

A Scandium Complex Bearing Both Methylidene and Phosphinidene Ligands: Synthesis, Structure and Reactivity

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Table S1 Crystallographic data and refinement parameters for complexes **2–7**

	2·0.5hexane	3	4·2toluene
formula	C ₇₄ H ₁₀₈ N ₄ PSc ₂	C ₅₃ H ₇₇ N ₂ P ₂ Sc ₂	C ₈₇ H ₁₁₇ N ₄ O ₄ PSc ₂
formula Mass	1174.53	849.07	1403.74
color	red	red	purple
cryst system	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Triclinic
space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /c	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /n	<i>P</i> 1̄
<i>a</i> , Å	25.123(3)	12.026(5)	14.822(3)
<i>b</i> , Å	13.2323(13)	19.759(8)	15.645(4)
<i>c</i> , Å	24.521(2)	20.811(8)	18.949(4)
α , deg	90.00	90.00	113.854(4)
β , deg	115.889(2)	91.412(7)	92.660(4)
γ , deg	90.00	90.00	99.346(4)
<i>V</i> , Å ³	7333.5(12)	4943(3)	3934.8(16)
<i>Z</i>	4	4	2
<i>D</i> _{calcd} , (mg/m ³)	1.064	1.141	1.185
<i>F</i> (000)	2548	1840	1512
<i>T</i> (K)	140(2)	140(2)	140(2)
θ range, deg	1.664 to 26.00	2.21 to 21.10	2.20 to 22.06
no. of reflns measured	51453	25118	27189
no. of independent reflns	14370	8649	14618
no. of obsd reflns (<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>))	10398	3312	6797
No. of params	755	541	871
final <i>R</i> _{<i>I</i>} , <i>wR</i> (<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>))	0.0643, 0.1651	0.0893, 0.2086	0.0752, 0.1847
goodness of fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.095	0.941	0.948
$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}, \text{min}}$, eÅ ⁻³	2.696, -1.063	0.575, -0.577	1.064, -0.583

	5	6·toluene	7
formula	C ₇₂ H ₁₀₁ N ₄ PS ₂ Sc ₂	C ₈₅ H ₁₁₄ N ₅ PS ₂ c ₂	C ₇₆ H ₁₁₀ N ₅ PS ₂ c ₂
formula Mass	1207.58	1326.70	1214.58
color	red	red	red
cryst system	Orthorhombic	Monoclinic	Triclinic
space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /c	<i>P</i> 1̄
<i>a</i> , Å	14.3427(19)	14.0110(11)	13.267(2)
<i>b</i> , Å	20.817(3)	25.2574(18)	15.031(2)
<i>c</i> , Å	24.445(3)	21.3220(16)	23.008(5)
α , deg	90.00	90.00	103.167(4)
β , deg	90.00	94.025(2)	97.861(4)
γ , deg	90.00	90.00	110.238(3)
<i>V</i> , Å ³	7298.6(17)	7526.8(10)	4073.5(12)
Z	4	4	2
<i>D</i> _{calcd} , (mg/m ³)	1.099	1.171	0.990
<i>F</i> (000)	2600	2864	1316
<i>T</i> (K)	140(2)	140(2)	140(2)
θ range, deg	2.19 to 20.59	2.17 to 28.51	2.20 to 28.83
no. of reflns measured	73836	76027	27891
no. of independent reflns	22451	23217	15154
no. of obsd reflns (<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>))	12331	12698	8387
No. of params	754	863	784
final <i>R</i> _{<i>I</i>} , <i>wR</i> (<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>))	0.0670, 0.1227	0.0626, 0.1385	0.0791, 0.2060
goodness of fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.094	1.004	1.084
$\Delta\rho_{\text{max, min}}$, eÅ ⁻³	0.455, -0.512	0.730, -0.640	1.530, -0.519

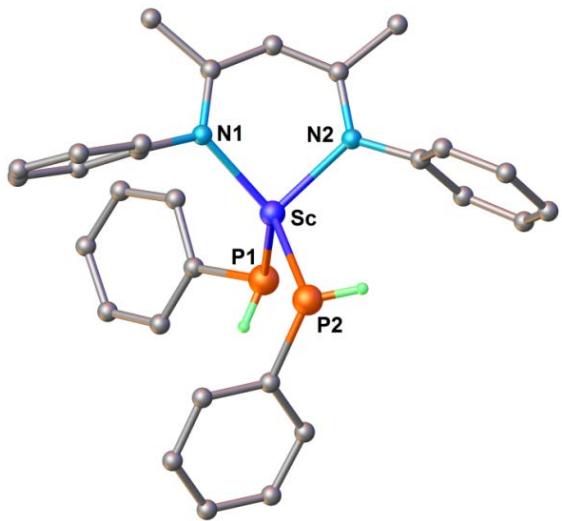


Figure. S1 Molecular structure of complex **3** (ball and stick representation). DIPP isopropyl groups and hydrogen atoms (except the phosphido hydrogen atoms) were omitted for clarity. Selected bond distances [Å] and angles [°]: Sc–P1 2.570(3), Sc–P2 2.609(3), Sc–N2 2.102(6), Sc–N1 2.114(5), N2–Sc–N1 89.4(2), P1–Sc–P2 108.74(8).

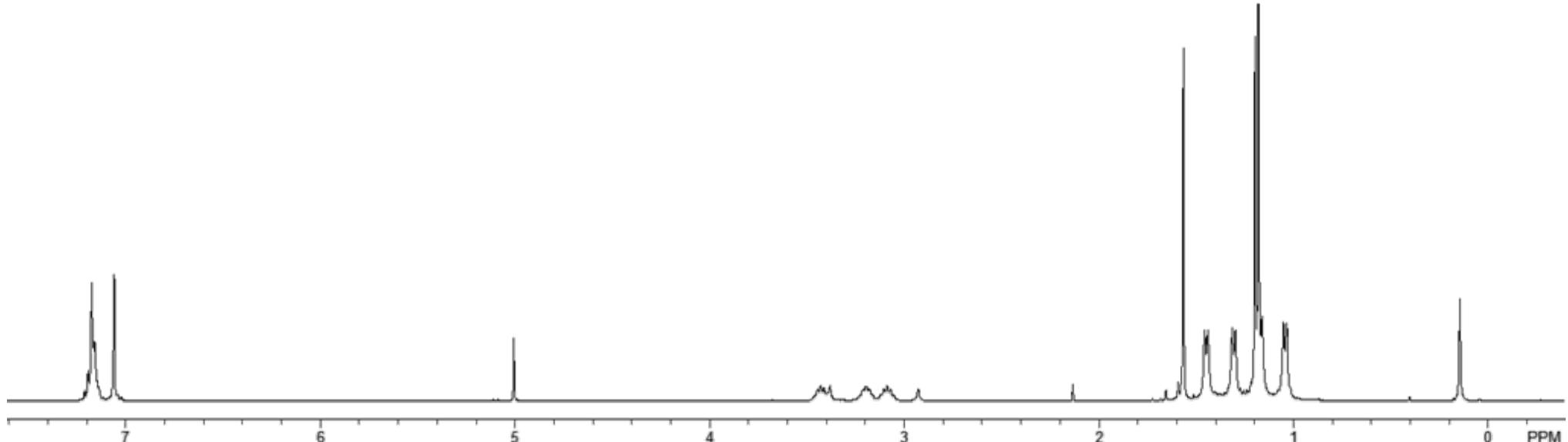
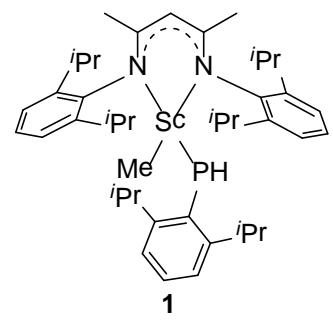


Figure S2. ^1H NMR spectrum of **1** (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

