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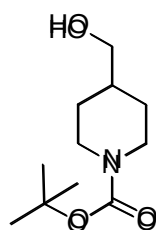
Synthesis and Evaluation of Tetrahydroisoquinolines with Pendent Aromatics as Sigma-2 Selective Ligands

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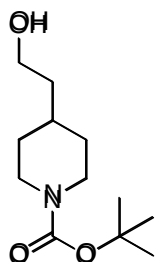
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1-(*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)-4-hydroxymethylpiperidine^{S1} [10]



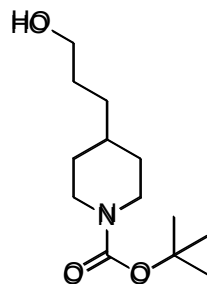
Solid, (6.70 g, 96 %) mp 70-72 °C, (lit^{S5} 73 °C); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.11-1.21 (m, 2H), 1.47 (s, 9H), 1.61-1.75 (m, 3H), 2.69-2.75 (m, 2H), 3.00 (d, 2H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 4.12 (bs, 2H). MS-ES⁺ *m/z* 216 (MH⁺, 73), 160 (100%).

4-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-piperidine-1-carboxylic acid *tert*-butyl ester^{S2} [11]



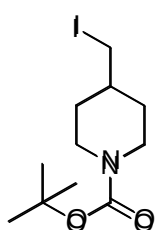
Clear oil, (4.13 g, 93 %); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 1.08-1.12 (m, 2H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 1.47-1.67 (m, 5H), 2.67 (t, 2H, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 3.68 (t, 2H, *J* = 6.5 Hz), 4.04-4.09 (m, 2H). MS-EI *m/z* 229 (M⁺, 4), 128 (100%).

4-(3-Hydroxypropyl)piperidine-1-carboxylic acid *tert*-butyl ester^{S3} [12]



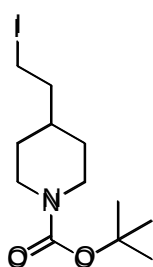
Clear oil, (17.52 g, 64 %); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.06-1.12 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.40 (m, 3H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.51-1.62 (m, 2H), 1.65 (bs, 2H), 2.65 (m, 2H), 3.61 (t, 2H, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 4.06 (bd, 2H, *J* = 12.5 Hz). MS-ES⁺ *m/z* 244 (MH⁺, 27), 229 (100 %).

1-(*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)-4-(iodomethyl)piperidine^{S4} [13]



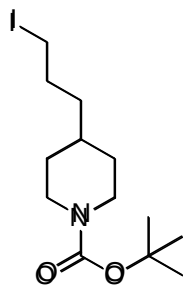
Clear oil, (5.58 g, 88 %); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.05-1.16 (m, 2H), 1.42 (s, 9H), 1.51-1.63 (m, 1H), 1.78 (bd, 2H, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 2.65 (bt, 2H, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 3.08 (d, 2H, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 4.05-4.11 (m, 2H). MS-ES⁺ *m/z* 326 (MH⁺, 2), 270 (100 %).

4-(2-Iodoethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylic acid *tert*-butyl ester^{S5} [14]



Clear oil (730 mg, 56 %); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.07-1.15 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.57-1.66 (m, 3H), 1.76 (q, 2H, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 2.69 (bt, 2H, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 3.20 (t, 2H, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 4.07-4.12 (m, 2H). MS-EI *m/z* 339 (M⁺, 8), 156 (100%).

4-(3-Iodoethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylic acid *tert*-butyl ester^{S3} [15]



Clear oil (8.62 g, 59 %); ¹H NMR δ 1.05-1.13 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.38 (m, 3H) 1.43 (s, 9H), 1.58-1.63 (m, 2H), 1.78-1.86 (m, 2H), 2.64 (bt, *J* = 12.2 Hz), 3.16 (t, 2H, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 4.02 (bs, 2H). MS-EI *m/z* 353 (*M*⁺, 12), 143 (100%).

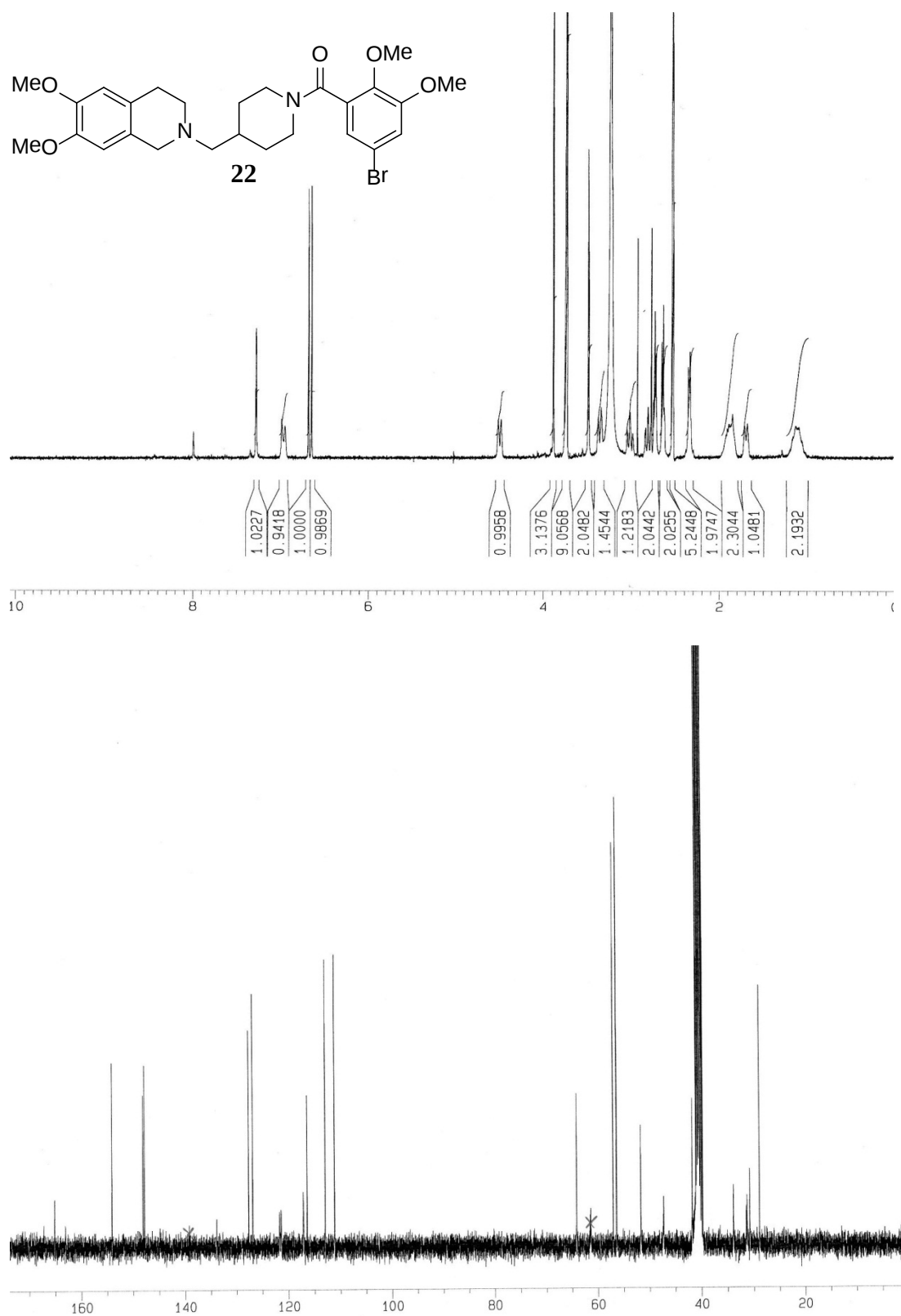
7-Methoxy-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline

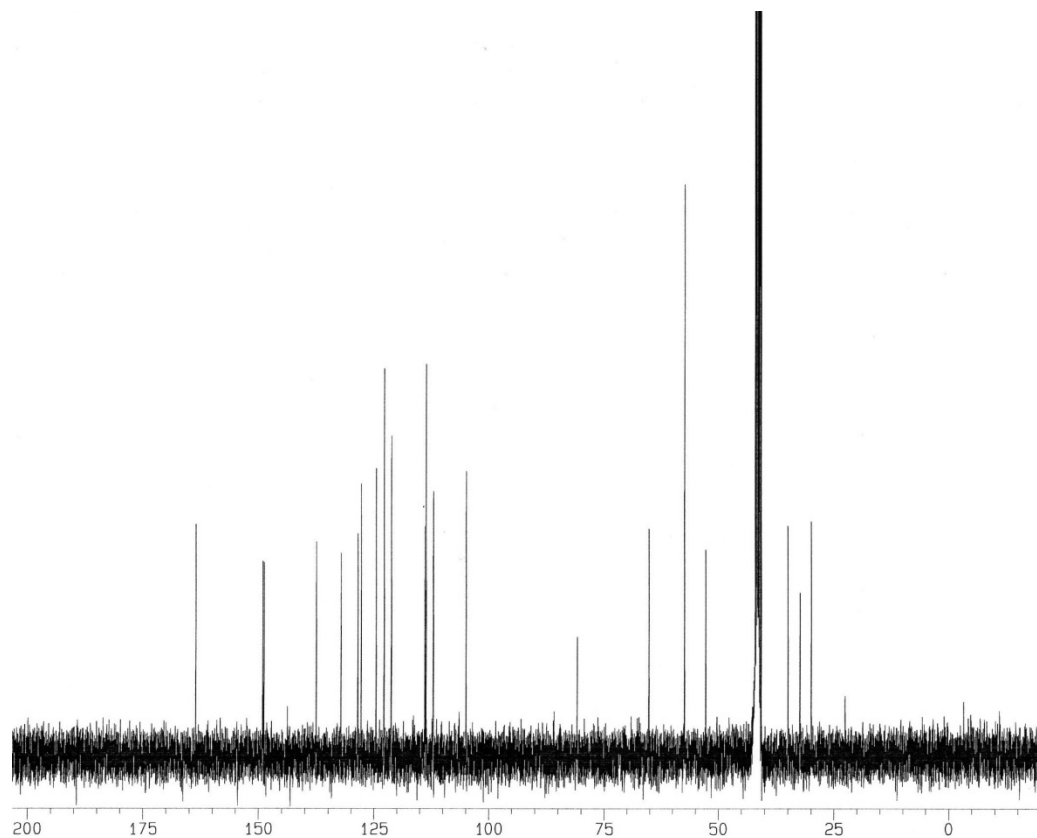
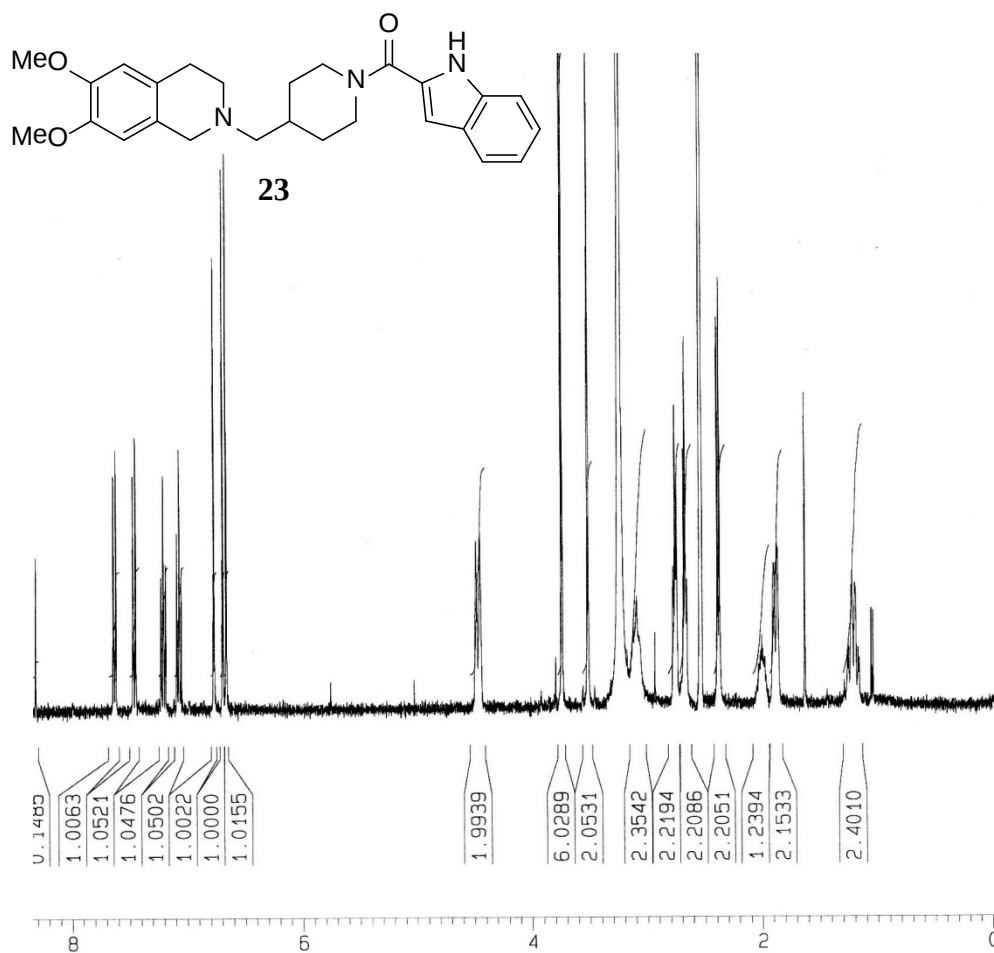
To a solution of 7-methoxyisoquinoline^{S6} [53] (700 mg, 4.40 mmol) in freshly distilled and dried liquid ammonia (30 mL) and EtOH (5 mL) was added Na (700 mg, 30.4 mmol) in small pieces over 5 min. The reaction was allowed to proceed for 1 h. The ammonia solution was then allowed to evaporate and to the residue was added ice H₂O (200 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (150 mL). The organic layer was further washed with H₂O (20 mL) and brine (20 mL). The organic layer was dried (MgSO₄) and the organic solvent removed to yield a dark yellow oil. The oil was suspended in Et₂O (50 mL) and made acidic by the addition of a solution of 4 M HCl in dioxane. The resulting suspension was filtered to yield [54] (585 mg, 81%) as an off-yellow solid, mp 250-253 °C. ¹H NMR (DMSO) δ 2.91 (t, 2H, *J* = 6.1 Hz), 3.27 (t, *J* = 6.1 Hz), 3.72 (s, 3H), 4.16 (s, 2H), 6.80-8.83 (m, 2H), 7.10 (bd, 1H, *J* = 8.2 Hz). ¹³C NMR (DMSO) δ 23.9, 40.7, 43.4, 55.1, 111.3, 113.8, 123.9, 129.7, 130.0, 157.7. MS-EI *m/z* 163 (*M*⁺ free base, 43), 134 (100%); HRMS-EI C₁₀H₁₃NO: 163.0997, found 163.0993.

