

Supporting Informations

Copper catalyzed C-O bond formation via oxidative cross-coupling

reaction of aldehydes and ethers

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General information:

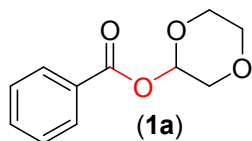
All manipulations were carried out under open air. All the reagents were commercial grade and purified according to the established procedures. Column chromatography was generally performed on silica gel (300-400 mesh) and reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) using UV light to visualize the course of the reactions. The ^1H NMR (400 MHz) and ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz) data were recorded on Varian spectrometers using CDCl_3 as solvent at room temperature. ^1H NMR spectra was recorded with tetramethylsilane as the internal reference; ^{13}C NMR spectra was recorded with CDCl_3 as the internal reference. Multiplicities are indicated as the following: s, singlet; d, doublet; t, triplet; q, quartet; m, multiplet. ESI-MS were obtained using Agilent 1260-6120 instrument. ESI-HRMS were done on Varian 7.0 T FTICR-mass spectrometer. Elemental analysis was performed with a Perkin Elmer 2400 elemental analyzer. IR spectra were recorded in KBr or neat on a Nicolet Impact 410 spectrophotometer.

A typical procedure for copper catalyzed synthesis of α -acyloxy ethers via oxidative cross-coupling:

benzaldehyde (1.0 mmol), $\text{Cu}(\text{OAc})_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ (4 mg, 2 mol %), 1,4-dioxane (40 mmol), and TBHP (4.0 equiv, 70% aqueous solution) were added to a tube under open air. The reaction mixture was heated in an oil bath at 80°C . During this period complete disappearance of benzaldehyde was observed as judged from TLC. After cooling to room temperature, the organic solvent was removed under vacuum. The crude product was purified over a column of silica gel and eluted with (20: 1, hexane / ethyl acetate) to give **1a** (189 mg, 91% yield).

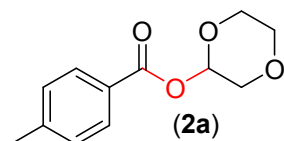
Spectral data:

1,4-dioxan-2-yl benzoate



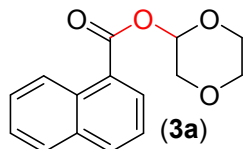
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 3.66-3.70 (m, 1H), 3.82-3.84 (m, 2H), 3.89-3.90 (m, 2H), 4.19-4.24 (m, 1H), 6.10 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.57-7.61 (m, 1H), 8.12-8.14 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): 61.8, 66.1, 67.8, 89.8, 128.4, 129.7, 129.9, 133.4, 165.2; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_4\text{Na}$): 231; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1725.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-methylbenzoate



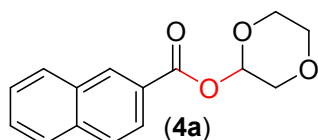
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 2.42 (s, 3H), 3.66-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.81-3.83 (m, 2H), 3.88-3.89 (m, 2H), 4.18-4.23 (m, 1H), 6.08 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 8.01 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): 21.6, 61.8, 66.1, 67.9, 89.6, 127.0, 129.1, 129.9, 144.1, 165.2; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4\text{Na}$): 245; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1731. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4$: C, 64.85%; H, 6.35%. Found: C, 65.01%; H, 6.42%.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl 1-naphthoate



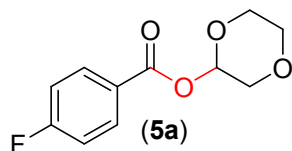
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl 2-naphthoate



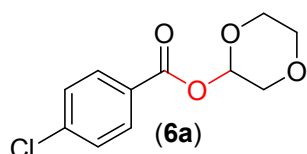
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 3.69-3.73 (m, 1H), 3.84-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.94-3.95 (m, 2H), 4.25-4.30 (m, 1H), 6.16 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.62 (m, 2H), 7.87-7.89 (m, 2H), 7.96-7.98 (m, 1H), 8.11-8.14 (m, 1H), 8.69 (s, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): 61.8, 66.2, 67.9, 89.9, 125.3, 126.7, 126.9, 127.8, 128.3, 128.5, 129.4, 131.5, 132.4, 135.7, 165.4; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4\text{Na}$): 281; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1732. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4$: C, 69.76%; H, 5.46%. Found: C, 69.59%; H, 5.52%.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-fluorobenzoate



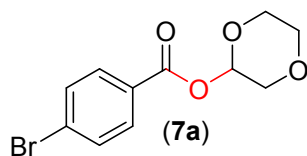
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-chlorobenzoate



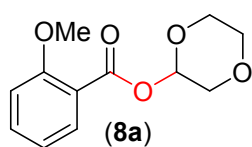
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-bromobenzoate



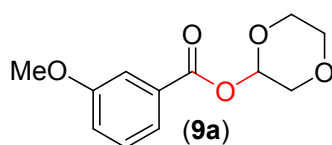
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl 2-methoxybenzoate



^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 3.64-3.68 (m, 1H), 3.79-3.81 (m, 2H), 3.86-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 4.21-4.27 (m, 1H), 6.08 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.97-6.99 (m, 2H), 7.46-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.88-7.90 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): 56.0, 61.8, 66.1, 67.8, 89.6, 112.1, 119.4, 120.1, 131.9, 134.0, 159.6, 164.5; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{NaO}_5$): 261; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1721. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_5$: C, 60.50%; H, 5.92%. Found: C, 60.36%; H, 5.90%.

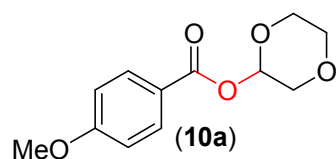
1,4-dioxan-2-yl 3-methoxybenzoate



^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 3.65-3.70 (m, 1H), 3.81-3.83 (m, 2H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.89-3.90 (m, 2H), 4.18-4.25 (m, 1H), 6.09 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.11-7.14 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.38 (m, 1H), 7.62-7.63 (m, 1H),

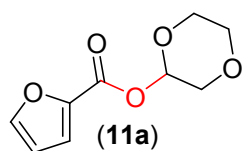
7.71-7.74(m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): 55.4, 61.8, 66.1, 67.8, 89.9, 114.4, 119.8, 122.3, 129.4, 131.0, 159.6, 165.1; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{NaO}_5$): 261; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1723. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_5$: C, 60.50%; H, 5.92%. Found: C, 60.41%; H, 5.95%.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-methoxybenzoate



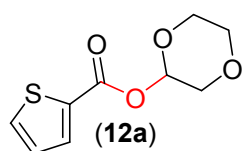
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl furan-2-carboxylate



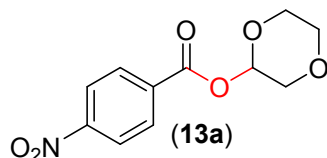
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 3.65-3.69 (m, 1H), 3.80-3.87 (m, 4H), 4.17-4.23 (m, 1H), 6.07(t, $J = 2.0\text{Hz}$, 1H), 6.53-6.54 (m, 1H), 7.29-7.30 (m, 1H), 7.62-7.63 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 61.7, 66.0, 67.7, 89.7, 111.9, 118.9, 144.0, 146.9, 157.2; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_9\text{H}_{10}\text{NaO}_5$): 221; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1730.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl thiophene-2-carboxylate



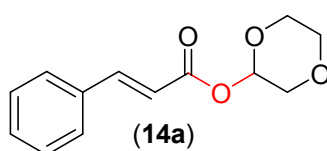
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl 4-nitrobenzoate



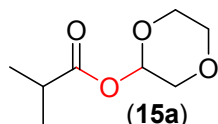
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(E)-1,4-dioxan-2-yl cinnamate



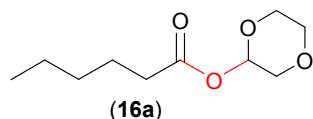
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl isobutyrate



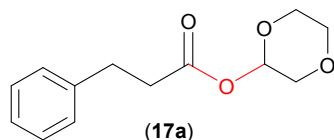
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1,4-dioxan-2-yl hexanoate



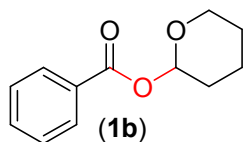
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 0.90 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.31-1.34(m, 4H), 1.65-1.71(m, 2H), 2.37-2.41(m, 2H), 3.61-3.65 (m, 1H), 3.69-3.76 (m, 4H), 4.08-4.14 (m, 1H), 5.86 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 13.8, 22.2, 24.4, 31.2, 34.3, 61.7, 66.0, 67.8, 89.0, 172.6; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{18}\text{NaO}_4$): 225; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1744. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{18}\text{O}_4$: C, 59.39%; H, 8.97%. Found: 59.42%; H, 8.94%.

1,4-dioxan-2-yl 3-phenylpropanoate



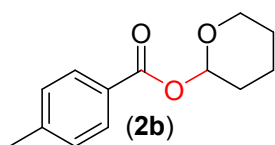
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 2.73 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.99 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.56-3.60 (m, 1H), 3.65-3.77 (m, 4H), 3.99-4.05 (m, 1H), 5.84 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.17-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.31 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 30.7, 35.8, 61.6, 66.0, 67.7, 89.3, 126.3, 128.3, 128.5, 140.2, 171.7; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{NaO}_4$): 259; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1701.

tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl benzoate



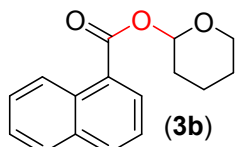
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tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl 4-methylbenzoate



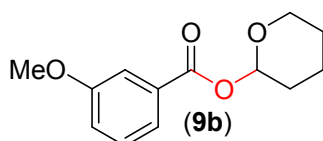
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tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl 1-naphthoate



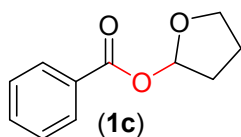
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tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl 3-methoxybenzoate



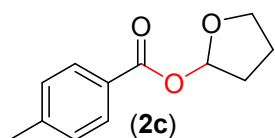
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 1.61-1.76 (m, 3H), 1.85-1.97 (m, 3H), 3.73-3.78 (m, 1H), 3.85(s, 3H), 3.96-3.99 (m, 1H), 6.24 (t, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.10-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.35-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.60-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.67-7.70 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 18.6, 25.0, 29.2, 55.4, 63.2, 93.2, 114.4, 119.3, 122.1, 129.4, 131.6, 159.6, 165.0; ESI-MS ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{NaO}_4$): 259; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1726. Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_3$: C, 66.09%; H, 6.83%. Found: 66.41%; H, 6.77%.

tetrahydrofuran-2-yl benzoate



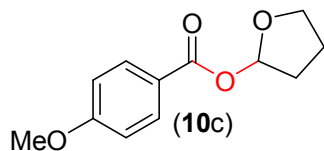
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tetrahydrofuran-2-yl 4-methylbenzoate



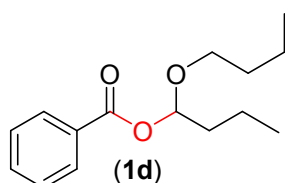
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tetrahydrofuran-2-yl 4-methoxybenzoate



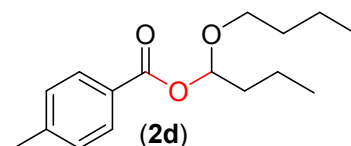
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1-butoxybutyl benzoate



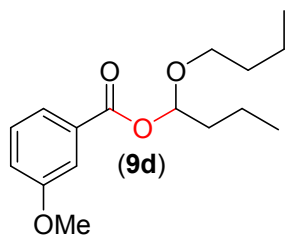
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1-butoxybutyl 4-methylbenzoate



^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 0.90 (t, $J = 7.2\text{ Hz}$, 3H), 0.95 (t, $J = 7.2\text{ Hz}$, 3H), 1.38-1.53 (m, 6H), 1.77-1.81 (m, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.57 (m, 1H), 3.69-3.75 (m, 1H), 6.08 (t, $J = 5.6\text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.24 (d, $J = 8.0\text{Hz}$, 2H), 7.97 (d, $J = 8.0\text{Hz}$, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 13.7, 17.4, 19.1, 21.6, 31.6, 36.7, 69.2, 99.2, 127.4, 129.0, 129.7, 143.7, 166.4; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{24}\text{NaO}_3$, 287.1623; found, 287.1630; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 1722.

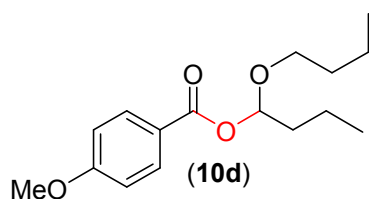
1-butoxybutyl 3-methoxybenzoate



^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 0.90 (t, $J = 7.6\text{ Hz}$, 3H), 0.96 (t, $J = 7.6\text{ Hz}$, 3H), 1.39-1.59 (m, 6H), 1.78-1.84 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.58 (m, 1H), 3.70-3.76 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 6.09 (t, $J = 5.6\text{ Hz}$, 1H), 7.09-7.12

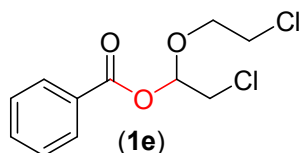
(m, 1H), 7.33-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.59-7.60 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.67-7.69 (m, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz): δ 13.7, 17.4, 19.1, 31.6, 36.7, 55.3, 69.3, 99.5, 114.1, 119.6, 122.1, 129.3, 131.5, 159.5, 166.2; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{24}\text{NaO}_4$, 303.1573; found, 303.1570; IR (KBr, cm^{-1}):1721.

