

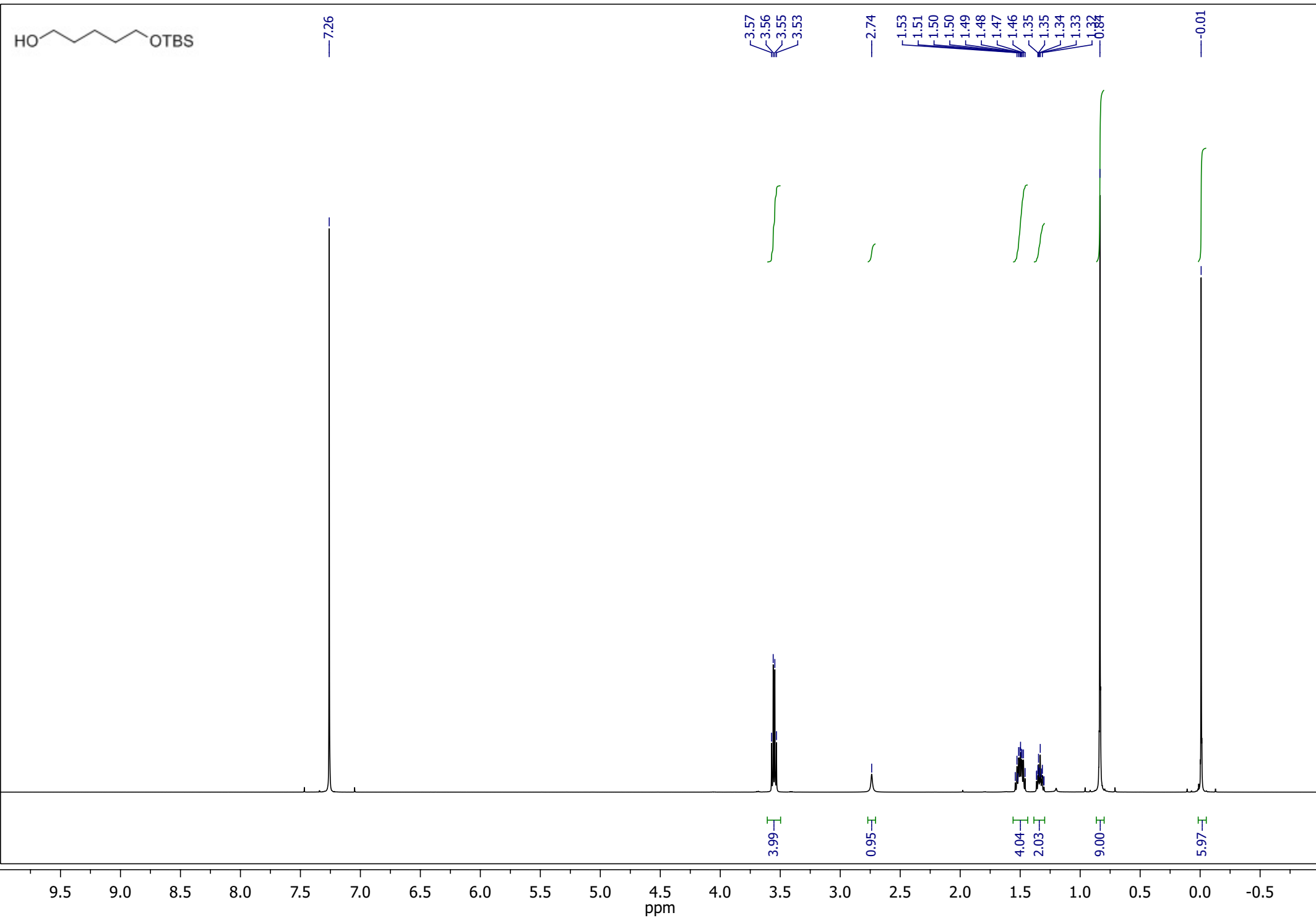
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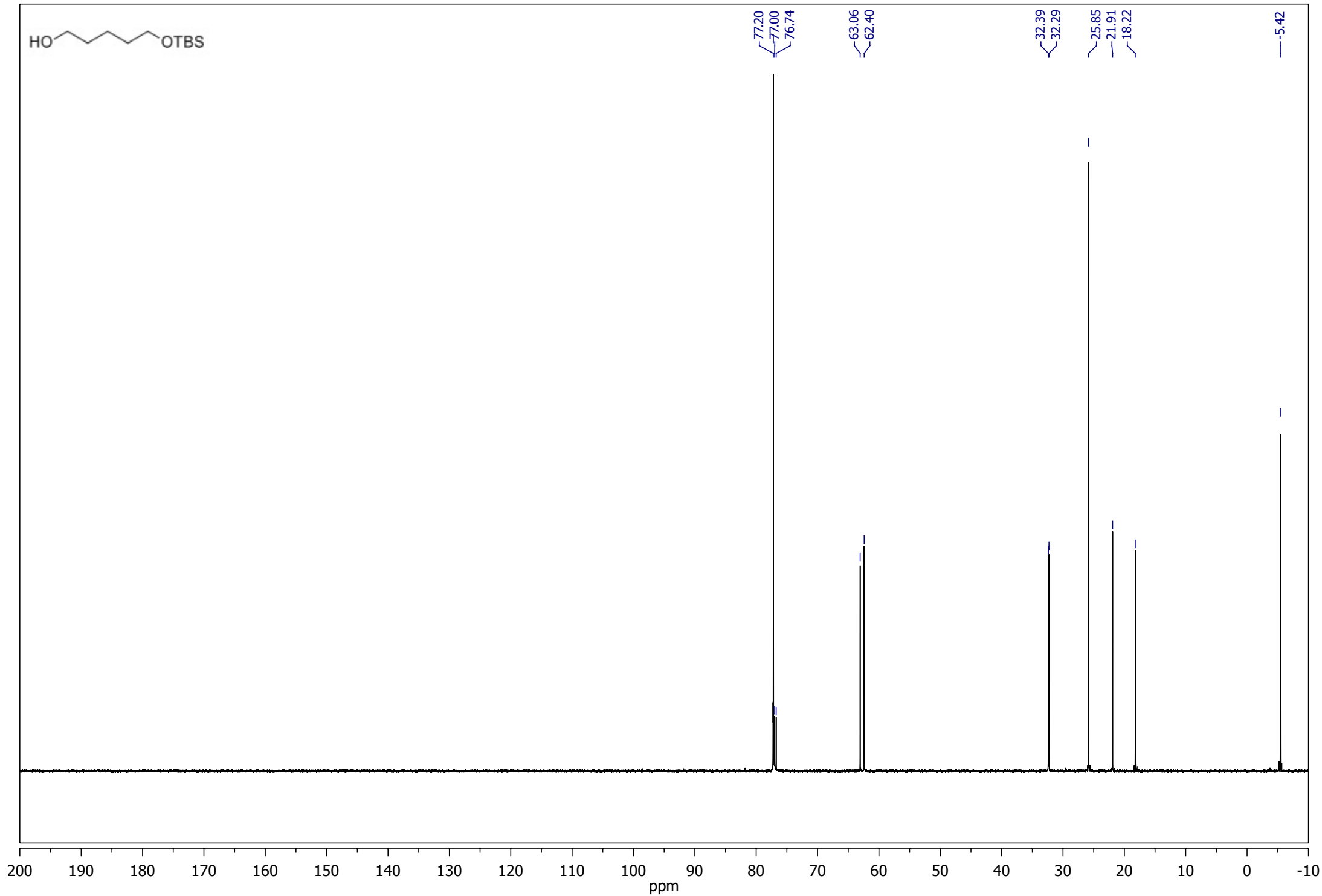
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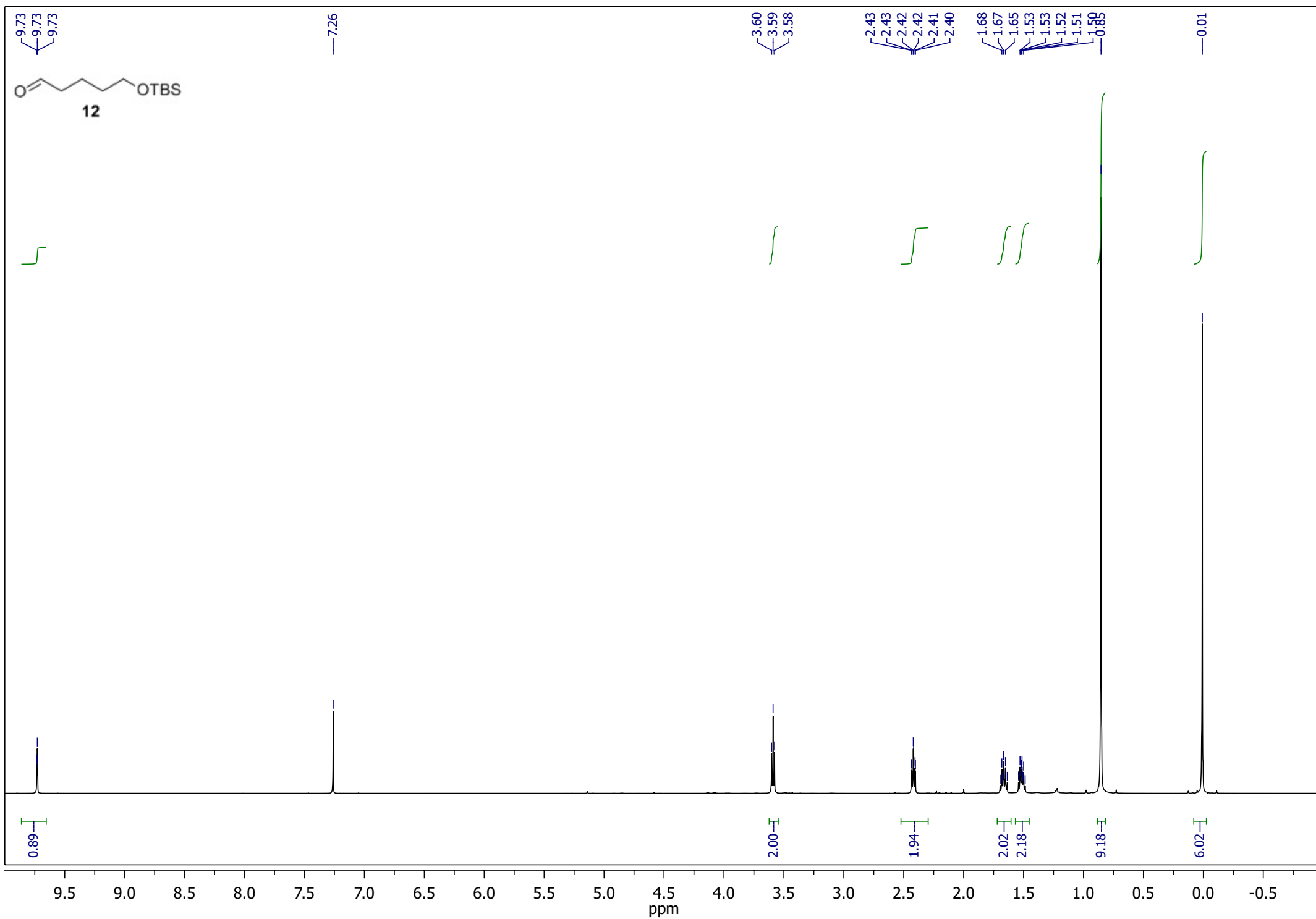
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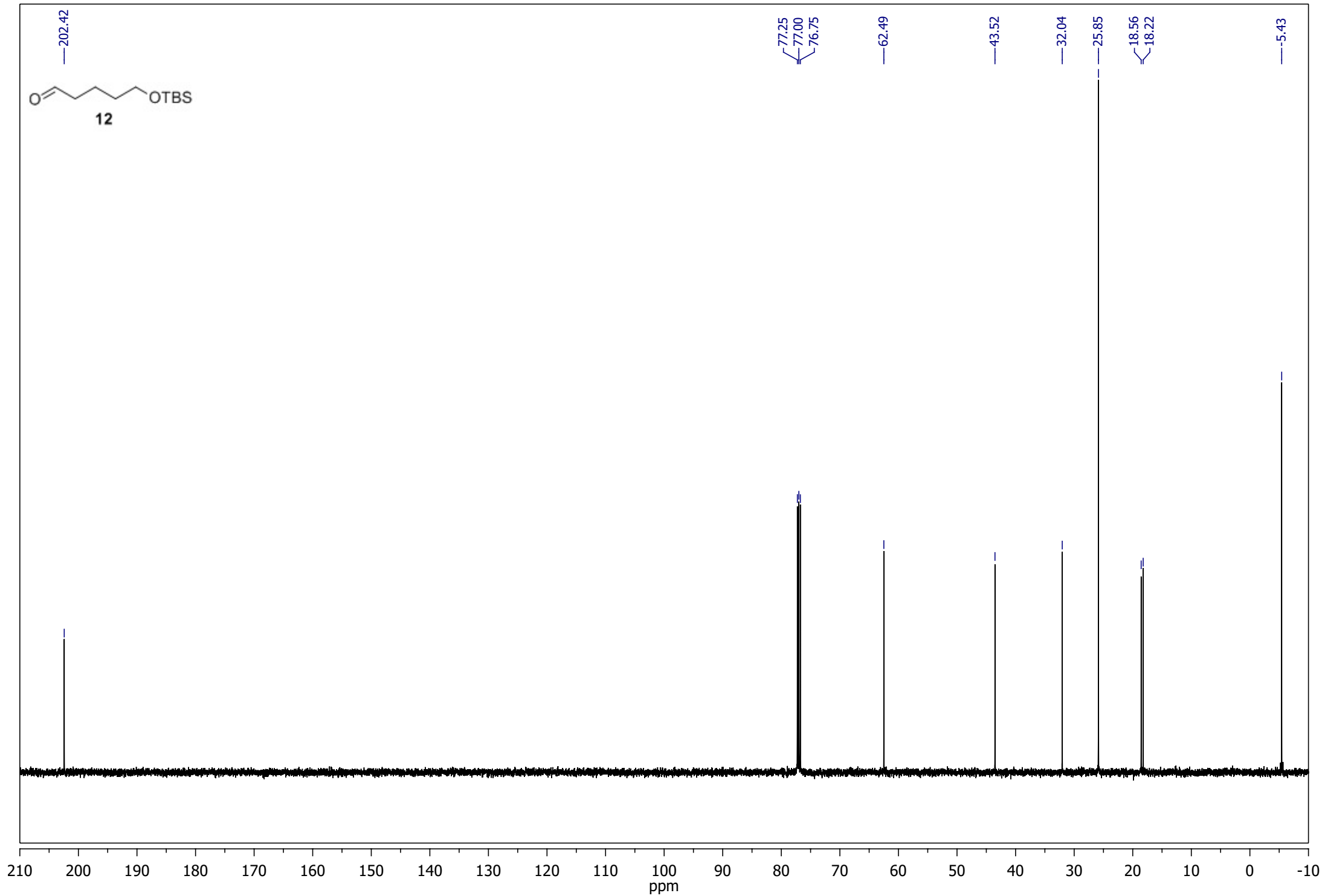


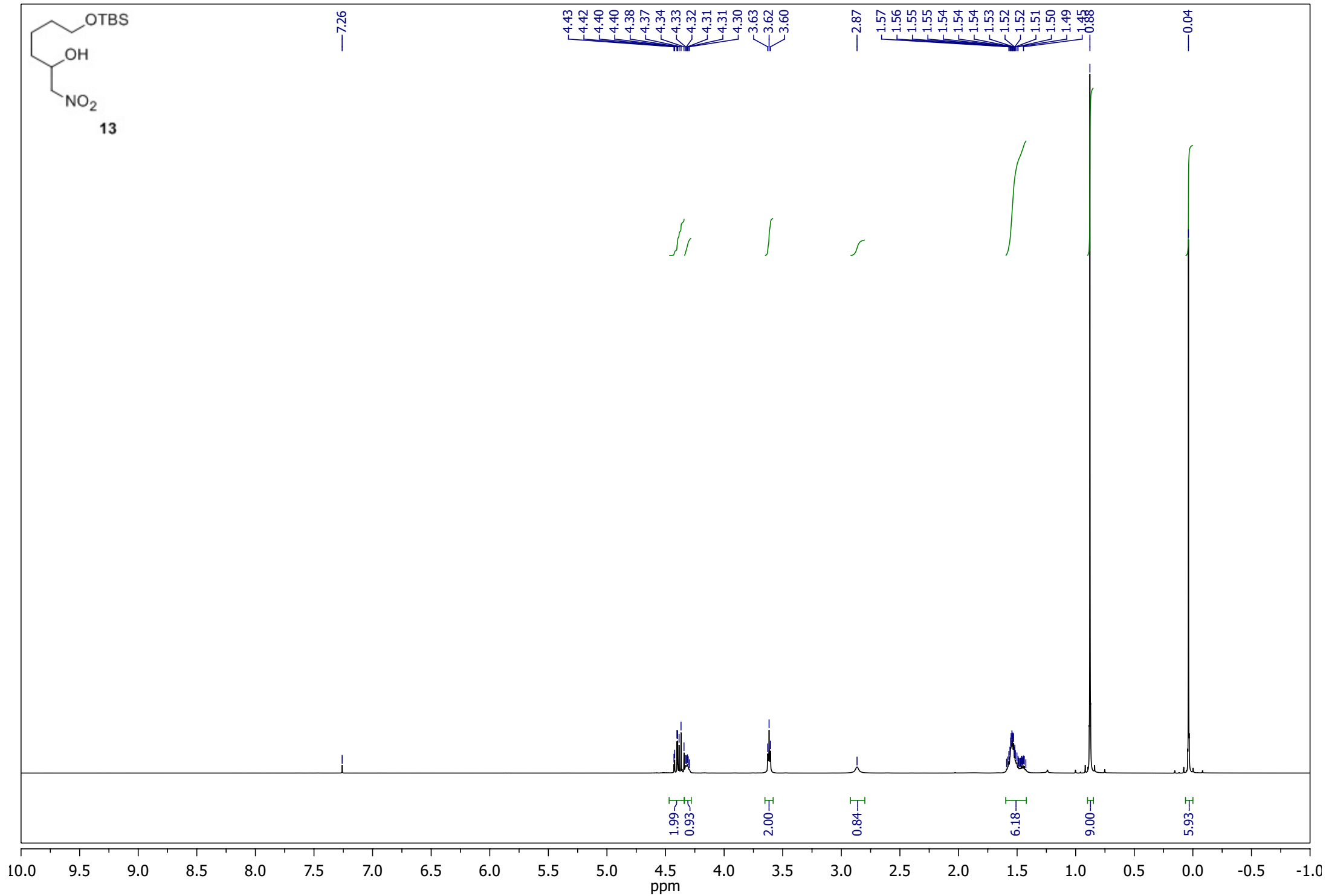
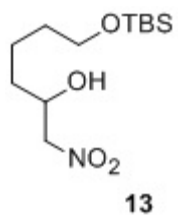


