

Supporting Information

Synthesis of 3-Aryl-2-Aminoquinolines: Palladium-Catalyzed

Cascade Reactions of *Gem*-dibromovinylanilines with *tert*-Butyl

Isocyanide and Arylboronic Acids

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1. General Considerations

All reagents were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. For flash column chromatography, silica gel (200-300 mesh) was applied. Reactions were monitored using thin-layer chromatography (TLC) on commercial silica gel plates (GF 254). Visualization of the developed plates was performed under UV lights (GF 254 nm). ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on a 400 or 500 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts (δ) were reported in ppm referenced to an internal tetramethylsilane standard (δ 0.00) or the CDCl_3 -d1 residual peak (δ 7.26) for ^1H NMR. Chemical shifts of ^{13}C NMR were reported relative to CDCl_3 (δ 77.0). The following abbreviations were used to describe peak splitting patterns when appropriate: br s = broad singlet, s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet. Coupling constant, J , was reported in Hertz unit (Hz). High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained on an ESI-LC-MS/MS spectrometer.

2. Preparation of Substrates 1

2-(2,2-dibromovinyl)aniline **1** and derivatives, they were characterized in our previous work¹.

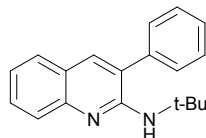
3. General Procedures and Characterization Data

1) Typical procedure for the cascade reaction

A mixture of *gem*-dibromovinylaniline **1** (0.2 mmol), arylboronic acid **2** (0.22 mmol), *t*-butyl isocyanide (0.22 mmol), $\text{Pd}(\text{dppf})\text{Cl}_2$ (0.01 mmol), and Cs_2CO_3 (0.44 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (2.0 mL) was stirred at 100°C for 8h in a sealed tube. Upon completion of the reaction, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum and the resulting residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel to give the desired product **3**.

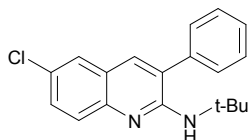
2) Product Characterization

N-(*tert*-butyl)-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (**3a**)



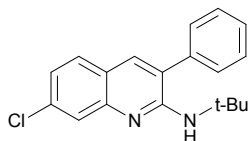
Yellow oil, 43 mg, 78% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.66 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.39 (m, 7H), 7.11 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (s, 1H), 1.43 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 153.30, 146.55, 137.11, 135.30, 132.99, 132.79, 128.89, 128.65, 128.53, 128.40, 128.35, 128.28, 127.80, 127.12, 125.70, 125.44, 122.46, 121.42, 50.92, 28.51. MS(ESI, m/z): 277.1[M+H]⁺, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2$ [M+H]⁺ 277.1699, found 277.1704.

N-(*tert*-butyl)-6-chloro-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (**3b**)



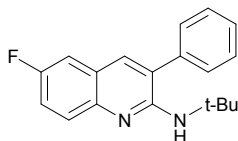
Yellow oil, 54 mg, 87% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (m, 4H), 7.34 (m, 4H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.31, 146.18, 137.94, 134.71, 129.51, 129.24, 129.05, 128.29, 128.09, 127.34, 127.01, 125.98, 123.83, 51.92, 29.24. MS(ESI, m/z): 311.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{ClN}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 311.1310, found 311.1312.

N-(tert-butyl)-7-chloro-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3c)



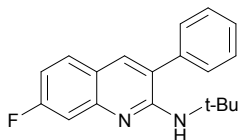
Yellow oil, 52 mg, 83% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.37 (m, 6H), 7.03 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (s, 1H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.75, 148.34, 138.01, 135.30, 134.79, 129.24, 129.06, 128.74, 128.32, 128.23, 127.24, 127.20, 126.57, 125.71, 122.54, 121.57, 51.96, 29.21. MS(ESI, m/z): 311.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{ClN}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 311.1310, found 311.1313.

N-(tert-butyl)-6-fluoro-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3d)



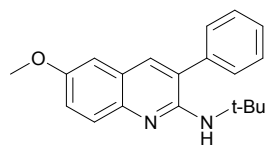
Yellow oil, 50 mg, 85% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.38 (m, 6H), 7.17 (t, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (s, 1H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 159.33, 156.94, 153.70, 144.52, 138.05, 135.06, 135.02, 129.20, 129.05, 128.74, 128.42, 128.33, 128.22, 127.32, 127.24, 127.19, 123.23, 123.13, 118.28, 118.04, 110.68, 110.46, 51.80, 29.25. MS(ESI, m/z): 295.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{FN}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 295.1605, found 295.1608.

N-(tert-butyl)-7-fluoro-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3e)



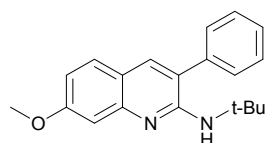
Yellow oil, 51 mg, 86% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.50 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.36 (dd, J = 16.3, 6.9 Hz, 5H), 7.26 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (t, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (s, 1H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 164.94, 162.49, 154.81, 148.99, 148.86, 141.47, 138.16, 135.41, 129.21, 129.13, 128.93, 128.82, 128.74, 128.13, 127.24, 127.20, 125.58, 120.04, 111.42, 111.18, 110.74, 110.54, 51.92, 29.24. MS(ESI, m/z): 295.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{FN}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 295.1605, found 295.1609.

N-(tert-butyl)-6-methoxy-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3f)



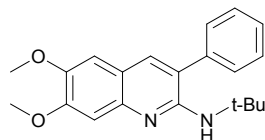
Yellow oil, 48 mg, 79% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.45 (s, 1H), 7.36 (m, 5H), 7.11 (d, $J = 9.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.85 (s, 1H), 4.50 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 155.06, 153.02, 143.33, 138.66, 135.05, 129.16, 129.09, 128.74, 128.03, 127.95, 127.20, 126.68, 123.45, 120.30, 107.02, 55.69, 51.70, 29.39. MS(ESI, m/z): 307.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ [M+H] $^+$ 307.1805, found 307.1810.

N-(tert-butyl)-7-methoxy-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3g)



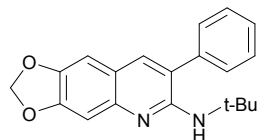
Yellow oil, 50 mg, 81% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.35 (m, 6H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 6.75 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.64 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 161.03, 154.60, 149.29, 138.70, 135.50, 129.24, 129.10, 128.74, 128.27, 127.79, 127.19, 123.92, 118.00, 113.76, 106.54, 55.38, 51.77, 29.39. MS(ESI, m/z): 307.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ [M+H] $^+$ 307.1805, found 307.1811.

N-(tert-butyl)-6,7-dimethoxy-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3h)



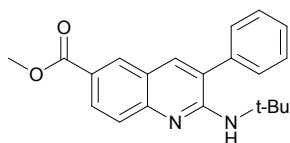
Yellow oil, 53 mg, 79% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.36 (m, 6H), 7.06 (s, 1H), 6.82 (s, 1H), 4.52 (s, 1H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.30, 151.85, 146.18, 143.85, 138.59, 134.66, 129.11, 129.03, 127.68, 123.84, 117.02, 106.66, 106.17, 77.25, 77.00, 76.74, 55.97, 55.92, 51.53, 29.30. MS(ESI, m/z): 337.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ [M+H] $^+$ 337.1911, found 337.1913.

N-(tert-butyl)-7-phenyl-[1,3]dioxolo[4,5-g]quinolin-6-amine (3i)



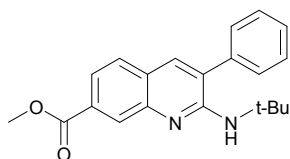
White solid, 54 mg, 85% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.33 (m, 6H), 7.02 (s, 1H), 6.78 (s, 1H), 5.89 (s, 2H), 4.50 (s, 1H), 1.39 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.35, 150.15, 145.27, 144.35, 138.69, 135.15, 129.18, 129.07, 128.73, 127.76, 127.23, 127.18, 123.84, 118.38, 104.52, 103.27, 100.92, 51.66, 29.43. MS(ESI, m/z): 321.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ [M+H] $^+$ 321.1598, found 321.1602.

methyl 2-(tert-butylamino)-3-phenylquinoline-6-carboxylate (3j)



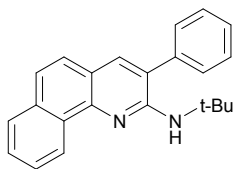
White solid, 55 mg, 82% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.23 (s, 1H), 8.03 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.62 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.39 (m, 5H), 4.86 (s, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 167.28, 155.54, 150.40, 137.72, 136.45, 130.46, 129.31, 129.12, 129.03, 128.36, 127.14, 126.42, 123.49, 122.24, 52.14, 51.73, 29.17. MS(ESI, m/z): 335.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 335.1754, found 335.1757.

methyl 2-(tert-butylamino)-3-phenylquinoline-7-carboxylate (3k)



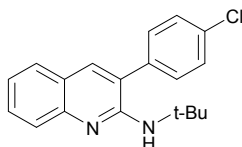
White solid, 52 mg, 78% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.35 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.38 (m, 5H), 4.72 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 167.54, 154.59, 147.09, 137.83, 135.25, 130.57, 129.25, 128.97, 128.91, 128.72, 128.38, 127.32, 127.17, 126.02, 121.74, 51.98, 51.93, 29.17. MS(ESI, m/z): 335.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 335.1754, found 335.1757.

N-(tert-butyl)-3-phenylbenzo[h]quinolin-2-amine (3l)



White solid, 50 mg, 77% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 9.07 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.73 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.52 (m, 3H), 7.39 (m, 6H), 7.32 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.77 (s, 1H), 1.52 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.02, 145.33, 138.55, 136.29, 134.42, 131.26, 129.21, 129.17, 128.73, 127.95, 127.61, 127.18, 127.12, 125.81, 125.44, 125.12, 124.91, 122.53, 119.48, 51.80, 29.26. MS(ESI, m/z): 327.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 327.1856, found 327.1857.

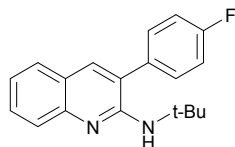
N-(tert-butyl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)quinolin-2-amine (3m)



Yellow oil, 51 mg, 83% yield. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.64 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 (m, 3H), 7.37 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.10 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.50 (s, 1H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.81, 147.81, 136.89, 135.99, 134.28, 130.55, 129.44, 129.22, 127.27, 126.70, 125.10, 123.08, 122.08, 51.95, 29.32. MS(ESI, m/z): 311.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$,

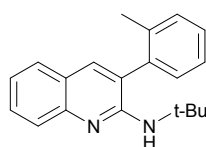
HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $C_{19}H_{20}ClN_2$ $[M+H]^+$ 311.1310, found 311.1314.

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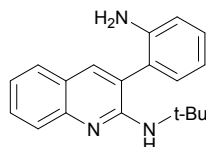
Yellow oil, 54 mg, 92% yield. 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.64 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (m, 3H), 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.08 (m, 3H), 4.50 (s, 1H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 163.94, 161.48, 154.06, 147.75, 135.95, 134.30, 130.99, 130.91, 129.10, 127.23, 126.68, 125.31, 123.11, 122.01, 116.27, 116.06, 51.87, 29.30. MS(ESI, m/z): 295.1 $[M+H]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $C_{19}H_{20}FN_2$ $[M+H]^+$ 295.1605, found 295.1604.

N-(tert-butyl)-3-(o-tolyl)quinolin-2-amine (3o)



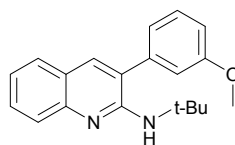
Yellow oil, 50 mg, 87% yield. 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.66 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (m, 3H), 7.23 (m, 3H), 7.12 (m, 2H), 4.16 (s, 1H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 154.35, 147.88, 137.22, 137.01, 135.47, 130.58, 130.30, 128.83, 128.45, 127.20, 126.72, 126.57, 126.15, 123.07, 121.78, 51.60, 29.24, 19.52. MS(ESI, m/z): 291.2 $[M+H]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $C_{20}H_{23}N_2$ $[M+H]^+$ 291.1856, found 291.1855.

3-(2-aminophenyl)-N-(tert-butyl)quinolin-2-amine (3p)



Yellow oil, 48 mg, 83% yield. 1H NMR (500 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.64 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.45 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.63 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.78 (s, 1H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 1.43 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 154.21, 147.60, 147.31, 139.49, 135.40, 130.01, 128.85, 127.22, 126.71, 126.55, 123.19, 121.79, 119.09, 115.74, 114.71, 51.78, 29.34. MS(ESI, m/z): 292.2 $[M+H]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $C_{19}H_{22}N_3$ $[M+H]^+$ 292.1808, found 292.1809.

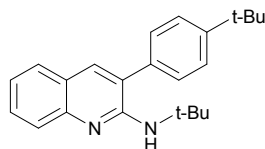
N-(tert-butyl)-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)quinolin-2-amine (3q)



Yellow oil, 53 mg, 86% yield. 1H NMR (500 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.64 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.47 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (m, 1H), 7.31 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (dd, J = 10.9, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.90 (m, 1H), 6.87 (dd, J = 8.3, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s,

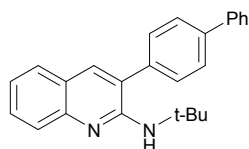
4H), 1.43 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 160.48, 154.07, 147.73, 139.83, 135.66, 130.18, 129.69, 128.98, 127.26, 126.63, 126.29, 123.16, 121.89, 121.41, 114.96, 113.88, 55.39, 51.84, 29.34. MS(ESI, m/z): 307.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ [M+H] $^+$ 307.1805, found 307.1806.

N-(tert-butyl)-3-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)quinolin-2-amine (3r)



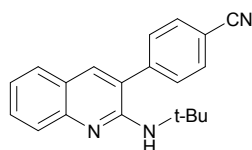
Yellow oil, 52 mg, 79% yield. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.64 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.45 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (dd, J = 5.8, 2.2 Hz, 3H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.08 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.74 (s, 1H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 1.30 (d, J = 0.4 Hz, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.33, 151.25, 147.66, 135.74, 135.40, 128.81, 127.21, 126.61, 126.39, 126.05, 123.34, 121.81, 51.81, 34.73, 31.38, 29.36. MS(ESI, m/z): 333.2[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_2$ [M+H] $^+$ 333.2325, found 333.2325.

3-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-N-(tert-butyl)quinolin-2-amine (3s)



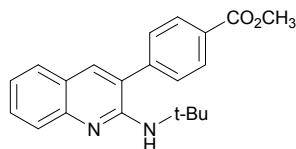
White solid, 49 mg, 70% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.51 (m, 13H), 7.11 (dd, J = 15.3, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (s, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.11, 147.71, 141.46, 141.07, 140.60, 137.34, 135.87, 129.55, 129.03, 128.93, 128.81, 128.75, 127.84, 127.64, 127.52, 127.28, 127.25, 127.20, 127.11, 126.64, 126.02, 123.24, 121.94, 51.91, 29.36. MS(ESI, m/z): 353.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_2$ [M+H] $^+$ 353.2012, found 353.2012.

