

## **Supporting Information**

# **Nickel-Catalyzed Sonogashira Coupling Reactions of Nonactivated Alkyl Chlorides under Mild Conditions**

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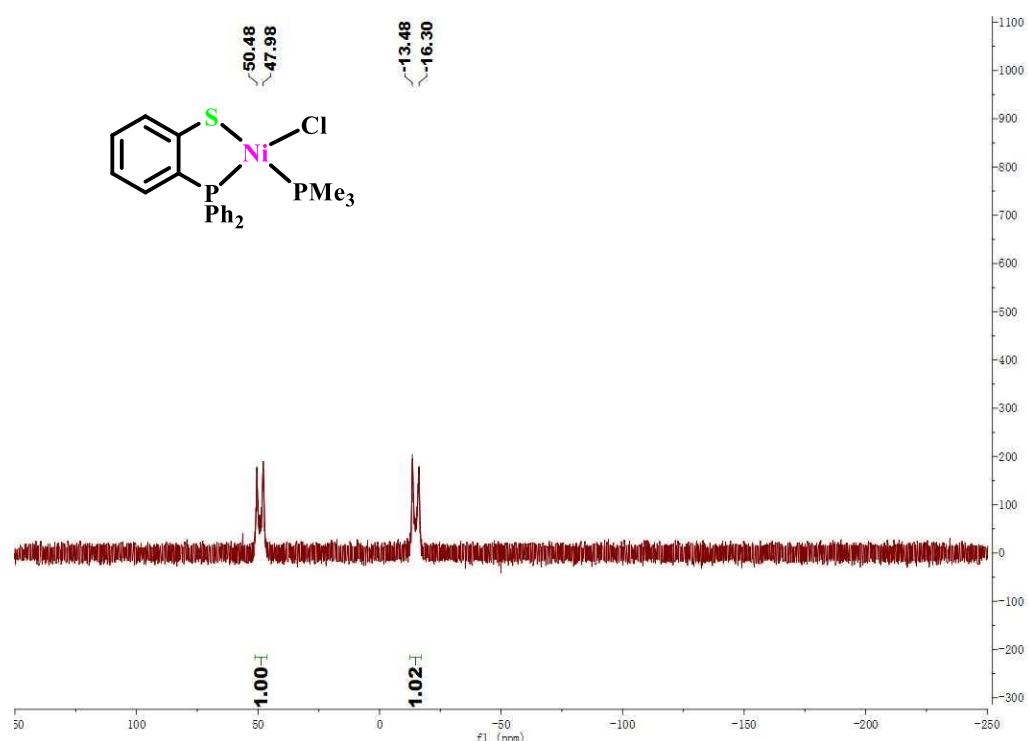
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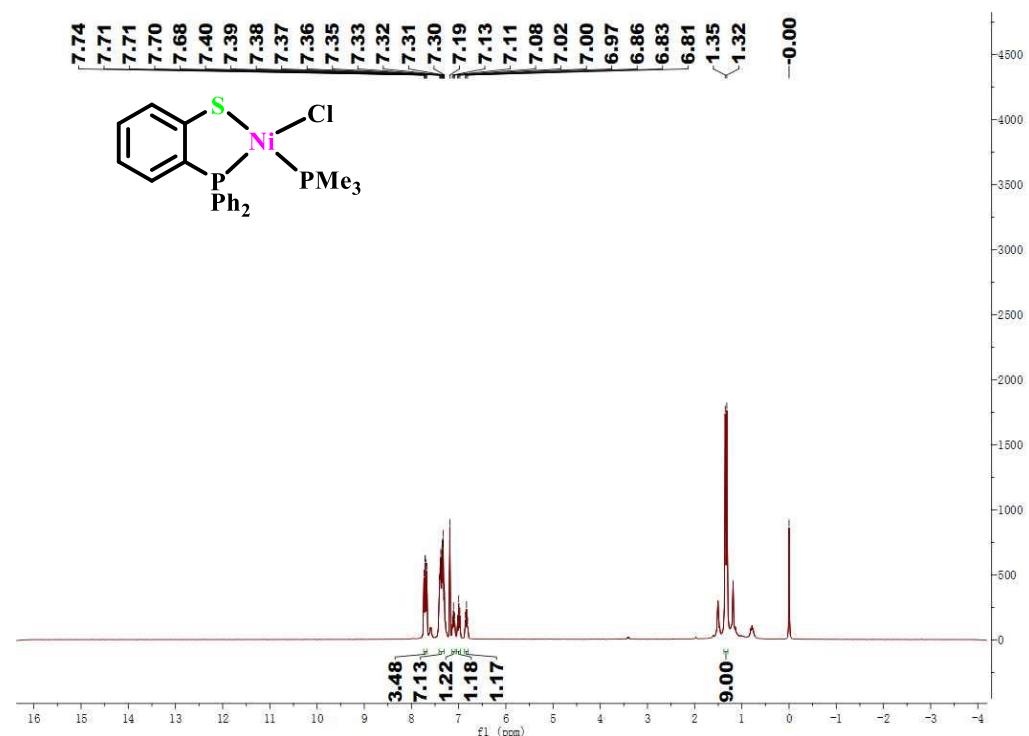
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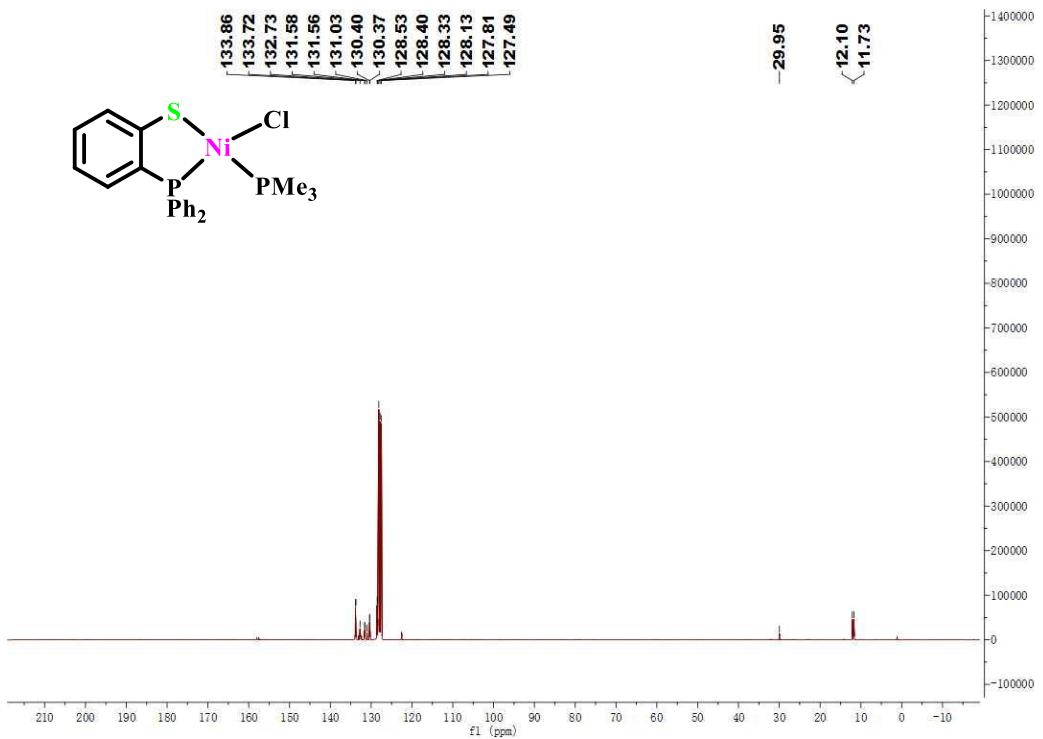
## 1 NMR Spectra of Complexes 1 and 2



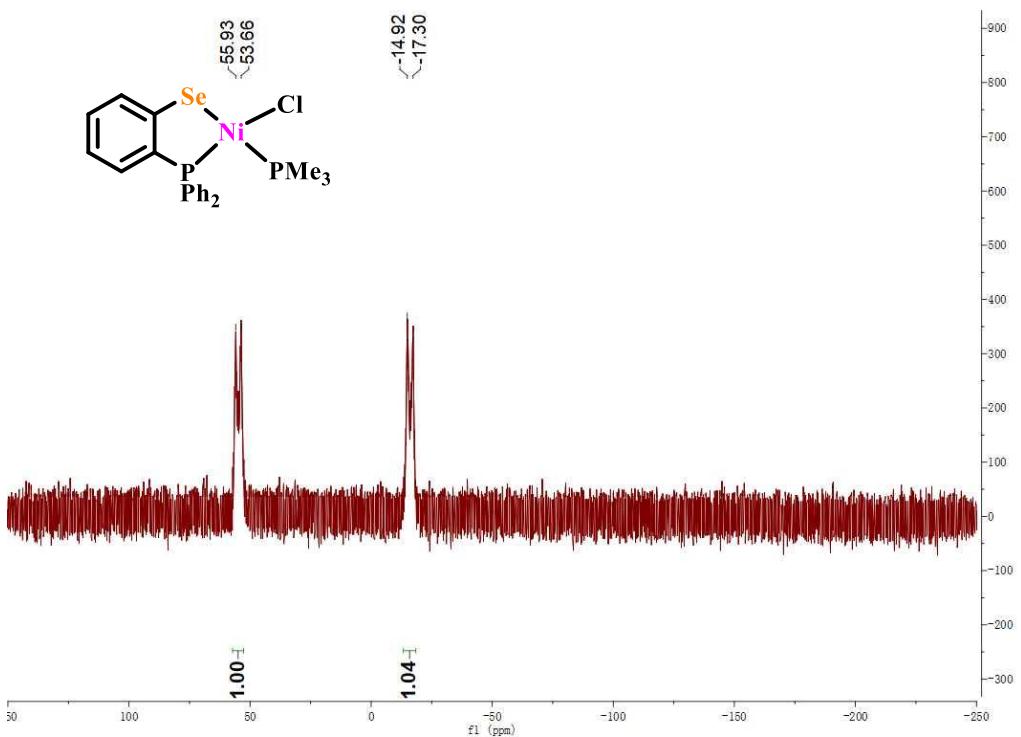
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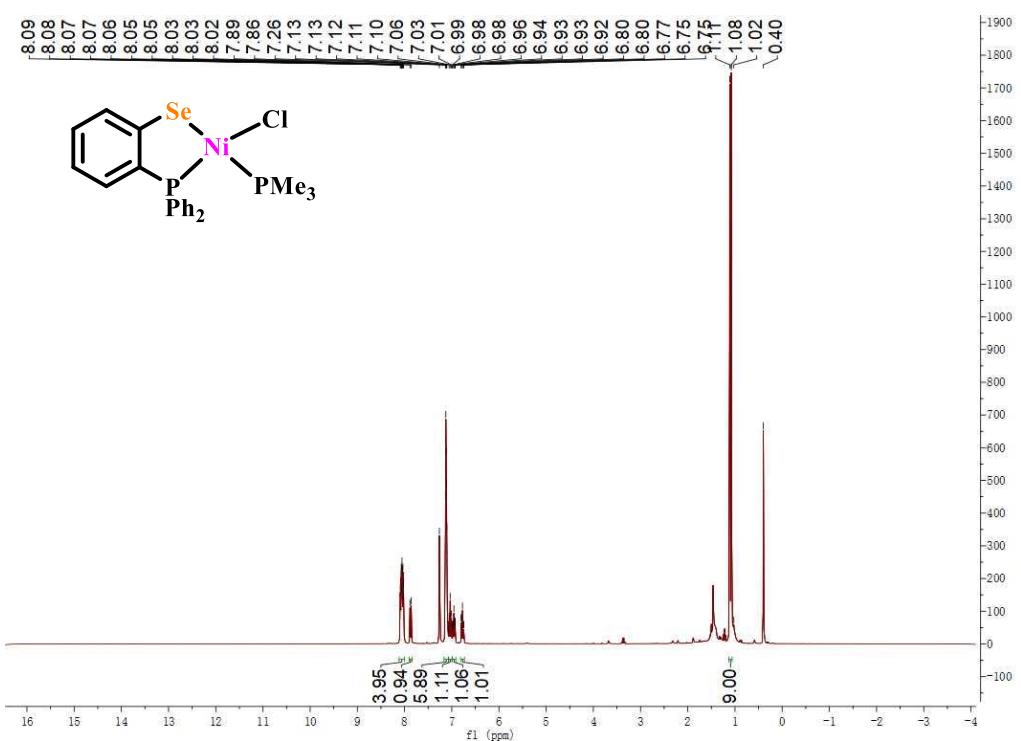
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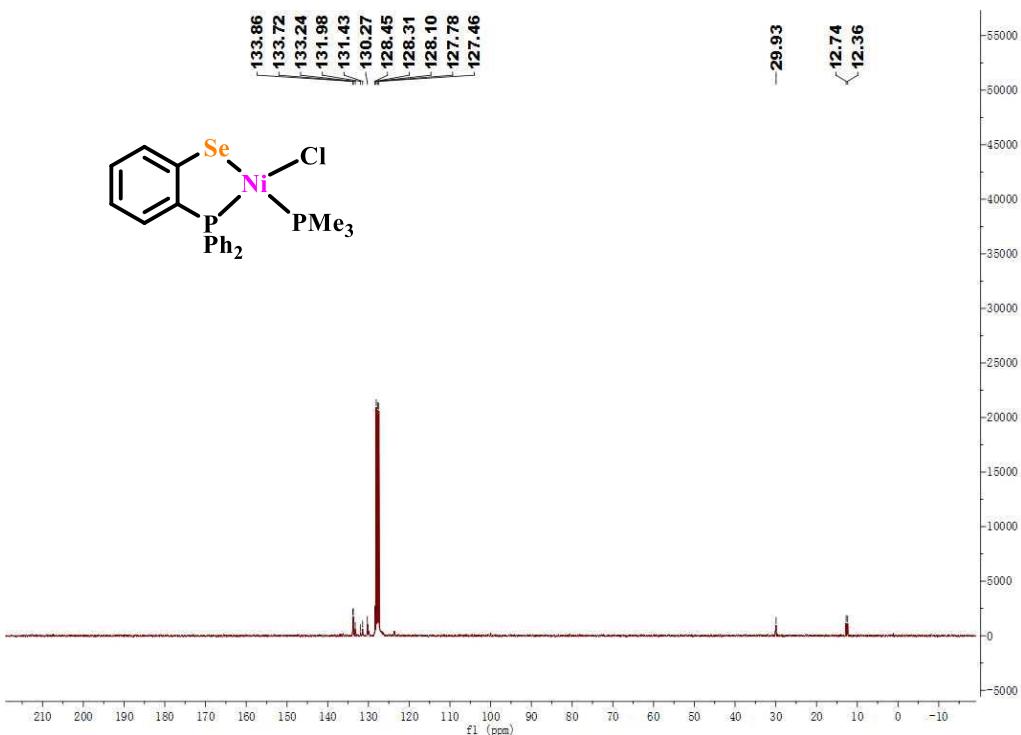
**Figure S3.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of Complex **1** ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )



**Figure S4.**  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectrum of Complex **2** ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )



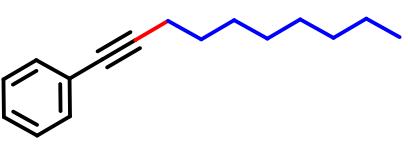
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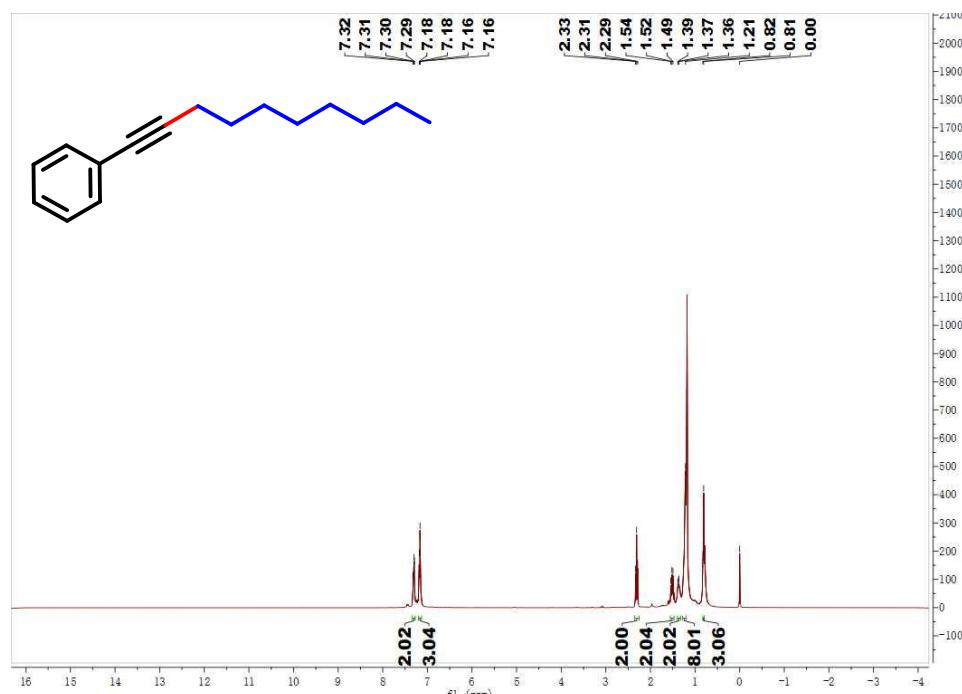
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## 2 $^1\text{H}$ and $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR of Sonongashira Coupling Products

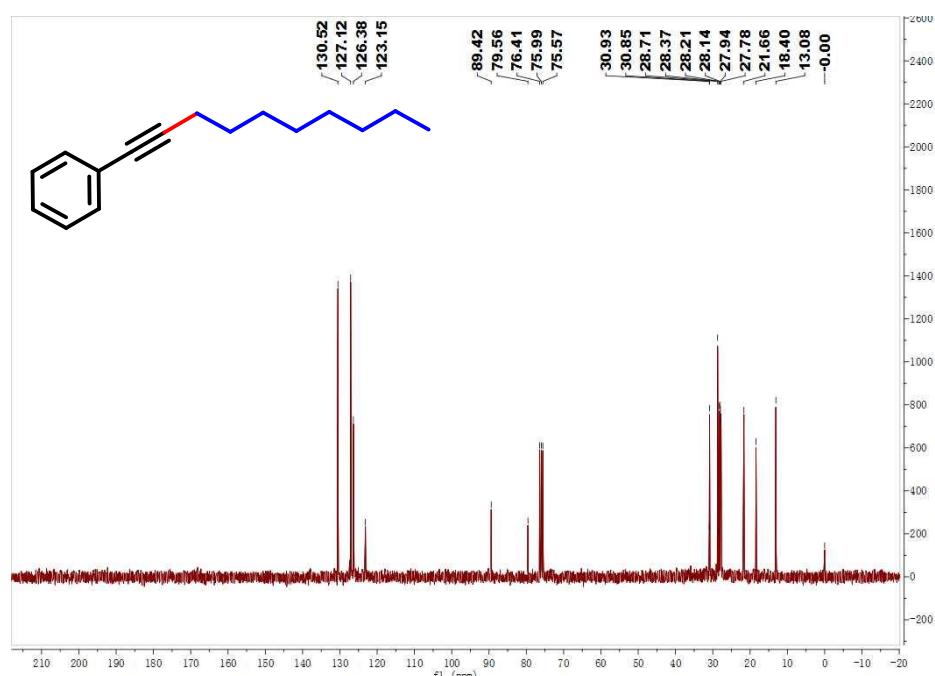
### (1) dec-1-yn-1-ylbenzene (**2a**)<sup>1</sup>



$^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.32 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 2.31 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2H), 1.54 – 1.49 (m, 2H), 1.39 – 1.36 (m, 2H), 1.21 (m, 8H), 0.81 (d,  $J = 5.1$  Hz, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  130.52, 127.12, 126.38, 123.15, 89.42, 79.56, 76.41, 75.59, 30.93, 30.85, 28.71, 28.21, 27.94, 21.66, 18.40, 13.08.

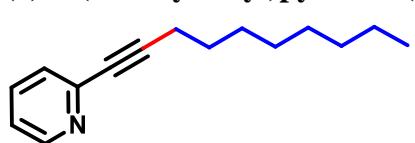


**Figure S7.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2a** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

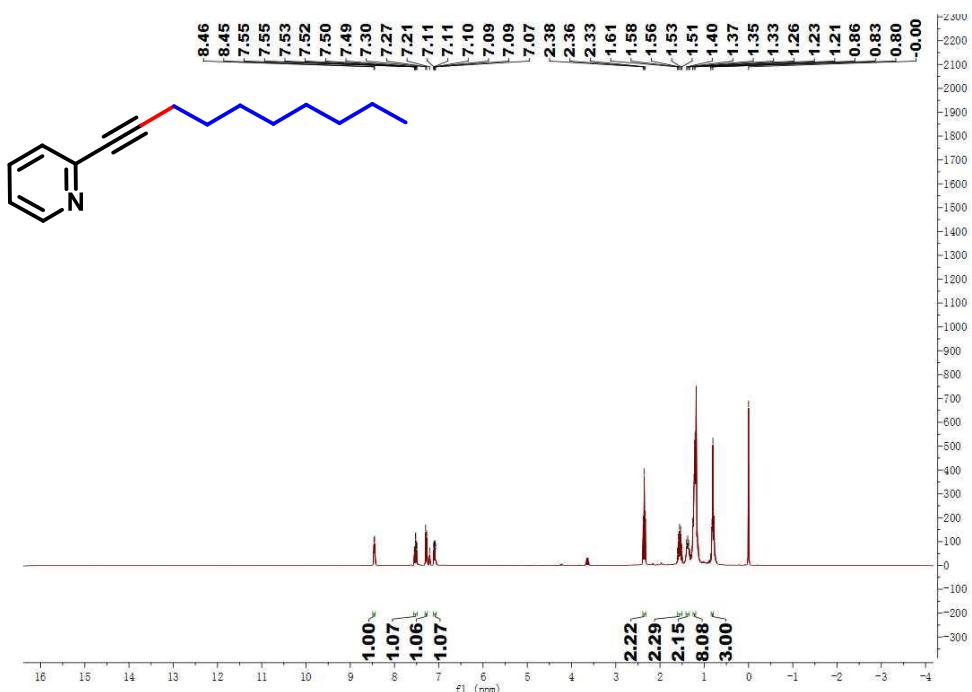


**Figure S8.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2a** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

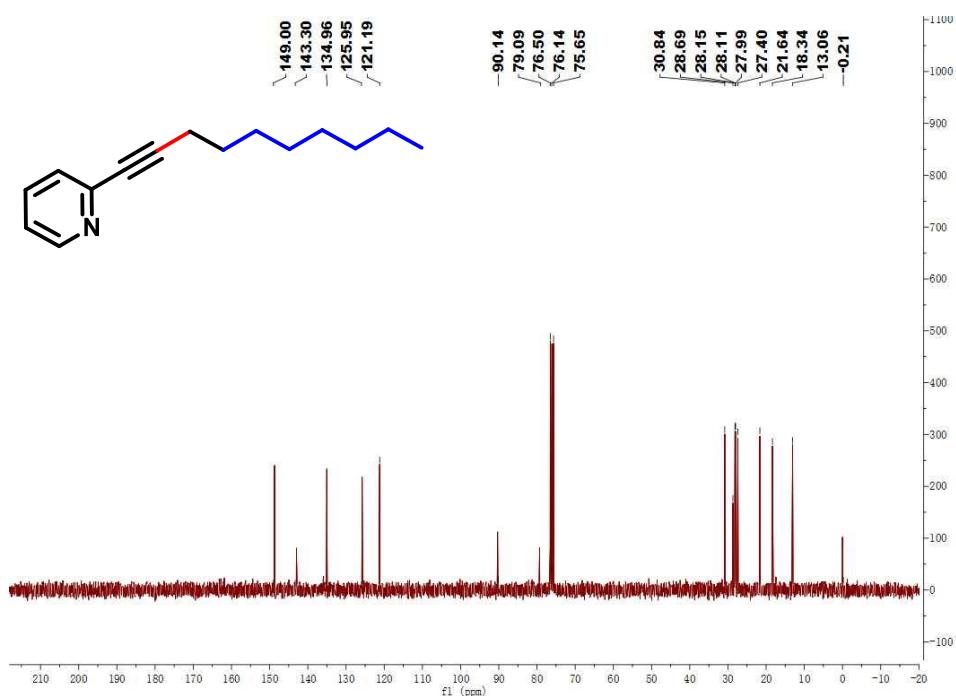
**(2) 2-(dec-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (2b)<sup>1</sup>**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.46 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (td, J = 7.7, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.15 - 7.04 (m, 1H), 2.36 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.61 – 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.40 – 1.21 (m, 10H), 0.86 – 0.72 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 149.00, 143.30, 134.96, 125.95, 121.19, 119.80, 118.60, 117.40, 116.60, 115.80, 115.20, 114.60, 113.80, 113.20, 112.60, 112.00, 111.40, 110.80, 109.20, 108.60, 108.00, 107.40, 106.80, 106.20, 105.60, 105.00, 104.40, 103.80, 103.20, 102.60, 102.00, 101.40, 100.80, 100.20, 99.60, 99.00, 98.40, 97.80, 97.20, 96.60, 96.00, 95.40, 94.80, 94.20, 93.60, 93.00, 92.40, 91.80, 91.20, 90.60, 90.00, 89.40, 88.80, 88.20, 87.60, 87.00, 86.40, 85.80, 85.20, 84.60, 84.00, 83.40, 82.80, 82.20, 81.60, 81.00, 80.40, 80.00, 79.60, 79.20, 78.80, 78.40, 78.00, 77.60, 77.20, 76.80, 76.40, 76.00, 75.60, 75.20, 74.80, 74.40, 74.00, 73.60, 73.20, 72.80, 72.40, 72.00, 71.60, 71.20, 70.80, 70.40, 70.00, 69.60, 69.20, 68.80, 68.40, 68.00, 67.60, 67.20, 66.80, 66.40, 66.00, 65.60, 65.20, 64.80, 64.40, 64.00, 63.60, 63.20, 62.80, 62.40, 62.00, 61.60, 61.20, 60.80, 60.40, 60.00, 59.60, 59.20, 58.80, 58.40, 58.00, 57.60, 57.20, 56.80, 56.40, 56.00, 55.60, 55.20, 54.80, 54.40, 54.00, 53.60, 53.20, 52.80, 52.40, 52.00, 51.60, 51.20, 50.80, 50.40, 50.00, 49.60, 49.20, 48.80, 48.40, 48.00, 47.60, 47.20, 46.80, 46.40, 46.00, 45.60, 45.20, 44.80, 44.40, 44.00, 43.60, 43.20, 42.80, 42.40, 42.00, 41.60, 41.20, 40.80, 40.40, 40.00, 39.60, 39.20, 38.80, 38.40, 38.00, 37.60, 37.20, 36.80, 36.40, 36.00, 35.60, 35.20, 34.80, 34.40, 34.00, 33.60, 33.20, 32.80, 32.40, 32.00, 31.60, 31.20, 30.80, 30.40, 30.00, 29.60, 29.20, 28.80, 28.40, 28.00, 27.60, 27.20, 26.80, 26.40, 26.00, 25.60, 25.20, 24.80, 24.40, 24.00, 23.60, 23.20, 22.80, 22.40, 22.00, 21.60, 21.20, 20.80, 20.40, 20.00, 19.60, 19.20, 18.80, 18.40, 18.00, 17.60, 17.20, 16.80, 16.40, 16.00, 15.60, 15.20, 14.80, 14.40, 14.00, 13.60, 13.20, 12.80, 12.40, 12.00, 11.60, 11.20, 10.80, 10.40, 10.00, 9.60, 9.20, 8.80, 8.40, 8.00, 7.60, 7.20, 6.80, 6.40, 6.00, 5.60, 5.20, 4.80, 4.40, 4.00, 3.60, 3.20, 2.80, 2.40, 2.00, 1.60, 1.20, 0.80, 0.40, 0.00.