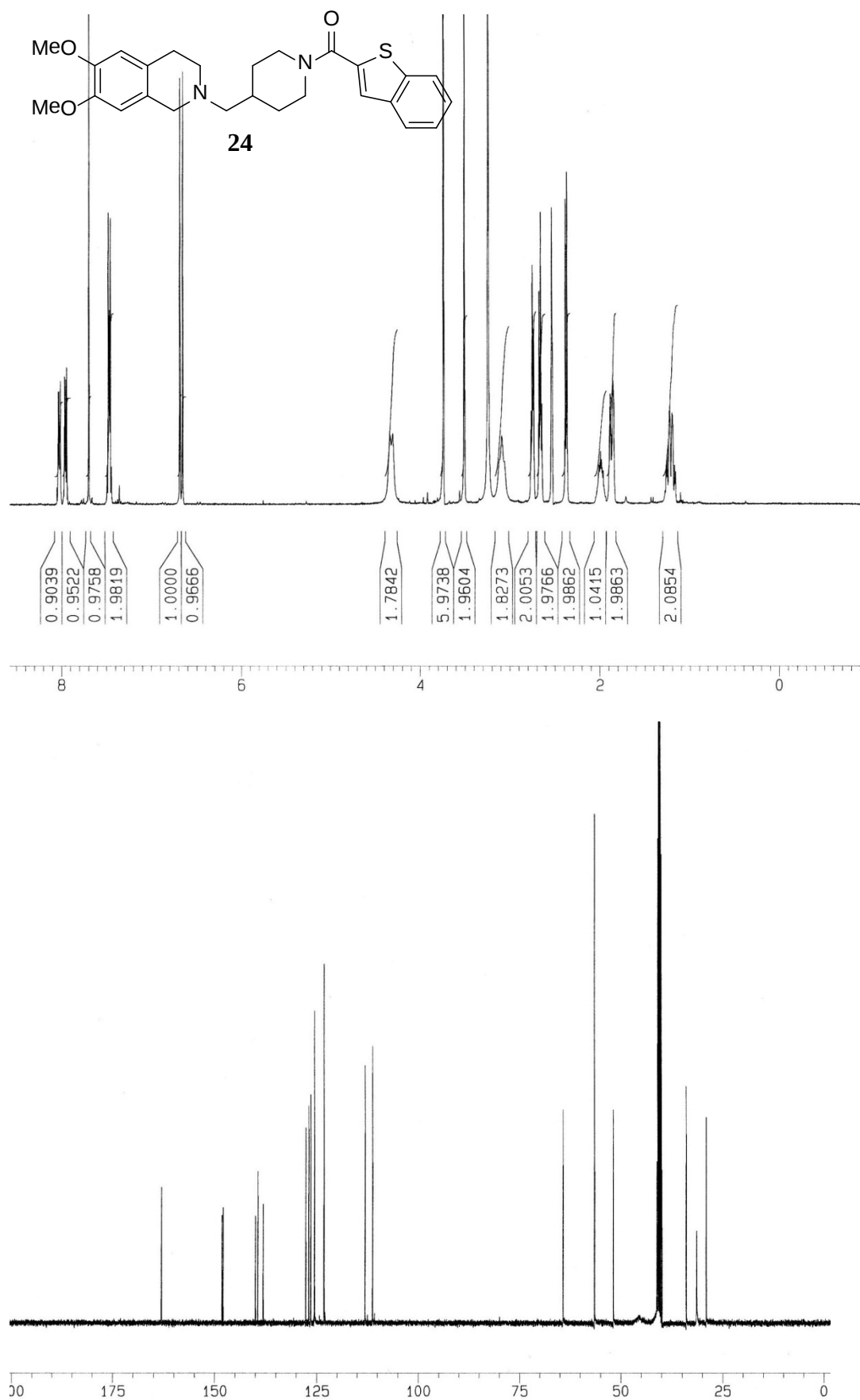
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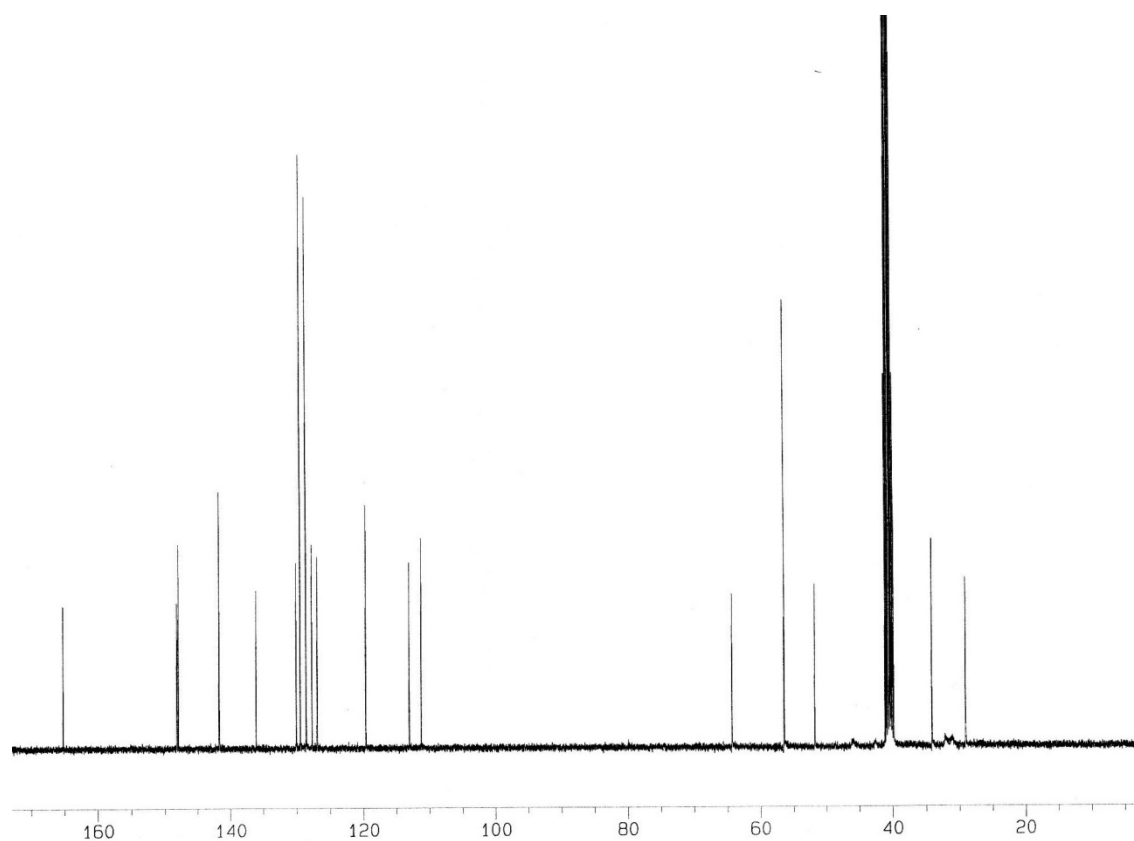
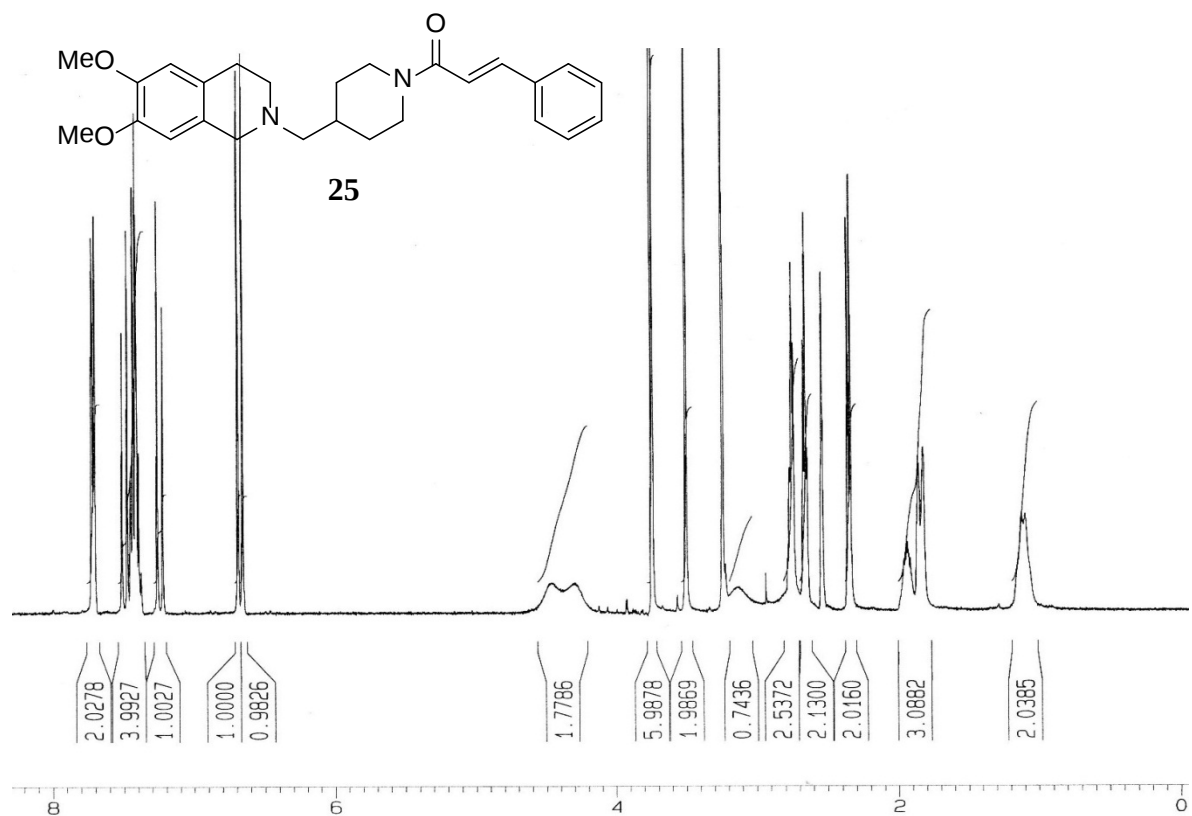
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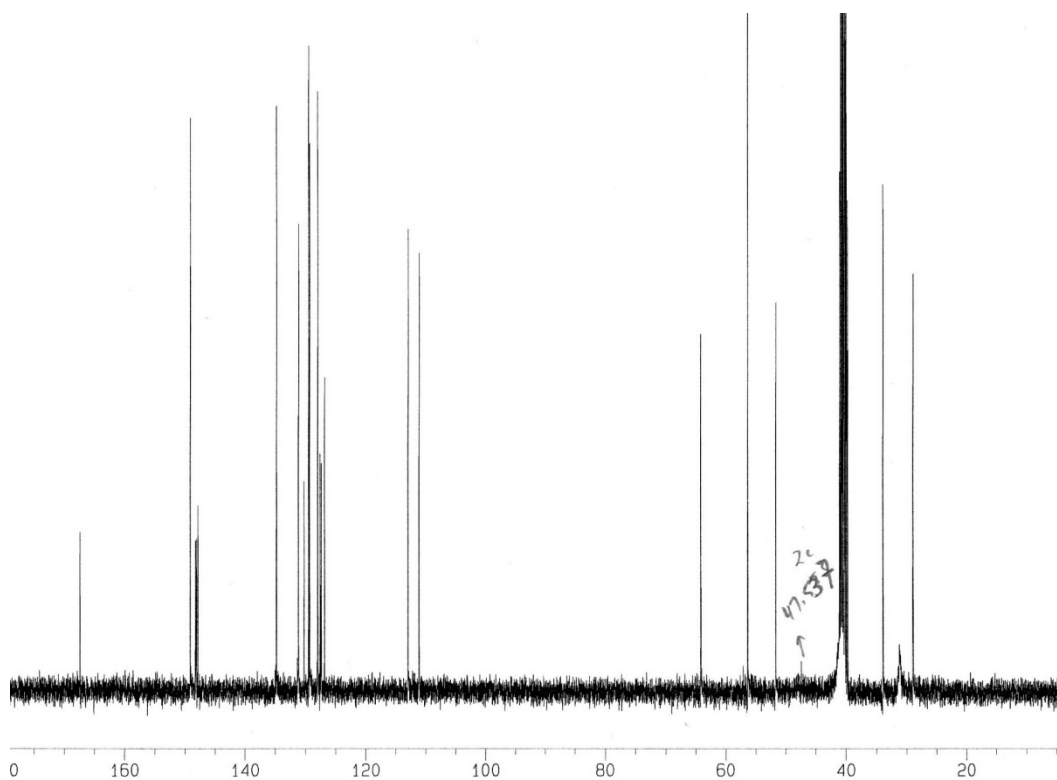
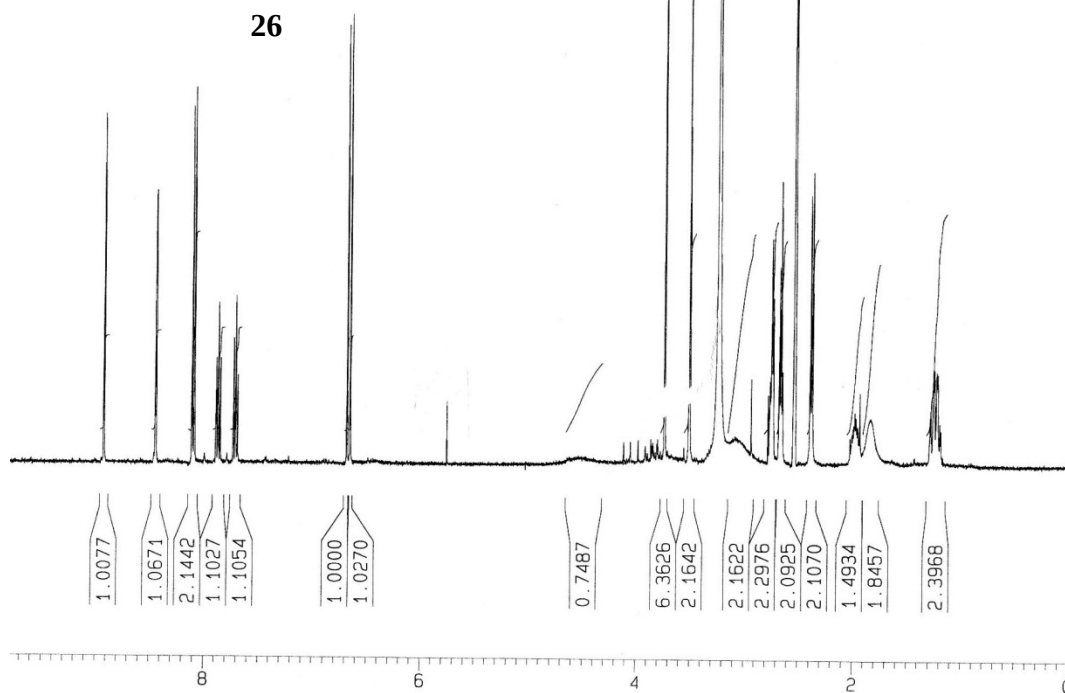
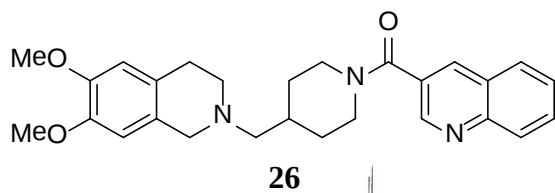
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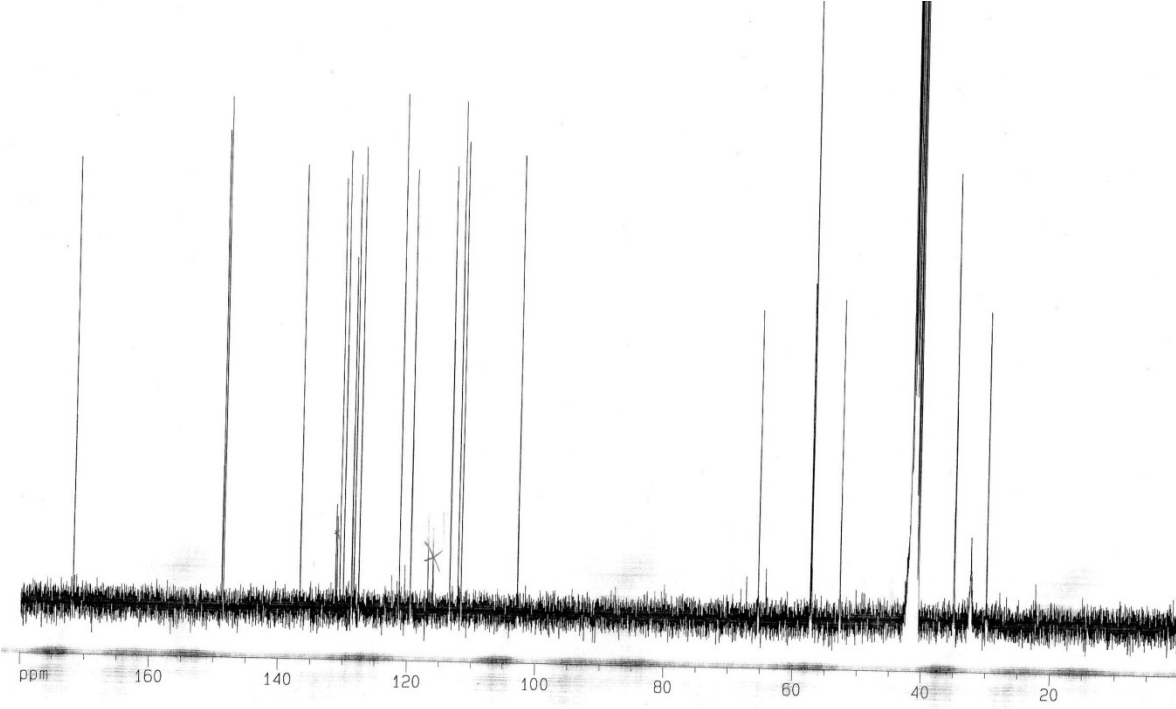
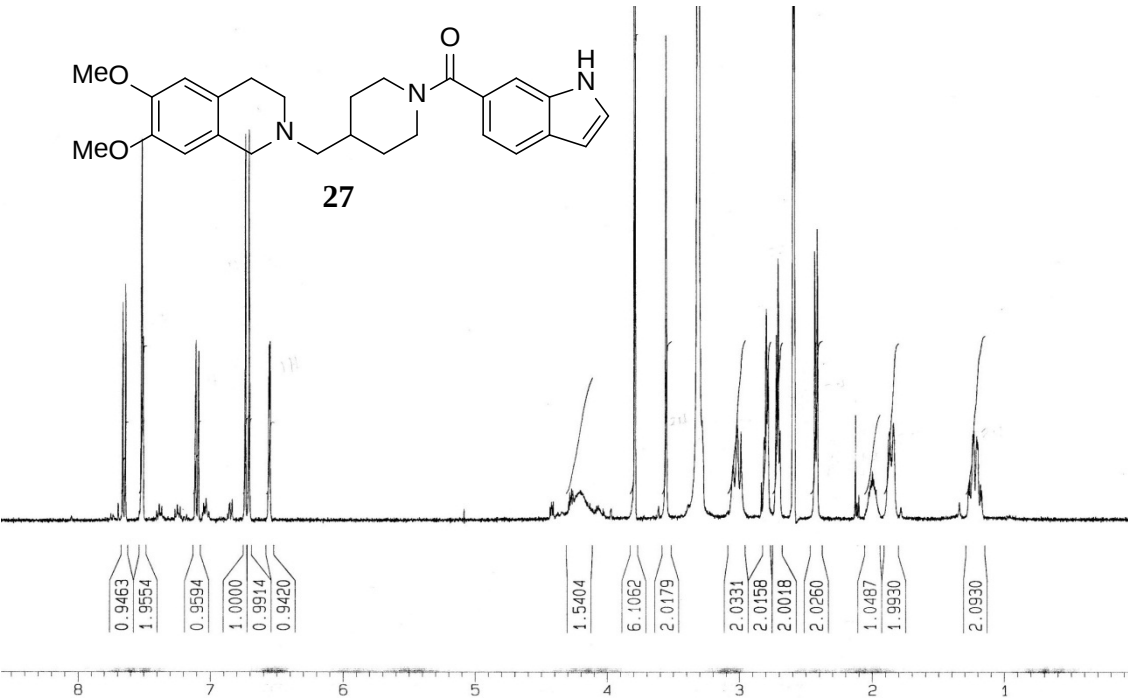


