

First example of quinine-squaramide catalyzed enantioselective addition of diphenyl phosphite to ketimines derived from isatins

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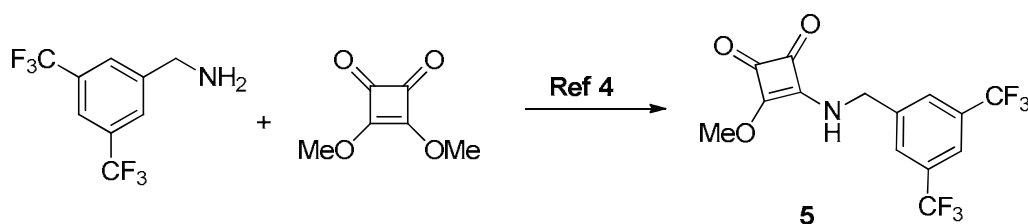
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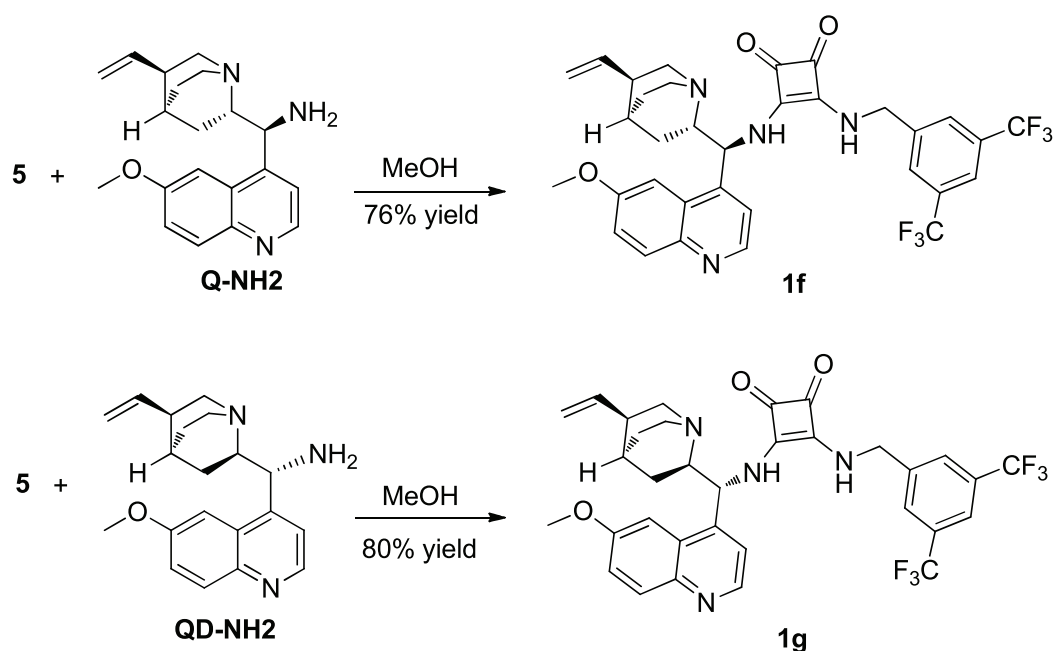
1. General Remarks

All the solvents were dried according to standard procedures. The reactions were carried out under nitrogen atmosphere. The isatin derivatives were purchased from commercial sources and used as such. The isatin derived ketimines were prepared according to previously reported procedure.¹ Diphenyl phosphite was purchased from Sigma Aldrich and used without any purification. The enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analysis on chiral stationary phase (Chiralpak AD-H and Chiralpak IC column) using mixture of hexane-isopropyl alcohol as eluent. Racemic samples were prepared by performing the reaction in the presence of triethyl amine as catalyst. All the compounds were purified by column chromatography on 100-200 mesh silica gel using hexane-ethyl acetate as eluent. All the reactions were monitored by TLC analysis. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on 500 MHz or 300 MHz instruments using CDCl₃ as solvent and TMS as an internal standard. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded at 75 MHz or 125 MHz using CDCl₃ as solvent and reference. Optical rotation was recorded on Perkin Elmer-343 polarimeter. Absolute configuration of the product was determined by single crystal X-ray analysis. Based on the stereochemistry of **4b**, the relative configuration of all the products were determined.

All quinine, quinidine were purchased from Sigma Aldrich. Catalysts **1b** and **1c** were prepared according to the literature procedure.² Ligands **1d** and **1e** were prepared according to the previously reported procedures.³ The catalysts **1f** and **1g** were also prepared based on previous procedures.⁴

2. Procedure for the preparation of catalysts **1f** and **1g**.





To a solution of **5** (2.2 mmol) in methanol (20 mL) was added a solution of amine (2.0 mmol) in methanol (4 mL). The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24h and the white precipitate of **1f** or **1g** was filtered with cold methanol and dried under vacuum to obtain the squaramide catalysts **1f** or **1g**.

Catalyst **1f**

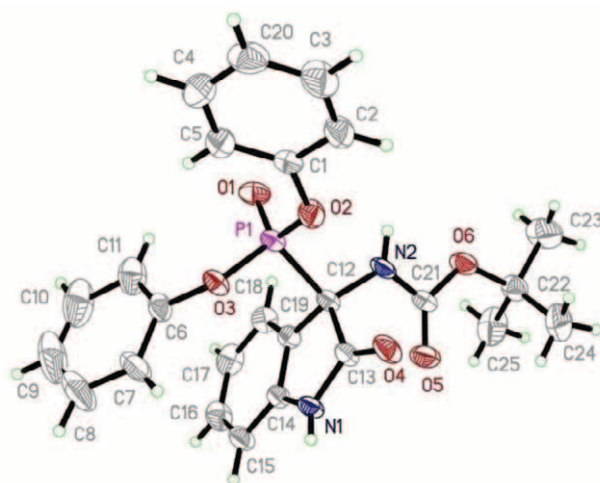
Yield 76%, white solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃ + DMSO-d₆, 500 MHz) δ : 0.70-0.78 (m, 1H), 1.50-1.72 (m, 4H), 2.34 (br s, 1H), 2.60-2.80 (m, 2H), 3.30 (d, J = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (d, J = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (br s, 1H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 4.88 (d, J = 3.05 Hz, 2H), 5.00-5.08 (m, 2H), 5.84 (m, 1H), 6.14 (br s, 1H), 7.34 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d, J = 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (br s, 1H); 7.79 (s, 3H), 7.82 (br s, 1H), 8.00 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 8.74 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃ + DMSO-d₆, 75 MHz) δ : 25.3, 26.3, 26.5, 45.5, 54.8, 55.1, 58.7, 100.3, 113.5, 118.0, 120.2, 120.3, 121.4, 123.8, 126.8, 127.2, 130.2, 130.4, 130.7, 140.4, 142.9, 143.6, 146.2, 157.3, 166.3, 181.6, 182.0; HRMS (ESI) m/z : calculated mass for C₃₃H₃₁N₄O₃F₆ [M+H]⁺ = 645.2294; found 645.2291.

Catalyst **1g**

Yield 80%, pale yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ : 0.80-1.02 (m, 1H), 1.10 (m, 1H), 1.32-1.68 (m, 4H), 2.20 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.90 (m, 3H), 3.00-3.40 (m, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 4.68 (q, J =

15.8 Hz, 2H), 5.07 (d, J = 10.6 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (d, J = 17.3 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (m, 1H), 6.13 (br s, 1H), 7.26-7.52 (m, 5 H), 7.61-7.80 (m, 3H), 7.95 (d, J = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d, J = 4.5 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz) δ : 24.8, 26.0, 27.0, 38.6, 46.2, 46.3, 18.8, 55.3, 59.8, 101.1, 114.5, 120.9, 124.5, 127.4, 128.7, 129.4, 131.2, 131.7, 133.1, 139.8, 140.4, 144.2, 147.0, 157.9, 166.4, 167.9, 181.9, 182.6; HRMS (ESI) m/z : calculated mass for $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_4\text{O}_3\text{F}_6$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+ = 645.2294$; found 645.2290.

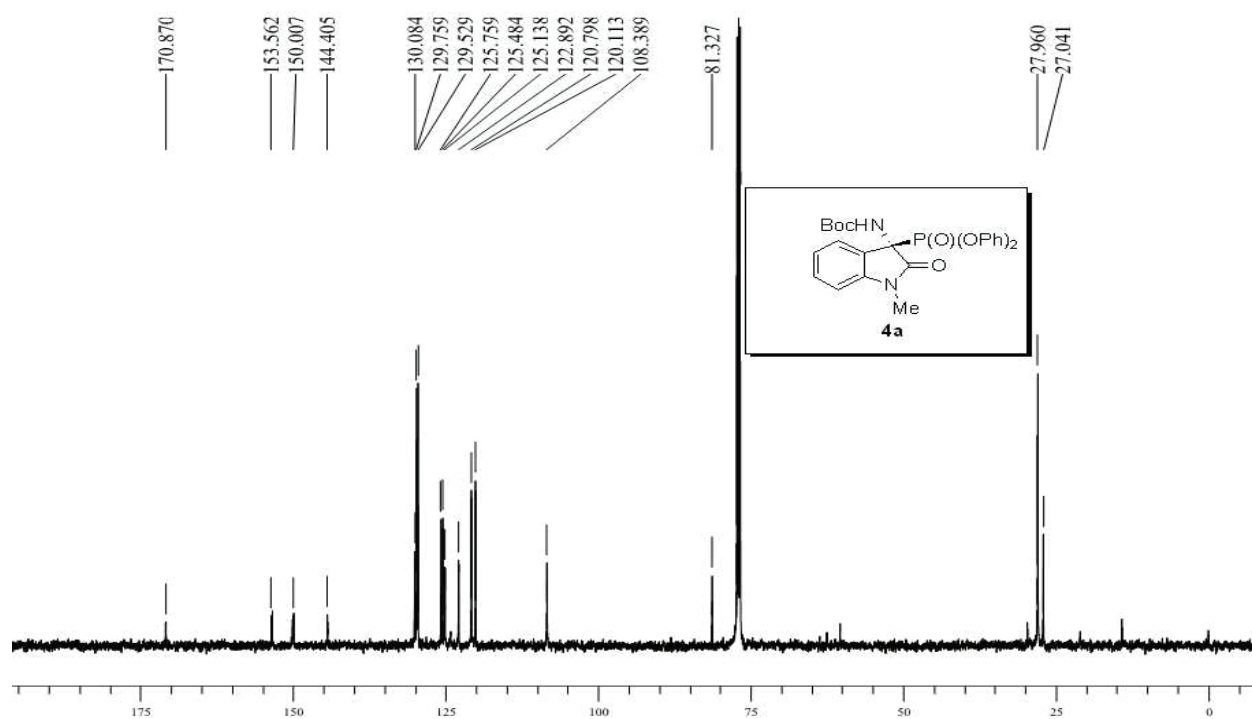
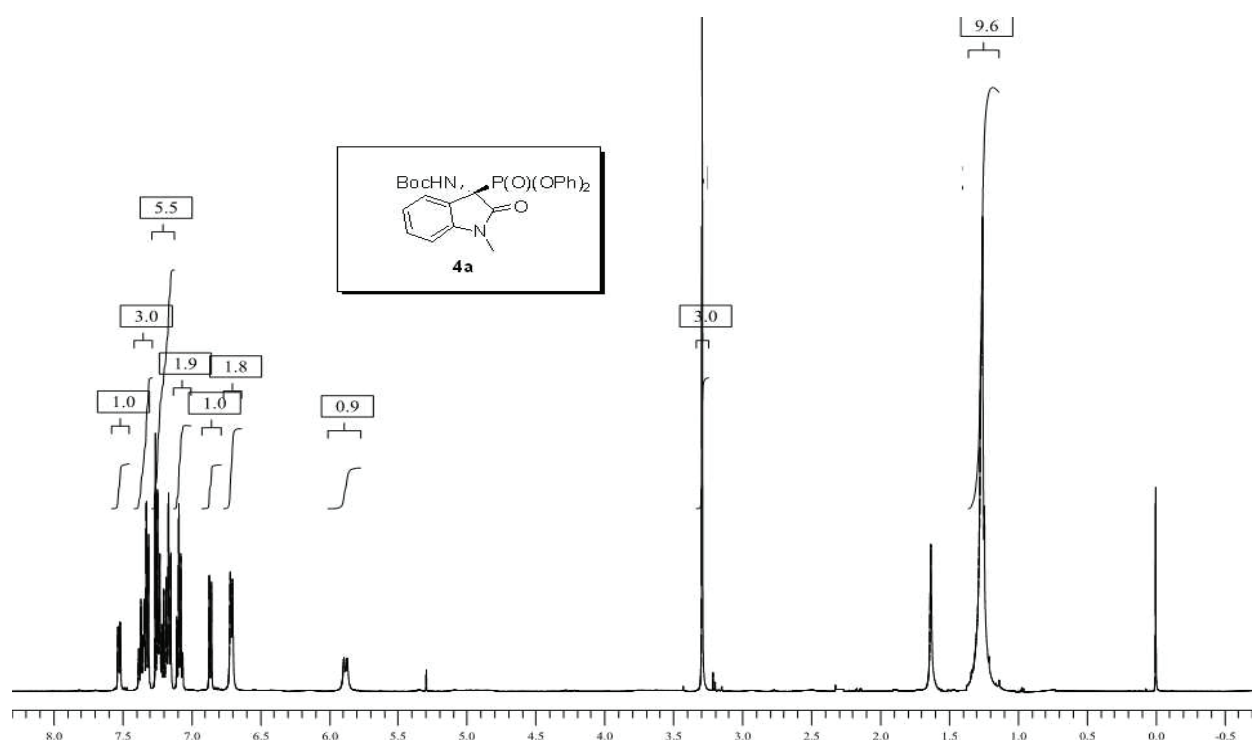
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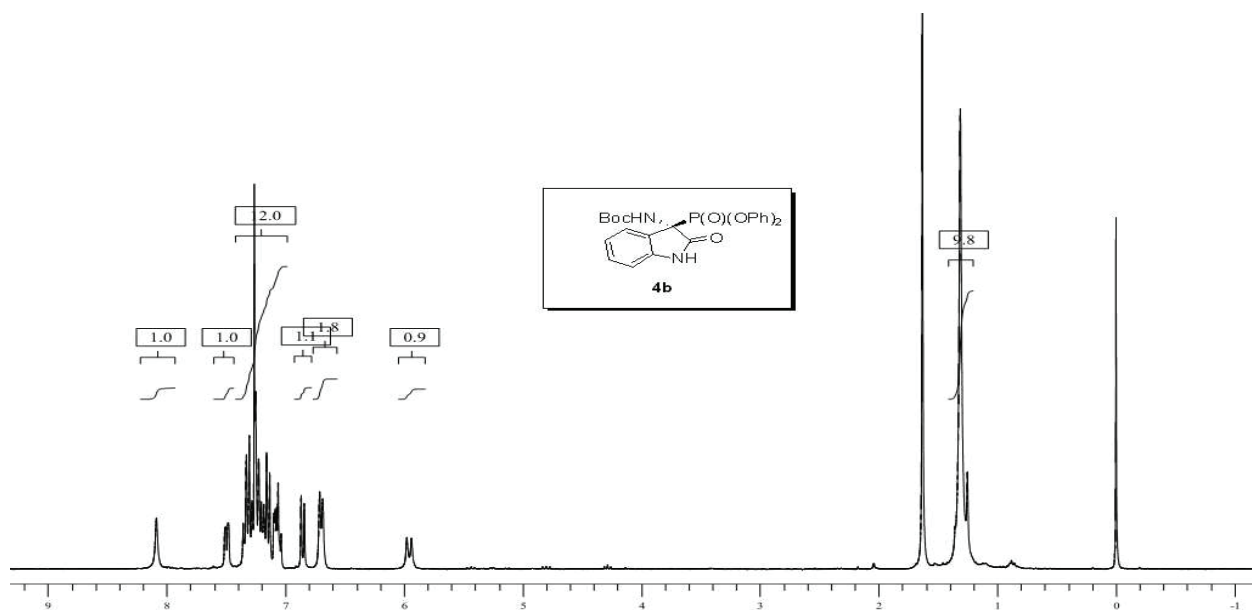


The crystal data of **4b** have been deposited in CCDC with number 960126. $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_2\text{O}_6\text{P}$, $M = 480.44$, colorless needle, $0.18 \times 0.08 \times 0.05 \text{ mm}^3$, orthorhombic, space group $\text{P}2_12_12_1$ (No. 19), $a = 8.901(2)$, $b = 12.206(3)$, $c = 22.343(6) \text{ \AA}$, $V = 2427.3(11) \text{ \AA}^3$, $Z = 4$, $D_c = 1.315 \text{ g/cm}^3$, $F(000) = 1008$, CCD Area Detector, $\text{MoK}\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$, $T = 294(2) \text{ K}$, $2\theta_{\text{max}} = 50.0^\circ$, 21588 reflections collected, 4267 unique ($R_{\text{int}} = 0.0865$). Final $\text{Goof} = 1.048$, $R_1 = 0.0685$, $wR_2 = 0.1684$, R indices based on 3790 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ (refinement on F^2), 318 parameters, 0 restraints. L_p and absorption corrections applied, $\mu = 0.156 \text{ mm}^{-1}$. Absolute structure parameter = $0.01(17)$.

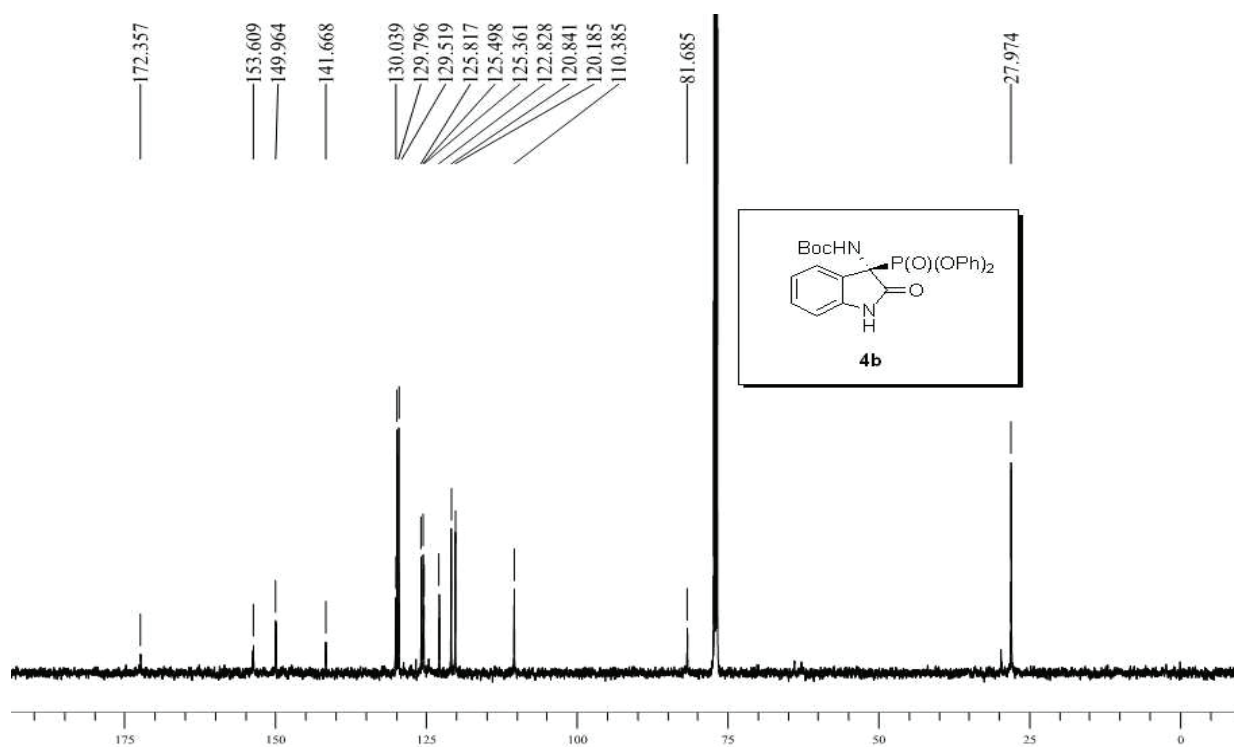
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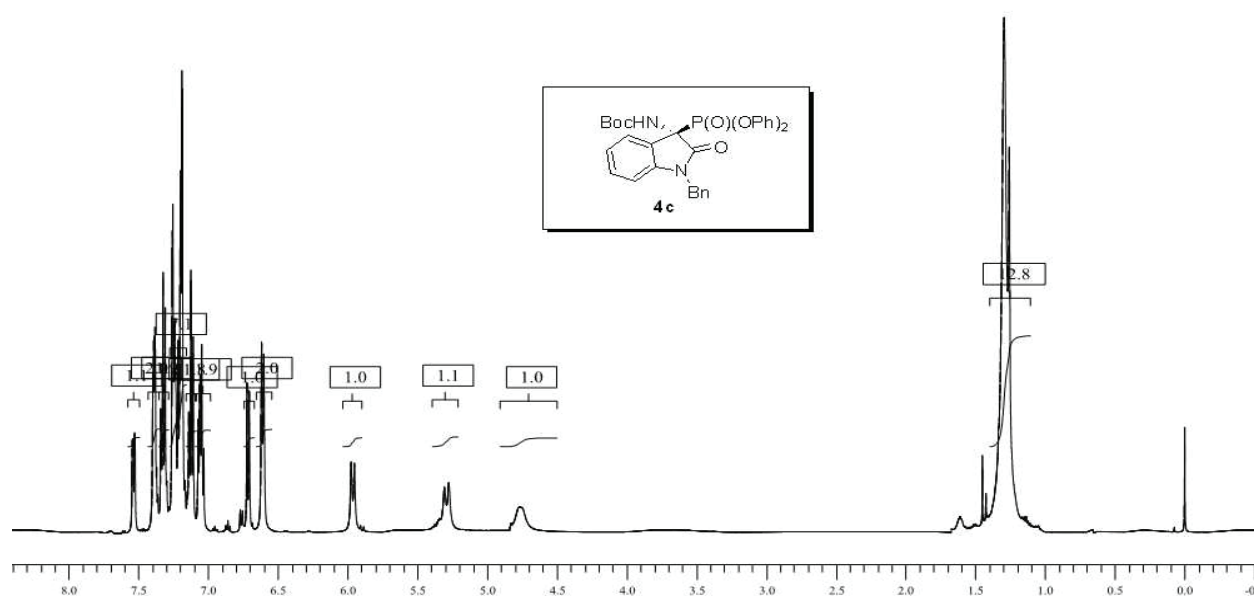