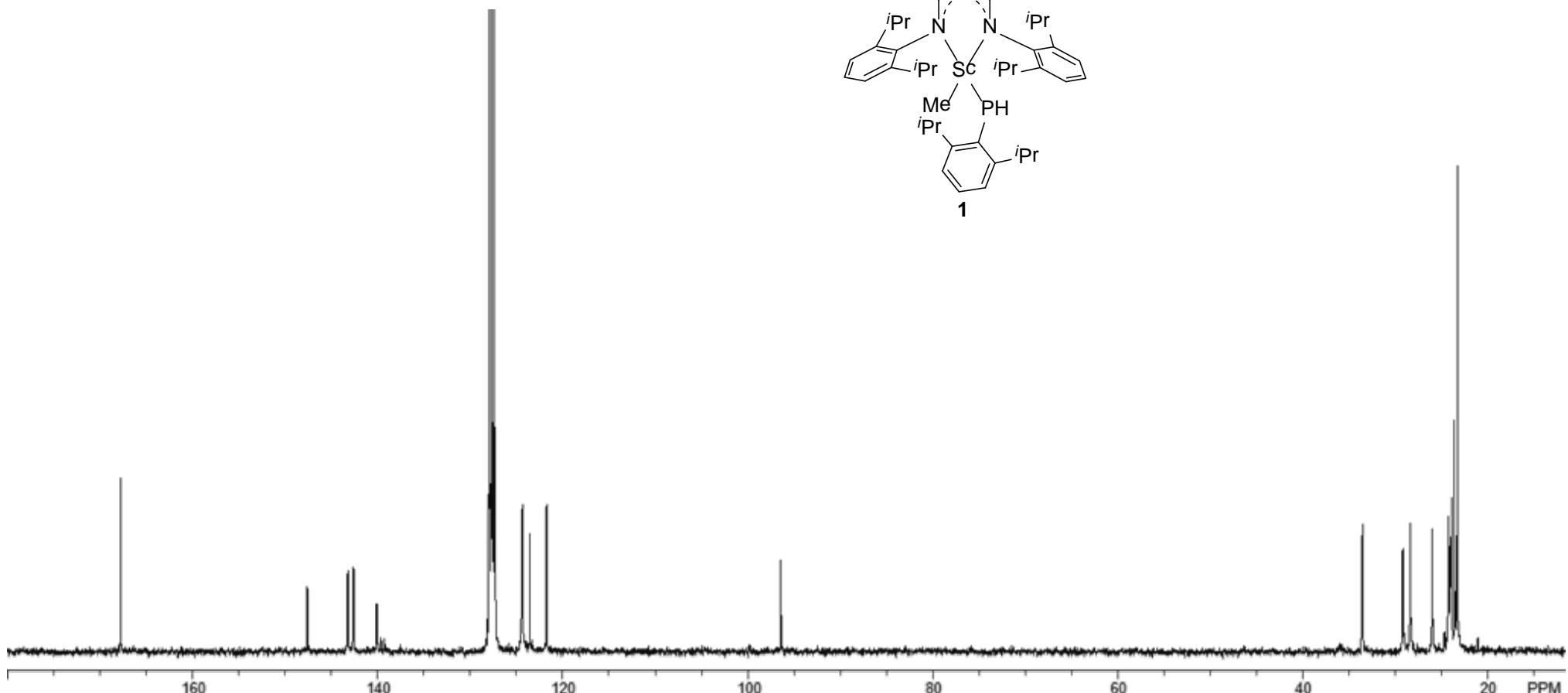


Figure S3. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **1** (100 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

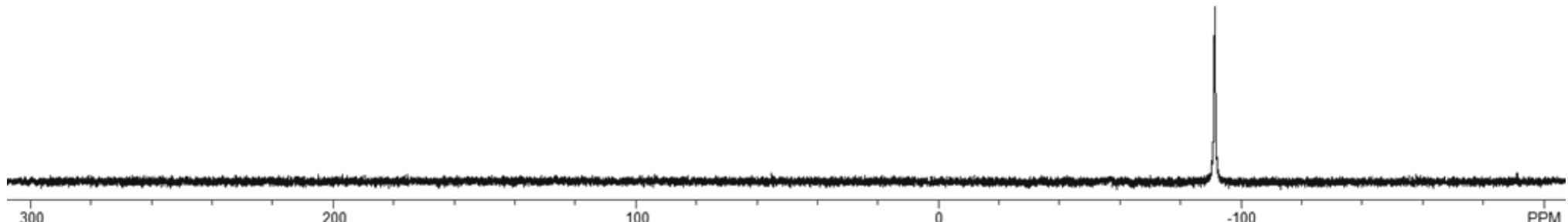
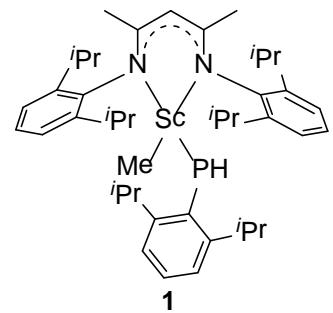


Figure S4. ^{31}P NMR spectrum of **1** (162 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

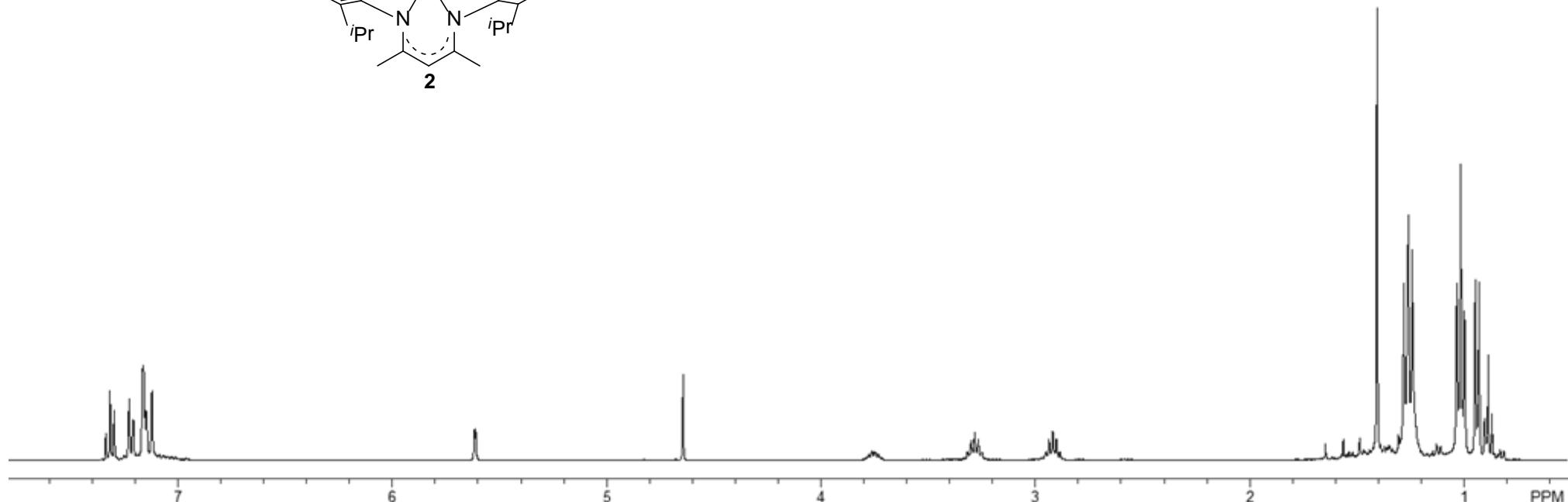
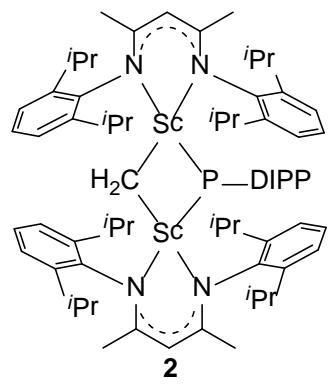


Figure S5. ¹H NMR spectrum of **2** (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

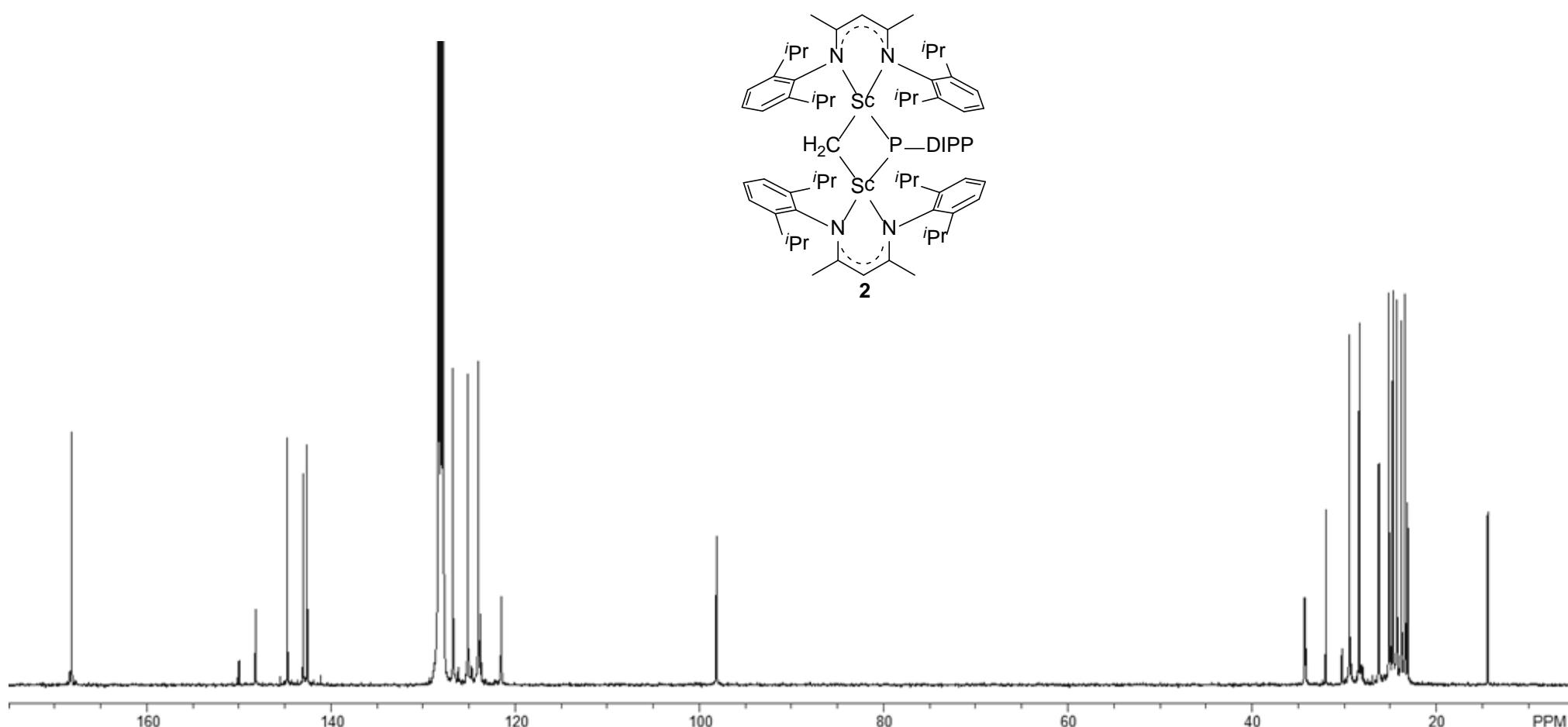


Figure S6. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **2** (100 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

