

Synthesis of 6-Arylpyrimido[4,5-*e*]indolizine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-diones

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Single-crystal X-ray diffraction data

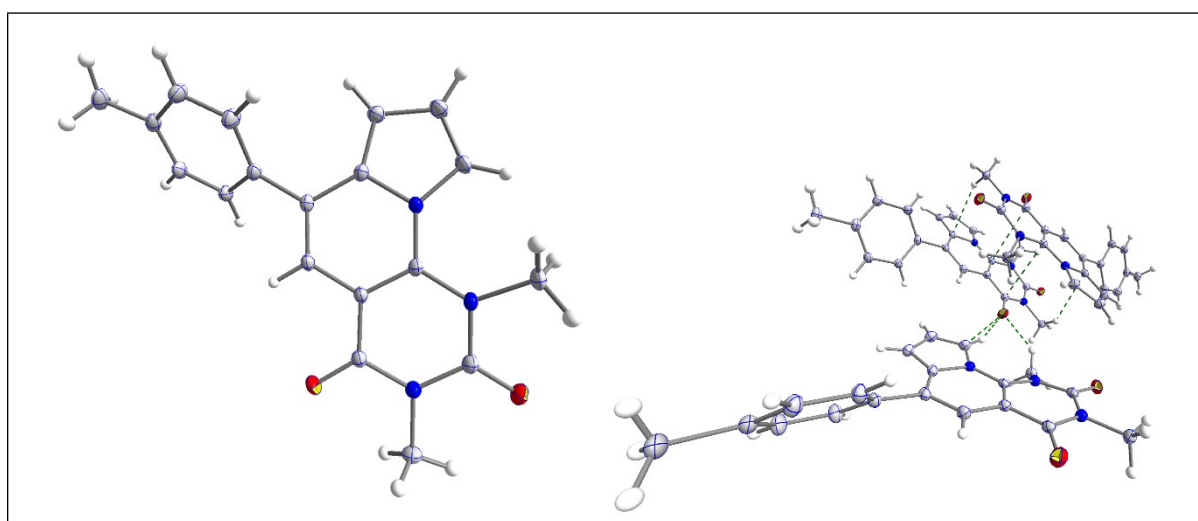


Figure 1. ORTEP of **4a** (left); short contact interactions within the crystal lattice (right). Element colours: carbon (grey), hydrogen (white), oxygen (red) and nitrogen (blue). The thermal ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

4a	
Chem. Formula	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂
Form. Weight [g mol ⁻¹]	319.13
Cryst. system	monoclinic
Crypt. descript	block
Space group	P 21/n
(Hall group)	-P 2yn
Color	colourless
a [Å]	14.5685(10)
b [Å]	7.0647(4)
c [Å]	16.3807(11)
α [°]	90
β [°]	116.123(2)
γ [°]	90
V [Å ³]	1513.72(17)
Z	4
N _{ref}	4820
θ [°]	30.996
h,k,l _{max}	21,10,23
Dx [g cm ⁻³]	1.401
μ [mm ⁻¹]	0.093
λ _{MoKα} [Å]	0.71073
T [K]	123
F(000)	672.0
Npar	220
R	0.0425(4157)
wR	0.1265(4820)
S	1.042

Experimental data

A representative method for the preparation of the starting material 1

6-Chloro-uracil (22.9 mmol; 4.00 g) was dissolved in glacial acetic acid (60 ml). After 5 min. acetic anhydride (3 ml) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred for 10 min. Then bromine (1 equiv.; 23.4 mmol; 1.2 ml) was slowly added dropwise. After 1 hour, the reaction was stopped by adding water (25 ml) and cooling to 4°C for 30 minutes. The precipitate was then filtered and dried.

5-Bromo-6-chloro-1,3-dimethyluracil (1). The compound **1** was obtained as a white solid in 52 % yield (3.01 g, 11.9 mmol, R_f = 0.21 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ = 3.52 (s, 3H), 3.22 (s, 3H). ^{13}C { ^1H } NMR (75 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ = 157.7, 149.9, 145.6, 96.6, 35.4, 29.3. HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{BrClN}_2\text{O}_2$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$] $^+$ 252.9379, found: 252.9385.

Representative procedure A for the synthesis of 2a-e.

Pyrrole (1.1 equiv.; 343 μmol ; 0.03 ml) was dissolved in THF (3 ml) under an inert gas atmosphere and then cooled to -78°C. This was followed by dropwise addition of *n*-BuLi (1 equiv.; 400 μmol ; 0.16 mL of a 2.5 mol dm^{-3} solution in hexanes) and stirring for 30 min. Subsequently, **1** (395 μmol ; 100 mg) was also dissolved in THF (1 ml) and added dropwise to the reaction mixture. Stirring continued for 6 hours at room temperature. The reaction was monitored by TLC until the reaction was complete. The reaction was stopped by the addition of a saturated NH_4Cl solution (15 mL), the phases separated, and the aqueous layer extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 10 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 , concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by column chromatography (heptane/ethyl acetate).

5-Bromo-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (2a). According to the general procedure A, compound **2a** was obtained as a brown solid in 80 % yield (459 mg, 1.61 mmol, R_f = 0.27 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 127–129 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1646 (vs), 1617 (s), 1428 (s), 1386 (s), 1277 (s), 1259 (m), 989 (s), 752 (s), 735 (vs). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ = 6.79 (dd, J = 2, 2 Hz, 2H), 6.58 – 6.42 (m, 2H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.15 (s, 3H). ^{13}C { ^1H } NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ = 159.2, 150.7, 146.7, 120.6, 112.1, 97.1, 32.9, 29.9 (signals of two carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 282 (13, M^+), 207 (13), 204 (19), 160 (100), 149 (11), 134 (21). HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{10}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_2$ [M] $^+$ 282.99509, found: 282.99475.

5-Bromo-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (2b). According to the general procedure A, compound **2b** was obtained as a brown solid in 47 % yield (81.3 mg,

0.285 mmol, R_f = 0.11 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 154–156 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1700 (s), 1650 (vs), 1625 (vs), 1454 (s), 1392 (s), 1302 (s), 1020 (s), 984 (s). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.85 (d, J = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, J = 2.6, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 3.08 (s, 3H). ¹³C {¹H} NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 159.1, 150.5, 145.7, 143.3, 132.0, 108.4, 97.0, 33.1, 30.0. MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 283 (13, M⁺), 205 (11), 162 (97), 160 (100), 148 (22), 132 (19). HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₉BrN₄O₂ [M]⁺ 283.99034, found: 283.99036.

5-Bromo-6-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (2c). According to the general procedure A, compound **2c** was obtained as a brown solid in 62 % yield (81.1 mg, 0.242 mmol, R_f = 0.26 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 149–151 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1700 (s), 1650 (vs), 1619 (s), 1430 (s), 1217 (s), 1011 (m), 745 (s), 719 (s). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.71 (dd, J = 7.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.35 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.29 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.15 (dt, J = 8.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 3.06 (s, 3H). ¹³C {¹H} NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 159.3, 151.0, 145.3, 134.8, 128.7, 125.9, 124.3, 122.2, 121.9, 110.2, 107.0, 98.4, 33.0, 30.0. MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 333 (100, M⁺), 254 (92), 207 (29), 197 (55), 169 (94), 162 (82). HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₄H₁₂BrN₃O₂ [M]⁺ 333.01074, found: 333.01051.

5-Bromo-6-(5-fluoro-1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (2d).

According to the general procedure A, compound **2d** was obtained as a brown solid in 63 % yield (457 mg, 1.30 mmol, R_f = 0.19 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 149–151 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1708 (m), 1648 (vs), 1615 (s), 1471 (s), 1434 (s), 1238 (s), 1127 (m), 809 (s). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.38 – 7.34 (m, 1H), 7.13 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.08 – 7.06 (m, 1H), 6.79 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 3.06 (s, 3H). ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = -121.5. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 159.2, 159.2 (d, J = 238.4 Hz), 150.9, 145.0, 131.3, 129.4 (d, J = 10.6 Hz), 127.6, 112.7 (d, J = 26.5 Hz), 111.1 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 107.2 (d, J = 24.1 Hz), 107.0 (d, J = 4.5 Hz), 98.5, 33.0, 30.0. MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 351 (94, M⁺), 272 (97), 215 (87), 207 (19), 187 (84), 160 (100). HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₄H₁₁BrFN₃O₂ [M]⁺ 351.00132, found: 351.00039.

6-(1*H*-Benzo[*d*]imidazol-1-yl)-5-bromo-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (2e).

According to the general procedure A, compound **2e** was obtained as a brown solid in 40 % yield (383 mg, 1.08 mmol, R_f = 0.05 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 161–163 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1702 (s), 1642 (vs), 1611 (s), 1432 (s), 1277 (s), 1219 (s), 1180 (s), 1011 (s). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 8.19 (s, 1H), 7.99 – 7.93 (m, 1H), 7.50 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.16 (s, 3H). ¹³C {¹H} NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 158.7,

150.6, 142.3, 140.7, 131.7, 126.0, 124.9, 121.3, 110.2, 98.9, 33.2, 30.2 (signal of one carbon is absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 334 (97, M^+), 255 (100), 227 (85), 198 (77), 170 (82), 160 (90). HRMS (EI): calcd. for $C_{13}H_{11}BrN_4O_2$ [M] $^+$ 334.00599, found: 334.00551.

Representative procedure B for the synthesis of 3a-i.

A mixture of **2d** (853 μ mol; 300 mg), $Pd(PPh_3)_2Cl_2$ (5 mol%; 43 μ mol; 30.2 mg), CuI (5 mol%; 45 μ mol; 8.6 mg) was dissolved in DMSO (5 ml) and stirred for 5 min. under argon atmosphere. NEt_3 (11 equiv.; 9.33 mmol; 1.3 ml) was added and the reaction mixture was heated to 100 °C. The corresponding arylacetylene (*p*-tolylacetylene, 1.2 equiv.; 1.03 mmol; 0.13 ml) was slowly added dropwise to the reaction mixture and stirred for 6 hours at 100 °C. The reaction was monitored by TLC until the reaction was complete. The reaction was stopped by the addition of a saturated NH_4Cl solution (15 mL), the phases separated, and the aqueous layer extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 , concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by column chromatography (heptane/ethyl acetate).

1,3-Dimethyl-6-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-5-(*p*-tolylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3a).

According to the general procedure B, compound **3a** was obtained as a brown solid in 80 % yield (90.2 mg, 0.282 mmol, R_f = 0.22 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 175–177 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1704 (s), 1652 (vs), 1574 (s), 1432 (s), 1360 (s), 1007 (s), 836 (s), 748 (s). 1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.20 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.08 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.88 – 6.85 (m, 2H), 6.45 – 6.42 (m, 2H), 3.46 (s, 3H), 3.20 (s, 3H), 2.31 (s, 3H). ^{13}C { 1H } NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.1, 150.8, 149.7, 138.8, 131.5, 129.1, 121.5, 119.7, 111.6, 97.9, 96.5, 78.5, 33.1, 29.1, 21.7 (signals of four carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 319 (100, M^+), 304 (19), 290 (24), 262 (15), 247 (21), 233 (10). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $C_{19}H_{18}N_3O_2$ [$M+H$] $^+$ 320.1399, found: 320.1402.

1,3-Dimethyl-5-(phenylethynyl)-6-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3b).

According to the general procedure B, compound **3b** was obtained as a brown solid in 85 % yield (276 mg, 0.902 mmol, R_f = 0.21 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 124–126 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1710 (s), 1658 (vs), 1615 (s), 1479 (s), 1440 (s), 1256 (s), 1096 (s), 1069 (s). 1H NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 5H), 6.87 (dd, J = 2 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (dd, J = 2 Hz, 2H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 3.18 (s, 3H). ^{13}C { 1H } NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.0, 150.7, 149.9, 131.5, 128.5, 128.3, 122.8, 121.5, 111.6, 97.6, 96.1, 79.2, 33.1, 29.1 (signals of four carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 305 (100, M^+), 276 (32), 249 (23), 233 (23), 219 (12), 205 (11). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $C_{18}H_{16}N_3O_2$ [$M+H$] $^+$ 306.1242, found: 306.1248.

5-((4-(Dimethylamino)phenyl)ethynyl)-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-

2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3c). According to the general procedure B, compound **3c** was obtained as a brown solid in 86 % yield (323 mg, 0.928 mmol, R_f = 0.14 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 163–165 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1708 (s), 1656 (vs), 1601 (s), 1522 (s), 1481 (s), 1442 (s), 1362 (s), 1333 (s). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.17 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 6.86 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.57 – 6.53 (m, 2H), 6.41 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 3.16 (s, 3H), 2.94 (s, 6H). ^{13}C { ^1H } NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.2, 150.7, 150.3, 148.5, 132.7, 121.5, 111.7, 111.3, 109.5, 98.6, 97.7, 40.2, 33.0, 29.0 (signals of five carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 348 (84, M^+), 333 (30), 262 (100), 207 (19), 183 (96), 152 (19). HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$ [M] $^+$ 348.15808, found: 348.15709.

5-((4-Fluorophenyl)ethynyl)-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione

(3d). According to the general procedure B, compound **3d** was obtained as a brown solid in 68 % yield (231 mg, 0.713 mmol, R_f = 0.22 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 154–156 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1712 (s), 1658 (vs), 1506 (s), 1479 (s), 1448 (s), 1215 (s), 1096 (s), 836 (s). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.22 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 6.91 – 6.83 (m, 2H), 6.83 – 6.77 (m, 2H), 6.40 – 6.35 (m, 2H), 3.37 (s, 3H), 3.12 (s, 3H). ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = -110.4. ^{13}C { ^1H } NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 162.7 (d, J = 250.9 Hz), 161.0, 150.7, 150.0, 133.4 (d, J = 8.4 Hz), 121.5, 118.9 (d, J = 3.5 Hz), 115.6 (d, J = 22.2 Hz), 111.6, 97.5, 95.0, 78.9 (d, J = 1.5 Hz), 33.1, 29.1 (signals of four carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 323 (100, M^+), 294 (35), 267 (28), 251 (27), 238 (14), 223 (13). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$] $^+$ 324.1148, found: 324.1143.

1,3-Dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-5-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethynyl)pyrimidine-

2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3e). According to the general procedure B, compound **3e** was obtained as a brown solid in 92 % yield (363 mg, 0.973 mmol, R_f = 0.20 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 168–170 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1708 (s), 1660 (vs), 1642 (s), 1483 (s), 1444 (s), 1327 (vs), 1102 (vs), 1063 (vs). ^1H NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.50 (d, J = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.39 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 6.88 (dd, J = 2 Hz, 2H), 6.45 (dd, J = 3 Hz, 2H), 3.45 (s, 3H), 3.22 (s, 3H). ^{19}F NMR (282 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = -62.9. ^{13}C { ^1H } NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 160.9, 150.8, 150.6, 131.7, 130.1 (q, J = 32 Hz), 126.6 (d, J = 1 Hz), 125.2 (q, J = 4 Hz), 124.0 (q, J = 272 Hz), 121.5, 111.8, 97.0, 94.6, 81.8, 33.2, 29.1 (signals of four carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 373 (100, M^+), 354 (11), 344 (30), 316 (28), 301 (22), 288 (13). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$] $^+$ 374.1116, found: 374.1110.

1,3-Dimethyl-6-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-5-(thiophen-3-ylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione

(3f). According to the general procedure B, compound **3f** was obtained as a brown solid in 86 % yield (236 mg, 0.759 mmol, R_f = 0.20 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 116–118 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1708 (s), 1656 (vs), 1609 (s), 1481 (s), 1446 (s), 1372 (m), 1256 (m), 780 (s). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.32 (dd, J = 3.0, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (dd, J = 5.0, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (dd, J = 5.0, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (dd, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.42 (dd, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 3.43 (s, 3H), 3.18 (s, 3H). ¹³C {¹H} NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.0, 150.7, 149.8, 129.7, 129.1, 125.3, 121.8, 121.4, 111.6, 97.6, 91.4, 78.7, 33.1, 29.0 (signals of two carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 311 (100, M⁺), 296 (10), 282 (26), 252 (20), 239 (21), 227 (20). HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₆H₁₃N₃O₂S [M]⁺ 311.07230, found: 311.07164.

6-(1*H*-Indol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethyl-5-(*p*-tolylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3g).

According to the general procedure B, compound **3g** was obtained as a brown solid in 98 % yield (273 mg, 0.739 mmol, R_f = 0.23 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 185–186 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1710 (s), 1660 (vs), 1619 (s), 1477 (s), 1438 (s), 1331 (s), 1215 (s), 743 (vs). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.72 – 7.68 (m, 1H), 7.31 – 7.21 (m, 4H), 6.96 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.85 – 6.82 (m, 2H), 6.80 (dd, J = 3.4, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 3.17 (s, 3H), 2.24 (s, 3H). ¹³C {¹H} NMR (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.2, 151.0, 148.3, 138.7, 135.4, 131.3, 128.9, 128.9, 127.0, 124.0, 122.0, 121.7, 119.4, 111.2, 106.6, 98.8, 97.6, 78.6, 33.1, 29.1, 21.6 (signals of two carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 368 (100, M⁺), 168 (18), 153 (9). HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₂₃H₁₈N₃O₂ [M]⁺ 368.13935, found: 368.13903.

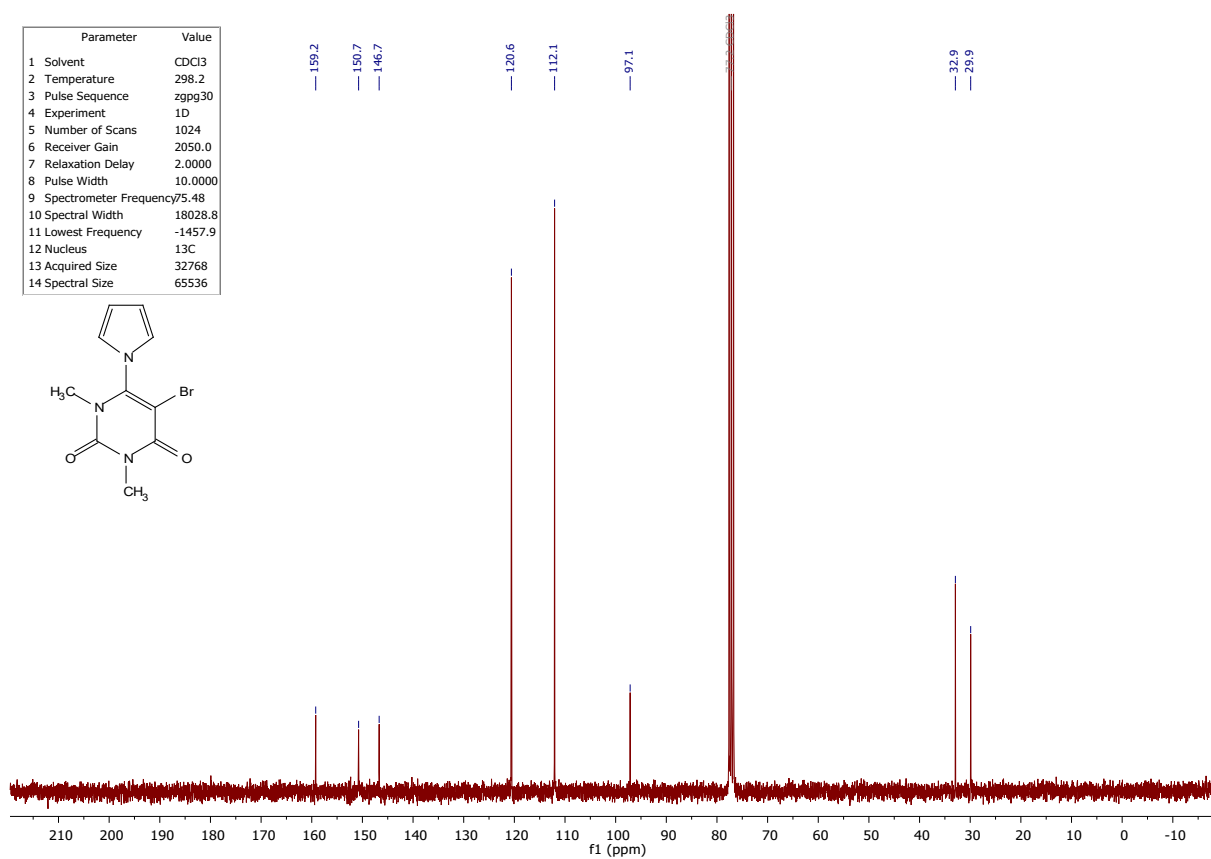
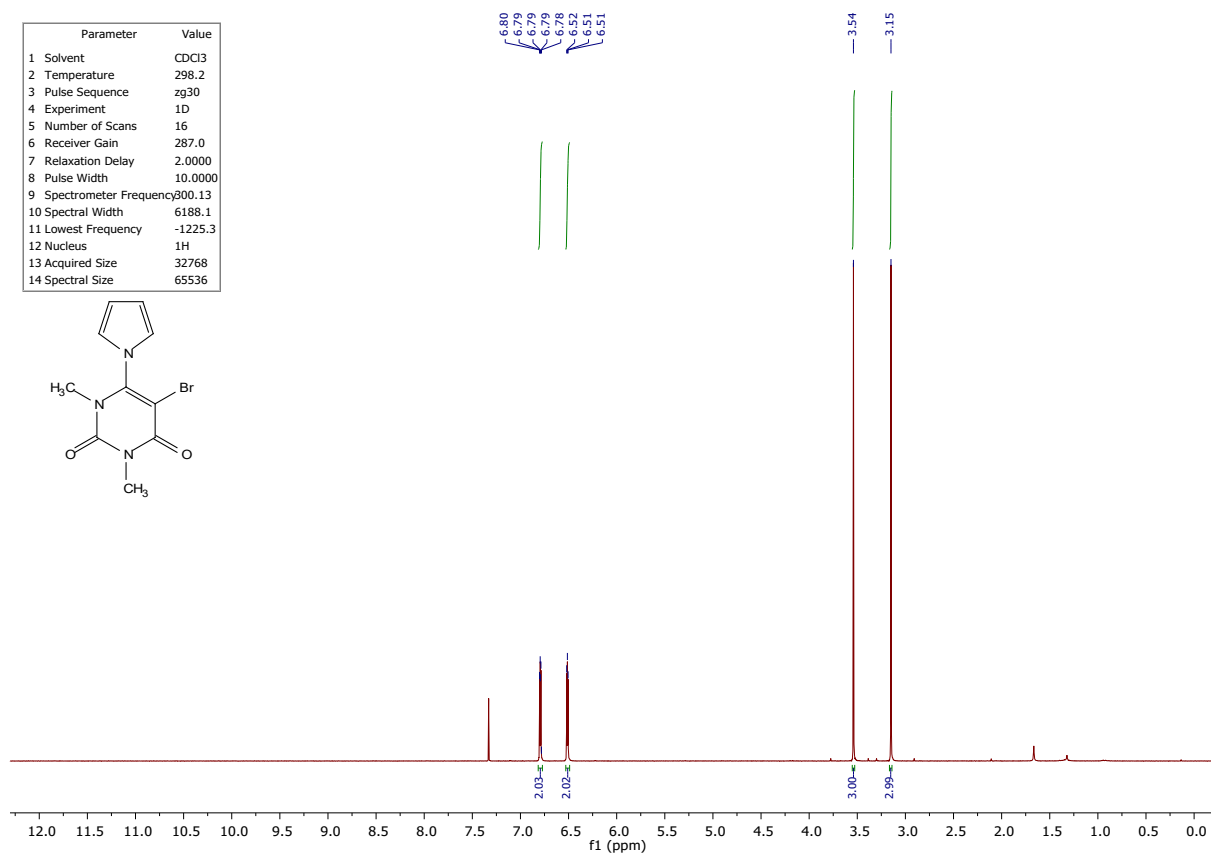
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(3h). According to the general procedure B, compound **3h** was obtained as a brown solid in 86 % yield (282 mg, 729 μ mol, R_f = 0.20 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 159–161 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm⁻¹] = 1656 (vs), 1613 (s), 1467 (s), 1440 (vs), 1228 (s), 1207 (s), 1123 (s). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 7.36 (dd, J = 9, 3 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, J = 4 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (dd, J = 9, 4 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (td, J = 9, 3 Hz, 1H), 7.00 – 6.94 (m, 2H), 6.89 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 6.78 (dd, J = 3, 1 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 3.18 (s, 3H), 2.26 (s, 3H). ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = -121.9. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (75 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 161.0, 159.1 (d, J = 238 Hz), 150.9, 147.9, 138.9, 131.9, 131.3, 129.5 (d, J = 10 Hz), 129.0, 128.6, 119.3, 112.3 (d, J = 26 Hz), 111.9 (d, J = 10 Hz), 106.9 (d, J = 24 Hz), 106.5 (d, J = 4 Hz), 99.0, 97.8, 78.3, 33.1, 29.2, 21.6 (signals of two carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 387 (40, M⁺), 168 (23), 153 (12), 134 (4), 126 (5). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for C₂₃H₁₉FN₃O₂ [M+H]⁺ 388.1461, found: 388.1459.

