

Supporting Information

C(sp³)-H Bond Functionalization of benzo[c]oxepines via C-O bond Cleavage: Formal [3+3] Synthesis of Multi-substituted Chromans

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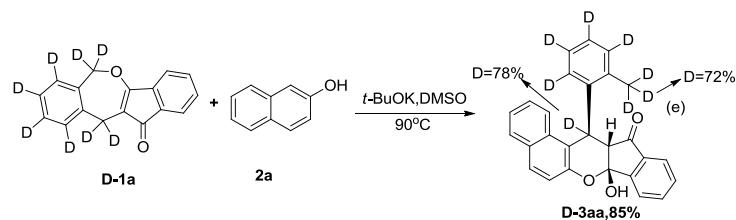
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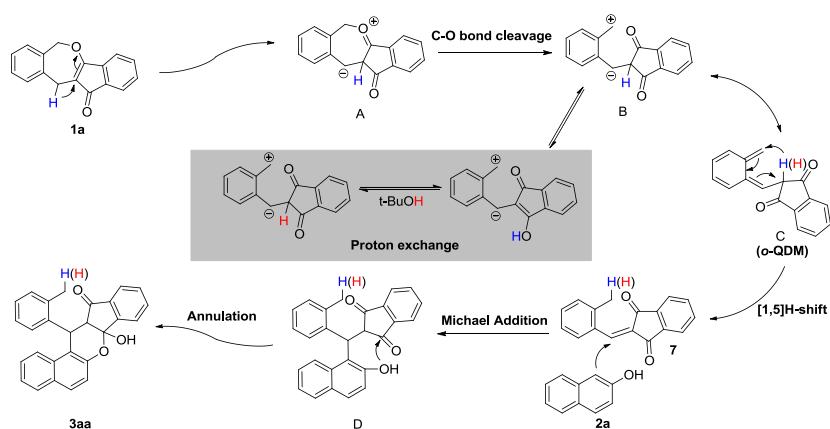
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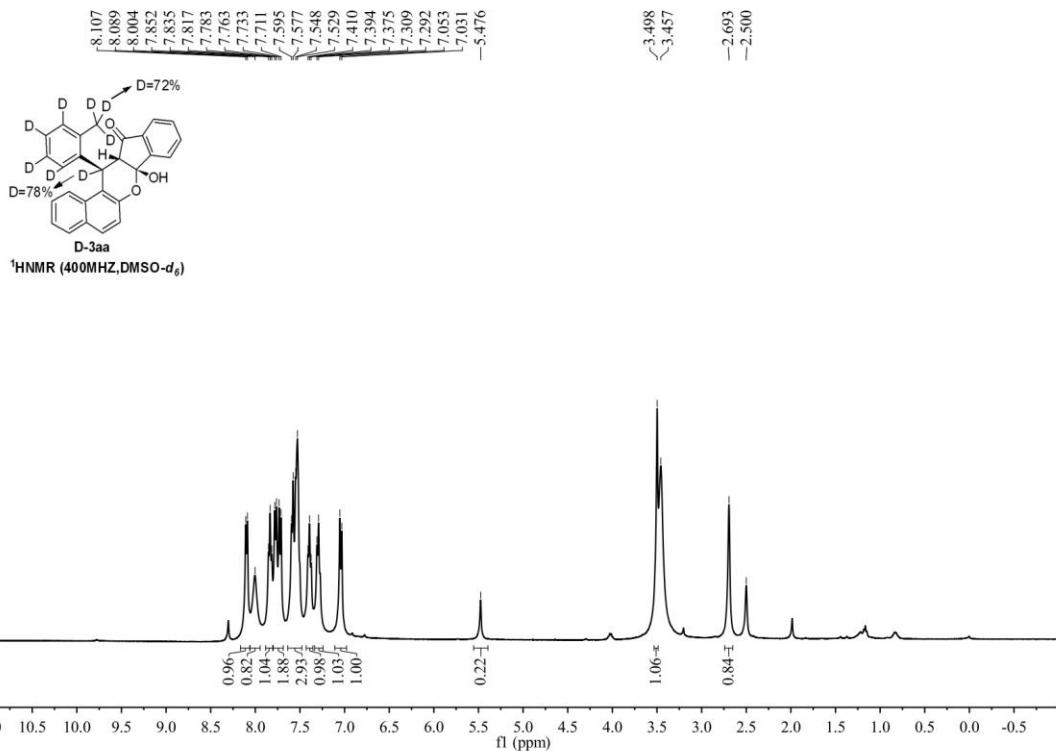
1. Evidence in support of the mechanism.



- (1) The reaction of benzo[*c*]oxepine-*d*₈ (**D-1a**) and 2-naphthol (**2a**) under the standard conditions gave the deuterated product **D-3aa** in 85% yield with 72% deuterated methyl group. This means 0.16*D* was obtained, and indicated that an intramolecular H shift might involve in this transformation, but it was not the main pathway. The major pathway was showed in the paper, and the minor was showed below.



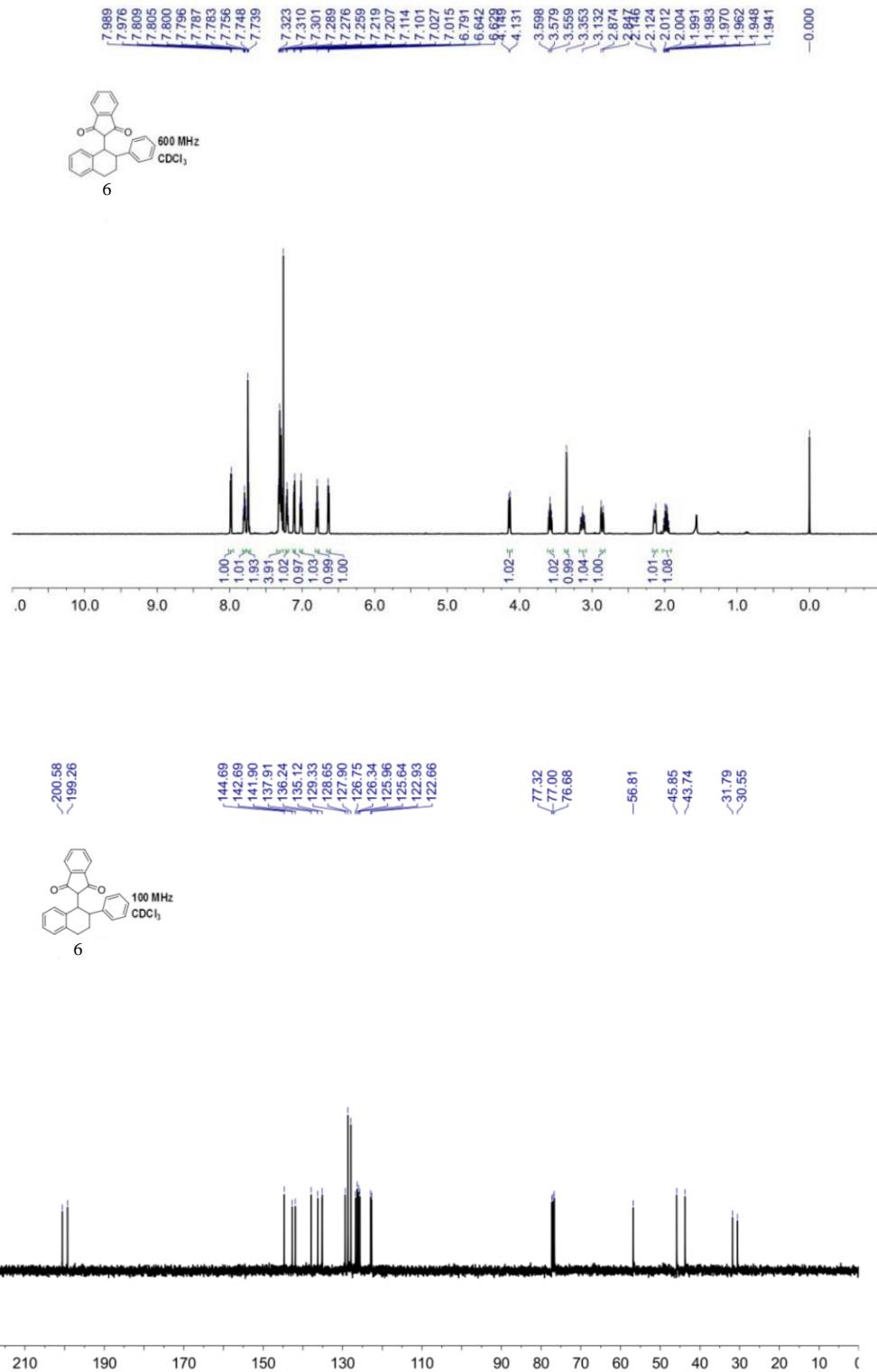
Scheme S1. An intramolecular H shift pathway for the possible mechanism.

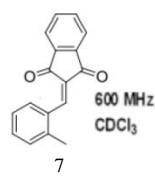


(2) For the characterization of compound **6** and **7**, ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR was performed.

