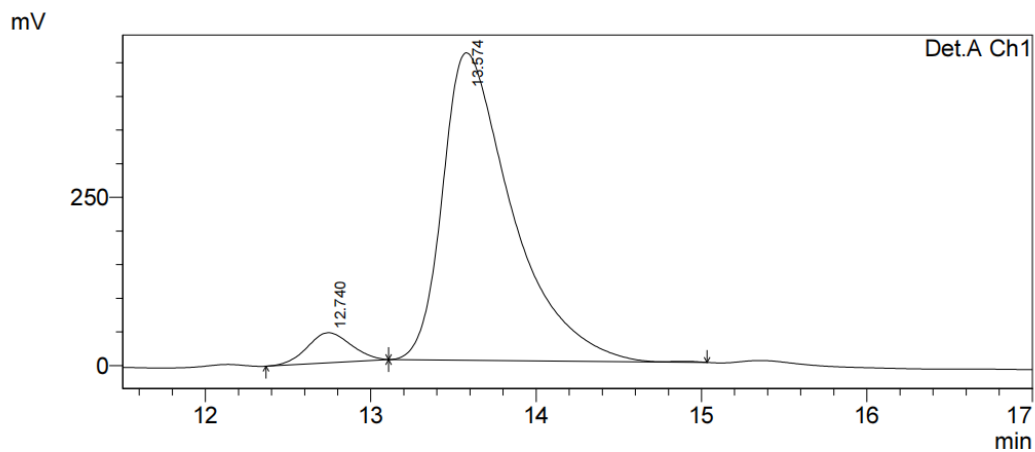


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 12.516    | 30590578 | 1149771 | 46.207  | 53.519   |
| 2     | 13.457    | 35612391 | 998558  | 53.793  | 46.481   |
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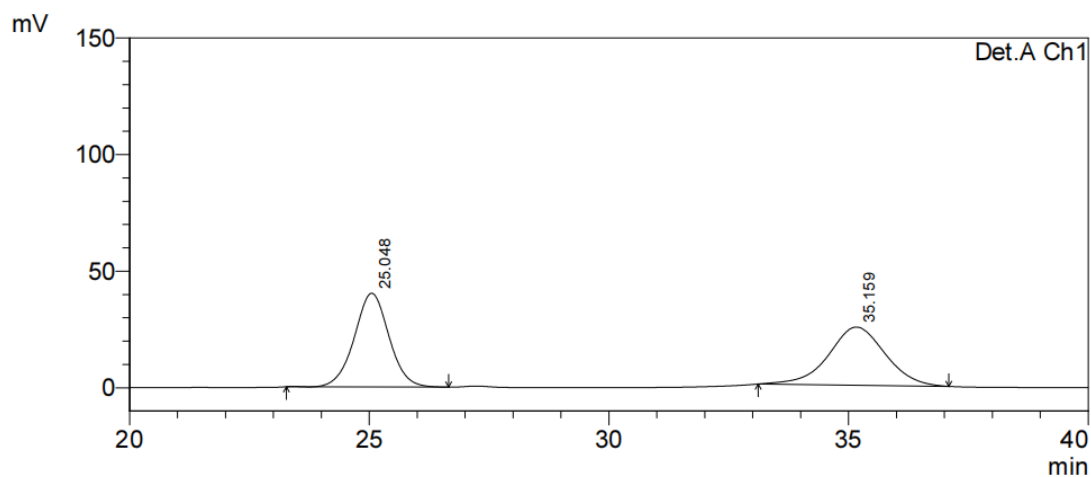
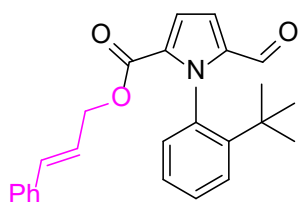
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

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| 1     | 12.740    | 824670   | 44797  | 5.813   |
| 2     | 13.574    | 13362766 | 456753 | 94.187  |
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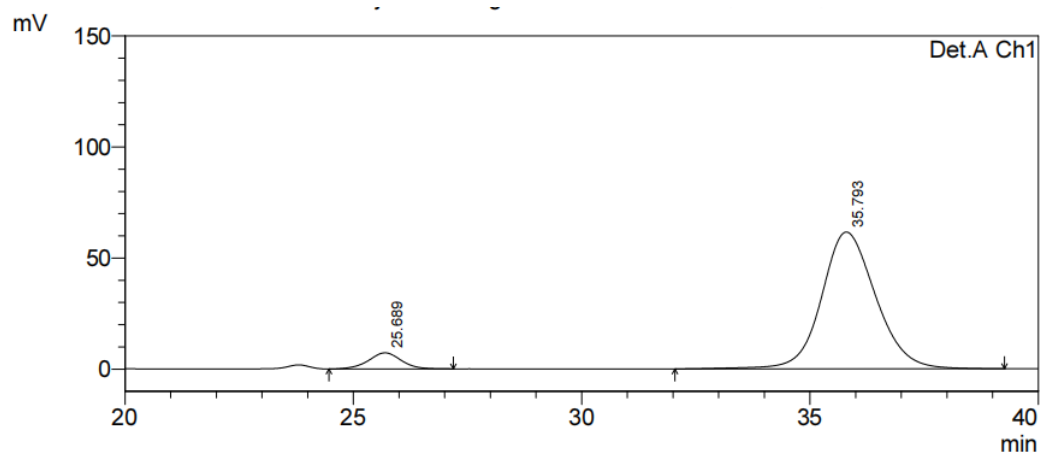


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 25.048    | 2024854 | 40206  | 49.646  |
| 2     | 35.159    | 2053771 | 24939  | 50.354  |
| Total |           | 4078625 | 65145  | 100.000 |



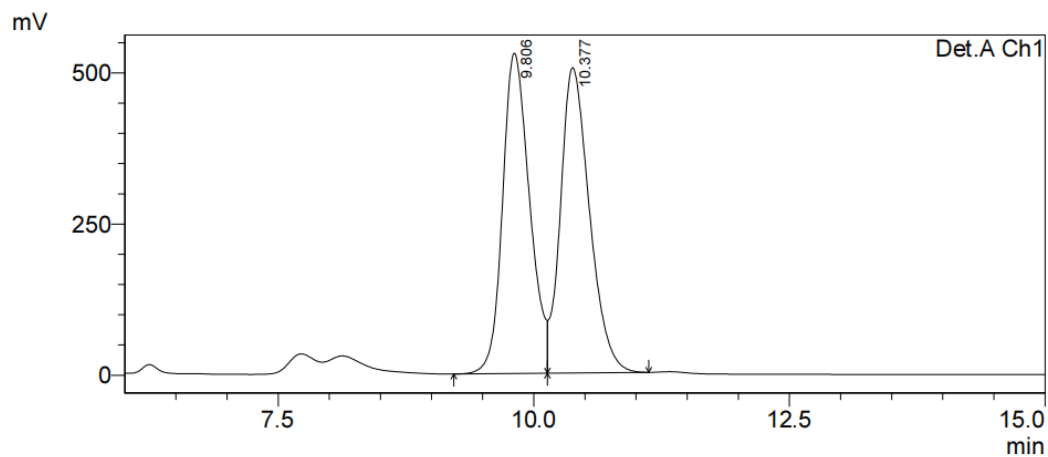
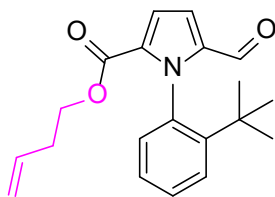
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 25.689    | 363182  | 7258   | 6.644   |
| 2     | 35.793    | 5102913 | 61596  | 93.356  |
| Total |           | 5466095 | 68854  | 100.000 |

but-3-en-1-yl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3f)

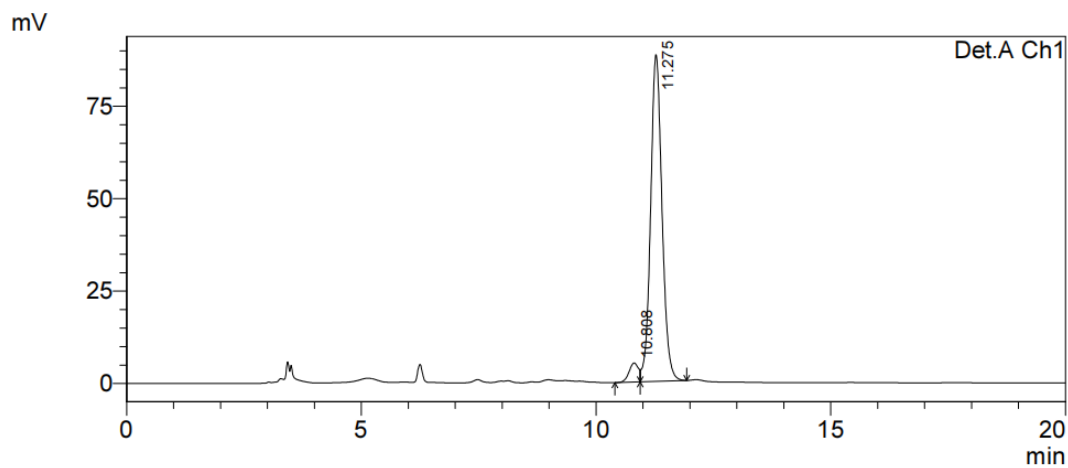


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 9.806     | 9750551  | 530196  | 49.374  |
| 2     | 10.377    | 9997870  | 505288  | 50.626  |
| Total |           | 19748421 | 1035485 | 100.000 |



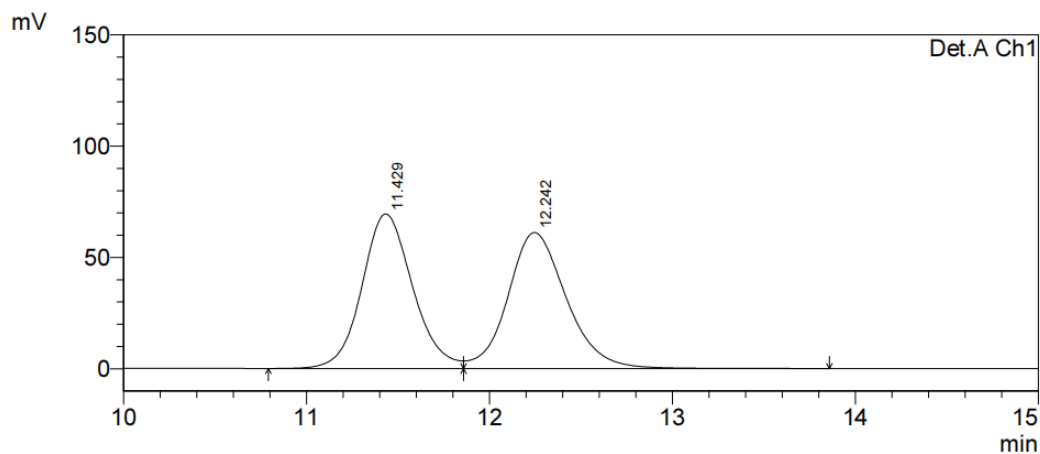
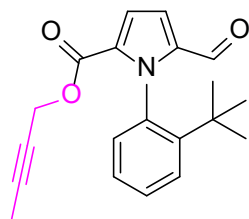
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 10.808    | 72893   | 5178   | 4.652   |
| 2     | 11.275    | 1494082 | 88337  | 95.348  |
| Total |           | 1566975 | 93516  | 100.000 |

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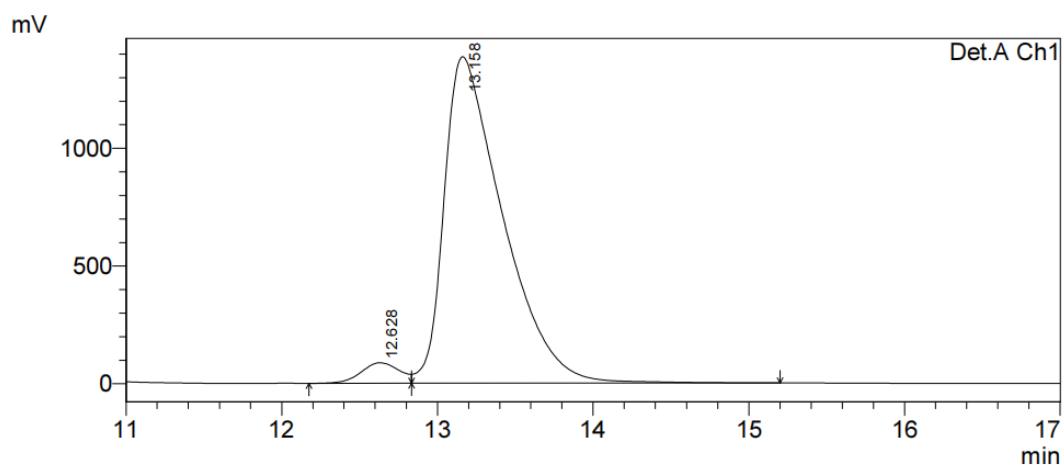