4-(2-(tert-butylamino)quinolin-3-yl)benzonitrile (3t)



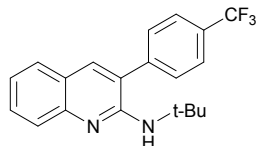
Yellow oil, 43 mg, 71% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.80 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.75 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (m, 5H), 7.23 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (s, 1H), 1.52 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.10, 148.01, 143.40, 136.44, 132.92, 129.98, 129.72, 127.42, 126.79, 124.39, 122.86, 122.38, 118.29, 112.30, 52.14, 29.29. MS(ESI, m/z): 302.1[M+H] $^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_3$ [M+H] $^+$ 302.1652, found 302.1655.

methyl 4-(2-(tert-butylamino)quinolin-3-yl)benzoate (3u)



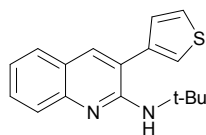
Yellow oil, 51 mg, 76% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.17 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.75 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.55 (m, 4H), 7.21 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.61 (s, 1H), 3.97 (s, 3H), 1.51 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 166.62, 153.55, 147.90, 143.22, 136.07, 130.45, 130.11, 129.36, 129.20, 127.36, 126.72, 125.33, 123.01, 122.13, 52.06, 51.99, 29.30. MS(ESI, m/z): 335.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 335.1754, found 335.1755.

N-(tert-butyl)-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)quinolin-2-amine (3v)



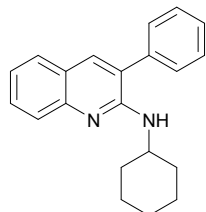
White solid, 50 mg, 72% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.66 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 3H), 7.49 (m, 5H), 7.11 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.46 (s, 1H), 1.42 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.48, 147.95, 142.32, 136.32, 129.62, 129.48, 127.37, 126.77, 126.17, 126.14, 124.86, 122.98, 122.22, 52.04, 29.31. MS(ESI, m/z): 345.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 345.1573, found 345.1577.

N-(tert-butyl)-3-(thiophen-3-yl)quinolin-2-amine (3w)



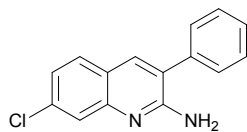
Yellow oil, 43 mg, 76% yield. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.63 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.47 (m, 3H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.17 (d, $J = 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.09 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.82 (s, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.25, 147.66, 138.75, 135.71, 129.02, 128.15, 127.18, 126.84, 126.65, 125.97, 123.65, 123.09, 121.95, 121.31, 119.82, 51.85, 29.33. MS(ESI, m/z): 283.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 283.1263, found 283.1265.

N-cyclohexyl-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (3x)



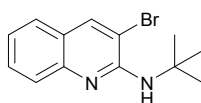
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.72 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.58-7.40 (m, 7H), 7.18 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.68 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.27-4.17 (m, 1H), 2.08 (m, $J = 12.1$ Hz, 2H), 1.47 (m, $J = 24.1$, 11.6 Hz, 3H), 1.28-1.12 (m, 5H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO) δ 153.62, 147.53, 137.56, 136.56, 129.67, 129.56, 129.16, 128.57, 127.98, 125.88, 125.73, 123.46, 122.01, 49.05, 32.53, 25.81, 24.99. MS(ESI, m/z): 303.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 303.4202, found 303.4202.

7-chloro-3-phenylquinolin-2-amine (4c)



^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.74 (s, 1H), 7.68 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.50 (d, J = 4.1 Hz, 4H), 7.45 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (dd, J = 8.5, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (s, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 155.80, 146.96, 137.03, 136.82, 135.53, 129.24, 128.74, 128.58, 128.48, 125.19, 124.20, 123.65, 122.28. MS(ESI, m/z): 254.1 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$. HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 255.0684, found 255.0688.

3-bromo-N-tert-butylquinolin-2-amine (5)²



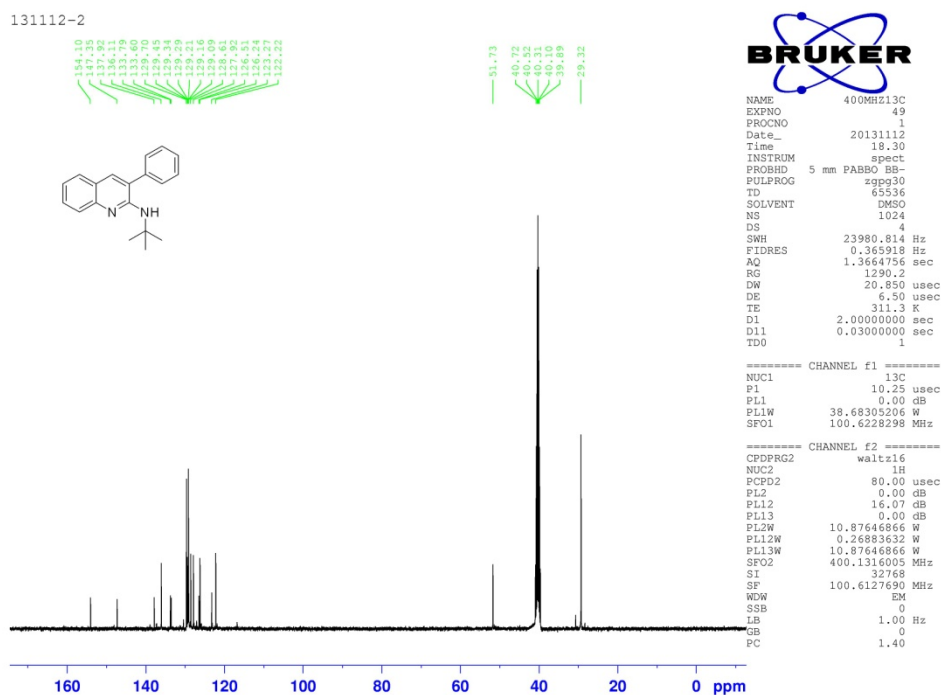
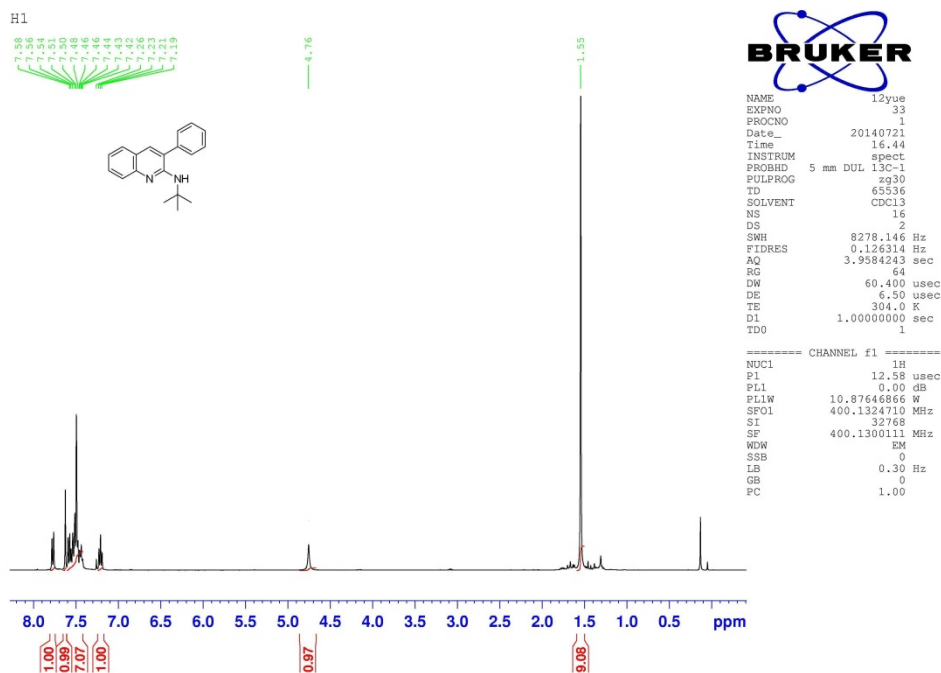
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.95 (s, 1H), 7.61 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (dd, J = 19.4, 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.11 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 1.50 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.70, 146.80, 138.34, 132.25, 132.16, 129.46, 128.54, 128.42, 126.71, 126.38, 123.86, 122.41, 108.96, 52.31, 29.03. MS(ESI, m/z): 279.0 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ HRMS (ESI): Exact mass calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrN}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 279.0491, found 279.0495.

