

Supporting Online Material for

**A General Route for Synthesis of *N*-Aryl Phenoxazines via
Copper(I)-Catalyzed *N*-, *N*-, and *O*-Arylations of
2-Aminophenols**

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1. Characterizations of compounds **5b-e**S2-S3
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Experimental Section

All melting points were determined on a Yanaco melting point apparatus and were uncorrected. IR spectra were recorded as KBr pellets on a Nicolet FT-IR 5DX spectrometer. All spectra of ^1H NMR (300 MHz) and ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz) were recorded on a JEOL JNM-ECA 300 spectrometer in CDCl_3 (otherwise as indicated). TMS was used as an internal reference and J values are given in Hz. HRMS were obtained on a Bruker microTOF-Q II spectrometer.

The substituted 2-[*N*-(2-chlorophenyl)amino]-phenols **5b** (R = H), **5c** (R = 4-Me), **5d** (R = 3-Me) and **5e** (R = 4-Cl) were prepared by the procedure reported in literature (D. Maiti, S. L. Buchwald, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2009**, *131*, 17423–17429) and their analytical data are as following.

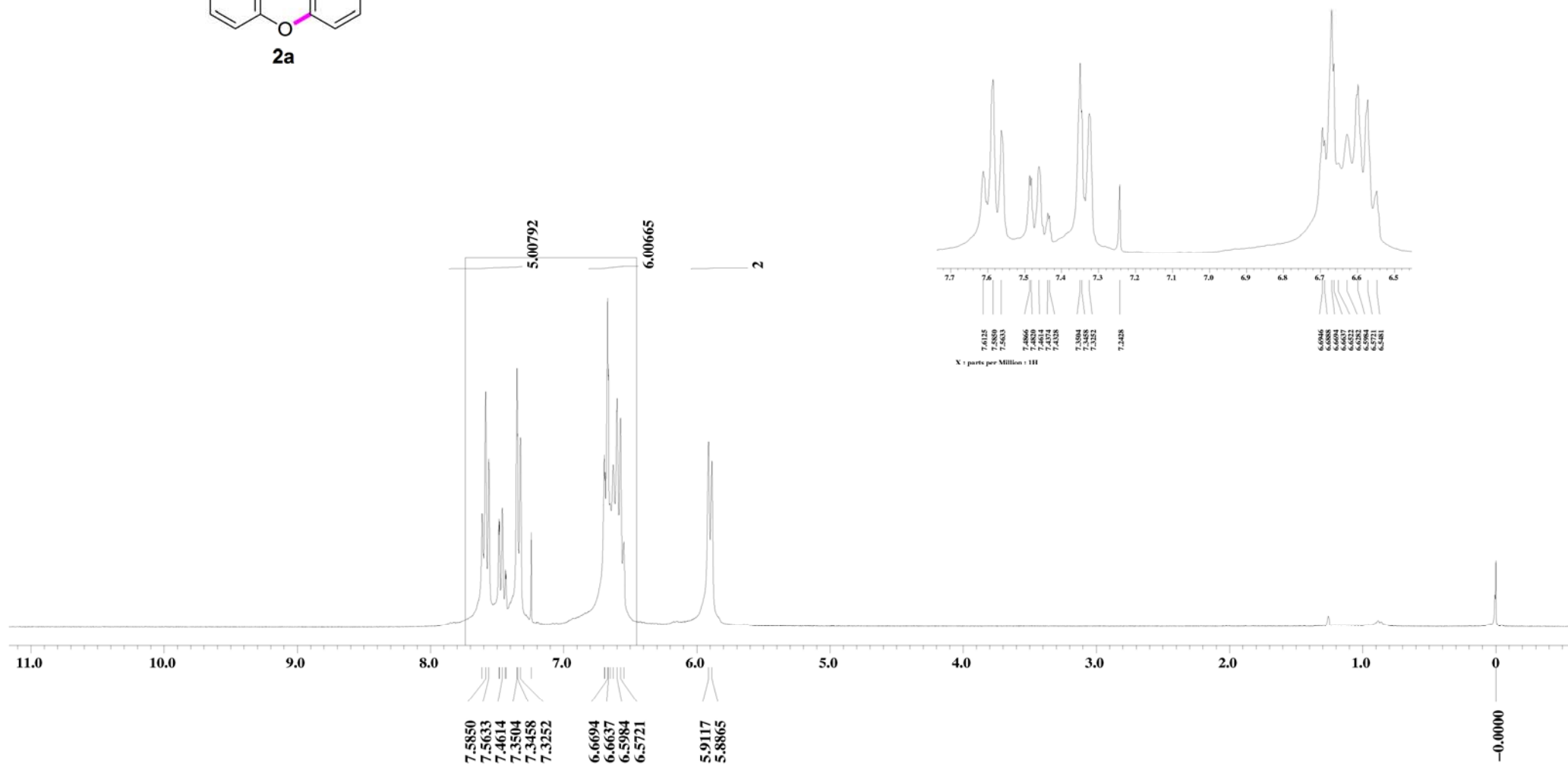
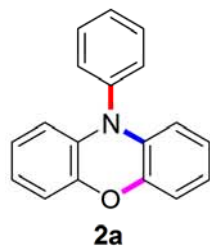
2-(2-Chlorophenylamino)phenol (5b). White solid, 82%, mp 49-50 °C; IR ν 3506, 3376, 1591, 1497 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR δ 7.34 (d, $J = 7.9$, 1H), 7.19-7.03 (m, 4H), 6.94-6.91 (m, 1H), 6.80-6.75 (m, 1H), 6.60 (d, $J = 8.2$, 1H), 5.85 (s, 0.89H), 5.73 (s, 0.83H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR δ 152.1, 142.1, 129.4, 127.8, 127.5, 127.4, 126.4, 121.1, 120.7, 120.2, 115.6, 114.7 ppm; HRMS (ESI-TOF) (m/z): Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{10}\text{ClNO}$, $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 220.0524; found 220.0520.

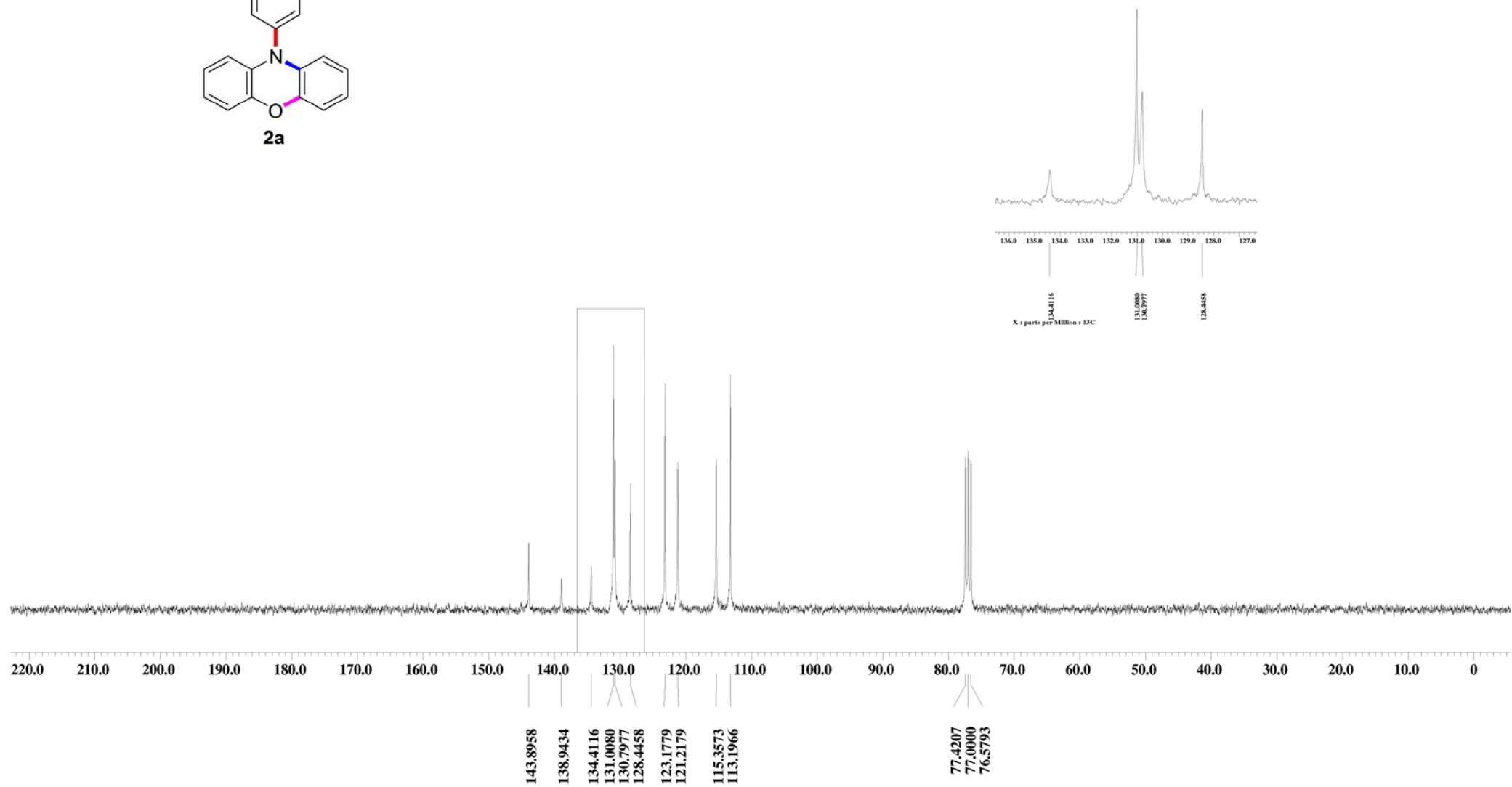
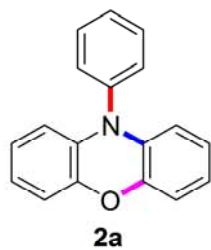
2-(2-Chlorophenylamino)-4-methylphenol (5c). Brown solid, 85%, mp 74-75 °C; IR ν 3495, 3345, 2967, 2862, 1589, 1496 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR δ 7.33 (d, $J = 7.9$, 1H), 7.09-7.03 (m, 1H), 6.98-6.89 (m, 3H), 6.80-6.74 (m, 1H), 6.60 (d, $J = 8.3$, 1H), 5.69 (s, 0.90H), 5.60 (s, 0.96H), 2.25 (s, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR δ 149.7, 142.2, 130.5, 129.4, 128.0, 127.8, 127.0, 126.8, 120.6, 120.0, 115.3, 114.7, 20.5 ppm; HRMS (ESI-TOF) (m/z): Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{ClNO}$, $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 234.0680; found 234.0674.

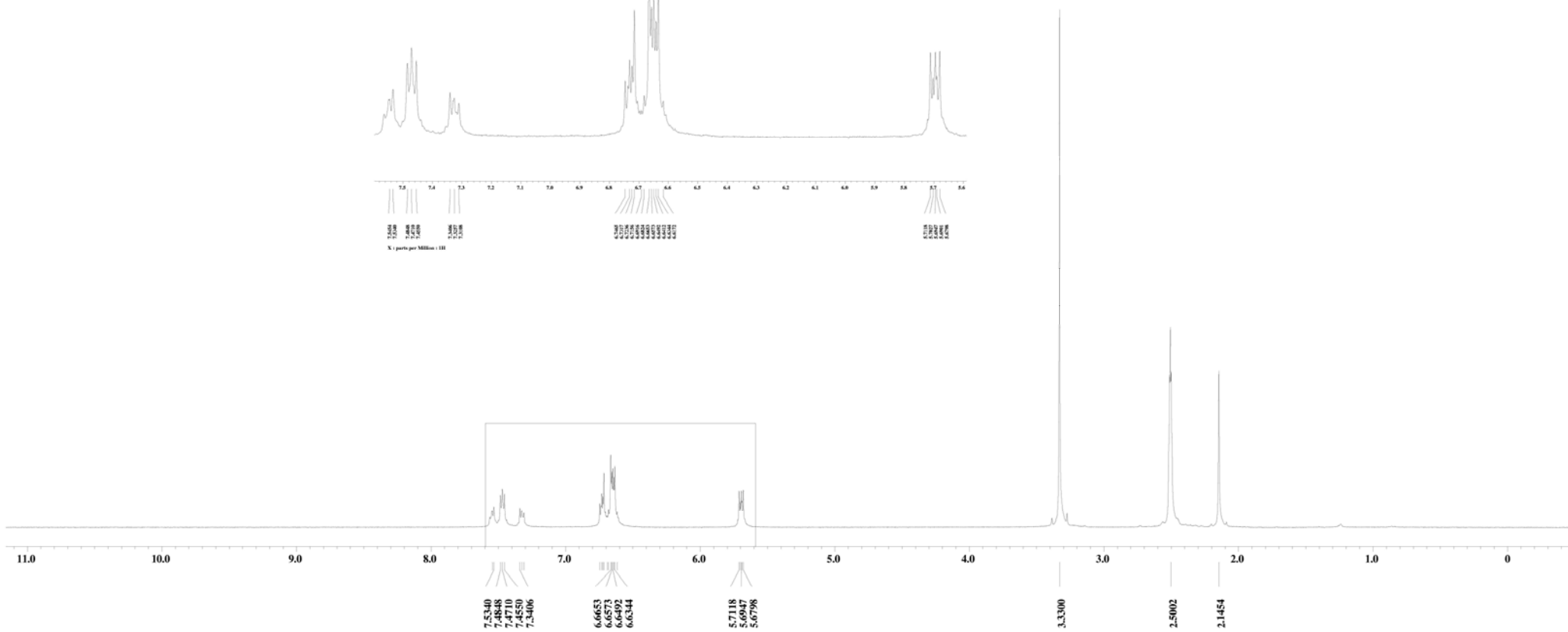
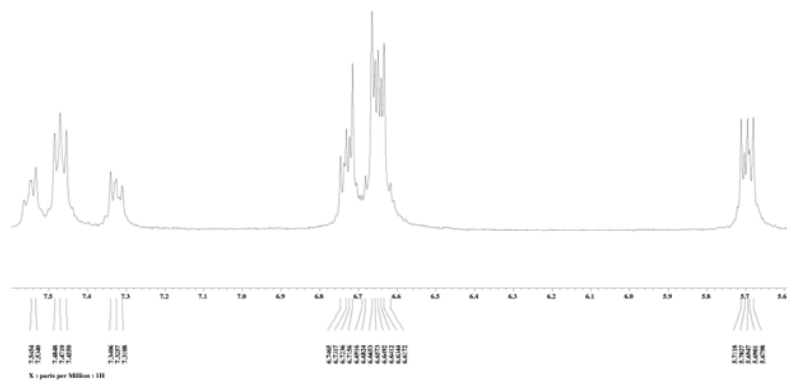
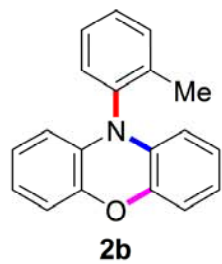
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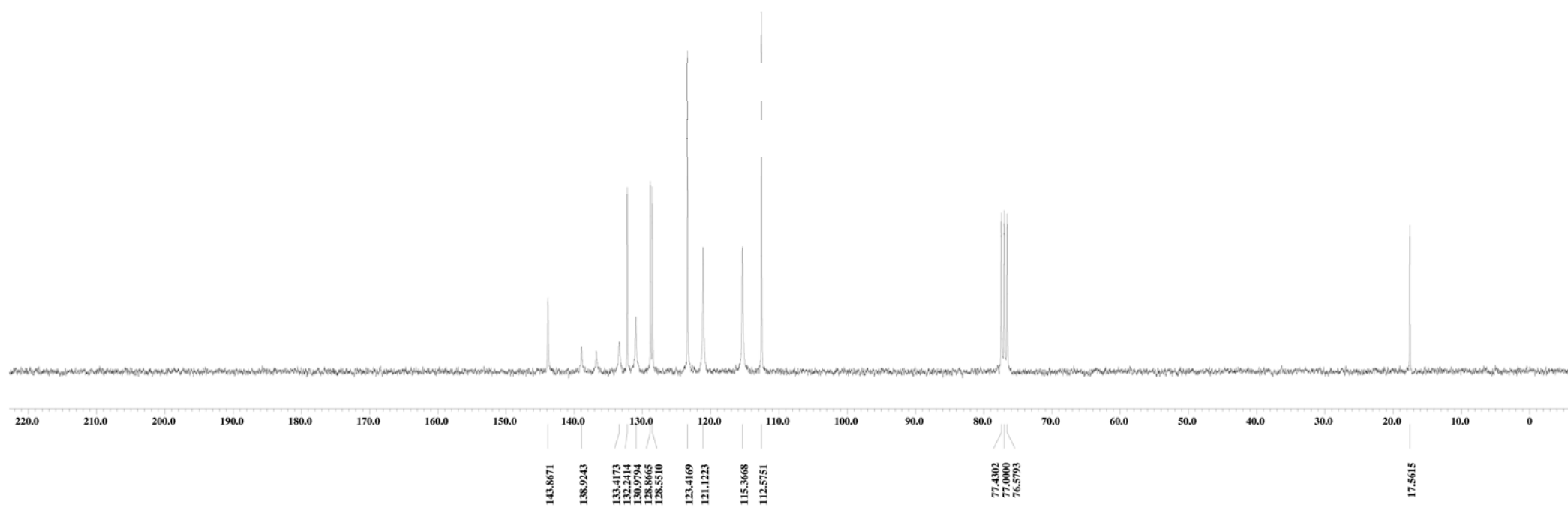
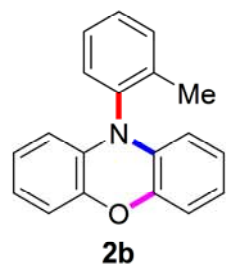
142.2, 137.2, 129.4, 128.4, 128.0, 125.3, 122.3, 120.1, 120.0, 113.8, 112.6, 17.5 ppm;
HRMS (ESI-TOF) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{13}H_{12}ClNO$, $[M+H]^+$ 234.0680; found 234.0678.