6-(1*H*-Benzo[*d*]imidazol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethyl-5-(*p*-tolylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3i). According to the general procedure B, compound **3i** was obtained as a brown solid in 75 % yield (251 mg, 678 μmol , R_f = 0.05 heptane/ethyl acetate, 3: 2); mp: 248–250 °C. IR (ATR): $\tilde{\nu}$ [cm^{-1}] = 1662 (vs), 1623 (m), 1444 (vs), 1353 (m), 1337 (m), 1273 (m), 1211 (m). ^1H NMR (250 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ = 10.8 (s, 1H), 10.2 – 10.1 (m, 1H), 10.0 – 9.9 (m, 1H), 9.7 – 9.6 (m, 2H), 9.3 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 9.0 – 9.0 (m, 2H), 5.6 (s, 3H), 5.4 (s, 3H), 4.5 (s, 3H). ^{13}C $\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (63 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ = 160.3, 150.2, 146.8, 142.8, 142.7, 138.7, 132.6, 130.4, 129.2, 124.4, 123.4, 120.1, 118.5, 111.6, 97.5, 95.4, 79.3, 32.5, 28.6, 20.9 (signals of two carbons are absent, which may relate to signal overlap). MS (EI, 70 eV): m/z (%) = 370 (36, M^+), 196 (5), 167 (22), 153 (10). HRMS (ESI-TOF): calcd. for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 371.1508, found: 371.1508.

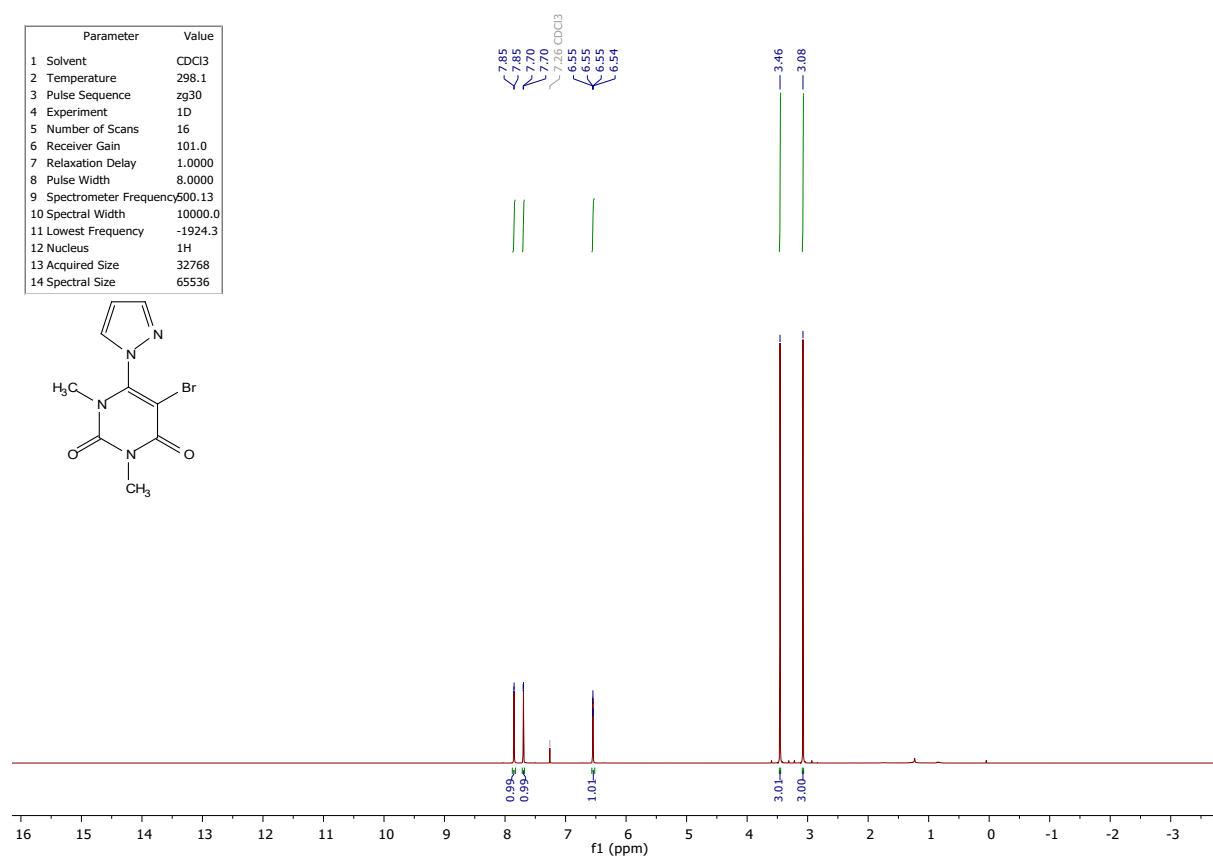
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5-Bromo-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (2a)

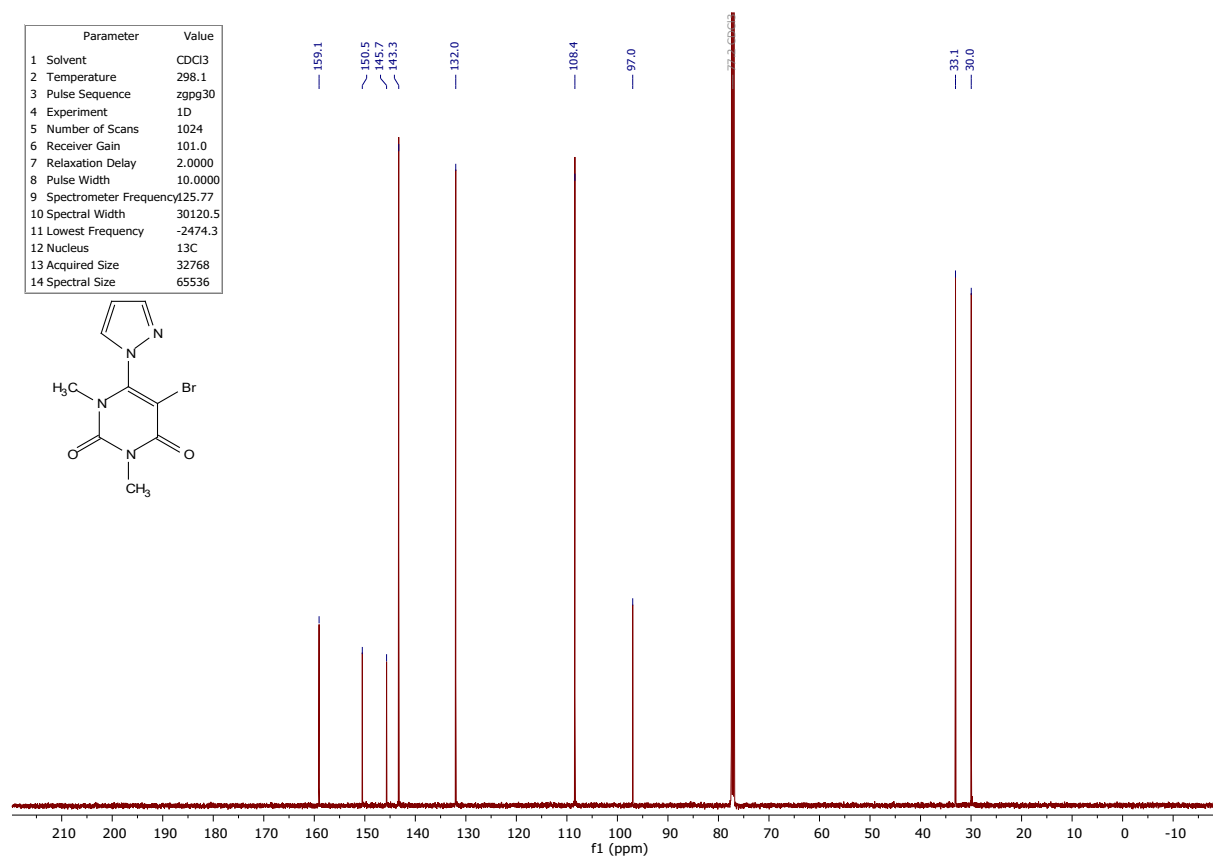


5-Bromo-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (2b)

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4 Experiment	1D
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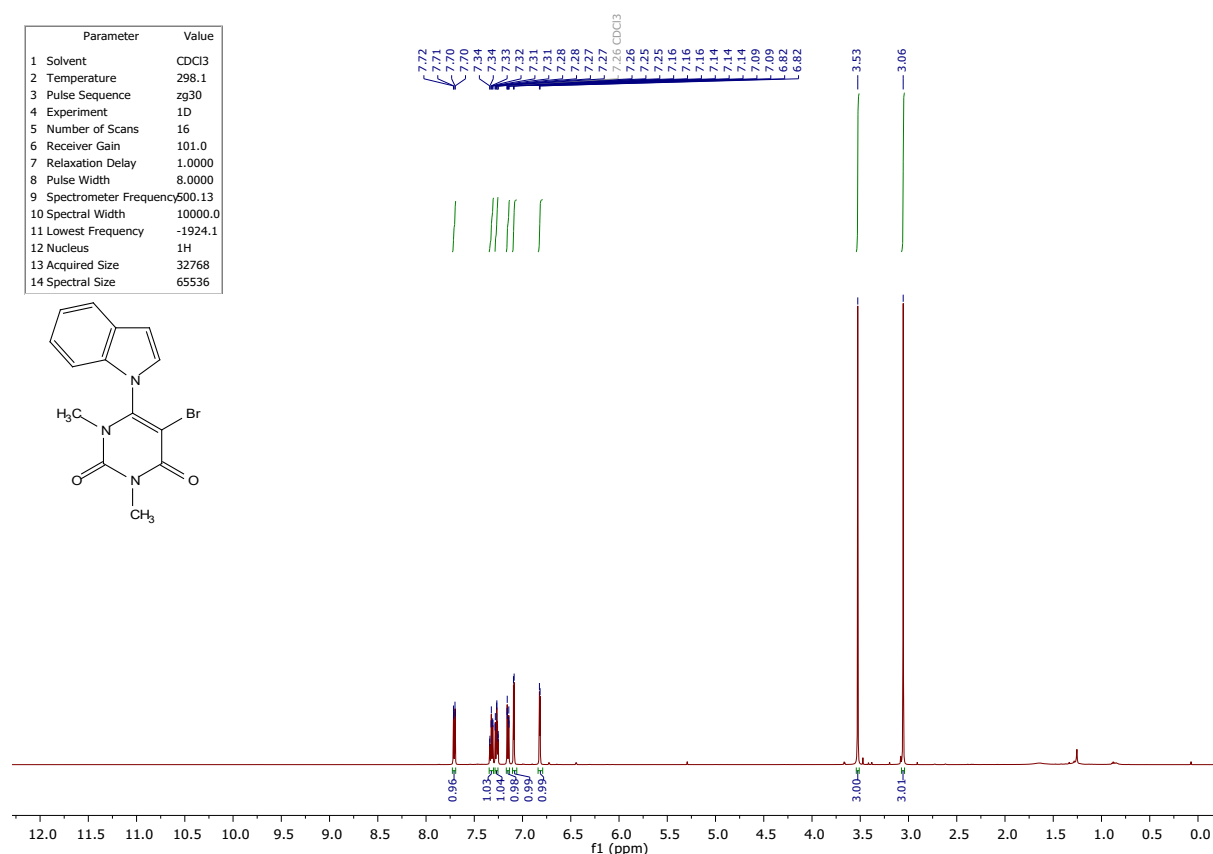


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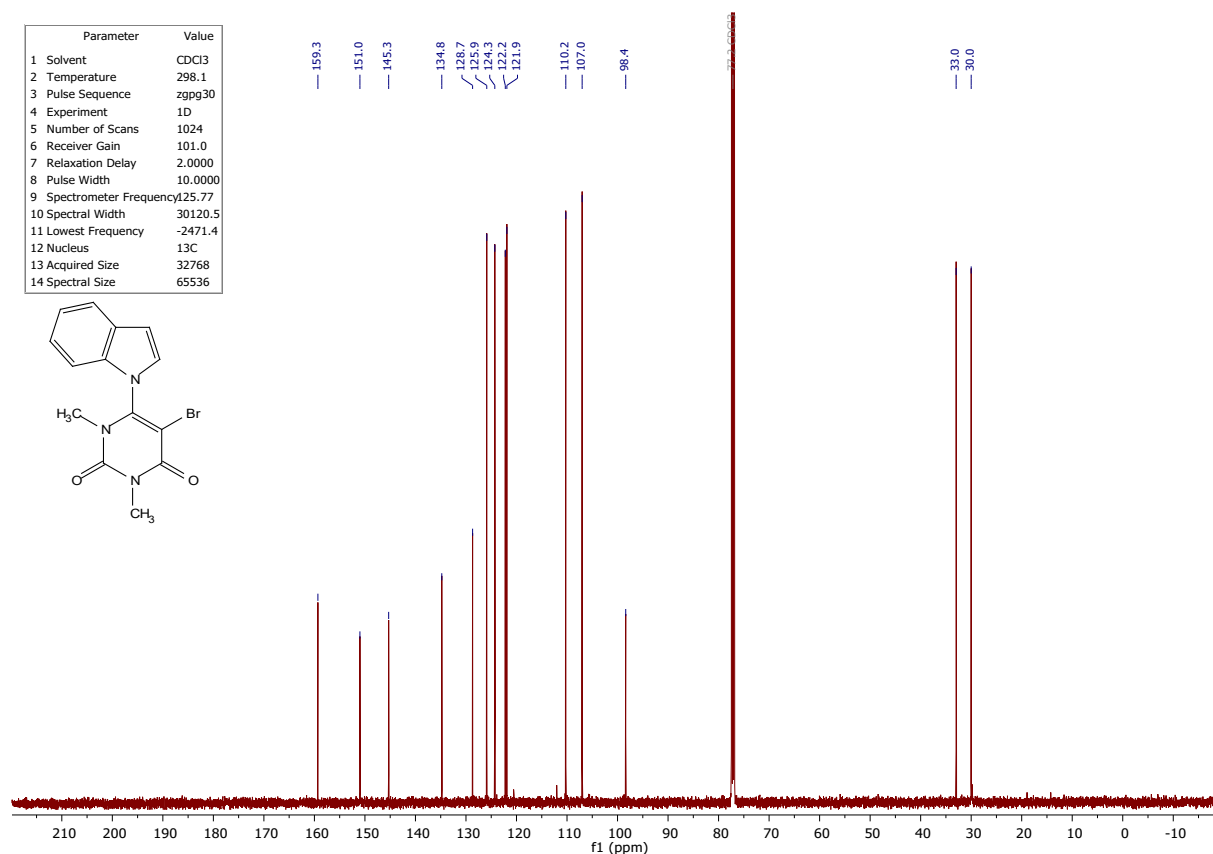


5-Bromo-6-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (2c)

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3 Pulse Sequence	zg30
4 Experiment	1D
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6 Receiver Gain	101.0
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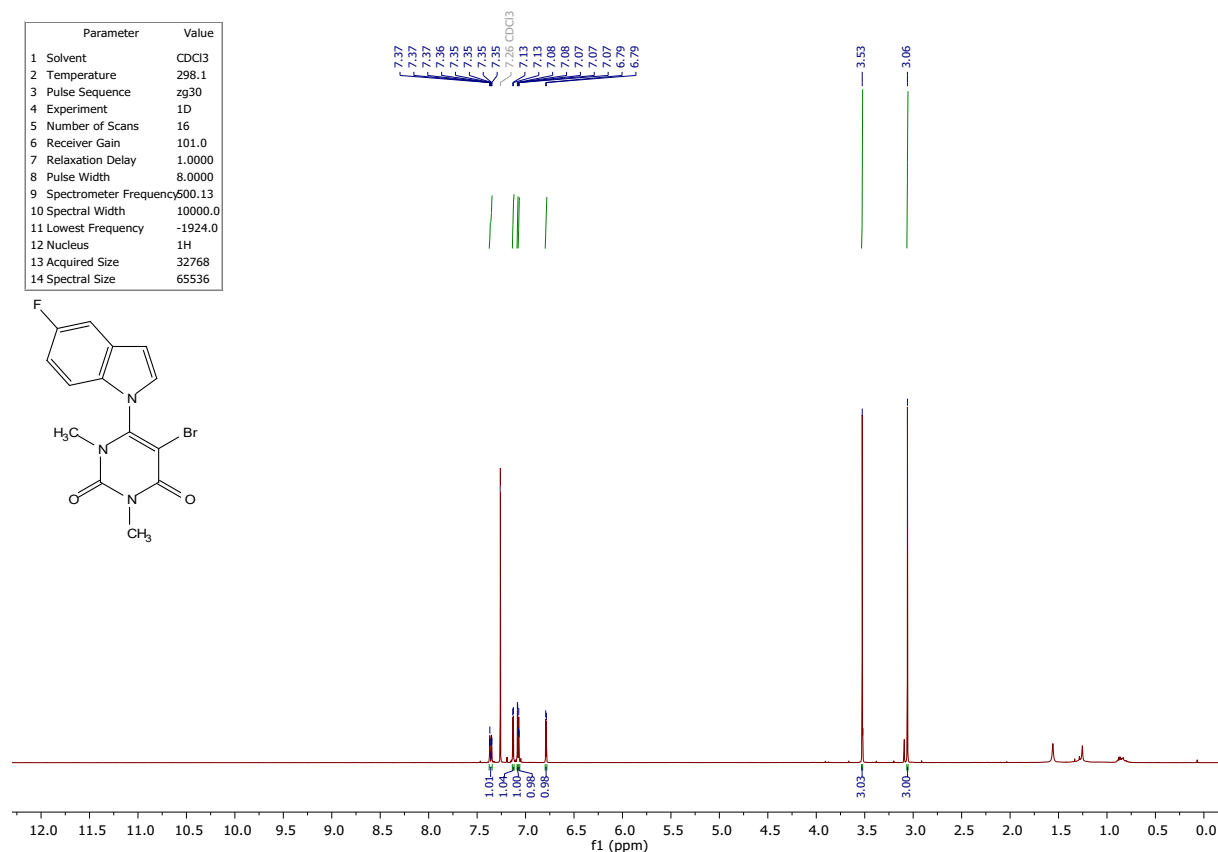


