

Supporting Information

Iron Catalysis Enables Mild C–Se Bond Formation via Decarboxylative Selenylation

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1 General Information.

^1H , ^{13}C , and ^{19}F NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl_3 on 400 MHz spectrometers. The chemical shifts of ^1H NMR spectra in CDCl_3 were determined based on the chemical shift of CDCl_3 ($\delta = 7.26$ ppm). The chemical shifts in ^{13}C NMR spectra were determined based on the chemical shift of CDCl_3 ($\delta = 77.0$ ppm). Multiplicities are given as s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), dd (doublet of doublet), td (triplet of doublet) or m (multiplet). Deuterated solvents were purchased from Cambridge Isotope Laboratories. HRMS spectra were measured using a Q-TOF instrument equipped with an ESI source. Unless otherwise noted, the chemicals are either commercially available or known compounds that can be prepared following reported procedures. All the solvents are anhydrous or analytical grade, and were used without further purification. Analytical TLC was performed with silica gel GF254 plates, and 200-300 mesh silica gel was employed for column chromatography.

The LED light (30 W, emitting area: 30×30 mm) was assembled using the 390-395 nm chips purchased from GuangHong Chips. The peak intensity of the LED light corresponds to a wavelength of 390-395 nm. The material used for the reaction vessel is standard borosilicate glass. The distance from the light source to the reaction vessel is 5 centimeters (**Figure S1**).

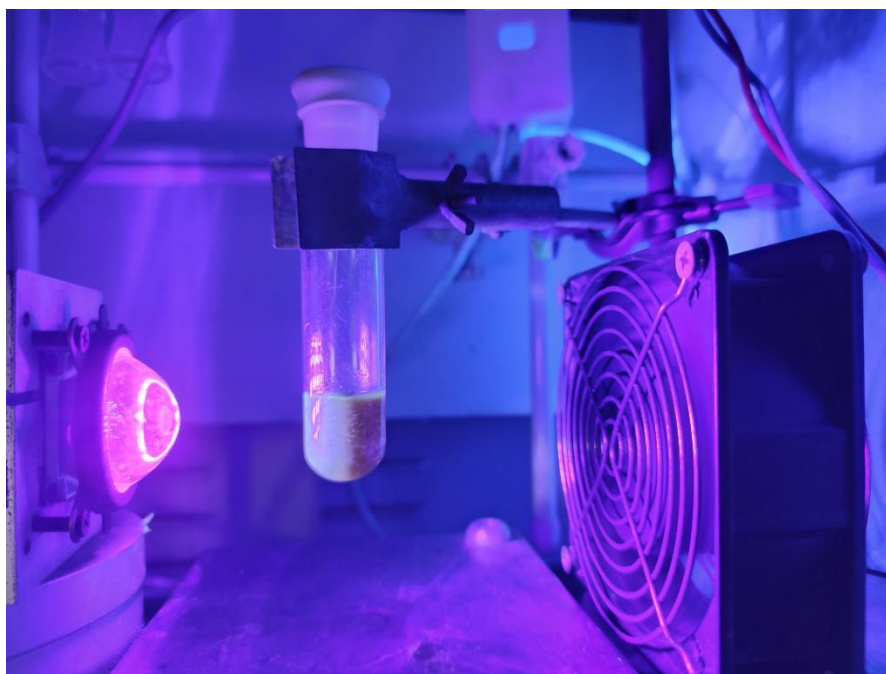
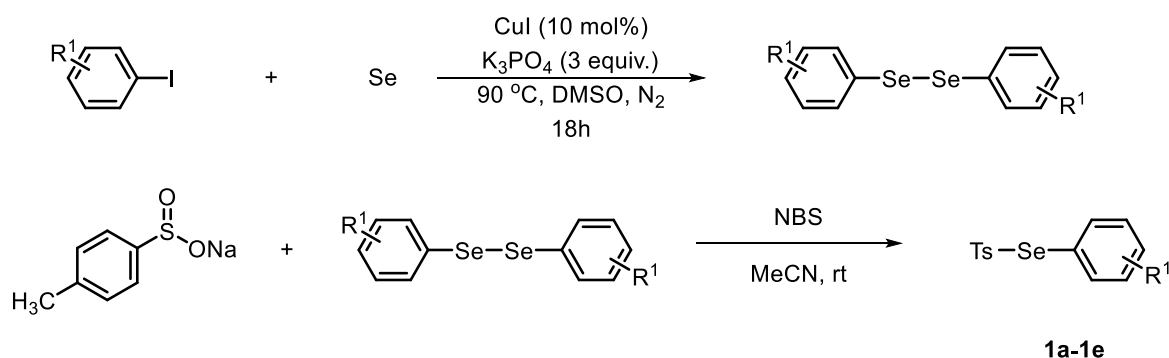


Figure S1. The setting-up reactions.

2 The Synthesis of Starting Materials.

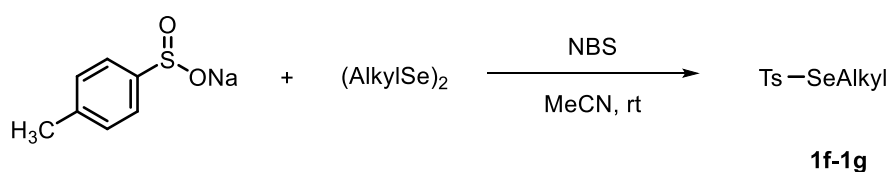
1. Preparation of aryl selenosulfonates (**1a-1e**).^[1]



Step 1: Iodobenzene (10 mmol, 1.12 mL), cuprous iodide (10 mol %, 0.18 g), potassium phosphate (3.0 equiv., 6.368 g), and selenium powder (30 mmol, 2.37 g) were weighed in a dry Schlenk reaction tube under argon atmosphere, pumped for three gas changes, and then dimethylsulfoxide (10 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 18 hours. At the end of the reaction, the reaction was quenched by slowly adding 30 mL of water dropwise and extracted with ethyl acetate (3×10 mL), the organic phases were combined and washed with saturated brine, partitioned and the organic layer was dried with anhydrous sodium sulfate. The organic layer was dried with anhydrous sodium sulfate. After filtration to remove the desiccant, the organic solvent was removed by spinning under reduced pressure, and the product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1:100).

Step 2: Sodium benzenesulfinate (8 mmol, 1.31 g) and diphenyl diselenide (2 mmol, 0.63 g) were dissolved in acetonitrile (30 mL) in a dry Schlenk reaction tube, and N-bromosuccinimide (NBS, 0.71 g) was added at 25 °C, followed by stirring at the same temperature for 15 hours. Upon completion of the reaction, the mixture was carefully quenched by dropwise addition of saturated ammonium chloride solution (30 mL). The aqueous layer was then extracted with ethyl acetate (3 × 50 mL), and the combined organic phases were washed with saturated brine. After phase separation, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. Following filtration to remove the drying agent, the solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure. The crude product (aryl selenosulfonates **1a-1e**) was purified by silica gel column chromatography using a gradient elution of ethyl acetate/petroleum ether (1:10 to 1:5, v/v).

2. Preparation of alkyl selenosulfonates (**1f-1g**).^[1]



A 50.0 mL round-bottomed flask was charged with the alkyl diselenide (1.0 equiv.) and sodium benzenesulfinate (4.0 equiv.), followed by the addition of acetonitrile (MeCN, 20.0 mL) to dissolve the solids. The flask was then cooled in an ice bath, and N-bromosuccinimide (NBS, 2.0 equiv.) was added portion wise. The reaction progress was monitored by TLC. After completion, the mixture was filtered to remove insoluble solids, and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was purified by column chromatography to afford the desired alkyl selenosulfonates (**1f–1g**).

3 General procedure.

General procedure A:

A reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), alkyl carboxylic acid **2** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (5 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and solvent. Under stirring, **L1** (10 mol%) was added via syringe. The reaction mixture was irradiated with a 395 nm LED lamp at room temperature for 12 h. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×5 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate gradient) to afford the desired product **3**.

General procedure B:

A reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), alkyl carboxylic acid **2** (0.5 mmol, 1 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (5 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and solvent. Under stirring, **L1** (10 mol%) was added via syringe. The reaction mixture was irradiated with a 395 nm LED lamp at room temperature for 12 h. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×5 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate gradient) to afford the desired product **3**.

General procedure for scaled up:

A 100 mL round flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1** (7.5 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), alkyl carboxylic acid **2a** (5 mmol, 1 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (5 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and DCE (50 mL). Under stirring, **L1** (10 mol%) was added via syringe. The reaction mixture was exposed to the reaction for 12 hours at room temperature, with two 395 nm LED lamps shining on both the left and right sides at a 5 cm distance. A fan was used to cool the reaction flask from above. Upon completion,

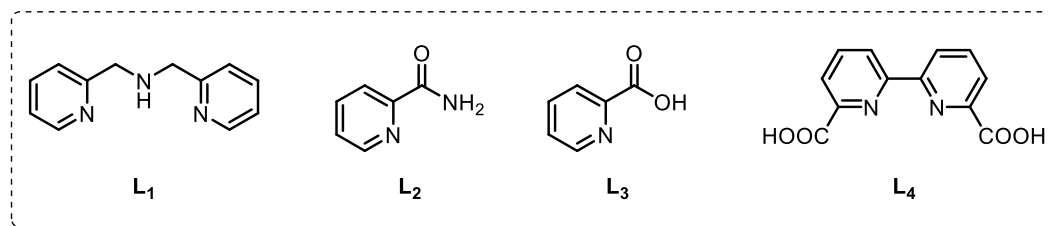
the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×20 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate gradient) to afford the desired product **3aa**.

4 Modification of the Typical Reaction Conditions.

Table S1. Optimization of the Reaction Conditions ^a

$ \begin{array}{c} \text{Ts-SePh} \quad + \quad \text{Bz-CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COOH} \\ \text{1a} \quad \quad \quad \text{2a} \\ 0.5 \text{ mmol} \quad \quad 0.75 \text{ mmol} \end{array} \xrightarrow[\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3 (1.0 \text{ equiv.})]{\text{FeCl}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O} (5 \text{ mol\%})} \begin{array}{c} \text{L}_1 (10 \text{ mol\%}) \\ 395 \text{ nm LEDs} \\ \text{DCE, rt, 12h} \end{array} \text{Bz-CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{SePh} $						
$ \begin{array}{c} \text{3aa} \\ 0.75 \text{ mmol} \end{array} $						
Entry	Catalyst (5 mol%)	Solvent (5 mL)	Time (h)	Base (1.0 equiv.)	Ligand (10 mol%)	Yield (%) ^b
1	Fe(NO ₃) ₃ ·9H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	69
2	Fe(acac) ₃	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	67
3	Fe(OTf) ₃	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	Trace
4	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	81
5	Fe(NO ₃) ₃ ·9H ₂ O	DCE	6	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	61
6	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE (3 mL)	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	59
7	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE (2 mL)	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	30
8	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	MeCN	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	51
9	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	THF	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	15
10	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	Acetone	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	27
11	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	MeNO ₂	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	33
12	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	26
13	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃ (0.2 equiv.)	L ₁	16
14	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃ (0.5 equiv.)	L ₁	64
15	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃ (2.0 equiv.)	L ₁	26
16	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	61
17	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	64
18	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	59
19	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	59
20	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	Trace
21	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₂	39
22	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₃	79

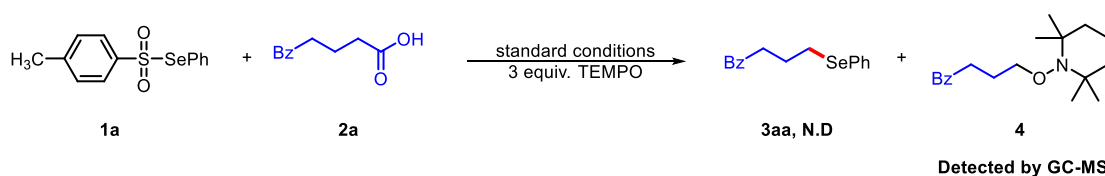
23	FeCl ₃ ·6H ₂ O	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₄	80
24	-	DCE	12	Na ₂ CO ₃	L ₁	nd



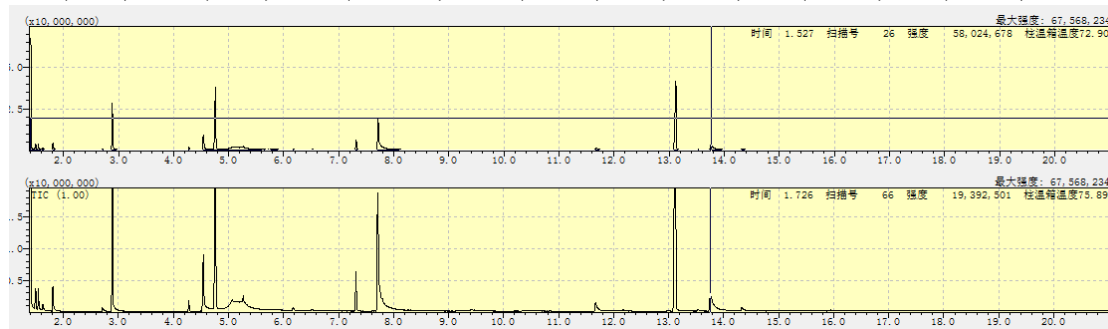
^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.5 mmol), **2a** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (0.025 mmol, 5 mol%), L₁ (0.05 mmol, 10 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), DCE (5 mL), 395 nm LEDs, rt, 12 h. ^b Isolated yield.

5 Mechanistic Studies.

5.1 Trapping experiment with TEMPO.



A reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1a** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2a** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (5 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and DCE (5 mL). Under stirring, L₁ (10 mol%) was added via syringe. Then TEMPO (3 equiv., 1.5 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was irradiated with a 395 nm LED lamp at room temperature for 12 h. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×5 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo, and the crude residue was detected by GC-MS. The TEMPO-trapped product **4** was detected by GC-MS, and the spectrum is shown below (**Figure S2**). MS(EI): m/z(%) 304(2.67), 303(0.28), 184(3.81), 181(2.04), 157(5.02), 156(1.08), 147(100.00), 105(88.18), 91(10.42), 77(60.25), 51(14.55).



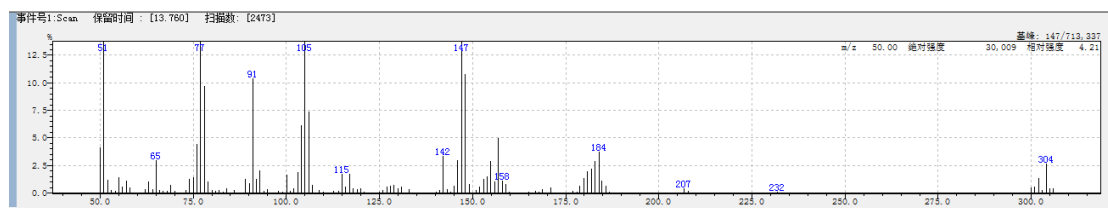
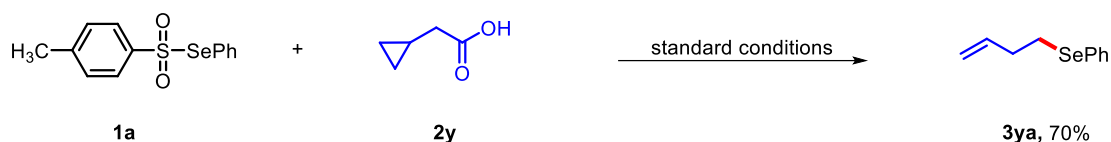


Figure S2. GC-MS of product 4.

5.2 Radical clock experiment.



A reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1a** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), **2y** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), $\text{FeCl}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (5 mol%), Na_2CO_3 (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and solvent. Under stirring, **L1** (10 mol%) was added via syringe. The reaction mixture was irradiated with a 395 nm LED lamp at room temperature for 12 h. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×5 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate gradient) to afford the desired product **3ya** with 70% isolated yield.

5.3 Absorption measurements.

The UV-Vis absorption measurements were carried out on Beijing PuSai TU1901 UV-Vis spectrophotometer (200 nm – 900 nm).

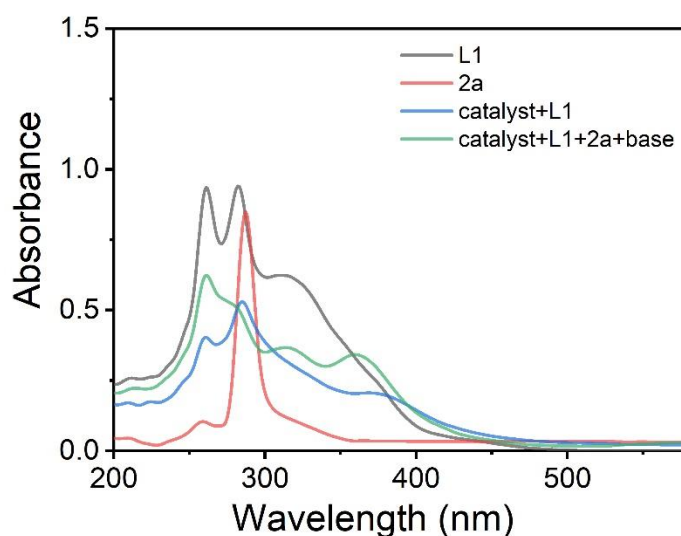


Fig S3. UV-Vis absorption spectra

A: The UV-Vis absorption of L1 and 2a were measured in a DCE solution (4.0×10^{-5} M).

B: The catalyst (0.1 mmol) and ligand L1 (0.1 mmol) were dissolved in DCE (10 mL), and stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. Then, 100 μ L of the solution was taken with a micro-syringe, diluted that with DCE to 2 mL, and proceed the measurement.

C: The catalyst (0.1 mmol), ligand L1 (0.1 mmol) and carboxylic acid (2a, 0.1 mmol) were dissolved in DCE (10 mL), then Na_2CO_3 (0.1 mmol) was added to this solution, the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours, then 100 μ L of the solution was taken with a micro-syringe, diluted with DCE to 2 mL, and proceed the measurement.

5.4 Determination of quantum yield.

The quantum yield measurement was performed according to the procedures described by Yoon,^[2] Ritter,^[3] Aleman^[4] and Glorious.^[5]

(1) Solution Preparation

Potassium ferrioxalate solution (0.012 M): 59.0 mg of $\text{K}_3[\text{Fe}(\text{C}_2\text{O}_4)] \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ and 28 μ L of H_2SO_4 were added into a 10 mL brown volumetric flask and filled to the mark with ultra-pure water.

1,10-Phenanthroline solution (0.01 M): 29.0 mg of 1,10-phenanthroline monohydrate was added into a 10 mL brown volumetric flask and filled to the mark with ultra-pure water.

NaOAc and HOAc buffer solution: 1.235 g of NaOAc and 250 μ L of H_2SO_4 were added into a 25 mL volumetric flask and filled to the mark with ultra-pure water.

All solutions were prepared and stored in the dark.

(2) Determination of the Light Intensity at 395 nm

2.0 mL of 0.012 M Potassium ferrioxalate solution was added into the reaction vial, and irradiated with 30 W 395 nm LEDs for 90 seconds. After that, 0.1 mL of this solution was taken as an aliquot. To each aliquot, 2.0 mL of the buffer solution and 0.5 mL of the 1,10-phenanthroline solution were added with a syringe, and the mixture was stirred in the dark for 1 h. The mixture was then diluted in a 10 mL brown volumetric flask with ultra-pure water. The absorbance of the resulting solution in a quartz cuvette (1×1 cm) was measured with a UV-Vis spectrometer (scanned from 200 nm - 800 nm). A non-irradiated sample was also prepared in the same manner, and the absorbance was

measured. The amount of ferrous ion formed was calculated as following:

$$\text{mol of Fe}^{2+} = \frac{V1 \times V3 \times \Delta A}{V2 \times l \times \epsilon} = \frac{0.002\text{L} \times 0.002\text{L} \times 0.045}{3 \times 10^{-6} \text{L} \times 1 \text{ cm} \times 11100 \text{L/mol/cm}} = 5.41 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}$$

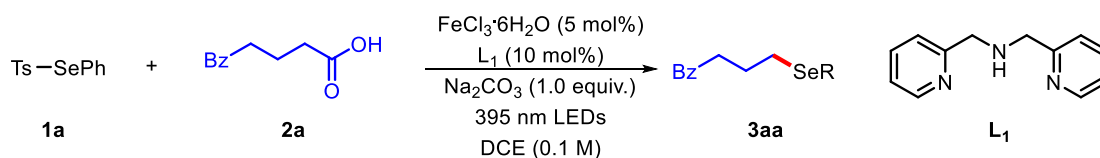
where V1 is the irradiated volume (0.002 L), V2 is the irradiated volume (3×10^{-6} L), V3 is the irradiated volume (0.002 L), ΔA is the difference in absorbance at 395 nm between the irradiated and non-irradiated samples, l is the path length (1.00 cm), and ϵ is the molar absorptivity at 510 nm (11,100 L/mol·cm).

$$\text{photon flux} = \frac{\text{mol of Fe}^{2+}}{\Phi \times t \times f} = \frac{5.41 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}}{1.12 \times 90 \text{ s} \times f} = 3.38 \times 10^{-7} \text{ einstein/s}$$

where Φ is the quantum yield for the ferrioxalate actinometer (approximated as 1.12, which was reported for a 0.01 M solution at $\lambda = 458$ nm), t is the time (90.0 s), and f is the fraction of light absorbed at 395 nm. The fraction of light absorbed was determined by the equation below.

$$f = 1 - 10^{-A} = 1 - 10^{-0.075} = 0.1586$$

(3) Determination of Quantum Yield



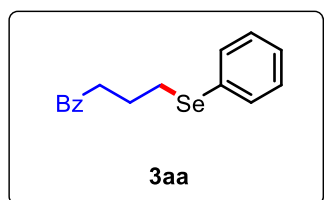
A reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **1** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), alkyl carboxylic acid **2** (0.75 mmol, 1.5 equiv.), FeCl₃·6H₂O (5 mol%), Na₂CO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and DCE (5 mL). Under stirring, L₁ (10 mol%) was added via syringe. The mixture was irradiated with a 395 nm LED lamp at room temperature and stirred for 1800 second. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite and washed with ethyl acetate (3×5 mL). The combined filtrates were concentrated in vacuo. The yield of the product **3aa** was determined to be 31% (corresponding to 1.594×10^{-4} mol) by ¹H NMR based on a TCE (tetrachloroethane) internal standard. A 5×10^{-3} M solution of {[Fe(L)]} in DCE was prepared, and the absorbance of the solution at 395 nm was measured. The fraction of light absorbed at 395 nm was calculated as described above (f = 0.33).

The quantum yield was calculated as follows:

$$\Phi = \frac{\text{mol of 3aa}}{\text{photon flux} \times t \times f} = \frac{1.594 \times 10^{-4}}{3.38 \times 10^{-7} \times 1800 \times 0.33} = 0.797$$

6 Physical data for the products.

1. 1-phenyl-4-(phenylselanyl)butan-1-one^[6]



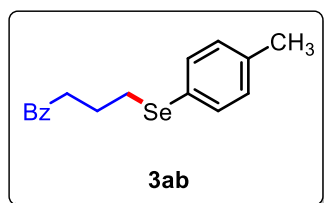
A light yellow oil, 122.8 mg, 81%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.94 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.54 (td, J = 5.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (dt, J = 7.5, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (dd, J = 8.4, 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (ddt, J = 6.9, 5.0, 1.8 Hz, 3H), 3.10 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.01 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.14 (p, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.19, 136.73, 132.91, 132.45, 129.92, 128.97, 128.45, 127.88, 126.72, 37.92, 27.28, 24.35.

MS(EI): *m/z*(%) 304(15.71), 302(8.81), 184(30.0), 171(4.32), 159(6.36), 148(99.84), 146(19.50), 131(2.11), 128(3.03), 77(99.93), 51(93.28).

2. 1-phenyl-4-(*p*-tolylselanyl)butan-1-one



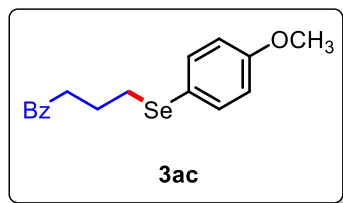
A light yellow oil, 106.3 mg, 67%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.96 – 7.87 (m, 2H), 7.54 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (dd, J = 15.0, 7.6 Hz, 4H), 7.05 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.10 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.97 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.11 (p, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.30, 136.85, 136.73, 133.09, 132.93, 129.82, 128.46, 127.92, 125.89, 37.90, 27.68, 24.35, 20.99.

HRMS-ESI (*m/z*) [*M* + *H*]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₁₉OSe: 319.0523, found: 319.2996.

3. 4-((4-methoxyphenyl)selanyl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one



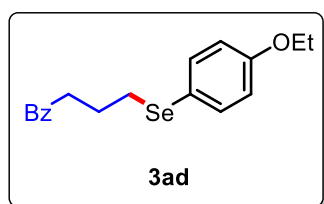
A light yellow oil, 100.0 mg, 60%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.96 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.58 – 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 6.85 – 6.74 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.11 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.93 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.10 (p, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.43, 159.24, 136.80, 135.57, 133.00, 128.52, 127.98, 119.53, 114.75, 55.21, 37.94, 28.50, 24.39.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₁₉O₂Se: 335.0388, found: 333.0392.

4. 4-((4-ethoxyphenyl)selanyl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one



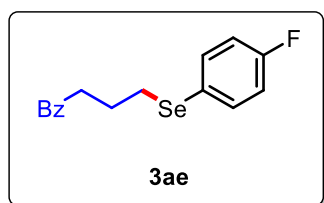
A light yellow oil, 78.1 mg, 45%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.95 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.59 – 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.47 (s, 2H), 7.45 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 6.82 – 6.76 (m, 2H), 4.00 (q, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 3.11 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.92 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.09 (p, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.40 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.48, 158.63, 136.83, 135.60, 133.01, 128.54, 128.00, 119.33, 115.29, 63.42, 37.96, 28.53, 24.40, 14.77.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₁O₂Se: 349.0544, found: 349.0555.