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PeakTable

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| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
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| 1     | 11.429    | 1338973 | 69454  | 49.636  |
| 2     | 12.242    | 1358587 | 61053  | 50.364  |
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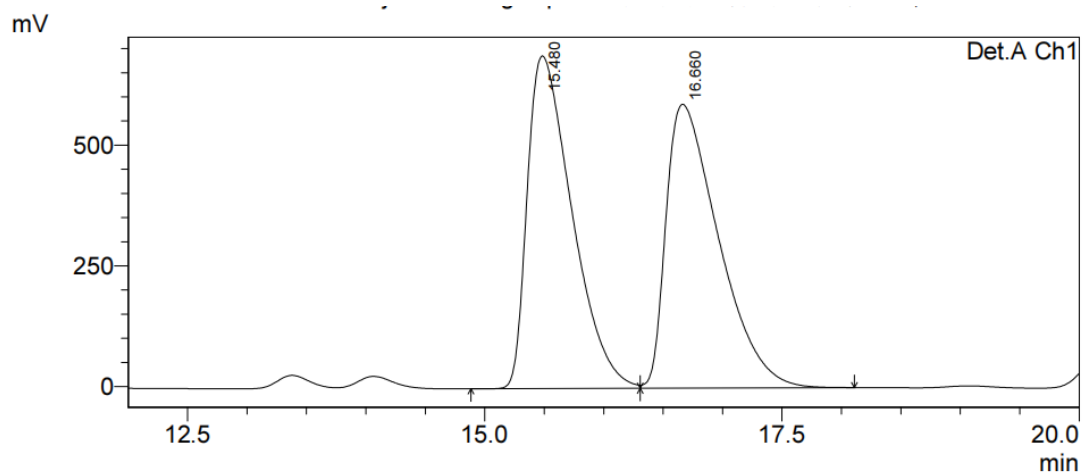
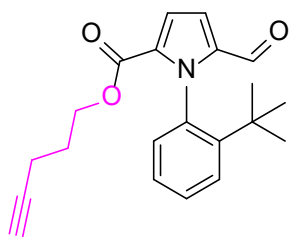
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
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| 1     | 12.628    | 1502405  | 87287   | 3.974   |
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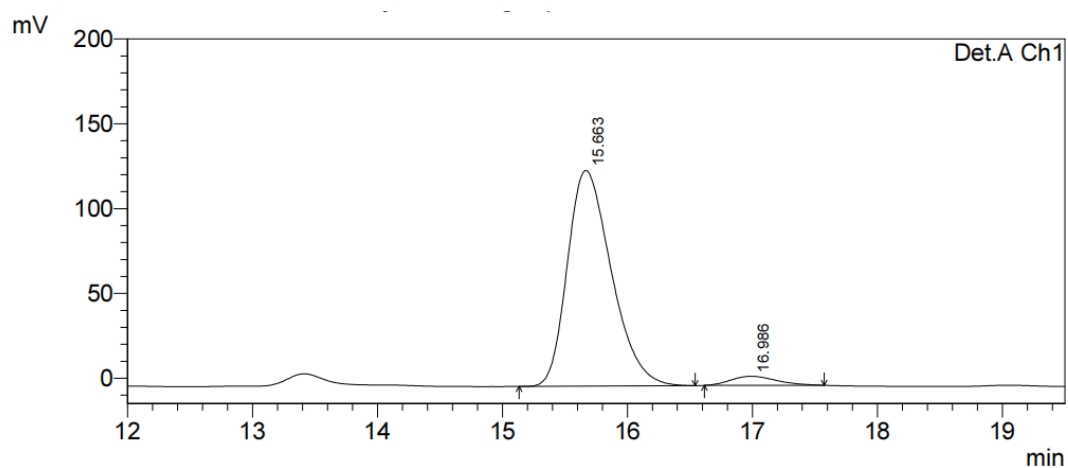
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 15.480    | 18028971 | 689266  | 49.900  |
| 2     | 16.660    | 18100984 | 587883  | 50.100  |
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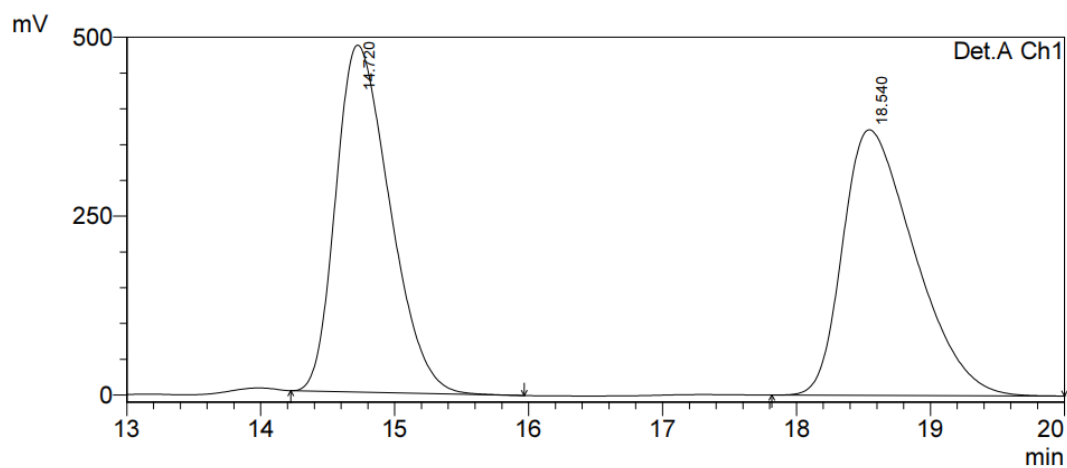
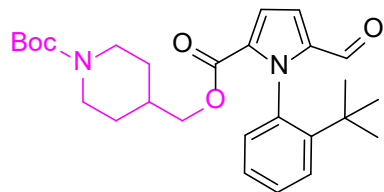


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
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| 2     | 16.986    | 136223  | 5380   | 4.195   |
| Total |           | 3247003 | 132579 | 100.000 |

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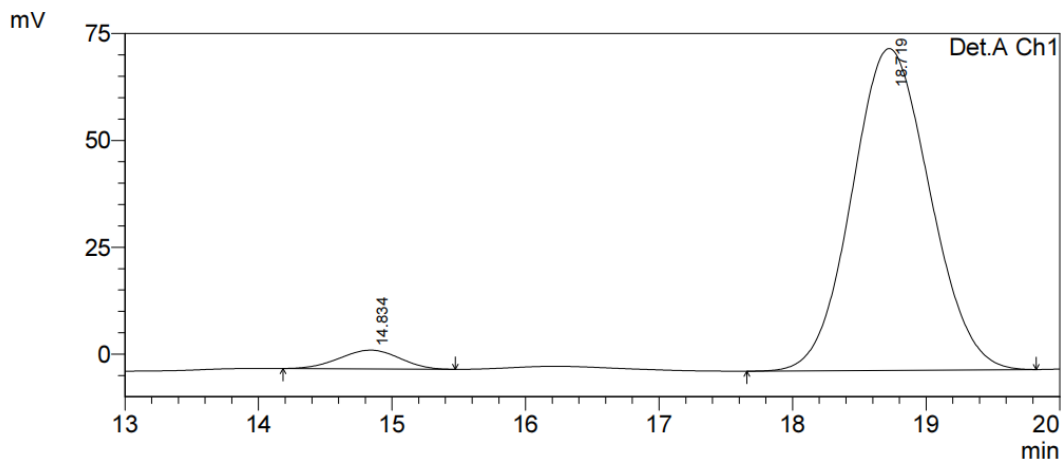


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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 14.720    | 13583425 | 484955 | 49.546  |
| 2     | 18.540    | 13832511 | 371144 | 50.454  |
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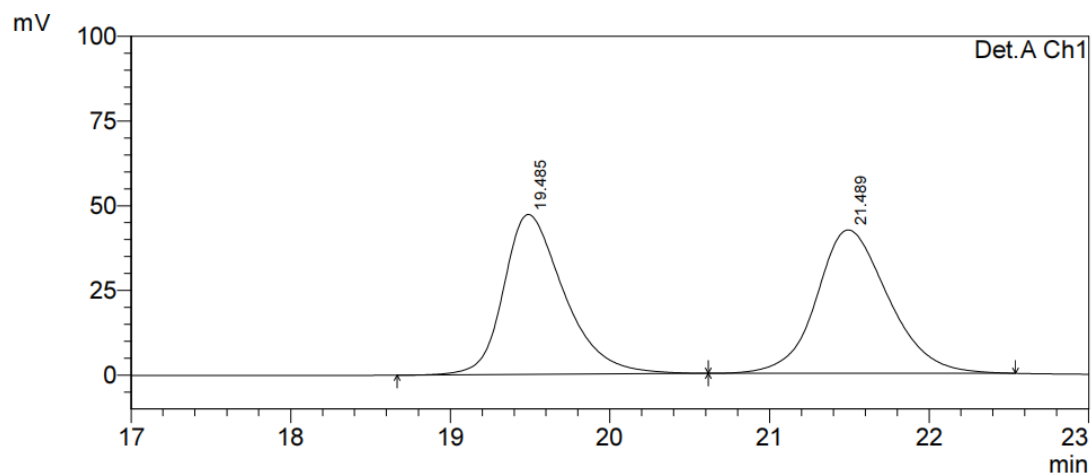
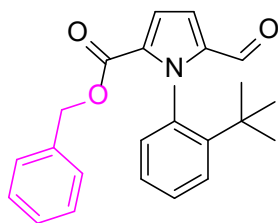
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 14.834    | 137792  | 4390   | 4.322   |
| 2     | 18.719    | 3050213 | 75304  | 95.678  |
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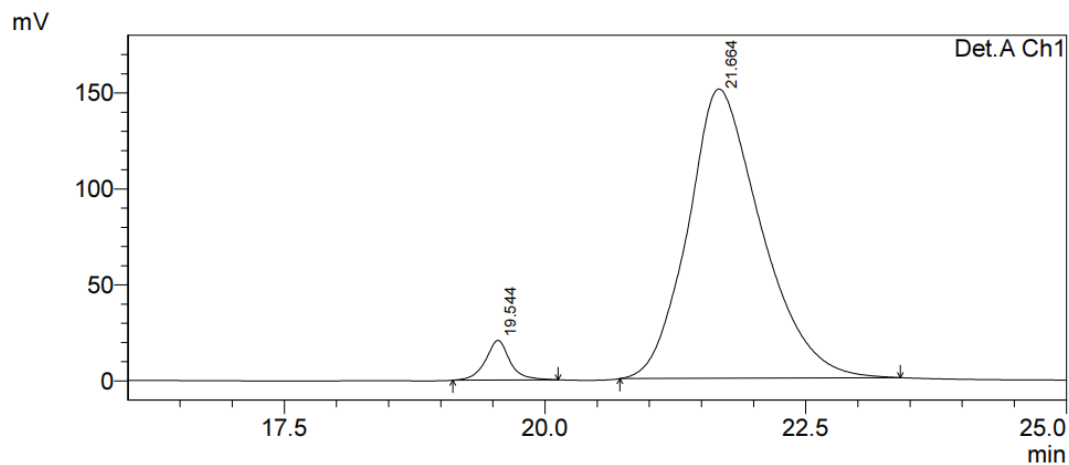
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 19.485    | 1248599 | 47241  | 48.427  |
| 2     | 21.489    | 1329739 | 42334  | 51.573  |
| Total |           | 2578338 | 89575  | 100.000 |

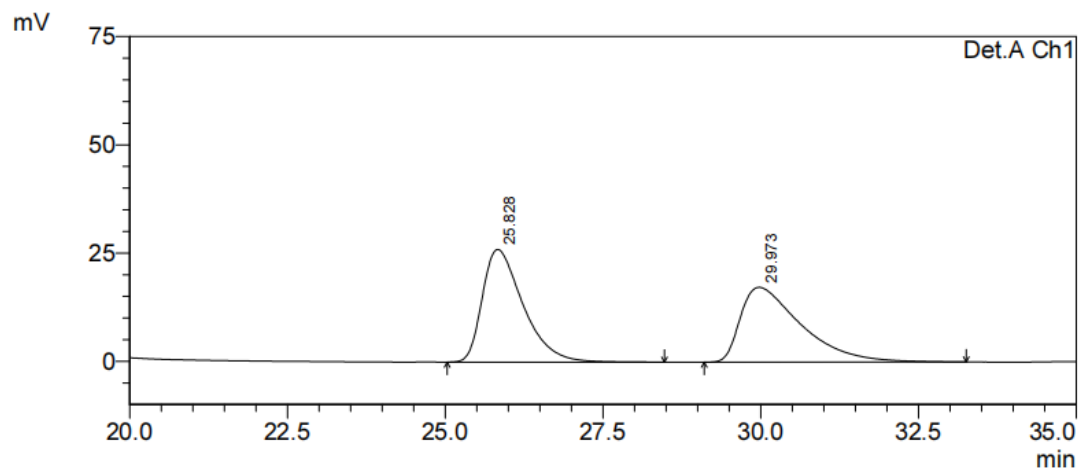
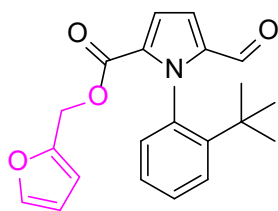


