

Electronic Supplementary Information

Energetic salts based on 1-methoxy-5-nitroiminotetrazole

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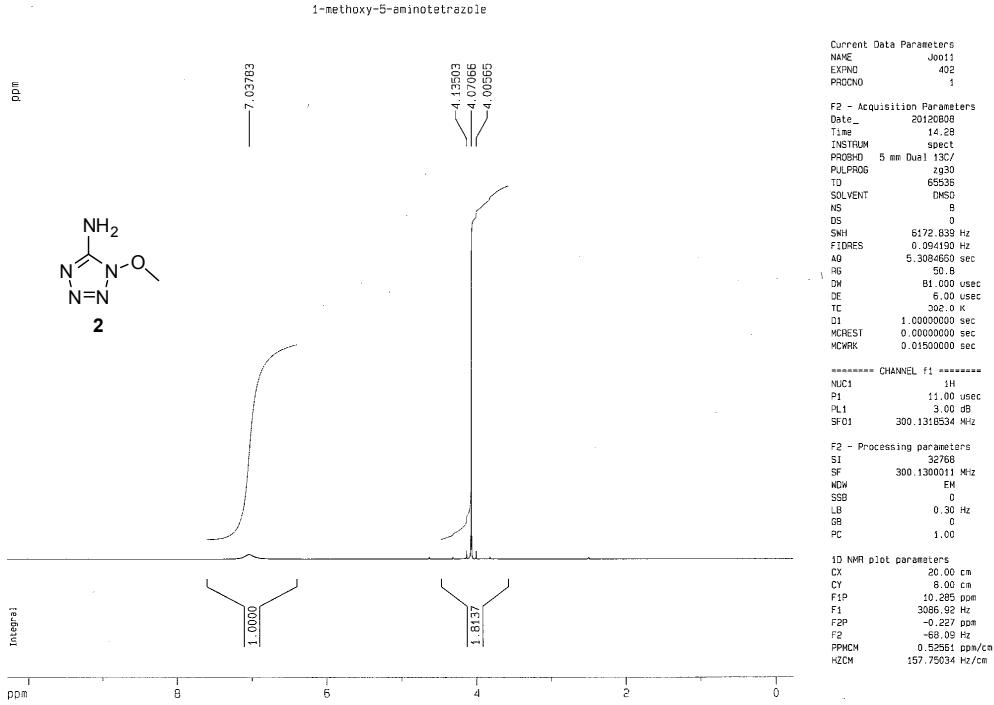
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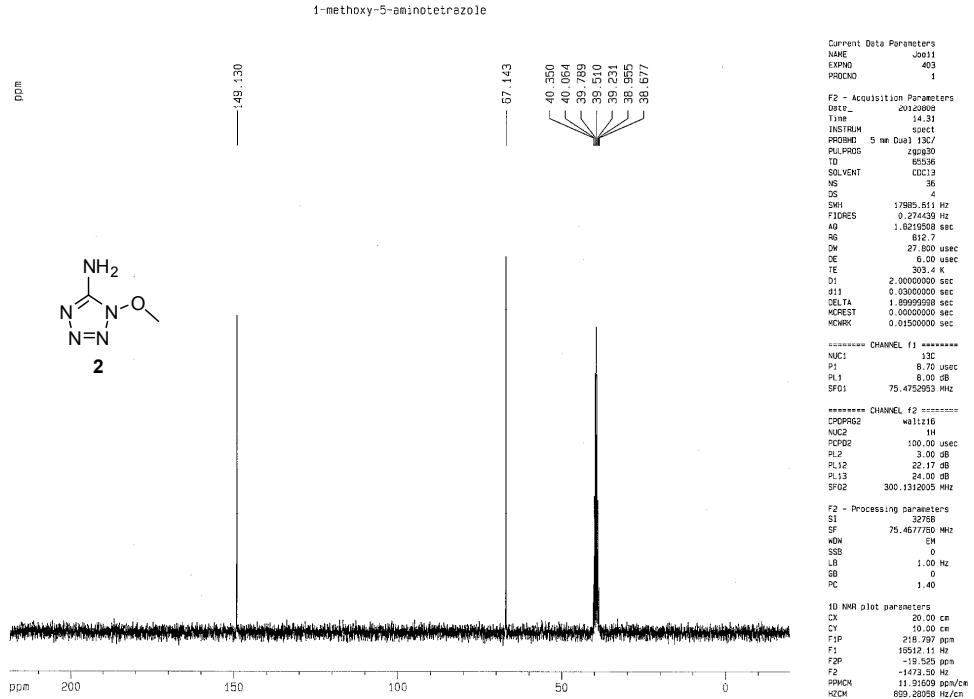
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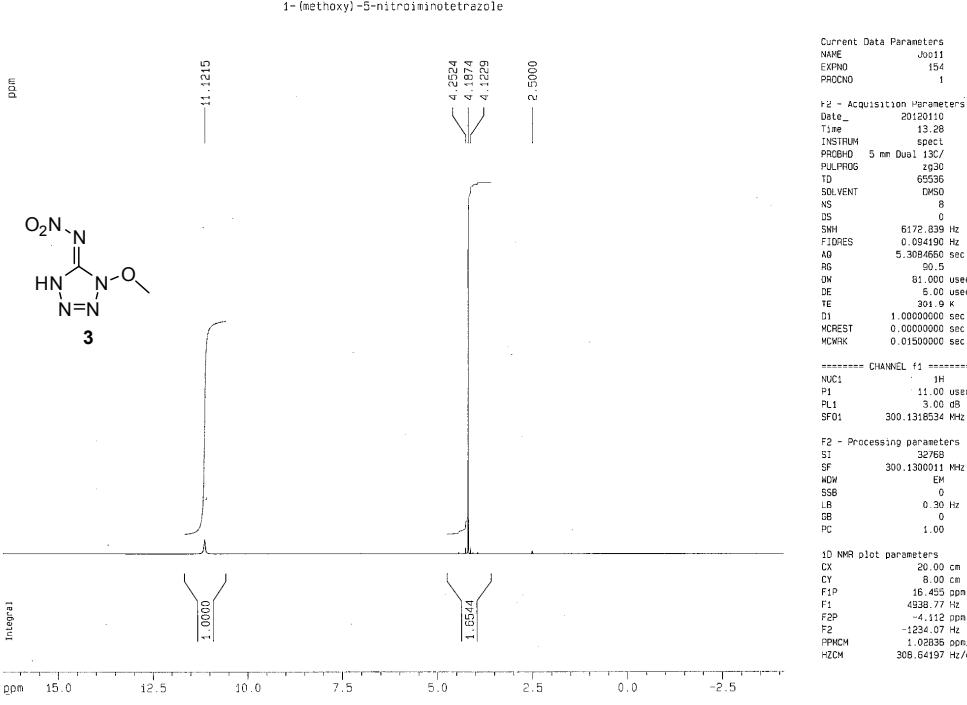
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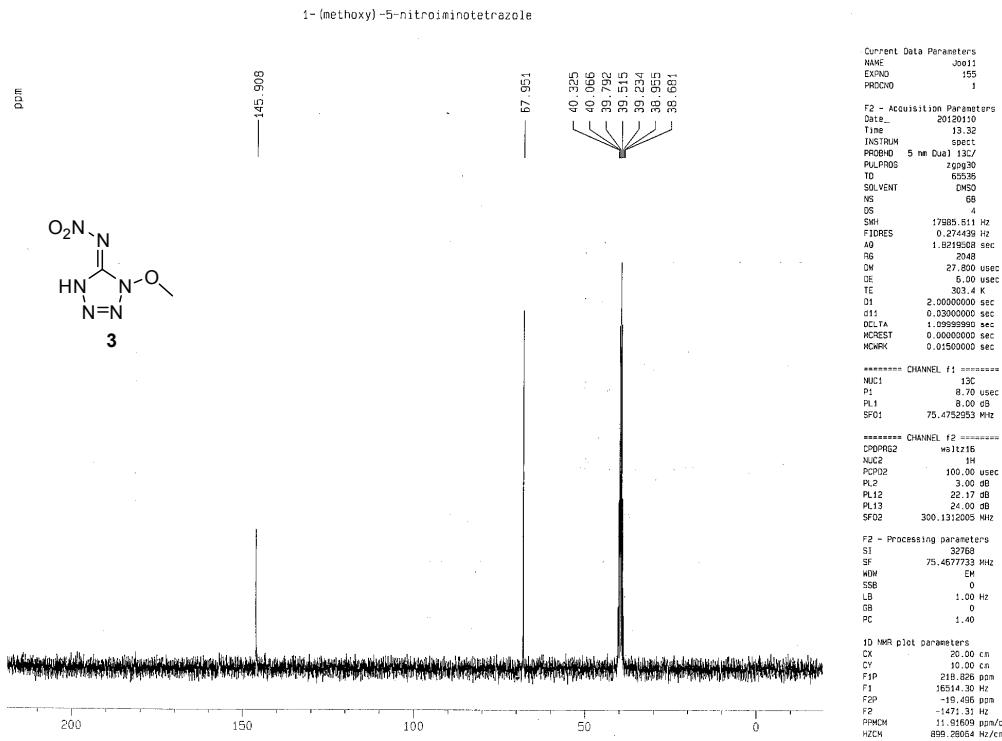
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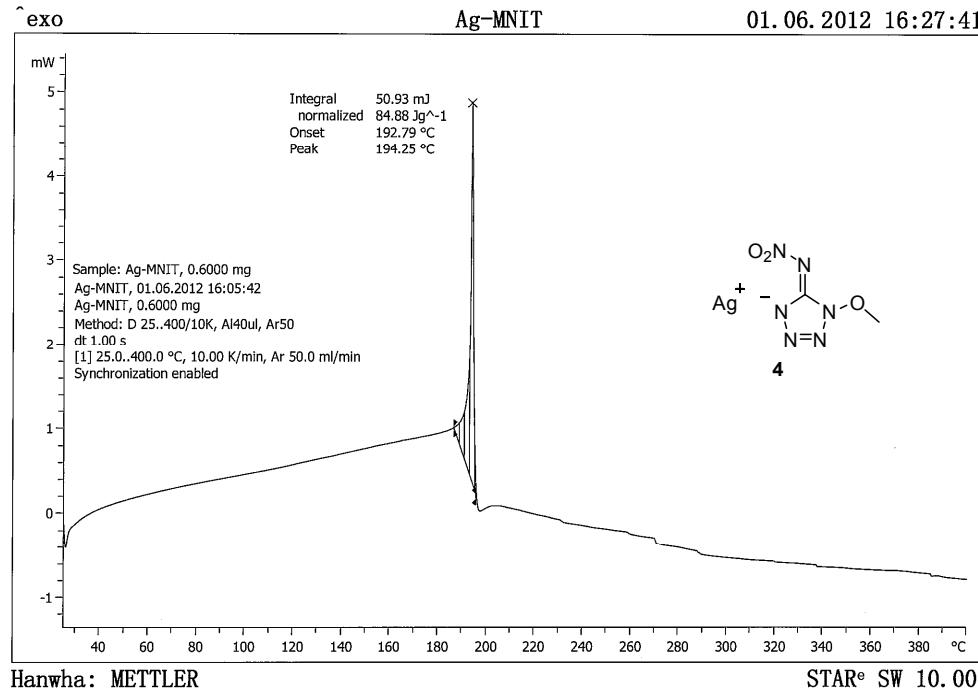
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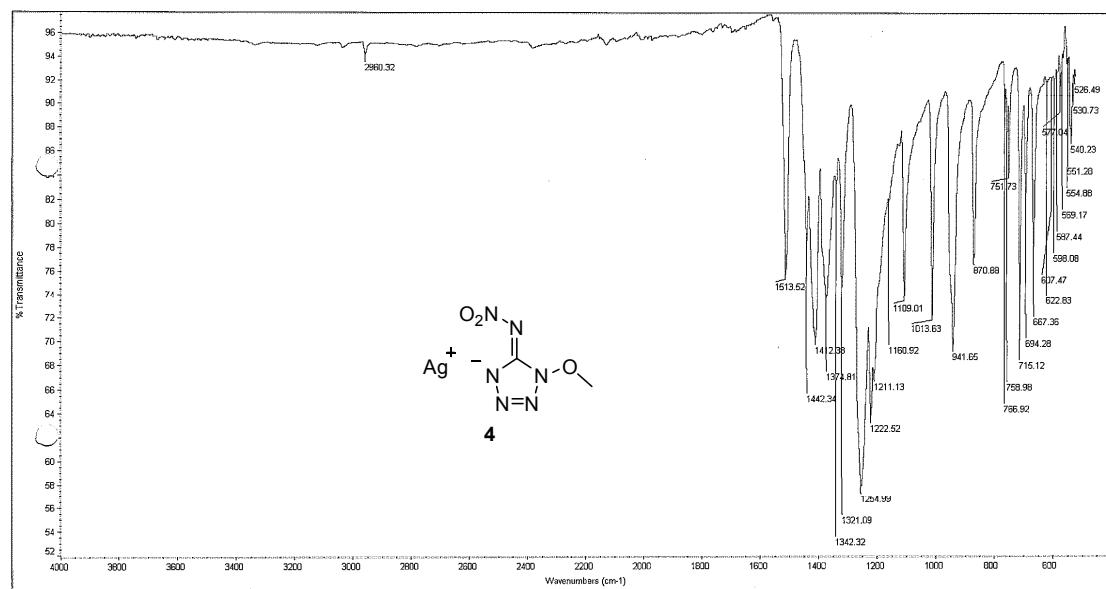
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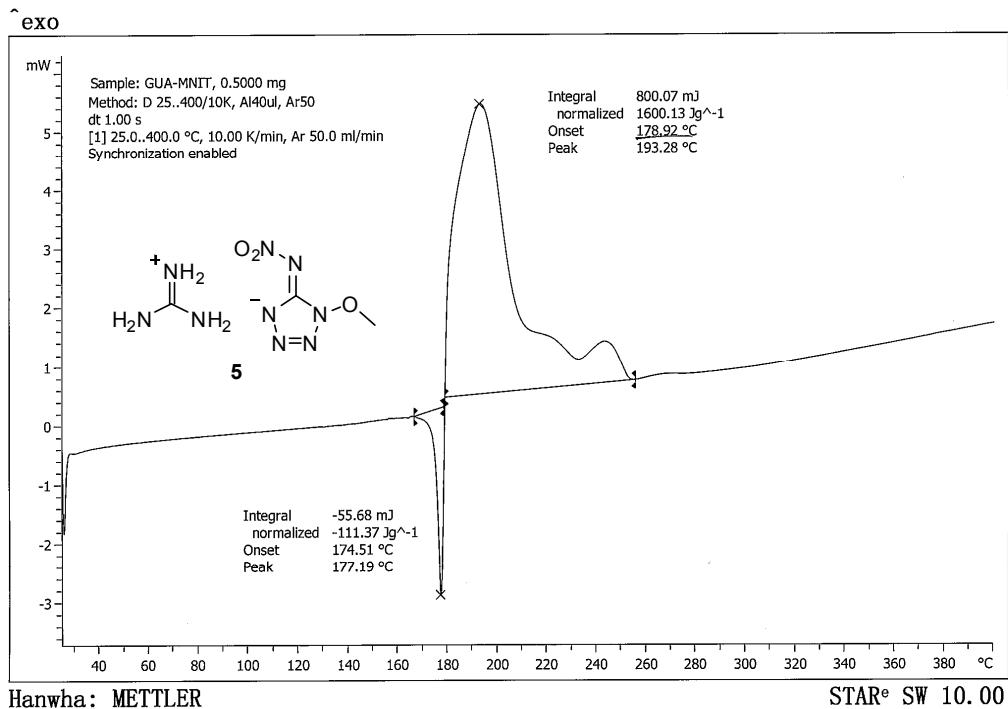
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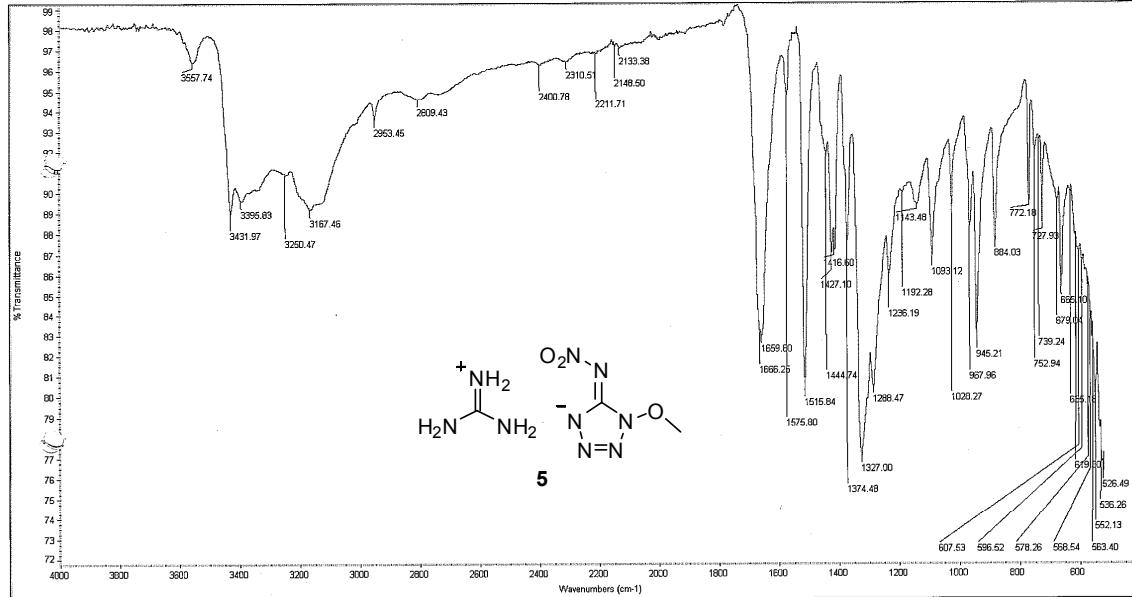