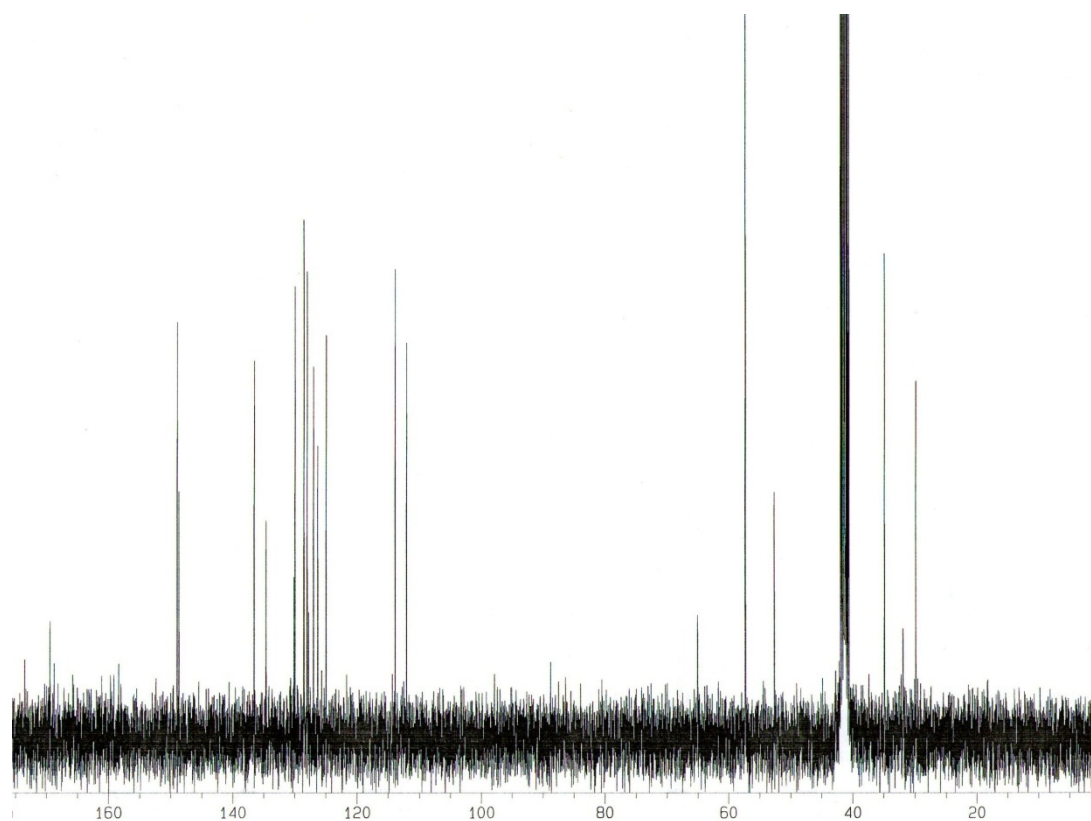
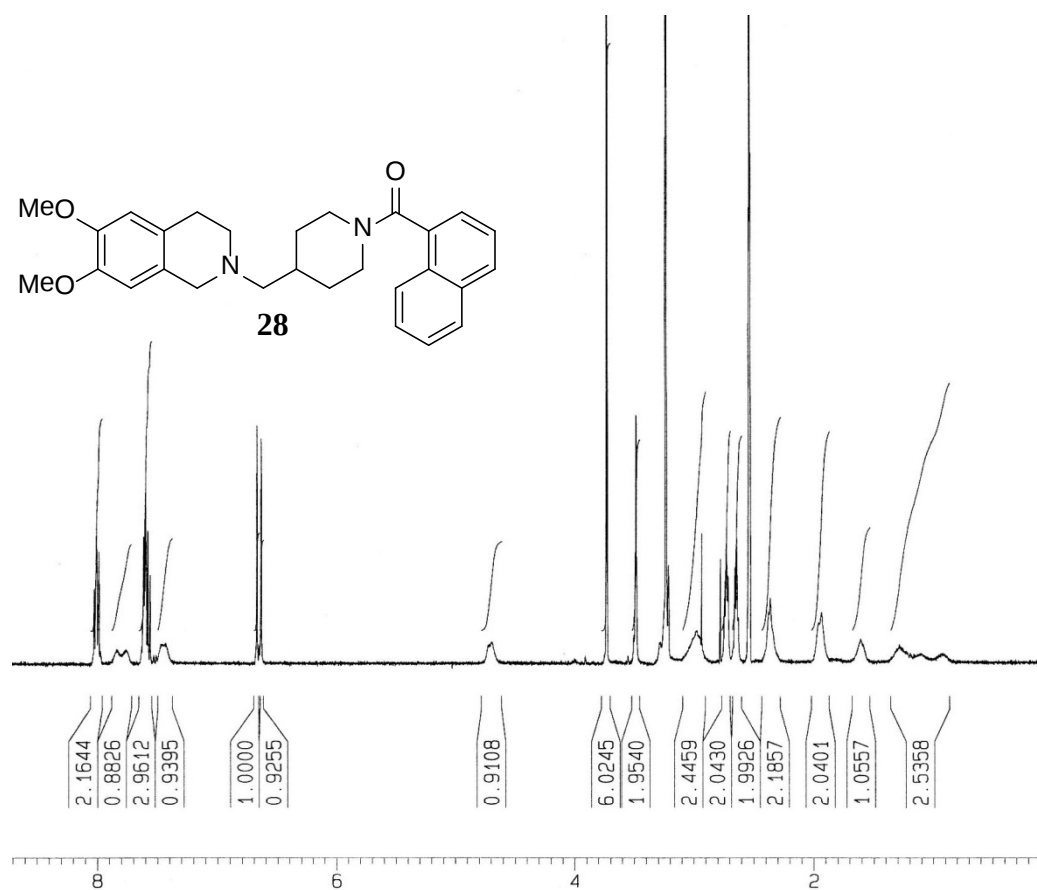


