

**Simple and Direct sp^3 C-H Bond Arylation of Tetrahydroisoquinolines
and Isochromans via DDQ Oxidation under Mild Conditions**

Supporting Information

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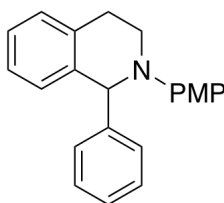
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1. General

NMR spectra were recorded on a JEOL JNM-AL400 spectrometer operating at 400 MHz and 100 MHz for ^1H and ^{13}C acquisitions, respectively. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm with a solvent resonance as an internal standard (^1H -NMR; tetramethylsilane or chloroform as internal standards, indicating 0 or 7.26, respectively, ^{13}C -NMR; chloroform as internal standard, indicating 77.00). Data is reported as follows: s = singlet, br = broad, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet; coupling constants in Hz; integration. IR spectra were recorded with a SHIMADZU IRAffinity-1 spectrometer. Specific rotation was measured with a JASCO DIP-1000 digital polarimeter. MS spectra were recorded with a JEOL JMS-700N mass spectrometer with fast atom bombardment (FAB) and a double-focusing magnetic sector mass analyzer for MS and HRMS measurements. TLC analysis was performed on commercial glass plates bearing a 0.25 mm layer of Merck TLC Silica gel 60 F₂₅₄. Silica gel chromatography was carried out Merck Silica gel 60 (70-230 mesh).

2. Experimental details and characterization data for all compounds

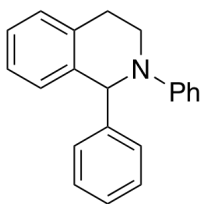
1-Phenyl-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (**1**)¹



After stirring the mixture of 2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (95.7 mg, 0.4 mmol) and DDQ (99.9 mg, 0.44 mmol) in chlorobenzene (4.0 mL) in a vial at room temperature for 10 min under Ar atmosphere, phenylmagnesium bromide (1.0 M in THF, 8.0 mL, 0.80 mmol) was added to the suspension at 0 °C. After stirring vigorously for 3 hours at 0 °C, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃, and extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was washed with water and brine, dried over MgSO₄, filtrated, and concentrated in *vacuo*. The residue was purified by SiO₂ column chromatography (*n*-hexane/ether = 100/0-100/5) to give 1-phenyl-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline **1** (120.2 mg, 95%) as pale yellow solid.

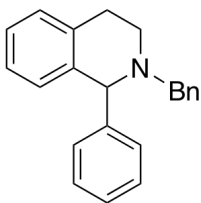
120.2 mg (95%). Pale yellow solid. *R*_f = 0.29 (AcOEt/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 128-129 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30-7.10 (m, 9H), 6.90-6.75 (m, 4H), 6.80 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.65-3.53 (m, 1H), 3.50-3.35 (m, 1H), 3.05-2.85 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.9, 144.4, 143.2, 137.7, 135.5, 128.4, 128.1, 128.1, 128.0 (2C), 126.8, 126.7 (2C), 126.0, 117.7 (2C), 114.5 (2C), 64.3, 55.6, 44.5, 28.1. IR (solid) 3022, 2918, 2822, 1606, 1506, 1450, 1032, 826 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) *m/z* (rel intensity) 316 (M+H⁺, 25), 315 (45), 307 (25), 289 (15), 238 (20), 154 (100), 136 (70), 107 (20). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₂₂H₂₂NO (M+H⁺): 316.1696, found, 316.1726. Anal Calcd for C₂₂H₂₁NO: C, 83.78; H, 6.71. Found: C, 83.70; H, 7.00.

1-Phenyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (2)¹⁻²



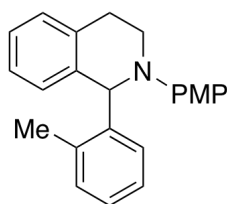
98.3 mg (86%). White solid. $R_f = 0.27$ (Et₂O/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 20). M.p. 62-64 °C (lit.² M.p. 55-56 °C). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35-7.10 (m, 11H), 6.85 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 6.75 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.83 (s, 1H), 3.80-3.67 (m, 1H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.85 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.5, 143.1, 137.9, 135.7, 129.1 (3C), 128.2 (2C), 128.1, 127.8, 127.3 (2C), 127.0, 126.8, 126.1, 117.4, 113.8, 62.8, 43.8, 28.0. IR (solid) 3020, 2916, 2853, 1593, 1503, 1381, 1250, 746 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 286 (M+H⁺, 40), 285 (60), 208 (45), 154 (100), 136 (65), 107 (15). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₂₁H₂₀N (M+H⁺): 286.1590, found, 286.1574.

1-Benzyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3)



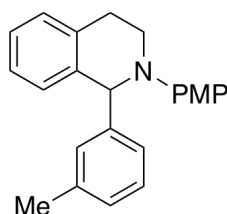
82.6 mg (69%). White solid. $R_f = 0.48$ (AcOEt/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 106-109 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50-7.17 (m, 10H), 7.17-7.05 (m, 2H), 6.99 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.72 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.60 (s, 1H), 3.81 (d, $J = 13.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.24 (d, $J = 13.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.15-3.00 (m, 2H), 2.82-2.70 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.45 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 144.4, 139.6, 138.5, 134.8, 129.6 (2C), 128.8, 128.7 (2C), 128.4, 128.3 (2C), 128.1 (2C), 127.2, 126.8, 125.9, 125.6, 68.8, 58.8, 47.3, 29.2. IR (solid) 3027, 2930, 2808, 1598, 1489, 1450, 1256, 1123 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 300 (M+H⁺, 40), 298 (60), 222 (95), 154 (30), 136 (20), 91 (100). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₂₂H₂₂N (M+H⁺): 300.1747, found, 300.1791.

1-(2-Tolyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (4)



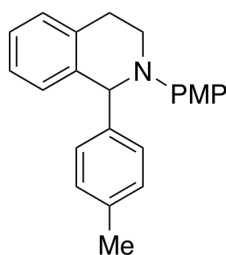
116.3 mg (88%). White solid. R_f = 0.40 (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 124-126 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.20-7.05 (m, 5H), 7.05-6.97 (m, 1H), 6.97-6.90 (m, 1H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 6.80-6.70 (m, 1H), 6.74 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.35 (m, 2H), 2.87 (ddd, J = 16.4, 8.8, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (dt, J = 16.4, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 154.1, 144.7, 142.2, 137.7, 136.9, 135.9, 130.5, 130.1, 128.9, 128.5, 126.9, 126.3, 125.9, 125.2, 121.3 (2C), 114.2 (2C), 61.5, 55.4, 46.0, 26.3, 19.6. IR (solid) 3015, 2928, 2833, 1580, 1504, 1240, 1194, 1128 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 330 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 45), 329 (100), 238 (60), 154 (25), 136 (20). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 330.1852, found, 330.1860. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}$: C, 83.85; H, 7.04. Found: C, 83.60; H, 7.38.

1-(3-Tolyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (5)



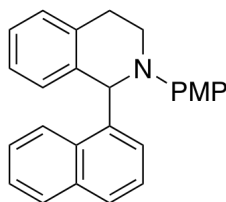
113.0 mg (86%). Colorless viscous oil. R_f = 0.39 (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.22-7.05 (m, 5H), 7.05-6.90 (m, 3H), 6.85-6.75 (m, 4H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.59 (ddd, J = 11.7, 6.3, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (ddd, J = 11.7, 6.8, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.05-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.25 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 152.7, 144.4, 143.4, 137.7, 137.6, 135.5, 128.6, 128.3, 128.1, 127.9, 127.6, 126.6, 126.0, 125.1, 117.4 (2C), 114.5 (2C), 64.2, 55.6, 44.5, 28.0, 21.5. IR (neat) 3020, 2907, 2830, 1603, 1508, 1240, 1180, 1036 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 330 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 55), 329 (100), 238 (65), 136 (10), 105 (5). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 330.1852, found, 330.1819. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}$: C, 83.85; H, 7.04. Found: C, 84.15; H, 7.13.

1-(4-Tolyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (6)



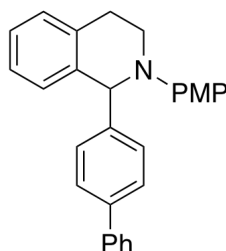
126.0 mg (96%). Colorless viscous oil. $R_f = 0.45$ (Et₂O/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22-7.10 (m, 4H), 7.02 (s, 4H), 6.85-6.75 (m, 4H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.57 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.40 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.05-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.27 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.8, 144.5, 140.2, 137.8, 136.3, 135.4, 128.7 (2C), 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 126.6, 125.9 (2C), 117.7 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 64.0, 55.6, 44.4, 28.1, 21.0. IR (neat) 3022, 2926, 2841, 1665, 1510, 1258, 1175, 1130 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 330 (M+H⁺, 65), 329 (100), 238 (75), 147 (20), 73 (50). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₂₃H₂₄NO (M+H⁺): 330.1852, found, 330.1845.

1-(1-Naphthyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (7)¹



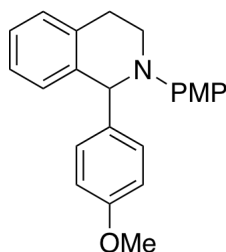
87.9 mg (60%). White solid. $R_f = 0.31$ (AcOEt/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 172-174 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.11 (dd, $J = 7.7, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.84 (dd, $J = 6.8, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.50-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 7.02 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.23 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.60-3.40 (m, 2H), 2.91 (dt, $J = 16.6, 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.76 (dt, $J = 16.6, 3.9$ Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.0, 144.3, 139.9, 136.7, 136.1, 134.0, 132.3, 129.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.2, 128.0, 126.6, 126.1, 126.0, 125.5, 124.8, 124.7, 120.9 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 60.8, 55.4, 45.9, 25.8. IR (solid) 3046, 2914, 2830, 1595, 1510, 1506, 1238, 1032 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 366 (M+H⁺, 10), 365 (M⁺, 20), 307 (25), 154 (100), 136 (70). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₂₆H₂₄NO (M+H⁺): 366.1852, found, 366.1800.

1-(4-Biphenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (8)¹



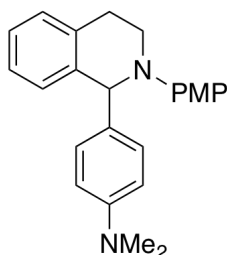
145.6 mg (93%). White solid. $R_f = 0.31$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 130-132 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.53 (d, $J = 8.4, 1.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.50-7.35 (m, 4H), 7.35-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.15 (m, 6H), 6.90-6.78 (m, 4H), 5.71 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.62 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.3, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.44 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.8, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.10-2.90 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 152.9, 144.4, 142.3, 140.8, 139.6, 137.6, 135.5, 128.7 (2C), 128.5 (2C), 128.4, 128.1, 127.1, 127.0 (2C), 126.8, 126.7 (2C), 126.0, 117.7 (2C), 114.5 (2C), 64.1, 55.6, 44.5, 28.1. IR (solid) 3032, 2922, 2851, 1600, 1504, 1246, 1196, 1132 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 392 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 25), 391 (45), 238 (25), 154 (100), 136 (70). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 392.2009, found, 392.1968.

1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (9)¹



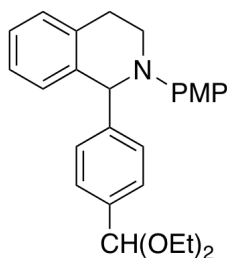
101.3 mg (73%). Colorless viscous oil. $R_f = 0.24$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.20-7.05 (m, 4H), 7.02 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.85-6.74 (m, 4H), 6.72 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.51 (ddd, $J = 12.0, 6.8, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.36 (ddd, $J = 12.0, 6.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.00-2.83 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 158.4, 152.9, 144.5, 137.8, 135.3, 135.2, 129.2 (2C), 128.4, 128.0, 126.5, 125.8, 118.2 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 113.2 (2C), 63.9, 55.5, 55.1, 44.3, 28.1. IR (neat) 2995, 2930, 2832, 1607, 1504, 1238, 1169, 1032 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 346 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 65), 345 (100), 344 (40), 238 (90), 136 (10). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{NO}_2$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 346.1802, found, 346.1802.

1-(4-*N,N*-dimethylaminoaniline)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (10)



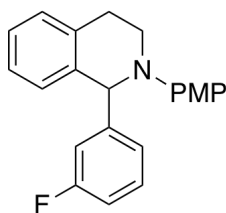
126.0 mg (88%). Pale yellow viscous oil. $R_f = 0.14$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.20-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.96 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.78 ($J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.57 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.54 (ddd, $J = 12.2, 7.3, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.38 (ddd, $J = 12.2, 6.1, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.05-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.87 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 152.7, 149.4, 144.7, 138.2, 135.4, 131.0, 128.9 (2C), 128.3, 128.1, 126.4, 125.8, 118.0 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 112.0 (2C), 63.8, 55.6, 44.0, 40.5 (2C), 28.0. IR (solid) 2990, 2903, 2830, 1611, 1506, 1441, 1346, 1240 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 359 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 40), 358 (M^+ , 100), 238 (40), 154 (15), 136 (10). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 359.2118, found, 359.2126.

1-(4-benzaldehyde dimethylacetal)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (11)



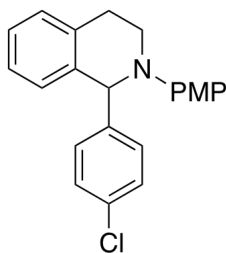
127.0 mg (76%). Colorless viscous oil. $R_f = 0.24$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.31 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.10 (m, 6H), 6.85-6.75 (m, 4H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 5.43 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.65-3.35 (m, 6H), 3.00-2.85 (m, 2H), 1.20 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 152.8, 144.4, 143.4, 137.6, 137.6, 135.5, 128.3, 128.1, 127.9 (2C), 126.7, 126.3 (2C), 126.0, 117.5 (2C), 114.5 (2C), 101.5, 64.1, 61.1 (2C), 55.6, 44.6, 28.1, 15.2 (2C). IR (neat) 3020, 2972, 2880, 1508, 1454, 1240, 1111, 1049 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 418 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 40), 417 (M^+ , 100), 372 (25), 238 (60), 136 (10). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 418.2377, found, 418.2356. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{31}\text{NO}_3$: C, 77.67; H, 7.48. Found: C, 77.46; H, 7.78.

1-(3-Fluorophenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (12)



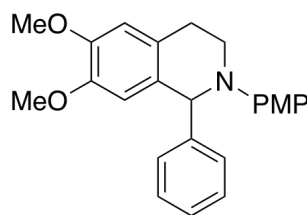
105.0 mg (79%). White solid. $R_f = 0.36$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 87-89 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.25-7.10 (m, 5H), 7.00-6.75 (m, 7H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.56 (dt, $J = 11.7, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.40 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 7.1, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.00-2.85 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.8 (d, $J = 245.8$ Hz), 153.1, 146.2 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz), 144.2, 137.1, 135.5, 129.4 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 128.5, 128.0, 127.0, 126.1, 123.7 (d, $J = 3.3$ Hz), 117.8 (2C), 114.9 (d, $J = 21.5$ Hz), 114.5 (2C), 113.7 (d, $J = 21.5$ Hz), 64.0, 55.6, 44.8, 28.2. IR (solid) 3025, 2907, 2832, 1611, 1587, 1508, 1439, 1240 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 334 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 50), 333 (M^+ , 100), 238 (60), 154 (25), 136 (25). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{FNO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 334.1602, found, 334.1610. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{20}\text{FNO}$: C, 79.26; H, 6.05. Found: C, 79.20; H, 5.88.

1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (13)



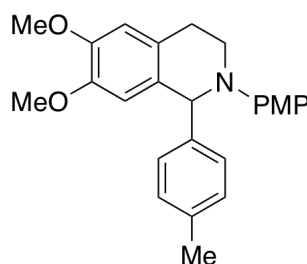
109.7 mg (78%). Colorless viscous oil. $R_f = 0.30$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.22-7.00 (m, 8H), 6.80 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 4H), 5.60 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.51 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.38 (ddd, $J = 11.7, 6.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.05-2.85 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.2, 144.2, 141.7, 137.2, 135.4, 132.6, 129.5 (2C), 128.5, 128.1 (2C), 128.0, 126.9, 126.1, 118.3 (2C), 114.5 (2C), 64.0, 55.6, 44.7, 28.2. IR (neat) 3025, 2930, 2832, 1508, 1487, 1240, 1090, 1036 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 350 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 60), 349 (100), 238 (75), 154 (20), 136 (20). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{ClNO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 350.1306, found, 350.1227. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{20}\text{ClNO}$: C, 75.53; H, 5.76. Found: C, 75.80; H, 5.78.

1-Phenyl-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6,7-dimethoxyisoquinoline (14)



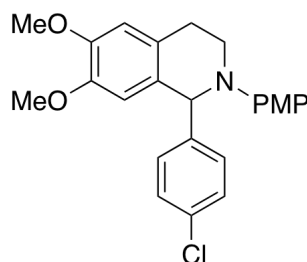
124.3 mg (83%). White solid. $R_f = 0.24$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 5). M.p. 112-114 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.30-7.05 (m, 5H), 6.85 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 2H), 6.65 (s, 1H), 6.59 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.30 (m, 2H), 2.90 (ddd, $J = 15.9, 8.1, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dt, $J = 15.9, 5.1$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.2, 147.8, 147.2, 144.6, 143.2, 129.0, 128.4 (2C), 127.9 (2C), 127.6, 126.8, 118.7 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 111.3, 111.2, 64.0, 56.0, 55.9, 55.6, 44.1, 27.2. IR (solid) 2905, 2828, 1609, 1506, 1449, 1373, 1236, 1118 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 376 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 45), 375 (M^+ , 100), 298 (70), 154 (10), 136 (10). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 376.1907, found, 376.1919.

1-(2-Tolyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6,7-dimethoxyisoquinoline (15)



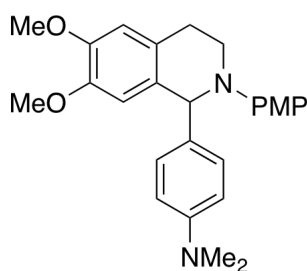
129.2 mg (83%). Pale yellow viscous oil. $R_f = 0.21$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 5). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.02 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.85 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.65 (s, 1H), 6.59 (s, 1H), 5.56 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.30 (m, 2H), 2.90 (ddd, $J = 15.9, 8.3, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.75 (dt, $J = 15.9, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.1, 147.8, 147.2, 144.6, 140.2, 136.4, 129.2, 128.6 (2C), 128.3 (2C), 127.5, 118.6 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 111.2, 111.2, 63.7, 56.0, 55.8, 55.6, 43.8, 27.1, 21.0. IR (neat) 2932, 2832, 1611, 1508, 1462, 1238, 1113, 1034 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 390 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 50), 389 (M^+ , 95), 388 (40), 298 (100), 239 (15). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 390.2064, found, 390.2073. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}_3 \cdot 1\text{H}_2\text{O}$: C, 73.68; H, 7.17. Found: C, 73.79; H, 6.87.

1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6,7-dimethoxyisoquinoline (16)



128.0 mg (78%). Pale yellow viscous oil. $R_f = 0.18$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 5). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.17 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.02 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.66 (s, 1H), 6.52 (s, 1H), 5.52 (s, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.45-3.30 (m, 2H), 2.90 (dt, $J = 15.4, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dt, $J = 15.4, 5.1$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.5, 148.0, 147.3, 144.4, 141.7, 132.6, 129.8 (2C), 128.5, 128.0 (2C), 127.5, 119.3 (2C), 114.4 (2C), 111.3, 111.1, 63.7, 56.0, 55.9, 55.5, 44.3, 27.3. IR (neat) 2934, 2832, 1611, 1506, 1462, 1240, 1115, 1034 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 410 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 40), 409 (M^+ , 75), 298 (45), 154 (100), 136 (70). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{25}\text{ClNO}_3$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 410.1517, found, 410.1515. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClNO}_3 \cdot 1/4\text{H}_2\text{O}$: C, 69.56; H, 5.96. Found: C, 69.70; H, 5.89.

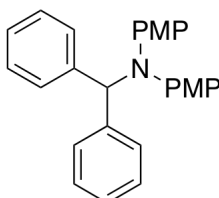
1-(4-Dimethylaminophenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6,7-dimethoxyisoquinoline (17)



145.9 mg (87%). Yellow solid. $R_f = 0.28$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 3 : 7). M.P. 42-44 $^{\circ}\text{C}$. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 6.93 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 2H), 6.70-6.50 (m, 4H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.30 (m, 2H), 3.00-2.80 (m, 1H), 2.89 (s, 6H), 2.72 (dt, $J = 15.6, 4.6$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.0, 149.4, 147.6, 147.1, 144.8, 130.9, 129.5, 129.2 (2C), 127.4, 118.8 (2C), 118.1, 114.5, 114.3 (2C), 111.9 (2C), 111.2, 111.1, 63.3, 55.9, 55.8, 55.6, 43.3, 40.5 (2C), 26.9. IR (solid) 2934, 2832, 1611, 1506, 1462, 1348, 1240, 1113 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 419 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 50), 418 (M^+ , 100),

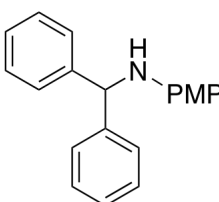
298 (45), 154 (40), 136 (30). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $C_{26}H_{31}N_2O_3$ ($M+H^+$): 419.2329, found, 419.2327.

***N*-Di-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,1-diphenylmethanamine (18)**



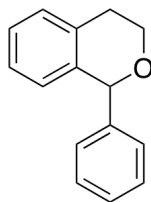
110.4 mg (70%). Pale yellow viscous oil. R_f = 0.28 (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.30-7.10 (m, 10H), 6.75 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 4H), 6.65 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 4H), 6.17 (s, 1H), 3.69 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 154.4 (2C), 141.7 (4C), 129.3 (4C), 128.0 (4C), 126.8 (2C), 124.5 (4C), 114.0 (4C), 69.5, 55.4 (2C). IR (neat) 3390, 3028, 2951, 2833, 1501, 1236, 1179, 1030 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 396 ($M+H^+$, 30), 395 (M^+ , 70), 319 (30), 228 (100), 167 (65). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $C_{27}H_{26}NO_2$ ($M+H^+$): 396.1958, found, 396.1928. Anal Calcd for $C_{27}H_{25}NO_2 \cdot 1/3H_2O$: C, 80.77; H, 6.44. Found: C, 81.02; H, 6.38.

***N*-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-1,1-diphenylmethanamine (19)³**



105.0 mg (91%). Pale yellow viscous oil. R_f = 0.35 (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.45-7.20 (m, 10H), 6.70 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.49 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.41 (s, 1H), 3.97 (br s, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 152.1, 143.2 (2C), 141.7, 128.7 (2C), 127.4 (4C), 127.3 (4C), 114.7 (2C), 114.6 (2C), 63.8, 55.7. IR (neat) 3391, 3026, 2930, 2832, 1508, 1240, 1177, 1028 cm^{-1} . MS (FAB) m/z (rel intensity) 290 ($M+H^+$, 30), 289 (100), 212 (15), 167 (70), 165 (15). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for $C_{20}H_{20}NO$ ($M+H^+$): 290.1539, found, 290.1521.

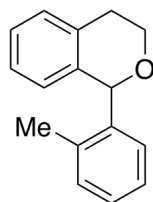
1-Phenylisochroman (**20**)⁴



After stirring the mixture of isochroman (53.7 mg, 0.4 mmol) and DDQ (99.9 mg, 0.44 mmol) in chlorobenzene (4.0 mL) in a vial at 80 °C for 1.5 h under Ar atmosphere, phenylmagnesium bromide (3.0 M in Et₂O, 2.7 mL, 0.80 mmol) was added to the suspension at 0 °C. After stirring vigorously for 3 hours at 0 °C, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃, and extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was washed with water and brine, dried over MgSO₄, filtrated, and concentrated in *vacuo*. The residue was purified by SiO₂ column chromatography (*n*-hexane/ether = 100/0-100/5) to give 1-phenylisochroman **20** (71.1 mg, 85%) as white solid.

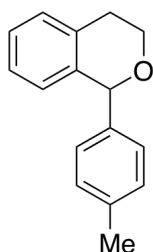
71.1 mg (85%). White solid. *R*_f = 0.30 (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 87-89 °C (lit.⁴ M.p. 87-89 °C). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-7.25 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.15 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.00 (m, 1H), 6.75 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 5.73 (s, 1H), 4.20 (ddd, *J* = 11.4, 5.6, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (ddd, *J* = 11.4, 9.5, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (ddd, *J* = 16.4, 9.5, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dt, *J* = 16.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 142.2, 137.4, 133.8, 128.9 (2C), 128.7, 128.4 (2C), 128.1, 126.9, 126.6, 125.9, 79.7, 63.9, 28.8. IR (solid) 3019, 2930, 2835, 1599, 1489, 1450, 1281, 1109 cm⁻¹. MS (FAB) *m/z* (rel intensity) 211 (M+H⁺, 25), 209 (60), 154 (100), 136 (75), 91 (70). HRMS (FAB) Calcd for C₁₅H₁₅O (M+H⁺): 211.1117, found, 211.1116.

1-(2-Methylphenyl)-isochroman (21)



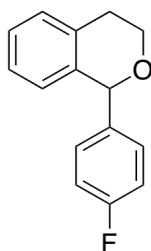
69.1 mg (77%). Colorless oil. $R_f = 0.35$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.30-7.00 (m, 7H), 6.69 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.92 (s, 1H), 4.20 (ddd, $J = 11.2, 5.6, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.93 (ddd, $J = 11.2, 9.5, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.15 (ddd, $J = 16.4, 9.5, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dt, $J = 16.4, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 139.9, 137.5, 137.2, 133.9, 130.9, 129.9, 128.6, 128.0, 126.5, 126.3, 126.0, 125.7, 77.7, 64.1, 28.8, 19.4. IR (neat) 3021, 2924, 2853, 1489, 1450, 1373, 1271, 1082 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 225 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 35), 224 (M^+ , 15), 223 (50), 154 (100), 136 (70), 105 (60). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 225.1274, found, 225.1314. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{O} \cdot 1/10 \text{H}_2\text{O}$: C, 84.99; H, 7.22. Found: C, 85.18; H, 7.57.