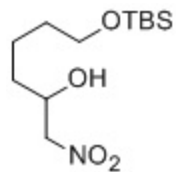




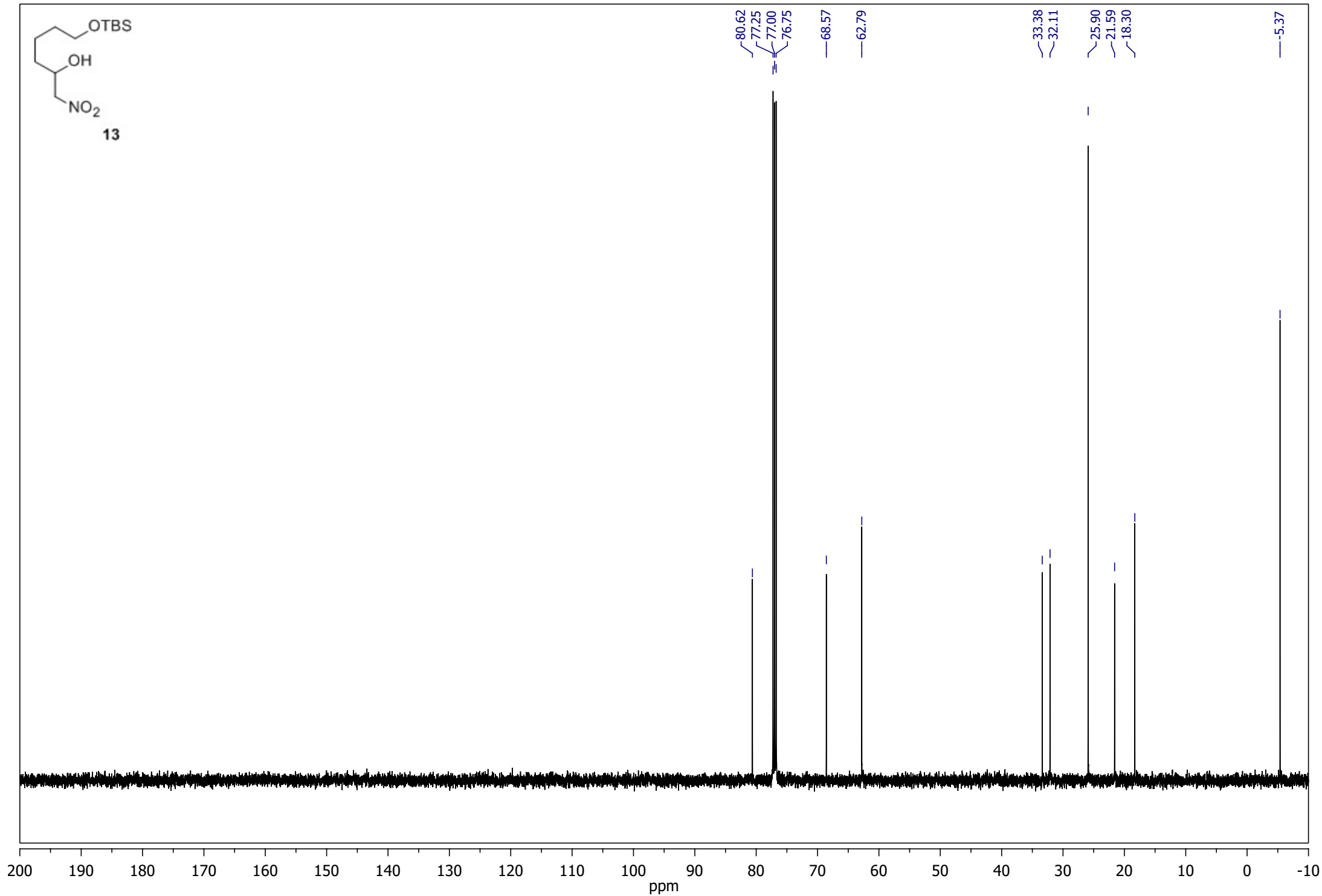
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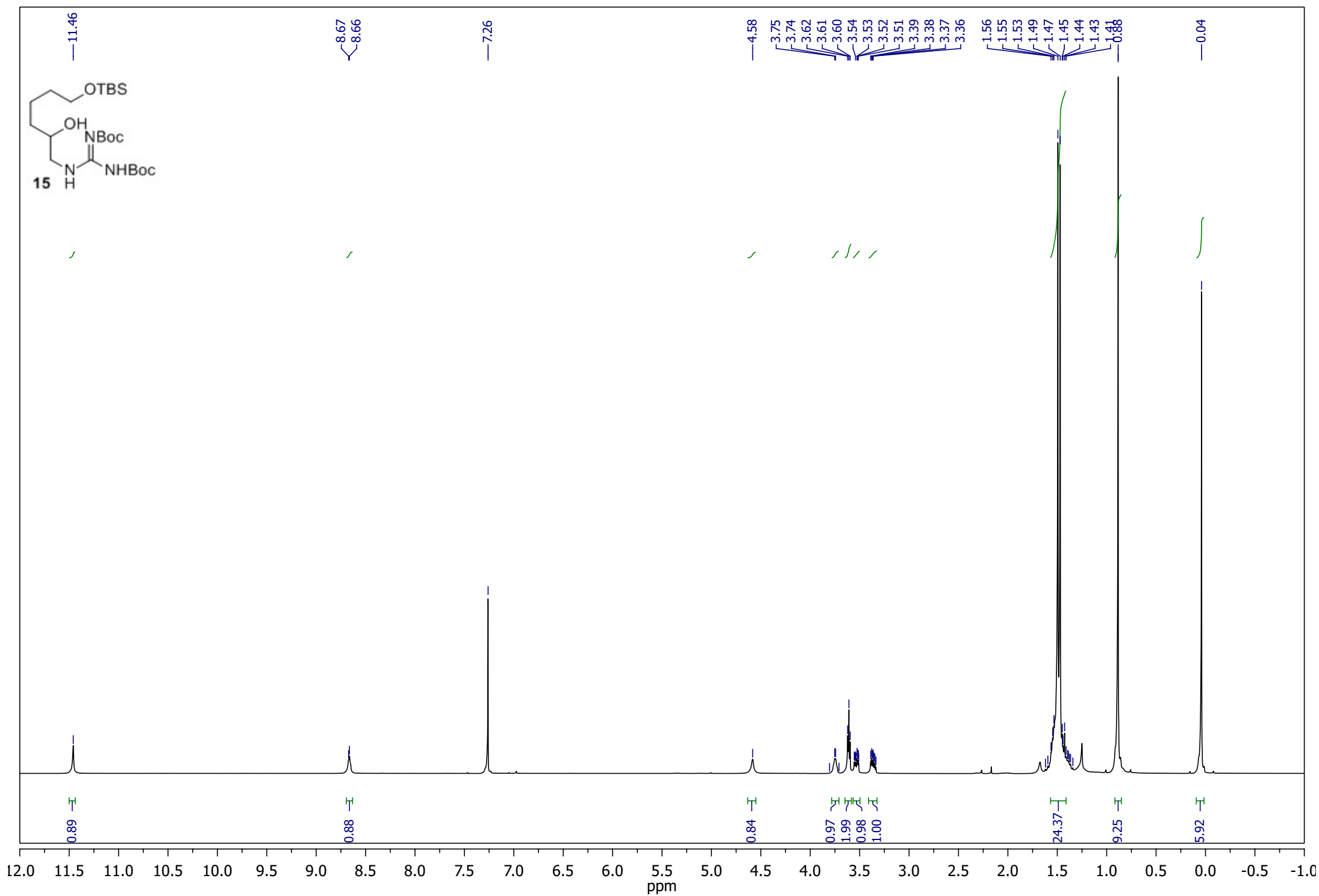


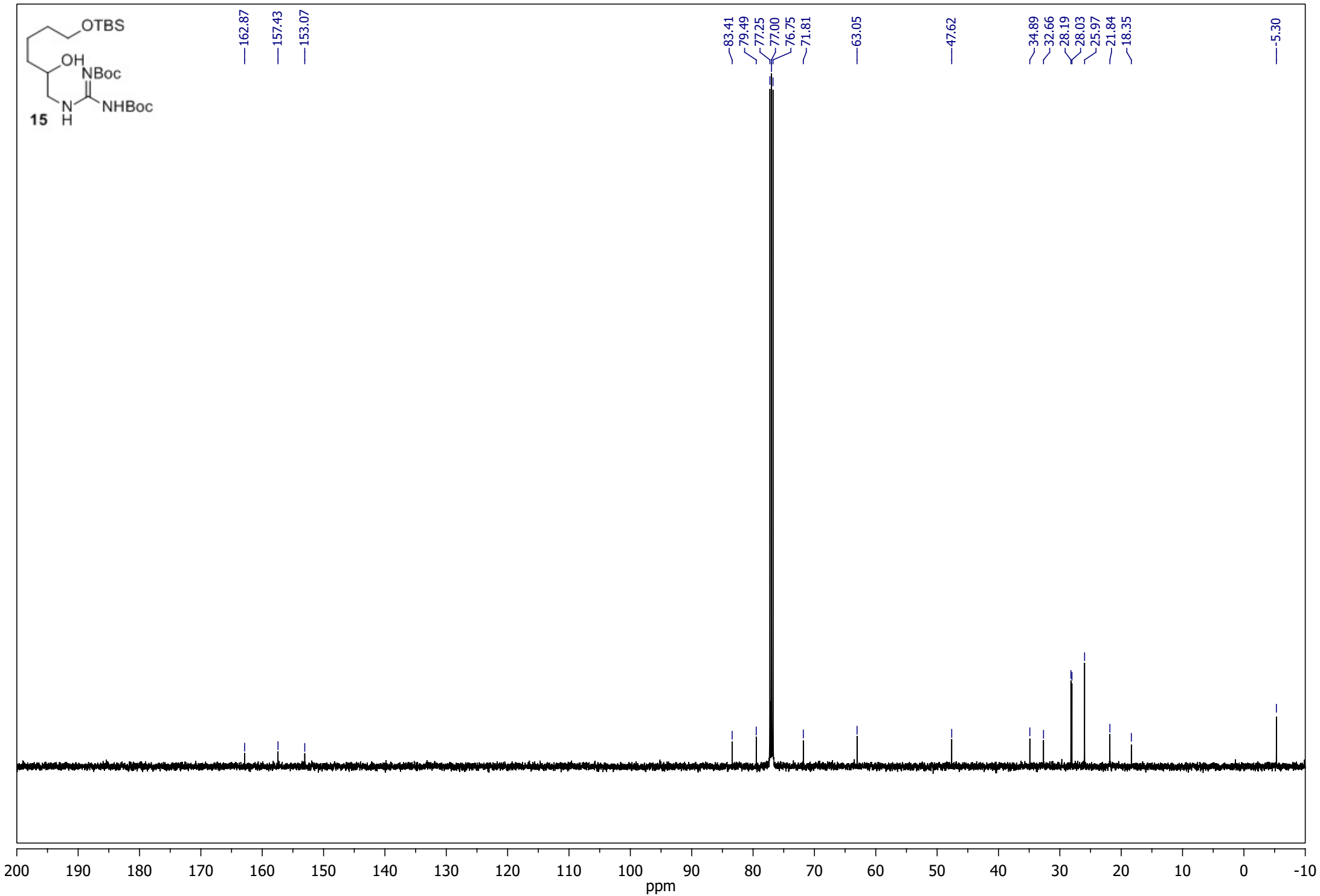




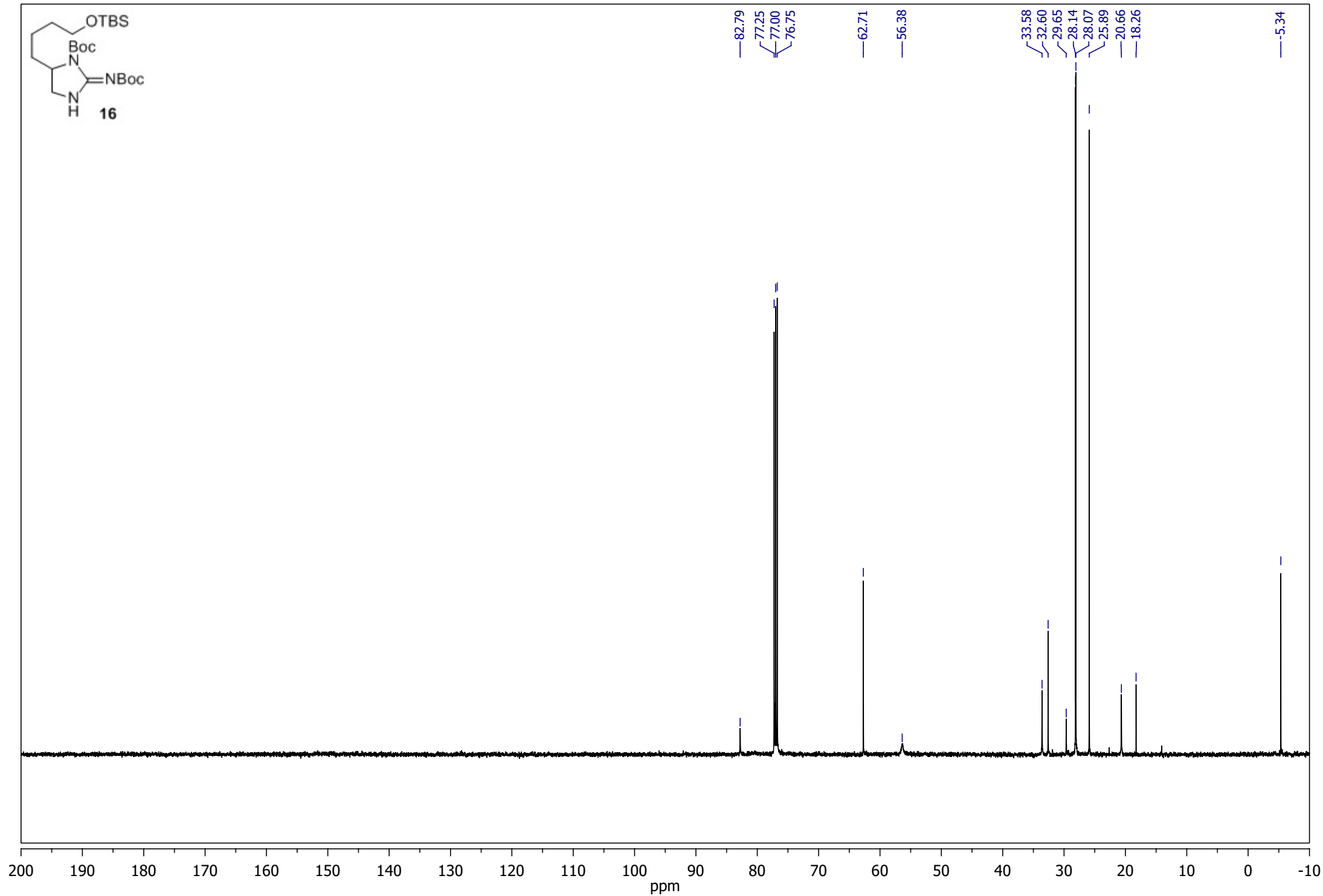
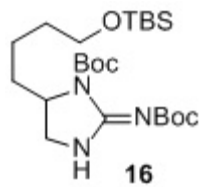
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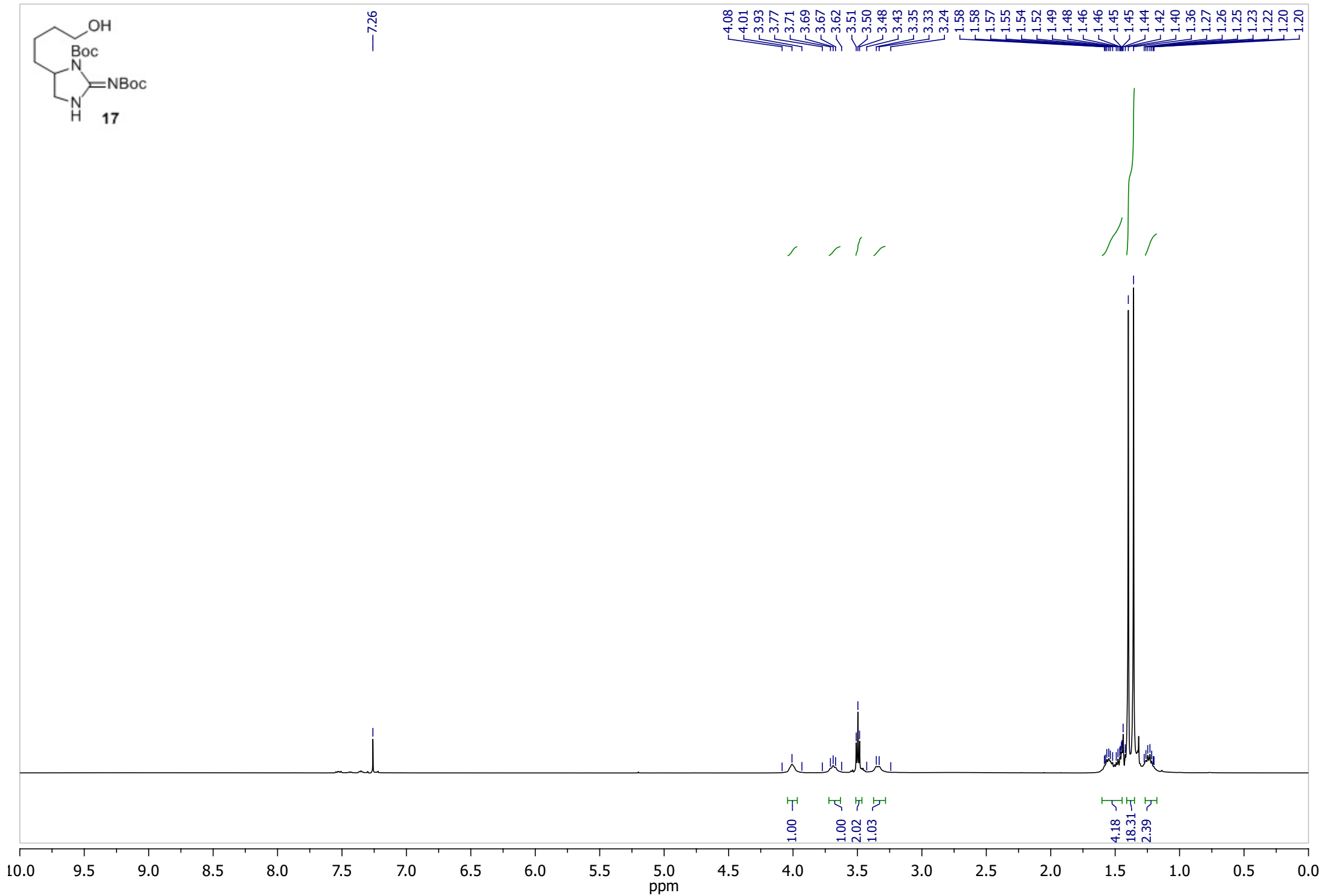
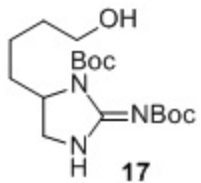