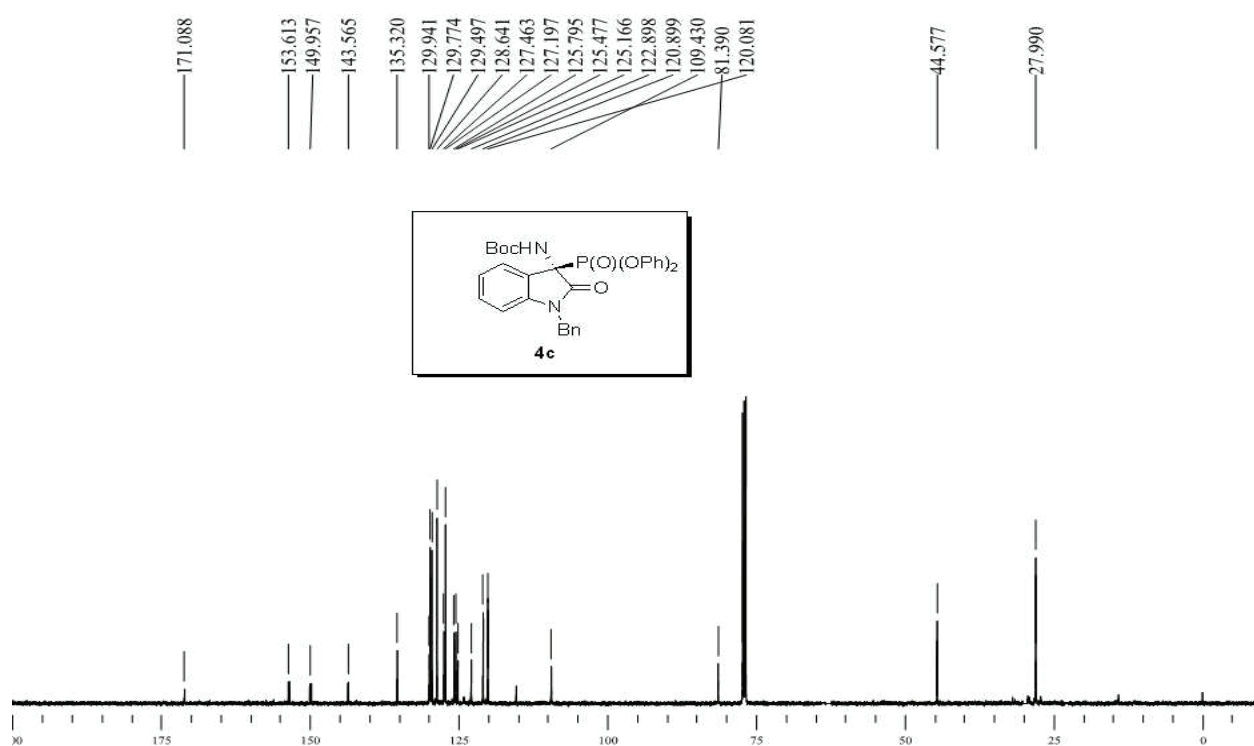
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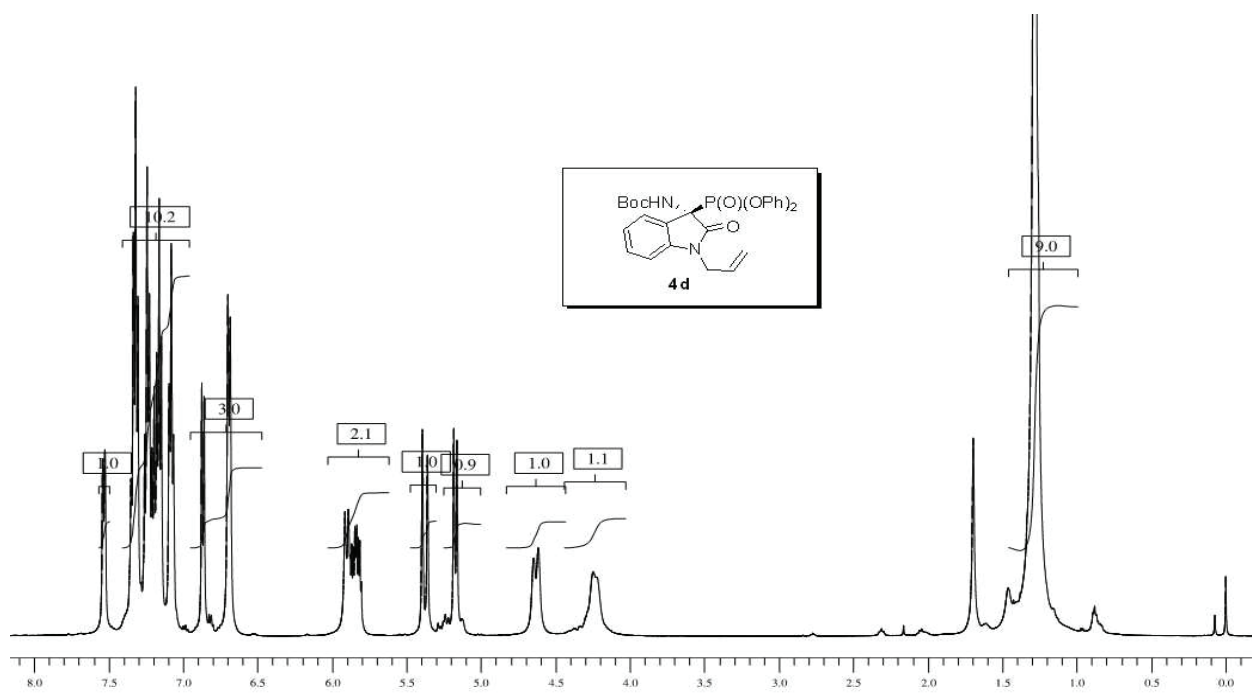
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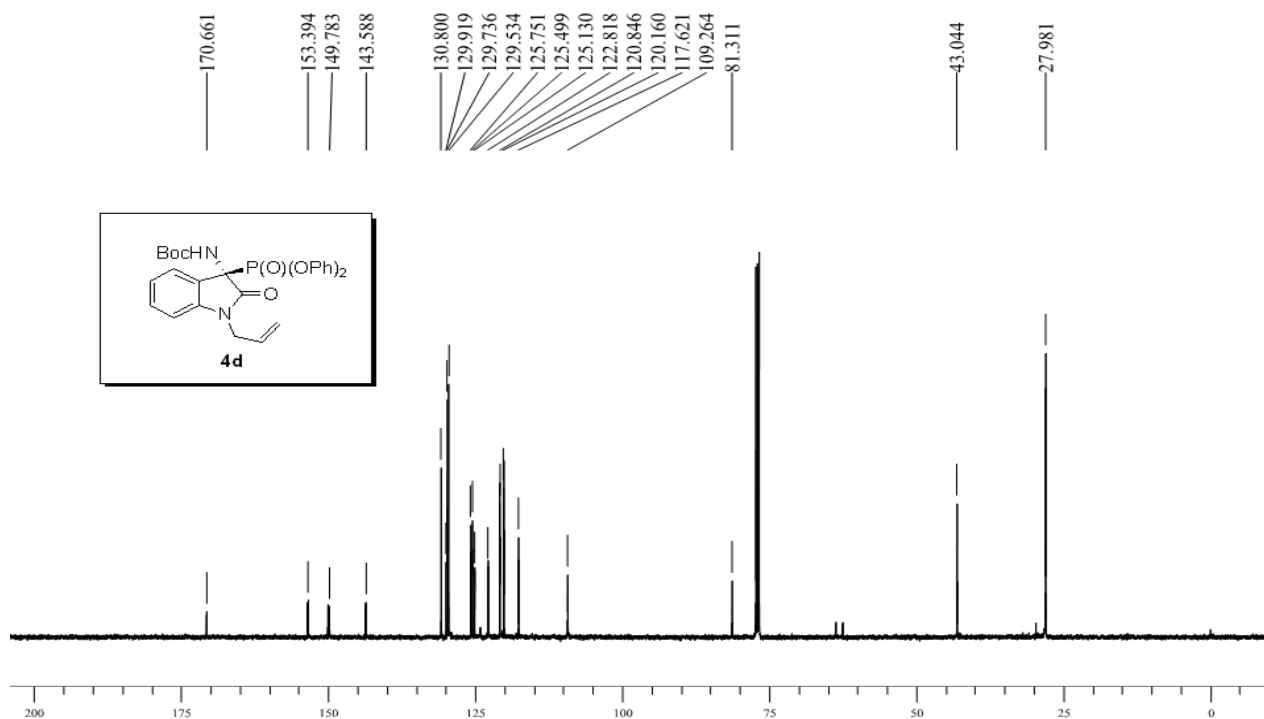
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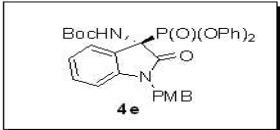
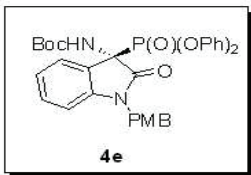
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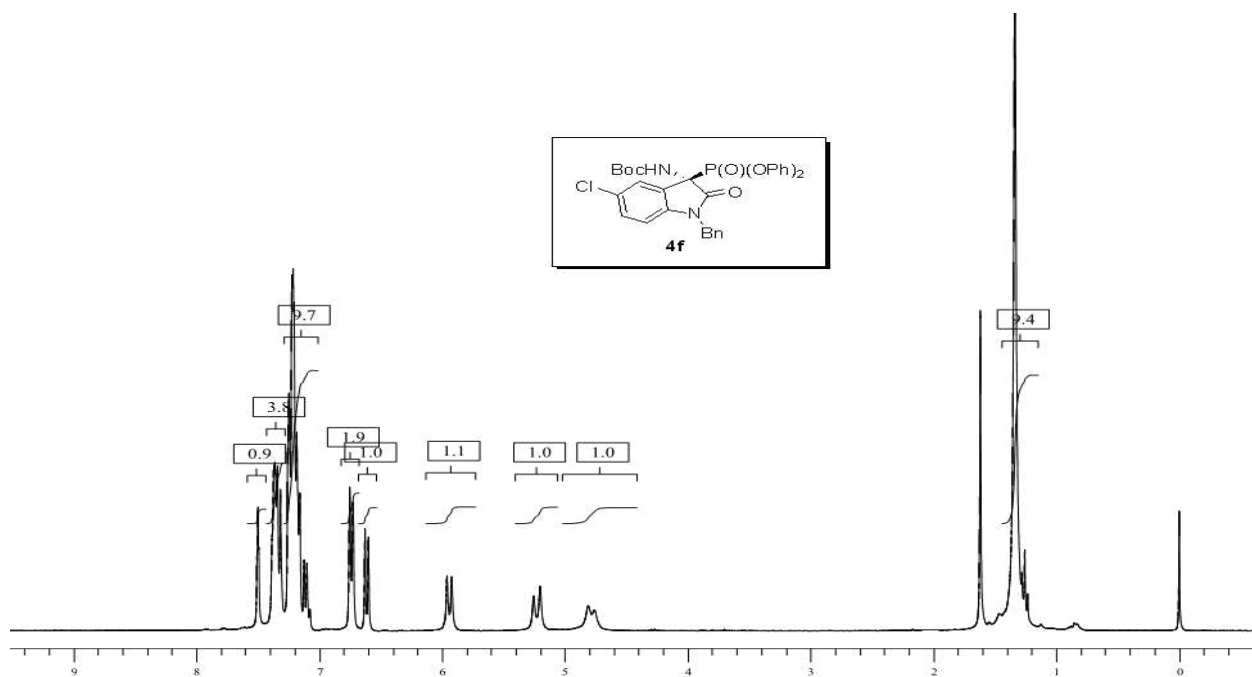
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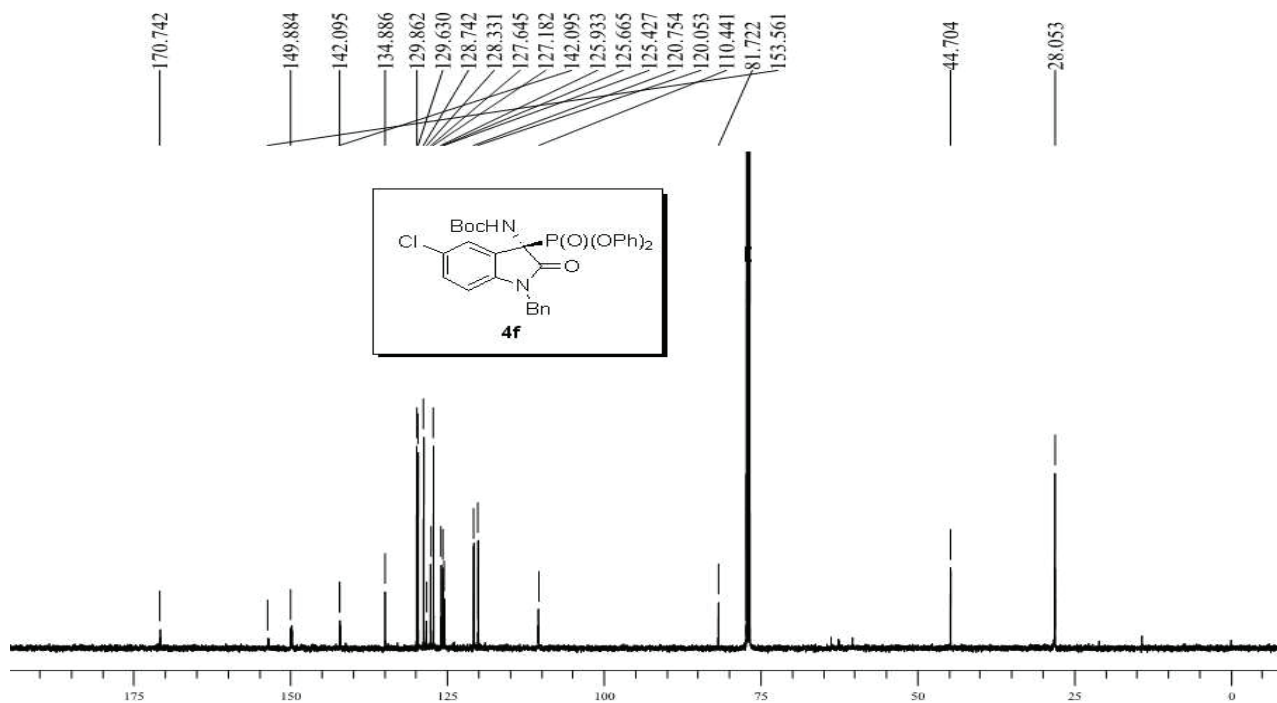
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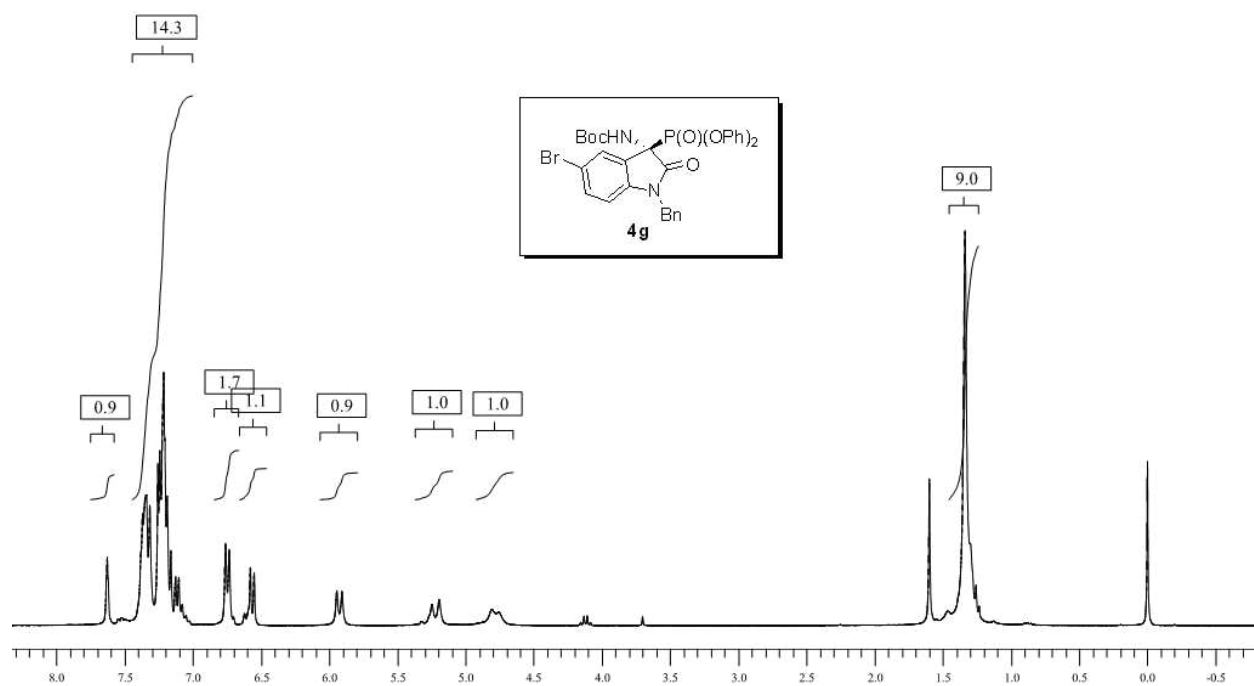
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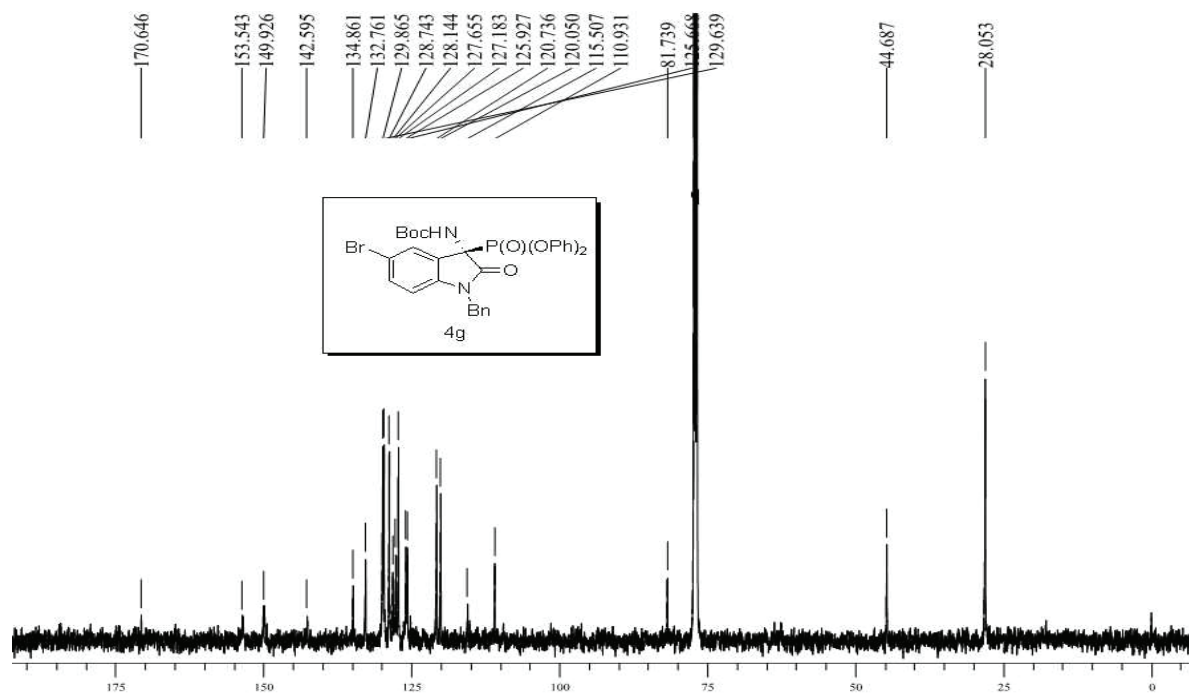
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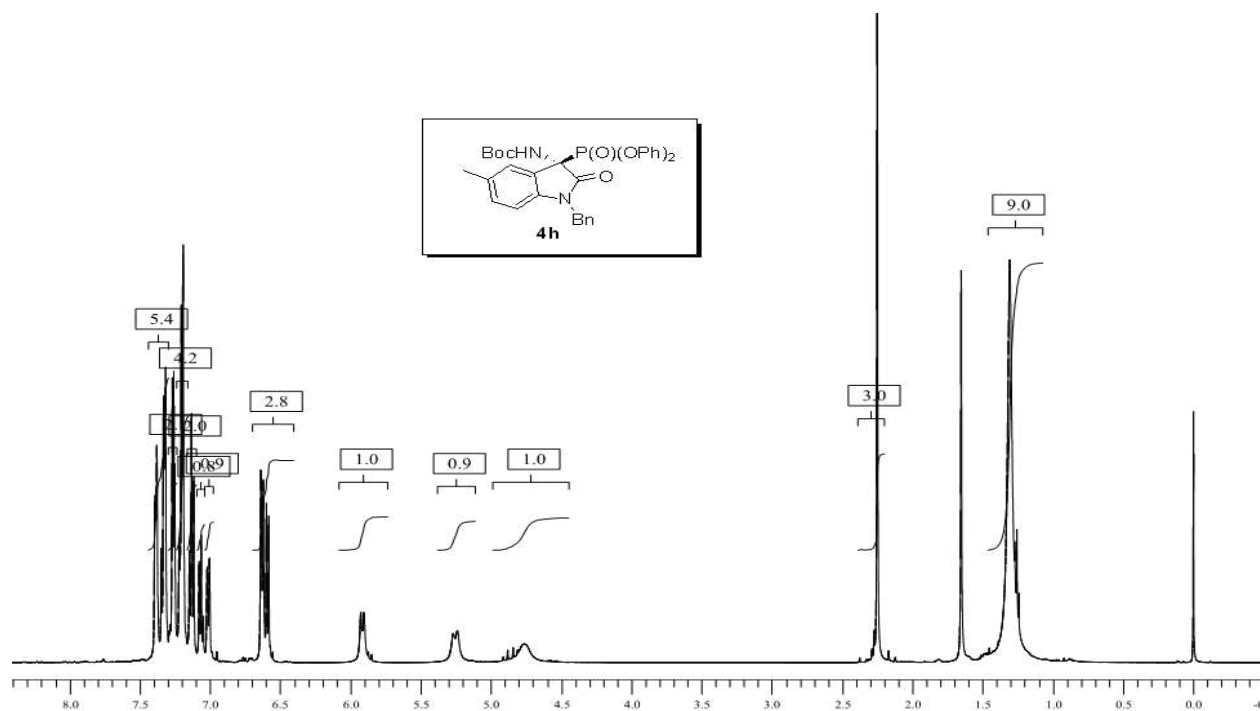
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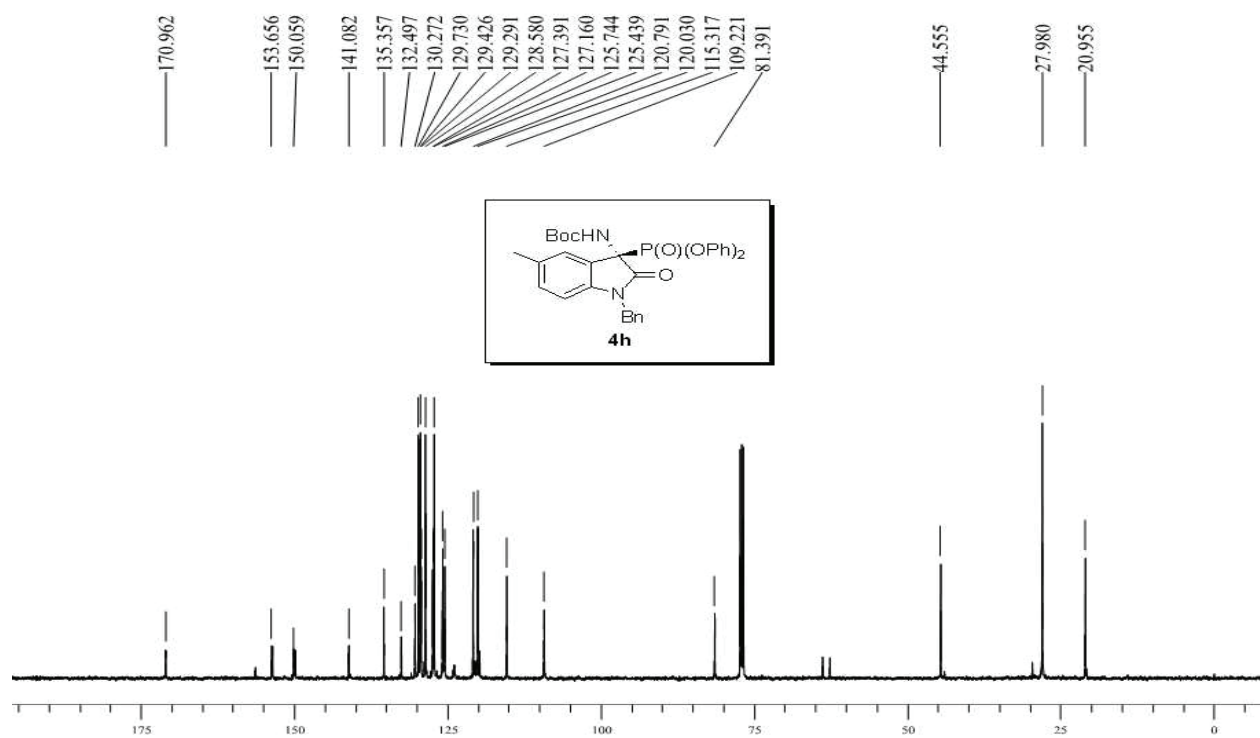
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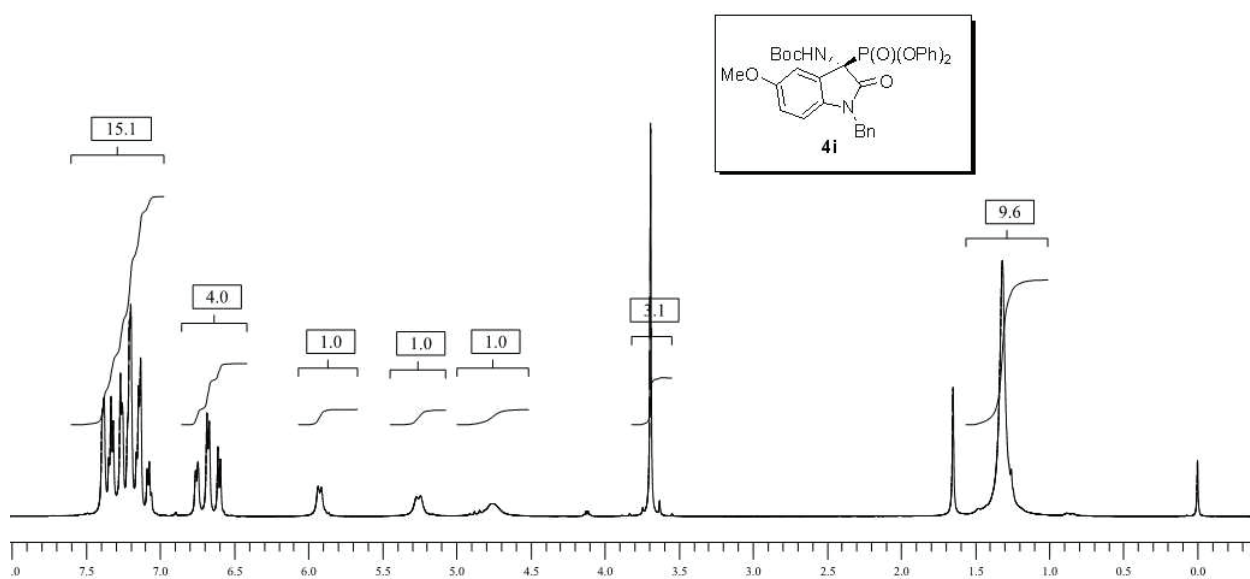
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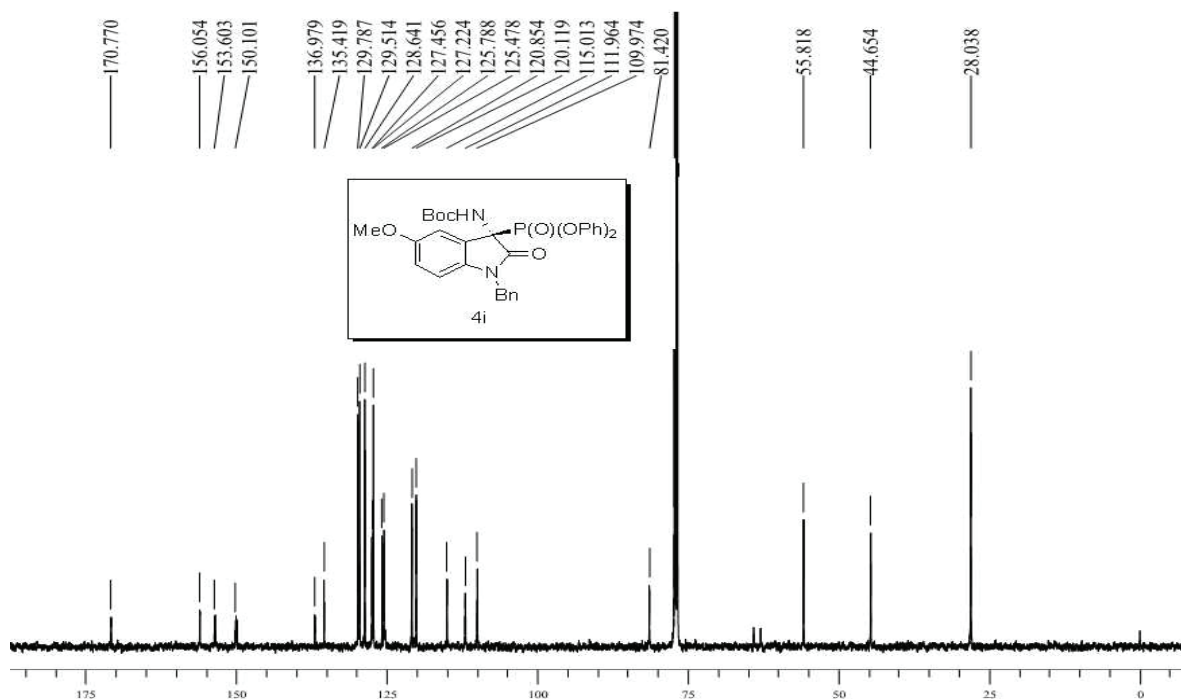
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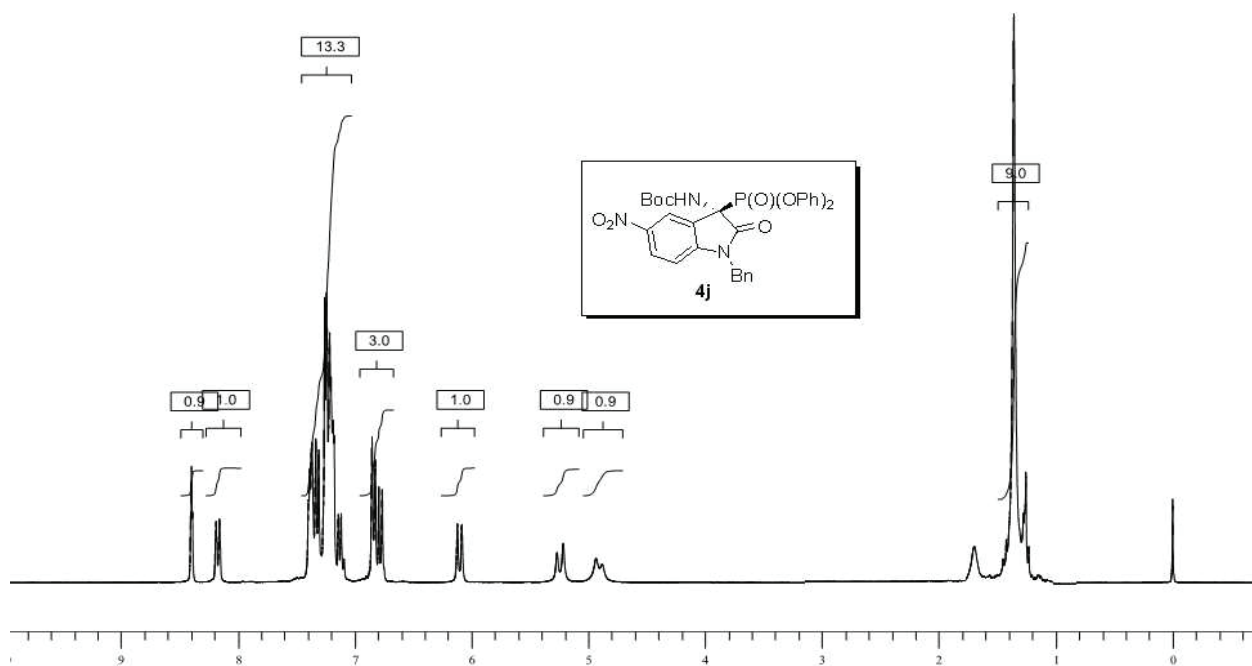
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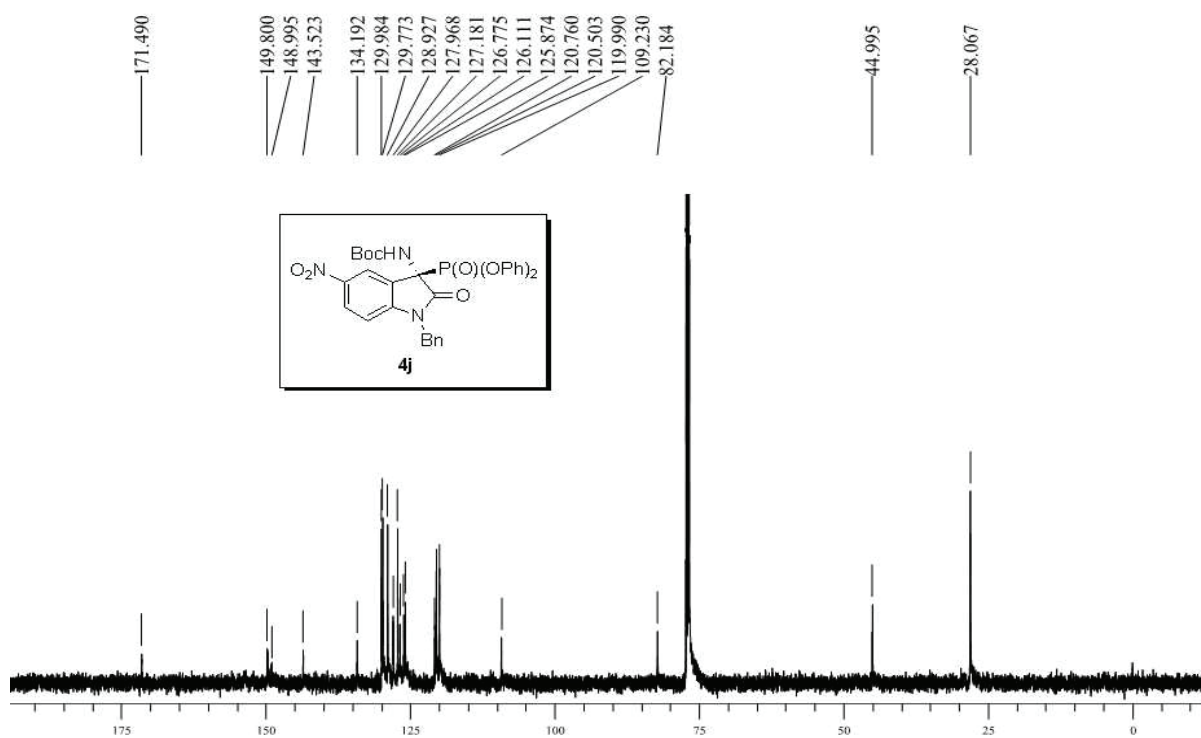
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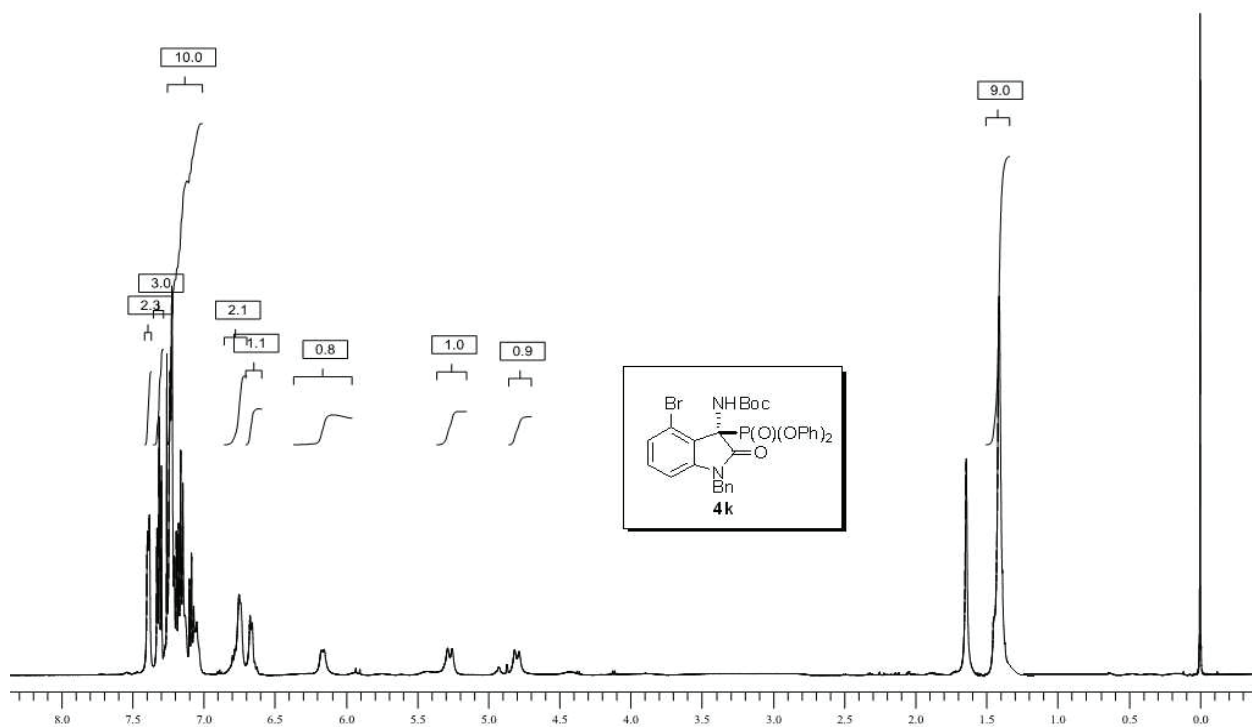
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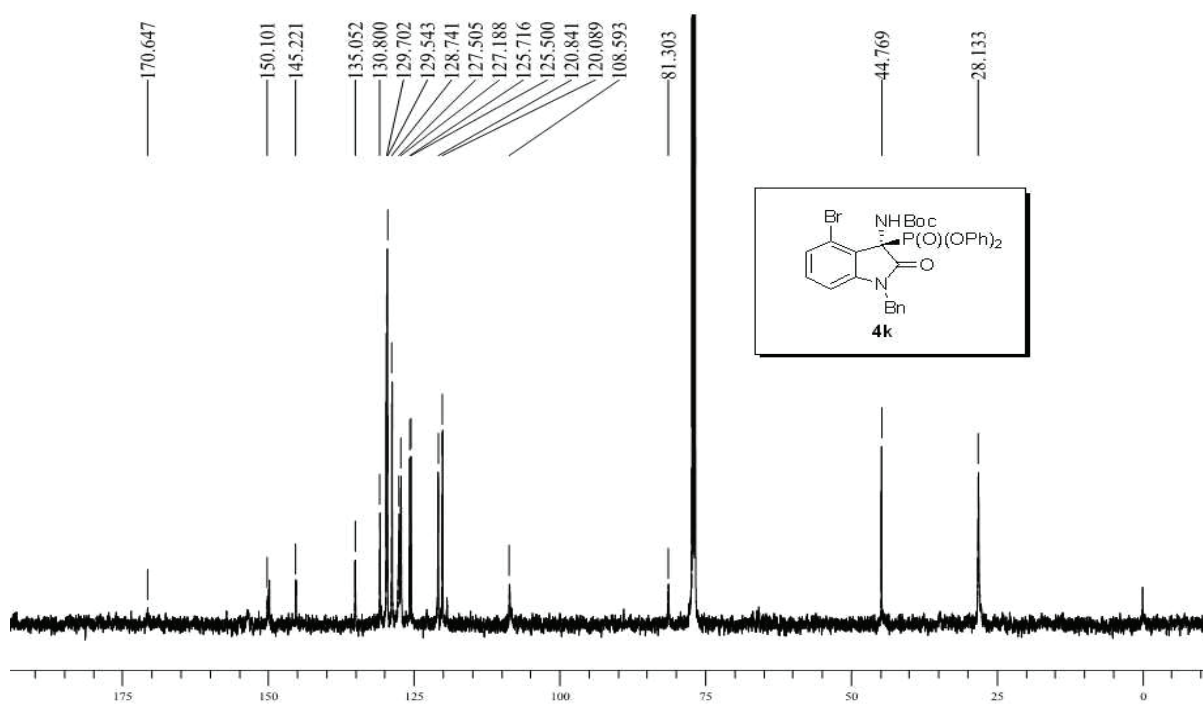
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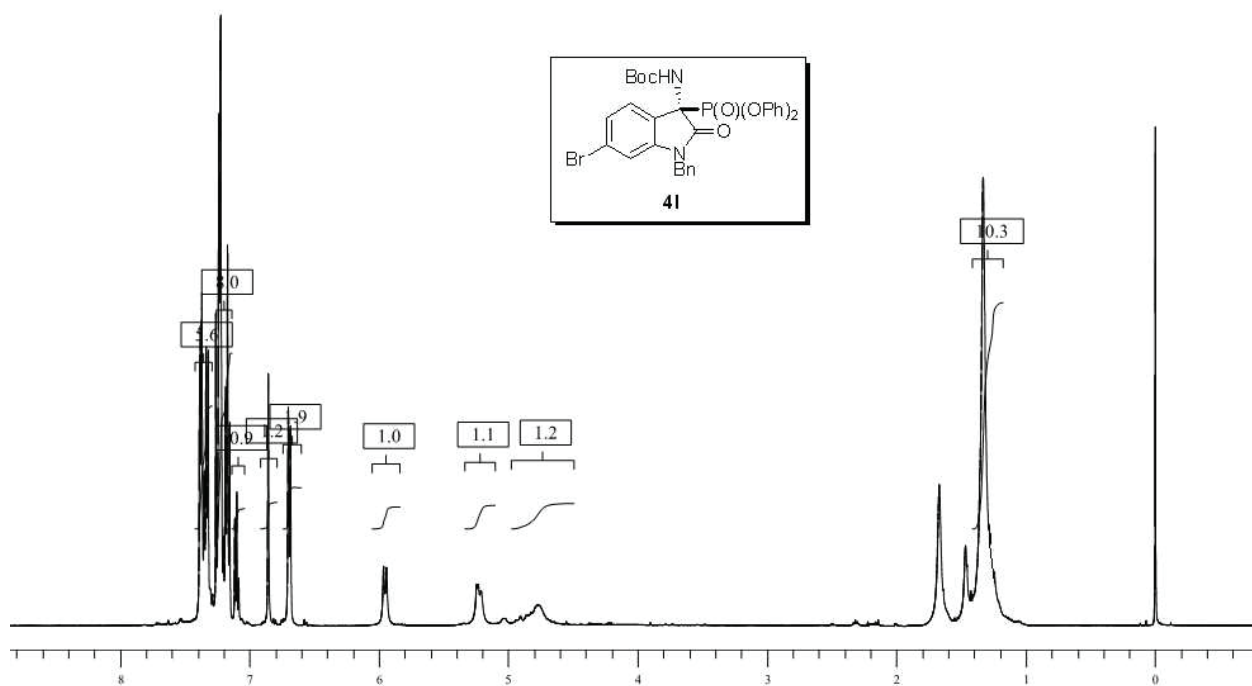
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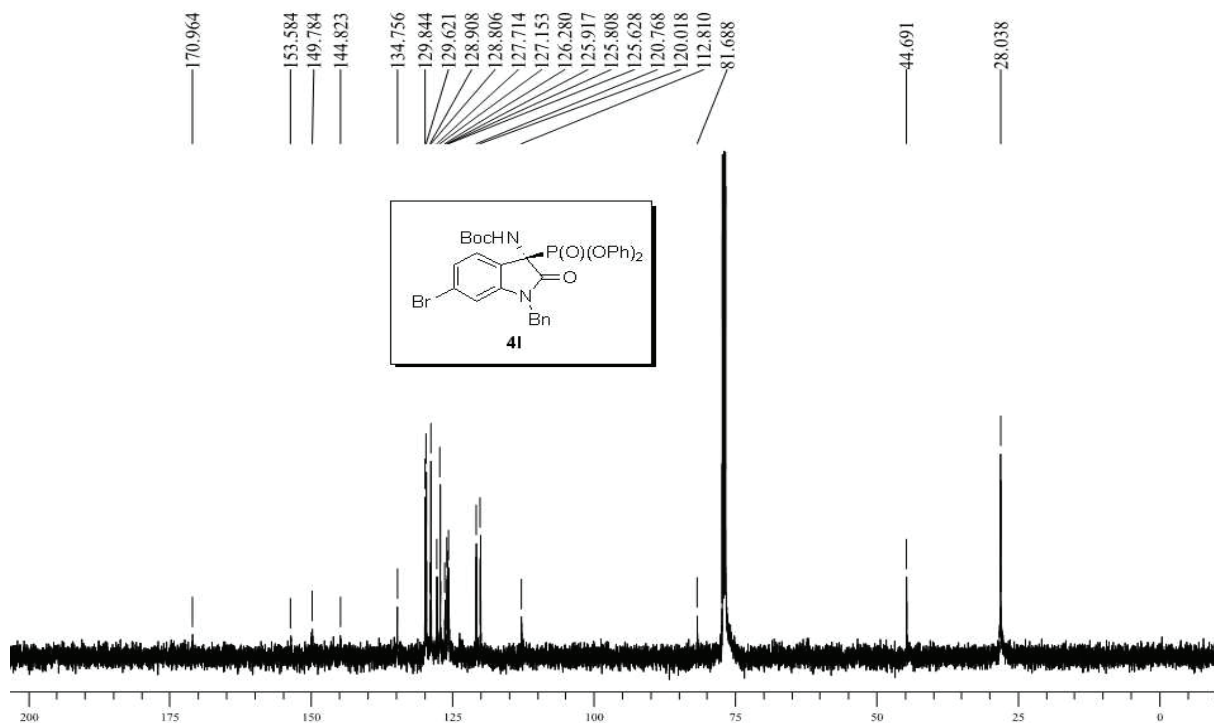
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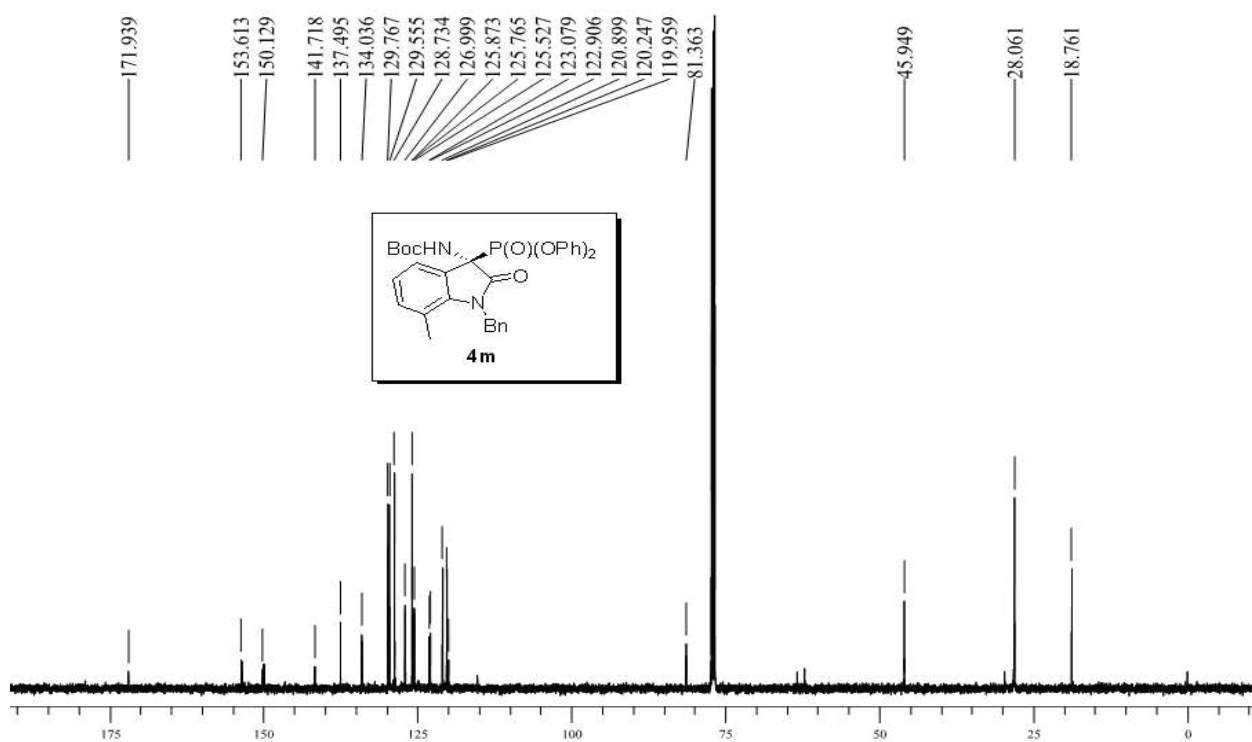
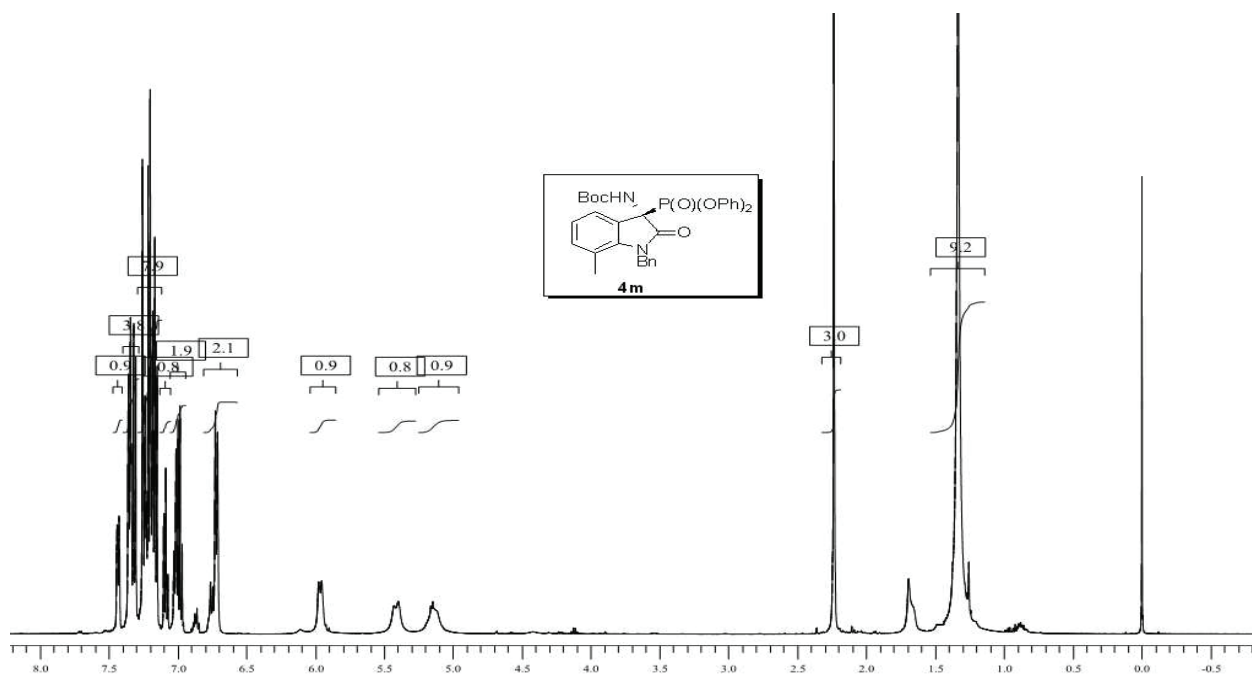
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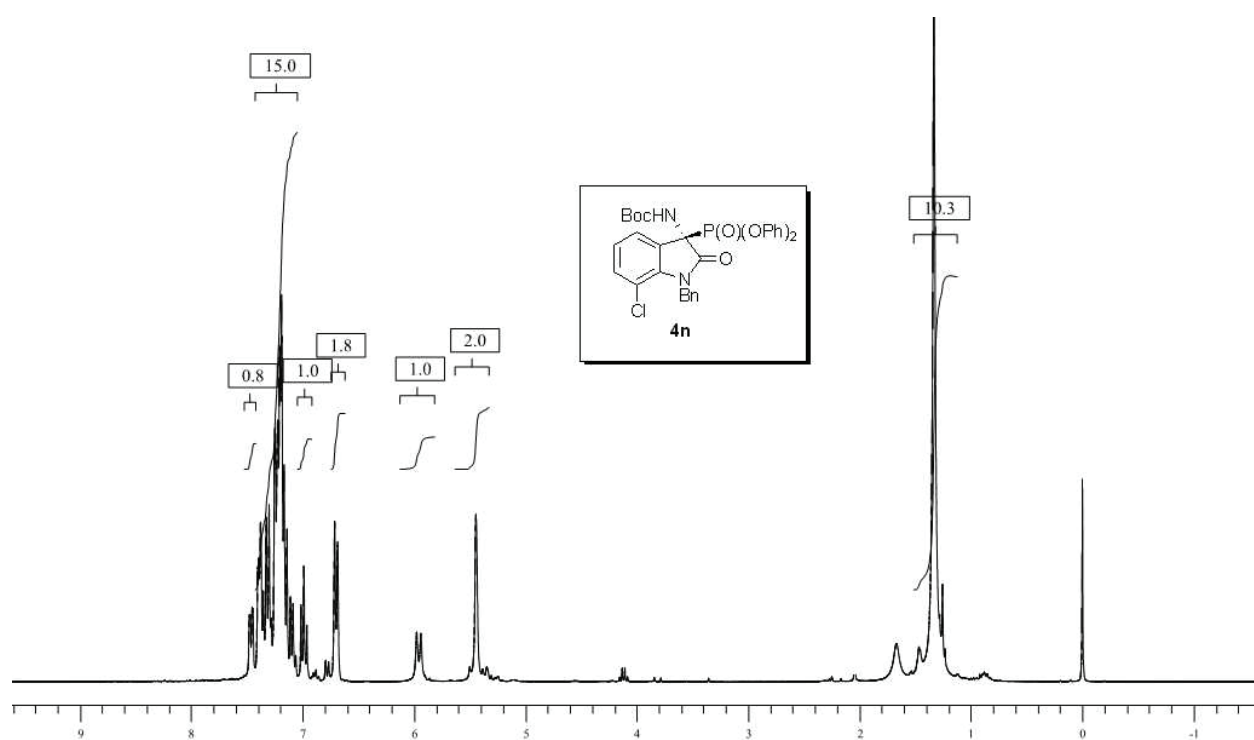