5. 4-((4-fluorophenyl)selanyl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one^[6]



A colorless oil, 83.5 mg, 52%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

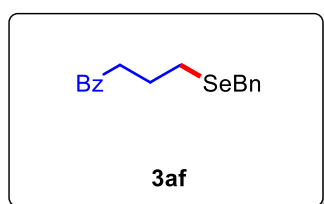
¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.96 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.53 (m, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m, 4H), 6.95 (t, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 3.12 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.97 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.11 (p, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.24, 163.51, 161.06, 136.75, 135.24 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 133.08, 128.57, 127.96, 124.13 (d, J = 3.5 Hz), 116.33, 116.12, 37.88, 28.23, 24.32.

¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ -114.81 (m, J = 28.3 Hz).

MS(EI): m/z (%) 322(3.40), 202(5.24), 175(8.03), 155(1.14), 147(99.75), 122(6.00), 105(100.00), 95(5.01), 83(8.45), 77(76.57), 51(16.14).

6. 4-(benzylselanyl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one^[6]



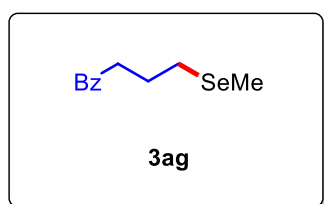
A white solid, 103.1 mg, 65%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1), M.P.: 68.6.0-68.9 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.97 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.56 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.33 – 7.23 (m, 4H), 7.19 (tt, J = 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 2H), 3.05 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.59 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.06 (p, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.41, 139.31, 136.80, 132.99, 128.77, 128.52, 128.44, 127.99, 126.62, 38.16, 26.89, 24.29, 23.50.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 318(20.72), 227(12.31), 198(11.17), 171(5.67), 147(99.81), 117(25.10), 105(99.82), 91(99.89), 77(100.00), 65(67.99), 51(51.79).

7. 4-(methylselanyl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one^[6]



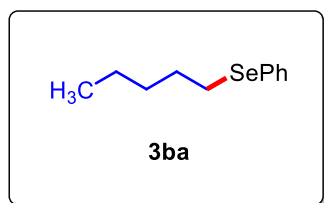
A colorless oil, 98.9 mg, 82%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 8.02 – 7.92 (m, 2H), 7.59 – 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.45 (dd, J = 8.4, 6.9 Hz, 2H), 3.11 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.63 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.10 (p, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.98 (s, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 199.42, 136.80, 132.95, 128.50, 127.92, 38.00, 24.84, 24.01, 3.86.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 242(27.43), 240(12.58), 147(99.86), 133(6.83), 120(96.09), 106(99.85), 93(18.67), 77(100.00), 65(8.19), 55(13.38), 51(97.98).

8. pentyl(phenyl)selane^[7]



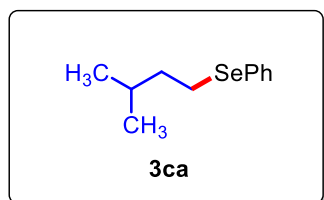
A light yellow oil, 51.1 mg, 49%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.48 (dd, J = 7.7, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 3H), 2.91 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.71 (p, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.41 – 1.34 (m, 2H), 1.32 – 1.25 (m, 2H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 132.29, 130.66, 128.95, 126.54, 31.99, 29.81, 27.87, 22.15, 13.96.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 228(83.70), 224(16.08), 171(4.14), 158(100.00), 115(3.87), 105(3.80), 91(32.47), 78(80.69), 71(11.97), 65(9.64), 51(30.16).

9. isopentyl(phenyl)selane



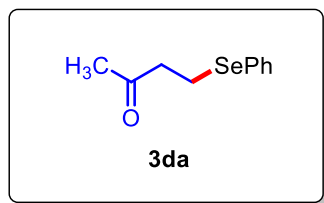
A light yellow oil, 73.8 mg, 65%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.51 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.24 (q, J = 7.7, 7.0 Hz, 3H), 2.98 – 2.87 (m, 2H), 1.68 (dp, J = 13.0, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.62 – 1.55 (m, 2H), 0.90 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 132.23, 130.63, 128.95, 126.54, 39.07, 28.36, 25.83, 22.15.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [$\text{M} + \text{H}$] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{17}\text{Se}$: 229.0344, found: 229.0336.

10. 4-(phenylselanyl)butan-2-one^[8]



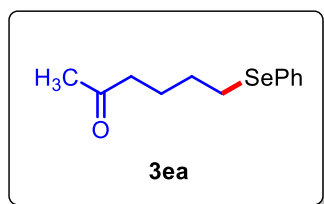
A light yellow oil, 42.0 mg, 37%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.52 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.26 (dd, J = 5.2, 2.1 Hz, 3H), 3.06 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.85 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 207.10, 132.80, 129.61, 129.10, 127.08, 44.05, 29.99, 20.41.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 228(99.45), 183(32.91), 155(63.44), 117(11.64), 105(17.19), 91(24.79), 77(90.65), 71(65.98), 65(13.80), 63(4.89), 51(60.53).

11. 6-(phenylselanyl)hexan-2-one



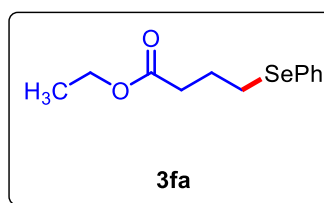
A light yellow oil, 104.6 mg, 82%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.48 (dd, J = 7.3, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (q, J = 6.1, 5.6 Hz, 3H), 2.95 – 2.83 (m, 2H), 2.46 – 2.36 (m, 2H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.69 (p, J = 3.5 Hz, 4H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 208.52, 132.42, 130.18, 128.95, 126.68, 42.92, 29.80, 29.49, 27.35, 23.75.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [$M + H$]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₇OSe: 257.0439, found: 257.0442.

12. ethyl 4-(phenylselanyl)butanoate^[9]



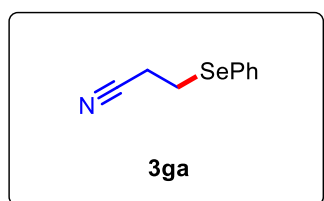
A light yellow oil, 118.0 mg, 87%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.48 (dd, J = 7.5, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.20 (m, 3H), 4.10 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.93 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.00 (q, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 1.23 (td, J = 7.2, 1.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 172.75, 132.49, 129.77, 128.94, 126.75, 60.25, 33.81, 26.83, 25.19, 14.10.

MS(EI): m/z(%) 272(45.68), 227(37.94), 181(8.71), 157(58.11), 115(100.00), 91(58.65), 87(99.97), 77(79.49), 69(22.91), 65(18.15), 51(59.83).

13. 3-(phenylselanyl)propanenitrile^[8]



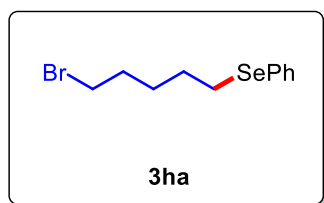
A light yellow oil, 67.2 mg, 64%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1-2:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.59 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.32 (dd, J = 5.4, 1.8 Hz, 3H), 3.04 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 2.67 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 134.12, 129.45, 128.20, 127.43, 118.59, 21.70, 18.93.

MS(EI): m/z(%) 211(89.24), 207(16.93), 169(49.26), 157(82.09), 130(7.10), 117(15.32), 103(6.33), 91(100.00), 77(98.75), 65(18.10), 51(82.22).

14. (5-bromopentyl)(phenyl)selane



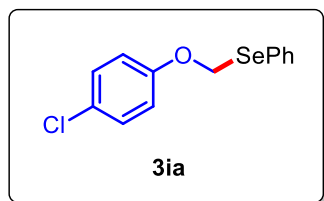
A light yellow oil, 133.2 mg, 87%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.41 (dd, J = 7.4, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 7.22 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 3.30 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.83 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 1.77 (p, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.64 (p, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.47 (dd, J = 10.6, 4.9 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 132.49, 130.20, 128.98, 126.72, 33.51, 32.12, 29.21, 28.24, 27.46.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₁H₁₆BrSe: 306.9516, found: 306.9551.

15. ((4-chlorophenoxy)methyl)(phenyl)selane



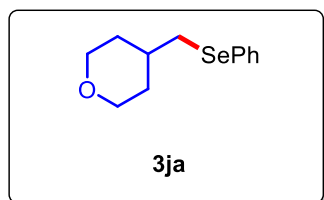
A light yellow oil, 119.1 mg, 80%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.47 (dd, J = 6.5, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (dd, J = 5.0, 2.0 Hz, 3H), 7.15 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 6.76 – 6.69 (m, 2H), 5.51 (s, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 155.16, 133.30, 129.66, 129.34, 129.14, 127.64, 126.93, 117.21, 67.95.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₂ClOSe: 298.9580, found: 298.9545.

16. 4-((phenylselenanyl)methyl)tetrahydro-2H-pyran



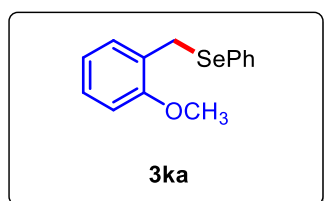
A light yellow oil, 114.9 mg, 90%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.53 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.30 – 7.19 (m, 3H), 4.00 – 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.32 (td, J = 11.8, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 2.84 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.78 (dd, J = 3.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.67 (m, 2H), 1.38 – 1.26 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 132.29, 130.54, 128.98, 126.65, 67.72, 35.60, 34.98, 33.20.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₇OSe: 257.0439, found: 257.0440.

17. (2-methoxybenzyl)(phenyl)selane^[10]



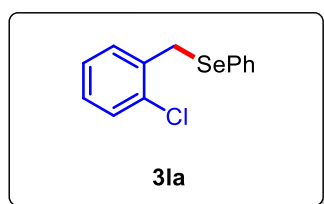
A colorless oil, 106.7 mg, 77%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.47 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.15 (td, J = 4.1, 1.8 Hz, 3H), 7.10 (td, J = 7.8, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (dd, J = 7.4, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 6.81 – 6.68 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 2H), 3.71 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 157.04, 133.70, 130.95, 130.07, 128.75, 128.23, 127.27, 127.04, 120.22, 110.48, 55.33, 26.87.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 278(16.18), 251(2.85), 192(1.28), 157(20.02), 121(40.64), 112(1.50), 105(8.72), 91(52.10), 77(35.77), 65(15.76), 51(30.42).

18. (2-chlorobenzyl)(phenyl)selane^[10-11]



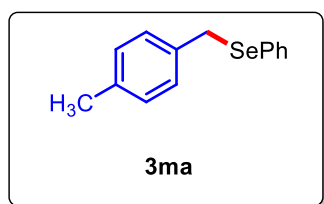
A colorless oil, 101.4 mg, 72%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.47 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.31 (dd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (dd, J = 8.8, 6.8 Hz, 3H), 7.09 (td, J = 7.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (td, J = 7.4, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (dd, J = 7.5, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (s, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 136.48, 134.29, 133.67, 130.49, 129.65, 129.56, 128.85, 128.15, 127.53, 126.49, 29.90.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 282(9.10), 207(88.51), 147(19.45), 142(100.00), 133(14.98), 100(50.05), 91(11.71), 79(12.92), 77(29.02), 57(32.52), 55(13.13).

19. (4-methylbenzyl)(phenyl)selane^{[7][10][12]}



A colorless oil, 78.4 mg, 60%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

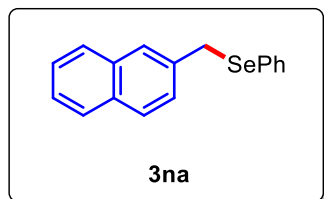
¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.37 (ddd, J = 6.5, 3.1, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 7.18 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 7.02 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.96 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 4.00 (s, 2H), 2.22 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 136.47, 135.39, 133.26, 130.66, 129.09, 128.92, 128.66, 127.11, 31.92, 21.08.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 262(66.68), 179(2.18), 165(9.38), 157(51.58), 129(2.45), 117(8.35),

105(99.87), 91(10.60), 77(100.00), 65(19.72), 51(58.98).

20. (naphthalen-2-ylmethyl)(phenyl)selane^[13]



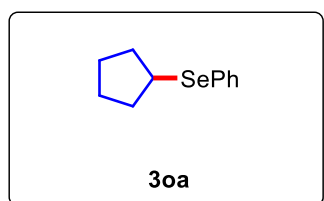
A yellow solid, 133.8 mg, 90%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1), M.P.: 33.0-35.0 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.75 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.54 (m, 1H), 7.41 (s, 1H), 7.39 – 7.22 (m, 5H), 7.19 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 4.13 (s, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 135.93, 133.63, 133.19, 132.30, 130.74, 130.28, 129.58, 128.93, 128.18, 127.57, 127.55, 127.32, 127.16, 127.12, 126.03, 125.64, 32.61.

MS(EI): m/z(%) 298(3.44), 207(8.25), 142(17.99), 141(100.00), 139(9.02), 115(20.57), 91(2.74), 89(2.74), 78(2.89), 77(4.85), 51(3.46).

21. cyclopentyl(phenyl)selane^[14]



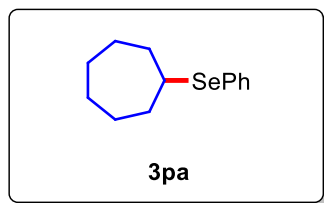
A pale yellow oil, 83.3 mg, 74%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.57 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.24 (dd, J = 5.1, 2.0 Hz, 3H), 3.63 (p, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.13 – 2.00 (m, 2H), 1.71 (dddq, J = 25.3, 12.5, 6.1, 3.1, 2.1 Hz, 4H), 1.58 (dt, J = 8.1, 5.9 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 133.43, 131.00, 128.83, 126.78, 41.75, 33.99, 24.81.

MS(EI): m/z(%) 226(68.16), 156(99.61), 117(13.34), 104(6.15), 91(10.02), 78(100.00), 69(61.16), 65(20.98), 63(5.31), 53(12.14), 51(55.04).

22. cycloheptyl(phenyl)selane^[15]



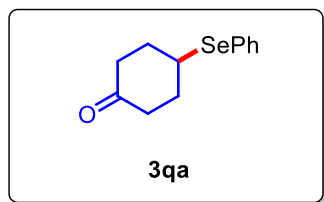
A pale yellow oil, 121.6 mg, 96%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.44 (dd, J = 6.6, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 3.35 (tt, J = 9.2, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 1.99 (ddt, J = 14.0, 7.0, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 1.60 (dddd, J = 12.3, 9.0, 5.6, 3.1 Hz, 4H), 1.46 (dt, J = 8.1, 4.7 Hz, 4H), 1.34 (qd, J = 9.6, 6.0 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 134.15, 130.48, 128.83, 127.00, 44.88, 35.46, 28.02, 26.66.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 254(61.64), 183(1.39), 155(64.62), 117(11.98), 104(4.45), 97(97.69), 91(15.55), 77(78.70), 69(27.89), 55(100.00), 51(48.81).

23. 4-(phenylselanyl)cyclohexan-1-one



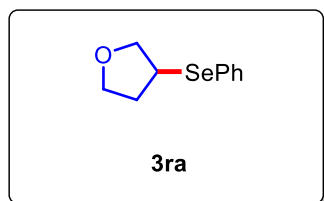
A pale yellow oil, 113.9 mg, 90%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1-20:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.51 (dd, J = 7.3, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.14 (m, 3H), 3.54 (tt, J = 8.5, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.45 (dt, J = 13.5, 5.5 Hz, 2H), 2.27 (dt, J = 10.3, 5.3 Hz, 2H), 2.23 – 2.15 (m, 2H), 1.90 (dtd, J = 14.4, 9.4, 8.7, 4.4 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 209.92, 135.12, 129.06, 128.11, 127.90, 40.51, 39.62, 33.05.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [$M + H$]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₅OSe: 255.0282, found: 255.0285.

24. 3-(phenylselanyl)tetrahydrofuran



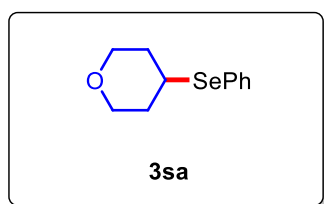
A pale yellow oil, 96.6 mg, 85%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.54 (dd, J = 6.6, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.23 (m, 3H), 4.14 – 4.06 (m, 1H), 3.89 (td, J = 8.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (td, J = 7.9, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.77 – 3.70 (m, 2H), 2.32 (dq, J = 14.0, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (ddt, J = 13.4, 7.6, 5.8 Hz, 1H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 133.92, 129.24, 129.02, 127.45, 73.87, 67.48, 38.80, 33.31.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [$M + H$] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{13}\text{OSe}$: 228.9980, found: 228.9973.

25. 4-(phenylselanyl)tetrahydro-2H-pyran^[14]



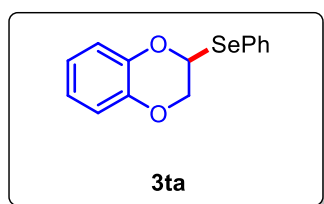
A pale yellow oil, 100.0 mg, 83%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.56 (dd, J = 7.2, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 7.33 – 7.23 (m, 3H), 3.92 (dt, J = 11.7, 3.8 Hz, 2H), 3.46 – 3.33 (m, 3H), 1.94 (dd, J = 13.4, 3.6 Hz, 2H), 1.79 (dtd, J = 14.4, 10.7, 4.2 Hz, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 135.20, 128.92, 127.91, 127.68, 67.97, 38.65, 33.91.

MS(EI): m/z (%) 242(97.27), 158(66.23), 129(6.26), 115(10.54), 104(7.49), 91(15.94), 85(85.14), 77(87.91), 65(15.99), 55(100.00), 51(70.37).

26. 2-(phenylselanyl)-2,3-dihydrobenzo[*b*][1,4]dioxine



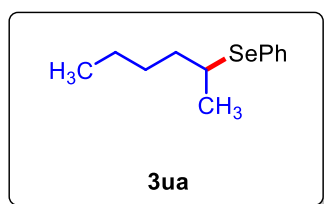
A pale yellow oil, 138.3 mg, 95%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.67 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.34 – 7.25 (m, 3H), 6.94 – 6.87 (m, 4H), 5.90 (dd, J = 3.5, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (dd, J = 11.5, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd, J = 11.6, 3.5 Hz, 1H).

^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 142.81, 141.28, 134.84, 129.13, 128.19, 127.67, 122.35, 122.00, 118.01, 117.28, 76.80, 68.06.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [$M + H$] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_2\text{Se}$: 293.0075, found: 293.0080.

27. hexan-2-yl(phenyl)selane



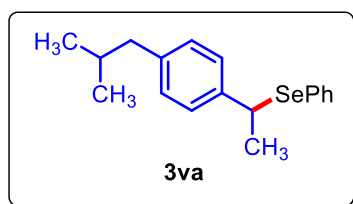
A colorless oil, 88.1 mg, 73%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.54 (dd, J = 6.5, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (p, J = 3.4, 3.0 Hz, 3H), 3.28 (h, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.67 (dtd, J = 14.3, 8.0, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.56 (ddd, J = 15.3, 13.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.40 (dd, J = 10.0, 7.0 Hz, 5H), 1.29 (h, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 134.80, 129.45, 128.79, 127.20, 39.73, 37.18, 29.96, 22.44, 22.12, 13.98.

HRMS-ESI (m/z) [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₉Se: 243.0501, found: 243.0496.

28. (1-(4-isobutylphenyl)ethyl)(phenyl)selane^[14]



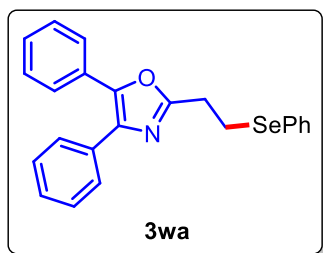
A colorless oil, 100.0 mg, 63%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

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¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 140.63, 140.39, 135.49, 129.94, 128.99, 128.71, 127.69, 126.93, 45.02, 42.34, 30.19, 22.34, 22.32, 22.13.

MS(EI): m/z(%) 318(4.40), 161(100.00), 155(16.64), 145(8.50), 131(7.85), 119(99.28), 105(48.89), 91(82.10), 77(45.77), 65(12.76), 51(17.42).

29. 4,5-diphenyl-2-(2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl)oxazole



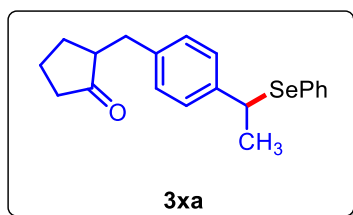
A pale yellow oil, 103.1 mg, 51%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1-10:1).

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¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 161.87, 145.28, 135.08, 133.39, 132.36, 129.10, 129.00, 128.86, 128.55, 128.50, 128.38, 128.01, 127.85, 127.29, 126.39, 29.63, 23.85.

HRMS-ESI (*m/z*) [*M* + *H*]⁺ calcd for C₂₉H₂₀NOSe: 406.0632, found: 406.0705.

30. 2-(4-(1-(phenylselanyl)ethyl)benzyl)cyclopentan-1-one^[14]



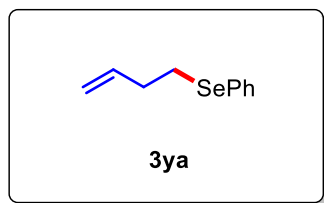
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¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 220.25, 141.30, 138.61, 135.42, 129.85, 128.78, 128.72, 127.72, 127.24, 50.92, 42.16, 42.13, 38.20, 35.14, 29.05, 22.10, 20.52.

MS(EI): *m/z*(%) 358(5.09), 201(50.37), 157(16.64), 145(6.50), 131(1.85), 115(1.28), 102(3.09), 91(21.10), 77(45.23), 61(2.29), 51(37.75).

31. but-3-en-1-yl(phenyl)selane



A pale yellow oil, 73.9 mg, 70%, purification by flash column chromatography (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 200:1-100:1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 7.56 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.31 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 5.83 (ddt, J = 16.9, 10.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.05 (t, J = 13.4 Hz, 2H), 2.95 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.45 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*): δ 137.14, 132.62, 130.16, 128.98, 126.76, 115.90, 34.23, 26.68.

HRMS-ESI (*m/z*) [*M* + *H*]⁺ calcd for C₁₀H₁₃Se: 213.0098, found: 213.0131.

