

A Telescoped Synthesis of Stereodefined Pyrrolidines

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I) General Information

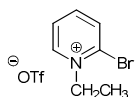
All reactions involving moisture sensitive reagents were performed under inert atmosphere (nitrogen or argon) *via* standard vacuum line techniques and with freshly dried solvents. All glassware was flame dried and allowed to cool under vacuum. Diethylether (Et₂O), tetrahydrofuran (THF), toluene (PhMe), hexane and dichloromethane (CH₂Cl₂) were obtained dry from a solvent purification system (MBraun, SPS-800). Petroleum ether is defined as 40–60 petrol. All solvents and commercial reagents were used as supplied without further purification unless stated otherwise. Room temperature refers to 20–25 °C. Temperatures of 0 °C and –78 °C were achieved using ice/water and CO₂(s)/acetone baths respectively. Reduced pressure refers to the use of a Büchi Rotavapor R-2000 rotary evaporator with a Vacubrand CVC₂ vacuum controller or a Heidolph Laborota 4001 rotary evaporator with a vacuum controller. Analytic thin layer chromatography was performed on aluminium sheets coated with 60 F₂₅₄ silica. TLC visualisation was carried out with ultraviolet light (254 nm), followed by staining 1% aq. KMnO₄ solution. Flash column chromatography was performed on Kieselgel 60 silica in the solvent system stated. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were acquired on either a Bruker Avance 300 {δ_H (300 MHz), δ_C (75 MHz)}, a Bruker Avance II 400 {δ_H (400 MHz), δ_C (100 MHz)}, a Bruker Avance 500 {δ_H (500 MHz), δ_C (125 MHz)} or a Bruker Avance III 500 {δ_H (500 MHz), δ_C (125 MHz)} spectrometer at ambient temperature and in the deuterated solvent stated. Coupling constants (*J*) are reported in Hz. Data are expressed in chemical shifts in parts per million (ppm) relative to residual solvent as the internal standard. Multiplicities are indicated by: s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), quint (quintet), sextet, sept (septet) and m (multiplet). *Ar* stands for aromatic, *app* for apparent and *br* for broad. Infrared spectra (ν_{max}) were recorded on a Shimadzu IRAffinity-1 fourier transform IR spectrophotometer using either thin film or solid using Pike MIRacle ATR accessory. Analysis was carried out using Shimadzu IRsolution v1.50, characteristic peaks are reported. Melting points were recorded on an electrothermal apparatus and are uncorrected. HPLC analyses were obtained on two different machines: a Gilson HPLC consisting of a Gilson 305 pump, Gilson 401C dilutor, Gilson 213XL sample injector and sample detection was performed with a Gilson 118UV/Vis detector; secondly a Shimadzu HPLC consisting of a DGU-20A5 degasser, LX-20AT liquid chromatograph, SIL-20AHT autosampler, CMB-20A column oven with variable temperature setting (25–40 °C). Separation was achieved using Chiralcel OD-H and OJ-H columns or Chiralpak AD-H, AS-H, IA, IC, IB and ID columns. Mass spectrometric (*m/z*) data was acquired either at the University of St Andrews Mass

Spectrometry Facility or at the EPSRC National Mass Spectrometry Service Centre in Swansea. Low and high resolution MS (ES) and MS (CI) were carried out on a Micromass LCT spectrometer and on a Micromass GCT spectrometer, respectively. Optical rotations were measured on a Perkin Elmer Precisely/Model-341 polarimeter operating at the sodium D line with a 100 mm path cell.

II) General experimental procedures and characterisation data:

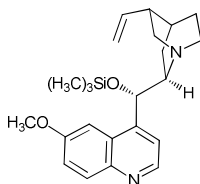
1) Synthesis of compound 29 and OTMS-quinidine

N-Ethyl-2-bromopyridinium triflate 29



In a flame dried resealable tube was added a solution of 2-bromopyridine (1.00 mL, 10.5 mmol, 1.0 eq) in DCM (2 mL) under Ar. The solution was cooled down to -78°C and ethyl triflate (1.40 mL, 10.5 mmol, 1.0 eq) was slowly added as a white precipitate was formed. The cloudy mixture was stirred at rt for 5 h. The white precipitate was then washed with toluene (3×10 mL), and dried to afford **29** (3.45 g, 98%) as a white solid; mp $66-70^{\circ}\text{C}$; ν_{max} (KBr)/ cm^{-1} 3052, 637, δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) 1.68 (3H, t, J 7.31, CH_2CH_3), 4.95 (2H, q, J 7.31, CH_2CH_3), 8.15 (2H, m, C(5) H +C(3) H), 8.37 (1H, td, J 7.9, 1.6, C(4) H), 9.40 (1H, dd, J 6.2, 1.6, C(6) H); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) 15.8 (CH_2CH_3), 59.9 (CH_2CH_3), 118.9 (C), 128.6 C(5), 134.8 C(3), 146.9 C(4), 149.2 C(6); δ_{F} (CDCl_3 , 282 MHz) 78.9 (CF_3); m/z (ES^+) 188 ($[\text{M}(^{81}\text{Br})+\text{H}]^+$, 96%), 186 ($[\text{M}(^{79}\text{Br})+\text{H}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+), $\text{C}_7\text{H}_9\text{BrN}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) found 185.9913, requires 185.9910 (-1.6 ppm).

(1S, 2R, 4S, 5R)-2-[(S)-(6-Methoxyquinolin-4-yl)((trimethylsilyl)oxy)methyl]-5-vinylquinuclidine (OTMS-Quinidine)



Trimethylsilyl chloride (0.37 mL, 3.67 mmol, 1.5 eq) was added to a solution of Quinidine (1.00 g, 3.08 mmol, 1.0 eq), in dry DCM (40 mL) and the reaction was stirred over night at rt. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NaHCO_3 (15 mL) and extracted with DCM ($\times 3$). The combined organic phases were washed with brine, dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Purification by chromatography column on silica gel (DCM : MeOH, 95 : 5) gave **OTMS-quinidine** as a viscous oil (918 mg, 75%); $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} + 181.9$ (c 1.0 in CHCl_3); ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 1618 (C=C), 1505 (C=C), 1240 (Si-Me), 1007 (Si-OR); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 400MHz) 0.12 (9H, s, $(\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3)$), 1.04-1.14 (1H, broad m, CH_AH_B), 1.57-1.98 (3H, m, $\text{CH}_A\text{H}_B+2\times\text{CH}_2$), 2.36-2.46 (1H, broad m, $\text{CH}_{\text{quinuclidine}}$), 2.48-2.57 (1H, broad m, $\text{CHCH}=\text{CH}_2$), 3.01-3.34 (4H, m, $2\times\text{CH}_2$), 3.84-3.89 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_{\text{quinuclidine}}$), 4.07 (3H, s, OCH_3), 5.13-5.24 (2H, m, $\text{CHCH}=\text{CH}_2$), 5.98 (1H, ddd, J 17.3, 10.2, 7.2, $\text{CHCH}=\text{CH}_2$), 6.68-6.81 (1H, m, $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{OCH}$), 7.34 (1H, d, J 9.2, ArH), 7.43-7.48 (1H, m, ArH), 7.55-7.65 (1H, m, ArH), 7.94-8.00 (1H, d, J 9.2, ArH), 8.69 (1H, d, J 4.5, ArH); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 100MHz) 0.4 ($\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 18.2 (CH_2), 23.9 (CH_2), 27.7 ($\text{CH}_{\text{quinuclidine}}$), 37.8 ($\text{CHCH}=\text{CH}_2$), 48.0 (CH_2), 49.3 (OCH_3), 57.5 (CH_2), 60.3 ($\text{NCH}_{\text{quinuclidine}}$), 68.9 ($\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{OCH}$), 100.7 (CHAr5), 117.4 ($\text{CHCH}=\text{CH}_2$), 118.7 (CHAr), 123.0

(CHAr), 125.8 (CAr4a), 131.8 (CHAr), 137.0 (CHCH=CH₂), 144.5 (CAr8a), 146.8 (CArCHO), 147.0 (CHAr2), 159.1 (CArOCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 397 ([M+H]⁺, 100 %); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₃H₃₃N₂O₂Si⁺ ([M+H]⁺) found 397.2308, requires 397.2306 (+ 0.6 ppm).

2) Synthesis of alkene-acids 4, 5, 10

General procedure 1: Tosyl protection

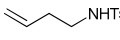
NEt₃ (2.2 eq) was added to a solution of the requisite amine (1.0 eq) in dry DCM (10 mL) and stirred for 10 min at rt. Toluenesulfonyl chloride (1.0 eq) was then slowly added to the solution under Ar at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at rt and monitored by TLC until completion then quenched with aq. citric acid (10%) and extracted with DCM (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (x2), brine (x2) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give the corresponding tosyl amine.

General procedure 2: Ester hydrolysis

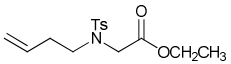
To a solution of the requisite ester (1.0 eq) in a mixture of H₂O/THF (1 : 3) was added LiOH (3.0 eq) in one portion at rt. The reaction was monitored by TLC until completion then quenched with 2M. aq. HCl (~pH 1) and extracted with Et₂O (x3). The organic phases were washed with brine (x2), dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*, to give the corresponding carboxylic acids.

i. α-Amino series

N-(But-3-en-1-yl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide S1

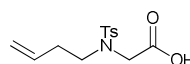
 Following a modified literature procedure,² 4-bromobut-1-ene (10.0 mL, 98.5 mmol, 1.1 eq) and K₂CO₃ (24.7 g, 179 mmol, 2.0 eq) were added to a solution of tosylamine (15.3 g, 89.5 mmol, 1.0 eq) in acetone (90 mL). The reaction was stirred over night at 60 °C. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NH₄Cl, extracted with Et₂O (x3), washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Purification by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.Ether : EtOAc; 90 : 10 to 80 : 20) gave **S1** (12 g, 60 %) as a clear oil; δ_H (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 2.22 (2H, br q, *J* 6.7, CH₂=CHCH₂), 2.45 (3H, s, CH₃), 3.04 (2H, q, *J* 6.4, CH₂NHTs), 4.39 (1H, br t, *J* 5.7, NHTs), 5.03-5.12 (2H, m, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.66 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.1, 10.3, 6.7, CH₂=CHCH₂), 7.33 (2H, d, *J* 8.1, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.75 (2H, d, *J* 8.1, Ar_{Ts}H2-6). Data is in accordance with the literature.³

Ethyl 2-N-[(but-3-en-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido]acetate S2

 To a suspension of NaH (1.06 g, 26.6 mmol, 1.2 eq) in dry DMF (40 mL) was added **S1** portion-wise at 0 °C. After 10 min, bromoethylacetate (3.0 mL, 26.6 mmol, 1.2 eq) was added and the reaction was stirred for 2 h at rt. After completion, the reaction mixture was quenched with a mixture NH₄Cl/NH₄OH (2:1) and extracted with Et₂O (x3). The organic phases were washed with H₂O (x2), brine (x2), dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*, to afford **S2** as a clear oil (5.6 g, 82%); δ_H (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.23 (3H, t, *J* 7.2, CH₂CH₃), 2.33 (2H, q, *J* 6.4, CH₂=CHCH₂), 2.44 (3H,

s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 3.34 (2H, t, *J* 6.4, CH₂NTs), 4.08 (2H, s, CH₂CO₂CH₂CH₃), 4.10 (2H, q, *J* 7.2, CH₂CH₃), 5.03-5.12 (2H, m, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.72 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.2, 10.2, 6.6, CH₂=CHCH₂), 7.32 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.68 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H2-6). Data is in accordance with the literature.⁴

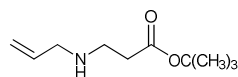
2-*N*-[(But-3-en-1-yl)-4-methylphenylsulfonamido]acetic acid **10**



Following general procedure 2: ester **S2** (2.0 g, 6.42 mmol), H₂O/THF (1:3; 100 mL), LiOH (0.80 g, 41.9 mmol) gave **10** as a white solid in quantitative yield (1.8 g); mp 98 °C {lit⁴ 97-99 °C}; δ_H (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.88 (2H, br q, *J* 7.3, CH₂=CHCH₂), 2.33 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 3.34 (2H, t, *J* 6.4, CH₂NTs), 4.08 (2H, s, CH₂CO₂H), 5.05-5.12 (2H, m, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.71 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.0, 10.4, 6.8, CH₂=CHCH₂), 7.32 (2H, d, *J* 8.2, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.74 (2H, d, *J* 8.2, Ar_{Ts}H2-6). Data is in accordance with the literature.⁴

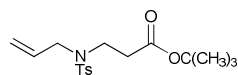
ii. β-Amino series

tert-Butyl-3-(allylamino)propanoate **S3**



tert-Butyl acrylate (5.00 mL, 34.1 mmol, 1.0 eq) was added to a solution of allylamine (3.80 mL, 51.2 mmol, 1.5 eq) in MeOH (100 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C overnight and then concentrated *in vacuo*. Purification of the residue by chromatography column on silica gel (cyclohexane : Et₂O, 100 : 0 to 90 : 10) gave **S3** as a yellow oil (5.3 g, 83%); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.45 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 2.44 (2H, t, *J* 6.4, CH₂CO₂C(CH₃)₃), 2.84 (2H, t, *J* 6.4, CH₂NH), 3.26 (2H, d, *J* 6.0, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.09 (1H, dd, *J* 10.2, 1.1, CH_AH_B=CHCH₂), 5.18 (1H, d, *J* 17.0, 1.6, CH_AH_B=CHCH₂), 5.90 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.0, 10.2, 6.0, CH₂=CHCH₂). Data is in accordance with the literature.⁵

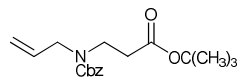
tert-Butyl-3-(*N*-allyl-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)propanoate **S4**



Following general procedure 1: Allylamine **S3** (1.00 g, 5.39 mmol), NEt₃ (1.66 mL, 11.9 mmol) in dry DCM (100 mL), toluenesulfonyl chloride (1.10 g, 5.90 mmol) under Ar for 2 h. Purification by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc; 90 : 10) gave **S4** (1.6 g, 87%) as a clear oil; ν_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 2979 (C-H), 1731 (C=O), 1644 (C=C), 1367, (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.45 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 2.45 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.56 (2H, t, *J* 7.6, CH₂CO₂C(CH₃)₃), 3.38 (2H, t, *J* 7.6, CH₂NTs), 3.82 (2H, d, *J* 6.3, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.15-5.25 (2H, m, CH₂=CHCH₂), 5.59-5.73 (1H, m, CH₂=CHCH₂), 7.30 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.73 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9 (CH₃), 28.5 (C(CH₃)₃), 35.7 (CH₂CO₂C(CH₃)₃), 43.7 (CH₂NTs), 51.8 (CH₂=CHCH₂), 81.4 (C(CH₃)₃), 119.5 (CH₂=CHCH₂), 127.6 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.1 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 133.4 (CH₂=CHCH₂), 137.1 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.7 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.1 (CO₂C(CH₃)₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 696 ([2M+NH₄]⁺, 100%), 284 ([M-

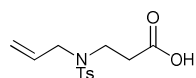
$\text{O}^t\text{Bu}+\text{NH}_4]^+$, 95%), 340 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 65%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{26}\text{SNO}_4^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) found 340.1579, requires 340.1577 (+ 0.6 ppm).

tert-Butyl 3-(N-allyl-2-phenylacetamido)propanoate S5



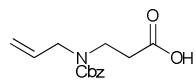
To a solution of allylamine **S3** (7.10 g, 38.3 mmol), and NEt_3 (11.4 mL, 84.3 mol) in dry DCM (100 mL) was added benzyl chloroformate (5.44 mL, 38.3 mmol) under Ar at rt. The reaction was stirred overnight at rt and then quenched with 0.1M aq. HCl and extracted with DCM (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with sat. aq. NaHCO_3 (x2), brine (x2) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Purification by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20) gave **S5** (6.2 g, 50%) as a clear oil; ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 2979 (C-H), 1702 broad (C=O), δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 500MHz) mixture of rotamers 1.45 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 2.52 (2H, app dt, J 27.3, 7.3, $\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 3.42-3.55 (2H, m, CH_2NCbz), 3.80-4.05 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 4.87-5.28 (4H, m, $\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar} + \text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.77-5.81 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 7.29-7.57 (5H, m, ArH); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 125MHz) mixture of rotamers 28.1 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 34.5, 35.1 ($\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 42.6, 43.6 (CH_2NCbz), 50.1, 50.3 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 67.1 ($\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}$), 80.7 ($(\text{CCH}_3)_3$), 116.6, 117.2 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 127.7 (3xCHAr), 127.9 (CHAr), 128.5 (CHAr), 133.5, 133.7 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 136.7 (CAr), 155.9 ($\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}$) 170.9, 171.1 ($\text{CO}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$); m/z (ESI^+) 320 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_4^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) found 320.1859, requires 320.1856 (+ 0.8 ppm).

3-(N-Allyl-4-methylphenylsulfonamido)propanoic acid 4



Ester **S4** (5.00 g, 14.8 mmol, 1.0 eq) was stirred in DCM : TFA (1 : 1, 30 mL) at rt for 2 h. The reaction mixture was quenched with sat. aq. NH_4Cl (50 mL) and extracted with DCM (x3). The organic phases were washed with sat. aq. NaHCO_3 (x2), dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford **4** (4.7 g, 62 %) as a beige solid; mp 58 °C; ν_{max} (KBr)/ cm^{-1} 3100-2900 (O-H), 1703 (C=O), 1163 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 300MHz) 2.44 (3H, s, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{CH}_3$), 2.70 (2H, t, J 7.5, $\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 3.40 (2H, t, J 7.5, CH_2NTs), 3.82 (2H, d, J 6.4, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.16-5.25 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.59-5.74 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 7.32 (2H, d, J 8.0, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{H}3-5$), 7.71 (2H, d, J 8.0, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{H}2-6$); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz) 21.9 (CH_3), 34.4 ($\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 43.2 (CH_2NTs), 52.1 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 119.9 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 127.6 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Ts}}2-6$), 130.3 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Ts}}3-5$), 133.3 ($\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 136.7 ($\text{CAr}_{\text{Ts}}\text{SO}_2$), 143.9 ($\text{CAr}_{\text{Ts}}\text{CH}_3$), 171.2 (CO_2H); m/z (ES^-) 565 ($[\text{2M}-\text{H}]^-$, 100%), 282 ($[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$, 25%); HRMS (ES^-) $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4\text{S}^-$ ($[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$) found 282.0801, requires 282.0806 (- 1.6 ppm).