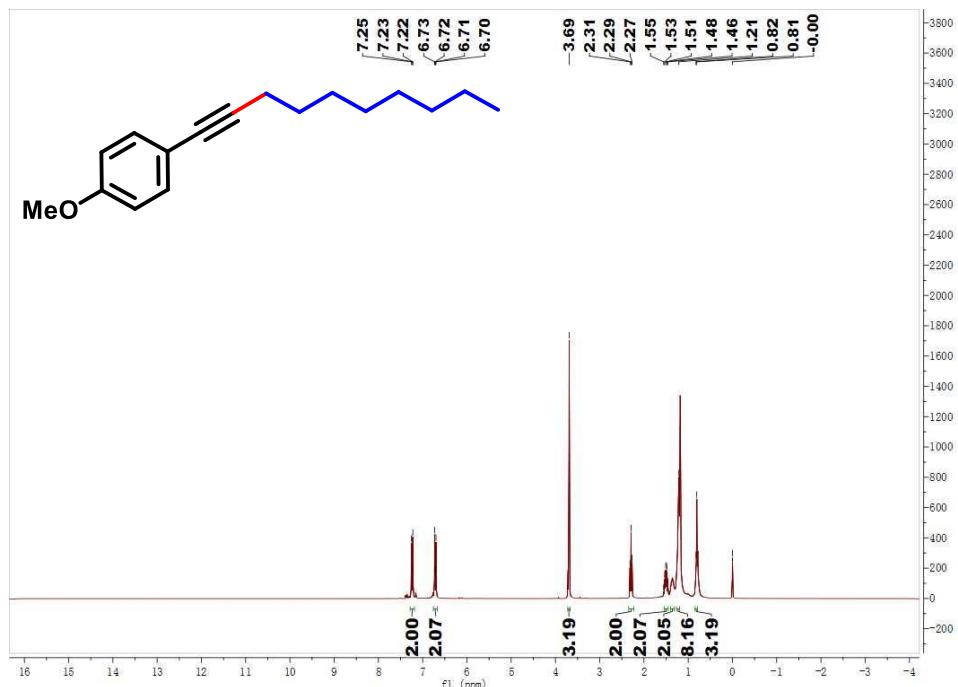
**Figure S9.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2b** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



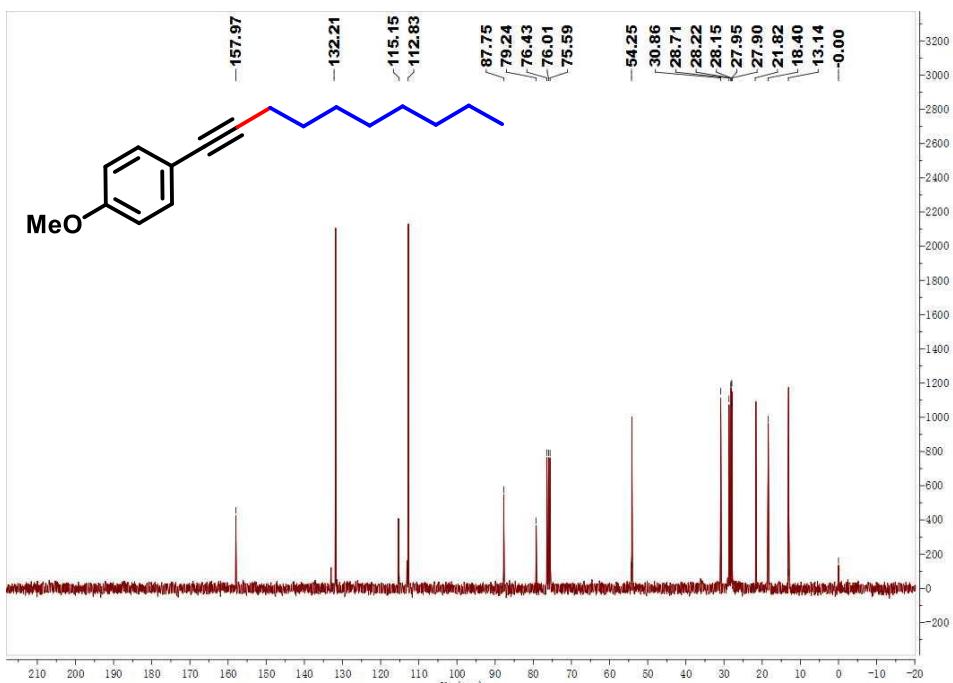
**Figure S10.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2b** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(3) 1-(dec-1-yn-1-yl)-4-methoxybenzene (**2c**)<sup>1</sup>**


  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.25 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.73 – 6.70 (m, 2H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.29 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.48 – 1.46 (m, 2H), 1.48 – 1.21 (m, 10H), 0.82 – 0.81 (m, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 157.97, 132.21, 115.15, 112.83, 87.75, 79.24, 76.01, 54.25, 30.86, 28.22, 27.90, 21.82, 18.40, 13.14.



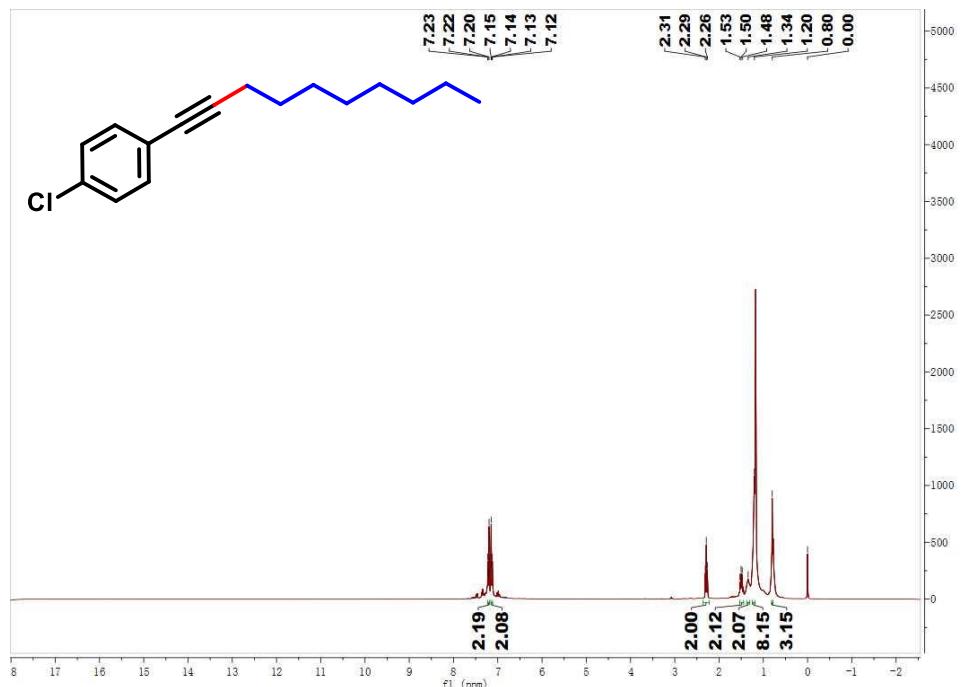
**Figure S11.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2c** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



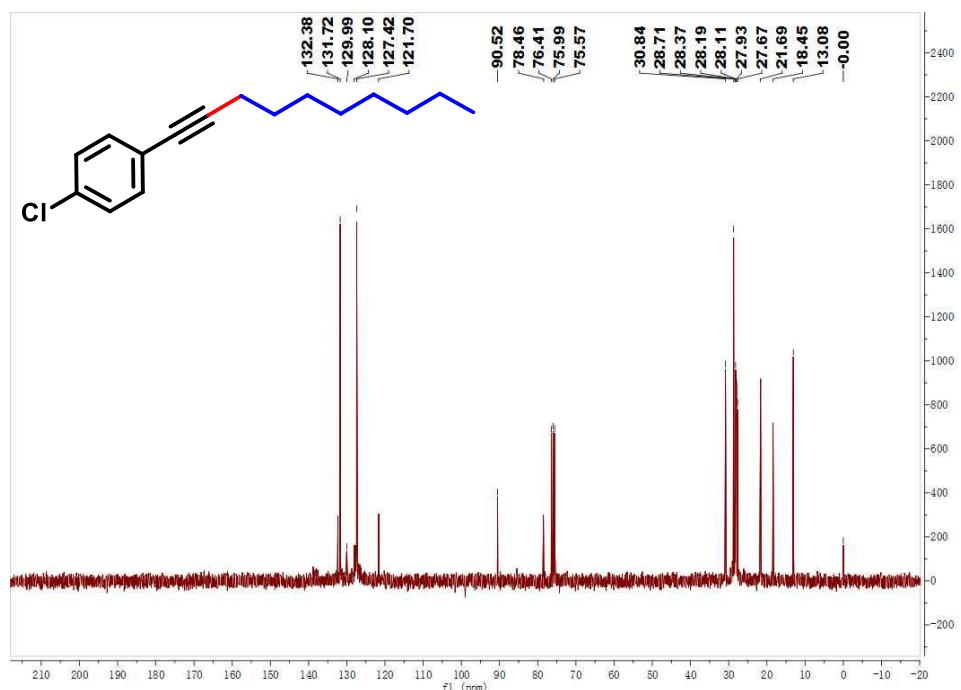
**Figure S12.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2c** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(4) 1-chloro-4-(dec-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (**2d**)<sup>2</sup>**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.23 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.15 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 2.29 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.53 – 1.50 (m, 2H), 1.48 – 1.20 (m, 10H), 0.80 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 132.38, 131.72, 129.99, 128.10, 127.42, 121.70, 90.52, 78.46, 75.99, 30.84, 28.37, 28.19, 27.67, 21.69, 18.45, 13.08.

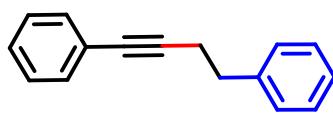


**Figure S13.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2d** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

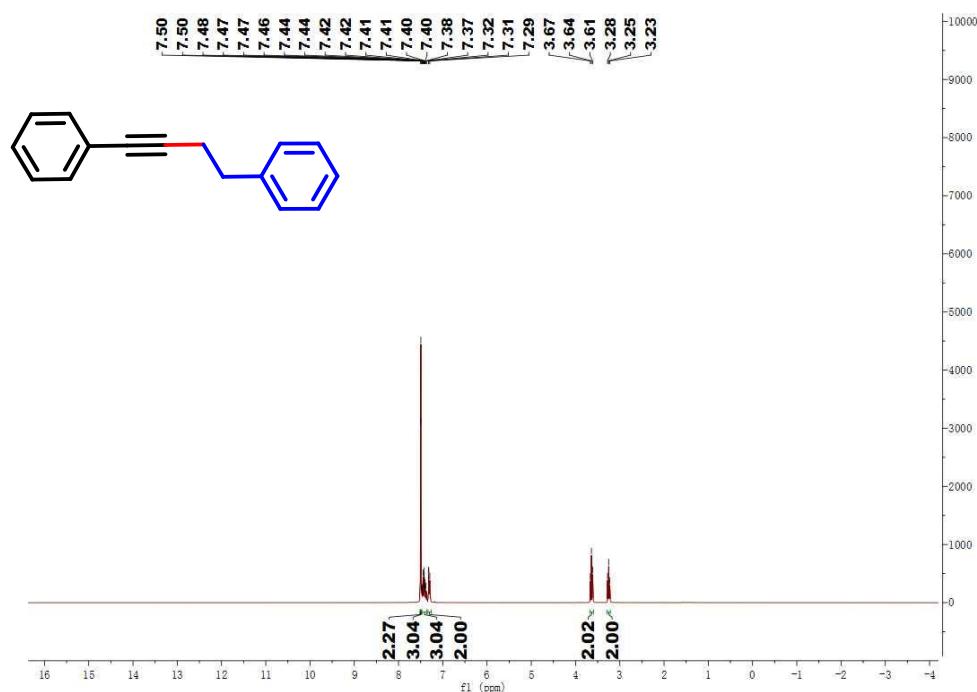


**Figure S14.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2d** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

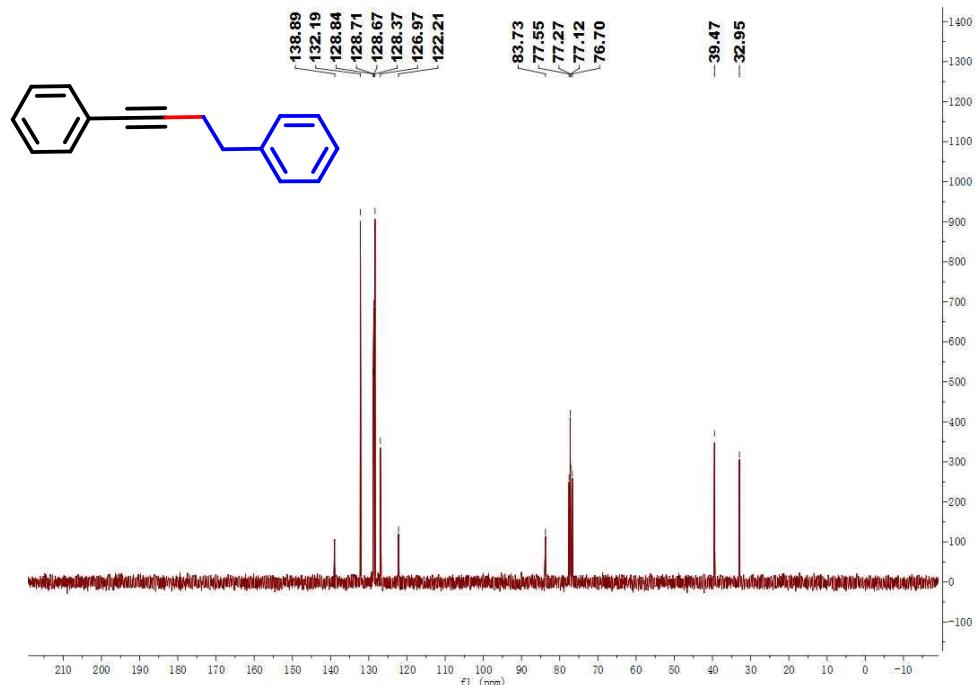
**(5) but-1-yne-1,4-diyldibenzene (2e)<sup>1</sup>**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.50–7.44 (m, 5H), 7.44–7.40 (m, 3H), 7.38–7.29 (m, 2H), 3.64 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 138.89, 132.19, 128.84, 128.71, 128.67, 128.37, 126.97, 122.21, 83.73, 77.55, 77.27, 77.12, 76.70, 39.47, 32.95.

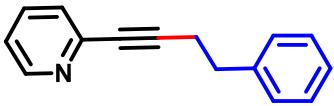


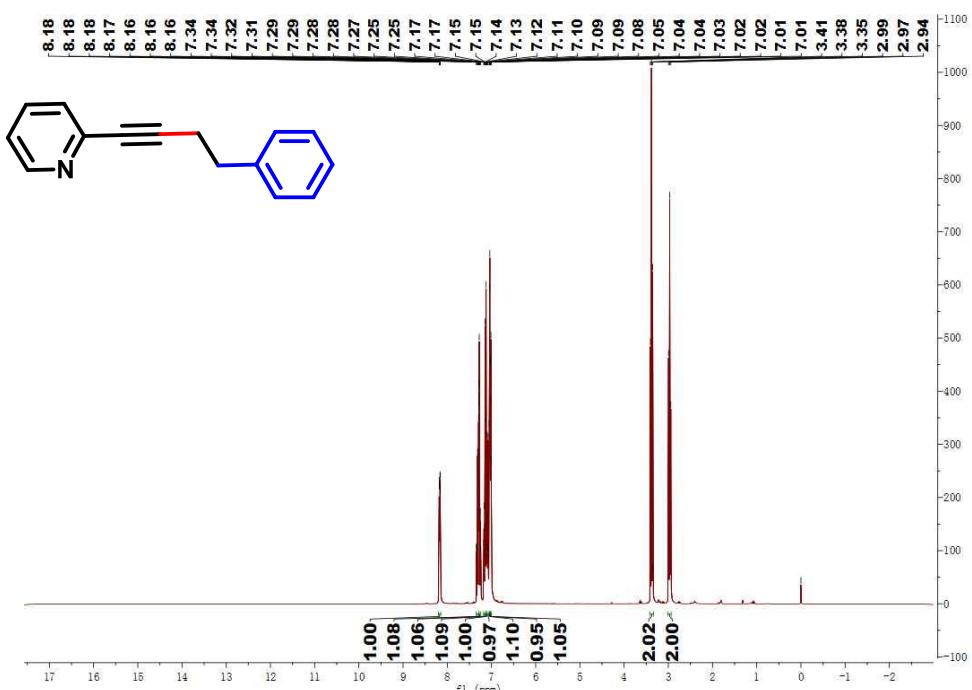
**Figure S15.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2e** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



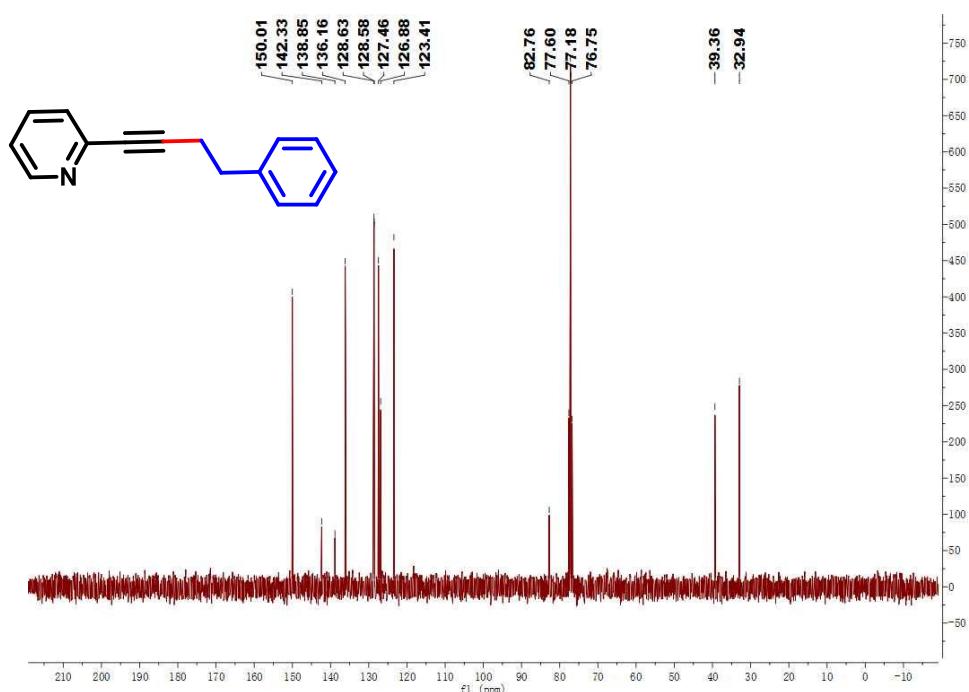
**Figure S16.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2e** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(6) 2-(4-phenylbut-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (2f)<sup>1</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.18 – 8.16 (m, 1H), 7.34 – 7.28 (m, 1H), 7.28 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.17 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.14 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 7.10 – 7.06 (m, 1H), 7.06 – 7.04 (m, 1H), 7.04 – 7.02 (m, 1H), 7.02 – 7.01 (m, 1H), 3.38 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.97 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 150.01, 142.33, 138.85, 136.16, 128.63, 128.58, 128.56, 127.46, 126.88, 126.88, 123.41.

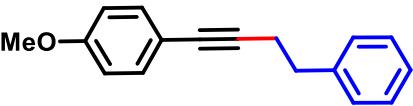


**Figure S17.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2f (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



**Figure S18.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2f (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

(7) 1-methoxy-4-(4-phenylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (**2g**)<sup>3</sup>



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.31 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.13 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 6.70 – 6.67 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.46 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.06 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.98, 138.93, 133.62, 128.68, 128.64, 126.95, 114.22, 113.98, 83.71, 77.53, 77.10, 76.68, 75.86, 55.30, 39.45, 32.94.

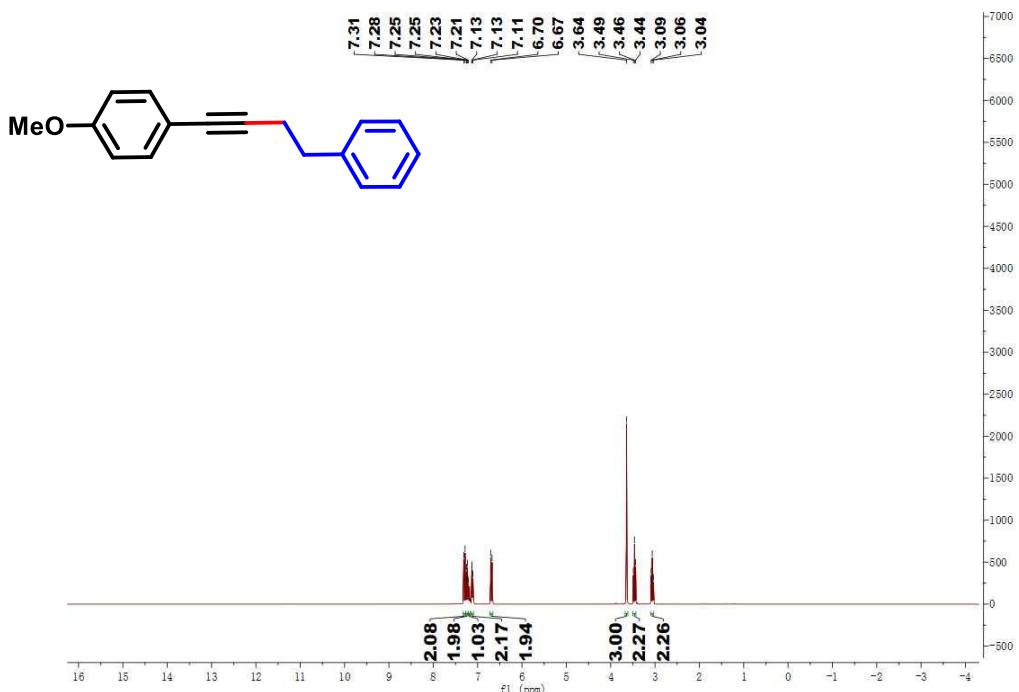


Figure S19. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2g** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

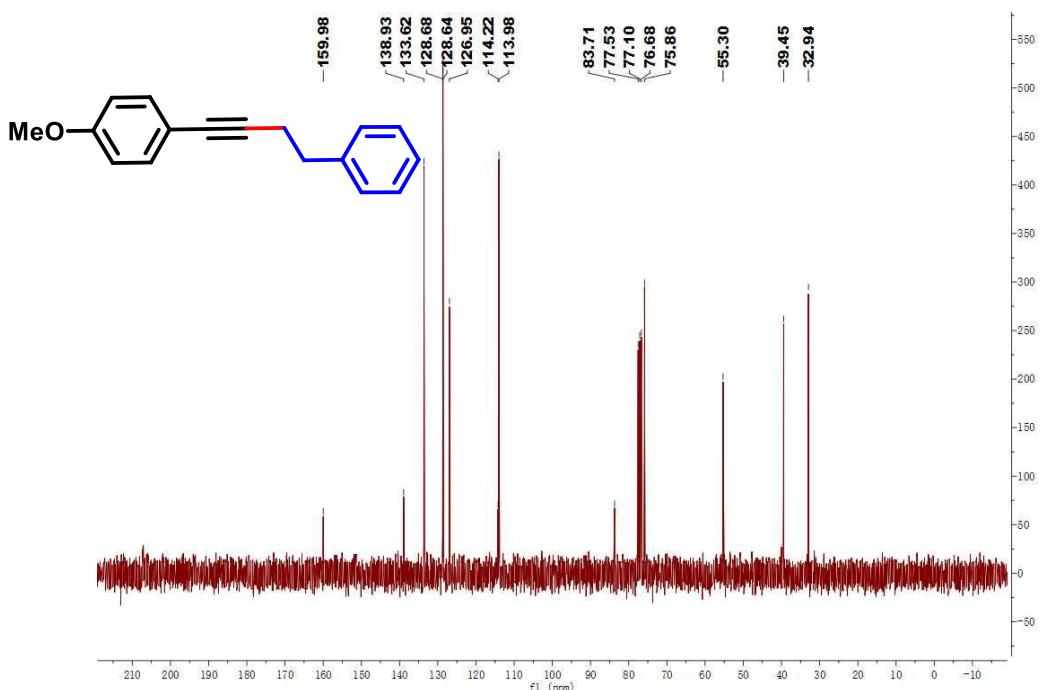
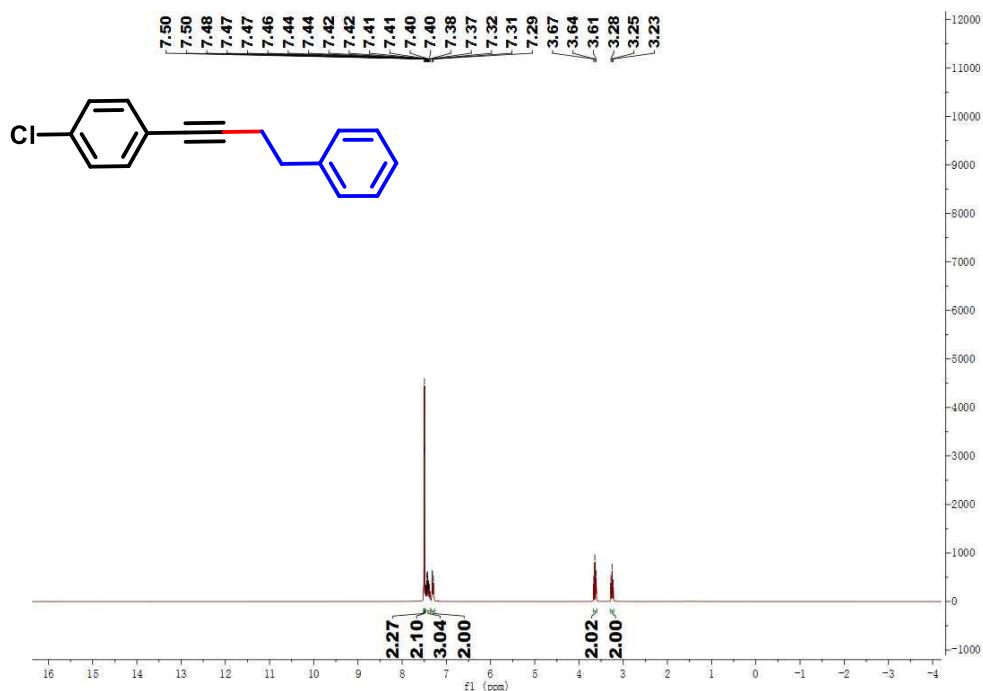


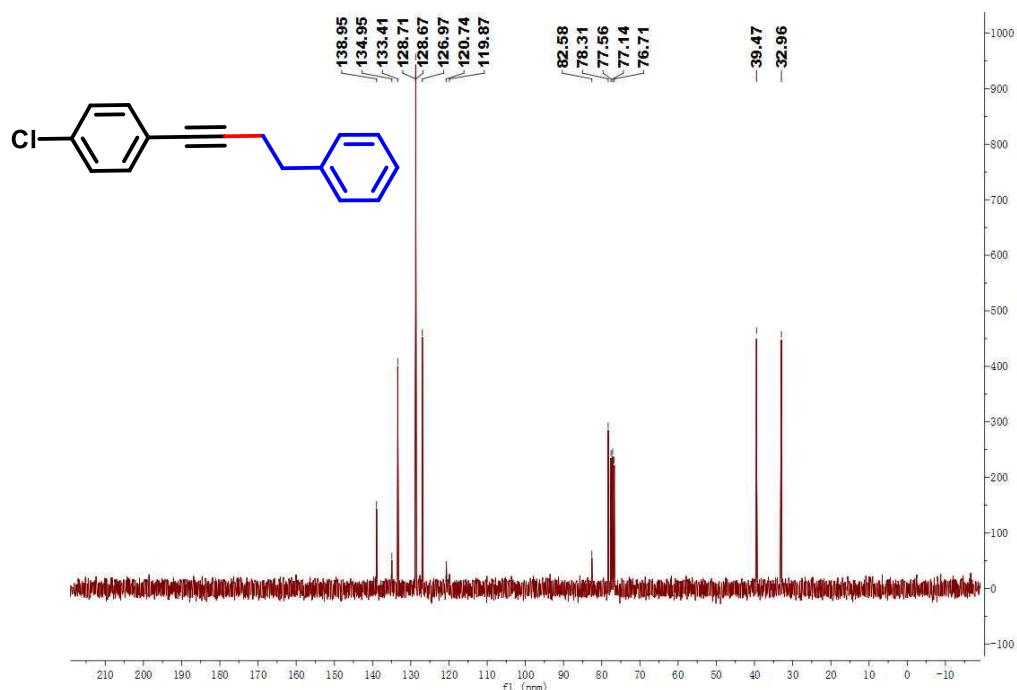
Figure S20. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2g** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(8) 1-chloro-4-(4-phenylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (**2h**)<sup>3</sup>**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.50–7.48 (m, 4H), 7.48–7.37 (m, 3H), 7.31–7.29 (m, 2H), 3.64 (t, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 138.95, 134.95, 133.41, 128.71, 128.67, 126.97, 120.74, 119.87, 82.58, 78.31, 77.56, 77.14, 76.71, 39.47, 32.96.



