

Supporting Information

Catalytic Asymmetric Formal Aza-Diels-Alder Reactions of α,β -Unsaturated Ketones and 3*H*-Indoles

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A: General Information and Starting Materials

General Information. Proton nuclear magnetic resonance (^1H NMR) spectra and carbon nuclear magnetic resonance (^{13}C NMR) spectra were recorded on a Bruker AV-400 spectrometer (400 MHz and 100 MHz). Chemical shifts for protons are reported in parts per million downfield from tetramethylsilane and are referenced to residual protium in the NMR solvent (CDCl_3 : δ 7.26). Chemical shifts for carbon are reported in parts per million downfield from tetramethylsilane and are referenced to the carbon resonances of the solvent (CDCl_3 : δ 77.16). Data are represented as follows: chemical shift, integration, multiplicity (br = broad, s = singlet, d = doublet, dd = double doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants in Hertz (Hz). High resolution mass spectrometry (EI) was carried out using a Waters Micromass GCT spectrometer. Optical rotations were measured on an Autopol III automatic polarimeter (Rudolph Research analytical). Enantiomeric excess was determined by chiral HPLC using Agilent 1200 Series, Chiralpak AD-H (0.46cm x 25 cm), Chiralpak AS-H (0.46cm x 25 cm).

Starting Materials. All solvents and inorganic reagents were from commercial sources and used without purification unless otherwise noted. Imines **2** were synthesized following the literature procedure.¹⁻³

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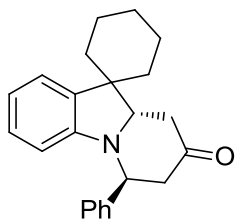
B: Experimental Details

General procedure for the Formal Aza-Diels-Alder Reaction

Unless otherwise noted, Imine **2a** (0.6 mmol, 3.0 equiv.) was added to a mixture of catalyst **1i** (0.04 mmol, 0.2 equiv.), benzoic acid (0.04 mmol, 0.2 equiv.) and α , β -unsaturated ketones **3a** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv.) in xylene (0.4 mL) at 30°C. The reaction mixture was maintained at this temperature for 3 days and then the solvent was removed under vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the desired FADA product. The enantiomeric ratio was determined by HPLC analysis on chiral column.

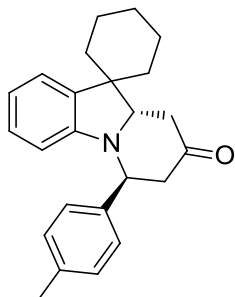
C: Characterization Data of Formal ADA Products

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-phenyl-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (**4a**)



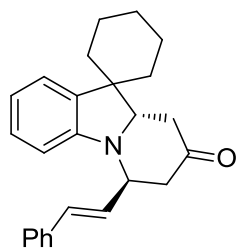
Yellow solid; mp: 80-83°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.90-2.43 (10H, m), δ 2.81 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 15.2$ Hz), δ 3.06 (1H, dd, $J = 6.8, 15.2$ Hz), δ 4.06 (1H, dd, $J = 5.2, 9.6$ Hz), δ 5.03 (1H, t, $J = 6$ Hz), δ 6.52 (1H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz), δ 6.81-6.85 (1H, m), δ 7.12-7.17 (2H, m), δ 7.32 (1H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), δ 7.39-7.44 (2H, m), δ 7.50 (2H, d, $J = 7.2$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.9, 23.7, 23.7, 25.7, 29.7, 37.0, 40.5, 43.9, 47.4, 56.5, 64.4, 107.1, 118.8, 123.0, 126.5, 127.4, 128.0, 128.8, 137.0, 141.2, 148.6, 209.3; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -50.1 (c 0.5, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 331.1936, found: 331.1935; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 6.981 min (major) and 13.353 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(p-tolyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4b)



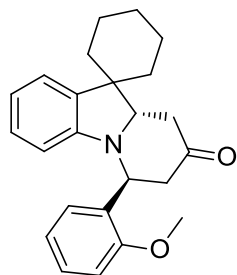
Yellow solid; mp: 117-120°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.17-1.98 (10H, m), δ 2.27-2.30 (2H, m), δ 2.34 (3H, s), δ 2.37 (1H, t, $J = 2$ Hz), δ 2.74 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 14.8$ Hz), δ 3.00 (1H, dd, $J = 6.4, 14.8$ Hz), δ 3.99 (1H, dd, $J = 6.0, 8.8$ Hz), δ 4.98 (1H, t, $J = 6.0$ Hz), δ 6.49 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), δ 6.78 (1H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), δ 7.08-7.18 (4H, m), δ 7.34 (2H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 21.1, 22.9, 23.7, 25.7, 29.70, 36.9, 40.5, 43.8, 47.4, 56.1, 64.4, 107.1, 118.7, 123.0, 126.5, 127.9, 129.5, 137.1, 137.1, 138.0, 148.6, 209.4; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -131.34 (c 0.75, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 345.2093, found: 345.2091; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 10 min (major) and 15.858 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-((E)-styryl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4c)



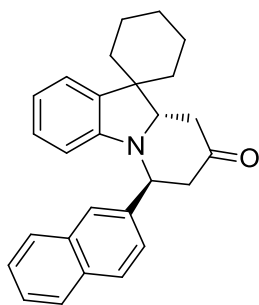
Yellow solid; mp: 160-163°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.24-1.98 (10H, m), δ 2.30-2.35 (2H, m), δ 2.69-2.78 (2H, m), δ 4.05 (1H, t, $J = 7.4$ Hz), δ 4.83-4.86 (1H, m), δ 6.26 (1H, dd, $J = 4.4, 16.0$ Hz), δ 6.65-6.70 (2H, m), δ 6.81-6.85 (1H, m), δ 7.16-7.20 (2H, m), δ 7.25-7.29 (1H, m), δ 7.34 (2H, t, $J = 7.4$ Hz), δ 7.39-7.42 (2H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 23.0, 23.4, 25.8, 29.8, 36.2, 41.1, 43.2, 47.5, 54.3, 65.1, 107.1, 118.9, 123.4, 126.5, 127.9, 127.9, 128.5, 128.6, 132.2, 136.4, 137.4, 147.9, 209.1; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -103.4 (c 0.75, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 357.2093, found: 357.2086; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 7.704 min (major) and 10.022 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(2-methoxyphenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4d)



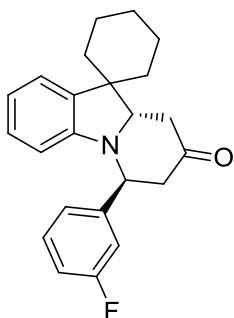
Yellow solid; mp: 117-120°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.23-2.02 (10H, m), δ 2.33-2.45 (2H, m), δ 2.77 (1H, dd, $J = 10.8, 16.4$ Hz), δ 2.94 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 16.0$ Hz), δ 3.88 (3H, s), δ 4.31 (1H, dd, $J = 2.8, 12.0$ Hz), δ 4.98 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 10.8$ Hz), δ 6.22 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), δ 6.74 (1H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), δ 6.92-7.03 (3H, m), δ 7.09 (1H, d, $J = 7.2$ Hz), δ 7.26-7.30 (1H, m), δ 7.52 (1H, dd, $J = 1.6, 7.6$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.9, 23.9, 25.7, 30.1, 37.6, 40.1, 43.7, 46.8, 52.4, 55.2, 64.0, 107.7, 110.4, 118.3, 120.8, 122.4, 126.6, 127.8, 128.4, 130.2, 136.6, 149.2, 156.3, 210.6; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -244.1 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 361.2042, found: 361.2041; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 6.596 min (major) and 8.435 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(naphthalen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4e)



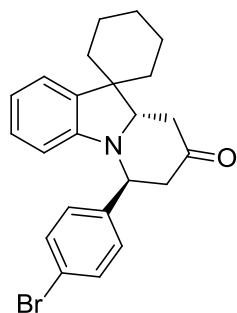
Yellow solid; mp: 152-154°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.92-2.10 (10H, m), δ 2.36 (2H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 2.88 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 14.8 Hz), δ 3.18 (1H, dd, J = 6.0, 14.8 Hz), δ 4.03 (1H, t, J = 7.4 Hz), δ 5.20 (1H, t, J = 6.0 Hz), δ 6.59 (1H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 6.84-6.88 (1H, m), δ 7.17 (2H, dd, J = 6.8, 13.2 Hz), δ 7.51-7.54 (2H, m), δ 7.63 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), δ 7.86-7.92 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.9, 23.7, 25.8, 29.7, 36.9, 40.6, 43.5, 47.6, 56.4, 64.5, 107.2, 119.0, 123.1, 124.9, 125.4, 126.1, 126.3, 127.6, 128.0, 128.2, 128.8, 132.8, 133.4, 137.2, 138.6, 148.5, 209.2; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -191.32 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 381.2093, found: 381.2094; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 8.593 min (major) and 15.463 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(3-fluorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4f)



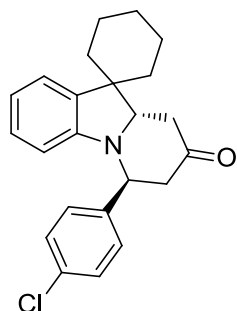
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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(4-bromophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4g)



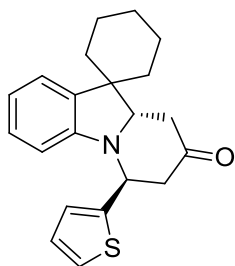
Yellow solid; mp: 132-135°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.19-1.99 (10H, m), δ 2.28-2.37 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 14.8$ Hz), δ 2.99 (1H, dd, $J = 6.8, 15.2$ Hz), δ 4.02 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 10.0$ Hz), δ 4.97 (1H, t, $J = 6.2$ Hz), δ 6.49 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), δ 6.84 (1H, t, $J = 7.4$ Hz), δ 7.12-7.17 (2H, m), δ 7.38 (2H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz), δ 7.52 (2H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 23.0, 23.8, 25.8, 29.8, 37.0, 40.5, 43.7, 47.5, 56.2, 64.6, 107.2, 119.2, 121.5, 123.2, 128.0, 128.4, 132.0, 137.1, 140.3, 148.4, 208.8; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -160 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrNO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 409.1041, found: 409.1040; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 7.816 min (major) and 11.558 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(4-chlorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4h)



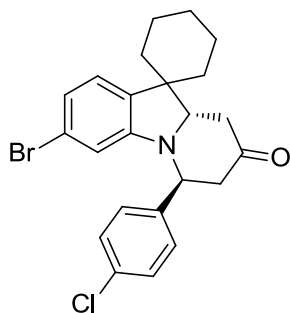
Yellow solid; mp: 121-123°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.18-1.99 (10H, m), 2.31-2.33 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, $J = 6.0, 15.2$ Hz), δ 2.99 (1H, dd, $J = 6.8, 14.8$ Hz), δ 4.01 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 10.0$ Hz), δ 4.98 (1H, t, $J = 6.2$ Hz), δ 6.49 (1H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz), δ 6.81-6.85 (1H, m), δ 7.10-7.16 (2H, m), δ 7.35-7.37 (2H, m), δ 7.42 (2H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.9, 23.7, 23.7, 25.7, 29.6, 36.9, 40.4, 43.6, 43.6, 47.4, 56.0, 64.4, 107.1, 119.1, 123.0, 127.9, 128.0, 128.9, 133.2, 137.0, 139.6, 148.3, 208.8; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -142.3 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClNO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 365.1546, found: 365.1545; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 6.977 min (major) and 9.616 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(thiophen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4i)



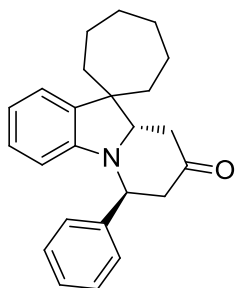
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(6'S,9a'S)-3'-bromo-6'-(4-chlorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4j)



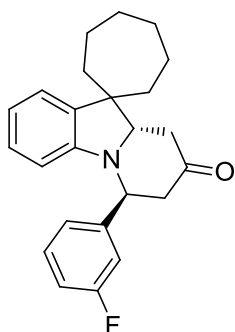
Yellow solid; mp: 50-53°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.19-1.94 (10H, m), δ 2.25-2.37 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, J = 6.0, 15.2 Hz), δ 2.98 (1H, dd, J = 6.8, 15.2 Hz), δ 3.99 (1H, dd, J = 3.6, 11.2 Hz), δ 4.94 (1H, t, J = 6.0 Hz), δ 6.59 (1H, d, J = 1.6 Hz), δ 6.92-6.99 (2H, m), δ 7.35-7.40 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.7, 23.6, 25.5, 29.5, 36.8, 40.4, 43.6, 47.1, 55.8, 64.7, 110.2, 121.4, 121.7, 124.3, 127.8, 129.0, 133.4, 136.2, 138.9, 149.7, 208.0; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -187.96 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrClNO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 443.0652, found: 443.0649; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 10.878 min (major) and 14.425 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-phenyl-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4k)



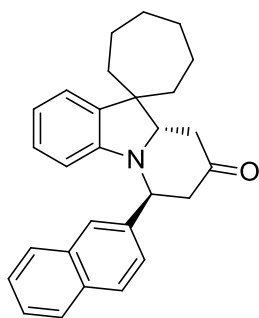
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.46-2.09 (12H, m), 2.31-2.39 (2H, m), δ 2.82 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 15.2$ Hz), δ 3.03 (1H, dd, $J = 6.4, 14.8$ Hz), δ 3.89 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 9.6$ Hz), δ 5.03 (1H, t, $J = 6.2$ Hz), δ 6.51 (1H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz), δ 6.81 (1H, t, $J = 7.4$ Hz), δ 7.10-7.15 (1H, m), δ 7.21-7.33 (2H, m), δ 7.38-7.42 (2H, m), δ 7.48 (2H, d, $J = 7.6$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 23.3, 24.2, 30.2, 30.6, 32.8, 40.5, 41.3, 44.0, 50.3, 56.4, 67.9, 107.2, 118.8, 122.8, 126.6, 127.5, 127.8, 128.8, 138.5, 141.1, 148.3, 209.2; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -182.28 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 345.2093, found: 345.2094; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/EtOH = 7/3, flow 0.6 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 8.332 min (major) and 13.198 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(3-fluorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4l)



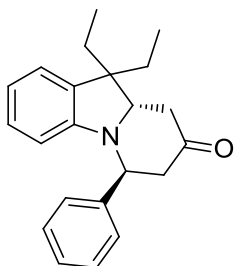
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.83-2.05 (12H, m), δ 2.27-2.34 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 15.2$ Hz), δ 2.95 (1H, dd, $J = 7.2, 15.2$ Hz), δ 3.87 (1H, dd, $J = 4.4, 10.4$ Hz), δ 4.94 (1H, t, $J = 6.4$ Hz), δ 6.44 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), δ 6.80 (1H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), δ 6.96-7.00 (1H, m), δ 7.09 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), δ 7.17-7.22 (3H, m), δ 7.33 (1H, dd, $J = 7.6, 13.6$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 23.3, 24.2, 30.1, 30.5, 32.9, 40.6, 41.2, 44.1, 50.4, 56.3, 68.0, 107.3, 113.6, 113.8, 114.4, 114.6, 119.2, 122.1, 122.2, 122.9, 127.8, 130.3, 130.4, 138.5, 144.1, 144.1, 148.1, 162.1, 164.5, 208.7; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -43.16 (c 0.75, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{FNO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 363.1998, found: 363.2000; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 8.204 min (major) and 13.354 min (minor).

(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(naphthalen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4m)



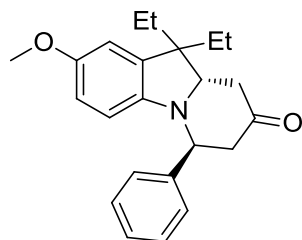
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.43-2.11 (12H, m), δ 2.37 (2H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 2.89 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 14.8 Hz), δ 3.15 (1H, dd, J = 6.4, 15.2 Hz), δ 3.87 (1H, t, J = 7.2 Hz), δ 5.21 (1H, t, J = 6.0 Hz), δ 6.59 (1H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 6.83 (1H, t, J = 7.2 Hz), δ 7.14 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 7.24 (1H, d, J = 7.2 Hz), δ 7.51-7.53 (2H, m), δ 7.61 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), δ 7.85-7.89 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 23.3, 24.2, 30.1, 30.5, 32.7, 40.5, 41.4, 43.6, 50.5, 56.4, 67.9, 107.2, 119.0, 123.0, 125.0, 125.5, 126.1, 126.3, 127.6, 127.8, 128.2, 128.7, 132.8, 133.4, 138.6, 148.2, 209.1; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -147.2 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 395.2249, found: 395.2248; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AD-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 9.991 min (major) and 16.724 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4n)



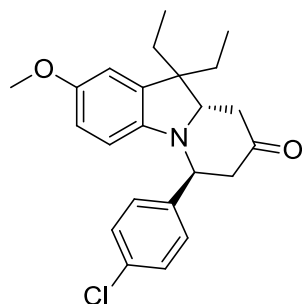
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.84 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 0.94 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 1.47-1.56 (1H, m), δ 1.64-1.72 (1H, m), δ 1.79-1.88 (1H, m), δ 1.96-2.05 (1H, m), δ 2.35-2.46 (1H, m), δ 2.83 (1H, dd, J = 6.0, 14.4 Hz), δ 3.02 (1H, dd, J = 6.0, 14.8 Hz), δ 3.81 (1H, d, J = 10.8 Hz), δ 5.04-5.06 (1H, m), δ 6.54 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), δ 6.79-6.82 (1H, m), δ 7.08 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), δ 7.13-7.16 (1H, m), δ 7.29-7.33 (1H, m), δ 7.38-7.48 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.2, 9.2, 22.4, 28.3, 41.1, 44.0, 50.3, 56.3, 67.7, 107.2, 118.2, 124.4, 126.8, 127.4, 127.9, 128.8, 134.7, 141.0, 148.9, 209.3; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -133.92 (c 0.75, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 319.1936, found: 319.1937; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 8.054 min (major) and 13.692 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4o)



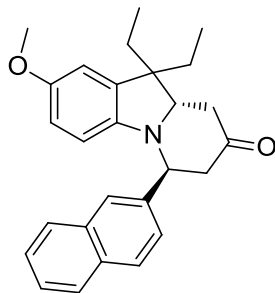
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(6S,9aS)-6-(4-chlorophenyl)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4p)



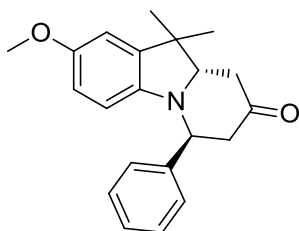
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.84 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 0.91 (3H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 1.48 (1H, dd, J = 7.2, 14.4 Hz), δ 1.67 (1H, dd, J = 7.2, 14.4 Hz), δ 1.83 (1H, dd, J = 7.6, 13.6 Hz), δ 1.95 (1H, dd, J = 7.6, 14.4 Hz), δ 2.31-2.43 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 15.2 Hz), δ 2.93 (1H, dd, J = 6.4, 14.8 Hz), δ 3.71-3.77 (1H, m), δ 3.78 (3H, s), δ 4.90 (1H, t, J = 6.2 Hz), δ 6.39 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), δ 6.66-6.71 (2H, m), δ 7.33-7.40 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.3, 9.0, 22.4, 28.2, 35.5, 40.8, 43.8, 50.5, 55.9, 55.9, 56.5, 56.5, 68.0, 107.4, 111.6, 112.5, 128.2, 128.9, 133.2, 136.5, 139.7, 142.9, 153.2, 209.0; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -144.56 (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{26}\text{ClNO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 383.1652, found: 383.1649; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 8.334 min (major) and 21.294 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4q)



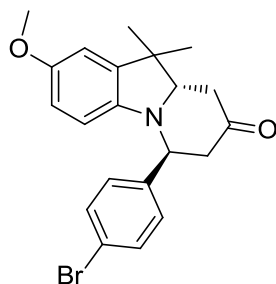
Yellow solid; mp: 45-48°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.86 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 0.91 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), δ 1.50 (1H, dd, J = 7.2, 14.4 Hz), δ 1.66 (1H, dd, J = 7.2, 14.4 Hz), δ 1.86-1.99 (2H, m), δ 2.32-2.46 (2H, m), δ 2.88 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 15.2 Hz), δ 3.11 (1H, dd, J = 6.0, 15.2 Hz), δ 3.71-3.78 (1H, m), δ 3.79 (3H, s), δ 5.11 (1H, t, J = 6.0 Hz), δ 6.49 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), δ 6.67-6.73 (2H, m), δ 7.50-7.52 (2H, m), δ 7.59 (1H, dd, J = 1.6, 8.8 Hz), δ 7.84-7.88 (4H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.3, 9.1, 22.3, 28.2, 40.9, 43.6, 50.6, 56.0, 57.0, 68.1, 107.3, 111.6, 112.6, 125.2, 125.5, 126.1, 126.3, 127.6, 128.2, 128.6, 132.7, 133.3, 136.6, 138.8, 143.2, 153.1, 209.3; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -60.52 (c 0.5, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 399.2198, found: 399.2195; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 9.921 min (major) and 32.284 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4r)



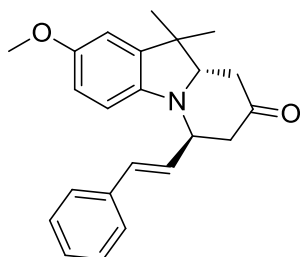
Yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.27 (3H, s), δ 1.36 (3H, s), δ 2.31-2.42 (2H, m), δ 2.82 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 15.2 Hz), δ 2.96 (1H, dd, J = 6.8, 15.2 Hz), δ 3.71-3.79 (1H, m), δ 3.78 (3H, s), δ 4.94 (1H, t, J = 6.0 Hz), δ 6.40 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), δ 6.65 (1H, dd, J = 2.4, 8.4 Hz), δ 6.74 (1H, d, J = 2.8 Hz), δ 7.28-7.31 (1H, m), δ 7.36-7.39 (2H, m), δ 7.45 (2H, d, J = 7.2 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 21.1, 29.1, 41.3, 43.4, 44.6, 56.0, 57.0, 68.9, 107.6, 110.2, 111.8, 126.8, 127.5, 128.8, 138.9, 141.2, 142.6, 153.6, 209.1; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$ -121.02 (c 0.75, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 321.1729, found: 321.1728; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 13.150 min (major) and 25.260 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-6-(4-bromophenyl)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4s)



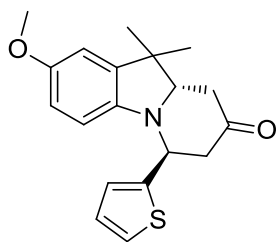
Yellow solid; mp: 99-102°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.26 (3H, s), δ 1.34 (3H, s), δ 2.30-2.39 (2H, m), δ 2.78 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 15.2$ Hz), δ 2.89 (1H, dd, $J = 6.8, 15.2$ Hz), δ 3.71 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 10.4$ Hz), δ 3.76 (3H, s), δ 4.87 (1H, t, $J = 6.2$ Hz), δ 6.36 (1H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz), δ 6.64 (1H, dd, $J = 2.4, 8.4$ Hz), δ 6.73 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), δ 7.32 (2H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz), δ 7.48 (2H, d, $J = 8.4$ Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 21.1, 29.1, 41.2, 43.4, 44.3, 55.9, 56.7, 68.9, 107.7, 110.2, 111.8, 121.4, 128.6, 131.9, 138.9, 140.2, 142.3, 153.8, 208.7; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30} -184.52$ (c 1.00, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrNO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 399.0834, found: 399.0835; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS-H, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 11.684min (major) and 19.758 min (minor).

(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-((E)-styryl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4t)



Yellow solid; mp: 47-50°C; ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.16 (3H, s), δ 1.31 (3H, s), δ 2.34-2.39 (1H, m), δ 2.46-2.52 (1H, m), δ 2.70-2.75 (1H, m), δ 2.91 (1H, dd, $J = 6.4, 14.4$ Hz), δ 3.59 (1H, dd, $J = 3.2, 12.0$ Hz), δ 3.78 (3H, s), δ 4.78 (1H, t, $J = 6.0$ Hz), δ 6.21 (1H, dd, $J = 5.6, 16.4$ Hz), δ 6.53-6.63 (2H, m), δ 6.69-6.73 (2H, m), δ 7.23-7.34 (5H, m); ^{13}C NMR (100MHz, CDCl_3): δ 22.0, 26.0, 41.7, 42.8, 44.0, 54.1, 55.8, 68.4, 76.6, 76.7, 76.9, 77.0, 77.3, 77.3, 107.9, 109.9, 109.9, 111.6, 126.4, 126.4, 127.8, 128.4, 133.2, 136.1, 140.2, 141.4, 153.5, 208.8; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30} -8.88$ (c 0.15, CH_2Cl_2); HRMS(EI) calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 347.1885, found: 347.1882; HPLC (DAICEL Chiralpak AS, hexane/EtOH = 9/1, flow 0.8 ml/min, detection at 220nm) retention time = 10.401 min (major) and 16.502 min (minor).

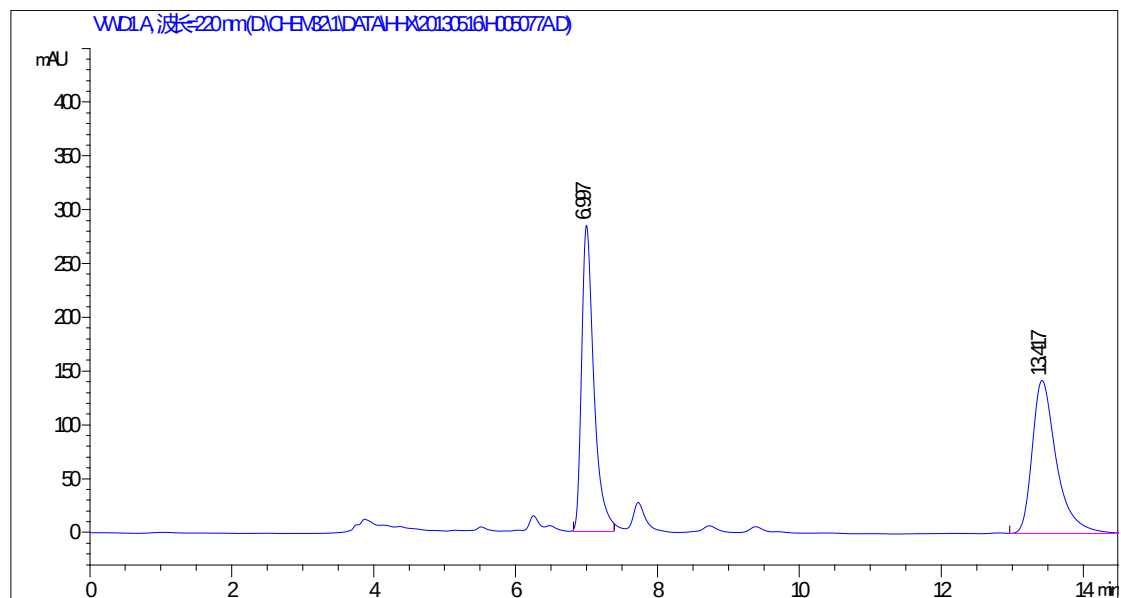
(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-(thiophen-2-yl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4u)



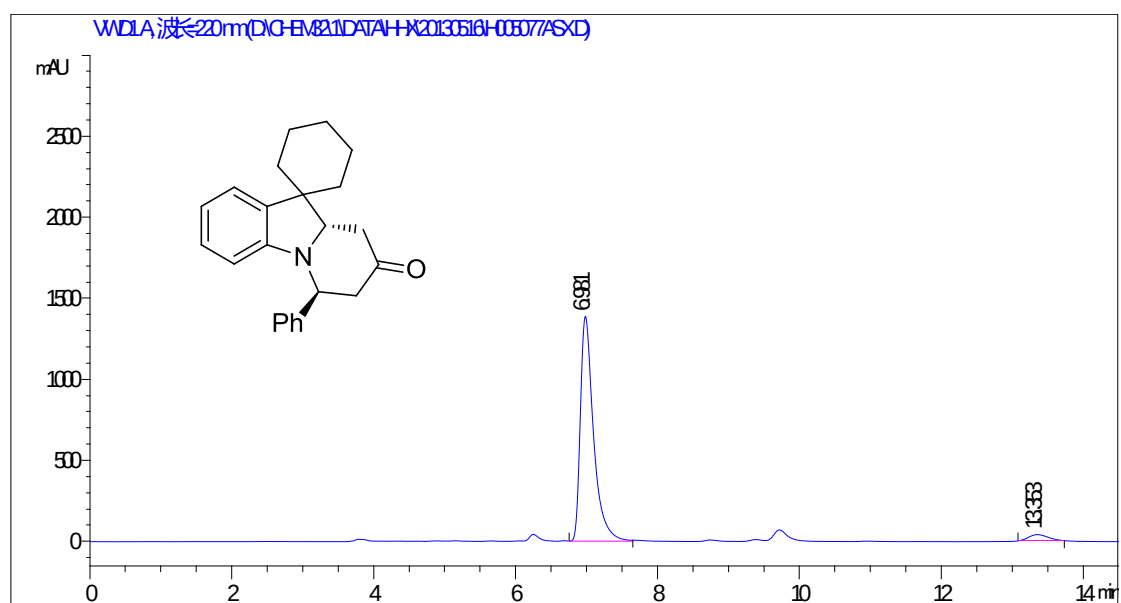
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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-phenyl-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (**4a**)