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 19.544    | 337556  | 20695  | 4.365   |
| 2     | 21.664    | 7396400 | 150680 | 95.635  |
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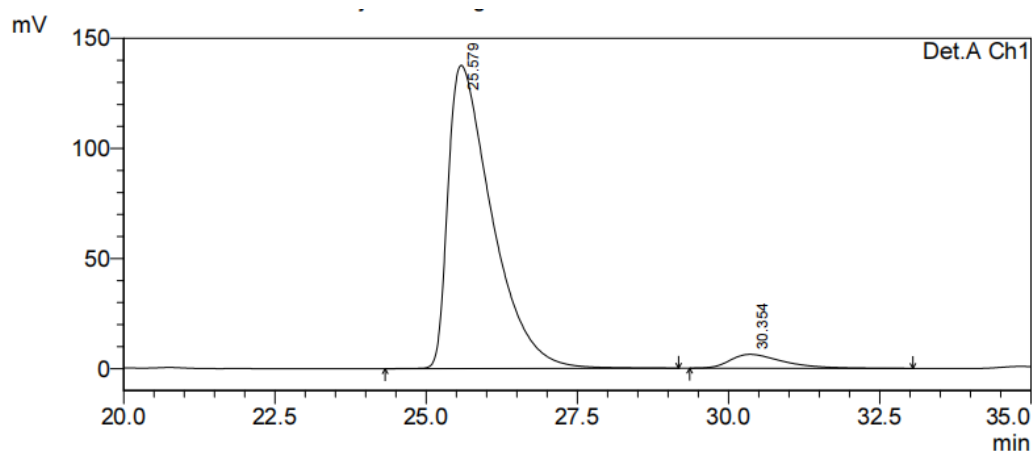


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

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| 1     | 25.828    | 1171710 | 26017  | 50.333  |
| 2     | 29.973    | 1156229 | 17293  | 49.667  |
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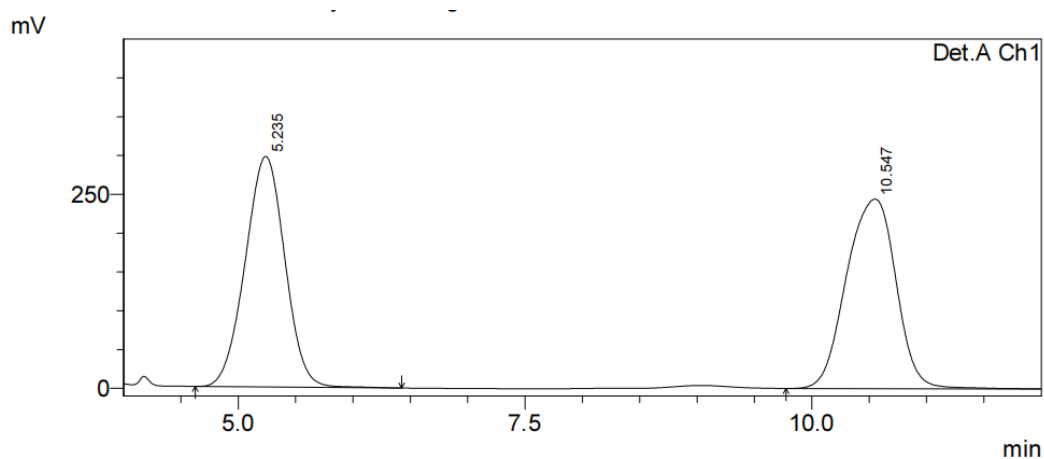
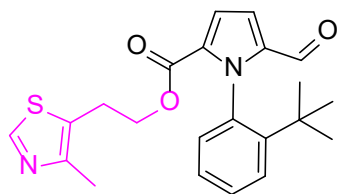
PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 25.579    | 6939305 | 137707 | 94.793  |
| 2     | 30.354    | 381210  | 6280   | 5.207   |
| Total |           | 7320515 | 143986 | 100.000 |

# 2-(4-methylthiazol-5-yl)ethyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate

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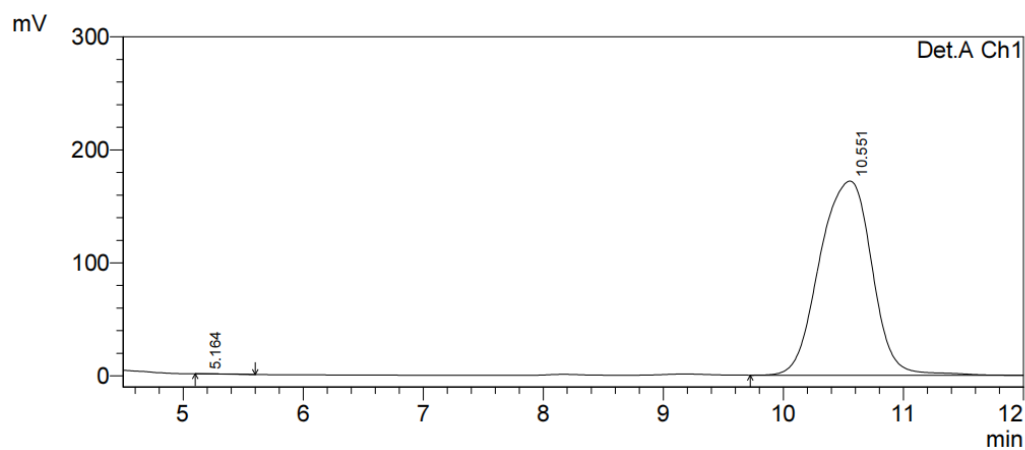


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 5.235     | 7168228  | 297172 | 49.406  |
| 2     | 10.547    | 7340458  | 244273 | 50.594  |
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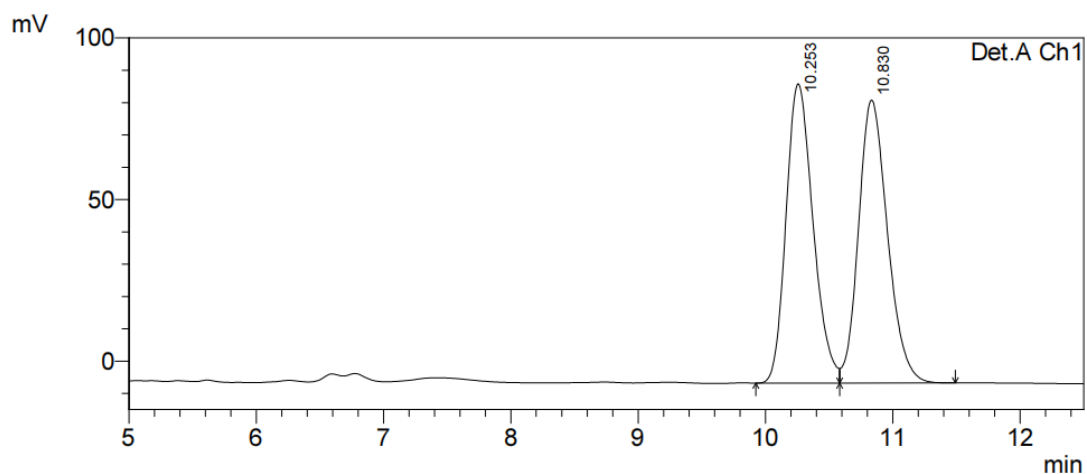
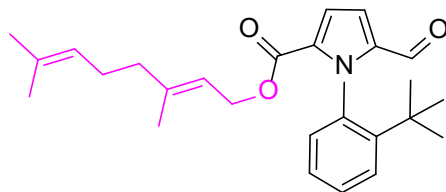
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 5.164     | 2781    | 118    | 0.053   |
| 2     | 10.551    | 5207890 | 171827 | 99.947  |
| Total |           | 5210670 | 171945 | 100.000 |

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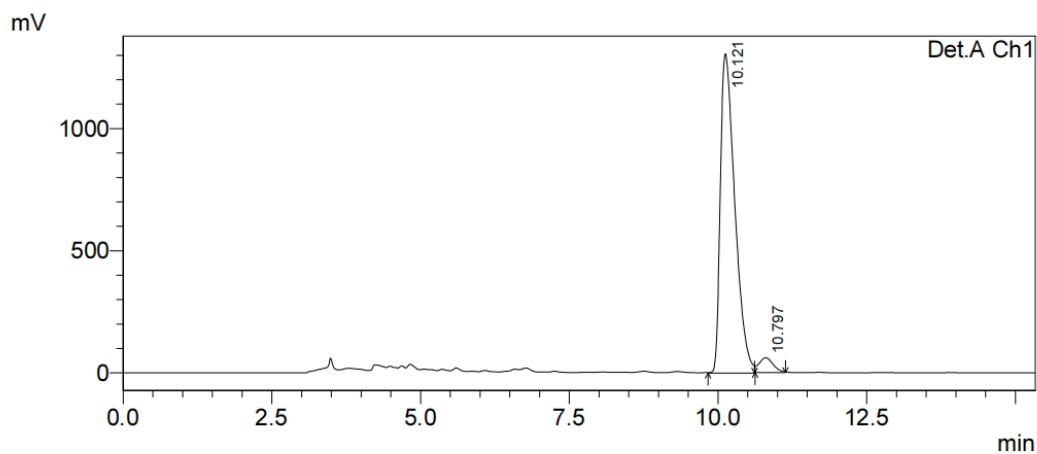


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 10.253    | 1367433 | 92715  | 49.673  |
| 2     | 10.830    | 1385438 | 87582  | 50.327  |
| Total |           | 2752872 | 180297 | 100.000 |



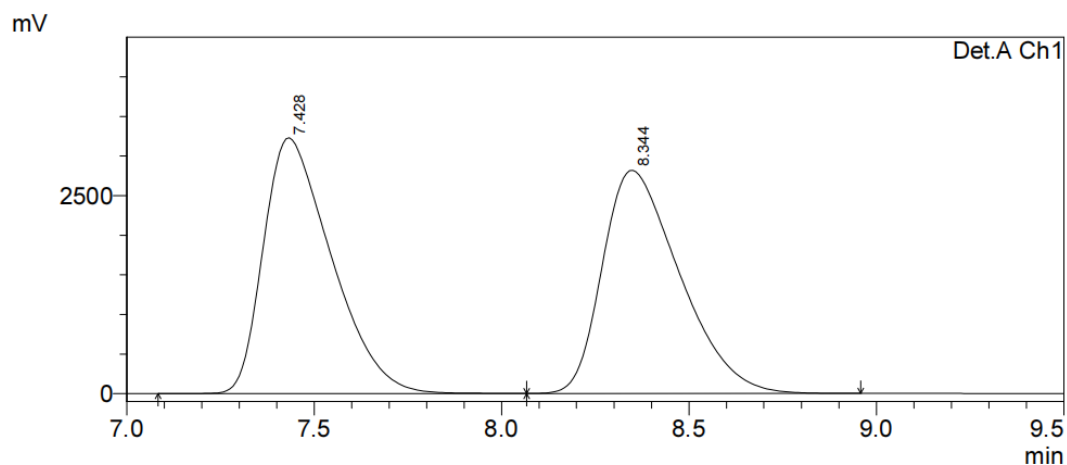
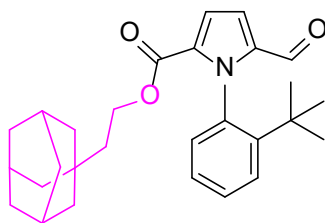
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 10.121    | 22113984 | 1306164 | 95.658  |
| 2     | 10.797    | 1003716  | 61029   | 4.342   |
| Total |           | 23117700 | 1367193 | 100.000 |

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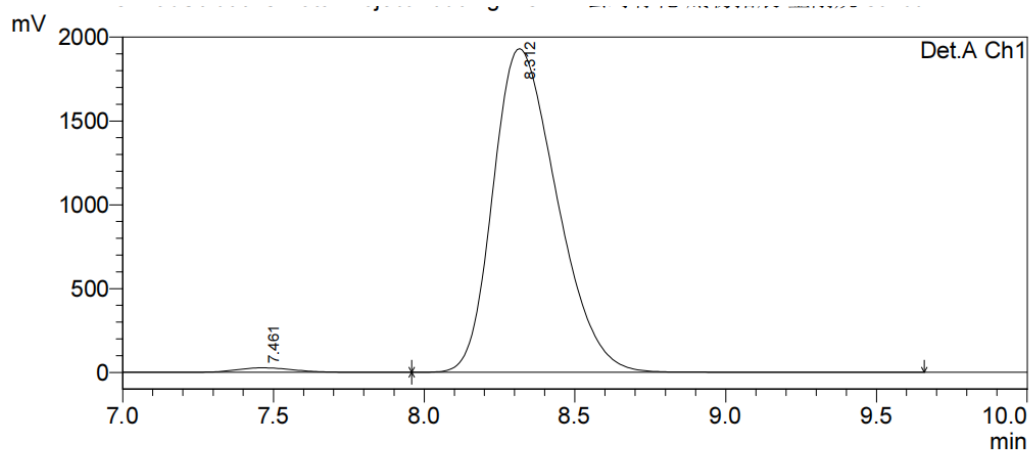


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 7.428     | 40735171 | 3228406 | 50.194  |
| 2     | 8.344     | 40419835 | 2818287 | 49.806  |
| Total |           | 81155006 | 6046694 | 100.000 |