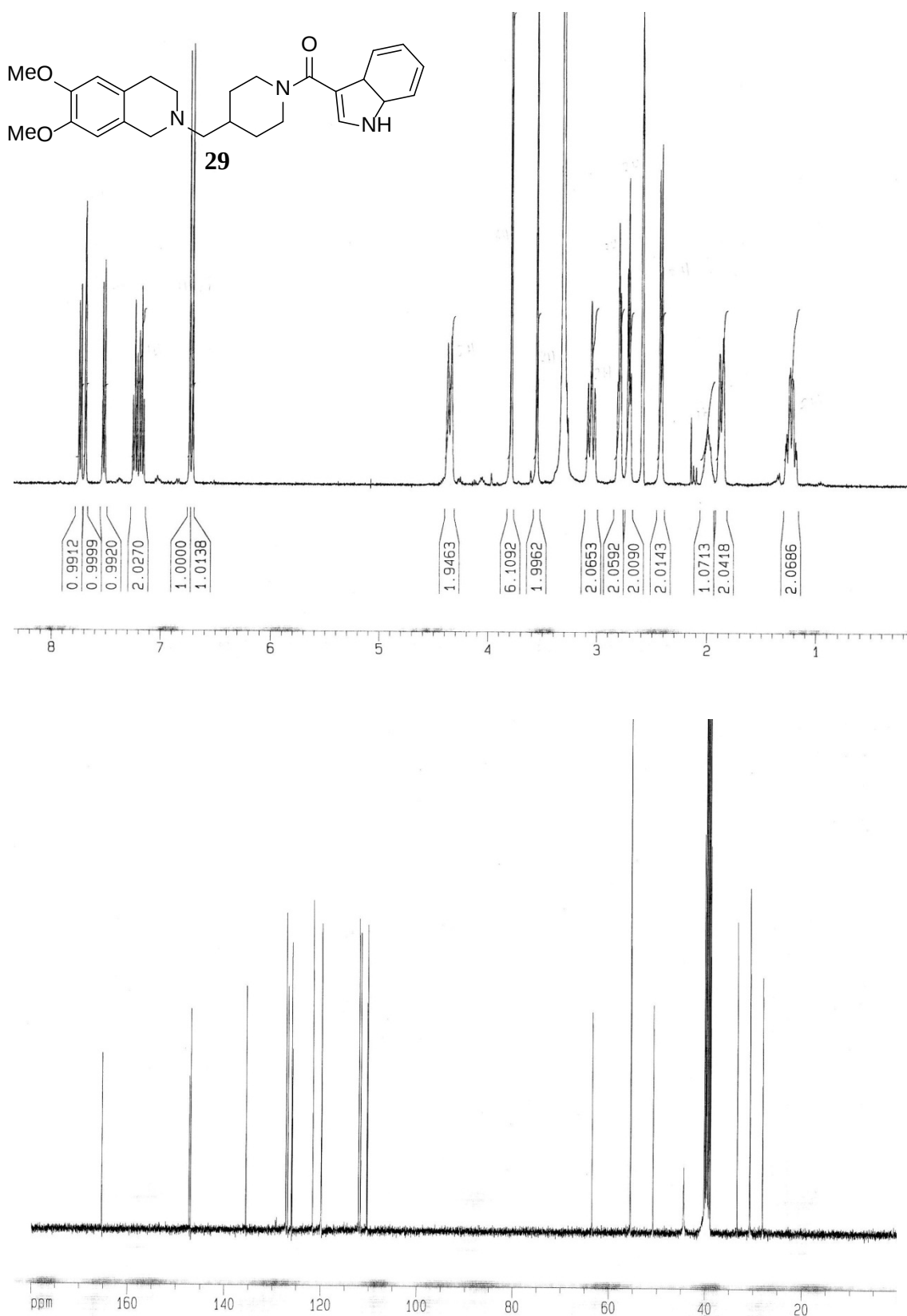


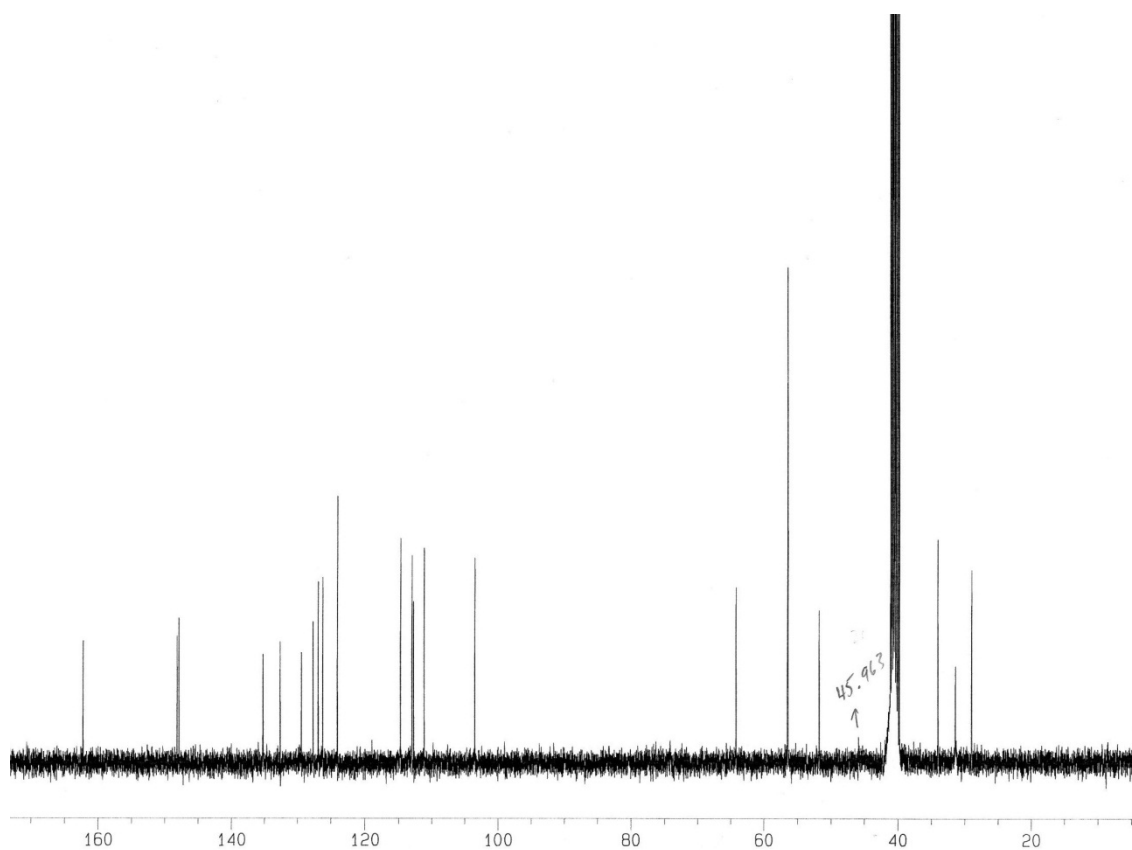


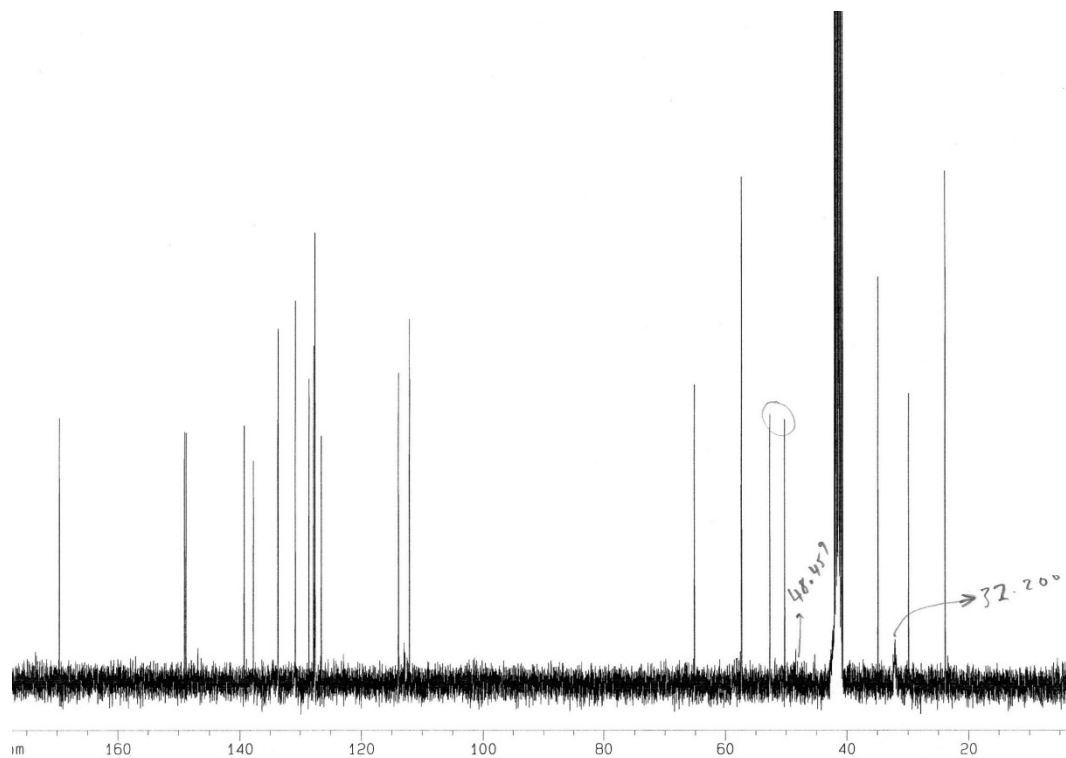
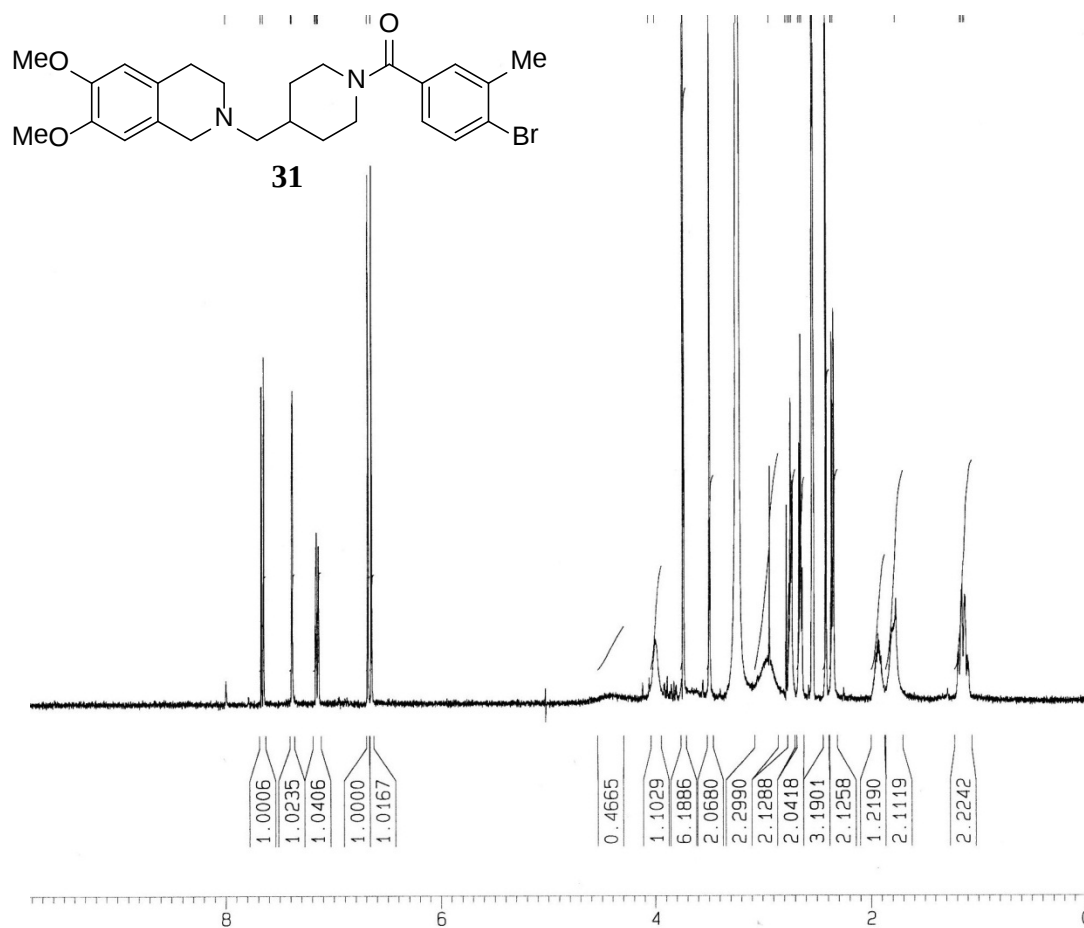