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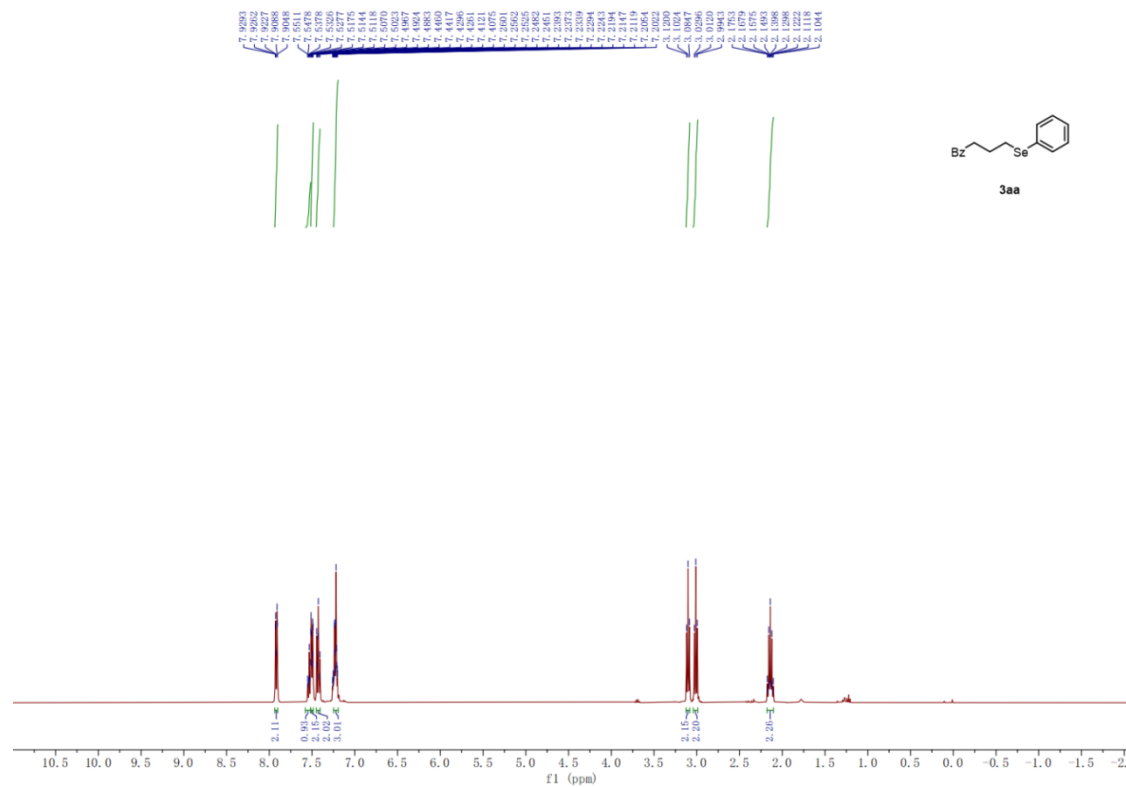
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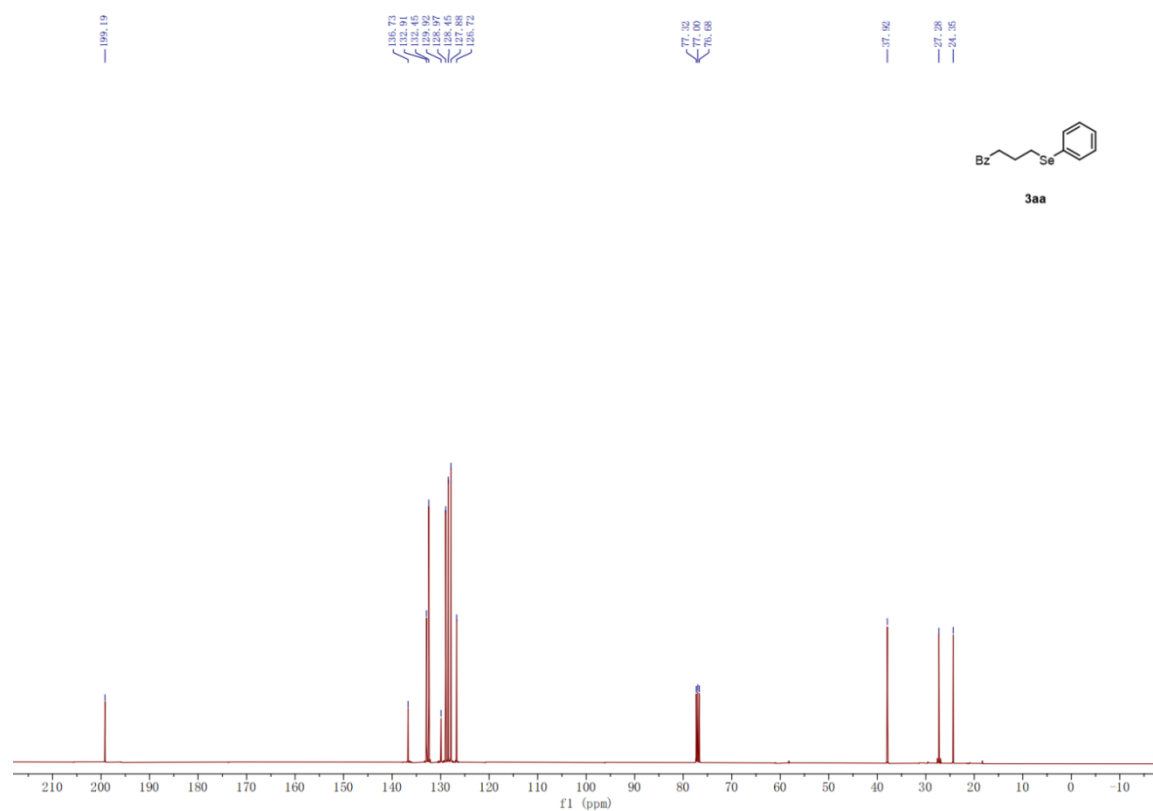
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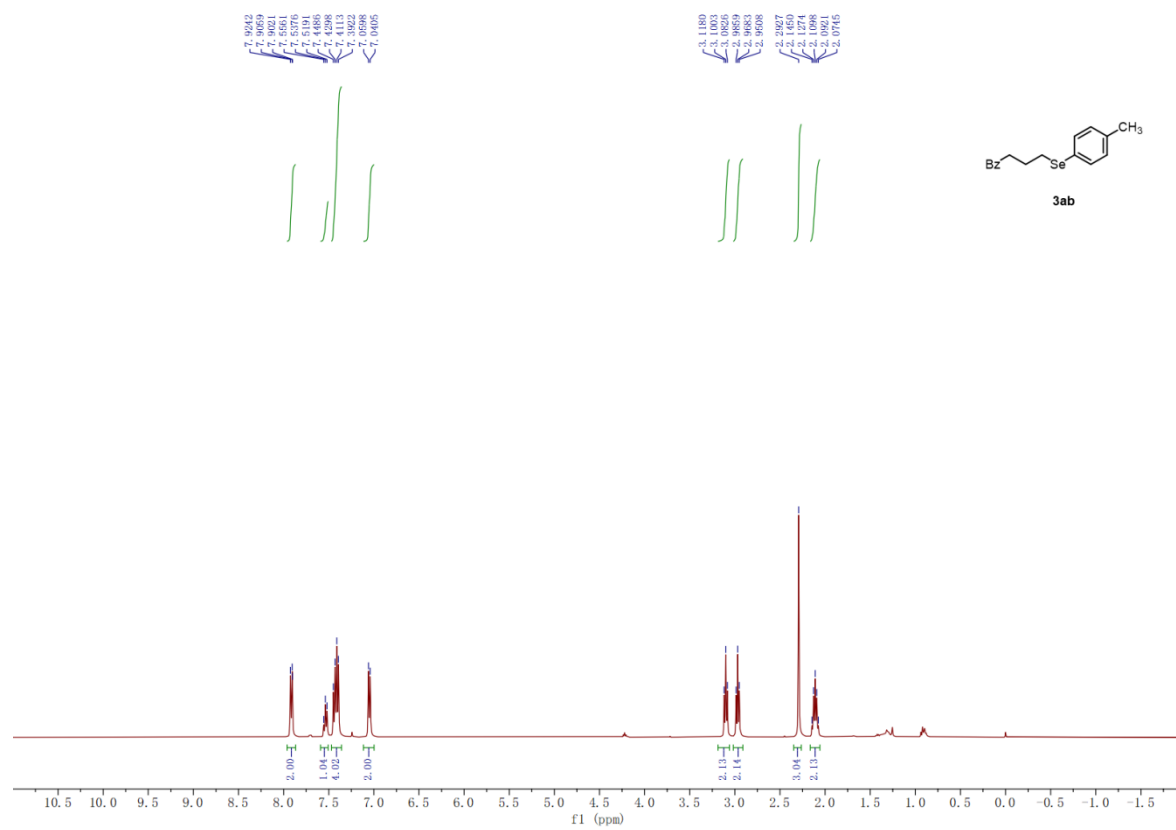


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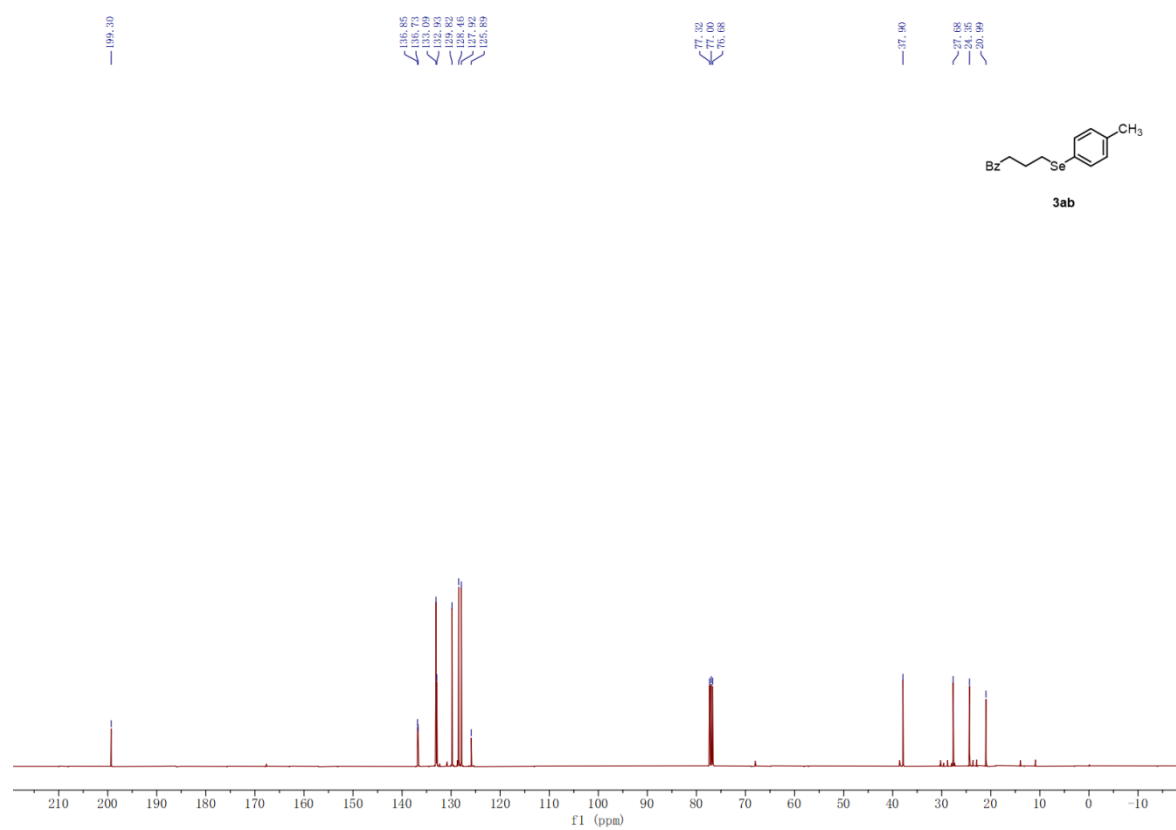


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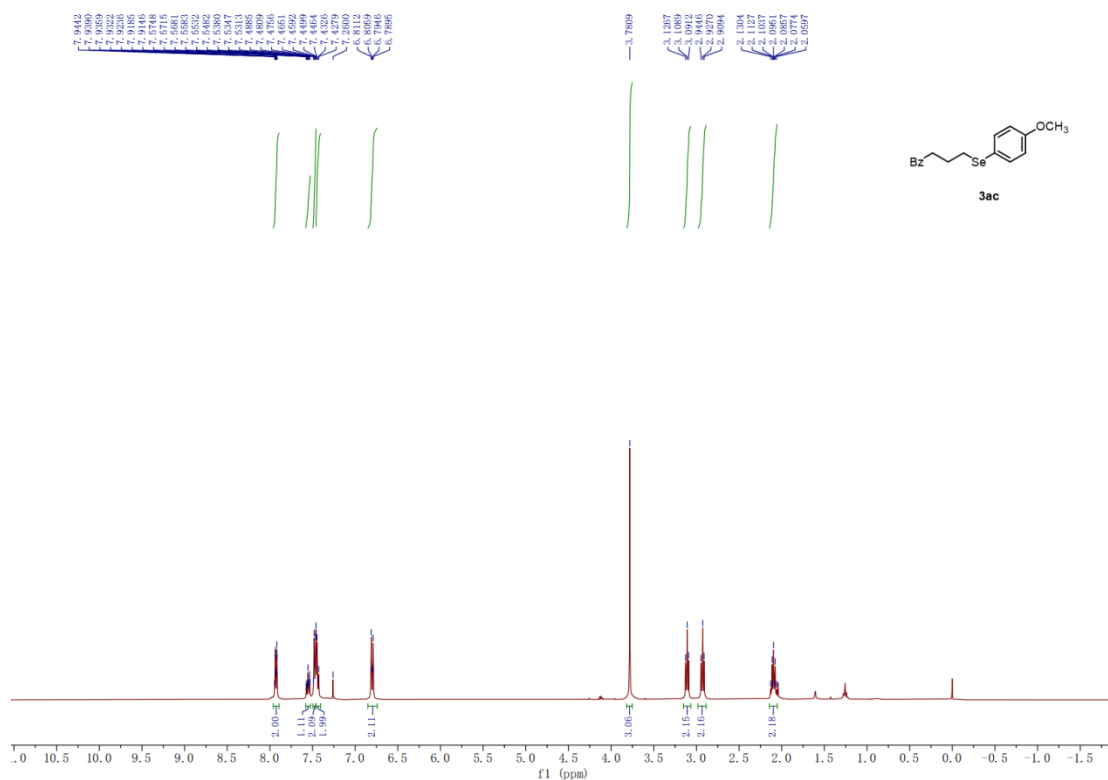


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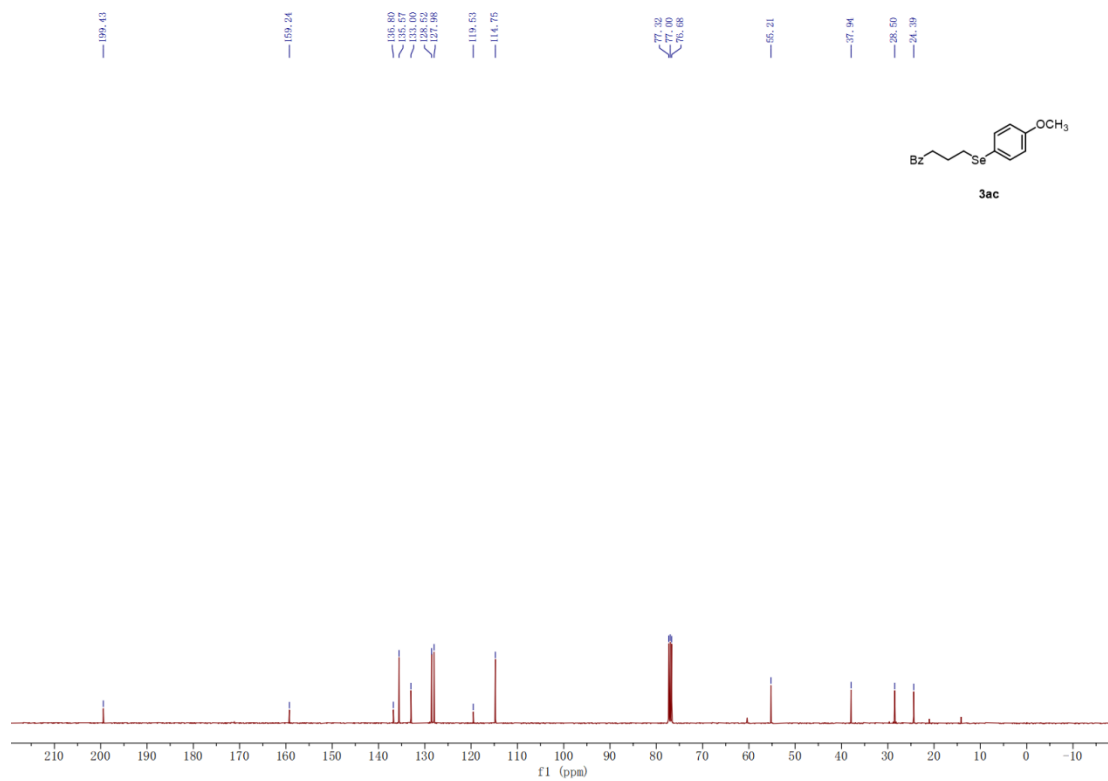


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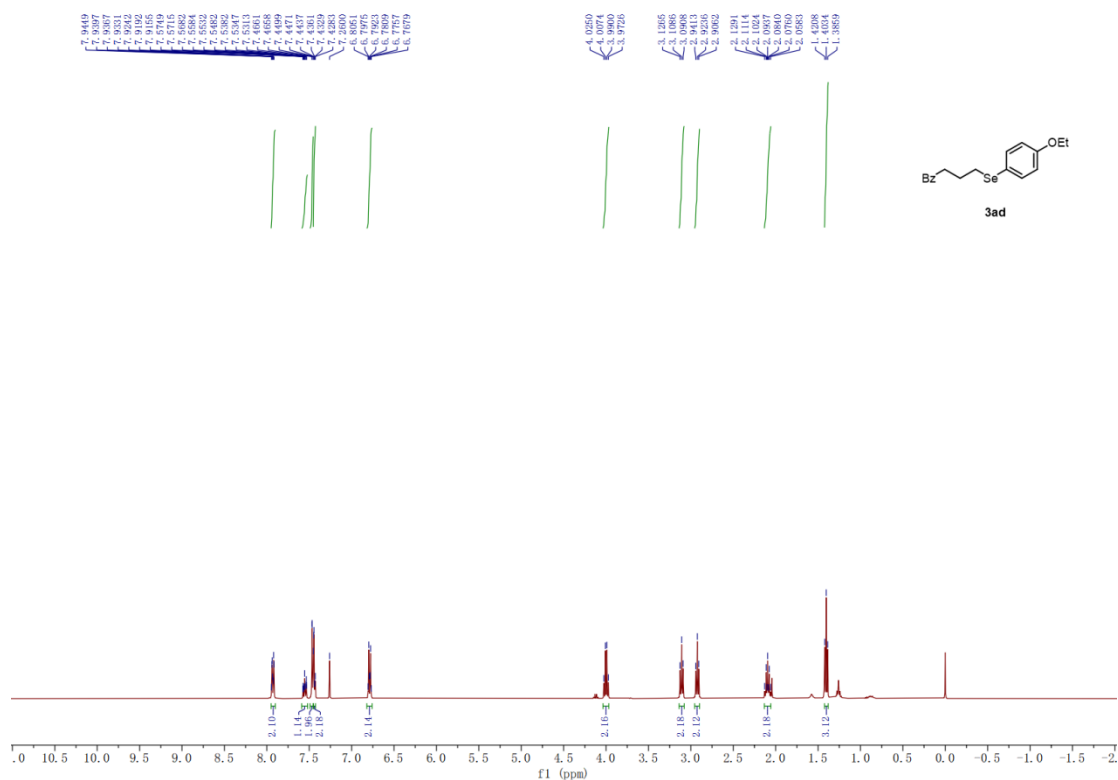


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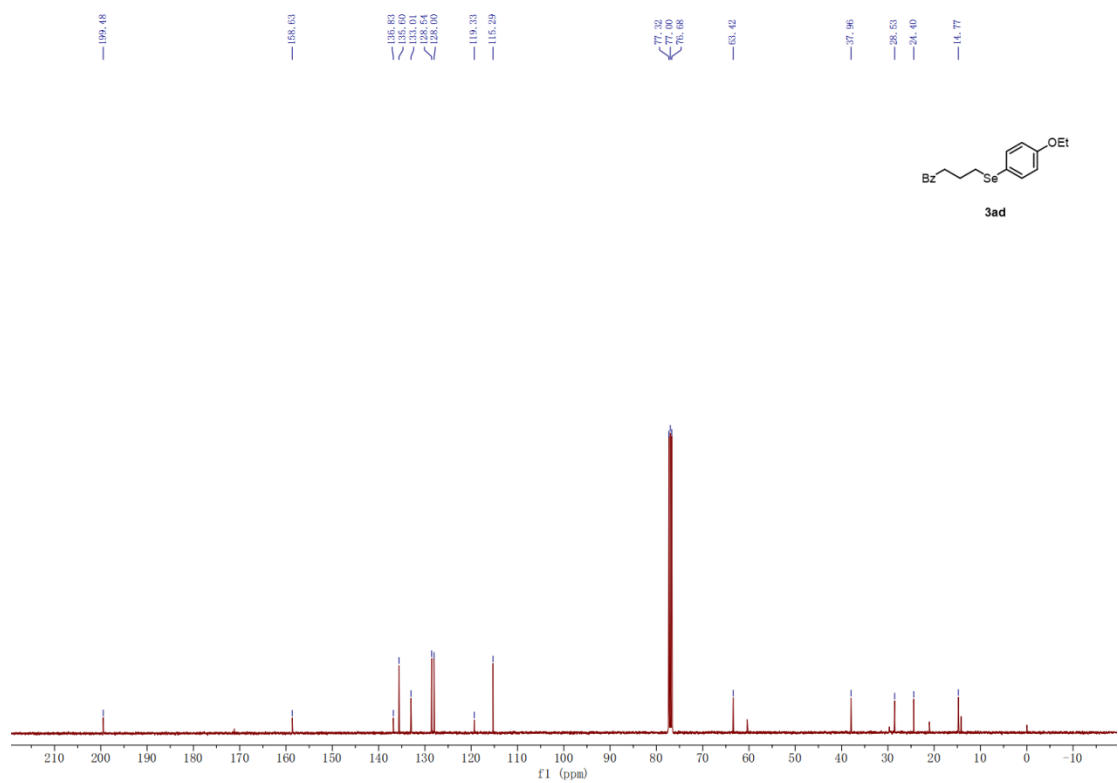


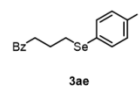
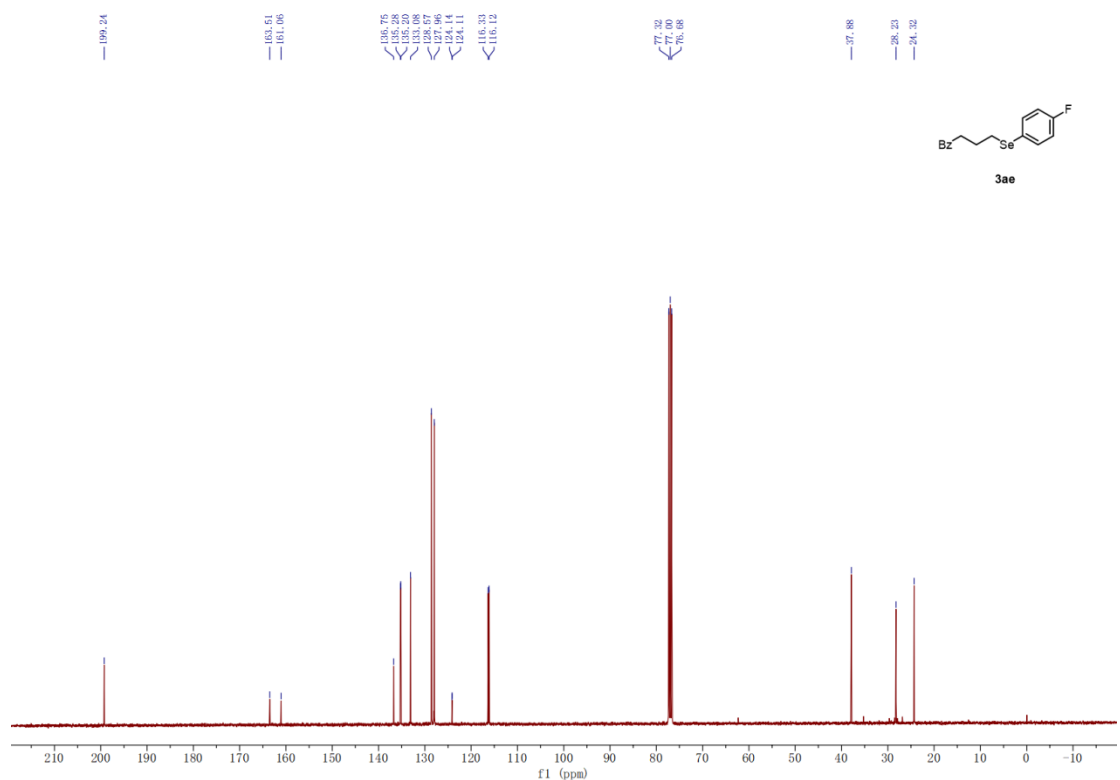
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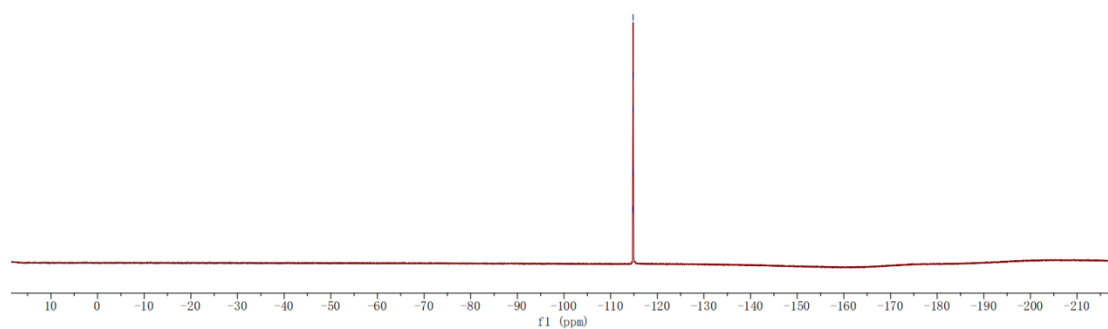
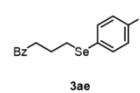
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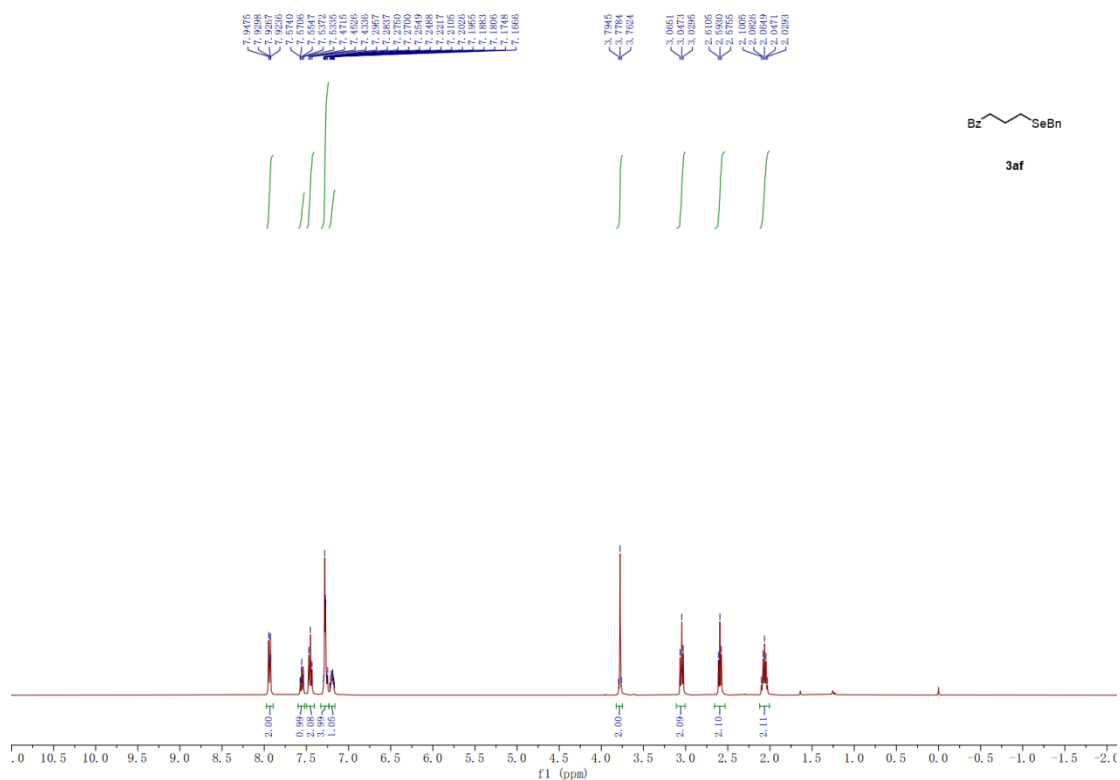
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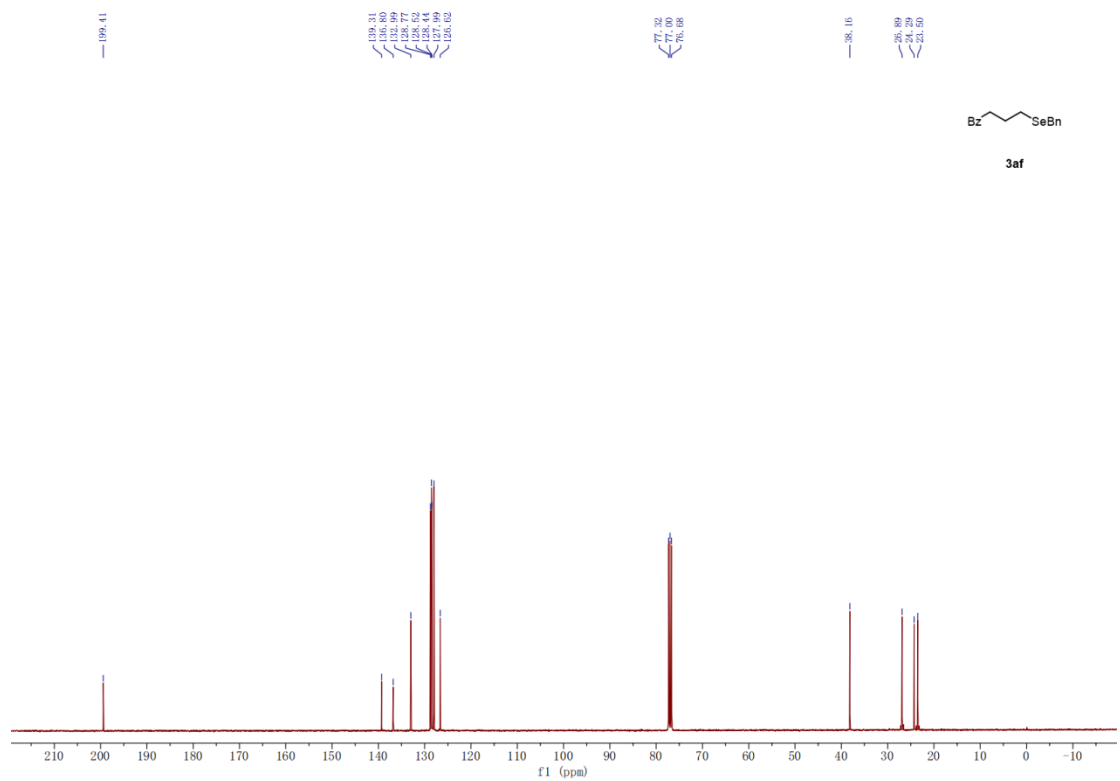