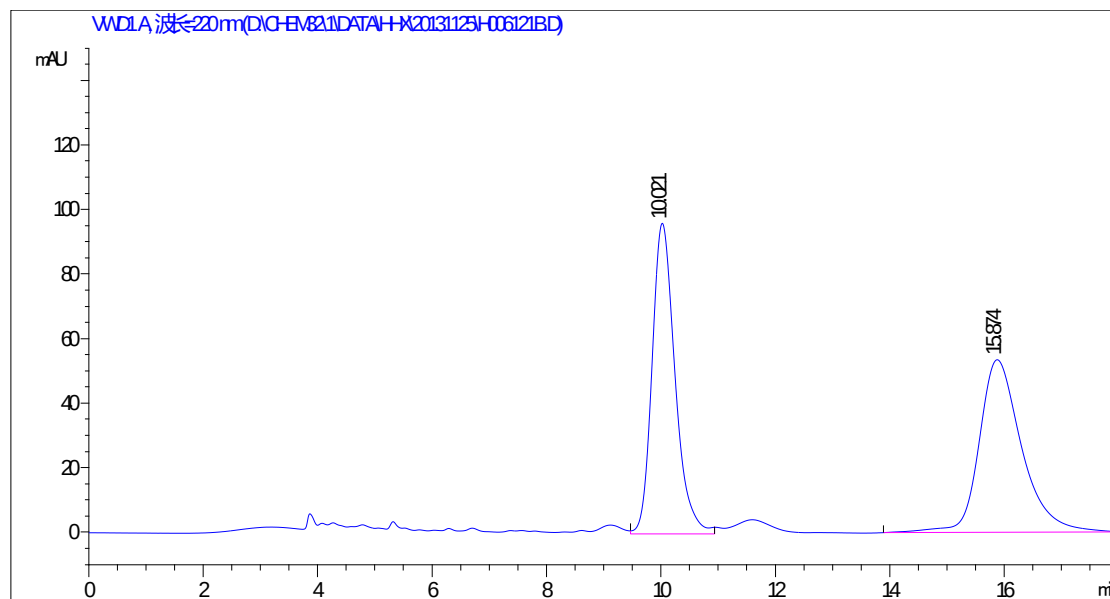


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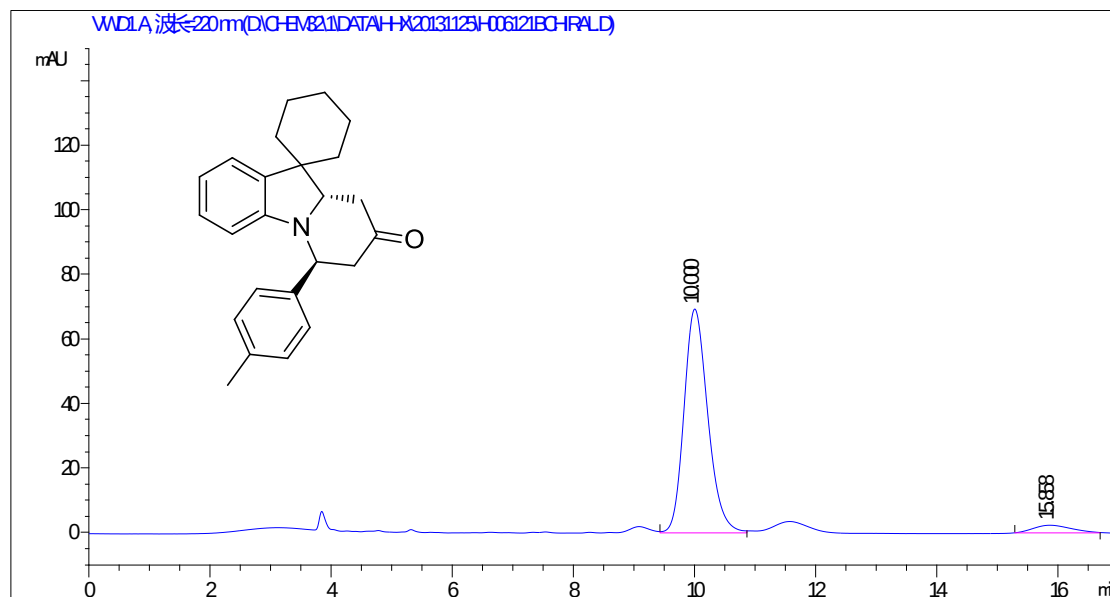


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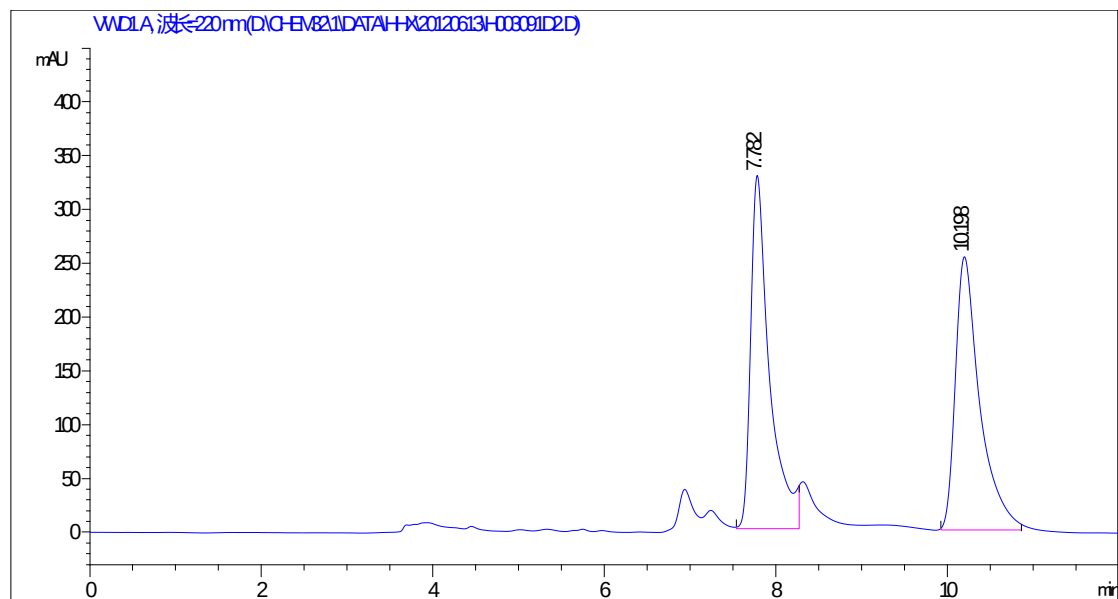


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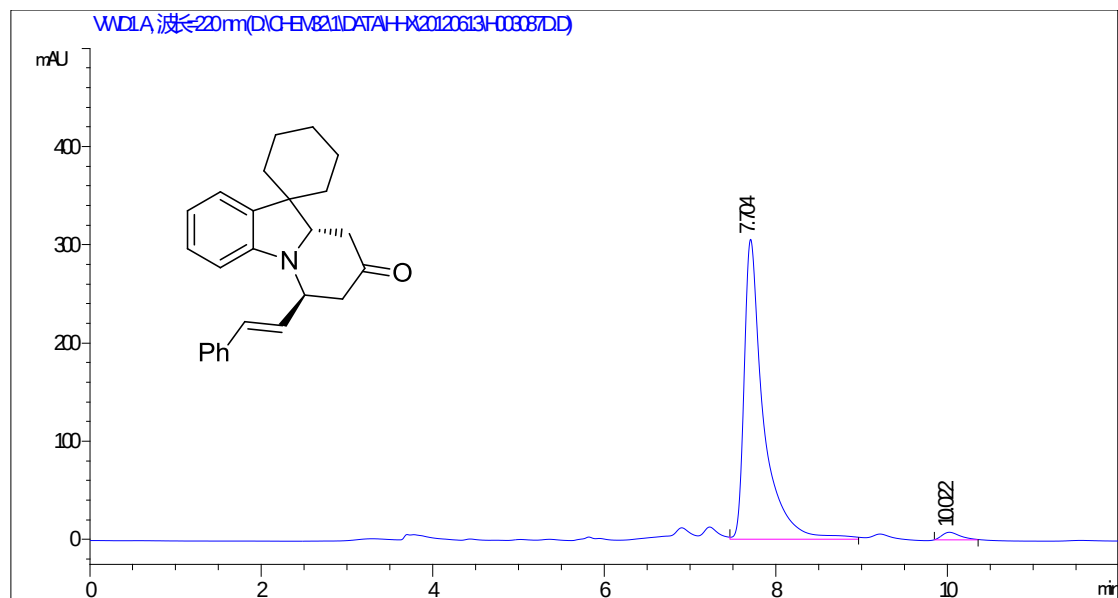


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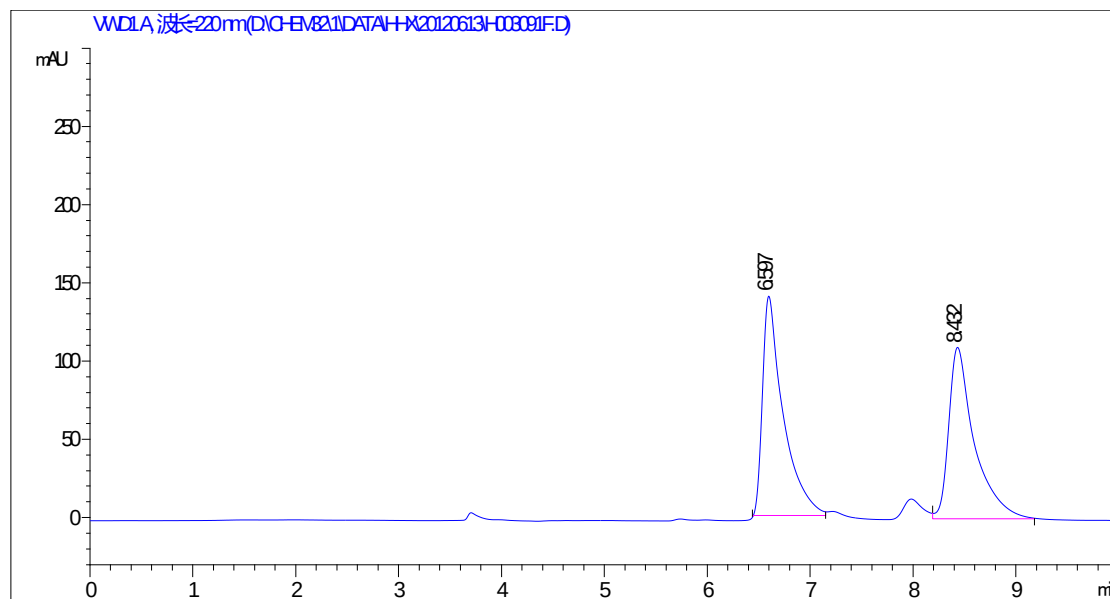


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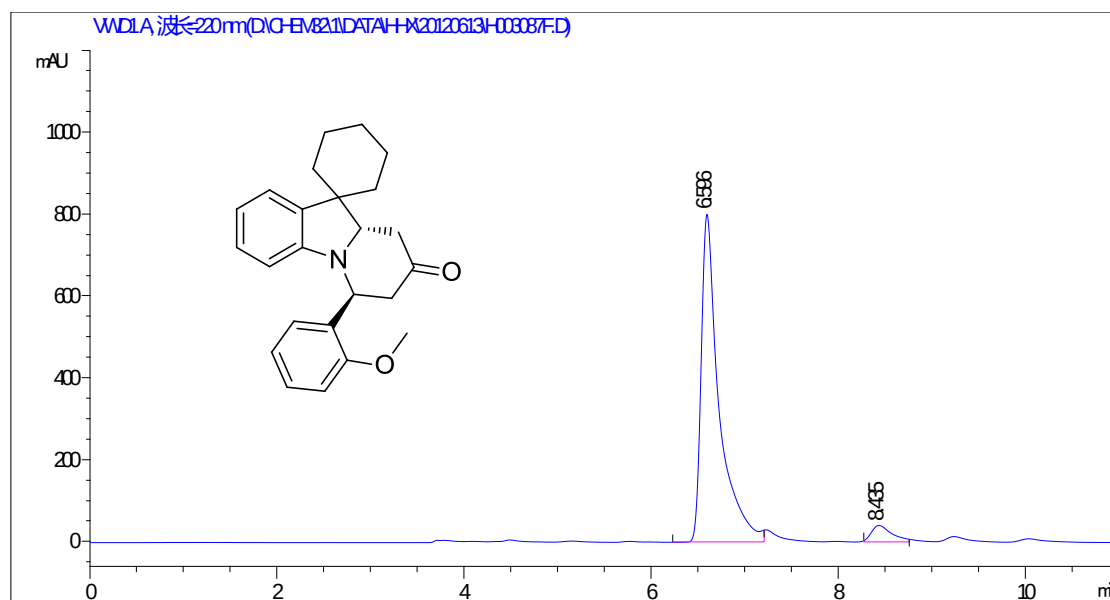


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(2-methoxyphenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4d)

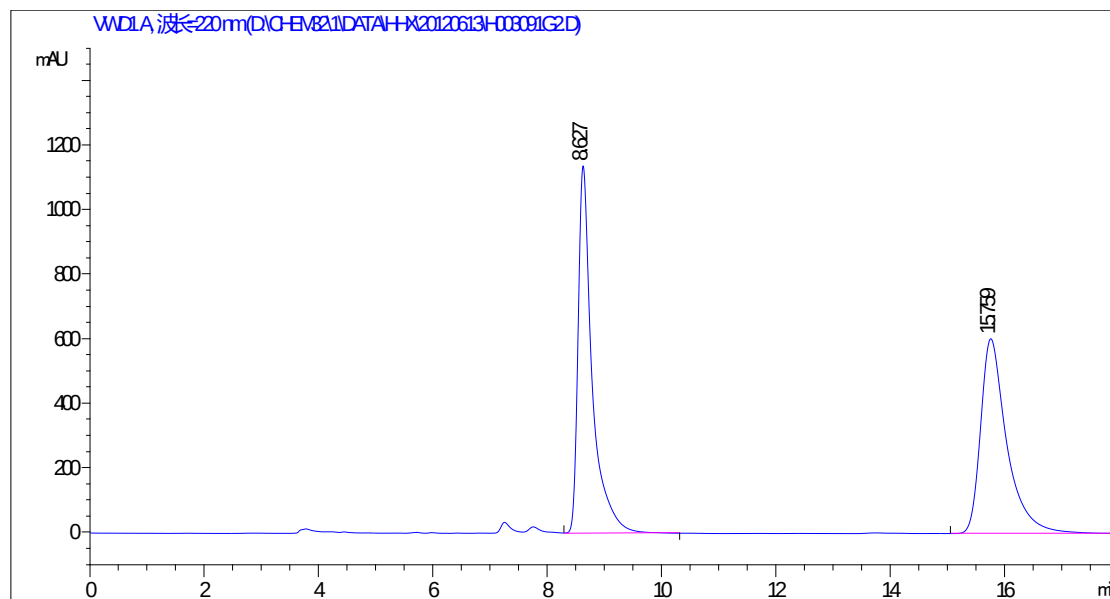


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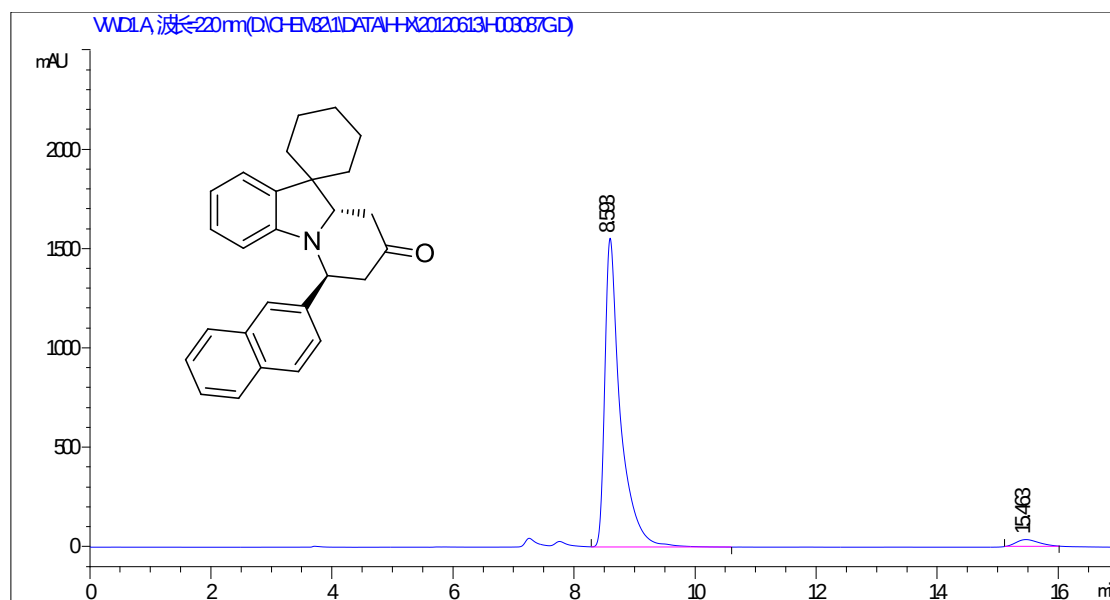


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(naphthalen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4e)

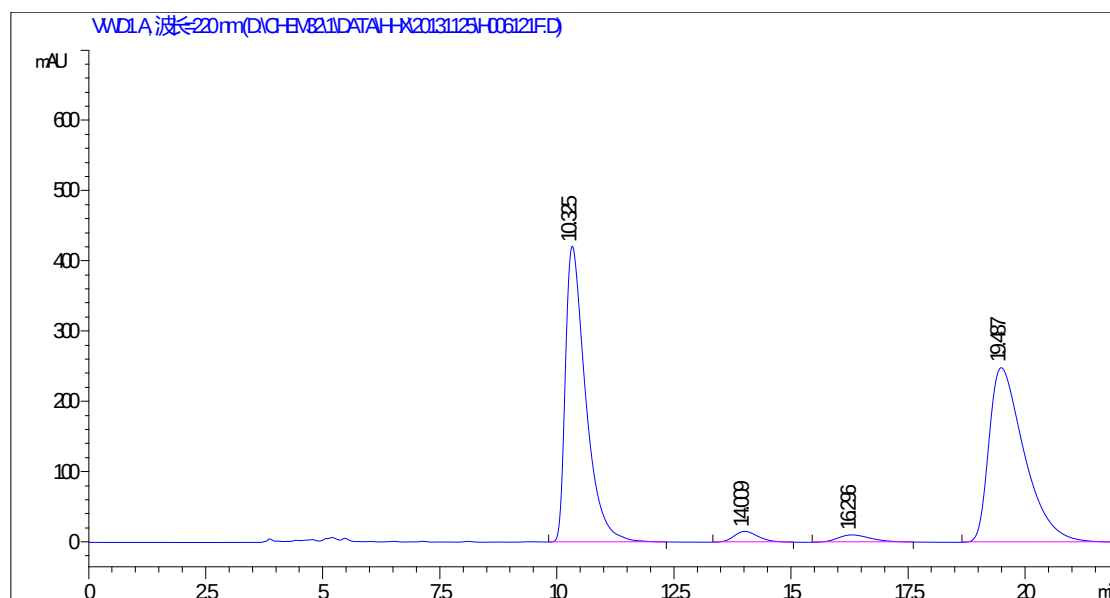


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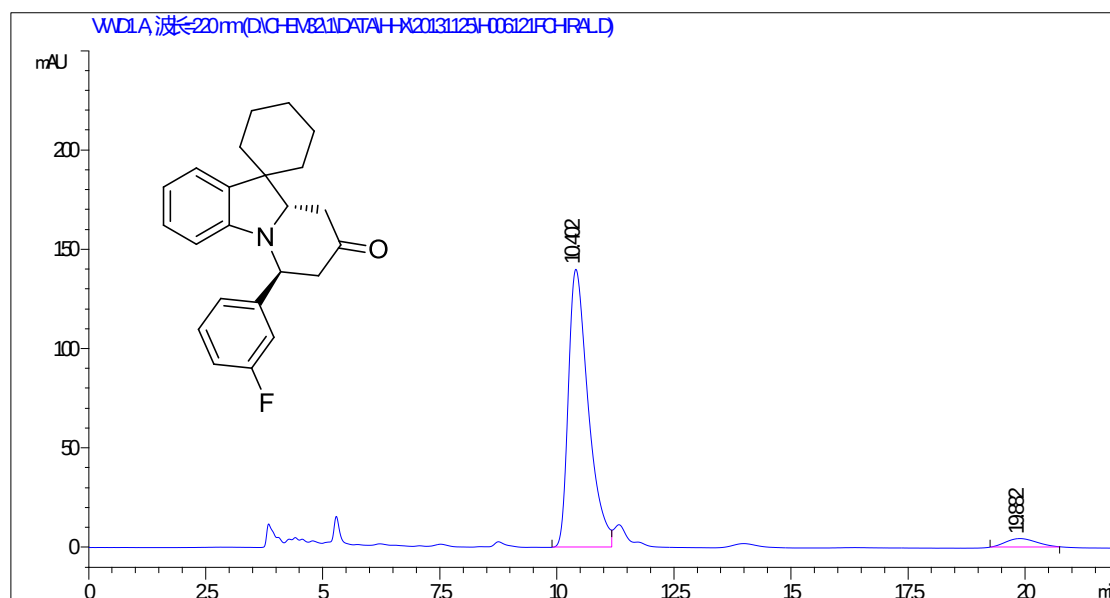


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(3-fluorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4f)

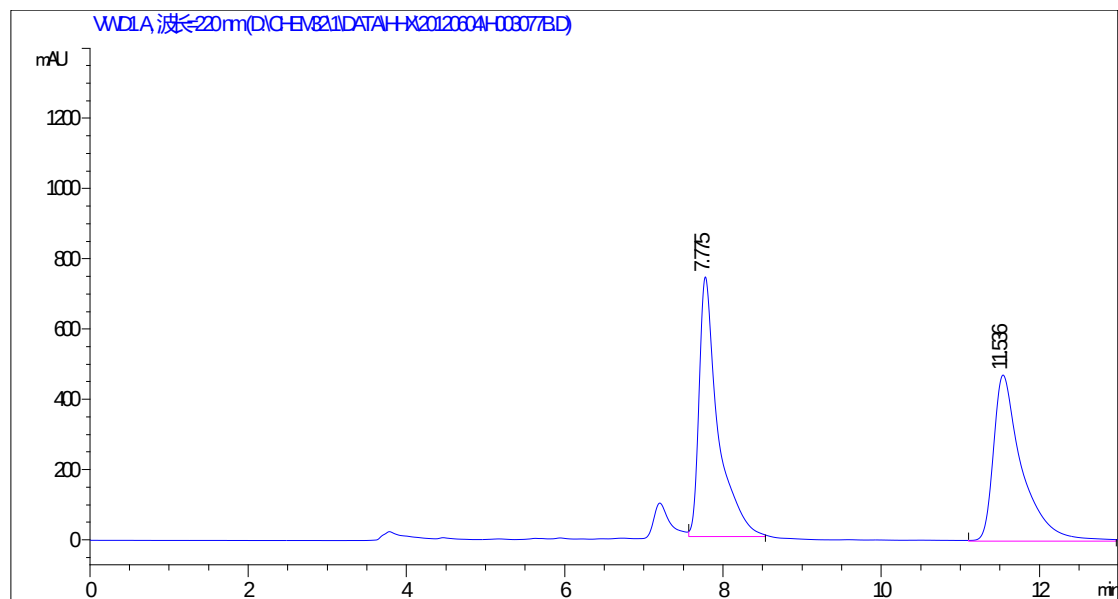


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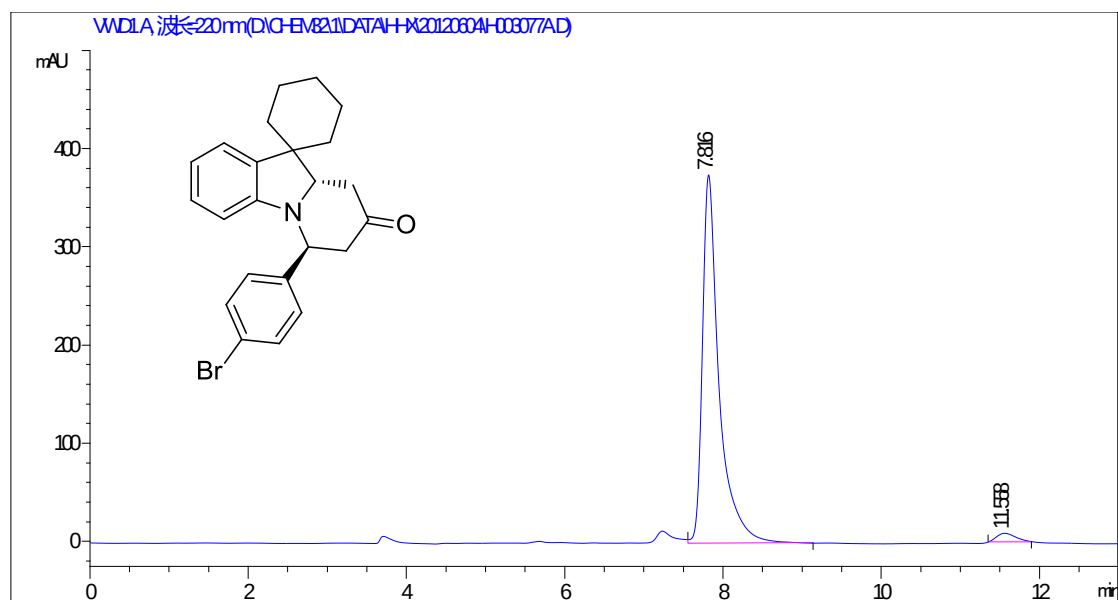


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(4-bromophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4g)

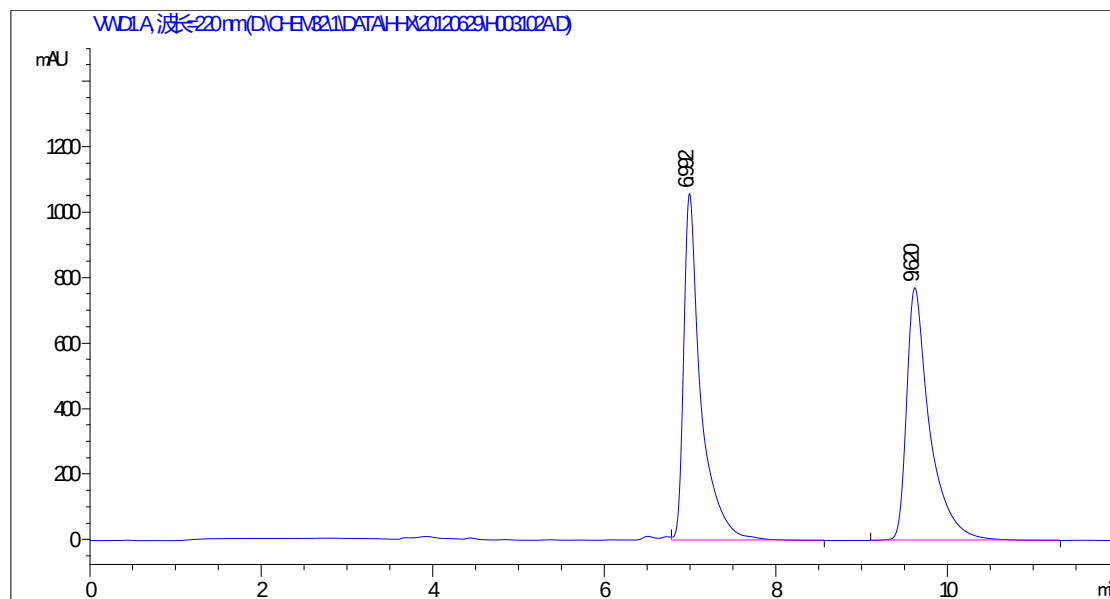


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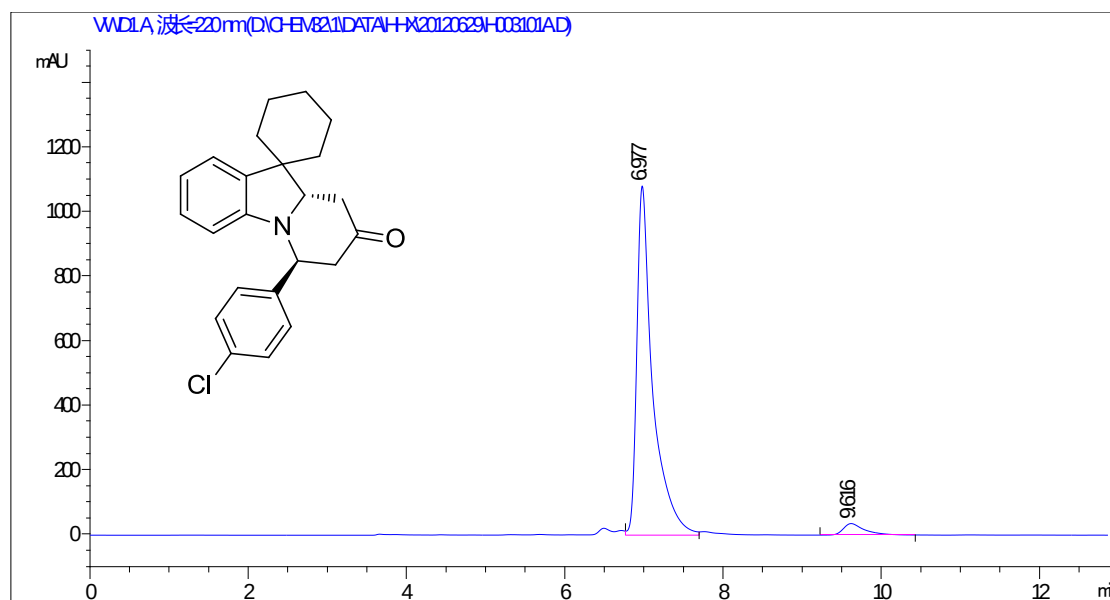