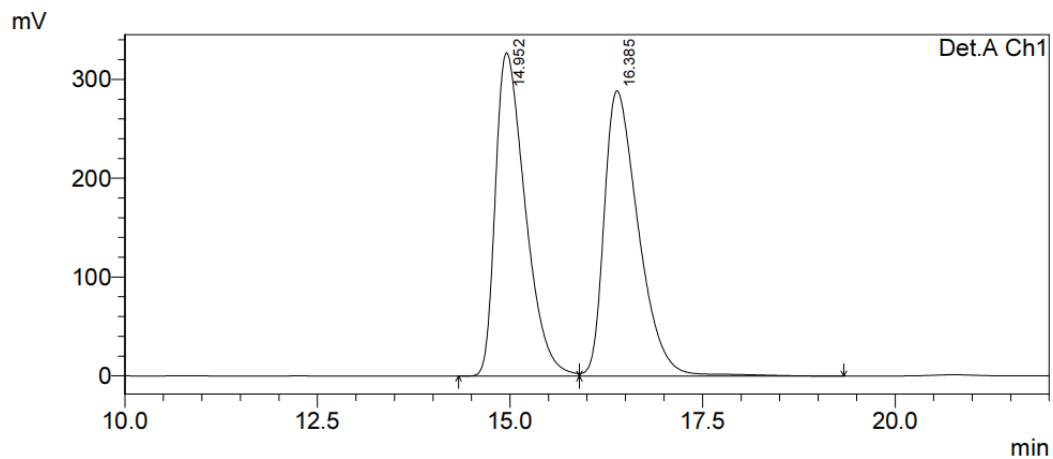
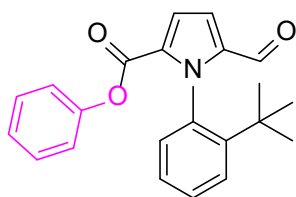
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 7.461     | 354874   | 26624   | 1.235   |
| 2     | 8.312     | 28386849 | 1931231 | 98.765  |
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phenyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3o)

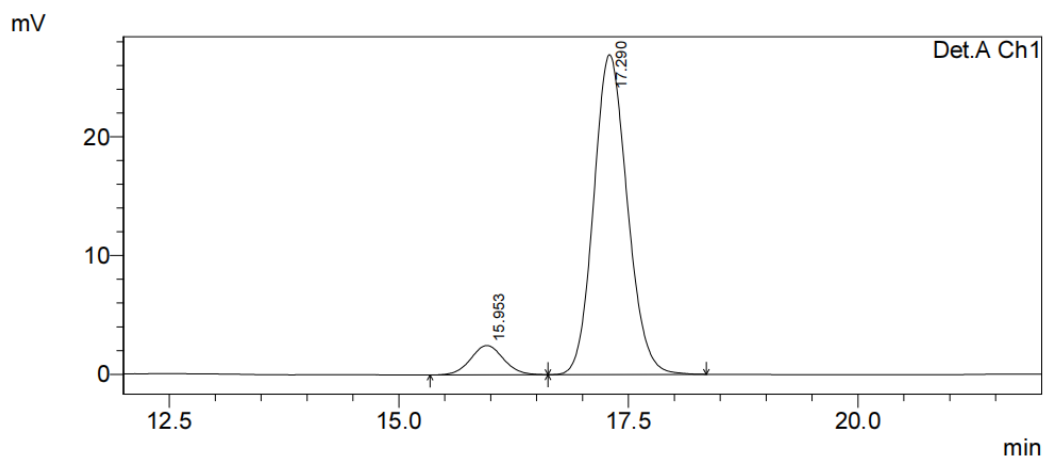


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 14.952    | 8828668  | 327243 | 49.654  |
| 2     | 16.385    | 8951586  | 288817 | 50.346  |
| Total |           | 17780254 | 616060 | 100.000 |



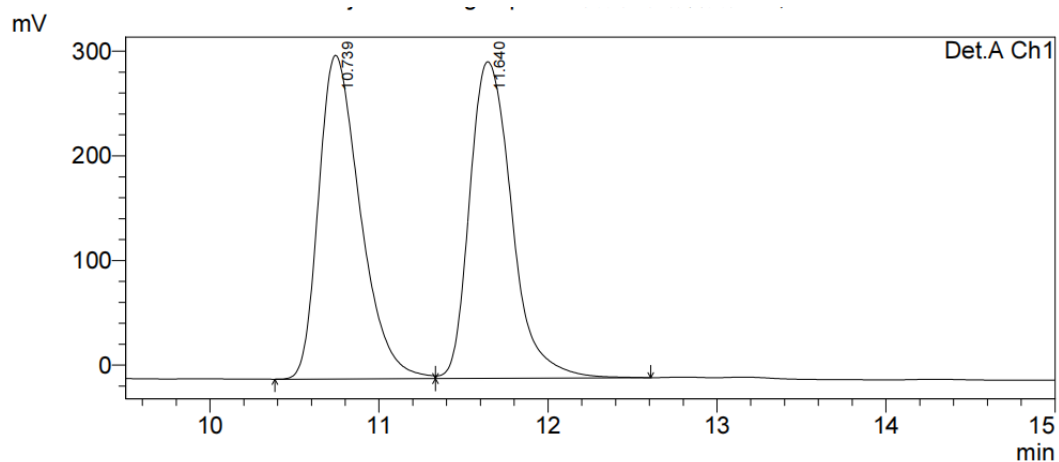
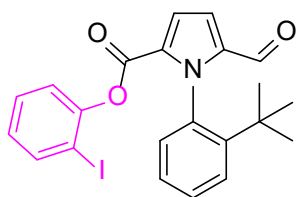
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area   | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 15.953    | 61583  | 2470   | 8.244   |
| 2     | 17.290    | 685443 | 26918  | 91.756  |
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## 2-iodophenyl 1-(2-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3p)

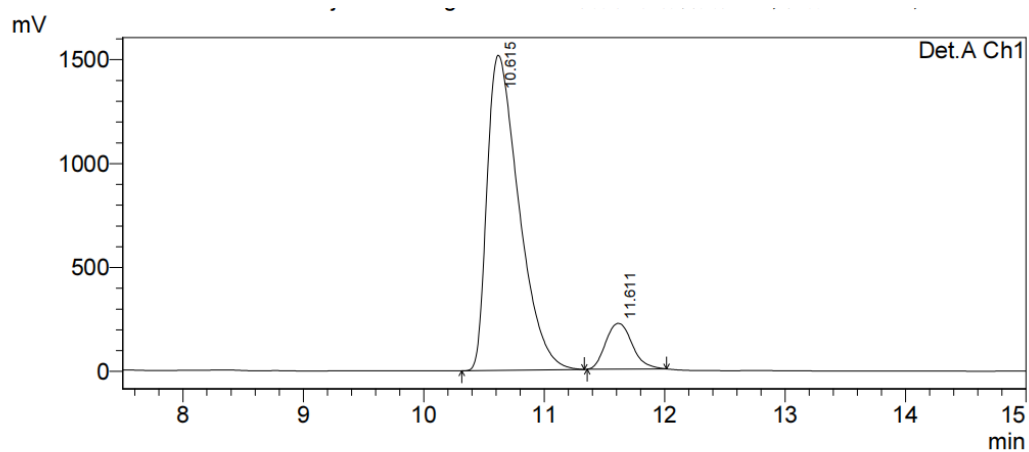


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 10.739    | 5288145  | 309372 | 50.204  |
| 2     | 11.640    | 5245140  | 302764 | 49.796  |
| Total |           | 10533285 | 612137 | 100.000 |



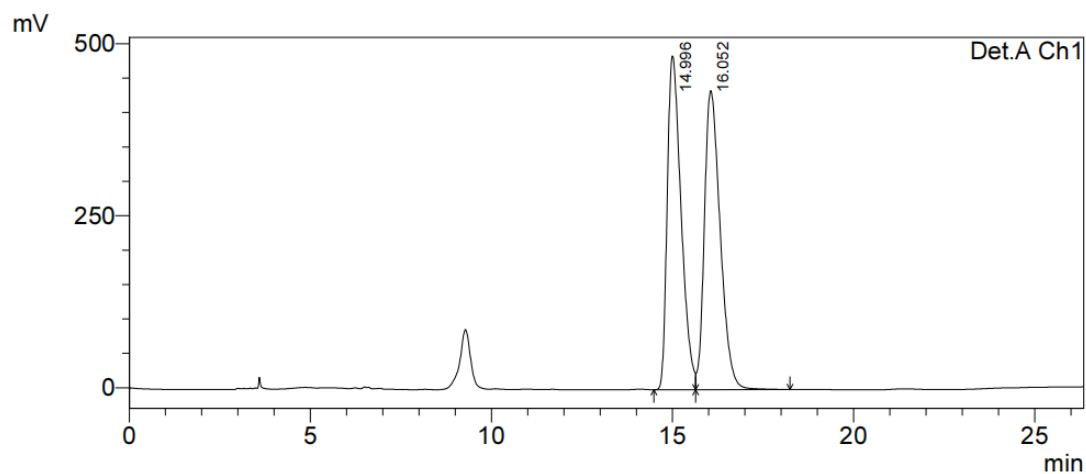
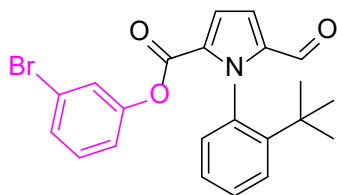
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 10.615    | 27846220 | 1516981 | 89.186  |
| 2     | 11.611    | 3376526  | 220300  | 10.814  |
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### 3-bromophenyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3q)

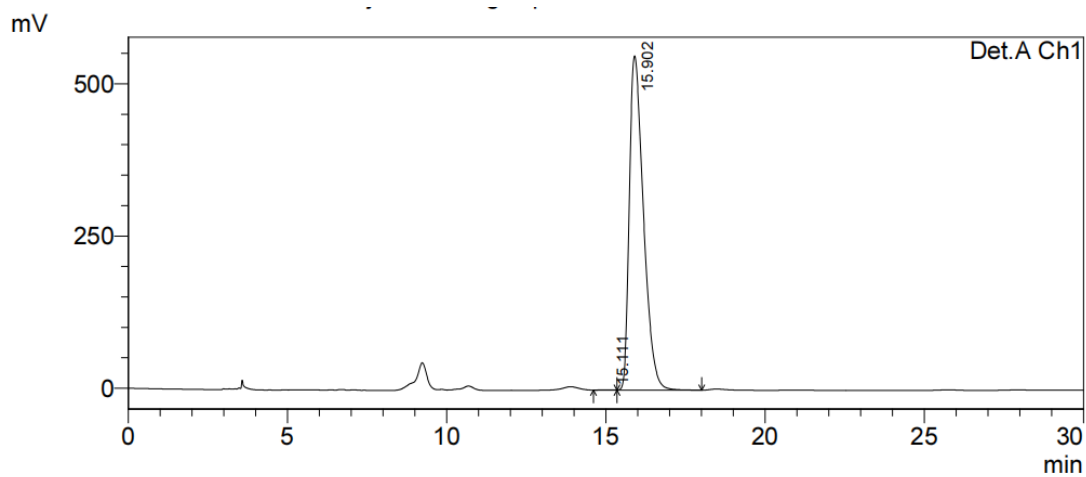


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 14.996    | 12898497 | 484863 | 49.408  |
| 2     | 16.052    | 13207674 | 434599 | 50.592  |
| Total |           | 26106171 | 919462 | 100.000 |



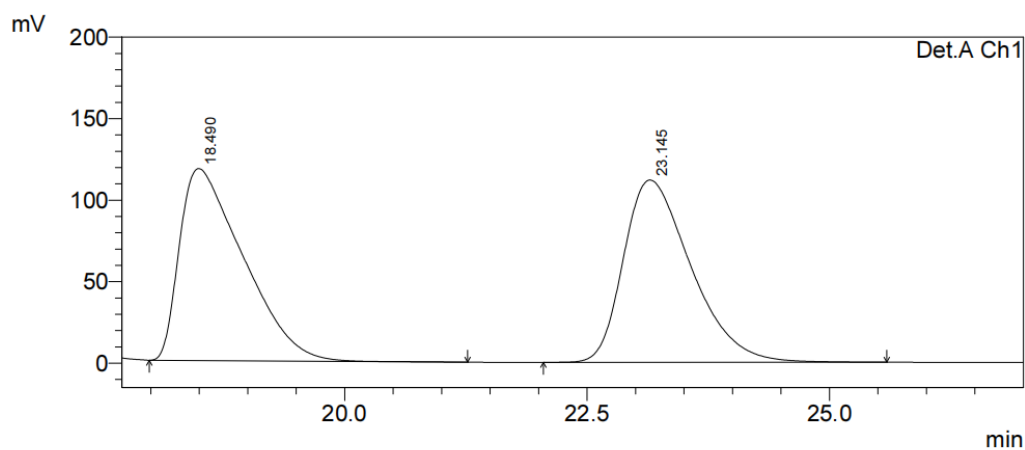
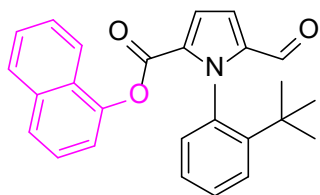
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 15.111    | 15574    | 583    | 0.092   |
| 2     | 15.902    | 16964100 | 549041 | 99.908  |
| Total |           | 16979673 | 549624 | 100.000 |

naphthalen-1-yl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3r)