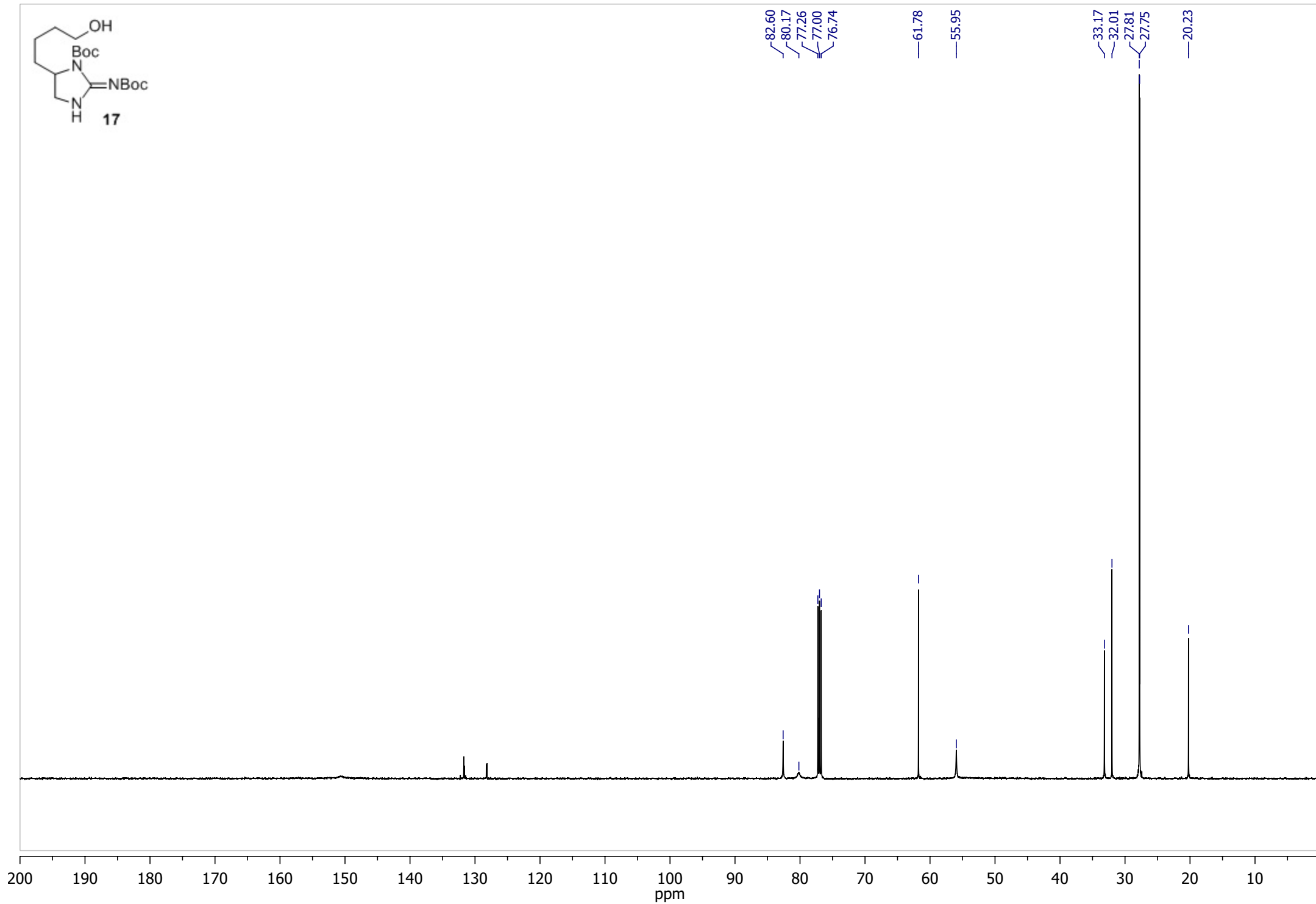
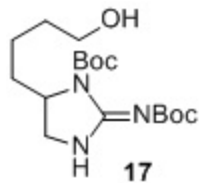


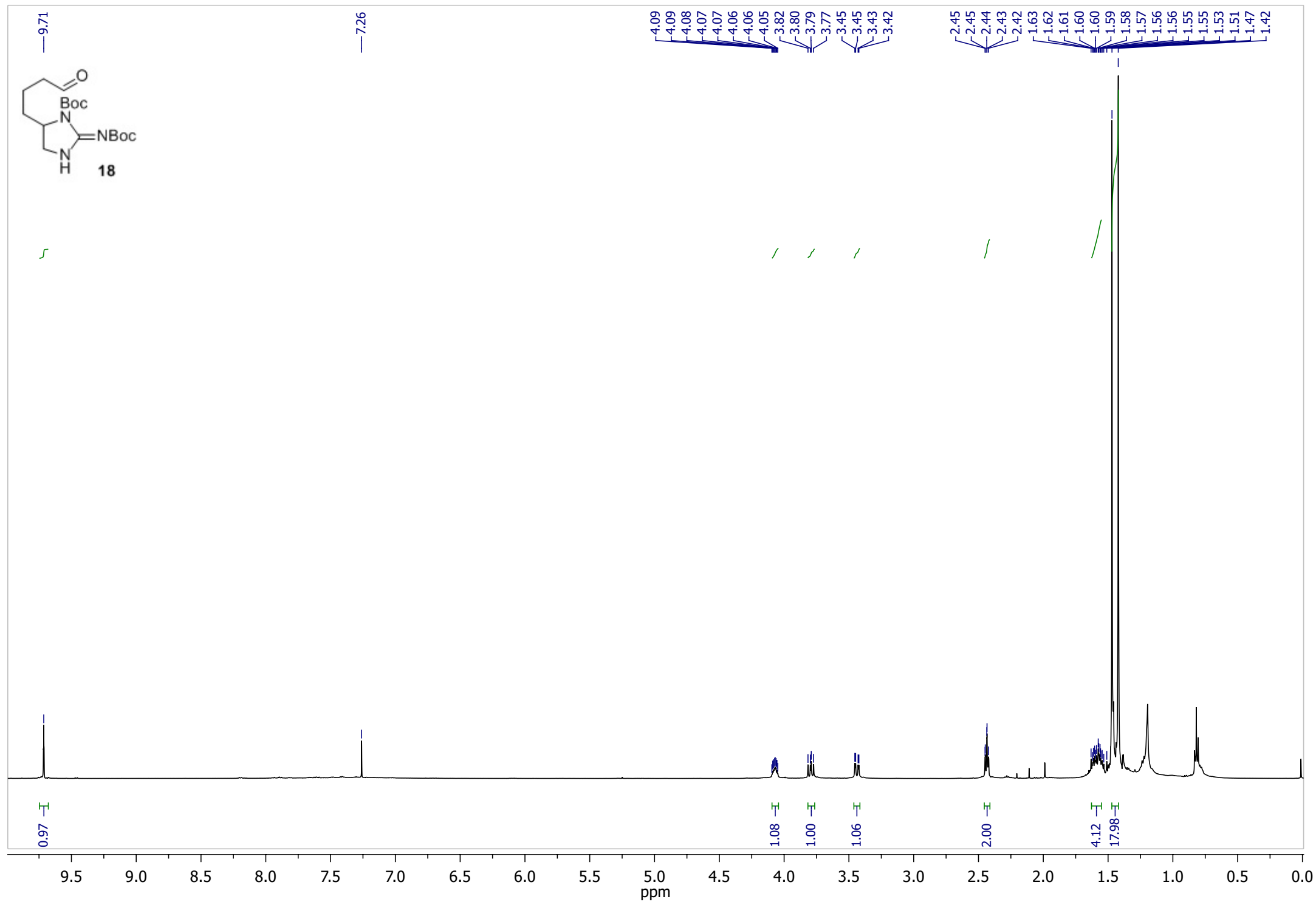
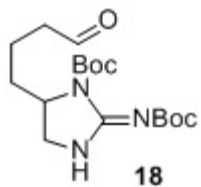


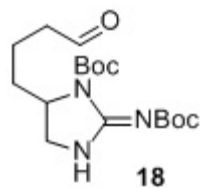




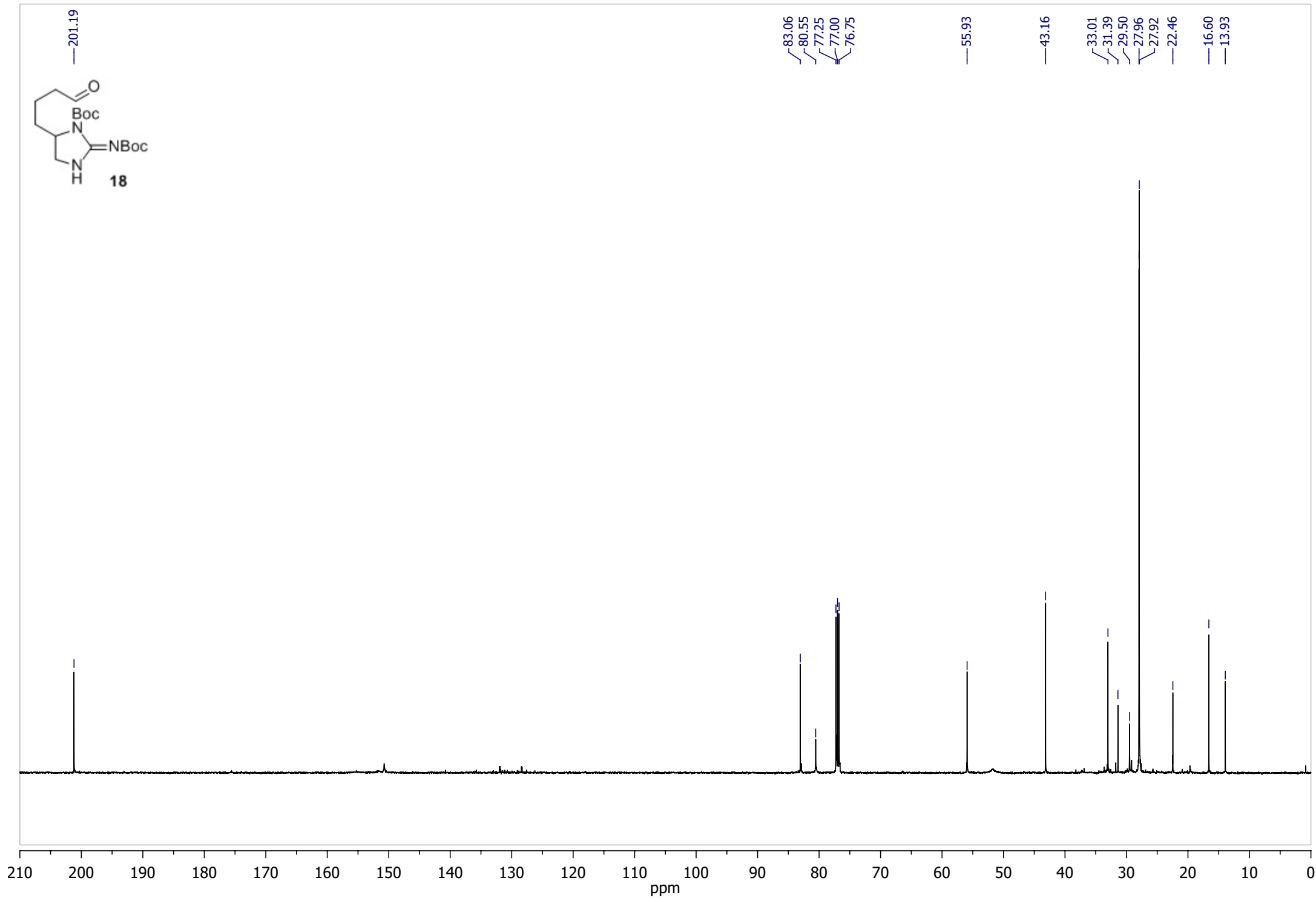


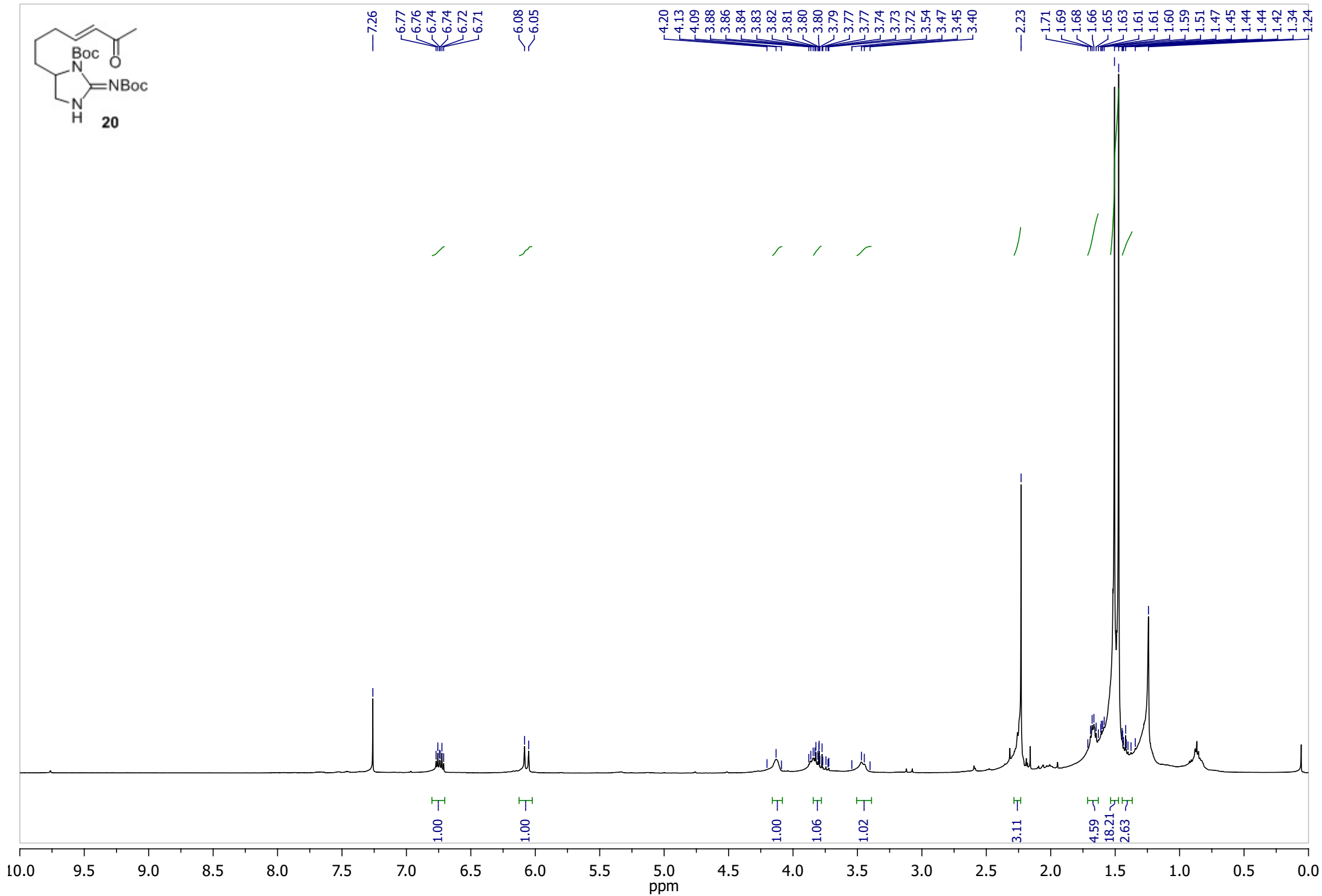
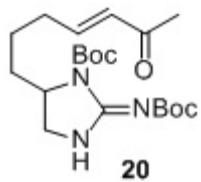