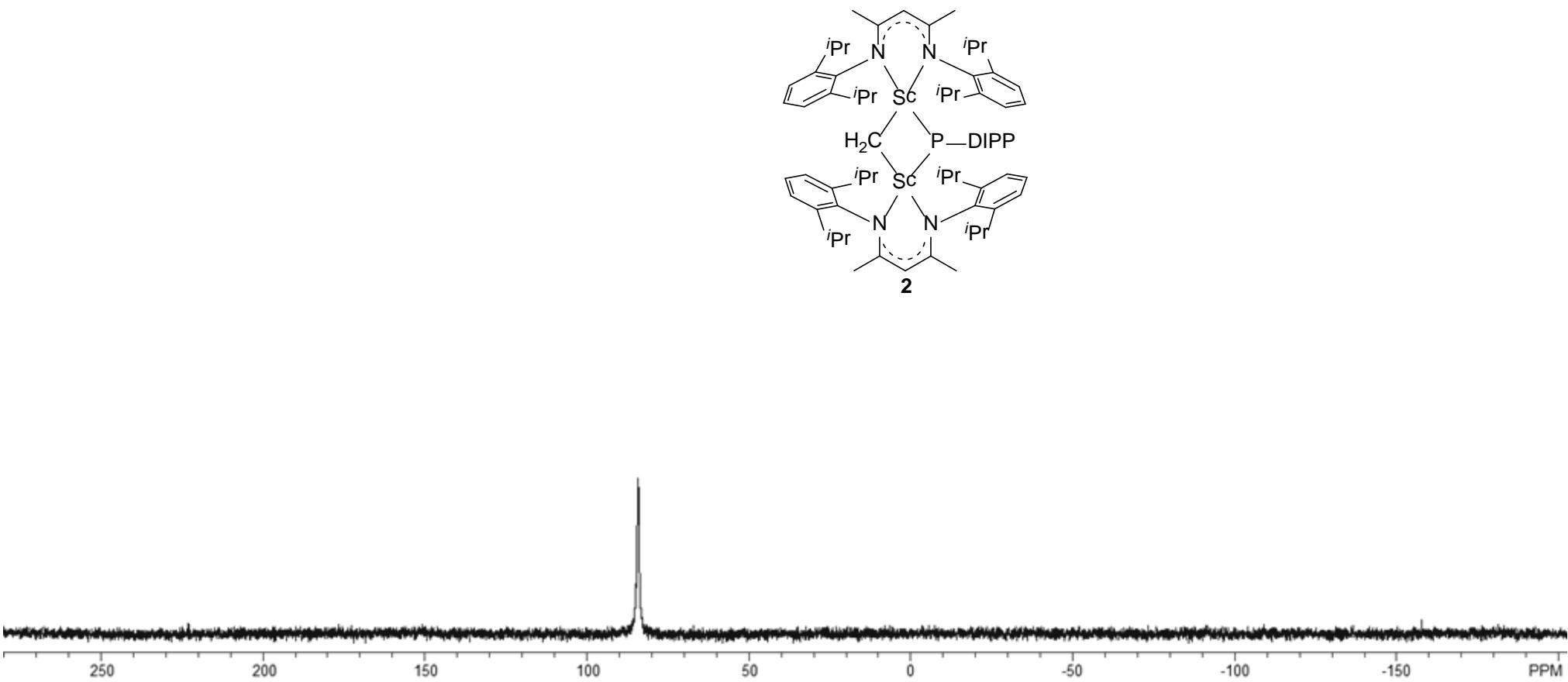


Figure S7. ^{31}P NMR spectrum of **2** (162 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

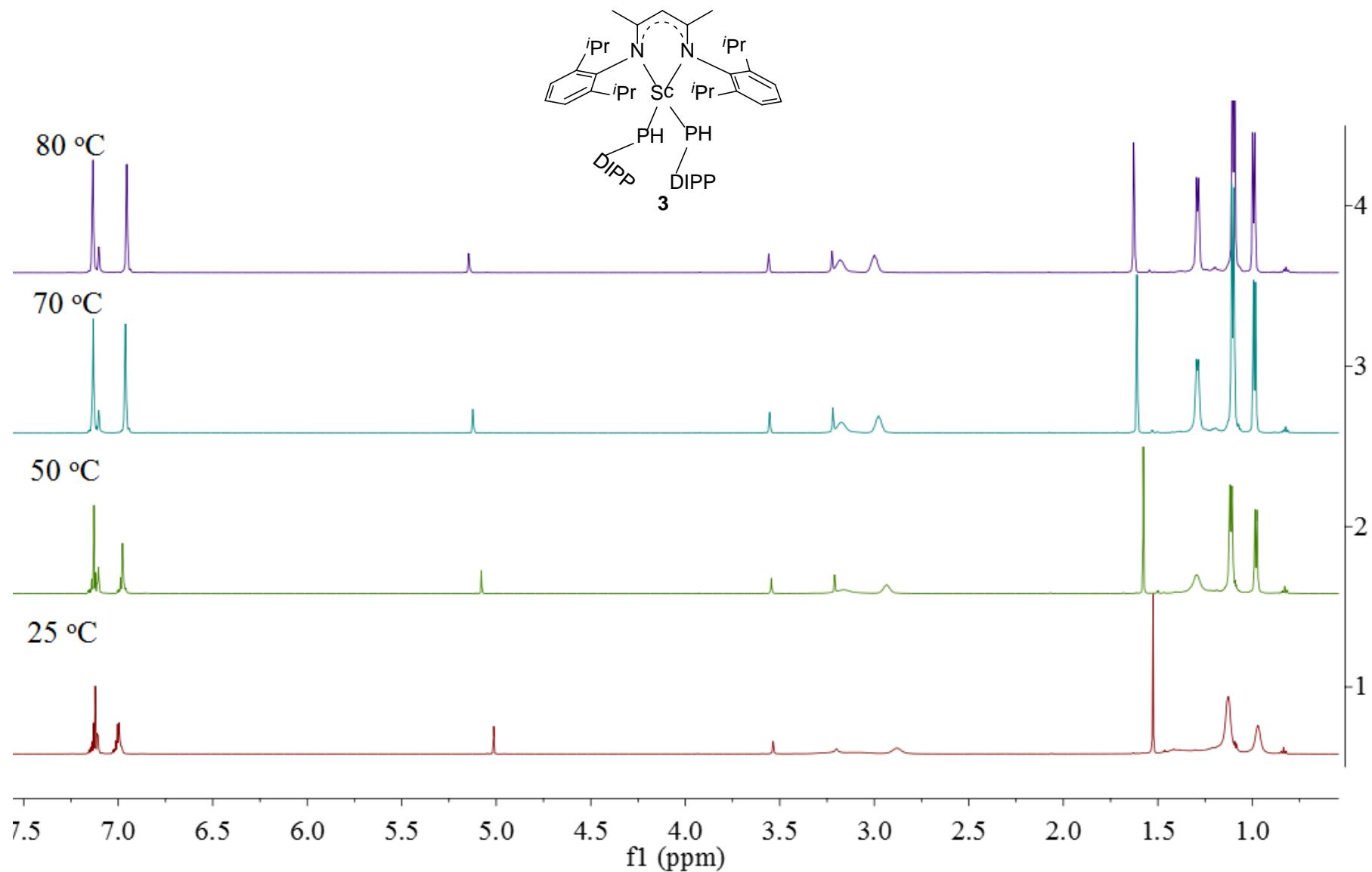


Figure S8. VT ^1H -NMR spectra of **3** (600 MHz, C_6D_6).