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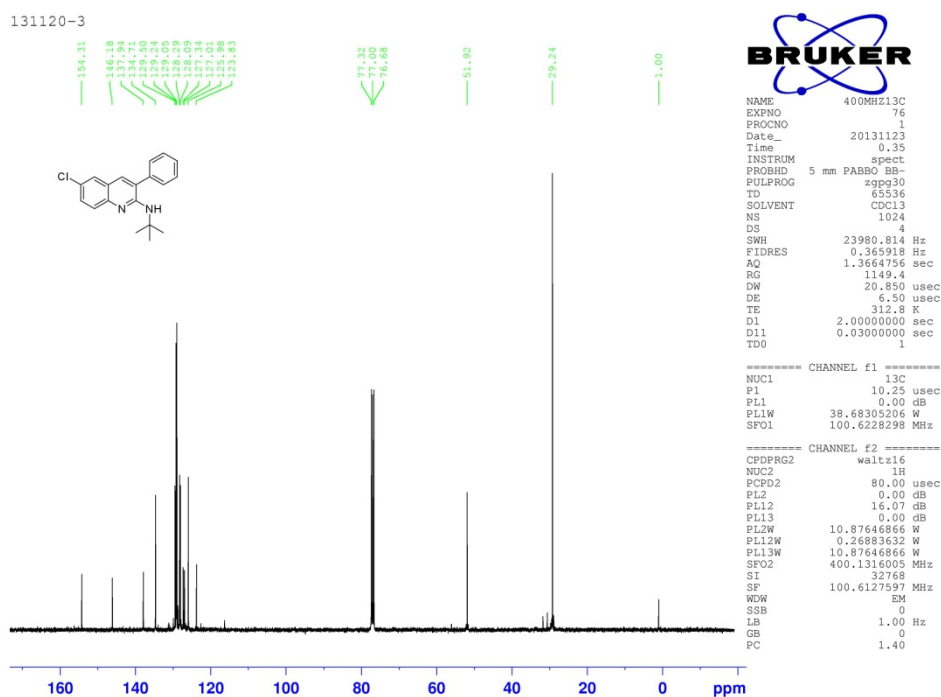
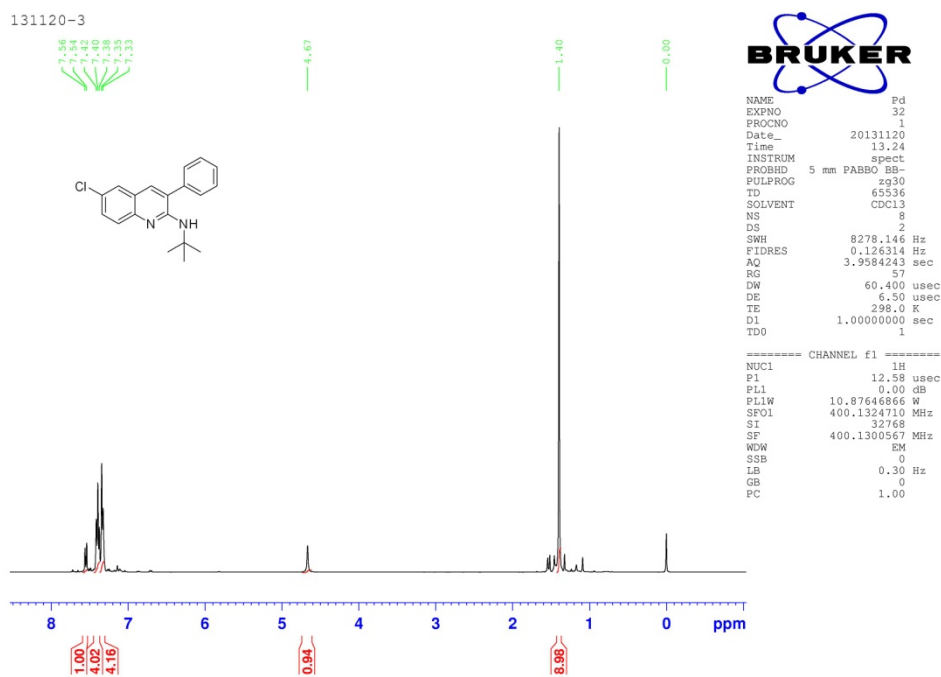
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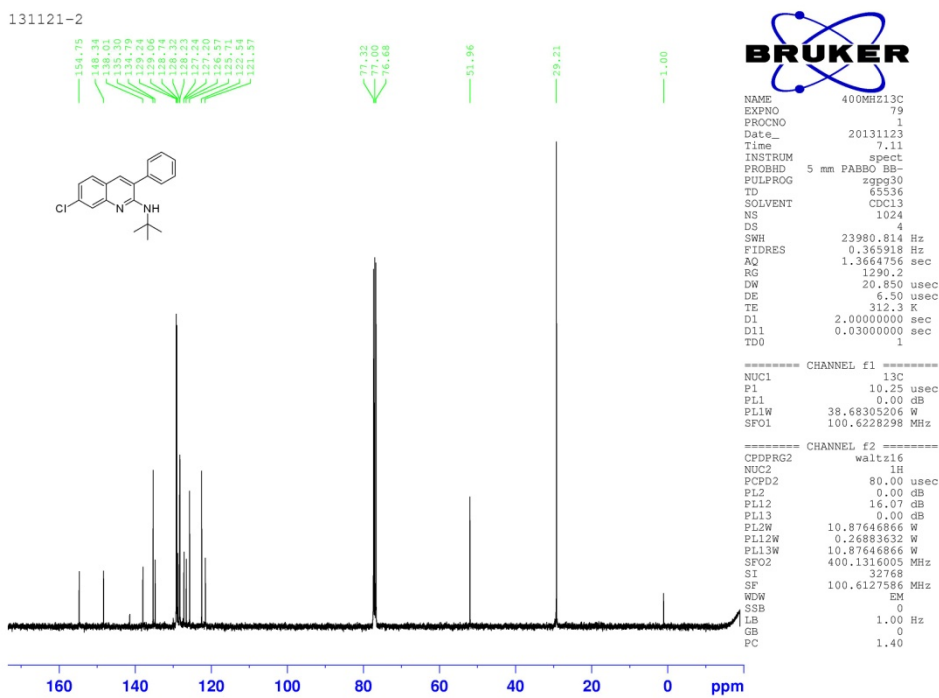
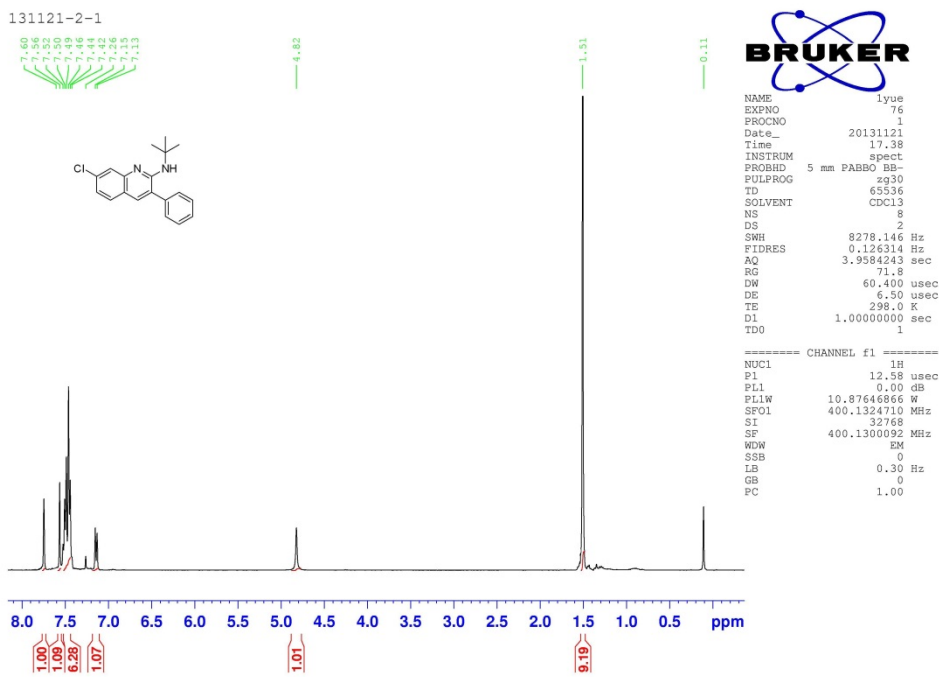
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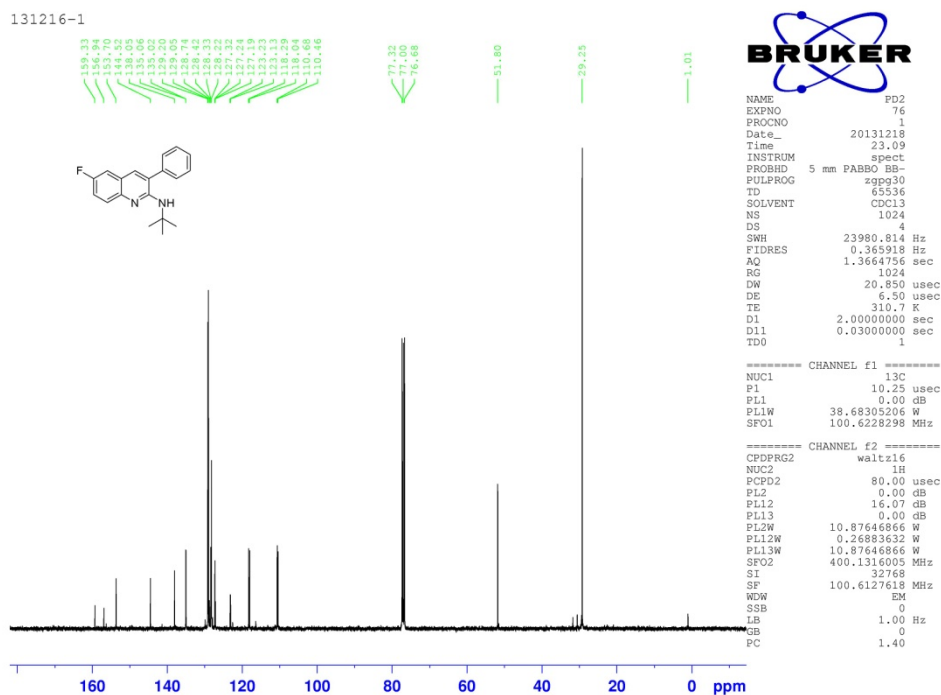
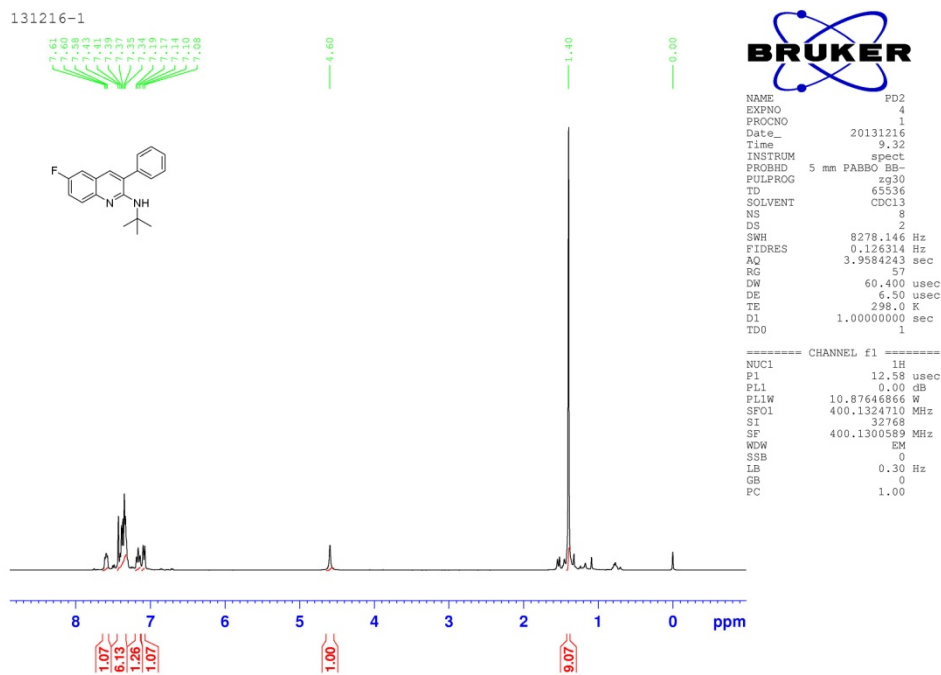
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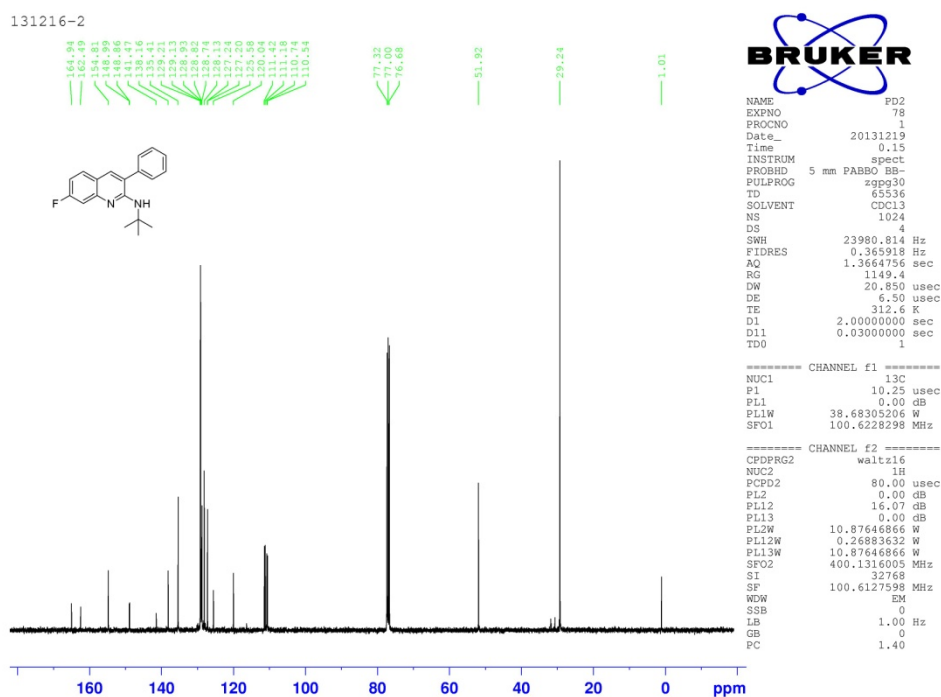
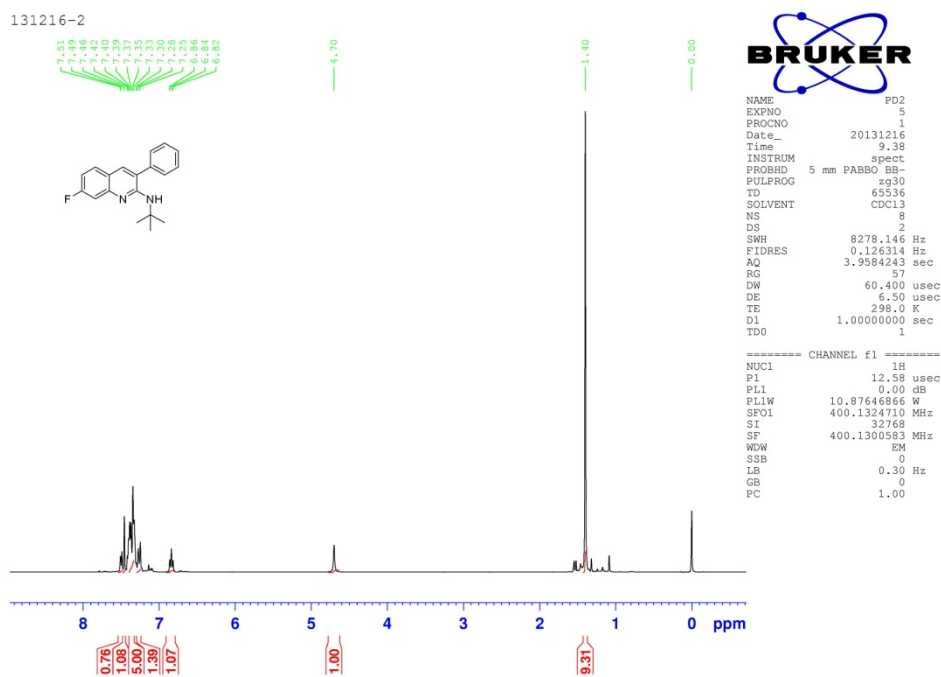
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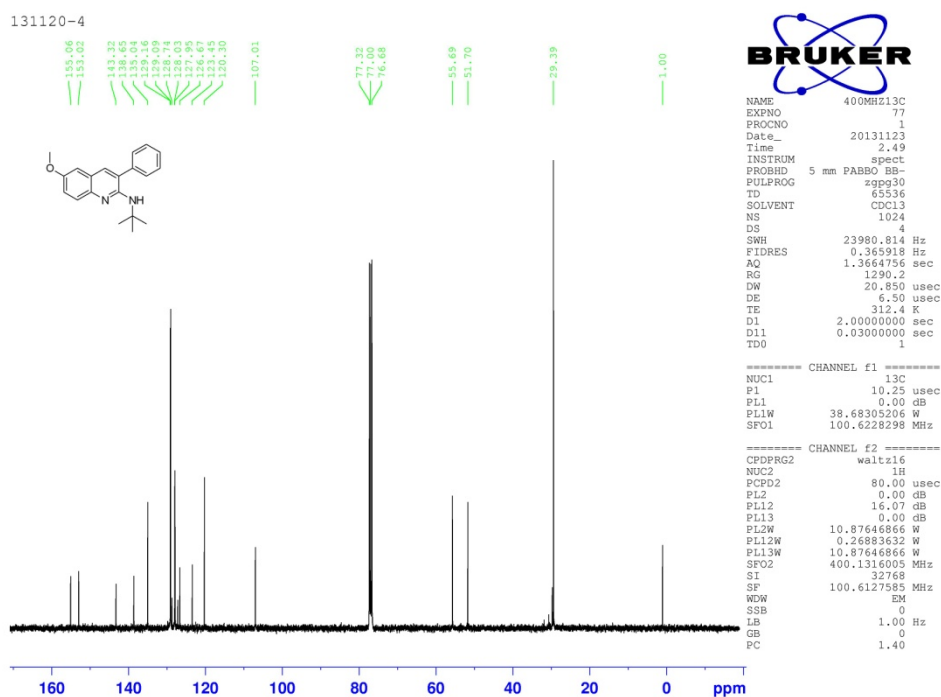
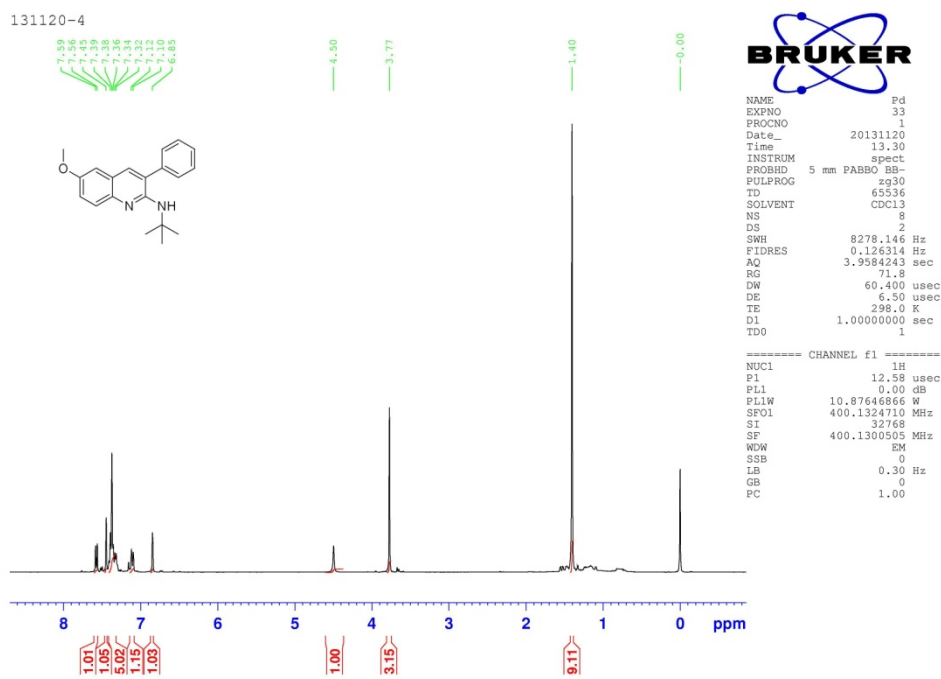
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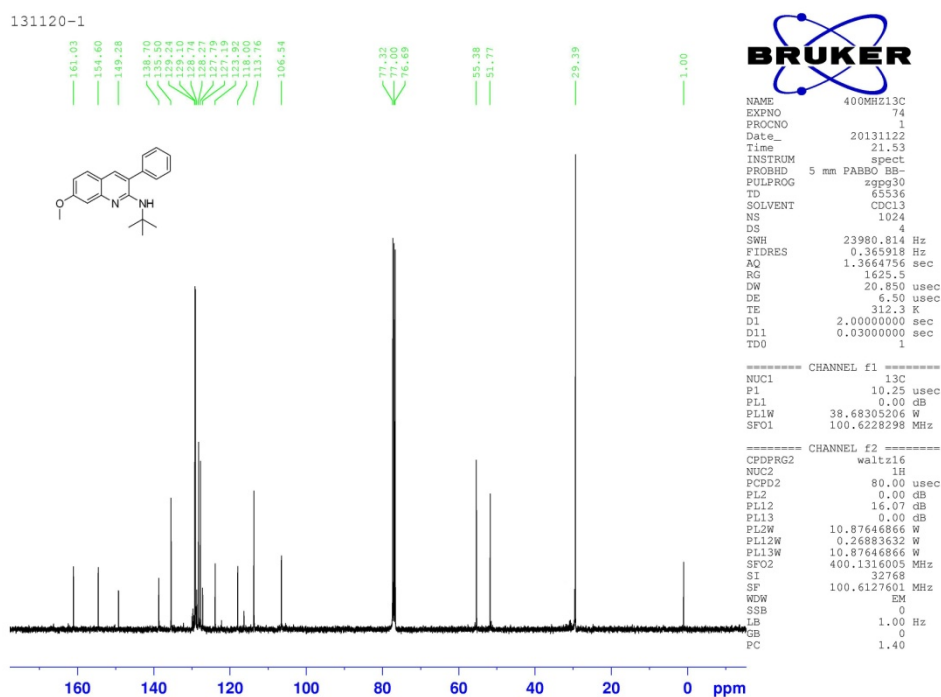