1-butoxybutyl 4-methoxybenzoate



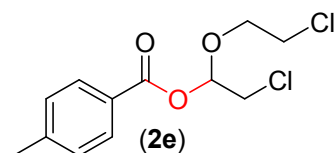
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1-(2-chloroethoxy)-2-chloroethyl benzoate



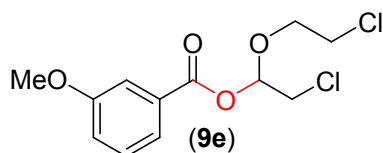
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1-(2-chloroethoxy)-2-chloroethyl 4-methylbenzoate



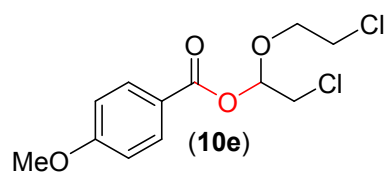
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1-(2-chloroethoxy)-2-chloroethyl 3-methoxybenzoate

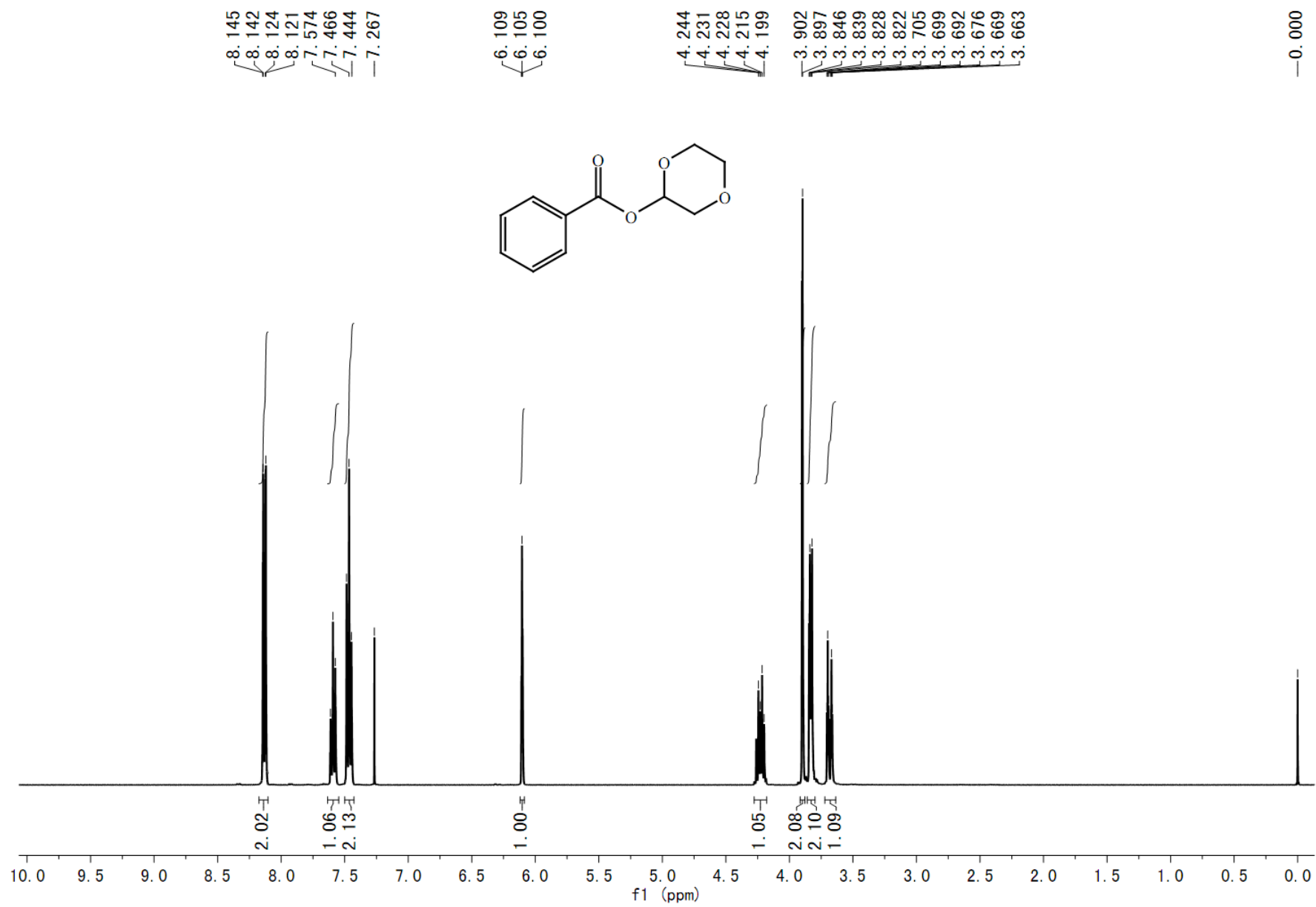


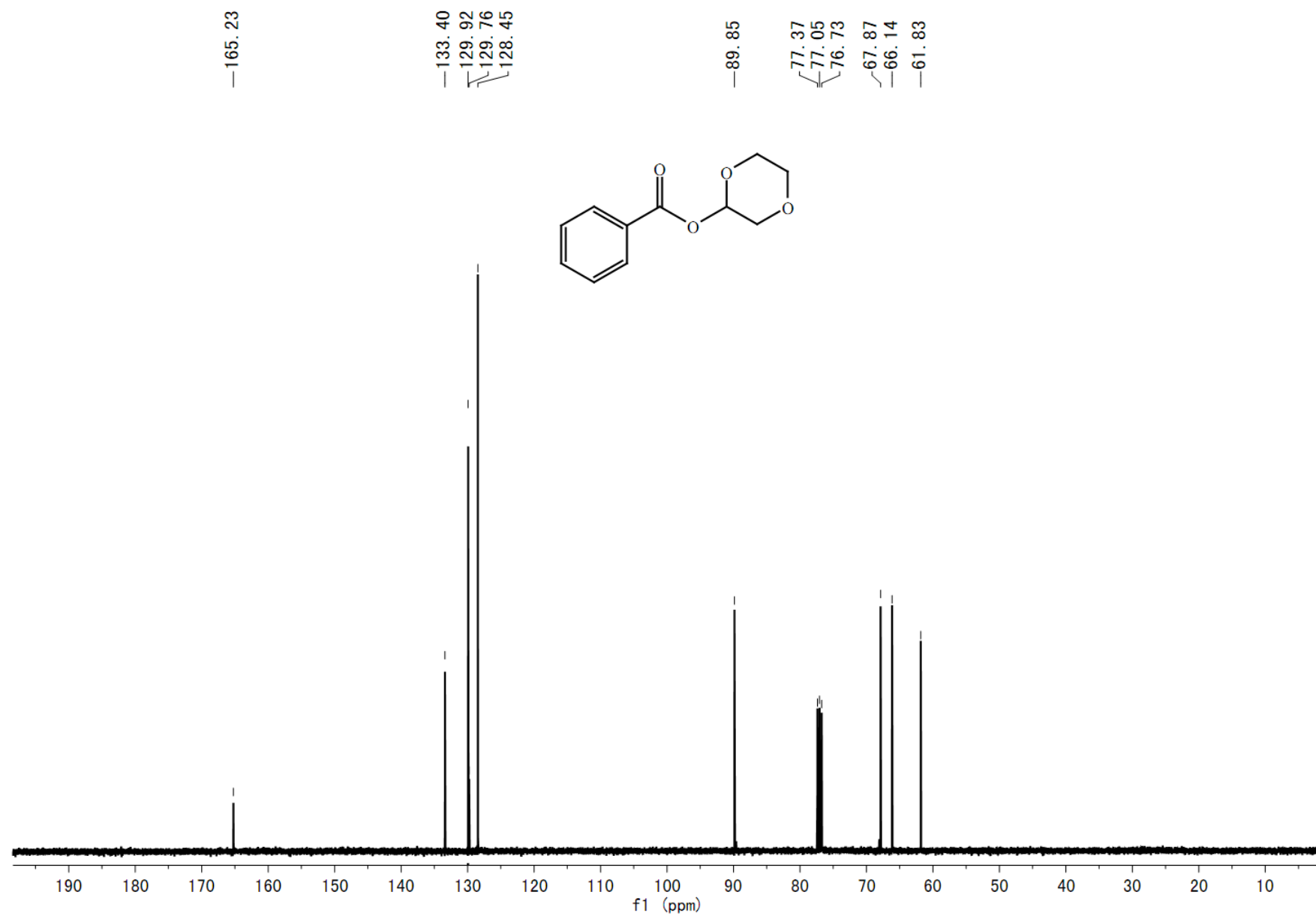
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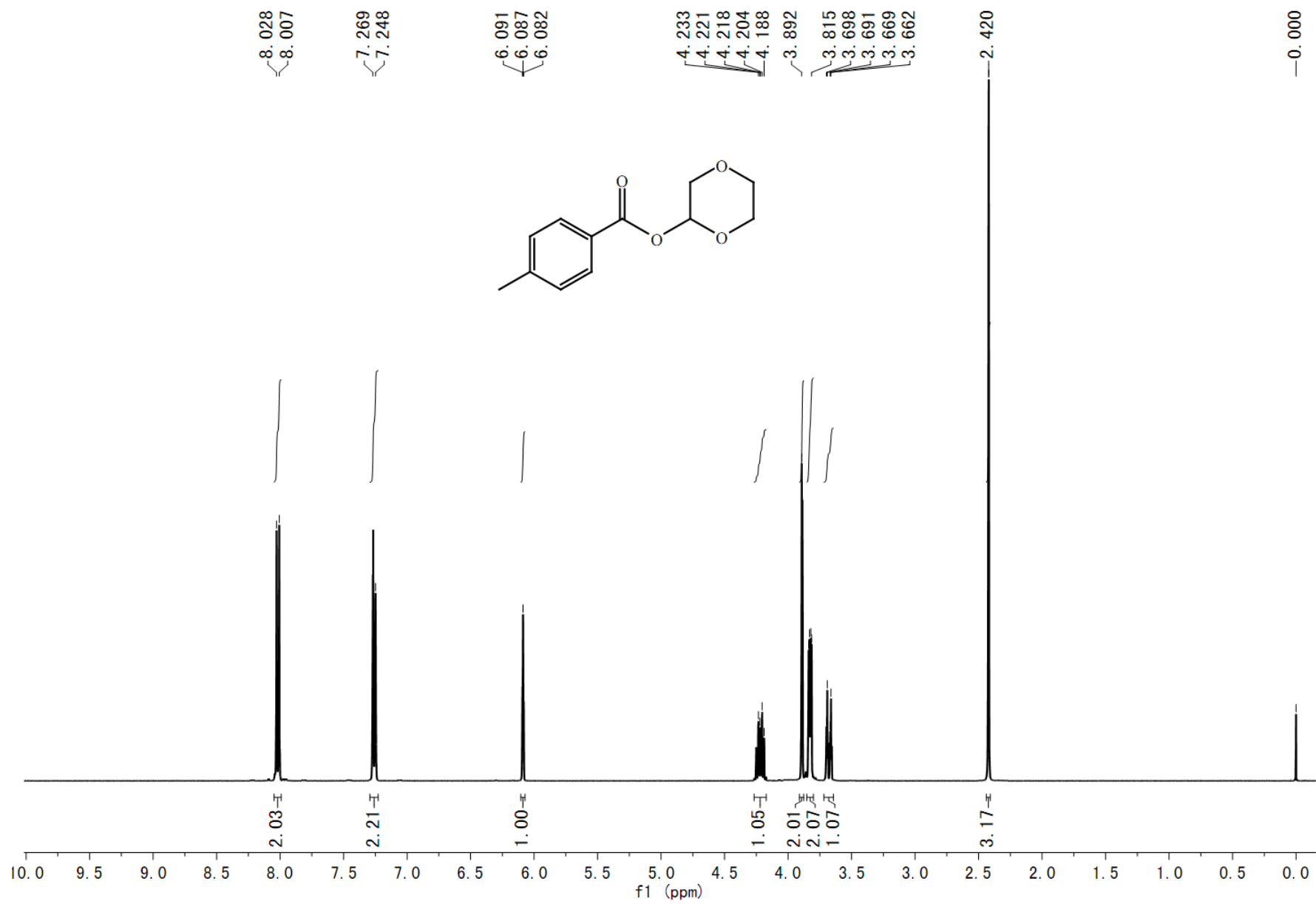
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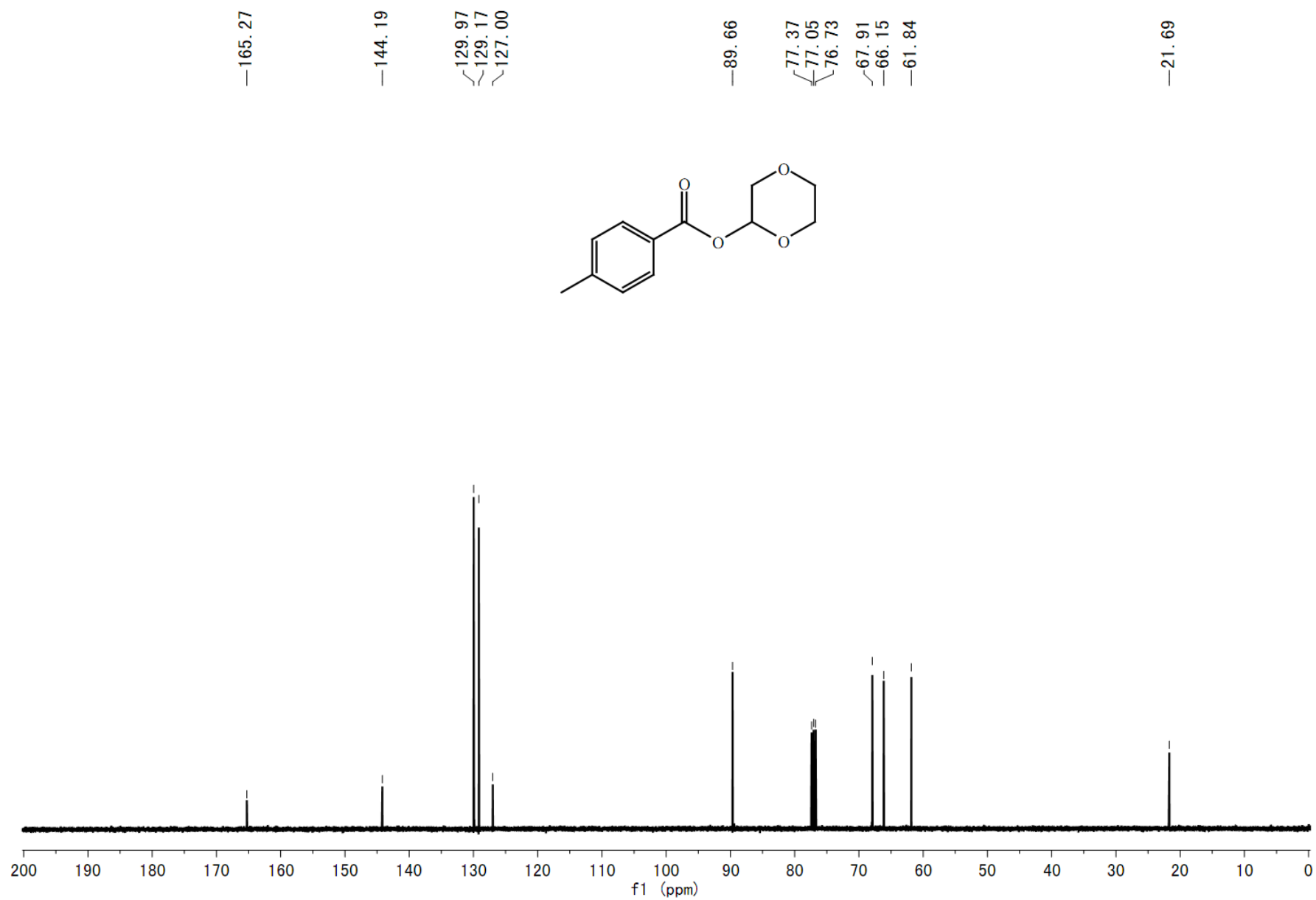
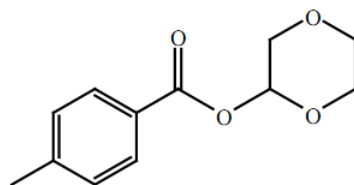


