

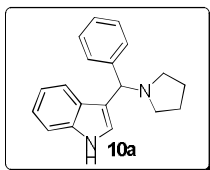
Supporting Information

L-Proline catalysed multicomponent synthesis of 3-amino alkylated indole *via* Mannich type reaction under solvent free conditions

General Considerations.

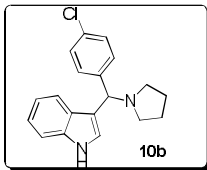
1. Reagent grade solvents were used for extraction and flash chromatography. Whereas, HPLC grade solvent were used for HPLC. All the reagents and chemicals were purchased from Sigma–Aldrich Chemical Co, Lancaster and were used directly without further purification. The progress of reactions was checked by analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC, Merck silica gel 60 F-254 plates). The plates were visualized first with UV illumination followed by iodine. Flash column chromatography was performed using silica gel (230-400 mesh). The solvent compositions reported for all chromatographic separations are on a volume/volume (v/v) basis. ¹H-NMR spectra were recorded at either 200 or 300 MHz and are reported in parts per million (ppm) on the δ scale relative to tetramethylsilane as an internal standard. ¹³C-NMR spectra were recorded at either 50 or 75 MHz and are reported in parts per million (ppm) on the δ scale relative to CDCl₃ (δ 77.00). Mass spectra were obtained using JEOL SX-102 (ESI) instrument. Melting points were determined on a Mel Temp II melting point apparatus and are uncorrected.
2. **General procedure for the synthesis of compound (10).** In a typical experiment, the aldehyde (1 mmol), secondary amine (1 mmol), indole (1 mmol) and L-proline (30 mol %) were taken in 25 ml round-bottom flask. the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature till the completion of the reaction (monitored by TLC). After completion the reaction mixture was diluted with water and extracted with ethyl acetate, dried over sodium sulphate and evaporated under vacuum to give crude product, which was purified by silica gel (230-400 mesh) column chromatography to afford the corresponding product.

3-(phenyl(pyrrolidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10a).



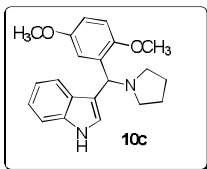
White solid; mp: 145-147 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.75 (s, 4H), 2.51 (d, 4H, $J=6.5$ Hz), 4.59 (s, 1H), 7.04-7.15(m, 4H), 7.21-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.54 (d, 2H, $J=7.2$ Hz), 7.82 (d, 1H, $J=7.5$ Hz), 8.10 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50MHz (CDCl₃):** 144.41, 136.08, 128.16, 127.69, 126.53, 122.0, 121.79, 119.73, 119.39, 119.30, 111.01, 67.97, 53.68, 23.51. ESIMS: m/z 276 (M+H). IR (KBr): 3417, 3063, 2824, 1494, 1392, 1213, 1164, 754 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₂₀N₂: C, 82.57; H, 7.29; N, 10.14%; found: C, 82.50; H, 7.21; N, 10.05%; HRMS (ES): calculated 276.1626; found: 276.1632; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 ml/min); $t_1 = 5.94$ min, $t_2 = 6.41$ min.

3-((4-chlorophenyl)(pyrrolidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10b).



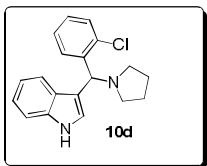
White solid; mp: 152-155 °C¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.76 (s, 4H), 2.51(d, 4H, *J*=5.1 Hz), 4.57 (s, 1H), 7.07-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.21-7.30(m, 1H), 7.48(d, 2H, *J*=7.1Hz), 7.78 (d, 1H, *J*=7.7 Hz) 8.05 (br, s, 1H); ¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃): 144.41, 136.08, 128.16, 127.69, 126.53, 122.0, 121.79, 119.73, 119.39, 119.30, 111.01, 67.97, 53.68, 23.51; ESIMS: *m/z* 311 (M+H).IR (KBr): 3415, 3061, 2820, 1498, 1389, 1217, 1165, 752 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₁₉ClN₂: C, 73.42; H, 6.16; N, 9.01; found: C, 73.35; H, 6.08; N, 8.89 %; HRMS (ES): calculated 310.1237; found: 310.1245; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 ml/min); *t*₁ = 16.20 min, *t*₂ = 20.29 min.

3-((2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)(pyrrolidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10c).



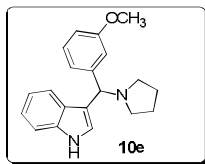
White solid; mp: 161-164 °C¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.75 (s, 4H), 2.57 (t, 4H, *J*= 6.4 Hz), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H) 5.12 (s, 1H), 6.61-6.65 (m, 1H), 6.73 (d, 1H, *J*=8.8 Hz), 7.04-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.42 (d, 1H, *J*=5.7 Hz), 7.90 (d, 1H, *J*=7.2 Hz), 8.09 (br, s, 1H); ¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃): 153.82, 150.80, 135.96, 133.90, 126.78, 122.36, 121.59, 120.02, 119.16, 114.40, 111.95, 111.74, 110.88, 59.10, 56.23, 55.67, 53.55, 23.57; **ESI-MS**: *m/z* 337 (M+H); **IR** (KBr): 3418, 3062, 2819, 1492, 1393, 1220, 1165, 750 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₁H₂₄N₂O₂: C, 74.97; H, 7.19; N, 8.33; found: C, 74.90; H, 7.11; N, 8.22%; HRMS (ES): calculated 336.1838; found: 336.1829; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); *t*₁ = 13.49 min, *t*₂ = 16.69 min.

3-((2-chlorophenyl)(pyrrolidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10d).



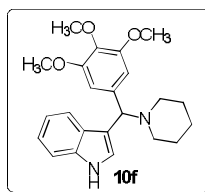
White solid; mp: 154-156 °C¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.72 (s, 4H), 2.53 (d, 4H, *J*=3.2 Hz), 5.15 (s, 1H), 6.98-7.23(m, 7H), 7.93(d, 2H, *J*=7.2 Hz), 8.07 (br, s, 1H); ¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃): 141.25, 135.89, 132.81, 129.40, 129.33, 127.39, 126.83, 126.42, 122.83, 121.74, 119.73, 119.33, 117.75, 111.05, 62.89, 53.41, 23.47; **ESIMS**: *m/z* 311 (M+H); **IR** (KBr): 3415, 3061, 2821, 1490, 1398, 1209, 1164, 754 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₁₉ClN₂: C, 73.42; H, 6.16; N, 9.01; found: C, 73.35; H, 6.11; N, 8.92%; HRMS (ES): calculated 310.1237; found: 310.1244; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); *t*₁ = 9.59 min, *t*₂ = 11.98 min.

3-((3-methoxyphenyl)(pyrrolidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10e).



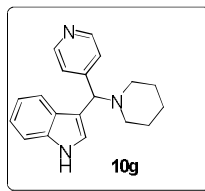
White solid; mp: 159 °C; ¹H, ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.75 (s, 4H), 2.52 (s, 4H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 4.55 (s, 1H), 6.67-6.69 (m, 1H), 7.04-7.17 (m, 6H), 7.24 (d, 1H, *J*=7.5 Hz), 7.84 (d, 1H, *J*=7.4 Hz), 8.17 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 159.47, 146.02, 136.08, 129.08, 126.50, 122.09, 121.76, 120.17, 119.70, 119.29, 119.21, 113.45, 111.73, 111.05, 67.94, 55.09, 53.67, 23.51; **ESIMS:** *m/z* 307 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3411, 3059, 2822, 1491, 1395, 1211, 1166, 751 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₀H₂₂N₂O: C, 78.40; H, 7.24; N, 9.14; found: C, 78.36; H, 7.20; N, 9.08%. HRMS (ES): calculated 306.1732;found:306.1724; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); *t*₁ = 16.49 min, *t*₂ = 21.07 min.

3-(piperidin-1-yl(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)methyl)-1H-indole (10f).



White solid; mp: 112-115 °C, ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.42 (s, 2H), 1.56 (s, 4H), 1.24, (s, 4H), 3.78 (s, 9H), 4.58 (s, 1H), 6.78(s, 2H), 7.03-7.14 (m, 3H), 7.29 (d, 1H, *J*= 7.2 Hz), 7.85 (d, 1H,*J*= 7.0 Hz), 8.32 (br, s, 1H);**¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 152.78, 139.32, 136.32, 136.22, 126.98, 123.03, 121.71, 120.26, 119.17, 117.18, 111.12, 104.88, 68.59, 60.72, 55.95, 52.80, 26.32, 24.68; **ESIMS:** *m/z* 381 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3413, 3062, 2820, 1495, 1397, 1218, 1161, 758 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₃H₂₈N₂O₃: C, 72.60; H, 7.42; N, 7.36%; found: C, 72.54; H, 7.38; N, 7.29%. HRMS (ES): calculated 380.2100;found:380.2109; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); *t*₁ = 7.20 min, *t*₂ = 7.95 min.

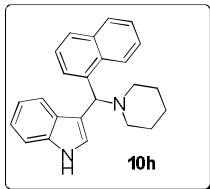
3-(piperidin-1-yl(pyridin-4-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10g).



White solid; mp: 135-137 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.54-1.61 (m, 6H), 2.37-2.46 (m, 4H), 4.68 (s, 1H), 7.03-7.31(m, 4H), 7.46 (d, 2H, *J*= 5.7 Hz), 7.73 (d, 1H, *J*=7.7Hz), 8.48 (d, 2H, *J*=5.9 Hz), 8.94 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 152.69, 149.38, 136.43, 126.65, 123.57, 123.40, 123.22, 121.93, 120.09, 119.40, 115.26, 111.23, 67.51, 52.62, 26.26, 24.53; **ESIMS:** *m/z* 292 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3420, 3069, 2829, 1489, 1393, 1217, 1158, 748 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₂₁N₃:

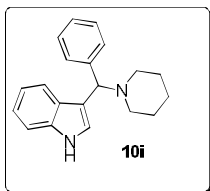
C, 78.32; H, 7.26; N, 14.42; found: C, 78.25; H, 7.19; N, 14.33%; HRMS (ES): calculated 291.1735;found:291.1722; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); $t_1 = 6.75$ min, $t_2 = 7.84$ min.

3-(naphthalen-1-yl(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole(10h).



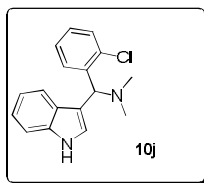
White solid; mp: 119-121 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.42-1.46 (m, 2H), 1.54 (s, 4H), 2.50 (d, 4H, $J = 4.9$ Hz), 5.08 (s, 1H), 7.09-7.16(m, 3H), 7.33-7.36 (m, 2H), 7.67 (d, 1H, $J = 8.1$ Hz), 7.74-7.90 (m, 4H), 8.05 (d, 1H, $J = 8.2$ Hz), 8.37 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃):** 137.32, 134.39, 132.55, 130.91, 130.50, 129.37, 128.84, 127.96, 127.49, 127.26, 127.00, 126.74, 126.59, 122.12, 121.14, 115.51, 113.48, 72.18, 51.09, 24.68, 23.42; **ESIMS:** m/z 341 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3419, 3059, 2820, 1509, 1392, 1213, 1163, 754 cm^{-1} ; Analysis calculated for C₂₄H₂₄N₂: C, 84.67; H, 7.11; N, 8.23; found: C, 84.61; H, 7.04; N, 8.18%; HRMS (ES): calculated 340.1939;found:340.1948; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); $t_1 = 11.00$ min, $t_2 = 18.01$ min.

3-(phenyl(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10i).



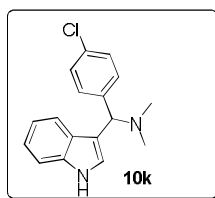
White solid; mp: 112 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.38 (s, 2H), 1.54 (s, 4H), 2.40 (s, 4H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 6.92 (d, 2H, $J = 7.5$ Hz), 7.21-7.46 (m, 7H), 7.76 (br, s, 1H), 7.92 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 142.97, 136.49, 136.18, 128.10, 128.04, 126.45, 122.85, 121.71, 120.25, 119.19, 117.44, 111.01, 68.58, 52.83, 26.24, 24.66; **ESIMS:** m/z 291 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3400, 3066, 2821, 1493, 1395, 1219, 1164, 753 cm^{-1} ; Analysis calculated for C₂₀H₂₂N₂: C, 82.72; H, 7.64; N, 9.65; found: C, 82.60; H, 7.54; N, 9.59%; HRMS (ES): calculated 290.1783;found:290.1791; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); $t_1 = 10.99$ min, $t_2 = 18.61$ min.

1-(2-chlorophenyl)-1-(1H-indol-3-yl)-N,N-dimethylmethanamine(10j).