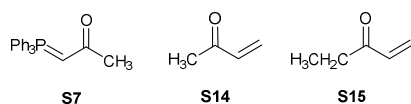
3-(Allyl((benzyloxy)carbonyl)amino)propanoic acid **5**



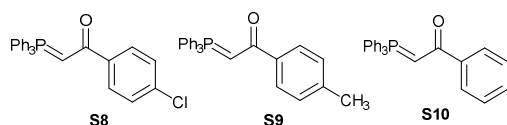
Ester **S4** (2.35 g, 7.35 mmol, 1.0 eq) was stirred in DCM : TFA (1 : 1, 40 mL) at rt for 2 h. The reaction mixture was quenched with sat. aq. NH_4Cl (50 mL) and extracted with DCM (x3). The organic phases were washed with sat. aq. NaHCO_3 (x2), dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford **5** (1.9 g, 98 %) as a clear oil; δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 300MHz) 2.68 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 3.57 (2H, t, J 6.9, CH_2NTs), 3.96 (2H, d, J 6.4, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.17 (4H, broad s, $\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}+\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.76-5.80 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$), 7.28-7.38 (5H, m, ArH). Data is in accordance with the literature.⁶

3) Synthesis of vinyl ketones and phosphoranes

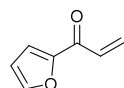
1-(Triphenylphosphoranylidene)propan-2-one **S7**, methyl vinyl ketone **S14** and ethyl vinyl ketone **S15** were commercially available and purchase from Aldrich.



1-(4-Chlorophenyl) **S8**, 1-(p-tolyl)- **S9**, and 1-phenyl-2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)ethanone **S10**, have previously been synthesized and characterized.¹¹



1-(Furan-2-yl)prop-2-en-1-one **S6**



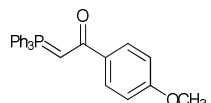
Following a modified literature procedure,⁹ vinylmagnesium bromide (34.3 mL, 24.0 mmol, 2.0 eq; 0.7 M in THF) was slowly added to a solution of 2-furfuraldehyde (1.0 mL, 12.0 mmol, 1.0 eq) in dry THF (30 mL) at 0 °C under N_2 . The reaction mixture was stirred for 15 min at 0 °C and then at rt for 3 h. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NaHCO_3 , and then extracted with DCM (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with H_2O (x3), brine (x2), dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford 1-(furan-3-yl)prop-2-en-1-ol¹⁰ as a brown oil and was used directly in the next step without any further purification; δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 500MHz) 5.23-5.29 (1H, m, CHOH), 5.32 (1H, dt, J 10.4, 1.3, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 5.45 (1H, dt, J 17.0, 1.3, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 6.15 (1H, ddd, J 17.0, 10.4, 5.7, $\text{CH}=\text{CH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 6.28 (1H, d, J 3.3, $\text{CHAr}_{\text{furan}3}$), 6.36 (1H, dd, J 3.3, 1.8, $\text{CHAr}_{\text{furan}4}$), 7.42 (1H, dd, J 1.8, 0.9, $\text{CHAr}_{\text{furan}5}$). To a solution of the vinyl alcohol in DMSO (10 mL) was slowly added IBX (5.0 g, 18.0 mmol, 1.5 eq) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 3 h then quenched with H_2O : DCM (1 : 1; 10 mL). The mixture was filtered through Celite and the filtrate was extracted with DCM (x3).

The combined organic phases were washed with H₂O (x2), brine (x2), dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give vinyl ketone **S6** as a yellow oil (1.2 g, 79%); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1664 (C=O), 1463 (C=C); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 5.80 (1H, dd, *J* 10.5, 1.7, CH=CH_AH_B), 6.42-6.53 (2H, m, CHAr_{furan}3+CH=CH_AH_B), 7.00 (1H, dd, *J* 17.2, 10.5, CH=CH_AH_B), 7.21 (1H, dd, *J* 3.6, 0.8, CHAr_{furan}4), 7.52-7.62 (1H, dd, *J* 1.7, 0.8, CHAr_{furan}5); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 112.9 (CHAr_{furan}4), 118.8 (CHAr_{furan}3), 129.9 (CH=CH₂), 131.7 (CH=CH₂), 147.4 (CHAr_{furan}5), 153.3 (C(2)Ar_{furan}), 178.5 (CO); *m/z* (ES⁺) 123 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₇H₇O₂⁺ ([M+H]⁺) found 123.0441, requires 123.0438 (- 2.1 ppm).

General procedure 3: Phosphoranes synthesis

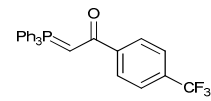
A solution of the corresponding 2-bromoethanone (1.0 eq) and triphenylphosphine (1.0 eq) were refluxed in dry solvent for 4 h. After completion, the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to rt and the phosphonium salt was filtered and washed with Et₂O (3×100 mL). The phosphonium salt was then dissolved in H₂O : DCM (1.5 : 1) and 2M. aq. NaOH (100 mL) was added. The mixture was stirred for 2 h and then extracted with DCM (3×100 mL). The combined organic phases were washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the corresponding phosphorane.

1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)ethanone **S11**



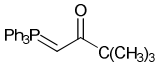
Following general procedure 3: 2-bromo-1-(4-methoxy)phenylethanone (15.0 g, 65.5 mmol), triphenylphosphine (17.2 g, 65.5 mmol), dry THF (200 mL), gave **S11** as an orange solid (17.7 g, 66%); mp 144-146 °C {litt.¹² 150-153 °C}; δ_{H} (d⁶-DMSO, 300MHz) 3.77 (3H, s, CH₃), 4.40 (1H, d, *J* 24.9, CH), 6.87-6.90 (2H, m, ArH), 7.52-7.58 (6H, m, ArH), 7.62-7.71 (9H, m, ArH) 7.81-7.84 (2H, m, ArH); δ_{P} (CDCl₃, 121 MHz) 16.59. Data is in accordance with the literature.¹²

1-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)ethanone **S12**



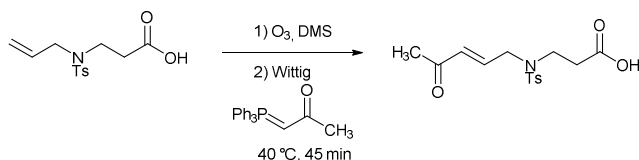
Following general procedure 3: 2-bromo-1-(4-trifluoromethyl)phenylethanone (15.0 g, 56.2 mmol), triphenylphosphine (14.7 g, 56.2 mmol), dry THF (200 mL) gave **S12** as an orange solid (23.0 g, 92%); mp 158-160 °C; $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1716 (C=O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 400MHz) 4.57 (1H, d, *J* 24.6, CH), 7.67-7.70 (6H, m, ArH), 7.71-7.73 (5H, m, ArH), 7.74-7.77 (6H, m, ArH), 8.06-8.10 (2H, m, Ar_{CF3}H2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 52.3 (CH, d, *J* 111.0), 124.7 (CF₃, q, *J* 272.1), 124.8 (2xCHAr_{CF3}, d, *J* 3.5), 126.5 (3xCAr, d, *J* 90.0), 128.8 (2xCHAr_{CF3}), 129.0 (6xCHAr, d, *J* 10.2), 130.9 (CCF₃, q, *J* 32.0), 132.3 (3xCHAr, d, *J* 2.4), 133.1 (6xCHAr, d, *J* 10.2), 144.7 (CArCO) 183.0 (CO, d, *J* 3.2); δ_{P} (CDCl₃, 282MHz) 1.37; δ_{F} (CDCl₃, 121MHz) 15.99; *m/z* (ES⁺) 449 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₇H₂₁POF₃⁺ ([M+H]⁺) found 449.1277, requires 449.1270 (- 1.5 ppm).

3,3-Dimethyl-1-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)butan-2-one S13

 Following general procedure 3: 1-bromopinacolone (5.00 mL, 0.04 mol, 1.0 eq), triphenylphosphine (9.7 g, 0.04 mol, 1.0 eq), toluene (50 mL), gave **S13** as a white powder (10.3 g, 77%); mp 178 °C {lit¹³ 175-177 °C}; δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.23 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 3.80 (1H, d, *J* 27.1 CH), 7.44-7.47 (6H, m, ArH), 7.53-7.56 (3H, m, ArH), 7.62-7.66 (6H, m, ArH); δ_{P} (CDCl₃, 121MHz) 4.35. Data is in accordance with the literature.¹⁴

4) Synthesis of enone-acids **1** and **30**

(*E*)-3-(4-Methyl-*N*-(4-oxopent-2-en-1-yl)phenylsulfonamido)propanoic acid **1**

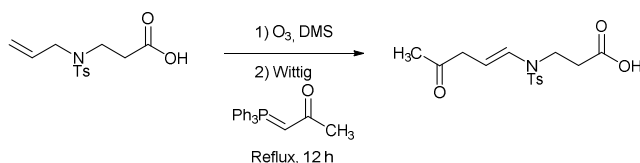


A stream of O₃ in O₂ was bubbled through a solution of alkene **4** (60.0 mg, 0.21 mmol, 1.0 eq), in dry DCM (0.3 mol/L) at - 78 °C. When the blue color persisted, dimethyl sulfide (2.0 eq) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to rt. The solvent was evaporated *in vacuo* and aldehyde **S1a** was treated as an intermediate and used directly to the next step; (analytical data contains trace of DMS and DMSO); ν_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 2922 (broad O-H), 1728 (broad C=O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 400MHz) 2.37 (3H, s, CH₃), 2.67 (2H, t, *J* 6.6, CH₂COH), 3.39 (2H, t, *J* 6.6, CH₂NTs), 3.92 (2H, d, *J* 1.1, CH₂CO₂H), 7.27 (2H, d, *J* 7.9, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.63 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2-6), 9.50 (1H, s, COH); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 35.0 (CH₂CO₂H), 46.3 (CH₂NTs), 59.0 (CH₂COH), 127.8 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.4 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 135.7 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.5 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 174.7 (CO₂H), 198.6 (COH); *m/z* (ES⁻) 284 ([M-H]⁻, 100%) 242 ([M-CH₂COH]⁻, 60%); HRMS (ES⁻) C₁₂H₁₄SNO₅⁻ ([M-H]⁻); found 284.0595, requires 284.0598 (-1.1 ppm). Phosphorane **S7** (74.1 mg, 0.23 mmol, 1.1 eq) was added to a solution of the aldehyde in THF (8 mL) and acetic acid (0.05 mL). The reaction was stirred at 40 °C for 45 min (carefully monitored by NMR) and then concentrated *in vacuo*. The crude reaction mixture was dissolved in EtOAc and sat. aq. NaHCO₃ was added. The aqueous phase was washed with EtOAc (x3). The aqueous phase was acidified (pH ~2) with 2M aq. HCl and then extracted with EtOAc (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with brine (x2) and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford **1** as a yellow oil (43 mg, 63%); ν_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 2923 (O-H), 1720 (C=O acid), 1667 (C=O ketone), 1160 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) 2.24 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.46 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.72 (2H, t, *J* 7.0, CH₂CO₂H), 3.44 (2H, t, *J* 7.0, CH₂NTs), 4.00 (2H, dd, *J* 5.8, 1.6, CH=CHCH₂), 6.15 (1H, dt, *J* 16.0, 1.6, CH=CHCH₂), 6.61 (1H, dt, *J* 16.0, 5.7, CH=CHCH₂), 7.36 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.73 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 27.2 (COCH₃), 34.1 (CH₂CO₂H), 44.2 (CH₂NTs), 50.1 (CH=CHCH₂), 127.3 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.9 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 132.7 (CH=CHCH₂), 135.9 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃),

141.4 (CH=CHCH₂), 144.1 (C_{Ar}TsSO₂), 175.6 (CO₂H), 197.9 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁻) 649 ([2M-H]⁻, 100%), 324 ([M-H]⁻, 60%); HRMS (ES⁻) C₁₅H₁₈NO₅⁻ ([M-H]⁻); found 324.0902, requires 324.0911 (- 2.8 ppm).

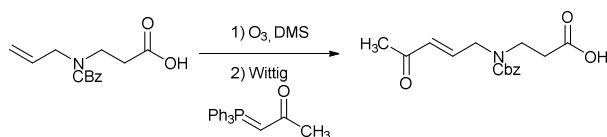
Isomerisation product **S16**

The isomerisation product **S16** was observed only in this *N*-tosylated series when the Wittig reaction was performed for a longer period of time, or/and at higher temperature.



A stream of O₃ in O₂ was bubbled through a solution of alkene **4** (132 mg, 0.46 mmol, 1.0 eq), in dry DCM (0.3 mol/L) at - 78 °C. When the blue color persisted, dimethyl sulfide (2.0 eq) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to rt. The solvent was evaporated *in vacuo* and aldehyde **S30a** was treated as an intermediate and used directly for the next step; Phosphorane **S7** (163 mg, 0.51 mmol, 1.1 eq) was added to a solution of the aldehyde in CHCl₃ (50 mL) and the reaction was stirred at 70 °C overnight. The mixture was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was purified by chromatography column (DCM : MeOH, 99.9 : 0.1) to give **S16** as a yellow oil. Chromatography column unable a clean purification of this compound and **S16** was isolated as a mixture with triphenylphosphine oxide. *v*_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 3059-2850 (O-H), 1712 (C=O); *δ*_H (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) contaminated with PPh₃O; 2.15 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.42 (5H, m, Ar_{Ts}CH₃+CH₂CO₂H), 3.10 (2H, d, *J* 7.3, CH₂CH=CH), 3.58 (2H, dd, *J* 9.7, 6.6, NTsCH₂), 4.90 (1H, dt, *J* 14.4, 7.3, CH₂CH=CH), 6.67 (1H, d, *J* 14.3, CH₂CH=CH), 7.21-7.75 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}H); *δ*_C (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) contaminated with PPh₃O 21.5 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 27.4 (COCH₃), 32.7 (CH₂CO₂H), 41.7 (NTsCH₂), 45.0 (CH₂CH=CH), 102.4 (CH₂CH=CH), 127.6 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 128.5 (CH₂CH=CH), 129.9 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 135.9 (C_{Ar}TsCH₃), 143.7 (C_{Ar}TsSO₂), 173.9 (CO₂H), 206.9 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 348.0867 ([M+Na]⁺, 50%).

(*E*)-3-(((Benzyloxy)carbonyl)(4-oxopent-2-en-1-yl)amino]propanoic acid **30**

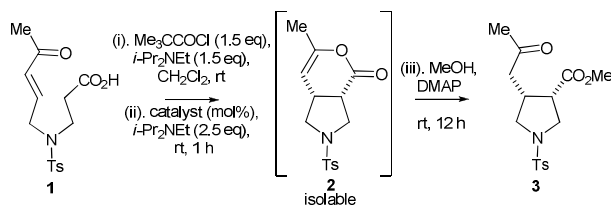


A stream of O₃ in O₂ was bubbled through a solution of alkene **5** (150 mg, 0.56 mmol, 1.0 eq), in dry DCM (0.3 mol/L) at - 78 °C. When the blue color persisted, dimethyl sulfide (2.0 eq) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to rt. The solvent was evaporated *in vacuo* and the aldehyde was treated as an intermediate and used directly to the next step; (analytical data contains trace of DMS and DMSO); *v*_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 3338-2576 (broad O-H), 1695 (broad C=O); *δ*_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) mixture of rotamers 2.61 (2H, t, *J* 6.4, CH₂CO₂H), 3.60 (2H, app q, *J* 6.7, CH₂NCbz), 4.16, 4.19 (2H, s

CH_2COH), 5.10, 5.17 (2H, m, $\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}$), 7.27-7.37 (5H, m, ArH), 9.51, 9.55 (1H, s, COH); δ_{c} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz) 33.5, 34.0 ($\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 44.7, 45.6 (CH_2NCbz), 58.9, 59.1 (CH_2COH), 67.7, 67.8 ($\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}$), 127.9 (3XCHAr), 128.2 (CHAr), 128.6 (CHAr), 136.1 (CAr), 155.7, 156.4, ($\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ar}$), 175.0, 175.5 (CO_2H), 198.2 (COH); m/z (AS^+) 266 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (AS^+) $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_5^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); found 266.1024, requires 266.1023 (+ 0.4 ppm).

Phosphorane **S7** (196 mg, 0.62 mmol, 1.1 eq) was added to a solution of the aldehyde in CHCl_3 (8 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 2 h. The solvent was evaporated and the residue dissolved in EtOAc. H_2O was added and the pH was adjusted by addition of 1M aq. NaOH to pH~11. The aqueous layer was washed with EtOAc (x3). The aqueous layer was acidified with 2M aq. HCl and extracted with EtOAc (x3). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (x2), dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo*, to give **30** (150 mg, 88%) as a clear oil; ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 3064-2927 (O-H), 1728 (C=O acid), 1674 (C=O ketone), 1118 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 300MHz) mixture of rotamers 2.13-2.18 (3H, m, COCH_3), 2.54-2.61 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 3.45-3.48 (2H, m, CH_2NCBz), 4.05 (2H, app broad s, $\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$), 5.05-5.08 (2H, m, $\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}$), 5.95-6.04 (1H, m, $\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$), 6.55-6.64 (1H, m, $\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$), 7.25-7.28 (5H, m, $\text{Ar}_{\text{CBz}}\text{H}$), 10.8 (1H, broad s, CO_2H); δ_{c} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz) 27.5, 27.8 (CH_3), 33.6, 34.1 ($\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$), 43.6, 44.5 (CH_2NTs), 49.6 ($\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 68.1, 68.2 ($\text{NCO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}$), 128.4 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{CBz}2-6}$), 128.7 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{CBz}4}$), 128.9 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{CBz}3-5}$), 131.3, 131.8 ($\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$), 136.5 ($\text{C}(1)\text{Ar}_{\text{CBz}}$), 142.7 ($\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$), 156.3 ($\text{CO}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}$), 176.9, 177.3 (CO_2H), 198.7, 198.9 (COCH_3); m/z (ES^-) 304 ($[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$, 100%); HRMS (ES^-) $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_5^-$ ($[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$); found 304.1191, requires 304.1190 (+ 0.2 ppm).