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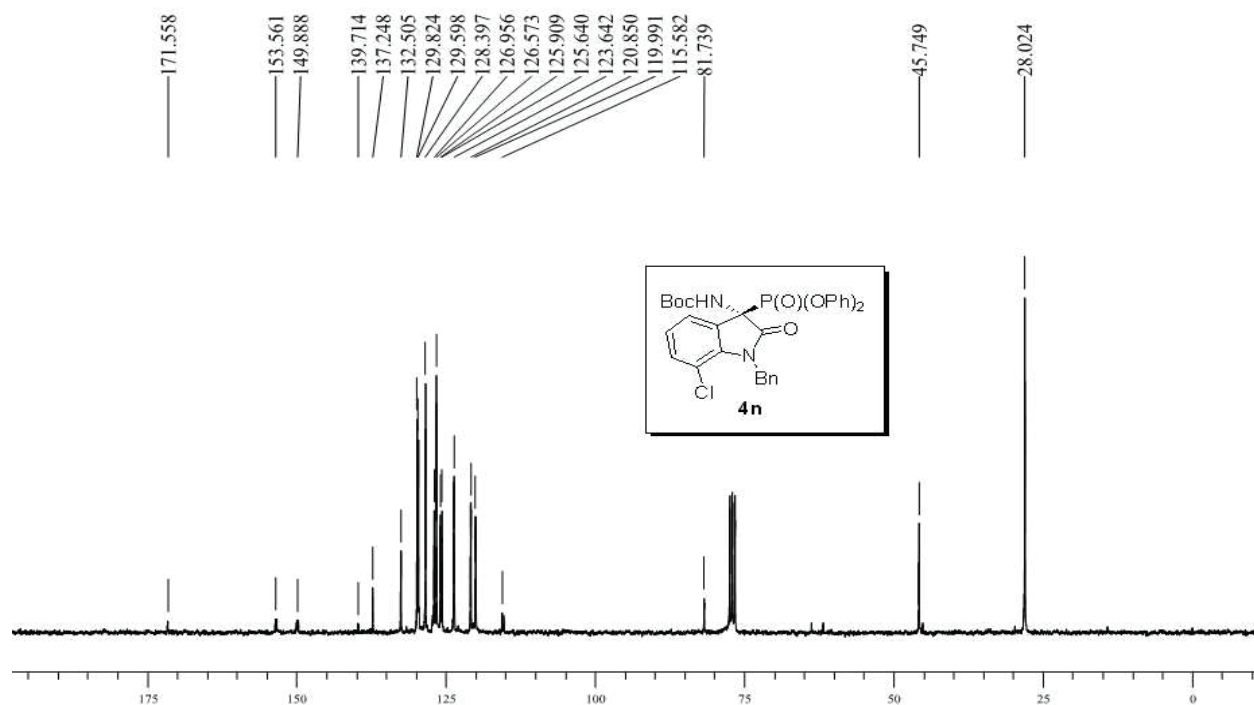