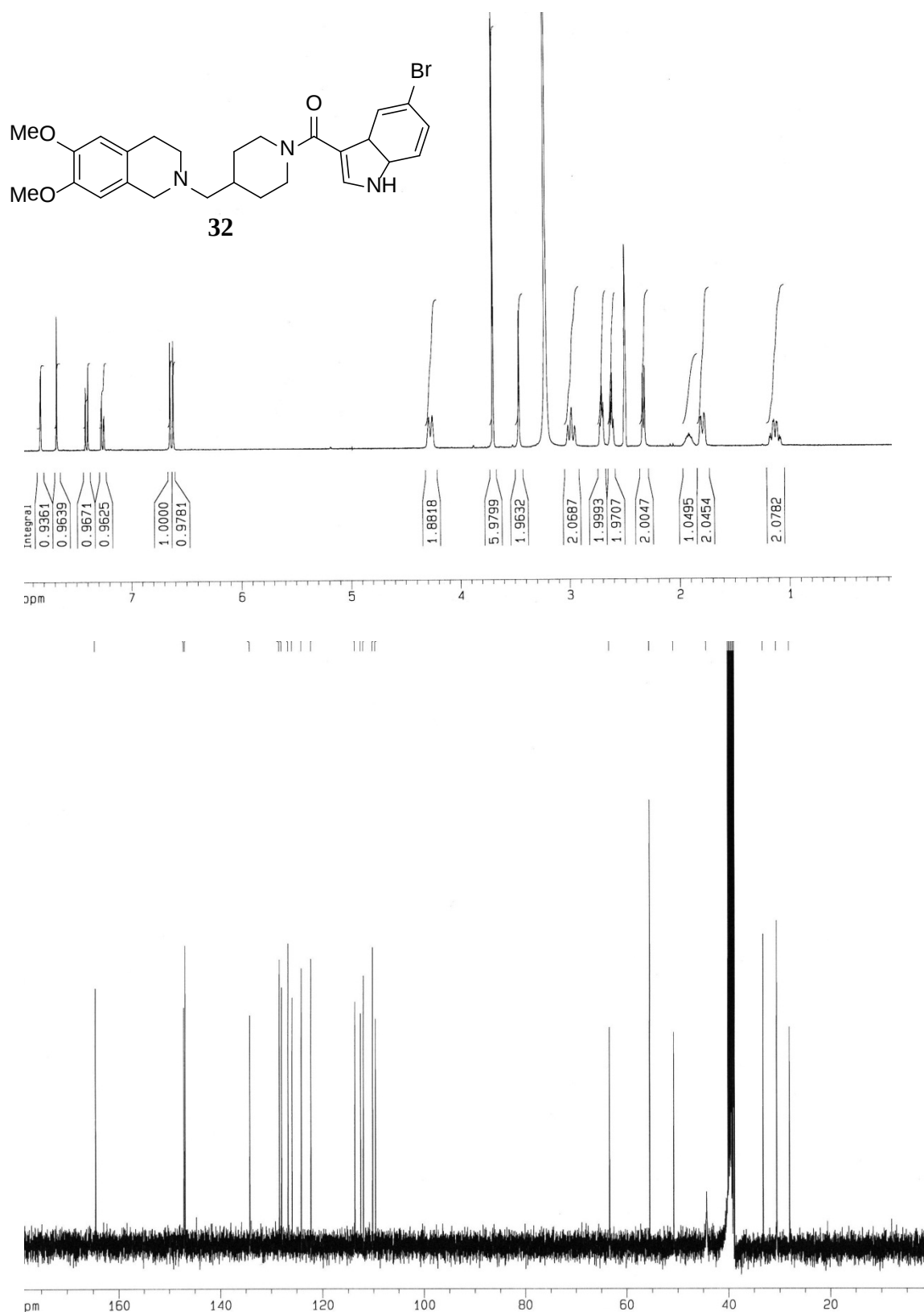


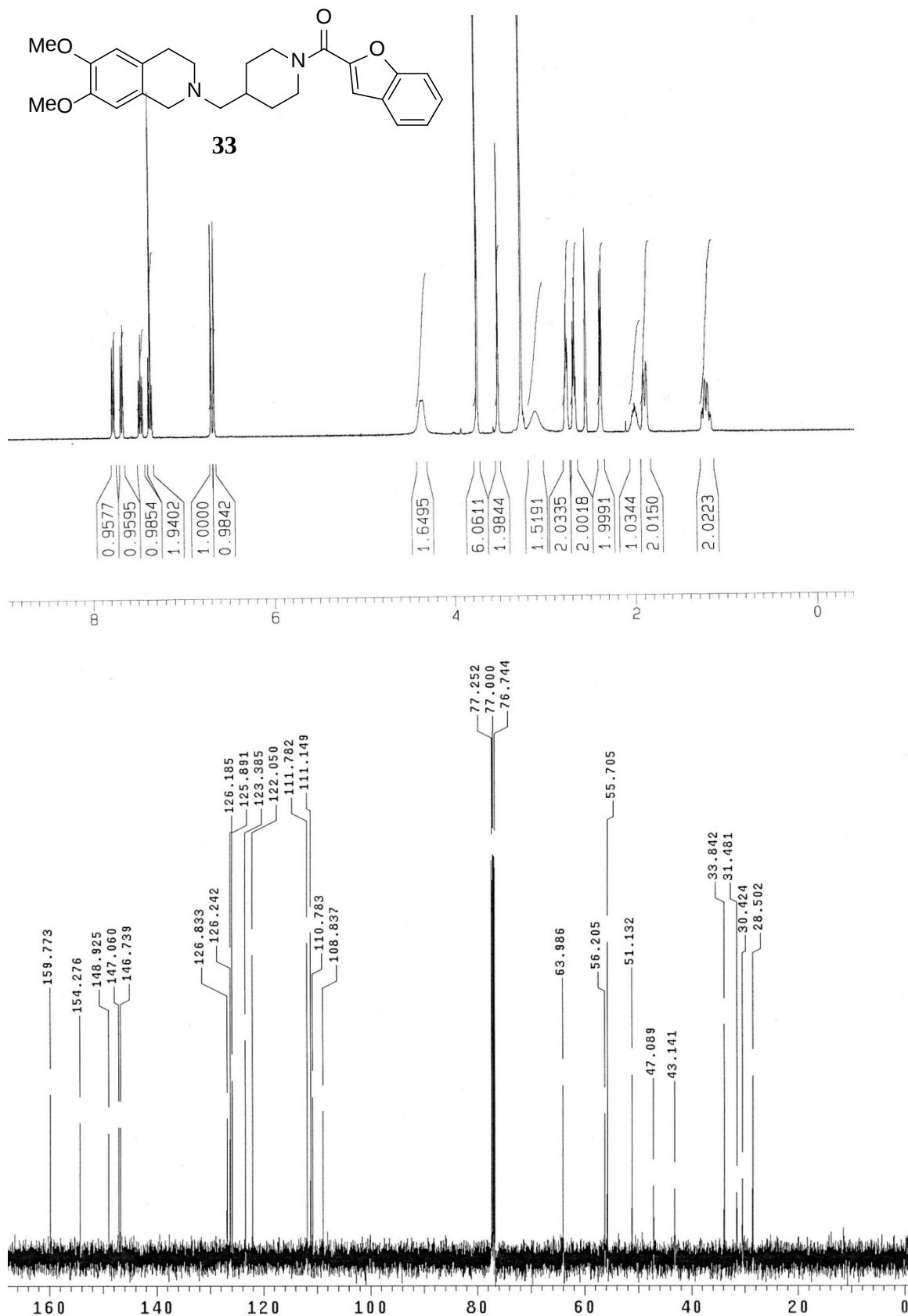


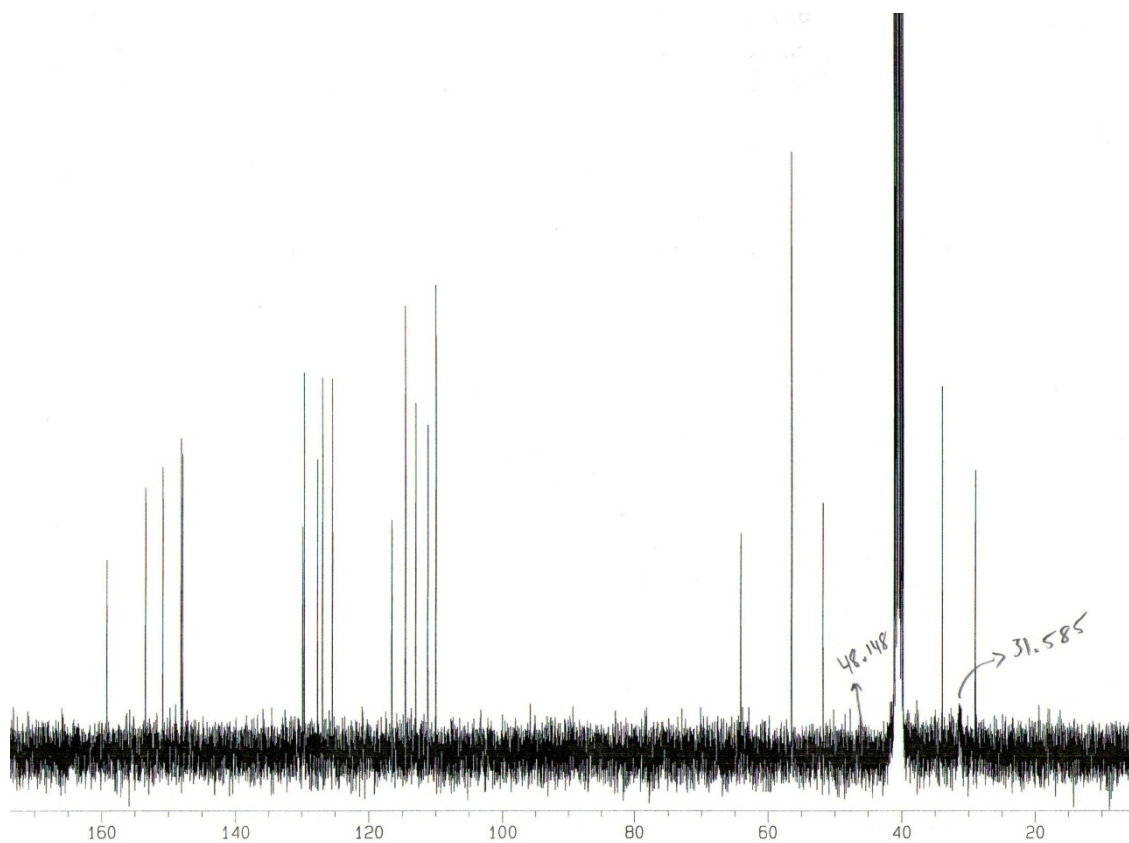
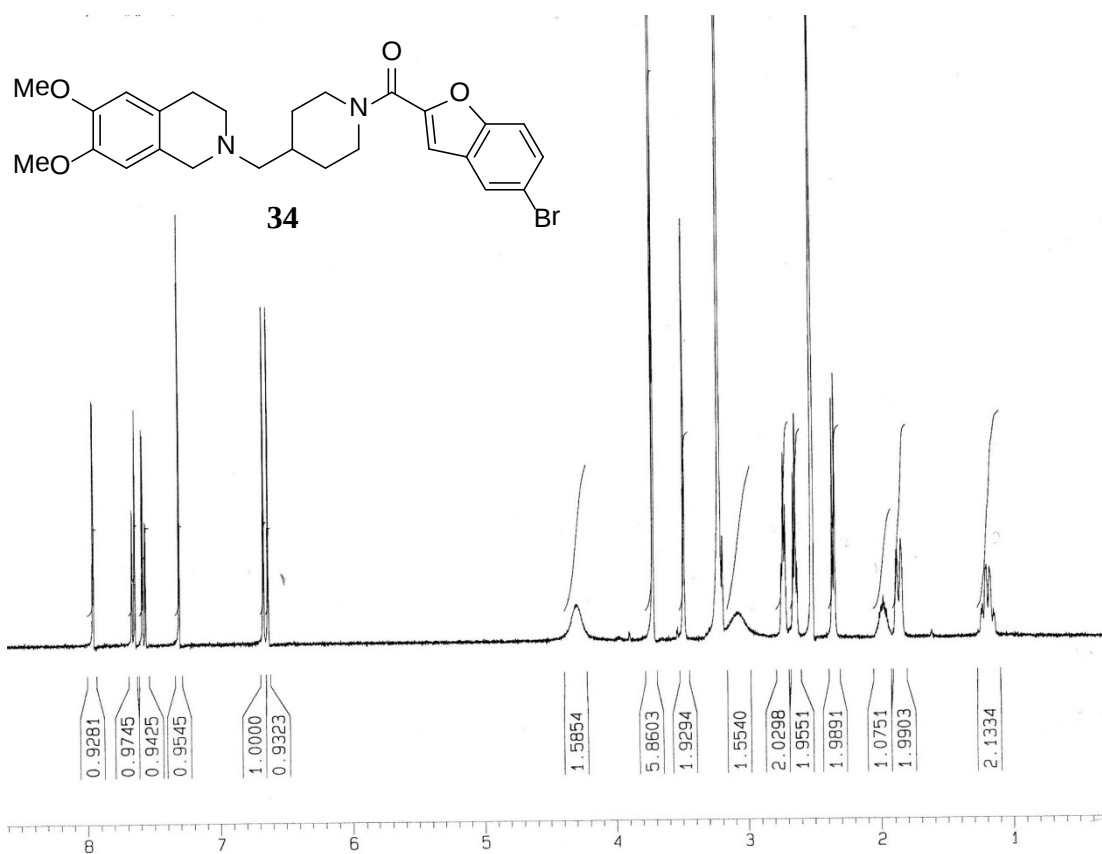