1-(4-Methylphenyl)-isochroman (22)



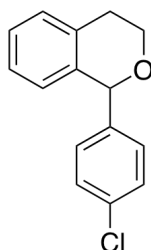
72.6 mg (81%). Colorless oil. $R_f = 0.47$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.23-7.10 (m, 6H), 7.10-7.00 (m, 1H), 6.76 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.70 (s, 1H), 4.18 (ddd, $J = 11.2, 5.4, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (ddd, $J = 11.2, 9.4, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.12 (ddd, $J = 16.4, 9.4, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.80 (dt, $J = 16.4, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 139.3, 137.8, 137.5, 133.9, 129.1 (2C), 128.8 (2C), 128.7, 126.9, 126.5, 125.9, 79.4, 63.7, 28.8, 21.2. IR (neat) 3021, 2922, 2851, 1514, 1491, 1450, 1279, 1088 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 225 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 40), 224 (M^+ , 30), 223 (100), 207 (30), 133 (65), 105 (60). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 225.1274, found, 225.1271. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}$: C, 85.68; H, 7.19. Found: C, 85.55; H, 7.07.

1-(4-Fluorophenyl)-isochroman (23)



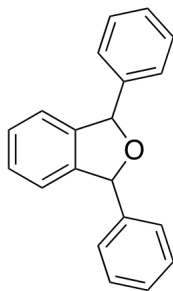
78.7 mg (86%). White solid. $R_f = 0.27$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 94-98 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.35-7.00 (m, 7H), 6.72 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 4.18 (ddd, $J = 11.2$, 5.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (ddd, $J = 11.2$, 9.5, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 3.14 (ddd, $J = 16.4$, 9.5, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (dt, $J = 16.4$, 3.7 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.6 (d, $J = 246.6$ Hz), 138.1 (d, $J = 3.3$ Hz), 137.1, 133.8, 130.6 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2C), 128.8, 126.8, 126.7, 126.0, 115.3 (d, $J = 21.5$ Hz, 2C), 78.9, 63.9, 28.8. IR (solid) 3063, 2928, 2862, 1603, 1508, 1449, 1281, 1092 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 229 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 10), 228 (M^+ , 5), 227 (15), 154 (100), 136 (70). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{FO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 229.1023, found, 229.1026. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{FO}$: C, 78.93; H, 5.74. Found: C, 79.06; H, 5.40.

1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-isochroman (24)



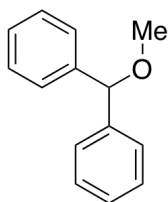
88.7 mg (91%). White solid. $R_f = 0.31$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). M.p. 60-62 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.10 (m, 6H), 7.10-7.00 (m, 1H), 6.71 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.70 (s, 1H), 4.17 (ddd, $J = 11.5$, 5.6, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (ddd, $J = 11.5$, 9.5, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (ddd, $J = 16.4$, 9.5, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (dt, $J = 16.4$, 3.7 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 140.7, 136.8, 133.9, 133.8, 130.2 (2C), 128.8, 128.6 (2C), 126.8, 126.7, 126.0, 78.8, 63.9, 28.7. IR (solid) 3020, 2926, 2853, 1597, 1489, 1450, 1279, 1088 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 278 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 65), 243 (75), 154 (100), 136 (65), 105 (35). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{ClO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 245.0728, found, 245.0729. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClO}$: C, 73.62; H, 5.35. Found: C, 73.55; H, 5.48.

1,3-Diphenyl-1,3-dihydroisobenzofuran (25)⁵



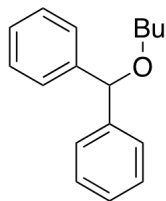
38.2 mg (35%). White solid. $R_f = 0.51$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 10). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) two isomers (*trans*:*cis*=10:1) δ 7.40-7.20 (m, 12H), 7.15-7.00 (m, 2H), 6.44 (s, 20/11H), 6.21 (s, 2/11H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) two isomers (*trans*:*cis*=10:1) δ 142.5 (2/11C), 142.1 (20/11C), 141.8 (20/11C), 141.3 (2/11C), 128.6 (40/11C), 128.4 (4/11C), 128.3 (2/11C), 128.1 (20/11C), 127.9 (20/11C), 127.8 (2/11C), 126.9 (4C), 122.3 (20/11C), 122.2 (2/11C), 86.0 (20/11C), 85.5 (2/11C). IR (solid) 3026, 2924, 2853, 1659, 1597, 1493, 1281, 1011 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 273 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 20), 271 (30), 154 (100), 136 (65), 107 (20). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 273.1274, found, 273.1274. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}$: C, 88.20; H, 5.92. Found: C, 88.16; H, 6.04.

Diphenylmethyl methyl ether (26)⁶



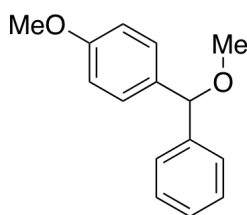
65.3 mg (82%). White solid. $R_f = 0.57$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). M.p. 49-50 °C (lit.^{6a} M.P. 48-49). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.10 (m, 10H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 3.38 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 142.1 (2C), 128.4 (4C), 127.4 (2C), 126.9 (4C), 85.4, 57.0. IR (solid) 3030, 2926, 2822, 1597, 1481, 1454, 1190, 1094 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 199 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 5), 198 (M^+ , 10), 167 (75), 154 (100), 136 (65). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 199.1117, found, 199.1131. Anal Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}$: C, 84.81; H, 7.12. Found: C, 84.91; H, 7.04.

Diphenylmethyl butyl ether (27)⁷



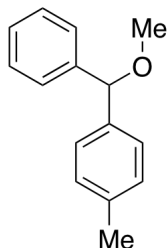
93.5 mg (97%). Colorless oil. $R_f = 0.54$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 19). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.20 (m, 10H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 3.45 (t, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 2H), 1.63 (quintet, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.42 (sextet, 7.3 Hz, 2H), 0.91 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 142.7 (2C), 128.3 (4C), 127.3 (2C), 126.9 (4C), 83.6, 68.9, 32.0, 19.5, 13.9. IR (neat) 3030, 2932, 2870, 1493, 1452, 1186, 1094, 1028 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 241 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 5), 239 (10), 167 (100), 165 (30), 107 (30). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{O}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 241.1587, found, 241.1589.

1-Methoxy-4-(methoxyphenylmethyl)benzene (28)



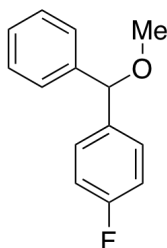
148.4 mg (82%). Colorless oil. $R_f = 0.42$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.15 (m, 7H), 6.85 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.36 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 158.9, 142.3, 134.3, 128.3 (2C), 128.2 (2C), 127.3, 126.8 (2C), 113.8 (2C), 84.9, 56.9, 22.2. IR (neat) 3028, 2934, 2820, 1611, 1508, 1244, 1171, 1090 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 229 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 10), 228 (M^+ , 60), 197 (100), 151 (40), 121 (45). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_2$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 229.1223, found, 229.1189.

4-(Methoxyphenylmethyl)toluene (29)⁸



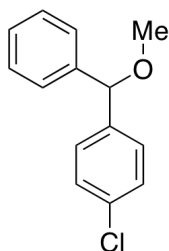
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1-Fluoro-4-(methoxyphenylmethyl)benzene (30)⁹



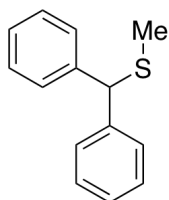
81.6 mg (94%). Colorless oil. $R_f = 0.47$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 19). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.20 (m, 7H), 7.00 (t, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 3.37 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 162.1 (d, $J = 245.0$ Hz), 141.8, 137.9 (d, $J = 3.3$ Hz), 128.5 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2C), 128.5 (2C), 127.6, 126.8 (2C), 115.2 (d, $J = 21.5$ Hz, 2C), 84.7, 57.0. IR (neat) 3030, 2932, 2822, 1603, 1506, 1452, 1221, 1090 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 217 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 5), 216 (M^+ , 10), 185 (100), 154 (80), 121 (60). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{FO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 217.1023, found, 217.1036.

1-Chloro-4-(methoxyphenylmethyl)benzene (31)¹⁰



90.6 mg (97%). White solid. $R_f = 0.54$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 9). M.p. 45-47 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.20 (m, 9H), 5.21 (s, 1H), 3.37 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 141.6, 140.7, 133.2, 129.0, 128.5, 128.5 (2C), 128.2 (2C), 127.7, 126.9 (2C), 84.7, 57.0. IR (solid) 3030, 2928, 2822, 1593, 1489, 1474, 1190, 1088 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 233 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 10), 232 (M^+ , 15), 201 (100), 154 (65), 121 (70). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{ClO}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 233.0728, found, 233.0617.

Diphenylmethyl butyl sulfide (32)¹¹



44.3 mg (52%). White solid. $R_f = 0.43$ (EtOAc/*n*-Hexane, 1 : 39). M.p. 30-31 °C {lit.^{11a} 30-32 °C}. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.60-7.20 (m, 10H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 1.98 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 141.2 (2C), 128.5 (4C), 128.3 (4C), 127.1 (2C), 56.1, 15.9. IR (solid) 3026, 2914, 1665, 1597, 1493, 1481, 1449, 1074 cm^{-1} . MS m/z (rel intensity) 215 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 1), 214 (M^+ , 15), 167 (100), 154 (30), 137 (35). HRMS Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{S}$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$): 215.0889, found, 215.0860.

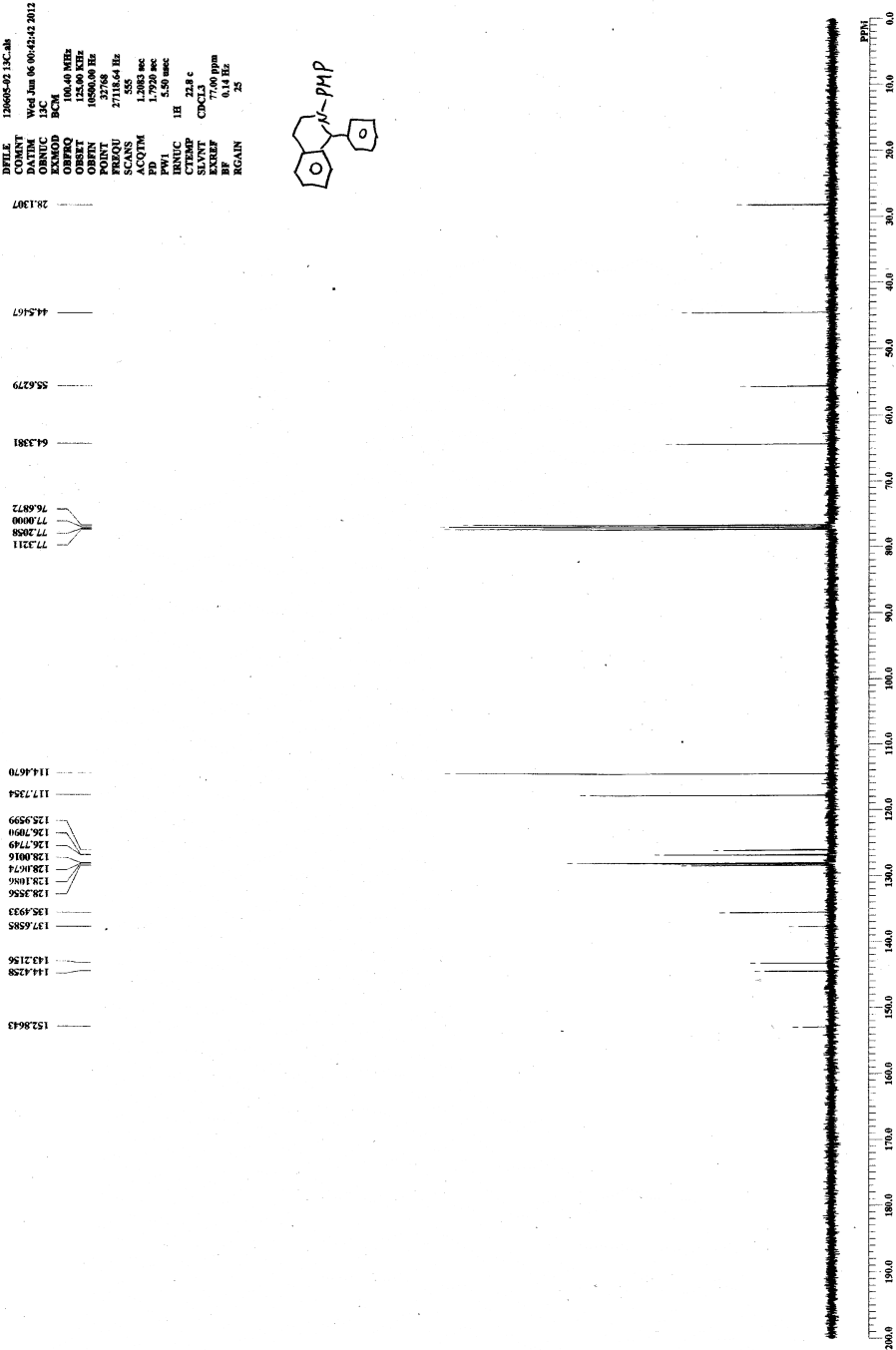
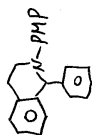
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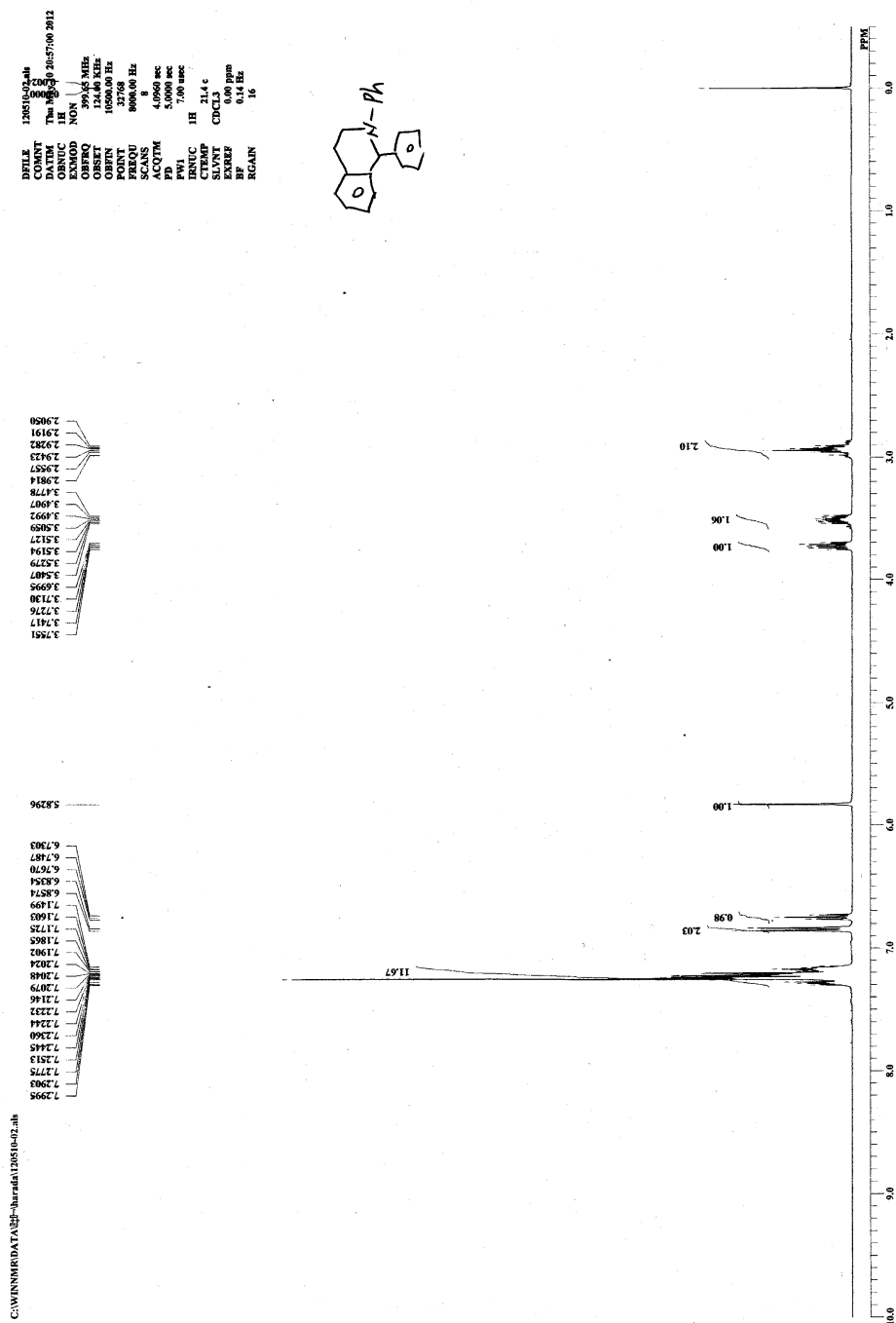
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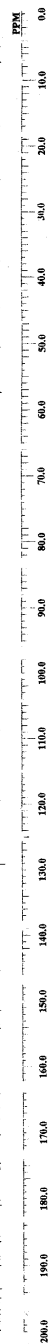
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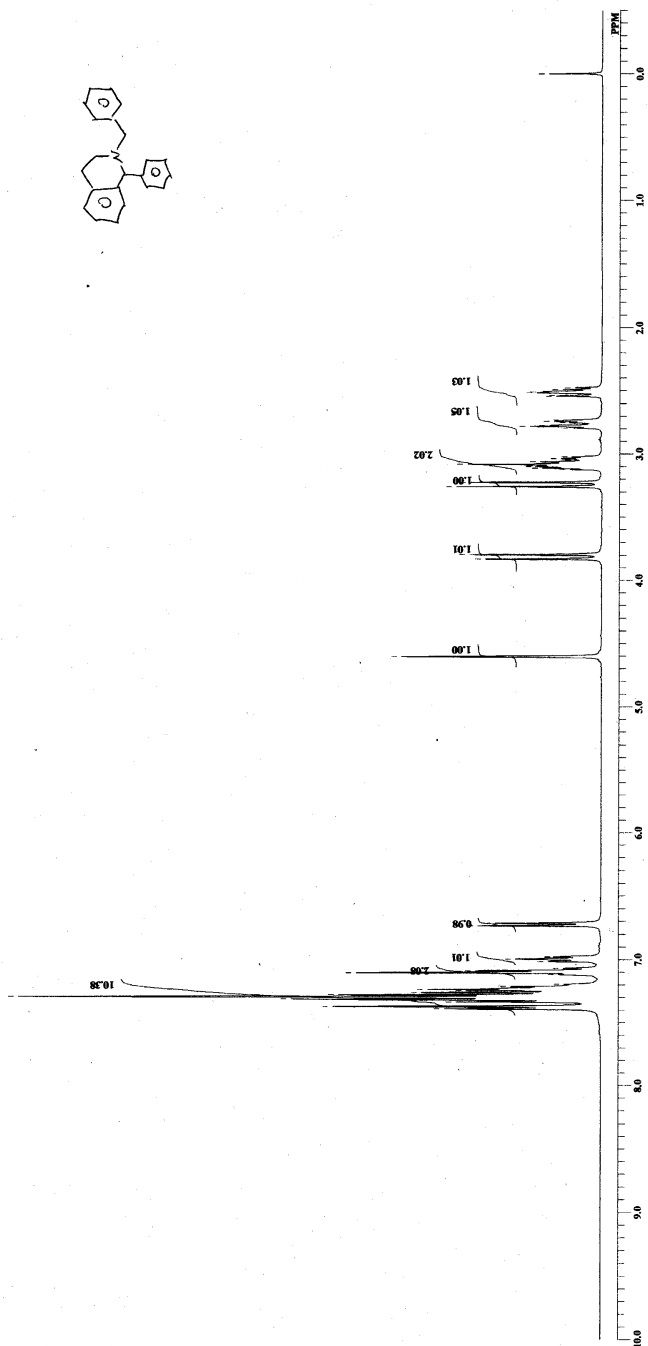
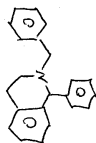
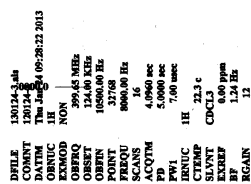
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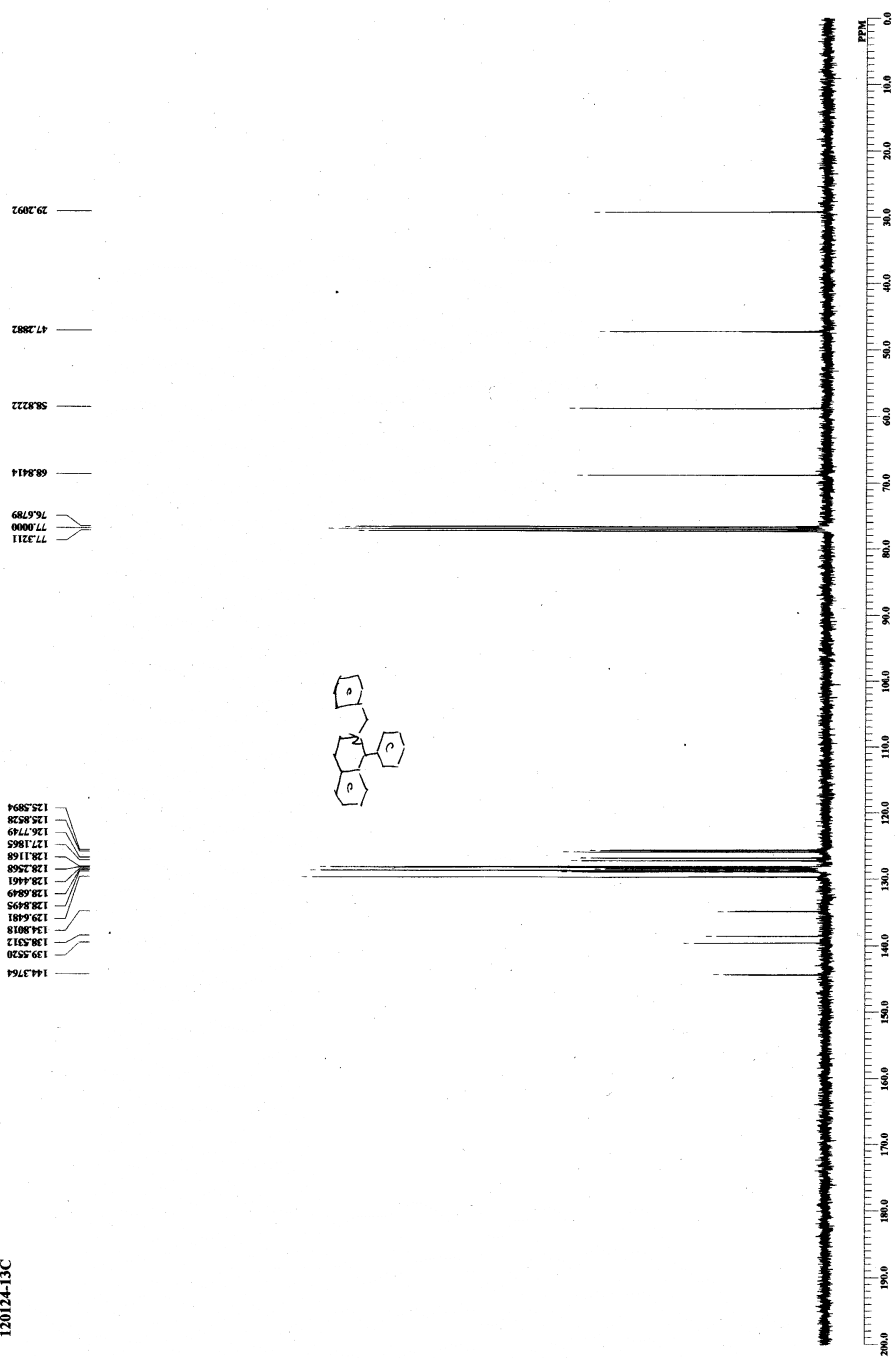
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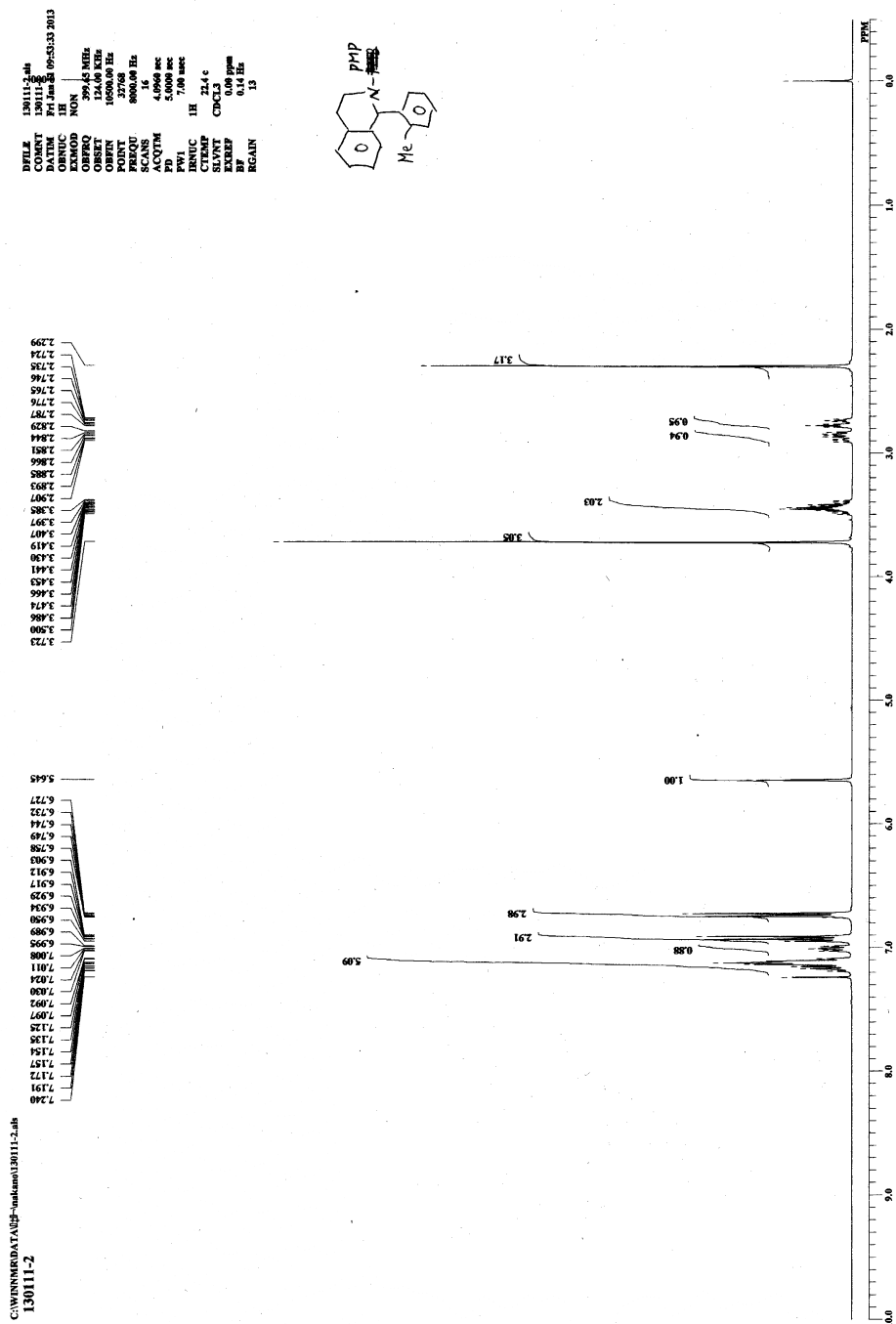
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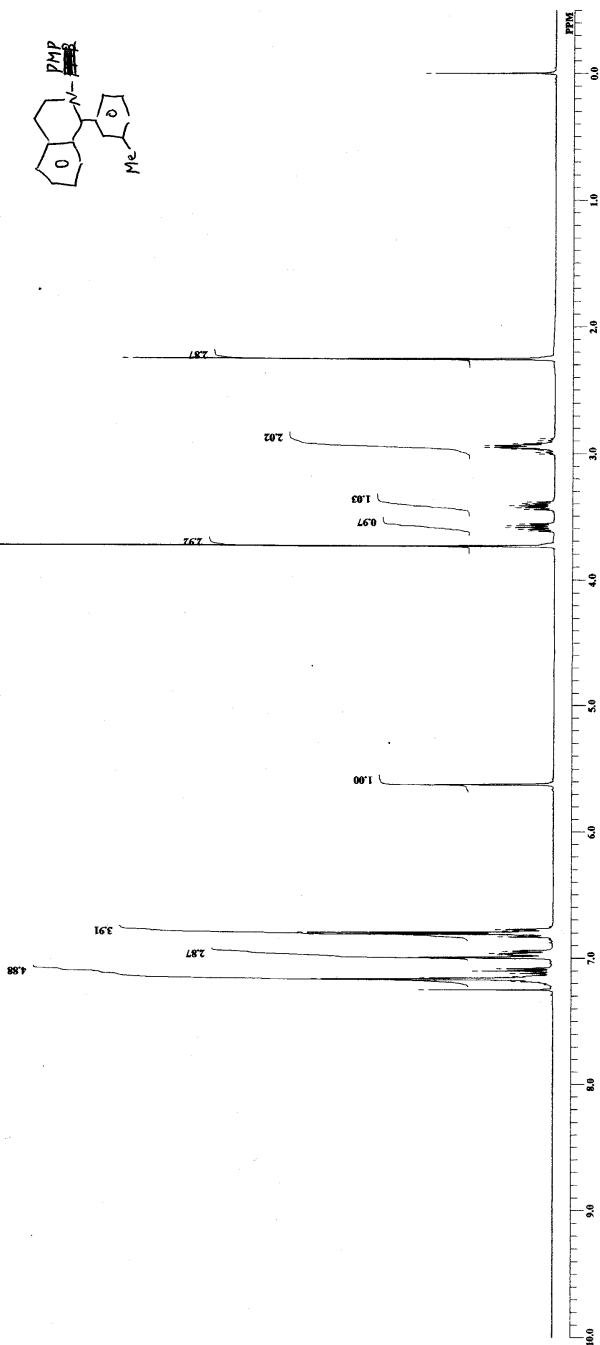
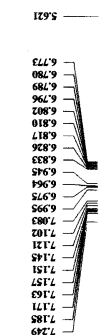
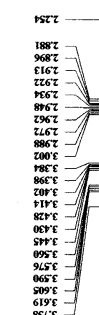
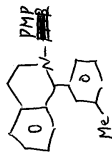
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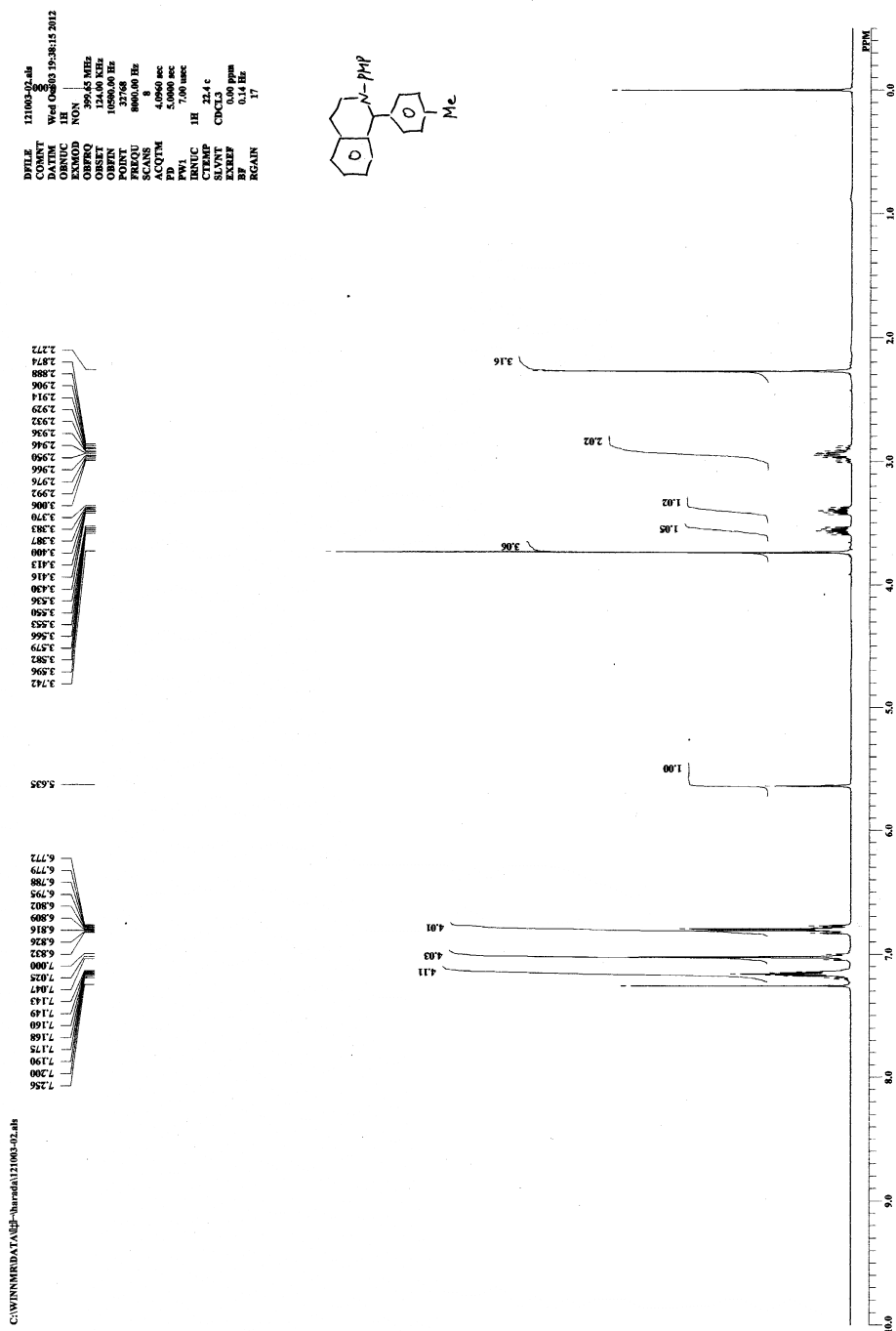
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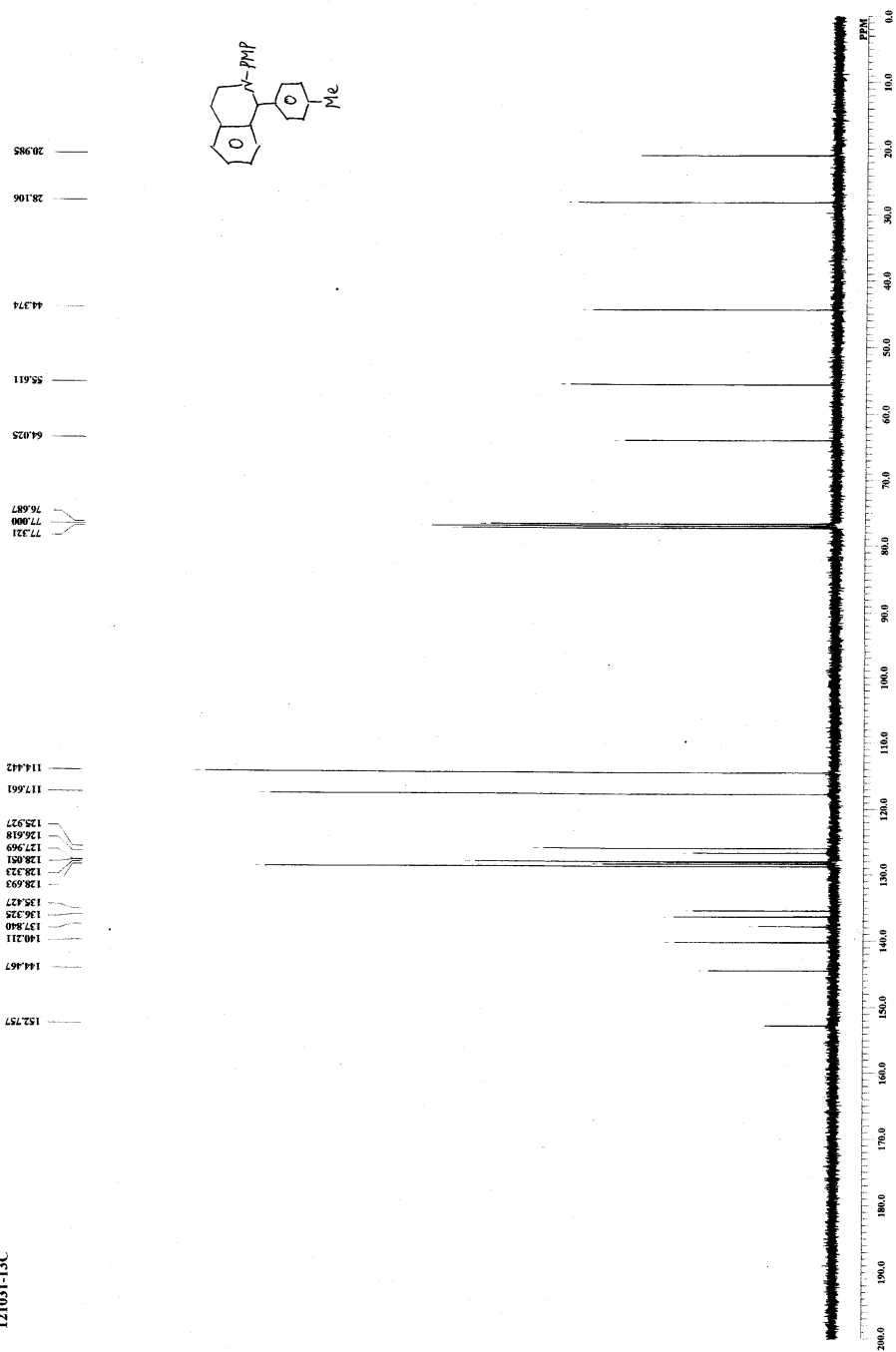
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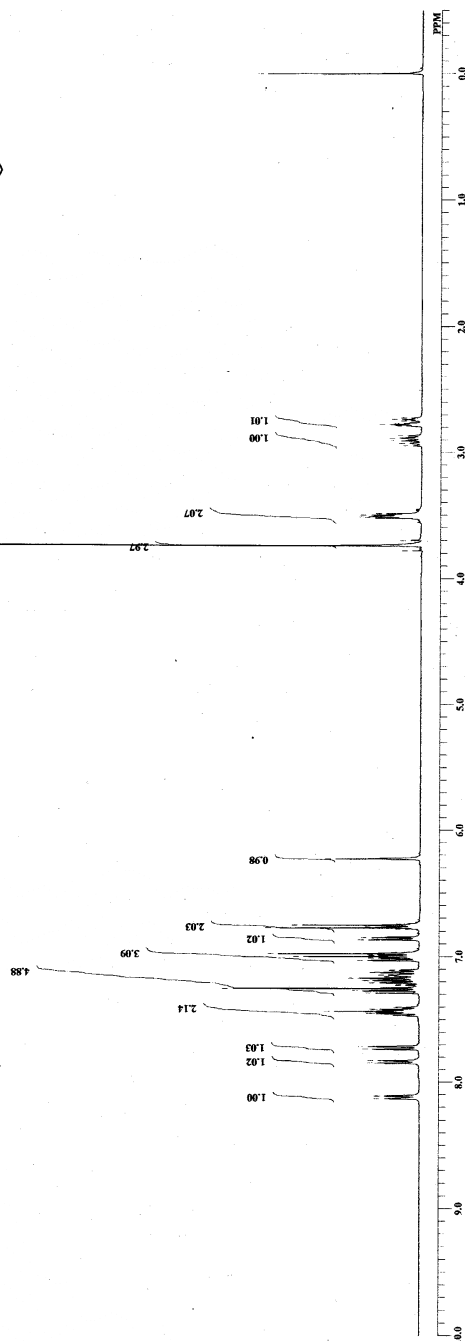
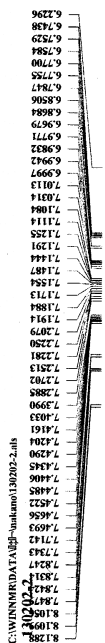


