

Electronic Supporting Information

A star-shaped D- π -A small molecule based on *tris*(2-methoxyphenyl)amine for highly efficient solution-processed organic solar cells

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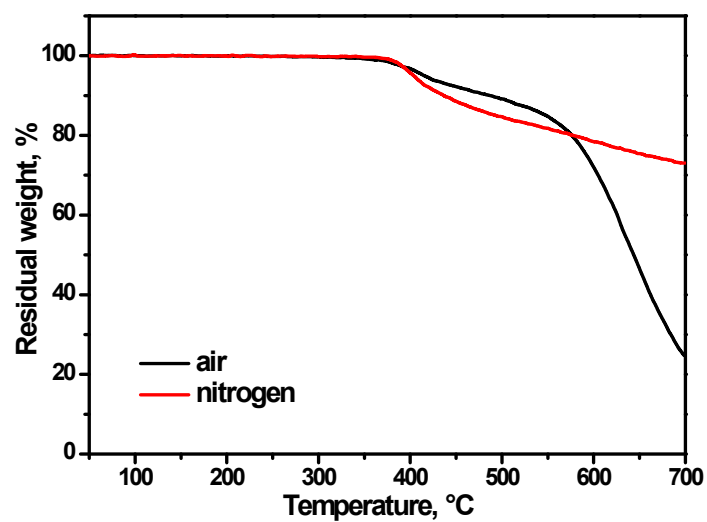


Figure S1. Thermogravimetric analysis of N(Ph(OMe)-2T-DCN-Me)₃ in air and inert atmosphere (nitrogen flow).

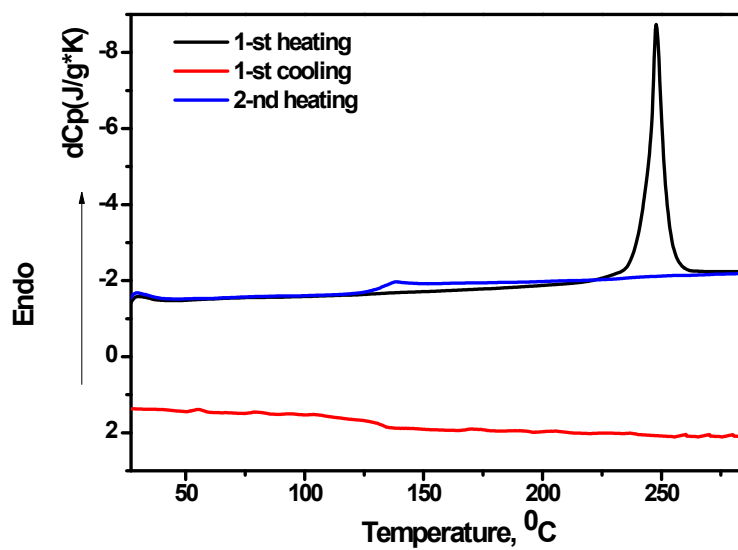


Figure S2. DSC scans of N(Ph(OMe)-2T-DCV-Me)₃. For the sake of simplicity, curves are shifted along heat flow axis.