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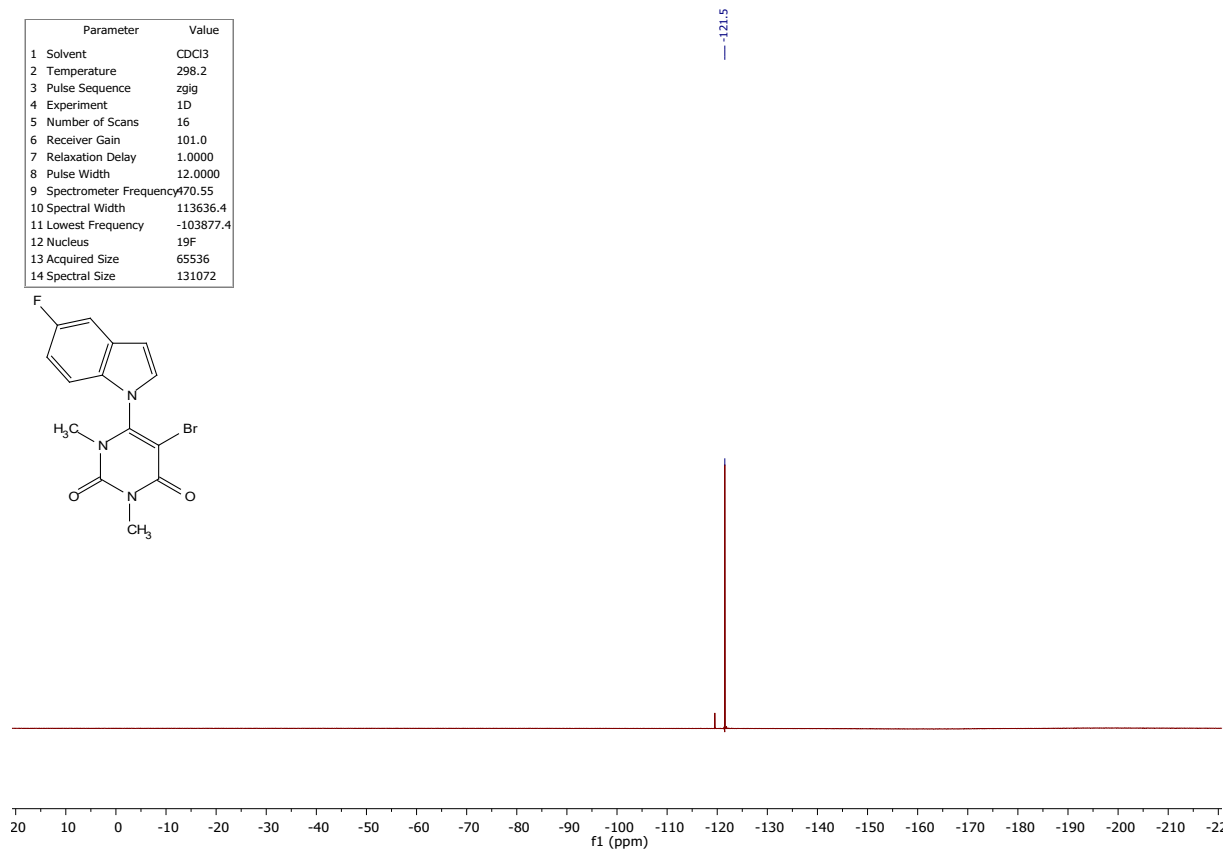


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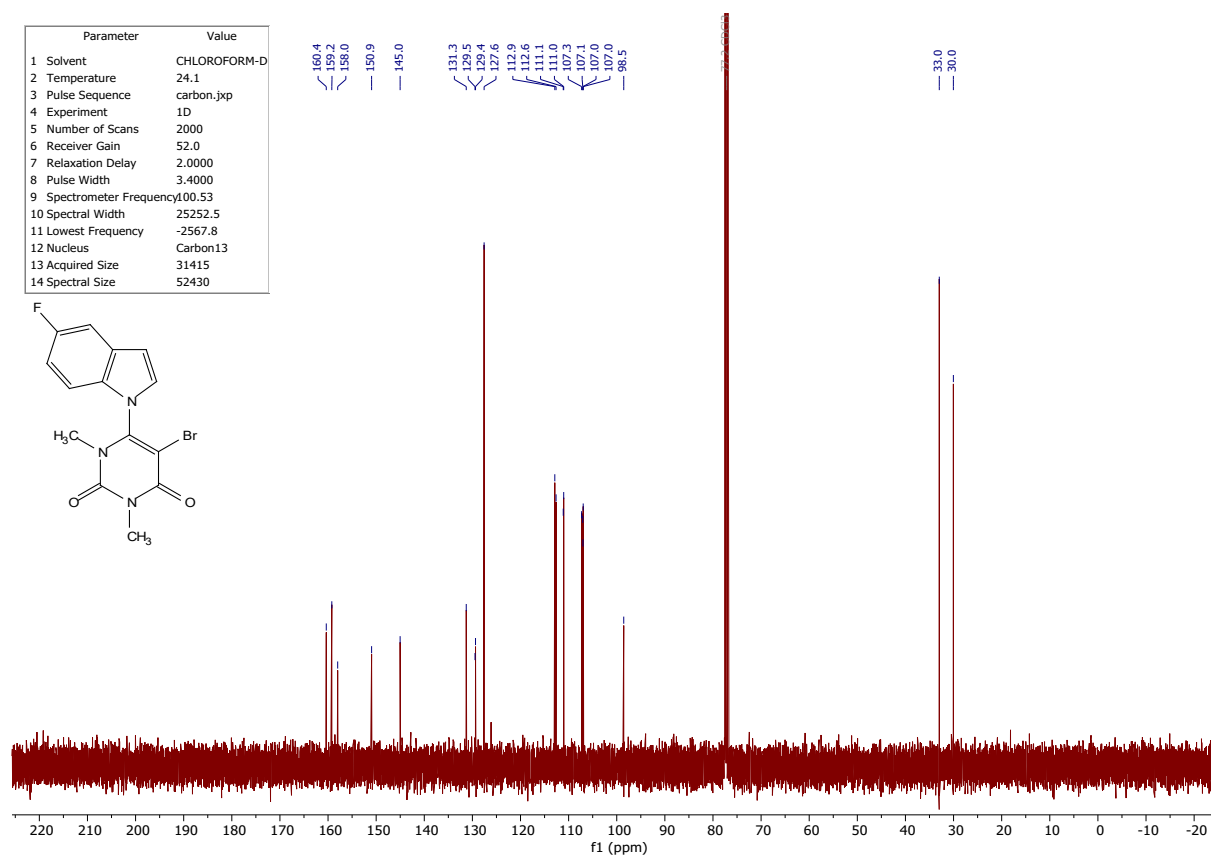
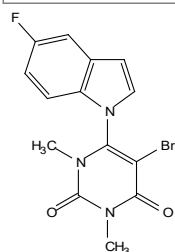
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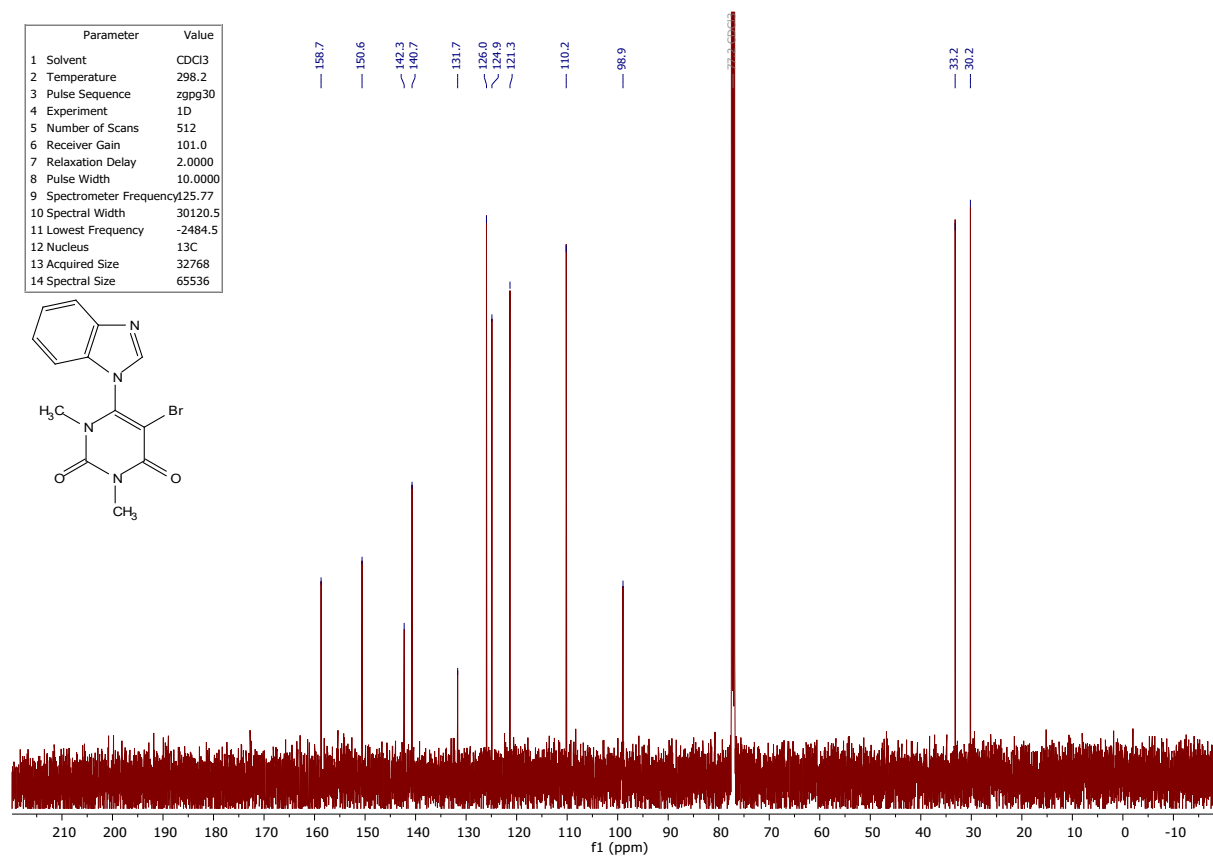
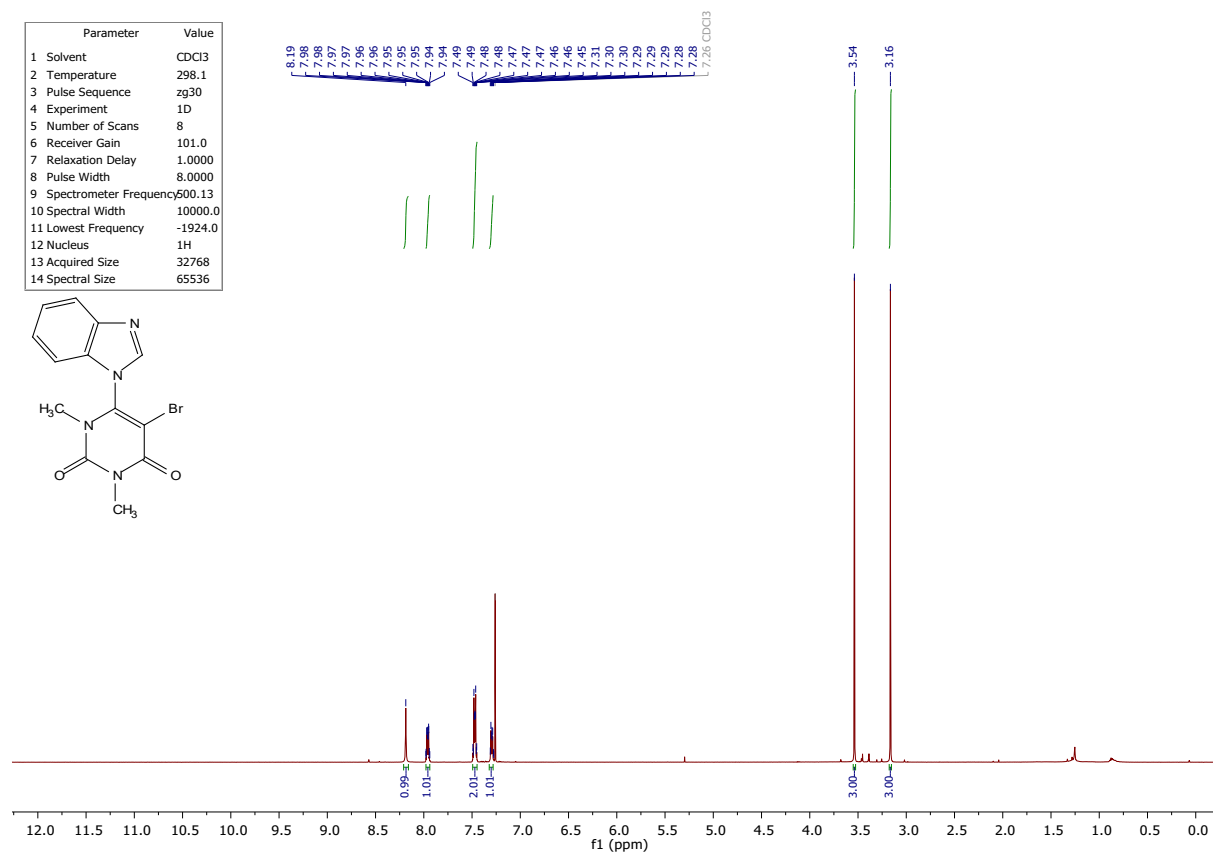
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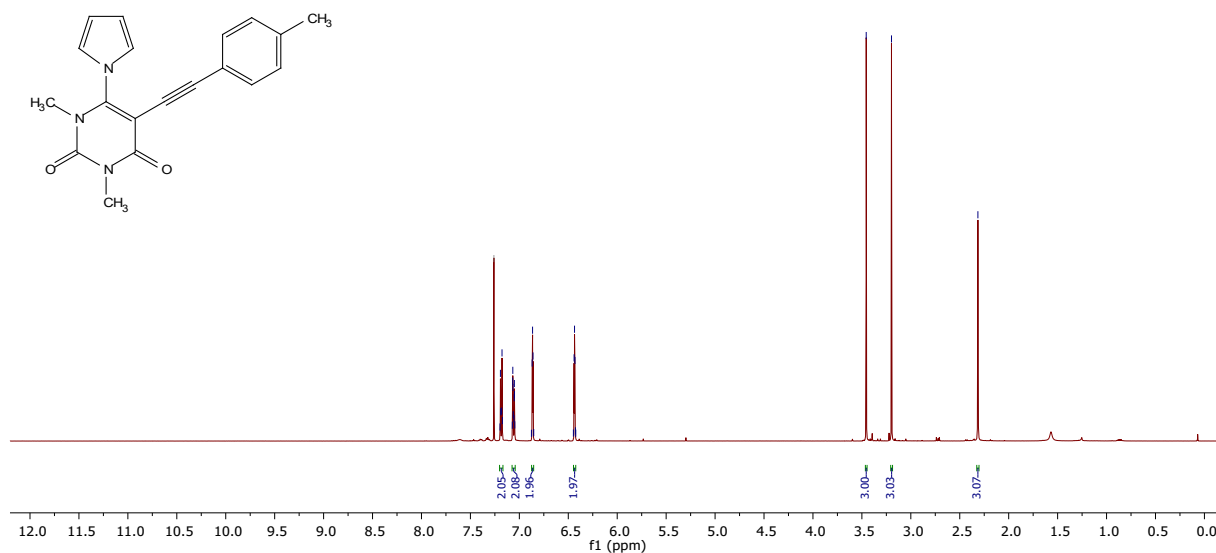


6-(1*H*-Benzo[*d*]imidazol-1-yl)-5-bromo-1,3-dimethylpyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (2e).

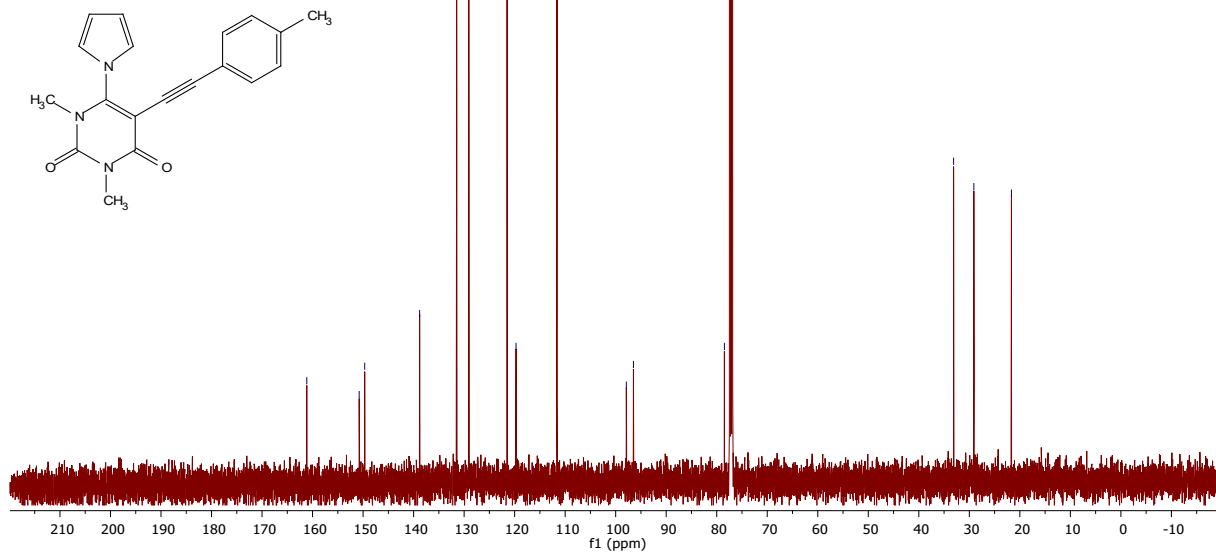


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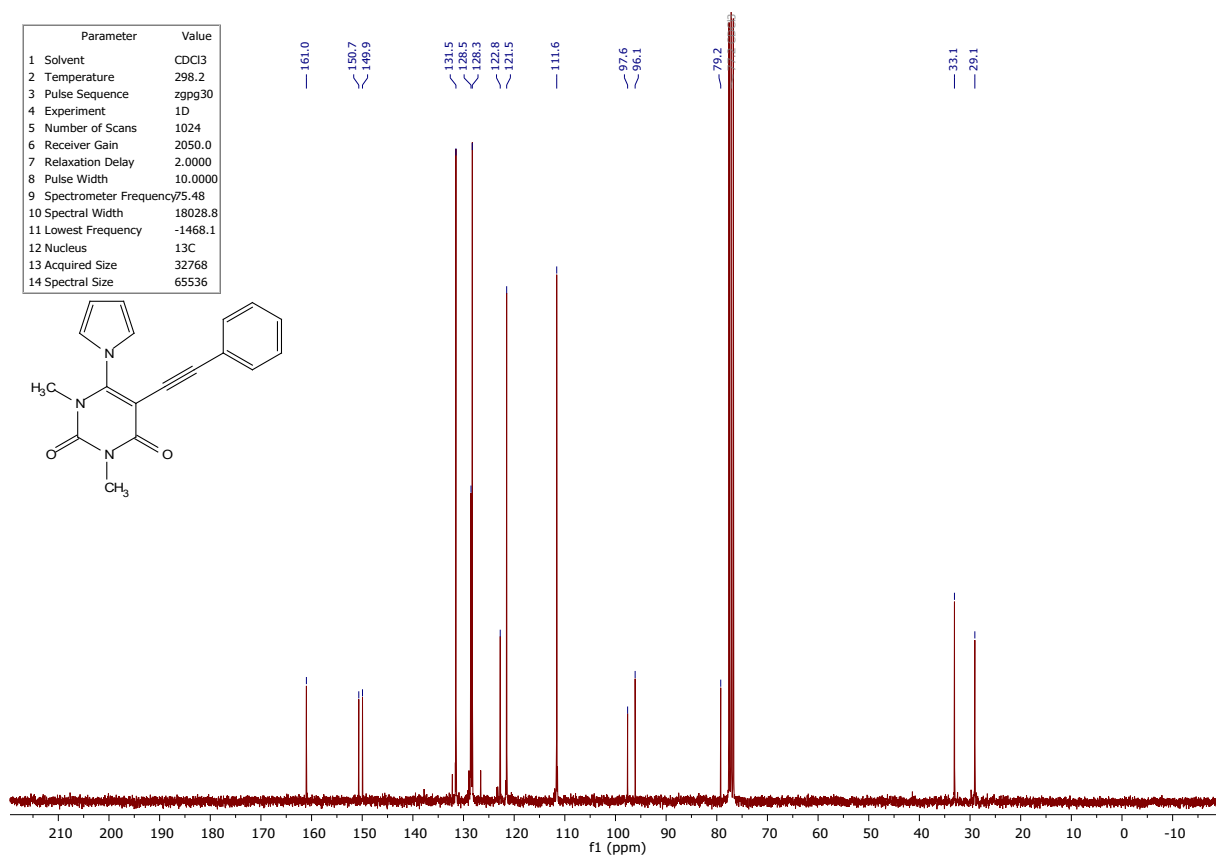
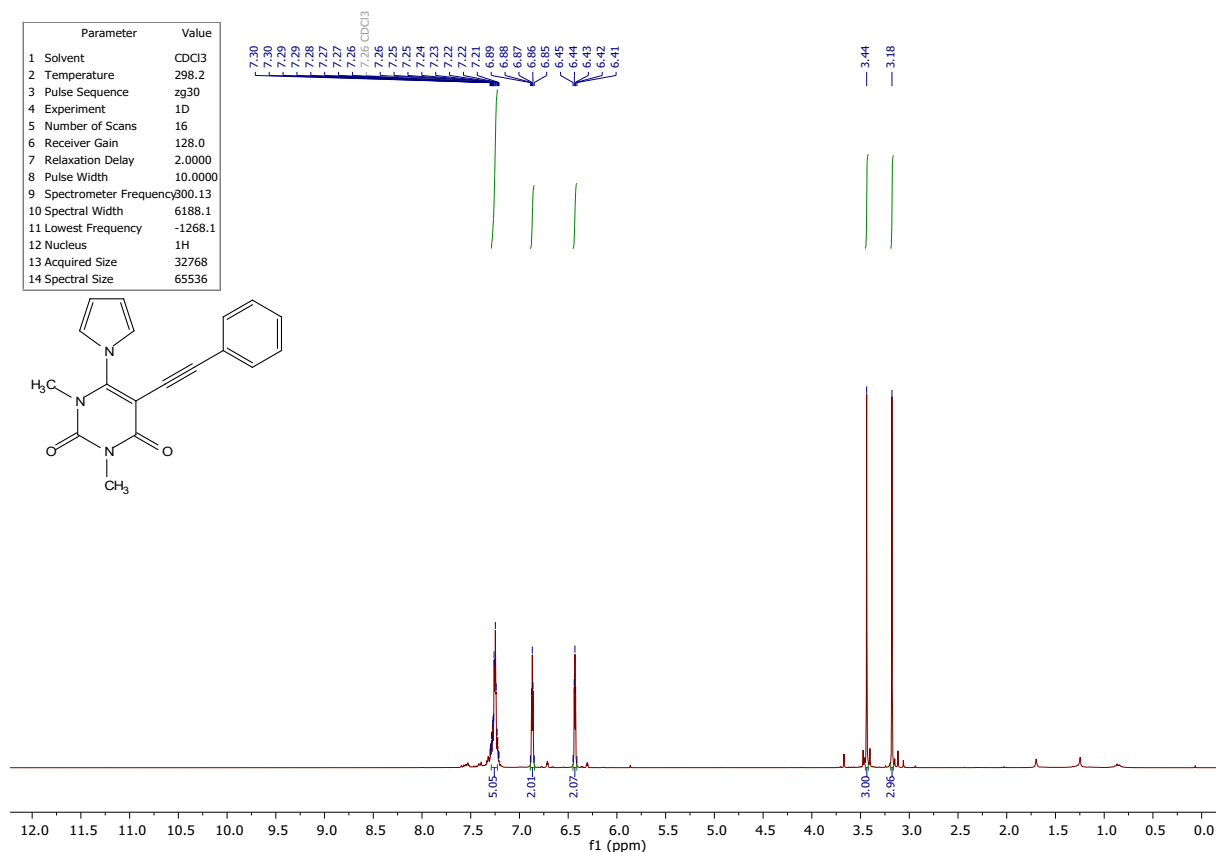
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11 Lowest Frequency	-1923.3
12 Nucleus	¹ H
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