5) Reaction optimisation



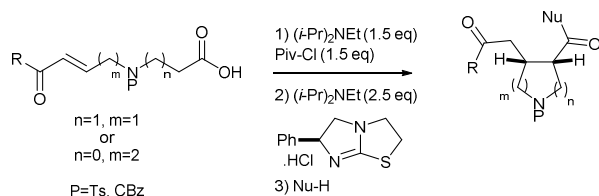
To a solution of the enone-acid **1** (50.0 mg, 0.15 mmol, 1.0 eq) in DCM was added pivaloylchloride (28.0 μL , 0.23 mmol, 1.5 eq) and (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (39.5 μL , 0.23 mmol, 1.5 eq) at rt. After 10 min (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (65.7 μL , 0.38 mmol, 2.5 eq) and the corresponding catalyst (20 mol%) were added. The reaction was monitored by TLC until completion and then was either purified by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 90 : 10 to 80 : 20) to yield lactone **2**, or quenched with MeOH and DMAP (cat) at rt to afford the pyrrolidine **3**.

Entry	Catalyst	mol %	dr ^a	Lactone 2 Yield(%)	ee(%) ^b	Ester 3 Yield(%)	ee(%) ^c
1		20	99:1	40	--	70	--
2		20	80:20	--	--	88	--
3		20	99:1	48	97	70	99
4		5	99:1	--	--	67	99
5		20	99:1	45	99 (ent)	70	99 (ent)
6		20	99:1	54	75 (ent)	--	--

^a Diastereomeric ratio determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopic analysis of the unpurified reaction mixture; ^b Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 40 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 0.1 mL/min tr maj = 39.9 min, tr min = 36.1 min; 211 nm, 30 °C); ^c Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 30 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min tr maj = 19.1 min, tr min = 16.2 min; 254 nm, 30 °C).

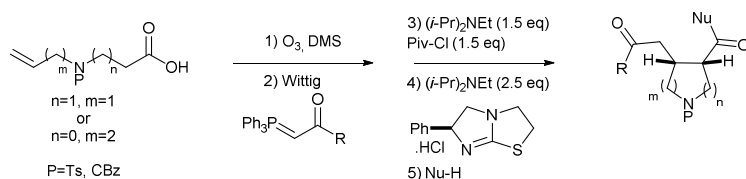
6) General procedures: *Syn* pyrrolidines synthesis

General procedure 4: from enone-acids starting material



To a solution of the corresponding enone-acid (1.0 eq) in DCM (final concentration $c=0.03$ mol/L) was added pivaloylchloride (1.5 eq) and $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (1.5 eq) at rt. After 10 min $(-)$ -tetramisole.HCl and $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (2.5 eq) were added. The reaction was monitored by TLC until completion then quenched with the corresponding nucleophile. The solvent was evaporated and the residue was purified by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc) to yield the corresponding pyrrolidines.

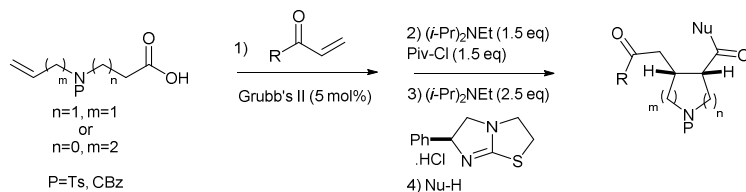
General procedure 5: via tandem Wittig/organocatalysis



A stream of O_3 in O_2 was bubbled through a solution of the corresponding alkene in dry DCM (0.3 mol/L) at -78°C . When the blue color persisted, dimethyl sulfide (2.0 eq) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to rt. After concentration *in vacuo* the corresponding aldehyde was dissolved in CHCl_3 and the corresponding phosphorane (1.1 eq) was added. The reaction was refluxed overnight, unless otherwise stated, and then concentrated *in vacuo*. The crude reaction mixture was dissolved in DCM (final concentration $c=0.03$ mol/L) and pivaloylchloride (1.5 eq) and $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (1.5 eq) were added at rt. After 10 min, $(-)$ -tetramisole.HCl (mol%) and $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (2.5 eq) were added. The reaction was monitored by TLC until completion then quenched with the corresponding nucleophile. The solvent was evaporated and the residue was purified by chromatography column (Pet.ether : EtOAc) to yield the corresponding pyrrolidines.

Racemic *syn* products were obtained using commercially available ($\pm$) tetramisole (5 mol%) as a racemic catalyst following general procedures 4, 5 or 6

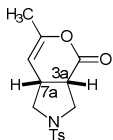
General procedure 6: *via tandem metathesis/organocatalysis*



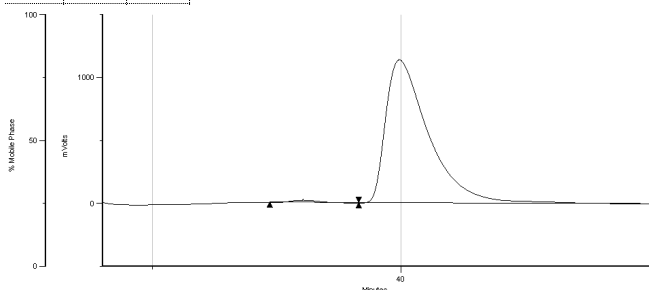
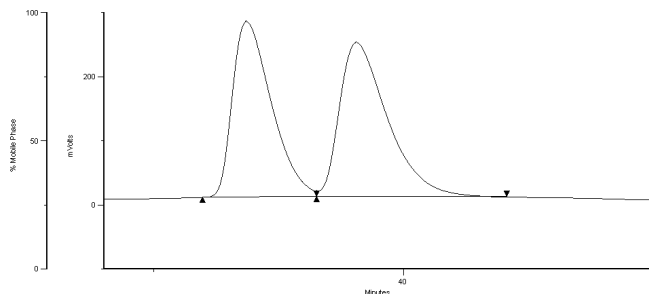
Grubbs II (5 mol%) and the corresponding alkene (1.0 eq) were added into a flame dry microwave tube under N_2 . The tube was then sealed. Dry DCM (0.3 mol/L) and the corresponding ketone (5.0 eq) were added and the solution was heated at 40 °C. After completion, the mixture was cooled to rt and pivaloylchloride (1.5 eq), $(i-Pr)_2NEt$ (1.5 eq) and DCM (final concentration $c=0.03$ mol/L) were added. After 10 min $(-)$ -tetramisole.HCl and $(i-Pr)_2NEt$ (2.5 eq) were added. The reaction was monitored by TLC until completion then quenched with the corresponding nucleophile. The solvent was evaporated and the residue was purified by chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc) to yield the corresponding pyrrolidines.

7) Characterisation of 3, 4 substituted lactone 2 and pyrrolidine derivatives 3, 6-9, 22, 23

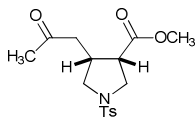
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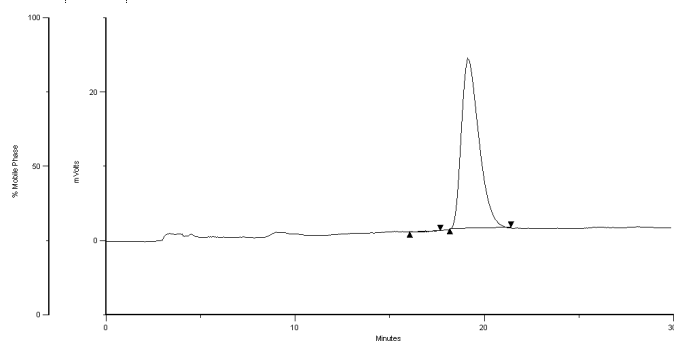
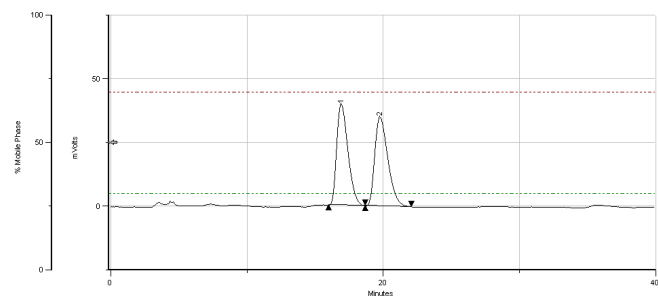
Following general procedure 4 without addition of nucleophile: enone-acid **1** (50.0 mg, 0.15 mmol), pivaloylchloride (28.0 μ L, 0.23 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (39.5 μ L, 0.23 mmol), DCM (5 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (7.2 mg, 0.03 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (65.7 μ L, 0.38 mmol). Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 90 : 10 to 80 : 20) gave **2** as an oil (52 mg, 48%) in 97% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} +7.7$ (c 0.3 in CHCl₃); ν_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 1732 (C=O), 1465 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 400MHz) 1.73 (3H, s, CH₃), 2.37 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.87-2.90 (3H, m, C(7a)H+C(3a)H+C(1)H_AH_B), 3.52-3.64 (3H, m, C(1)H_AH_B+C(3)H₂), 4.63-4.65 (1H, m, C(7)H), 7.27 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.64 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 100MHz) 19.2 (CH₃), 22.0 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 36.3 (C(3a)H), 41.3 (C(7a)H), 49.6 (C(3)H₂), 53.9 (C(1)H₂), 99.3 (C(7)H), 128.0 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.2 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 133.6 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.4 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 150.3 (C(6)-CH₃), 167.7 (CO); *m/z* (APCI⁺) 308 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (NSI⁺) C₁₅H₁₈SNO₄⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 308.0948, requires 308.0951 (- 1.0 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 40 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 0.1 mL/min *t_r* maj = 39.9 min, *t_r* min = 36.1 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



(3*S*,4*R*)-Methyl 4-(2-oxopropyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carboxylate **3**



Following general procedure **4**: enone-acid **1** (50.0 mg, 0.15 mmol), pivaloylchloride (28.0 μ L, 0.23 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (39.5 μ L, 0.23 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (1.8 mg, 0.008 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (65.7 μ L, 0.38 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**3** as a white solid (34 mg, 67%) in 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ - 0 (c 0.3 in DCM); mp 92-94 °C; ν_{max} (KBr)/cm⁻¹ 1726 (C=O ester), 1705 (C=O ketone), 1160 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.98 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.19 (1H, dd, *J* 18.3, 7.9, CH_AH_B), 2.35-2.43 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}CH₃+CH_AH_B), 2.72 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 2.99 (2H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(4)*H*), 3.42-3.46 (3H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(5)*H*₂), 3.49 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 7.27 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H₃₋₅), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H₂₋₆); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 30.5 (COCH₃), 36.2 (C(3)*H*), 42.5 (CH₂CO), 45.8 (C(4)*H*), 49.3 (C(5)*H*₂), 52.3 (CO₂CH₃), 52.5 (C(2)*H*₂), 127.9 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.1 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 134.2 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.0 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 172.1 (CO₂CH₃), 206.3 (COCH₃); *m/z* (NSI⁺) 340 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (NSI⁺) C₁₆H₂₂NO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 340.1217, requires 354.1213 (+ 1.1 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak OD-H 30 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 19.1 min, *t_r* min = 16.2 min; 254 nm, 30 °C).



Syn-3 was also synthesised using (–)-tetramisole.HCl (7.2 mg, 0.03 mmol, 0.2 eq) following the same procedure and was obtained after chromatography column purification as a white solid (36 mg, 70 %) in 99 % ee.

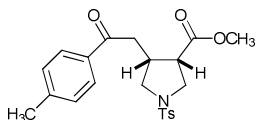
Compound 3 was also synthesized via tandem Wittig/organocatalysis route:

Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **4** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (95.6 mg, 0.24 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μL, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μL, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μL, 0.55 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave **syn-3** as a white solid (40 mg, 52%) in 99% ee.

Compound 3 was also synthesized via tandem metathesis/organocatalysis route:

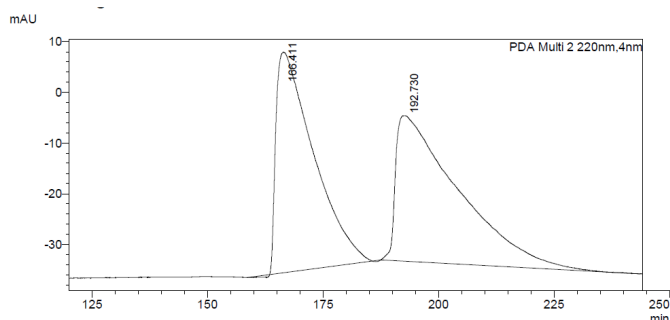
Following general procedure 6: alkene **4** (100 mg, 0.35 mmol), Grubb's II (14.8 mg, 0.02 mmol), dry DCM (1.2 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (146 μL, 1.76 mmol), stirred for 1 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (64.6 μL, 0.53 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (92.3 μL, 0.53 mmol), DCM (5 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (4.2 mg, 0.017 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (1.78 mL, 0.88 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave **syn-3** as a white solid (84 mg, 71%) in 98% ee.

(3*S*,4*R*)-Methyl 4-(2-oxo-2-(*p*-tolyl)ethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carboxylate **6**



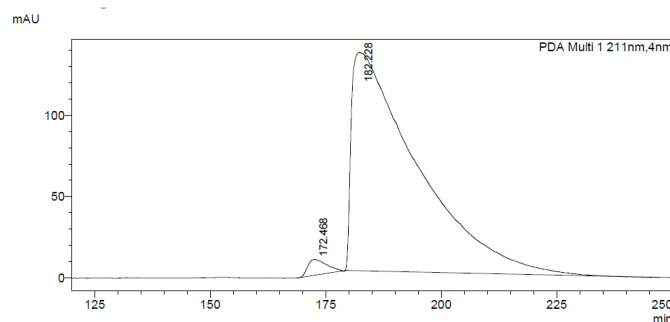
Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **4** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S9** (112 mg, 0.31 mmol), AcOH (0.05 mL) in CHCl₃ (50 mL) heated at 40 °C for 2 h. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μL, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μL, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122.0 μL, 0.70 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 90 : 10 to 80 : 20) gave **syn-6** as a yellow oil (68 mg, 57%) in 96% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ - 11.5 (c 0.3 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1732 (C=O ester), 1680 (C=O ketone), 1172 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 2.40 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.44 (3H, s, Ar_{CH3}CH₃), 2.68 (1H, dd, *J* 17.4, 7.6 CH_AH_B), 2.86-3.10 (2H, m, CH_AH_B+C(3)H), 3.15-3.31 (2H, m, C(2)H_AH_B+C(4)H), 3.56 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.56-3.75 (3H, m, C(2)H_AH_B+C(5)H₂), 7.27-7.34 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}H3-5+Ar_{CH3}H3-5), 7.72-7.76 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}H2-6+Ar_{CH3}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.5 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 21.6 (Ar_{CH3}CH₃), 36.2 (C(3)H), 37.2 (CH₂CO), 45.6 (C(4)H), 48.9 (C(5)H₂), 51.9 (CO₂CH₃), 52.4 (C(2)H₂), 127.5 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 127.9 (CHAr_{CH3}2-6), 129.3 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 129.7 (CHAr_{CH3}3-5), 133.7 (C(1)Ar_{CH3}), 133.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.6 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 144.3 (CAr_{CH3}CH₃), 171.8

(CO₂CH₃), 196.9 (COArCH₃); *m/z* (NSI⁺) 416 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (NSI⁺) C₂₂H₂₆SNO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 416.1528, requires 416.1526 (+ 0.4 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak OD-H 1 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 182.2 min, *t_r* min = 172.5 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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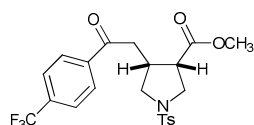
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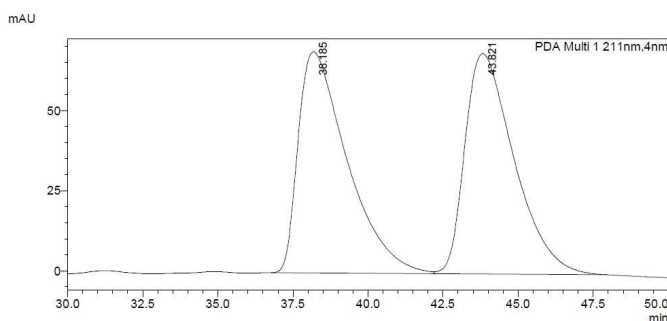
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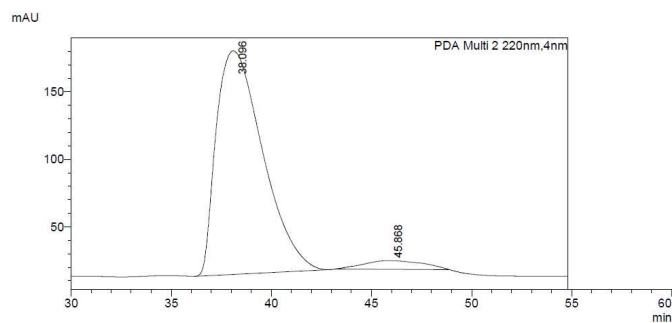
Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene 4 (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S12** (99.3 mg, 0.24 mmol), in CHCl₃ (50 mL) heated at 65 °C for 12 h. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μL, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μL, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μL, 0.55 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 70 : 30) gave *syn*-7 as a yellow oil (51 mg, 49%) in 90% ee; [*α*]_D²⁰ - 5.2 (c 0.3 in DCM); *v*_{max} (film)/cm⁻¹ 1734 (C=O ester), 1683 (C=O ketone), 1321 (C-O); *δ*_H (CDCl₃, 400MHz) 2.30 (3H, s, Ar-TsCH₃), 2.60-2.75