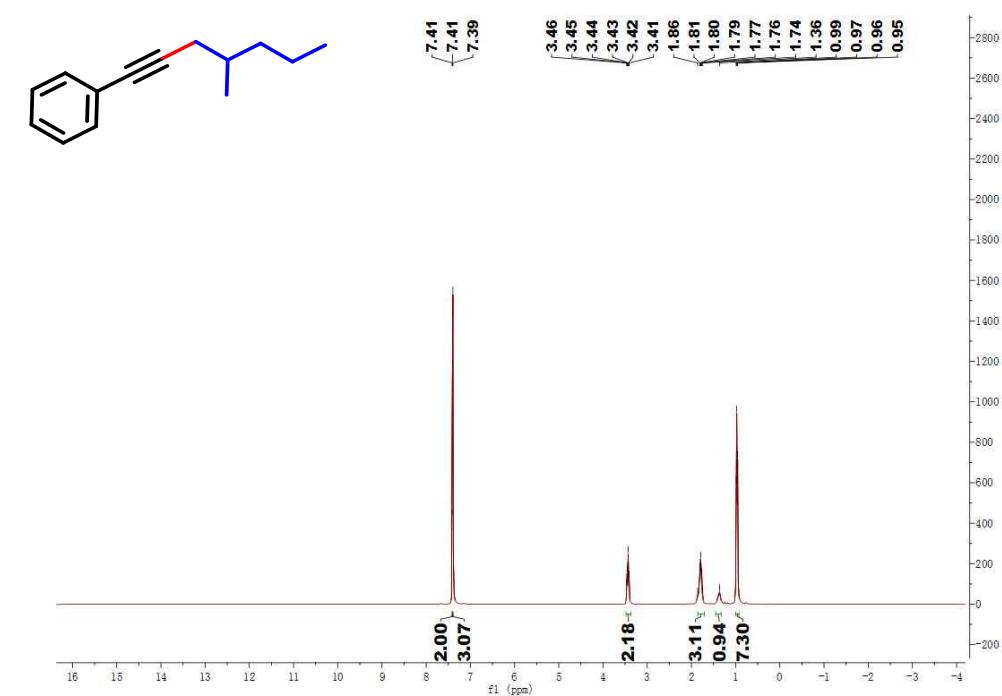
**Figure S21.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2h** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



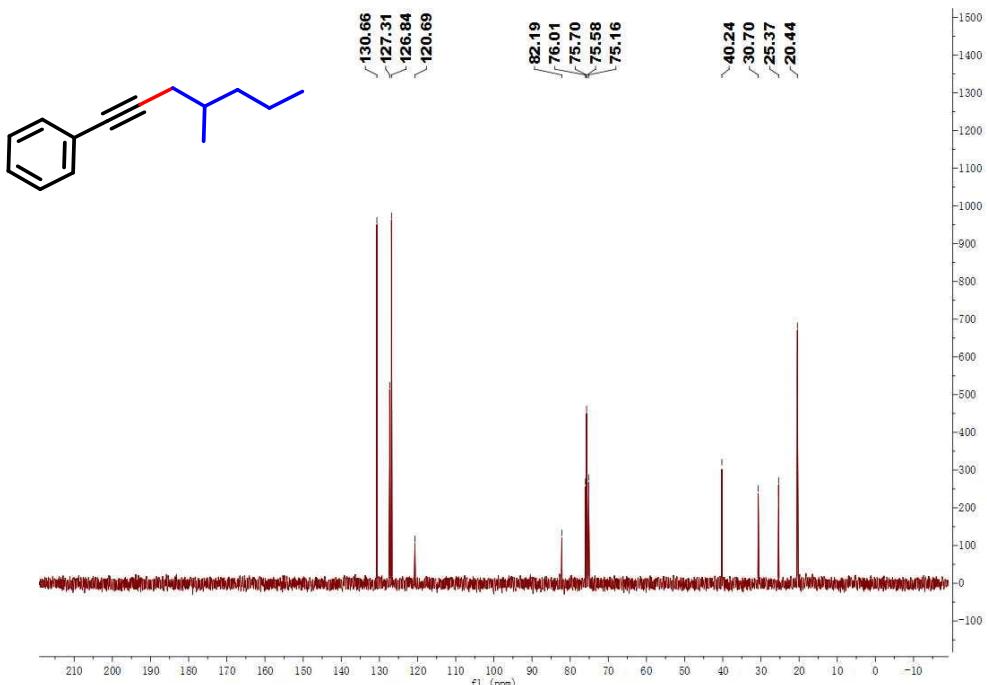
**Figure S22.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2h** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(9) (4-methylhept-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2i)**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.41 (s, 2H), 7.39 (s, 3H), 3.46 – 3.41 (m, 2H), 1.86 – 1.74 (m, 3H), 1.36 (s, 1H), 0.99 – 0.95 (m, 7H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 130.66, 127.31, 126.84, 120.69, 82.19, 76.01, 75.70, 75.58, 75.16, 40.24, 30.70, 25.37, 20.44.

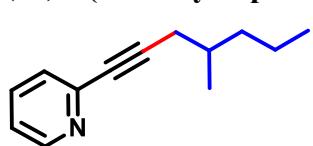


**Figure S23.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2i** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

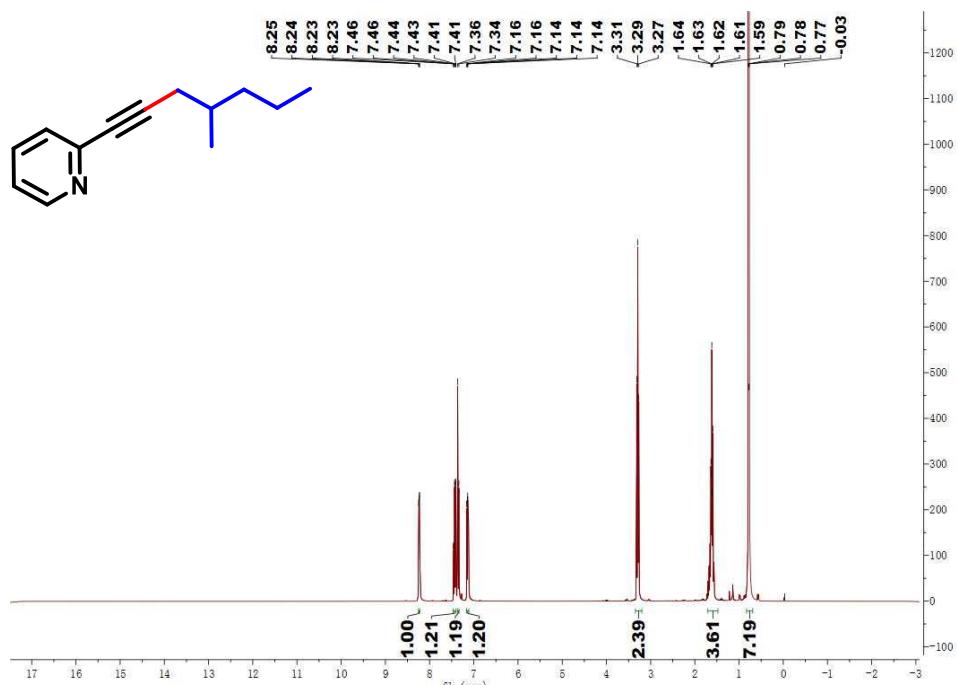


**Figure S24.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2i** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

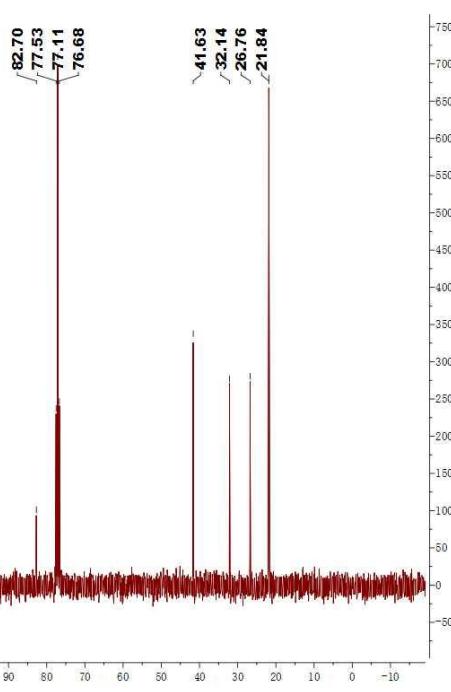
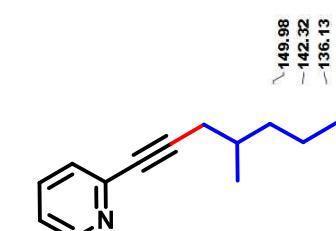
**(10) 2-(4-methylhept-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (2j)**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.25 – 8.23 (m, 1H), 7.46 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.41 – 7.34 (m, 1H), 7.16 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 3.31 – 3.27 (m, 2H), 1.64 – 1.59 (m, 4H), 0.79 – 0.77 (m, 7H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 149.98, 142.32, 136.13, 127.42, 11, 76.68, 41.63, 32.14, 26.76, 21.84.

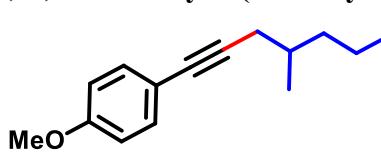


**Figure S25.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2j** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure S26.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2j** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(11) 1-methoxy-4-(4-methylhept-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2k)**


<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.25 - 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.73 – 6.70 (m, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 2.33 – 2.28 (t, 2H), 1.67 – 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.42 – 1.40 (m, 2H), 1.20 – 1.17 (m, 2H), 0.86 – 0.83 (m, 3H), 0.83 – 0.77 (m, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.95, 133.57, 114.20, 113.94, 83.66, 77.50, 77.08, 76.66, 75.80, 55.23, 41.70, 32.15, 26.83, 21.90.

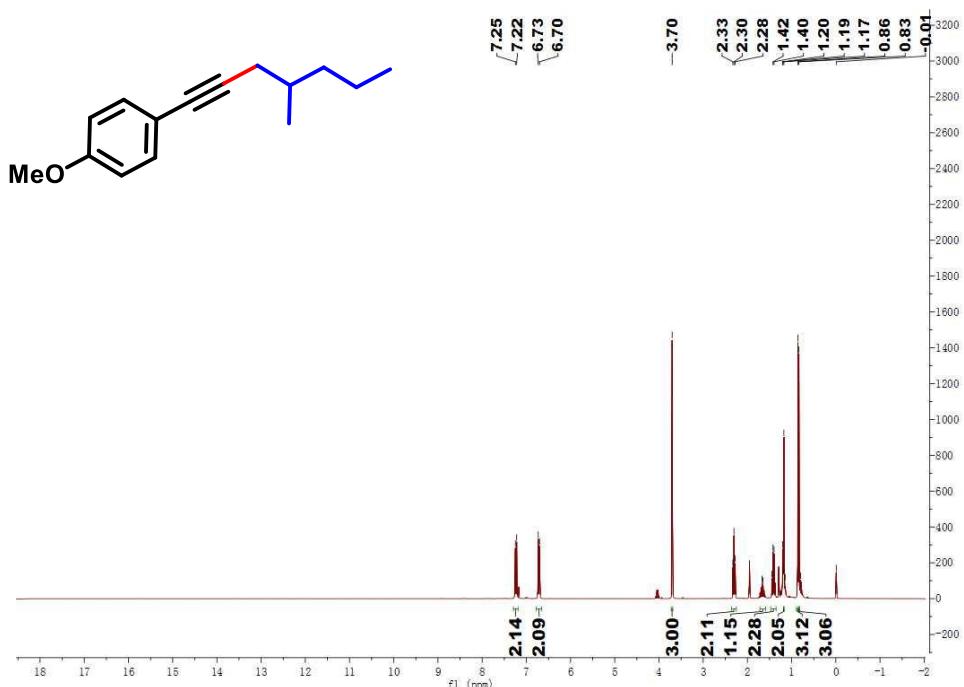


Figure S27. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2k (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

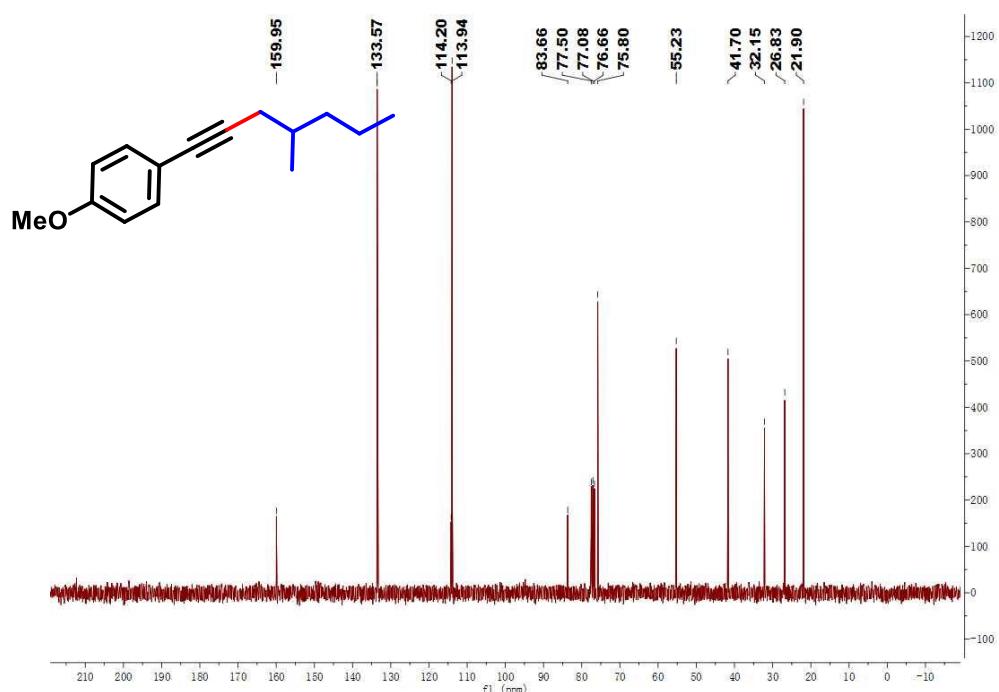
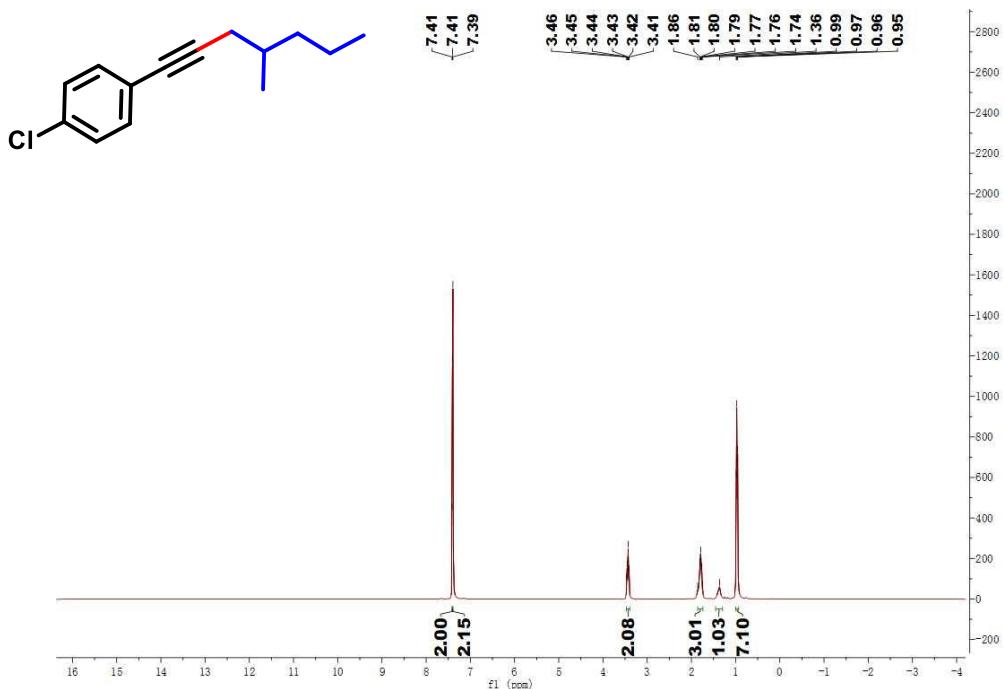


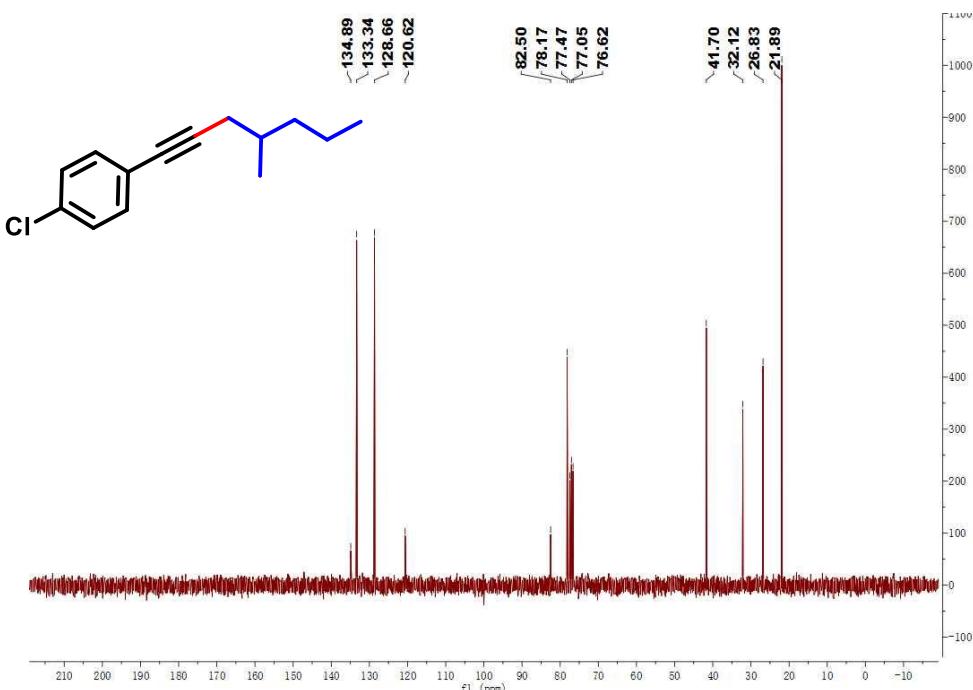
Figure S28. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2k (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(12) 1-chloro-4-(4-methylhept-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2l)**

CC(C)C#Cc1ccc(Cl)cc1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.41 (s, 2H), 7.39 (s, 2H), 3.46 – 3.41 (m, 2H), 1.86 – 1.74 (m, 3H), 1.36 (s, 1H), 0.99 – 0.95 (m, 7H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  134.89, 133.34, 128.66, 120.62, 82.50, 78.17, 77.47, 77.05, 76.62, 41.70, 32.12, 26.83, 21.89.

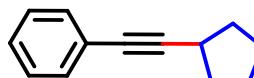


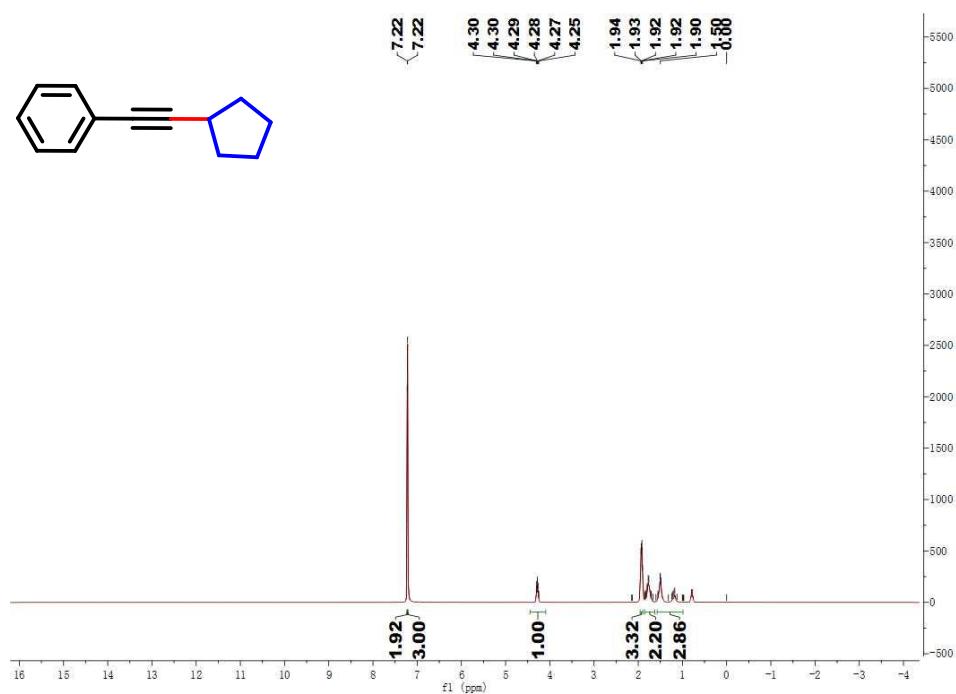
**Figure S29.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2l** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



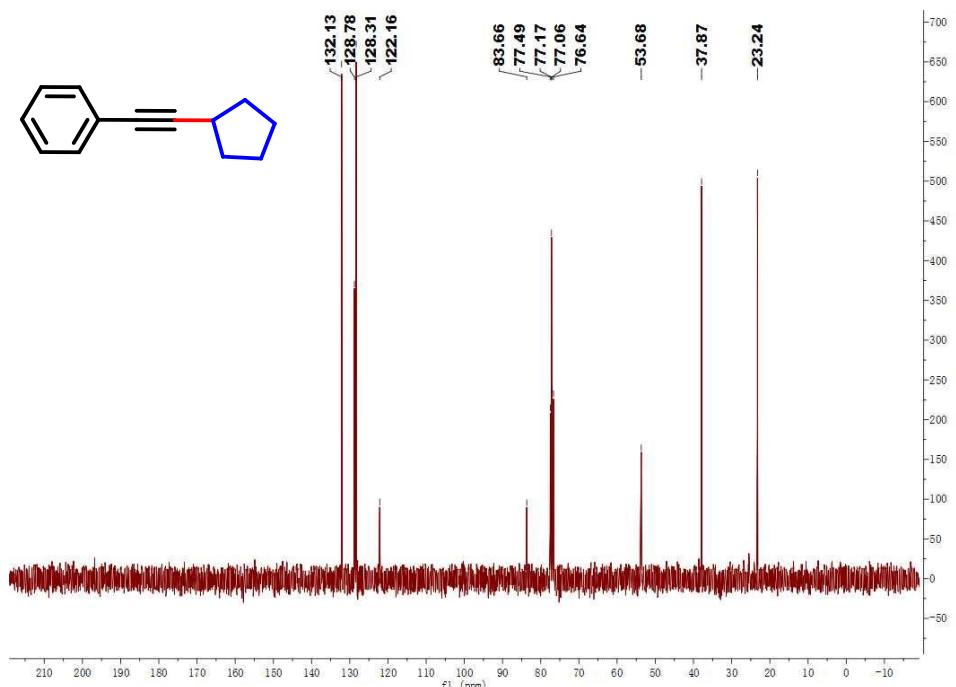
**Figure S30.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2l** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(13)(cyclopentylethynyl)benzene(2m)<sup>4</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.22 (m, 5H), 4.30 – 4.27 (m, 1H), 1.94 – 1.90 (m, 3H), 1.78 – 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.60 – 0.97 (m, 3H).  
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 132.13, 128.78, 128.31, 122.16, 83.66, 77.49, 77.17, 77.06, 76.64, 53.68, 37.87, 23.24.



