

**Rational design of indolyl acrylamides as antibacterial agents targeting multidrug-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii* strains**

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## 1. EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

### 1.1 General Methods

All reagents and solvents used were purchased from Merck and Sigma Aldrich. Formyl-indoles **8a-d** were purified by silica gel 60 Å (230-400 mesh particle size) with Hex: EtOAc. Malonic acid was recrystallized in acetone. All reaction processes were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) analysis on silica gel plates and visualized by a dual short wavelength/long wavelength UV lamp. Flash column chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 Å (230-400 mesh particle size). Melting points were determined in open capillaries using a Mel-Temp apparatus. All final products were purified by thin-layer chromatography plates, SiO<sub>2</sub> 60 F<sub>254</sub> with DCM/MeOH. <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR and 135 DEPT spectra were recorded at 25°C on a Bruker Fourier-300 MHz, Jeol Eclipse-300 MHz, Bruker Avance III-400 MHz spectrometer in hexadeuterodimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>), deuteriochloroform (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) or tetradeuteromethanol (MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>). The chemical shifts are reported on the δ scale in parts per million (ppm) and calibrated to residual solvents (7.26 ppm in CDCl<sub>3</sub>; 2.50 ppm in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>; 3.31 ppm in MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) for <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR (77.16 ppm in CDCl<sub>3</sub>; 39.50 ppm in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>; 39.75 ppm in MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>). High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded with JEOL SX 102 A spectrometers by Electrospray ionization (ESI+). Physical and spectroscopic data of all compounds **14a-c**, **15a-c**, **16a-c**, **17a-d**, and **18a-d** are reported in supplementary material.

### 1.2 General procedure for synthesis of intermediates **14a-c**.

1.12 mmol of the corresponding 1-*H*-indole-3-carbaldehyde was dissolved in anhydrous THF and placed under an N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere (0.050 mL); the solution was cooled to 0 °C. Subsequently, sodium hydride NaH (60% in mineral oil, 0.172 g, 4.3 mmol) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 1 hour. Next, a solution of di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (Boc<sub>2</sub>O) (0.375 g, 1.72 mmol) dissolved in THF (0.010 mL) was added, and the reaction mixture was stirred for 90 min at room temperature until thin-layer chromatography (TLC) showed total consumption of the starting material, then water (6 mL) was carefully added. The mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (30 mL), and the organic phase was washed with water (2 × 30 mL) and brine (2 × 30 mL), dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and concentrated. The crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (hexane/EtOAc 8:2).

#### *tert*-butyl 3-formyl-5-bromo-1*H*-indole-1-carboxylate (**14a**)

**14a** was obtained from **13a** (0.250 g, 1.12 mmol), given as a yellow solid, 0.350 g, yield: 96%, m.p. 161-162 °C, (lit. <sup>1</sup> m.p. 162-163 °C).

#### *tert*-butyl 3-formyl-5-chloro-1*H*-indole-1-carboxylate (**14b**)

**14b** was obtained from **13b** (0.200 g, 1.12 mmol) given as a yellow solid, 0.300 g, yield: 96%, m.p. 157-158 °C, (lit. <sup>2</sup> m.p. 157-158 °C).

***tert-butyl 3-formyl-1H-indole-1-carboxylate (14c)***

**14c** was obtained from **13c** (0.162 g, 1.12 mmol) given as a yellow solid 0.245 g yield: 89%, m.p. 127-128 °C, (lit.<sup>2</sup>, m.p. 130-132°C).

**1.3 General procedure for intermediates 16a-c and 17a-d.**

In a round bottom flask was placed 3.5 mmol of the corresponding 1-*H*-indole-3-carbaldehyde in anhydrous DCM (20 mL), then NaOH (10.7 mmol) and benzenetriethylammonium chloride (TEBAC) (0.07 mmol) were added; finally, *p*-toluenesulfonyl chloride (TsCl) or *p*-chlorobenzyl chloride (1.5 mmol, dissolved in 10 mL DCM) was added, and the reaction mixture was stirred for 16 h at room temperature. The reaction mixture was washed 3 times with H<sub>2</sub>O, then dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under vacuum. The resulting solid residue was triturated with diethyl ether and the precipitate was collected by filtration to give the desired compound. Compounds that did not precipitate were purified by silica gel flash chromatographic column with 7:3 Hex: EtOAc mixtures.

***5-bromo-1-tosyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (16a).***

**16a** was obtained from **13a** (0.784 g, 3.5mmol) given as a brown solid 1.08 g yield: 81%, m.p. 243-244 °C, (lit.<sup>3</sup> m.p. 243-244°C).

***5-chloro-1-tosyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (16b).***

**16b** was obtained from **13b** (0.628 g, 3.5mmol) given as a withe solid 1.1 g, yield: 94%, m.p. 234-236 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (301 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.33 (s, 3H), 7.32 - 7.55 (m, 3H), 7.89 - 8.14 (m, 4H), 8.95 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 10.04 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (76 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 21.67, 115.49, 121.21, 121.57, 126.84, 127.65, 127.89, 130.41, 131.27, 133.40, 133.65, 140.07, 147.36, 187.25. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClNO<sub>3</sub>S 334.03047, found: 334.03066.

***1-tosyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (16c)***

**16c** was obtained from **13c** (0.508g, 3.5 mmol) given as a withe solid, 0.99 g, yield: 94%, m.p. 147-149 °C, (lit.<sup>4</sup> mp 148-150°C).

***5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (17a).***

**17a** was obtained from **13a** (0.784 g, 3.5mmol), given as a withe solid 1.10 g, yield: 90%, m.p. 201-202 °C, (lit.<sup>5</sup> m.p. 200-201°C).

**5-chloro-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (17b).**

**17b** was obtained from **13b** (0.628 g, 3.5mmol), given as a yellow solid 0.9 g, yield: 84%, m.p. 145-147 °C, (lit. <sup>6</sup> m.p. 146-147°C).

**1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (17c).**

**17c** was obtained from **13c** (0.508 g, 3.5mmol), given as a yellow solid 0.9 g, yield: 95%, m.p. 117-119 °C, (lit. <sup>5</sup> m.p. 117-119°C).

**5-fluor-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde (17d).**

**17d** was obtained from **13d** (0.570 g, 3.5mmol), given as a yellow solid 0.930 yield: 92%, m.p. 198-201°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 5.32 (s, 2H), 7.02 (ddd, *J* = 10.0, 8.4, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.06 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 7.18 (ddd, *J* = 9.0, 4.2, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.73 (s, 1H), 7.92 – 8.03 (dd, 1H), 9.96 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (76 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 50.76, 107.87 (d, *J* = 24.8 Hz), 111.33 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz), 112.87 (d, *J* = 26.4 Hz), 118.60, 126.25, 126.40, 128.87 129.55, 133.64, 133.83, 134.64, 139.31, 160.02 (d, *J* = 239.6 Hz), 184.46. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>12</sub>ClFNO 288.05914, found: 288.05771.

**1.4 General procedure for synthesis of intermediates 9a-c, 15a-c and 18a-d.**

To 1.22 mmol of the corresponding *N*-substituted 1-*H*-indole-3-carbaldehyde, malonic acid (3.23 mmol) in pyridine anhydrous as solvent (9mL), was added two drops of piperidine and stirred for 12 hours at 100°C. It was then allowed to cool to room temperature, and 9 mL of H<sub>2</sub>O was added. Finally, it was acidified with 6 N HCl to a pH of 2, and the precipitate obtained was isolated by vacuum filtration and washed with plenty of water.

**(E)-3-(5-bromo-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (9a)**

**9a** was obtained from **16a** (1.22 mmol) given as a beige solid (0.470 g). Yield: 91%; m.p. 236-240°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.32 (s, 1H), 6.61 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.89 – 7.93 (m, 1H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 8.00 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 8.50 (s, 1H), 12.38 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 21.08, 115.31, 117.24, 119.81, 123.27, 126.92, 126.96, 128.25, 129.63, 130.52, 130.64, 133.48, 133.58, 134.24, 146.24, 167.55. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>15</sub>BrNO<sub>4</sub>S 419.99052 found: 419.99012.

**(E)-3-(5-chloro-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (9b)**

**9b** was obtained from **16b** (1.22 mmol) given as a brown solid (0.405 g). Yield: 88%, m.p. 200°C decomp.; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) 2.31 (s, 3H), 6.60 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.47 (m, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.88 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.94 – 8.02 (m, 2H), 8.50 (s, 1H), 12.37 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 21.07, 114.93, 117.32, 119.78, 120.36, 120.89, 125.56, 126.95, 129.14, 129.18, 130.50, 130.66, 133.25, 133.49, 134.25, 146.22, 167.56. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>15</sub>ClNO<sub>4</sub>S 376.04103, found: 376.04088.

**(E)-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (9c)**

**9c** was obtained from **16c** (1.22 mmol) given as a brown solid (0.388g). Yield: 93%; m.p. 228-230°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.30 (s, 3H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.8 Hz, 3H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 4.2 Hz, 2H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 8.32 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 21.04, 113.42, 118.29, 120.91, 122.06, 124.26, 125.45, 126.88, 127.88, 128.88, 130.39, 132.93, 133.76, 134.84, 145.88, 168.48. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S 342.08000, found: 342.07944.

**(E)-3-(5-bromo-1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (15a)**

**15a** was obtained from **14a** (0.400 g, 1.23 mmol) given as a yellow solid 0.400 g, yield: 88%, m.p. 165-167°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.63 (s, 9H), 6.44 (d, *J* = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (dt, *J* = 8.8, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.93 (dt, *J* = 1.9, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.98 – 8.05 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 28.09, 85.14, 116.07, 116.95, 117.05, 118.51, 121.07, 122.98, 128.06, 129.09, 129.63, 135.77, 148.77, 169.04.

**(E)-3-(1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-5-chloro-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (15b)**

**15b** was obtained from **14b** (0.341 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a yellow solid, 0.345 g, yield: 87%, m.p. 175-176°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.68 (s, 9H), 6.48 (d, *J* = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.78 – 7.82 (m, 1H), 7.85 (s, 1H), 8.11 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 27.99, 85.02, 116.05, 116.46, 118.50, 119.82, 125.23, 129.03, 129.13, 129.21, 134.44, 135.53, 148.67, 168.82.

**(E)-3-(1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (15c)**

**15c** was obtained from **14c** (0.300 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a white solid 0.330g, yield: 93%, m.p. 180-182°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (301 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 1.63 (s, 9H), 6.57 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (ddd, *J* = 12.4, 7.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 8.04 – 8.14 (m, 1H), 8.26

(s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (76 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  27.37, 84.39, 114.84, 115.85, 117.86, 120.13, 123.48, 124.96, 127.18, 129.45, 135.24, 135.65, 148.40, 167.64.

**(E)-3-(5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (18a)**

**18a** was obtained from **17a** (0.425 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a yellow solid 0.430 g, yield: 90%, m.p. 211-214°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) 5.47 (s, 2H), 6.33 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 8.04 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 8.15 (s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  48.80, 111.05, 113.18, 113.84, 114.08, 122.25, 125.29, 127.49, 128.70, 129.03, 132.35, 134.75, 135.70, 136.06, 136.82, 168.25. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>14</sub>BrClNO<sub>2</sub> 389.98964, found: 389.98794.

**(E)-3-(5-chloro-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (18b)**

**18b** was obtained from **17b** (0.371 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a yellow solid 0.380 g, yield: 89%, m.p. 200-205°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  5.47 (s, 2H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.35 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 8.18 (s, 1H), 12.03 (s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  48.81, 111.14, 112.75, 113.80, 119.29, 122.69, 126.08, 128.69, 126.86, 129.06, 132.34, 134.96, 135.45, 136.10, 136.82, 168.25. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>14</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>NO 346.04016, found: 346.04103.

**(E)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (18c)**

**18c** was obtained from **18c** (0.329 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a beige solid 0.320 g, yield: 84%, m.p. 188-190°C decomp. (lit. <sup>7</sup>m.p. 187-190°C decomp.).

**(E)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-5-fluor-1*H*-indole-3-yl)acrylic acid (18d)**

**18d** was obtained from **17d** (0.351 g, 1.22 mmol) given as a yellow solid 0.350 g, yield: 87%, m.p. 99-102°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  5.31 (s, 2H), 6.33 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (tt, *J* = 9.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.03 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 7.19 (ddd, *J* = 8.9, 4.4, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.83 (d, *J* = 16.1, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  50.20, 106.06 (d, *J* = 24.4 Hz), 111.42 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz), 111.60 (d, *J* = 20.1 Hz), 112.79, 114.11, 120.6, 127.09, 128.37, 129.28, 133.48, 134.03, 134.78, 137.48, 158.98 (d, *J* = 237.9 Hz), 169.80. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>14</sub>ClFNO<sub>2</sub> 330.06971, found: 330.06994.

## **1.5 General procedure for 10a-c.**

(0.273 mmol) of the corresponding 3-(1-(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid was dissolved in 4.5 mL of DCM, and then 0.5 mL of trifluoroacetic acid (TFA) was added dropwise. The reaction was stirred for one hour at room temperature, and a precipitate was formed, which was finally separated by vacuum filtration.

### ***(E)-3-(5-bromo-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (10a)***

**10a** was obtained from **15a** (0.273 mmol) given as a purple solid, (0.050 g). Yield: 68%; m.p. 291-293°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 6.29 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (dd, *J* = 10.7, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 11.91 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 111.08, 112.82, 113.25, 114.12, 121.68, 124.76, 126.59, 131.96, 135.80, 137.47, 168.17. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>9</sub>BrNO<sub>2</sub> 265.98167, found: 265.98189.

### ***(E)-3-(5-chloro-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (10b)***

**10b** was obtained from **15b** (0.273 mmol) given as a green solid, (0.047 g). Yield: 77%; m.p. 274-277°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 6.29 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1H), 11.87 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 111.19, 112.76, 113.62, 118.70, 122.16, 125.25, 125.92, 132.08, 135.54, 137.47, 168.18. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>9</sub>ClNO<sub>2</sub> 222.03218, found: 222.03281.

### ***(E)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)acrylic acid (10c)***

**10c** was obtained from **15c** (0.273 mmol) given as a red solid (0.040 g). Yield: 78%; m.p. 125°C decomp.; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 6.31 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (ddd, *J* = 8.4, 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (ddd, *J* = 7.9, 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.49 (m, 1H), 7.81 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (s, 1H), 7.90 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1H), 11.72 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 112.10, 112.57, 112.76, 120.19, 121.25, 122.85, 125.44, 131.71, 137.78, 138.96, 169.03. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>10</sub>NO<sub>2</sub> 188.07115, found: 188.07039.

### **1.6 General protocol for the synthesis of 11a-h, 11a' and 12a-j.**

0.500 mol of the corresponding indolylacrylic acid was dissolved in 26 mL of a DCM: DMF (3:1 v/v) mixture. Subsequently, DIPEA (0.500 mmol) and HBTU (0.500 mmol) were added, and the mixture was stirred for 1 hour at room temperature. Finally, piperazine (2.5 mmol) was added and the reaction was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The DCM was evaporated, and the reaction crude was dissolved in ethyl acetate, followed by three washes with a 5% LiCl solution, and the organic phase was dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The crude was purified using a preparative TLC plate with a 9:1 DCM/MeOH mixture.

#### **(E)-3-(5-bromo-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11a)**

**11a** was obtained from **9a** (0.5 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.06g). Yield: 24%; m.p. 106-108°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.92 – 3.09 (m, 4H), 3.63 – 3.86 (m, 4H), 6.87 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (s, 2H), 7.46 (dd, J = 8.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.74 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.83 (d, J = 10.0 Hz, 2H), 7.87 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.72, 45.71, 115.36, 117.49, 117.70, 118.27, 123.26, 127.03, 128.07, 128.43, 130.27, 130.29, 133.37, 134.29, 134.59, 145.91, 165.45. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>23</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S 488.06435. found: 488.06594.

#### **(E)-3-(5-chloro-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11b)**

**11b** was obtained from **9b** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.058g). Yield: 26%; m.p. 102-105°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.35 (s, 3H), 3.02 (s, 4H), 3.76 (s, 4H), 6.87 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.32 (dd, J = 8.9, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.63 – 7.72 (m, 2H), 7.76 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (s, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (76 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.74, 42.39, 45.57, 115.00, 117.38, 118.38, 120.24, 125.77, 127.05, 128.35, 129.77, 130.06, 130.30, 133.47, 133.94, 134.58, 145.92, 165.46. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>23</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S 444.11486. found: 444.11471.

#### **(E)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11c).**

**11c** was obtained from **9c** (0.5 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.08g). Yield: 39%; m.p. 106-109°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (301 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.94 (t, J = 5.1 Hz, 4H), 3.69 (s, 4H), 6.94 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.17 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.74 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, J = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.78 – 7.83 (m, 3H), 7.94 – 8.09 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.70, 45.51, 113.96, 116.90, 118.92, 120.46, 124.05, 125.49, 127.05, 127.32, 128.54, 130.17, 134.15, 134.84, 135.61, 145.58, 165.67. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S 410.15384 found: 410.15296.

**(E)-1-(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11d)**

**11d** was obtained from **9c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.105g). Yield: 49%; m.p. 147-150°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.51 (t, J = 5.1 Hz, 4H), 3.65 – 3.87 (m, 4H), 6.94 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (dd, J = 8.7, 0.7 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.71 – 7.76 (m, 2H), 7.82 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 3H), 7.97 – 8.03 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.73, 42.06, 45.65, 45.96, 54.63, 55.27, 114.01, 117.24, 119.05, 120.49, 124.06, 125.50, 127.07, 127.21, 128.64, 130.19, 133.90, 134.95, 135.68, 145.57, 165.56. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S 424.16949 found: 424.16874.

**(E)-1-morpholino-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11e)**

**11e** was obtained from **9c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.140 g). Yield: 68%; m.p. 135-140°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.34 (s, 3H), 3.64 – 3.80 (m, 8H), 6.92 (d, J = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 7.18 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.71 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.78 – 7.87 (m, 3H), (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.59, 42.58, 46.27, 66.86, 113.89, 116.64, 118.82, 120.35, 123.96, 125.40, 125.54, 126.95, 127.26, 128.45, 130.07, 134.12, 134.80, 135.55, 145.48, 165.65. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>23</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S: Anal. Calcd. 411.13785, found: 411.13776.

**(E)-1-thiomorpholino-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (11f).**

**11f** was obtained from **9c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.140 g). Yield: 65%; m.p. 120-124°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.35 (s, 3H), 2.64 - 2.71 (m, 4H), 3.97 (m, 4H). 6.91 (d, J = 15.5 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (d, J = 0.7 Hz, 2H), 7.28 - 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.73 (ddt, J = 7.8, 1.4, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.75 - 7.81 (m, 3H), 7.82 (s, 1H), 8.00 (ddt, J = 8.3, 1.3, 0.7 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.55, 27.42, 27.88, 45.10, 48.78, 113.95, 117.01, 118.85, 123.94, 125.40, 126.97, 127.18, 128.48, 130.17, 134.11, 134.78, 135.55, 145.32, 165.10. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>23</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S<sub>2</sub>: Anal. Calcd: 427.11501, found: 427.11528.

**(E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(5-bromo-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (11g)**

**11g** was obtained from **9a** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.05g). Yield: 21%; m.p. 123-125°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.32 (s, 3H), 2.71 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 3.26 (q, J = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d, J = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 7.39 - 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.46 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (d, J = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.98 - 8.01 (m, 2H), 8.34 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 21.10, 40.61, 40.84, 115.12, 117.89, 118.52, 120.46,

122.85, 125.49, 126.93, 129.02, 129.12, 129.35, 130.49, 133.53, 146.15, 165.30. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: 462.04870; found: 462.04803.

**(E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(5-chloro-1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (11h).**

**11h** was obtained from **9b** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.055 g). Yield: 26%; m.p. 119-123°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.96 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 3.49 (d, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 6.48 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.18 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.41 (dd, J = 8.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.59 – 7.68 (m, 1H), 7.70 – 7.79 (m, 3H), 7.80 – 7.88 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 21.64, 41.15, 41.59, 115.21, 117.61, 117.82, 121.38, 123.38, 126.95, 128.24, 130.03, 130.03, 130.19, 131.25, 134.24, 134.49, 145.77, 166.13. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: 418.09921. found: 418.09871.

**1-(piperazin-1-yl)-3-(1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)propan-1-one (11a').**

**11a'** was obtained from **20** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.090 g). Yield: 43%; m.p. 149-152°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.33 (s, 3H), 2.64 - 2.69 (m, 2H), 2.73 (t, 2H), 2.81 (t, J = 4.2 Hz, 2H), 2.94 - 3.09 (m, 2H), 3.36 (t, 2H), 3.61 (t, 2H), 7.16 - 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.23 - 7.36 (m, 5H), 7.50 (dt, J = 7.6, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.97 (d, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 20.73, 21.68, 32.68, 42.71, 45.86, 46.21, 46.64, 113.84, 119.55, 122.27, 122.90, 123.22, 124.89, 126.89, 129.96, 130.86, 135.35, 135.41, 144.94, 170.52. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: 412.16949; found: 412.16994.

**(E)-3-(5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (12a)**

**12a** was obtained from **18a** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.100 g). Yield: 43%; m.p. 159-161°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.71 (s, 4H), 3.44 - 3.69 (m, 4H), 5.45 (s, 2H), 6.97 (d, J = 15.4 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (dd, J = 8.7, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.51 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, J = 15.4 Hz, 1H), 8.07 - 8.13 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 45.82, 46.25, 48.74, 111.95, 112.95, 113.09, 113.50, 113.75, 122.25, 125.10, 127.61, 128.70, 129.01, 132.31, 133.51, 133.94, 135.54, 136.28, 165.25. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>22</sub>BrClN<sub>3</sub>O: 458.06348; found: 458.06246.

**(E)-3-(5-chloro-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (12b)**

**12b** was obtained from **18b** (0.5 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.096 g). Yield: 46%; m.p. 208-210°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 2.96 (t, 4H), 3.77 (t, 4H), 5.39 (s, 2H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 15.4 Hz, 1H), 7.12 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.28 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.35 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 0.5 Hz, 2H), 7.82 – 7.85 (m, 1H), 7.87 (dd, *J* = 2.0, 0.6 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 46.28, 50.51, 112.64, 113.05, 113.73, 120.52, 124.11, 128.16, 128.78, 129.68, 129.94, 134.66, 137.03, 137.13, 137.28, 137.33, 168.74. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>22</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O: 414.11399; found: 414.11447.

#### (E)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-1-(piperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (**12c**)

**12c** was obtained from **18c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.09 g). Yield: 47%; m.p. 97-100°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.91 – 3.07 (m, 4H), 3.72 – 3.83 (m, 4H), 5.29 (s, 2H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 7.01 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.40 (s, 1H), 7.86 – 7.90 (m, 1H), 7.93 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 45.78, 45.84, 49.91, 110.53, 111.97, 113.58, 120.69, 121.46, 123.27, 126.51, 128.31, 129.29, 131.79, 134.04, 134.99, 135.04, 136.60, 136.89, 137.58, 166.77. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>23</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O: 380.15296; found: 380.15150.

#### (E)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)-1-(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one (**12d**)

**12d** was obtained from **18c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.08 g), Yield: 40%; m.p. 97-100°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.55 (t, *J* = 5.0 Hz, 4H), 3.80 (s, 4H), 5.29 (s, 2H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 0.8 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.8 Hz, 3H), 7.26 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.39 (s, 1H), 7.85 – 7.90 (m, 1H), 7.92 – 7.97 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 45.84, 49.89, 55.06, 110.52, 112.08, 113.59, 120.68, 121.44, 123.25, 126.51, 128.29, 129.28, 131.69, 134.03, 135.04, 136.50, 137.56, 166.65. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>25</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O 394.16861, found: 394.16806.

#### (E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1*H*-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (**12e**).

**12e** was obtained from **18a** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.049 g). Yield: 22%; m.p. 157-160°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.67 (t, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 2H), 3.21 (q, 2H), 5.43 (s, 2H), 6.60 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.16 - 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.29 - 7.38 (m, 3H), 7.43 - 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.89 - 8.01 (m, 2H), 8.05 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 41.21, 41.68, 48.62, 111.55, 113.11, 113.76, 117.74, 122.48, 125.06, 127.19, 128.68, 129.01, 131.38, 132.28, 134.41, 135.79, 136.28, 166.09. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>BrClN<sub>3</sub>O: 432.04783, found: 432.04583.

**(E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(5-chloro-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (12f).**

**12f** was obtained from **18b** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.055 g). Yield: 28%; m.p. 168-169°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.66 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 3.20 (q, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 2H), 5.45 (s, 2H), 6.60-6.65 (d, *J*=16.01 Hz, 1H), 7.16 - 7.25 (m, 2H), 7.32 - 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.87 - 7.92 (m, 1H), 7.94 - 7.99 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 41.04, 41.30, 48.68, 111.64, 112.68, 117.66, 119.52, 122.50, 125.75, 126.57, 128.69, 129.03, 131.48, 132.31, 134.56, 135.55, 136.28, 166.21. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O; 388.09834, found: 388.09741.

**(E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (12g).**

**12g** was obtained from **18c** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.046 g). Yield: 26%; m.p. 85°C decomp.; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.70 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (q, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 5.44 (s, 2H), 6.67 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.44 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.92 (s, 1H), 8.10 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 40.85, 41.20, 48.27, 110.78, 111.75, 116.97, 120.02, 120.51, 122.29, 125.46, 128.40, 128.79, 131.79, 131.96, 132.74, 136.36, 136.79, 166.14. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O: Calcd. for 354.13731. found: 354.13696.

**(E)-N-(2-aminoethyl)-3-(1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-5-fluoro-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (12h).**

**12h** was obtained from **18d** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.08 g). Yield: 43%; m.p. 98-100°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) δ 2.71 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 5.44 (s, 2H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (td, *J* = 9. 2, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 - 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.34 - 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.48 - 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.68 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (s, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- d<sub>6</sub>) δ 40.69, 40.77, 48.74, 105.39 (d, *J* = 24.5 Hz), 110.57 (d, *J* = 25.9 Hz), 111.97 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 117.39, 125.81, 125.91, 128.68, 129.04, 131.54, 132.27, 133.69, 134.63, 136.40, 158.11 (d, *J* = 234.1 Hz), 166.29. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>ClFN<sub>3</sub>O: Anal. Calcd. 372.12789. found: 372.12604.

**(E)-N-(3-aminopropyl)-3-(5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (12i).**

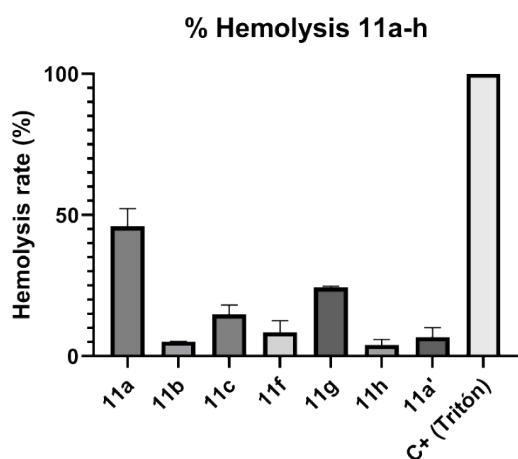
**12i** was obtained from **18a** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.029 g). Yield: 16%; m.p. 170°C decomp.; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 1.87 (q, 2H), 2.92 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.42 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 5.39 (s, 2H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.27 - 7.35 (m, 4H), 7.63 - 7.85 (m, 2H), 8.05 (t, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 30.21, 37.16, 38.65, 50.46, 113.30, 113.54, 115.62, 116.85, 123.88, 126.75,

129.15, 129.67, 129.96, 134.73, 134.86, 135.02, 137.10, 137.63, 170.44. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>22</sub>ClBrN<sub>3</sub>O; 446.06348, found: 446.06478.

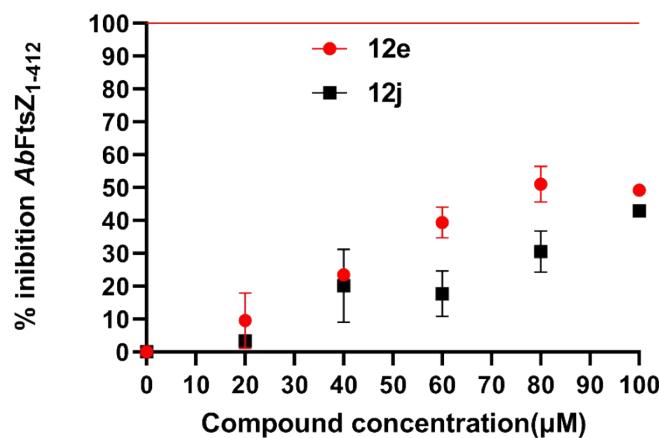
**(E)-N-(4-aminobutyl)-3-(5-bromo-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acrylamide (12j).**

**12j** was obtained from **18a** (0.500 mmol) given as a yellow solid (0.025 g). Yield: 13%; m.p. 95–98°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 1.59 – 1.77 (m, 4H), 2.99 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 5.40 (s, 2H), 6.58 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.12 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.26 – 7.33 (m, 4H), 7.66 – 7.75 (m, 2H), 8.06 (t, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>) δ 25.92, 27.65, 39.51, 40.40, 50.45, 113.31, 113.55, 115.60, 117.14, 117.42, 123.88, 126.74, 129.12, 129.67, 129.96, 134.64, 134.99, 137.11, 137.65, 170.03. HRMS (ESI+) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>24</sub>BrClN<sub>3</sub>O: 460.07913; found: 460.07892.

**1.7 Hemolysis of 11a-h and 11a' at 40 µg mL<sup>-1</sup>**



### 1.8 % Inhibition *AbFtsZ<sub>1-412</sub>* vs concentration $\mu\text{M}$ of 12e and 12j.



### 1.9 % Bacterial inhibition of 9a-c and 10a-c

**Table S1.** % Inhibition of bacterial growth ( $50 \mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$ )

	<i>A. baumannii</i> BAA ATCC 747	<i>A. baumannii</i> ATCC 17978	<i>A. baumannii</i> A-564 (XDR)
<b>10a</b>	$36.13 \pm 0.092$	$2.654 \pm 0.098$	$24.311 \pm 0.086$
<b>10b</b>	$36.72 \pm 0.127$	$9.710 \pm 0.024$	$28.908 \pm 0.100$
<b>10c</b>	$41.47 \pm 0.061$	$12.21 \pm 0.022$	$28.137 \pm 0.050$
<b>9a</b>	$72.03 \pm 0.093$	$21.10 \pm 0.091$	$39.502 \pm 0.045$
<b>9b</b>	$100 \pm 0.063$	$13.70 \pm 0.015$	$14.898 \pm 0.039$
<b>9c</b>	$57.33 \pm 0.020$	$43.19 \pm 0.035$	$19.782 \pm 0.036$

**1.10 Table S2.** *In vitro* antimicrobial activity of indolyl acrylamides **11a-g**, **12a**, **12e**, **12f**, **12i** and **12j**, MIC ( $\mu\text{M}$  and  $\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$ ).

Compounds	<i>A. b</i> 17978 <sup>a</sup>		<i>A. b</i> BAA 747 <sup>b</sup>		<i>A. b</i> A-564 (XDR) <sup>c</sup>		<i>S. a</i> clinic (MRSA) <sup>f</sup>	
	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$
<b>11a</b>	39	19.0 $\pm$ 1.1*	<b>16</b>	<b>7.8<math>\pm</math>1.2*</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>31.7</b>	100	48.8
<b>11b</b>	44.6	19.7 $\pm$ 1.0*	17	<b>7.5<math>\pm</math>1.2*</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>44.3</b>	NT	NT
<b>11c</b>	>150	>61.3	<b>50</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>61.3</b>	>150	>61
<b>11d</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;63.5</b>	<b>&gt;50</b>	<b>&gt;21.1</b>	<b>&gt;250</b>	<b>&gt;105.8</b>	>150	>63
<b>11e</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;61.5</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;61.5</b>	<b>&gt;250</b>	<b>&gt;102.6</b>	>150	>61
<b>11f</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;63.9</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;63.9</b>	<b>&gt;250</b>	<b>&gt;106.6</b>	>250	>106
<b>11g</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>8.3<math>\pm</math>1.0*</b>	7	<b>3.2<math>\pm</math>2.3*</b>	22	<b>10.2<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	19	8.9 $\pm$ 3.4*
<b>11a'</b>	<b>&gt;150</b>	<b>&gt;61.6</b>	<b>&gt;100</b>	<b>&gt;41.1</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>51.3</b>	NT	NT
<b>12a</b>	46	20.9 $\pm$ 1.1*	<b>10</b>	<b>4.5<math>\pm</math>1.2*</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>13.7<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	>50	>22
<b>12e</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7.1<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.2<math>\pm</math>2.6*</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4.3<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>3.2<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>
<b>12f</b>	19	7.4 $\pm$ 1.0*	15	5.9 $\pm$ 3.5*	21	8.8 $\pm$ 1.1*	<b>5.5</b>	<b>2.1<math>\pm</math>2.1*</b>
<b>12i</b>	22	10.23 $\pm$ 1.0*	<b>21</b>	<b>9.5<math>\pm</math>1.0*</b>	34	<b>15.4<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	13	6.2 $\pm$ 1.2*
<b>12j</b>	18	8.3 $\pm$ 1.1*	<b>9</b>	<b>4.4<math>\pm</math>1.1*</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.2<math>\pm</math>1.3*</b>	18	8.2 $\pm$ 1.9*
<b>Cefepime</b>	32	15.3	<b>32</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>&gt;133</b>	<b>&gt;64</b>	NT	NT
<b>Meropenem</b>	NT	NT	NT	NT	>133	>32	NT	NT
<b>Gentamicin</b>	2	0.95	2	0.95	>134	>64	NT	NT
<b>Ciprofloxacin</b>	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	>50	NT	NT
<b>Penicillin G</b>	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	>250	>84

<sup>a</sup>*A.b.*17978, *Acinetobacter baumannii* ATCC 17978; <sup>b</sup>*A.b.* BAA 747, *Acinetobacter baumannii* ATCC BAA 747; <sup>c</sup>*A.b.* A-564 (XDR), *Acinetobacter baumannii* A-564 (XDR); <sup>f</sup>*S.a.* MRSA, penicillin-methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*; MIC values were calculated with Gompertz equation GraphPad Prism 9.5.1, (n=3). NT= No test

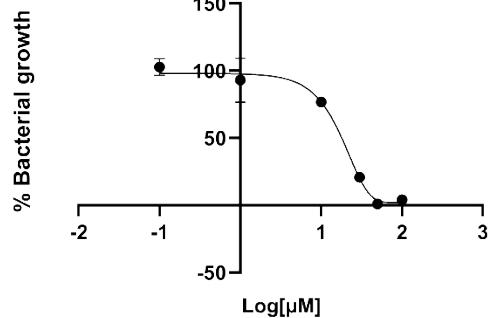
**1.11 Table S3.** Comparation of potency between the compounds analyzed and cefepime expressed  $\mu\text{M}$  and  $\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$

**Table S3. Comparation of potency between the compounds analyzed and cefepime expressed  $\mu\text{M}$  and  $\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$**

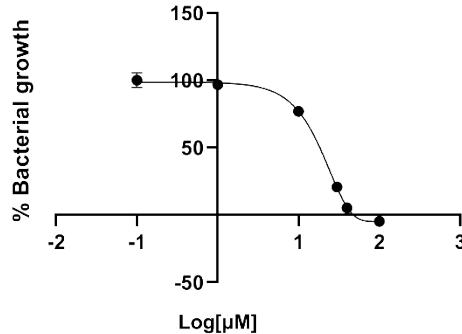
Compounds	<i>A. b</i> BAA 747 <sup>b</sup>		Potency		<i>A. b</i> A-564 (XDR)		Potency	
	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$	$\mu\text{M}$	$\mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$
<b>11a</b>	16	<b>7.8±1.2*</b>	2	2	65	<b>31.7</b>	2	2
<b>11b</b>	17	<b>7.5±1.2</b>	1.9	2	100	<b>44.3</b>	1.3	1.4
<b>11g</b>	7	<b>3.2±2.3*</b>	4.5	4.7	22	<b>10.2±1.1*</b>	6	6.4
<b>12a</b>	10	<b>4.5±1.2*</b>	3.2	3.4	30	<b>13.7±1.1*</b>	4.4	4.6
<b>12e</b>	3	<b>1.2±2.6*</b>	10	12	10	<b>4.3±1.1*</b>	13	14.9
<b>12j</b>	9	<b>4.4±1.1*</b>	3.5	3.4	2.6	<b>1.2±1.3</b>	51	53
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## 1.12 MIC's curves

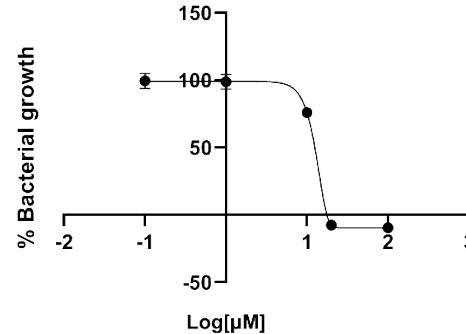
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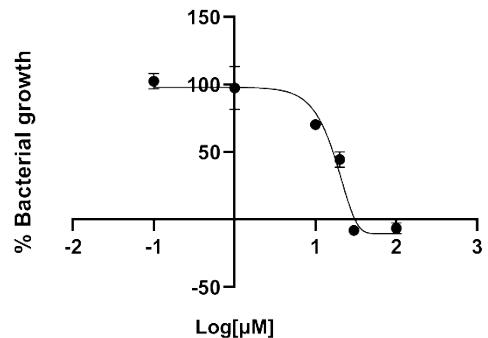
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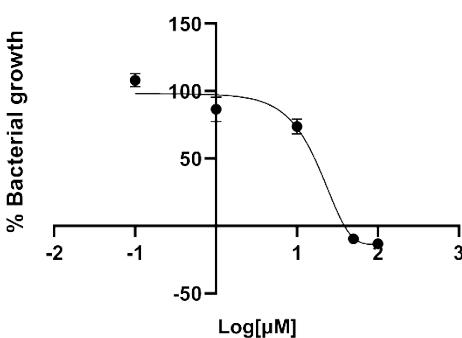
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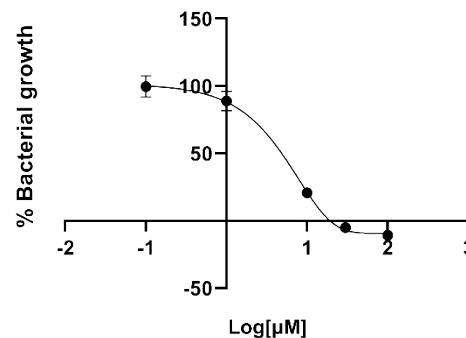
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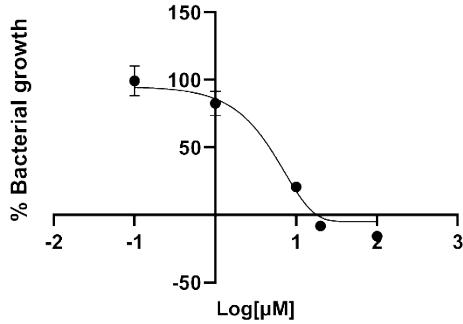
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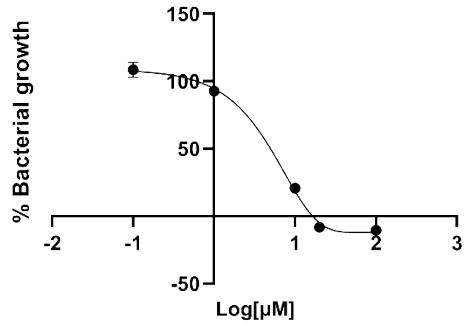
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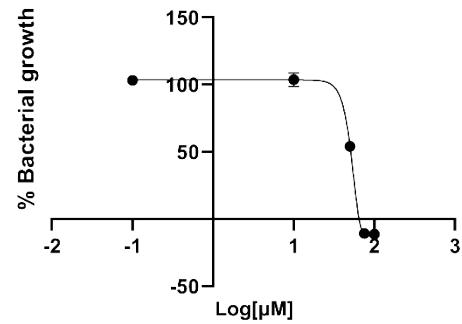
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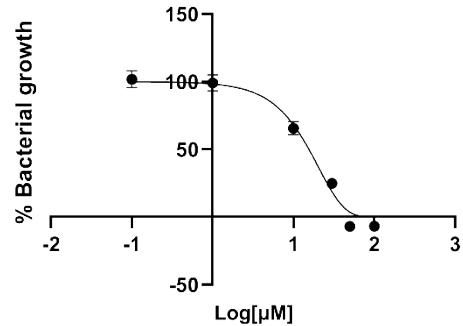
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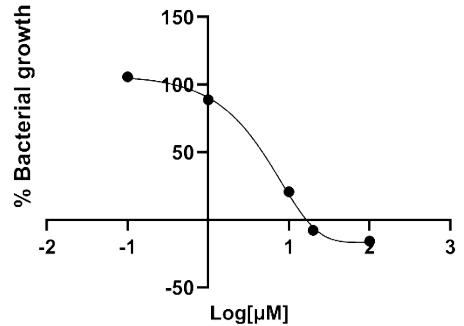
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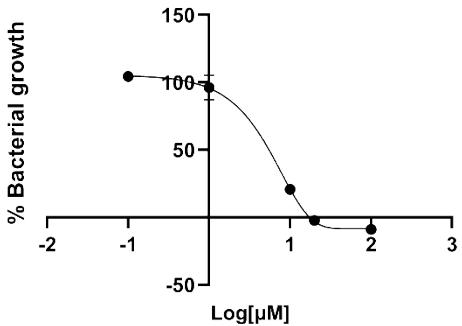
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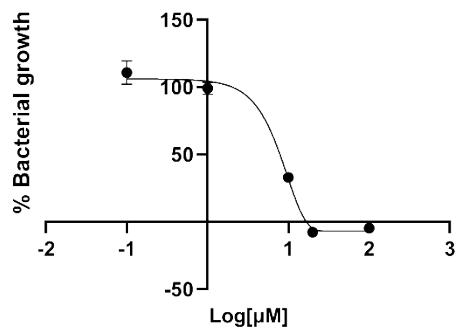
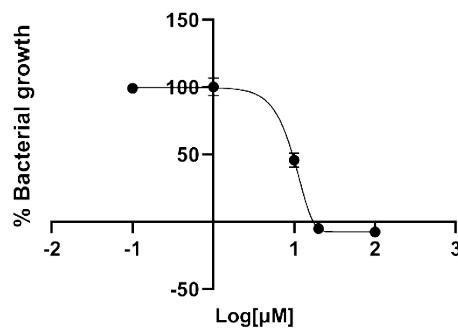
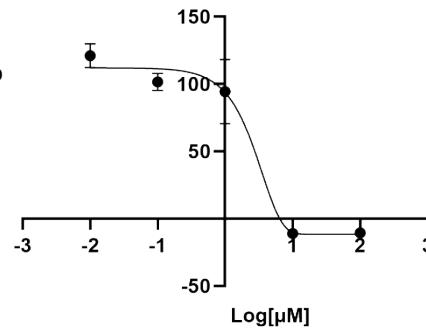
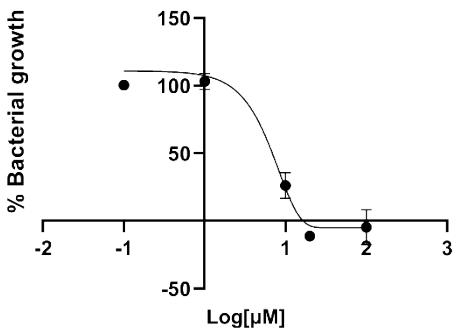
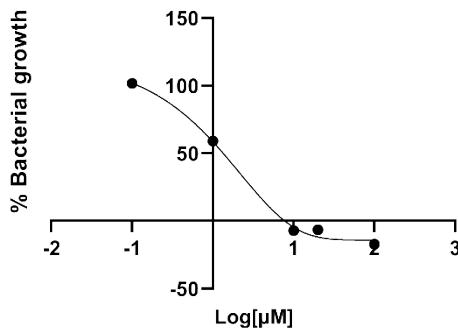
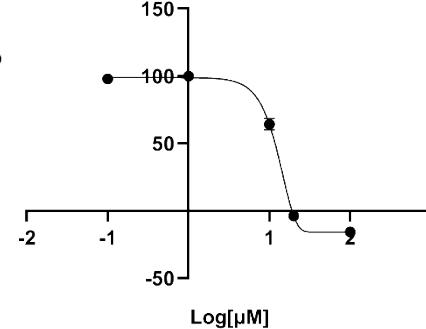
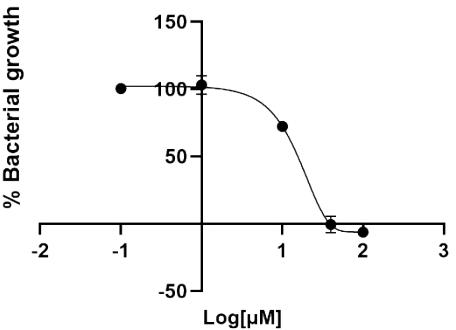
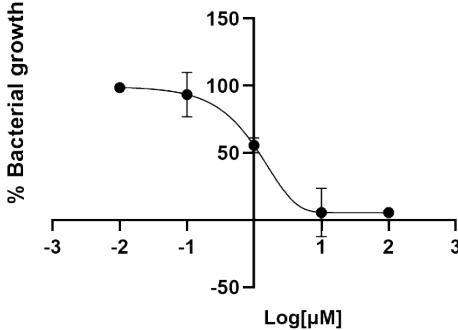
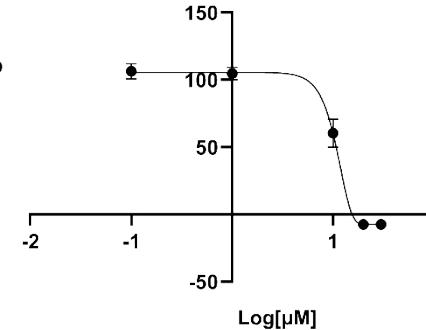


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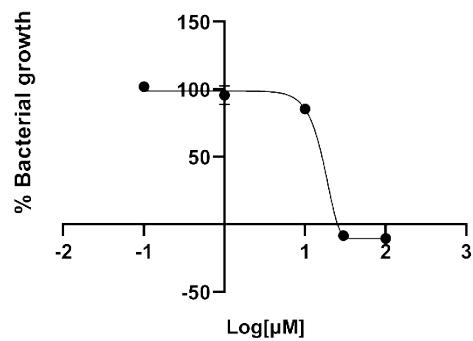


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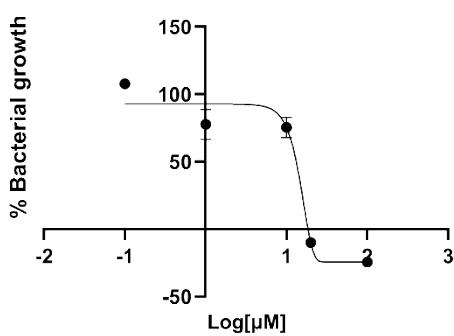