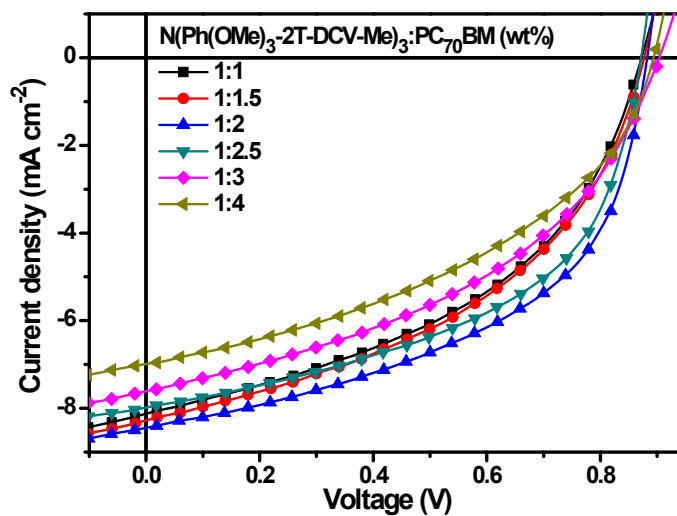
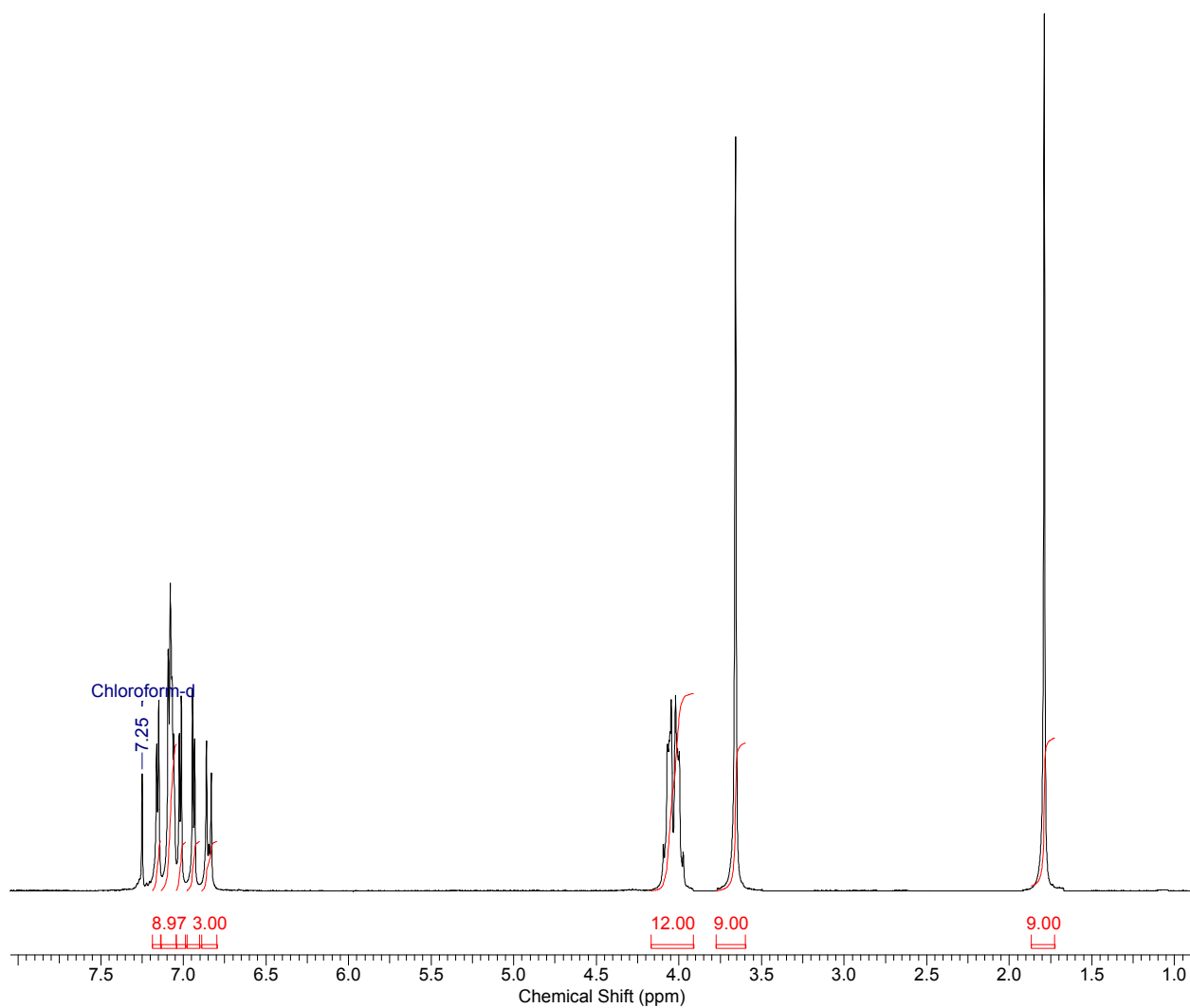


Figure S3. J - V curves for $N(\text{Ph}(\text{OMe})_3\text{-2T-DCV-Me})_3\text{:PC}_{70}\text{BM}$ (wt%) OSCs with various D:A ratios, under the illumination of AM 1.5G at 100 mW cm^{-2} .