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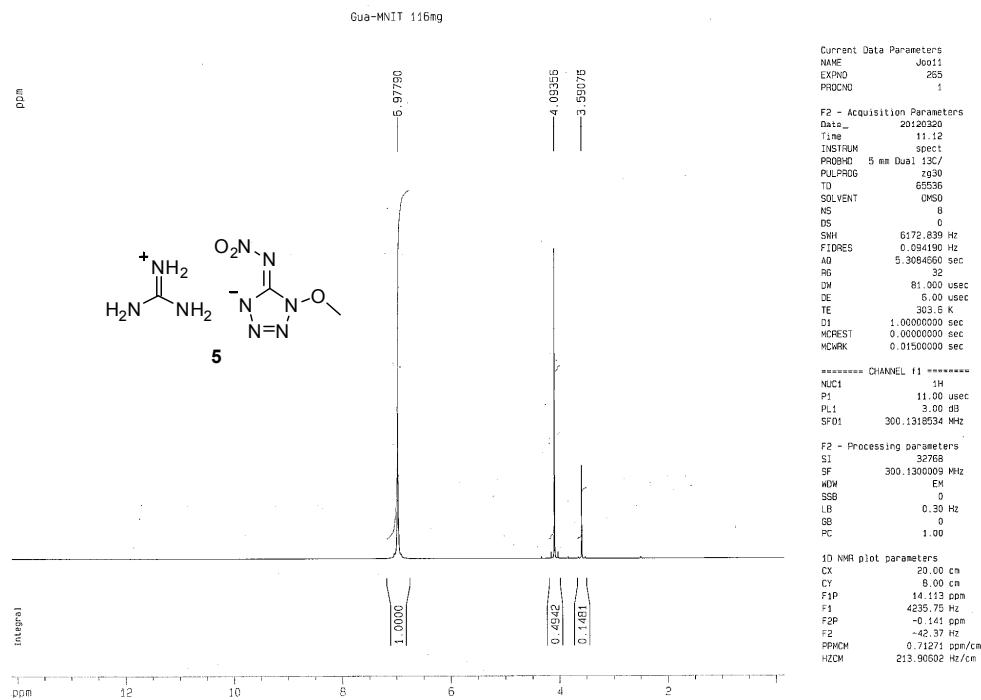
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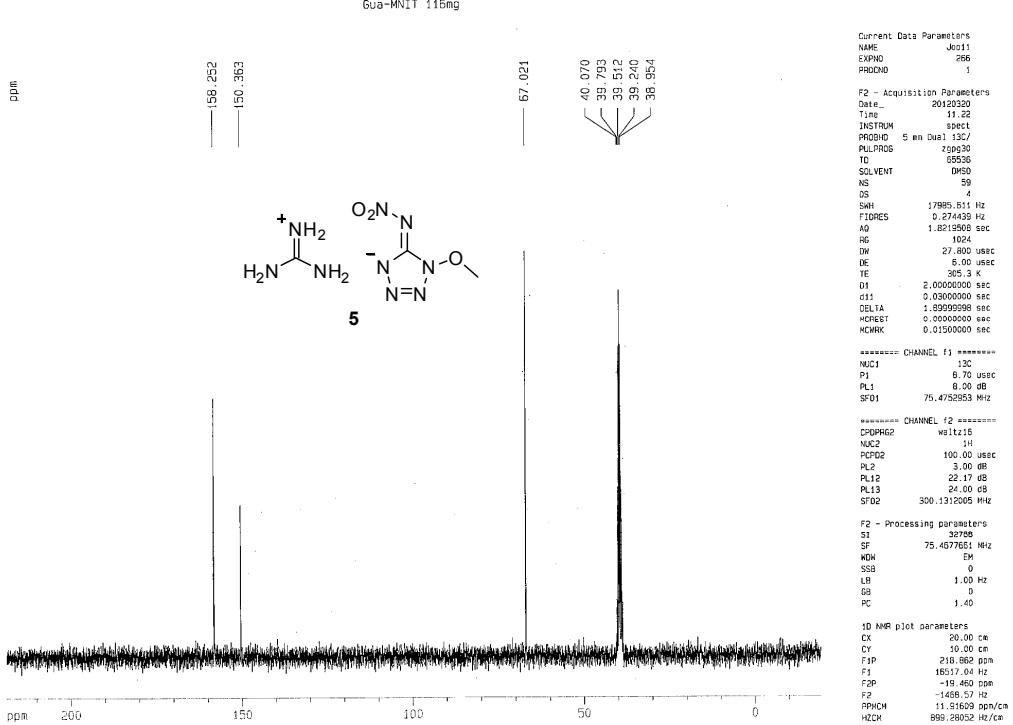
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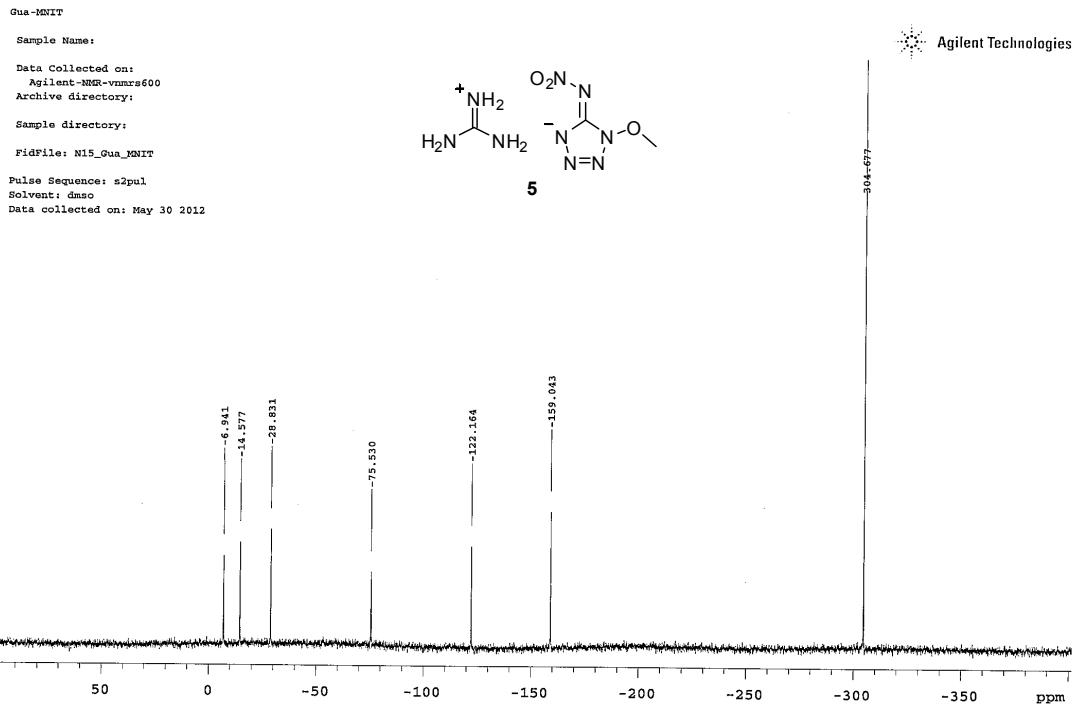
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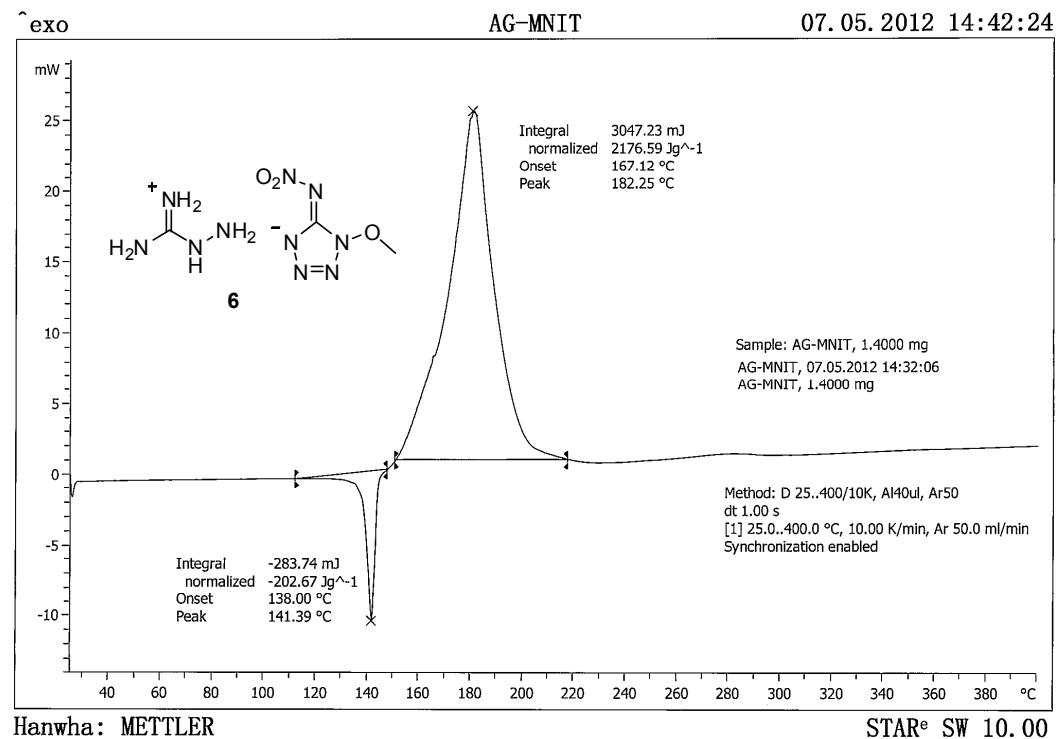
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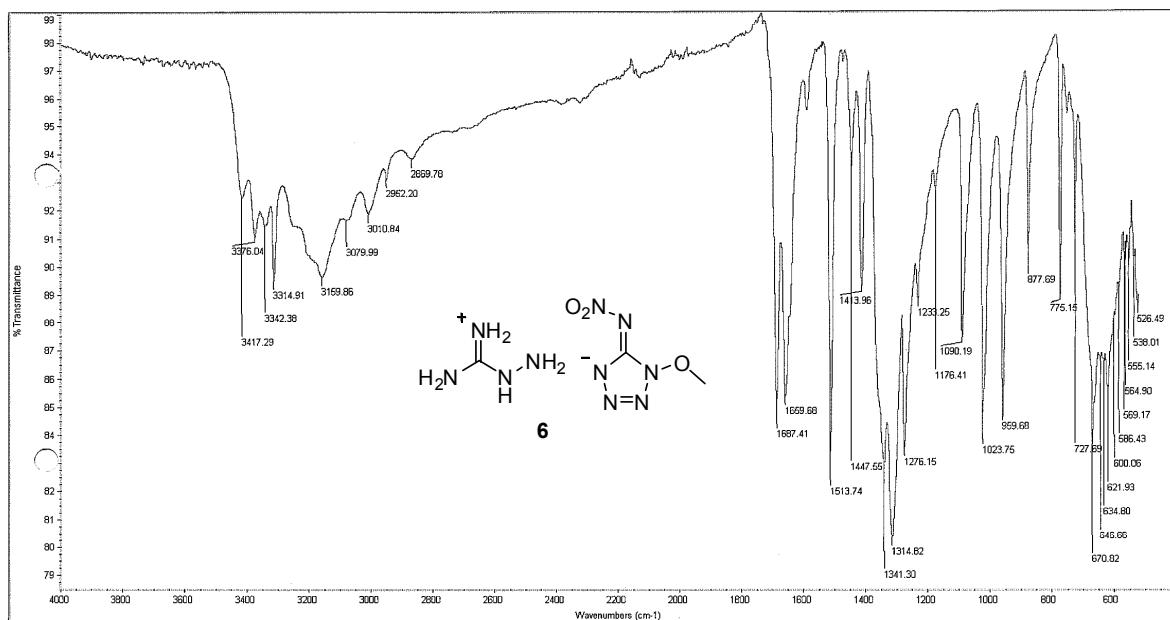
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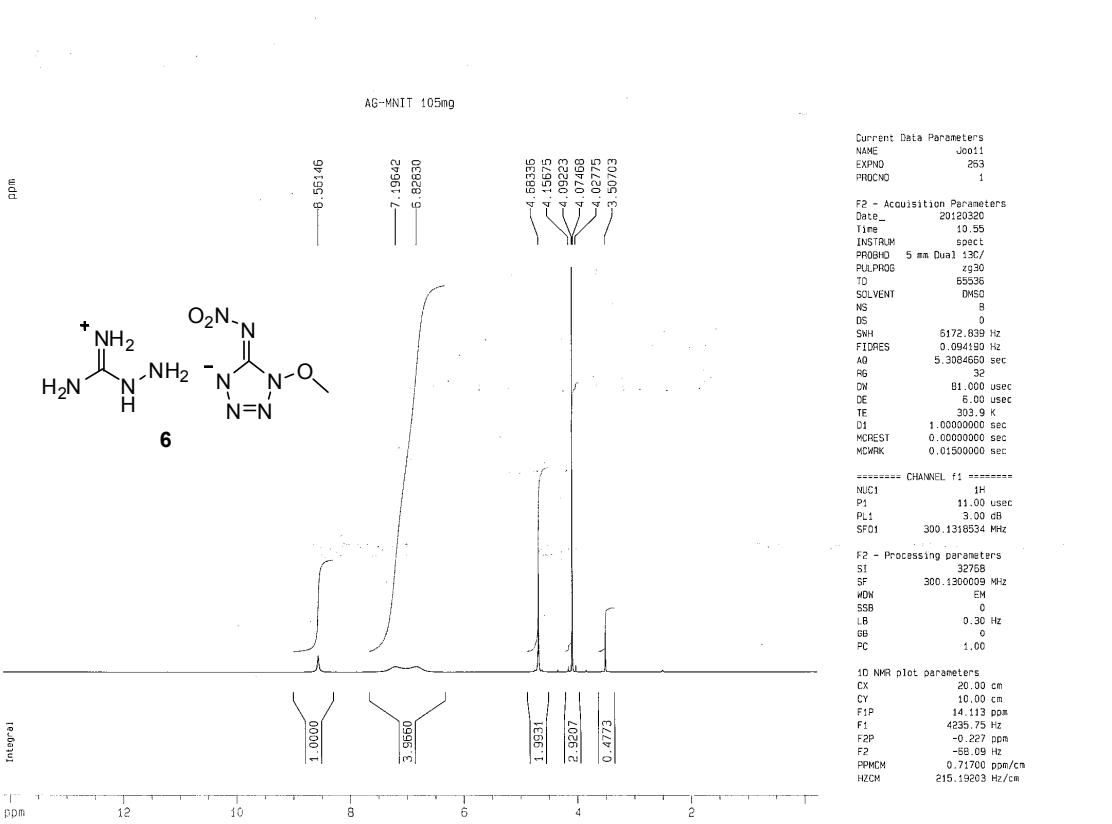
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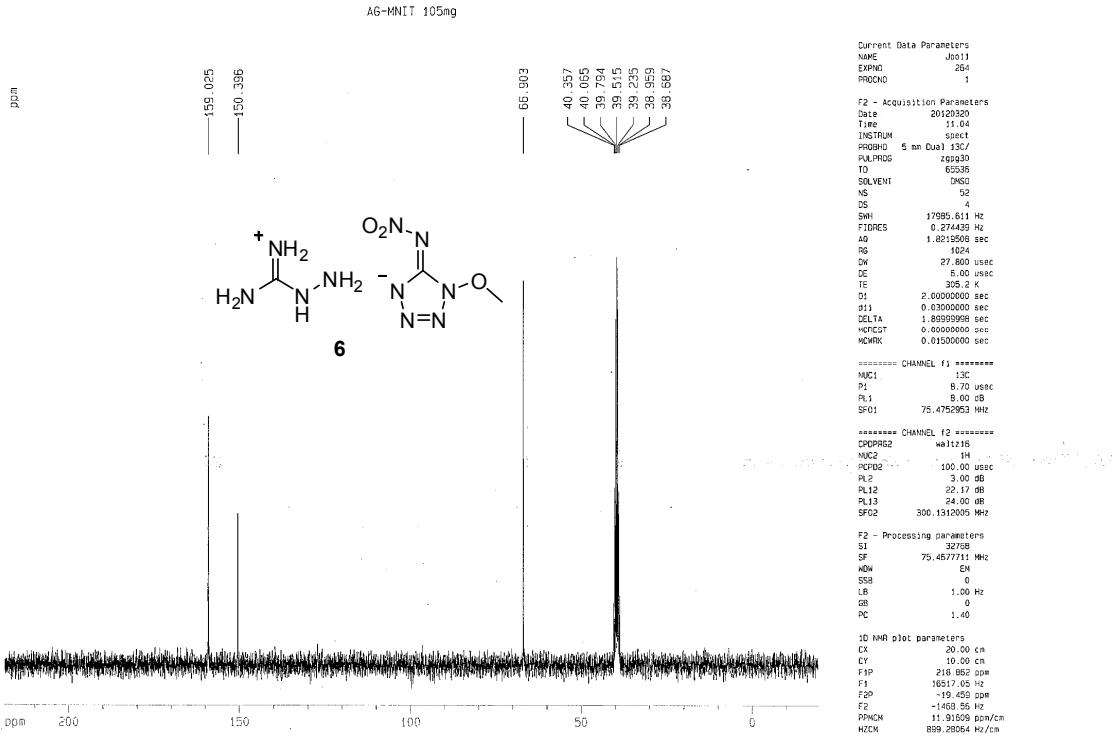
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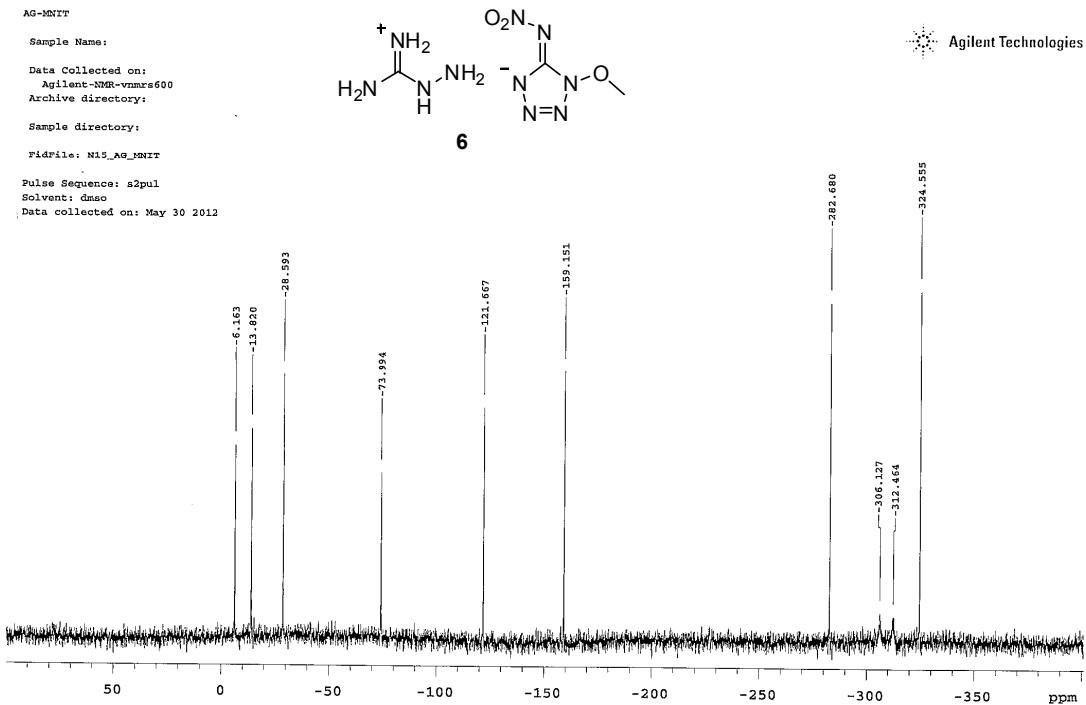
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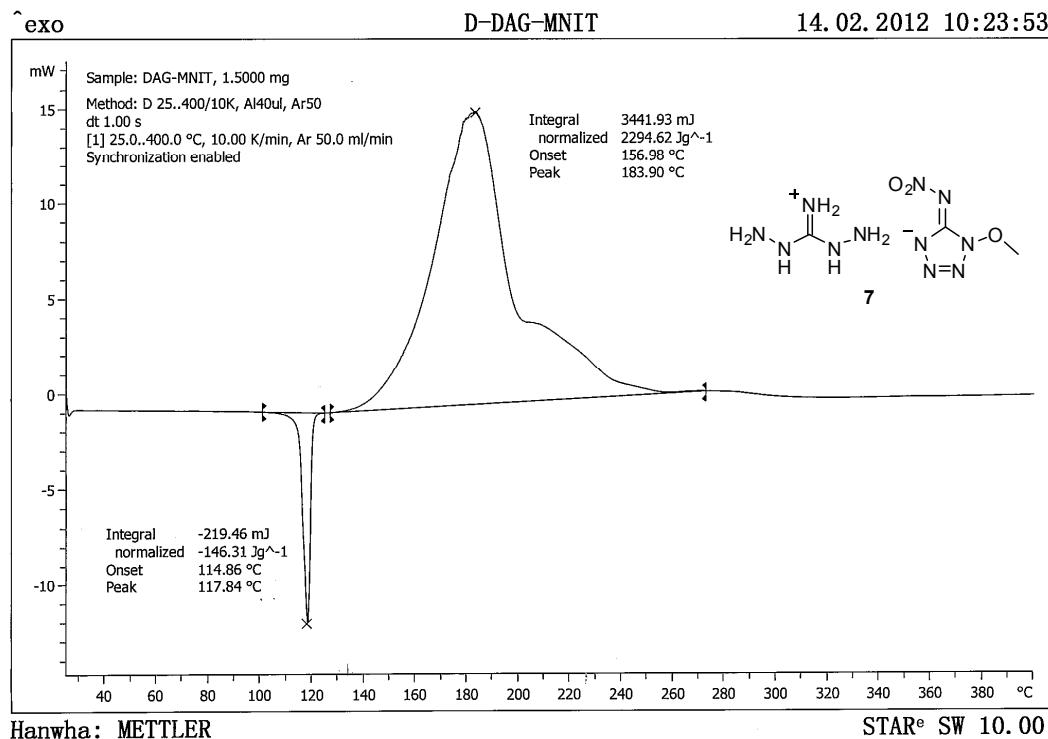