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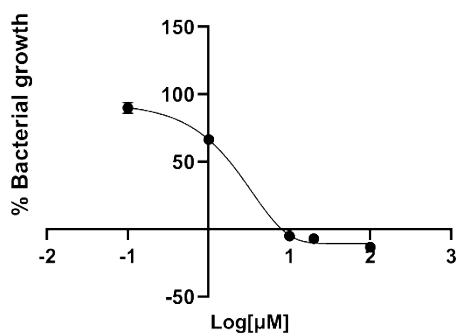
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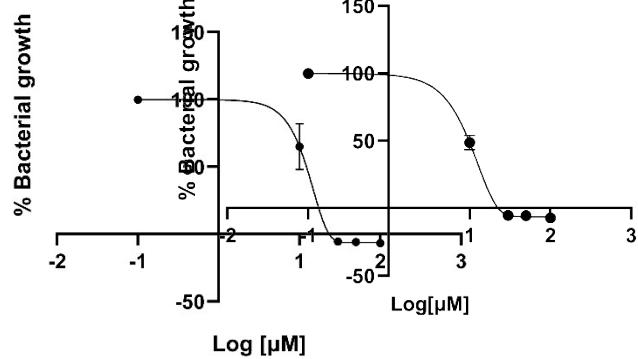
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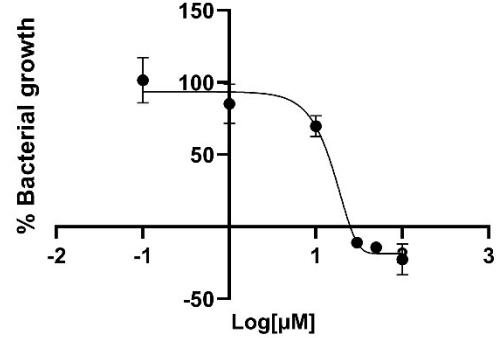
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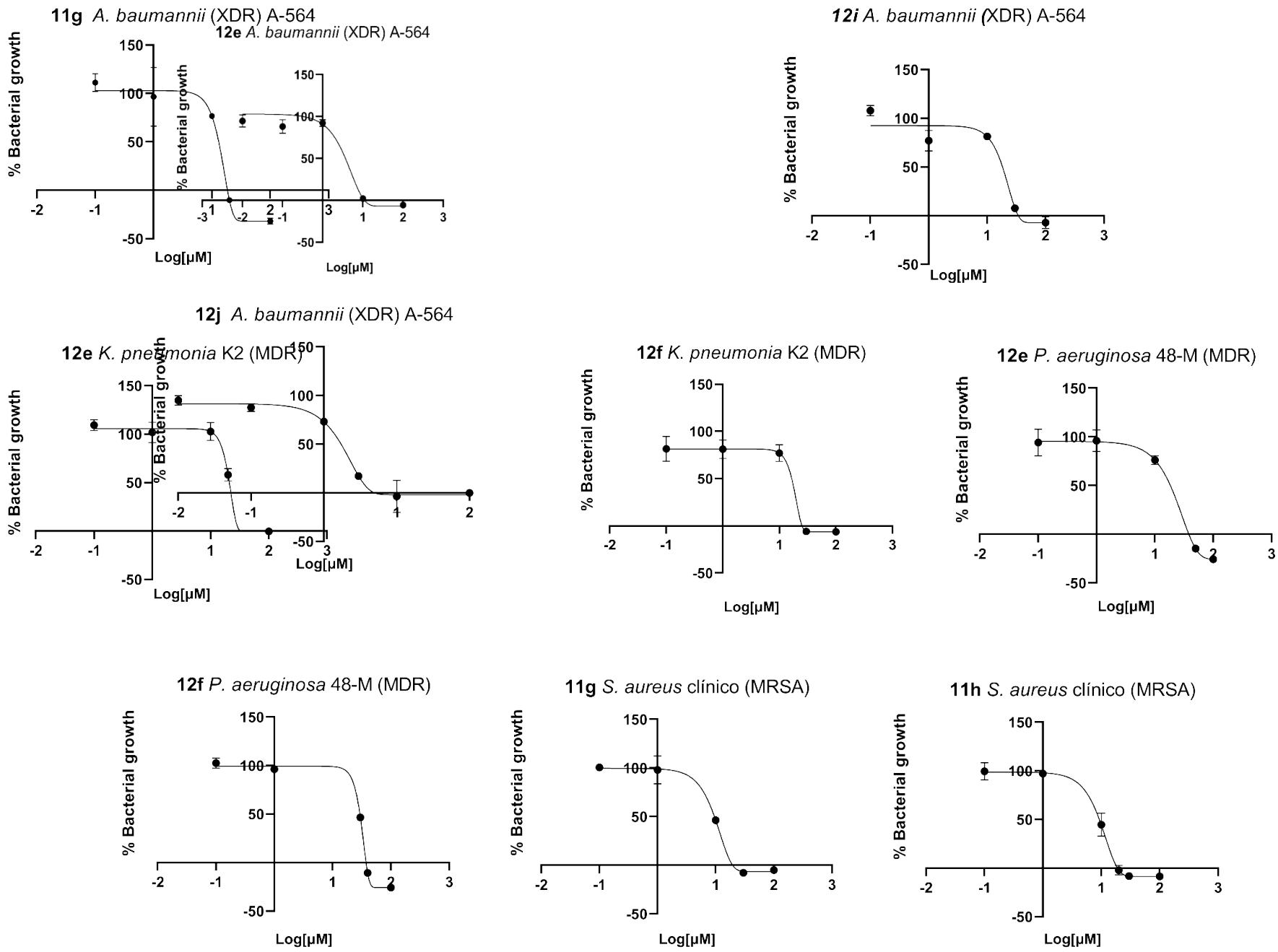


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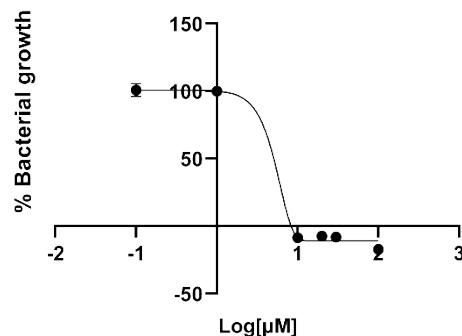


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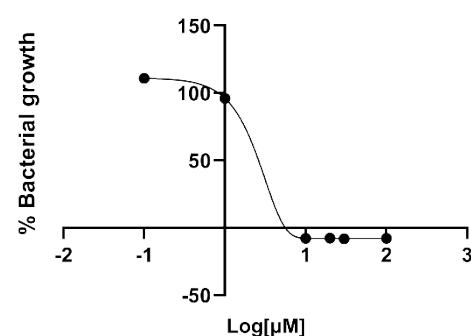




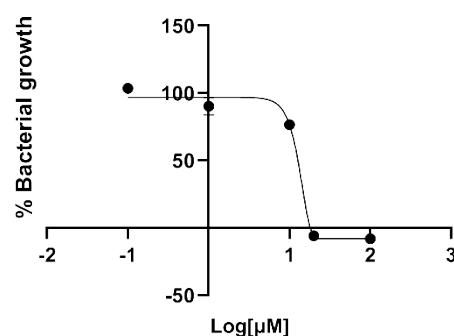
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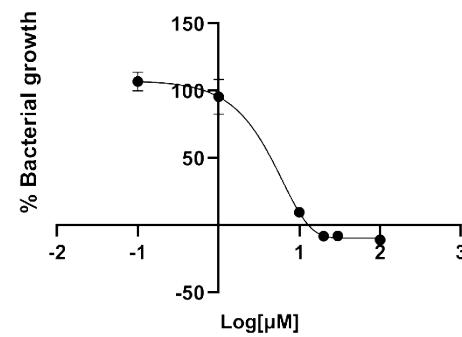
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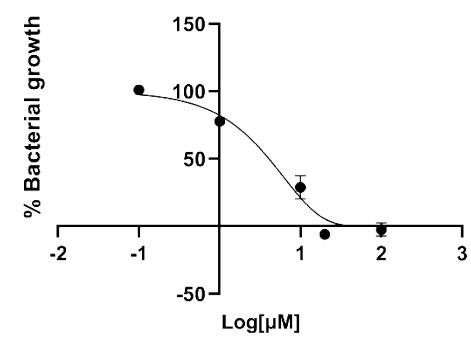
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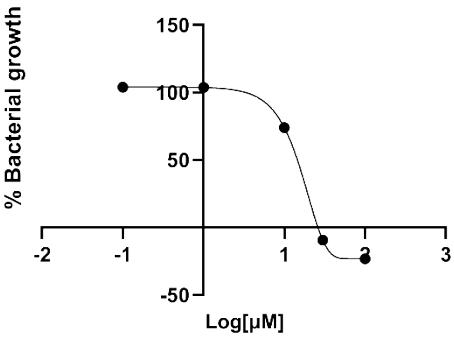
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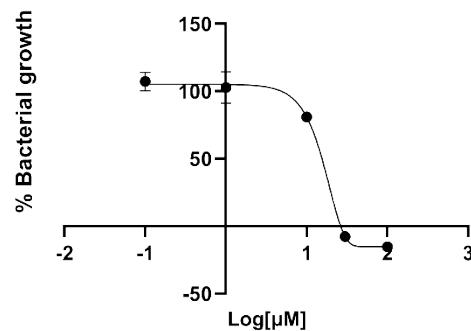
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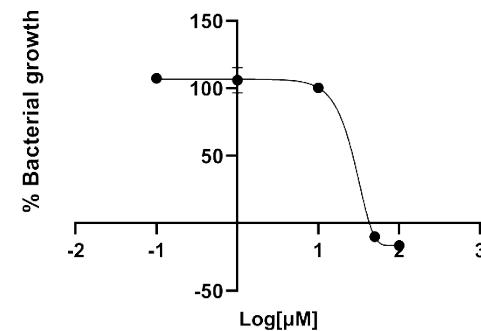
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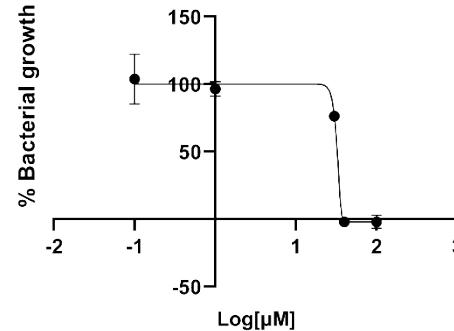
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**12i** *S. aureus* ATCC 25923

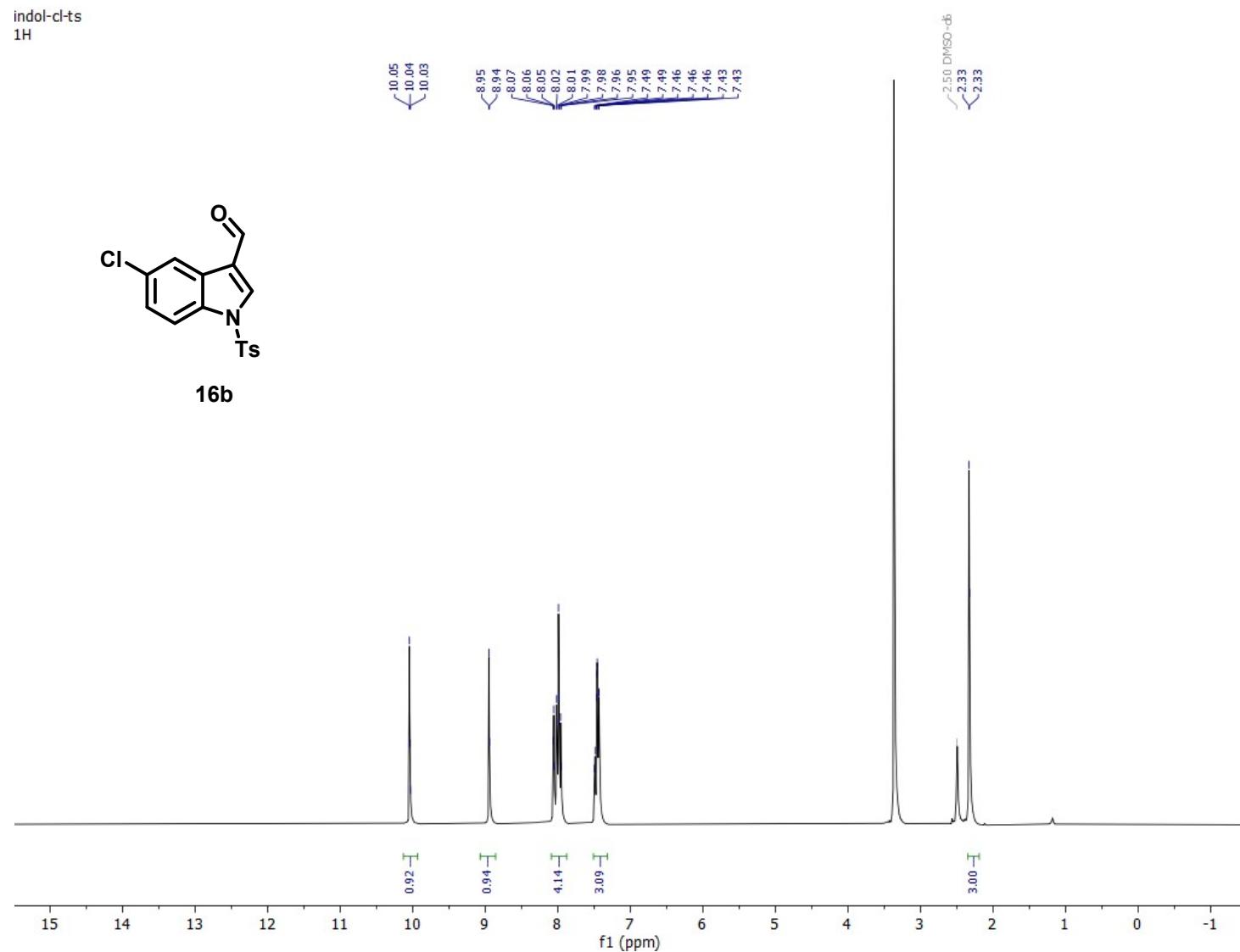


**12j** *S. aureus* ATCC 25923

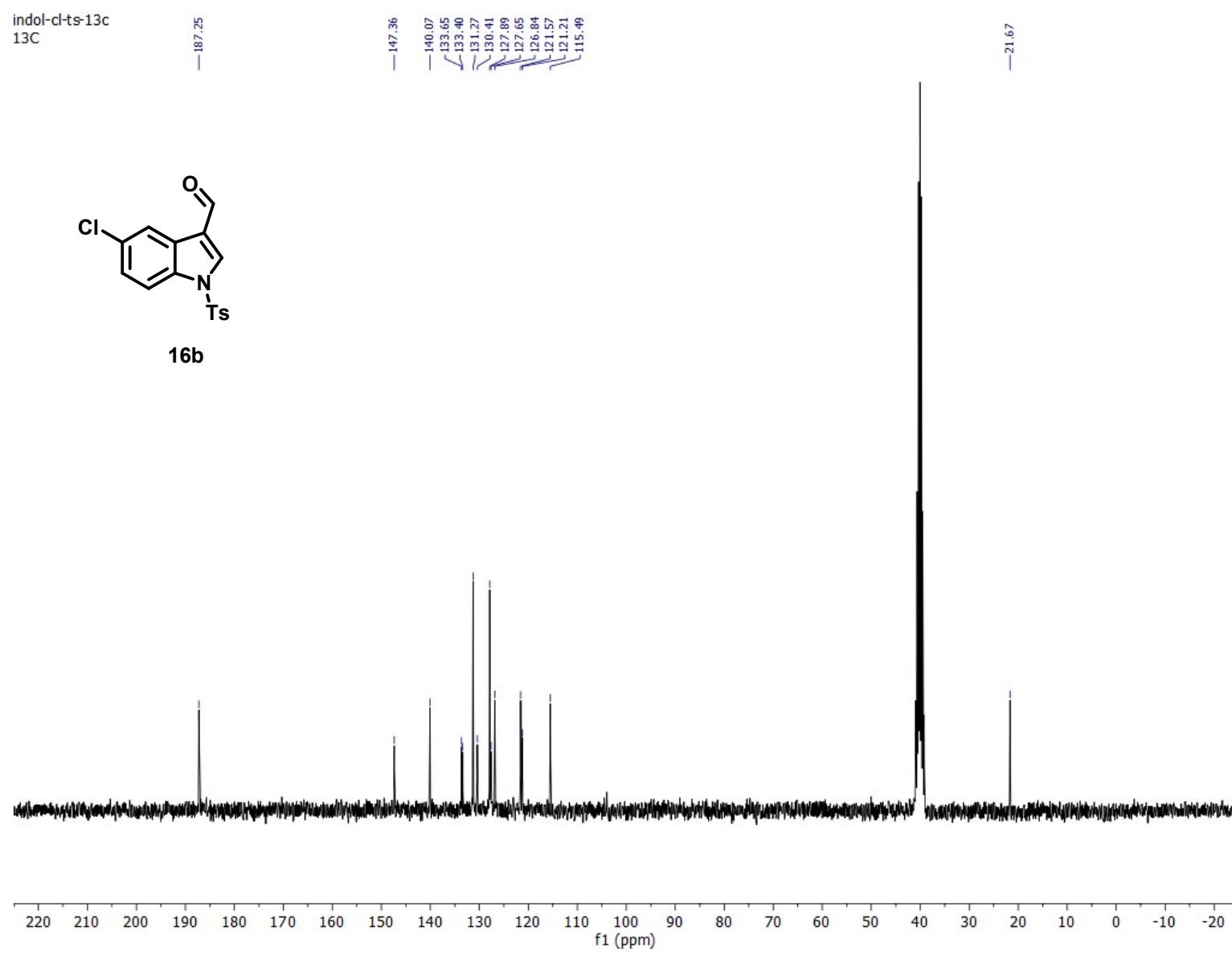


**2  $^1\text{H}$  NMR,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR and HRMS spectrum of all compounds.**

## 2.1 Compound 16b



**Figure 1.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **16b** (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

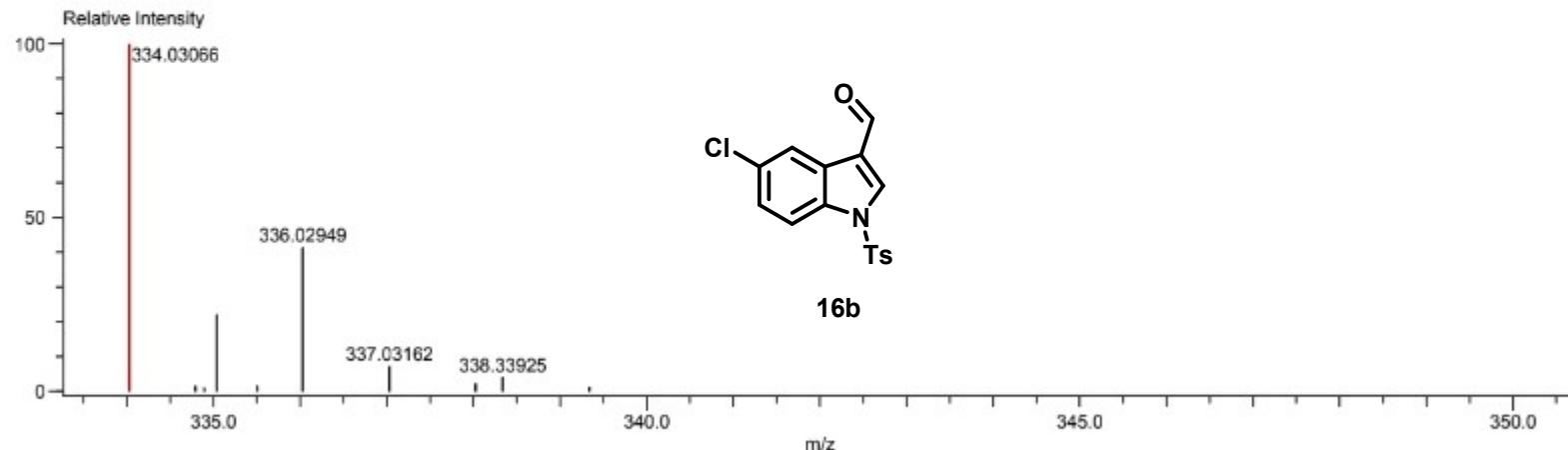


**Figure 2.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **16b** (76 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1546\_4-ald  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0.0)

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 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 18, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 2, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1

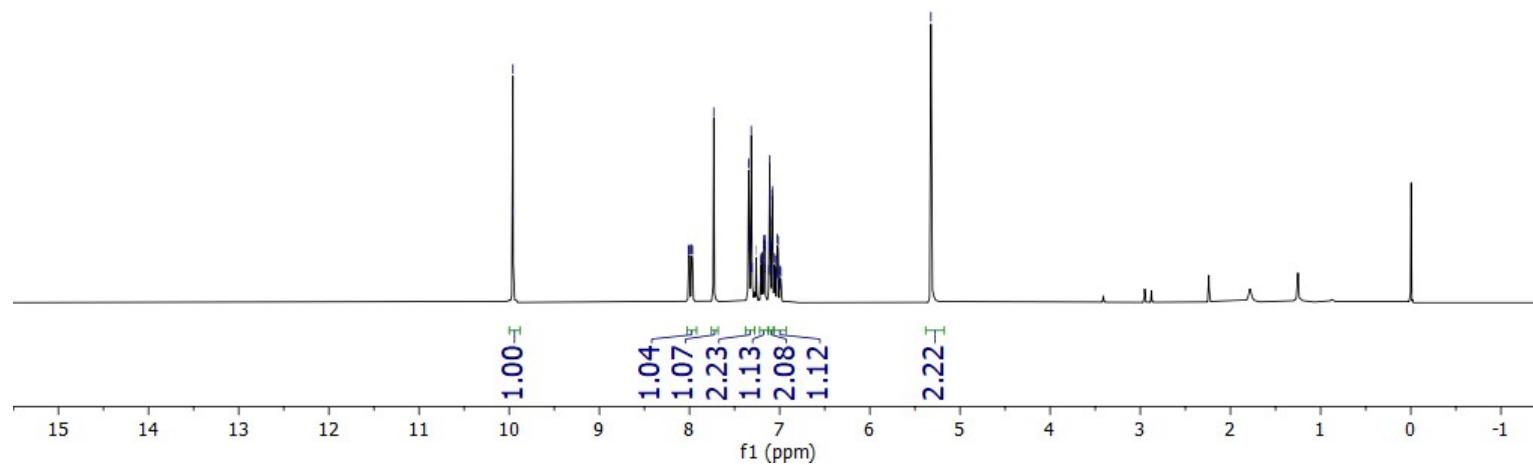
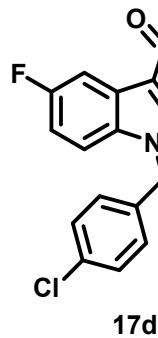


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
334.03066	69058.66	334.03047	0.19	0.58	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>16</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>13</sub> <sup>35</sup> Cl <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>1</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>32</sup> S <sub>1</sub>	11.5

**Figure 3.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **16b**.

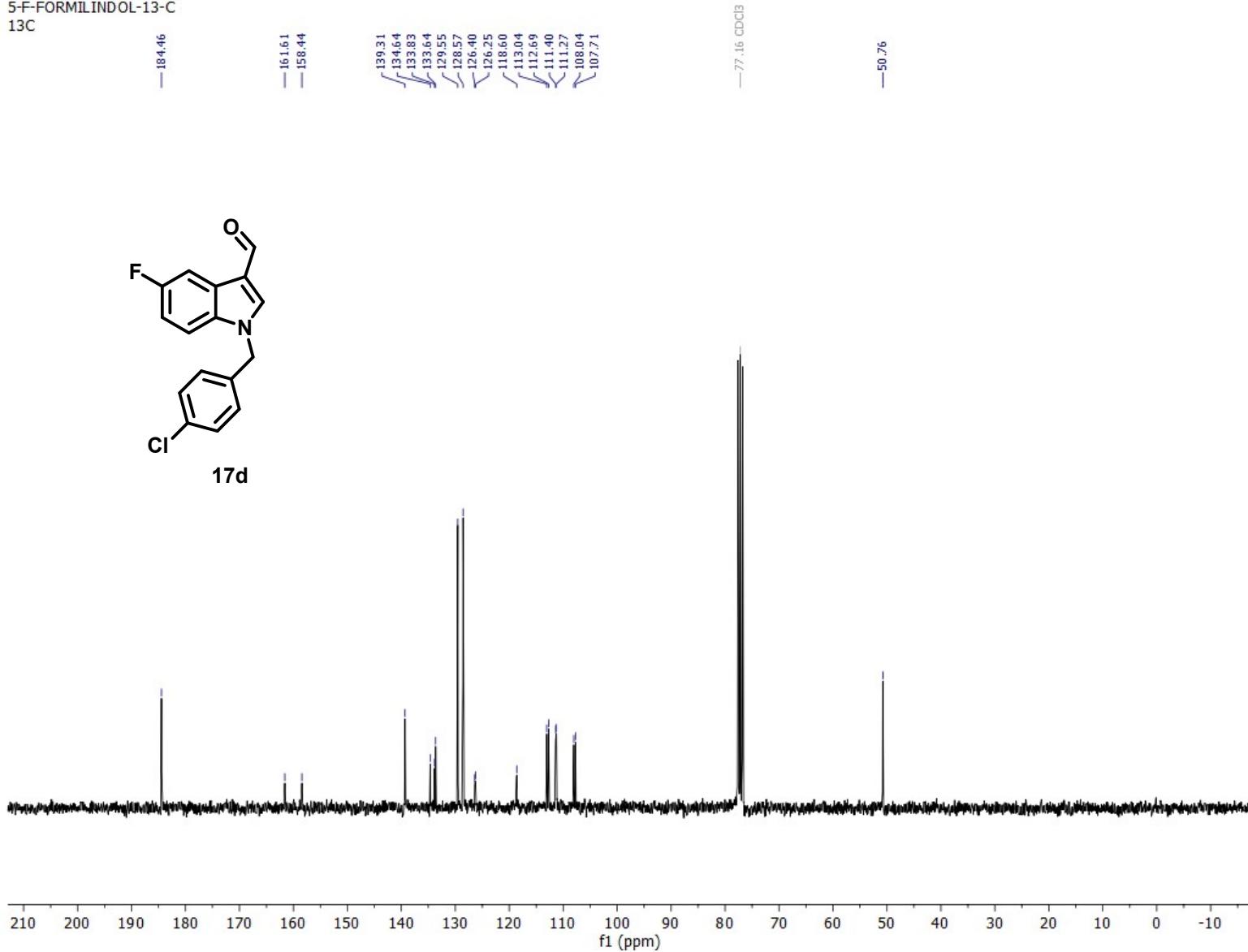
## 2.2 Compound 17d

5-F-FORMIL-INDOL  
1H



**Figure 4.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 17d (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

5-F-FORMILINDOL-13-C  
13C



**Figure 5.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **17d** (76 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:1926 5-F-Indol-3F  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador Javier Perez  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0..1)

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 Created:9/18/2024 3:23:20 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:3.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 18, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 1, <sup>19</sup>F:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 2  
 Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)

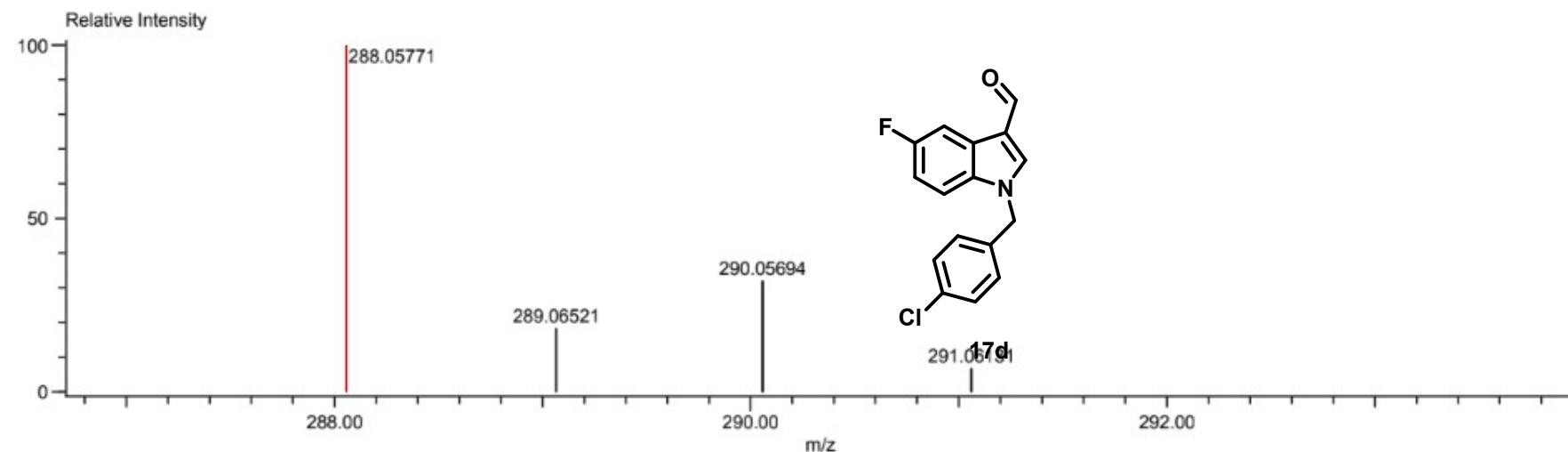
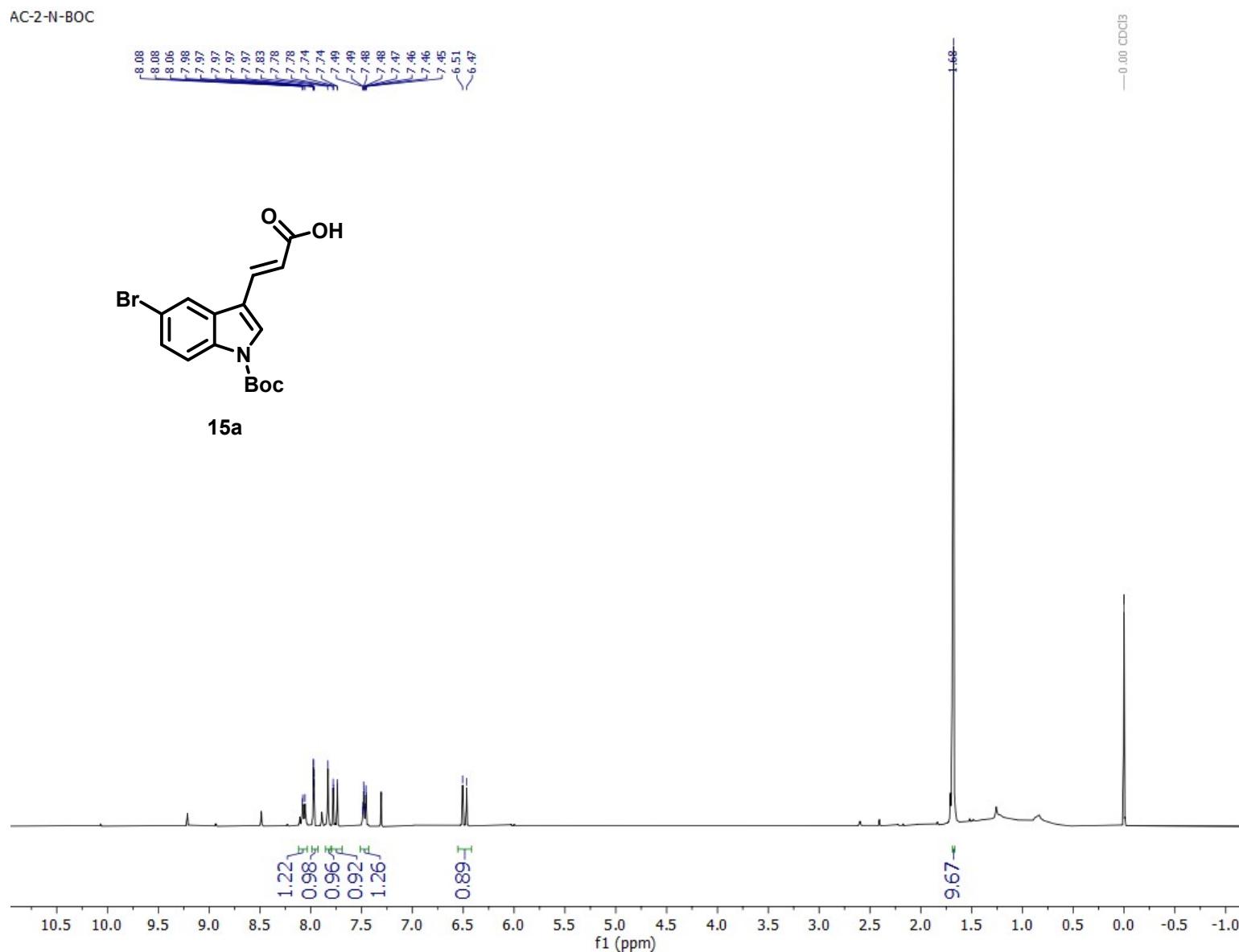
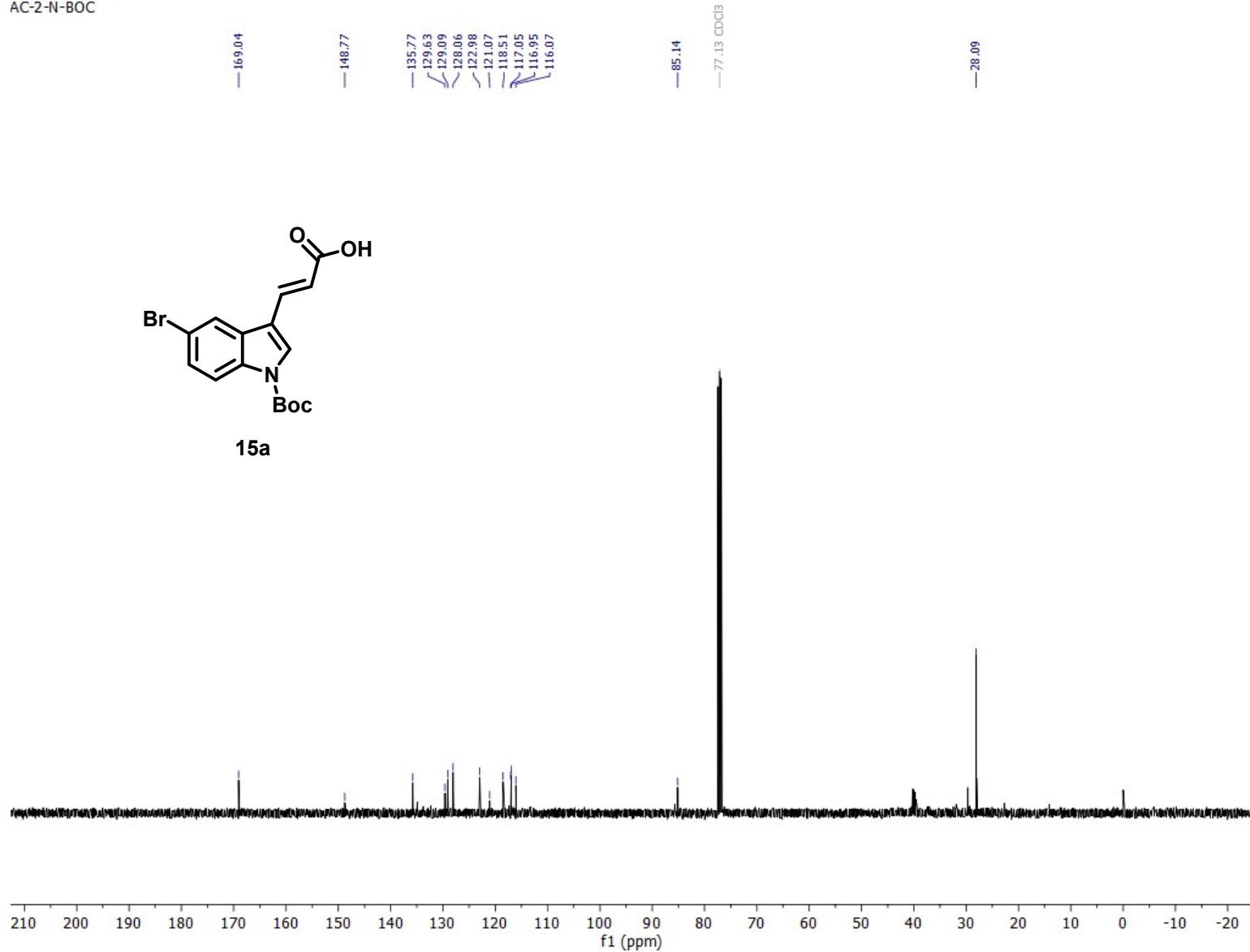


Figure 6. HRMS spectrum of 17d.

## 2.3 Compound 15a

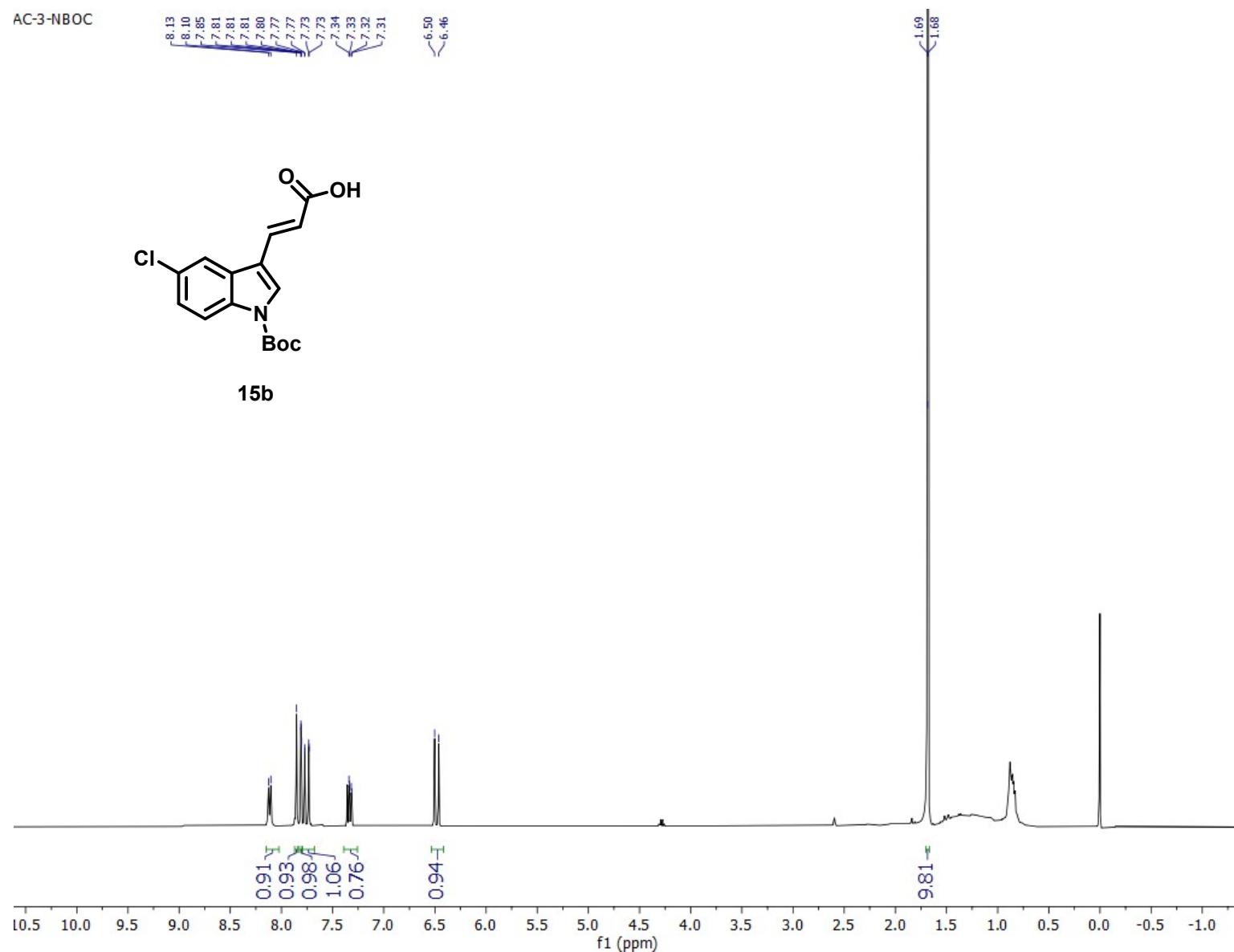


**Figure 7.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **15a** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).



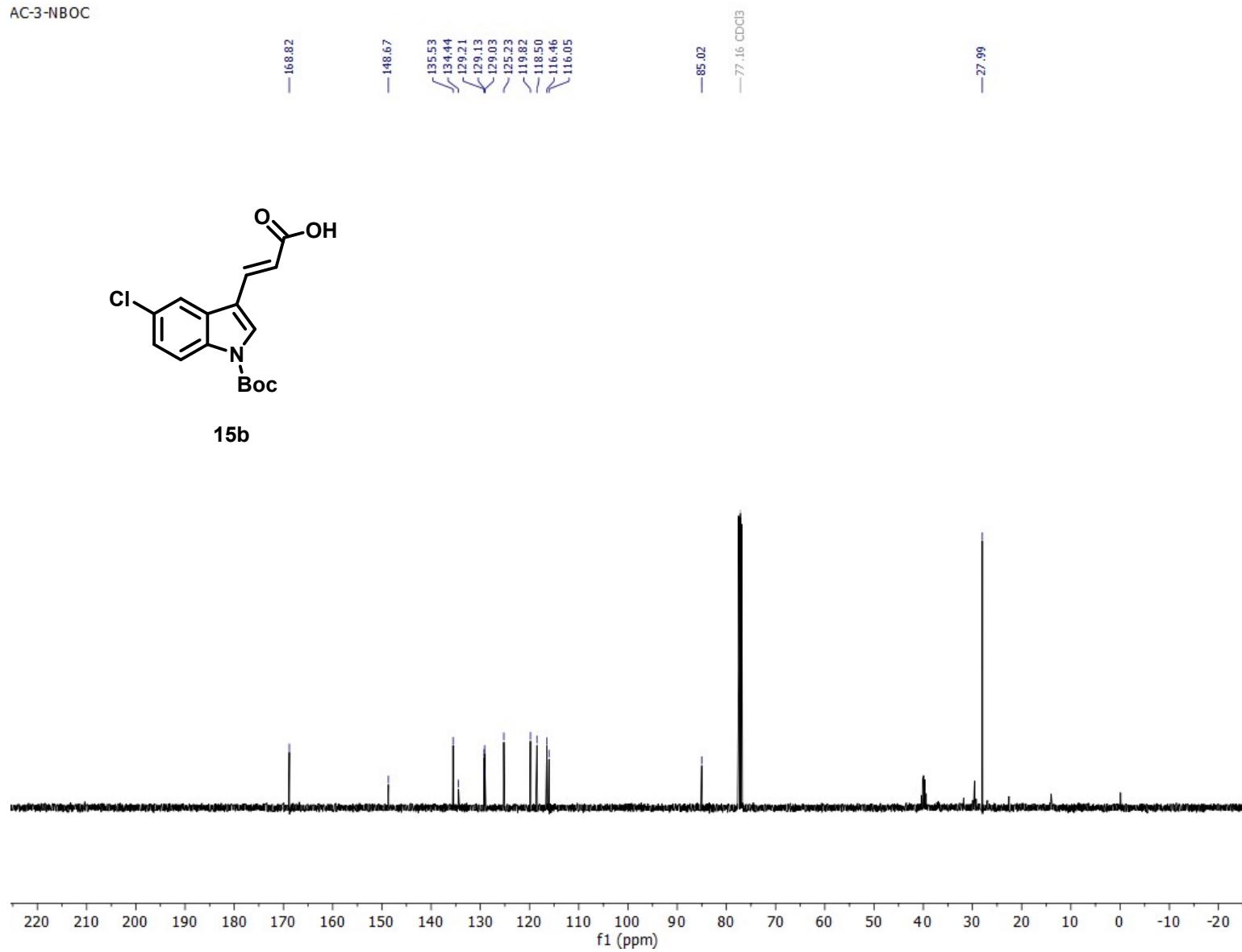
**Figure 8.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **15a** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

## 2.4 Compound 15b



**Figure 9.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **15b** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

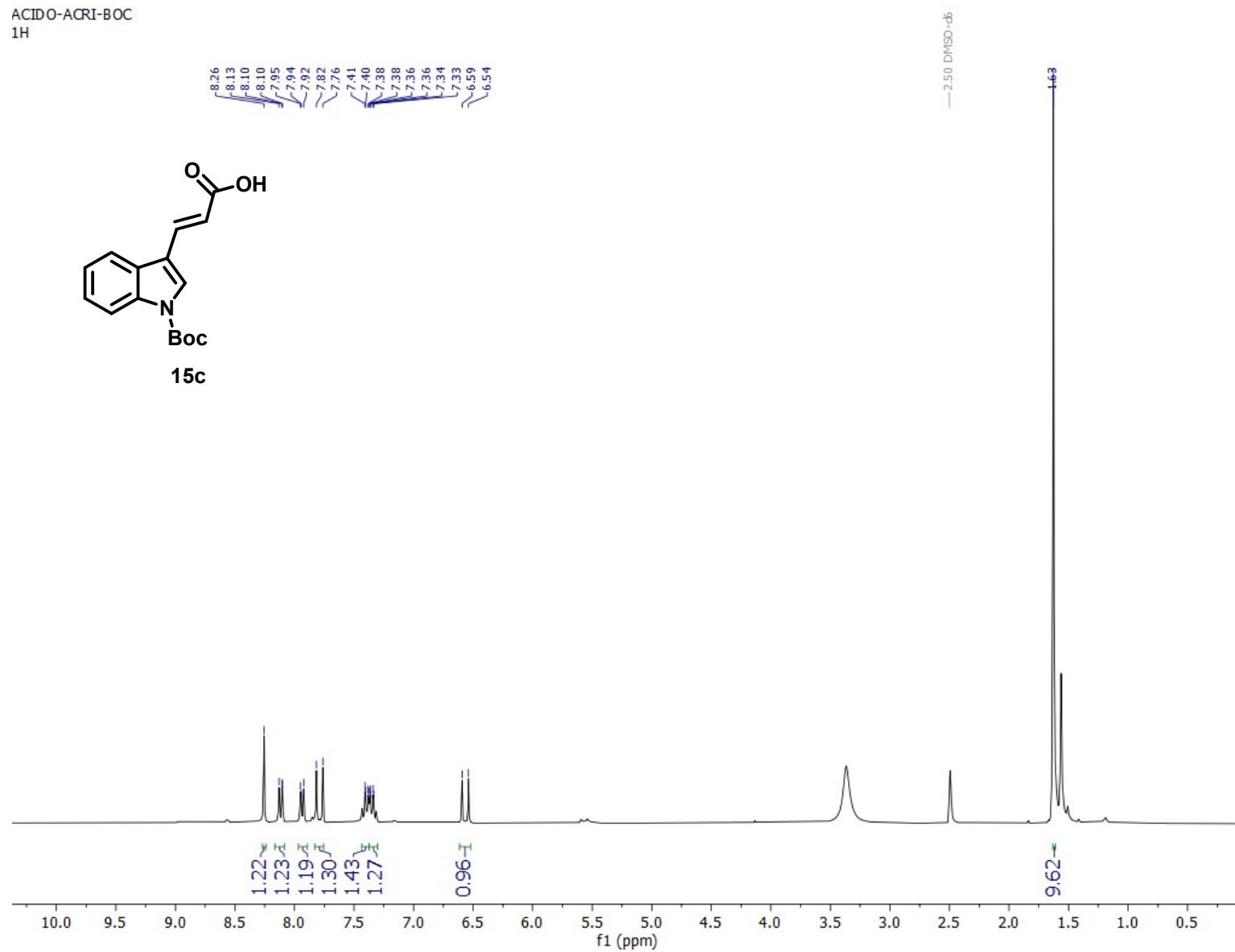
AC-3-NBOC



**Figure 10.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **15b** (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

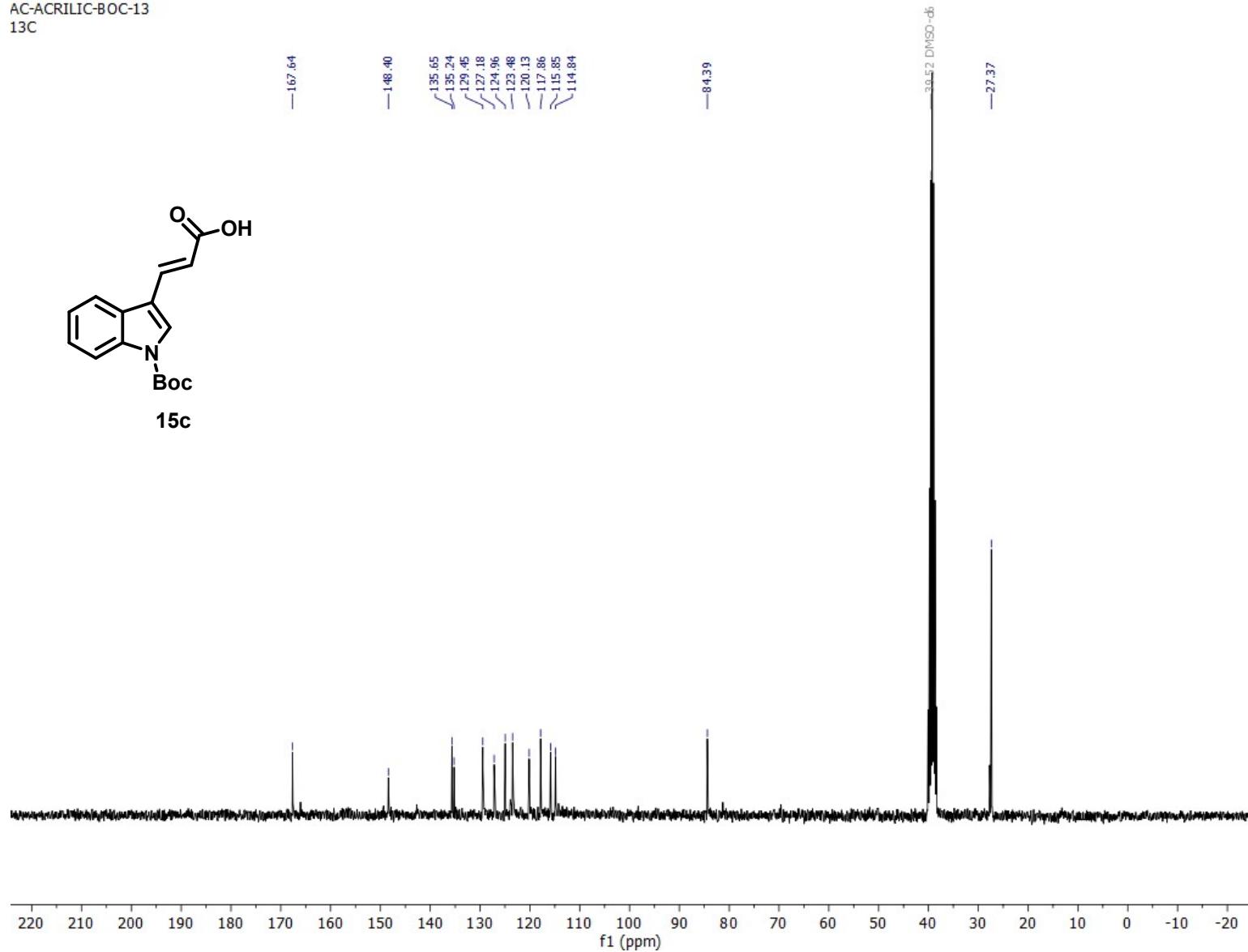
## 2.5 Compound 15c

ACIDO-ACRI-BOC  
1H



**Figure 11.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **15c** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

AC-ACRILIC-BOC-13  
13C



**Figure 12.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **15c** (101 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).