Table 1. The photovoltaic performance of the OSCs based on $N(\text{Ph}(\text{OMe})_3\text{-2T-DCV-Me})_3\text{:PC}_{70}\text{BM}$ blends, under the illumination of AM 1.5G at 100 mW cm^{-2}

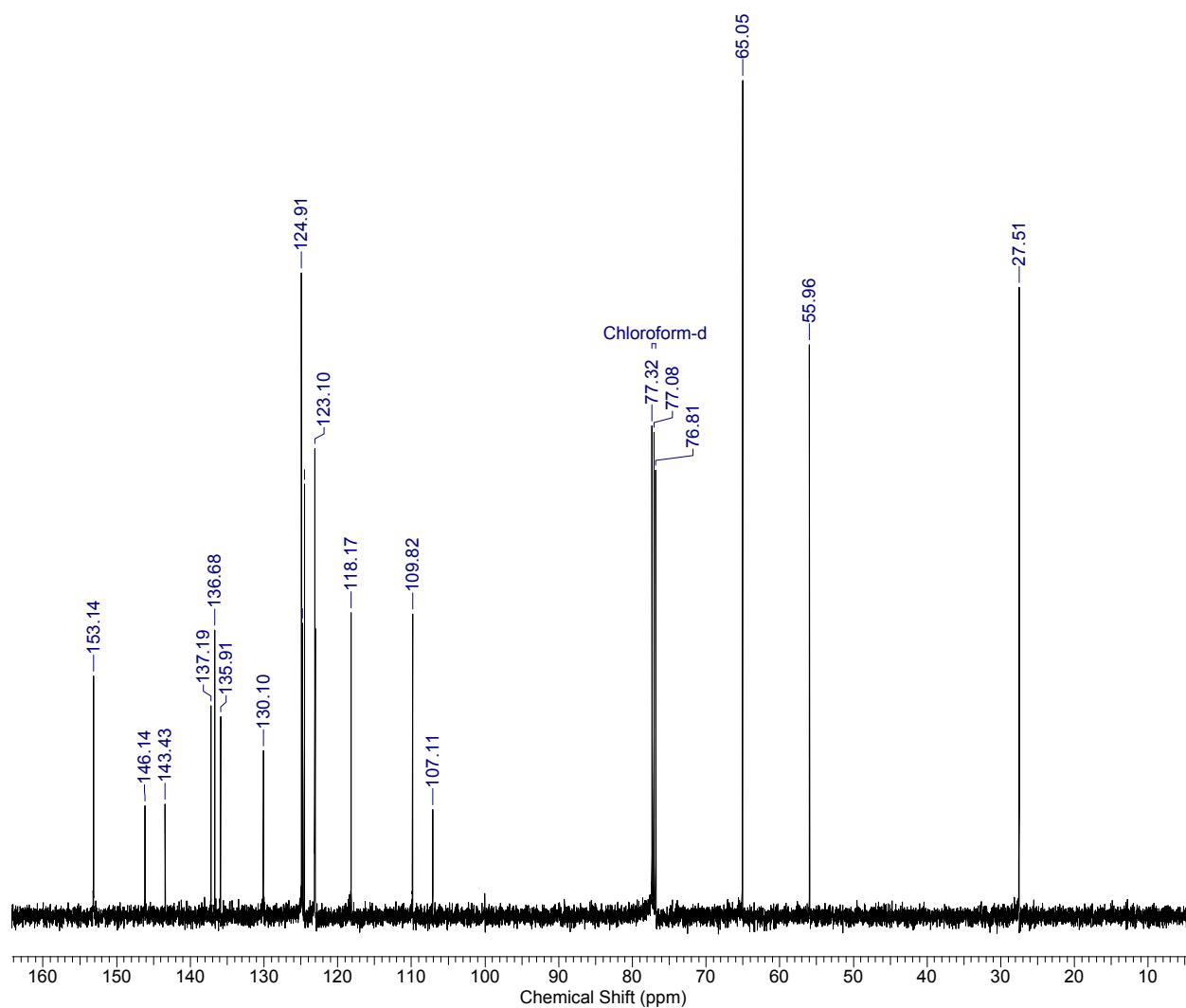
$N(\text{Ph}(\text{OMe})_3\text{-2T-DCV-Me})_3\text{:PC}_{70}\text{BM}$ (wt%)	V_{oc} [V]	J_{sc} [mA cm^{-2}]	FF [%]	PCE_{max} ($\text{PCE}_{\text{ave}}^a$)[%]
1:1	0.87	8.12	45.0	3.18 (3.10)
1:1.5	0.88	8.28	44.8	3.26 (3.12)
1:2	0.88	8.45	52.7	3.92 (3.80)
1:2.5	0.87	7.99	52.3	3.64 (3.51)
1:3	0.90	7.61	53.1	3.64 (3.46)
1:4	0.89	6.99	42.4	2.64 (2.45)