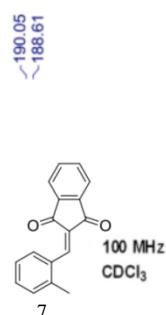
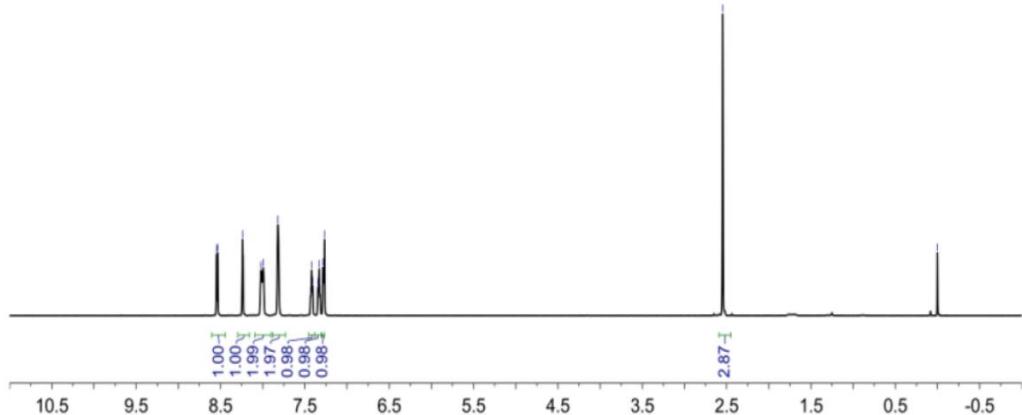
6: ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.98 (d, J= 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.81- 7.78 (m, 1H), 7.76 -7.74 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 4H), 7.21 (t, J=7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, J=7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (t, J=7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.79 (t, J=7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (d, J=7.8 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (d, J=10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.60 -3.56 (m, 1H), 3.35 (s, 1H), 3.18 -3.10 (m, 1H), 2.86 (d, J=16.2 Hz, 1H), 2.15-2.12 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.94 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ= 200.6, 199.3, 144.7, 142.7, 141.9, 137.9, 136.2, 135.1, 129.3, 128.7, 127.9, 126.8, 126.3, 126.0, 125.6, 122.9, 122.7, 56.8, 45.9, 43.7, 31.8, 30.6.

7: ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.54 (d, J=7.8 Hz, 1H), 8.24 (s, 1H), 8.01 (d, J=16.2 Hz, 2H), 7.82 (s, 2H), 7.42 (t, J=7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, J=7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 2.55 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ= 190.1, 188.6, 144.1, 142.4, 140.7, 139.9, 135.3, 135.1, 132.7, 132.4, 131.3, 130.5, 129.0, 125.8, 123.2, 20.3.

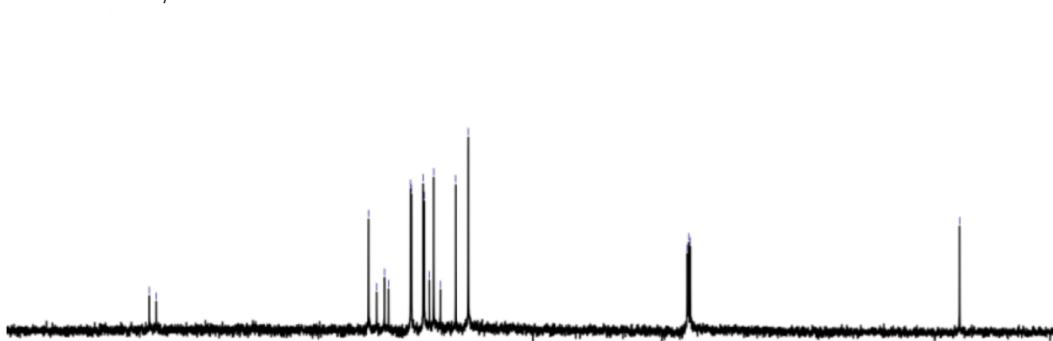




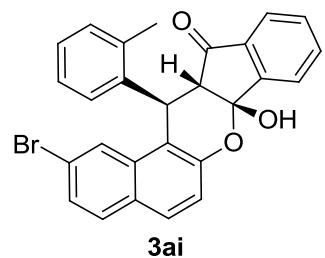
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2. Crystallographic data of 3ai and 3am.



2-bromo-7a-hydroxy-13-(o-tolyl)-12a,13-dihydrobenzo[f]indeno[1,2-b]chromen-12(7aH)-one: (3ai)

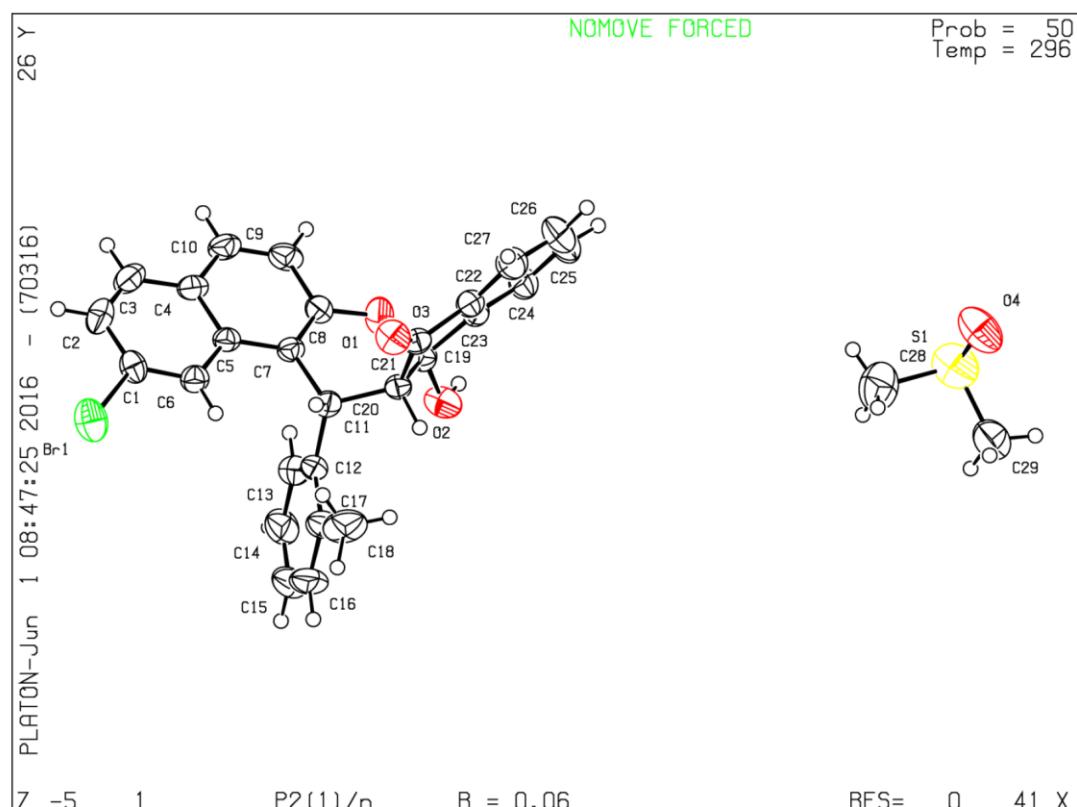
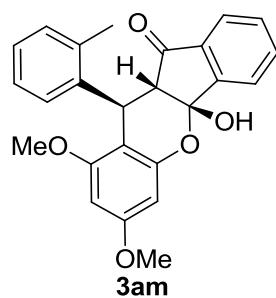


Figure S1. X-ray crystal structure of 3ai.

Table S1. Crystal data and structure refinement for compound 3ai (CCDC: 1587437)

Bond precision:	C-C = 0.0080 Å	Wavelength=0.71073	
Cell:	a=11.508(4) alpha=90	b=9.580(4) beta=101.596(6)	c=23.335(9) gamma=90
Temperature:	296 K		
	Calculated	Reported	
Volume	2520.1(17)	2520.3(17)	
Space group	P 21/n	P2(1)/n	
Hall group	-P 2yn	?	
Moiety formula	C27 H19 Br O3, C2 H6 O S	?	
Sum formula	C29 H25 Br O4 S	C29 H25 Br O4 S	
Mr	549.45	549.46	
Dx, g cm-3	1.448	1.448	
Z	4	4	
Mu (mm-1)	1.748	1.748	
F000	1128.0	1128.0	
F000'	1127.81		
h, k, lmax	13,11,27	13,11,27	
Nref	4449	4448	
Tmin, Tmax	0.688, 0.730	0.700, 0.744	
Tmin'	0.674		
Correction method= #	Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.700 Tmax=0.744		
AbsCorr =	MULTI-SCAN		
Data completeness=	1.000	Theta(max)= 25.000	
R(reflections)=	0.0609(3209)	wR2(reflections)= 0.1951(4448)	
S =	0.825	Npar= 328	



4b-hydroxy-7,9-dimethoxy-10-(o-tolyl)-10,10a-dihydroindeno[1,2-b]chromen-11(4bH)-one: (3am)

