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Catch and release microwave mediated synthesis of cyanine dyes

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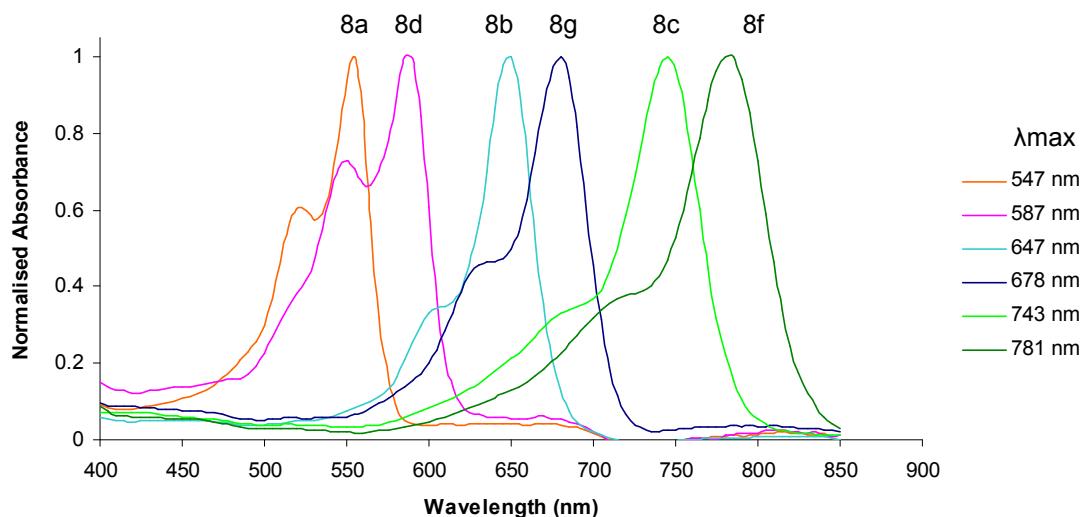


Figure 1 Normalised absorbance spectra of cyanine dyes prepared on solid phase

Trimethine dye 8a

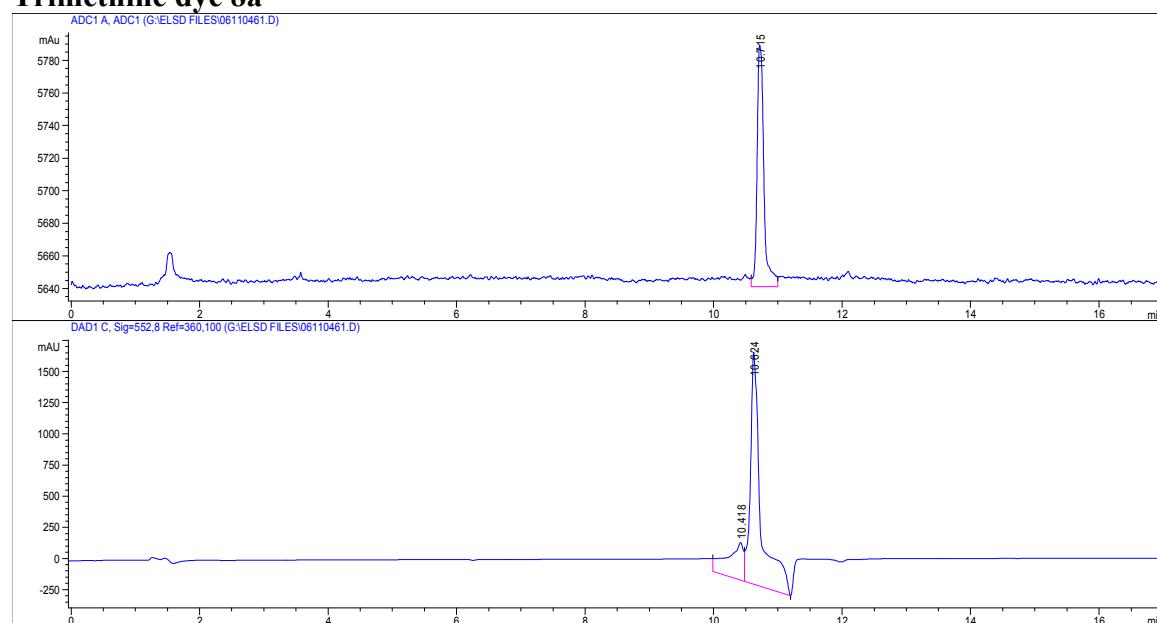


Figure 2 HPLC trace of crude trimethine dye 8a. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 550 \text{ nm}$.

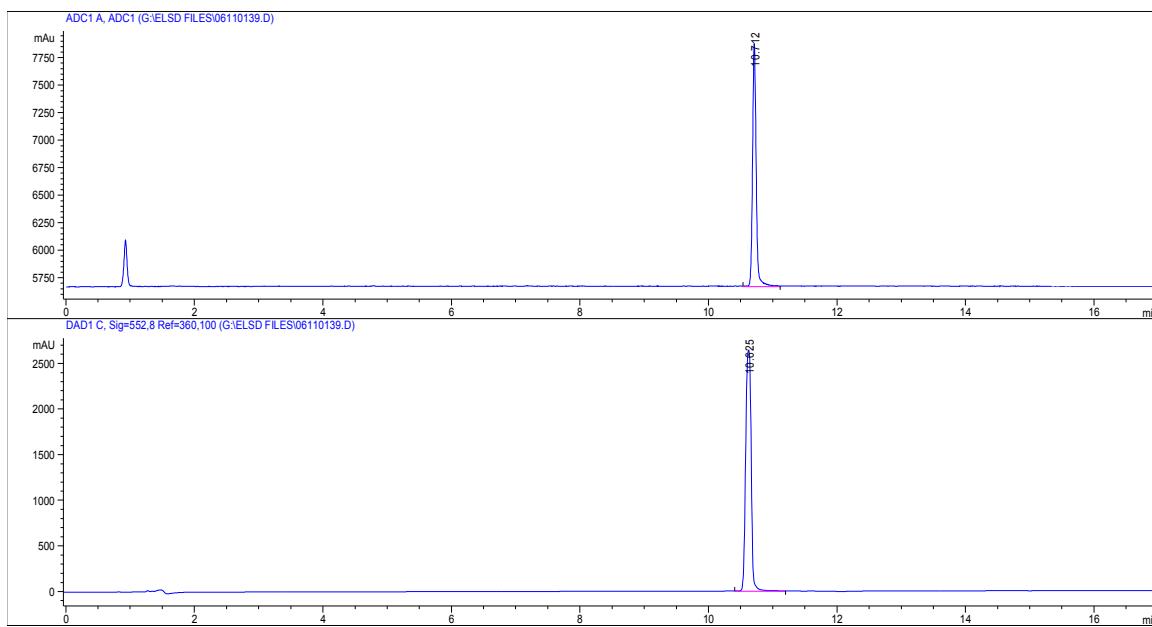


Figure 3 HPLC trace of trimethine dye 8a *after chromatographic purification*. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 550$ nm.

Pentamethine dye 8b

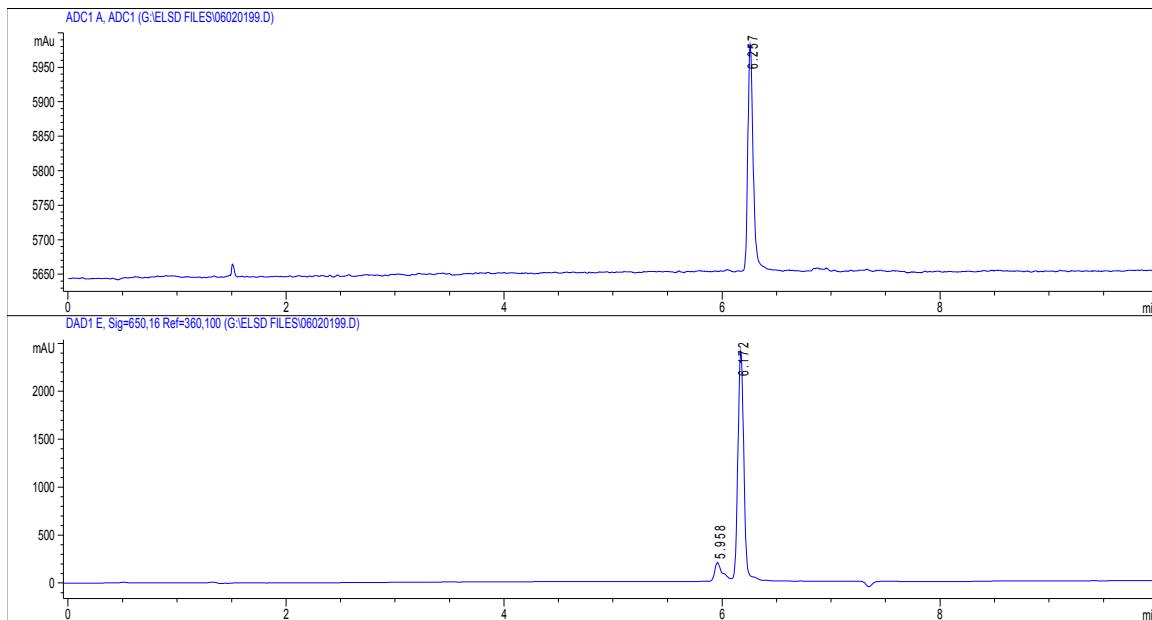


Figure 4 HPLC trace of *crude* pentamethine dye 8b. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 650$ nm.

