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Phenylenediamine-based bivalent glycocyclophanes: synthesis and analysis of the influence of scaffold rigidity and ligand spacing on lectin

binding in cell systems with different glycomic profiles

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General experimental conditions Optical rotations were determined with a Perkin-Elmer 241 model polarimeter at the sodium D line at 20 °C. NMR spectra were recorded with Varian 300 MHz, 400 MHz, 500 MHz and 600 MHz spectrometers. Chemical shifts are reported relative to internal Me₄Si in CDCl₃ (δ 0.0), HOD for D₂O (δ 4.80) for ¹H-NMR and CDCl₃ (δ 77.0) for ¹³C-NMR at 20 °C. ¹³C-NMR signals were assigned with the aid of DEPT-135, HSQC and HMBC. ¹H-NMR signals were assigned with the aid of COSY and TOCSY. Coupling constants (J) are reported in Hertz. IR spectra were recorded with a Mattson Galaxy Series IR 3000 using either thin film between NaCl plates or KBr discs, as specified. Melting points were measured on a Gallenkamp melting point apparatus. Elemental analysis was performed on an Exeter Analytical CE440 elemental analyser. Low and high resolution mass spectra were measured on either a Ouattro *micro*TM LC-MS/MS or a Micromass LC time-of-flight (LCT) mass spectrometers and were measured in positive and/or negative mode as indicated in each case. TLC was performed on aluminium sheets precoated with Silica Gel 60 (HF₂₅₄, E. Merck) and spots visualized by UV and charring with H₂SO₄-EtOH (1:20) and/or PMA, KMnO₄, ninhydrine or mostaine solutions. Flash column chromatography was carried out using Silica Gel 60 (0.040-0.630 mm, E. Merck) and using a stepwise solvent polarity gradient (starting from the conditions indicated and increasing the polarity) correlated with TLC mobility. Reaction solvents were freshly dried and distilled where stated: acetonitrile, toluene and dichloromethane from calcium hydride; MeOH from magnesium turnings and tetrahydrofuran from sodium wire. Alternatively, dichloromethane, tetrahydrofuran and MeOH were used as obtained from Pure-Solv drying solvent system. Anhydrous DMF and pyridine were used as purchased from Sigma-Aldrich. Molecular sieves are activated 4 Å molecular sieves. Semi-preparative HPLC was carried out using a Waters 600E HPLC system with a flow rate of 10 mL/min. The semi-preparative column used was reverse phase YMC-Pack ODS-AQ (S5µm, 250 x 20 mm). Wavelength for preparative HPLC was 259 nm.

Zemplén deacetylation Sodium methoxide in MeOH (1.0 M solution freshly prepared) was added to compound (2.5 mmol) in MeOH (25 mL) which had been precooled on an ice bath. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 $^{\circ}$ C for 50 min. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure and the residue was dissolved in water and acidified to pH 6 by addition of Amberlite-H⁺ resin. The resin was removed by filtration and the filtrate was freeze-dried to give the deacetylated product.

Allyl 2,4-di-*O*-acetyl-1-*O*-allyl-β-D-glucopyranosiduronate 13 Allyl alcohol (0.45 mL, 6.48 mmol) was added to trichloroacetimidate 12 (2.82 g, 5.89 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (68 mL) in the presence of molecular sieves, under N₂ and at room temp. The reaction mixture was stirred for 30 min and then cooled on an ice bath for 15 min. A solution of boron trifluoride etherate (0.37 mL, 2.94 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (4 mL) was then added slowly *via* cannula and the mixture stirred for 1.5 h on an ice-water bath that was allowed to attain room temp. The molecular sieves were removed by filtration and the filtrate washed with satd aq NaHCO₃, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure to give a white solid. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 2:1) gave the intermediate¹⁸ as a white solid (1.42 g, 64%); R_f = 0.55 (cyclohexane-EtOAc 1:1); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): δ = 5.90-5.77

(m, 1H, alkene CH=), 5.30-5.17 (m, 4H, overlapping H-4, H-3, CH₂=), 5.07-5.01 (m, 1H, H-2), 4.61 (d, J 7.5, 1H, H-1), 4.39-4.33 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 4.13-3.99 (m, 2H, overlapping OCH₂, H-5), 3.76 (s, 3 H, CO₂CH₃), 2.04, (s, 3H, OCOCH₃), 2.02 (s, 6 H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 170.1$, 169.4, 169.3 (CO), 167.3 (CO₂CH₃), 133.1 (alkene CH), 117.8 (alkene CH₂), 99.5, (C-1), 72.6, 72.1, 71.2, 70.1 (C-2 to C-5), 69.4 (OCH₂), 52.9, (CO₂CH₃), 20.6, 20.62, 20.05 (each OCOCH₃); LRMS (ES): 397.0 [M+Na]⁺. A solution of lithium hydroxide monohydrate in 0.4 M water-THF-MeOH (9:4:1; 7 mL) was added to this glycoside (143 mg, 0.38 mmol) and the mixture cooled on an ice bath and stirred for 2 h. Water was added and the solution acidified to pH 3 by addition of Amberlite-H⁺ resin. The resin was removed by filtration and lyophilisation gave the deprotected intermediate¹⁹ as a white solid (77 mg, 86%); ¹H-NMR (D₂O, 300 MHz): $\delta = 6.05-5.92$ (m, 1H, CH=), 5.42-5.28 (m, 2H, CH₂=), 4.56 (d, J 7.8, 1H, H-1), 4.43-4.19 (m, 2H, OCH₂), 3.91 (d, J 9.3, 1H, H-5), 3.61-3.50 (m, 2H, overlapping H-3, H-4), 3.38-3.32 (t, J 8.1, 1H, H-2); 13 C-NMR (D₂O, 75 MHz): $\delta = 173.5$ (CO₂H), 133.2 (CH), 118.8 (CH₂), 101.1 (d, C-1), 75.4, 75.0, 72.8, 71.4 (C-2 to C-5), 70.7 (OCH₂). This intermediate (1.34 g, 4.08 mmol) was suspended in acetic anhydride (15 mL) in the presence of molecular sieves (4Å) and stirred at 85 °C for 2 h. The solvent was coevaporated with toluene and the residue (brown oil) was dried under high vacuum. The oil was dissolved in cyclohexane-EtOAc (1:1), filtered to remove the solid material and the filtrate eluted through a short column of silica gel (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1) to give the 6,3-lactone intermediate as a colourless oil (888 mg, 72%);²⁰ $R_f = 0.57$ (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): $\delta = 5.91-5.77$ (m, 1H, CH=), 5.33-5.20 (m, 2H, CH₂=), 5.13-5.07 (m, 2H, overlapping H-2, H-3), 4.93 (s, 1H, H-1), 4.87-4.84 (t, J 3.9, 1H, H-4), 4.29-4.22 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 4.26 (d, J 3.0, 2H, H-5), 4.06-3.99 (m, 1 H, OCH₂), 2.18, 2.09 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); 13 C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 170.6, 169.7,$ 168.9 (each CO), 132.5 (CH), 118.6 (CH₂), 98.4 (C-1), 71.3, 69.1 (each CH), 68.7 (OCH₂), 68.1, 67.9 (each CH), 20.6, 20.5 (each CH₃); LRMS (ES): 323 [M+Na]⁺, 623 [2M+Na]⁺. Allyl alcohol (3 mL, 44 mmol) followed by NaOAc (100 mg, 1.22 mmol) were added to 12 (726 mg, 2.32 mmol) in dry THF (5 mL) in the presence of molecular sieves, at room temp and under N₂ and the mixture stirred at room temp for 30 h. The mixture was then filtered and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure. The residue (brown oil) was dissolved in dichloromethane (20 mL) and washed with brine. The aq phase was further extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 10 mL) and the combined organic extracts were dried (MgSO₄), filtered and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 2:1) of the residue gave 13 as a white solid (350 mg, 41%); $R_f = 0.44$ (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): δ = 5.96-5.77 (m, 2H, CH=), 5.37-5.10 (m, 5H, overlapping CH₂= and H-4), 4.93-4.88 (dd, J 7.5, 9.3, 1H, H-2), 4.68-4.53 (m overlapping with d, J 7.5, 3H, CO₂CH₂ and H-1), 4.37-4.30 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 4.11-4.04 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 3.99-3.96 (d, J 9.6, 1H, H-5), 3.80-3.72 (m, 1H, H-3), 2.89 (d, J 6.3, 1H, OH), 2.11, 2.06 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): δ = 170.6, 170.3, 167.0 (each CO), 133.3, 131.2 (each CH), 119.3, 117.6 (each CH₂), 99.4 (C-1), 73.7, 73.0, 72.7, 71.9 (C-2 to C-5), 70.0 (OCH₂), 66.5 (CO₂CH₂), 20.8, 20.7 (OCOCH₃); LRMS (ES): 381.1 [M+Na]⁺; IR (film from dichloromethane): 3510, 2958, 1753, 1373, 1226, 1132, 1085 cm⁻¹.

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deacetylation of 16²⁰ (940 mg, 2.61 mmol) gave a de-O-acetylated intermediate as a yellow foam (589 mg, 96%); $[\alpha]_{D} = +16.8$ (c 0.15, H₂O); ¹H-NMR (D₂O, 300 MHz): $\delta =$ 6.06-5.93 (m, 1H, CH=), 5.42-5.28 (m, 2H, CH₂=), 5.03 (d, J 3.9, 1H, H-1), 4.29-4.09 (m, 2H, OCH₂), 4.16 (d, J 10.2, 1H, H-5), 3.78-3.72 (t, J 9.3, 1H, H-3), 3.65-3.57 (dd, J 3.6, 9.6, 1H, H-2) overlapping with 3.60-3.54 (t, J 9.6, 1H, H-4); ¹³C-NMR (D₂O, 75 MHz): $\delta = 173.1$ (CO₂H), 133.3 (CH), 118.4 (CH₂), 97.6 (C-1), 72.6, 71.4, 70.8 (each CH), 69.0 (OCH₂); HRMS (ES): calcd 233.0661 [M-H]⁻, found 233.0654. This intermediate (1.56 g, 6.30 mmol) was added to acetic anhydride (23 mL) in the presence of molecular sieves and was then stirred at 85 °C for 2 h. The solvent was co-evaporated with toluene and the residue (brown oil) was dried at high vacuum. The oil was dissolved in cyclohexane-EtOAc (1:1), filtered, and the filtrate was passed through a short column of silica eluting with cyclohexane-EtOAc (1:1). This gave a 6,3-lactone intermediate as a yellow oil (1.63 g, 86%); $R_f = 0.55$ (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1); ¹H-NMR $(CDCl_3, 300 \text{ MHz}): \delta = 5.90-5.77 \text{ (m, 1H, CH=)}, 5.43-5.41 \text{ (dd, J } 3.3, 3.9, 1H, H-2),$ 5.31-5.23 (m, 2H, CH₂=), 5.15-5.12 (td, J 4.2, 0.9, 1H, H-3), 5.00-4.99 (d, J 3.0, 1H, H-1), 4.82-4.79 (m, 1H, H-4), 4.44-4.37 (m and overlapping d, 3H, J 2.4, OCH₂, and H-5), 4.17-4.10 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 2.31, 2.11 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 169.4$, 168.2, 167.3 (each CO), 131.7 (CH), 117.3 (CH₂), 93.9 (C-1), 72.2 (CH), 70.0 (OCH₂), 69.5, 67.5, 65.2 (each CH), 19.5, 18.6 (each OCOCH₃); LRMS (ES): $301.0 [M+H]^+$, $623 [2M+Na]^+$. Allyl alcohol (2.5 mL, 36.7 mmol) was added to the 6,3 lactone (1.63 g, 5.33 mmol) in dry THF (8 mL) in the presence of NaOAc (217 mg, 2.65 mmol) and molecular sieves at room temp and under N₂ and the mixture stirred for 24 h. Filtration and removal of the solvent under diminished pressure gave a brown oil. This oil was dissolved in dichloromethane (30 mL), washed with brine, the aq phase was further extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 15 mL) and the combined organic extracts were dried (MgSO₄), filtered and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure. Chromatography of the residue (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 2:1) gave **17** as a white solid (1.03 g, 75 %); $[\alpha]_D = +20.8$ (*c* 0.18, CHCl₃); $R_f = 0.45$ (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): $\delta = 5.98$ -5.78 (m, 2H, CH=), 5.39-5.20 (m, 4H, CH₂=), 5.17-5.15 (d, J 3.6, 1H, H-1), 5.11-5.04 (t, J 9.6, 1H, H-4), 4.83-4.79 (dd, J 3.9, 10.2, 1H, H-2), 4.69-4.55 (m, 2H, CO₂CH₂), 4.31-4.28 (d, J 10.2, 1H, H-5), 4.25-4.09 (m and overlapping t, 3H, J 9.6, OCH₂ and H-3), 4.06-3.99 (m, 1H, OCH₂), 2.45 (d, J 5.4, 1H, OH), 2.13, 2.08 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 170.7$, 170.4, 167.8 (each CO), 133.0, 131.2 (each CH), 118.5, 118.2 (each CH₂=), 95.4 (C-1), 72.9, 72.0, 69.4 (each CH), 69.1 (OCH₂), 68.7 (CH), 66.6 (CO₂CH₂), 20.9, 20.8 (each OCOCH₃); HRMS (ES): [M+H]⁺ calcd 359.1342, found 359.1349; IR (film from dichloromethane): 3480, 2996, 1748, 1374, 1230, 1050 cm⁻¹.