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(4-chlorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4h)

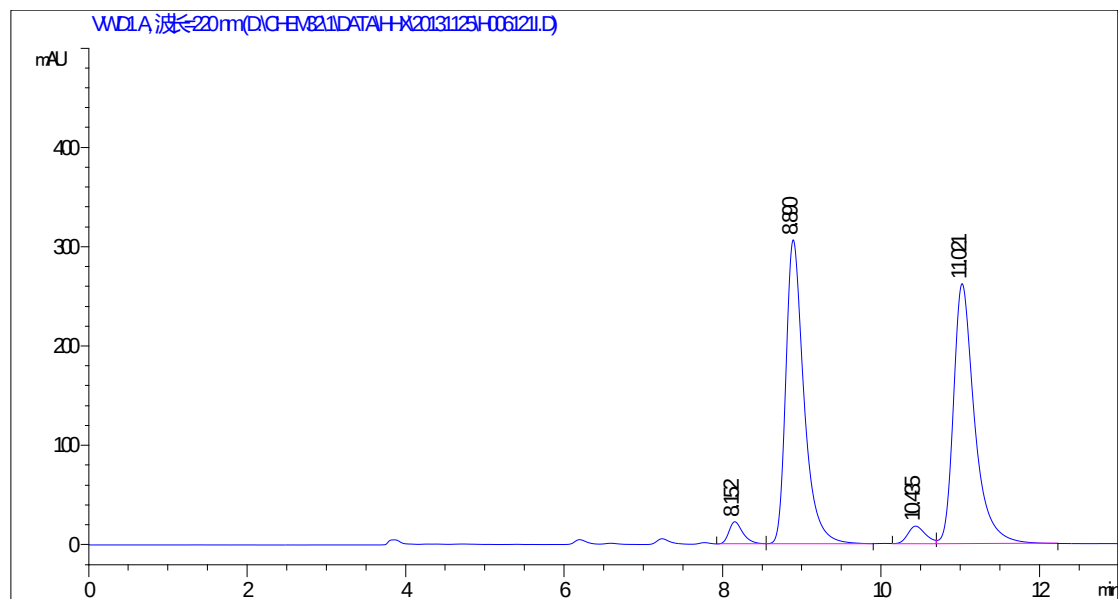


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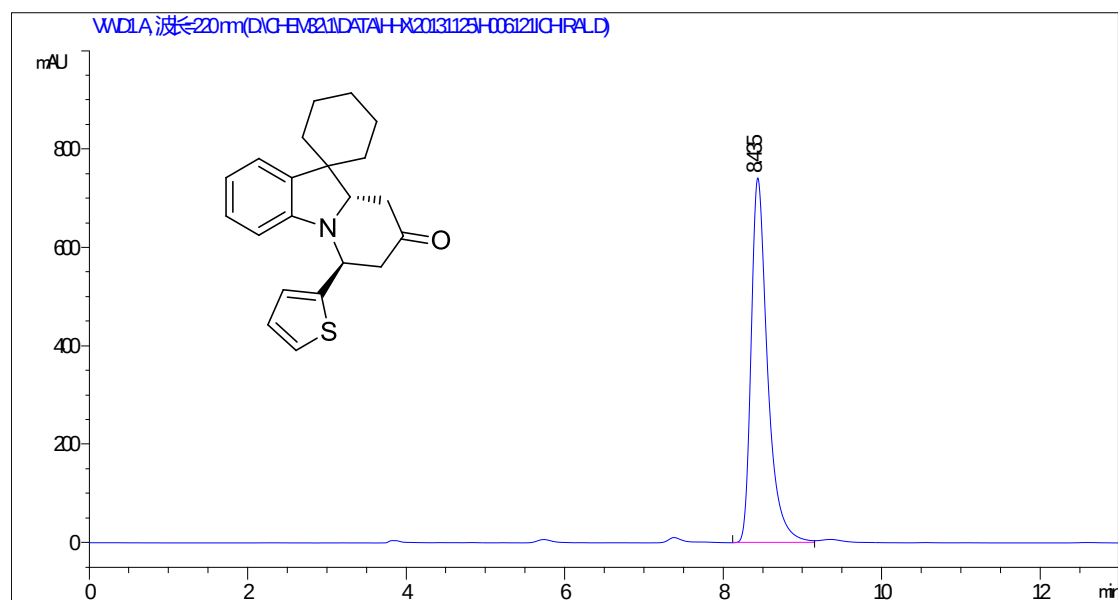


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(thiophen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4i)

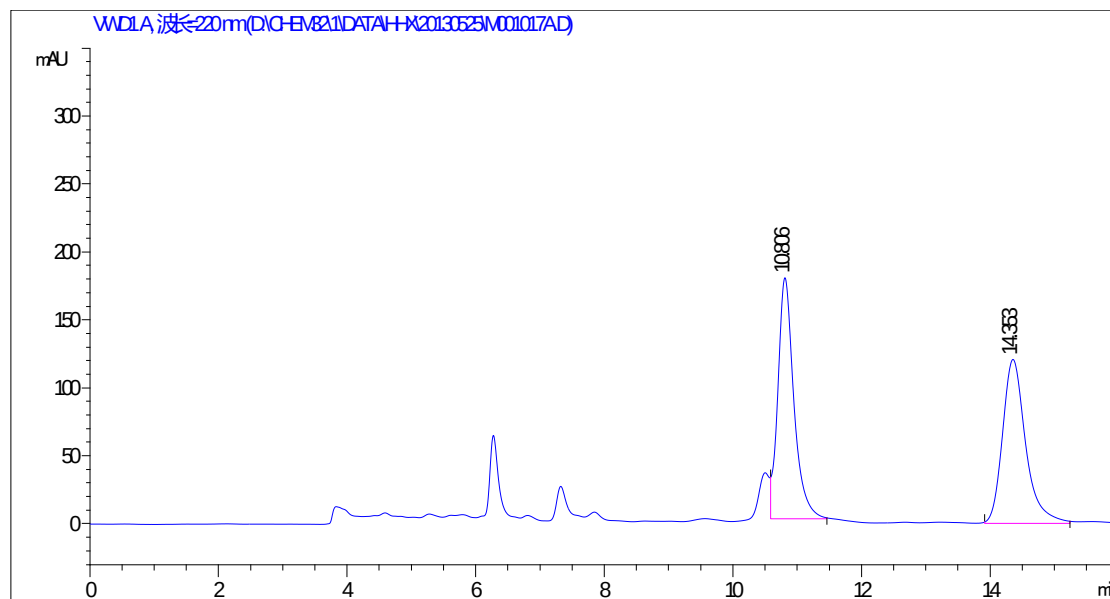


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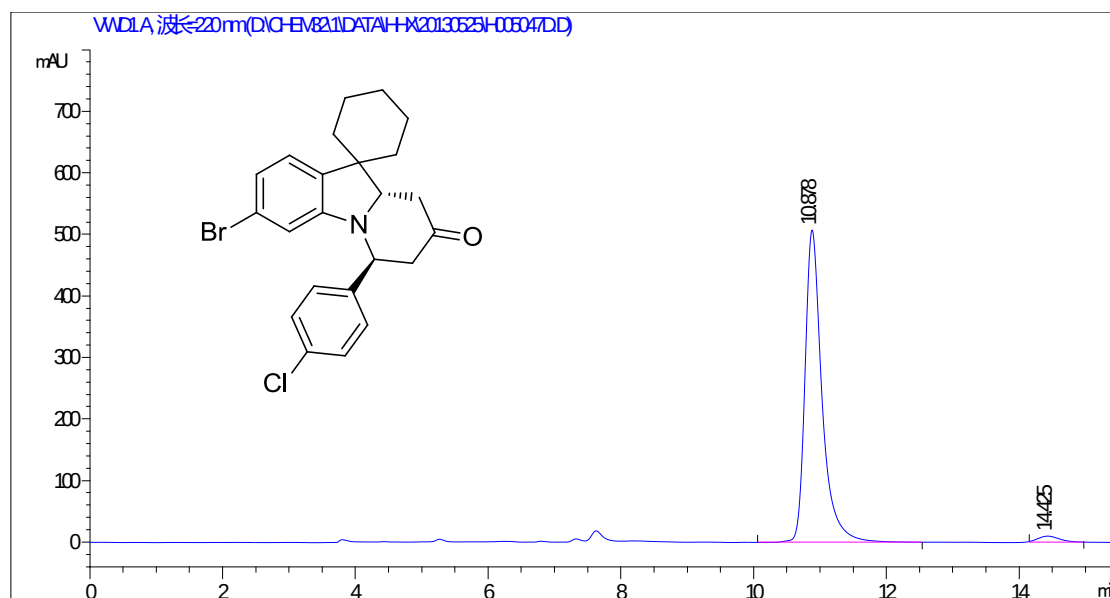


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(6'S,9a'S)-3'-bromo-6'-(4-chlorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4j)

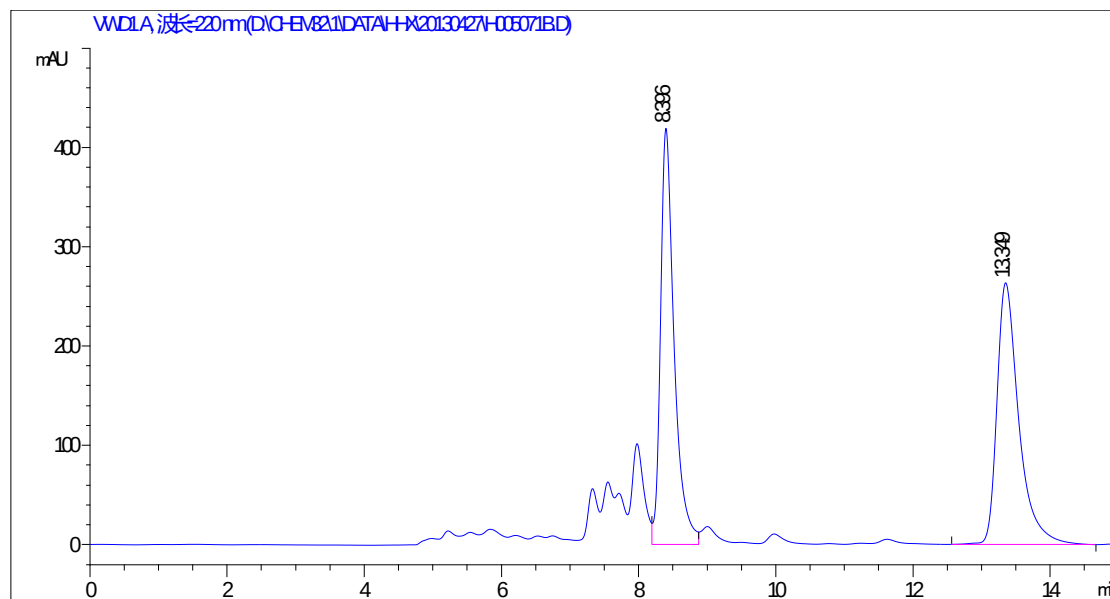


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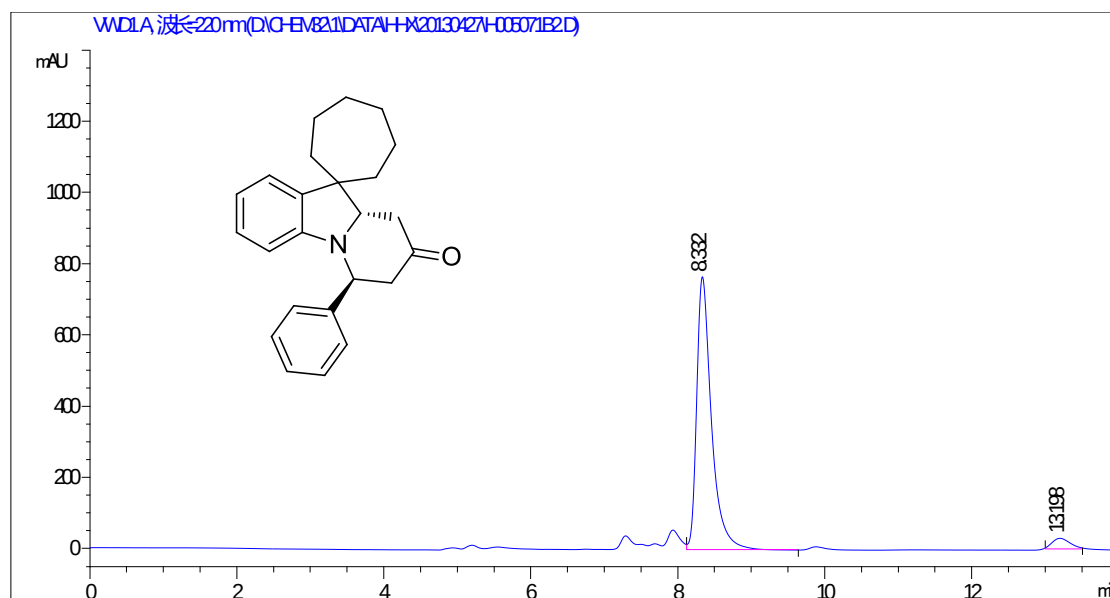


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-phenyl-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4k)

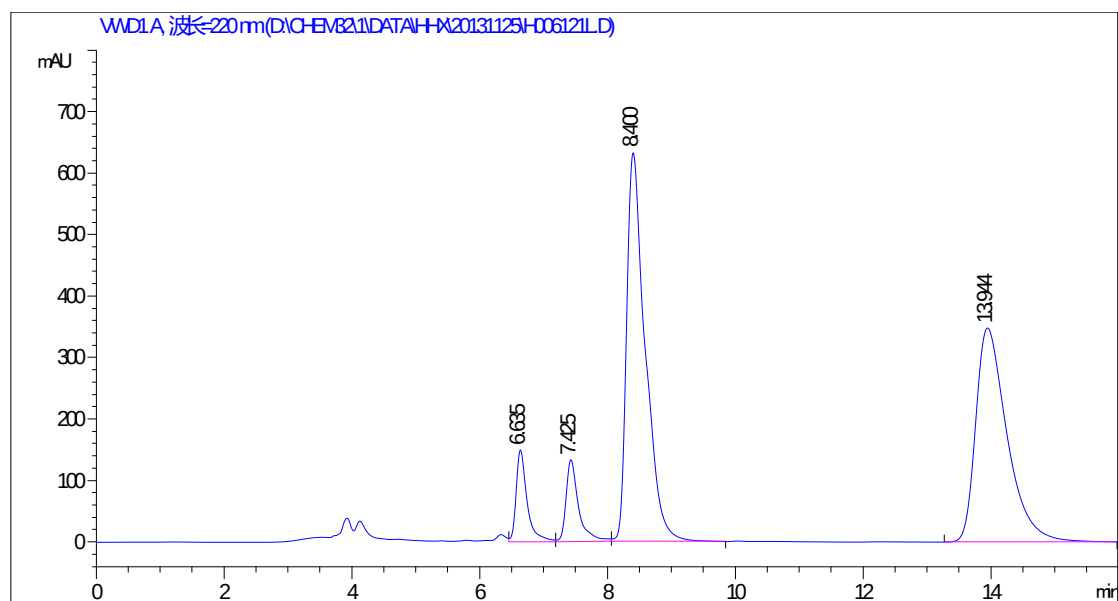


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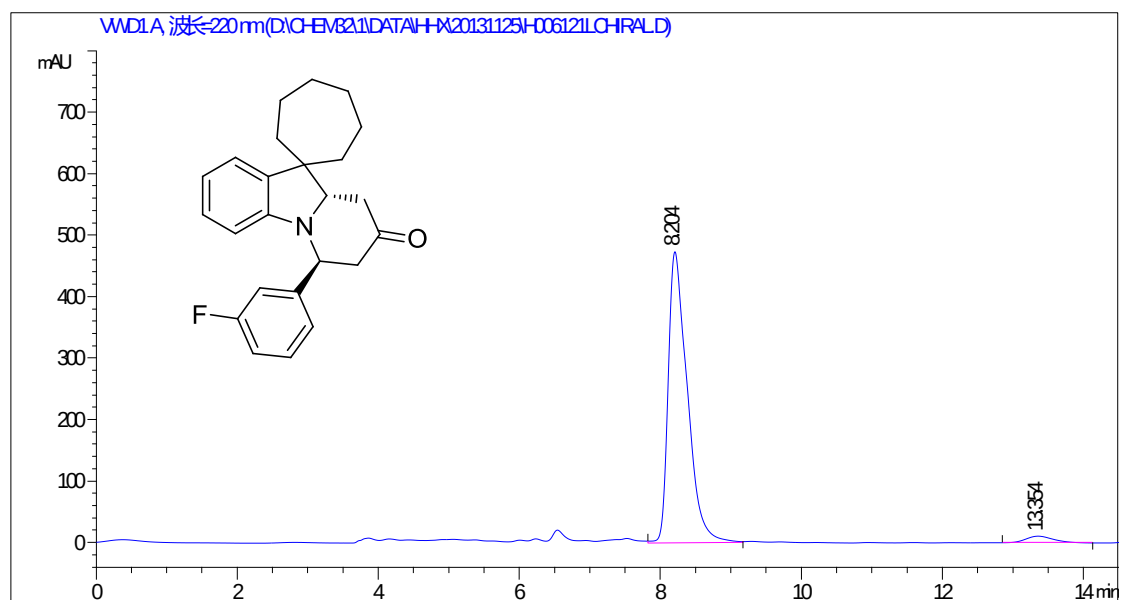


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(3-fluorophenyl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4l)

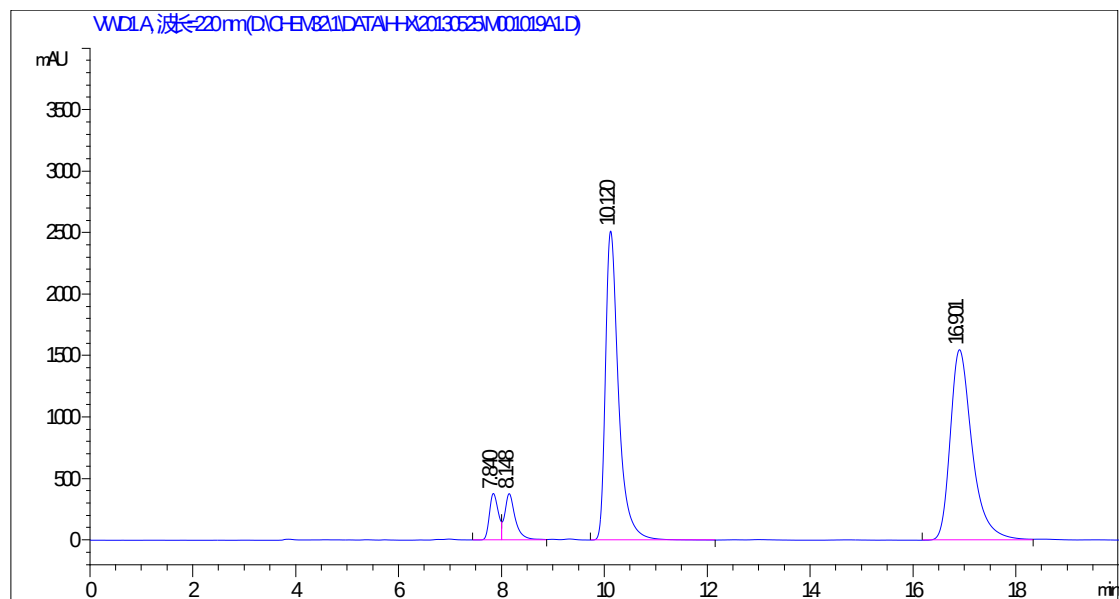


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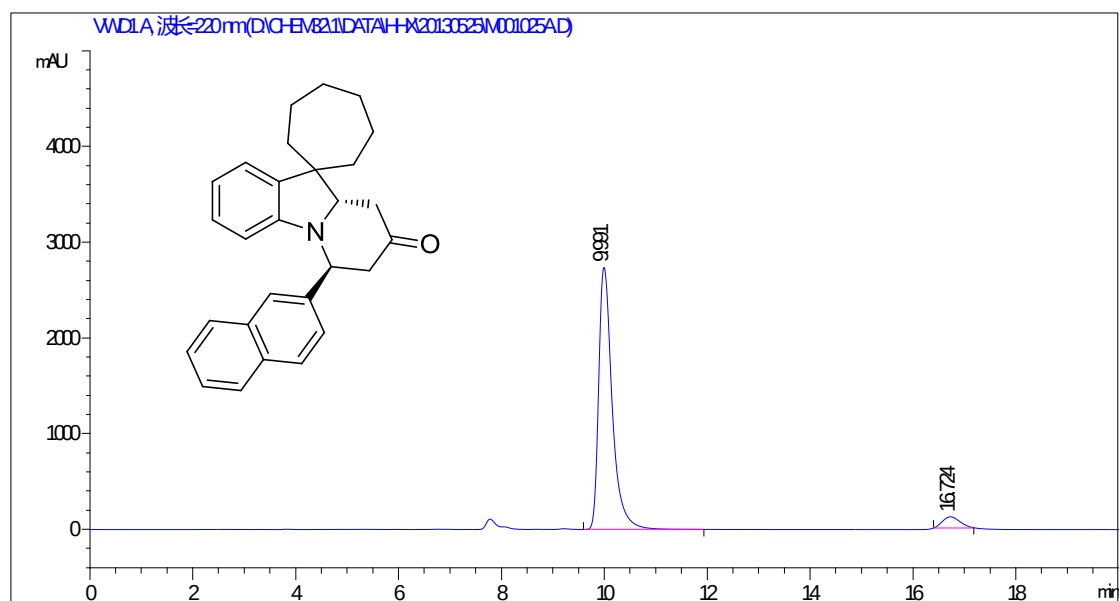


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(6'S,9a'S)-6'-(naphthalen-2-yl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cycloheptane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (4m)

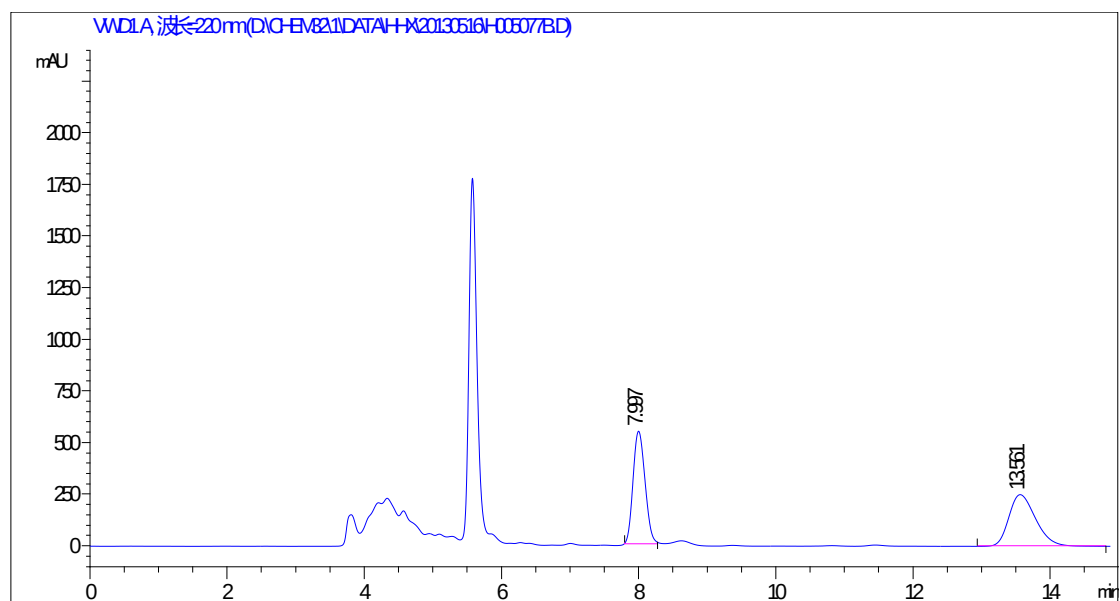


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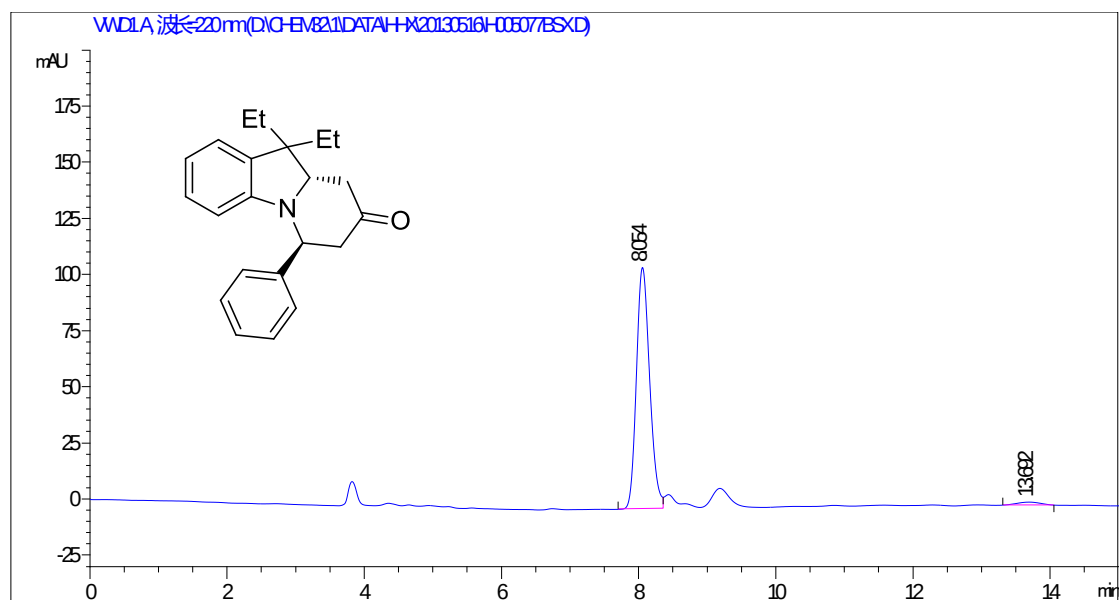


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2	16.724	2734.2	117.1	0.3891	0.816	5.200

(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4n)

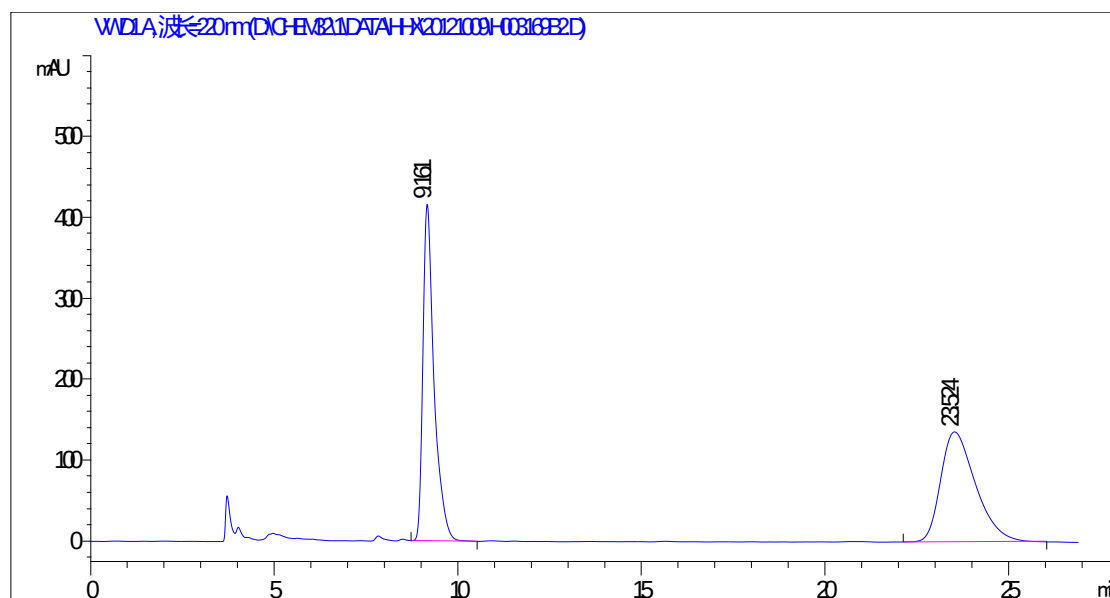


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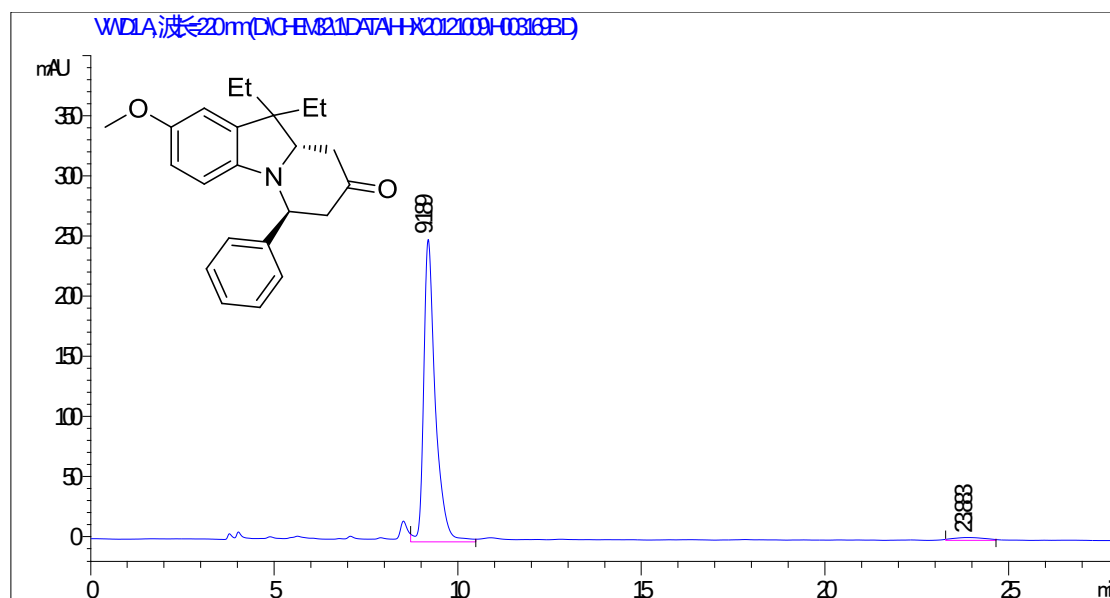