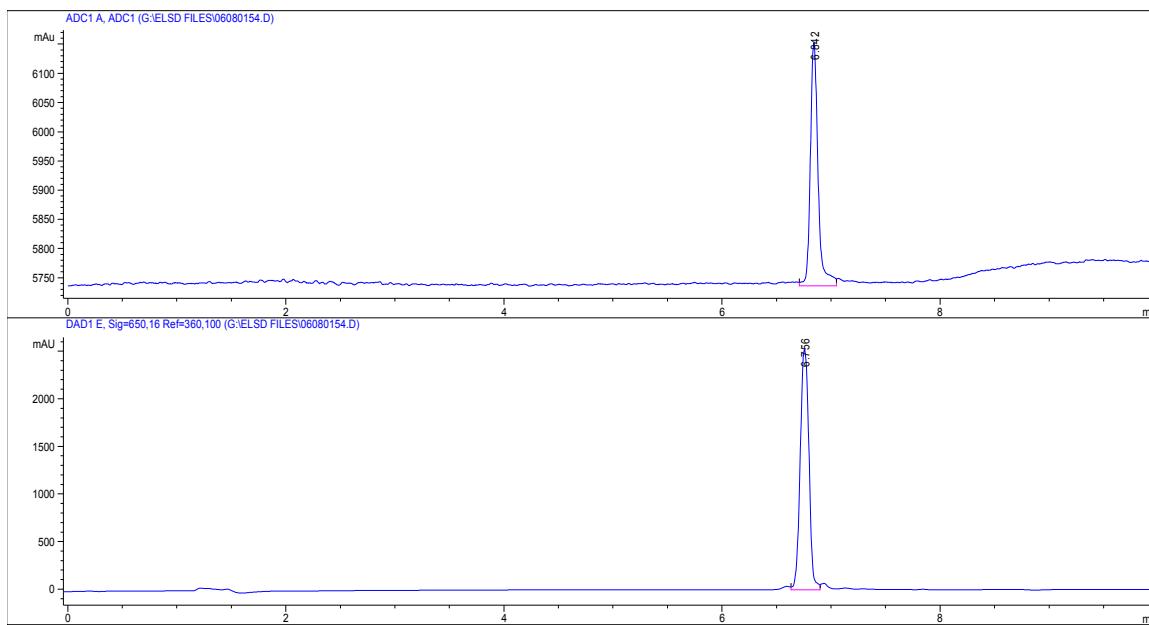


Figure 5 HPLC trace of pentamethine dye 8b after chromatographic purification. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 650$ nm.

Heptamethine dye 8c

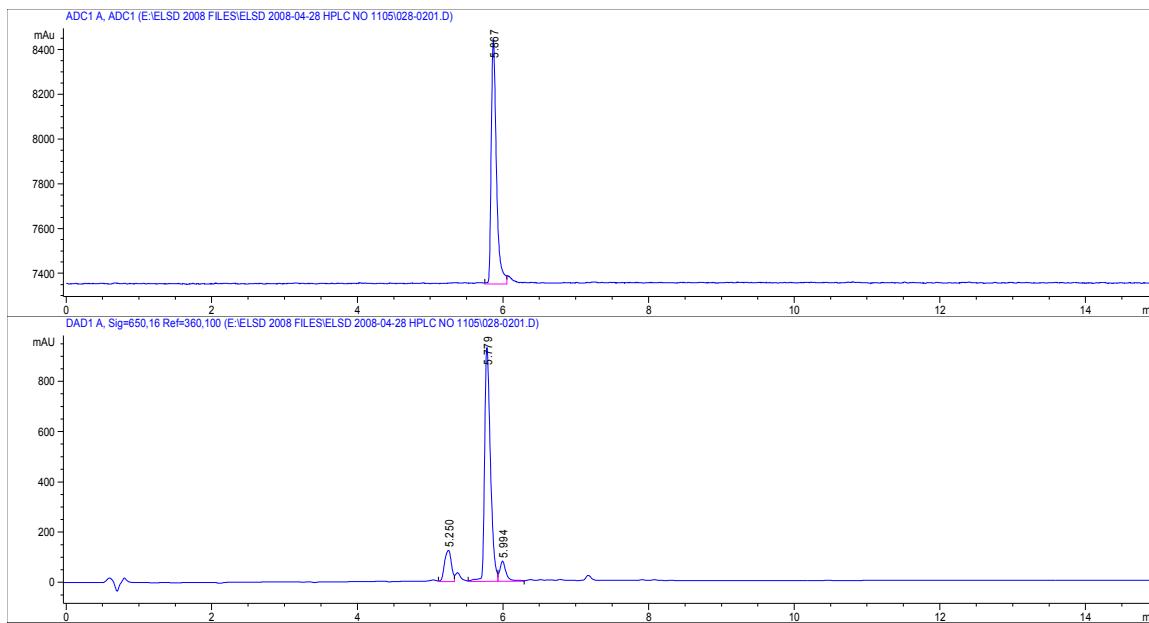


Figure 6 HPLC trace of crude heptamethine dye 8c. Detection: ELSD AND at $\lambda = 750$ nm.

Trimethine dye 8d

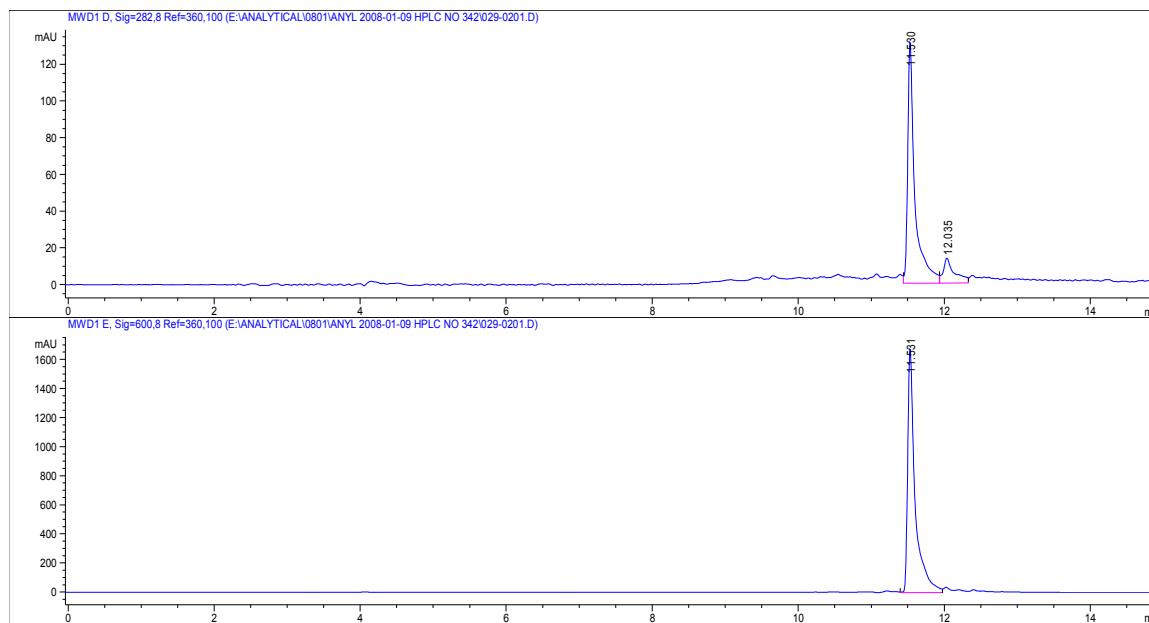


Figure 7 Figure 2 HPLC trace of trimethine dye 8d *after chromatographic purification*. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 600$ nm.

Pentamethine dye 8e

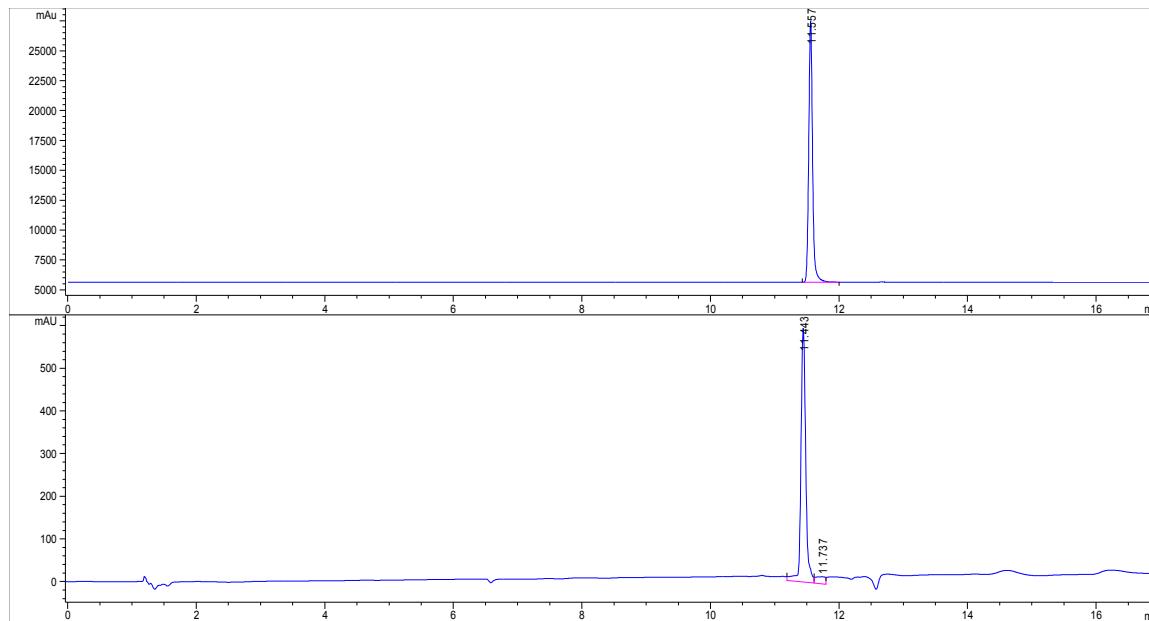


Figure 8 HPLC trace of pentamethine dye 8e *after chromatographic purification*. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 650$ nm.