## 2.6 Compound 9a

Br-Ts-Acrylic-Acid-2

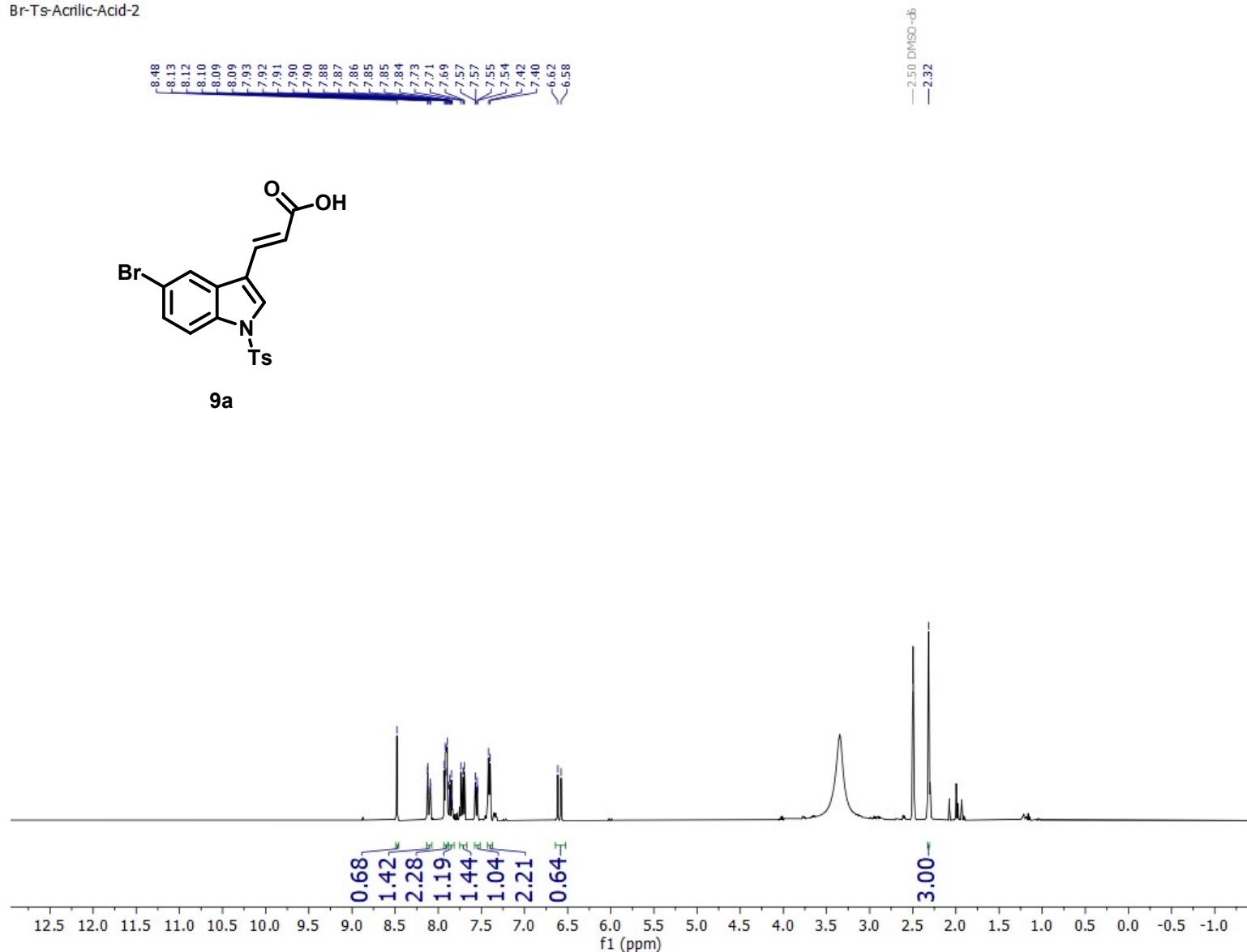
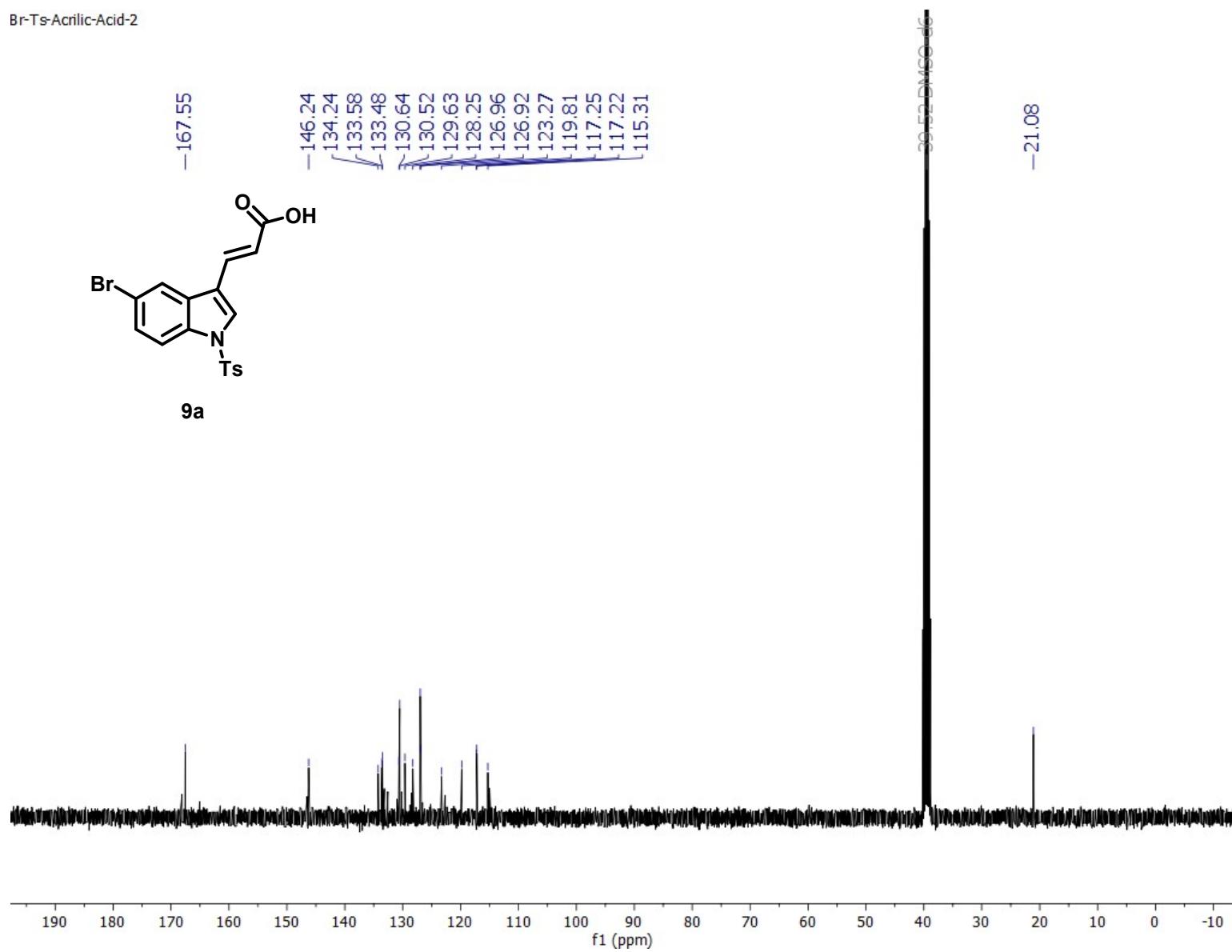


Figure 13. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 9a (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Br-Ts-Acrylic-Acid-2

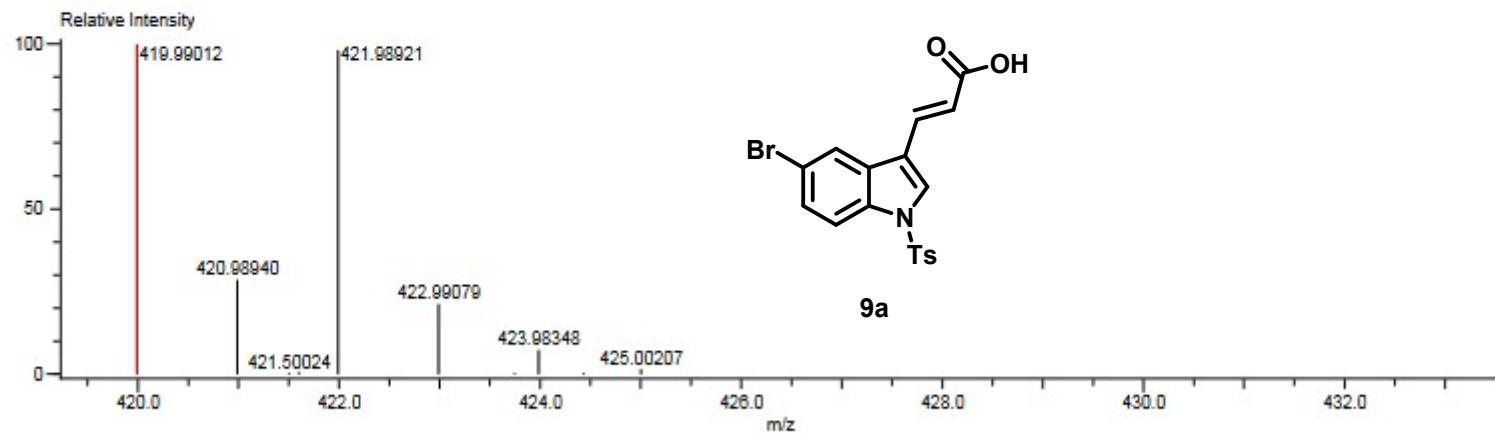


**Figure 14.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **9a** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

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 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area]];Correct Base[5.0%];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)

Acquired:6/19/2024 12:51:11 PM  
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Charge number:1 Tolerance:2.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 18, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>7</sup>Br:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1  
 Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 1000.0 (Fraction:Both)



**Figure 15.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **9a**.

## 2.7 Compound 9b

Indol-Cl-Ts-acrilico

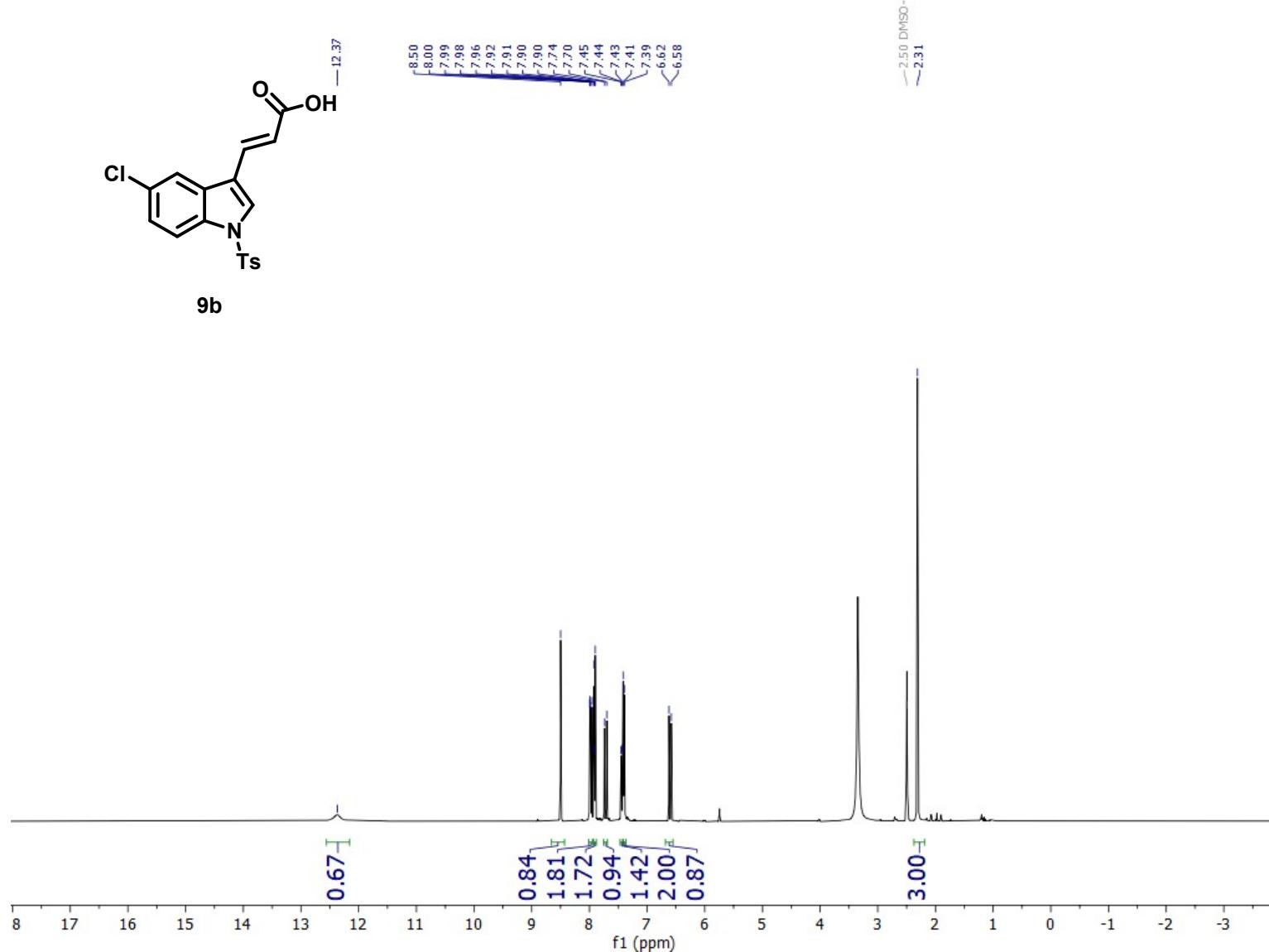
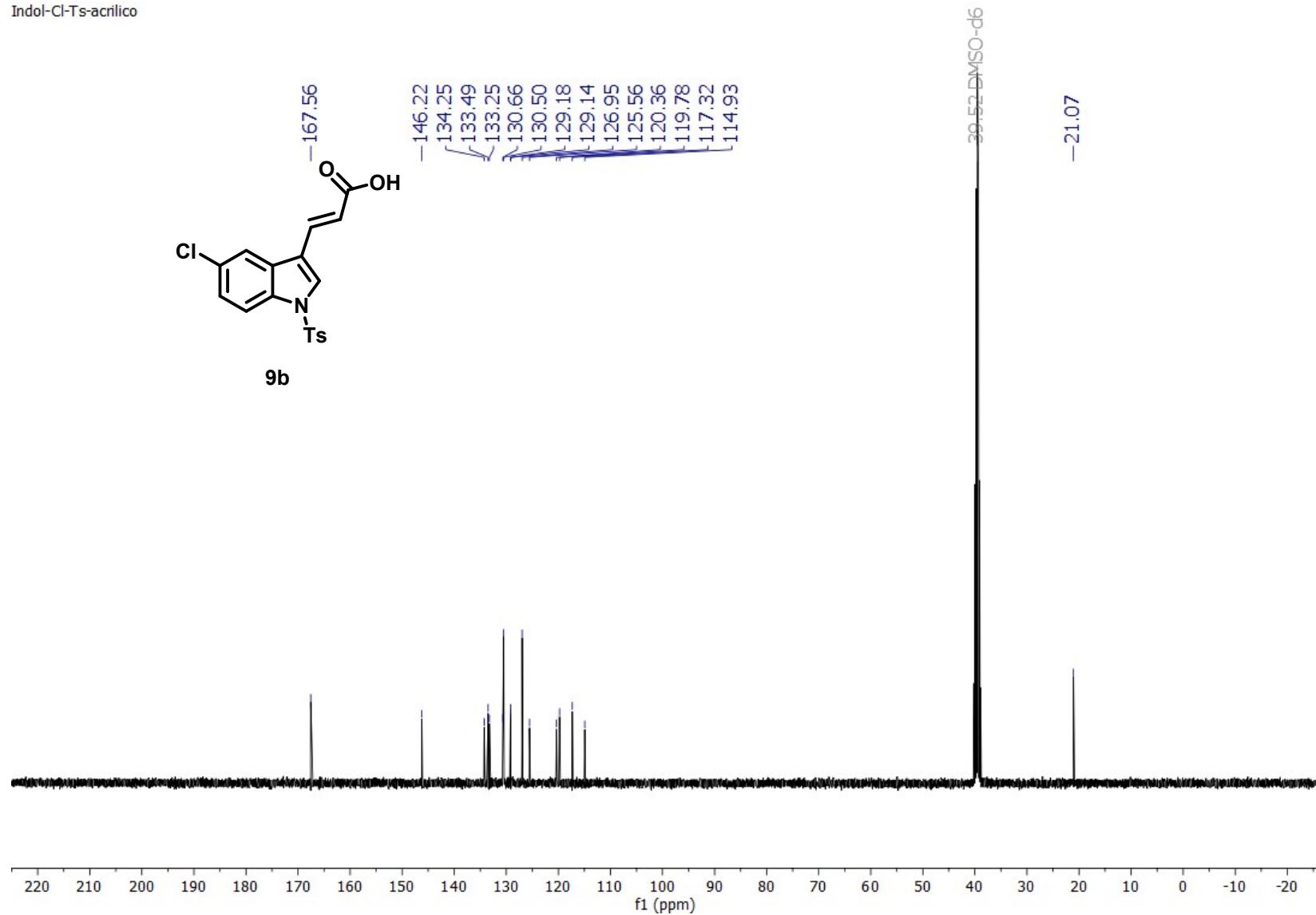


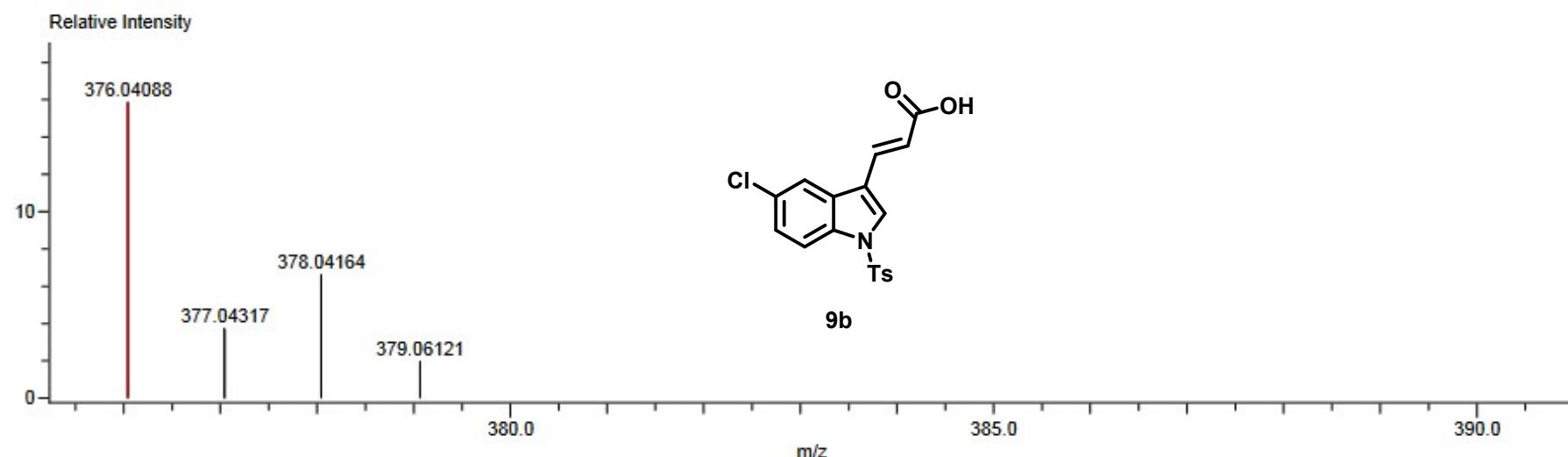
Figure 16. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 9b (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 17.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **9c** (400 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).

Data:1542\_4b  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)  
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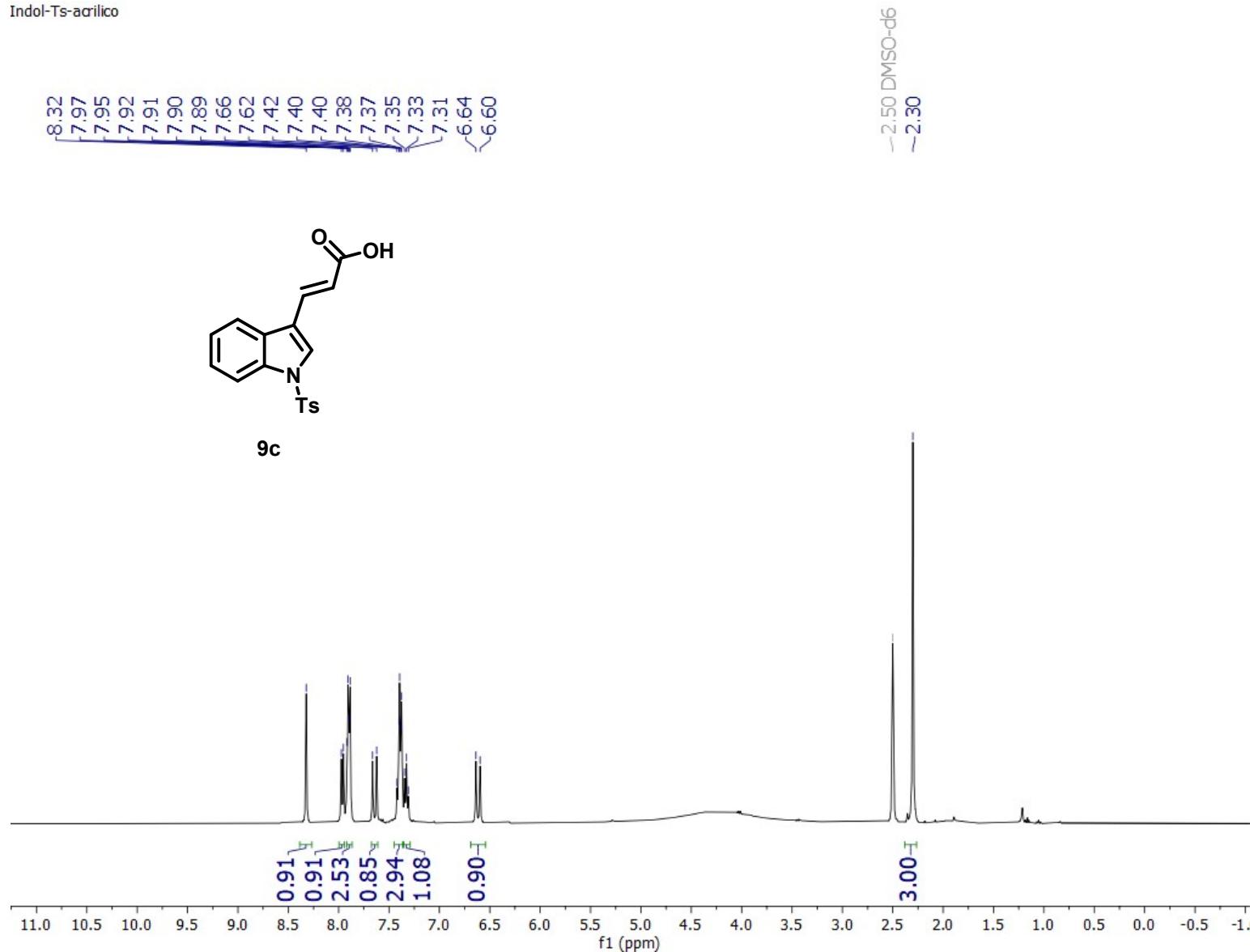
Charge number:1 Tolerance:2.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 18, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 2, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1  
Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 1000.0 (Fraction:Both)



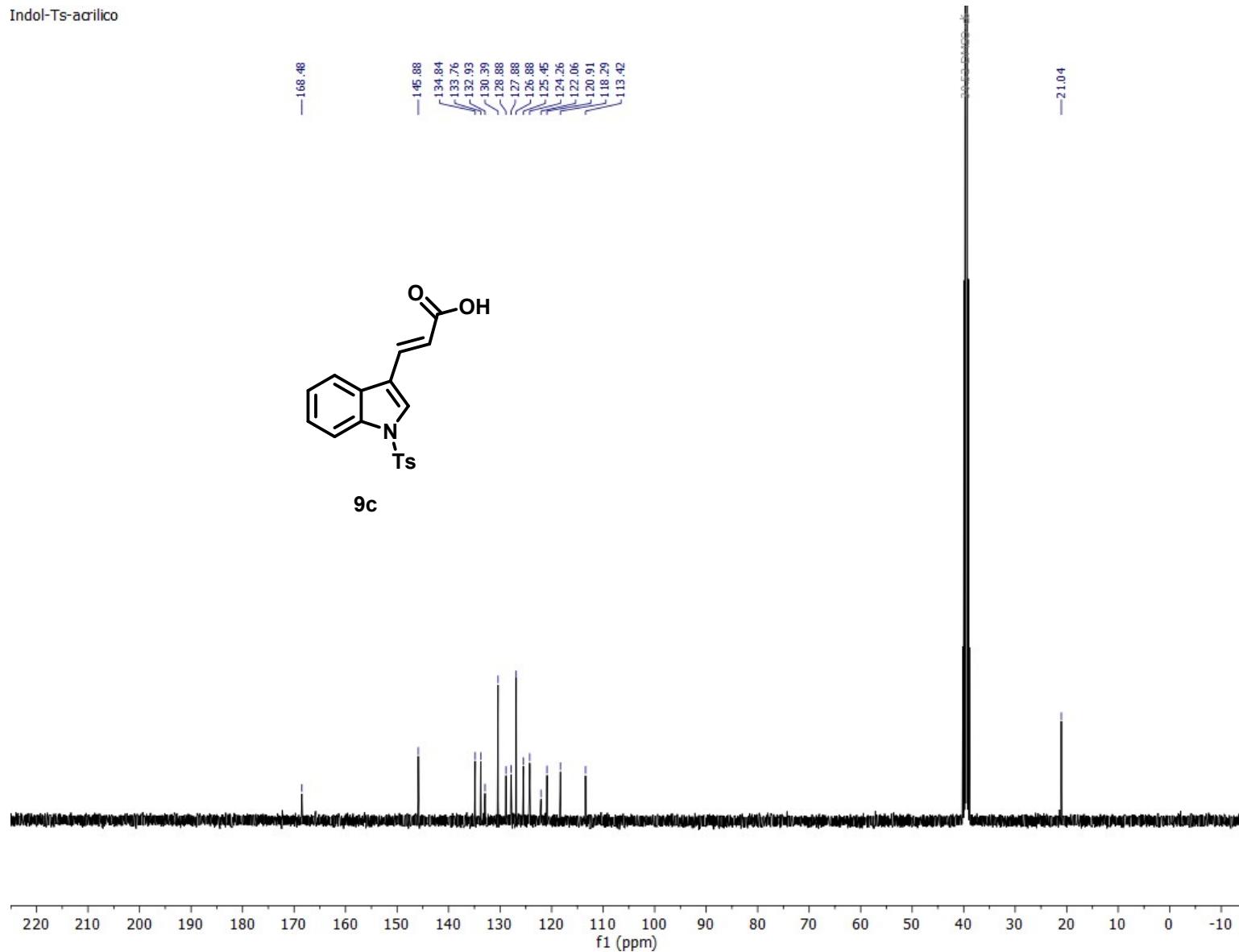
**Figure 18.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of 9b.

## 2.8 Compound 9c

Indol-Ts-acrílico



**Figure 19.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **9c** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 20.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **9c** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1543\_8a  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0.0)

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Charge number:1 Tolerance:3.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu) Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 1000.0 (Fraction:Both)  
Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1

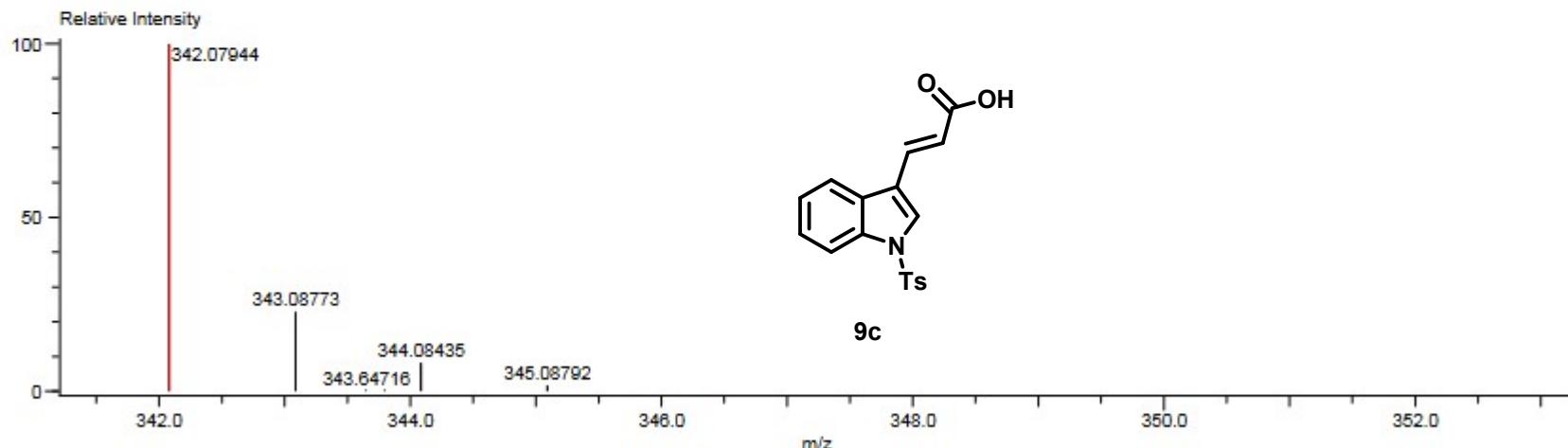
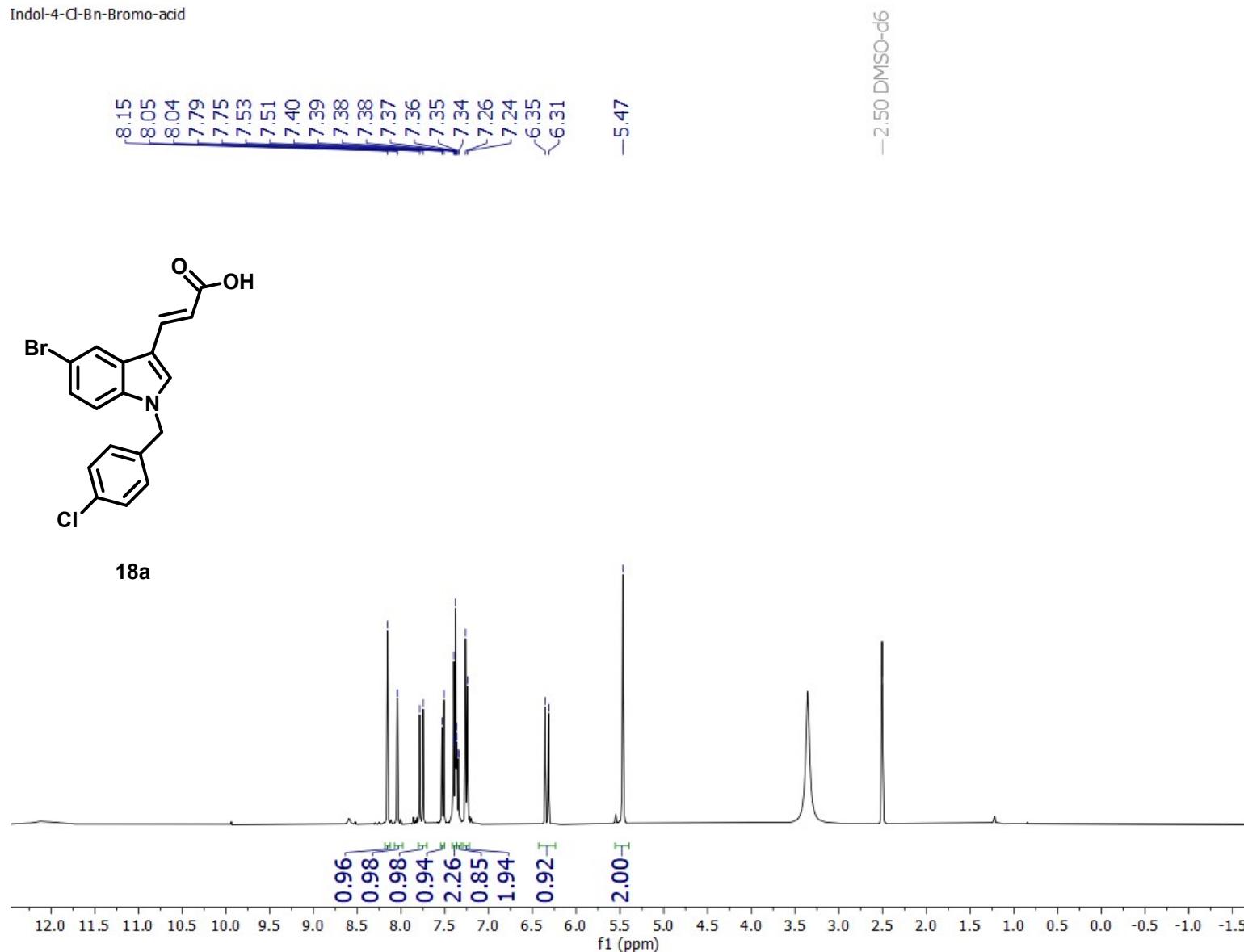


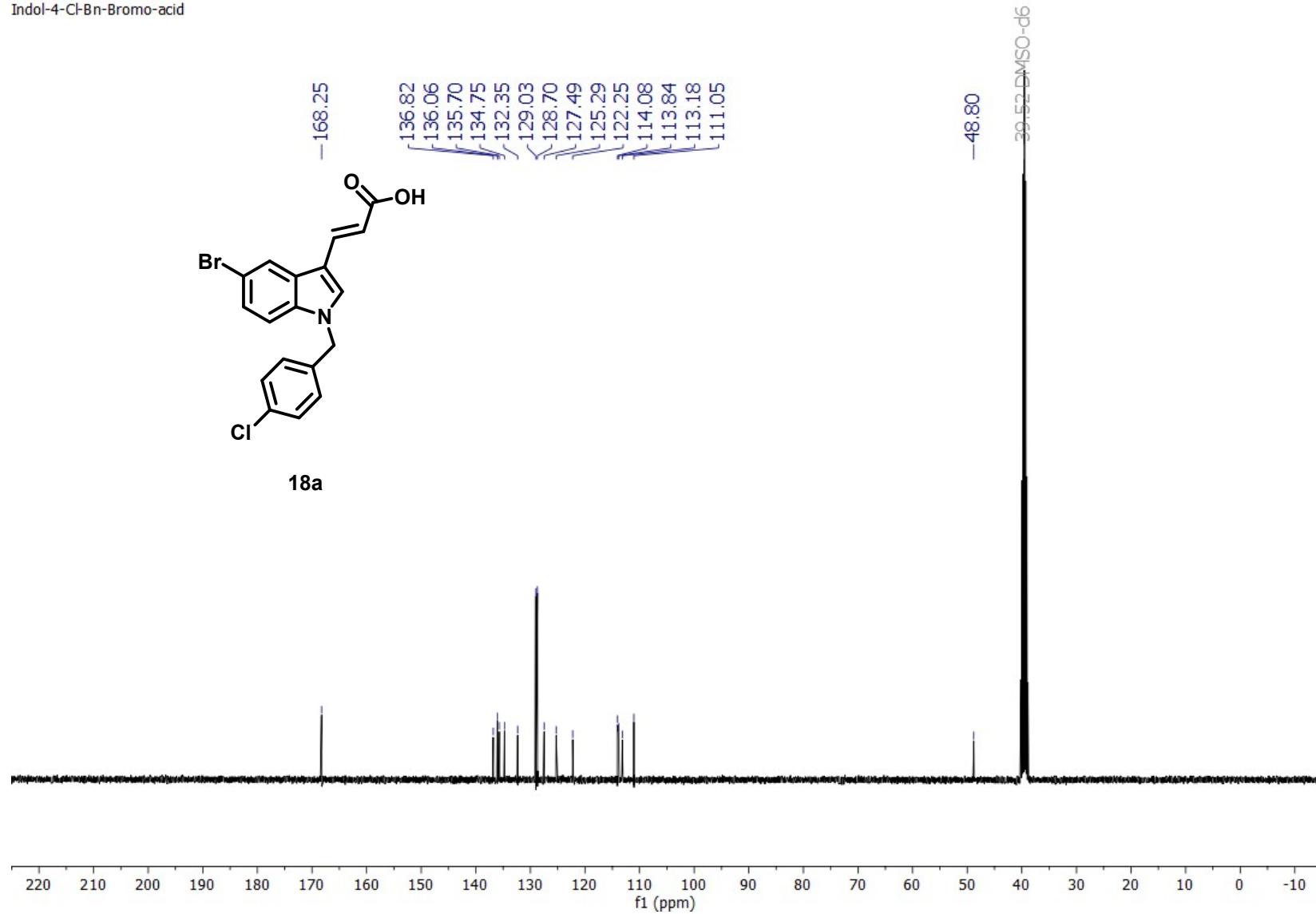
Figure 21. ESI-HRMS spectrum of **9c**.

## 2.9 Compound 18a

Indol-4-Cl-Bn-Bromo-acid



**Figure 22.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 18a (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 23.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **18a** (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1544\_1b  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)

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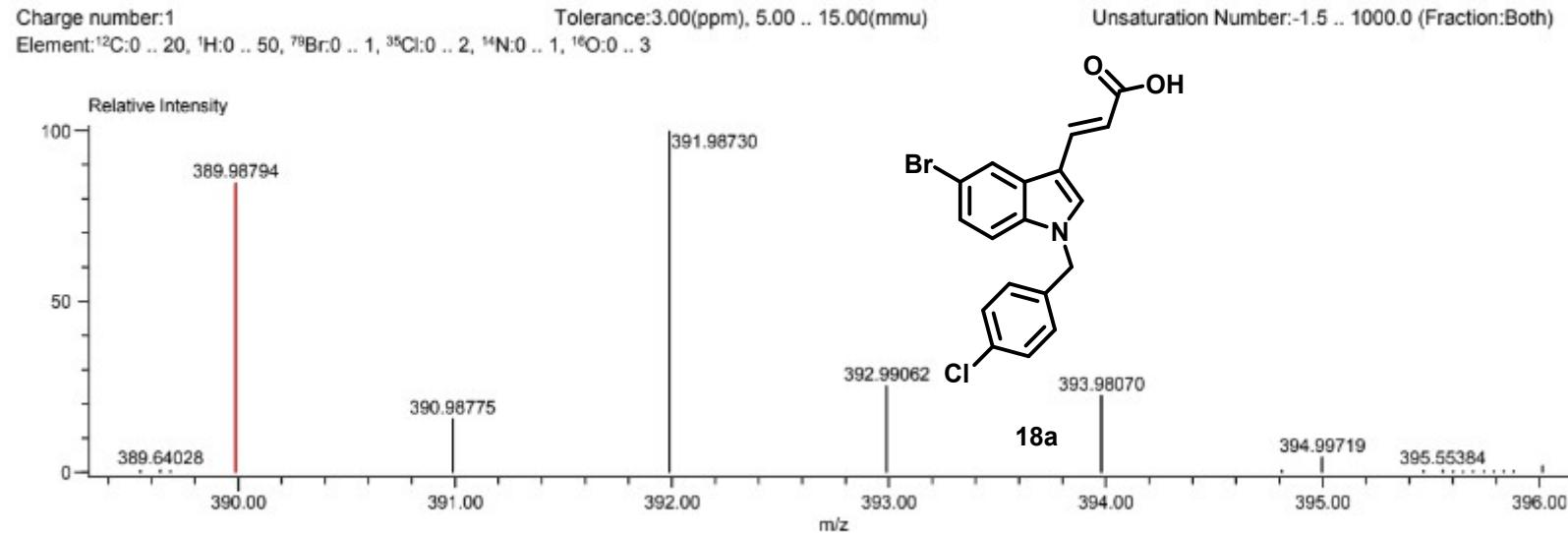
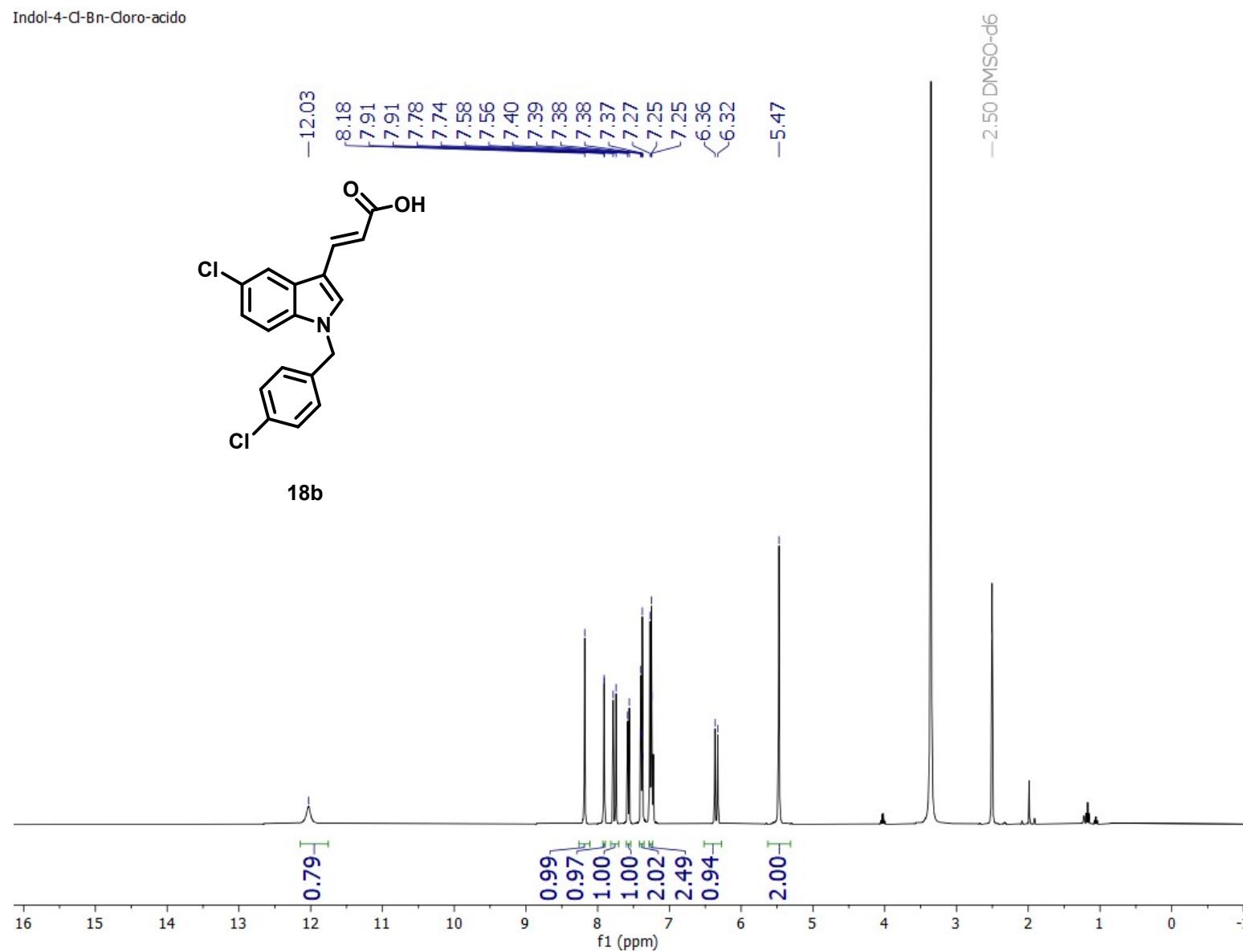


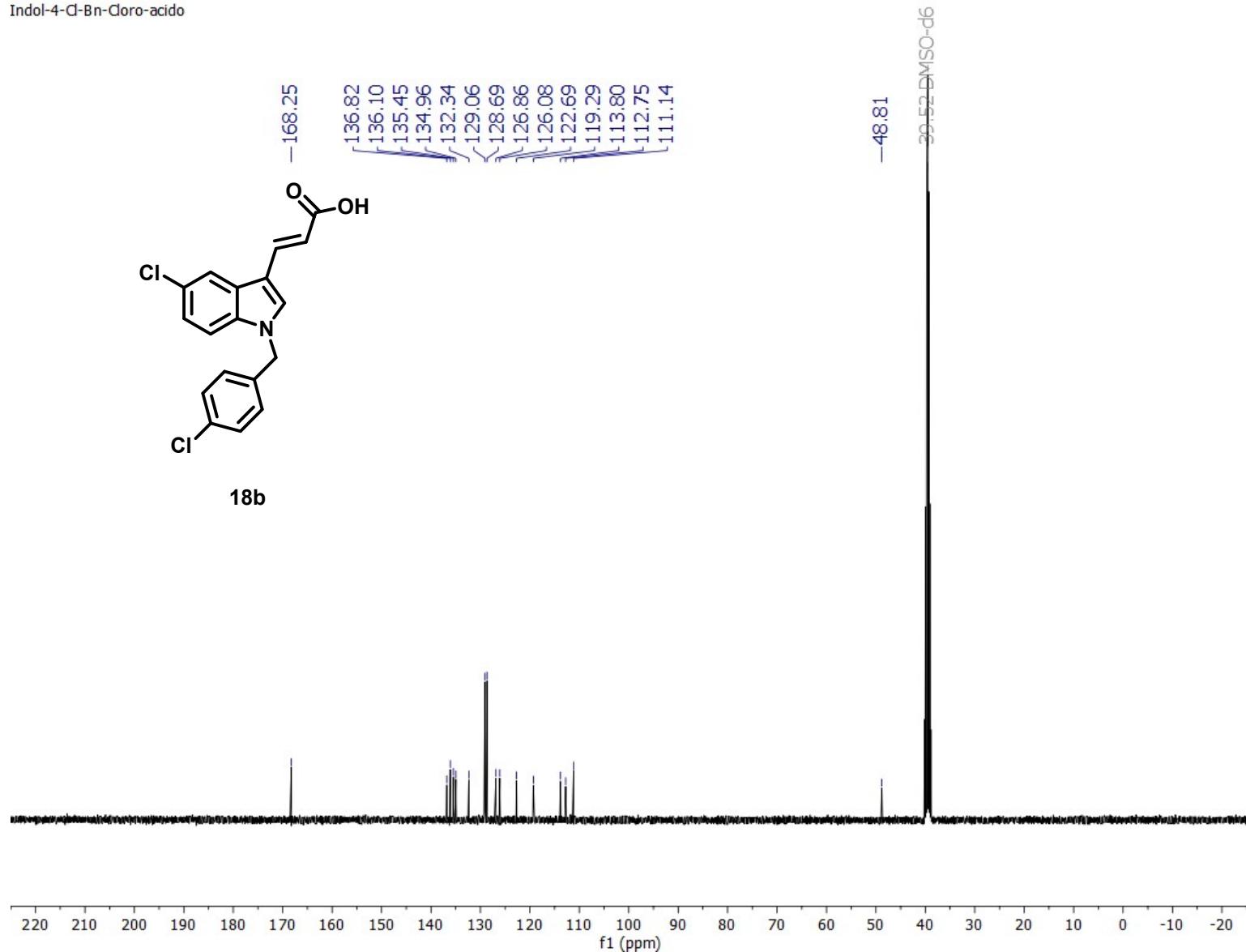
Figure 24. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 18a.