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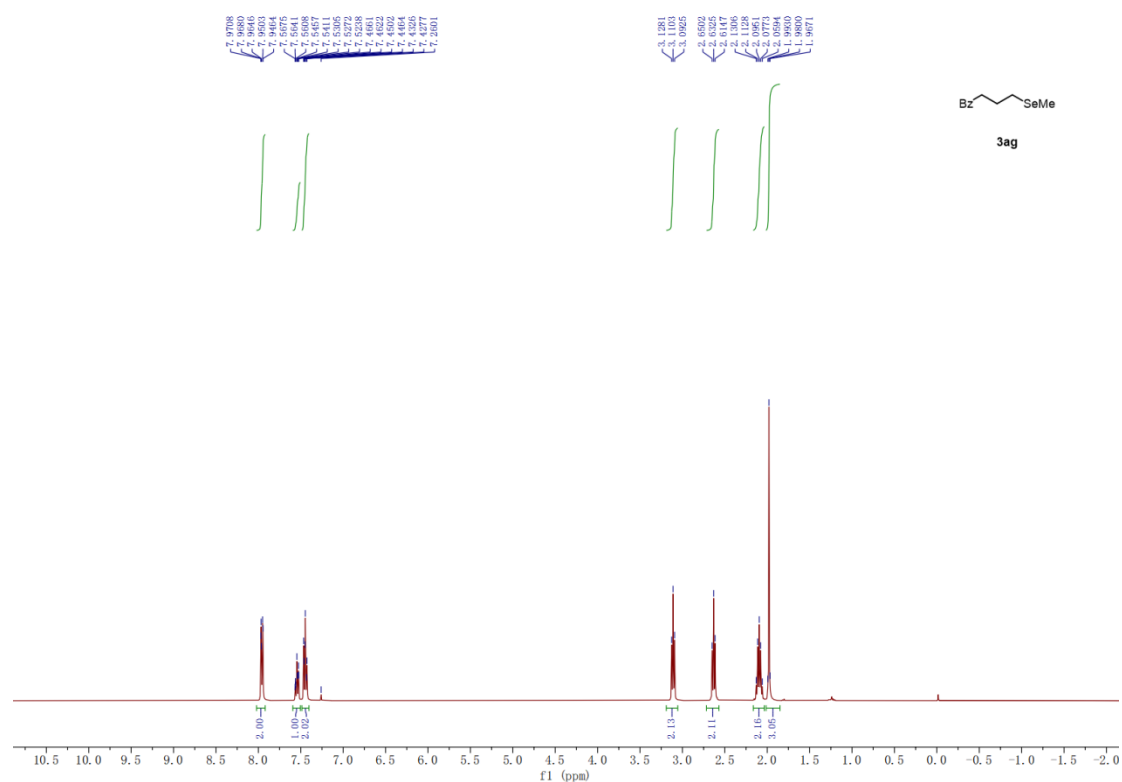


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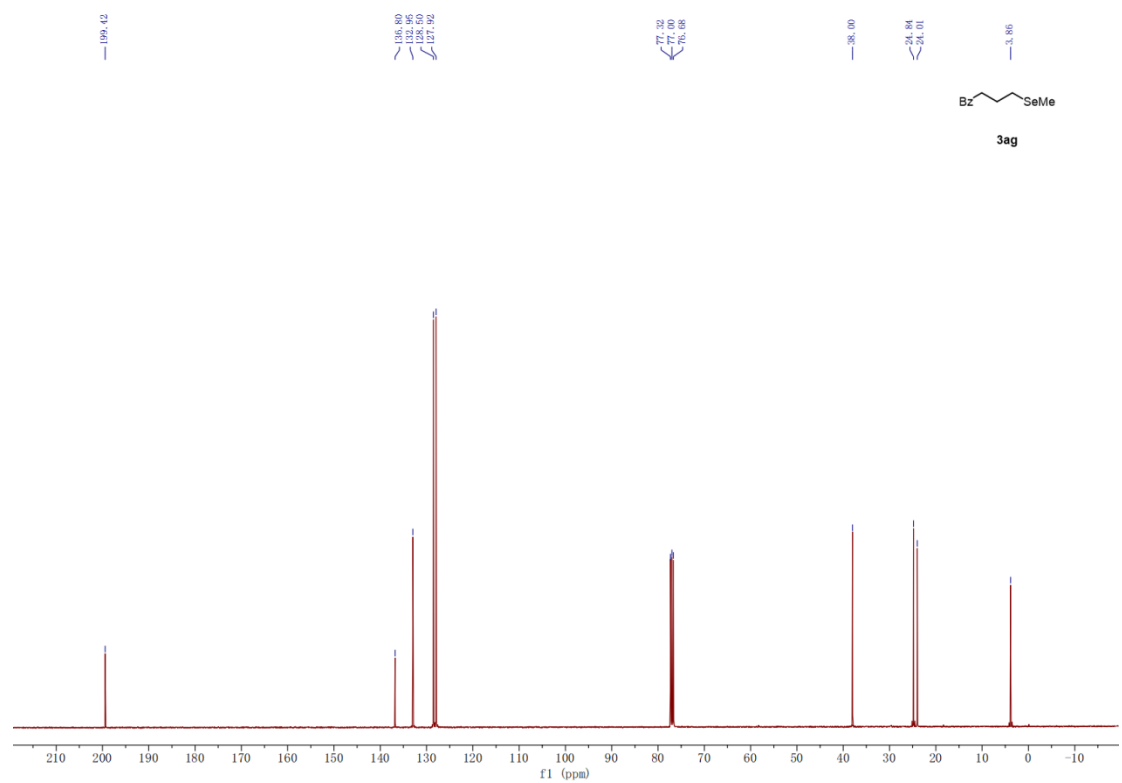


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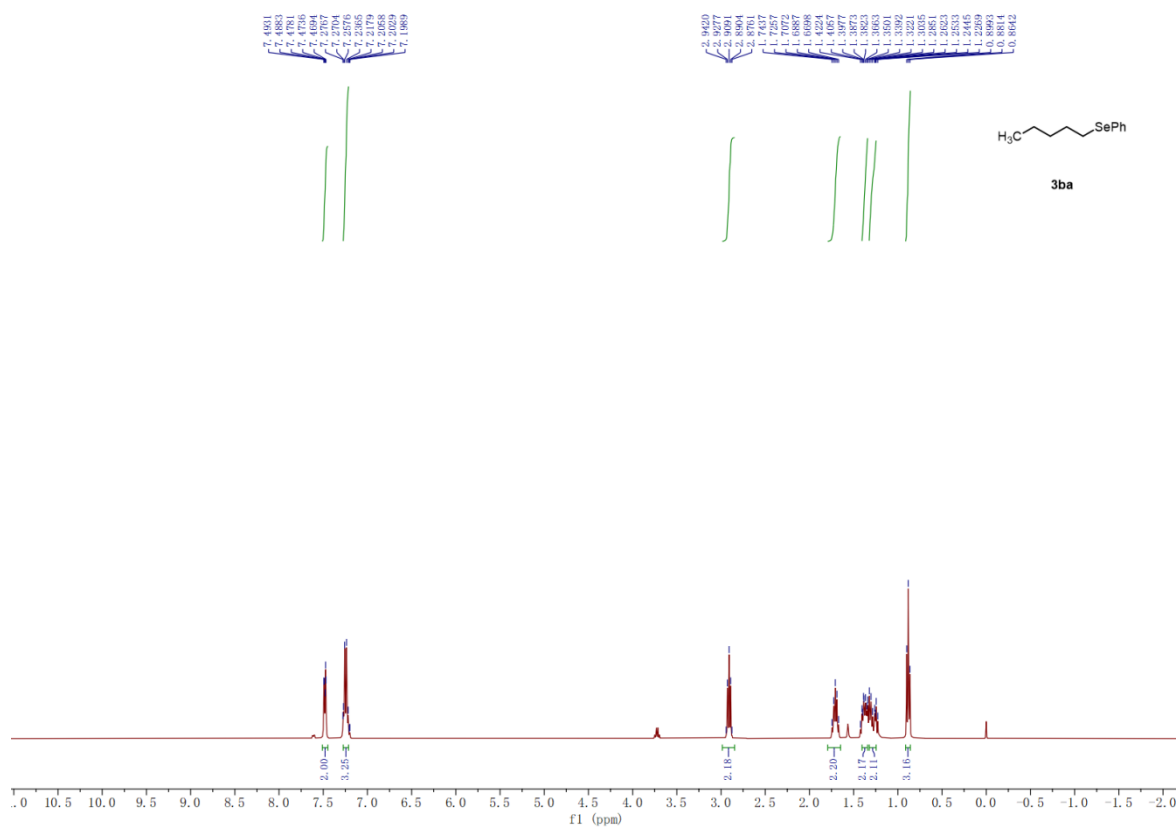


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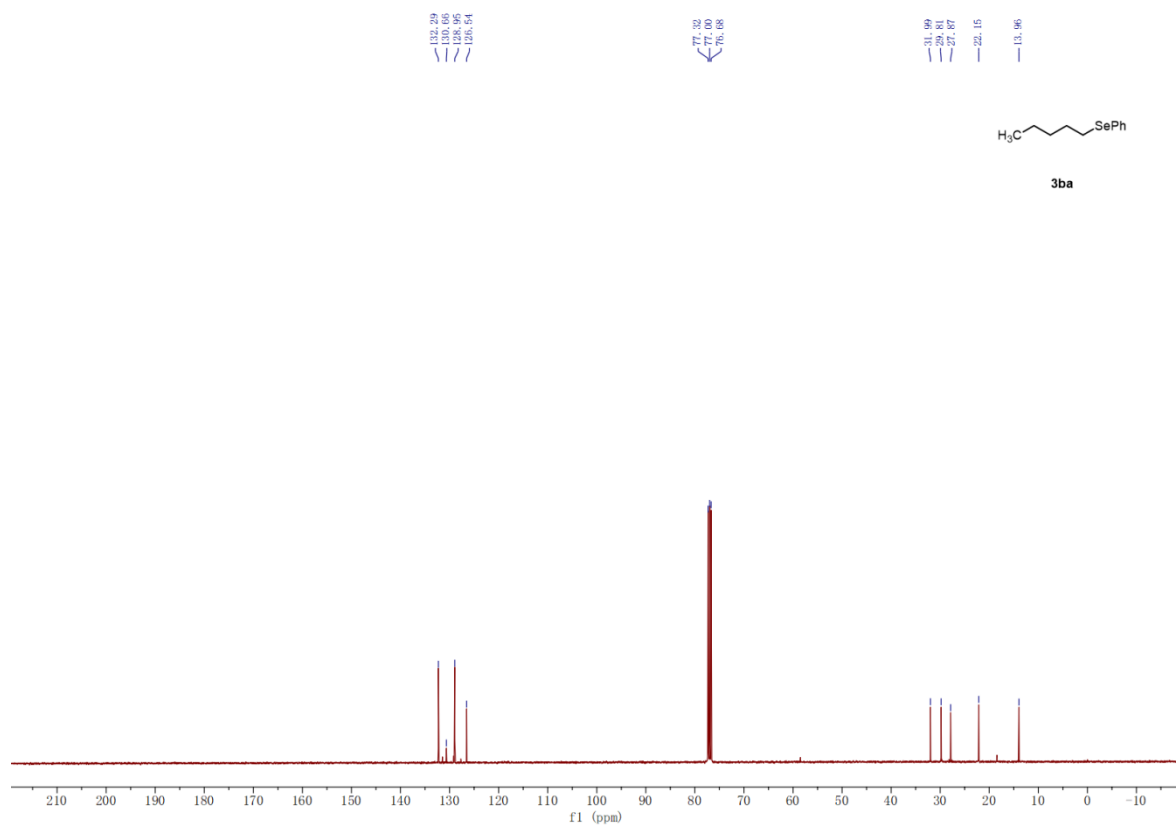


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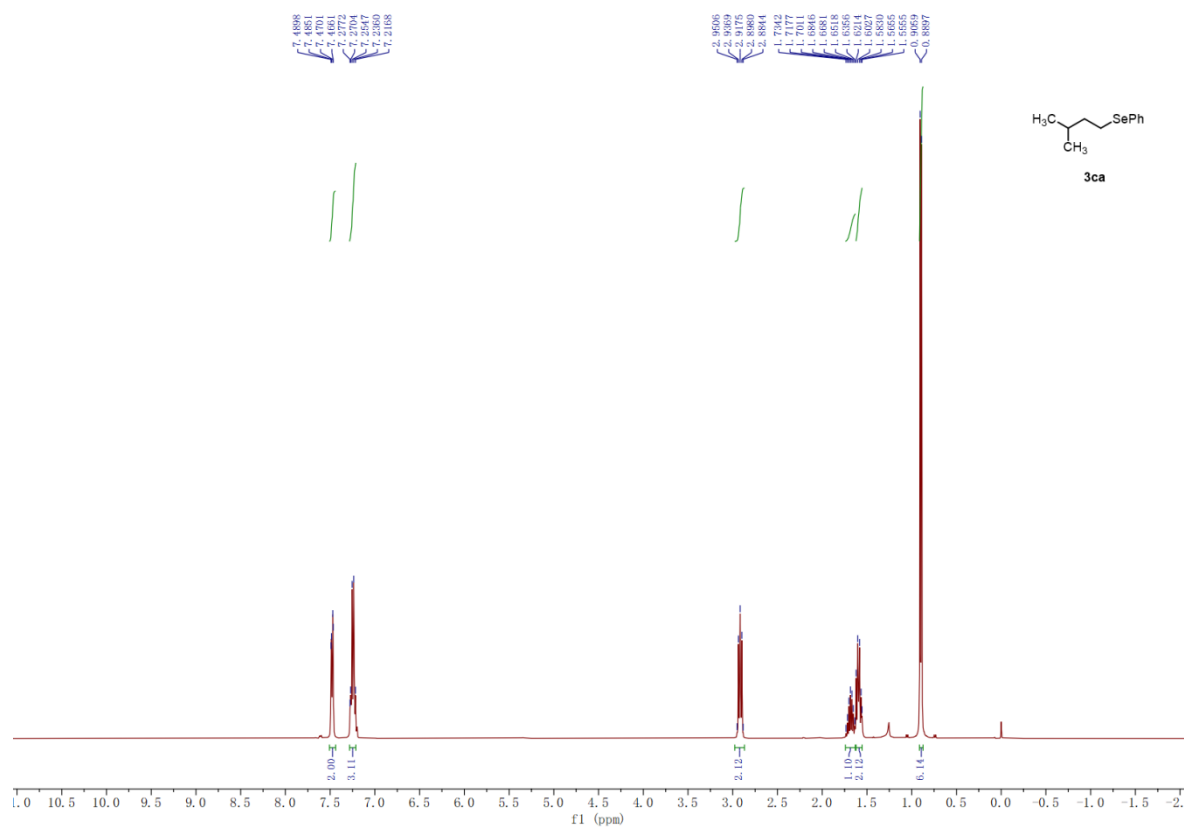


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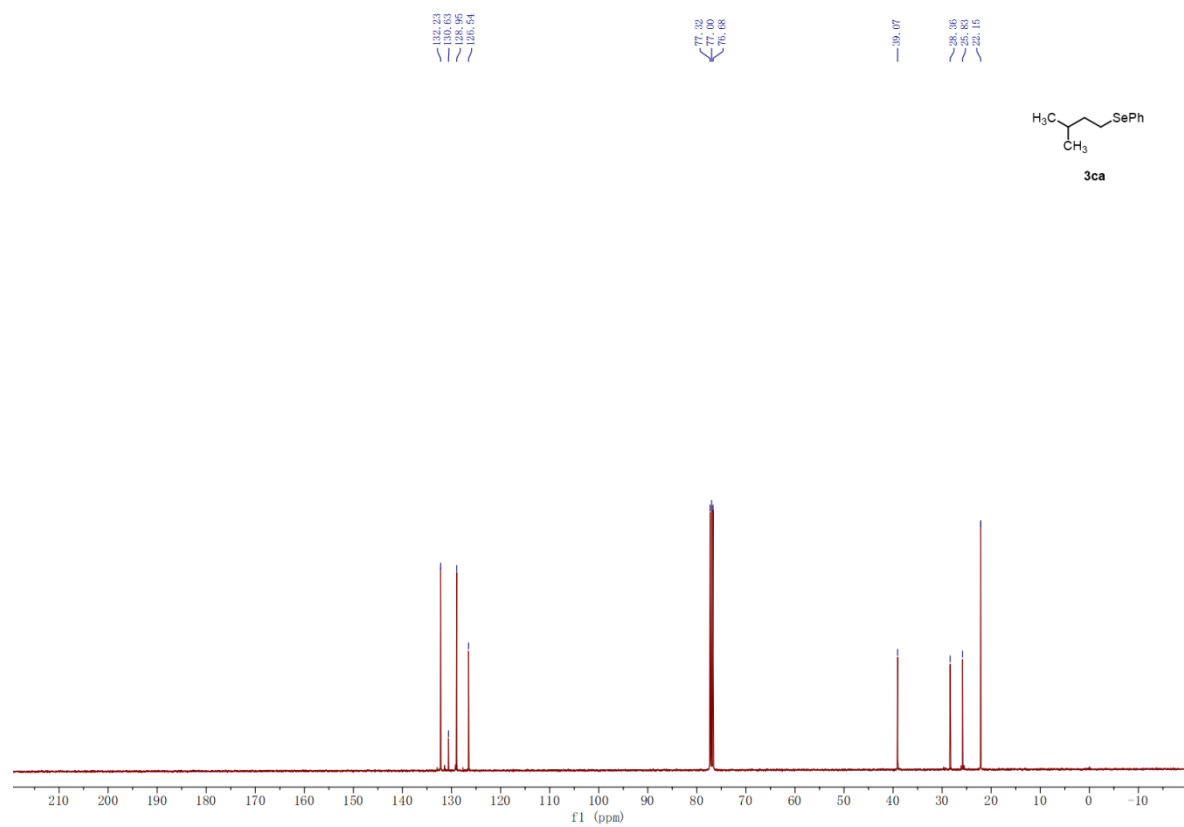


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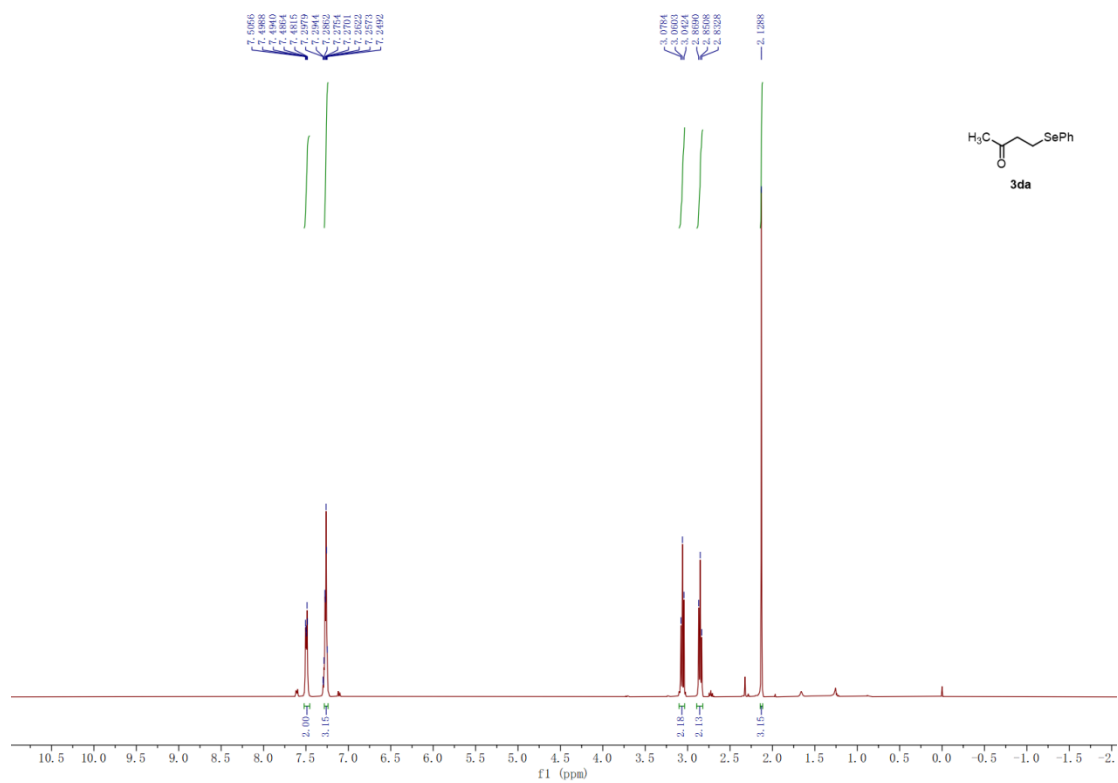


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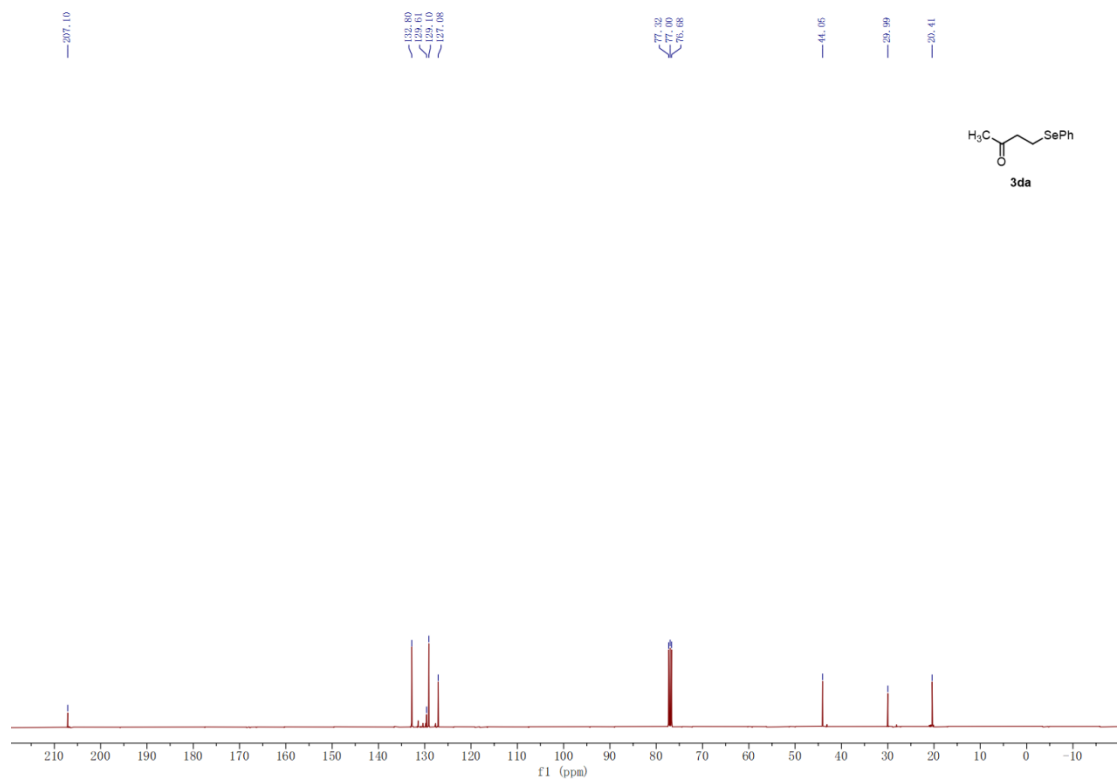