Heptamethine dye 8f

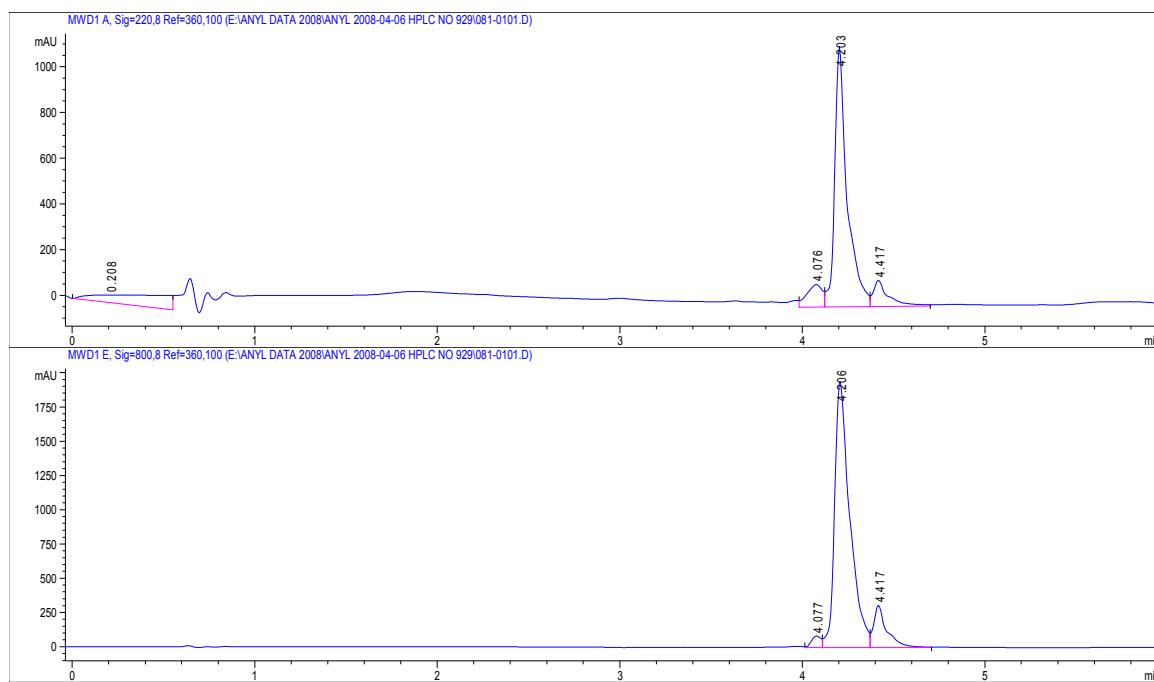


Figure 9 HPLC trace of *crude* heptamethine dye 8f. Detection: at $\lambda = 220\text{ nm}$ and $\lambda = 800\text{ nm}$.

Pentamethine dye 8g

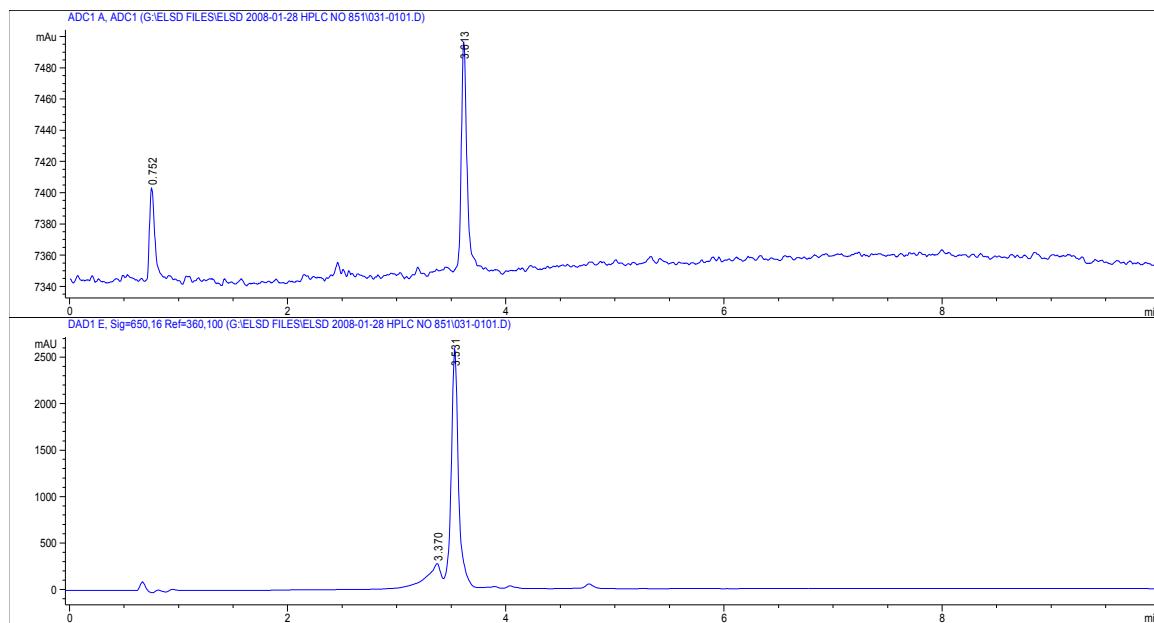


Figure 10 HPLC trace of *crude* pentamethine dye 8g. Detection: ELSD and at $\lambda = 650\text{ nm}$. Peak at 0.75 min is not attributable to the sample 8g.