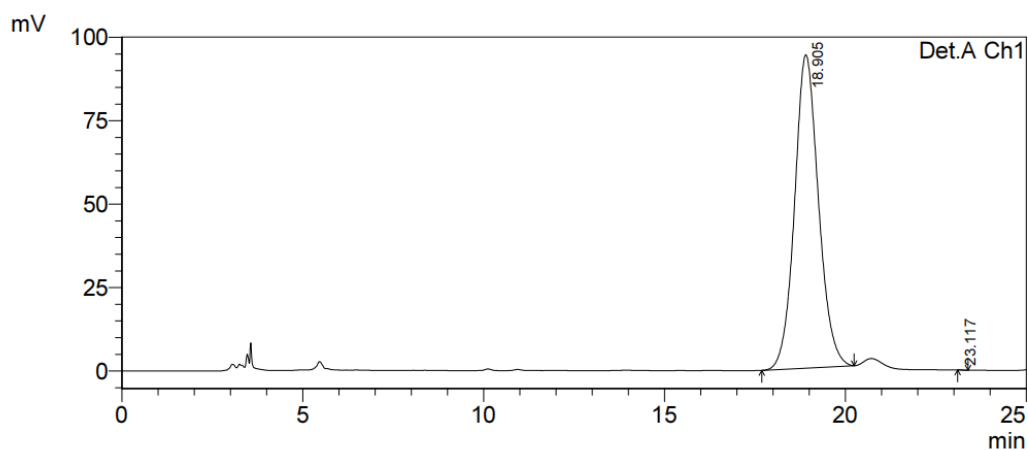


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 18.490    | 5380441  | 117797 | 49.800  |
| 2     | 23.145    | 5423707  | 111874 | 50.200  |
| Total |           | 10804148 | 229672 | 100.000 |



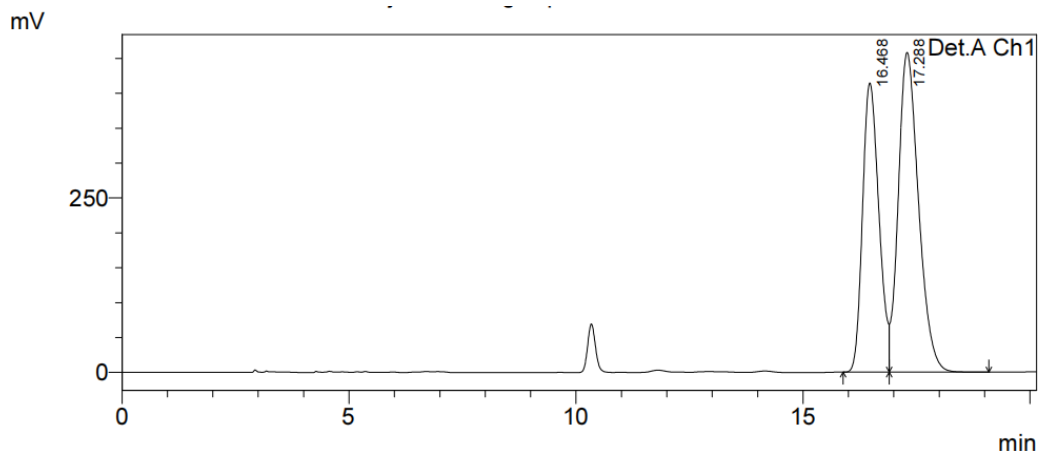
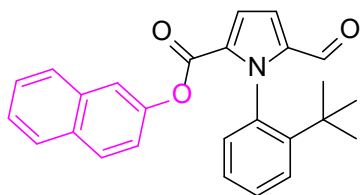
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 18.905    | 4317009 | 93910  | 99.999  |
| 2     | 23.117    | 41      | 1      | 0.001   |
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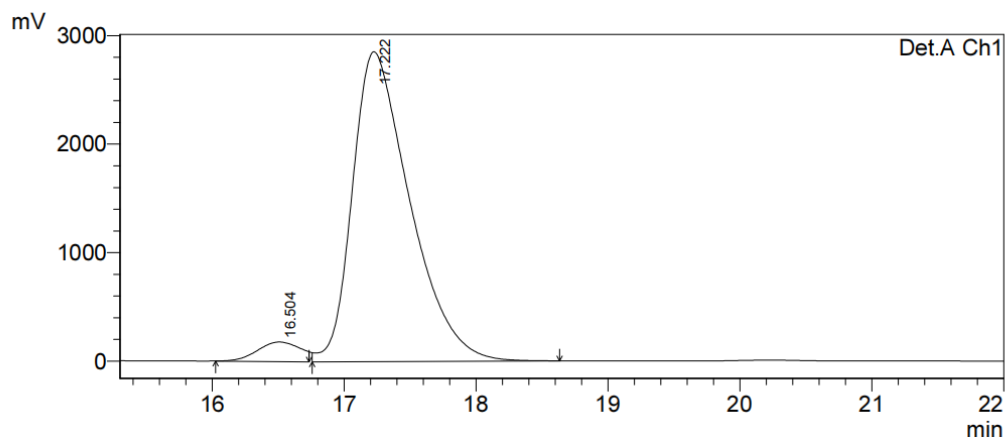
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 16.468    | 10384432 | 414511 | 42.188  |
| 2     | 17.288    | 14229961 | 458110 | 57.812  |
| Total |           | 24614392 | 872620 | 100.000 |

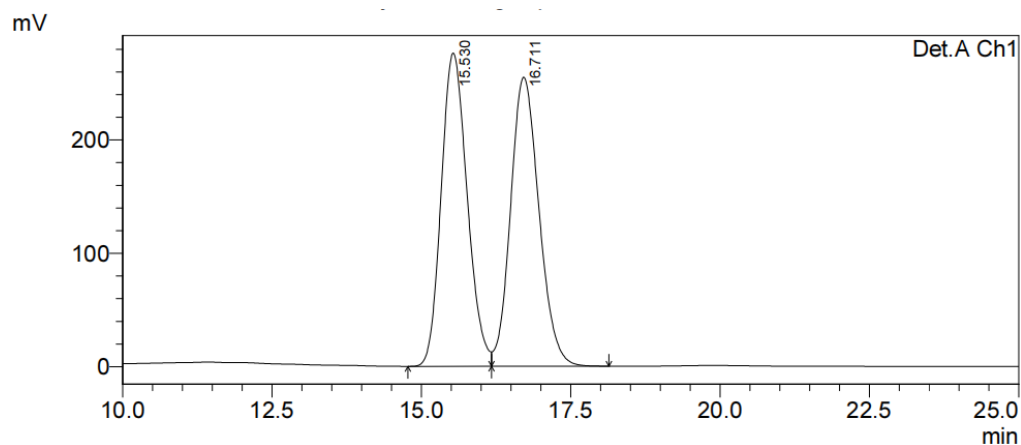
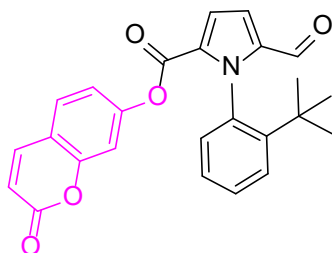


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 16.504    | 4088405  | 181801  | 4.509   |
| 2     | 17.222    | 86590632 | 2857015 | 95.491  |
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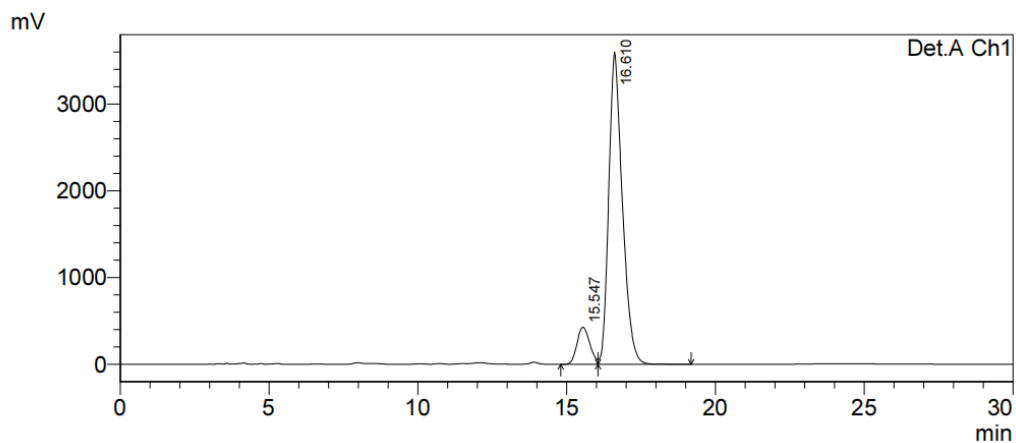
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 15.530    | 8358818  | 276272 | 49.755  |
| 2     | 16.711    | 8441153  | 255049 | 50.245  |
| Total |           | 16799971 | 531321 | 100.000 |



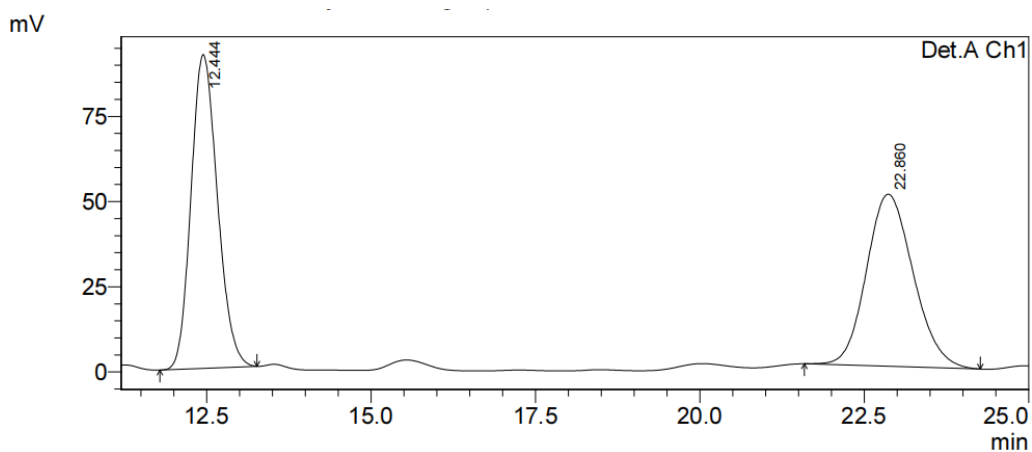
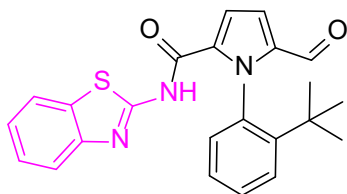
PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area      | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 15.547    | 12761657  | 427638  | 10.044  |
| 2     | 16.610    | 114295935 | 3598326 | 89.956  |
| Total |           | 127057592 | 4025964 | 100.000 |

***N*-(benzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide**

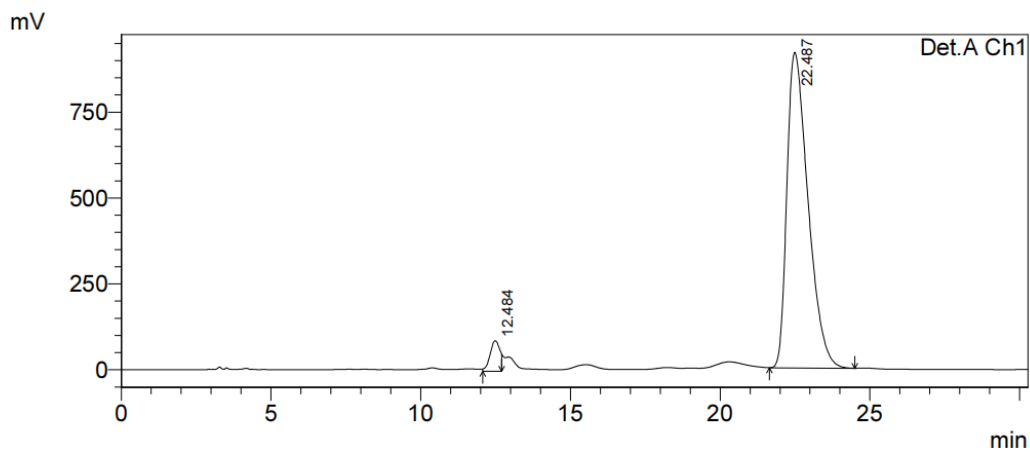
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PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 12.444    | 2573312 | 92094  | 50.704  |
| 2     | 22.860    | 2501850 | 50496  | 49.296  |
| Total |           | 5075162 | 142590 | 100.000 |

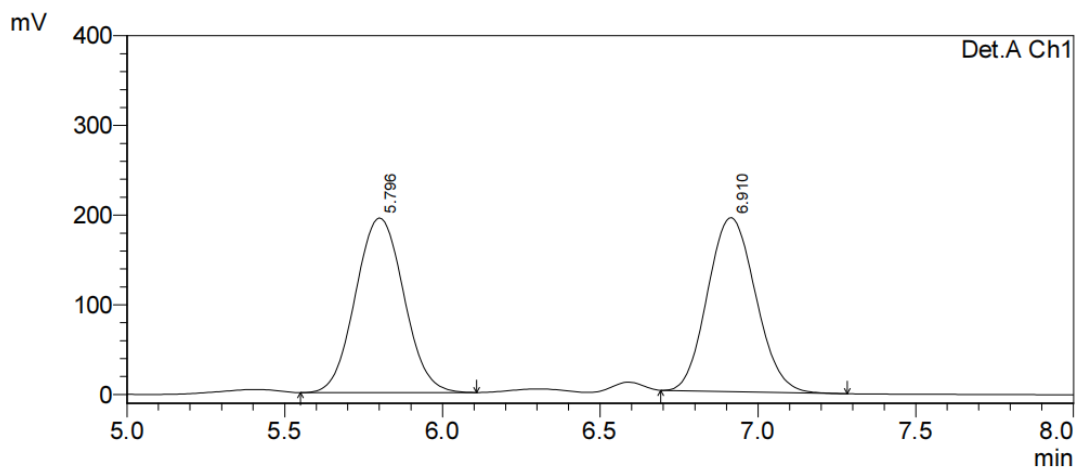
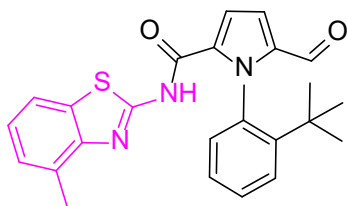