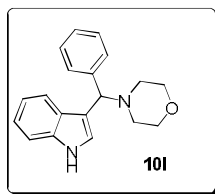
White solid; mp: 85-87 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.27 (s, 6H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 7.03-7.26 (m, 7H), 7.87(br, s, 2H), 8.19 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 137.32, 136.89, 133.97, 132.19, 130.41, 130.30, 128.35, 127.71, 127.00, 122.13, 121.14, 120.14, 115.97, 113.48, 73.71, 41.64. **ESIMS:** m/z 285 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3410, 3065, 2819, 1494, 1391, 1220, 1161, 757 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₇H₁₇ClN₂: C, 71.70; H, 6.02; N, 9.84%; found: C, 71.64; H, 5.91; N, 9.77%; **HRMS (ES):** calculated 284.1080;found:284.1071; **HPLC analysis** by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 7.13 min, t₂ = 8.21 min.

1-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-(1H-indol-3-yl)-N,N-dimethylmethanamine(10k).



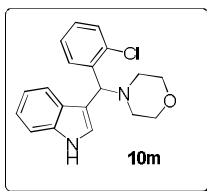
White solid; mp: 89-91 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.25 (s, 6H), 4.53 (s, 1H), 7.09-7.44 (m, 8H), 7.68 (d, 1H, *J*=7.7 Hz), 8.13 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 137.32, 135.47, 133.18, 131.15., 131.01, 129.66, 129.45, 128.11, 127.00, 122.13, 121.14, 120.14, 115.35, 113.48, 74.27, 41.64; **ESIMS:** m/z 285(M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3415, 3060, 2822, 1497, 1395, 1215, 1165, 753 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₇H₁₇ClN₂: C, 71.70; H, 6.02; N, 9.84%; found: C, 71.62; H, 5.91; N, 9.77%; **HRMS (ES):** calculated 284.1080;found:284.1086; **HPLC analysis** by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 6.65 min, t₂ = 8.43 min.

4-((1H-indol-3-yl)(phenyl)methyl)morpholine(10l).



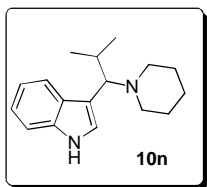
White solid; mp: 129-130 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.44 (s, 4H), 3.67-3.68(m, 4H), 4.58(s, 1H), 6.94 (s, 1H), 7.08-7.23 (m, 6H), 7.51 (d, 2H, *J*=6.8Hz), 7.88 (d, 1H, *J*=6.2Hz) 8.11(br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz:** 142.49, 136.30, 128.25, 127.98, 126.71, 126.43, 122.82, 121.87, 120.10, 119.38, 116.82, 111.11, 68.76, 67.24, 52.37; **ESIMS:** m/z 293 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3420, 3060, 2821, 1490, 1391, 1212, 1161, 750 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₂₀N₂O: C, 78.05; H, 6.89; N, 9.58%; found: C, 78.01; H, 6.81; N, 9.47%; **HRMS (ES):** calculated 292.1576;found:292.1584; **HPLC analysis** by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 6.60 min, t₂ = 8.10 min.

4-((2-chlorophenyl)(1H-indol-3-yl)methyl)morpholine(10m).



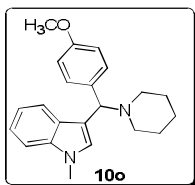
White solid; mp: 134-139 °C; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.44 (s, 4H), 3.66 (s, 4H), 5.11 (s, 1H), 7.01-7.15 (m, 7H), 7.94 (s, 2H), 8.12 (br, s, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 139.74, 136.14, 133.69, 129.57, 128.87, 127.53, 126.79, 126.23, 123.53, 121.87, 120.09, 119.47, 115.15, 111.16, 67.17, 63.73, 52.32; **ESIMS:** m/z 327 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3415, 3061, 2822, 1492, 1389, 1214, 1164, 749 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₉H₁₉ClN₂O: C, 69.83; H, 5.86; N, 8.57; found: C, 69.77; H, 5.75; N, 8.51%; HRMS (ES): calculated 326.1186; found: 326.1172; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 6.67 min, t₂ = 8.28 min.

3-(2-methyl-1-(piperidin-1-yl)propyl)-1H-indole (10n).



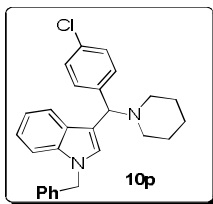
White solid; mp: 87-89 °C; ¹H NMR(200 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.75 (s, 3H), 0.82 (s, 3H), 1.29-1.48(m, 6H), 1.96-2.23 (m, 3H), 2.23-2.51 (m, 2H), 3.45 (d, 1H, J=9.6 Hz), 6.65(s, 1H), 6.77-7.08 (m, 5H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 137.16, 130.64, 127.69, 121.57, 120.67, 118.80, 112.41, 109.39, 68.92, 51.46, 30.13, 27.09, 25.32, 21.51, 20.90; **ESIMS:** m/z 257 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3417, 3063, 2830, 1491, 1397, 1211, 1161, 753 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₁₇H₂₄N₂: C, 79.64; H, 9.44; N, 10.93%; found: C, 79.58; H, 9.36; N, 10.81%; HRMS (ES): calculated 256.1939; found: 256.1947; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 4.93 min, t₂ = 5.74 min.

3-((4-methoxyphenyl)(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-1-methyl-1H-indole (10o).



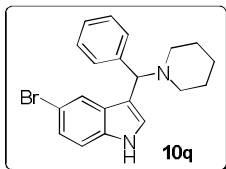
White solid; mp: 124 °C; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.84-1.07 (m, 6H), 1.65-1.79 (m, 2H), 1.98-2.11 (m, 2H), 3.06 (s, 3H), 3.13 (s, 3H), 4.58 (s, 1H), 6.16-6.25 (2H), 6.57-6.75 (m, 6H), 7.37-7.58 (m, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 159.99, 139.88, 139.69, 130.17, 130.07, 124.77, 122.15, 113.86, 112.84, 112.51, 111.74, 71.94, 56.03, 51.09, 35.89, 24.68, 23.42; **ESIMS:** m/z 335(M+H). **IR (KBr):** 3058, 2821, 1492, 1397, 1213, 1161, 759 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₂H₂₆N₂O: C, 79.00; H, 7.84; N, 8.38; found: C, 69.89; H, 7.76; N, 8.31%; HRMS (ES): calculated 334.2045; found: 334.2059; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 4.98 min, t₂ = 5.77 min.

1-benzyl-3-((4-chlorophenyl)(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10p).



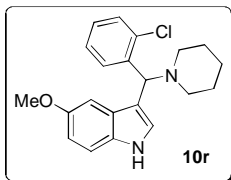
White solid; mp: 155-157 °C; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.86-1.14 (m, 6H), 1.67-1.81 (m, 2H), 1.98-2.11 (m, 2H), 4.46 (s, 2H), 4.58 (s, 1H), 6.49-6.76 (m, 11H), 6.79-6.92 (m, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.37 (m, 1H); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 139.88, 139.77, 137.46, 135.62, 133.20, 131.43, 131.28, 129.35, 129.19, 128.67, 128.59, 128.47, 128.35, 127.73, 123.82, 123.51, 121.86, 113.99, 112.71, 71.94, 52.88, 24.68, 23.42; **ESIMS:** m/z 415 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3048, 2883, 2951, 2790, 1395, 1217, 1166, 754 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₇H₂₇ClN₂: C, 78.15; H, 6.56; N, 6.75%; found: C, 78.05; H, 6.42; N, 6.66%; HRMS (ES): calculated 414.1863; found: 414.1871; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 19.02 min, t₂ = 22.09 min.

5-bromo-3-(phenyl(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-indole (10q).



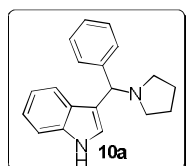
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3-((2-chlorophenyl)(piperidin-1-yl)methyl)-5-methoxy-1H-indole (10r).



White solid; mp: 109-113 °C; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.93-1.14 (m, 6H), 1.71-1.82 (m, 2H), 1.89-2.07 (m, 2H), 4.58 (s, 1H), 6.21 (s, 1H), 6.41-6.55 (m, 5H), 6.58-6.87 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d, 1H, J = 3.3 Hz); **¹³C, 50 MHz (CDCl₃):** 153.94, 134.05, 132.49, 132.45, 130.46, 130.02, 127.34, 127.28, 125.97, 114.52, 113.36, 113.29, 103.83, 71.28, 56.03, 51.03, 24.68, 23.42; **ESIMS:** m/z 355 (M+H); **IR (KBr):** 3419, 3061, 2829, 1489, 1392, 1212, 1160, 749 cm⁻¹; Analysis calculated for C₂₁H₂₃ClN₂O: C, 71.07; H, 6.53; N, 7.89%; found: C, 71.01; H, 6.48; N, 7.78%; HRMS (ES): calculated

354.1499;found:354.1483; HPLC analysis by using a Chiralpak IA column (25 °C, 254 nm, 4:1 hexane/2-propanol, 0.7 mL/min); t₁ = 15.13 min, t₂ = 18.28 min.



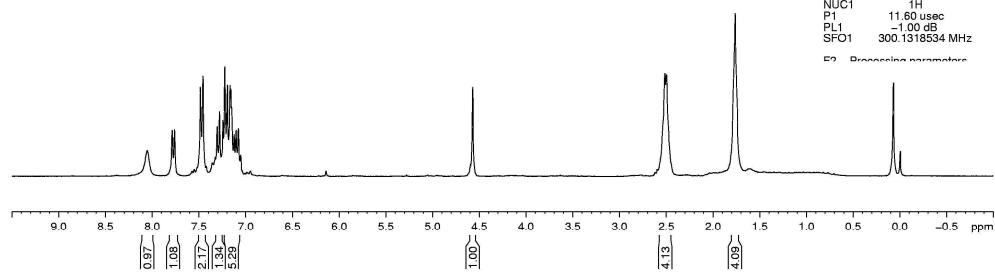
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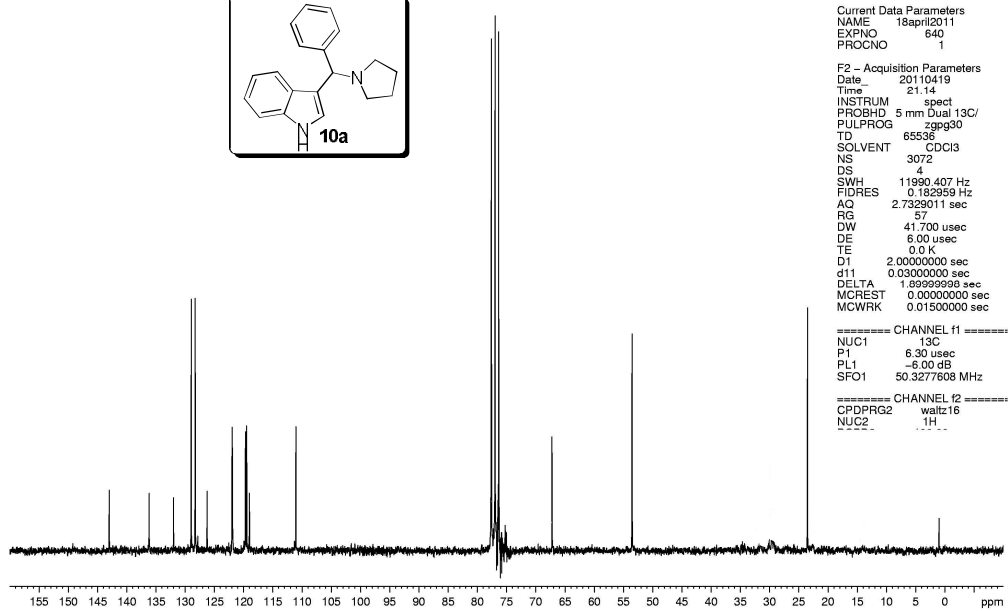
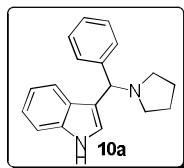
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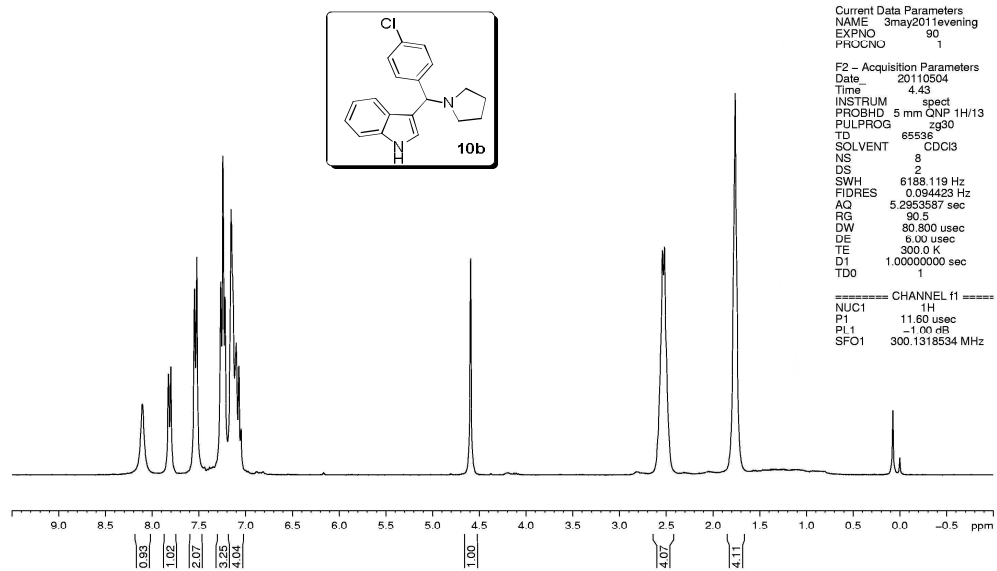
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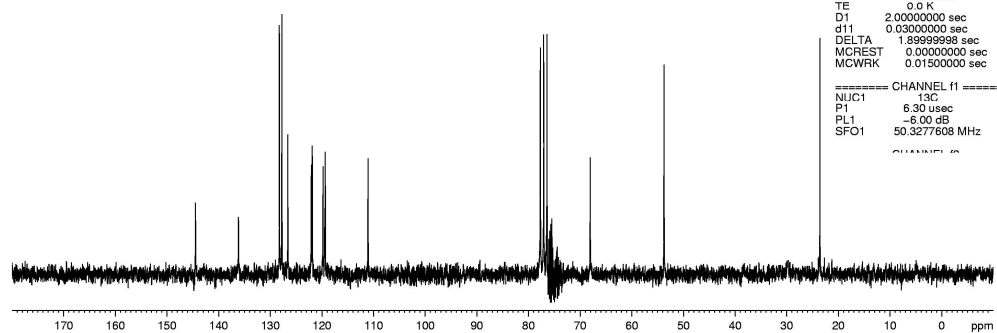
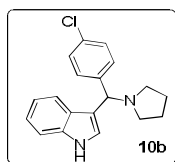
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SHAIL-2