^aThe average PCE is obtained from six cells.



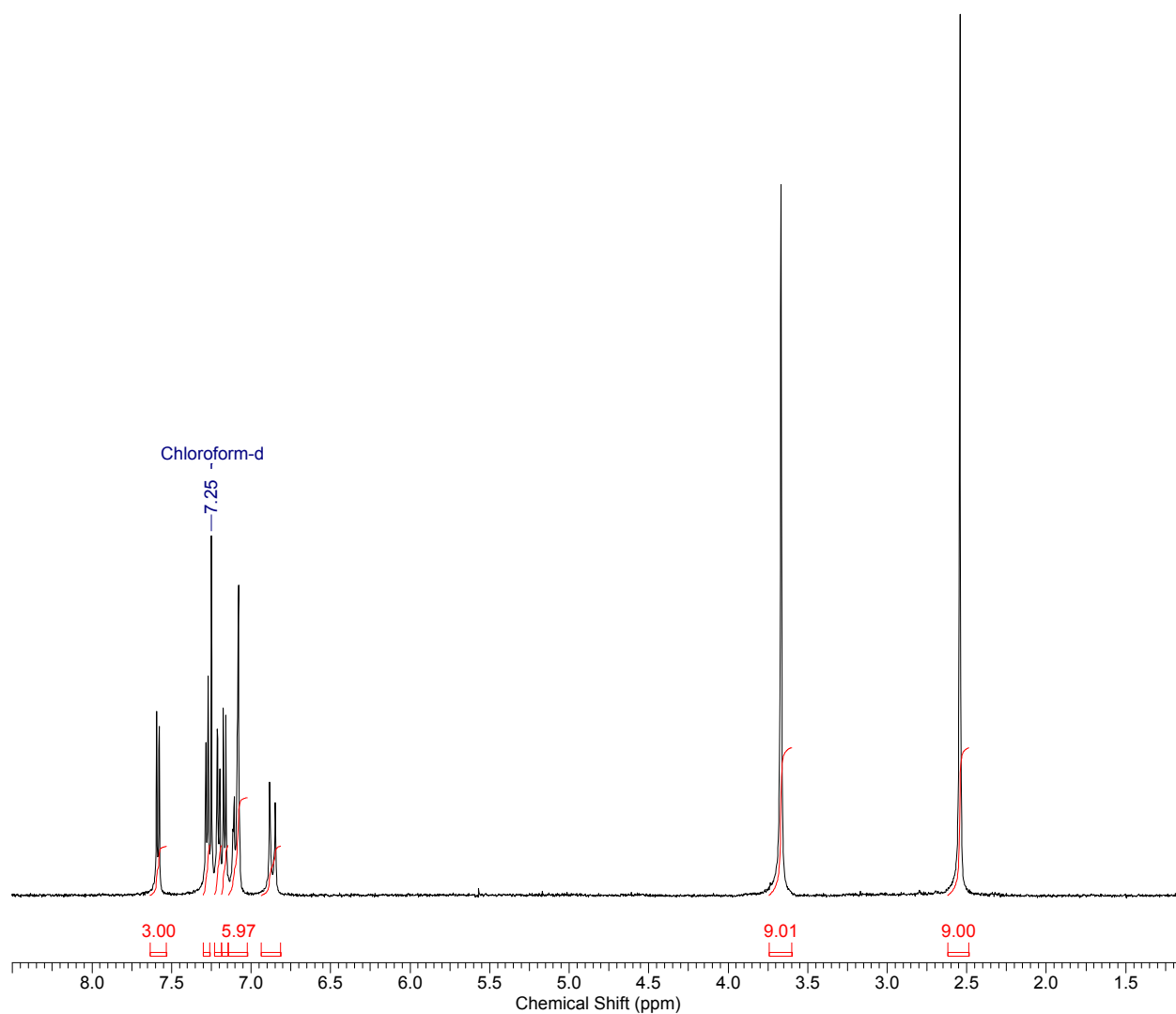
No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	Annotation	(ppm)	No.	(ppm)	Value	Absolute Value
1	7.25	2175.9	0.1335	1	Chloroform-d	7.25	1	[1.72 .. 1.87]	8.998	6.38225e+9
							2	[3.60 .. 3.78]	8.996	6.38142e+9
							3	[3.91 .. 4.17]	12.000	8.51194e+9
							4	[6.80 .. 6.89]	2.995	2.12451e+9
							5	[6.90 .. 6.98]	2.995	2.12460e+9
							6	[6.99 .. 7.04]	2.954	2.09561e+9
							7	[7.04 .. 7.13]	8.966	6.36006e+9
							8	[7.14 .. 7.19]	3.036	2.15368e+9