Parameter	Value
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4 Experiment	1D
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8 Pulse Width	10.0000
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13 Acquired Size	32768
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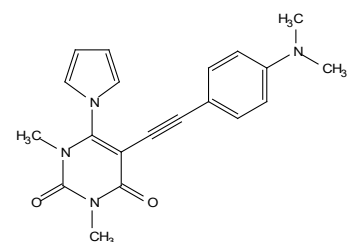
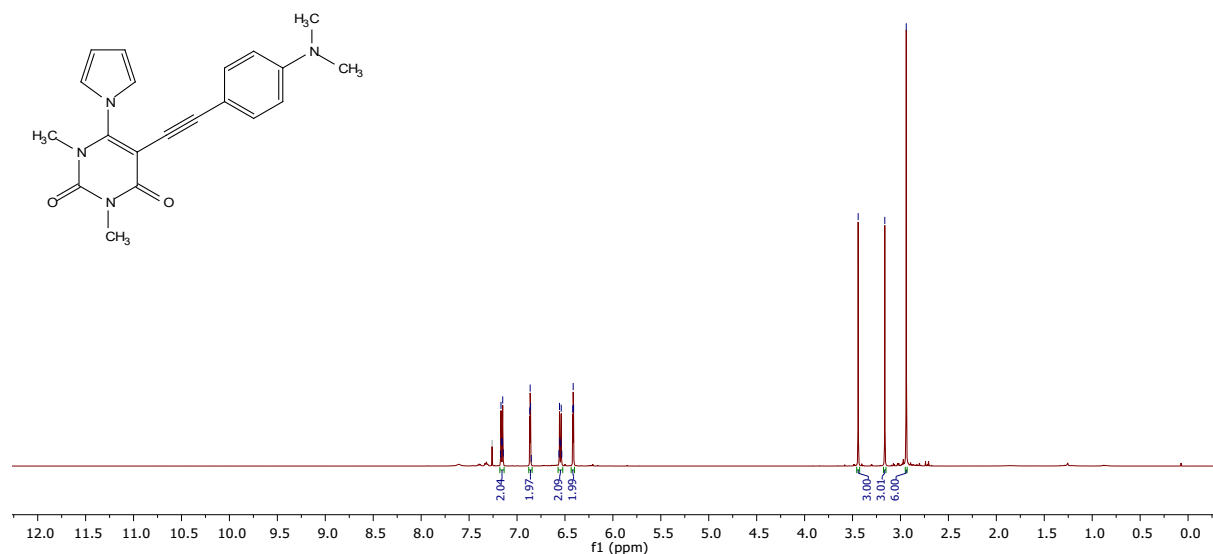


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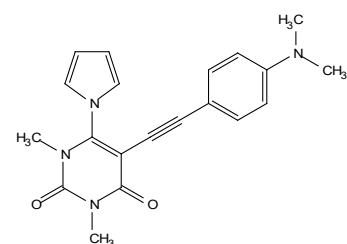
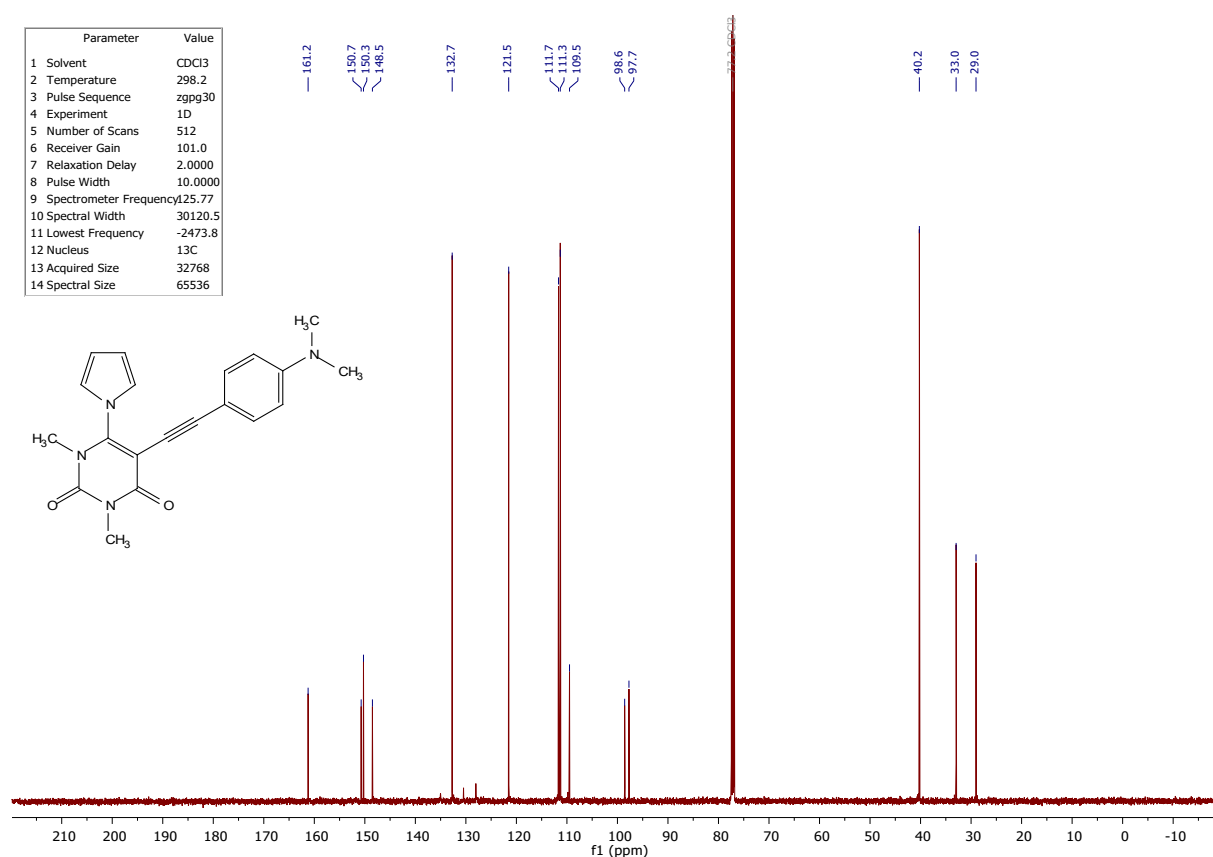


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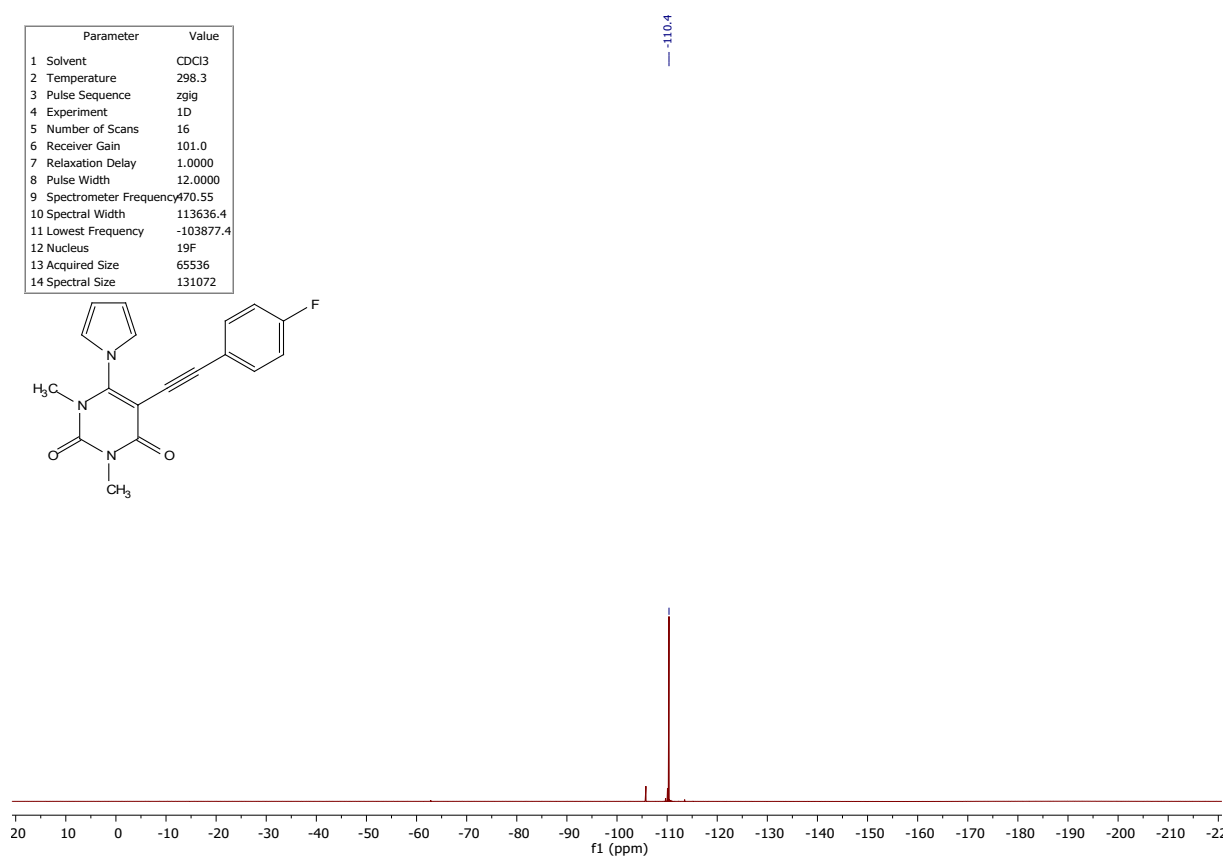
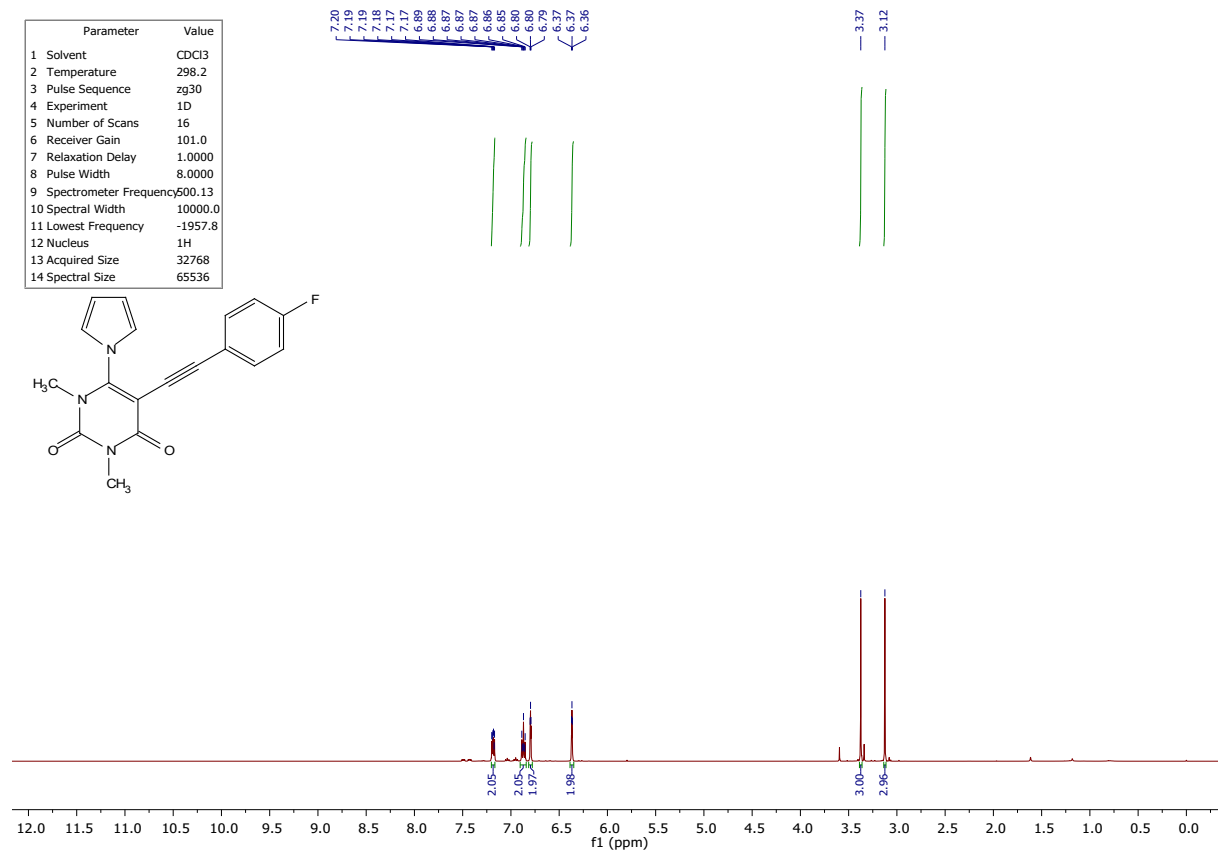
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12 Nucleus	¹ H
13 Acquired Size	32768
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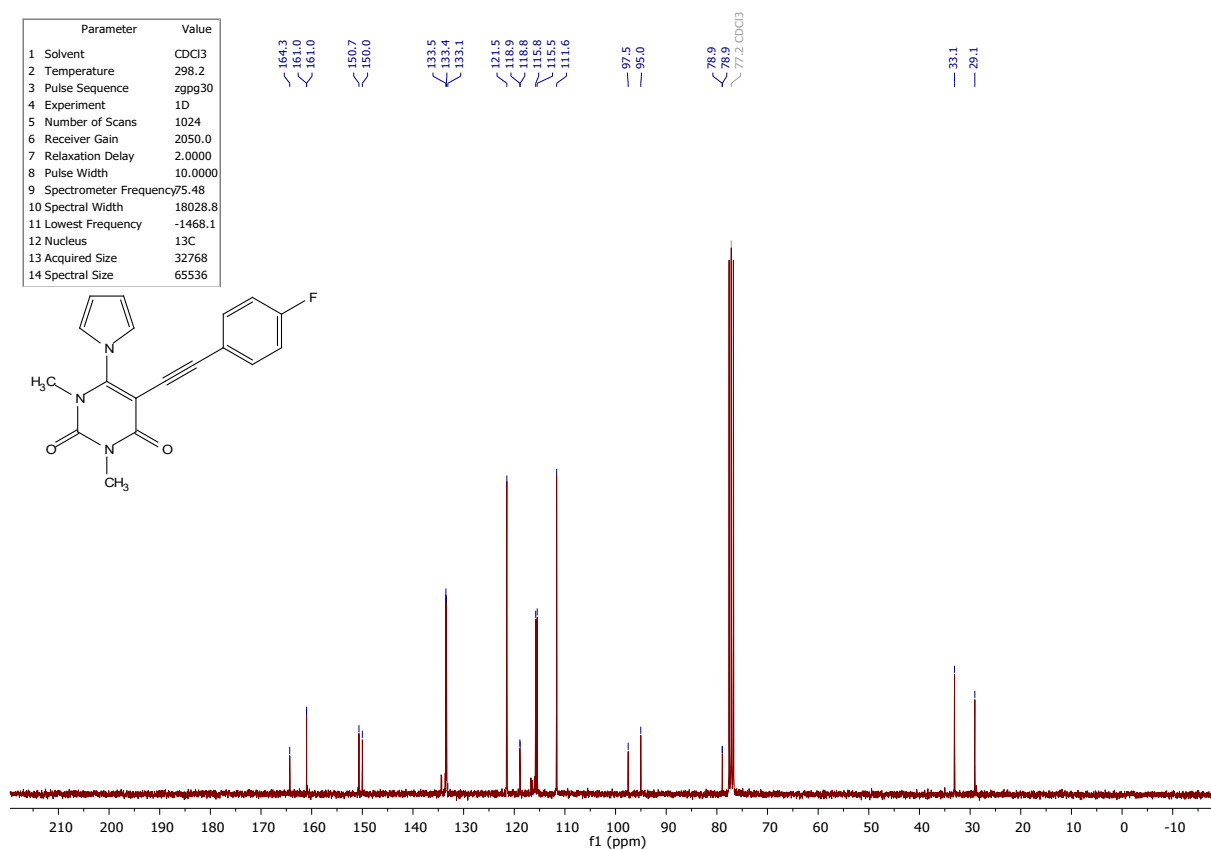
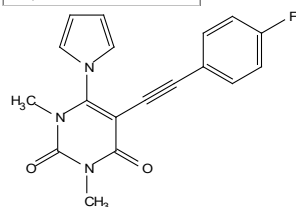
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11 Lowest Frequency	-2473.8
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



5-((4-Fluorophenyl)ethynyl)-1,3-dimethyl-6-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (3d)

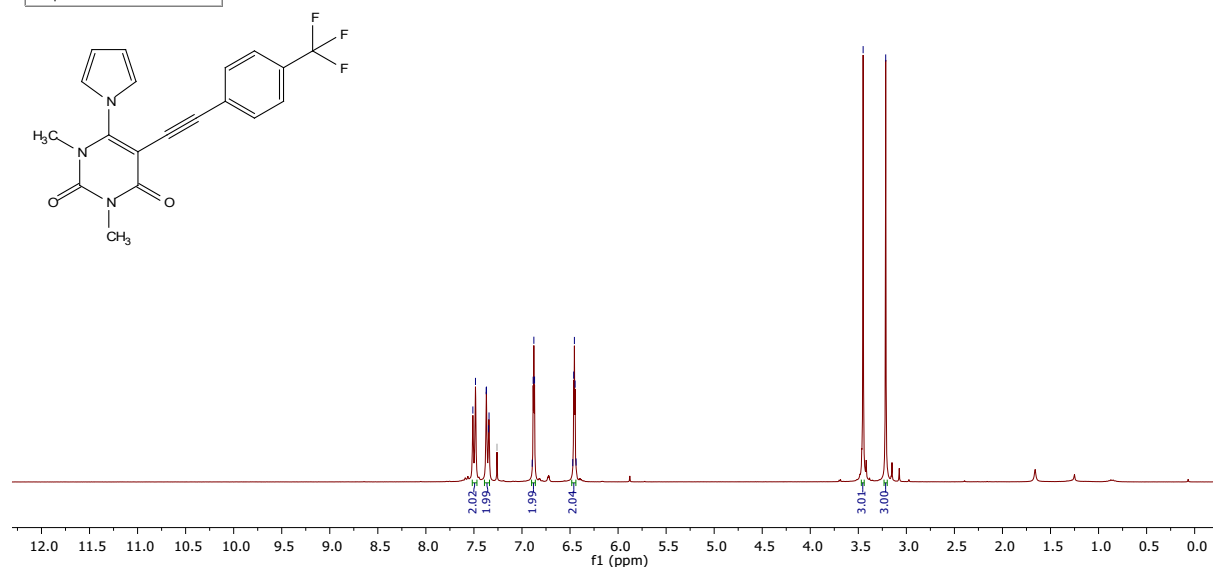


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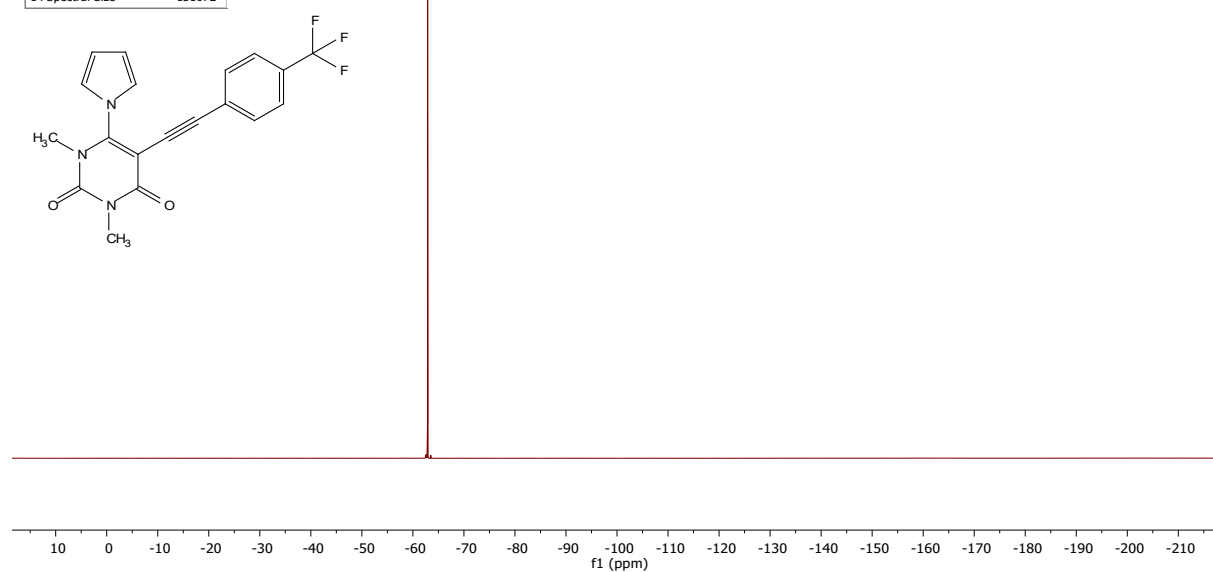