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(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4o)

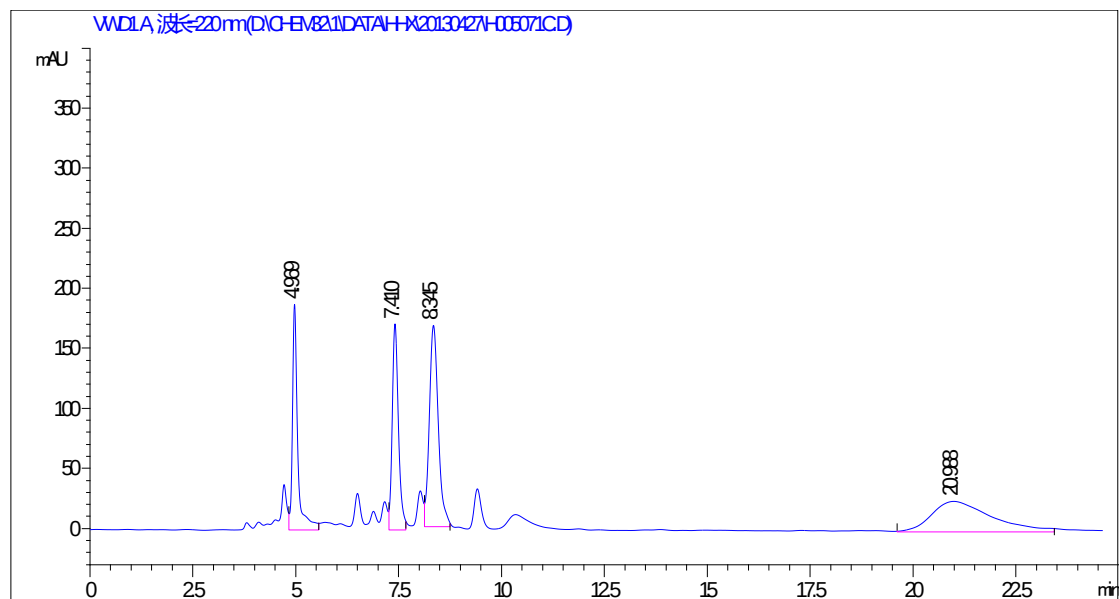


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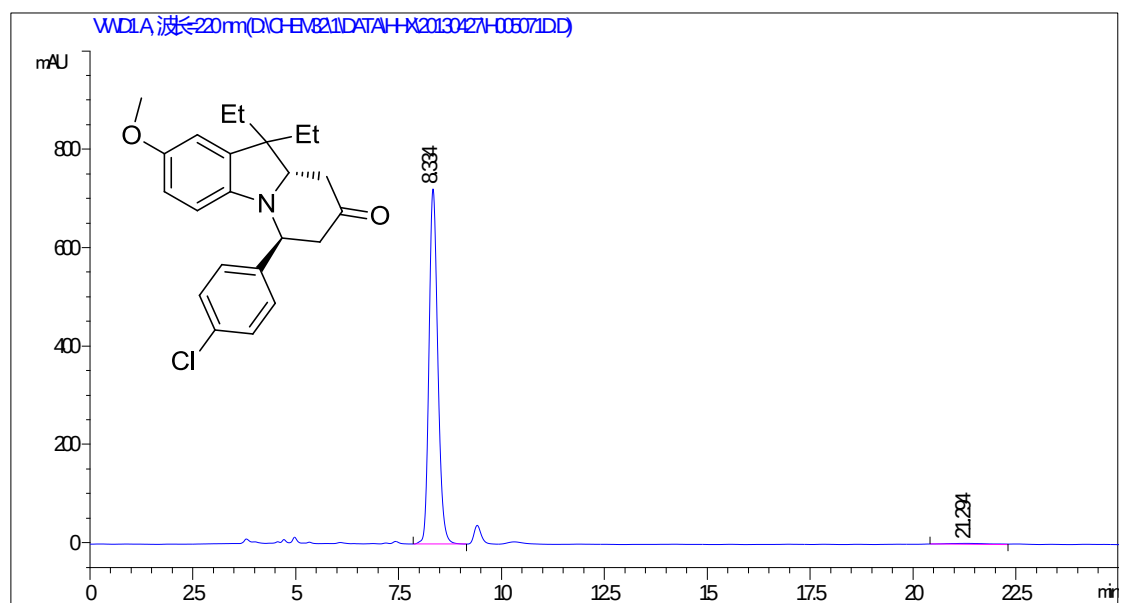


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1	9.189	5582.4	251.6	0.3698	0.604	97.508
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(6S,9aS)-6-(4-chlorophenyl)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido [1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4p)

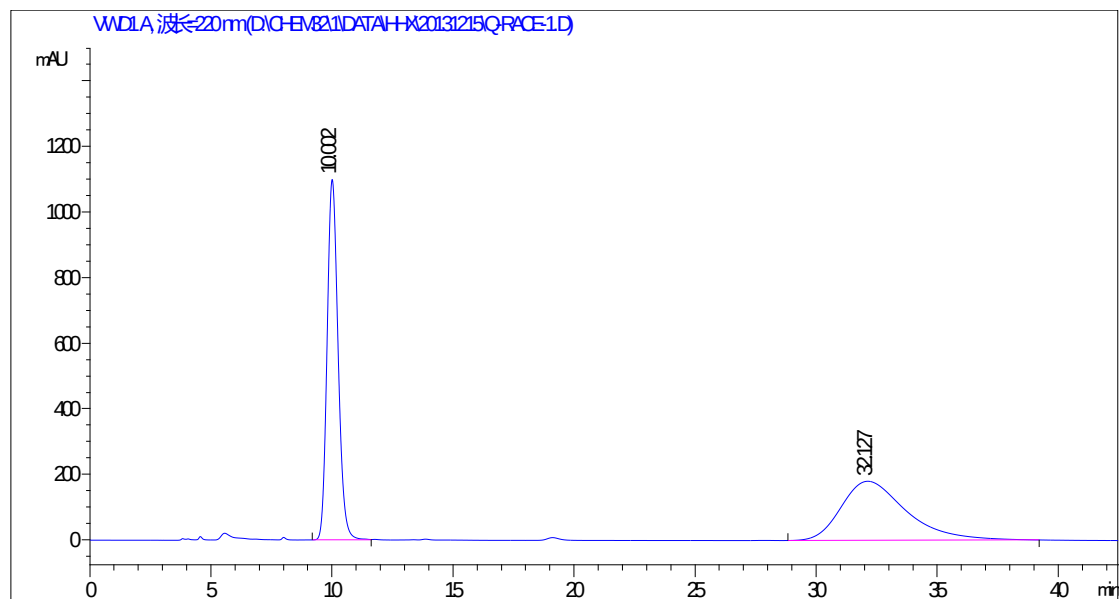


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1	4.969	1671.8	188.1	0.1299	0.573	19.356
2	7.41	1807.6	172	0.1752	0.763	20.929
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4	20.988	2622.6	25.6	1.7106	0.575	30.365

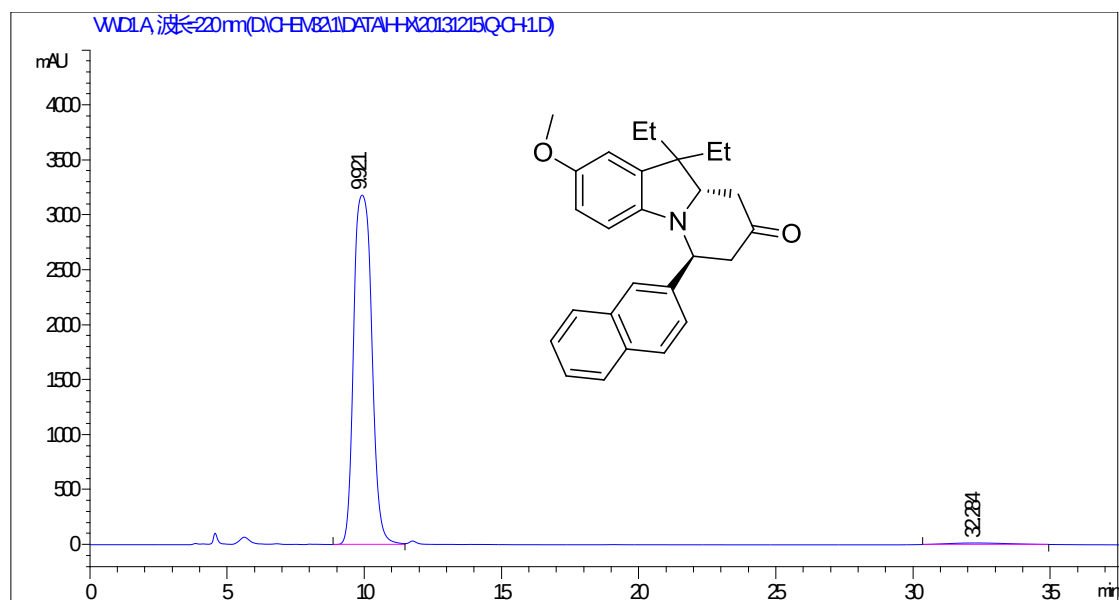


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1	8.334	10772.9	722.5	0.2278	0.803	98.171
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(6S,9aS)-10,10-diethyl-2-methoxy-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyridine [1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4q)

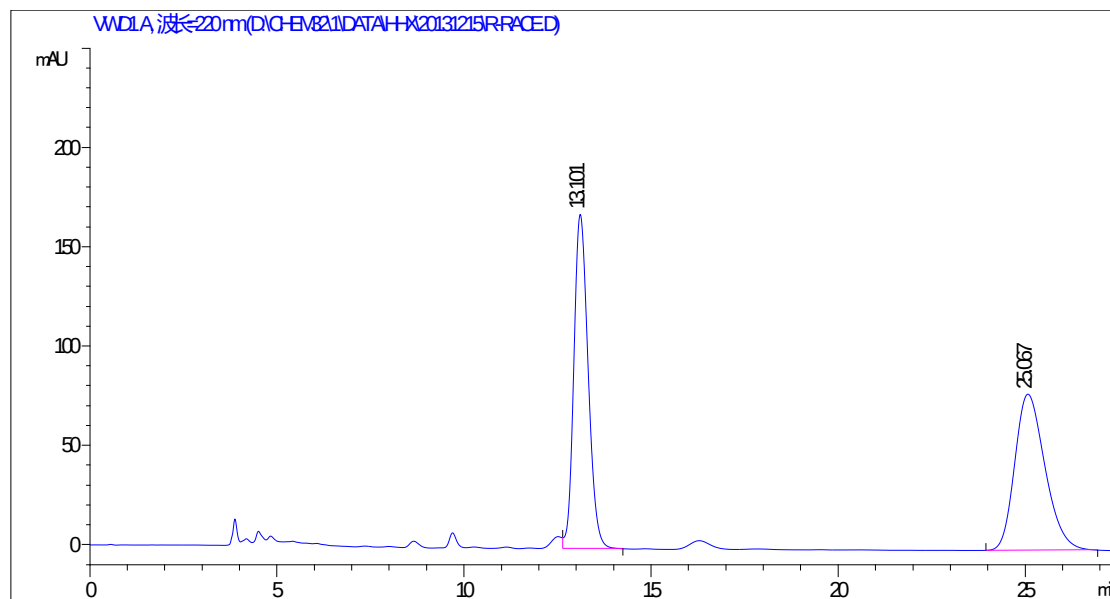


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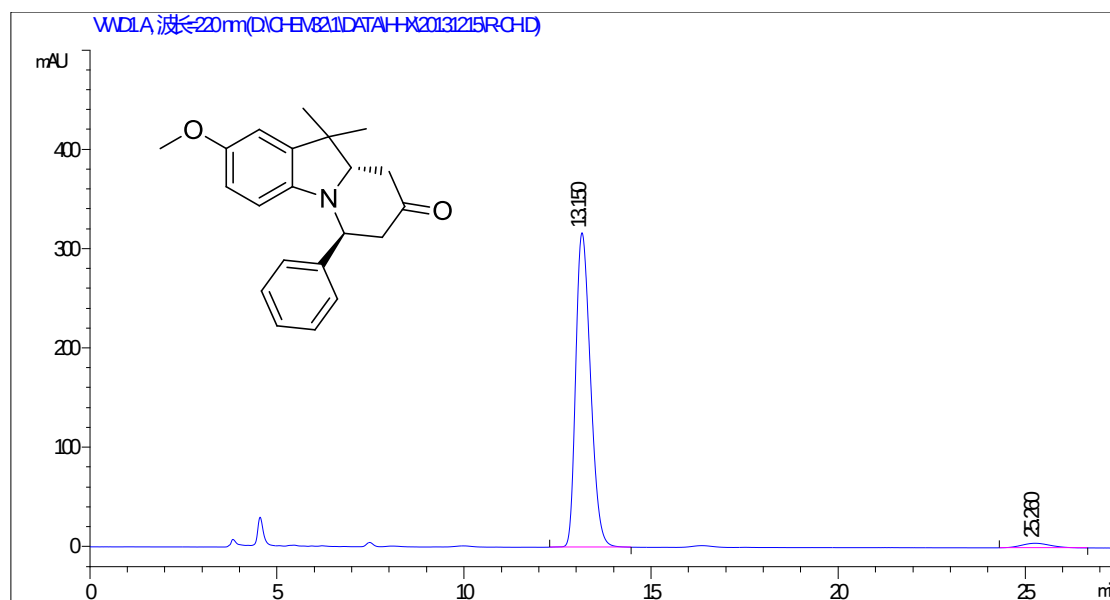


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1	9.921	146160.6	3181.7	0.7325	0.844	98.057
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(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-phenyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4r)

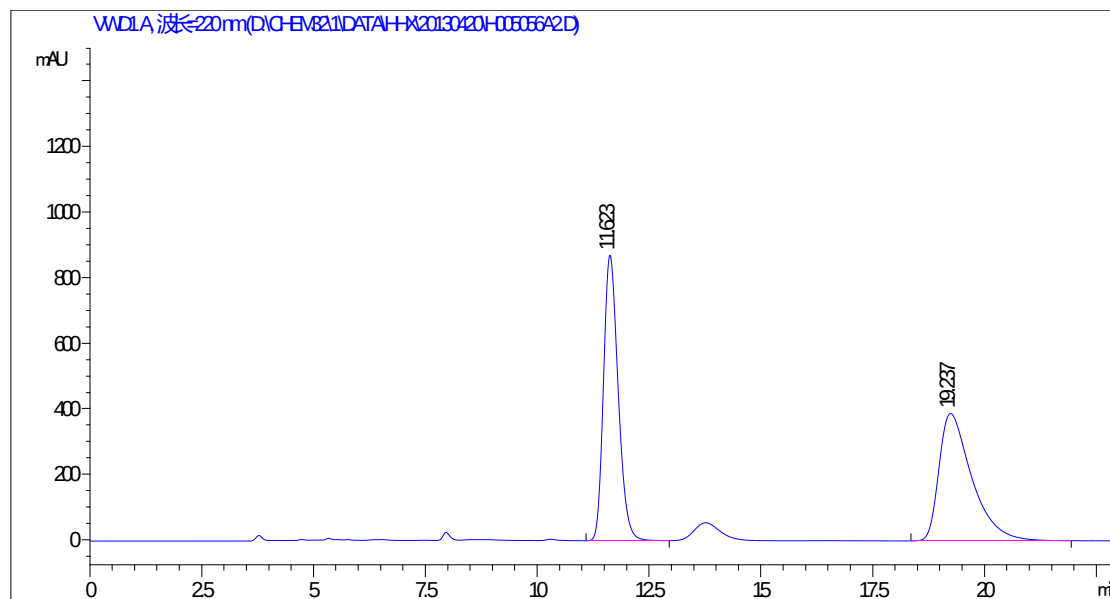


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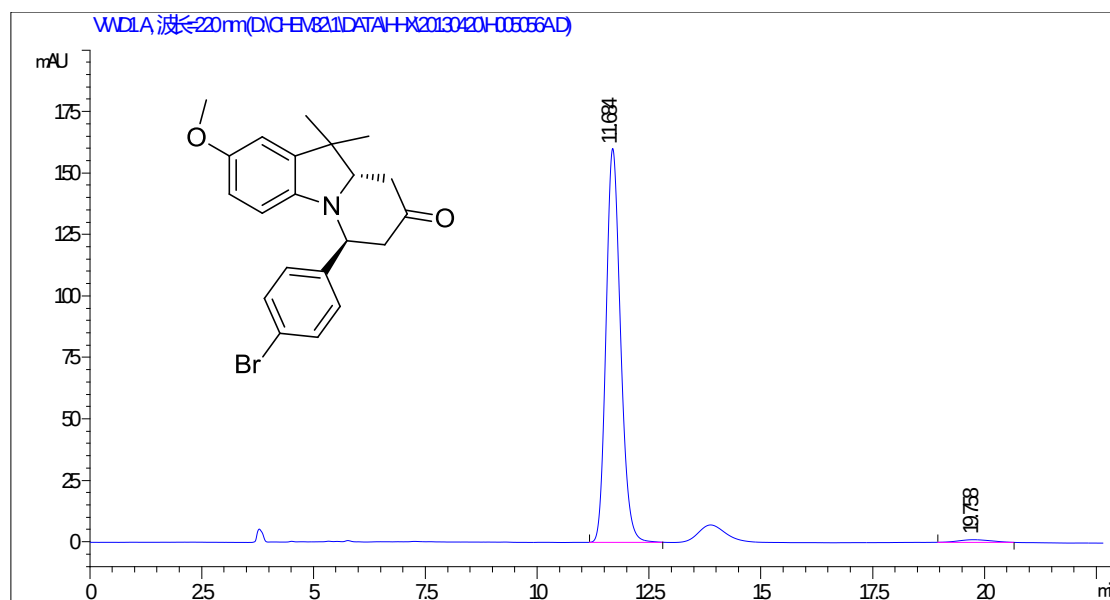


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2	25.26	250.1	4.6	0.7905	0.844	2.804

(6S,9aS)-6-(4-bromophenyl)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrindo[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4s)

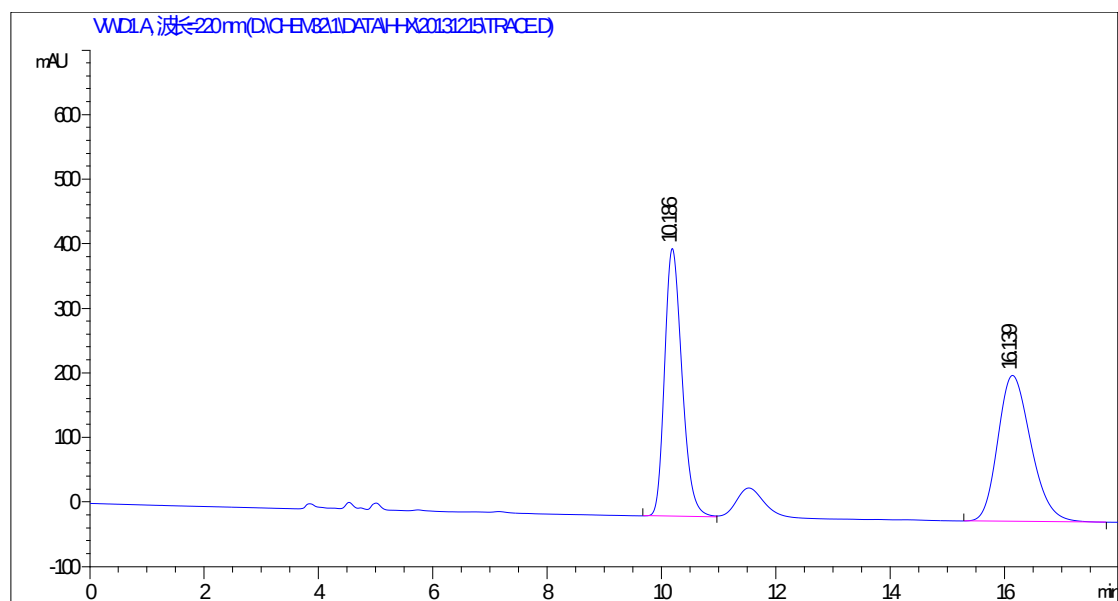


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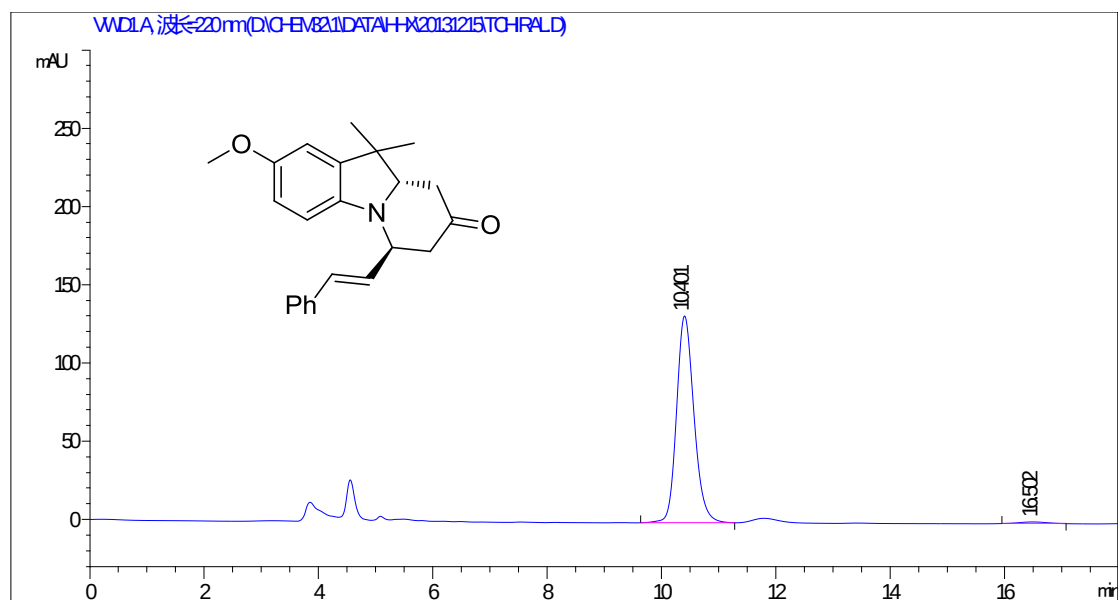


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2	19.758	62	1.1	0.8986	0.877	1.692

(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-((E)-styryl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido[1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4t)

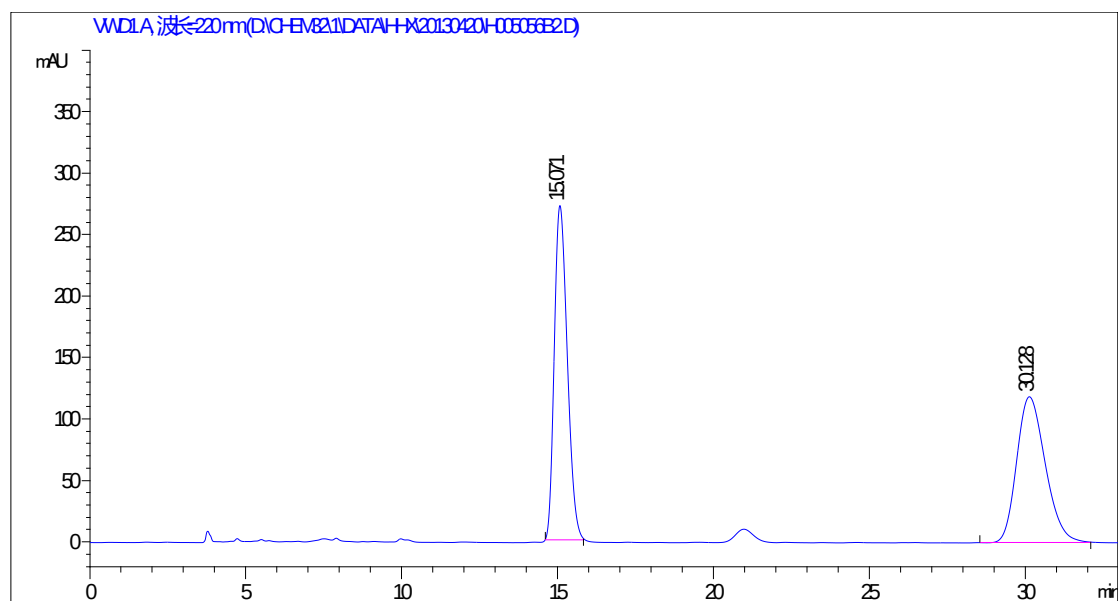


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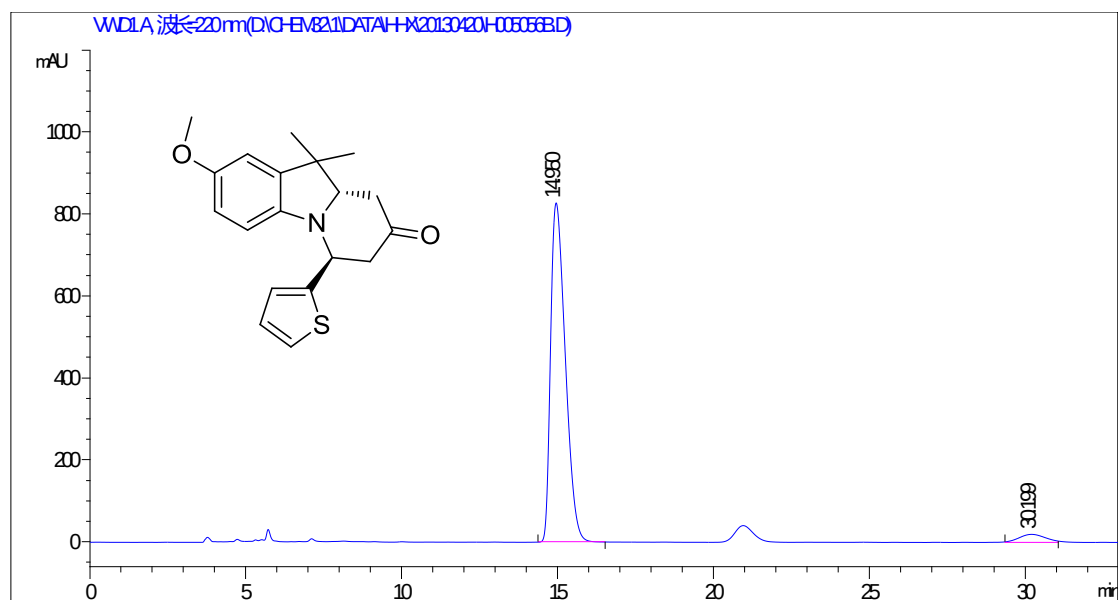


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2	16.502	34.5	1	0.5542	1.054	1.213

(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-(thiophen-2-yl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido [1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4u)