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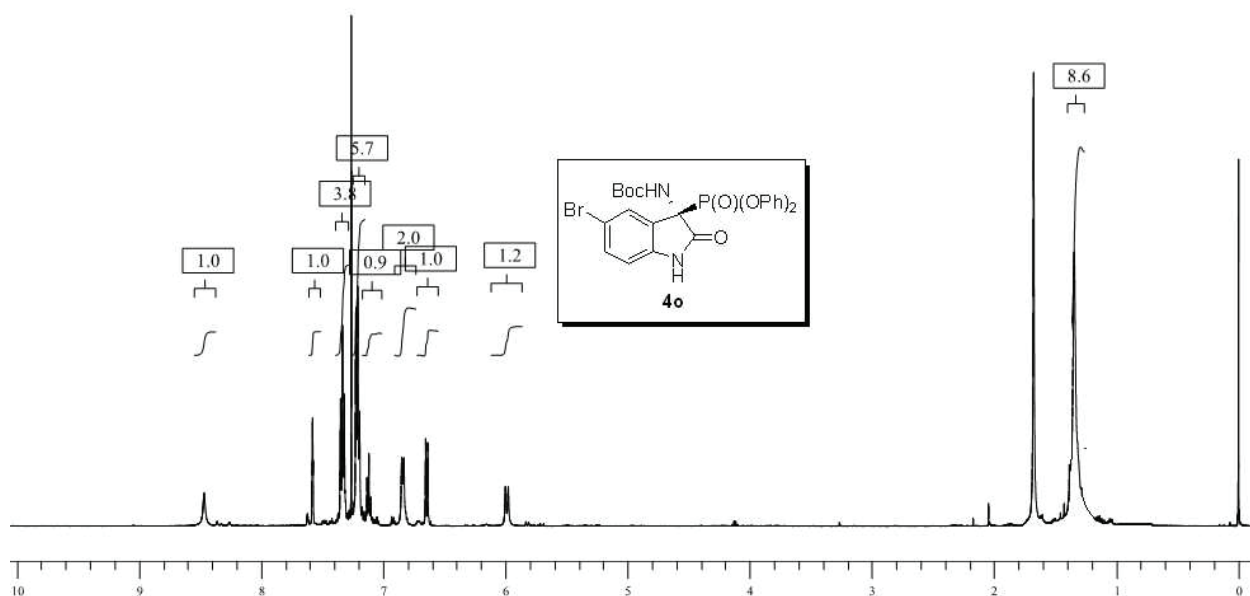