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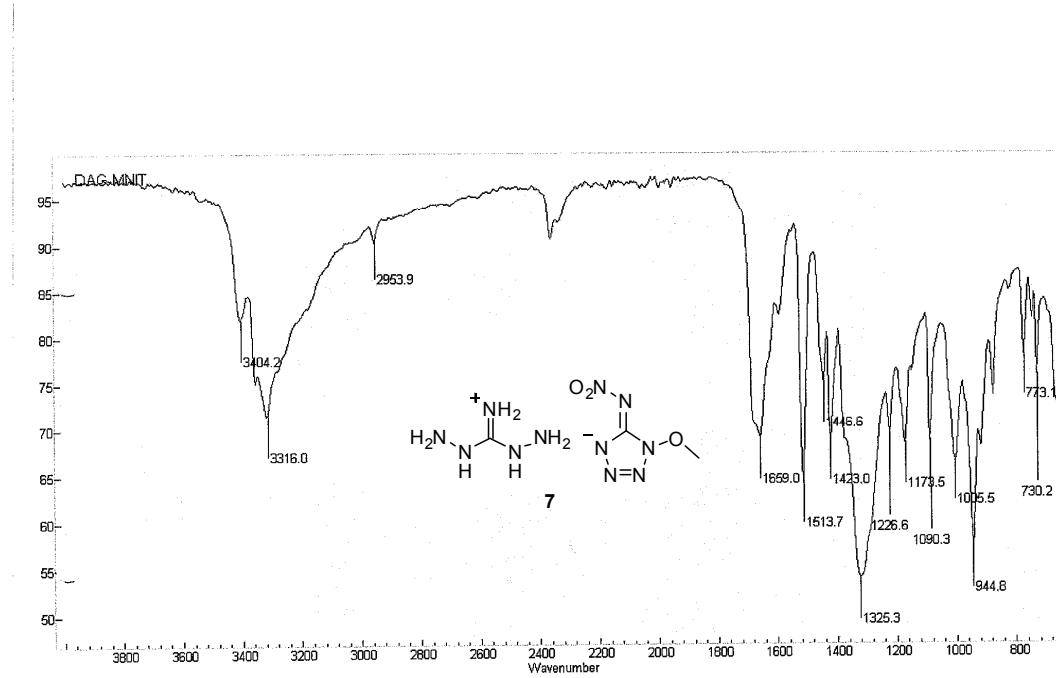
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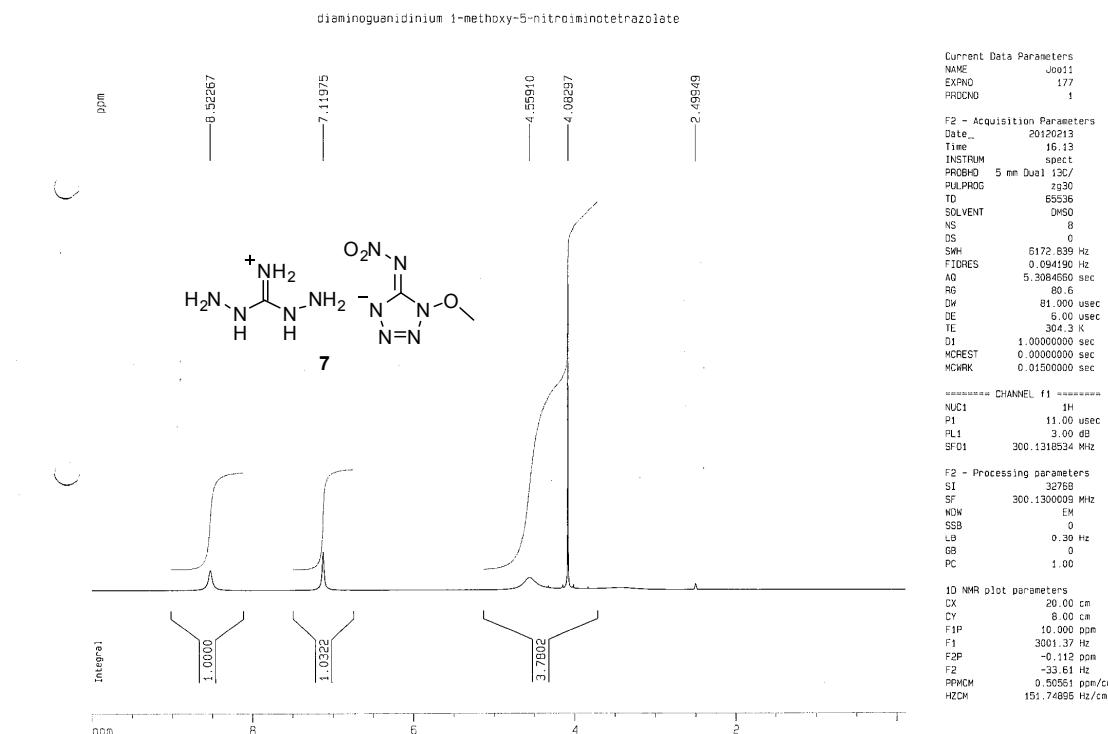
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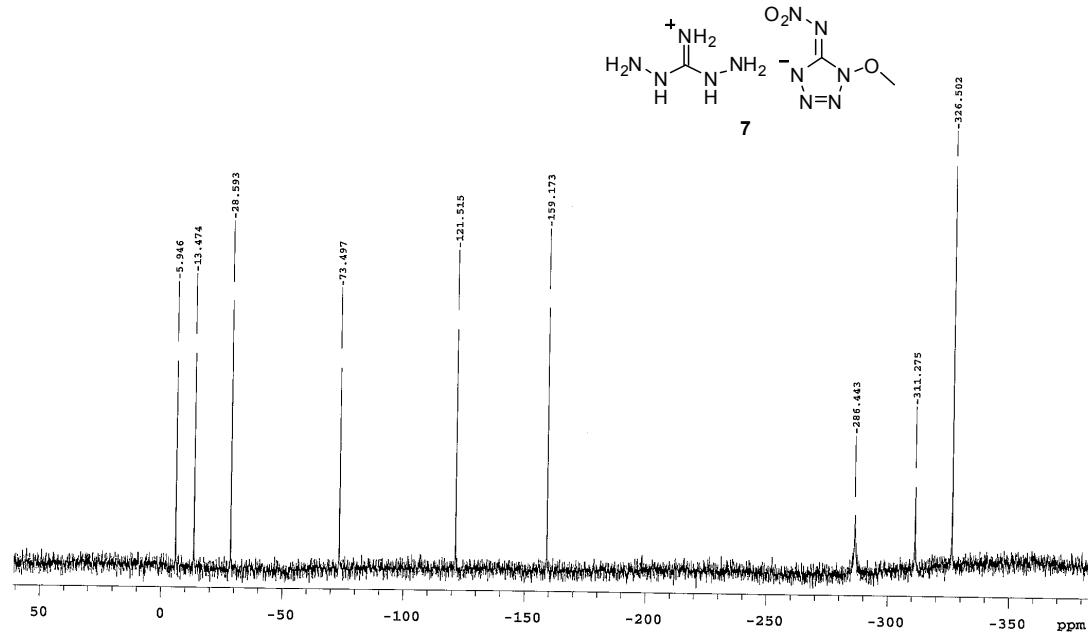
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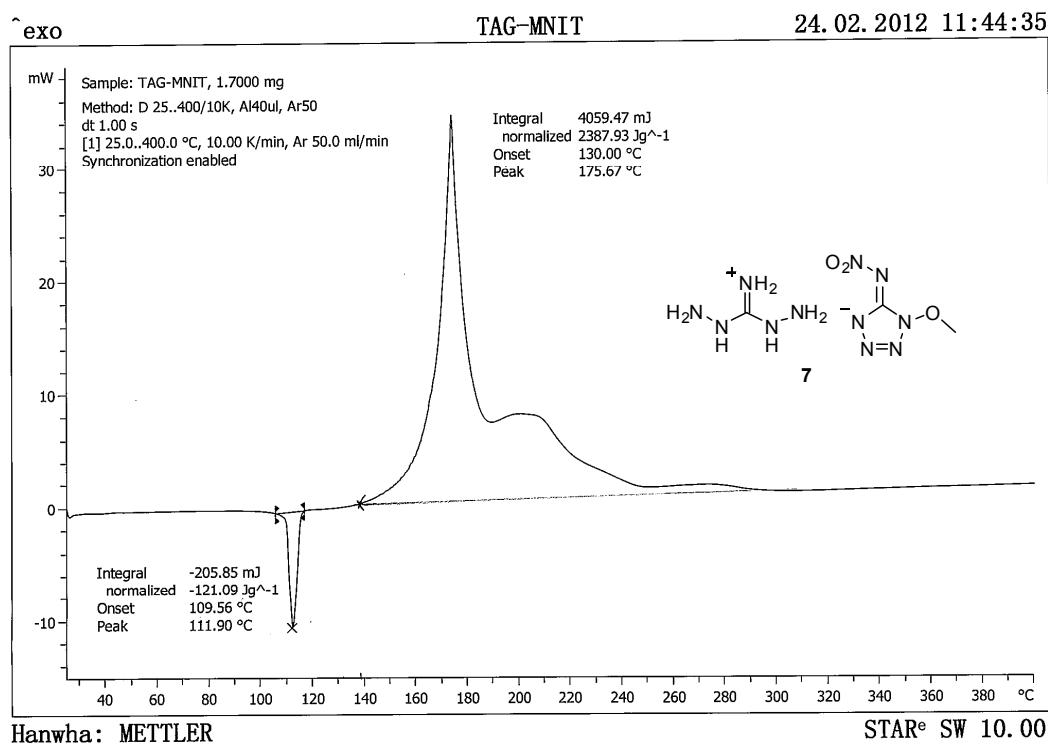
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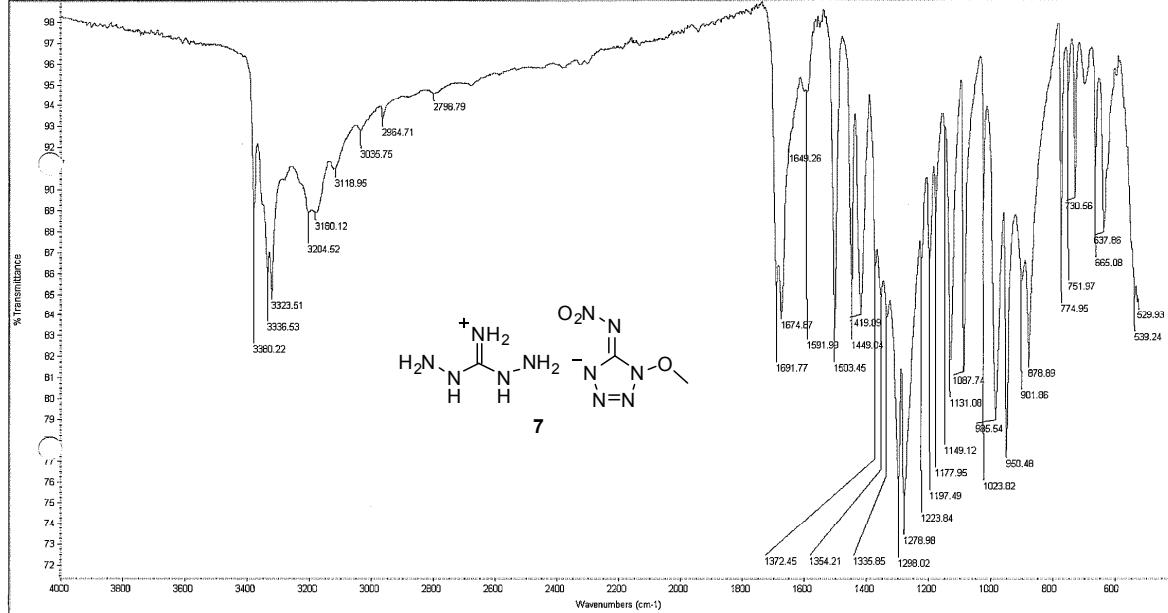
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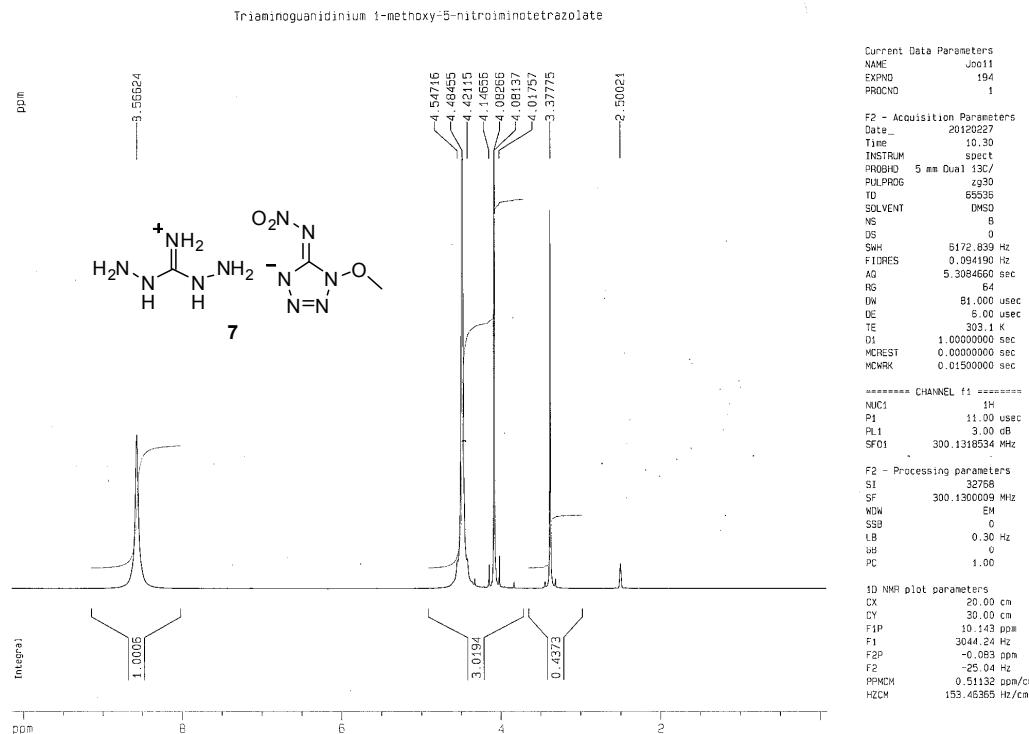
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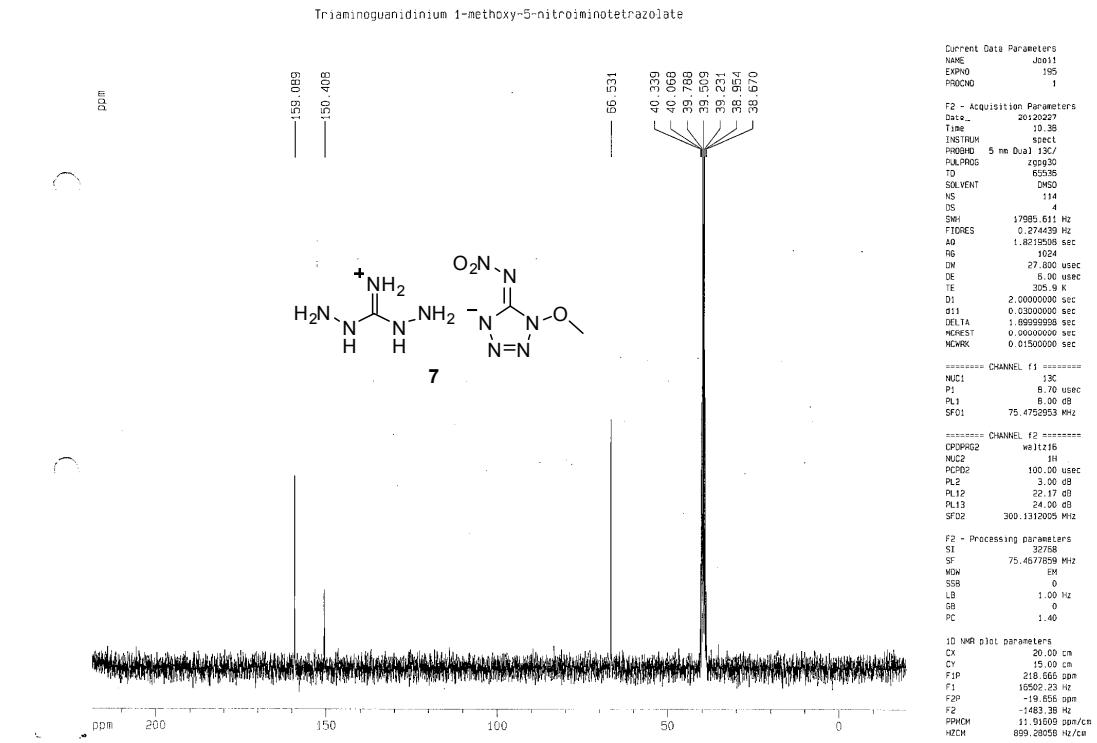
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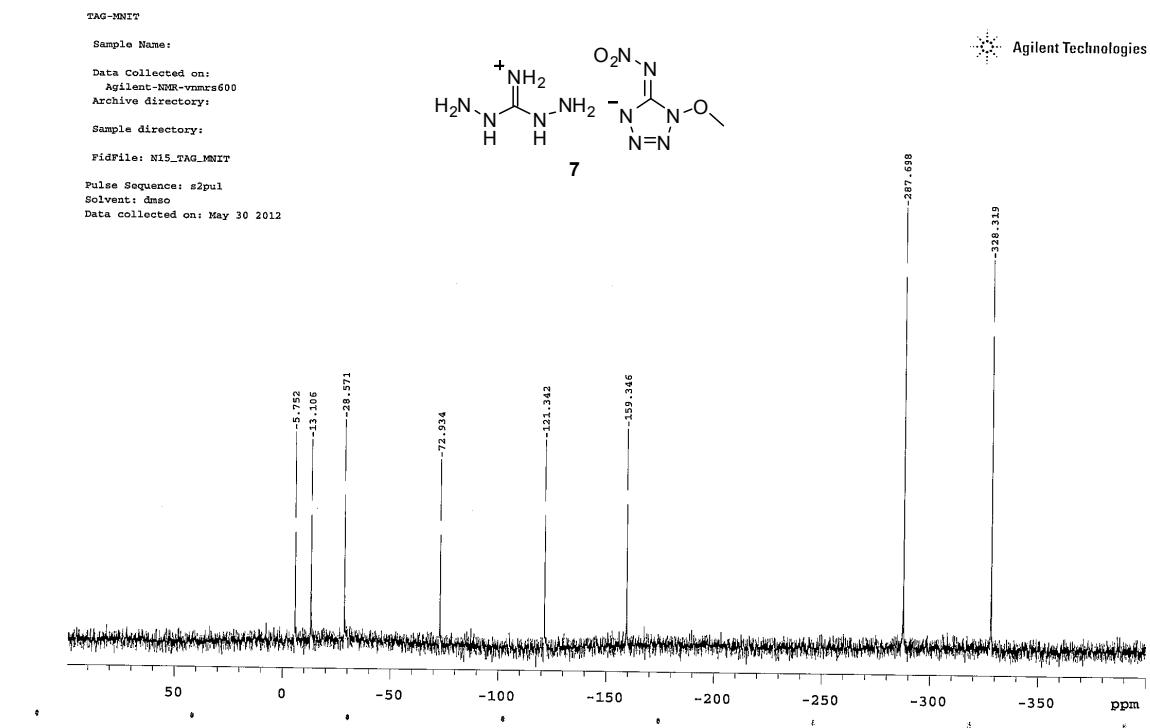
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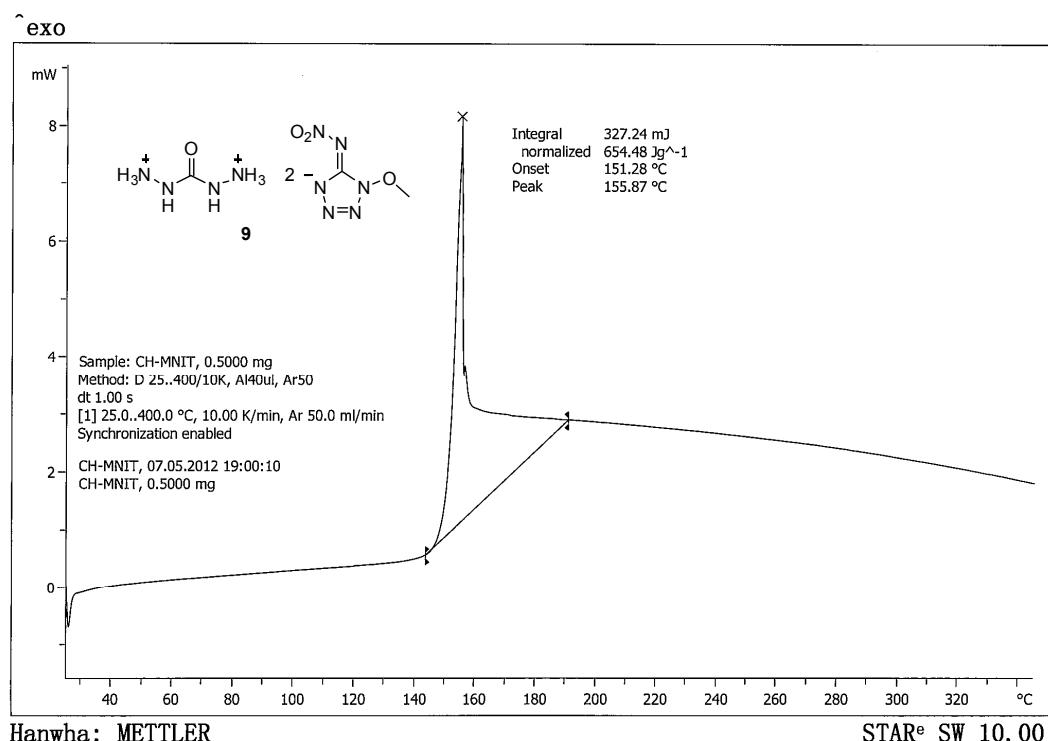
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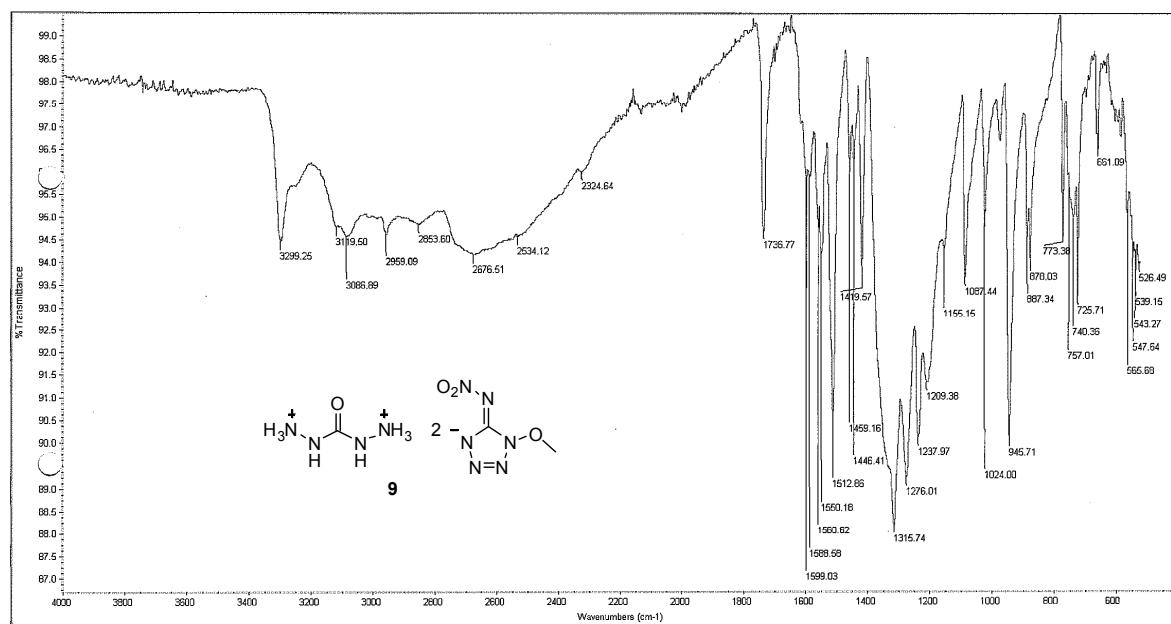