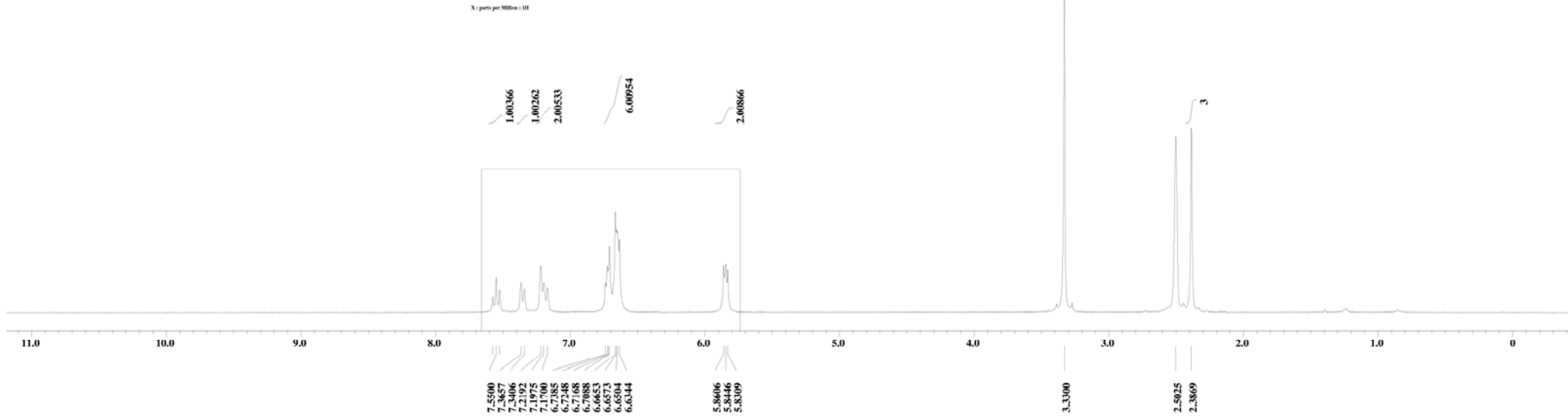
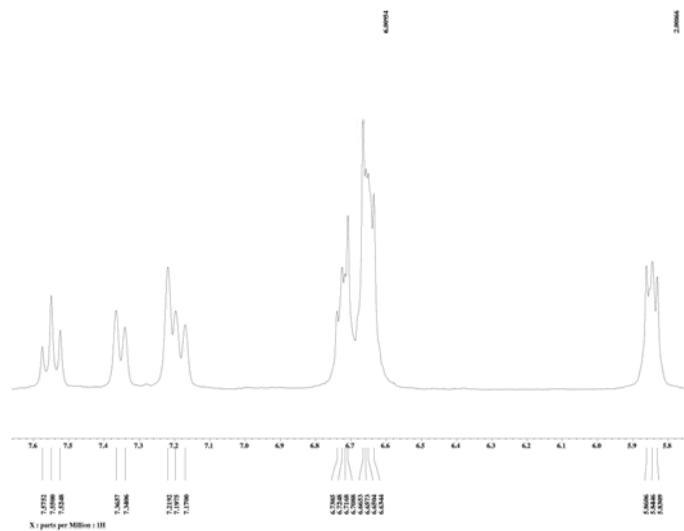
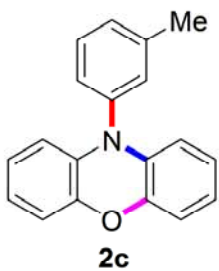
2-(2-Chlorophenylamino)-4-chlorophenol (5e). White solid, 74%, mp 81-83 °C;
IR ν 3416, 3182, 1608, 1527 cm^{-1} ; 1H NMR δ 7.36 (d, $J = 7.9$, 1H), 7.17-7.07 (m, 3H),
6.68 (d, $J = 8.6$, 1H), 6.86-6.80 (m, 1H), 6.70 (d, $J = 7.9$, 1H), 5.78 (s, 0.96H), 5.63 (s,
0.98H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR δ 149.9, 141.0, 129.6, 128.9, 127.9, 126.5, 125.5, 124.9, 121.3,
121.0, 116.5, 115.3 ppm; HRMS (ESI-TOF) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{12}H_9Cl_2NO$, $[M+H]^+$
254.0134; found 254.0132.

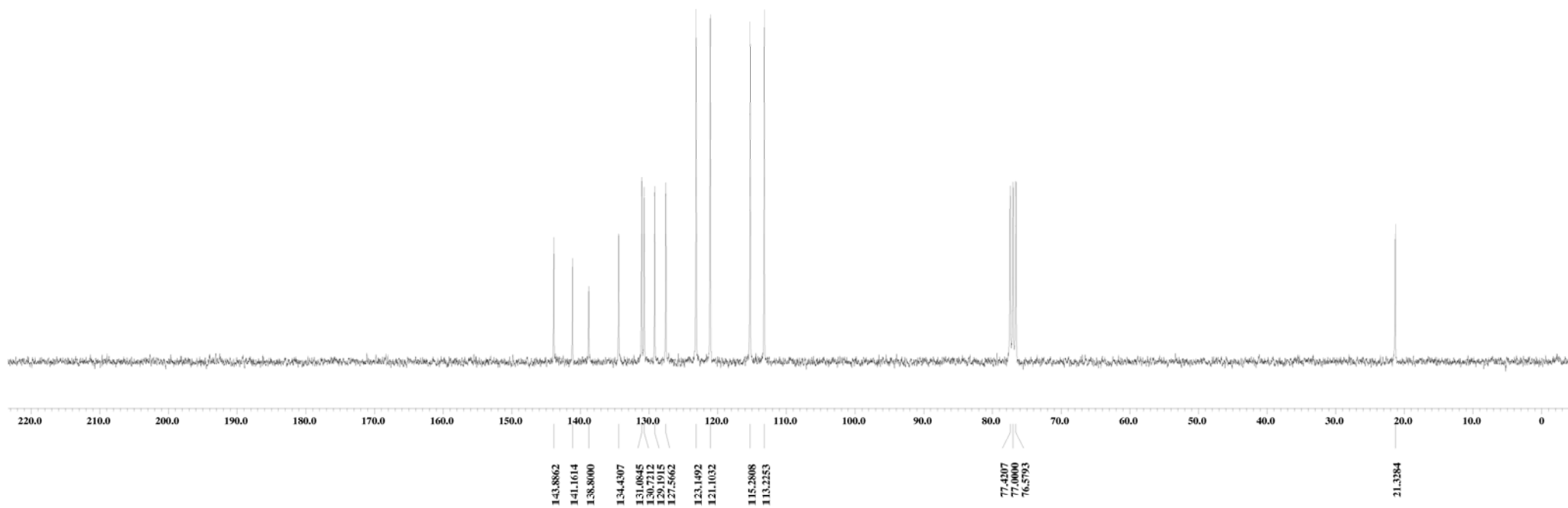
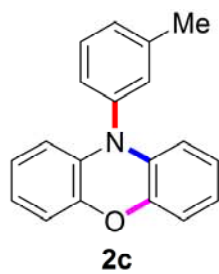


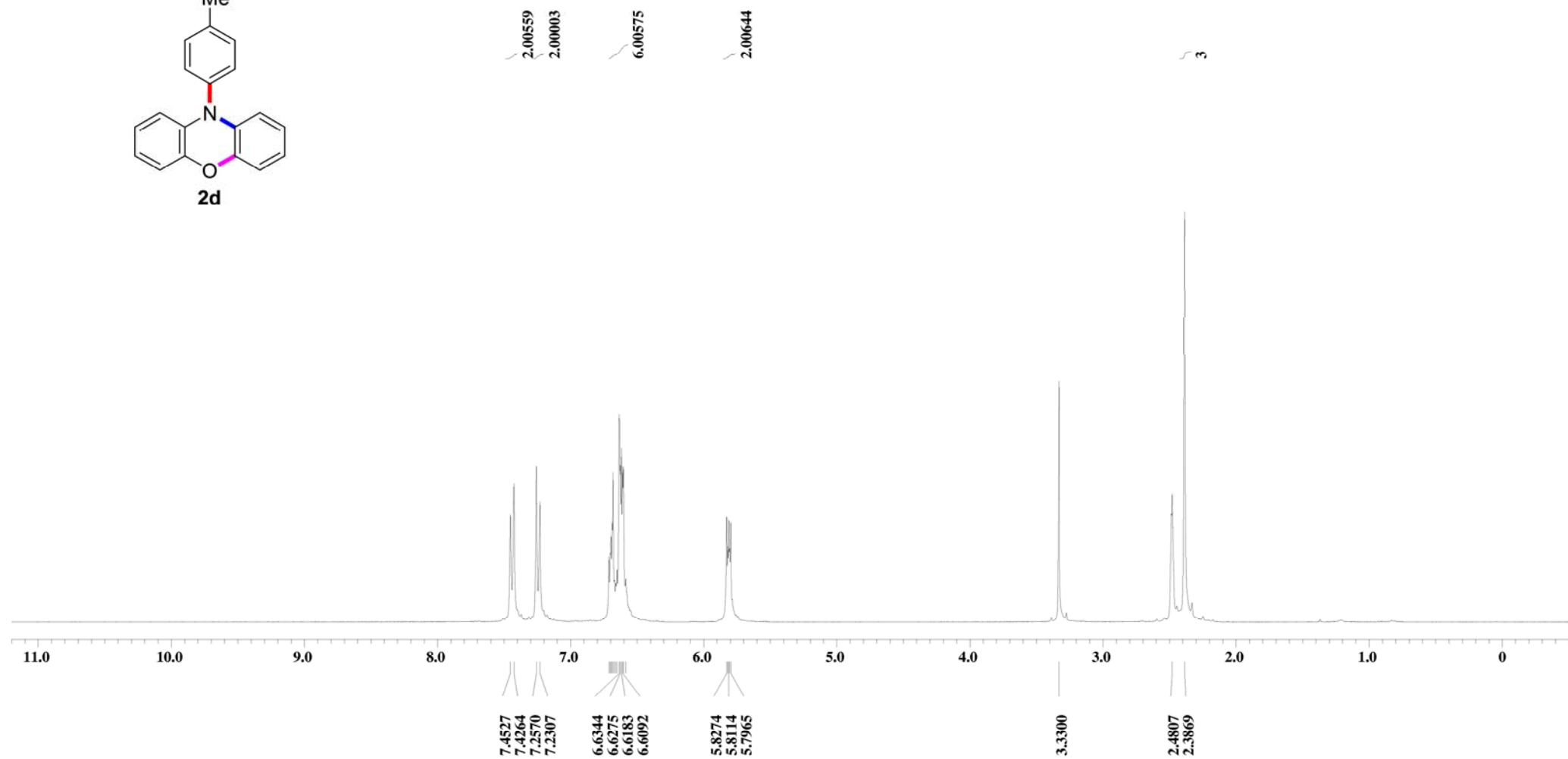
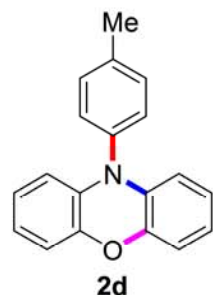


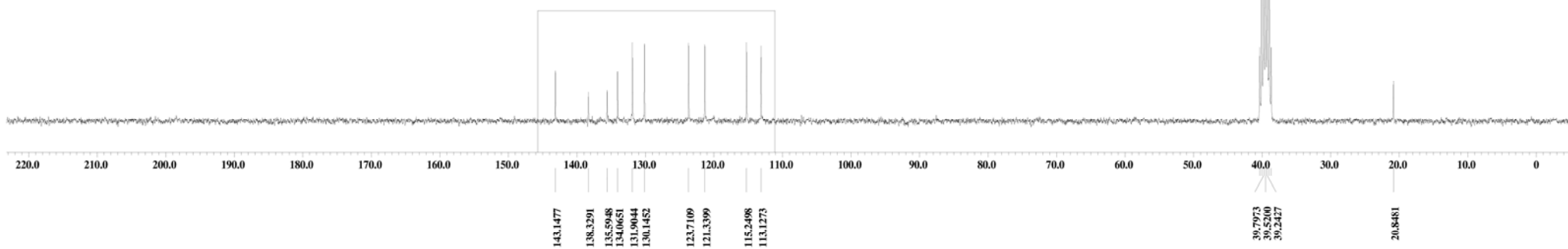
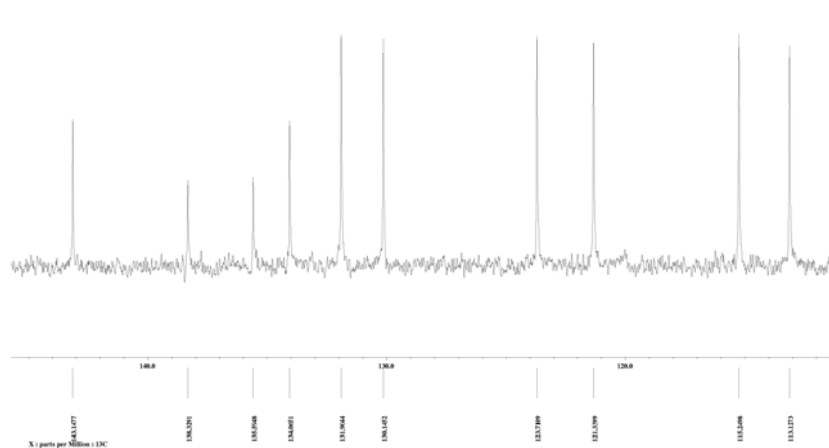
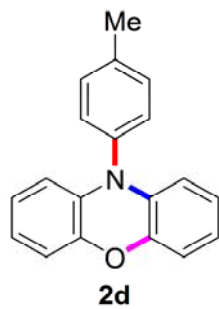




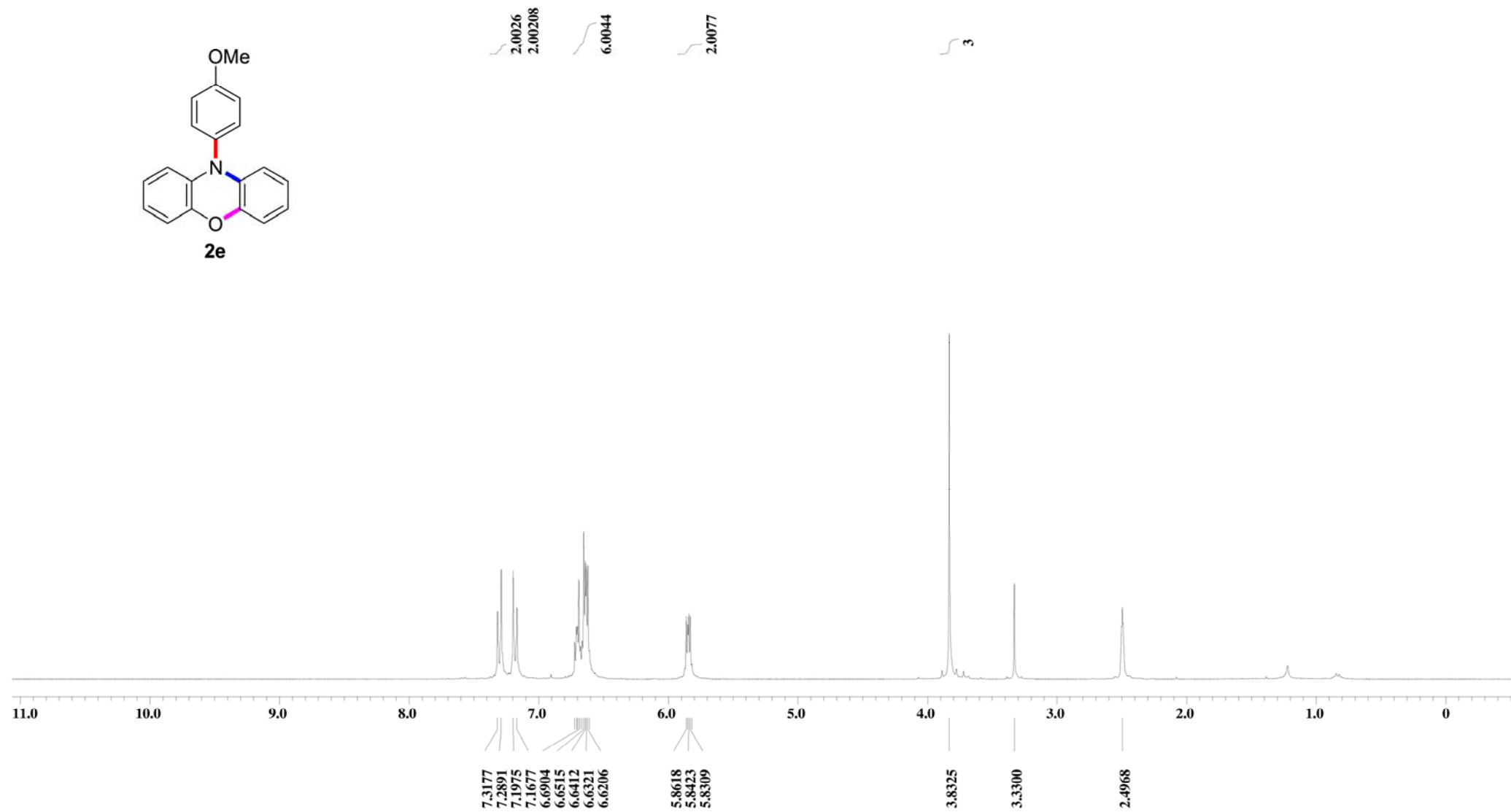
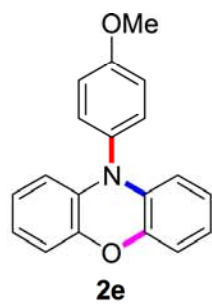