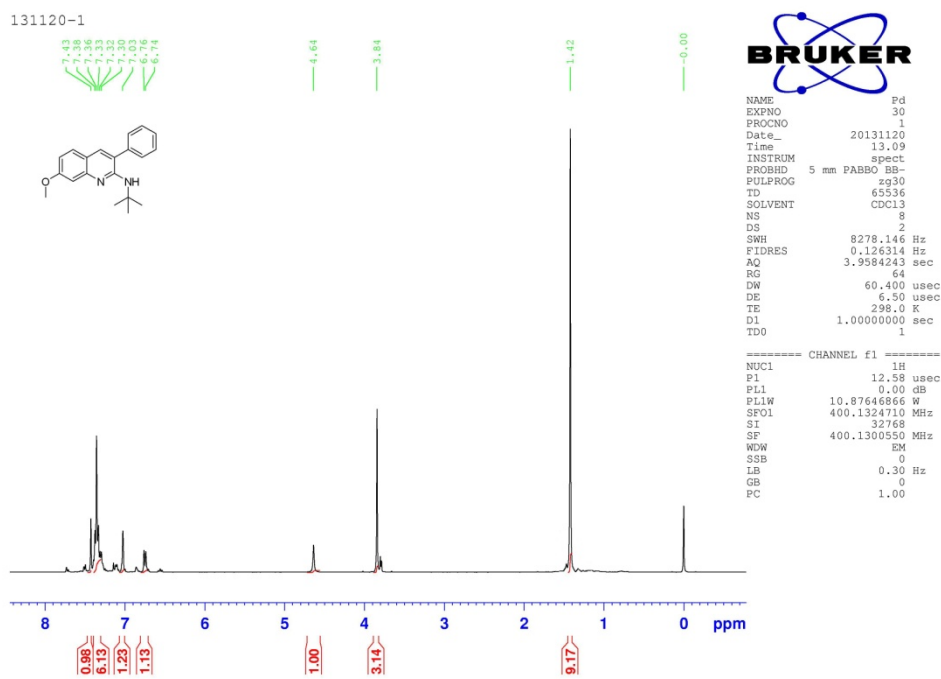
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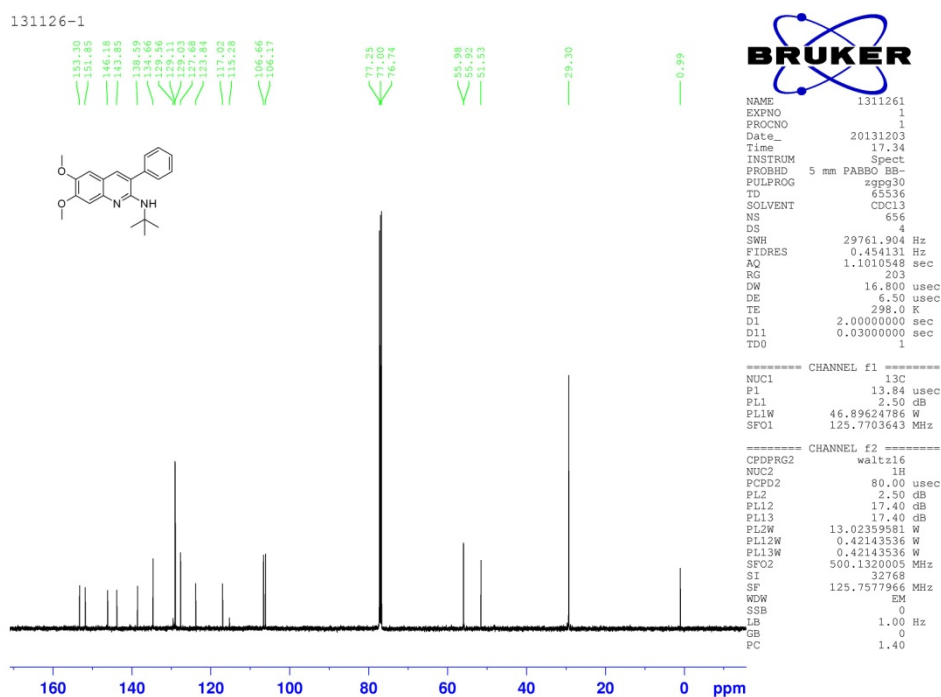
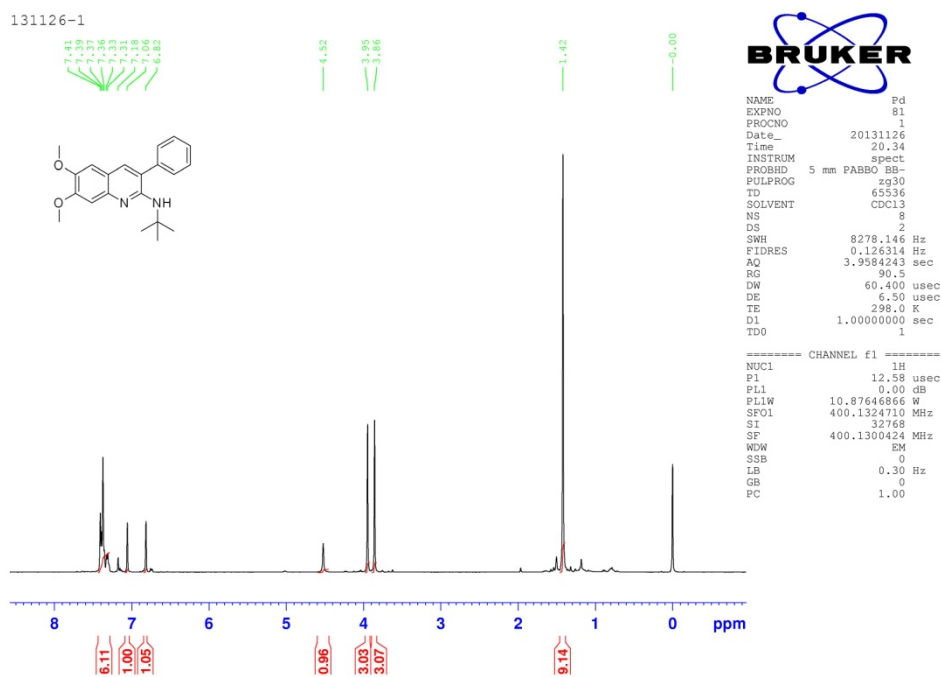
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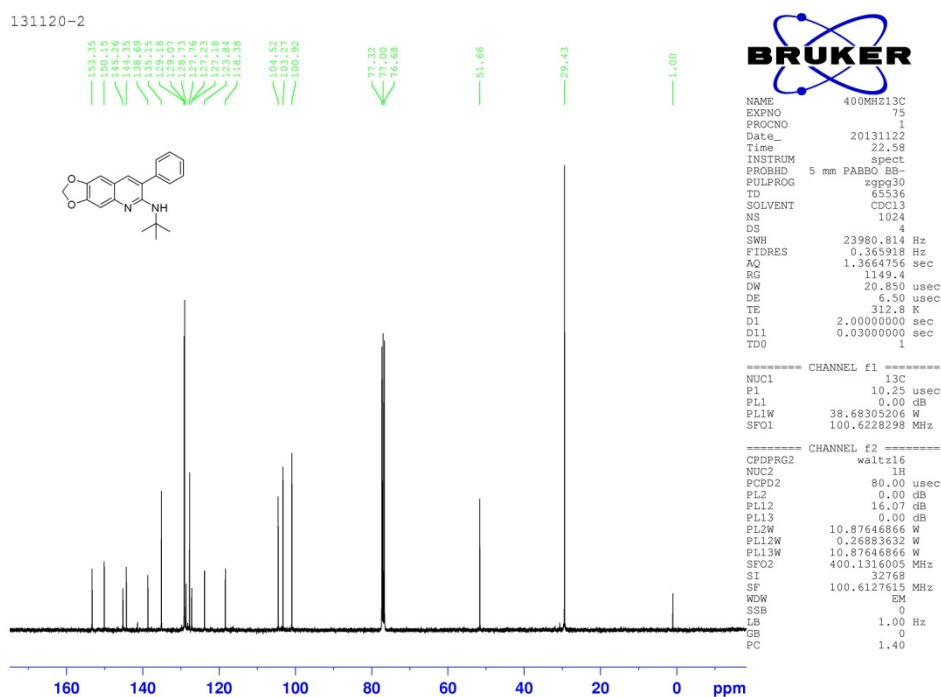
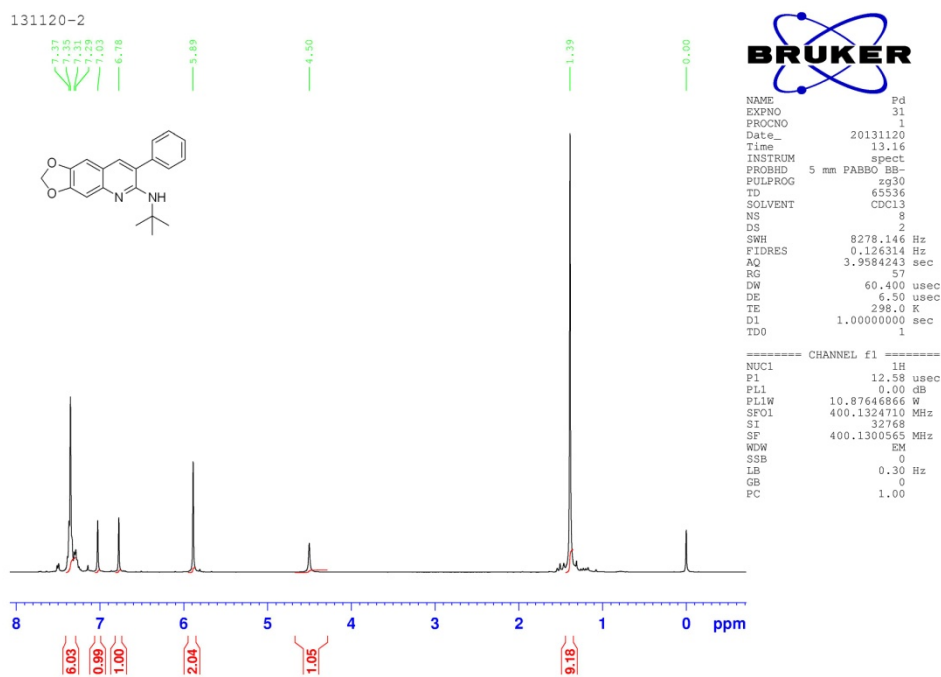
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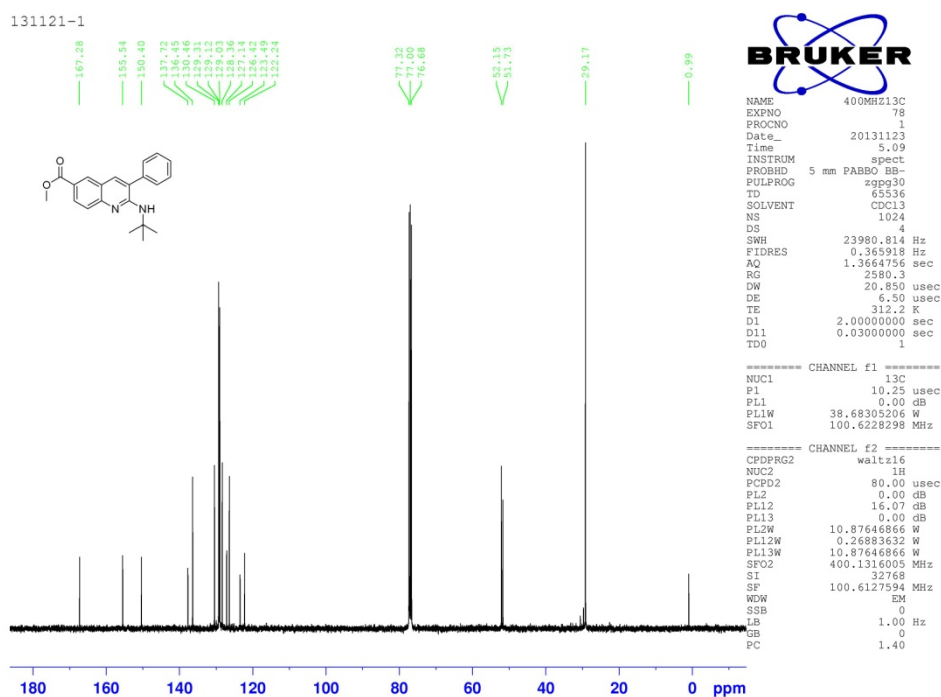
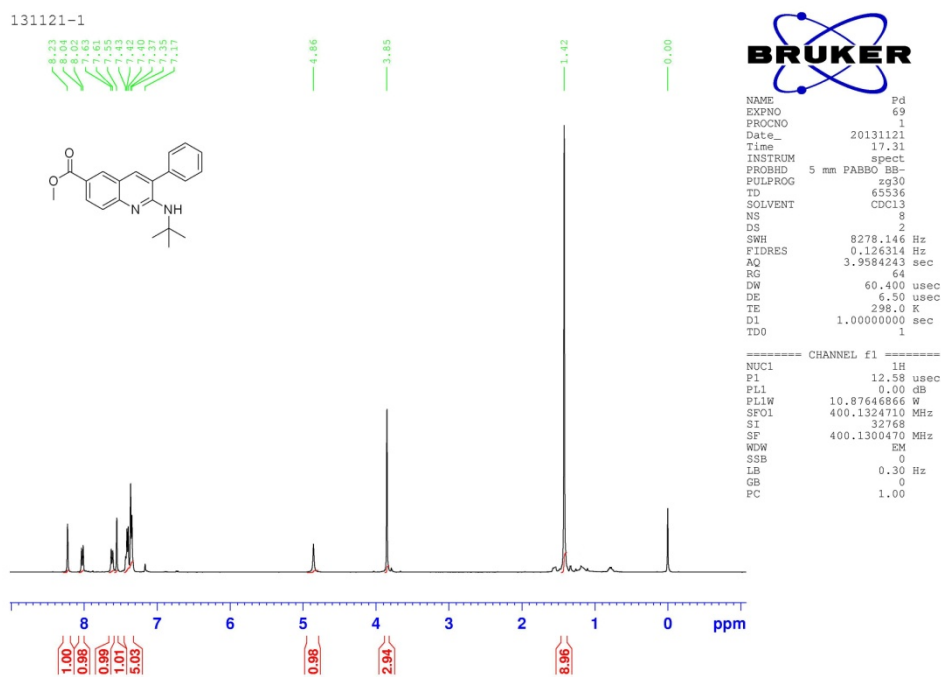
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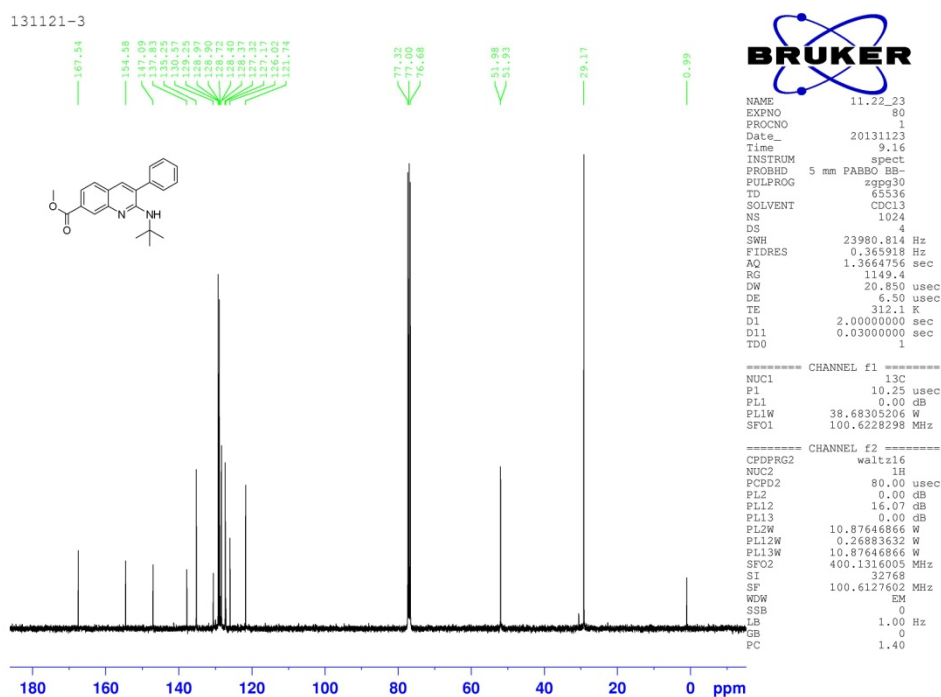
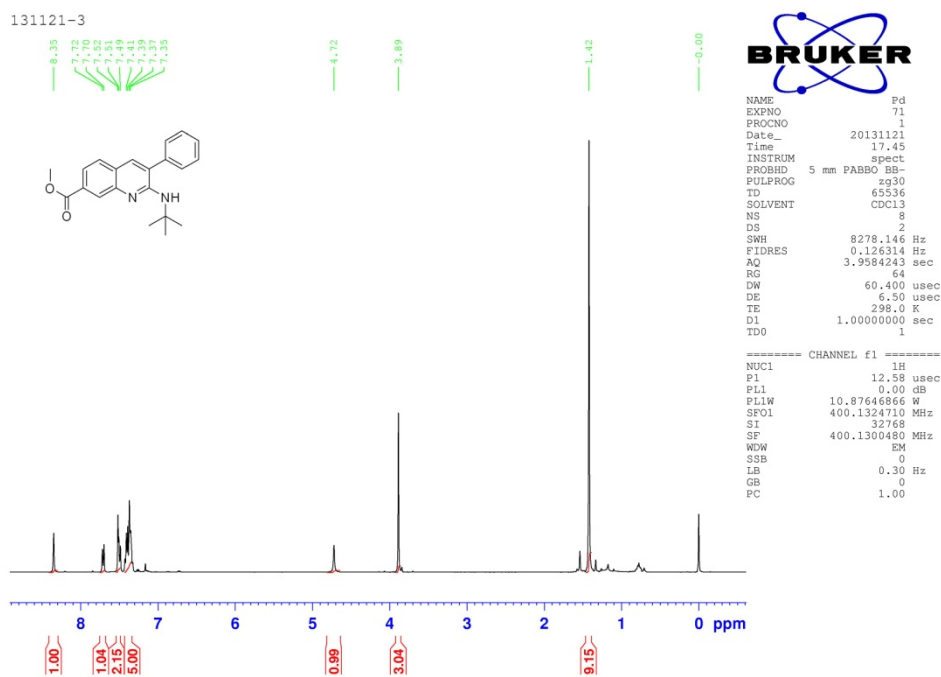
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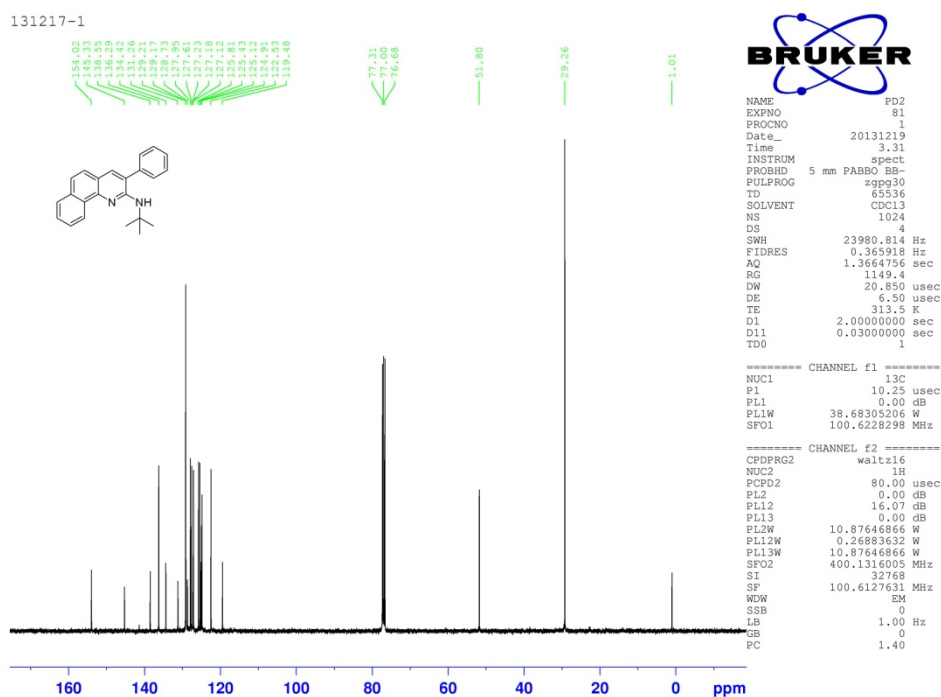
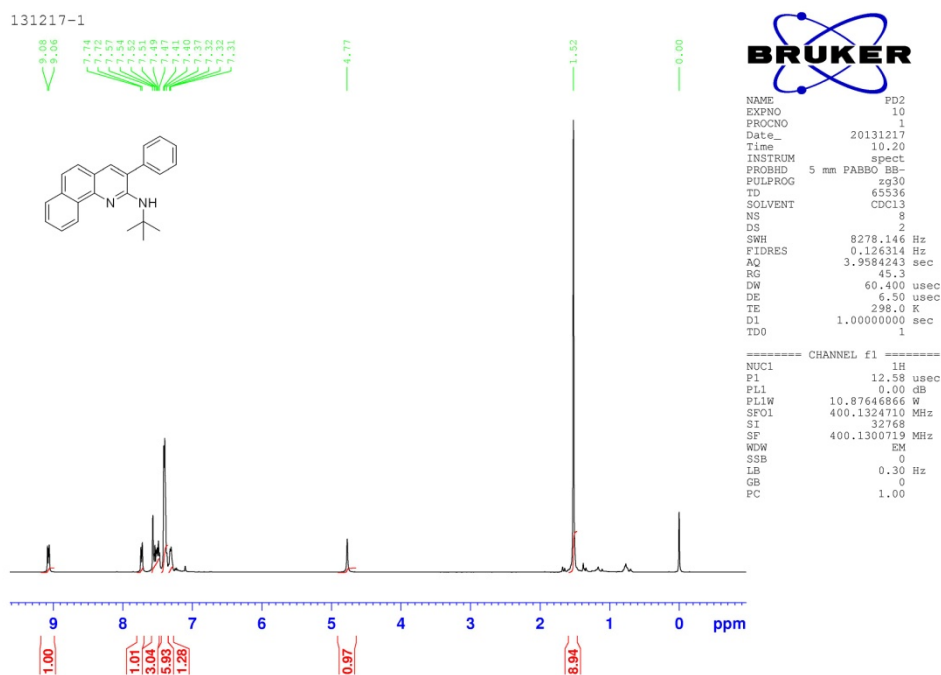