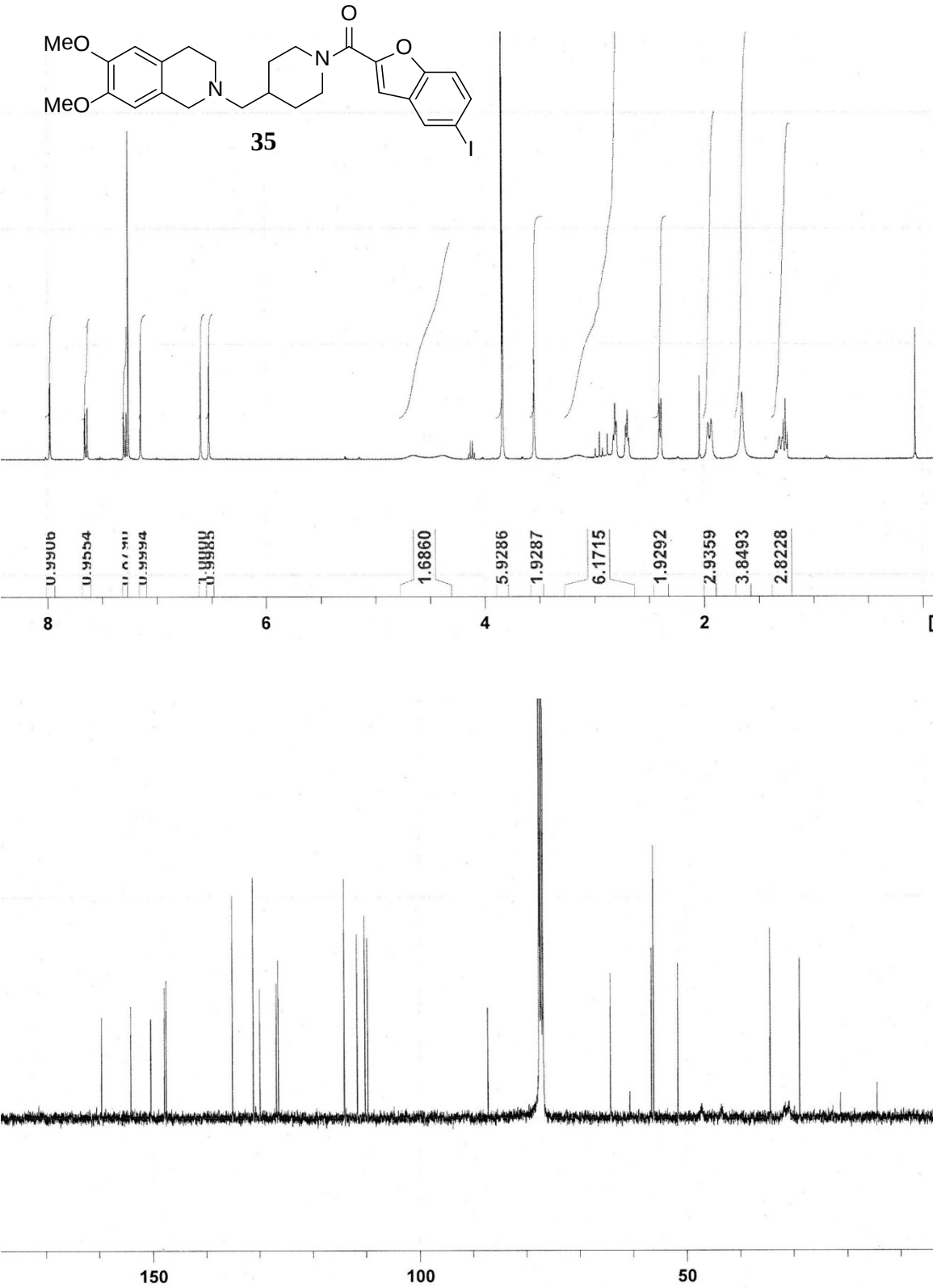


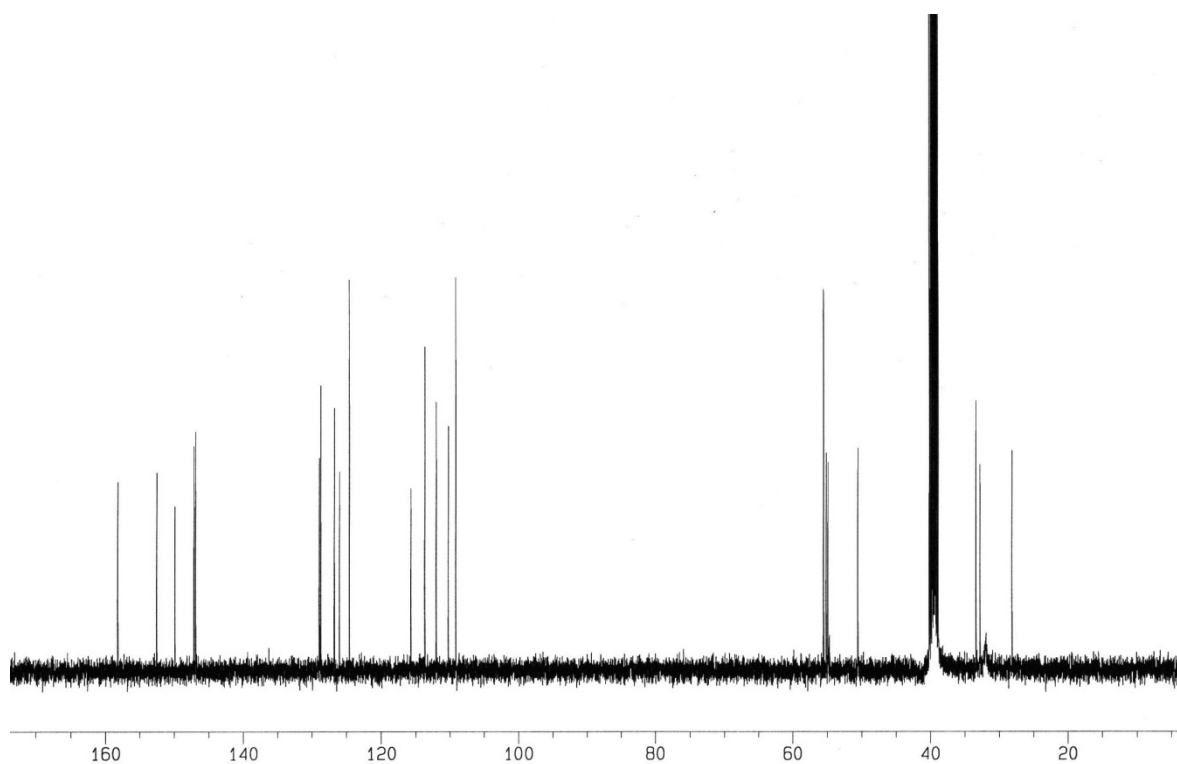
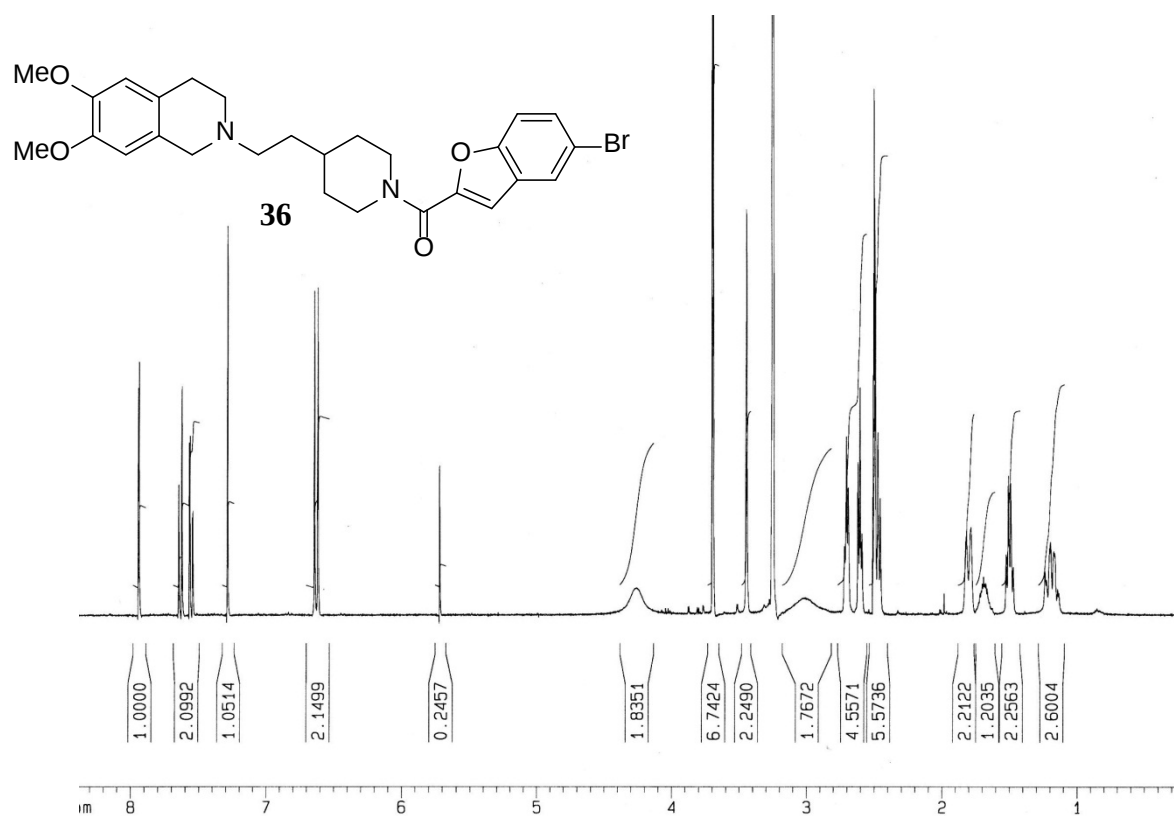


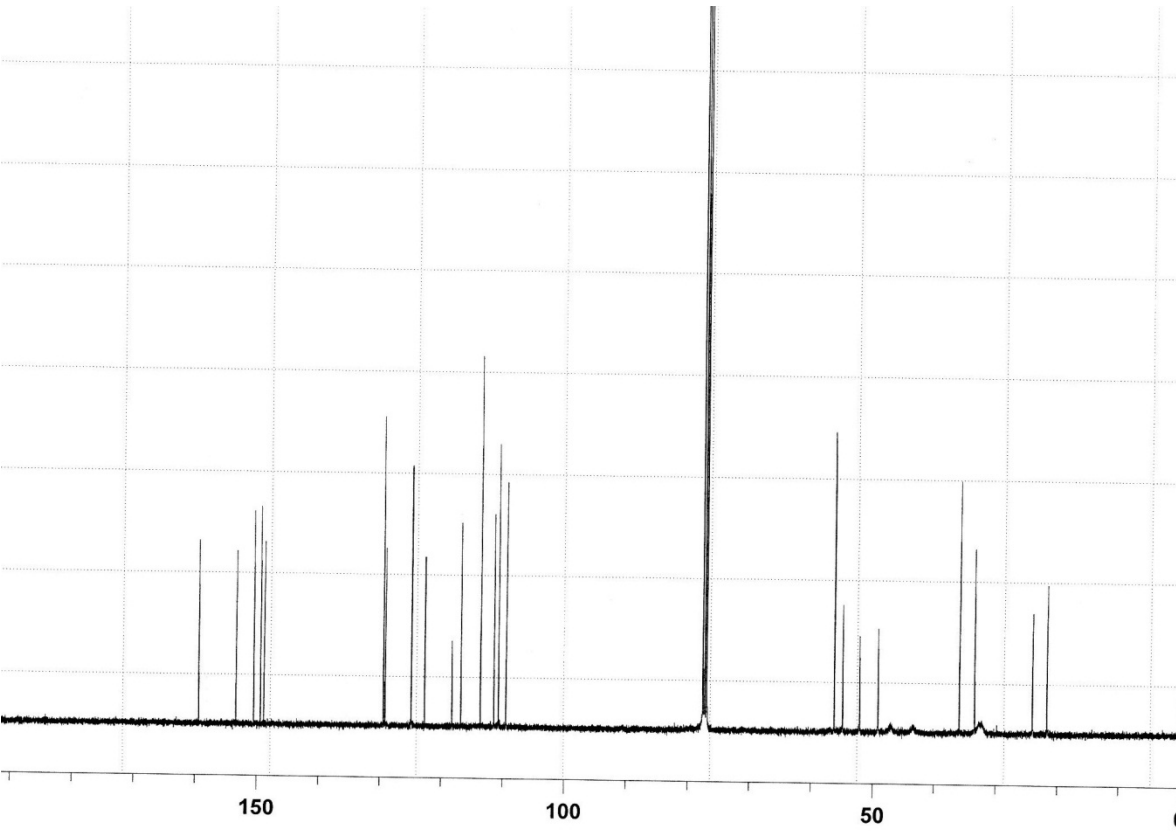
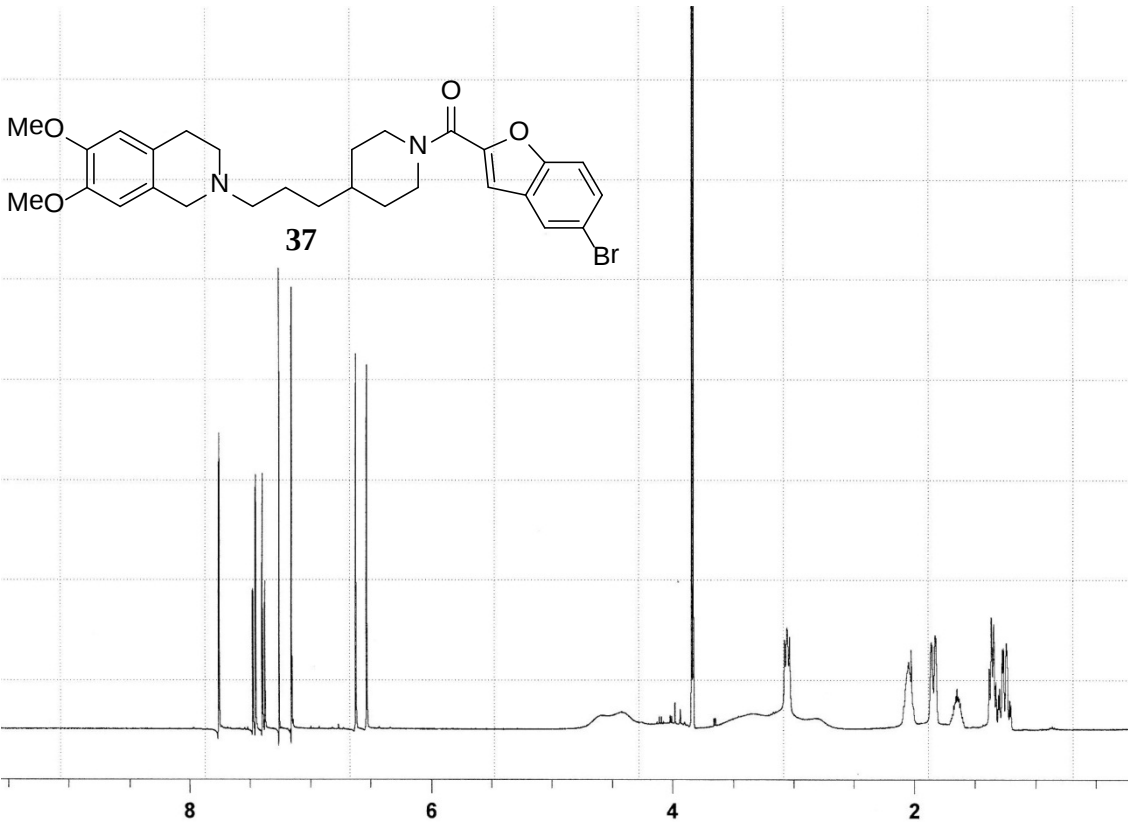


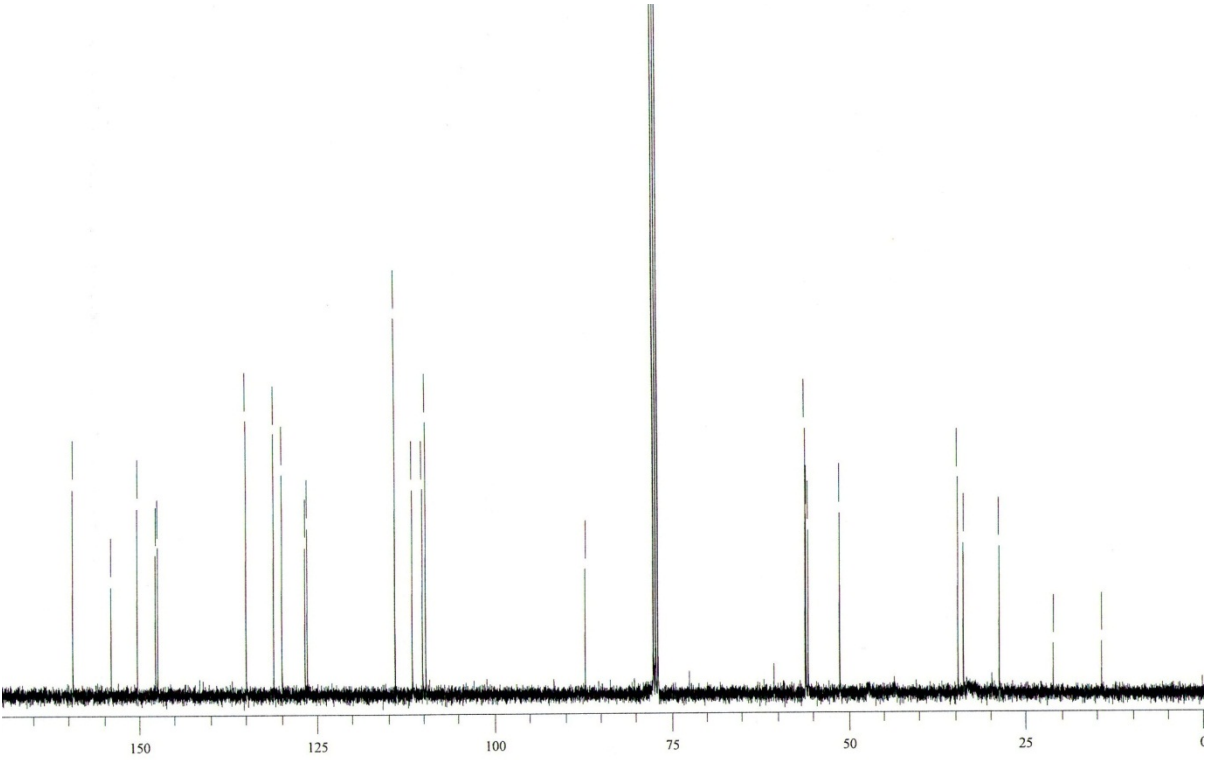
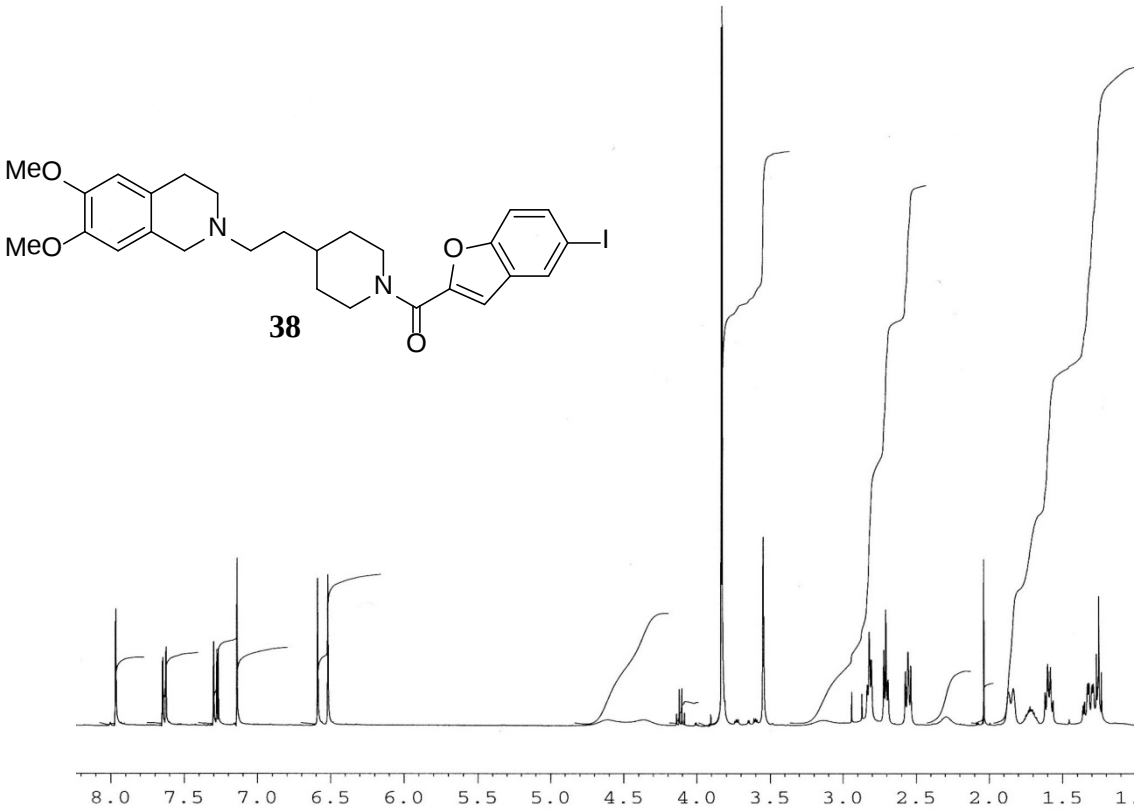