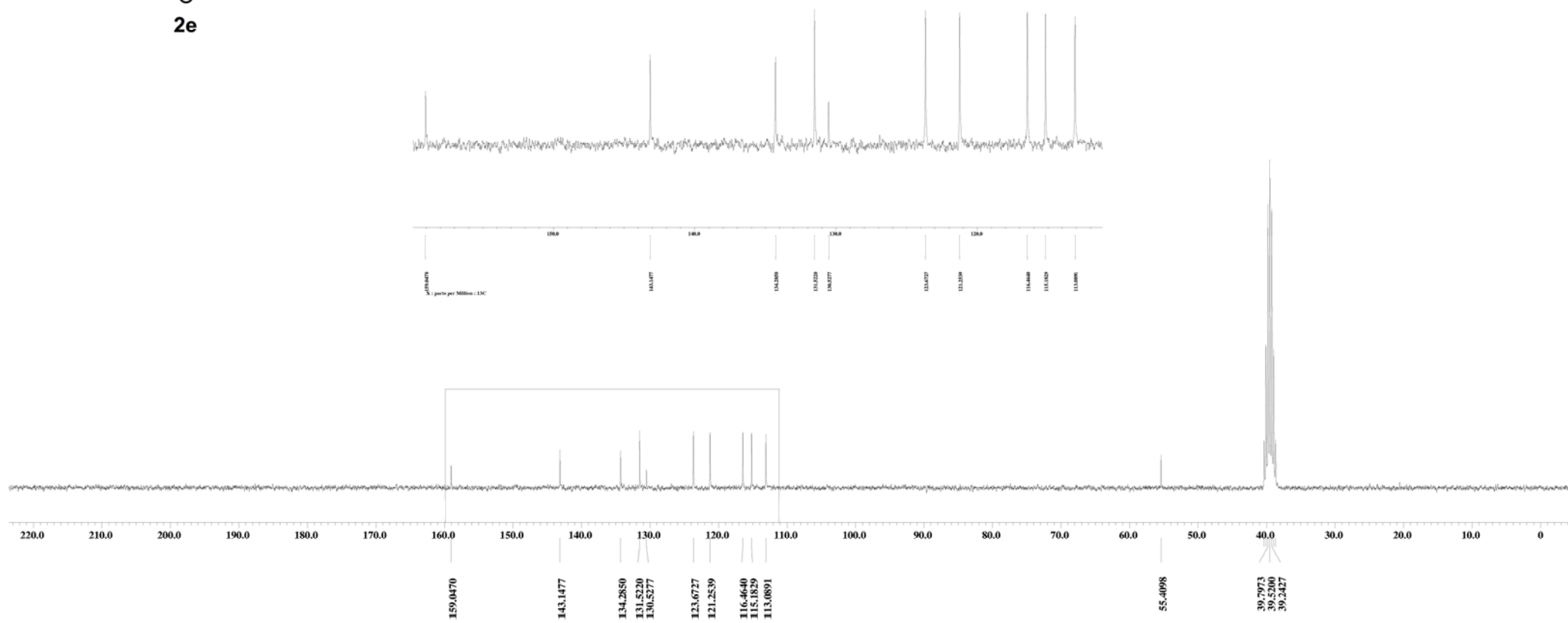
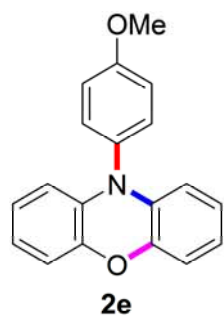


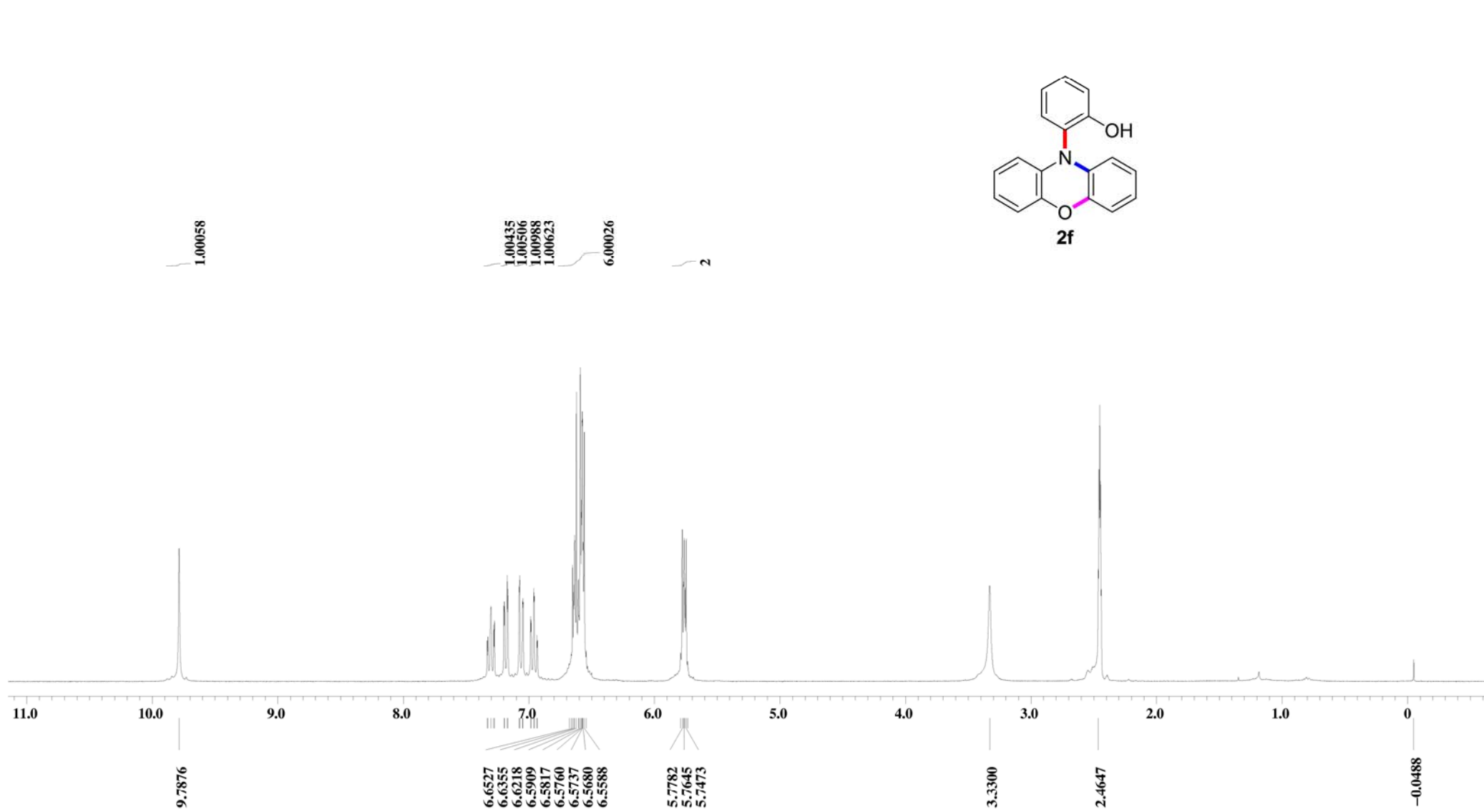


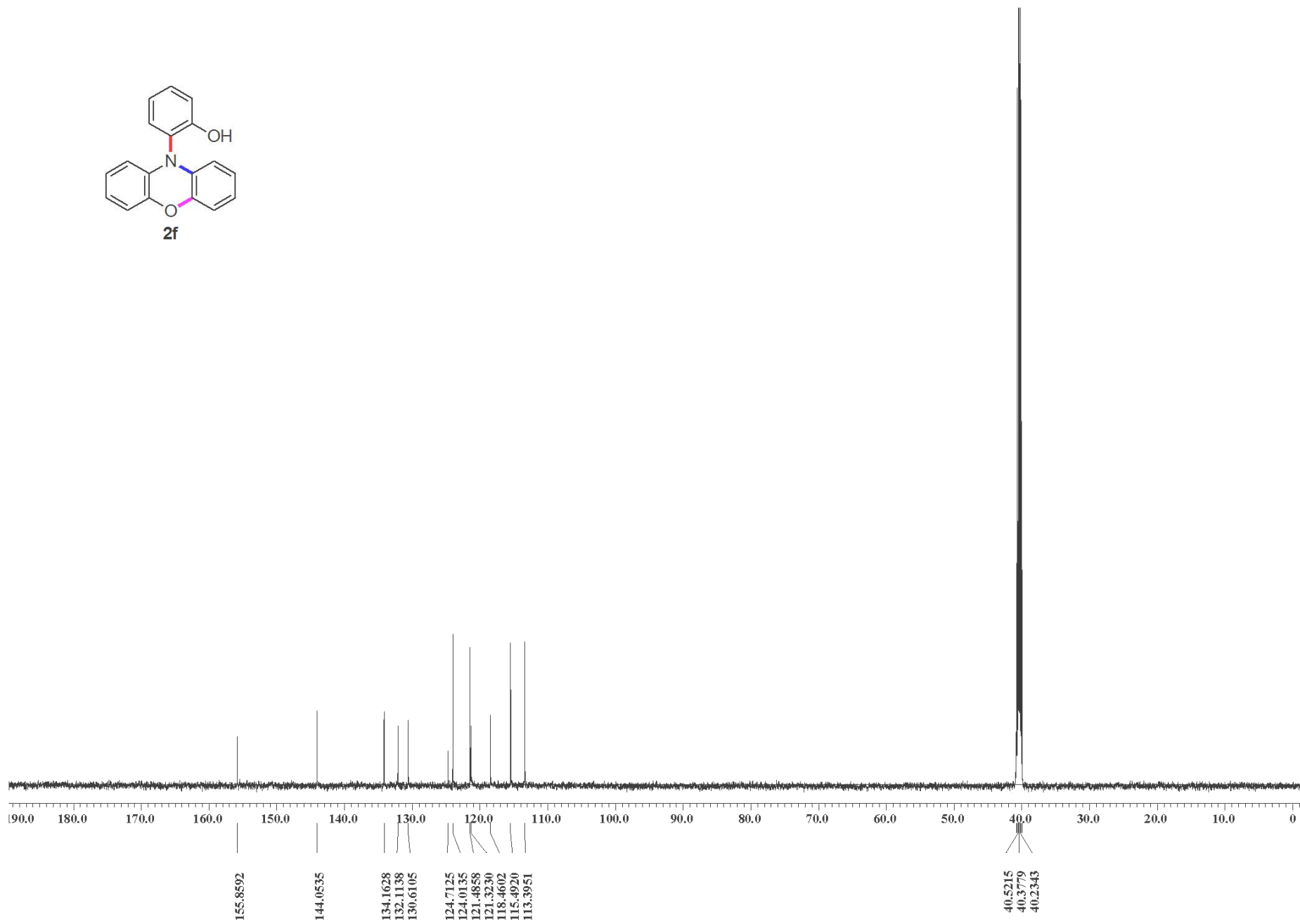
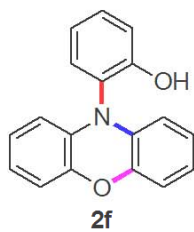


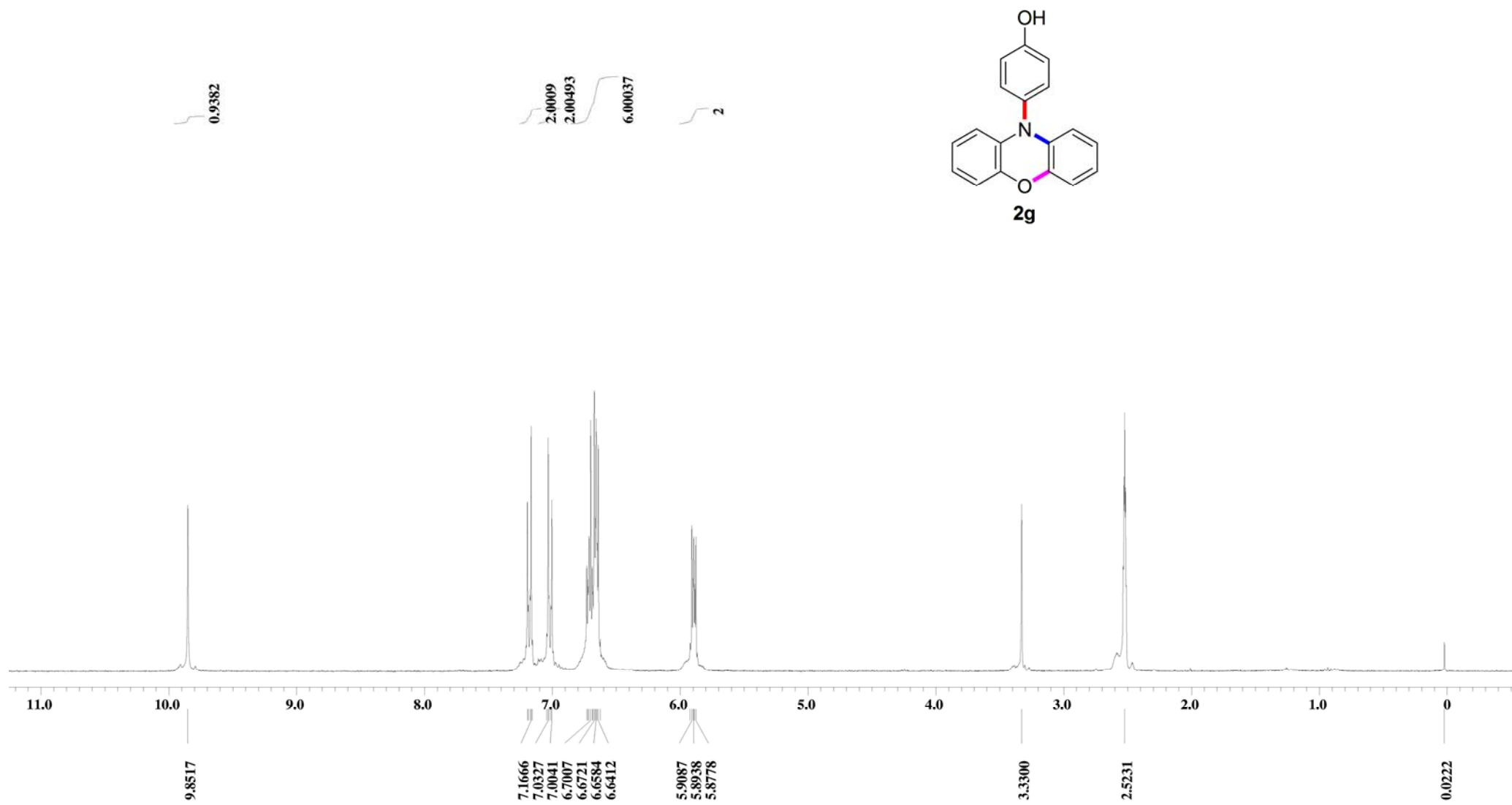
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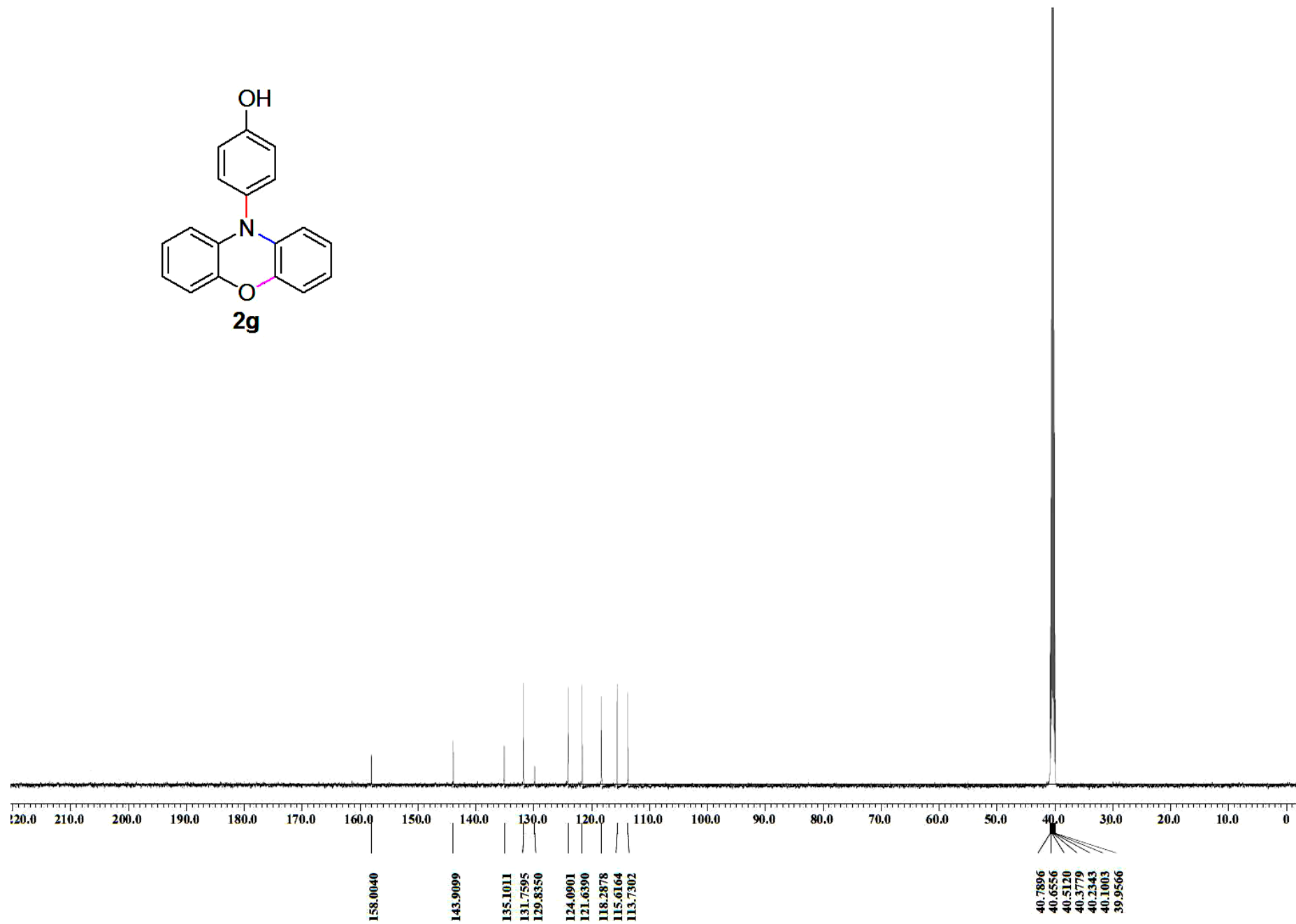
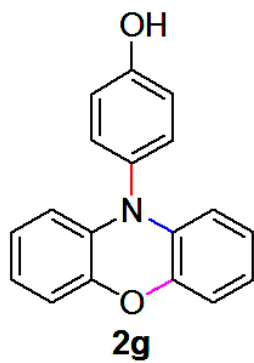