(1H, m, $\text{CH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 2.89-2.99 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}+\text{C}(3)\text{H}$), 3.07-3.23 (2H, m, $\text{C}(2)\text{H}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}+\text{C}(4)\text{H}$), 3.46 (3H, s, CO_2CH_3), 3.53-3.57 (3H, m, $\text{C}(2)\text{H}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}+\text{C}(5)\text{H}_2$), 7.19-7.22 (2H, m, $\text{Ar}_\text{Ts}\text{H}_{3-5}$), 7.63-7.66 (4H, m, $\text{Ar}_\text{Ts}\text{H}_{2-6}+\text{Ar}_\text{CF}_3\text{H}_{3-5}$), 7.84-7.87 (2H, m, $\text{Ar}_\text{CF}_3\text{H}_{2-6}$); δ_C (CDCl_3 , 125MHz) 21.5 ($\text{Ar}_\text{Ts}\text{CH}_3$), 35.9 ($\text{C}(3)\text{H}$), 37.5 (CH_2CO), 45.5 ($\text{C}(4)\text{H}$), 48.9 ($\text{C}(5)\text{H}_2$), 52.0 (CO_2CH_3), 52.4 ($\text{C}(2)\text{H}_2$), 124.5 (q, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ 272.7, $\text{C}(4)\text{Ar}_\text{CF}_3$), 125.7 (m, $\text{CHAr}_\text{CF}_3\text{3-5}$), 127.8 ($\text{CHAr}_\text{Ts}2-6$), 127.9 ($\text{CHAr}_\text{CF}_32-6$), 128.3 (q, $J_{\text{C-F}}$ 272.7, CF_3), 129.8 ($\text{CHAr}_\text{Ts}3-5$), 133.6 ($\text{CAr}_\text{Ts}\text{SO}_2$), 138.9 ($\text{C}(1)\text{Ar}_\text{CF}_3$), 143.7 ($\text{CAr}_\text{Ts}\text{CH}_3$), 171.8 (CO_2CH_3), 196.5 (COAr_CF_3); m/z (ES^+) 492 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{22}\text{F}_3\text{SNO}_5\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$); found 492.1067, requires 492.1068 (- 0.2 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak OD-H 15 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{\text{r maj}} = 38.1$ min, $t_{\text{r min}} = 45.9$ min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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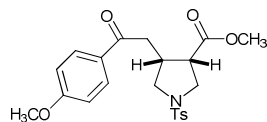
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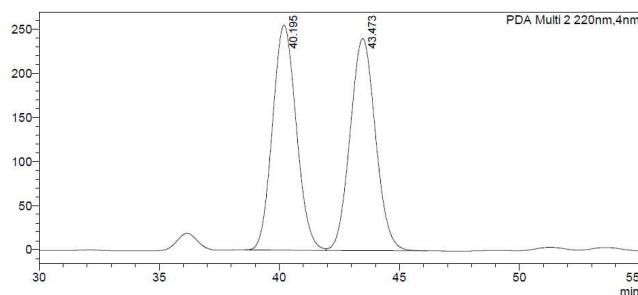
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(3S,4R)-Methyl 4-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-oxoethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carboxylate **8**



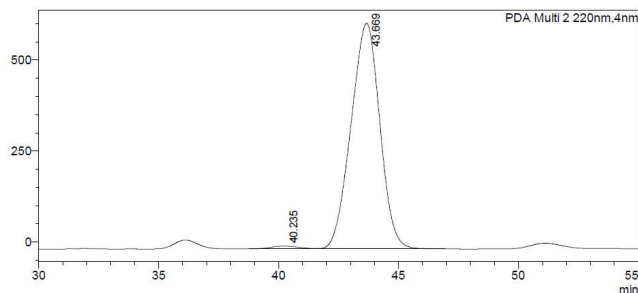
Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **4** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S11** (99.3 mg, 0.24 mmol), in CHCl_3

(80 mL) heated at 65 °C for 3 h. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μ L, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μ L, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μ L, 0.55 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 70 : 30) gave *syn*-**8** as a yellow oil (60 mg, 64%) in 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ - 9.2 (c 0.3 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1732 (C=O ester), 1674 (C=O ketone), 1160 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 2.31 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.57 (1H, dd, *J* 17.7, 8.1, CH_AH_B), 2.83 (1H, dd, *J* 17.7, 6.0, CH_AH_B), 2.88-2.97 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 3.08-3.17 (2H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(4)*H*), 3.45 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.47-3.58 (3H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(5)*H*₂), 3.80 (3H, s, Ar_{OCH₃}OCH₃), 6.84 (2H, d, *J* 8.8, Ar_{OCH₃}H3-5), 7.18-7.22 (2H, d, *J* 8.1, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* 8.1, Ar_{Ts}H2-6), 7.72 (2H, d, *J* 8.8, Ar_{OCH₃}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 100MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 36.7 (C(3)*H*), 37.2 (CH₂CO), 46.1 (C(4)*H*), 49.4 (C(5)*H*₂), 52.3 (CO₂CH₃), 52.9 (C(2)*H*₂), 55.9 (Ar_{OCH₃}OCH₃), 114.2 (CHAr_{OCH₃}3-5), 127.9 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.9 (C(1)Ar_{OCH₃}), 130.1 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 130.6 (CHAr_{OCH₃}2-6), 134.1 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.9 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 164.1 (C(4)Ar_{OCH₃}), 172.3 (CO₂CH₃), 196.3 (COAr_{OCH₃}); *m/z* (NSI⁺) 432 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (NSI⁺) C₂₂H₂₆SN₂O₆⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 432.1475, requires 432.1475 (- 0.1 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 43.7 min, *t_r* min = 40.2 min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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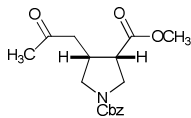
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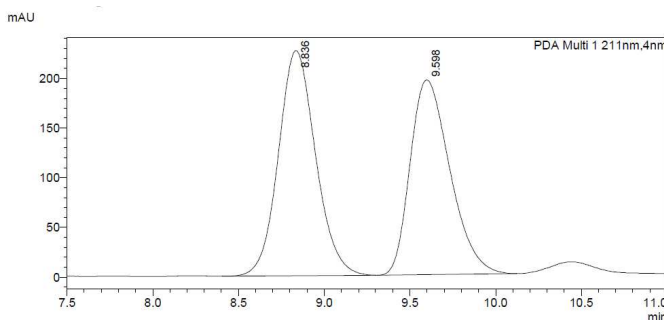
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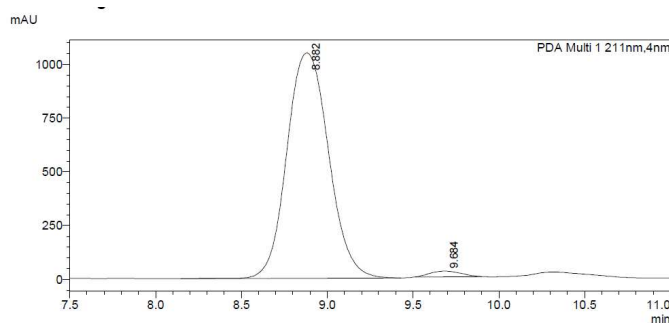


Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene 5 (117.2 mg, 0.44 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (156 mg, 0.49 mmol), in CHCl_3 (100 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (81.2 μL , 0.66 mmol), $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (114 μL , 0.66 mmol), DCM (10 mL), $(-)$ -tetramisole.HCl (10.5 mg, 0.044 mmol), $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (190.8 μL , 1.10 mmol), stirred 1 h at rt. Ring opening MeOH and DMAP 1 h at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 90 : 10 to 70 : 30) gave *syn*-**9** as a clear oil (119 mg, 85%) in 96% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 0 (c 0.3 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 1701 broad (C=O), 1168 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 500MHz) mixture of rotamers 2.16, 2.17 (3H, s, COCH_3), 2.51-2.64 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_A\text{H}_B\text{COCH}_3$), 2.64 (1H, td, J 17.8, 17.2, 7.0, $\text{CH}_A\text{H}_B\text{COCH}_3$), 2.94-3.19 (1H, m, C(4)*H*), 3.20-3.24 (2H, m, C(3)*H*+C(2)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.60-3.62 (1H, m, C(2)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.66-3.76 (5H, m, C(5)*H*₂+ COCH_3), 5.11-5.18 (2H, m, PhCH_2OCO), 7.31-7.44 (5H, m, Ar*H*); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz) 50:50 mixture of rotamers 30.6 (CH_3), 35.7, 36.5 (C(4)*H*), 43.0 (CH_2CO), 45.2, 45.9 (C(3)*H*), 47.8, 48.4 (C(5)*H*₂), 50.3, 50.8 (C(2)*H*₂), 52.3 (OCH_3), 67.3 (Ar CH_2OCO), 128.3 (CHAr), 128.3 (CHAr), 128.4 (CHAr), 128.9 (2XCHAr), 137.1 (C(1)Ar CH_2OCO), 155.0 155.1 (Ar CH_2OCO), 172.9, 173.0 (CO_2CH_3), 206.4, 206.6 (COCH_3); *m/z* (ES^+) 342 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_5\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$); found 342.1326, requires 342.1317 (+ 0.9 ppm); Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak AD-H 30% *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{r \text{ maj}}$ = 8.8 min, $t_{r \text{ min}}$ = 9.7 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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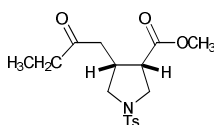
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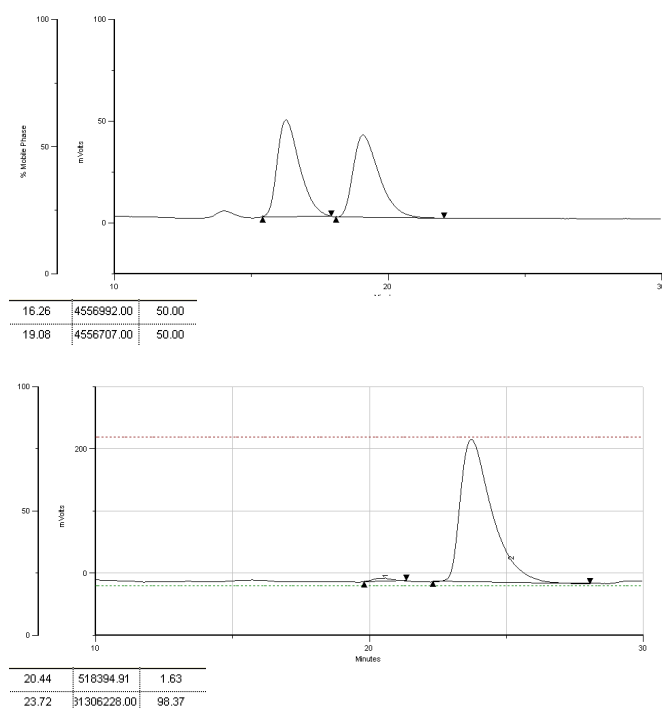
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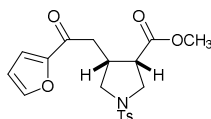
(3S,4R)-Methyl 4-(2-oxobutyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-3-carboxylate 22



Following general procedure 6: alkene **4** (100.0 mg, 0.35 mmol), Grubb's II (14.8 mg, 0.02 mmol), dry DCM (1.2 mL), ethyl vinyl ketone **S15** (148 μ L, 1.76 mmol), stirred 1 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (64.6 μ L, 0.53 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (92.3 μ L, 0.53 mmol), DCM (5 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (4.2 mg, 0.017 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (1.78 mL, 0.88 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20) gave *syn*-**22** as a white solid (99 mg, 80%) in 97% ee; **mp** 56-58 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ – 0.93 (*c* 0.8 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/cm^{–1} 1724 (C=O ester), 1707 (C=O ketone), 1160 (C–O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 0.93 (3H, s, CH₂CH₃), 2.12-2.27 (3H, m, COCH₂CH₃+CH_AH_B), 2.32-2.40 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}CH₃+CH_AH_B), 2.66-2.80 (1H, m, C(3)H), 2.94-3.05 (2H, m, C(2)H_AH_B+C(4)H), 3.42-3.49 (6H, m, C(2)H_AH_B+C(5)H₂+CO₂CH₃) 7.27 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 7.67 (COCH₂CH₃), 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 35.9 (COCH₂CH₃), 36.1(C(3)H), 40.7 (CH₂CO), 45.5 (C(4)H), 48.9 (C(5)H₂), 51.9 (CO₂CH₃), 52.3 (C(2)H₂), 127.6 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.7 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 133.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.6 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.8 (CO₂CH₃), 208.7 (COCH₂CH₃); ***m/z*** (NSI⁺) 354 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₇H₂₄NO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 354.1373, requires 354.1370 (+ 0.9 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 23.7 min, *t_r* min = 20.4 min; 254 nm, 30 °C).

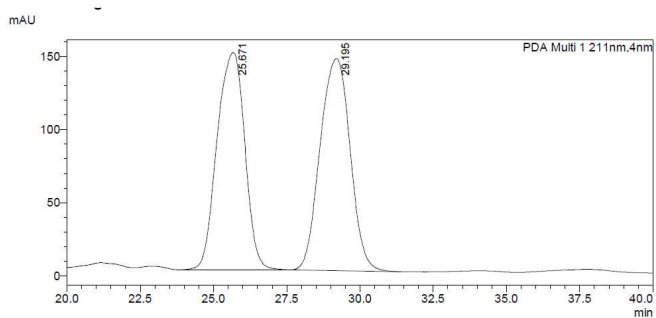


(3S,4R)-1-(benzenesulfonyl)-4-[2-furan-2-yl]-2-oxoethyl pyrrolidine-3-carboxylate **23**



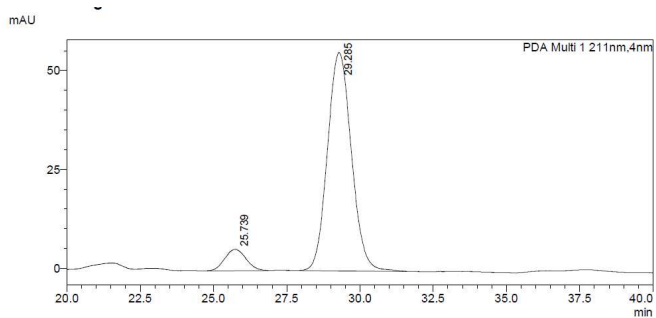
Following general procedure 6: alkene **4** (60 mg, 0.22 mmol), Grubb's II (9.3 mg, 0.11 mmol), dry DCM (1.2 mL), vinyl ketone **S6** (129 μ L, 1.06 mmol), stirred at 40 °C overnight. Grubb's II (9.3 mg, 0.11 mmol), was added again and stirred for 6 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (54.8 μ L, 0.31 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (40.6 μ L, 0.31 mmol), DCM (3 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (2.7 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (67.7 μ L, 0.55 mmol). Quenched with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**23** as a yellow oil (54 mg, 63%) in 84% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ - 2.1 (c 1.2 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1732 (C=O ester), 1672 (C=O ketone), 1154 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 2.43 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.68 (1H, dd, *J* 17.6, 8.3, CH_AH_B), 2.88 (1H, dd, *J* 17.6, 6.2, CH_AH_B), 2.93-3.03 (1H, m, C(4)*H*), 3.12-3.22 (2H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(3)*H*), 3.56-3.62 (6H, m, CO₂CH₃+C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(5)*H*₂), 6.56 (1H, dd, *J* 3.6, 1.7, Ar_{Furan}*H*₄), 7.15 (1H, dd, *J* 3.6, 0.8, Ar_{Furan}*H*₃), 7.31-7.36 (2H, m, Ar_{Ts}*H*₃₋₅), 7.58 (1H, dd, *J* 1.7, 0.8, Ar_{Furan}*H*₅), 7.74 (2H, d, *J* 8.2, Ar_{Ts}*H*₂₋₆). δ_C (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 21.5 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 35.8 (C(4)*H*), 36.9 (CH₂CO), 45.6 (C(3)*H*), 48.9 (C(5)*H*₂), 51.9 (CO₂CH₃), 52.2 (C(2)*H*₂), 112.4 (CHAr_{furan}₄), 117.2 (CHAr_{furan}₃), 127.5 (CHAr_{Ts}₂₋₆), 129.8 (CHAr_{Ts}₃₋₅), 133.7 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.6 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 146.5 (CHAr_{furan}₅), 152.3 (C(2)Ar_{furan}), 171.7 (CO₂CH₃), 186.5 (COAr_{Furan}); *m/z* (NSI⁺) 392 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (NSI⁺) C₁₉H₂₂SN₂O₆⁺

$([M+H]^+)$; found 392.1162, requires 392.1162 (± 0.1 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak AD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{r \text{ maj}} = 29.3$ min, $t_{r \text{ min}} = 25.7$ min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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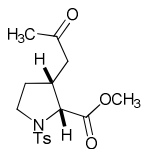


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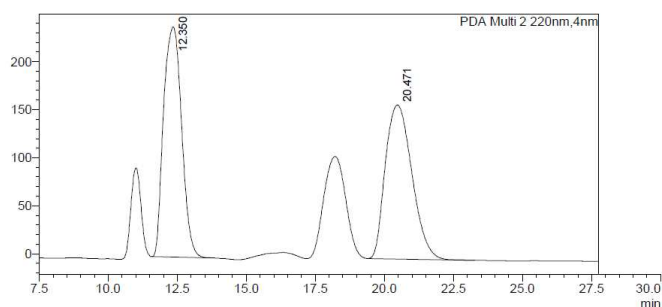
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8) Characterisation of 2,3 substituted pyrrolidine derivatives 11-21

(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-(2-oxopropyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **11**

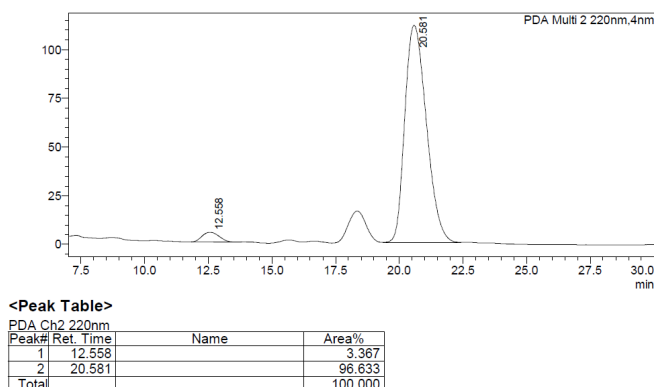


Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (98.6 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μ L, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μ L, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122 μ L, 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (67 mg, 70%) in 93% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 38.4$ (c 0.8 in CHCl₃); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1747 (C=O ester), 1714 (C=O ketone), 1340 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) 1.64-1.74 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.89-1.92 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.04 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.24-2.31 (1H, m, CH_A*H_B*), 2.37 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.40-2.51 (2H, m, C(3)*H*+CH_A*H_B*), 3.13 (1H, ddd, *J* 10.1, 9.2, 6.7, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.53-3.59 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.64 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 4.27 (1H, d, *J* 8.1, C(2)*H*), 7.25 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}*H*3-5), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}*H*2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 30.2 (C(4)*H₂*), 30.5 (COCH₃), 37.9 (C(3)*H*), 43.7 (CH₂CO), 47.7 (C(5)*H₂*), 52.5 (CO₂CH₃), 62.8 (C(2)*H*), 127.7 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.1 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 135.3 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.1 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.6 (CO₂CH₃), 206.0 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 362 ([M+Na]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₆H₂₁NO₅Na⁺ ([M+Na]⁺); found 362.1030, requires 362.1030; Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 20.6 min, *t_r* min = 12.6 min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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Preparative scale wittig/organocatalysis route

Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (1.00 g, 3.50 mmol), dry DCM (250 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (1.20 g, 3.85 mmol), in CHCl_3 (150 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (0.64 mL, 5.25 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (0.91 mL, 5.25 mmol), DCM (30 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (8.4 mg, 0.035 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (1.50 mL, 8.75 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (772 mg, 65%) in 93% ee.