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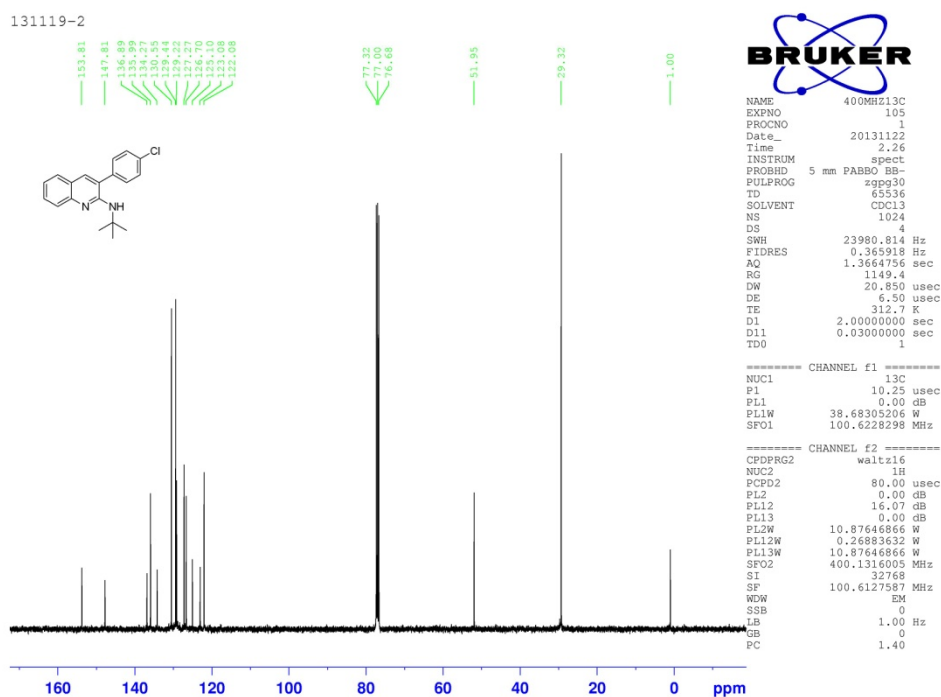
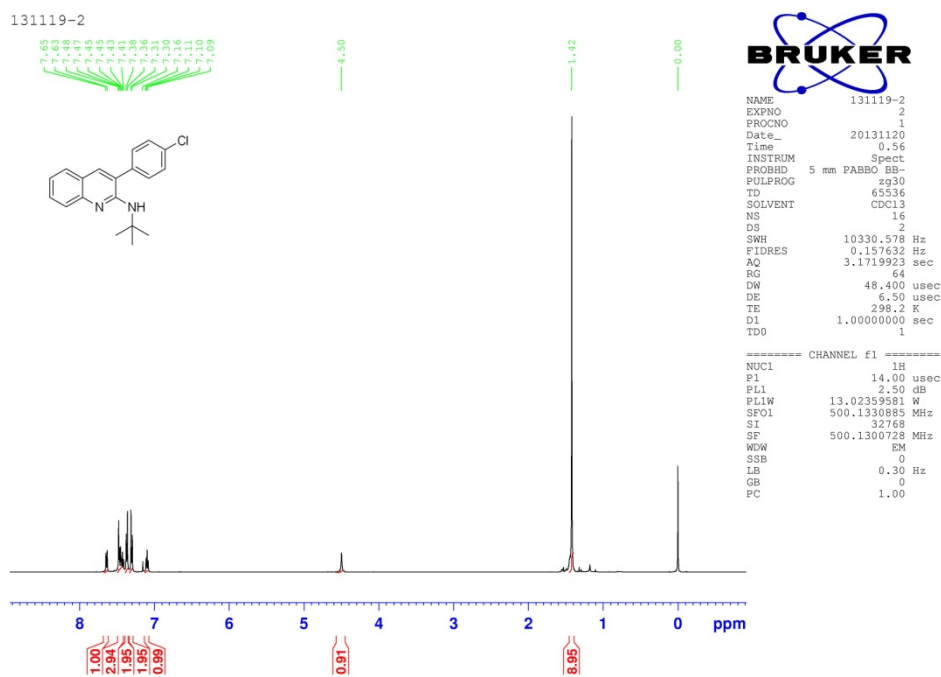