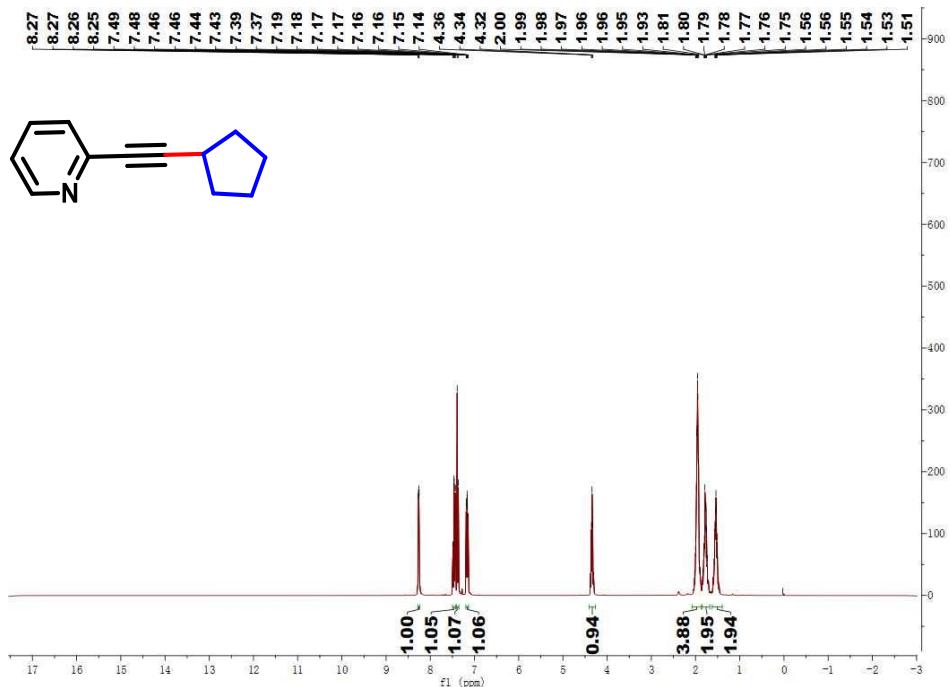
**Figure S31.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2m** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



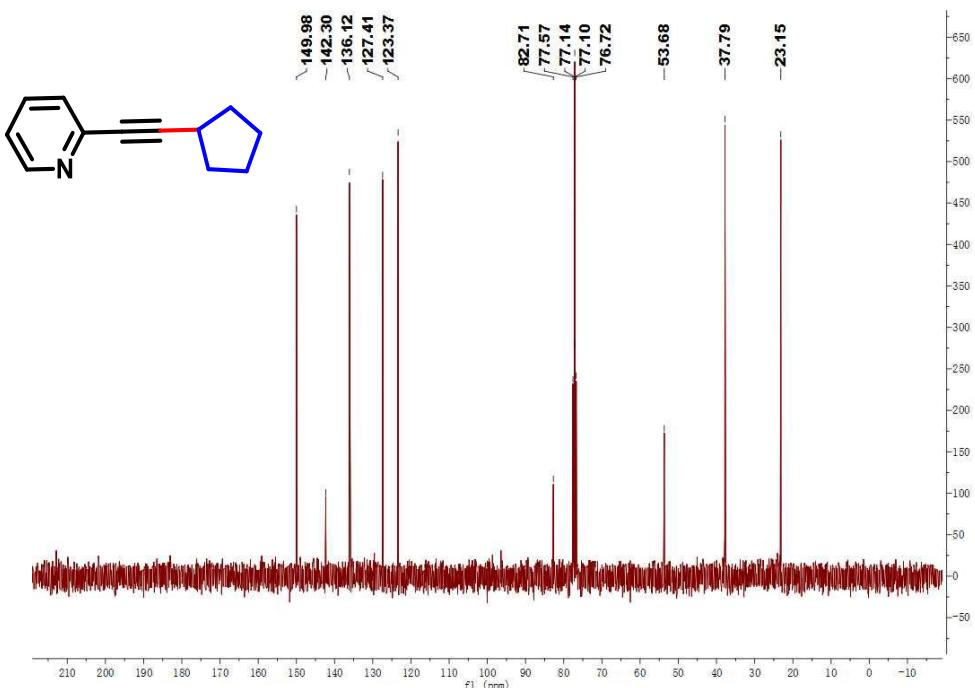
**Figure S32.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2m** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(14) 2-(cyclopentylethynyl)pyridine (2n)<sup>5</sup>**

C#Cc1ccncc1C2CCCC2  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.27 – 8.25 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.46 (m, 1H), 7.44 – 7.37 (m, 1H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.36 – 4.32 (m, 1H), 2.02 – 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.84 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.58 – 1.50 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  149.98, 142.30, 136.12, 127.41, 123.37, 82.71, 77.57, 77.14, 77.10, 76.72, 53.68, 37.79, 23.15.

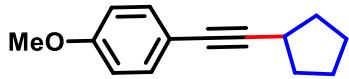


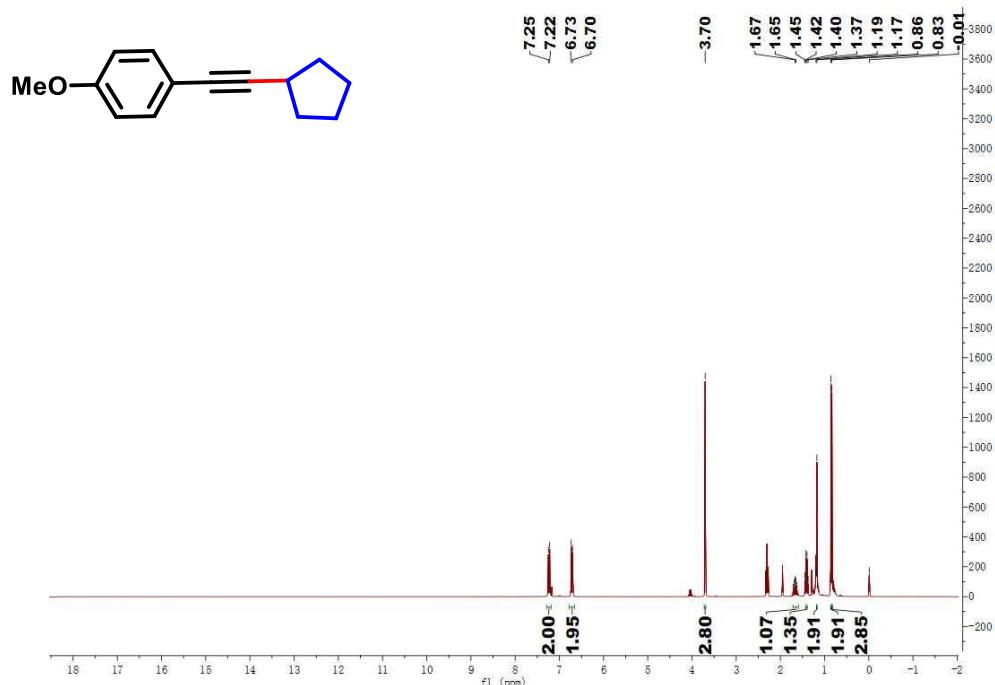
**Figure S33.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2n** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



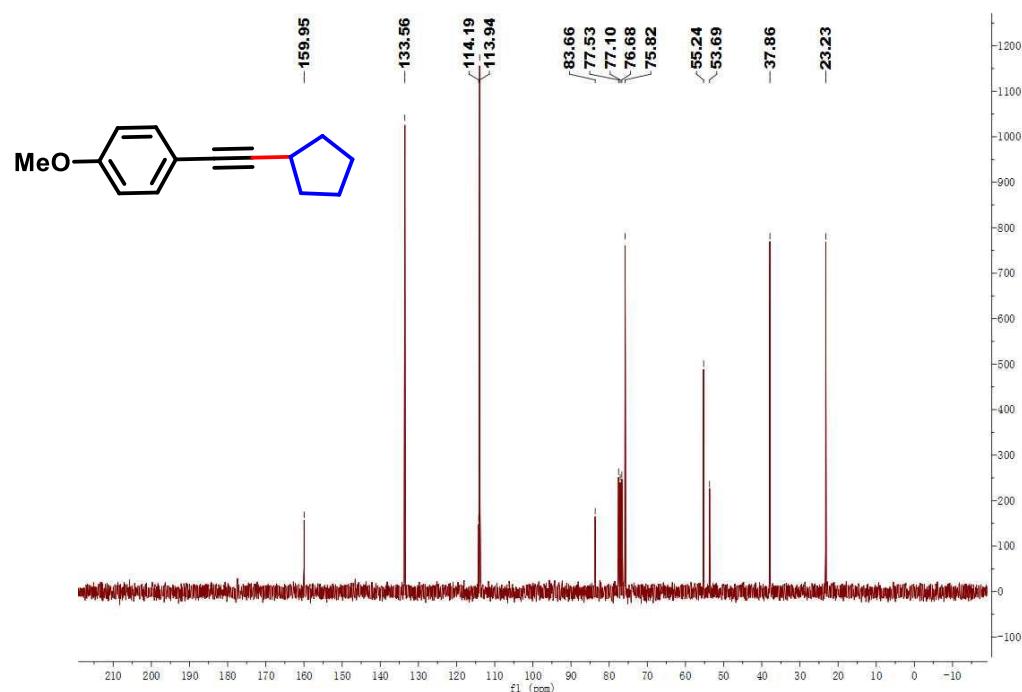
**Figure S34.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2n** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(15) 1-(cyclopentylethynyl)-4-methoxybenzene (**2o**)<sup>6</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.25 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.73 – 6.70 (m, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 1.71 – 1.62 (m, 1H), 1.45 – 1.37 (m, 1H), 1.19 – 1.17 (m, 2H), 0.86 (s, 2H), 0.83 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.95, 133.56, 114.19, 113.94, 83.66, 77.53, 77.10, 76.68, 75.82, 55.24, 53.69, 37.86, 23.23.



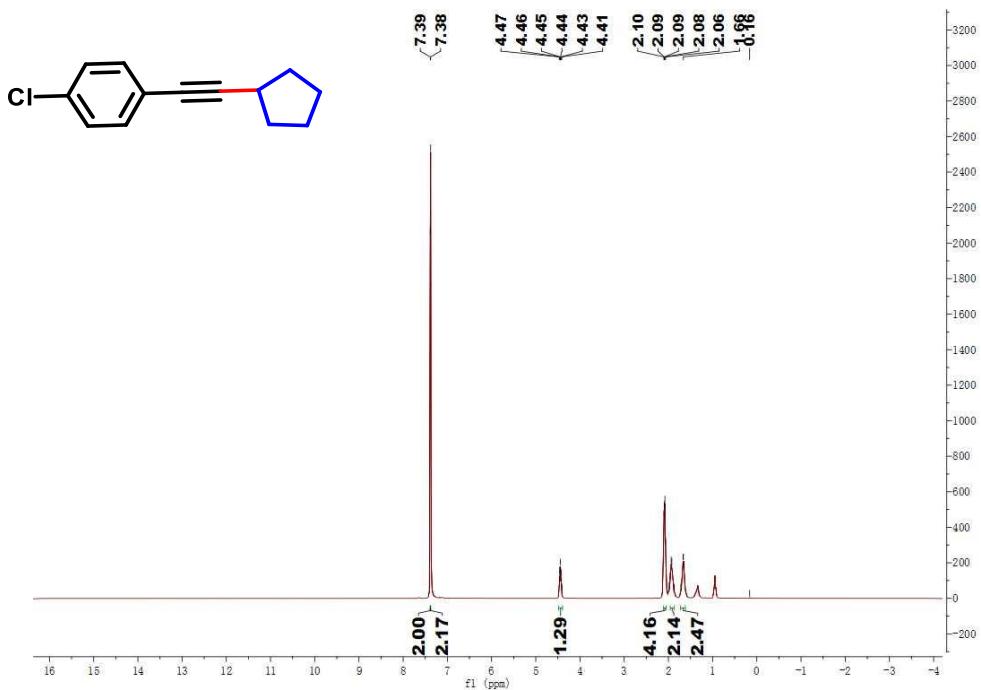
**Figure S35.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2o** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



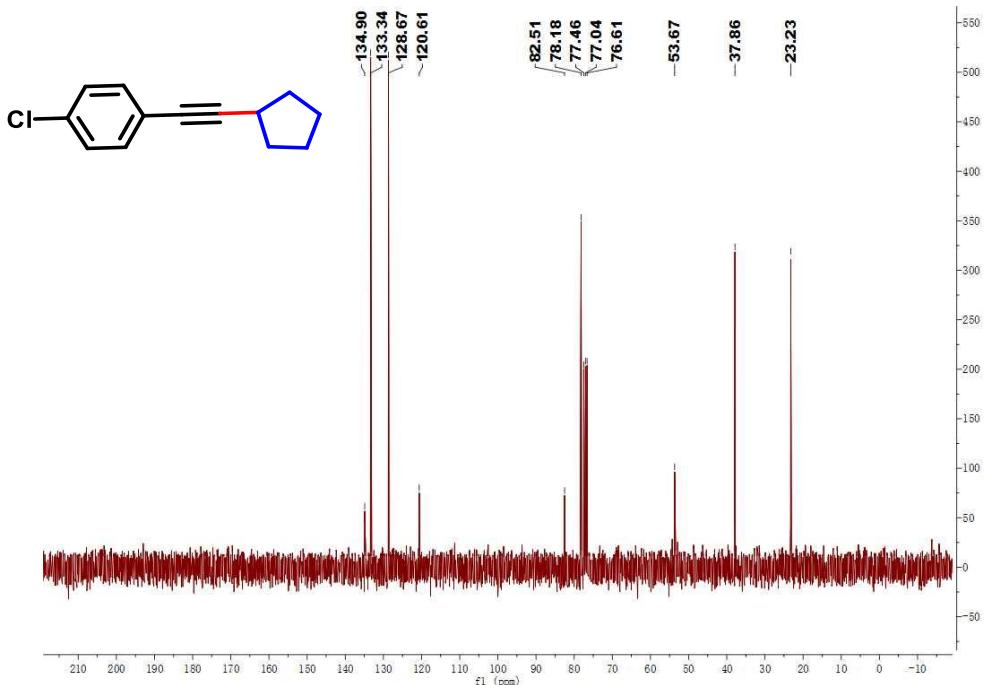
**Figure S36.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2o** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(16) 1-chloro-4-(cyclopentylethynyl)benzene (2p)**

Clc1ccc(C#Cc2ccccc2)cc1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.39 (s, 2H), 7.38 (s, 2H), 4.47 – 4.41 (m, 1H), 2.10 – 2.06 (m, 4H), 1.98 – 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.72 – 1.65 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  134.90, 133.34, 128.67, 120.61, 82.51, 78.18, 77.46, 77.04, 76.61, 53.67, 37.86, 23.23.

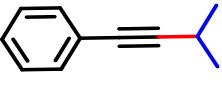


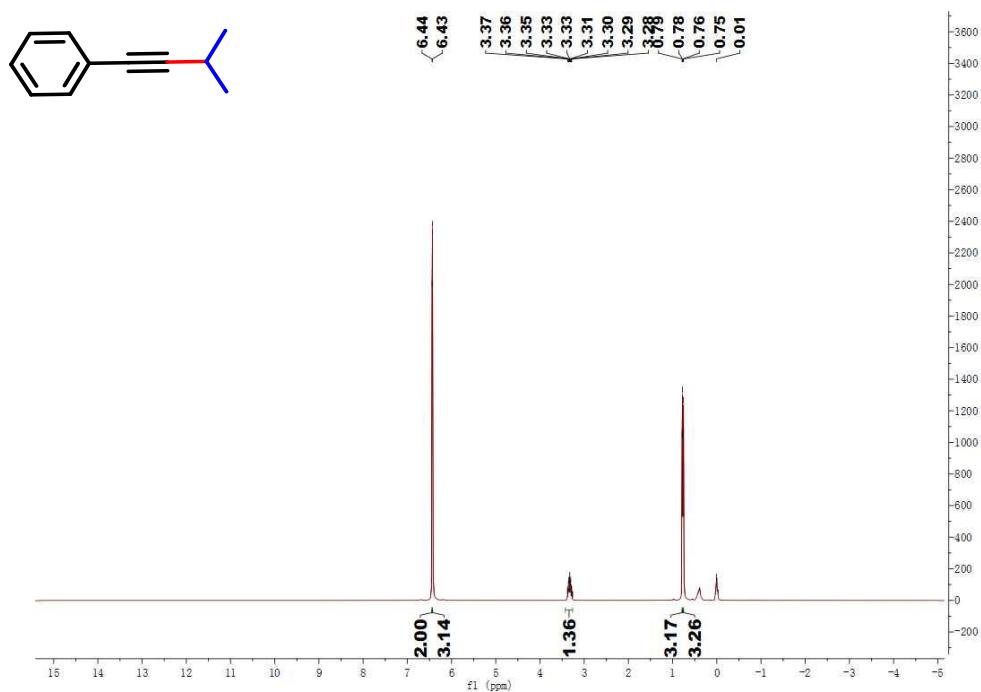
**Figure S37.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2p** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



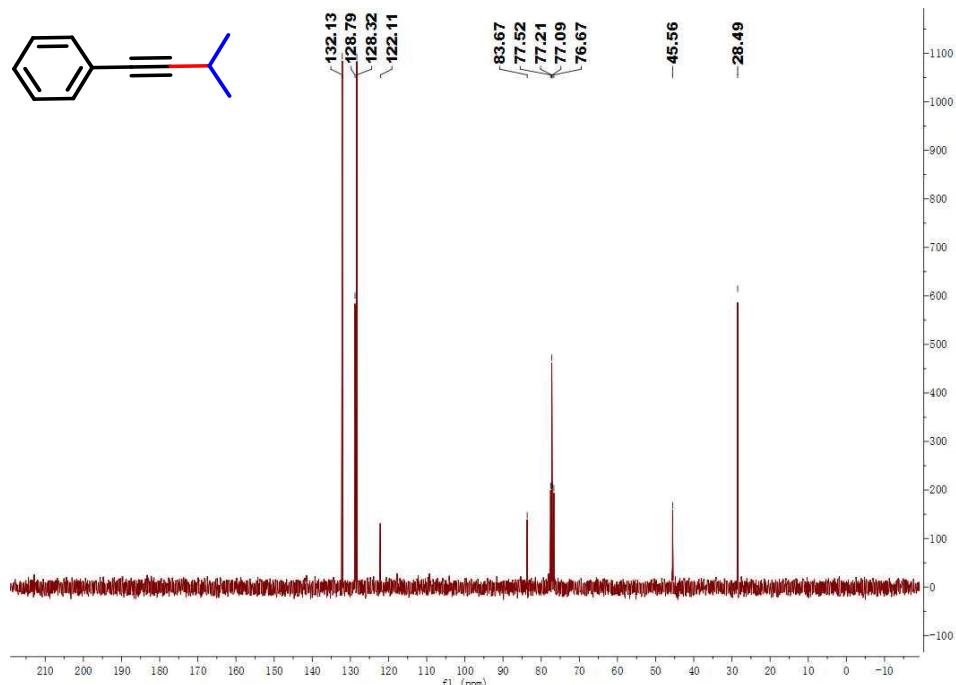
**Figure S38.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2p** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(17)(3-methylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2q)<sup>4</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.44 (s, 2H), 6.43 (s, 3H), 3.38 – 3.26 (m, 1H), 0.78 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 3H), 0.76 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 132.13, 128.79, 128.32, 122.11, 83.67, 77.52, 77.21, 77.09, 76.67, 45.56, 28.49.



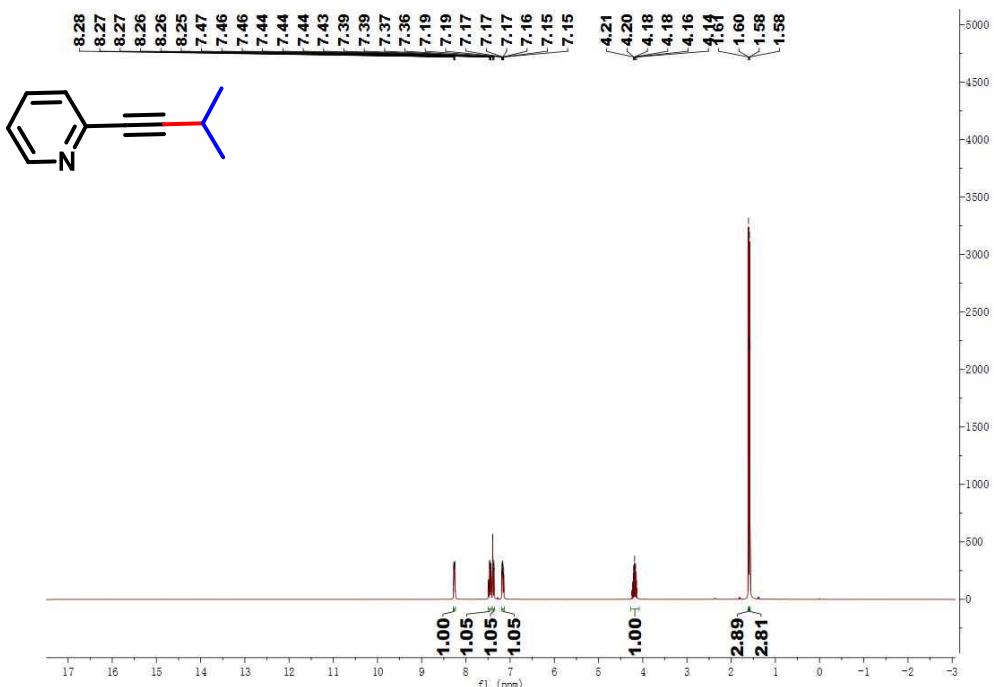
**Figure S39.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2q (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



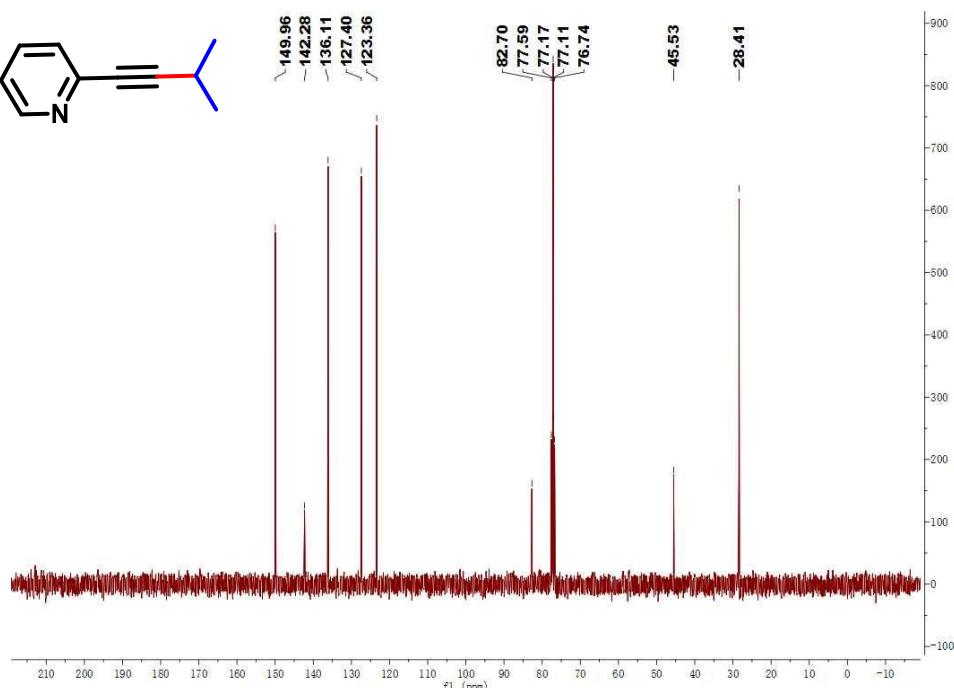
**Figure S40.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2q (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(18) 2-(3-methylbut-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (2r)<sup>7</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.28 – 8.25 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.19 – 7.15 (m, 1H), 4.25 – 4.14 (m, 1H), 1.61 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 3H), 1.58 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 149.96, 142.28, 136.11, 127.40, 123.36, 82.70, 77.17, 76.74, 45.53, 28.41.

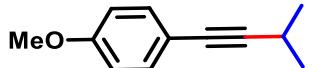


**Figure S41.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2r (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

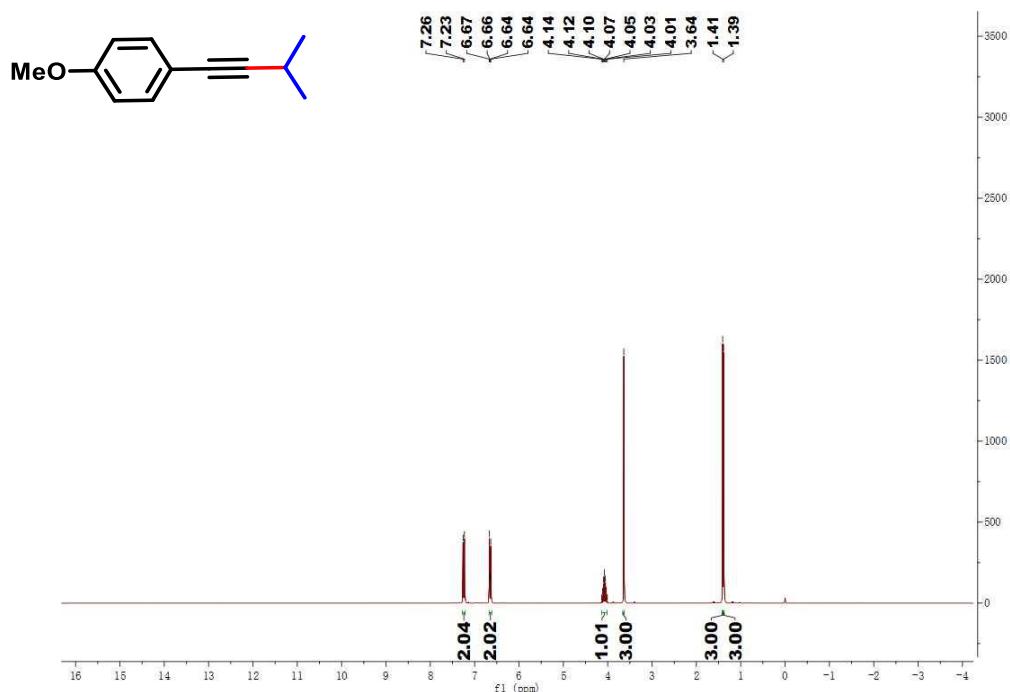


**Figure S42.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2r (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

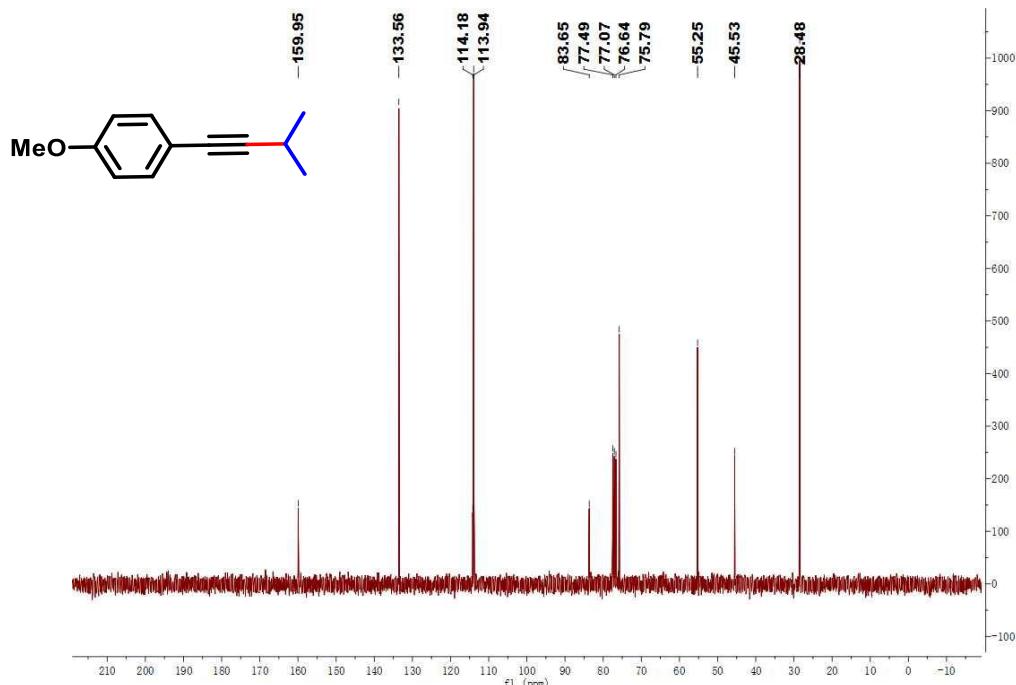
**(19) 1-methoxy-4-(3-methylbut-1-yn-1-yl)-benzene (2s)<sup>8</sup>**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.26 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 6.67 – 6.64 (m, 2H), 4.07 (m, J = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 1.41 (s, 3H), 1.39 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.95, 133.56, 114.18, 113.94, 83.65, 77.49, 77.07, 76.64, 75.79, 55.25, 45.53, 28.48.