Catalyst loading screen

Catalyst stock solution: (-)-tetramisole (63.0 mg) was dissolved in DCM (10 mL) to prepare a solution (0.053 M) of the free based catalyst.

1 mol % procedure

Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (150 mg, 0.53 mmol), dry DCM (180 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (184 mg, 0.58 mmol), in CHCl_3 (100 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (98 μL , 0.80 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (138 μL , 0.79 mmol), DCM (18 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (2 mL of the stock solution, 0.0053 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (92.3 μL , 0.53 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (90 mg, 50%) in 93% ee.

0.1 mol % procedure

Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (150 mg, 0.53 mmol), dry DCM (180 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S7** (184.5 mg, 0.58 mmol), in CHCl_3 (100 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (98.0 μL , 0.80 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (138 μL , 0.79 mmol), DCM (18 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (0.2 mL of the stock solution, 0.00053 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (92.3 μL , 0.53 mmol) rt for 12 h. Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1

dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (53 mg, 30%) in 92% ee.

Metathesis/organocatalysis route

Following general procedure 6: Alkene **10** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), Grubb's II (8.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (0.72 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (91.8 μ L, 1.10 mmol), stirred 2 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μ L, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μ L, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μ L, 0.55 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (56 mg, 75%) in 97% ee.

Catalyst loading screen

Catalyst stock solution: (–)-tetramisole (63.0 mg) was dissolved in DCM (10 mL) to prepare a solution (0.053 M) of the free based catalyst.

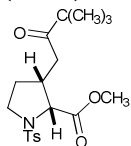
1 mol% procedure

Following general procedure 6: alkene **10** (150 mg, 0.53 mmol), Grubb's II (4.5 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (1.85 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (220 μ L, 2.65 mmol), stirred 4 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (98.0 μ L, 0.80 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (138.5 μ L, 0.79 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2 mL of the stock solution, 0.0053 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (92.3 μ L, 0.53 mmol) 1 h at rt. Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (134 mg, 75%) in 97% ee.

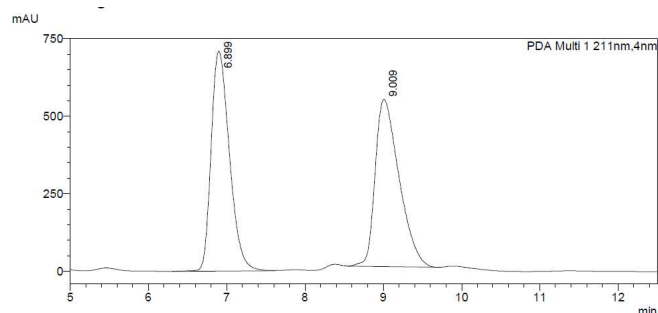
0.1 mol% procedure

Following general procedure 6: alkene **10** (150 mg, 0.53 mmol), Grubb's II (4.5 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (1.85 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (220.1 μ L, 2.65 mmol), stirred 4 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (98.0 μ L, 0.80 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (138 μ L, 0.79 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (0.2 mL of the stock solution, 0.00053 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (92.3 μ L, 0.53 mmol) 1 h at rt. Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**11** as a clear oil (131 mg, 73%) in 98% ee.

(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-(3,3-dimethyl-2-oxobutyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **12**

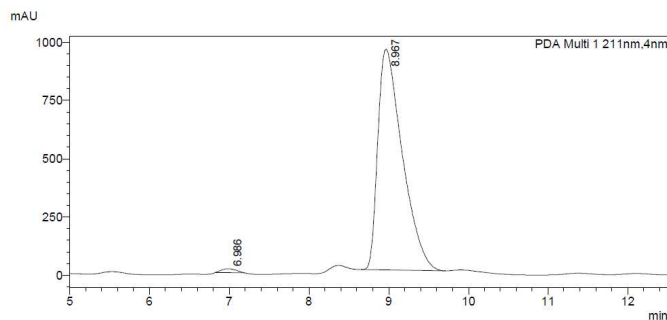


Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S13** (112 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μ L, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μ L, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122 μ L, 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 90 : 10 to 80 : 20) gave *syn*-**12** as an oil (66 mg, 61%) in 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 49.6$ (c 0.7 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹: 1739 (C=O ester), 1705 (C=O ketone), 1344 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.02 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.66-1.75 (1H, m, C(4)H_AH_B), 1.86-1.92 (1H, m, C(4)H_AH_B), 2.36 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.36-2.43 (3H, m, C(3)H+CH₂), 3.10 (1H, td, *J* 9.7, 6.6, C(5)H_AH_B), 3.58 (1H, m, C(5)H_AH_B), 3.62 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 4.32 (1H, d, *J* 8.0, C(2)H), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.78 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 26.5 (C(CH₃)₃), 29.8 (C(4)H₂), 36.6 (CH₂CO), 37.6 (C(3)H), 43.9 (C(CH₃)₃), 47.8 (C(5)H₂), 52.1 (CO₂CH₃), 62.5 (C(2)H), 127.3 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.7 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 134.5 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.6 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.3 (CO₂CH₃), 213.3 (CO); *m/z* (ES⁺) 382 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₉H₂₈NO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 382.1686, requires 382.1683 (+ 0.9 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 8.97 min, *t_r* min = 6.95 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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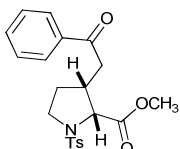
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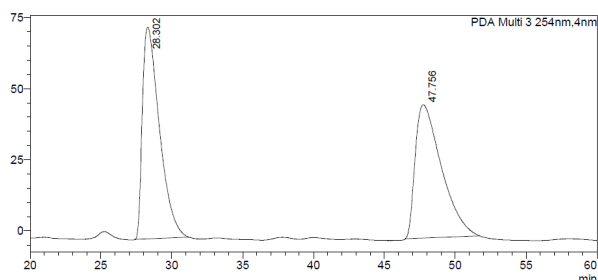
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(2R,3R)-Methyl-3-(2-oxo-2-phenylethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate 13

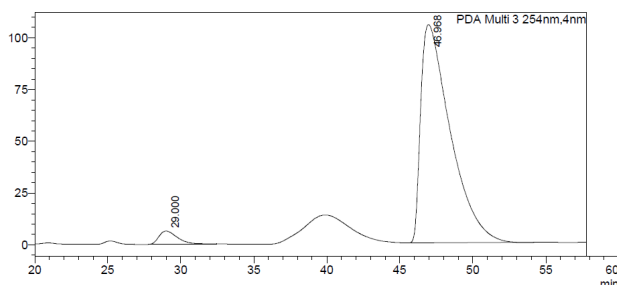


Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S10** (117 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl_3 (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μL , 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2\text{NEt}$ (0.73 mL, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2\text{NEt}$ (122 μL , 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 70 : 30) gave *syn*-**13** as a clear oil (72 mg, 61%) in 93% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 55.5$ (*c* 0.5 in CHCl_3); ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 1743 (C=O ester), 1683 (C=O ketone), 1340 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 300MHz) 1.81 (1H, tdd, *J* 12.0, 10.4, 8.3, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.00-2.06 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.05 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.68-2.74 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 2.79 (1H, dd, ABX system, *J_{AB}* 17.6, *J_{AX}* 6.7, CH_A*H_B*), 2.99 (1H, dd, ABX system, *J_{BA}* 17.6, *J_{BX}* 7.2, CH_A*H_B*), 3.17 (1H, ddd, *J* 10.2, 9.1, 6.6, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.49 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.61 (1H, td, *J* 8.6, 1.2, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 4.41 (1H, d, *J* 8.3, C(2)*H*), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* 7.9, Ar_{Ts}H2-6), 7.38 (2H, t, *J* 7.6, ArH3-5), 7.50 (1H, m, ArH4), 7.66-7.70 (2H, d, *J* 8.6, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.81 (2H, d, *J* 8.6, ArH2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 30.0 (C(4)*H₂*), 37.9 (C(3)*H*), 38.6 (CH₂CO), 47.4 (C(5)*H₂*), 52.0 (CO₂CH₃), 62.6 (C(2)*H*), 127.4 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 127.9 (CHAr2-6), 128.8 (CHAr3-5), 129.8 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 129.8 (CHAr4), 133.5 (C(1)Ar), 136.5 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.7 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.3 (CO₂CH₃), 197.2 (COAr); *m/z* (ES⁺) 402 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₁H₂₄SNO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 402.1372, requires 402.1370 (+ 0.6 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 10 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* _{maj} = 46.9 min, *t_r* _{min} = 29.0 min; 254 nm, 30 °C).



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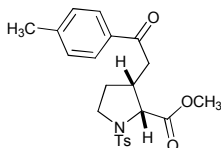
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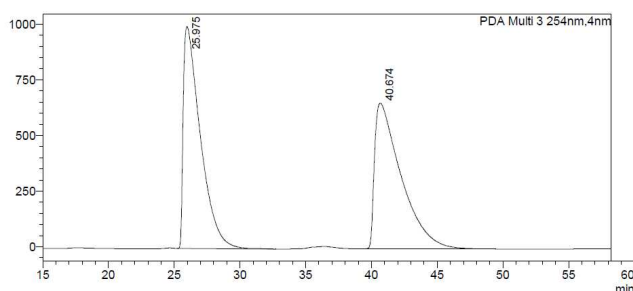
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(2R,3R)-Methyl-3-(2-oxo-2-(9-tolyl)ethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **14**



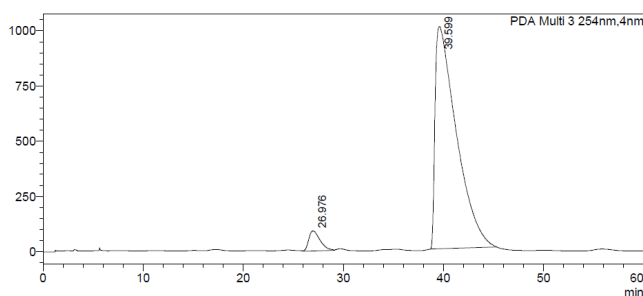
Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (150 mg, 0.53 mmol), dry DCM (180 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S9** (230 mg, 0.58 mmol), in CHCl₃ (100 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (98.0 μ L, 0.80 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (0.23 mL, 1.32 mmol), DCM (18 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (6.4 mg, 0.027 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (0.23 mL, 1.32 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}. Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**14** as a clear oil (135 mg, 64%) in 91% ee; [α]_D²⁰ + 56.7 (c 0.5 in CHCl₃); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1737 (C=O ester), 1681 (C=O ketone), 1342 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.80 (1H, tdd, *J* 12.1, 10.3, 8.1, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.97-2.05 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.33 (3H, s, Ar_{CH₃}CH₃), 2.36 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.64-2.80 (2H, m, C(3)*H*+CH_A*H_B*), 3.02 (1H, dd, *J* 17.7, 6.9, CH_A*H_B*), 3.15 (1H, ddd, *J* 10.2, 9.1, 6.6, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.49 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.61 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 4.40 (1H, d, *J* 8.3, C(2)*H*), 7.17 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{CH₃}H₃-5), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* 7.8, Ar_{Ts}H₃-5), 7.72-7.79 (4H, m, Ar_{CH₃}H₂-6+Ar_{Ts}H₂-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9

(Ar_{CH3}CH₃), 22.1 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 30.4 (C(4)H₂), 38.4 (C(3)H), 38.8 (CH₂CO), 47.8 (C(5)H₂), 52.4 (CO₂CH₃), 63.0 (C(2)H), 127.7 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 128.3 (CHAr_{CH3}2-6), 129.8 (CHAr_{CH3}3-5), 130.1 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 134.4 (C(1)Ar_{CH3}) 135.3 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.1 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 144.8 (C(4)Ar_{CH3}CH₃), 171.4 (CO₂CH₃), 197.3 (COAr); *m/z* (ES⁺) 416 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₂H₂₆SNO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 416.1527, requires 416.1526 (+ 0.2 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 10 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 39.6 min, *t_r* min = 26.9 min; 254 nm, 30 °C).



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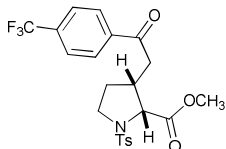
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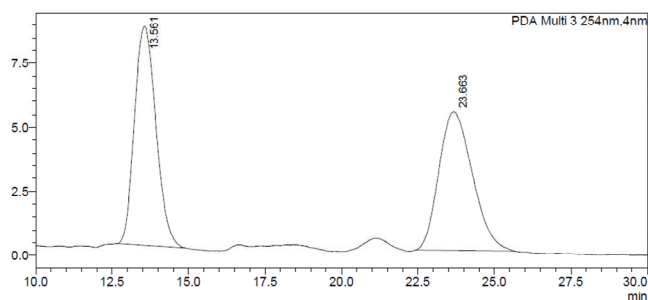
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(2*R*,3*R*)-Methyl 3-(2-oxo-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **15**



Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S12** (138 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μL, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μL, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (-)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122.0 μL, 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*;

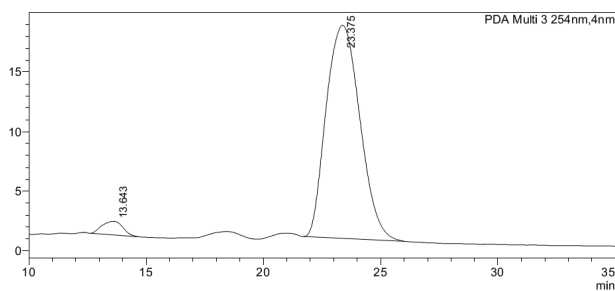
Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**15** as a white solid (100 mg, 76%) in 93% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 50.9$ (*c* 0.5 in CHCl₃); **mp** 136 °C; $\nu_{\max}$ (KBr)/cm⁻¹ 1749 (C=O ester), 1693 (C=O ketone), 1321 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.85-1.92 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.09-2.14 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.44 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.75-2.84 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 2.91 (1H, dd, ABX system, *J_{AB}* 18.1, *J_{AX}* 6.4, CH_A*H_B*), 3.09 (1H, dd, ABX system, *J_{BA}* 18.1, *J_{BX}* 7.7, CH_A*H_B*), 3.27 (1H, td, *J* 9.6, 6.7, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.58 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.67-3.71 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 4.52 (1H, d, *J* 8.5, C(2)*H*), 7.36 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}*H*3-5), 7.73-7.77 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}*H*2-6+Ar_{CF₃}*H*3-5), 7.99 (2H, d, *J* 8.1, Ar_{CF₃}*H*2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 29.9 (C(4)*H₂*), 37.7 (C(3)*H*), 38.9 (CH₂CO), 47.2 (C(5)*H₂*), 52.1 (CO₂CH₃), 62.4 (C(2)*H*), 123.0 (q, *J* 272.7, CF₃), 124.6 (q, *J* 33.0 C(4)Ar_{CF₃}CF₃), 125.7 (CHAr_{CF₃}3), 125.8 (CHAr_{CF₃}5), 127.4 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 128.2 (CHAr_{CF₃}2-6), 129.8 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 134.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 139.0 (C(1)Ar_{CF₃}), 143.7 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.2 (CO₂CH₃), 196.3 (COAr); ***m/z*** (ES⁺) 470 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₂H₂₃F₃NO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 470.1240, requires 470.1244 (- 0.8 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 15 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 23.4 min, *t_r* min = 13.6 min, 254 nm, 30 °C).