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 12.484    | 2014415  | 89117   | 4.281   |
| 2     | 22.487    | 45043015 | 918402  | 95.719  |
| Total |           | 47057431 | 1007519 | 100.000 |

**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(4-methylbenzo[d]thiazol-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (3v)**

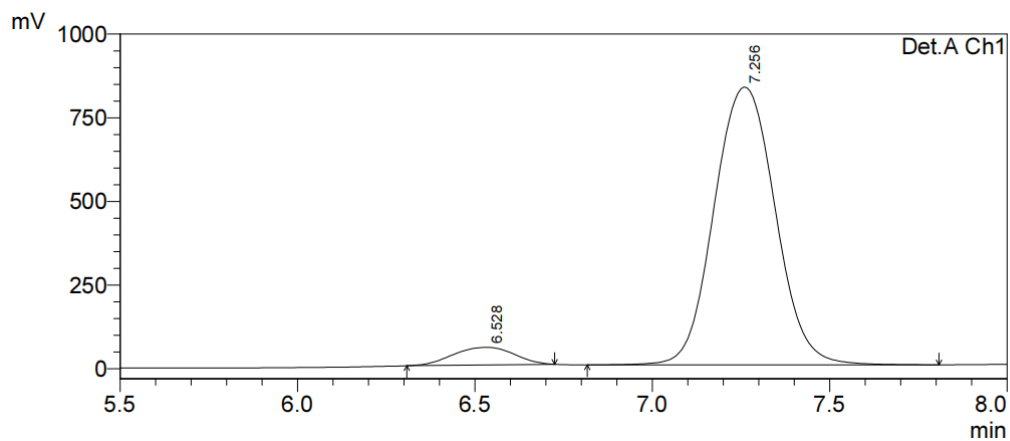


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 5.796     | 2074933 | 194841 | 50.229  |
| 2     | 6.910     | 2055984 | 193994 | 49.771  |
| Total |           | 4130917 | 388835 | 100.000 |



1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

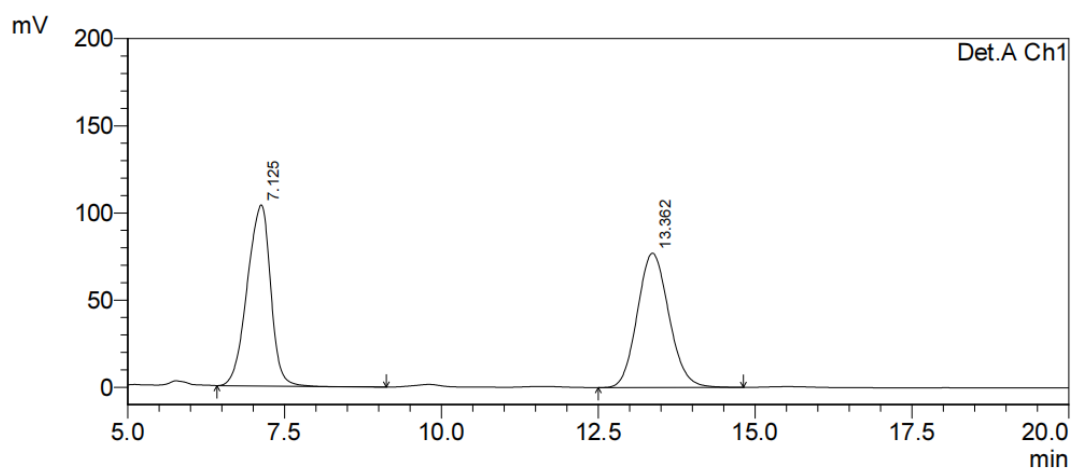
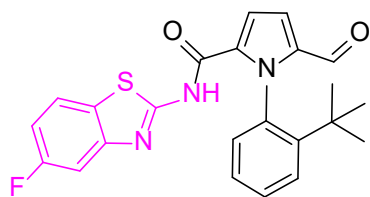
PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 6.528     | 630135   | 52686  | 5.949   |
| 2     | 7.256     | 9961661  | 830247 | 94.051  |
| Total |           | 10591796 | 882933 | 100.000 |



**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N*-(5-fluorobenzo[d]thiazol-2-yl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (3w)**

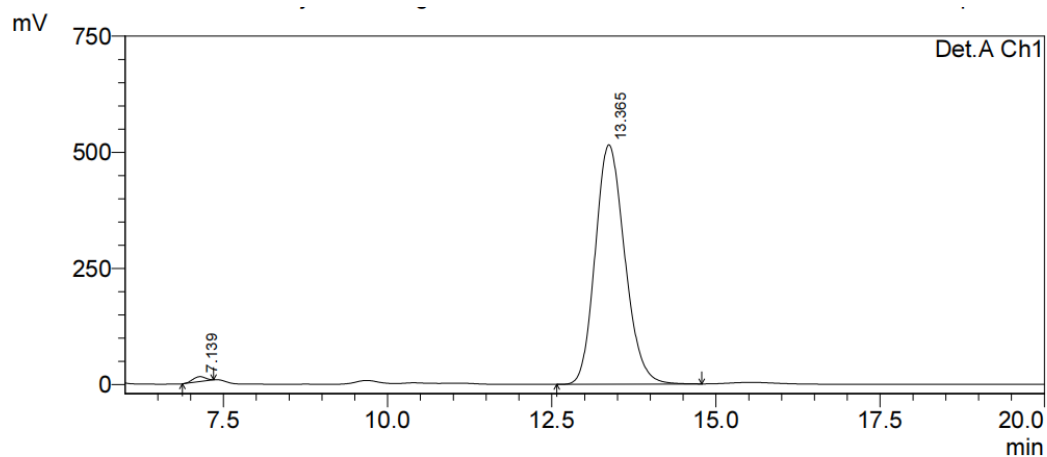


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 7.125     | 2691793 | 103859 | 49.887  |
| 2     | 13.362    | 2703983 | 77073  | 50.113  |
| Total |           | 5395775 | 180932 | 100.000 |



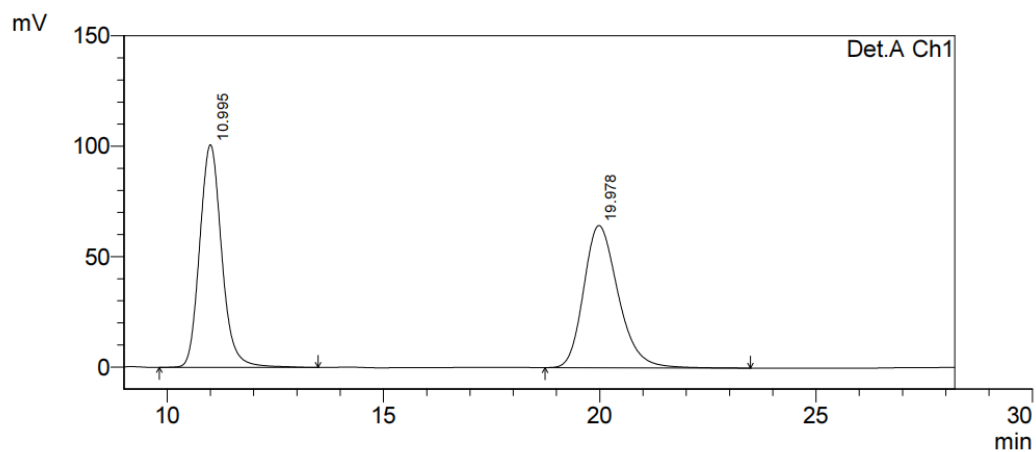
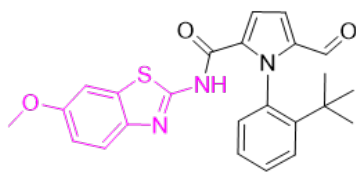
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 7.139     | 146294   | 10712  | 0.898   |
| 2     | 13.365    | 16148938 | 515719 | 99.102  |
| Total |           | 16295232 | 526431 | 100.000 |

**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (3x)**

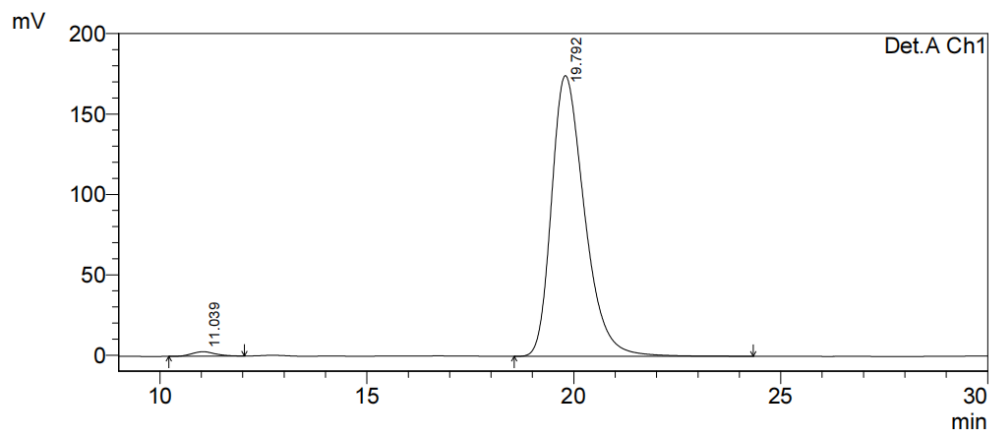


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 10.995    | 3578650 | 100915 | 50.028  |
| 2     | 19.978    | 3574654 | 64403  | 49.972  |
| Total |           | 7153304 | 165319 | 100.000 |



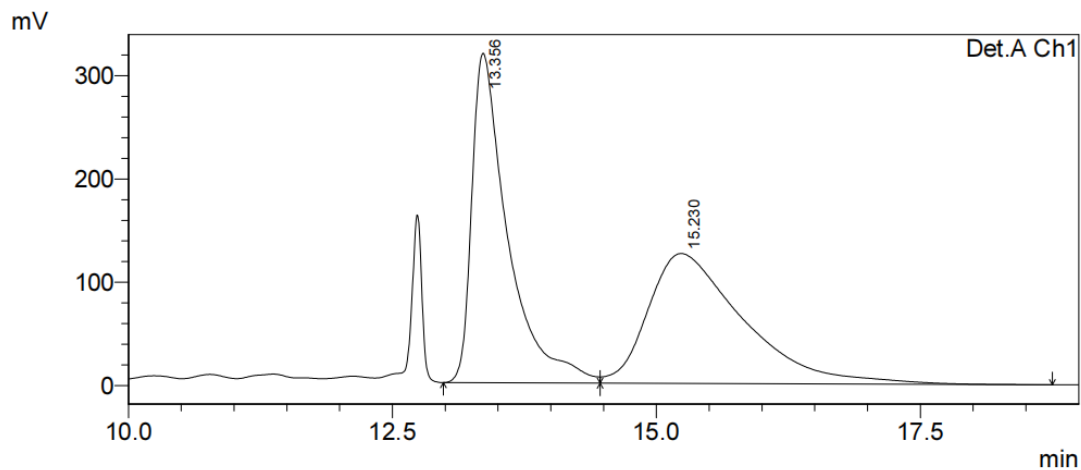
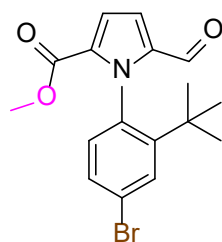
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 11.039    | 111457  | 2831   | 1.139   |
| 2     | 19.792    | 9677337 | 174628 | 98.861  |
| Total |           | 9788793 | 177459 | 100.000 |

**methyl 1-(4-bromo-2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3aa)**

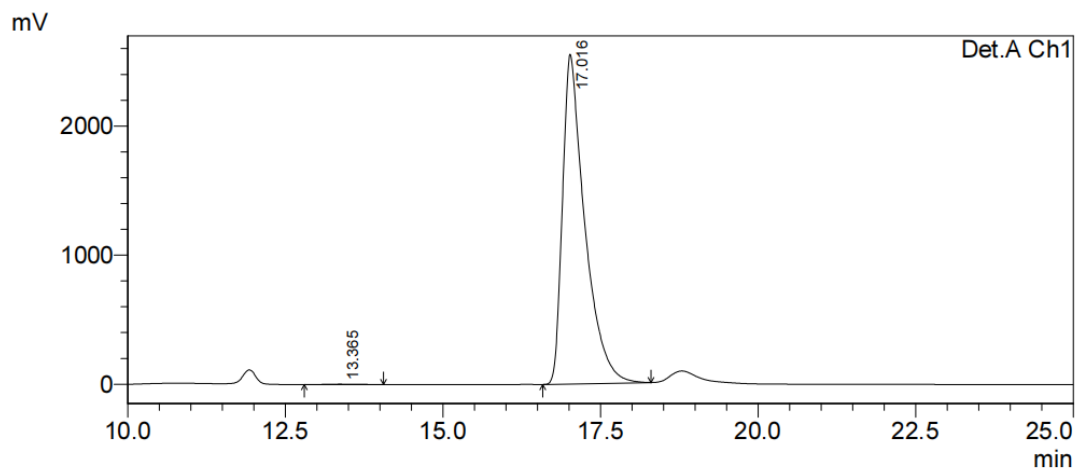


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 13.356    | 7578259  | 319000 | 48.885  |
| 2     | 15.230    | 7924007  | 125834 | 51.115  |
| Total |           | 15502266 | 444834 | 100.000 |