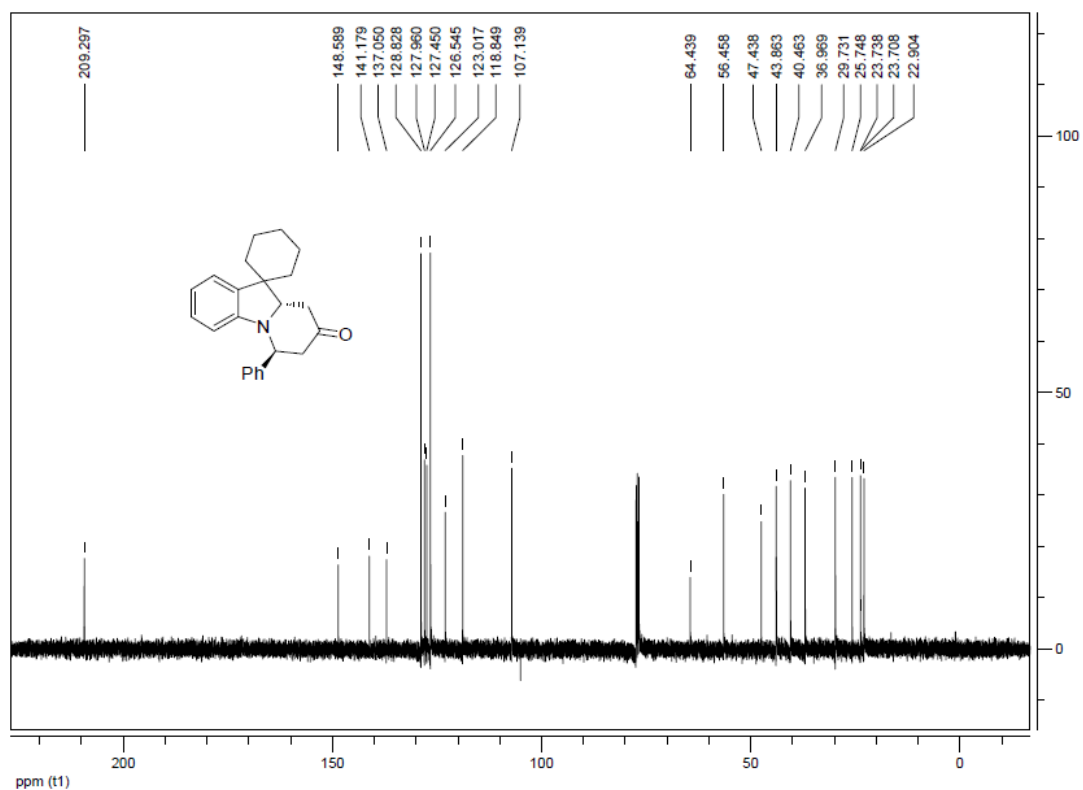
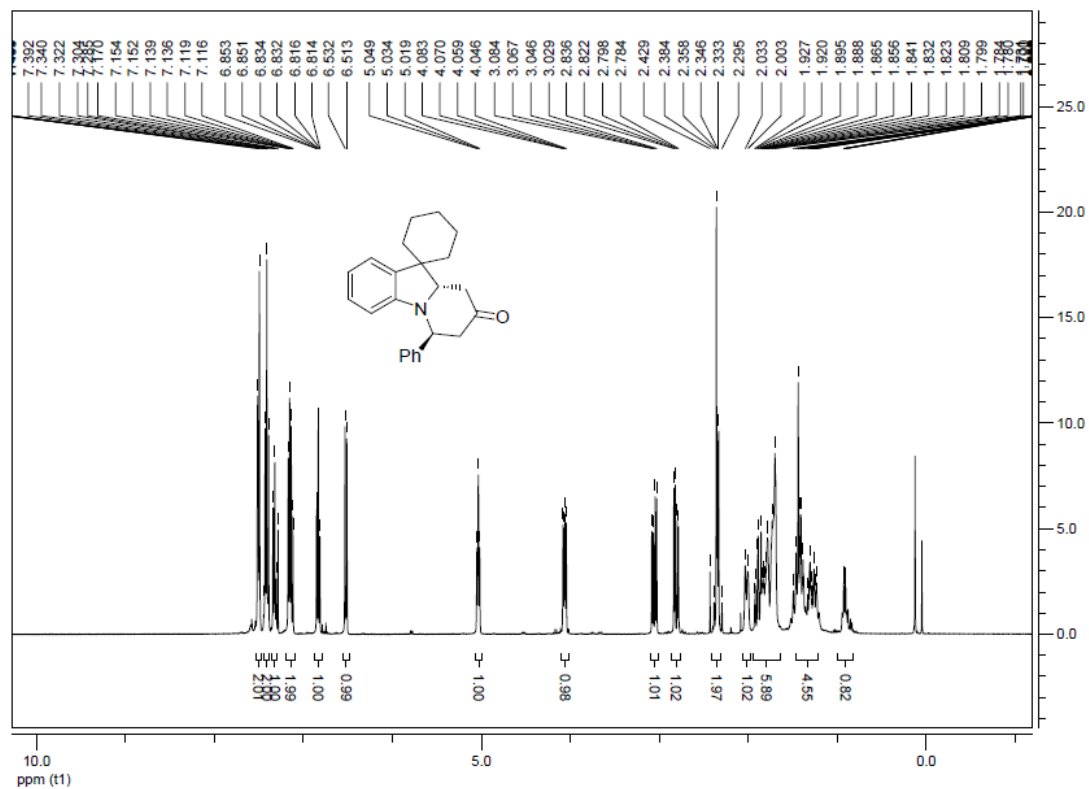
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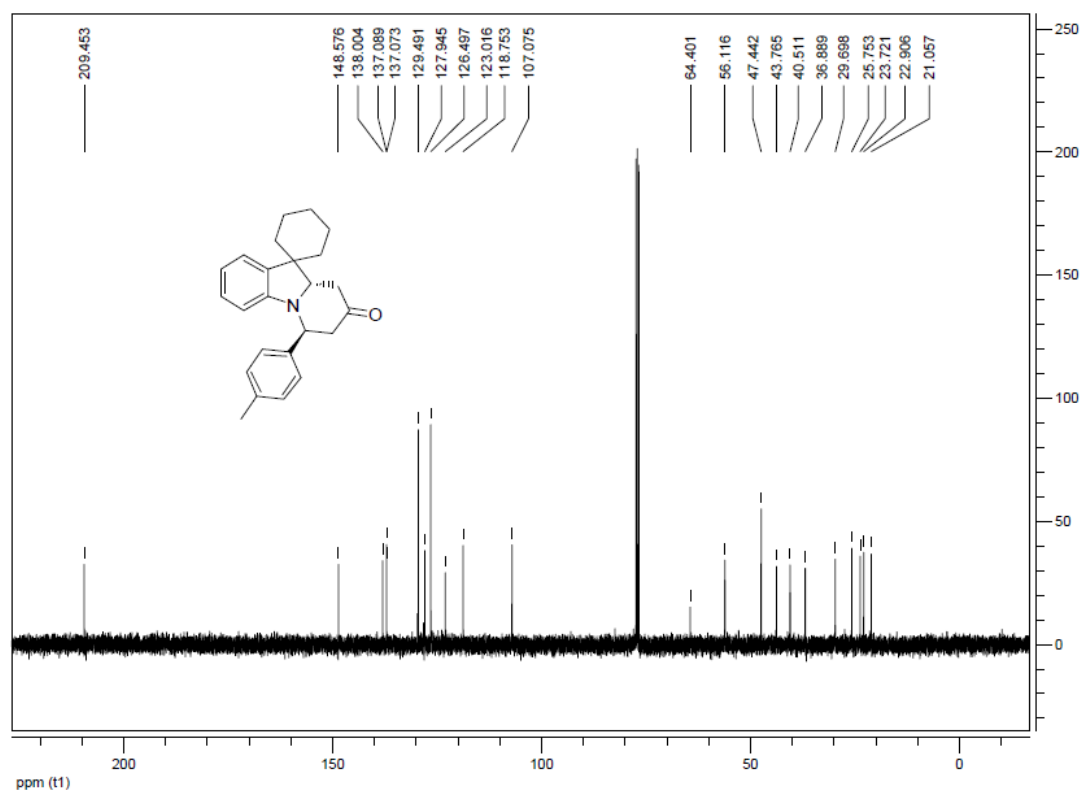
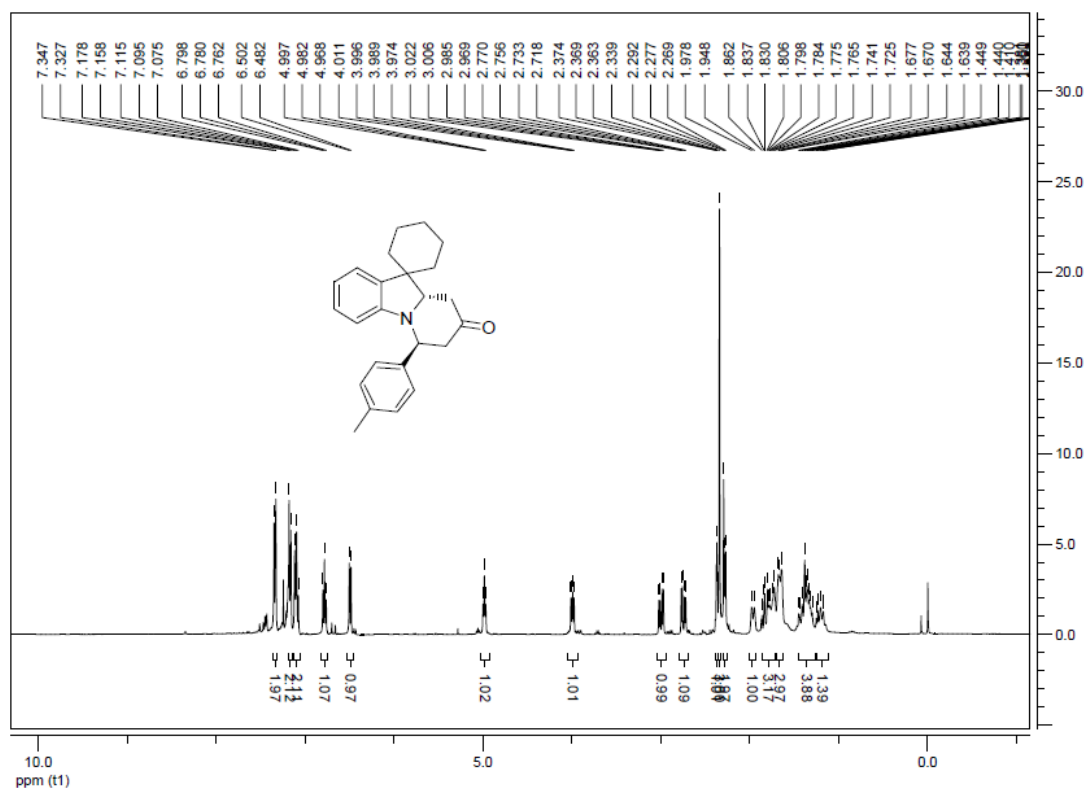
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1	14.95	27083.5	827.7	0.5084	0.568	95.917
2	30.199	1152.8	19.6	0.9787	0.888	4.083

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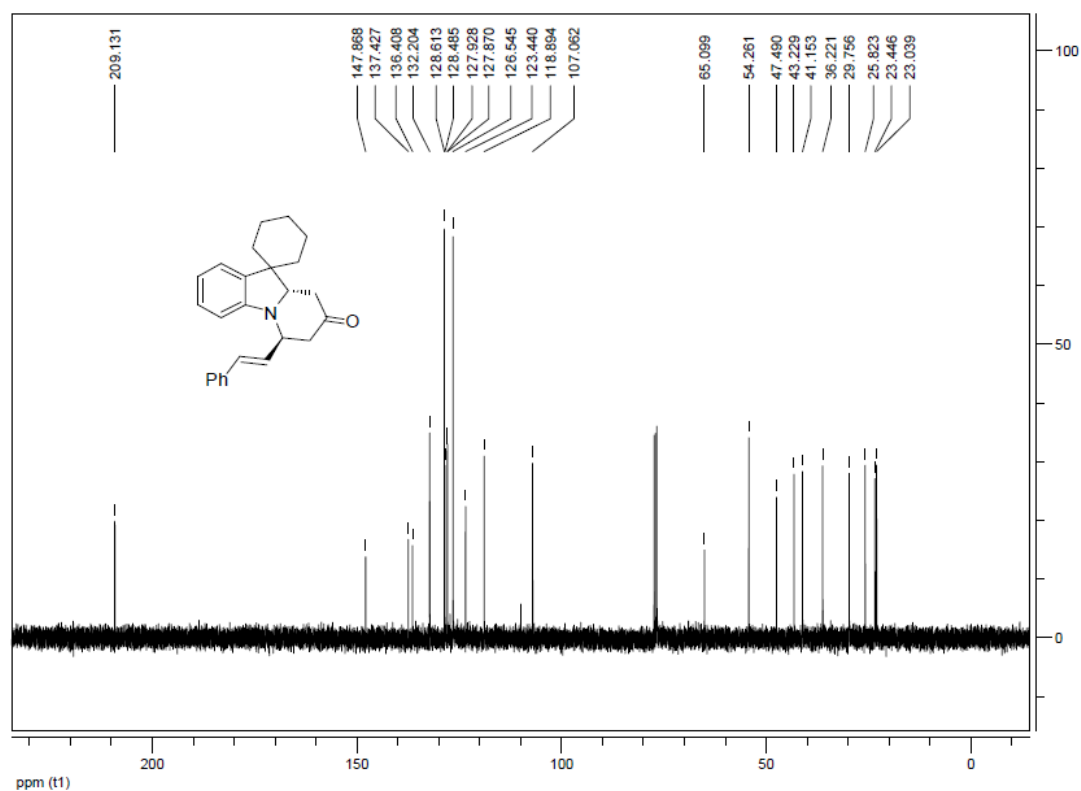
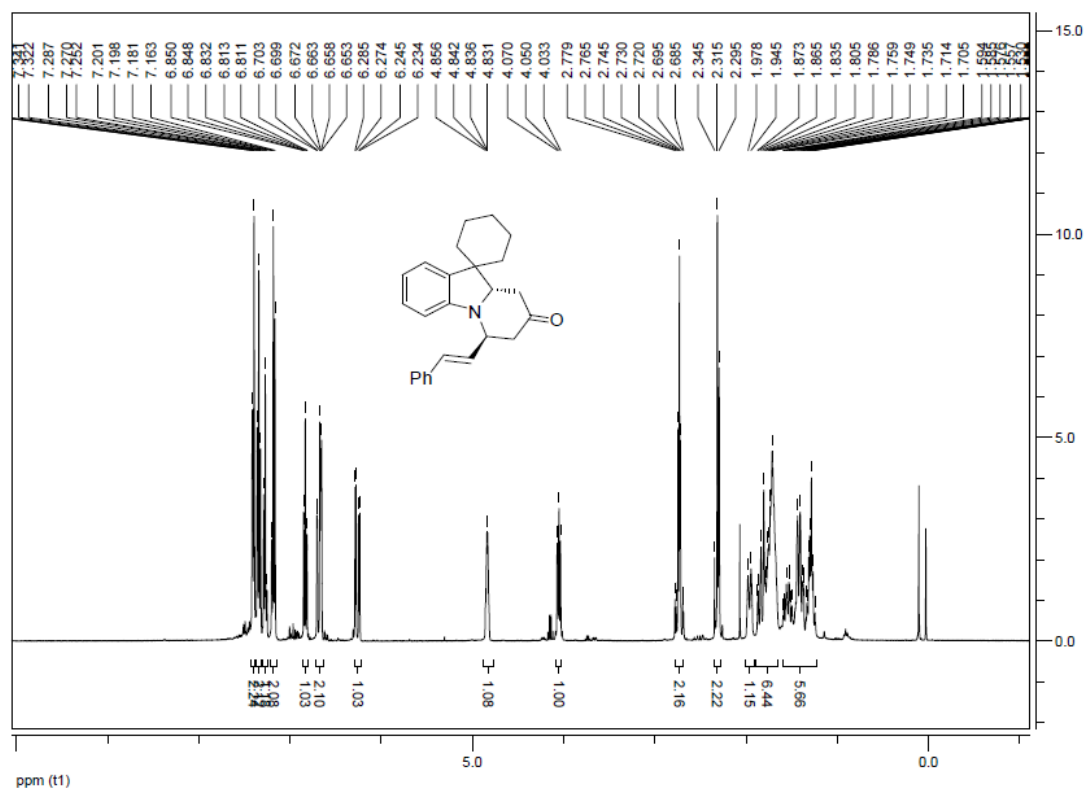
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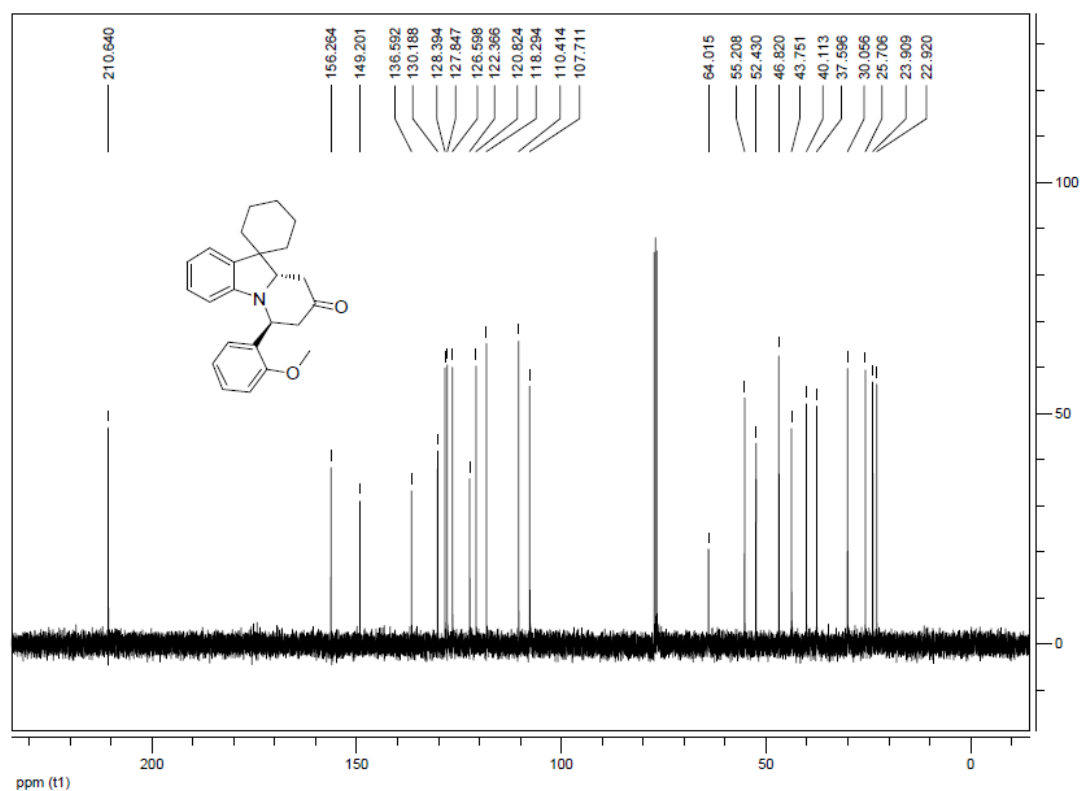


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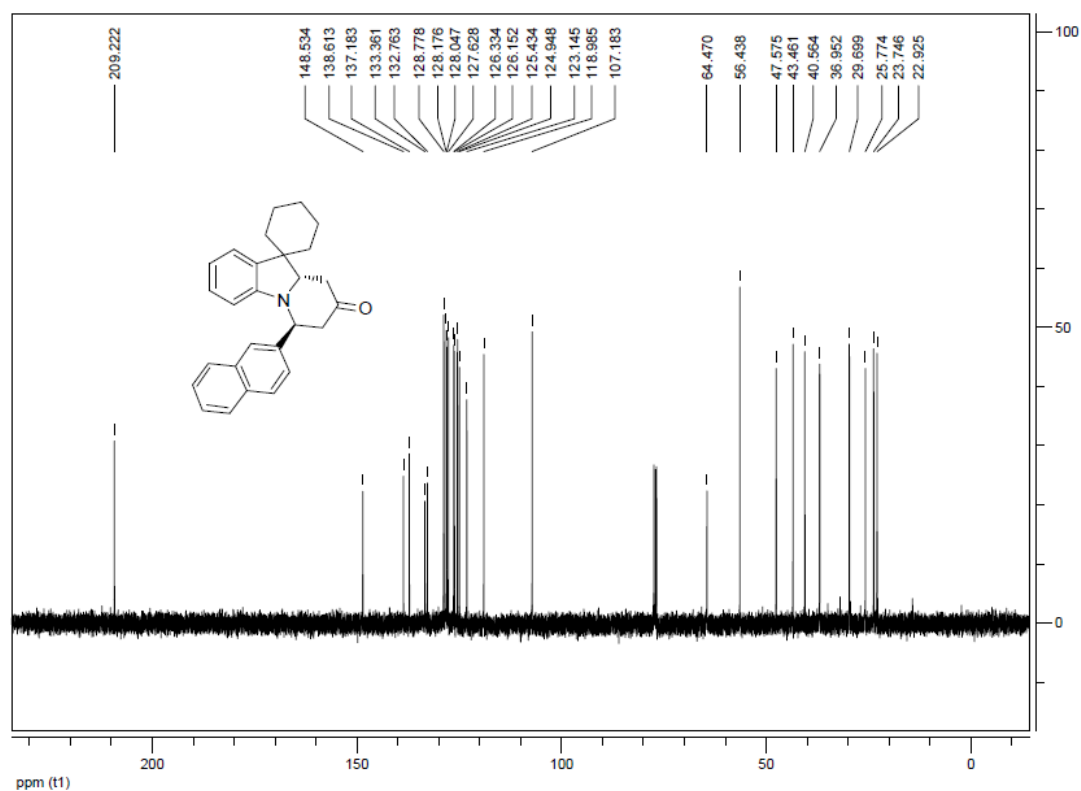
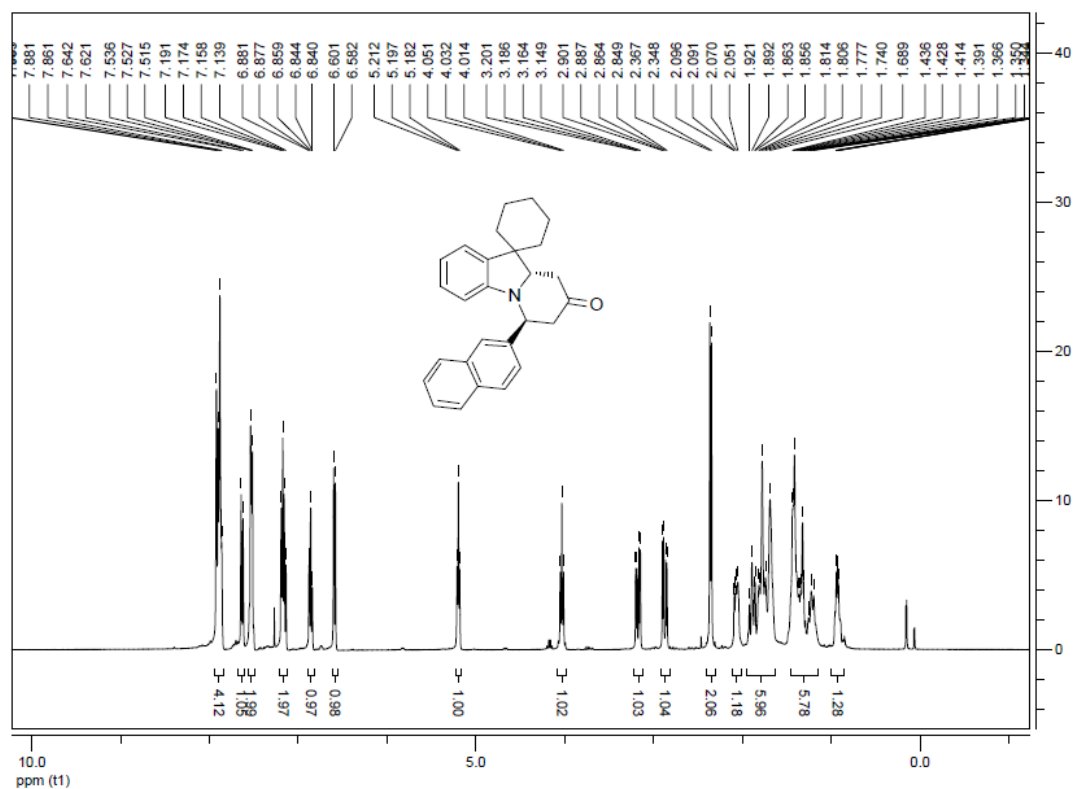


(6'S,9a'S)-6'-((E)-styryl)-9',9a'-dihydro-6'H-spiro[cyclohexane-1,10'-pyrido[1,2-a]indol]-8'(7'H)-one (**4c**)

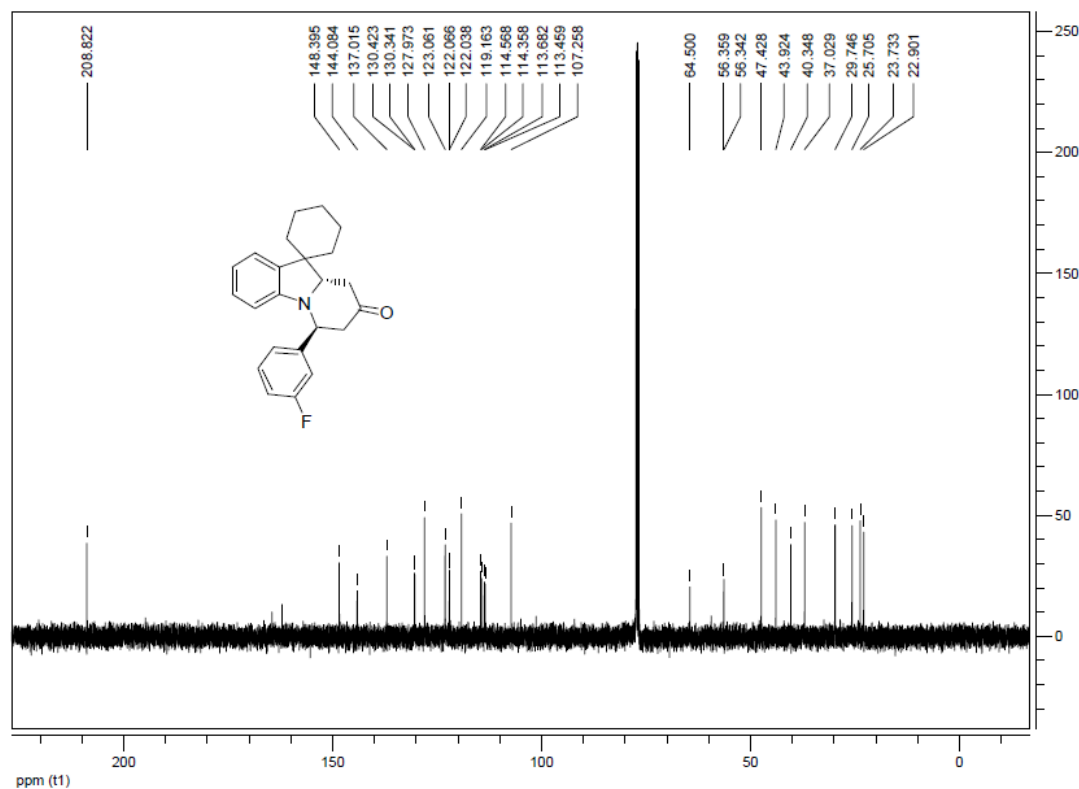
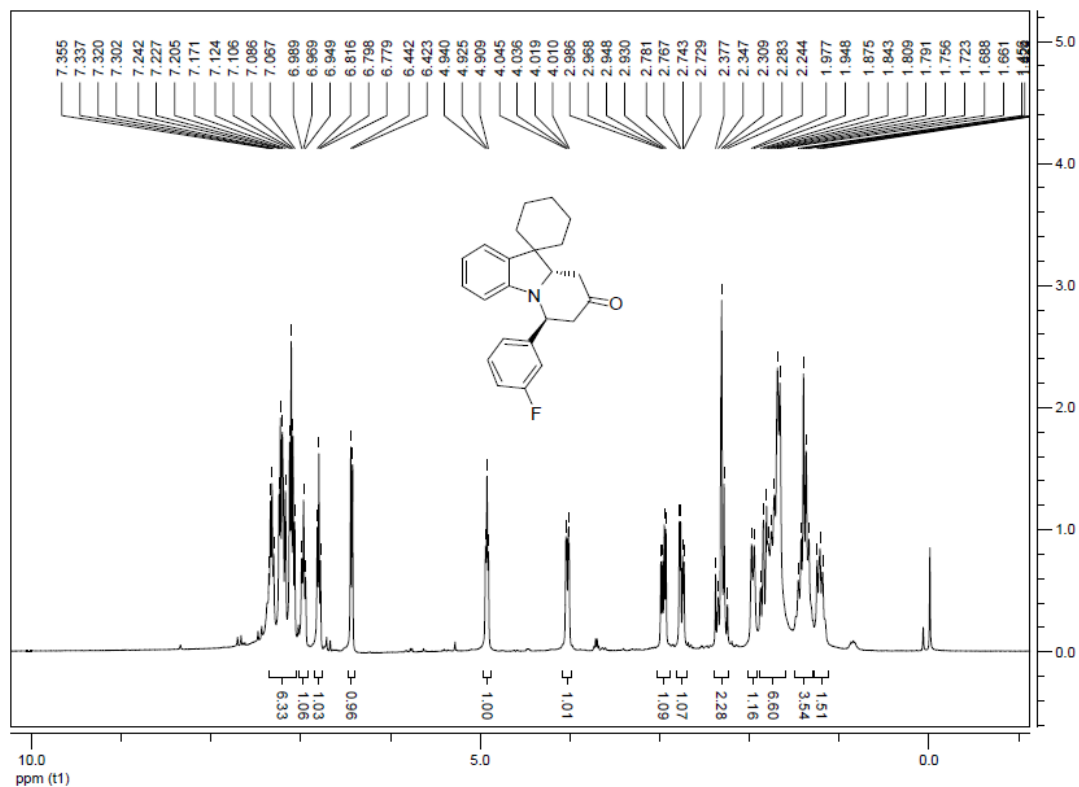