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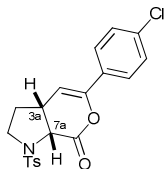
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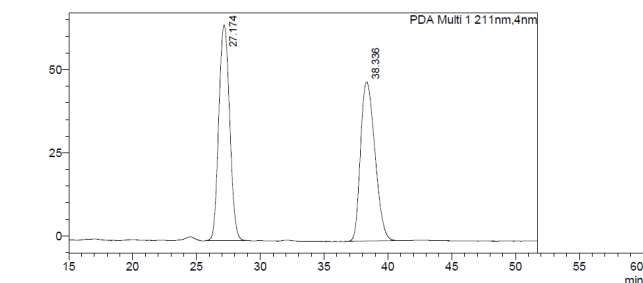
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(3aR,7aR)-5-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-tosyl-1,3,3a,7a-tetrahydropyrano[3,4-b]pyrrol-7(2H)-one **S17**

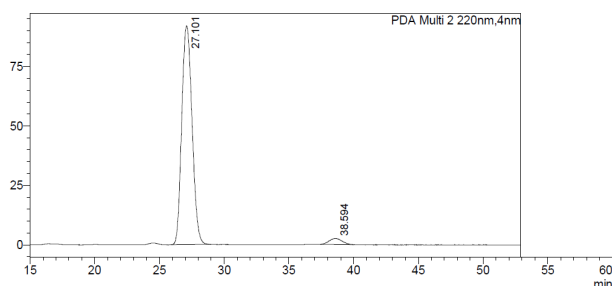


Following general procedure 5 without addition of nucleophile: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S8** (128 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl_3 (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μL , 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2\text{NEt}$ (73.1 μL , 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2\text{NEt}$ (122 μL , 0.70 mmol). Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 70 : 30) gave syn-**S17** as a white solid (50 mg, 45%) in 93% ee; mp 180 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 70.0$ (c 0.1 in CHCl_3); ν_{max} (KBr)/ cm^{-1} 1770 (C=O) 1342 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 500MHz) 1.73-1.82 (1H, m, C(3) $H_{\text{A}}H_{\text{B}}$), 2.27 (1H, dtd, *J* 12.8, 6.5, 3.1, C(3) $H_{\text{A}}H_{\text{B}}$), 2.47 (3H, s, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{CH}_3$), 3.02 (1H, dtd, *J* 10.6, 8.2, 5.6, C(3a)*H*), 3.41-3.50 (2H, m, C(2) H_2), 4.66 (1H, d, *J* 8.2, C(7a)*H*), 5.67 (1H, d, *J* 5.6, C(4)*H*), 7.36 (4H, app d, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{H}_{3-5} + \text{Ar}_{\text{Cl}}\text{H}_{3-5}$), 7.53 (2H, d, *J* 8.6, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Cl}}\text{H}_{2-6}$), 7.91 (2H, d, *J* 8.2, $\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{H}_{2-6}$); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 125MHz) 21.6 ($\text{Ar}_{\text{Ts}}\text{CH}_3$), 31.9 (C(3) H_2), 37.9 (C(3a)*H*), 46.6 (C(2) H_2), 58.3 (C(7a)*H*), 99.3 (C(4)*H*), 126.1 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Cl}}2-6$), 127.9 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Ts}}2-6$), 128.8 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Cl}}3-5$), 129.7 ($\text{CHAr}_{\text{Ts}}3-5$), 130.1 (C(1) Ar_{Cl}), 135.4 ($\text{CAr}_{\text{Ts}}\text{SO}_2 + \text{C(4)Ar}_{\text{Cl}}\text{Cl}$), 143.9 ($\text{CAr}_{\text{Ts}}\text{CH}_3$), 149.2 (C(5)- Ar_{Cl}), 165.9 (CO); *m/z* (ES^+) 404 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%), HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{19}\text{SNO}_4\text{Cl}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); found 404.0716, requires 404.0718 (- 0.5 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak AD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{\text{r maj}}$ = 27.1 min, $t_{\text{r min}}$ = 38.6 min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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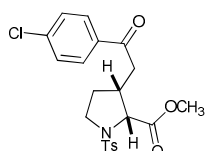
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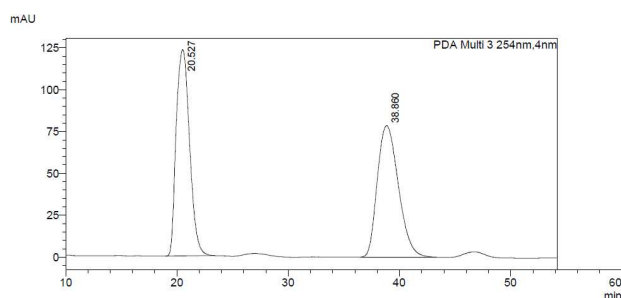
(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-oxoethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **16**



Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S8** (129 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μ L, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μ L, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122 μ L, 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 60 : 40) gave syn-**16** as a clear oil (95 mg, 78%) in 94% ee; [α]_D²⁰ + 31.7 (*c* 0.5 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/cm^{–1} 1749 (C=O ester), 1685 (C=O ketone); 1340 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.89 (1H, tdd, *J* 12.1, 10.2, 8.3, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.07-2.15 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.46 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.73-2.82 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 2.86 (1H, dd, ABX system, *J_{AB}* 17.8, *J_{AX}* 6.6, CH_A*H_B*), 3.04 (1H, dd ABX system, *J_{BA}* 17.8, *J_{BX}* 7.4, CH_A*H_B*), 3.23-3.31 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.60 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.67-3.73 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 4.50 (1H, d, *J* 8.3, C(2)*H*), 7.36 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}*H*3-5), 7.46 (2H, d, *J* 8.6, Ar_{Cl}*H*3-5), 7.78 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}*H*2-6), 7.84 (2H, d, *J* 8.6, Ar_{Cl}*H*2-6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 29.9 (C(4)*H₂*), 37.9 (C(3)*H*), 38.6 (CH₂CO), 47.3 (C(5)*H₂*), 52.1 (CO₂CH₃), 62.5 (C(2)*H*), 127.4 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 128.9 (CHAr_{Cl}3-5), 129.1 (CHAr_{Cl}2-6), 129.2 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 129.7 (C(4)Ar_{Cl}Cl), 129.8 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 134.7 (C(1)Ar_{Cl}), 139.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 171.2 (CO₂CH₃), 195.9 (COAr); *m/z* (ES⁺) 436 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₁H₂₃NO₅Cl⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 436.0981, requires 436.0980 (+ 0.2 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 10 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 36.1 min, *t_r* min = 20.0; 211 nm, 30 °C).

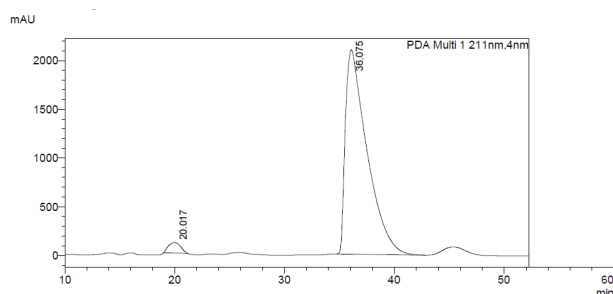
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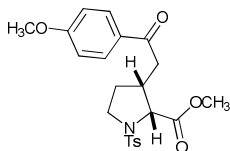
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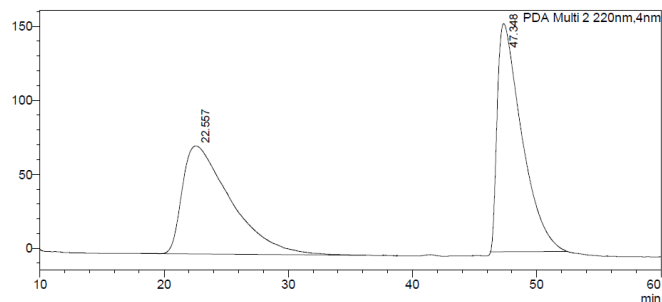
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(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-oxoethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **17**



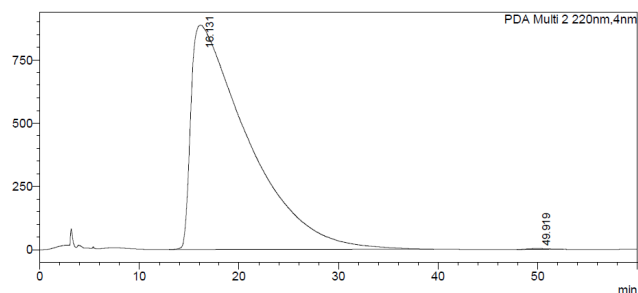
Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **10** (80.0 mg, 0.28 mmol), dry DCM (100 mL). Wittig reaction with phosphorane **S11** (127 mg, 0.31 mmol), in CHCl₃ (80 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (51.7 μ L, 0.42 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (73.1 μ L, 0.42 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (3.3 mg, 0.014 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (122.0 μ L, 0.70 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr*_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 70 : 30) gave *syn*-**17** as a yellow oil (96 mg, 80%) in 99% ee; [α]_D²⁰ + 67.0 (c 0.4 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/cm^{–1} 1743 (C=O ester), 1676 (C=O ketone) 1342 (C–O), 1115 (C–O–C); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.75–1.87 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.97–2.05 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.37 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.69–2.75 (2H, m, C(3)*H*+CH_A*H_B*), 2.89–2.98 (1H, m, CH_A*H_B*), 3.16 (1H, ddd, *J* 10.2, 9.2, 6.6, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.51 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.58–3.64 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.80 (3H, s, OCH₃), 4.39 (1H, d, *J* 8.1, C(2)*H*), 6.85 (2H, d, *J* 9.0, Ar_{OCH₃}H3–5), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H3–5), 7.68 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2–6), 7.79 (2H, d, *J* 9.0, Ar_{OCH₃}H2–6); δ_{C} (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 21.9 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 30.4 (C(4)H₂), 38.5 (C(3)H), 38.6 (CH₂CO), 47.8 (C(5)H₂), 52.4 (OCH₃), 55.9

(OCH₃), 63.0 (C(2)H), 114.3 (CHAr_{OCH₃}-3-5), 127.8 (CHAr_{Ts}-2-6), 130.0 (C(1)Ar_{OCH₃}), 130.2 (CHAr_{Ts}-3-5), 130.5 (CHAr_{OCH₃}-2-6), 135.3 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.1 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 164.1 (C(4)Ar_{OCH₃}OCH₃), 171.7 (CO₂CH₃), 196.1 (COAr); *m/z* (ES⁺) 432 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₂H₂₆SNO₆⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 432.1476, requires 432.1475 (+ 0.2 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 16.1 min, *t_r* min = 49.9 min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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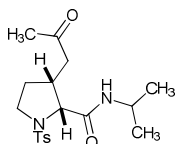
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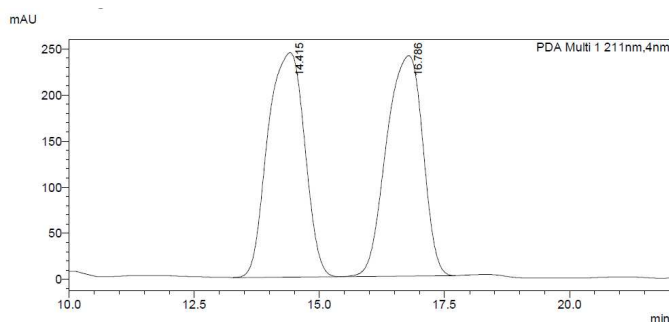
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(2*R*,3*R*)-*N*-Isopropyl-3-(2-oxopropyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxamide **18**



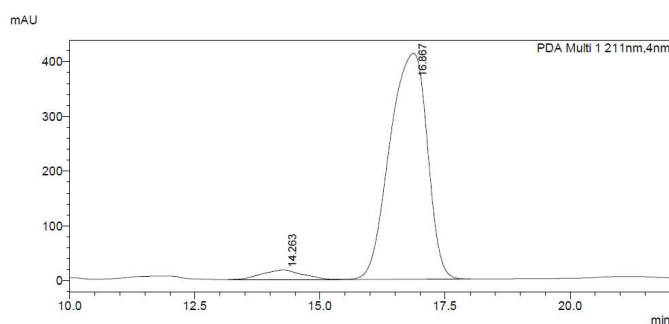
Following general procedure 5: alkene **10** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), Grubb's II (8.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (0.72 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (88.3 μ L, 1.06 mmol), stirred 1 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μ L, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μ L, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μ L, 0.55 mmol). The mixture was evaporated *in vacuo* and the residue was dissolved in DMF (3 mL) and isopropylamine (37.5 μ L, 0.44 mmol) was added. The reaction was stirred at 50 °C for 2 h and then quenched with

0.1M HCl and extracted with EtOAc (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with H₂O (x4), brine (x2), dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (DCM : MeOH, 99.9 : 0.1 to 99.5 : 0.5) gave *syn*-**18** as an oil (55 mg, 68%) in 92% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 94.6$ (c 0.5 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 3365 (N-H), 1714 (C=O), 1653 (N-C=O amide), 1259 (C-N); δ_H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) 1.12 (6H, app t, *J* 6.4, CH(CH₃)₂), 1.38-1.53 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.80-1.88 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.05 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.11-2.27 (2H, m, C(3)*H+CH_AH_B*), 2.38 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.74 (1H, m, CH_A*H_B*), 2.98 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.2, 9.5, 6.2, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.56 (1H, ddd, *J* 9.5, 7.5, 1.2, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.94-4.04 (2H, m, C(2)*H+CH(CH₃)₂*), 6.38 (1H, d, *J* 8.2, NH), 7.29 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}*H*3-5), 7.67 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}*H*2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 75MHz) 22.0 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 22.8 (CH_{isopropyl}(CH₃)), 23.4 (CH_{isopropyl}(CH₃)), 30.2 (C(4)H₂), 30.6 (COCH₃), 37.6 (C(3)H), 41.9 (CH(CH₃)₂), 43.6 (CH₂CO), 48.6 (C(5)H₂), 63.5 (C(2)H), 128.3 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.4 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 132.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.8 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 168.9 (CONH), 207.4 (COCH₃); *m/z* (NSI⁺) 367 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₈H₂₇SN₂O₄⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 367.1692, requires 367.1686 (+1.6 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 15 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 16.9 min, *t_r* min = 14.3 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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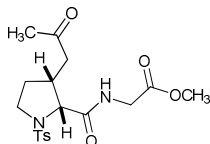
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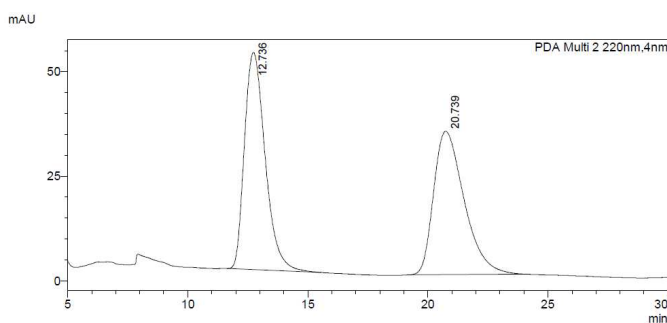
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Methyl 2-[(2R,3R)-3-(2-oxopropyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxamido]acetate **19**

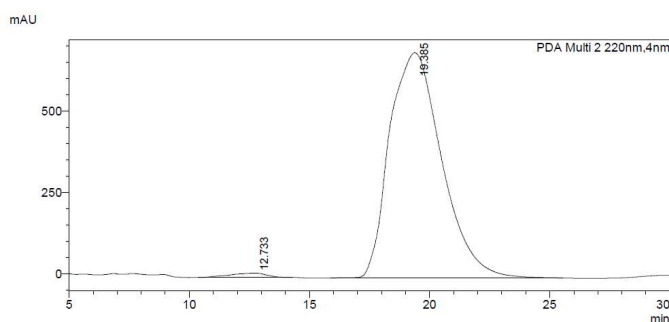


Following general procedure **6**: alkene **10** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), Grubb's II (8.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (0.72 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (88.3 μ L, 1.06 mmol), stirred 2 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μ L, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μ L, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μ L, 0.55 mmol), quenched with glycinemethyl ester. HCl¹⁵ (75.4 mg 0.88 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (1.47 mL, 0.88 mmol), in DMF (3 mL), stirred 3 h at 65 °C. After completion the reaction mixture was quenched with brine and extracted with EtOAc (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with H₂O (x4), brine (x2), dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (DCM : MeOH, 99.9 : 0.1) gave *syn*-**19** as a clear oil (63 mg, 72%) in 97% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 41.5$ (c 0.4 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹: 3286 (N-H), 1747 (C=O ester), 1712 (C=O ketone), 1658 (N-C=O amide), 1338 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.72 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.93-2.02 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.13 (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.29 (1H, dddd, *J* 16.0, 12.9, 8.1, 6.4, C(3)*H*), 2.40 (1H, dd, *J* 18.4, 6.8, CH_A*H_B*), 2.47 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.84 (1H, dd, *J* 18.4, 7.5, CH_A*H_B*), 3.06 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.3, 9.4, 6.2, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.69 (1H, m, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.79 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.89 (1H, dd, *J* 18.0, 4.9, NHCH_A*H_B*CO₂CH₃), 4.20 (1H, d, *J* 8.9, C(2)*H*), 4.29 (1H, dd, *J* 18.0, 6.9, NHCH_A*H_B*CO₂CH₃), 7.08 (1H, t, *J* 6.0, NH), 7.37 (2H, dd, *J* 8.6, 0.8, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.76 (2H, d, *J* 8.3, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 100MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 29.6 (C(4)*H₂*), 30.2 (COCH₃), 37.5 (C(3)*H*), 40.9 (NHCH₂CO₂CH₃), 42.9 (CH₂CO), 48.2 (C(5)*H₂*), 52.4 (CO₂CH₃), 63.1 (C(2)*H*), 127.3 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 130.4 (CHAr3-5), 132.4 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 144.5 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 168.3 (CONH), 170.1 (CO₂CH₃), 207.2 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 397 ([M+H]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₈H₂₅SN₂O₆⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 397.1431, requires 397.1428 (+0.8 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* *maj* = 19.4 min, *t_r* *min* = 12.7 min; 220 nm, 30 °C).