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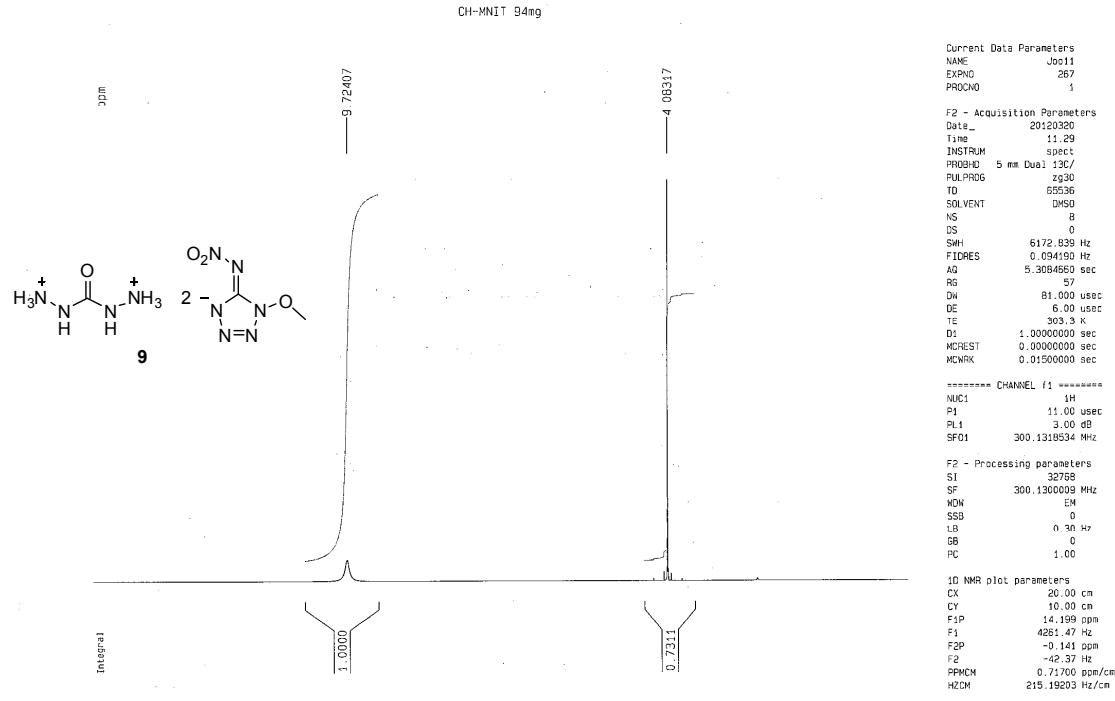
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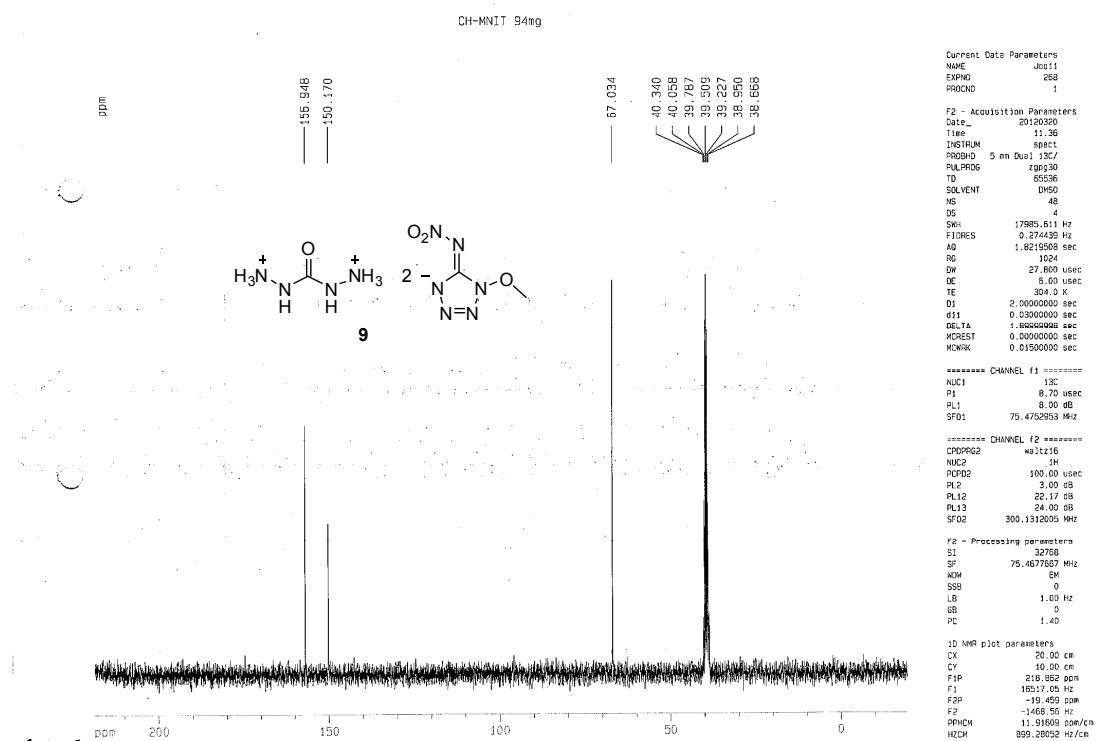
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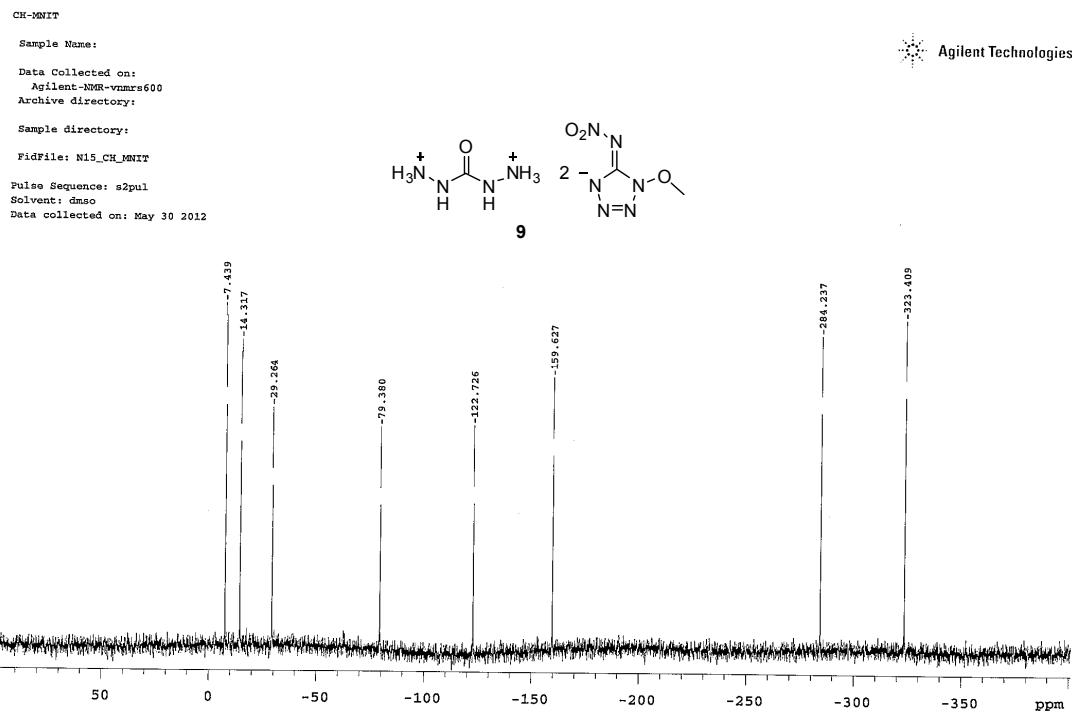
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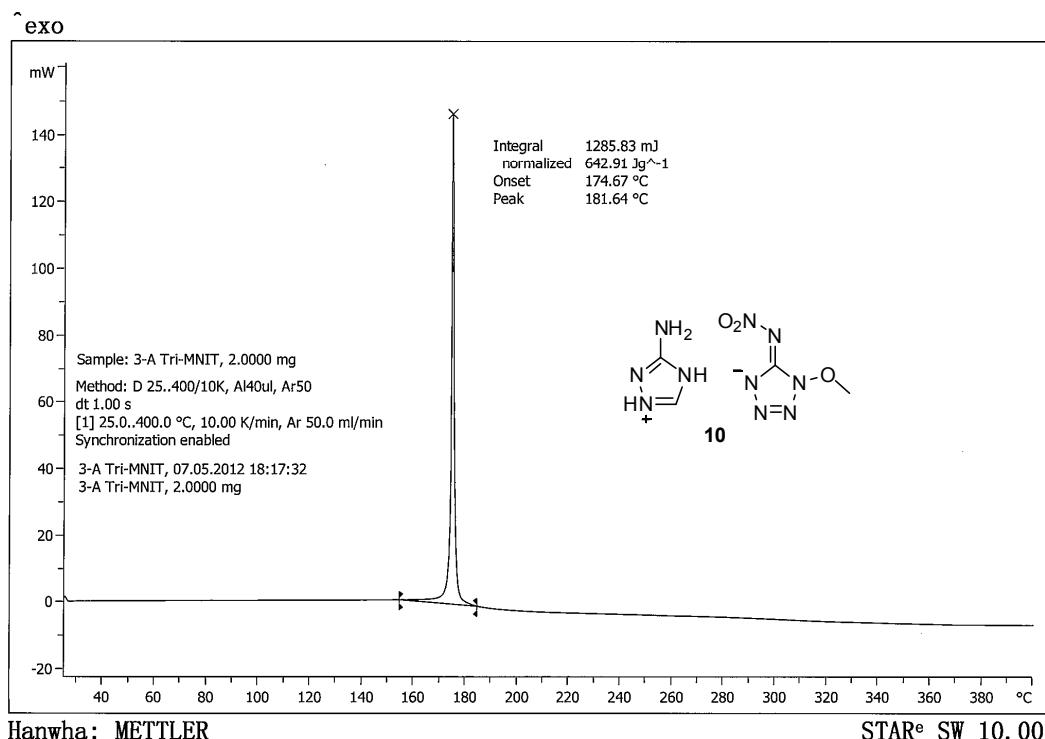
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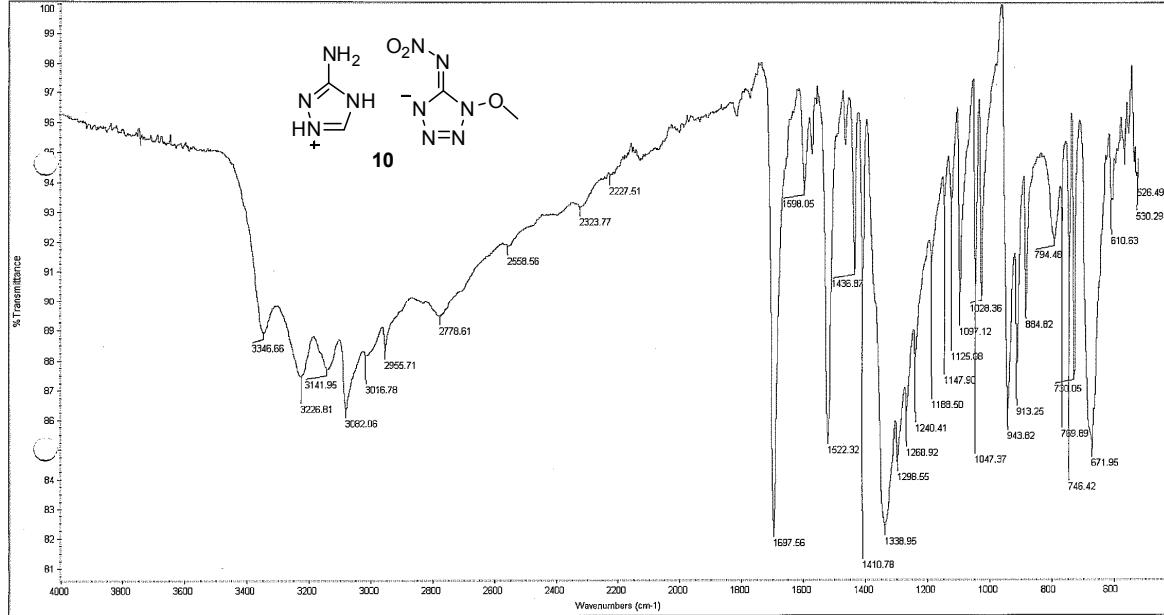
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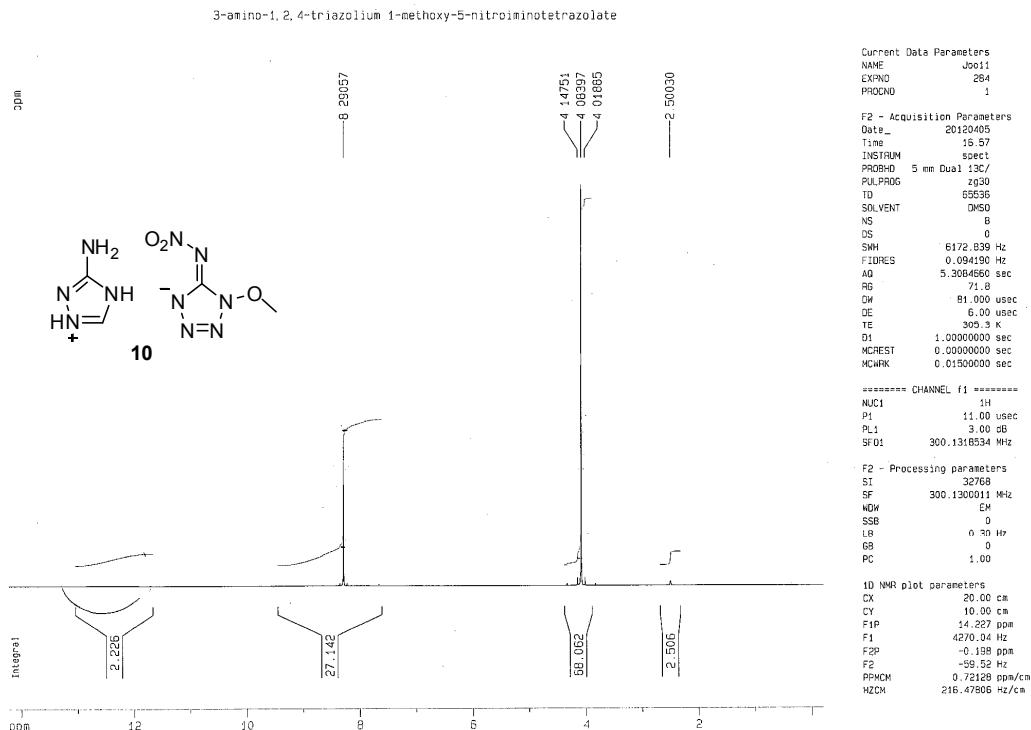
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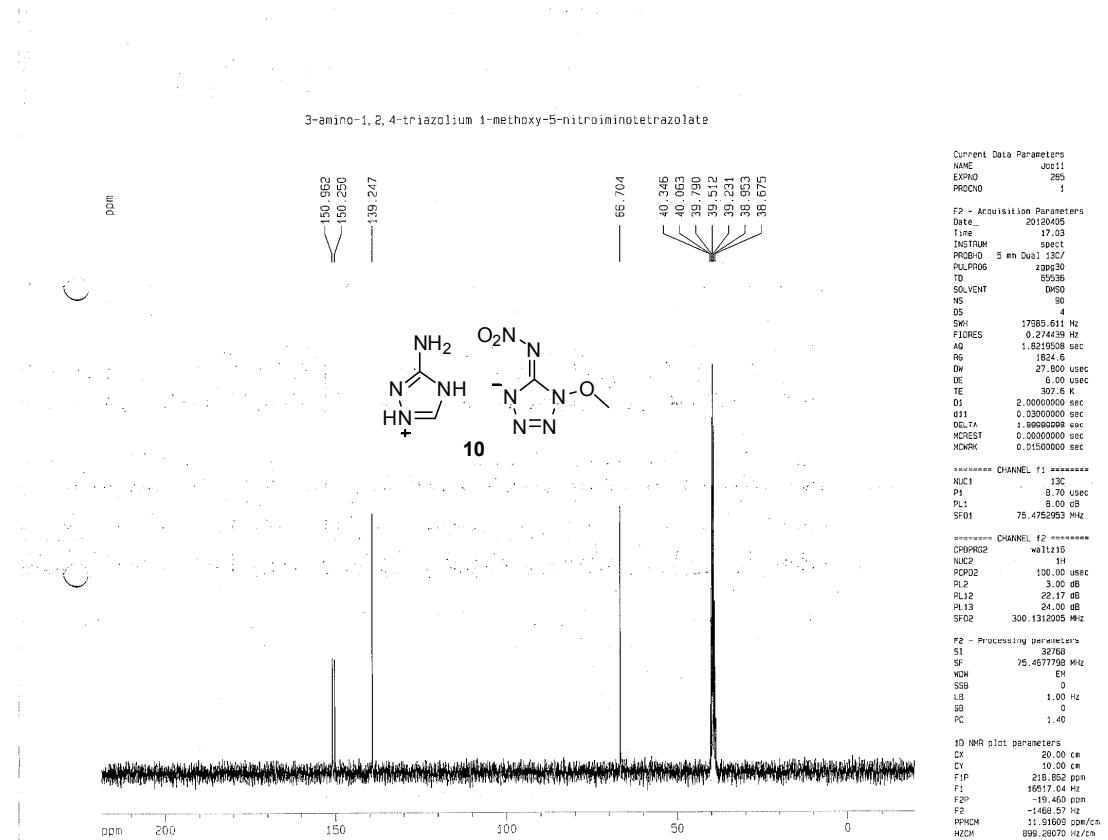
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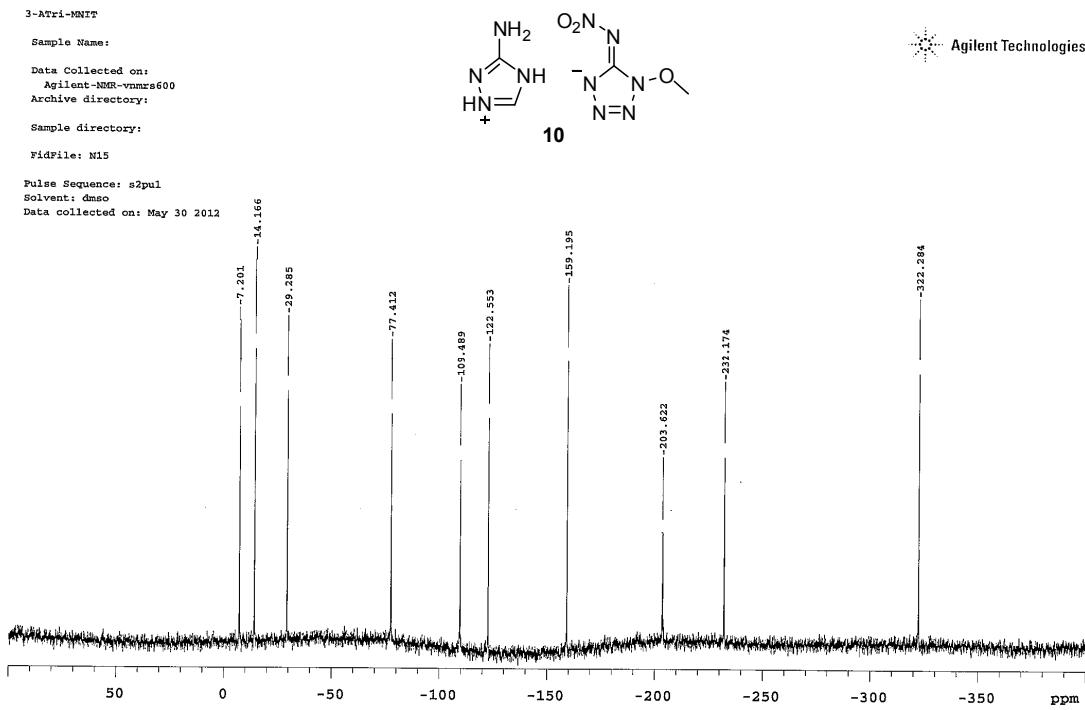
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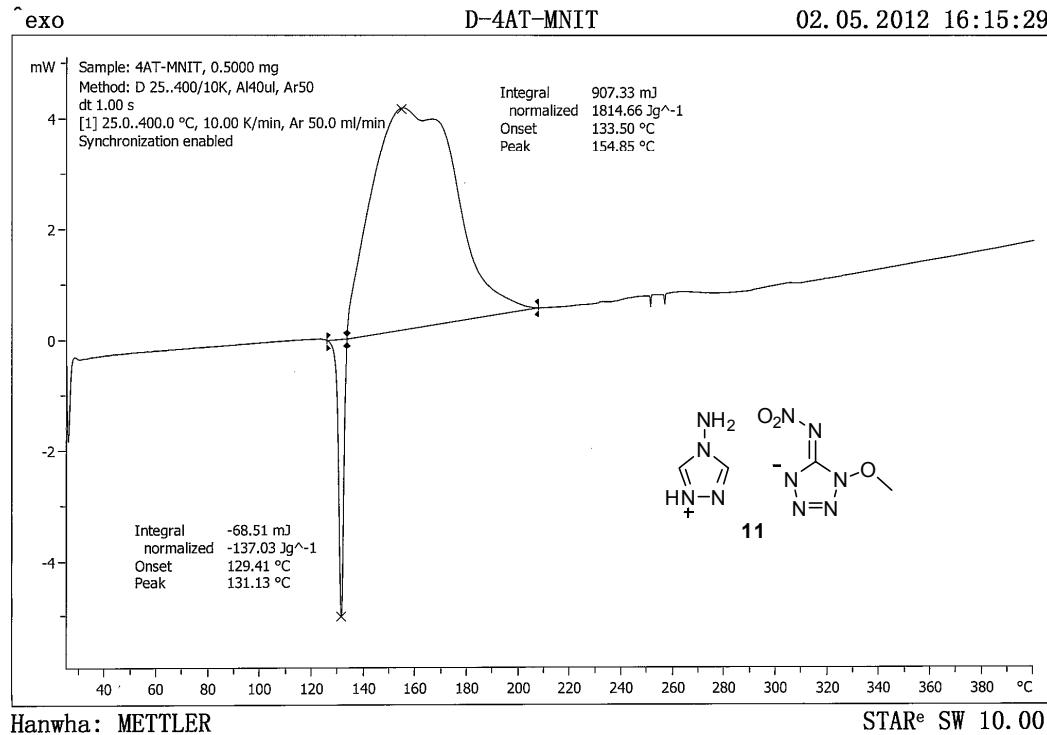