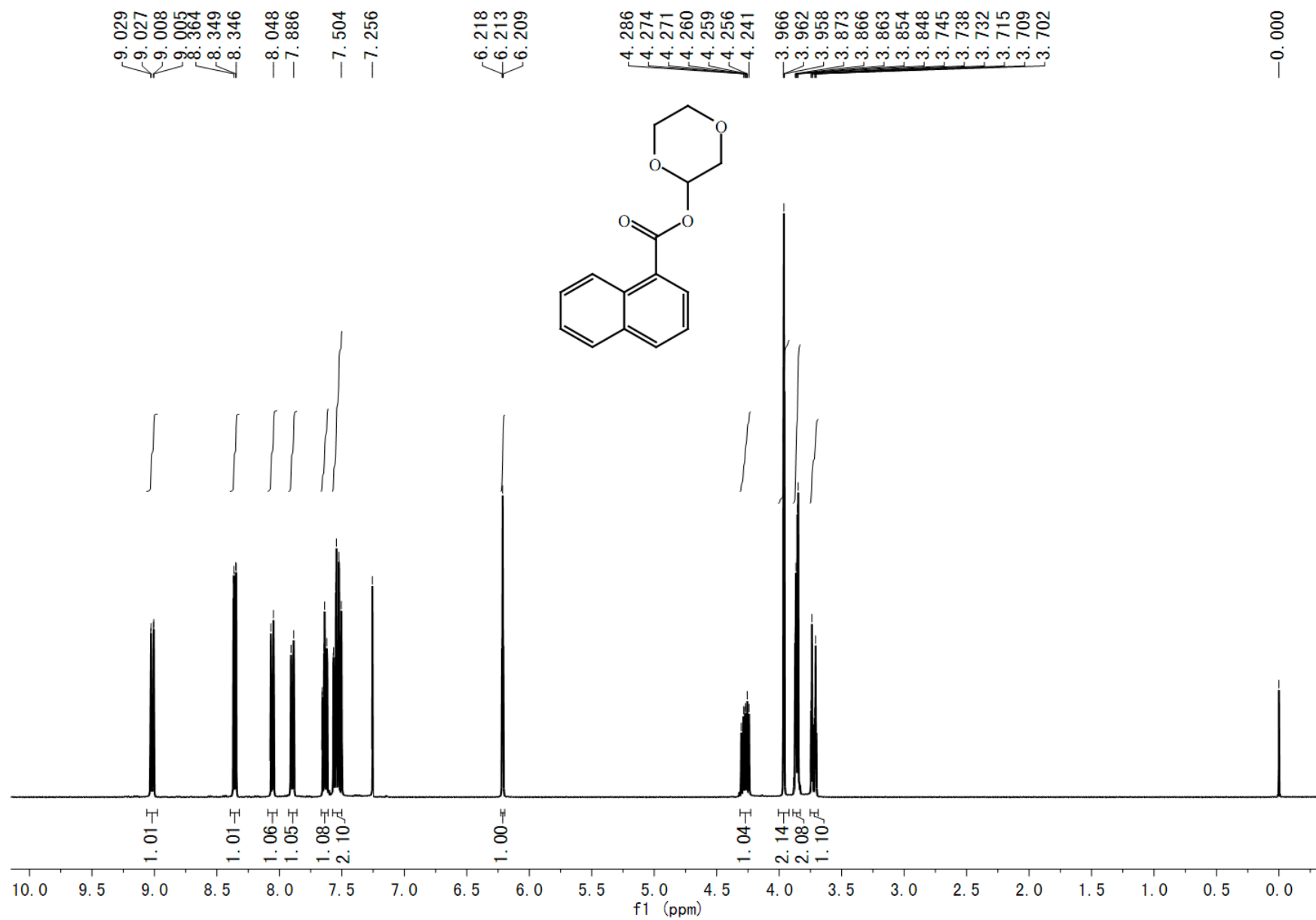
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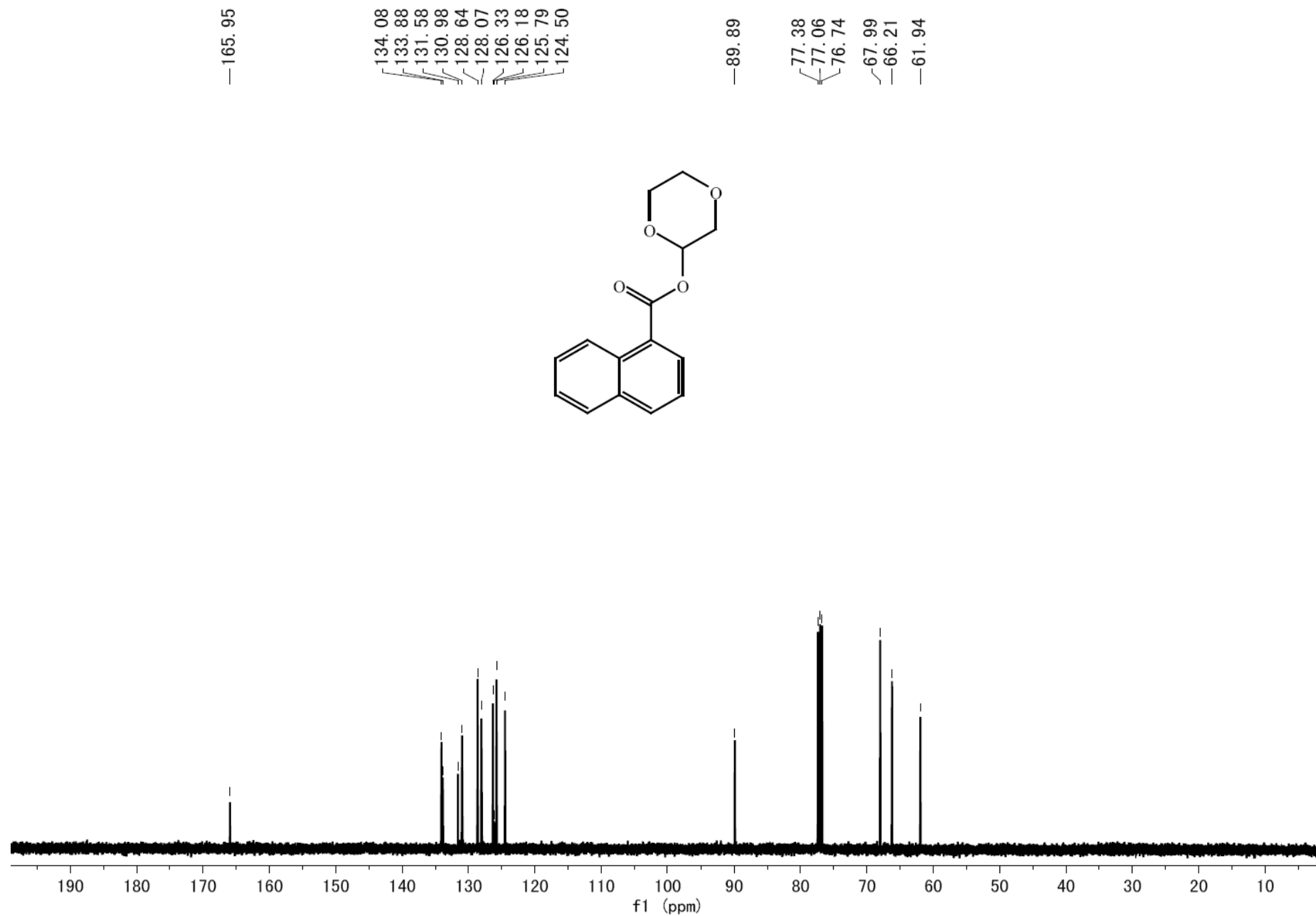


