

**Supporting Information**

**Eco-friendly and versatile brominating reagent prepared from liquid bromine precursor**

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**Generation of BrOH from 2:1 mole ratio of Br<sup>-</sup>/BrO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>.** Absorption spectra of BrOH were recorded on UV-Vis-NIR CARY-500 spectrophotometer. The absorption spectra vs. time of the 2:1 NaBr:NaBrO<sub>3</sub> (total Br = 0.012 M) reagent in aqueous solution containing 0.011 N HCl is shown in Figure 1 below. The spectra were recorded at 25 °C in 1 cm quartz cell at 5 min intervals immediately after sample preparation with absorbance at 260 nm increasing with time.<sup>1</sup>

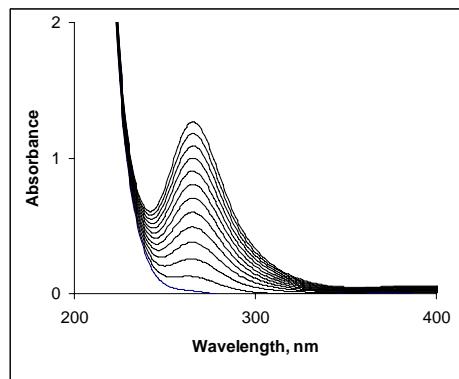


Figure 1

**Reaction Calorimetric study of the BPA to TBBP-A process.** This was carried out in the reaction calorimeter described in the Experimental Section. 15 g (65.8 mmol) of bisphenol A, 75 mL of dichloromethane and 150 mL of an aqueous solution containing

stoichiometric amount of the brominating reagent were taken in the vessel. Stoichiometric amount of 12 N HCl was added slowly through a dropping funnel maintaining the temperature of the reaction mixture between 25-30°C. After addition of HCl, stirring was continued for 30 min and the reaction mixture was drained off. The overall heat evolved 71.9 kJ/kg of reaction mass, which yields an adiabatic temperature rise of 18°C. The total heat evolved was nearly the same as the heat evolved till the completion of addition of HCl indicating that the reaction is fast and goes to completion as HCl addition is over.

### **Analytical data (Table 1)**

**Monobromophenol (entry 1, table 1).** Crude mixture analyzed by GC on SC-30 column with temperature ramp from 120°C to 200°C @ 2°C/min (please see GC below). Peaks at 6.617 min and 14.762 correspond to 2-bromophenol and 4-bromophenol, respectively, in the ratio of 19:81.

**2,4,6-Tribromophenol (entry 2, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz): ( $\delta$ ) 7.7 (2H, s); 5.89 (1H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr): 3407, 3070, 2358, 1552, 1454, 1379, 1317, 1263, 1228, 1158, 856, 736, 667, 552  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 22.04%; H, 0.84%; Calcd. C, 21.75%; H, 0.90%. Melting point: Observed 91-93° C; Reported 92-94° C.

**2,4,4,6-tetrabromo-2,5-cyclohexadienone (entry 3, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.78 (2H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3051, 1680, 1582, 1454, 1310, 900, 702, 663, 634  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 17.16%; H, 0.24%; Calcd. C, 17.56%; H, 0.49%. Melting point: Observed 123-125° C. (Reported 125-130°C)

**4,6-Dibromo-2-chlorophenol (entry 4, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.56 (1H, s); 7.46 (1H, s); 5.91 (1H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3501, 3081, 1707, 1580, 1477, 1399, 1324, 1277, 1184, 1084, 814, 765, 710, 626, 553  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN : Found C, 25.01%; H, 0.74%; Calcd. C, 25.17%; H, 1.04%.

**2,6-Dibromo-4-chlorophenol (entry 5, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.45 (2H, s); 5.86 (1H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3410, 3078, 1555, 1458, 1385, 1319, 1265, 1216, 1158, 855, 740, 701  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN : Found C, 26.70%; H, 1.11%; Calcd. C, 25.17%; H, 1.04%.

**4, 6-Dibromo-2-nitrophenol (entry 6, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 8.41 (1H, s); 8.24 (1H, s); 11.05 (1H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3551, 3473, 3414, 3163, 3074, 1599, 1531, 1450, 1393, 1327, 1242, 1151, 1111, 885, 761, 736, 674, 607, 554  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 24.85%; H, 0.86 %; N, 4.54 %; Calcd. C, 24.24%; H, 1.01%; N, 4.71 %. Melting point: Observed 115-117° C (Reported 118° C).

**2,6-Dibromo-4-nitrophenol (entry 7, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.431 (1H, s); 7.21 (1H, s); 5.54 (1H, broad s); 2.27 (3H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3499, 3404, 3079, 1588, 1565, 1465, 1396, 1316, 1222, 1136, 997, 855, 677, 555  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 24.93%; H, 0.76 %; N, 4.63%; Calcd. C, 24.24%; H, 1.01%; N, 4.71 %. Melting point: Observed 143-145° C (decomposed) (Reported 145° C).

**2,6-Dibromo-4-methyl phenol (entry 8, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.33 (2H, s); 5.84 (1H, broad s); 2.25 (3H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3632, 3497, 2923, 1681, 1560, 1476, 1319, 1274, 1234, 1161, 852, 776, 737, 704, 559  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C,

32.34%; H, 3.12 %; Calcd. C, 31.57; H, 2.25%. Melting point: Observed 49-51°C, (Reported 50° C).

**4,6-Dibromo-2-methyl phenol (entry 9, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.431 (1H, s); 7.21 (1H, s); 5.54 (1H, broad s); 2.27 (3H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3499, 3404, 3079, 1588, 1565, 1465, 1396, 1316, 1222, 1136, 997, 855, 677, 555  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 32.08%; H, 2.10%; Calcd. C, 31.57; H, 2.25%. Melting point: Observed 55-60° C.

**4-Bromo-2,6-dimethyl phenol (entry 10, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.25 (2H, s); 4.61 (1H, broad s); 2.21 (6H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3372, 2977, 2946, 2916, 1609, 1474, 1329, 1188, 1029, 939, 853, 716  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN : Found C, 48.23%; H, 3.98%; Calcd. C, 47.76%; H, 4.47%. Melting point: Observed 76-81° C (Reported. 76° C).

**2, 6 Dibromo-4-Bu<sup>t</sup> phenol (entry 11, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.42 (2H, s); 5.95 (1H,broad s) 1.24 (9H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3634, 3506, 2963, 2908, 2869, 1725, 1558, 1478, 1393, 1364, 1321, 1243, 1205, 1162, 1044, 870, 821, 737, 710  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 40.09%; H, 4.45%; Calcd. C, 38.96%; H, 3.89%.

**1-Bromo-2-naphthol (entry 12, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 8.01-8.05 (1H,d  $J= 8.0$ ); 7.79 (2H, d  $J=8.0$ ); 7.59 (1H, t  $J= 6.0$ ); 7.42 (1H, t  $J= 8.0$ ); 7.27 (1H, t  $J=6.0$ ); 5.21 (1H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3275, 3056, 1629, 1601, 1500, 1432, 1347, 1301, 1234, 984, 928, 810, 744, 517  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 54.09%; H, 2.65%; Calcd. C, 53.80%; H, 3.13%. Melting point: Observed 78-82° C (Reported 80 ° C).

**Tetrabromobisphenol-A (entry 13, table 1).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.25 (4H, s); 5.79 (2H, s); 1.58 (6H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3514, 3479, 2987, 1554, 1472, 1396, 1363, 1321, 1273, 1239, 1160, 1129, 868, 778, 731, 707, 615  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C:

32.80%; H, 2.25; Calcd. C, 33.08%; H, 2.20%. Melting point: Observed 178-180° C (Reported 179-182 °C).

### Analytical data (Table 2)

**2,4,6-Tribromoaniline (entry 1, table 2).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.5 (2H, s); 4.55 (2H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3414, 3290, 1615, 1562, 1541, 1454, 1382, 1066, 859, 732, 706, 547  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 22.10%; H, 1.04%; N, 4.14%; Calcd. C, 21.81%; H, 1.21%; N, 4.24%. Melting point: Observed 120-123° C (Reported 120-122° C).

**2, 6-Dibromo-4-nitroaniline (entry 2, table 2).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 8.34 (2H, s); 6.64 (2H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3480, 3372, 1604, 1501, 1472, 1319, 1299, 1269, 1126, 899, 731, 693  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 24.82%; H, 0.59%; N, 9.39%; Calcd. C, 24.32%; H, 1.35%; N, 9.45%. Melting point: Observed 205-207° C (Reported 206-208° C).

**4, 6-Dibromo-2-nitroaniline (entry 3, table 2).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 8.29 (1H, s); 7.81 (1H, s); 6.64 (2H, broad s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3465, 3352, 1623, 1542, 1495, 1444, 1344, 1317, 1254, 1118, 1095, 873, 760, 689  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 24.70 %; H, 0.60%; N, 9.01 %; Calcd. C, 24.32 %; H, 1.35 %; N, 9.46 %. Melting point: Observed 115-117° C (Reported 128° C).

**2,6-Dibromo-4-methylaniline (entry 4, table 2).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.2 (2H, s); 4.38 (2H, broad s); 2.07 (3H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3422, 3306, 2914, 1618, 1581, 1477, 1285, 1212, 1058, 853, 733, 706, 637, 557  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 32.19%; H,

2.18%; N, 5.18%; Calcd. C, 31.69%, H, 2.64%; N, 5.28%. Melting point: Observer 73-76° C (Reported 75° C).

**4-Bromo N, N-dimethylaniline (entry 5, table 2).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.31 (2H, d  $J= 8.0$ ); 6.6 (2H, d  $J= 8.0$  ); 2.91 (6H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3550, 3474, 3415, 2880, 2805, 1592, 1501, 1445, 1354, 1223, 1190, 1165, 1062, 944, 805, 750, 579, 505  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 47.22%; H, 4.33%; N, 6.74%; Calcd. C, 48.00%; H, 5.00%; N, 7.00%. Melting point: Observed 53-55° C (Reported 55° C).

### Analytical data (Table 3)

**4-Bromoanisole (entry 1, table 3).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$ -( $\text{CDCl}_3$ - 200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.38-7.34 (2H, d  $J= 8.0$ ); 6.79-6.75 (2H, d  $J=8.0$  ); 3.83 (3H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (Nujal Mull ) 3071, 3005, 2959, 2937, 2837, 2538, 2279, 2036, 1871, 1580, 1487, 1380, 1288, 1247, 1179, 1032, 871, 822, 750, 680, 621, 600, 507  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  . CHN: Found C, 44.29%; H, 3.17%; Calcd. C, 44.92%; H, 3.74.

**2,5-Dibromo-1,4-dimethoxy benzene (entry 2, table 3).**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -TMS) ( $\delta$ ) 7.10 (2H, s); 3.85 (6H, s). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3494, 3099, 2969, 2944, 1699, 1667, 1494, 1436, 1358, 1275, 1212, 1185, 1065, 1021, 859, 759  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  . [Fig 5.17(B)]. CHN: Found C, 33.16%; H, 2.00%; Calcd. C, 32.43%, H, 2.70%. Melting point: Observed 140-143° C (Reported 147° C).

**4-Bromoacetanilide (entry 3, table 3)**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.44 (4H, m); 2.04 (3H, s), 1.66 (1H, s); IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr) 3557, 3477, 3294, 3259, 3185, 3113, 1671, 1604, 1535, 1487, 1392, 1369, 1312, 1257, 1170, 1005, 822, 743, 690, 504  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN:

Found C, 44.89%; H, 3.36%; N, 6.5%; Calcd. C, 44.85%; H, 3.77%; N, 6.54%. Melting point: 166-168° C (Reported 167-169° C).

**Bromobenzene (entry 4, table 3)**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 7.46 (2H, d  $J=8.0$ ); 7.19 (3H, d  $J=8.0$ ). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (Neat) 3065, 1577, 1474, 1442, 1068, 1019, 999, 735, 682, 673  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 45.66%; H, 3.22%; Calcd. C, 45.86%, H, 3.18%. Boiling point: Observed 154-156°C (Reported 156°C ).

**1-Bromonaphthalene (entry 5, table 3)**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ -200 MHz) ( $\delta$ ) 8.21 (1H, d  $J=8.0$ ); 7.71-7.68 (3H, d  $J=6.0$ ); 7.54-7.39 ( 2H, m) 7.23-7.16 (1H, t  $J=8.0$ ). IR:  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (Neat) 3054, 1591, 1561, 1501, 1378, 1253, 1199, 1161, 1135, 1021, 955, 790, 764, 650  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . CHN: Found C, 55.01%; H, 3.33%; Calcd. C, 57.97%; H: 3.38%.

#### Analytical Data (Table 4)

**2-Bromo-malonic acid diethyl ester (entry 1, Table 4).** Yellowish oil; IR (neat): 1715 $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 300 MHz):  $\delta$  1.32 (t,  $J = 7.2\text{Hz}$ , 3H), 4.30 (q,  $J = 7.2\text{Hz}$ , 2H), 4.85 (s, 1H);  $^{13}\text{CNMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 75 MHz)  $\delta$  13.8 (2C), 55.4, 63.1 (2C), 164.4 (2C)

**2-Bromo-malonic acid dimethyl ester (entry 2, Table 4).** Yellow oil; IR (neat): 1722 $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 300 MHz):  $\delta$  3.85 (s, 6H), 4.87 (s, 1H);  $^{13}\text{CNMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 75 MHz):  $\delta$  41.5, 53.9 (2C), 164.9 (2C)

**2-Bromo-3-oxo-butyric acid ethyl ester (entry 3, Table 4).** Yellow oil; IR (neat) 1728 $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{HNMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 300 MHz):  $\delta$  1.34 (t,  $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 3H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 4.29 (q,  $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 4.77 (s, 1H);  $^{13}\text{CNMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 75 MHz):  $\delta$  13.8, 26.3, 49.0, 63.1, 165.0, 196.3

**2-Bromo-1,3-diphenyl-propane-1,3-dione(entry 4, Table 4).** White solid; mp 97-99 °C ; IR (KBr):1672, 1693 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz): δ 6.61 (s,1H), 7.42-7.47 (m, 4H), 7.56-7.60 (m, 2H), 7.97-7.99 (m, 4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz): δ 52.4,128.8 (4C), 129.0 (4C), 133.5 (2C), 134.1 (2C),188.8 (2C)

**2-Bromo-1-phenyl-butane-1,3-dione(entry 5, Table 4).** Red oil; IR (neat): 1679, 1716, 1739cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz): δ 2.44 (s, 3H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 7.47-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.64 (m, 1H), 7.96-7.98 (m, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz): δ 27.1, 52.9, 126.9 (2C), 128.5 (2C), 133.6, 134.4, 189.9,198.0

**1-Bromo-2-oxo-cyclopentanecarboxylic acid ethyl ester (entry 7, Table 4).** Brownish oil; ν<sub>max</sub>(neat)/cm<sup>-1</sup> 1722, 1759; δ<sub>H</sub>/CDCl<sub>3</sub> 1.31 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 2.10-2.18 (m, 2H), 2.25-2.52 (m, 3H), 2.70-2.81 (m, 1H), 4.29 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H); δ<sub>C</sub>/CDCl<sub>3</sub> 13.8, 19.3, 35.2, 38.6, 54.6, 63.0, 166.7, 205.8. (Found: C, 40.57, H, 4.52. C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Br requires C, 40.87; 4.72 %).

**1-Bromo-3-methyl-2-oxo-cyclohexanecarboxylic acid methyl ester (entry 8, Table 4).** Yellow oil; ν<sub>max</sub>(neat)/cm<sup>-1</sup> 1725, 1755; δ<sub>H</sub>/CDCl<sub>3</sub> 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.36-1.38 (m,2H), 1.70-1.77 (m, 1H), 1.97-2.13 (m, 2H) 2.48-2.54 (m, 1H) 2.98-3.04 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H); δ<sub>C</sub>/CDCl<sub>3</sub> 15.2, 24.2, 35.7, 42.1, 44.2, 53.5, 68.2, 168.2, 199.2. (Found: C, 43.19; H, 5.11.C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>13</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Br requires C, 43.39; H, 5.26%).

#### Analytical data (Table 5)

**1-Bromo-2-hexanol (entry 1, table 5)** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR - (CDCl<sub>3</sub>-200 MHz)- (δ) 0.875-0.91 (3H, t *J*=6); 1.36-1.57 (6H, m); 2.16 (1H, br s); 3.34-3.53 (2H, m); 3.77 (1H, m). IR:

$\nu_{\max}$  (Neat) 3393, 2958, 2932, 2862, 1463, 1423, 1379, 1254, 1221, 1125, 1032, 903, 833, 789, 730, 663 cm<sup>-1</sup>. CHN: Found C, 38.39%; H, 7.34%; Calcd. C, 39.78%; H, 7.18 %.

**1-Bromo-2-octanol (entry 2, table 5)** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR- (CDCl<sub>3</sub>-200 MHz)- ( $\delta$ ) 0.84-0.88 (3H, t J= 4); 1.28-1.53 (10H, m); 1.99 (1H, s); 3.33-3.56 (2H, m); 3.78-3.82 (1H, m). IR:  $\nu_{\max}$  (Neat) 3393, 2928, 2857, 1463, 1423, 1378, 1223, 1127, 1036, 663 cm<sup>-1</sup>. CHN: Found C, 43.89%; H, 6.48%; Calcd. C, 45.93%; H, 8.13%.