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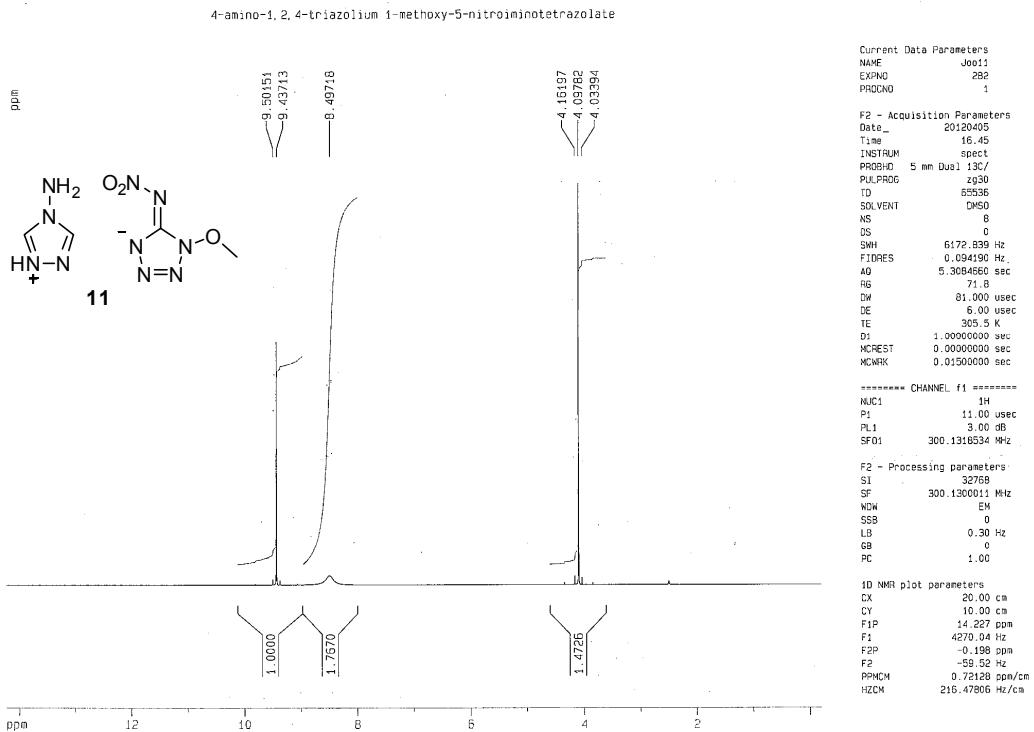
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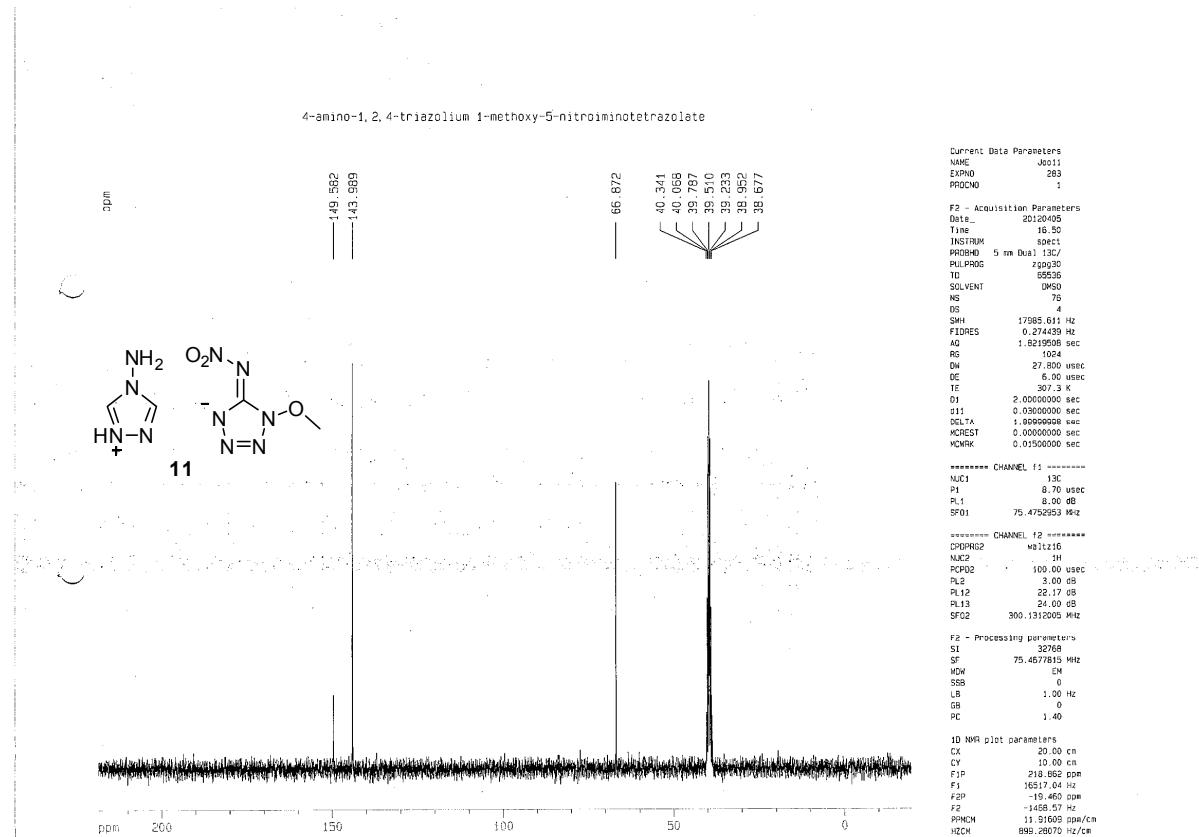
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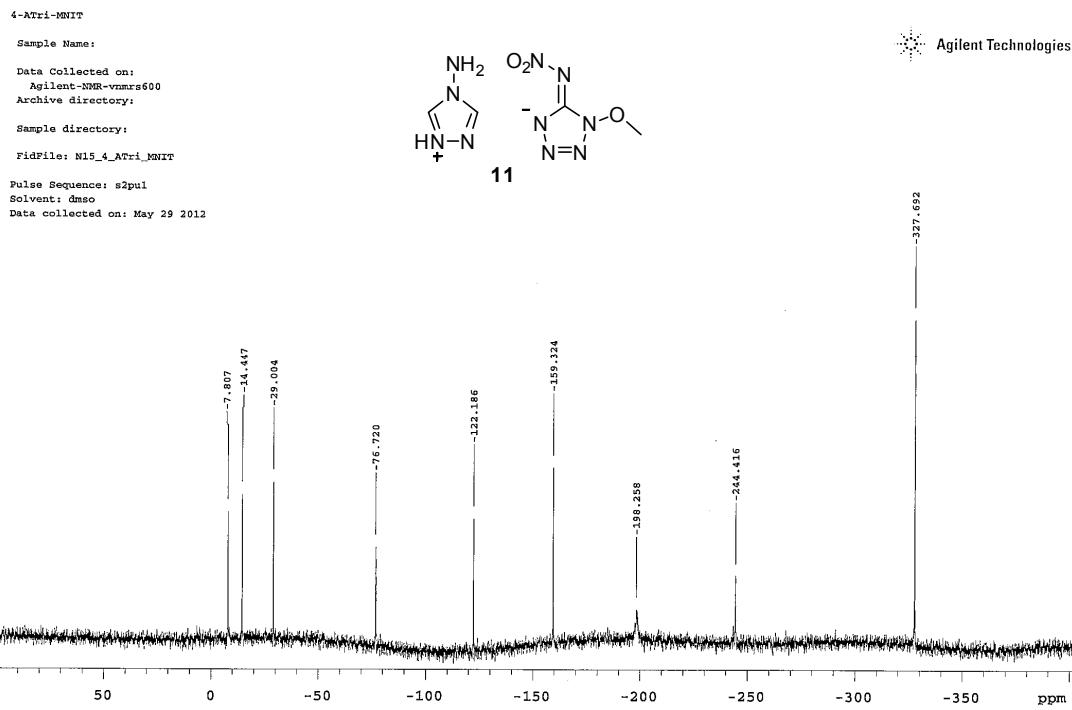
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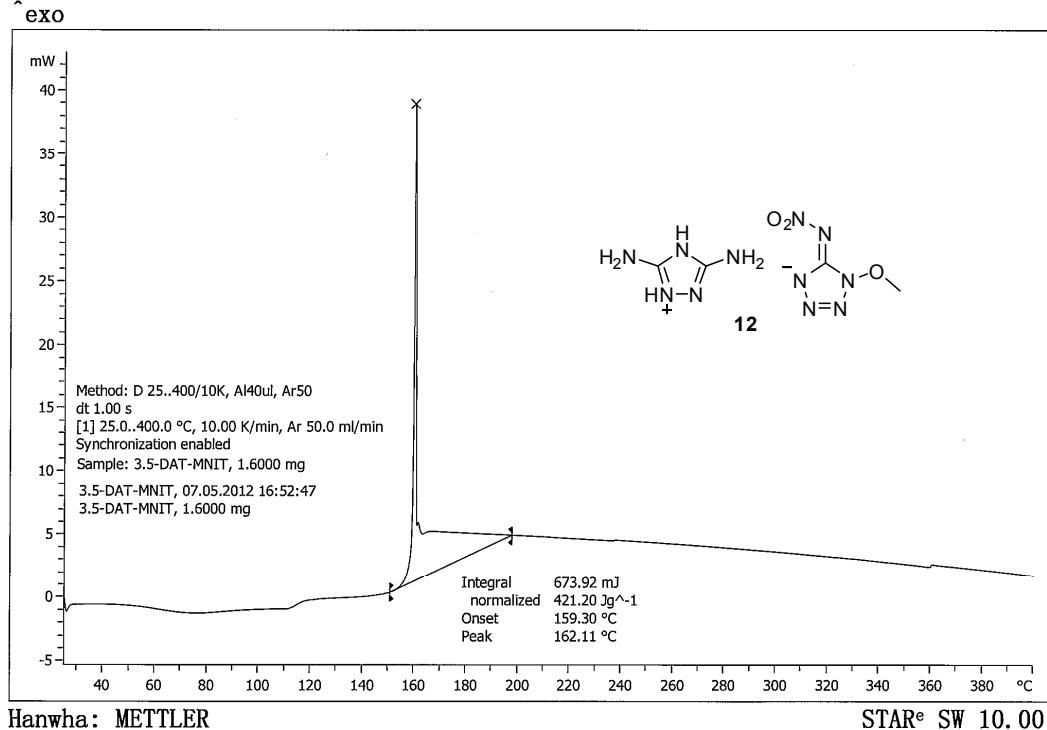
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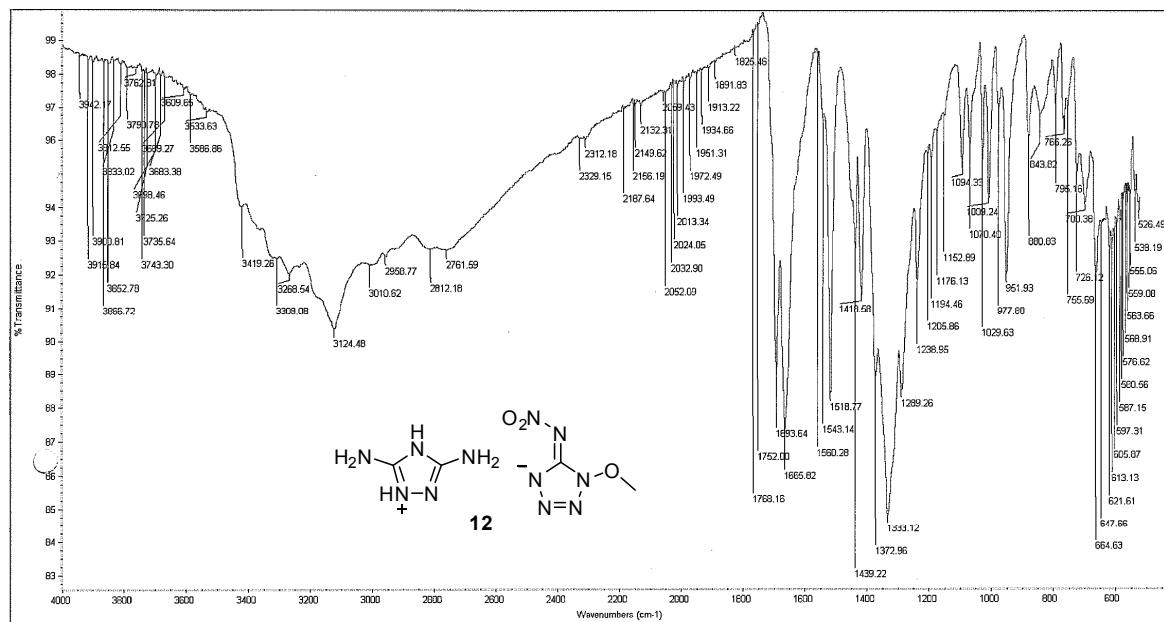
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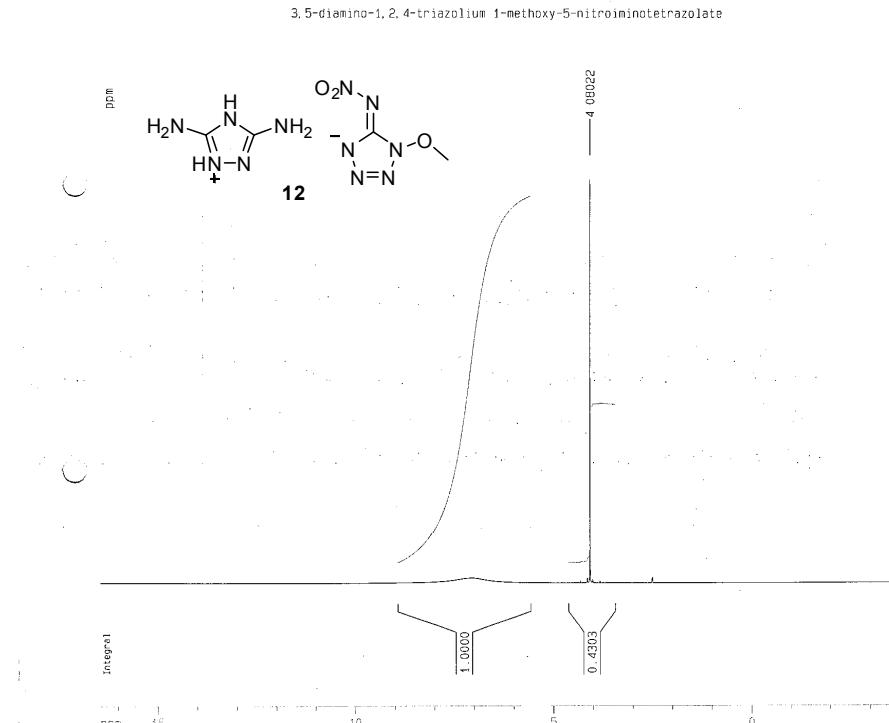
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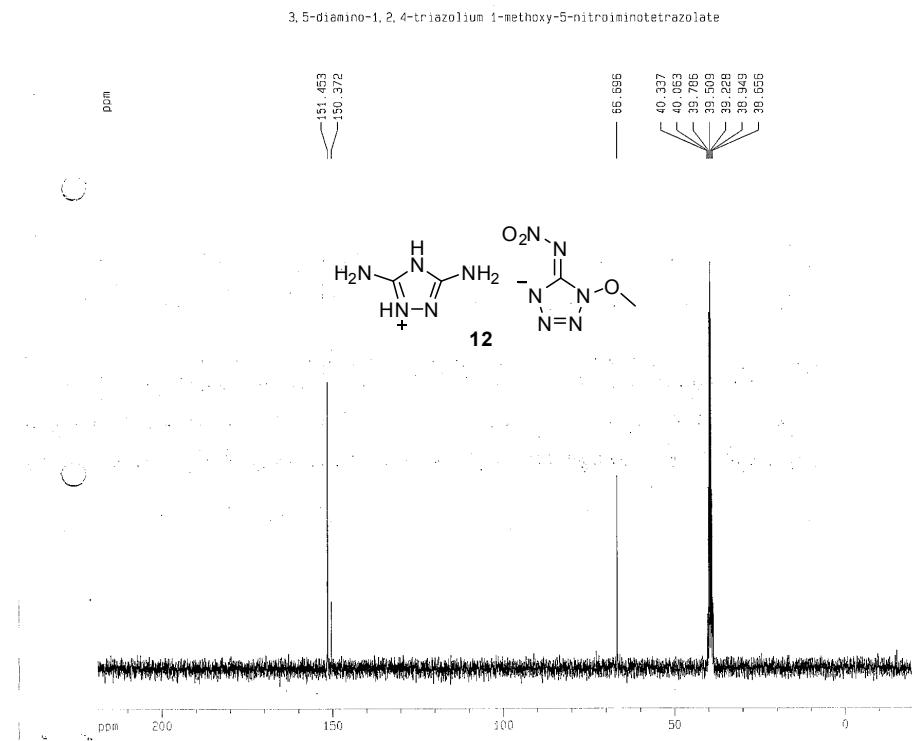
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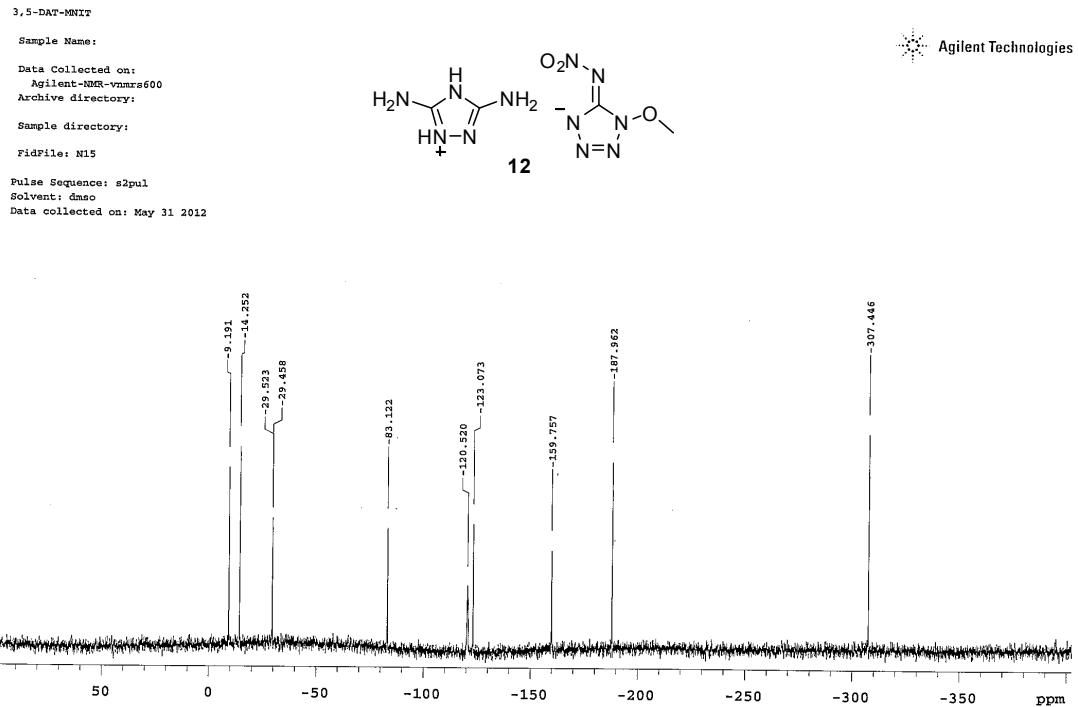
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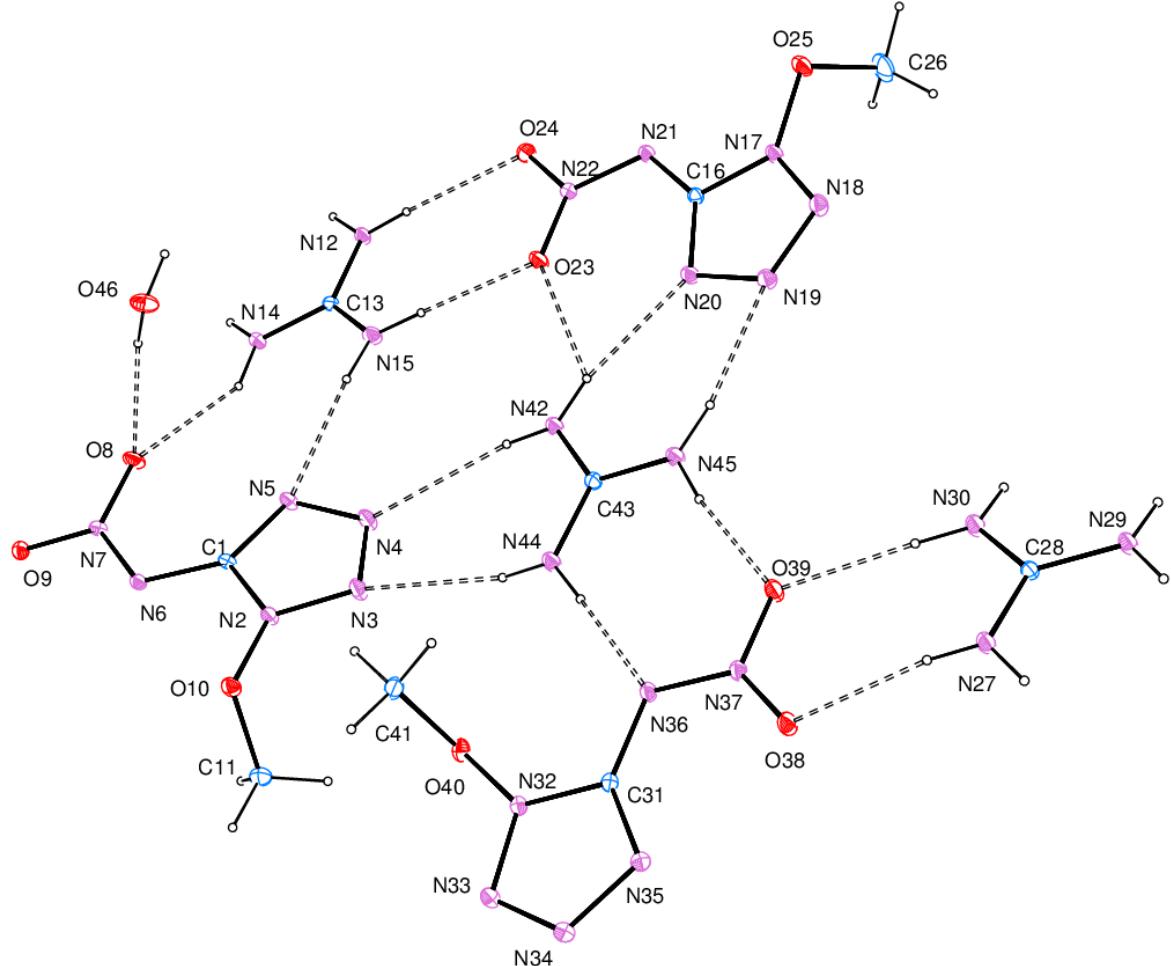