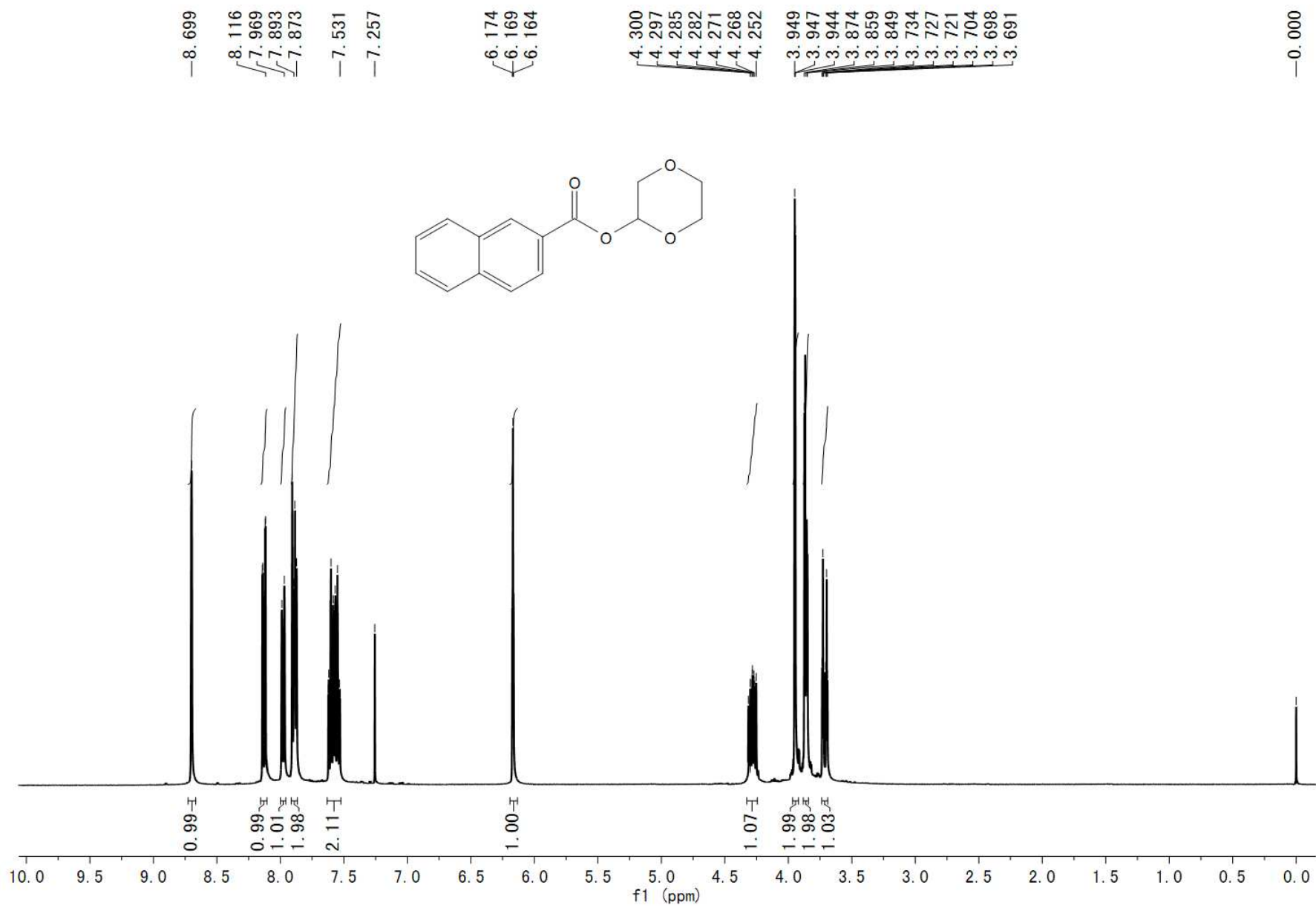


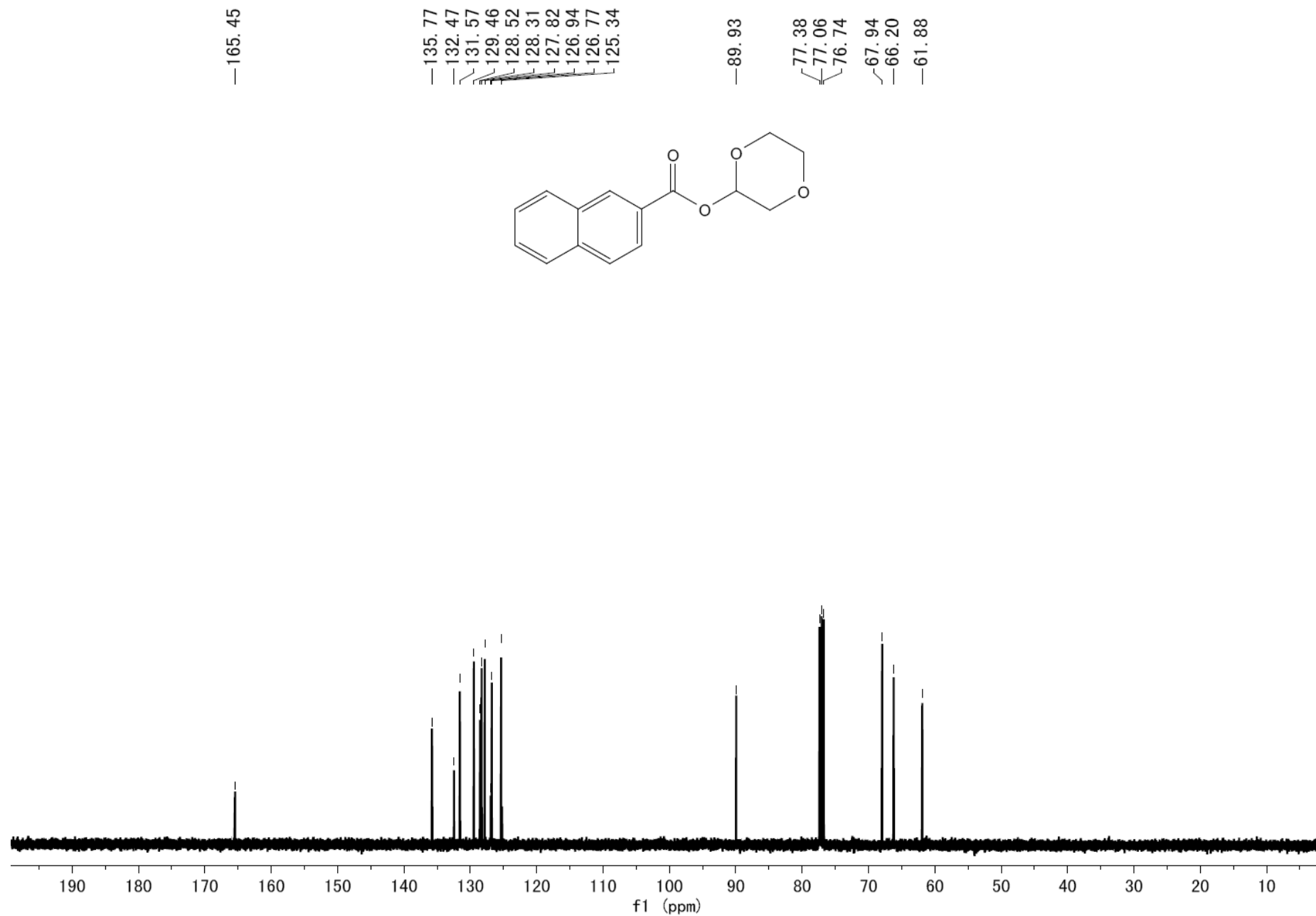


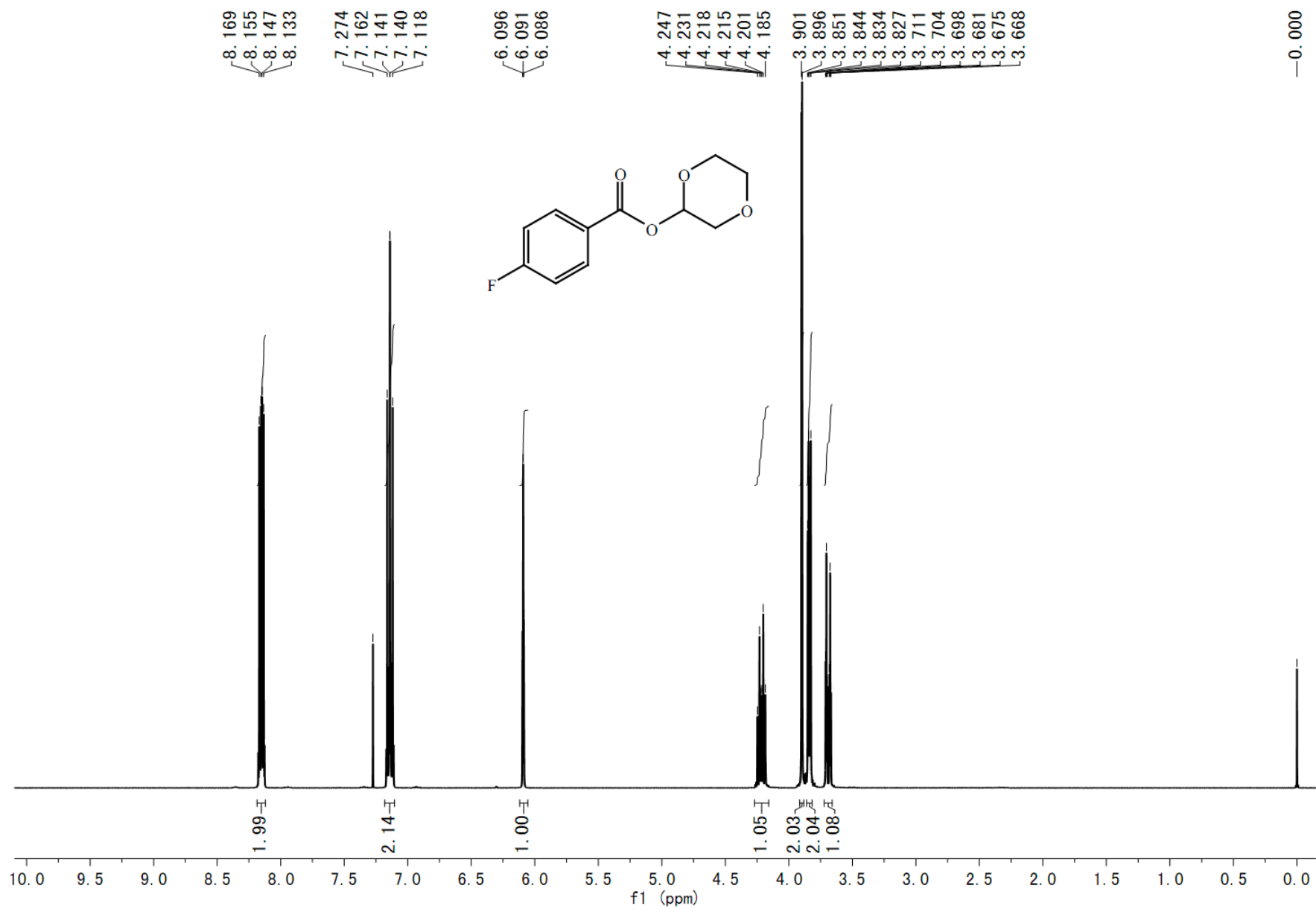


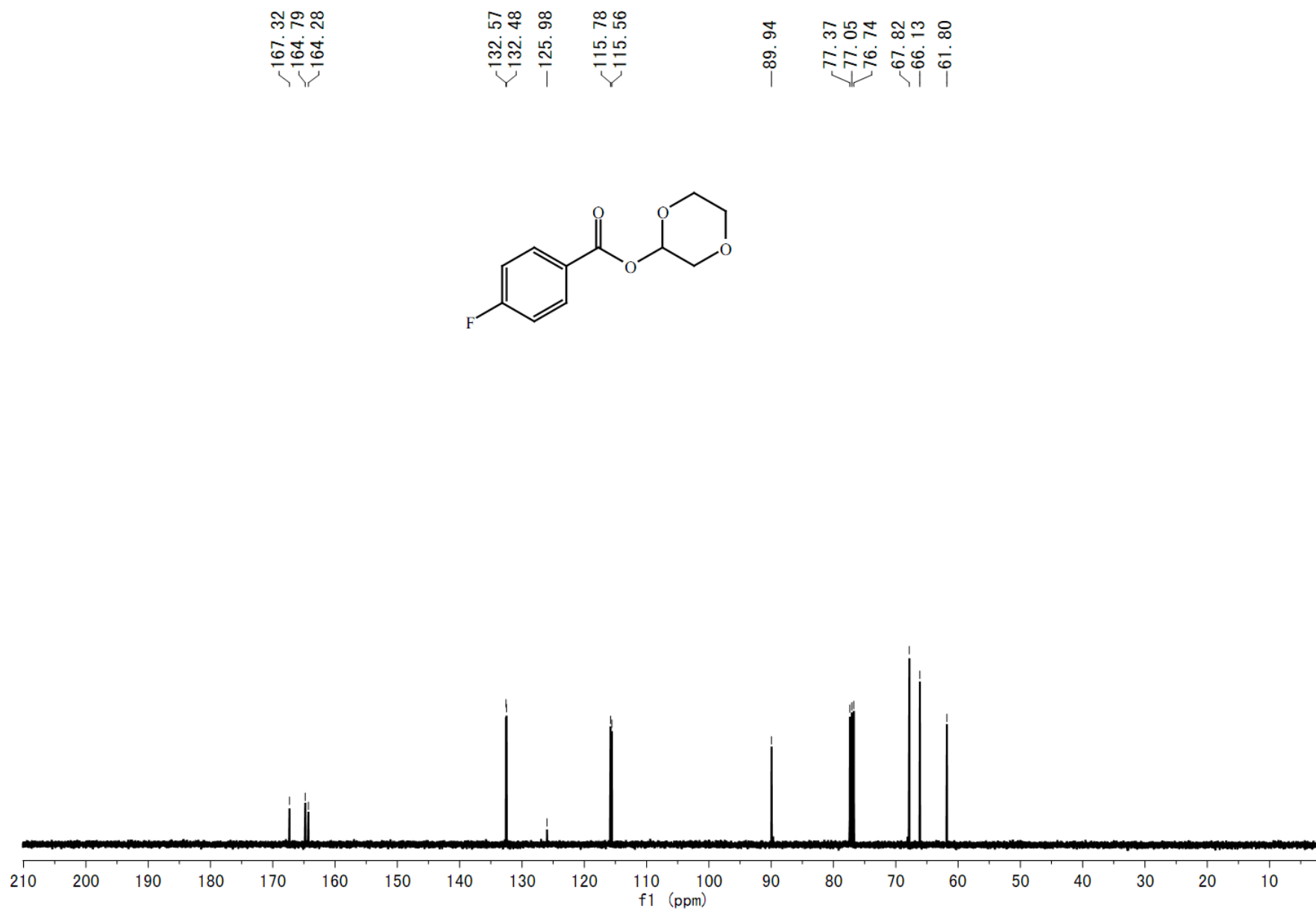
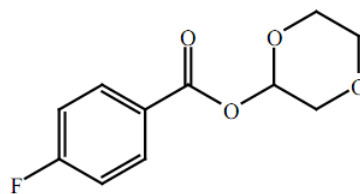


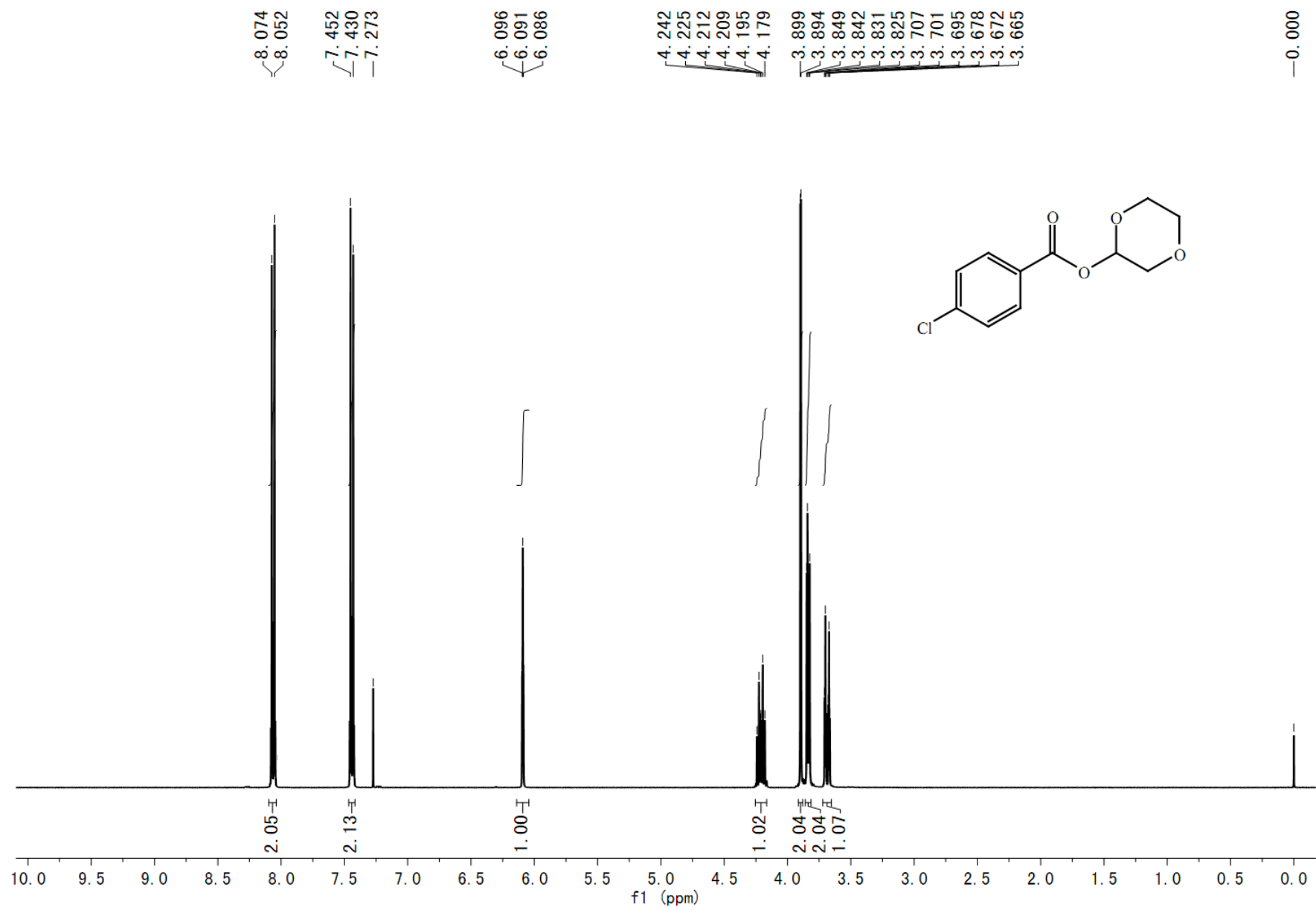


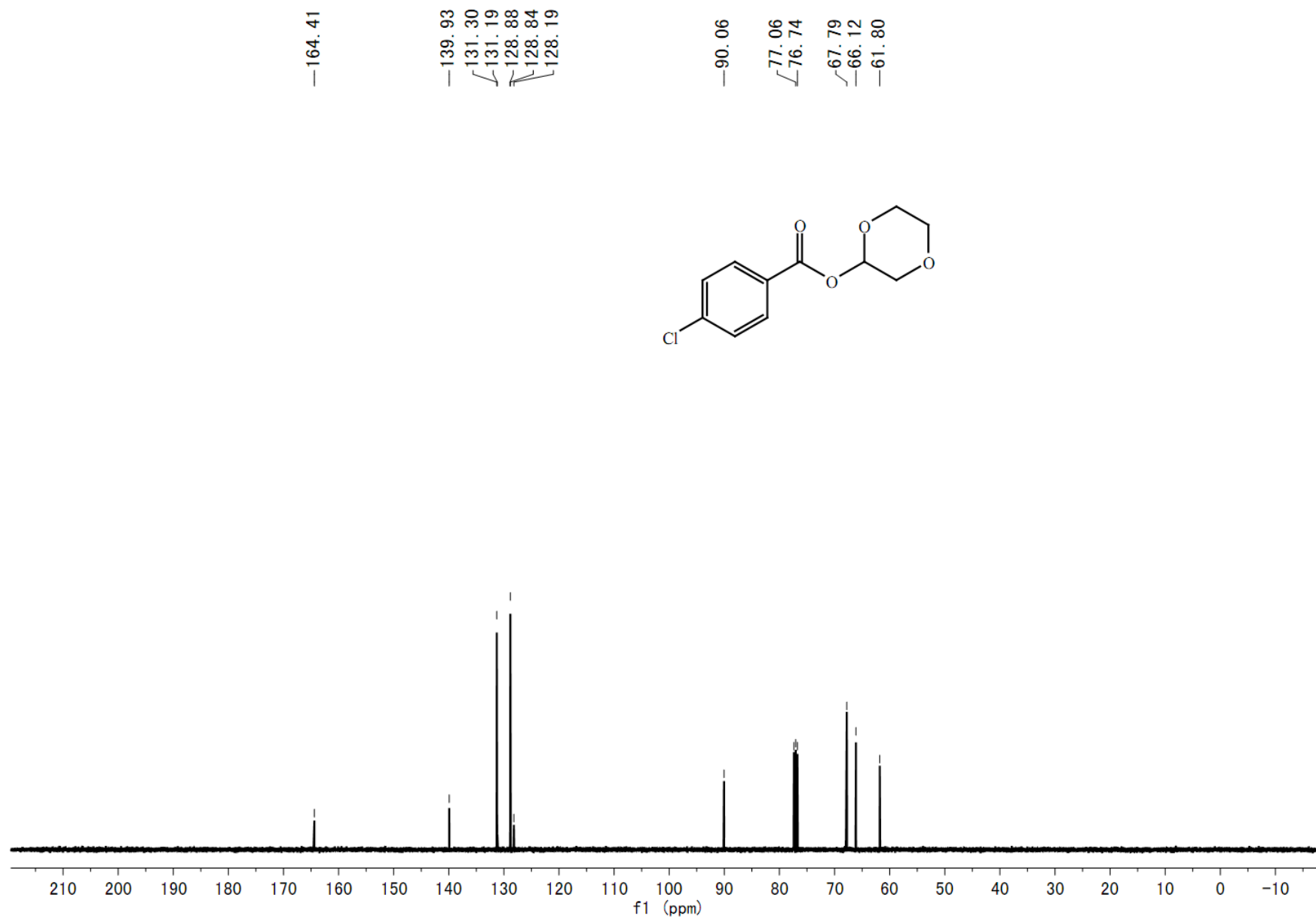
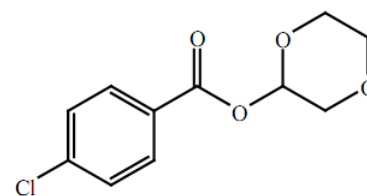