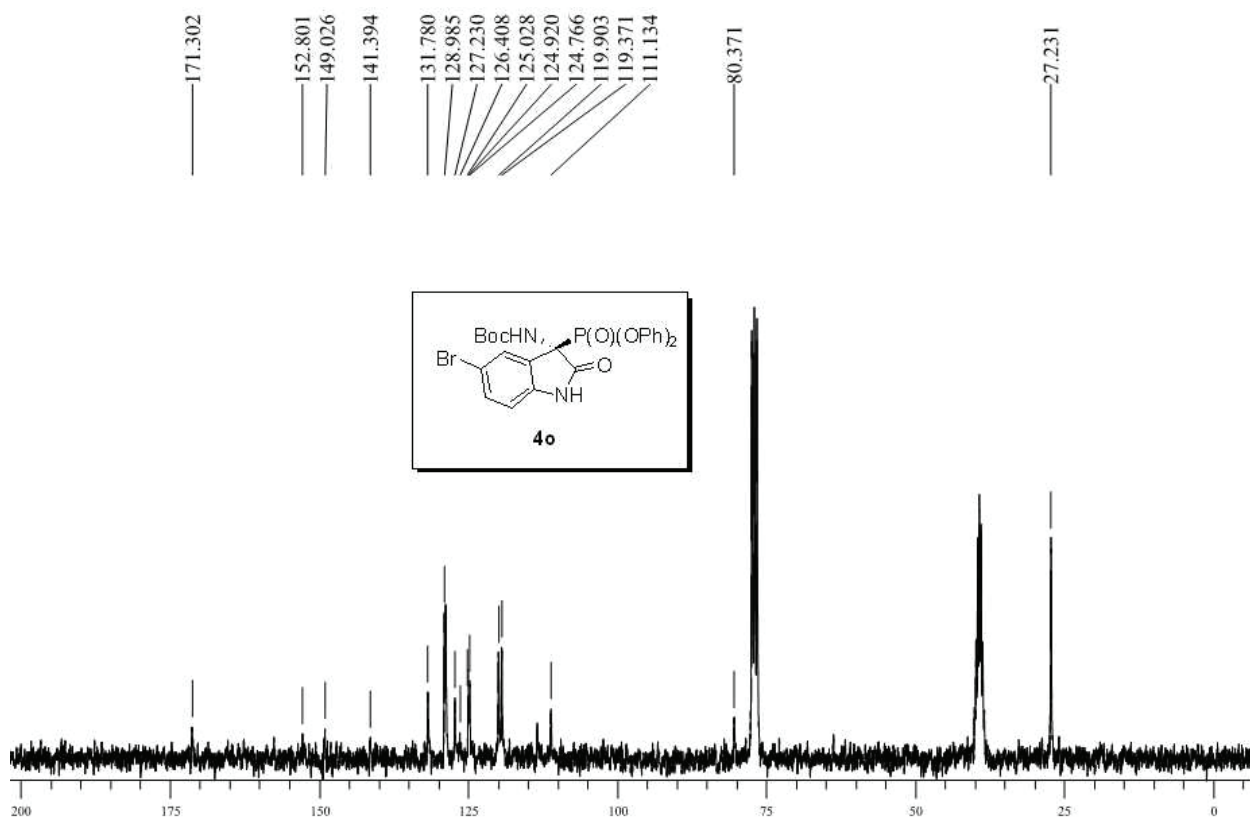
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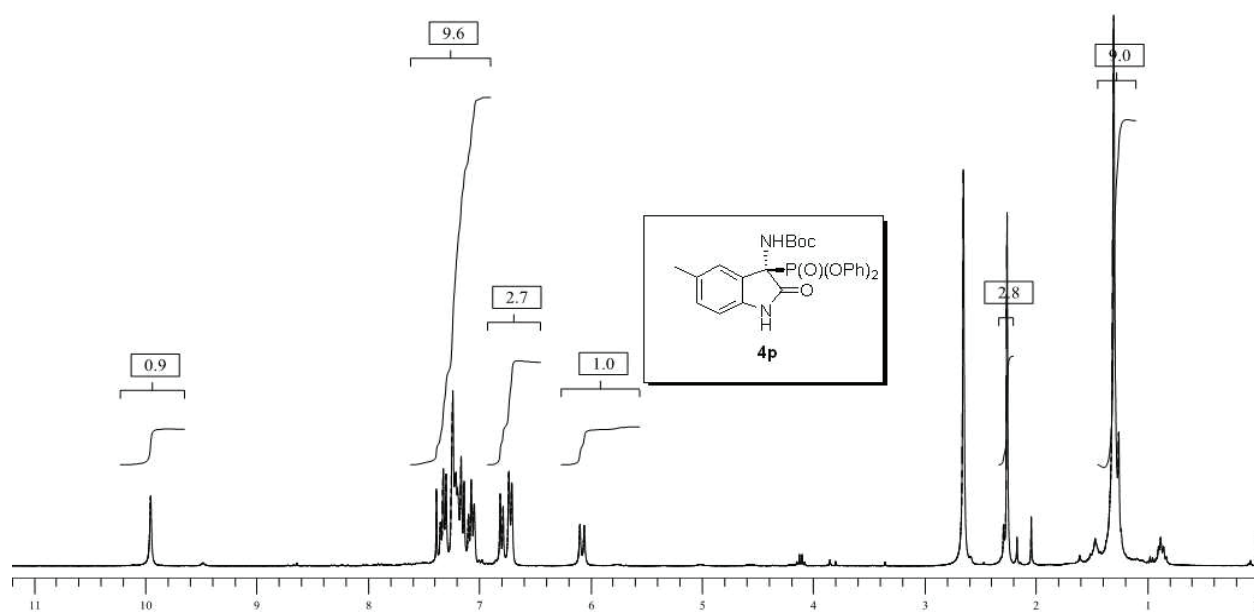
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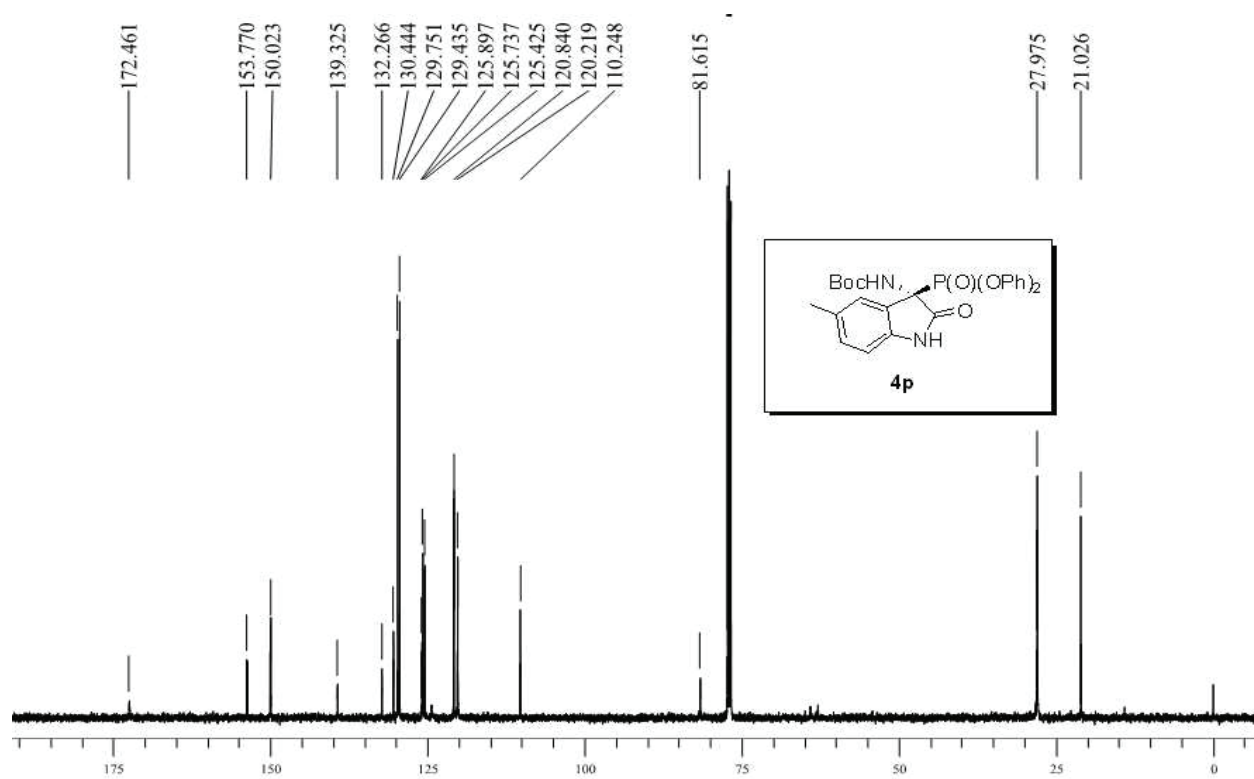
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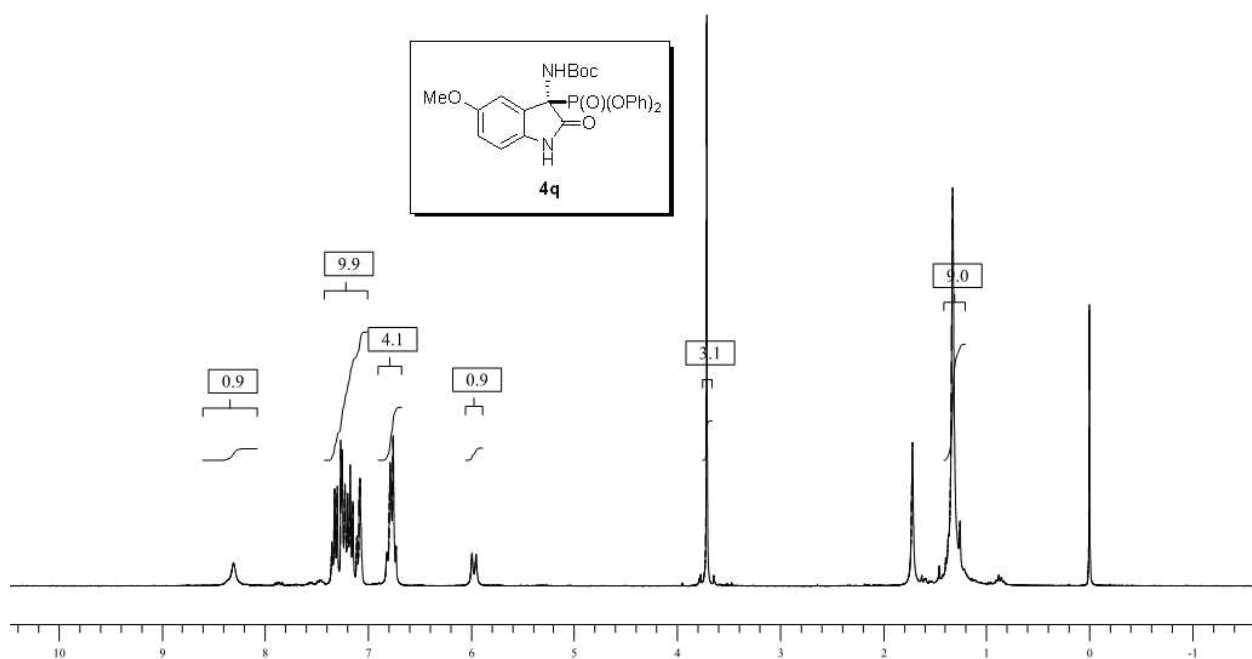
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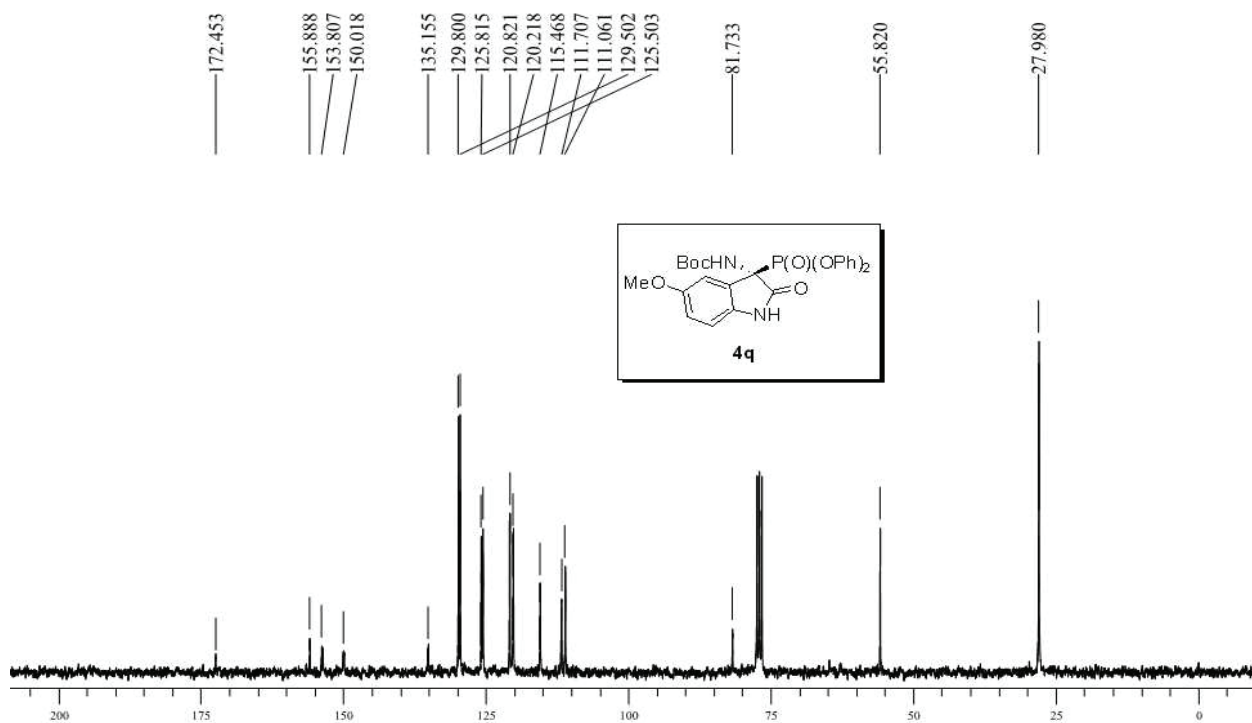
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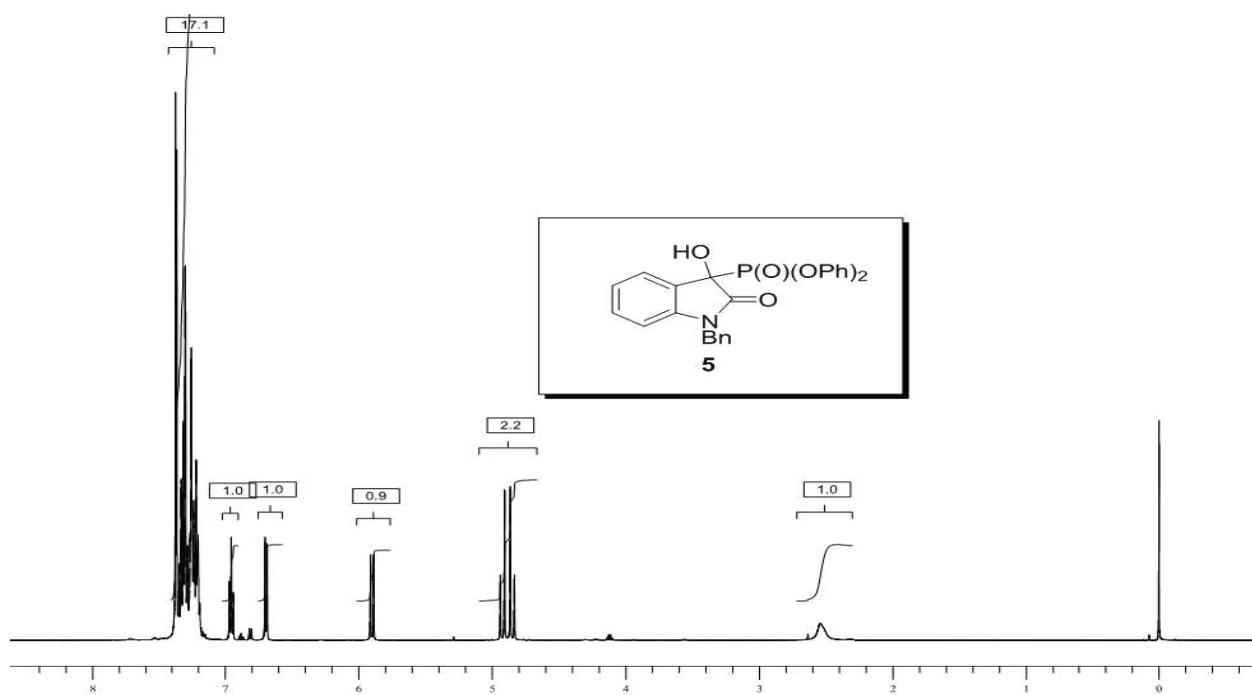
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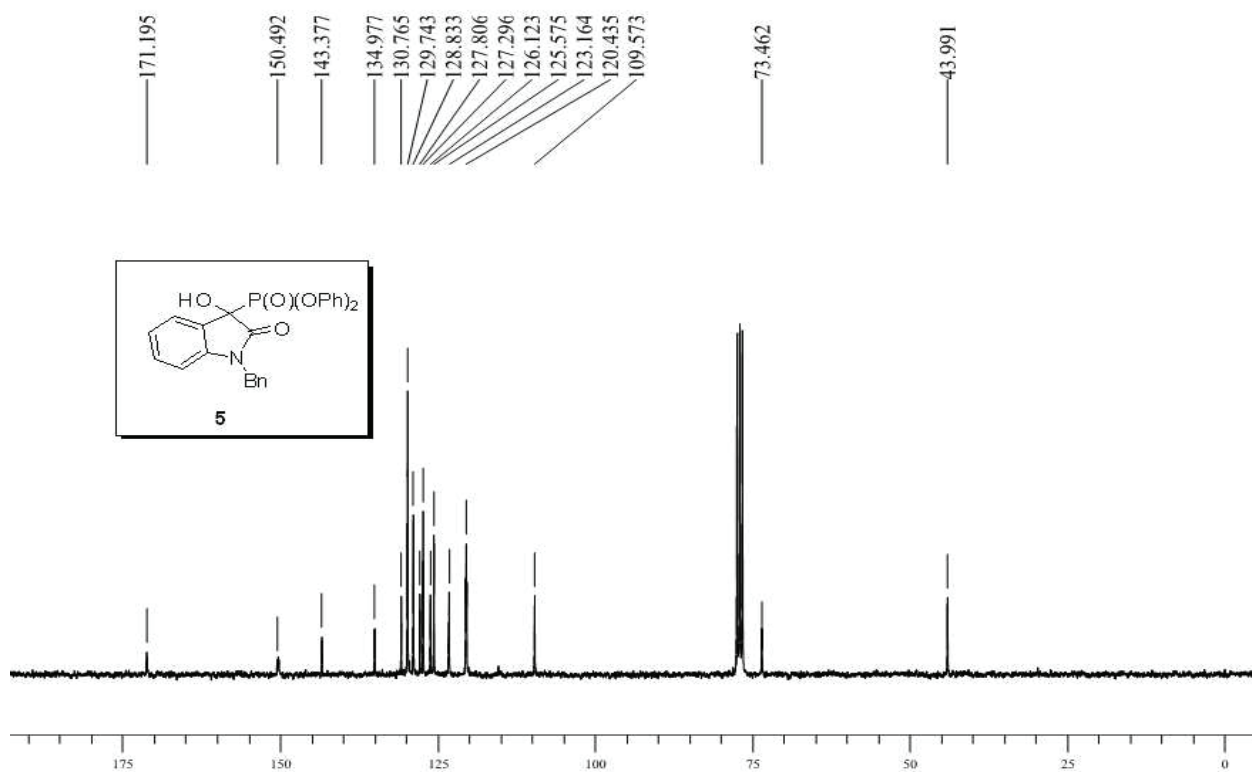
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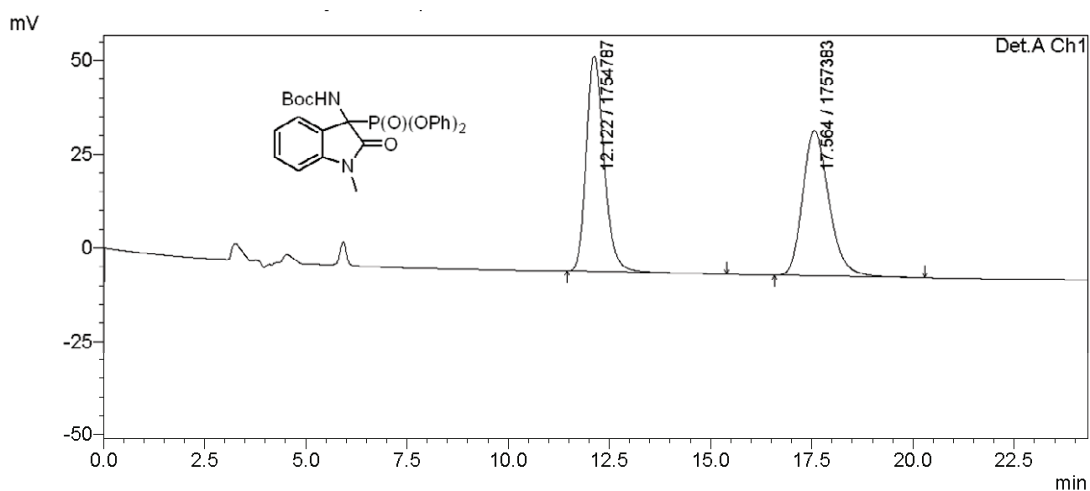
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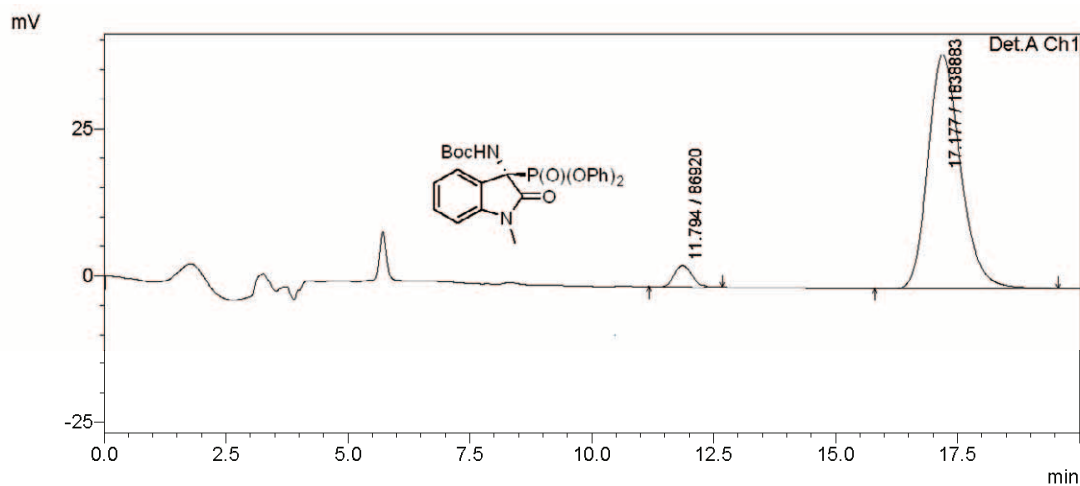
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic 4a



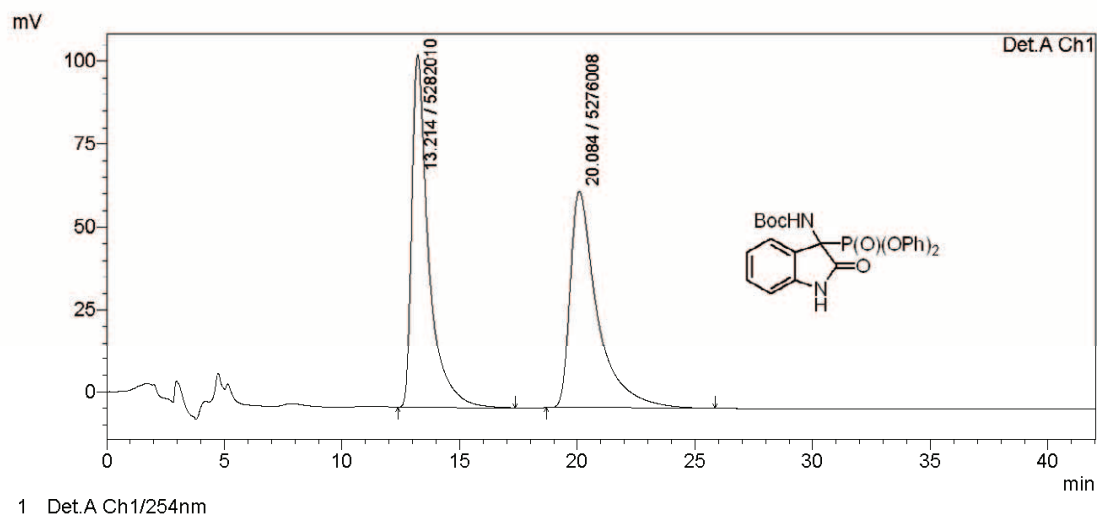
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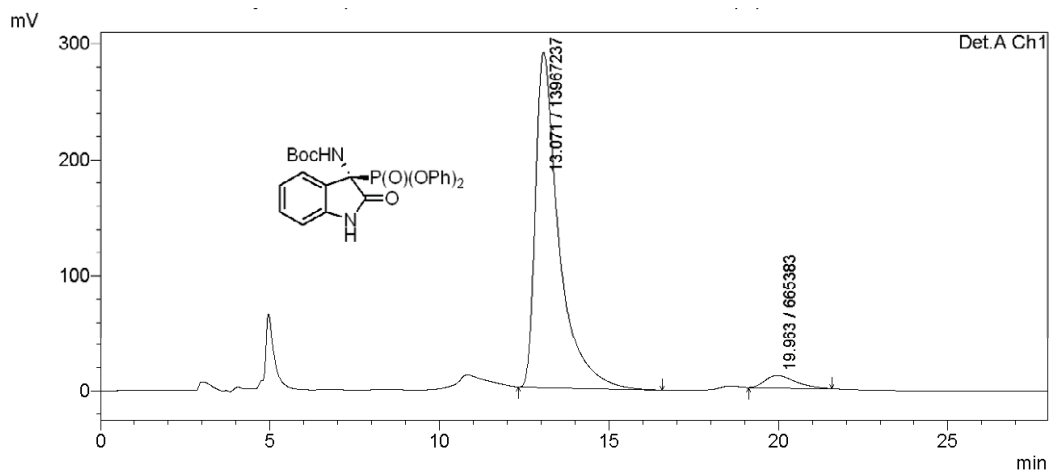


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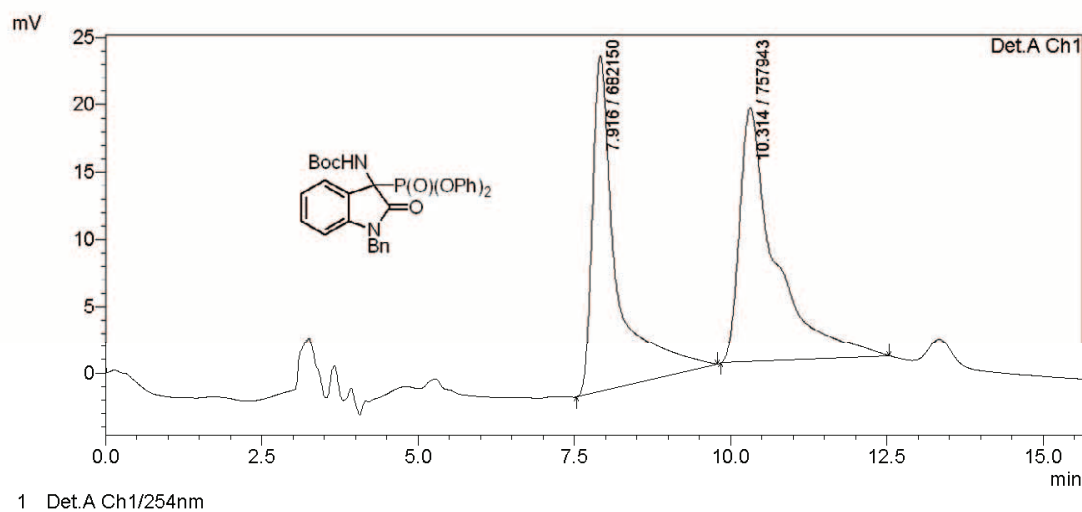