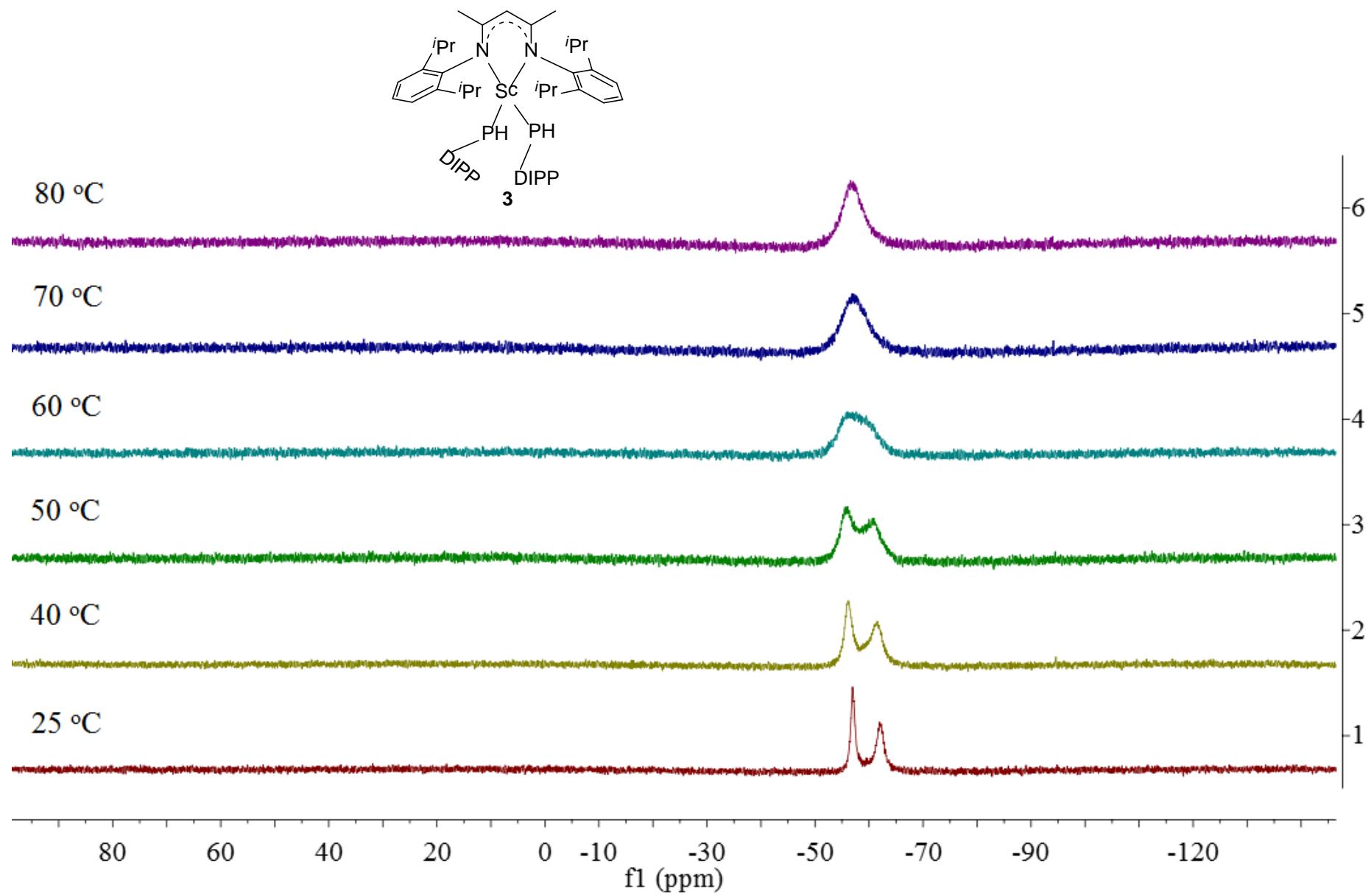


Figure S9. VT ^{31}P NMR spectra of **3** (243 MHz, C_6D_6).

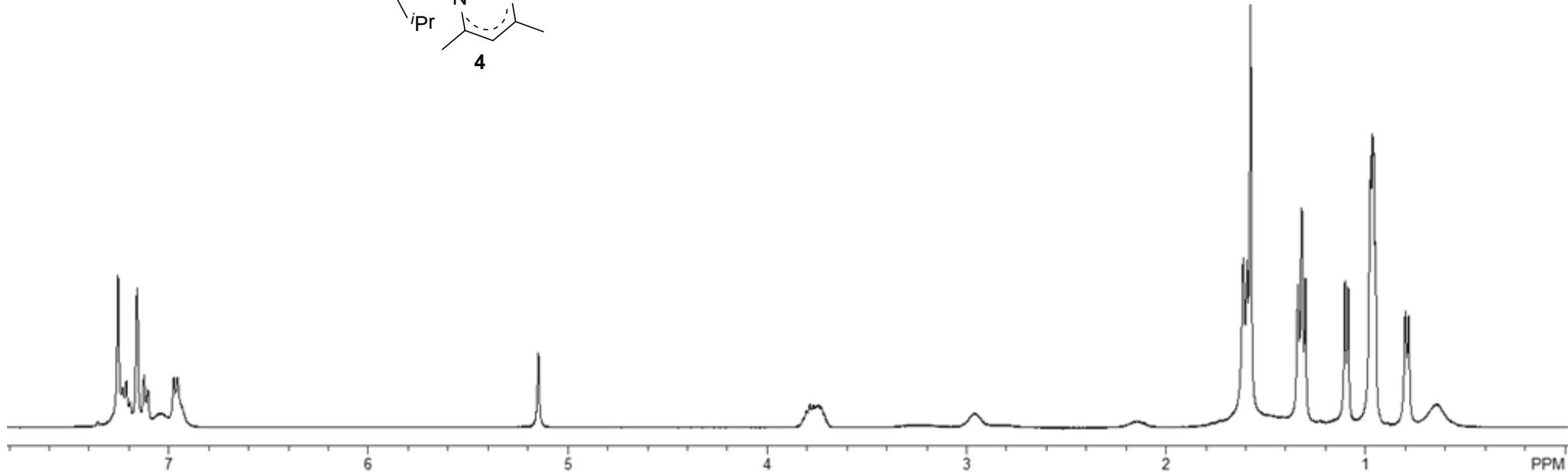
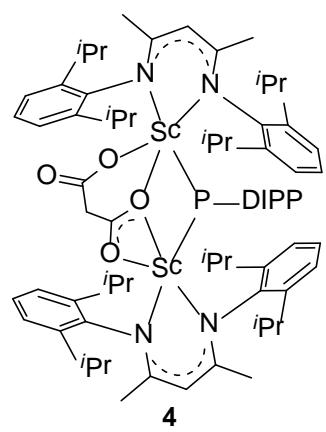


Figure S10. ^1H NMR spectrum of **4** (400 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25°C).

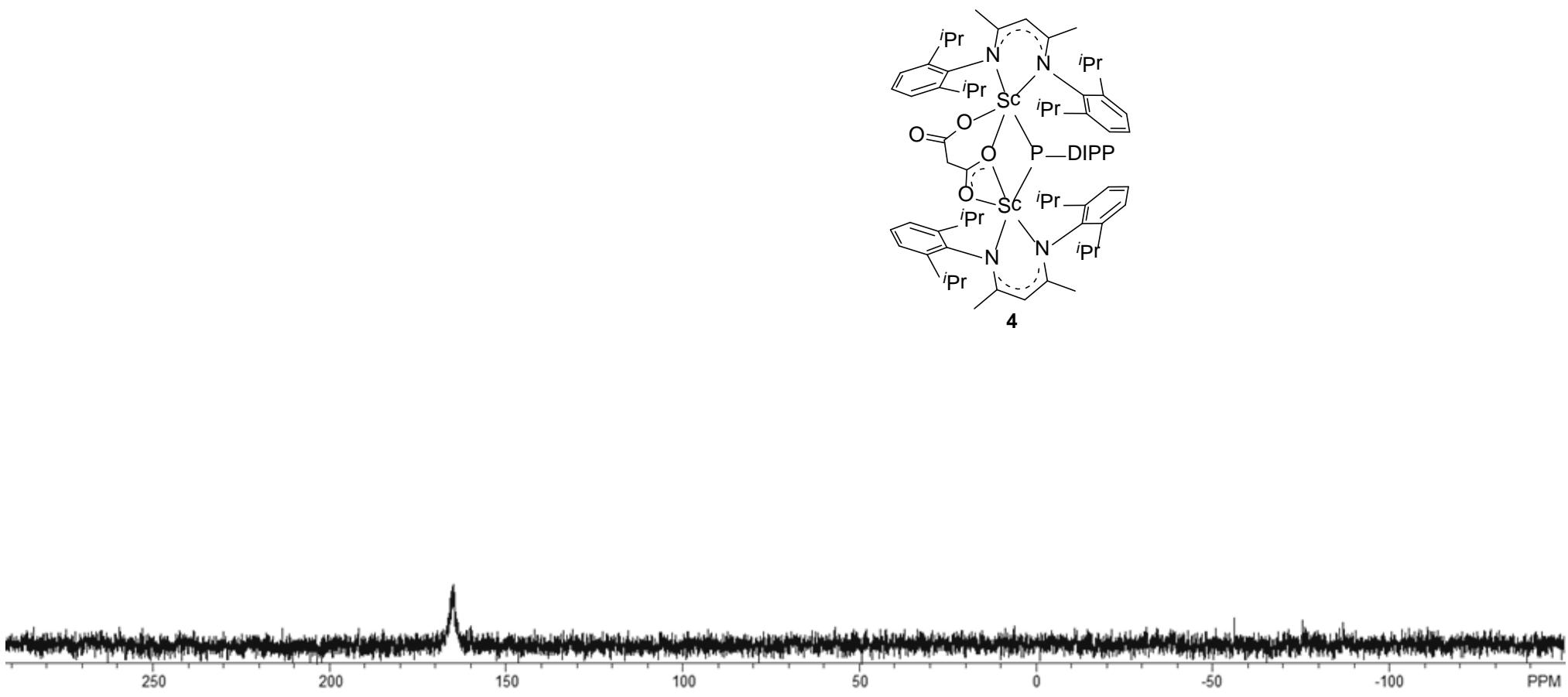


Figure S11. ^{31}P NMR spectrum of **4** (162 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