## 2.10 Compound 18b



**Figure 25.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **18b** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

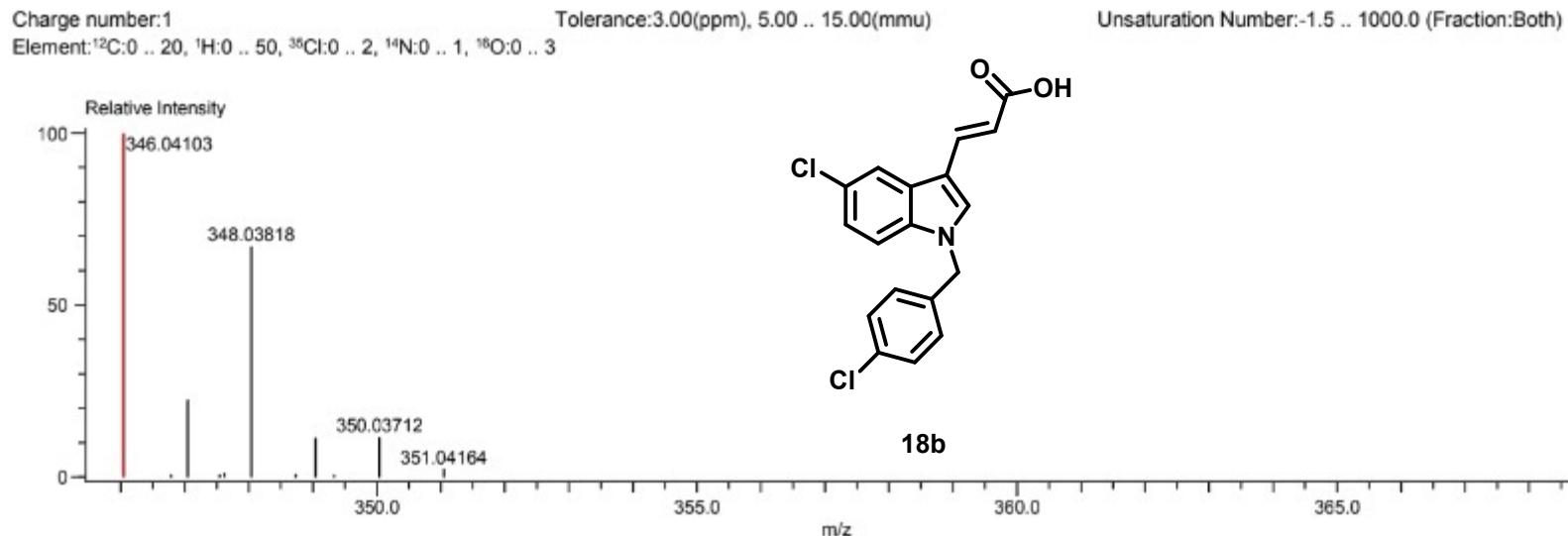
Indol-4-Cl-Bn-Chloro-acido



**Figure 26.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **18b** (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

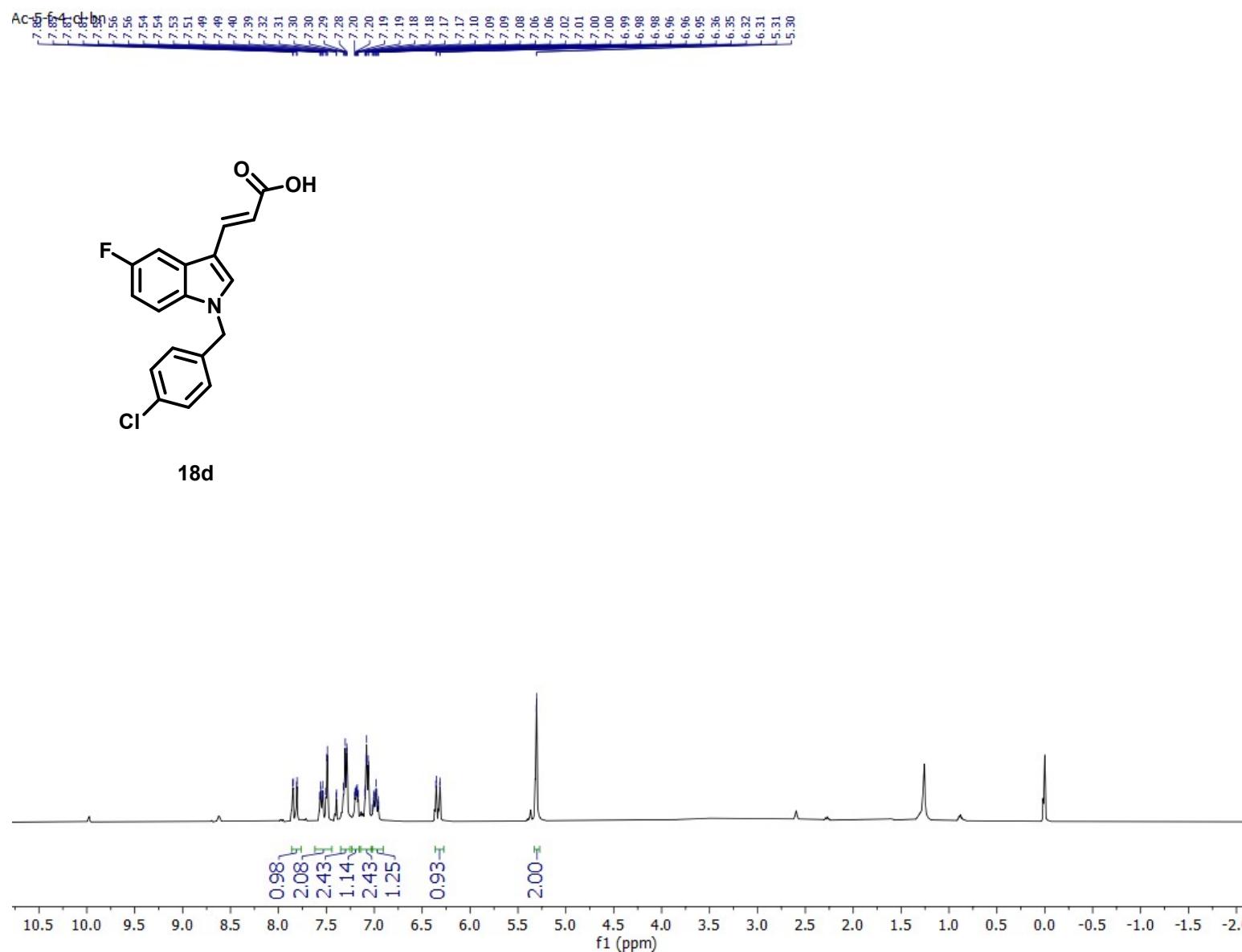
Data:1545\_9b  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
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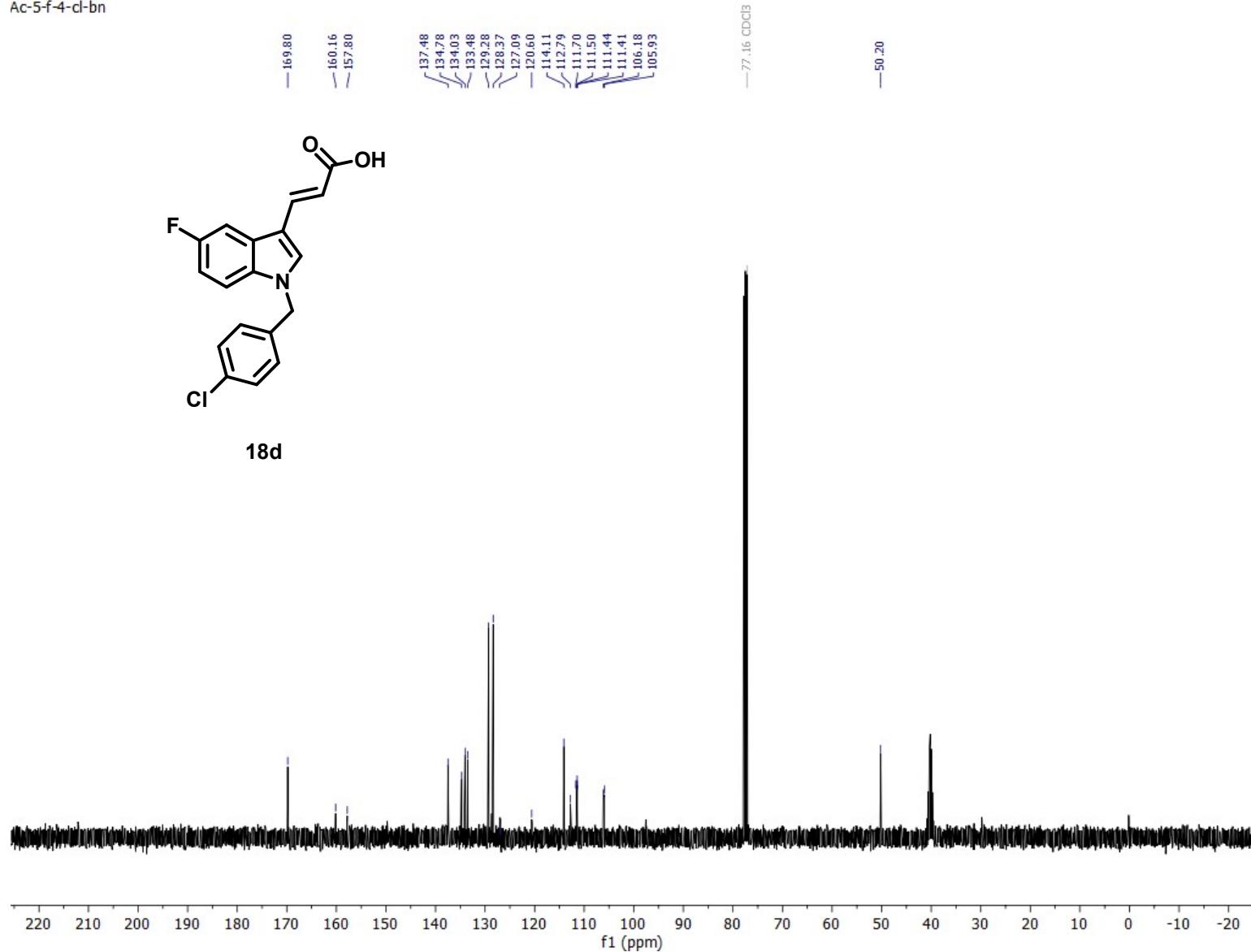
**Figure 27.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **18b**.

## 2.11 Compound 18d



**Figure 28.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **18d** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Ac-5-f-4-cl-bn



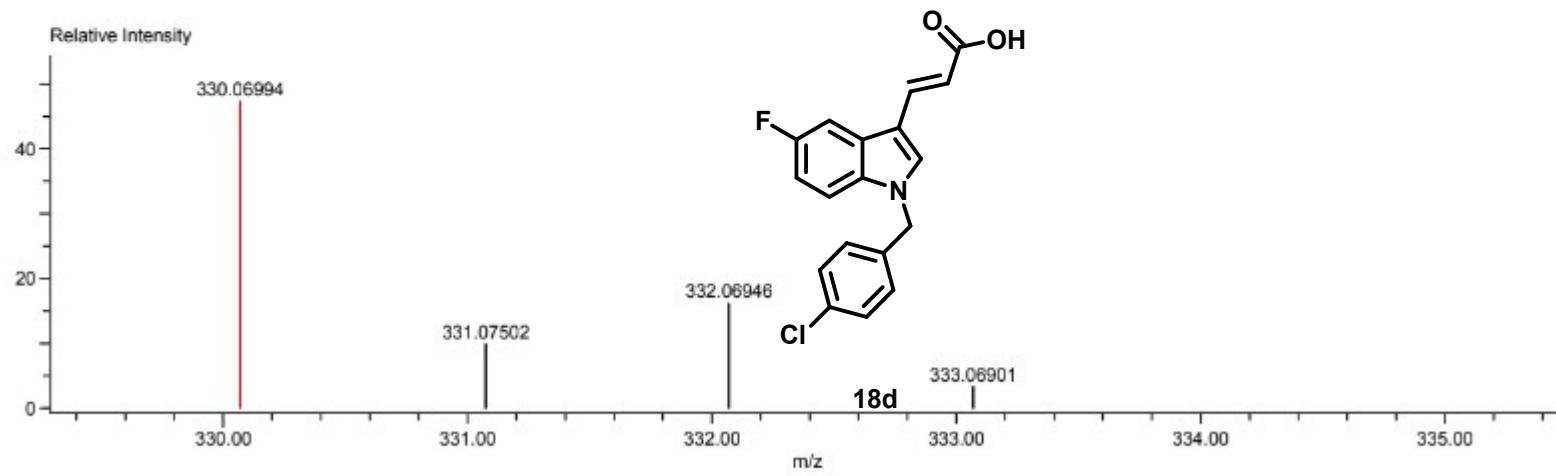
**Figure 29.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **18d** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:1927 5-F-4-9.bn  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador Javier Perez  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)

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 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 18, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 1, <sup>19</sup>F:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 2

Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)



**Figure 30.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **18d**.

## 2.12 Compound 10a

26449\_EHS\_24\_AC-2-NH  
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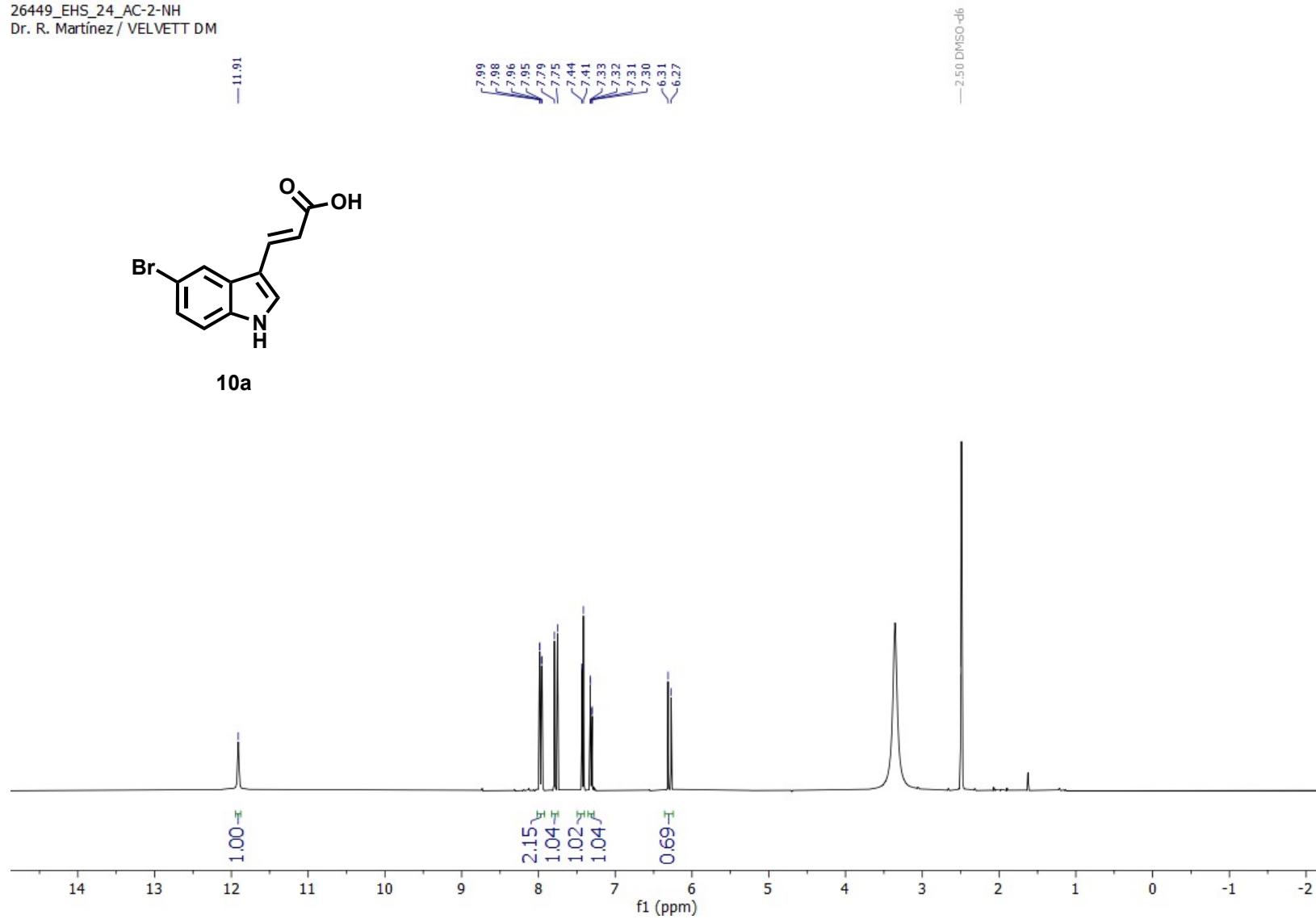
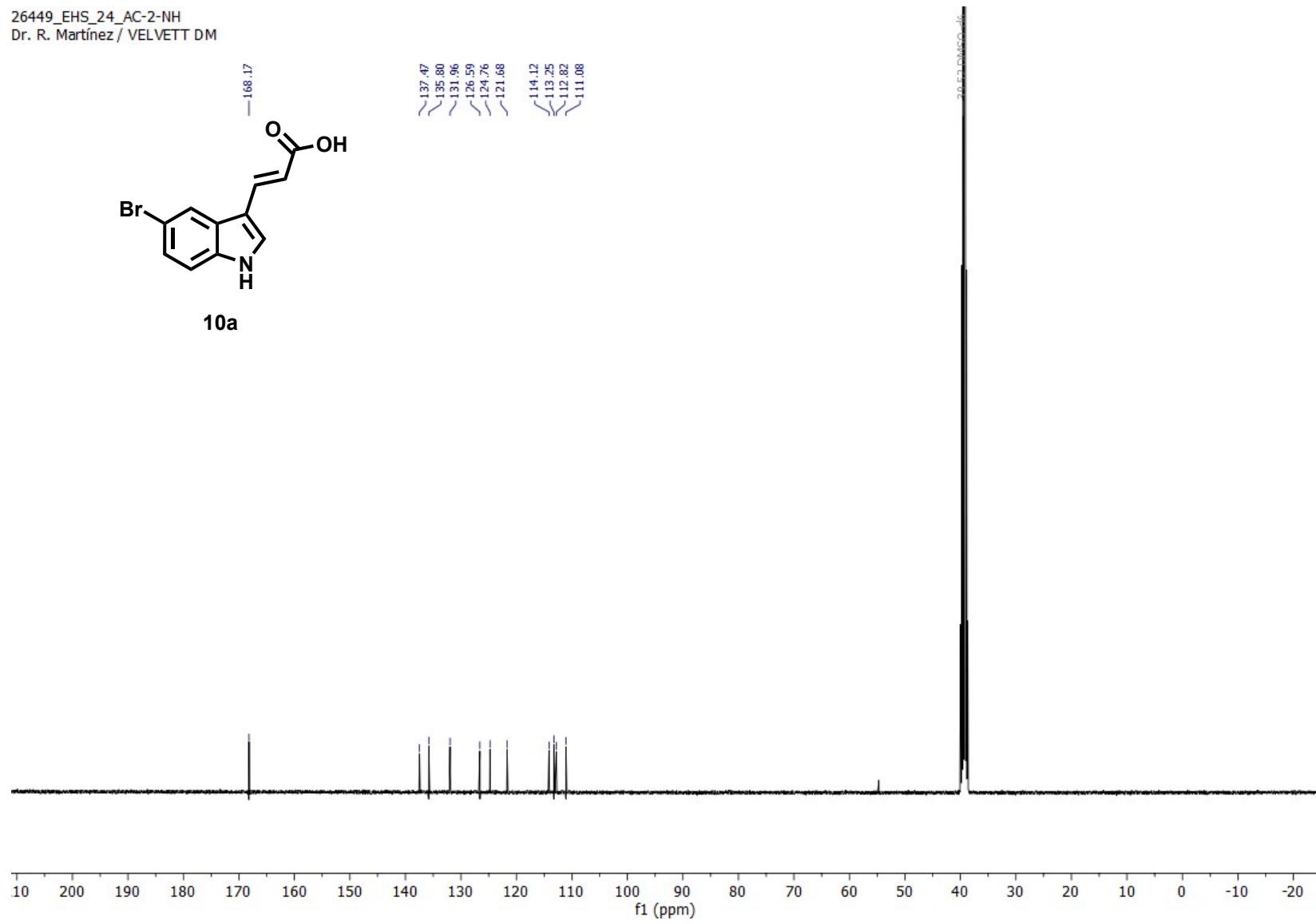


Figure 31. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 10a (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 32.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **10a** (400 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ).

Data:1550\_AC-2-NH  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)

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Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>79</sup>Br:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 2, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3

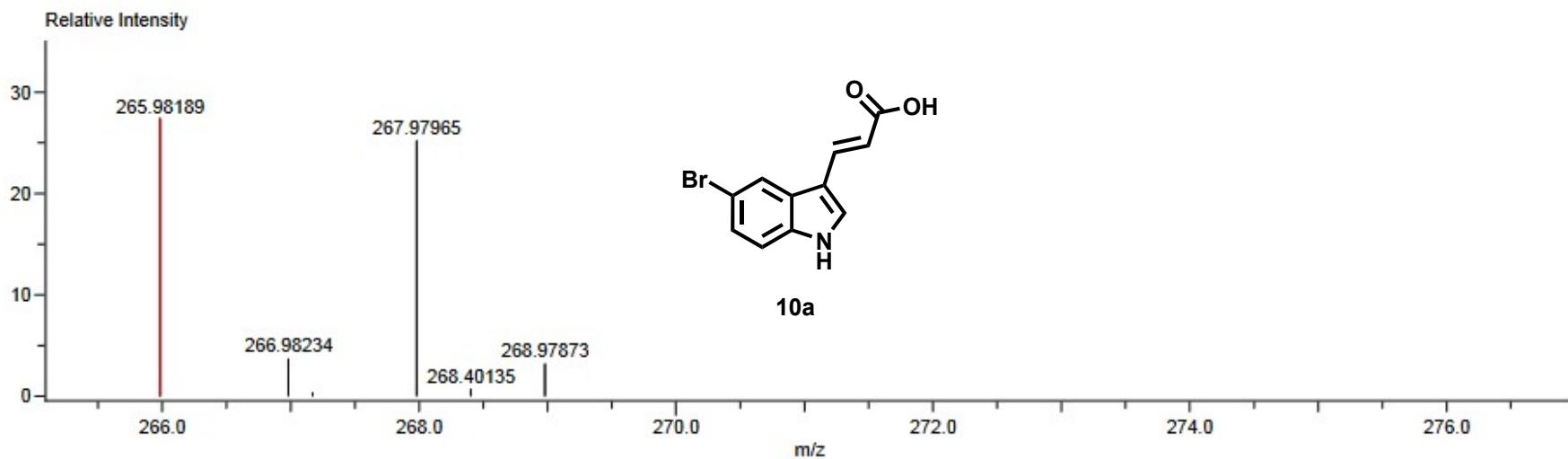
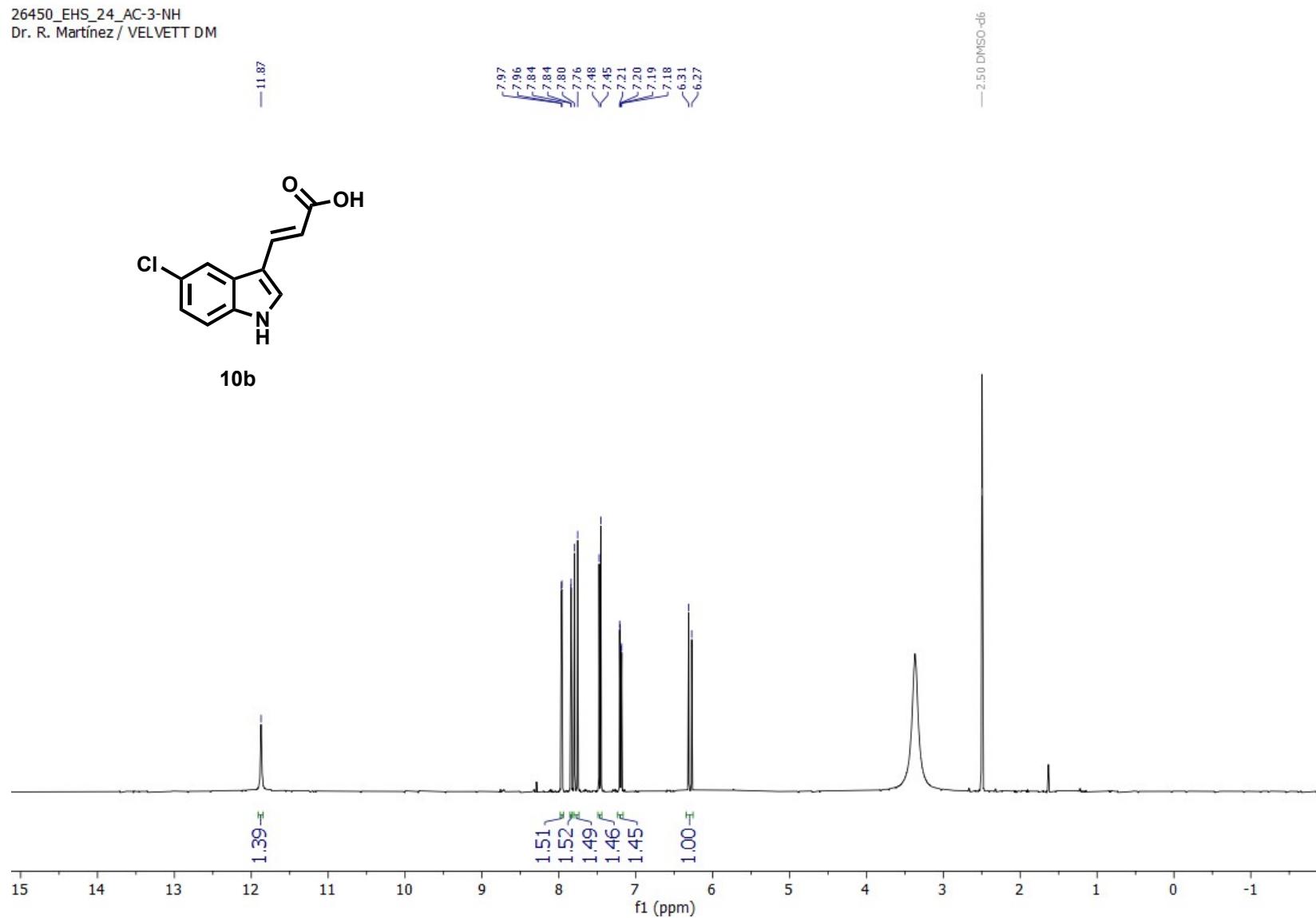


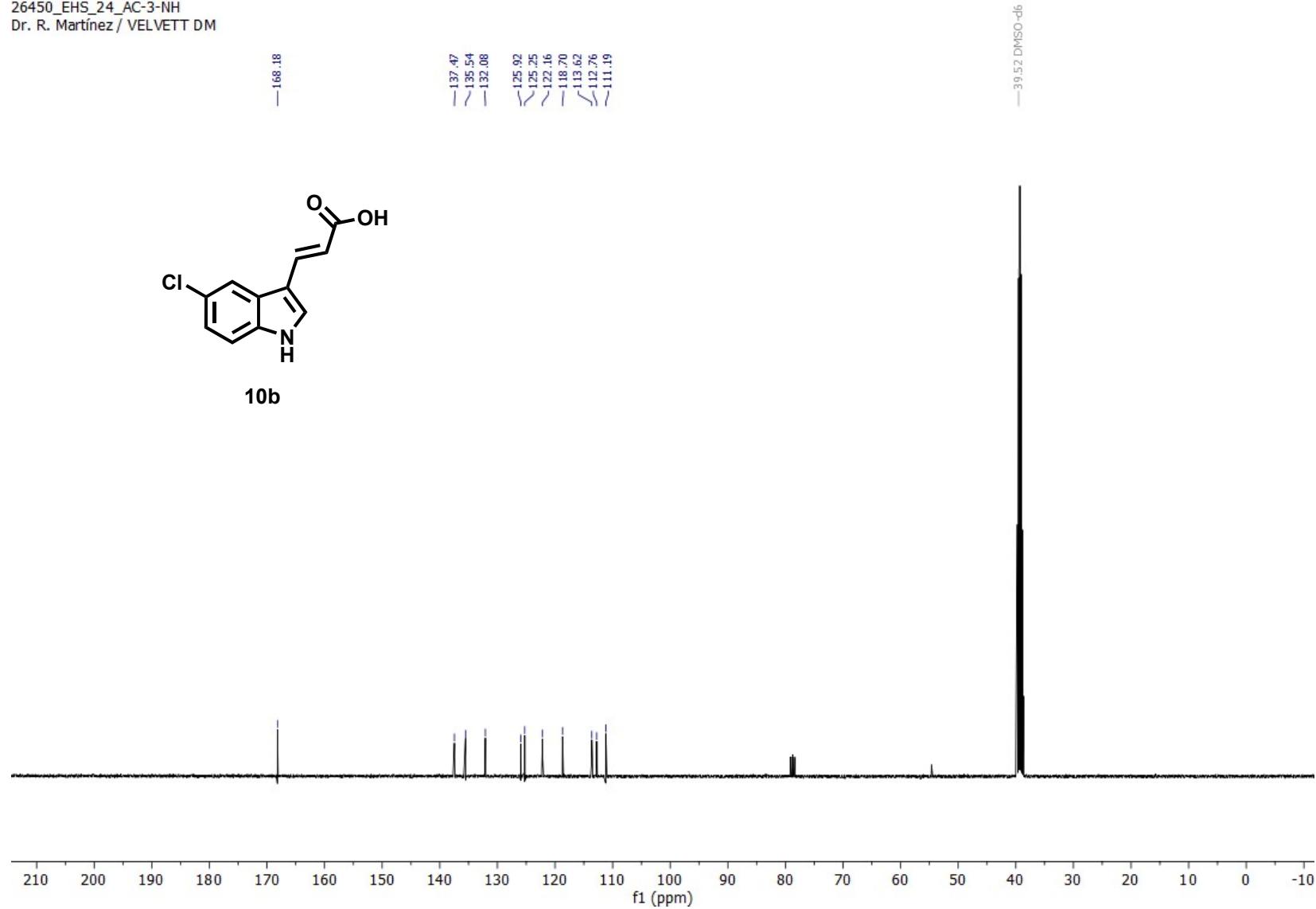
Figure 33. ESI-HRMS spectrum of **10a**.

## 2.13 Compound 10b

26450\_EHS\_24\_AC-3-NH  
Dr. R. Martínez / VELVETT DM



**Figure 34.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **10b** (400 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).



**Figure 35.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **10b** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1551\_AC-3-NH  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0..0)

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Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 11, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 2, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3

Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 1000.0 (Fraction:Both)

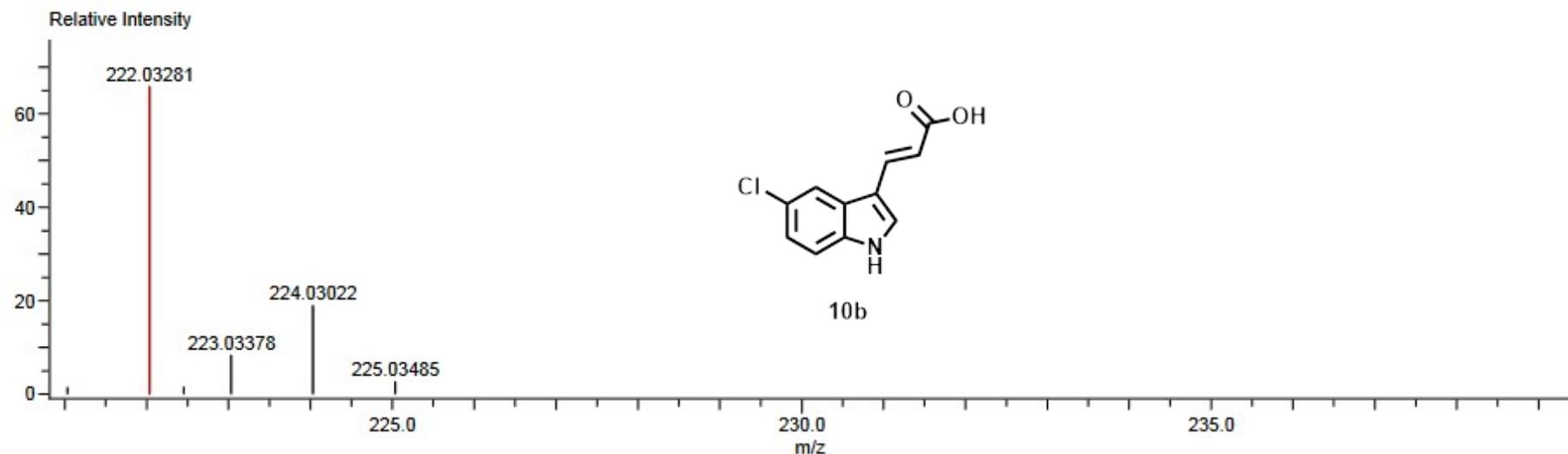
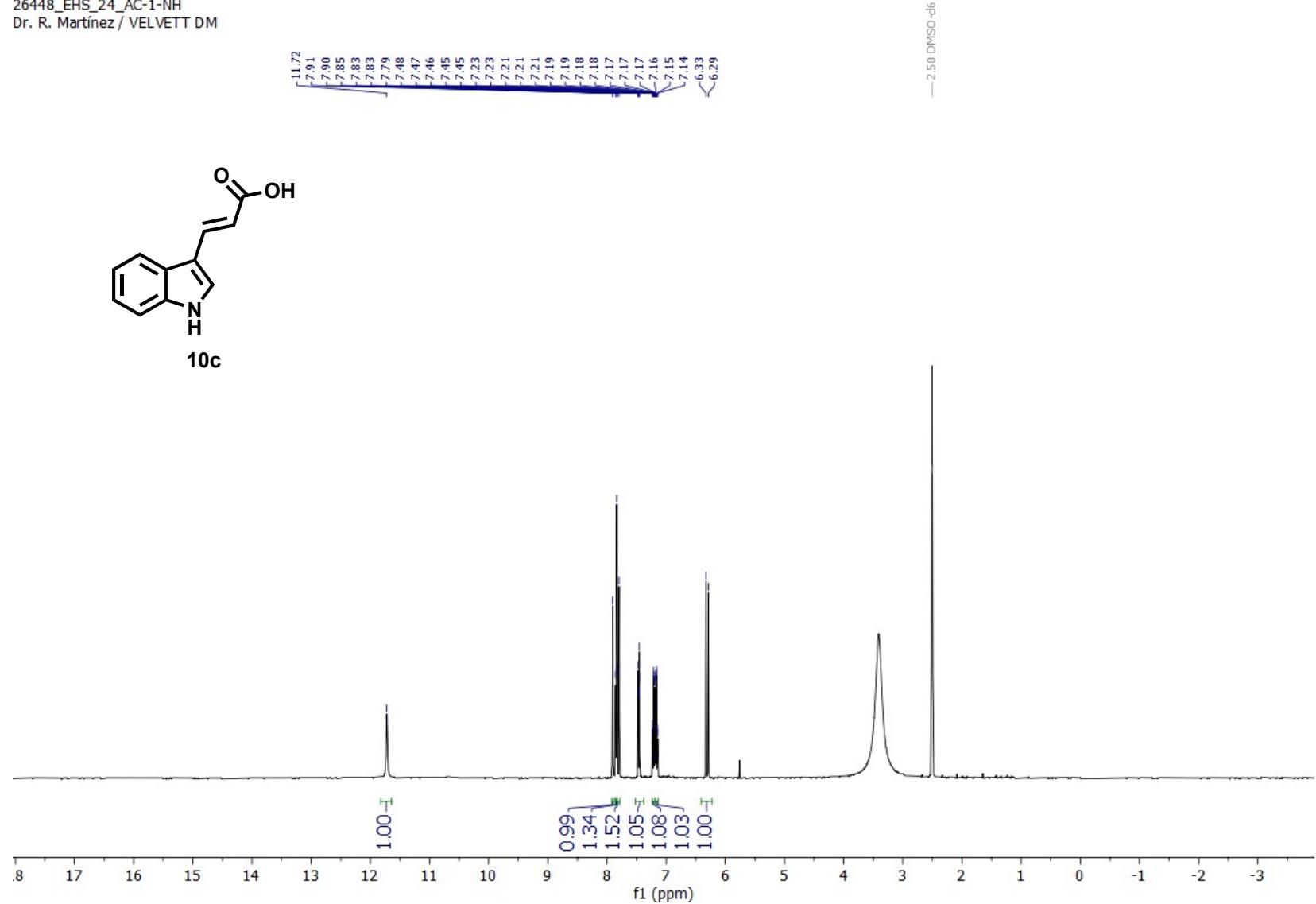


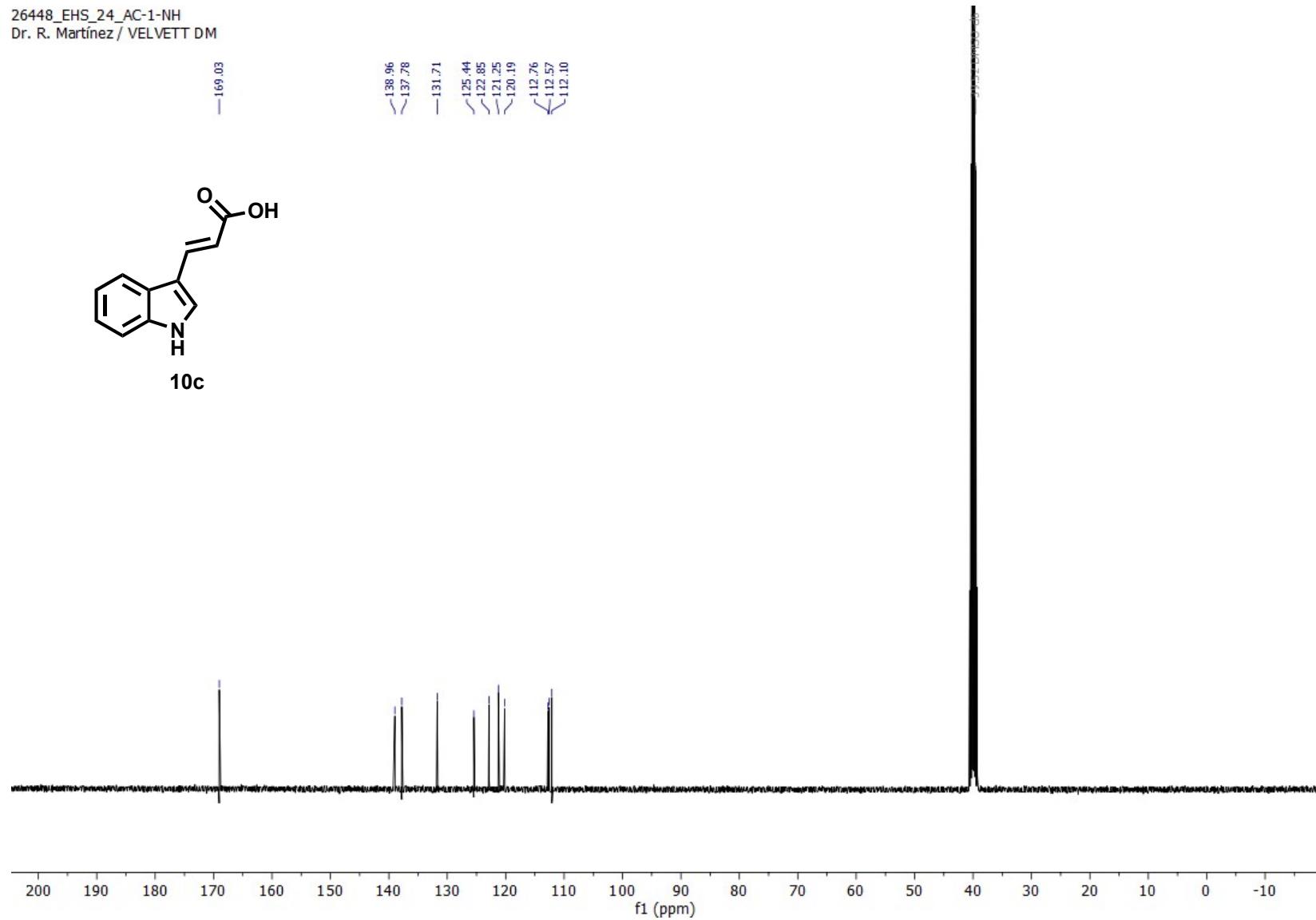
Figure 36. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 10b.

## 2.14 Compound 10c

26448\_EHS\_24\_AC-1-NH  
Dr. R. Martínez / VELVETT DM



**Figure 37.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **10c** (400 MHz,  $\text{DMSO}-\text{d}_6$ ).



**Figure 38.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **10c** (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1693 AC-1-NH-2  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto Operador Javier Perez  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0..0)

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Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 11, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 1, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4

Tolerance:2.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)

Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)

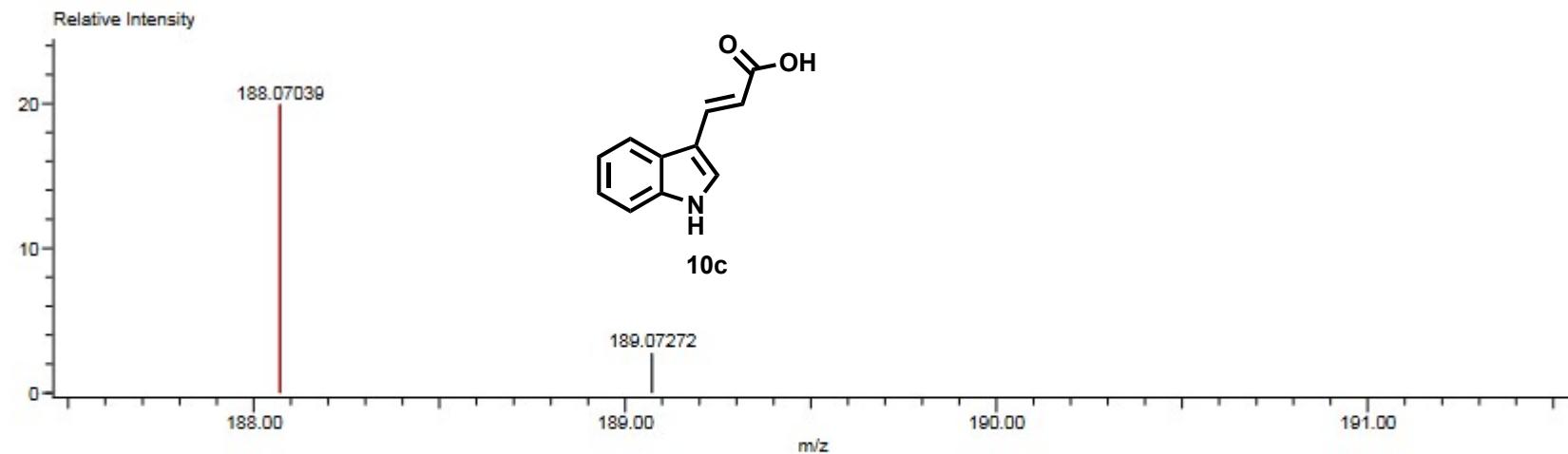


Figure 39. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 10c.

## 2.15 Compound 11a

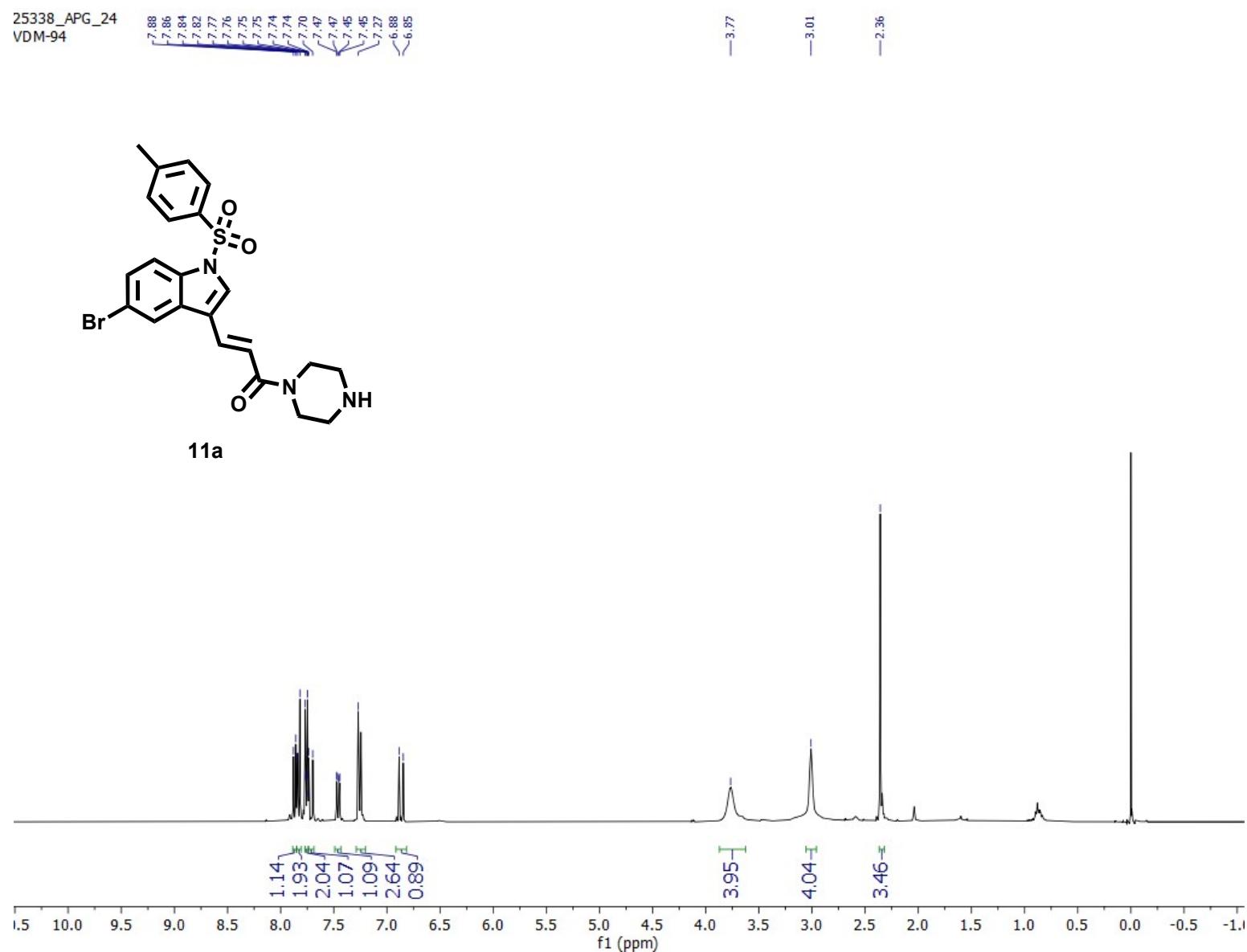
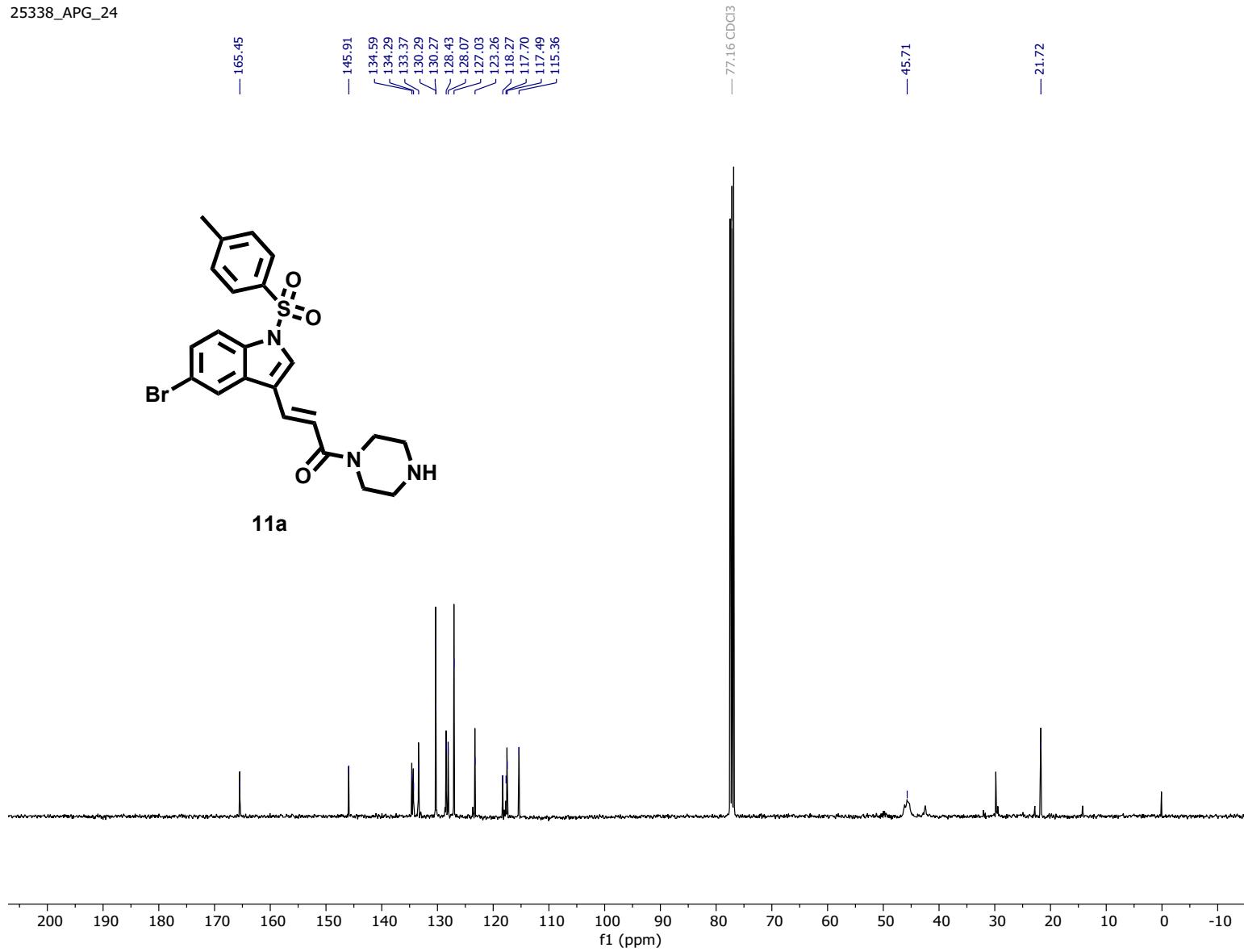


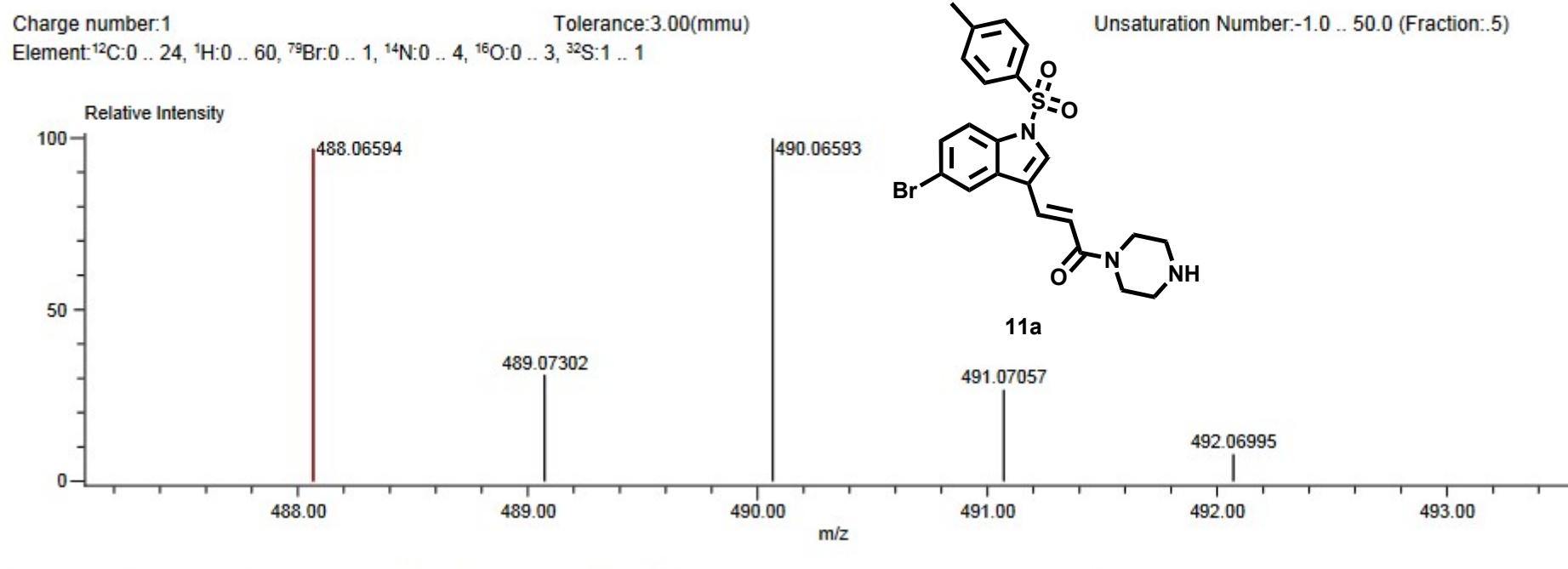
Figure 40. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 11a (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).