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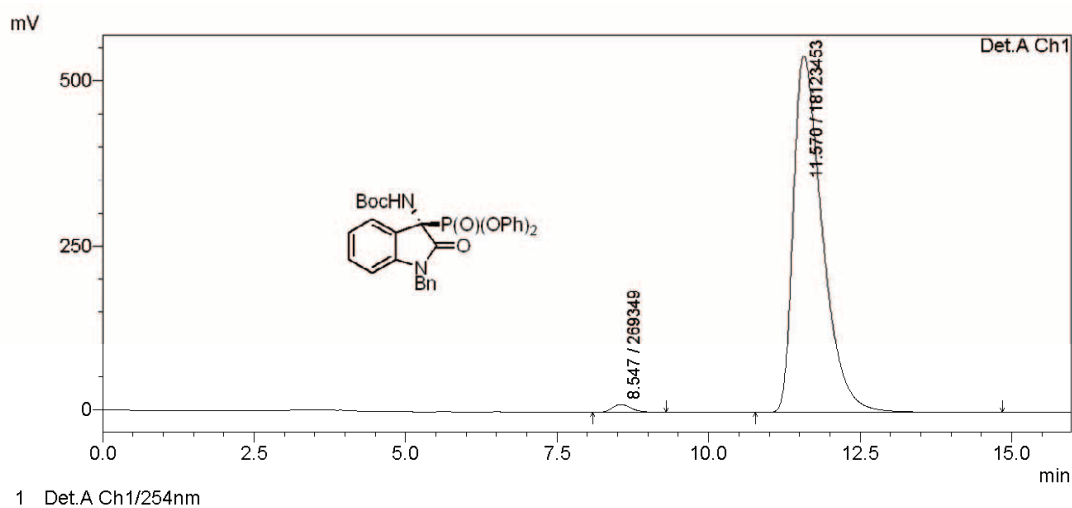


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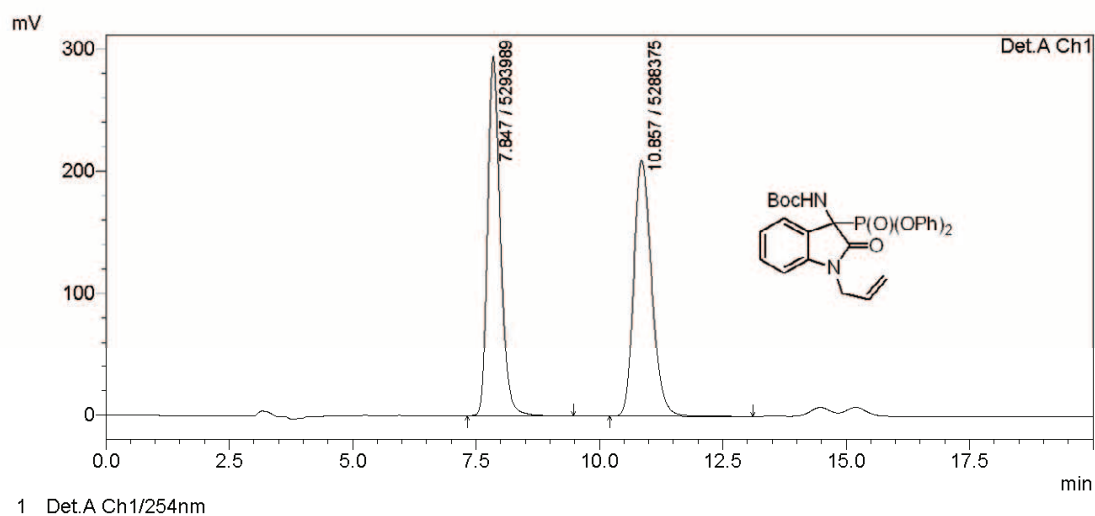


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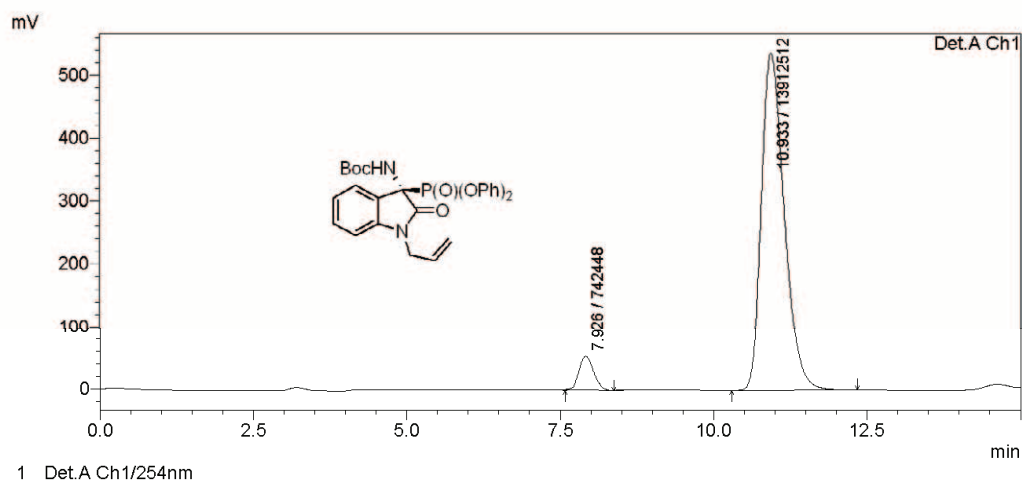
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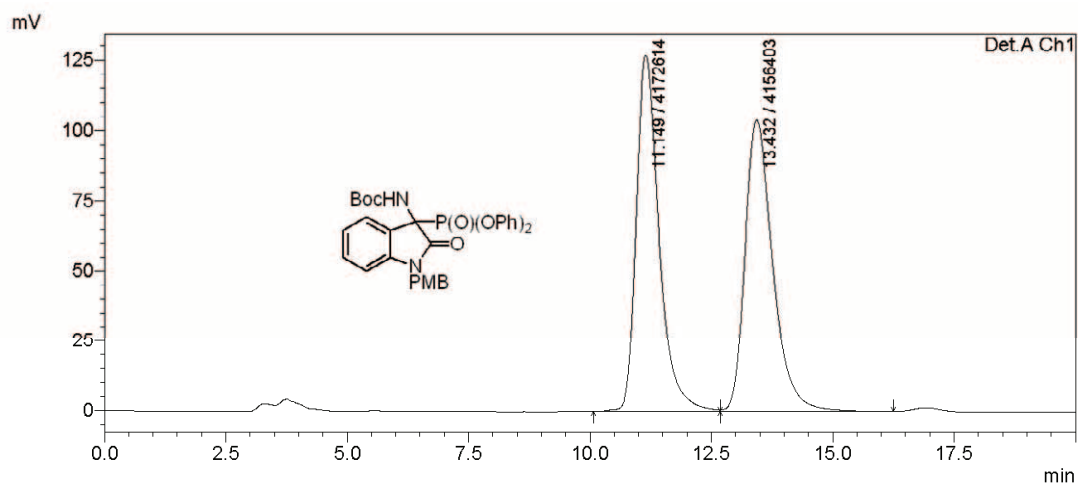
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HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4d**



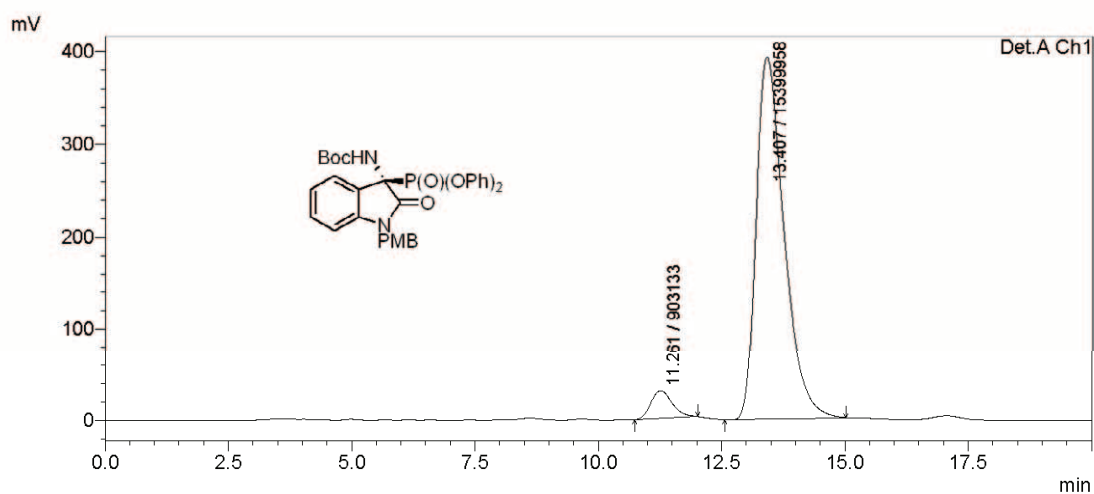
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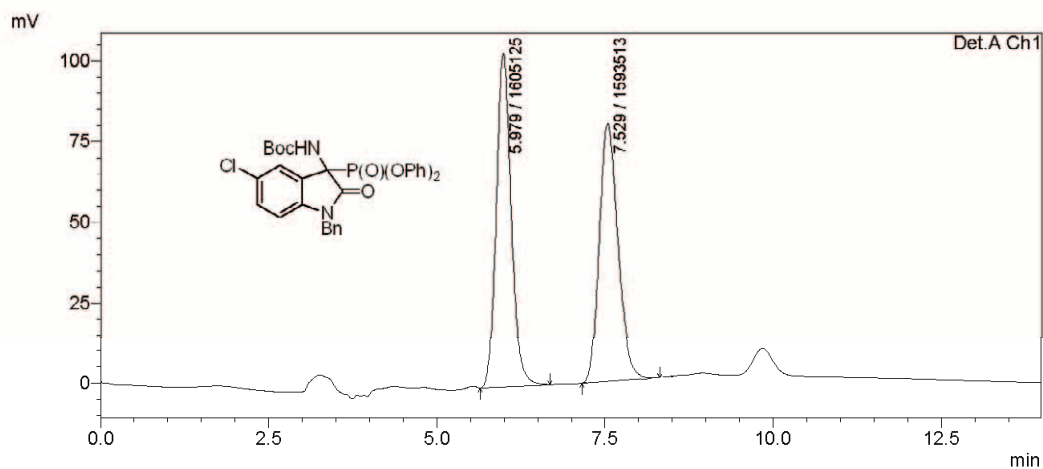
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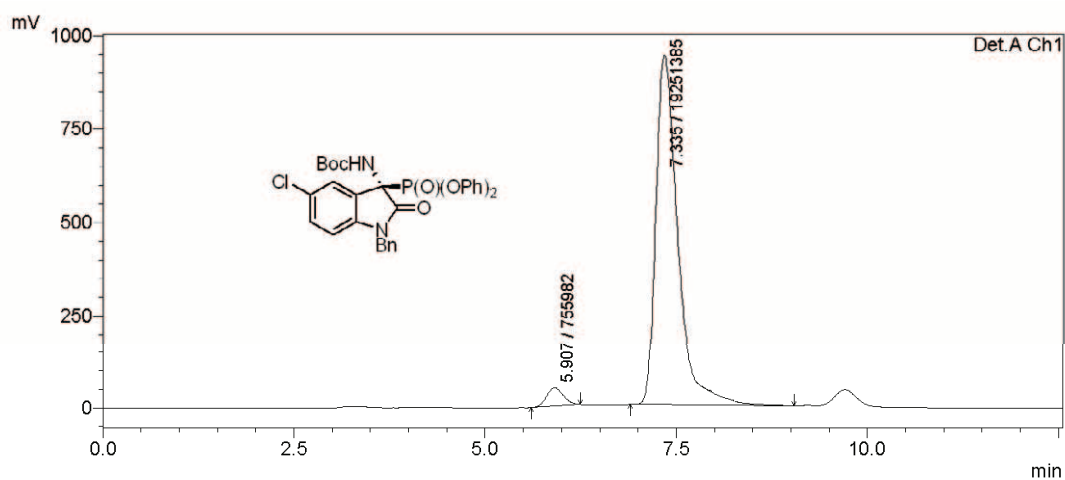
HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4e**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	5.979	1605125	103767	50.182	56.907
2	7.529	1593513	78579	49.818	43.093
Total		3198638	182345	100.000	100.000

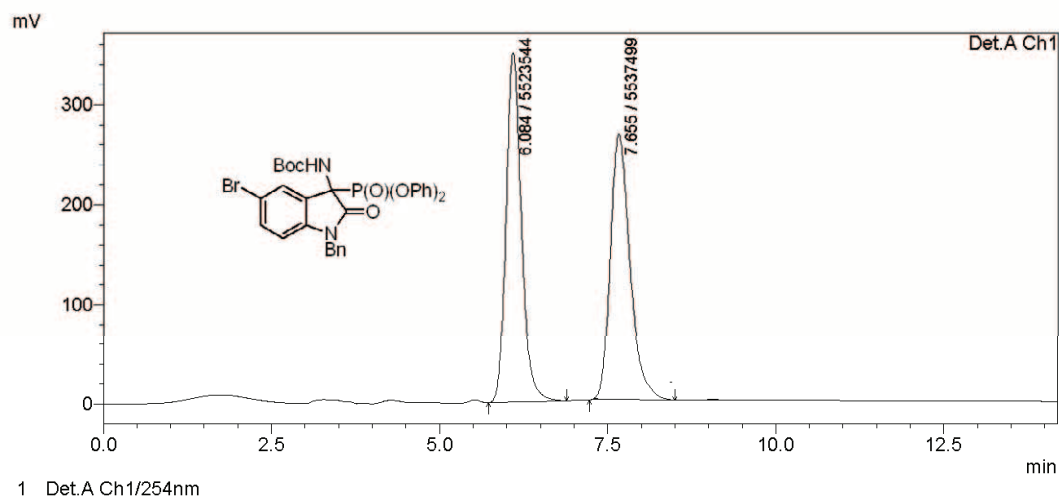
HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4f**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	5.907	755982	49505	3.779	4.998
2	7.335	19251385	941025	96.221	95.002
Total		20007367	990530	100.000	100.000

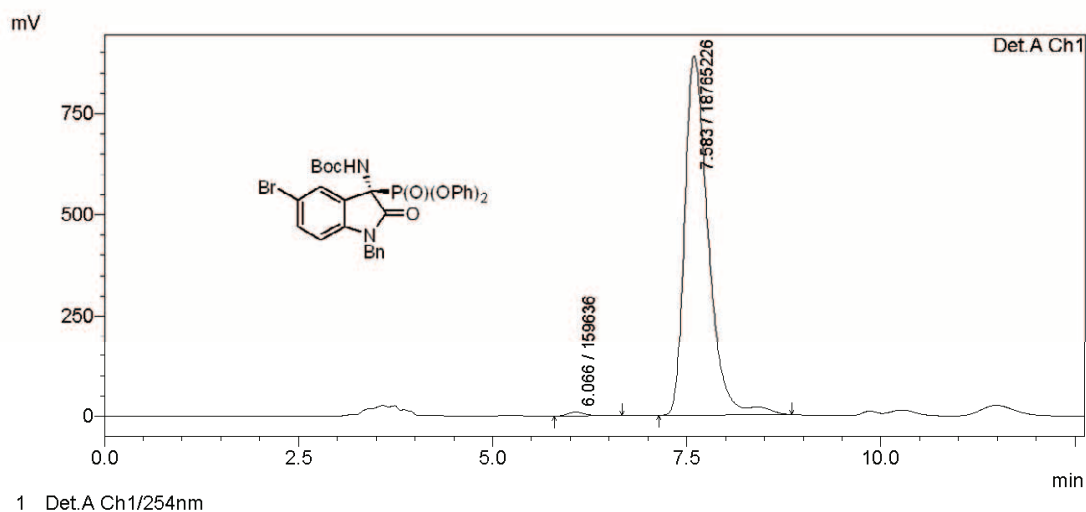
HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4f**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.084	5523544	349530	49.937	57.287
2	7.655	5537499	260603	50.063	42.713
Total		11061042	610132	100.000	100.000

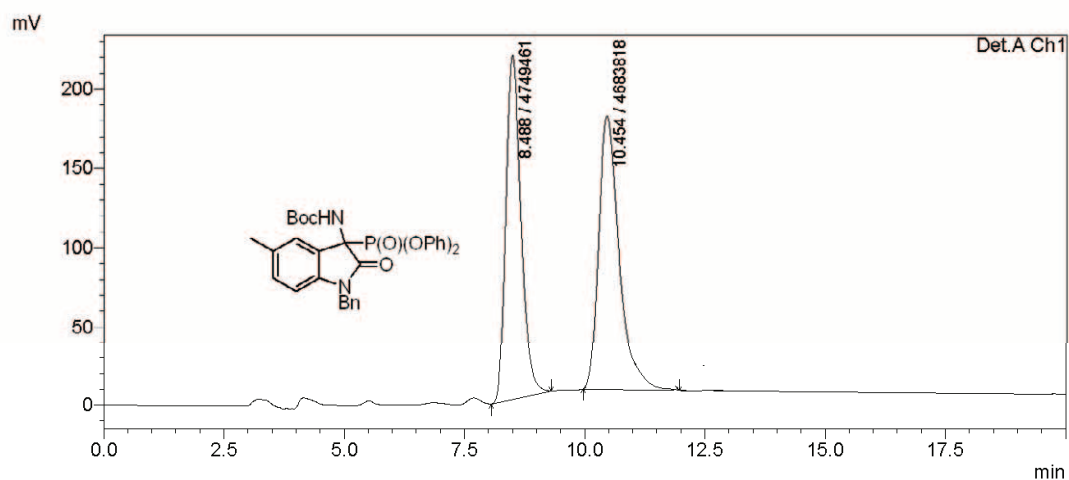
HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4g**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.066	159636	9739	0.844	1.082
2	7.583	18765226	890351	99.156	98.918
Total		18924862	900090	100.000	100.000

HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4g**



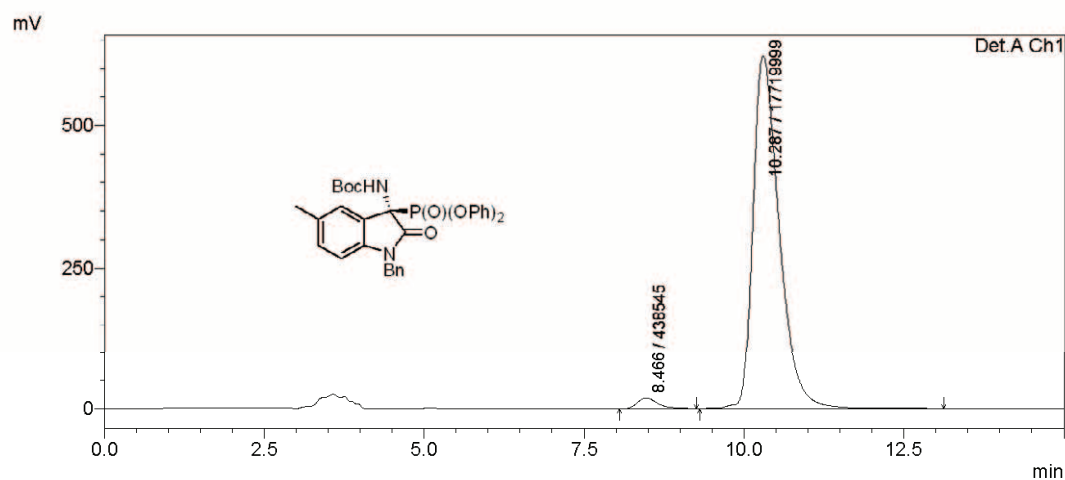
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.488	4749461	217816	50.348	56.478
2	10.454	4683818	167852	49.652	43.522
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4h**



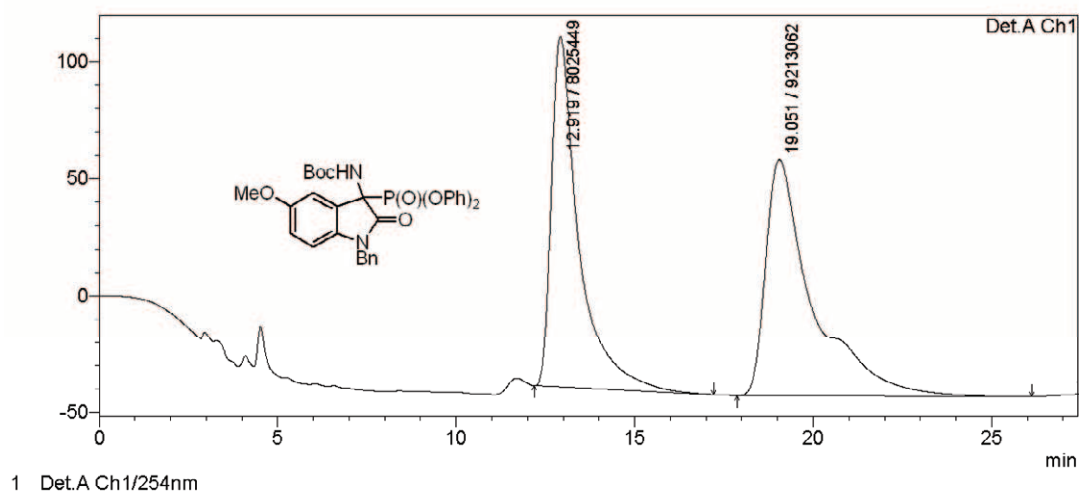
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