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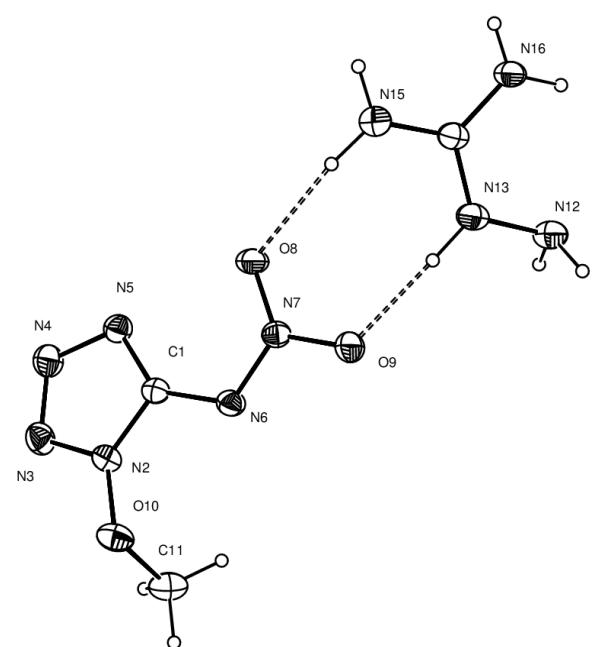