Figure S4. ^1H NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl_3 .



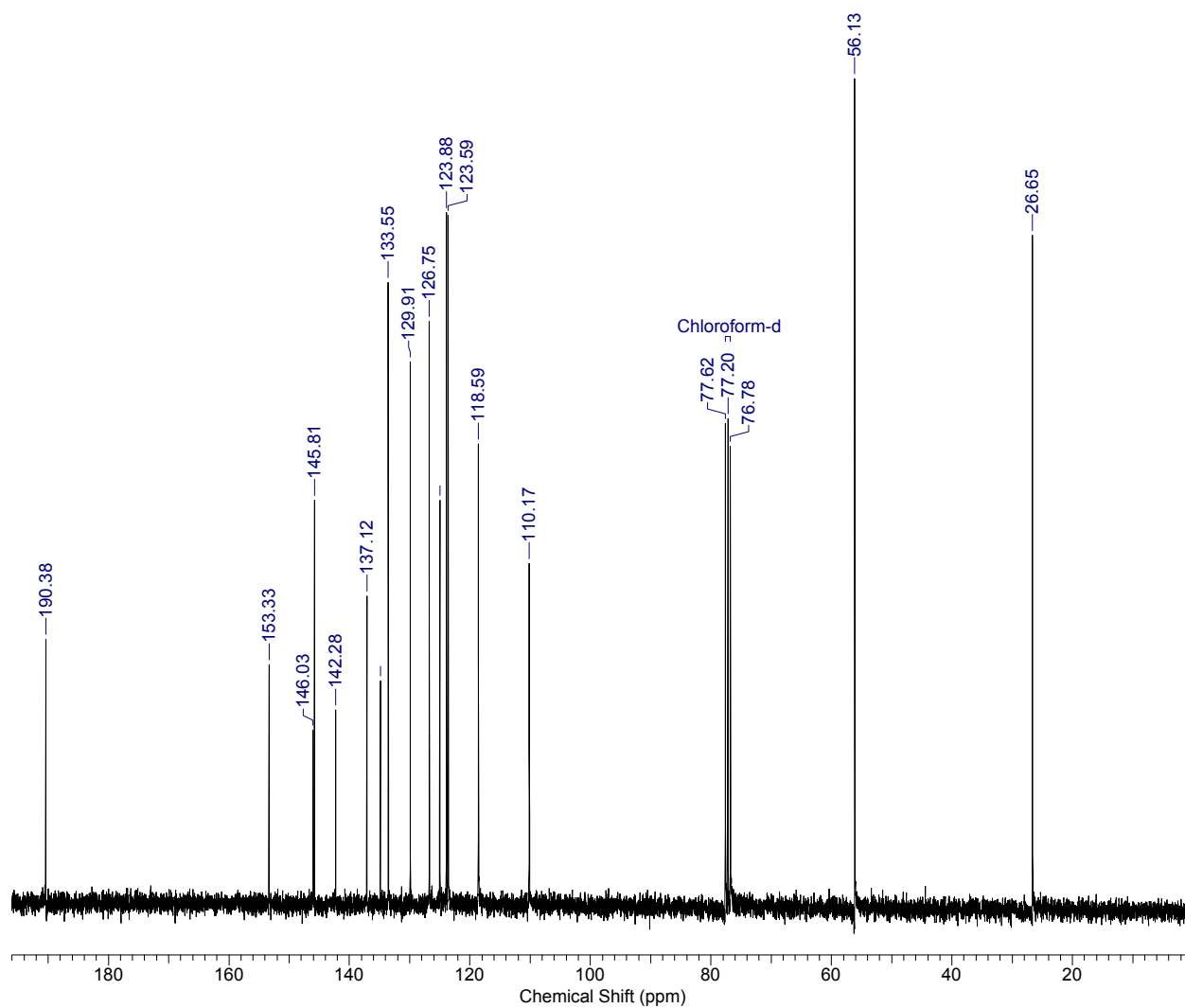
No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	Annotation	(ppm)
1	27.51	3459.8	0.7516	12	124.51	15660.2	0.5159	1	Chloroform-d	[76.81 .. 77.32]
2	55.96	7037.8	0.6833	13	124.76	15691.4	0.3497			
3	65.05	8181.6	1.0000	14	124.91	15709.7	0.7690			
4	76.81	9660.8	0.5327	15	130.10	16362.3	0.1965			
5	77.08	9693.8	0.5783	16	135.91	17093.7	0.2372			
6	77.32	9725.0	0.5857	17	136.68	17190.8	0.3409			
7	107.11	13471.6	0.1259	18	137.19	17255.0	0.2507			
8	109.82	13812.6	0.3604	19	143.43	18039.5	0.1325			
9	118.17	14862.9	0.3620	20	146.14	18380.4	0.1306			
10	123.04	15475.1	0.3430	21	153.14	19260.3	0.2859			
11	123.10	15482.4	0.5585							