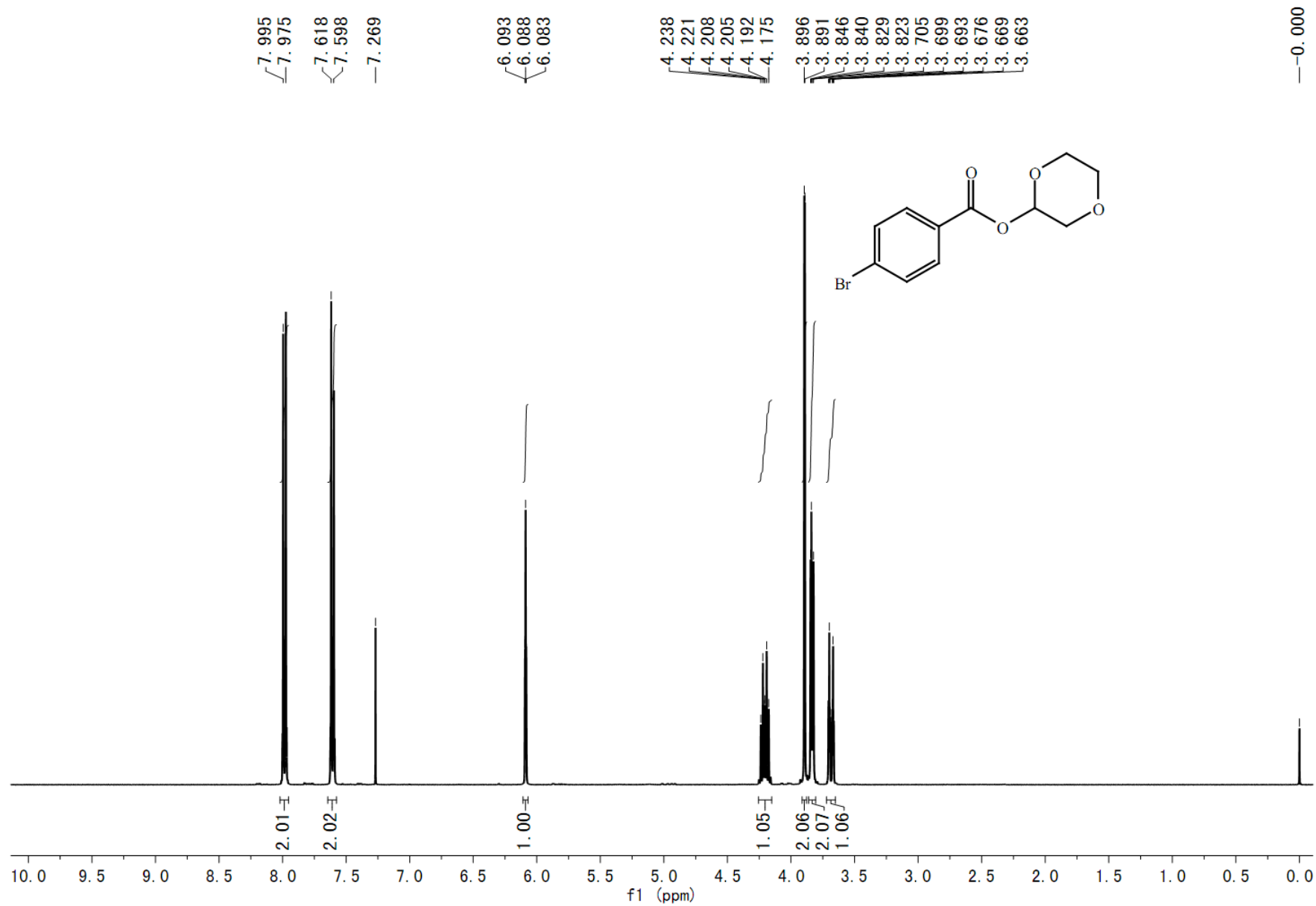


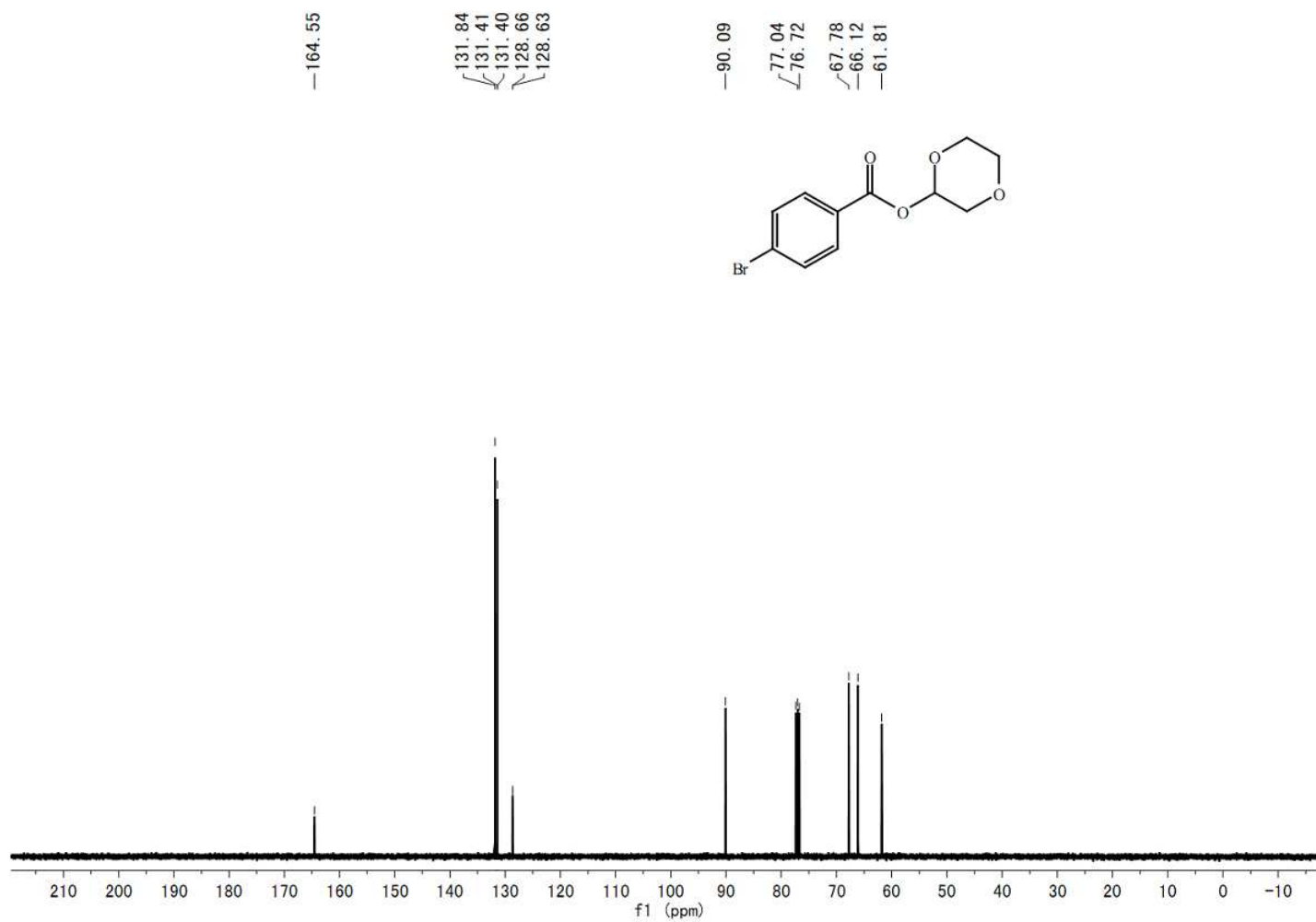
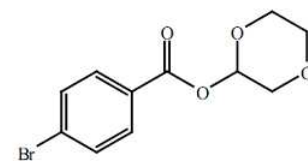