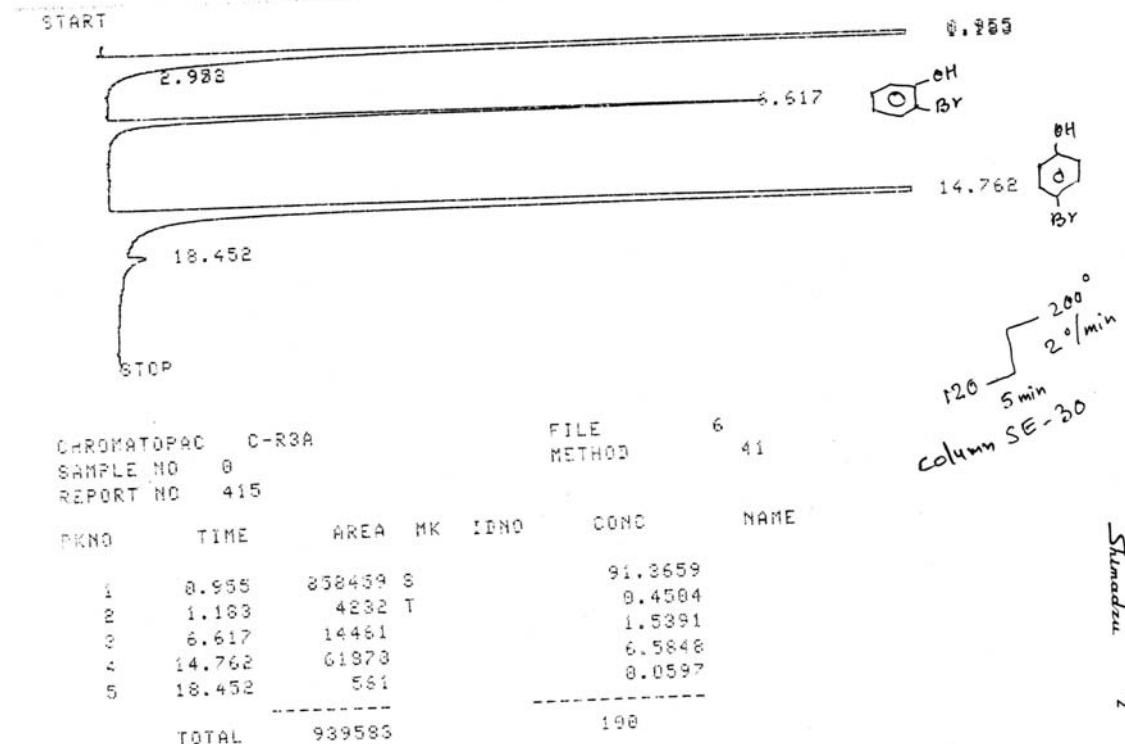
**2-Bromocyclohexanol (entry 3, table 5)** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR- (CDCl<sub>3</sub>-200 MHz)- ( $\delta$ ) 1.22-1.42 (3H, m); 1.65-1.88 (3H, m); 2.09-2.16 (1H, m); 2.24-2.37 (1H, m); 2.57 (1H, s); 3.55-3.67 (1H, m); 3.84-3.96 (1H, m). IR:  $\nu_{\max}$  (Neat) 3400, 2938, 2861, 1726, 1449, 1360, 1253, 1186, 1073, 956, 862, 690 cm<sup>-1</sup>. CHN: Found C, 40.06%; H, 6.19%; Calcd. C, 40.22%; H, 6.15%.

**2-Bromo-1-phenylethanol (entry 4, table 5)** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>-200 MHz)- ( $\delta$ ) 2.53 (1H, s); 3.53-3.61 (2H, m); 4.88-4.94 (1H, dd J= 4 & 4); 7.18-7.30 (5H, m). IR:  $\nu_{\max}$  (Neat) 3403, 3063, 3031, 2962, 2893, 1956, 1887, 1813, 1680, 1493, 1452, 1420, 1256, 1217, 1198, 1118, 1061, 1028, 990, 917, 870, 813, 762, 701, 666, 592 cm<sup>-1</sup>. CHN: Found C, 48.05%; H, 4.75%; Calcd. C, 47.76%; H, 4.47%.

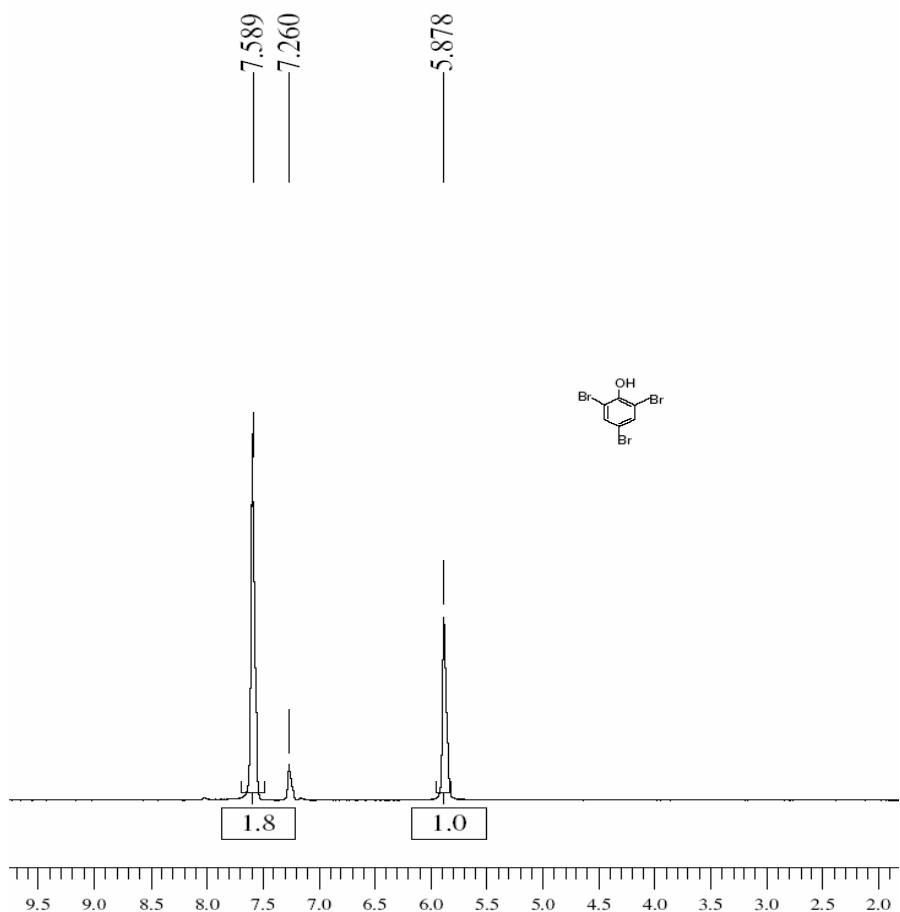
**2-Bromo-1-[4-methylphenyl] ethanol (entry 5, Table 5):** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR- (CDCl<sub>3</sub>-200 MHz)- ( $\delta$ ) 2.63 (3H, s); 3.54-3.61 (2H, m); 4.88-4.94 (1H, dd J= 4 & 4); 7.25-7.36 (5H, m). IR:  $\nu_{\max}$  (Neat) 3400, 3024, 2960, 2922, 1613, 1514, 1421, 1379, 1312, 1217, 1198, 1067, 1021, 993, 818, 765, 722, 643 cm<sup>-1</sup>. CHN: Found C, 47.68%; H, 4.47%; Calcd. C, 50.23%; H, 5.11%.

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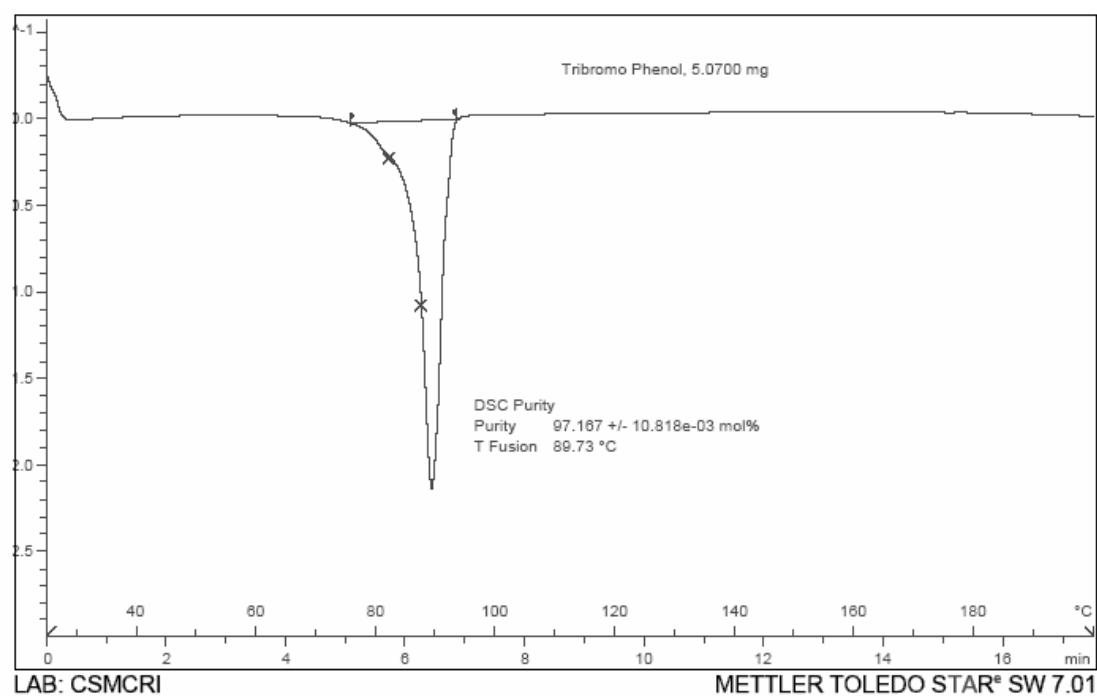
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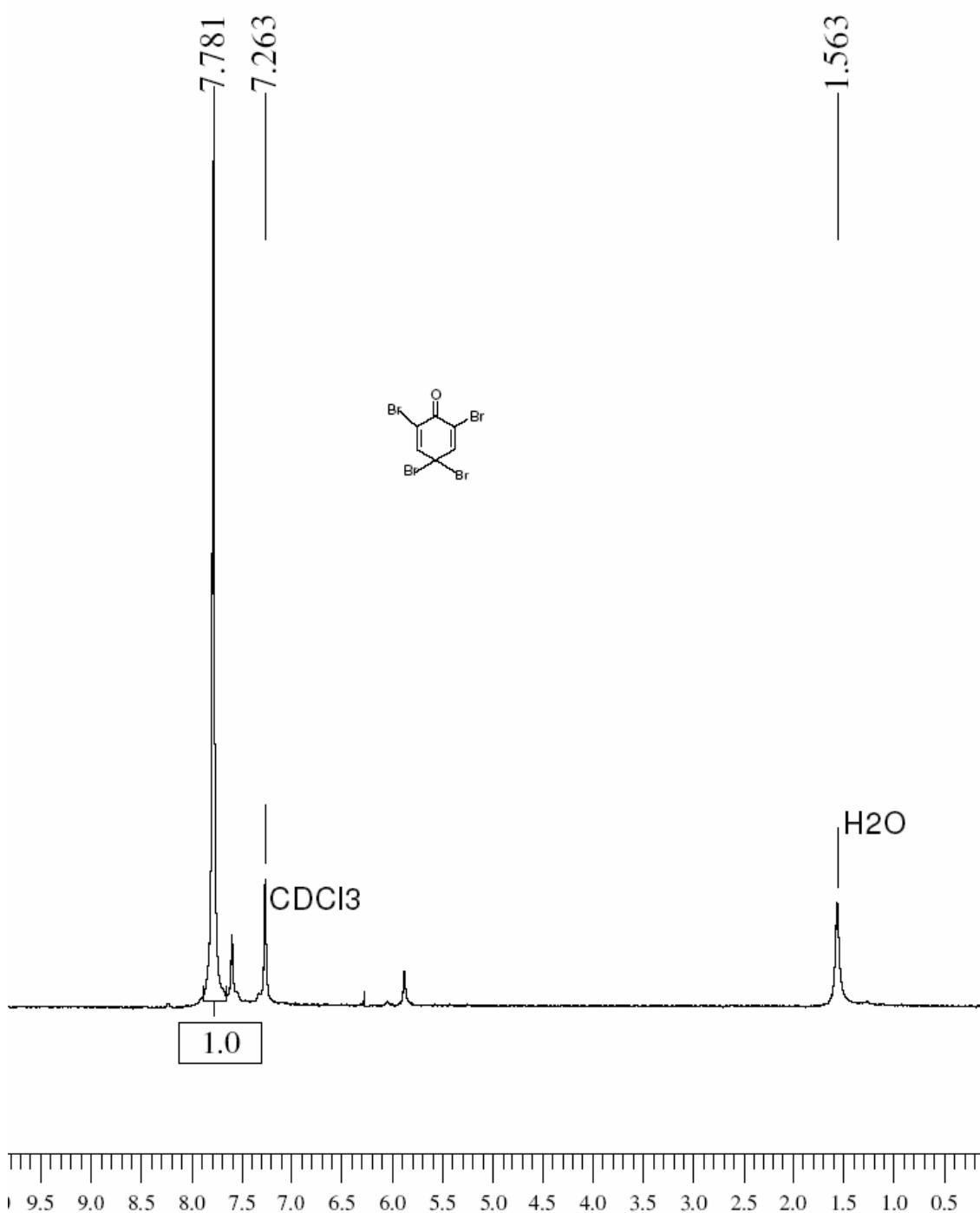
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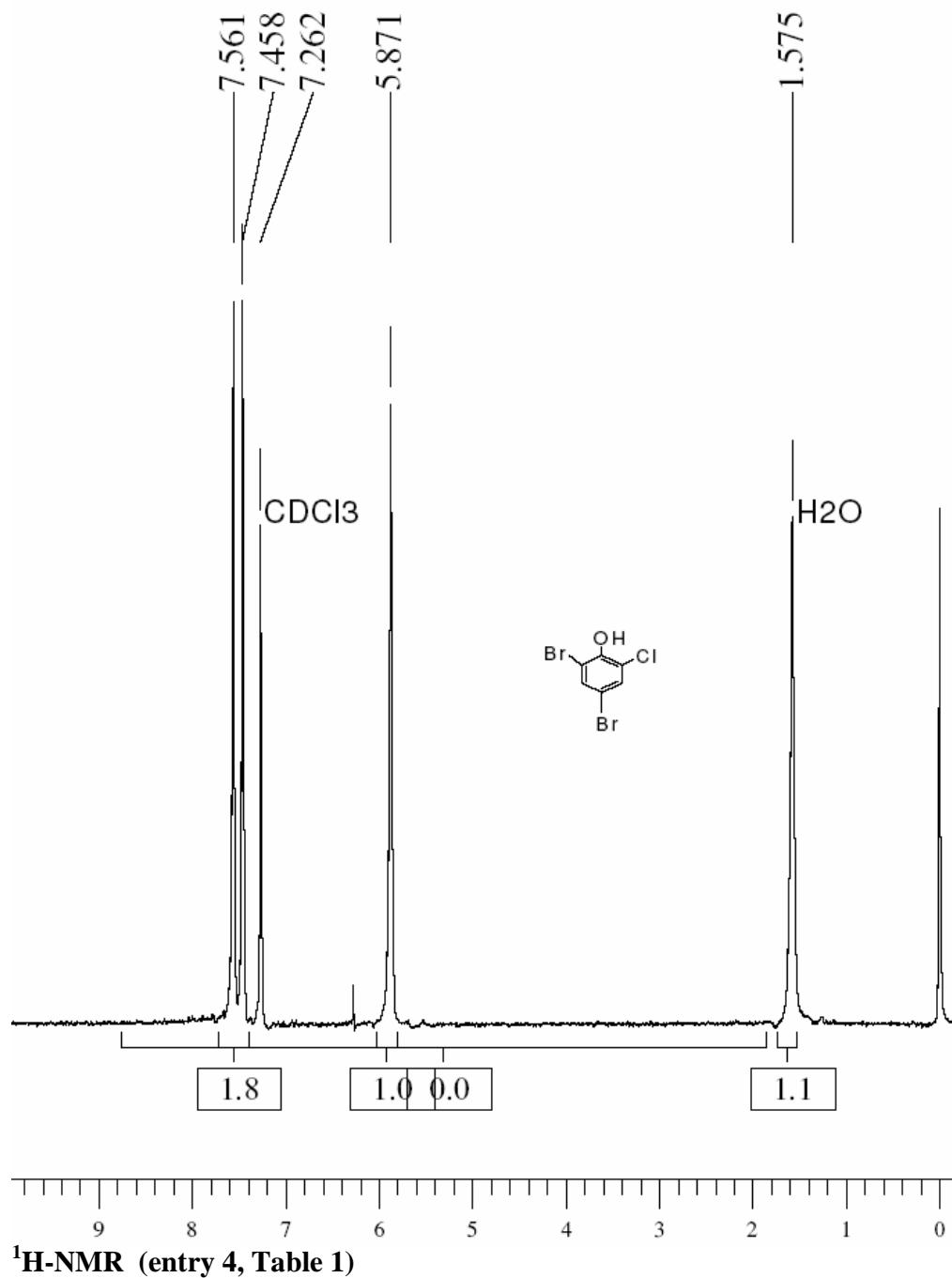
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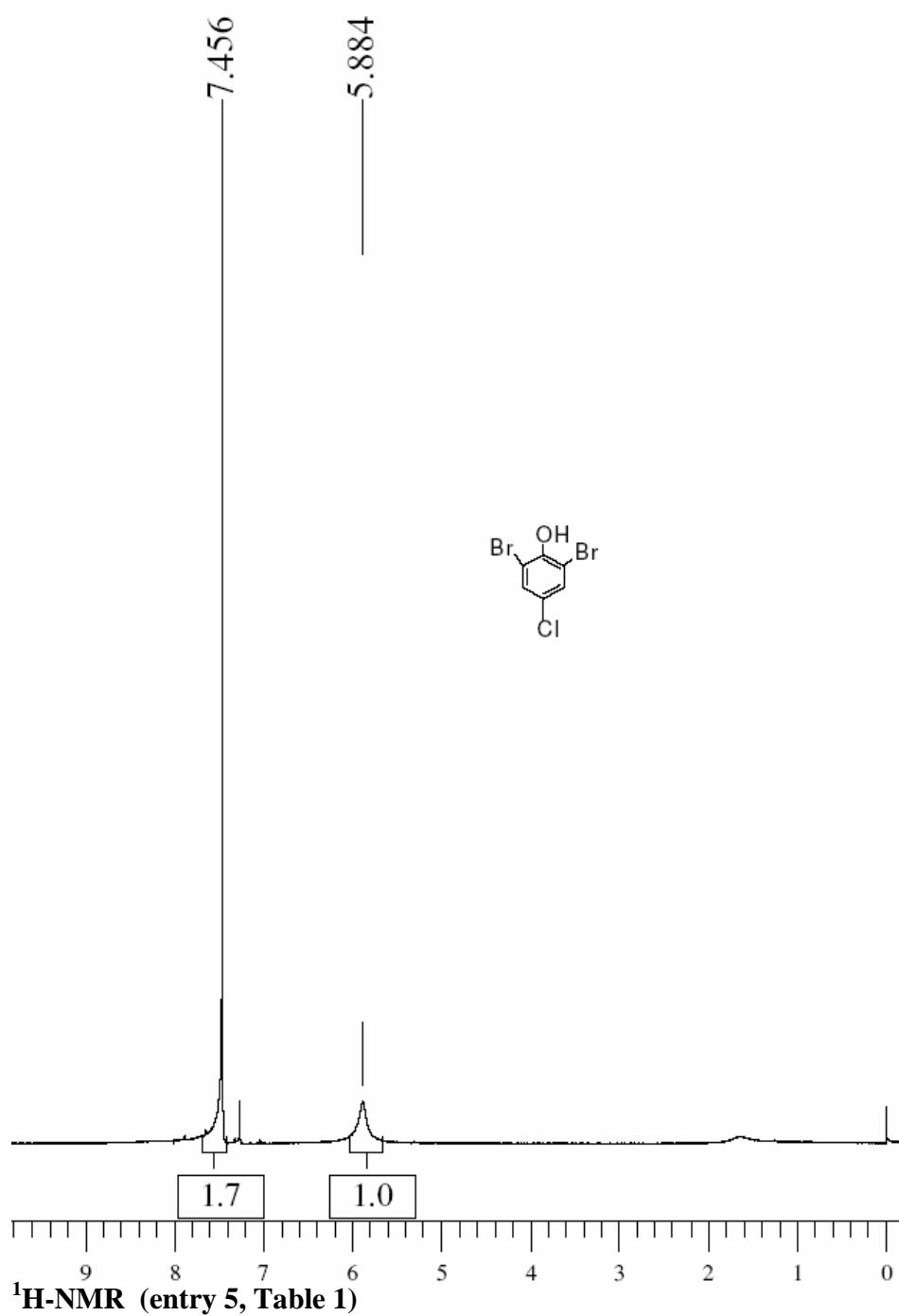