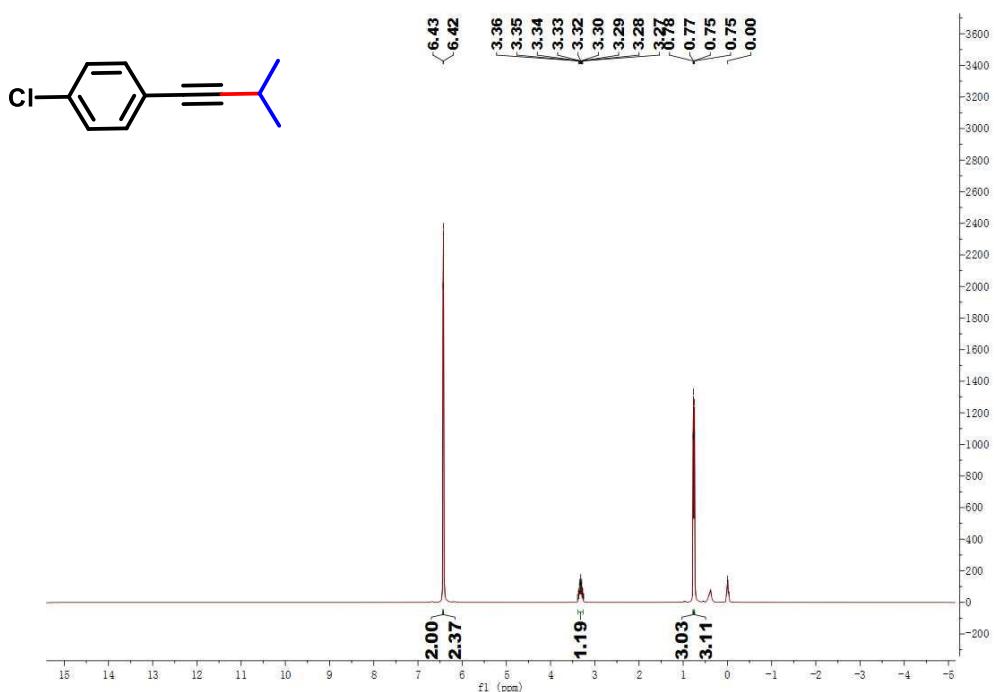
**Figure S43.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2s (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



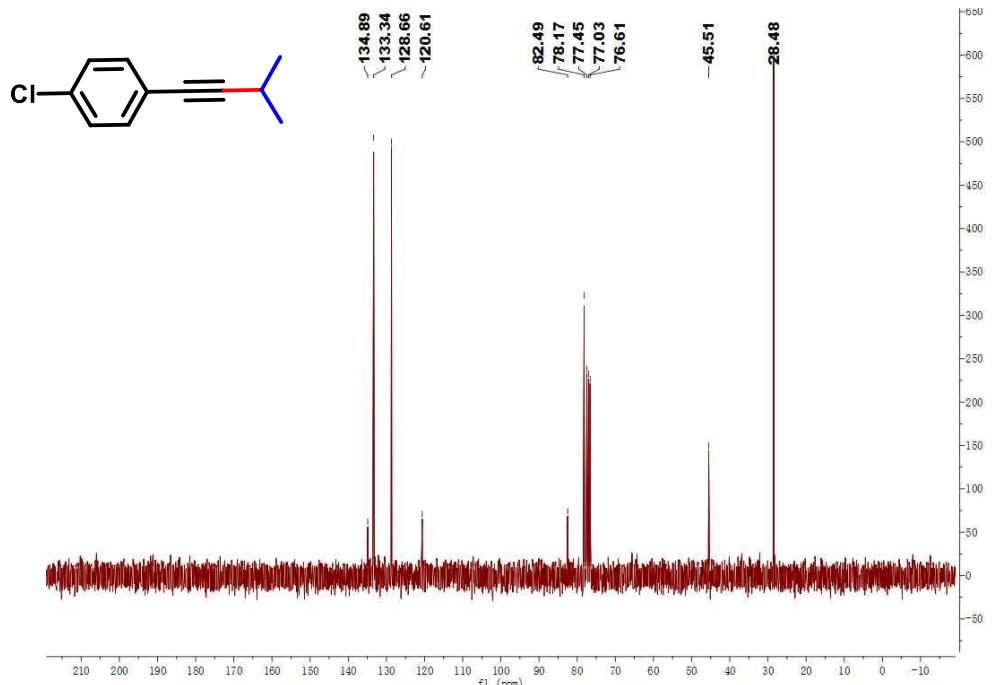
**Figure S44.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2s (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(20) 1-chloro-4-(3-methylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2t)<sup>9</sup>**

Clc1ccc(C#C[C@H](C)C)cc1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.43 (s, 2H), 6.42 (s, 2H), 3.39 – 3.25 (m, 1H), 0.77 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  134.89, 133.34, 128.66, 120.61, 82.49, 78.17, 77.45, 77.03, 76.61, 45.51, 28.48.

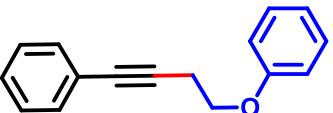


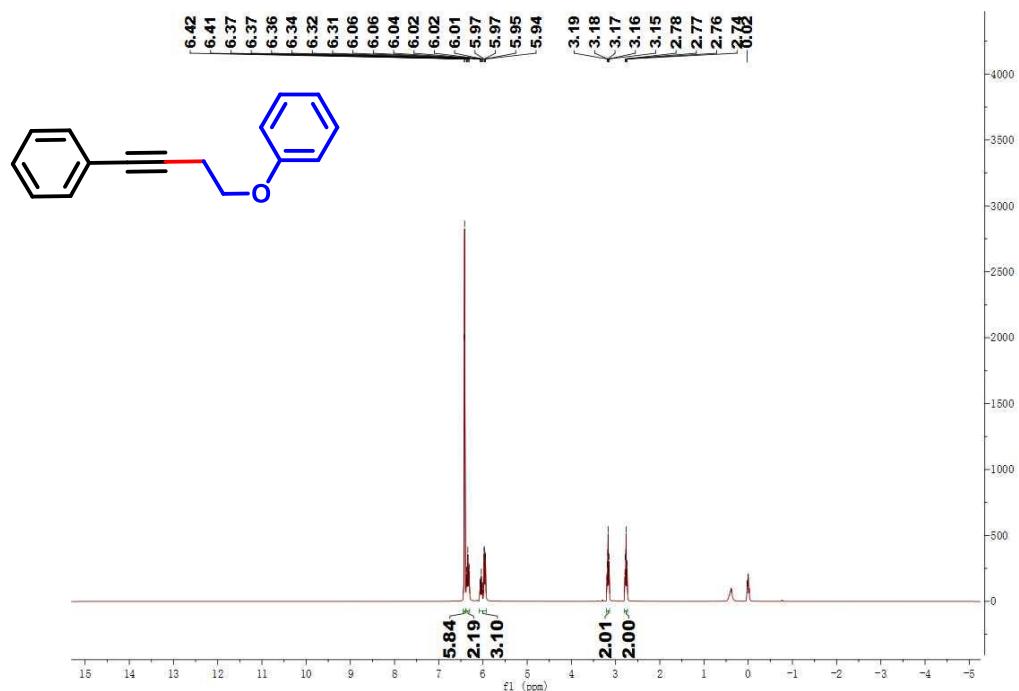
**Figure S45.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2t** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



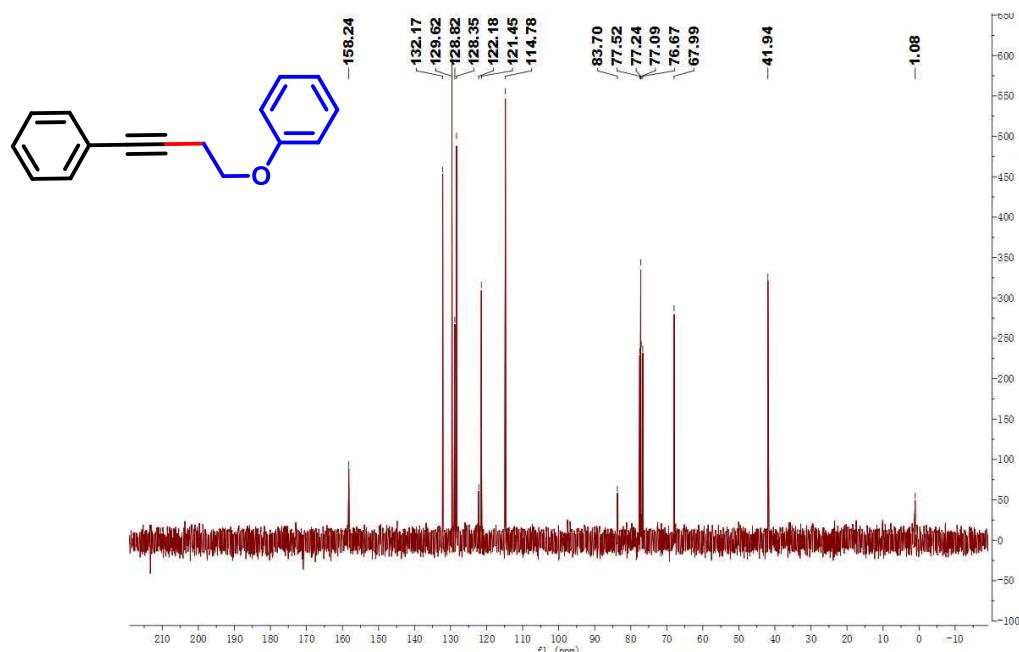
**Figure S46.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2t** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(21)(4-phenoxybut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (**2u**)<sup>1</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.42 – 6.41 (m, 5H), 6.37 – 6.31 (m, 2H), 6.06 – 5.94 (m, 3H), 3.19 – 3.15 (m, 2H), 2.79 – 2.74 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 158.24, 132.17, 129.62, 128.82, 128.82, 128.35, 122.18, 121.45, 114.78, 83.70, 77.52, 77.24, 76.67, 67.99, 41.94.

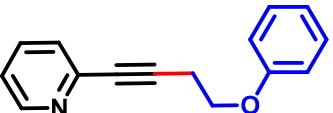


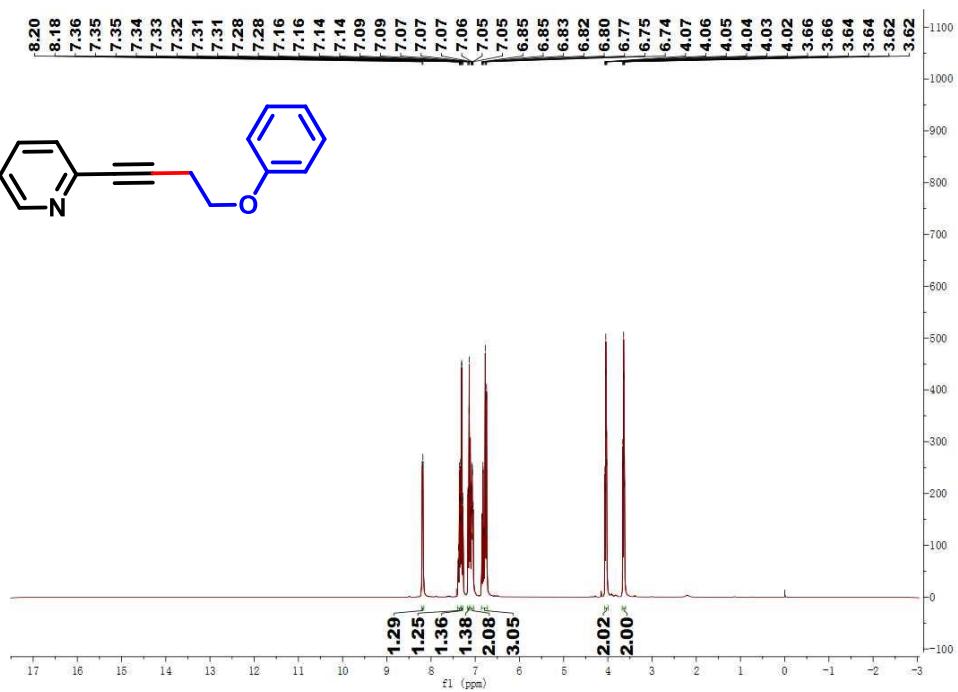
**Figure S47.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2u** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



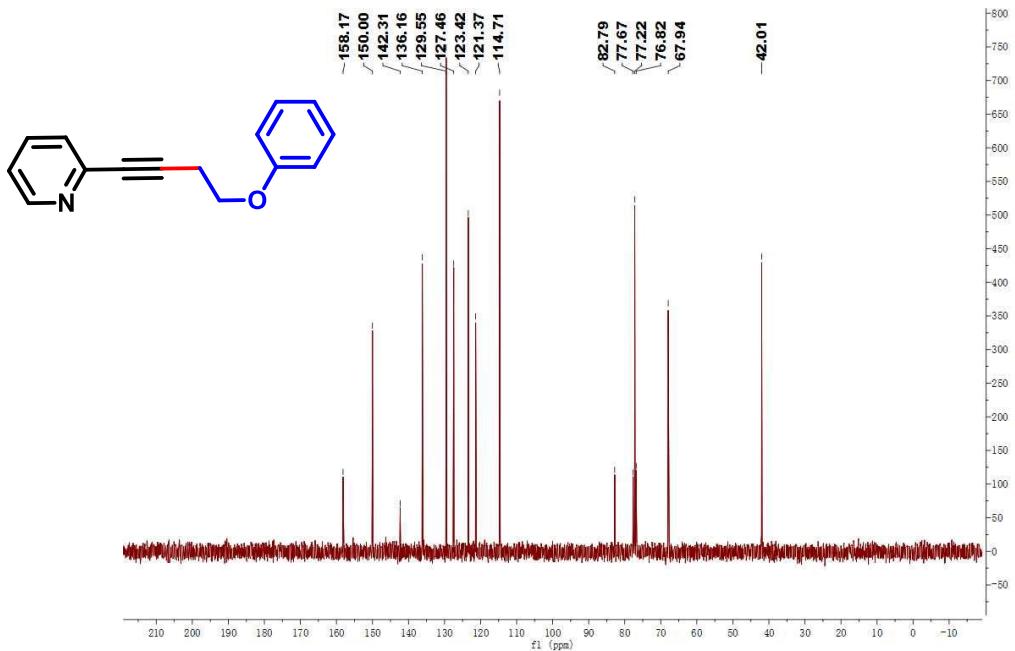
**Figure S48.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2u** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(22) 2-(4-phenoxybut-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (2v)<sup>1</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.20 – 8.19 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.32 (m, 1H), 7.31 – 7.28 (m, 1H), 7.16 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.09 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 6.95 – 6.74 (m, 3H), 4.07 – 4.02 (m, 2H), 3.66 – 3.62 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 158.17, 150.00, 142.31, 136.16, 129.55, 127.46, 123.42, 121.37, 114.71, 82.79, 77.67, 77.22, 76.82, 67.94, 42.01.

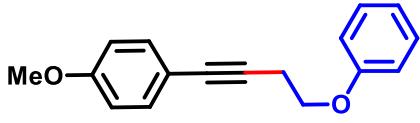


**Figure S49.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2v (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

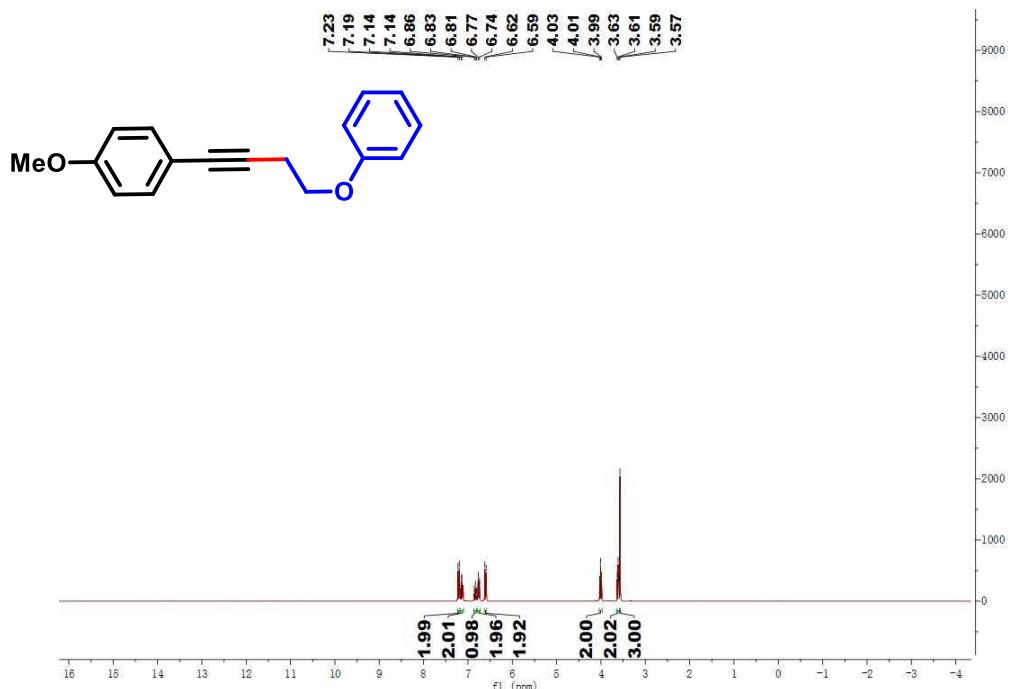


**Figure S50.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2v (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

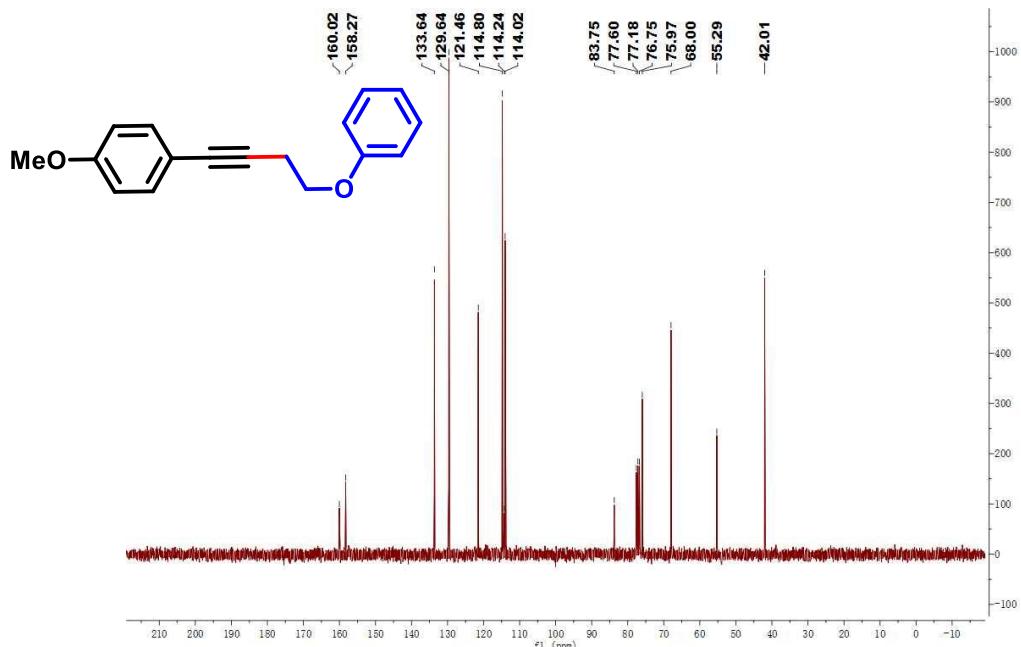
**(23) 1-methoxy-4-(4-phenoxybut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2w)<sup>1</sup>**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.23 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.14 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 6.86 – 6.81 (m, 1H), 6.77 – 6.74 (m, 2H), 6.62 – 6.59 (m, 2H), 4.01 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 3.61 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 3.57 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 160.02, 158.27, 133.64, 129.64, 121.46, 114.80, 114.24, 114.02, 83.75, 77.60, 77.18, 76.75, 75.97, 68.00, 55.29, 42.01.

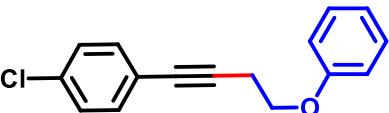


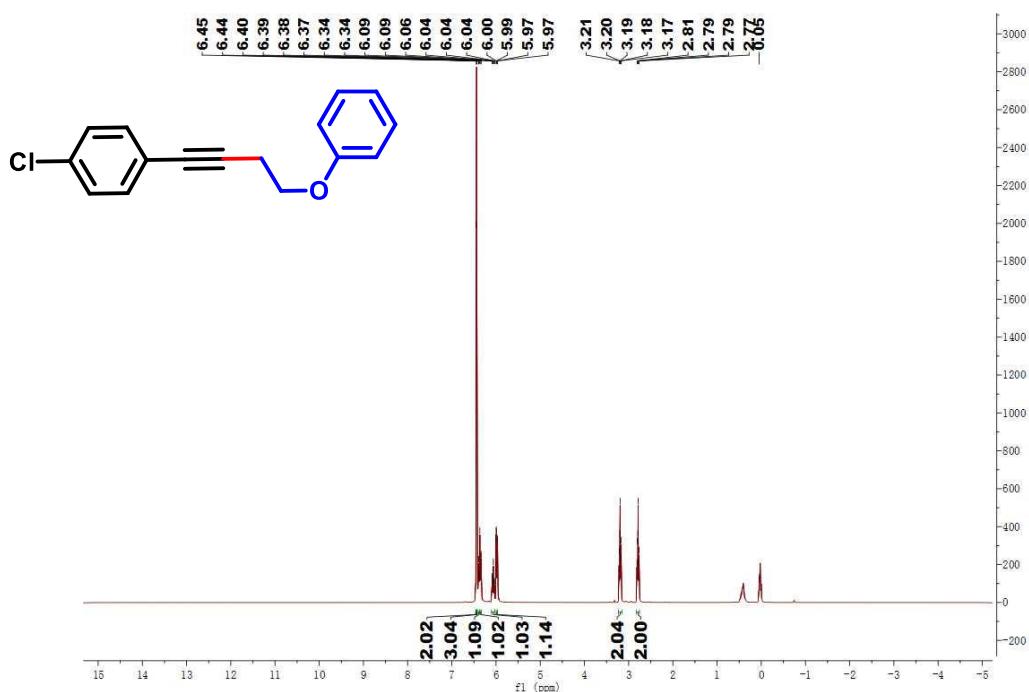
**Figure S51.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2w (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



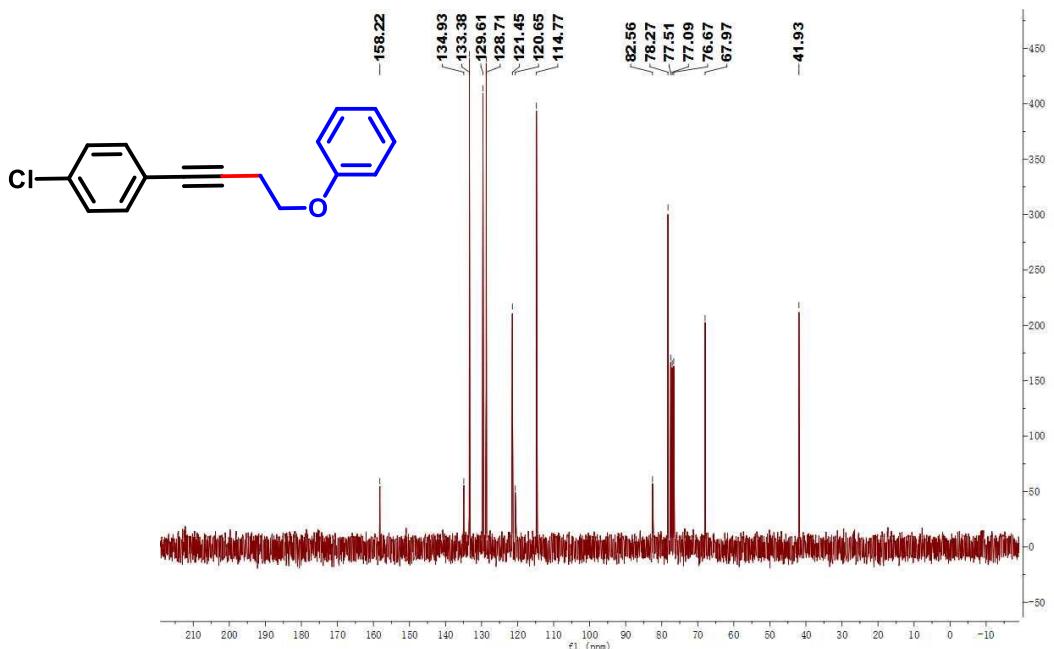
**Figure S52.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2w (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(24) 1-chloro-4-(4-phenoxybut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (2x)**

  
 $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.45 (s, 2H), 6.44 (s, 3H), 6.40 – 6.38 (m, 1H), 6.37 – 6.34 (m, 1H), 6.09 – 6.04 (m, 1H), 6.00 – 5.97 (m, 1H), 3.22 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.81 – 2.77 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  158.22, 134.93, 133.38, 129.61, 128.71, 121.45, 120.65, 114.77, 82.56, 78.27, 77.51, 77.09, 76.67, 67.97, 41.93.