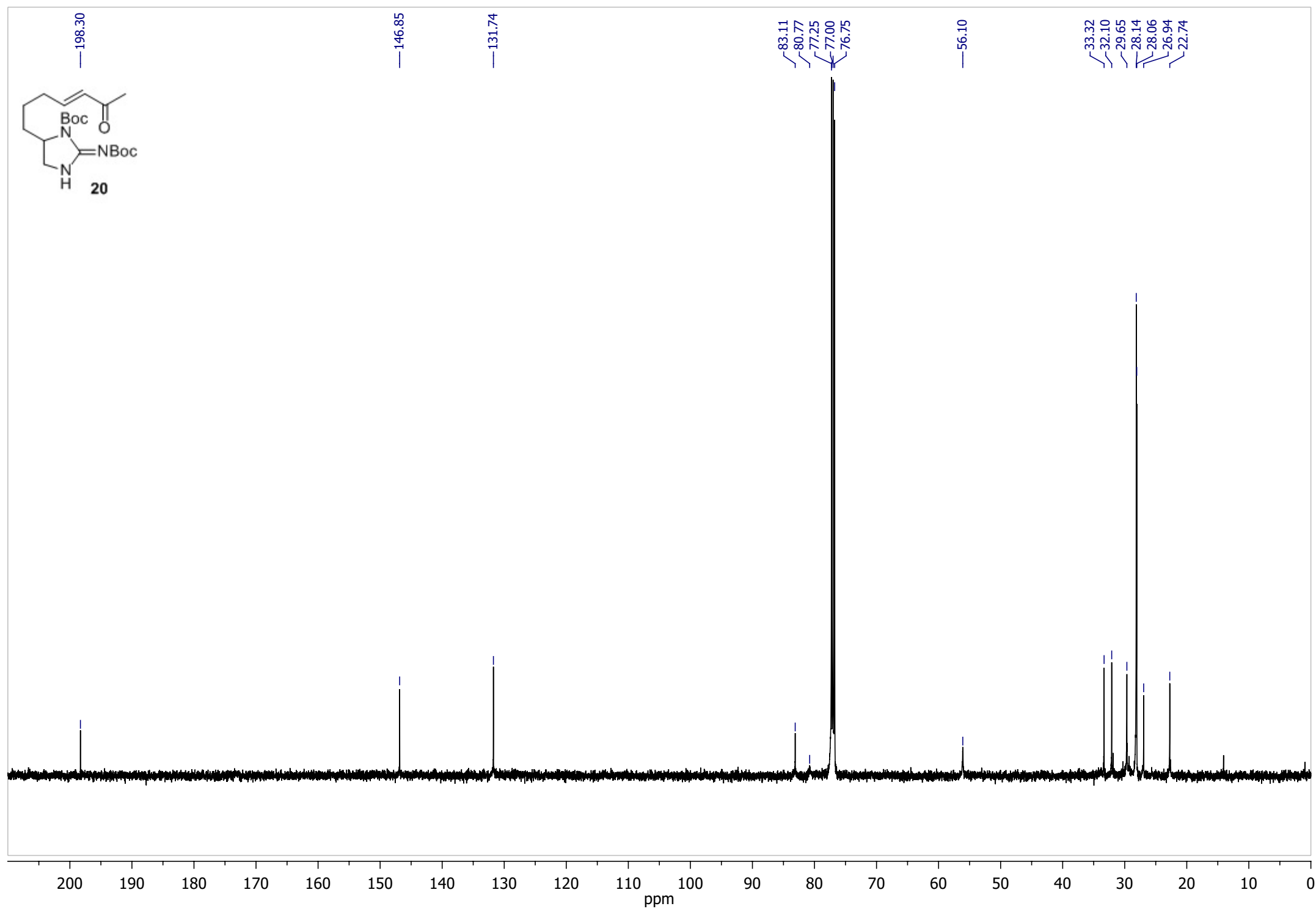
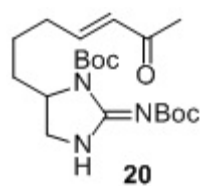


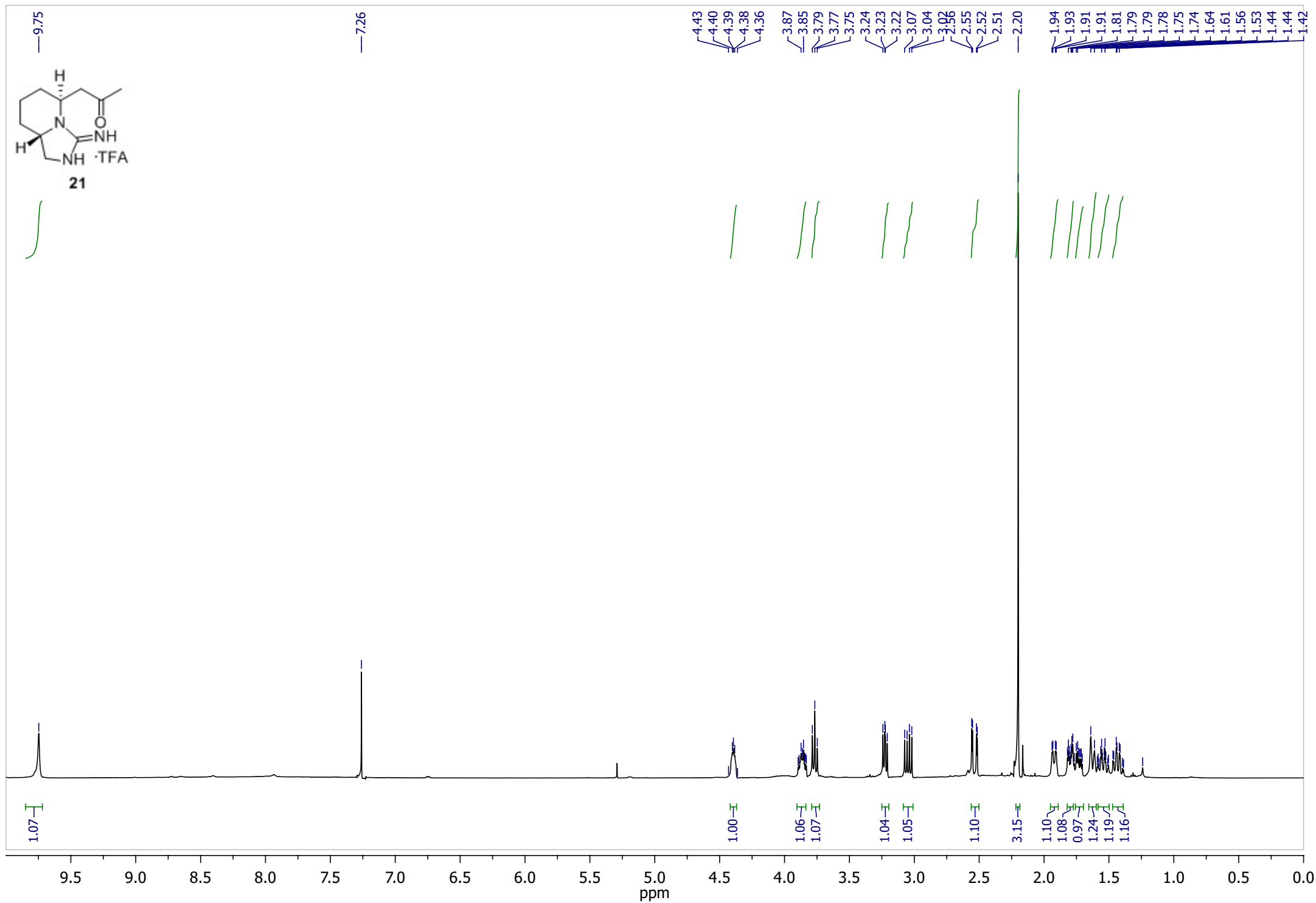


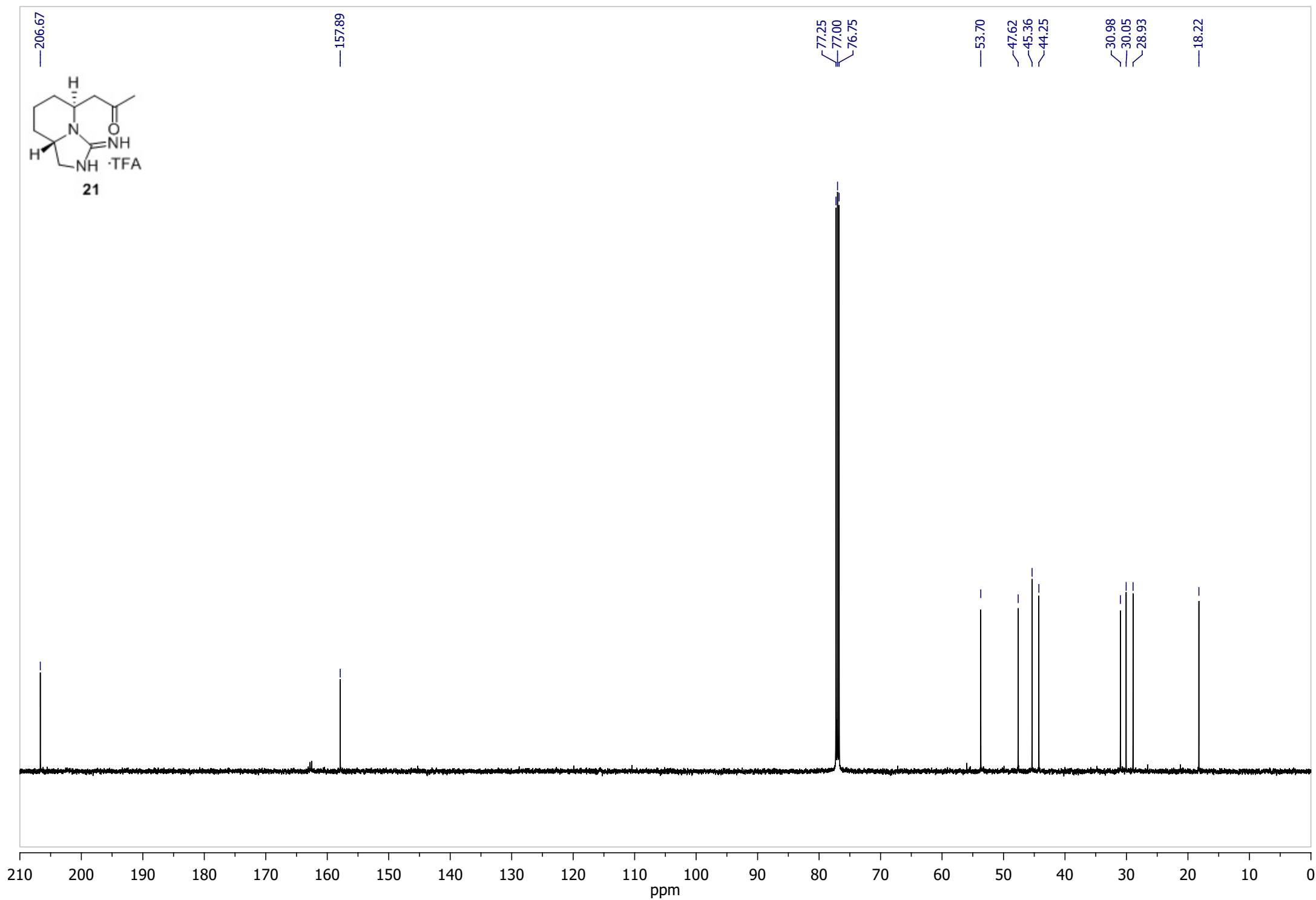
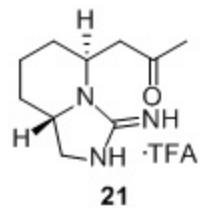
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**Table 1.** Crystal data and structure refinement.

|                                            |                                                             |                             |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Identification code                        | <b>2009src1065 / DME-176-8-10</b>                           |                             |
| Empirical formula                          | $C_{12}H_{18}F_3N_3O_3$                                     |                             |
| Formula weight                             | 309.29                                                      |                             |
| Temperature                                | 120(2) K                                                    |                             |
| Wavelength                                 | 0.71073 Å                                                   |                             |
| Crystal system                             | Triclinic                                                   |                             |
| Space group                                | $P\bar{1}$                                                  |                             |
| Unit cell dimensions                       | $a = 7.9832(6)$ Å                                           | $\alpha = 95.866(3)^\circ$  |
|                                            | $b = 8.8773(7)$ Å                                           | $\beta = 107.215(4)^\circ$  |
|                                            | $c = 12.1929(10)$ Å                                         | $\gamma = 114.500(4)^\circ$ |
|                                            | $725.49(10)$ Å <sup>3</sup>                                 |                             |
| Volume                                     | 2                                                           |                             |
| Z                                          | 1.416 Mg / m <sup>3</sup>                                   |                             |
| Density (calculated)                       | 0.127 mm <sup>-1</sup>                                      |                             |
| Absorption coefficient                     | 324                                                         |                             |
| $F(000)$                                   | Cut Blade; Colourless                                       |                             |
| Crystal                                    | $0.12 \times 0.08 \times 0.05$ mm <sup>3</sup>              |                             |
| Crystal size                               | $2.93 - 27.48^\circ$                                        |                             |
| $\theta$ range for data collection         | $-10 \leq h \leq 9, -11 \leq k \leq 11, -15 \leq l \leq 15$ |                             |
| Index ranges                               | 12761                                                       |                             |
| Reflections collected                      | 3301 [ $R_{int} = 0.0487$ ]                                 |                             |
| Independent reflections                    | 99.1 %                                                      |                             |
| Completeness to $\theta = 27.48^\circ$     | Semi-empirical from equivalents                             |                             |
| Absorption correction                      | 0.9937 and 0.9849                                           |                             |
| Max. and min. transmission                 | Full-matrix least-squares on $F^2$                          |                             |
| Refinement method                          | 3301 / 124 / 222                                            |                             |
| Data / restraints / parameters             | 1.151                                                       |                             |
| Goodness-of-fit on $F^2$                   | $R1 = 0.0792, wR2 = 0.1219$                                 |                             |
| Final $R$ indices [ $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$ ] | $R1 = 0.1279, wR2 = 0.1416$                                 |                             |
| $R$ indices (all data)                     | $0.319$ and $-0.254$ e Å <sup>-3</sup>                      |                             |
| Largest diff. peak and hole                |                                                             |                             |

**Diffraction:** Nonius KappaCCD area detector ( $\phi$  scans and  $\omega$  scans to fill asymmetric unit sphere). **Cell determination:** DirAx (Duisenberg, A.J.M.(1992). J. Appl. Cryst. 25, 92-96.) **Data collection:** Collect (Collect: Data collection software, R. Hooft, Nonius B.V., 1998). **Data reduction and cell refinement:** Denzo (Z. Otwinowski & W. Minor, *Methods in Enzymology* (1997) Vol. 276: *Macromolecular Crystallography*, part A, pp. 307-326; C. W. Carter, Jr. & R. M. Sweet, Eds., Academic Press). **Absorption correction:** SORTAV (R. H. Blessing, Acta Cryst. A51 (1995) 33-37; R. H. Blessing, J. Appl. Cryst. 30 (1997) 421-426). **Structure solution:** SHELXS97 (G. M. Sheldrick, Acta Cryst. (1990) A46 467-473). **Structure refinement:** SHELXL97 (G. M. Sheldrick (1997), University of Göttingen, Germany). **Graphics:** ORTEP3 for Windows (L. J. Farrugia, J. Appl. Crystallogr. 1997, 30, 565).

**Special details:**

All hydrogen atoms were fixed using a standard riding model.

The trifluoroacetate anion was partially disordered over 2 main sites.