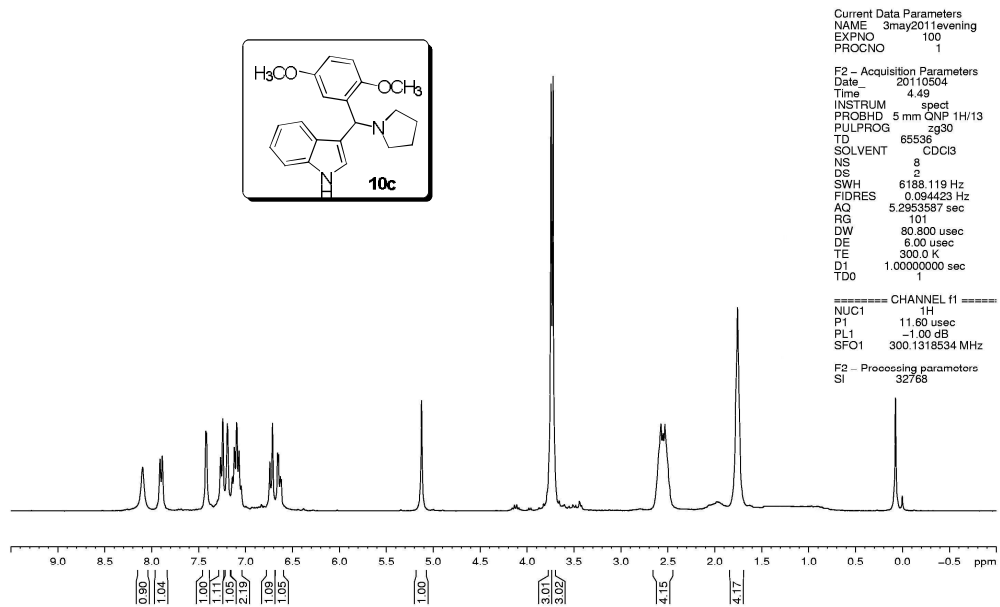


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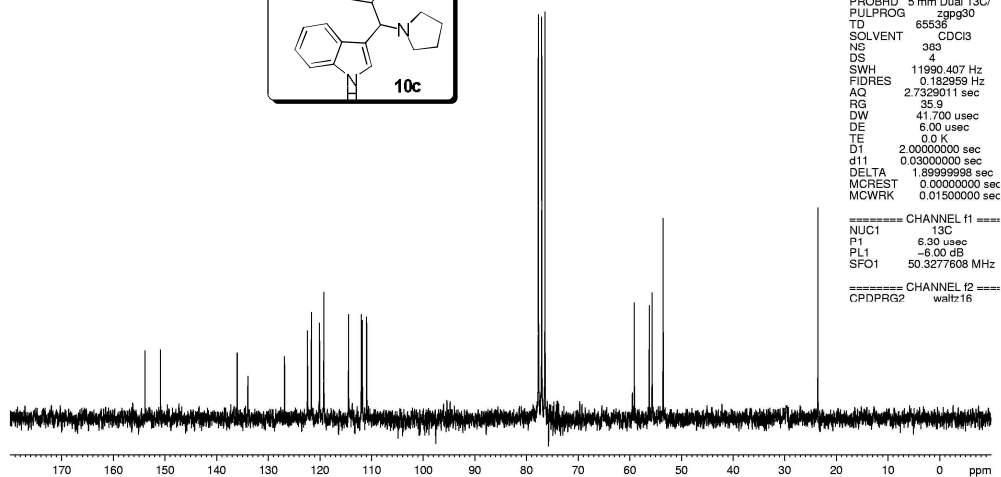
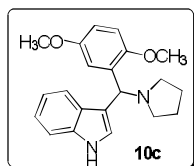
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SHAIL-3



SHAIL-3

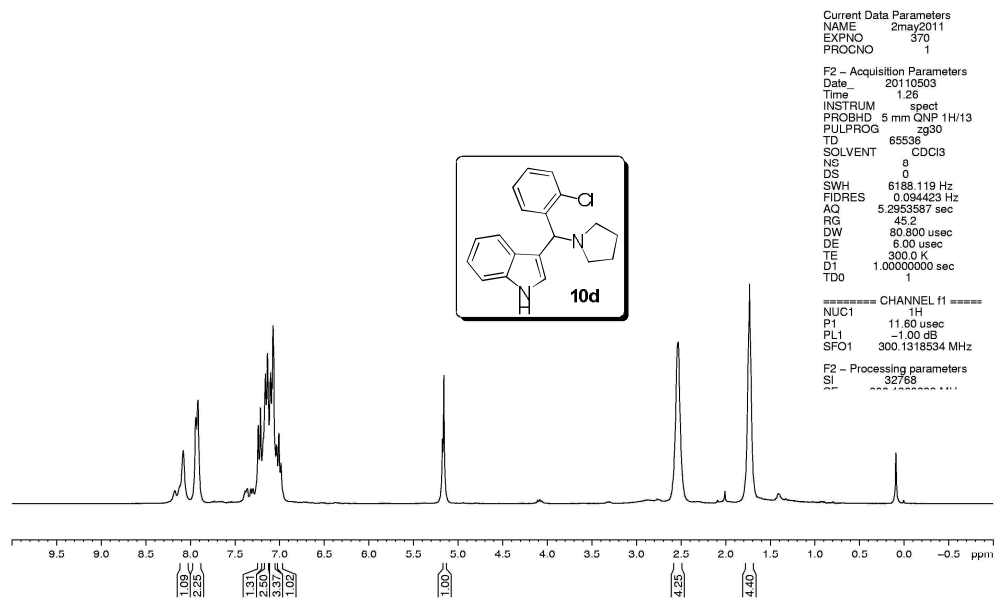


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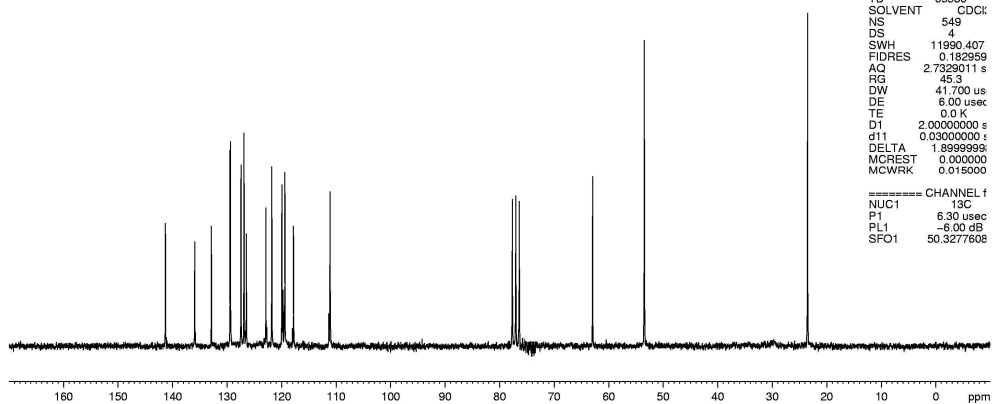
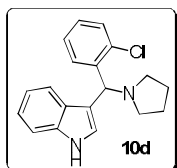
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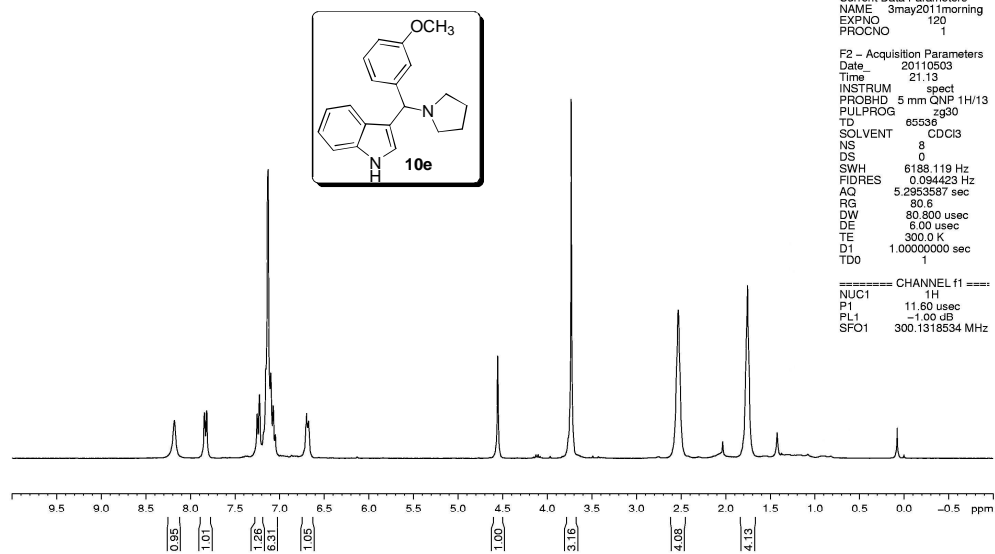


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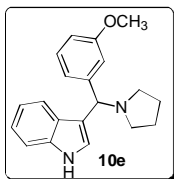


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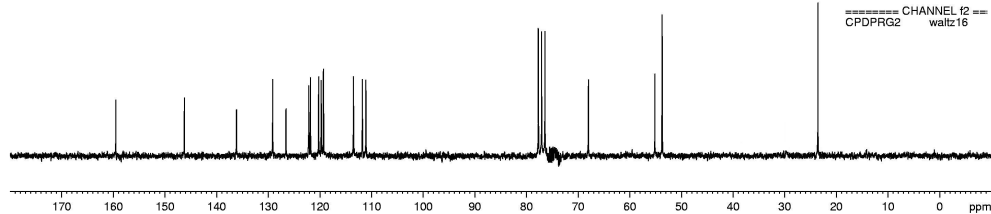