2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-acetyl-α-D-mannopyranosyl-(1→3)-2,4-di-O-acetyl-1-O-allyl-α-D-

glucopyranosiduronic acid 18 The allyl ester **17** (363 mg, 1.01 mmol) and **15** (550 mg, 1.12 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (24 mL) and in presence of molecular sieves were stirred at room temp and under N_2 for 20 min. The reaction mixture was cooled on an ice bath and to it 0.04 M TMSOTf in dry dichloromethane (2.5 mL, 0.1 mmol) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred on an ice bath for 30 min and solid NaHCO₃ (250 mg) was added and stirring continued for 5 min. The mixture was filtered

and the solvent removed under diminished pressure. Chromatography (dichloromethane-EtOAc 5:1) gave a protected disaccharide as a white solid (465 mg, 65%); $[\alpha]_{\rm D} = +9.68$ (c 0.32, CHCl₃); $R_f = 0.6$ (dichloromethane-EtOAc 5:1); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): $\delta = 5.99-5.78$ (m, 2H, CH=), 5.40-5.39 (dd, J 1.2, 2.7, 1H, CH₂=), 5.35-5.16 (m, 7H, overlapping CH₂=, H-4 GlcA, H-1 GlcA, H-3 Man, H-4 Man), 5.07-5.06 (m, 2H, overlapping H-1 Man, H-2 Man), 4.90-4.85 (dd, J 3.9, 10.2, 1H, H-2 GlcA), 4.70-4.52 (m, 2H, CO₂CH₂), 4.30-3.88 (m, 7H, overlapping H-5 Man, H-6_a Man, H6_b Man, H-3 GlcA, H-5 GlcA, OCH₂), 2.15, 2.12, 2.11, 2.04, 2.03, 1.98 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): δ = 170.7, 170.0, 169.8, 169.7, 169.68, 169.6, 167.5 (each CO), 132.8, 131.1 (each CH), 119.6, 118.4 (each CH₂), 98.2 (C-1 Man), 95.0 (C-1 GlcA), 75.2, 71.5, 70.9, 69.7, 69.3 (each CH), 69.0 (OCH₂), 68.7, 68.5 (CH), 66.7 (CO₂CH₂), 65.7 (CH), 62.1 (C-6 Man), 20.8, 20.7 (2s), 20.6 (each COCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 711.2112 [M+Na]⁺, found 711.2088; IR (film from dichloromethane): 3352, 2958, 1746, 1605, 1524, 1431, 1371, 1229 cm⁻¹. Removal of the allyl ester from this disaccharide intermediate (217 mg, 0.315 mmol) as described for 14 gave 18 as a pale yellow foam (98 mg, 48%); $[\alpha]_{D} = +15.0$ (c 0.28, CHCl₃); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz): $\delta = 5.89-5.78$ (m, 1H, CH=), 5.34-5.17 (m, 7H, overlapping of alkene CH₂=, H-4 GlcA, H-1 GlcA, H-3 Man, H-4 Man, CO₂H), 5.08-5.07 (m, 2H, overlapping of H-1Man, H-2 Man), 4.89-4.85 (dd, J 3.6, 9.6, 1H, H-2 GlcA), 4.31-4.28 (d, J 9.6, 1H, H-5 GlcA), 4.26-4.01 (m, 6H, overlapping H-5 Man, H-6a Man, H6b Man, H-3 GlcA, OCH₂O, 2.15, 2.13 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃), 2.11(s, 6H, OCOCH₃), 2.03, 1.98 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 170.3$, 170.1, 169.9, 169.8, 169.7 (each CO), 132.8 (d, CH), 118.5 (t, CH₂), 98.2 (C-1 Man), 94.9 (C-1 GlcA), 75.1, 71.5, 70.7, 69.6, 69.2 (each d, CH), 69.1 (t, OCH₂), 68.6, 65.8 (each d, CH), 62.2 (t, C-6 Man), 20.9, 20.8, 20.7 (3s), 20.6 (each q, OCOCH₃); HRMS (ES): [M-H]⁻ calcd 647.1823, found 647.1819; IR (film from dichloromethane): 3541, 2962, 1748, 1431, 1372, 1226, 1141 cm⁻¹.

1,4-Di-[(N-(1-methoxycarbonyl)methylamino-2-oxoethyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 3)-2,4-di-O-acetyl-1-O-allyl- α -D-glucopyranuronamido]-

The Ugi reaction of 18 (98 mg, 0.151 mmol) as described for 14 gave, benzene 21a after chromatography (dichloromethane-MeOH, 98:2), 21a as an off-white solid (81 mg, 72%); $[\alpha]_D = +14.3$ (c 0.5, CHCl₃); $R_f = 0.35$ (dichloromethane-MeOH, 95:5); ¹H-NMR $(CDCl_3, 300 \text{ MHz})$: $\delta = 7.54$ (s, 4H, aromatic H), 6.88-6.85 (br t, 2H, NH), 5.99-5.60 (m, 2H, CH=), 5.49-5.42 (t, J 9.3, 2H, H-4 GlcA), 5.28-5.22 (t, J 9.9, 2H, H-4 Man) overlapping with 5.22-5.15 (m, 6H, overlapping of alkene CH₂= and H-3 Man), 5.06-5.04 (t, J 4.8, 2H, H-2 Man), 4.96-4.91 (m, 4H, overlapping of H-1 GlcA, H-1 Man), 4.69-4.65 (dd, J 3.3, J 10.2, 2H, H-2 GlcA), 4.58-4.53 (d, J 15.3, 2H, NCH₂CONH), 4.36-4.33 (d, J 9.9, 2H, H-5 GlcA), 4.21-3.95 (m, 14H, overlapping NHCH₂CO, H-5 Man, H-6_a Man, H6_b Man, H-3 GlcA, NCH₂CONH), 3.86-3.66 (m, 10H, overlapping OCH₂, CO₂CH₃), 2.17, 2.12, 2.07, 2.04, 2.02, 1.87 (each s, 3H, OCOCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz): $\delta = 170.9, 170.3, 170.2, 170.1, 169.9, 169.8, 169.4, 168.0, 167.6$ (each CO), 142.4 (aromatic C), 133.0 (alkene CH), 129.8 (aromatic CH), 118.4 (alkene CH₂), 98.5 (C-1 Man), 95.3 (C-1 GlcA), 75.7, 71.8, 71.6, 70.9, 69.9, 69.5 (each CH), 68.9 (OCH₂), 68.2, 66.1 (each CH), 62.4 (C-6 Man), 54.6 (NCH₂CONH), 52.4 (CO₂CH₃), 41.3 (NHCH₂CO₂CH₃), 21.1, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8 (2s), 20.7 (each OCOCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 1649.5029 [M+Na]⁺, found 1649.5031; IR (film from dichloromethane): 3589, 3352, 2996, 1747, 1670, 1437, 1372, 1223, 1041 cm⁻¹.

1,4-Di-[(N-(1-methoxycarbonyl)methylamino-2-oxoethyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 3)-2,4-di-O-acetyl-1-azido-1-deoxy- β -D-

glucopyranuronamido]-benzene 22a The Ugi reaction of 19²¹ (62 mg, 0.098 mmol) as described for 14 gave, after chromatography (EtOAc-MeOH, 99:1), 22a as a white amorphous solid (48 mg, 62%); R_f 0.52 (EtOAc: MeOH, 1:9); $[\alpha]_D$ + 37.2 (c 0.57, CHCl₃); ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): § 7.59 (s, 4H, aromatic H), 6.83 (t, J 5.5, 2H, NHCH₂), 5.45 (t, J 9.4, 2H, H-4, GlcA), 5.28 (t, J 10.1, 2H, H-4 Man), 5.12 (dd, J 10.1, 3.3 Hz, 2H, H-3 Man), 5.07 (dd, J 3.0, 2.1, 2H, H-2 Man), 4.86 (d, J 1.4, 2H, H-1 Man), 4.81 (t, J 9.0, 2H, H-2 GlcA), 4.54 (d, J 15.6, 2H, NCH₂CO₂Me), 4.28-4.23 (m, 4H, overlapping NCH₂CO₂Me, H-1 GlcA), 4.16 (dd, J 12.6, 3.7, 2H, H-6a Man), 4.13-3.97 (m, 8H, overlapping H-6b Man, NHCH₂CO₂Me, H-5 GlcA), 3.95 (td, J 10.2, 2.8, 2H, H-5 Man), 3.80 (t, J 9.3, 2H, H-3 GlcA), 3.74 (s, 6H, OCH₃), 2.16, 2.12, 2.08, 2.06, 2.01, 1.95 (each s, each 6H, COCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.8, 170.2 (2s), 169.8, 169.7, 169.3, 168.0, 165.8 (each CO), 141.9 (aromatic C), 129.6 (aromatic CH), 99.7 (C-1 Man), 83.3, 80.5, 73.5, 71.4, 70.3, 70, 69.6, 69.0, 65.5 (C-1 GlcA, C2-5 GlcA and Man), 62 (C-6 Man), 54.6 (CH₂), 52.5 (OCH₃), 41.4 (CH₂), 21.0 (3s), 20.9 (2s), 20.8 (each COCH₃); LRMS (ES): 1597.4 [M+H]⁺, 1619.5 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ES): Calcd 1619.4533 [M+Na]⁺, found 1619.4469. IR (film on NaCl): 2123, 1751, 1672, 1438, 1375, $1222, 1040 \text{ cm}^{-1}$.