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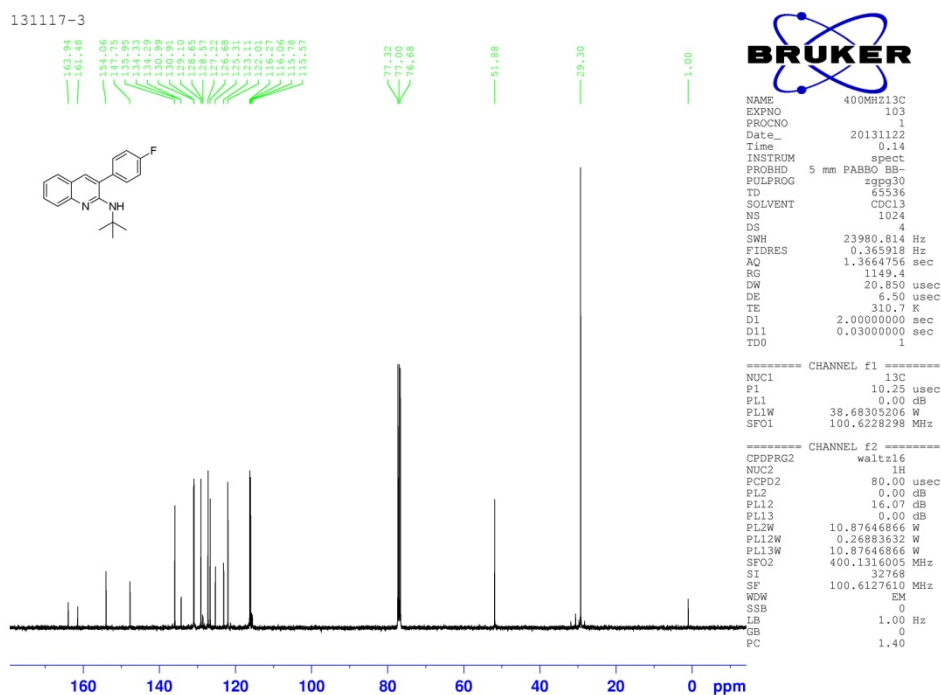
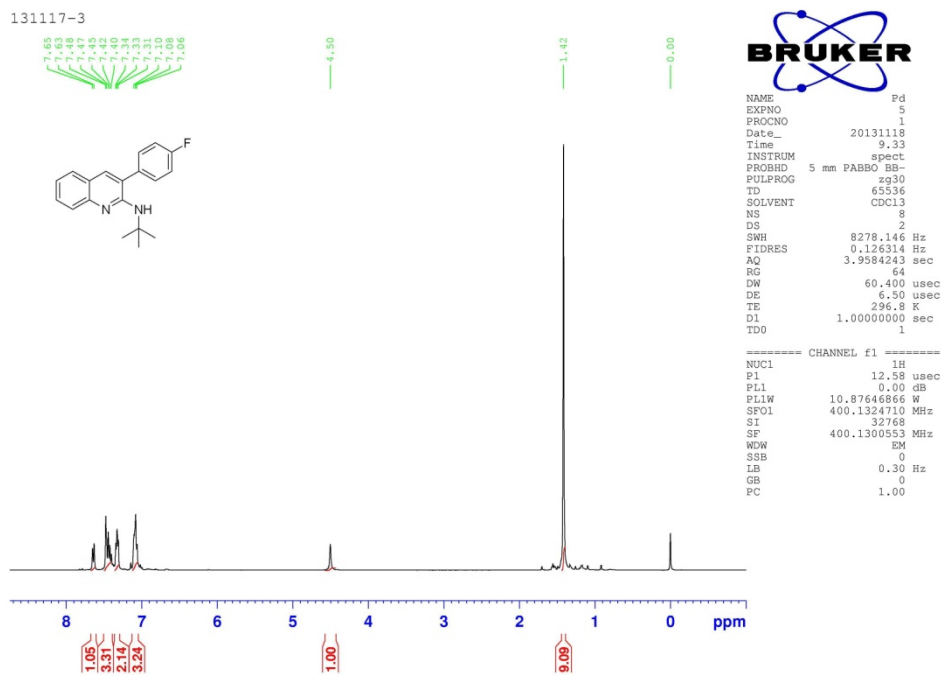