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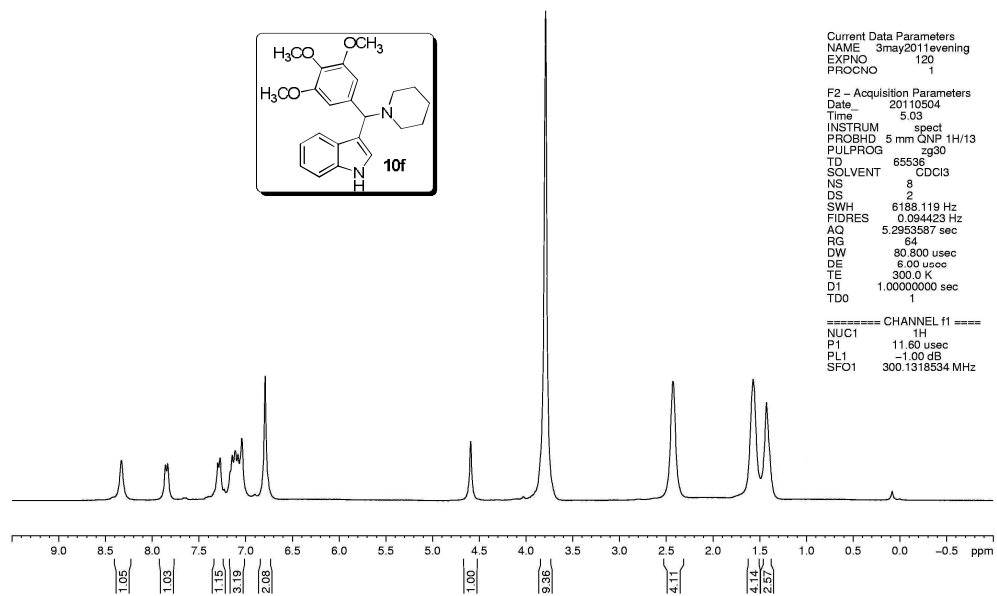
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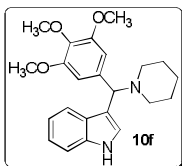
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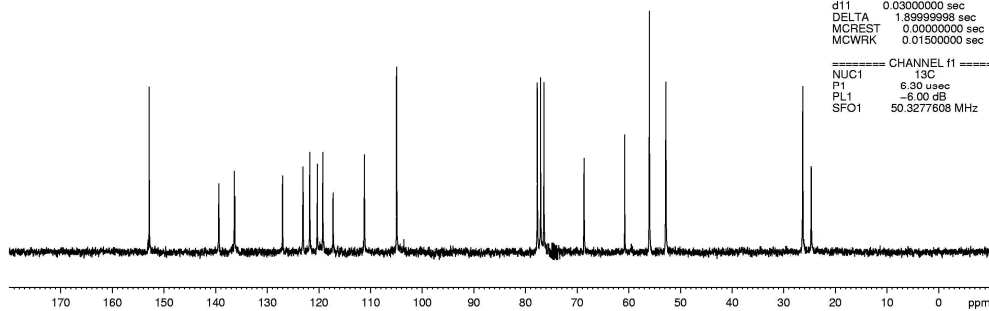
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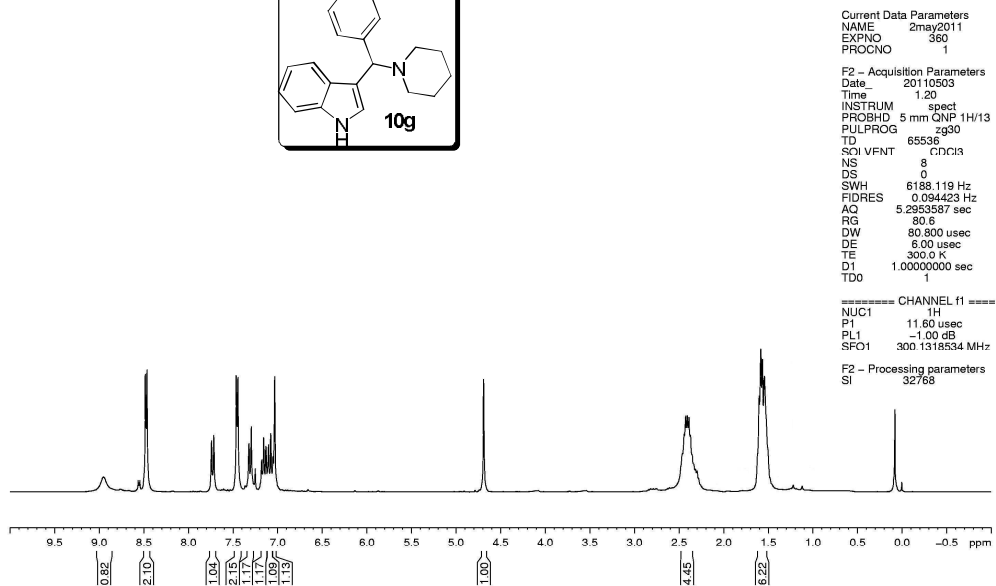
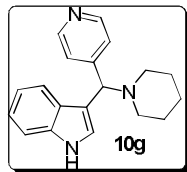
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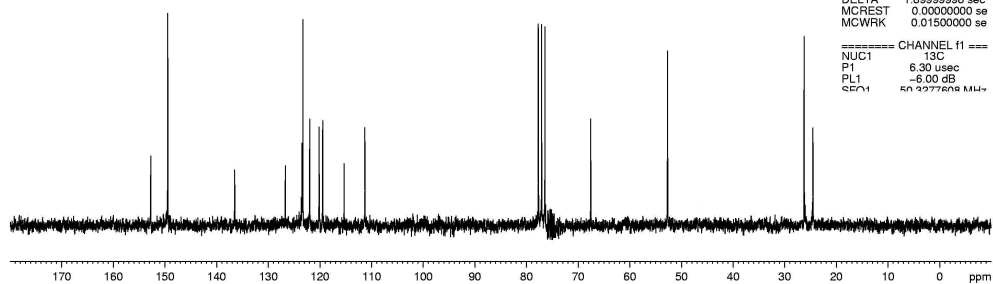
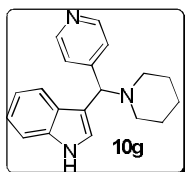
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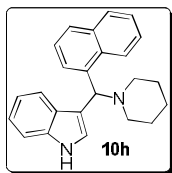
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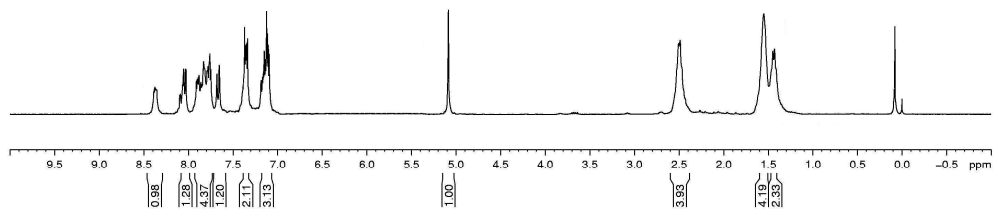
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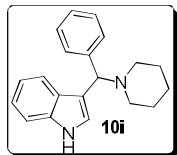
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SHAIL-10

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PROCNO 1
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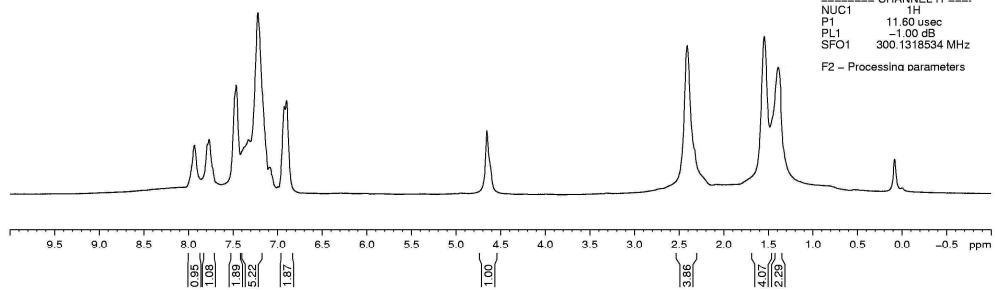
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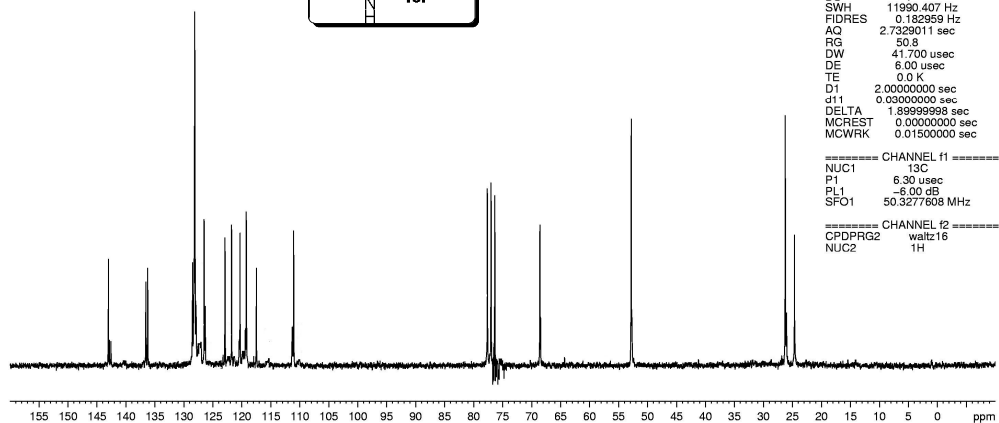
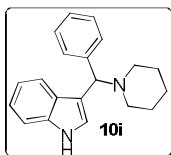
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F2 - Processing parameters



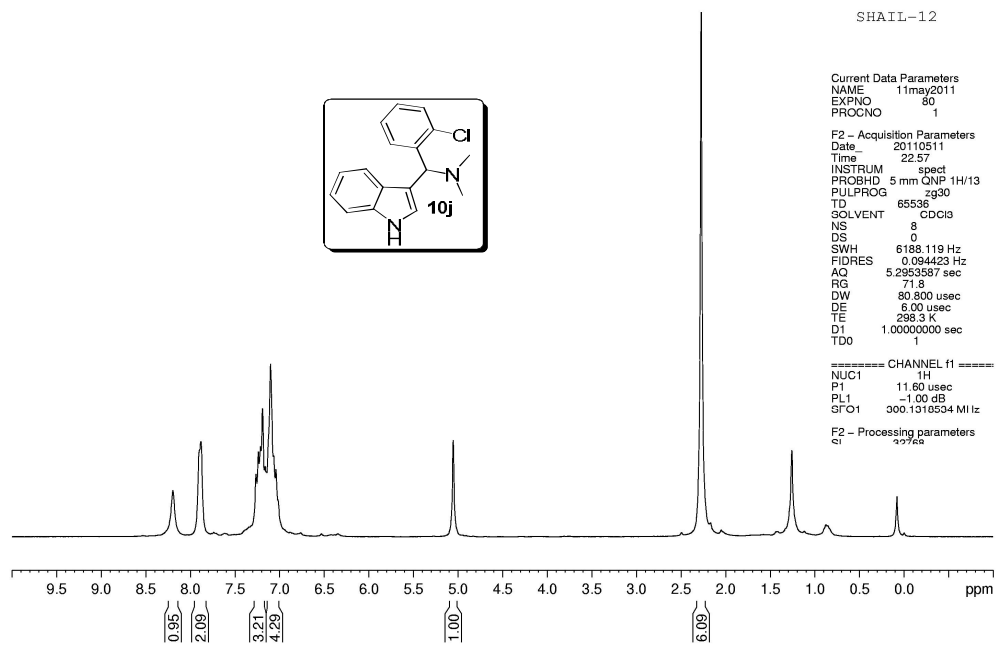
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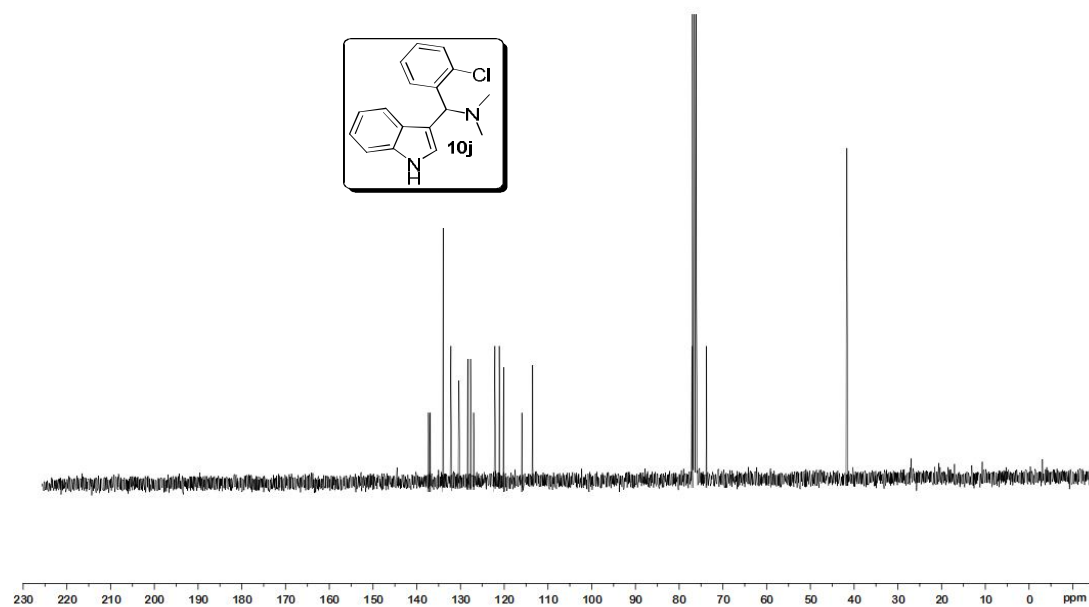