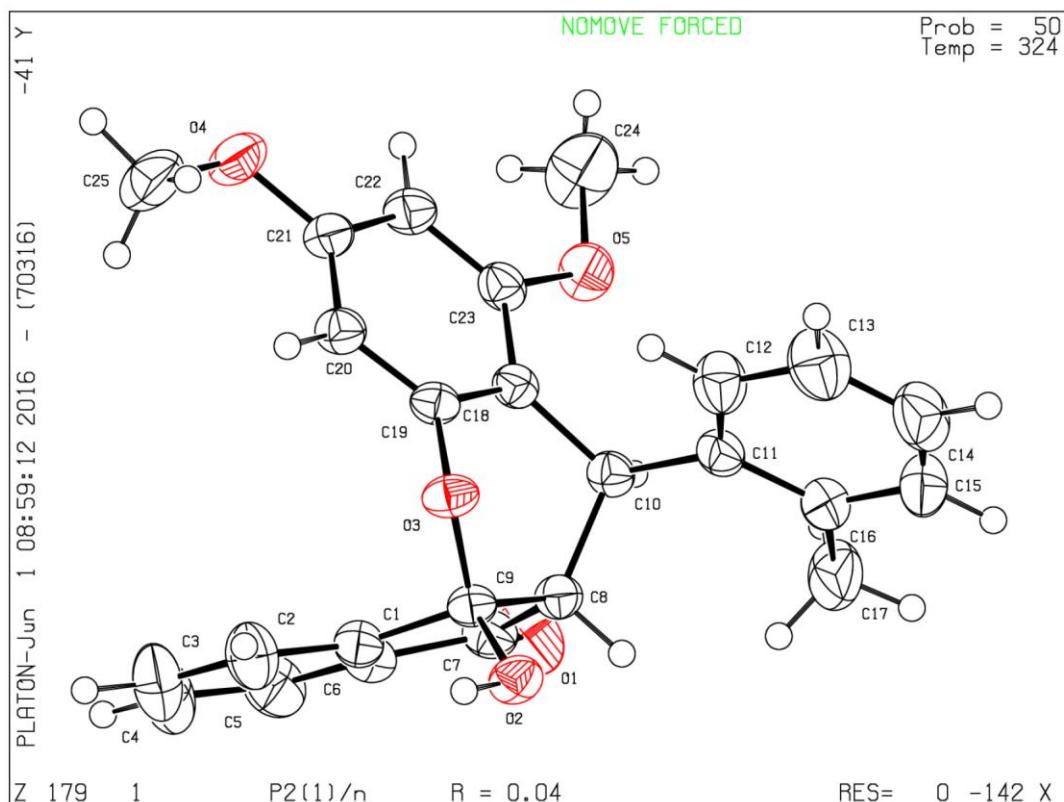
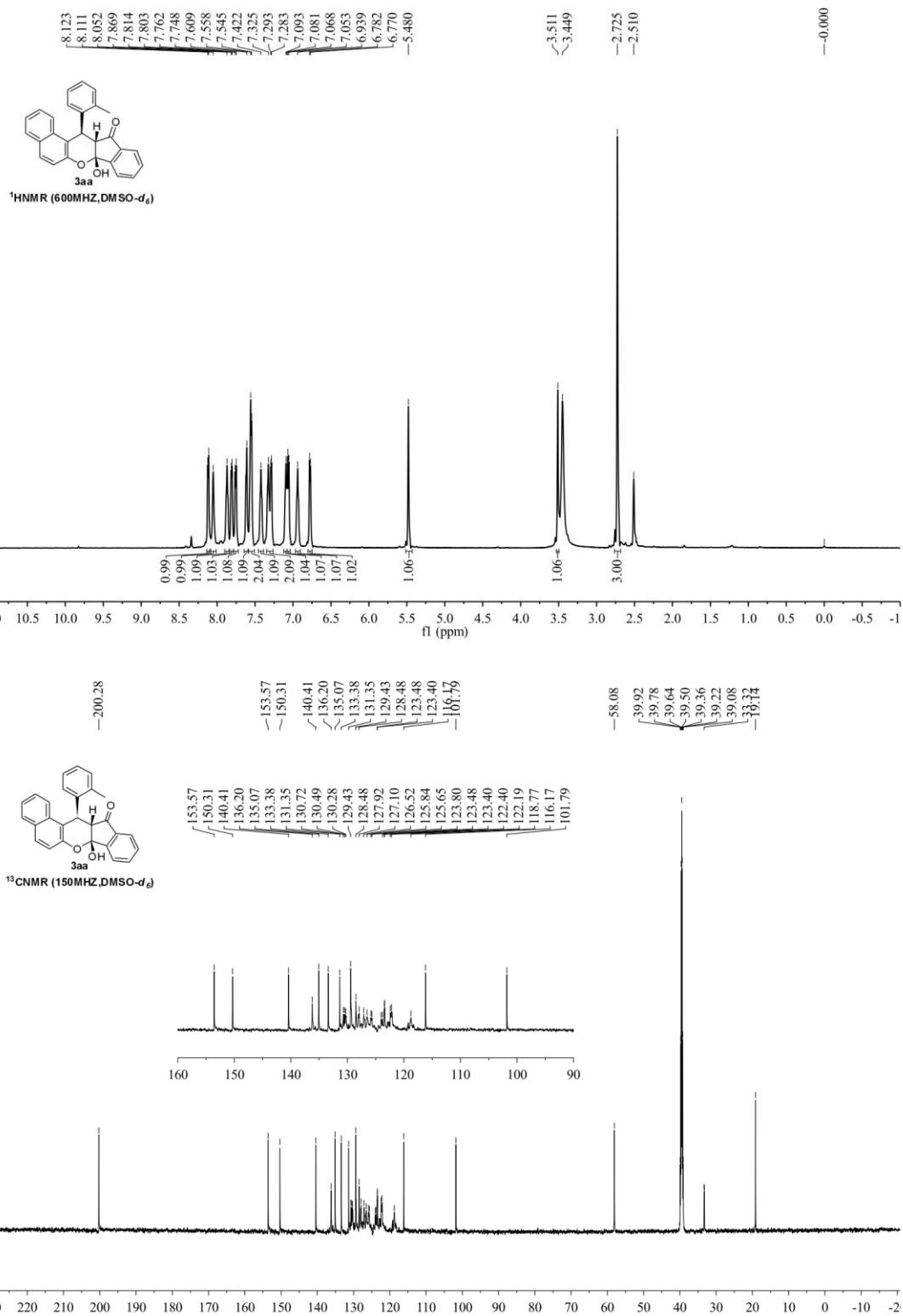


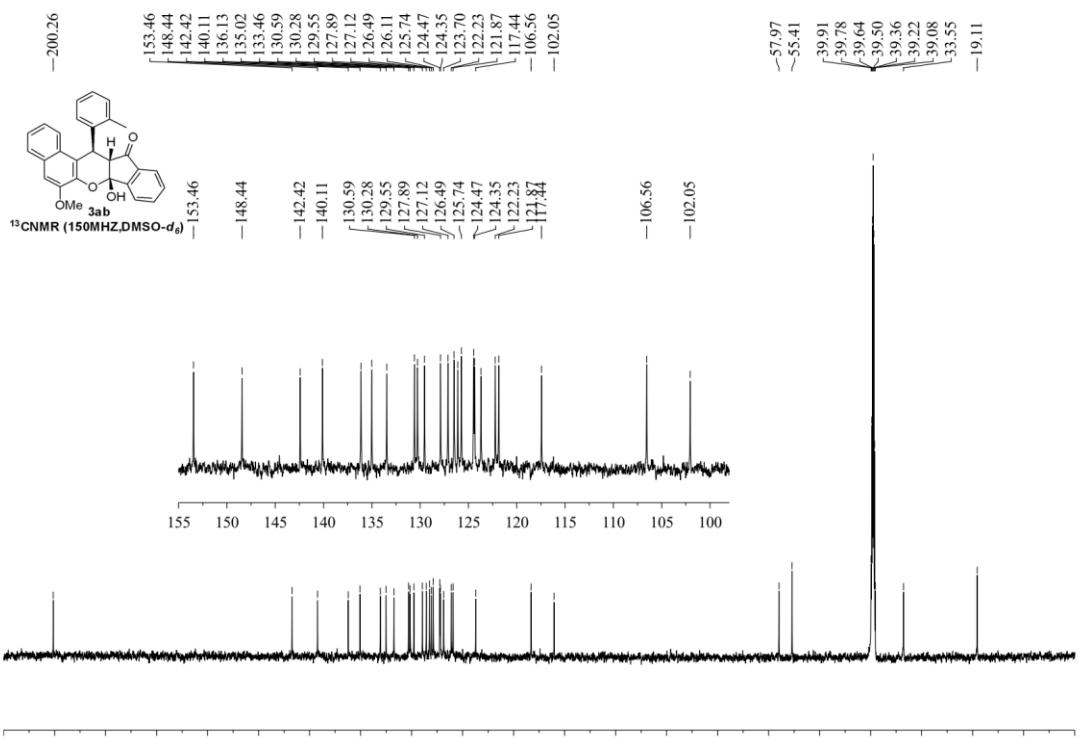
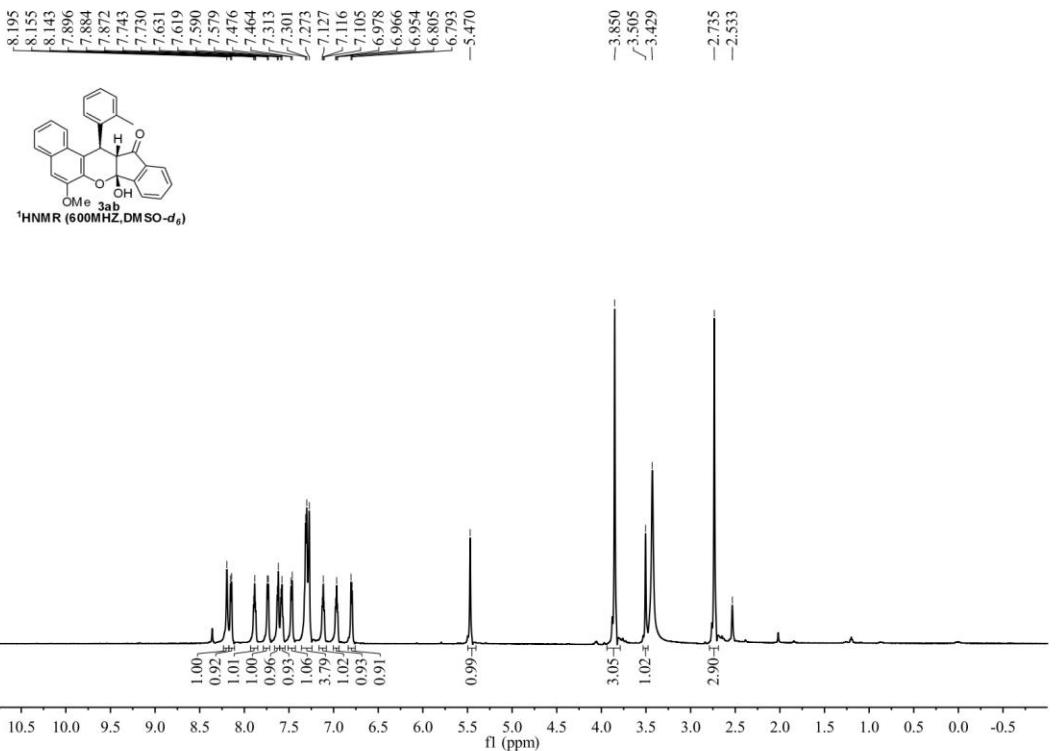
Figure S2. X-ray crystal structure of 3am.