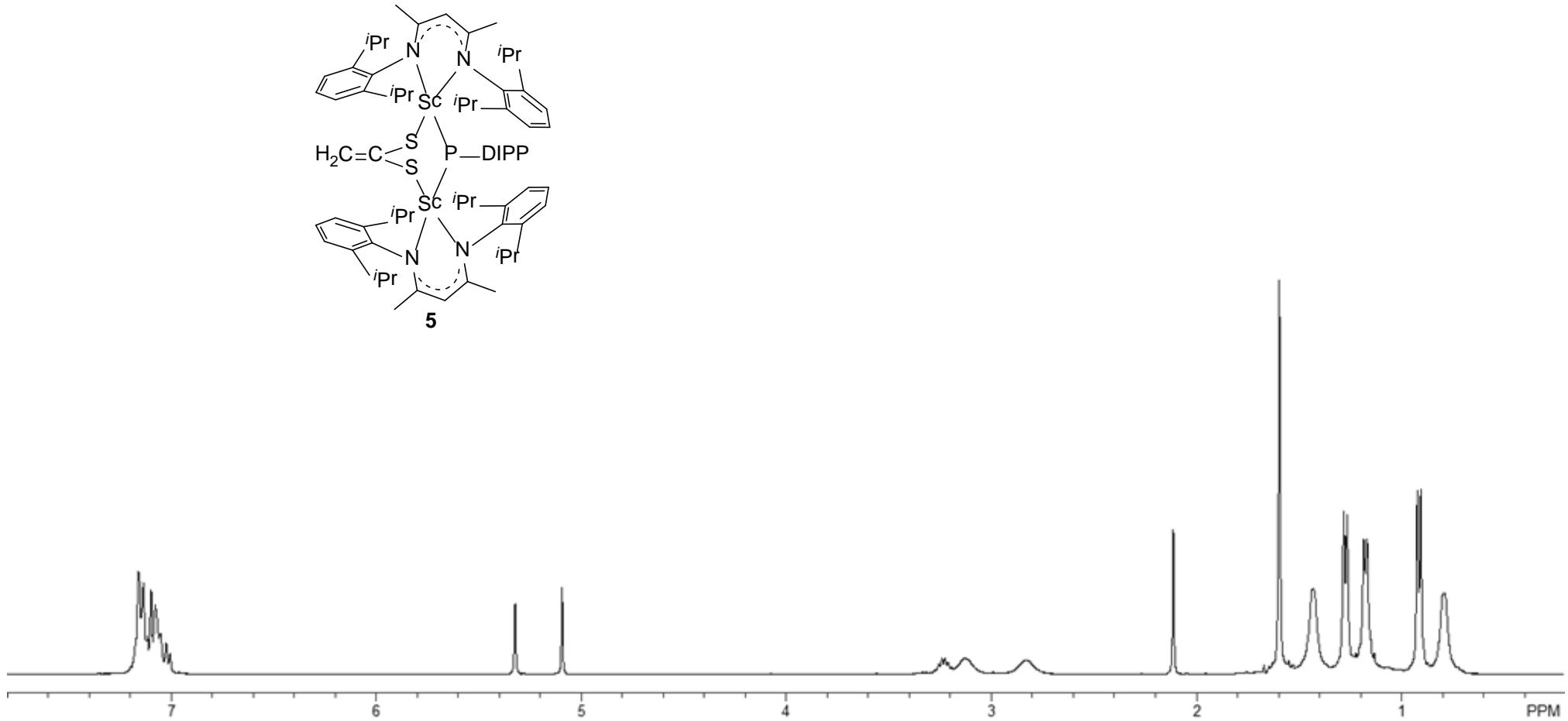


Figure S12. ¹H NMR spectrum of **5** (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

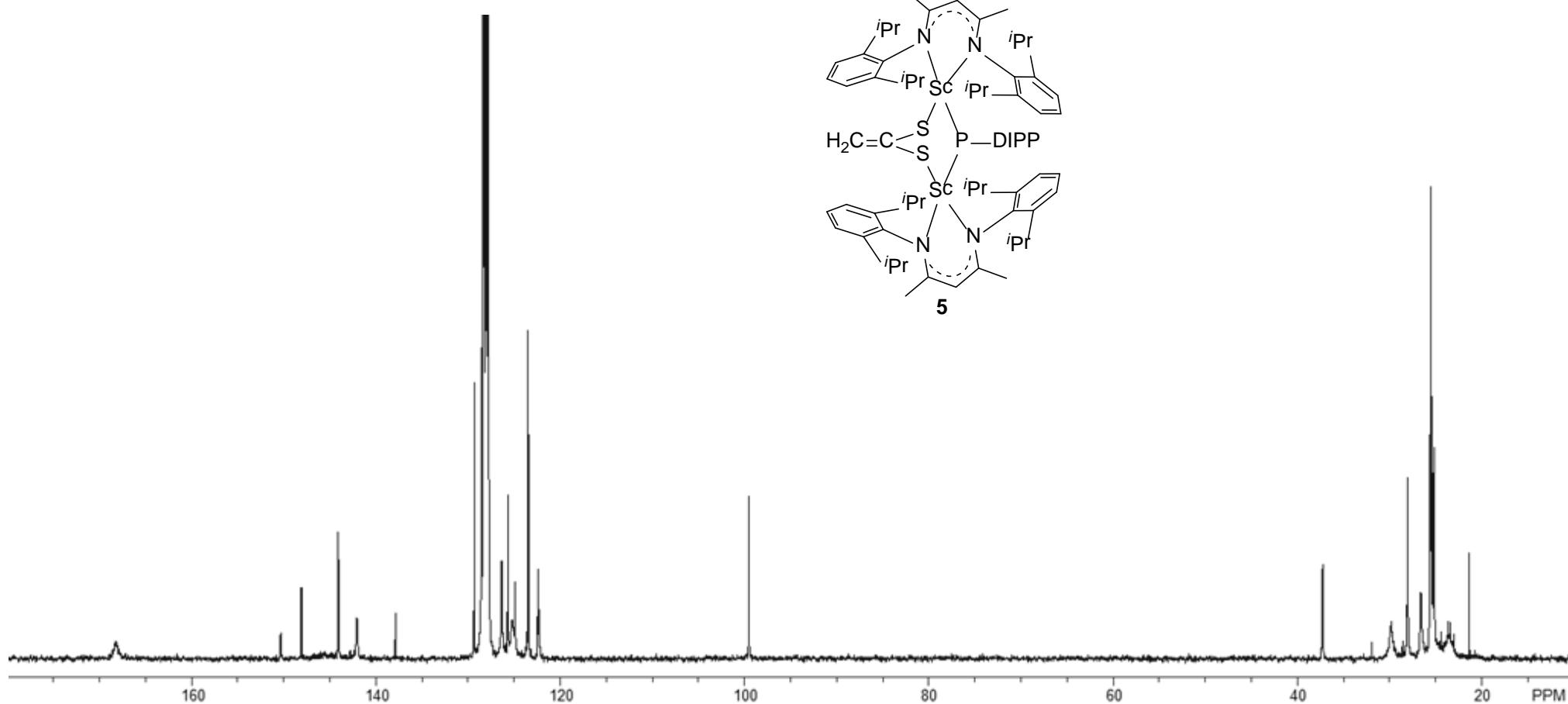


Figure S13. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **5** (100 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

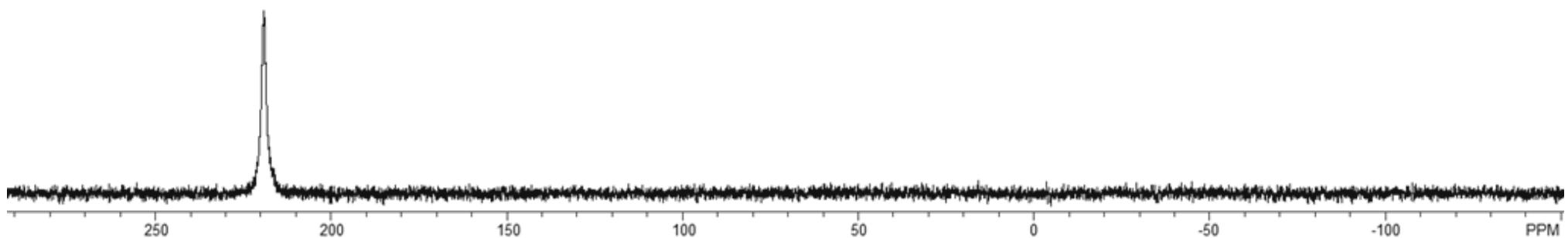
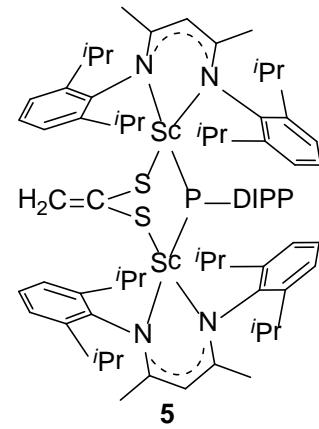


Figure S14. ^{31}P NMR spectrum of **5** (162 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25°C).