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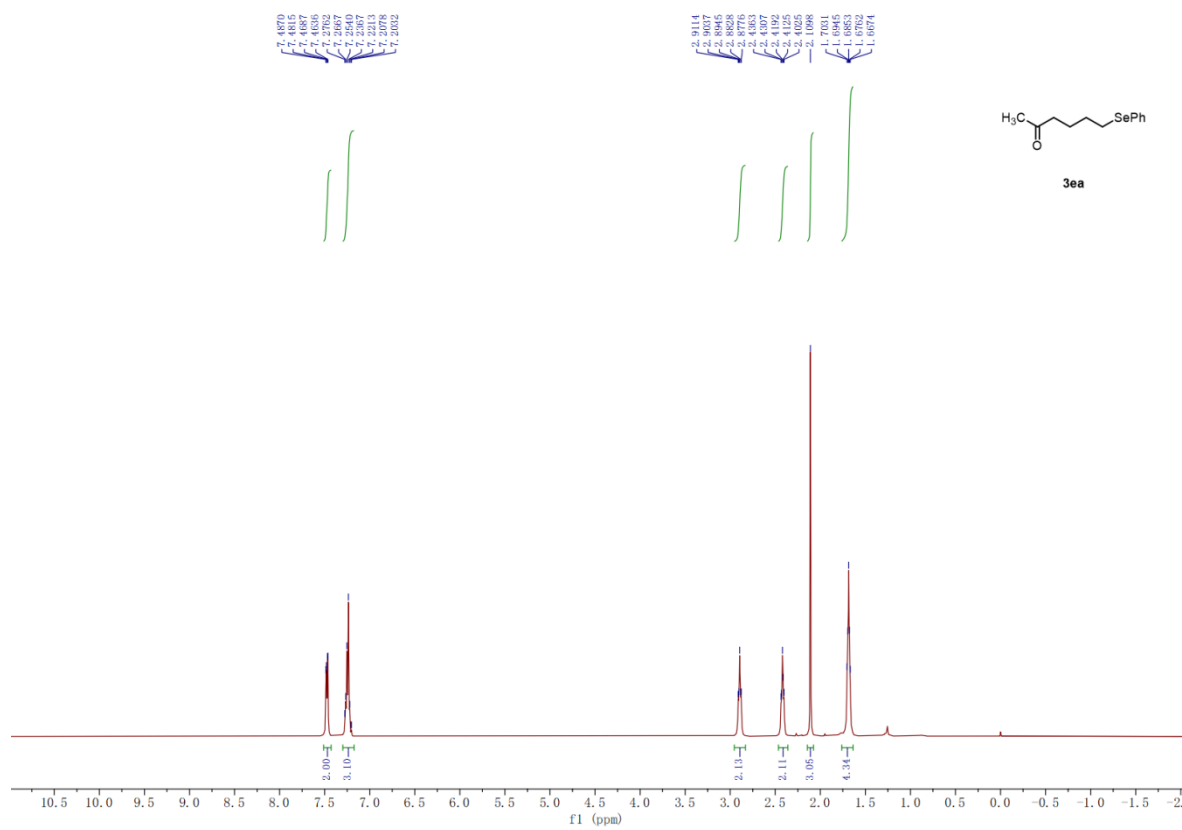


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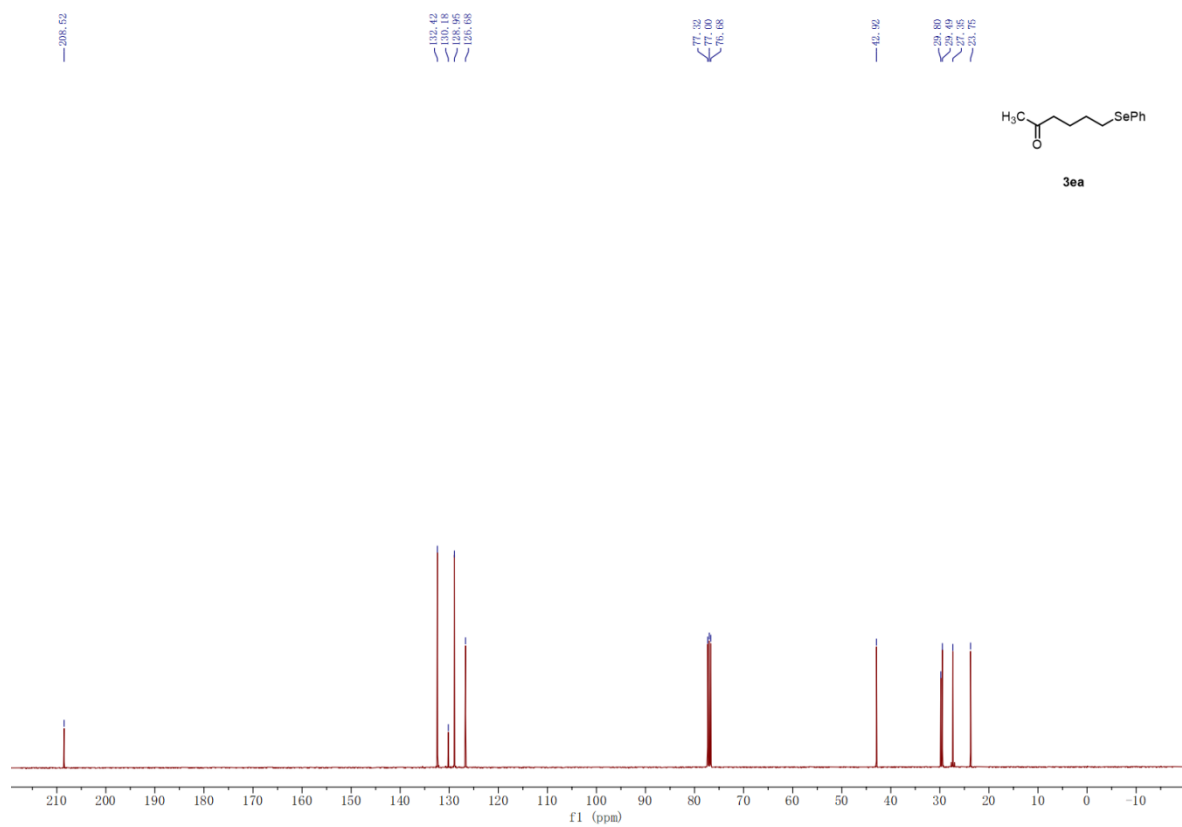


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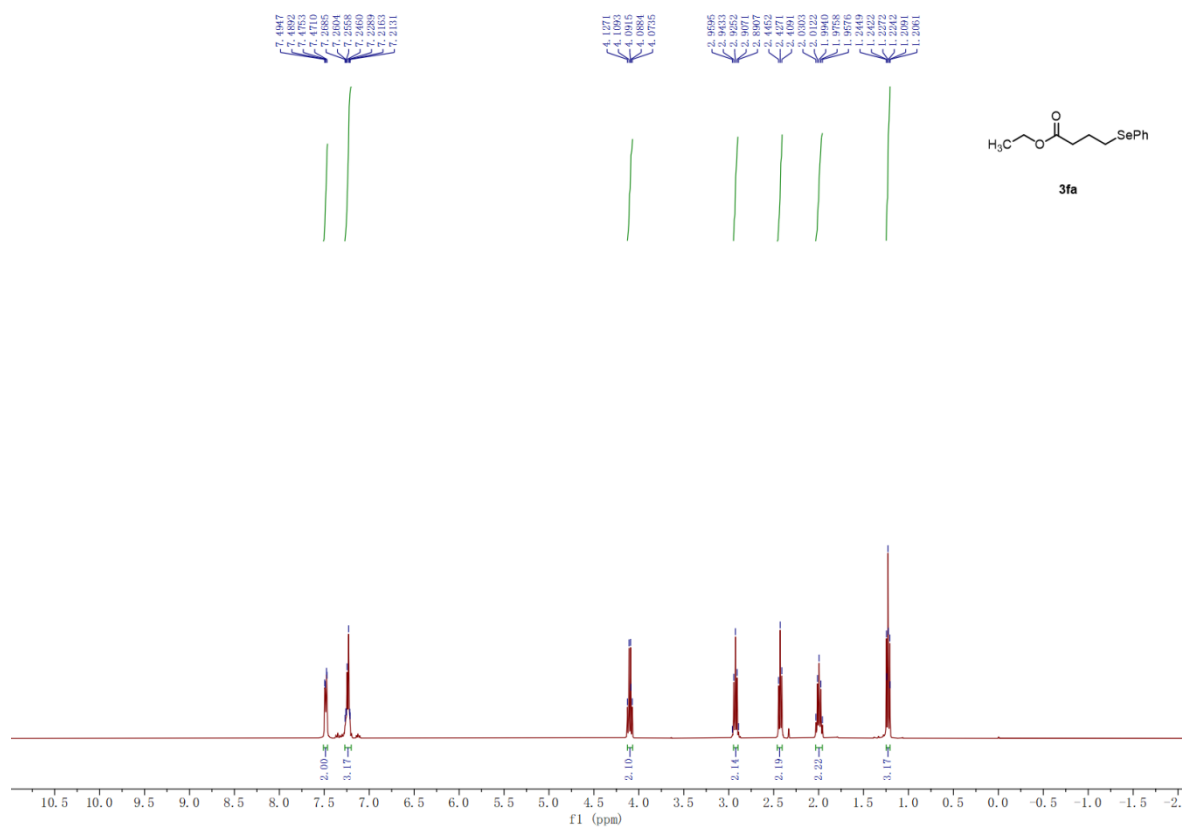


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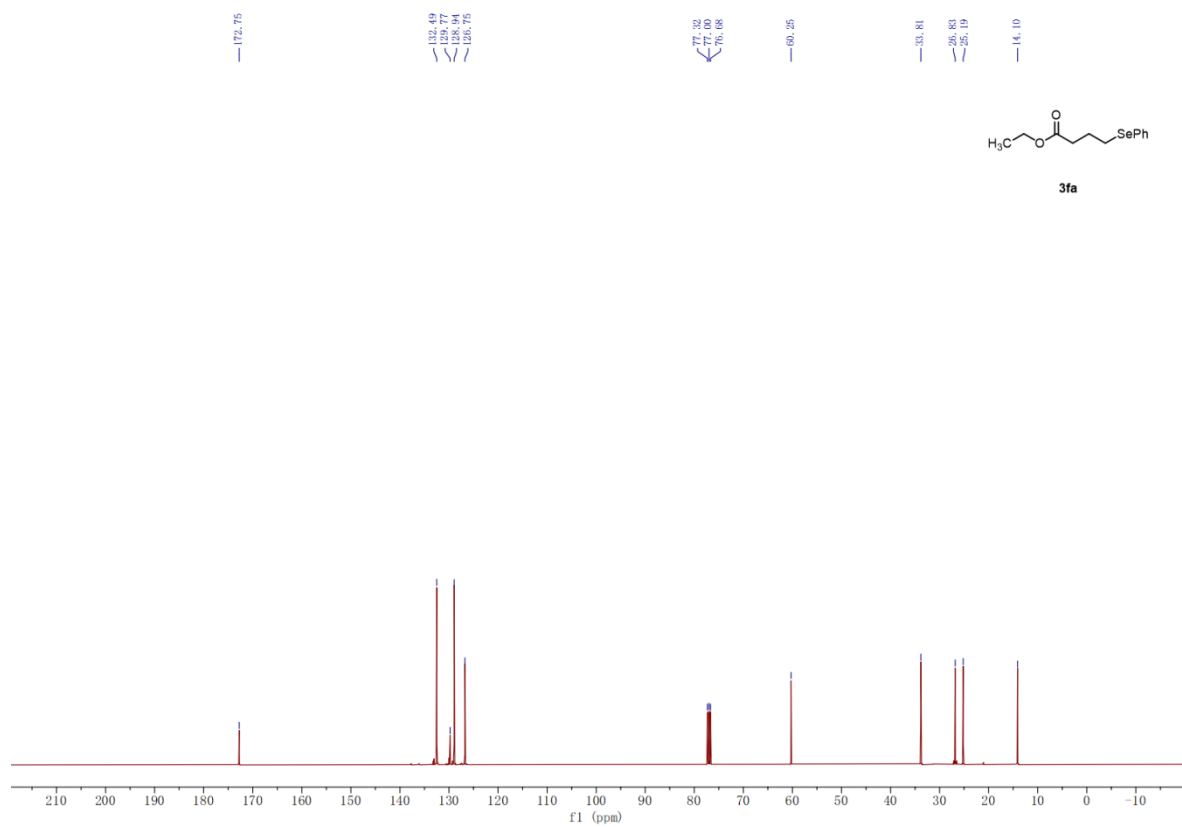


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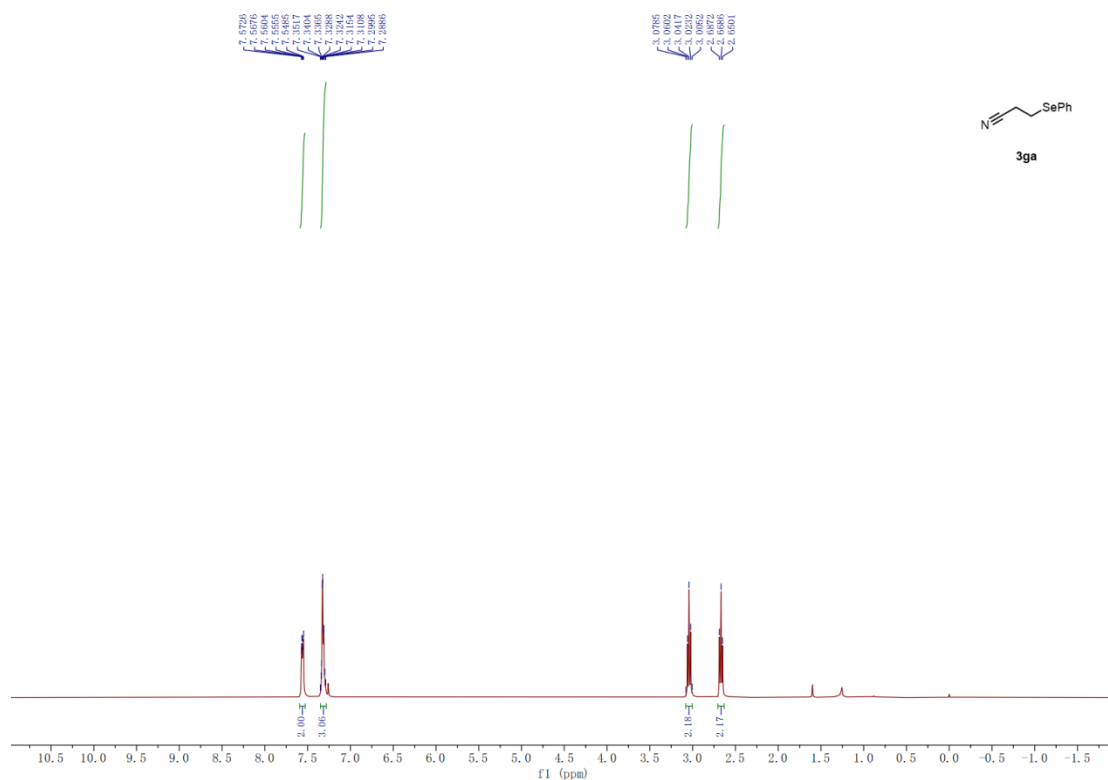


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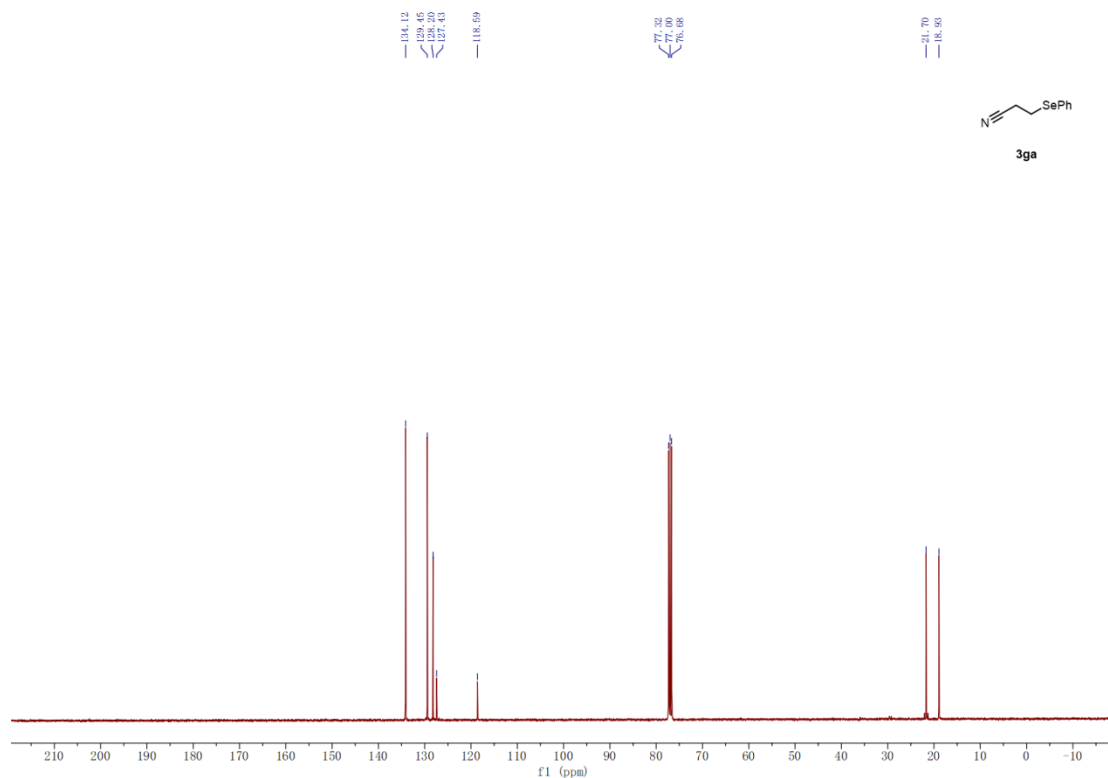


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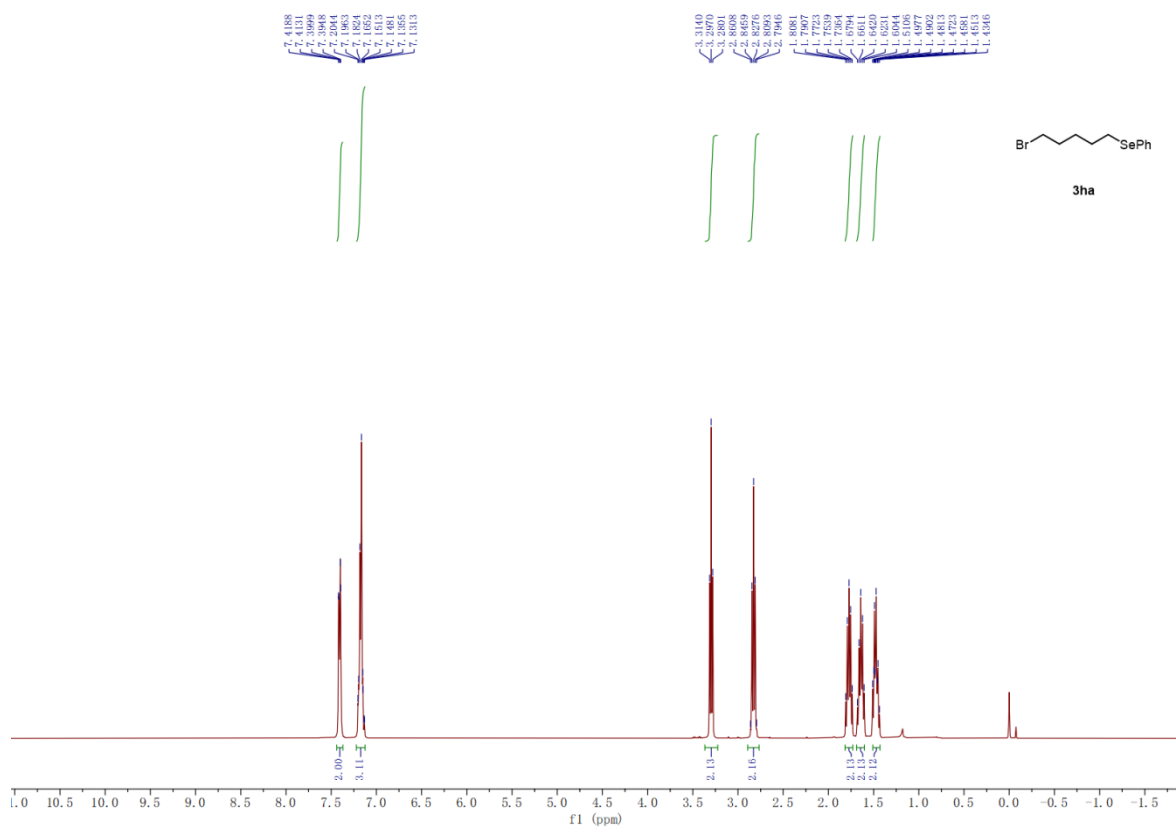


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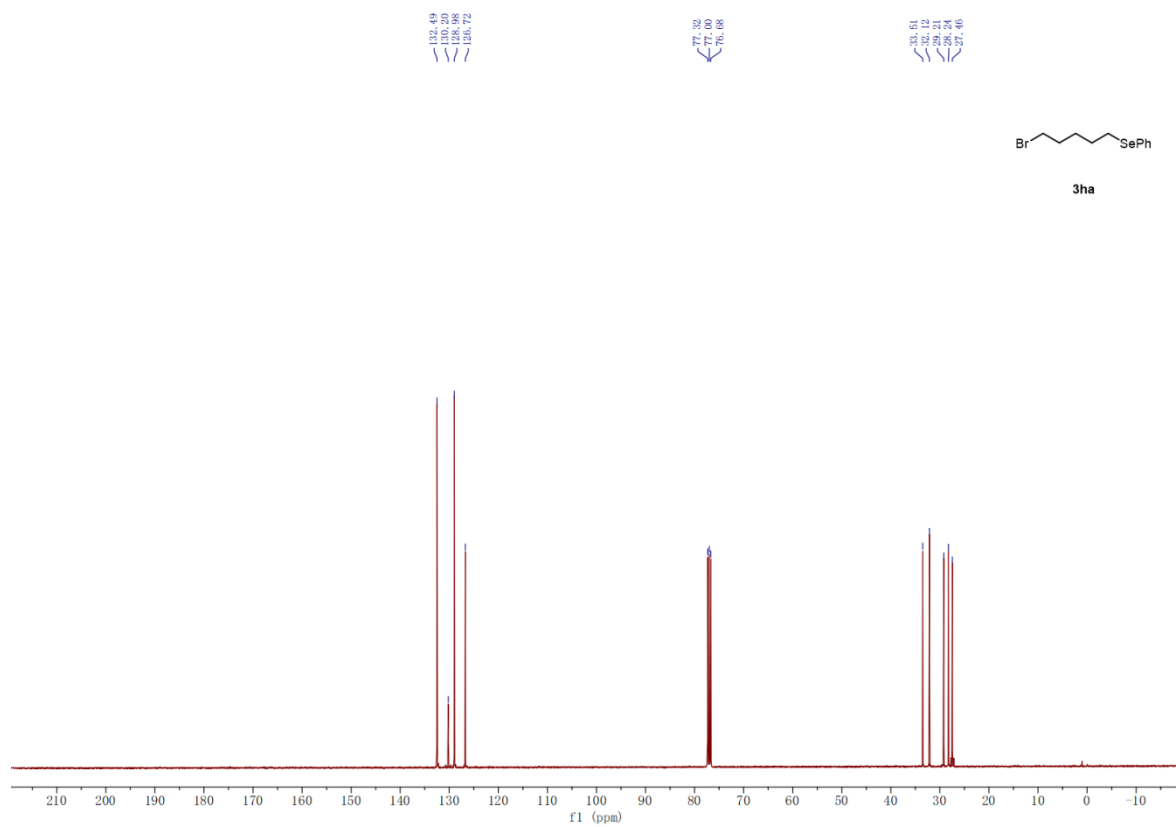


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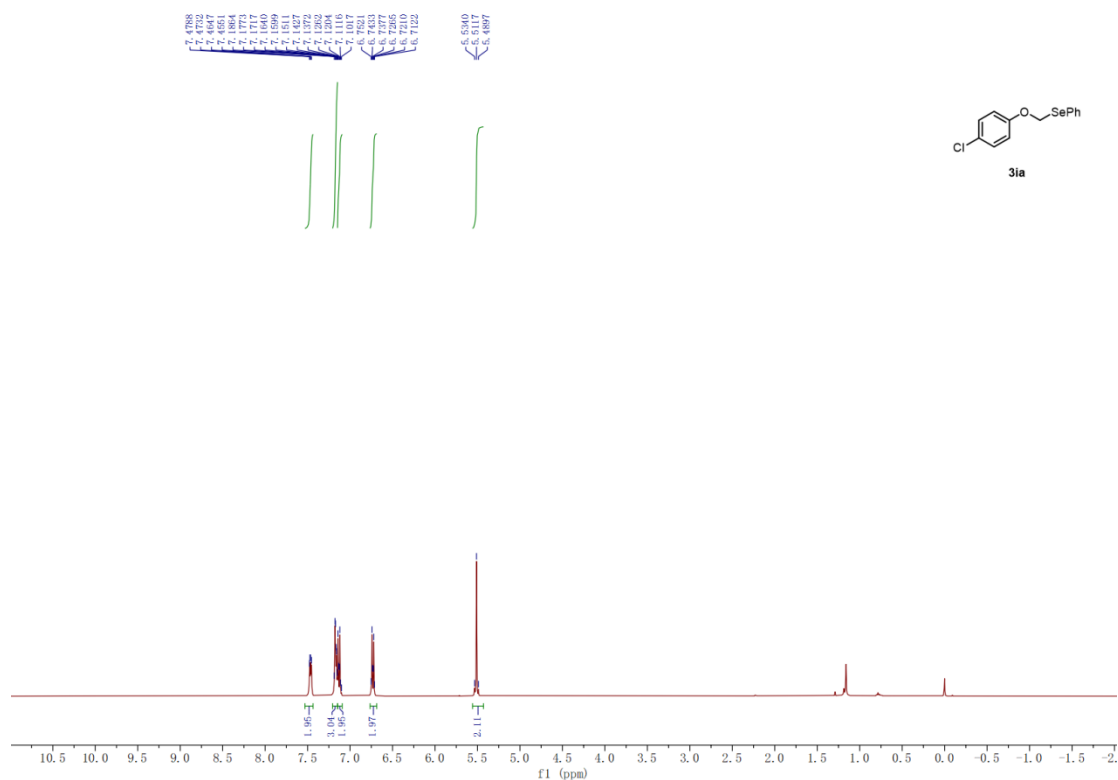