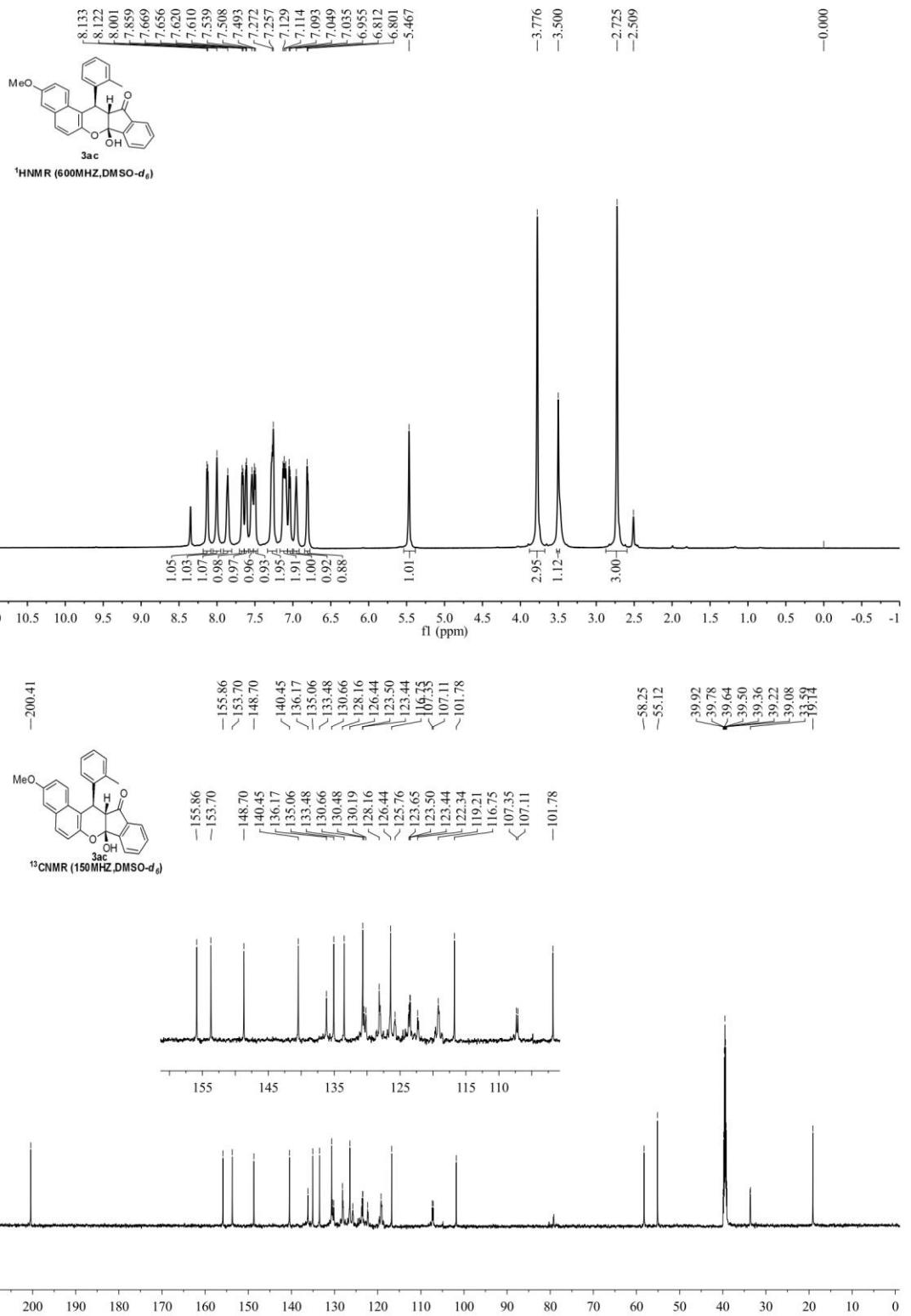
Table S2. Crystal data and structure refinement for compound 3am (CCDC: 1587446)

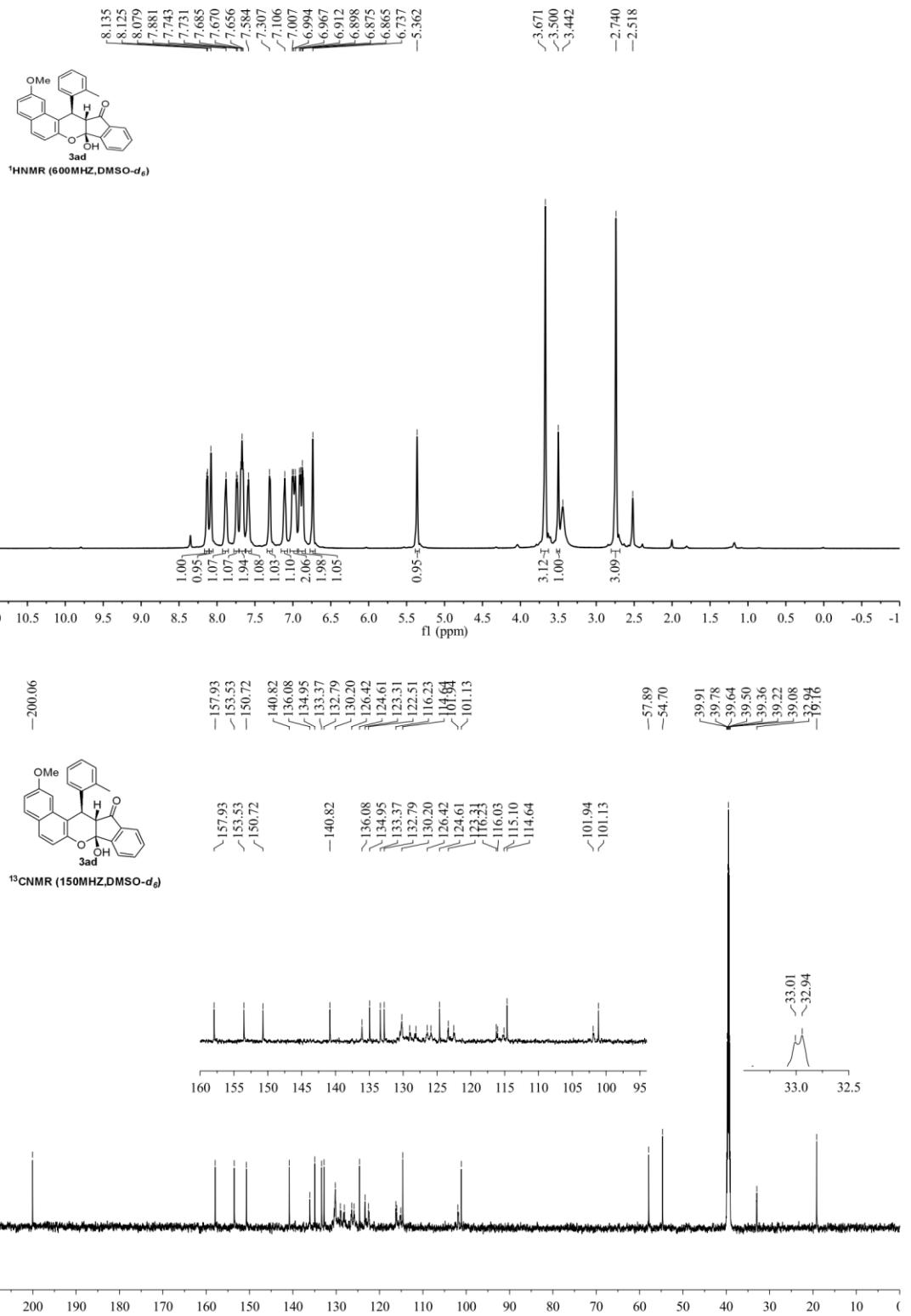
Bond precision:	C-C = 0.0021 Å	Wavelength=0.71073	
Cell:	a=8.6534 (11) alpha=90	b=20.771 (3) beta=93.146 (2)	c=11.3478 (14) gamma=90
Temperature:	324 K		
	Calculated	Reported	
Volume	2036.6(5)	2036.6(4)	
Space group	P 21/n	P2(1)/n	
Hall group	-P 2yn	?	
Moiety formula	C25 H22 O5	?	
Sum formula	C25 H22 O5	C25 H22 O5	
Mr	402.43	402.43	
Dx, g cm-3	1.313	1.312	
Z	4	4	
Mu (mm-1)	0.091	0.091	
F000	848.0	848.0	
F000'	848.45		
h, k, lmax	10, 24, 13	10, 24, 13	
Nref	3596	3589	
Tmin, Tmax	0.980, 0.984	0.980, 0.984	
Tmin'	0.980		
Correction method= #	Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.980 Tmax=0.984		
AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN			
Data completeness= 0.998	Theta (max)= 25.000		
R(reflections)= 0.0425 (3249)	wR2(reflections)= 0.1238 (3589)		
S = 1.048	Npar= 283		