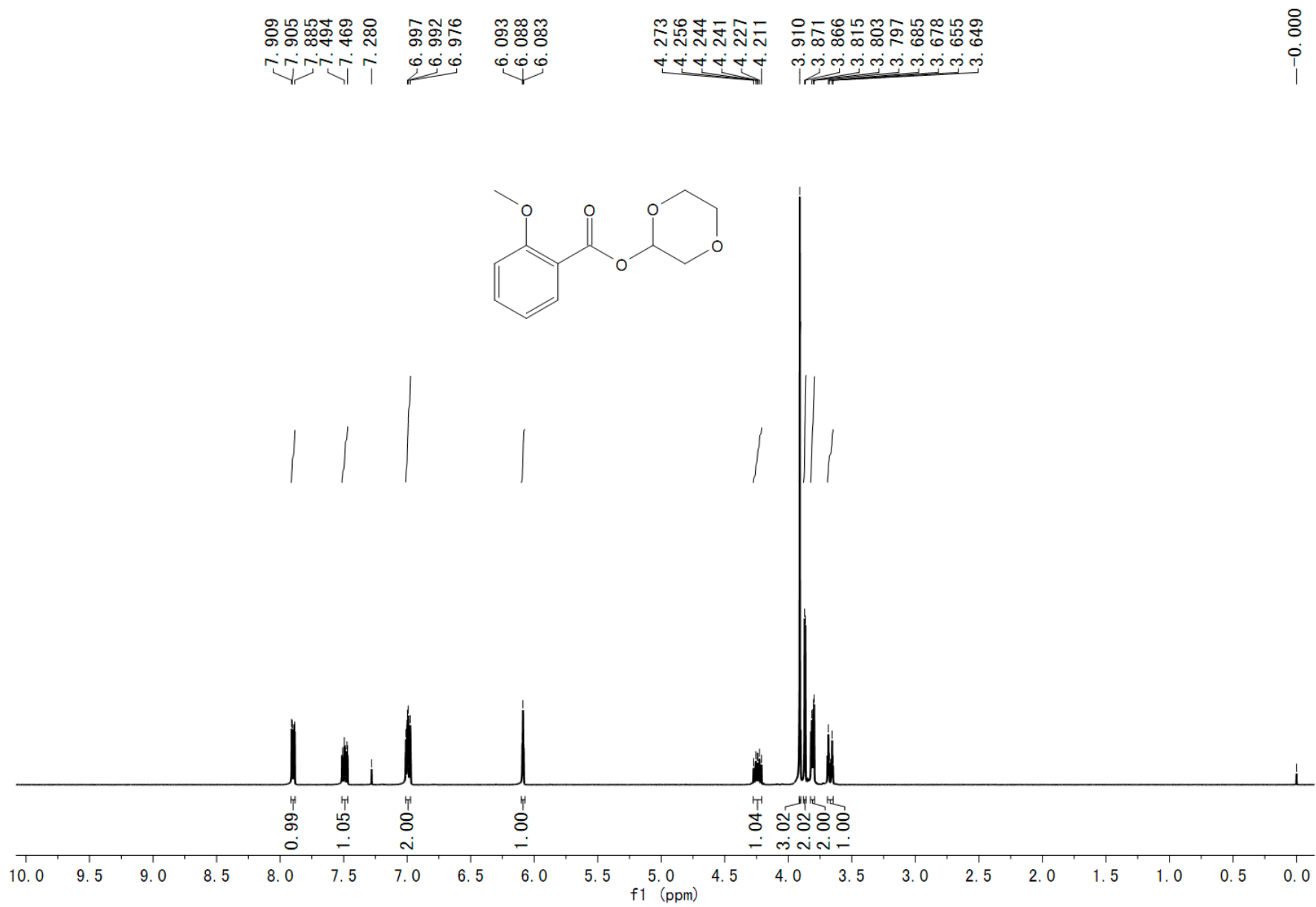












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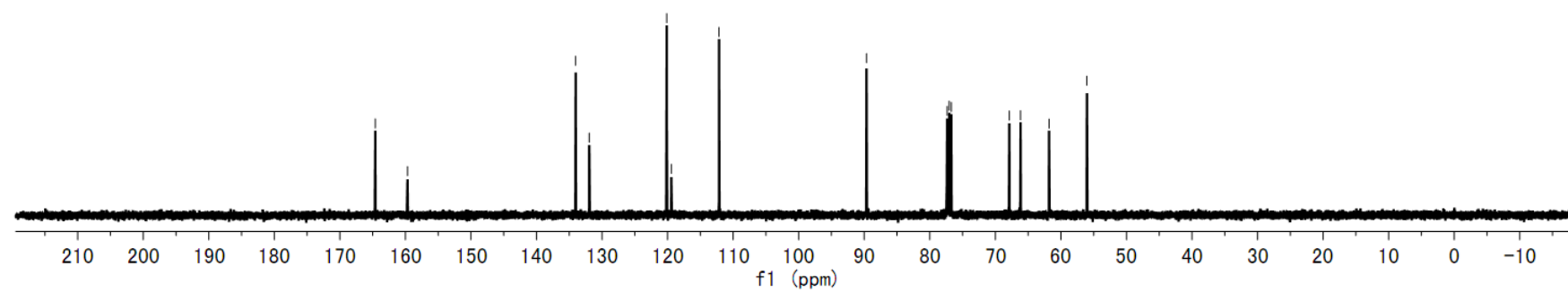
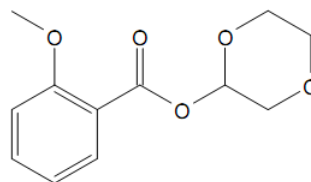
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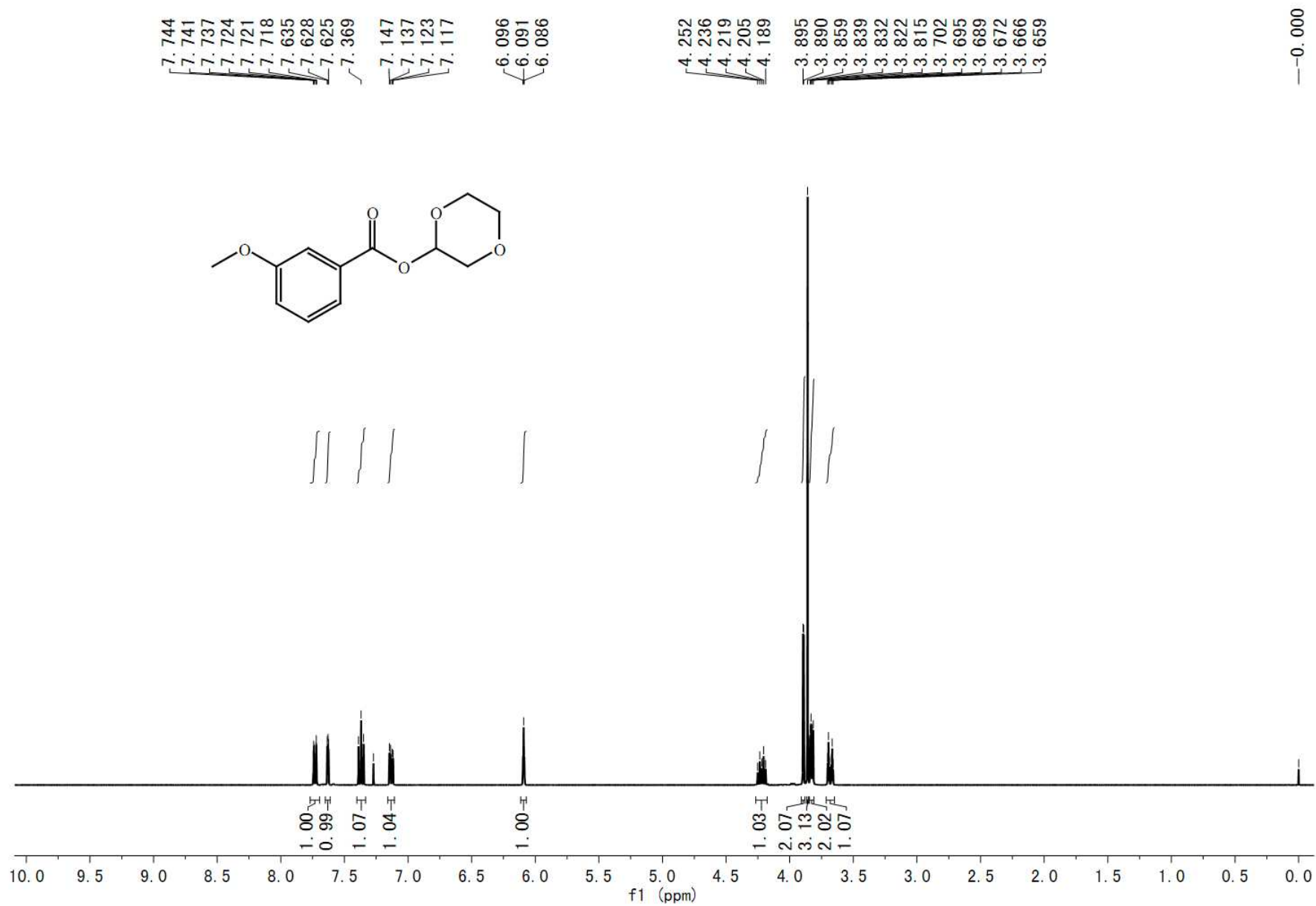
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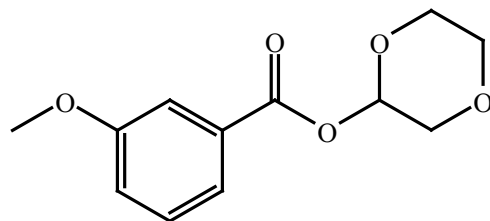
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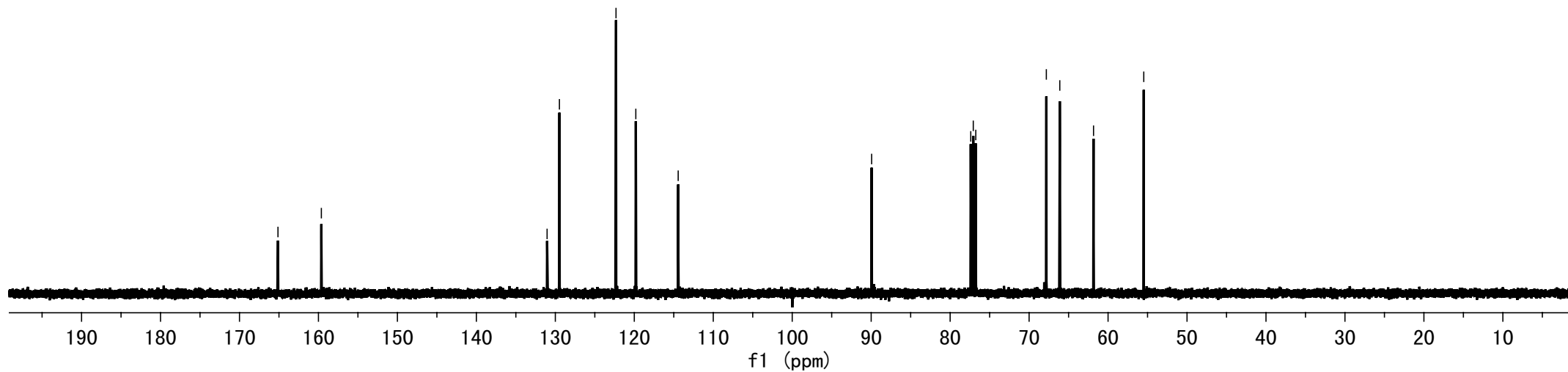
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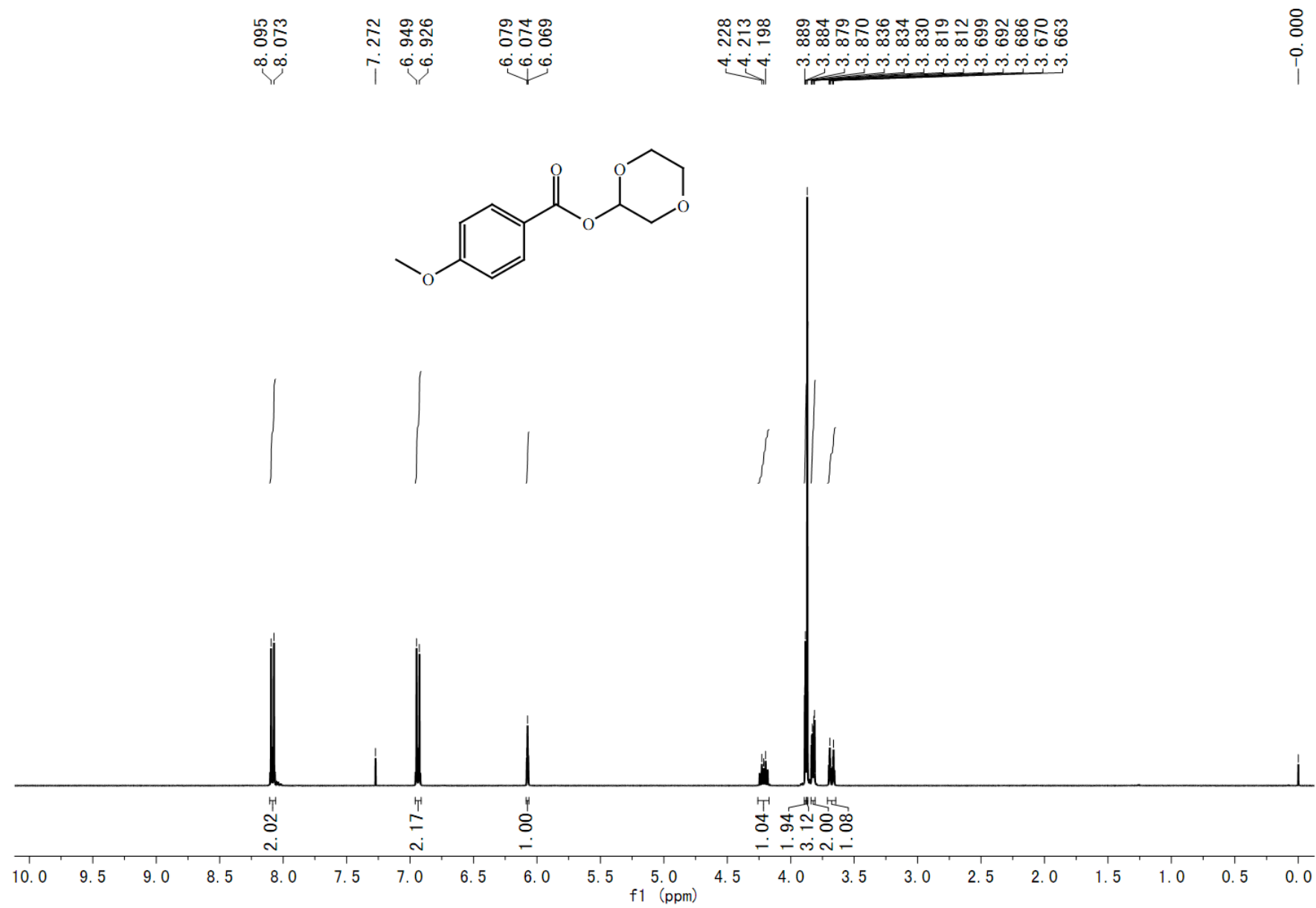


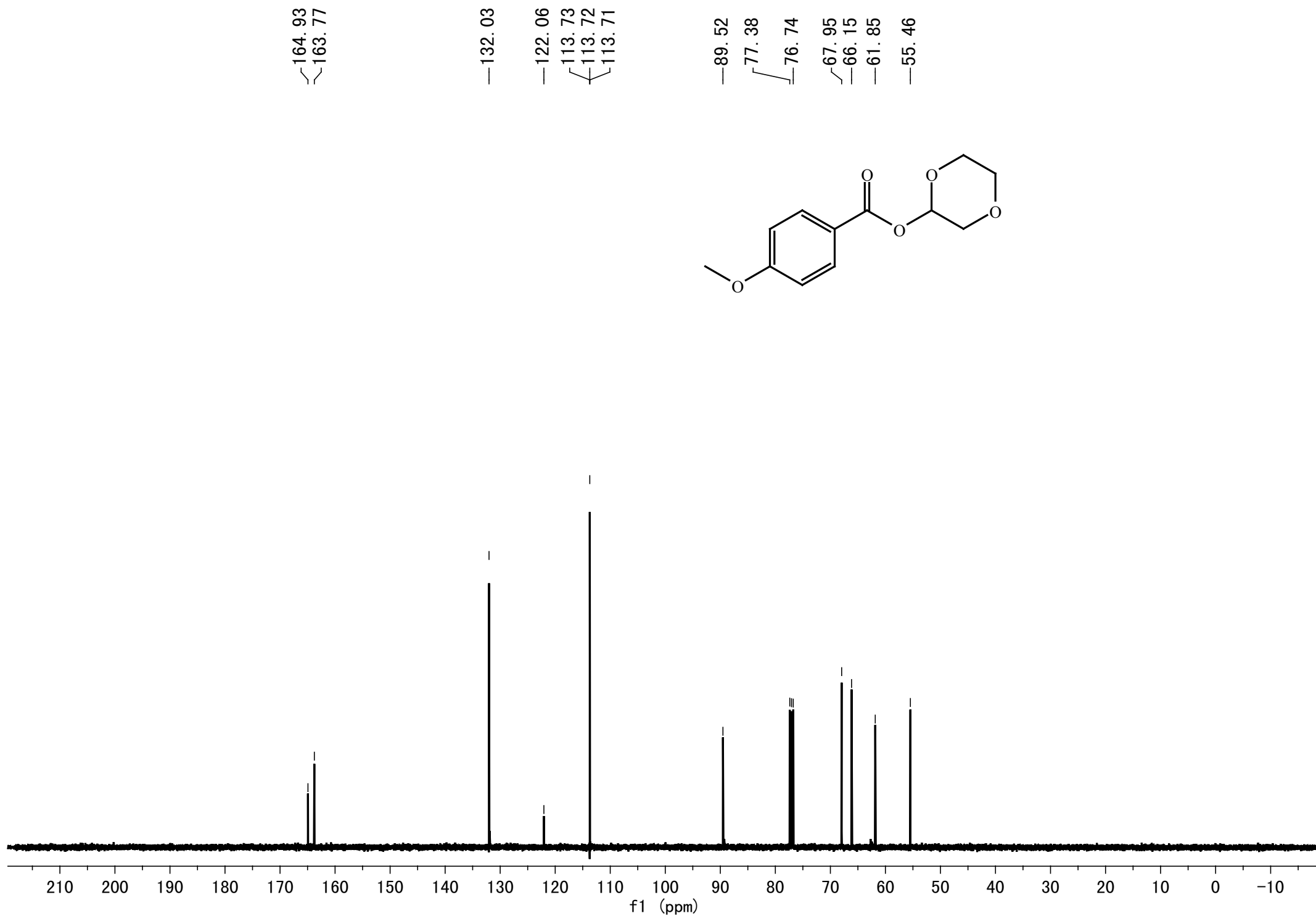
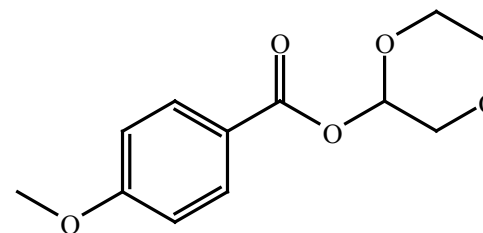