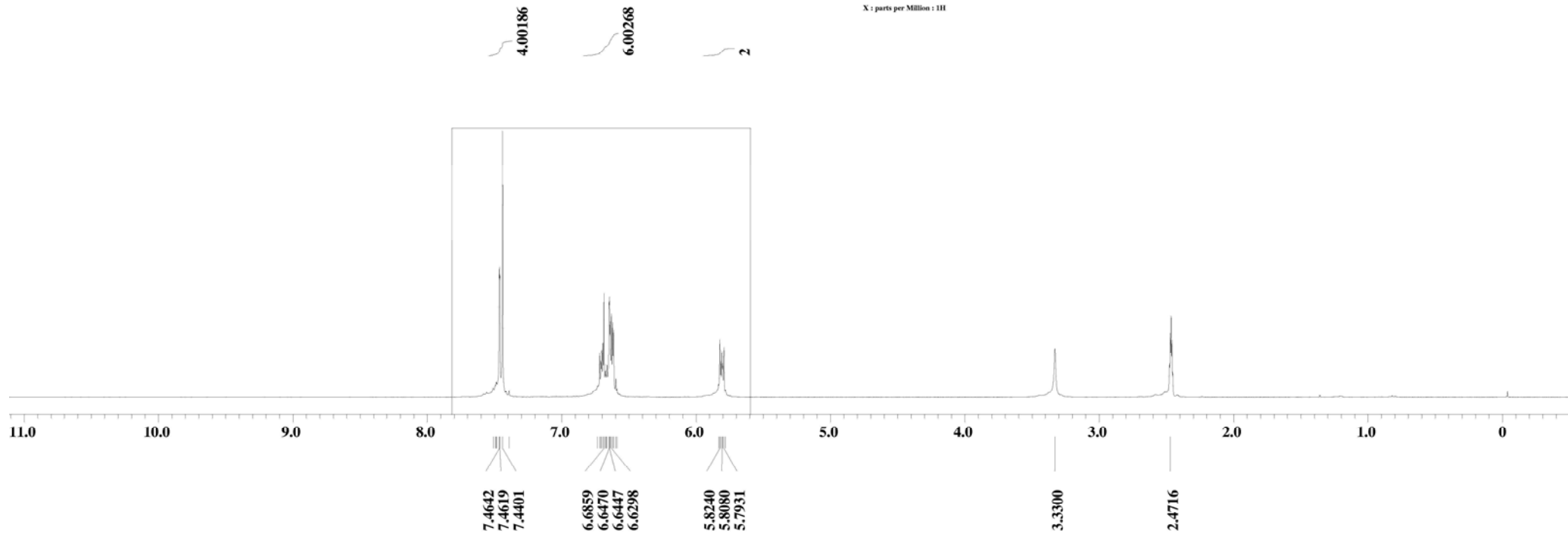
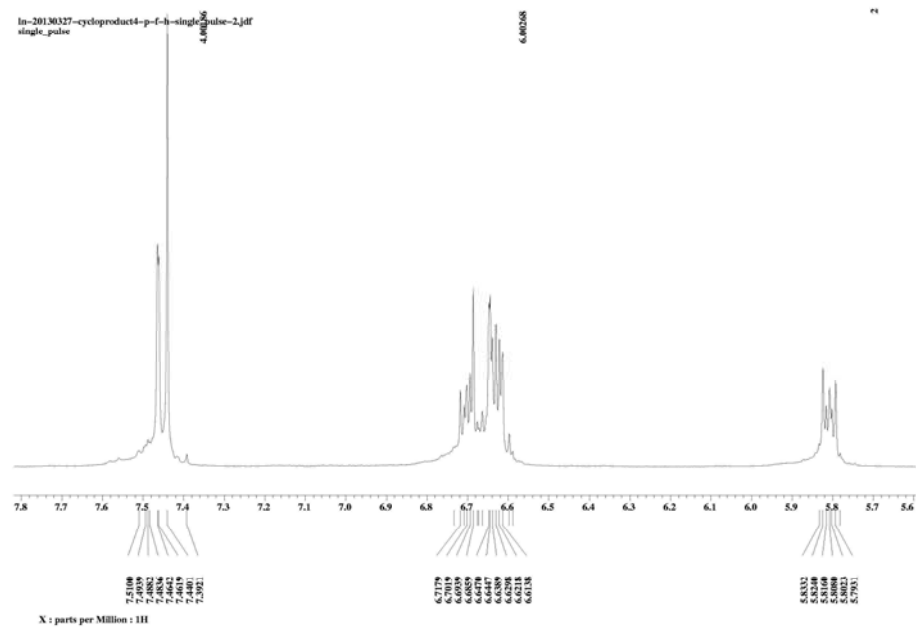
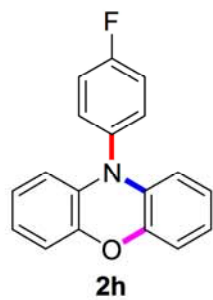


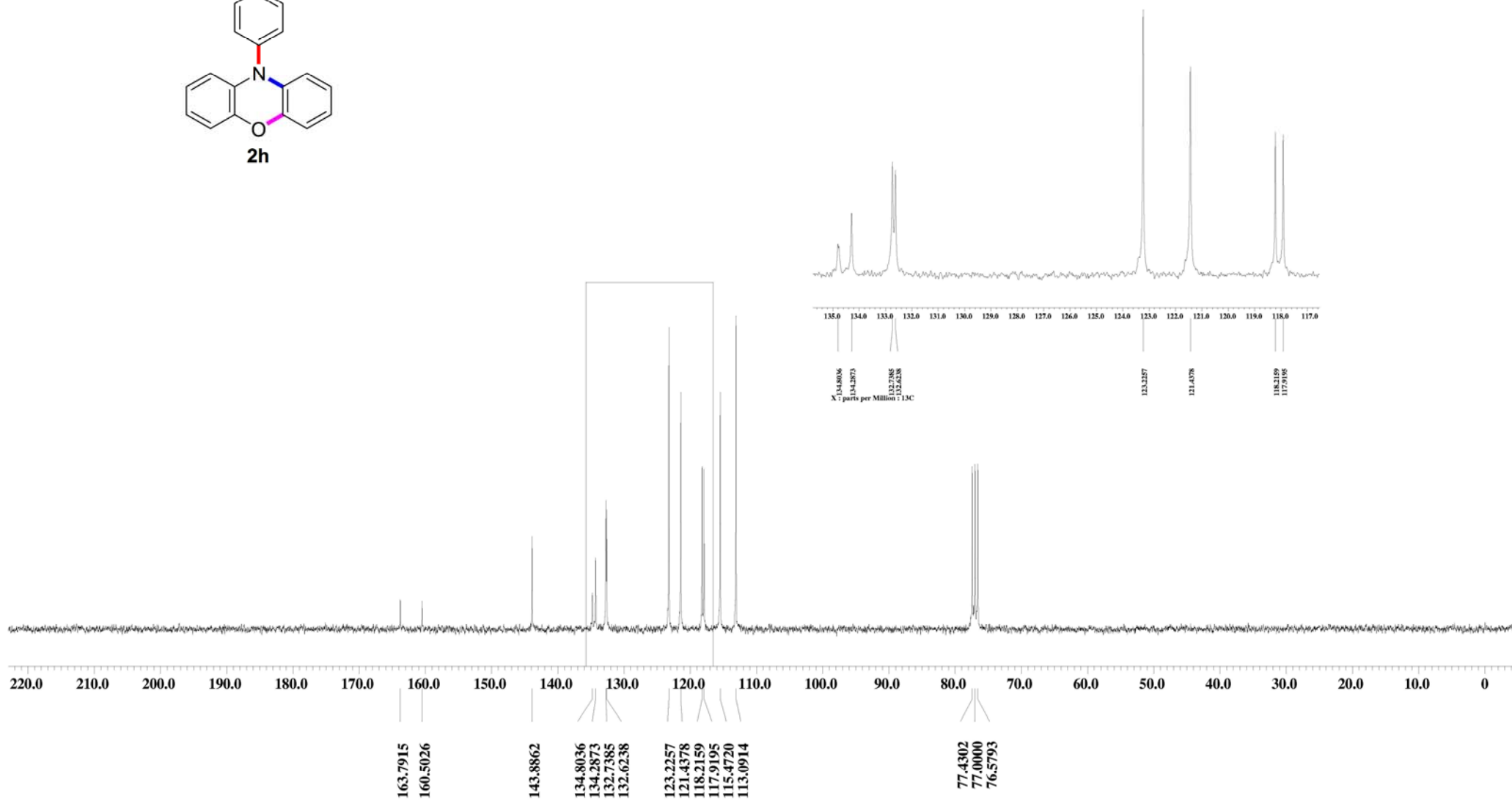
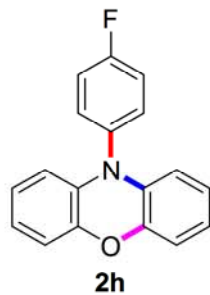


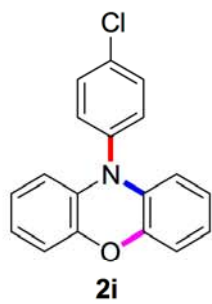




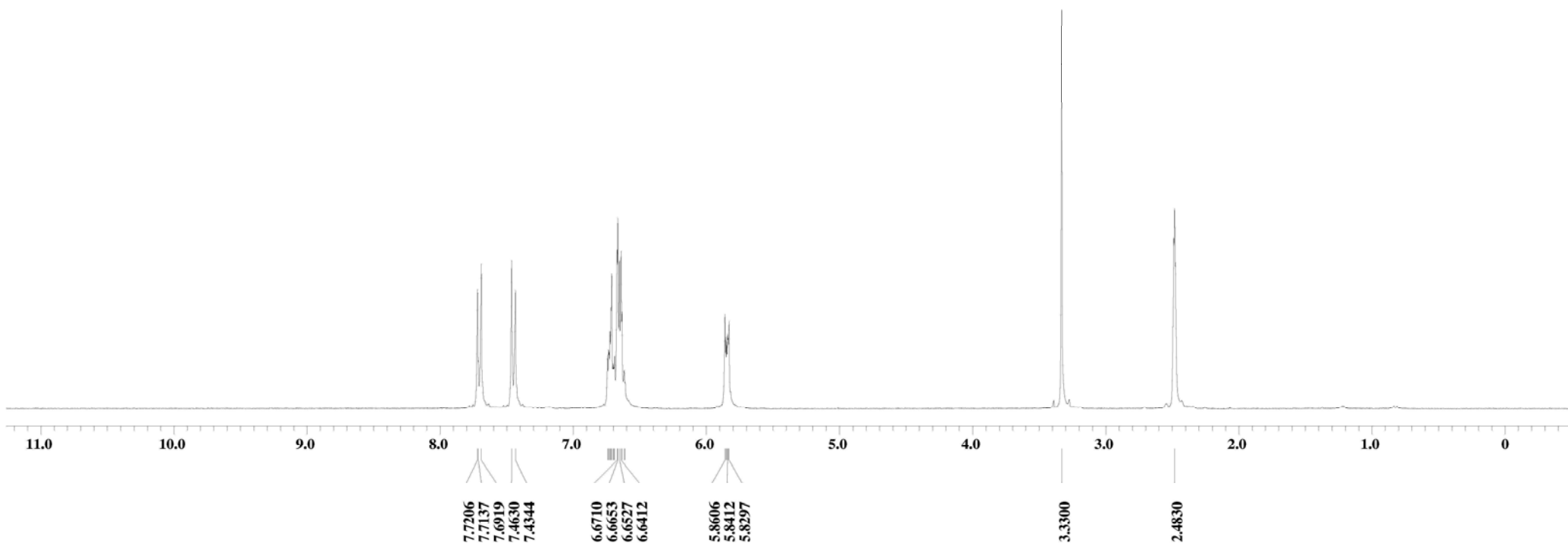


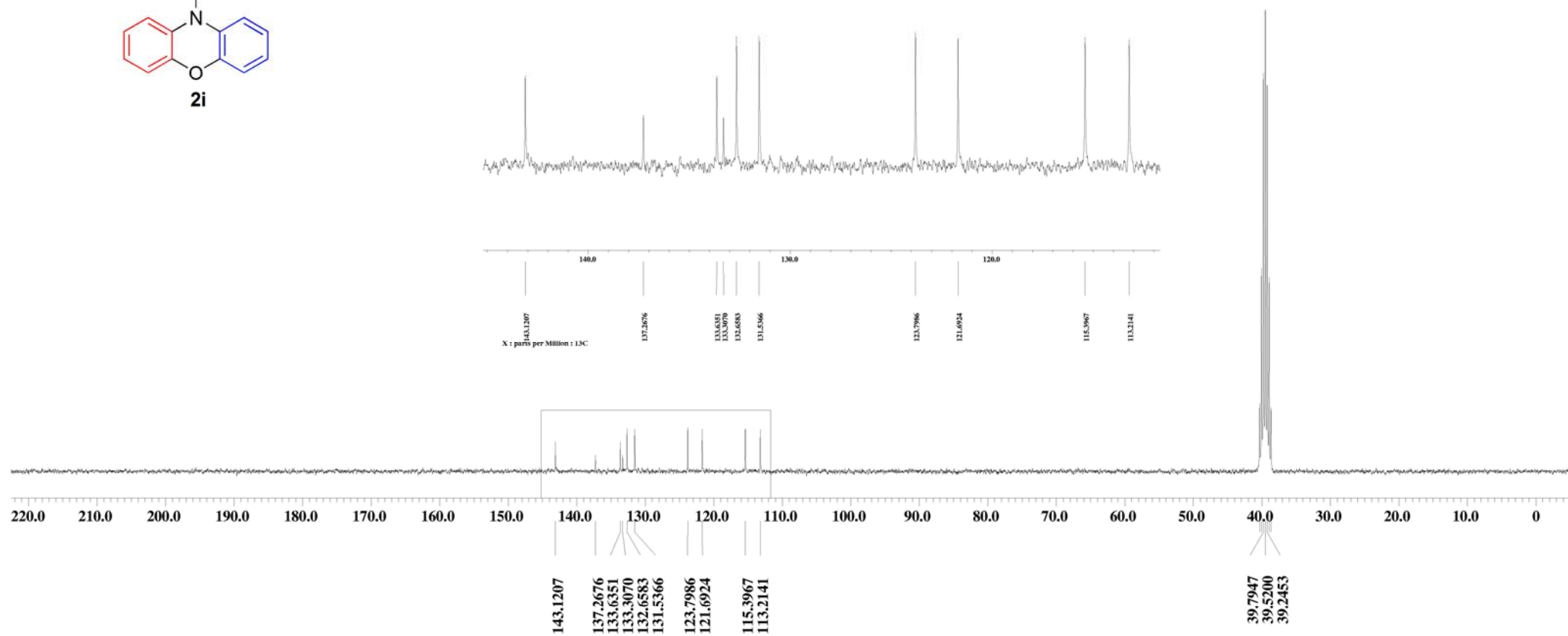
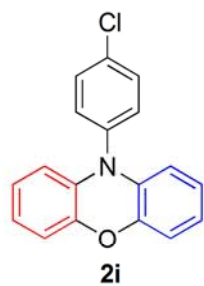


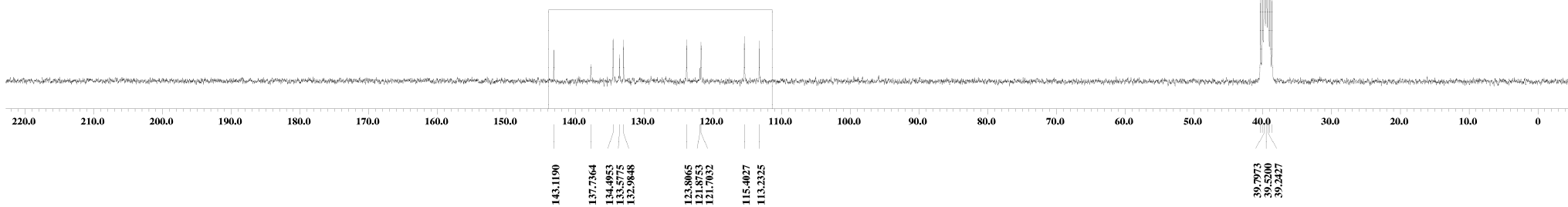
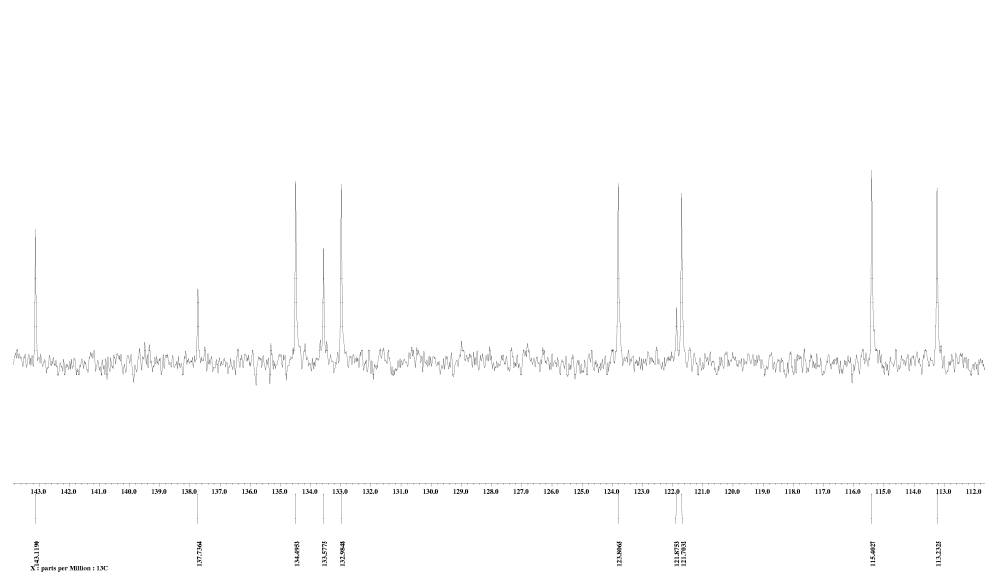
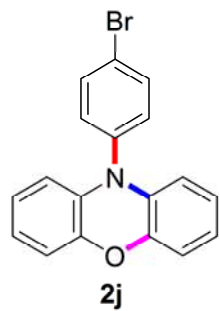