**Table 2.** Atomic coordinates [ $\times 10^4$ ], equivalent isotropic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ] and site occupancy factors.  $U_{eq}$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{ij}$  tensor.

| Atom | x         | y        | z        | $U_{eq}$ | S.o.f.    |
|------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| C1   | 4244(4)   | 2482(3)  | 5322(2)  | 31(1)    | 1         |
| C2   | 6691(4)   | 3793(4)  | 4599(3)  | 40(1)    | 1         |
| C3   | 7655(4)   | 3769(4)  | 5891(3)  | 35(1)    | 1         |
| C4   | 8778(5)   | 2735(5)  | 6039(3)  | 49(1)    | 1         |
| C5   | 9250(5)   | 2444(5)  | 7283(3)  | 53(1)    | 1         |
| C6   | 7341(5)   | 1520(4)  | 7504(3)  | 47(1)    | 1         |
| C7   | 6139(4)   | 2501(4)  | 7370(3)  | 35(1)    | 1         |
| C8   | 7074(4)   | 4085(4)  | 8405(3)  | 36(1)    | 1         |
| C9   | 5787(5)   | 4930(4)  | 8424(3)  | 41(1)    | 1         |
| C10  | 6677(5)   | 6527(5)  | 9402(3)  | 52(1)    | 1         |
| N1   | 5920(3)   | 2964(3)  | 6237(2)  | 32(1)    | 1         |
| N2   | 4575(4)   | 2911(3)  | 4366(2)  | 40(1)    | 1         |
| N3   | 2431(3)   | 1646(3)  | 5322(2)  | 35(1)    | 1         |
| O1   | 4109(3)   | 4335(3)  | 7697(2)  | 56(1)    | 1         |
| C11  | -525(4)   | 1369(4)  | 2489(3)  | 33(1)    | 1         |
| O11  | 1134(3)   | 2274(3)  | 2477(2)  | 45(1)    | 1         |
| O12  | -974(3)   | 638(3)   | 3245(2)  | 48(1)    | 1         |
| C12  | -2358(17) | 1175(16) | 1479(10) | 46(1)    | 0.441(10) |
| F11  | -3441(14) | 1720(16) | 1852(5)  | 86(3)    | 0.441(10) |
| F12  | -1907(10) | 1943(14) | 672(8)   | 83(3)    | 0.441(10) |
| F13  | -3638(18) | -435(12) | 938(10)  | 81(4)    | 0.441(10) |
| C212 | -2217(14) | 1185(13) | 1387(8)  | 46(1)    | 0.559(10) |
| F211 | -2359(11) | 2600(8)  | 1443(8)  | 102(3)   | 0.559(10) |
| F212 | -1949(10) | 877(13)  | 386(5)   | 91(2)    | 0.559(10) |
| F213 | -3920(11) | -103(12) | 1200(8)  | 92(3)    | 0.559(10) |

**Table 3.** Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°].

|            |          |               |           |
|------------|----------|---------------|-----------|
| C1–N3      | 1.324(3) | C8–C9         | 1.506(4)  |
| C1–N1      | 1.327(4) | C8–H8A        | 0.9900    |
| C1–N2      | 1.328(4) | C8–H8B        | 0.9900    |
| C2–N2      | 1.456(4) | C9–O1         | 1.214(4)  |
| C2–C3      | 1.542(4) | C9–C10        | 1.502(5)  |
| C2–H2A     | 0.9900   | C10–H10A      | 0.9800    |
| C2–H2B     | 0.9900   | C10–H10B      | 0.9800    |
| C3–N1      | 1.481(3) | C10–H10C      | 0.9800    |
| C3–C4      | 1.517(4) | N2–H2         | 0.8800    |
| C3–H3      | 1.0000   | N3–H3A        | 0.8800    |
| C4–C5      | 1.528(5) | N3–H3B        | 0.8800    |
| C4–H4A     | 0.9900   | C11–O12       | 1.234(3)  |
| C4–H4B     | 0.9900   | C11–O11       | 1.237(3)  |
| C5–C6      | 1.523(5) | C11–C212      | 1.535(9)  |
| C5–H5A     | 0.9900   | C11–C12       | 1.540(11) |
| C5–H5B     | 0.9900   | C12–F13       | 1.311(11) |
| C6–C7      | 1.529(4) | C12–F11       | 1.312(12) |
| C6–H6A     | 0.9900   | C12–F12       | 1.305(11) |
| C6–H6B     | 0.9900   | C212–F213     | 1.297(9)  |
| C7–N1      | 1.463(3) | C212–F211     | 1.305(10) |
| C7–C8      | 1.528(4) | C212–F212     | 1.321(10) |
| C7–H7      | 1.0000   |               |           |
| N3–C1–N1   | 125.6(3) | N1–C7–H7      | 108.2     |
| N3–C1–N2   | 122.4(3) | C8–C7–H7      | 108.2     |
| N1–C1–N2   | 112.0(2) | C6–C7–H7      | 108.2     |
| N2–C2–C3   | 103.3(2) | C9–C8–C7      | 114.7(2)  |
| N2–C2–H2A  | 111.1    | C9–C8–H8A     | 108.6     |
| C3–C2–H2A  | 111.1    | C7–C8–H8A     | 108.6     |
| N2–C2–H2B  | 111.1    | C9–C8–H8B     | 108.6     |
| C3–C2–H2B  | 111.1    | C7–C8–H8B     | 108.6     |
| H2A–C2–H2B | 109.1    | H8A–C8–H8B    | 107.6     |
| N1–C3–C4   | 109.7(2) | O1–C9–C10     | 121.9(3)  |
| N1–C3–C2   | 102.5(2) | O1–C9–C8      | 121.7(3)  |
| C4–C3–C2   | 114.9(3) | C10–C9–C8     | 116.4(3)  |
| N1–C3–H3   | 109.8    | C9–C10–H10A   | 109.5     |
| C4–C3–H3   | 109.8    | C9–C10–H10B   | 109.5     |
| C2–C3–H3   | 109.8    | H10A–C10–H10B | 109.5     |
| C3–C4–C5   | 110.5(3) | C9–C10–H10C   | 109.5     |
| C3–C4–H4A  | 109.5    | H10A–C10–H10C | 109.5     |
| C5–C4–H4A  | 109.5    | H10B–C10–H10C | 109.5     |
| C3–C4–H4B  | 109.5    | C1–N1–C7      | 127.3(2)  |
| C5–C4–H4B  | 109.5    | C1–N1–C3      | 110.6(2)  |
| H4A–C4–H4B | 108.1    | C7–N1–C3      | 120.9(2)  |
| C6–C5–C4   | 110.1(3) | C1–N2–C2      | 111.3(2)  |
| C6–C5–H5A  | 109.6    | C1–N2–H2      | 124.3     |
| C4–C5–H5A  | 109.6    | C2–N2–H2      | 124.3     |
| C6–C5–H5B  | 109.6    | C1–N3–H3A     | 120.0     |
| C4–C5–H5B  | 109.6    | C1–N3–H3B     | 120.0     |
| H5A–C5–H5B | 108.2    | H3A–N3–H3B    | 120.0     |
| C5–C6–C7   | 112.5(3) | O12–C11–O11   | 129.6(3)  |
| C5–C6–H6A  | 109.1    | O12–C11–C212  | 117.8(4)  |
| C7–C6–H6A  | 109.1    | O11–C11–C212  | 112.6(4)  |
| C5–C6–H6B  | 109.1    | O12–C11–C12   | 112.1(5)  |
| C7–C6–H6B  | 109.1    | O11–C11–C12   | 118.2(5)  |
| H6A–C6–H6B | 107.8    | C212–C11–C12  | 6.7(8)    |
| N1–C7–C8   | 111.1(2) | F13–C12–F11   | 101.7(9)  |
| N1–C7–C6   | 108.4(2) | F13–C12–F12   | 107.6(11) |
| C8–C7–C6   | 112.6(2) | F11–C12–F12   | 108.4(10) |

|                |           |                |          |
|----------------|-----------|----------------|----------|
| F13-C12-C11    | 112.2(10) | F211-C212-F212 | 105.6(8) |
| F11-C12-C11    | 113.4(8)  | F213-C212-C11  | 113.9(8) |
| F12-C12-C11    | 112.8(8)  | F211-C212-C11  | 110.7(7) |
| F213-C212-F211 | 110.3(9)  | F212-C212-C11  | 113.1(7) |
| F213-C212-F212 | 102.8(8)  |                |          |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

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**Table 4.** Anisotropic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ]. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2\pi^2[h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$ .

| Atom | $U^{11}$ | $U^{22}$ | $U^{33}$ | $U^{23}$ | $U^{13}$ | $U^{12}$ |
|------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| C1   | 34(2)    | 27(2)    | 33(2)    | 9(1)     | 14(1)    | 14(1)    |
| C2   | 38(2)    | 42(2)    | 45(2)    | 16(2)    | 23(2)    | 18(2)    |
| C3   | 30(2)    | 33(2)    | 46(2)    | 13(1)    | 20(1)    | 14(1)    |
| C4   | 49(2)    | 53(2)    | 61(2)    | 18(2)    | 29(2)    | 30(2)    |
| C5   | 49(2)    | 65(2)    | 63(2)    | 25(2)    | 22(2)    | 40(2)    |
| C6   | 52(2)    | 43(2)    | 51(2)    | 21(2)    | 17(2)    | 27(2)    |
| C7   | 30(2)    | 37(2)    | 34(2)    | 16(1)    | 11(1)    | 11(1)    |
| C8   | 32(2)    | 45(2)    | 32(2)    | 15(1)    | 12(1)    | 17(1)    |
| C9   | 44(2)    | 51(2)    | 35(2)    | 17(2)    | 21(2)    | 24(2)    |
| C10  | 58(2)    | 58(2)    | 47(2)    | 10(2)    | 26(2)    | 29(2)    |
| N1   | 27(1)    | 36(1)    | 34(1)    | 14(1)    | 13(1)    | 13(1)    |
| N2   | 33(1)    | 43(2)    | 32(1)    | 12(1)    | 11(1)    | 8(1)     |
| N3   | 26(1)    | 39(1)    | 31(1)    | 13(1)    | 8(1)     | 9(1)     |
| O1   | 44(1)    | 80(2)    | 45(1)    | 9(1)     | 12(1)    | 36(1)    |
| C11  | 35(2)    | 29(2)    | 31(2)    | 9(1)     | 10(1)    | 12(1)    |
| O11  | 33(1)    | 50(1)    | 41(1)    | 19(1)    | 12(1)    | 10(1)    |
| O12  | 33(1)    | 58(2)    | 42(1)    | 28(1)    | 11(1)    | 10(1)    |
| C12  | 42(2)    | 50(2)    | 40(2)    | 17(2)    | 12(2)    | 18(2)    |
| F11  | 80(5)    | 132(6)   | 61(4)    | 6(4)     | 7(3)     | 80(5)    |
| F12  | 51(3)    | 94(6)    | 56(5)    | 58(4)    | -2(3)    | -2(4)    |
| F13  | 80(6)    | 49(4)    | 60(5)    | -18(3)   | -22(4)   | 22(4)    |
| C212 | 42(2)    | 50(2)    | 40(2)    | 17(2)    | 12(2)    | 18(2)    |
| F211 | 81(4)    | 73(4)    | 120(5)   | 10(4)    | -24(4)   | 54(3)    |
| F212 | 71(3)    | 128(6)   | 36(2)    | 11(3)    | 6(2)     | 23(4)    |
| F213 | 31(3)    | 115(6)   | 68(4)    | 65(4)    | -3(3)    | -15(4)   |

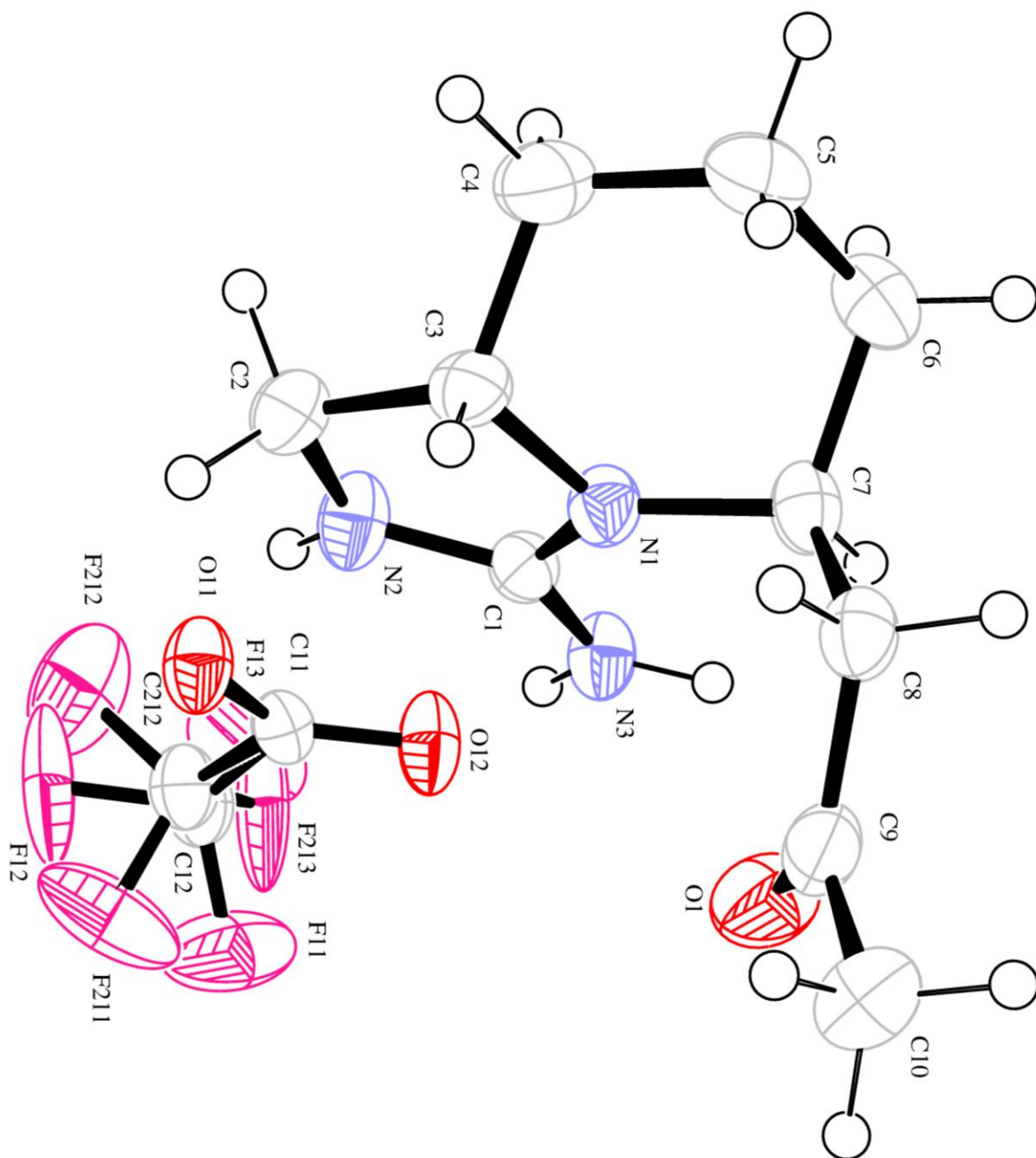
**Table 5.** Hydrogen coordinates [ $\times 10^4$ ] and isotropic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ].

| Atom | x     | y    | z     | $U_{eq}$ | <i>S.o.f.</i> |
|------|-------|------|-------|----------|---------------|
| H2A  | 7117  | 4982 | 4522  | 48       | 1             |
| H2B  | 7032  | 3178 | 4048  | 48       | 1             |
| H3   | 8549  | 4969 | 6398  | 42       | 1             |
| H4A  | 10028 | 3353 | 5908  | 59       | 1             |
| H4B  | 7968  | 1616 | 5438  | 59       | 1             |
| H5A  | 9961  | 1751 | 7363  | 63       | 1             |
| H5B  | 10123 | 3560 | 7884  | 63       | 1             |
| H6A  | 7674  | 1354 | 8317  | 56       | 1             |
| H6B  | 6518  | 373  | 6935  | 56       | 1             |
| H7   | 4788  | 1718 | 7343  | 42       | 1             |
| H8A  | 7408  | 3752 | 9159  | 43       | 1             |
| H8B  | 8331  | 4935 | 8372  | 43       | 1             |
| H10A | 5684  | 6918 | 9363  | 79       | 1             |
| H10B | 7824  | 7423 | 9310  | 79       | 1             |
| H10C | 7103  | 6281 | 10173 | 79       | 1             |
| H2   | 3635  | 2691 | 3680  | 48       | 1             |
| H3A  | 2265  | 1364 | 5967  | 42       | 1             |
| H3B  | 1392  | 1372 | 4676  | 42       | 1             |

**Table 6.** Hydrogen bonds [ $\text{\AA}$  and  $^\circ$ ].

| $D-H\cdots A$                    | $d(D-H)$ | $d(H\cdots A)$ | $d(D\cdots A)$ | $\angle(DHA)$ |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| N2–H2 $\cdots$ O11               | 0.88     | 1.95           | 2.805(3)       | 162.4         |
| N3–H3B $\cdots$ O12              | 0.88     | 1.96           | 2.836(3)       | 177.0         |
| N3–H3A $\cdots$ O12 <sup>i</sup> | 0.88     | 2.14           | 2.914(3)       | 147.1         |

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:  
(i)  $-x, -y, -z+1$



## Crystal structure analysis (doi:10.5258/ecrystals/1048)

A crystal of **21** was selected and data collected on a Bruker Nonius KappaCCD Area Detector equipped with a Bruker Nonius FR591 rotating anode ( $\lambda_{\text{Mo-K}\alpha} = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ ) at 120K driven by COLLECT<sup>1</sup>, processed by DENZO<sup>2</sup> software and corrected for absorption by using SADABS<sup>3</sup>. The structures were determined in SHELXS-97 and refined using SHELXL-97.<sup>4</sup> All non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically with hydrogen atoms included in idealized positions with thermal parameters riding on those of the parent atom. The fluorine atoms of the TFA anion were disordered over two sites, resulting in the use of both geometrical and anisotropic displacement restraints (SADI and SIMU) on these atoms.