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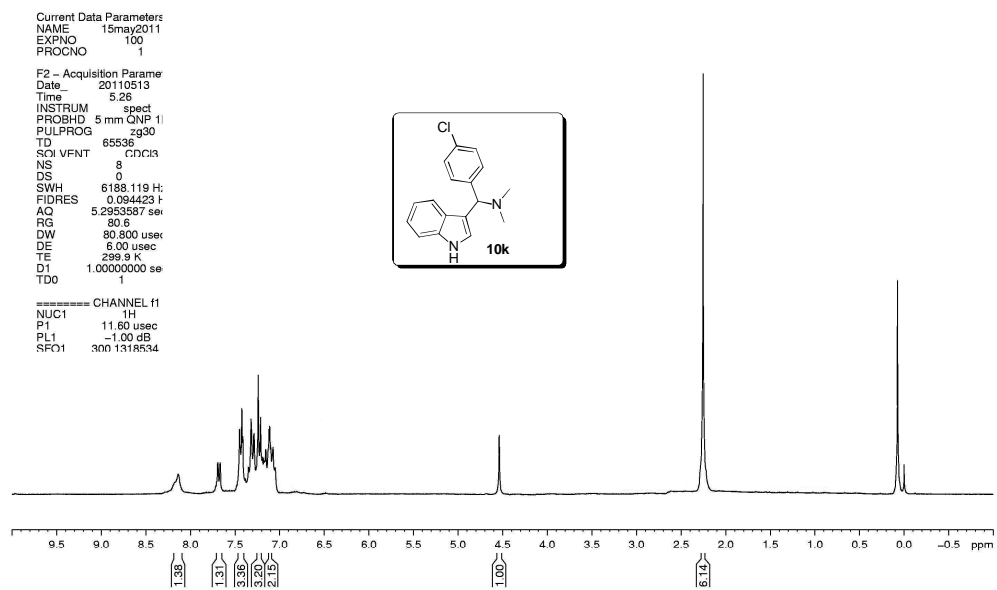
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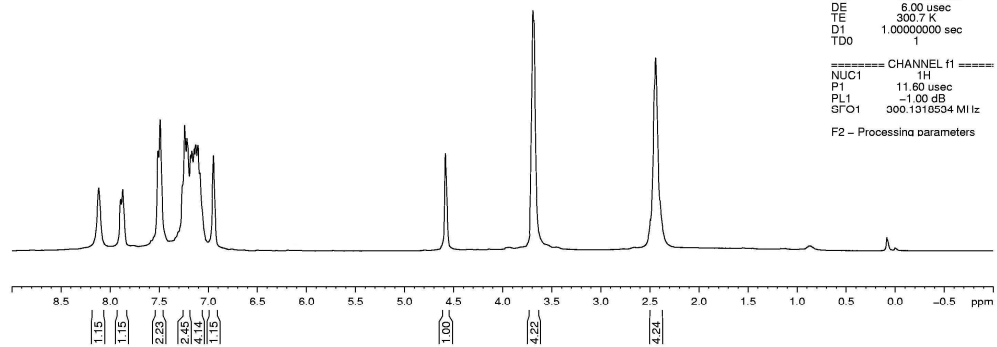
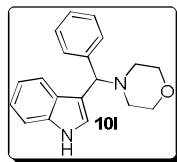




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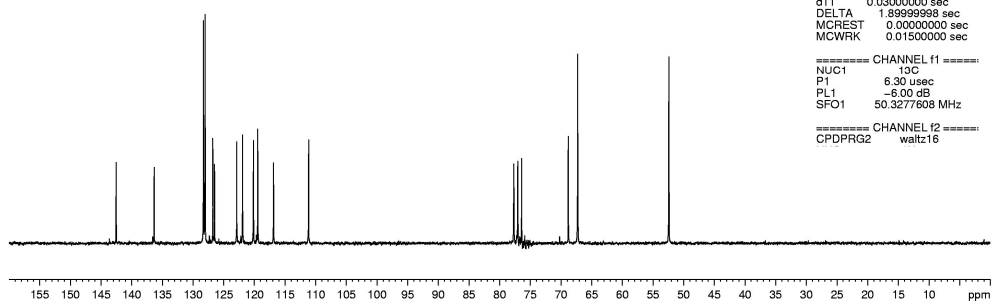
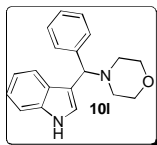
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RG 57
DW 69.333 usec
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TE 300.7 K
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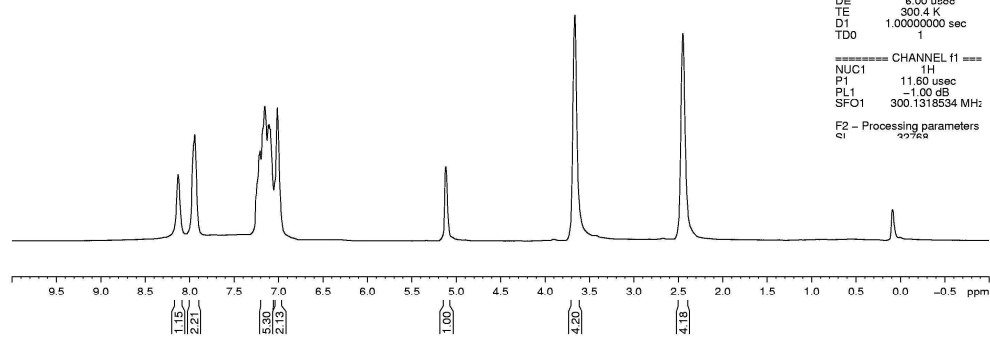
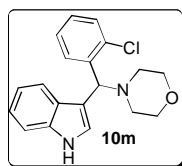
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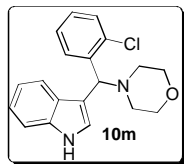
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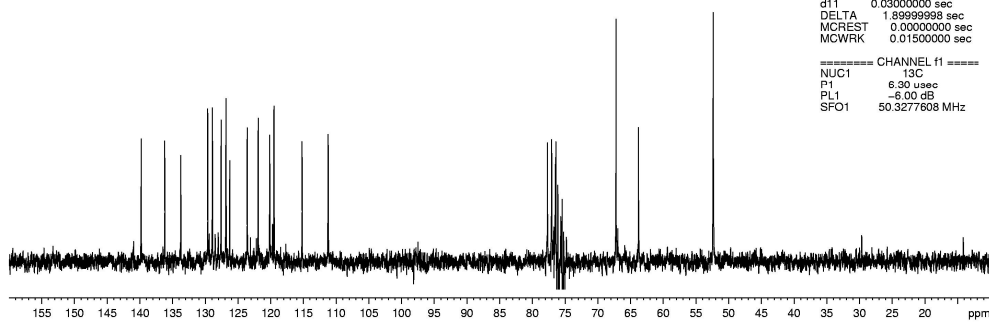
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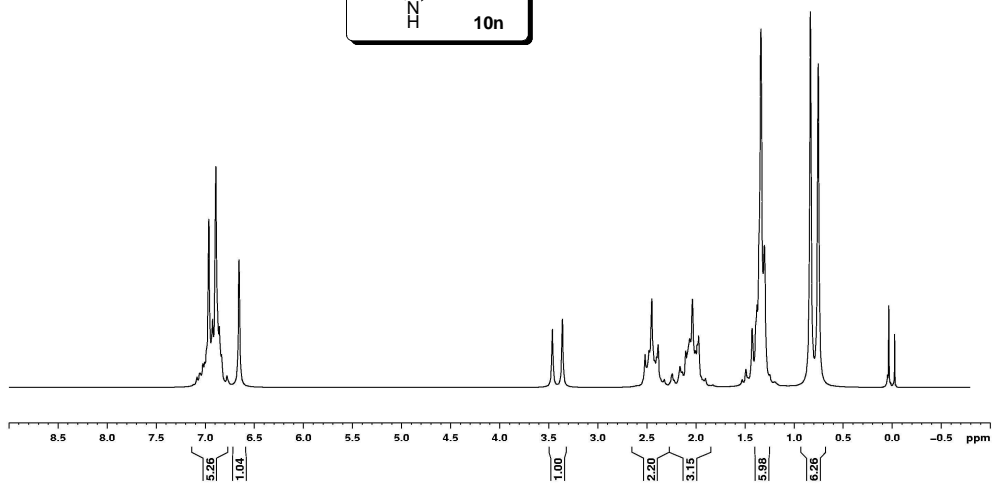
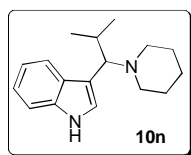
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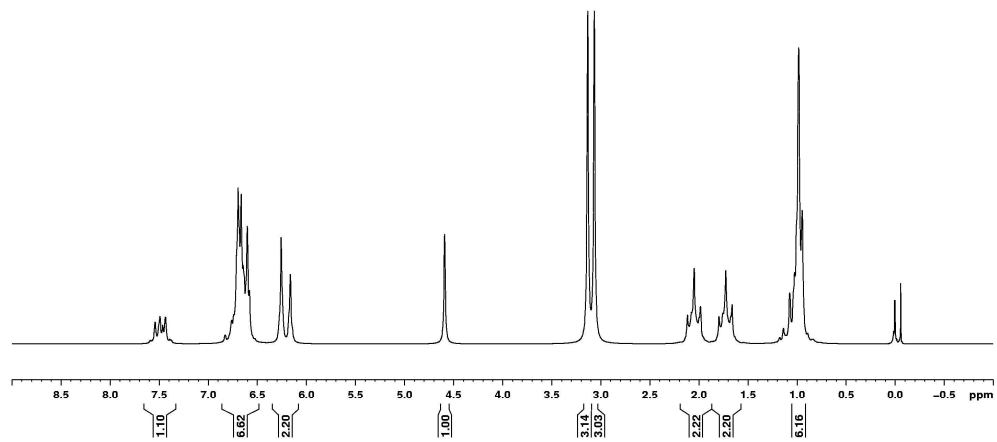
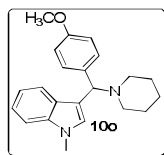
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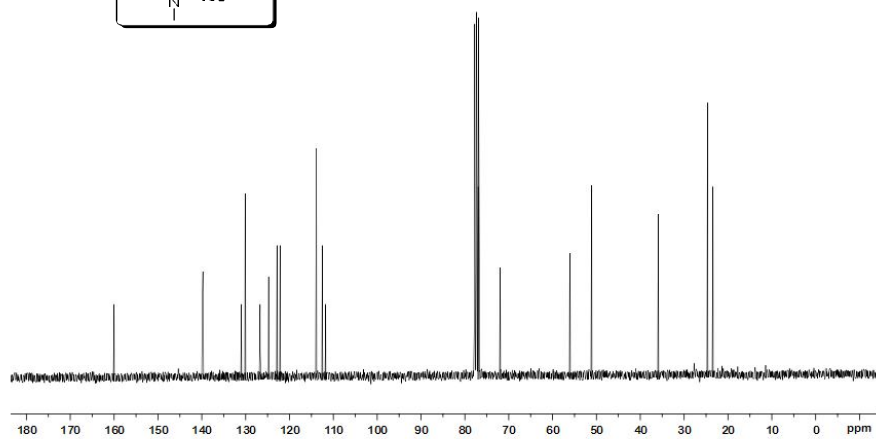
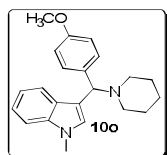


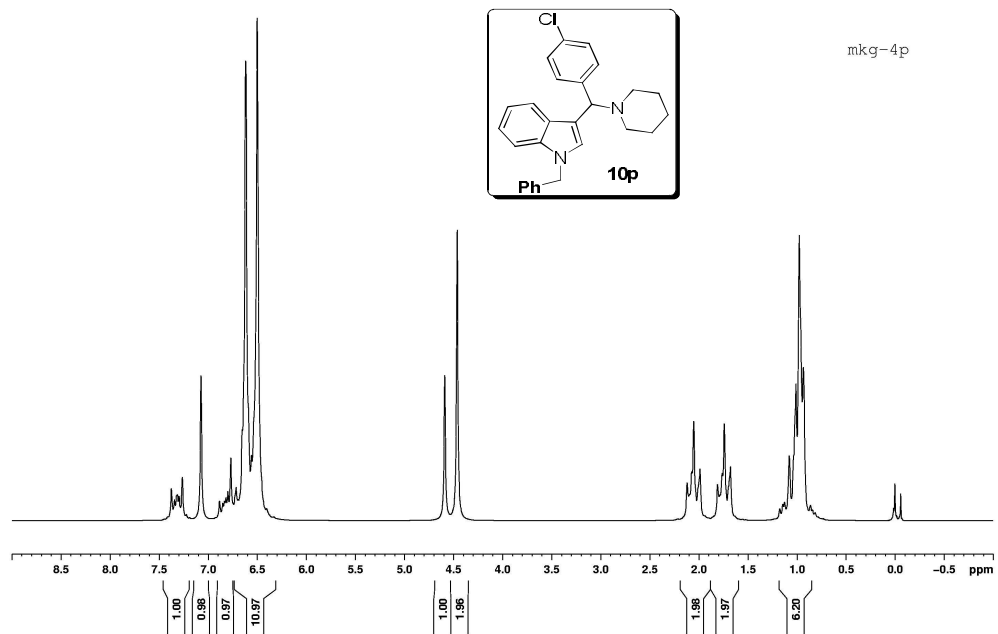
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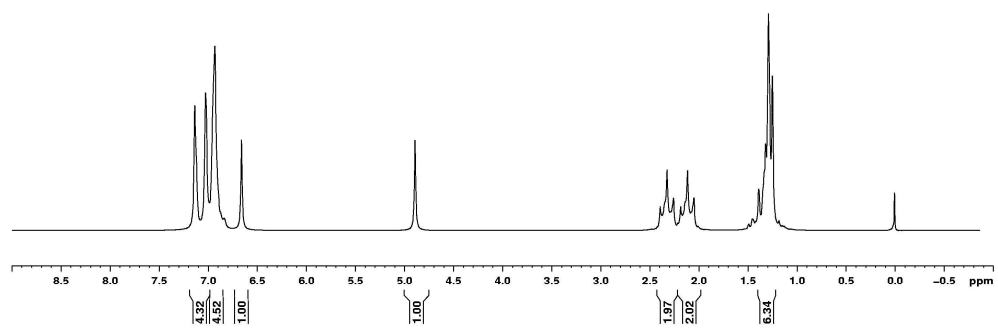
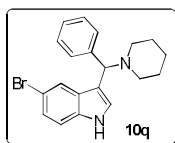
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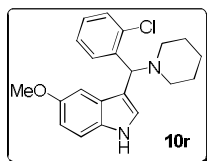