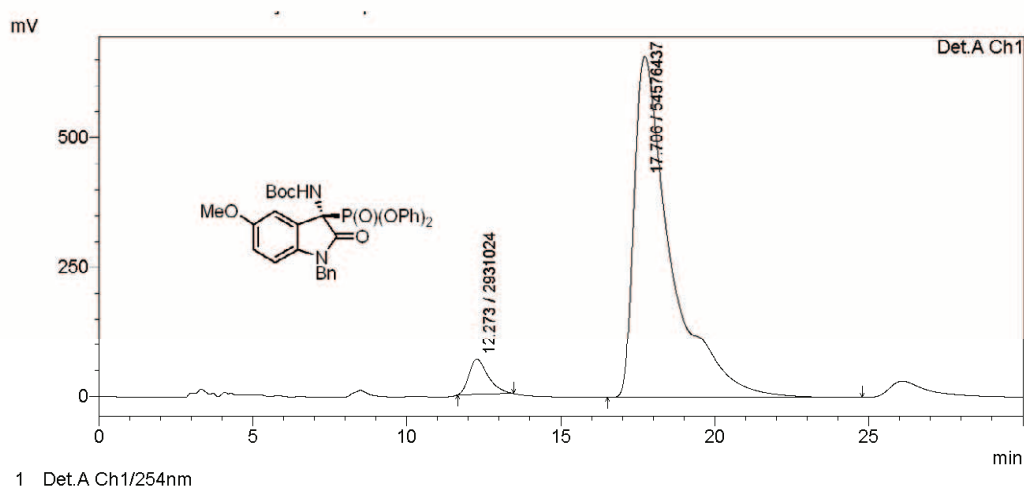
Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.466	438545	19497	2.415	3.038
2	10.287	1771999	622327	97.585	96.962
Total		18158544	641824	100.000	100.000

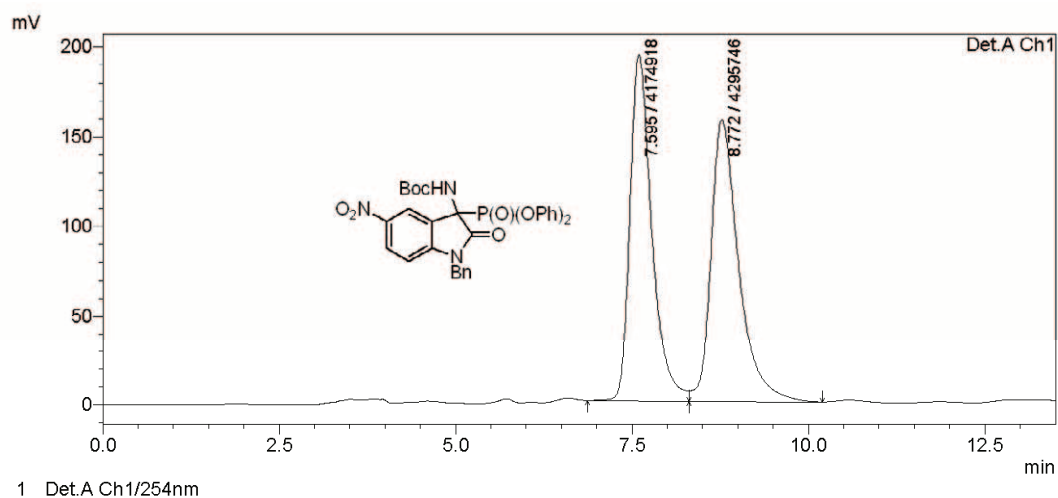
HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4h**



HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4i**



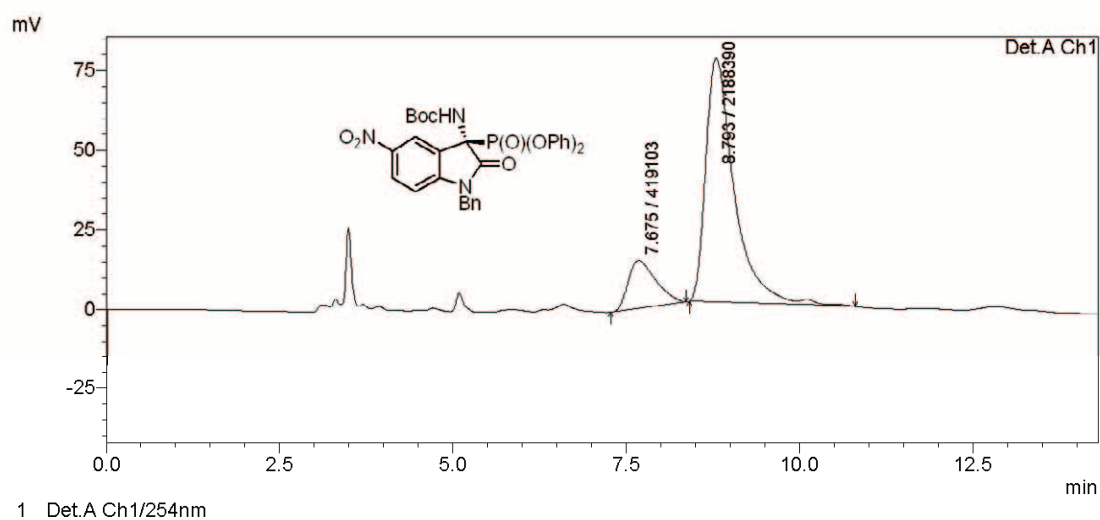
HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4i**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	7.595	4174918	193547	49.287	55.123
2	8.772	4295746	157571	50.713	44.877
Total		8470664	351118	100.000	100.000

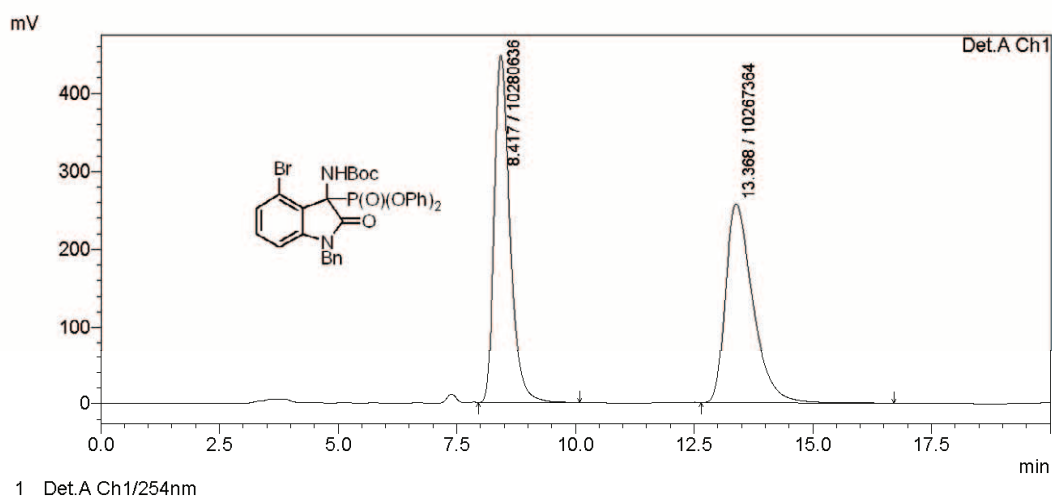
HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4j**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	7.675	419103	15065	16.073	16.422
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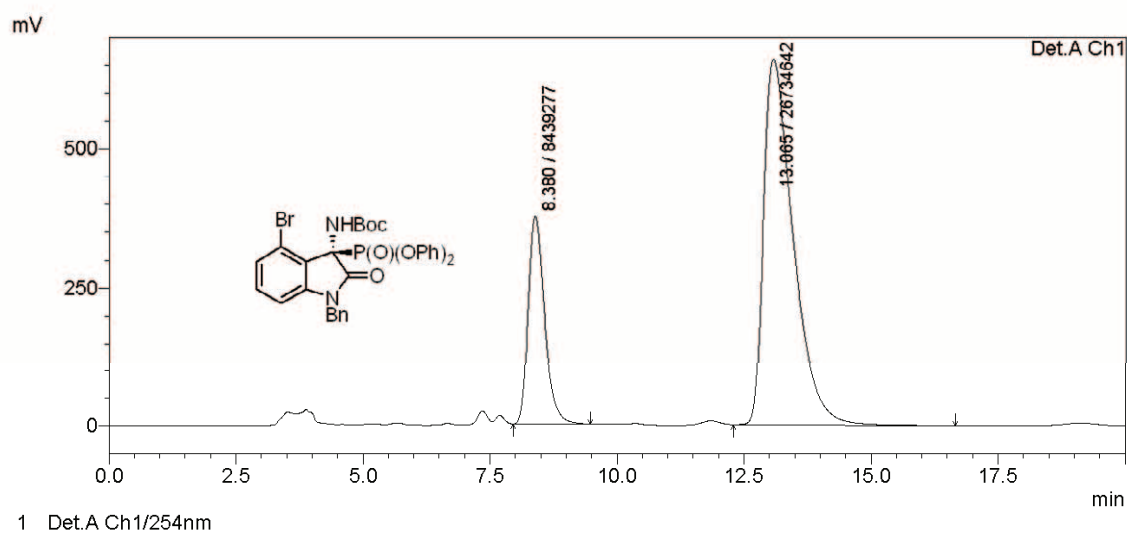
HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4j**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.417	10280636	447268	50.032	63.502
2	13.368	10267364	257072	49.968	36.498
Total		20548000	704340	100.000	100.000

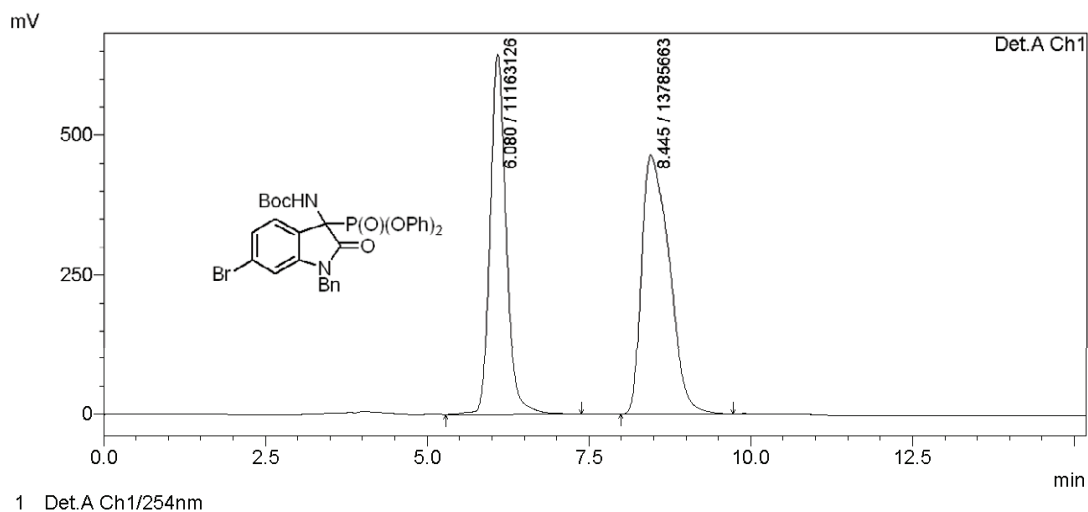
HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4k**



PeakTable

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.380	8439277	376318	23.993	36.291
2	13.065	26734642	660635	76.007	63.709
Total		35173919	1036953	100.000	100.000

HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4k**

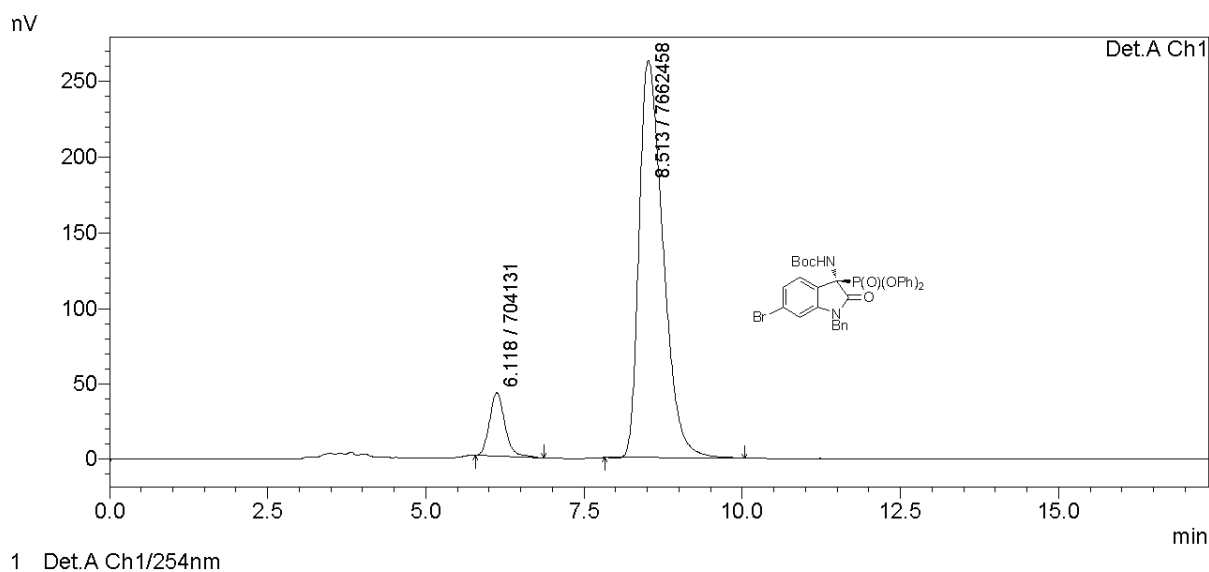


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.080	11163126	645801	44.744	58.169
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4I**

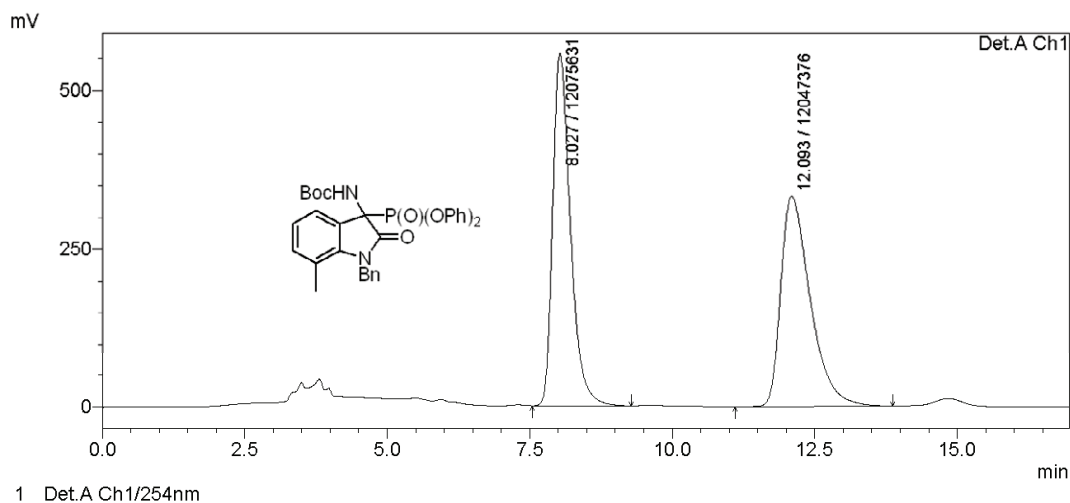


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.118	704131	41833	8.416	13.718
2	8.513	7662458	263121	91.584	86.282
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HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4I**

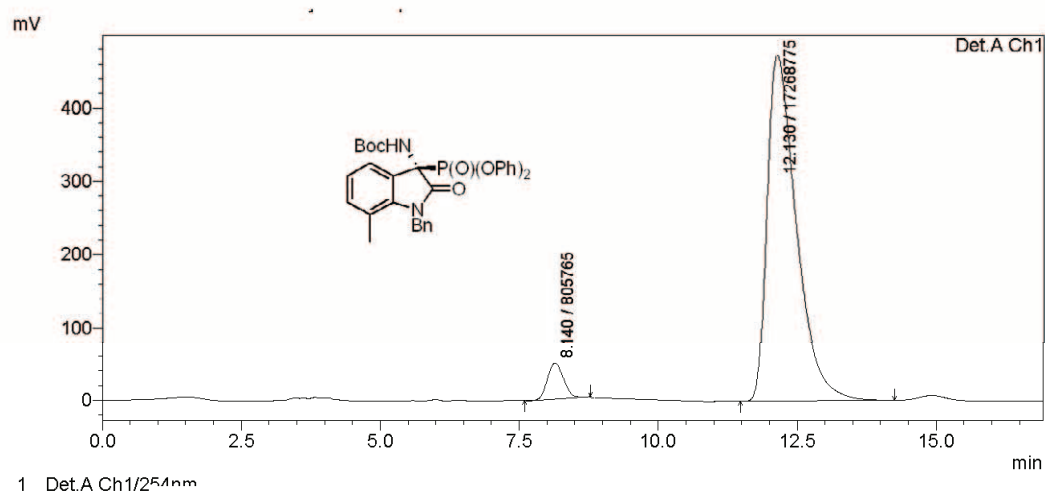


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.027	12075631	557175	50.059	62.540
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4m**

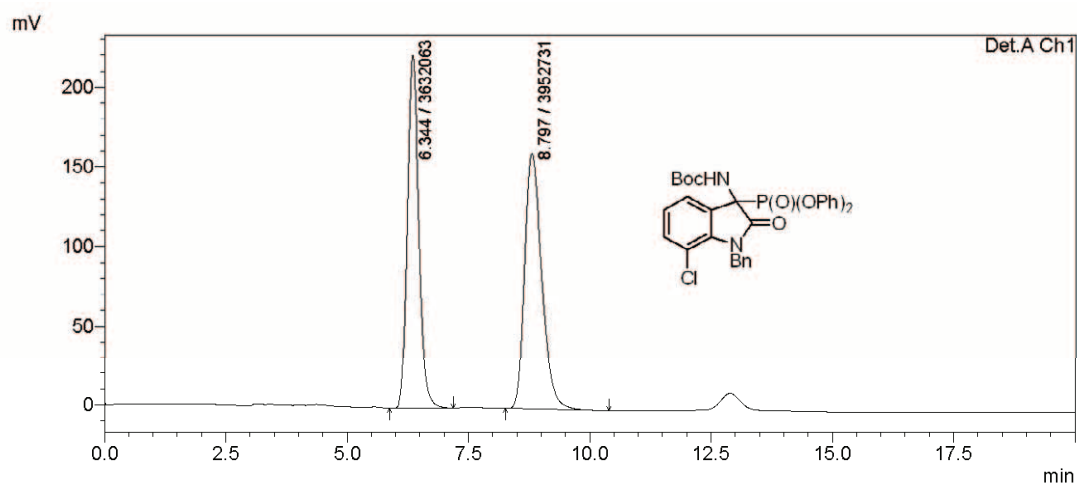


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	8.140	805765	45116	4.458	8.701
2	12.130	17268775	473428	95.542	91.299
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HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched pound **4m**

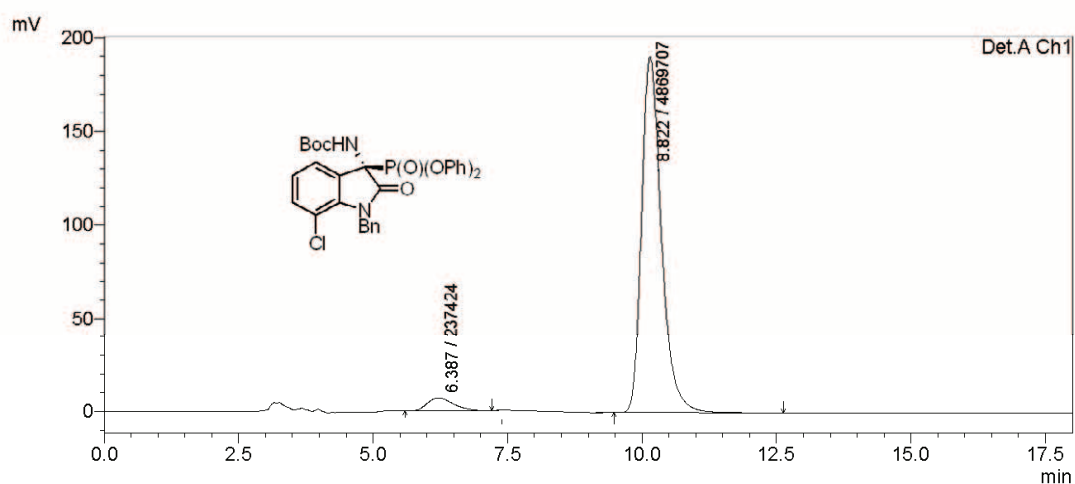


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm					
Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.344	3632063	222091	47.886	57.940
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4n**

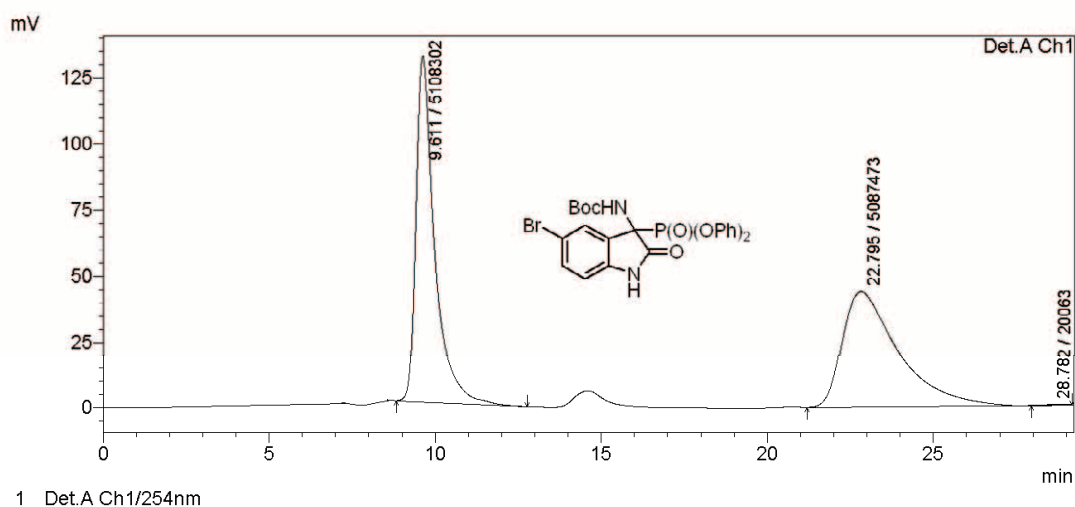


1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm					
Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	6.387	237424	6937	4.649	3.512
2	8.822	4869707	190562	95.351	96.488
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HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4n**