Figure S5. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl_3 .



No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	Annotation	(ppm)	No.	(ppm)	Value	Absolute Value
1	7.25	1813.5	0.4084	1	Chloroform-d	7.25	1	[2.49 .. 2.62]	9.000	9.78115e+6
							2	[3.60 .. 3.74]	9.006	9.78814e+6
							3	[6.81 .. 6.94]	3.007	3.26832e+6
							4	[7.02 .. 7.14]	5.969	6.48660e+6
							5	[7.15 .. 7.19]	3.051	3.31606e+6
							6	[7.19 .. 7.23]	3.047	3.31092e+6
							7	[7.26 .. 7.30]	3.061	3.32622e+6
							8	[7.53 .. 7.64]	2.996	3.25570e+6

Figure S6. ^1H NMR spectrum of **4** in CDCl_3 .



No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	Annotation	(ppm)
1	26.65	2011.6	0.8277	11	126.75	9566.5	0.7332	1	Chloroform-d	[76.78 .. 77.62]
2	56.13	4236.7	1.0000	12	129.91	9805.1	0.6888			
3	76.78	5794.6	0.5959	13	133.55	10079.8	0.7757			
4	77.20	5826.5	0.6261	14	134.88	10179.7	0.3385			
5	77.62	5858.4	0.6209	15	137.12	10348.9	0.4314			
6	110.17	8315.2	0.4673	16	142.28	10738.7	0.3065			
7	118.59	8950.6	0.5984	17	145.81	11005.1	0.5369			
8	123.59	9327.9	0.8495	18	146.03	11021.7	0.2843			
9	123.88	9350.1	0.8524	19	153.33	11572.5	0.3560			
10	124.99	9433.3	0.5370	20	190.38	14369.2	0.3841			

Figure S7. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **4** in CDCl_3 .