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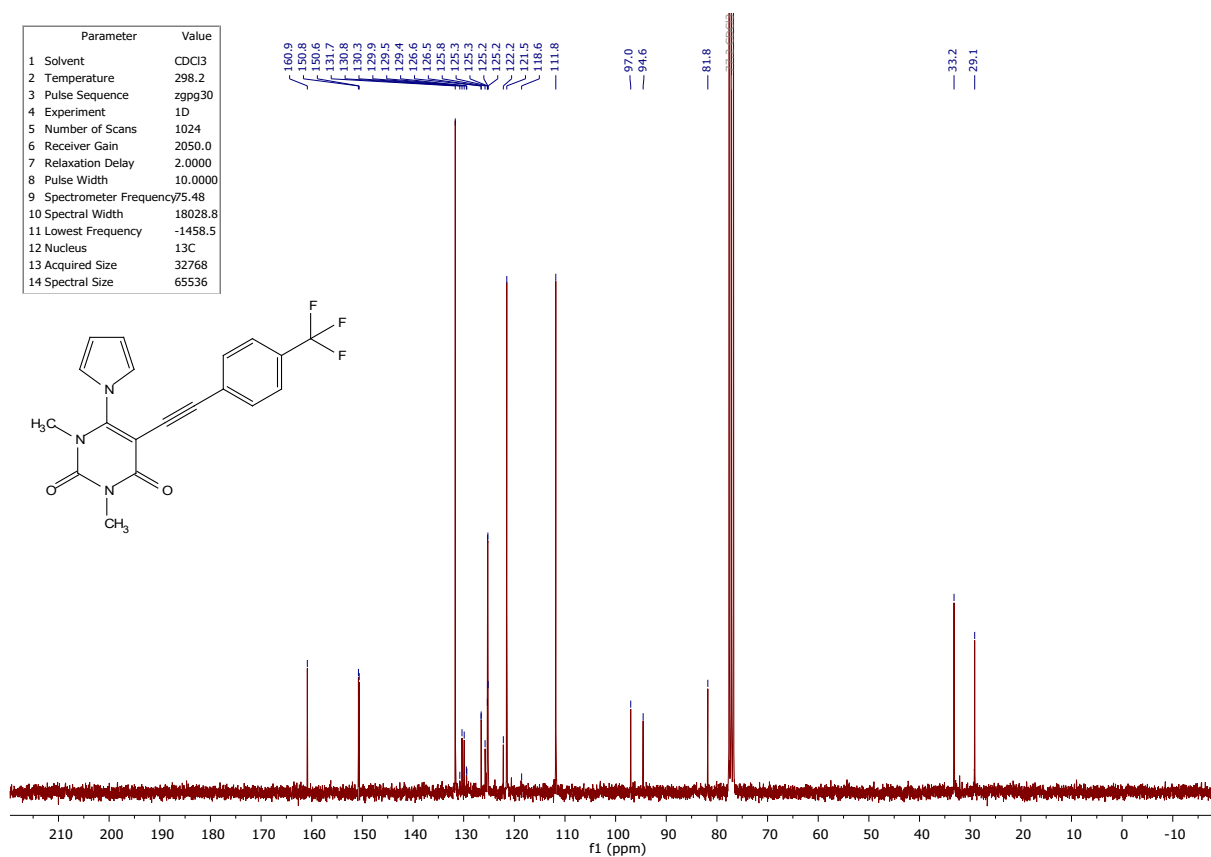
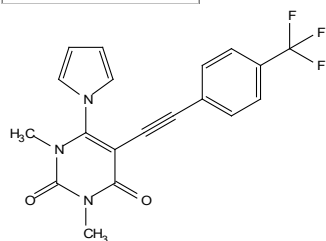
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13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



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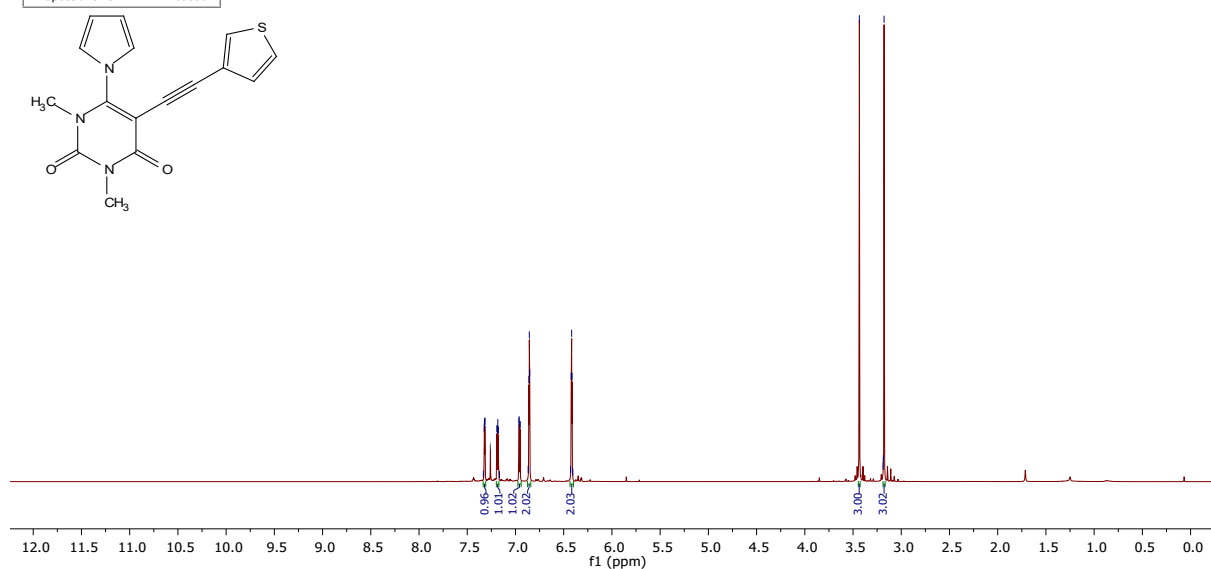


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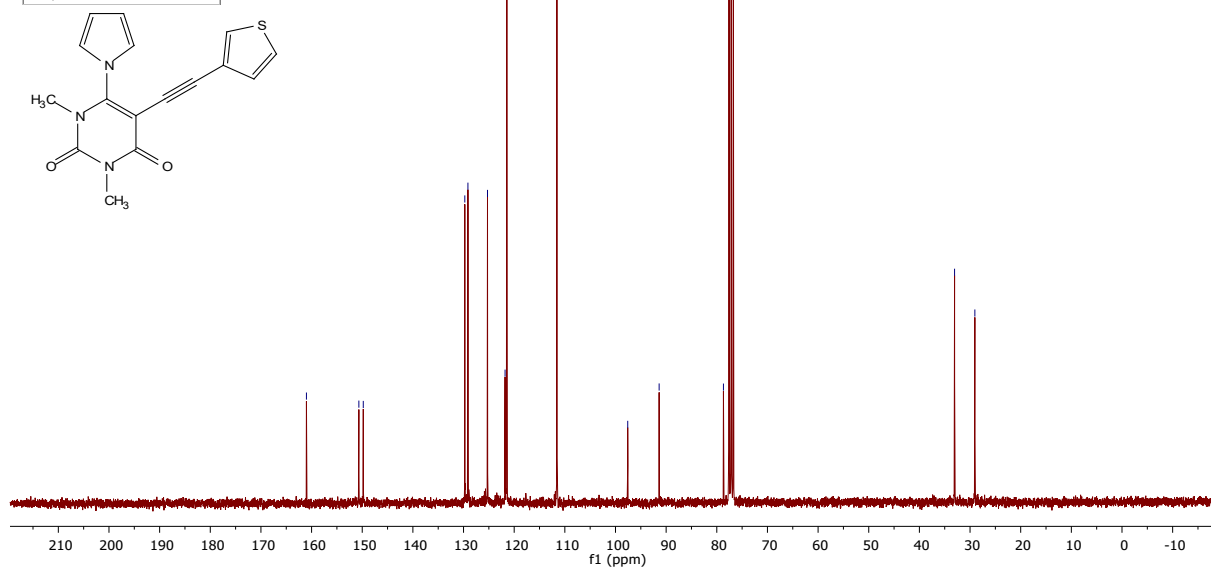


1,3-Dimethyl-6-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-5-(thiophen-3-ylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3f)

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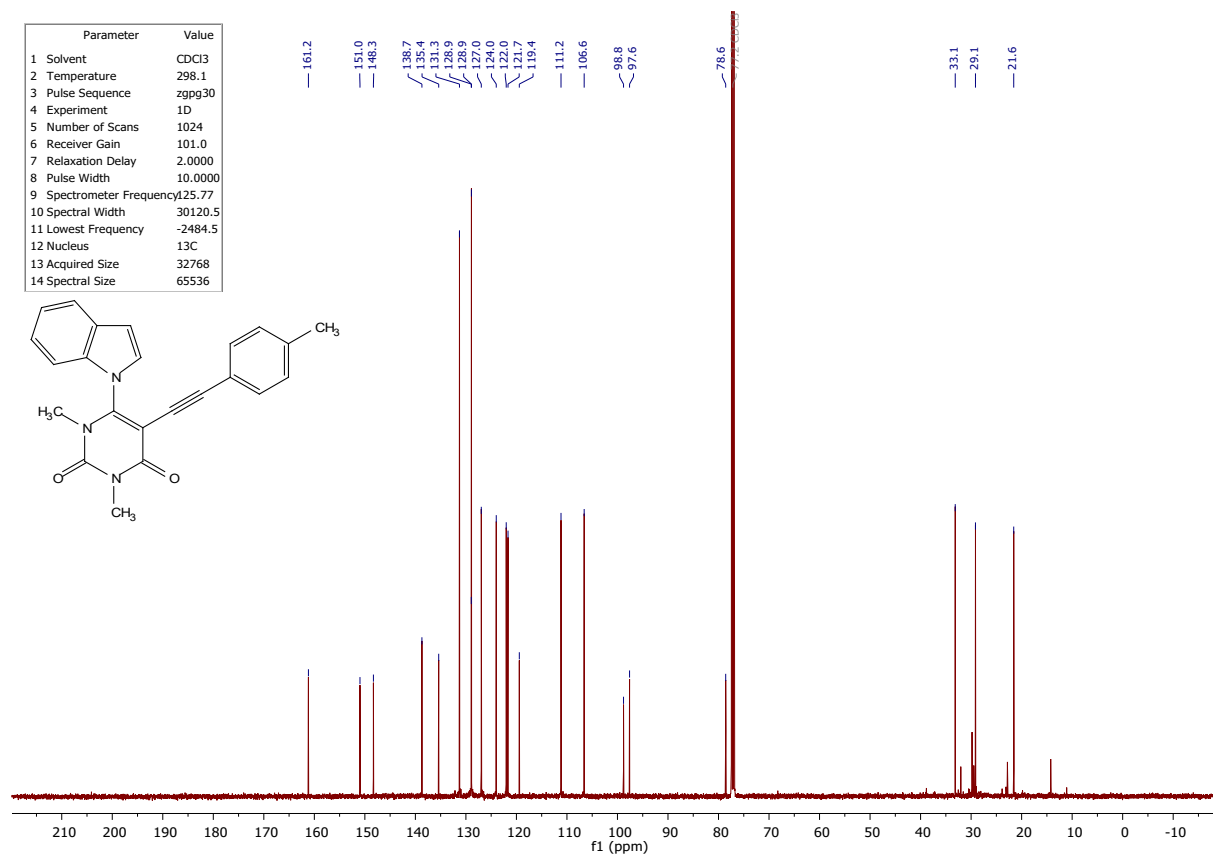
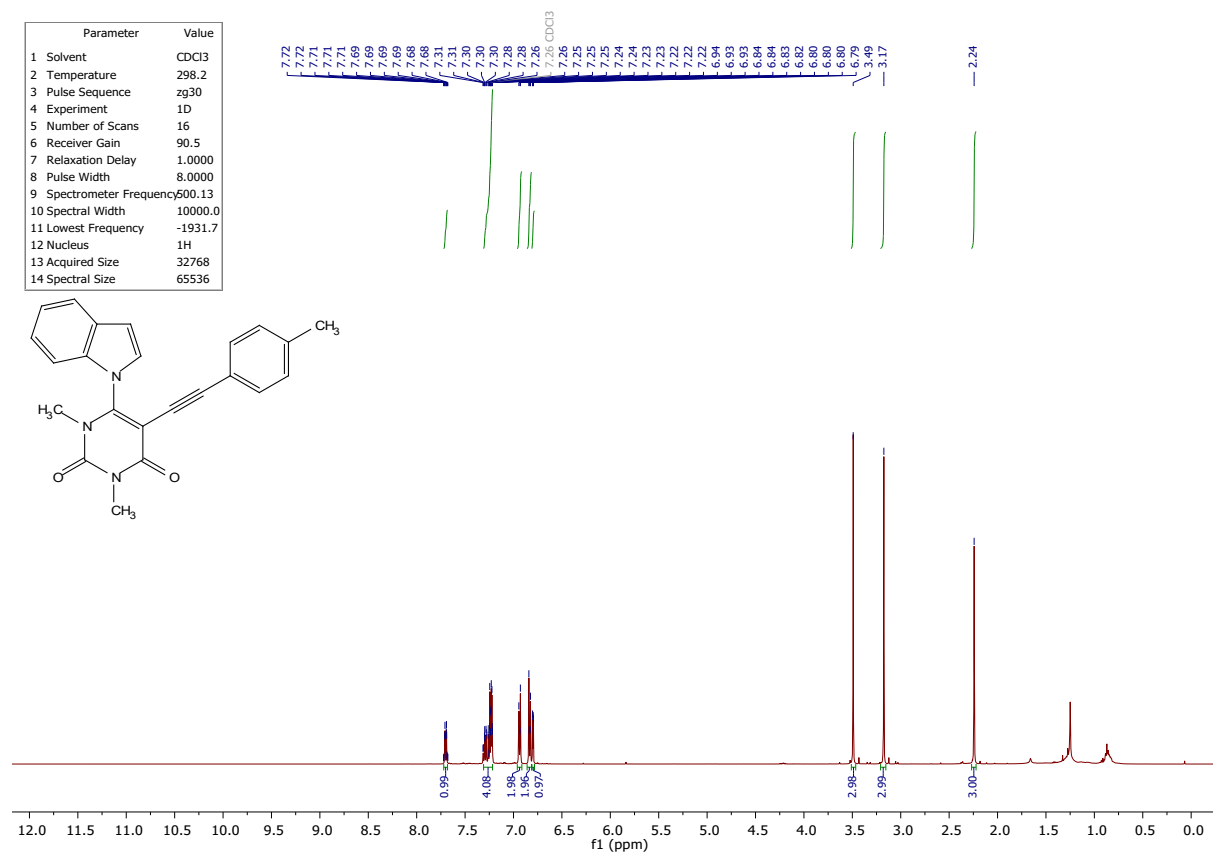


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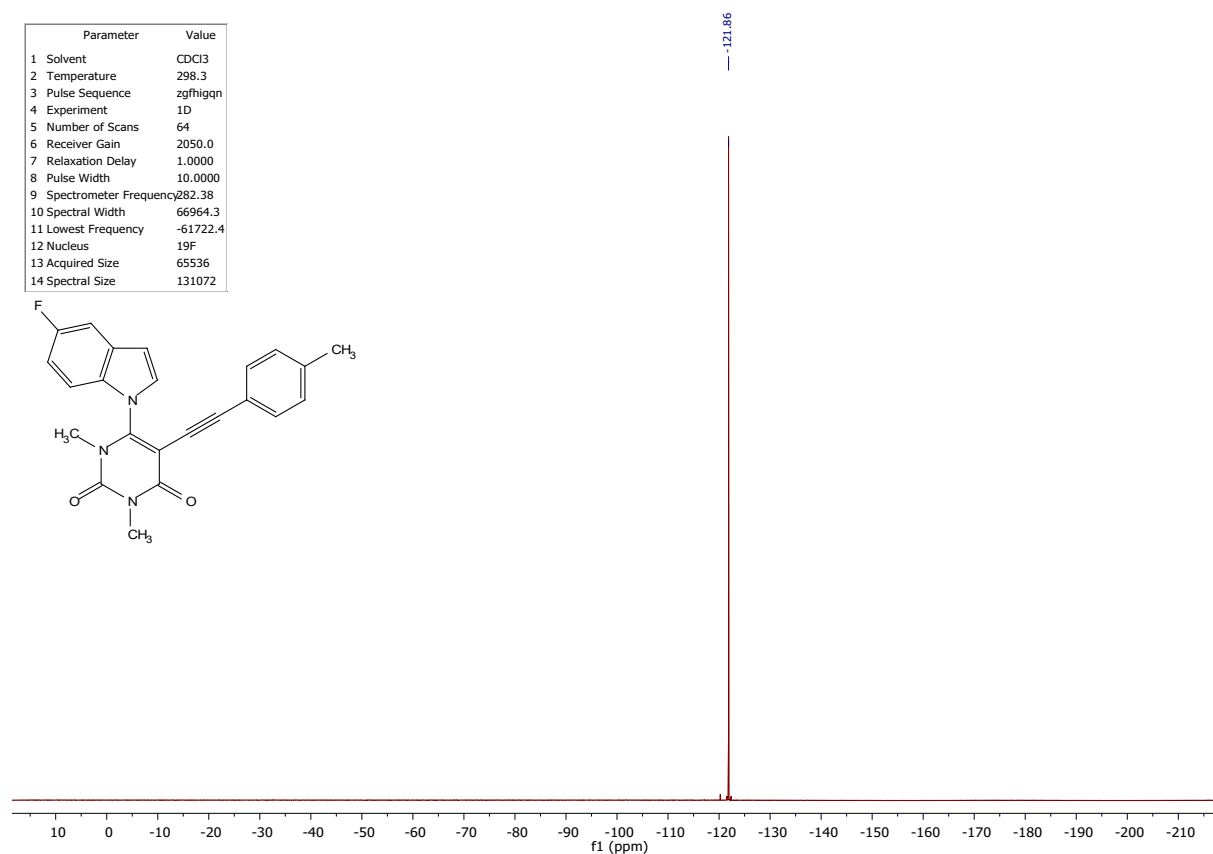
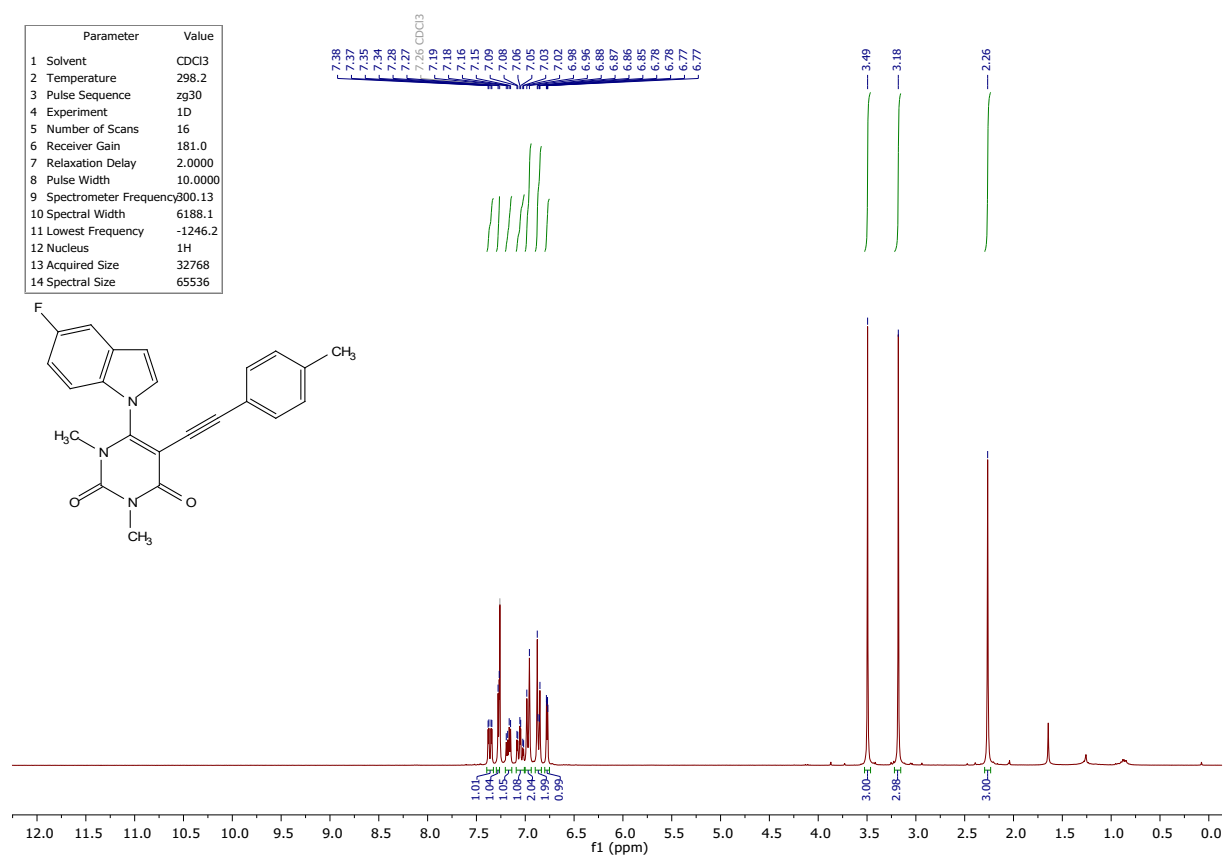