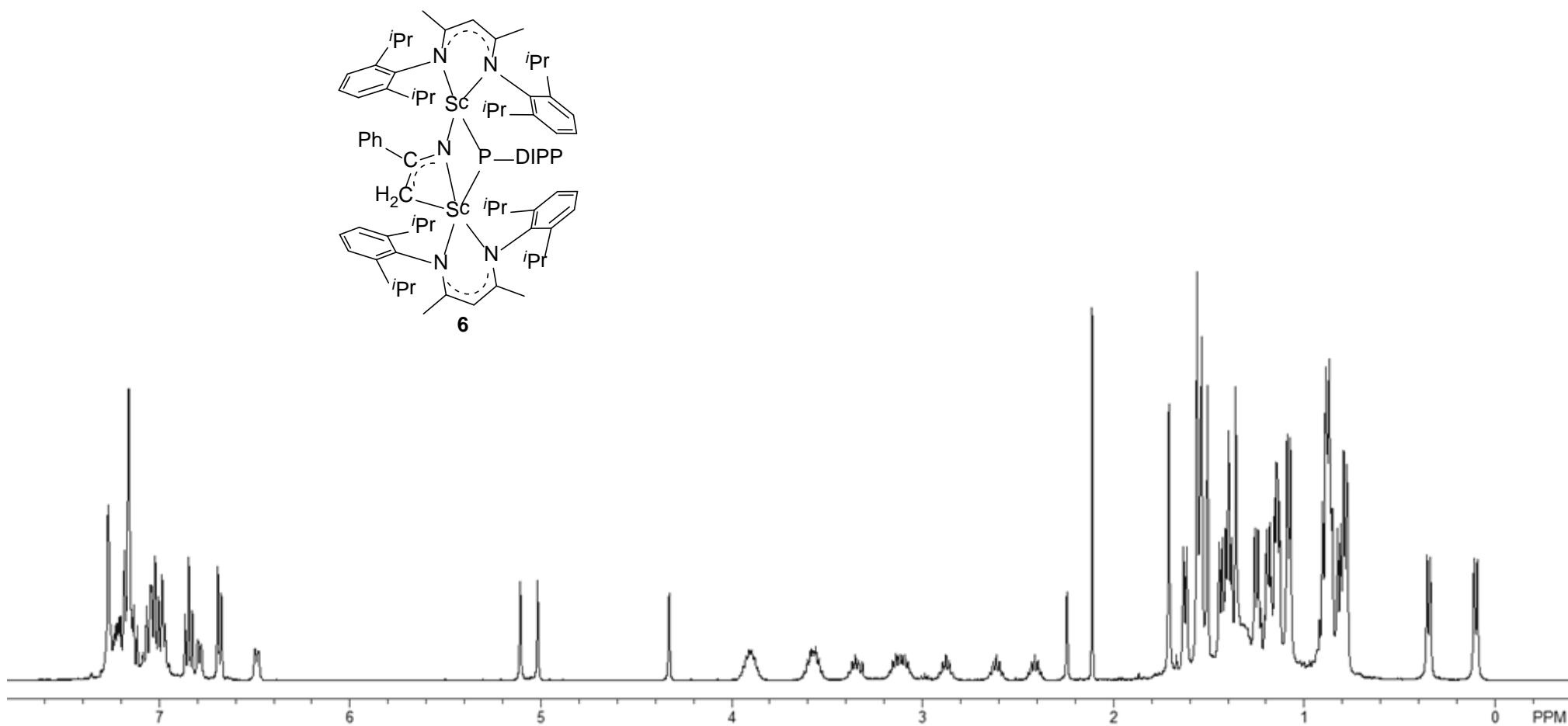


Figure S15. ¹H NMR spectrum of **6** (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

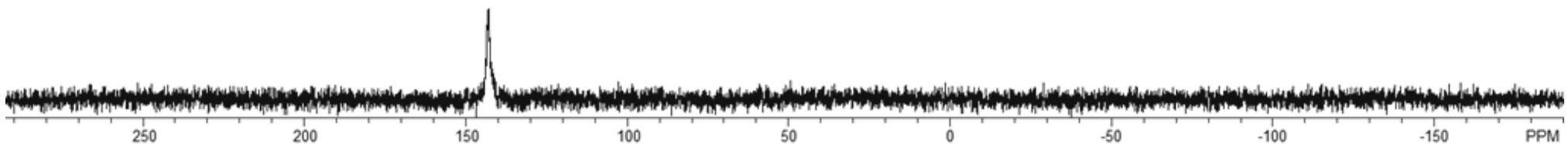
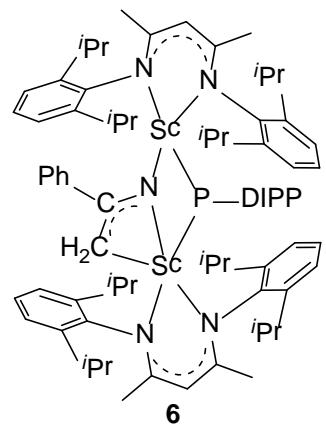


Figure S16. ³¹P NMR spectrum of **6** (162 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

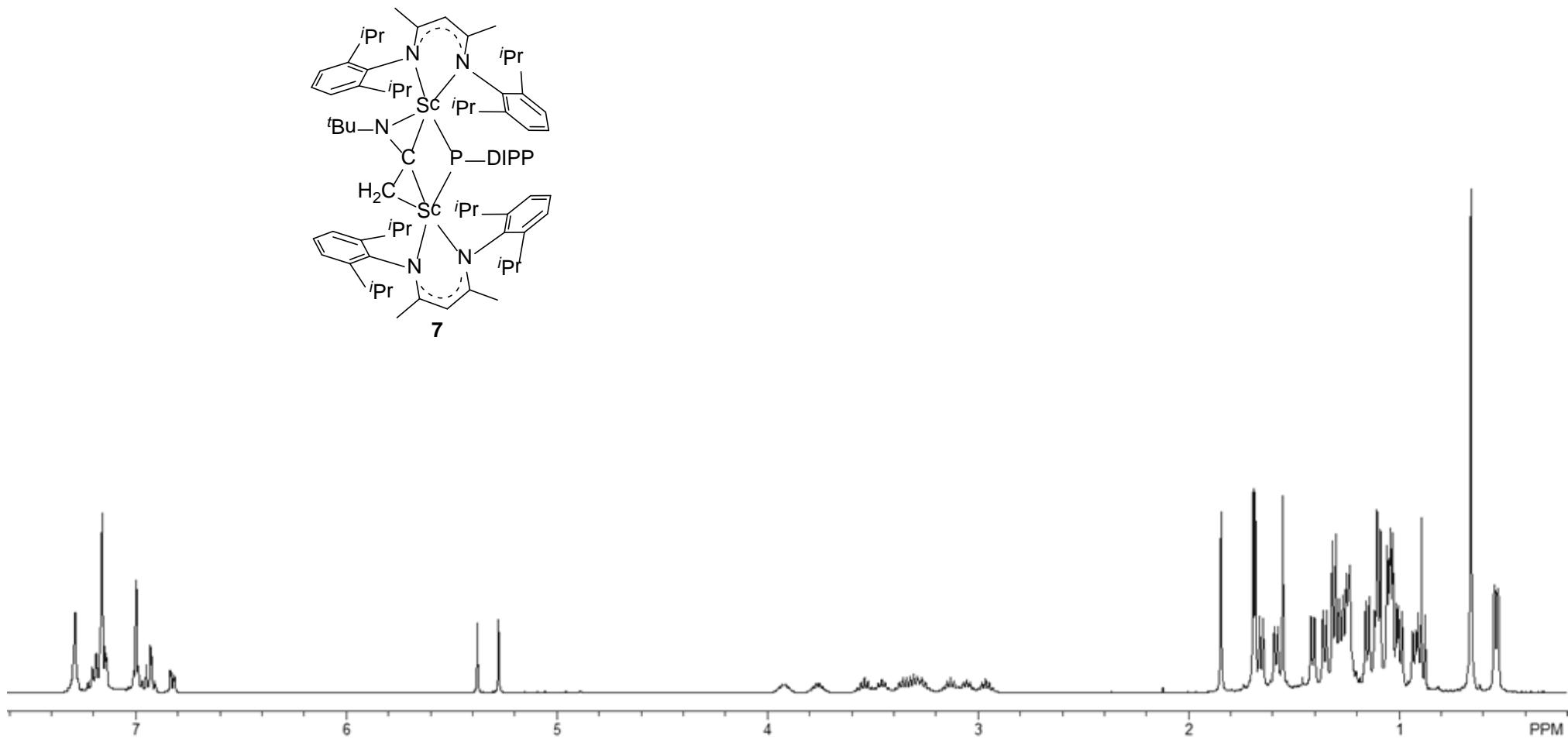


Figure S17. ¹H NMR spectrum of **7** (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