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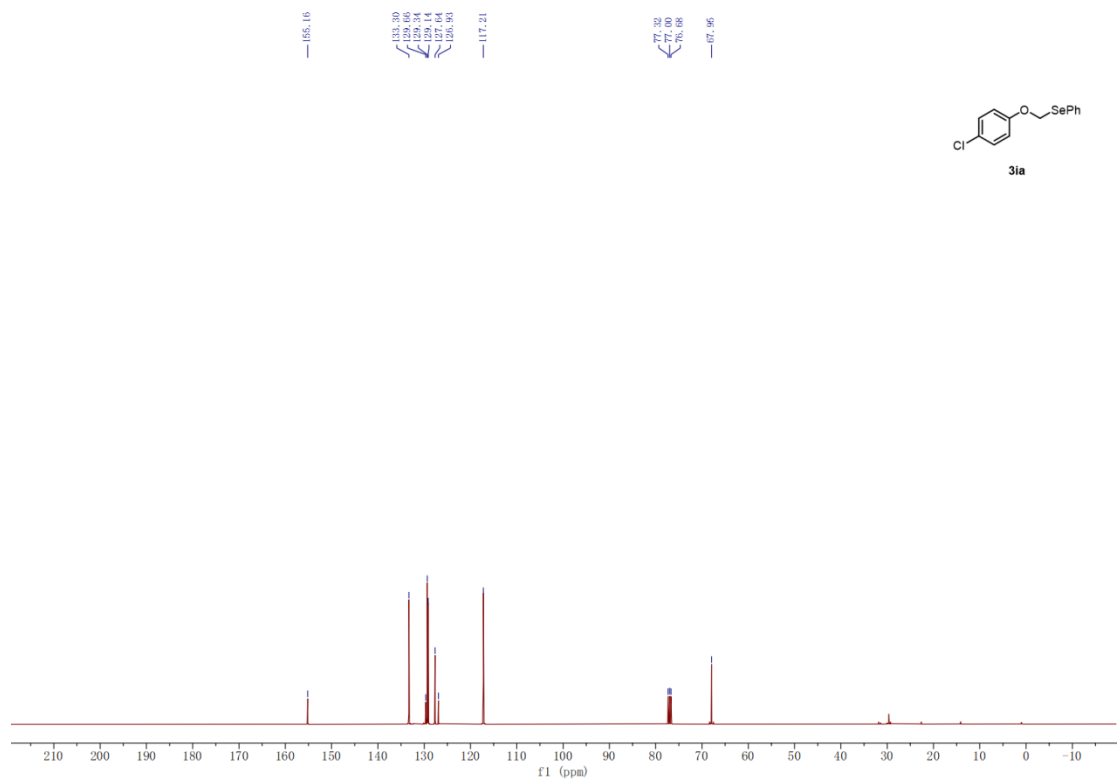


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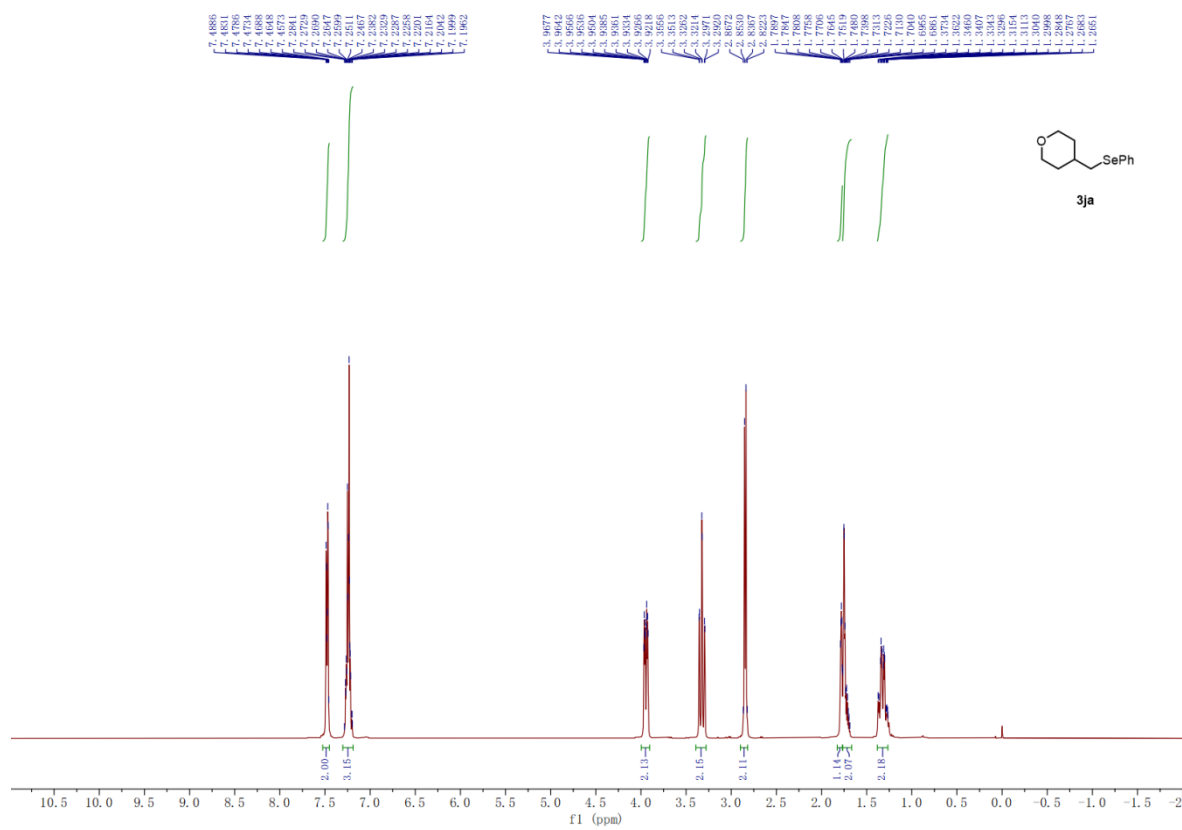


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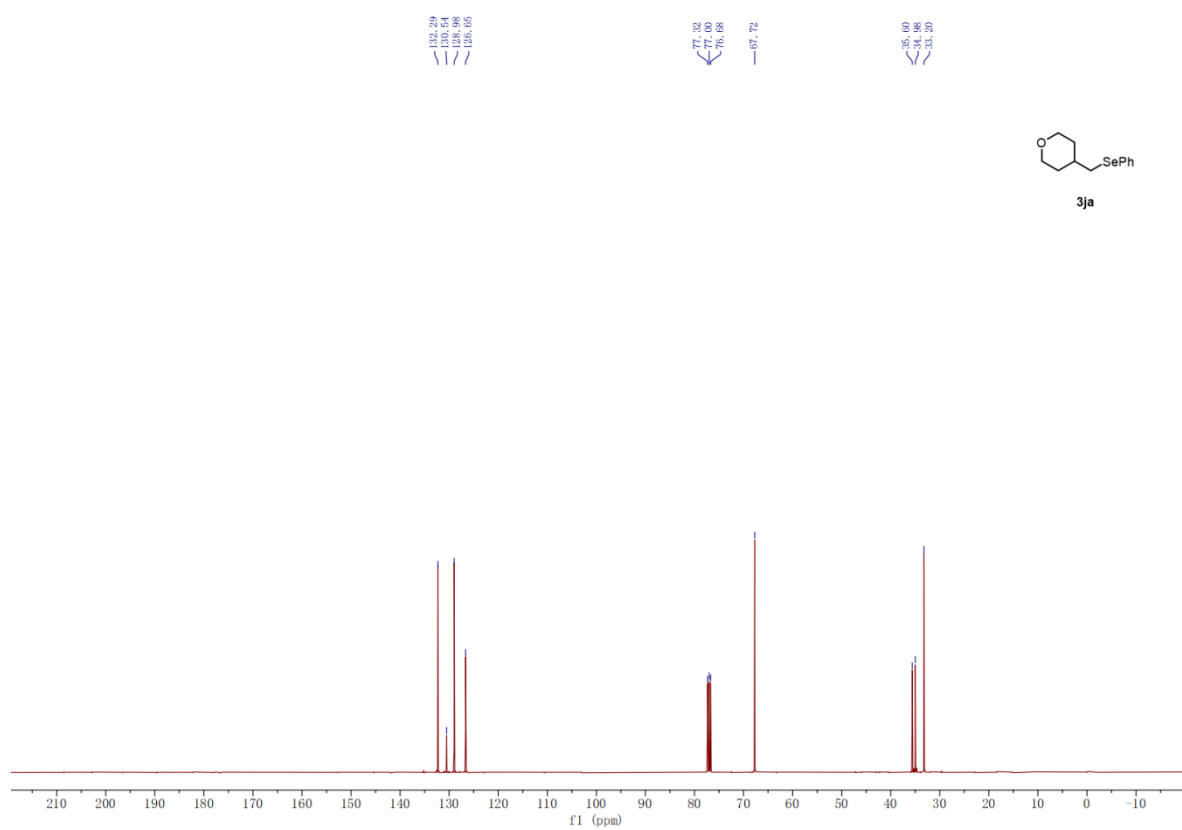


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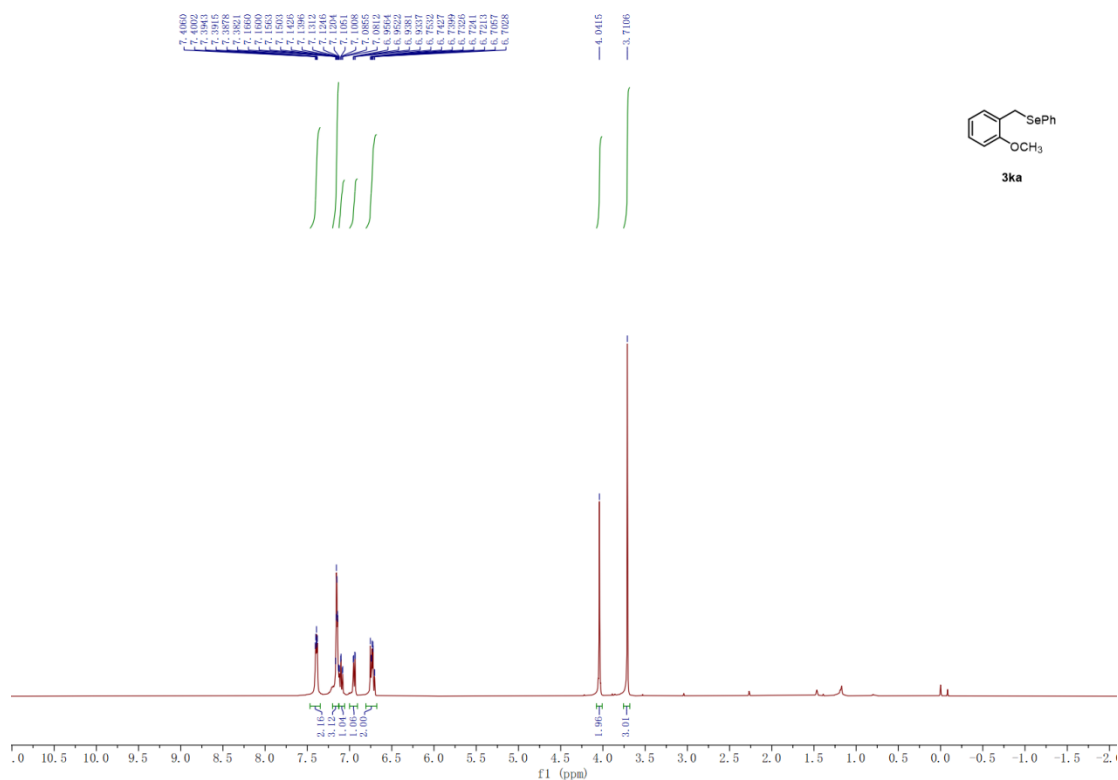


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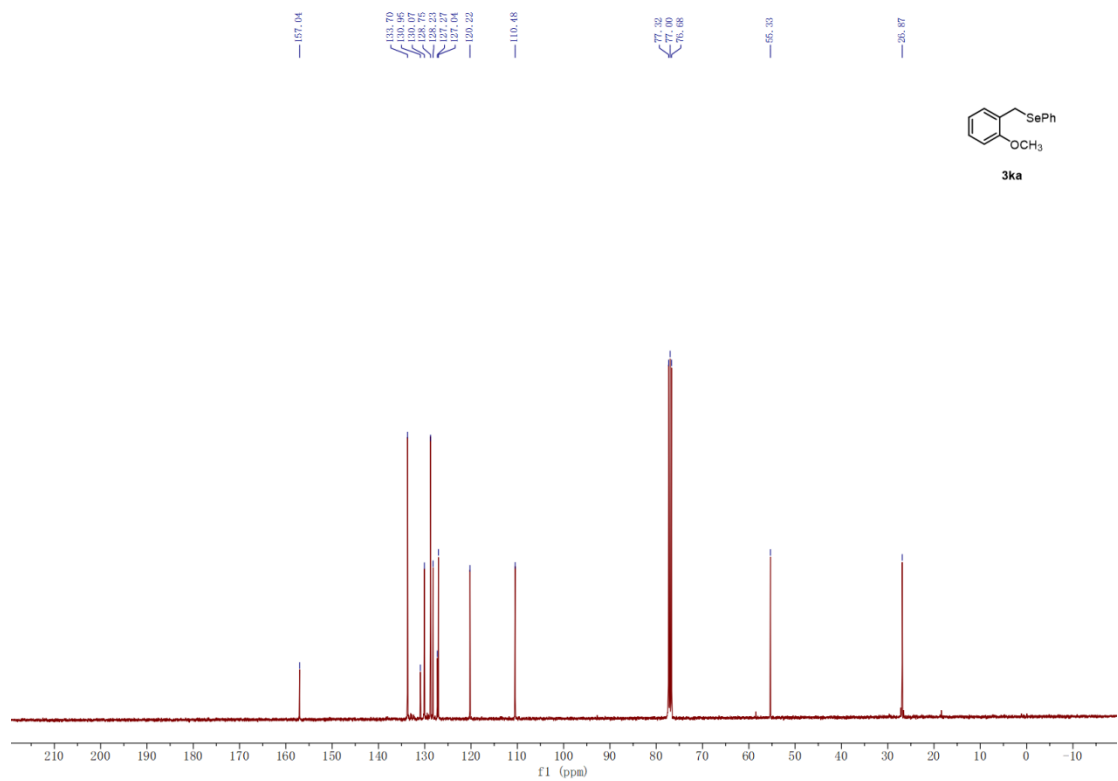


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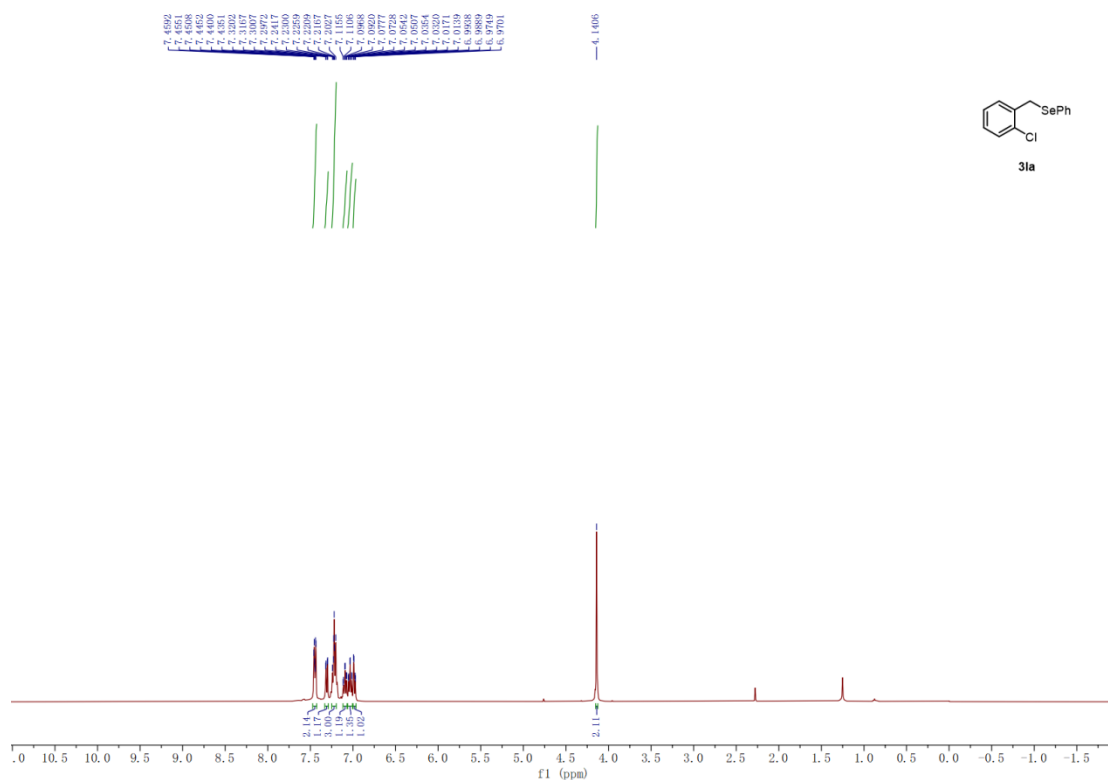


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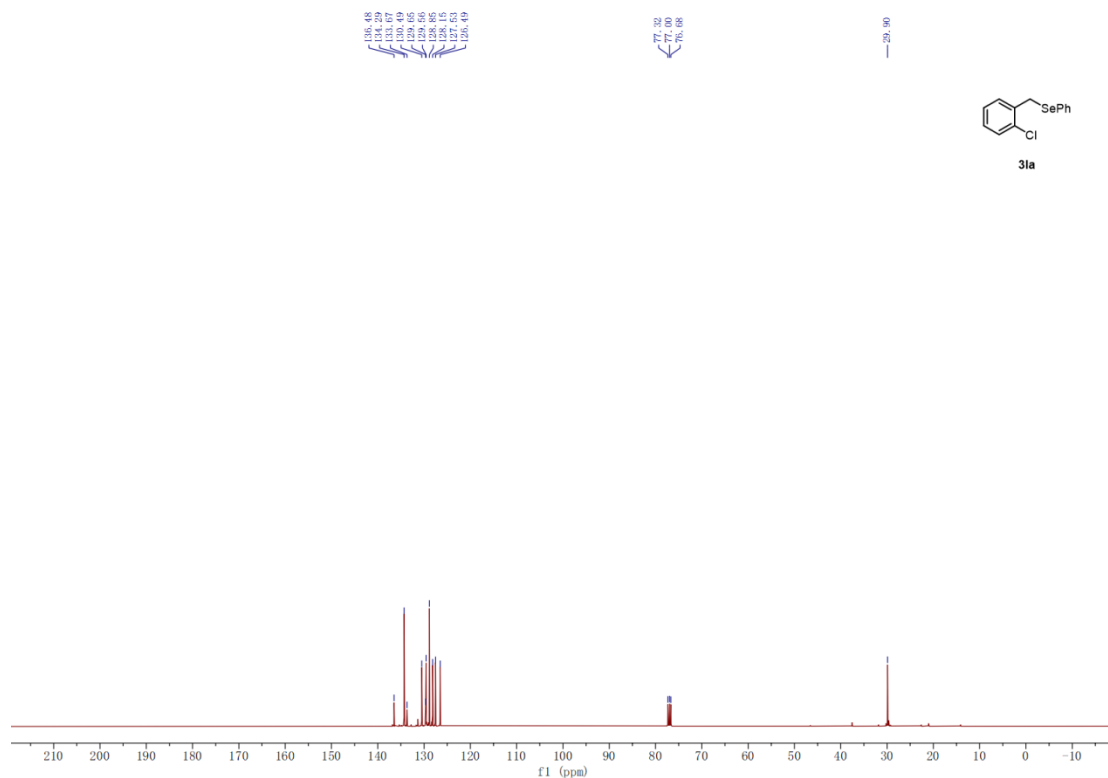


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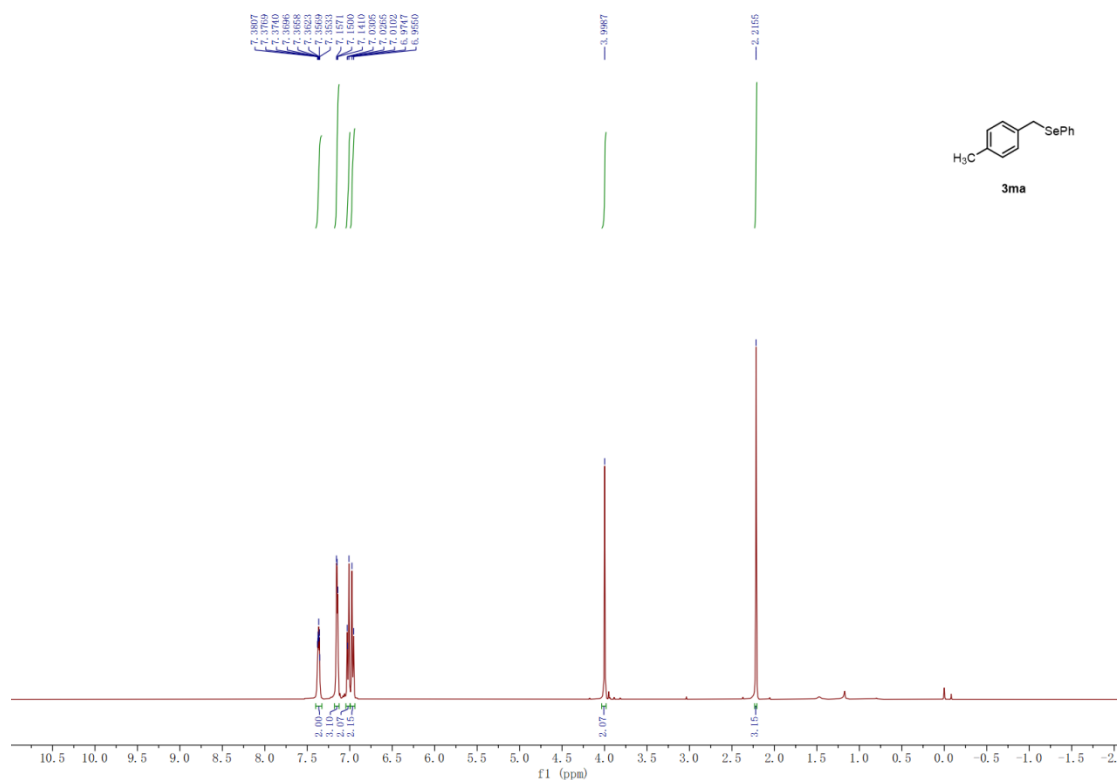


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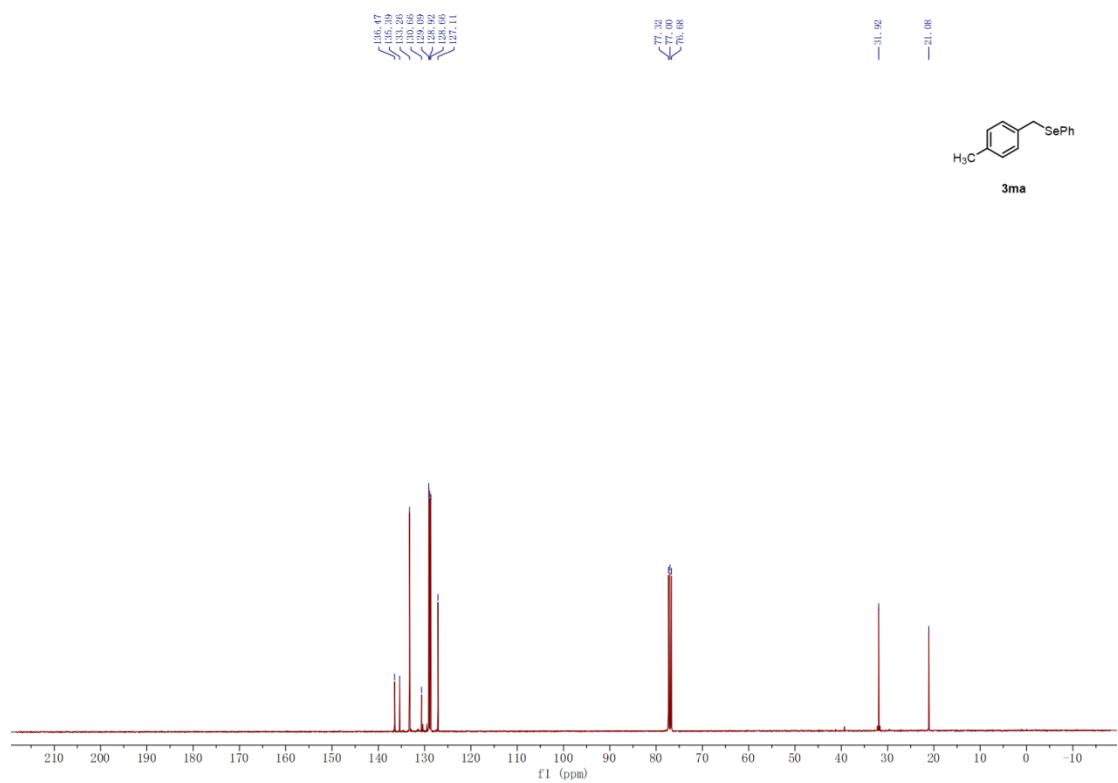