Crystal Data for **21**:  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{18}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ ,  $M = 309.29$ , triclinic,  $a = 7.9832(6) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $b = 8.8773(7) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $c = 12.1929(10) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\alpha = 95.866(3)^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 107.215(4)^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 114.500(4)^\circ$ ,  $U = 725.49(10) \text{ \AA}^3$ ,  $T = 120(2) \text{ K}$ , space group P-1,  $Z = 2$ ,  $\mu(\text{Mo-K}\alpha) = 0.127 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ , 12761 reflections measured, 3301 unique ( $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0487$ ) which were used in all calculations. Final  $R_1 = 0.0792$ ,  $wR_2 = 0.1219$  [ $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$ ],  $R_1 = 0.1279$ ,  $wR_2 = 0.1416$  (all data).

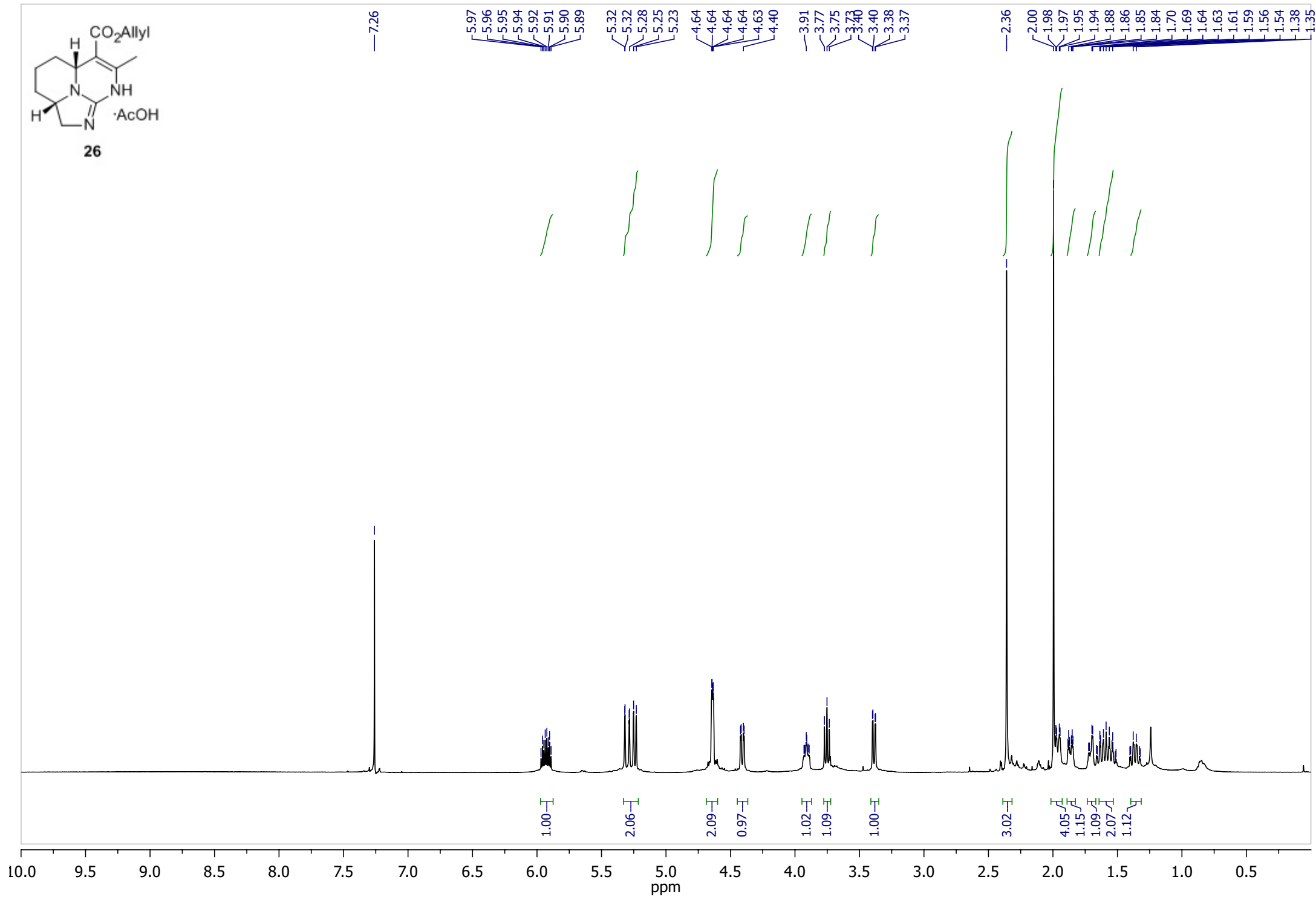
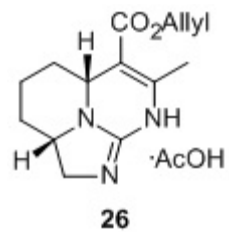
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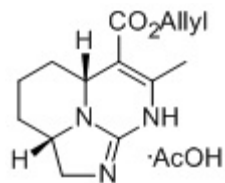
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<sup>2</sup> Z. Otwinowski & W. Minor, *Methods in Enzymology* (1997) Vol. **276**: *Macromolecular Crystallography*, part A, pp. 307–326; C. W. Carter, Jr. & R. M. Sweet, Eds., Academic Press (New York)

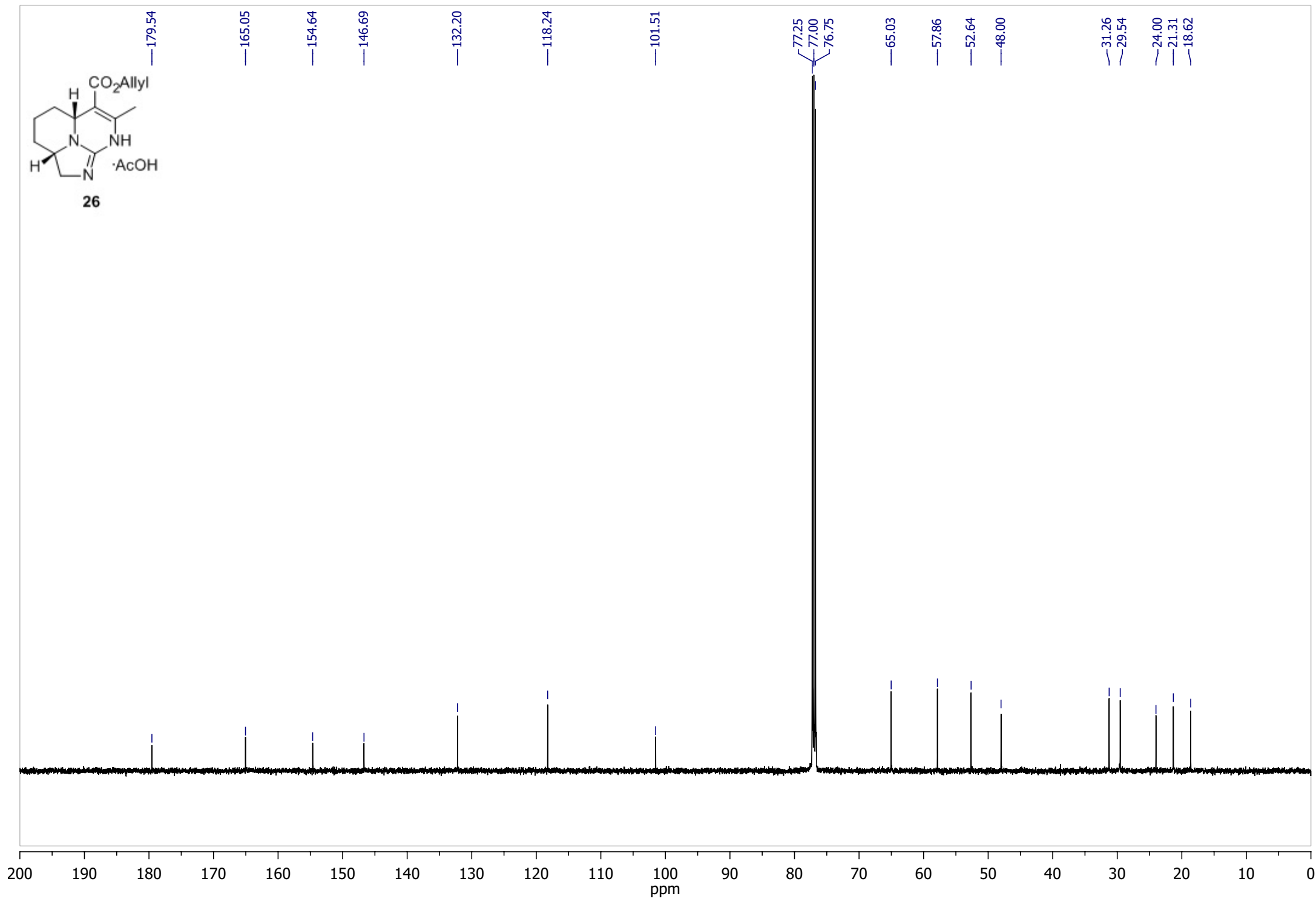
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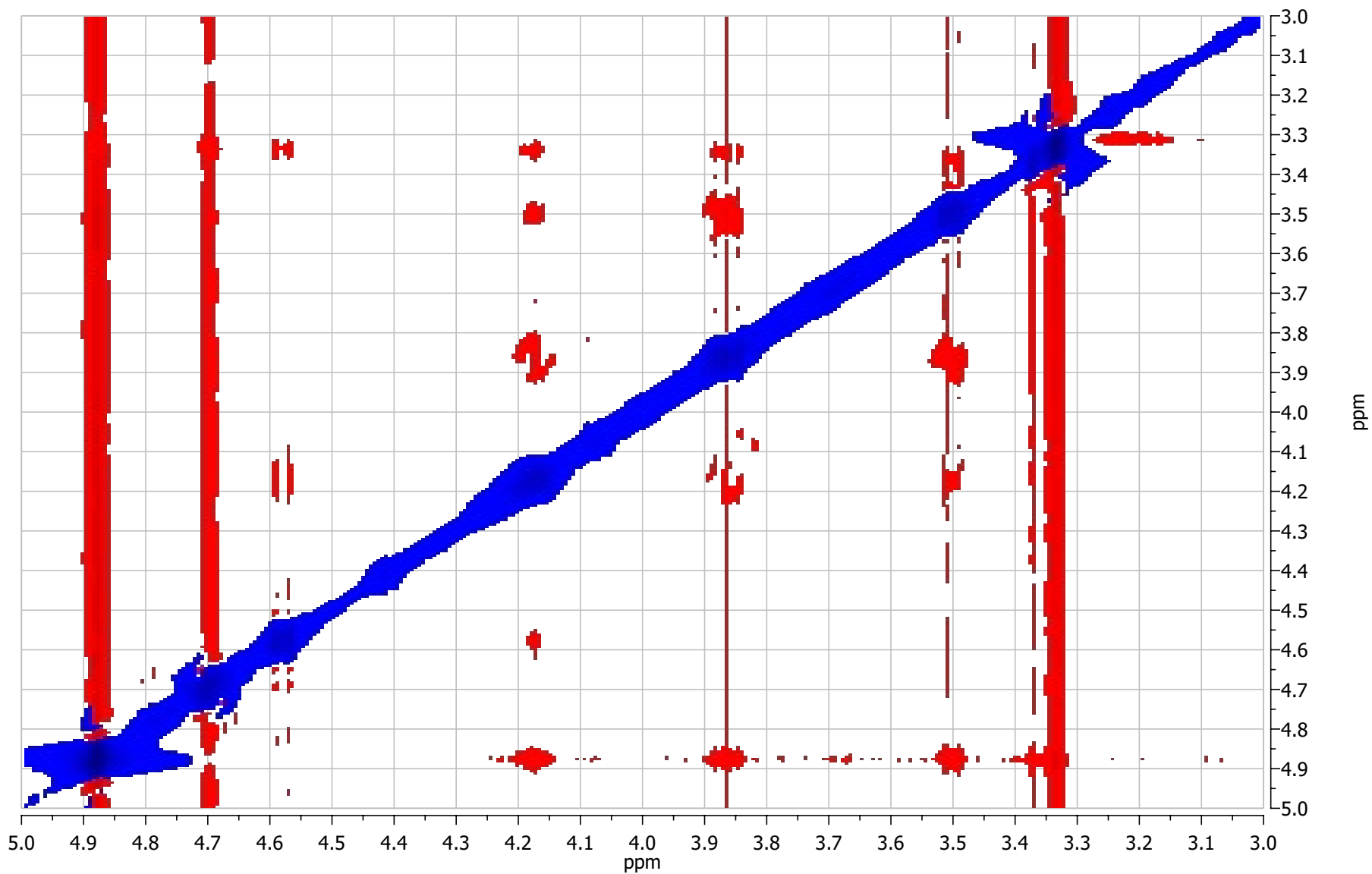
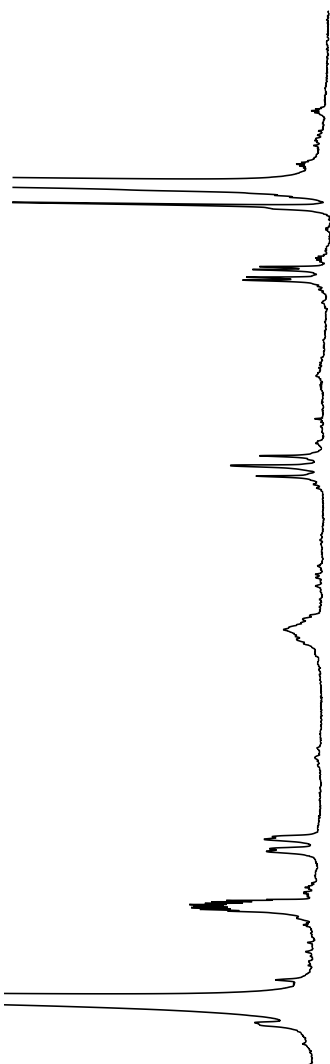
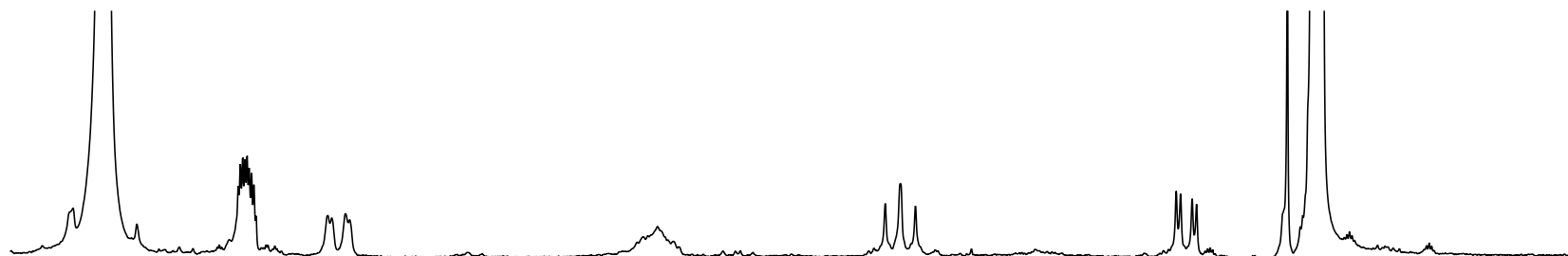
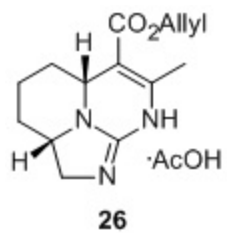
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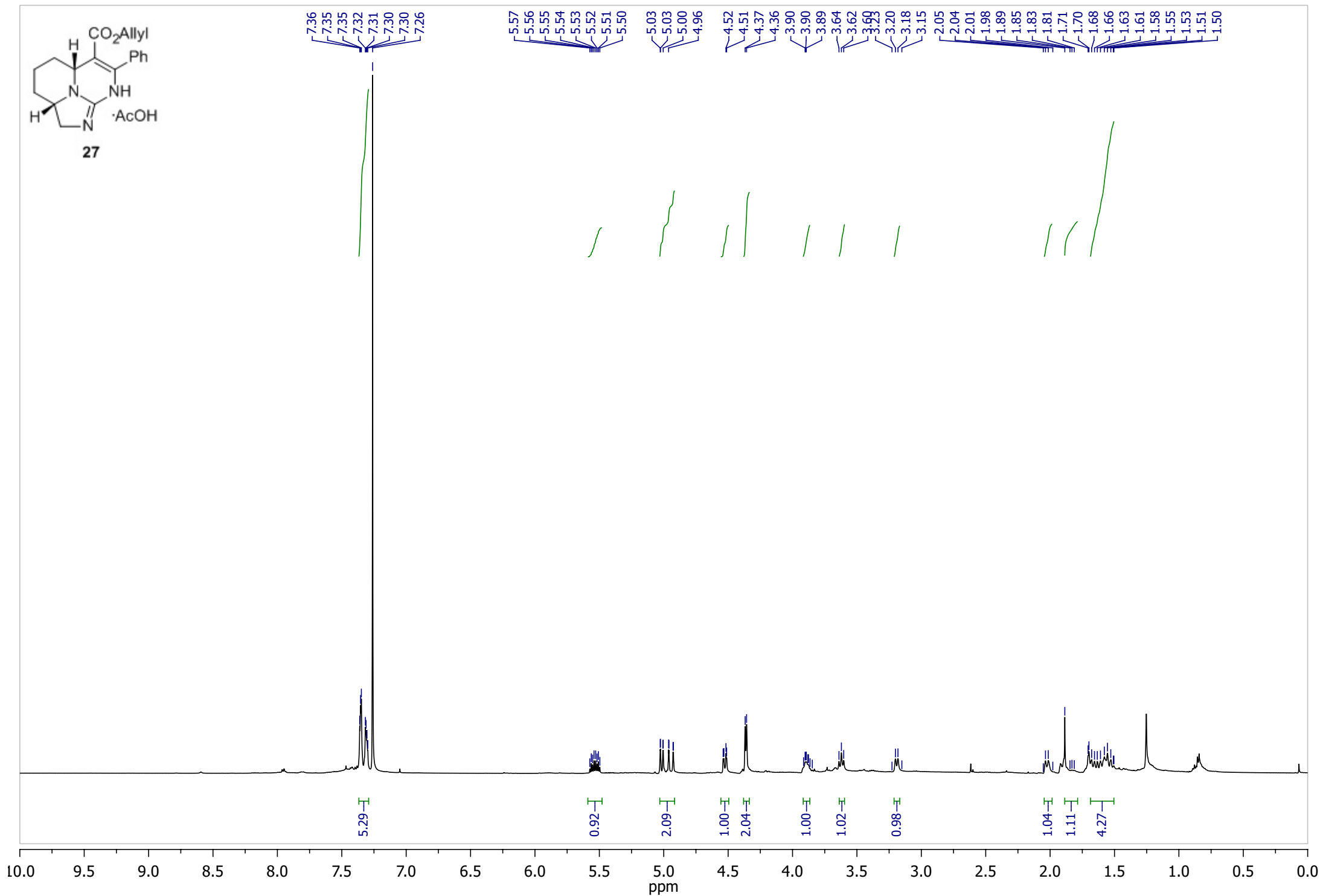
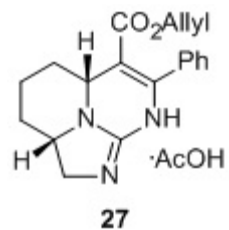