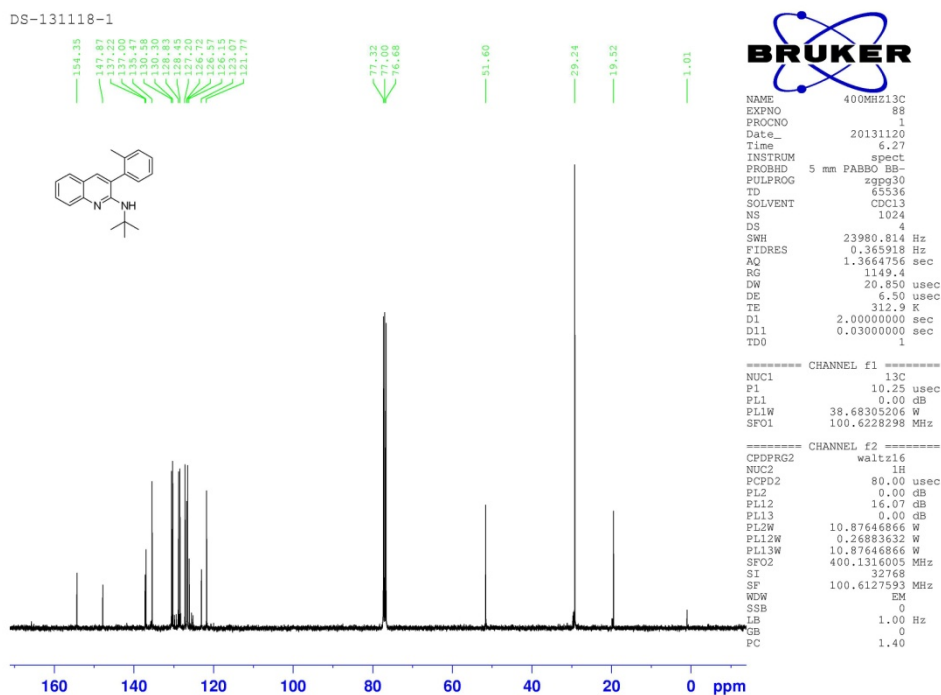
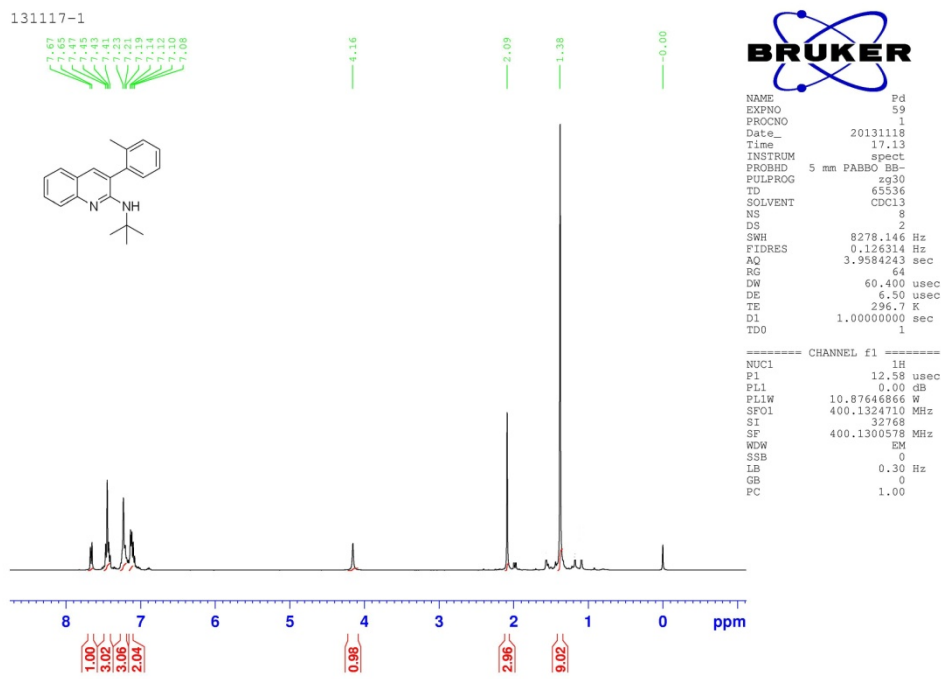
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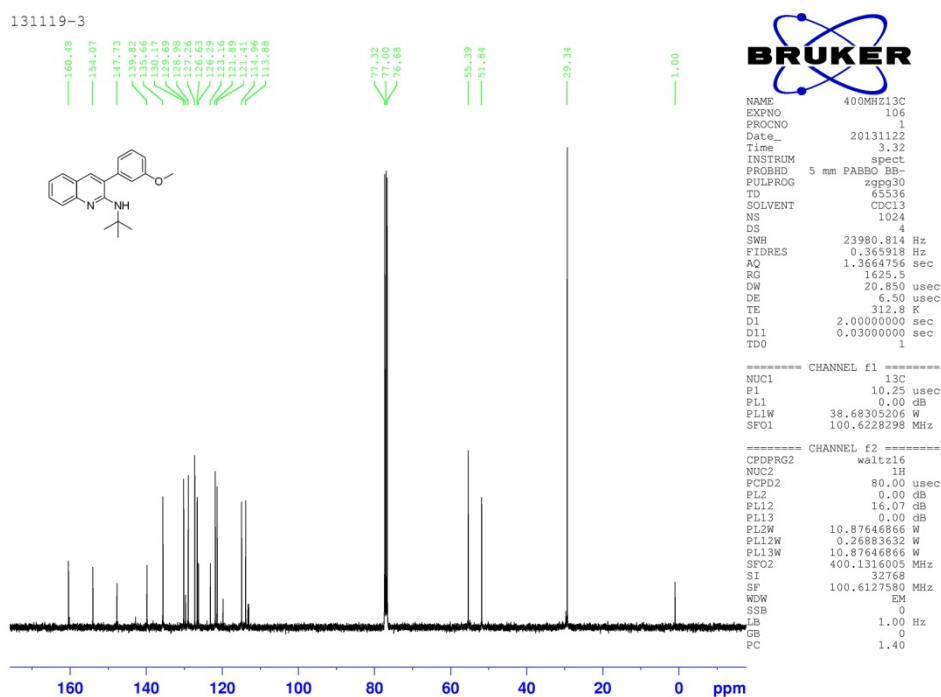
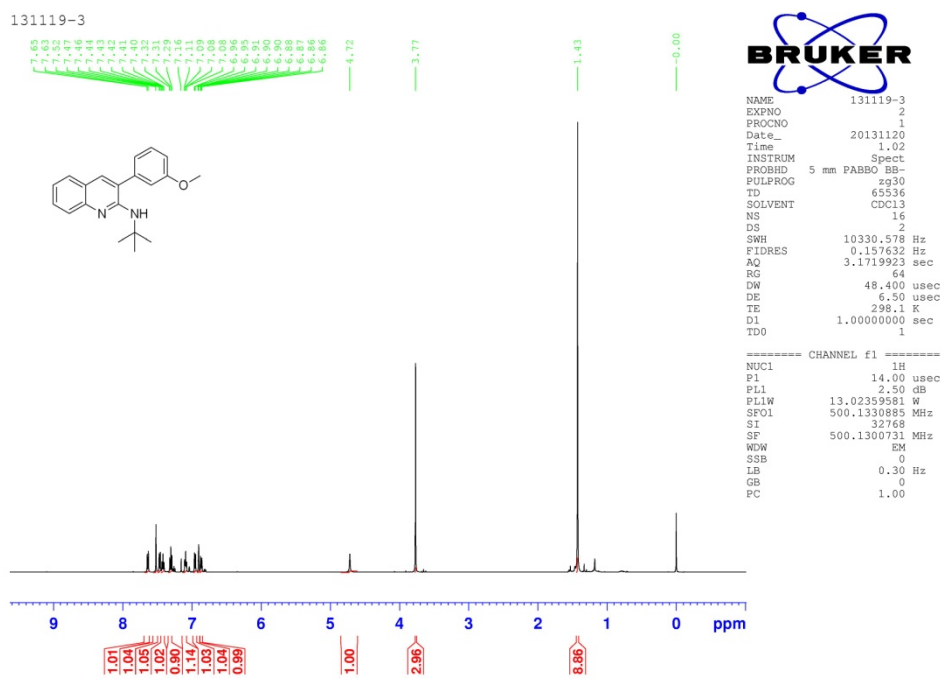
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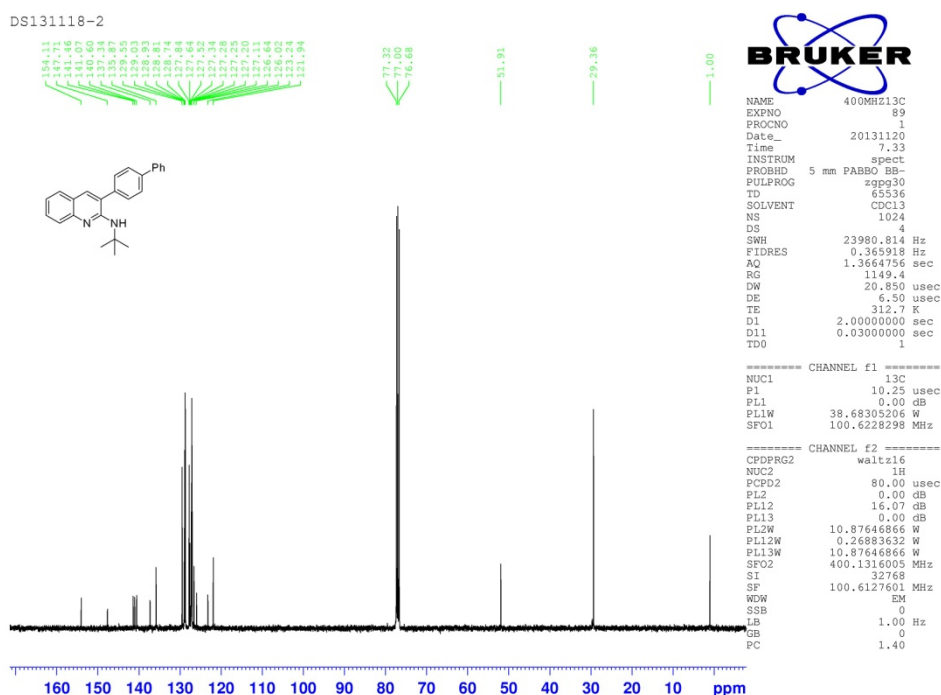
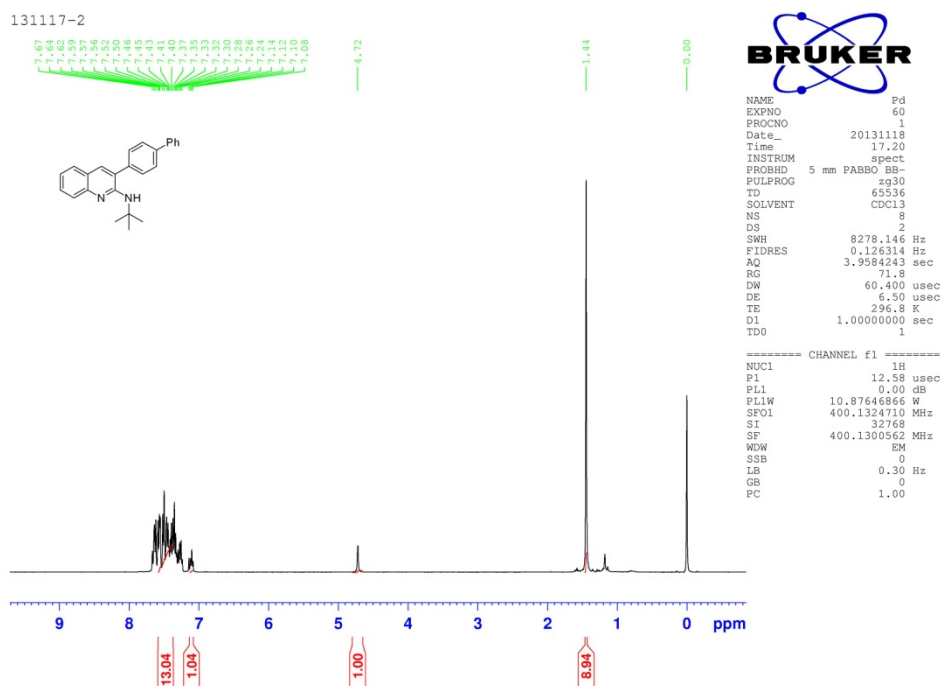
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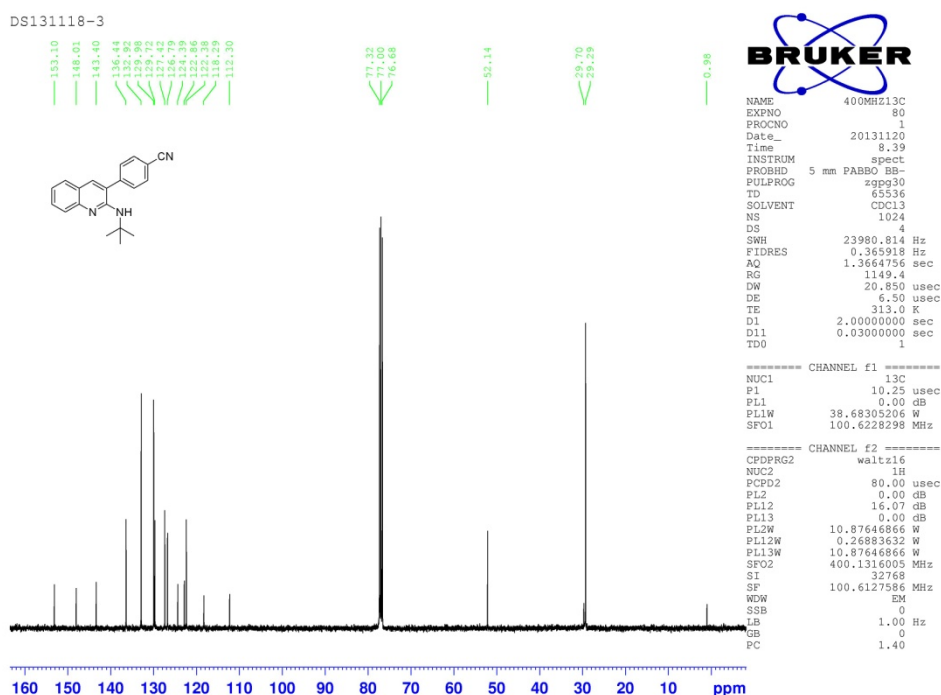
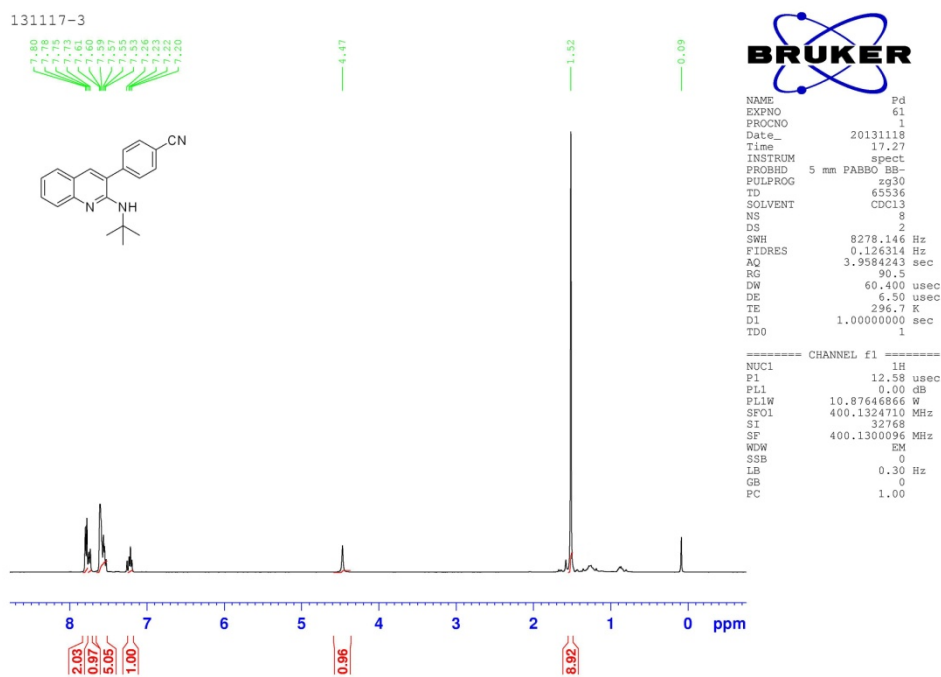
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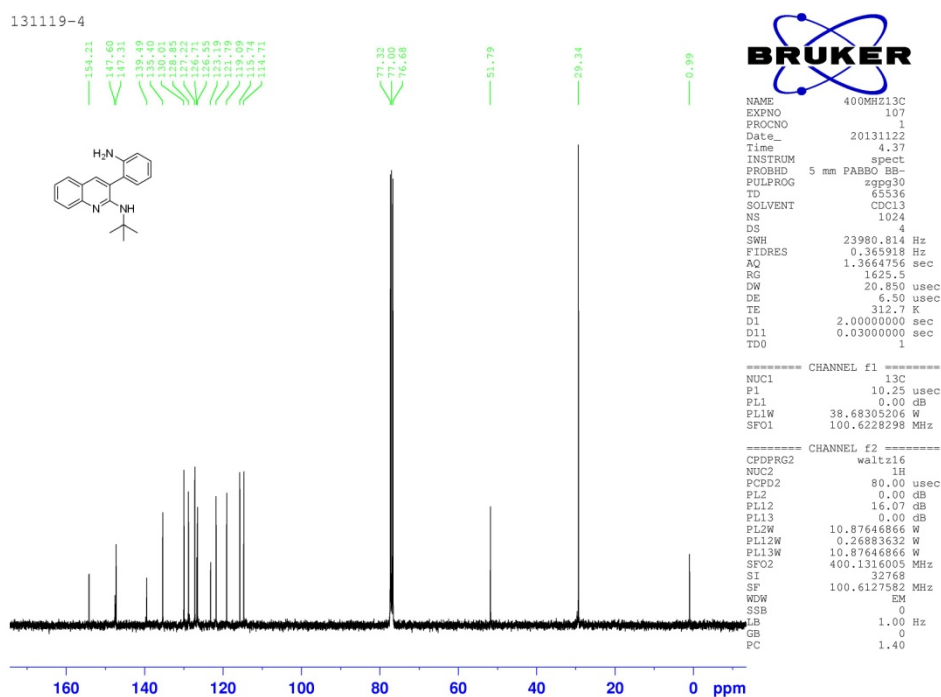
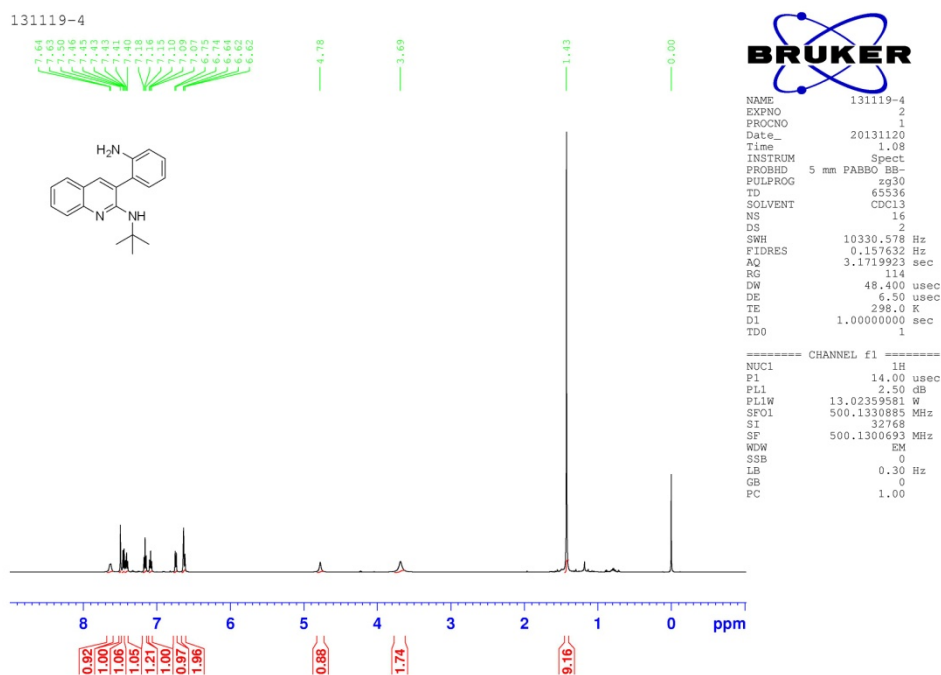
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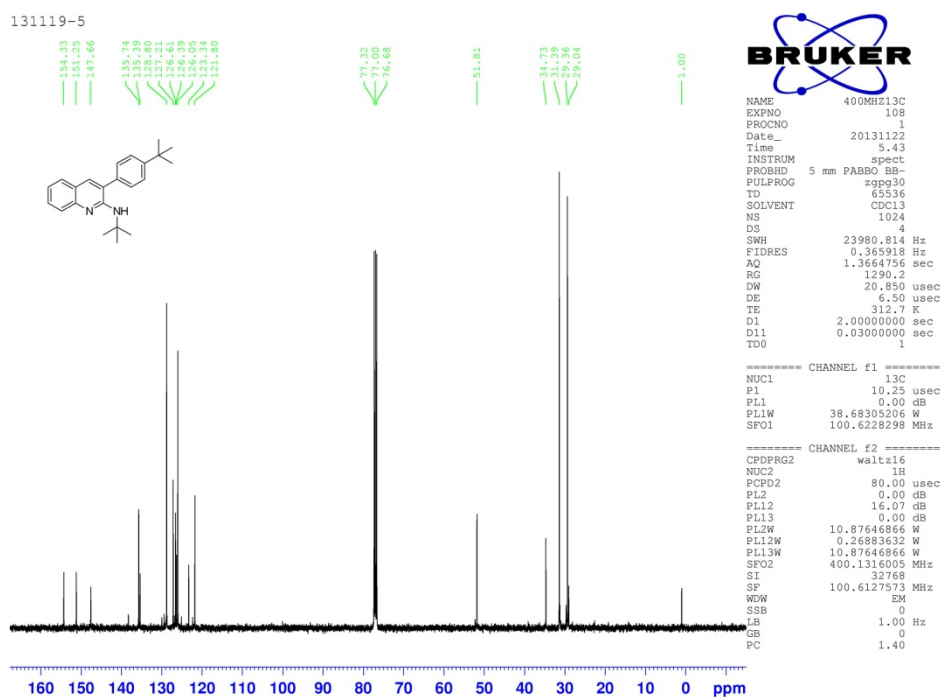
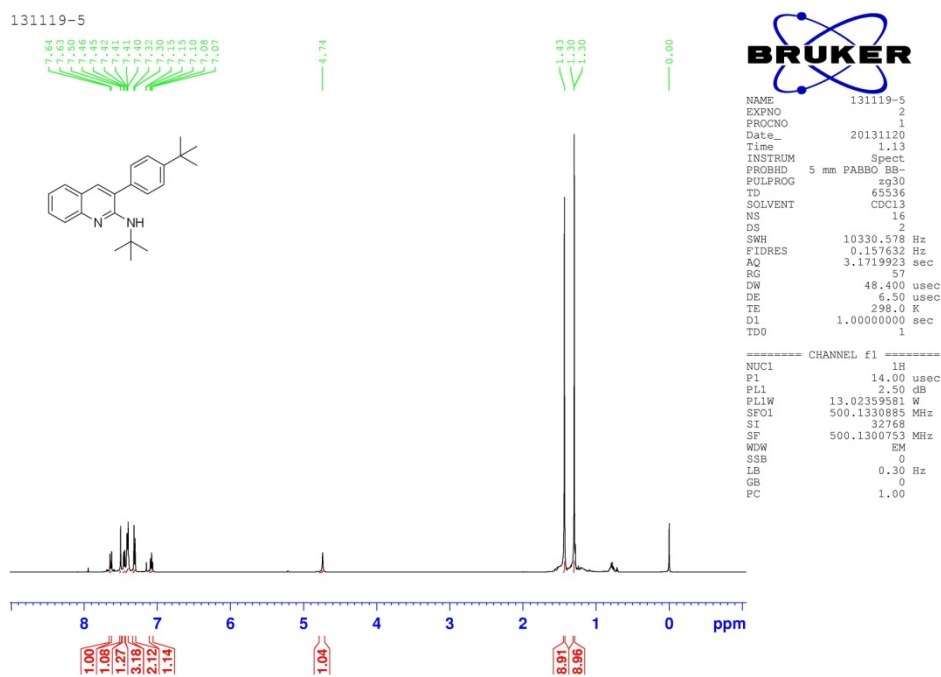
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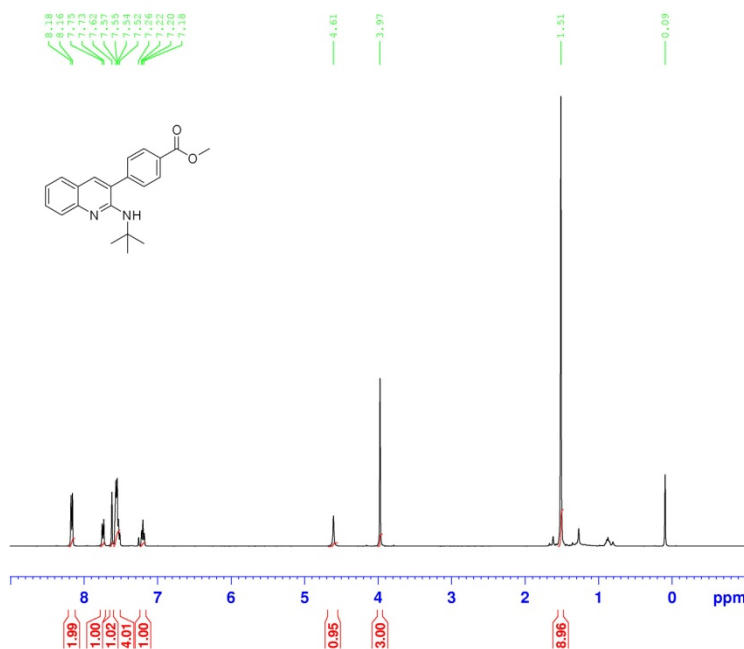