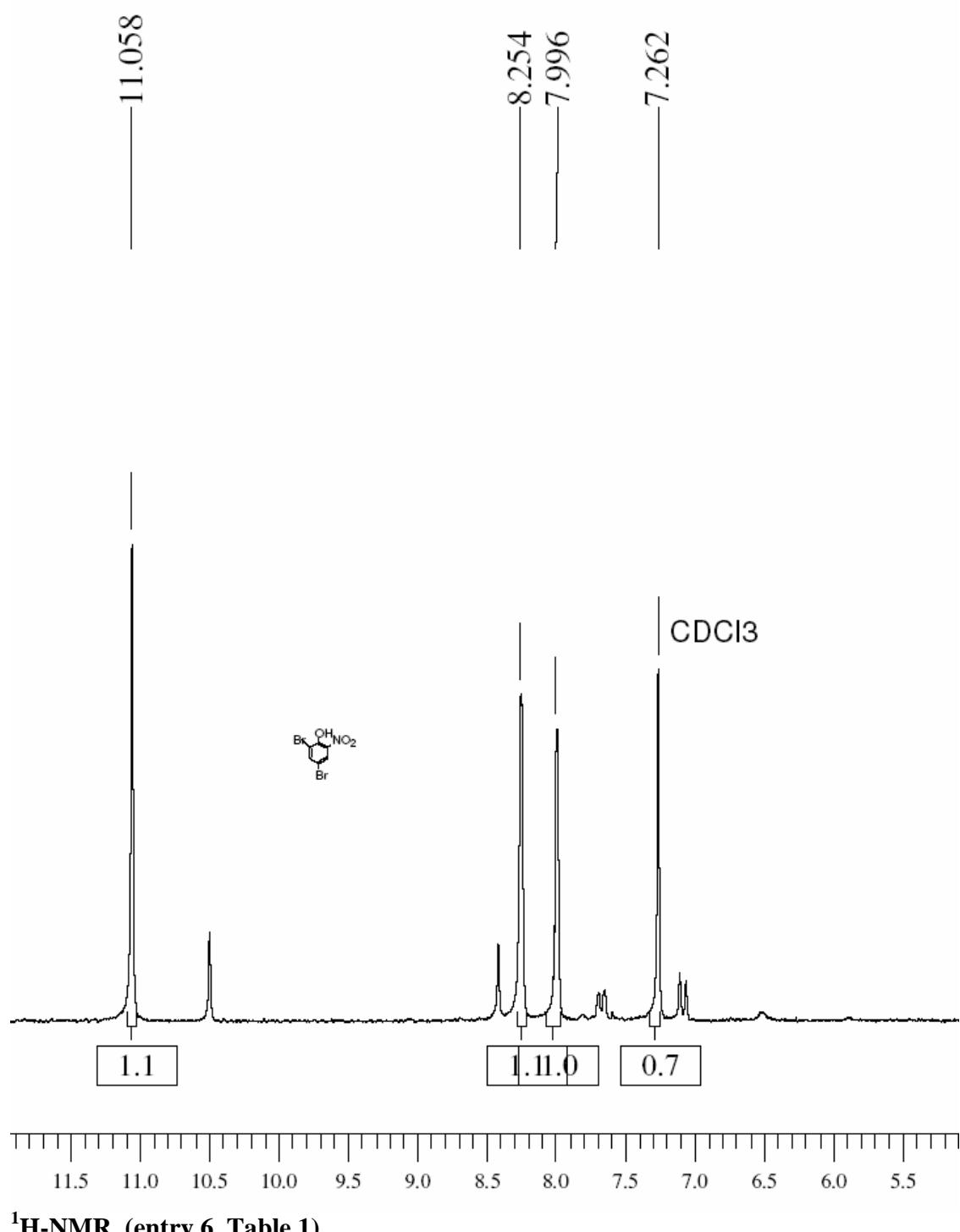
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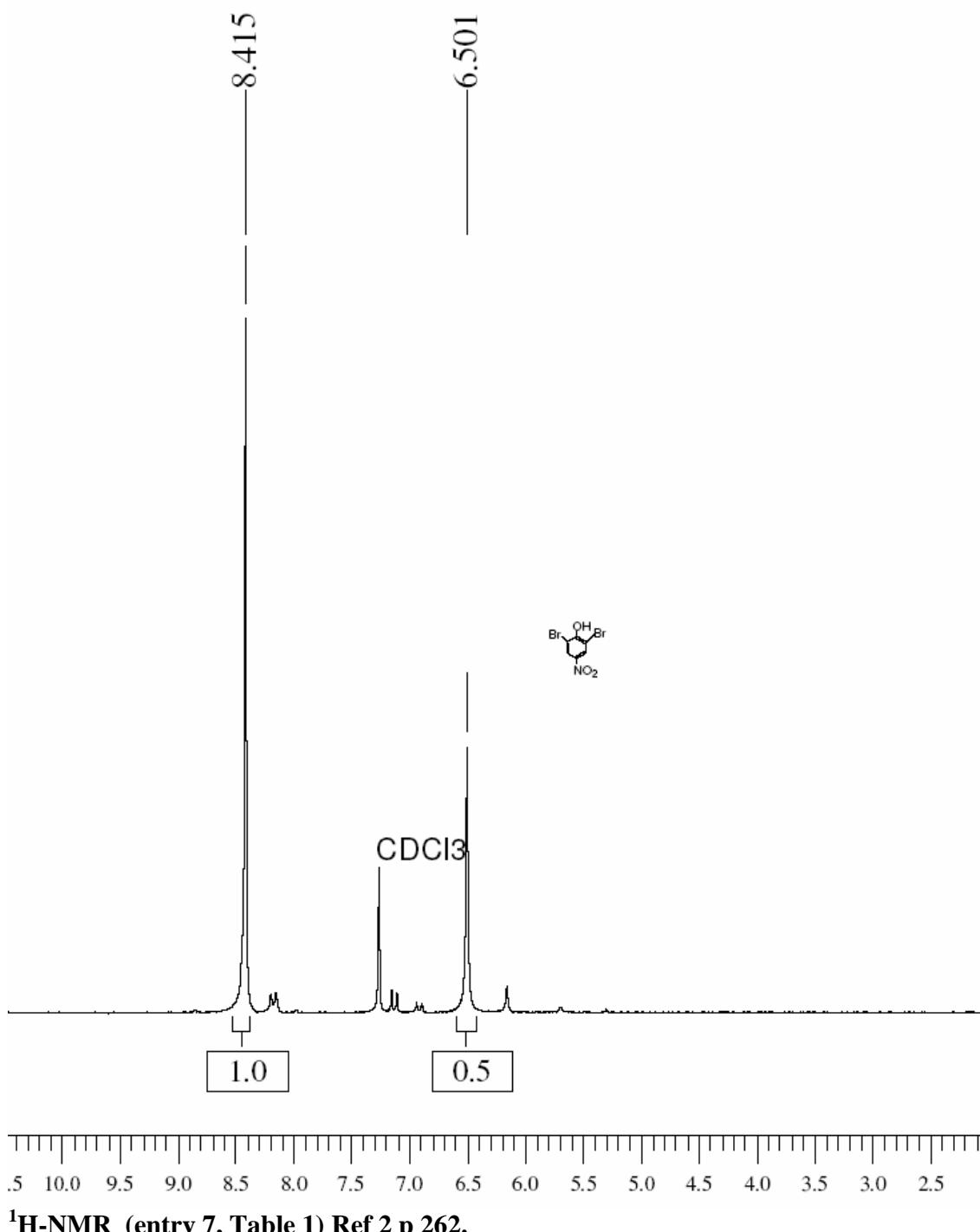
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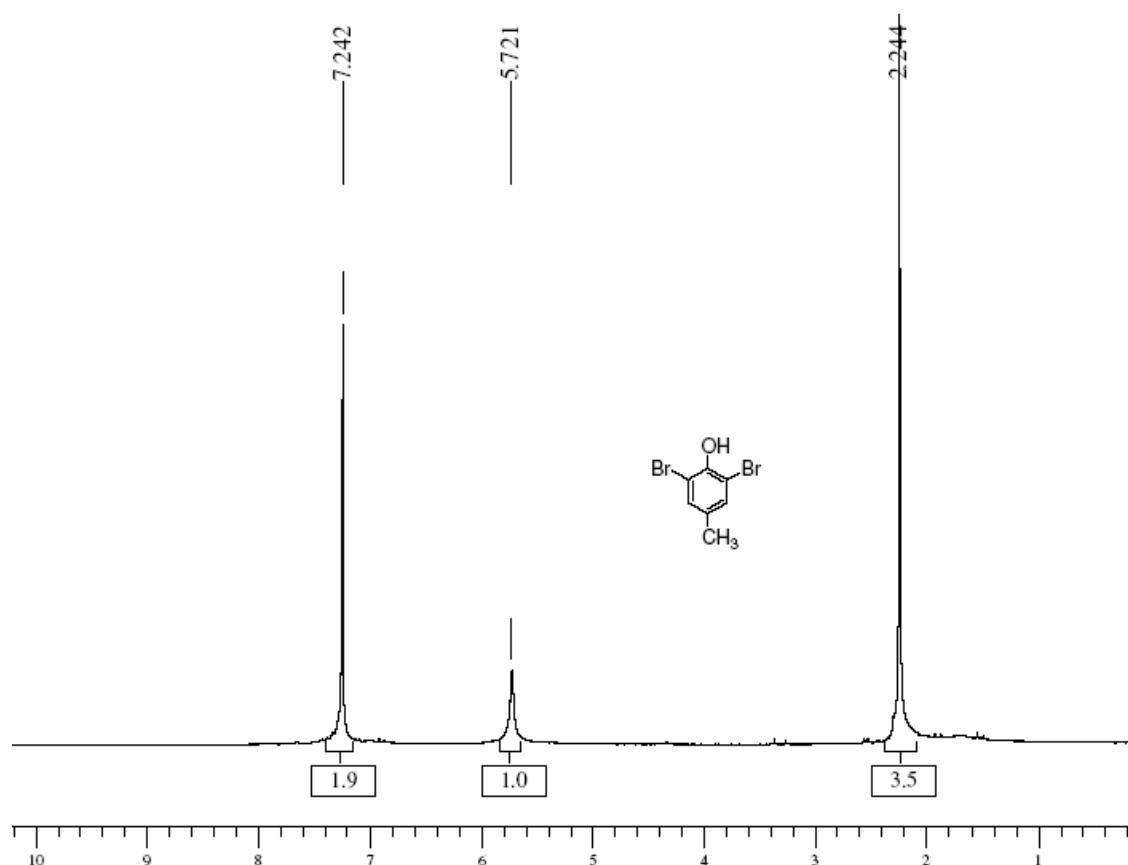




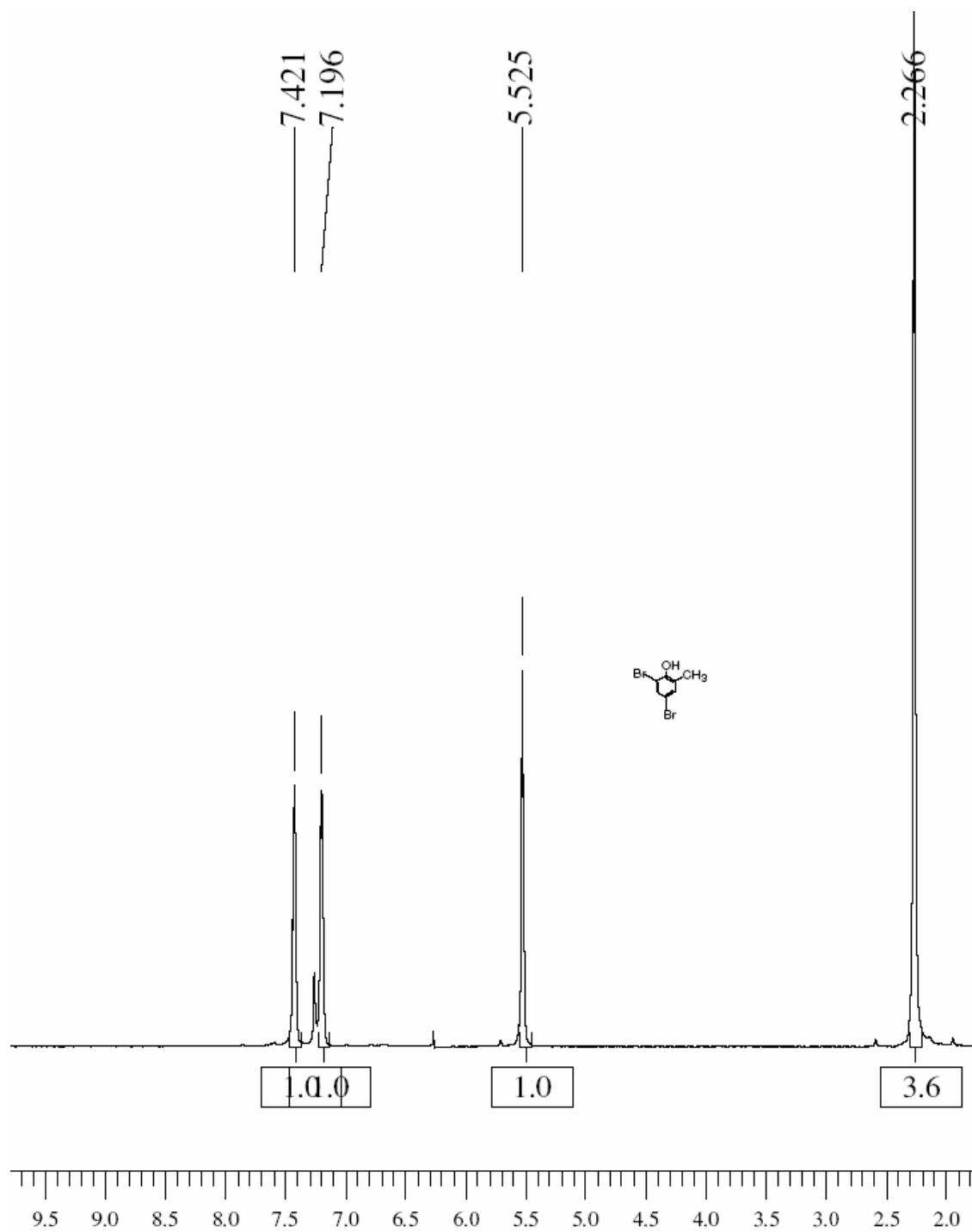


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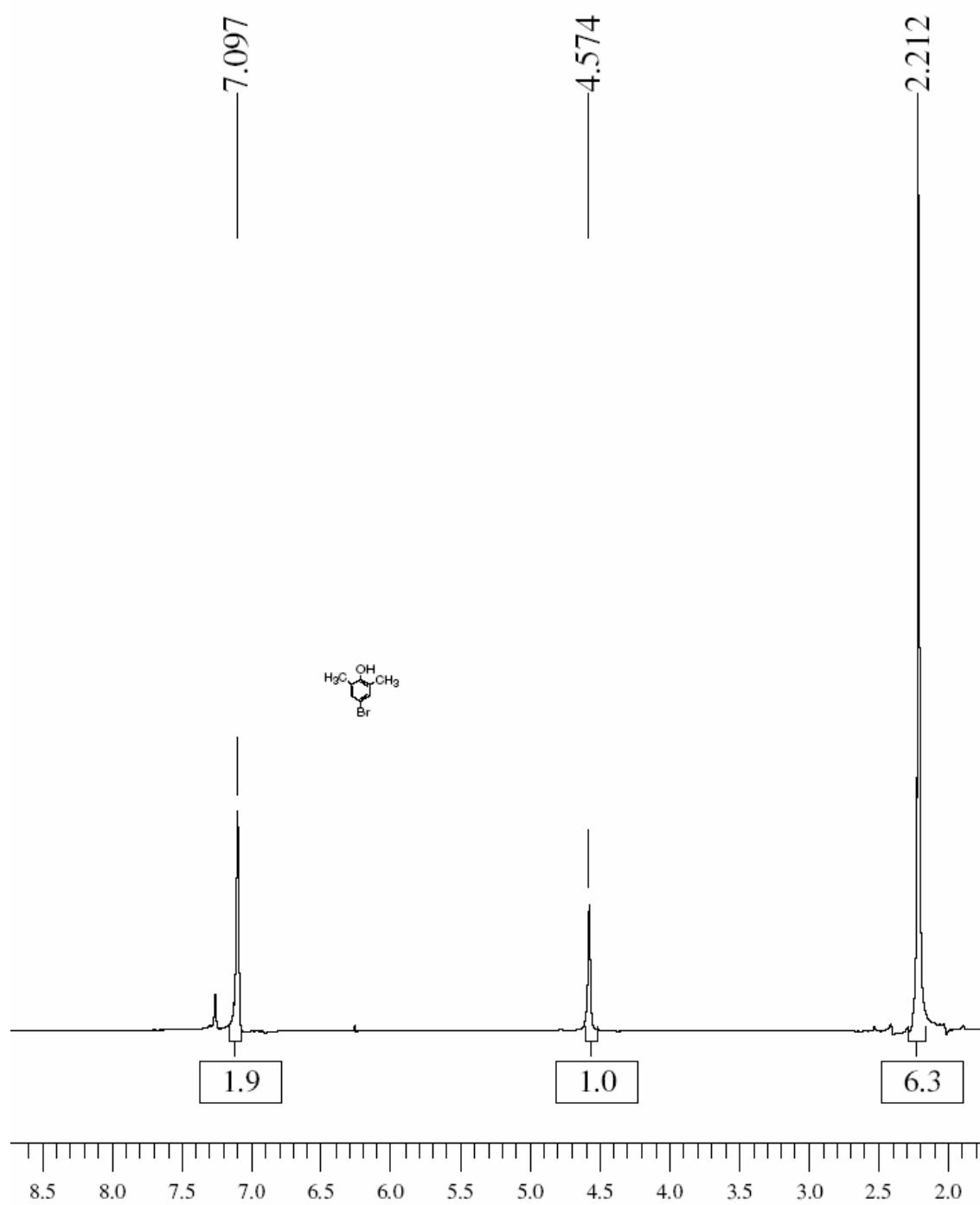