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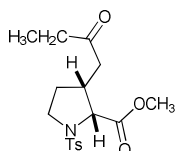
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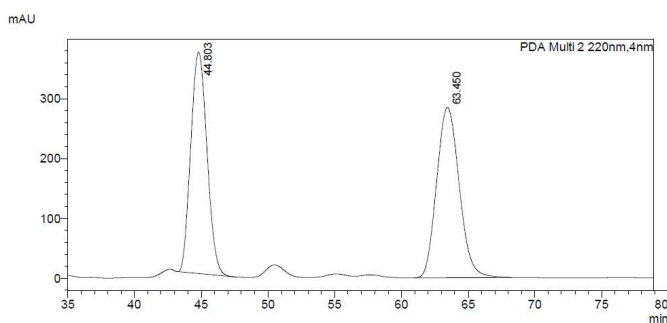
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(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-(2-oxobutyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **20**

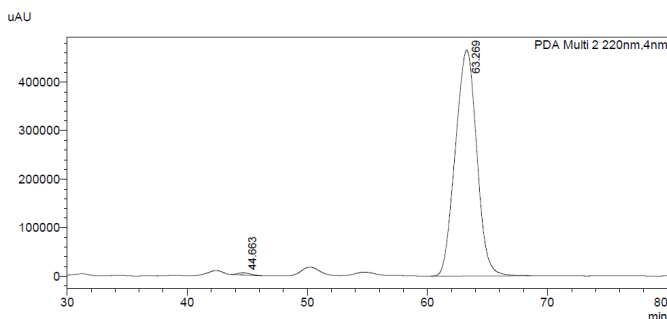


Following general procedure 6: alkene **10** (60.0 mg, 0.22 mmol), Grubb's II (8.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (0.72 mL), ethyl vinyl ketone **S15** (109 μ L, 1.06 mmol), stirred for 2 h at 40 $^{\circ}$ C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (39.1 μ L, 0.33 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (55.7 μ L, 0.33 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.011 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (95.8 μ L, 0.55 mmol). Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr_{syn/anti}*; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80 : 20 to 60 : 40) gave *syn*-**20** as a brown oil (62 mg, 80%) in 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 52.9$ (c 0.6 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 1739 (C=O ester), 1714 (C=O ketone), 1342 (C-O); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 0.95 (3H, t, *J* 7.3, CH₂CH₃), 1.66-1.70 (1H, m, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 1.93 (1H, dt, *J* 12.5, 6.3, C(4)*H_AH_B*), 2.26-2.29 (3H, m, CH₂CH₃+CH_AH_B), 2.30-2.36 (4H, m, Ar_{Ts}CH₃+CH_AH_B), 2.36-2.45 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 3.12 (1H, td, *J* 9.6, 6.7, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.56 (1H, t, *J* 8.7, C(5)*H_AH_B*), 3.63 (3H, s, COCH₃), 4.23 (1H, d, *J* 8.5, C(2)*H*), 7.25 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H3-5), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_C (CDCl₃, 100MHz) 7.7 (CH₂CH₃), 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 29.8 (C(4)H₂), 36.2 (CH₂CO), 37.6 (C(3)*H*), 42.1 (CH₂CH₃), 47.4 (C(5)H₂), 52.2 (CO₂CH₃), 62.5 (C(2)*H*), 127.4 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.8 (CHAr₃-5), 134.9 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.7 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 171.3 (CO₂CH₂CH₃), 208.5 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁻) 354 ([M-H]⁻, 100%); HRMS (ES) C₁₇H₂₄NO₅⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 354.1374, requires 354.1370 (+ 1.2 ppm); Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak AD-H 5 % *i*-PrOH, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 63.3 min, *t_r* min = 44.6 min; 220 nm, 30 $^{\circ}$ C).



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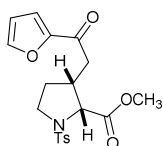
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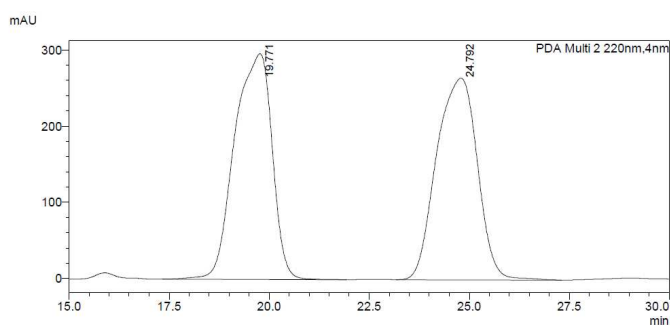
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(2R,3R)-Methyl 3-[2-(furan-2-yl)-2-oxoethyl]-1-[(4-methylbenzene)sulfonyl]pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate **21**



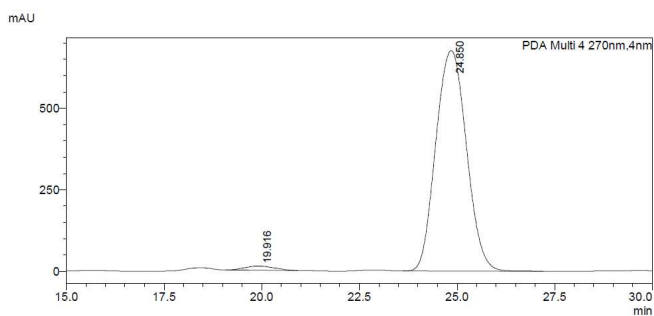
Following general procedure **6**: alkene **10** (60.0 mg, 0.21 mmol), Grubb's II (8.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), dry DCM (0.72 mL), vinyl ketone **S6** (129.3 mg, 1.06 mmol), stirred 12 h at 40 °C. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (38.9 µL, 0.31 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (54.8 µL, 0.31 mmol), DCM (6 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.6 mg, 0.01 mmol), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (91.5 µL, 0.53 mmol) 1 h at rt. Ring opening with MeOH and DMAP, stirred overnight at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 *dr*_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (DCM : MeOH, 99.9 : 0.1) gave *syn*-**21** as a yellow oil (62 mg, 75%) in 96% ee; [α]_D²⁰ + 41.1 (c 2.6 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/cm^{–1} 1734 (C=O ester), 1674 (C=O ketone), 1340 (C–O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 1.76–1.84 (1H, m, C(4)*H*_A*H*_B), 1.96–2.01 (1H, m, C(4)*H*_A*H*_B), 2.37 (3H, s, Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 2.64–2.67 (2H, m, C(3)*H*+CH_A*H*_B), 2.84–2.89 (1H, m, CH_A*H*_B), 3.15 (1H, td, *J* 9.5, 6.6, C(5)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.55 (3H, s, CO₂CH₃), 3.58–3.64 (1H, m, C(5)*H*_A*H*_B), 4.35 (1H, d, *J* 7.9, C(2)*H*), 6.47 (1H, dd, *J* 3.6, 1.7, Ar_{Furan}*H*₄), 7.10 (1H, dd, *J* 3.6, 0.9, Ar_{Furan}*H*₃), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}*H*₃₋₅), 7.50

(1H, dd, *J* 1.8, 0.9, Ar_{Furan}H5), 7.67 (2H, d, *J* 8.0, Ar_{Ts}H2-6); δ_c (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 21.6 (Ar_{Ts}CH₃), 29.9 (C(4)H₂), 37.5 (C(3)H), 38.2 (CH₂CO), 47.4 (C(5)H₂), 52.1 (CO₂CH₃), 62.5 (C(2)H), 112.5 (CHAr_{furan}4), 117.1 (CHAr_{furan}3), 127.4 (CHAr_{Ts}2-6), 129.8 (CHAr_{Ts}3-5), 134.8 (CAr_{Ts}SO₂), 143.7 (CAr_{Ts}CH₃), 146.5 (CHAr_{furan}5), 152.3 (C(2)Ar_{furan}), 171.2 (CO₂CH₃), 186.4 (CO); *m/z* (ES⁺) 413 ([M+Na]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₁₉H₂₁SNO₆Na⁺ ([M+Na]⁺); found 414.0985, requires 414.0987 (-0.2 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC new (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 24.9 min, *t_r* min = 19.9 min; 270 nm, 30 °C).



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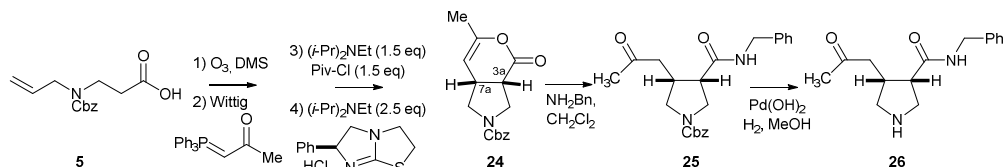


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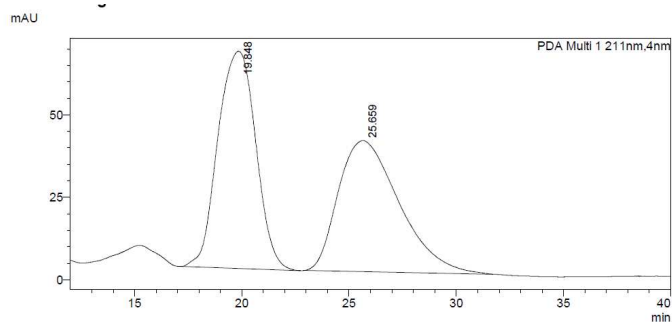
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i. Tandem Wittig

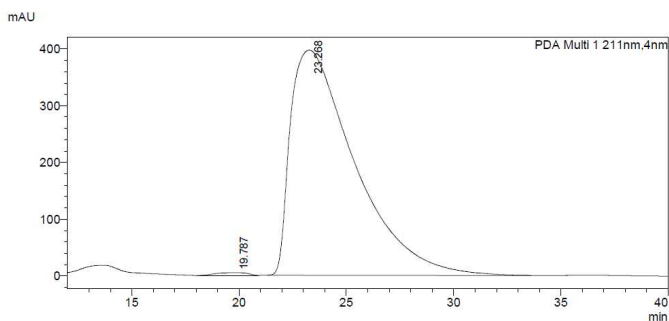


Following general procedure 5: ozonolysis of alkene **5** (150 mg, 0.57 mmol), dry DCM (200 mL). Wittig reaction with **S7** (199 mg, 0.63 mmol), in CHCl_3 (100 mL). Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (106 μL , 0.86 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (148.3 μL , 0.86 mmol), DCM (10 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (13.7 mg, 0.06 mmol), (*i*-Pr) $_2$ NEt (247 μL , 1.43 mmol), stirred for 1 h at rt. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30) gave (3a*S*,7a*R*)-*syn* **24** as a yellow oil (114 mg, 71%); $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 43.9$ (c 1.2 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} 1773 (C=O lactone), 1695 (C=O), 1425 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 300MHz) mixture of rotamers 1.83 (3H, s, CH_3), 2.70-3.14 (2H, m, C(3a)*H*+C(7a)*H*), 3.17-3.21 (1H, m, C(1)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.63-3.67 (2H, m, C(1)*H*_A*H*_B+C(3)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.68-3.83 (1H, m, C(3)*H*_A*H*_B), 4.75- 4.92 (1H, m, C(7)*H*), 5.06 (2H, m, PhCH_2OCO), 7.23-7.39 (5H, m, Ar*H*); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 75MHz), 18.8 (Ar_{Ts} CH_3), 35.2, 36.0 (C(3a)*H*), 40.6, 41.4 (C(7a)*H*), 47.2, 47.7 (C(3)*H*₂), 51.5, 51.9 (C(1)*H*₂), 67.1 (PhCH_2OCO), 100.1 (C(7)*H*), 127.9 (CHAr), 128.1 (CHAr), 128.5 (2XCHAr), 136.5 (C(1)Ar), 150.1 (C(6) CH_3), 154.4 (PhCH_2OCO), 167.9 (CO) *m/z* (ES^+) 288 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_4^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); found 288.1229, requires 288.1226 (– 0.5 ppm). Ring opening of *syn*-**24** with benzylamine (47.7 μL , 0.44 mmol) in DCM (7 mL) 1 h at rt. The reaction was quenched with 0.1M aq. HCl, extracted with DCM (x3), washed with brine, dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give (3*S*,4*R*)-*syn* **25** as a clear oil (124 mg, 79%) in 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} - 0.12$ (c 6.3 in DCM); ν_{max} (film)/ cm^{-1} : 3307 (N-H), 1699 (N-C=O), 1666 (C=O ester), 1651 (C=O ketone); δ_{H} (CDCl_3 , 500MHz) 1.97 (3H, s, COCH_3), 2.53-2.57 (2H, m, CH_2COCH_3), 2.58-2.77 (1H, m, C(3)*H*), 3.11 (1H, dtd, *J* 13.7, 7.1, 3.4, C(4)*H*), 3.28 (1H, td, *J* 10.1, 9.6, 2.9, C(2)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.58-3.66 (2H, m, C(2)*H*_A*H*_B+C(5)*H*_A*H*_B), 3.76-3.80 (1H, m, C(5)*H*_A*H*_B), 4.30 (1H, dt, *J* 14.4, 5.2, $\text{NHCH}_2\text{H}_B\text{Ph}$), 4.48 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4, 6.3, $\text{NHCH}_2\text{H}_B\text{Ph}$), 5.05-5.22 (2H, m, PhCH_2OCO), 5.96 (1H, t, *J* 5.9, NH), 7.24-7.42 (10H, m, Ar*H*); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 125MHz) 50:50 mixture of rotamers 30.1 (CH_3), 35.9, 36.8 (C(3)*H*), 42.3, 42.4 (CH_2CO), 43.4, 43.5 (NHCH_2Ph), 45.6, 46.5 (C(4)*H*), 48.1, 48.8 (C(5)*H*₂), 50.0, 50.6 (C(2)*H*₂), 66.8, 66.9 (Ar CH_2OCO), 127.7, 127.8 (CHAr), 127.8, 127.9 (2XCHAr), 128.0, 128.1 (CHAr), 128.5(3XCHAr), 128.8, 128.8 (3XCHAr), 136.8 ($\text{NHCH}_2\text{C}(1)\text{Ar}$), 138.1 (C(1)Ar CH_2OCO), 154.6, 154.6 (Ar CH_2OCO), 171.5, 171.6 (CONH), 207.9, 208.0 (COCH_3); *m/z* (ES^+) 417($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{26}\text{SN}_2\text{O}_4\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$); found 417.1797, requires 417.1790 (+ 0.7 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t*_r maj = 23.3 min, *t*_r min = 19.8 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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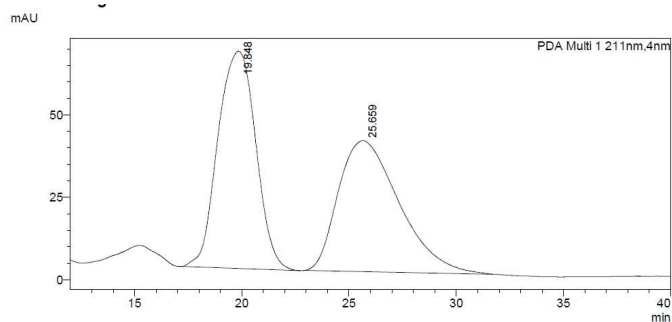
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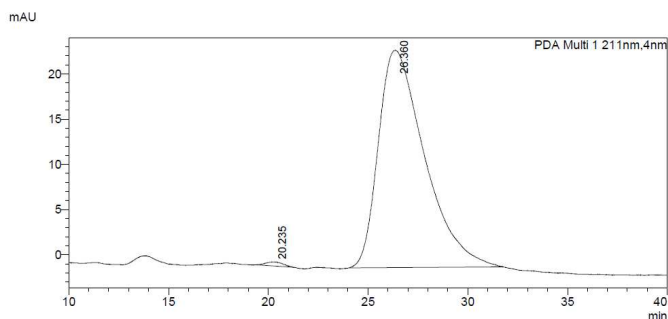
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To a solution of *syn*-**25** (121 mg, 0.30 mmol, 1.0 eq) in MeOH (5 mL) was added Pd(OH)₂/C (60.5 mg, 50%w/w). The resultant mixture was stirred under hydrogen (1 atm) for 20 min at rt. After completion the reaction was filtered through celite and washed with MeOH. The filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* to give the corresponding amine *syn*-**26** as a clear oil (59 mg, 71%) in 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ - 1.9 (*c* 0.3 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$ (film)/cm⁻¹ 3271 (N-H), 1719 (C=O ester), 1647 (C=O amide); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500MHz) 2.01, (3H, s, COCH₃), 2.48 (1H, dd, *J* 18.0, 6.2, CH_AH_BCOCH₃), 2.59-2.68 (1H, m, CH_AH_BCOCH₃), 2.68-2.78 (2H, m, C(4)*H*+C(5)*H*_AH_B), 2.88 (1H, ddd, *J* 8.3, 6.1, 2.6, C(3)*H*), 3.04 (1H, dd, *J* 10.8, 6.1, C(2)*H*_AH_B), 3.14-3.30 (2H, m, C(2)*H*_AH_B+C(5)*H*_AH_B), 4.36 (1H, dd, *J* 14.5, 5.7, NHCH_AH_BAr), 4.43 (1H, dd, *J* 14.5, 6.0, NHCH_AH_BAr), 6.94 (1H, t, *J* 6.0, NHCO), 7.23-7.39 (5H, m, ArH); δ_C (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 30.1 (CH₃), 37.4 (C(4)*H*), 43.4 (NHCH₂Ar), 43.5 (CH₂COCH₃), 47.3 (C(3)*H*), 49.9 (C(2)*H*₂), 50.5 (C(5)*H*₂), 127.5 (CHAr4), 127.9 (CHAr2-6), 128.7 (CHAr3-5), 138.4 (C(1)Ar), 172.8 (CONH), 208.2 (COCH₃); HRMS (ES⁺) 283 ([M+Na]⁺; 100%); 261 ([M+H]⁺; 90%); C₁₅H₂₁N₂O₂⁺ ([M+H]⁺); found 261.1601, requires 261.1598 (+ 1.3 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC of the corresponding Cbz protected compound (ChiralPak OD-H 20 % *i*-PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min *t_r* maj = 26.4 min, *t_r* min = 20.2 min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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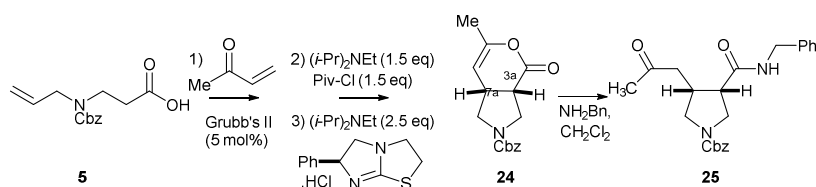
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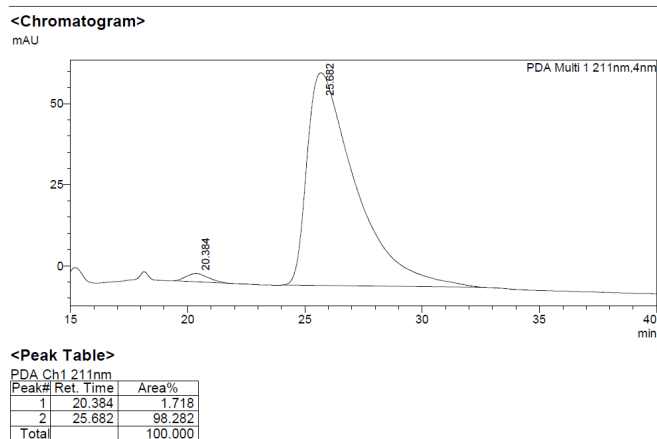
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ii. Tandem Metathesis



Following general procedure 6: alkene **5** (60 mg, 0.23 mmol), Grubb's II (9.3 mg, 0.11 mmol), dry DCM (1.2 mL), methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (95 μL , 1.06 mmol), stirred at 40 °C over night. Organocatalysis with pivaloylchloride (42.1 μL , 0.34 mmol), $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (59.0 μL , 0.34 mmol), DCM (3 mL), (–)-tetramisole.HCl (2.7 mg, 0.011 mmol), $(i\text{-Pr})_2\text{NEt}$ (98.8 μL , 0.55 mmol). Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 $\text{dr}_{\text{syn/anti}}$; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 70 : 30) gave (3a*S*,7a*R*)-*syn* **24** as a yellow oil (42 mg, 65%); Ring opening of *syn*-**24** with benzylamine (22.2 μL , 0.21 mmol) in DCM (7 mL) 1 h at rt. The reaction was quenched with 0.1M aq. HCl, extracted with DCM (x3), washed with brine, dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give (3*S*,4*R*)-*syn* **25** as a

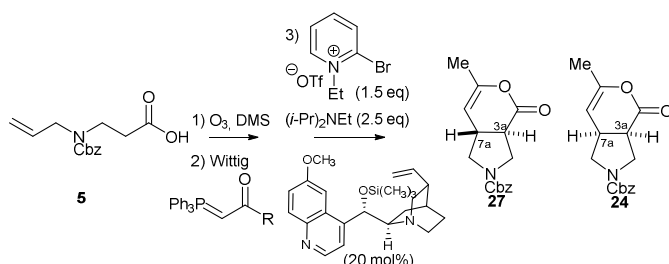
yellow oil (34 mg, 60%) in 99% ee. Other analytical data were identical to the one previously described for this compound.