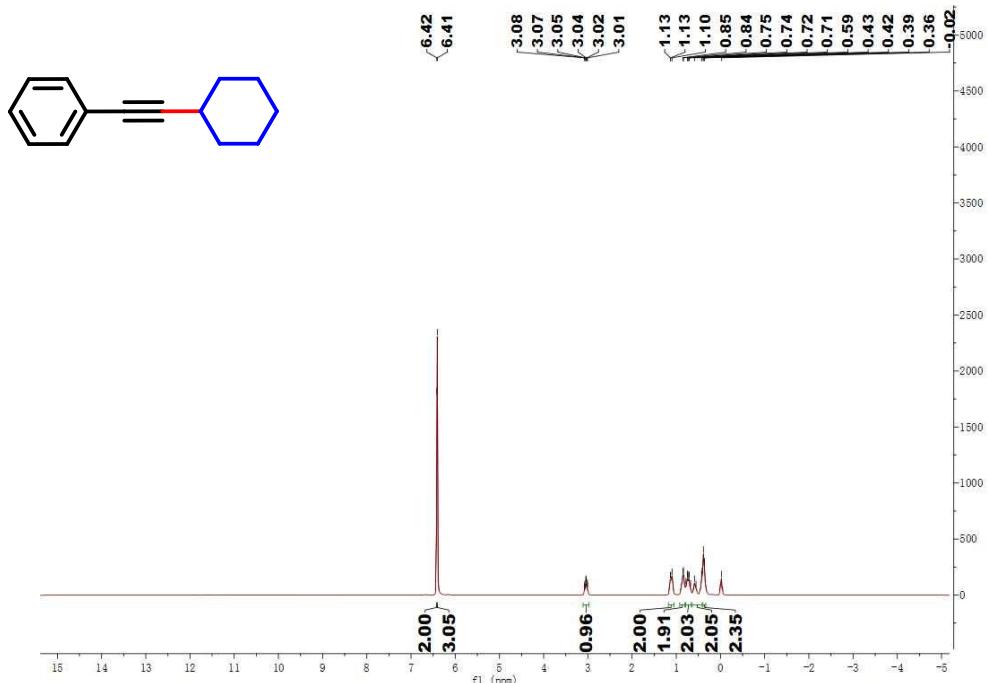
**Figure S53.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2x** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



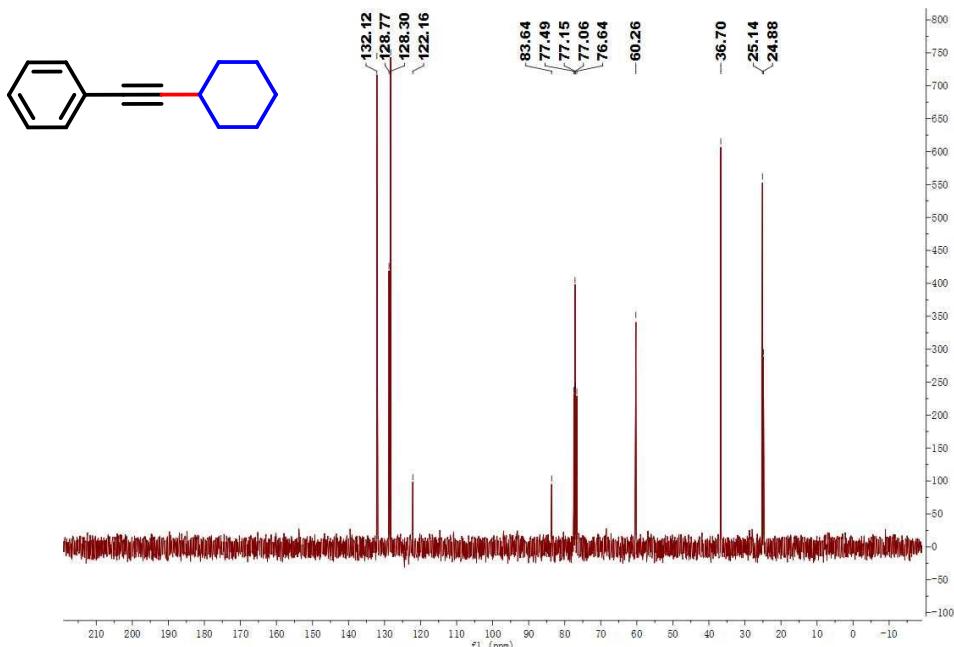
**Figure S54.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2x** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(25)(cyclohexylethynyl)benzene (2y)<sup>1</sup>**

  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.42 (s, 2H), 6.41 (s, 3H), 3.08 – 3.01 (m, 1H), 1.13 – 1.10 (m, 2H), 0.85 – 0.84 (m, 2H), 0.78 – 0.68 (m, 2H), 0.59 – 0.54 (m, 2H), 0.43 – 0.36 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  132.12, 128.77, 128.30, 122.16, 83.64, 77.49, 77.15, 77.06, 76.64, 60.26, 36.70, 25.14, 24.88.

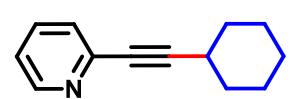


**Figure S55.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2y** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

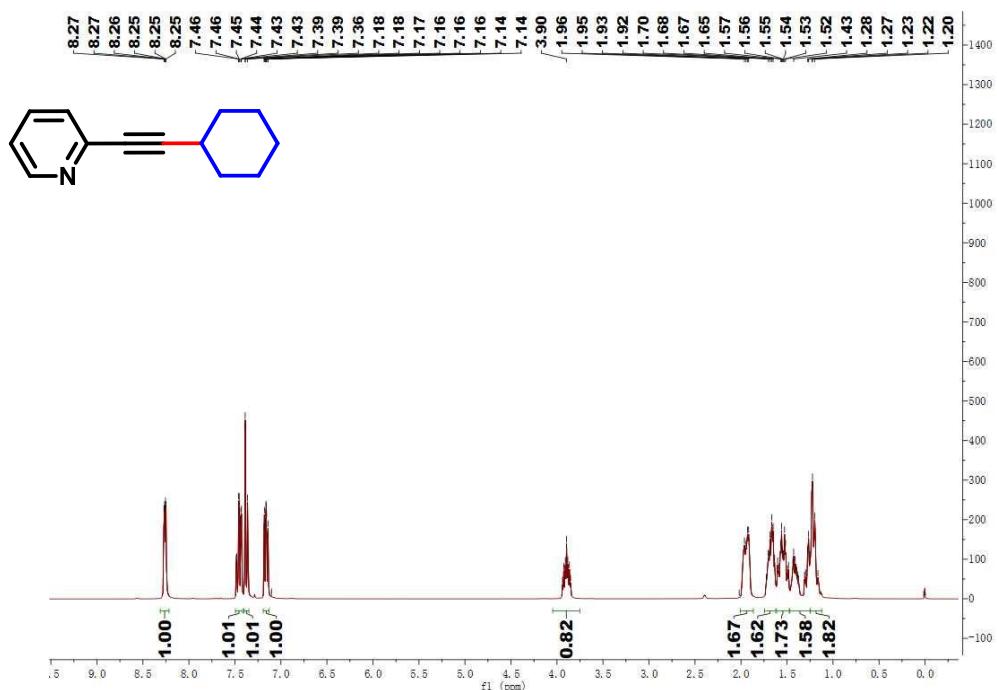


**Figure S56.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2y** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

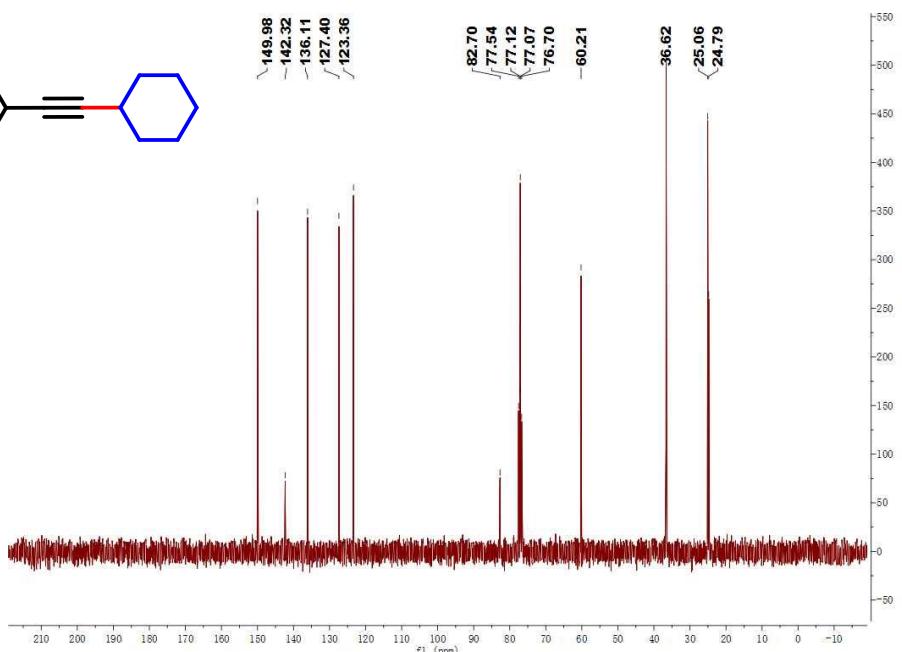
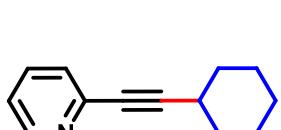
(26) (2-cyclohexylethynyl)pyridine (2z)<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.27 – 8.25 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.18 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 3.94 – 3.85 (m, 1H), 2.02 – 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.72 – 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.60 – 1.48 (m, 2H), 1.44 – 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.25 – 1.16 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 149.98, 142.32, 136.11, 127.40, 123.36, 82.70, 77.54, 77.12, 77.07, 76.70, 60.21, 36.62, 25.06, 24.79.

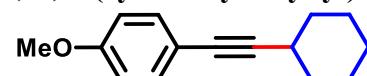


**Figure S57.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2z** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

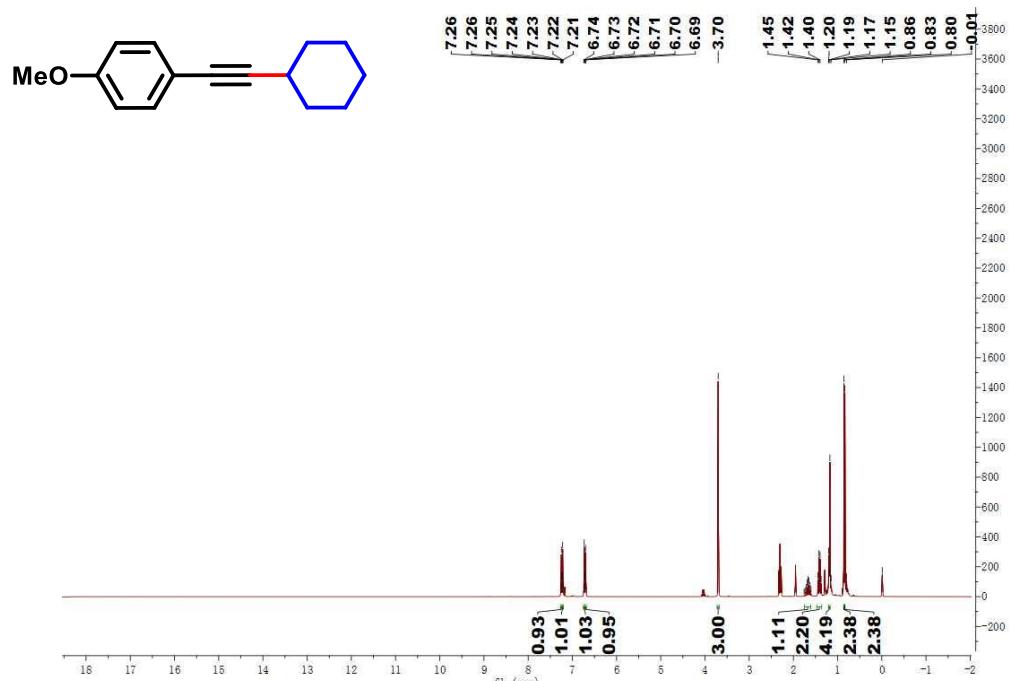


**Figure S58.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2z** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

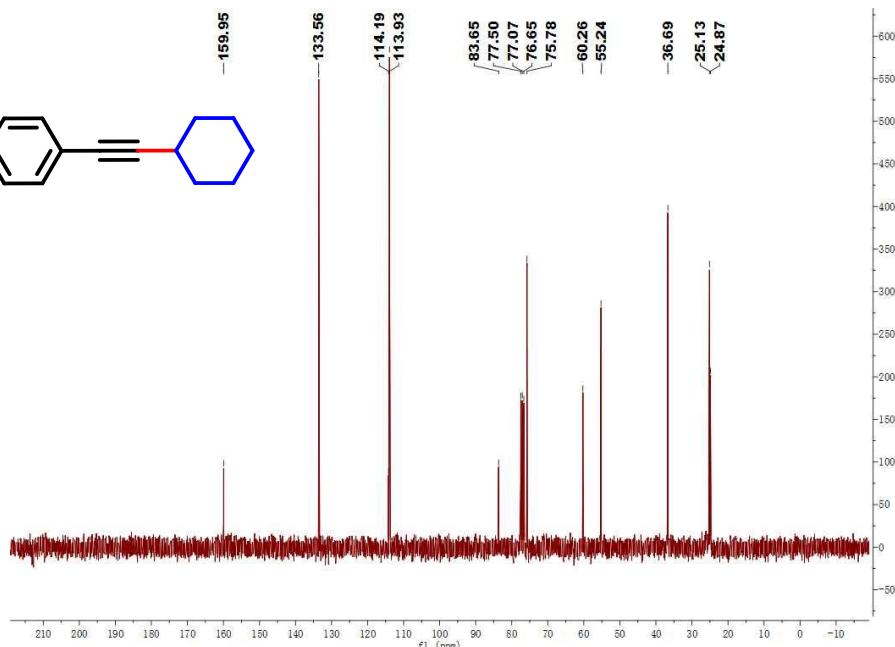
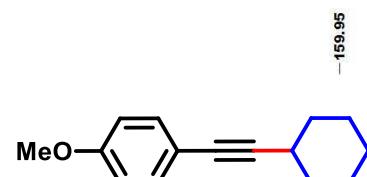
(27) 1-(cyclohexylethynyl)-4-methoxybenzene (**2a'**)<sup>4</sup>



**MeO**—  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.26 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 7.23 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 6.74 – 6.72 (m, 1H), 6.71 – 6.69 (m, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 1.76 – 1.60 (m, 1H), 1.45 – 1.37 (m, 2H), 1.20 – 1.15 (m, 4H), 0.90 – 0.86 (s, 2H), 0.83 – 0.80 (s, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.95, 133.56, 114.19, 113.93, 83.65, 77.50, 77.07, 76.65, 75.78, 60.26, 55.24, 36.69, 25.13, 24.87.

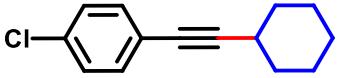


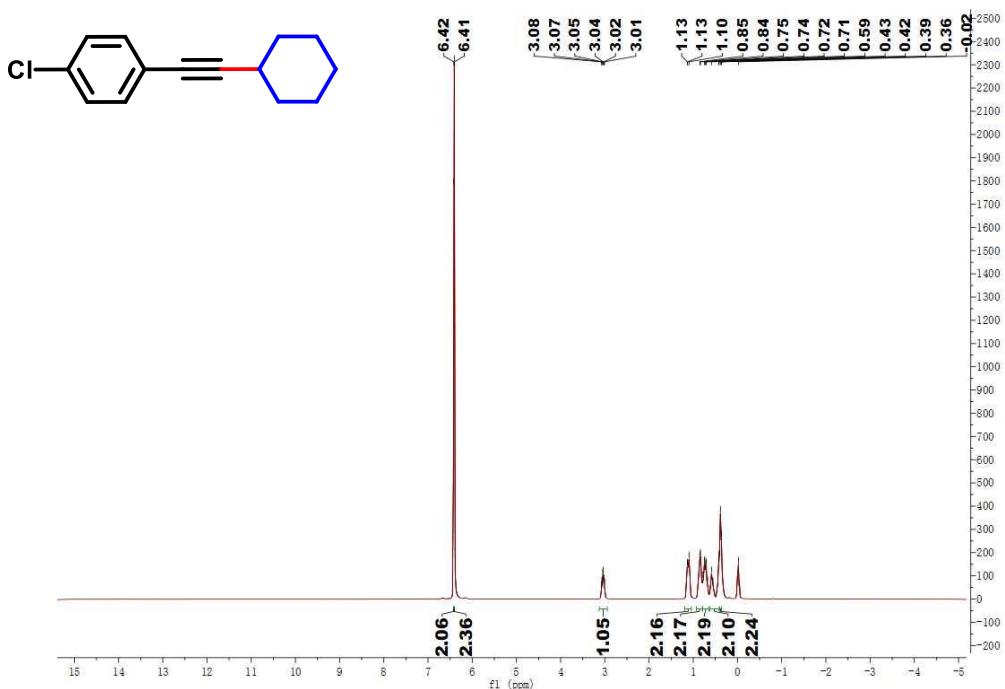
**Figure S59.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2a'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



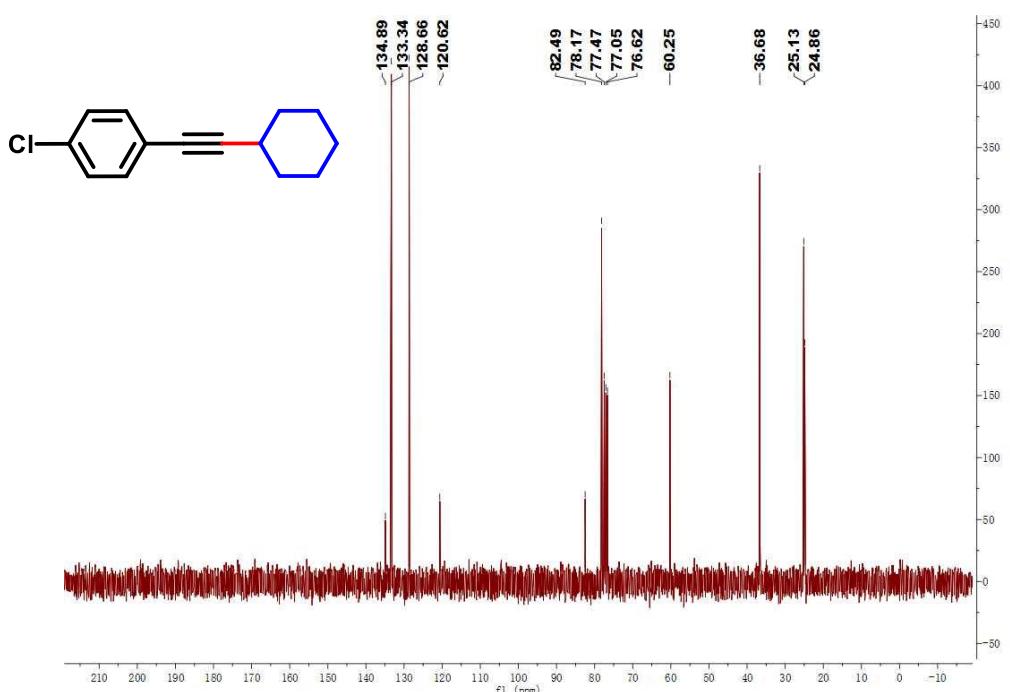
**Figure S60.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2a'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(28) 1-chloro-4-(cyclohexylethynyl)benzene (**2b'**)<sup>10</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.42 (s, 2H), 6.41 (s, 2H), 3.08 – 3.01 (m, 1H), 1.13 – 1.10 (m, 2H), 0.85 – 0.78 (m, 2H), 0.78 – 0.68 (m, 2H), 0.59 – 0.42 (m, 2H), 0.42 – 0.36 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 134.89, 133.34, 128.66, 120.62, 82.49, 78.17, 77.47, 77.05, 76.62, 60.25, 36.68, 25.13, 24.86.

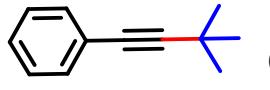


**Figure S61.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2b'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



**Figure S62.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2b'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

(29)(3,3-dimethylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene(2c')<sup>10</sup>

  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.43 (s, 2H), 6.42 (s, 3H), 0.71 – 0.70 (s, 3H), 0.70 – 0.69 (s, 6H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 132.12, 128.78, 128.31, 122.16, 83.65, 77.47, 77.16, 77.04, 76.62, 67.39, 34.45.

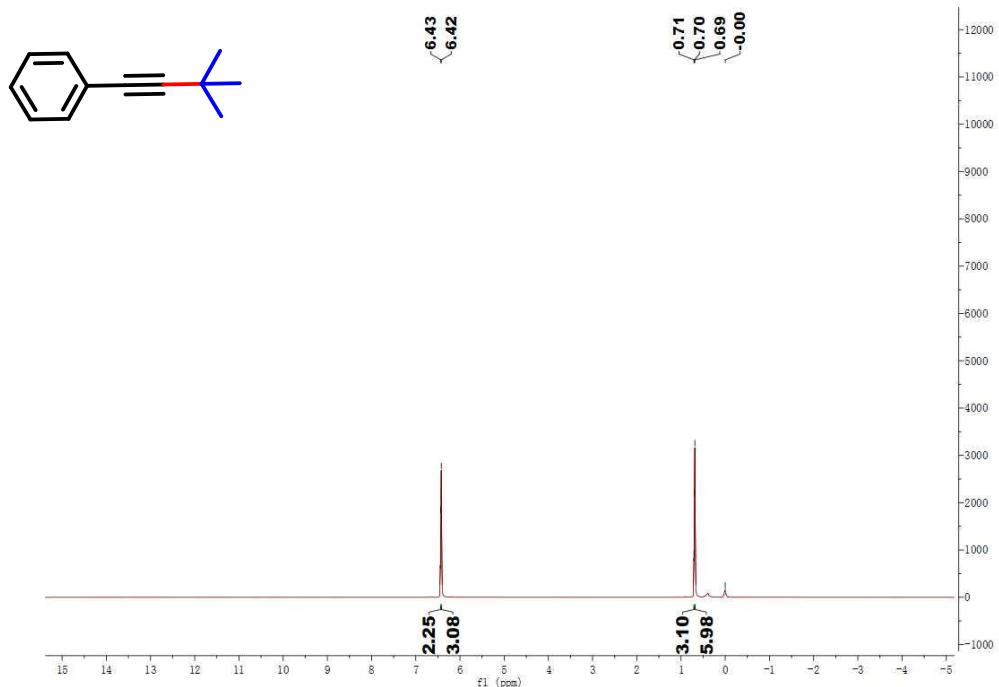


Figure S63. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2c' (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

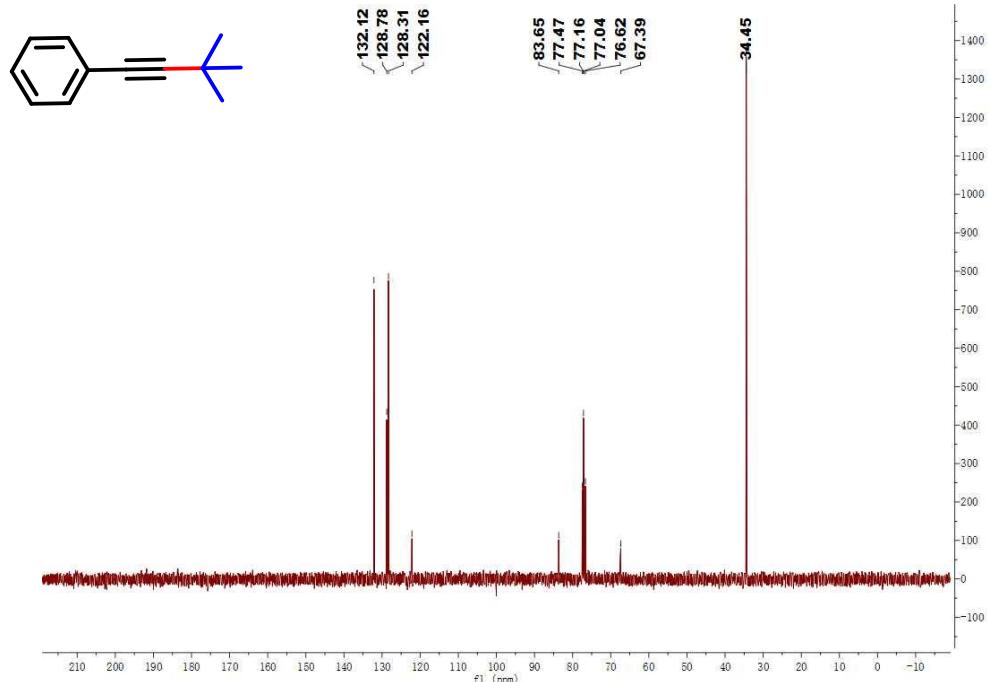
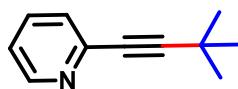
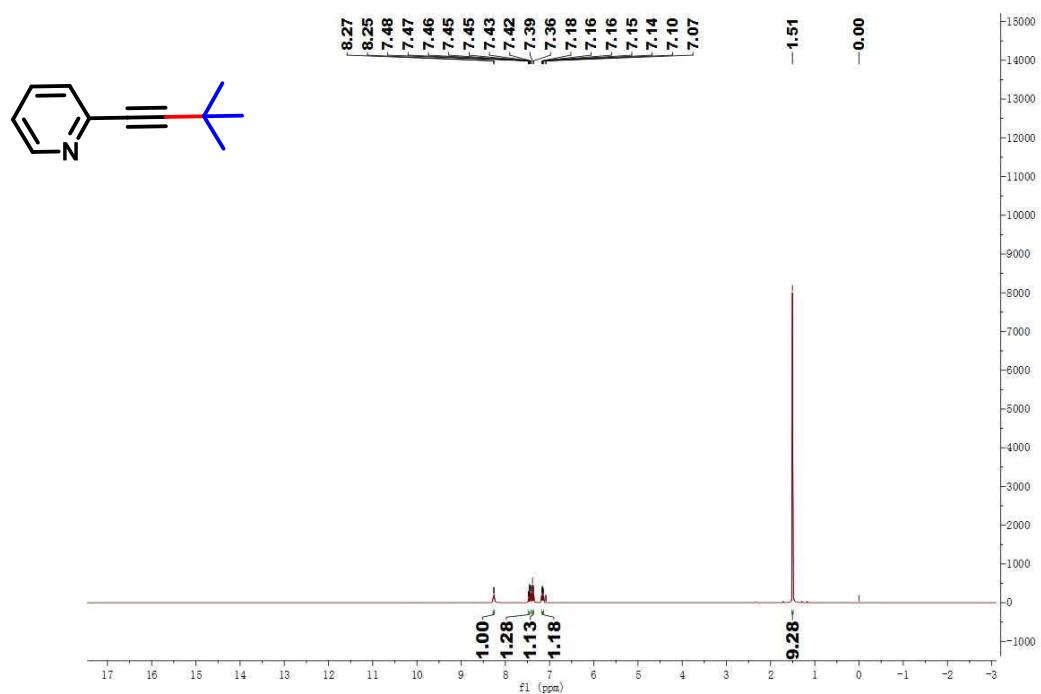


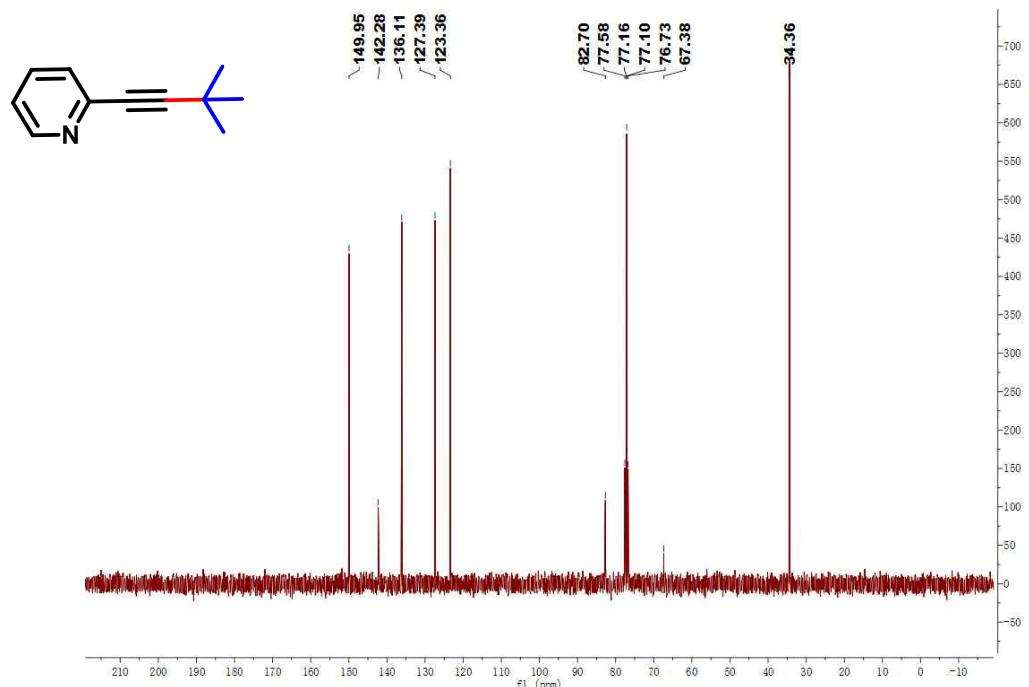
Figure S64. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2c' (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(30) 2-(3,3-dimethylbut-1-yn-1-yl)pyridine (**2d'**)<sup>5</sup>**

  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.27 – 8.25 (m, 1H), 7.48 – 7.42 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.18 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 1.51 (s, 9H).  
 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  149.95, 142.28, 136.11, 127.39, 123.36, 82.70, 77.58, 77.16, 77.10, 76.73, 67.38, 34.36.