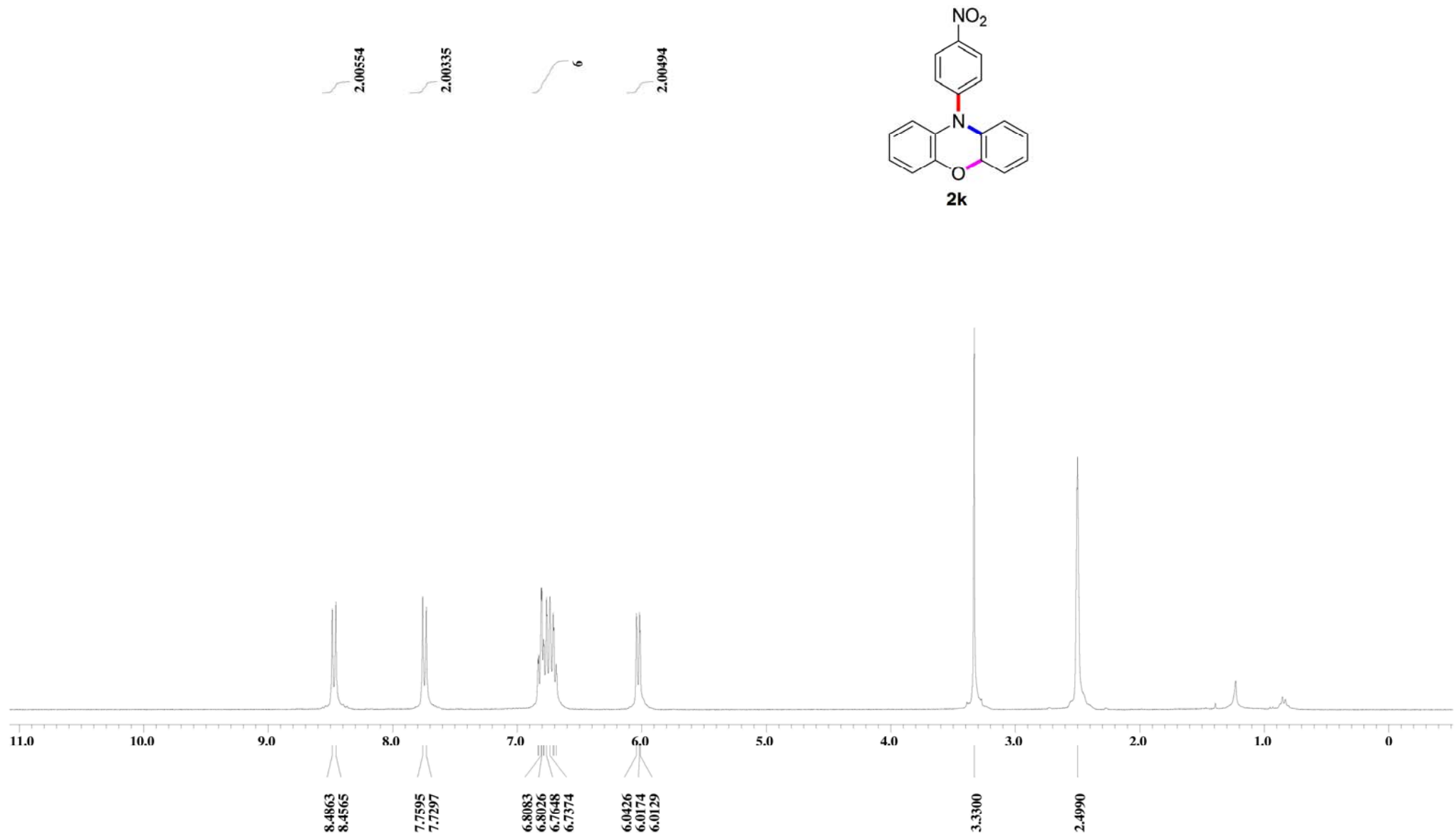


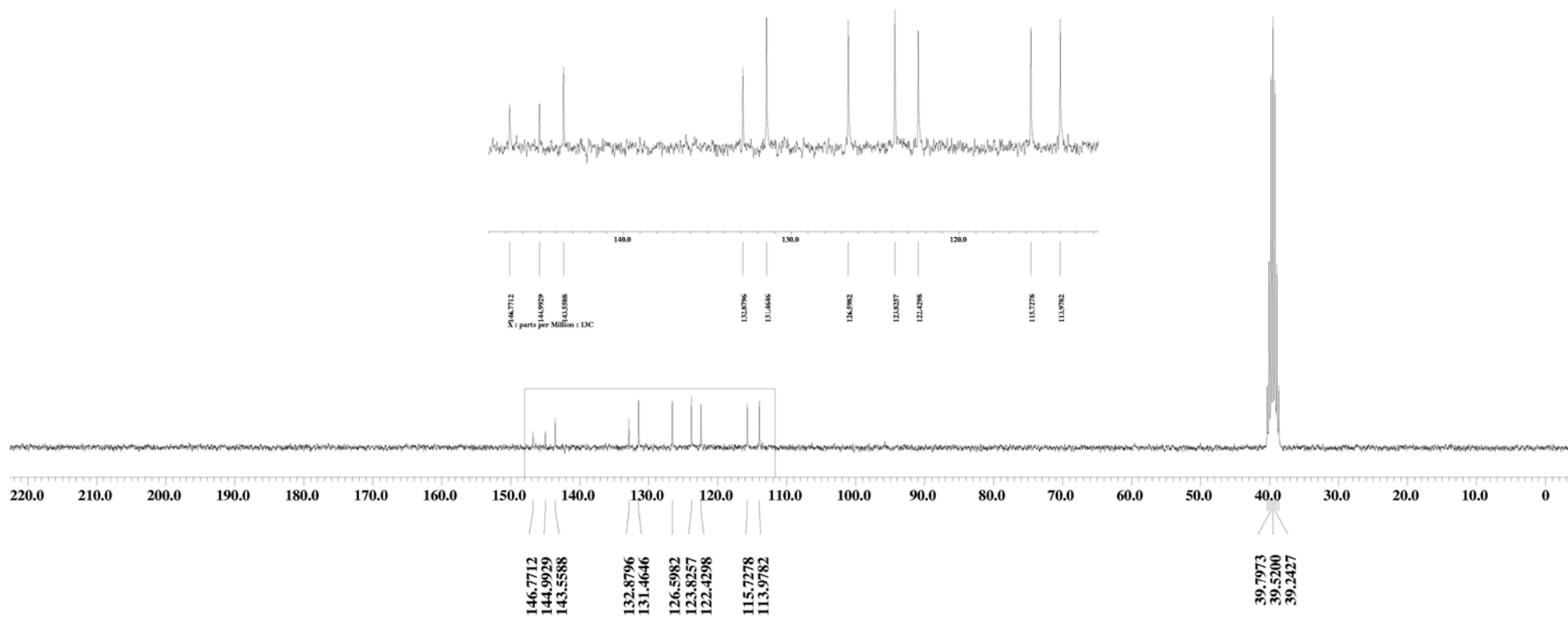
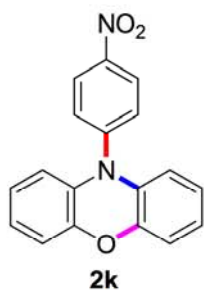
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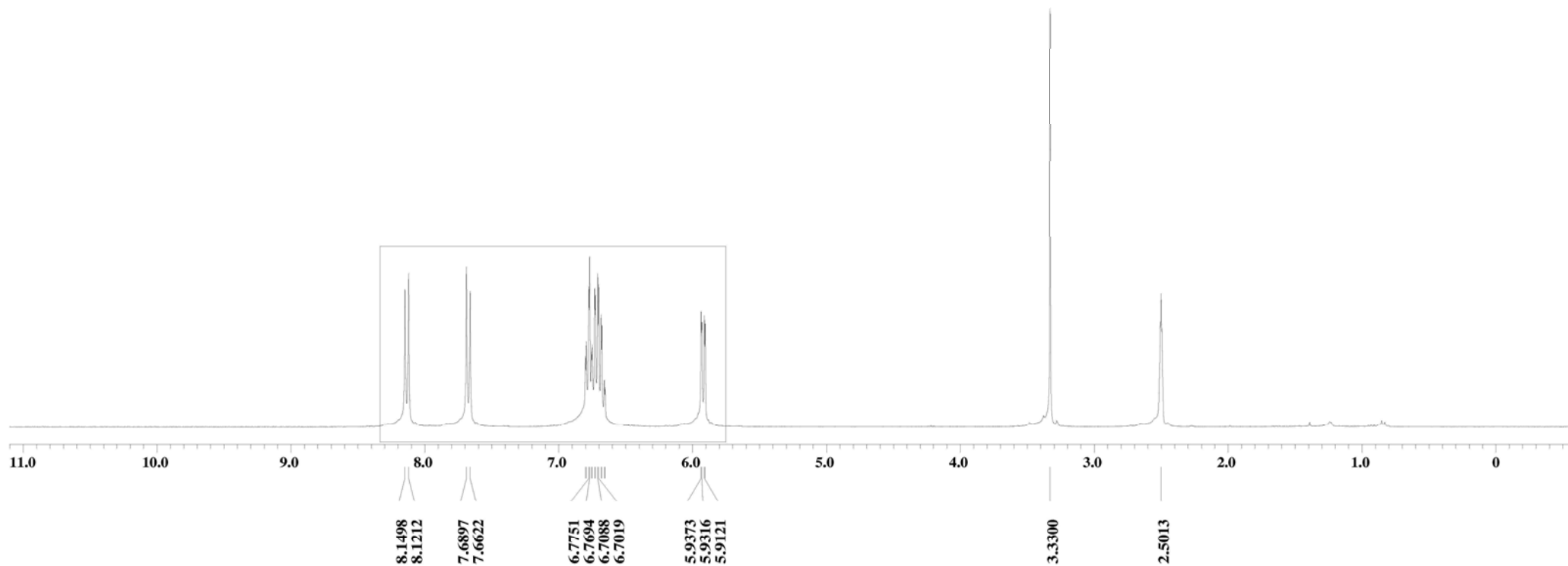
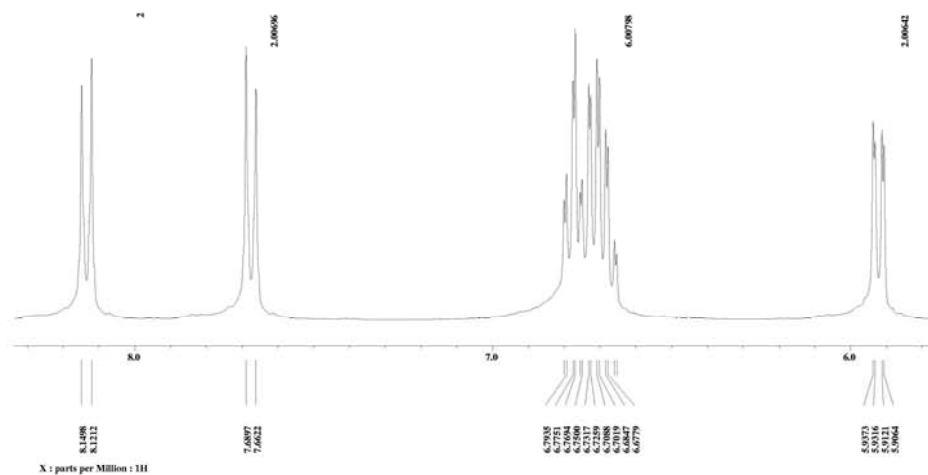
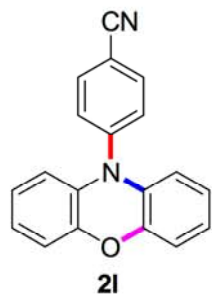


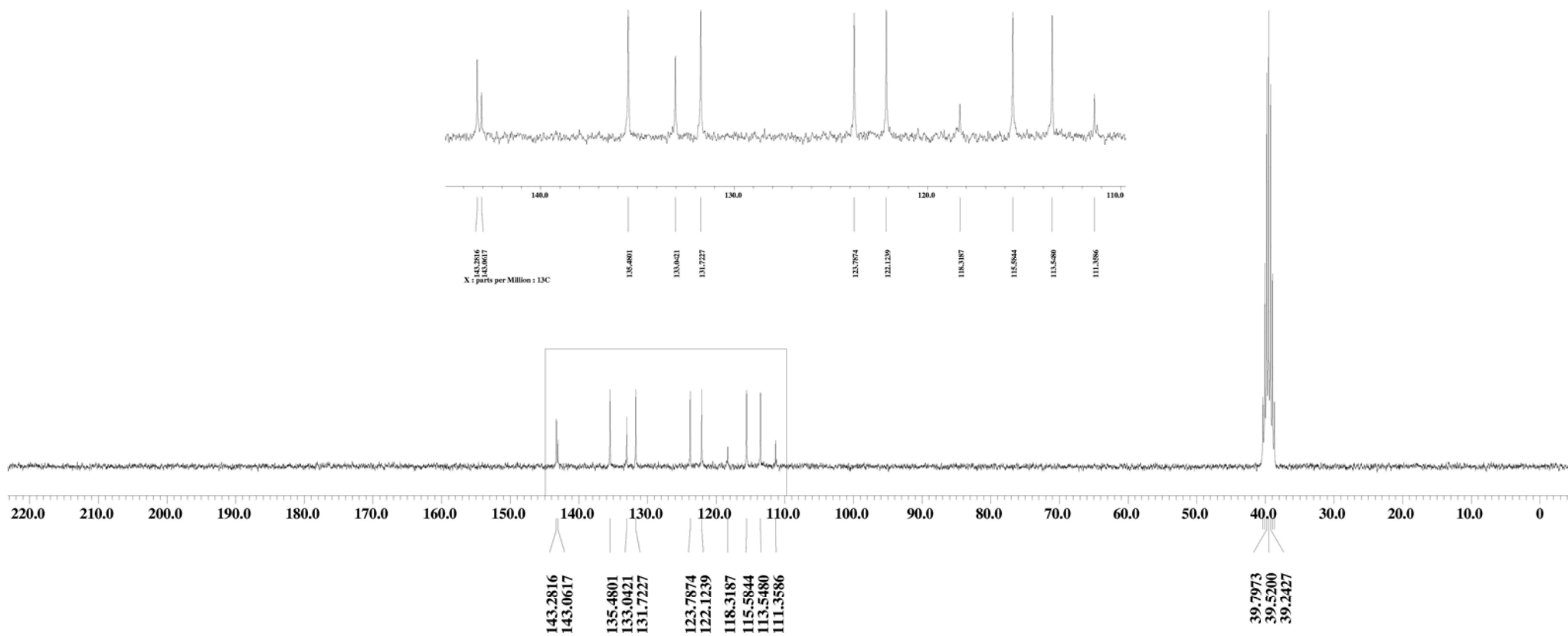
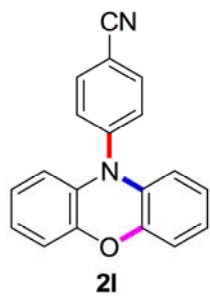


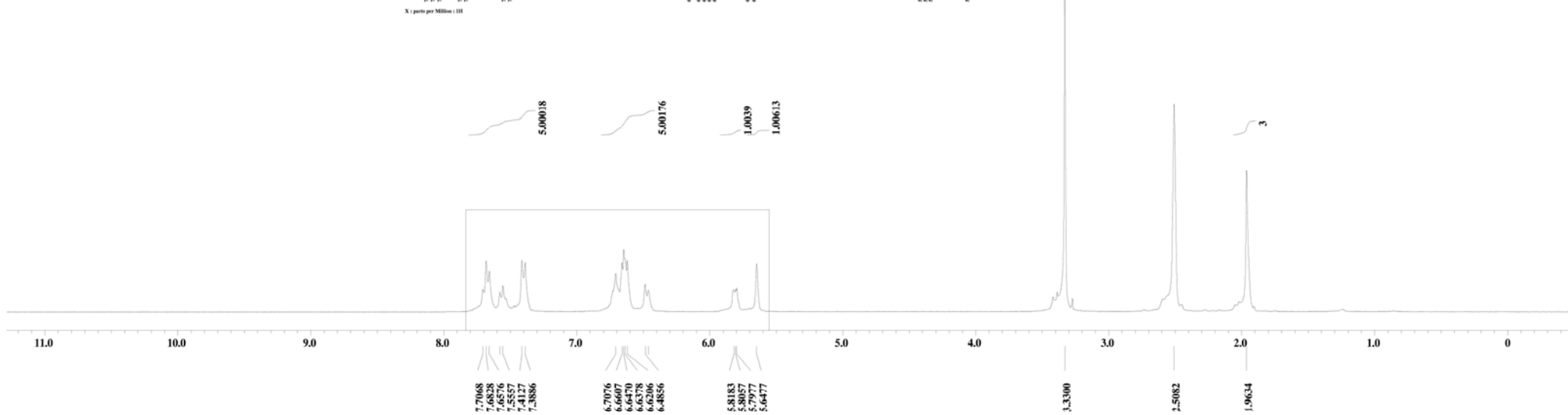
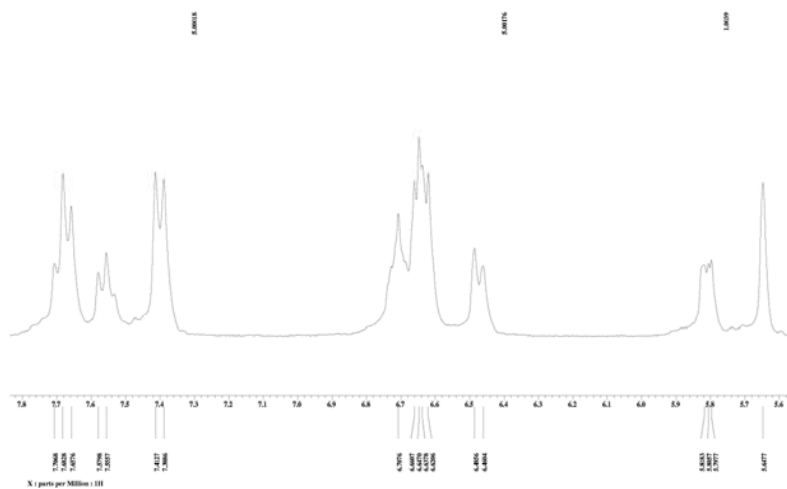
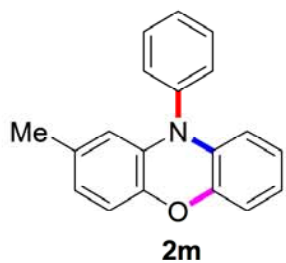