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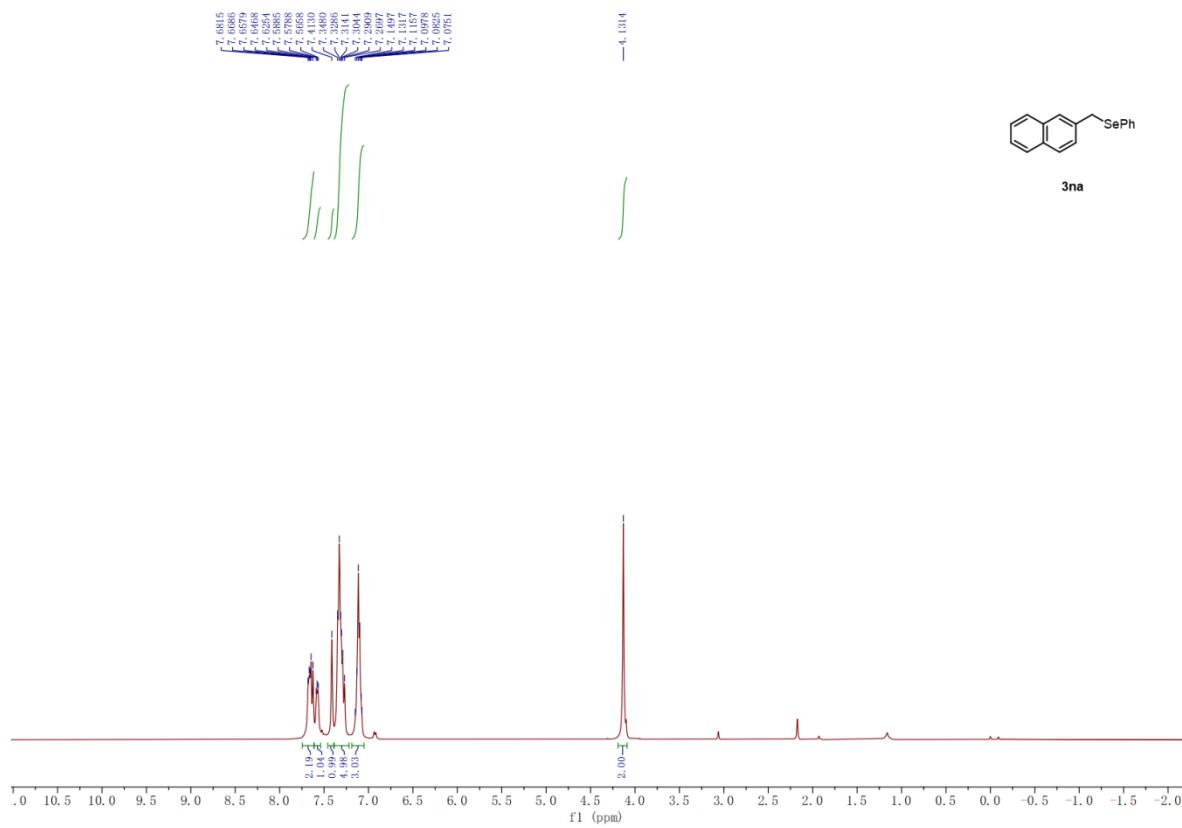


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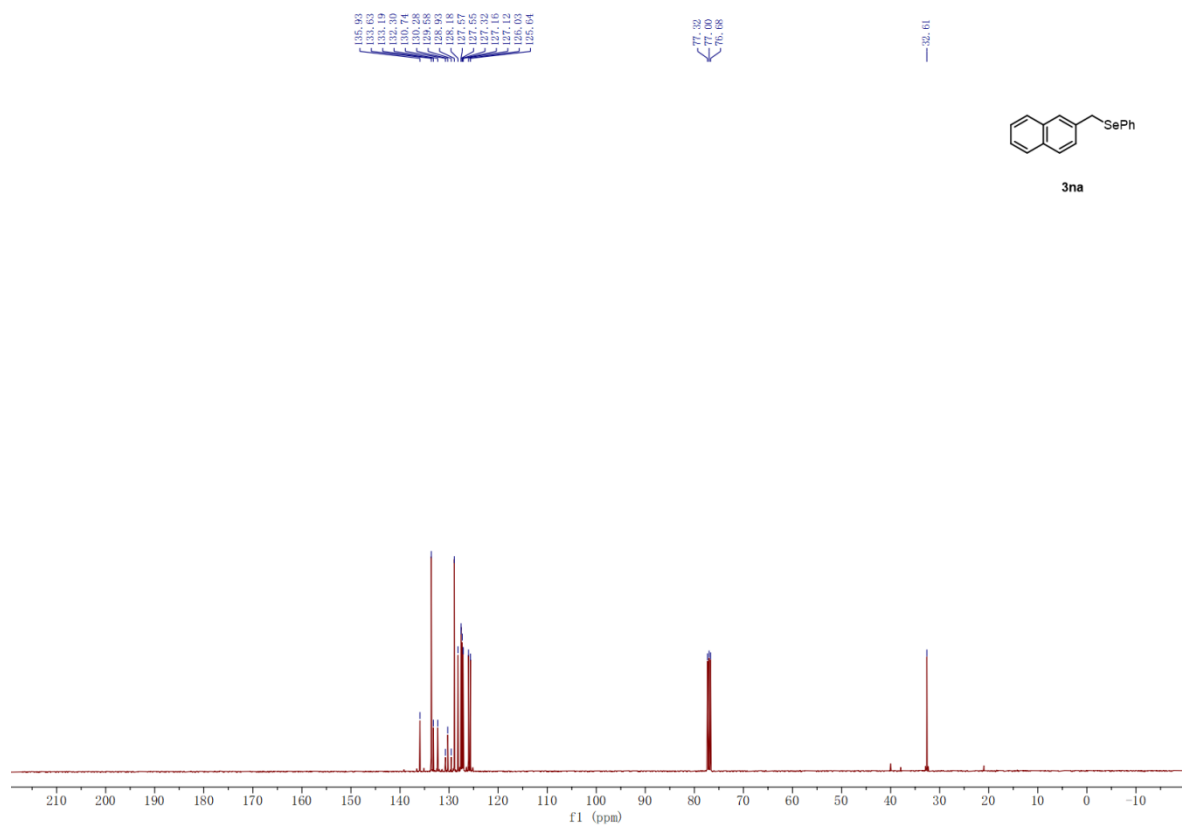


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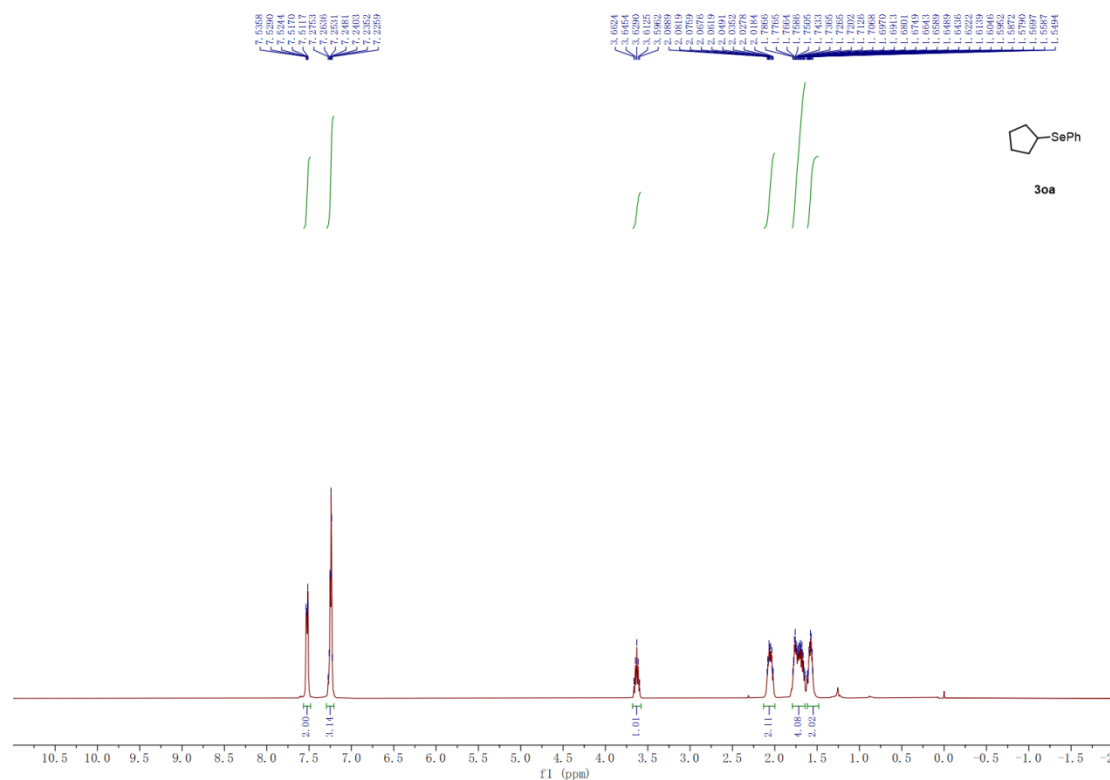


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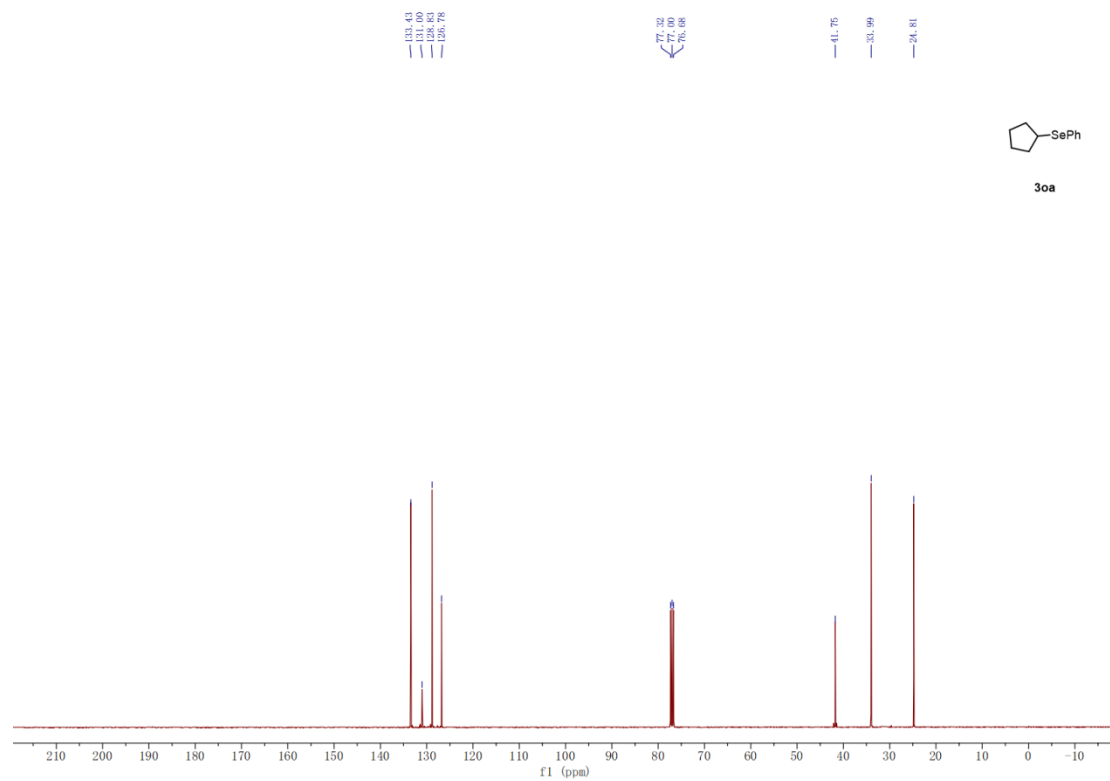


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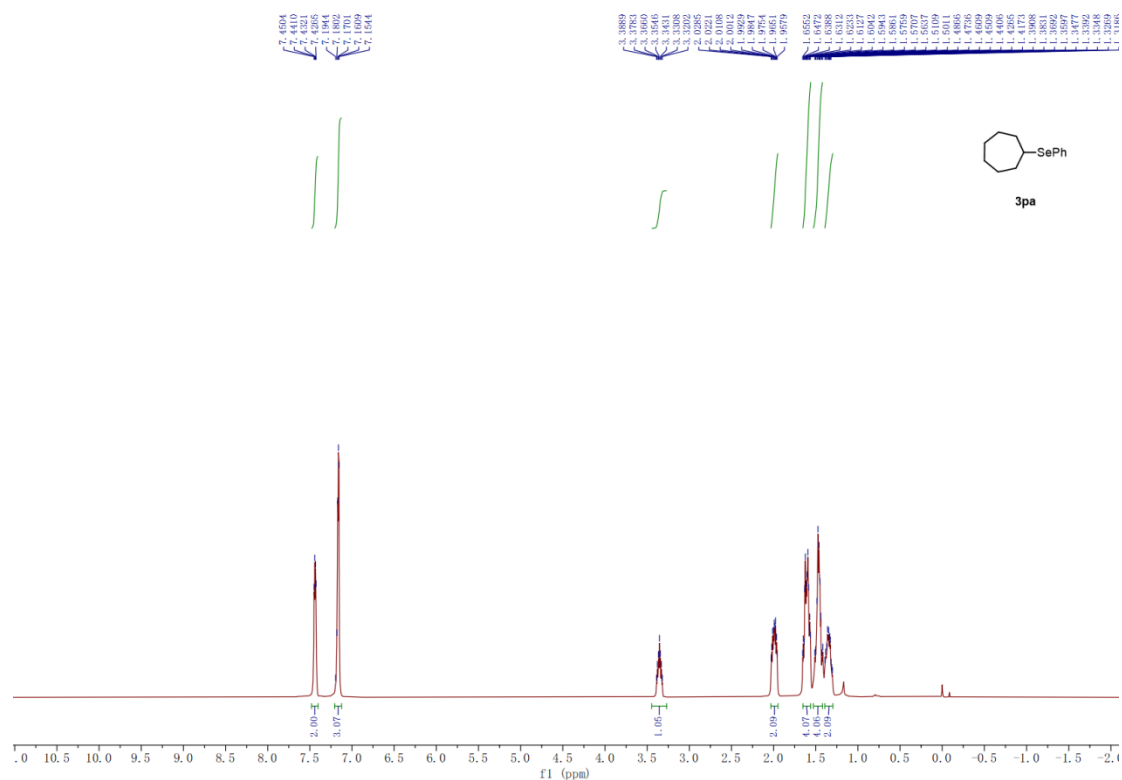


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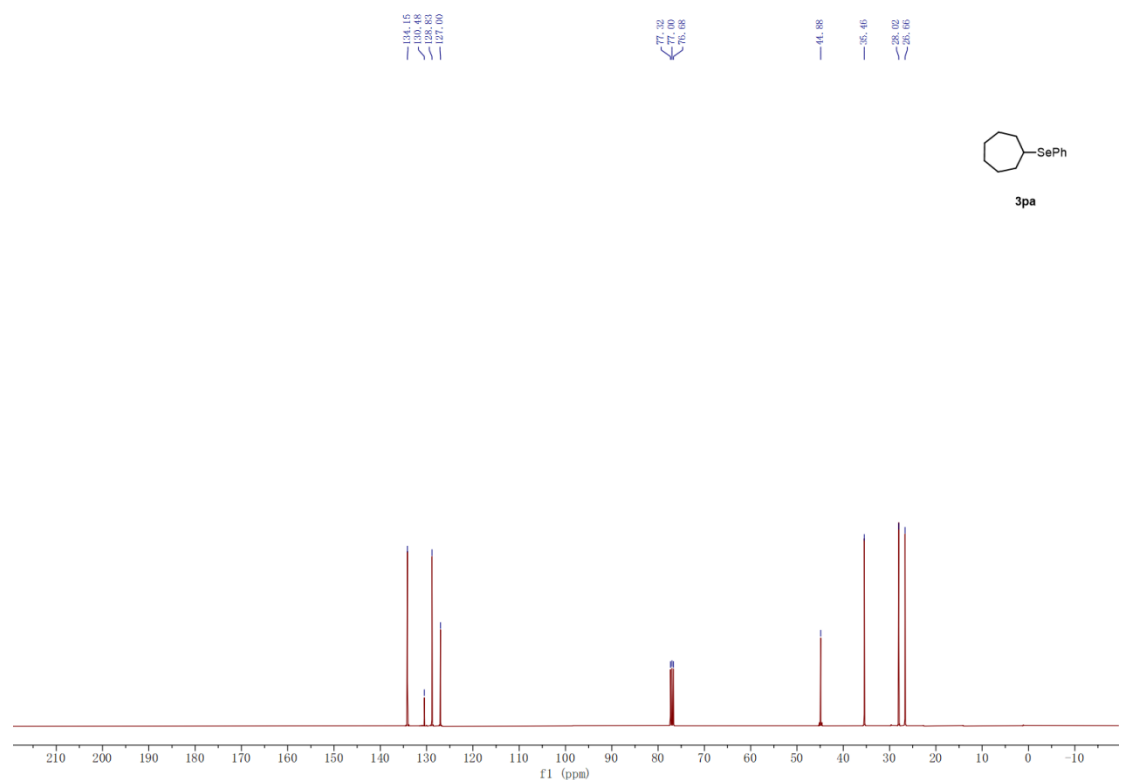


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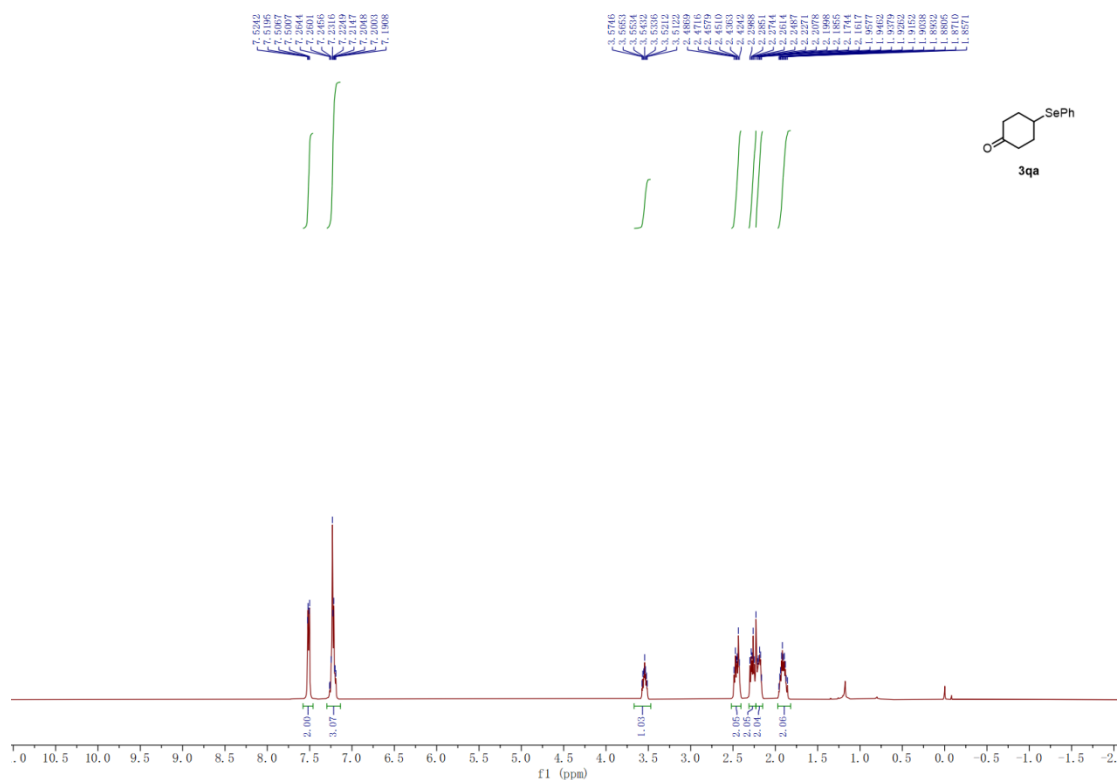


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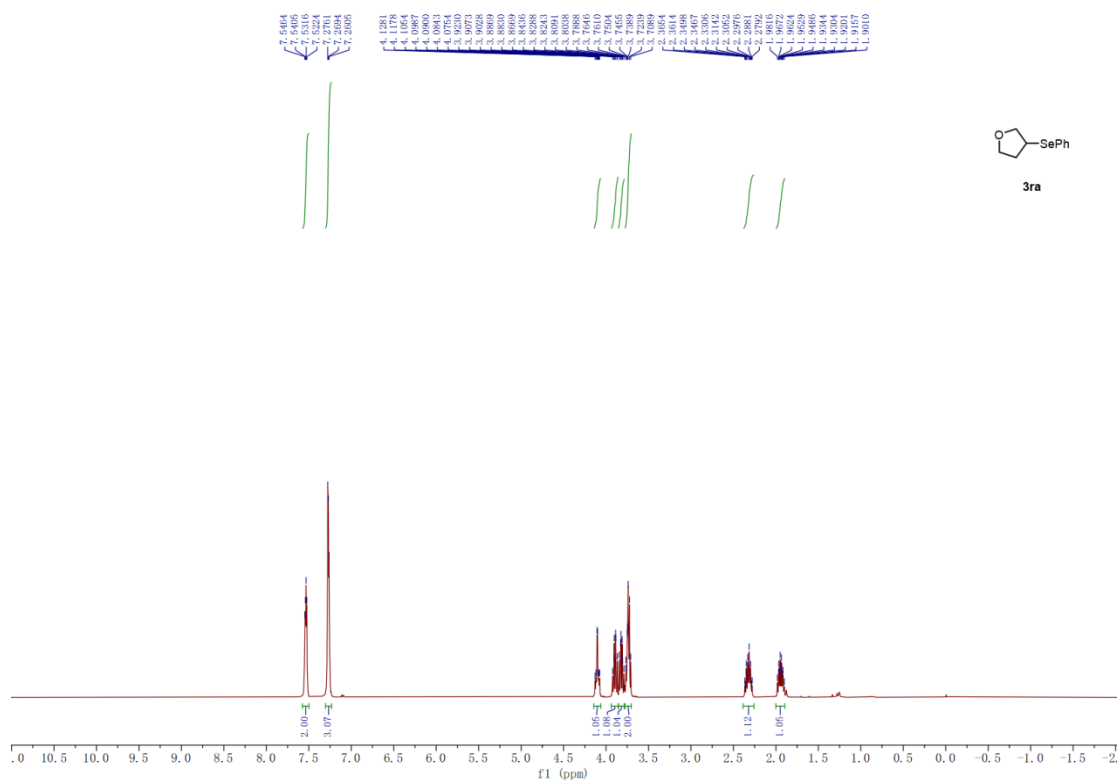
23. 4-(phenylselanyl)cyclohexan-1-one

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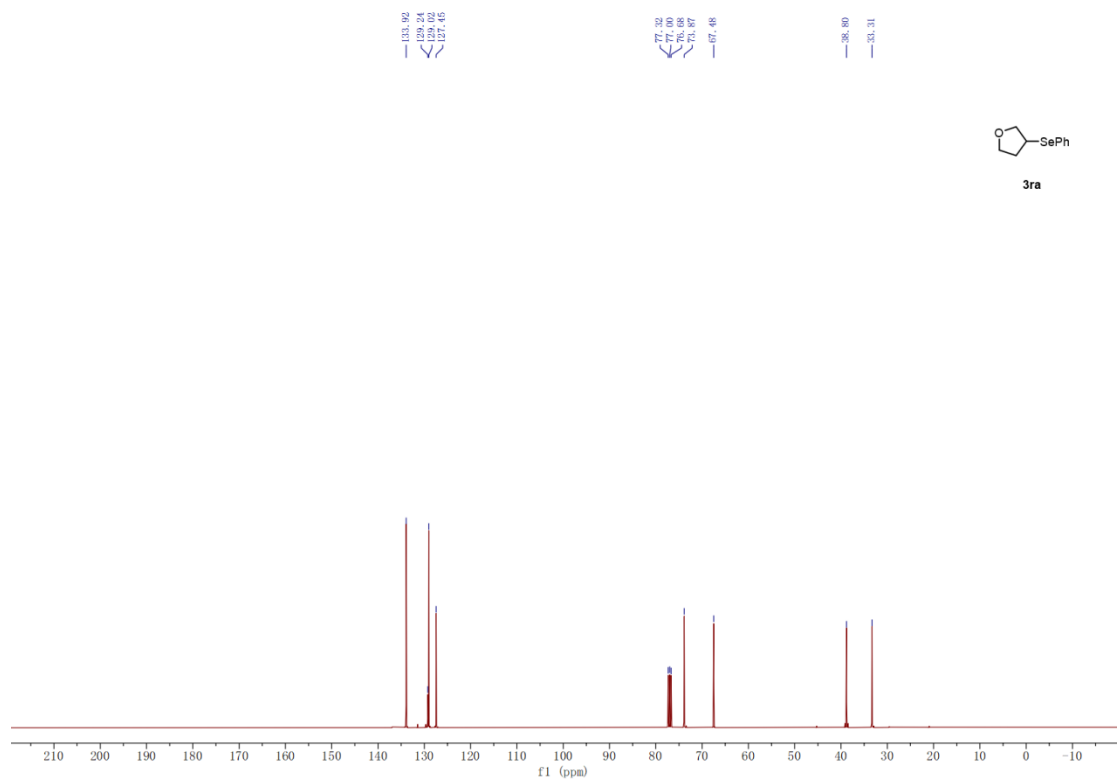


24. 3-(phenylselanyl)tetrahydrofuran

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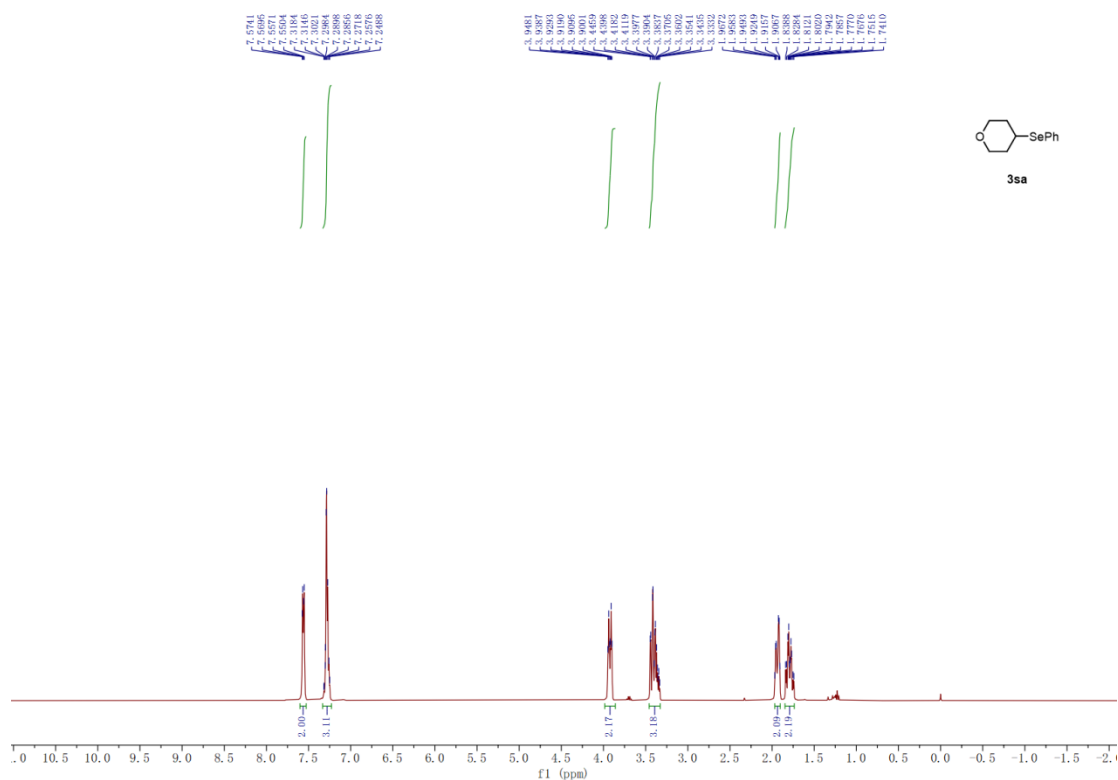