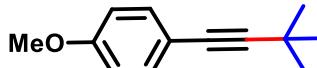


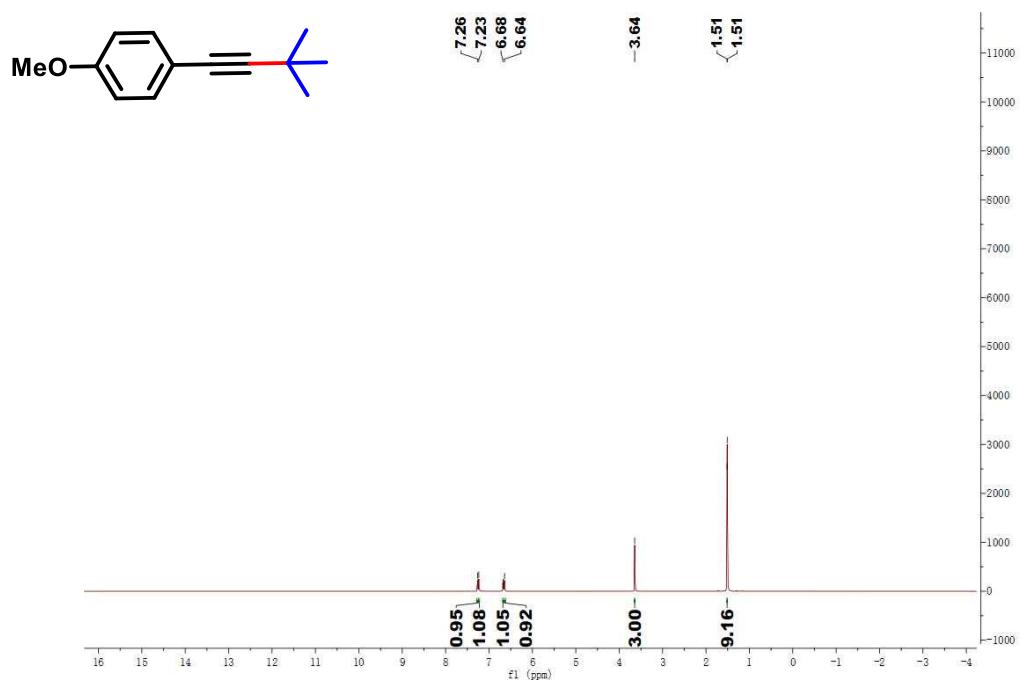
**Figure S65.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2d'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



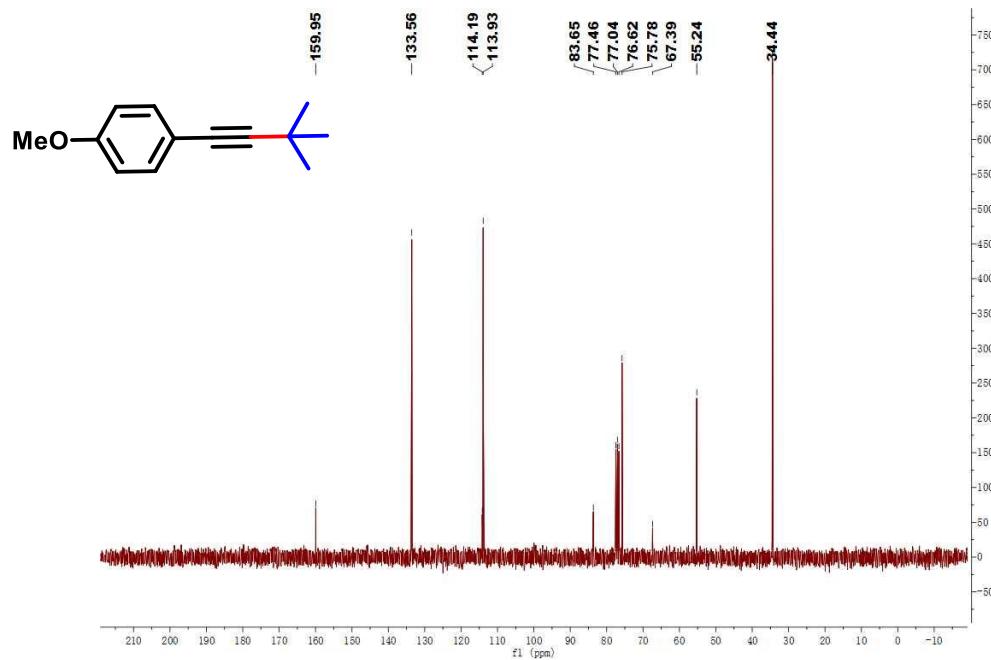
**Figure S66.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2d'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(31) 1-(3,3-dimethylbut-1-yn-1-yl)-4-methoxybenzene (**2e'**)<sup>10</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.26– 7.23 (m, 2H), 6.68 – 6.64 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 1.51 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.95, 133.56, 114.19, 113.93, 83.65, 77.46, 77.04, 76.62, 75.78, 67.39, 55.24, 34.44.

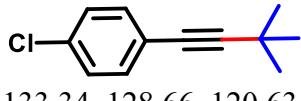


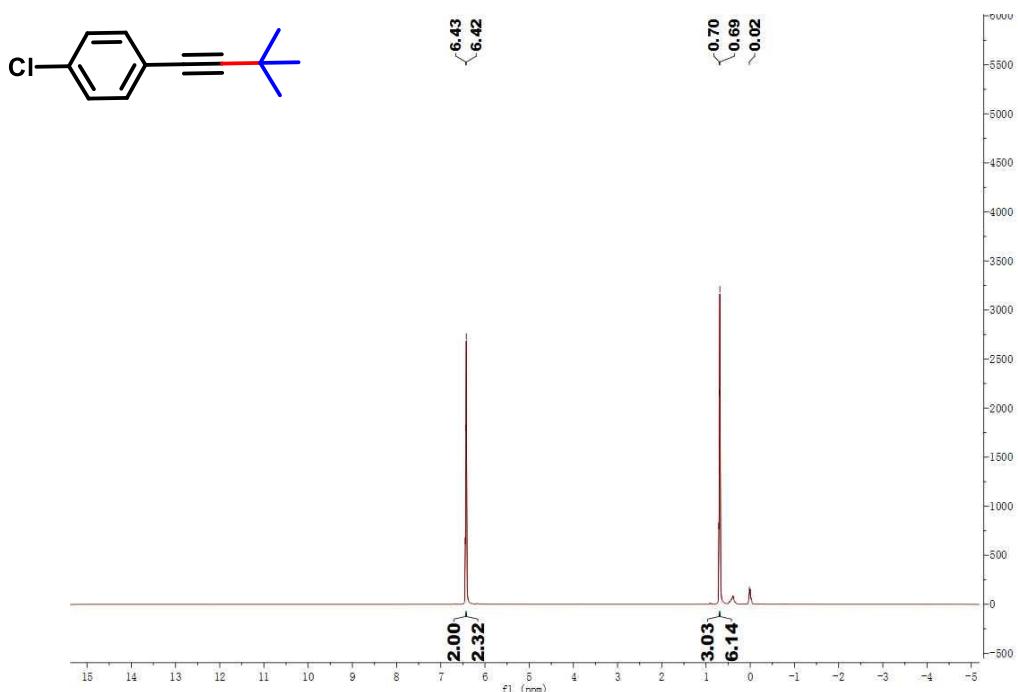
**Figure S67.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2e'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



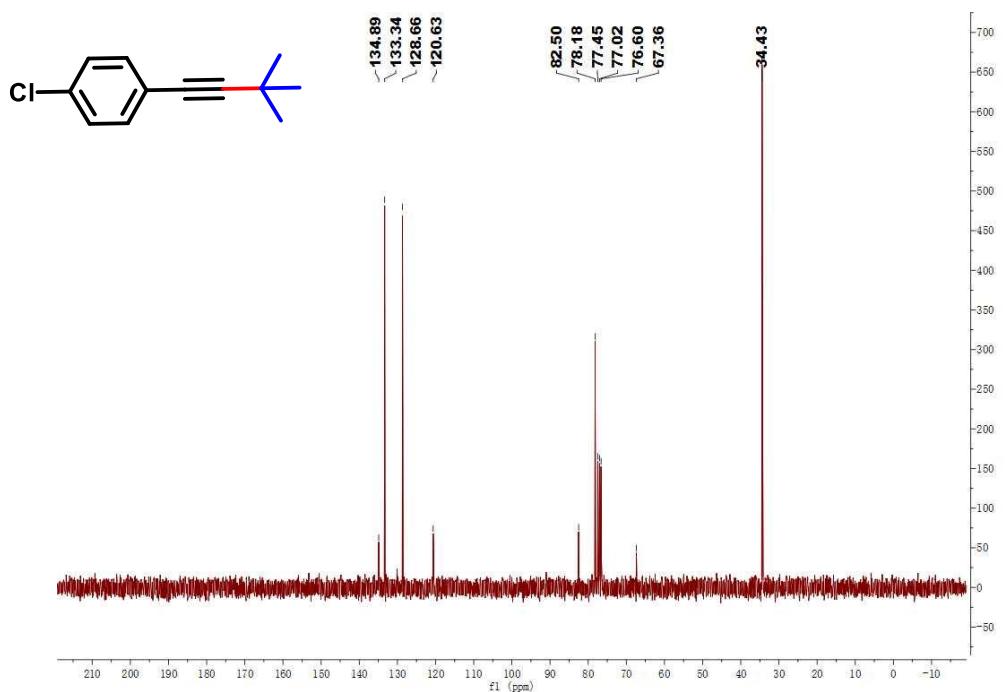
**Figure S68.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2e'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(32) 1-chloro-4-(3,3-dimethylbut-1-yn-1-yl)benzene (**2f'**)<sup>2</sup>**

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.43 (s, 2H), 6.42 (s, 2H), 0.70 (s, 3H), 0.69 (s, 6H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 134.89, 133.34, 128.66, 120.63, 82.50, 78.18, 77.45, 77.02, 76.60, 67.36, 34.43.

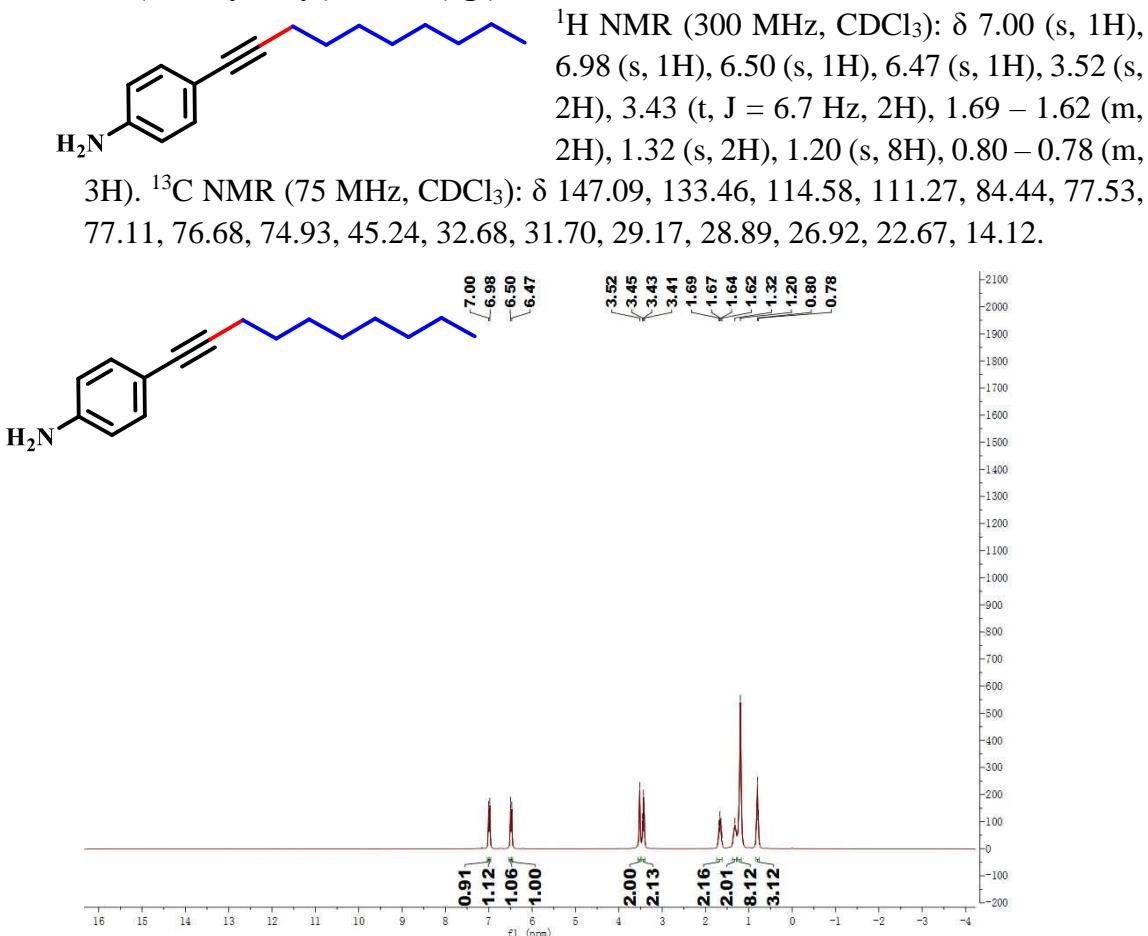


**Figure S69.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2f'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

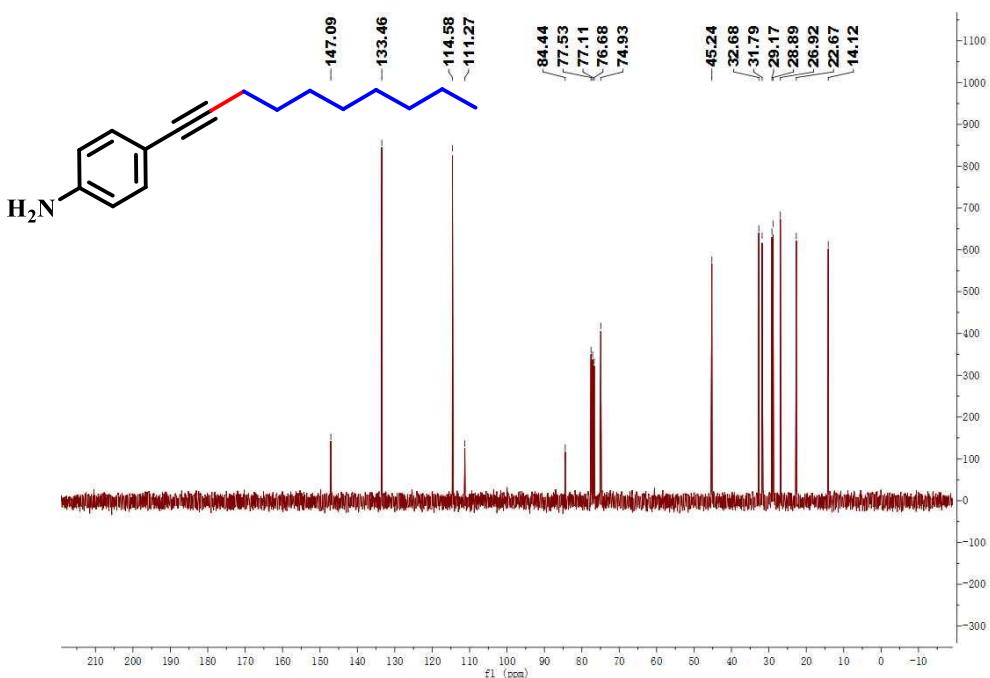


**Figure S70.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2f'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

(33) 4-(dec-1-yn-1-yl)aniline (**2g'**)<sup>11</sup>



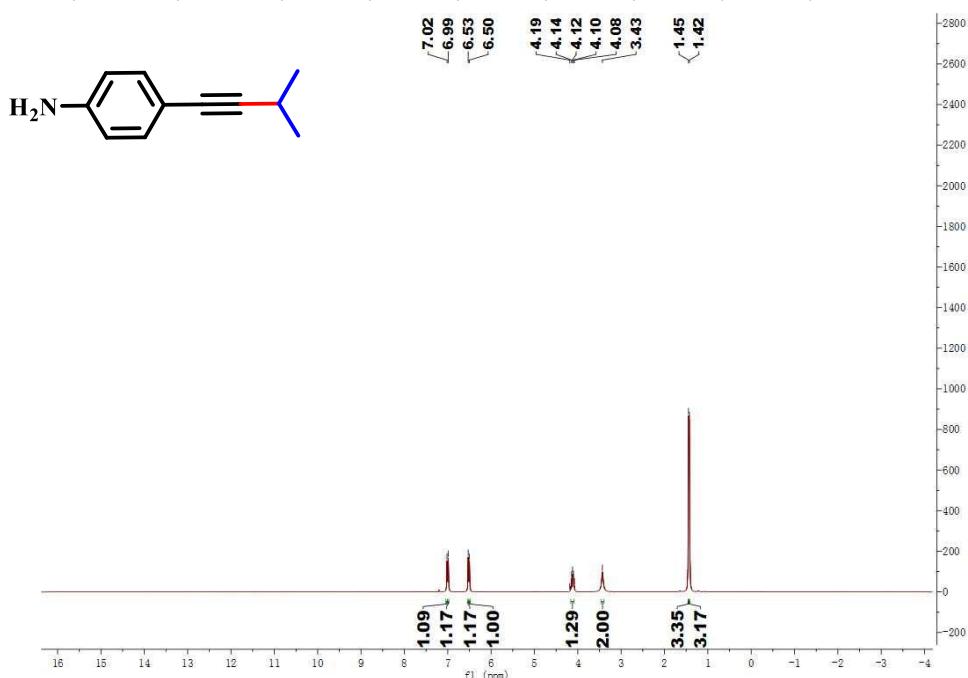
**Figure S71.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2g'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



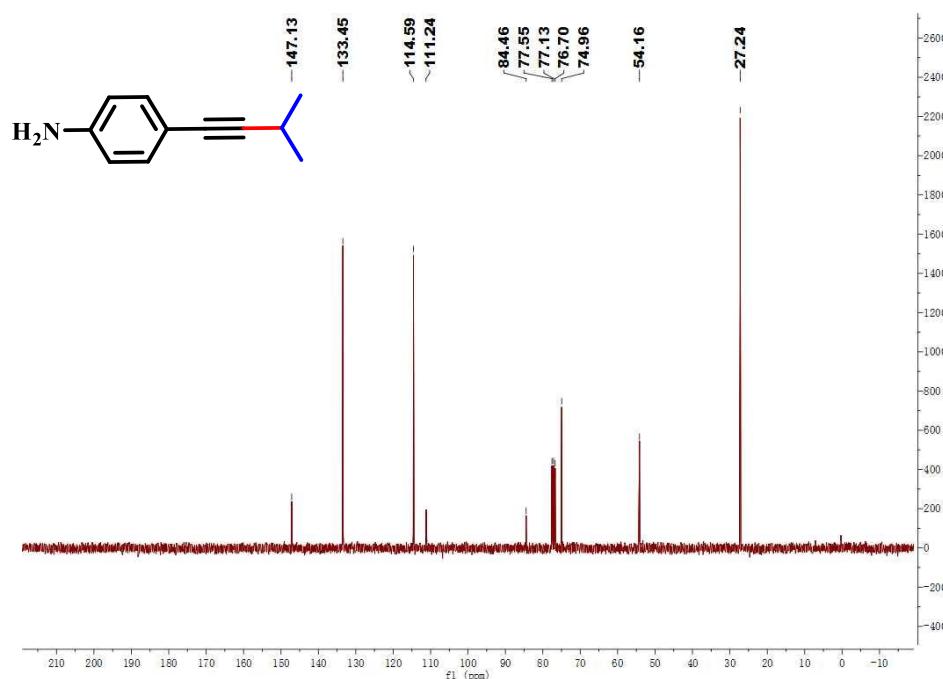
**Figure S72.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2g'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(34) 4-(3-methylbut-1-yn-1-yl)aniline (2h')**

Nc1ccc(C#C[C@H](C)C)c(C#C[C@H](C)C)c1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.02 (s, 1H), 6.99 (s, 1H), 6.53 (s, 1H), 6.50 (s, 1H), 4.19 – 4.08 (m, 1H), 3.43 (s, 2H), 1.45 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  147.13, 133.45, 114.59, 111.24, 84.46, 77.55, 77.13, 76.70, 74.96, 54.16, 27.24.



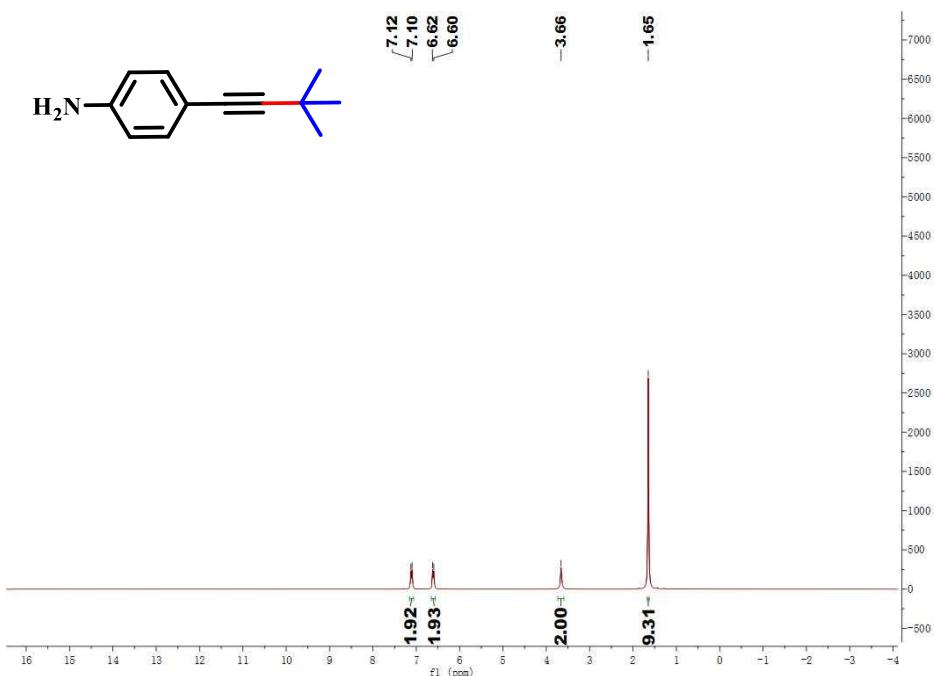
**Figure S73.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2h'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



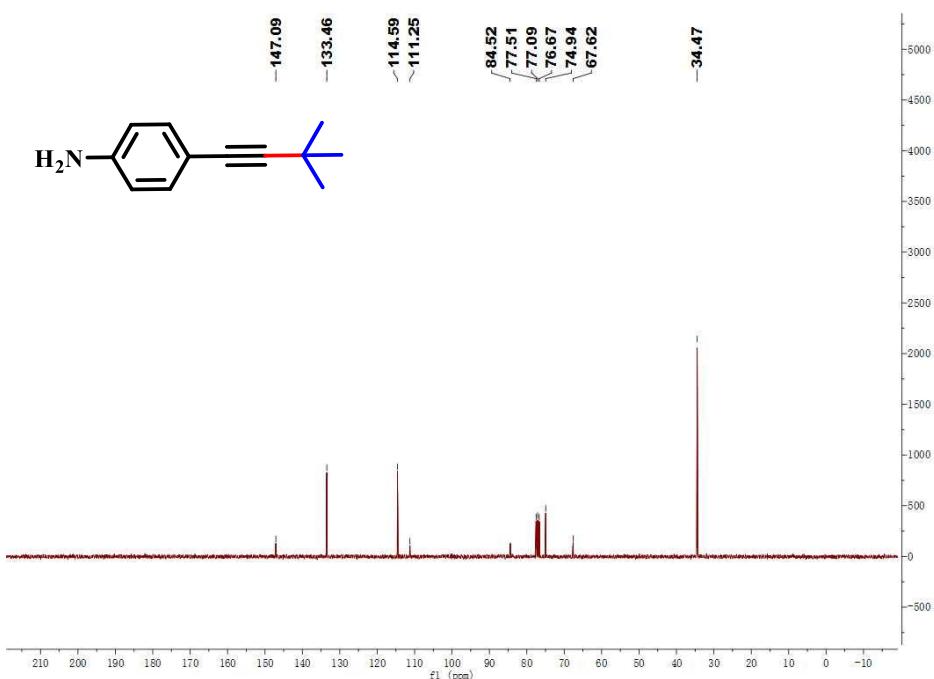
**Figure S74.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2h'** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

**(35) 4-(3,3-dimethylbut-1-yn-1-yl)aniline (2i')**

Nc1ccc(C#Cc2ccccc2C(C)(C)C)cc1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.12 (s, 1H), 7.10 (s, 1H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 6.60 (s, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 1.65 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  147.09, 133.46, 114.59, 111.25, 84.52, 77.51, 77.09, 76.67, 74.94, 67.62, 34.47.

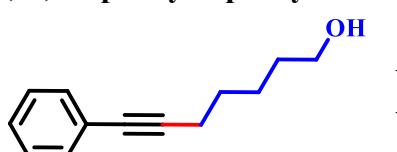


**Figure S75.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of  $2\mathbf{i}'$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure S76.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of  $2\mathbf{i}'$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

(36) 7-phenylhept-6-yn-1-ol (**2j'**)<sup>12</sup>

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.39 – 7.36 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 3H), 6.52 (s, 1H), 3.59 – 3.54 (m, 2H), 3.32 – 3.28 (m, 2H), 1.79 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.53 – 1.36 (m, 4H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 147.09, 133.46, 114.59, 111.25, 84.52, 77.51, 77.09, 76.67, 74.94, 67.62, 34.47.