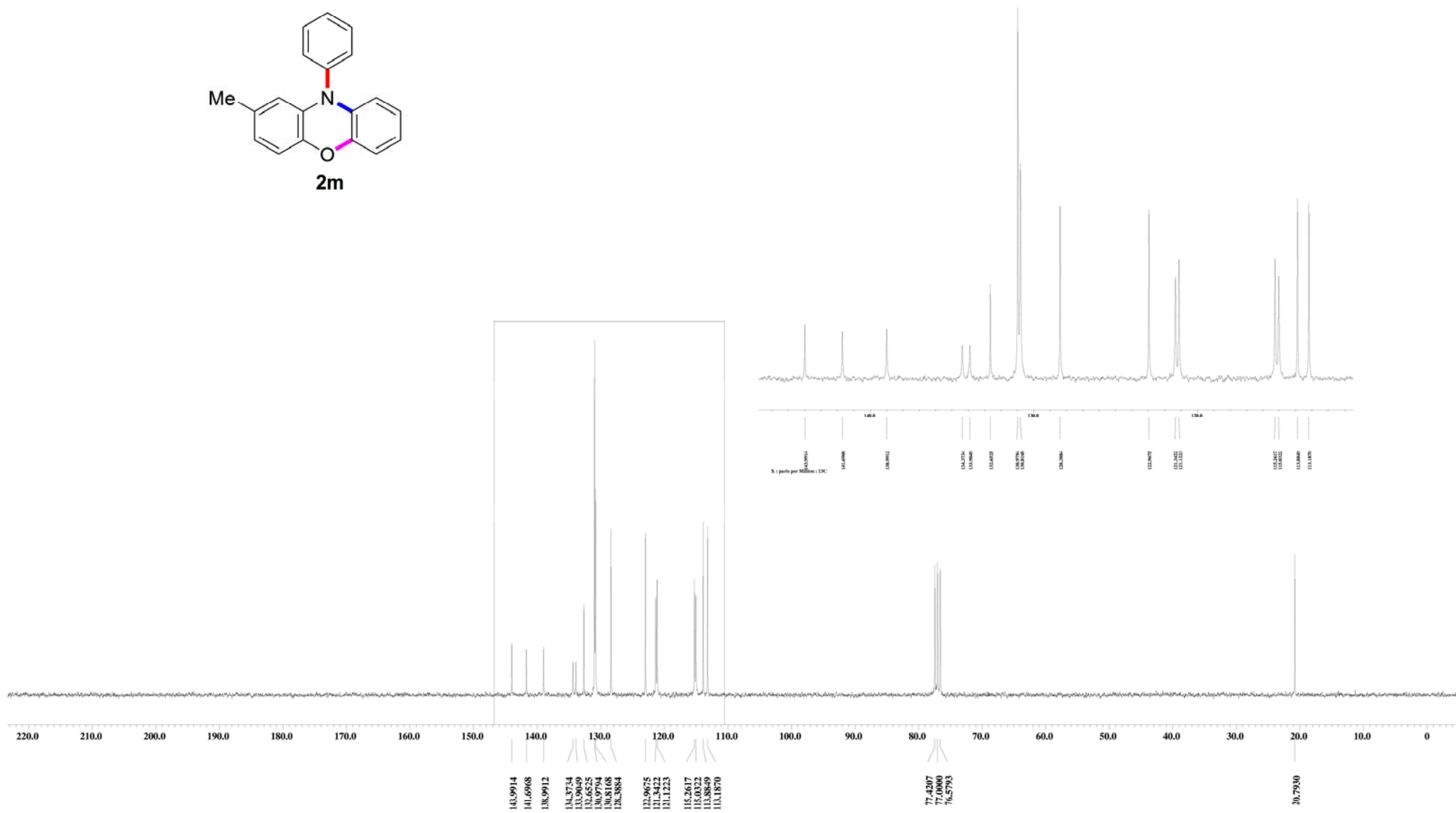
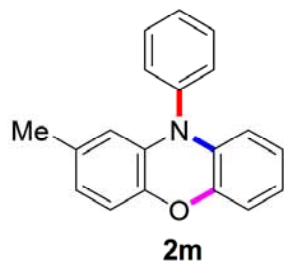


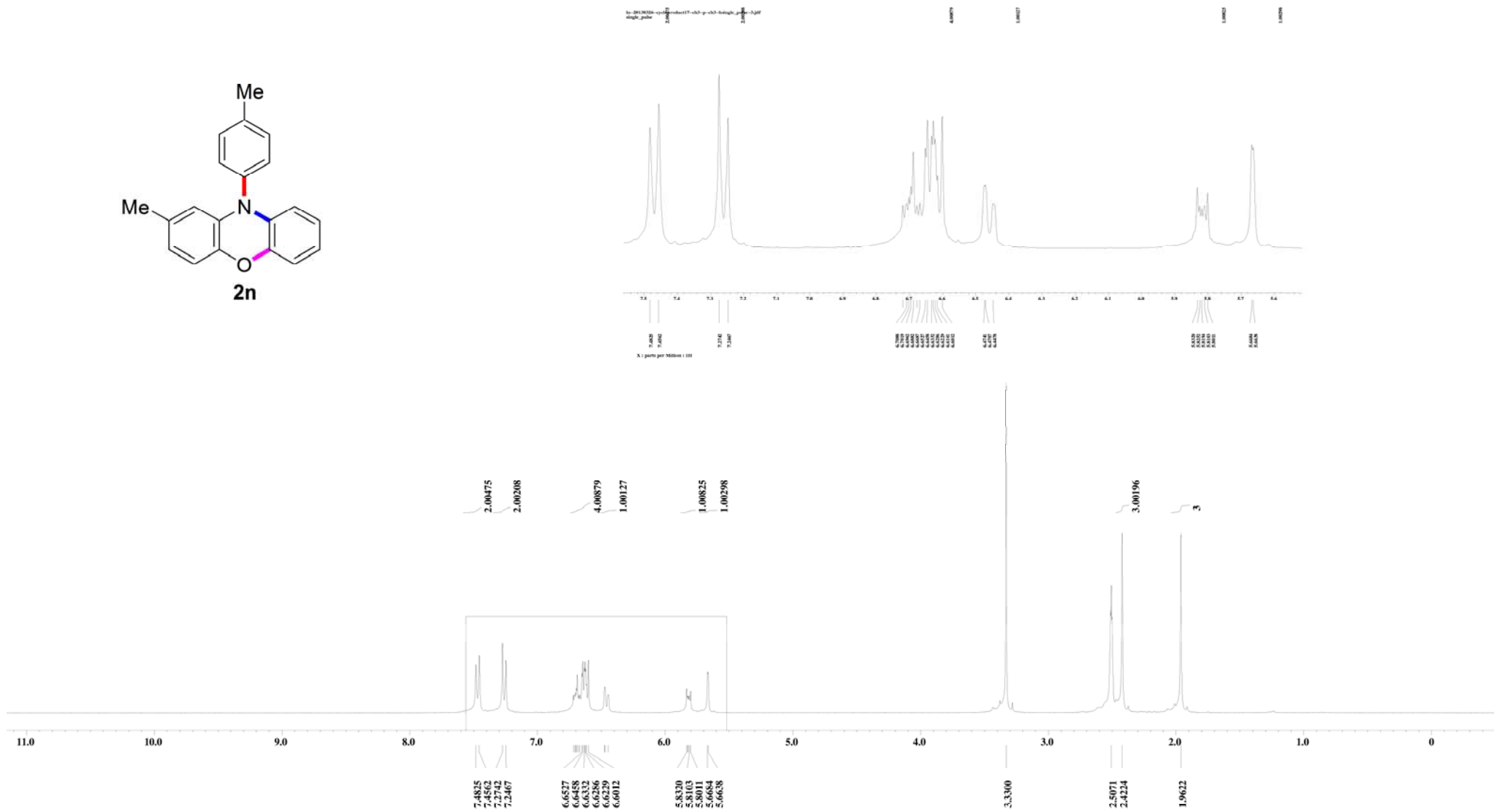
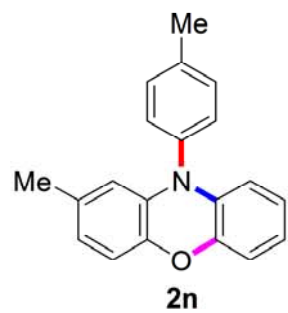


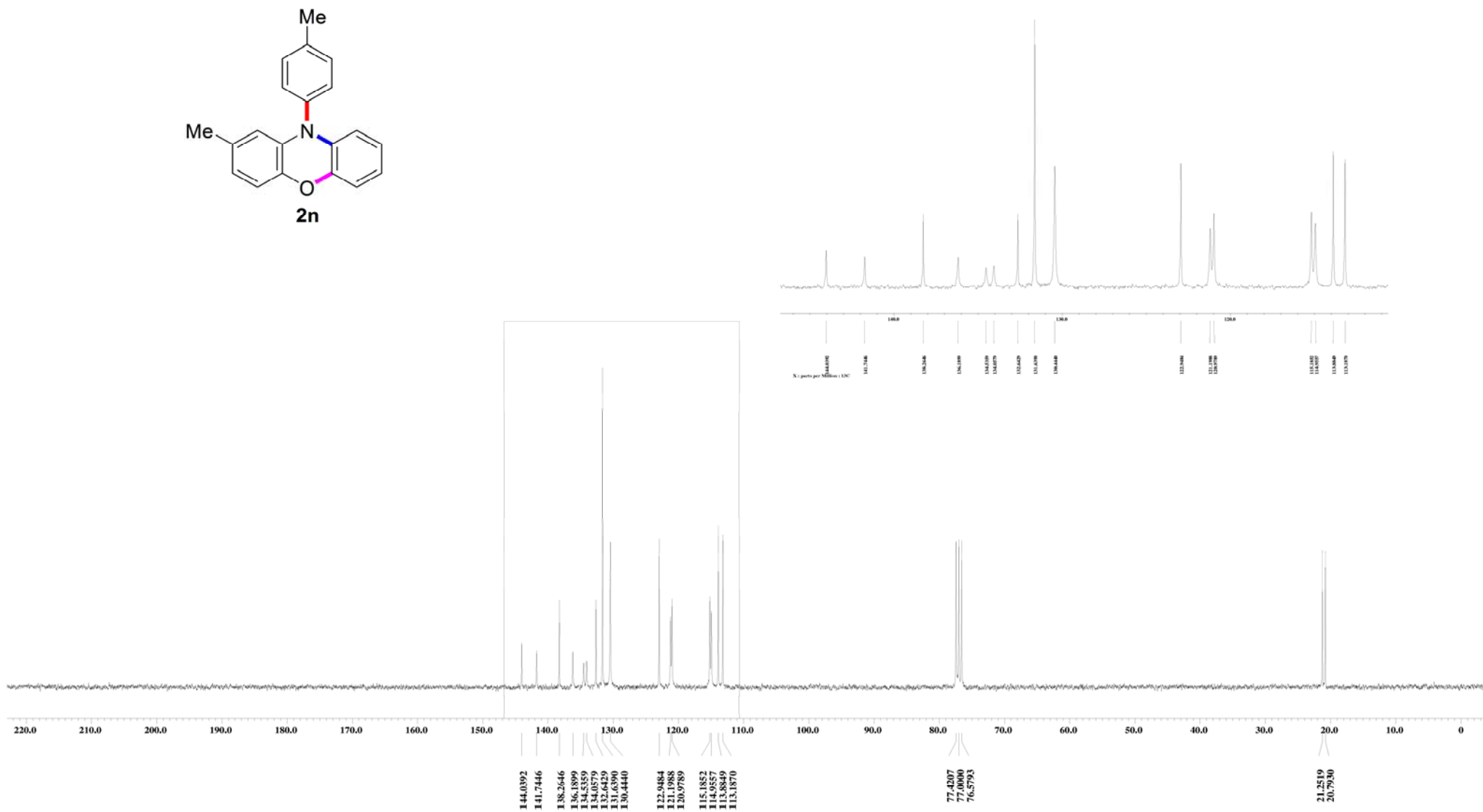
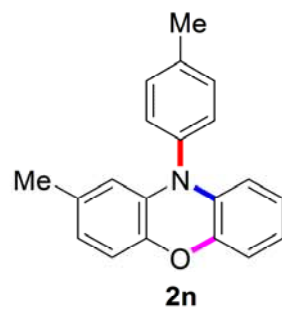


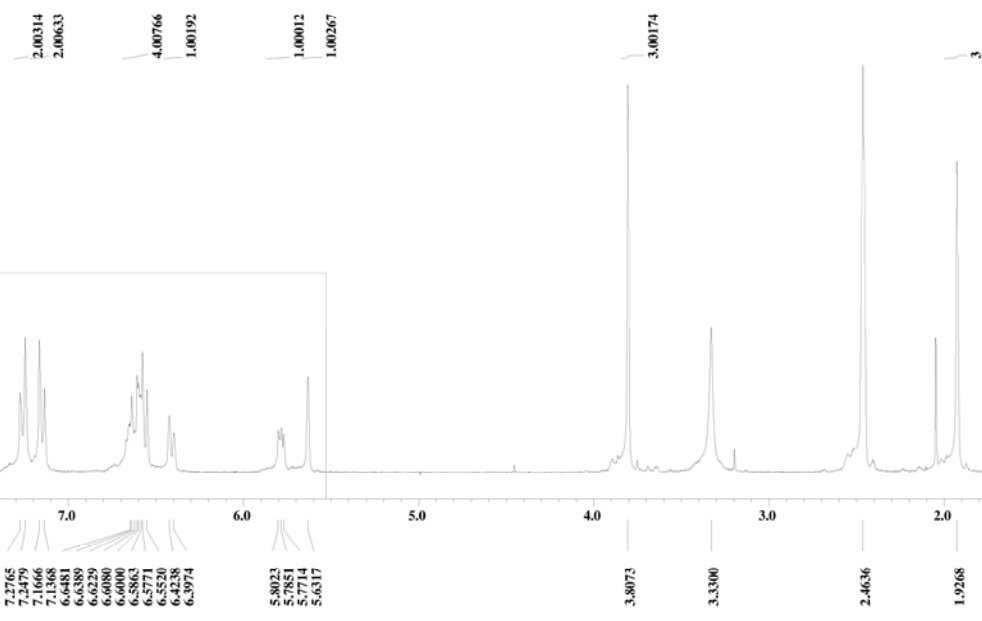
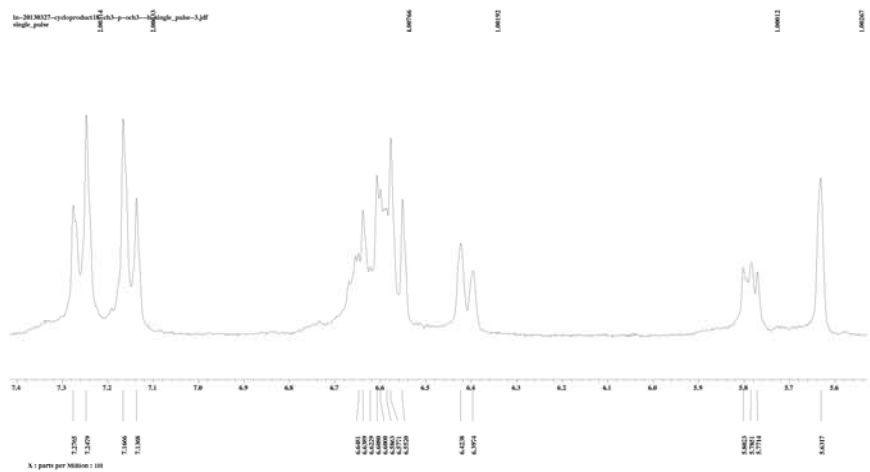
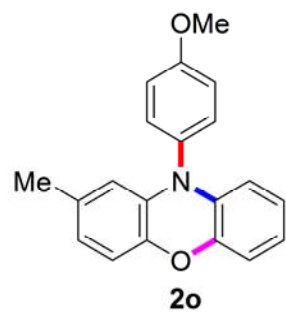


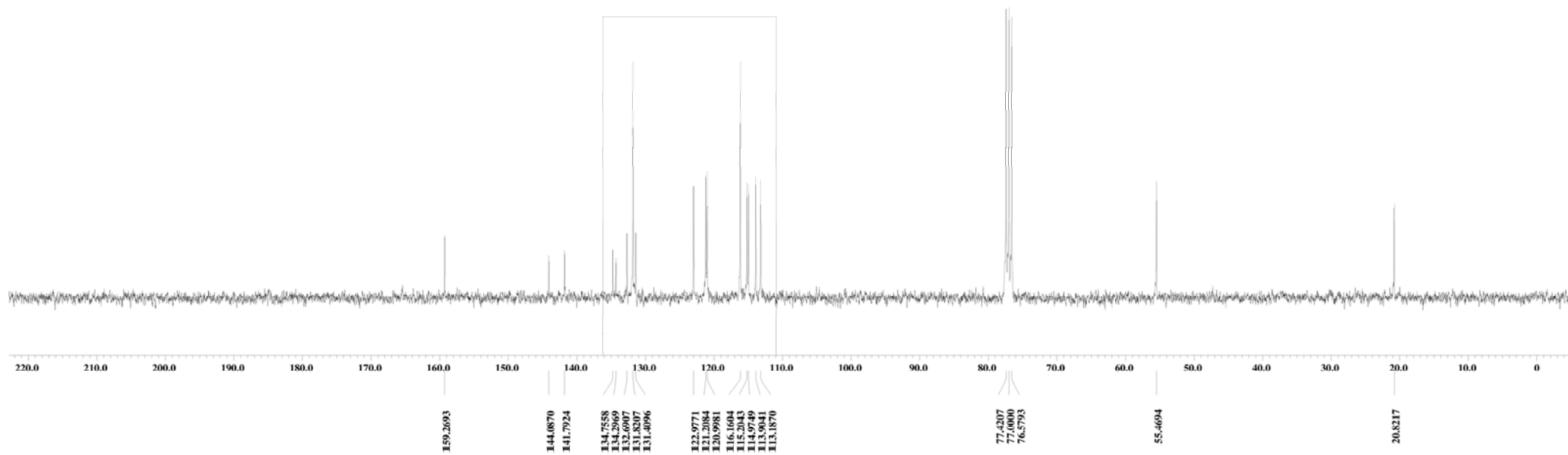
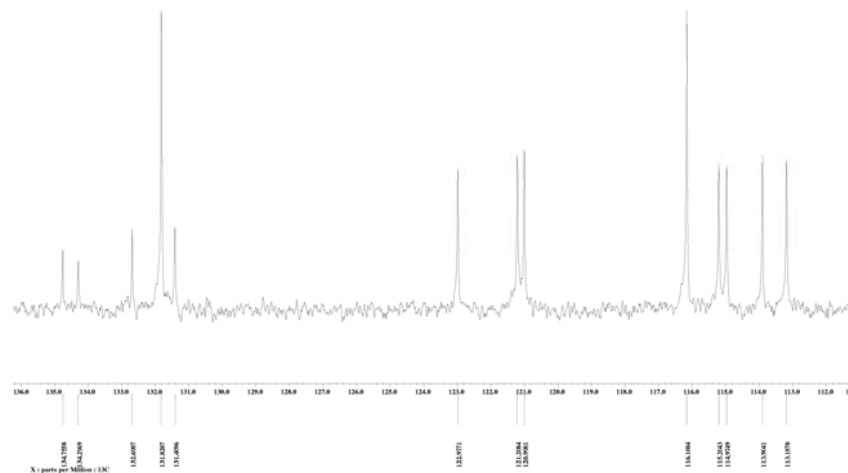
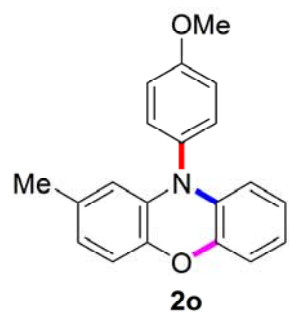