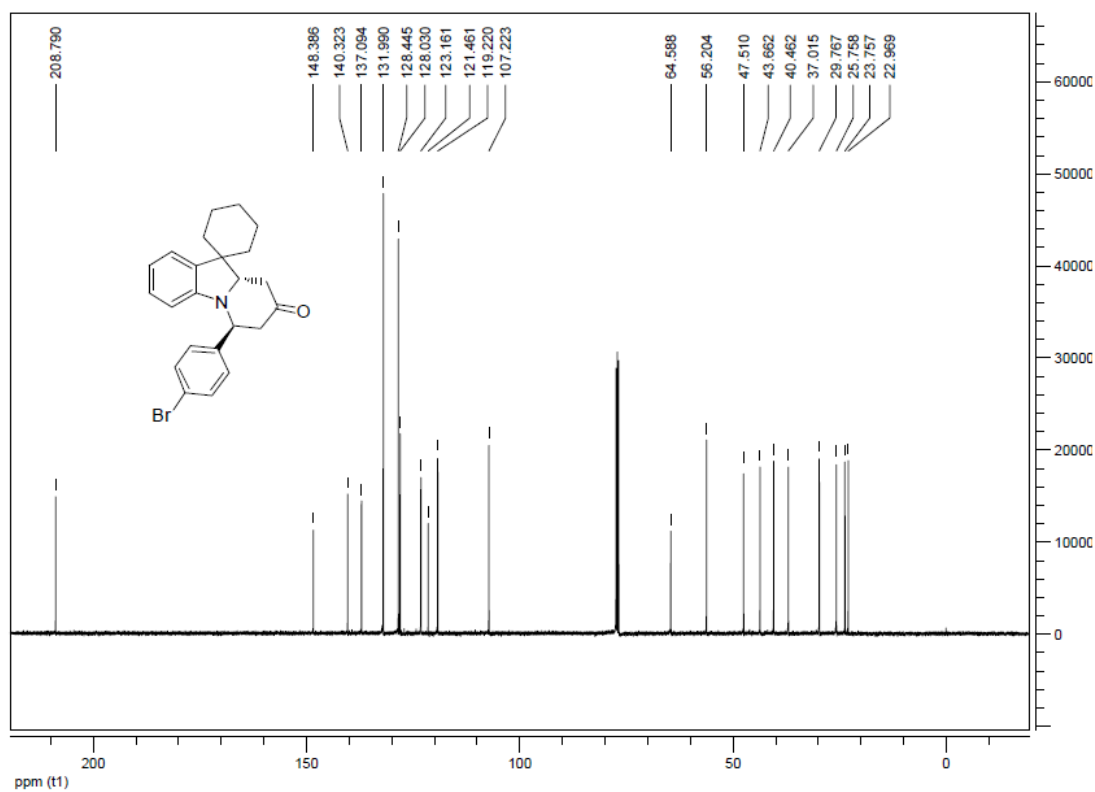
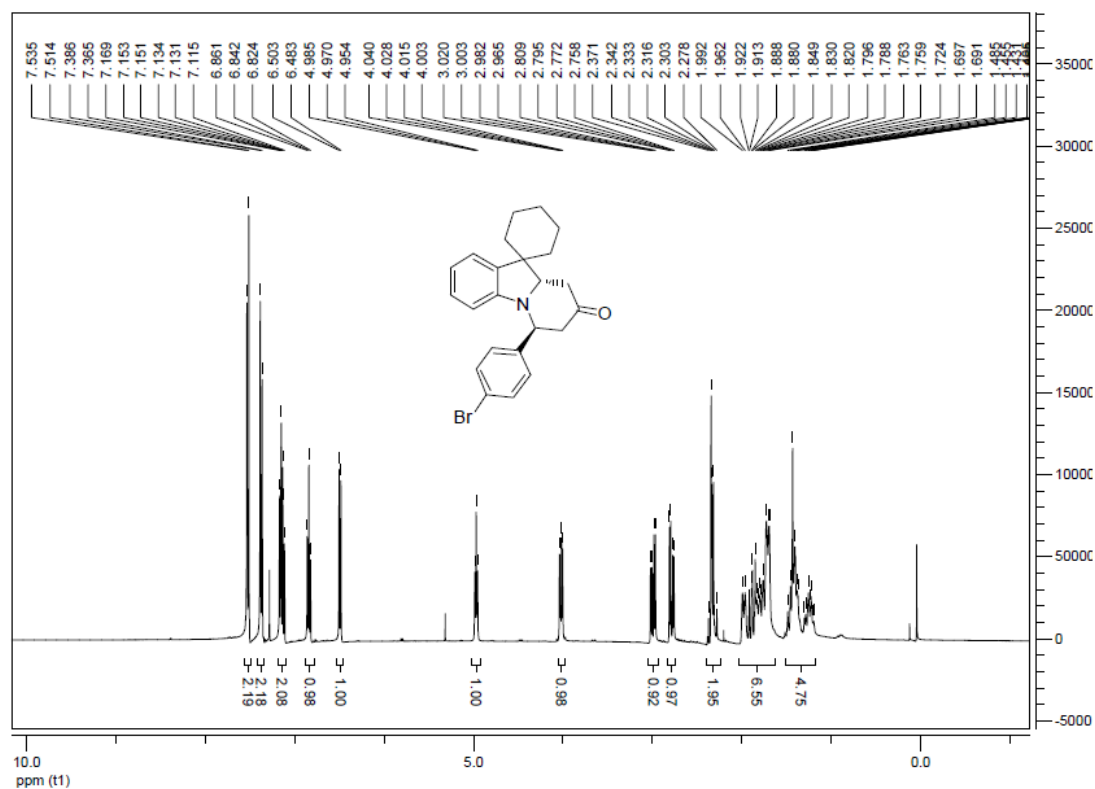
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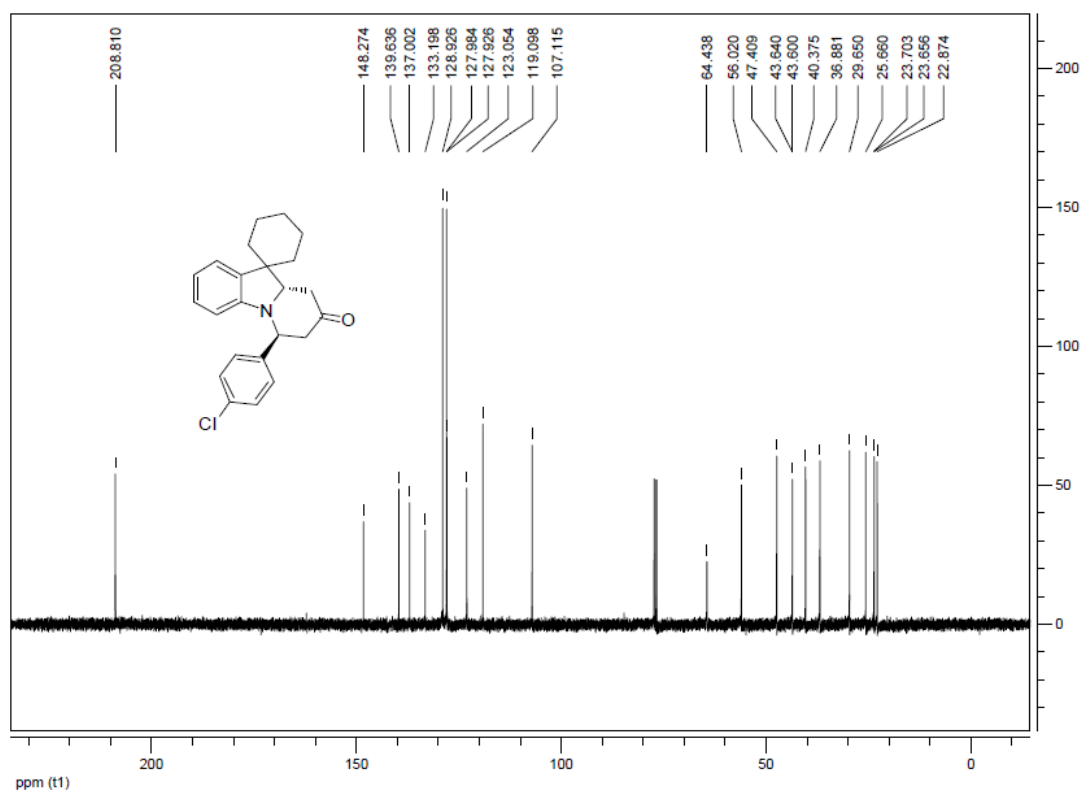
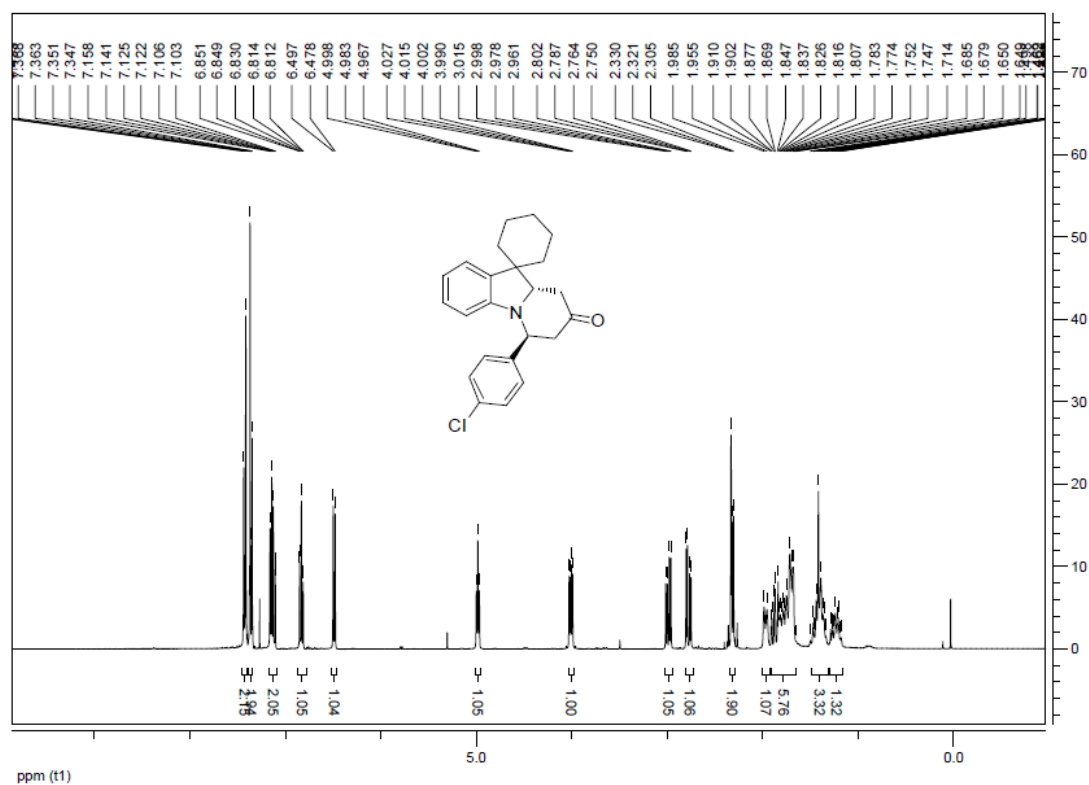
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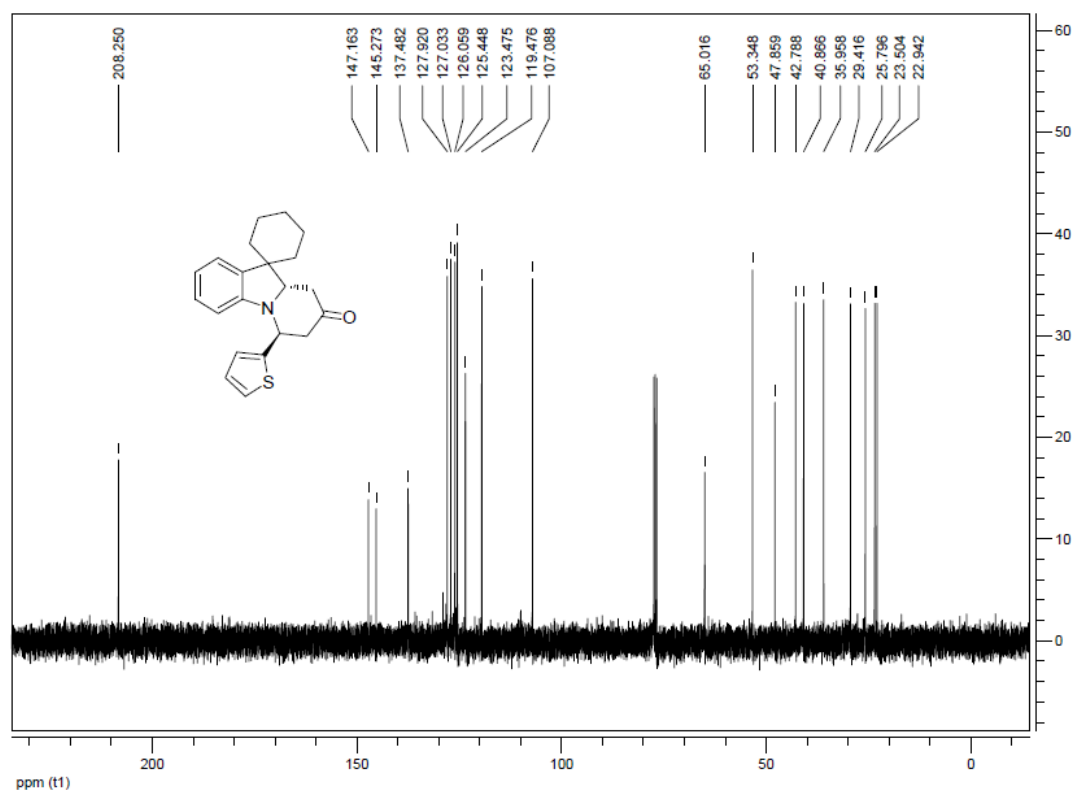
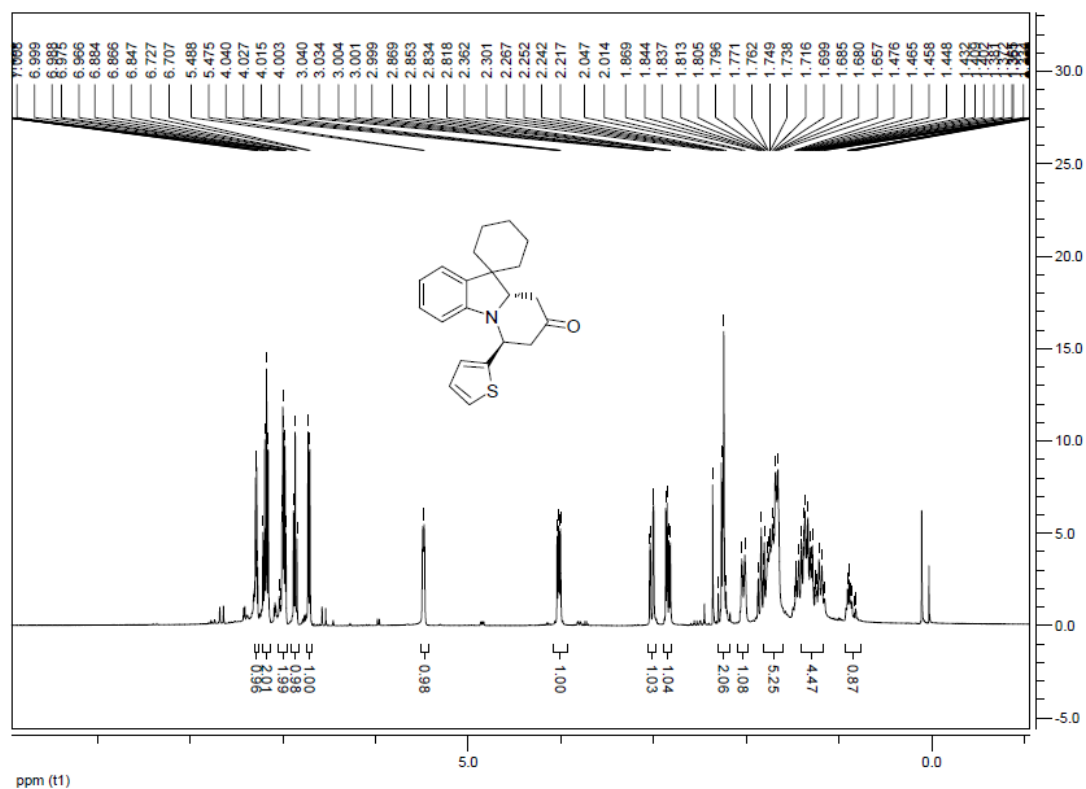
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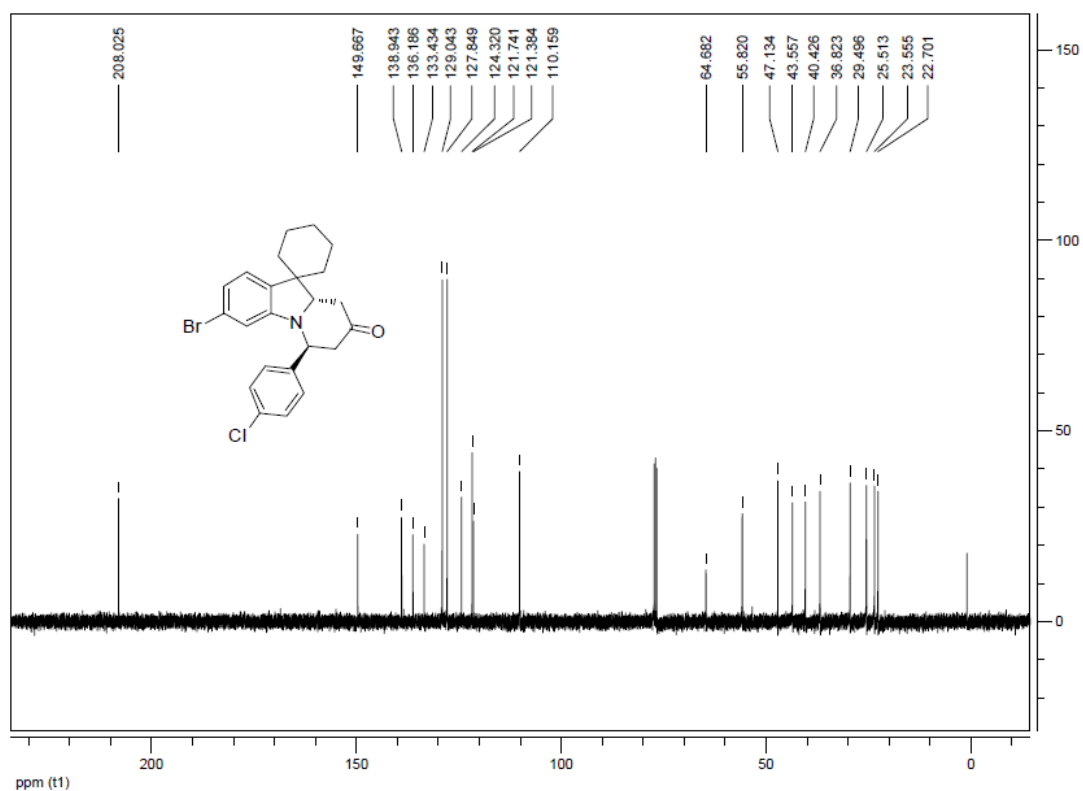
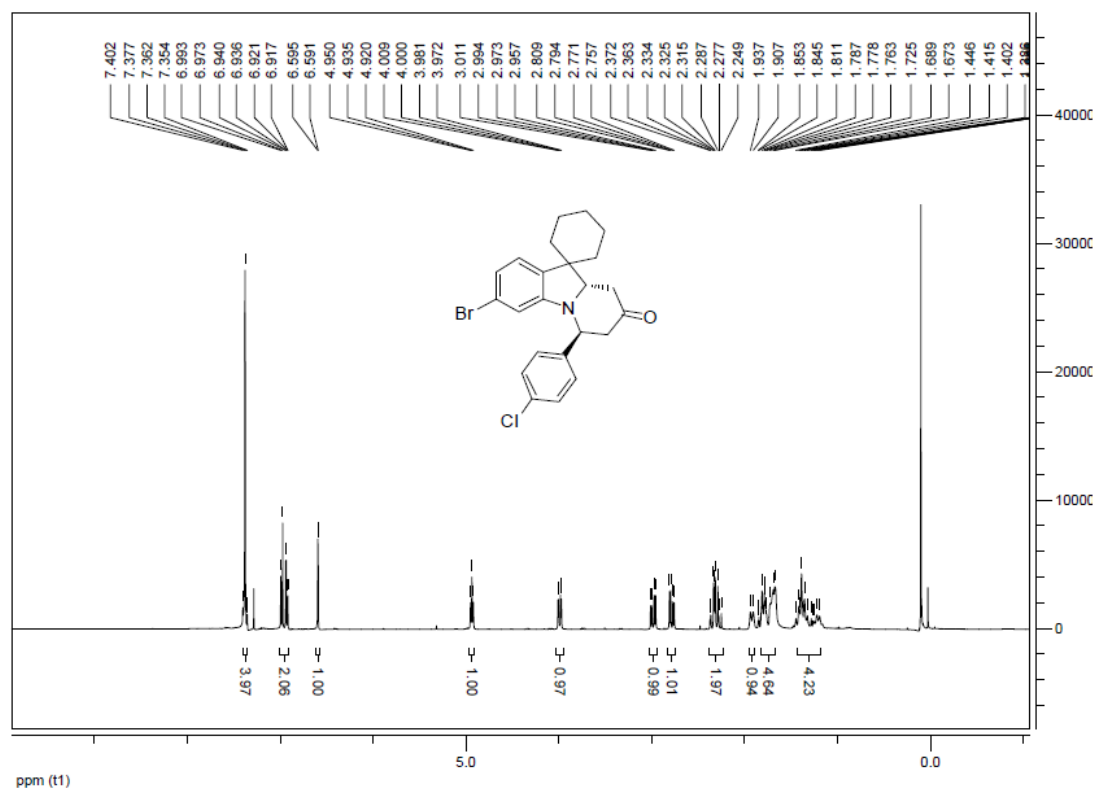
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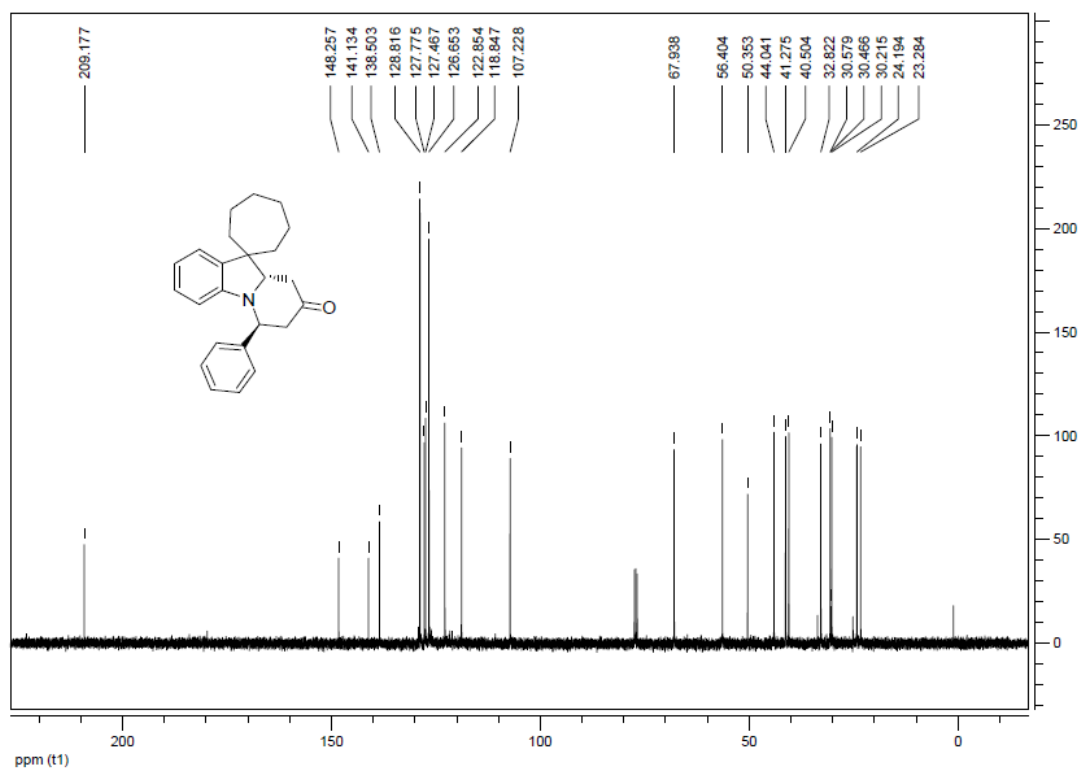
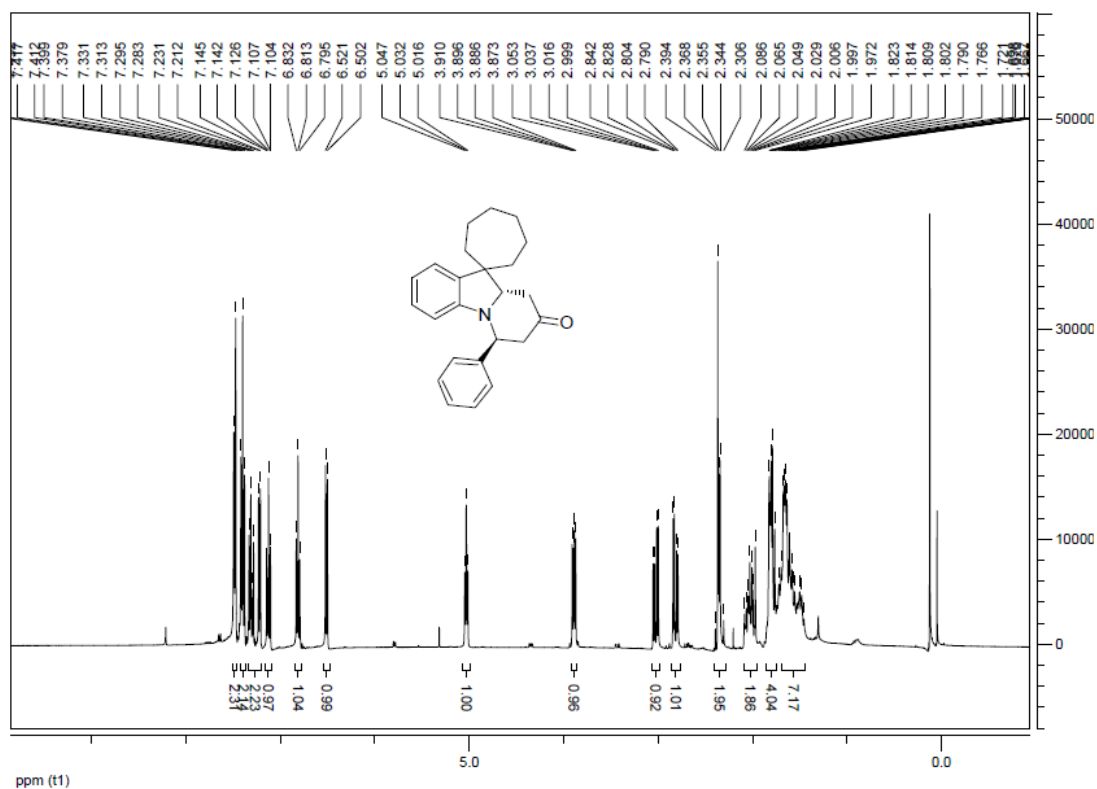
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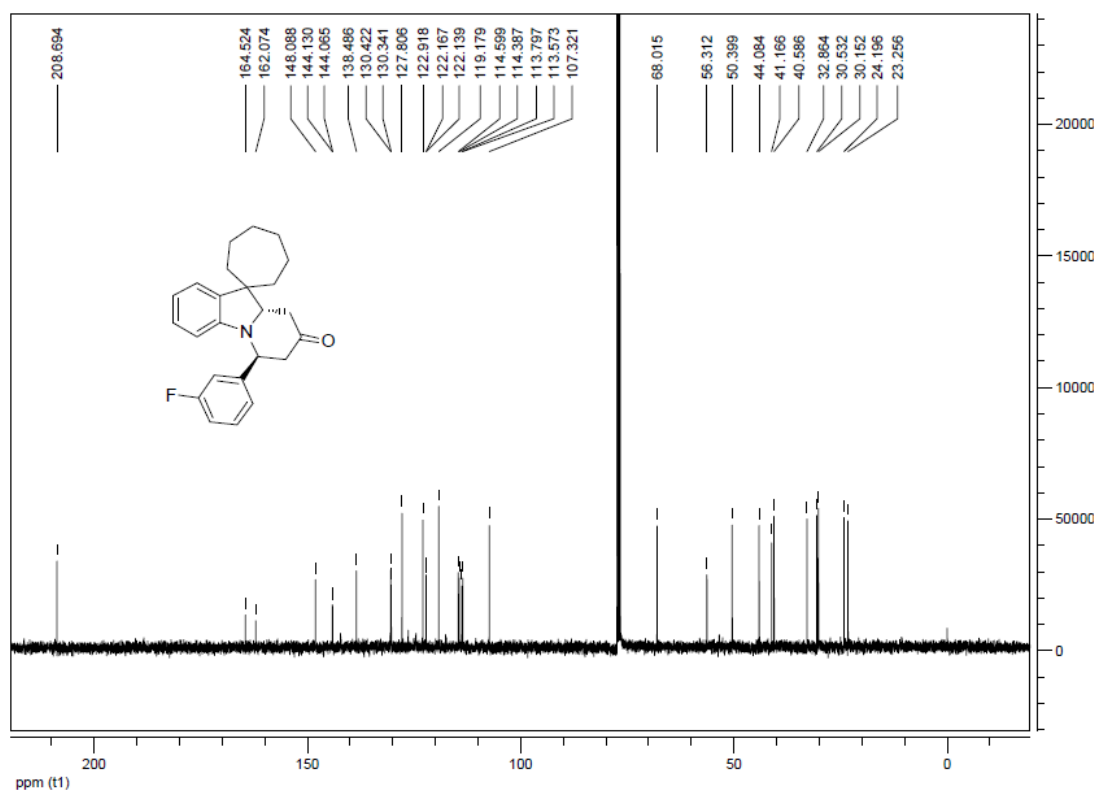
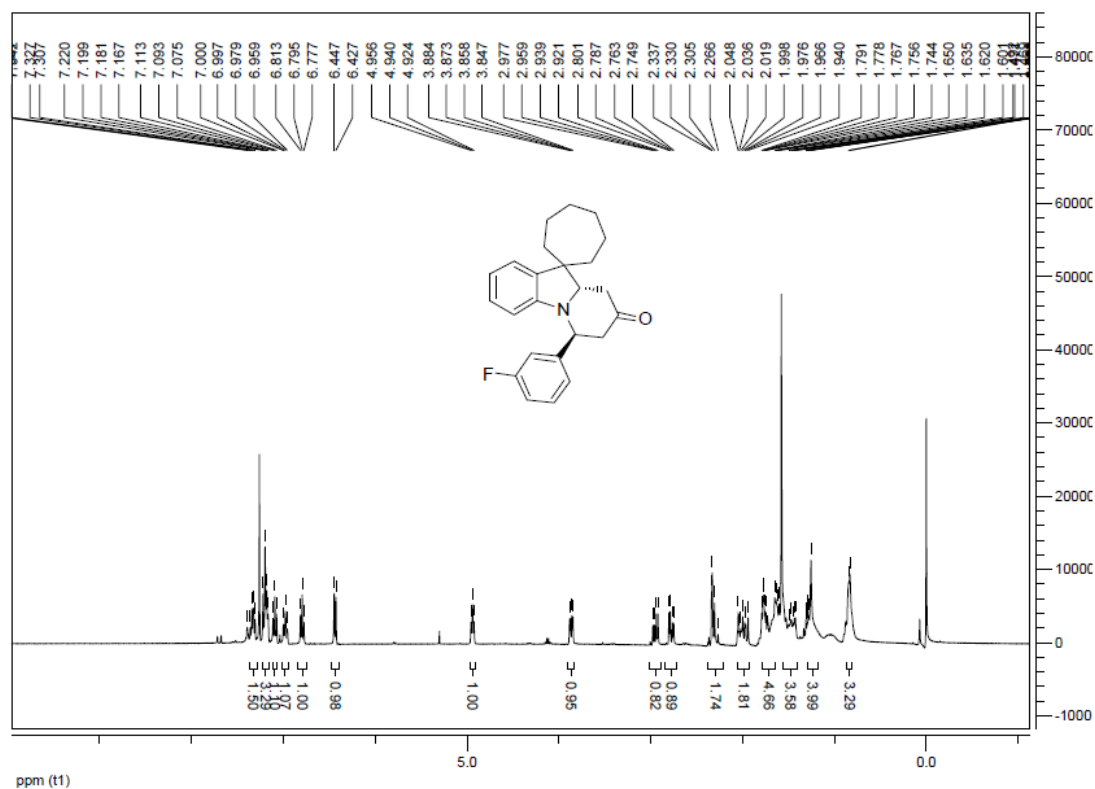
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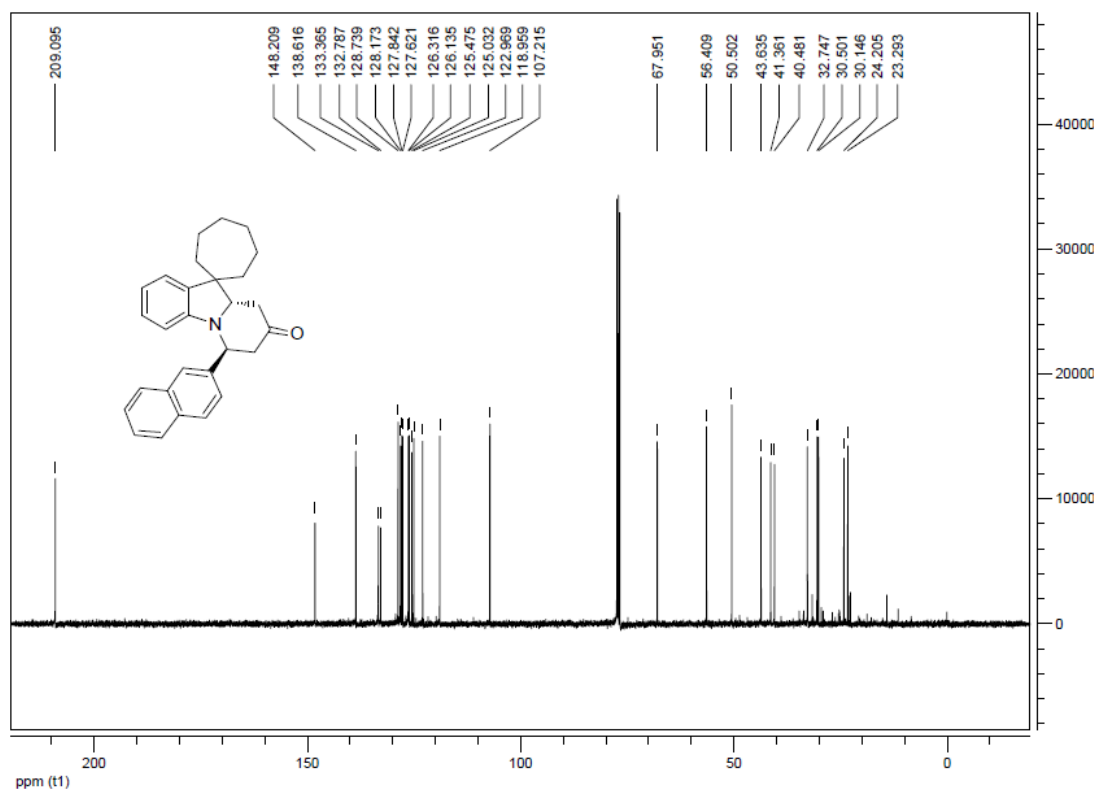
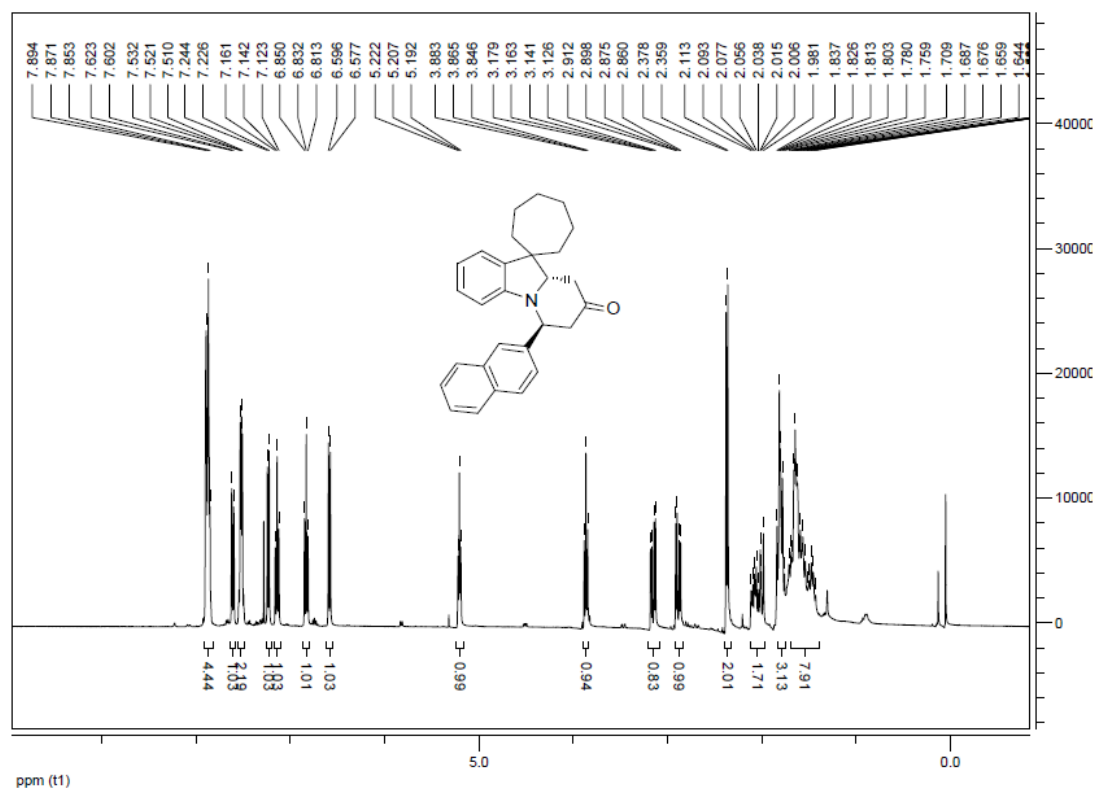
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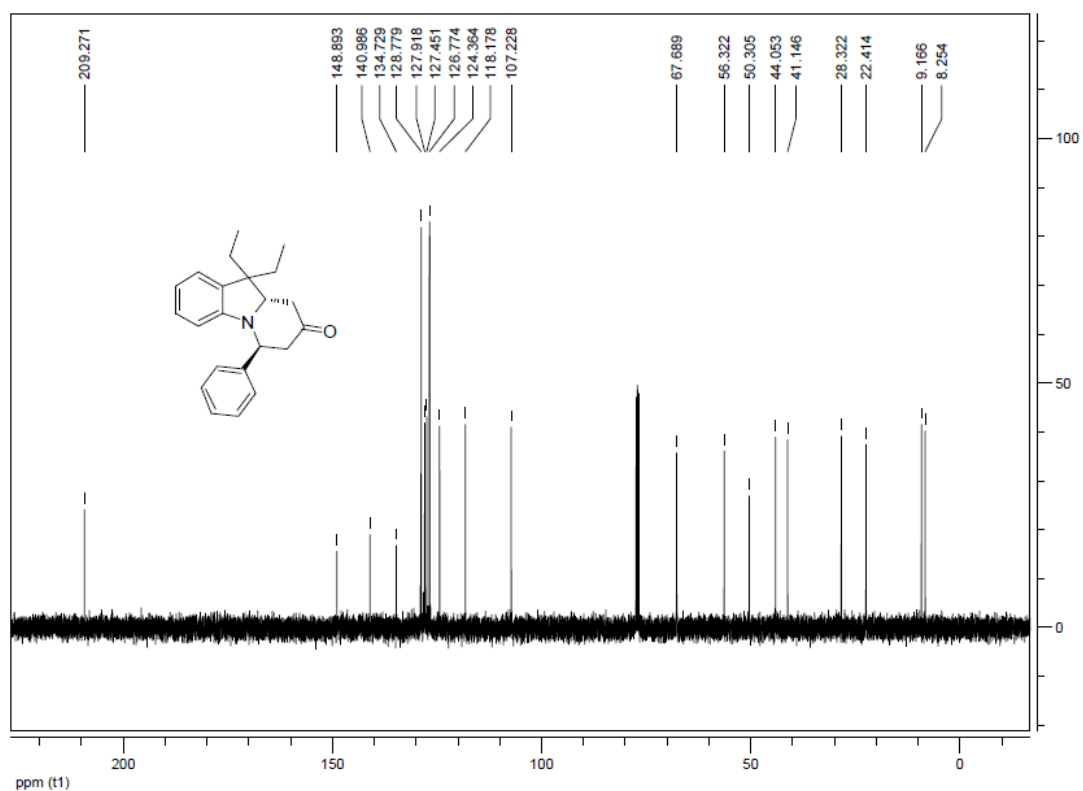
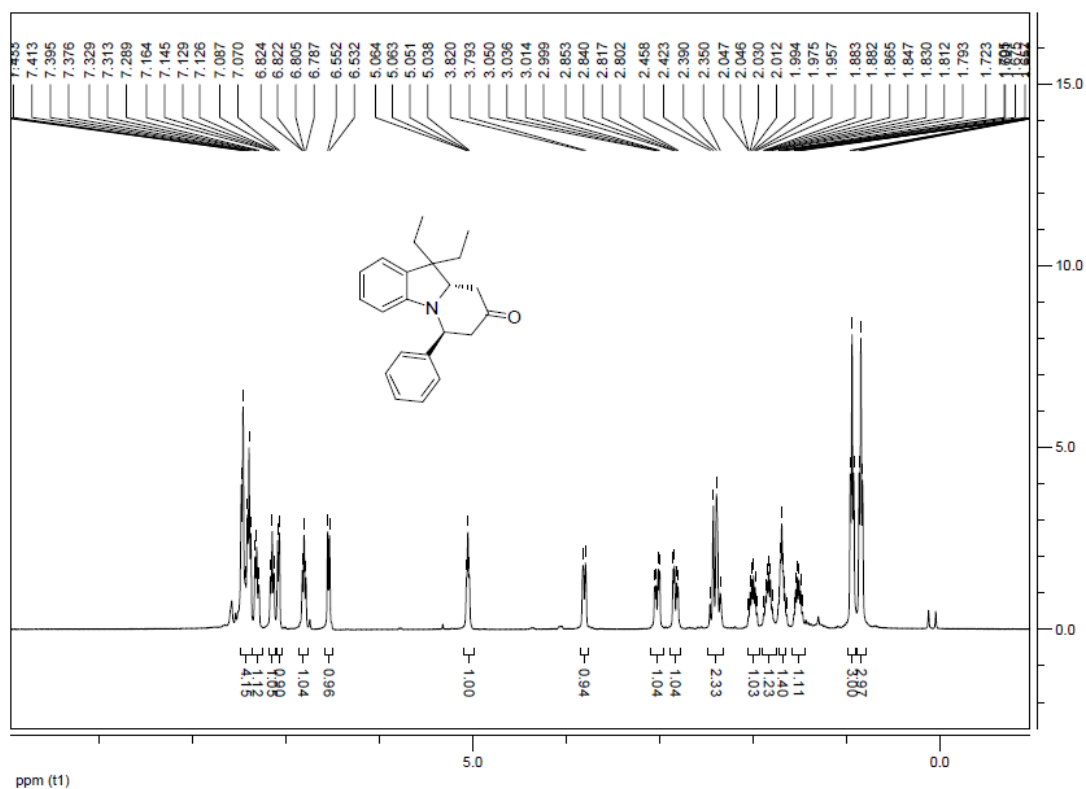
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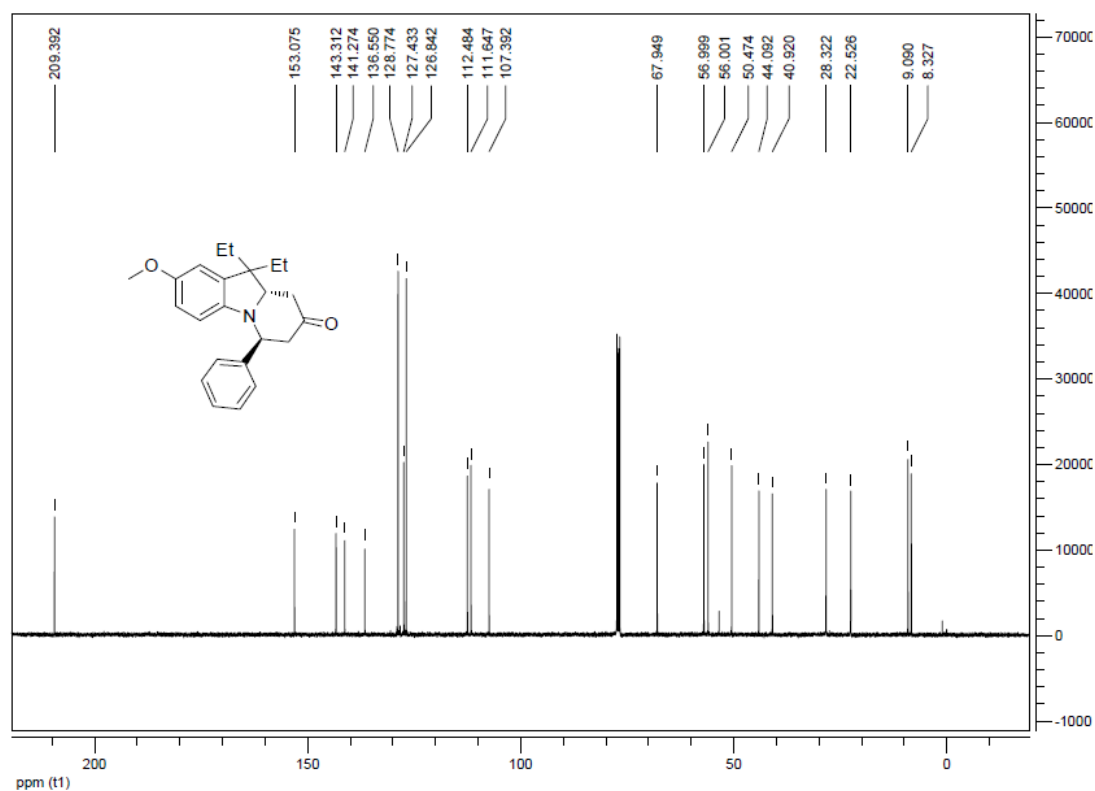
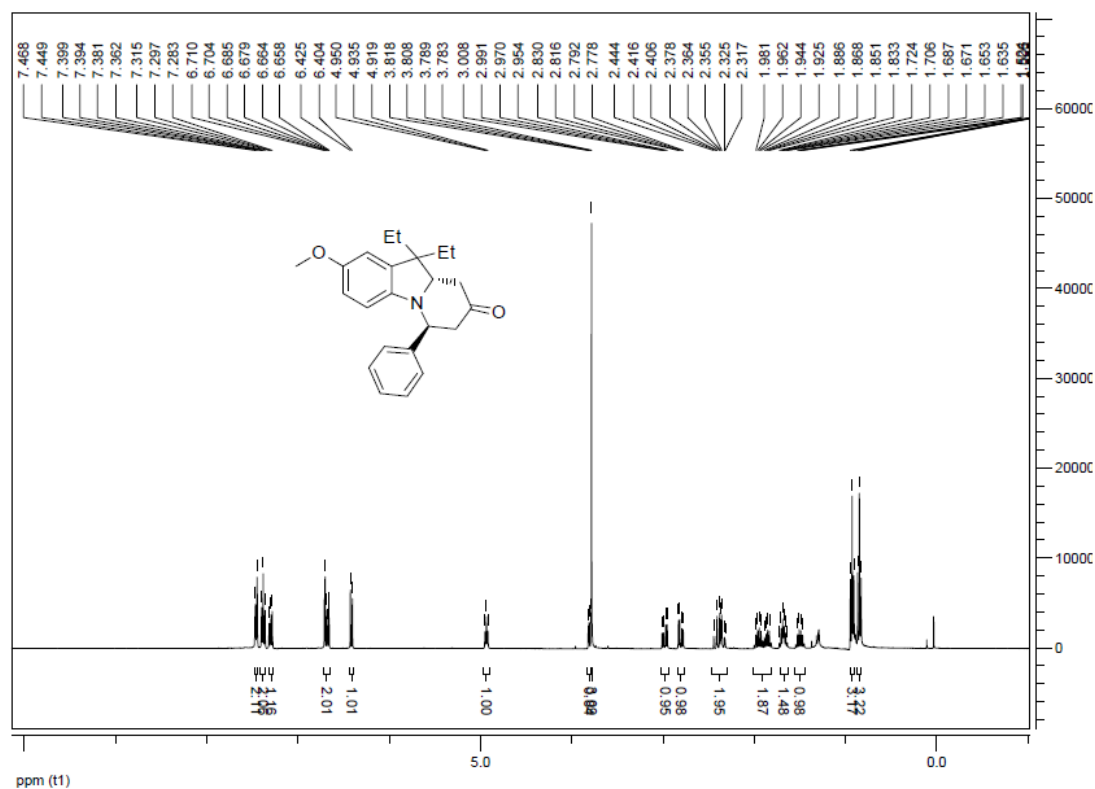
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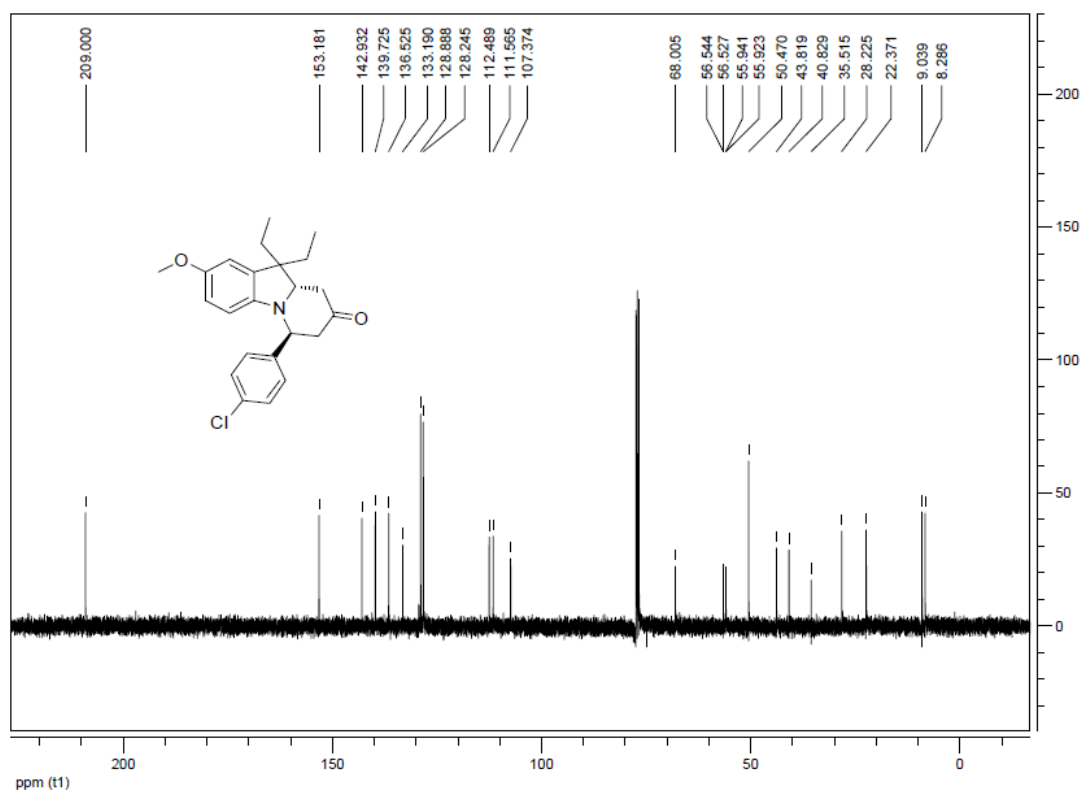