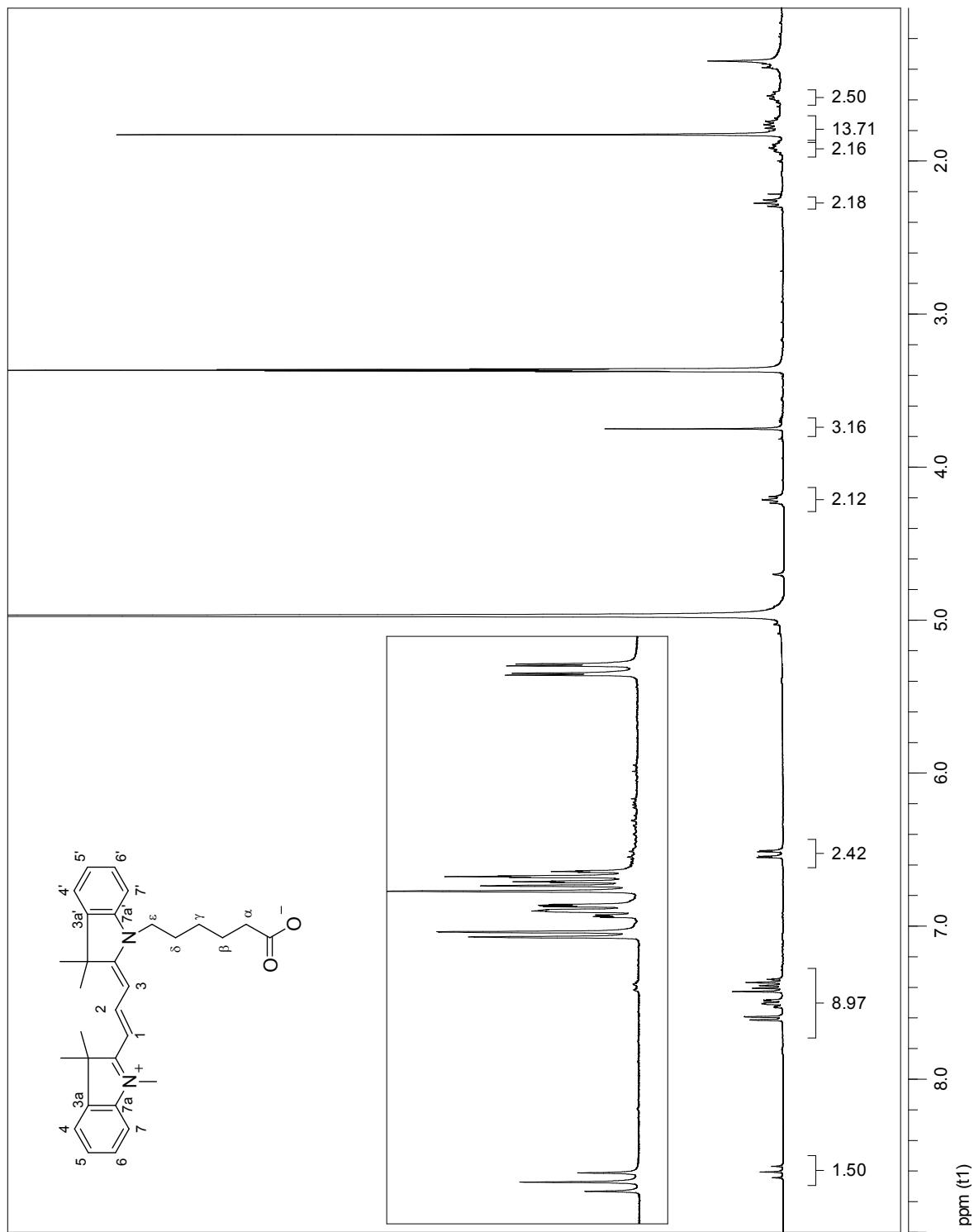


Figure 11 ¹H NMR of Trimethine dye **8a**

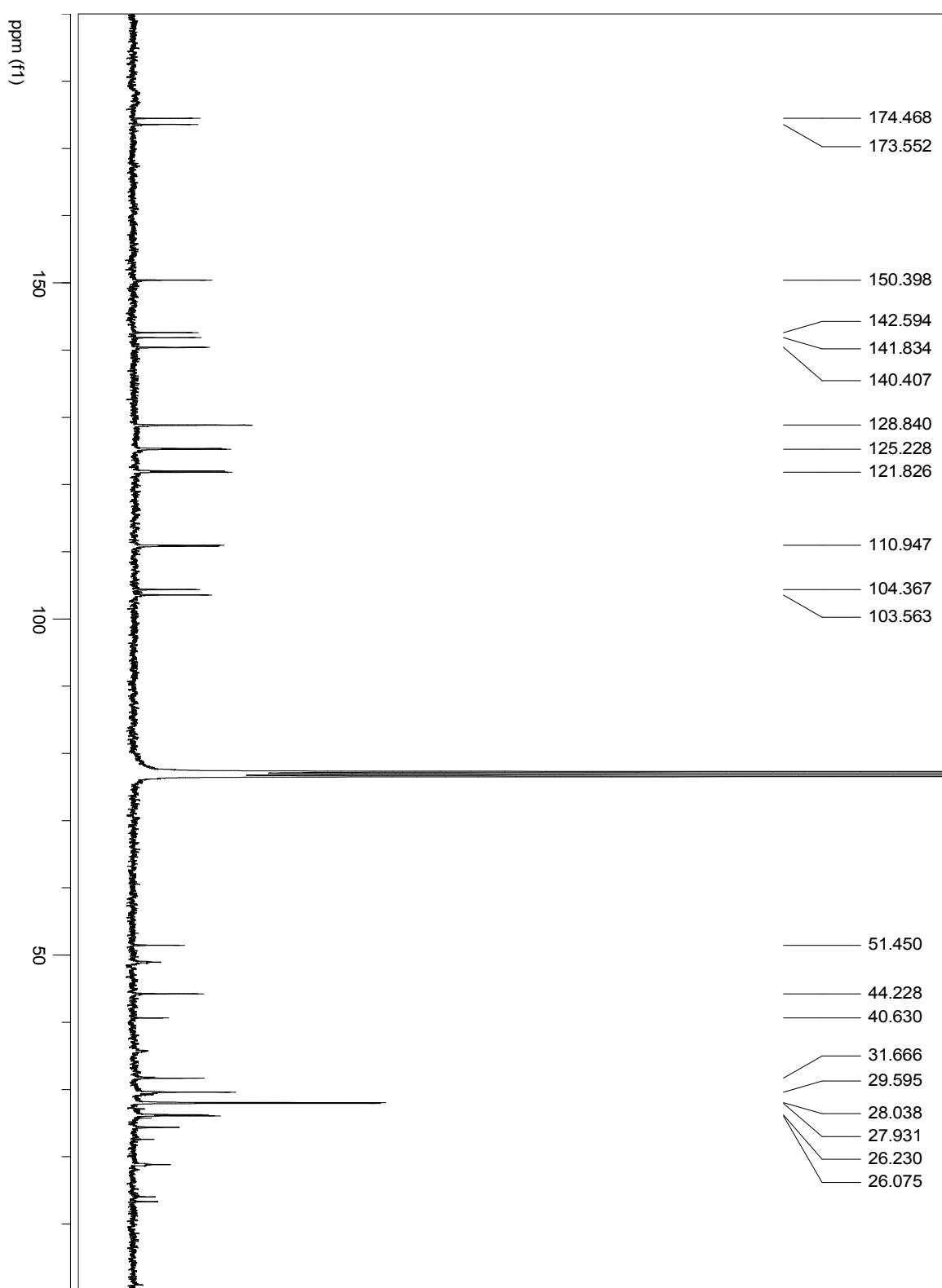


Figure 12 ^{13}C NMR of Trimethine dye 8a

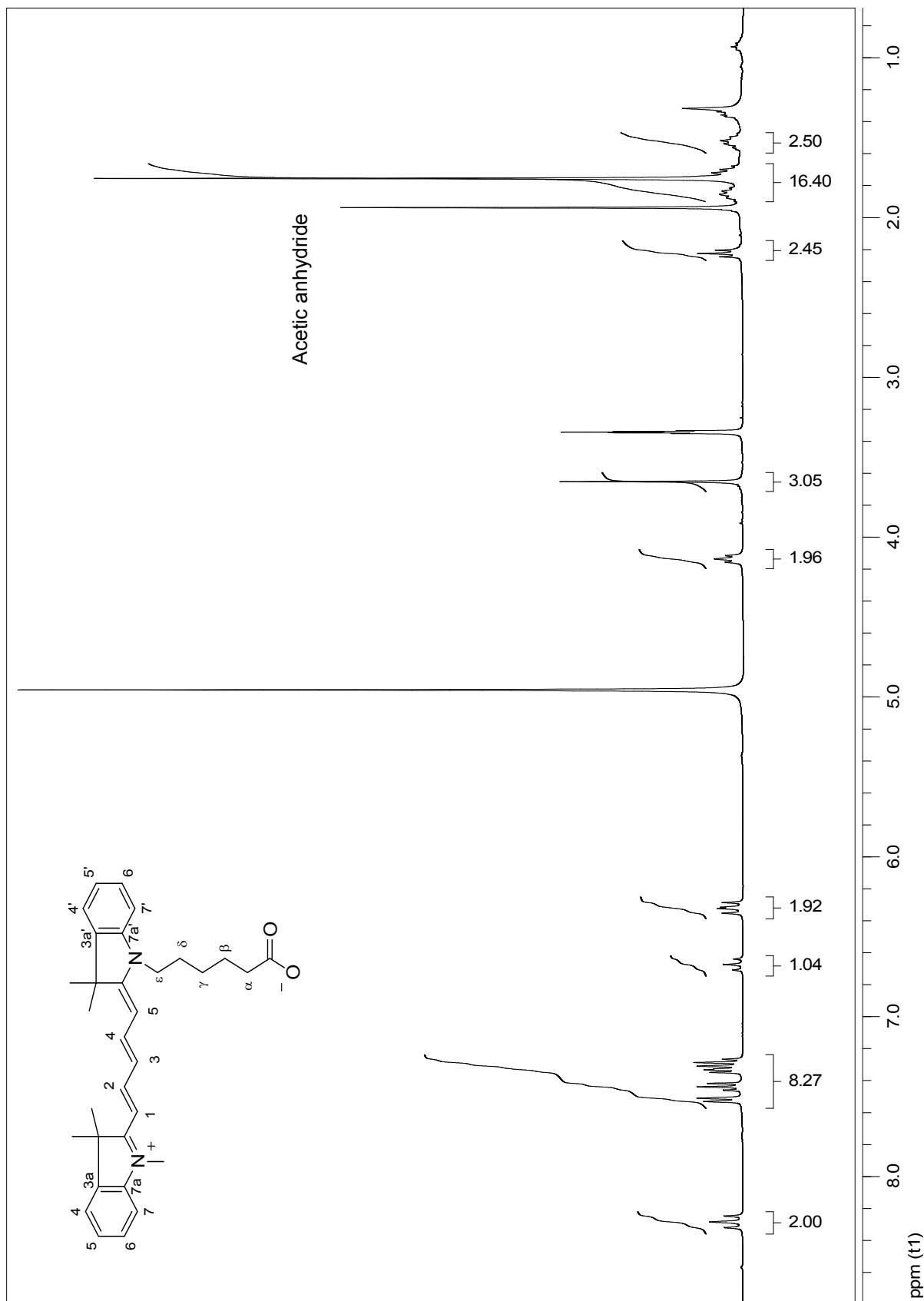


Figure 13 ^1H NMR of Pentamethine dye 8b