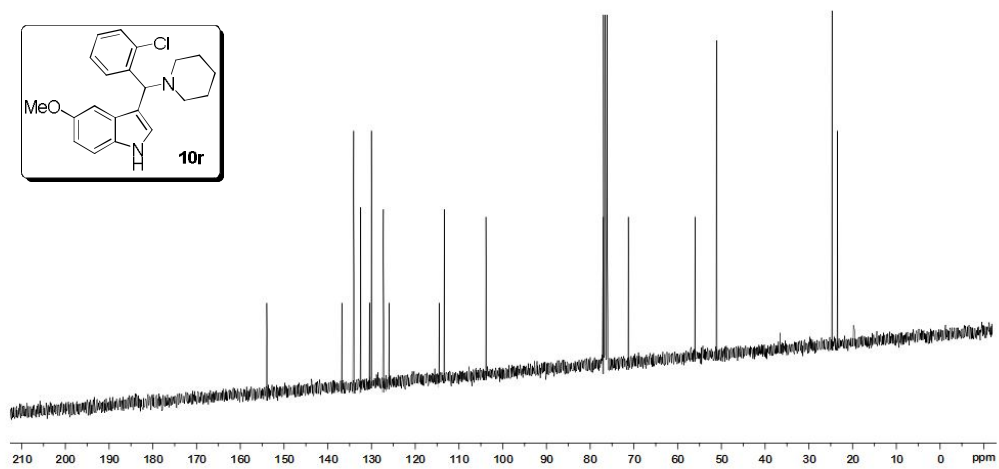
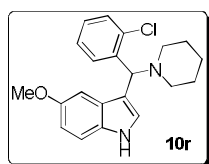
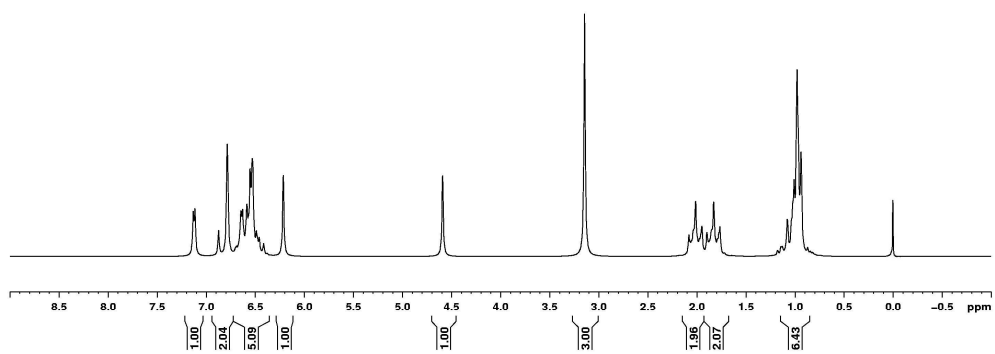


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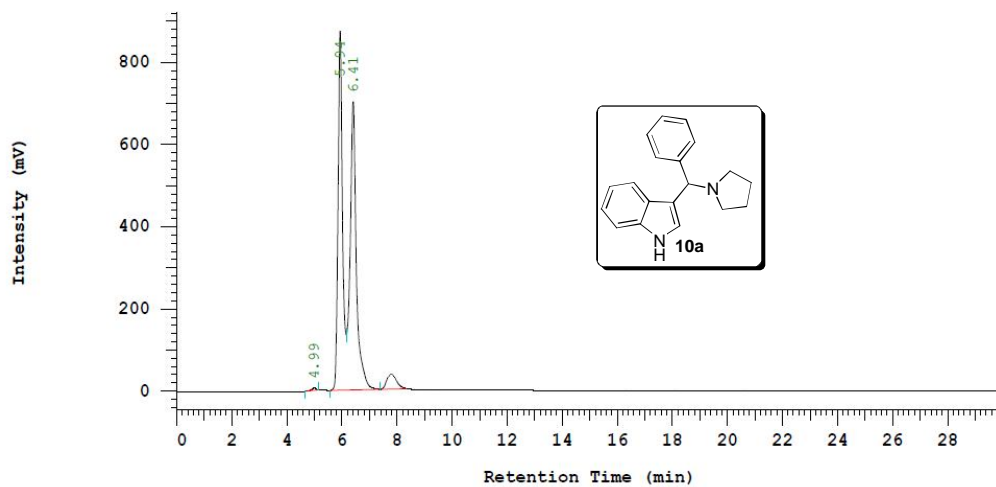




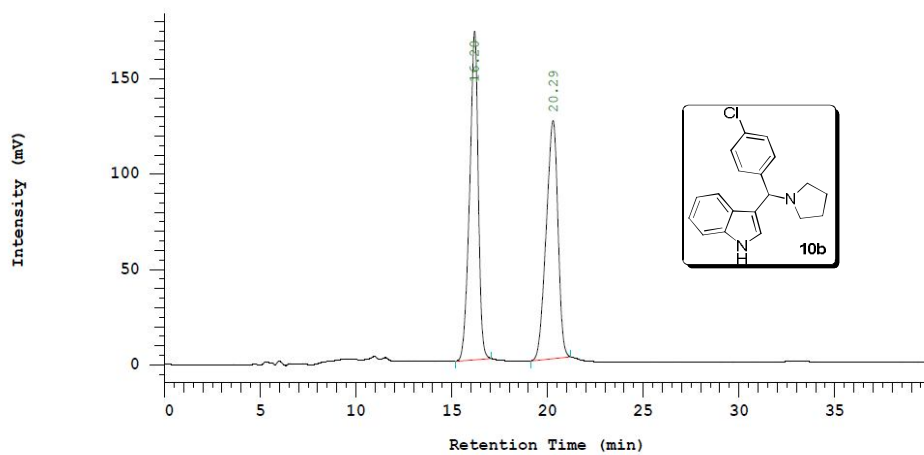
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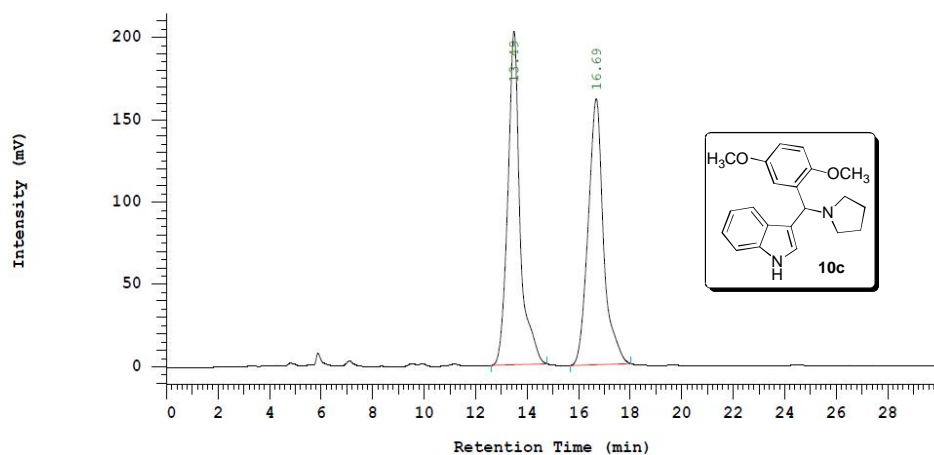