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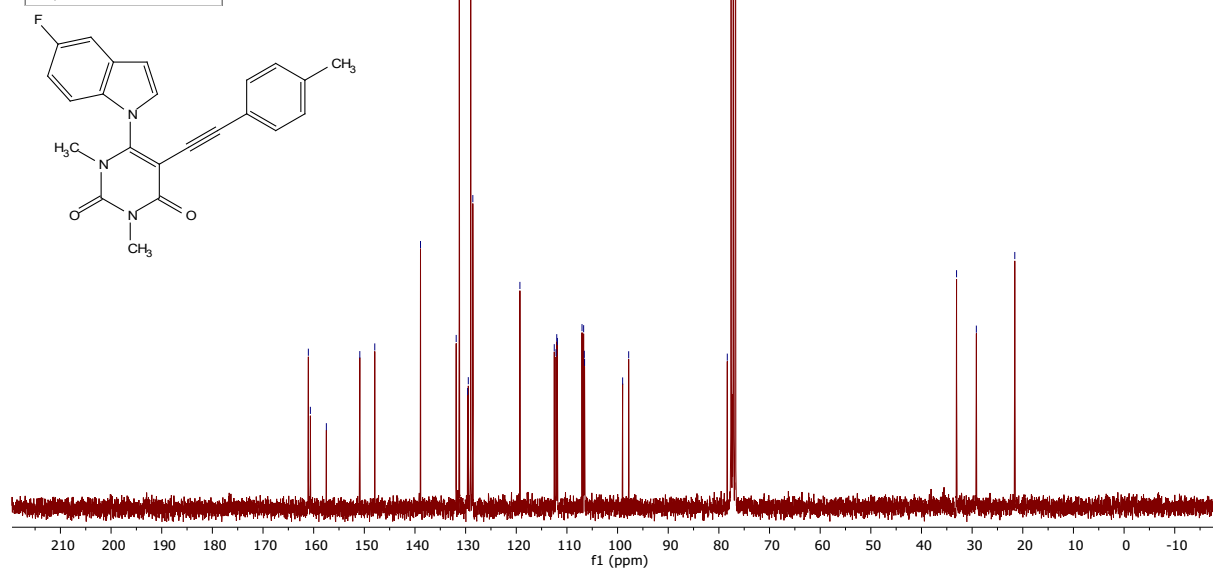
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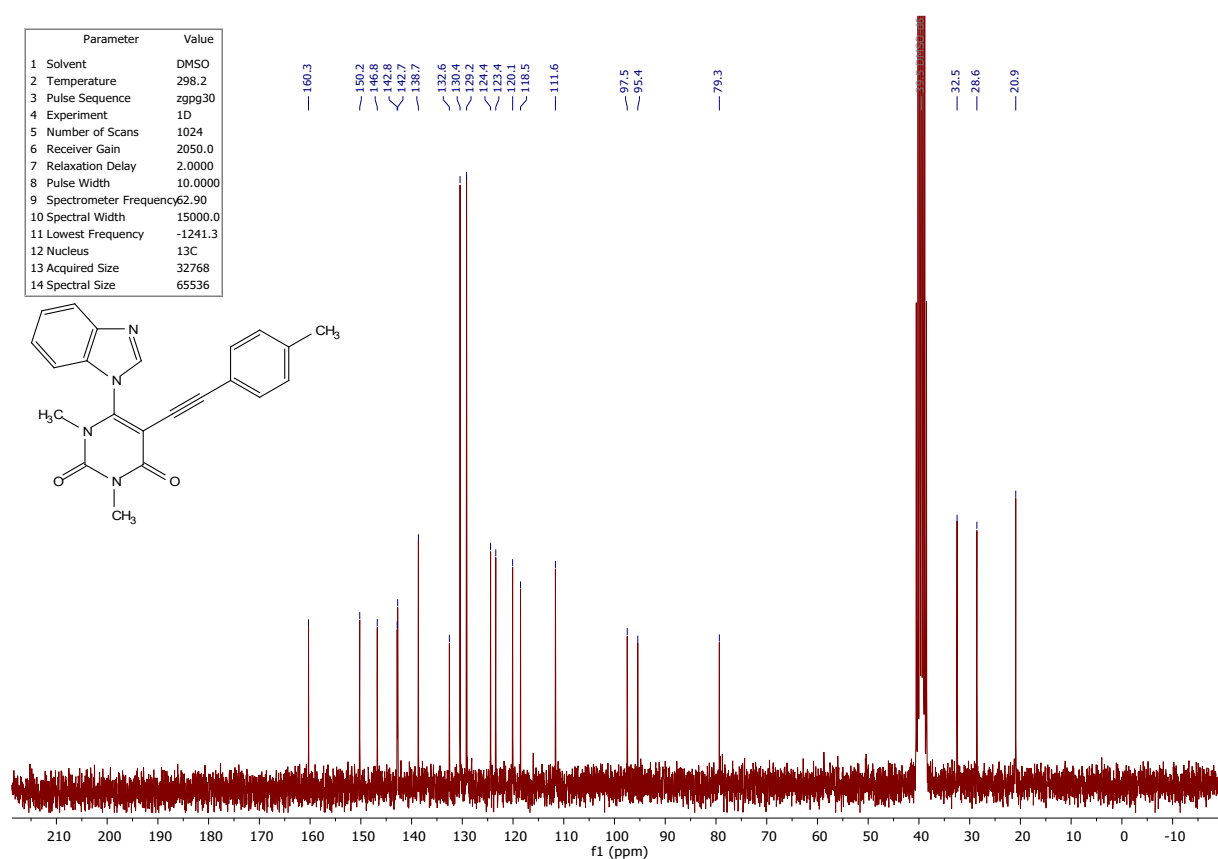
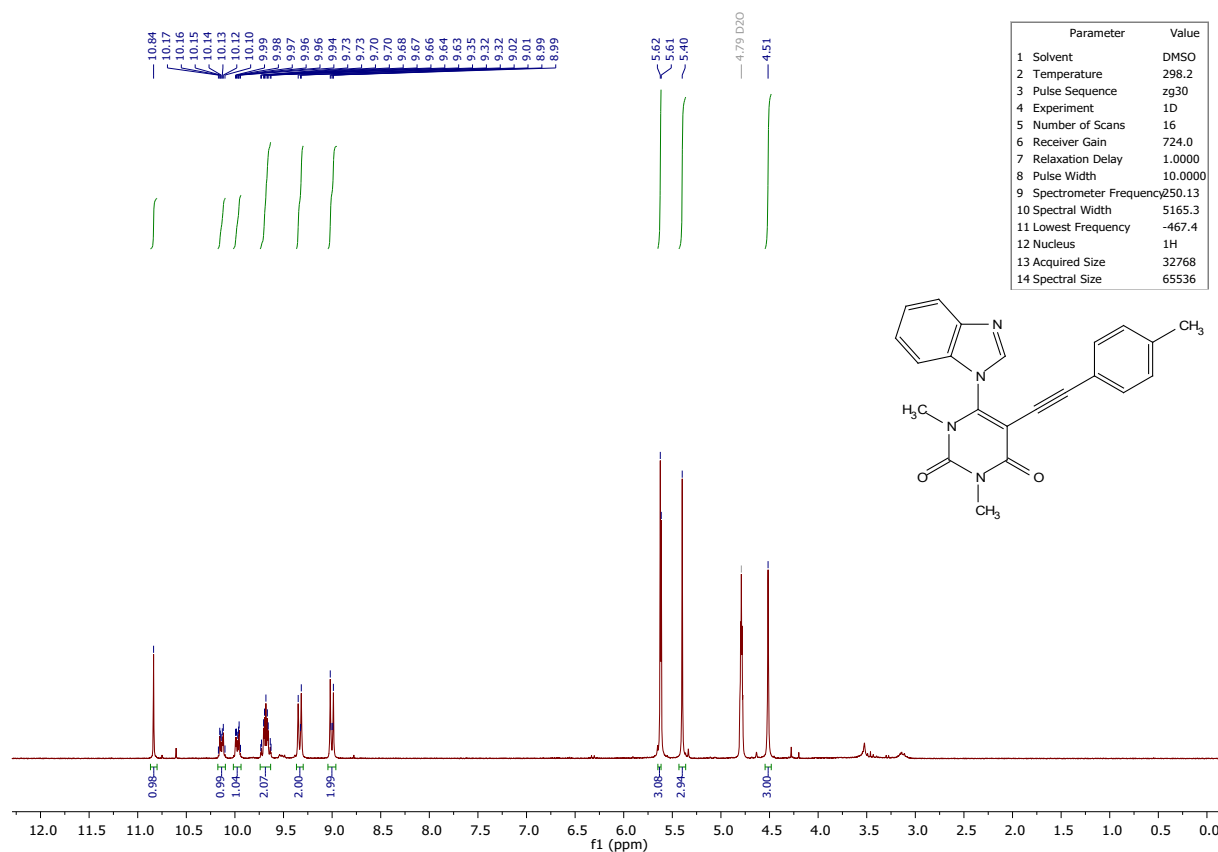
6-(5-Fluoro-1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1,3-dimethyl-5-(*p*-tolylethynyl)pyrimidine-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (3h).



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3 Pulse Sequence	zgpg30
4 Experiment	1D
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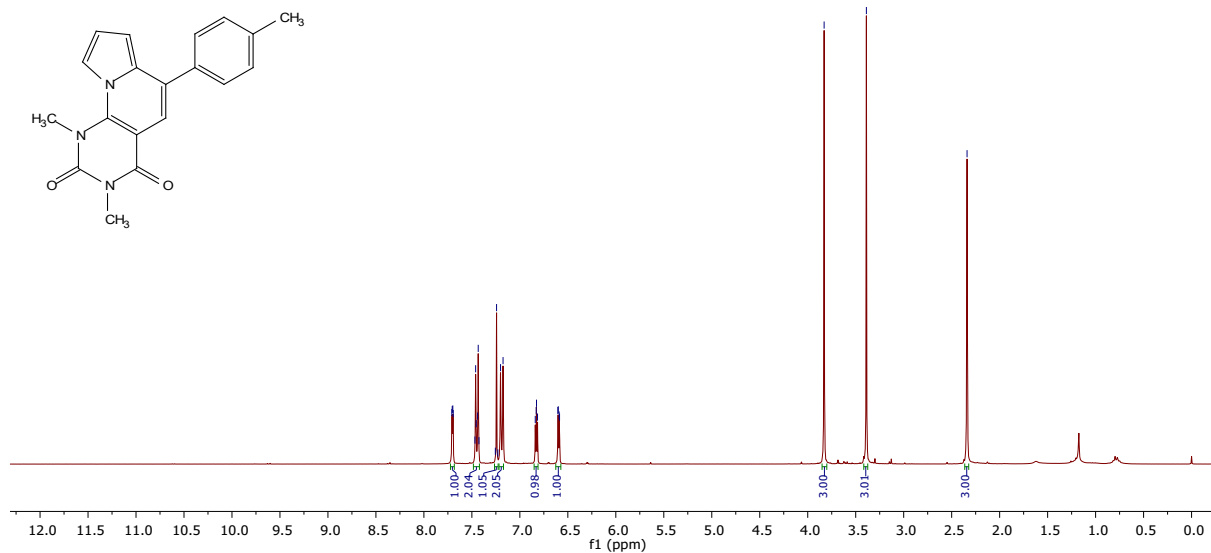


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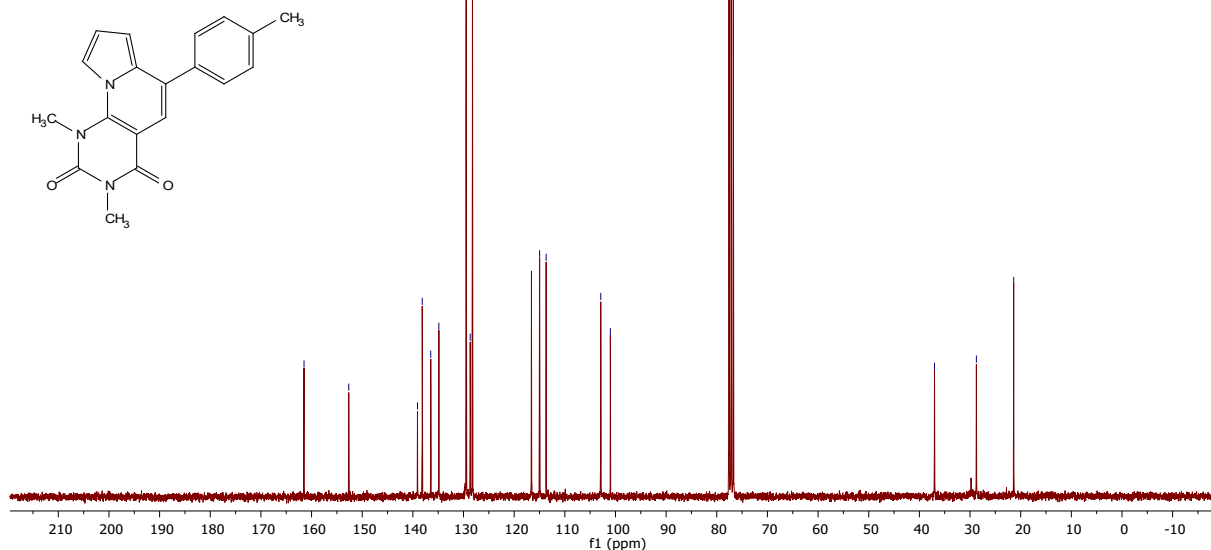


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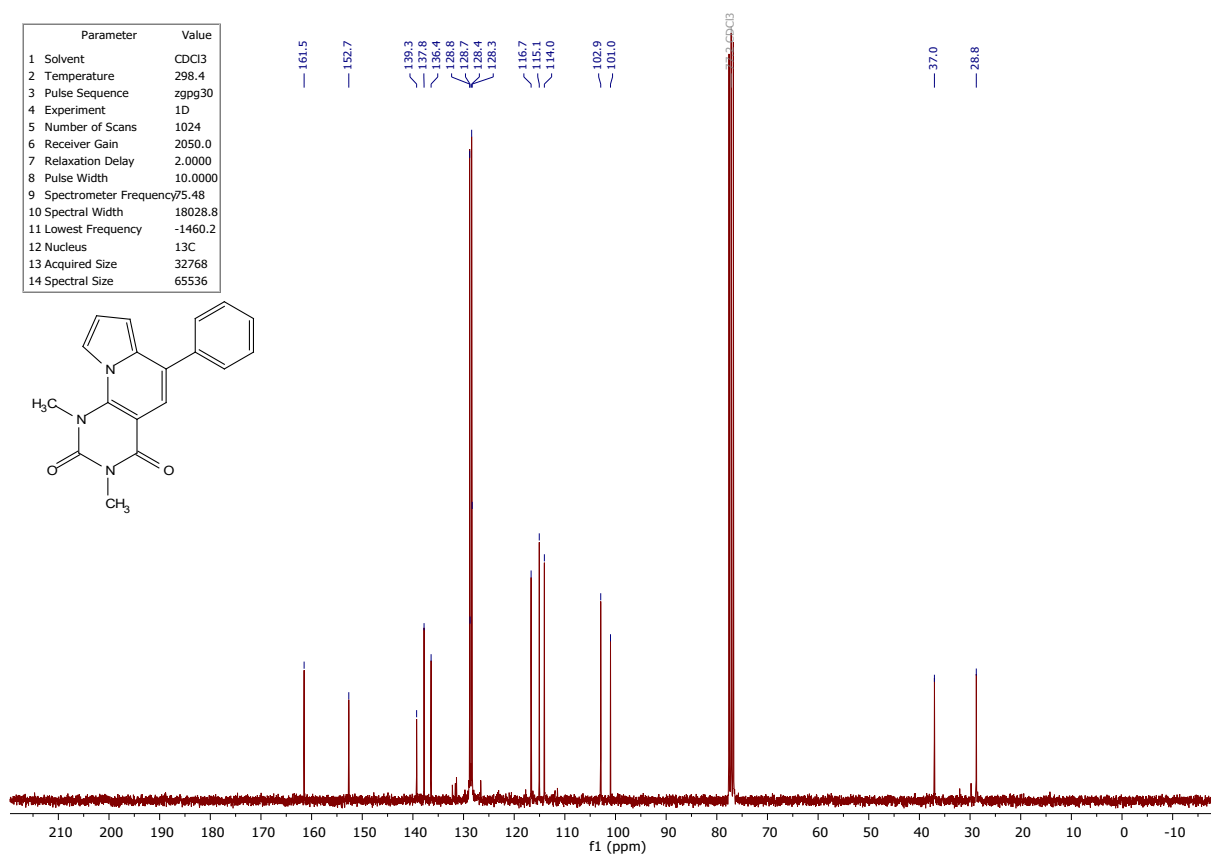
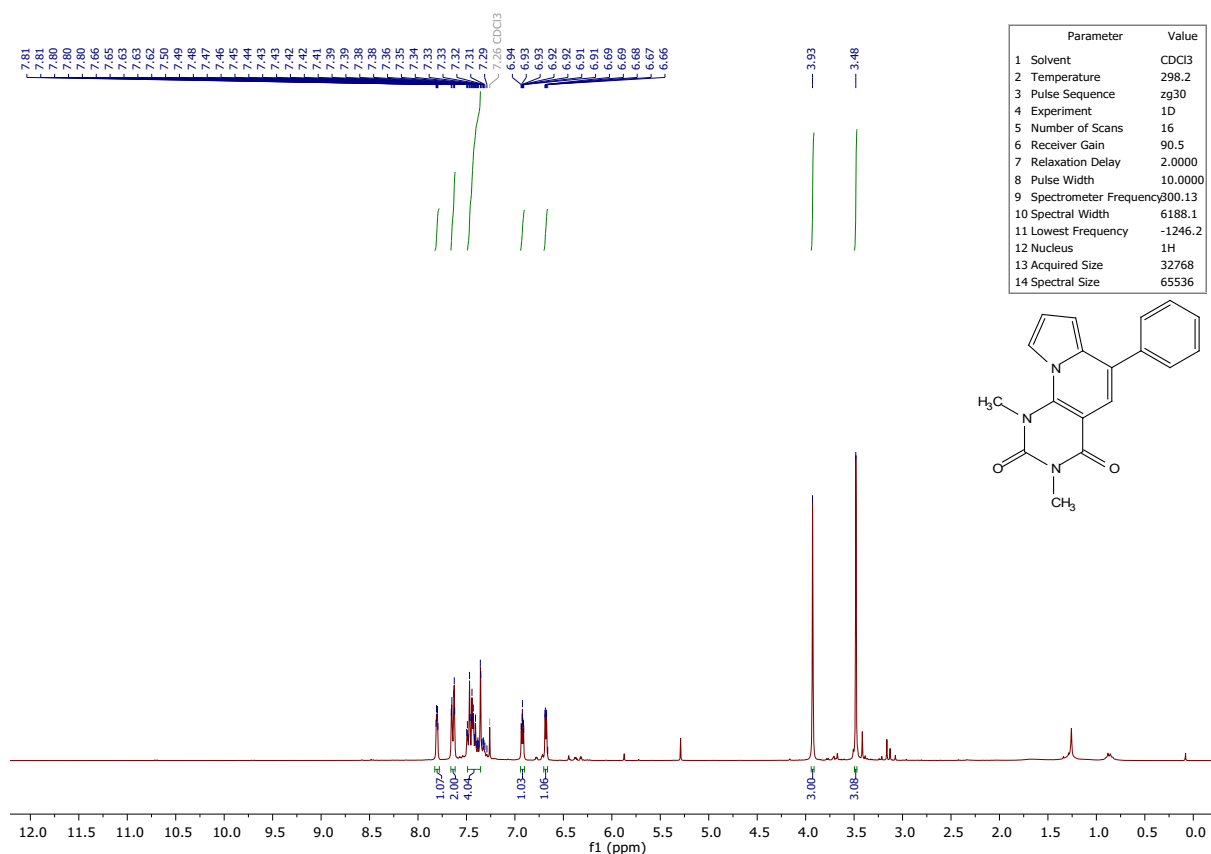
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10 Spectral Width	6188.1
11 Lowest Frequency	-1271.7
12 Nucleus	¹ H
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