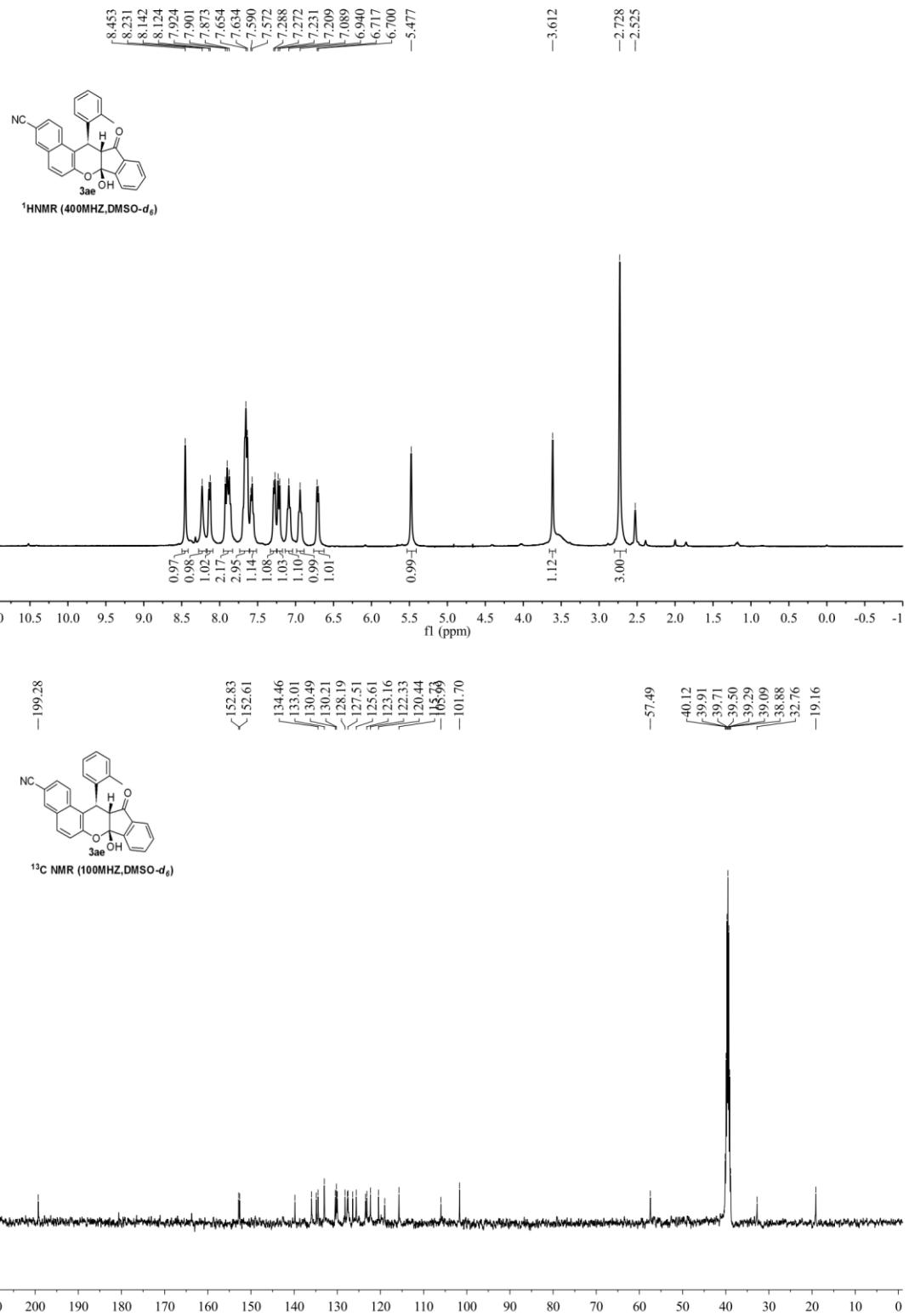
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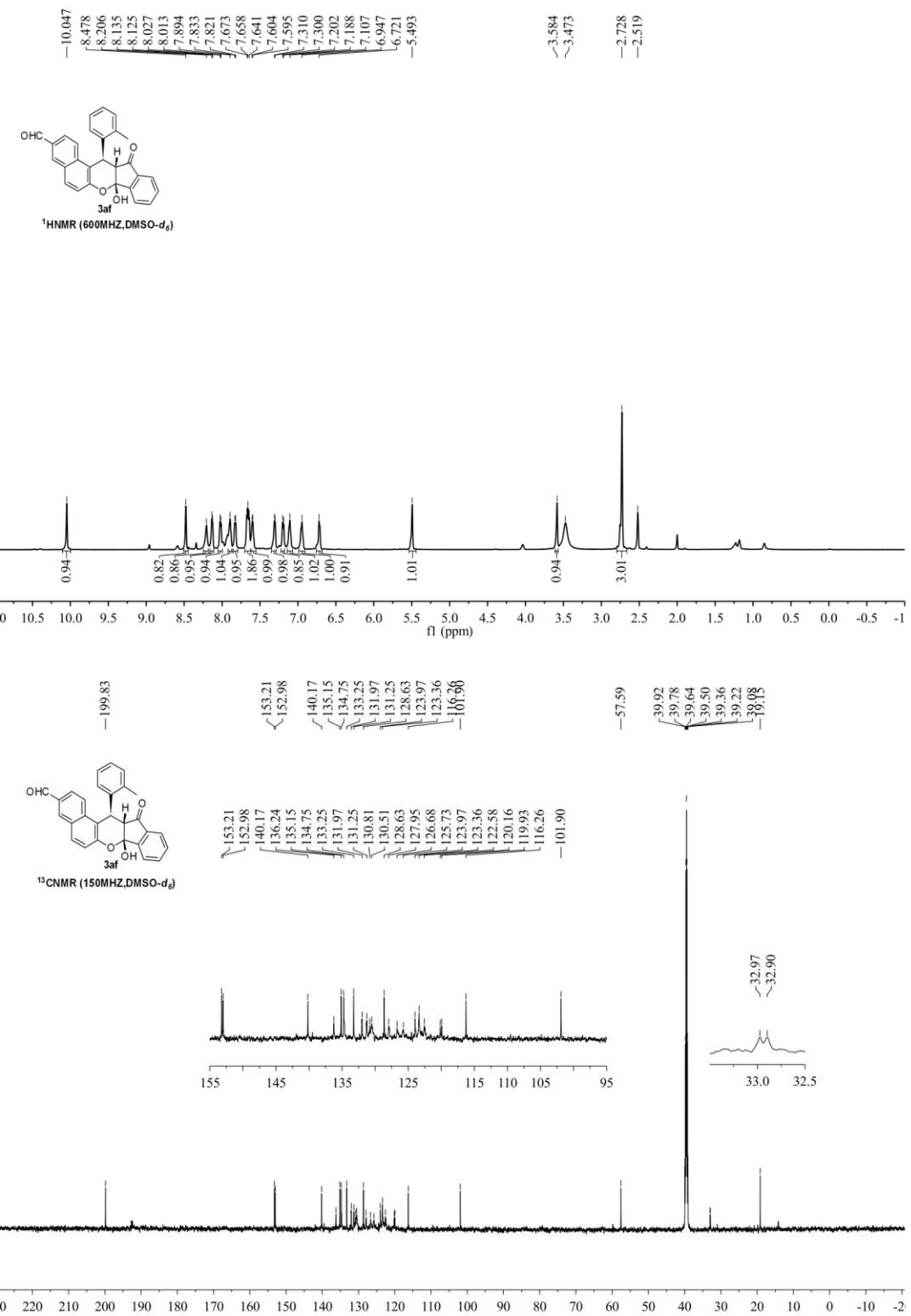