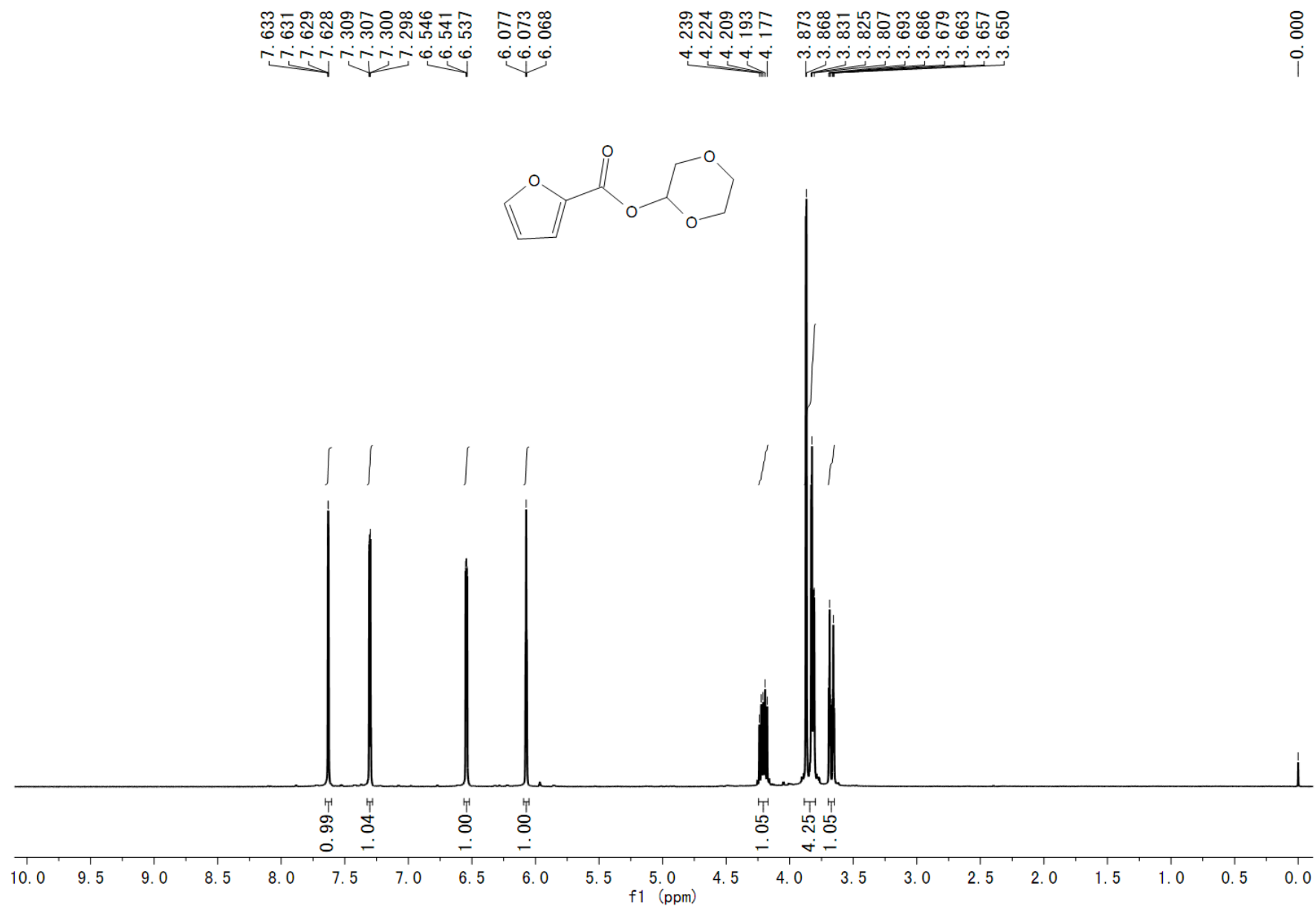


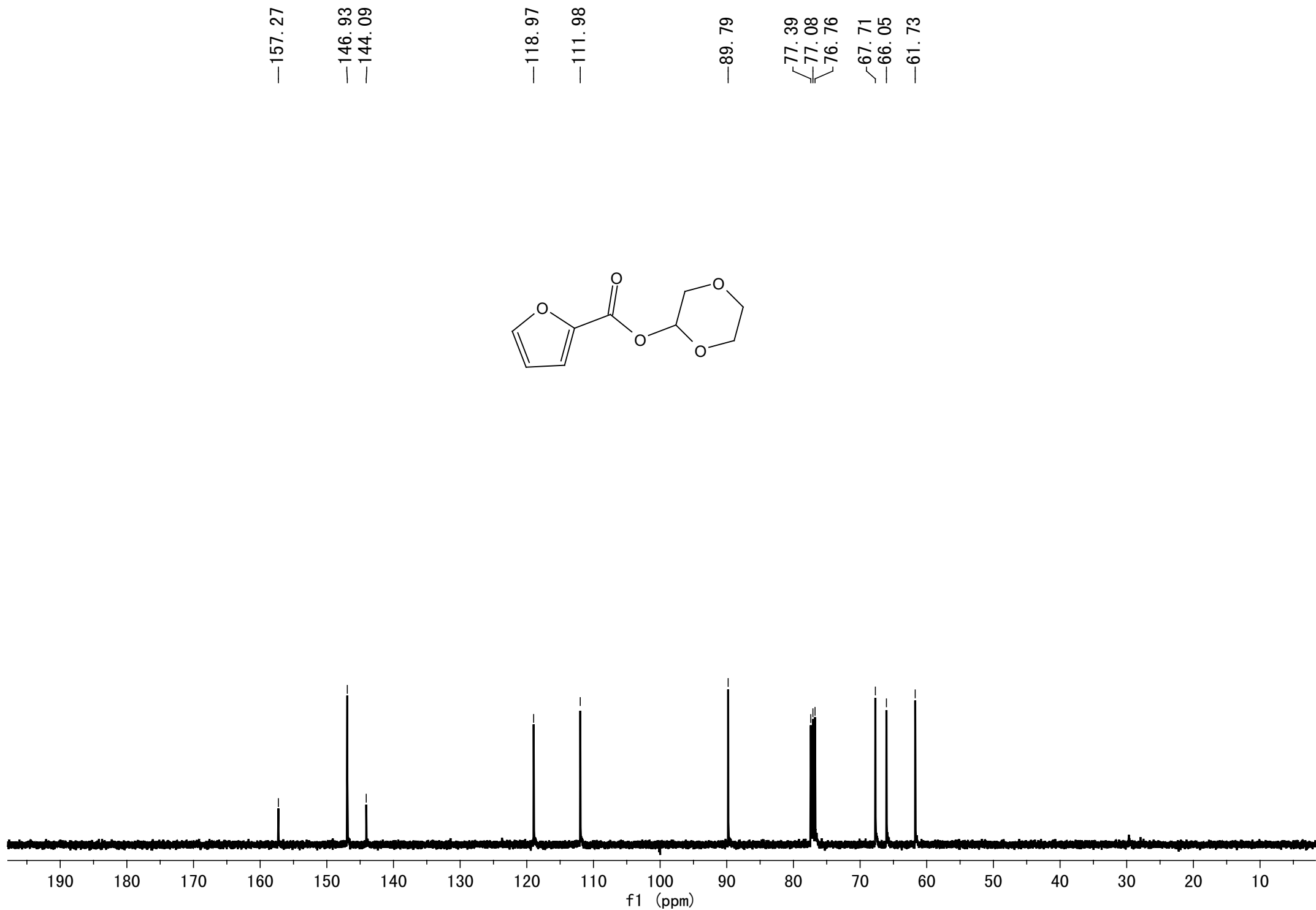
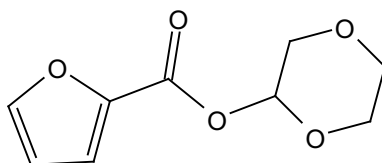
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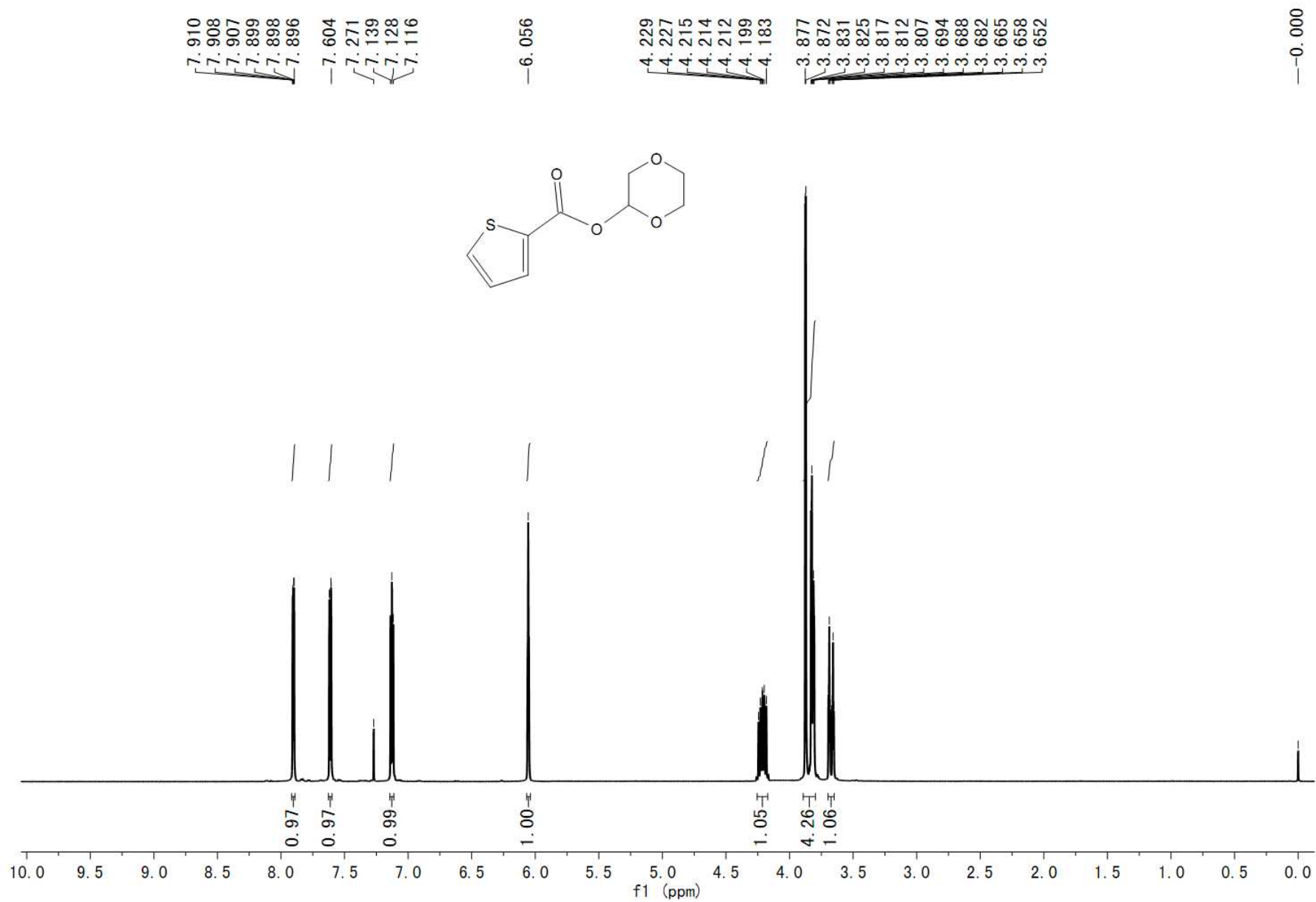


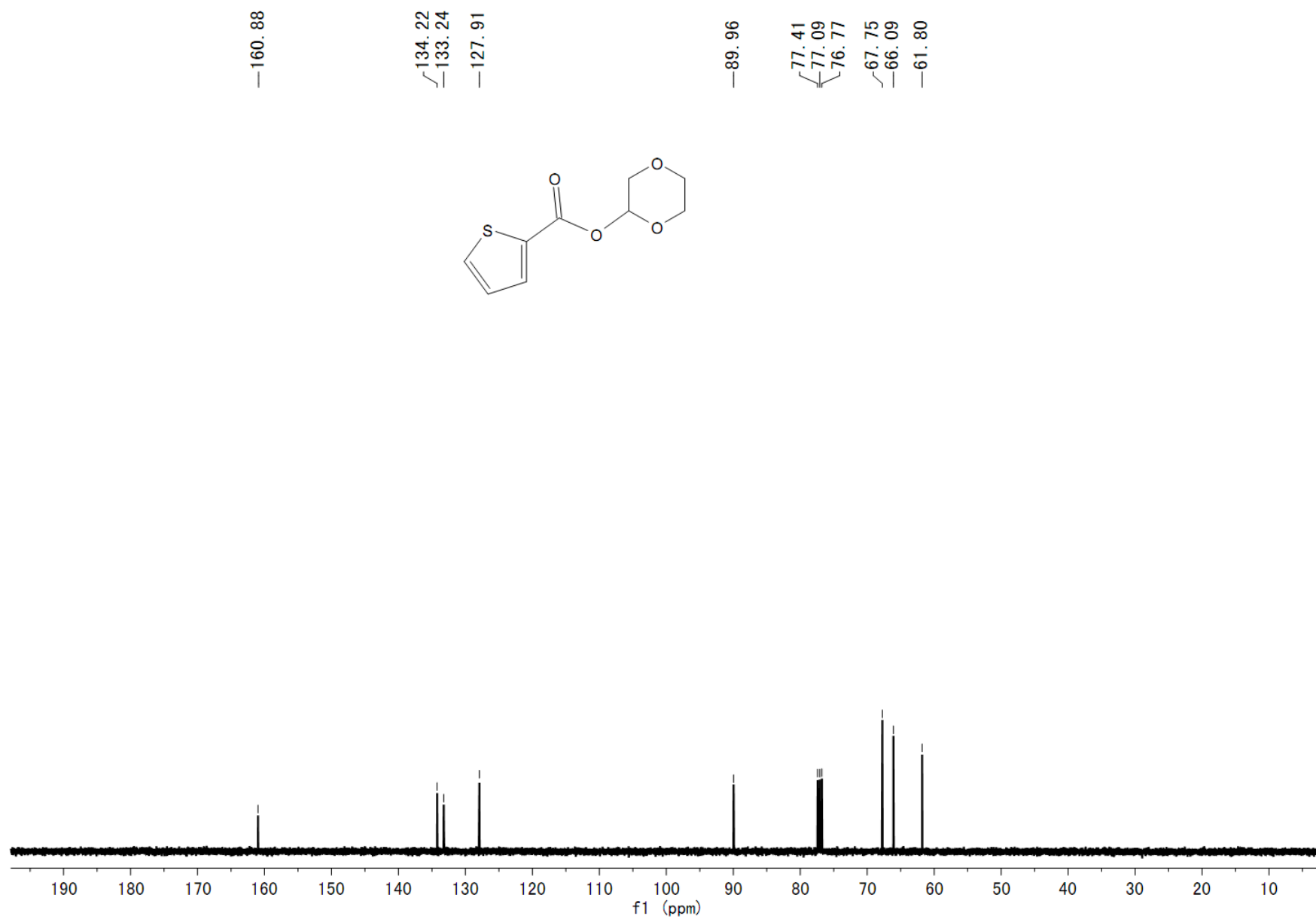
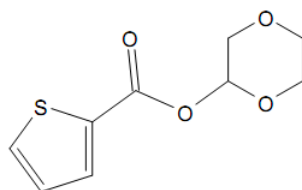