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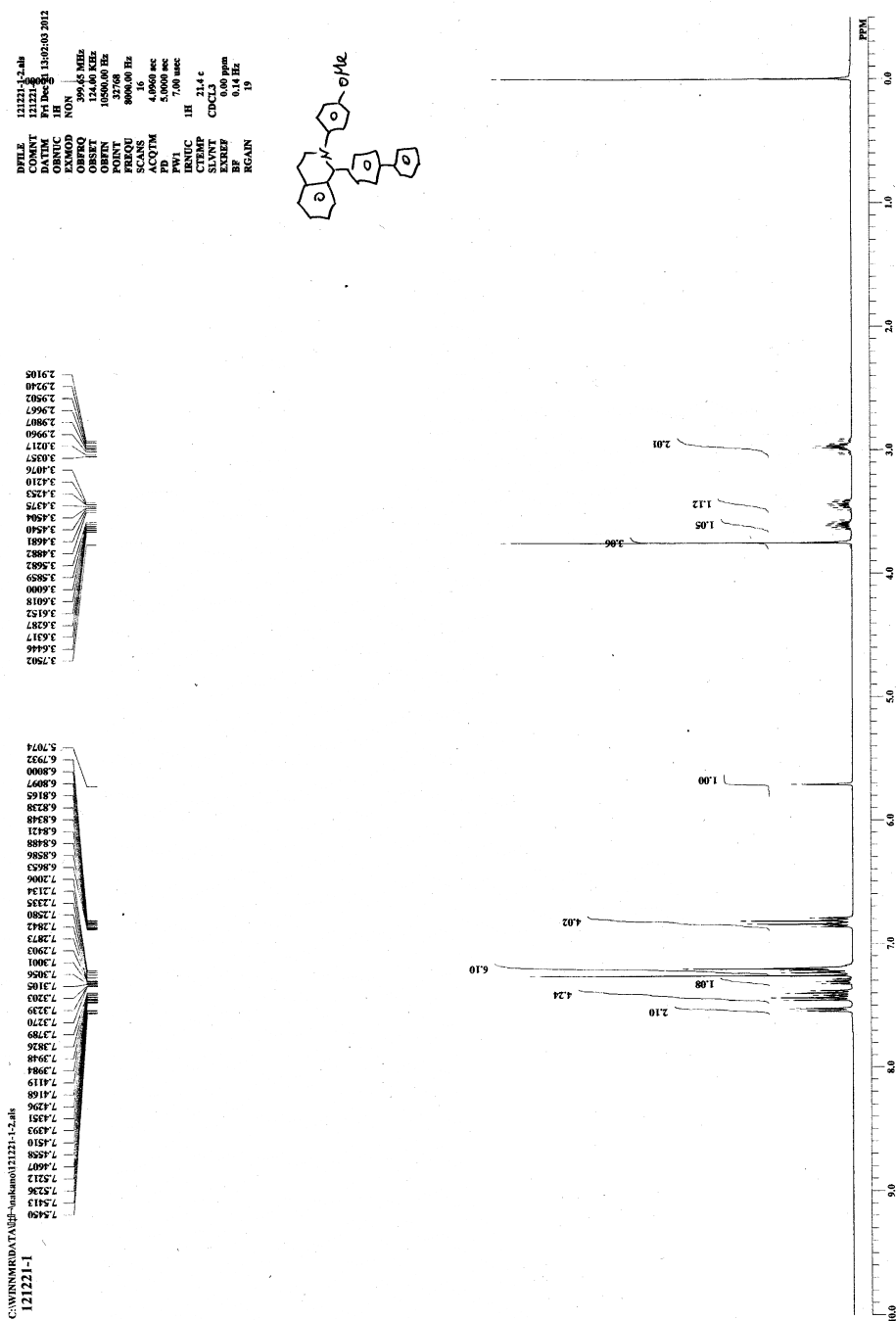


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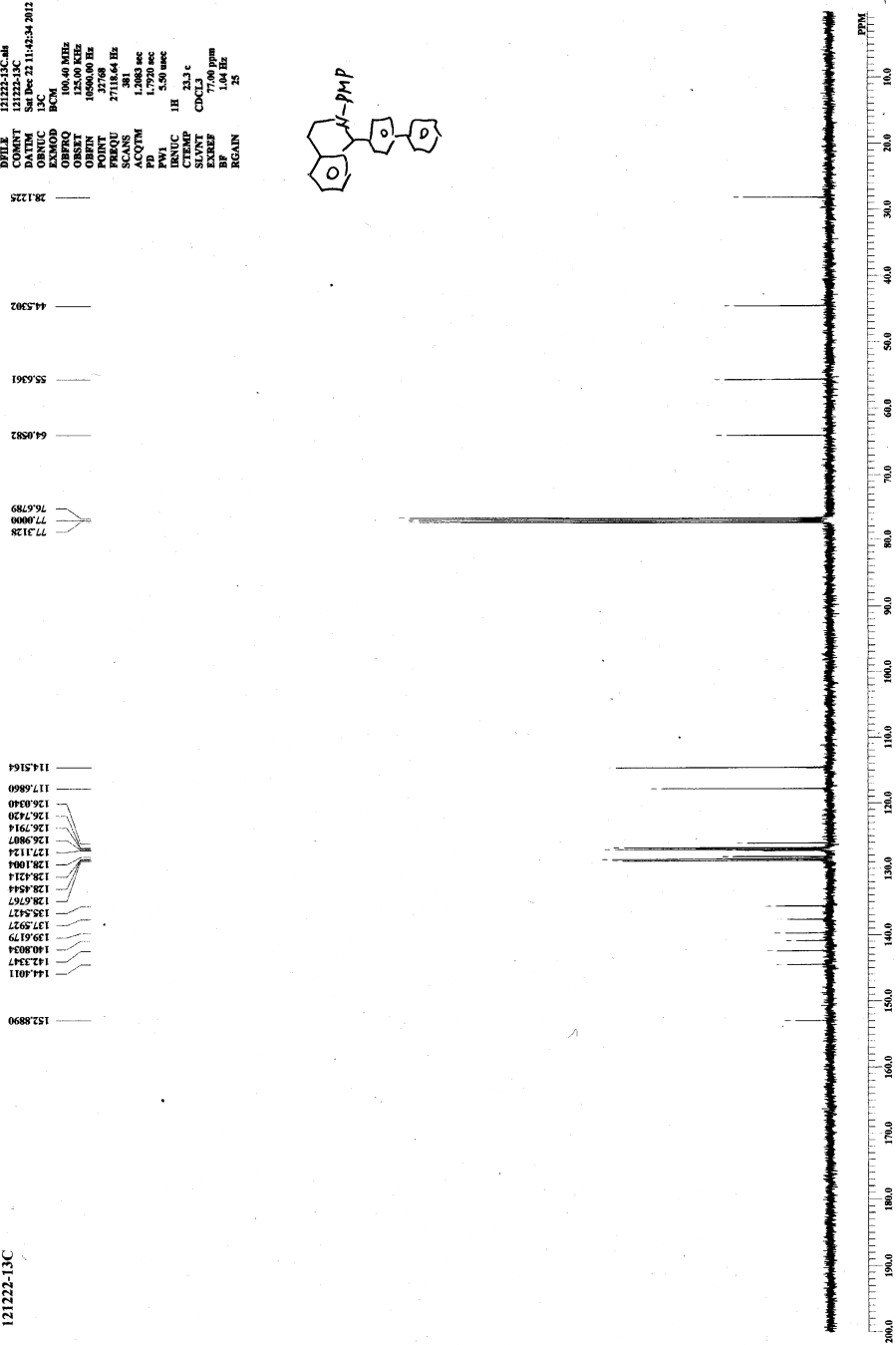
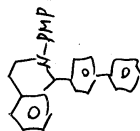


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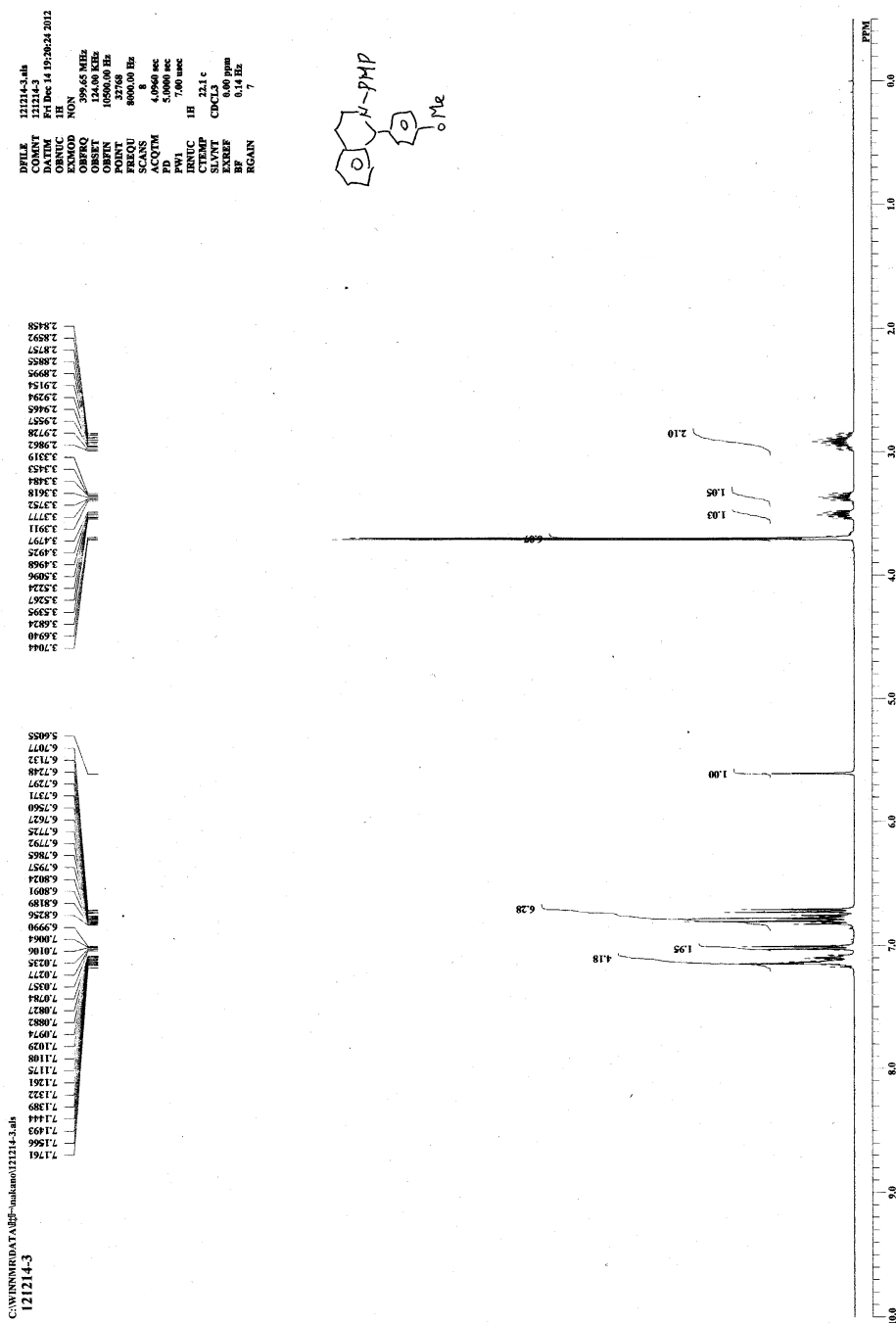


