

# Copper(I)-Amine Metallocatalyzed Synthesis of Carbo- and Heterocyclic Systems

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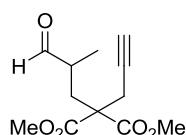
## A. General information

DCE and cyclohexylamine were distilled on  $\text{CaH}_2$ . All manipulations were carried out under argon atmosphere. All signals were expressed as ppm ( $\delta$ ) and internally referenced to residual protio solvent signals. Coupling constants ( $J$ ) are reported in Hz and refer to apparent peak multiplicities. High resolution mass spectra were performed at the University Pierre and Marie Curie (Paris). IR spectra were recorded on a JASCO FT/IR 6300. Melting points (m.p.) were determined on a Kofler block and were uncorrected.

## B. Formyl alkynes substrates

All formyl alkynes substrates were prepared according to procedures already described in the literature.<sup>1</sup>

### dimethyl 2-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (1) :

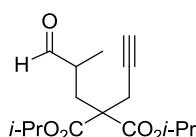


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.52 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 6H), 2.85 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 2H), 2.64-2.57 (dd, 1H), 2.55-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.04 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 2.04-1.99 (m, 1H), 1.12 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 203.1, 170.3, 78.4, 72.0, 56.0, 52.9, 42.4, 32.9, 23.9, 15.4.

The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

### diisopropyl 2-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (3) :



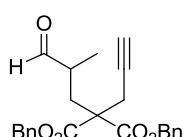
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.33 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (m, 2H), 2.95 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 2H), 2.81 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.49 – 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.11 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 1.68 (dd, *J* = 3.2, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 1.05 – 0.97 (m, 9H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.1, 169.5, 79.1, 72.1, 69.3, 69.3, 69.2, 56.3, 56.3, 42.5, 35.9, 35.7, 33.0, 24.0, 23.9, 21.3, 19.5, 15.4.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>6</sub>Na : 335.14651 ; found : 335.14668.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3295, 2978, 1725, 1276, 1197, 1102.

### dibenzyl 2-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (5) :



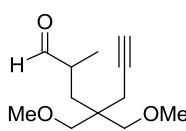
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 8.99 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 6.99 – 6.76 (m, 18H), 4.72 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 4H), 2.73 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 2H), 2.63 – 2.49 (m, 1H), 2.19 – 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.98 – 1.85 (m, 1H), 1.48 – 1.40 (m, 1H), 0.50 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 199.6, 170.9, 170.8, 149.4, 135.3, 135.2, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.1, 110.8, 67.6, 67.5, 58.2, 56.7, 41.0, 40.2, 21.6.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 415.15160 ; found : 415.15207.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3297, 2980, 1725, 1289, 1202.

### 4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)-2-methylhept-6-yneal (7) :



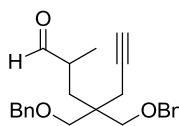
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.43 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.27-3.17 (m, 10H), 2.58-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.27-2.25 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 2H), 1.99 (m, 1H), 2.00-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.42-1.36 (dd, *J* = 14.6 Hz, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 1.07 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 204.7, 80.7, 74.6, 74.0, 70.5, 59.0, 58.9, 41.9, 40.4, 33.8, 22.8, 16.7.

<sup>1</sup> (a) J. T. Binder, B. Crone, T. T. Haug, H. Menz, S. F. Kirsch, *Org. Lett.*, 2008, **10**, 1025; (b) B. Montaignac, M. R. Vitale, V. Michelet, V. Ratovelomanana-Vidal, *Org. Lett.*, 2010, **12**, 2582; (c) B. Montaignac, M. R. Vitale, V. Ratovelomanana-Vidal, V. Michelet, *J. Org. Chem.*, 2010, **75**, 8322; (d) B. Montaignac, M. R. Vitale, V. Ratovelomanana-Vidal, V. Michelet, *Eur. J. Org. Chem.*, 2011, 3723

The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-methylhept-6-yonal (9) :**

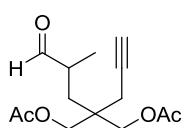


**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.42 (d,  $J = 3.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.36–7.26 (m, 10H), 4.49–4.39 (m, 4H), 3.43–3.33 (m, 4H), 2.56–2.49 (m, 1H), 2.34 (d,  $J = 2.7$  Hz, 2H), 2.03 (dd,  $J = 14.5$  Hz,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 1H), 1.96 (t,  $J = 2.7$  Hz, 1H), 1.45 (dd,  $J = 14.5$  Hz,  $J = 2.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.06 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 204.7, 138.3, 128.3, 127.1, 80.9, 73.1, 72.0, 71.6, 70.7, 41.9, 41.8, 33.6, 22.9, 16.7.

The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**2-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)propane-1,3-diyil diacetate (11) :**



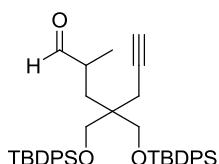
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.56 (d,  $J = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 4.09 – 3.90 (m, 4H), 2.61 – 2.43 (m, 1H), 2.29 (d,  $J = 2.7$  Hz, 2H), 2.13 (dd,  $J = 14.9, 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.09 – 2.03 (m, 7H), 1.40 (dd,  $J = 14.9, 3.7$  Hz, 1H), 1.15 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 203.5, 170.5(2C), 78.9, 72.0, 65.5, 65.4, 41.6, 39.8, 32.4, 22.7, 20.8(2C), 16.4.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 291.12029 ; found : 291.12030.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3296, 1741, 1226, 1040.

**4,4-bis((tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy)methyl)-2-methylhept-6-yonal (13) :**



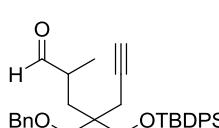
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.38 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.72 – 7.42 (m, 8H), 7.38 – 7.20 (m, 12H), 3.63 – 3.36 (m, 4H), 2.40 – 2.11 (m, 1H), 2.21 (dd,  $J = 7.9, 2.7$  Hz, 2H), 1.93 (dd,  $J = 14.6, 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 1.78 (t,  $J = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 1.34 (dd,  $J = 14.7, 4.1$  Hz, 1H), 0.97 (s, 18H), 0.92 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 204.7, 135.7(8C), 133.1(4C), 129.7(4C), 127.6(8C), 81.1, 70.1, 65.3, 65.2, 43.7(2C), 41.7, 32.4, 26.9(6C), 22.0, 19.3, 16.3.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>52</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NaSi<sub>2</sub> : 683.33472 ; found : 683.33441.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3300, 2929, 1725, 1426, 1110, 1089.

**4-(benzyloxymethyl)-4-((tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy)methyl)-2-methylhept-6-yonal (15) mixture of two diastereoisomers (d.r. = 1.2:1) :**



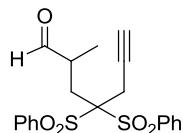
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.46 (d,  $J = 3.3$  Hz, 1H), 9.43 (d,  $J = 3.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.68 (m, 8H), 7.54 – 7.07 (m, 22H), 5.32 (s, 2H), 4.57 – 4.27 (m, 4H), 3.79 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 3.49 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 2H), 3.31 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 2H), 2.59 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 2.46 – 2.25 (m, 4H), 2.14 – 1.86 (m, 4H), 1.53 – 1.34 (m, 2H), 1.07 (m, 24H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 204.8, 138.2, 135.7, 133.2, 129.6, 128.3, 127.6, 127.5, 80.9, 80.8, 72.9, 71.2, 70.8, 65.2, 64.6, 53.4, 42.8, 41.9, 41.8, 32.9, 32.5, 26.8, 23.0, 21.5, 19.3, 16.5, 16.4.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiNa, CH<sub>3</sub>OH : 567.29011 ; found : 567.28996.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3299, 1721, 1272, 1260, 1114, 1090.

**2-methyl-4,4-bis(phenylsulfonyl)hept-6-yneal (17) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.69 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 8.26 – 7.91 (m, 4H), 7.79 – 7.65 (m, 2H), 7.61–7.55 (m, 4H), 3.58 – 3.29 (m, 1H), 3.25 – 2.96 (m, 3H), 2.24 – 2.08 (m, 1H), 2.01 – 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.26 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H).

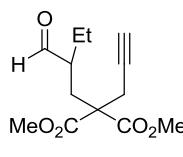
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 202.1, 136.5, 135.0, 131.6, 131.4, 128.9, 128.8, 88.4, 75.6, 74.7, 41.5, 29.9, 22.3, 16.8.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 427.06444 ; found : 427.06431.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3289, 1721, 1330, 1314, 1148.

**mp** 108–109°C

**Dimethyl 2-(2-formylbutyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (19) :**



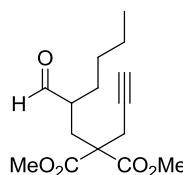
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.25 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (s, 3H), 3.31 (s, 3H) 3.04 – 2.79 (m, 2H), 2.66 (dd, J = 14.6, 9.1 Hz, 1H), 2.36 – 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.21 (dd, J = 14.6, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 1.74 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.43 – 1.24 (m, 1H), 1.24 – 1.05 (m, 1H), 0.68 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.2, 170.3, 170.3, 78.9, 72.3, 56.3, 52.4, 49.1, 31.1, 24.2, 23.6, 11.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 277.10464 ; found : 277.10488.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3289, 2962, 1737, 1434, 1280, 1260.

**dimethyl 2-(2-formylhexyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (21) :**



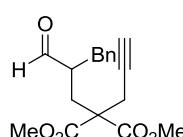
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.29 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (s, 3H), 3.32 (s, 3H), 2.94 (dd, J = 5.1, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 2.69 (dd, J = 14.6, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 2.49 – 2.32 (m, 1H), 2.25 (d, J = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 1.43 – 1.22 (m, 2H), 1.24 – 0.97 (m, 5H), 0.83 – 0.63 (m, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 200.4, 168.4, 168.4, 77.0, 70.4, 54.4, 50.5, 45.9, 29.7, 28.5, 27.0, 22.3, 20.9, 12.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 305.13594 ; found : 305.13568.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3299, 2958, 2929, 1734, 1437, 1276, 1261, 1203.

**Dimethyl 2-(2-benzyl-3-oxopropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (23) :**



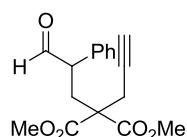
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.48 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 6.90 (m, 5H), 3.56 (d, J = 12.8 Hz, 6H), 2.84 (dd, J = 12.2, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.76 – 2.56 (m, 4H), 2.47 (dd, J = 14.8, 8.9 Hz, 1H), 2.06 (dd, J = 14.9, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 1.84 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.1, 170.4, 170.2, 138.2, 129.6 (2C), 128.8(2C), 126.8, 78.6, 72.3, 56.4, 52.5, 49.5, 37.1, 31.3, 24.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 339.12029 ; found : 339.12009.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3291, , 1732, 1437, 1274, 1261, 1203.

**dimethyl 2-(3-oxo-2-phenylpropyl)-2-(prop-2-ynyl)malonate (25) :**



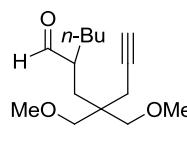
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.59 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.09 (m, 5H), 3.89 – 3.74 (m, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.03 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dd, *J* = 2.7, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 2.47 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 198.4, 170.2, 170.0, 135.4, 129.2 (2C), 129.1 (2C), 127.9, 78.3, 72.1, 55.7, 54.8, 52.9, 52.7, 31.9, 24.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 325.10464 ; found : 325.10458.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3300, 2960, 1734, 1435, 1273, 1261, 1203.

**2-butyl-4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)hept-6-yneal (27) :**



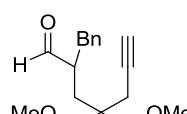
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.35 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.25 – 3.07 (m, 4H), 3.04 (s, 3H), 3.02 (s, 3H), 2.40 – 2.24 (m, 3H), 1.92 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 1.78 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.43 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 1.38 – 1.26 (m, 1H), 1.24 – 1.04 (m, 5H), 0.88 – 0.68 (m, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 203.0, 81.1, 74.4, 73.8, 70.7, 58.5, 58.4, 47.3, 41.6, 32.1, 31.2, 29.0, 23.0, 22.8, 13.9.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>26</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 277.17742 ; found : 277.17780.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3289, 2929, 2870, 1709, 1447, 1107.

**2-benzyl-4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)hept-6-yneal (29) :**



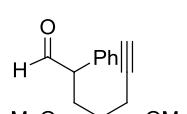
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.43 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 7.34 – 6.78 (m, 5H), 3.20 – 3.02 (m, 4H), 2.98 (s, 3H), 2.93 (s, 3H), 2.84 – 2.60 (m, 2H), 2.38 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.31 – 2.12 (m, 2H), 2.04 – 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.68 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.48 (dd, *J* = 14.5, 1.6 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.5, 138.8, 129.4, 128.5, 126.5, 80.9, 74.6, 73.9, 70.7, 58.4, 58.4, 48.9, 41.5, 37.8, 31.7, 23.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 311.16177 ; found : 311.16183.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3282, 2883, 1721, 1447, 1102.

**4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)-2-phenylhept-6-yneal (31) :**



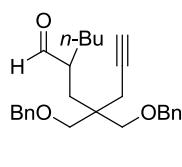
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.64 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 3.93 (ddd, *J* = 8.3, 4.5, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (m, 4H), 3.23 – 2.97 (m, 6H), 2.72 (ddd, *J* = 14.4, 8.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 2H), 2.07 (dd, *J* = 14.3, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 1.97 – 1.78 (m, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.3, 138.5, 129.2 (2C), 129.1 (2C), 127.5, 81.1, 74.9, 74.3, 71.1, 58.6, 54.8, 41.9, 33.2, 23.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 297.14612 ; found : 297.14582.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3286, 2883, 1725, 1451, 1102.

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-butylhept-6-ynal (33) :**



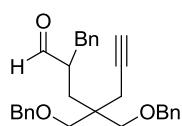
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.31 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 1H), 7.42 – 6.95 (m, 10H), 4.37 – 4.16 (m, 4H), 3.47 – 3.17 (m, 4H), 2.45 – 2.19 (m, 3H), 1.92 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 1.78 (t, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 1.44 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 1.36 – 1.21 (m, 1H), 1.19 – 1.03 (m, 5H), 0.78 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 203.5, 138.9, 138.8, 128.6, 127.9, 81.2, 73.3, 73.2, 72.2, 71.7, 71.1, 47.5, 42.0, 32.0, 31.3, 29.2, 23.2, 23.0, 14.1.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>34</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 429.24002 ; found : 429.23937.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2933, 2862, 1725, 1455, 1098.

**2-benzyl-4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)hept-6-ynal (35) :**



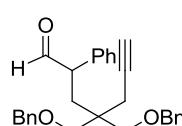
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.39 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.27 – 7.12 (m, 8H), 7.13 – 7.03 (m, 4H), 7.00 (ddd, *J* = 7.3, 3.8, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 3.1 Hz, 2H), 4.29 – 4.06 (m, 4H), 3.35 – 3.12 (m, 4H), 2.80 – 2.69 (m, 1H), 2.62 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.34 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (dd, *J* = 14.5, 9.7 Hz, 1H), 1.67 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.49 (dd, *J* = 14.5, 2.0 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.9, 138.8, 129.6, 128.7, 128.6, 127.9, 126.6, 81.0, 73.3, 72.4, 71.9, 71.1, 49.2, 41.9, 37.7, 31.7, 23.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 463.22437 ; found : 463.22351.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3298, 2854, 1721, 1451, 1089.

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-phenylhept-6-ynal (37) :**



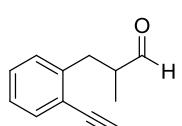
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.38 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.42 – 6.73 (m, 15H), 4.17 (s, 4H), 3.69 (ddd, *J* = 7.7, 4.8, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 3.42 – 3.11 (m, 4H), 2.50 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 2H), 1.90 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 1.70 (t, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.5, 138.9, 138.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.6, 127.7, 127.5, 81.1, 73.3, 72.4, 72.0, 71.2, 54.8, 42.1, 32.9, 23.34.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 449.20872 ; found : 449.20815.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3294, 3029, 1721, 1455, 1090.

**3-(2-ethynylphenyl)-2-methylpropanal (39) :**

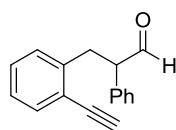


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.36 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.55 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 6.97 – 6.86 (m, 1H), 6.84 – 6.76 (m, 2H), 3.19 – 2.99 (m, 1H), 2.88 (s, 1H), 2.59 – 2.31 (m, 2H), 0.77 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 202.4, 142.0, 133.1, 129.8, 128.7, 126.3, 122.1, 82.1, 81.8, 47.0, 34.9, 12.8.

The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**3-(2-ethynylphenyl)-2-phenylpropanal (40) :**



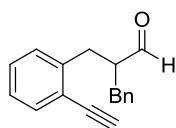
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  9.68 (d,  $J = 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.47 – 7.33 (m, 1H), 7.33 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 7.14 – 7.00 (m, 4H), 6.94 – 6.90 (m, 1H), 3.98 (td,  $J = 7.5, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.59 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.22 (s, 1H), 3.00 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 7.6$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  199.8, 141.4, 135.7, 132.9, 130.0, 129.0, 128.9, 128.7, 127.6, 126.3, 121.6, 82.11, 81.6, 59.4, 35.0.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{ONa}$  : 257.09369 ; found : 257.09392.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3248, 1716, 765, 700.

**2-benzyl-3-(2-ethynylphenyl)propanal (41) :**



**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )**  $\delta$  9.49 (d,  $J = 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.14 – 6.97 (m, 7H), 6.93 – 6.88 (m, 1H), 3.04 (dd,  $J = 20.8, 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.05 – 2.92 (m, 1H), 2.87 (s, 1H), 2.88 – 2.80 (m, 2H), 2.55 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 6.2$  Hz, 1H).

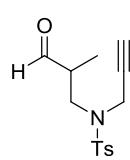
**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )**  $\delta$  202.9, 142.4, 138.4, 133.5, 130.5, 129.8, 128.9, 126.9, 126.8, 122.6, 82.5, 82.4, 54.5, 35.7, 34.1.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}\text{ONa}$  : 271.10934 ; found : 271.10981.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3252, 3029, 1712, 1442, 762, 695.

**mp** 51–52°C

**4-methyl-N-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfonamide (45) :**



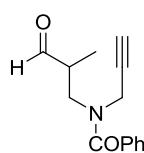
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  9.70 (d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.63–7.71 (m, 2H), 7.32–7.30 (m, 2H), 4.13 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz, 2H), 3.50 (dd,  $J = 14.3$  Hz,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.21 (dd,  $J = 14.3$  Hz,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.90–2.77 (m, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.04 (t,  $J = 2.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.19 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  202.9, 143.9, 135.2, 129.6 (2C), 127.8 (2C), 76.3, 74.2, 47.0, 45.4, 37.7, 21.6, 11.9.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_3\text{NNaS}$  : 302.08214 ; found : 302.08221.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3277, 2924, 1721, 1343, 1165.

**N-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzamide (47) :**



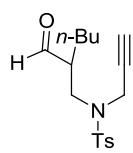
**$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , T = 60°C)**  $\delta$  9.42 (s, 1H), 7.43 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.11 – 6.98 (m, 3H), 3.87 – 3.76 (m, 2H), 3.72 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 2.70 – 2.37 (m, 1H), 1.86 (t,  $J = 2.5$  Hz, 1H), 0.79 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , T = 60°C)**  $\delta$  201.9, 171.5, 136.6, 129.9, 128.7, 127.4, 79.5, 73.4, 47.3, 45.6, 39.1, 11.9.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{ONa}$  : 230.11756 ; found : 230.11760.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3269, 1725, 1629, 1455, 1422, 1260.

**N-(2-formylhexyl)-4-methyl-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfonamide (49) :**



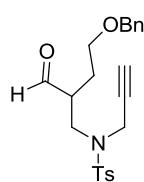
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.66 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 7.82 – 7.65 (m, 2H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.28 – 3.97 (m, 2H), 3.51 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 2.79 – 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.02 (t, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.44 (m, 2H), 1.44 – 1.18 (m, 4H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 203.3, 143.9, 135.1, 129.6, 127.8, 76.2, 74.2, 50.5, 45.5, 37.4, 28.8, 26.8, 22.7, 21.5, 13.8.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 344.12909 ; found : 344.12947.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3277, 2924, 1721, 1451, 1347, 1160, 1094.

**N-(4-(benzyloxy)-2-formylbutyl)-4-methyl-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfonamide (51) :**

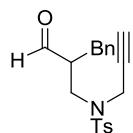


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.50 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.34 – 6.98 (m, 5H), 6.76 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.21 (s, 2H), 4.00 (dd, *J* = 18.6, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (dd, *J* = 18.6, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 3.52 – 3.38 (m, 2H), 3.38 – 3.27 (m, 1H), 3.27 – 3.15 (m, 1H), 2.70 – 2.44 (m, 1H), 1.89 (s, 3H), 1.79 – 1.53 (m, 2H), 1.47 (t, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 202.7, 144.0, 138.1, 135.2, 129.7, 128.5, 127.9, 127.8 (2C), 76.3, 74.4, 73.2, 67.3, 48.1, 45.4, 37.4, 27.6, 21.7.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>25</sub>O<sub>4</sub>NSNa : 422.13965 ; found : 422.14006.

**N-(2-benzyl-3-oxopropyl)-4-methyl-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfonamide (53) :**



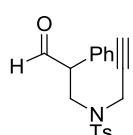
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.76 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.79 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 6.99 (m, 7H), 4.10 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 2H), 3.57 – 3.34 (m, 1H), 3.32 – 3.11 (m, 2H), 3.04 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.79 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.99 (t, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 202.7, 143.8, 137.5, 134.6, 129.5, 128.9, 128.7, 128.5, 127.8, 126.7, 76.3, 74.2, 52.2, 45.5, 38.1, 33.4, 21.5.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 378.11344 ; found : 378.11385.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3306, 2920, 1721, 1351, 1327, 1168.

**4-methyl-N-(3-oxo-2-phenylpropyl)-N-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfonamide (55) :**



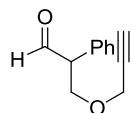
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.63 (d, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.70 – 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.37 – 7.24 (m, 3H), 7.24 – 7.14 (m, 4H), 4.12 – 4.04 (m, 2H), 3.77 (dd, *J* = 14.7, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dd, *J* = 18.6, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, *J* = 14.7, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.90 (t, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 199.0, 143.9, 135.2, 133.4, 129.6, 129.5, 129.2, 128.4, 127.9, 76.7, 74.1, 58.9, 46.9, 38.3, 21.6.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 364.09779 ; found : 364.09809.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3303, 2918, 1719, 1348, 1327, 1167.

**2-phenyl-3-(prop-2-yloxy)propanal (57) :**



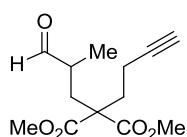
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.76 (m, 1H), 7.51 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 4.23 – 4.13 (m, 3H), 3.95 – 3.83 (m, 2H), 2.44 (t, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.0, 134.4, 129.1, 129.0, 79.6, 74.8, 69.0, 58.7, 58.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Na : 211.07295 ; found : 211.07281.\*

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3293, 1723, 1267, 1095, 735, 699.

**dimethyl 2-(but-3-yn-1-yl)-2-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)malonate (59) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.50 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.61 – 2.38 (m, 2H), 2.30 – 2.01 (m, 4H), 1.95 (s, 1H), 1.89 – 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.09 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H).

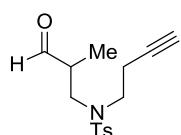
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (50 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 202.9, 171.3, 171.2, 83.0, 69.1, 56.4, 52.7, 42.6, 33.7, 32.9, 15.6, 14.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 277.10464 ; found : 277.10514.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3286, 2953, 1728, 1435, 1202.

**mp** 38–40°C

**N-(but-3-yn-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(2-methyl-3-oxopropyl)benzenesulfonamide (61) :**



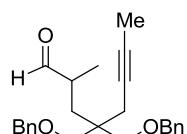
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.69 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.48 (dd, J = 14.5, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.33 – 3.23 (m, 2H), 3.17 (dd, J = 14.5, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.95 – 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.49 – 2.38 (m, 5H), 1.98 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.18 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 203.2, 143.9, 135.7, 130.0, 127.3, 80.9, 70.6, 49.7, 48.4, 46.1, 21.6, 19.3, 12.1.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 316.09779 ; found : 316.09657.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3286, 2933, 1721, 1334, 1156, 978, 812.

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-methyloct-6-yneal (63) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.36 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 6.92 (m, 10H), 4.46 – 4.14 (m, 4H), 3.51 – 3.16 (m, 4H), 2.55 – 2.24 (m, 3H), 2.01 (dd, J = 14.4, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 1.52 (t, J = 2.6 Hz, 3H), 1.36 (dd, J = 14.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 0.82 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 203.3, 139.0, 128.5, 127.8, 77.8, 76.0, 73.2, 72.5, 72.0, 42.2, 42.0, 33.9, 23.6, 16.5, 3.3.

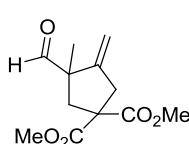
**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 401.20872 ; found : 401.20935.

## C. Carbocyclization Reactions

### General procedure for the carbocyclization reactions

In a sealed vial under argon atmosphere were successively introduced triphenylphosphine (0.08 mmol, 0.2 eq.), copper(II) trifloromethanesulfonate (0.02 mmol, 0.05 eq.) and 0.4 mL of DCE. The resulting mixture was stirred 20 minutes at room temperature before freshly purified formyl-alkyne (0.4 mmol, 1 eq.) in 0.4 mL of a freshly prepared 0.2 M solution of amine in DCE (0.08 mmol, 0.2 eq.) was added. After introduction of additional 0.2 mL of DCE, the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature until GC or TLC analysis indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture was then treated with 1 mL of an aqueous solution of AcOH (1/1 v/v) and then vigorously stirred 15 min at room temperature before extraction of the aqueous layer with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ . The combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$ , filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude material purified by silica gel flash chromatography to afford the desired carbocyclized aldehyde.

#### 4,4-bis-(carbomethoxy)-1-methyl-2-methylene-cyclopentanecarbaldehyde (2) :

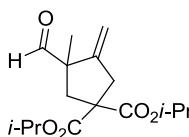


**$^1\text{H NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 300 MHz)**  $\delta$  9.29 (s, 1H), 5.23 (t,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 4.95 (t,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.07-2.92 (m, 2H), 2.95 (d,  $J = 14.4$  Hz, 1H), 2.27 (d,  $J = 14.0$  Hz, 1H), 1.27 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 75 MHz)**  $\delta$  199.6, 171.7, 171.5, 149.3, 110.7, 58.0, 56.7, 53.0, 52.9, 41.0, 40.3, 21.7.

The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

#### diisopropyl 3-formyl-3-methyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (4) :



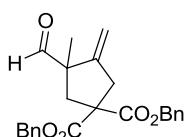
**$^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )**  $\delta$  9.16 (s, 1H), 4.99 (m, 2H), 4.92 (t,  $J = 1.9$  Hz, 1H), 4.66 (t,  $J = 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.23 – 3.03 (m, 2H), 2.92 (d,  $J = 16.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.35 (d,  $J = 14.0$  Hz, 1H), 1.07 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 3H), 1.04 – 0.90 (m, 12H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )**  $\delta$  198.9, 170.8, 170.6, 150.6, 110.0, 69.1, 68.9, 58.5, 57.0, 41.4, 40.6, 21.7, 21.5.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_5\text{Na}$  : 319.15160 ; found : 319.15176.

**IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )** 2983, 1727, 1650, 1261, 1106.

#### dibenzyl 3-formyl-3-methyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (6) :



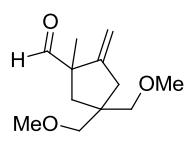
**$^1\text{H NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  9.19 (s, 1H), 7.37 – 6.99 (m, 10H), 5.12 (t,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.03 (s, 4H), 4.85 (t,  $J = 2.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.04 – 2.81 (m, 3H), 2.21 (d,  $J = 14.1$  Hz, 1H), 1.15 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )**  $\delta$  199.6, 170.9, 170.8, 149.4, 135.3, 135.2, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.1, 110.8, 67.6, 67.5, 58.2, 56.7, 41.0, 40.2, 21.6.

**HRMS** calculated for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_5\text{Na}$  : 415.15160 ; found : 415.15200.

**IR (neat,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )** 2962, 1730, 1654, 1455, 1261, 1227, 1172, 1060.

**4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)-1-methyl-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (8) :**

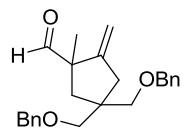


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.32 (s, 1H), 5.12 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (s, 3H), 3.32 (s, 3H), 3.27-3.19 (m, 4H), 2.37 (dt, *J* = 16.1 Hz, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (dt, *J* = 16.0 Hz, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 1.47 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.25 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 200.8, 152.5, 109.8, 76.0, 75.9, 59.2, 56.7, 45.9, 40.2, 38.8, 22.3.

The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-1-methyl-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (10) :**

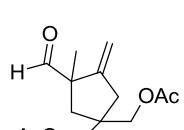


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.24 (s, 1H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 10H) 5.05 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.80 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (s, 2H), 4.45 (s, 4H), 3.38-3.31 (m, 4H), 2.42-2.32 (m, 2H), 2.32 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.48 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 1.17 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 200.8, 152.6, 138.7, 128.4, 127.5, 109.8, 73.2, 73.5, 56.8, 46.3, 40.5, 39.0, 22.4.

The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**(3-formyl-3-methyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-diyl)bis(methylene) diacetate (12) :**



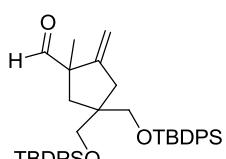
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.29 (s, 1H), 5.18 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dd, *J* = 2.3, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.12 – 3.80 (m, 4H), 2.55 – 2.16 (m, 3H), 2.06 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 6H), 1.43 (d, *J* = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 1.29 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 199.7, 171.0, 170.9, 150.4, 110.9, 66.7, 66.6, 56.6, 43.8, 39.9, 38.1, 22.0, 20.8 (2C).

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 291.12029 ; found : 291.12015.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2949, 1739, 1724, 1654, 1225, 1036.

**4,4-bis((tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy)methyl)-1-methyl-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (14) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.16 (s, 1H), 7.67-7.62 (m, 8H), 7.52 – 7.28 (m, 12H), 5.02 (t, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.72 – 3.47 (m, 4H), 2.43 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 2.30-2.23 (m, 2H), 1.46 (d, *J* = 14.6 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05 (d, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 18H).

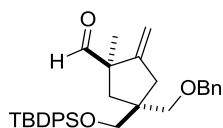
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 200.5, 152.5, 135.7, 133.5, 129.6, 127.6, 109.8, 66.1, 66.0, 56.6, 48.8, 38.9, 37.9, 26.9, 22.1, 19.3.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>52</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NaSi<sub>2</sub> : 683.33472 ; found : 683.33442.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2937, 2854, 1722, 1652, 1470, 1428, 1109, 1082, 822, 700.

**4-(benzyloxymethyl)-4-((tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy)methyl)-1-methyl-2-methylenecyclopentane carbaldehyde (16) :**

Major diastereoisomer :



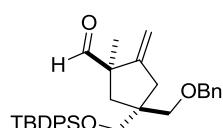
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.22 (s, 1H), 7.78 – 7.53 (m, 4H), 7.47 – 7.27 (m, 11H), 5.09 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (s, 2H), 3.60 (s, 2H), 3.46 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.50 – 2.23 (m, 3H), 1.53 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.23 (s, 3H), 1.14 – 0.95 (m, 9H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 200.5, 152.5, 138.6, 135.6, 133.5, 129.6, 128.3, 127.6, 127.4, 127.3, 109.9, 73.1, 73.0, 66.3, 56.6, 47.5, 40.0, 38.4, 26.8, 22.3, 19.4.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiNa : 535.26389 ; found : 535.26381.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2933, 2854, 1722, 1651, 1109, 1088, 701.

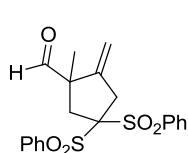
Minor diastereoisomer :



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.29 (s, 1H), 7.70 – 7.60 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.27 (m, 11H), 5.08 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (s, 2H), 3.59 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.55 – 2.14 (m, 3H), 1.49 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 9H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 200.8, 152.4, 138.6, 135.6, 133.5, 129.6, 128.3, 127.6, 127.4, 109.9, 73.2, 66.1, 56.7, 47.3, 39.9, 38.5, 26.8, 22.2, 19.4.

**1-methyl-2-methylene-4,4-bis(phenylsulfonyl)cyclopentanecarbaldehyde (18) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.36 (s, 1H), 8.21 – 7.93 (m, 4H), 7.73 (m, 2H), 7.62 (m, 4H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 5.00 (t, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (d, *J* = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 3.32 – 3.24 (m, 2H), 2.52 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 1.33 (s, 3H).

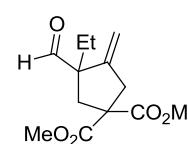
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 199.0, 147.8, 135.9, 135.8, 134.8, 131.5, 131.3, 128.8, 128.6, 110.2, 91.0, 57.4, 38.9, 37.3, 22.1.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>NaS<sub>2</sub> : 427.06444 ; found : 427.06411.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 1725, 1642, 1447, 1327, 1309, 1143, 1077.

**mp** 132–133°C

**dimethyl 3-ethyl-3-formyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (20) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.04 (s, 1H), 4.97 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.69 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (s, 3H), 3.30 (s, 3H), 3.20 – 3.07 (m, 2H), 2.67 (dt, *J* = 16.4, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 2.43 (d, *J* = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.59 – 1.21 (m, 2H), 0.58 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H).

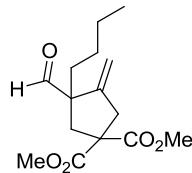
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 199.0, 171.5, 171.3, 148.9, 110.0, 61.3, 57.9, 52.4, 52.2, 41.2, 36.7, 28.3, 8.6.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 277.10464 ; found : 277.10484.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2962, 1734, 1651, 1434, 1278, 1255, 1230, 1203, 1175, 1068, 900.

**dimethyl 3-butyl-3-formyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (22) :**

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.08 (s, 1H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 3.29 (s, 3H), 3.26 – 3.09 (m, 2H), 2.78 – 2.60 (m, 1H), 2.50 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 1.51 (ddd, *J* = 13.7, 11.2, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 1.41 – 1.21 (m, 1H), 1.16 – 0.82 (m, 4H), 0.73 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H).

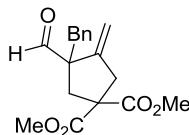


**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 199.1, 171.7, 171.5, 149.3, 110.1, 61.1, 58.1, 52.6, 52.4, 41.3, 37.5, 35.7, 26.9, 23.3, 14.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 305.13594 ; found : 305.13554.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2956, 2933, 1861, 1735, 1650, 1434, 1258, 1255, 1203, 1068, 893.

**dimethyl 3-benzyl-3-formyl-4-methylenecyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (24) :**



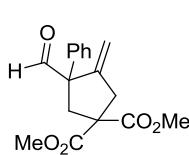
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 300 MHz)** δ 9.29 (s, 1H), 7.10 – 6.93 (m, 5H), 5.00 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 6H), 3.15 (dd, *J* = 16.4, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 2.96 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 8.2 Hz, 2H), 2.76 – 2.60 (m, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.4, 171.7, 171.3, 148.8, 137.1, 130.3, 128.7, 127.1, 111.1, 62.1, 58.2, 52.5, 52.4, 41.7, 37.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 339.12029 ; found : 339.11985.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2958, 1731, 1649, 1435, 1258, 1265, 1200, 1068.

**dimethyl 3-formyl-4-methylene-3-phenylcyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (26) :**



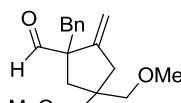
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.23 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.24 – 6.82 (m, 5H), 5.19 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (t, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.37 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 3H), 3.19 – 3.08 (m, 4H), 2.92-2.85 (m, 1H), 2.71 (d, *J* = 13.9 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 195.7, 171.2, 171.1, 147.0, 140.3, 129.2, 128.4, 128.0, 127.9, 127.7, 127.6, 114.2, 66.3, 58.3, 52.7, 52.3, 42.8, 41.7.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Na : 325.10464 ; found : 325.10431.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2958, 1737, 1646, 1435, 1260, 1206, 1069.

**1-benzyl-4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (30) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.40 (s, 1H), 7.23 – 6.98 (m, 5H), 5.17 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 3.22 (s, 3H), 3.21 (s, 3H), 3.15 – 3.03 (m, 3H), 3.02 (s, 2H), 2.78 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz, 1H), 2.09 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 2H), 2.05 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 1.62 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H).

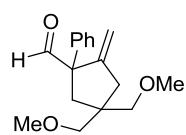
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 200.5, 151.2, 137.2, 130.2, 128.2, 126.6, 110.6, 76.0, 75.7, 61.7, 59.2, 59.1, 46.0, 42.0, 40.6, 35.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 311.16177 ; found : 311.16163.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2883, 1721, 1639, 1457, 1200, 1115, 1095.

**mp** 40-42°C

**4,4-bis(methoxymethyl)-2-methylene-1-phenylcyclopentanecarbaldehyde (32) :**



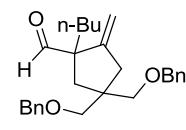
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.39 (d, *J* = 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 6.86 (m, 5H), 5.21 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.80 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.24 – 2.98 (m, 8H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.42 (dt, *J* = 3.9, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 1.91 (d, *J* = 13.9 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 196.8, 150.2, 142.1, 129.2, 128.9, 128.0, 127.3, 113.1, 76.1, 75.4, 66.4, 58.9, 58.8, 46.7, 41.2, 41.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 297.14612 ; found : 297.14572.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2883, 1723, 1646, 1445, 1200, 1107, 1095, 963, 903.

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-1-butyl-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (34) :**



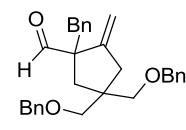
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.21 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.03 (m, 10H), 4.98 (t, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.45 – 4.18 (m, 4H), 3.34 (s, 4H), 2.54 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 2.38 (dt, *J* = 15.9, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.24 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 1.69 – 1.52 (m, 1H), 1.60 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 1.42 – 1.27 (m, 1H), 1.21 – 0.93 (m, 4H), 0.77 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 200.1, 152.2, 139.3, 139.3, 128.5, 127.7, 109.4, 73.8, 73.6, 73.4, 73.4, 61.1, 46.3, 40.7, 36.4, 35.6, 27.2, 23.5, 14.1.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>34</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 429.24002 ; found : 429.23960.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2929, 2858, 1721, 1648, 1453, 1361, 1203, 1115, 1097, 734, 697.

**1-benzyl-4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-methylenecyclopentanecarbaldehyde (36) :**



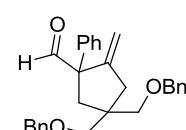
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.32 (s, 1H), 7.25 – 6.89 (m, 15H), 4.98 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.21 (s, 4H), 3.23 (s, 2H), 3.17 (s, 2H), 2.97 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz, 1H), 2.27 (d, *J* = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 2.21 – 2.13 (m, 2H), 1.78 (d, *J* = 14.3 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 199.6, 152.0, 139.3, 139.2, 137.8, 130.6, 128.5, 128.5, 126.8, 110.3, 73.7, 73.4, 73.3, 73.3, 62.0, 46.6, 42.3, 41.1, 35.4.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 463.22437 ; found : 463.22372.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2921, 2854, 1720, 1648, 1494, 1451, 1096, 903, 737, 699.

**4,4-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-2-methylene-1-phenylcyclopentanecarbaldehyde (38) :**



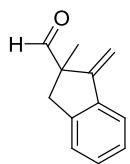
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.41 (s, 1H), 7.44 – 6.92 (m, 15H), 5.22 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 4.38–4.28 (m, 2H), 4.19 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (s, 2H), 3.32–3.22 (m, 2H), 3.13 (d, *J* = 13.9 Hz, 1H), 2.57 – 2.31 (m, 2H), 1.95 (d, *J* = 13.9 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 196.7, 150.0, 142.1, 139.4, 139.2, 129.2, 128.5, 127.9, 127.6, 127.3, 113.3, 73.7, 73.4, 73.2, 73.1, 66.5, 46.8, 41.4, 41.2.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na : 449.20872 ; found : 449.20828.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2853, 1721, 1650, 1452, 1452, 1362, 1096, 1076, 737, 698.