**Figure 41.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11a** (101 MHz CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:808 VDM-94  
 Sample Name:Dr. Martinez Roberto/ Operador Javier Perez  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:3/16/2023 5:36:37 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:3/28/2023 4:31:54 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF



Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
488.06594	32612.95	488.06435	1.59	3.26	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>22</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>23</sub> <sup>79</sup> Br <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>32</sup> S <sub>1</sub>	13.5

Figure 42. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 11a.

## 2.16 Compound 11b

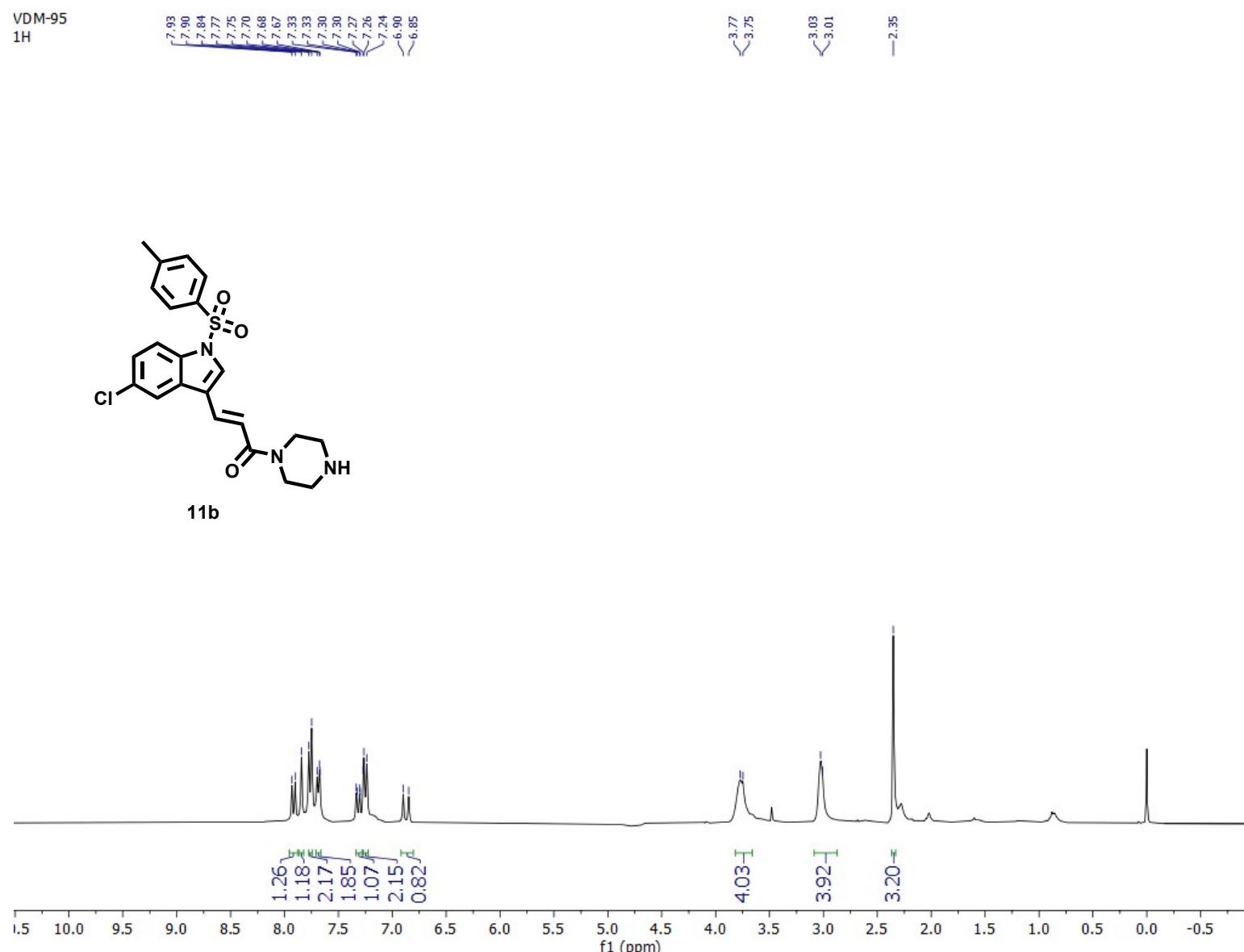
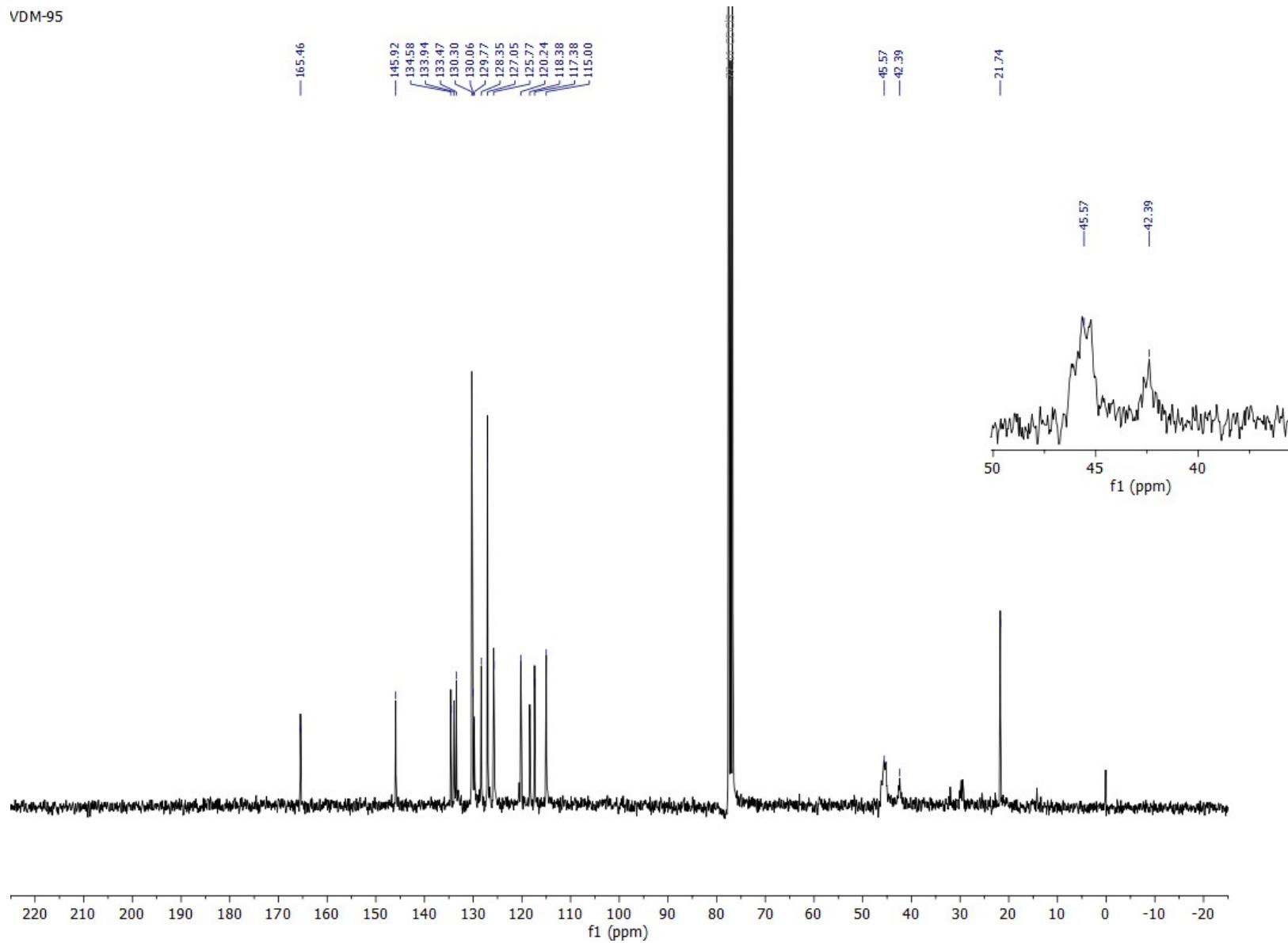


Figure 43. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 11b (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

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**Figure 44.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11b** (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

Data:1418 VDM-95  
 Sample Name:DR. MARTINEZ ROBERTO / OPERADORA CARMEN GARCIA - PAULA BERNARDO  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:5/24/2023 1:04:28 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:6/26/2023 1:35:44 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1      Tolerance:2.00(mmu)      Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 20.0 (Fraction:Both)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 35, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 70, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1

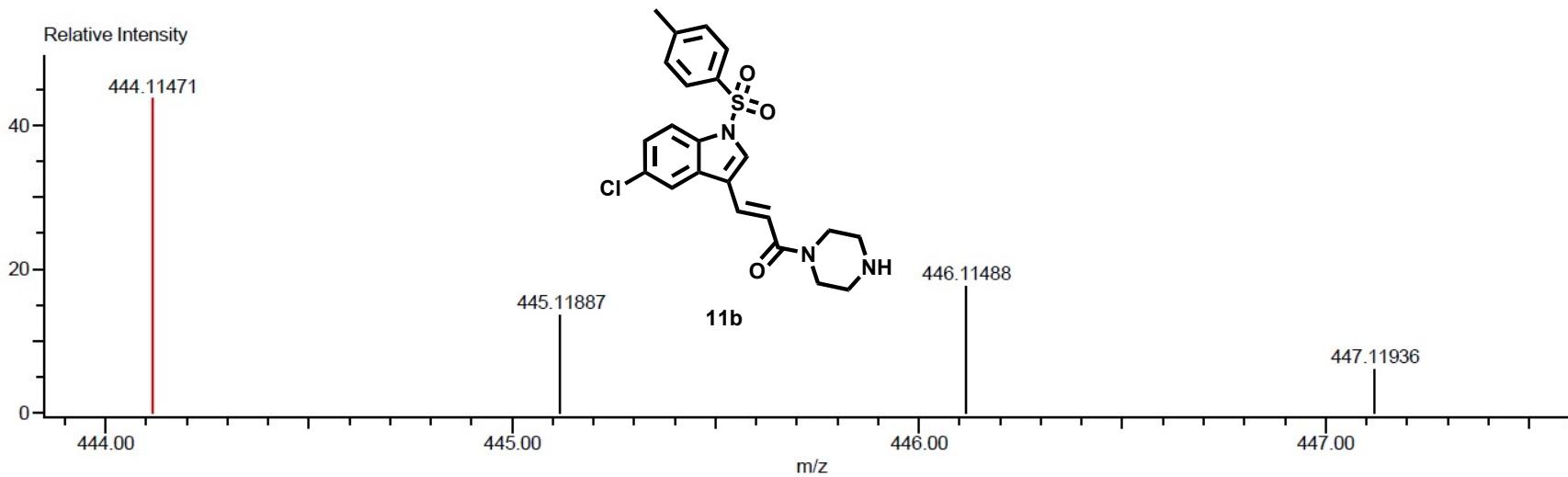


Figure 45. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 11b.

## 2.17 Compound 11c

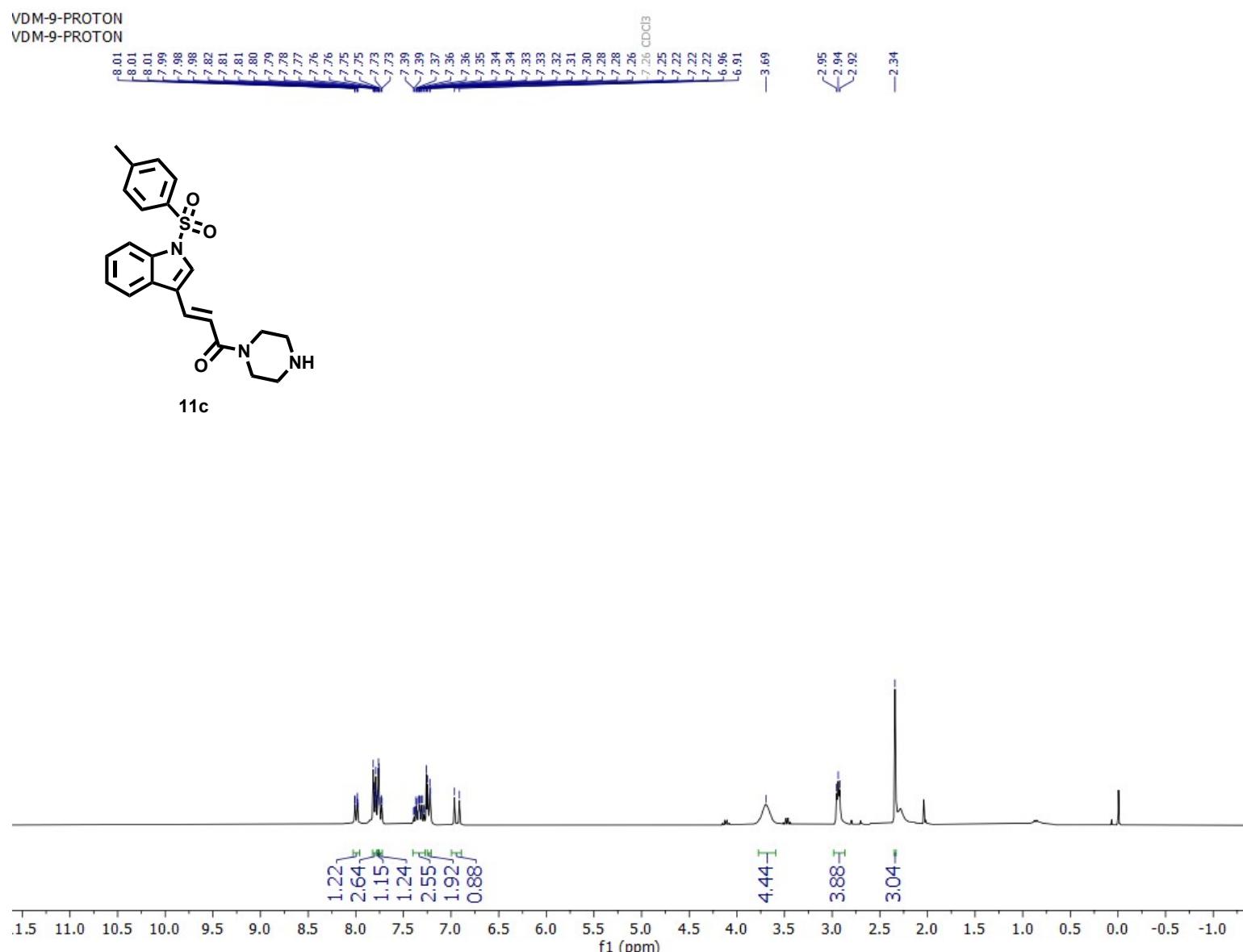
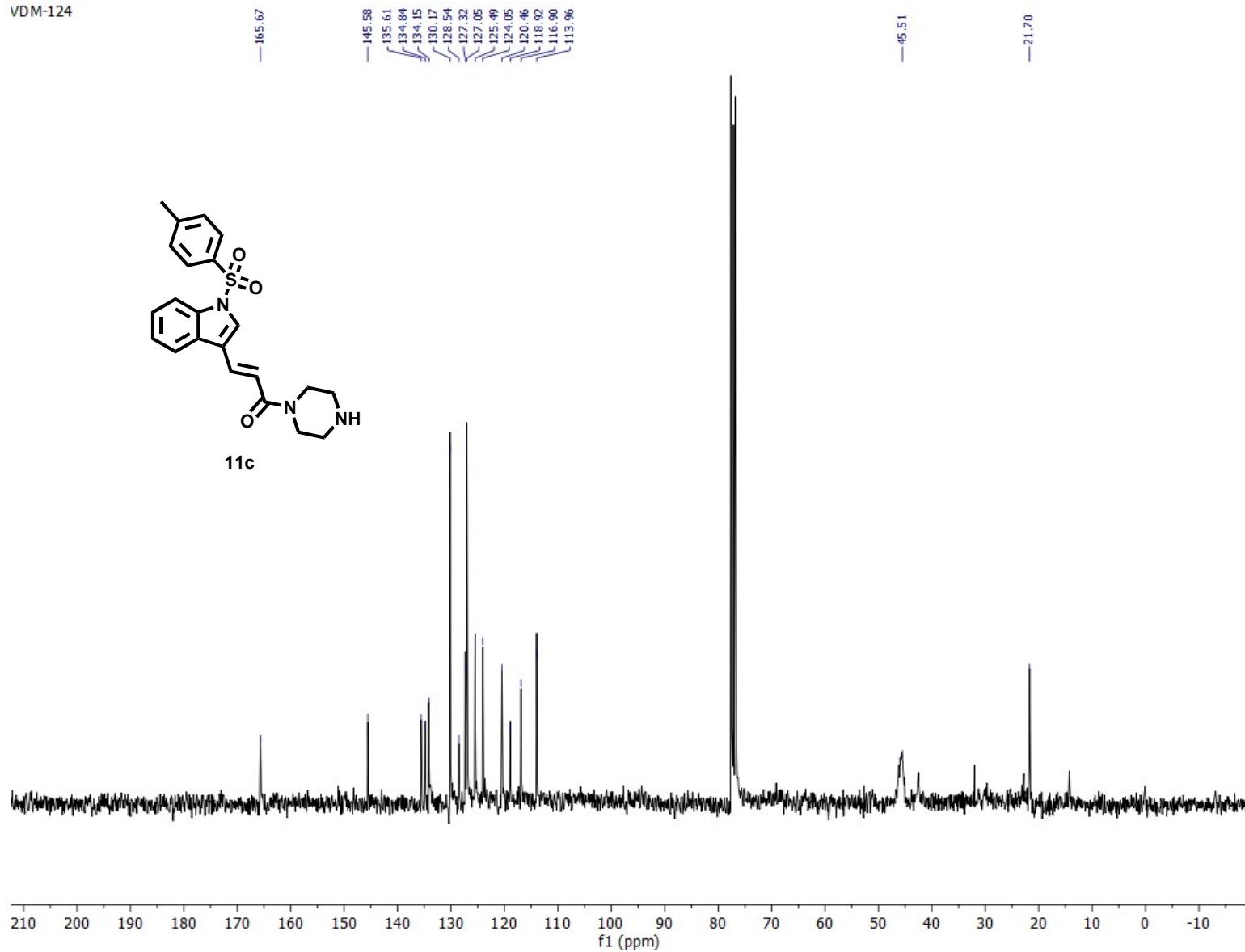


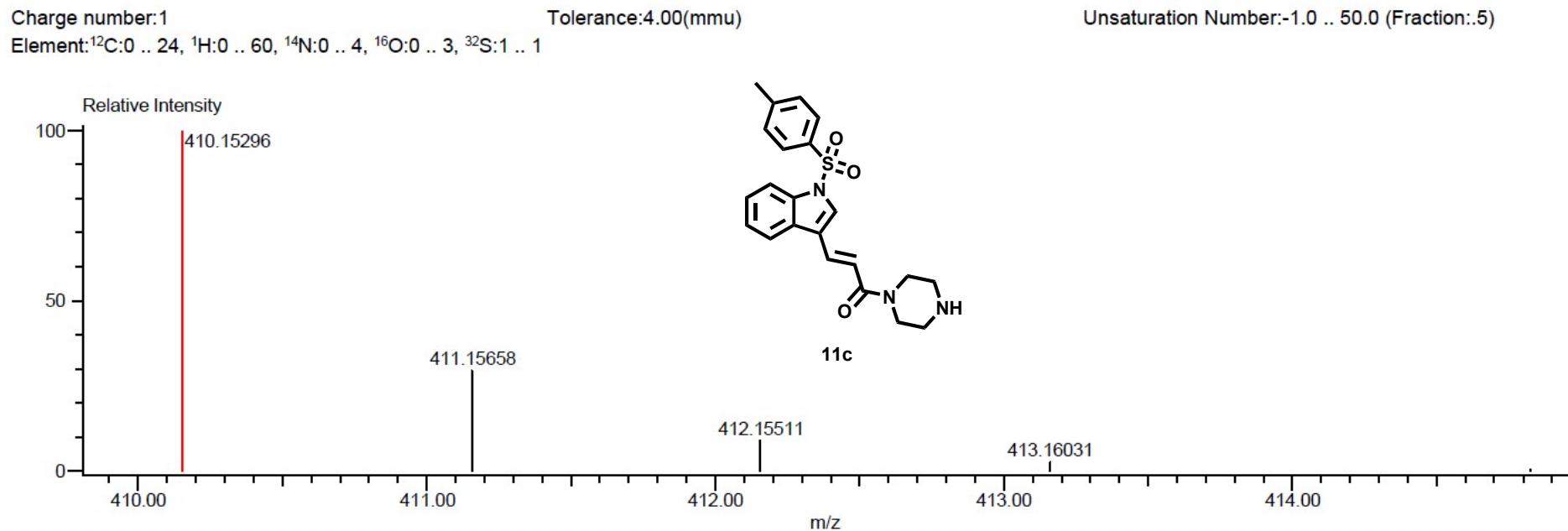
Figure 46. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 11c (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).



**Figure 47.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11c** (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

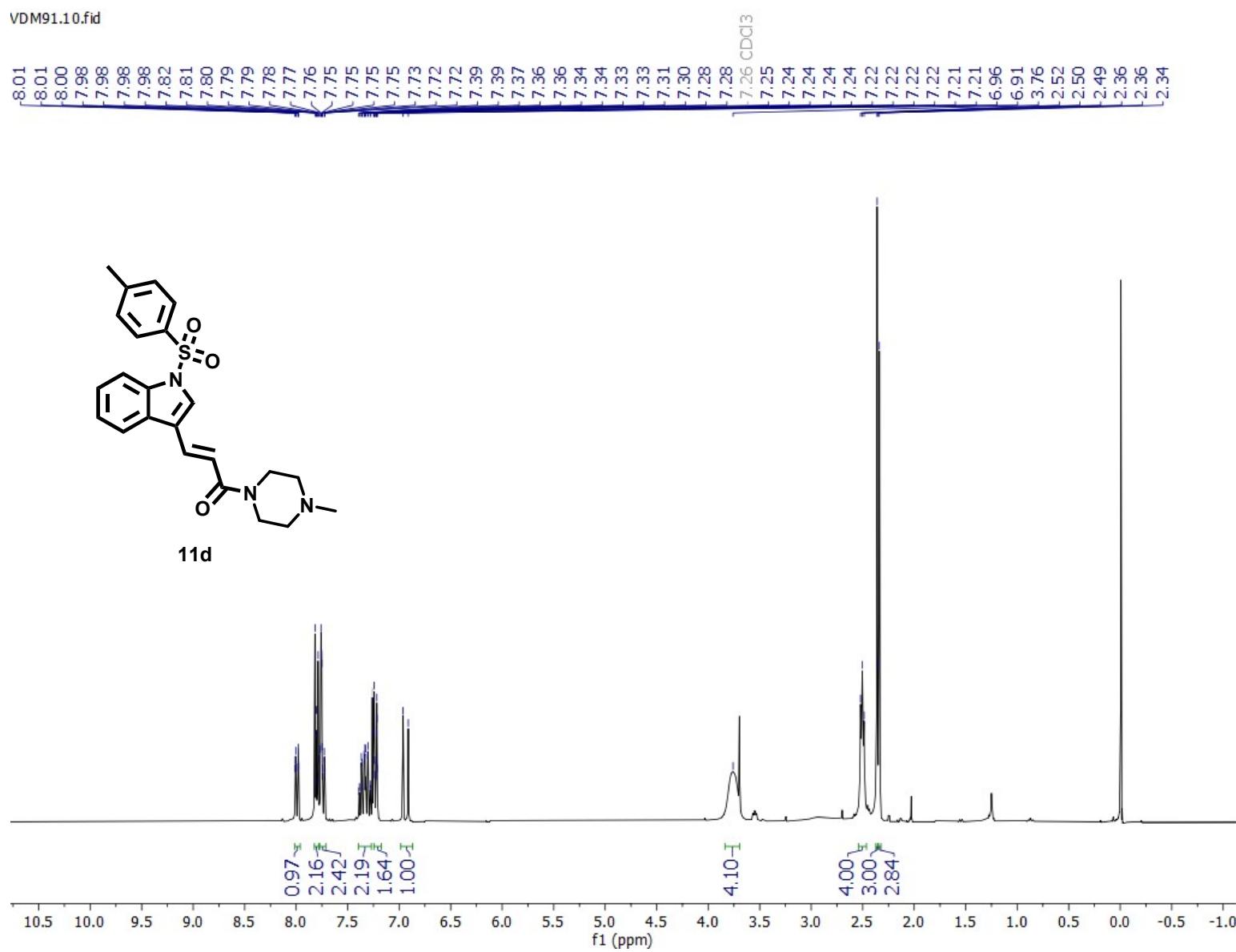
Data:804 VDM-9  
 Sample Name:Dr. Martinez Roberto/ Operador Javier Perez  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:3/16/2023 5:24:02 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:3/28/2023 4:20:10 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

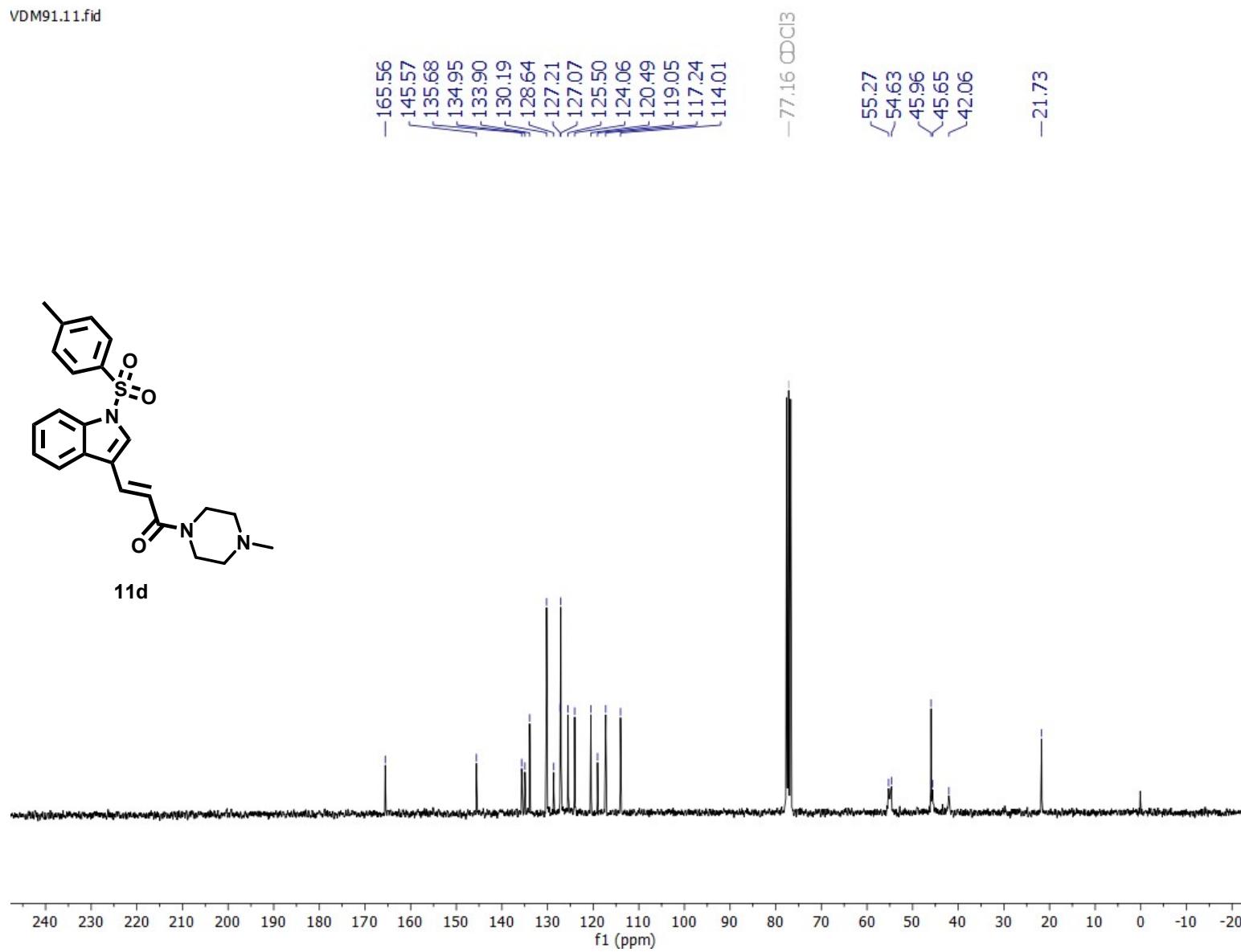


**Figure 48.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **11c**.

## 2.18 Compound 11d



**Figure 49.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **11d** (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).



**Figure 50.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **11c** (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:806 VDM-91  
 Sample Name:Dr. Martinez Roberto/ Operador Javier Perez  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:3/16/2023 5:30:18 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:3/28/2023 4:26:25 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

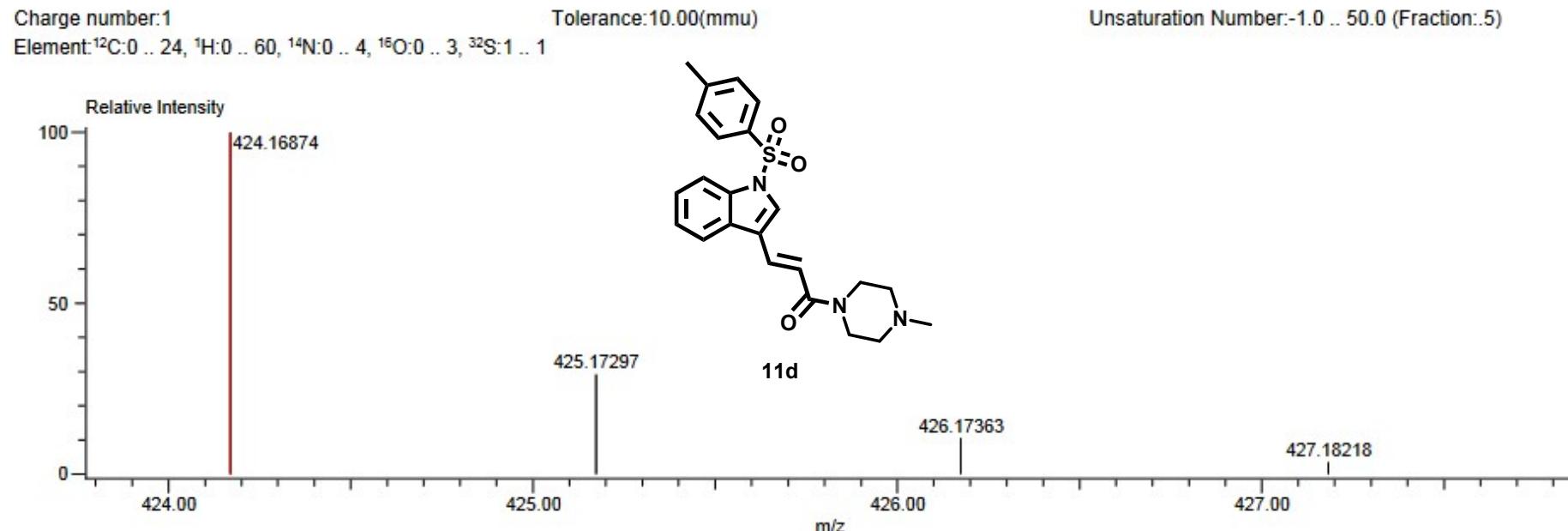
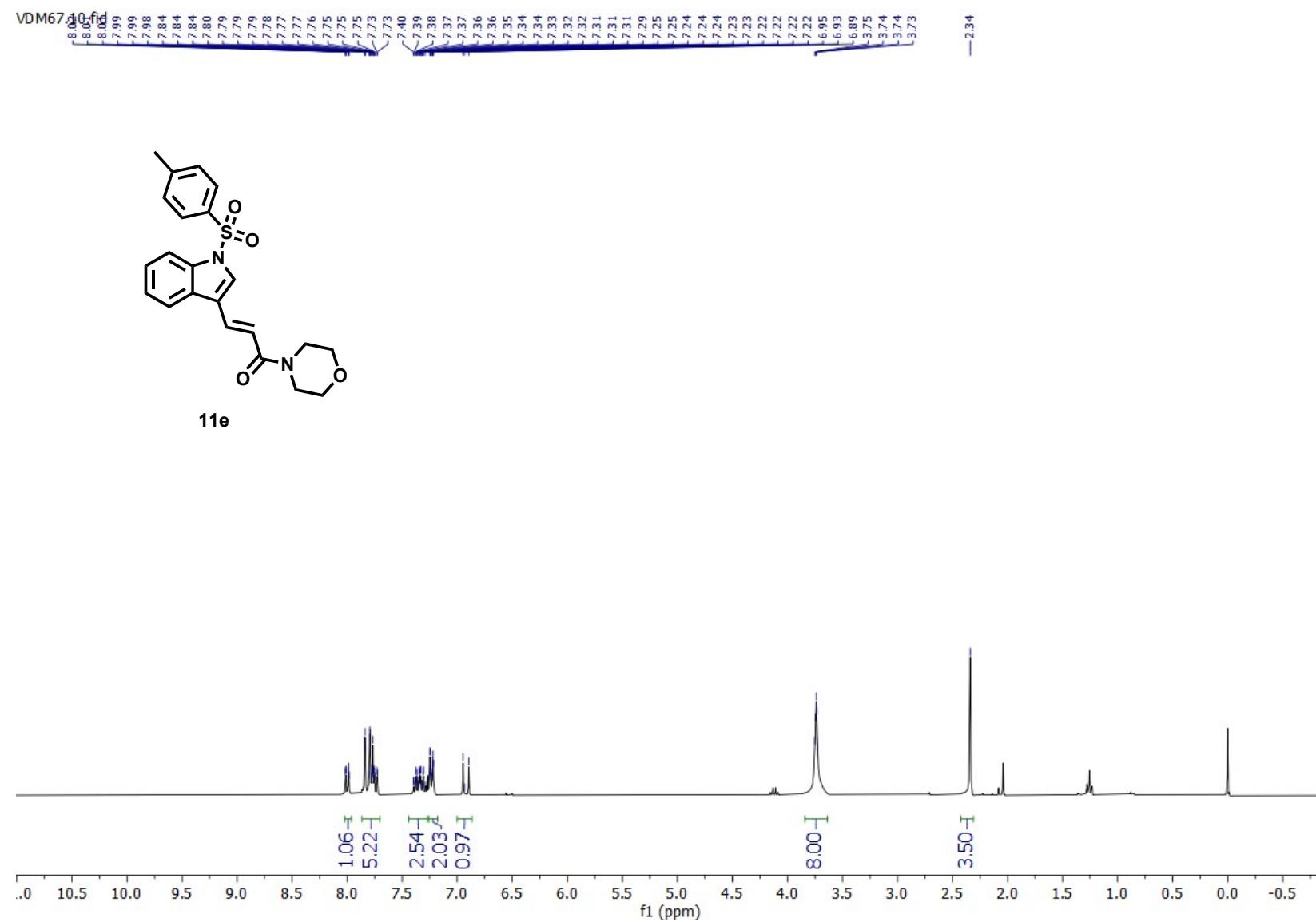
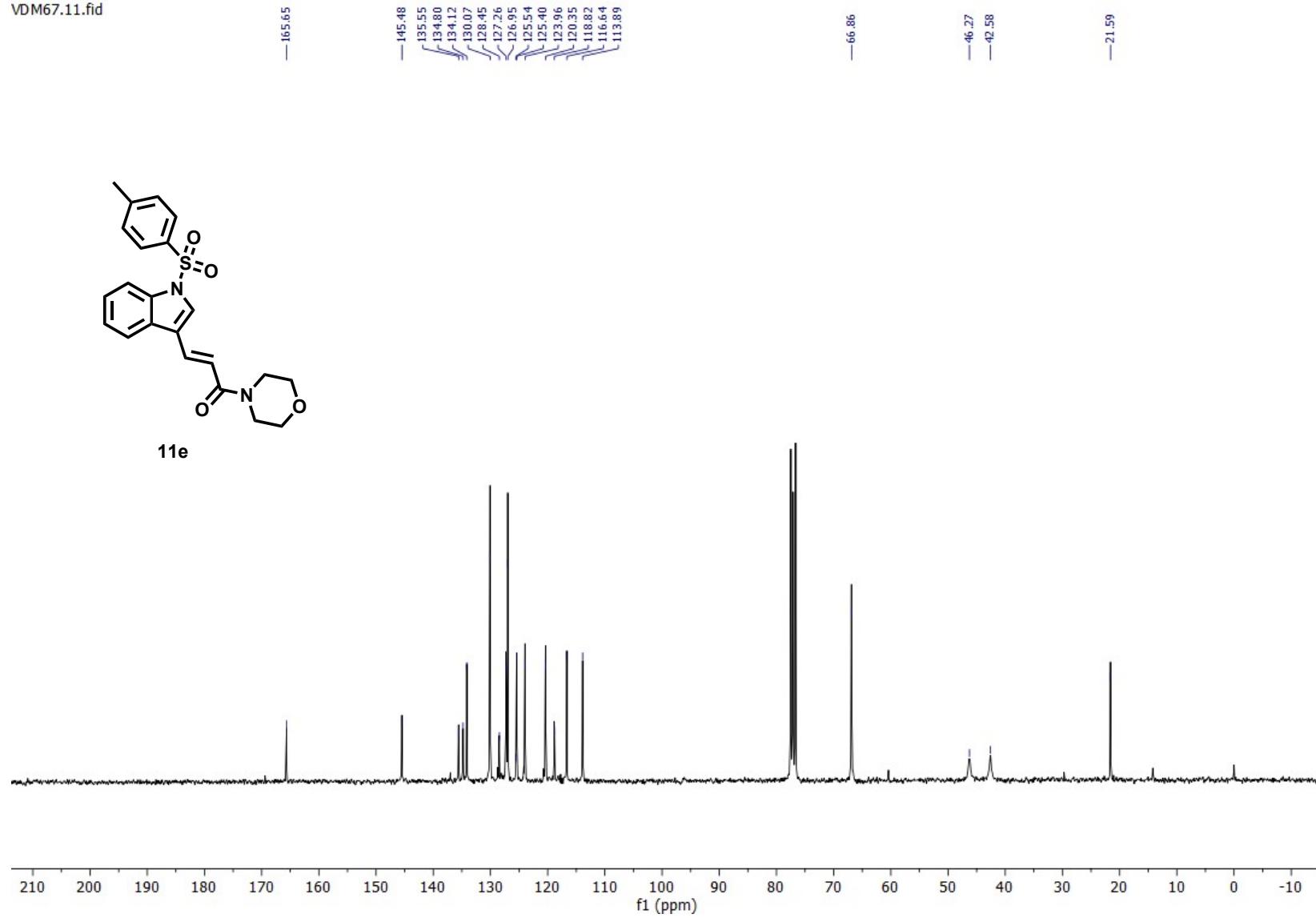


Figure 51. ESI-HRMS spectrum of **11d**.

## 2.19 Compound 11e

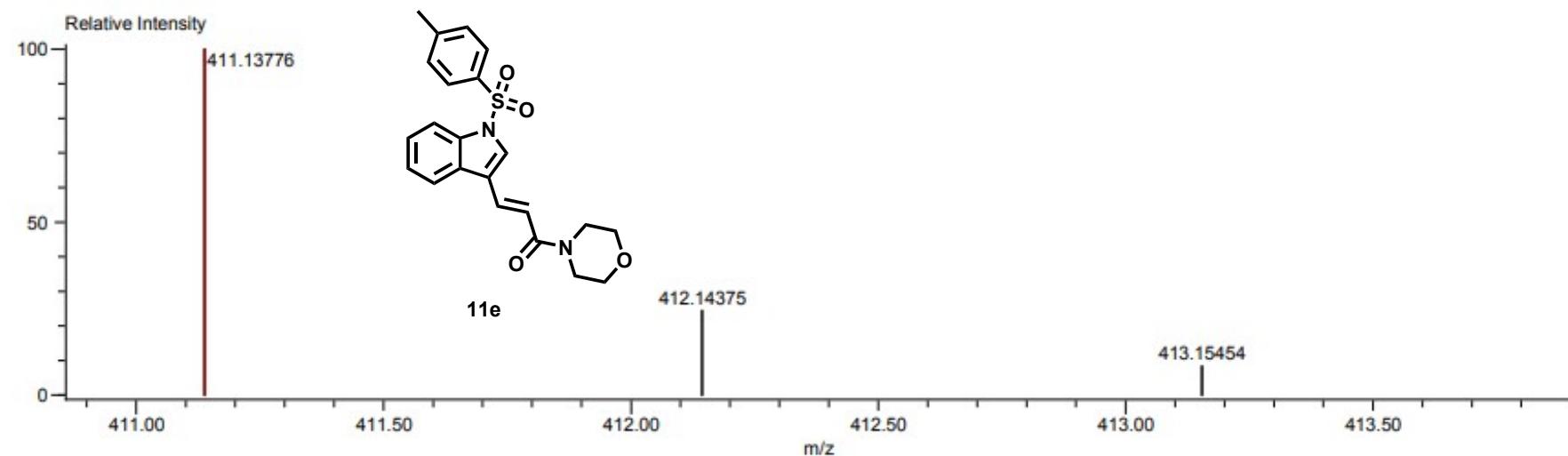


**Figure 52.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **11e** (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).



**Figure 53.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11e** (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

Data:927\_VDM-67  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto /Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0..0)  
 Charge number:1 Tolerance:3.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu) Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:20 .. 22, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 30, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 4, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:1 .. 1

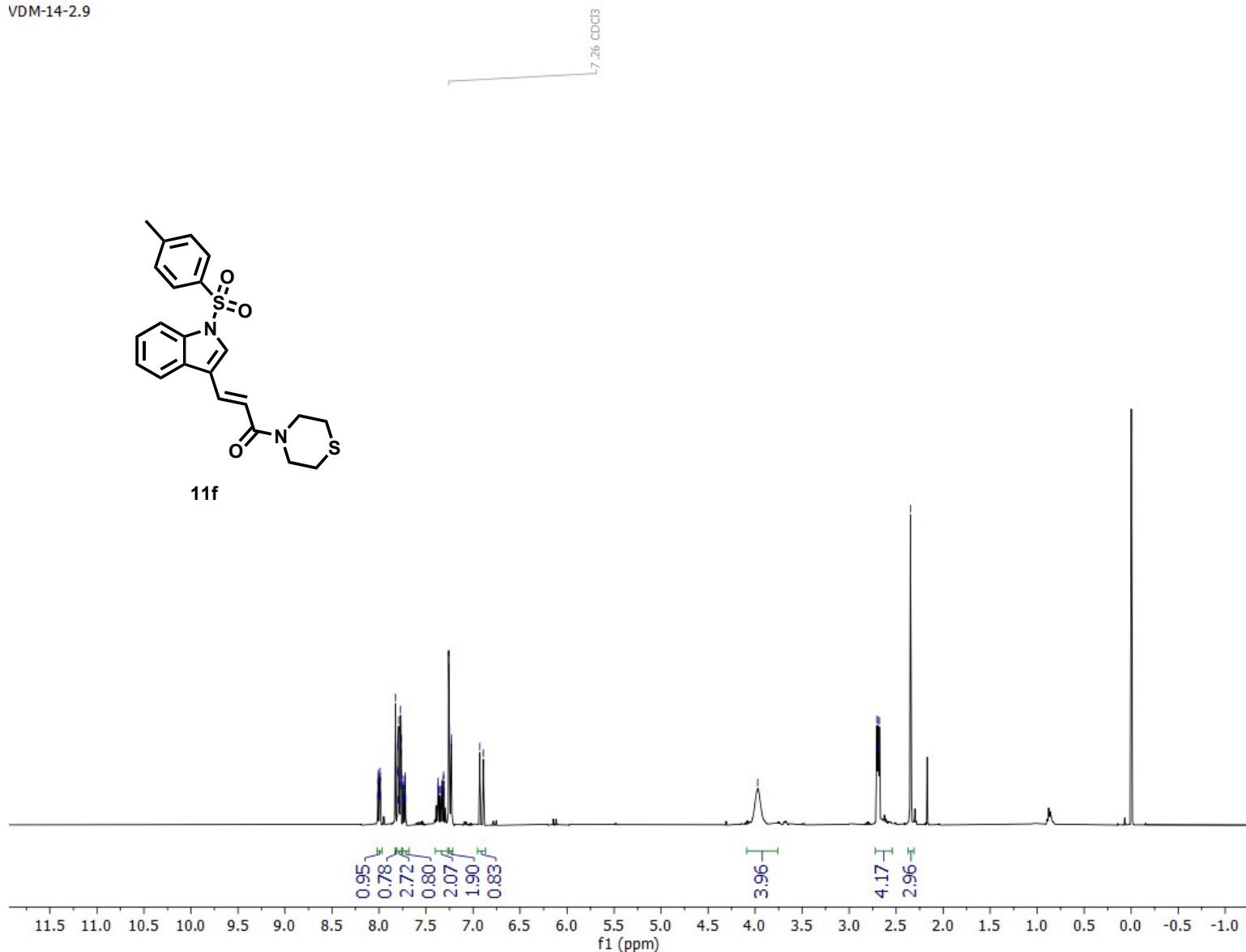


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
411.13776	24079.17	411.13785	-0.10	-0.24	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>22</sub> H <sub>23</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>2</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>4</sub> <sup>32</sup> S <sub>1</sub>	13.5

Figure 54. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 11e.