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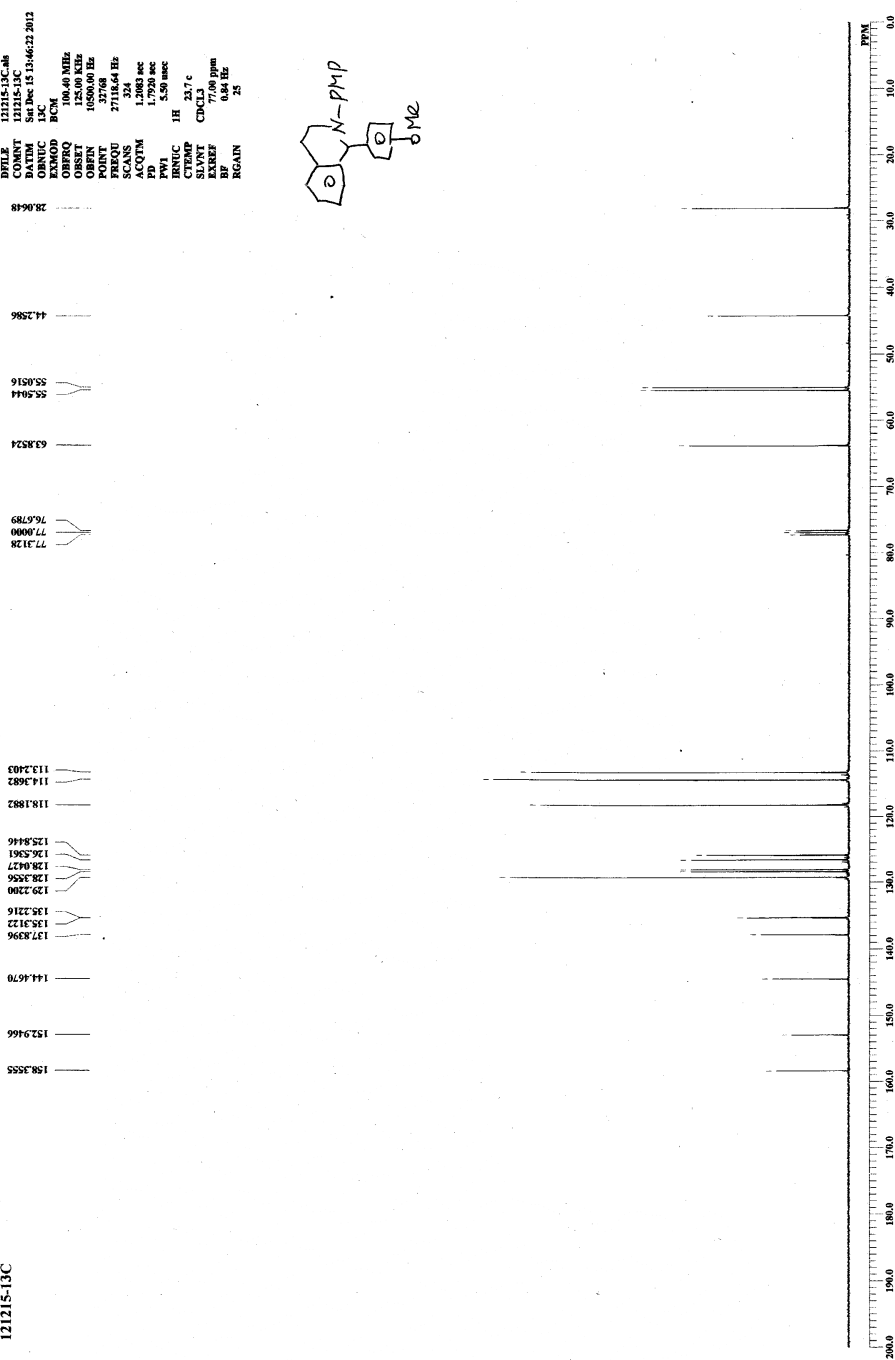
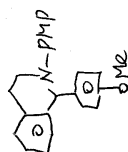


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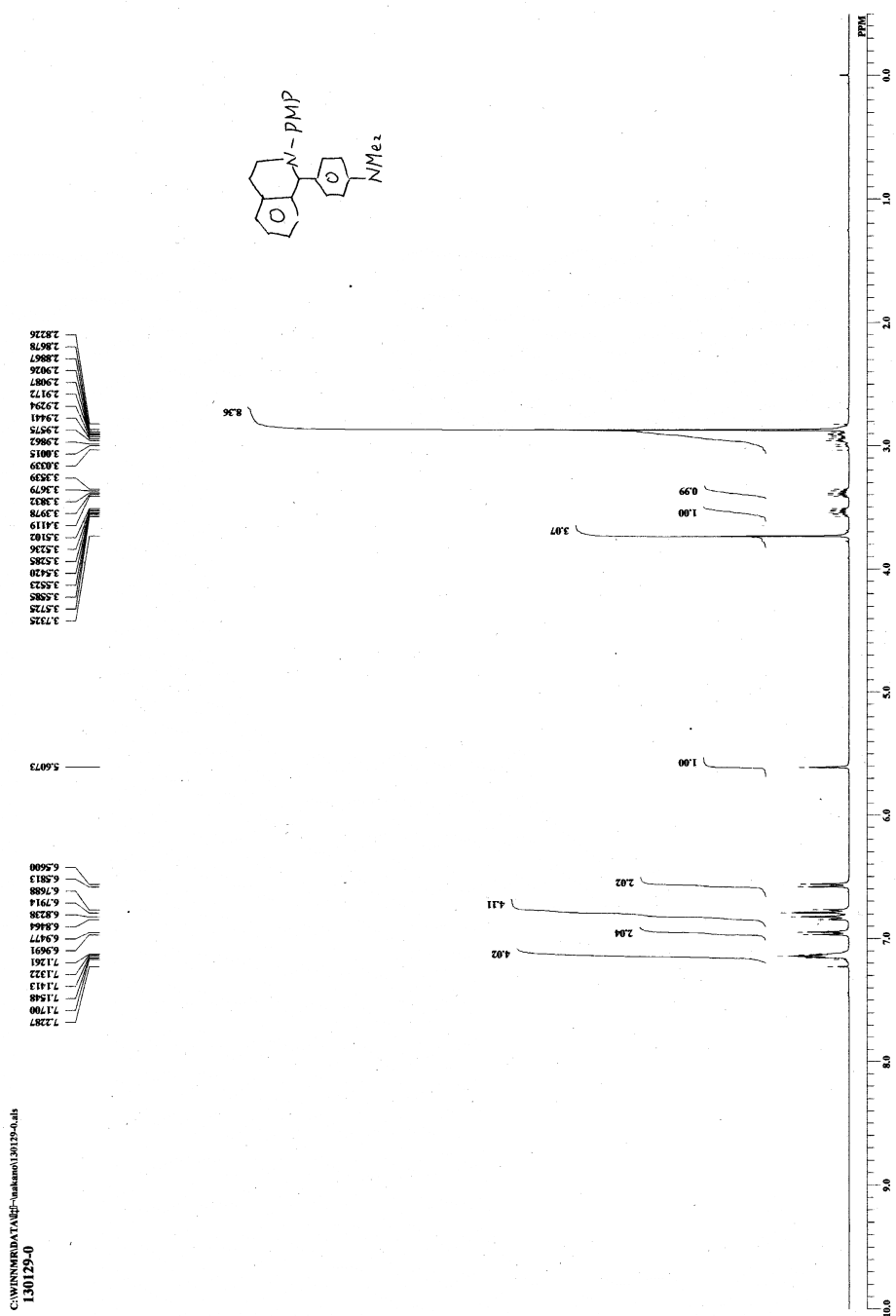


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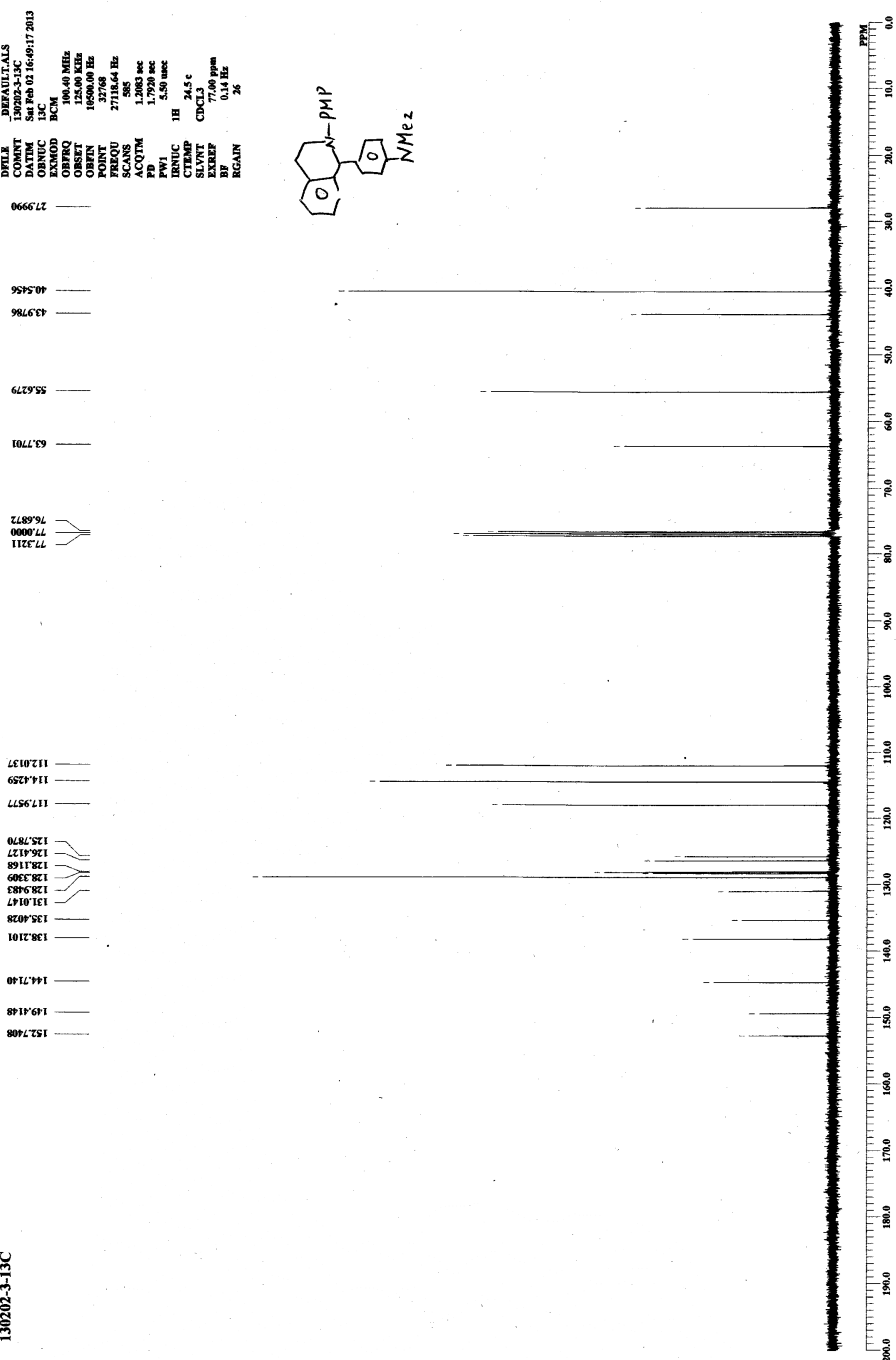
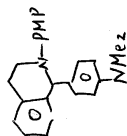
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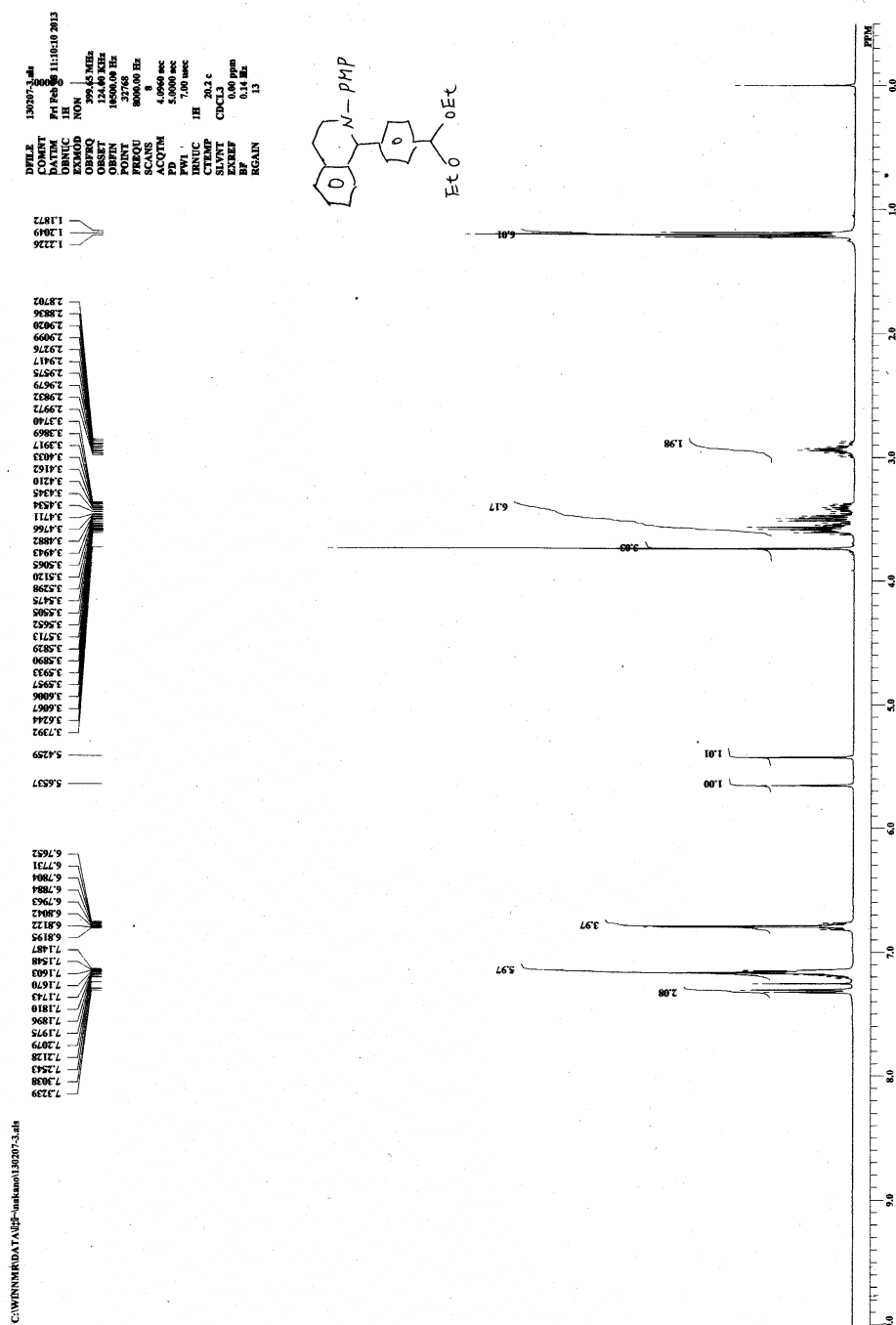
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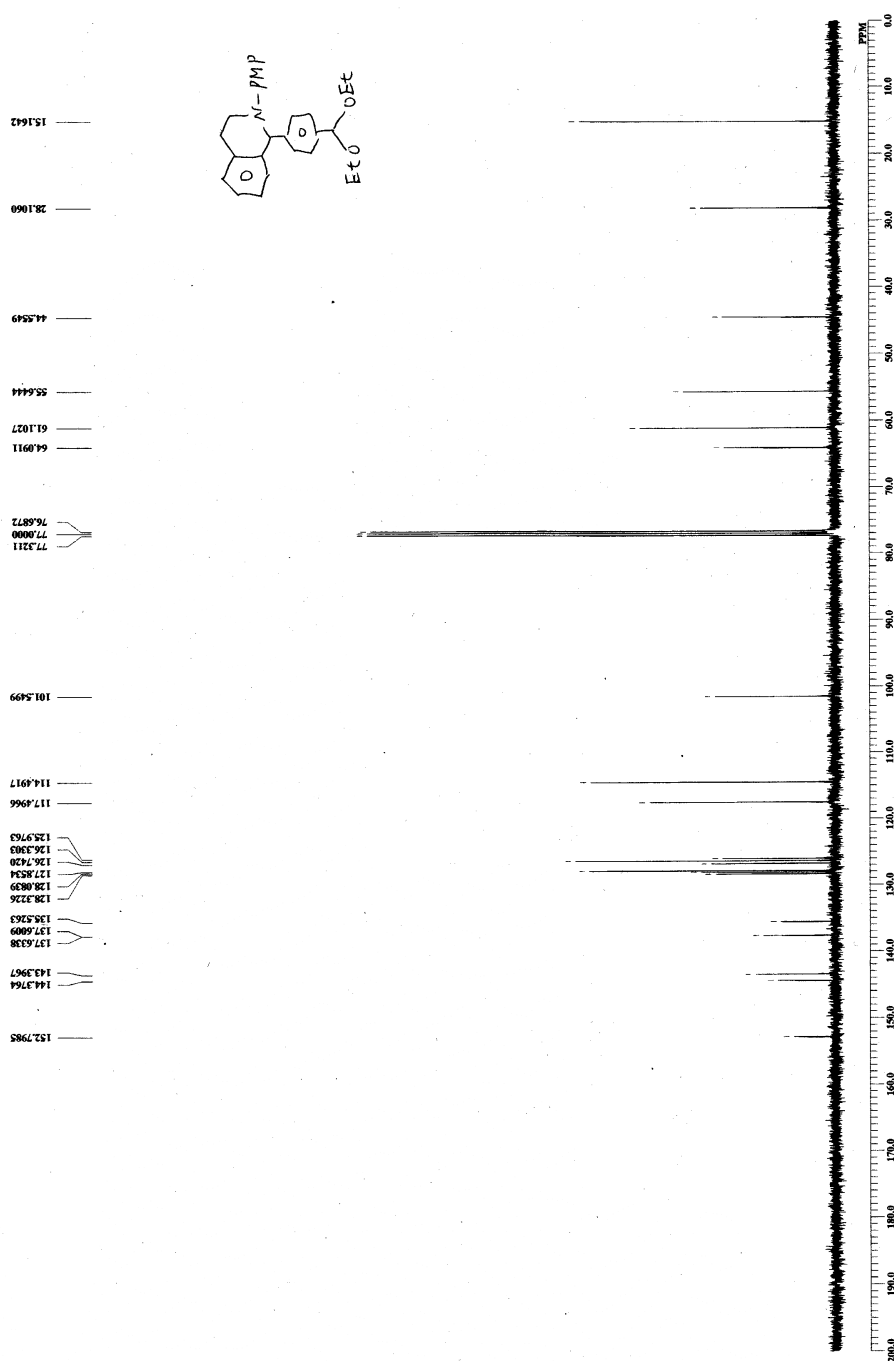


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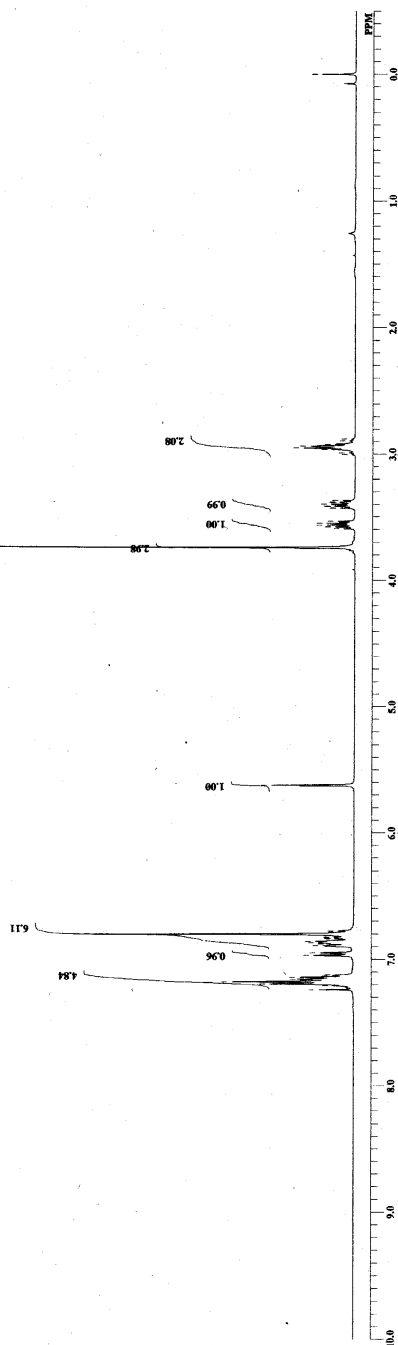
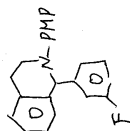


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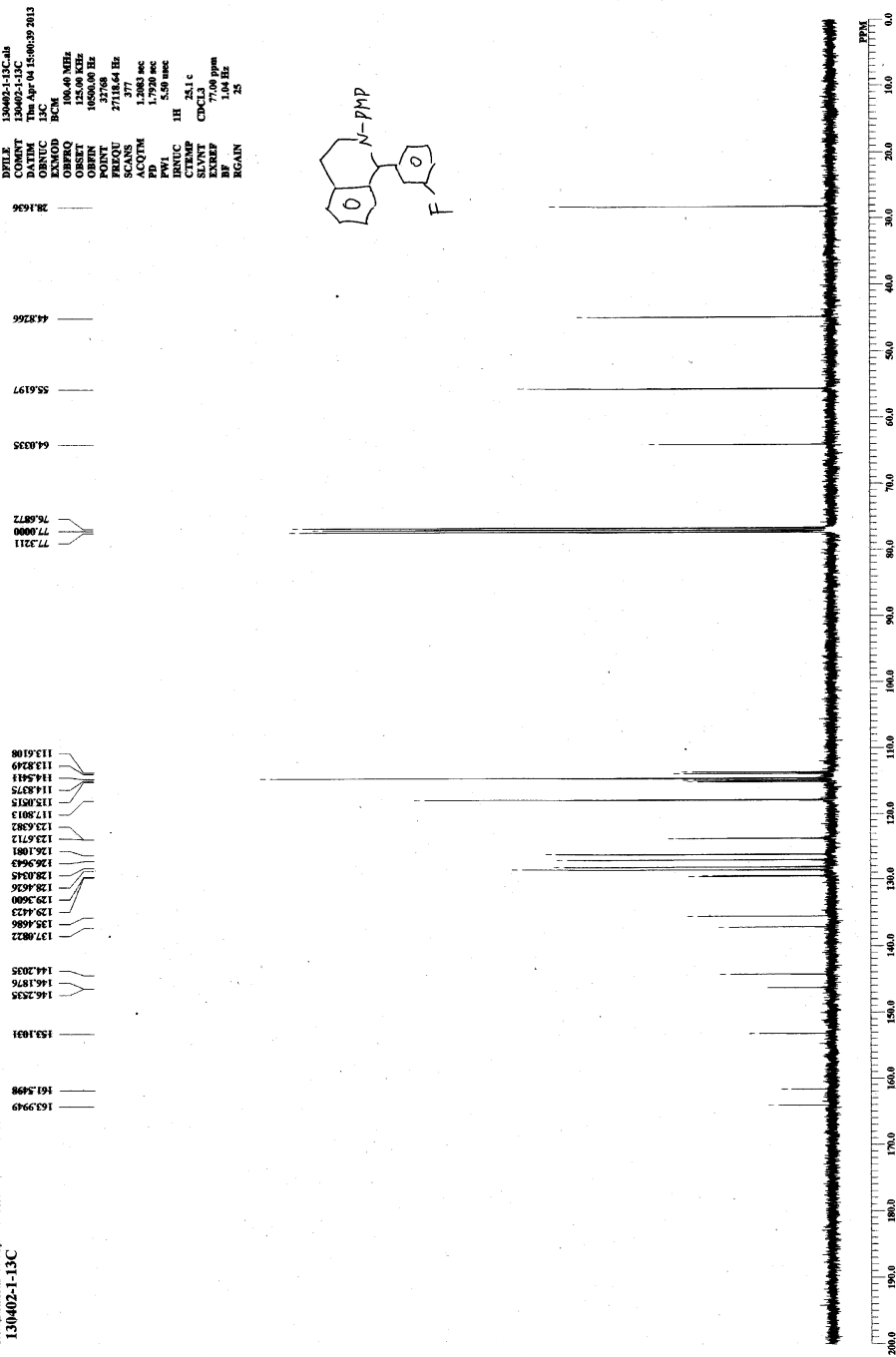
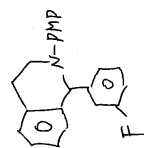