Di-(α-D-mannopyranosyl)-tetraethylene ether 11 To imidate 15 (0.397 g, 0.81 mmol) in dry CH₂Cl₂ (6 mL) and in the presence of 4 Å molecular sieves was added tetraethylene glycol (69 µL, 0.4 mmol). The reaction was stirred for 30 min at room temp before cooling to 0 °C and for a further 20 min before the dropwise addition of BF₃OEt₂ (50 μ L, 0.4 mmol). The reaction was then stirred for 16 h, diluted with CH₂Cl₂ (10 mL), NaHCO₃ (solid, 15 mg) added, and left to stir for a further 5 min before filtering through celite. Removal of solvent under diminished pressure gave a yellow oil. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1, then dichloromethane-EtOAc, 1:9) gave the dimeric glycoside as a clear oil (0.078 g, 23%); R_f 0.38, (EtOAc: CH₂Cl₂, 4:1), $[\alpha]_D$ + 37.2 (c 0.85, CHCl₃); ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.34 (dd, J 10.0, 3.5, 2H, H-3), 5.27 (t, J 11.8, 2H, H-4), 5.25 (dd, J 3.4, 1.7, 2H, H-2), 4.86 (d, J 1.5, 2H, H-1), 4.28 (dd, J 12.2, 5.0, 2H, H-6a), 4.09 (dd, J 12.2, 2.4, 2H, H-6b), 4.05 (ddd, J = 7.2, 5.1, 2.6, 2H, H-5), 3.70-3.62 (m, 16H, 8 OCH₂), 2.14, 2.09, 2.03, 1.97 (each s, each 6H, COCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.8, 170.2, 170.1, 169.9 (each COCH₃), 98.0 (C-1), 71.0, 70.9, 70.2 (each OCH₂), 69.8, 69.3, 69.7, 66.44, C-2-5), 67.6 (OCH₂) 62.7 (C-6), 21.1, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8 (each COCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 855.3134 $[M+H]^+$, found 855.3152 [M+Na]⁺; calcd 877.2954, found 877.2956. IR (film on NaCl): 3451, 1745, 1370, 1225, 1137, 1085, 1049 cm⁻¹. This dimer (93.7 mg, 0.11 mmol) was dissolved in MeOH-water (1:1, 5 mL), to which was added dropwise a solution of 0.14 M LiOH in MeOH-water-THF (5:2:1, 1 mmol) at 0 °C. After 4 h NaH₂PO₄ (1 M) was added and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure. Chromatograpy of the residue (EtOAc to EtOAc-MeOH, 9:1) gave 11 as a clear syrup (41 mg, 71%); R_f 0.19 (EtOAc: MeOH, 1:1), $[\alpha]_D$ + 29 (c 1.5, MeOH); ¹H-NMR (300 MHz, D₂O): δ 4.91 (d, J 1.4, 2H, H-1), 3.98 (dd, J 3.2, 69.8, 69.7, (each OCH₂) 66.9 (CH), 66.6 (t, OCH₂) 61.1 (t, C-6); LRMS (ES): 541.0 $[M+Na]^+$. HRMS (ES): calcd 541.2108, found 541.2117 $[M+Na]^+$.

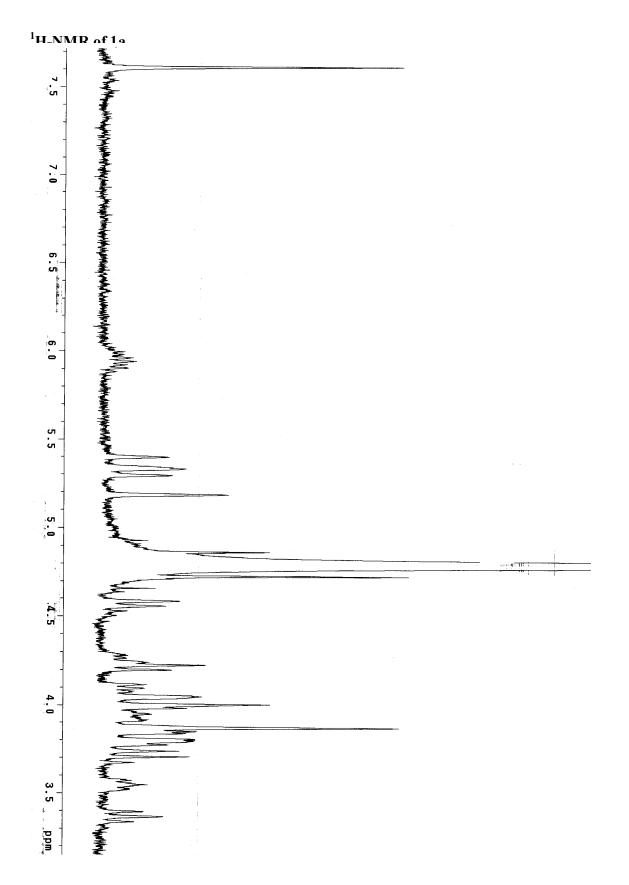
2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-acetyl-α-D-mannopyranosyl-(1→3)-1,2:5,6-di-isopropylidene-β -

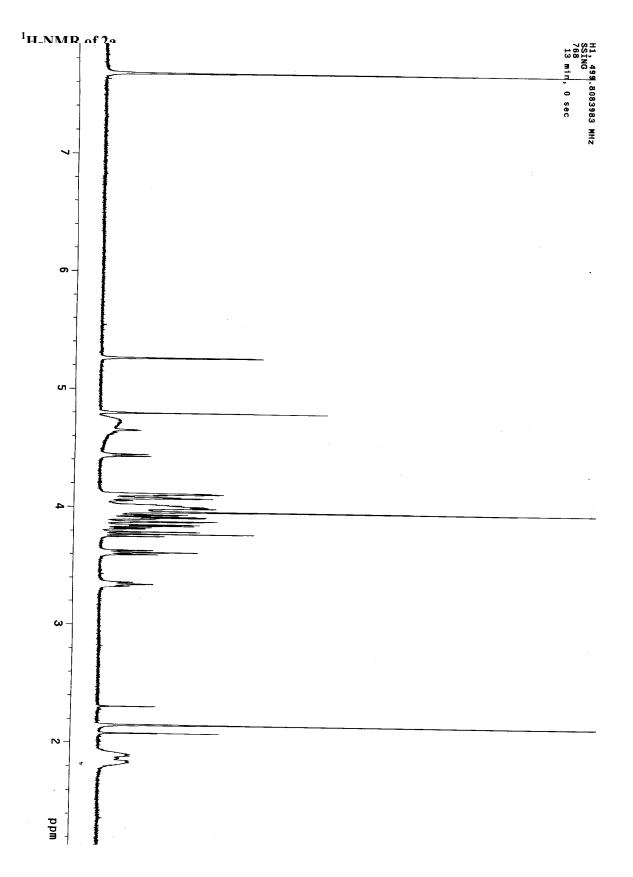
D-glucofuranoside 24 Trichloroacetimidate 15 (2.38 g, 4.854 mmol) and 1,2:5,6-di-Oisopropylidene- α -D-glucofuranose (1.053 g, 4.045 mmol) were dried together under vacuum for 2 h in the presence of 4Å molecular sieves (3.5 g). To this mixture was added dry dichloromethane (10 mL) and the solution was stirred at room temp for 2 h. TMSOTf (75 µL, 0.4045 mmol) was added dropwise at -20 °C under N₂ and after 10 min NaHCO₃ (solid, 0.03 g) was added. The mixture was stirred for 10 min, filtered through celite and the solvent was removed. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 3:1 to 2.5:1 to 2:1) gave 24 as a white foam (1.84 g, 64%); R_f 0.56, (Cy: EtOAc, 1:1); $[\alpha]_D$ + 24.1 (c 0.78, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.91 (d, J 3.6, 1H, H-1 Glc), 5.32-5.22 (m, 3H, H-2 to H-4 Man), 5.11 (s, 1H, H-1 Man), 4.58 (d, J 3.6, 1H, H-2 Glc), 4.30-4.26 (m, 2H, overlapping H-3 Glc and H-6a Man), 4.22-4.13 (m, 3H, overlapping signals of H-5 Glc, H-6b Man, H-6b Glc), 4.05 (dd, J 8.5, 2.9 Hz, 1H, H-4, Glc), 4.04-4.02 (m, 1H, H-5 Man), 3.95 (dd, J 8.4, 5.2, 1H, H-6 Glc), 2.14, 2.10, 2.05, 1.98 (each s, 3H, COCH₃), 1.49, 1.38, 1.32, 1.29 (each s, 3H, OCCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.8, 170.0, 169.9, 169.7 (each COCH₃), 112.3, 109.6 (each OCO), 105.4 (C-1 Glc), 98.9 (C-1 Man), 84.0 (C-2), 81.7, 81.6 (C-3 and C-4 Glc), 72.4 (C-5 Glc), 69.5 (C-5 Man), 69.2 (C-4 Man), 69.0 (C-2 Man), 68 (C-6 Glc), 66.6 (C-3 Man), 62.9 (C-6 Man), 27.1, 27.0, 26.5, 25.2 (each OCCH₃) 21.0, 20.9 (2s), 20.8 (each COCH₃); LRMS (ES): HRMS (ES): calcd 613.2108 $[M+Na]^+$, found 613.2092 . Anal. calcd. for C₂₆H₃₈O₁₅: C, 52.88; H, 6.49; Found: C, 52.59; H, 6.28. IR (KBr): 2990, 2941, 1736, 1375, 1225, 1141, 1079, 1046, 850 cm⁻¹.

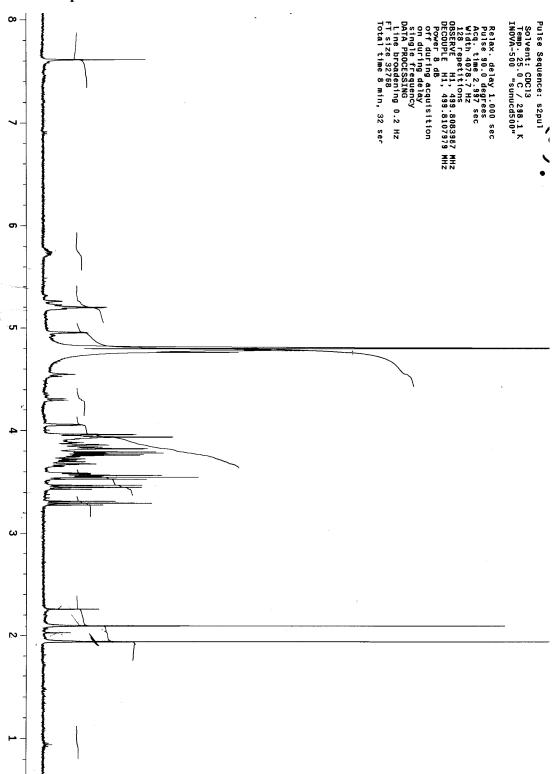
2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-acetyl-α-D-mannopyranosyl-(1→3)-2,4,6-tri-O-acetyl-β-