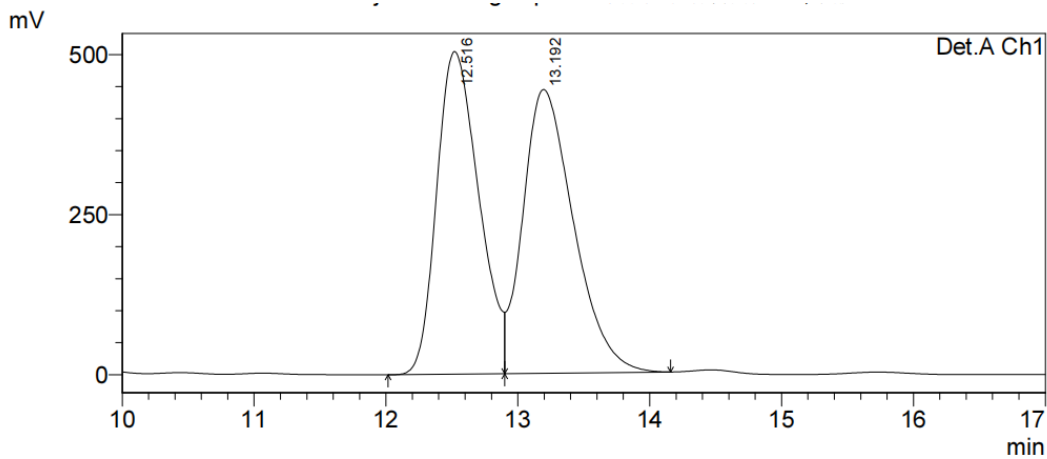
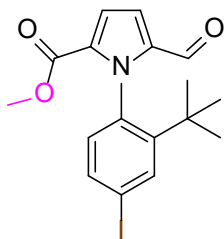
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 13.365    | 102091   | 3102    | 0.163   |
| 2     | 17.016    | 62645457 | 2553552 | 99.837  |
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**methyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)-4-iodophenyl)-5-formyl-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylat (3ab)**

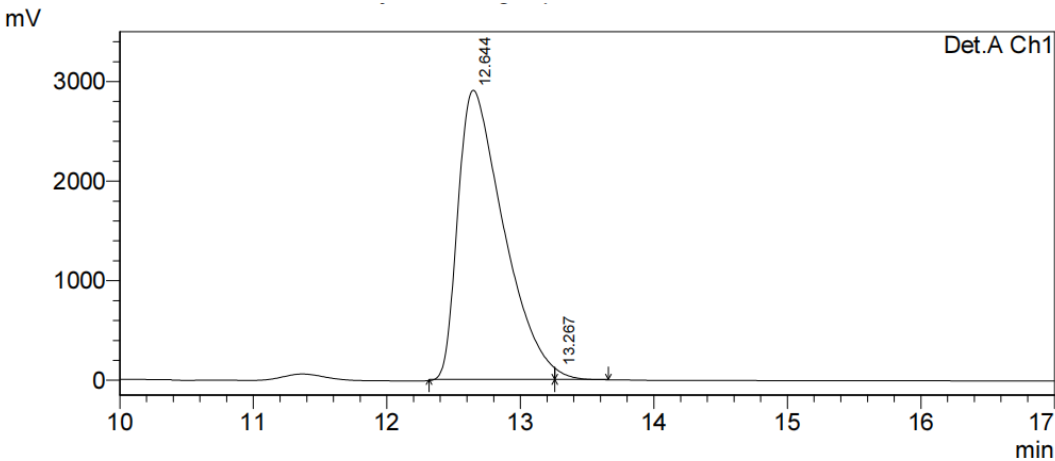


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

| Detector A Ch1 254nm |           |          |        |         |
|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
| 1                    | 12.516    | 11203255 | 504025 | 48.601  |
| 2                    | 13.192    | 11848459 | 443303 | 51.399  |
| Total                |           | 23051714 | 947327 | 100.000 |

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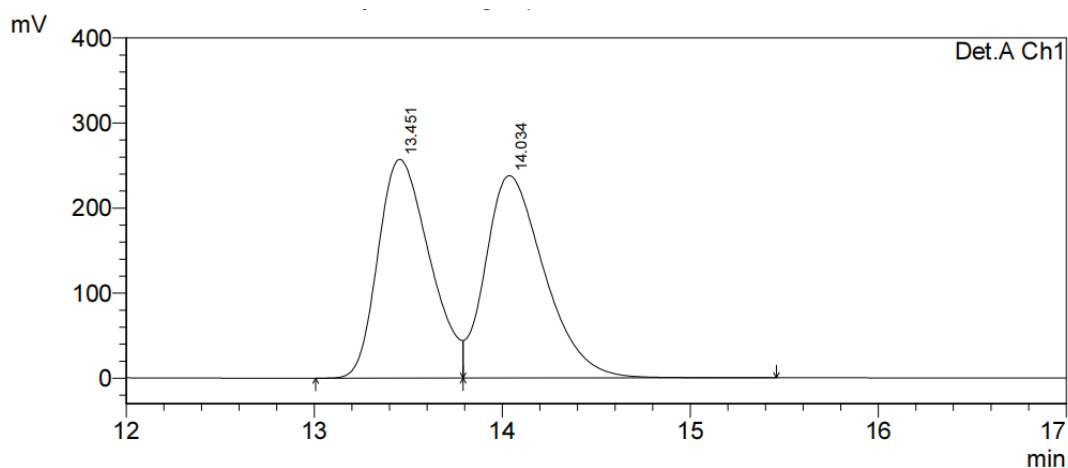
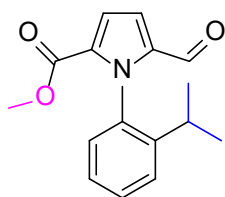


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

| Detector A Ch1 254nm |           |          |         |         |
|----------------------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
| 1                    | 12.644    | 68659259 | 2902988 | 99.302  |
| 2                    | 13.267    | 482941   | 103910  | 0.698   |
| Total                |           | 69142200 | 3006898 | 100.000 |

**methyl 5-formyl-1-(2-isopropylphenyl)-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3ac)**

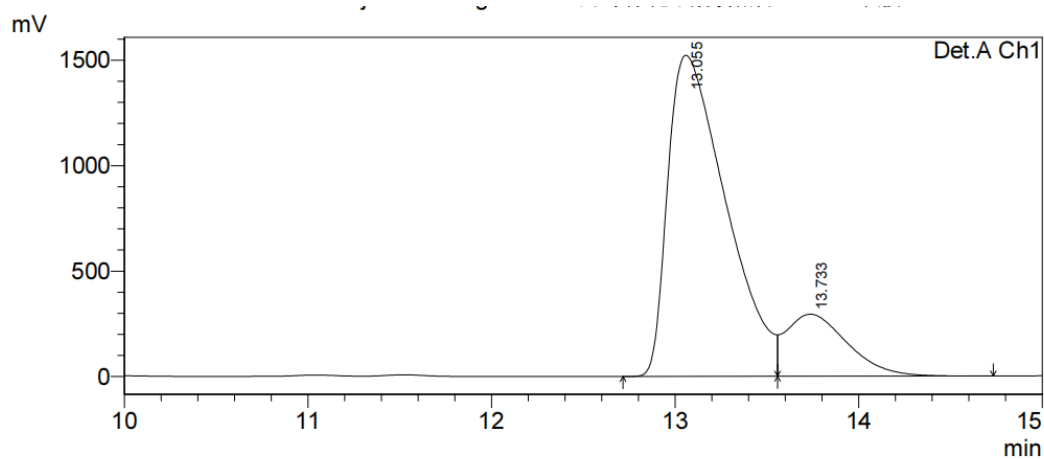


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 13.451    | 4905745  | 257115 | 48.596  |
| 2     | 14.034    | 5189184  | 237968 | 51.404  |
| Total |           | 10094929 | 495083 | 100.000 |



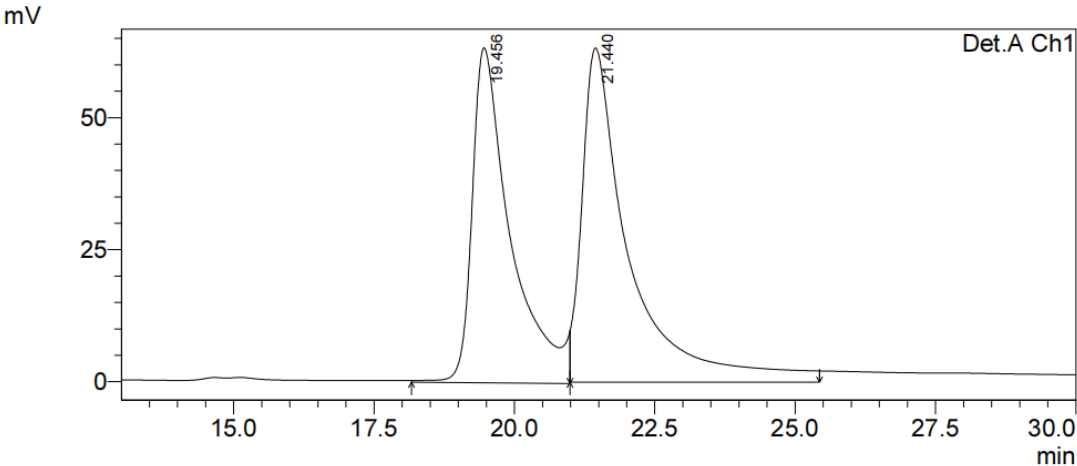
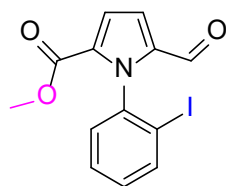
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 13.055    | 33570305 | 1522562 | 83.142  |
| 2     | 13.733    | 6806720  | 294688  | 16.858  |
| Total |           | 40377026 | 1817249 | 100.000 |

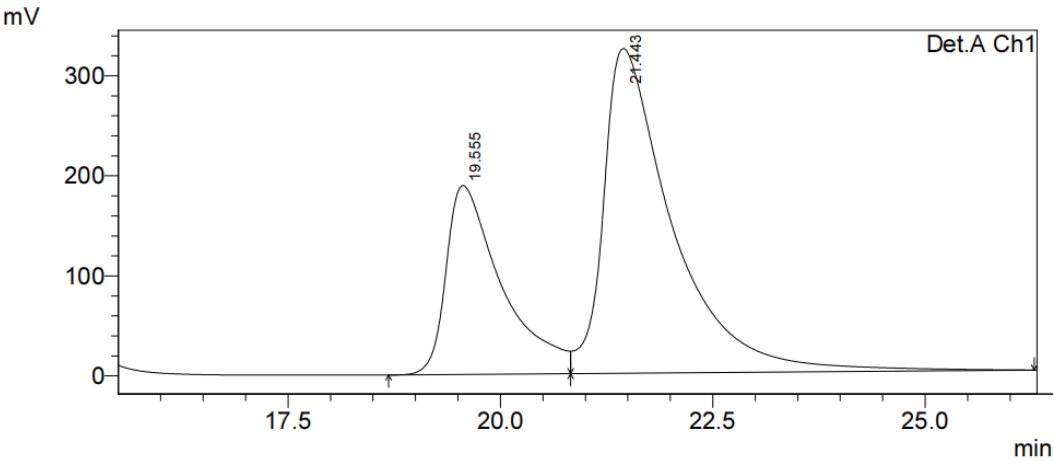
**methyl 5-formyl-1-(2-iodophenyl)-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (3ad)**



1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

| Detector A Ch1 254nm |           |         |        |         |
|----------------------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
| 1                    | 19.456    | 3023449 | 63404  | 44.973  |
| 2                    | 21.440    | 3699414 | 63284  | 55.027  |
| Total                |           | 6722863 | 126688 | 100.000 |

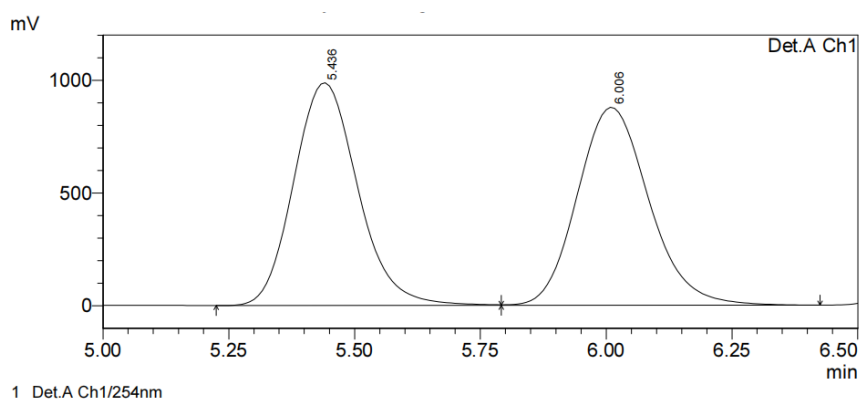
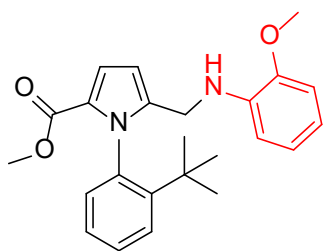