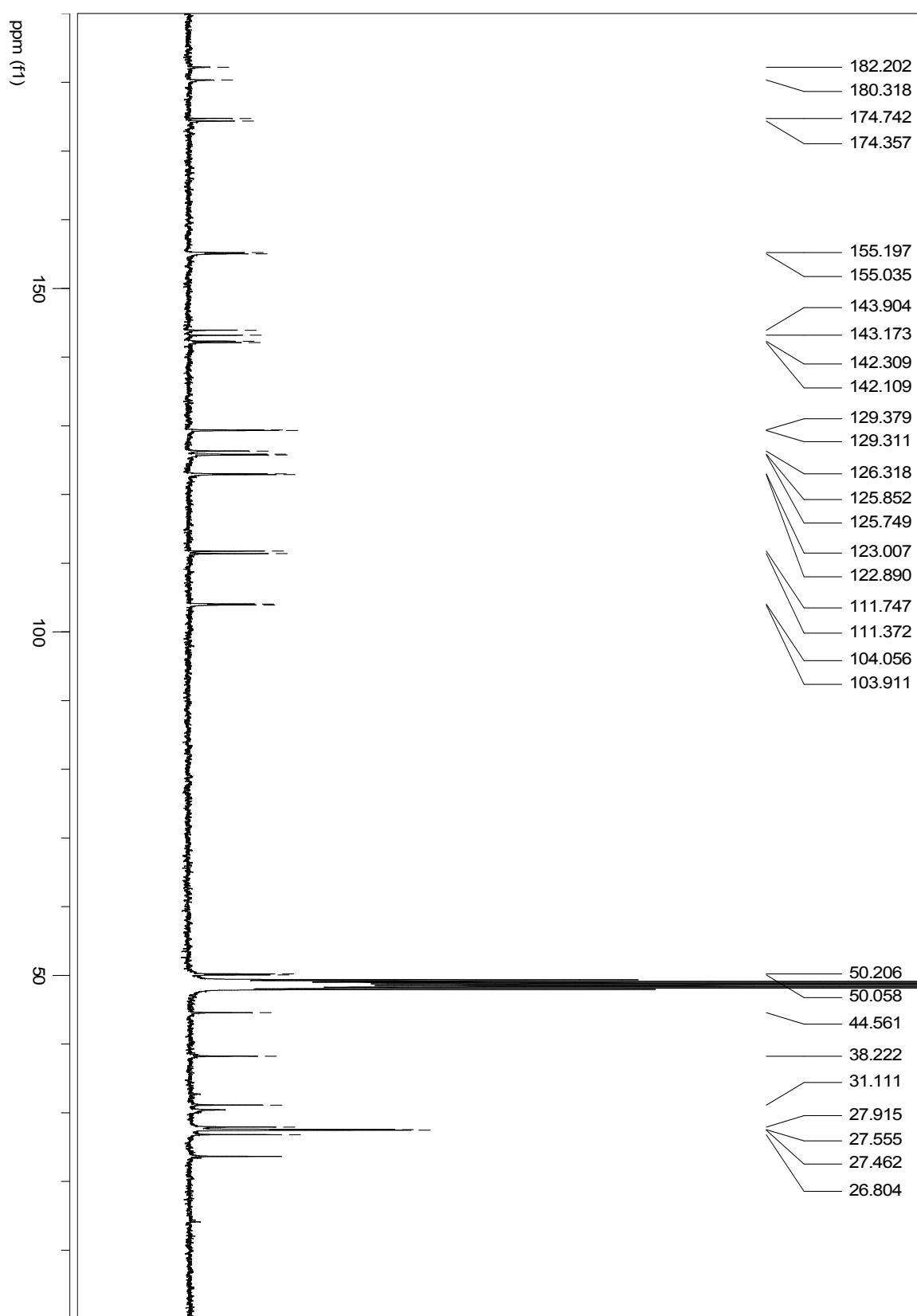


Figure 14 ^{13}C NMR of Pentamethine dye **8b**

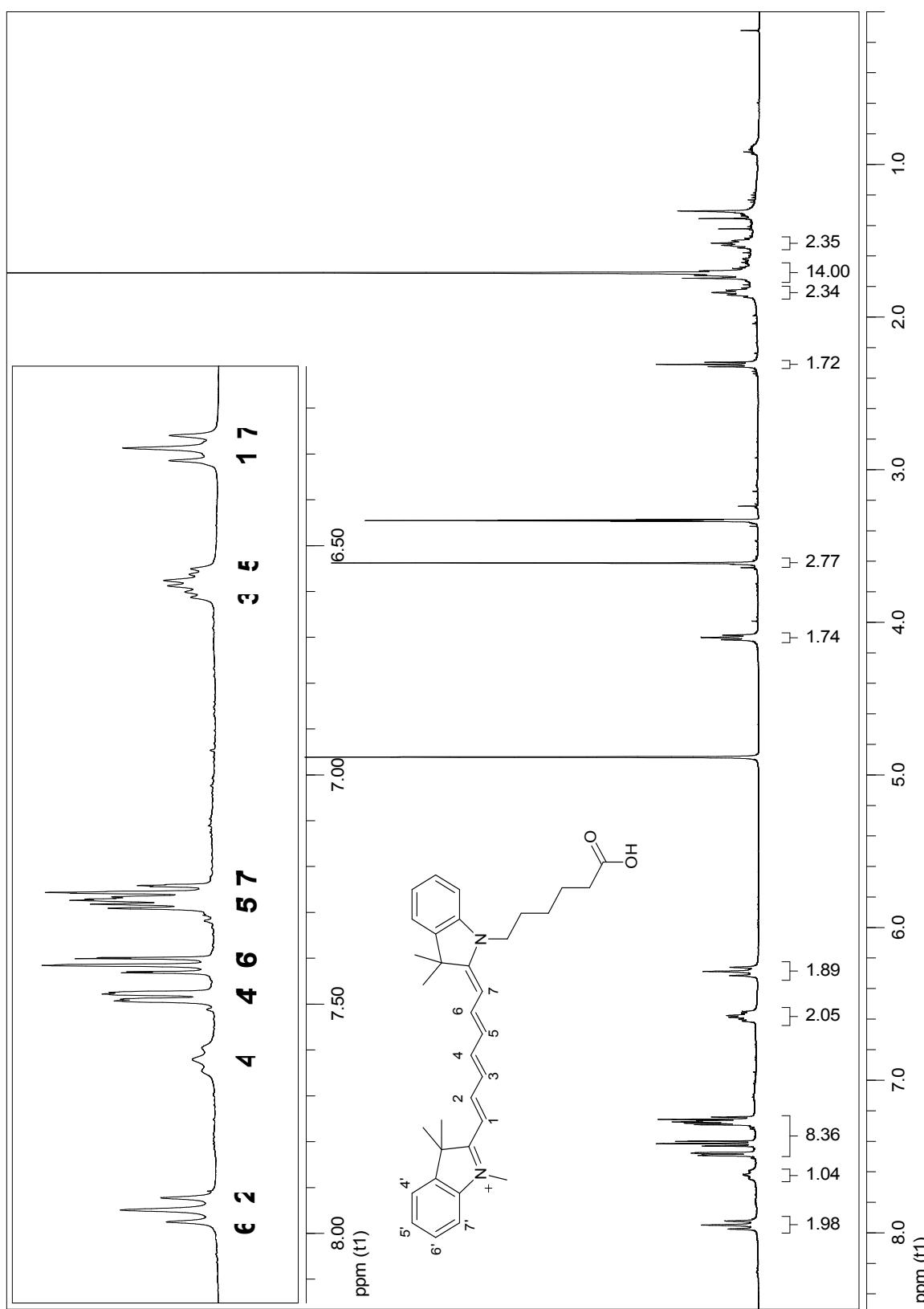


Figure 6 ¹H NMR of Heptamethine dye 8c

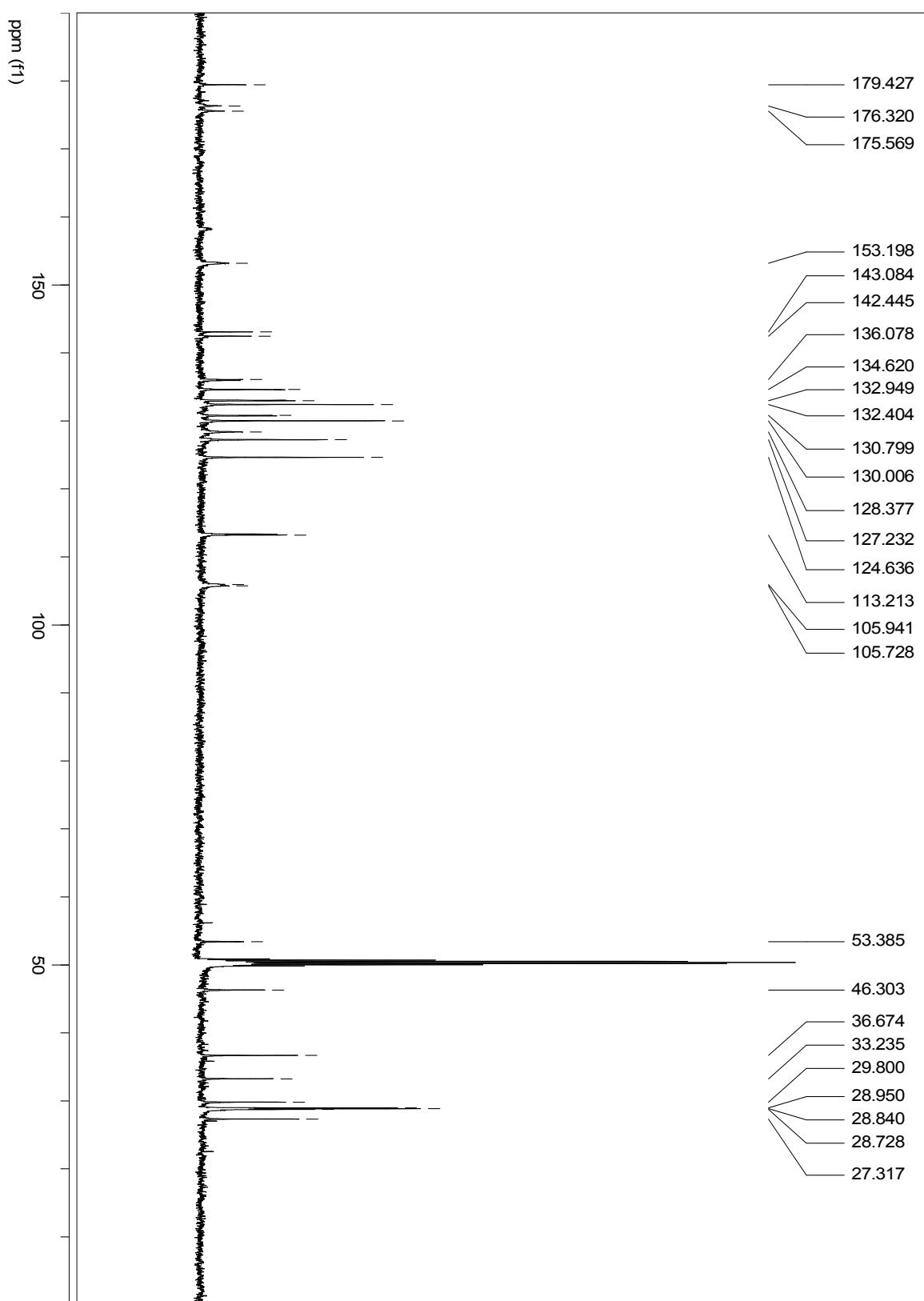