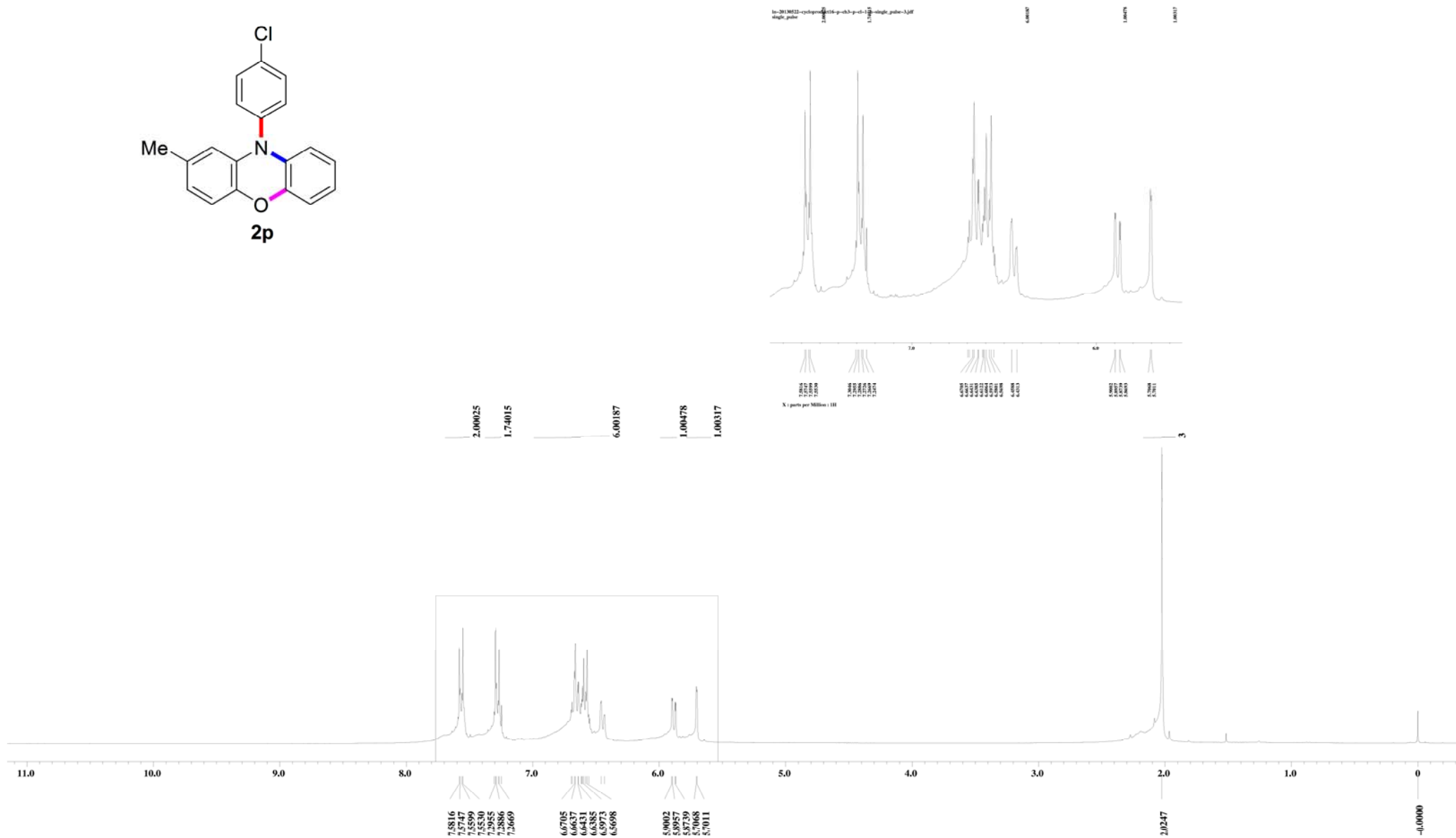
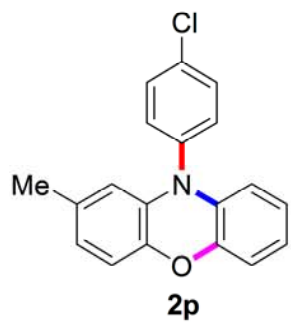


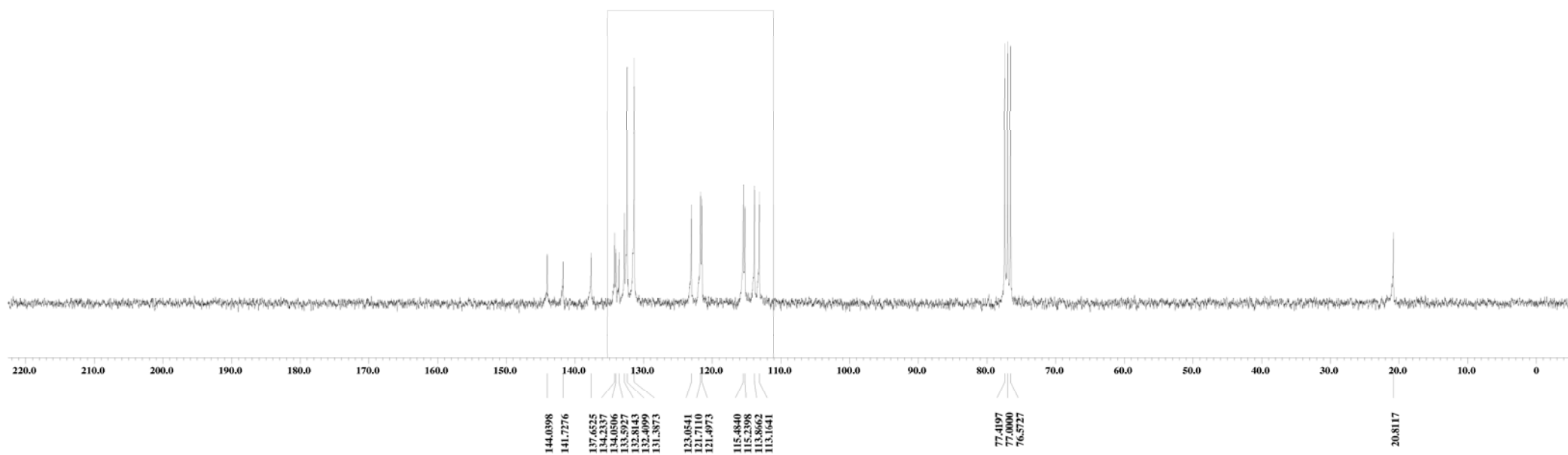
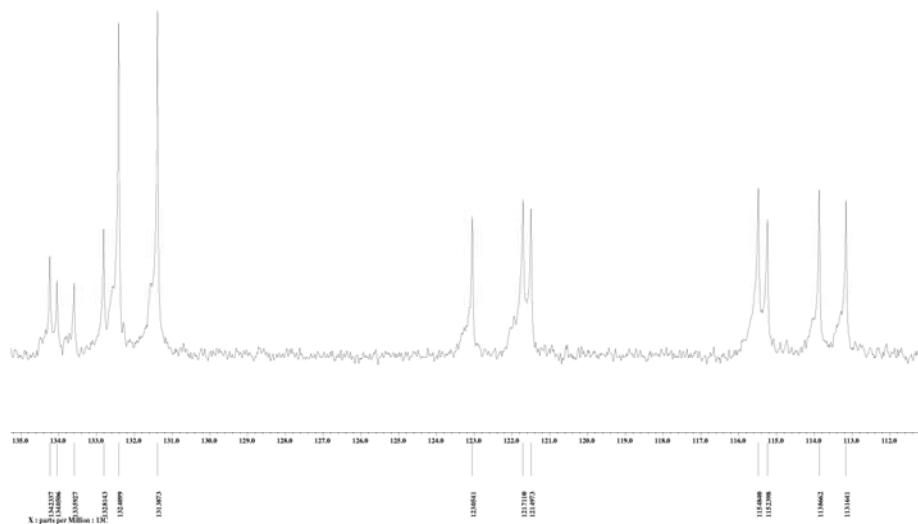
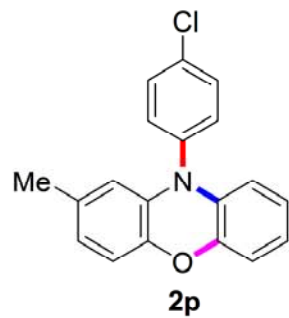


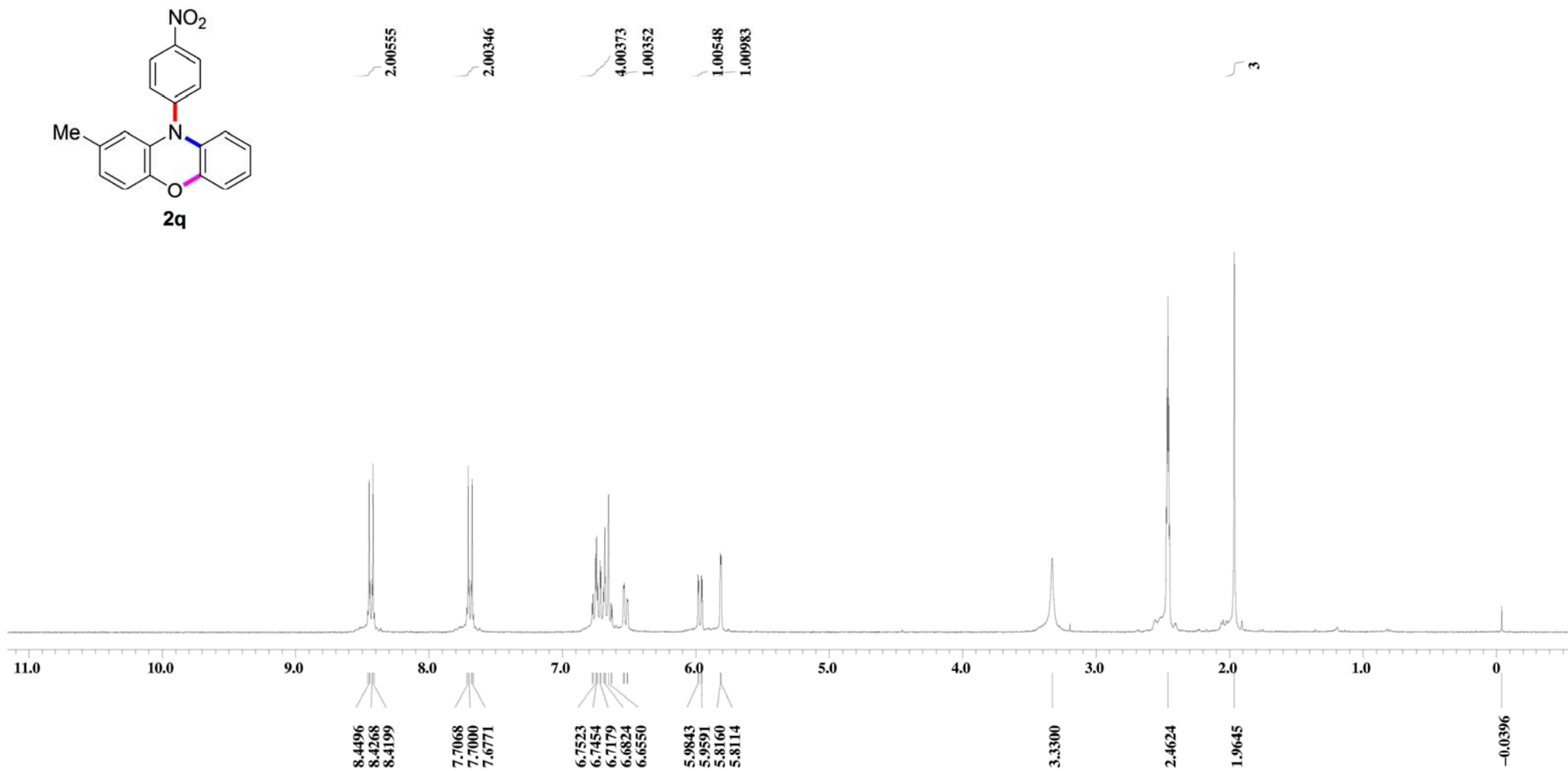
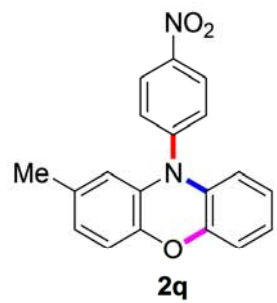


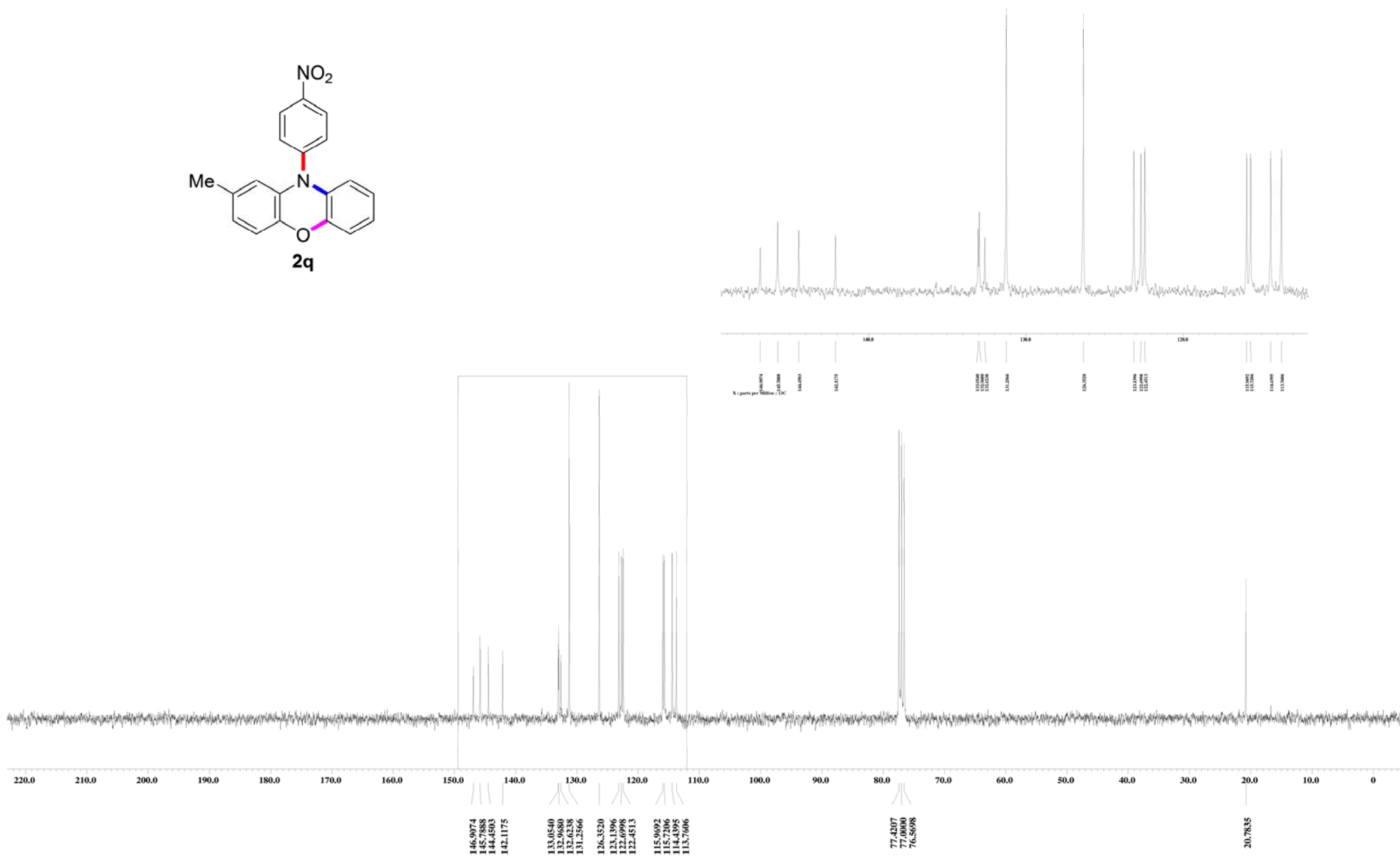
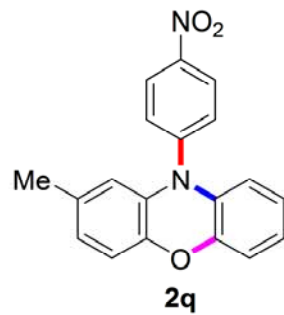