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

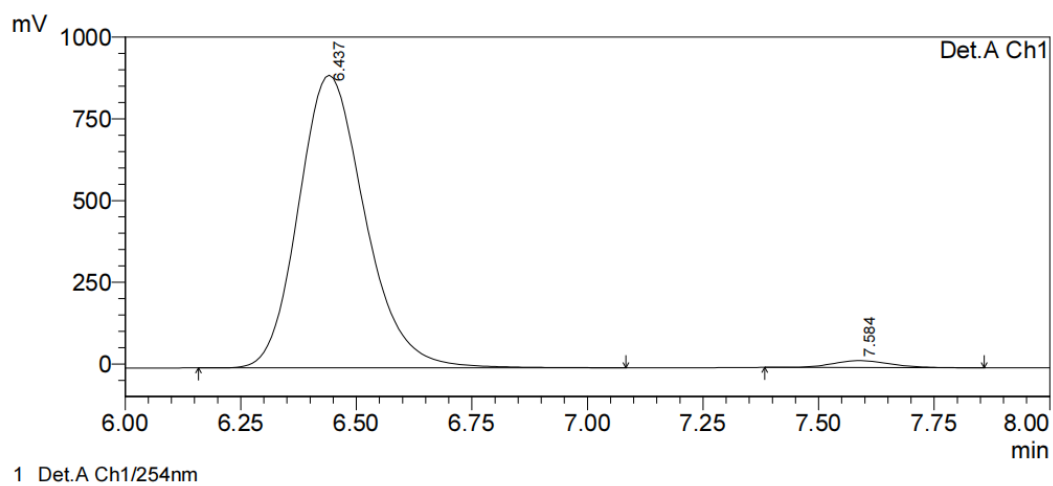
| Detector A Ch1 254nm |           |          |        |         |
|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
| 1                    | 19.555    | 8625377  | 188923 | 31.848  |
| 2                    | 21.443    | 18457895 | 324610 | 68.152  |
| Total                |           | 27083272 | 513533 | 100.000 |

**methyl 1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-(((2-methoxyphenyl)amino)methyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxylate (4a)**



PeakTable

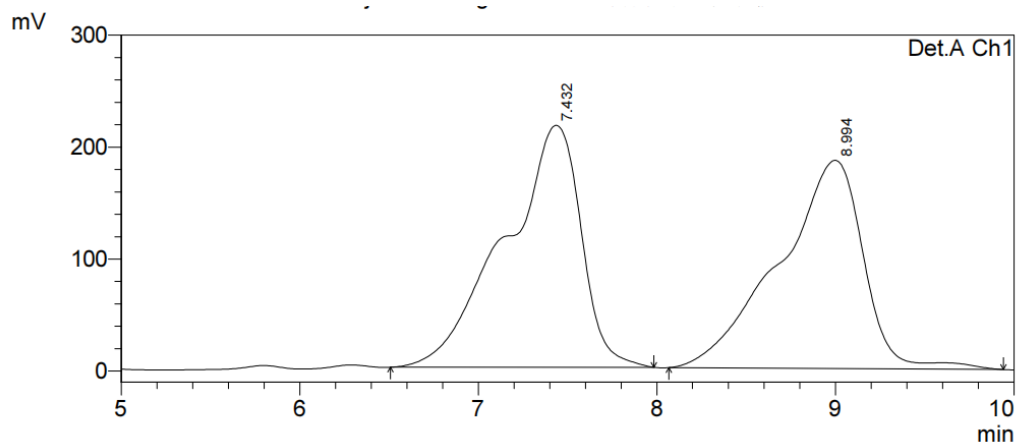
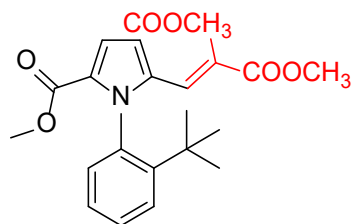
| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height  | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1     | 5.436     | 8739134  | 987295  | 50.126  |
| 2     | 6.006     | 8695052  | 877494  | 49.874  |
| Total |           | 17434186 | 1864789 | 100.000 |



PeakTable

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 6.437     | 8955216 | 895699 | 98.001  |
| 2     | 7.584     | 182712  | 21089  | 1.999   |
| Total |           | 9137928 | 916788 | 100.000 |

**dimethyl 2-((1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-(methoxycarbonyl)-1*H*-pyrrol-2-yl)methylene)malonate (4b)**

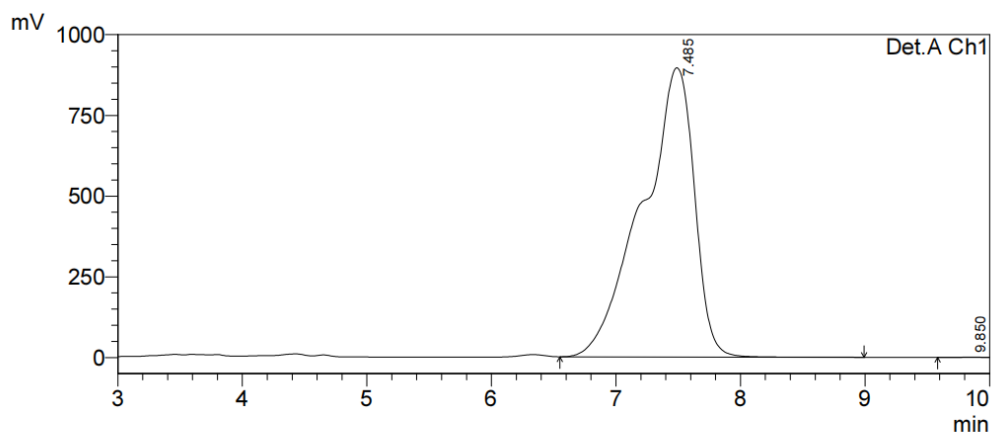


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 7.432     | 6434609  | 216096 | 51.251  |
| 2     | 8.994     | 6120460  | 186032 | 48.749  |
| Total |           | 12555069 | 402128 | 100.000 |



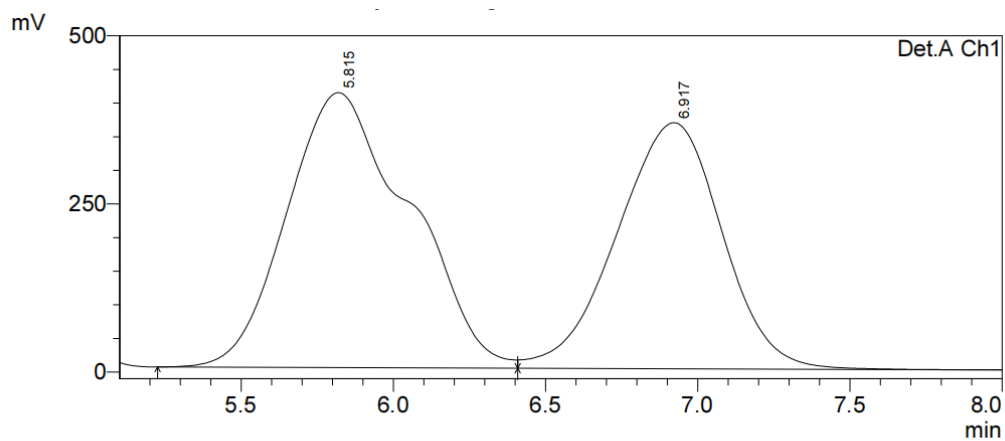
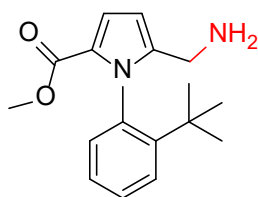
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 7.485     | 25991770 | 895896 | 99.947  |
| 2     | 9.850     | 13665    | 987    | 0.053   |
| Total |           | 26005435 | 896883 | 100.000 |

1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(4-methoxybenzyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (4c)

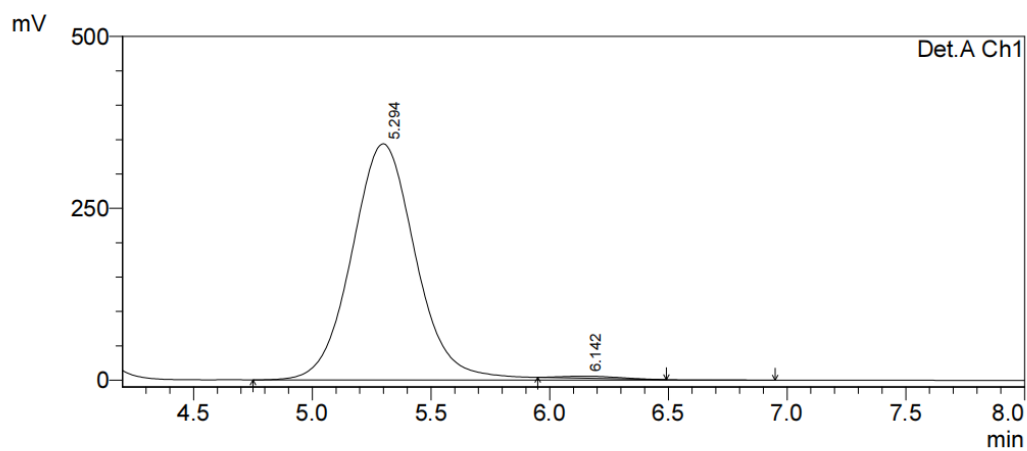


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 5.815     | 11485846 | 409046 | 56.504  |
| 2     | 6.917     | 8841566  | 366007 | 43.496  |
| Total |           | 20327411 | 775053 | 100.000 |



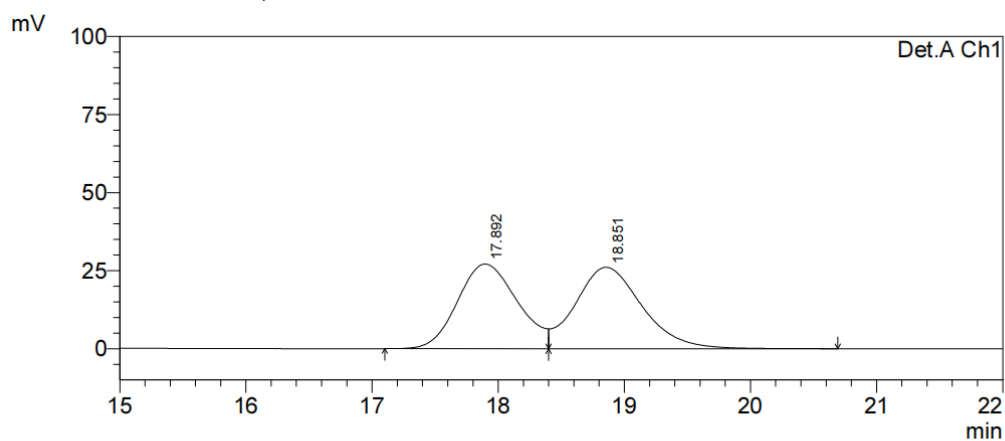
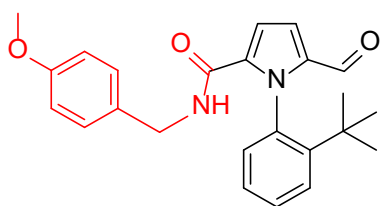
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 5.294     | 6521354 | 343582 | 99.295  |
| 2     | 6.142     | 46334   | 2853   | 0.705   |
| Total |           | 6567688 | 346435 | 100.000 |

**1-(2-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-5-formyl-*N*-(4-methoxybenzyl)-1*H*-pyrrole-2-carboxamide (4d)**

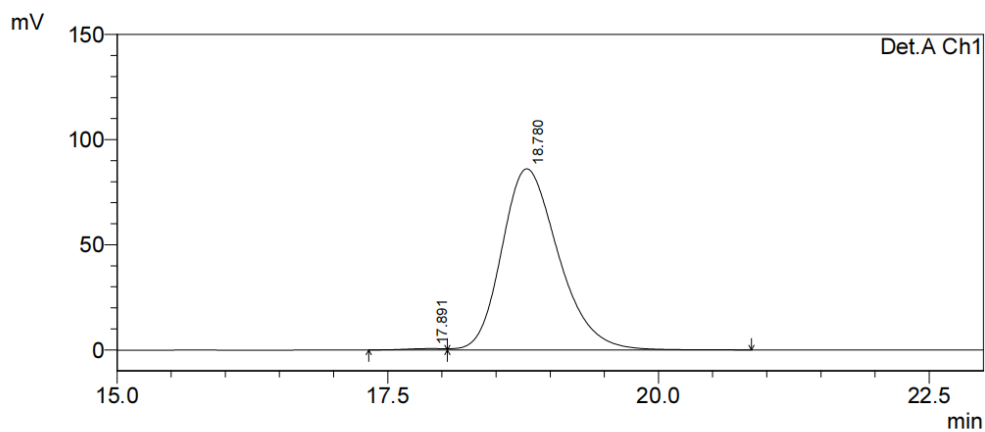


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 17.892    | 894727  | 27106  | 48.302  |
| 2     | 18.851    | 957651  | 26086  | 51.698  |
| Total |           | 1852377 | 53191  | 100.000 |



1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|
| 1     | 17.891    | 15861   | 653    | 0.503   |
| 2     | 18.780    | 3140263 | 86136  | 99.497  |
| Total |           | 3156124 | 86789  | 100.000 |