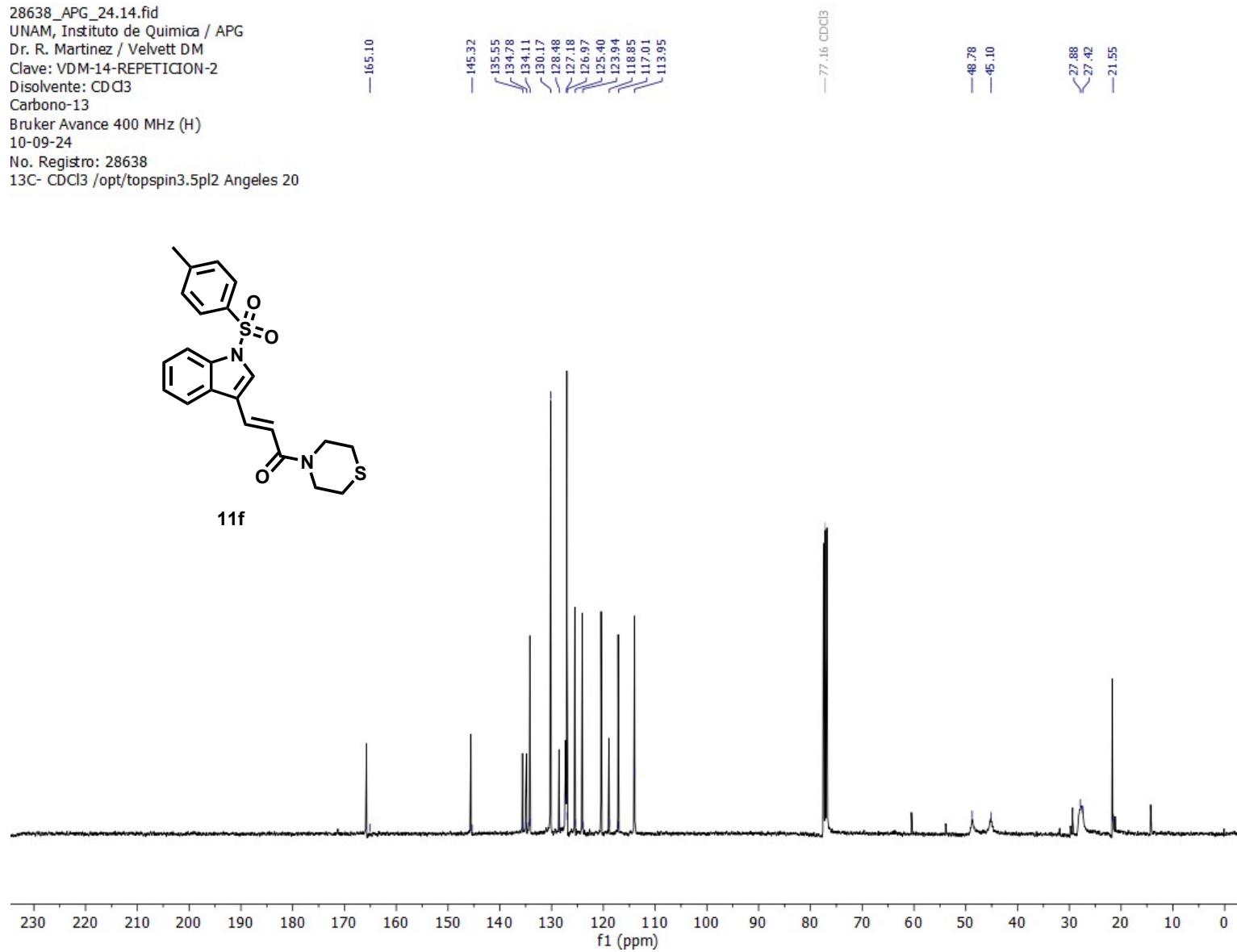
## 2.20 Compound 11f

VDM-14-2.9



**Figure 55.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 11f (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

28638\_APG\_24.14.fid  
 UNAM, Instituto de Química / APG  
 Dr. R. Martínez / Velvet DM  
 Clave: VDM-14-REPETICION-2  
 Disolvente: CDCl<sub>3</sub>  
 Carbono-13  
 Bruker Avance 400 MHz (H)  
 10-09-24  
 No. Registro: 28638  
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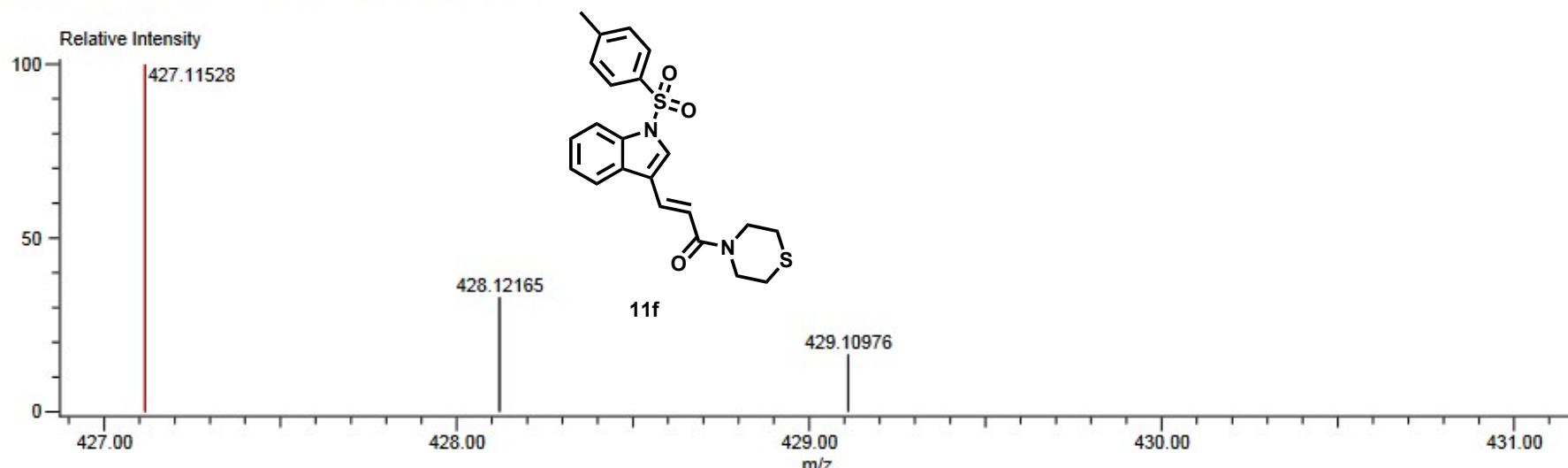


**Figure 56.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **11f** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:926\_VDM-14  
Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto /Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 0..0)

Acquired:4/16/2024 9:32:08 AM  
Operator:AccuTOF  
Mass Calibration data:CAL\_PEG\_600\_ok  
Created:4/29/2024 4:11:46 PM  
Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:1.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu) Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)  
Element:<sup>12</sup>C:20 .. 22, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 30, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 4, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4, <sup>32</sup>S:1 .. 2



Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
427.11528	8664.81	427.11501	0.27	0.64	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>22</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>23</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>2</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>32</sup> S <sub>2</sub>	14.5

Figure 57. ESI-HRMS spectrum of **11f**

## 2.21 Compound 11g

VDM-128-COMPLETO.10.fid

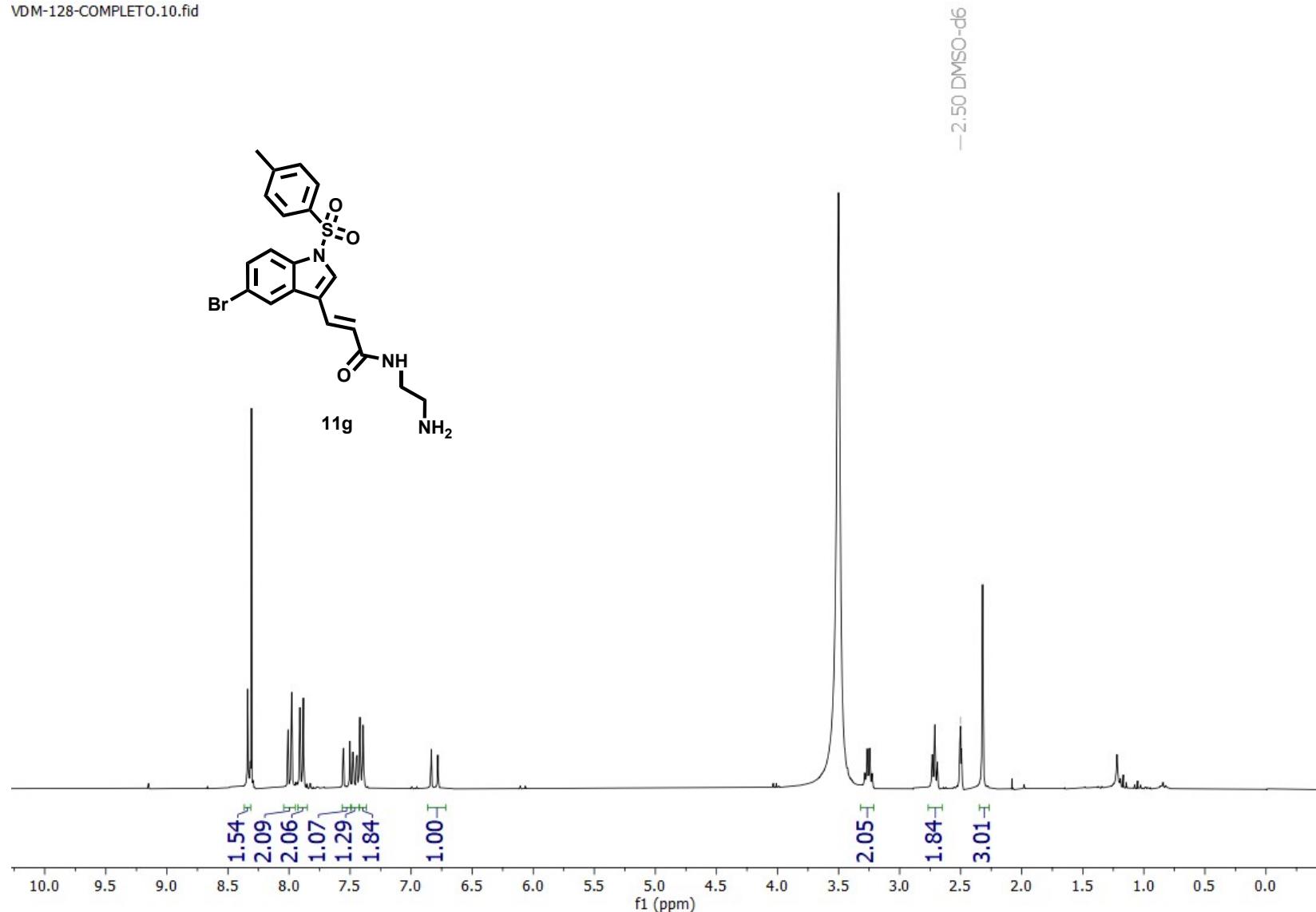
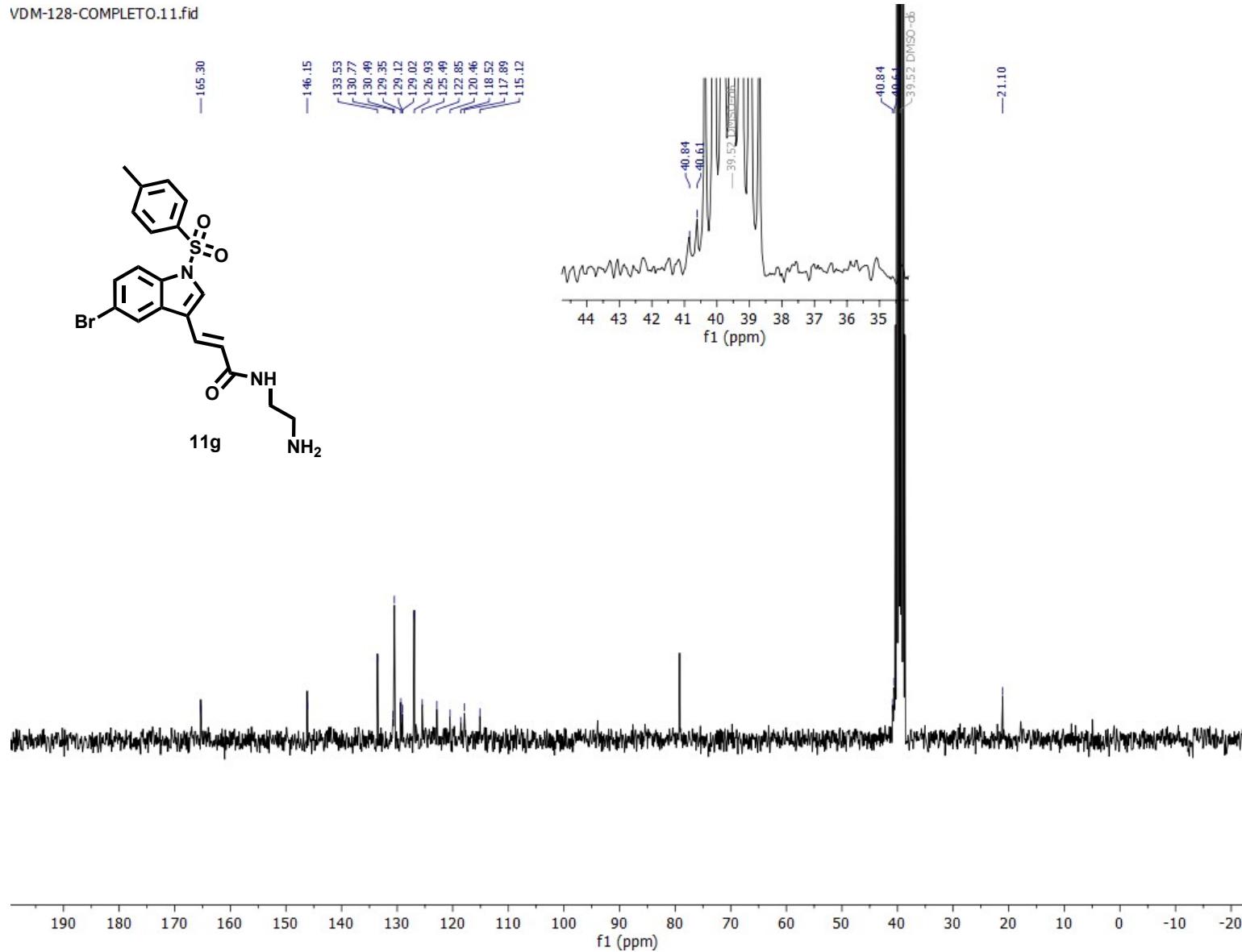
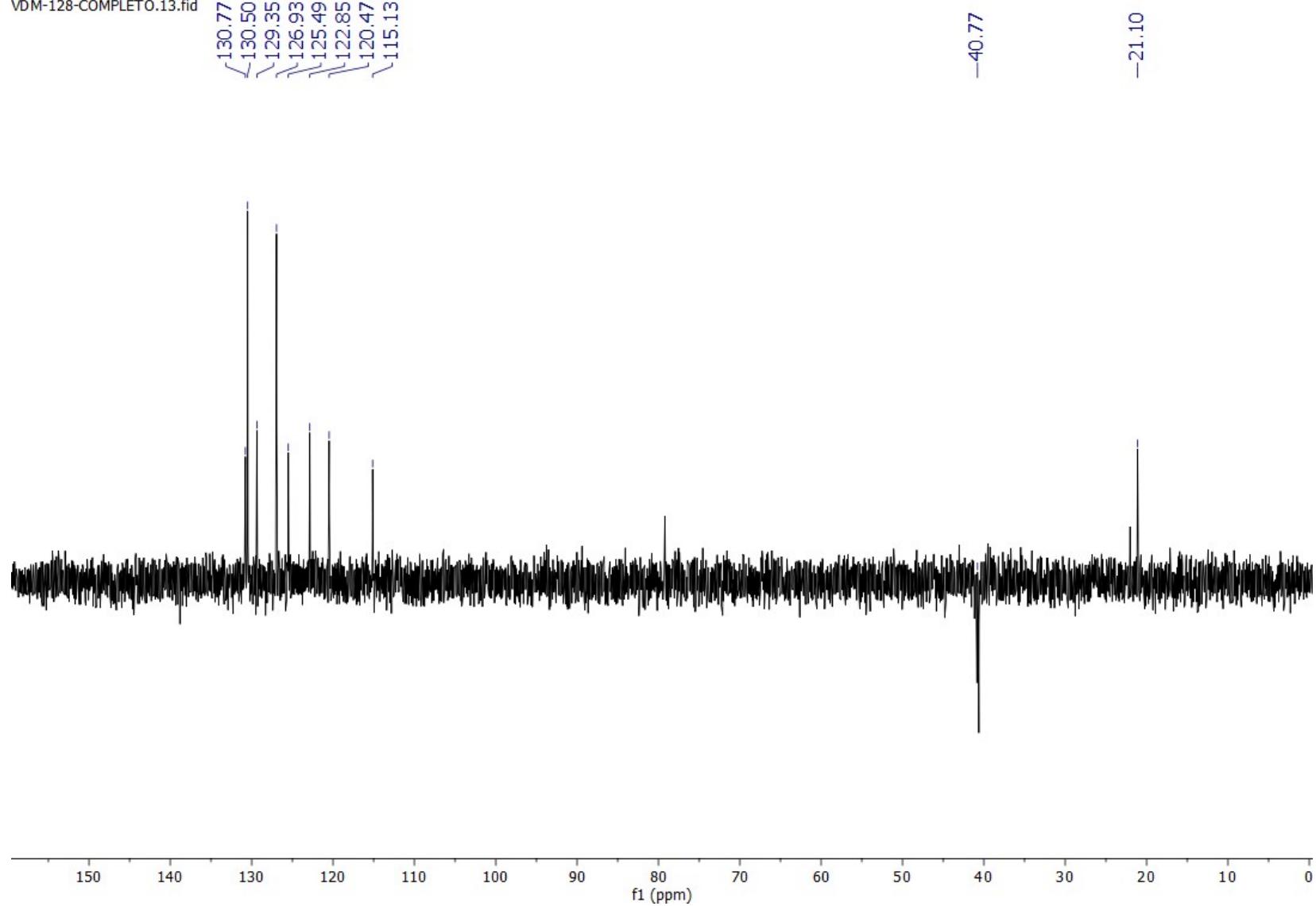


Figure 58.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 11g (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 59.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11g** (75 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).



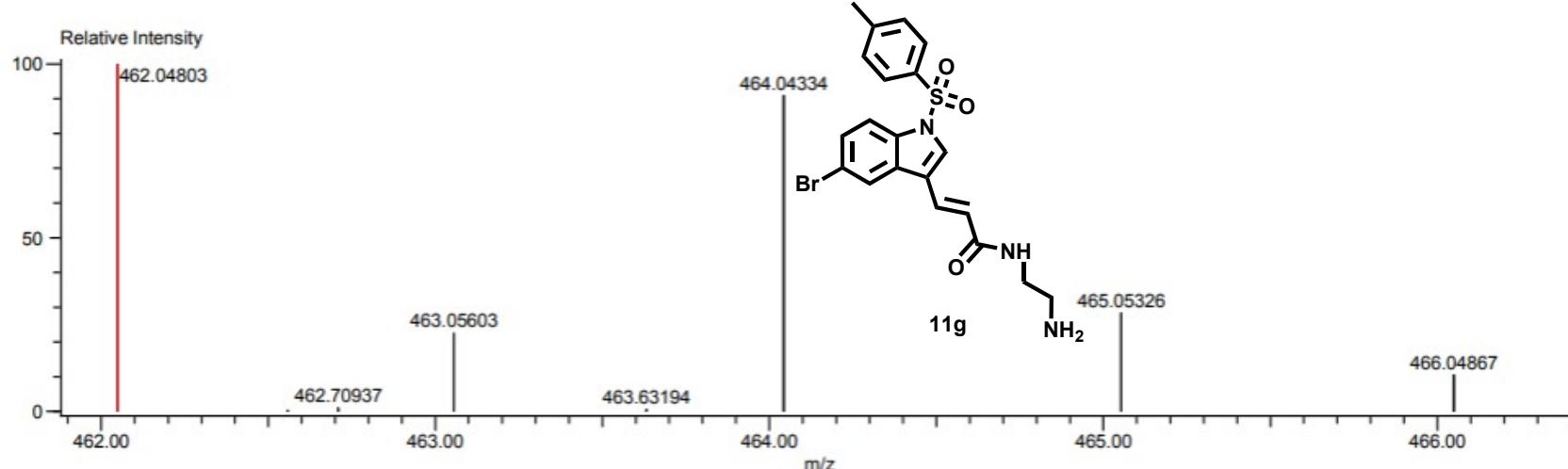
**Figure 60.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  DEPT-135 NMR spectrum of **11g** (75 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).

Data:1710\_VDM-128  
Sample Name:DR. Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:6/20/2023 1:21:51 PM  
Operator:AccuTOF  
Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
Created:8/2/2023 4:29:54 PM  
Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:40.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu) Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 54.0 (Fraction:Both)

Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>79</sup>Br:0 .. 2, <sup>14</sup>N:3 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:3 .. 3, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1

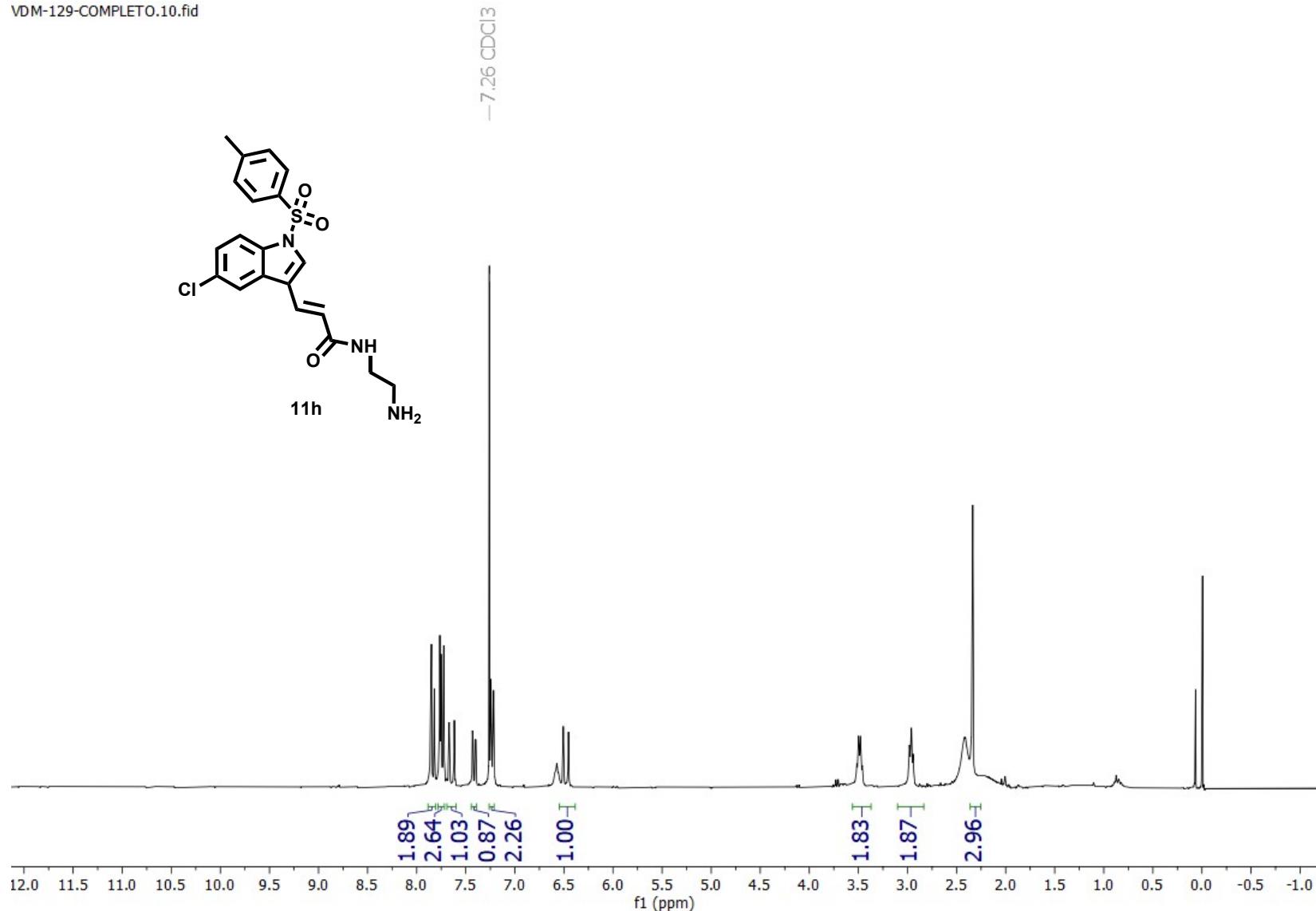


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
462.04803	3784.37	462.04870	-0.67	-1.45	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>20</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>21</sub> <sup>79</sup> Br <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>32</sup> S <sub>1</sub>	12.5

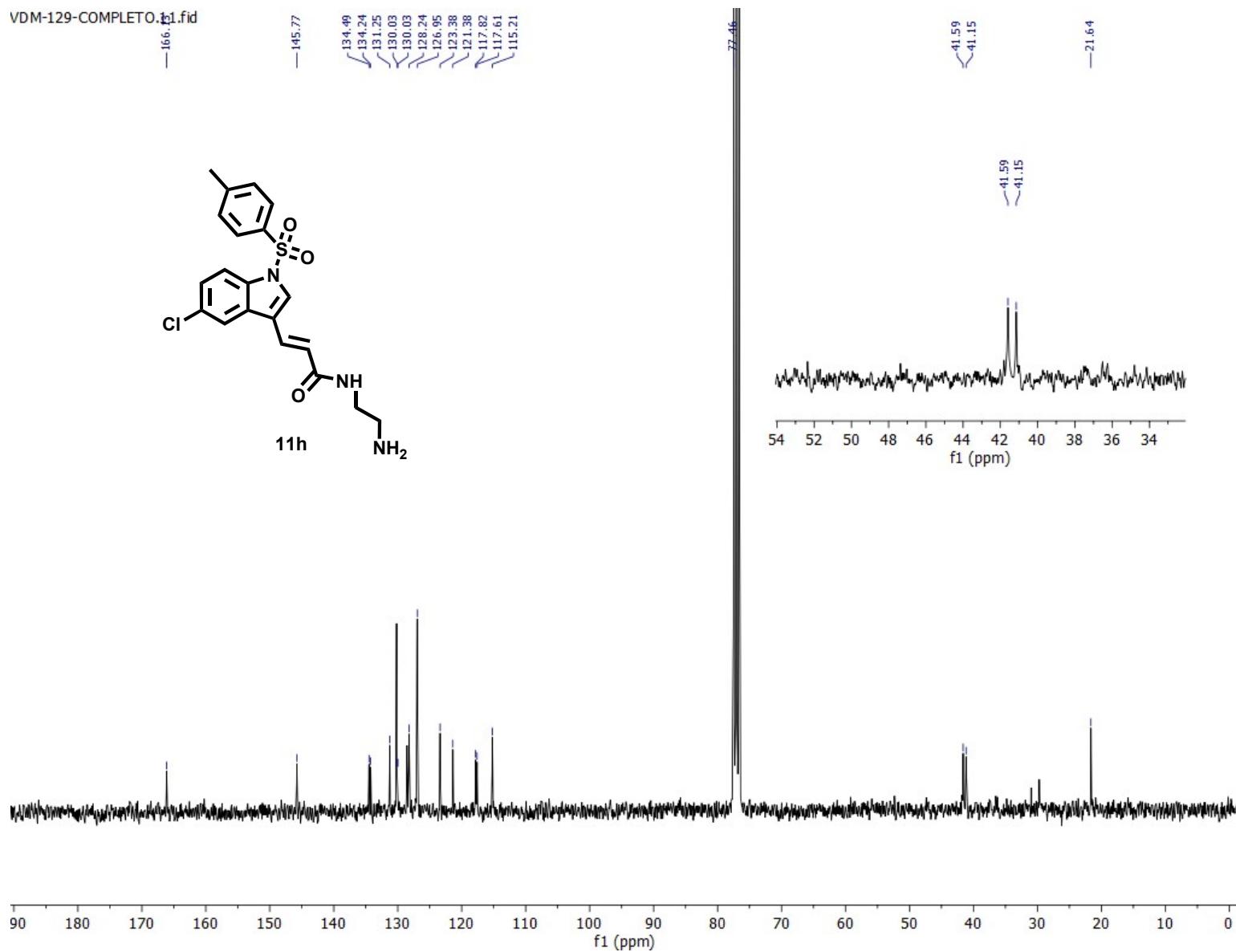
Figure 61. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 11g.

## 2.22 Compound 11h

VDM-129-COMPLETO.10.fid



**Figure 62.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 11h (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

**Figure 63.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **11h** (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>).

Data:1711\_VDM-129  
 Sample Name:DR. Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:6/20/2023 1:24:02 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:8/2/2023 1:44:36 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:2.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3, <sup>32</sup>S:0 .. 1  
 Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 54.0 (Fraction:Both)

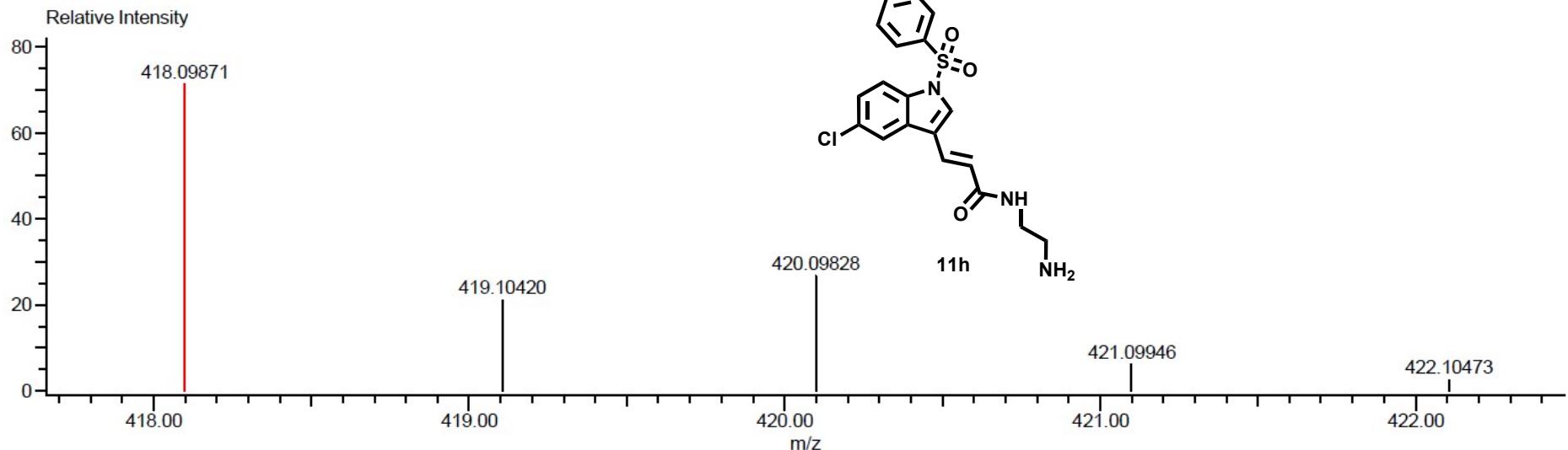
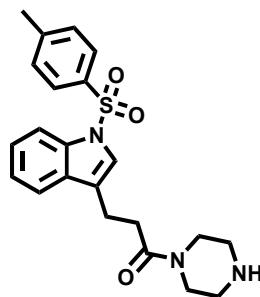
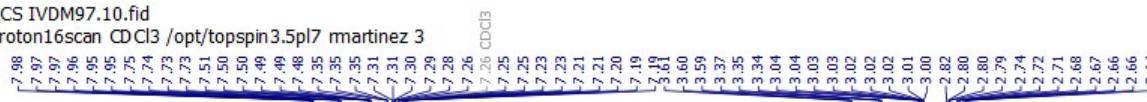


Figure 64. ESI-HRMS spectrum of **11h**.

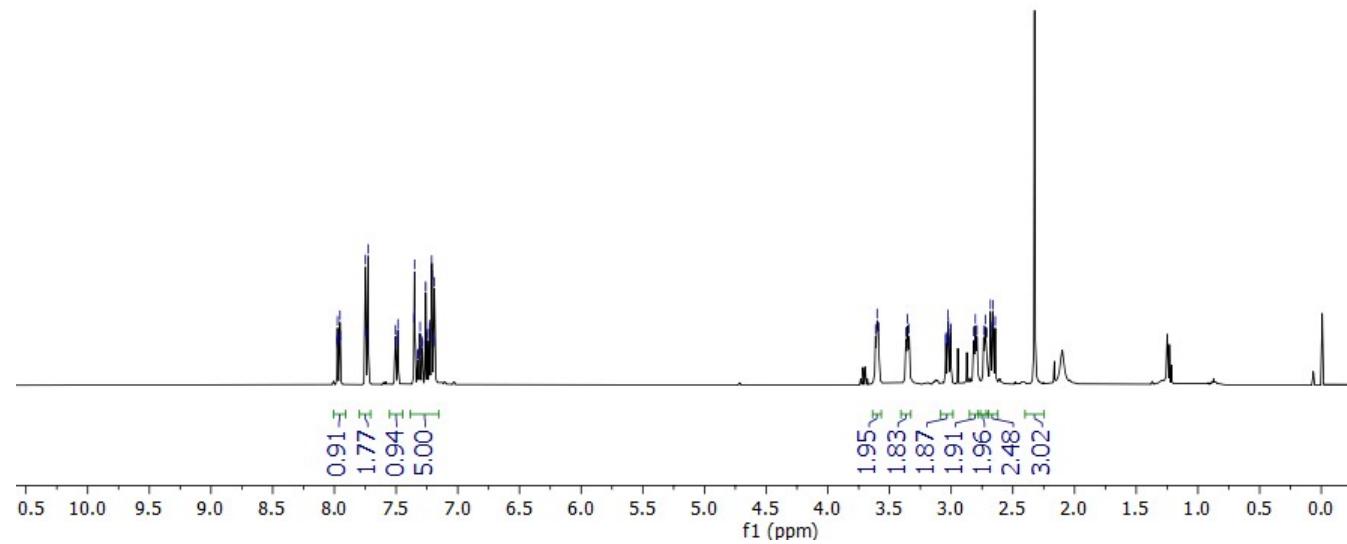
## 2.23 Compound 11a'

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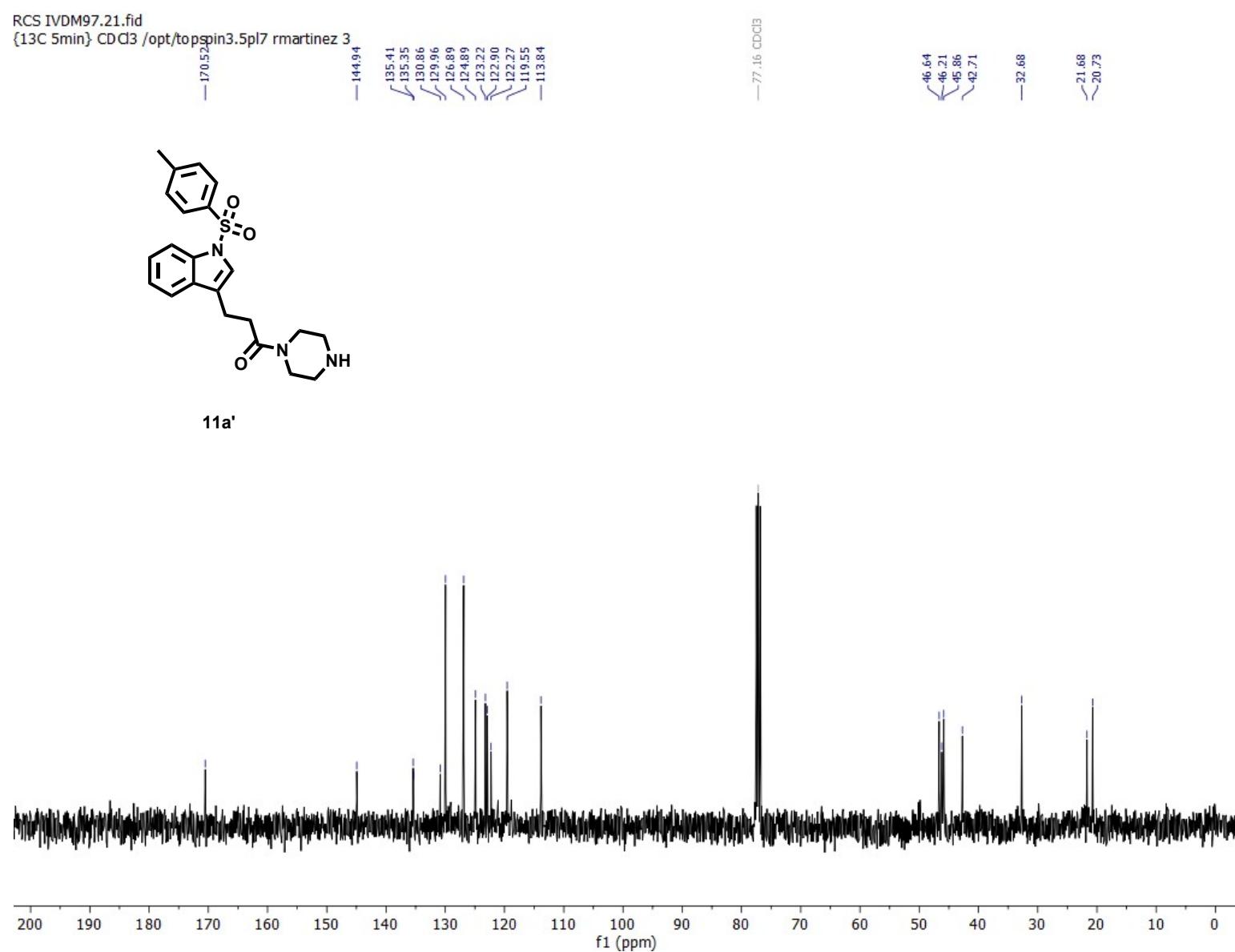
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11a'



**Figure 65.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **11a'** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).



**Figure 66.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **11a'** (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

Data:1422 VDM-97

Sample Name:DR. MARTINEZ ROBERTO / OPERADORA CARMEN GARCIA - PAULA BERNARDO

Description:

Ionization Mode:ESI+

History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect(Centroid,30,Area);Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(1000)

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Operator:AccuTOF

Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600

Created:5/26/2023 10:21:41 PM

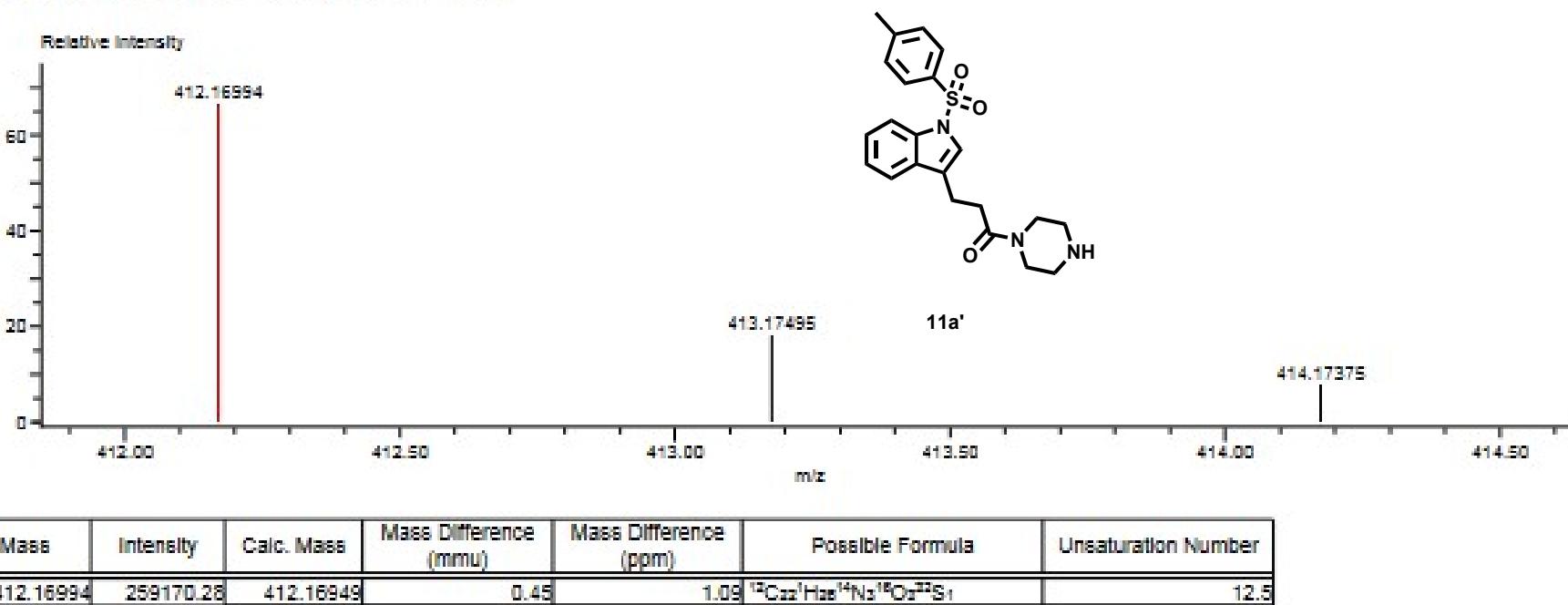
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Charge number:1

Tolerance:2.00(mmu)

Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 20.0 (Fraction:Both)

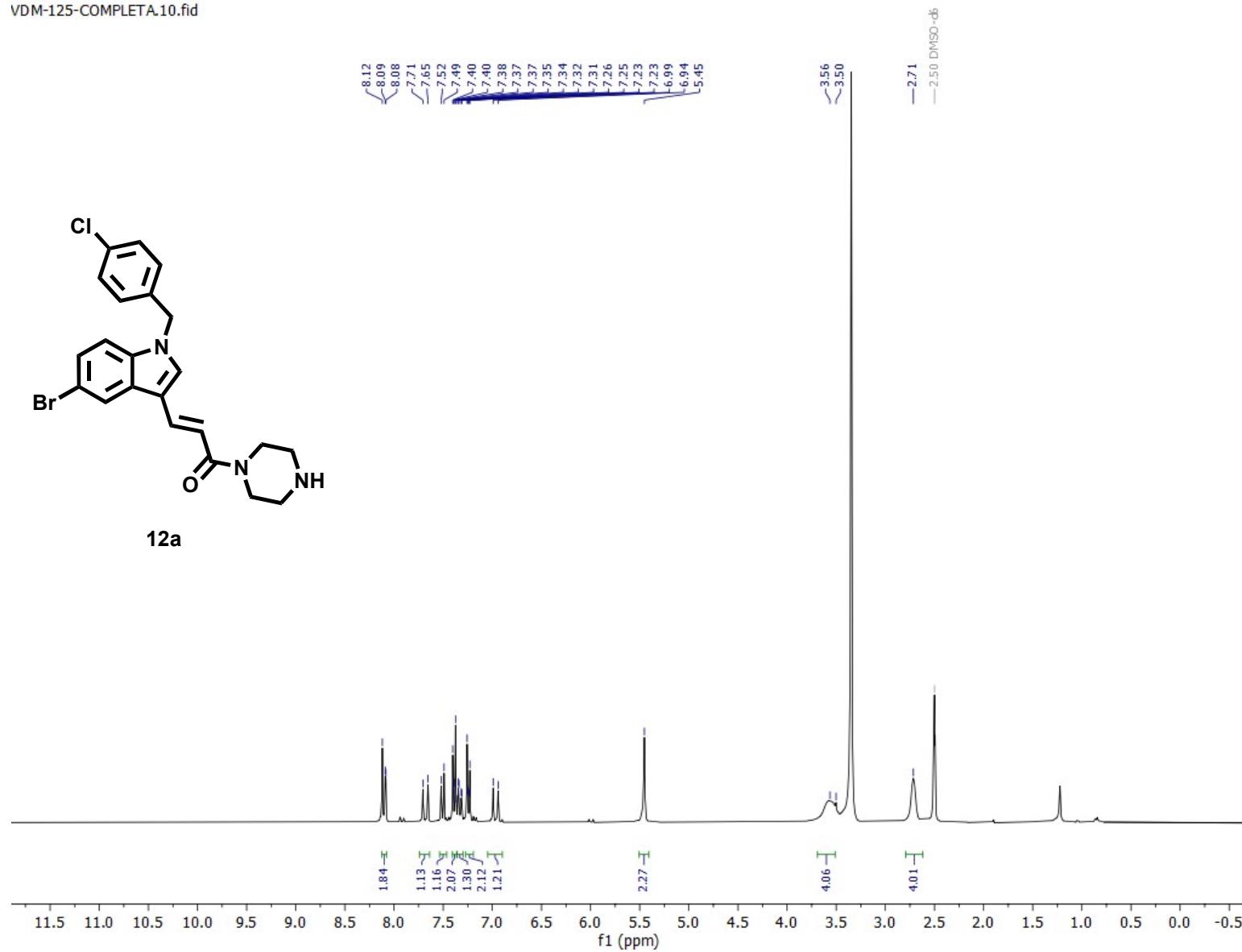
Element: $^{12}\text{C}$ :0 .. 35,  $^1\text{H}$ :0 .. 70,  $^{14}\text{N}$ :1 .. 3,  $^{16}\text{O}$ :0 .. 4,  $^{32}\text{S}$ :0 .. 1



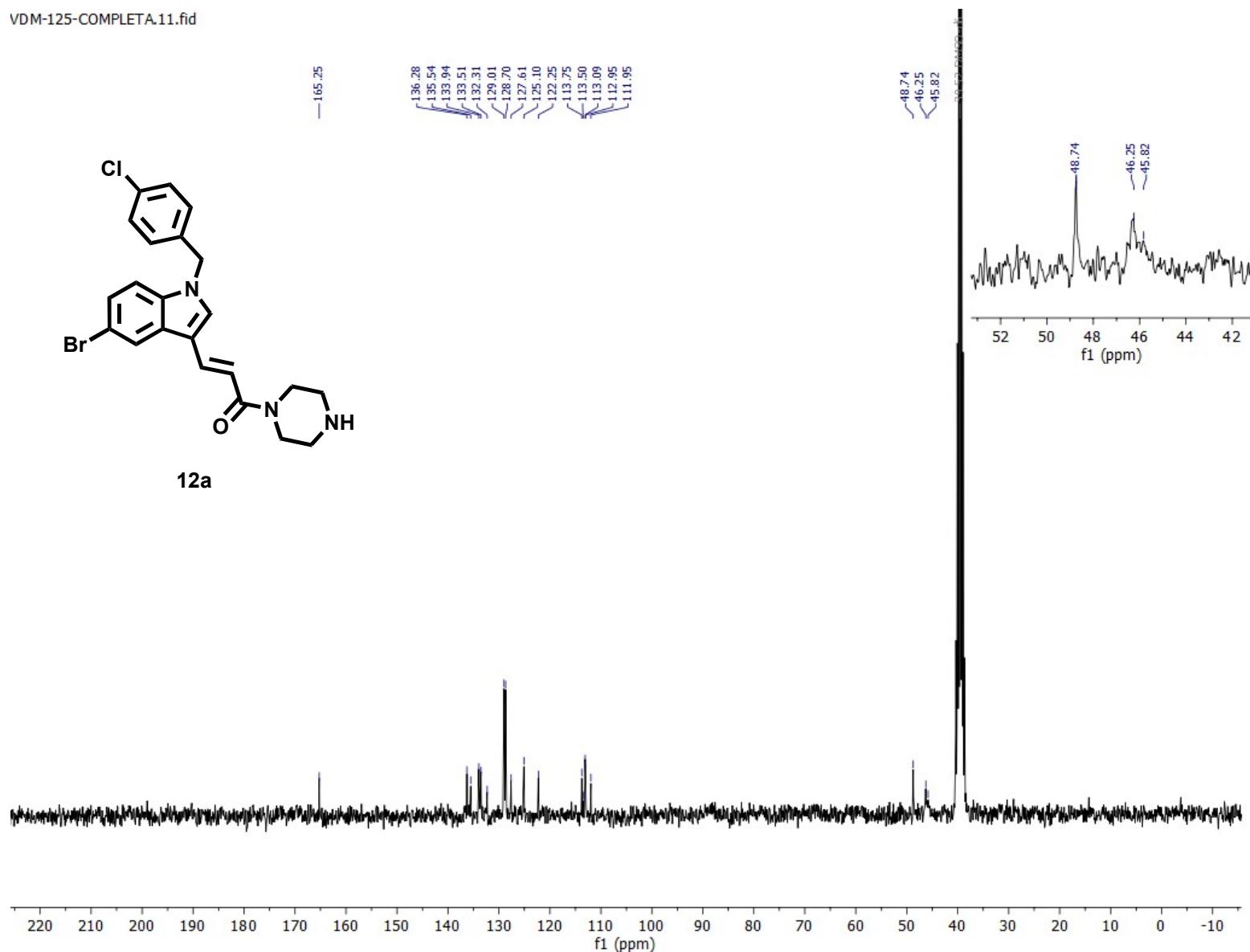
**Figure 67.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **11a'**.