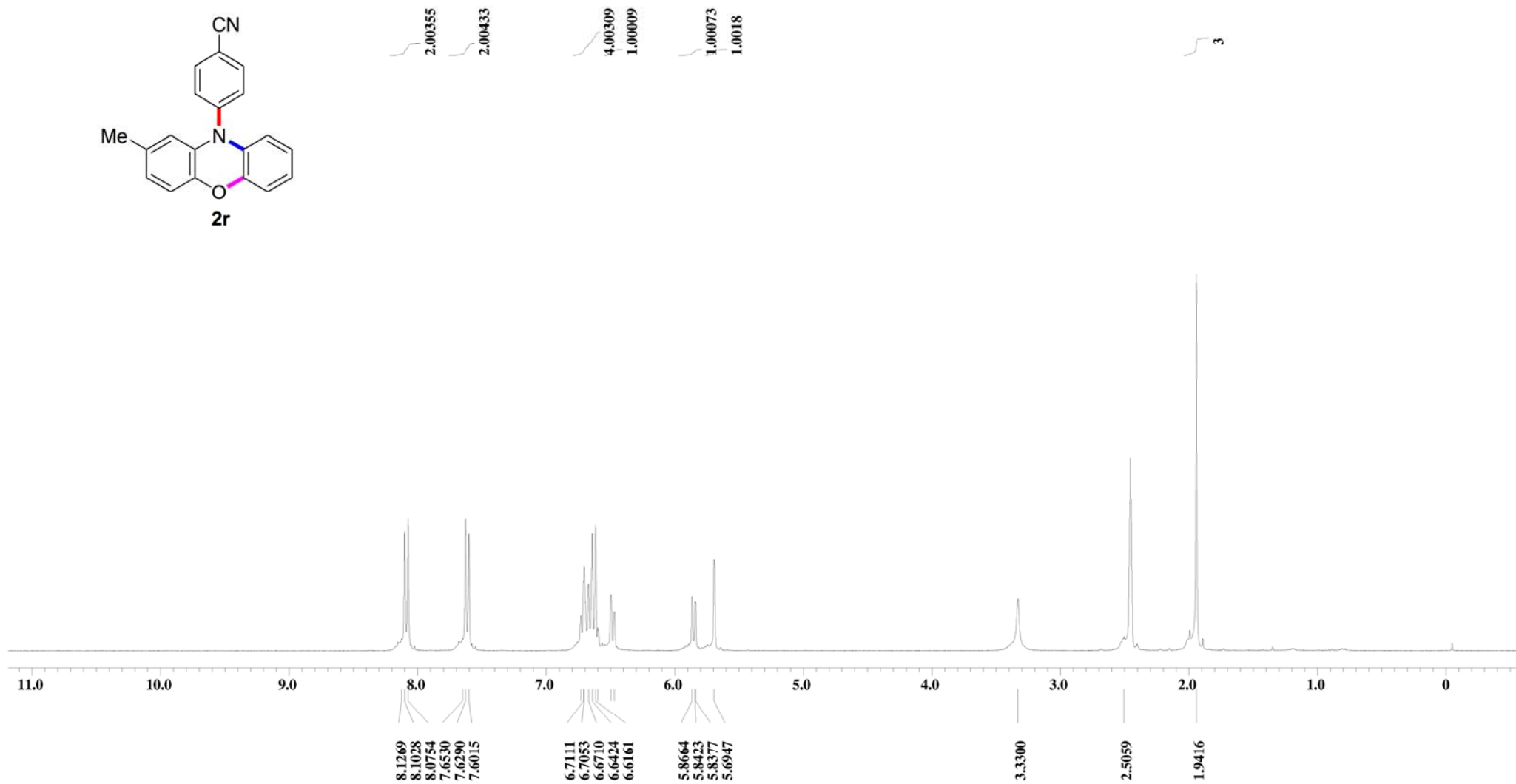
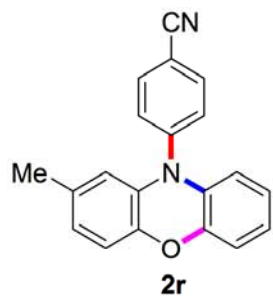


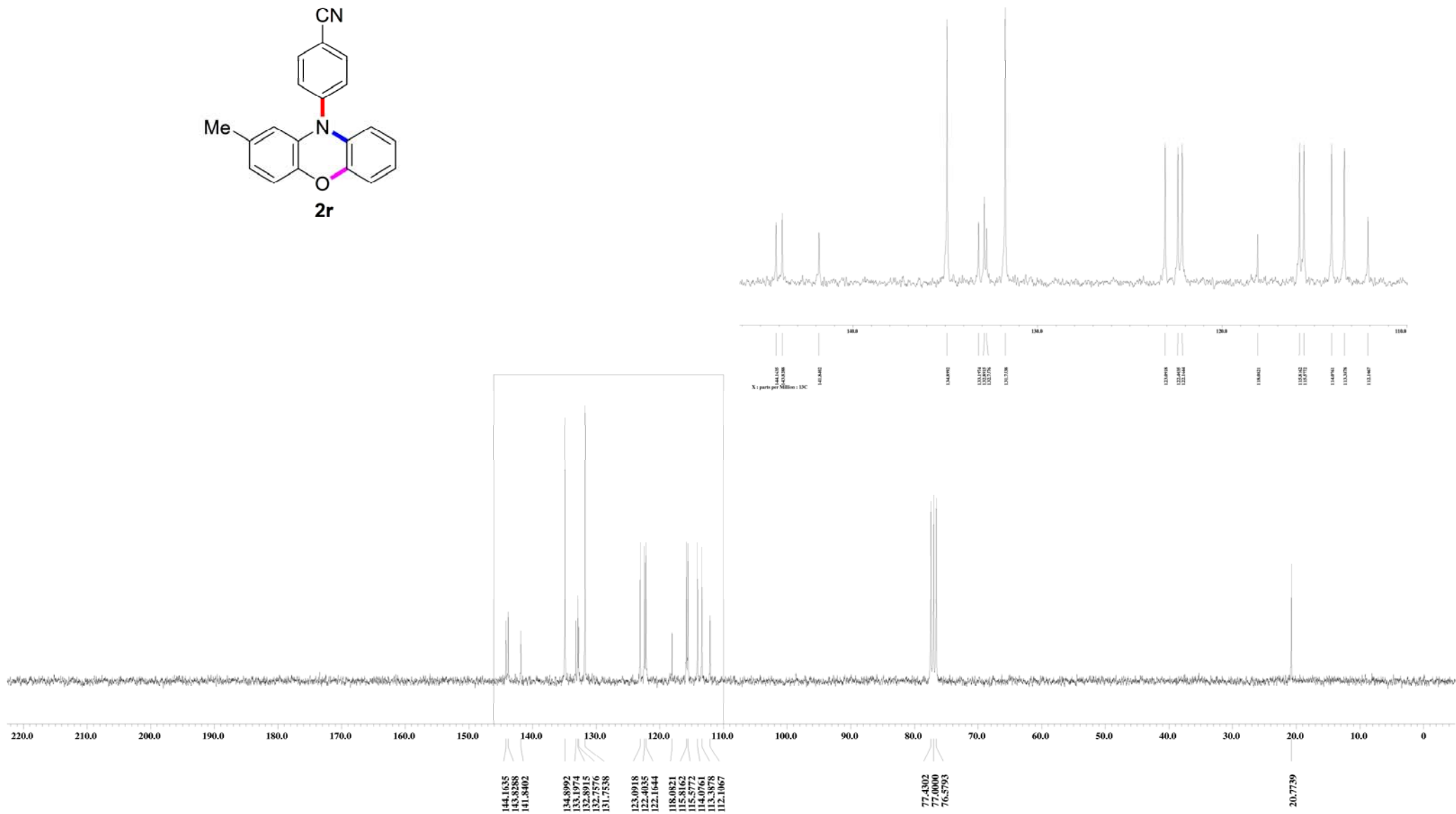
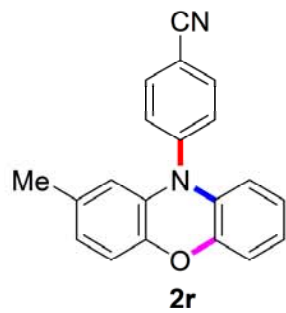


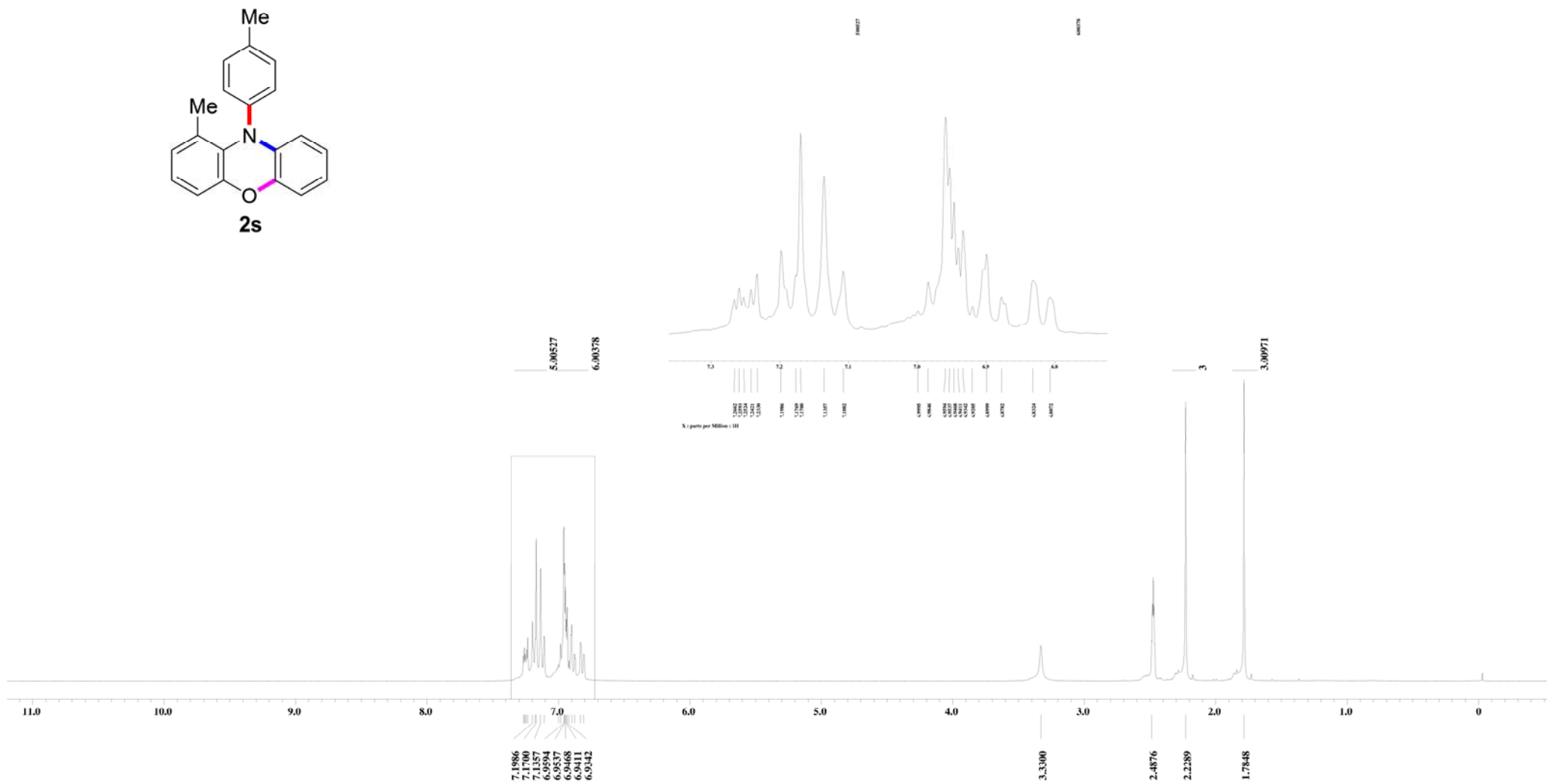
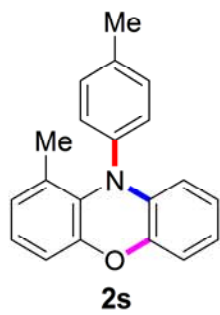


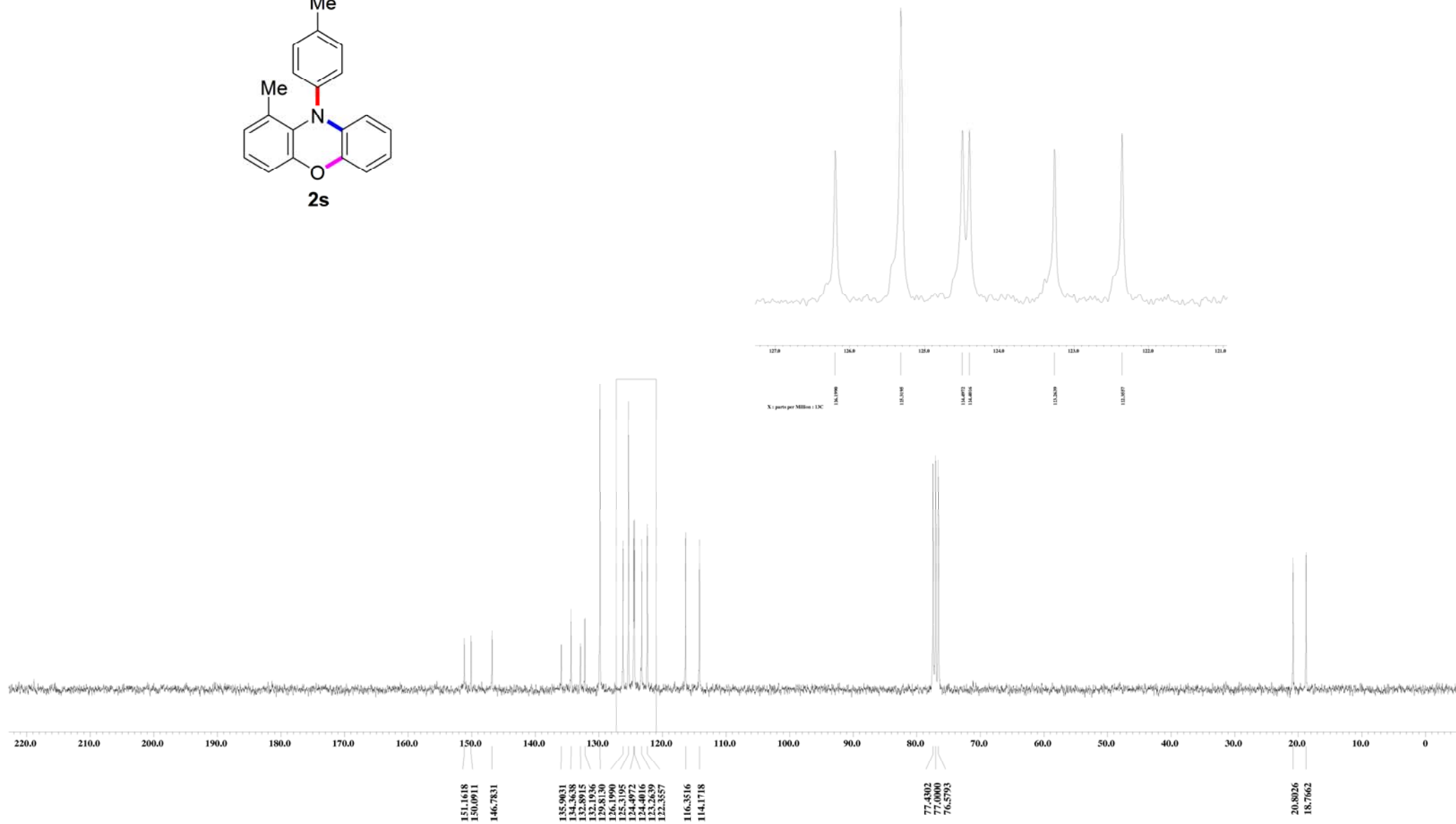
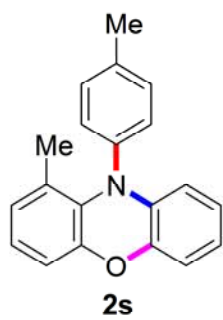


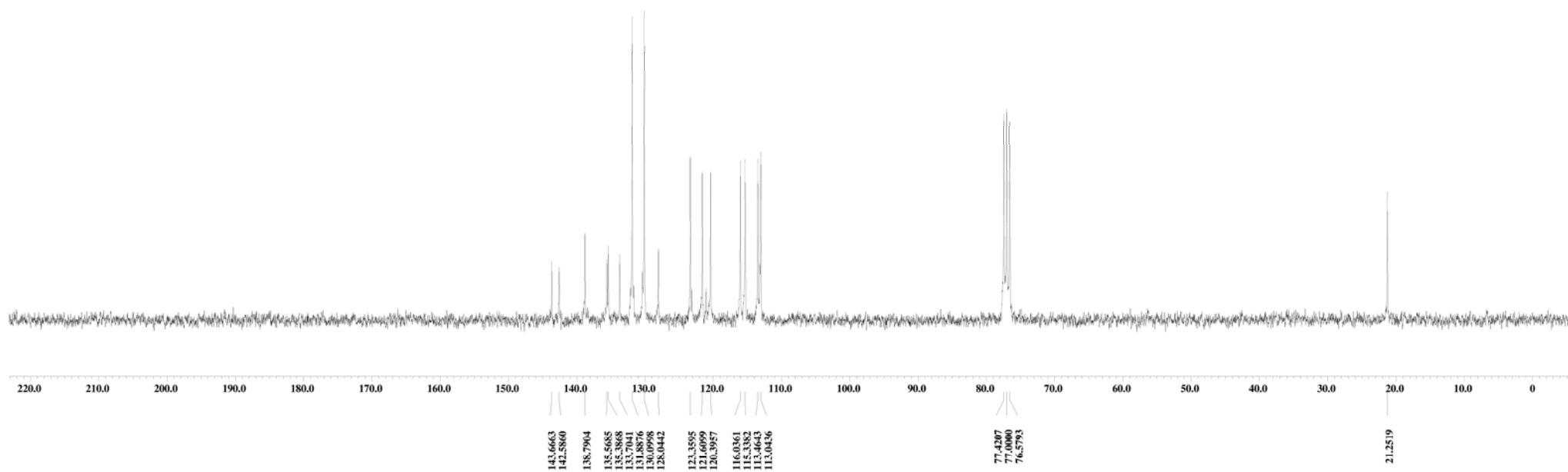
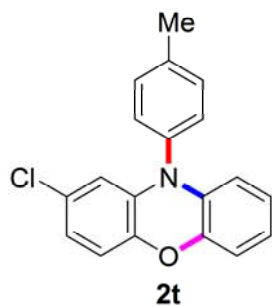












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