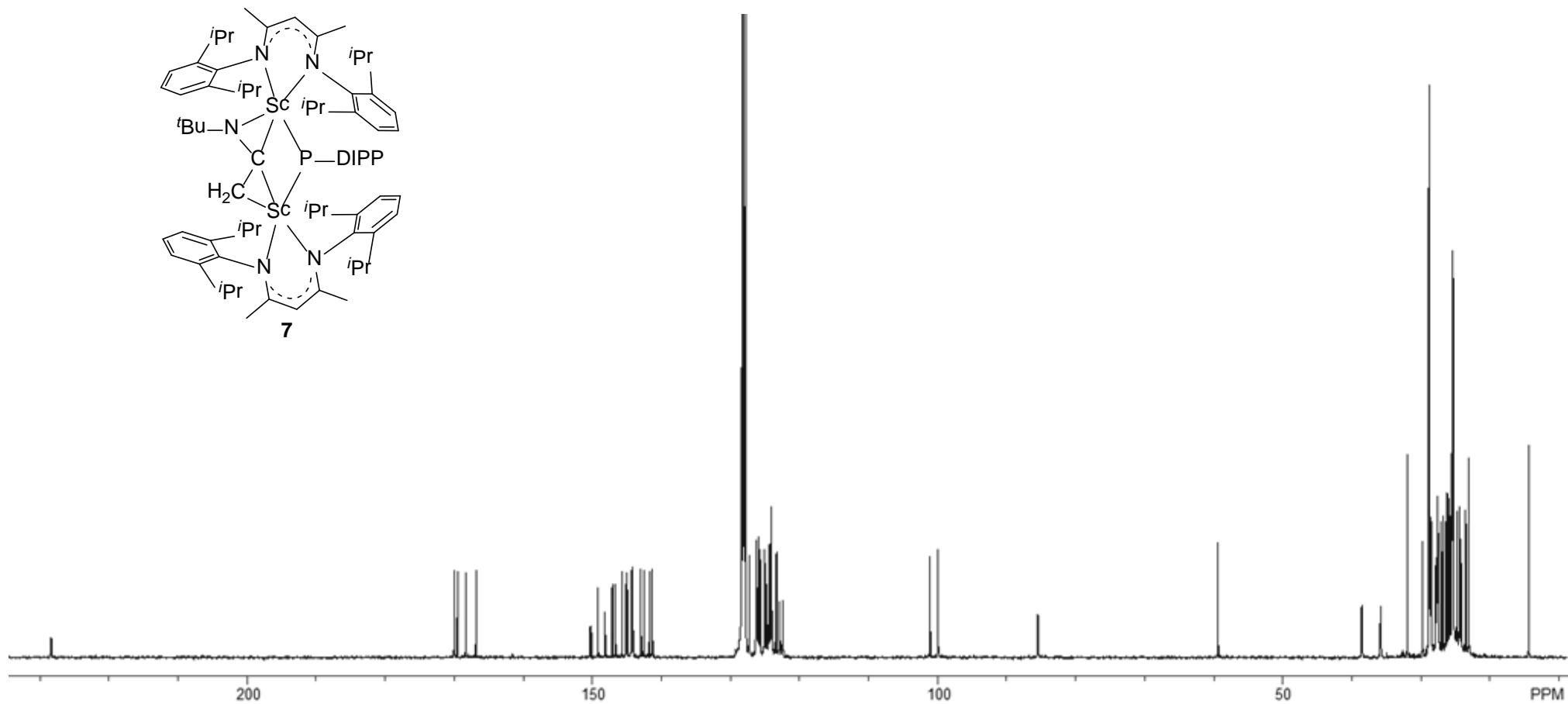


Figure S18. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **7** (100 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

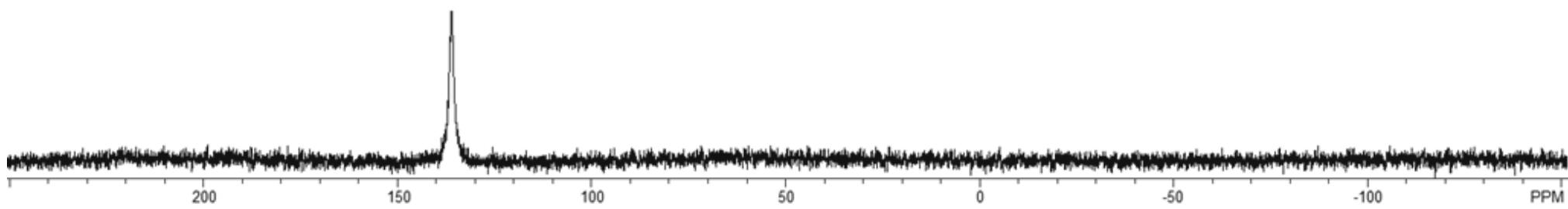
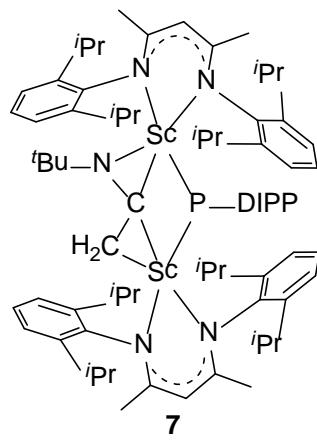


Figure S19. ^{31}P NMR spectrum of 7 (162 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

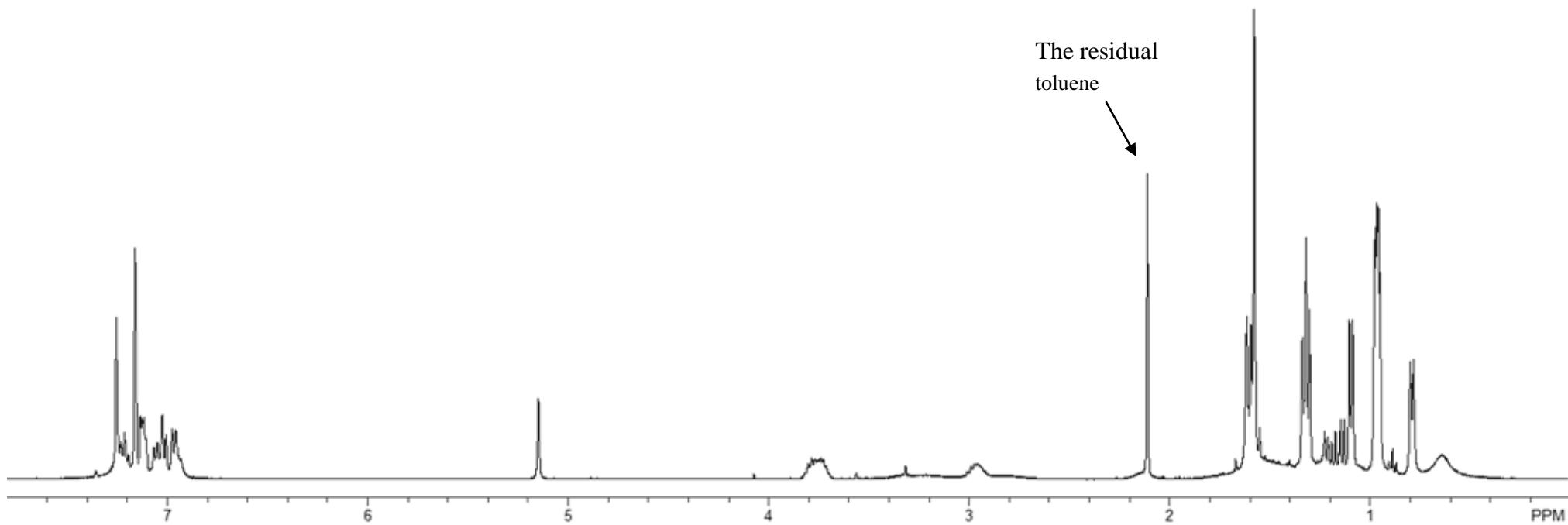


Figure S20. ^1H NMR spectrum of the crude product of the reaction of **2** with 3 equiv of CO_2 after the volatiles from the reaction solution were removed (400 MHz, C_6D_6 , 25 °C).