**2-methyl-1-methylene-2,3-dihydro-1H-indene-2-carbaldehyde (42) :**

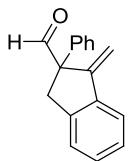


**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 8.94 (s, 1H), 7.05 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.88 – 6.70 (m, 2H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 4.58 (s, 1H), 3.01 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 2.13 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 0.92 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.7, 152.3, 144.1, 139.9, 129.8, 127.6, 125.9, 121.7, 106.0, 57.8, 39.1, 21.3.

The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data obtained were in agreement with that reported in the literature.<sup>1a</sup>

**1-methylene-2-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indene-2-carbaldehyde (43) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.47 (s, 1H), 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.17 – 6.84 (m, 9H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.77 (s, 1H), 4.09 (d, *J* = 16.8, 1H), 2.70 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 194.7, 149.0, 143.1, 141.7, 138.6, 129.4, 128.8, 126.9, 126.7, 125.1, 120.8, 108.6, 66.9, 40.3.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NNaS : 257.09369 ; found : 257.09390.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2920, 1718, 1634, 904.

**mp** 108–109°C

**2-benzyl-1-methylene-2,3-dihydro-1H-indene-2-carbaldehyde (44) :**



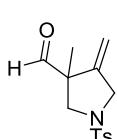
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.28 (s, 1H), 7.26 – 7.17 (m, 1H), 7.11 – 6.81 (m, 8H), 5.53 (s, 1H), 4.87 (s, 1H), 3.21 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (d, *J* = 17.0 Hz, 1H), 2.73 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 2.70 (d, *J* = 17.0 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 198.3, 150.7, 144.1, 139.4, 137.6, 130.4, 129.6, 128.6, 127.2, 126.9, 125.6, 121.4, 106.7, 62.9, 40.8, 35.7.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ONa : 271.10934 ; found : 271.10975.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3027, 2921, 1721, 1629, 884.

**3-methyl-4-methylene-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (46) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 200 MHz)** δ 9.29 (s, 1H), 7.31–7.22 (m, 2H), 7.38–7.34 (m, 2H), 5.21 (t, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 5.01 (t, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 3.88–3.84 (m, 2H), 3.80 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 3.03 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (s, 3H), 1.24 (s, 3H).

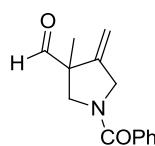
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 75 MHz)** δ 197.8, 145.7, 144.5, 132.7, 130.2 (2C), 128.3 (2C), 111.1, 57.2, 54.4, 52.5, 21.9, 19.0.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NNaS : 302.08214 ; found : 302.08223.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2925, 1727, 1658, 1339, 1161, 1093, 1042.

**mp** 82–83°C

**1-benzoyl-3-methyl-4-methylenepyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (48) :**



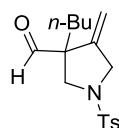
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 60°C)** δ 8.99 (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 2H), 7.28 – 6.98 (m, 5H), 4.73 (s, 1H), 4.62 (s, 1H), 4.26 – 3.80 (m, 3H), 3.02 (d, *J* = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 0.82 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 60°C)** δ 197.0, 169.3, 146.9, 137.4, 129.9, 128.4, 127.8, 109.2, 56.9, 54.1, 51.6, 17.5.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>15</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NNa : 252.09950 ; found : 252.09970.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2929, 1729, 1626, 1572, 1447, 1417, 1248, 907.

**3-butyl-4-methylene-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (50) :**



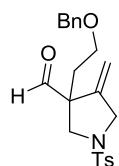
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.22 (s, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 5.03 (t, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.95 – 3.67 (m, 3H), 3.09 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 1.88 – 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.59 – 1.43 (m, 1H), 1.37 – 1.16 (m, 2H), 1.16 – 0.99 (m, 2H), 0.85 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 197.6, 144.3, 144.0, 132.3, 129.7, 127.9, 110.7, 60.7, 52.2, 51.3, 33.2, 26.6, 22.9, 21.5, 13.7.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 344.12909 ; found : 344.12930.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2931, 1726, 1658, 1346, 1163, 1093.

**3-(2-(benzyloxy)ethyl)-4-methylene-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (52) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.14 (s, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 4H), 7.33 – 6.93 (m, 17H), 5.05 (s, 2H), 4.90 (s, 2H), 4.22 (s, 4H), 3.78 – 3.49 (m, 6H), 3.41 – 3.27 (m, 2H), 3.27 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 3.05 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (s, 6H), 2.23 – 2.05 (m, 2H), 1.74 – 1.54 (m, 2H).

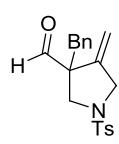
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 196.9, 144.3, 144.0, 137.7, 132.2, 129.7, 128.4, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 110.9, 73.2, 66.2, 59.1, 51.9, 51.7, 34.3, 21.6.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>25</sub>O<sub>4</sub>NSNa : 422.13965 ; found : 422.13984.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 2854, 1731, 1652, 1337, 1163, 1109, 1094, 920.

**mp** 94–95°C

**3-benzyl-4-methylene-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (54) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.30 (s, 1H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.34 – 7.04 (m, 5H), 7.01 – 6.87 (m, 2H), 5.21 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 3.79 – 3.57 (m, 2H), 3.46 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 3.17 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

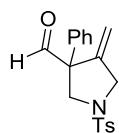
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 197.3, 144.1, 144.0, 135.6, 131.9, 129.8, 129.7, 128.5, 127.9, 127.0, 111.4, 61.33, 52.3, 51.3, 39.3, 21.5.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 378.11344 ; found : 378.11393.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 1725, 1660, 1334, 1161, 1095, 1045, 916.

**mp** 116–117°C

**4-methylene-3-phenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carbaldehyde (56) :**



**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 9.37 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.34 – 7.17 (m, 5H), 7.11 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 5.18 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 4.15 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.03 – 3.73 (m, 2H), 3.21 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H).

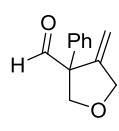
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)** δ 194.3, 144.0, 143.0, 136.6, 132.3, 129.8, 129.3, 128.2, 128.0, 127.5, 113.9, 65.9, 54.8, 52.7, 21.6.

**HRMS** calculated for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSNa : 364.09779 ; found : 364.09811.

**IR (neat, cm<sup>-1</sup>)** 3053, 2920, 1718, 1657, 1339, 1167, 1094, 1036, 906.

**mp** 117–118°C

**4-methylene-3-phenyltetrahydrofuran-3-carbaldehyde (58) :**



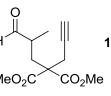
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 9.27 (d, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.11 – 6.93 (m, 6H), 4.90 (t, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (t, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (dt, *J* = 13.2, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (dt, *J* = 13.2, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>)** δ 194.5, 147.6, 137.6, 129.1, 129.0, 127.7, 110.1, 75.2, 72.3, 67.2.

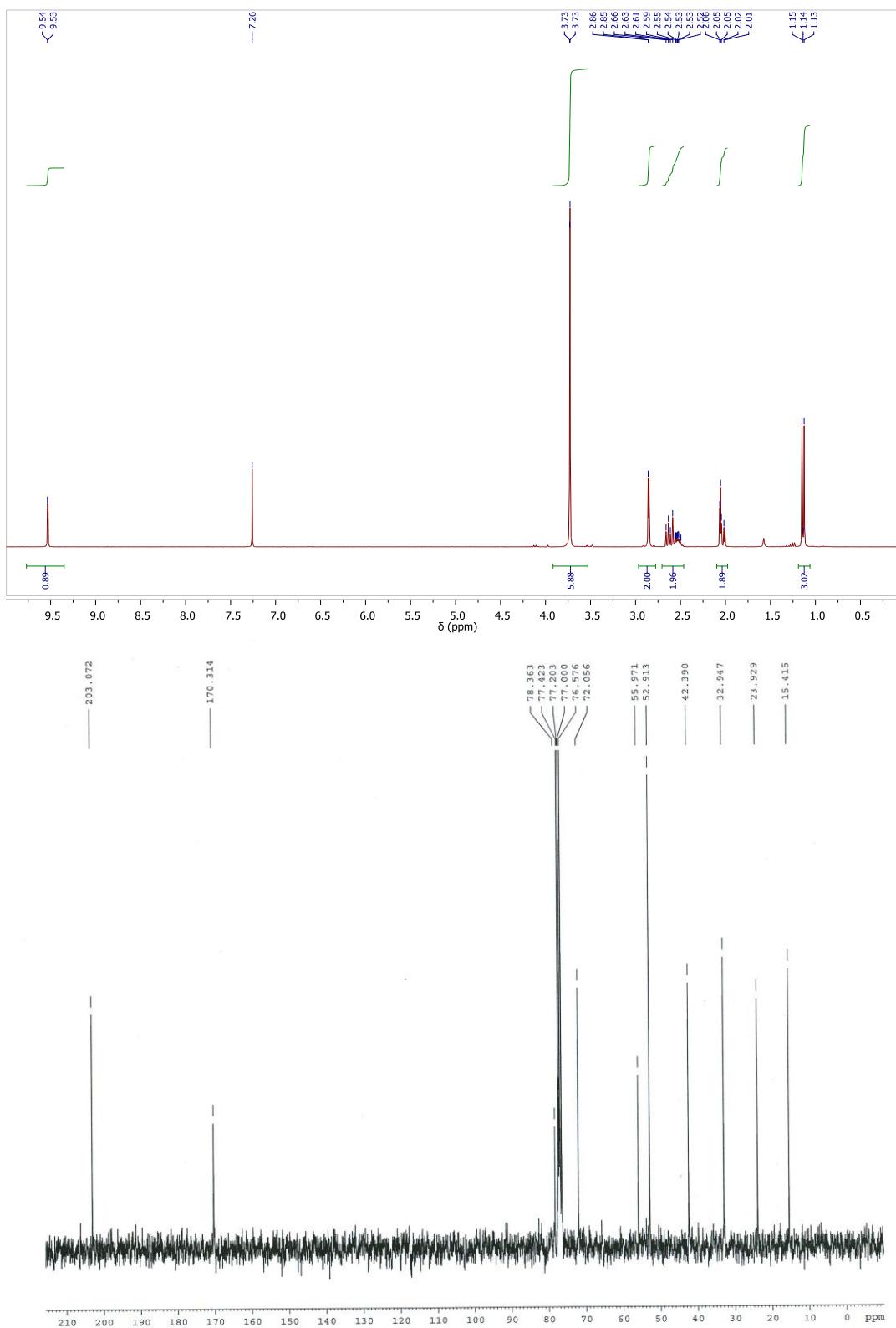
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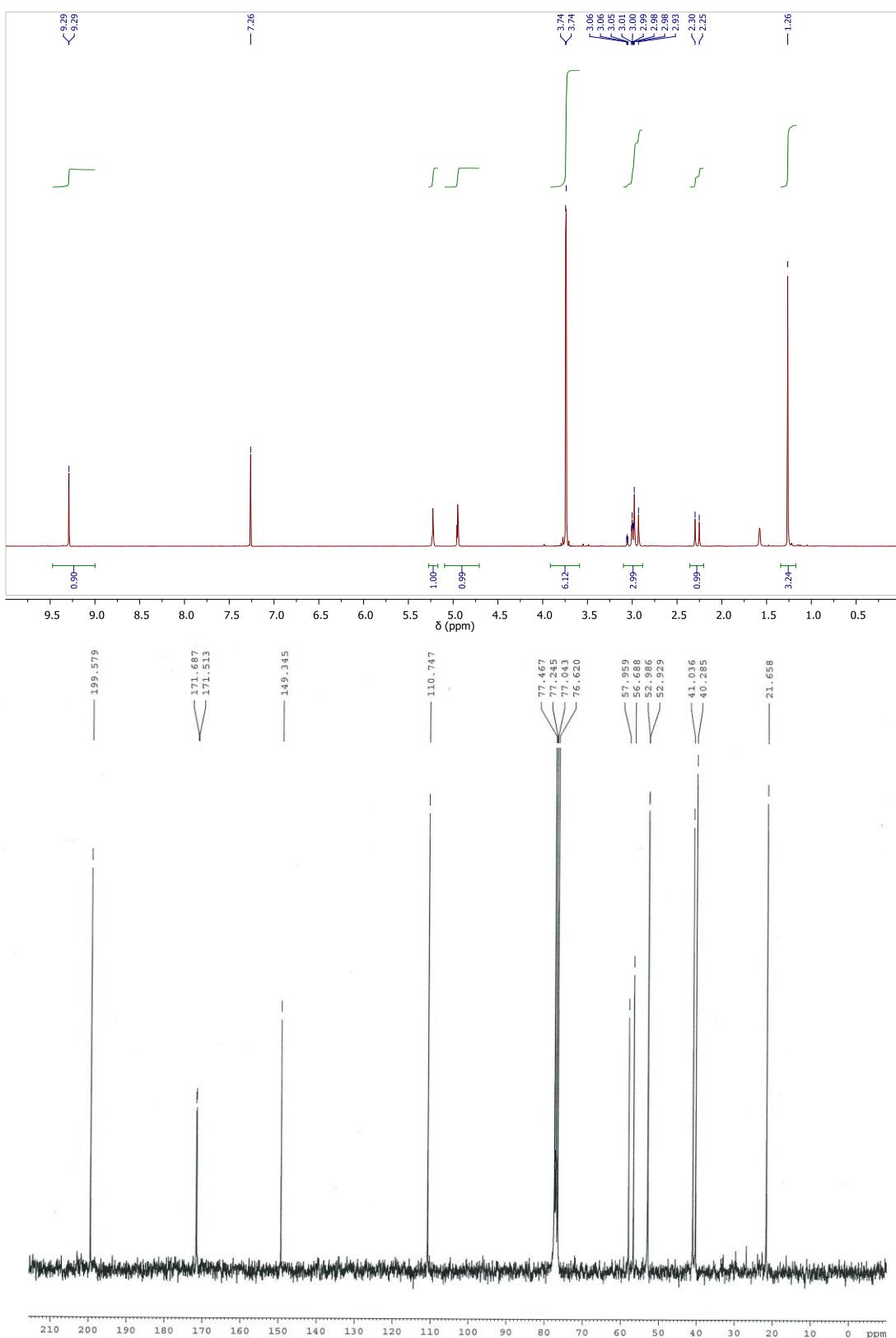
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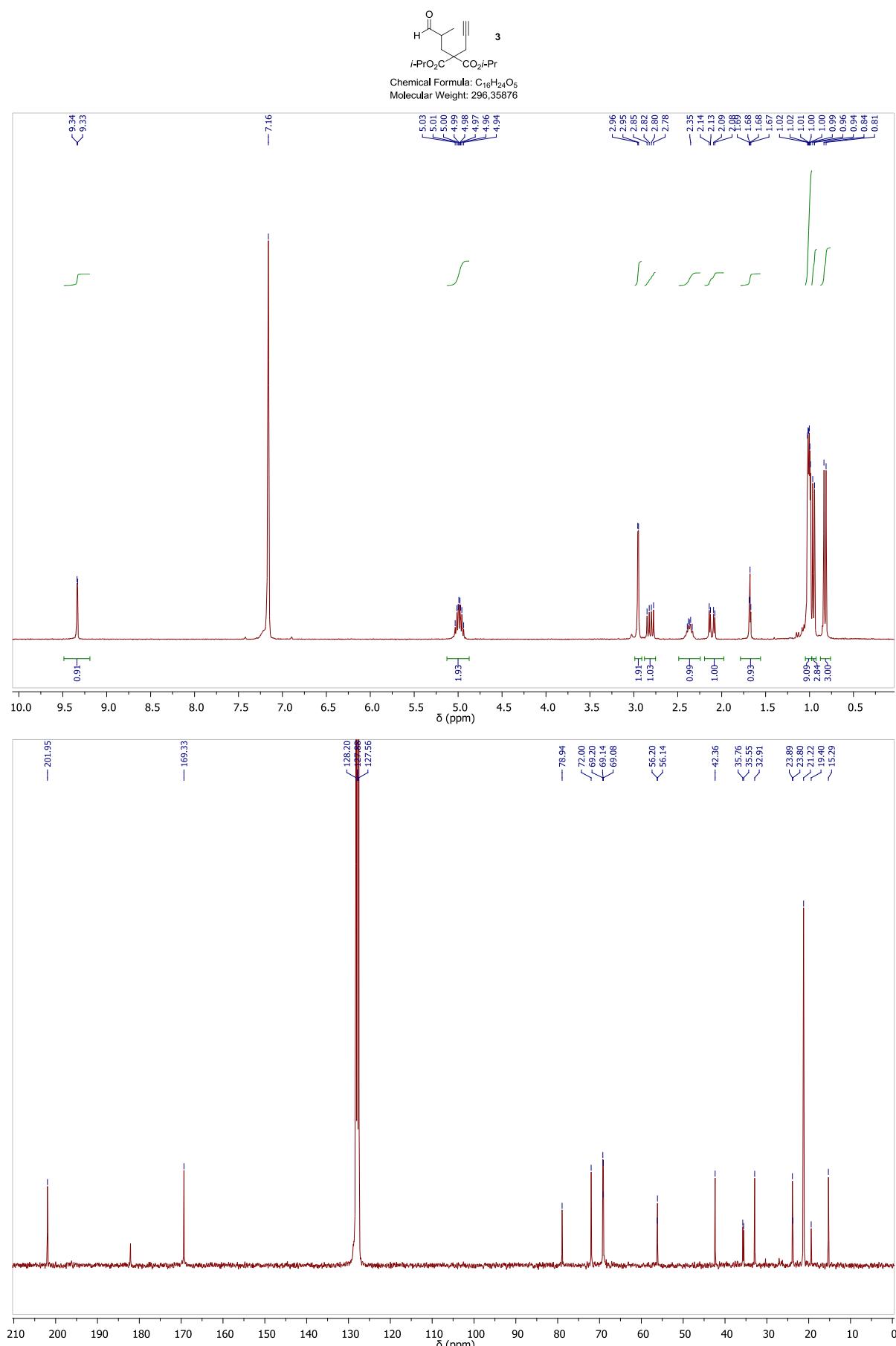
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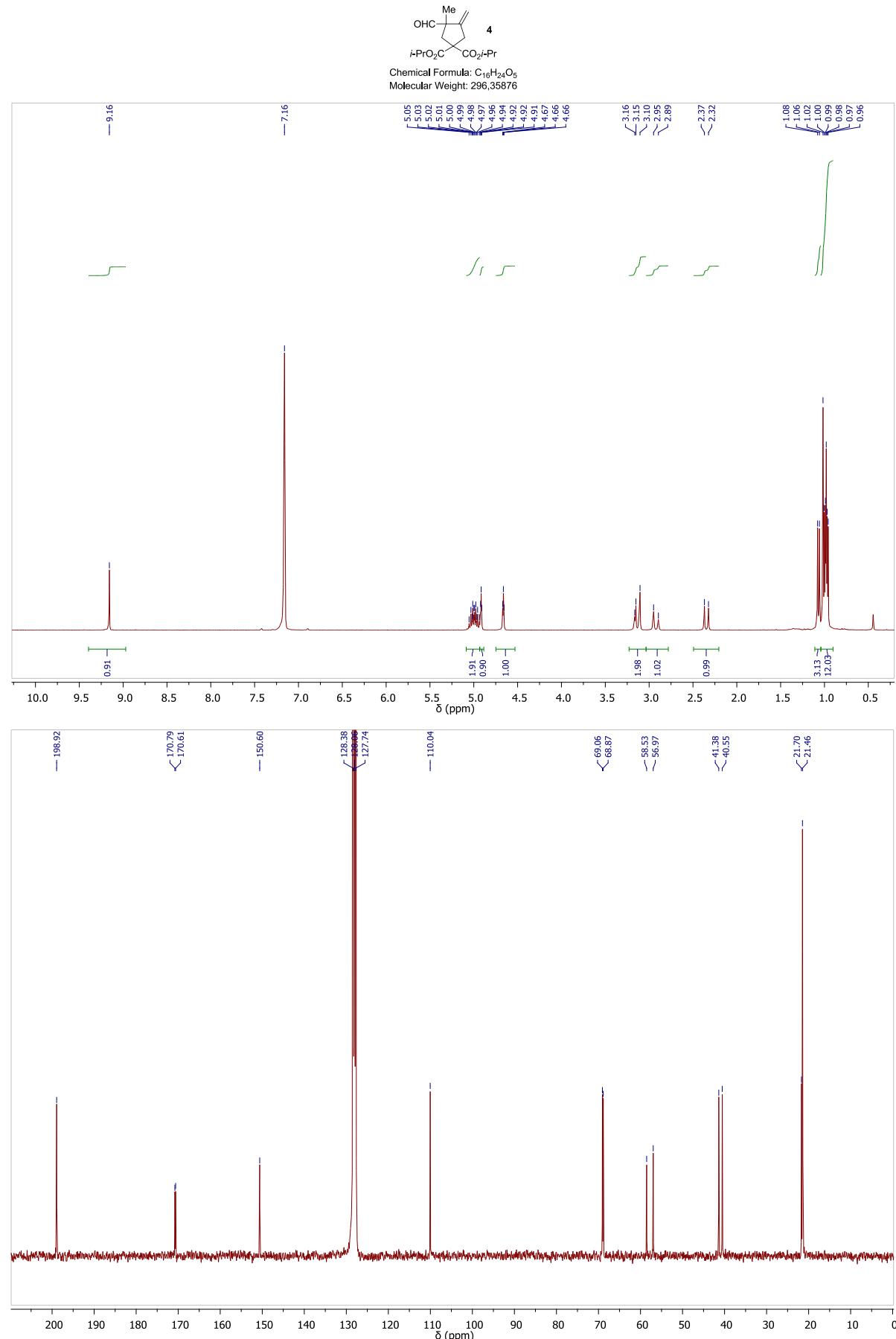


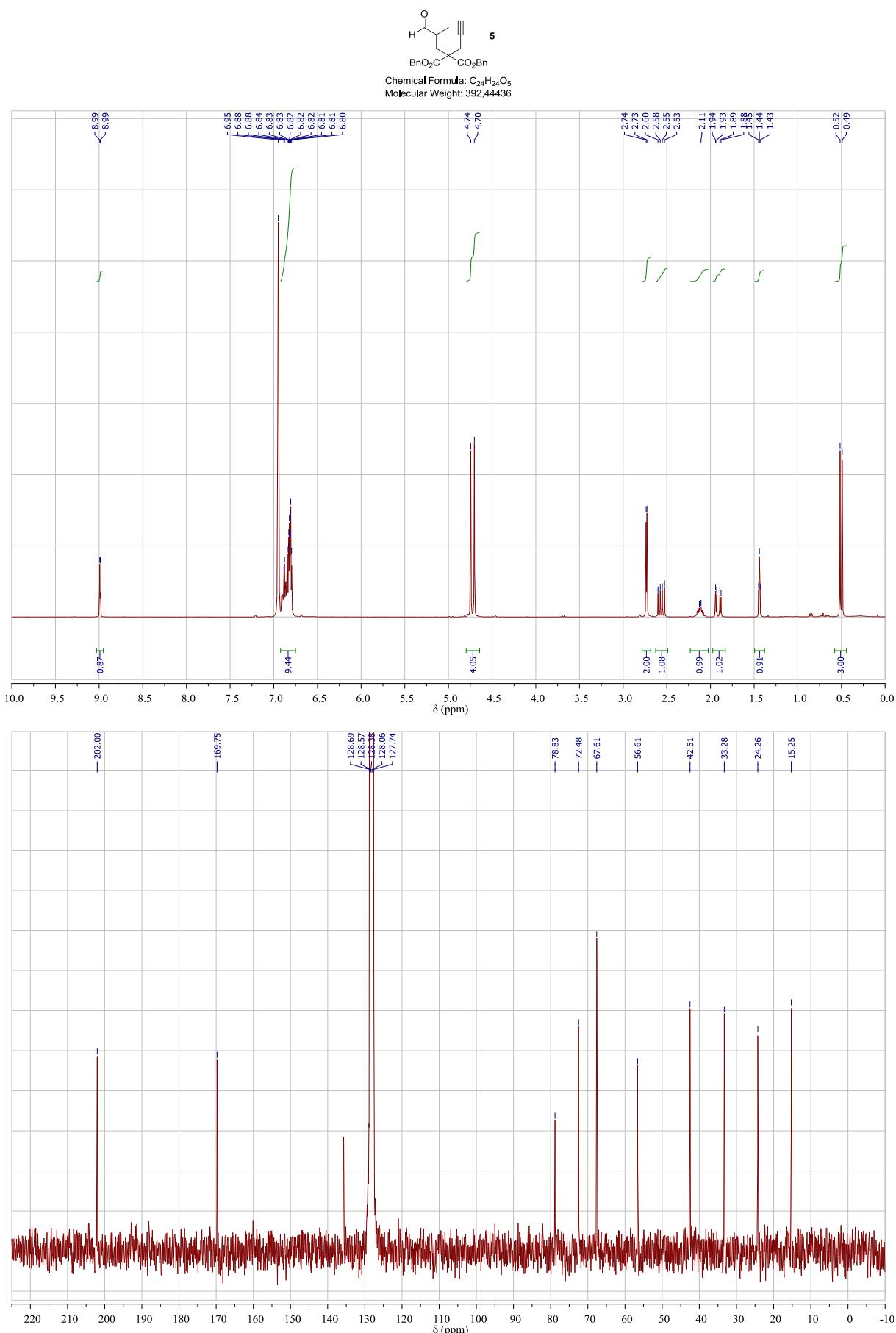
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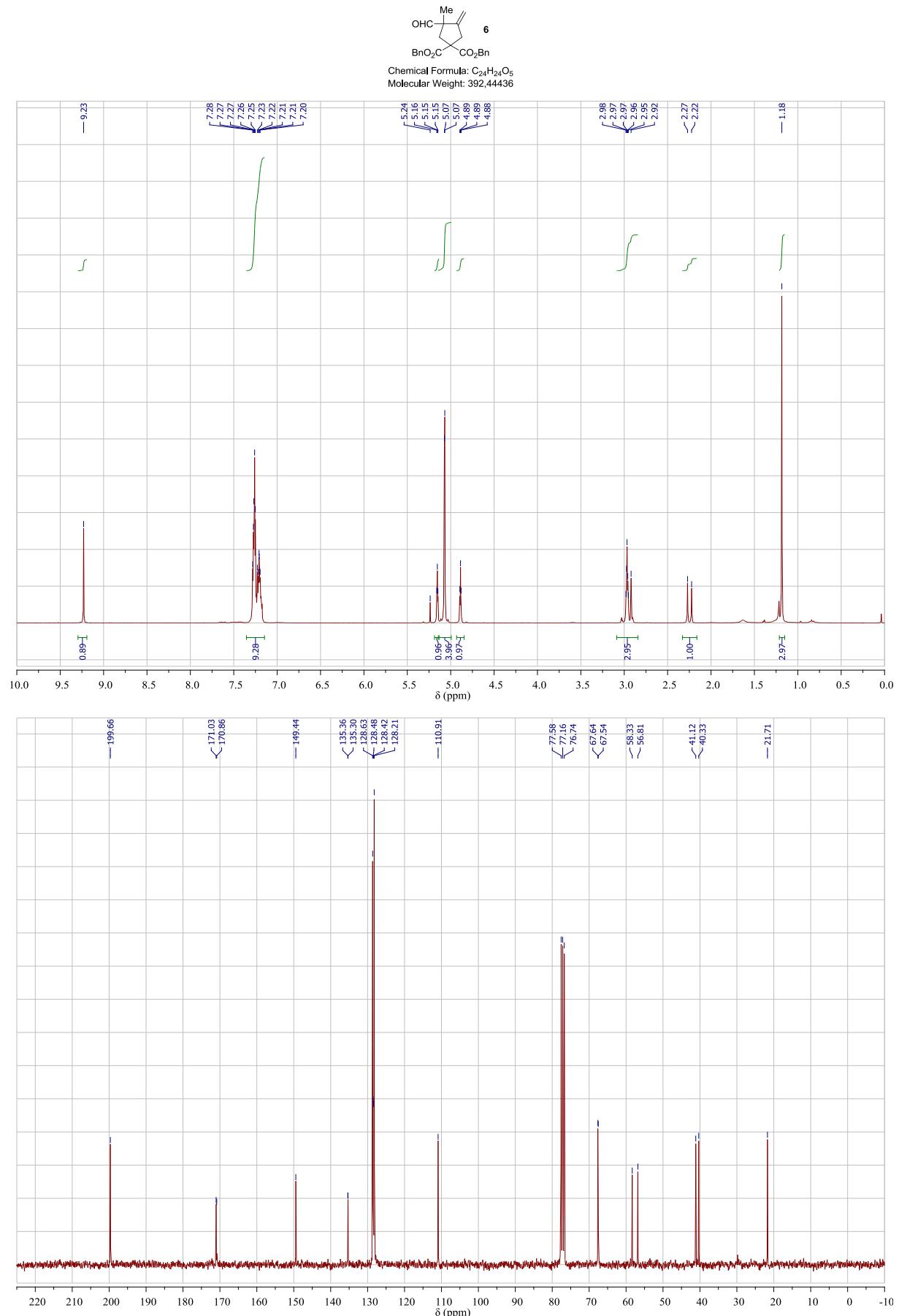


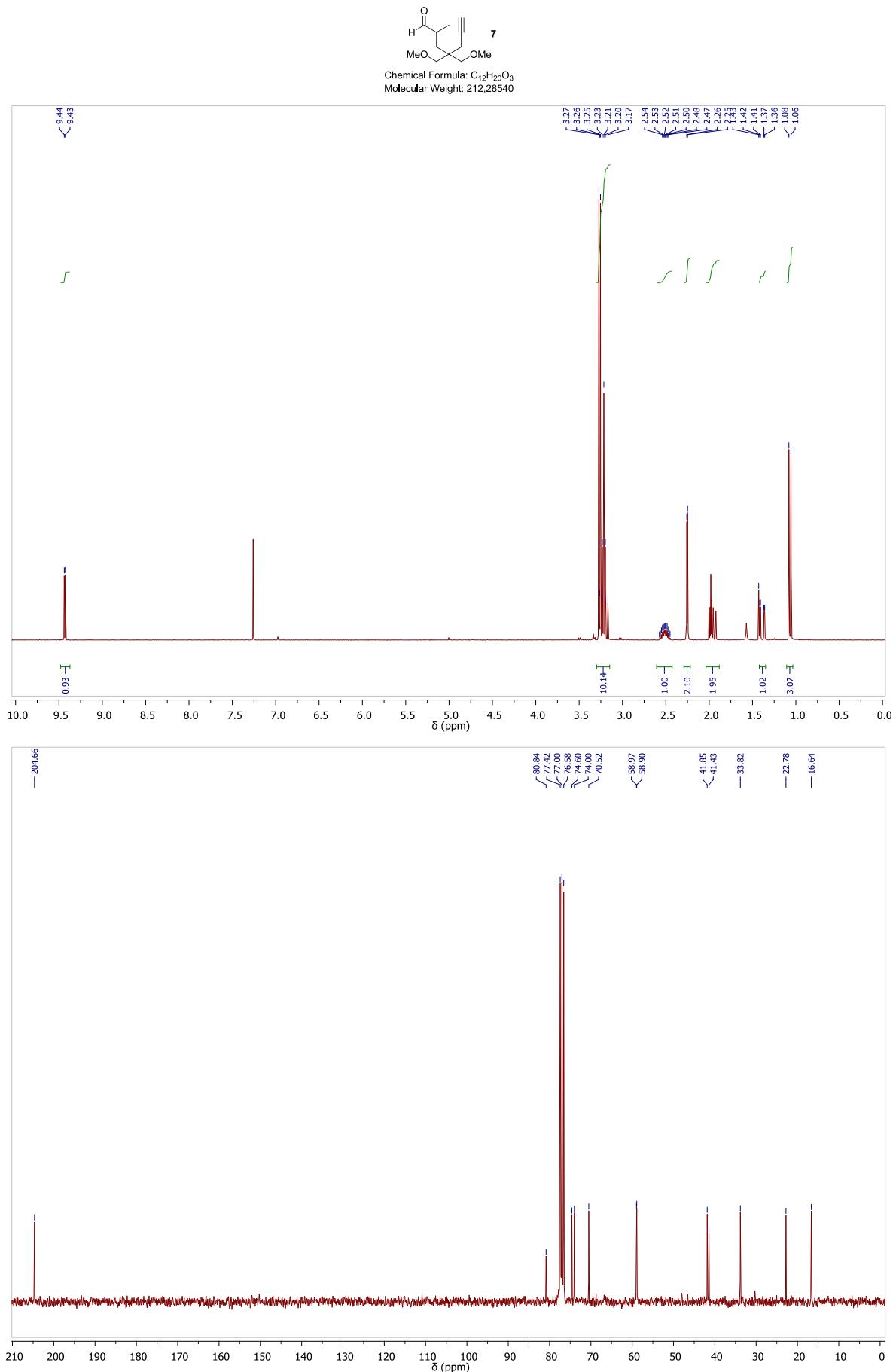


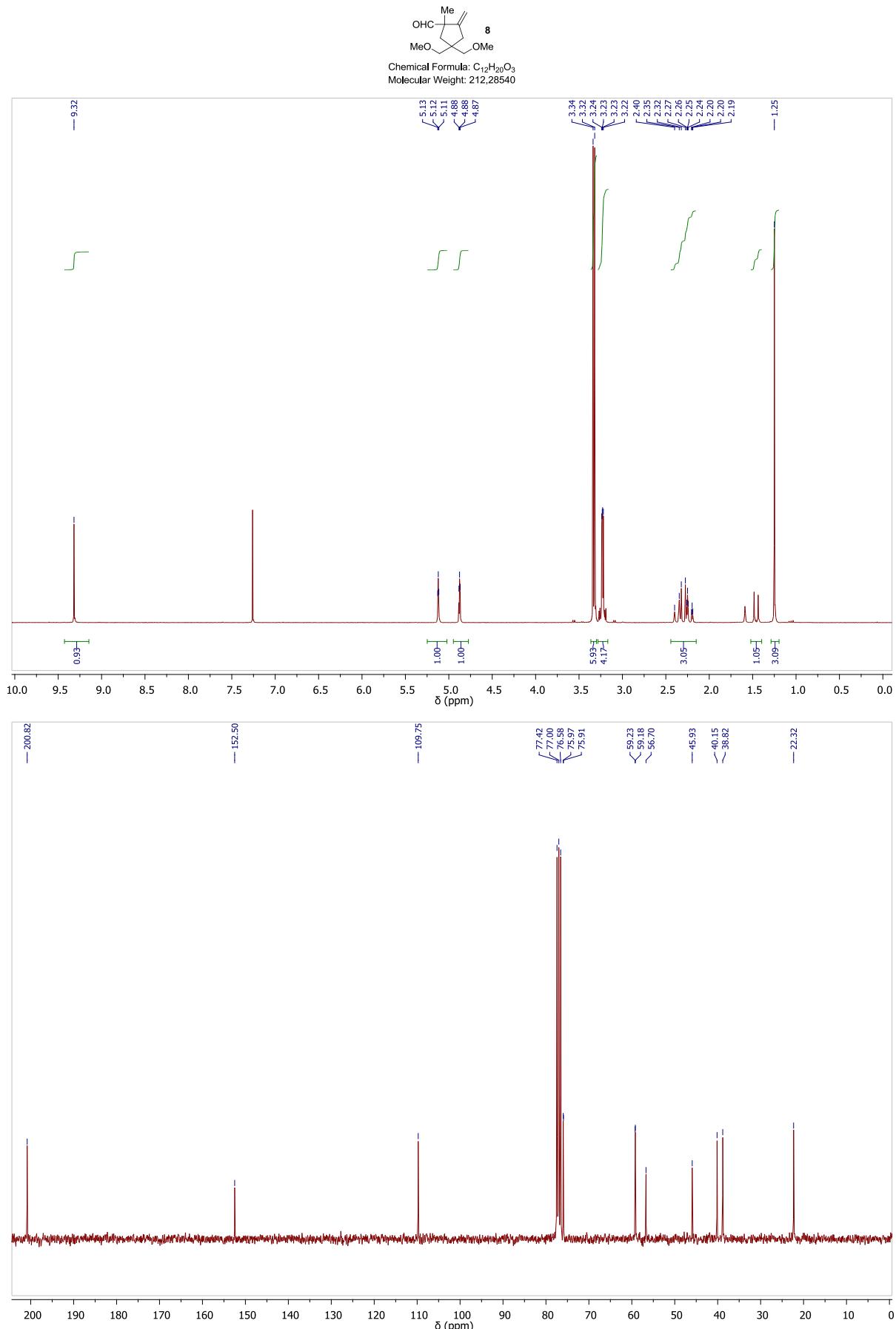


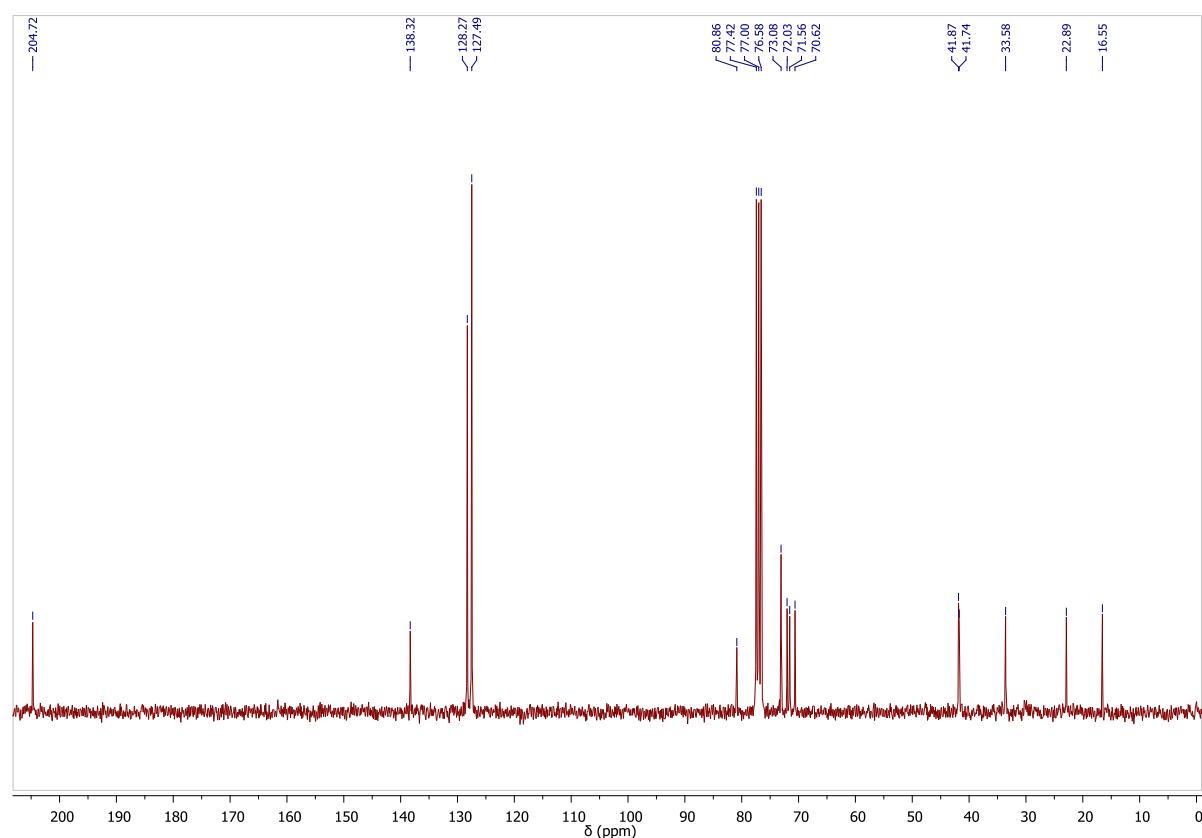
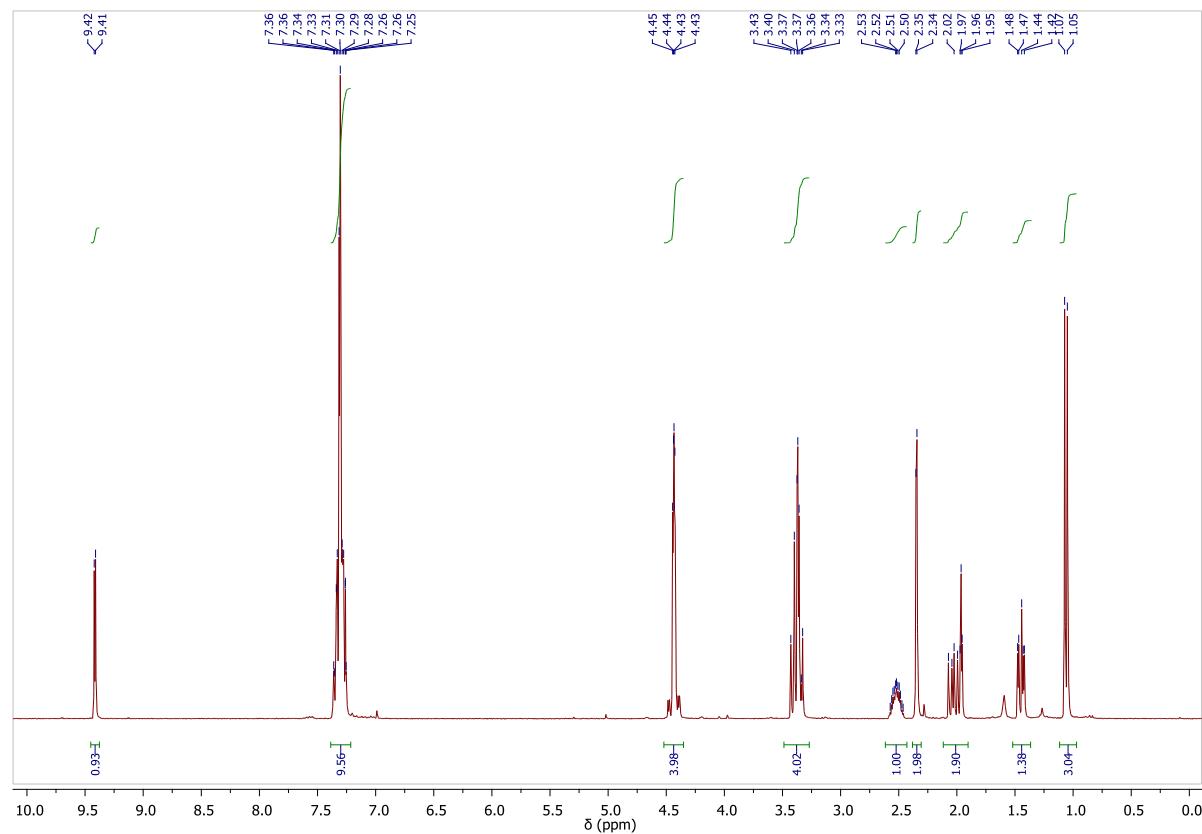