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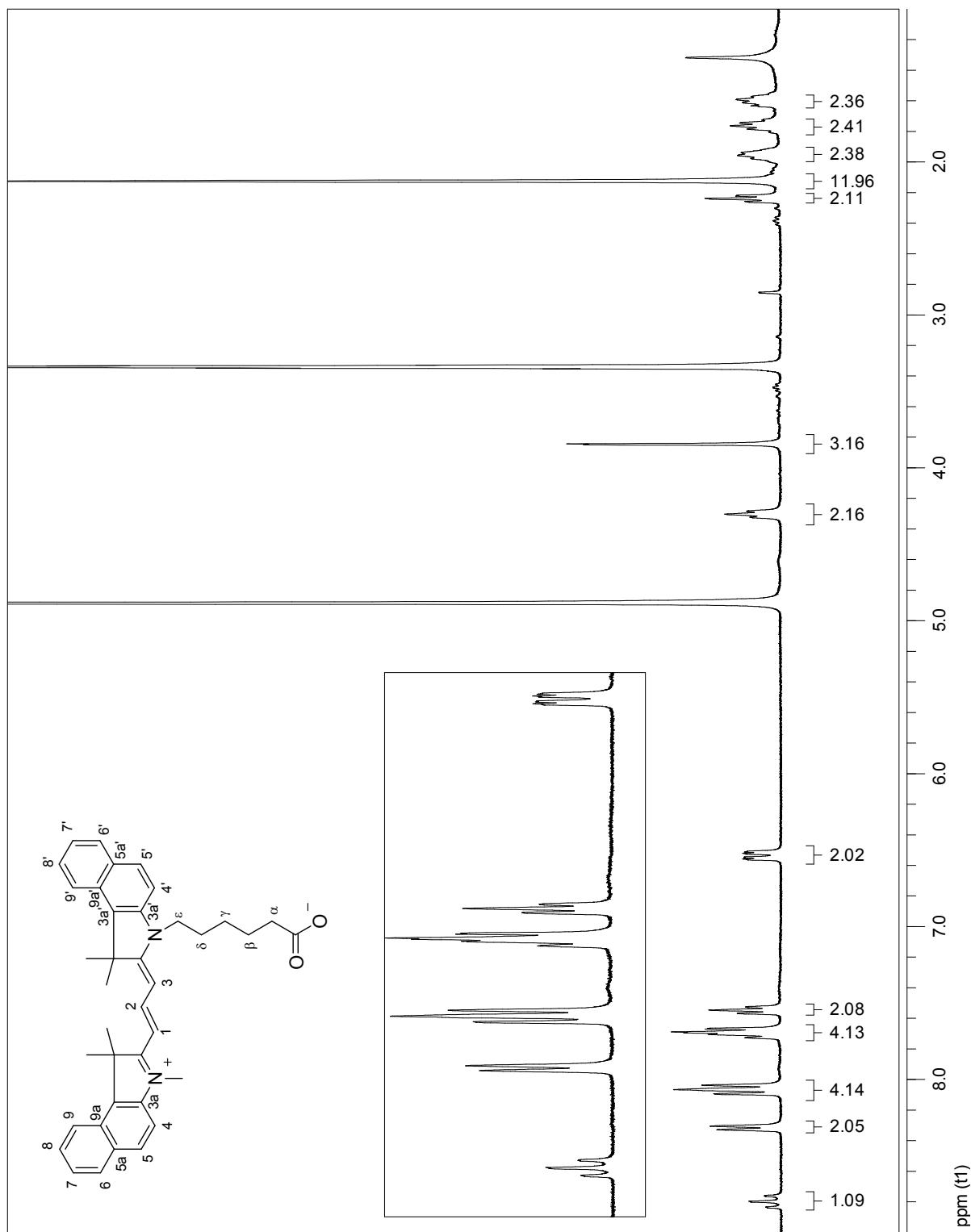


Figure 17 ¹H NMR of Trimethine dye 8d

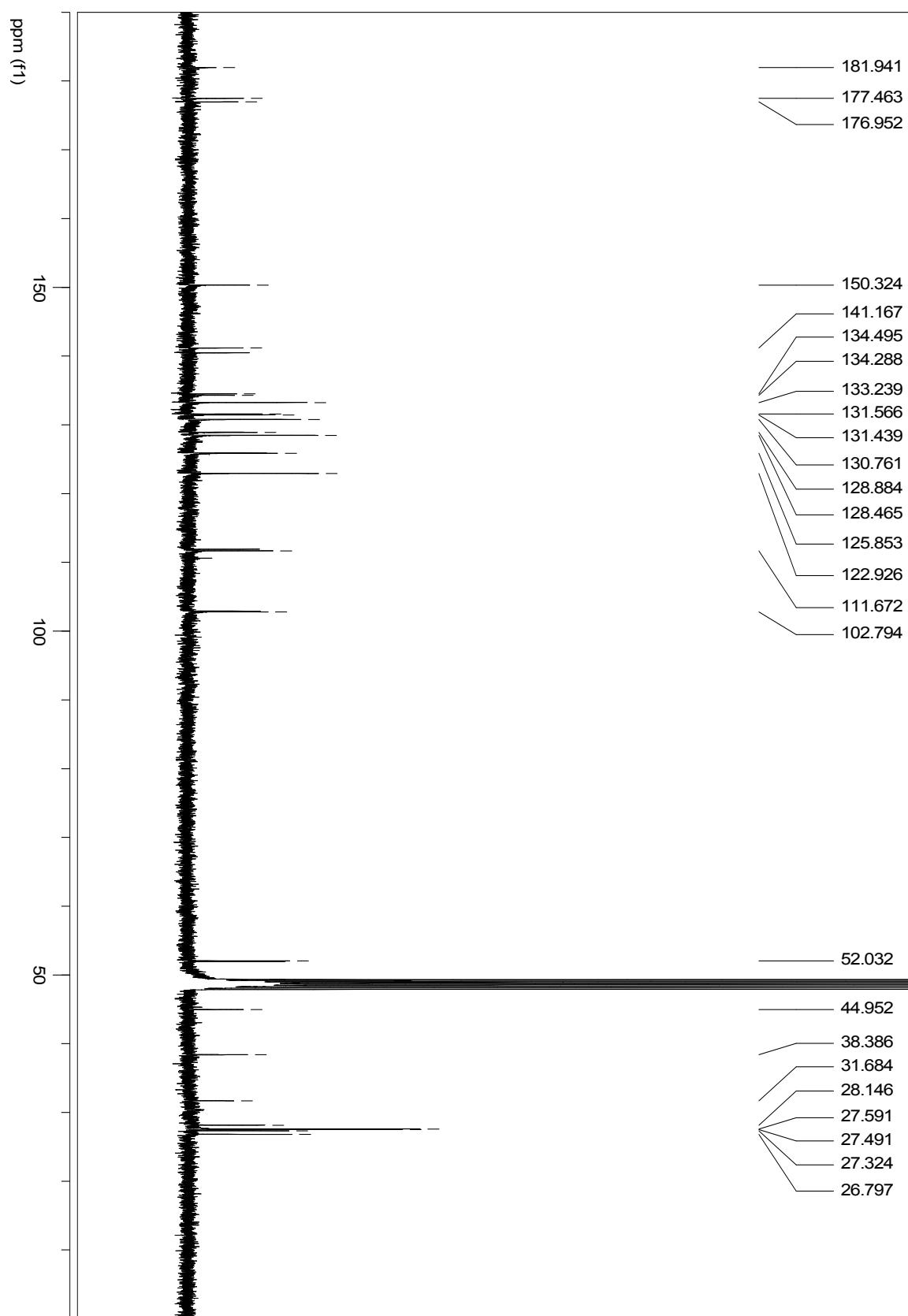


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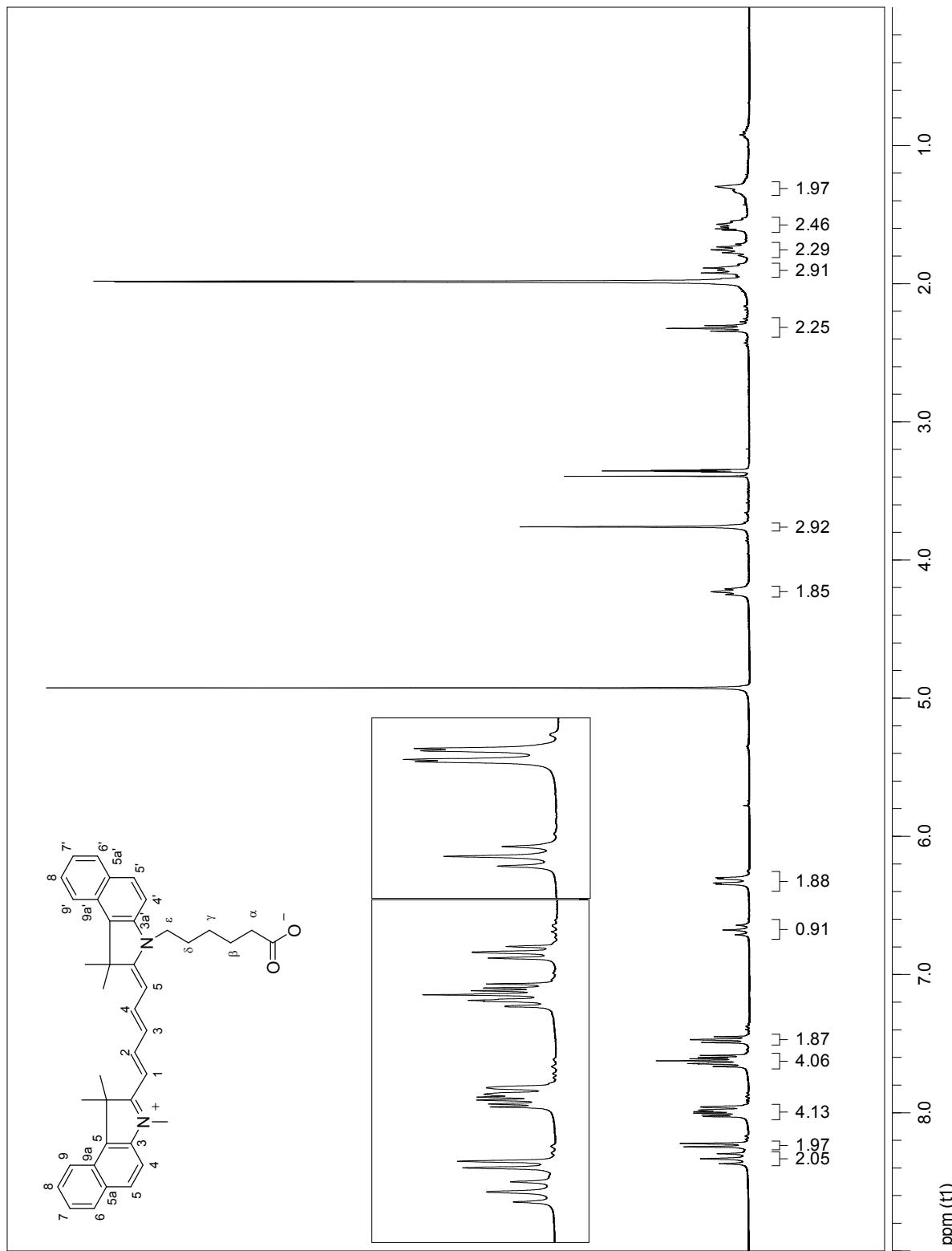