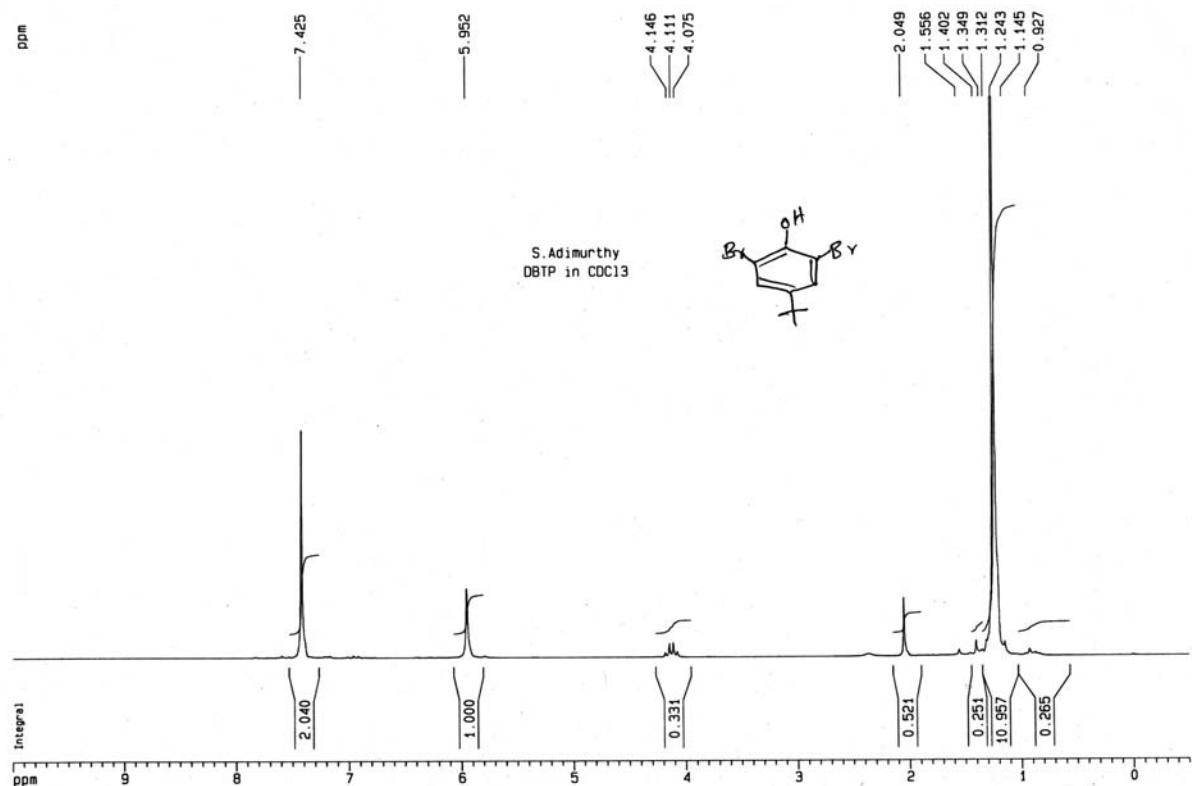
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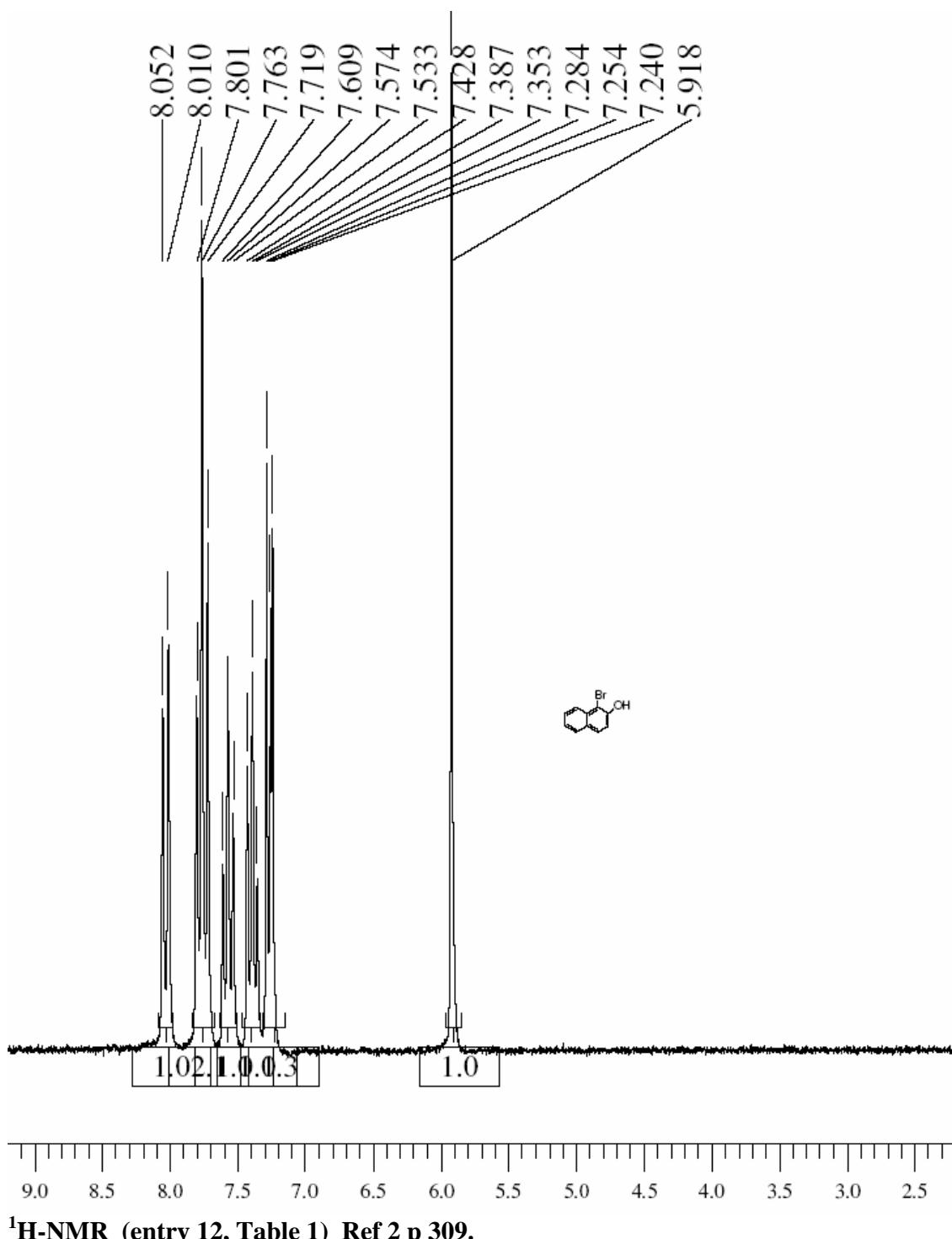
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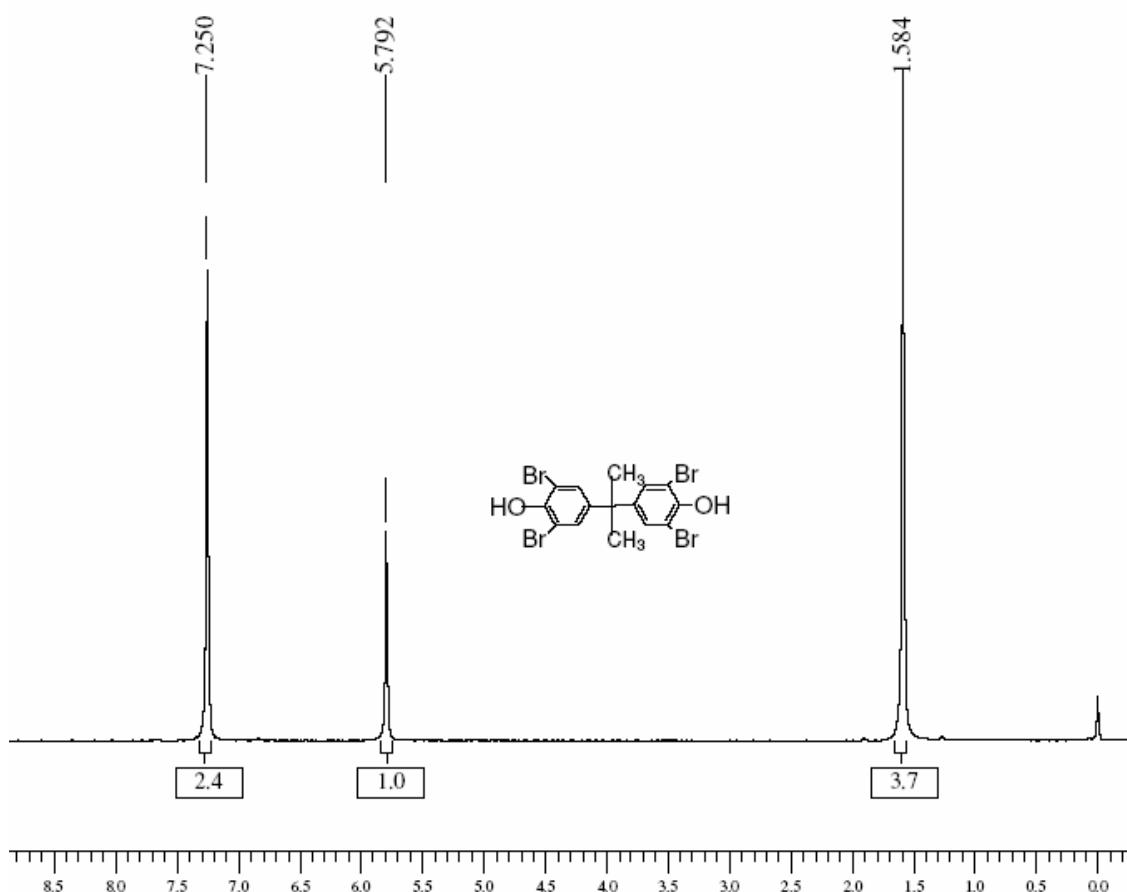
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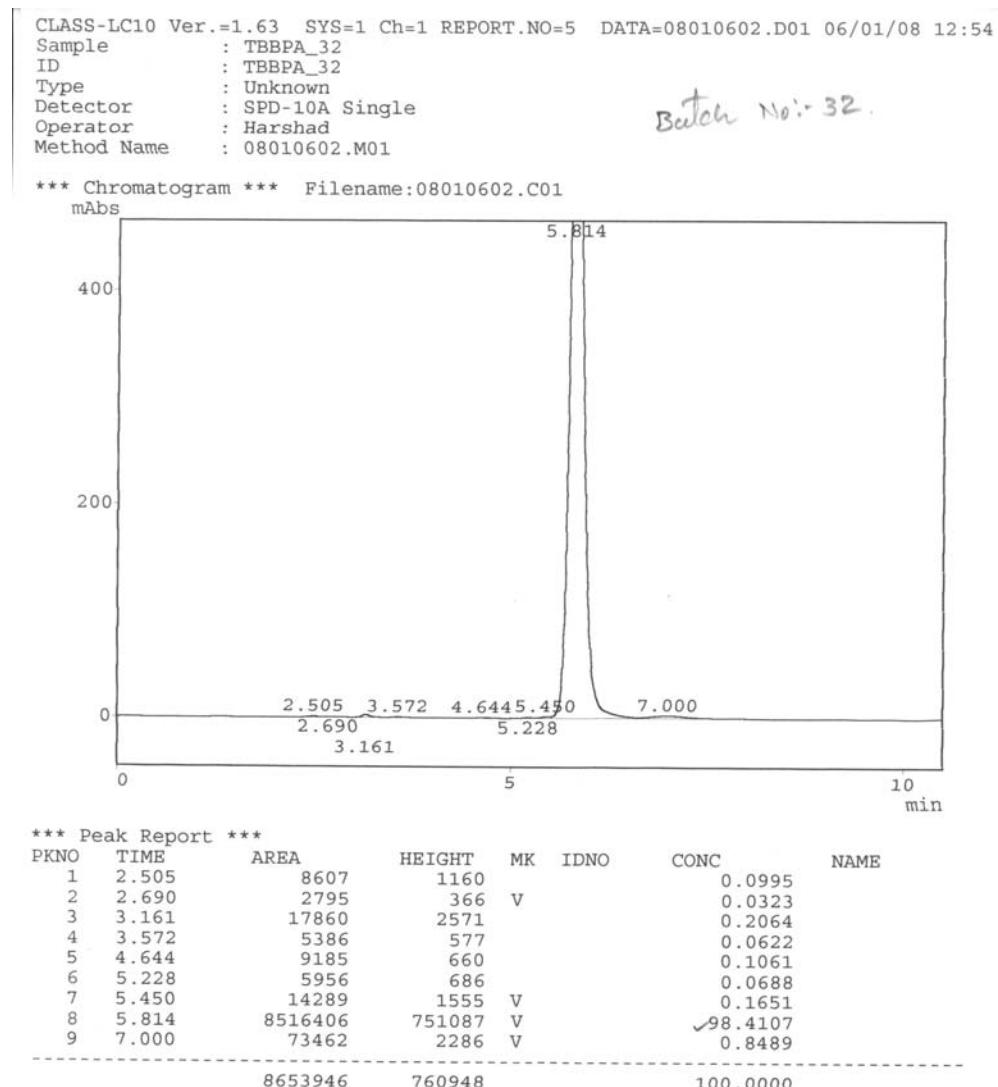


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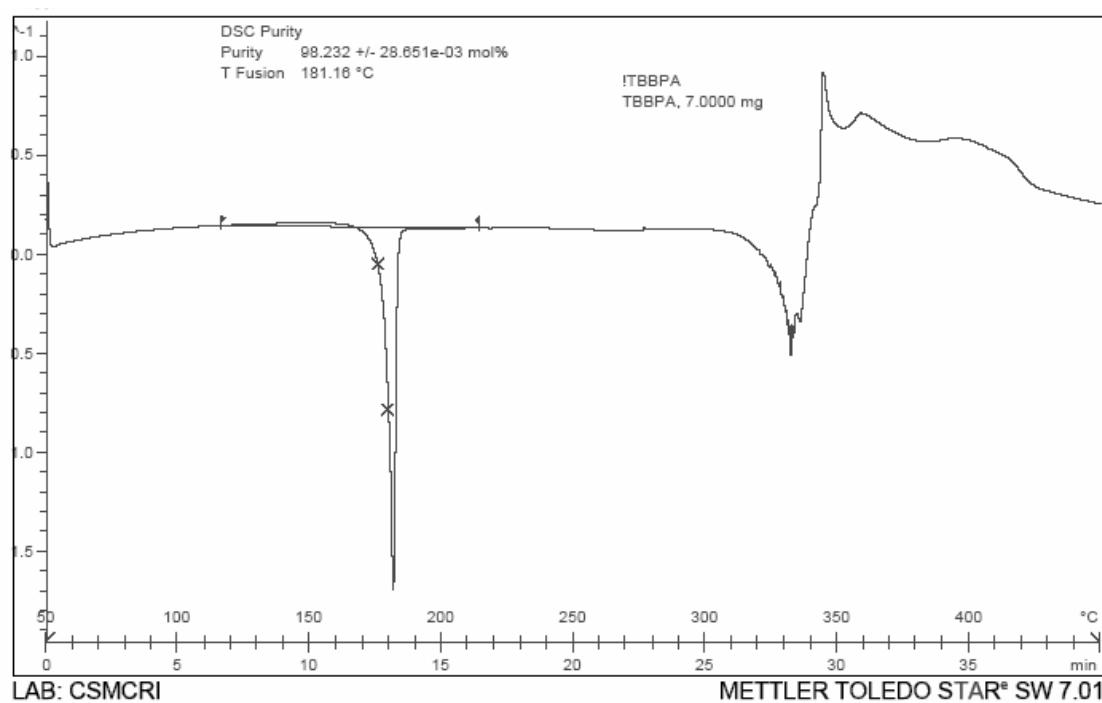


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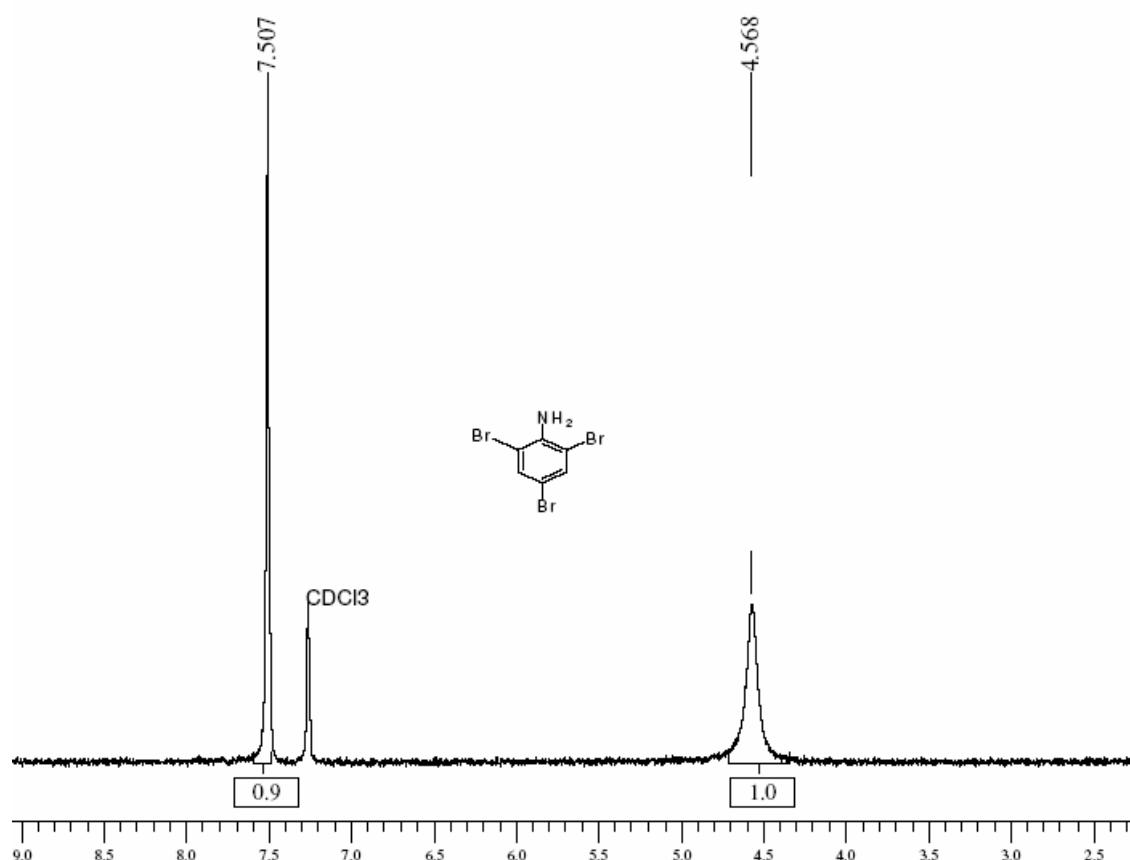
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**HPLC (entry 13, Table 1)**