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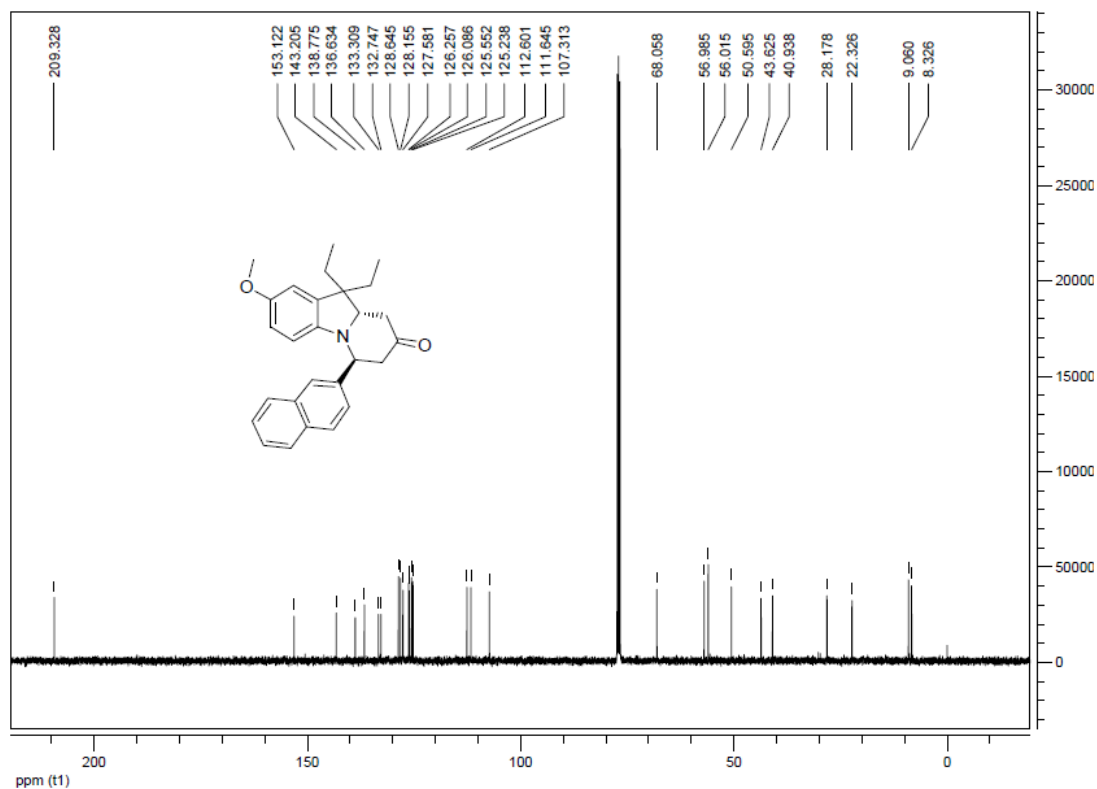
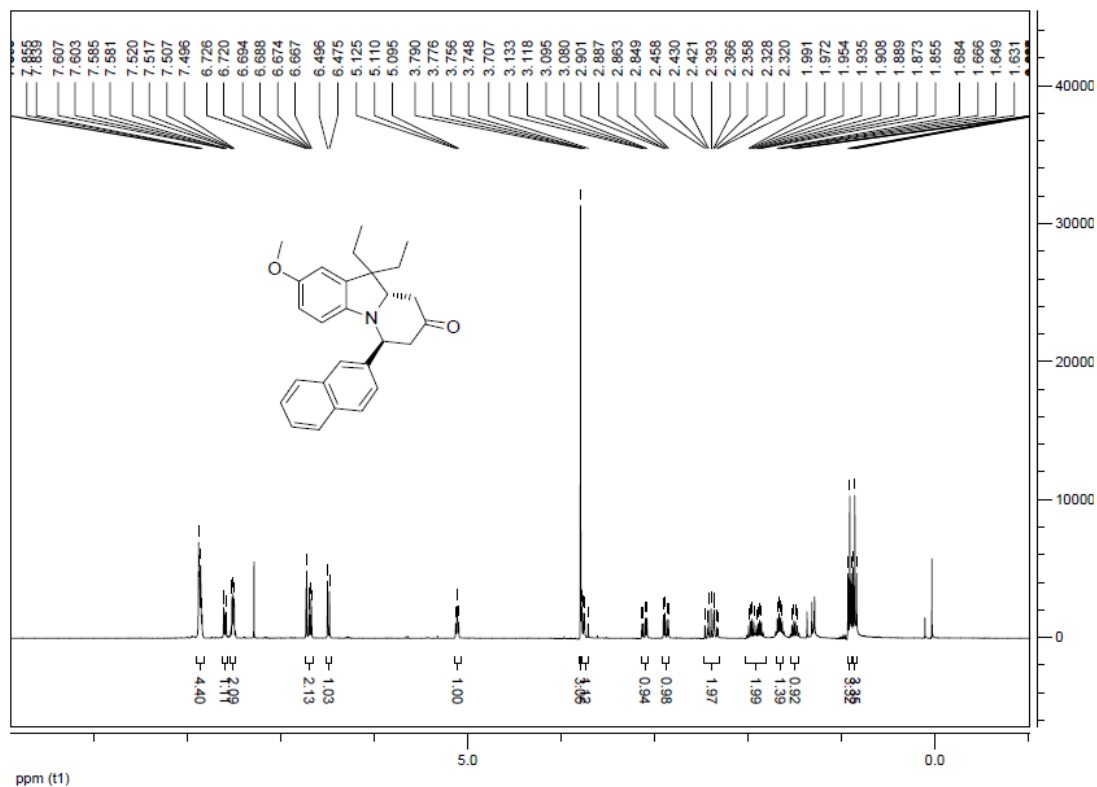