Parameter	Value
1 Solvent	CDCl ₃
2 Temperature	298.2
3 Pulse Sequence	zgpg30
4 Experiment	1D
5 Number of Scans	1024
6 Receiver Gain	2050.0
7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
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10 Spectral Width	18028.8
11 Lowest Frequency	-1460.7
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
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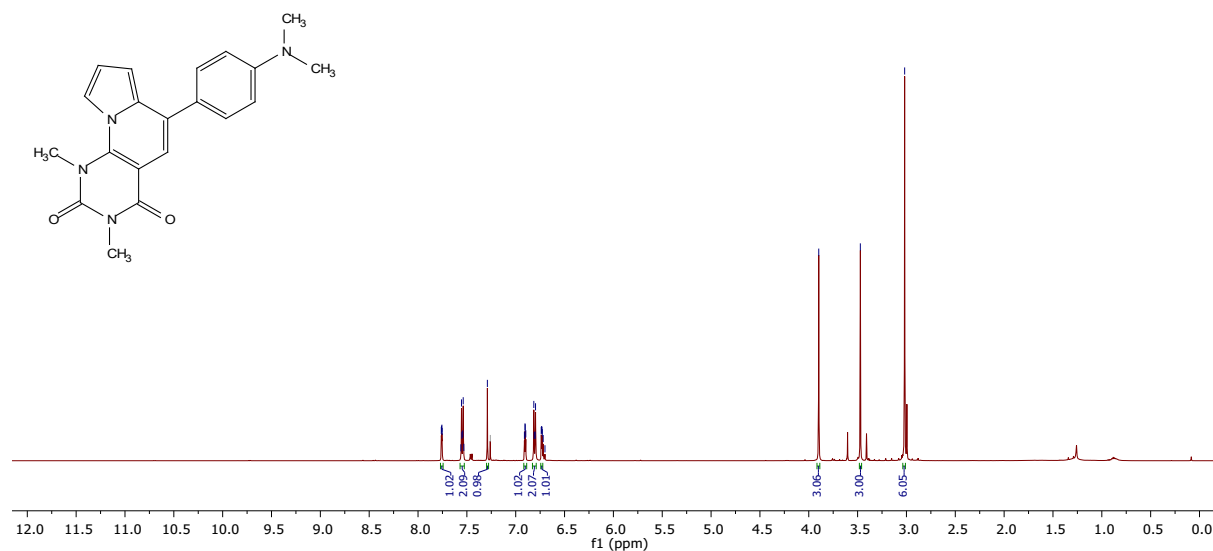


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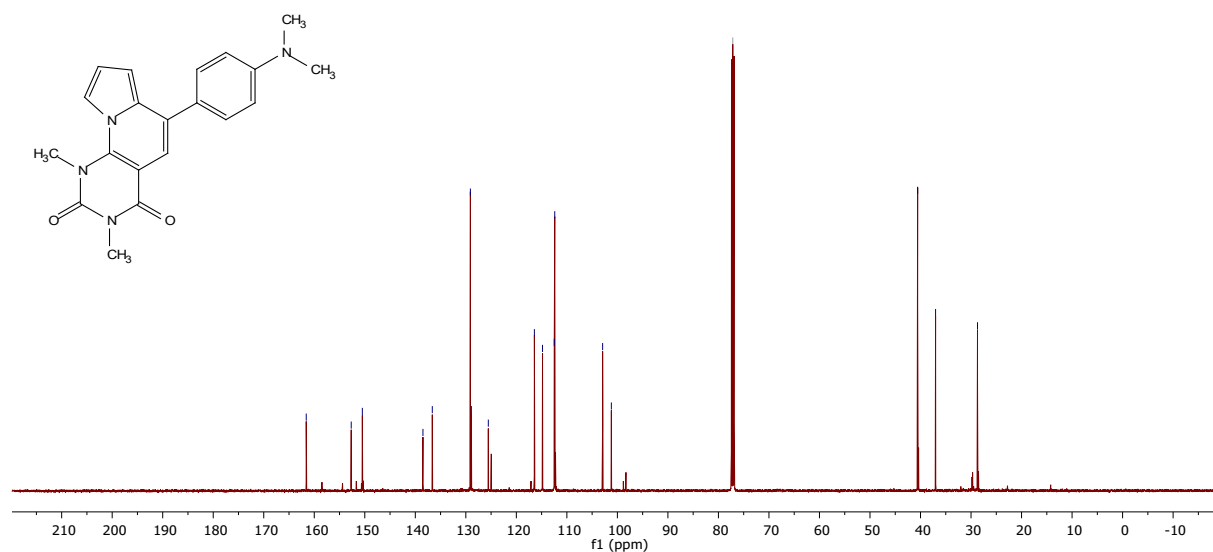


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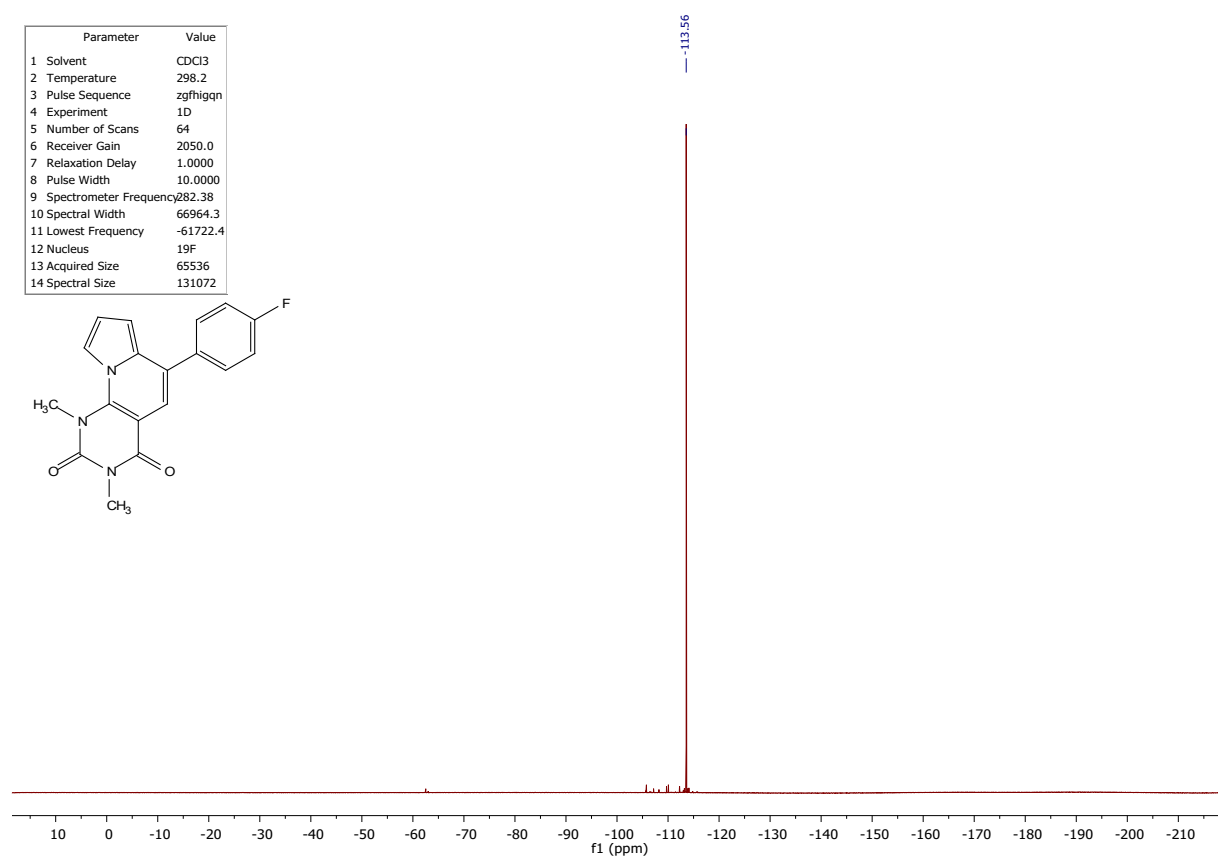
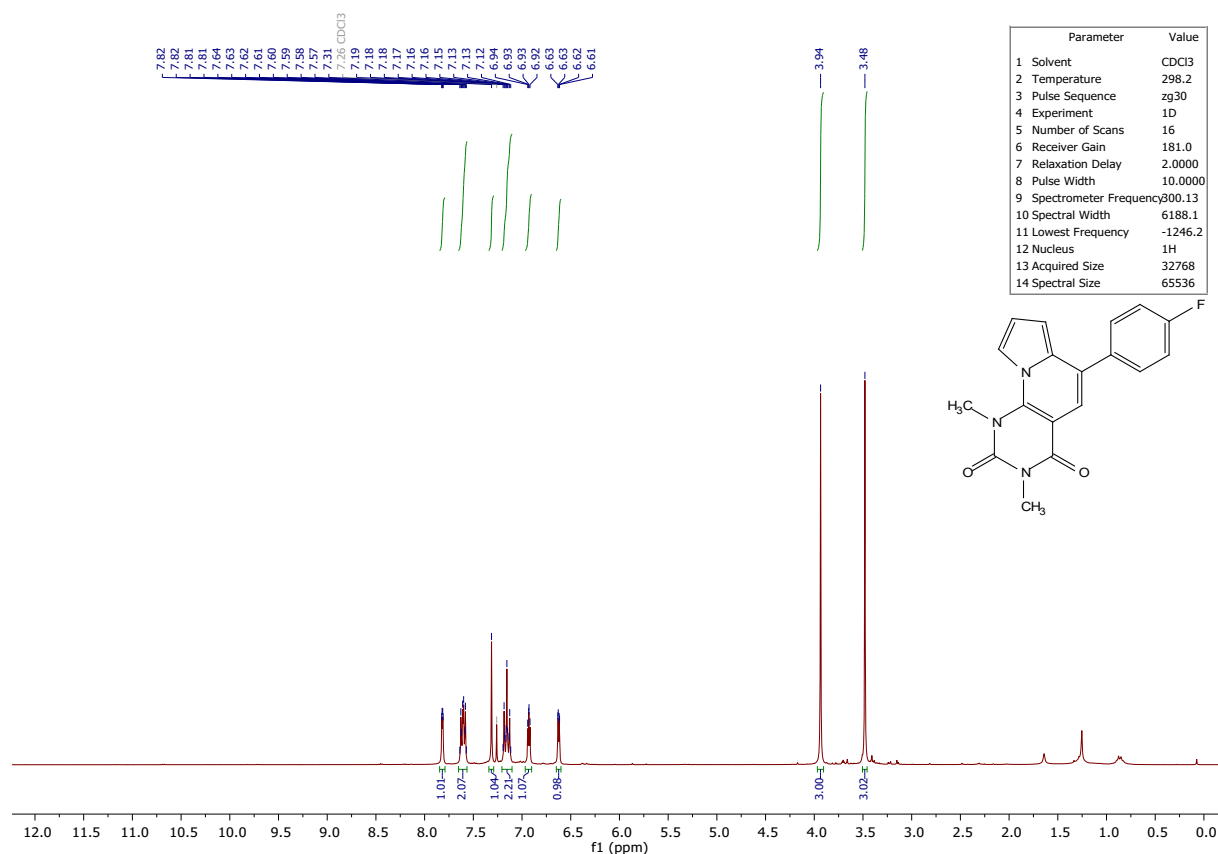
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3 Pulse Sequence	zg30
4 Experiment	1D
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8 Pulse Width	8.0000
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12 Nucleus	¹ H
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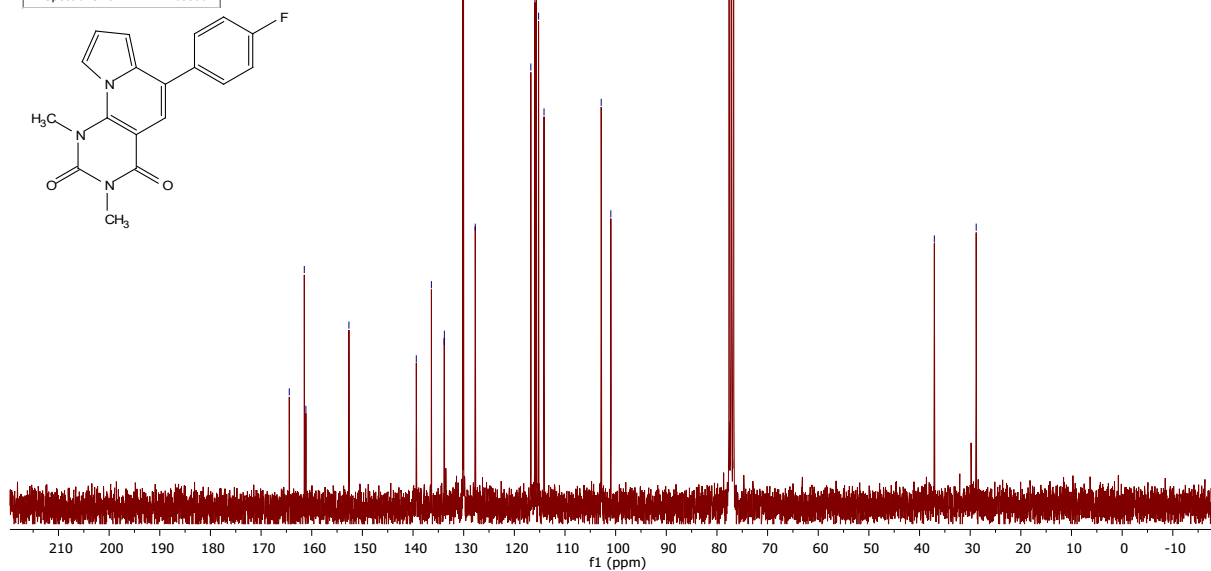
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7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	425.77
10 Spectral Width	30120.5
11 Lowest Frequency	-2475.0
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
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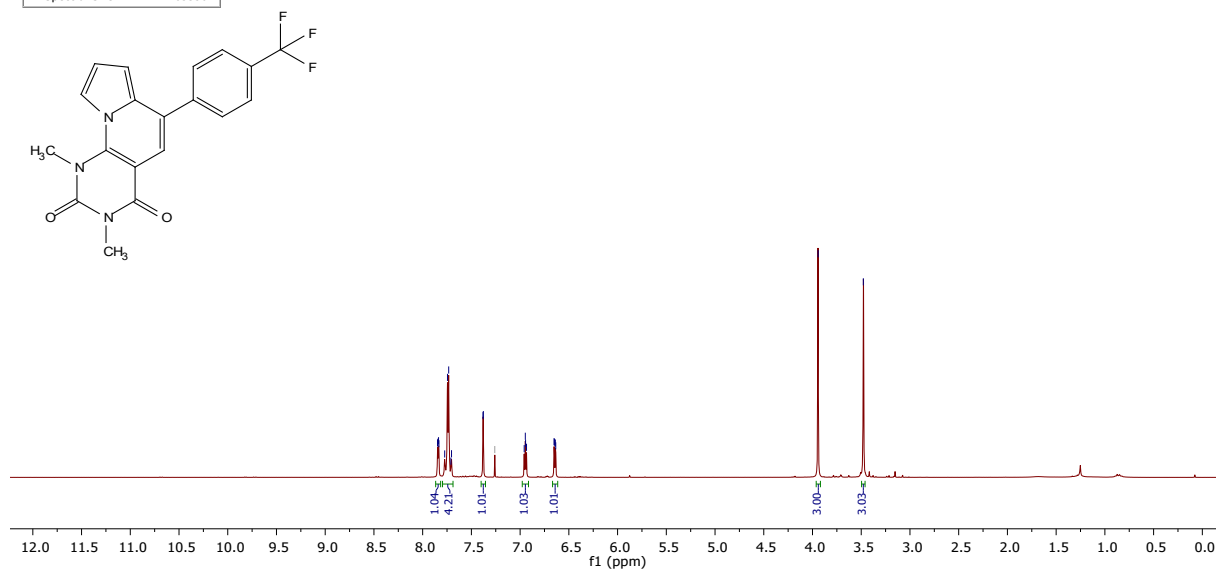


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3 Pulse Sequence	zgpg30
4 Experiment	1D
5 Number of Scans	1024
6 Receiver Gain	2050.0
7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	75.48
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11 Lowest Frequency	-1458.2
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
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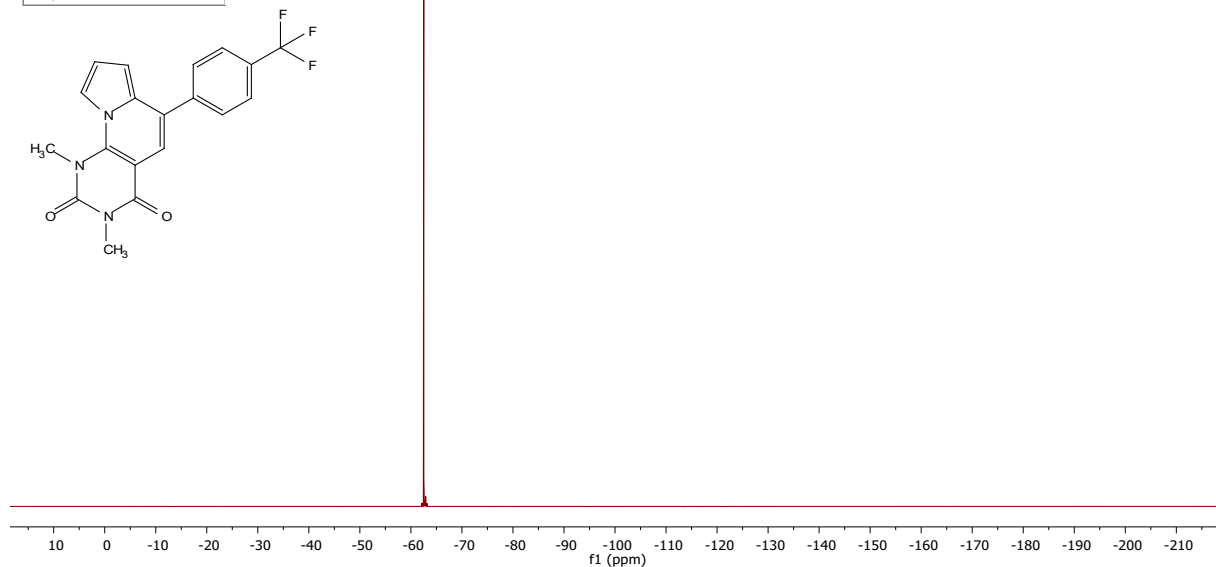


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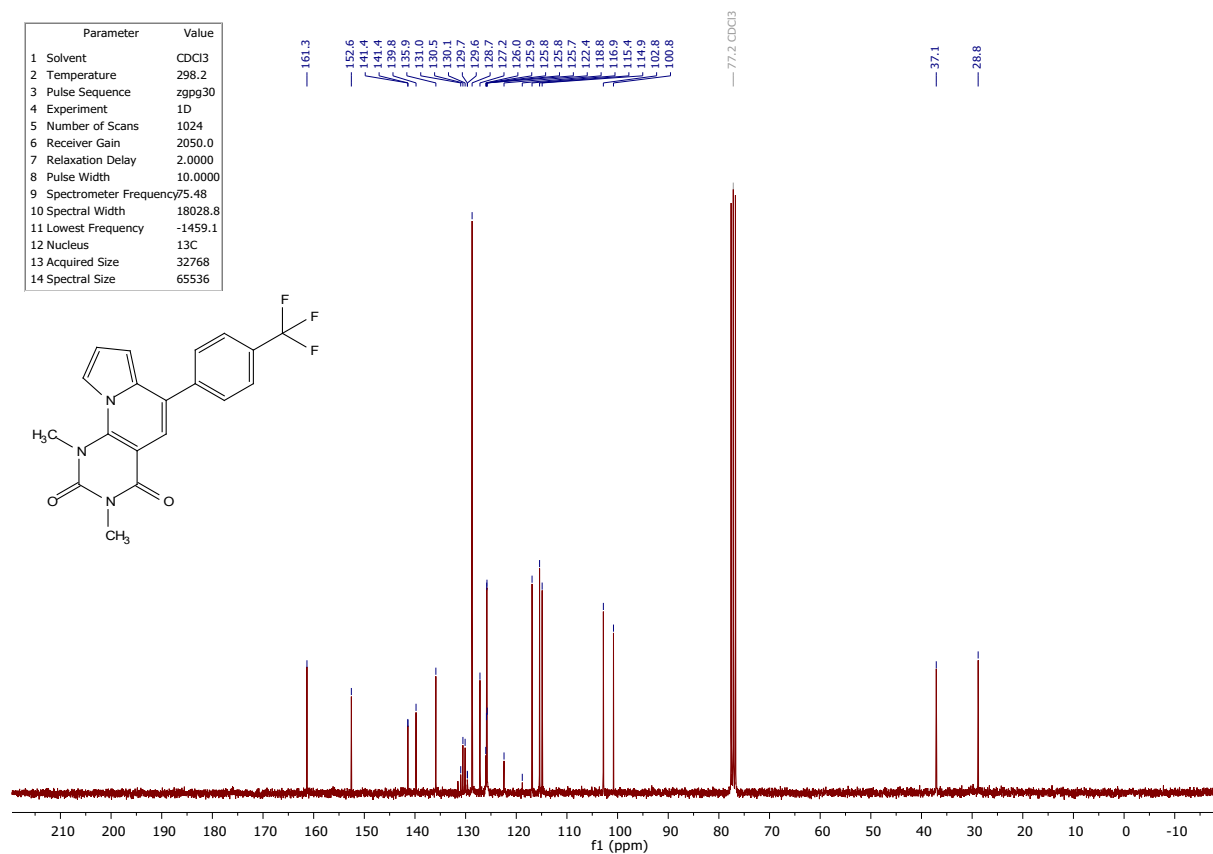
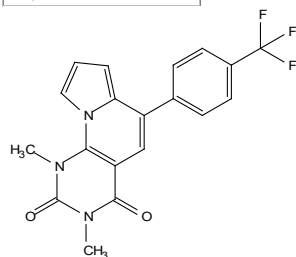
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8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	300.13
10 Spectral Width	6188.1
11 Lowest Frequency	-1246.3
12 Nucleus	¹ H
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