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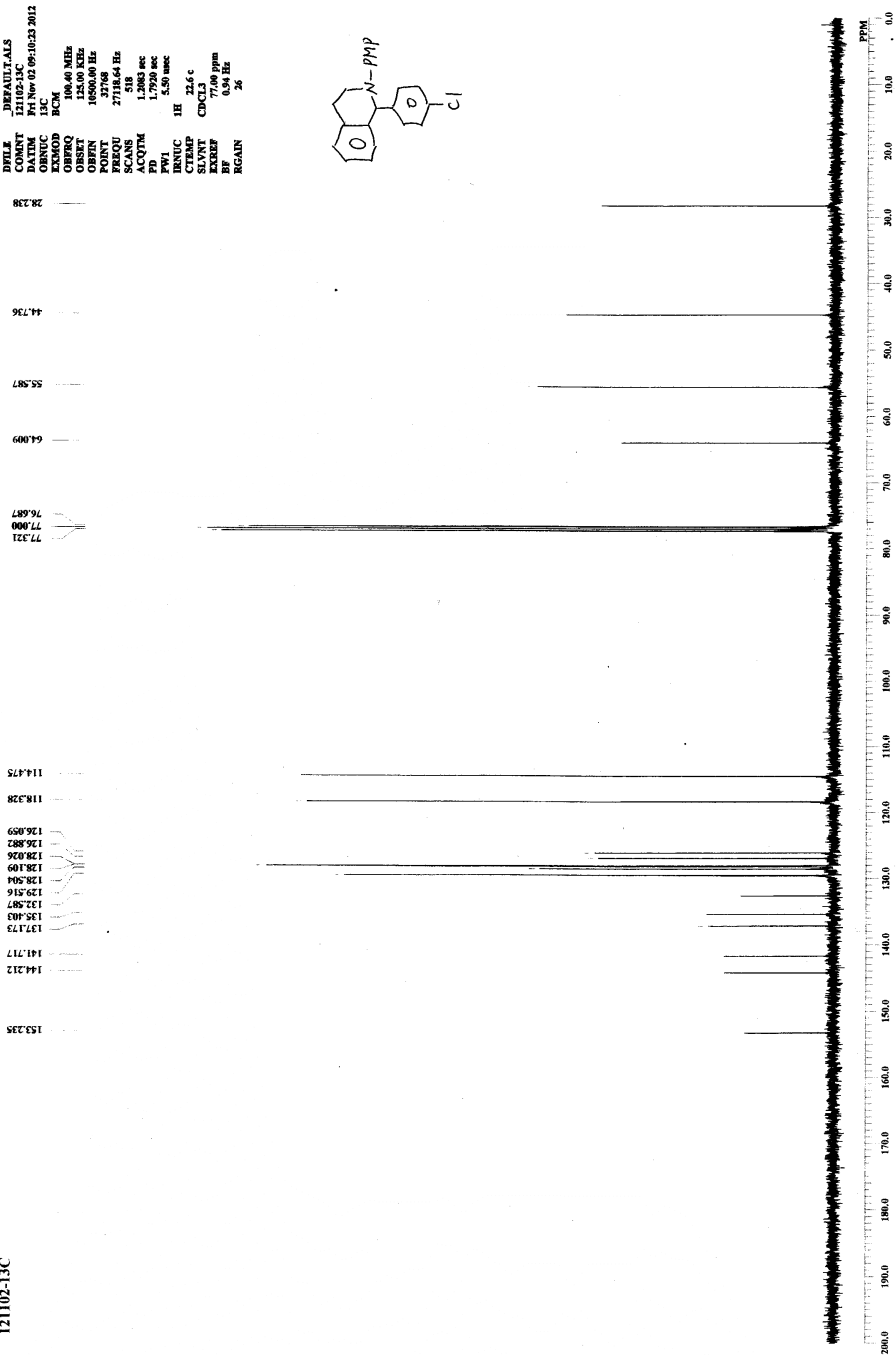
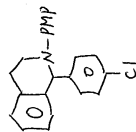


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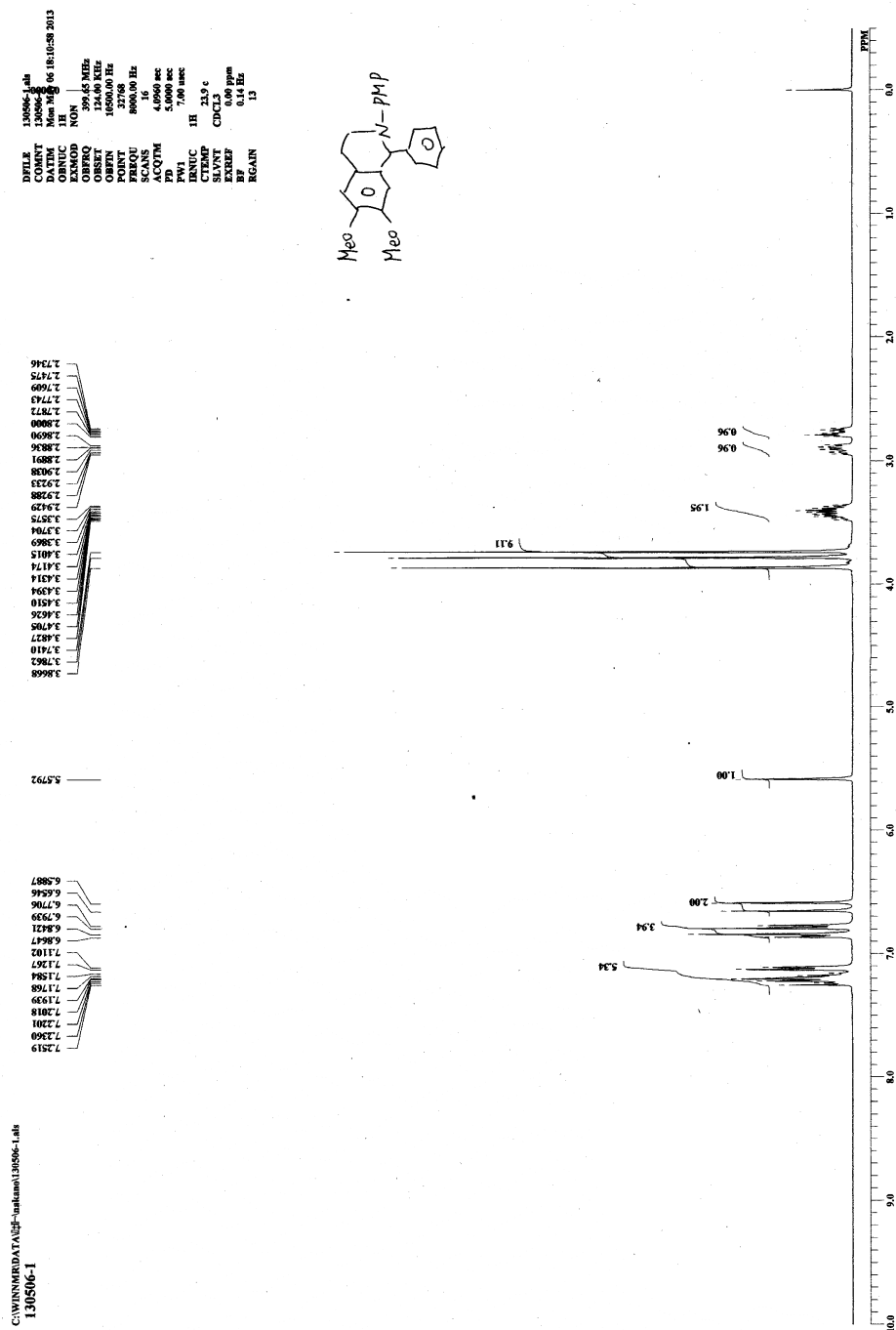


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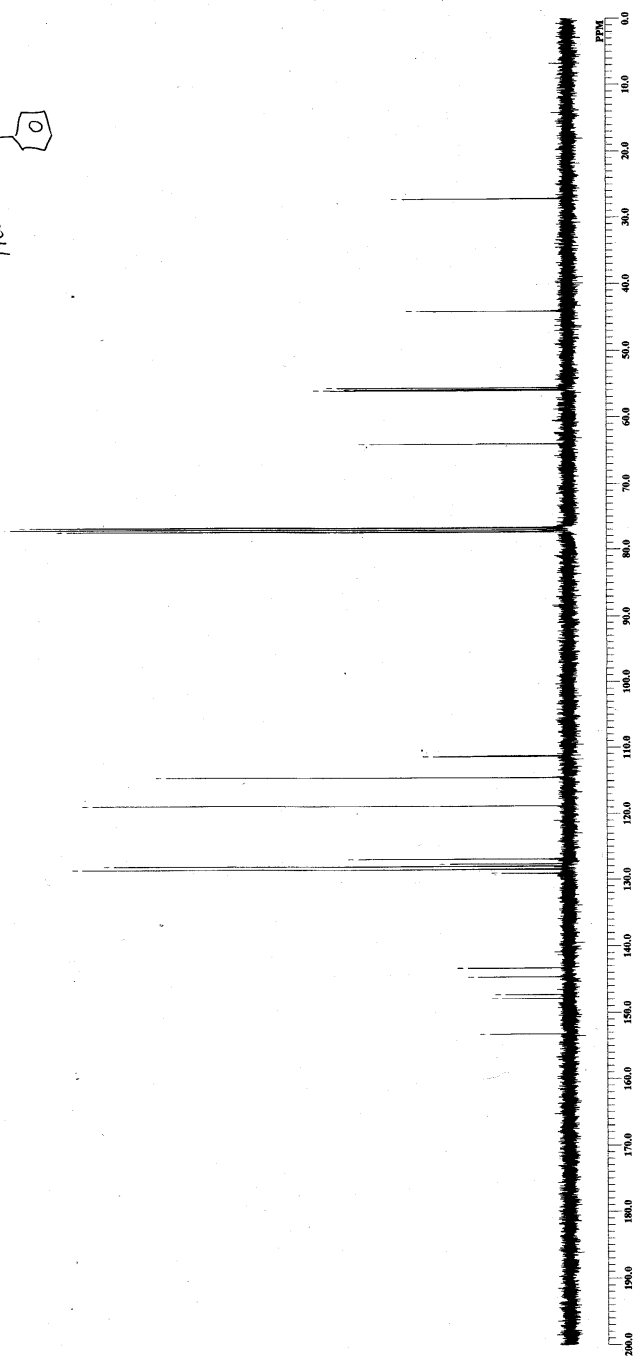
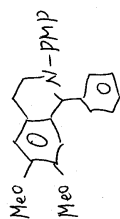
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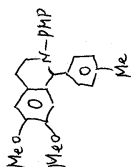
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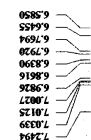
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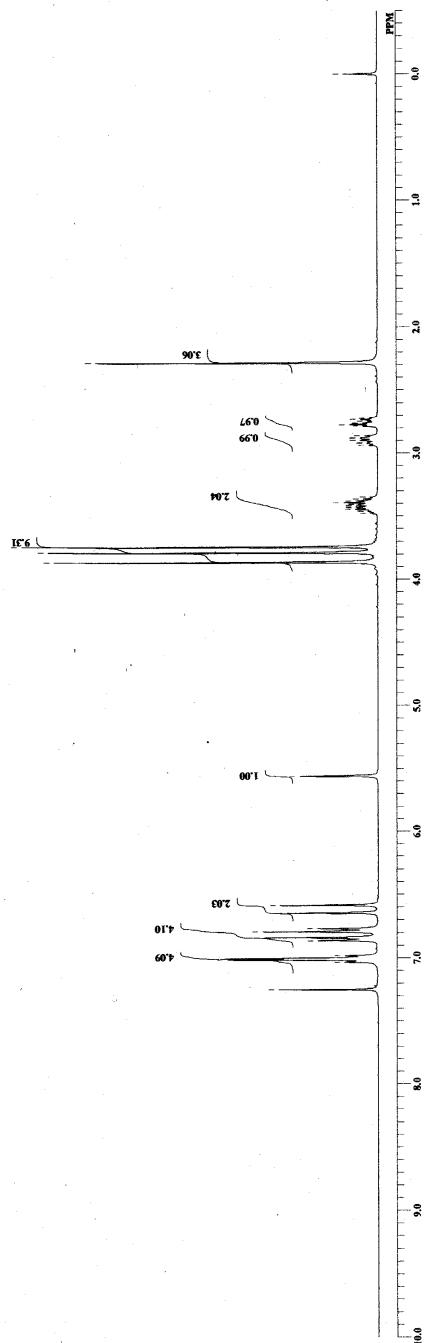
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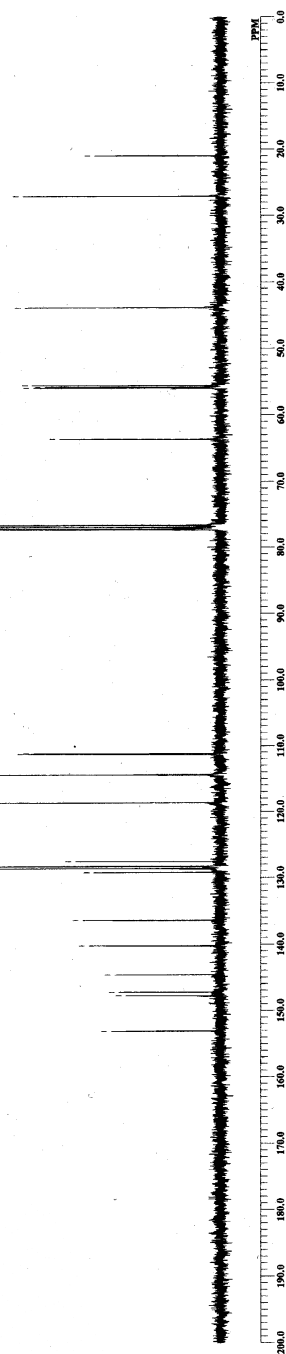
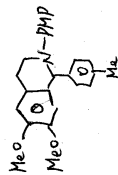


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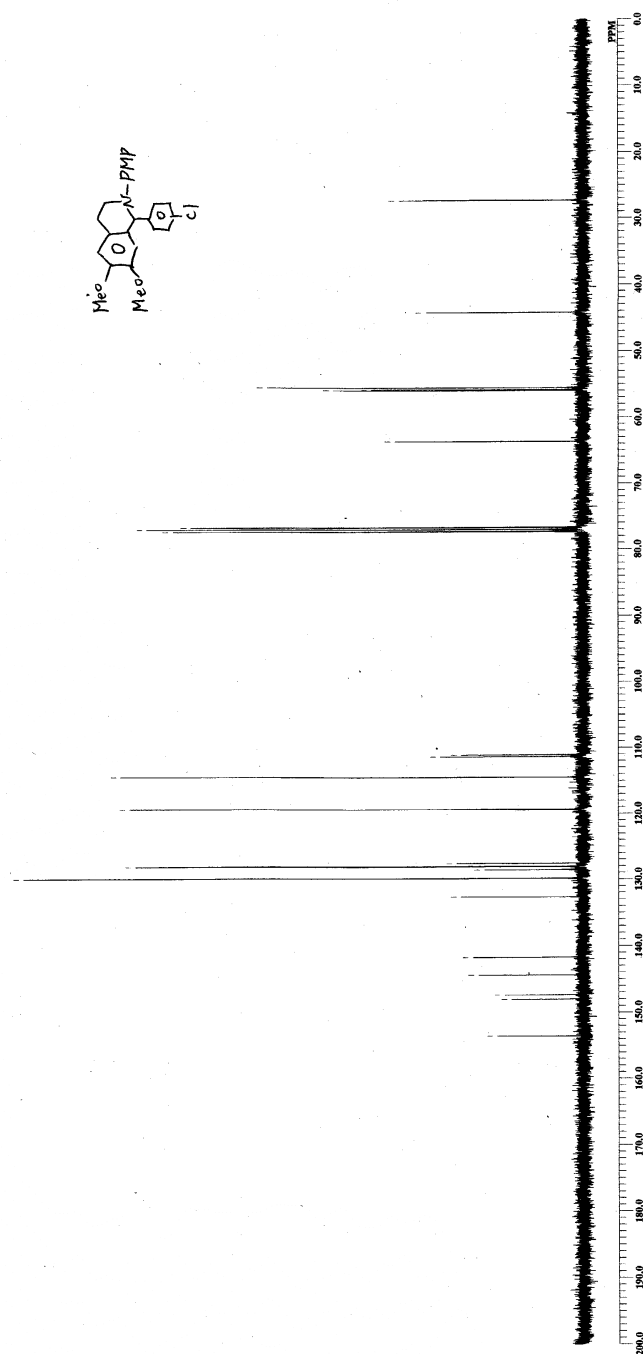
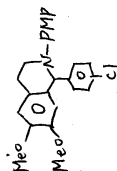
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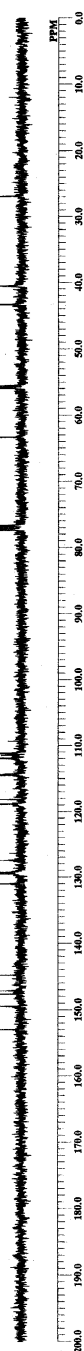
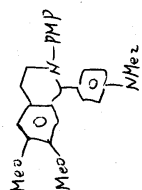




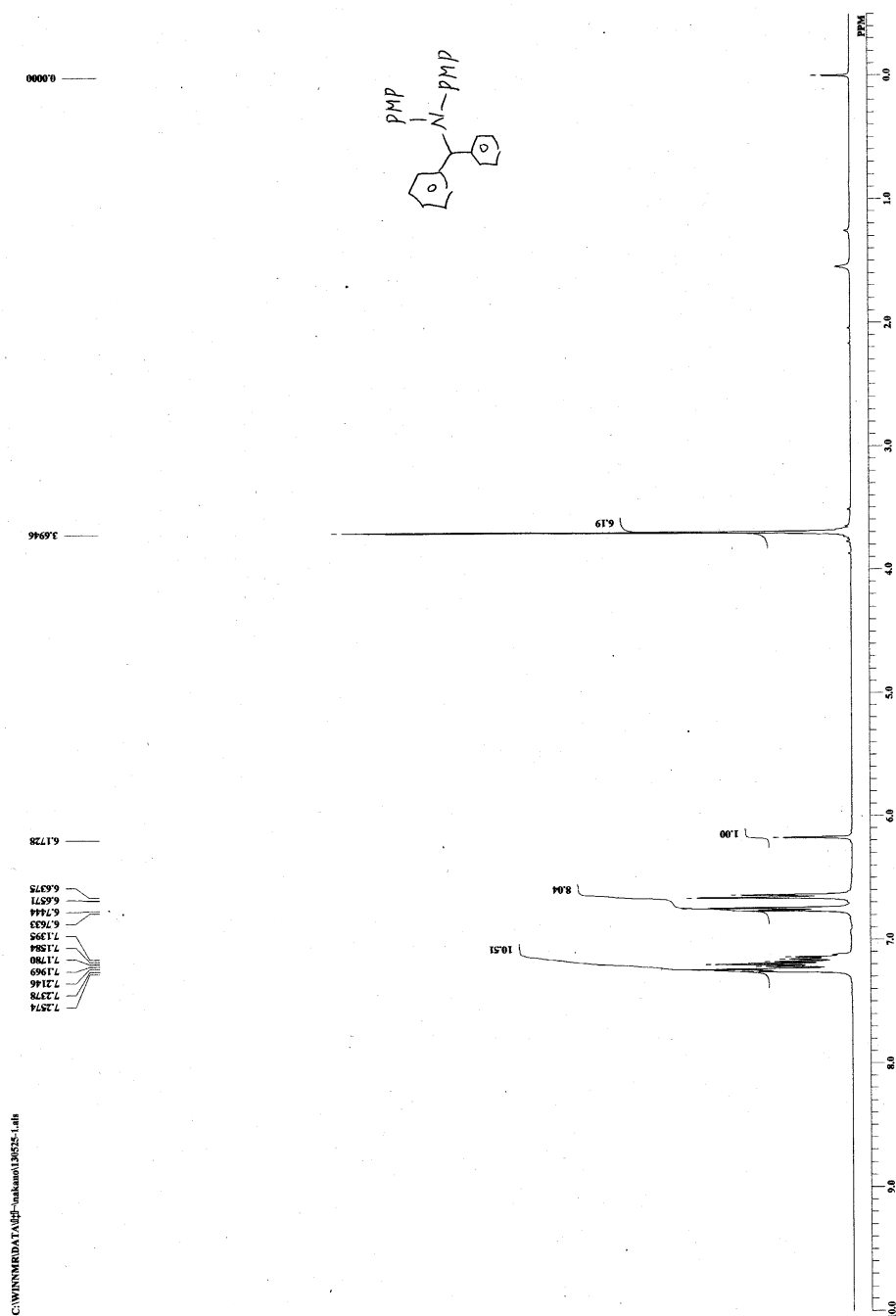
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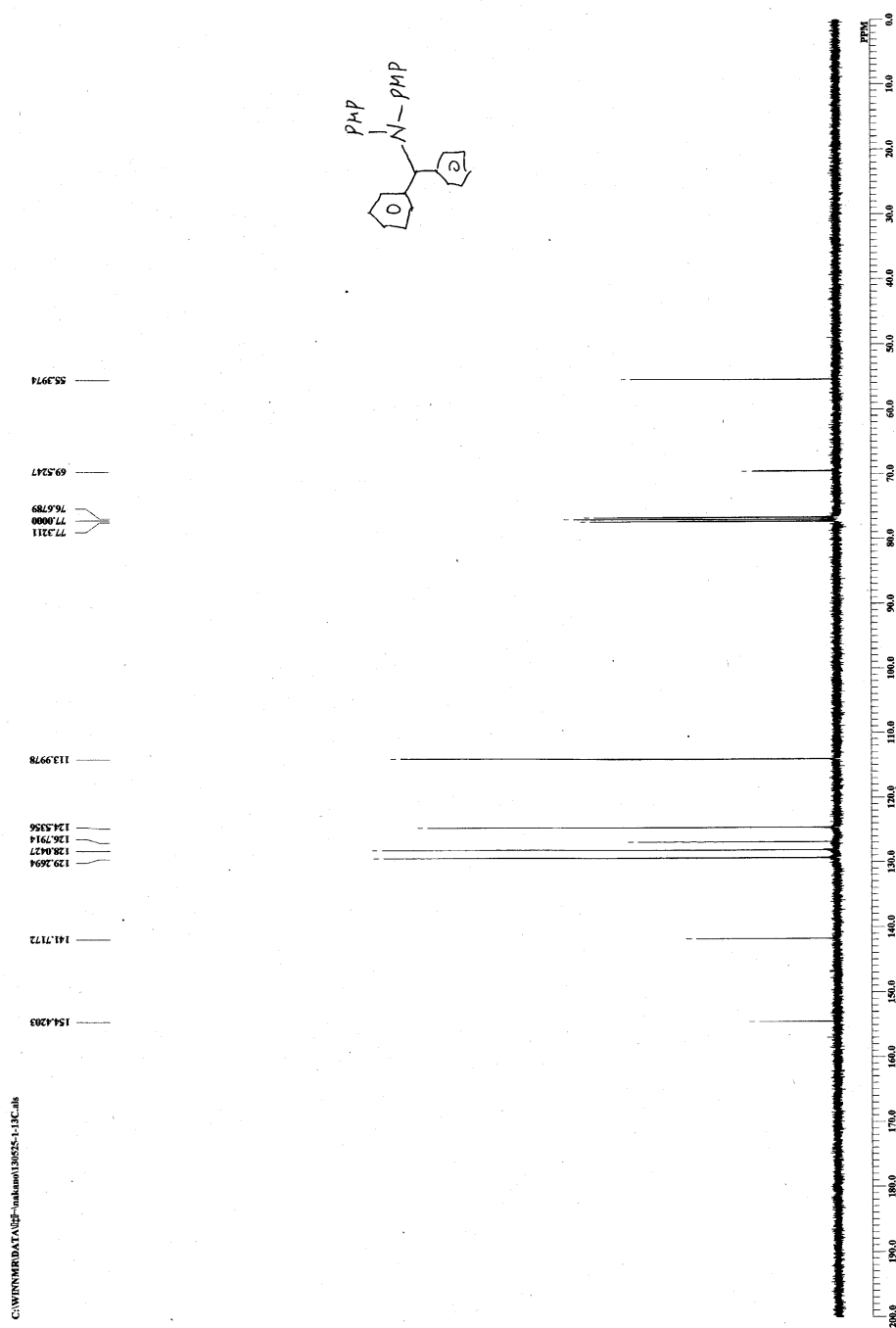