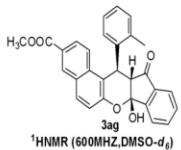




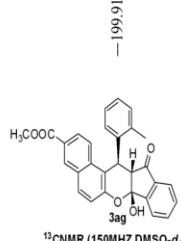
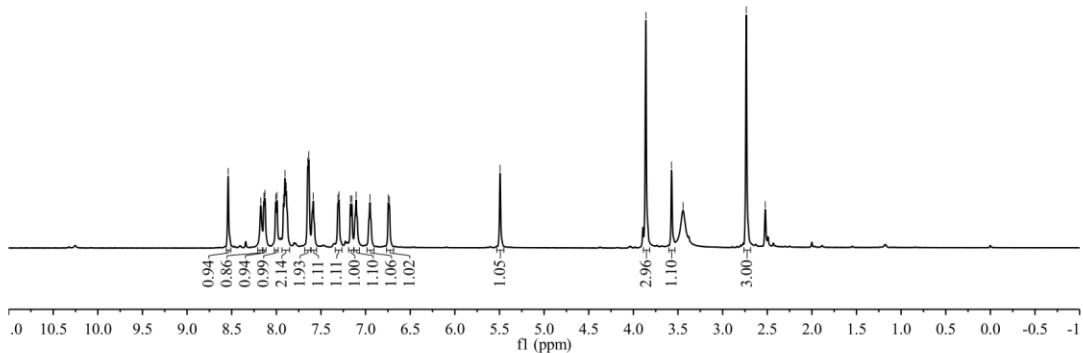