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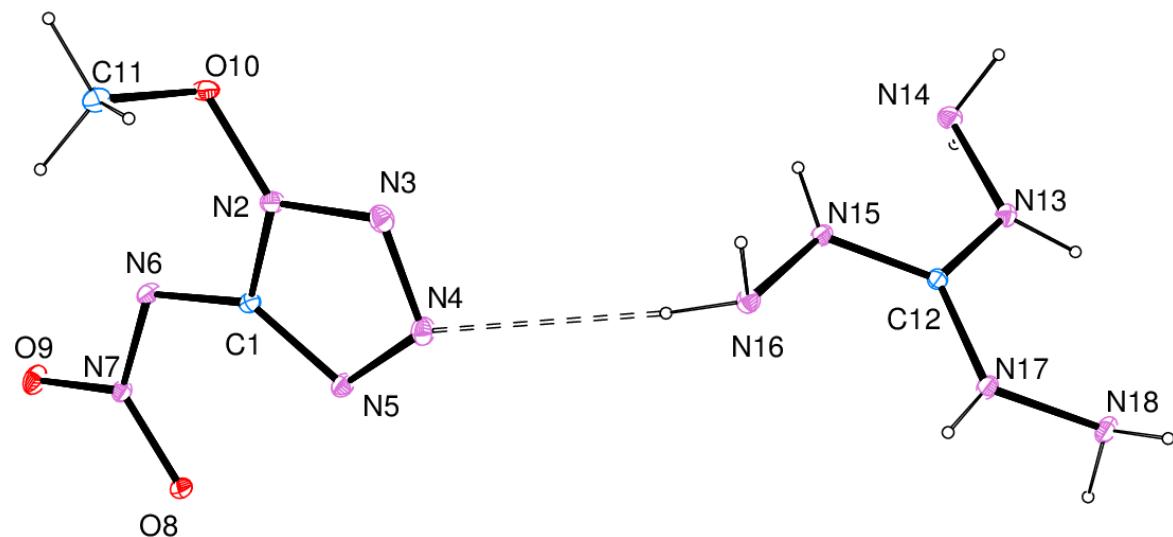
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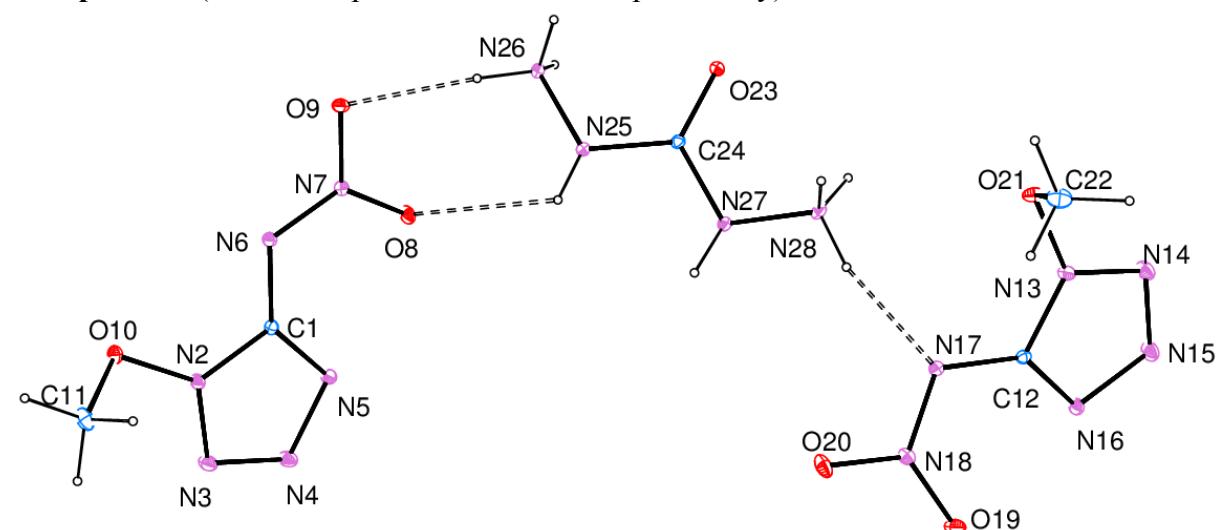
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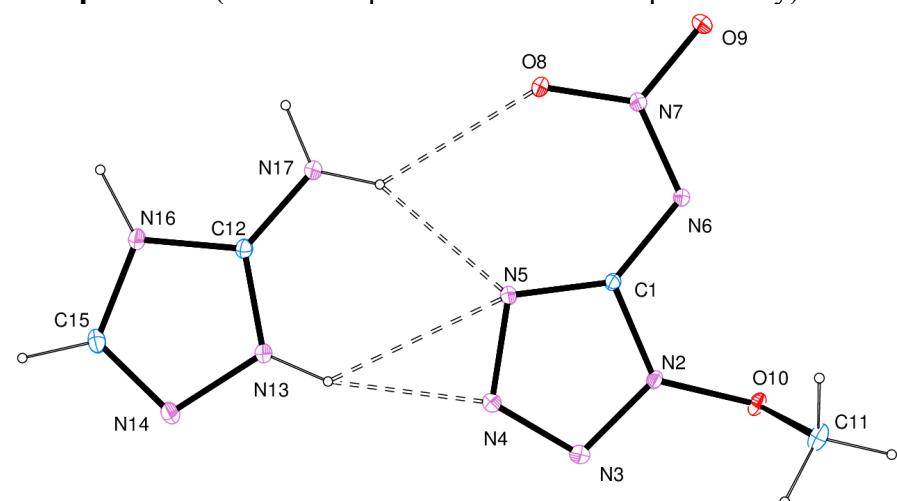
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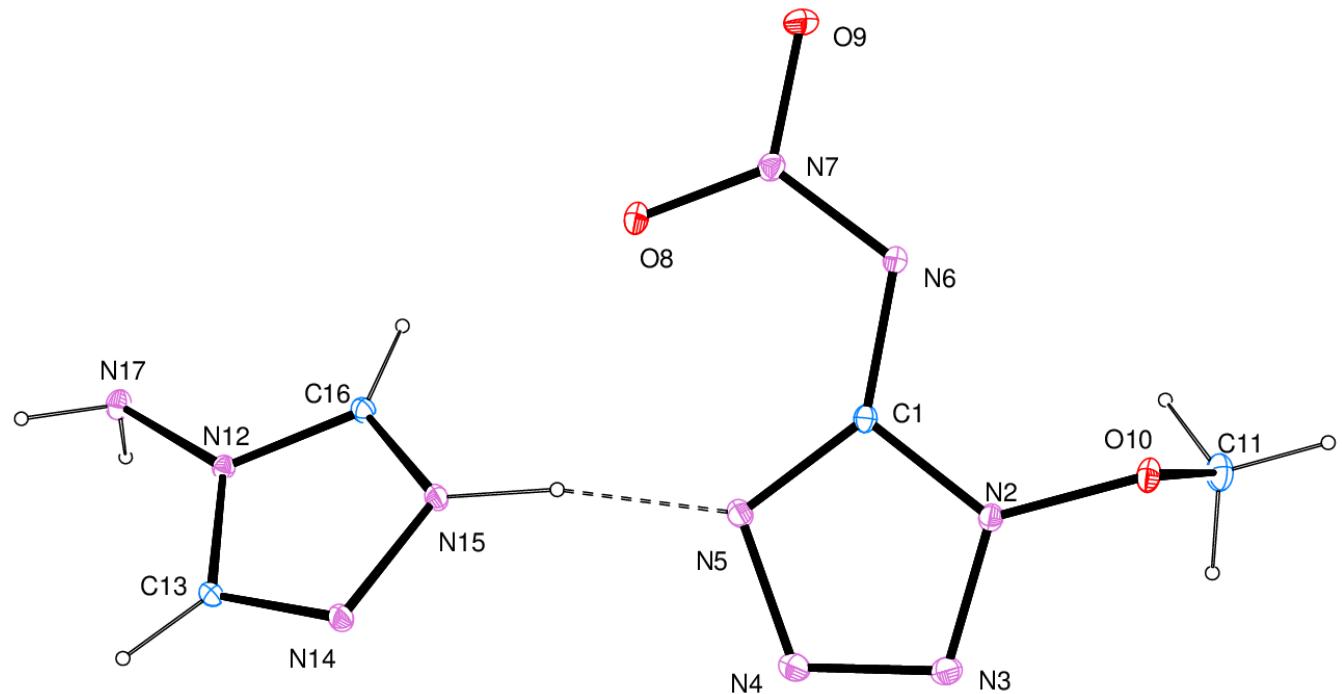
Compound 9 (thermal displacement set at 50% probability)