D-glucopyranosyl amine 25 A solution of 24 (0.94 g, 1.59 mmol) in 80% acetic acid (50 mL) was heated at 100 °C for 5 h and was then concentrated under reduced pressure. The excess acetic acid was azeotropically removed by coevaporation with MeOH (10 mL x 2), and then CH_2Cl_2 (10 mL x 2) to give the intermediate as a white foam (89%); LRMS (ES): 509.2 (M-H), HRMS (ES): 533.1498 (M+Na)⁺. This intermediate was dissolved in pyridine: acetic anhydride (1:1, 10 mL) and stirred overnight at room temp. The volatile components were removed under diminished pressure and any remaining excess volatile reagents were azeotropically removed with toluene (10 mL x 2) and then CH₂Cl₂ (10 mL x 2). The organic layer was extracted with EtOAc, washed with H₂O, dried (MgSO₄) and the solvent was removed. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 4:1 to 1:1) gave the per-O-acetylated intermediate as a white foam (0.274 g, 78% for two steps); R_f 0.59 (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1), $[\alpha]_D$ + 48.1 (c 1.41, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, $\alpha\alpha:\alpha\beta$, 1.3:1) data for the α isomer: δ 6.31 (d, J 3.7, 1H, H-1 Glc), 5.30 (t, J 10.1, 1H, H-4 Man), 5.24-5.12 (m, 3H, overlapping signals of H-4 Glc, H-3 Man), 5.07 (dd, J 3.2, 2.0, 1H, H-2 Man), 5.05 (dd, J 9.9, 3.7, 1H, H-2 Glc), 5.00 (d, J 1.9, 1H, H-1 Man), 4.26-3.96 (m, 7H, overlapping signals of H-5,6 Glc and Man, H-3 Glc); selected peaks for the β isomer: δ 5.62 (d, J 8.1, 1H, H-1 Glc), 5.32 (t, J 10.1, 1H, H-4 Man), 5.09 (dd, J 3.2, 2.2, 1H, H-2 Man), 4.93 (d, J 2.0, 1H, H-1 Man) 3.89 (t, J 9.3, 1H, H-3 Glc), 3.73 (ddd, J 10.0, 4.7, 2.4, 1H, H-5 Glc), ¹³C-NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 170.9, 170.8 (2s), 170.2 (2s), 169.8 (2s), 169.7 (3s), 169.3 (2s), 168.8, 99.8, 98.9, 92.1, 89.5, 81.4, 77.4, 73.1, 71.5, 70.9, 70.3, 70.0, 69.9, 69.7, 69.0, 68.9, 68.7, 68.6, 65.8, 65.5, 62.3, 61.9, 61.8, 21.1, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7; HRMS (ES): calcd 701.1905 [M+Na]⁺, found 701.1915. Anal. Calcd. for C₂₈H₃₈O₁₉: C, 49.56; H, 5.64; Found: C, 49.27; H, 5.50. IR (KBr): 2966, 1753, 1437, 1374, 1227, 1141, 1041 cm⁻¹. This peracetate (0.615 g, 0.907 mmol) was dissolved in dry CH₂Cl₂ (7 mL) under an atmosphere of N₂. To this solution at room temp was added azidotrimethylsilane (0.3 mL, 2.27 mmol) followed SnCl₄ (0.05 mL, 0.45 mmol, dropwise). The reaction was stirred for 15 h at room temp and then diluted with dichloromethane (10 mL) and satd NaHCO₃ (15 mL) was added and the mixture stirred for 1 h. The mixture was extracted with CH₂Cl₂, washed with satd NaHCO₃ (2 x 20 mL), H₂O (2 x 20 mL), dried (MgSO₄) and the solvent removed. Chromatography of the residue (cyclohexane-EtOAc gradient elution, 3:1 to 1:1) gave the glycosyl azide as a white foam (0.384 g, 64%); R_f 0.28, (cyclohexane-EtOAc, 1:1); $[\alpha]_D$ -7.5 (1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.29 (t, J 10.1, 1H, H-4 Man) 5.14 (dd, J 9.9, 9.6, H-4 Glc) 5.09 (dd, J 10.1, 3.3, 1H, H-3 Man), 5.04 (dd, J = 3.3, 2.1, 1H, H-2 Man), 4.95 (t, J9.1, 1H, H-2 Glc), 4.89 (d, J 2.0, 1H, H-1 Man), 4.44 (d, J 8.9, 1H, H-1 Glc), 4.21 (dd, J 12.5, 4.9, 1H, H-6b Glc), 4.16 (dd, J 12.6, 3.7, 1H, H-6a Glc), 4.11 (dd, J 12.6, 2.5, 1H, H-6a Man), 4.07 (dd, J 12.6, 2.4, 1H, H-6b Man), 3.95 (ddd, J = 10.1, 3.4, 2.5, 1H, H-5 Man), 3.82 (t, J = 9.4, 1H, H-3 Glc), 3.66 (ddd, J = 10.1, 4.8, 2.5, 1H, H-5 Glc), 2.13, 2.12, 2.11, 2.08, 2.07, 1.99, 1.93 (each s, each 3H, COCH₃); ¹³C-NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.9, 170.8, 170.3, 169.8 (2s), 169.7, 169.5 (each COCH₃), 99.8 (C-1 Man), 88.1 (C-1 Glc), 81.6 (C-3 Glc), 74.4 (C-5 Glc), 71.9 (C-2 Glc), 70.0, 69.7, 69.0, 68.6, (C-2,3,5 Man, C-4 Glc), 65.4, (C-4 Man), 62.0, 61.9 (C6 Glc and Man), 21.2, 21.1, 21.0, 20.9 (2s), 20.8 (each COCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 684.1864 [M+Na]⁺, found 684.1882;

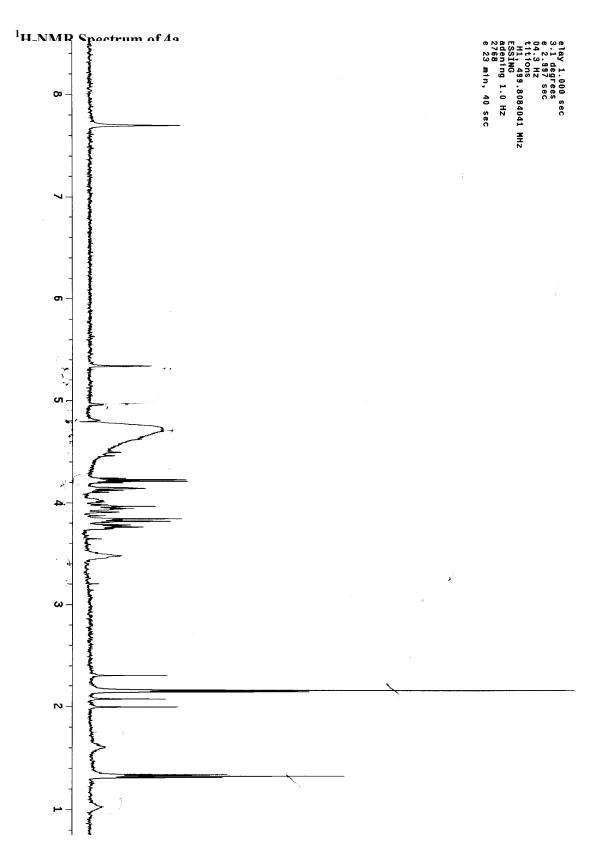
20.9 (2s), 20.8 (each COCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 684.1864 [M+Na]⁺, found 684.1882; calcd 660.1888 [M-H]⁻, found 660.1884. IR (KBr): 3232, 2927, 2852, 2122, 1751, 1627, 1375, 1226, 1041 cm⁻¹. This glycosyl azide (0.108 g, 0.163 mmol) was dissolved in EtOAc (10 mL) to which was added 10% Pd-C (15 mg) and the mixture stirred for 16 h under H₂. The solution was then filtered through celite and the solvent removed under diminished pressure. Chromatography (cyclohexane-EtOAc gradient elution, 1:1 to 3:2 then dichloromethane-EtOAc, 9:1) gave 25 as a white foam (81 mg, 78%); R_f 0.23 (EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂, 9:1); $[\alpha]_D$ +18.2 (c 1.9, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, $\beta:\alpha$, 82:18): δ (β-anomer, 25) 5.29 (t, J 10.1, 1H, H-4 Man), 5.13 (dd, J 10.1, 3.3, 1H, H-3 Man), 5.09 (t, J 9.7, 1H, H-4 Glc), 5.06 (dd, J 3.2, 2.2, 1H, H-2 Man), 4.94 (d, J 1.9, 1H, H-1 Glc), 4.80 (t, J 9.2, 1H, H-2 Glc), 4.22-4.15 (m, 2H, overlapping H-6b Man and Glc), 4.10-4.04 (m, 3H, overlapping H-6a Man and Glc, H-1 Glc), 4.00 (ddd, J 10.1, 3.6, 2.6, 1H, H-5 Man), 3.84 (t, J 9.3, 1H, H-3 Glc), 3.55 (ddd, J 10.1, 4.9, 2.4, 1H, H-5 Glc), 2.13 (2s), 2.10 (2s), 2.08, 2.01, 1.95 (each s, 3H, $COCH_3$); selected NMR data for the α anomer 5.17 (dd, J 10.1, 3.3, 1H), 4.97 (d, J 1.8, 1H), 4.27 (ddd, J 9.8, 4.6, 2.8, 1H); ¹³C-NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.8, 170.6, 170.3, 170.1, 169.7, 169.6, 169.5, (each COCH₃), 99.2 (C-1 Man) 85.2 (C-1 Glc), 81.5 (C-3 Glc) 73.4 (d, C-2 Glc), 72.9 (C-5 Glc), 69.6, 69.6, 69.5 (C-2,5 Man, C-4 Glc), 68.9 (C-3 Man), 65.4 (C-4 Glc), 62.4 (C-6 Glc), 61.9 (C-6 Man) 21.1, 20.9, 20.8, 20.7 (2s), 20.6 (each COCH₃); HRMS (ES): calcd 658.1959 [M+Na]⁺, found 658.1957 [M+Na]⁺. Anal calcd for C₂₆H₃₇NO₁₇: C, 49.13; H, 5.87; N, 2.20; Found: C, 48.53; H, 5.90; N, 1.90. IR (KBr) 3429, 2920, 2361, 1759, 1375, 1234, 1136, 1071, 1040 cm⁻¹; LRMS: 636.2 [M+H]⁺.