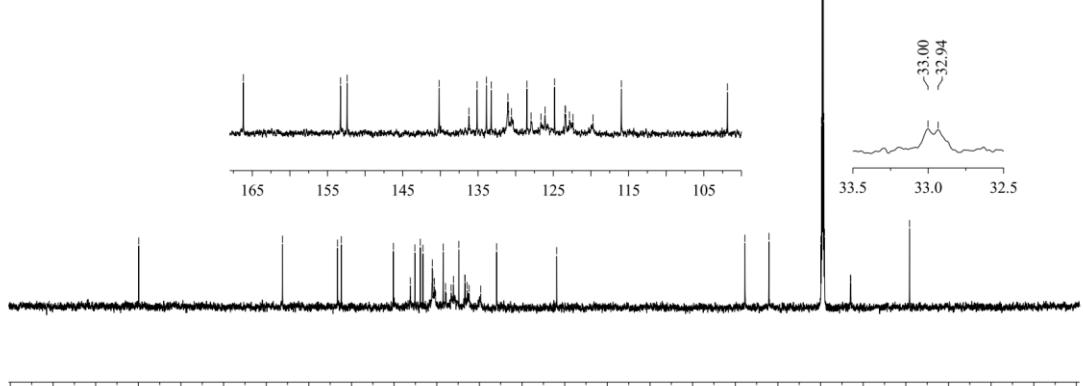


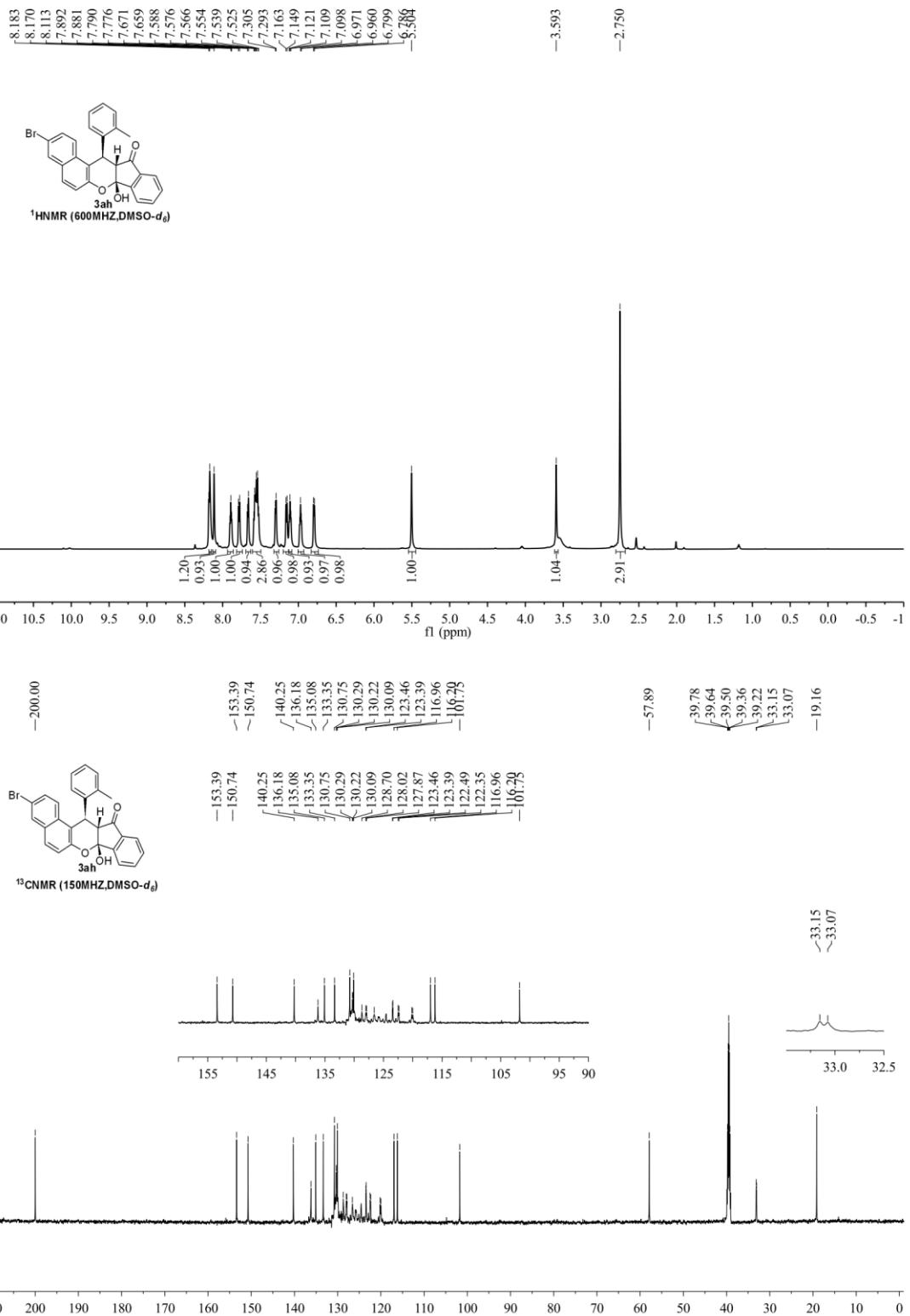


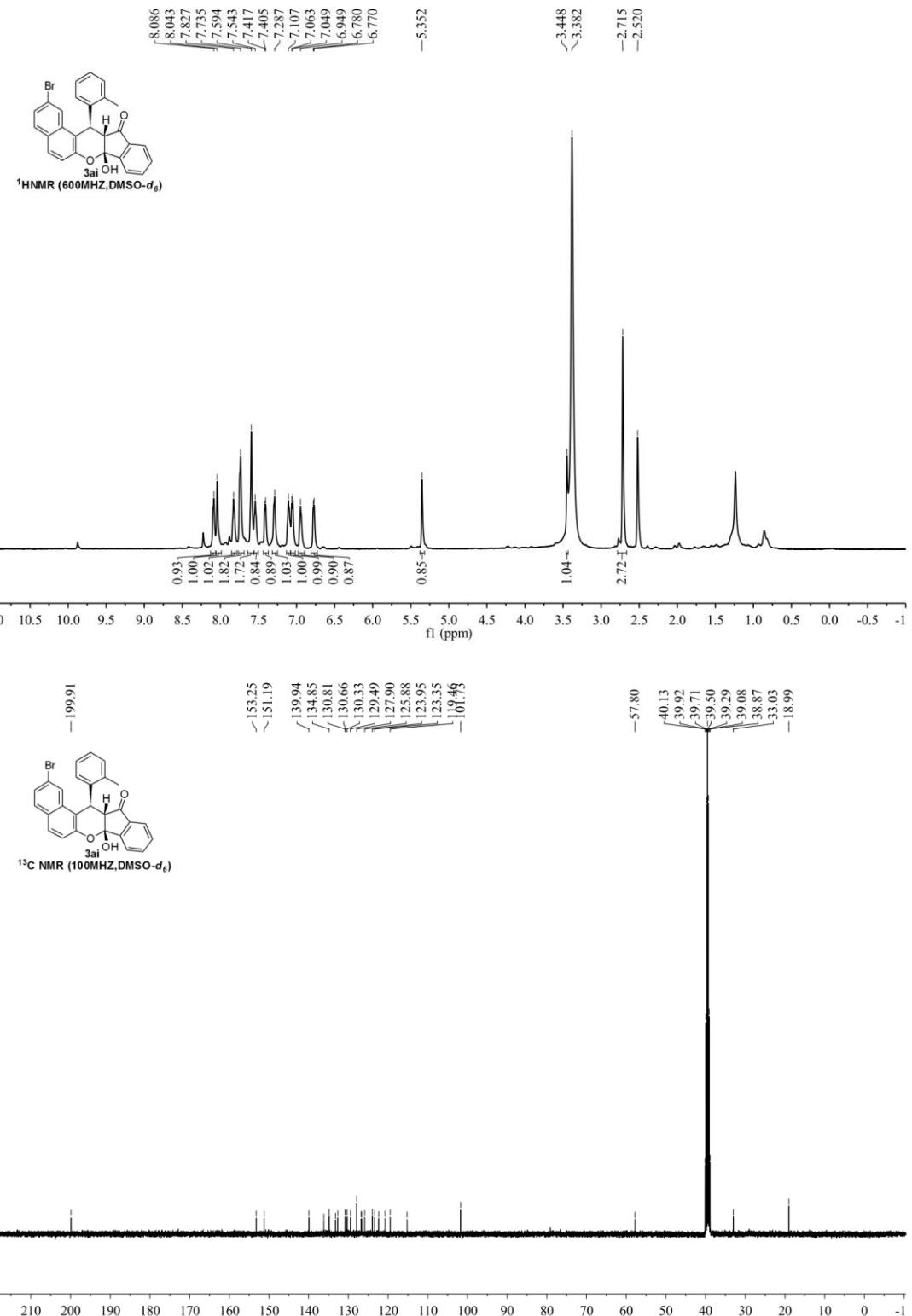
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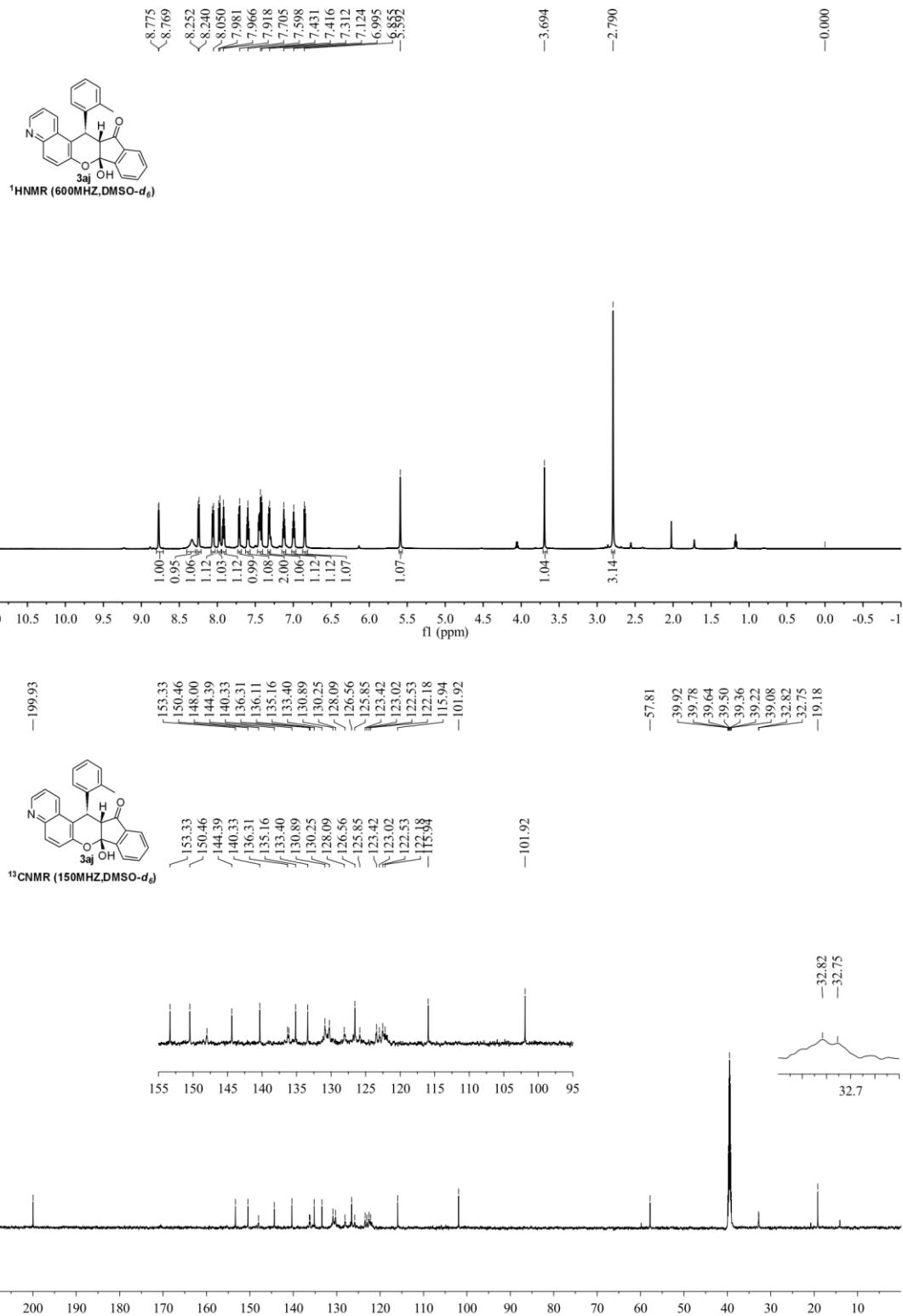


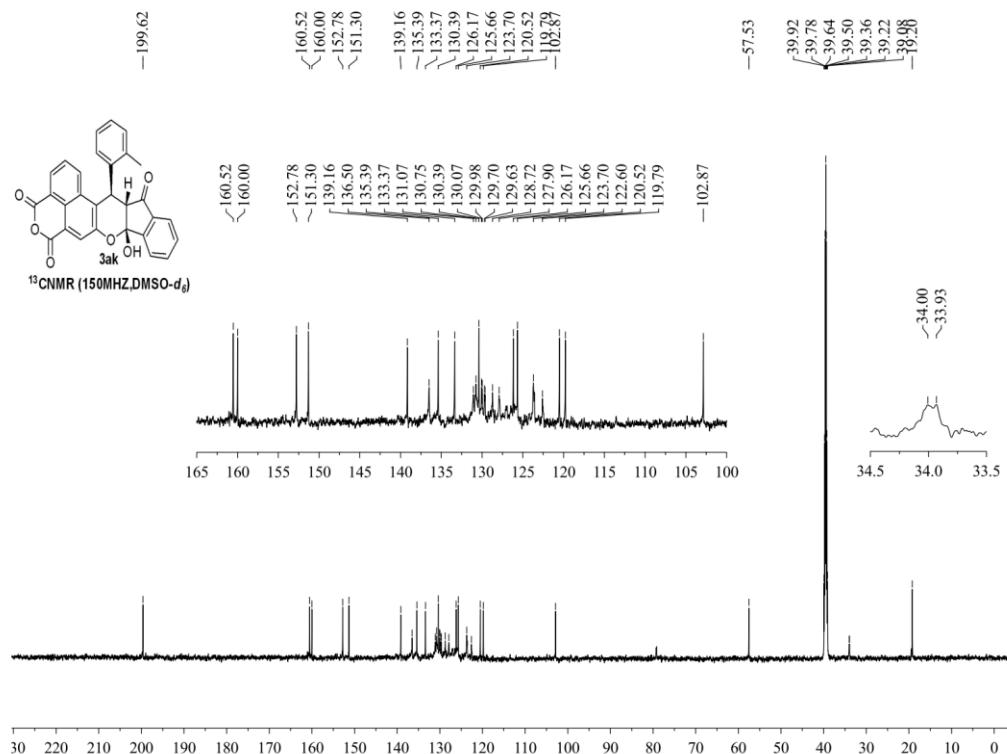
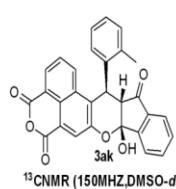
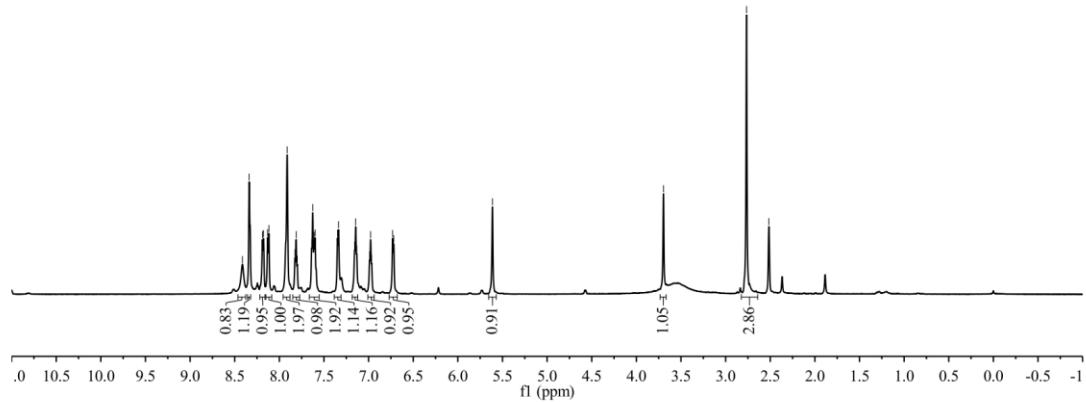
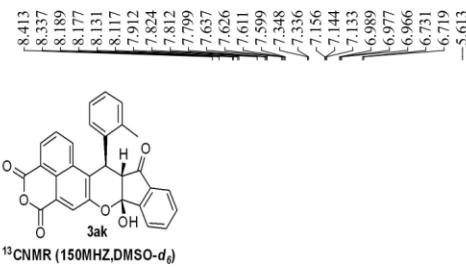
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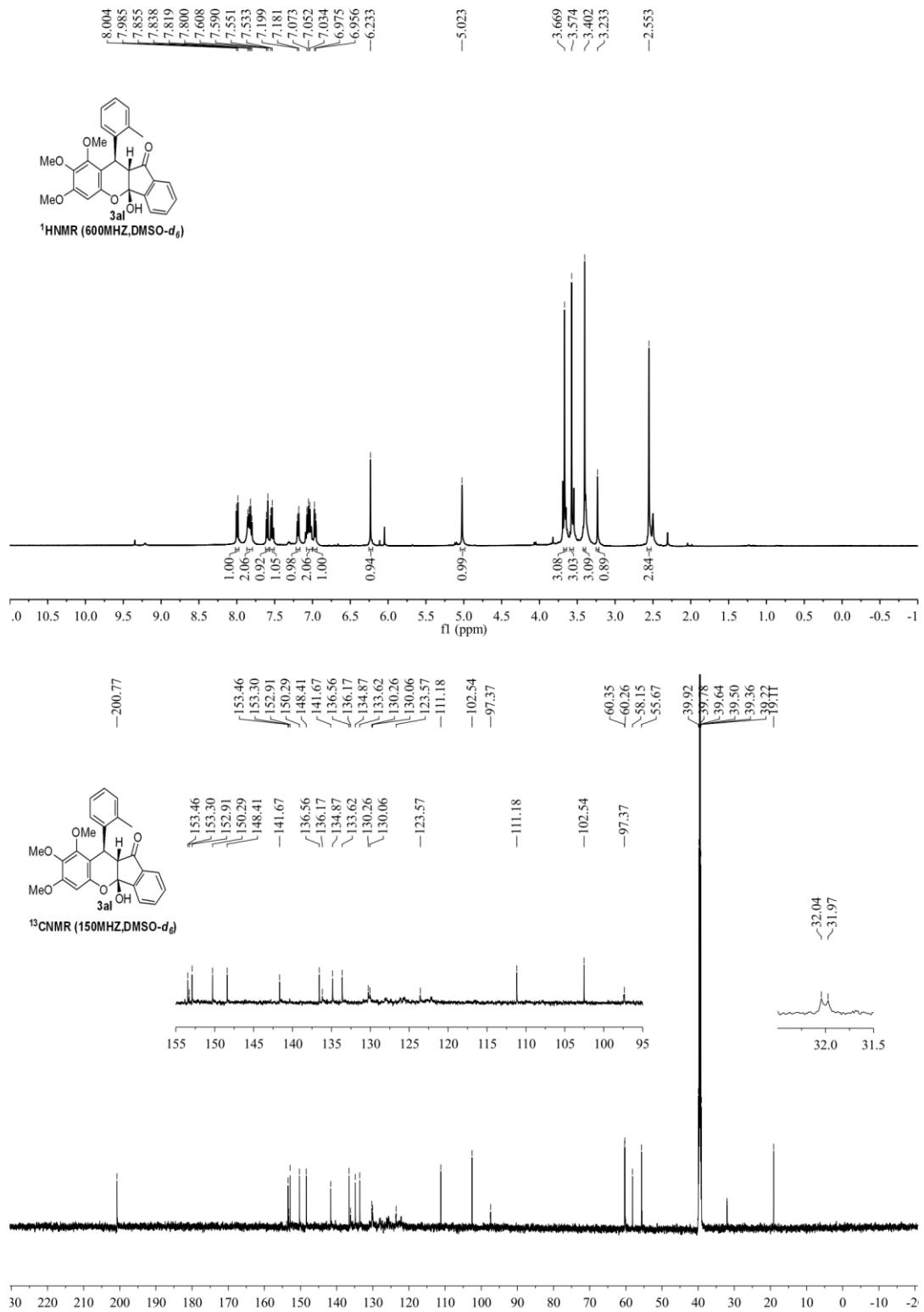