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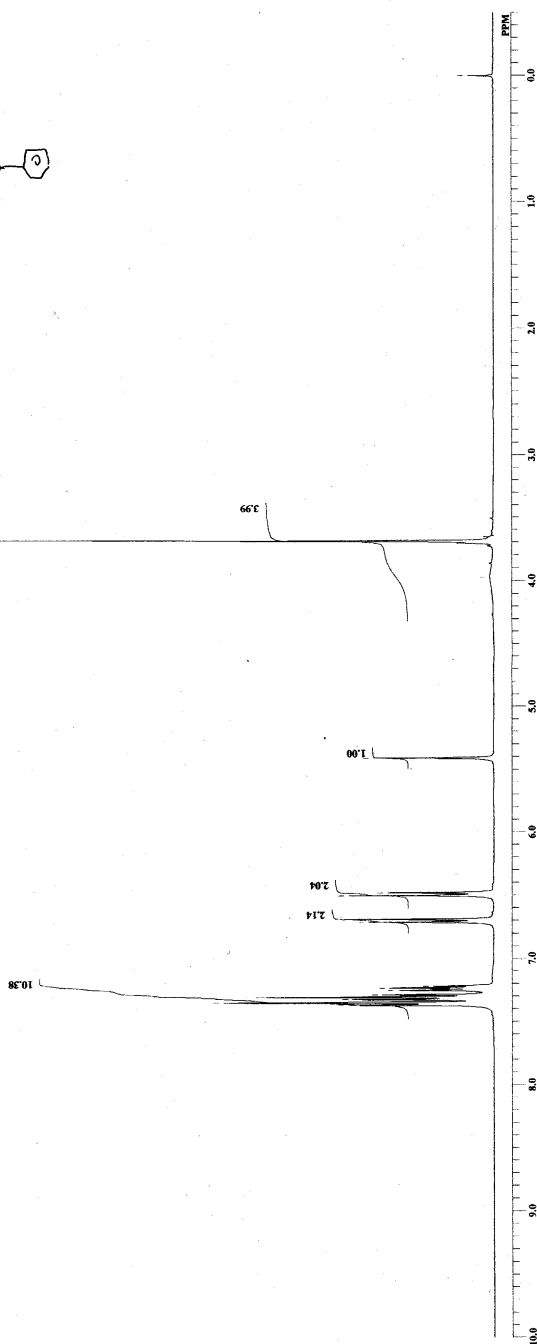
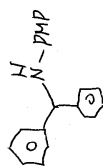
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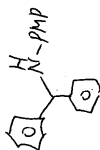
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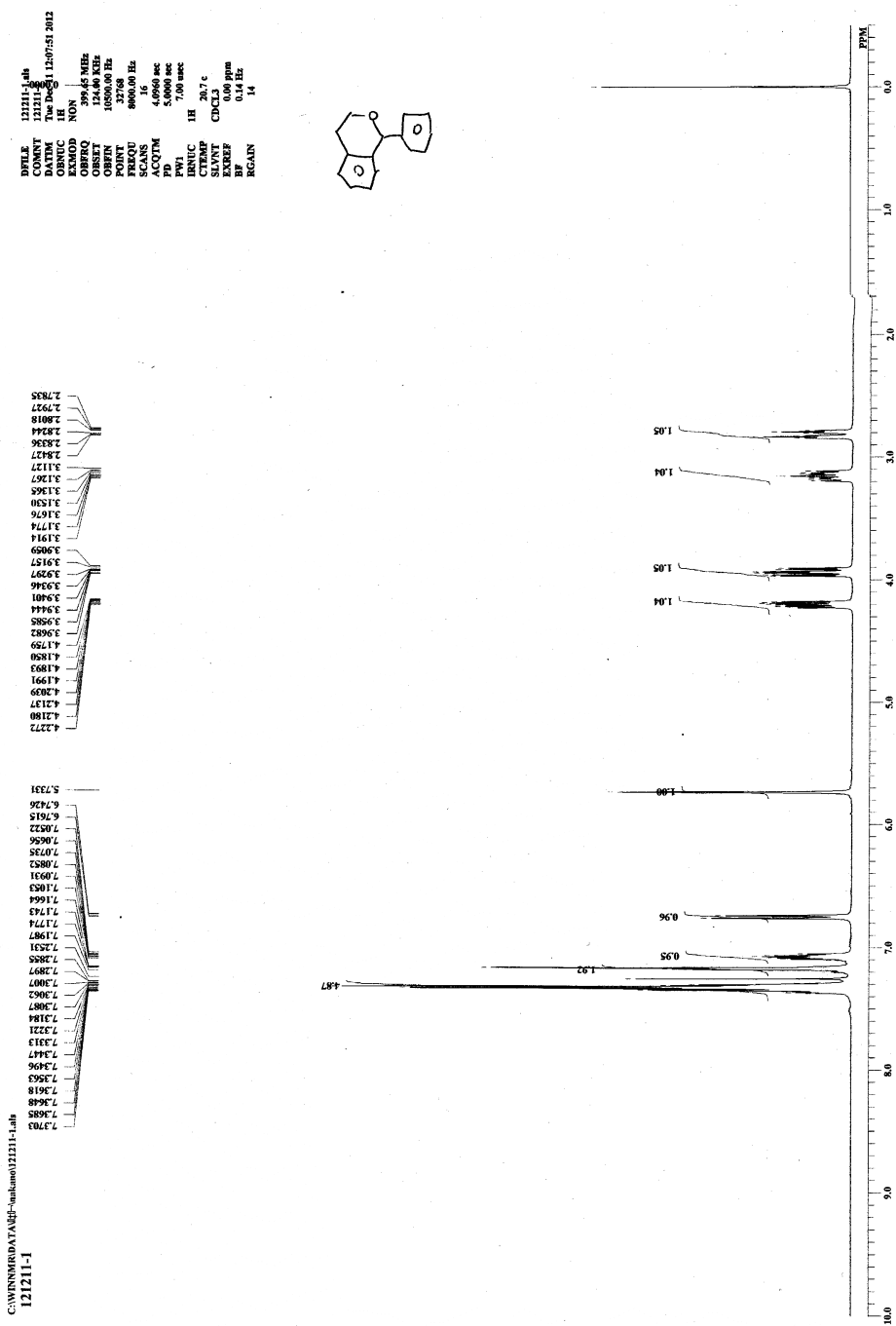
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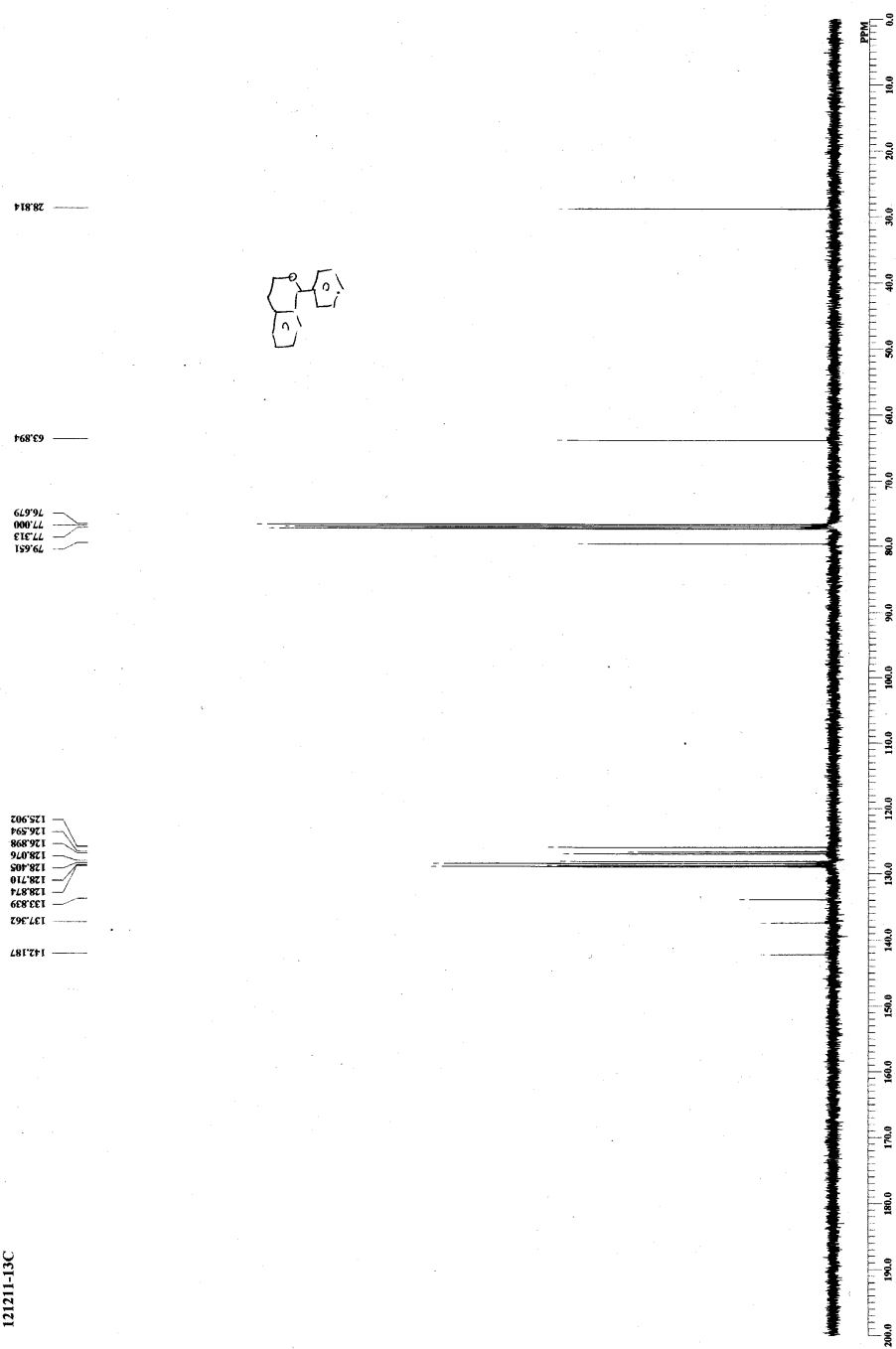
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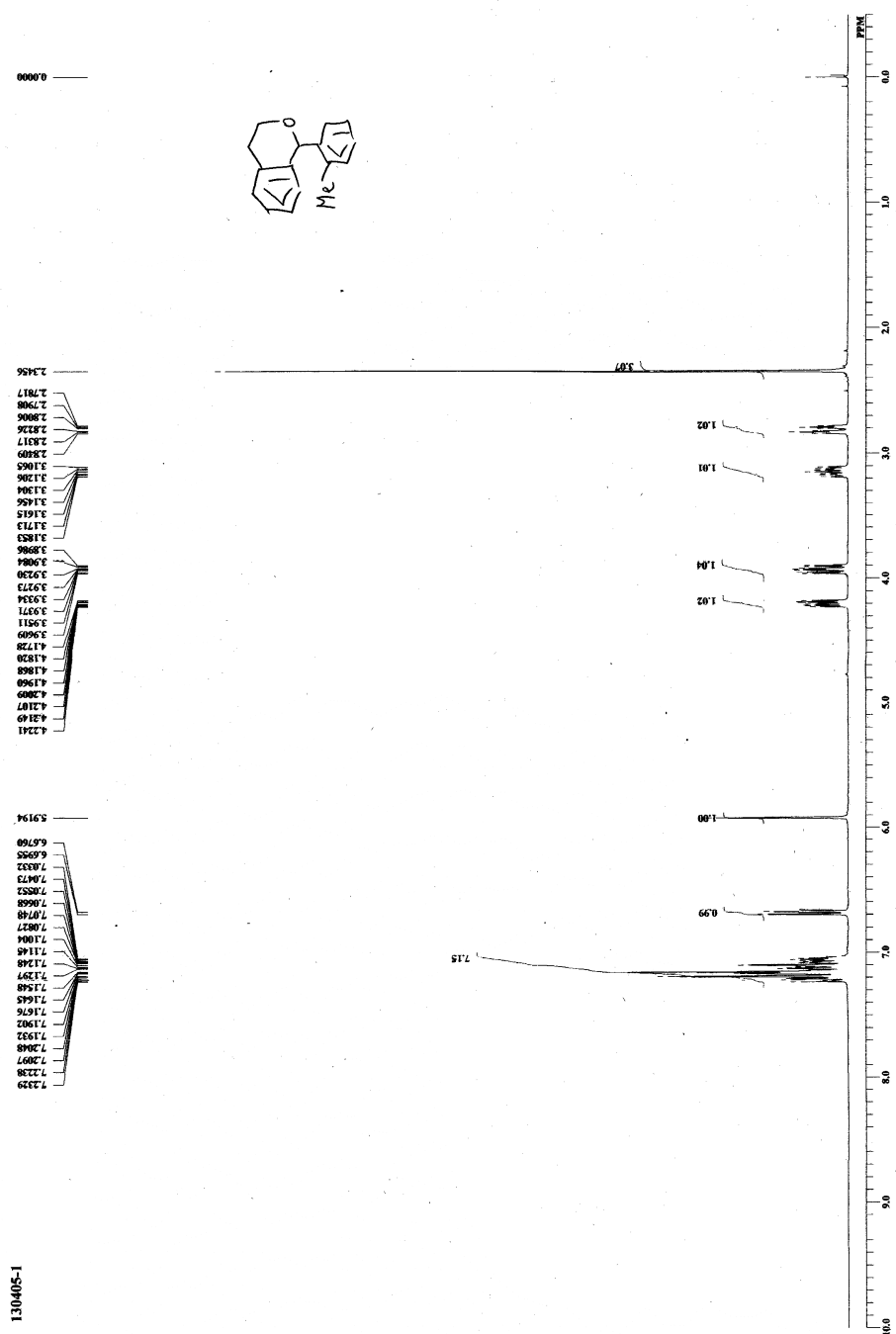
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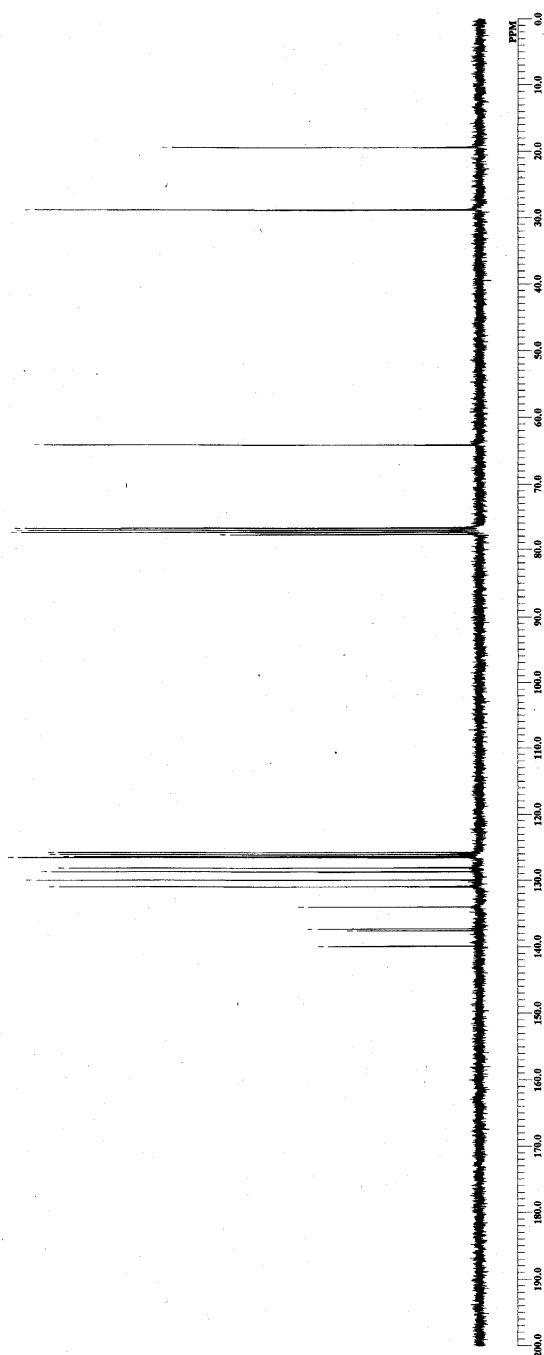
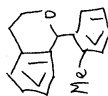
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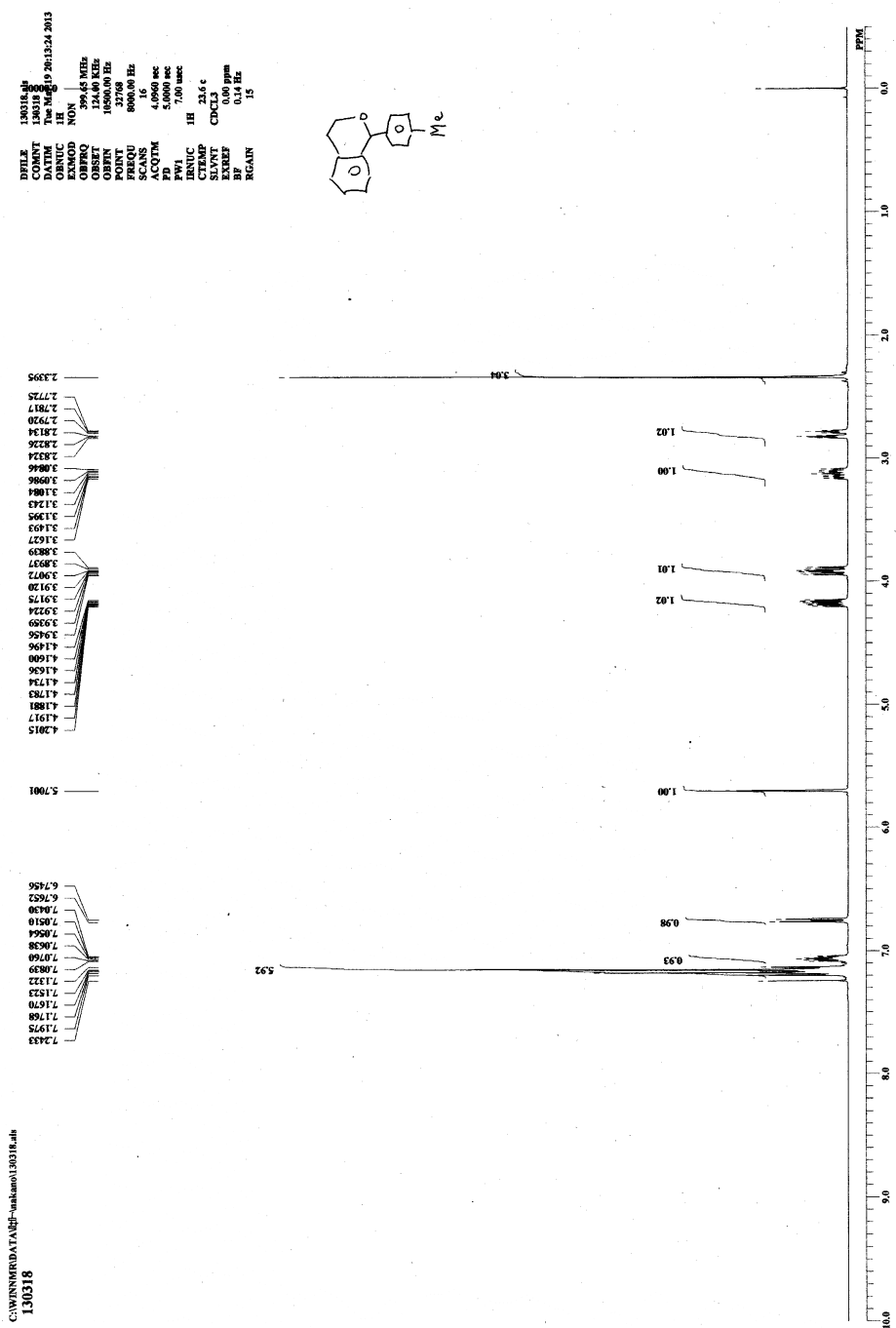
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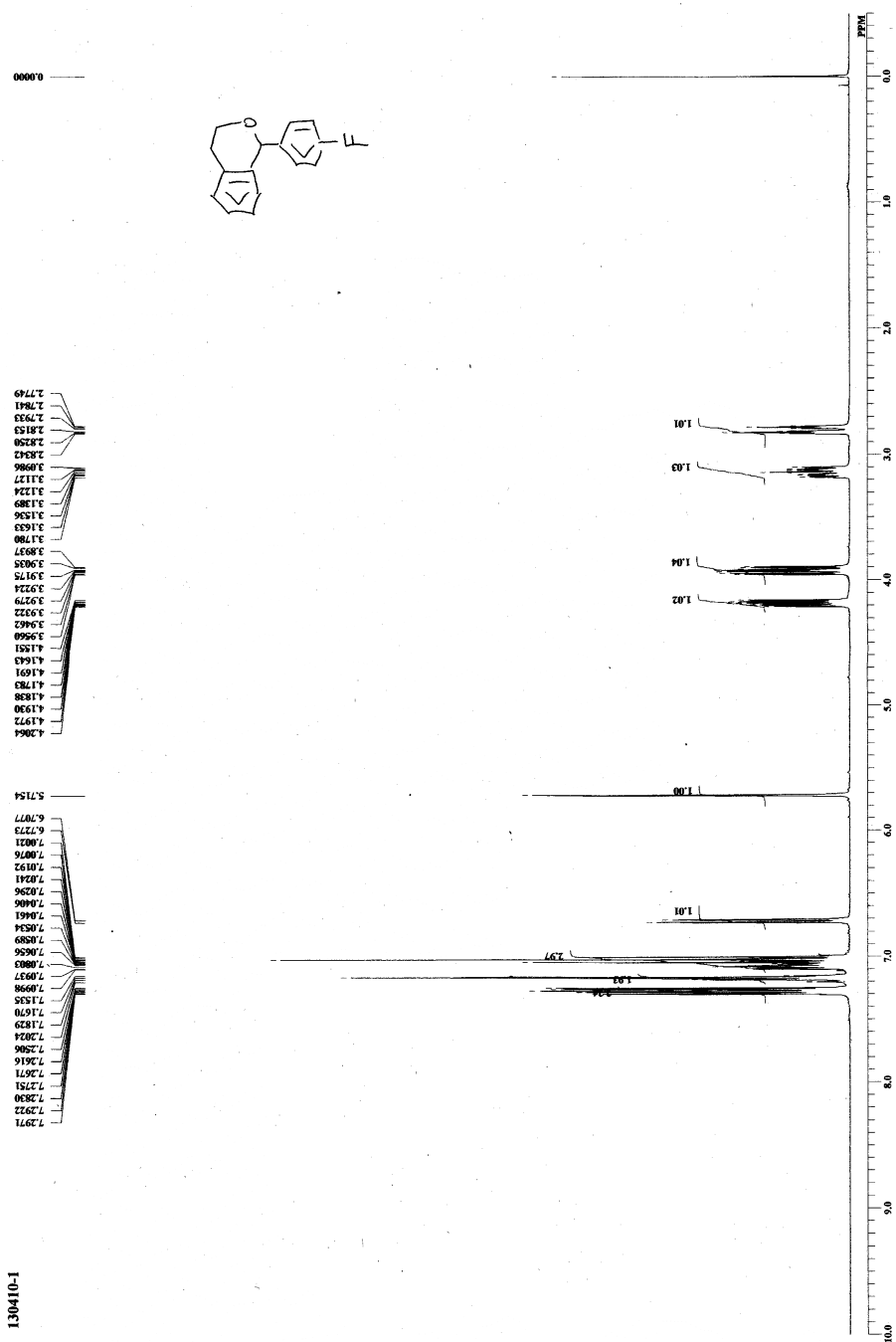
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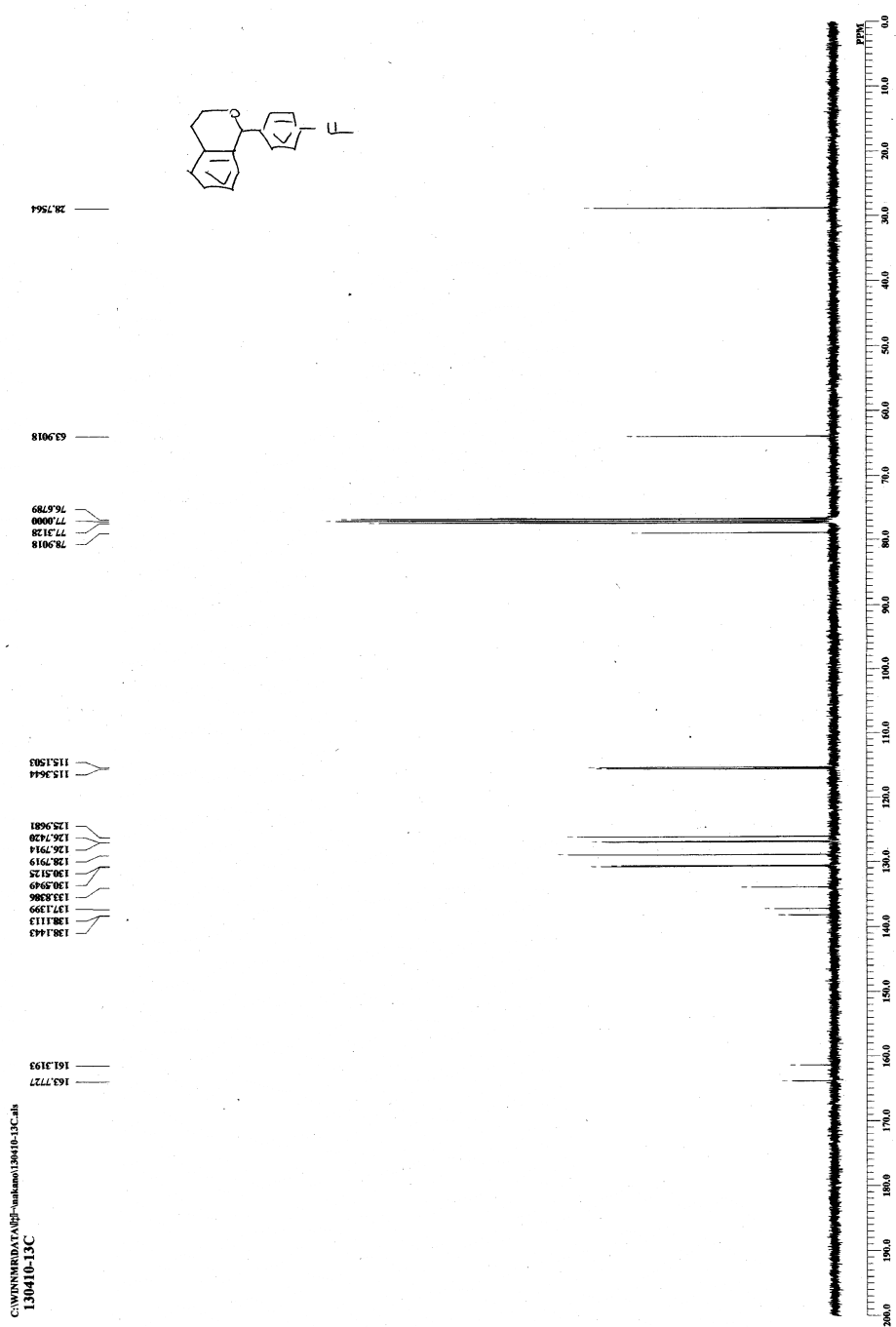