## 2.24 Compound 12a

VDM-125-COMPLETA.10.fid



**Figure 68.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **12a** (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 69.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12a** (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1420 VDM-125

Sample Name:DR. MARTINEZ ROBERTO / OPERADORA CARMEN GARCIA - PAULA BERNARDO

Description:

Ionization Mode:ESI+

History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:5/24/2023 1:14:55 PM

Operator:AccuTOF

Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600

Created:6/26/2023 1:21:08 PM

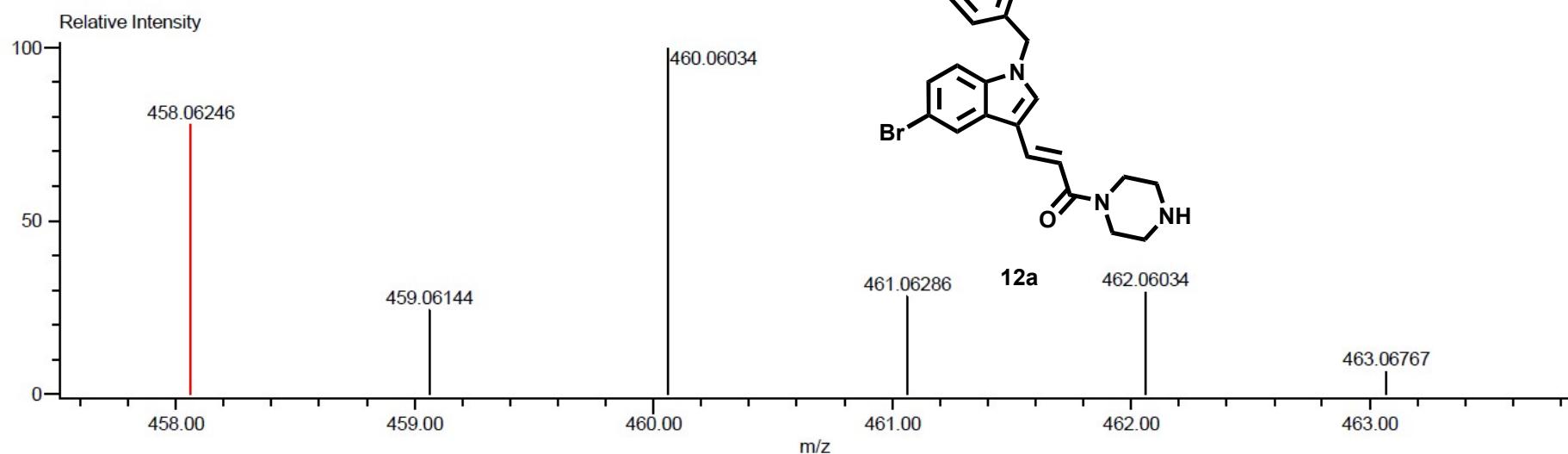
Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1

Tolerance:5.00(mmu)

Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 35, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 70, <sup>79</sup>Br:1 .. 1, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3

Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 50.0 (Fraction:Both)

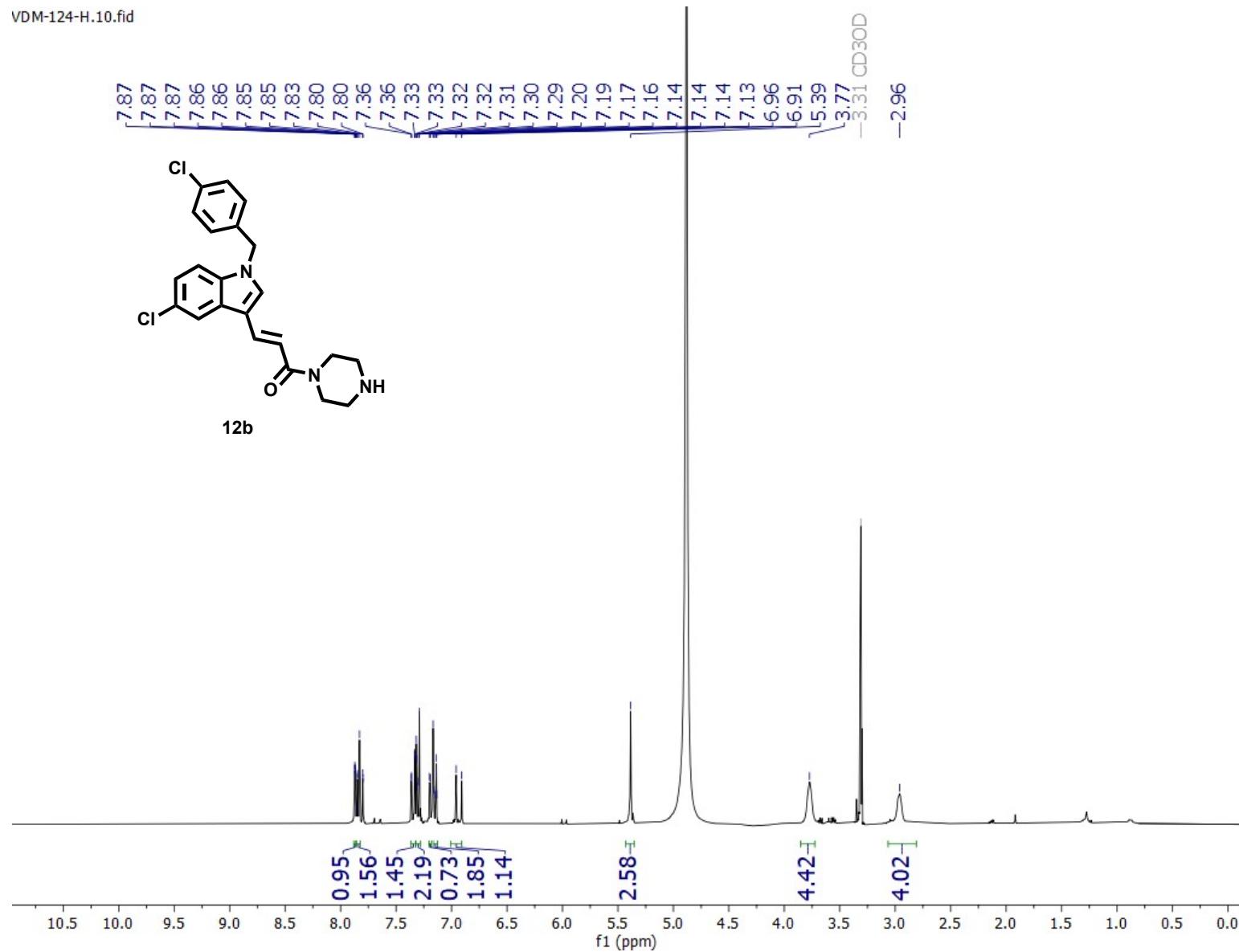


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
458.06246	26215.80	458.06348	-1.02	-2.22	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>22</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>22</sub> <sup>79</sup> Br <sub>1</sub> <sup>35</sup> Cl <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>1</sub>	12.5

Figure 70. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12a.

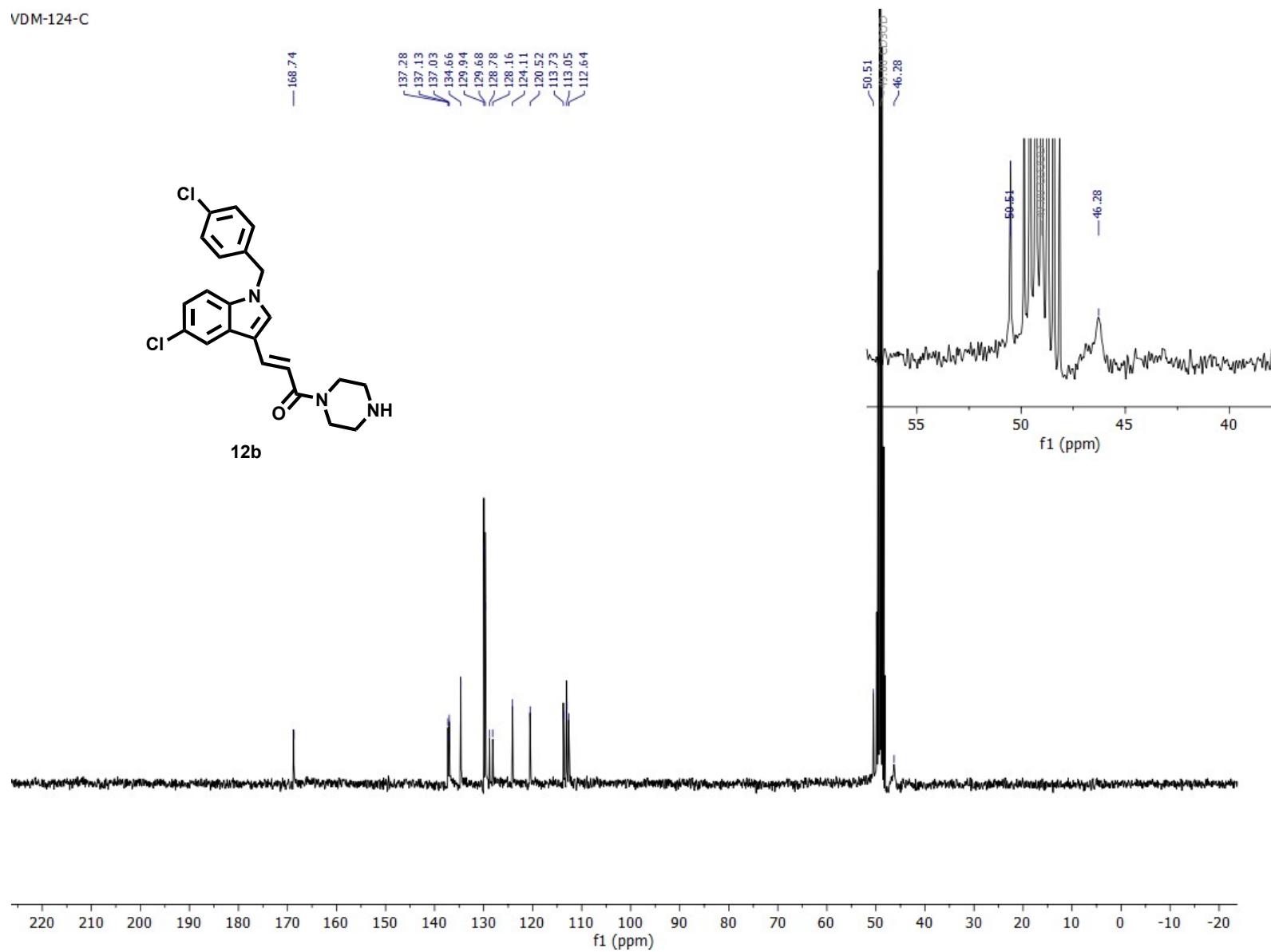
## 2.25 Compound 12b

VDM-124-H.10.fid



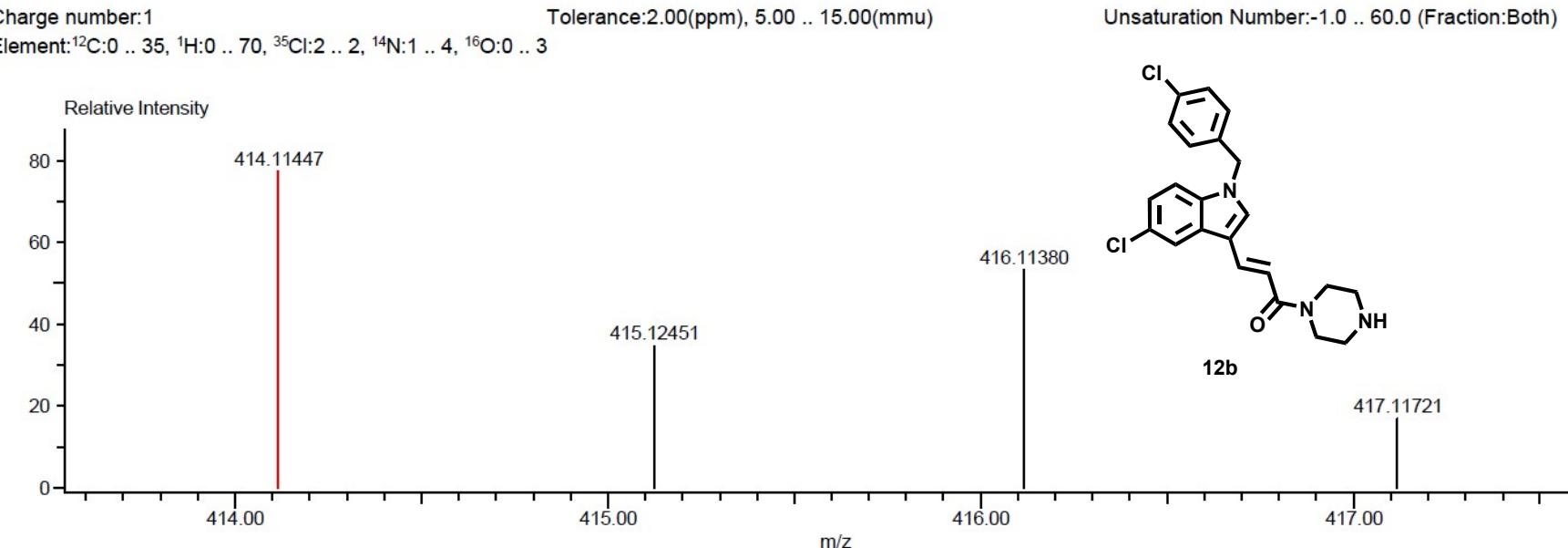
**Figure 71.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **12b** (300 MHz,  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD-d}_4$ ).

VDM-124-C



**Figure 72**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12b** (75 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>).

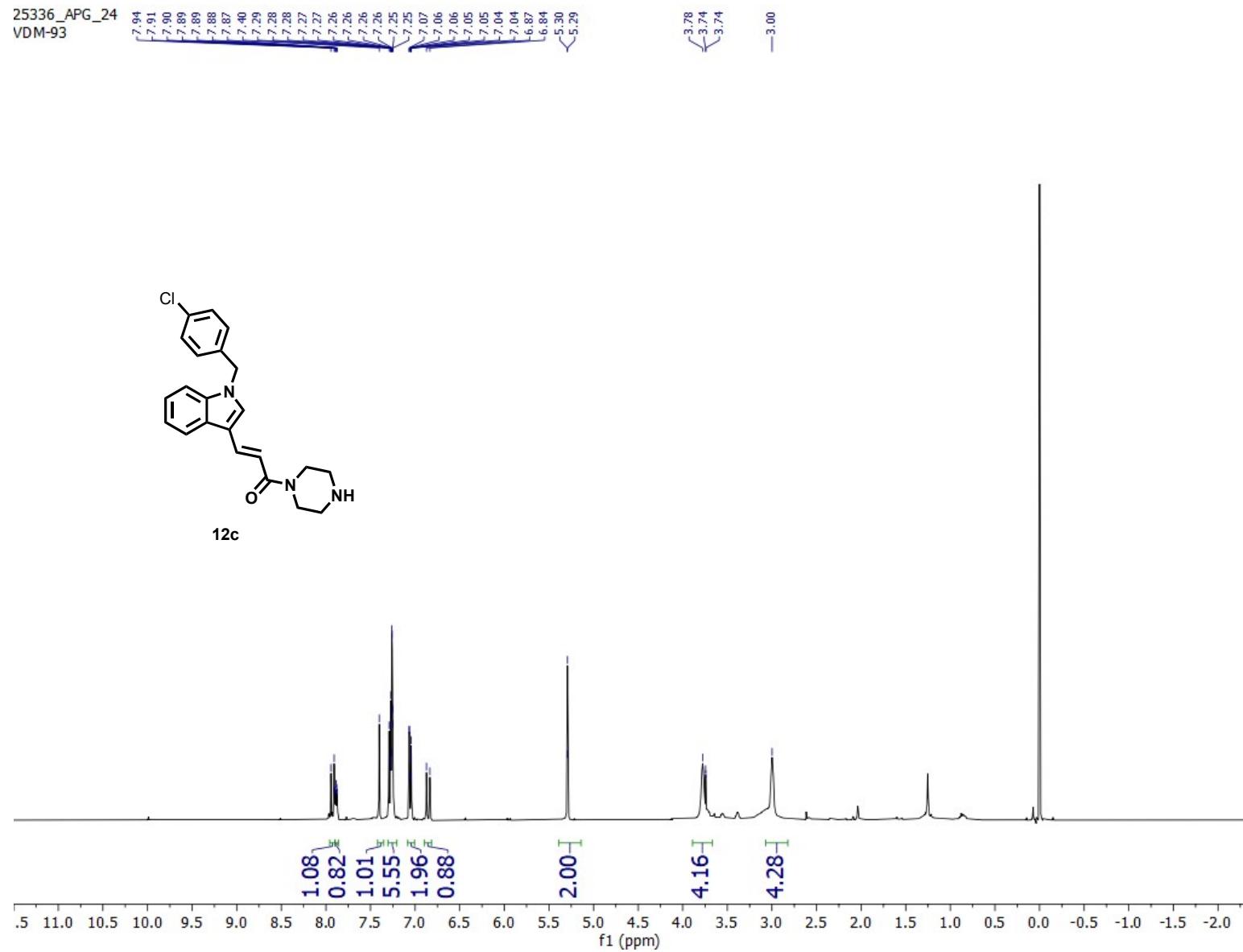
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 Sample Name:DR. MARTINEZ ROBERTO / OPERADORA CARMEN GARCIA - PAULA BERNARDO  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
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 Charge number:1  
 Tolerance:2.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
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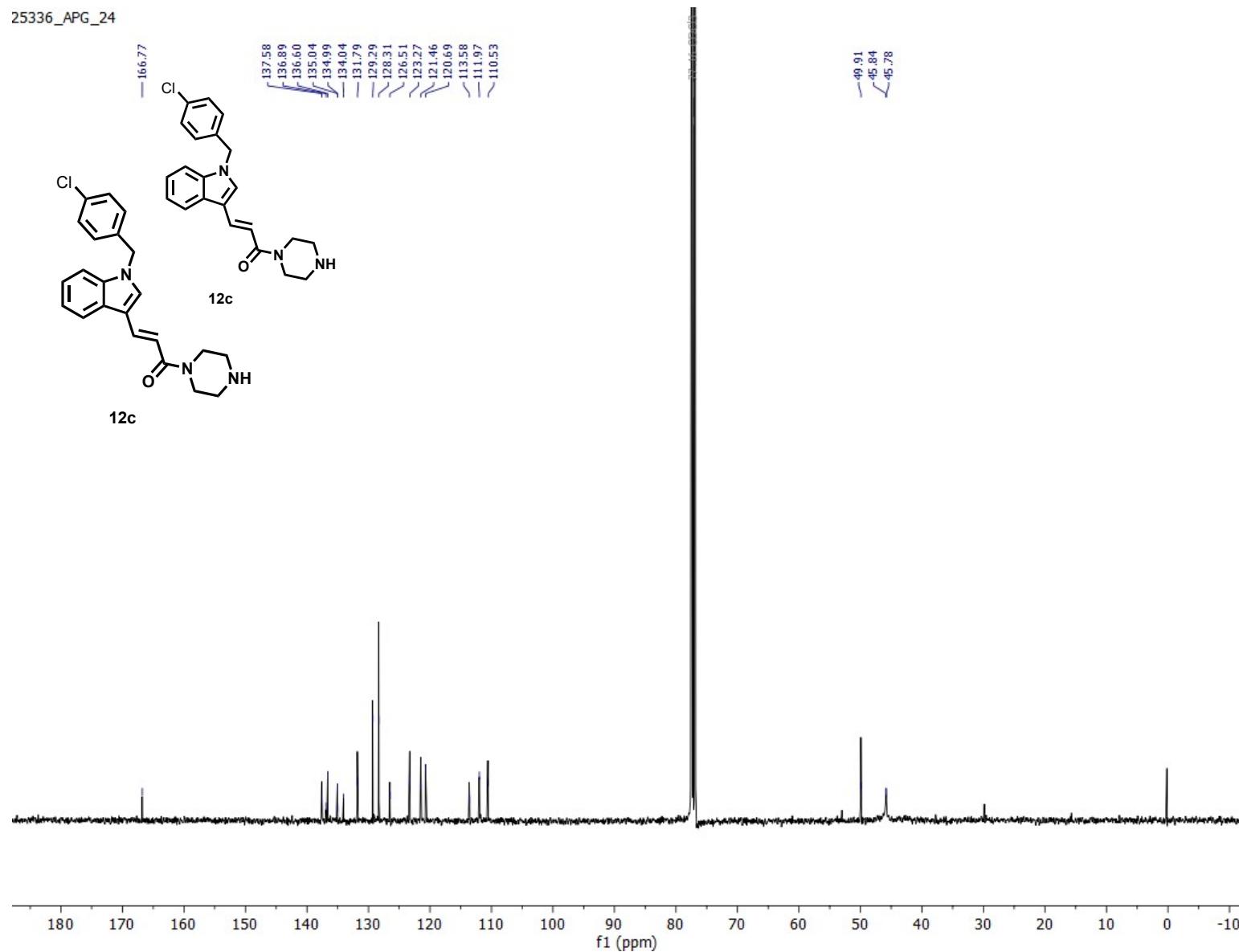
**Figure 73.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **12b**.

## 2.26 Compound 12c

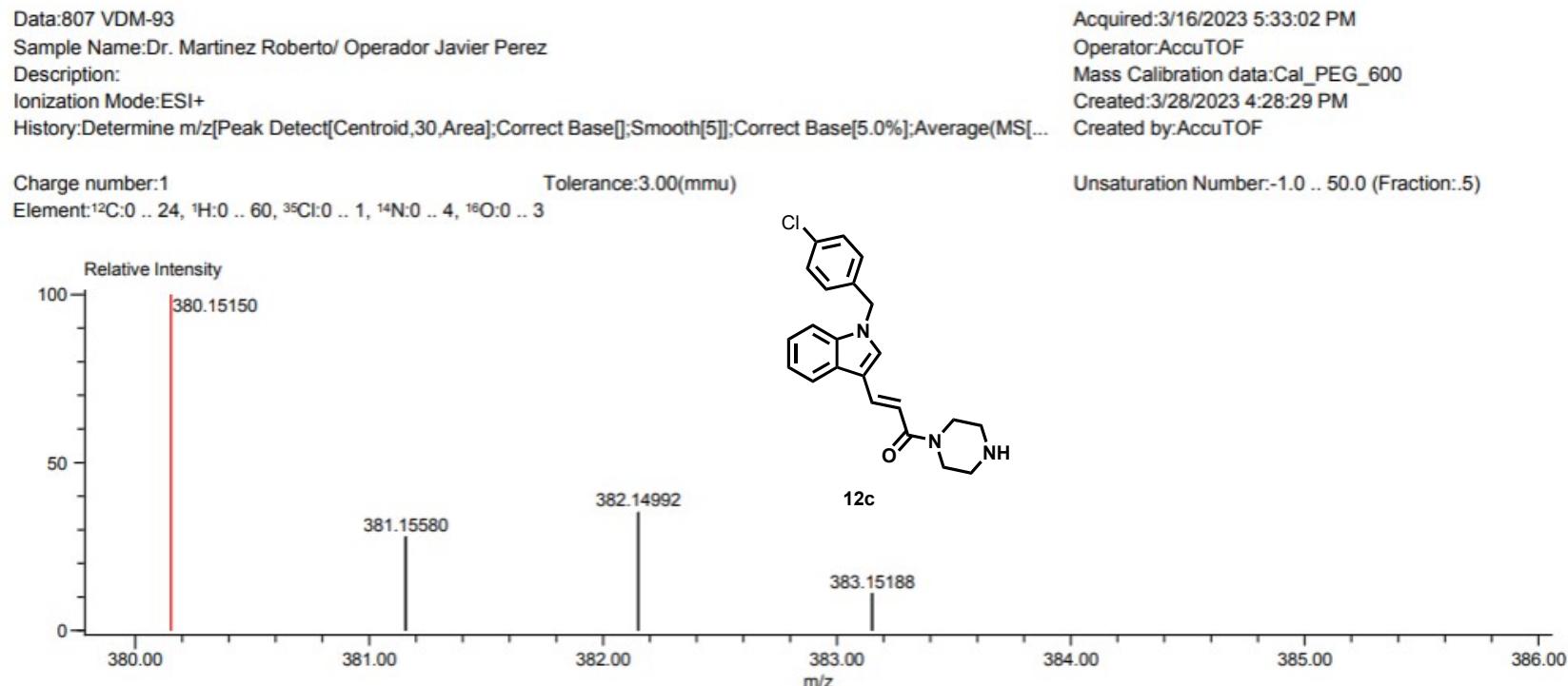
25336\_APG\_24  
VDM-93



**Figure 74.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **12c** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure 75.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12c** (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).



**Figure 76.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **12c**.

## 2.27 Compound 12d

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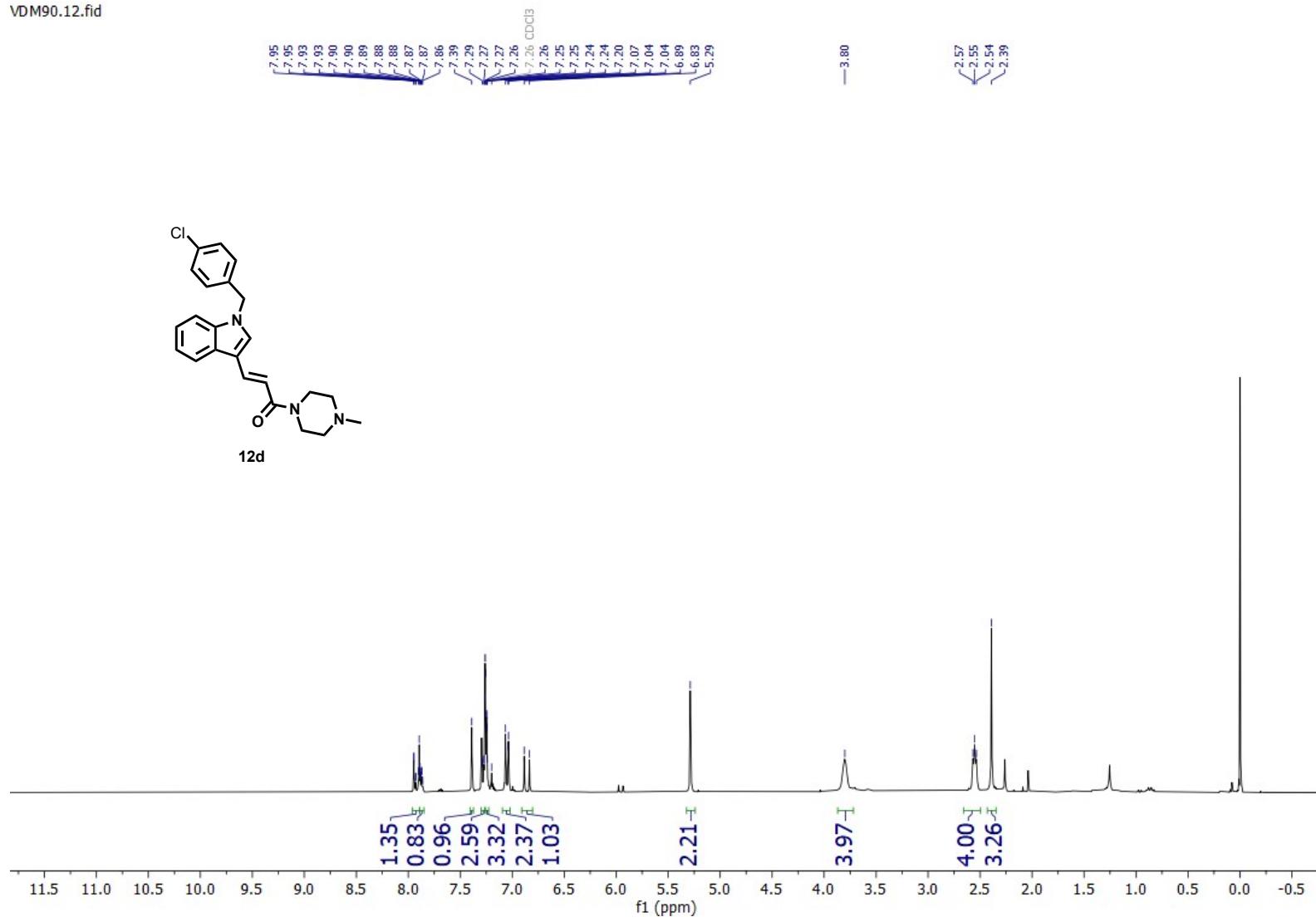
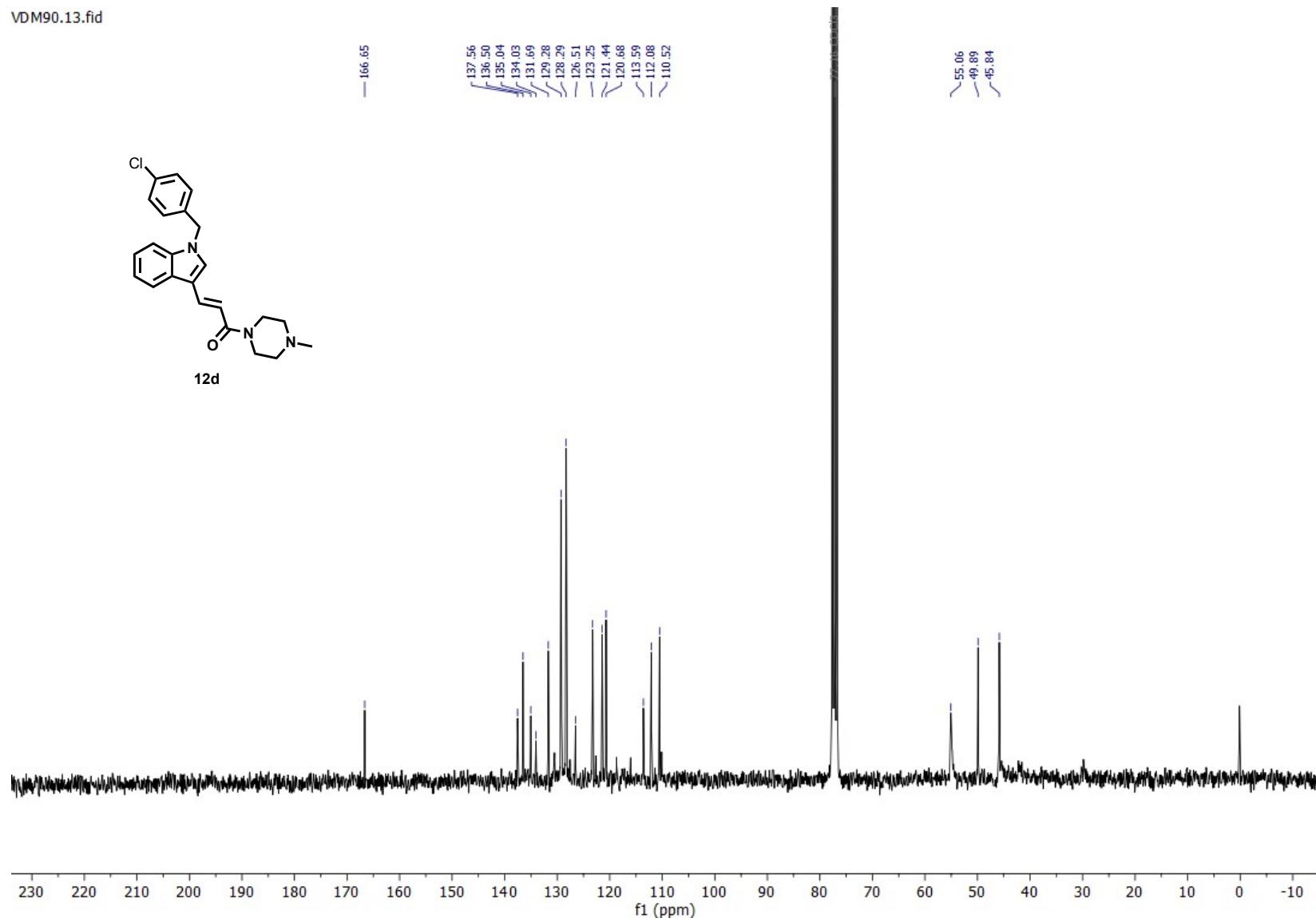
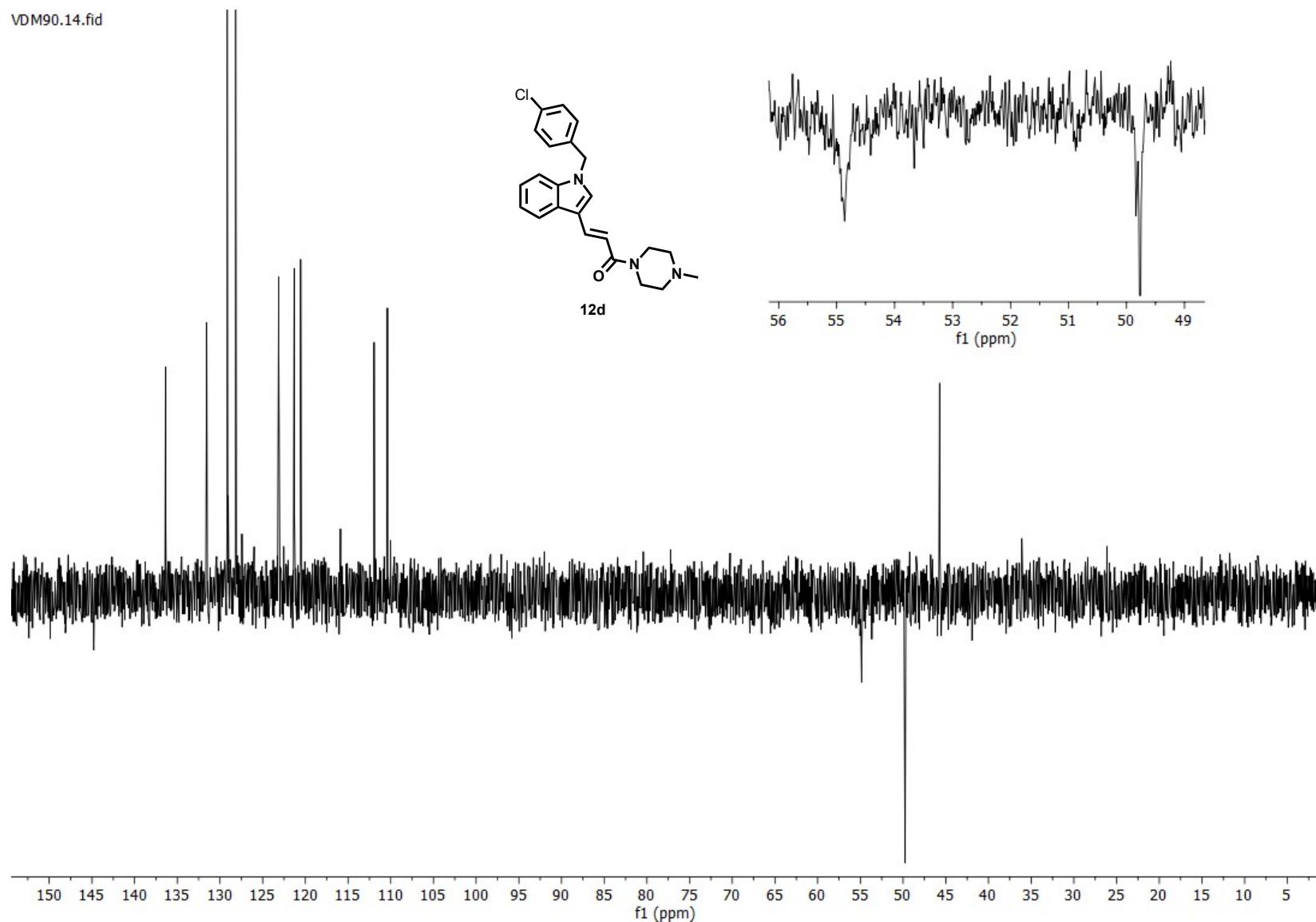


Figure 77.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 12d (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure 78.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12d** (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

VDM90.14.fid

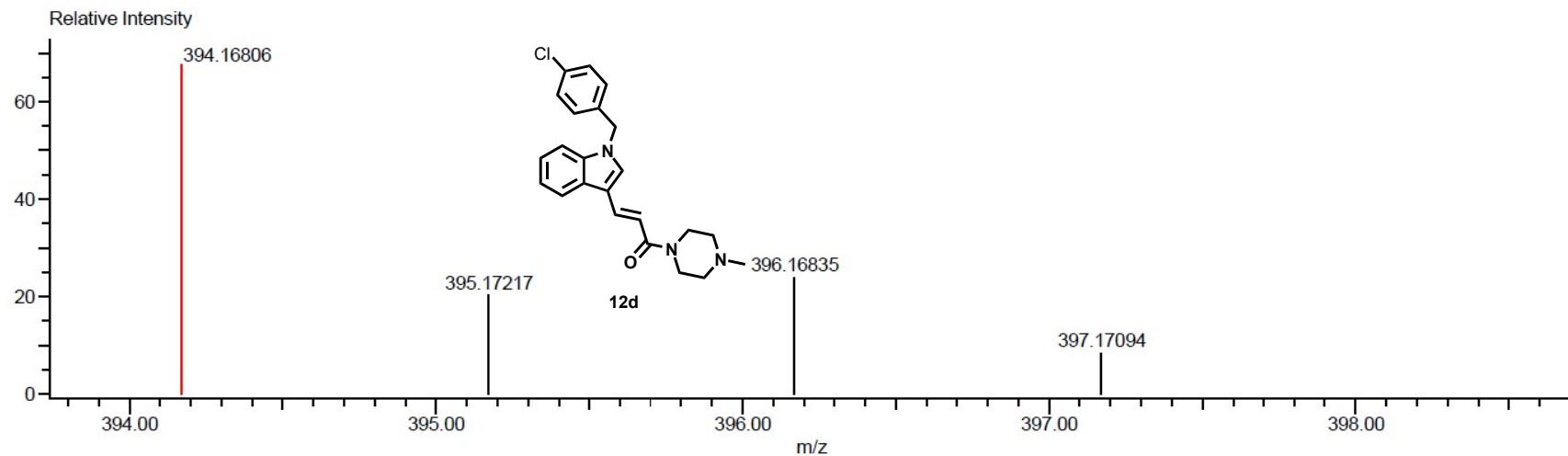


**Figure 79.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR, DEPT-135, spectrum of **12d** (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).

Data:805 VDM-90  
Sample Name:Dr. Martinez Roberto/ Operador Javier Perez  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

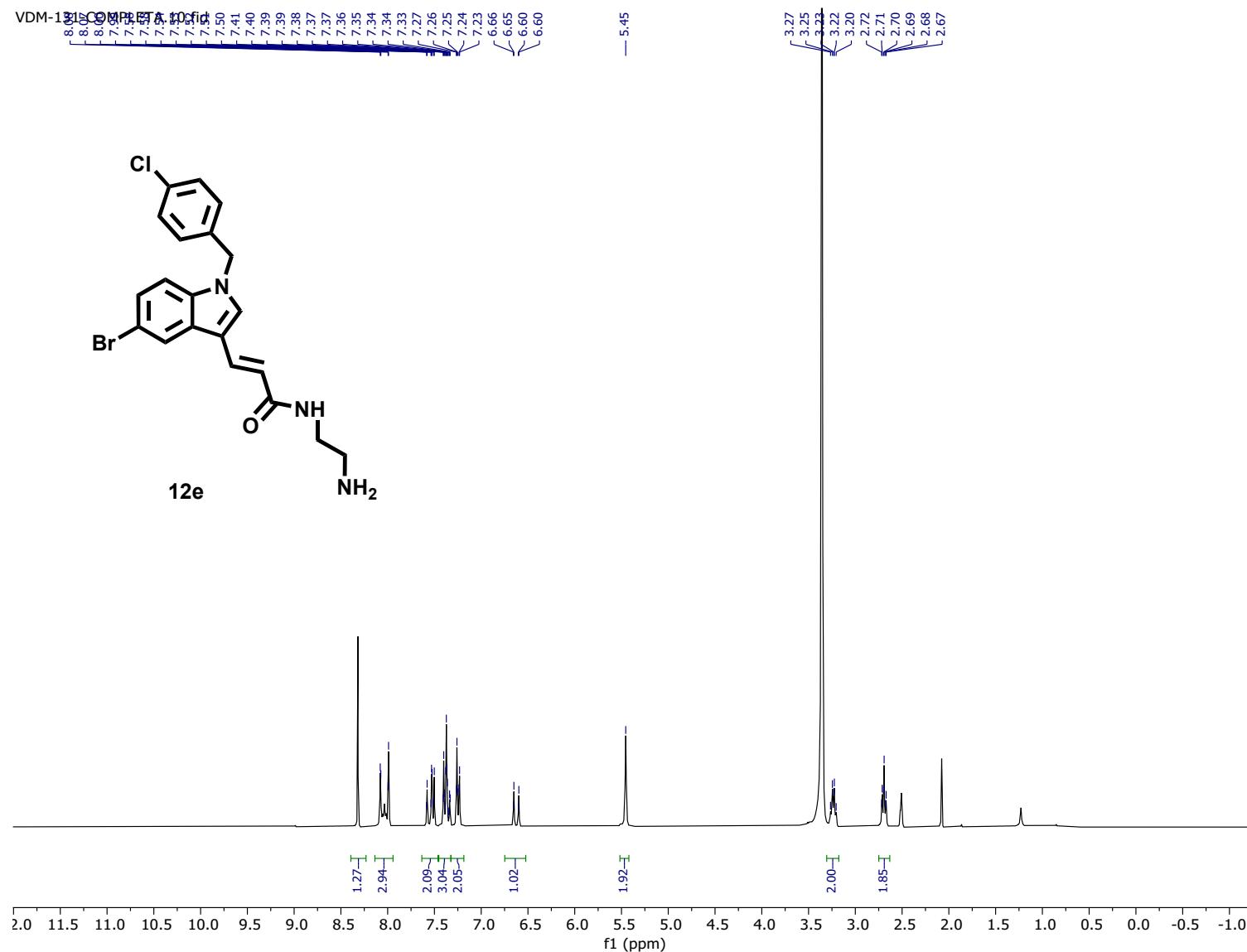
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Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:4.00(mmu) Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 50.0 (Fraction:.5)  
Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 24, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 60, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 4, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3

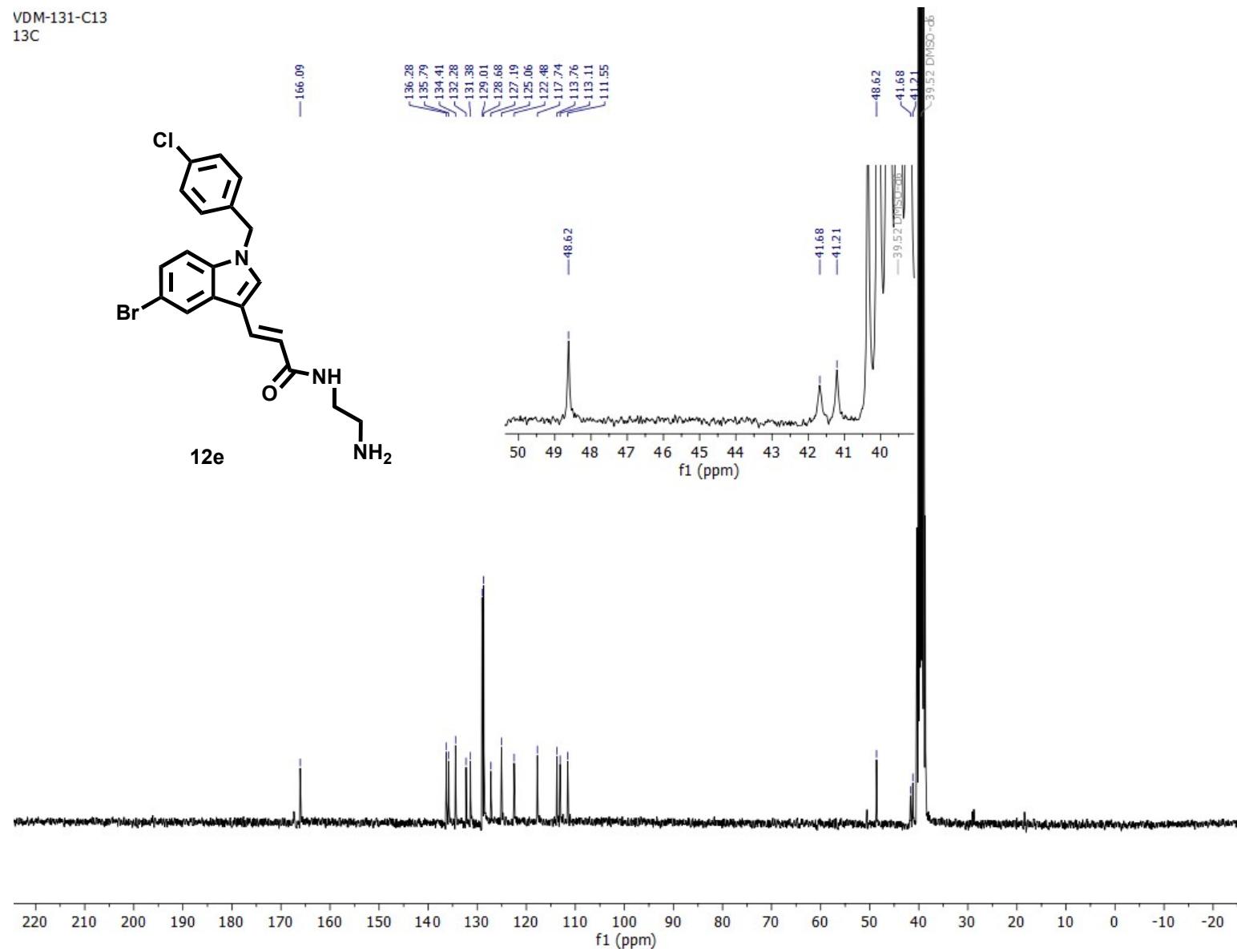


**Figure 80.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12d.

## 2.28 Compound 12e



**Figure 81.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **12e** (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



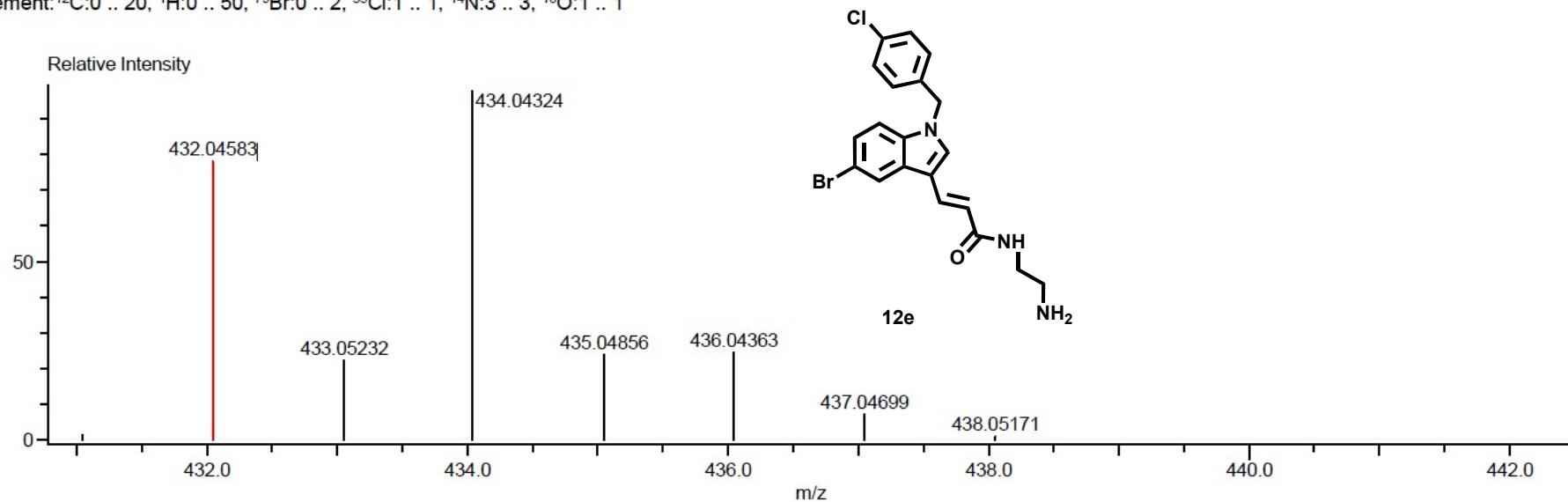
**Figure 82.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12e** (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1709\_VDM-131  
 Sample Name:DR. Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(

Acquired:6/20/2023 1:19:46 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:8/2/2023 1:55:37 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1  
 Tolerance:4.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
 Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 54.0 (Fraction:Both)

Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>79</sup>Br:0 .. 2, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:3 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:1 .. 1



Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
432.04583	60643.74	432.04783	-1.99	-4.61	$^{12}\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{Br}^{79}\text{Cl}^{35}\text{N}_3\text{O}_1$	11.5

**Figure 83.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **12e**.

## 2.29 Compound 12f

VDM-130-COMPLETO.10.fid

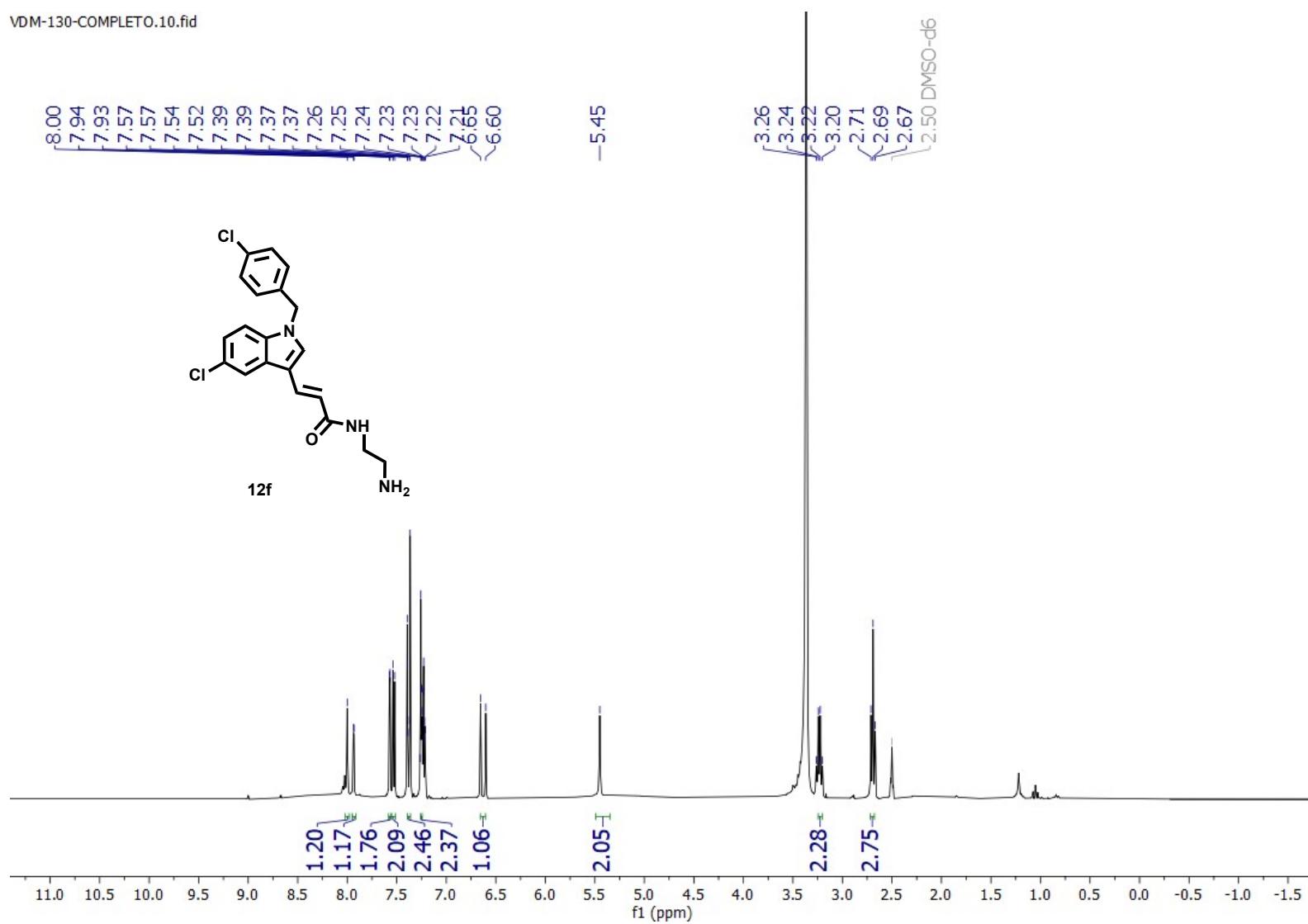
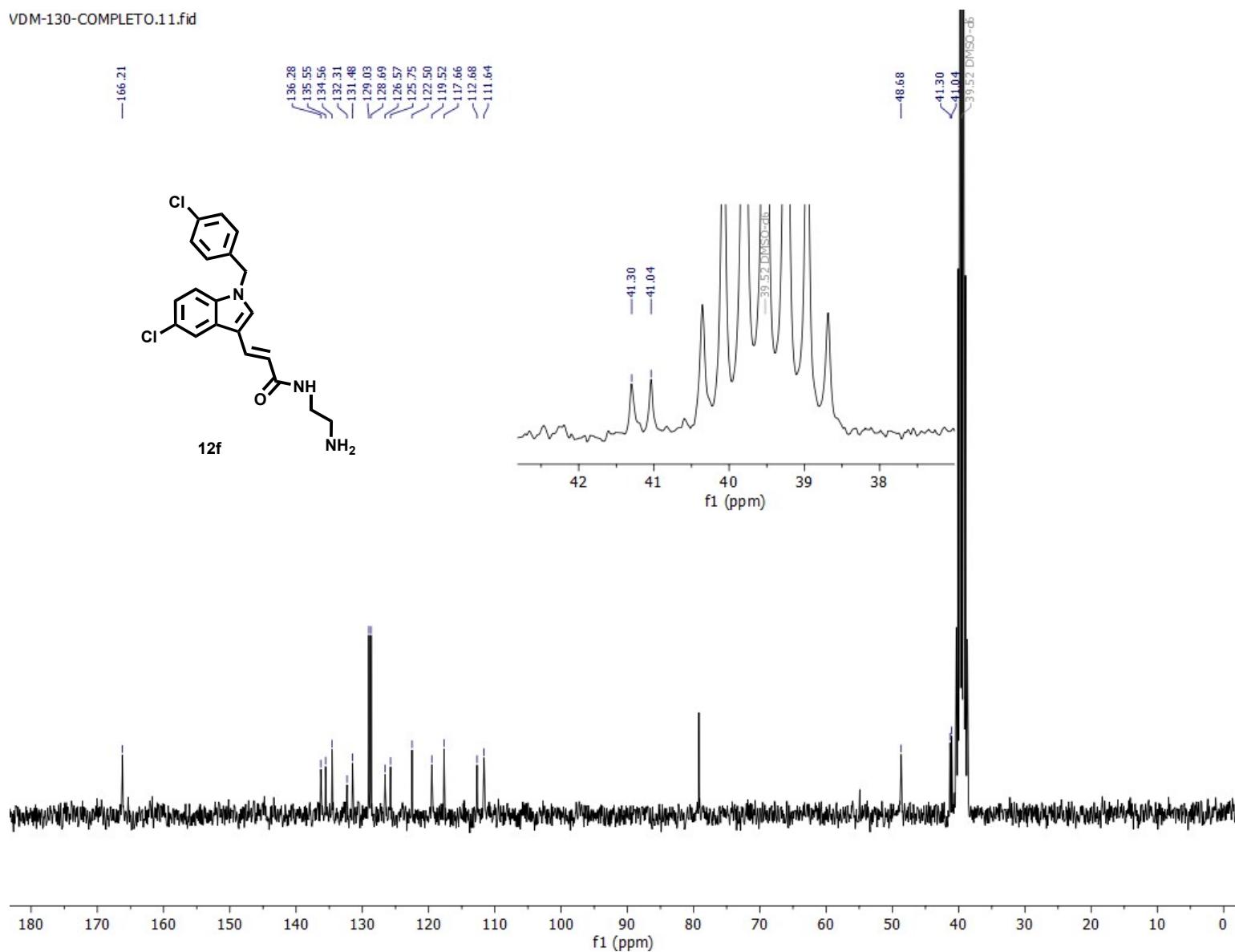


Figure 84.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 12f (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).