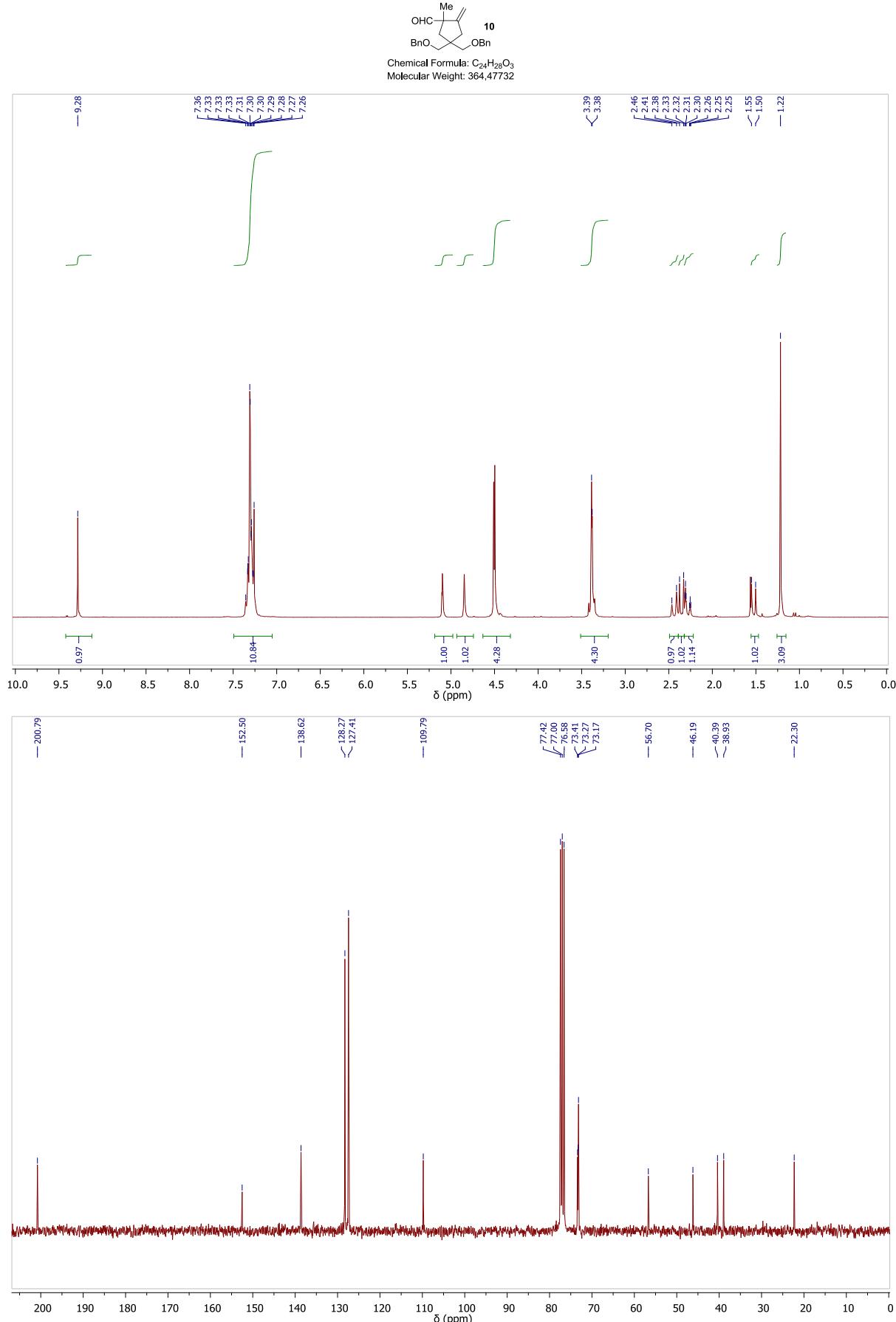


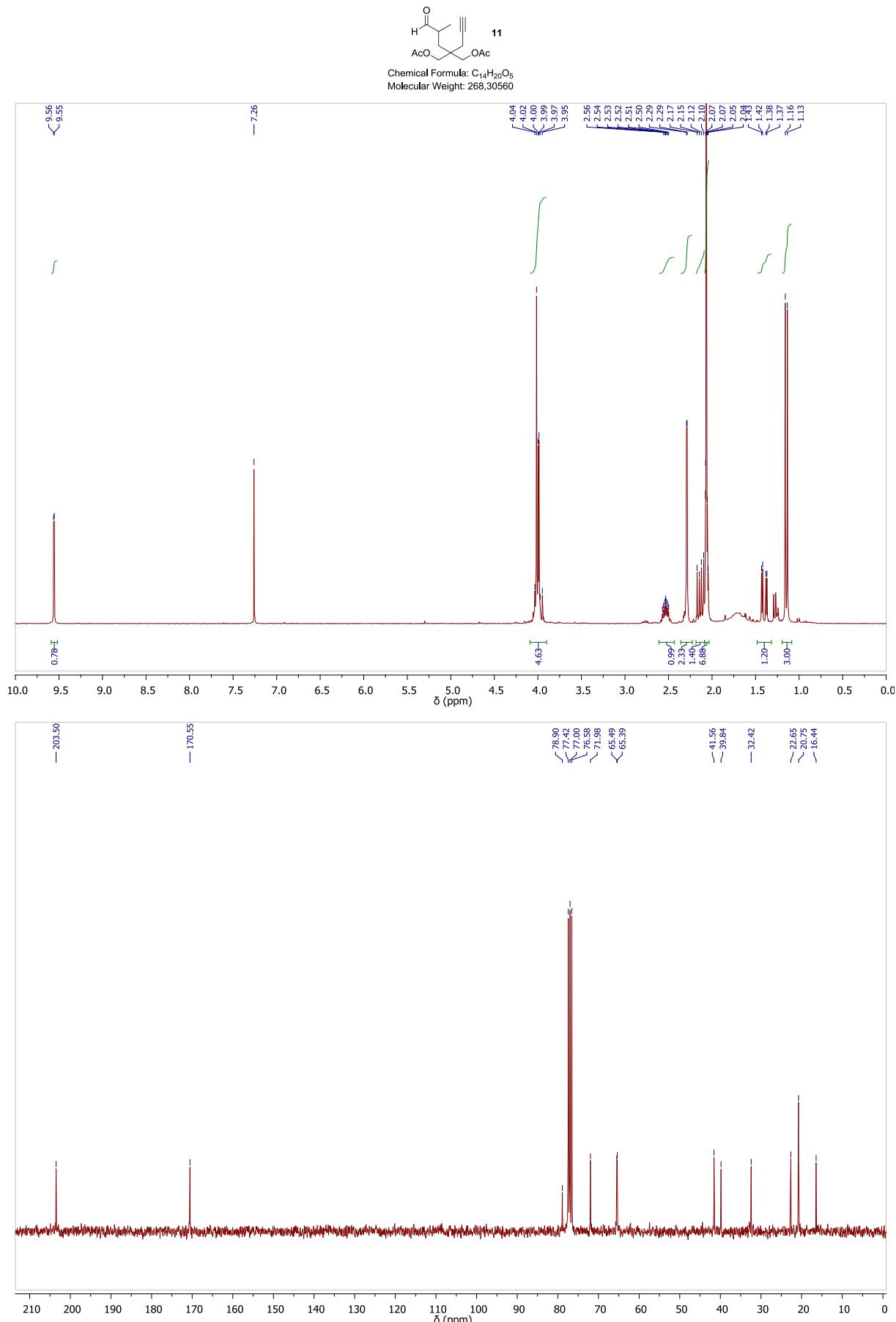


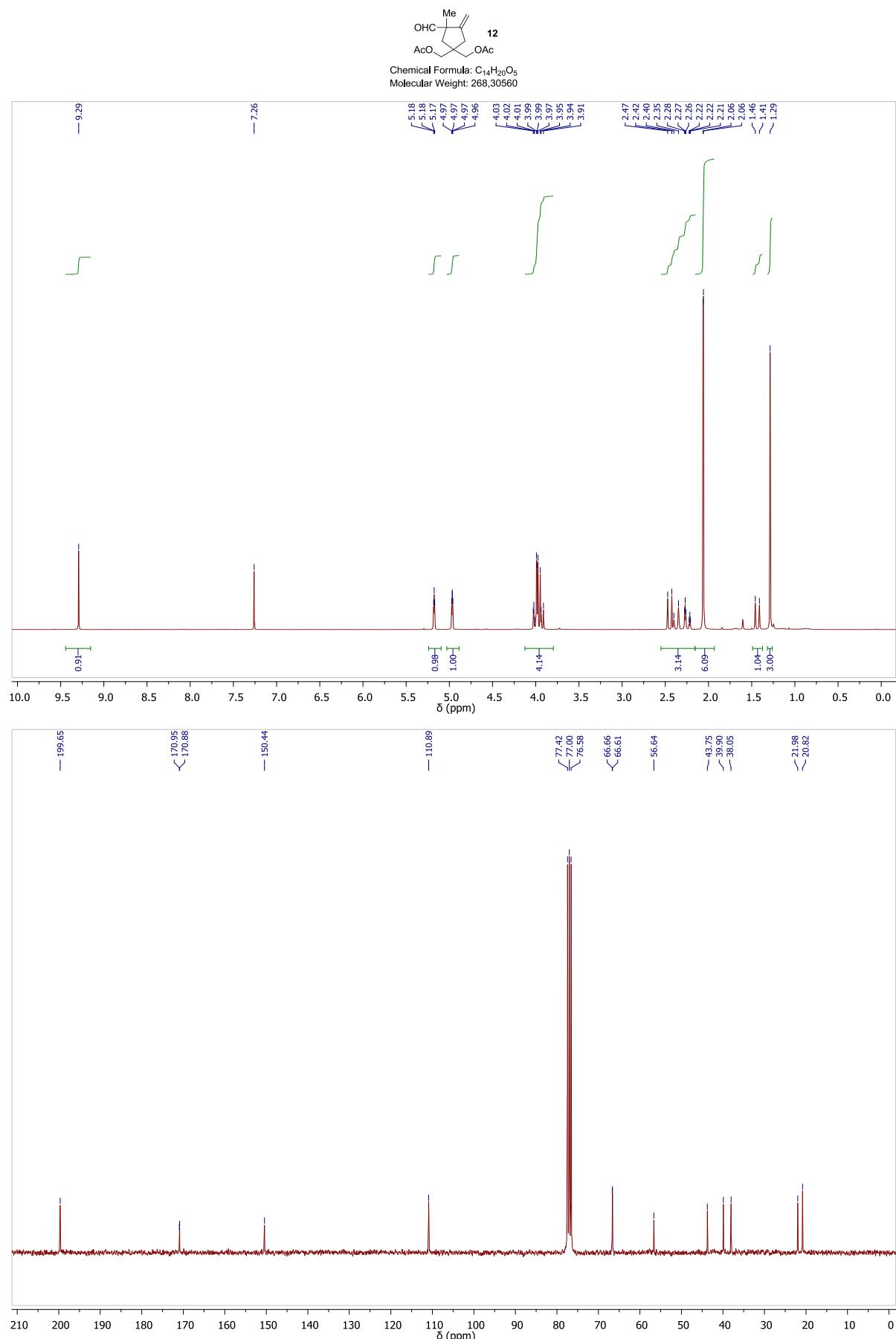


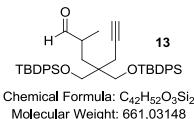




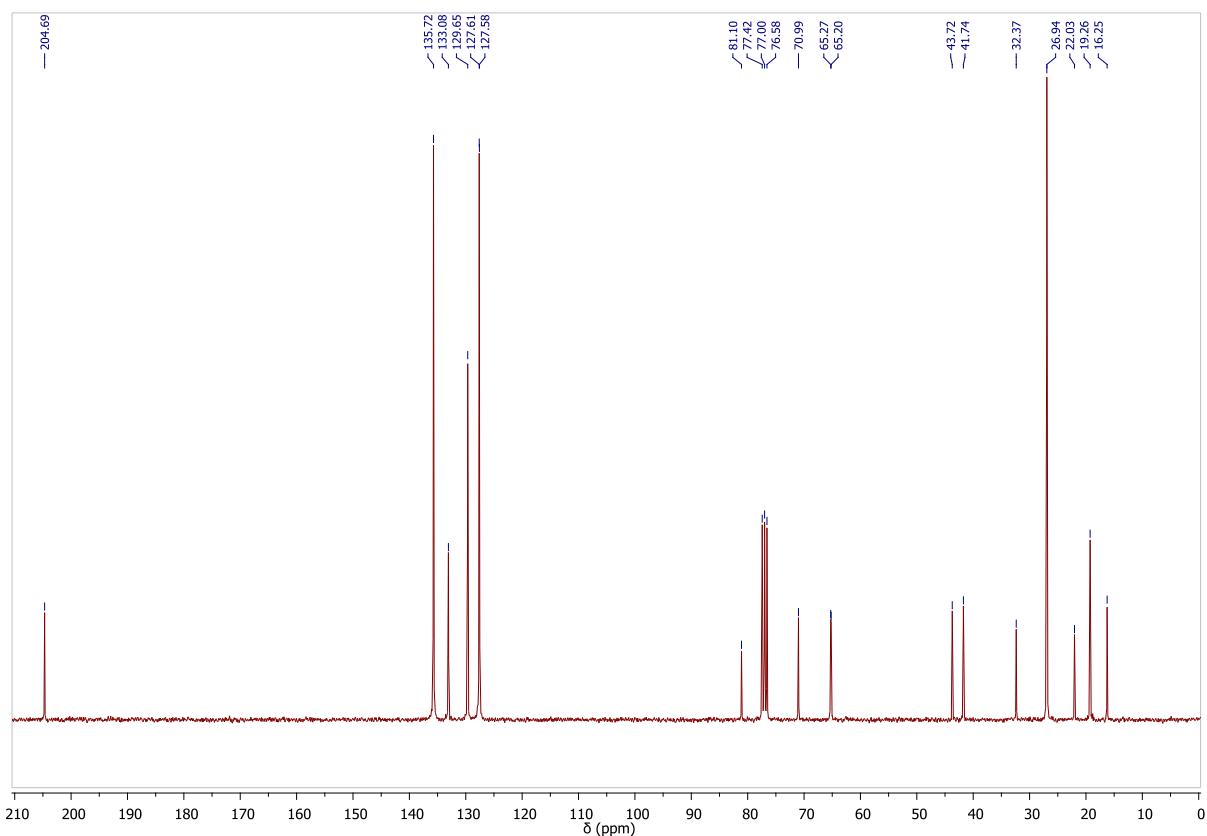
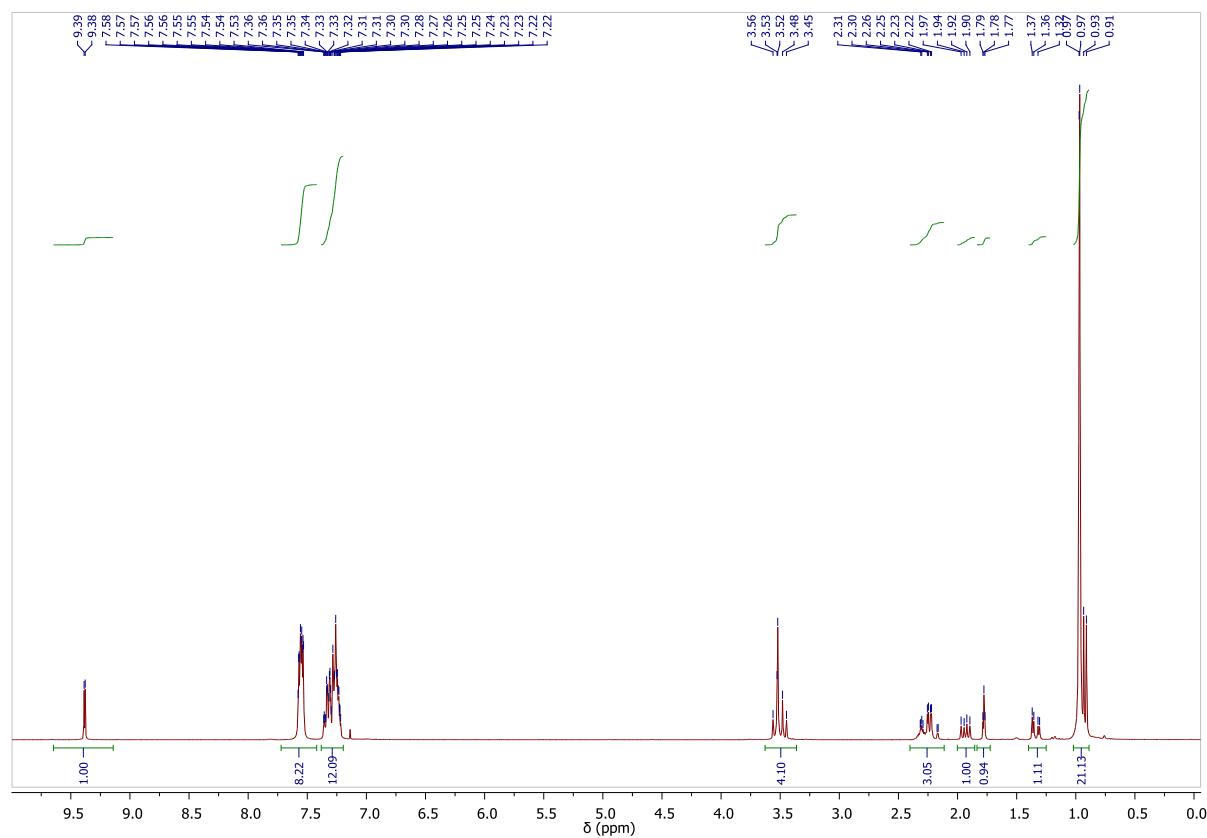


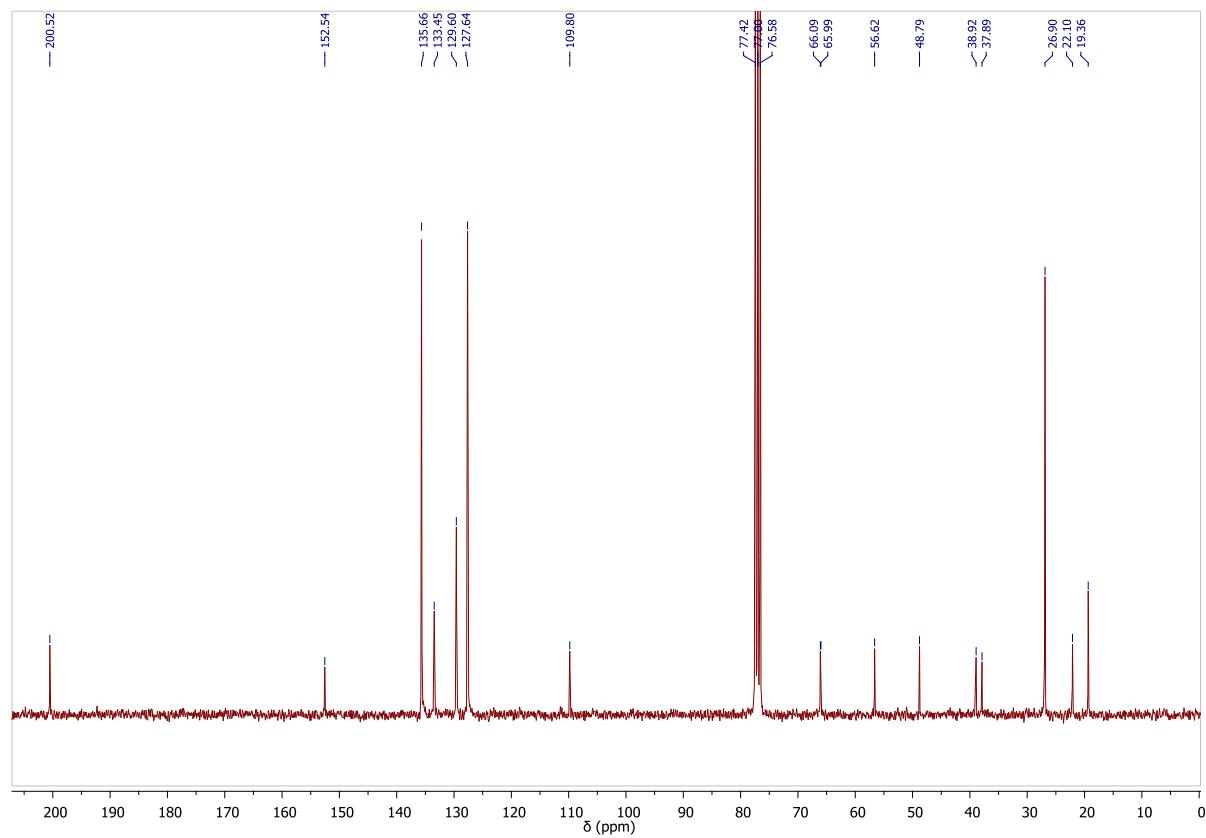
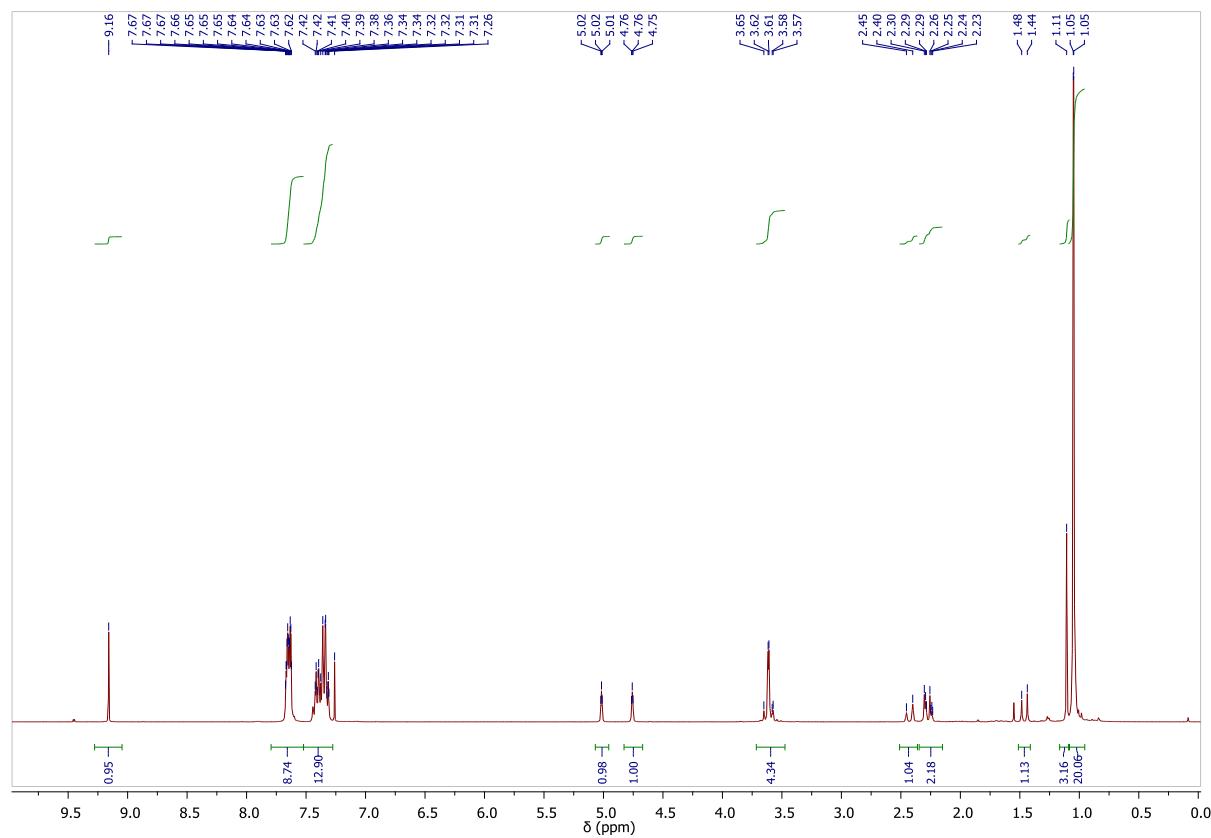
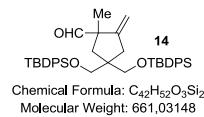


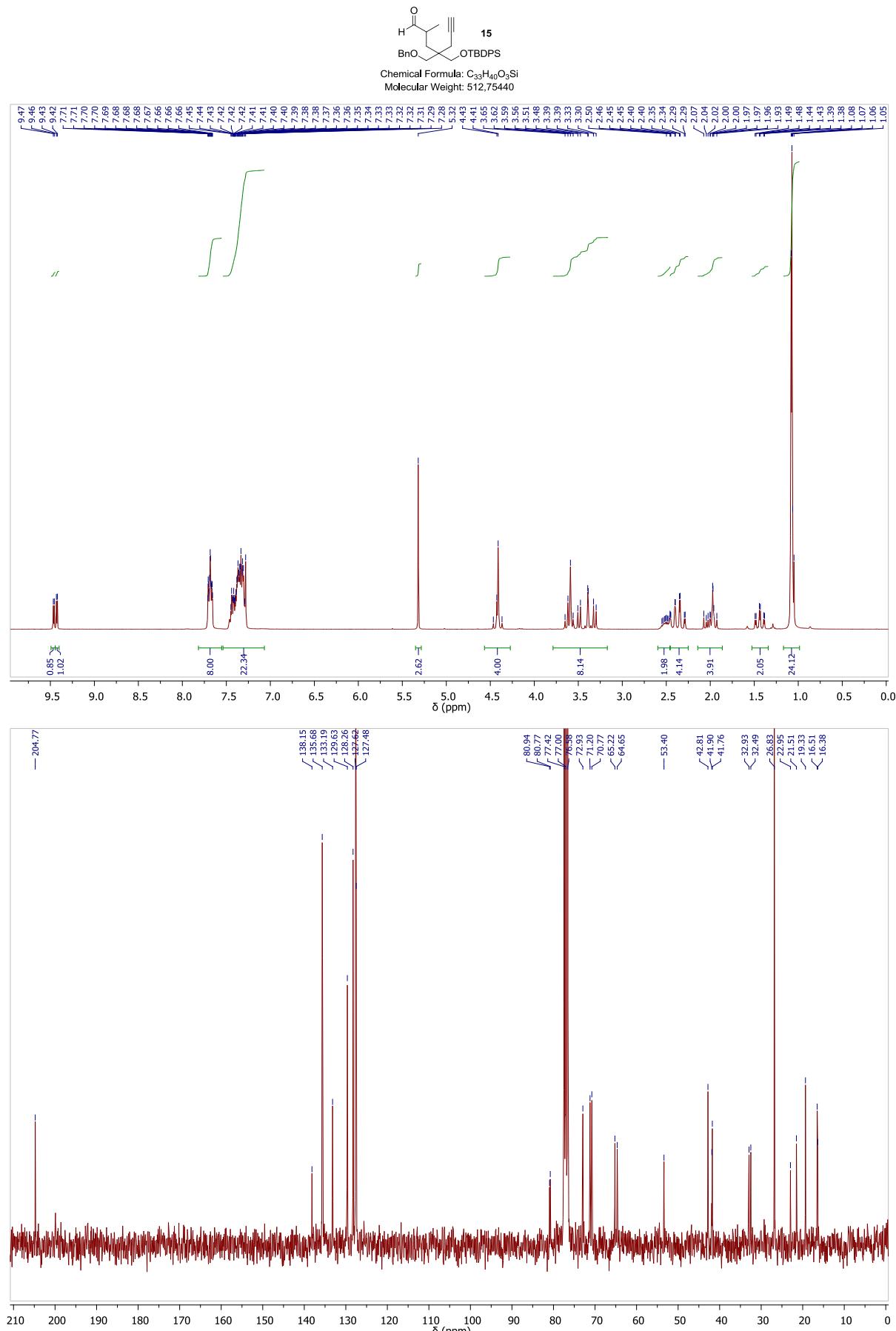


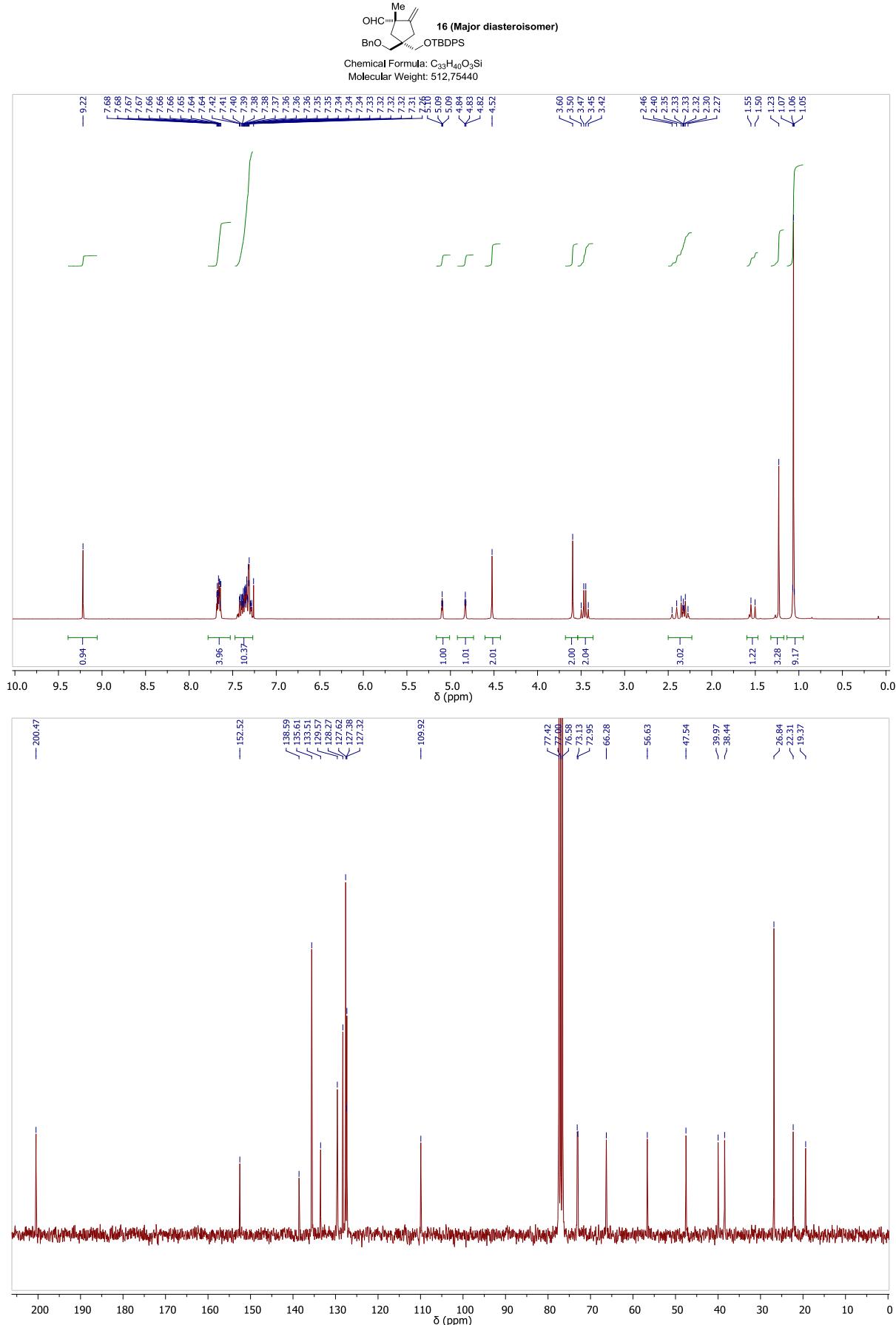


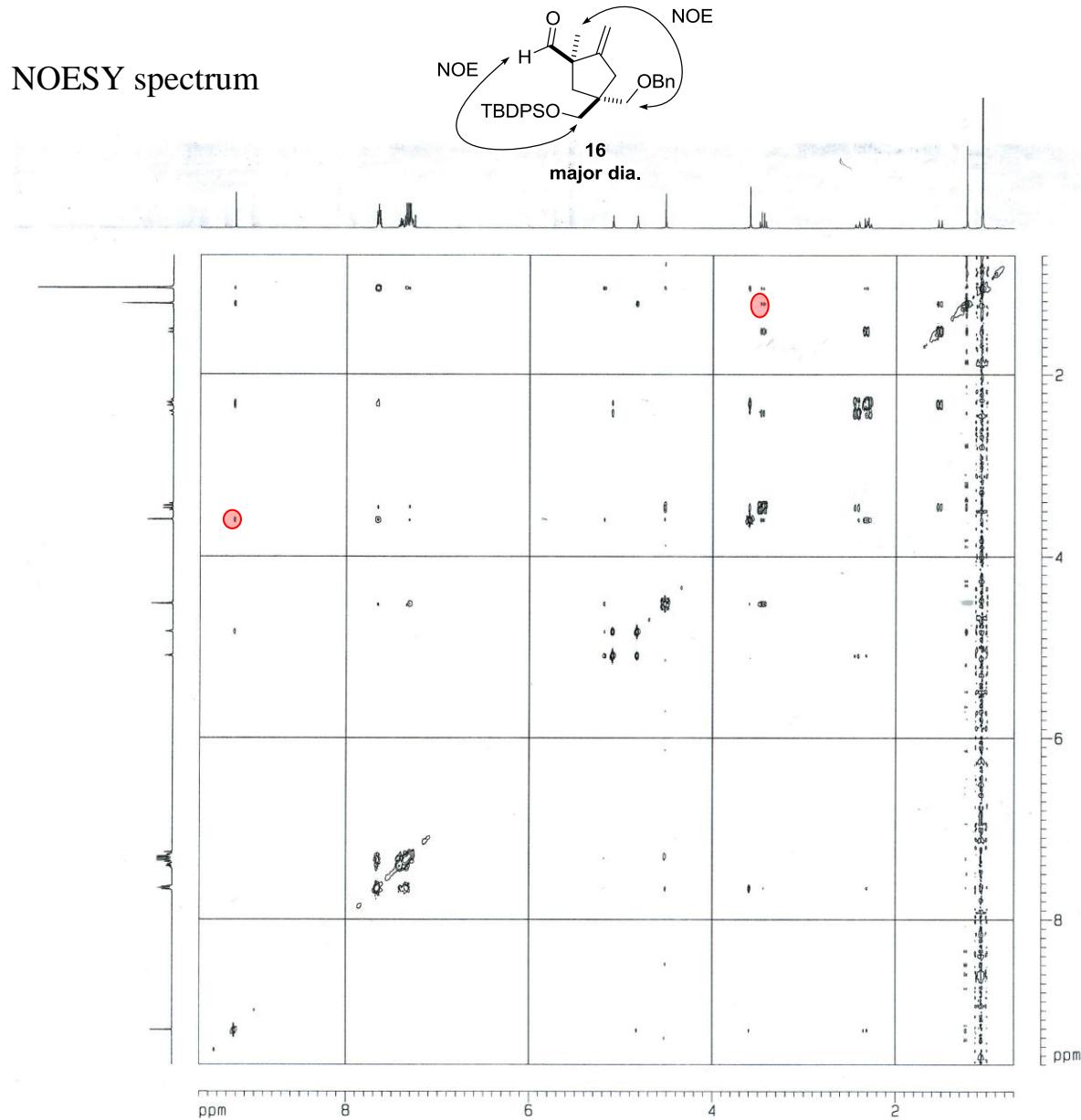
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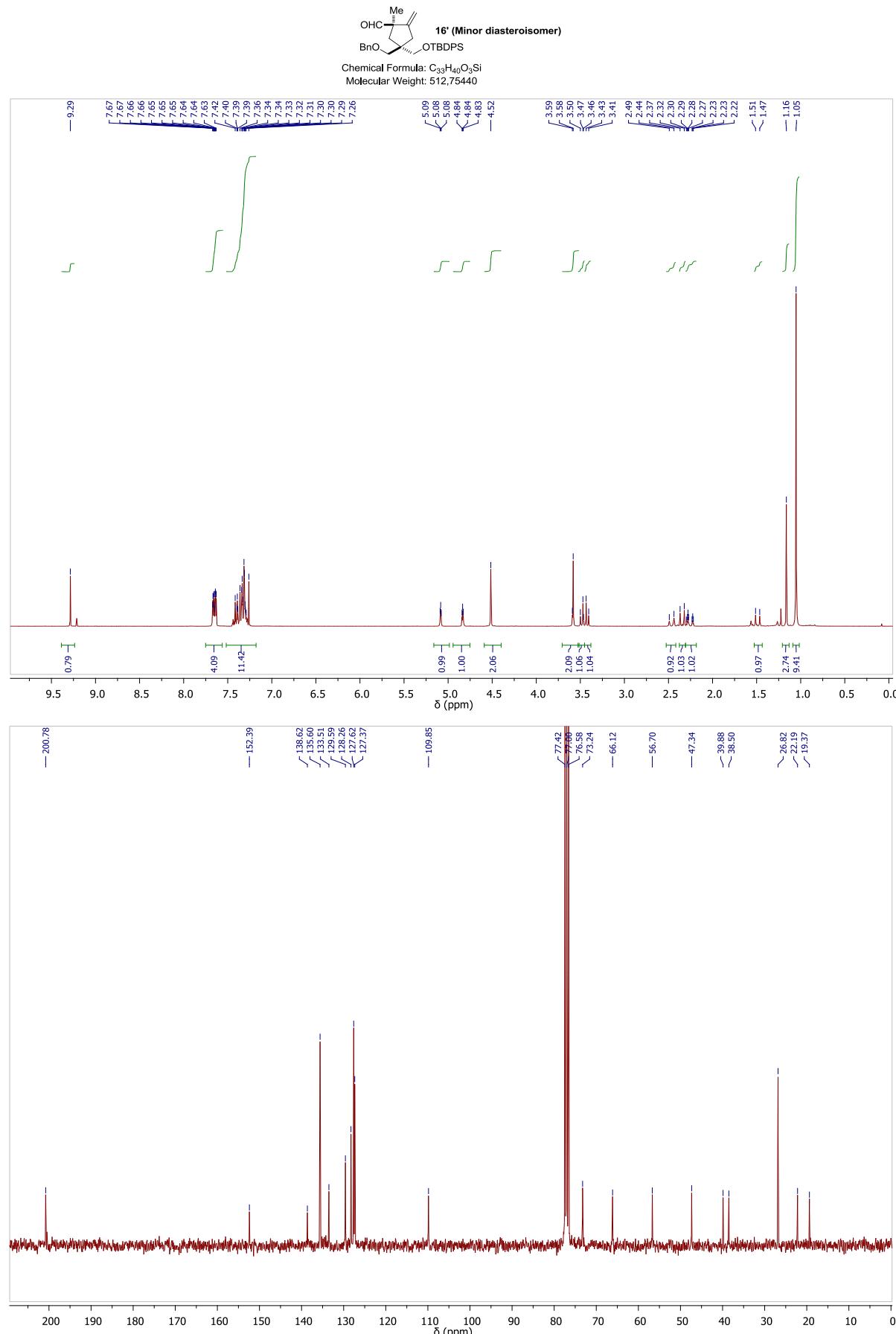