Parameter	Value
1 Solvent	CDCl ₃
2 Temperature	298.2
3 Pulse Sequence	zgfhgqn
4 Experiment	1D
5 Number of Scans	64
6 Receiver Gain	2050.0
7 Relaxation Delay	1.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	282.38
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13 Acquired Size	65536
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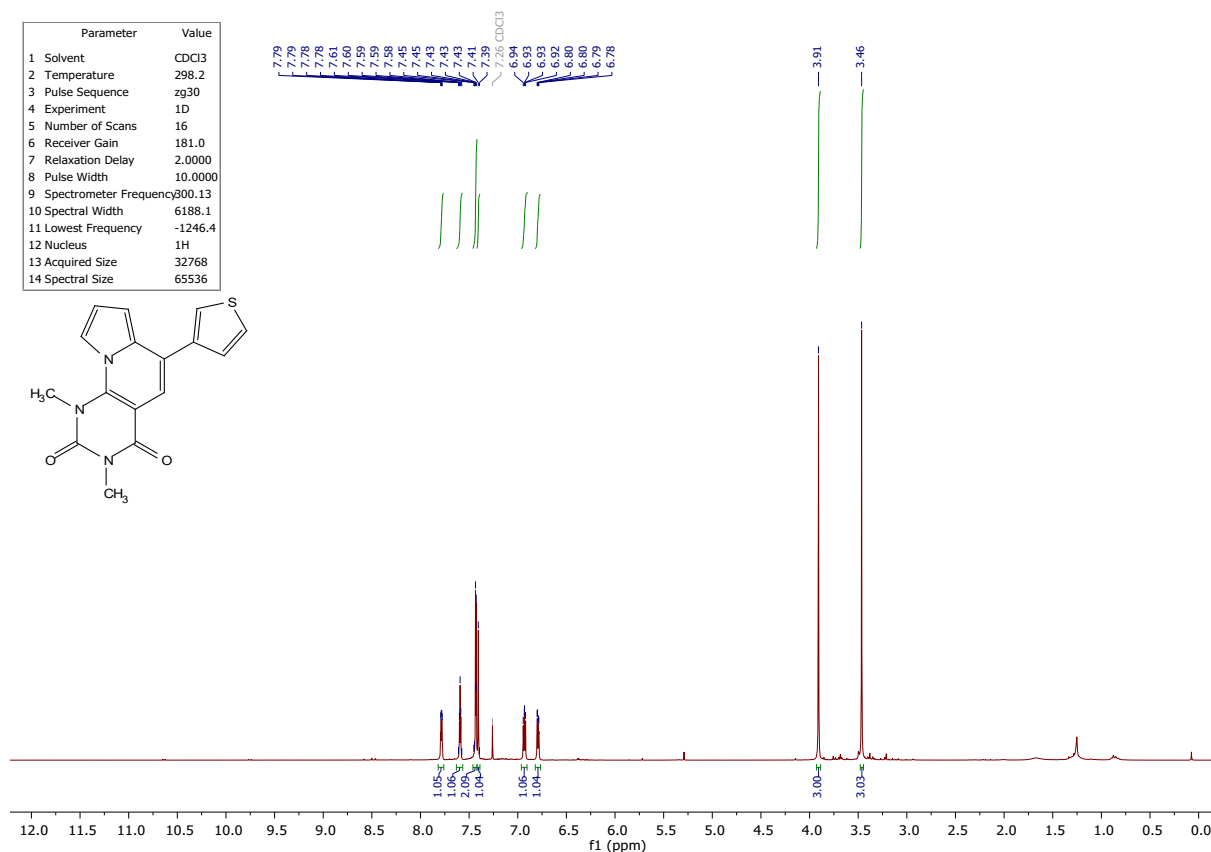
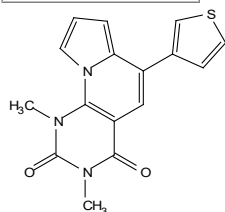


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2 Temperature	298.2
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4 Experiment	1D
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6 Receiver Gain	2050.0
7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
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11 Lowest Frequency	-1459.1
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
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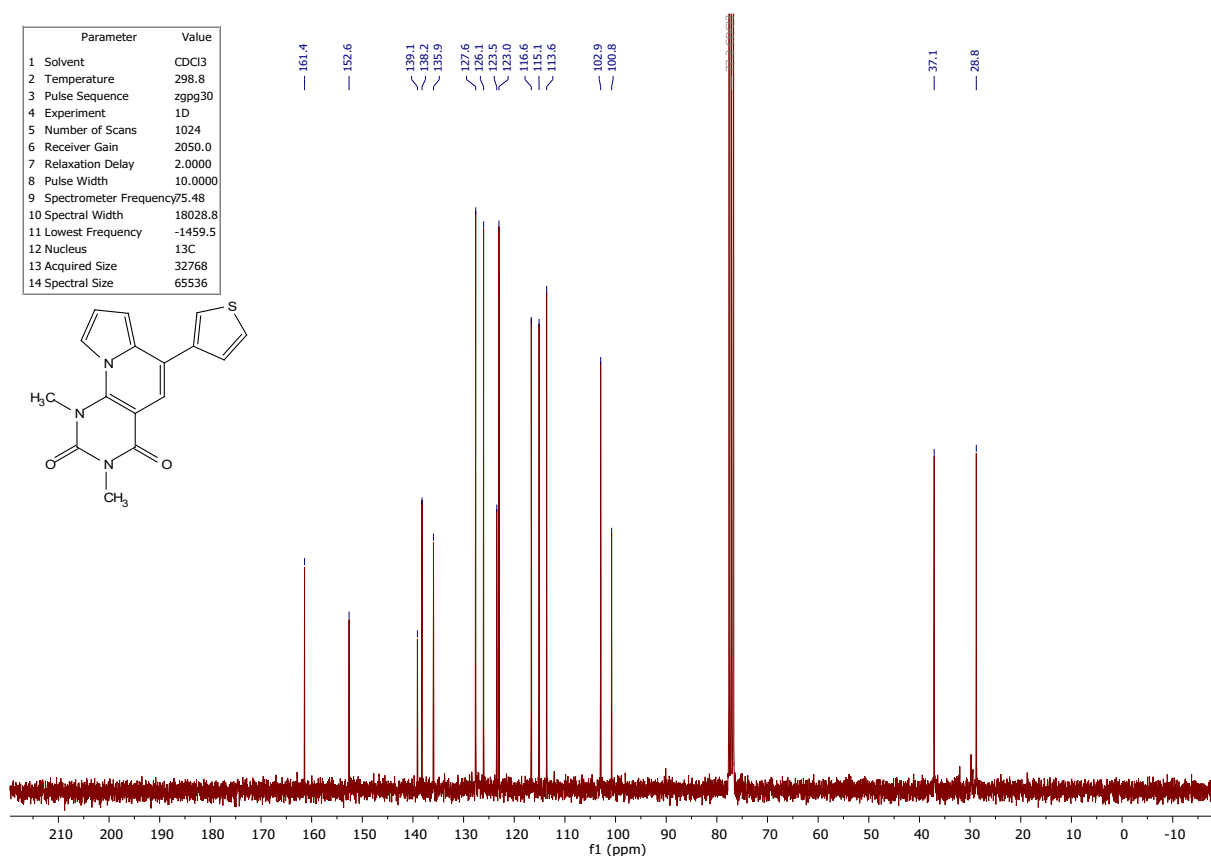
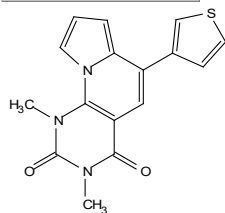


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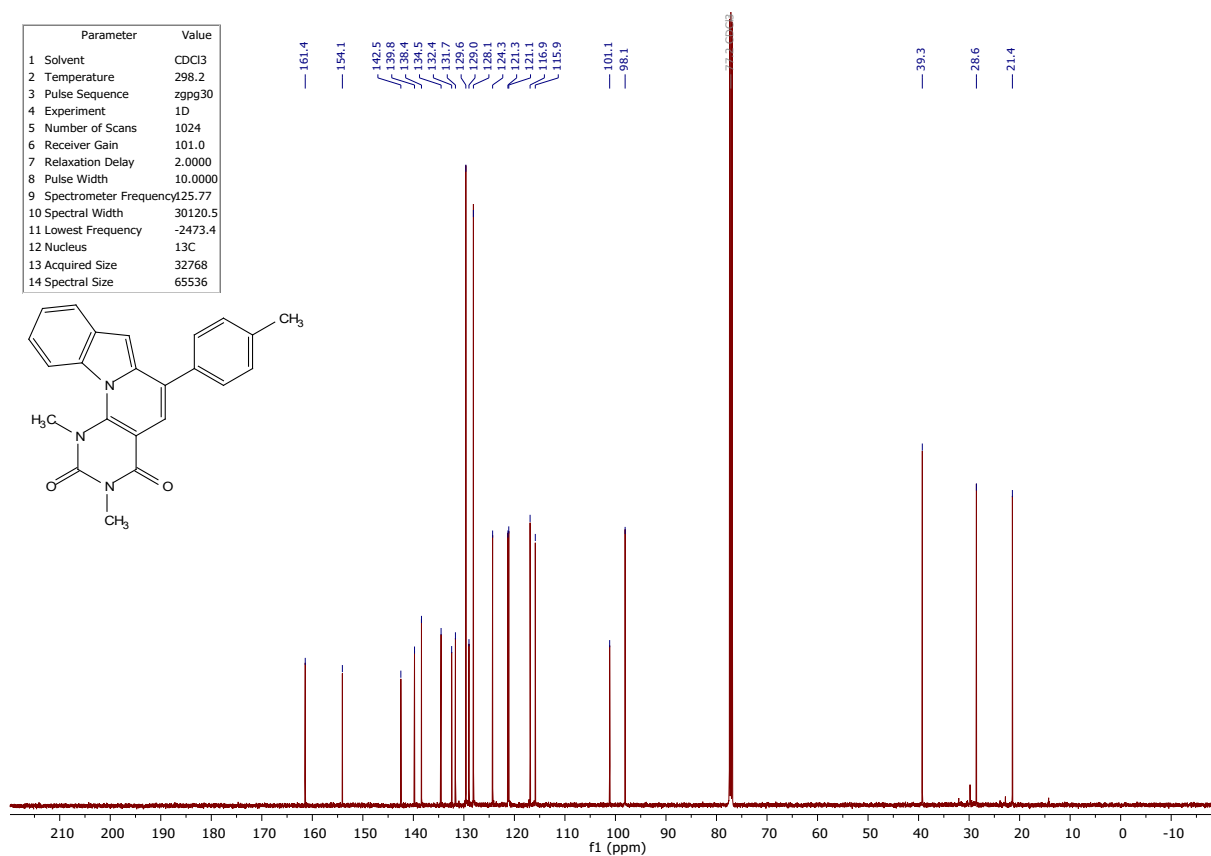
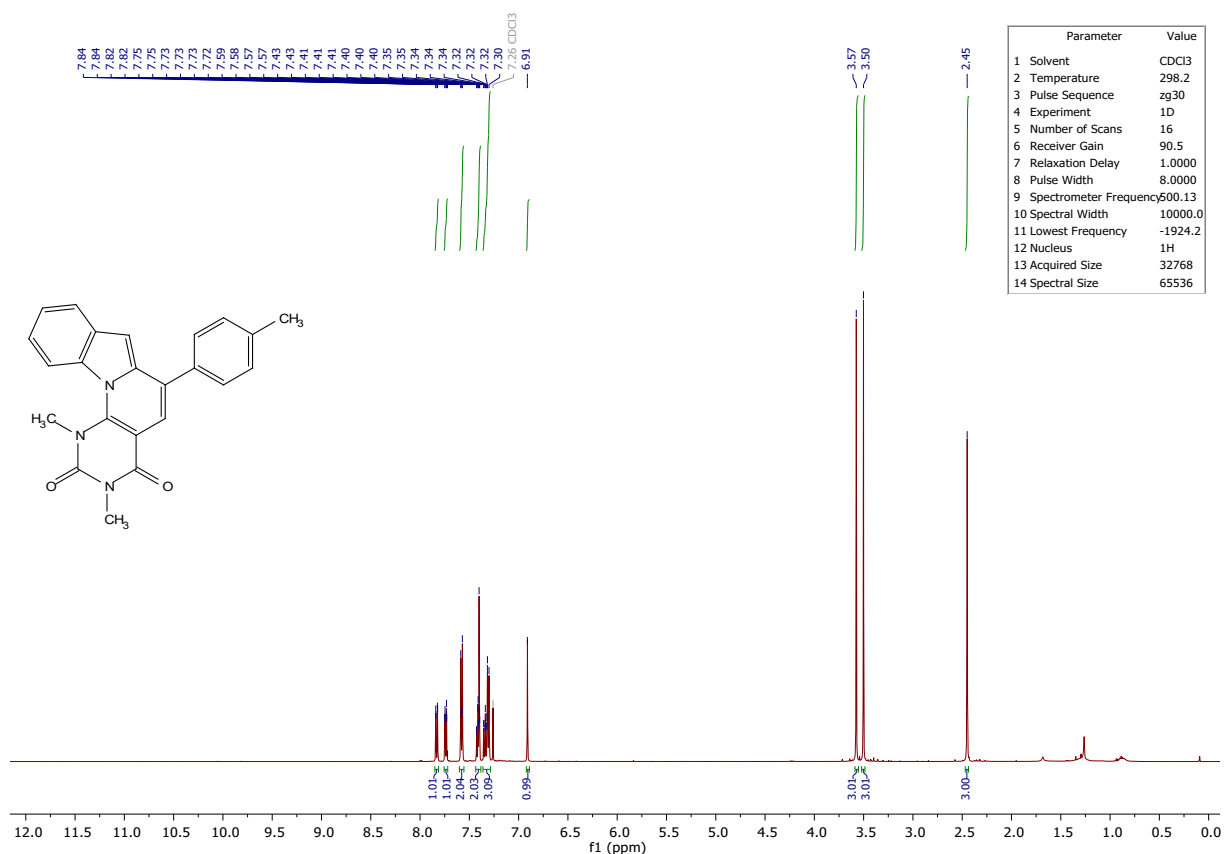
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4 Experiment	1D
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6 Receiver Gain	181.0
7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
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11 Lowest Frequency	-1246.4
12 Nucleus	¹ H
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



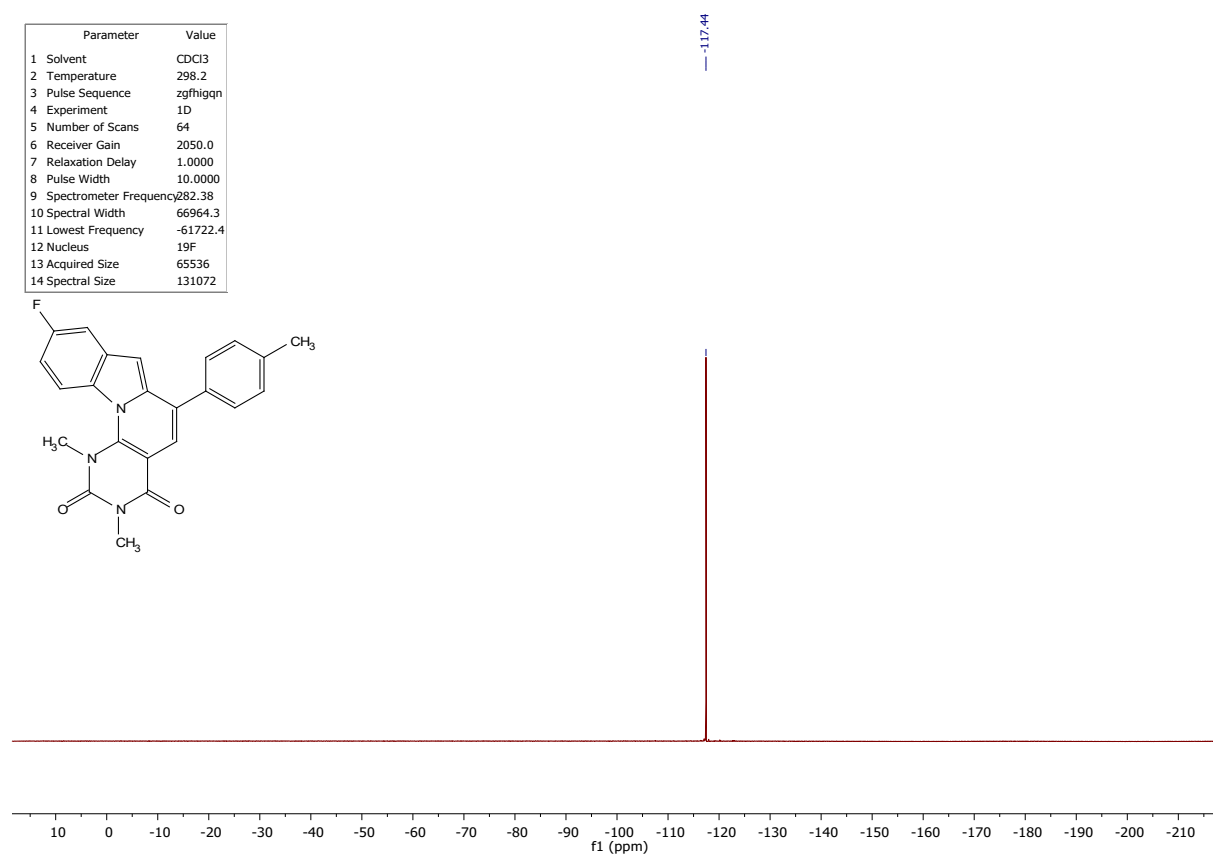
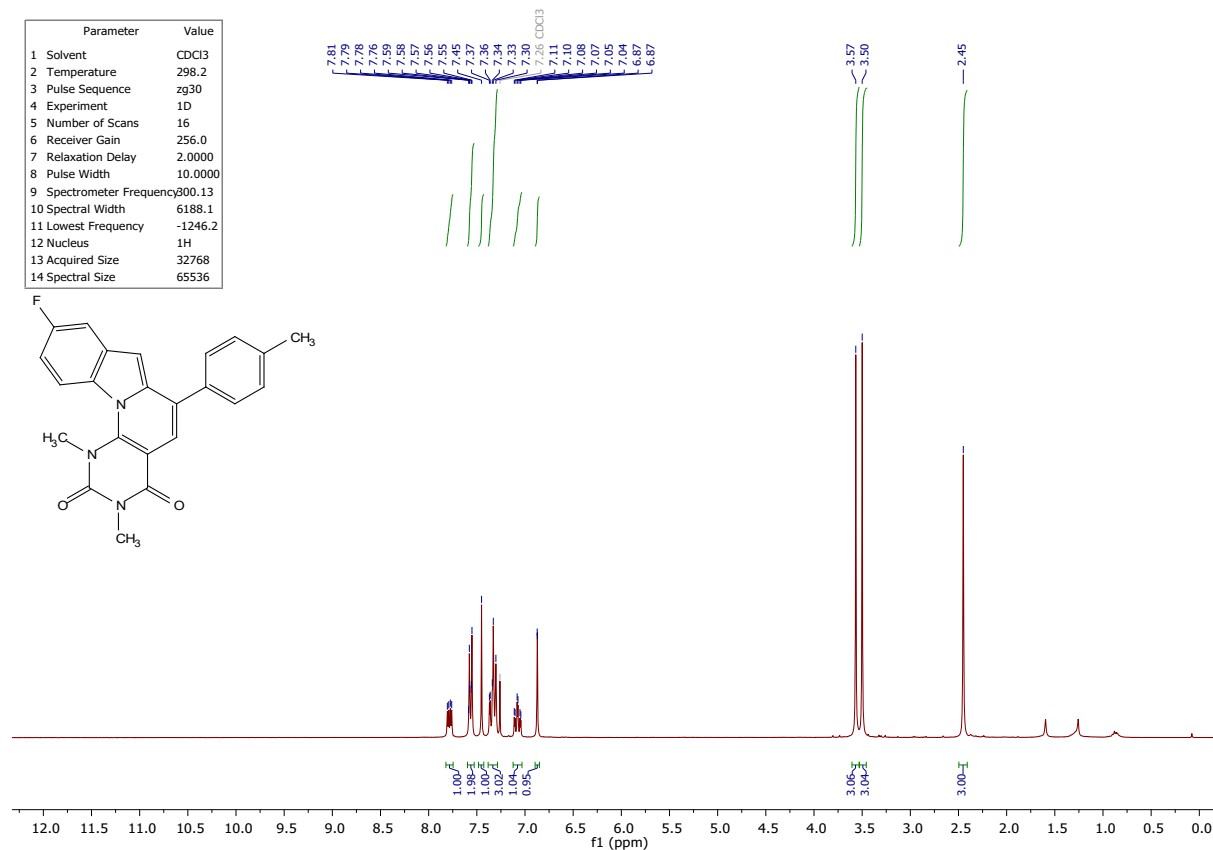
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8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	75.48
10 Spectral Width	18028.8
11 Lowest Frequency	-1459.5
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536



1,3-Dimethyl-6-(*p*-tolyl)pyrimido[5',4':5,6]pyrido[1,2-*a*]indole-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione (4g)



9-Fluoro-1,3-dimethyl-6-(p-tolyl)pyrimido[5',4':5,6]pyrido[1,2-a]indole-2,4(1H,3H)-dione (4h)



Parameter	Value
1 Solvent	CDCl3
2 Temperature	298.6
3 Pulse Sequence	zgpg30
4 Experiment	1D
5 Number of Scans	2048
6 Receiver Gain	2050.0
7 Relaxation Delay	2.0000
8 Pulse Width	10.0000
9 Spectrometer Frequency	75.48
10 Spectral Width	18028.8
11 Lowest Frequency	-1459.2
12 Nucleus	¹³ C
13 Acquired Size	32768
14 Spectral Size	65536