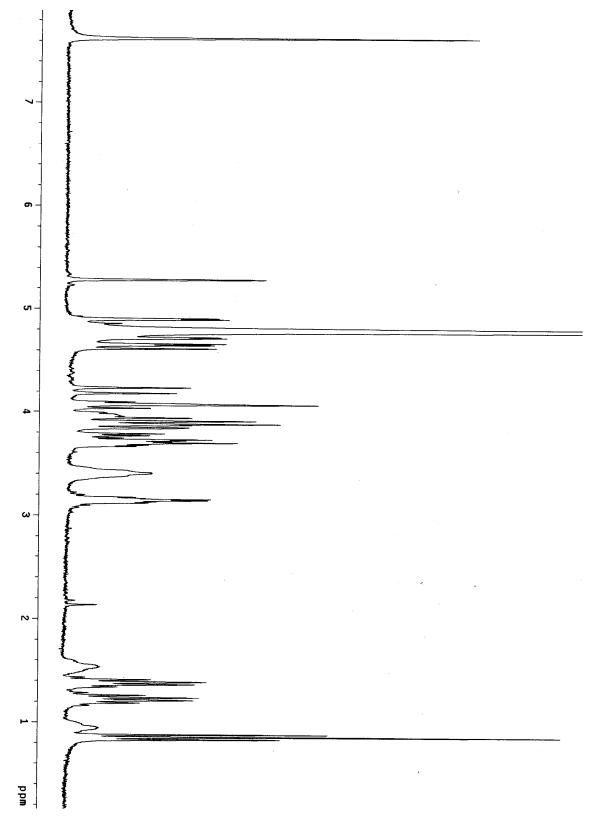


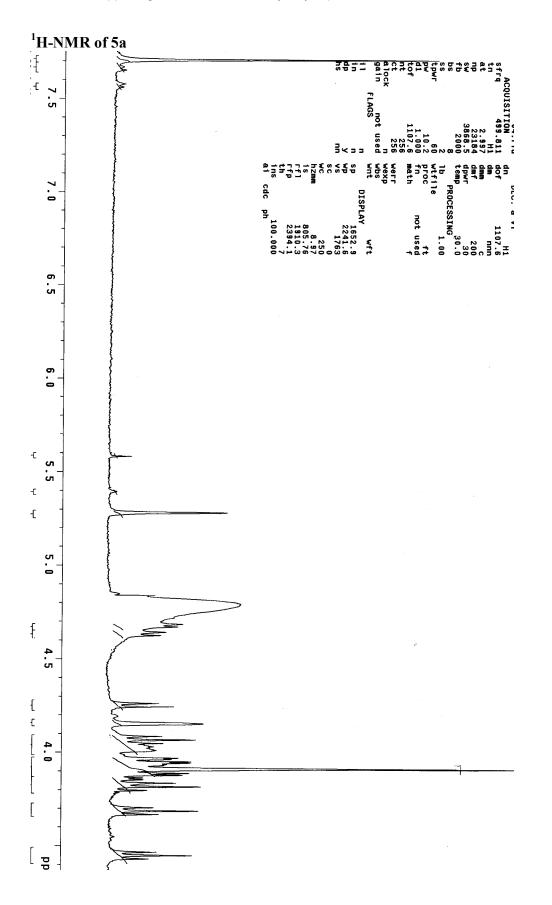


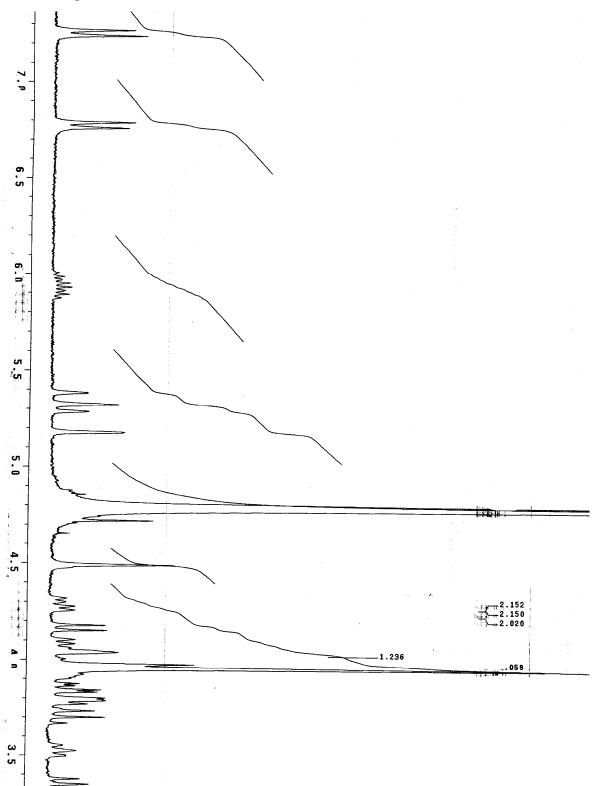
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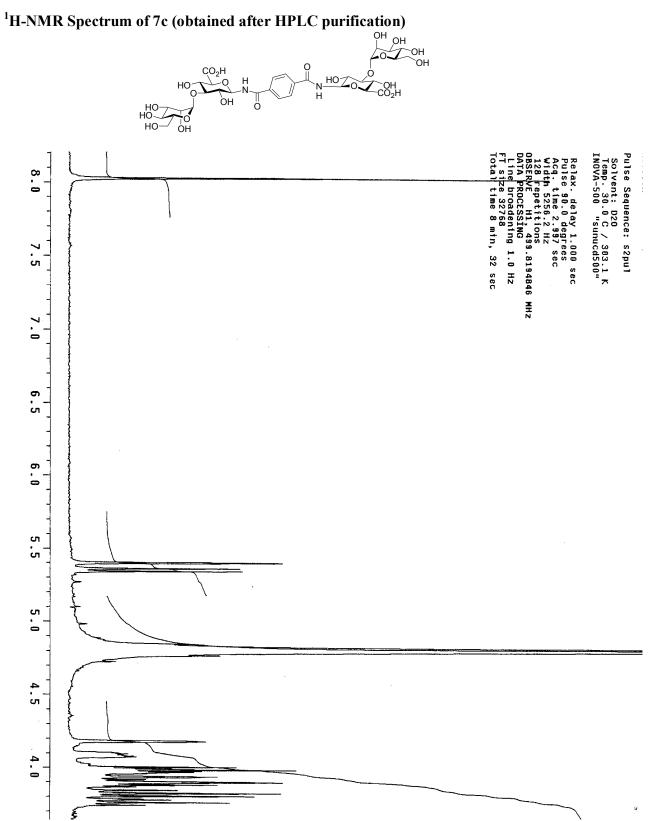




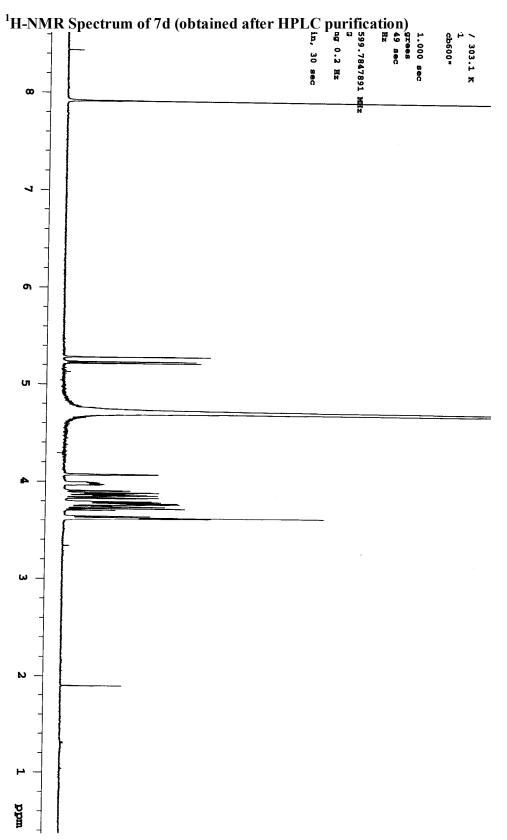


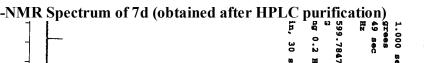


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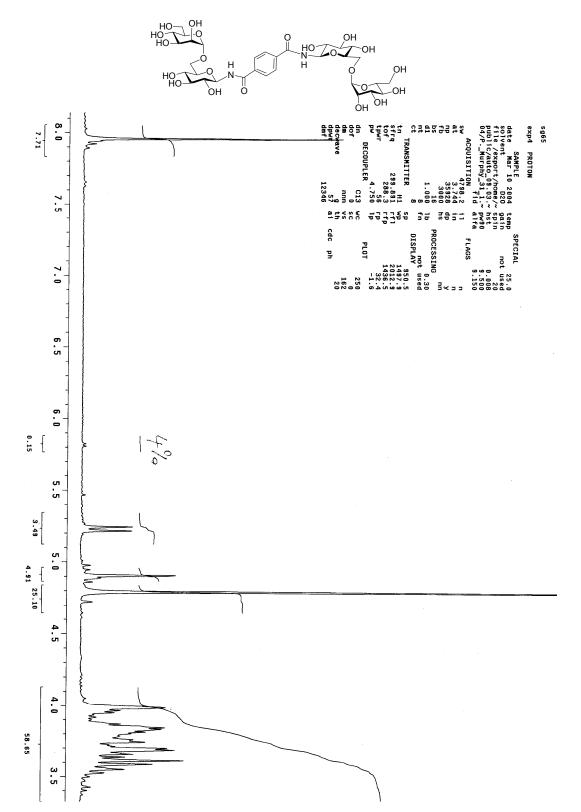