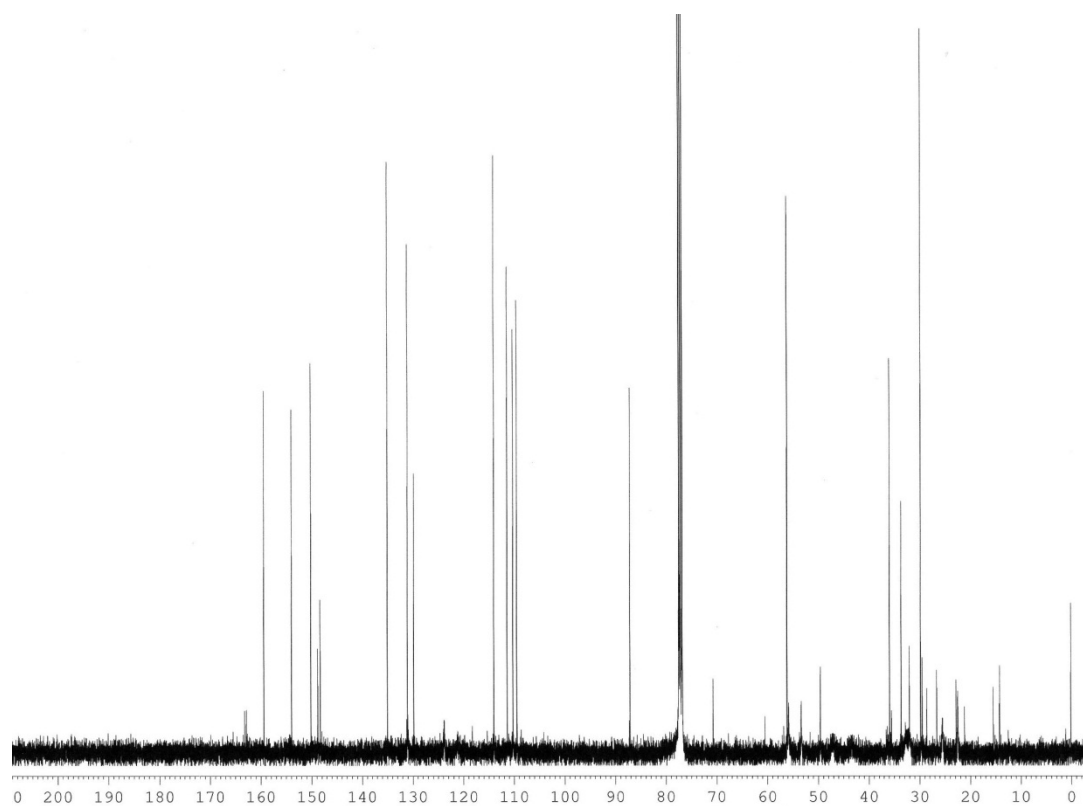
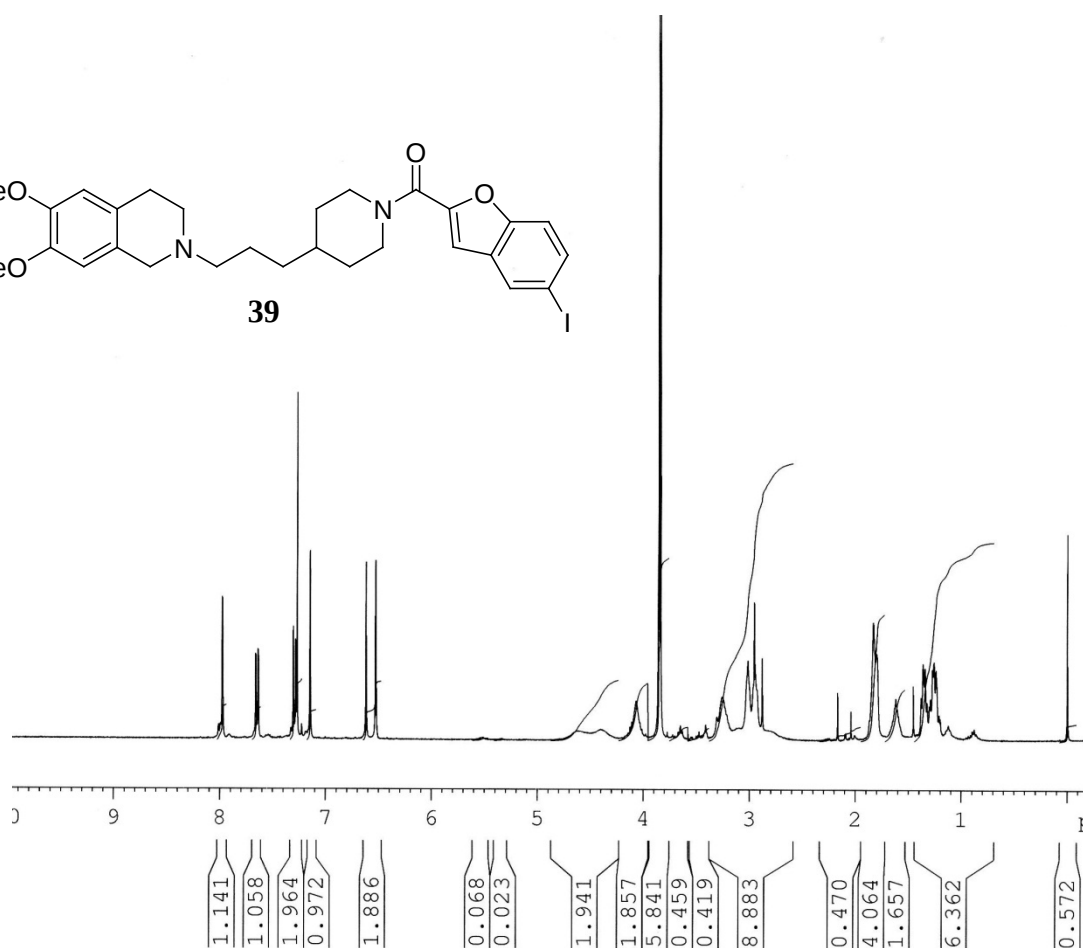
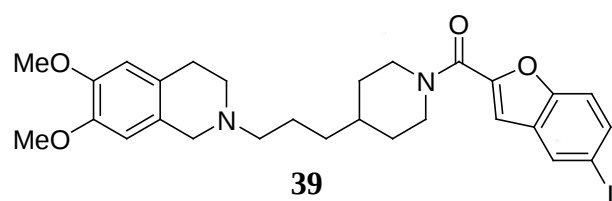


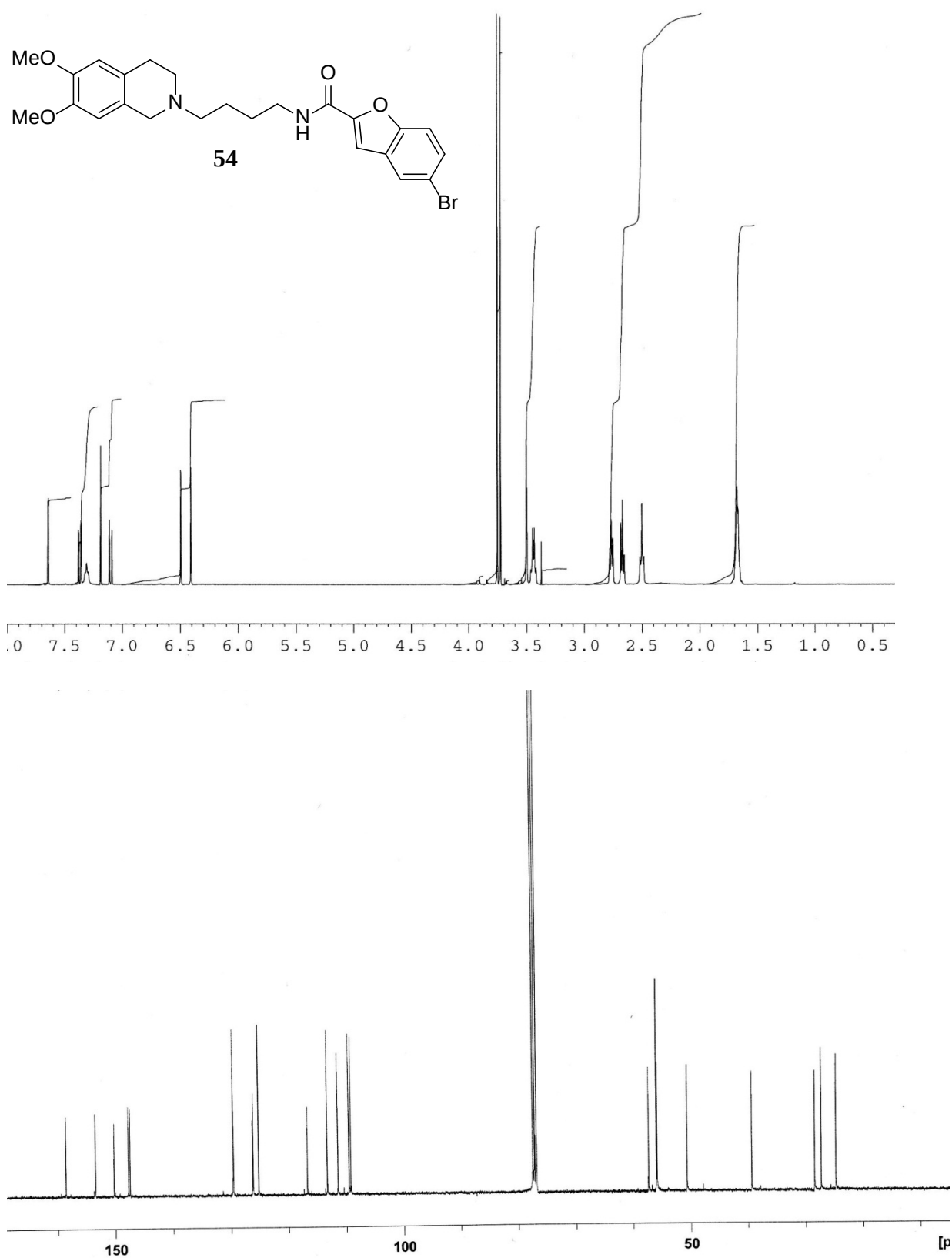


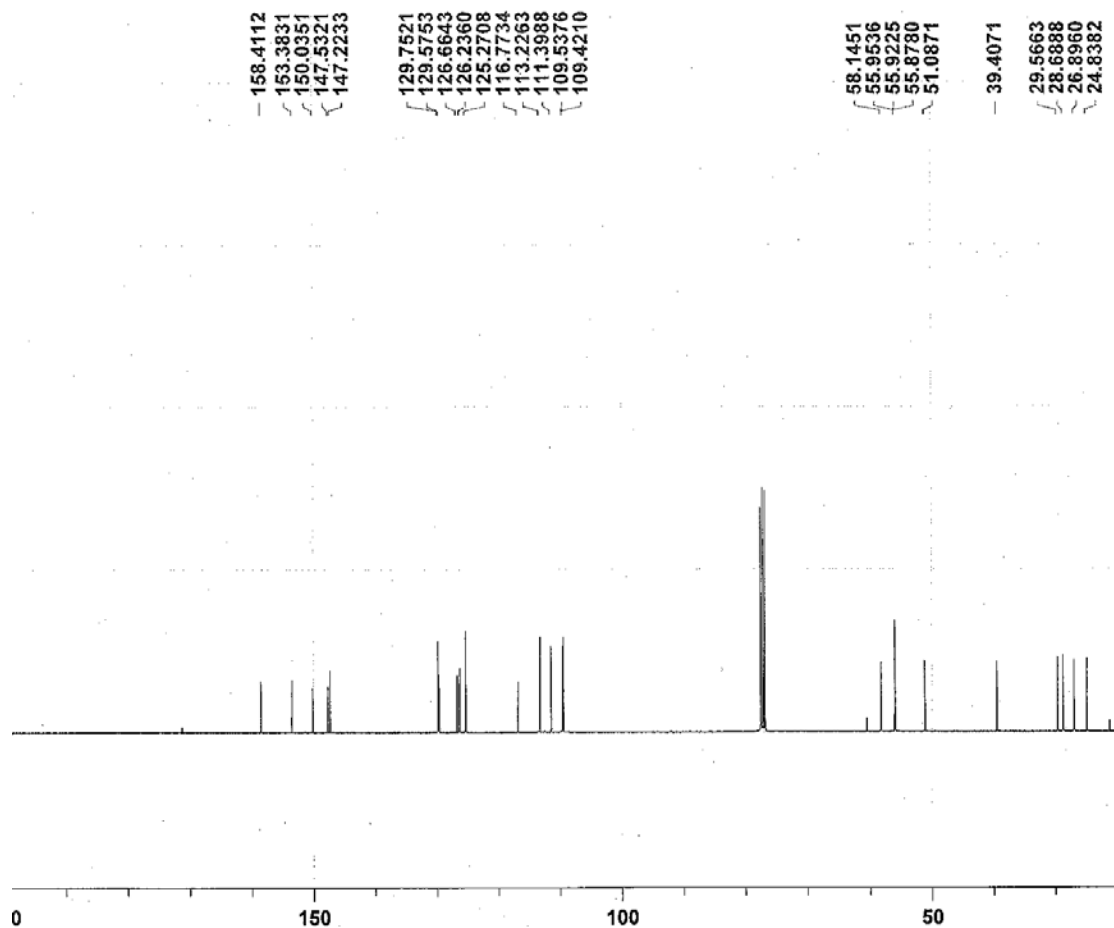
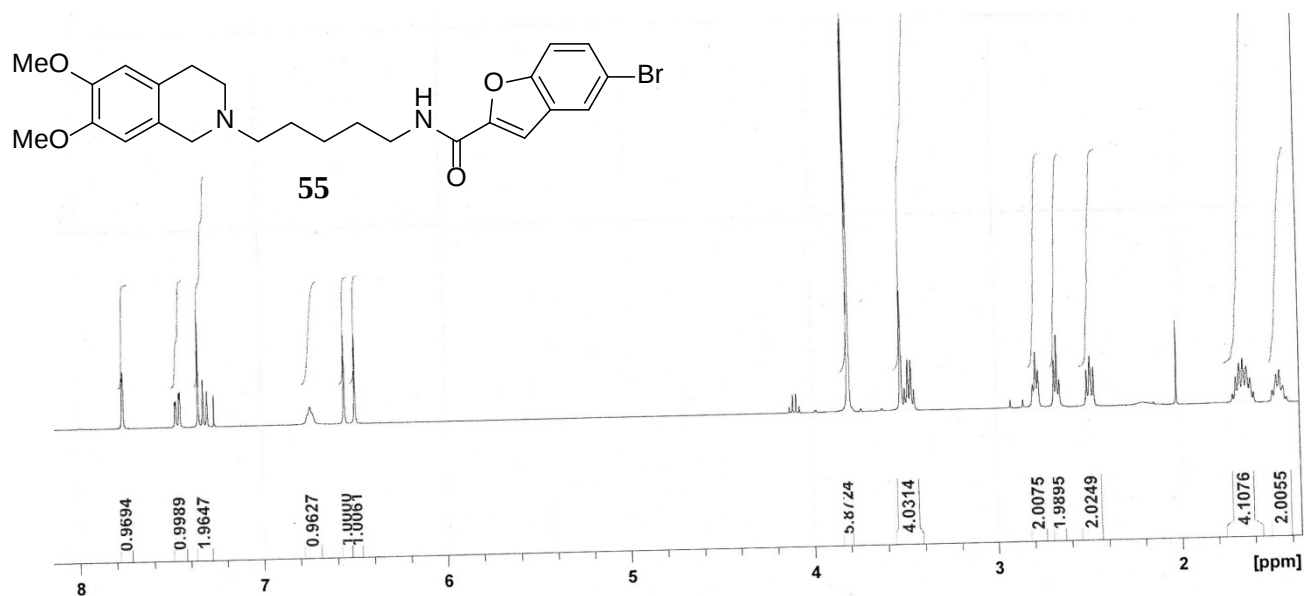