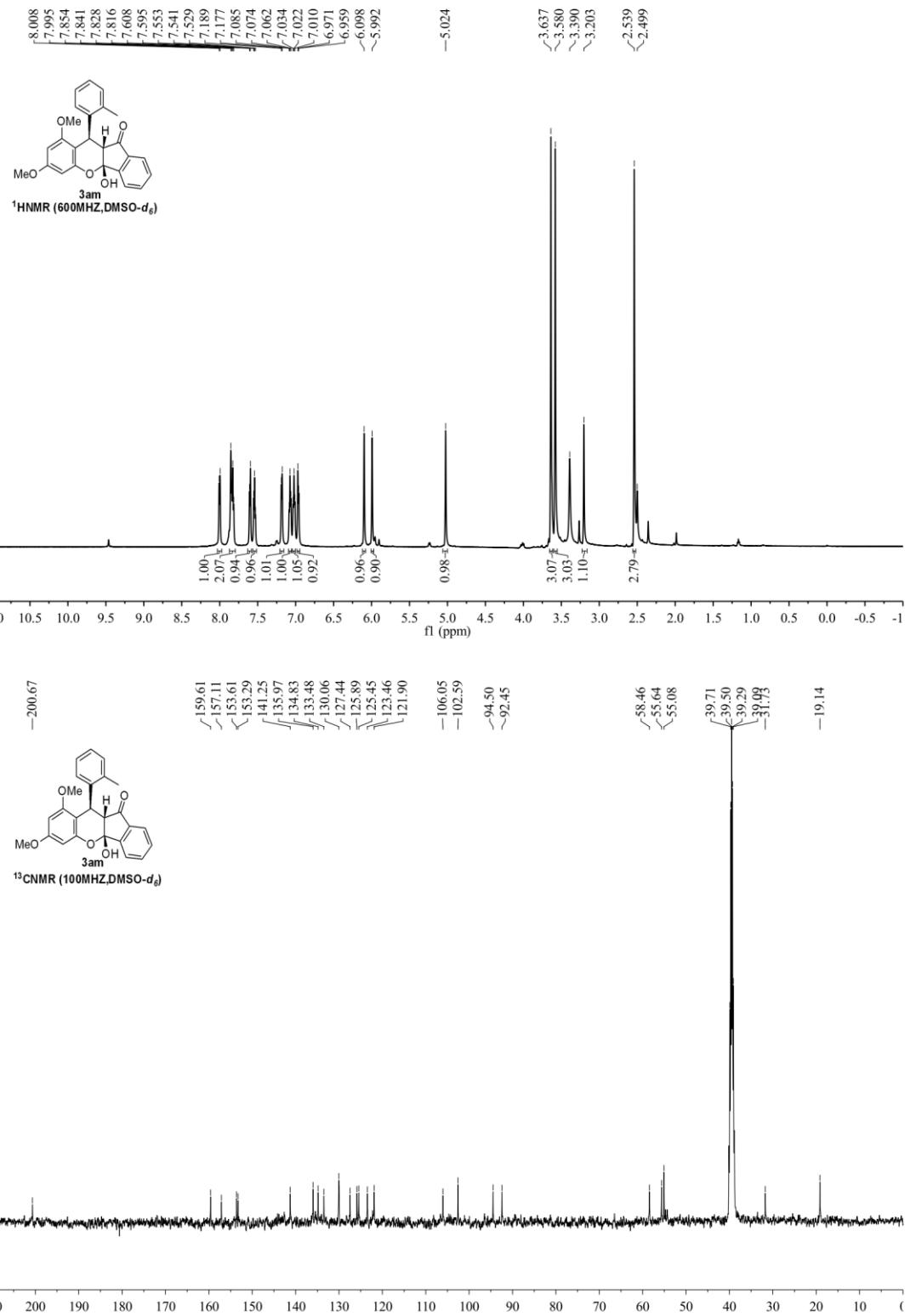


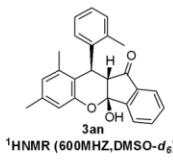
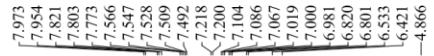




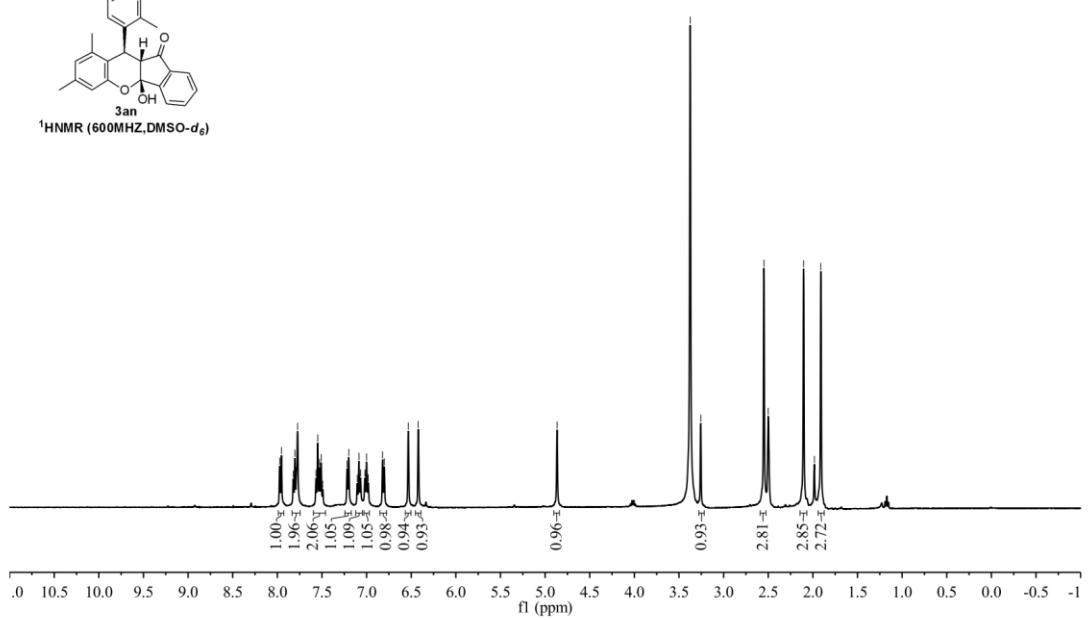








¹H NMR (600MHz, DMSO-d₆)



¹³CNMR (100MHZ,DMSO-*d*₆)