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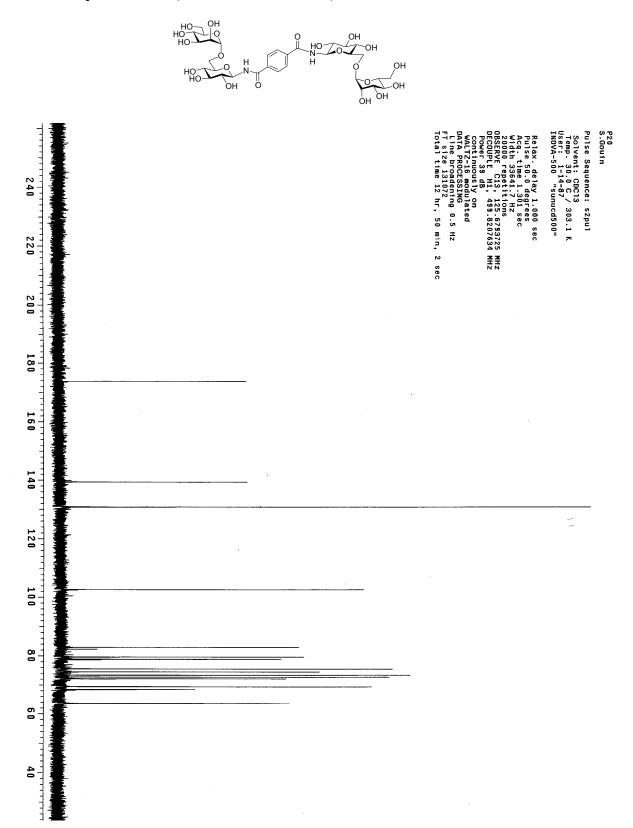
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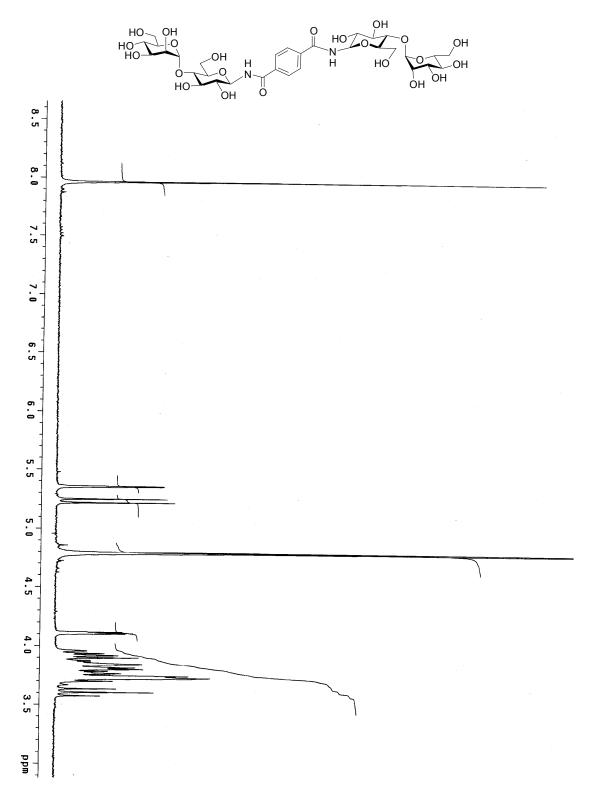
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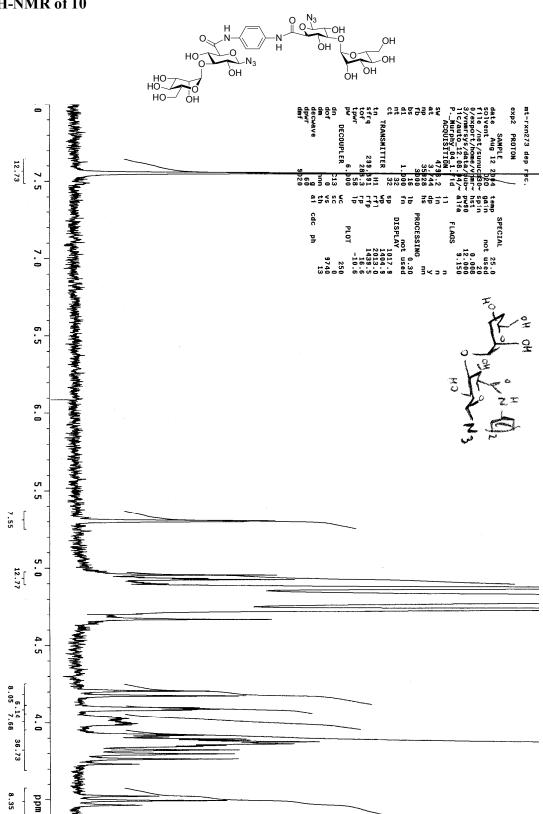
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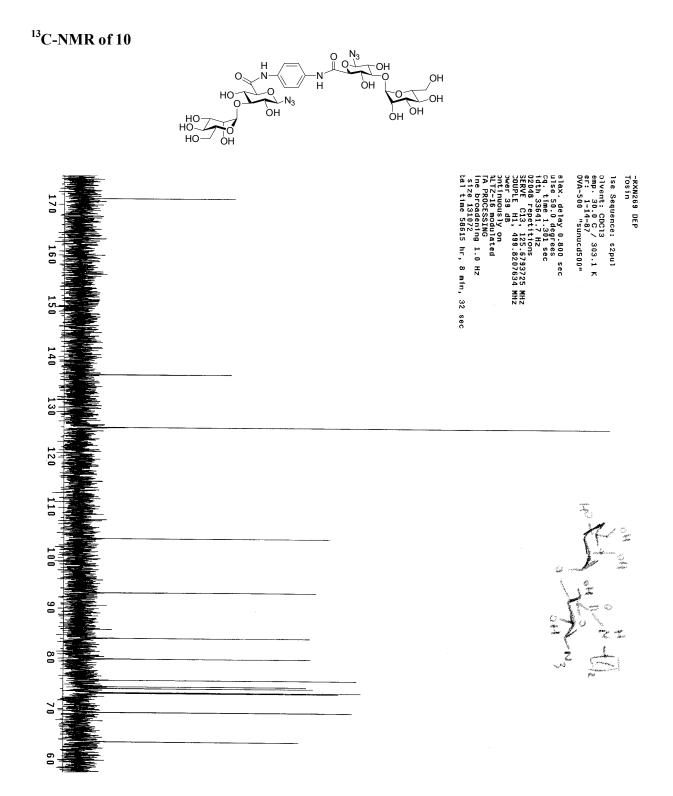
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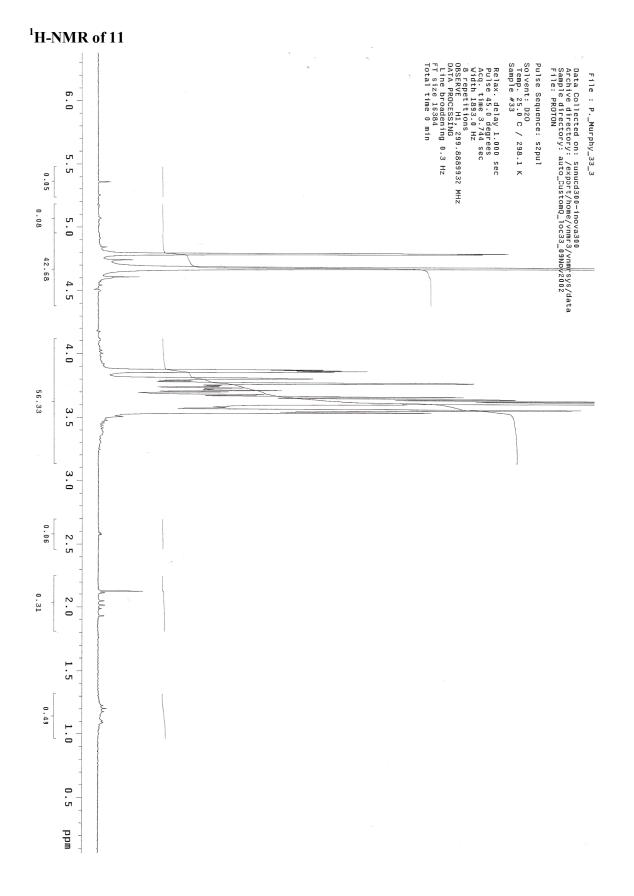
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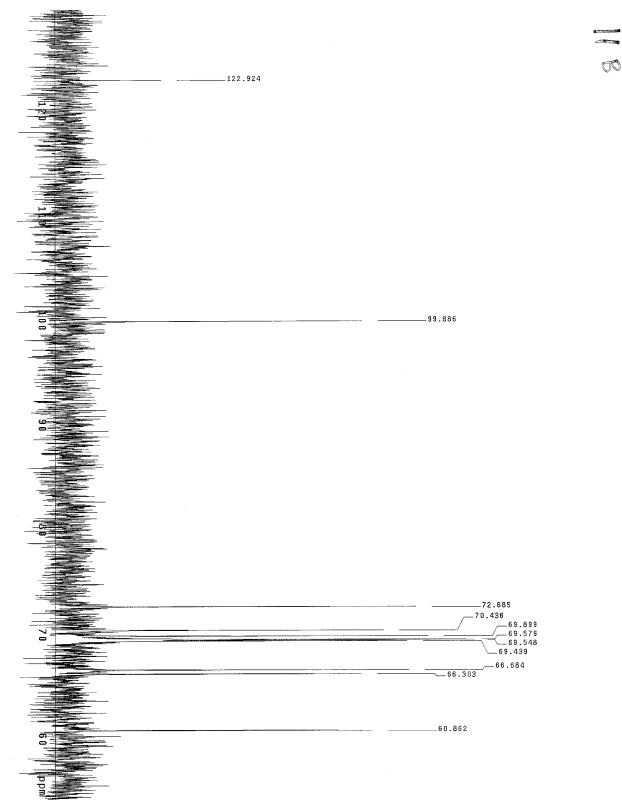
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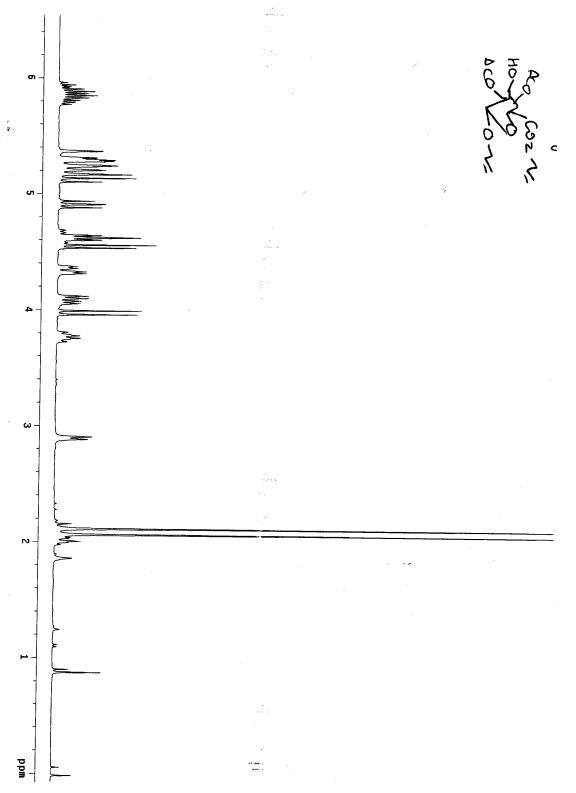


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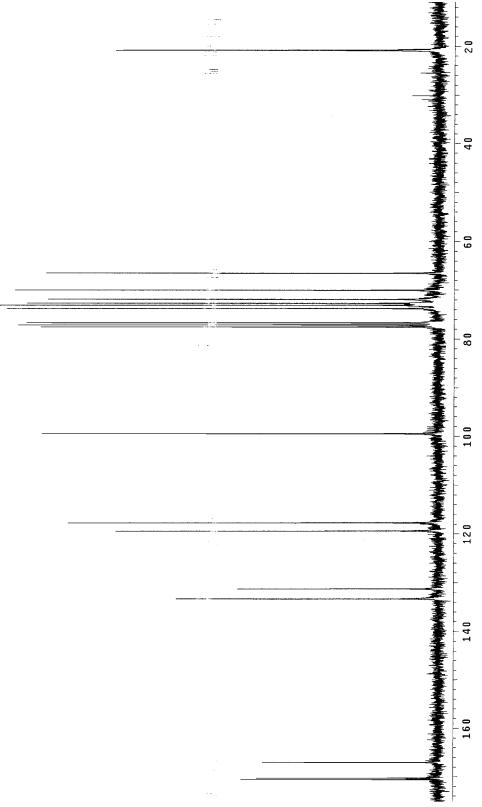