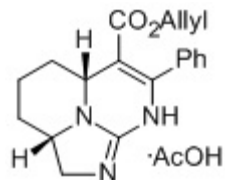


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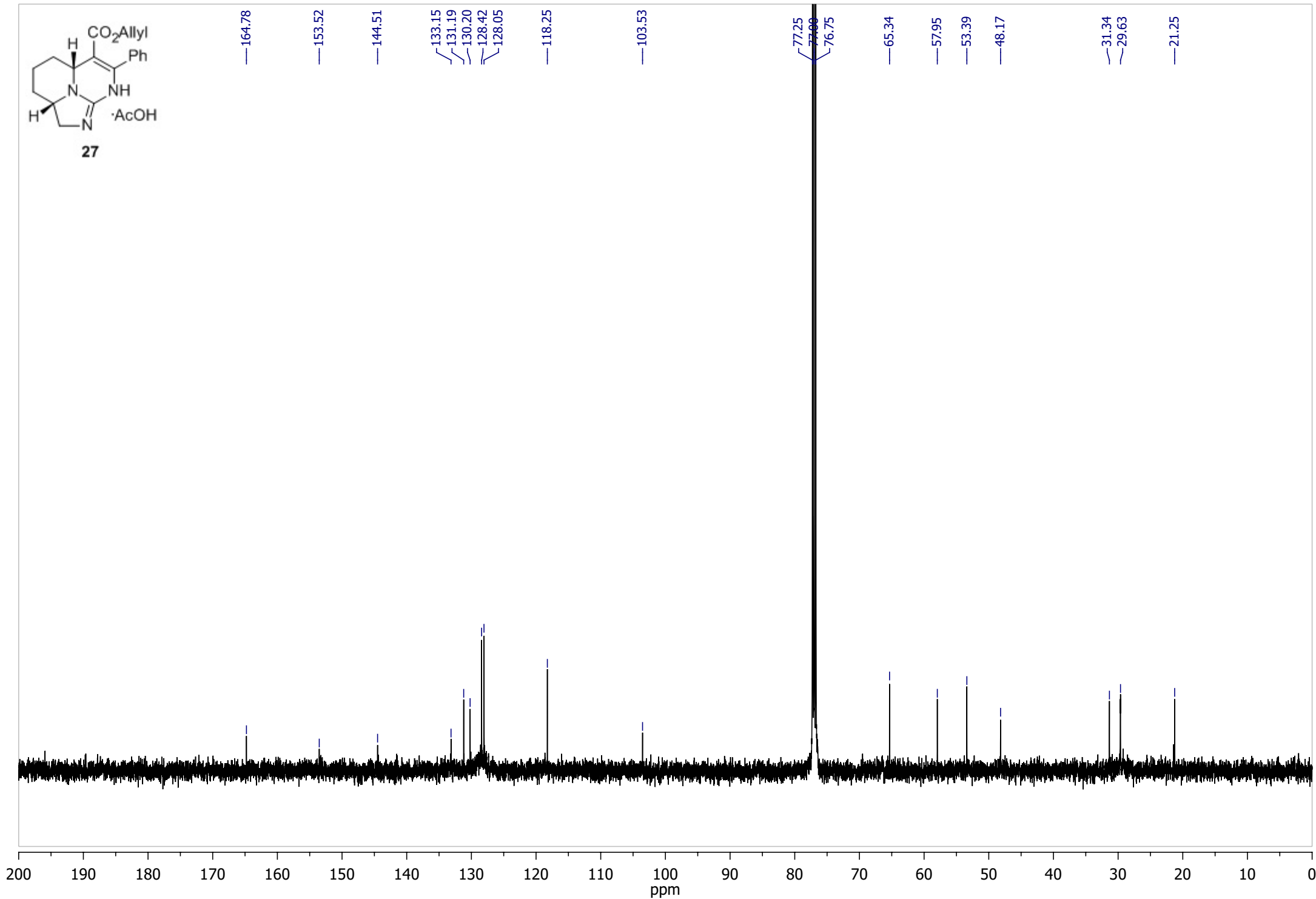


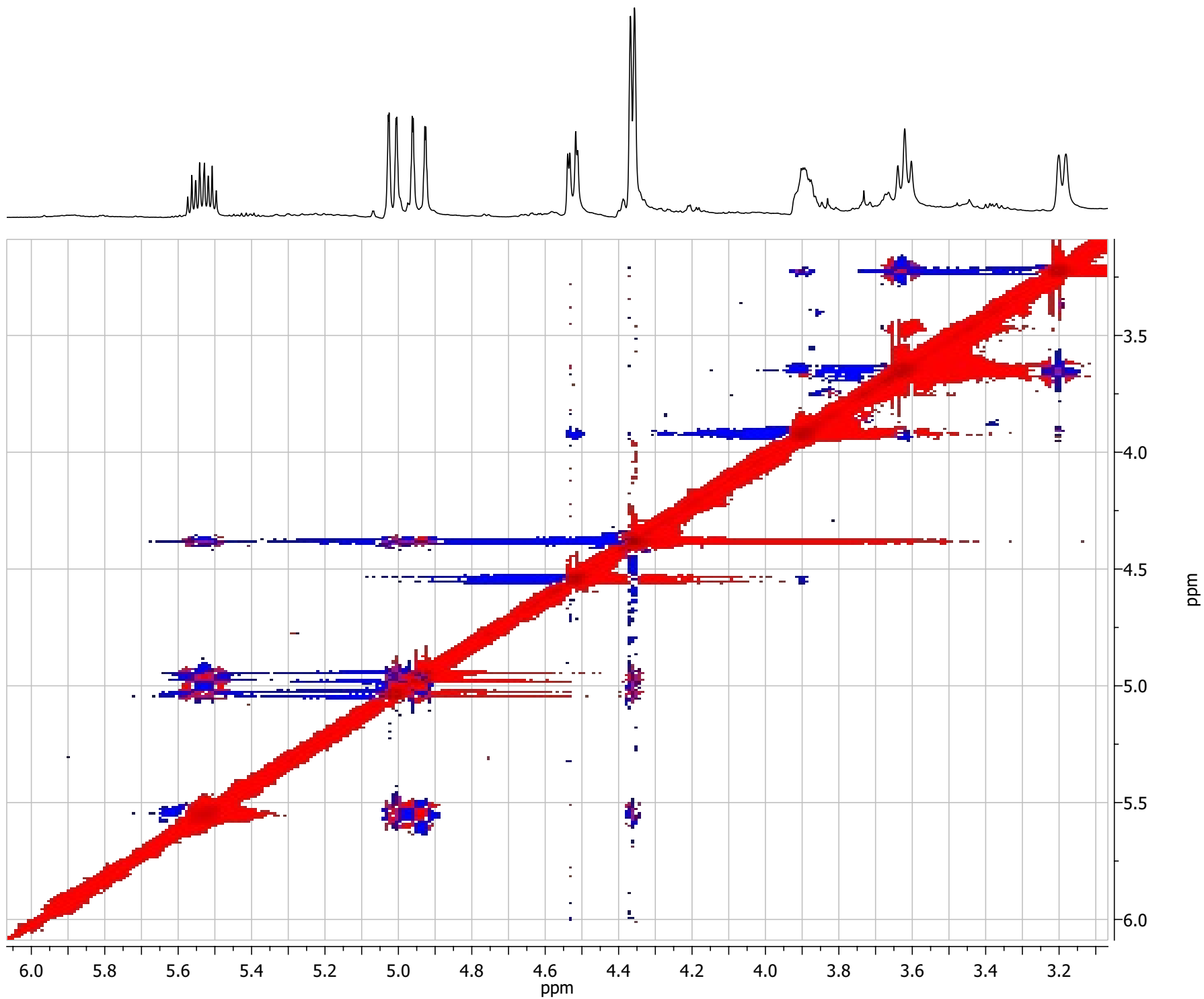
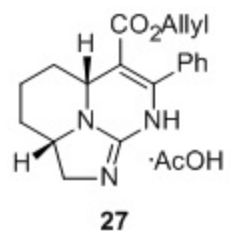


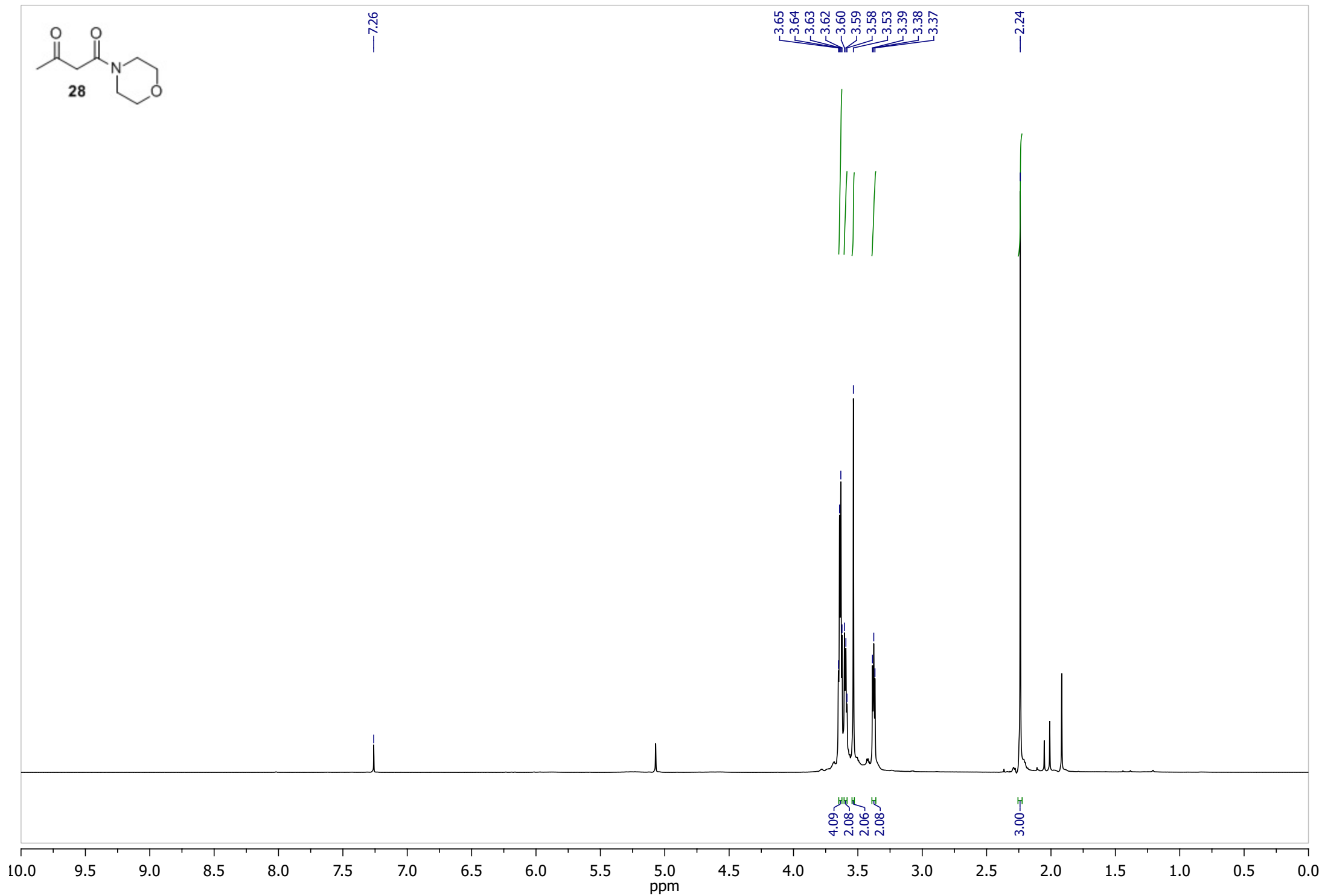
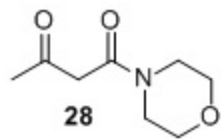


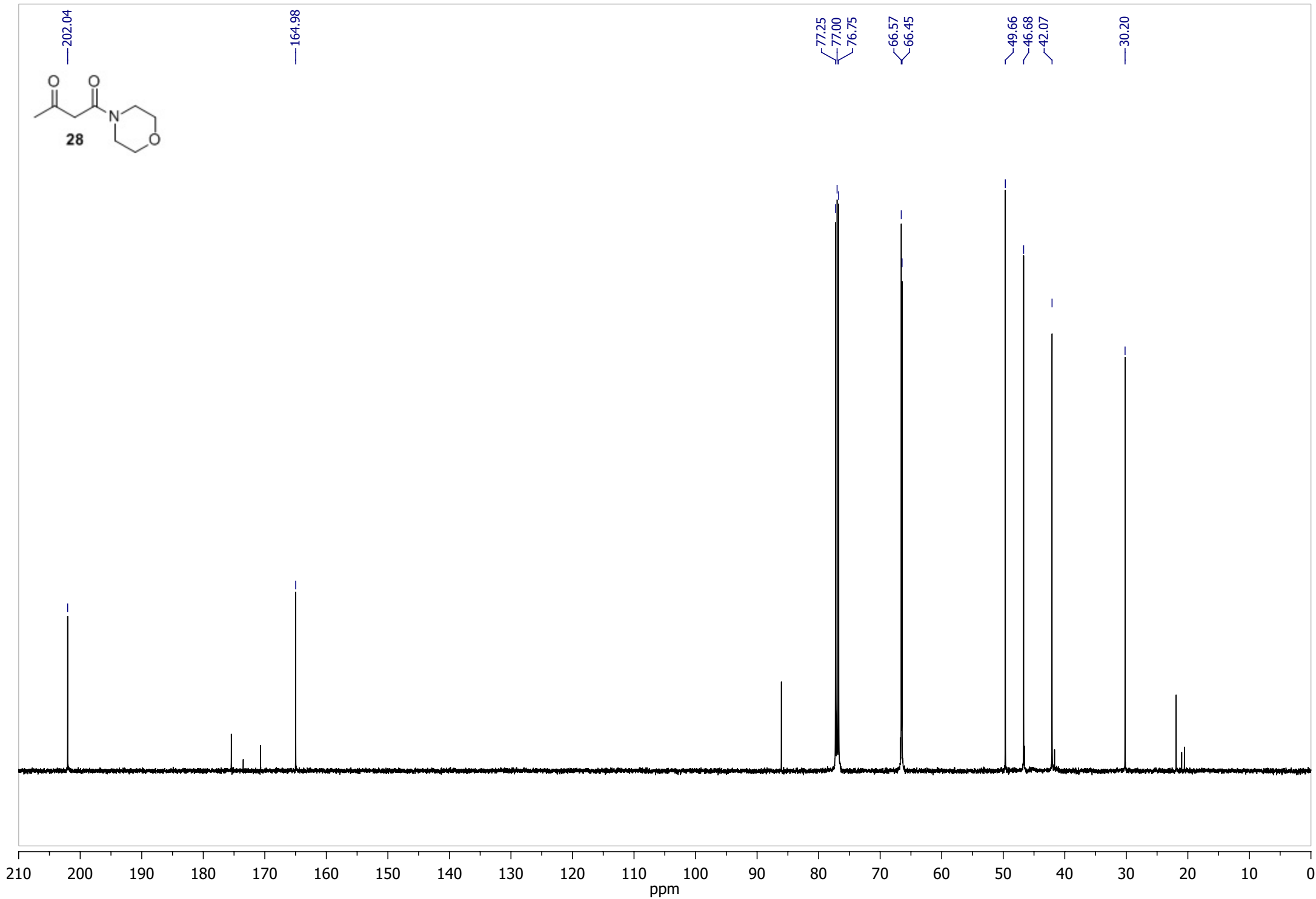
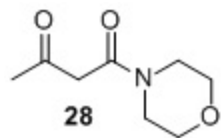