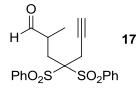




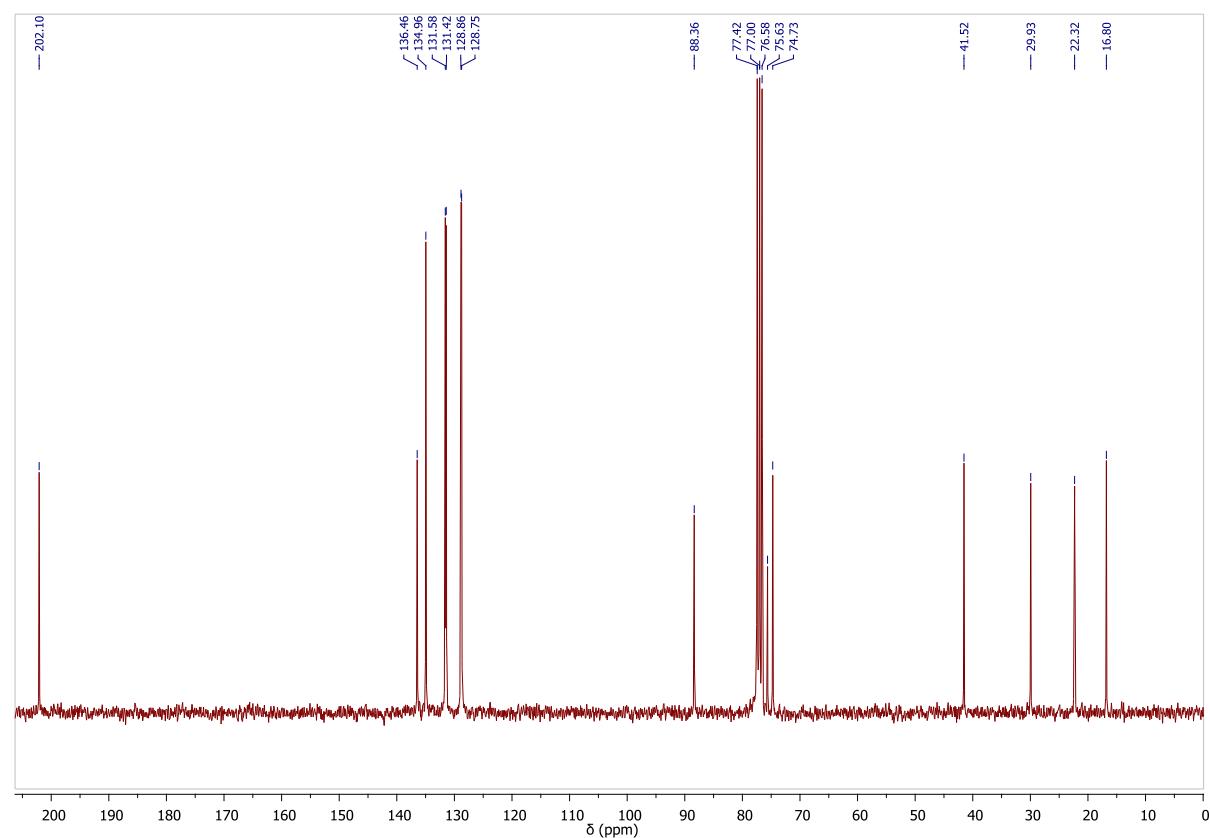
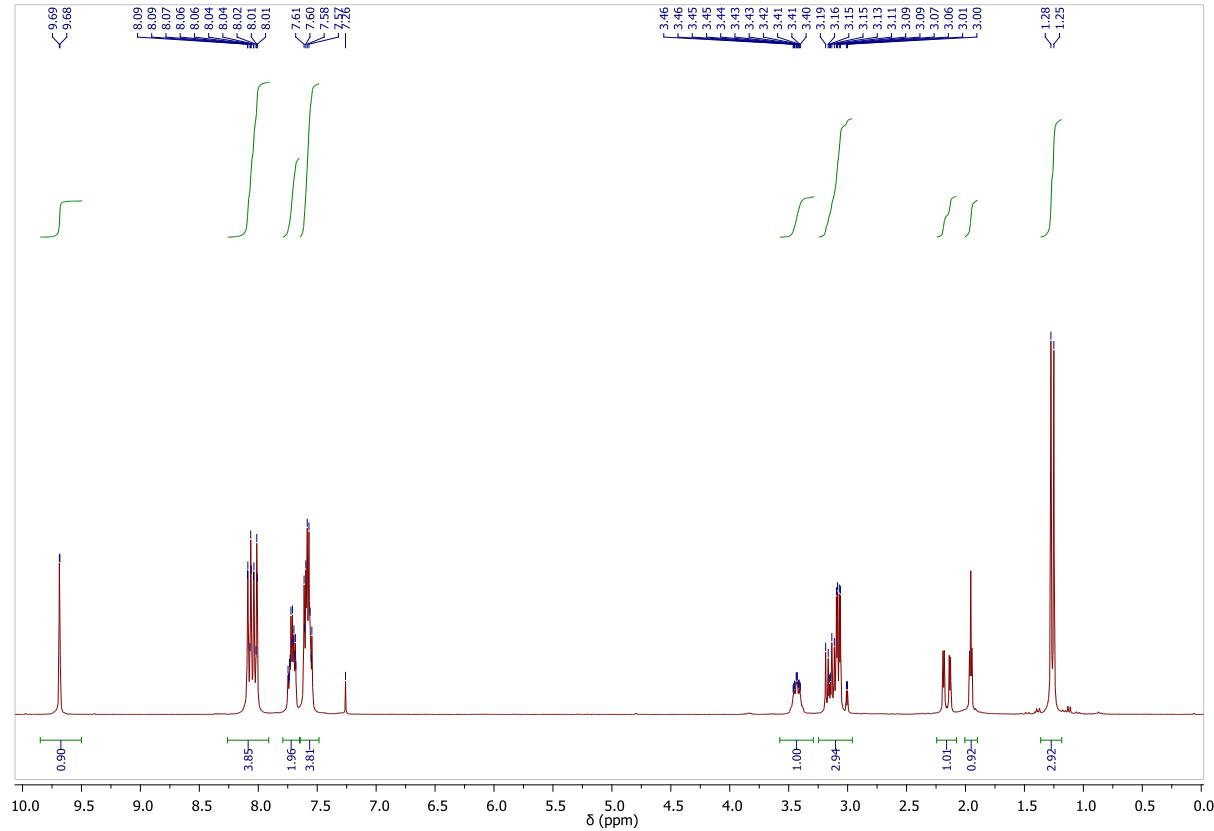


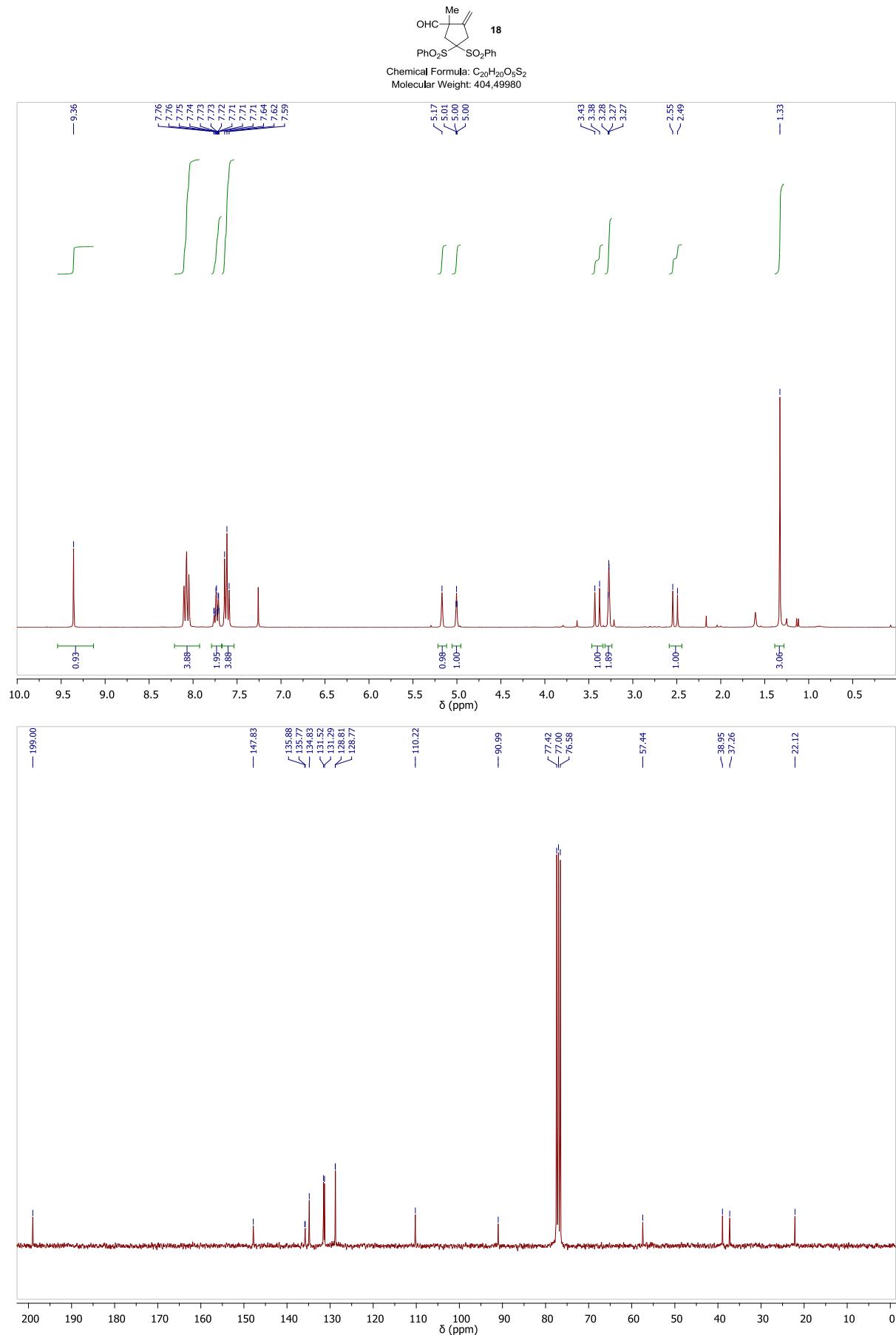


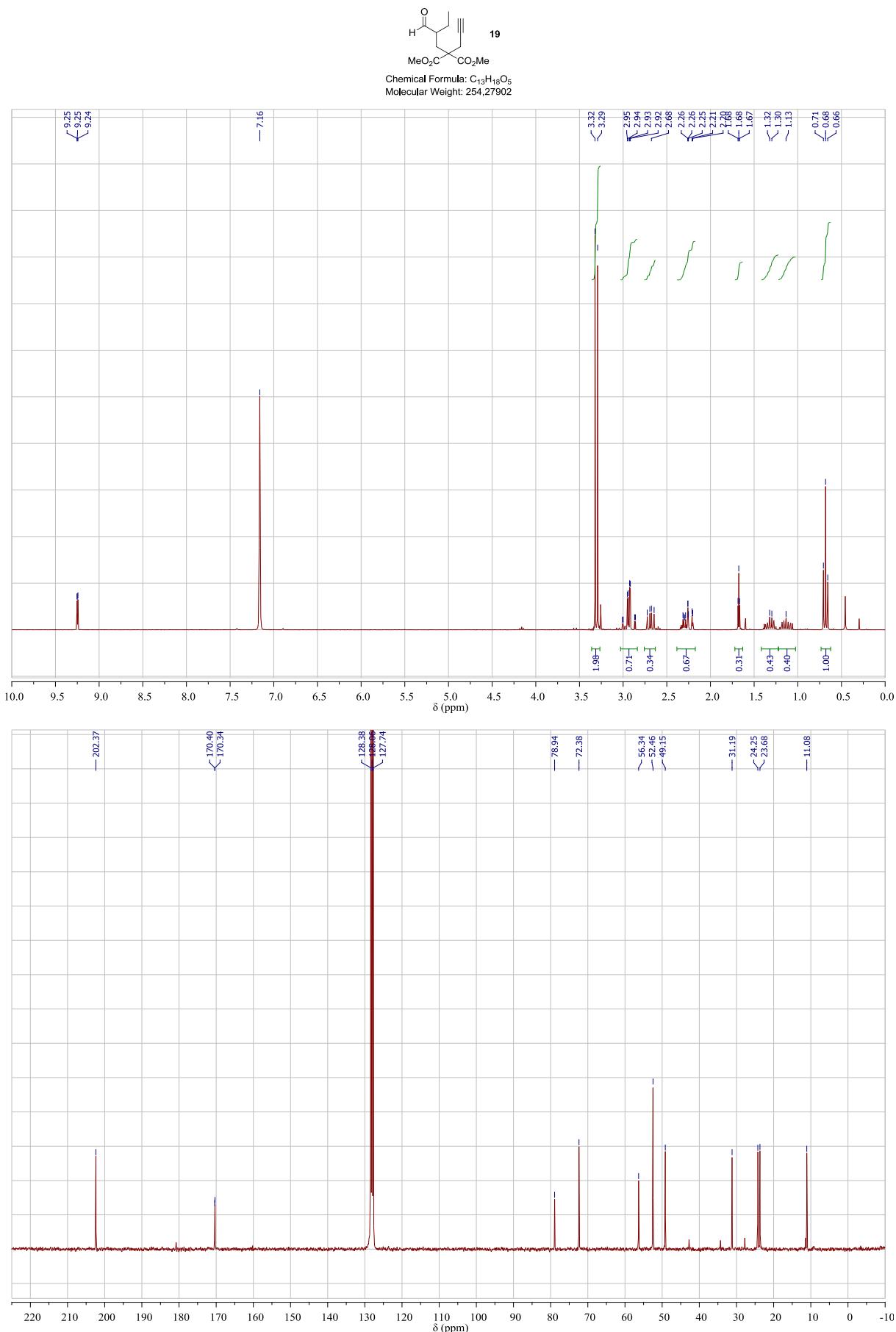


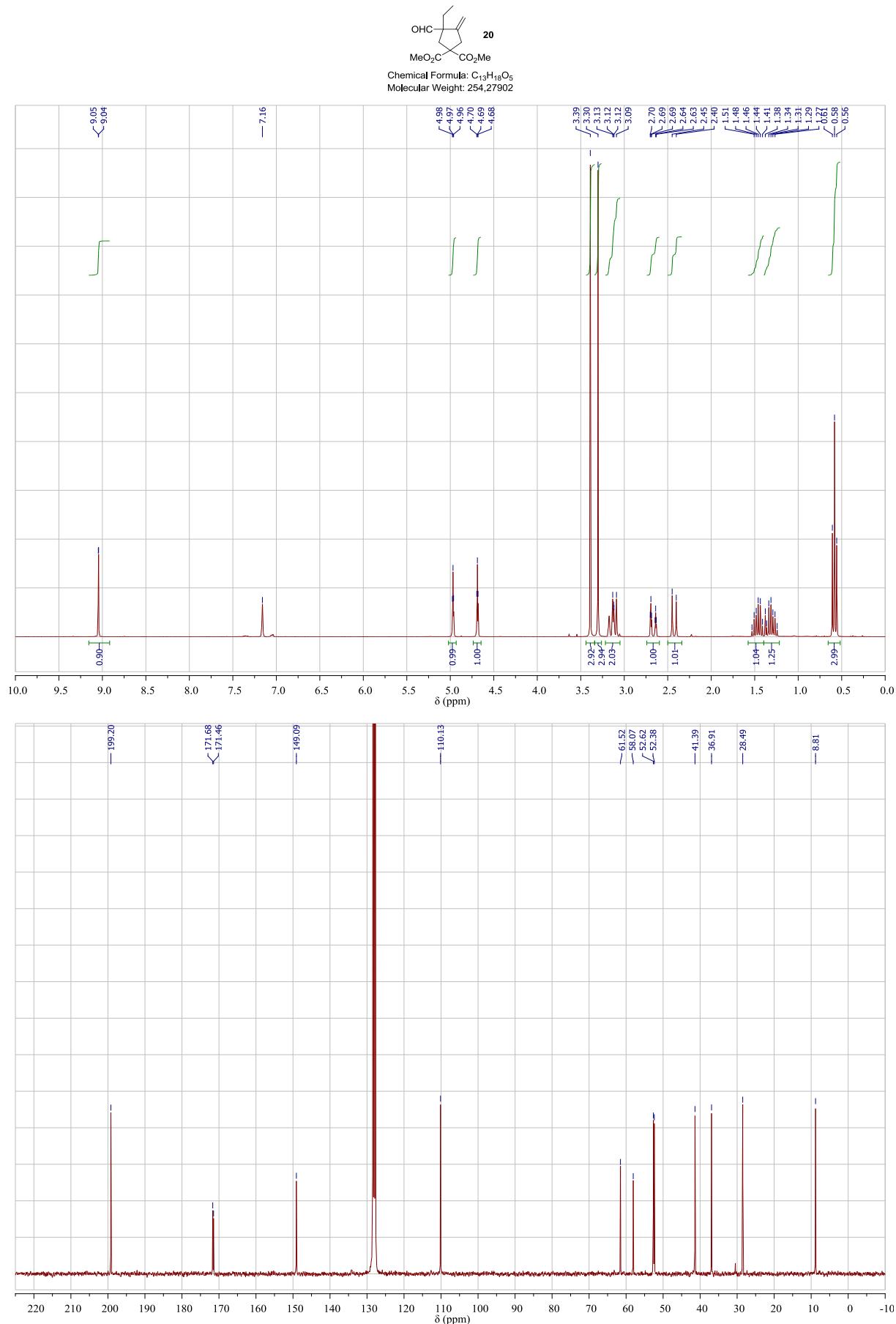


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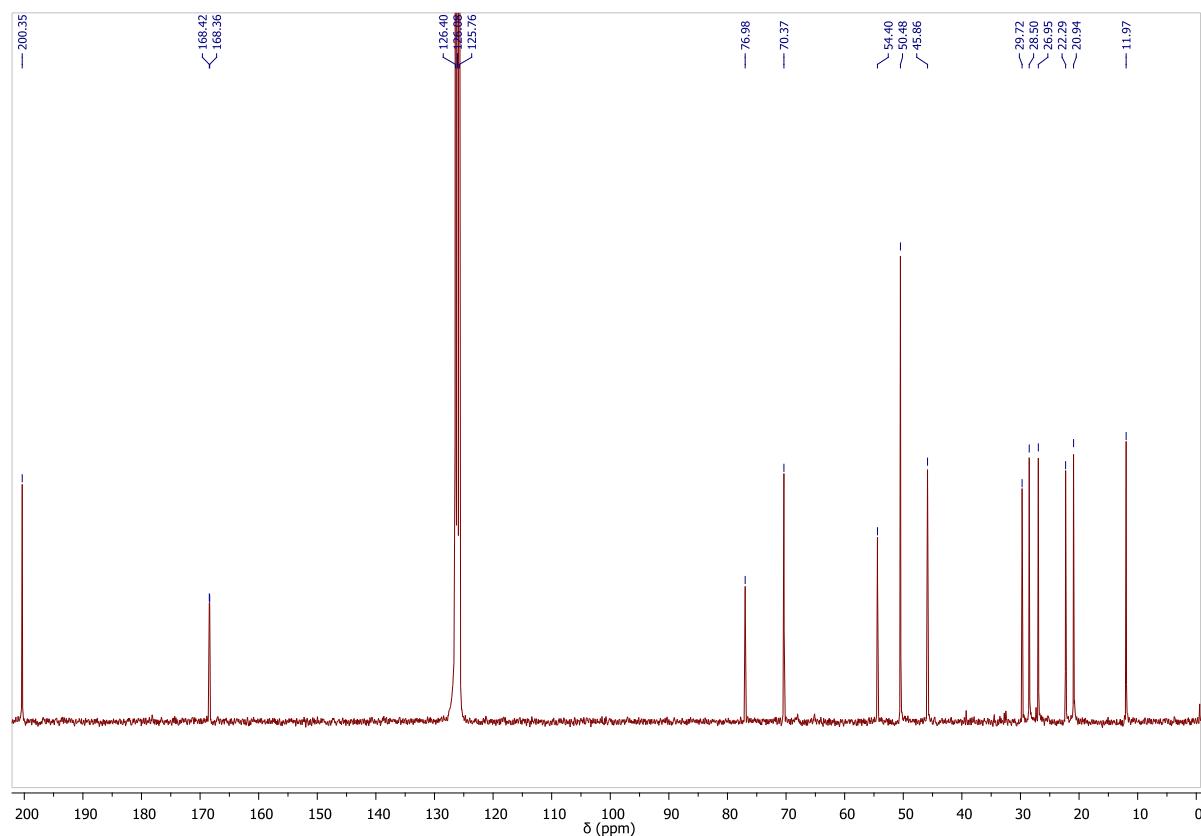
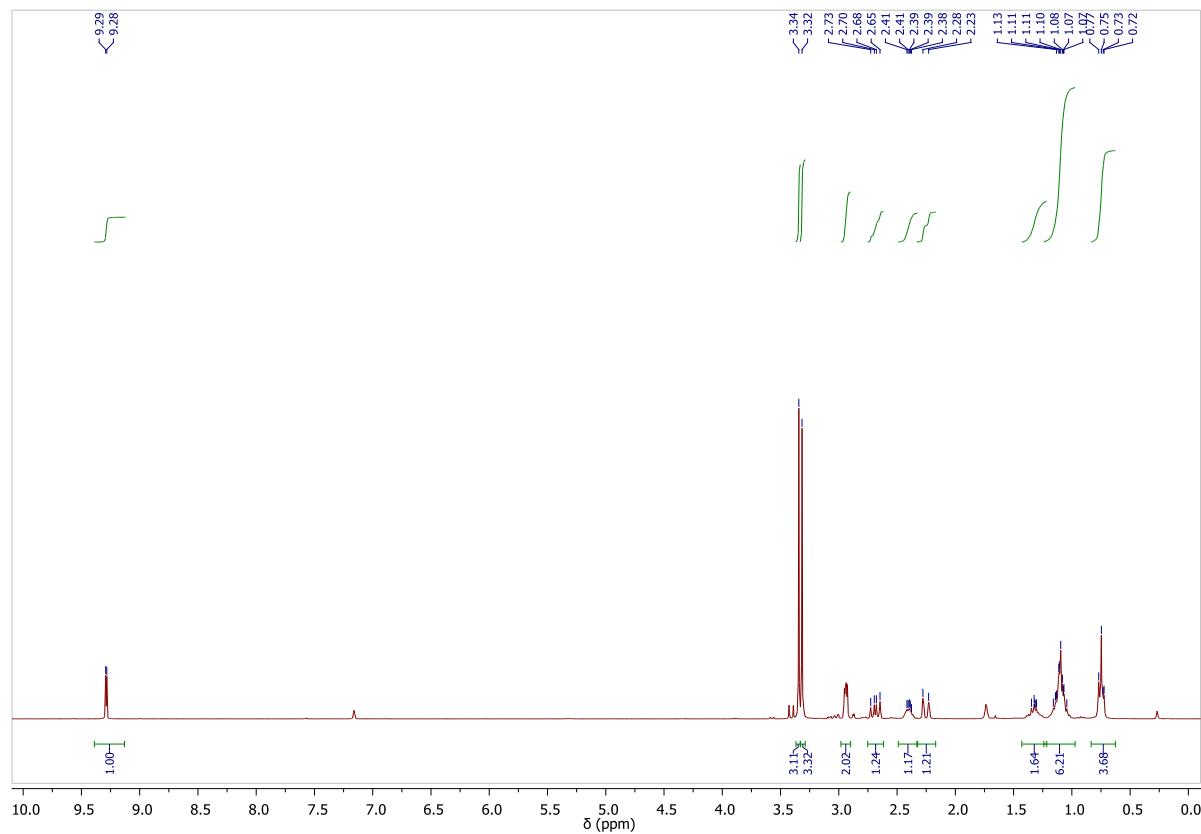


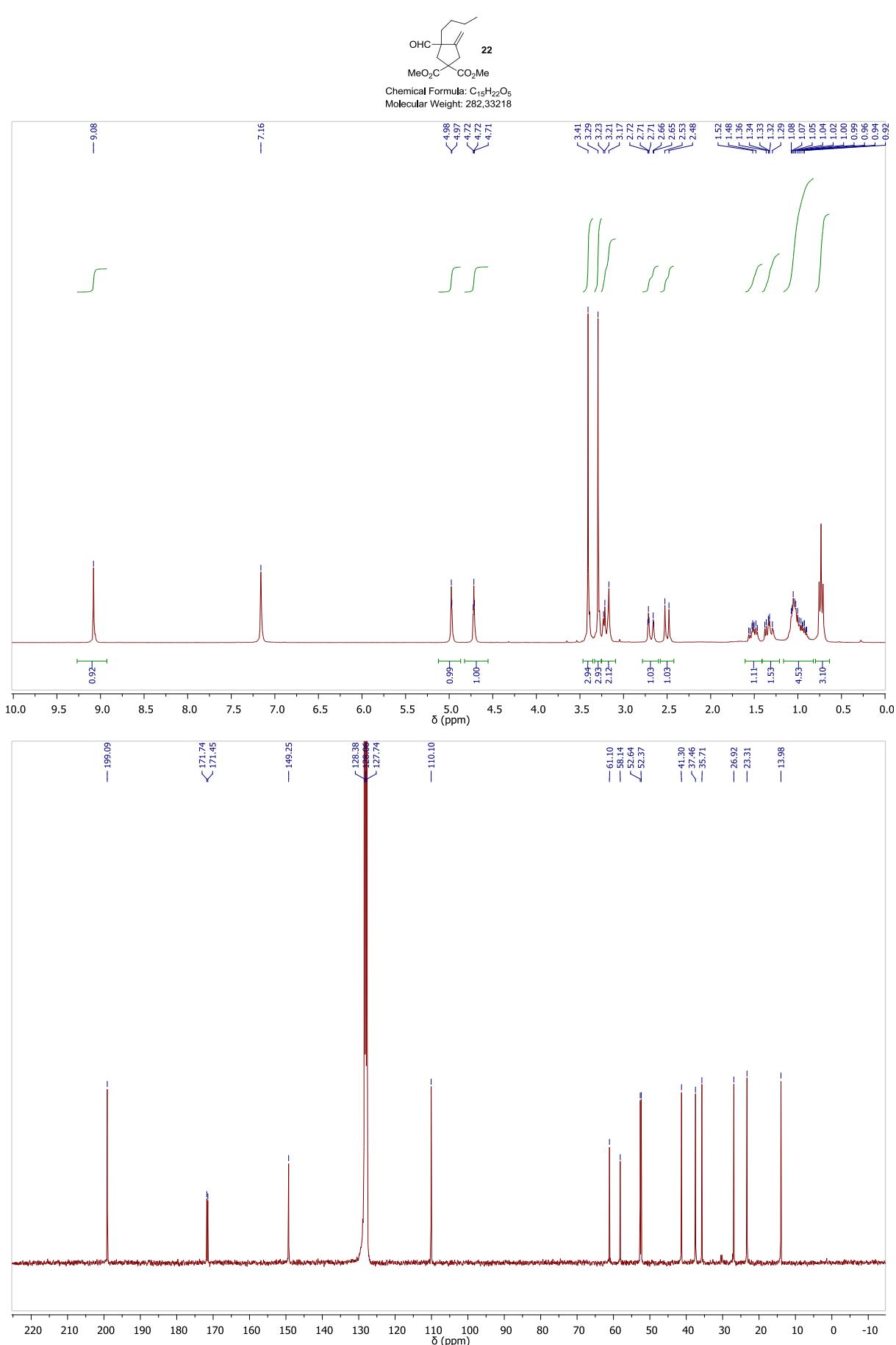


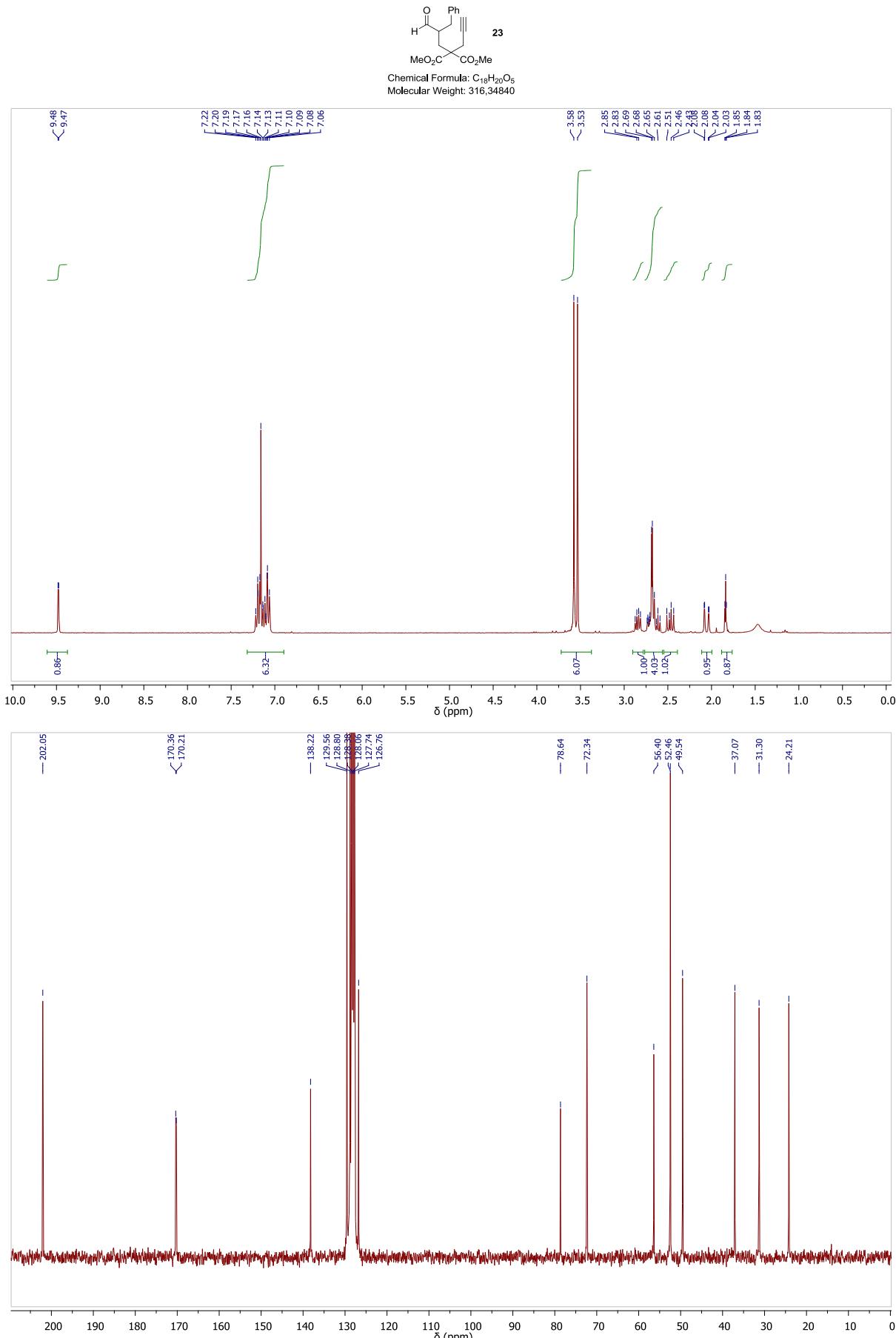


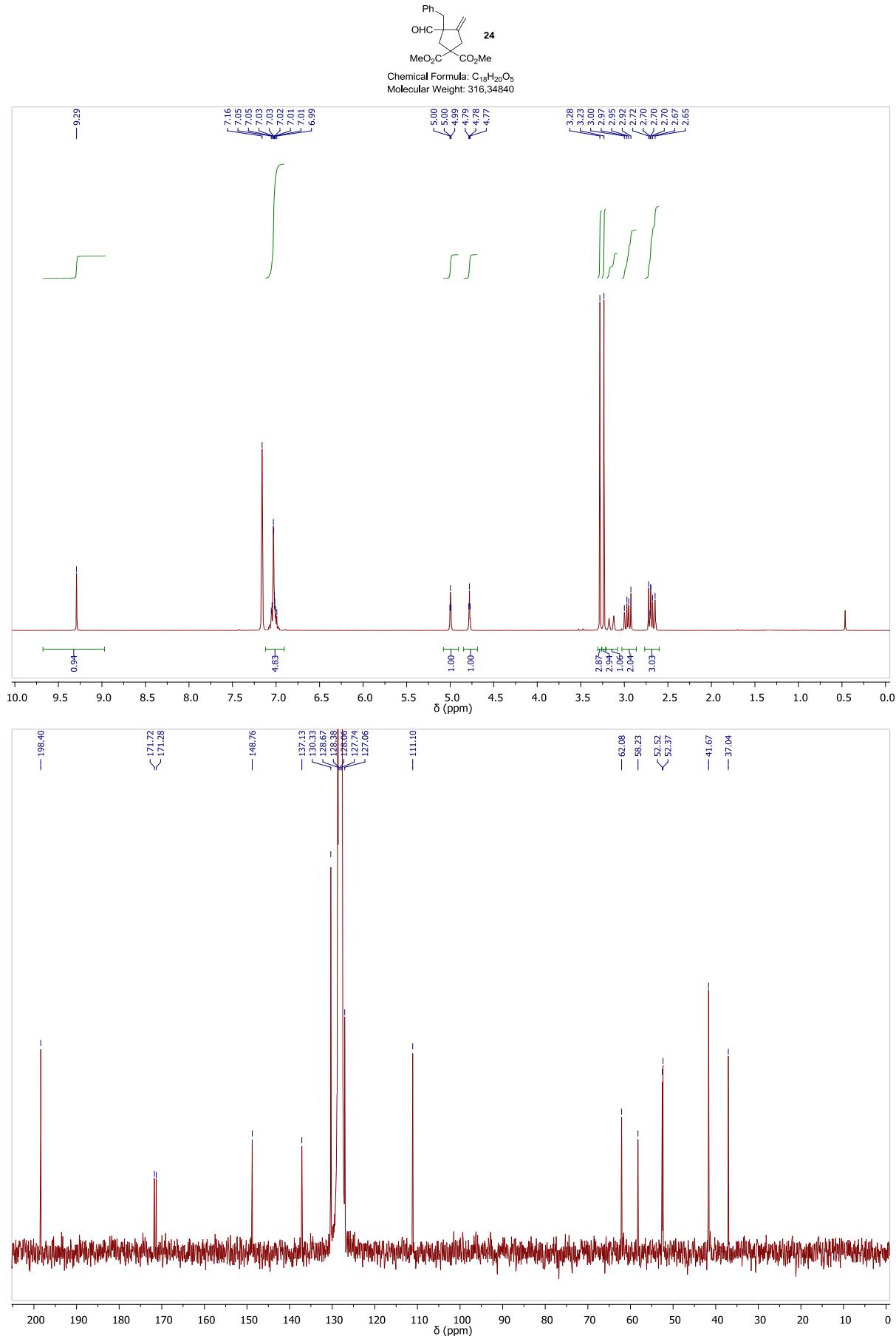


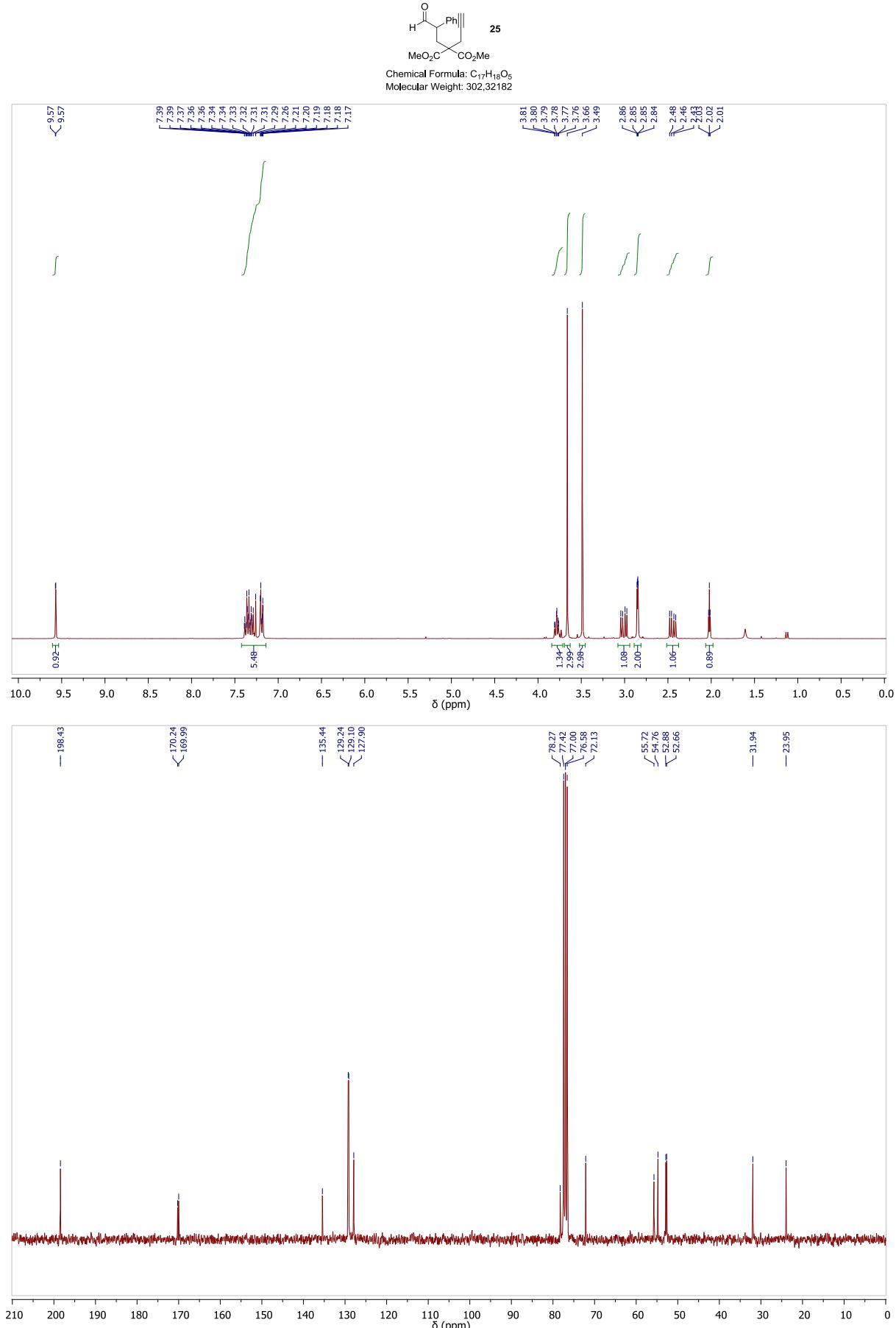
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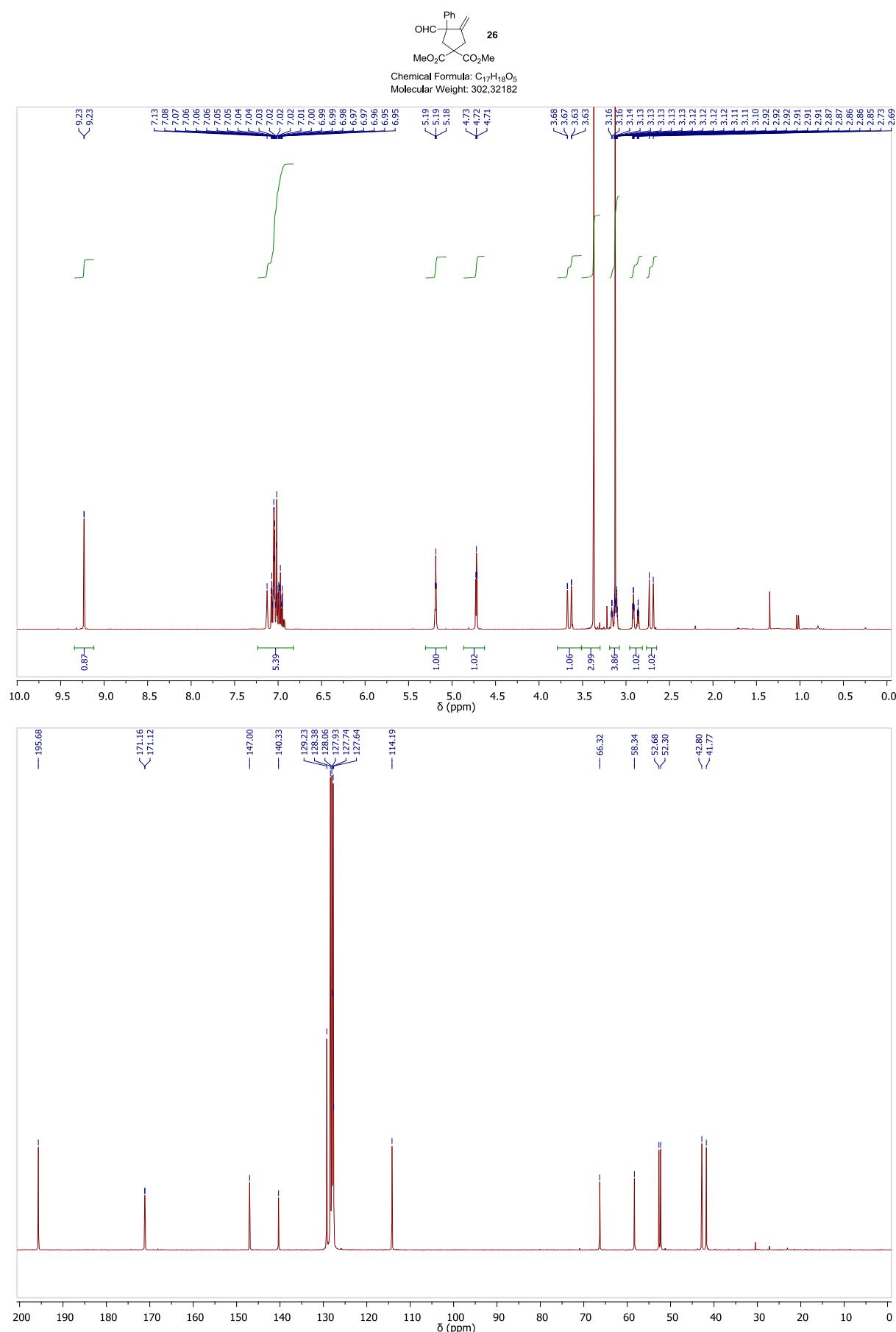