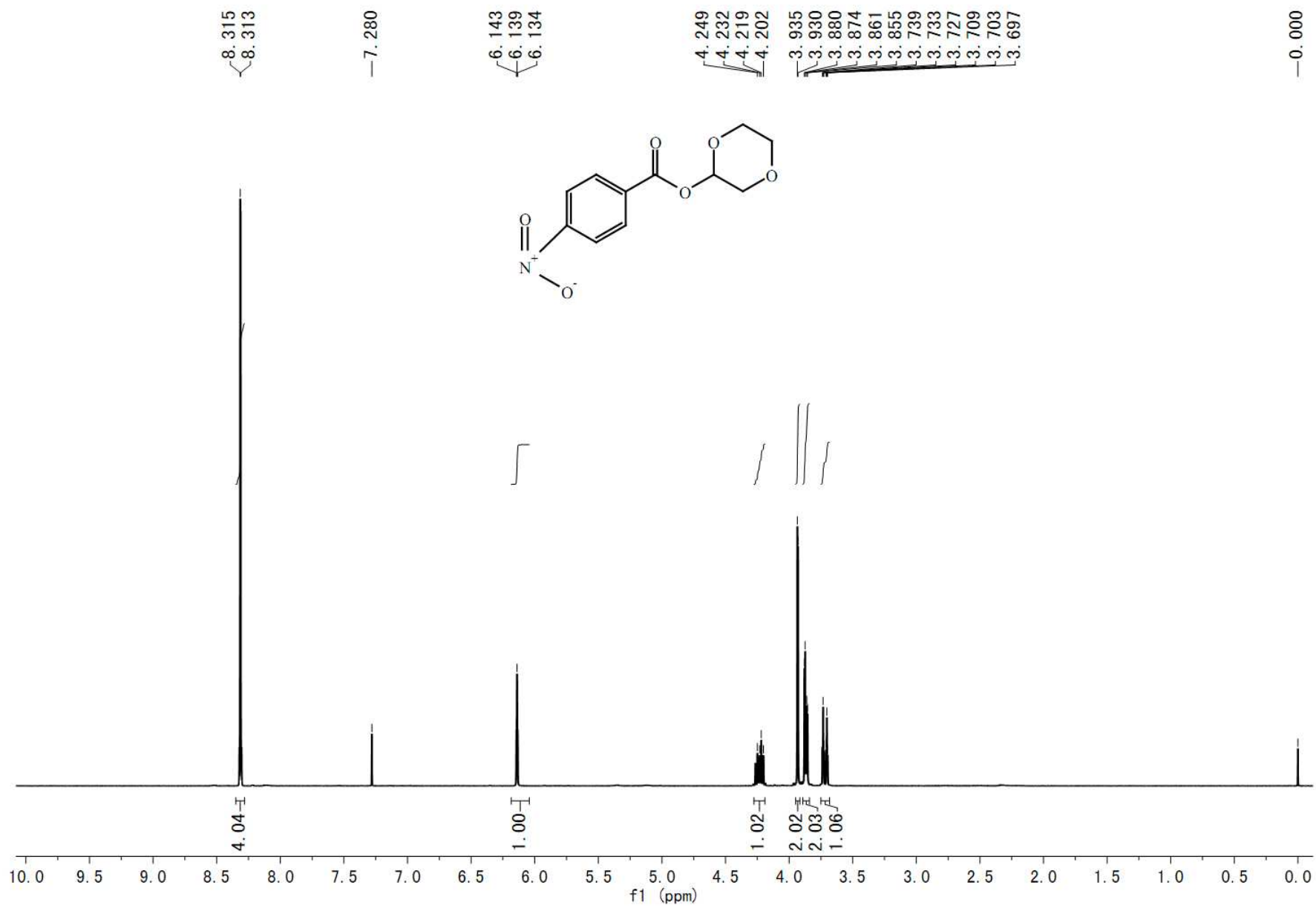


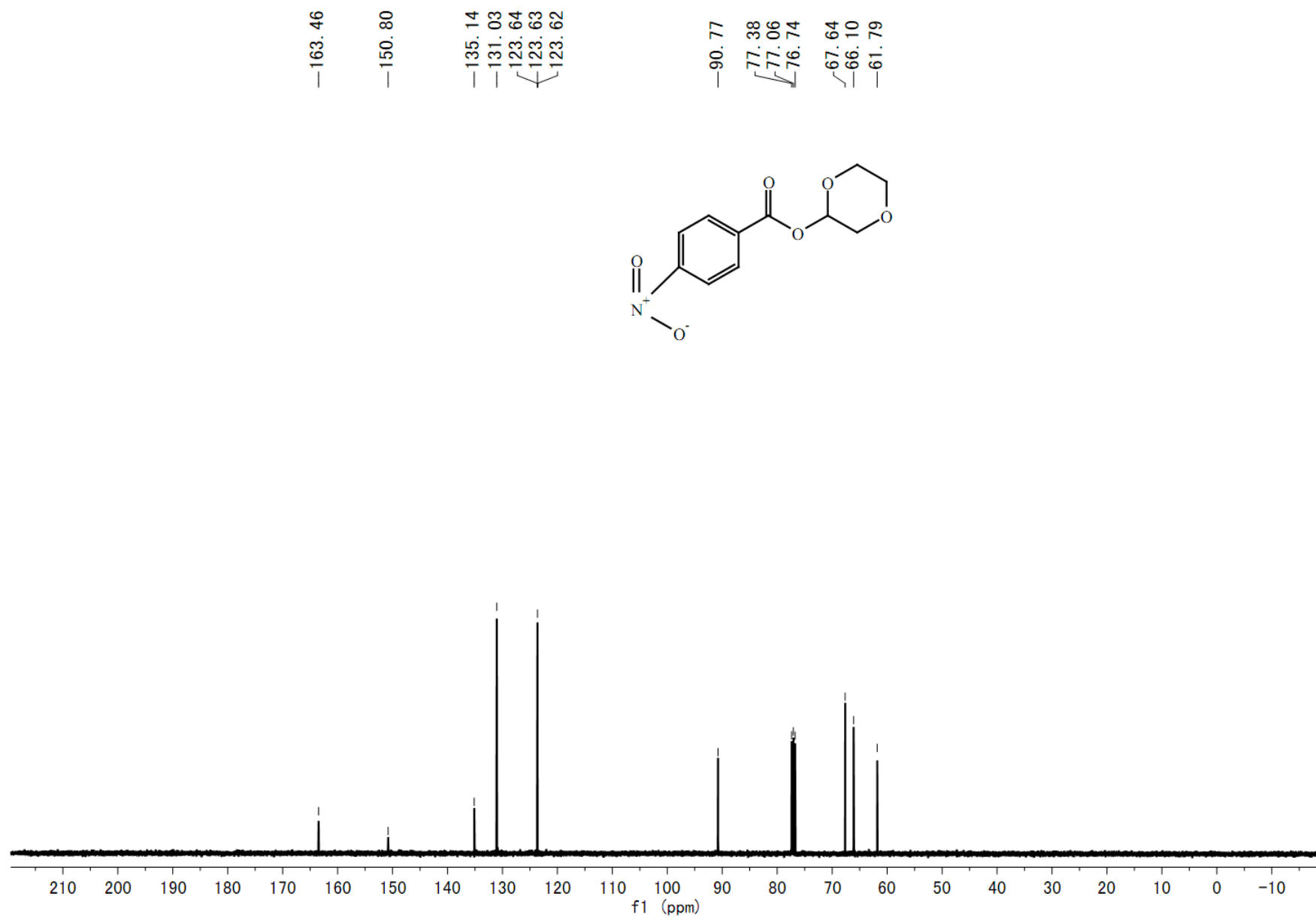


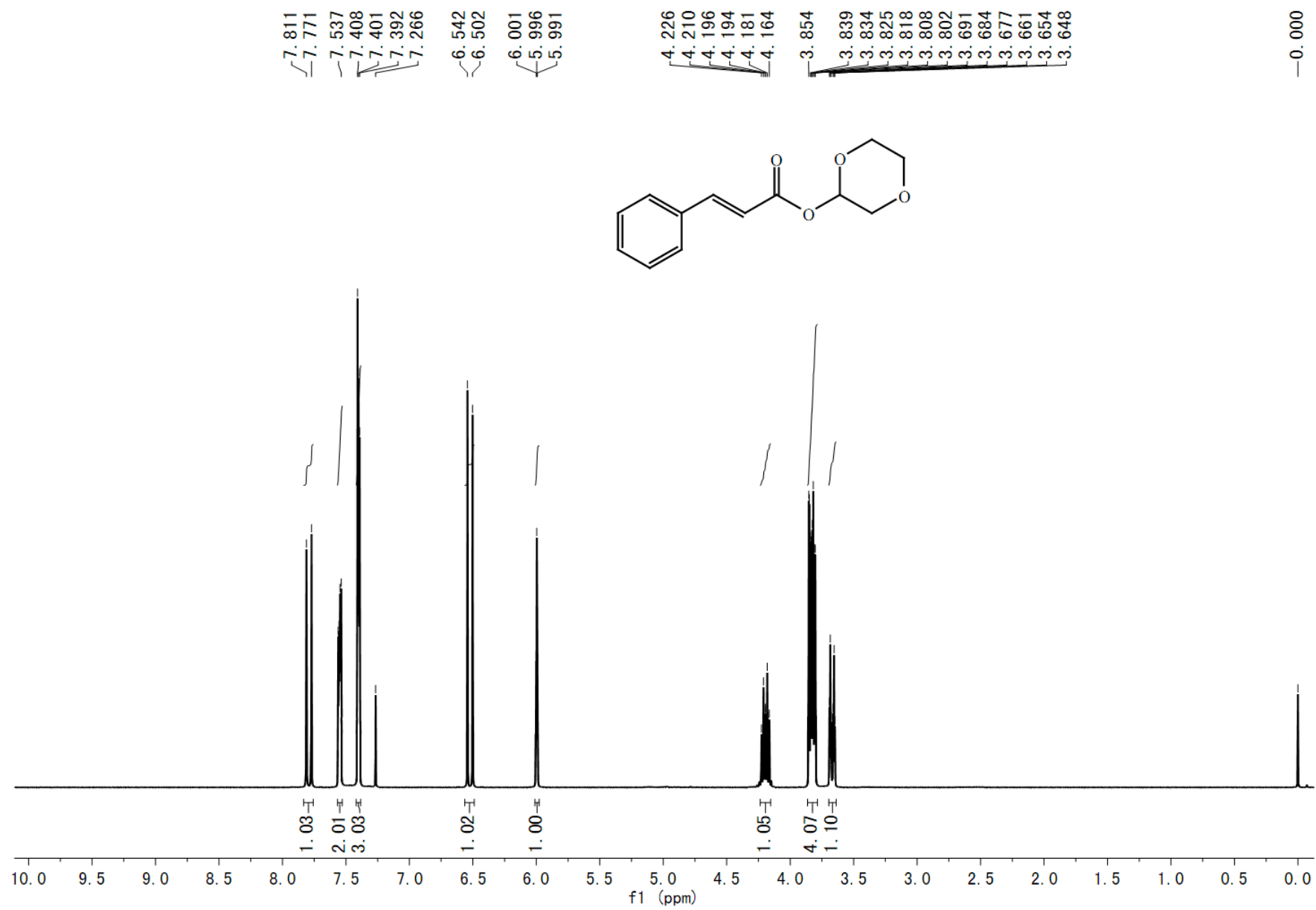


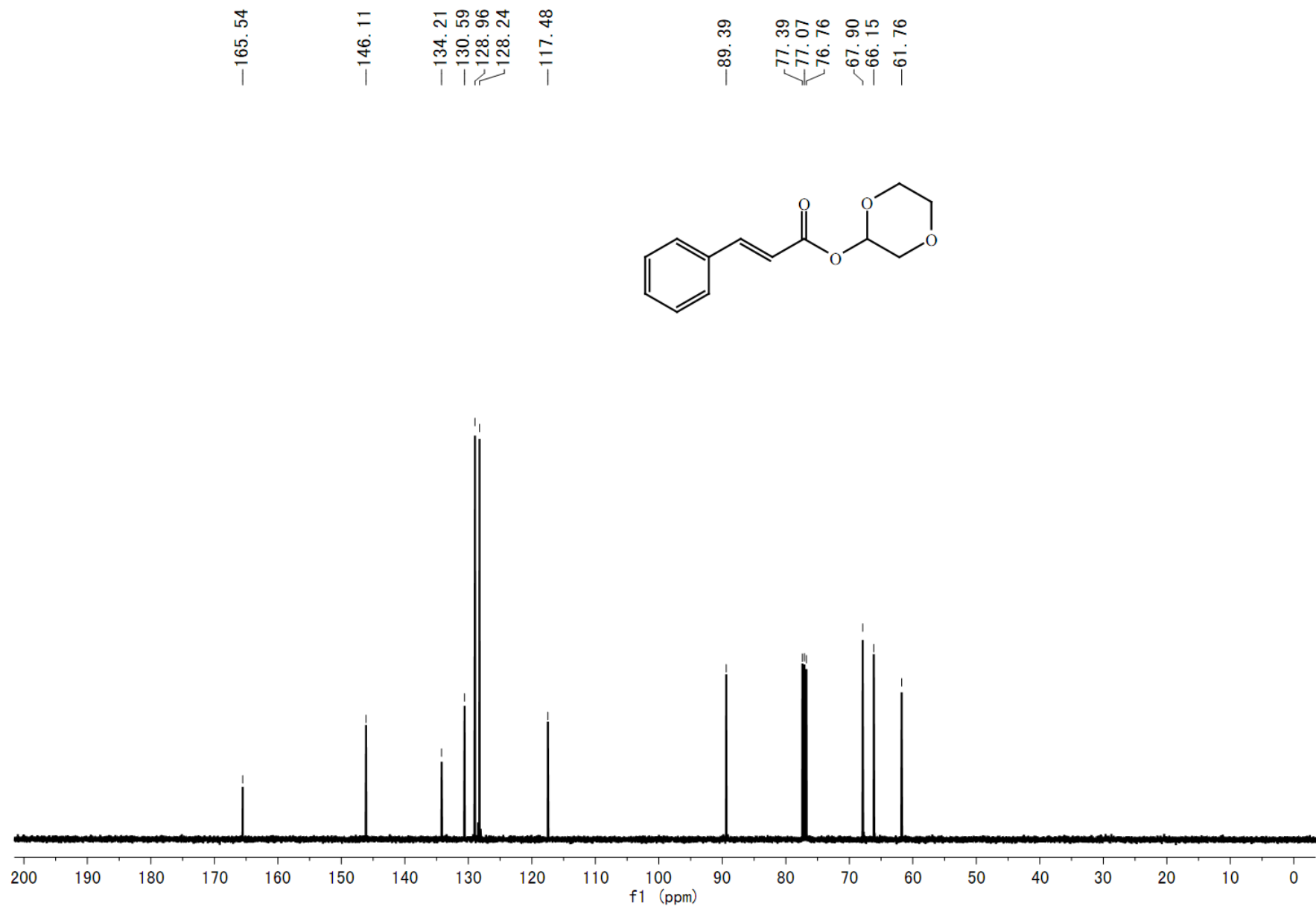


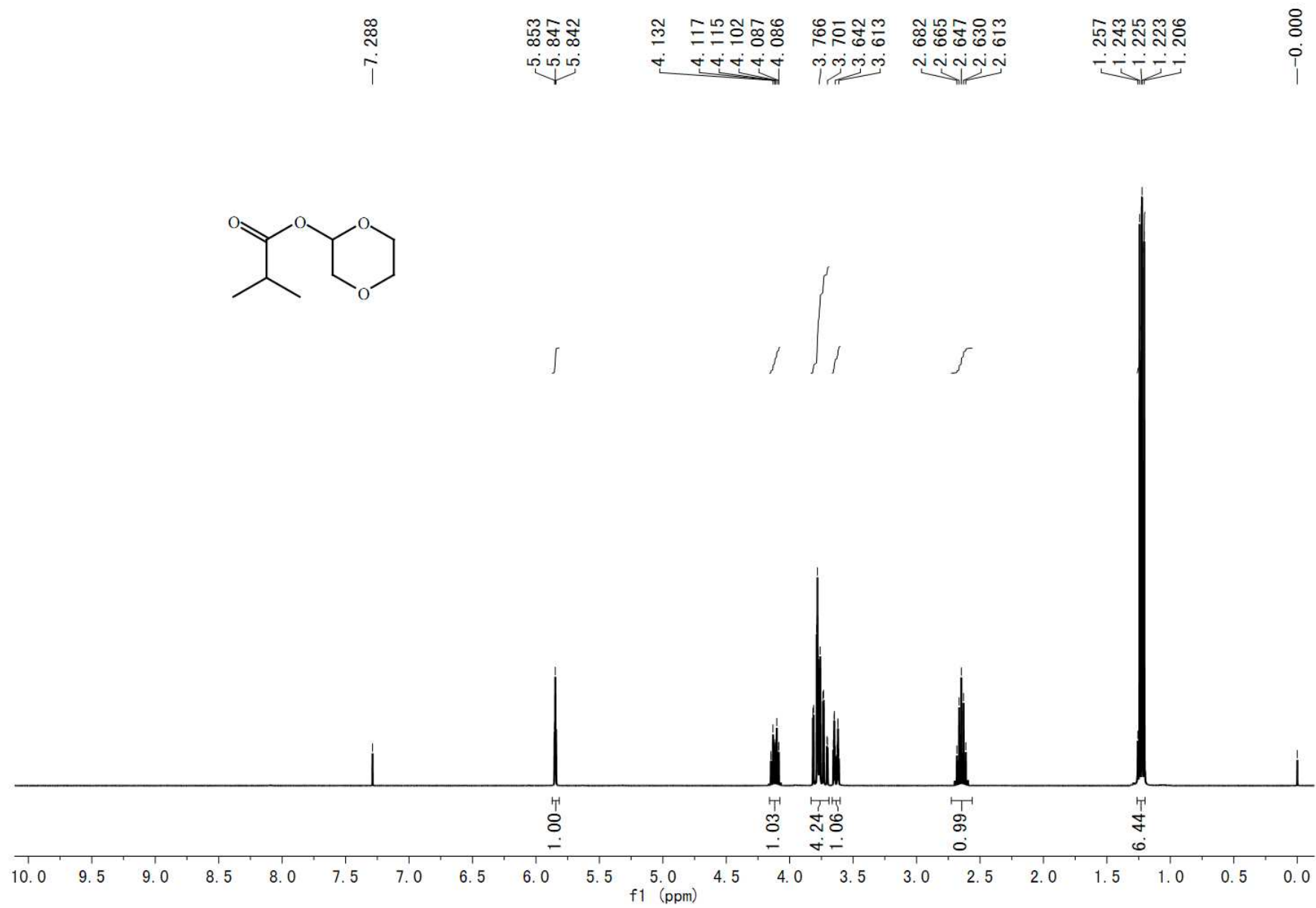


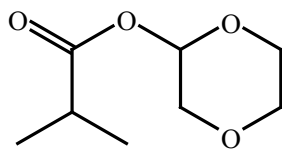












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