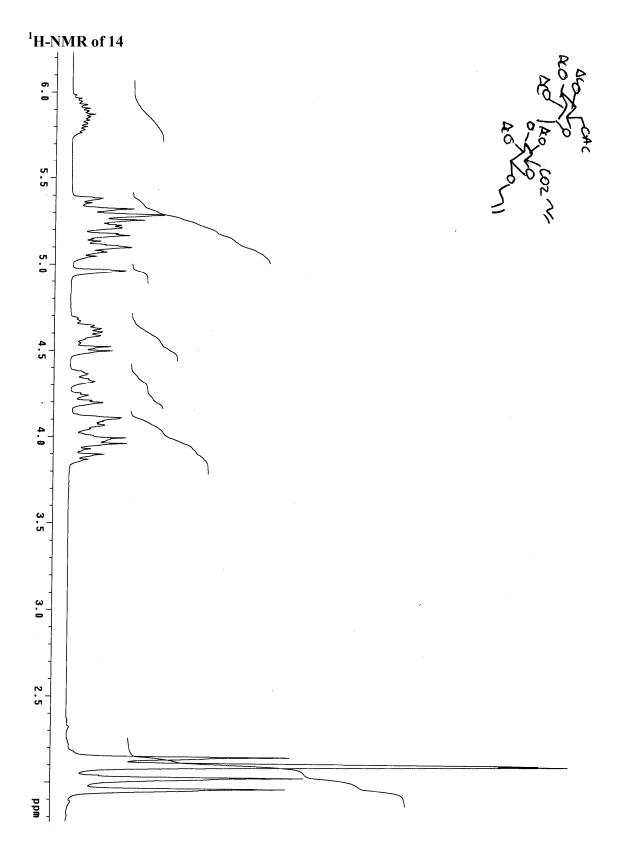




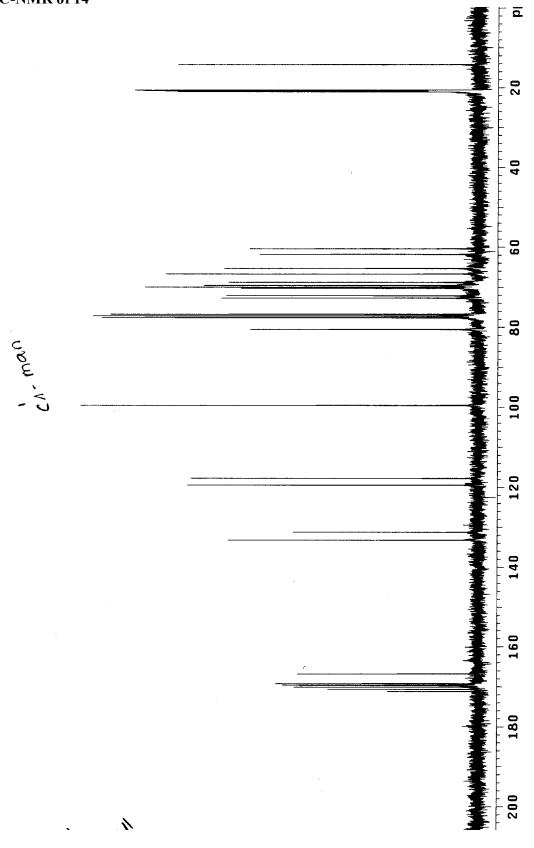




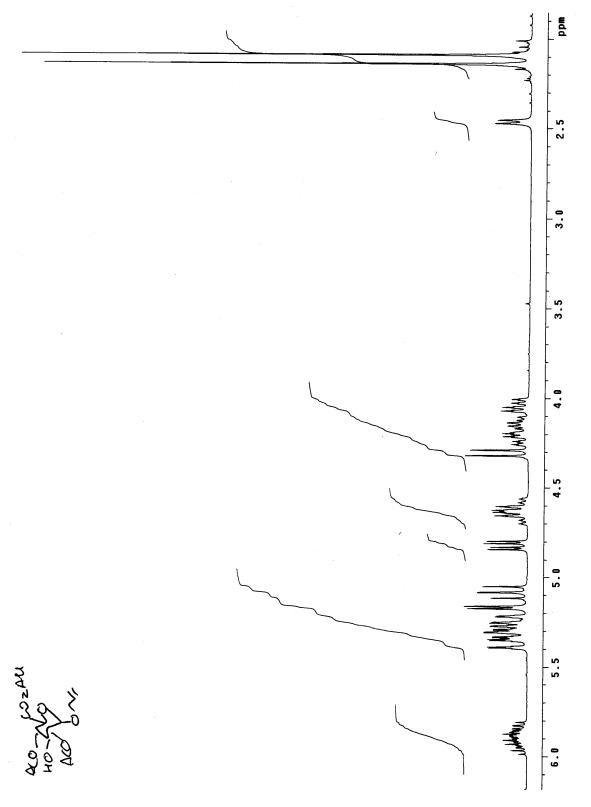


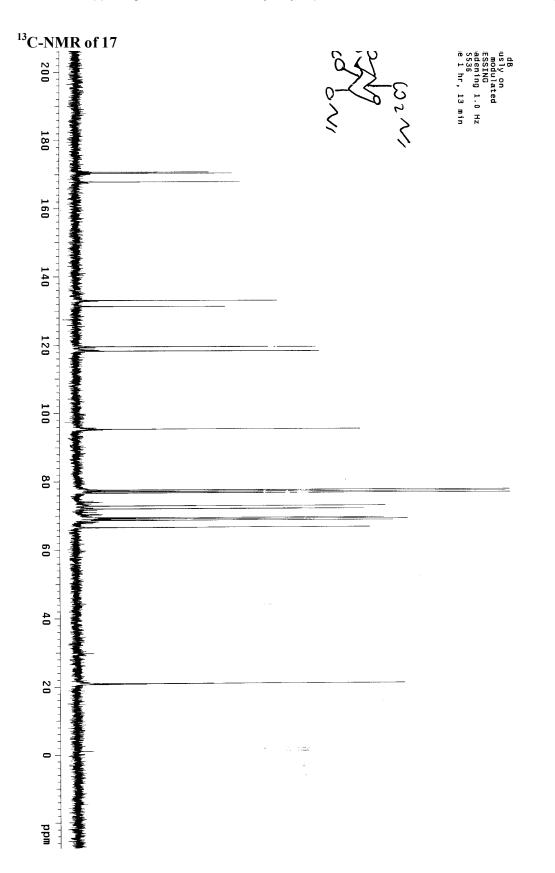




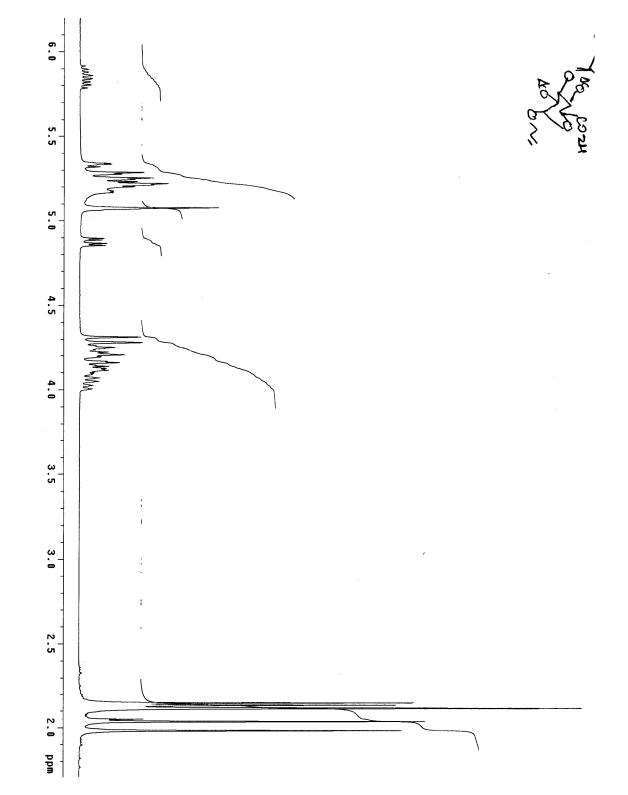


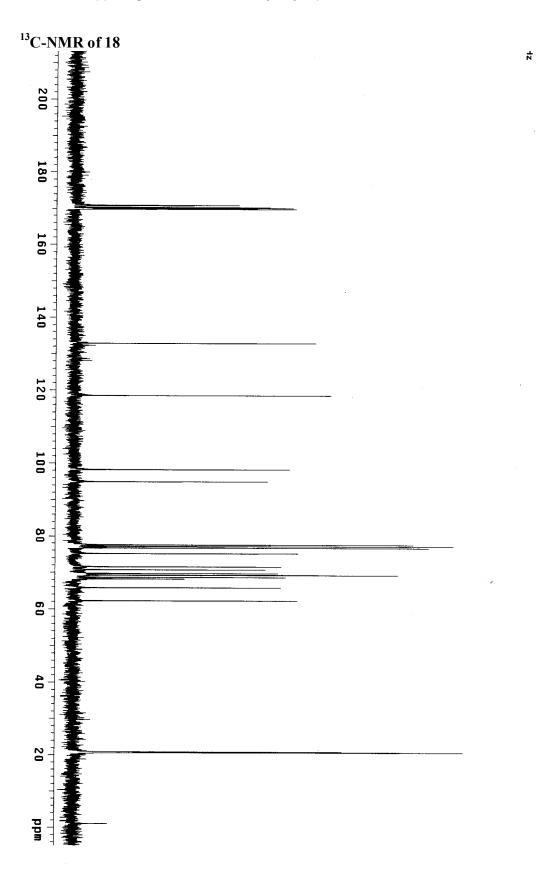
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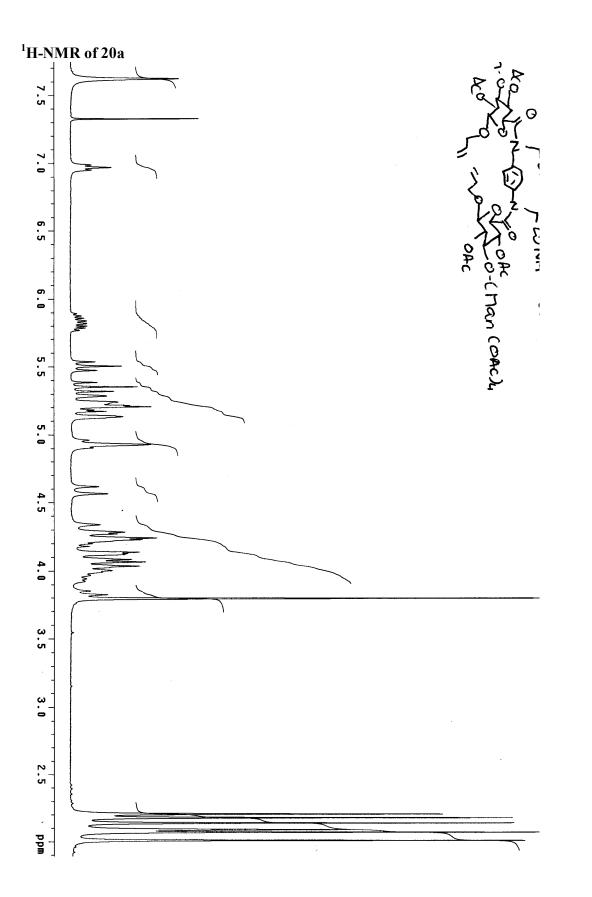