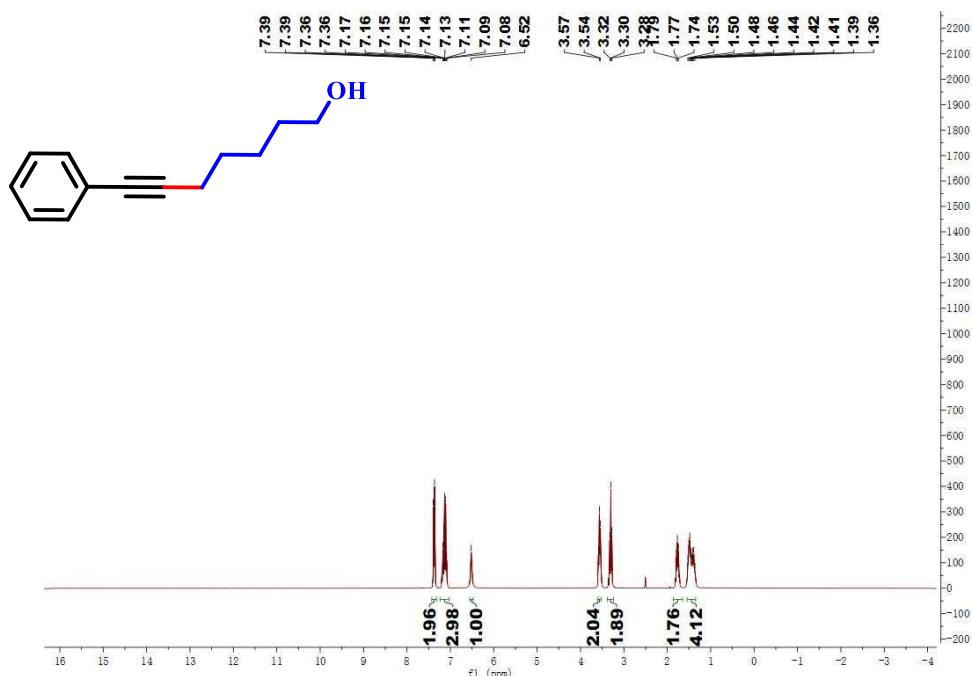


Figure S77. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2j'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

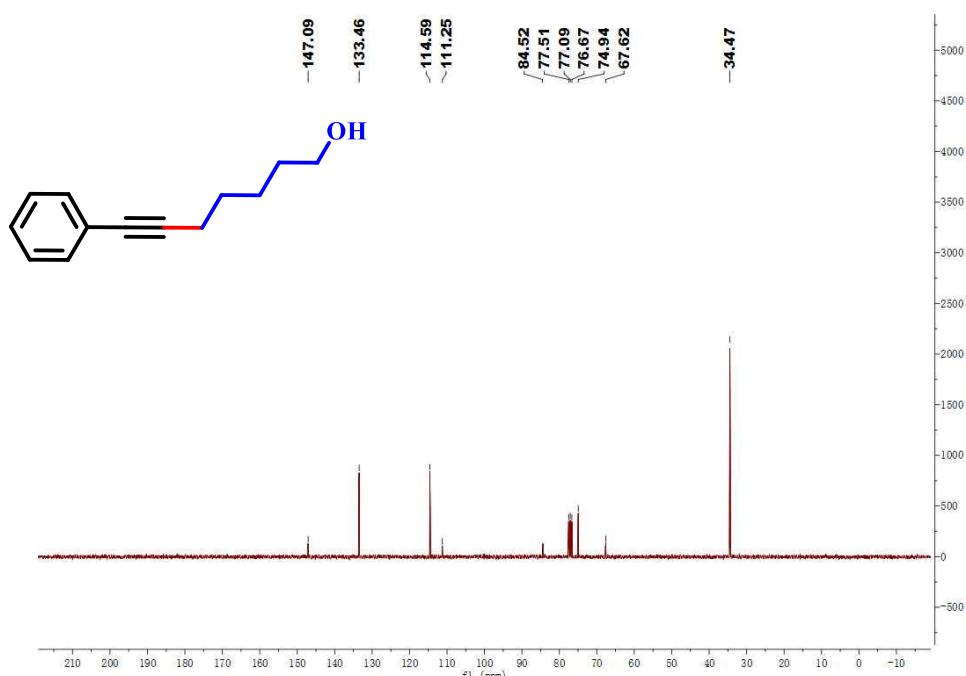
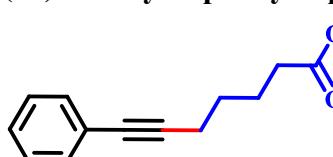


Figure S78. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2j'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

(37) methyl 7-phenylhept-6-ynoate (**2k'**)<sup>13</sup>

 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.38 (s, 1H), 7.36 (s, 1H), 7.16 – 7.13 (m, 1H), 7.13 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 3.55 (s, 3H), 3.42 – 3.38 (m, 2H), 2.22 – 2.20 (m, 2H), 1.68 – 1.65 (m, 4H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 173.44, 132.05, 128.75, 128.20, 122.12, 83.57, 77.68, 77.35, 77.26, 76.83, 51.45, 44.40, 33.05, 31.80, 22.19.

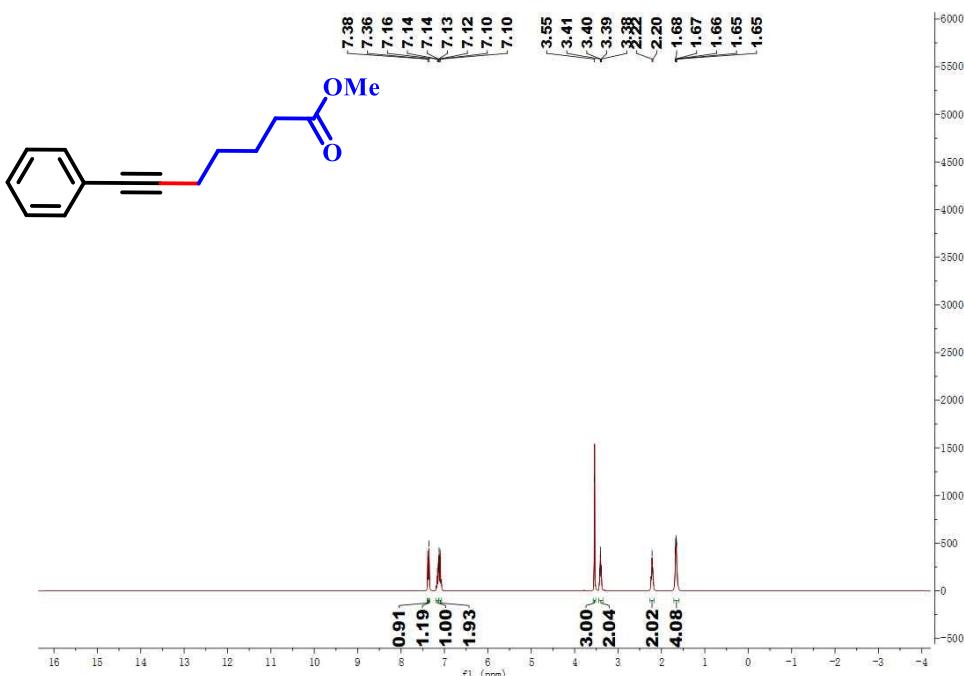


Figure S79. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2k'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

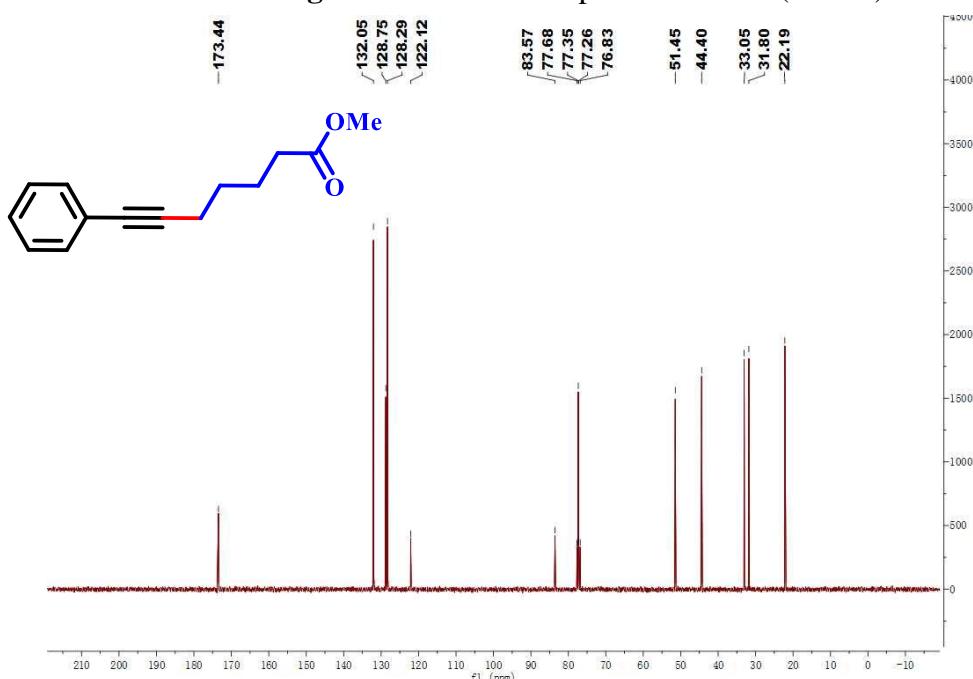
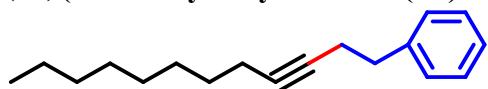
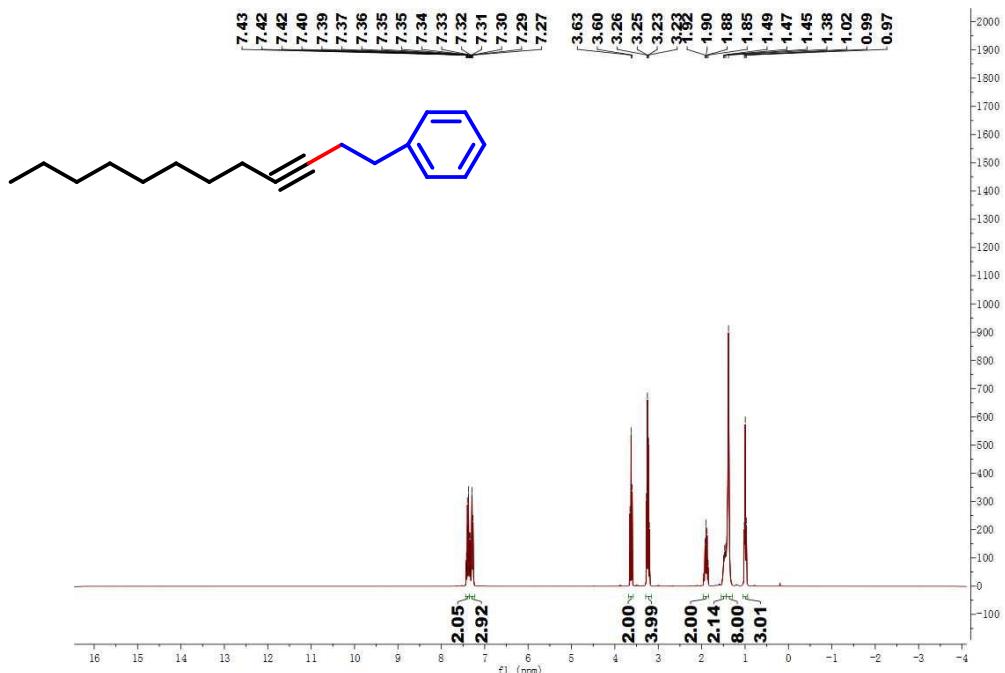


Figure S80. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2k'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

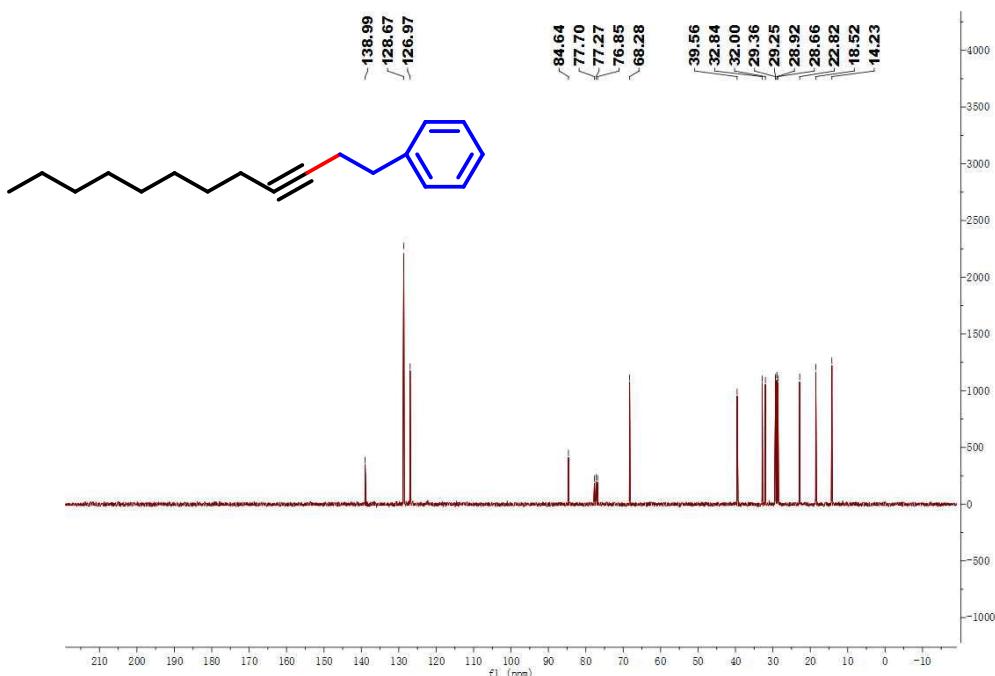
**(38)(dodec-3-yn-1-ylbenzene (2l')**



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.43 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.35 – 7.27 (m, 3H), 3.63 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.27 – 3.21 (m, 4H), 1.92 – 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.49 – 1.45 (m, 2H), 1.38 (s, 8H), 1.02 – 0.97 (m, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 138.99, 128.67, 126.97, 84.64, 77.70, 77.27, 76.85, 68.28, 39.56, 32.84, 32.00, 29.36, 29.25, 28.92, 28.66, 22.82, 18.52, 14.23.

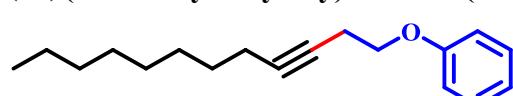


**Figure S81.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 2l' (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



**Figure S82.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 2l' (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(39)(dodec-3-yn-1-yloxy)benzene (**2m'**)**


<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.15 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 6.84 – 6.75 (m, 3H), 4.03 (t, J = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (t, J = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.03 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.72 – 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.20 – 1.17 (m, 10H), 0.81 – 0.77 (m, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 158.27, 129.61, 121.41, 114.72, 84.68, 77.65, 77.23, 76.80, 68.23, 67.93, 41.92, 31.95, 29.30, 29.20, 28.87, 28.61, 22.77, 18.46, 14.17.

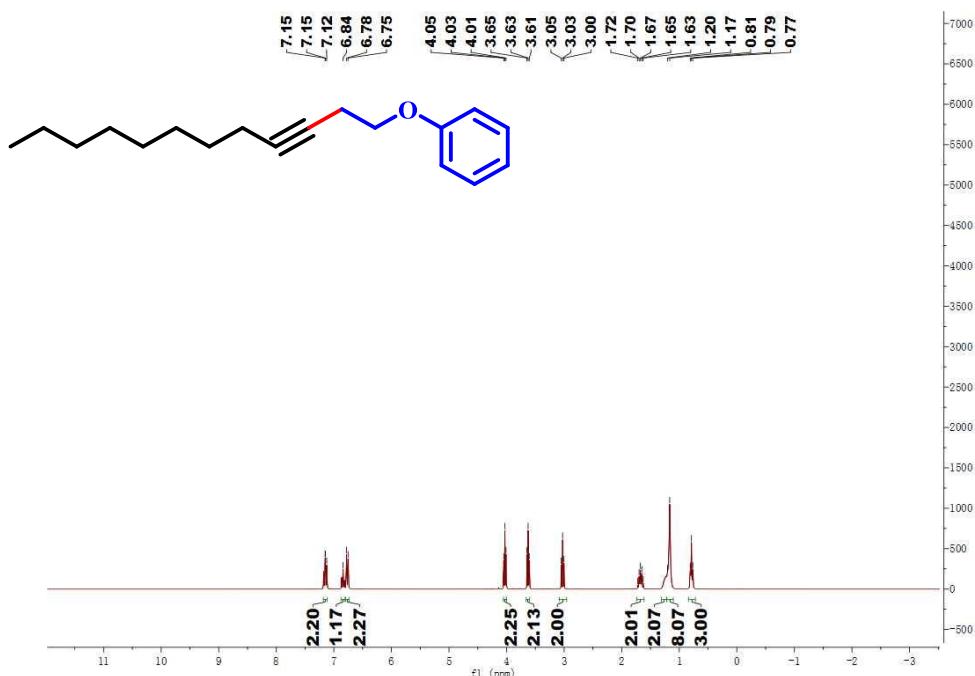


Figure S83. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2m'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

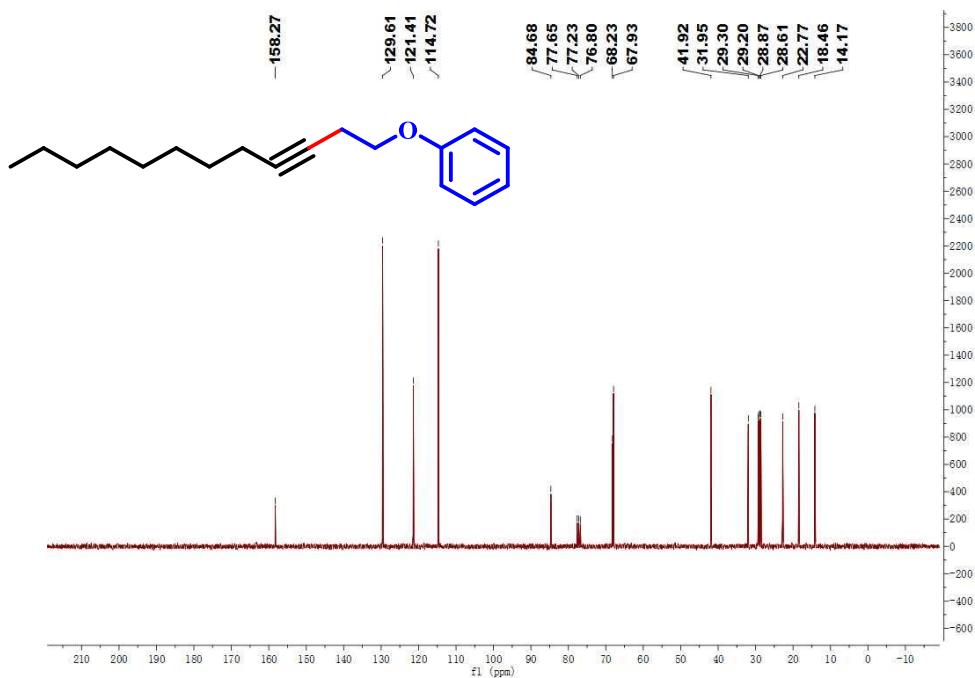
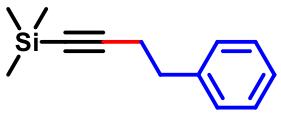
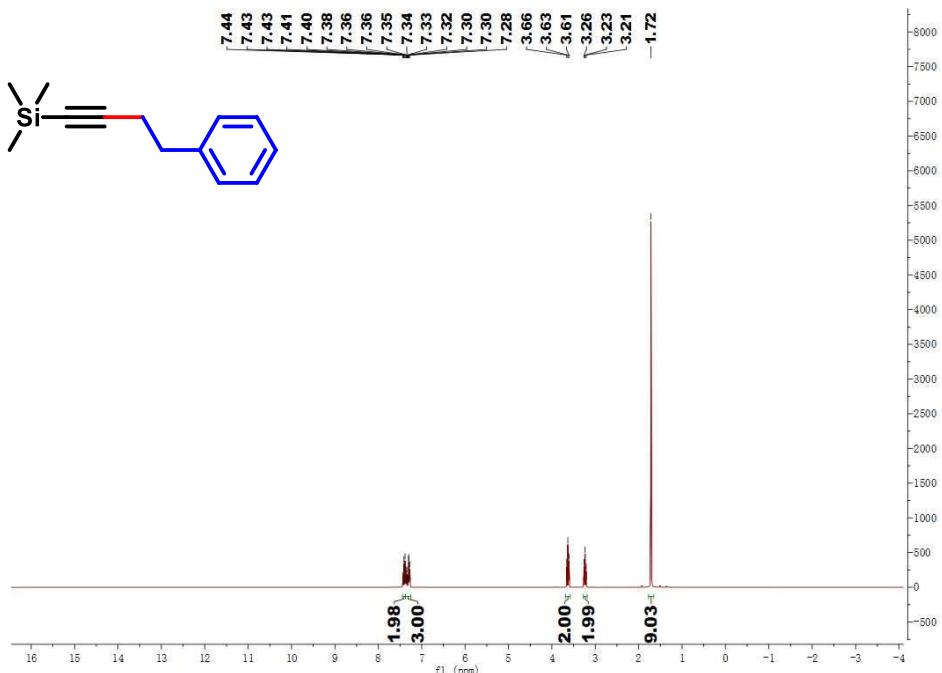


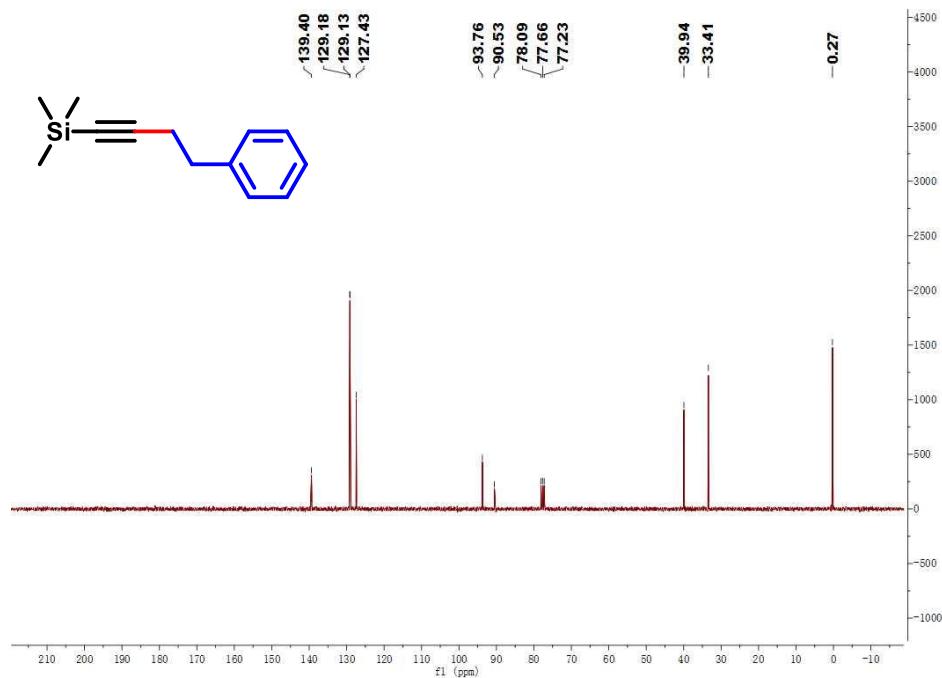
Figure S84. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2m'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(40)(trimethyl(4-phenylbut-1-yn-1-yl)silane (**2n'**)<sup>14</sup>**


<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.44 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.28 (m, 3H), 3.63 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.23 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.72 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 139.40, 129.18, 129.13, 127.43, 93.76, 90.53, 78.09, 77.66, 77.23, 39.94, 33.41, 0.27.



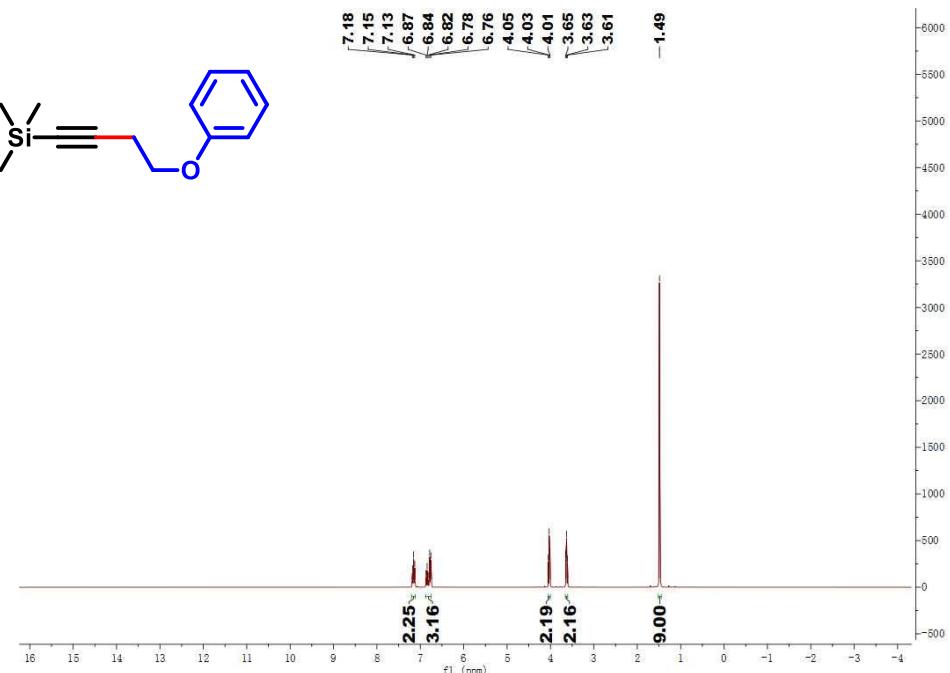
**Figure S85.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2n'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



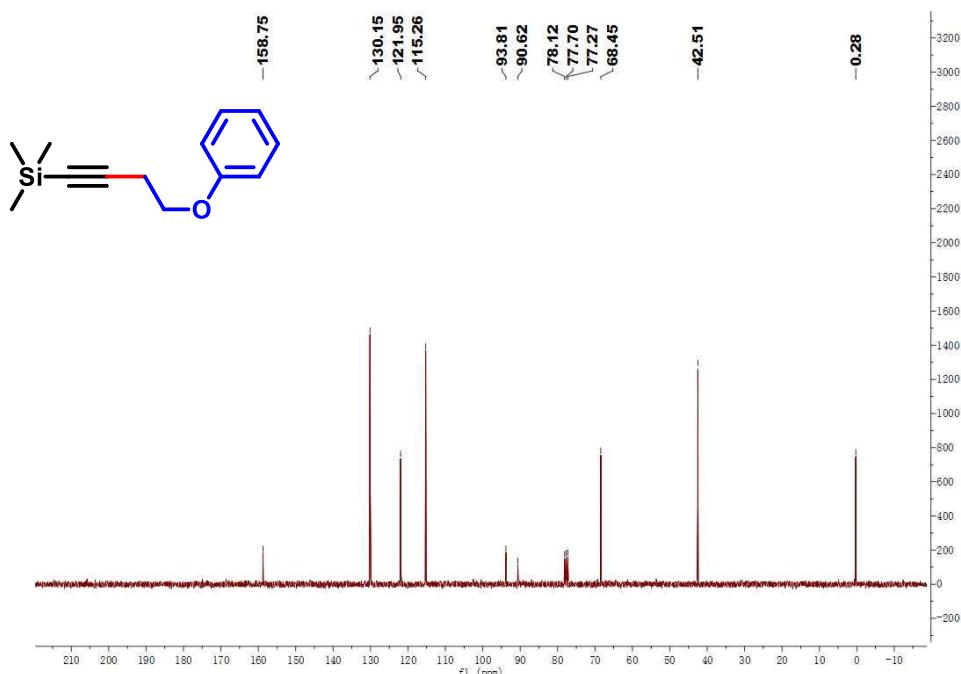
**Figure S86.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2n'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

**(41)(trimethyl(4-phenoxybut-1-yn-1-yl)silane (**2o'**)<sup>15</sup>**

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.18–7.13 (m, 2H), 6.87–6.76 (m, 3H), 4.06 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 1.49 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 158.75, 130.15, 121.95, 115.26, 93.81, 90.62, 78.12, 77.70, 77.21, 68.45, 42.51, 0.28.



**Figure S87.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **2o'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



**Figure S88.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **2o'** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

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