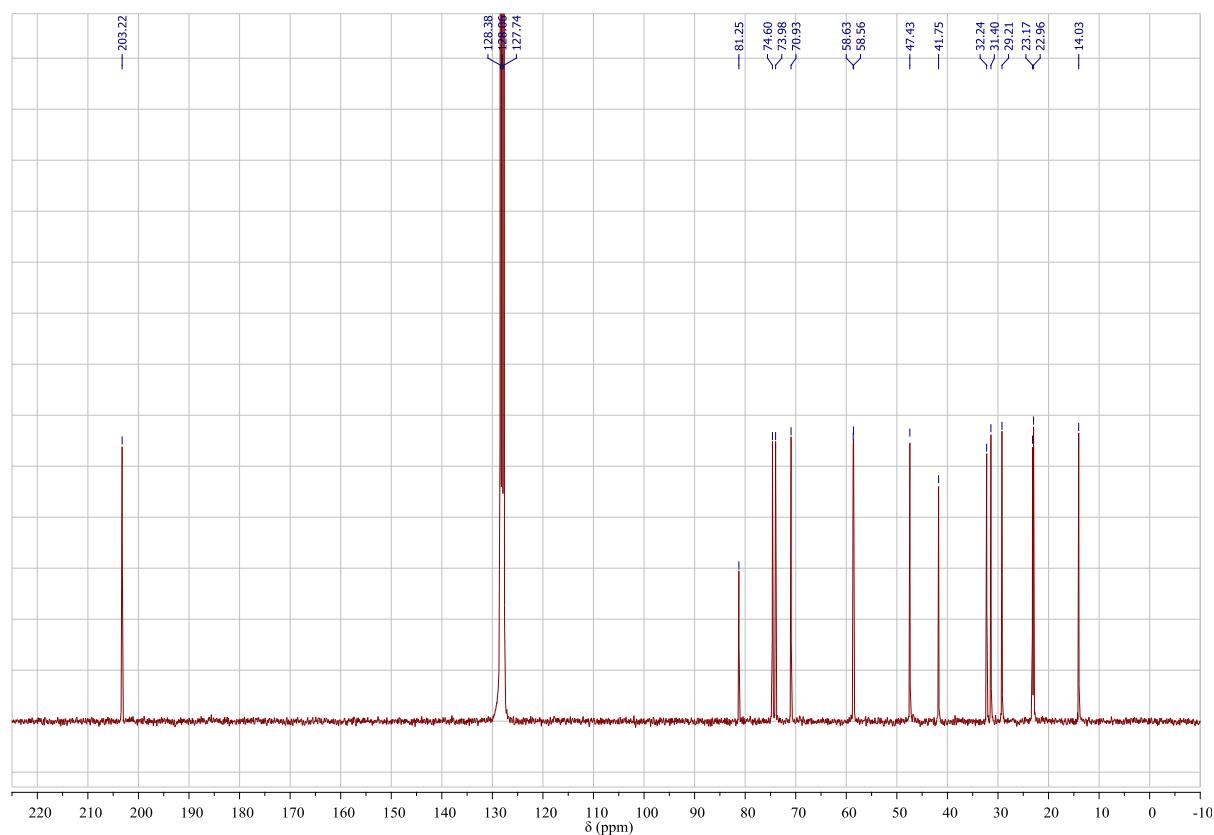
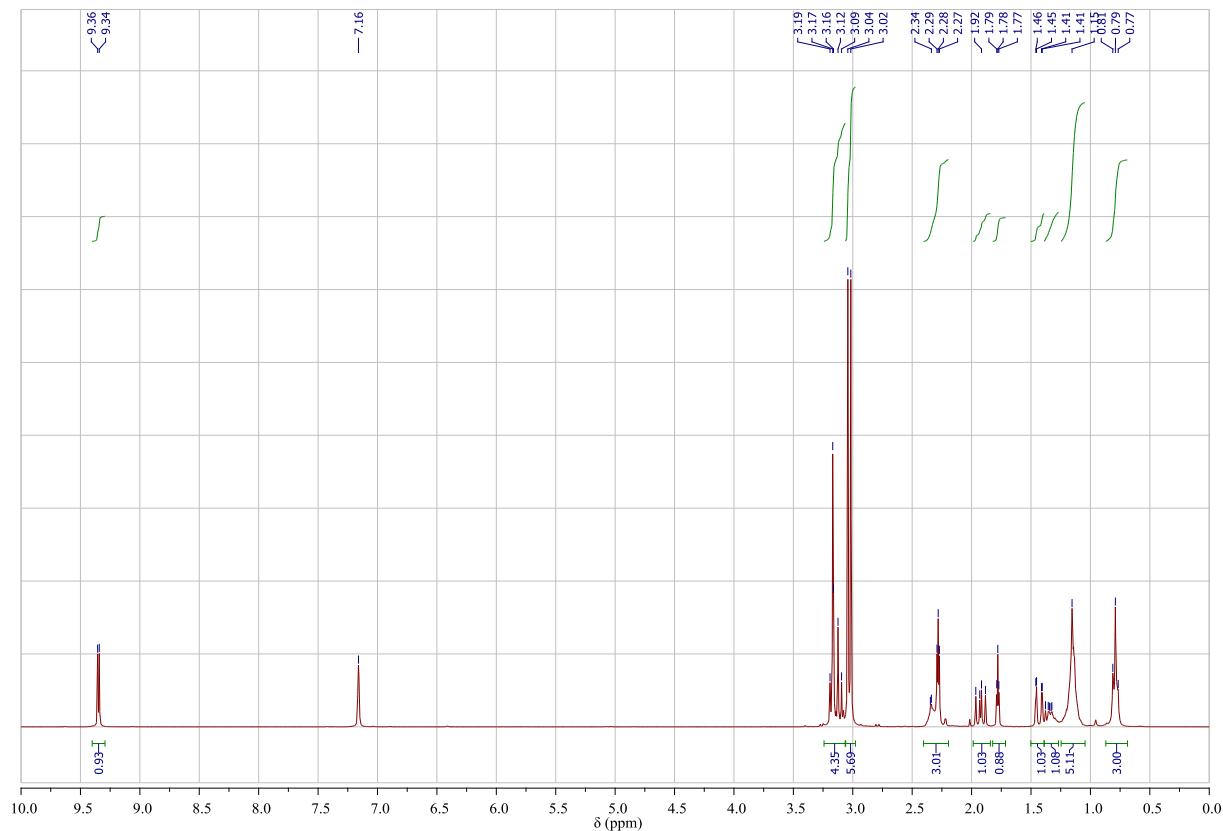
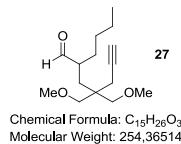


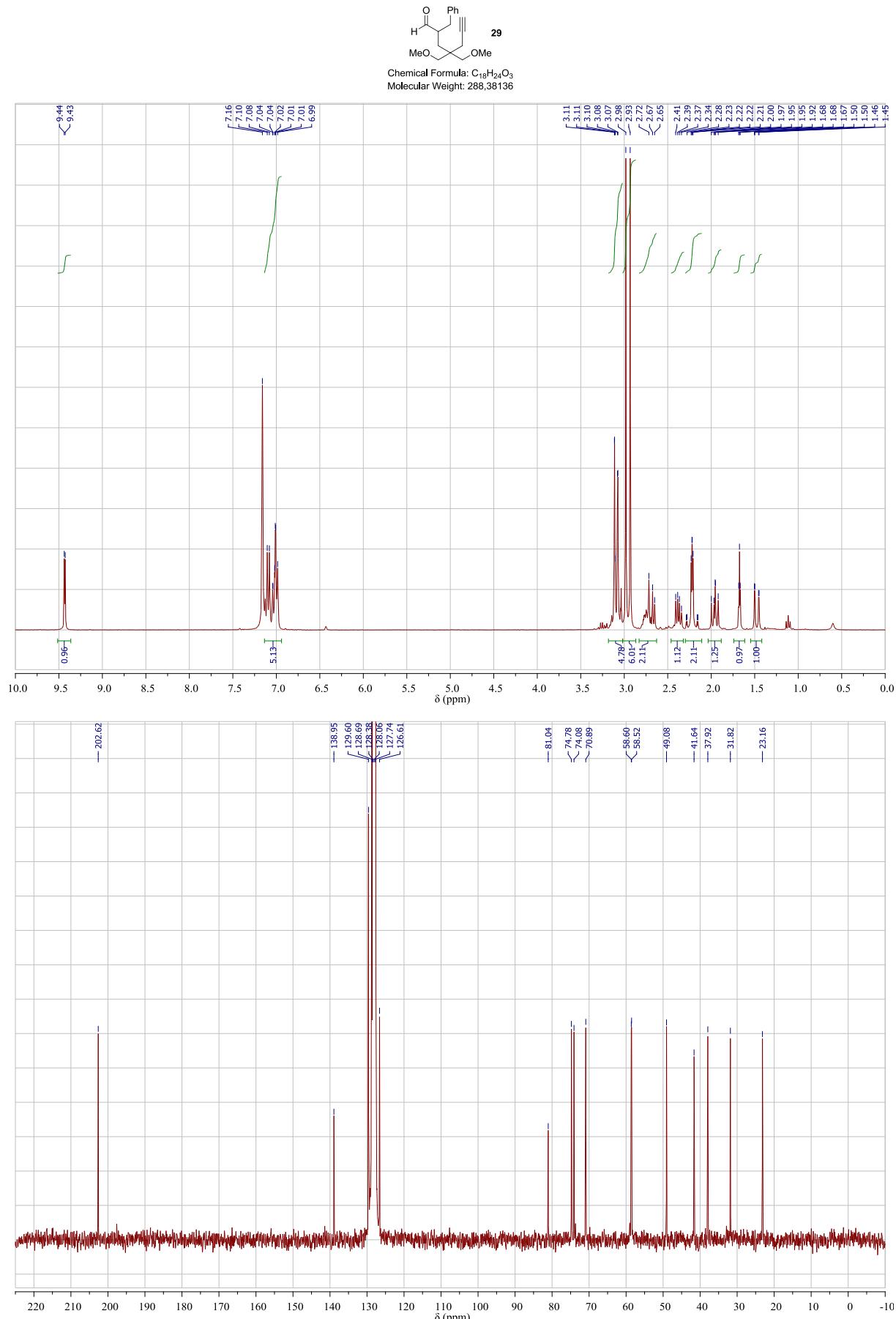


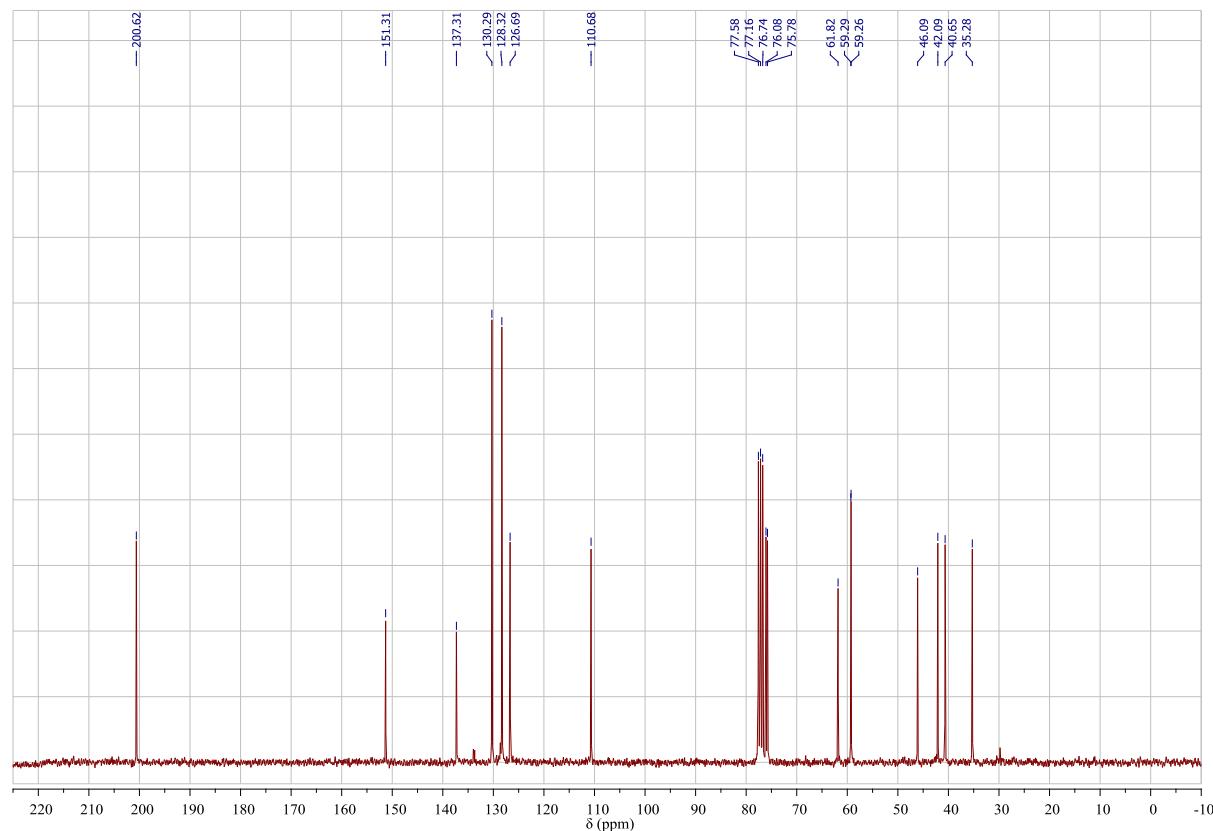
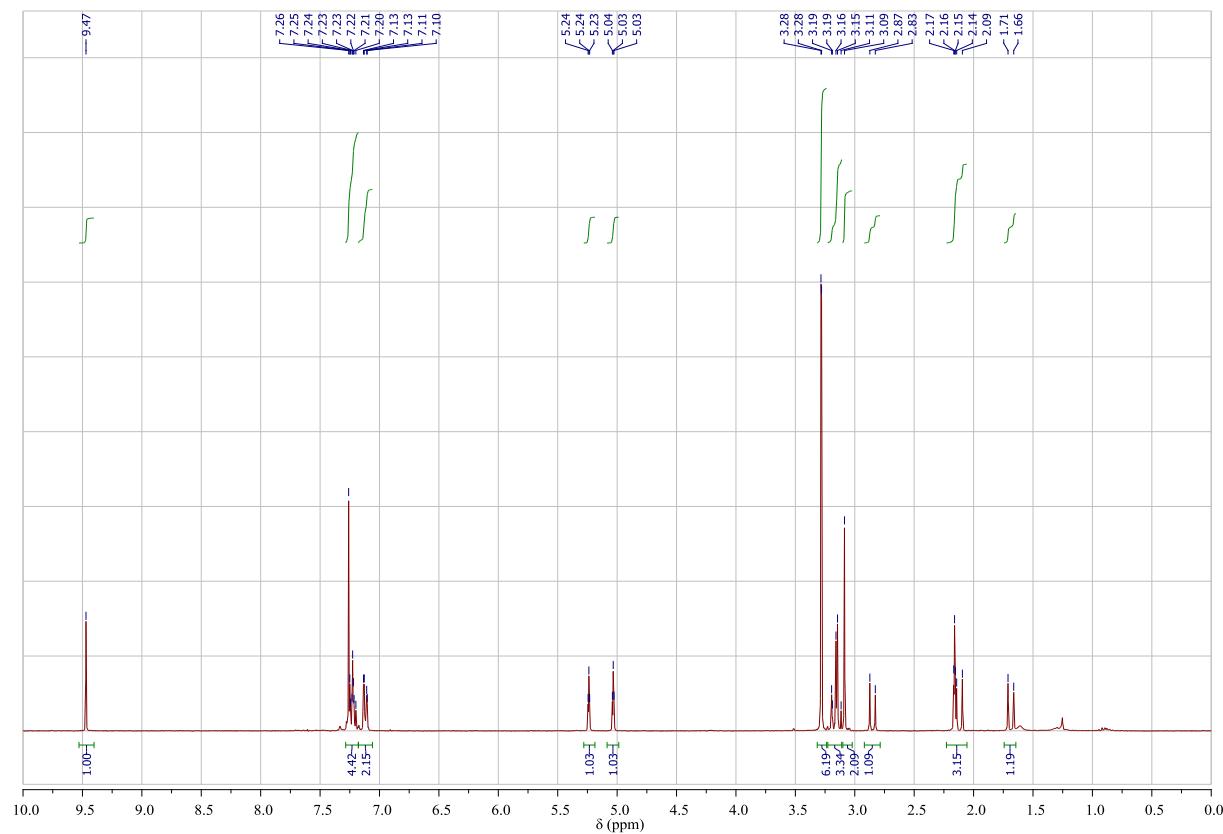
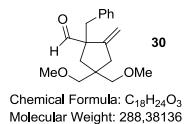


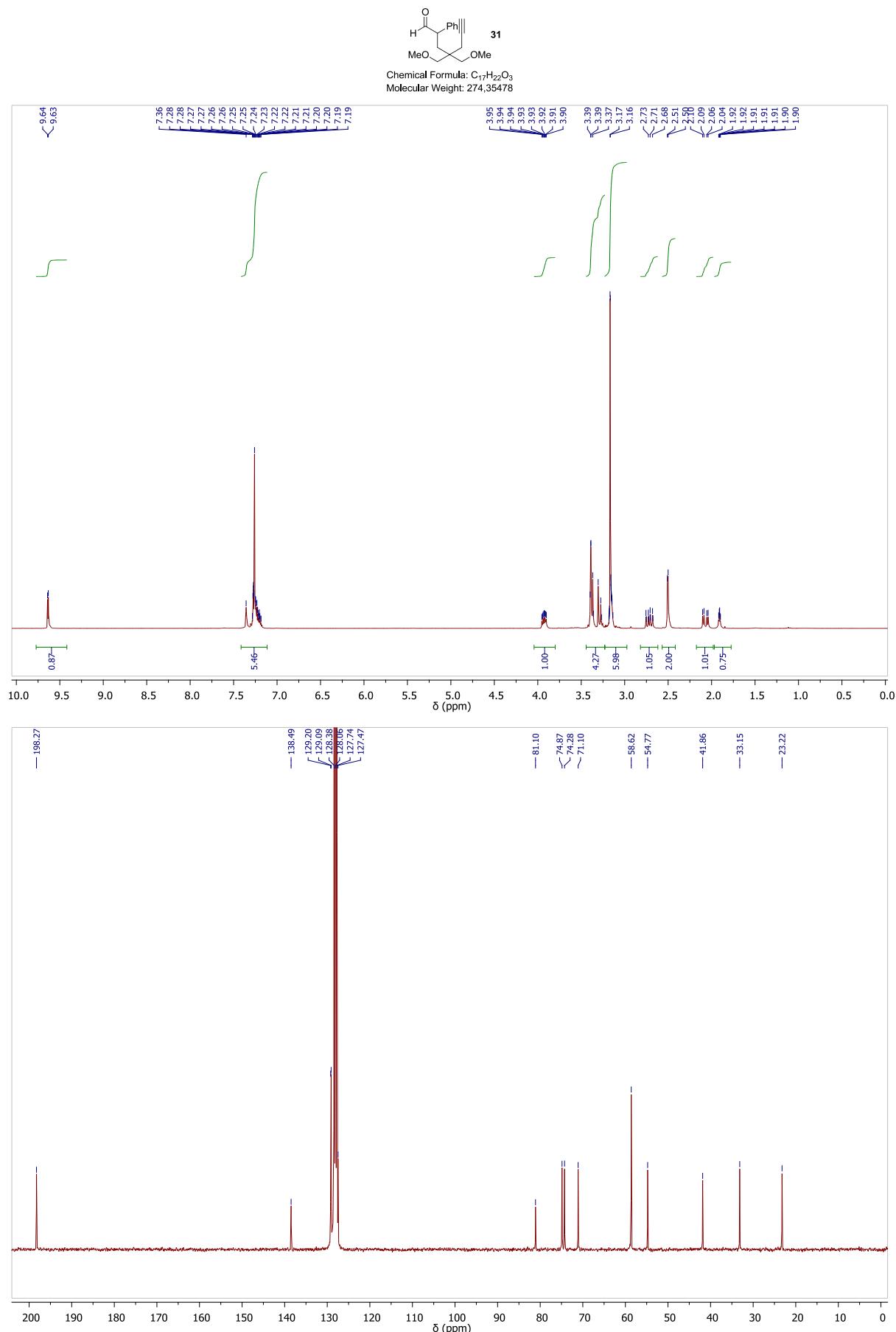


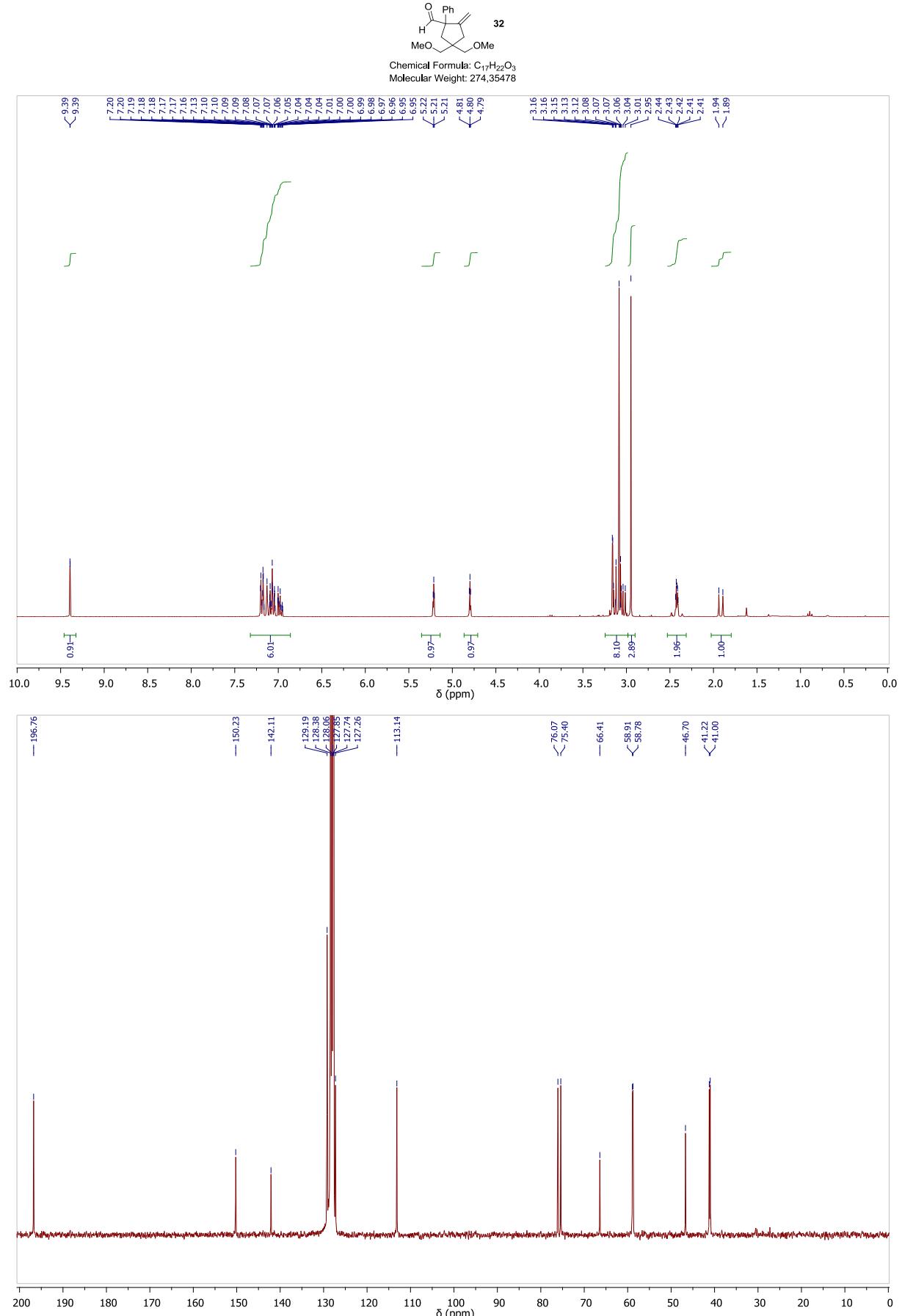


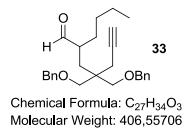




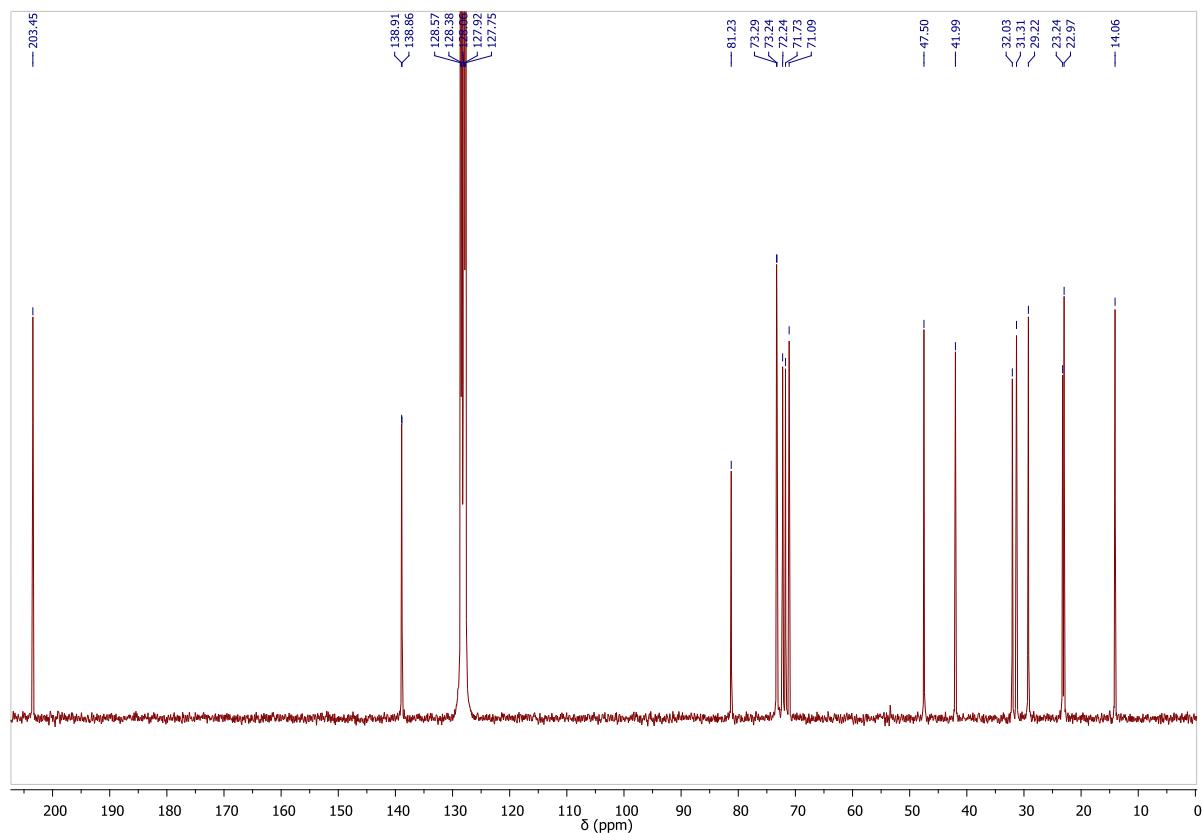
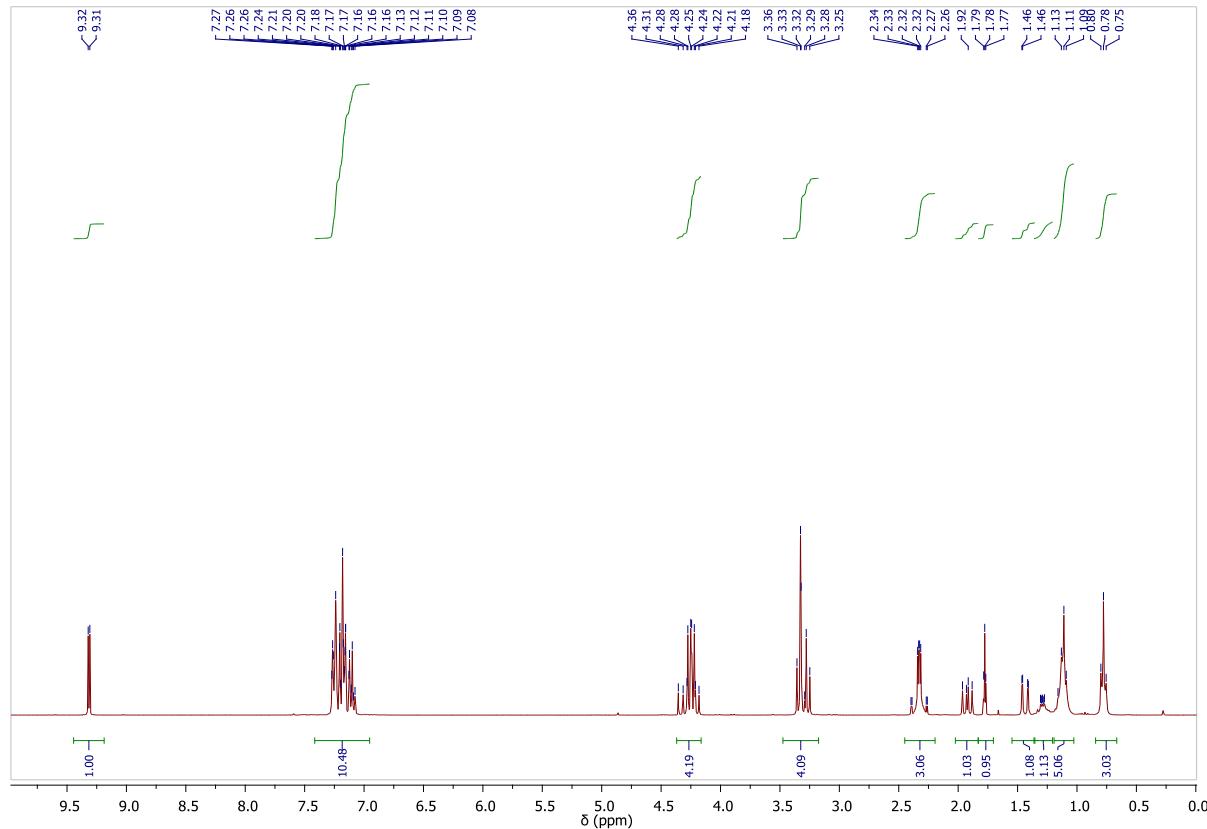