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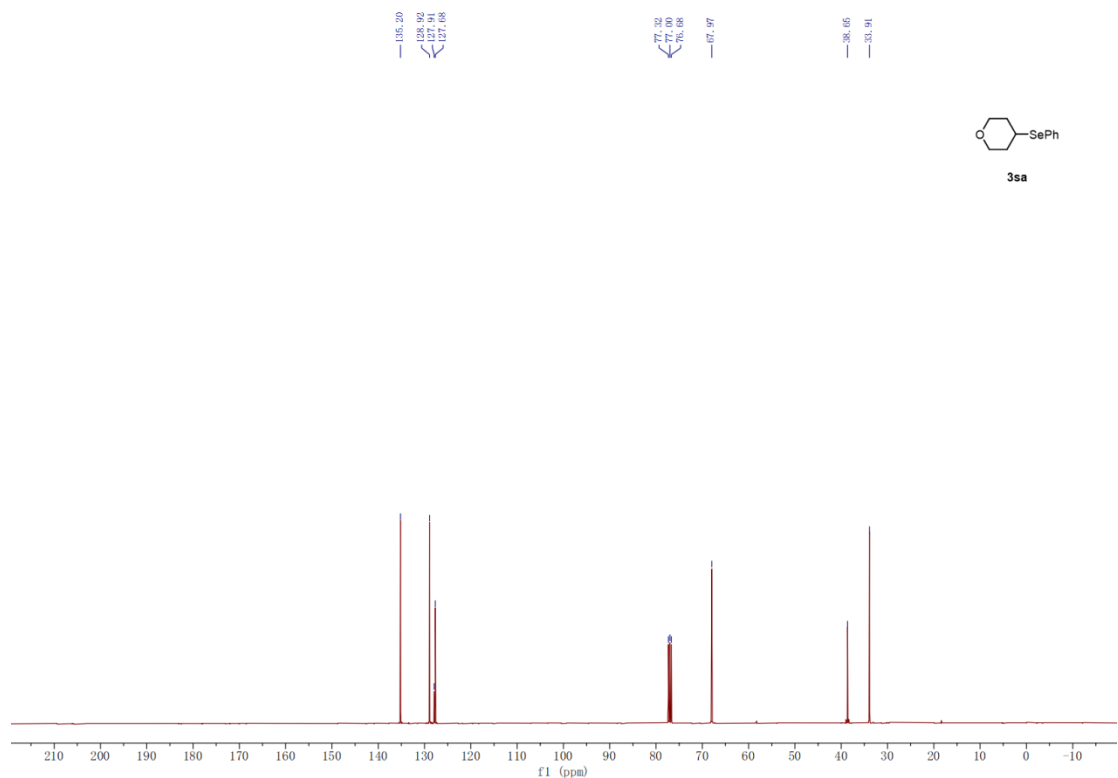


25. 4-(phenylselanyl)tetrahydro-2H-pyran

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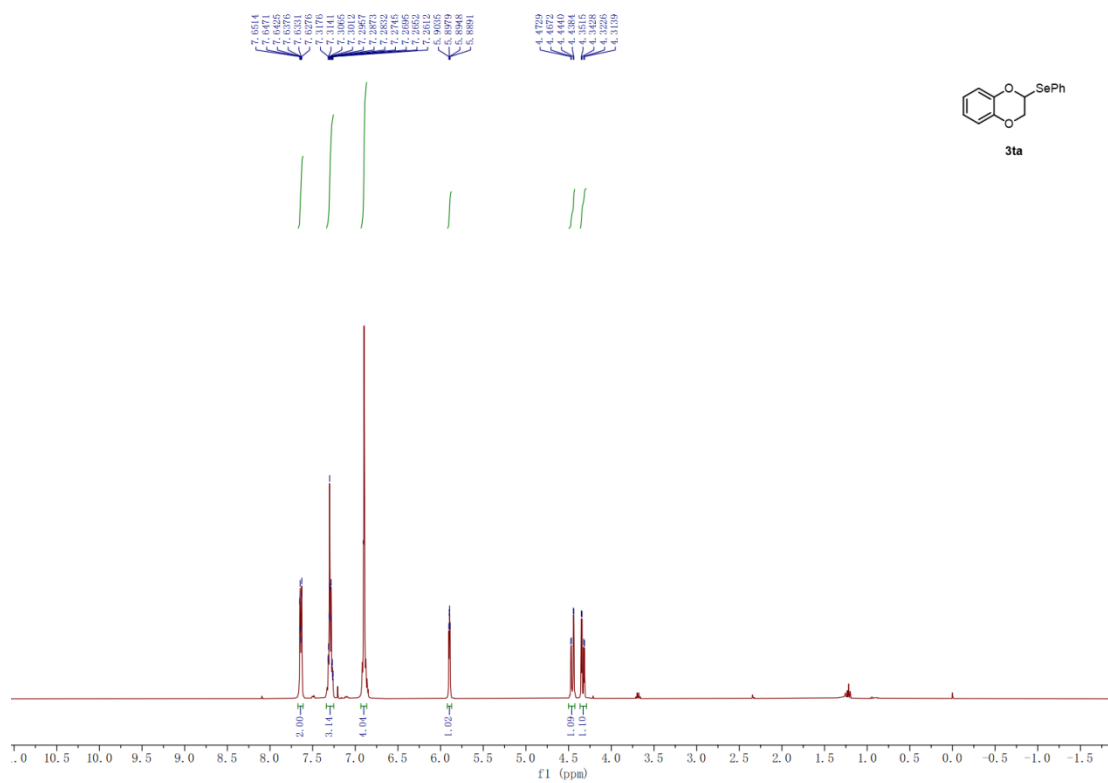


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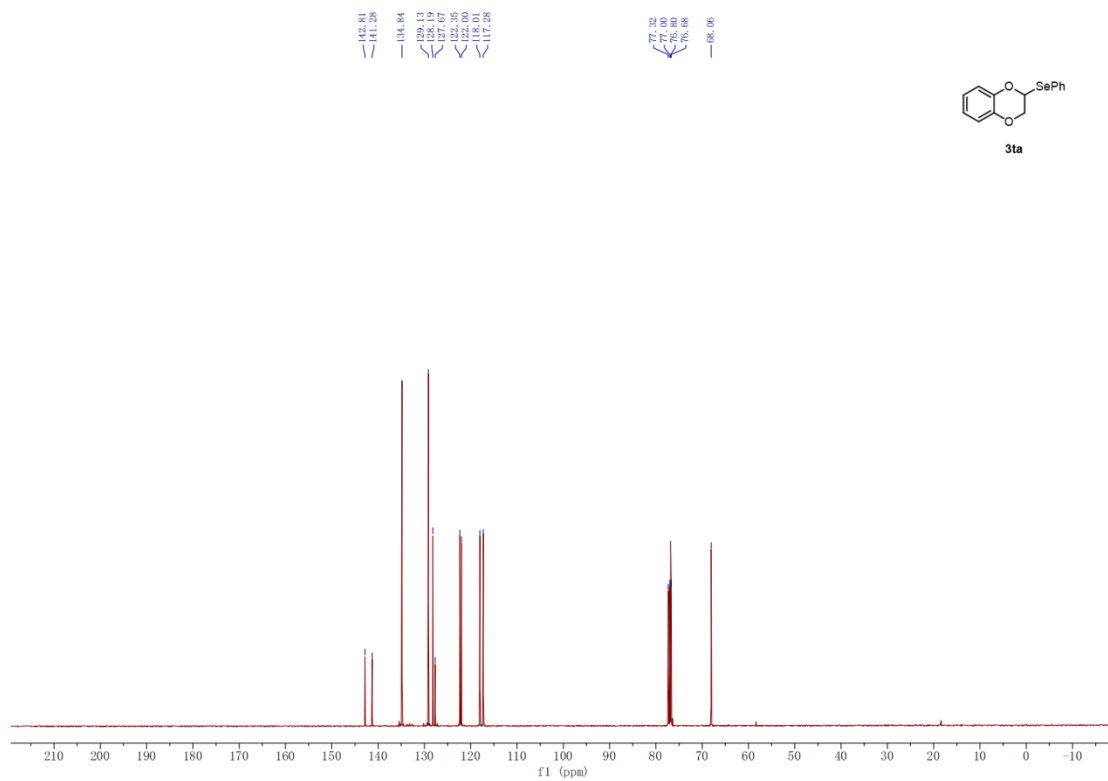


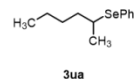
26. 2-(phenylselanyl)-2,3-dihydrobenzo[b][1,4]dioxine

^1H NMR



^{13}C NMR



¹H NMR

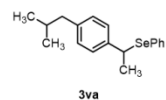
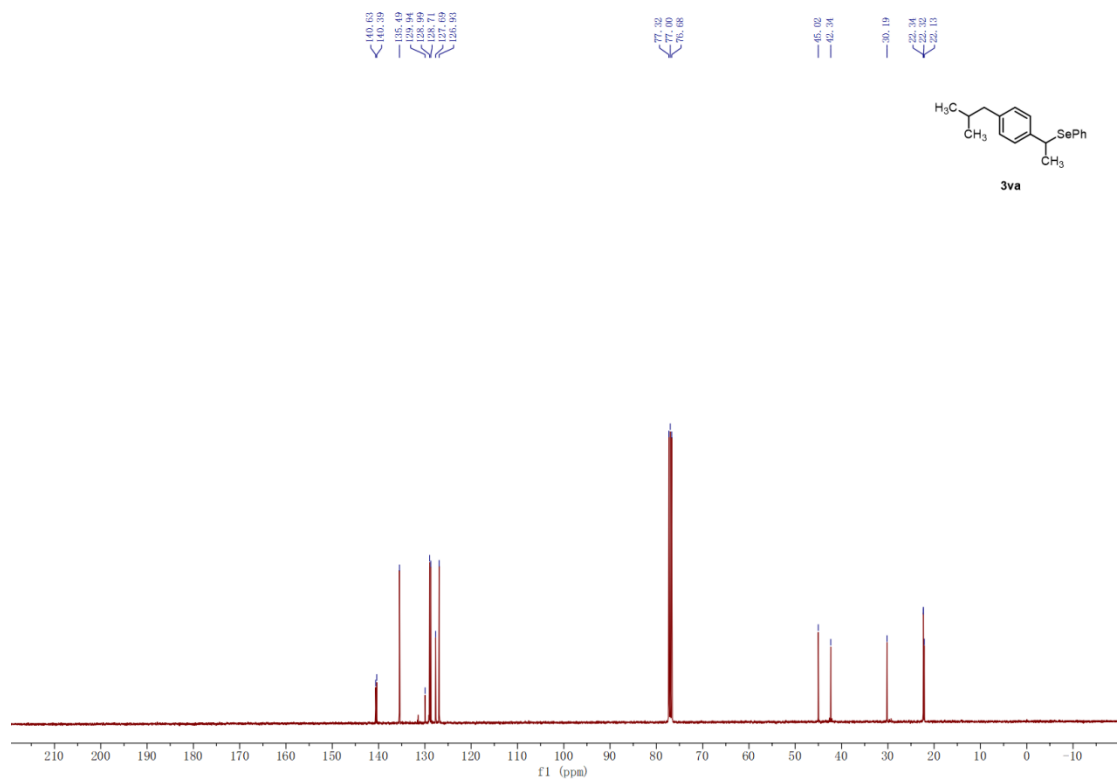
Chemical structure of **3ua** is shown above the spectrum:

CC(C)CC[Se](C1=CC=CC=C1)C1=CC=CC=C1

The spectrum displays several peaks corresponding to the structure, with chemical shifts (ppm) labeled above the peaks:

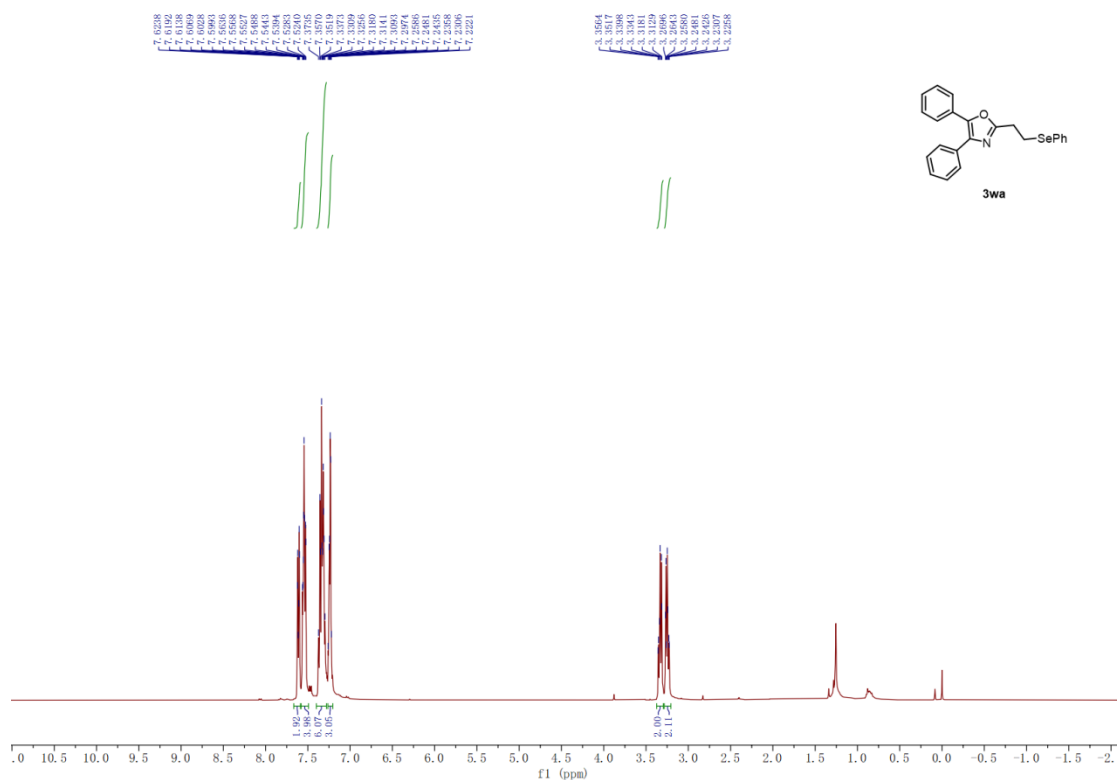
- 134.80, 129.45, 127.20 (Aromatic region)
- 77.02, 77.00, 76.98 (Solvent region)
- 39.73, 37.18, 29.96, 22.44, 22.12, 13.96 (Aliphatic region)

The x-axis is labeled f1 (ppm) and ranges from -10 to 210.

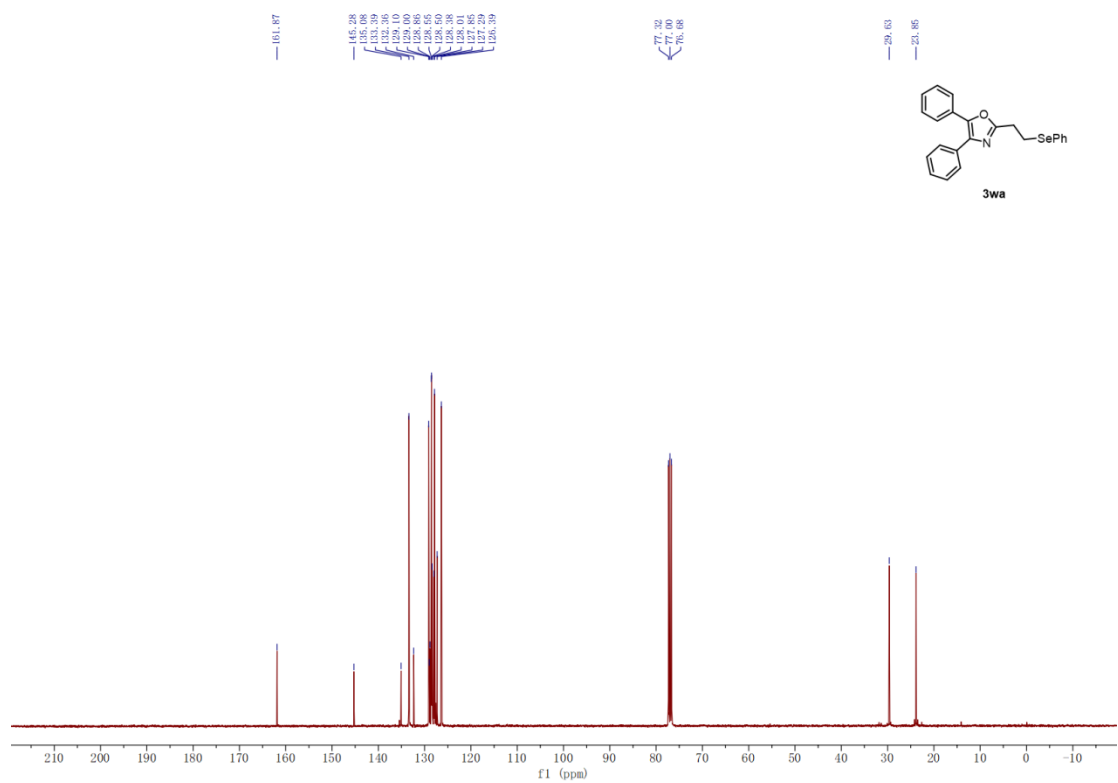
¹H NMR¹³C NMR

29. 4,5-diphenyl-2-(2-(phenylselanyl)ethyl)oxazole

^1H NMR

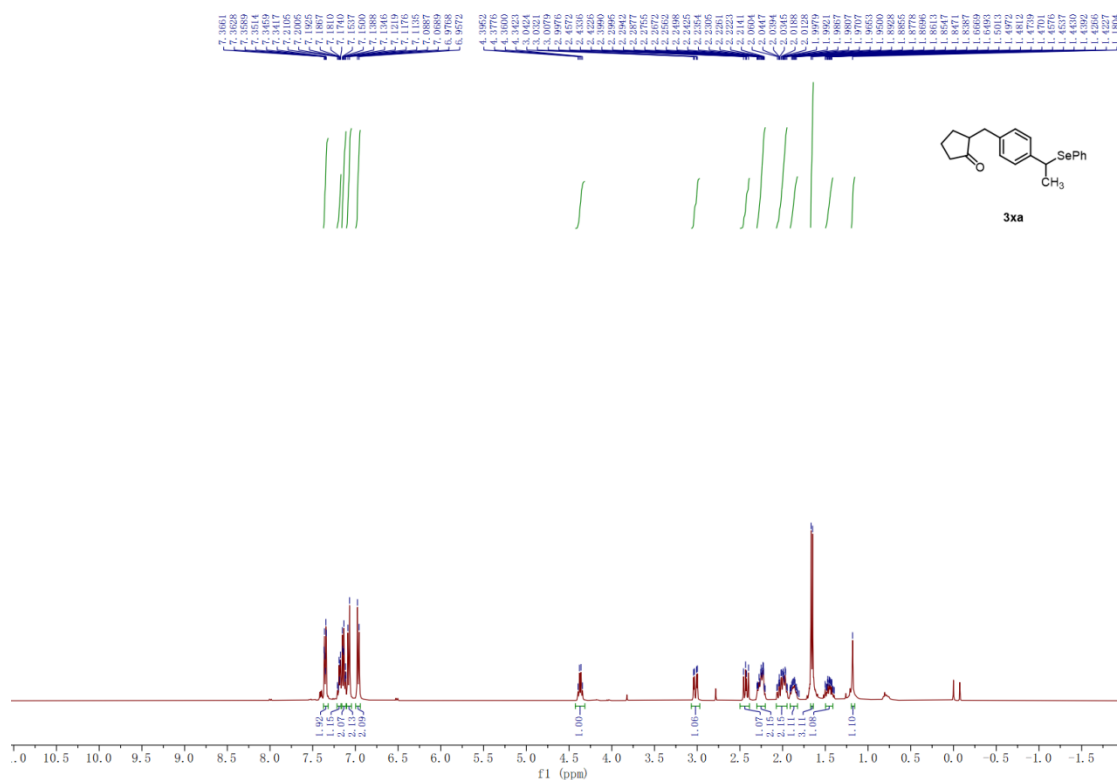


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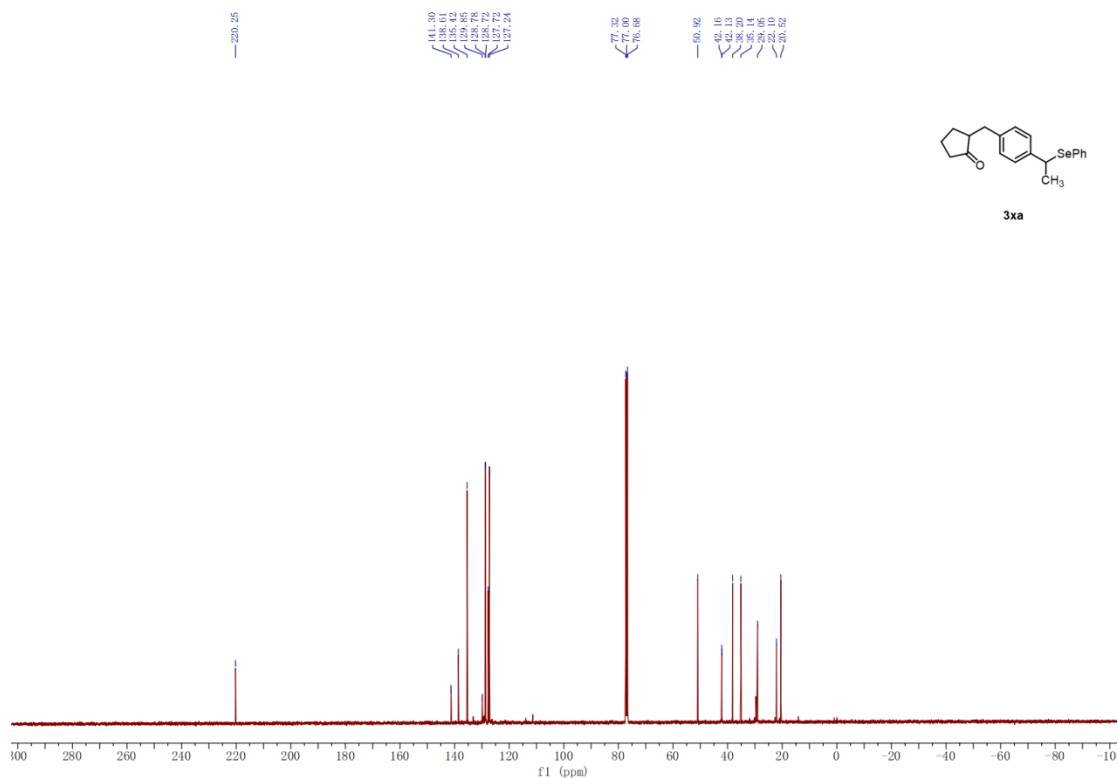


30. 2-(4-(1-(phenylselanyl)ethyl)benzyl)cyclopentan-1-one

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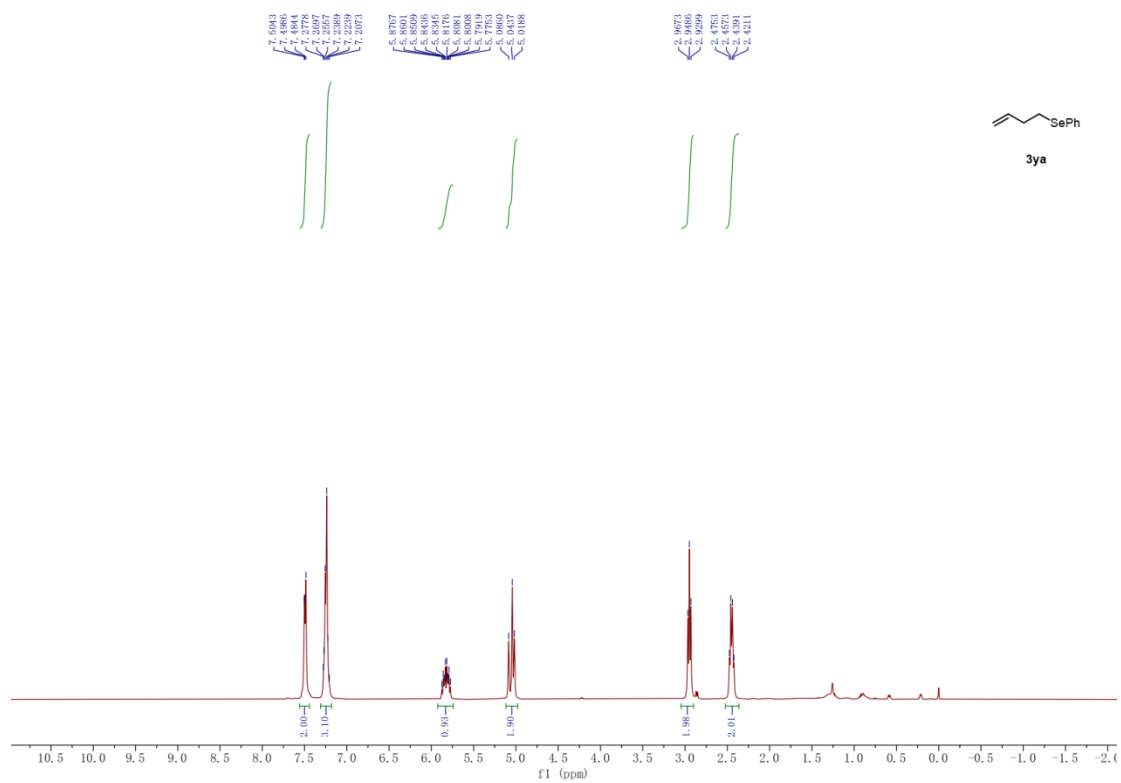


^{13}C NMR



31. but-3-en-1-yl(phenyl)selane

^1H NMR



^{13}C NMR