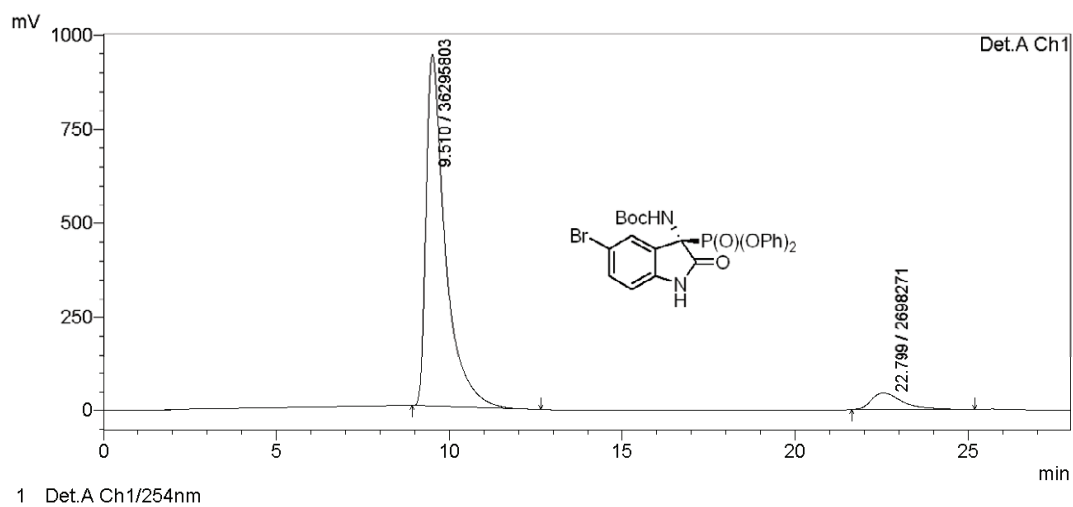


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	9.611	5108302	130834	50.004	74.700
2	22.795	5087473	43837	49.800	25.029
3	28.782	20063	475	0.196	0.271
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4o**

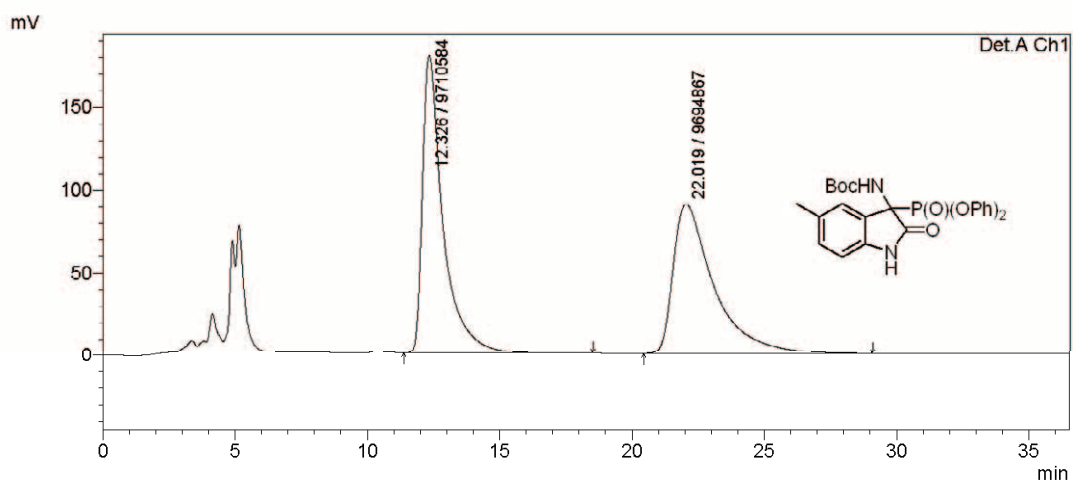


PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	9.510	36295803	937701	93.080	95.591
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Total		38994074	980955	100.000	100.000

HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4o**



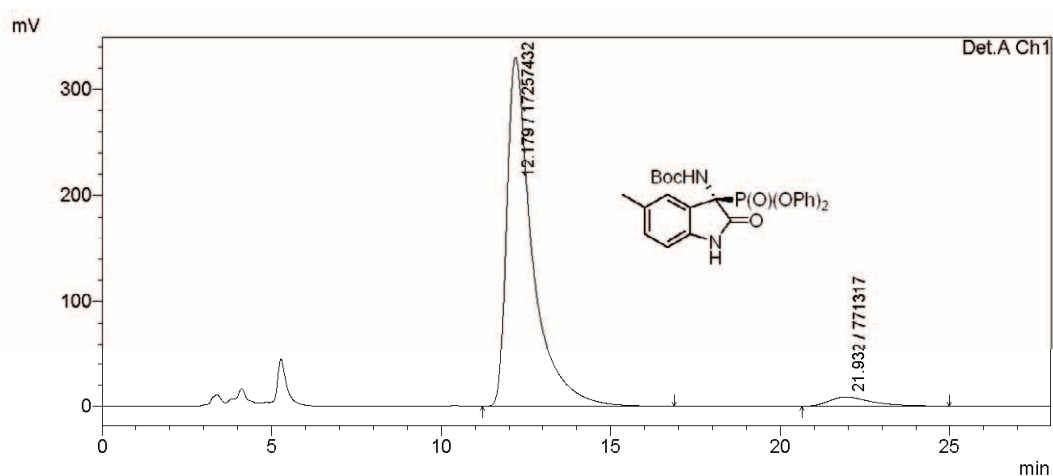
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	12.326	9710584	180085	50.040	66.565
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4p**



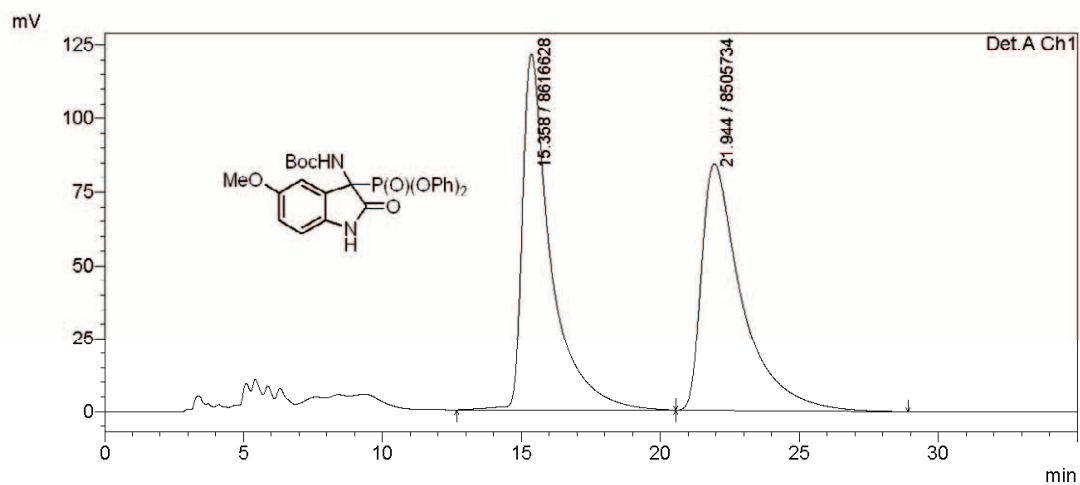
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	12.179	17257432	330023	95.722	97.446
2	21.932	771317	8648	4.278	2.554
Total		18028748	338671	100.000	100.000

HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4p**



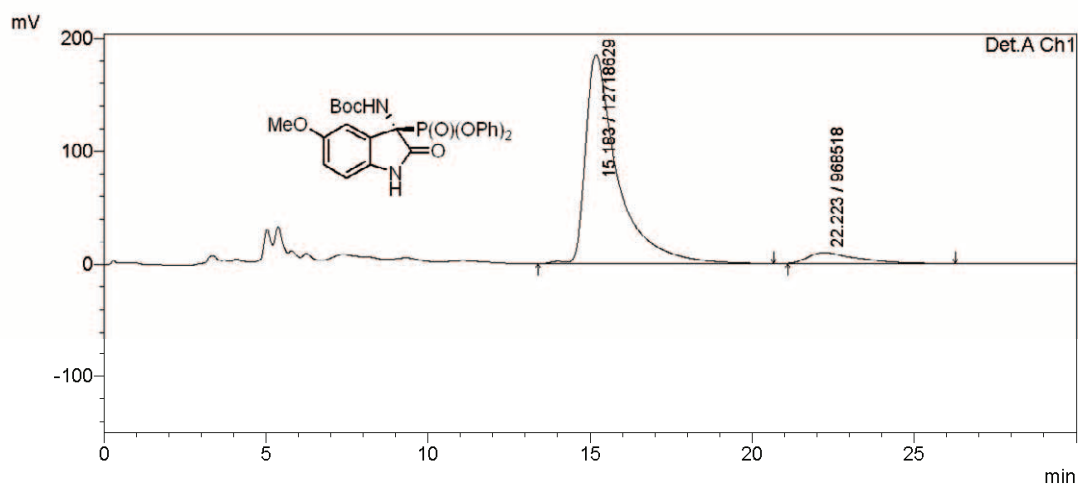
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	15.358	8616628	121375	50.324	59.028
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HPLC chromatogram of racemic **4q**



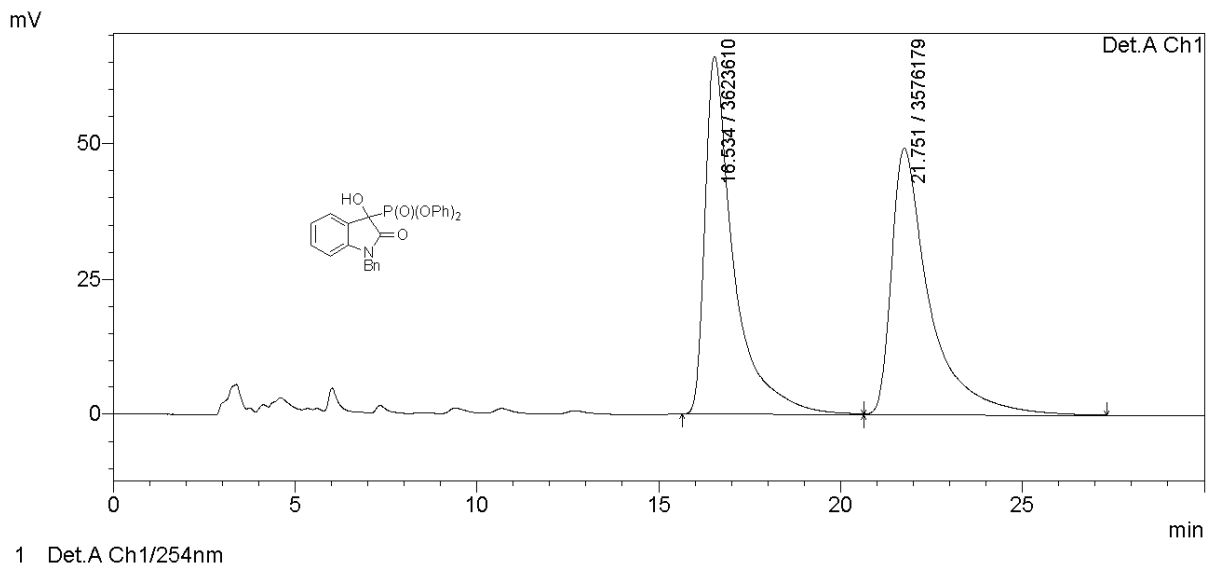
1 Det.A Ch1/254nm

PeakTable

Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	15.183	12718629	184787	92.924	95.181
2	22.223	968518	9355	7.076	4.819
Total		13687147	194142	100.000	100.000

HPLC chromatogram of enantioenriched **4q**

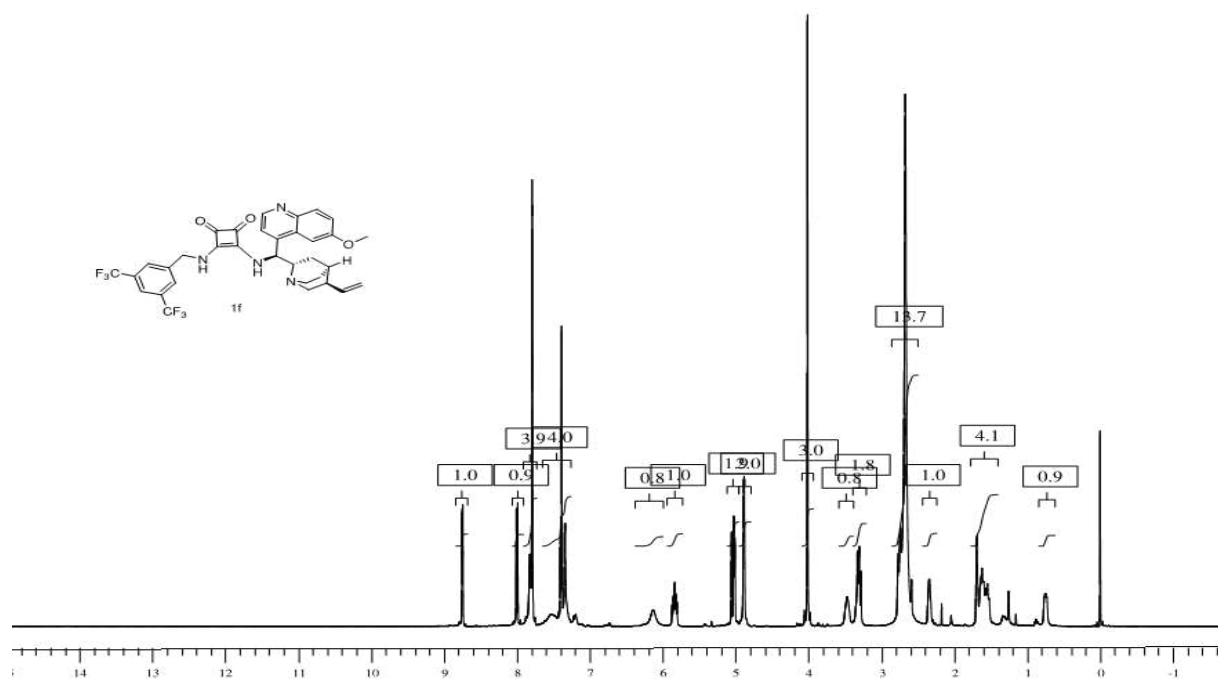


PeakTable

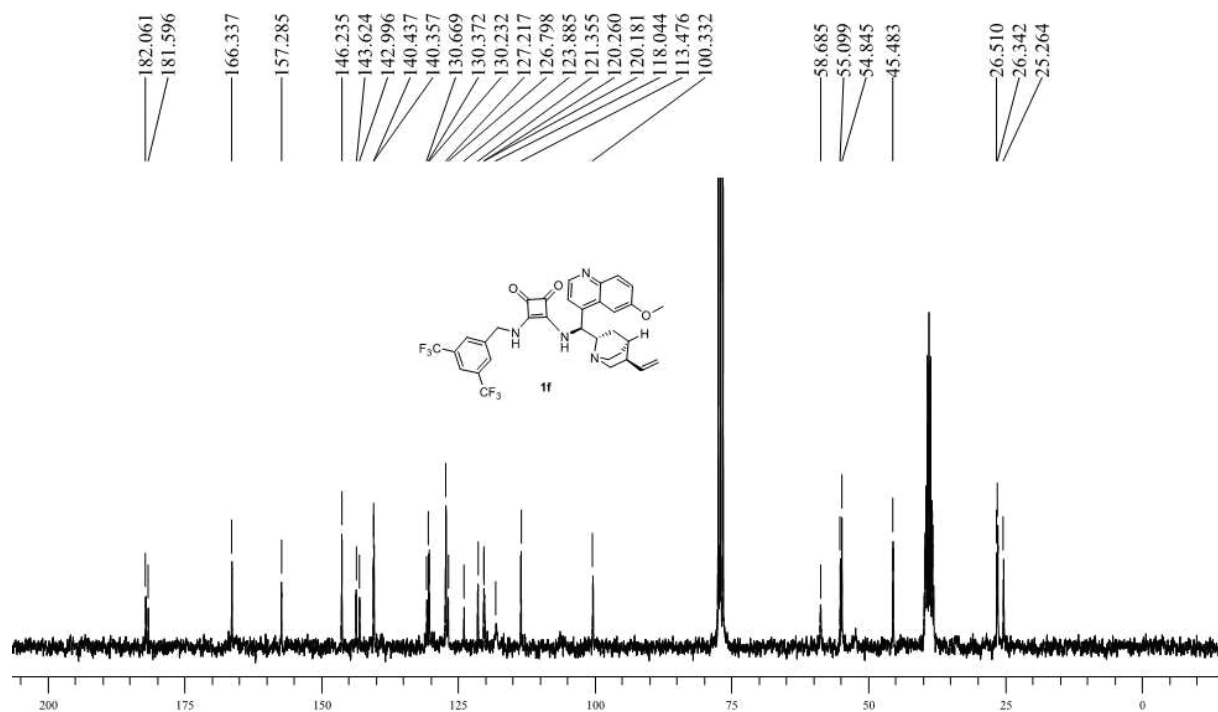
Detector A Ch1 254nm

Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Area %	Height %
1	16.534	3623610	66020	50.329	57.277
2	21.751	3576179	49244	49.671	42.723
Total		7199790	115264	100.000	100.000

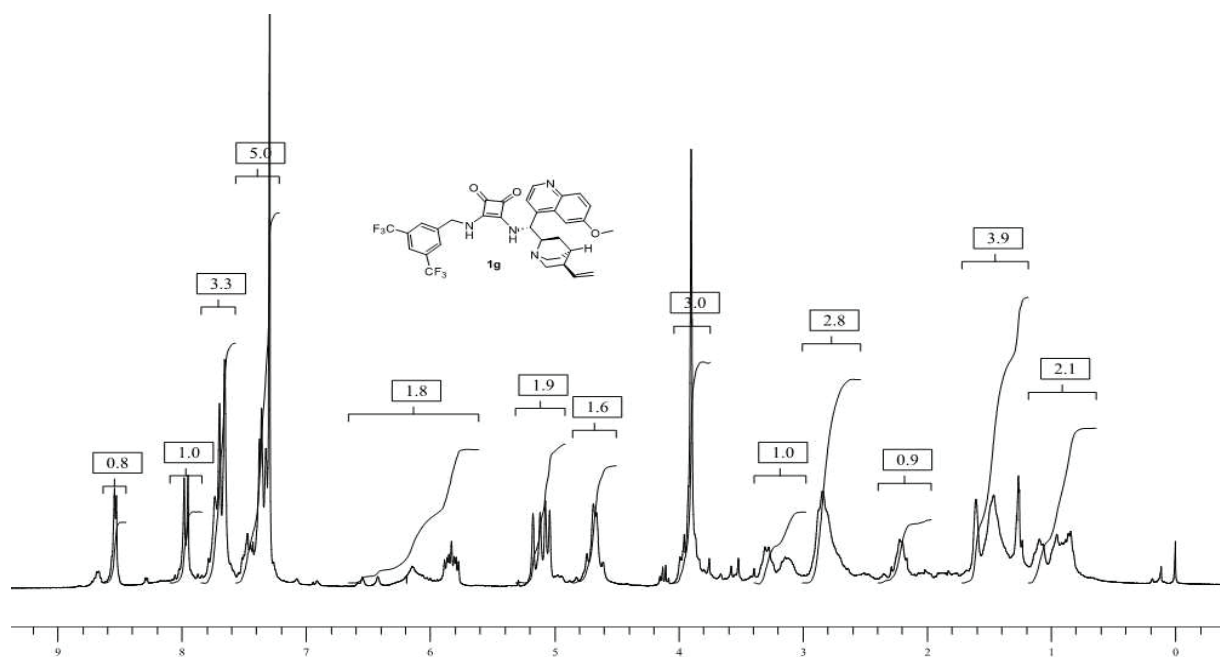
HPLC chromatogram of racemic **5**



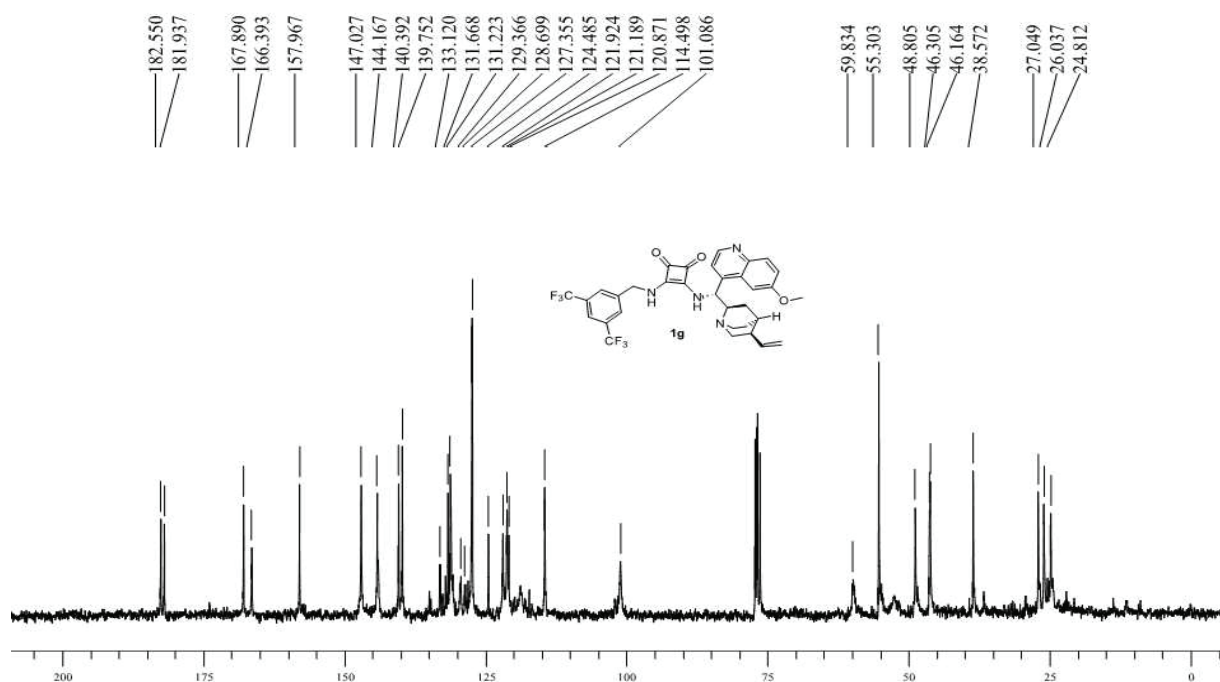
¹H NMR of Compound **1f** (CDCl₃ + DMSO-d₆, 500 MHz)



¹³C NMR of Compound **1f** (CDCl₃ + DMSO-d₆, 75 MHz)



¹H NMR of Compound **1g** (CDCl₃, 300 MHz)



¹³C NMR of Compound **1g** (CDCl₃, 75 MHz)