Compound 10 (thermal displacement set at 50% probability)



Compound 11 (thermal displacement set at 50% probability)



Computation information

Theoretical study. Calculations were carried out by using the Gaussian 03 (Revision D.01) suite of programs. The geometric optimization of the structures and frequency analyses were carried out by using the B3LYP functional with the 6-31+G** basis set,^[1] and single-point energies were calculated at the MP2/6-311++G** level. All of the optimized structures were characterized to be true local energy minima on the potential-energy surface without having imaginary frequencies.

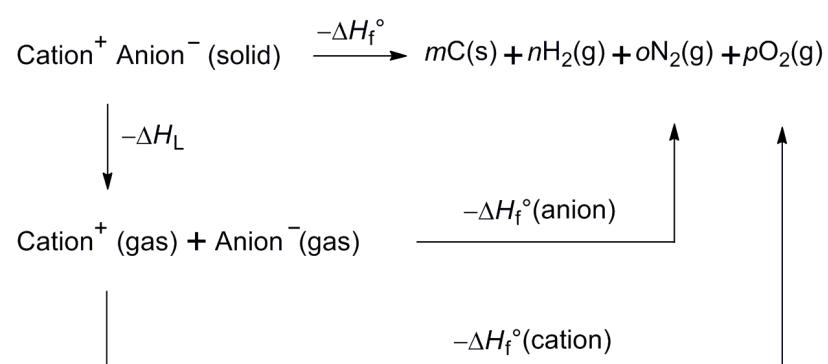


Figure S1. Born-Haber cycle for the formation of 1-methoxy-5-nitroiminotetrazole salts.

Based on Born-Haber energy cycles, heats of formation of ionic salts can be simplified by the formula [Eq. (1)]:

$$\Delta H_f^\circ \text{ (ionic salt, 298 K)} = \Delta H_f^\circ \text{ (cation, 298 K)} + \Delta H_f^\circ \text{ (anion, 298 K)} - \Delta H_L \quad (1)$$

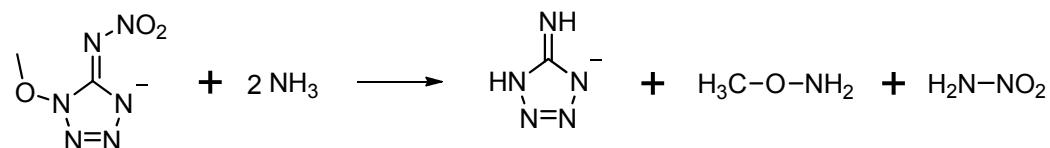
where ΔH_L is the lattice energy of the ionic salt. The ΔH_L value could be predicted by the formula suggested by Jenkins et al. [Equation (2)],^[2] where U_{POT} is the lattice potential energy and n_M and n_X depend on the nature of the ions M_p^+ and X_q^- , respectively, and are equal to three for monoatomic ions, five for linear polyatomic ions, and six for nonlinear polyatomic ions.

$$\Delta H_L = U_{\text{POT}} + [p(n_M / 2 - 2) + q(n_X / 2 - 2)]RT \quad (2)$$

The equation for the lattice potential energy, U_{POT} , takes the form of Equation (3),

$$U_{\text{POT}} (\text{kJ mol}^{-1}) = \gamma (\rho_m / M_m)^{1/3} + \delta \quad (3)$$

where ρ_m is the density (g cm^{-3}), M_m is the chemical formula mass of the ionic material (g), and the coefficients γ ($\text{kJ mol}^{-1} \text{cm}$) and δ (kJ mol^{-1}) are assigned literature values.^[15]



Scheme S1. Isodesmic reation of 1-methoxy-nitroiminotetrazolate anion

Calculated (B3LYP/6-31+G**//MP2/6-311++G**) Total Energy (E_0), Zero Point Energy (ZPE), Values of Thermal correction (H_T), and Heats of Formation (HoF) [kJ/mol] of the compounds.

	E_0	ZPE	H_T	HoF
	-630.6396716	0.01035	0.01260	315.92

	E_0	ZPE	H_T	HoF
	-204.8735031	0.075945	0.005496	26.0

	E_0	ZPE	H_T	HoF
	-260.5457263	0.114876	0.006227	566.7

	E_0	ZPE	H_T	HoF
	-315.7583524	0.13361	0.007123	769.0176204

	E_0	ZPE	H_T	HoF
	-370.9707208	0.152308	0.008131	871.4723014

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