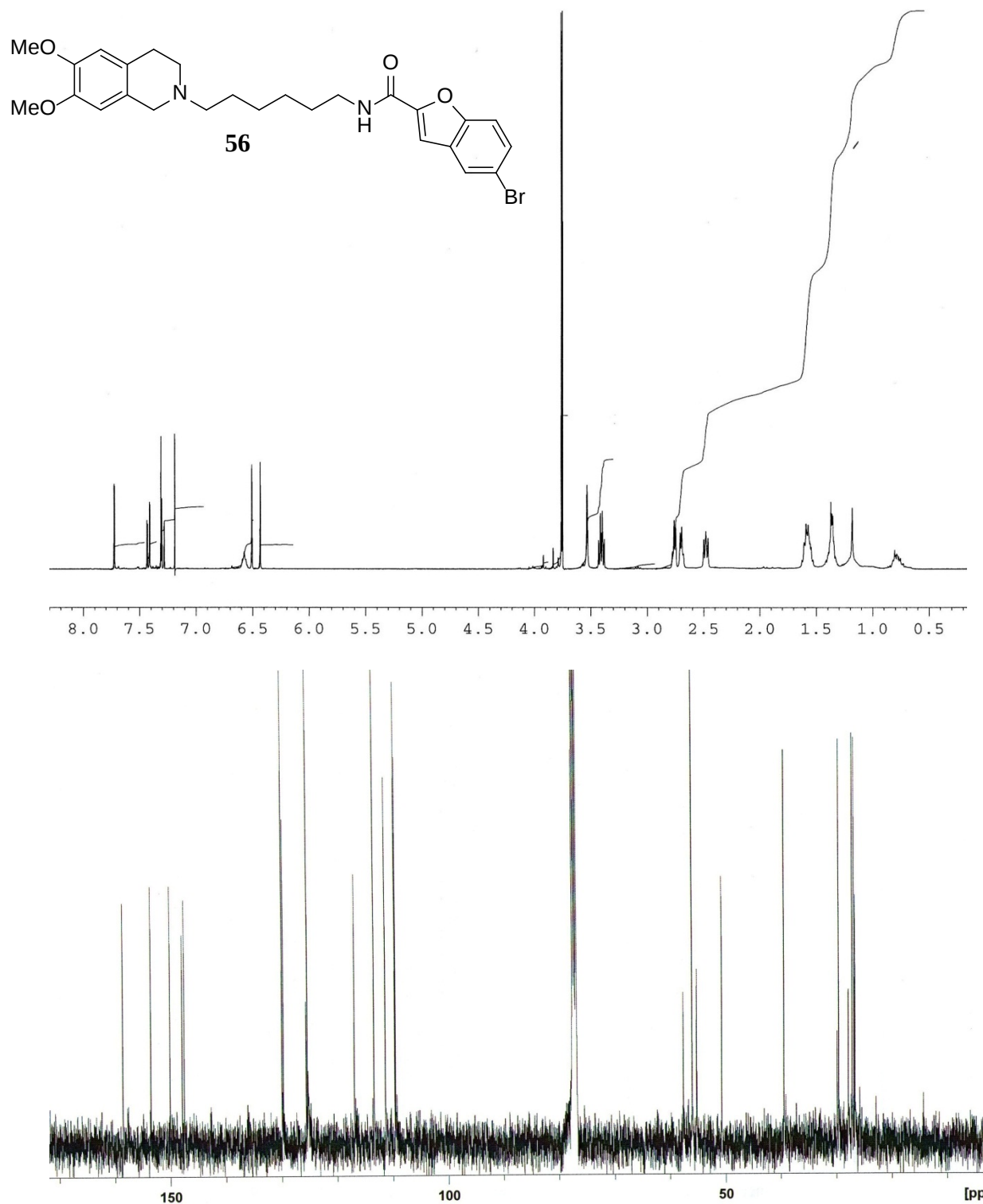


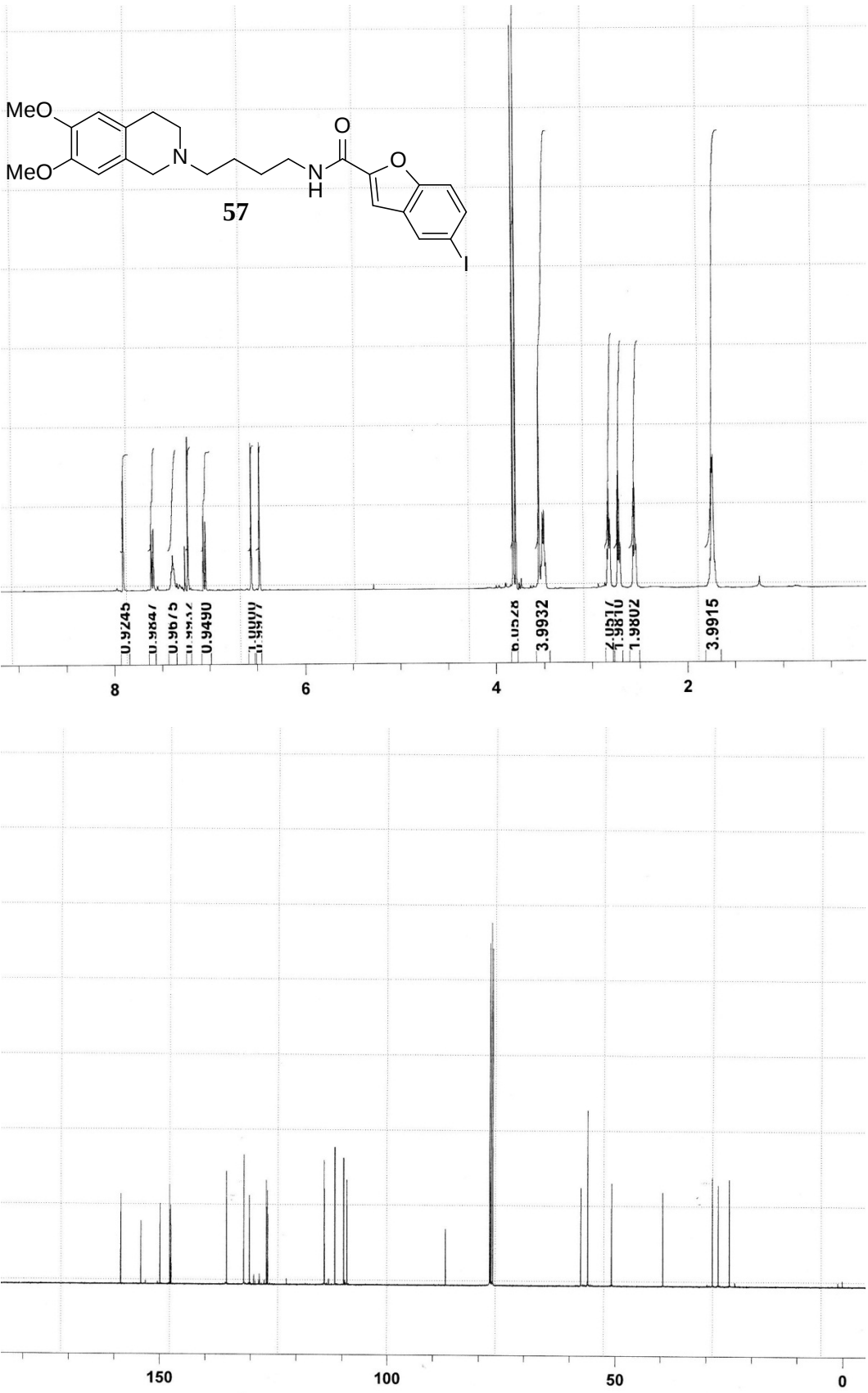


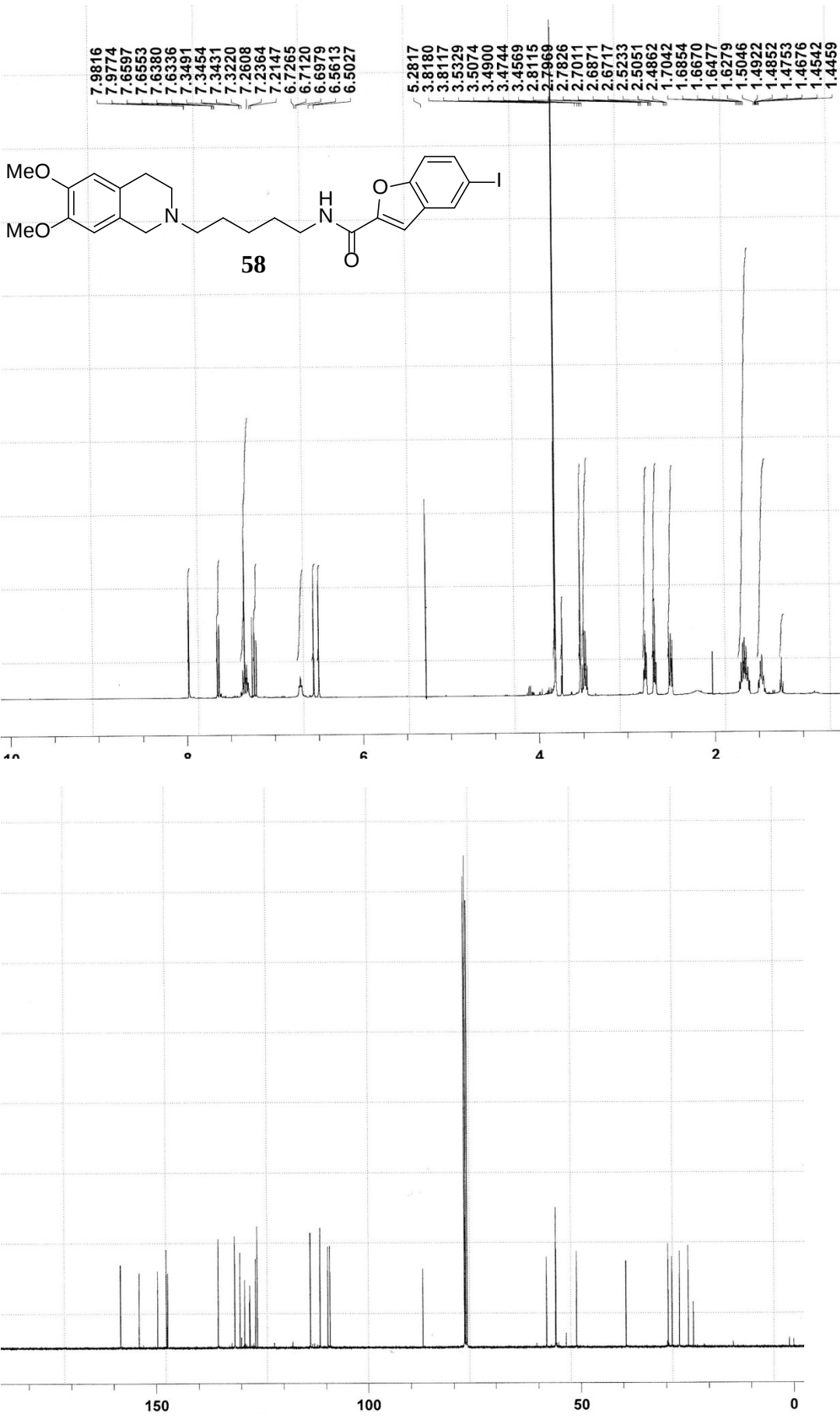


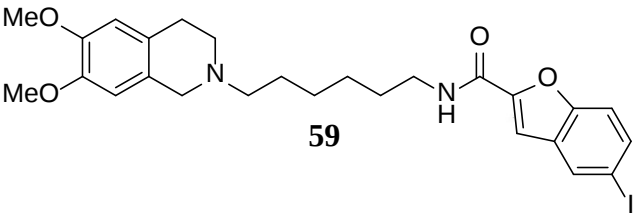












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