**DSC (entry 13, Table 1) (Tetrabromobisphenol-A)**

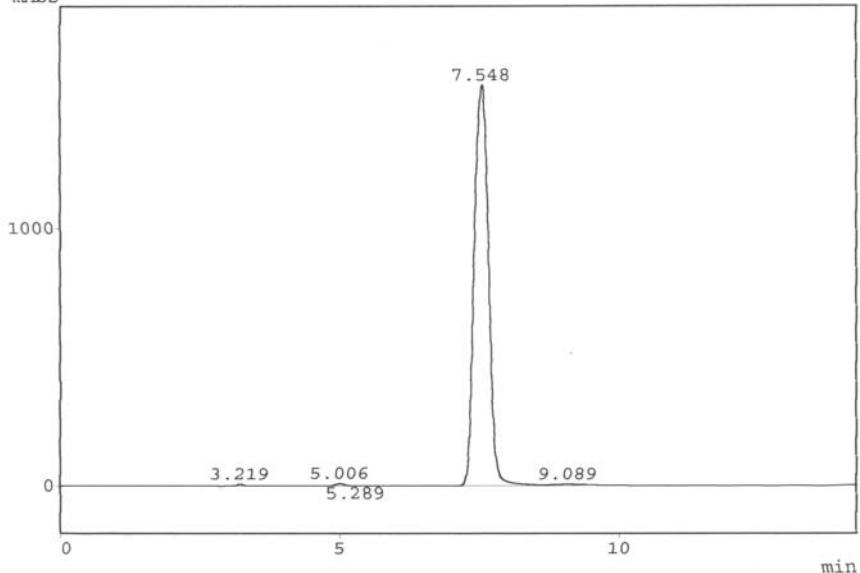


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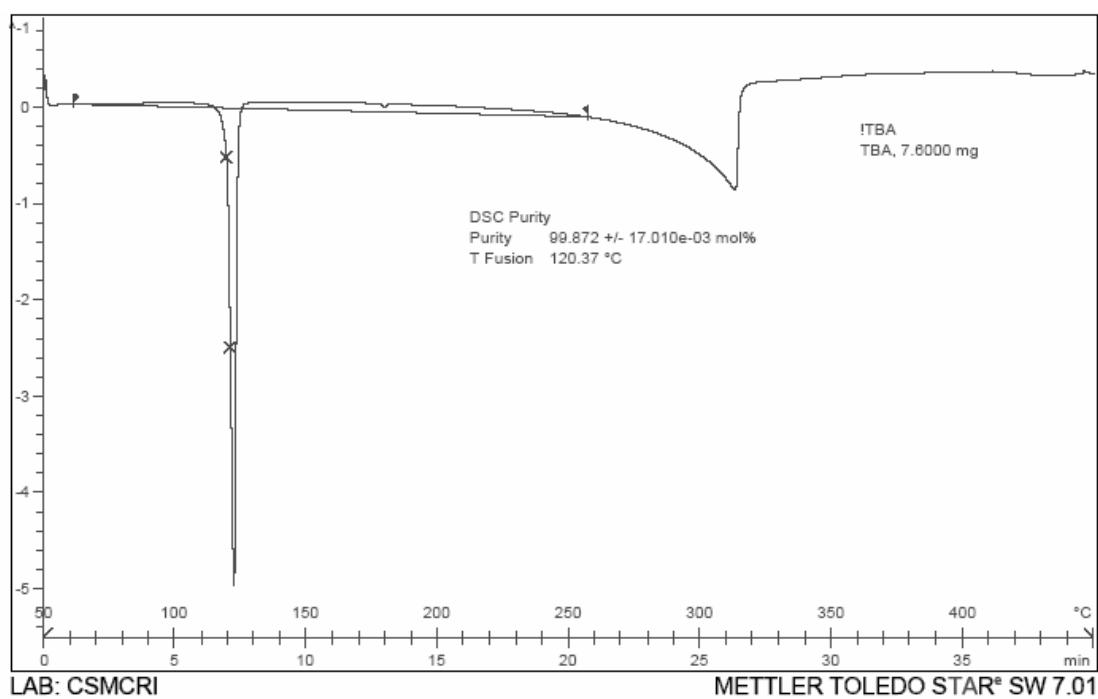


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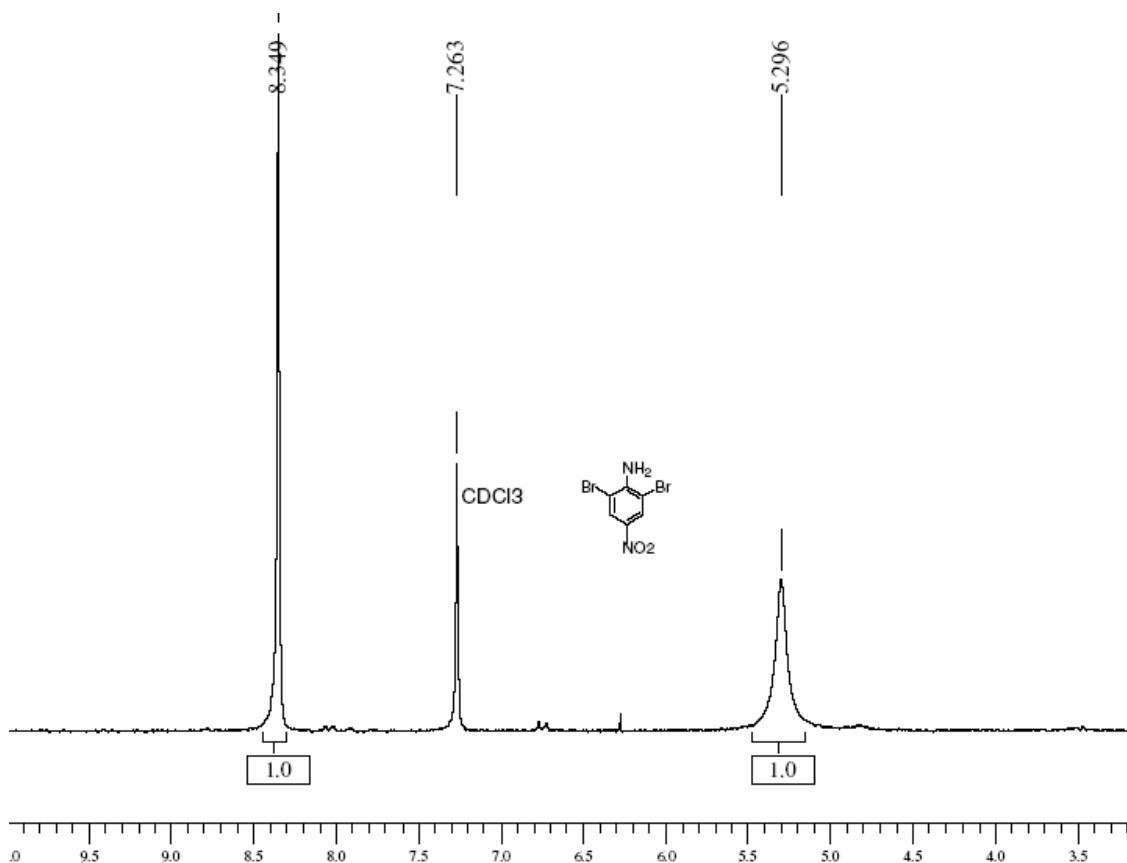
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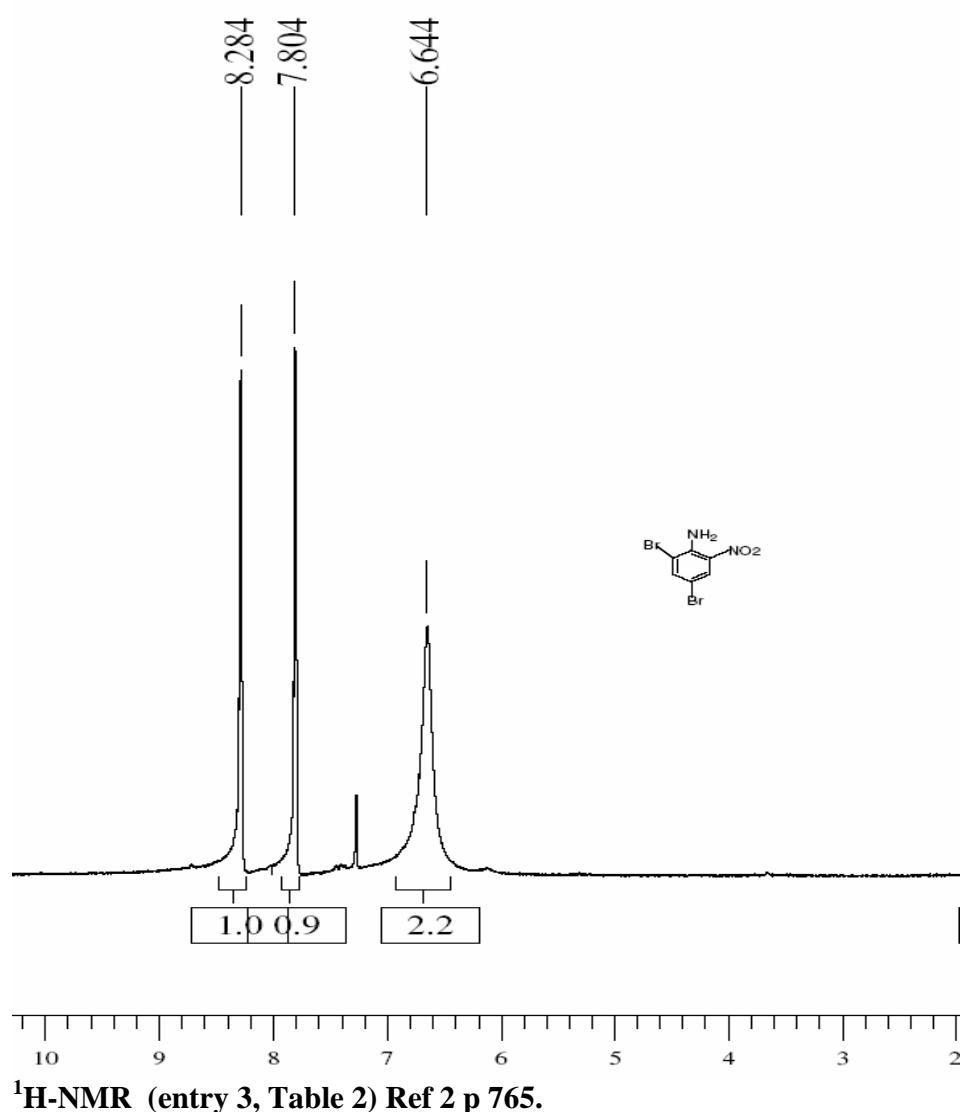
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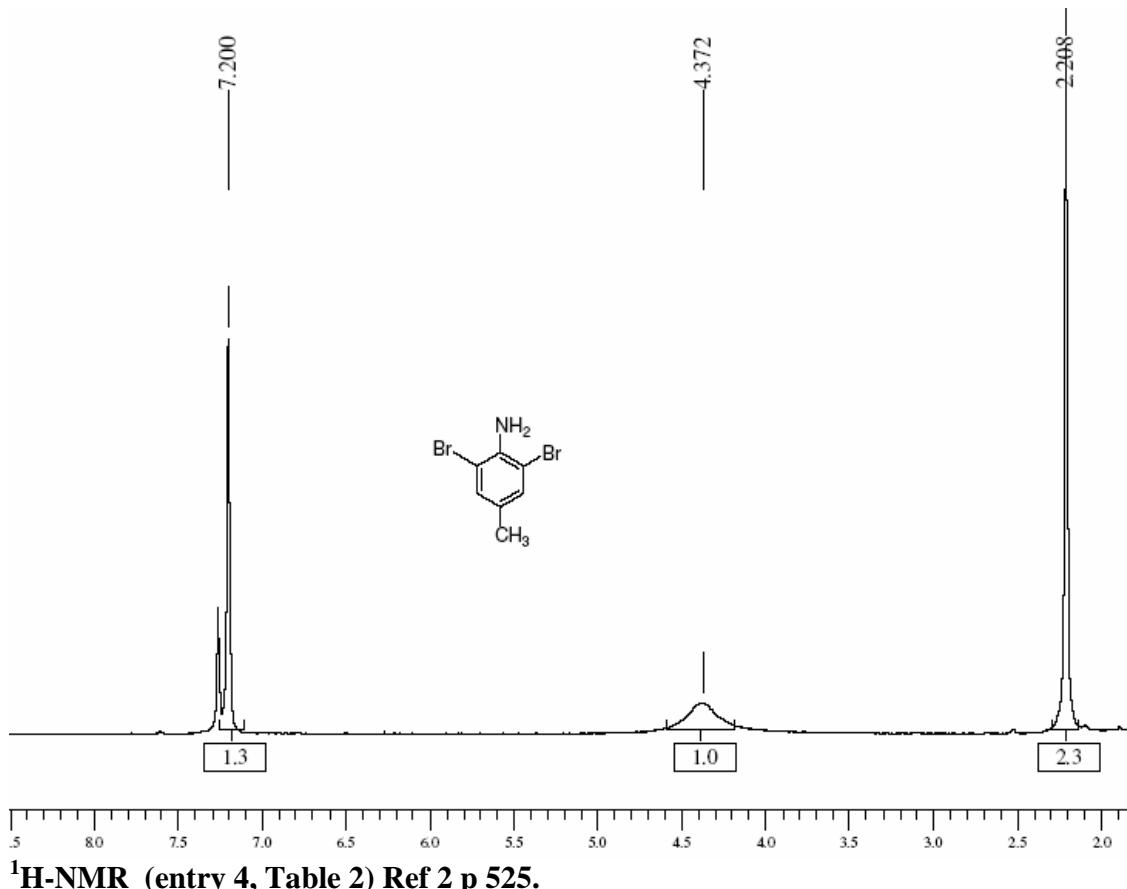


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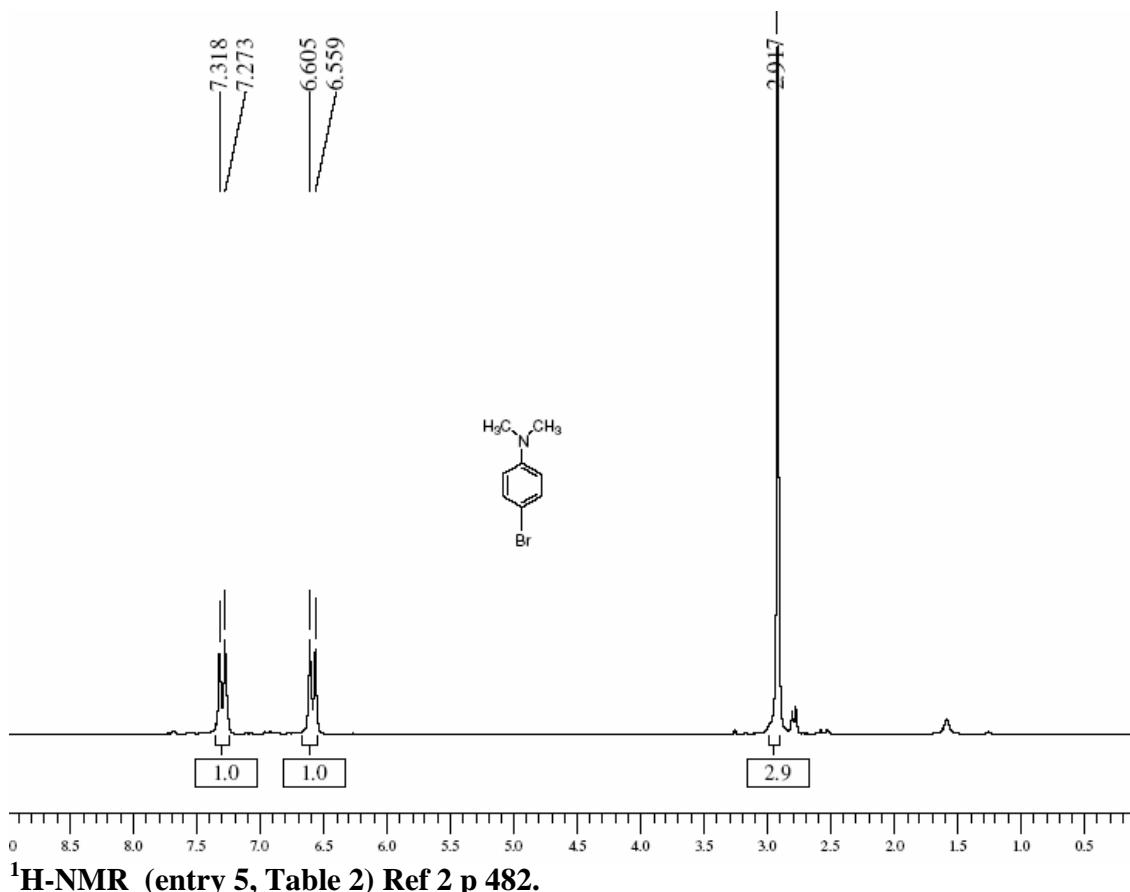


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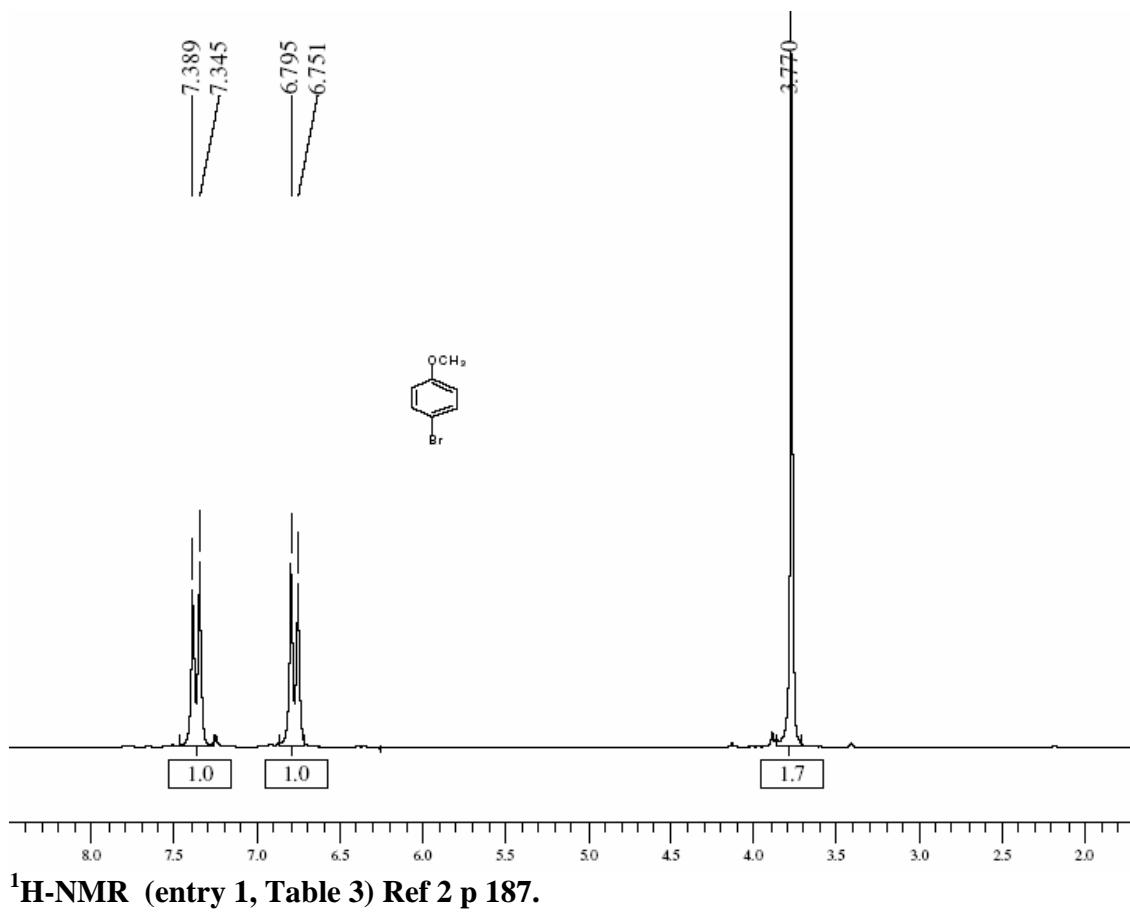