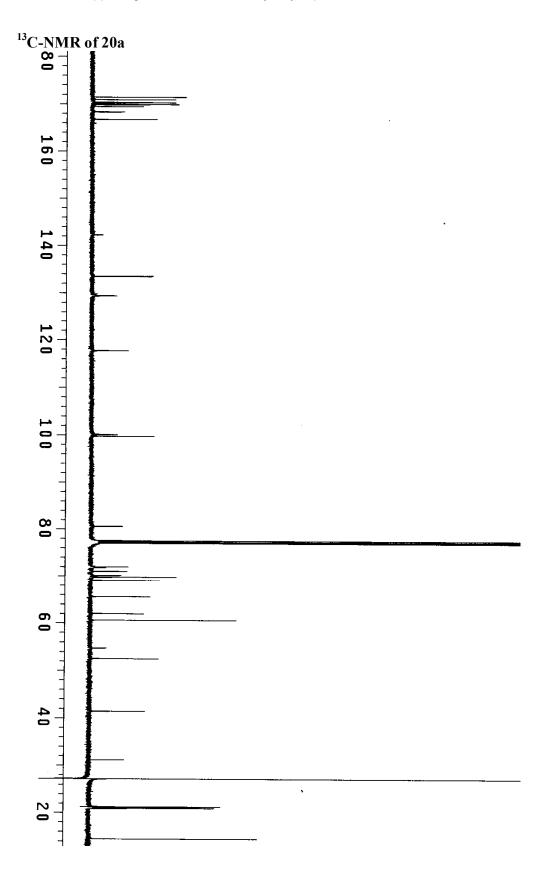
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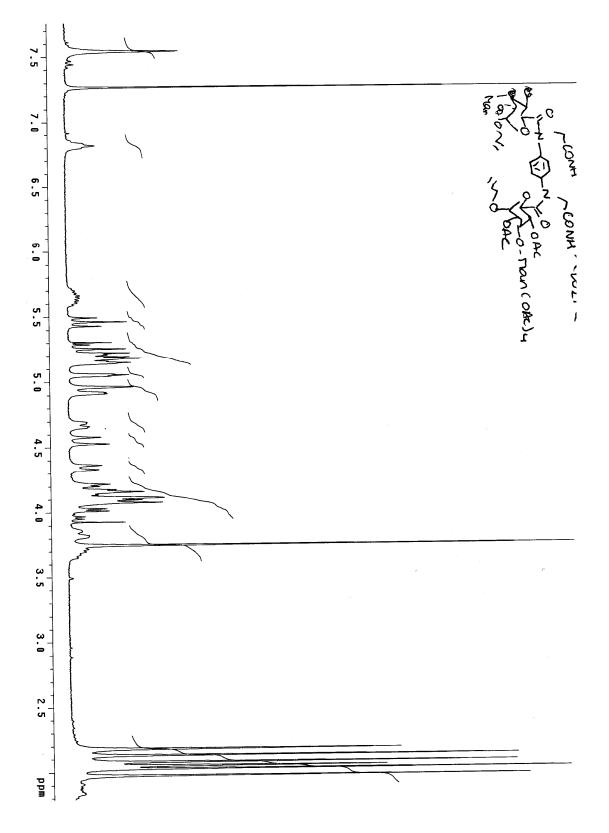


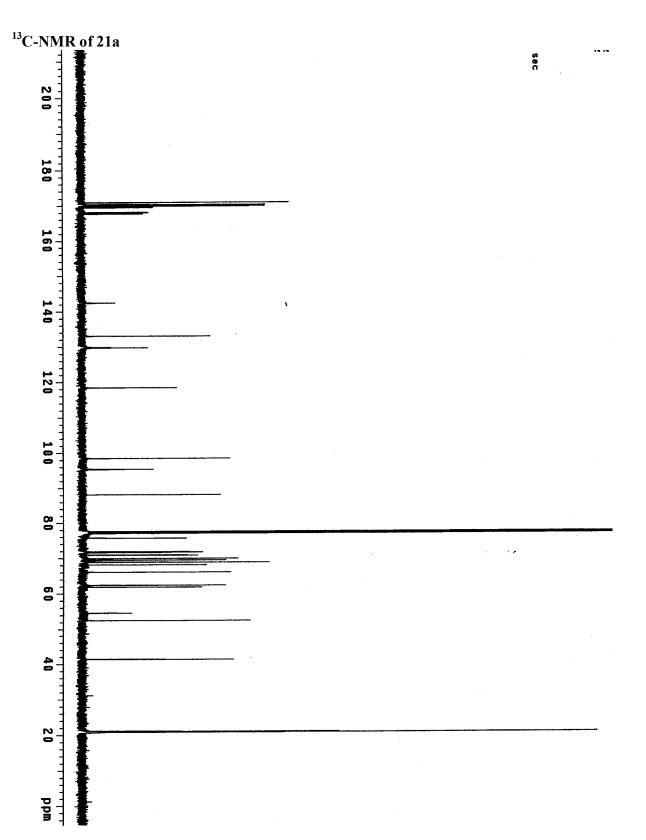






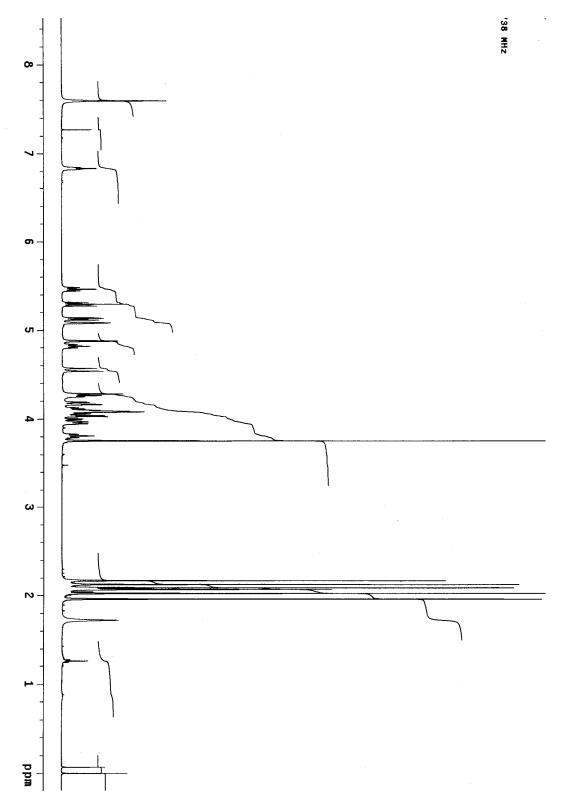
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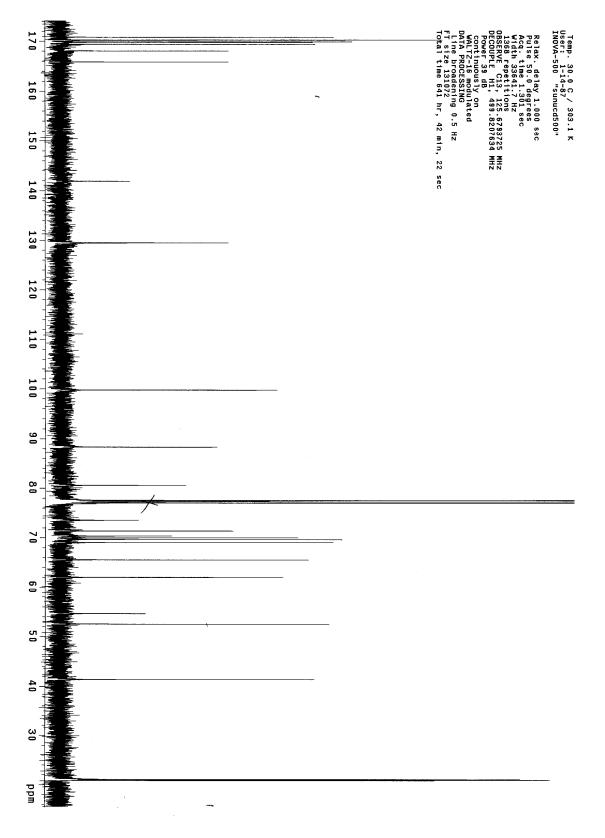


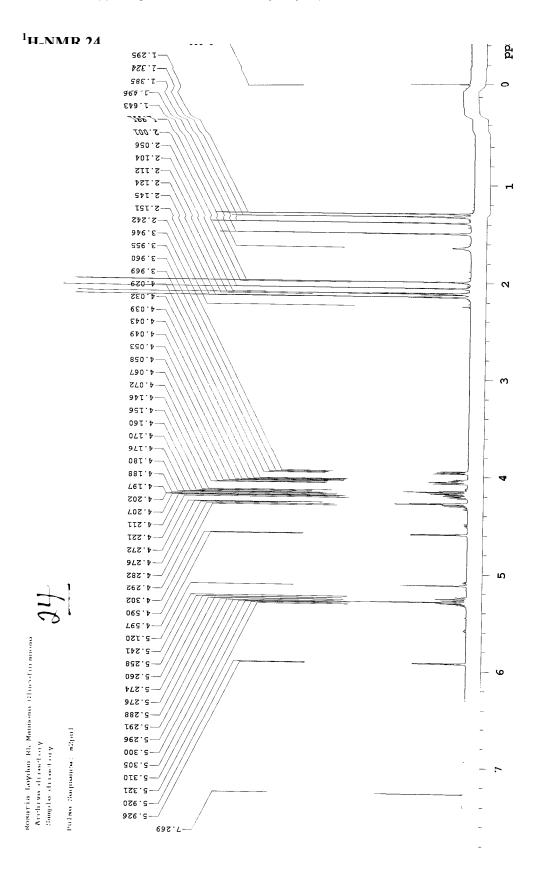
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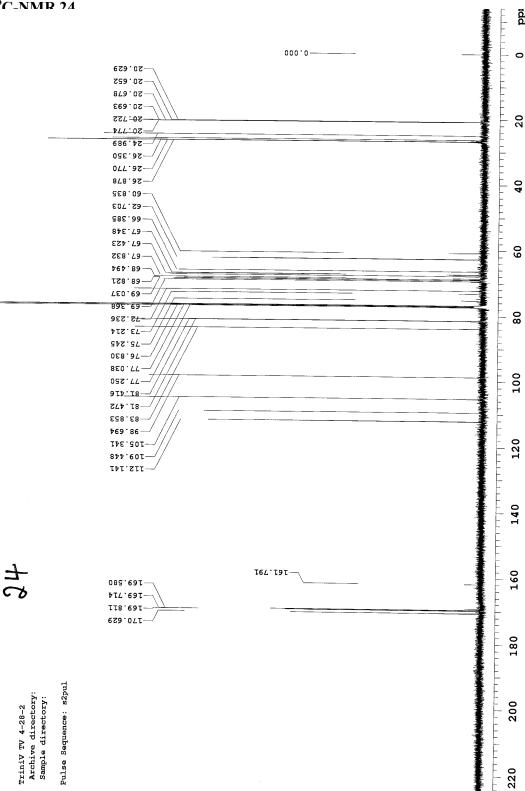
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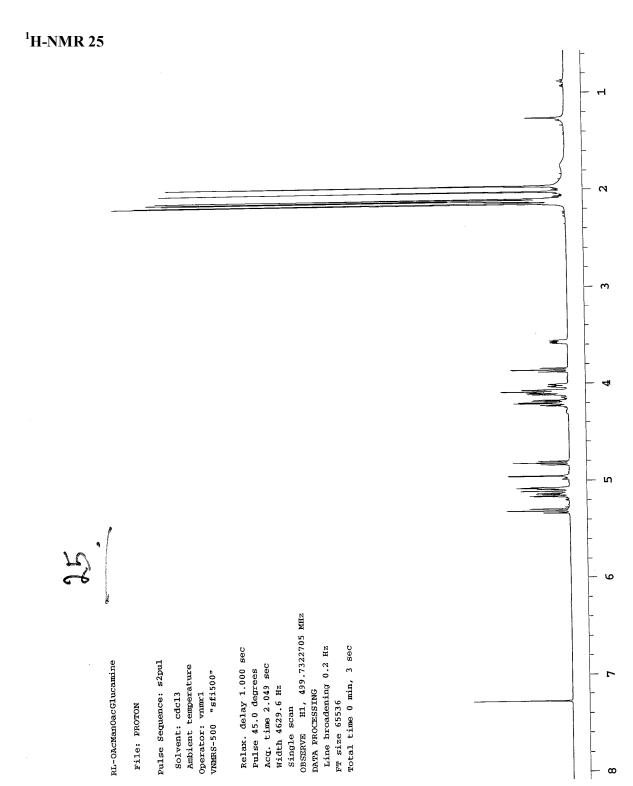




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