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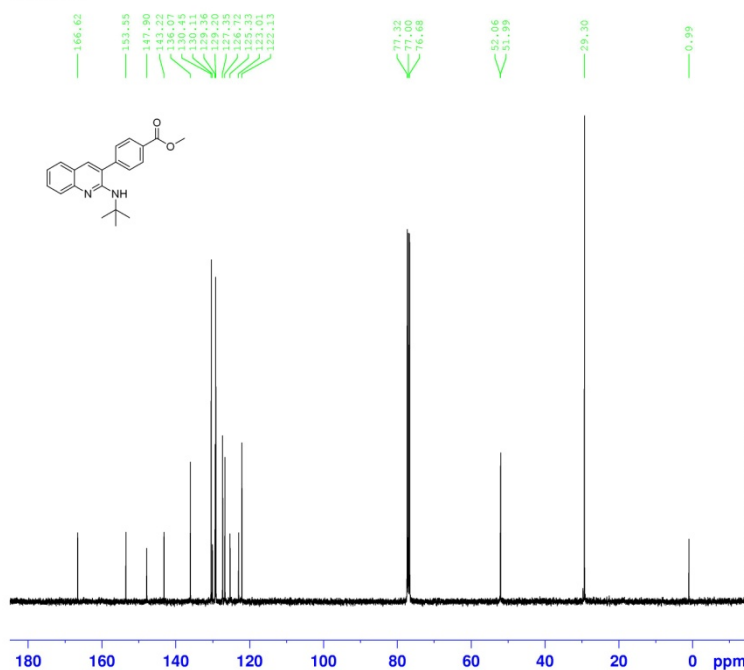
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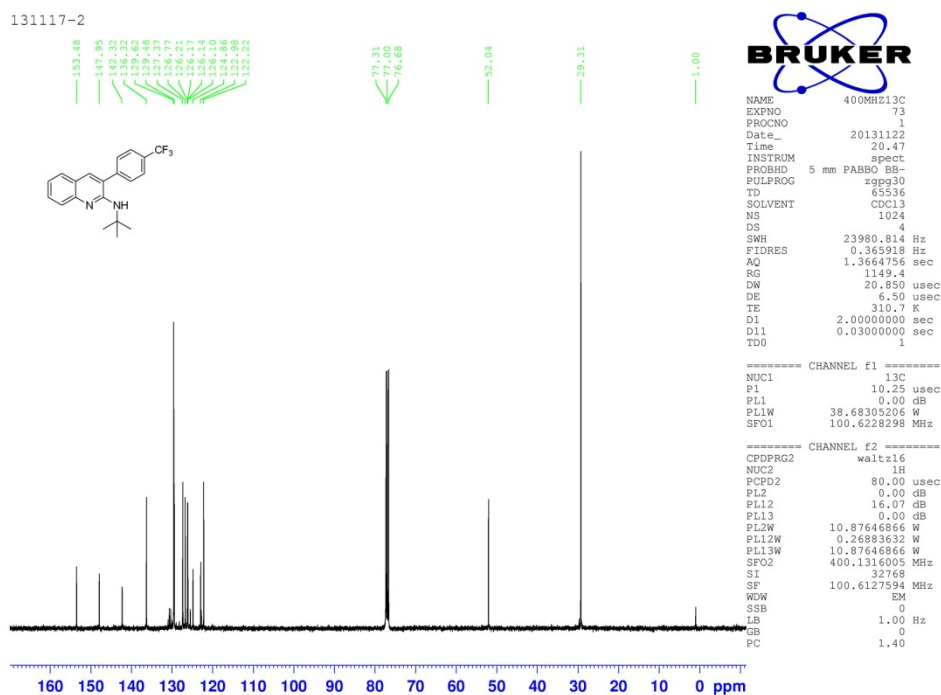
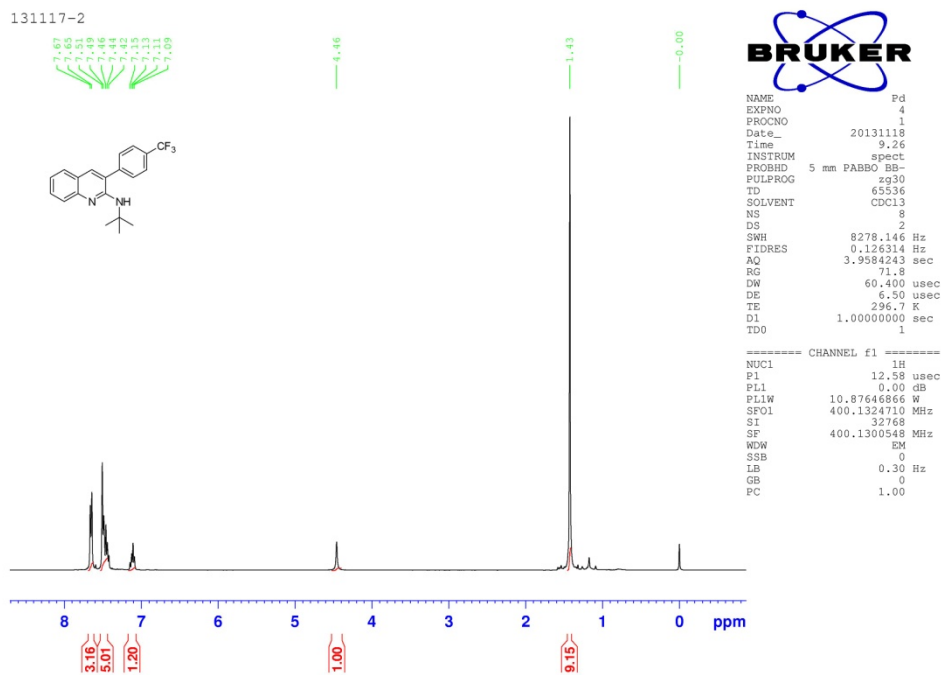
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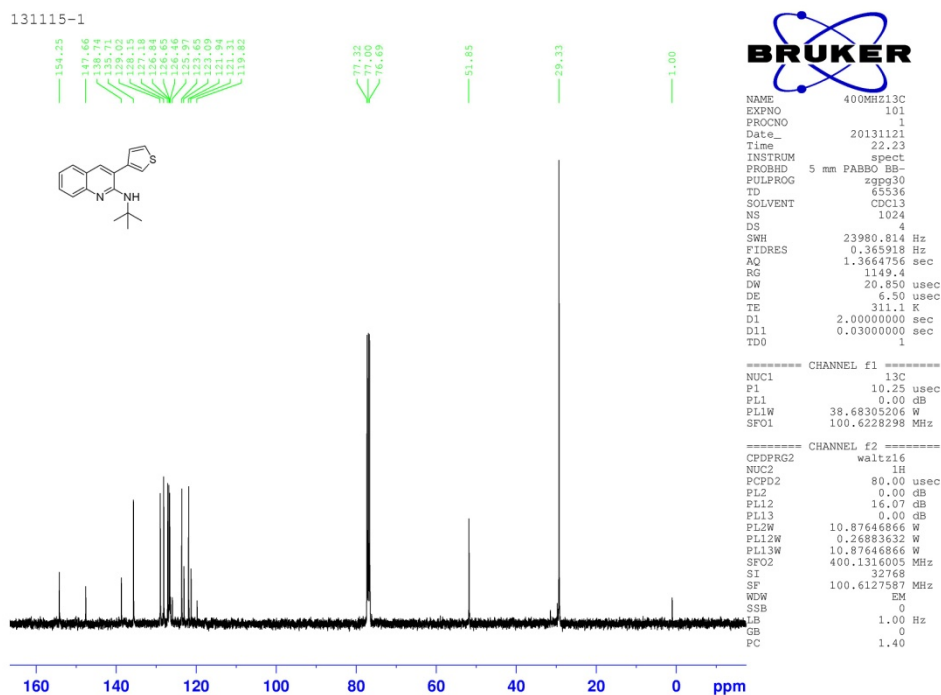
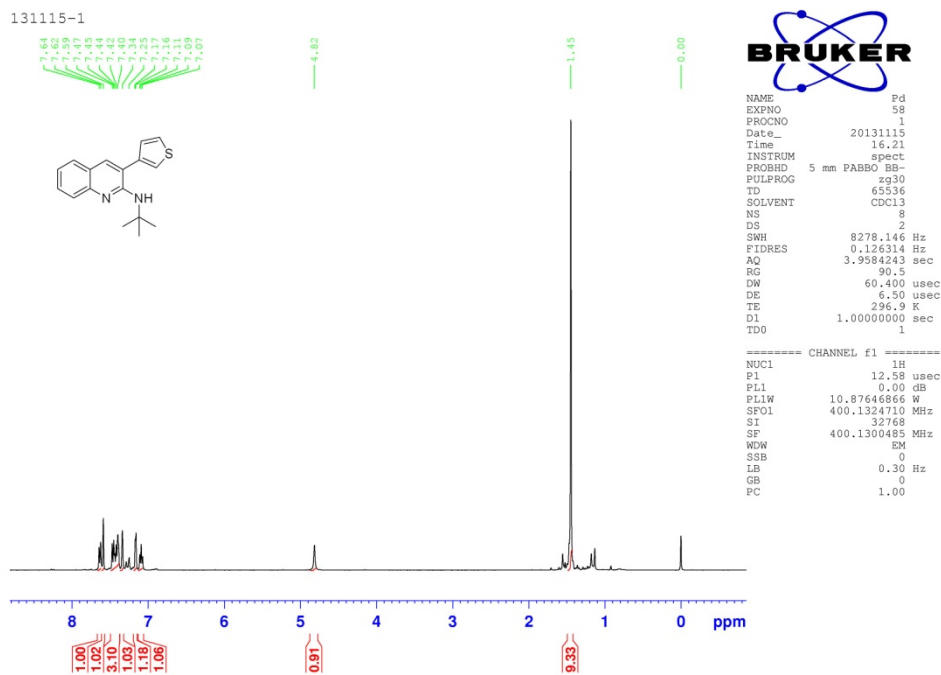
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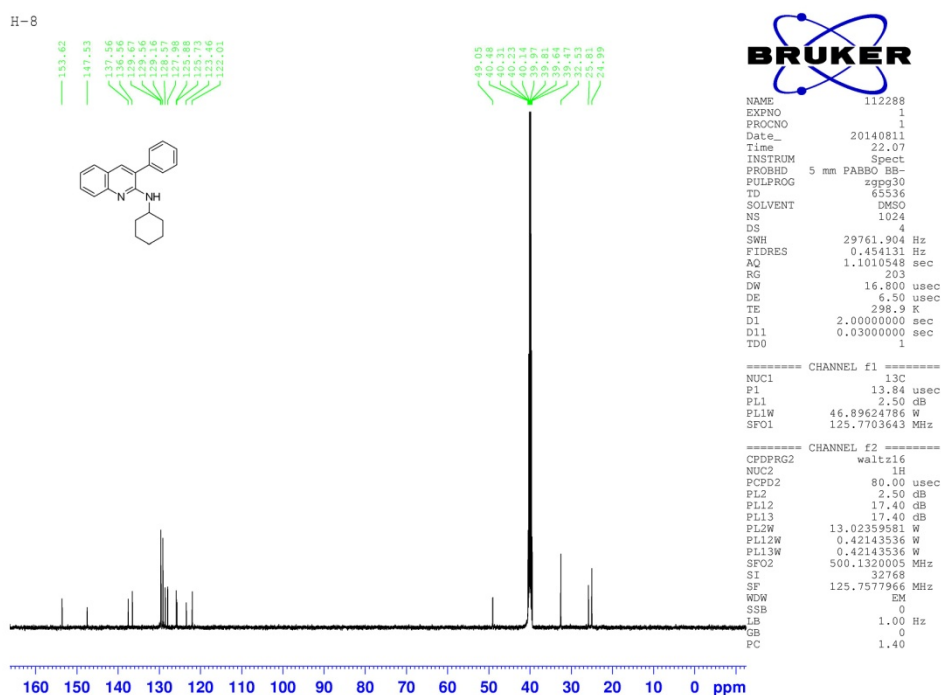
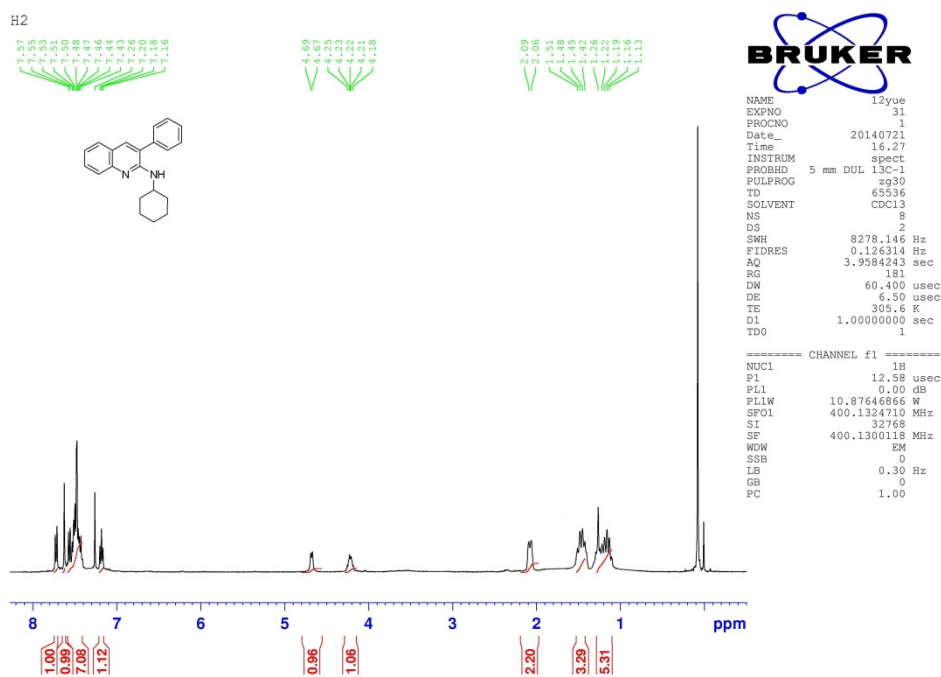
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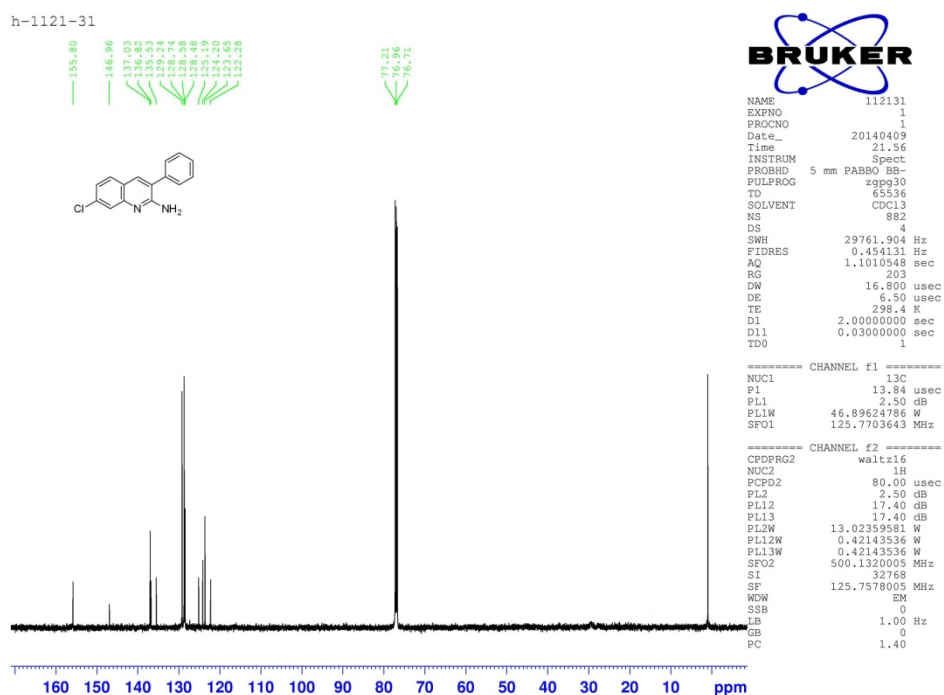
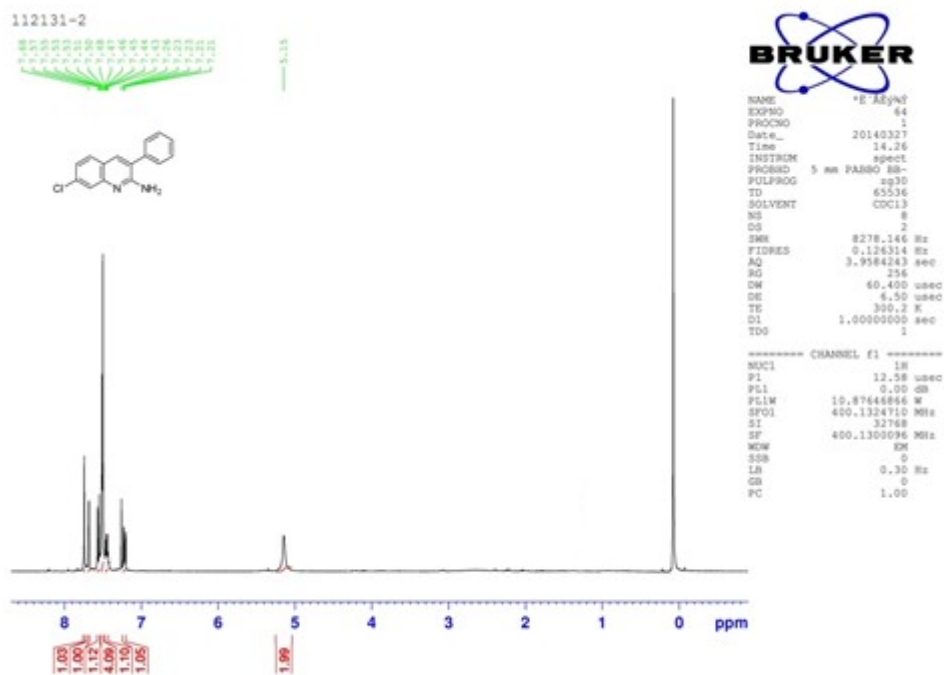
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