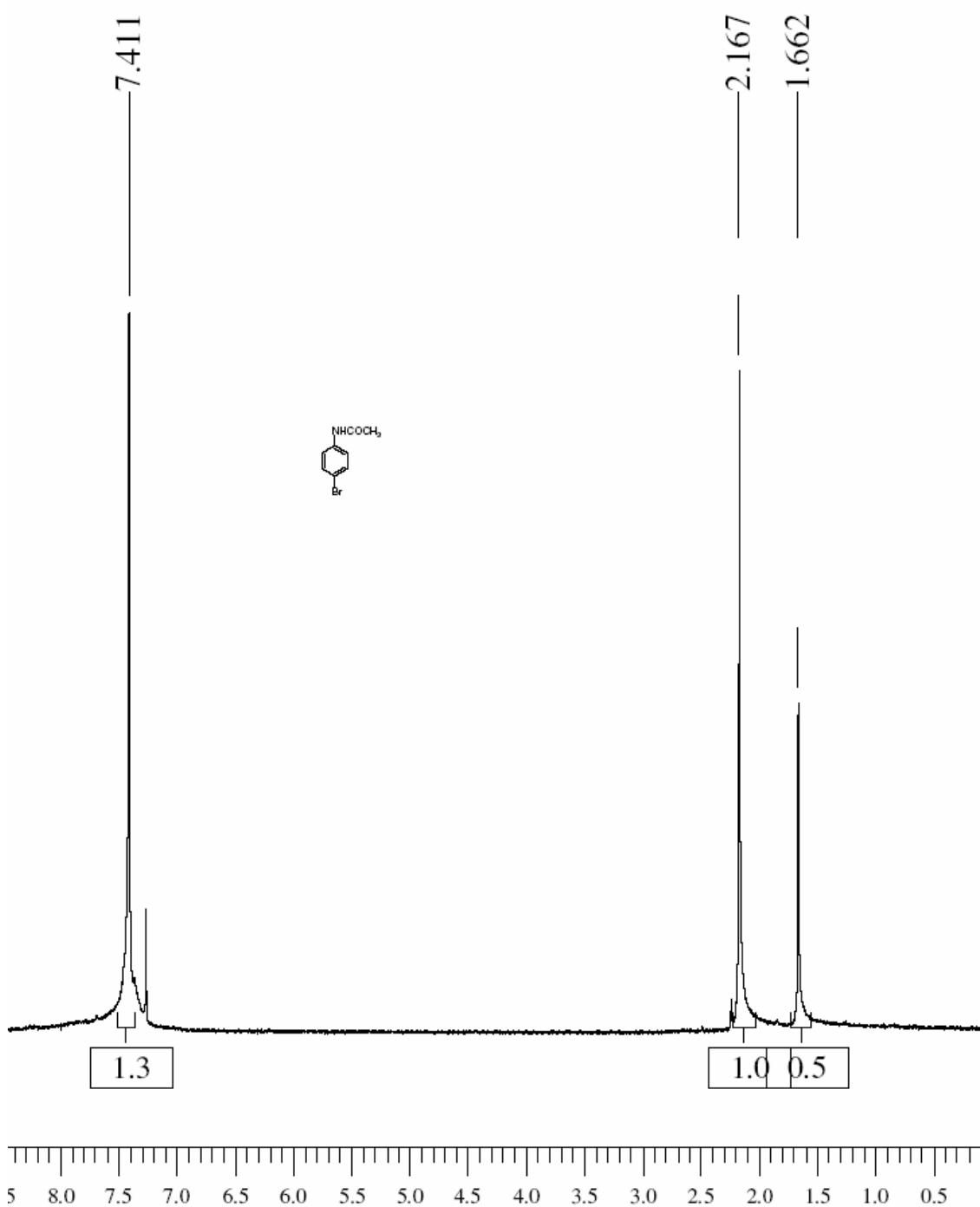


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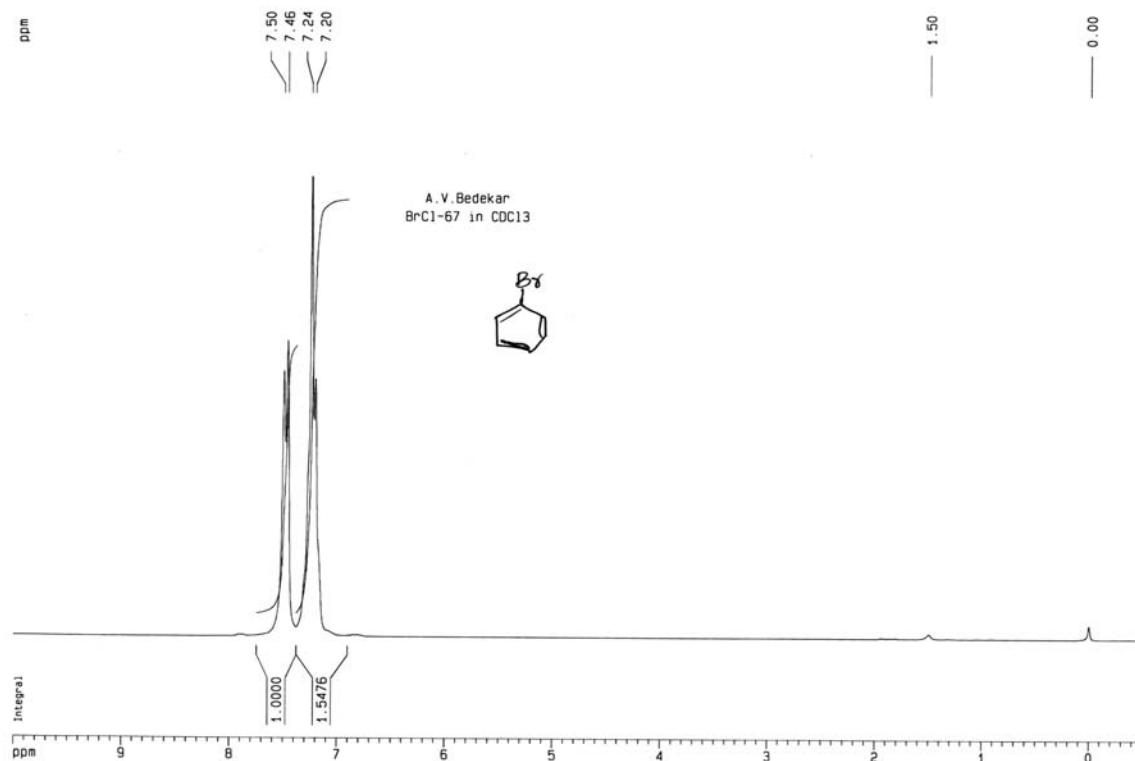


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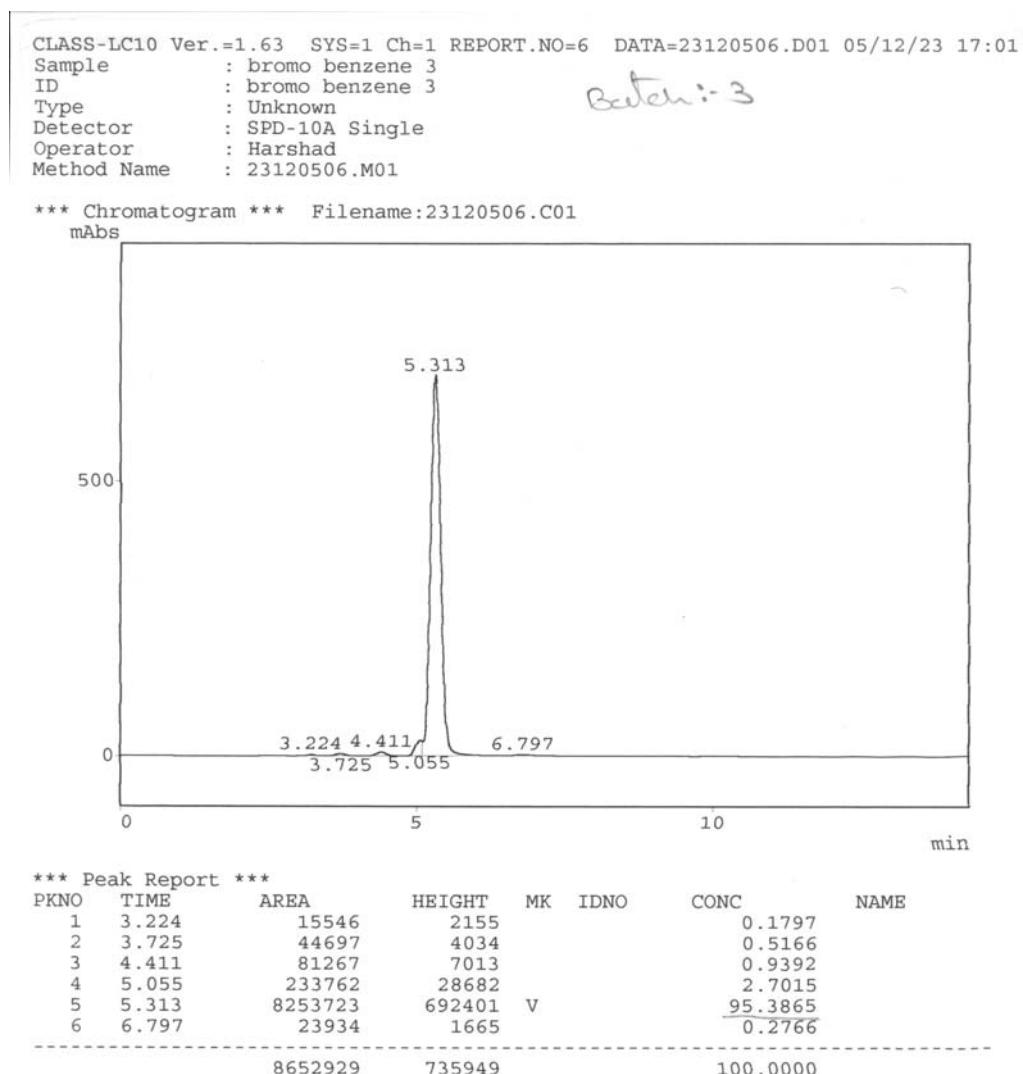


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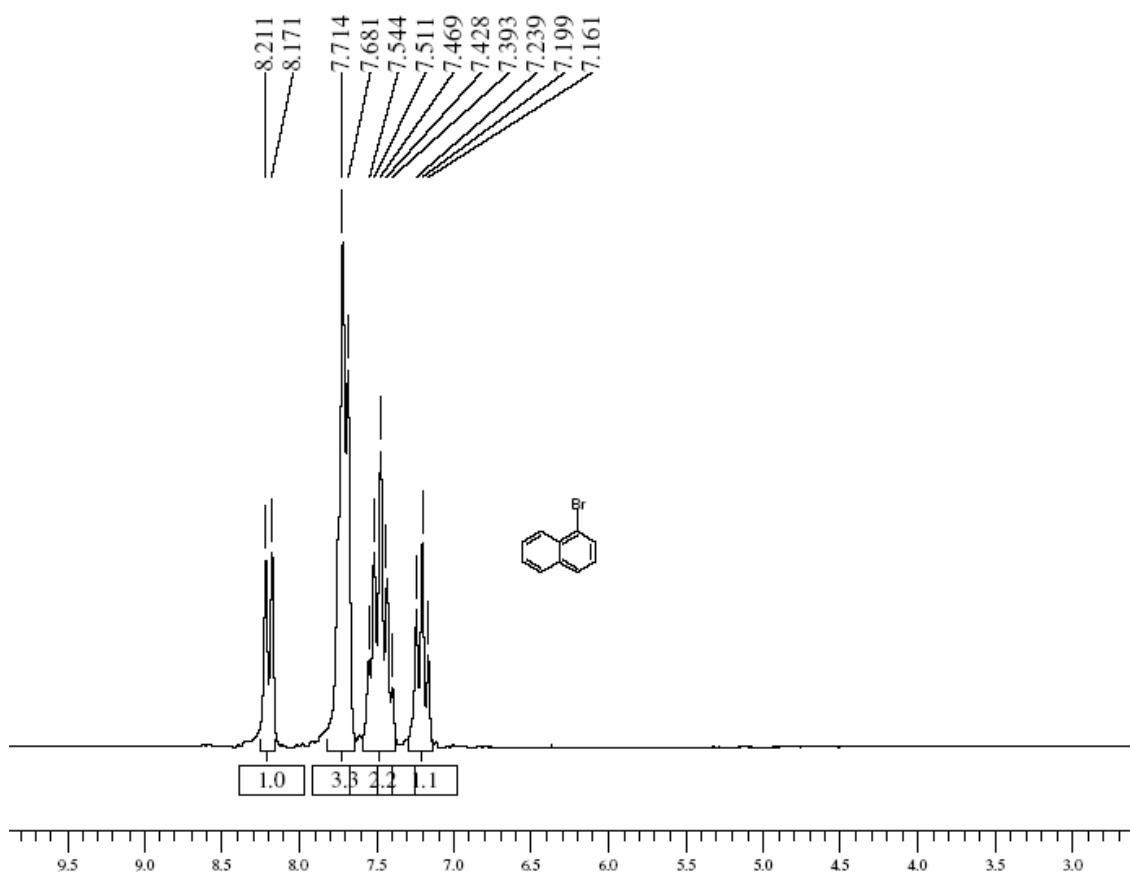


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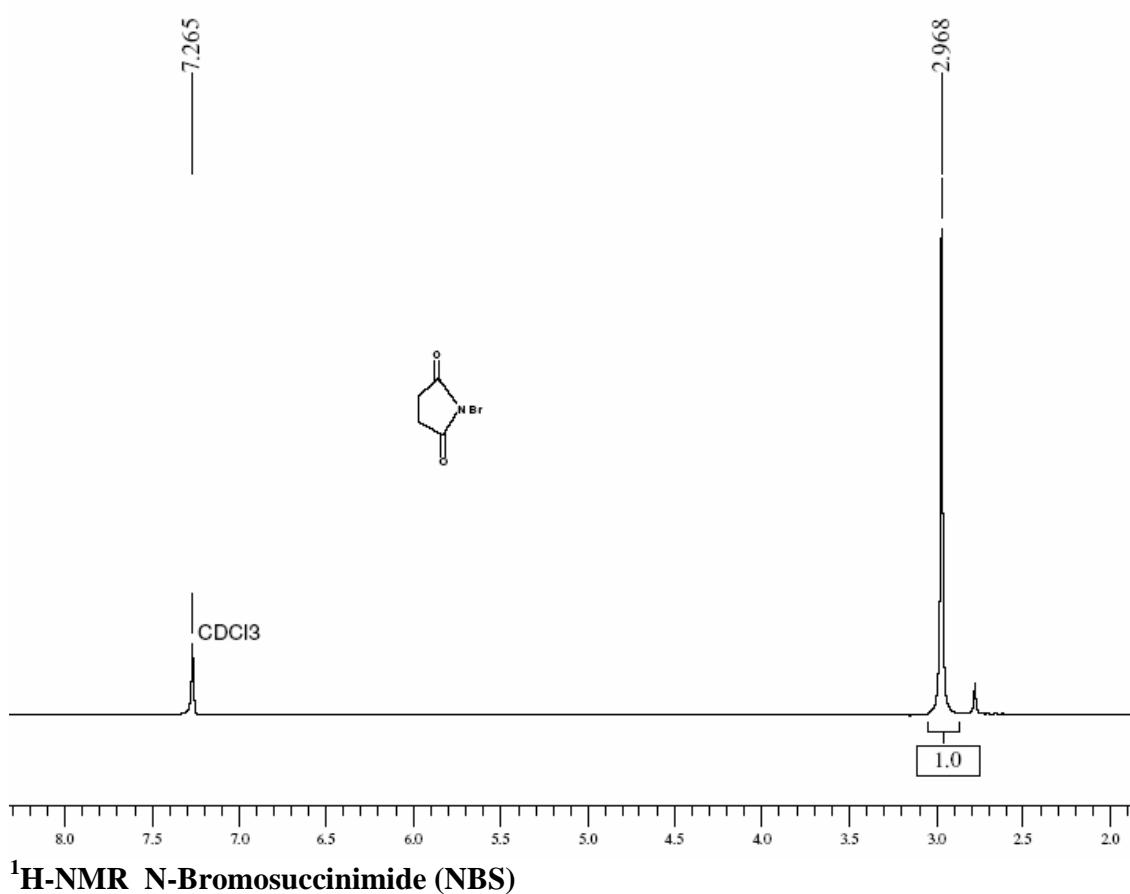
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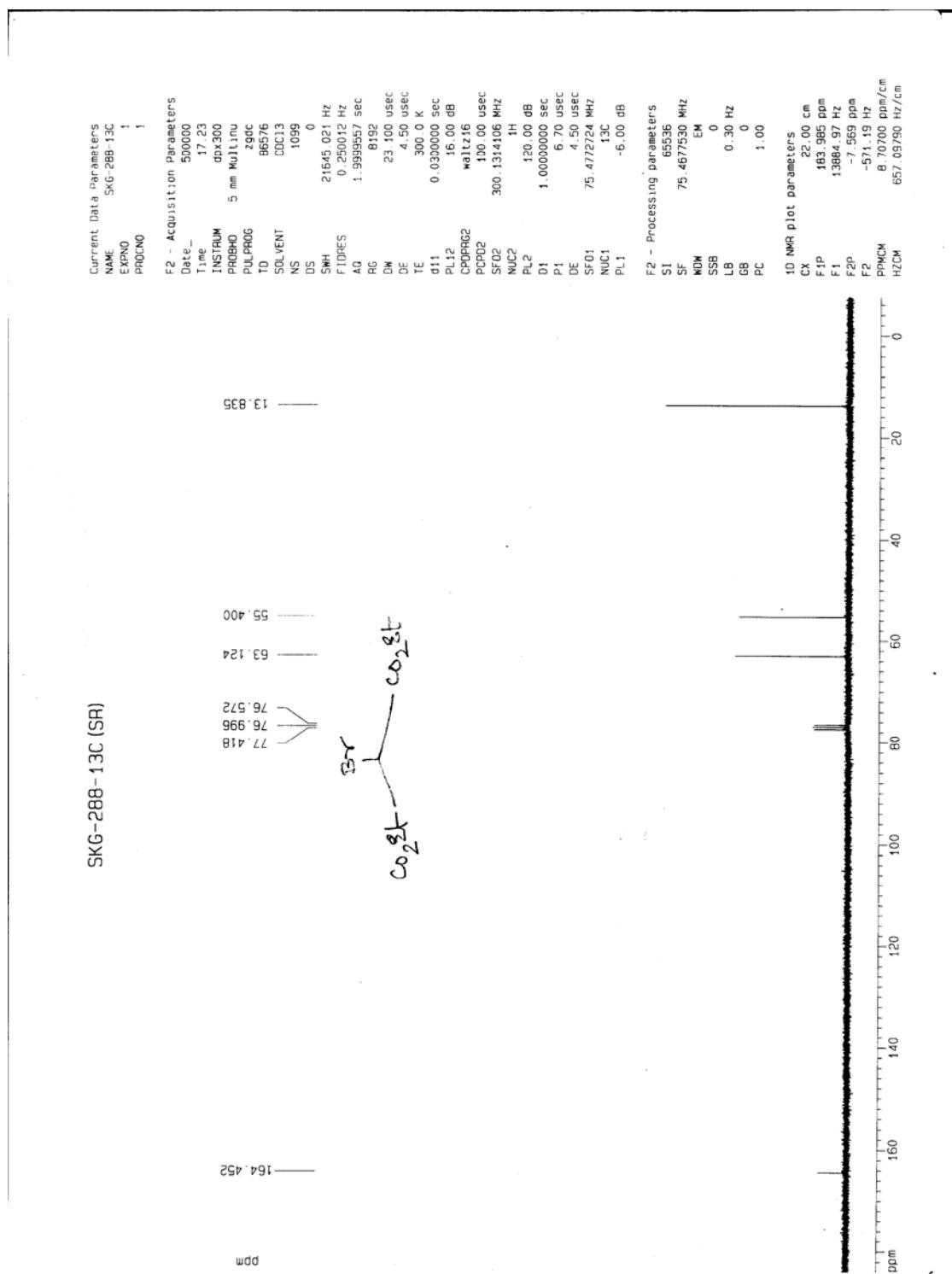