Figure 9 ¹H NMR of Pentamethine dye 8e

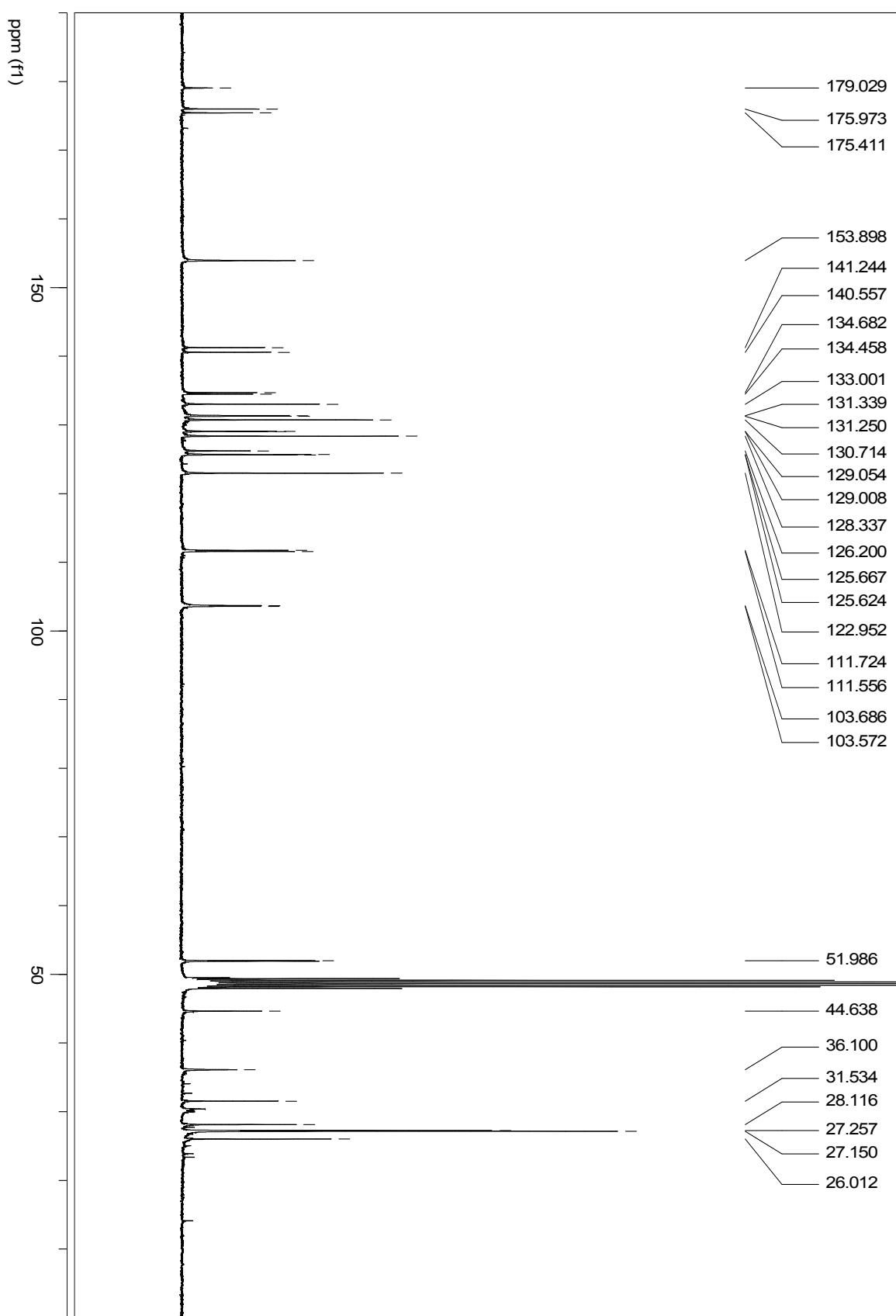


Figure 20 ^{13}C NMR of Pentamethine dye **8e**

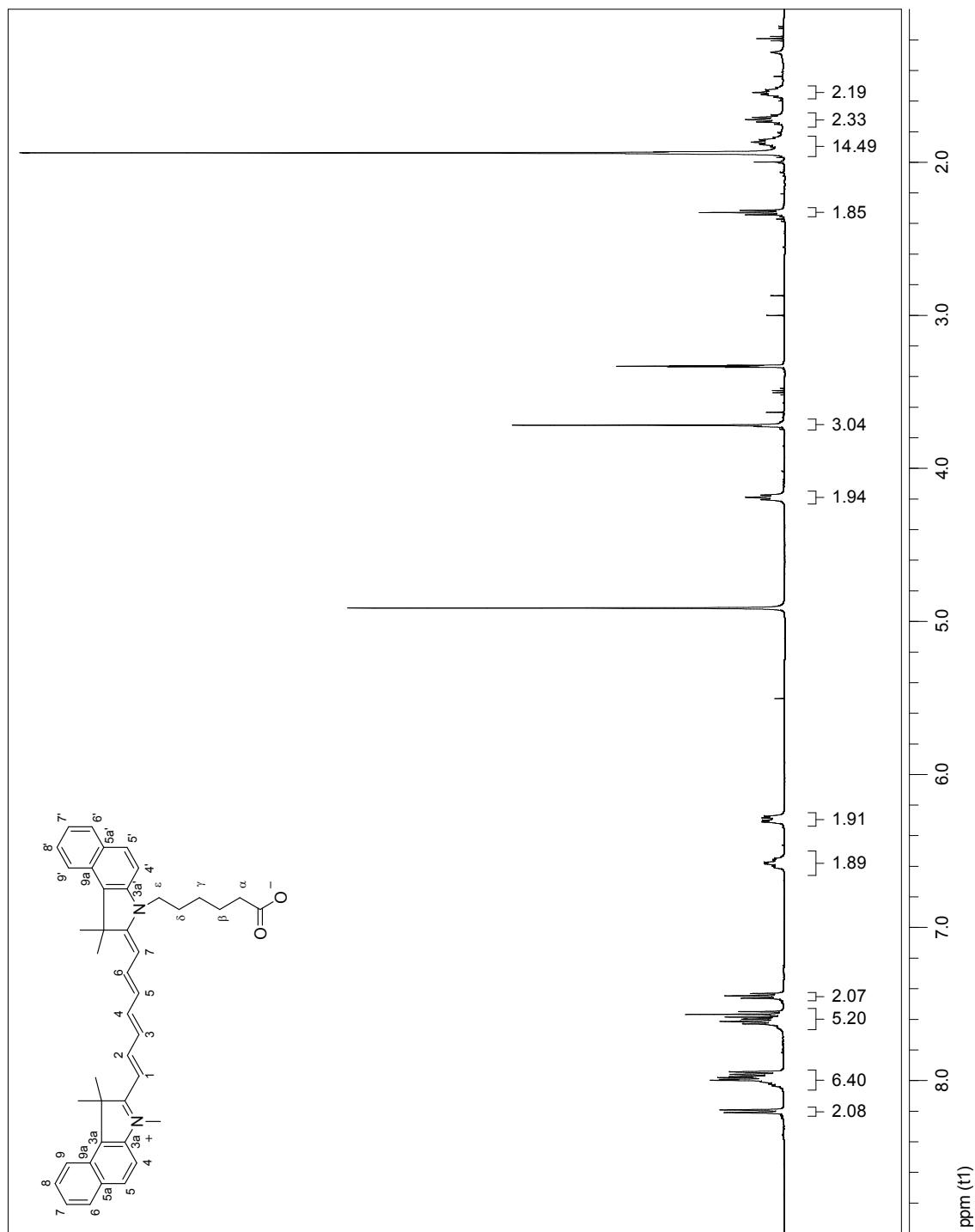


Figure 21 ^1H NMR of Heptamethine dye 8f