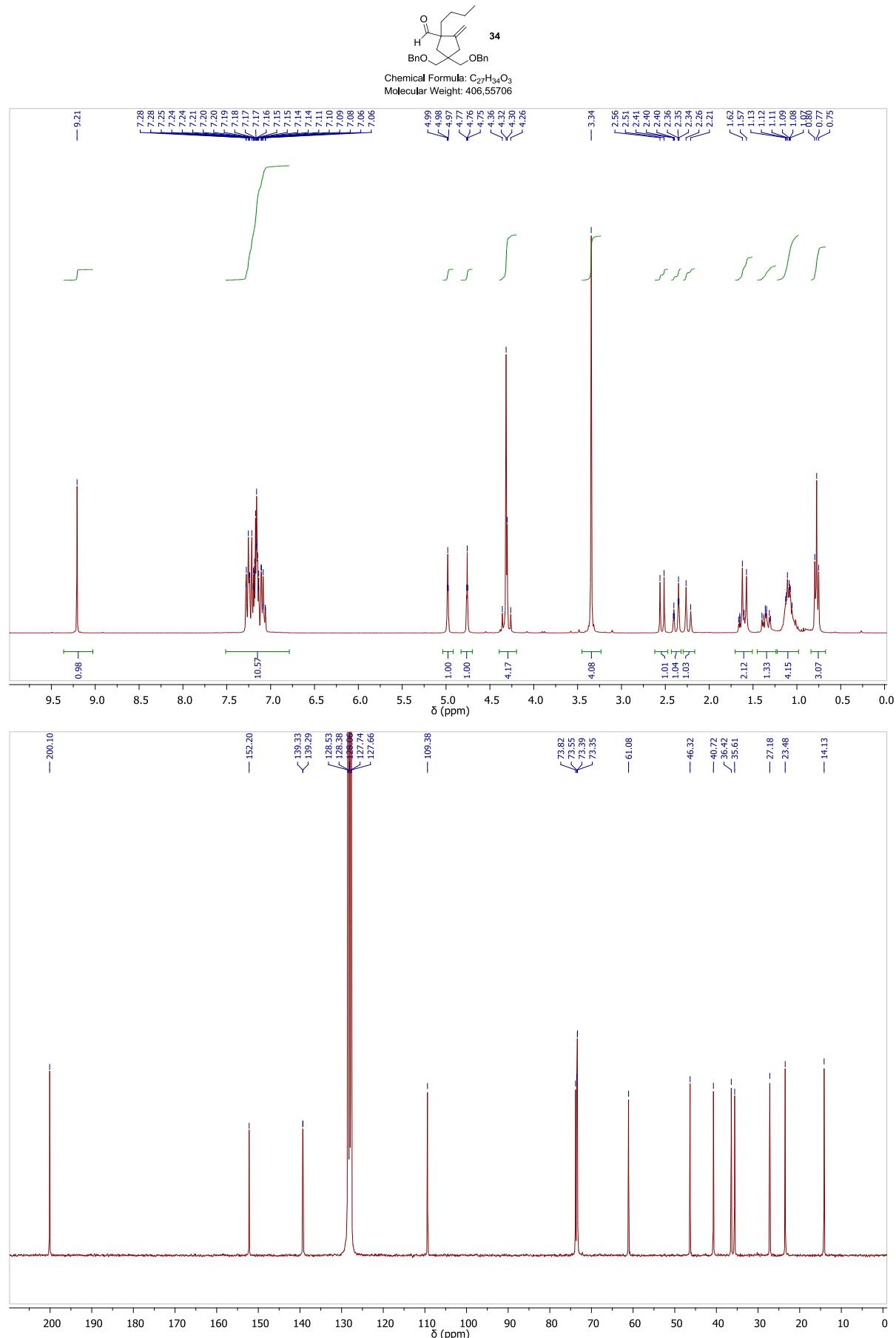


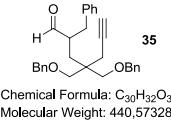




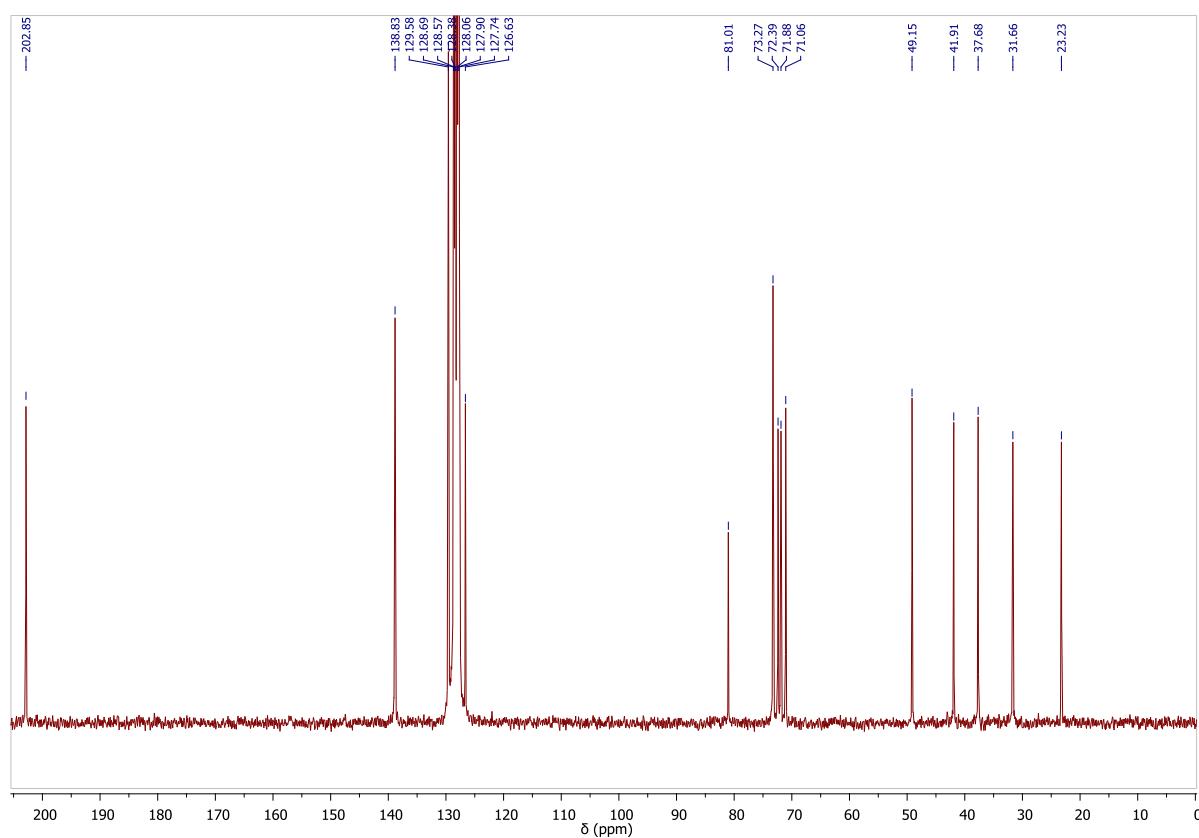
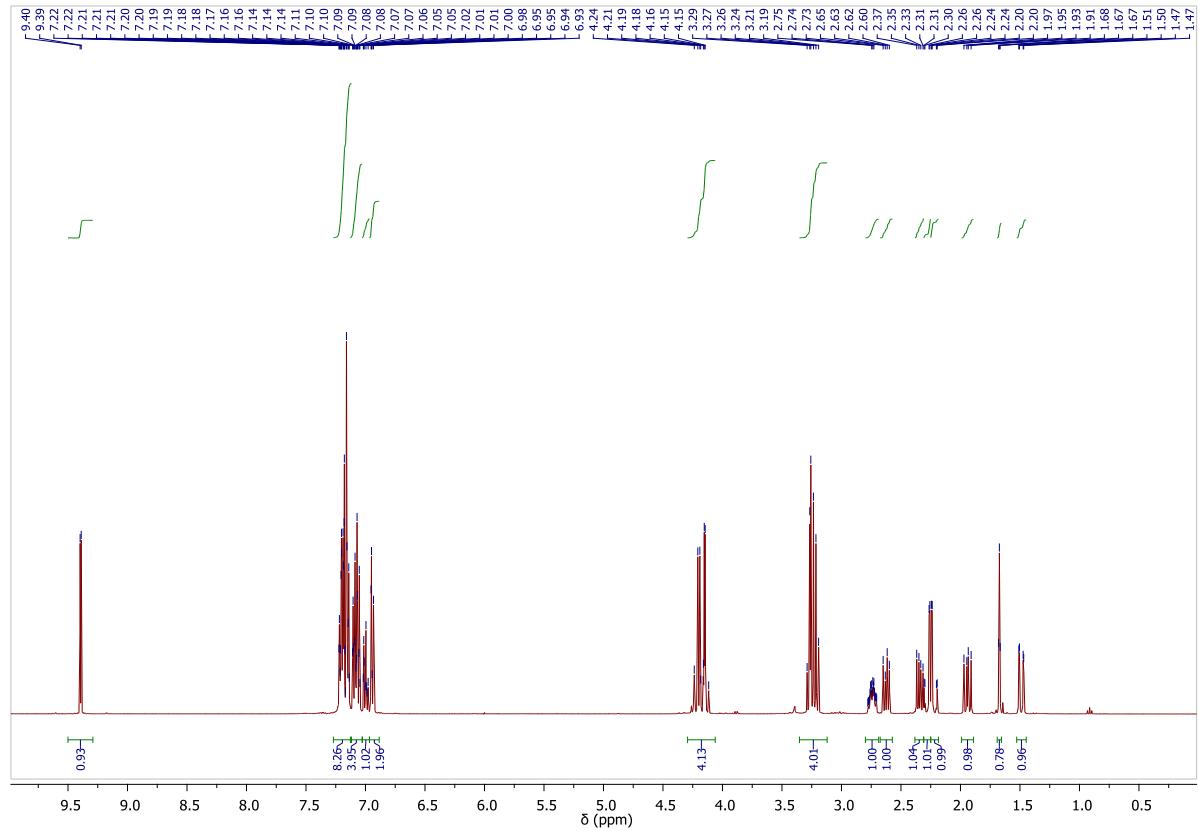
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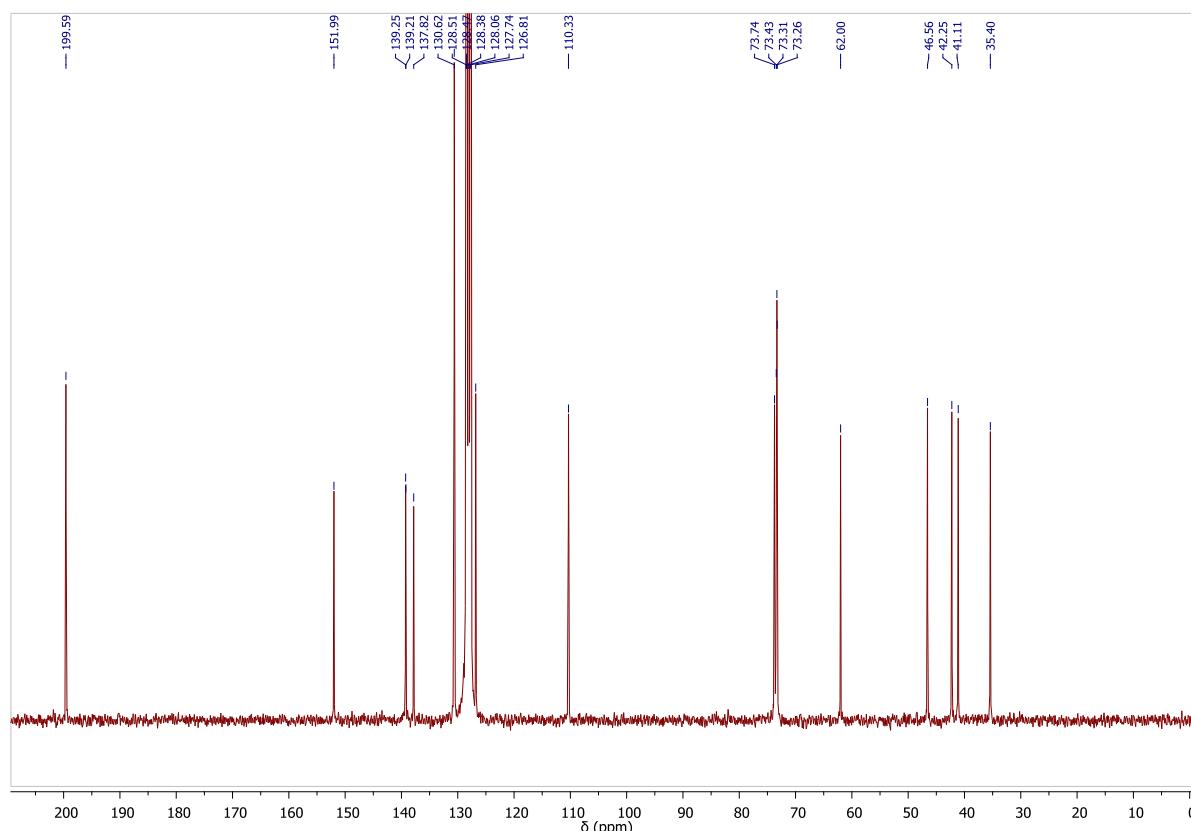
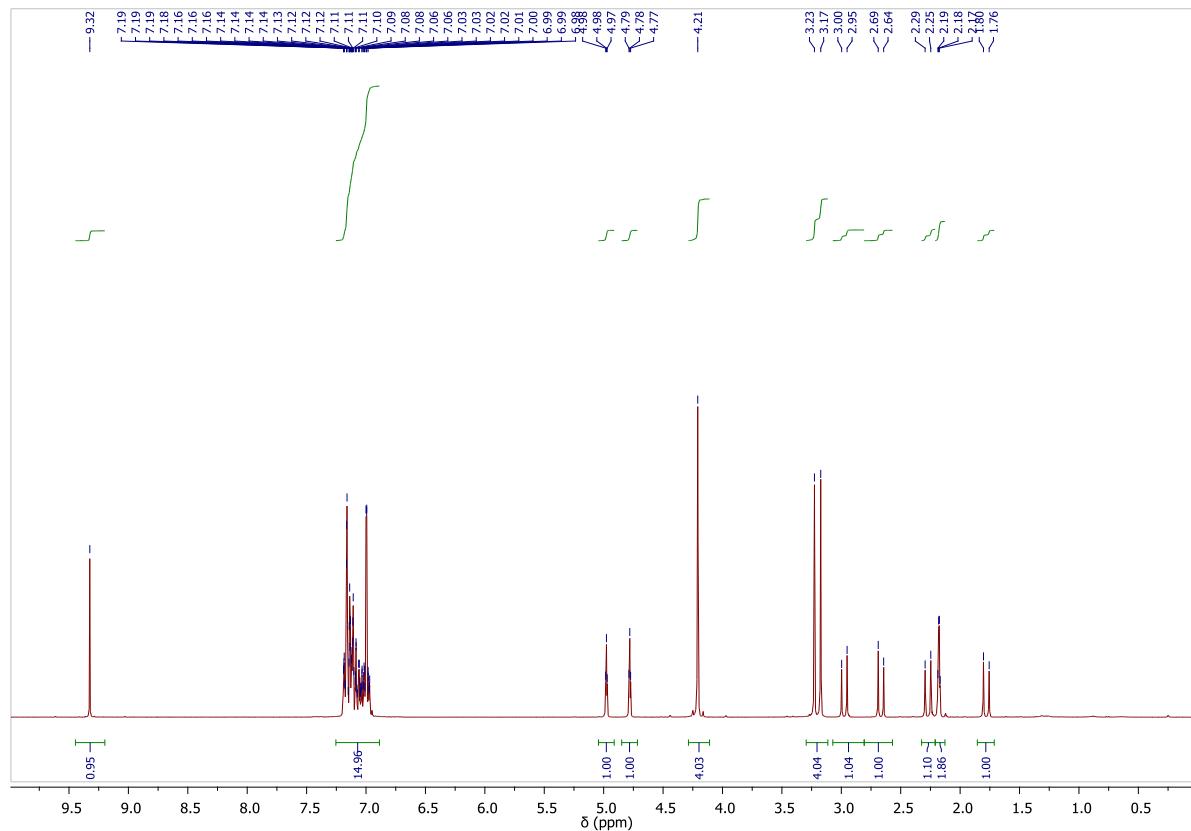


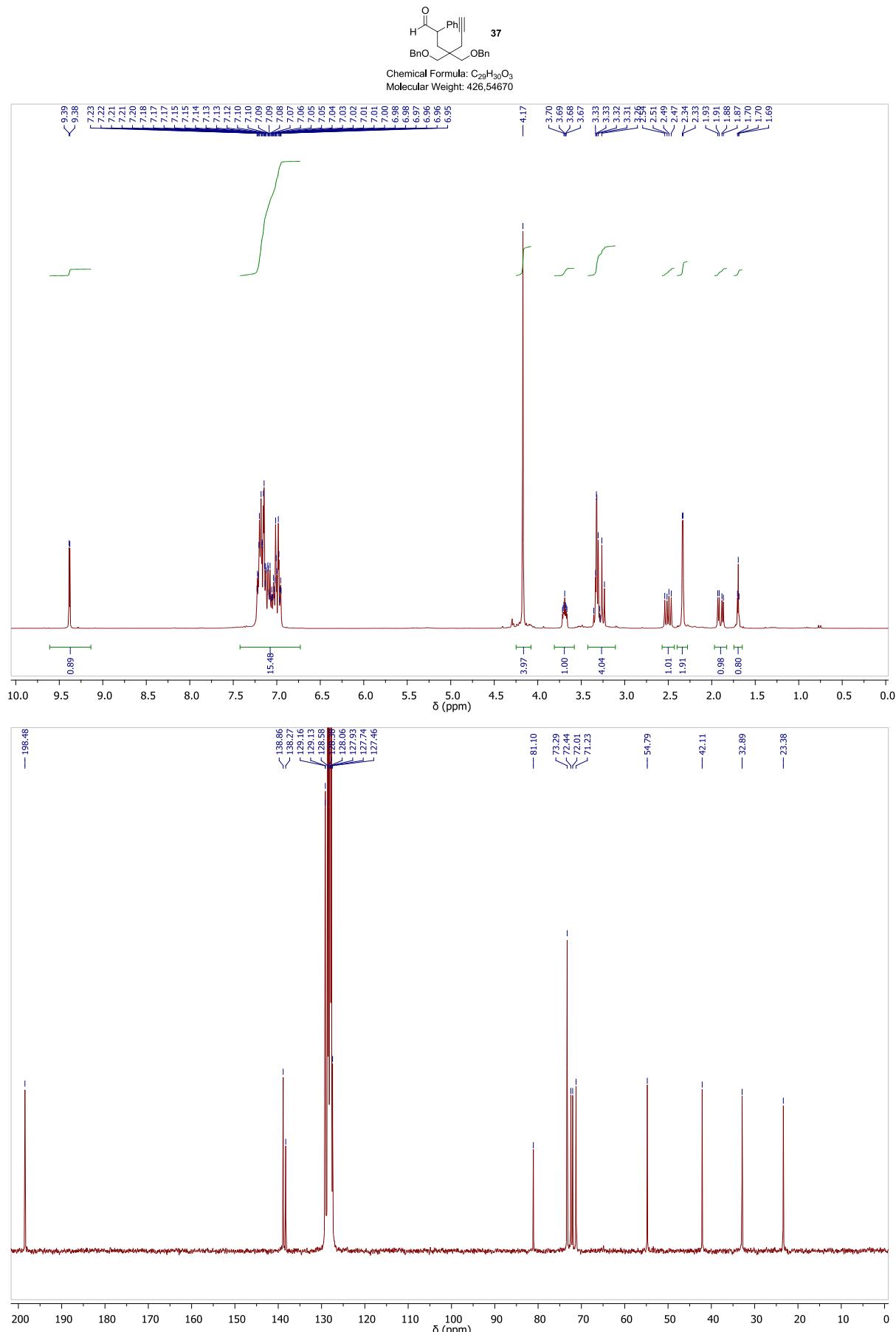


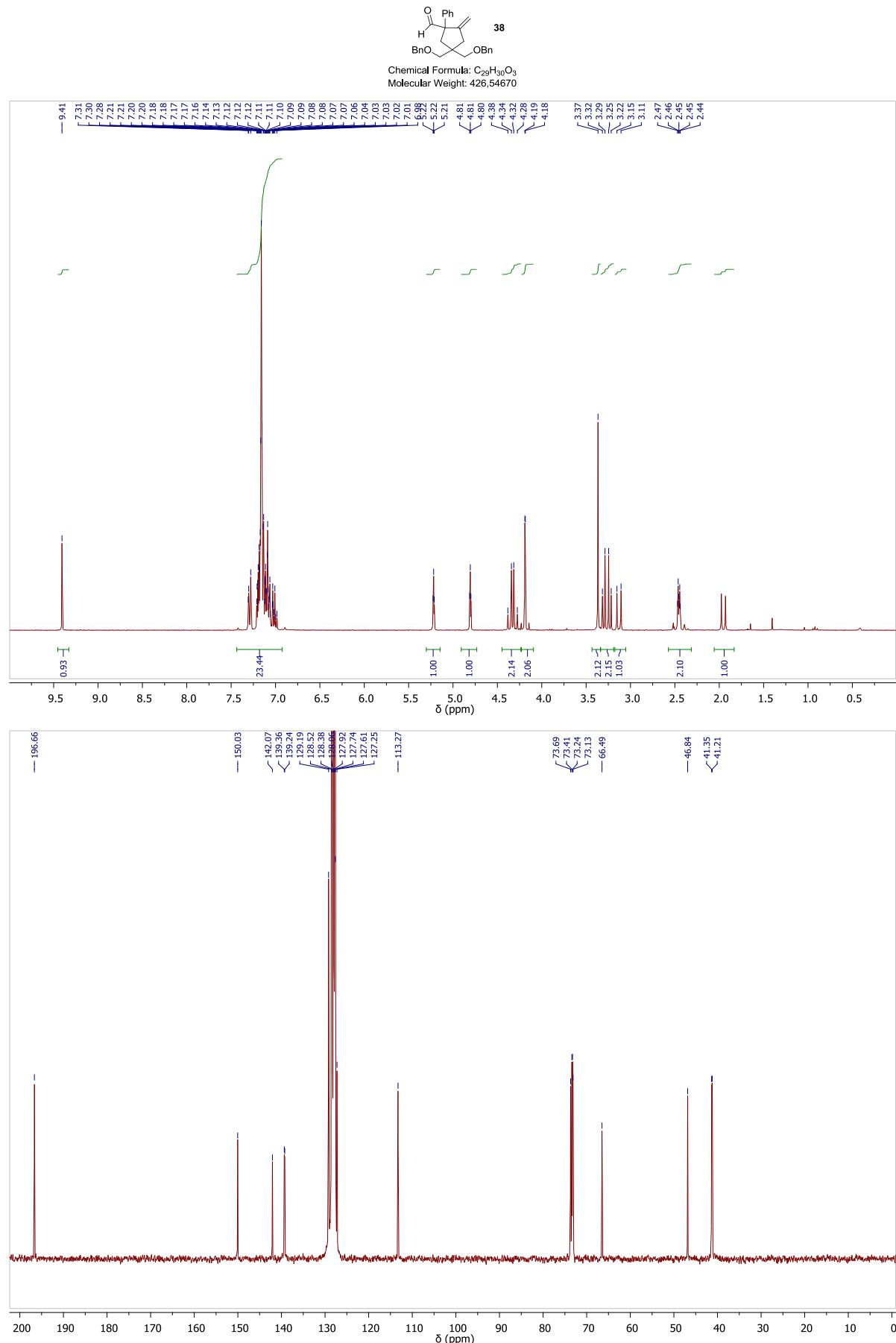


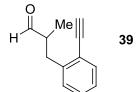
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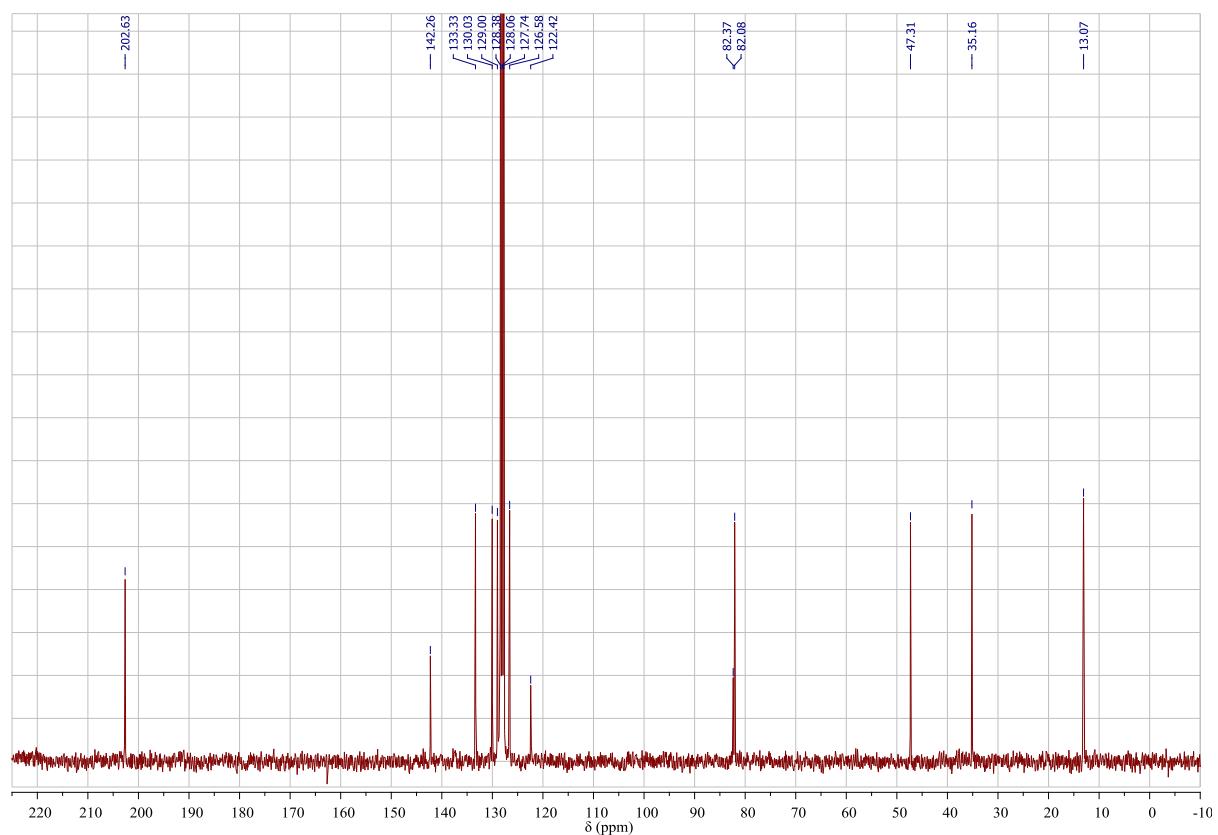
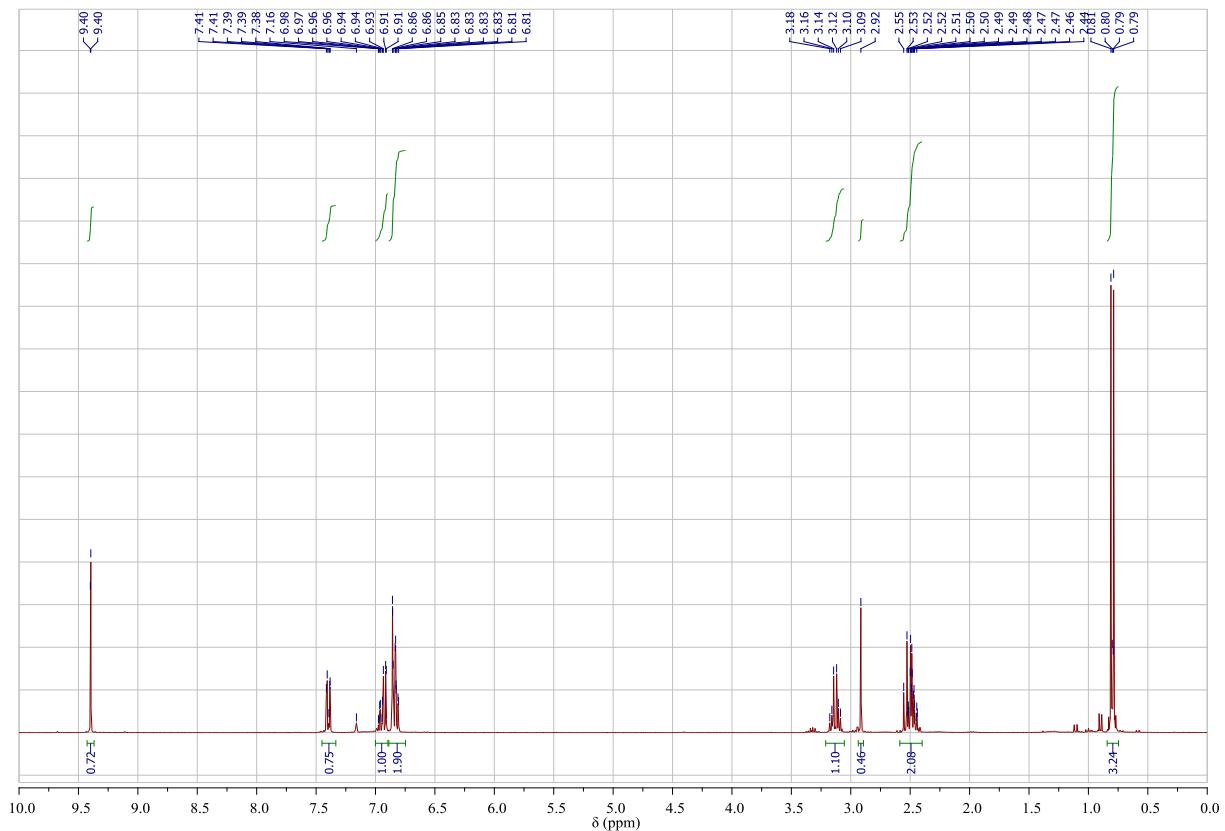


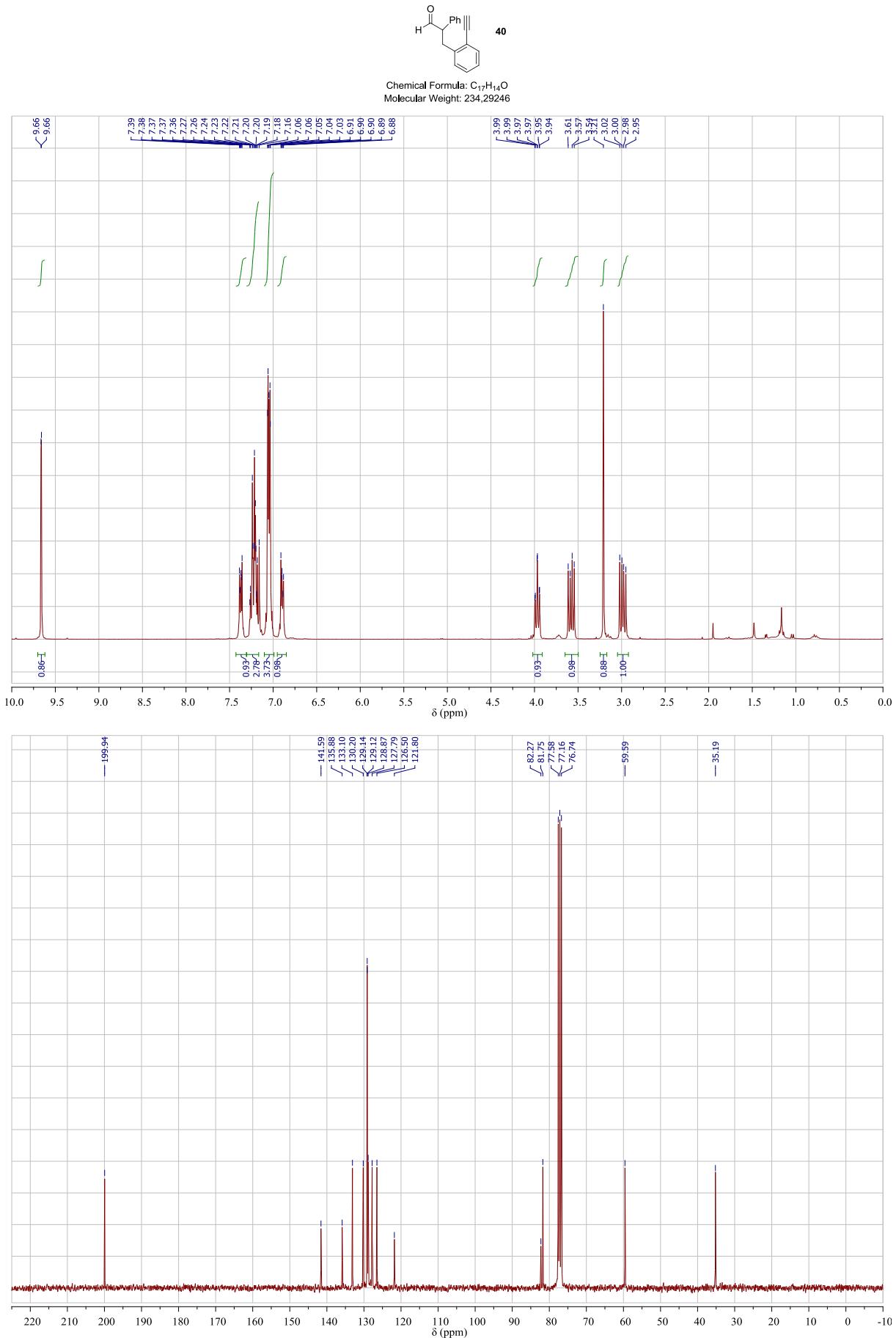


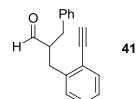




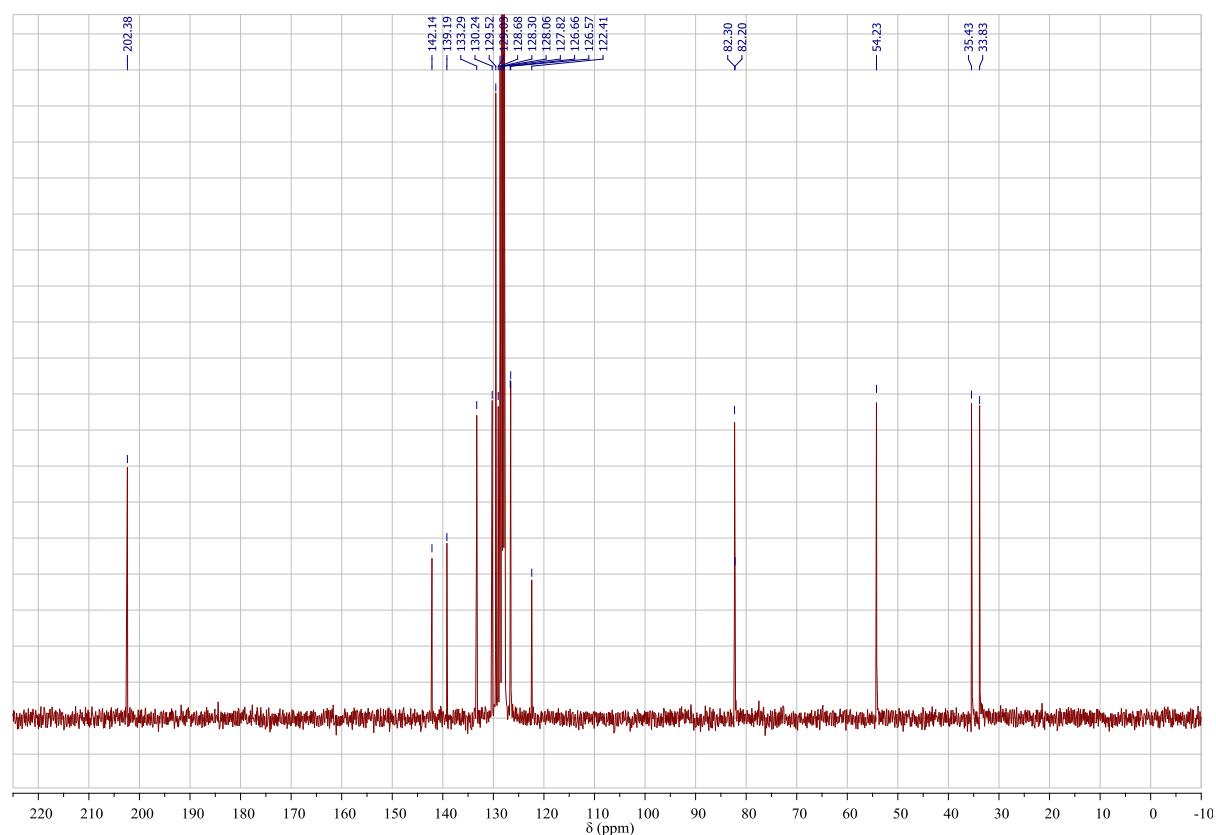
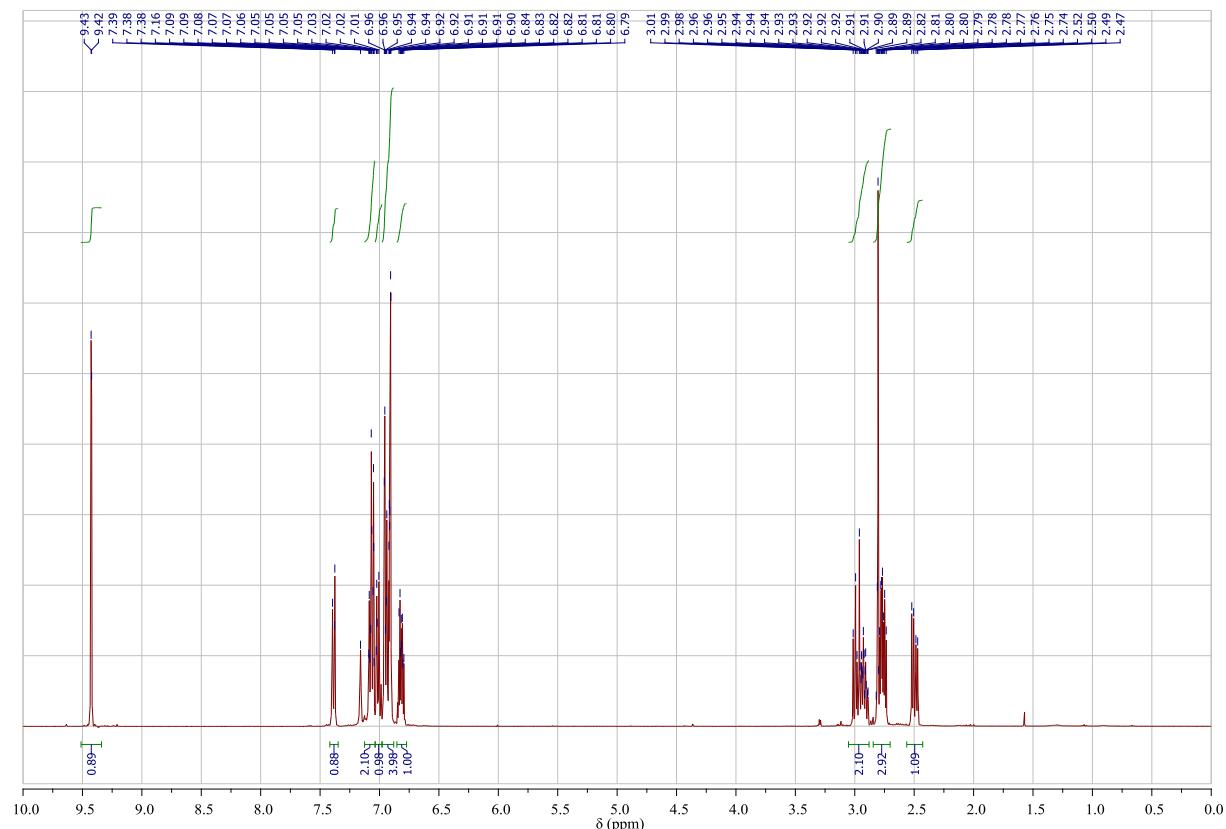
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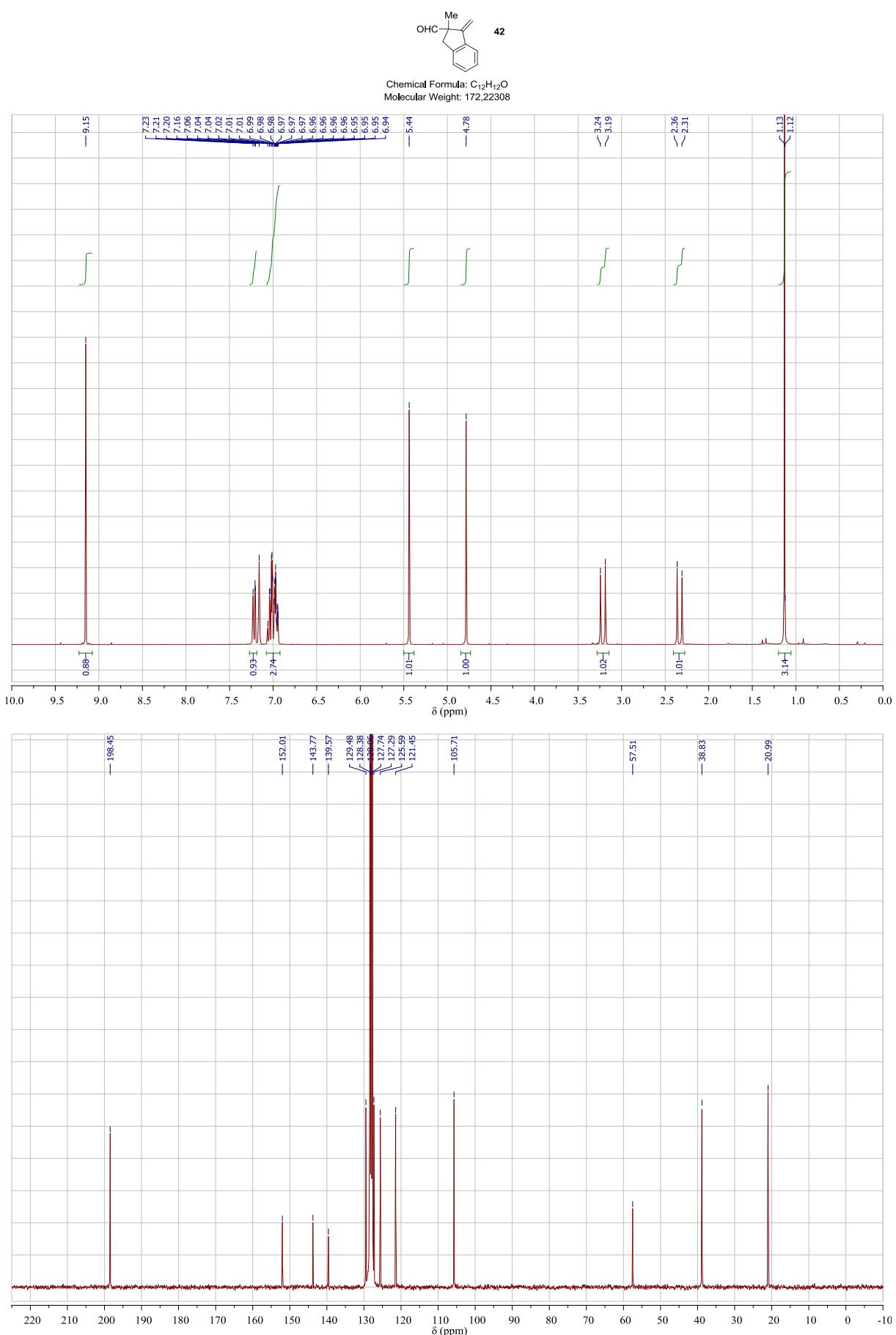