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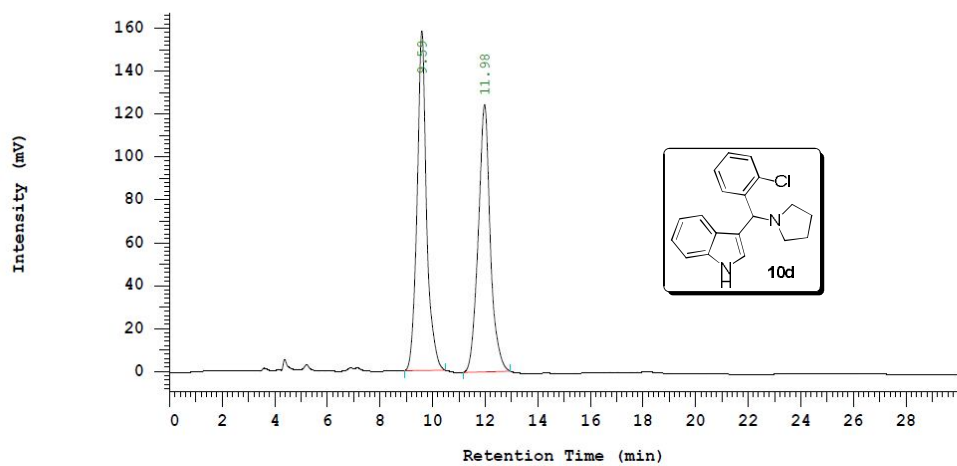
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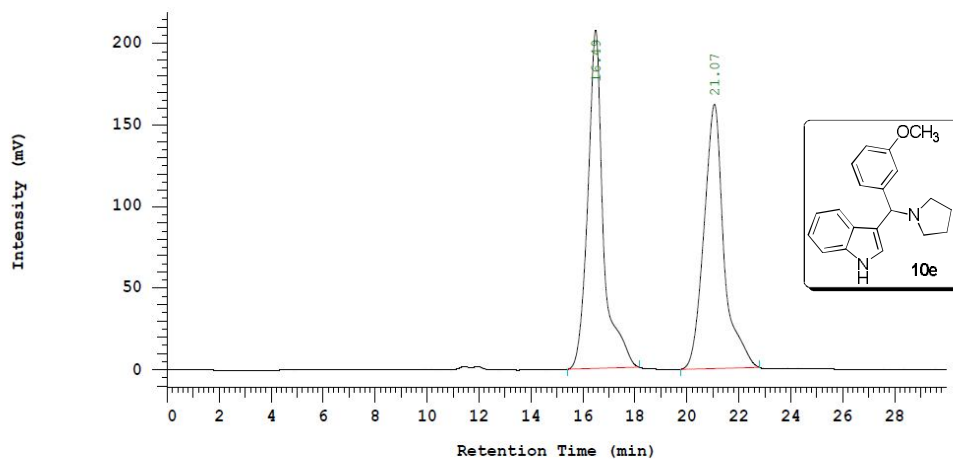
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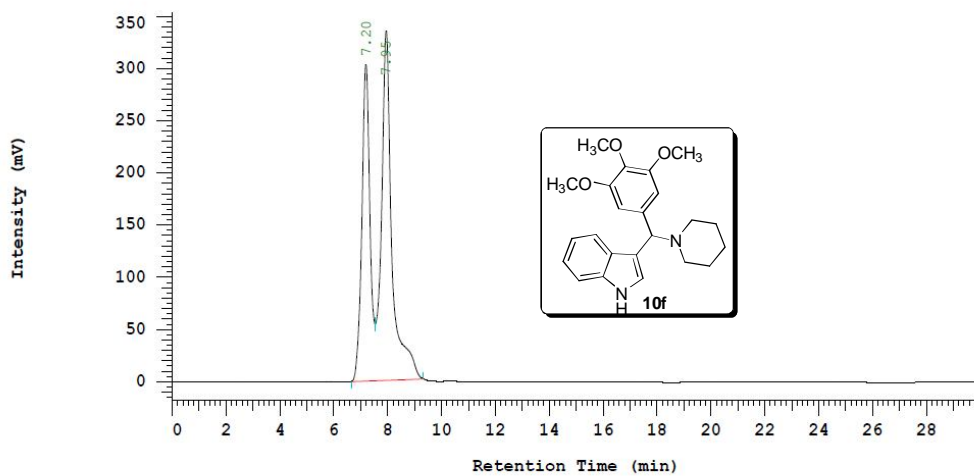
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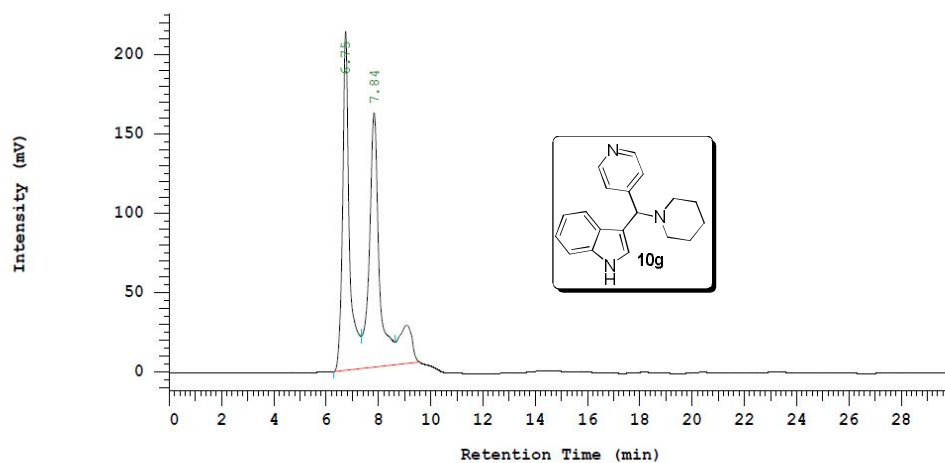
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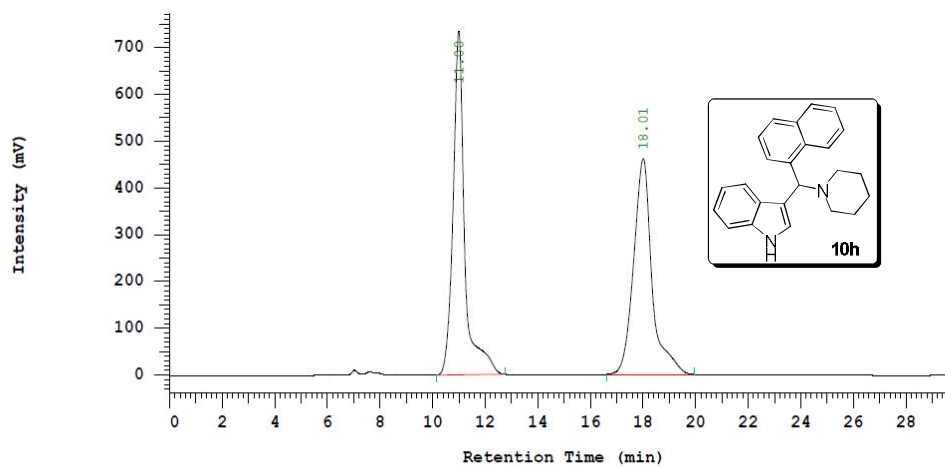
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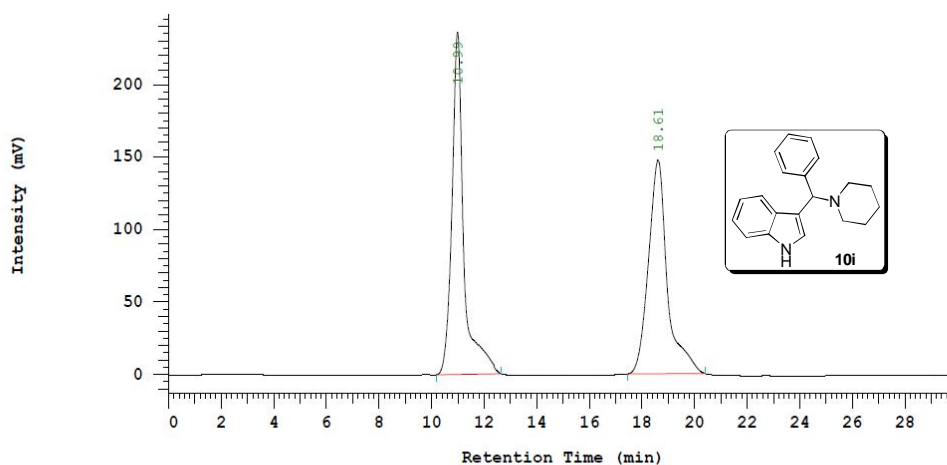
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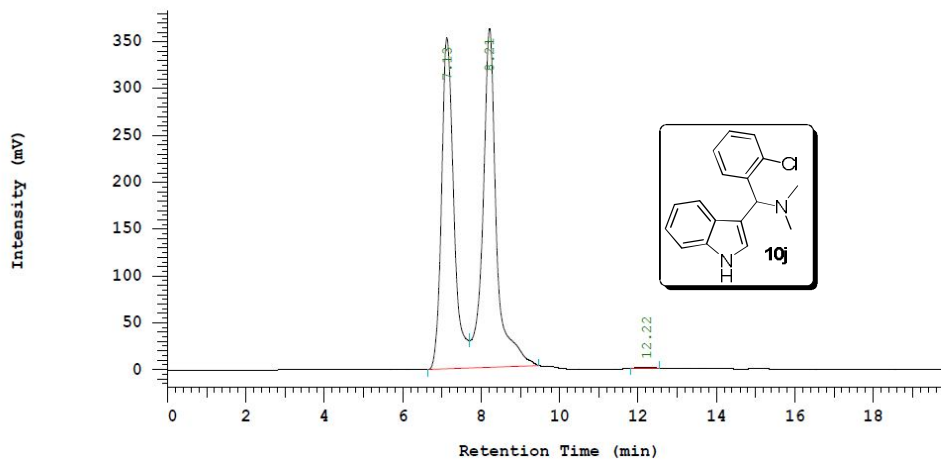
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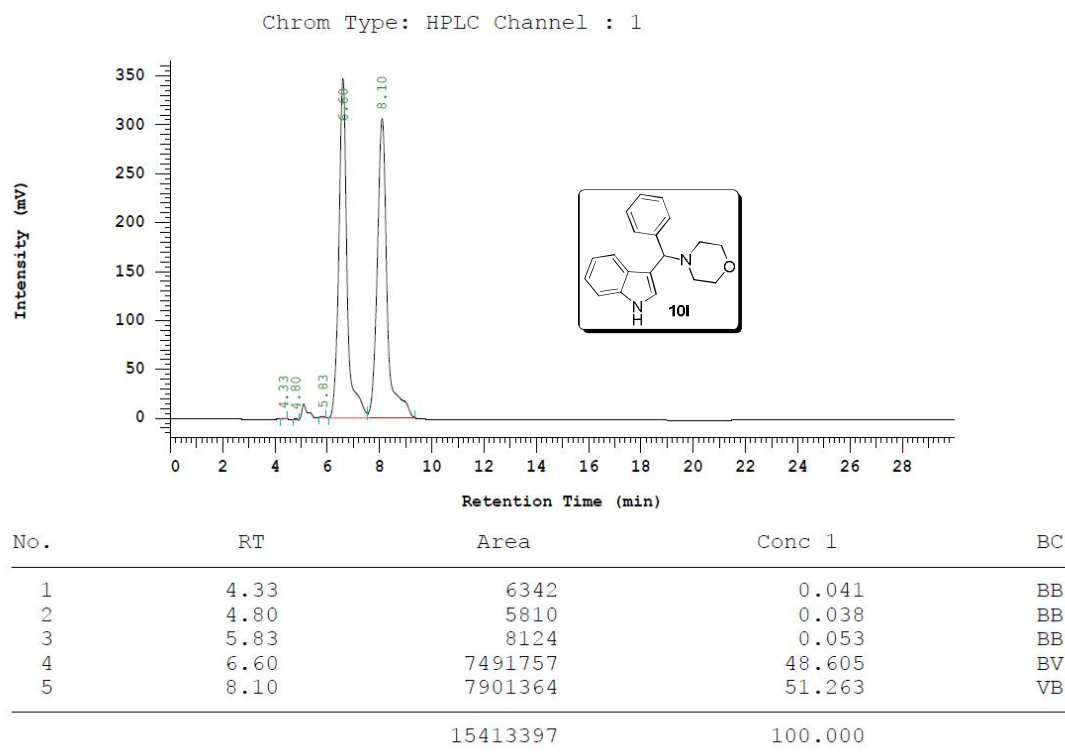
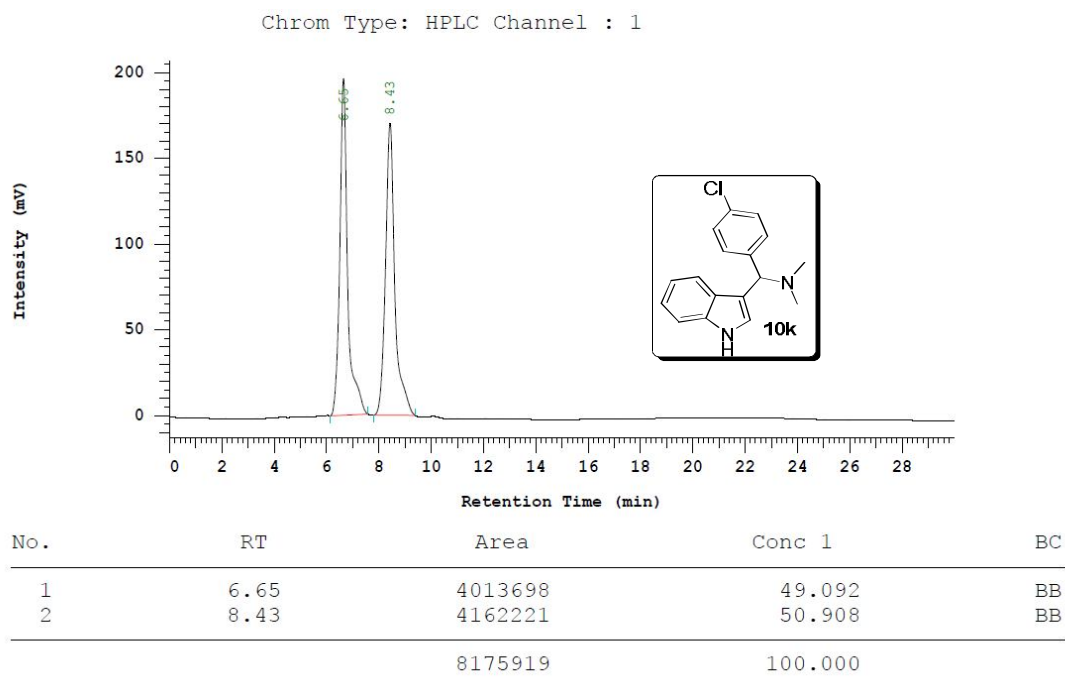