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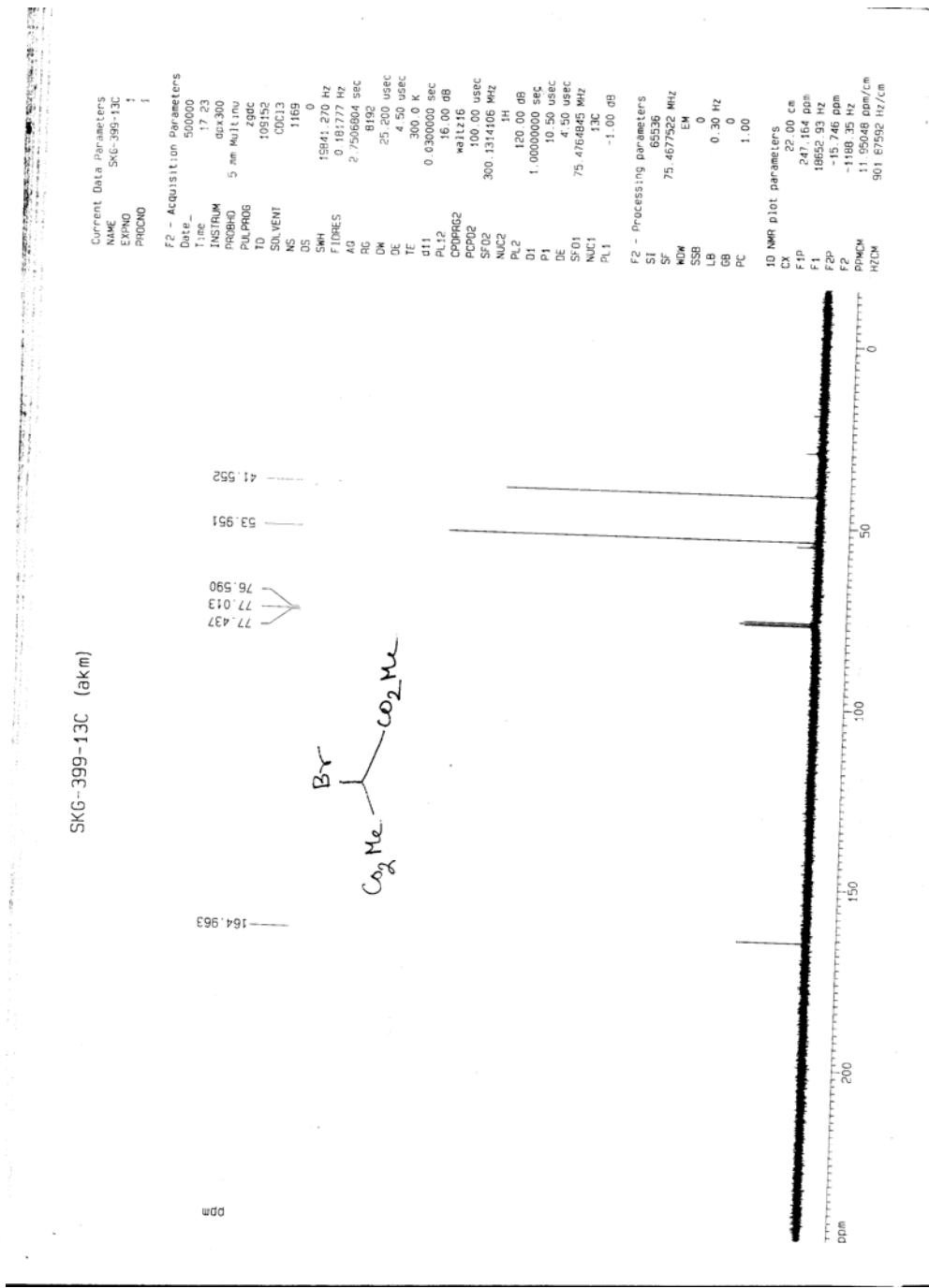
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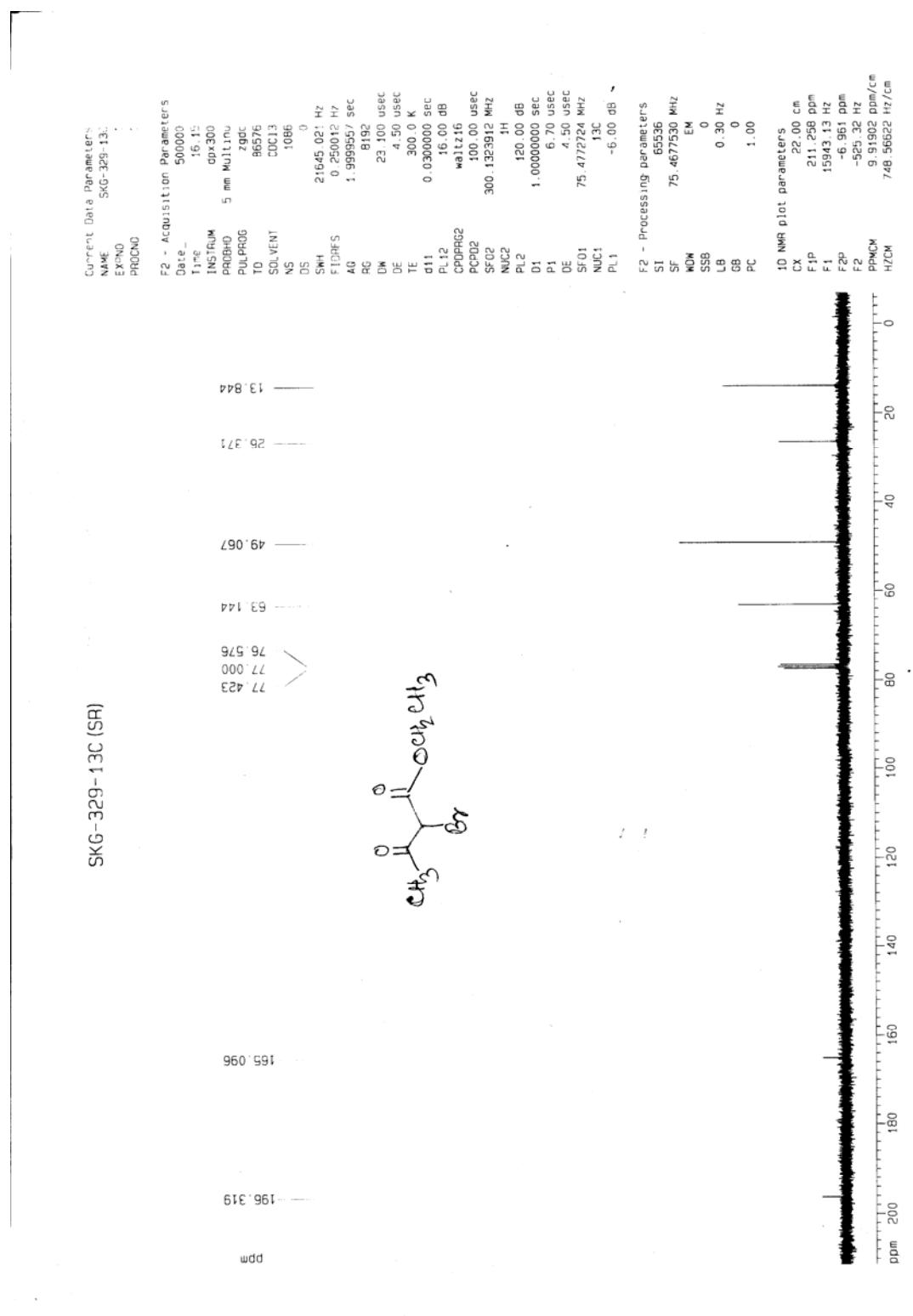
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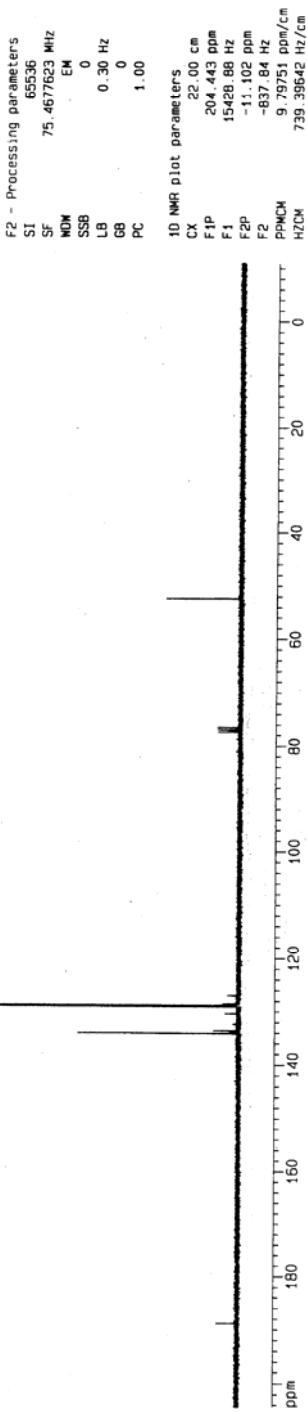
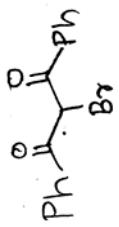
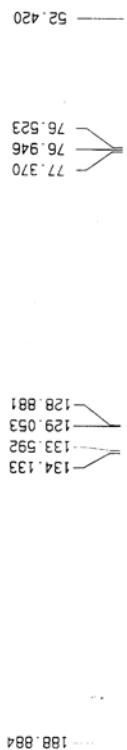
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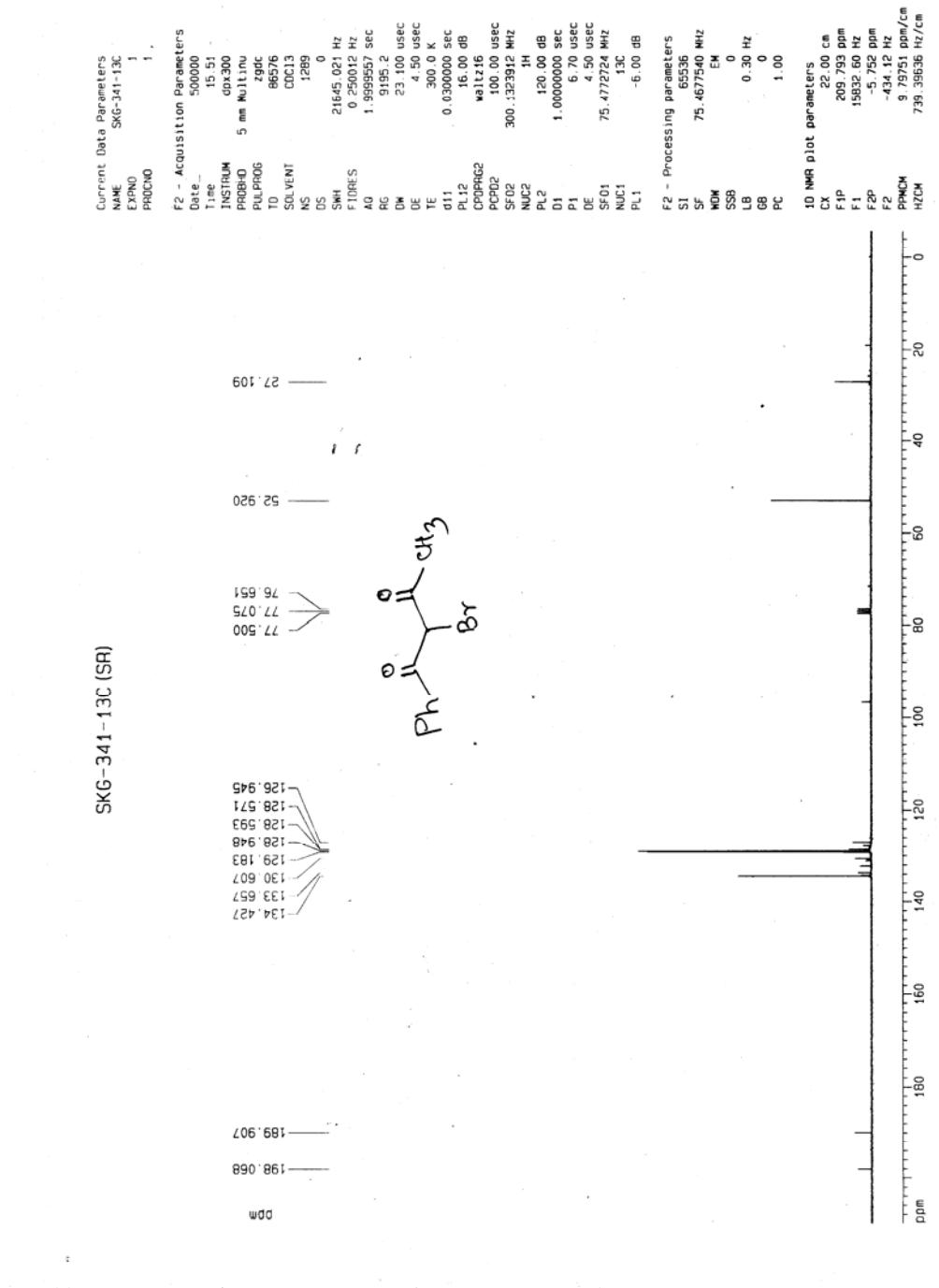
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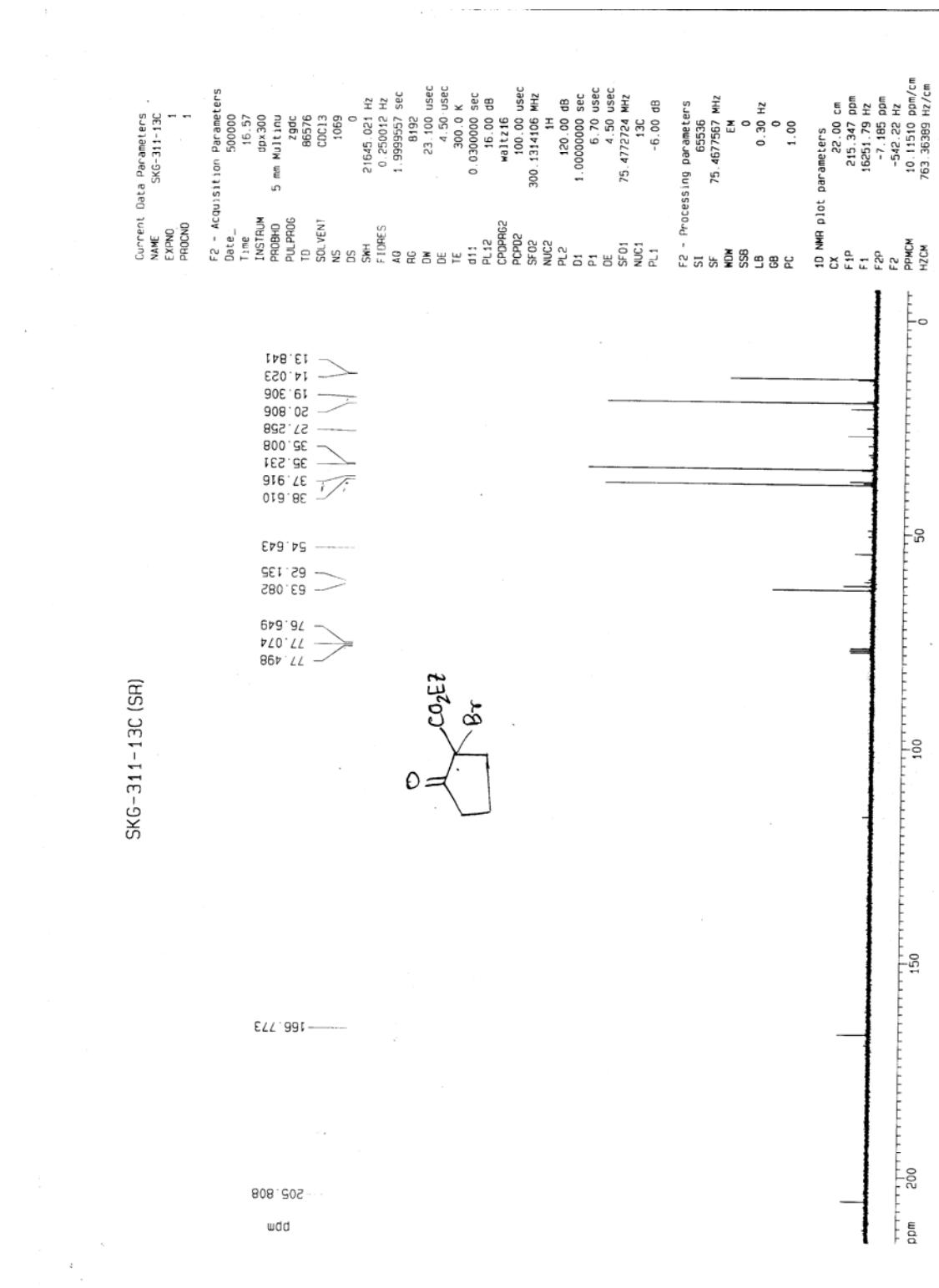
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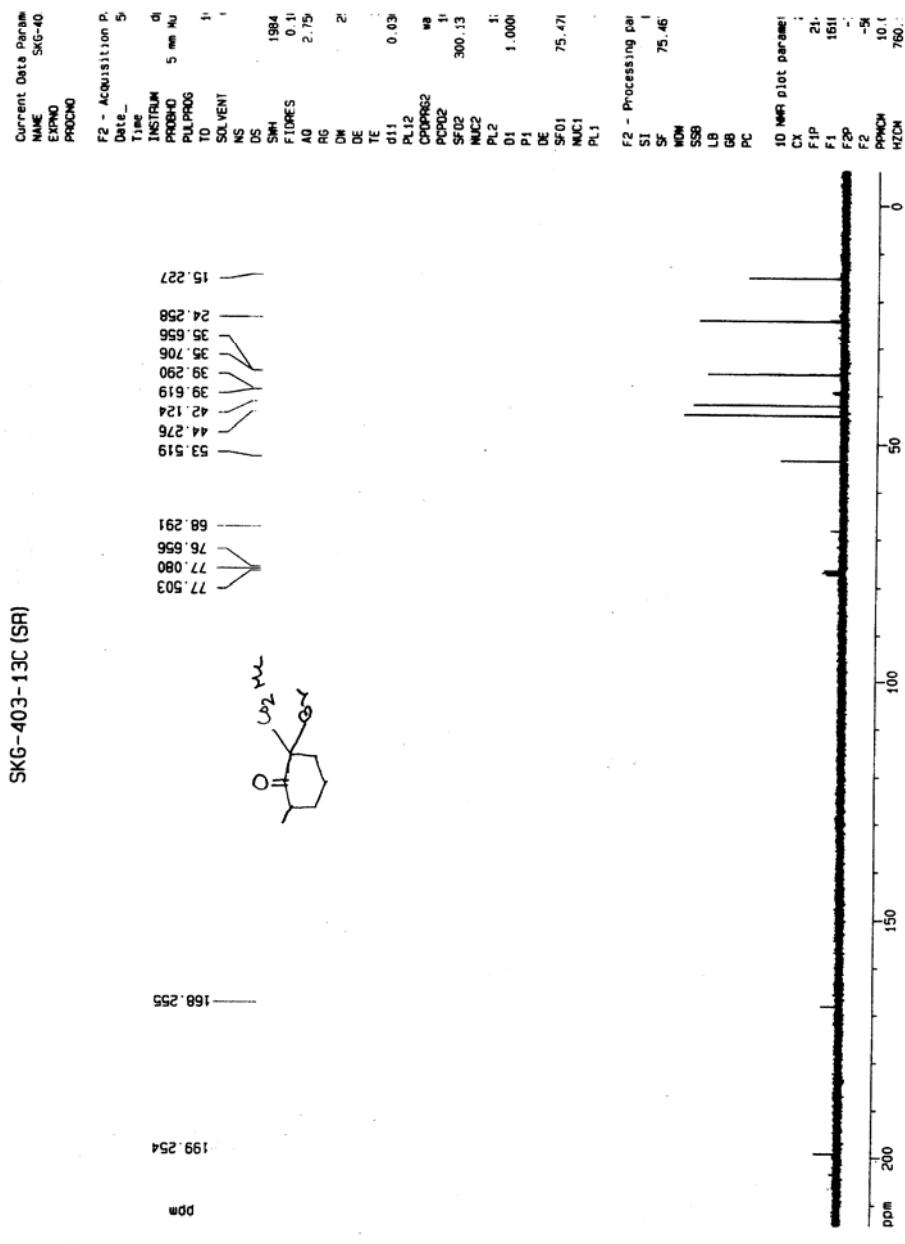
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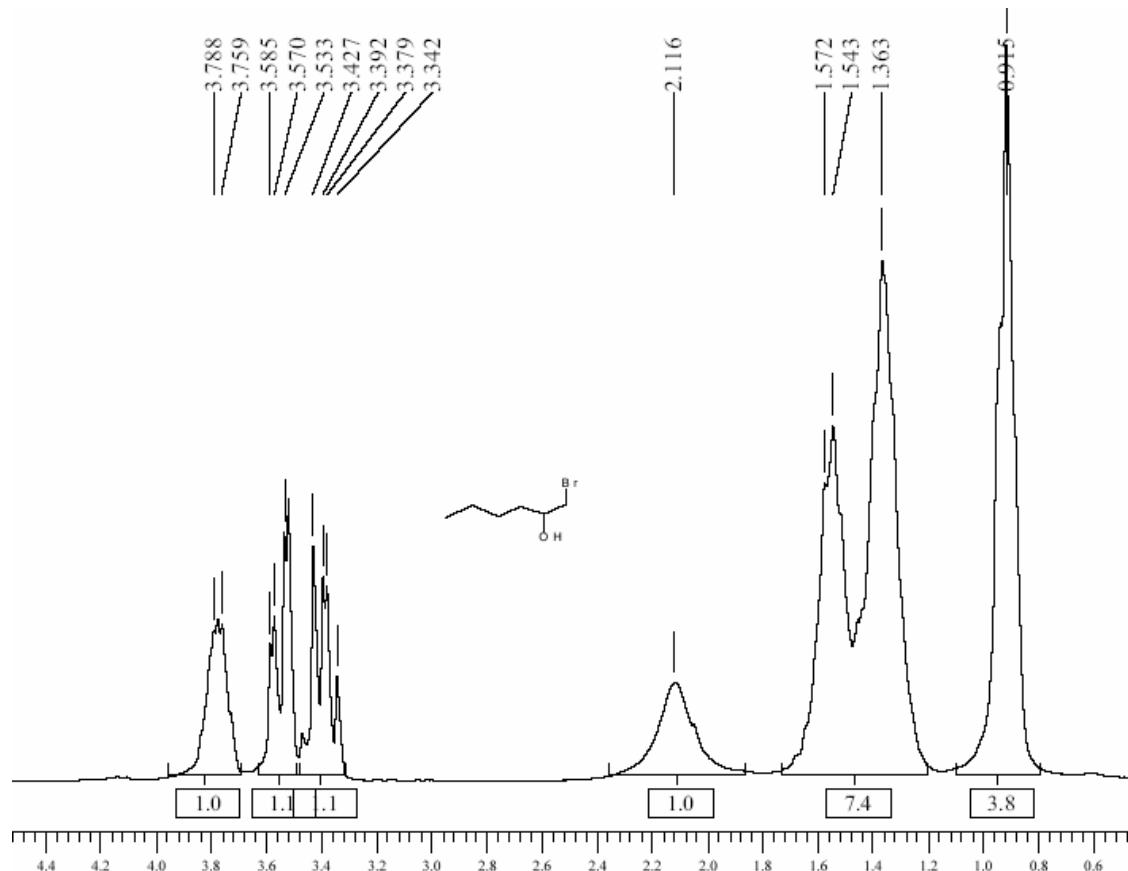