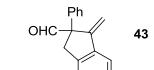




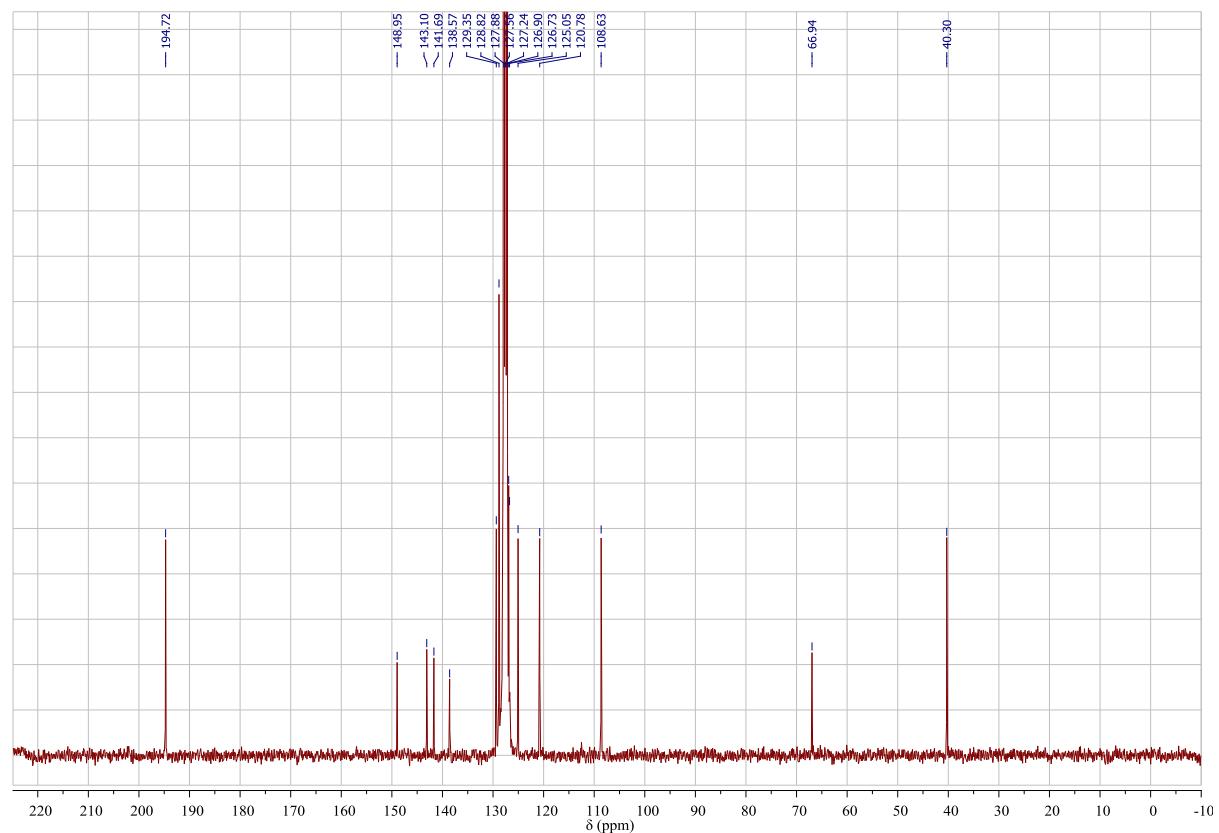
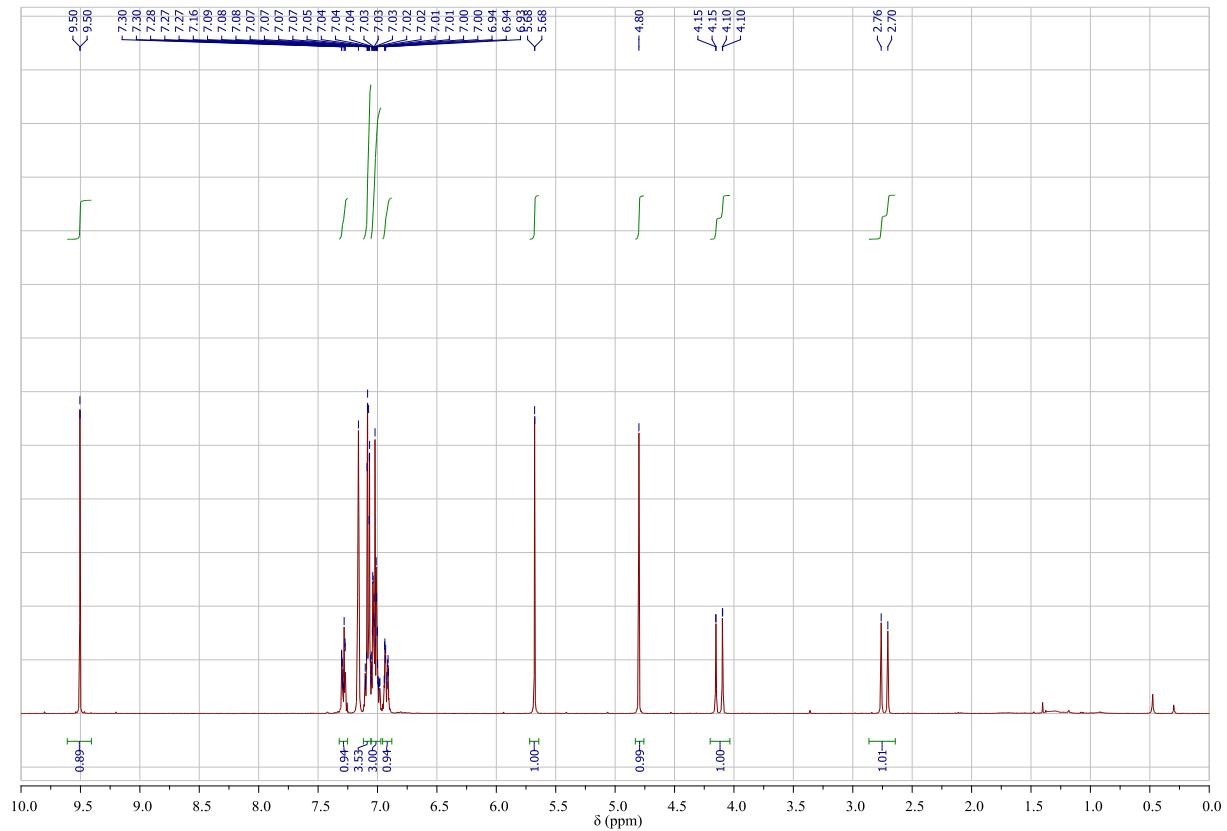
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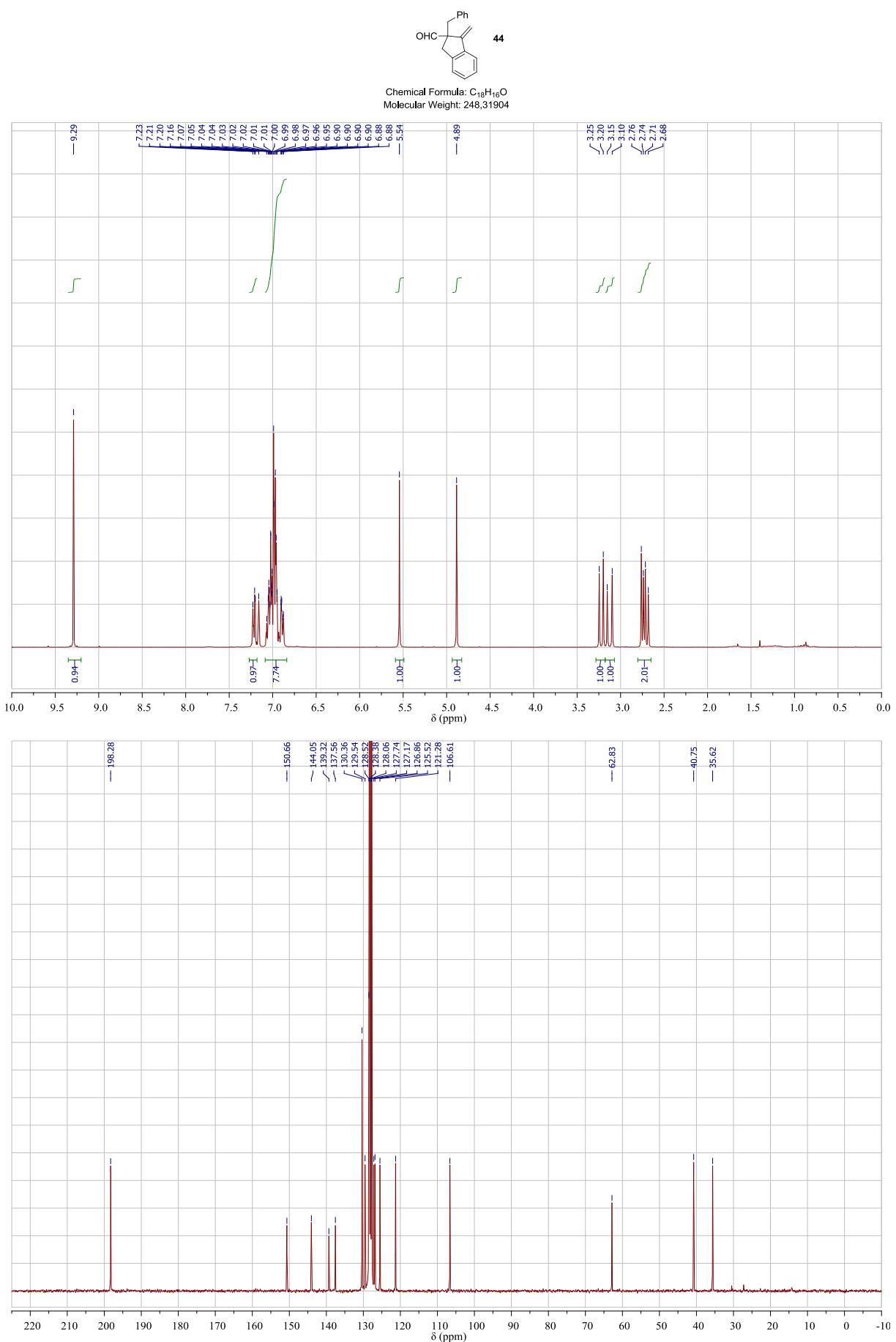


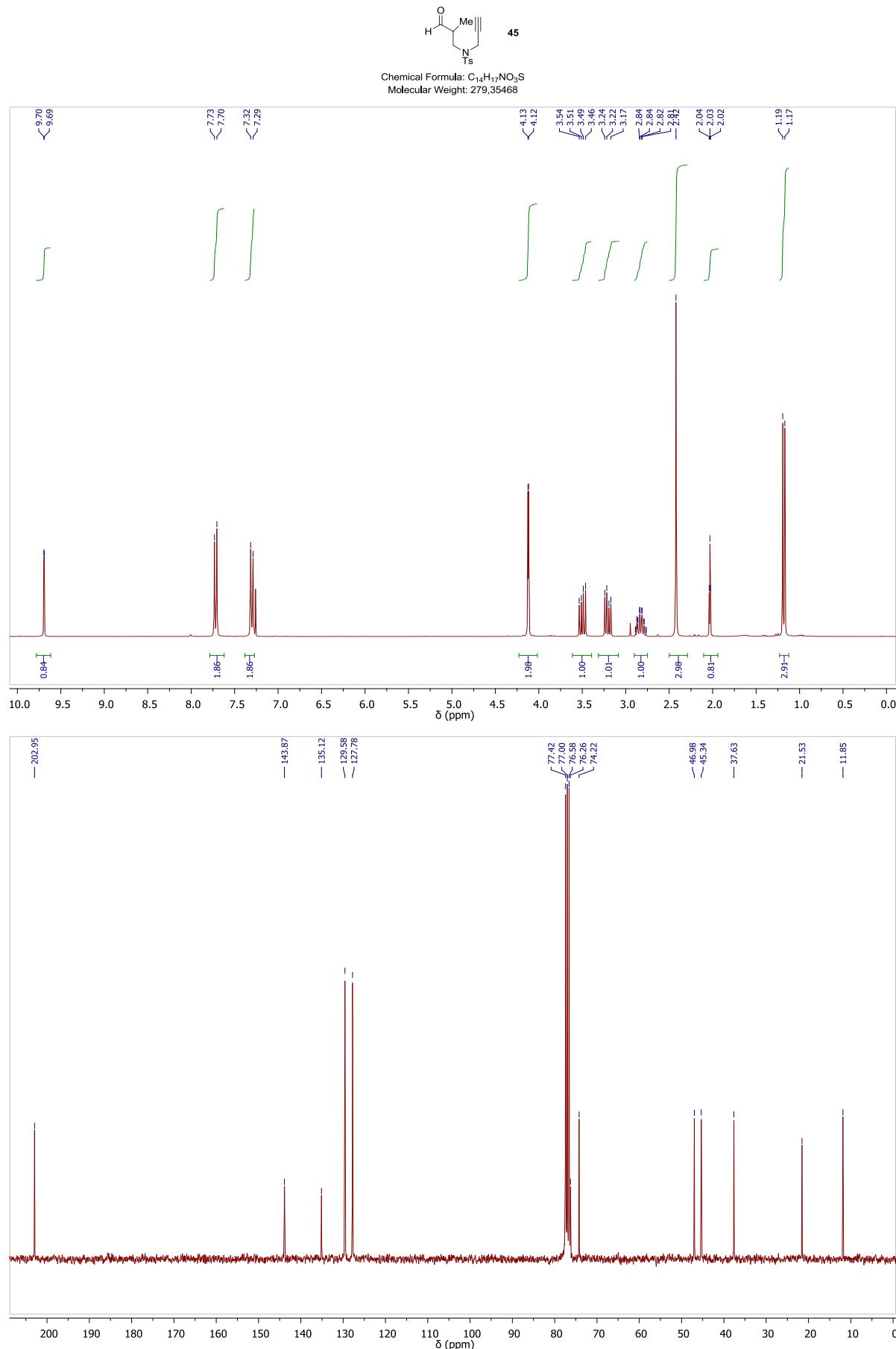


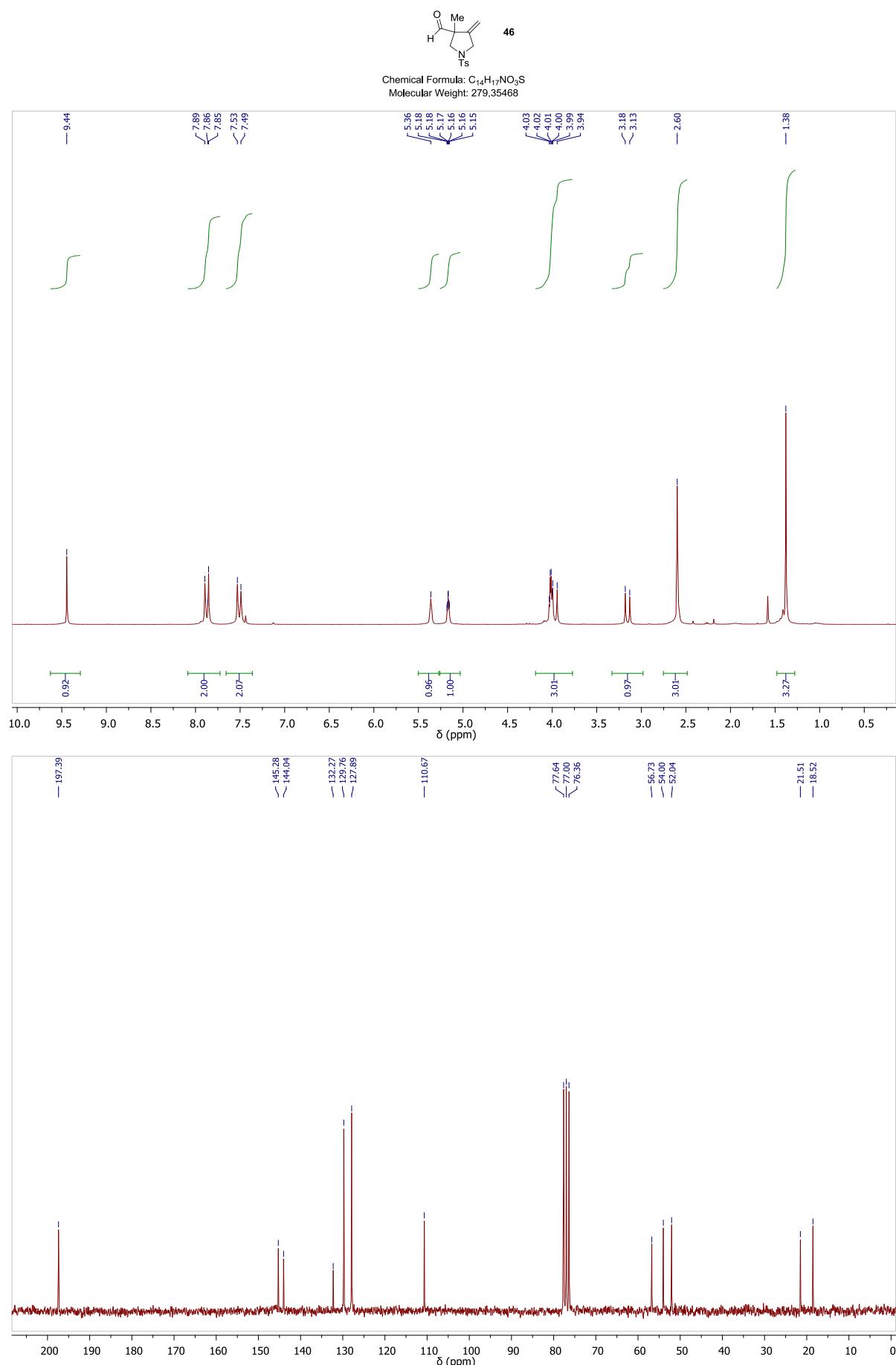


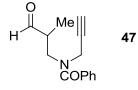
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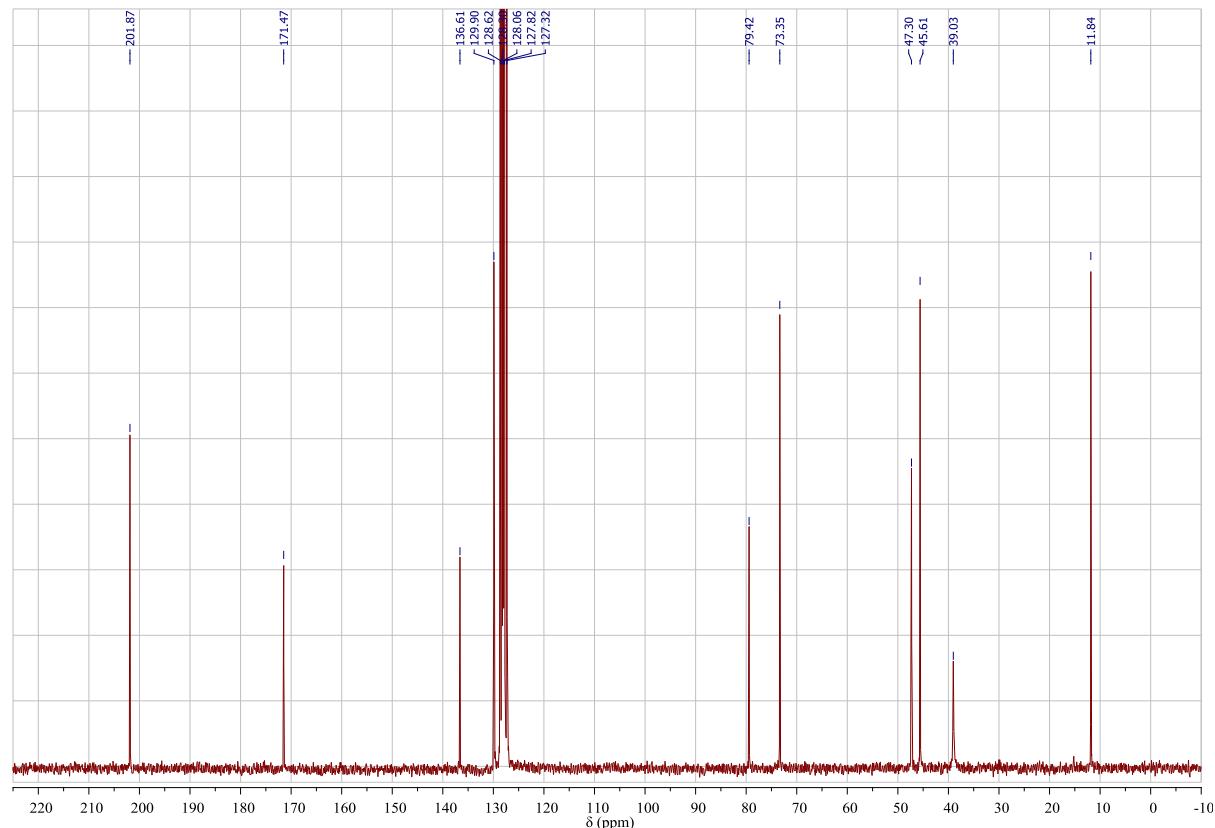
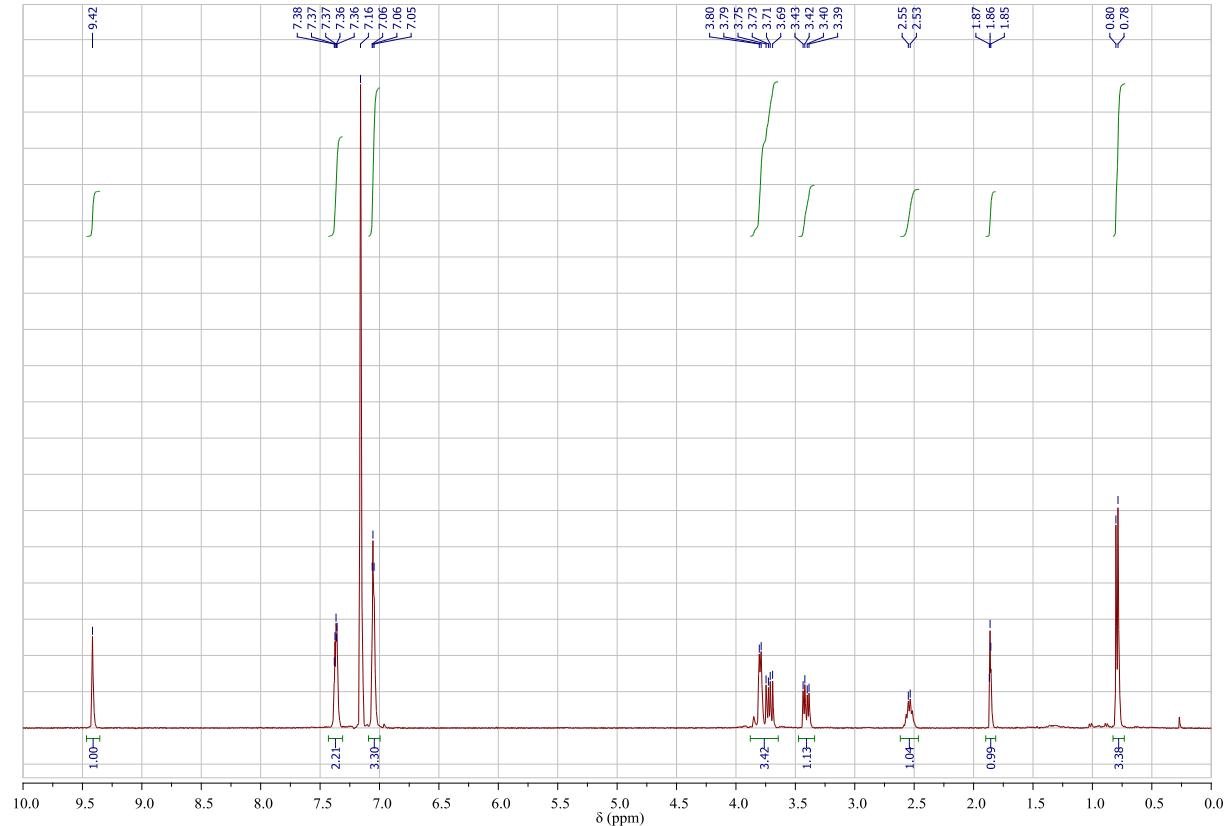


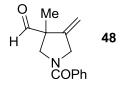




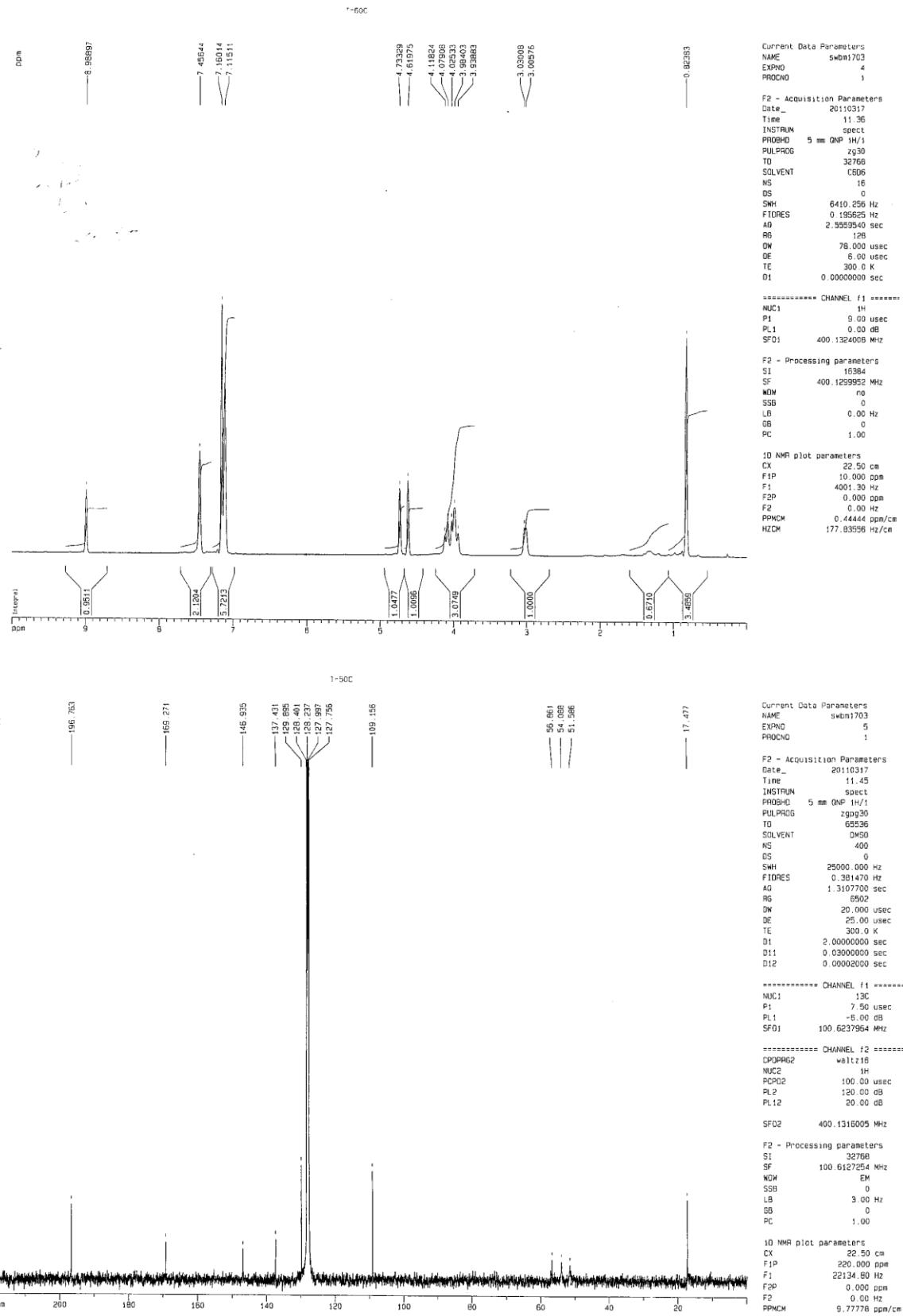
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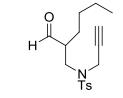
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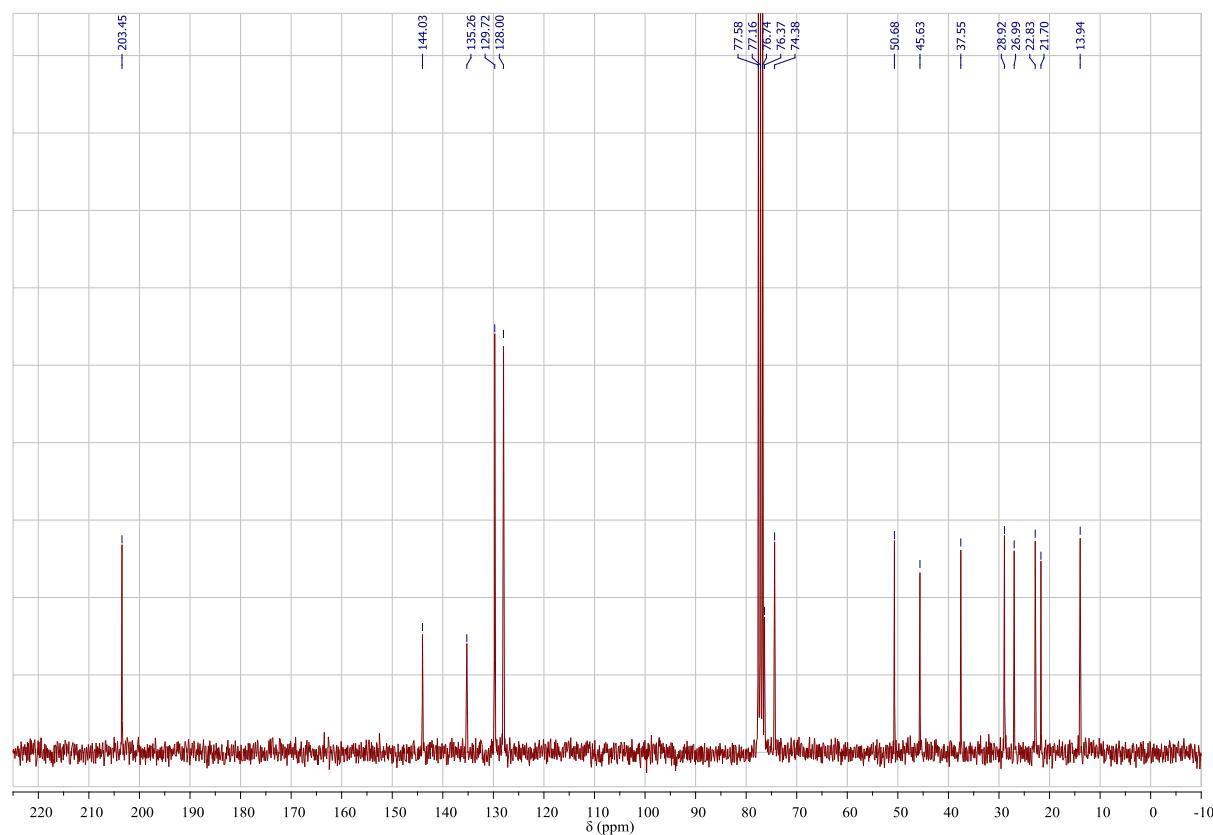
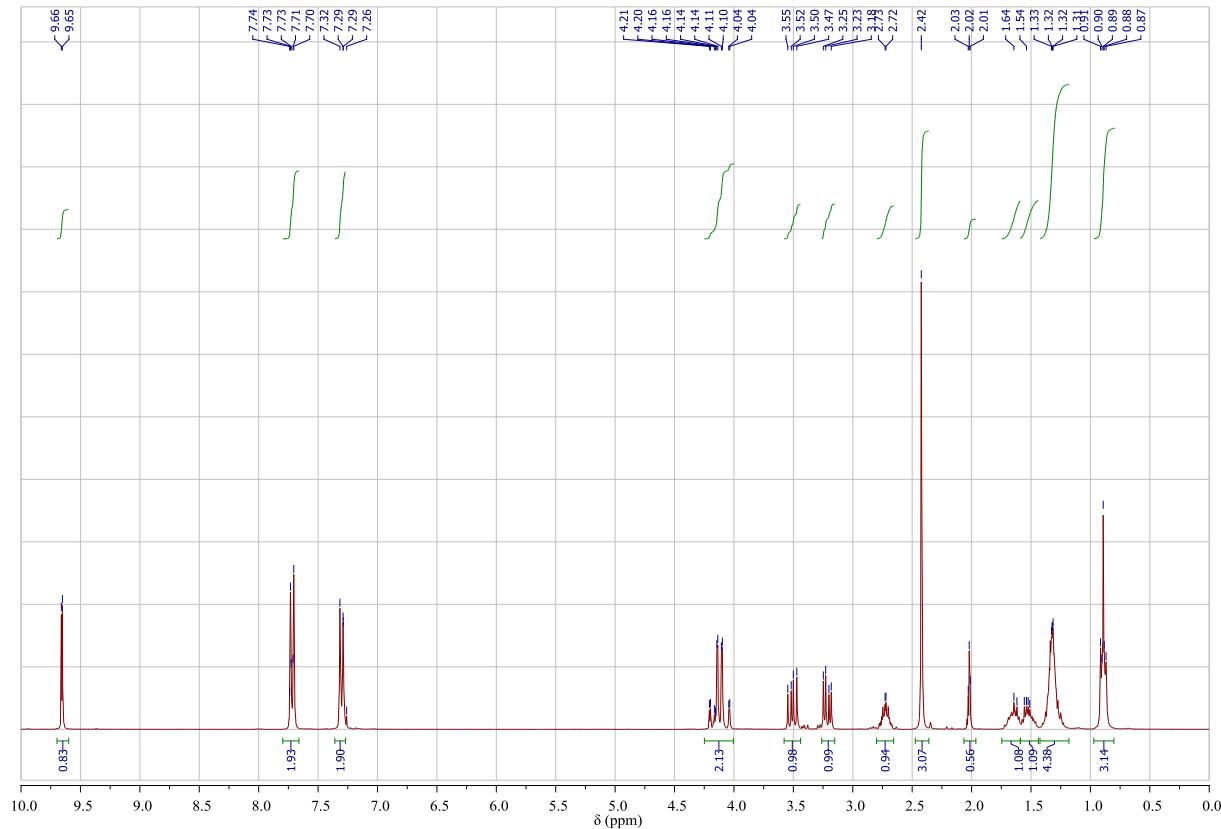


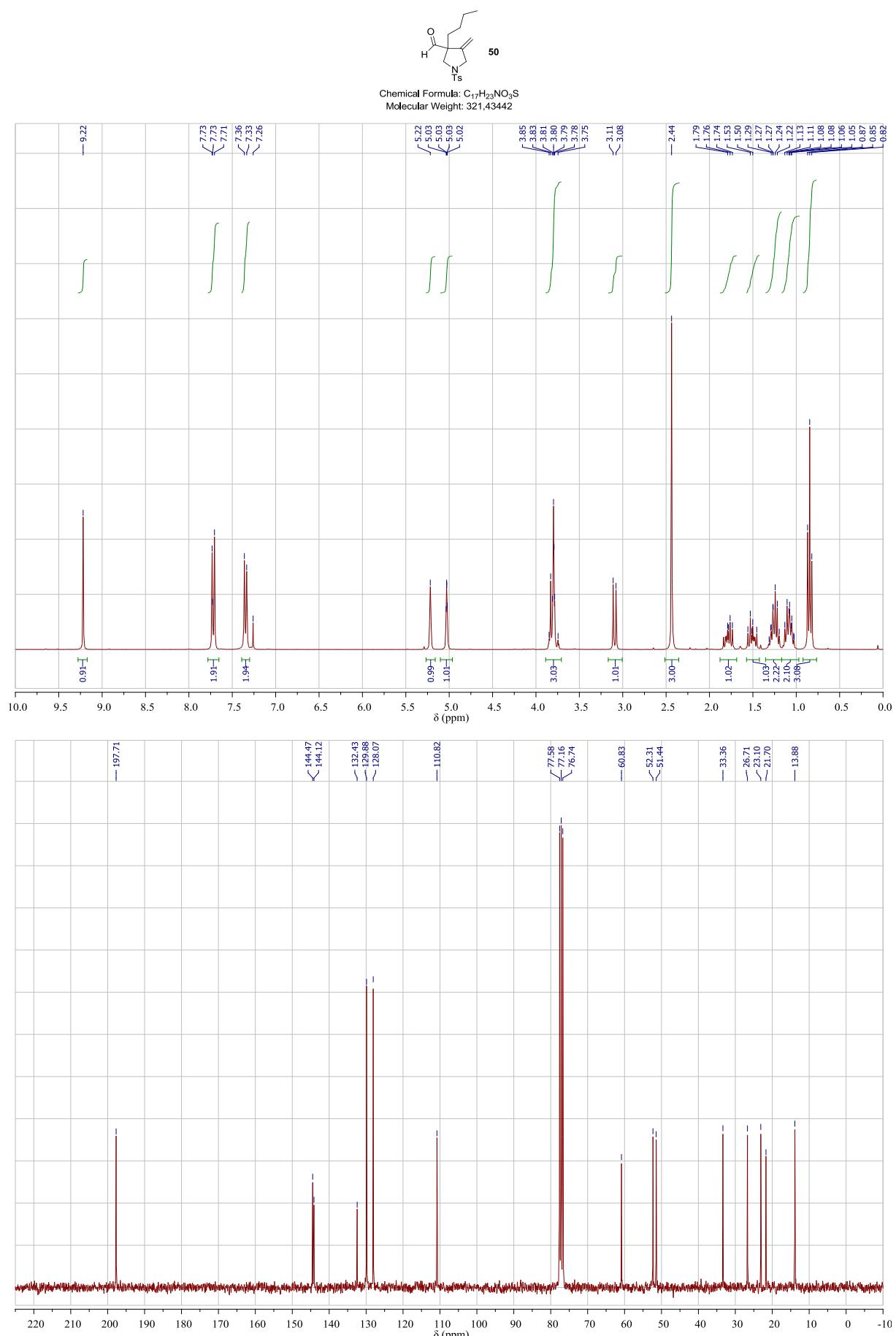
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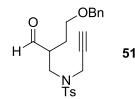