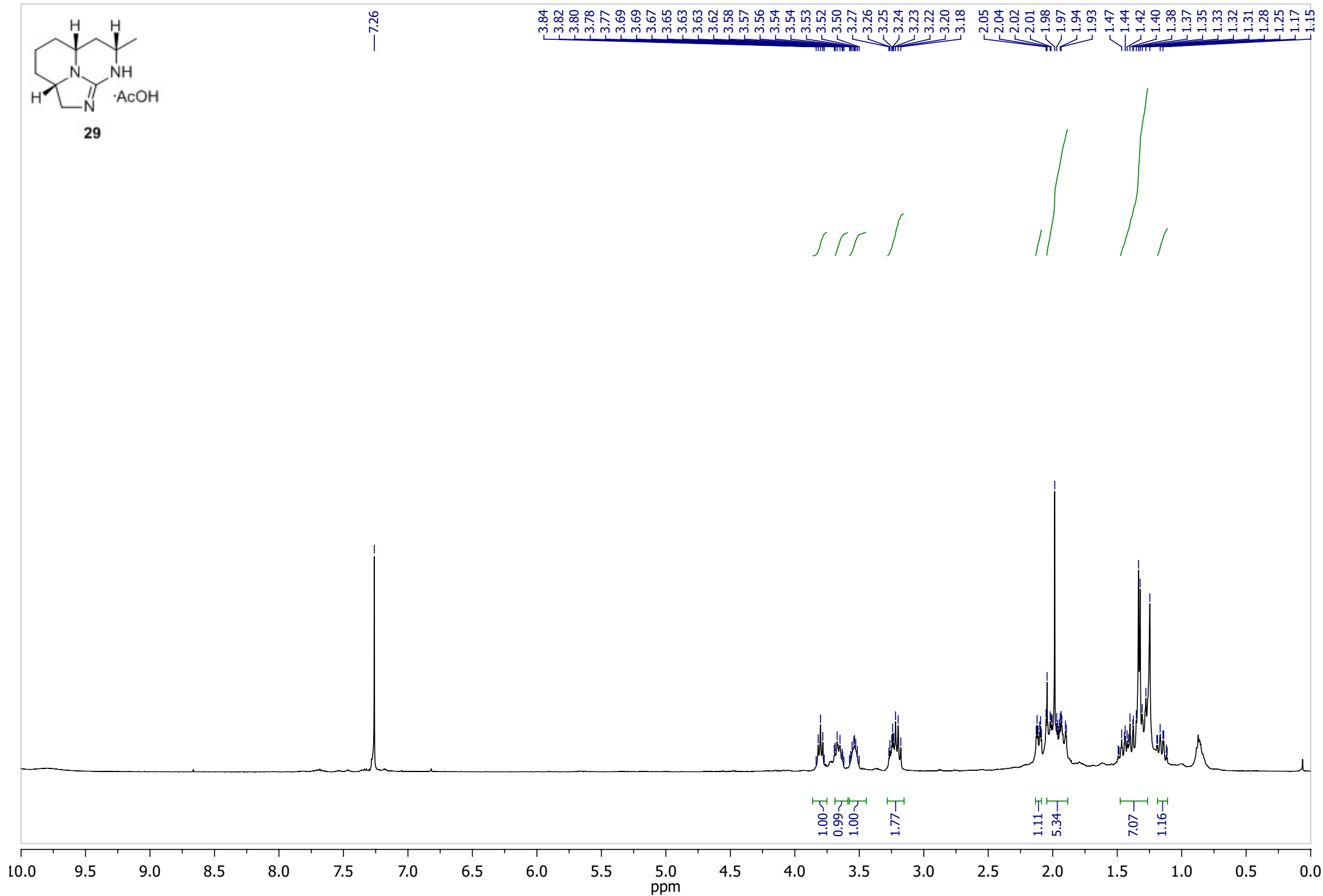
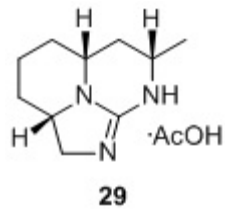
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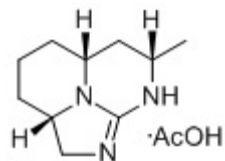




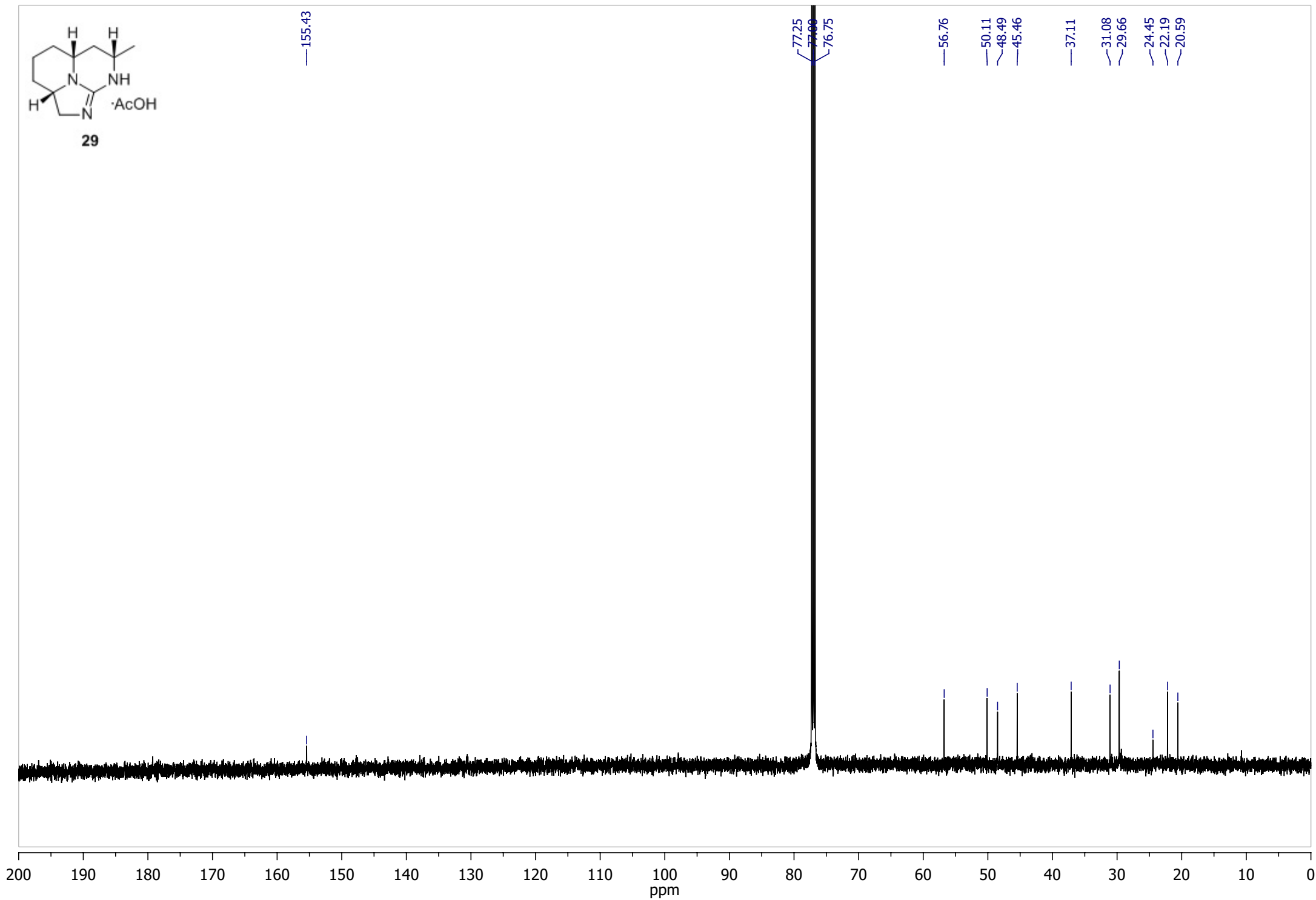


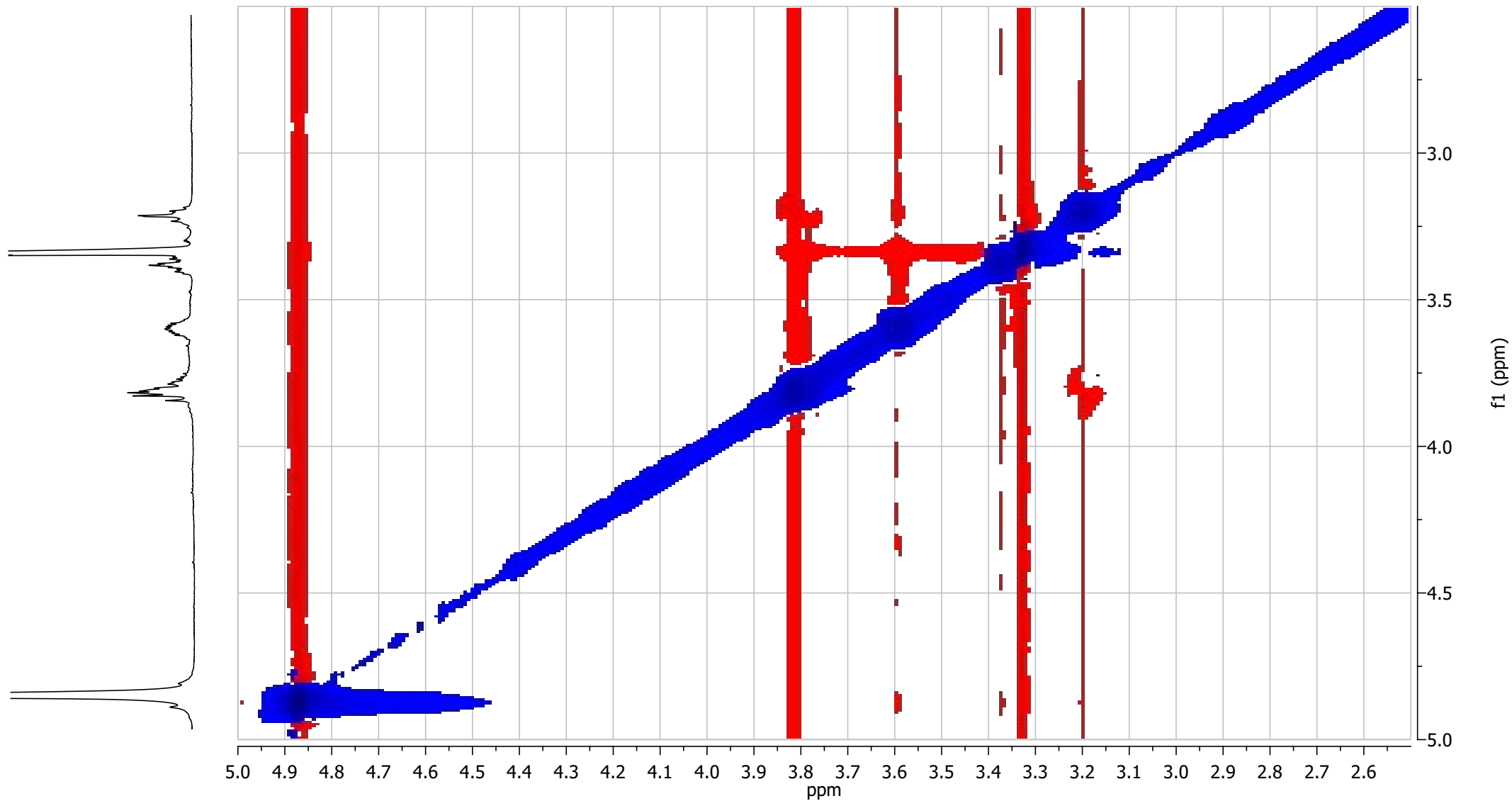
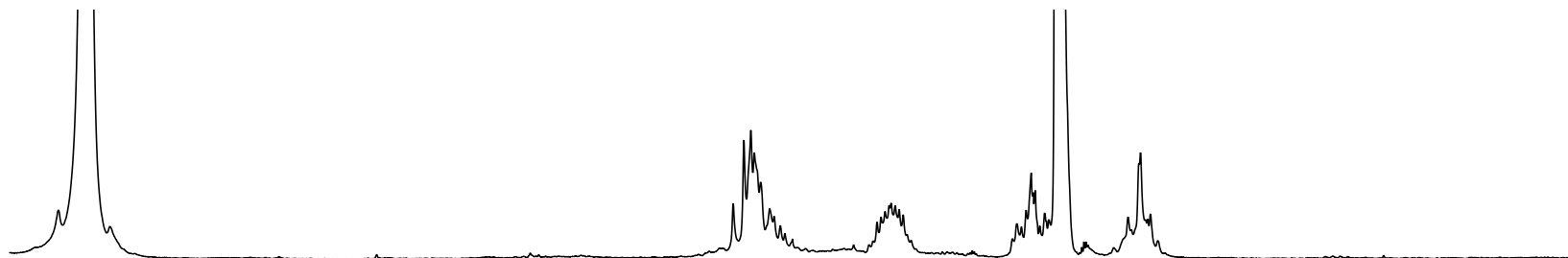
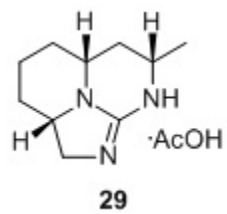


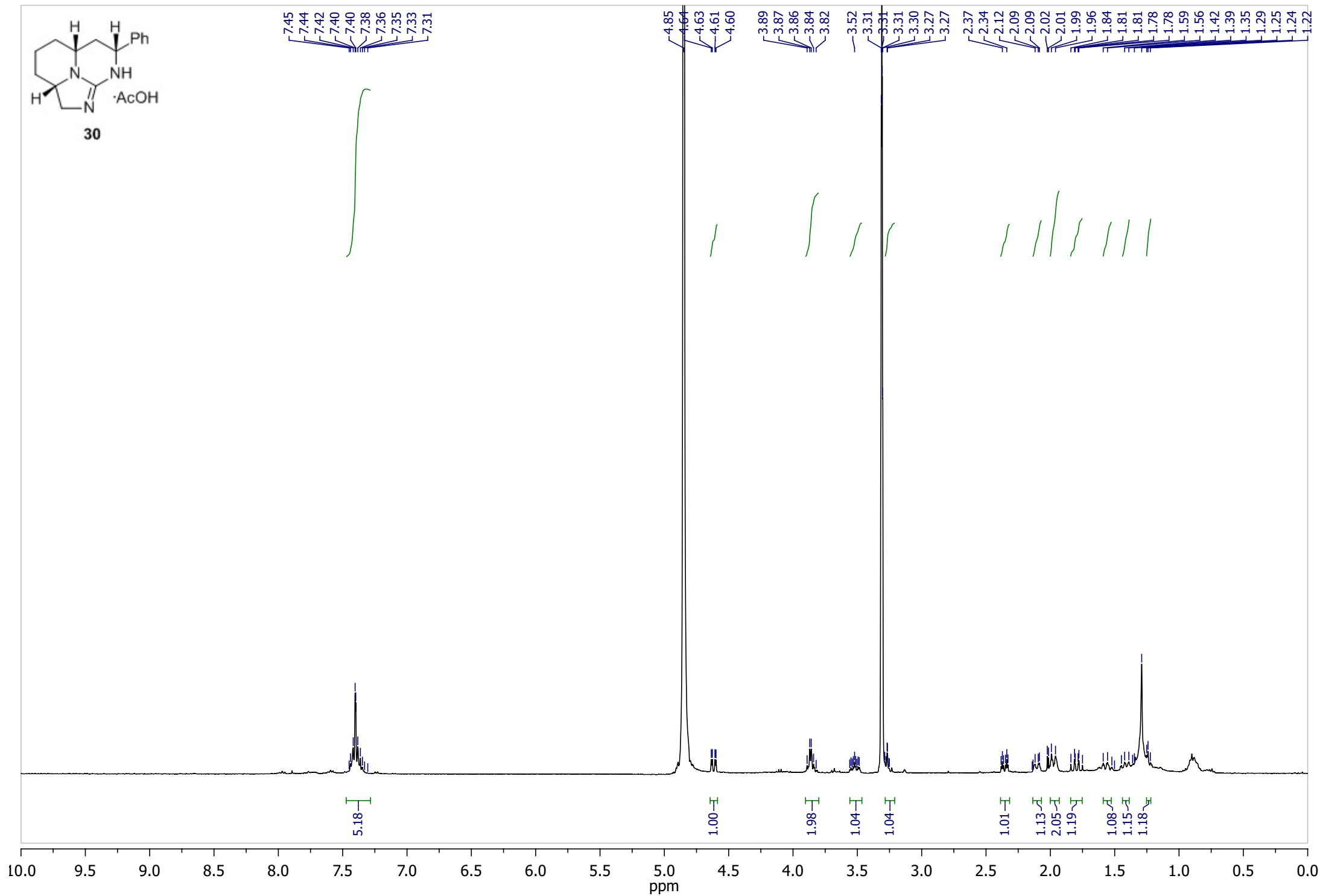
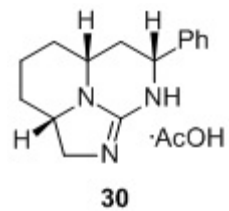


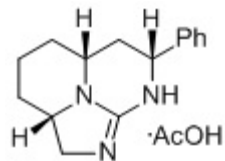


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