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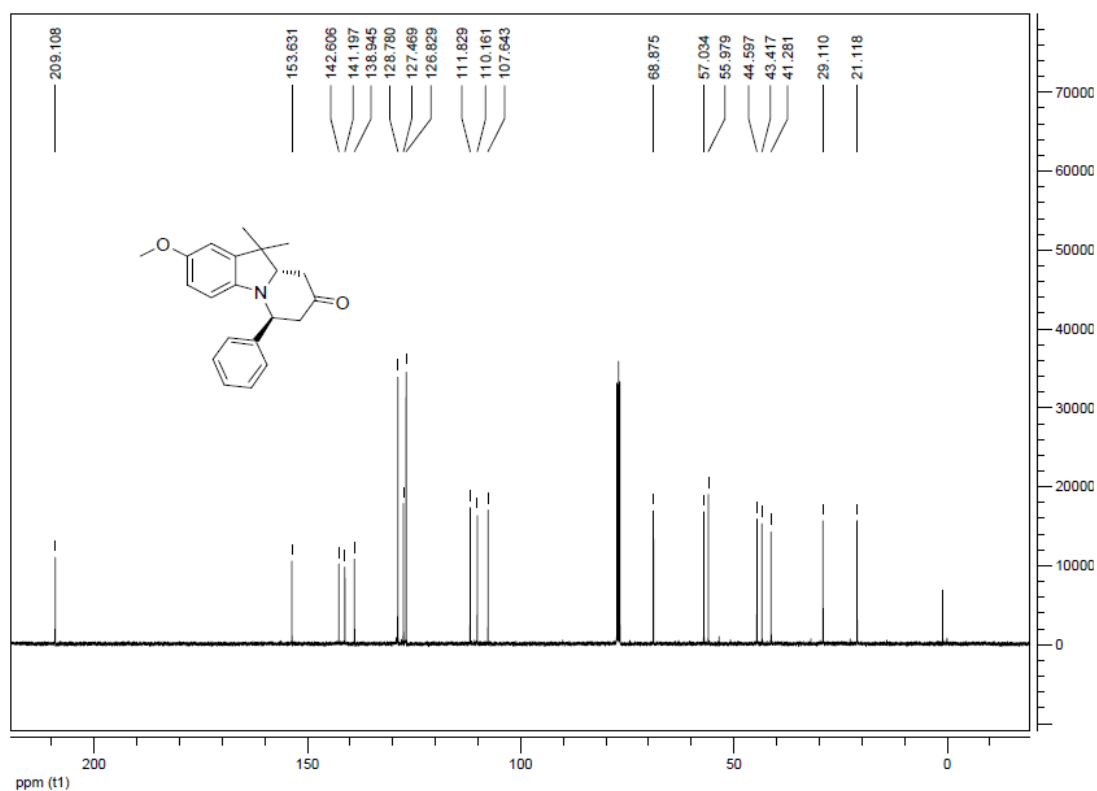
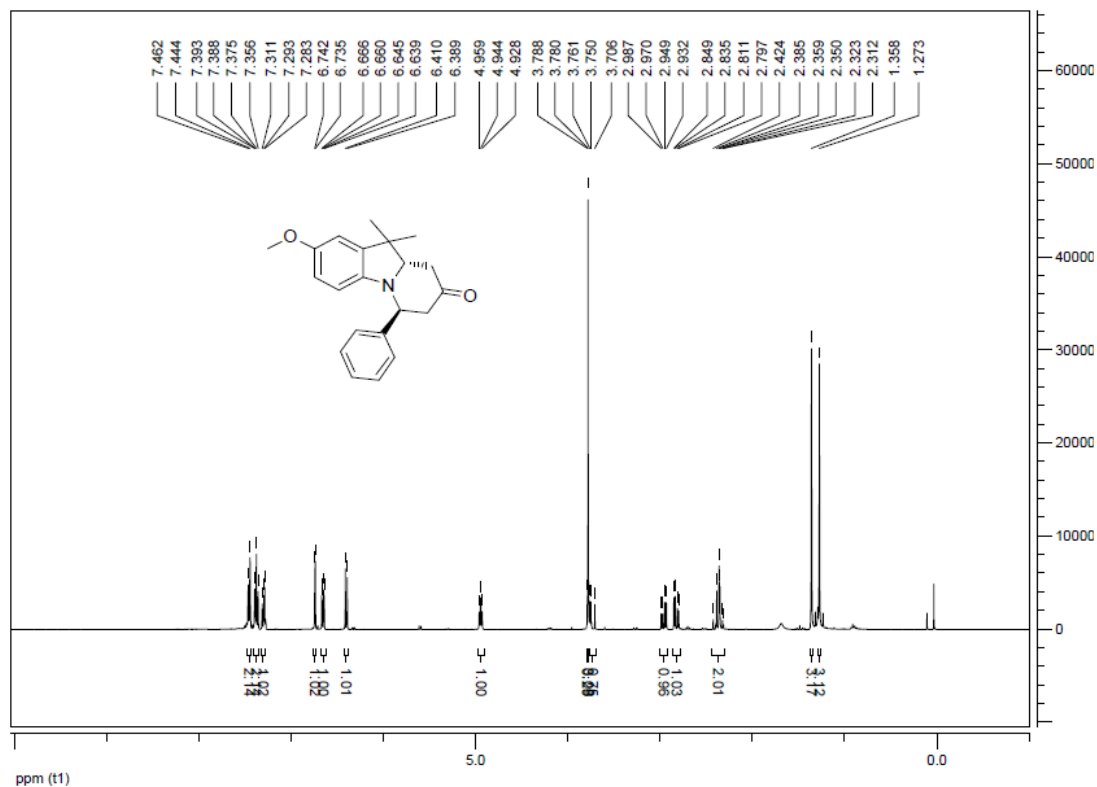




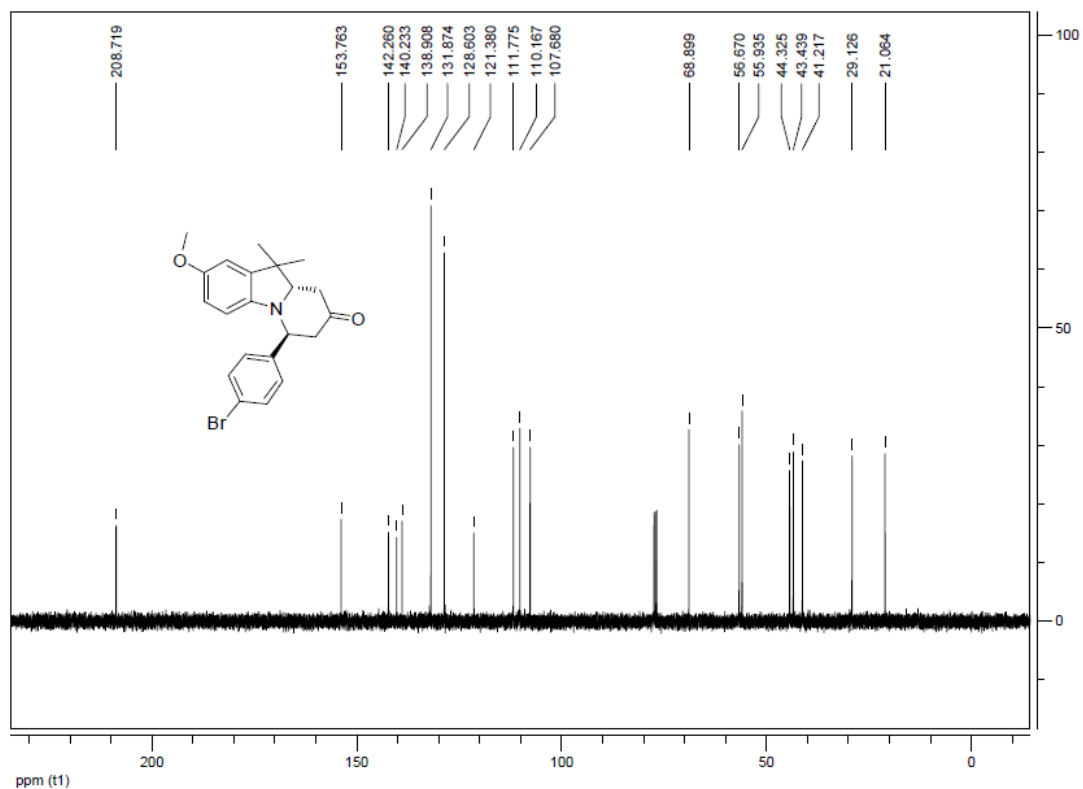
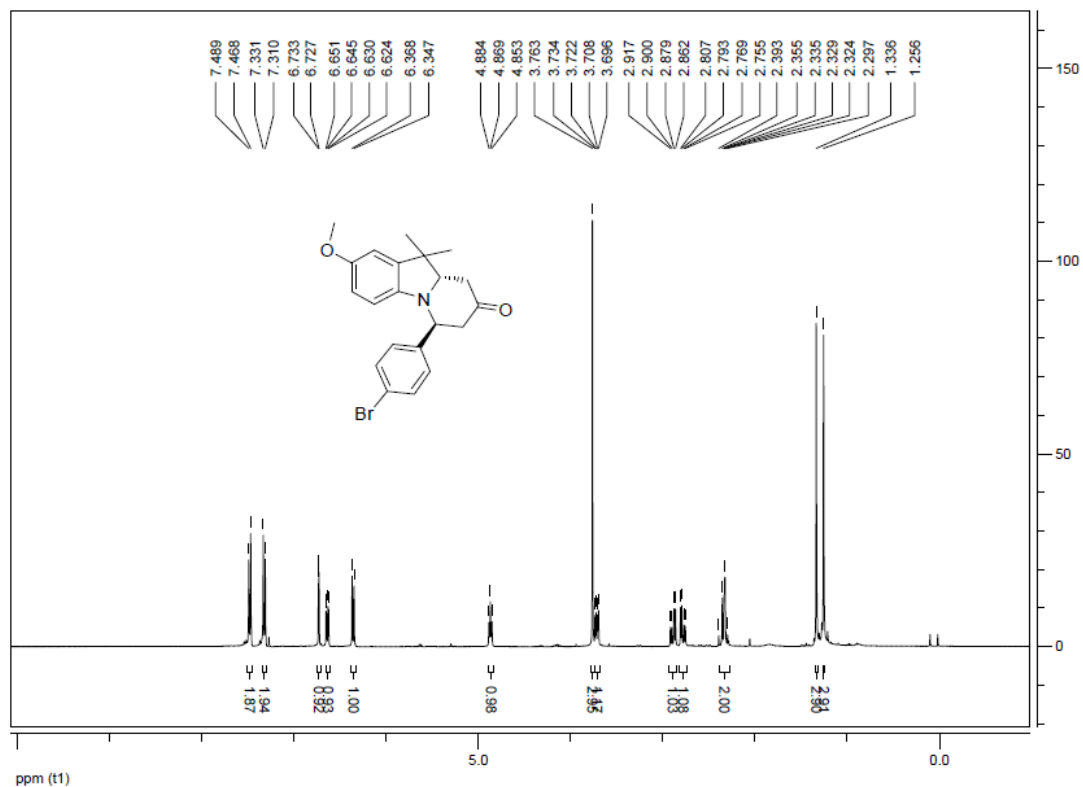
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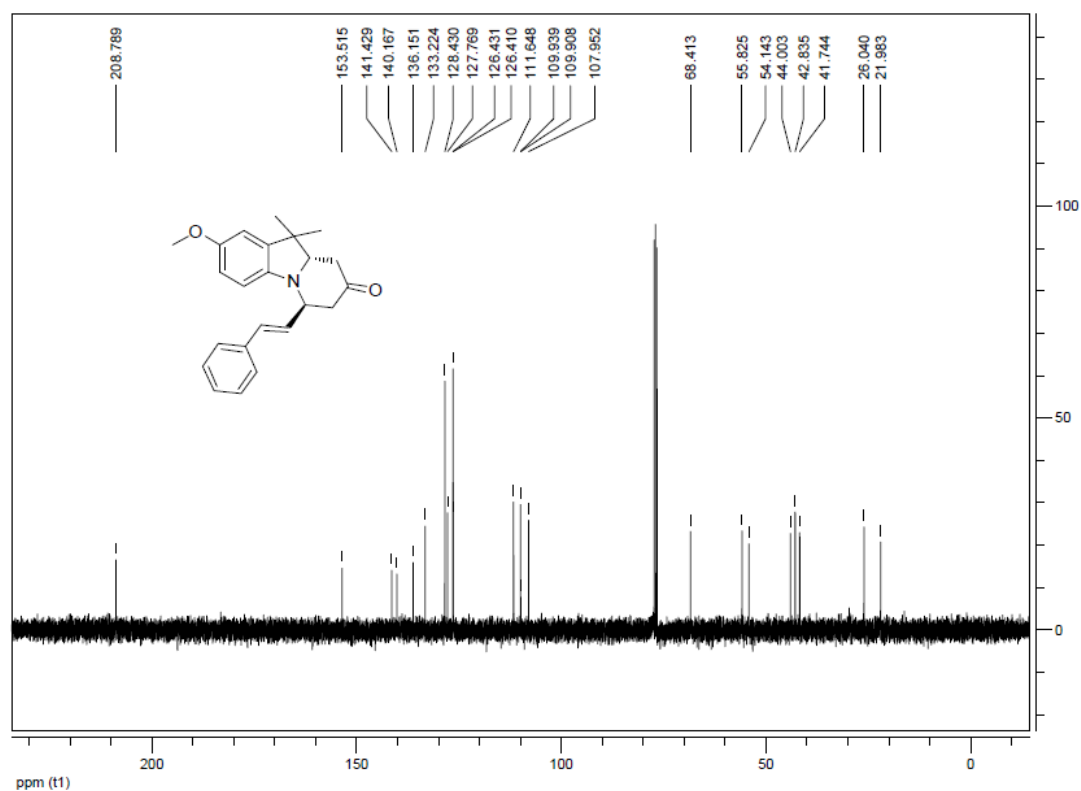
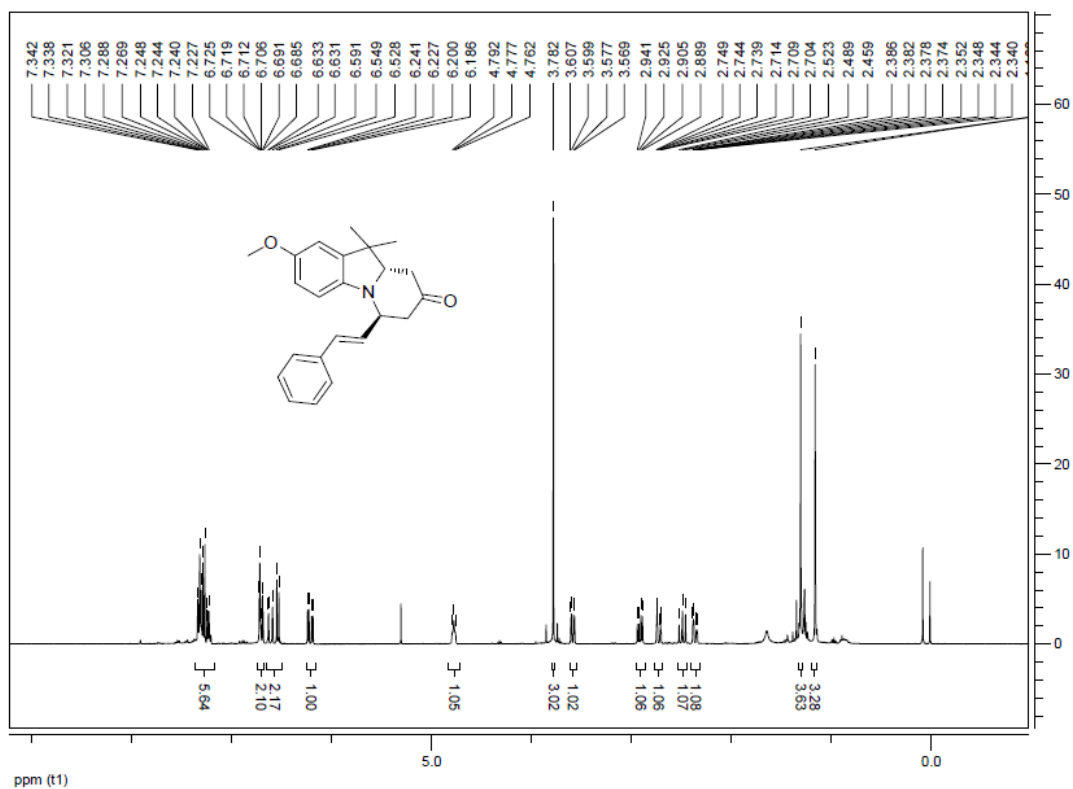
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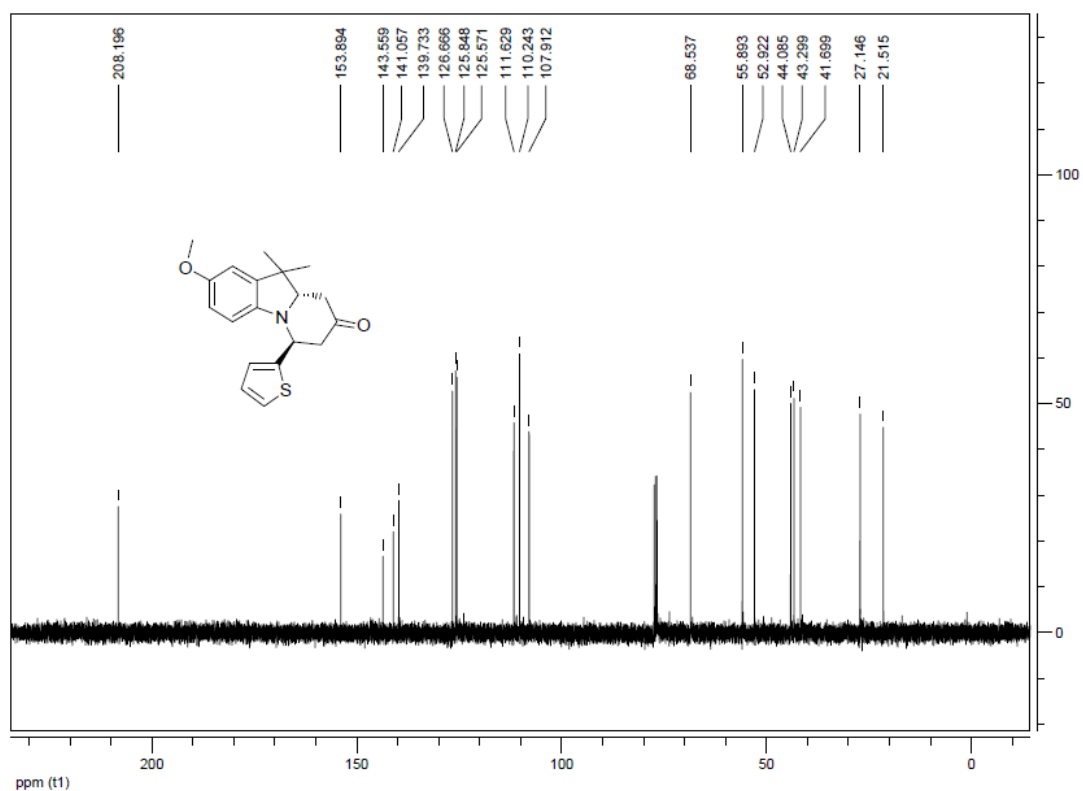
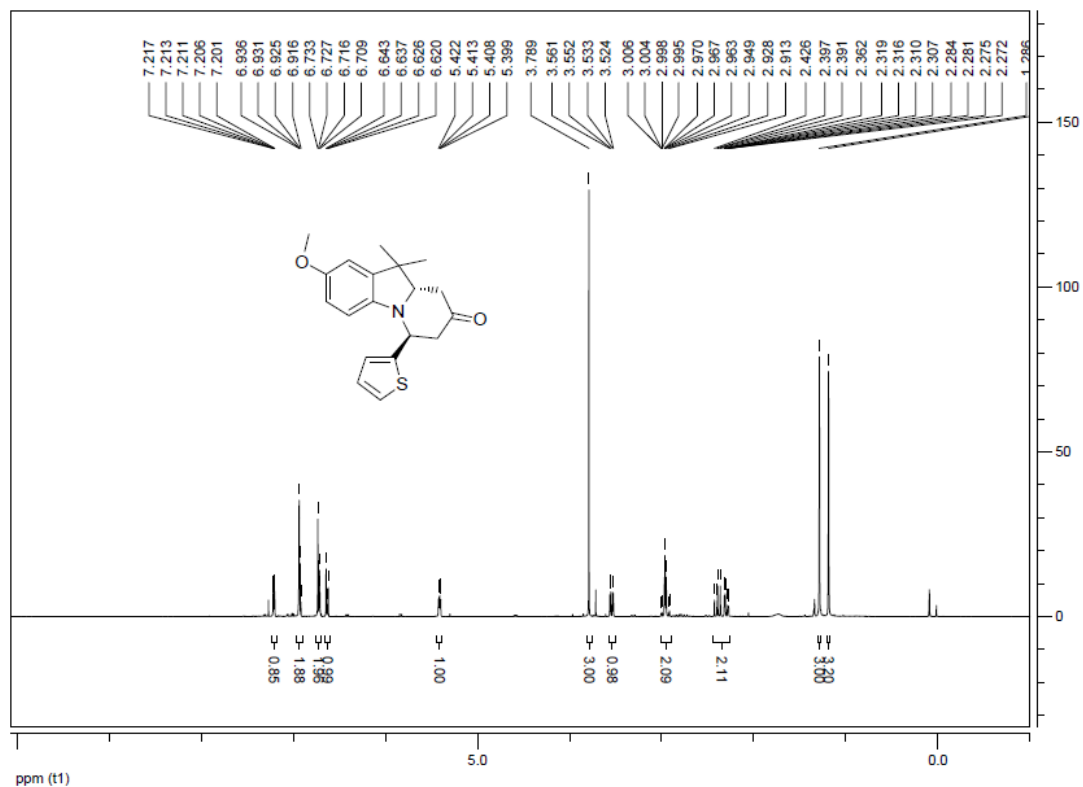
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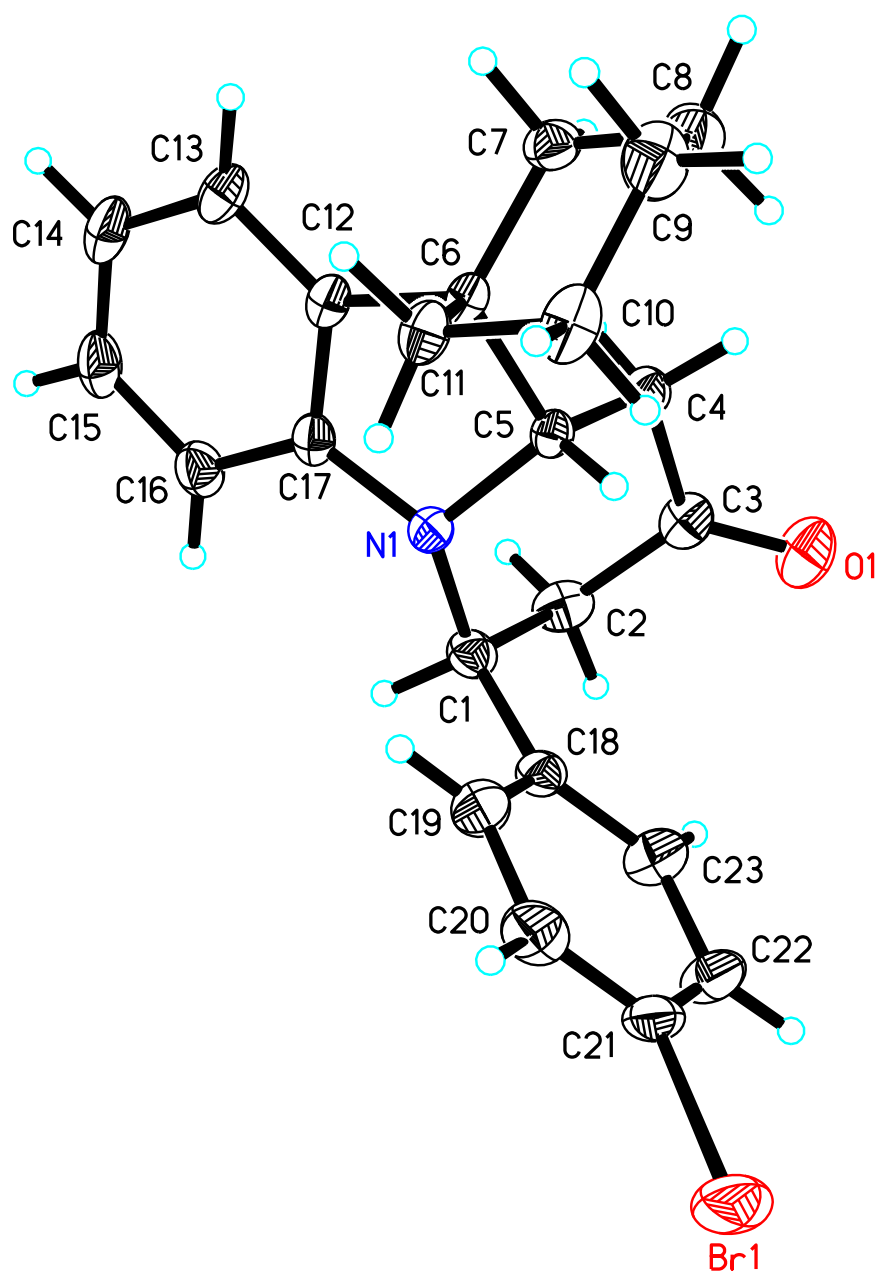
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(6S,9aS)-2-methoxy-10,10-dimethyl-6-(thiophen-2-yl)-6,7,9a,10-tetrahydropyrido [1,2-a]indol-8(9H)-one (4u)



F: Determination of Absolute Configuration of 4g





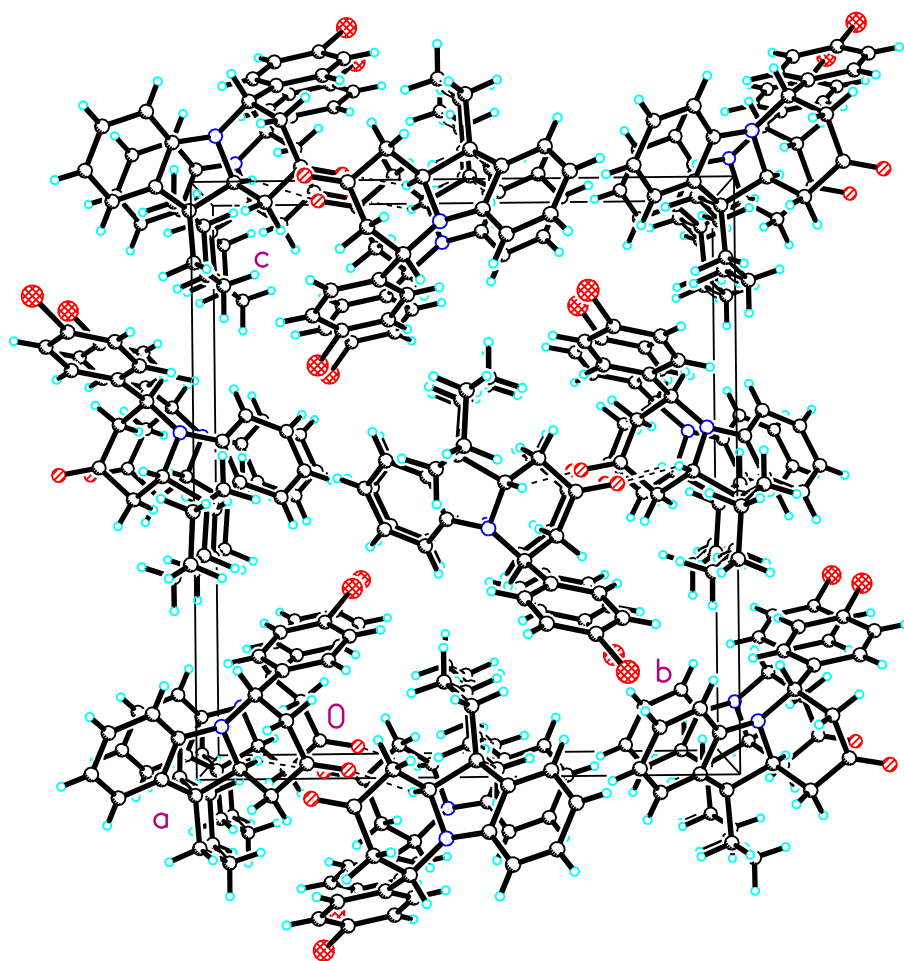


Table S1 Crystal data and structure refinement for **4g**.

Identification code	cd212313
Empirical formula	C ₂₃ H ₂₄ BrNO
Formula weight	410.34
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system	Orthorhombic
Space group	P2(1)2(1)2(1)
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.2425(8) Å α = 90 °. b = 15.4541(17) Å β = 90 °. c = 17.0100(18) Å γ = 90 °.
Volume	1903.9(4) Å ³
Z	4
Calculated density	1.432 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	2.171 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	848
Crystal size	0.313 x 0.212 x 0.145 mm ³
θ range for data collection	2.39 to 25.99 °.
Limiting indices	-8 ≤ h ≤ 8, -19 ≤ k ≤ 18, -16 ≤ l ≤ 20
Reflections collected / unique	11521 / 3726 [R _{int} = 0.0725]
Completeness to θ = 25.99 °	100.0 %
Absorption correction (μ)	Empirical
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.32387
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	3726 / 0 / 236
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	0.973
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0378, wR ₂ = 0.0836
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0515, wR ₂ = 0.0885
Absolute structure parameter	0.003(9)
Extinction coefficient	0.0238(12)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.209 and -0.330 e ⁻ . Å ⁻³