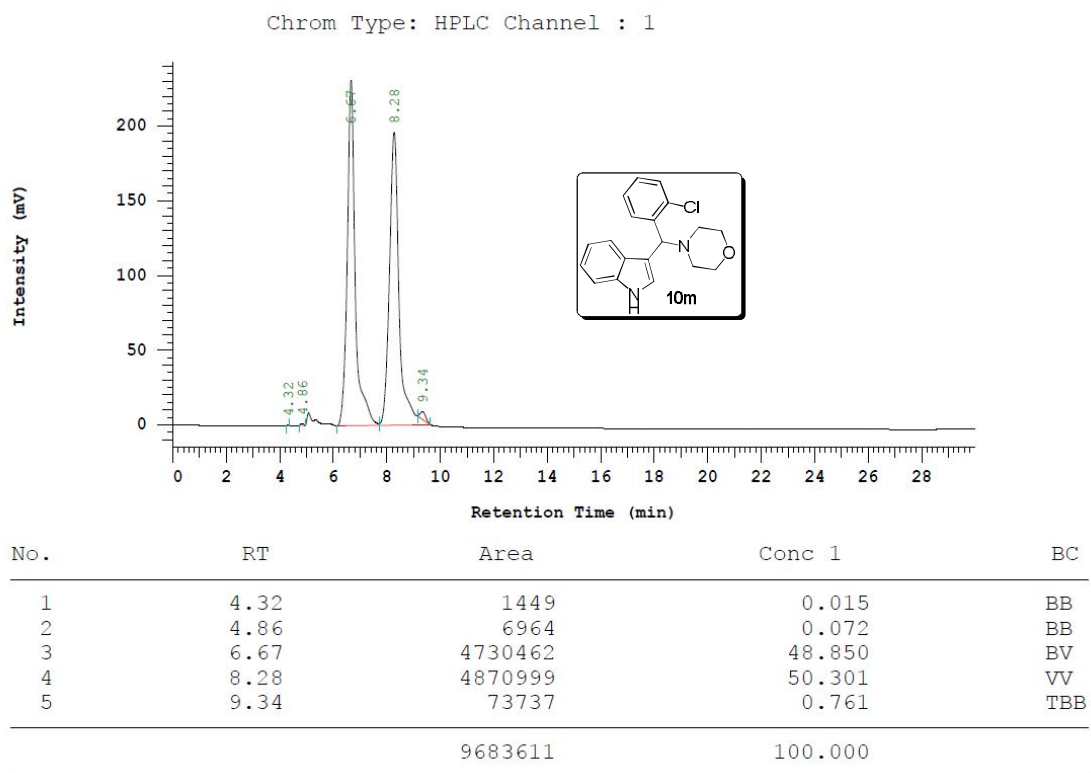
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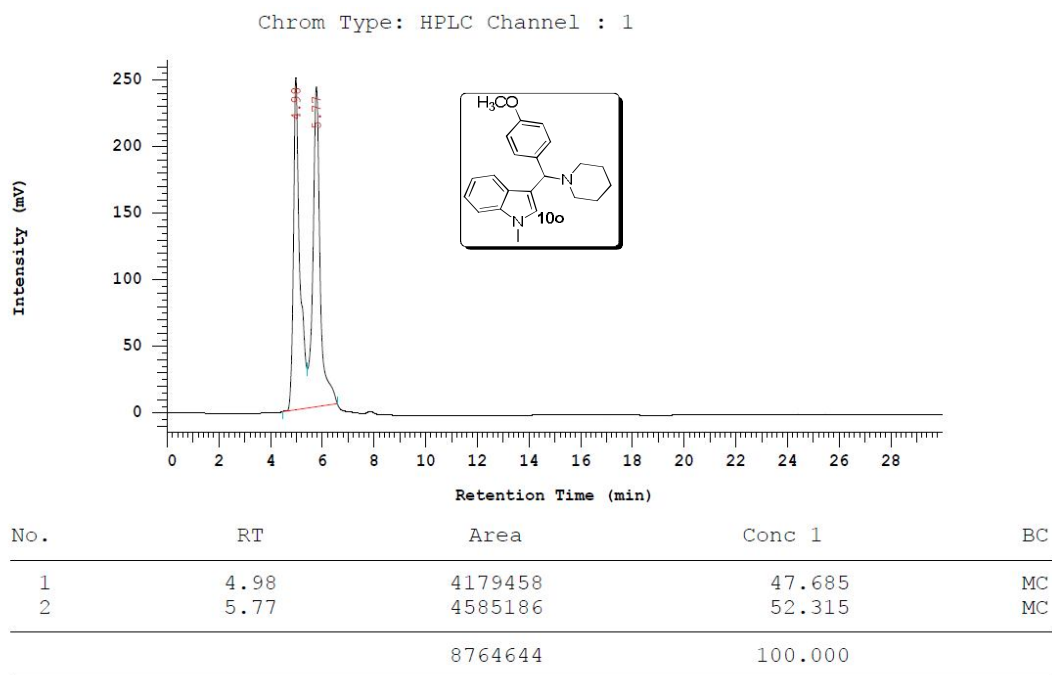
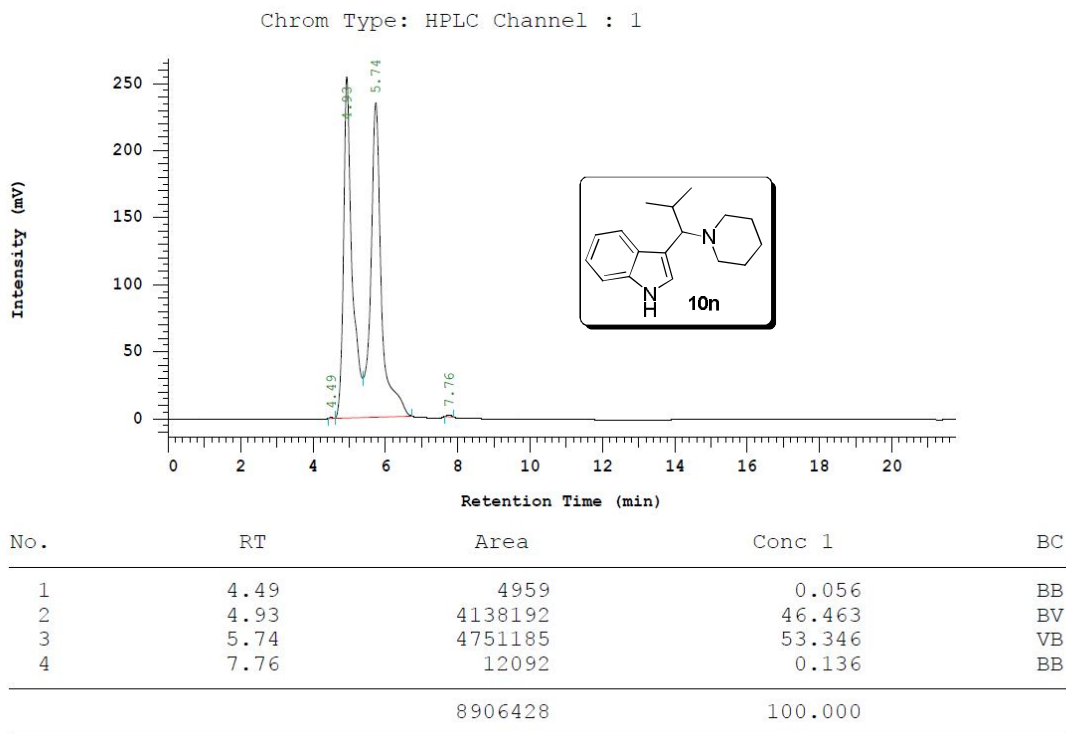
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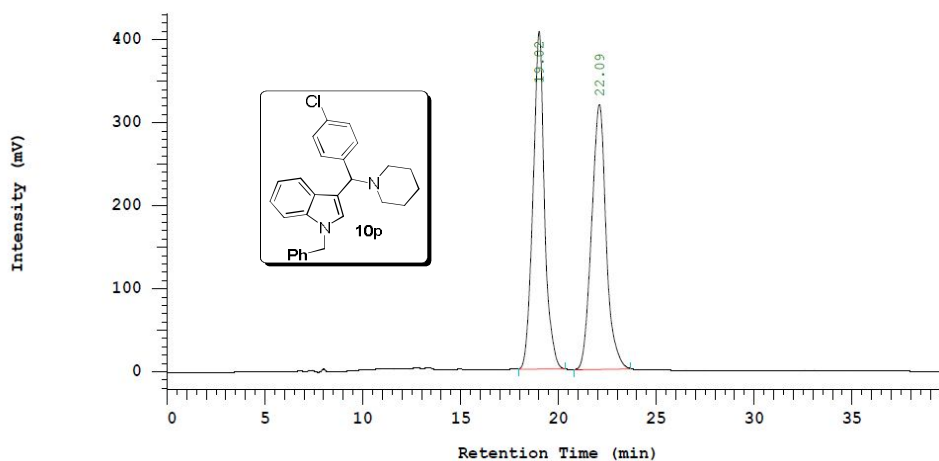
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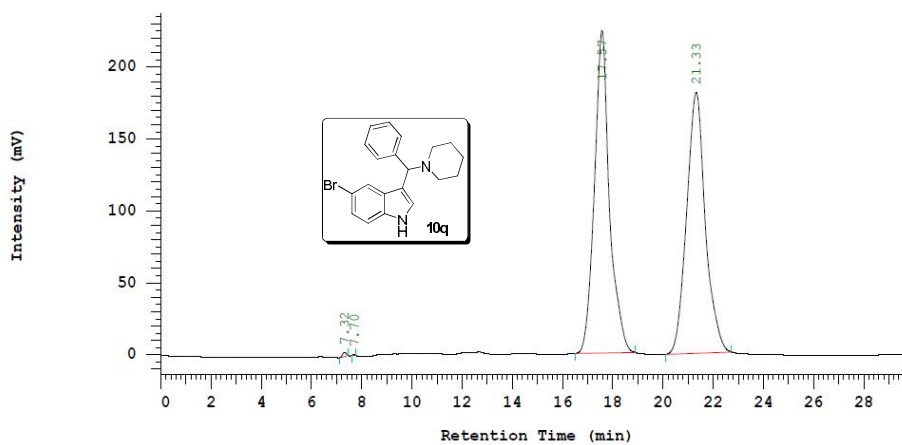


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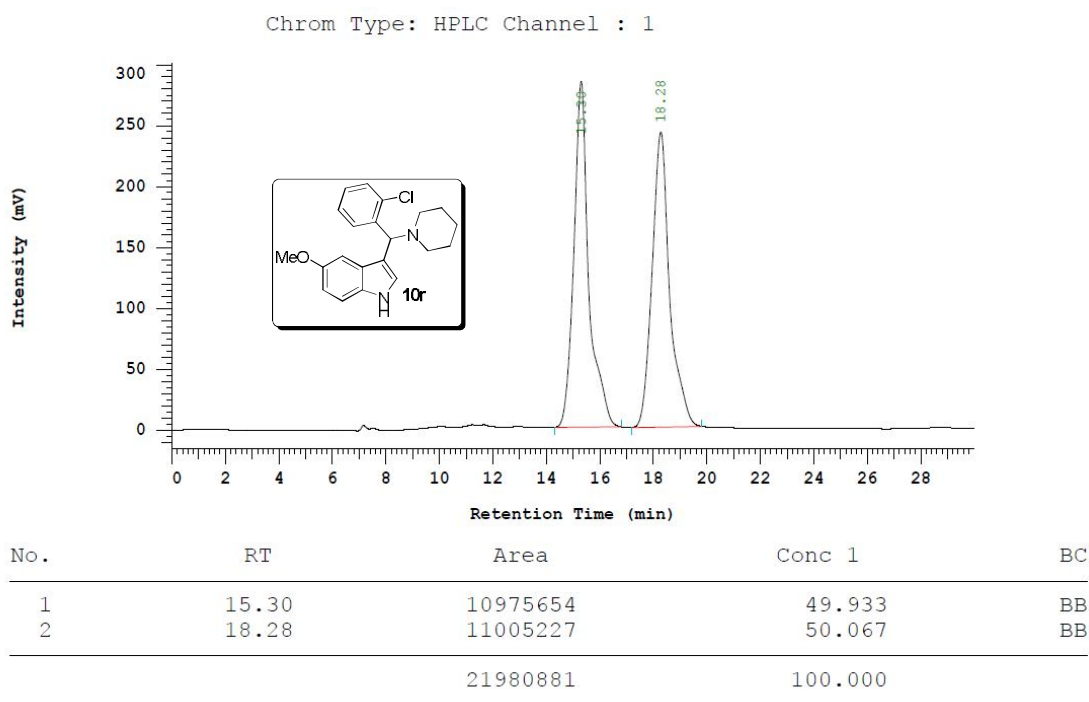


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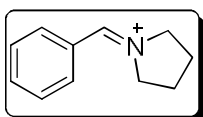


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Computational study

Intermediate imine with pyrrolidine

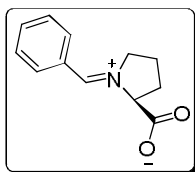


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C	3.2569	0.5074	2.0082
C	2.2014	0.04	1.2013
C	1.3373	-0.9138	1.7592
C	2.1082	0.5562	-0.1747
N	1.1953	0.4207	-1.122
C	1.3354	1.0667	-2.4924
C	0.3133	0.2957	-3.3388
C	-0.8381	0.073	-2.3503
C	-0.1187	-0.3315	-1.0531
H	0.7887	-2.0891	3.4988
H	2.6406	-1.1892	4.9115
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H	2.9524	1.1875	-0.5055
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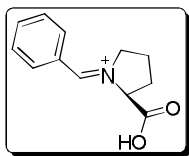
Intermediate imine with L-Proline



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C	-2.0796	1.18729	-0.20185
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O	-0.7516	1.47999	-0.29929
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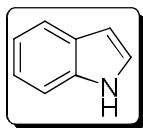
Intermediate imine with L-Proline



Symbolic Z-matrix:

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C	-1.4521	-1.611	0.5103
C	-1.0952	-2.763	1.1183
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C	1.4544	1.809	-0.1865
O	2.2124	2.7204	-0.4128
O	1.4876	0.6589	-0.8718
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Indole



Symbolic Z-matrix:

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C	1.7402	-0.7015	0.073
C	0.7499	0.2863	0.126
C	1.0431	1.6249	-0.2391

N	1.1562	-1.8828	0.4822
C	-0.175	-1.6541	0.7889
C	-0.4562	-0.3262	0.5796
H	2.5877	2.9437	-0.9345
H	4.3523	1.1725	-1.0266
H	3.8327	-1.1857	-0.3825
H	0.2661	2.4035	-0.1983
H	1.6462	-2.804	0.5486
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