**Figure 85.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12f** (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:1712\_VDM-130  
 Sample Name:DR. Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...]

Acquired:6/20/2023 1:26:03 PM  
 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:Cal\_PEG\_600  
 Created:8/2/2023 1:51:52 PM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:20.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 2, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 3  
 Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 54.0 (Fraction:Both)

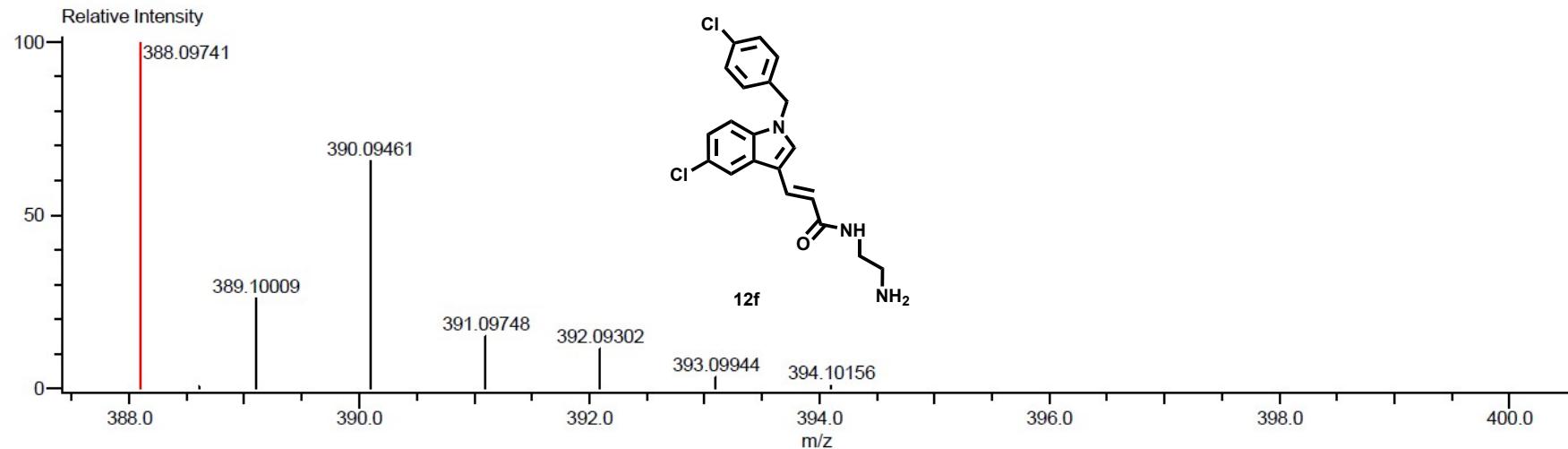


Figure 86. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12f.

## 2.30 Compound 12g

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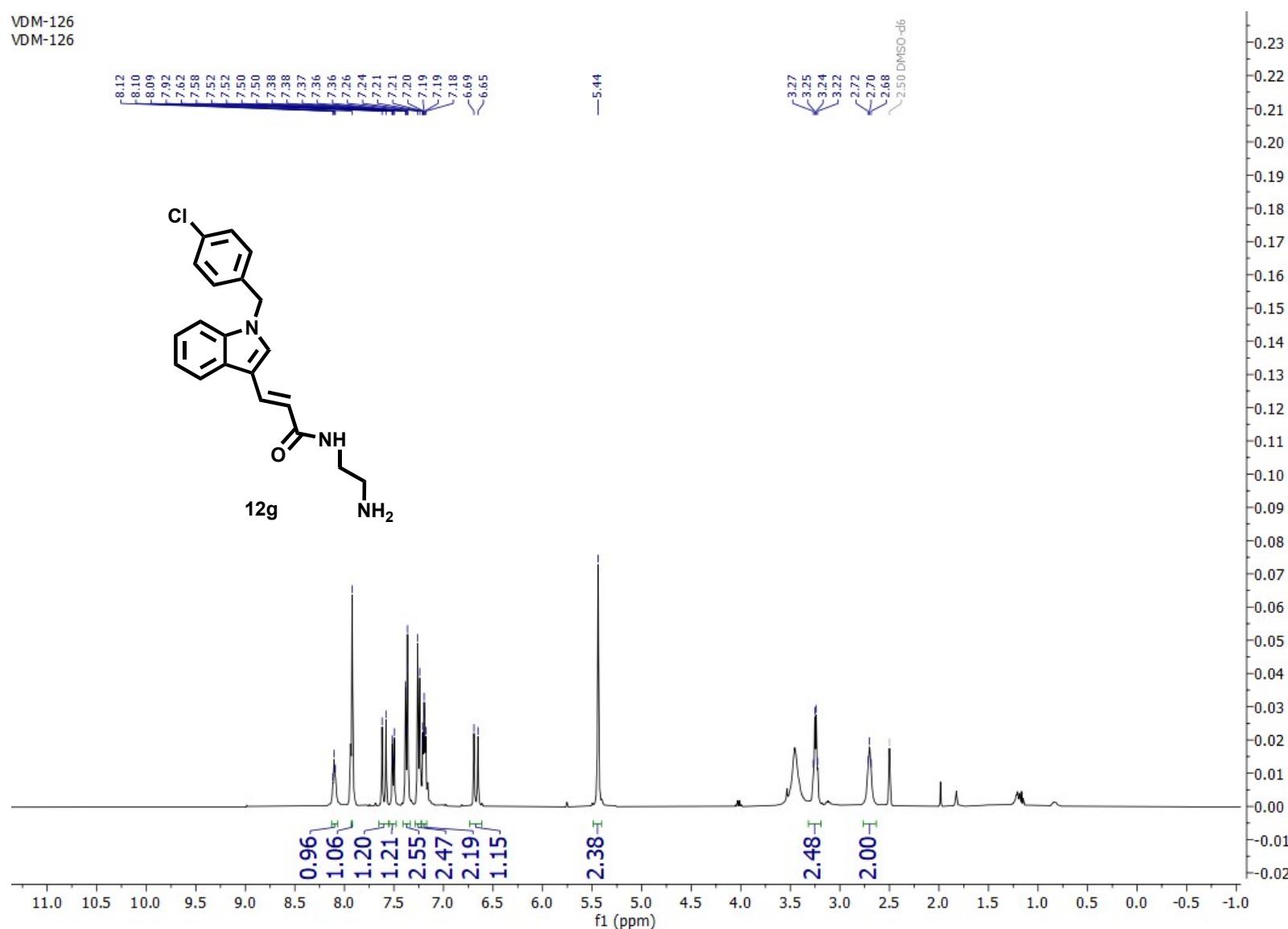
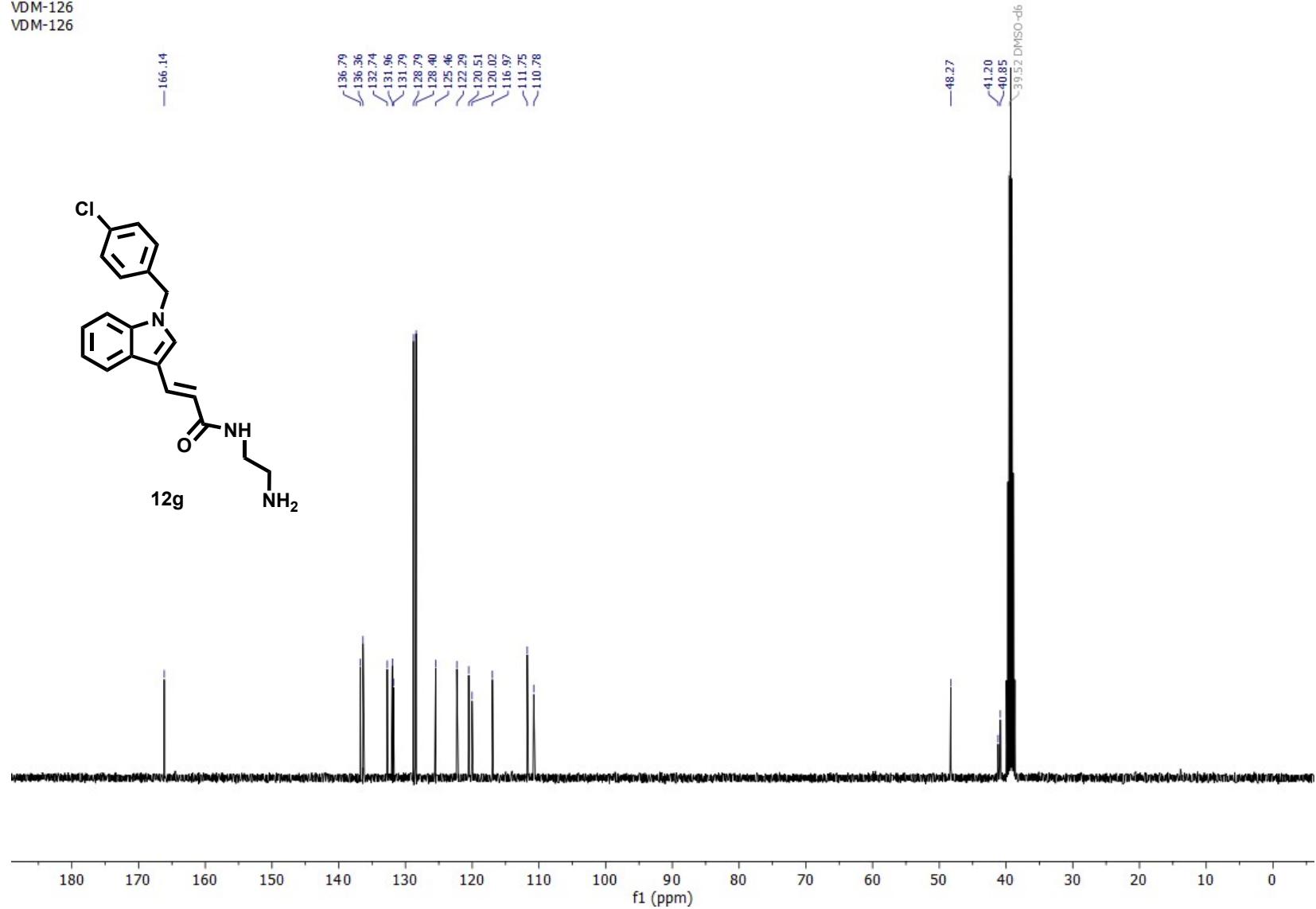


Figure 87. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 12g (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

VDM-126  
VDM-126

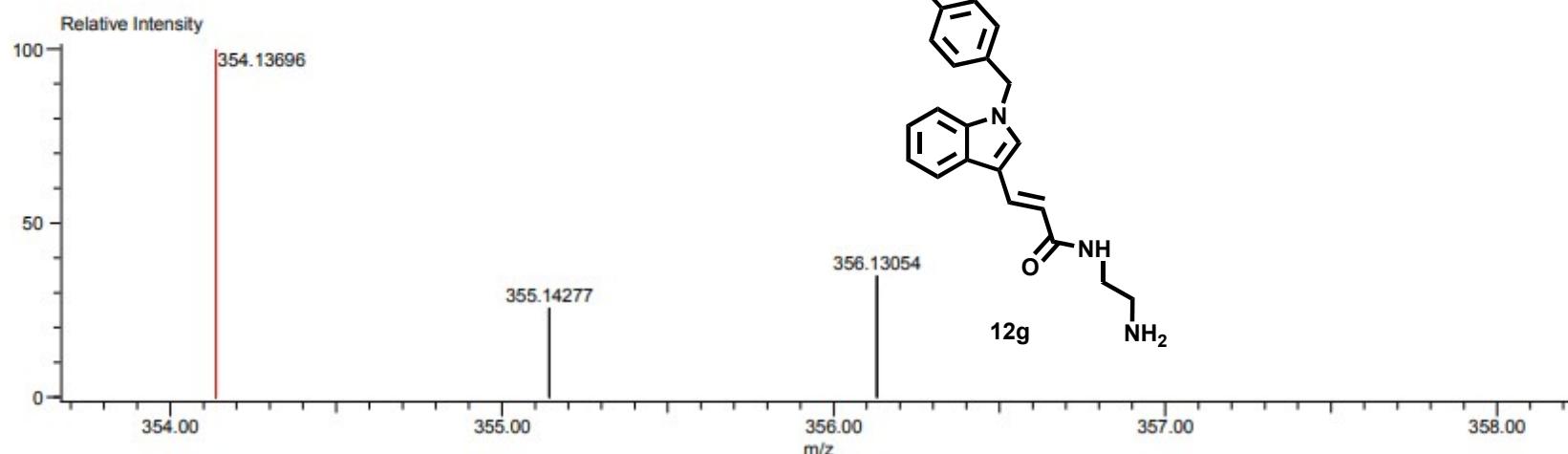


**Figure 88.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12g** (75MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ).

Data:1053\_VDM-126  
Sample Name:DR Martinez Roberto /Operador: Carmen Garcia  
Description:  
Ionization Mode:ESI+  
History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)

Acquired:4/29/2024 11:12:27 AM  
Operator:AccuTOF  
Mass Calibration data:CAL\_PEG\_600\_ok  
Created:4/29/2024 12:24:14 PM  
Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1 Tolerance:3.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)  
Element:<sup>12</sup>C:20 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 30, <sup>35</sup>Cl:1 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 4, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 4  
Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)

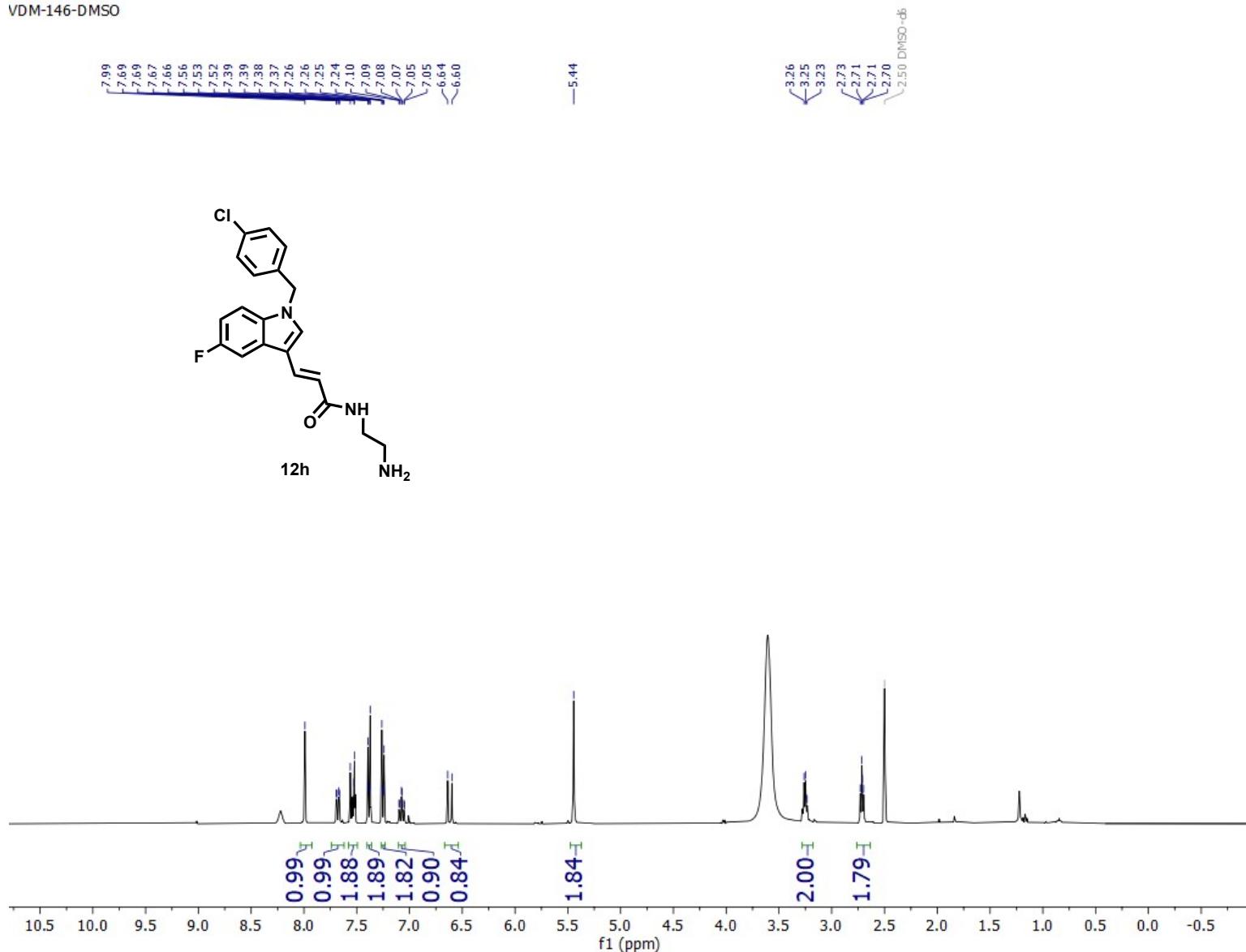


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
354.13696	9584.70	354.13731	-0.35	-1.00	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>20</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>21</sub> <sup>35</sup> Cl <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>1</sub>	11.5

Figure 89. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12g.

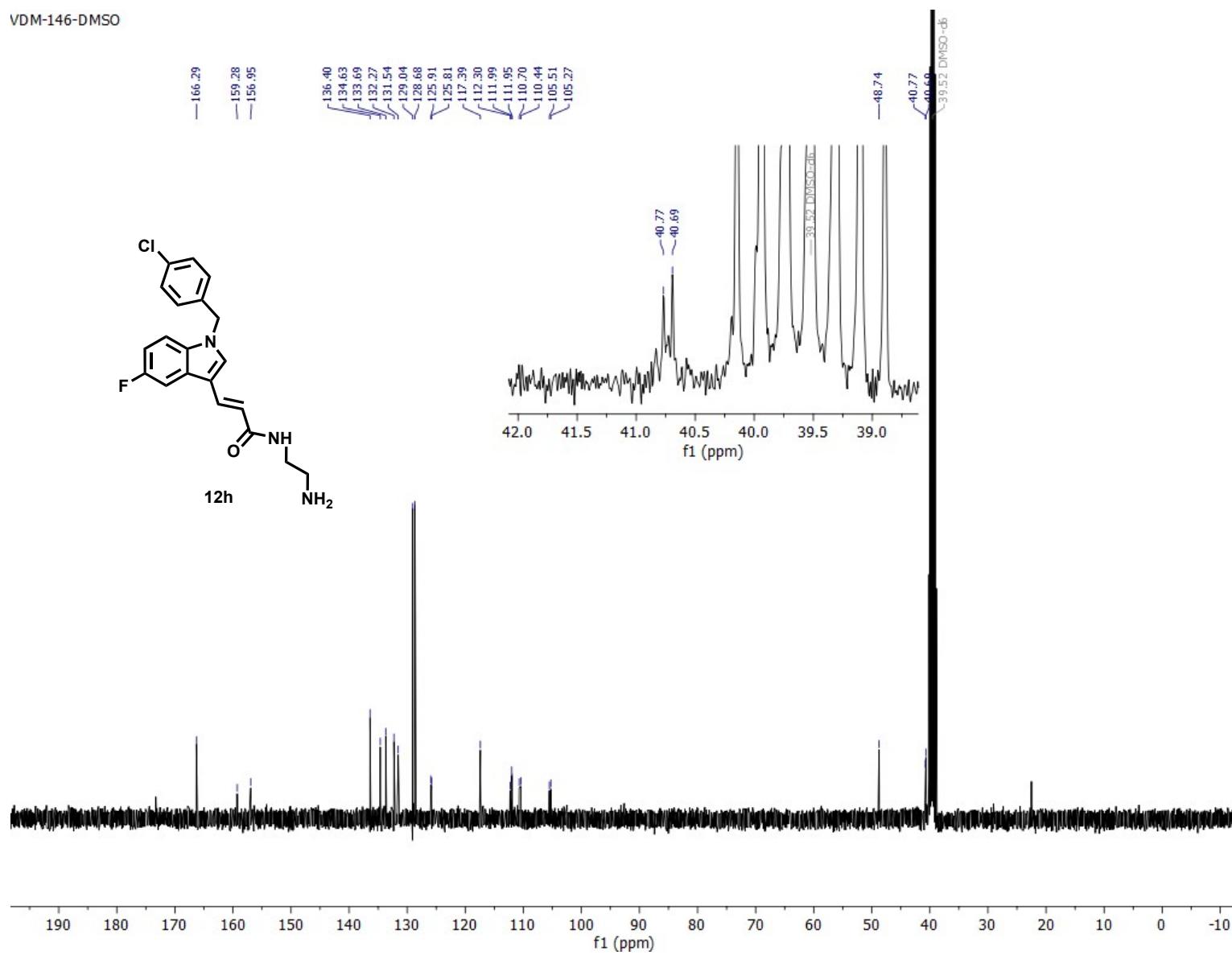
## 2.31 Compound 12h

VDM-146-DMSO



**Figure 90.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **12h** (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

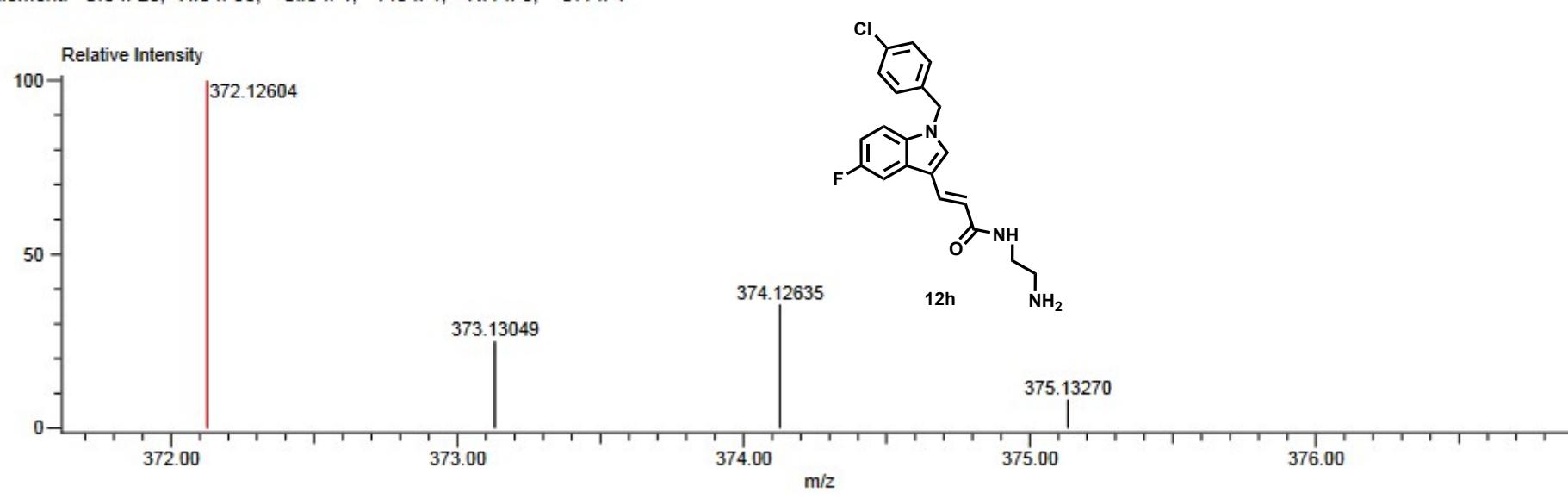
VDM-146-DMSO



**Figure 91.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **12h** (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>).

Data:928\_VDM-146  
 Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto /Operador: Carmen Garcia  
 Description:  
 Ionization Mode:ESI+  
 History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[5.0%]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[1] 1..1)  
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 Operator:AccuTOF  
 Mass Calibration data:CAL\_PEG\_600  
 Created:4/18/2024 11:47:36 AM  
 Created by:AccuTOF

Charge number:1      Tolerance:4.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)      Unsaturation Number:-1.5 .. 100.0 (Fraction:Both)  
 Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 20, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 50, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 1, <sup>19</sup>F:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:1 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:1 .. 1

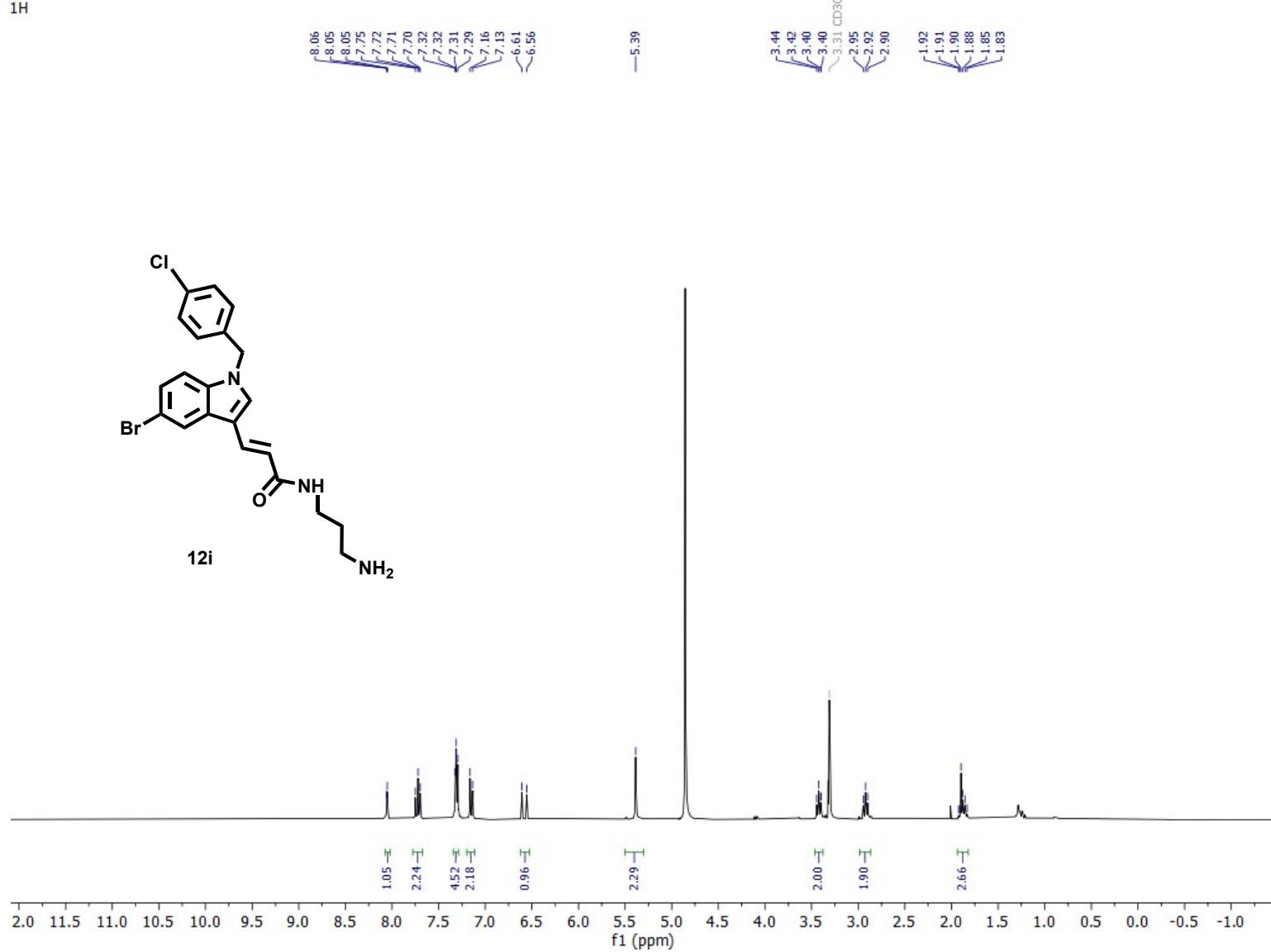


Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
372.12604	45824.89	372.12789	-1.85	-4.97	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>20</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>20</sub> <sup>35</sup> Cl <sub>1</sub> <sup>19</sup> F <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>1</sub>	11.5

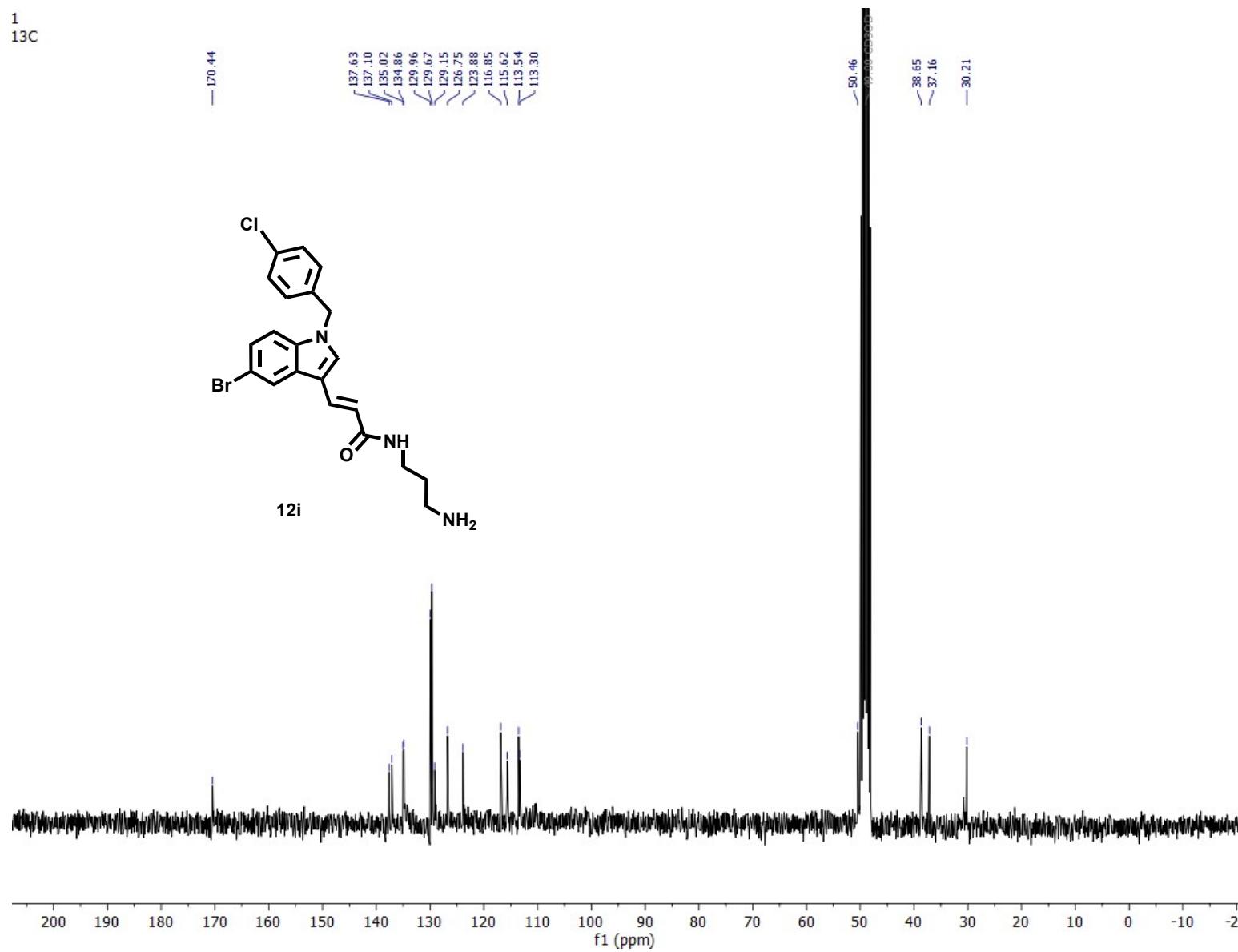
Figure 92. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12h.

## 2.32 Compound 12i

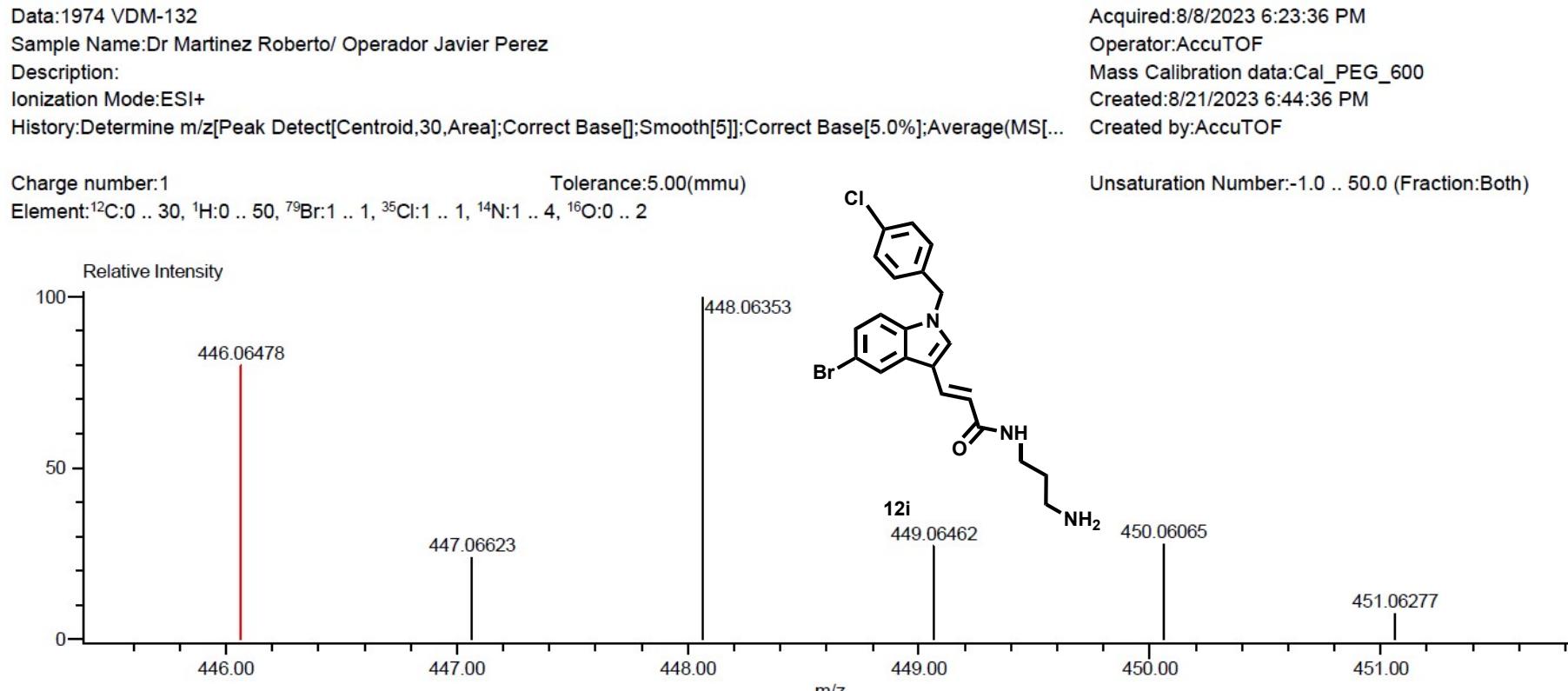
VDM-132-COMPLETP  
1H



**Figure 93.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **12i** (300 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>).



**Figure 94.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12i** (75 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>).



**Figure 95.** ESI-HRMS spectrum of **12i**.

## 2.33 Compound 12j

VDM-139.10.fid

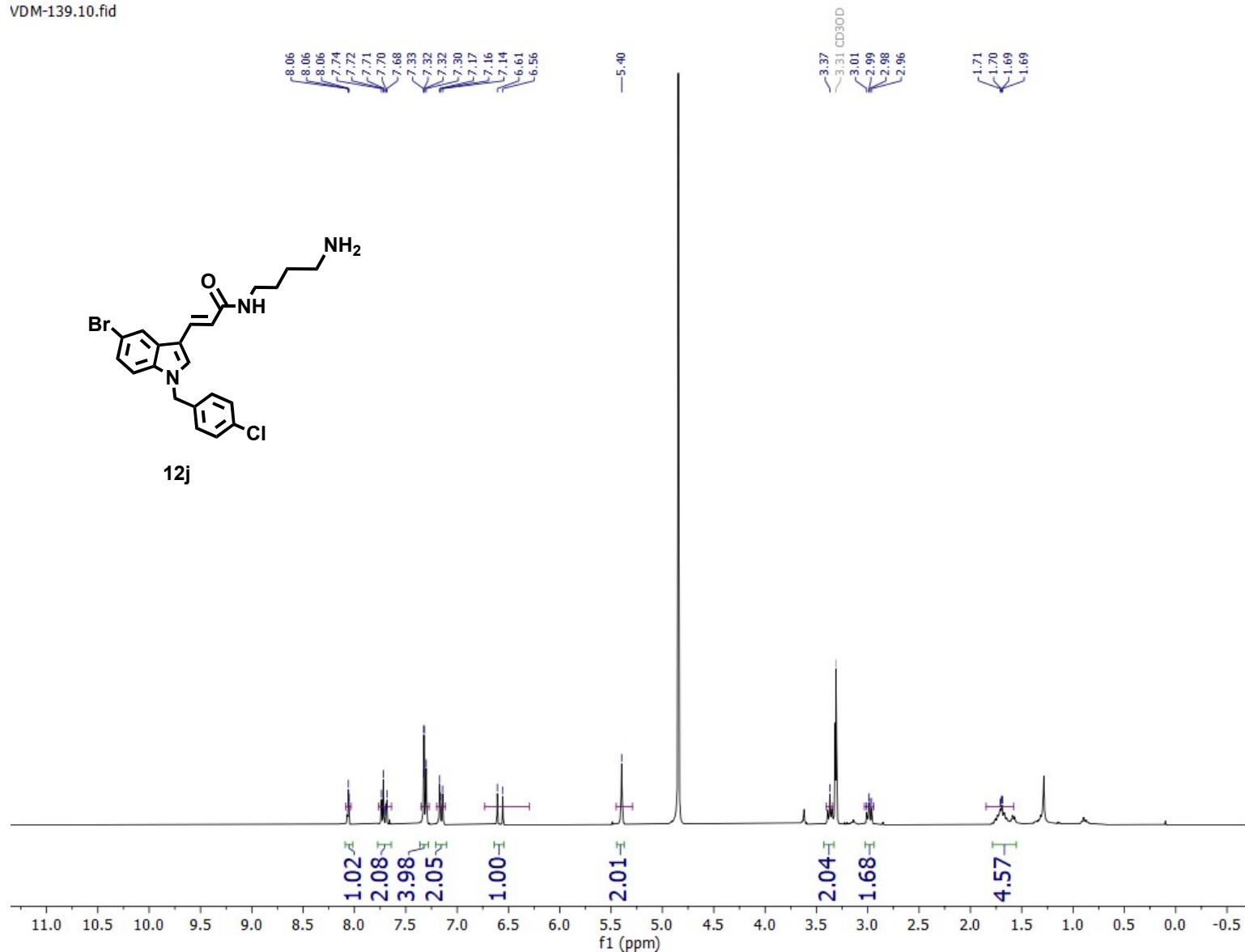
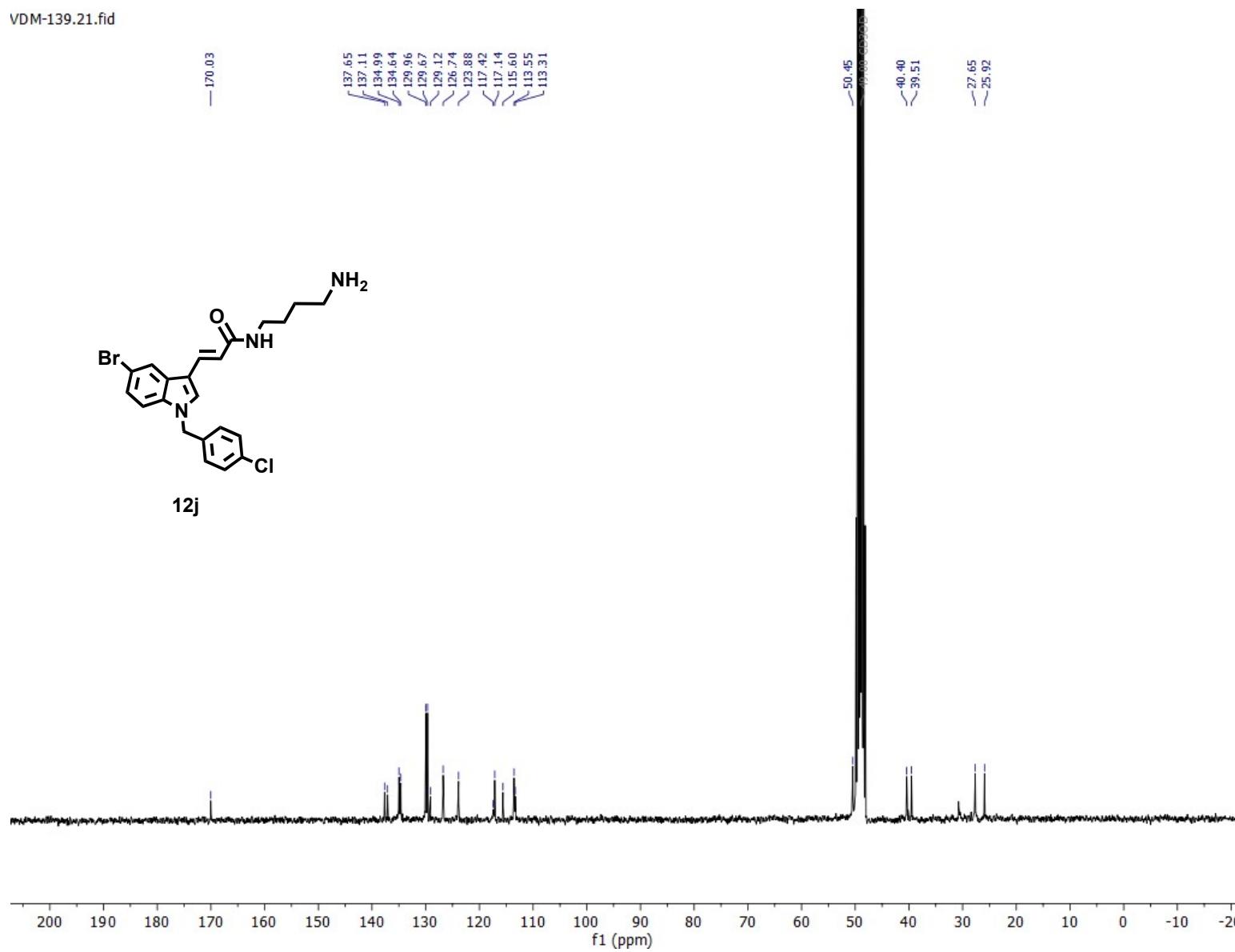


Figure 96. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 12j (300 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>).



**Figure 97.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **12j** (75 MHz, MeOD-d<sub>4</sub>).

Data:3027\_VDM-139

Sample Name:Dr Martinez Roberto / Operador: Carmen Garcia

Description:

Ionization Mode:ESI+

History:Determine m/z[Peak Detect[Centroid,30,Area];Correct Base[];Smooth[5]];Correct Base[5.0%];Average(MS[...

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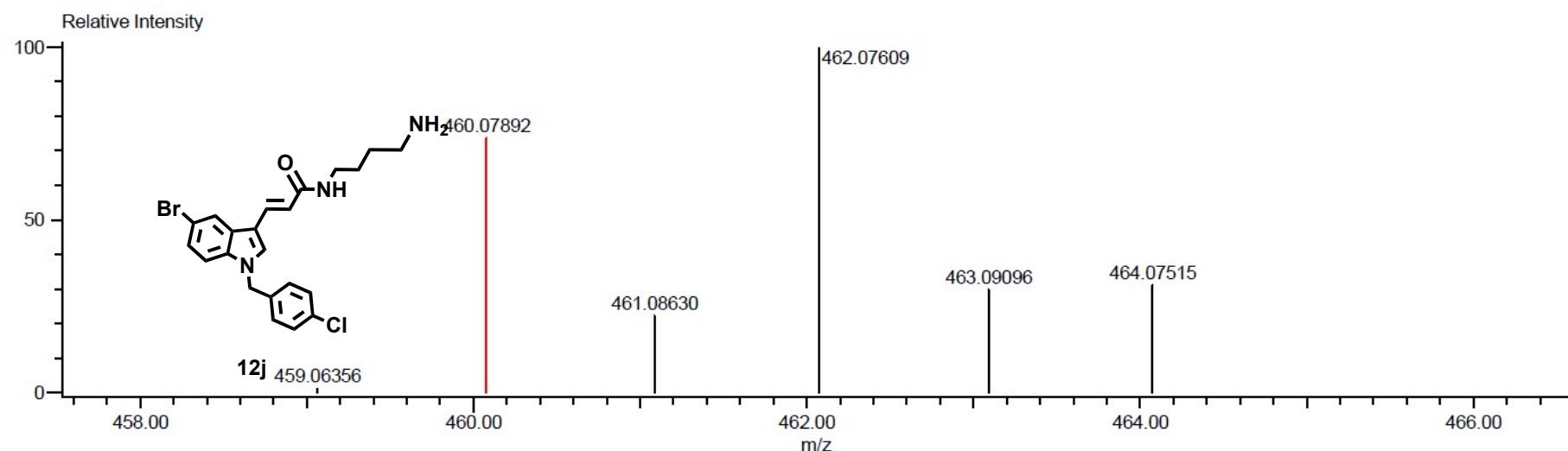
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Charge number:1

Tolerance:4.00(ppm), 5.00 .. 15.00(mmu)

Unsaturation Number:-1.0 .. 70.0 (Fraction:Both)

Element:<sup>12</sup>C:0 .. 25, <sup>1</sup>H:0 .. 40, <sup>79</sup>Br:0 .. 1, <sup>35</sup>Cl:0 .. 1, <sup>14</sup>N:0 .. 3, <sup>16</sup>O:0 .. 1



Mass	Intensity	Calc. Mass	Mass Difference (mmu)	Mass Difference (ppm)	Possible Formula	Unsaturation Number
460.07892	6275.53	460.07913	-0.21	-0.46	<sup>12</sup> C <sub>22</sub> <sup>1</sup> H <sub>24</sub> <sup>79</sup> Br <sub>1</sub> <sup>35</sup> Cl <sub>1</sub> <sup>14</sup> N <sub>3</sub> <sup>16</sup> O <sub>1</sub>	11.5

Figure 98. ESI-HRMS spectrum of 12j.

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