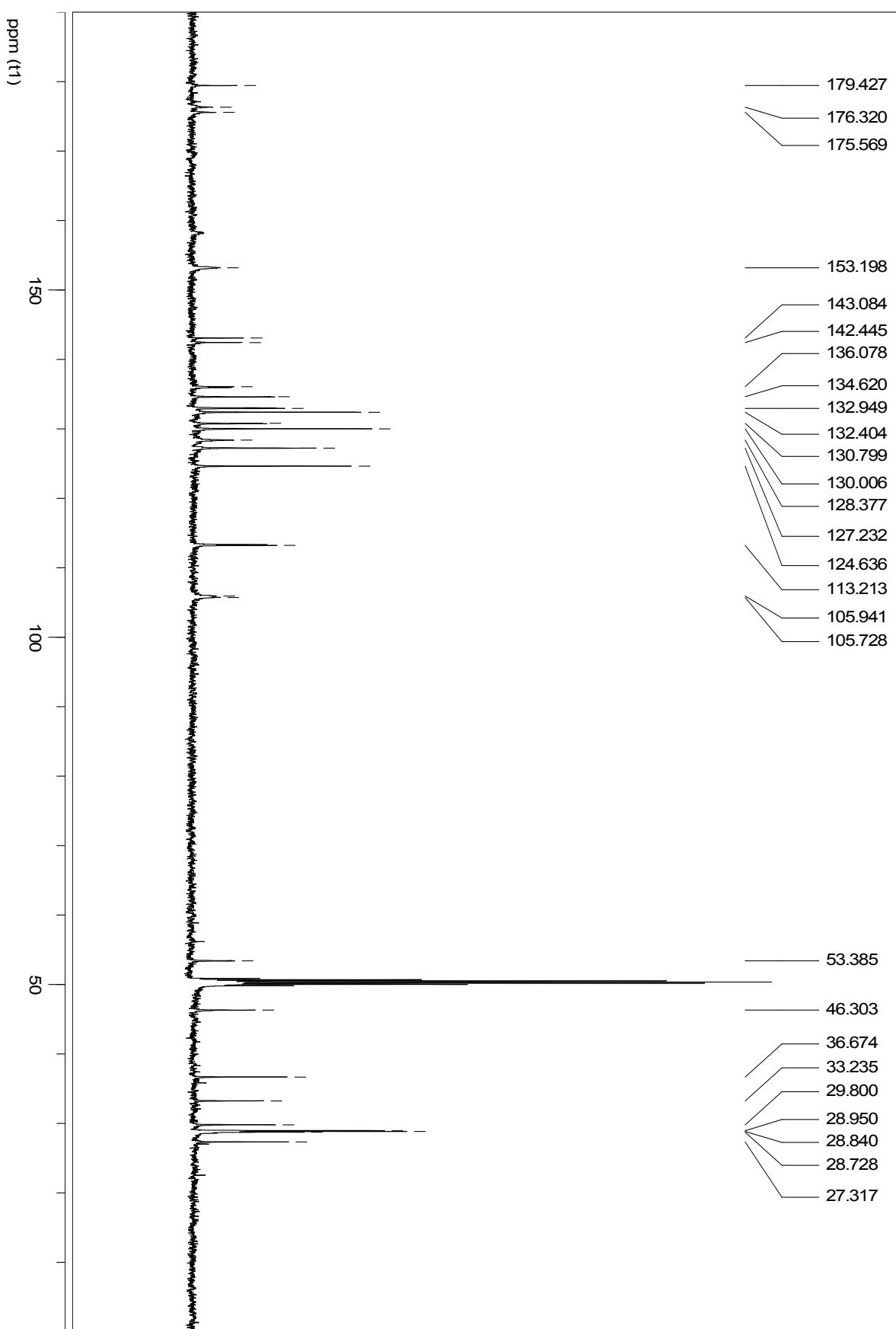


Figure 22 ¹³C NMR of Pentamethine dye 8f

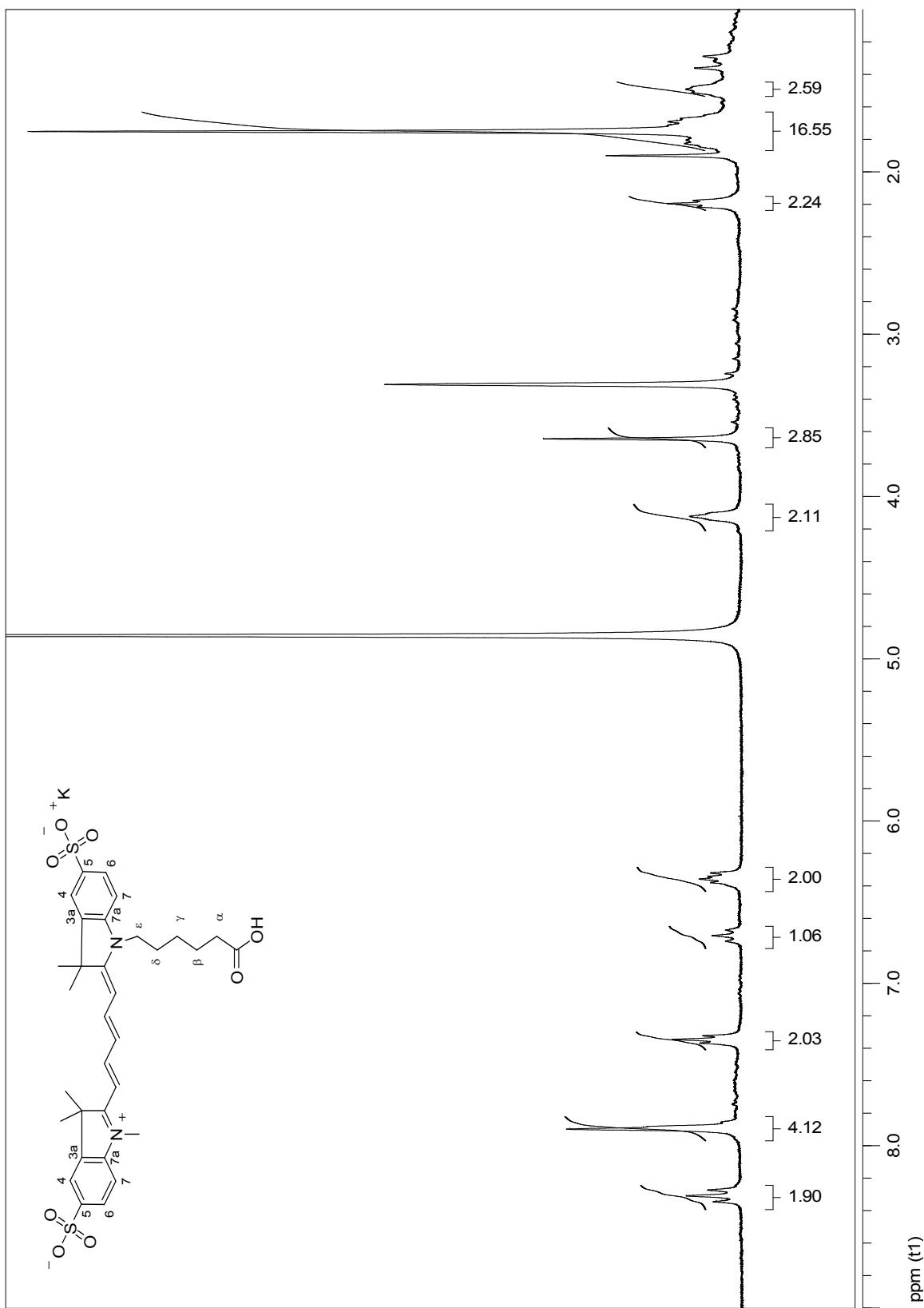


Figure 23 ¹H NMR of Pentamethine dye 8g

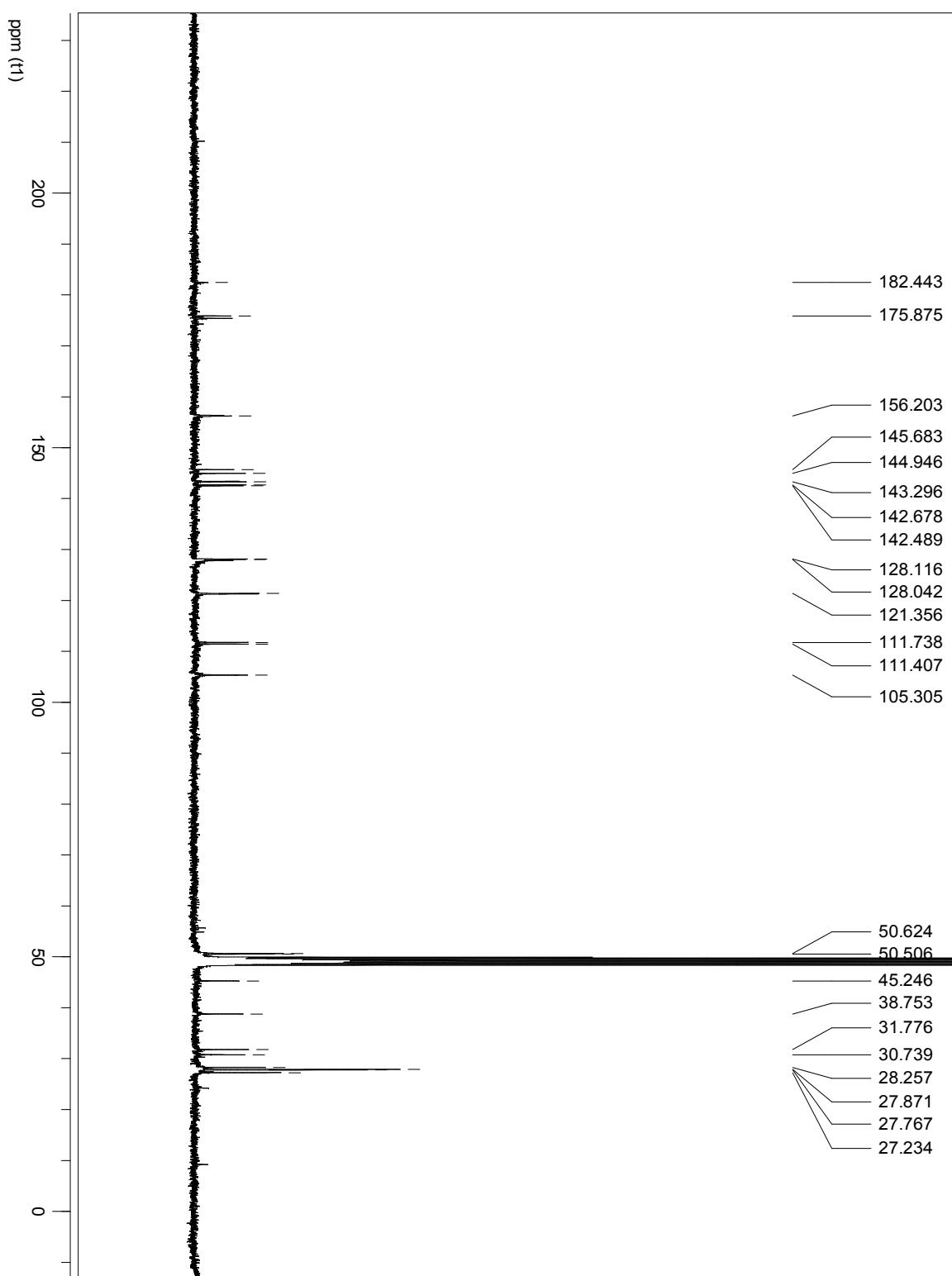


Figure 24 ^{13}C NMR of Pentamethine dye **8g**