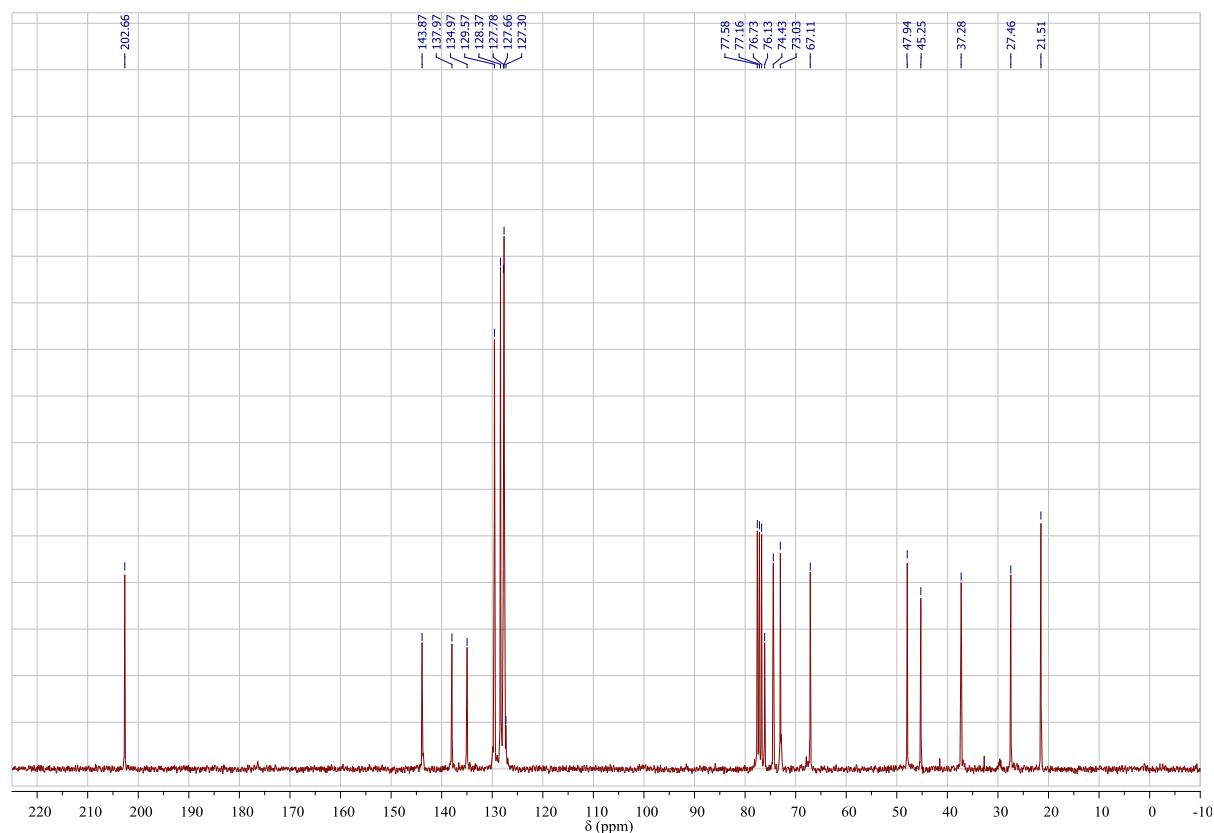
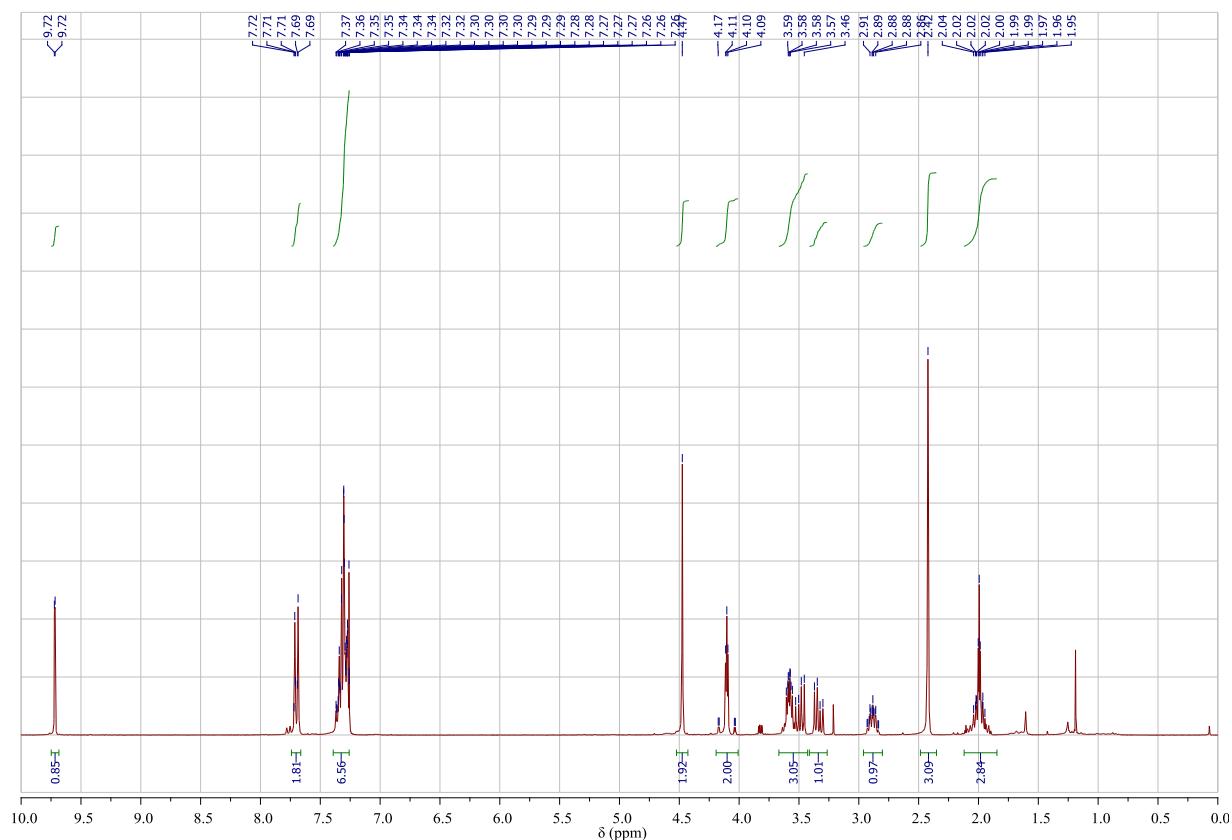
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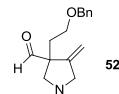




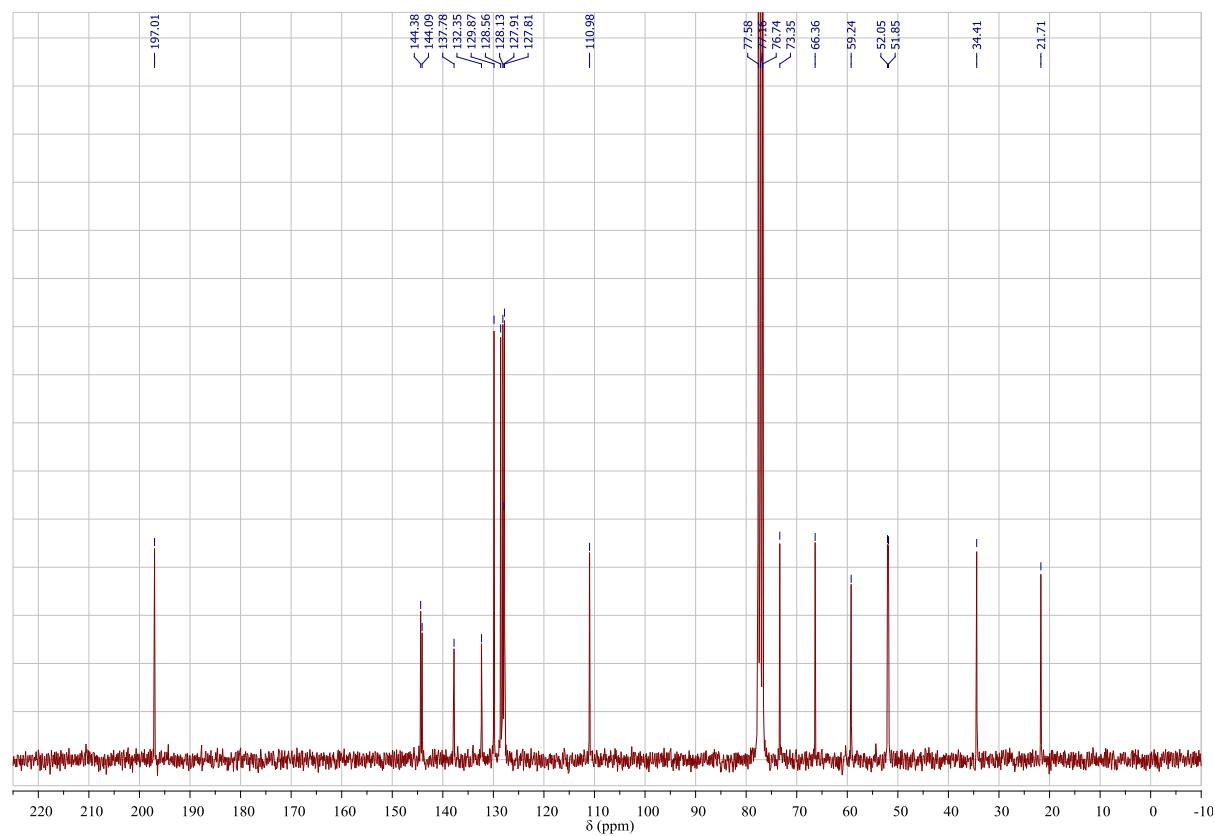
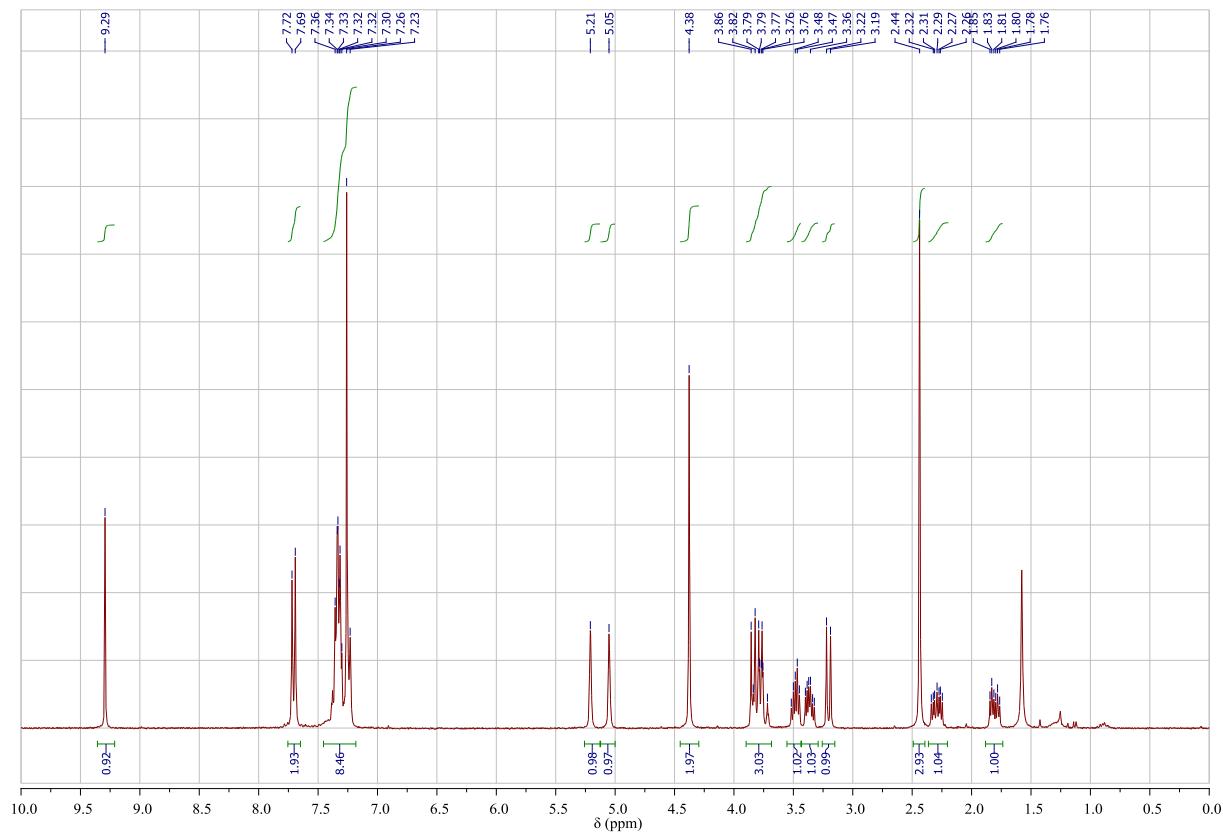


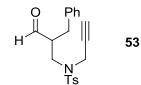
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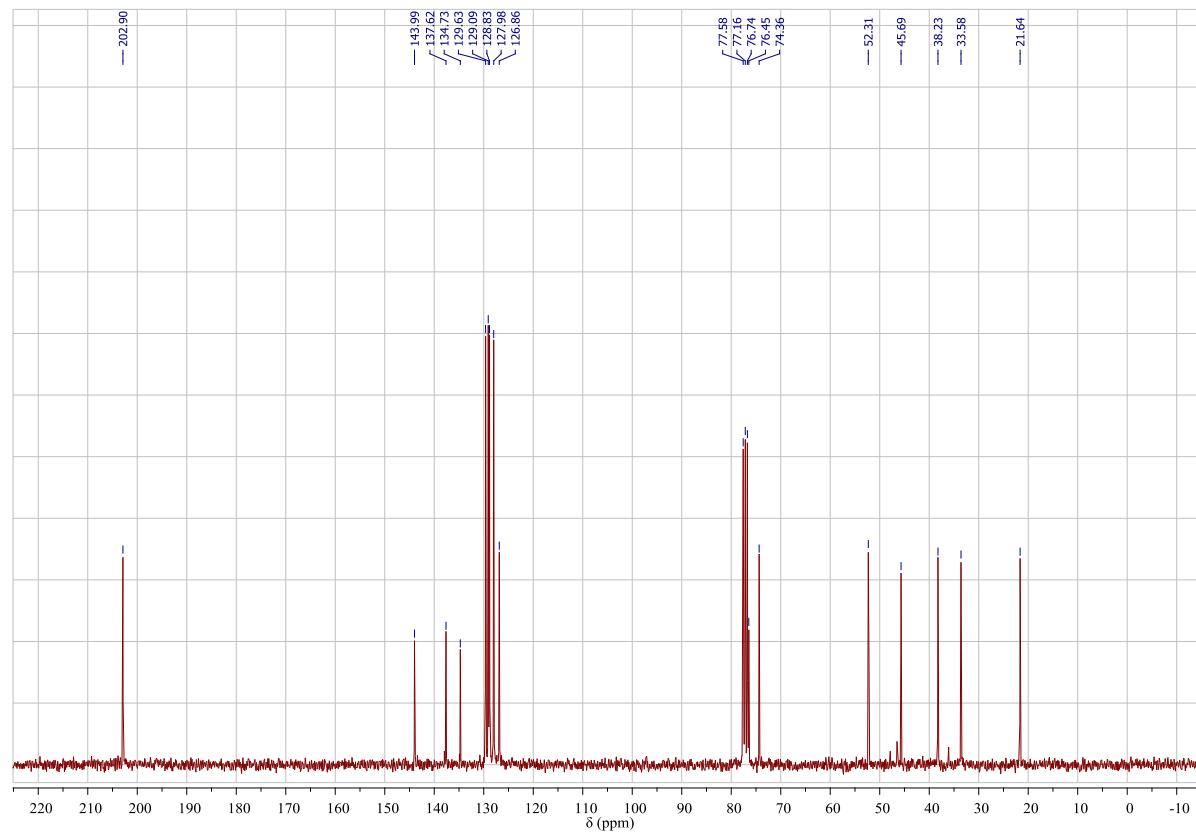
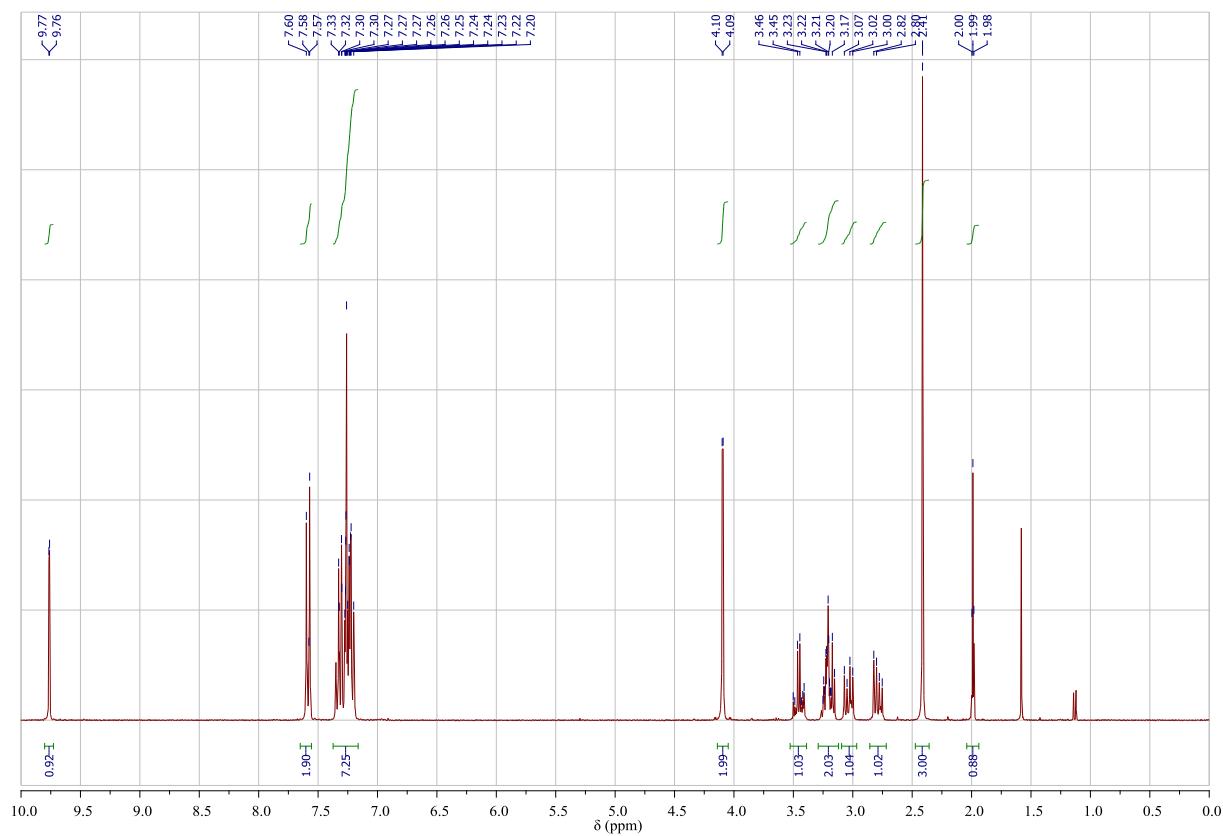


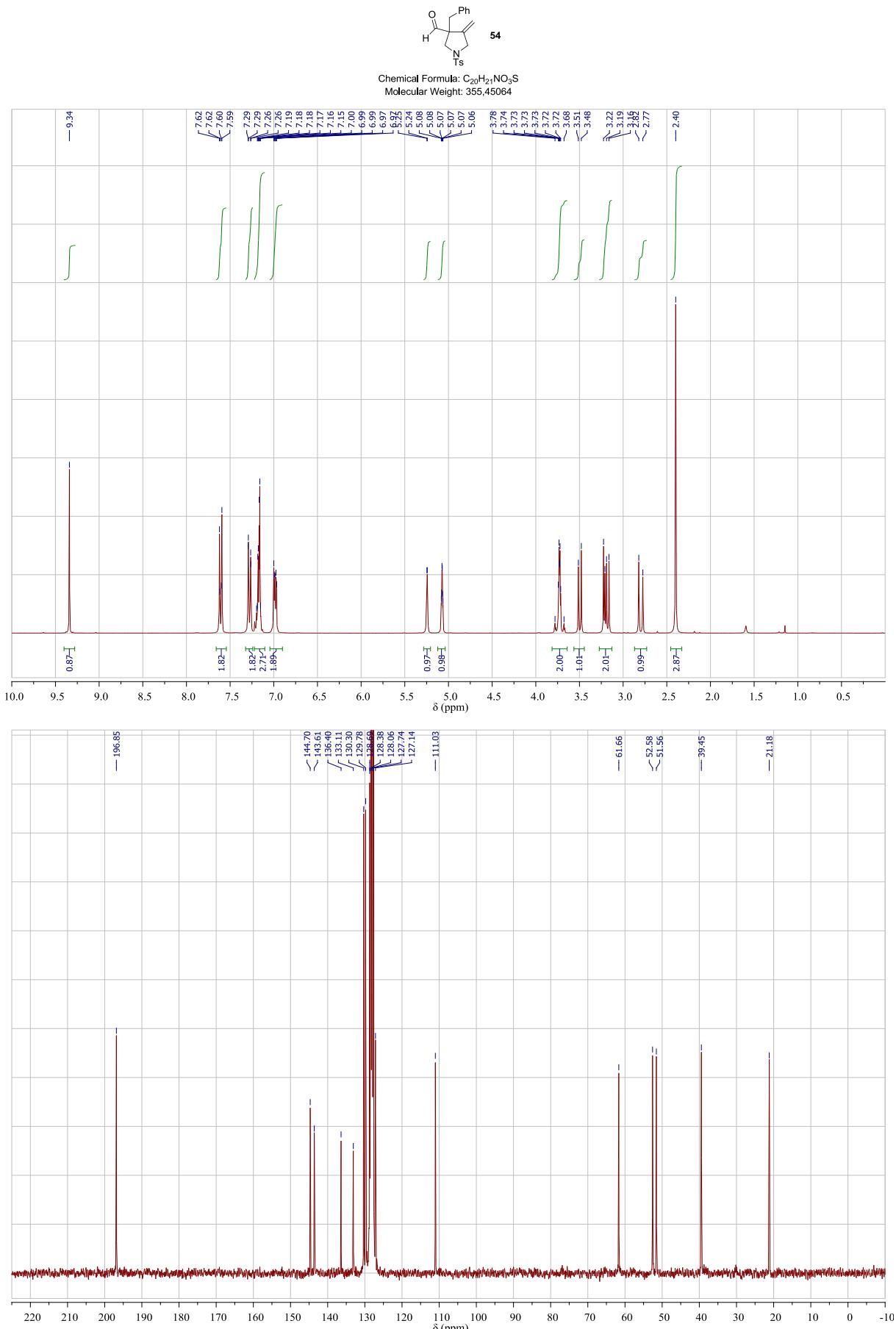
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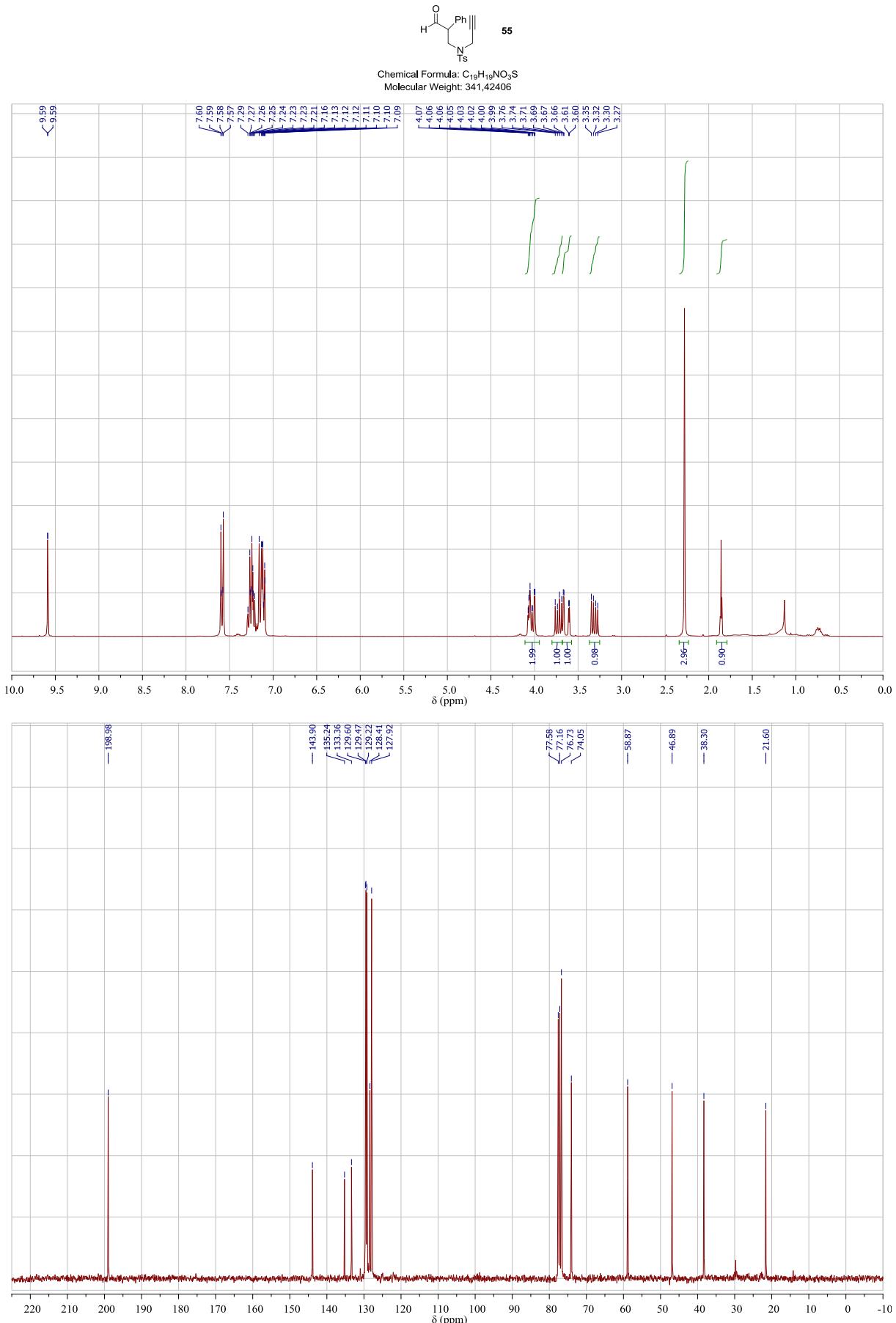


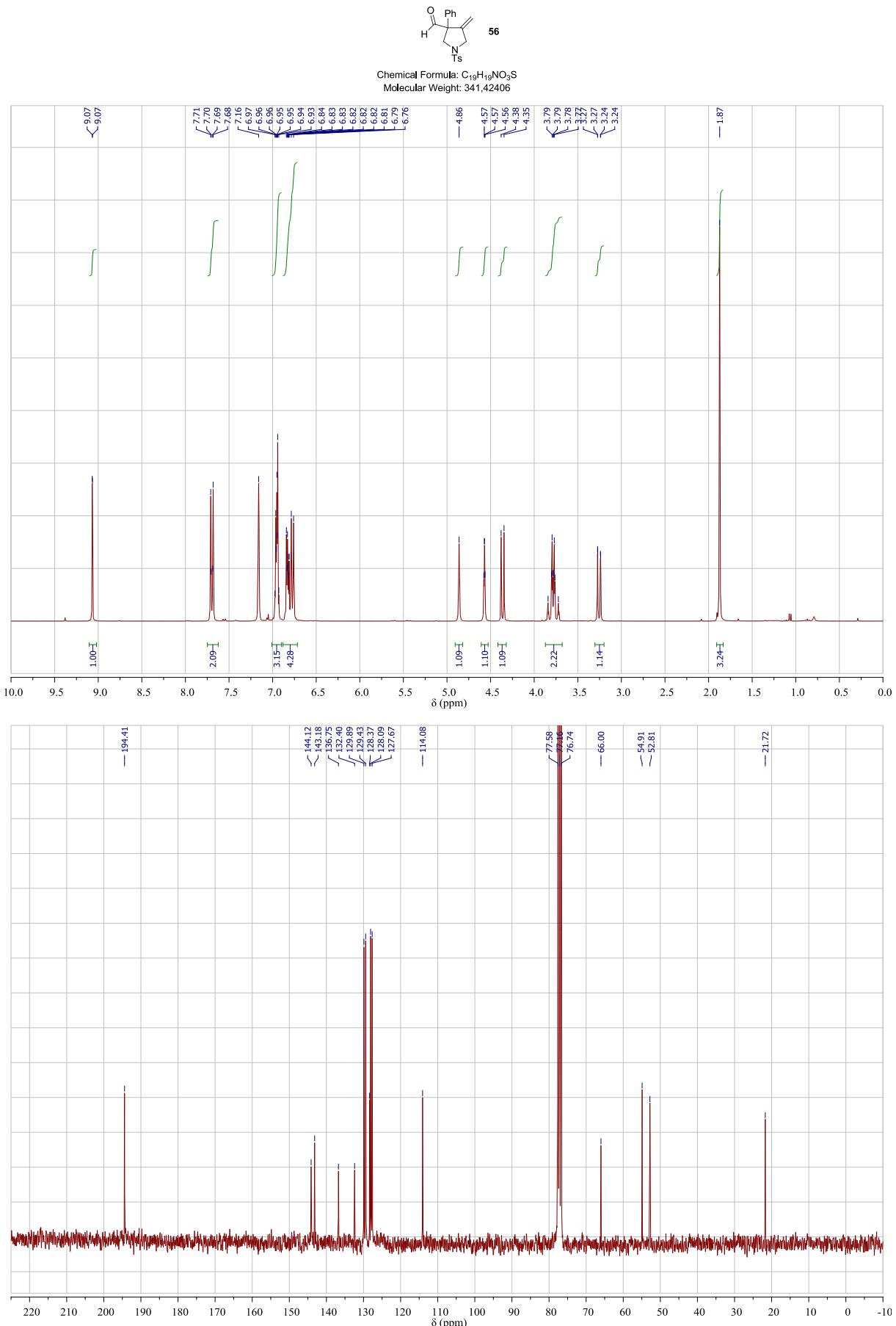


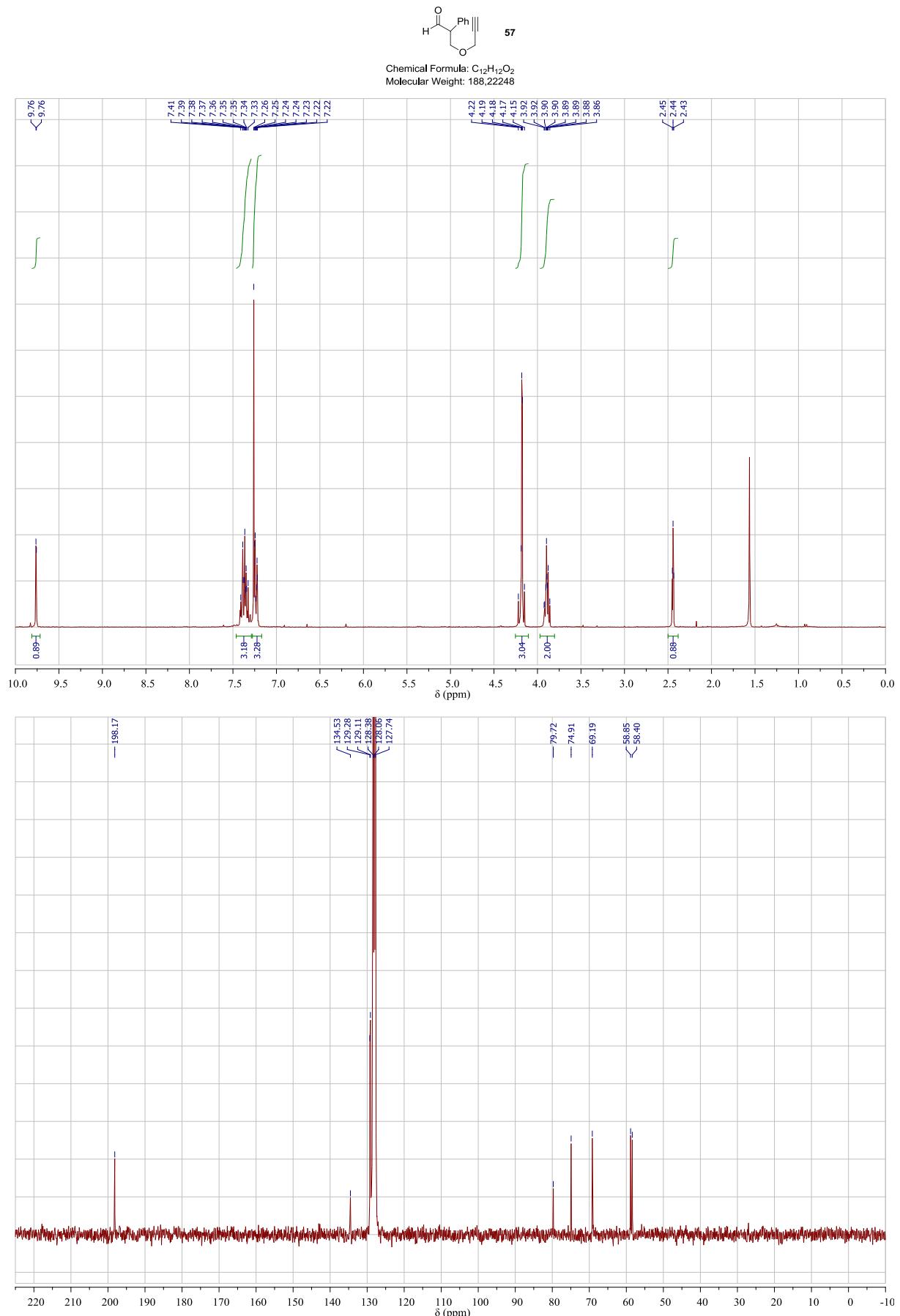
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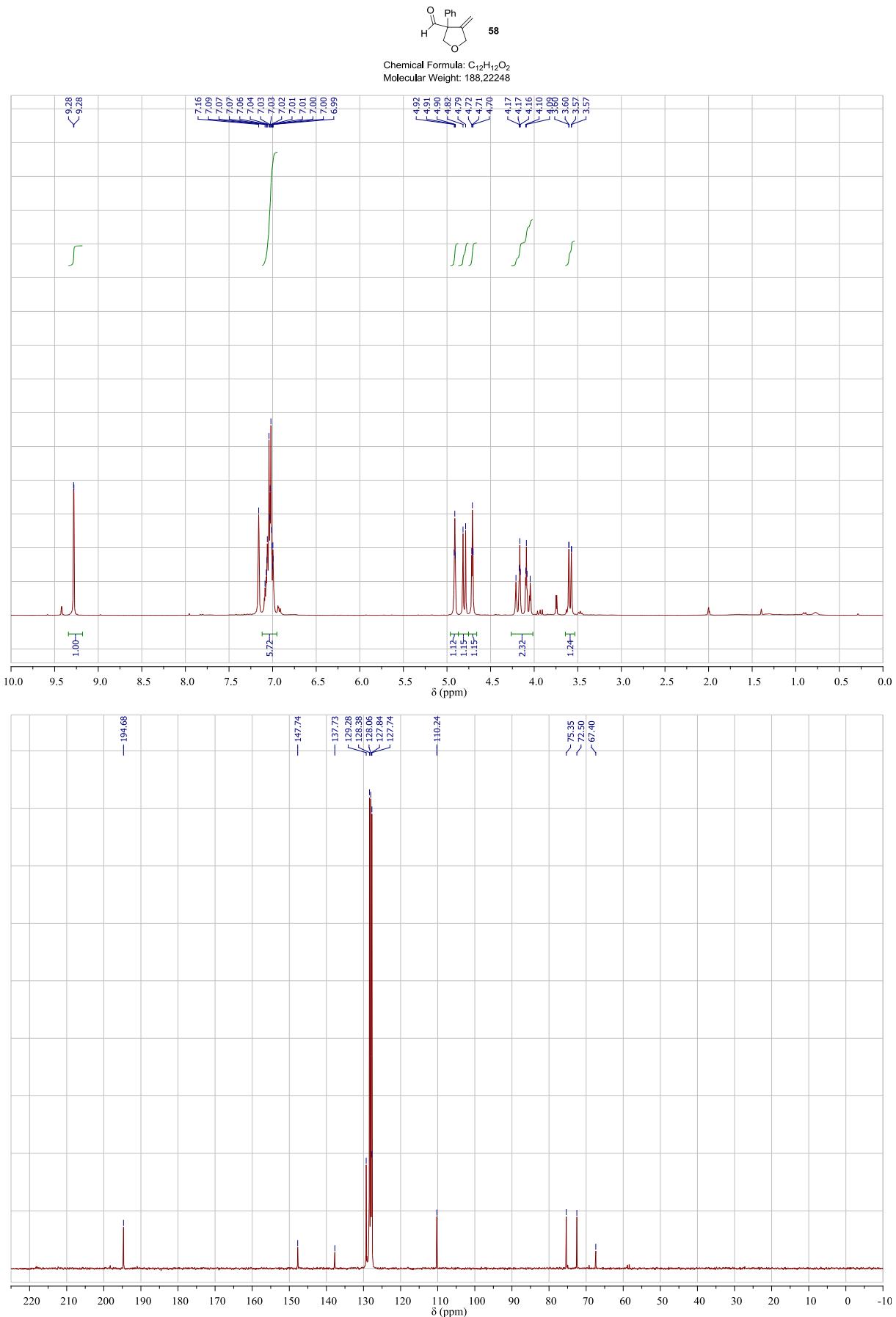


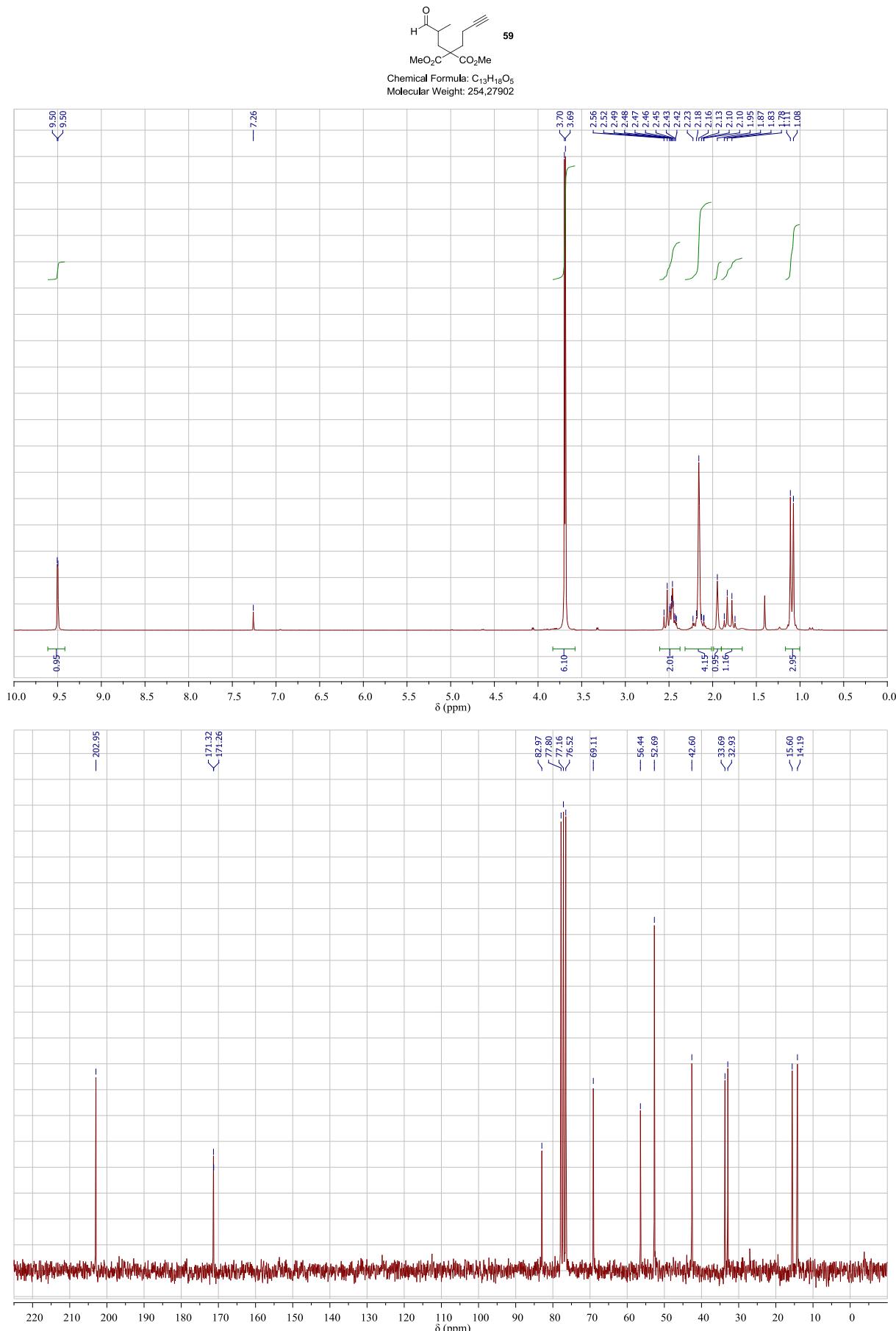


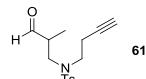












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