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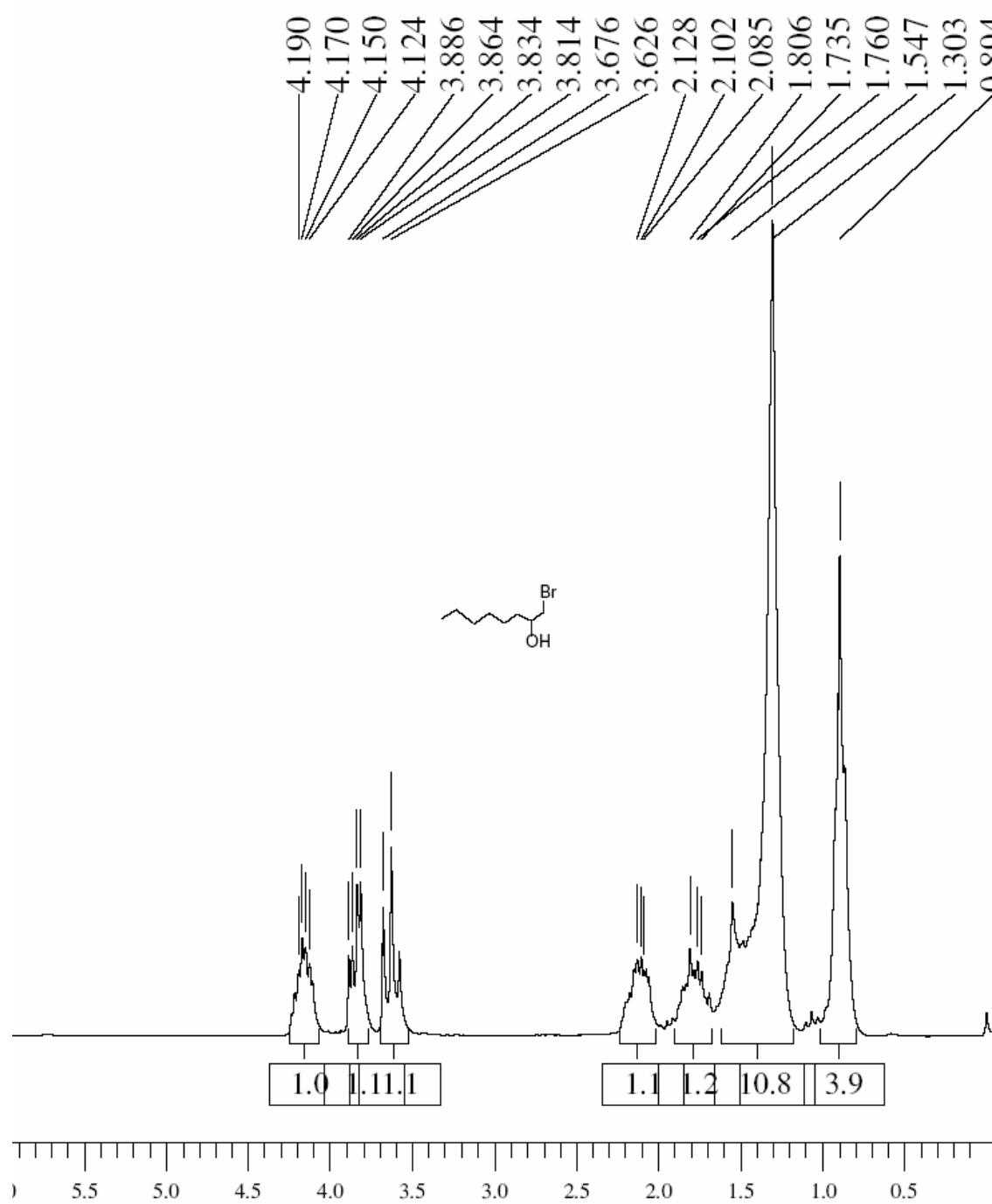
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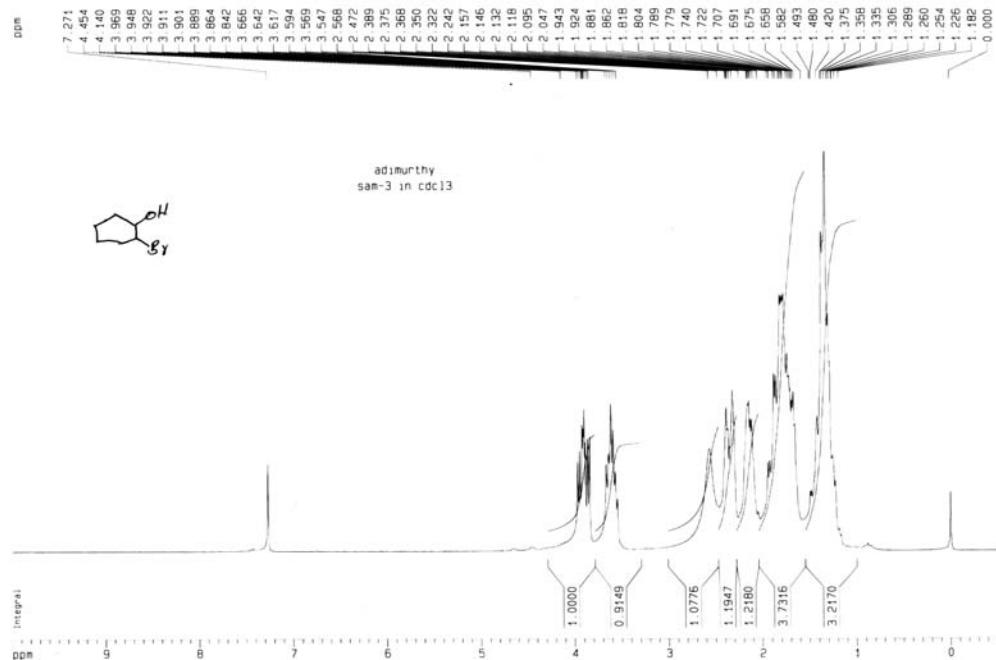
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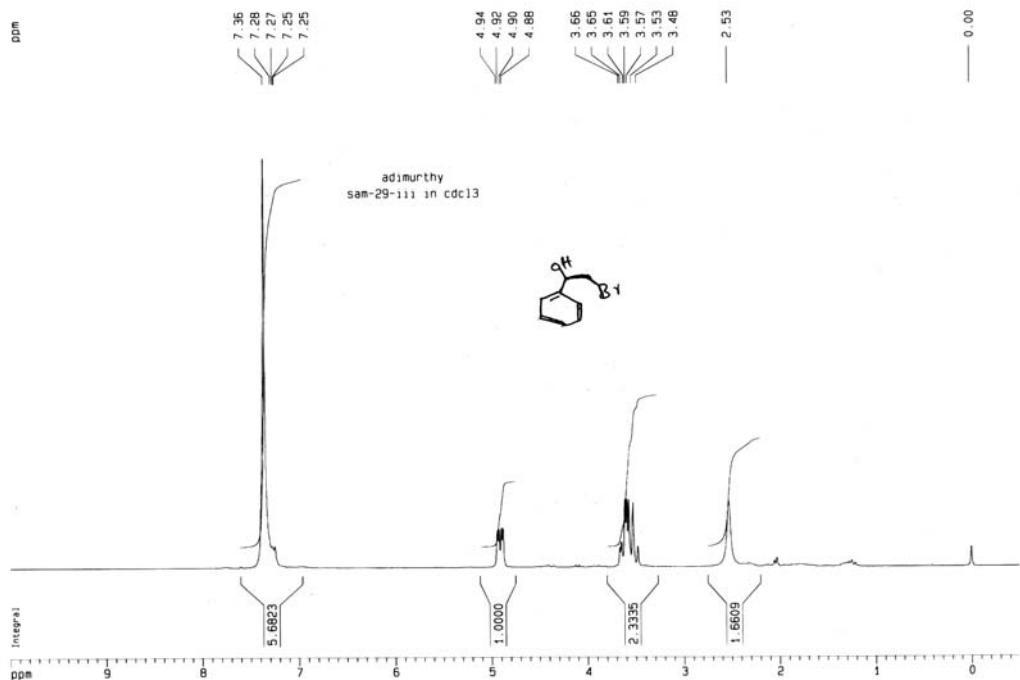
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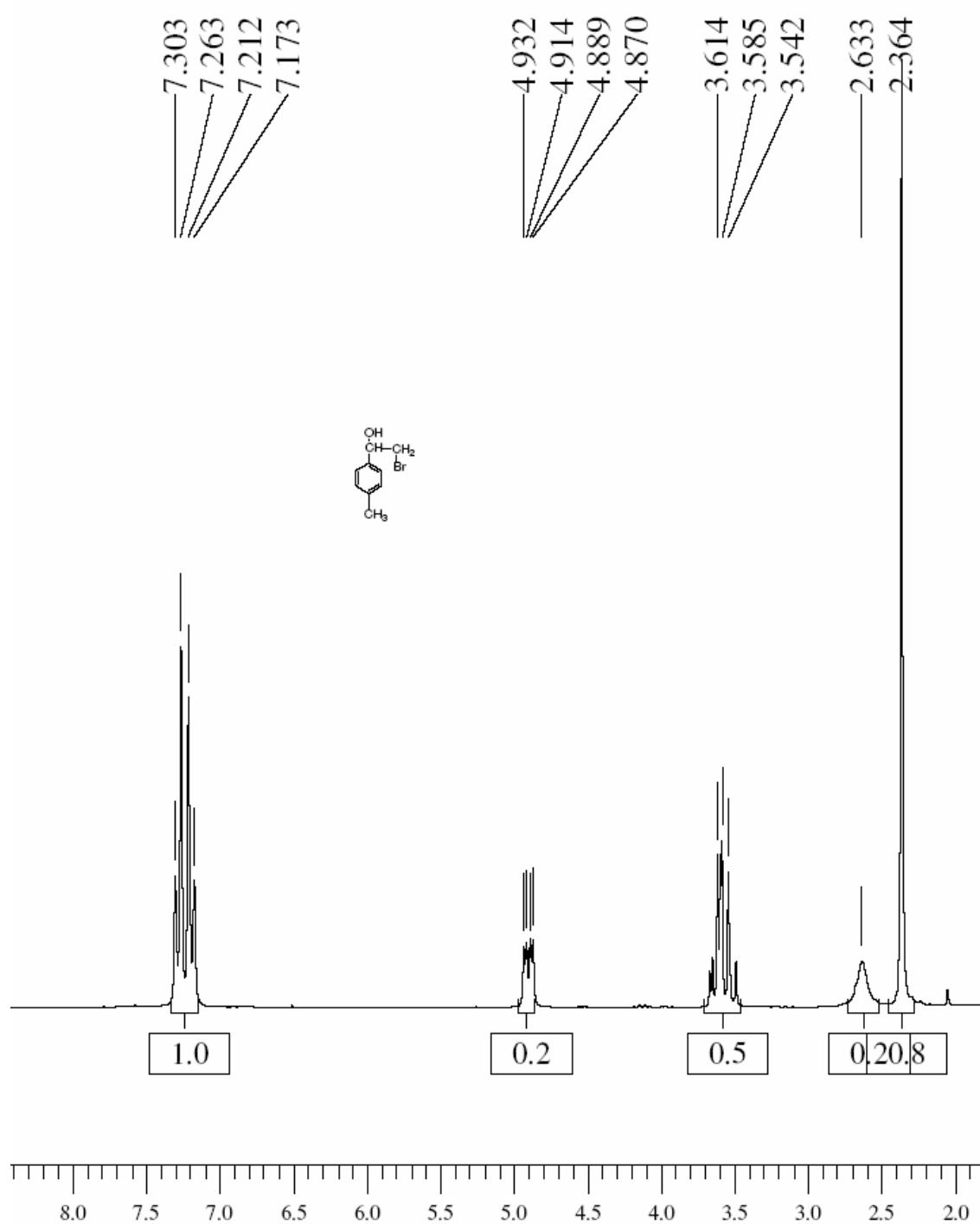
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