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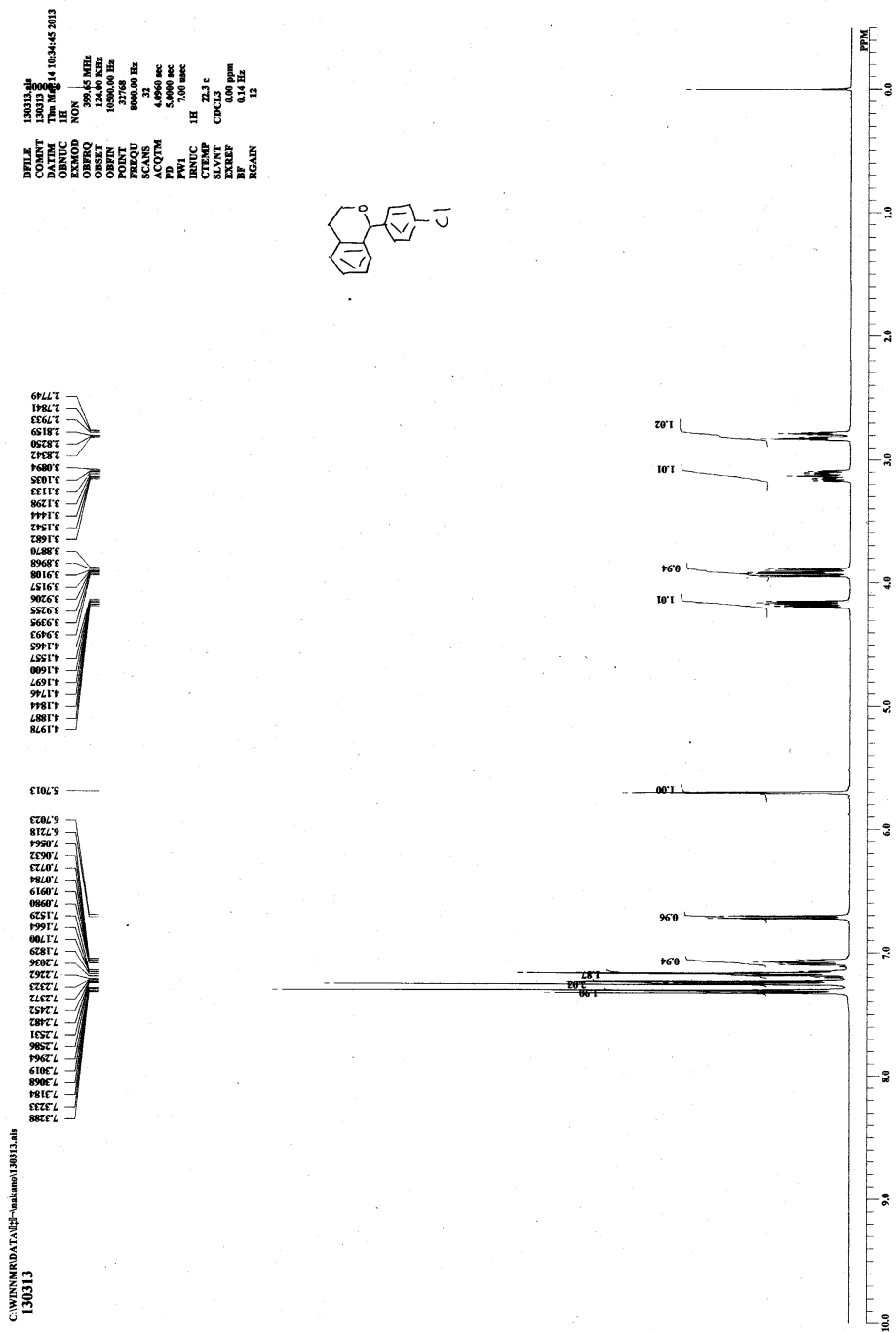


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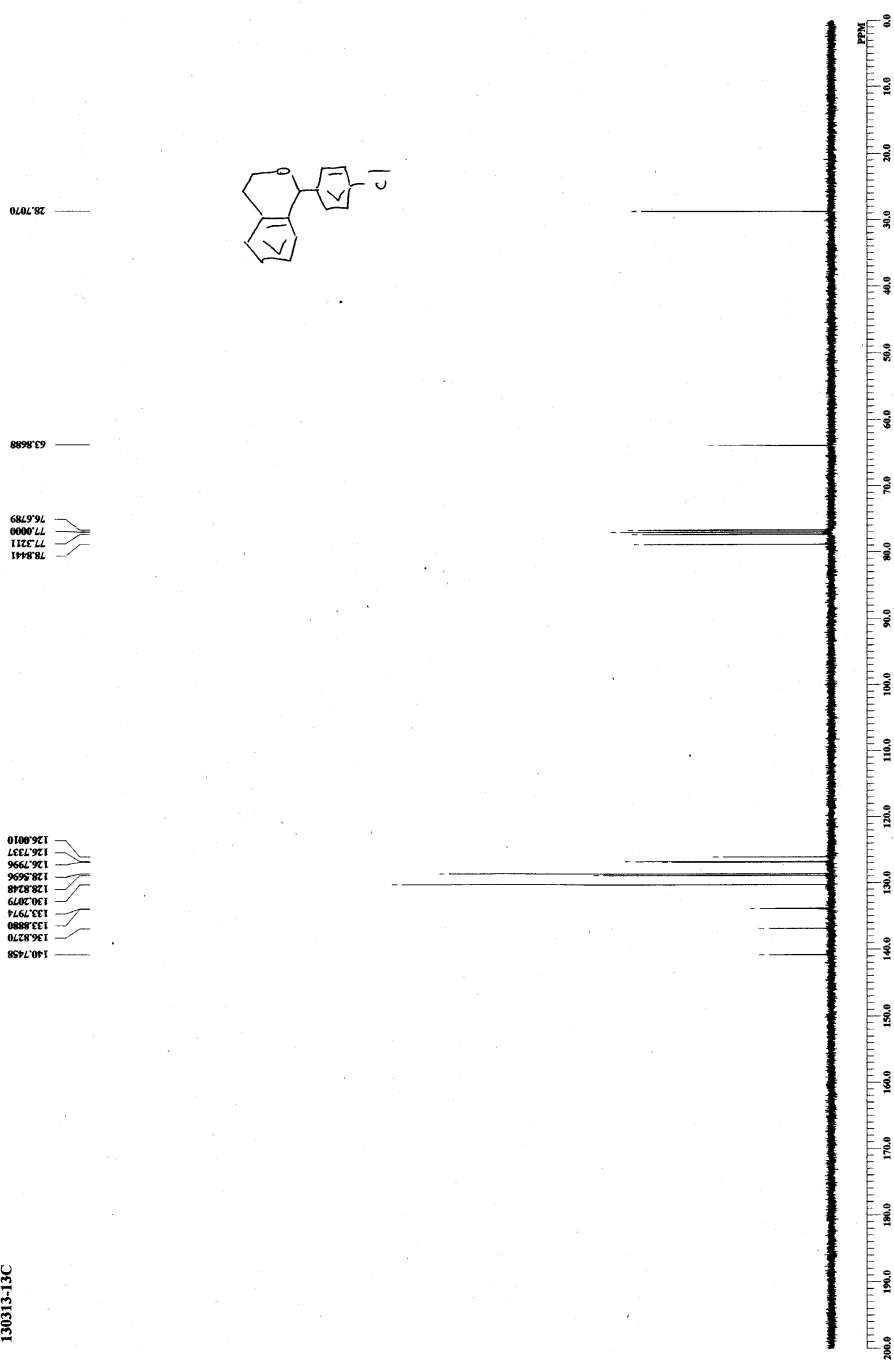




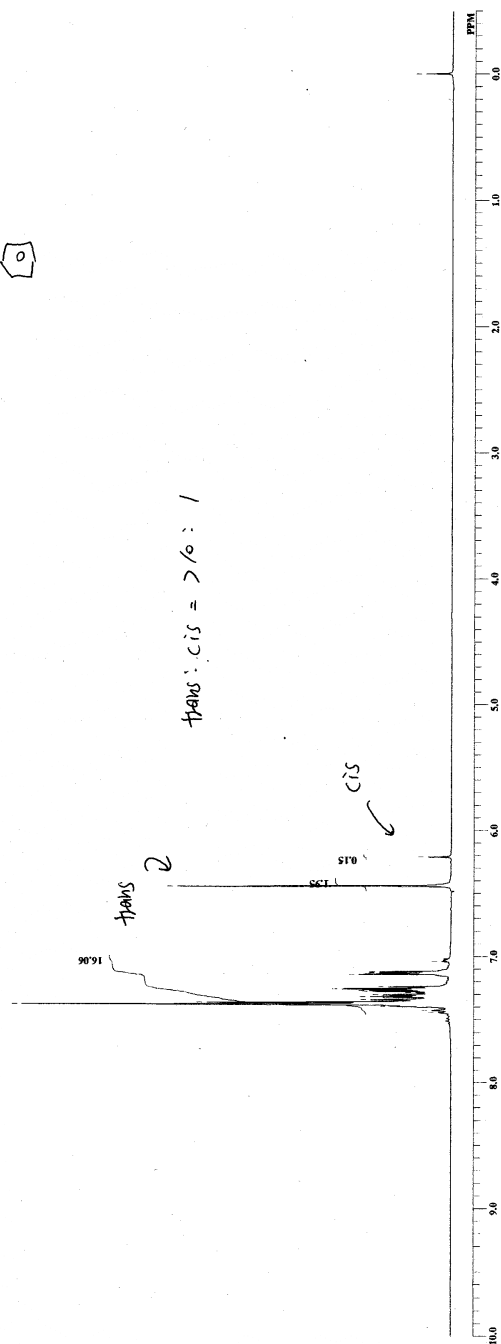
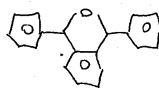
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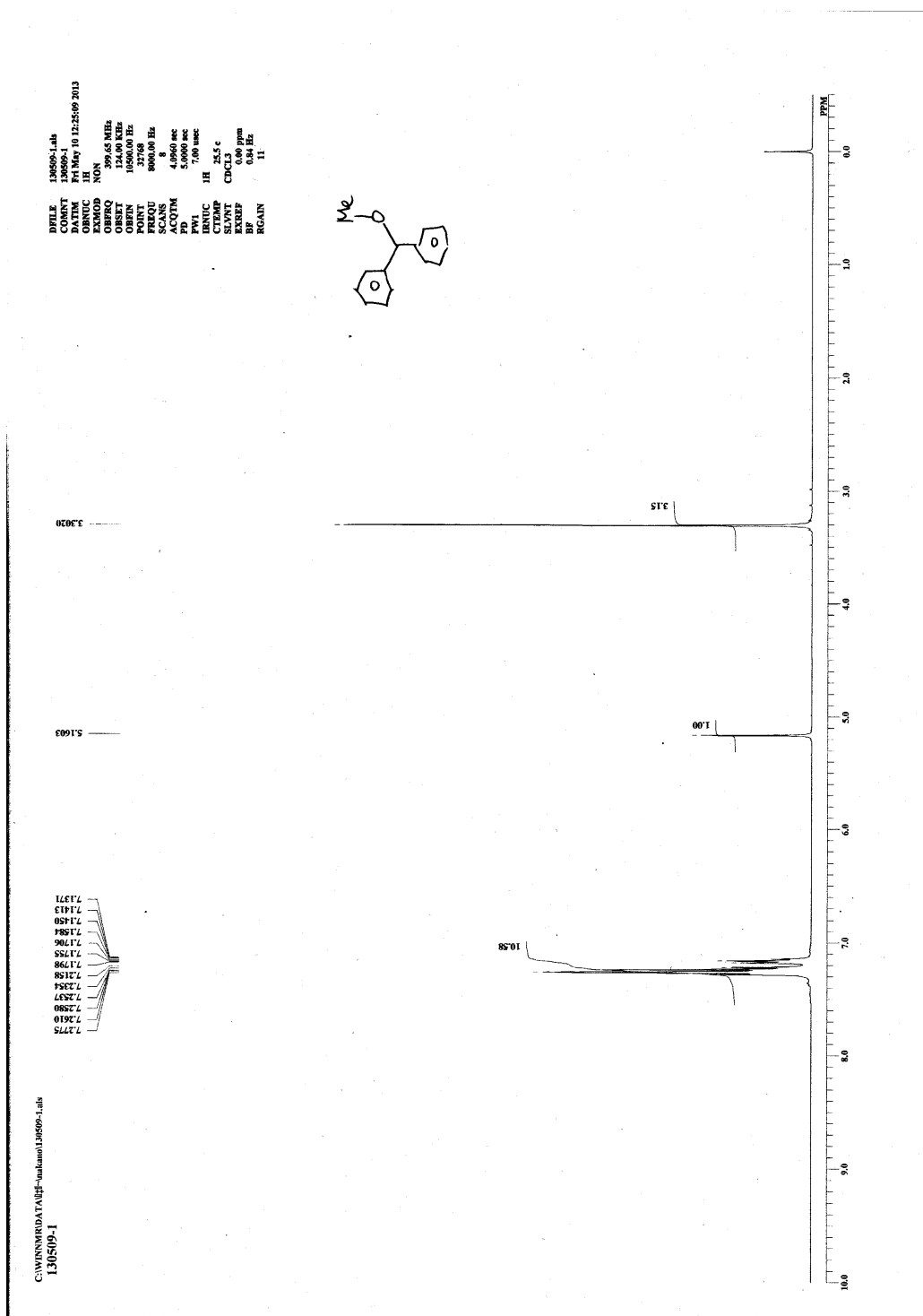
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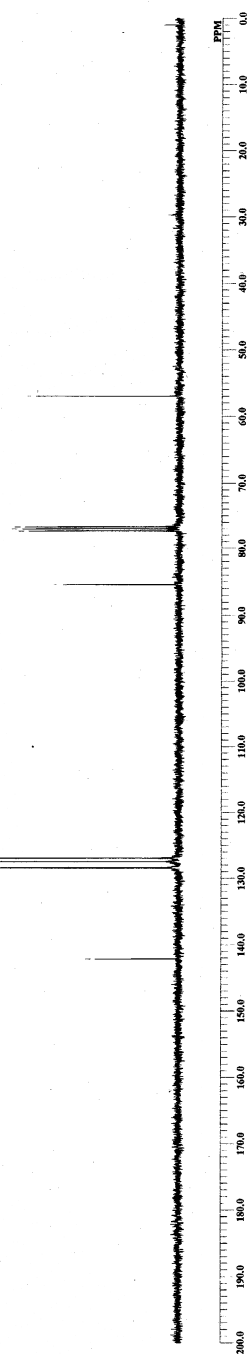
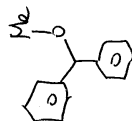
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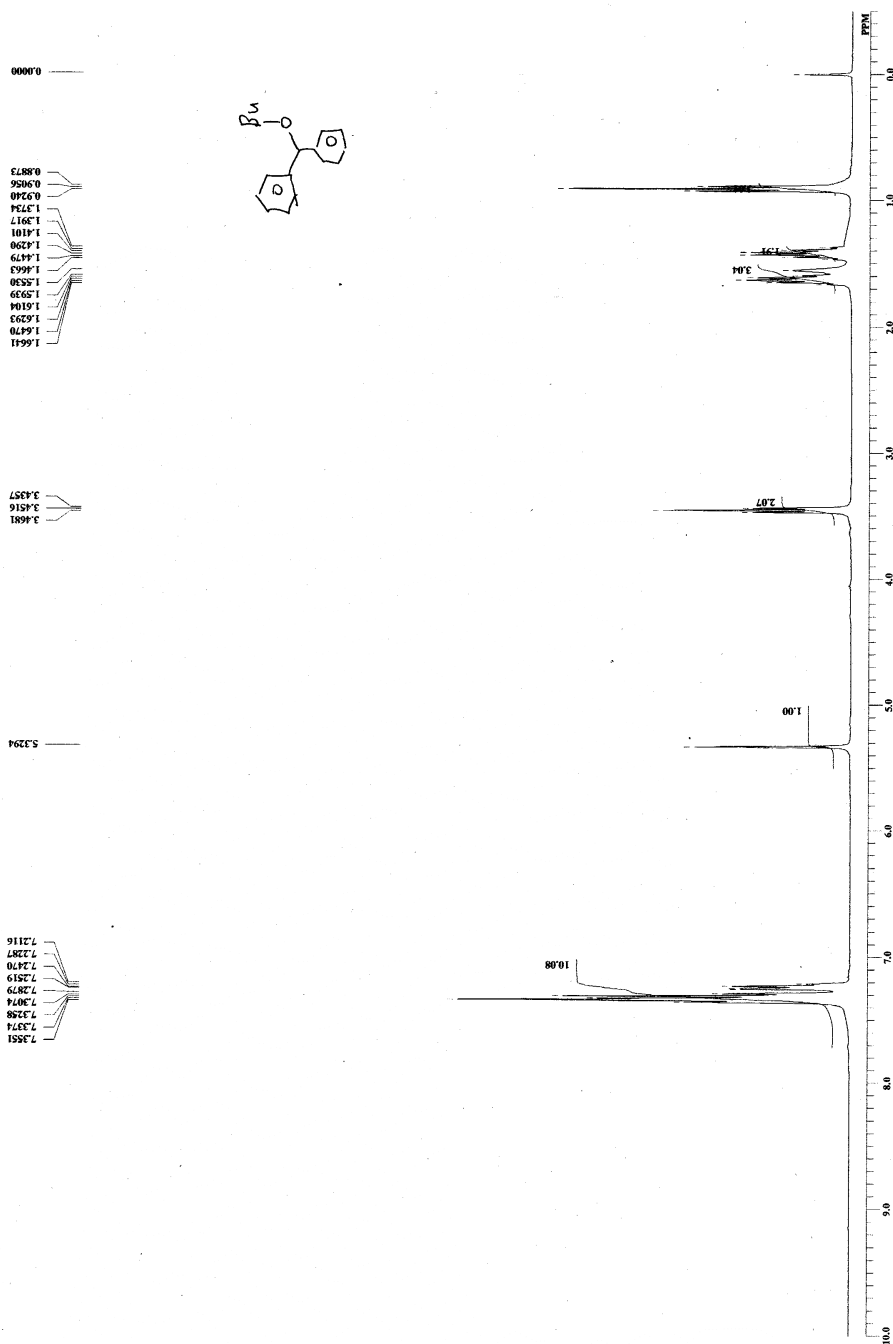
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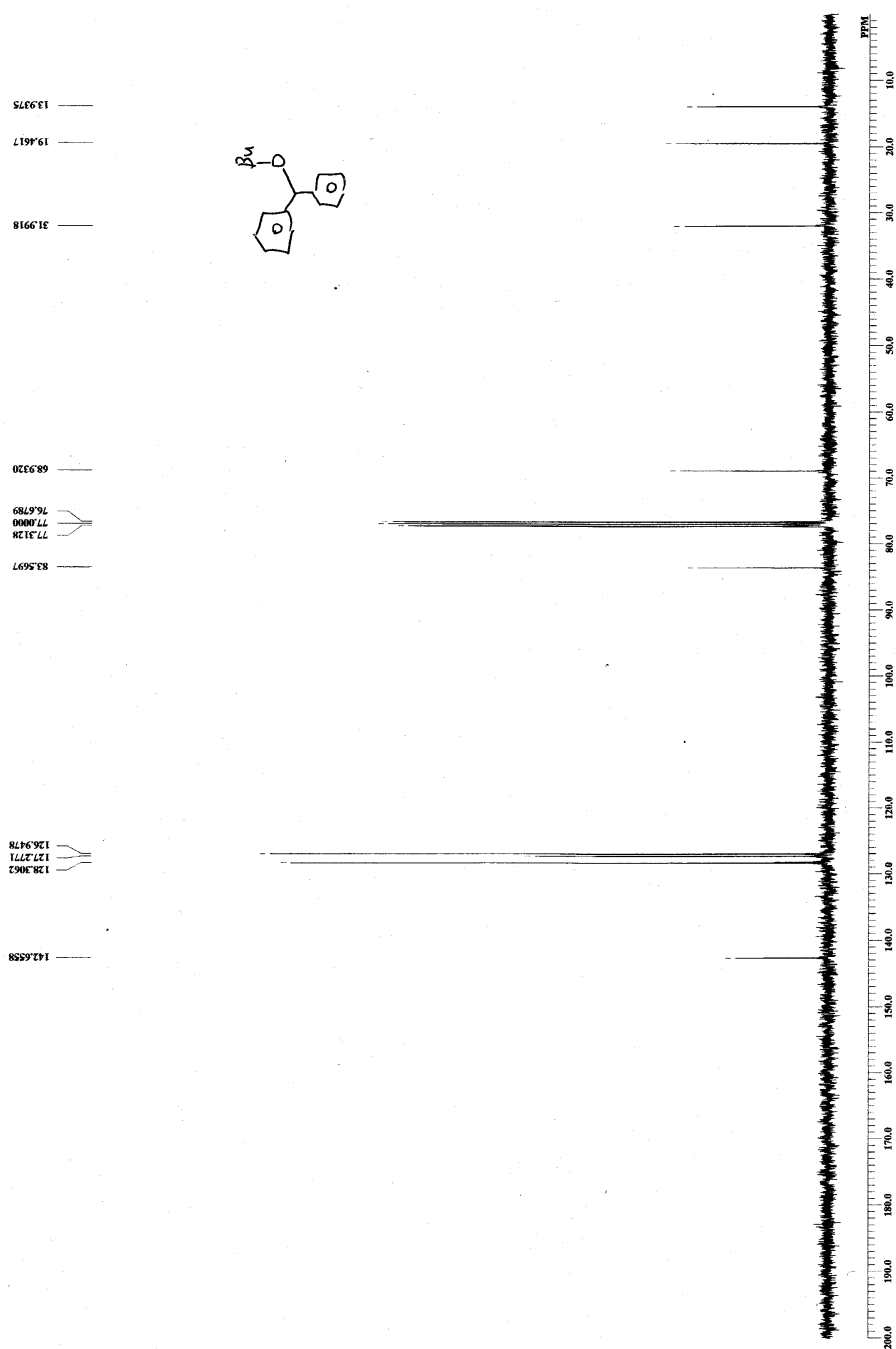
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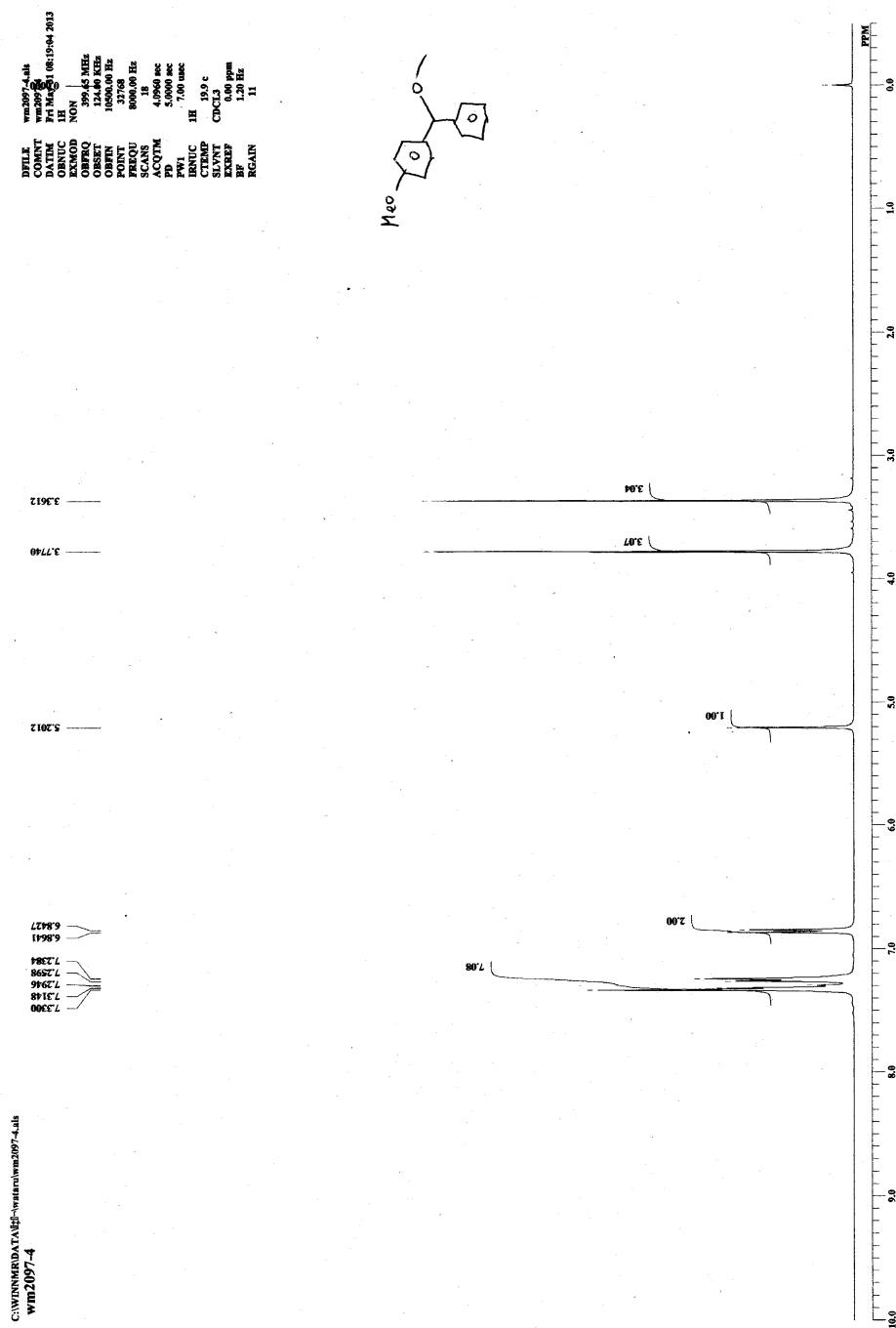