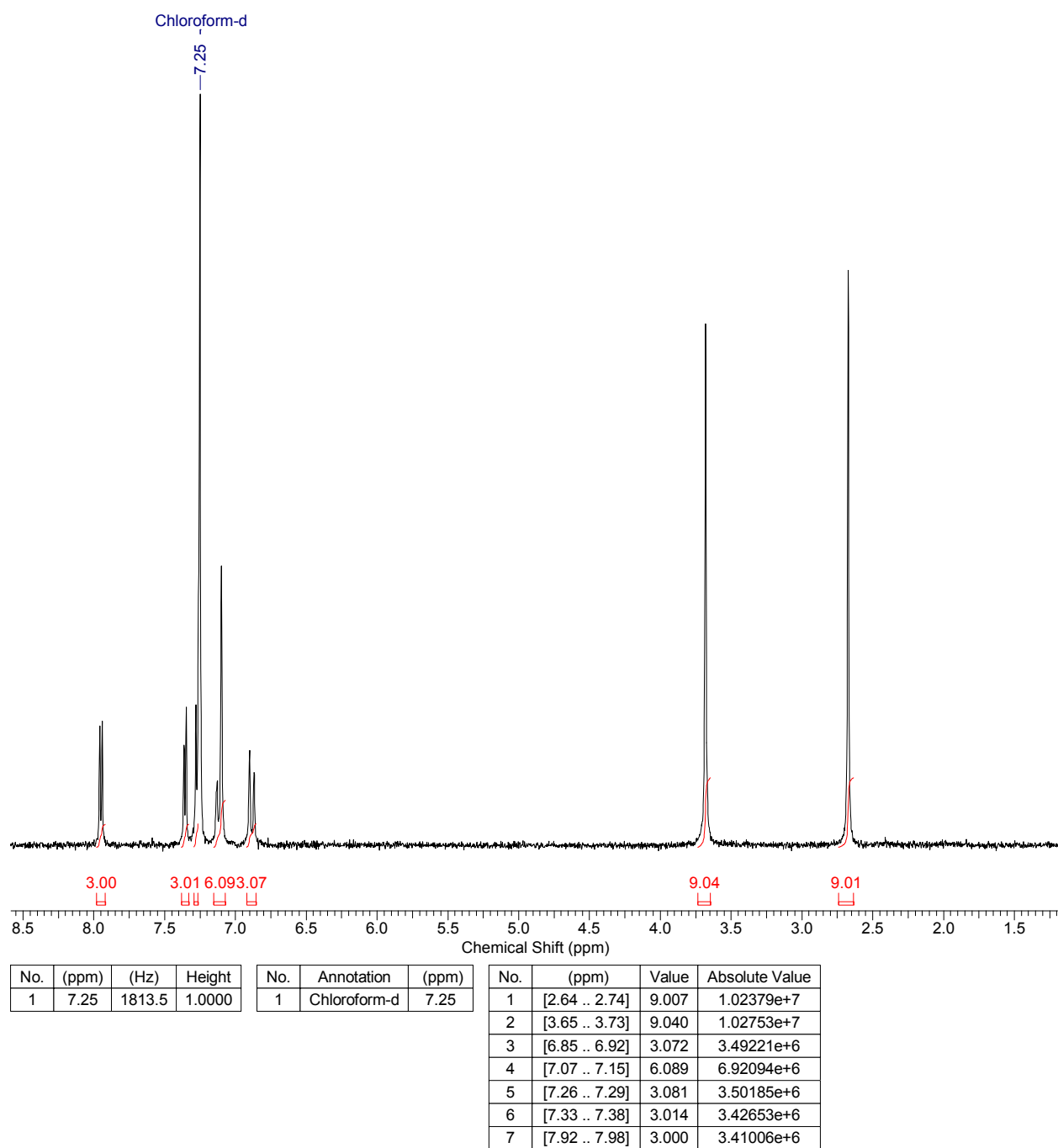
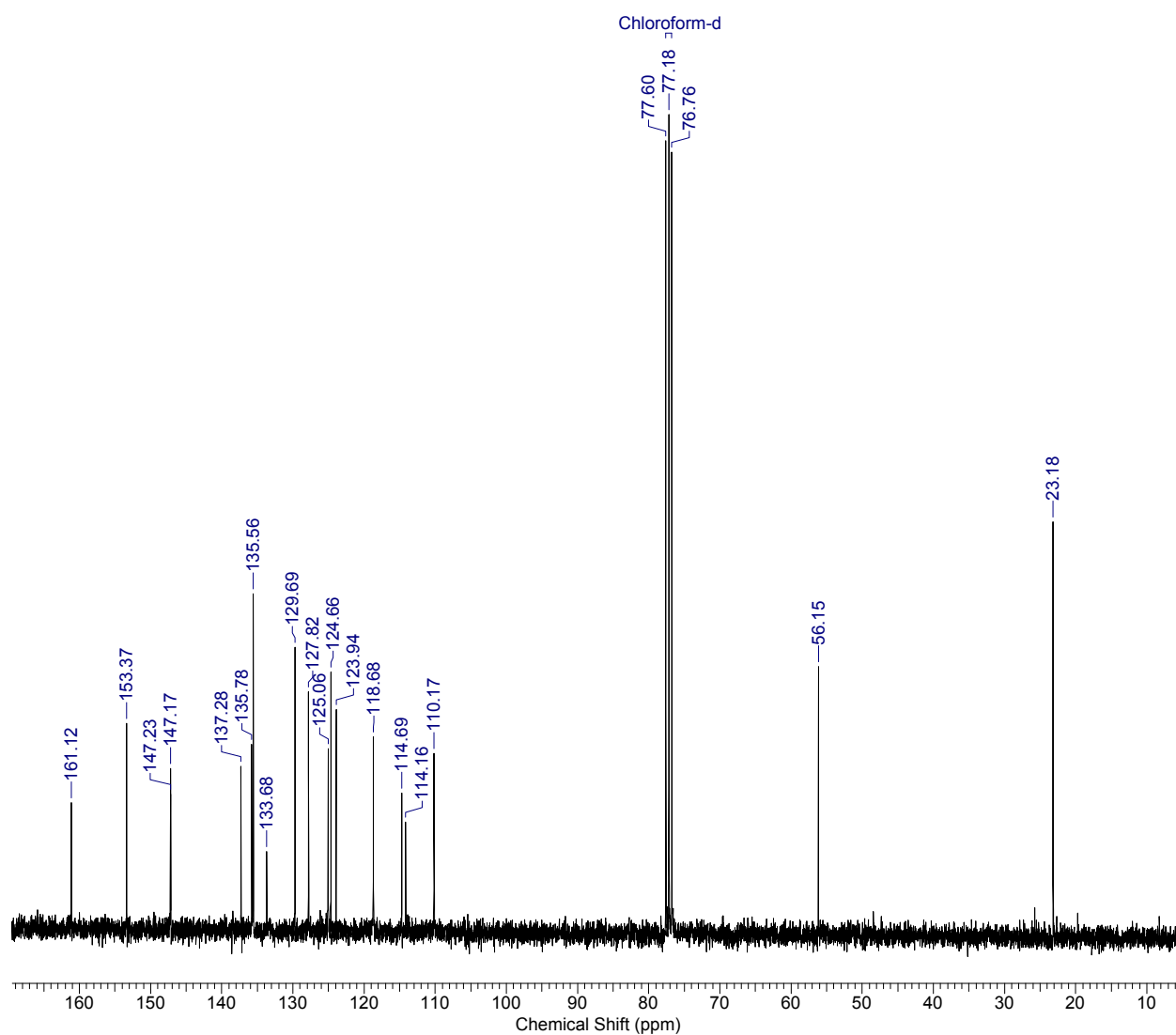