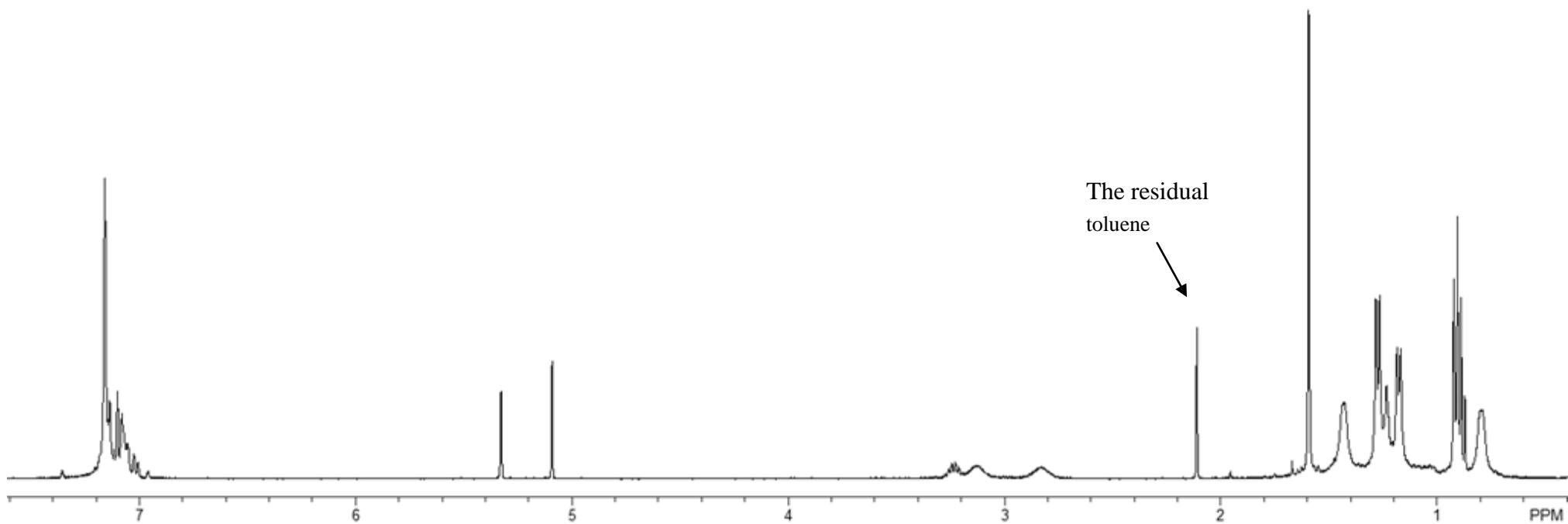


Figure S21. ¹H NMR spectrum of the crude product of the reaction of **2** with 2 equiv of CS₂ after the volatiles from the reaction solution were removed (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C). The signals at 0.89 and 1.24 ppm belong to hexane, C₆D₆ used for this sample was contaminated by hexane.

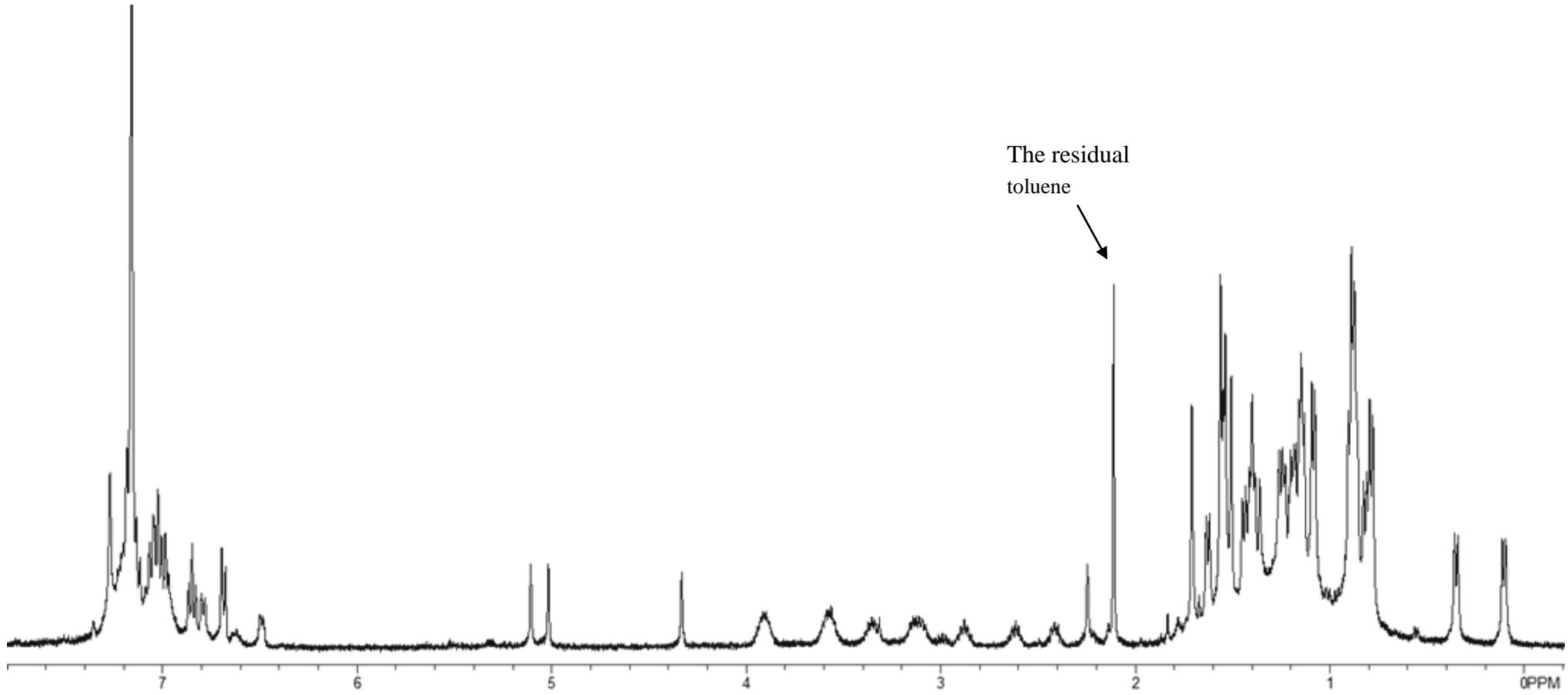


Figure S22. ¹H NMR spectrum of the crude product of the reaction of **2** with 1 equiv of PhCN after the volatiles from the reaction solution were removed (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

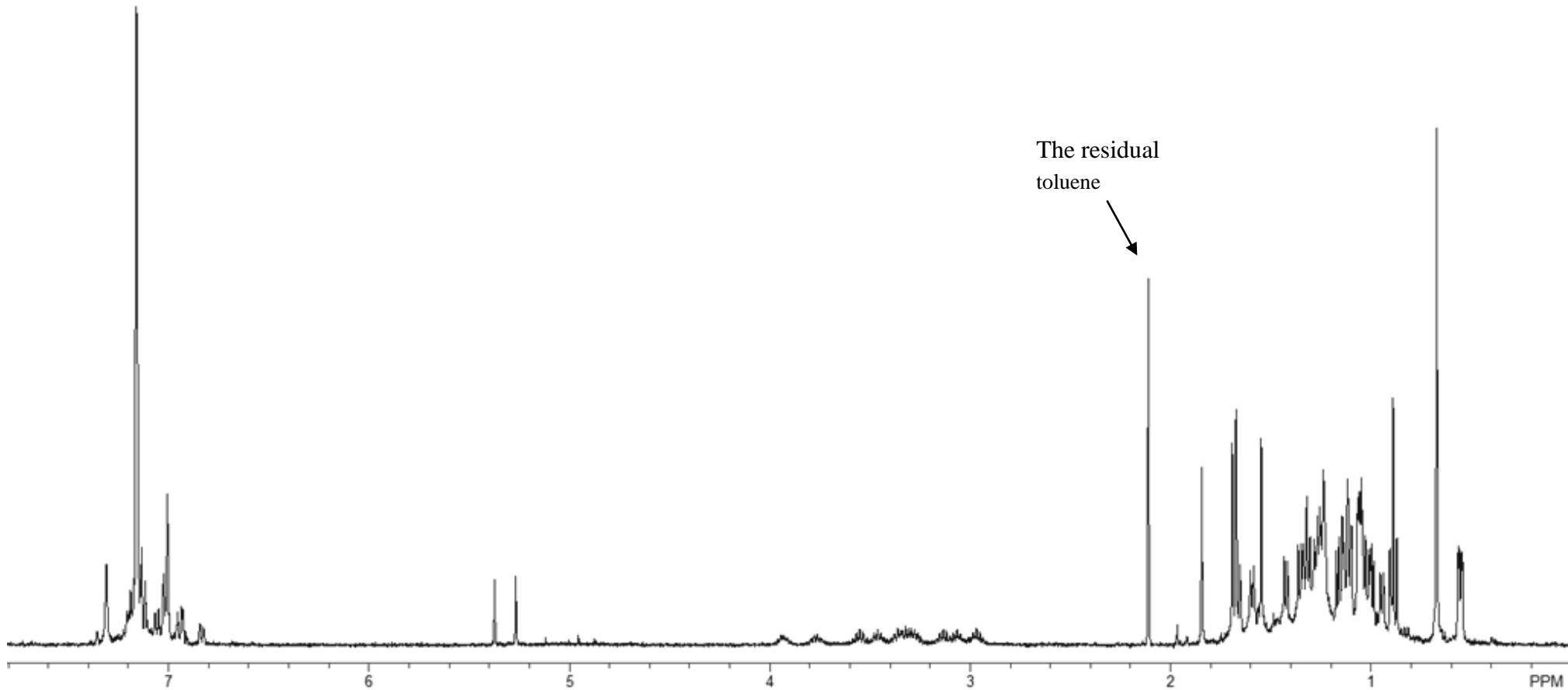


Figure S23. ¹H NMR spectrum of the crude product of the reaction of **2** with 1 equiv of ^tBuNC after the volatiles from the reaction solution were removed (400 MHz, C₆D₆, 25 °C).

Computational Data

All calculations were performed using GAUSSIAN09 code.¹ The equilibrium and transition structures were fully optimized at the Becke's 3-parameter hybrid functional² combined with the non-local correlation functional provided by Perdew/Wang.³ Scandium and phosphorous atoms were represented by the relativistic effective core potential SDD, augmented by *f* and *d* polarization functions respectively.^{4,5} For the rest atoms the 6-31G(d,p) basis set was used.⁶ The natural population analysis (NPA) was performed using Weinhold's methodology.⁷

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Cartesian coordinates of the optimized structure:

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