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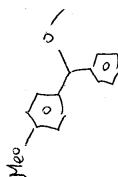


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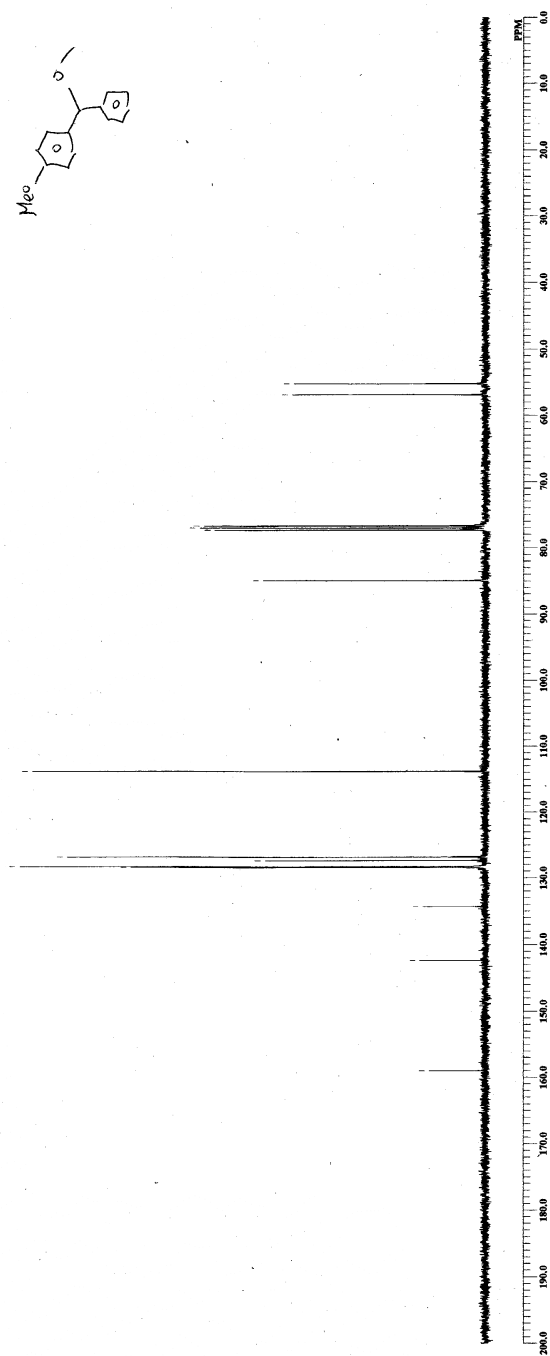


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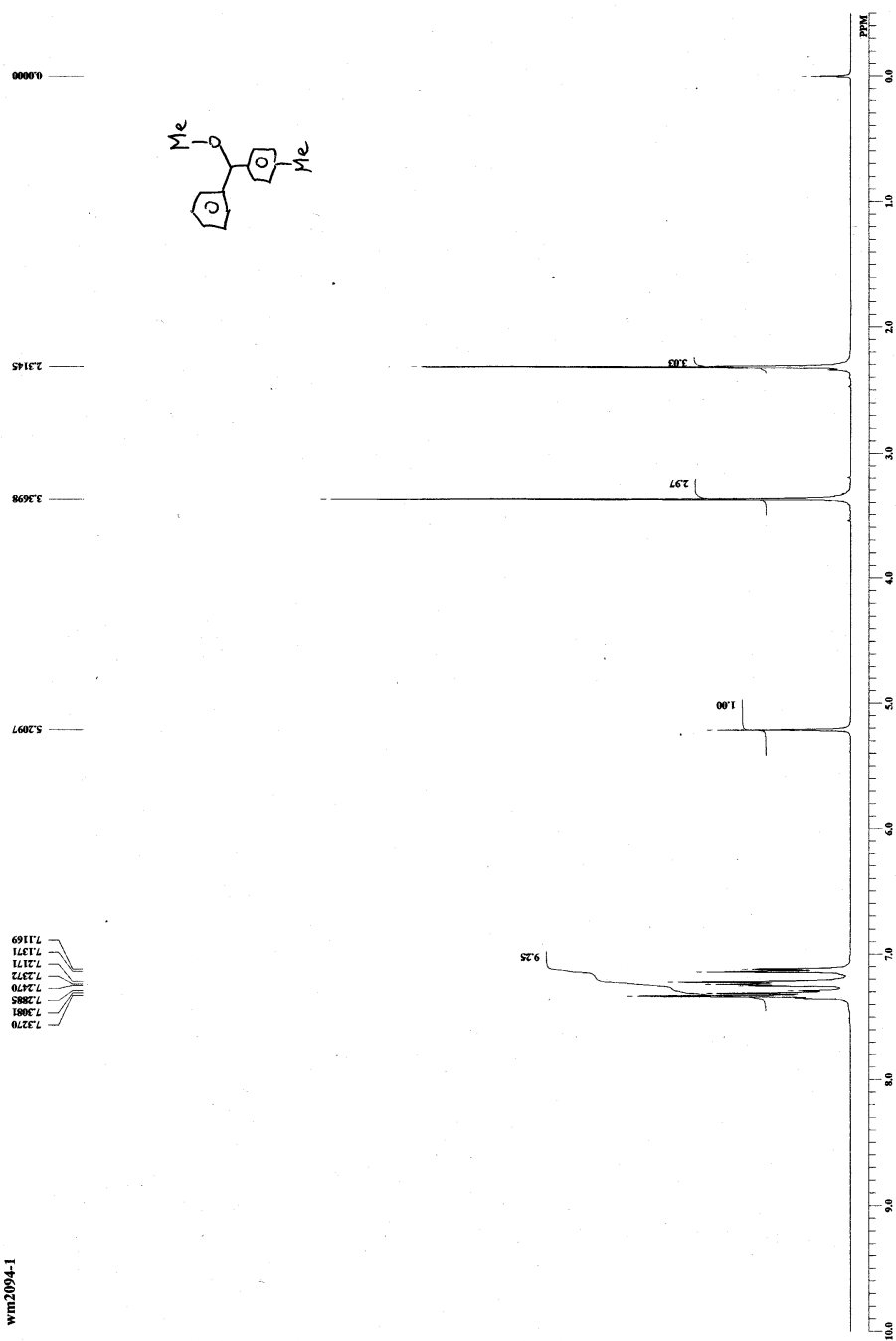
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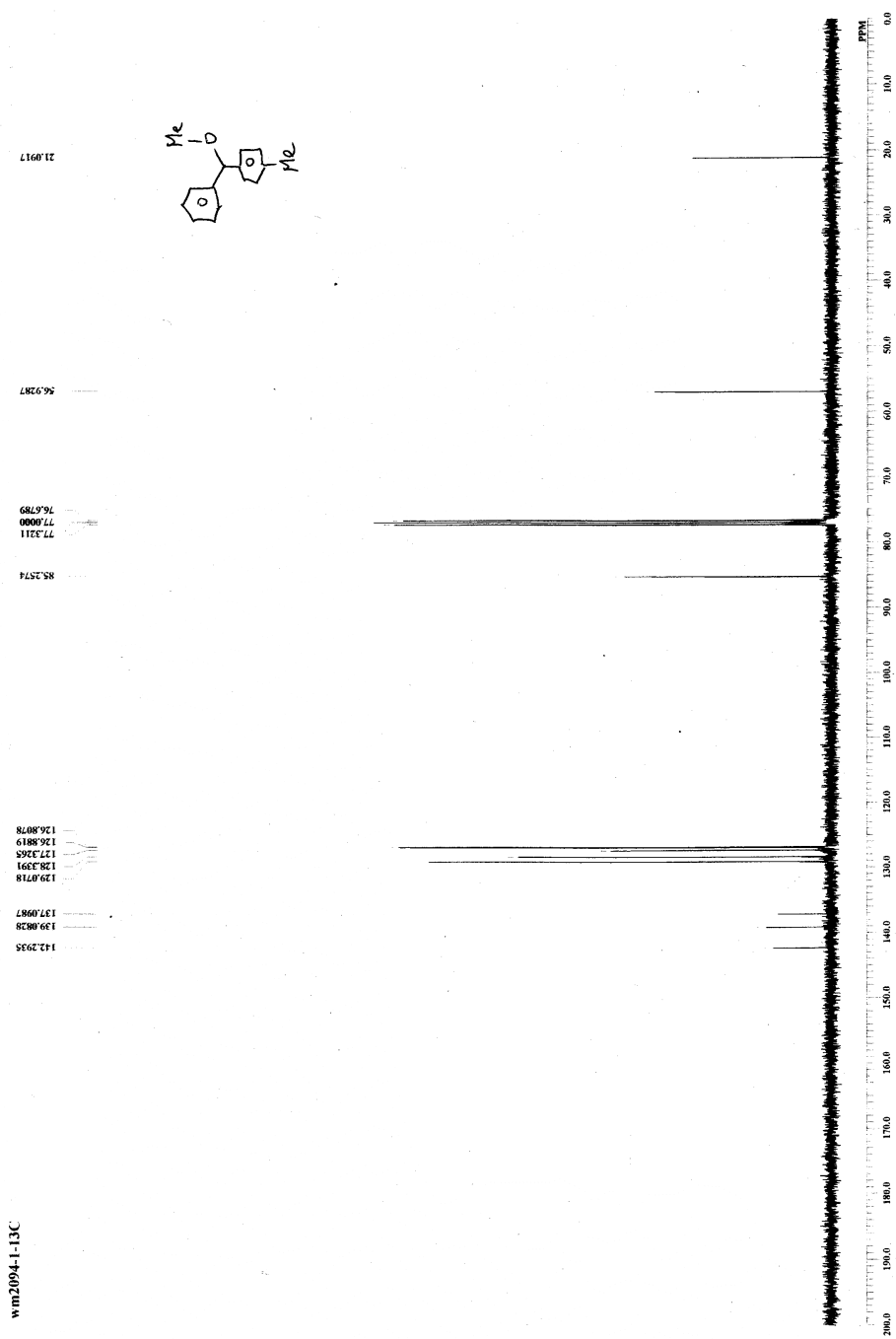


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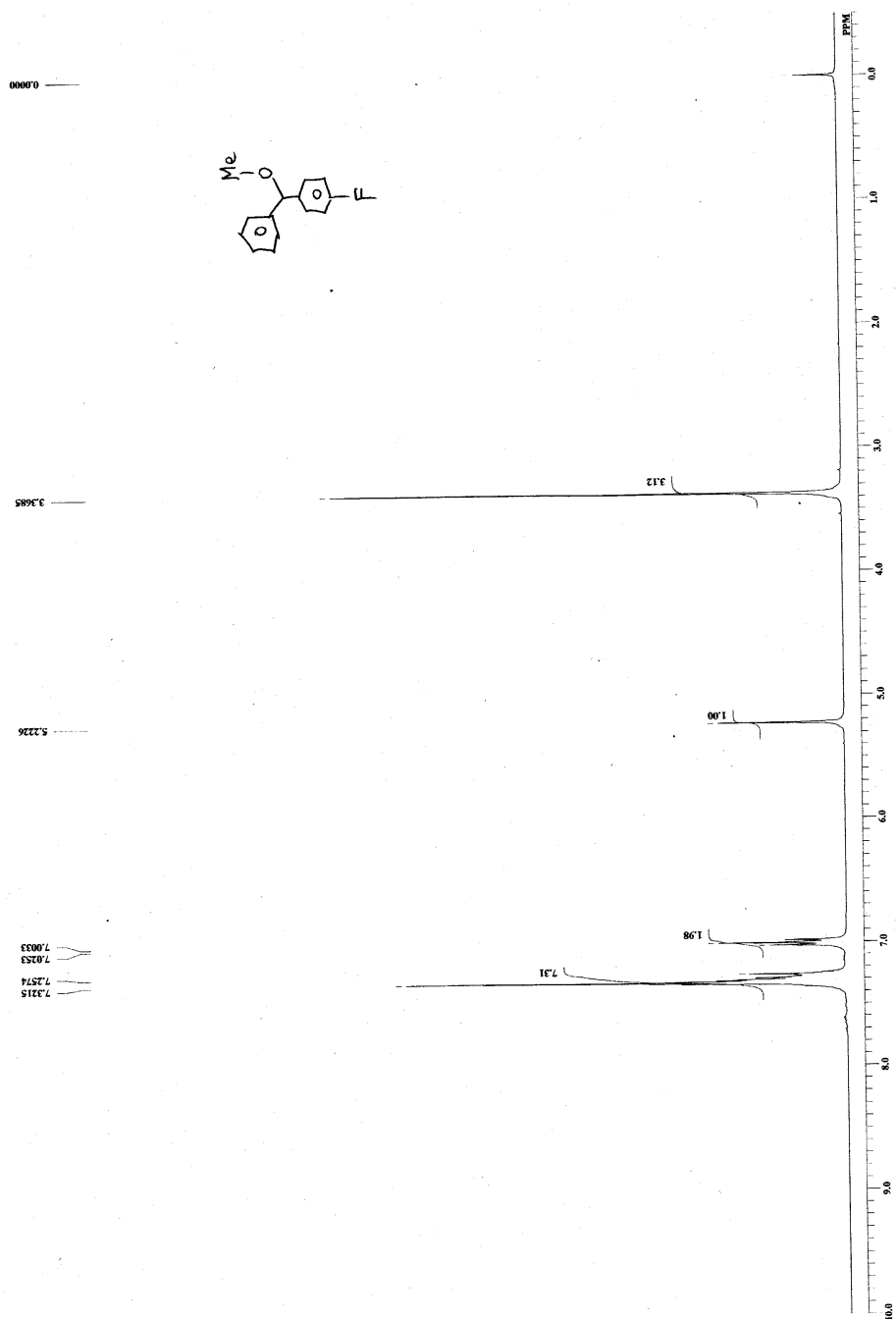


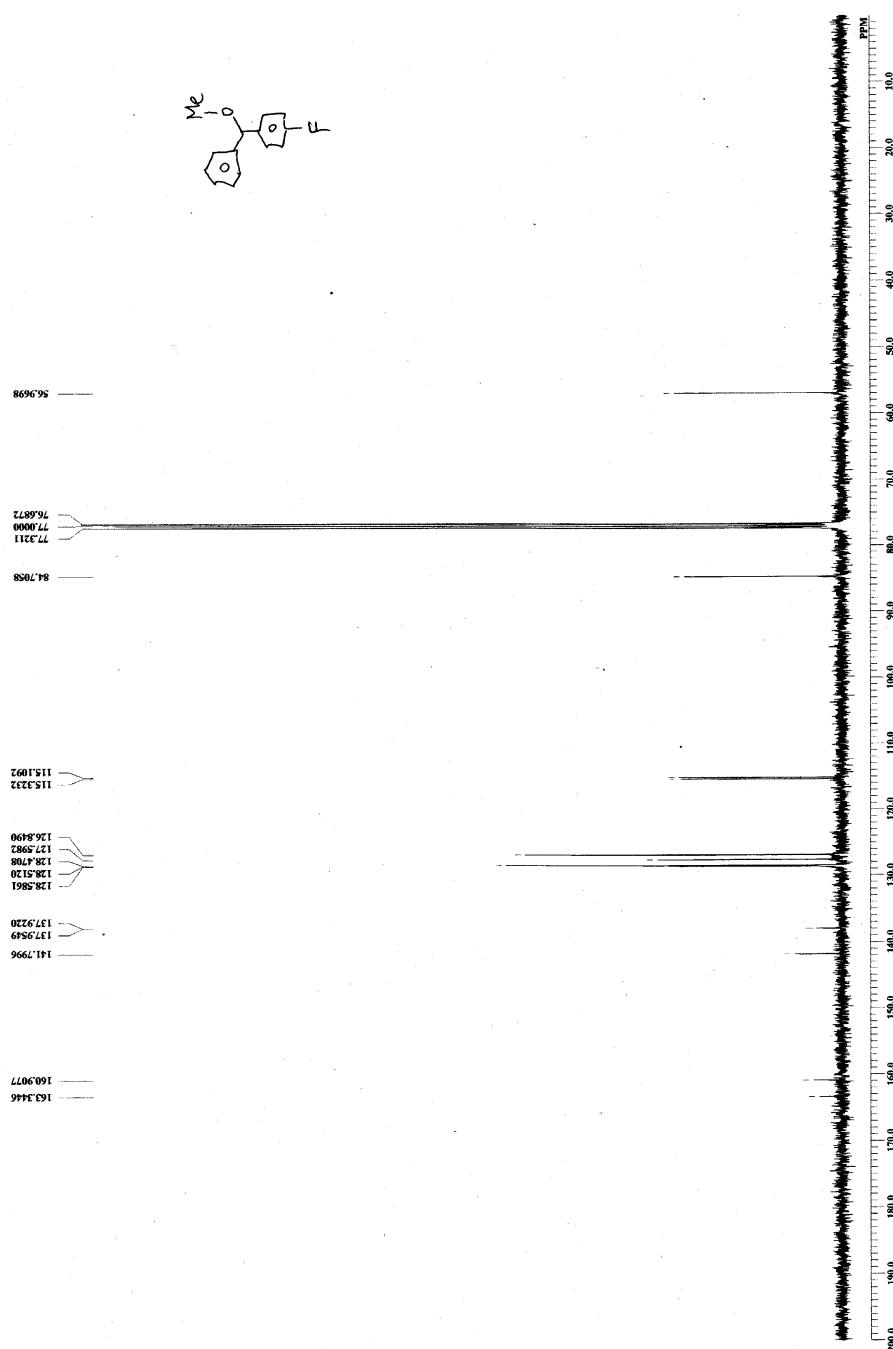
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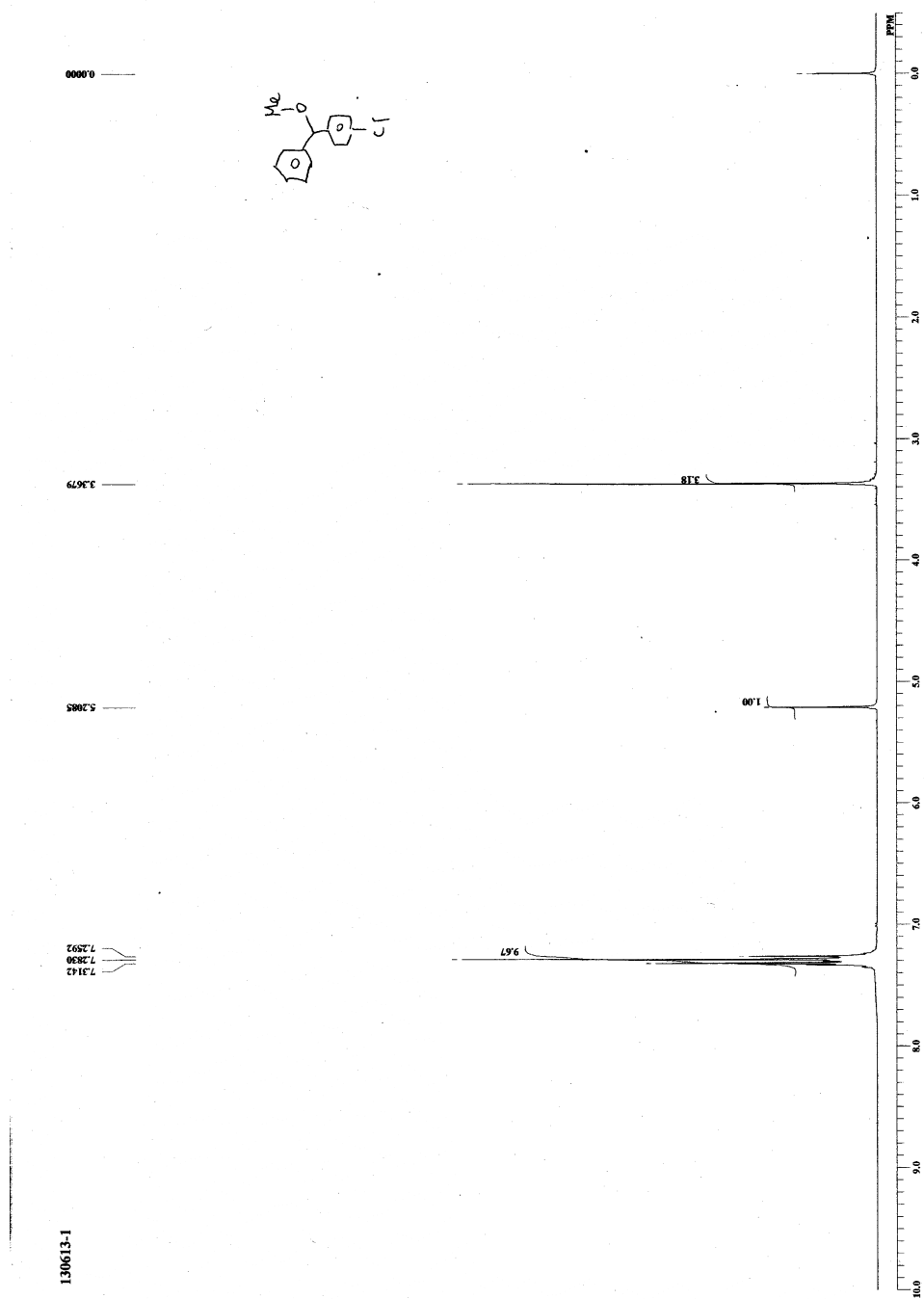


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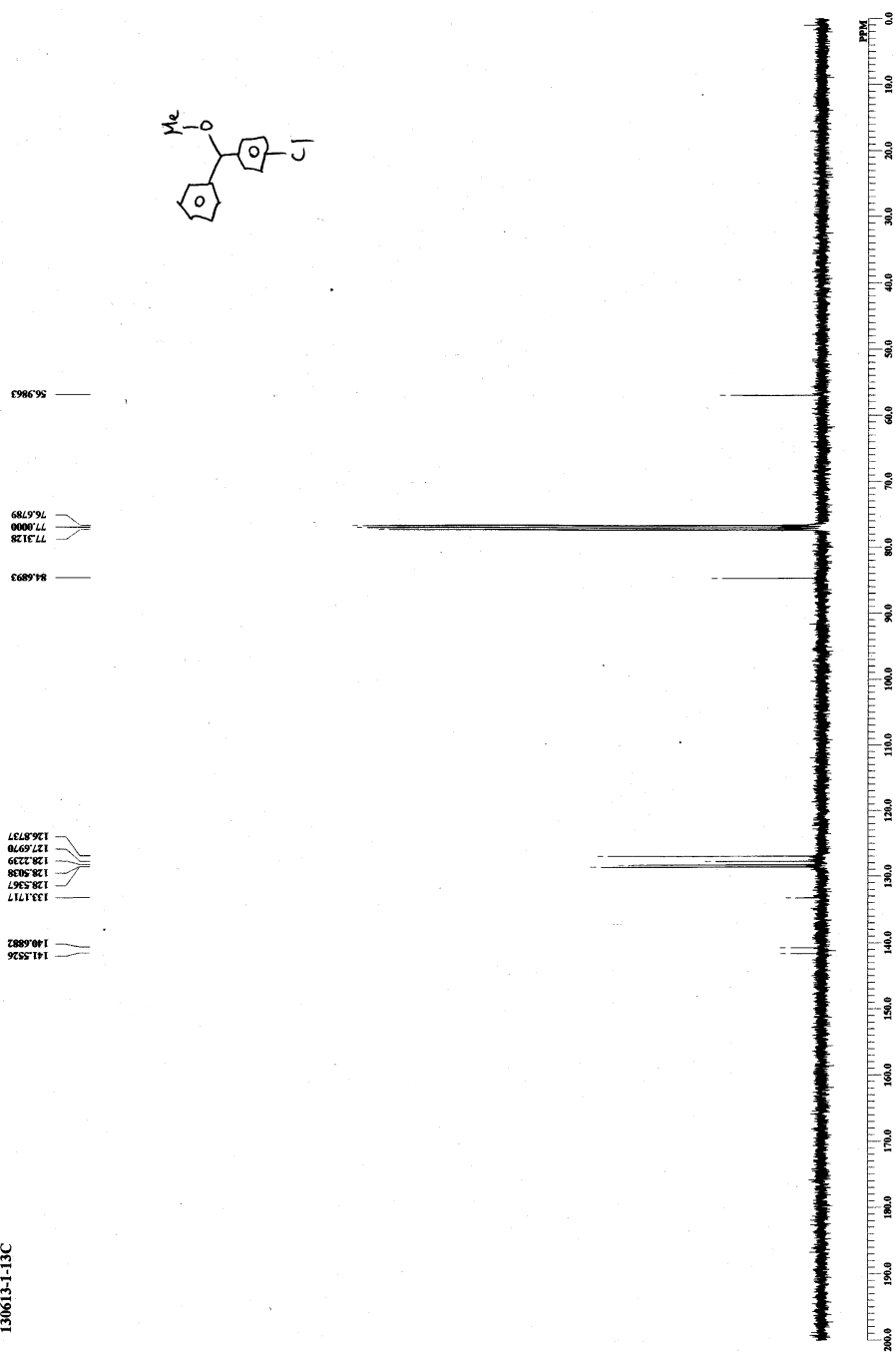




1-Chloro-4-(methoxyphenylmethyl)benzene (31)



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Diphenylmethyl butyl sulfide (32)