Figure S8. ^1H NMR spectrum of $\text{N}(\text{Ph}(\text{OMe})\text{-2T-DCN-Me})_3$ in CDCl_3 .



No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	(ppm)	(Hz)	Height	No.	Annotation	(ppm)
1	23.18	1749.4	0.5390	12	125.06	9438.9	0.2826	1	Chloroform-d	[76.76 .. 77.60]
2	56.15	4238.1	0.3755	13	127.82	9647.0	0.3469			
3	76.76	5793.2	0.9571	14	129.69	9788.5	0.3970			
4	77.18	5825.1	1.0000	15	133.68	10089.5	0.1661			
5	77.60	5857.0	0.9700	16	135.56	10231.0	0.4577			
6	110.17	8315.2	0.2772	17	135.78	10247.7	0.2875			
7	114.16	8616.2	0.1998	18	137.28	10361.4	0.2624			
8	114.69	8656.5	0.2322	19	147.17	11107.7	0.2602			
9	118.68	8957.5	0.2960	20	147.23	11111.9	0.2310			
10	123.94	9354.3	0.3267	21	153.37	11575.2	0.3109			
11	124.66	9408.4	0.3692	22	161.12	12160.7	0.2215			

Figure S9. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of $\text{N}(\text{Ph}(\text{OMe})\text{-2T-DCN-Me})_3$ in CDCl_3 .