10) Stereodivergent telescoped olefination/asymmetric Michael addition-lactonisation/ring opening

Racemic *anti* products were obtained using DABCO (20 mol%) as a achiral catalyst.

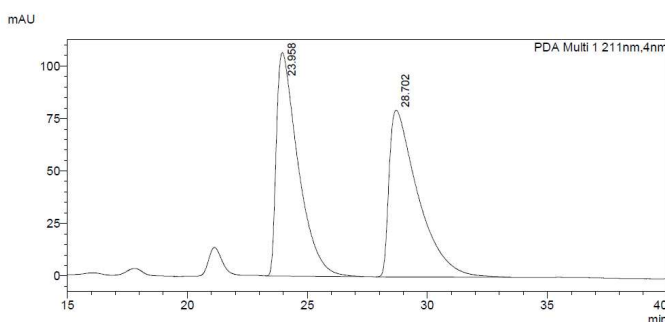
iii. Tandem Wittig



A stream of O₃ in O₂ was bubbled through a solution of **5** (200 mg, 0.76 mmol) in dry DCM (200 mL) at - 78 °C. When the blue color persisted (1 min), dimethyl sulfide (2.0 eq) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to rt. After concentration *in vacuo* the aldehyde was dissolved in CHCl₃ (50 mL) and phosphorane **S7** (242 mg, 0.84 mmol) was added. The reaction was stirred overnight at 65 °C and then concentrated *in vacuo*. The crude mixture was dissolved in DCM and was slowly added to a solution of Mukayama derivative **29** (383 mg, 1.14 mmol), (i-Pr)₂NEt (329 μL, 1.90 mmol) and OTMS-quinidine (60.0 mg, 0.15 mmol) in dry DCM (10 mL). After 2 h at rt the reaction was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was purified by chromatography column. Crude reaction mixture 33 : 67 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column in silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80:20) gave (3aR, 7aR)-*anti* **27** and (3aR, 7aS)-*syn* **24** (203 mg, 93% combined yield);

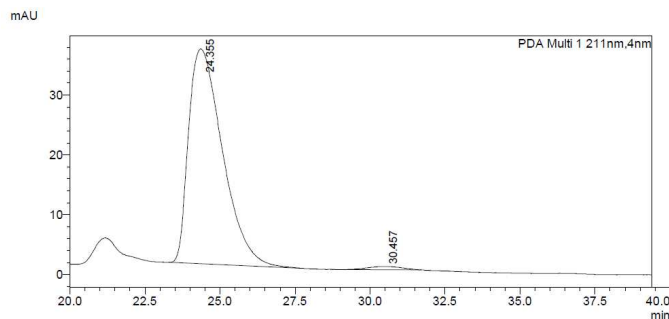
Anti-**27**: was obtained as a white solid (130.0 mg, 60%) in 97% ee; **mp**: 100-102 °C [α]_D²⁰ - 1.8 (c 1.1 in DCM); ν_{max} (KBr)/cm⁻¹ 1774 (C=O lactone), 1695 (C=O), 1423 (C-O); δ_{H} (CDCl₃, 300MHz) 1.97

(3H, s, CH_3), 2.70-3.14 (1H, m, C(3a) H), 2.58-2.81 (1H, m, C(7a) H), 3.11-3.18 (1H, m, C(1) H_AH_B), 3.53-3.56 (1H, m, C(3) H_AH_B), 3.83-3.92 (2H, m, C(1) H_AH_B +C(3) H_AH_B), 5.17 (2H, s, PhCH_2OCO), 5.28-5.35 (1H, m, C(7) H), 7.37-7.40 (5H, m, Ar H); δ_{C} (CDCl_3 , 125MHz) mixture of rotameres 18.5 (CH_3), 36.8, 37.5 (C(7a) H), 44.5, 44.9 (C(3a) H), 44.7, 45.2 (C(3) H_2), 48.9, 49.1 (C(1) H_2), 67.1 (PhCH_2OCO), 102.5, 102.7 (C(7) H), 127.9 (CHAr), 128.1 (CHAr), 128.1 (CHAr), 128.5 (2XCHAr), 136.4, 136.5 (C(1)Ar), 152.7, 152.8 (C(6)- CH_3), 154.7, 154.8 (PhCH_2OCO), 167.7, 167.9 (CO); m/z (ES^+) 310 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, 100%); HRMS (ES^+) $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$); found 310.1047, requires 310.1055 (- 2.8 ppm); Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 15% i -PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{\text{r maj}} = 24.3$ min, $t_{\text{r min}} = 30.5$ min; 211 nm, 30 °C).



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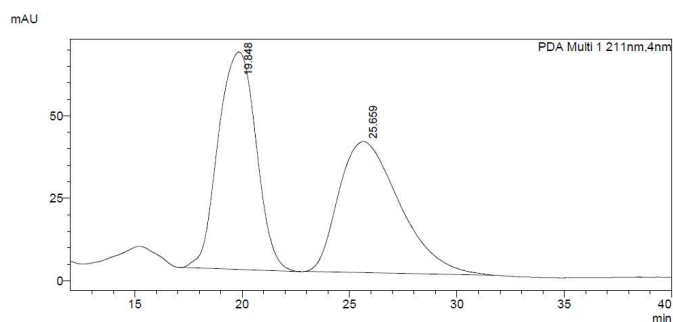
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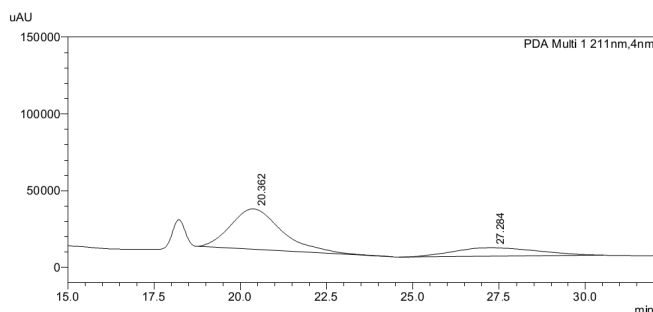
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2	30.457	1.508
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Ent syn-24: was obtained as an oil (72 mg, 33%) in 50% ee; Analytical data were identical to **syn-24**; Enantiomeric excess of **ent syn-24** was determined *via* ring opening with benzylamine; analytical data were identical to **syn-25**. Determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak OD-H 20% i -PrOH : hexane, 1.0 mL/min $t_{\text{r maj}} = 20.4$ min, $t_{\text{r min}} = 27.3$ min; 211 nm, 30 °C)



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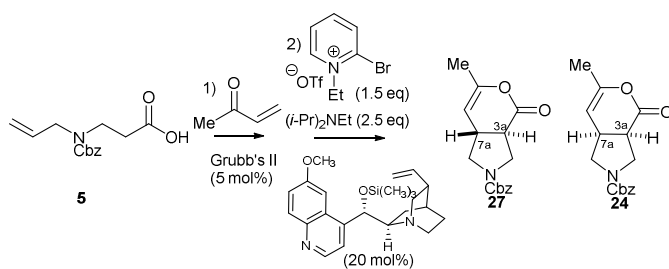
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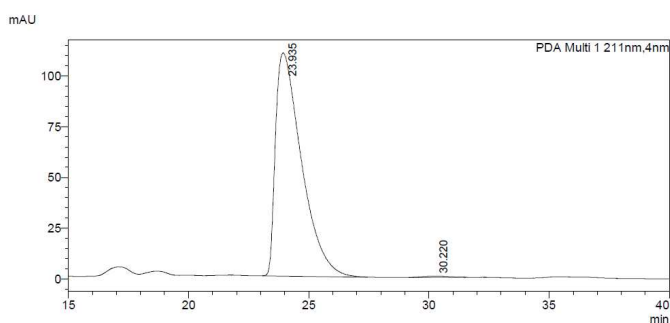
iv. Tandem Metathesis



Grubbs II (6.8 mg, 0.01 mmol) and alkene **5** (42.0 mg, 0.16 mmol, 1.0 eq), were added into a flame dry microwave tube under N₂. The tube was then sealed deaerated and purged with N₂. Dry DCM (0.72 mL) and methyl vinyl ketone **S14** (66.6 μL, 0.79 mmol, 5.0 eq) were added and the solution was heated at 40 °C for 4 h. The mixture was then cooled to rt and was slowly added to a solution of Mukaiyama derivative **29** (80.5 mg, 0.23 mmol, 1.5 eq), (i-Pr)₂NEt (69.2 μL, 0.40 mmol, 2.5 eq), and OTMS-Quinidine (12.6 mg, 0.032 mmol, 0.2 eq) in DCM (3 mL). After 2 h at rt the solvent was evaporated *in vacuo* and the residue was purified by chromatography column; Crude reaction mixture

33 : 67 dr_{syn/anti}; Chromatography column on silica gel (Pet.ether : EtOAc, 80:20) gave *anti*-**27** and *syn*-**24** lactones (44.2 mg, 96% combined yield;) in 99% ee for *anti*-**27**.

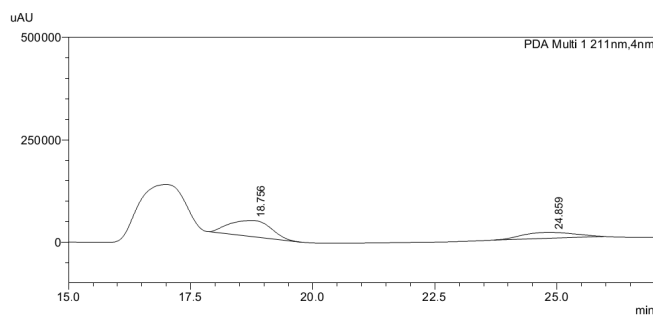
Anti-**27**: was obtained as a white solid (30 mg, 66%) in 99% ee; other analytical data were identical to the one previously described for this compound.



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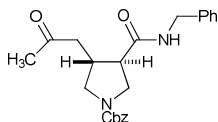
Ent syn-**24**: was obtained as an oil (14 mg, 30%) in 37% ee. Enantiomeric excess of *ent syn*-**24** was determined via ring opening with benzylamine; analytical data were identical to *syn*-**25** previously described.



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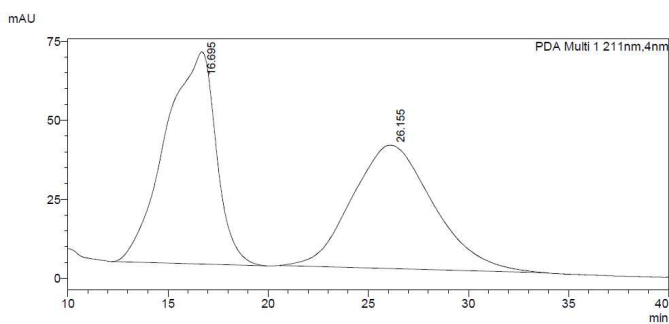
(3*R*,4*R*)-Benzyl-3-(benzylcarbamoyl)-4-(2-oxopropyl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate **28**



Benzylamine (54.4 μ L, 0.49 mmol, 1.1 eq) was added to a solution of lactone *anti*-**27** (130 mg, 0.45 mmol, 1.0 eq) in DCM. The reaction was stirred 1 h at rt and then quenched with 1M aq. HCl, extracted with DCM (x3), washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give *anti*-**28** as a clear oil (142 mg, 80%) in 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} + 3.0$ (c 0.5 in DCM); $\nu_{\max}$

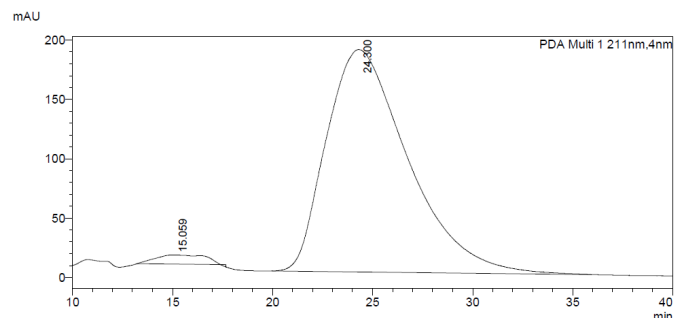
(film)/cm⁻¹: 3275 (N-H), 1697 (N-C=O), 1660 (C=O ester), 1651 (C=O ketone); δ_H (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) mixture of rotamers 2.16-2.18 (3H, m, COCH₃), 2.60-2.76 (4H, m, CH₂COCH₃+C(3)H)+C(4)H), 3.05-3.17 (1H, m, C(2)H_AH_B), 3.71-3.81 (3H, m, C(2)H_AH_B+C(5)H₂), 4.47-4.49 (2H, m, NHCH₂Ph), 5.14-5.15 (2H, m, PhCH₂OCO), 6.21-6.40 (1H, m, NH), 7.29-7.39 (10H, m, ArH); δ_C (CDCl₃, 125MHz) 50:50 mixture of rotamers 30.2, 30.3 (CH₃), 37.8, 38.3 (C(3)H), 43.8 (NHCH₂Ph), 46.5, 46.9 (CH₂CO), 47.8 (C(5)H₂), 48.6, 49.3 (C(4)H), 50.4, 50.6 (C(2)H₂), 66.9 (PhCH₂OCO), 127.7, 127.9 (3XCHAr), 128.0 (2XCHAr), 128.5 (3XCHAr), 128.8 (2XCHAr), 136.7 (C(1)ArCH₂OCO), 138.1 (NHCH₂C(1)Ar), 154.6 (PhCH₂OCN), 171.2, 171.3 (CONH), 207.4, 207.8 (COCH₃); *m/z* (ES⁺) 417 ([M+Na]⁺, 100%); HRMS (ES⁺) C₂₃H₂₆N₂O₄Na⁺ ([M+Na]⁺); found 417.1786, requires 417.1790 (-0.4 ppm). Enantiomeric excess determined by chiral HPLC (ChiralPak AS-H 20 % *i*-PrOH, 1.0 mL/min *t_r*_{maj} = 24.3 min, *t_r*_{min} = 15.1 min; 211 nm).

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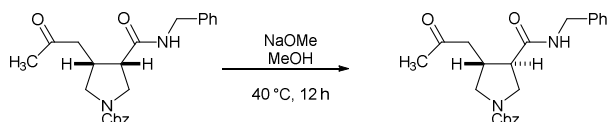
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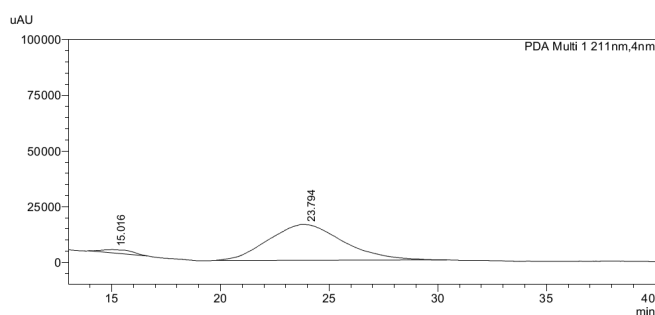
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11) Epimerisation procedure



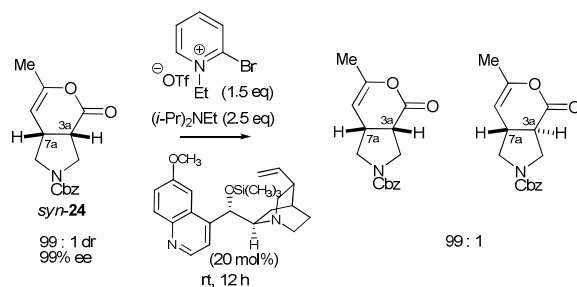
To a freshly made solution of NaOMe in MeOH was added *syn*-**25** (92 mg, 0.23 mmol). The mixture was heated at 40 °C overnight then quenched with 0.1M aq. HCl, extracted with EtOAc (x3), washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo* to give *anti*-**28** as a clear oil (64 mg, 70%) in 93% ee. Other analytical data were identical to the one previously described for *anti*-**28**



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12) Control experiment

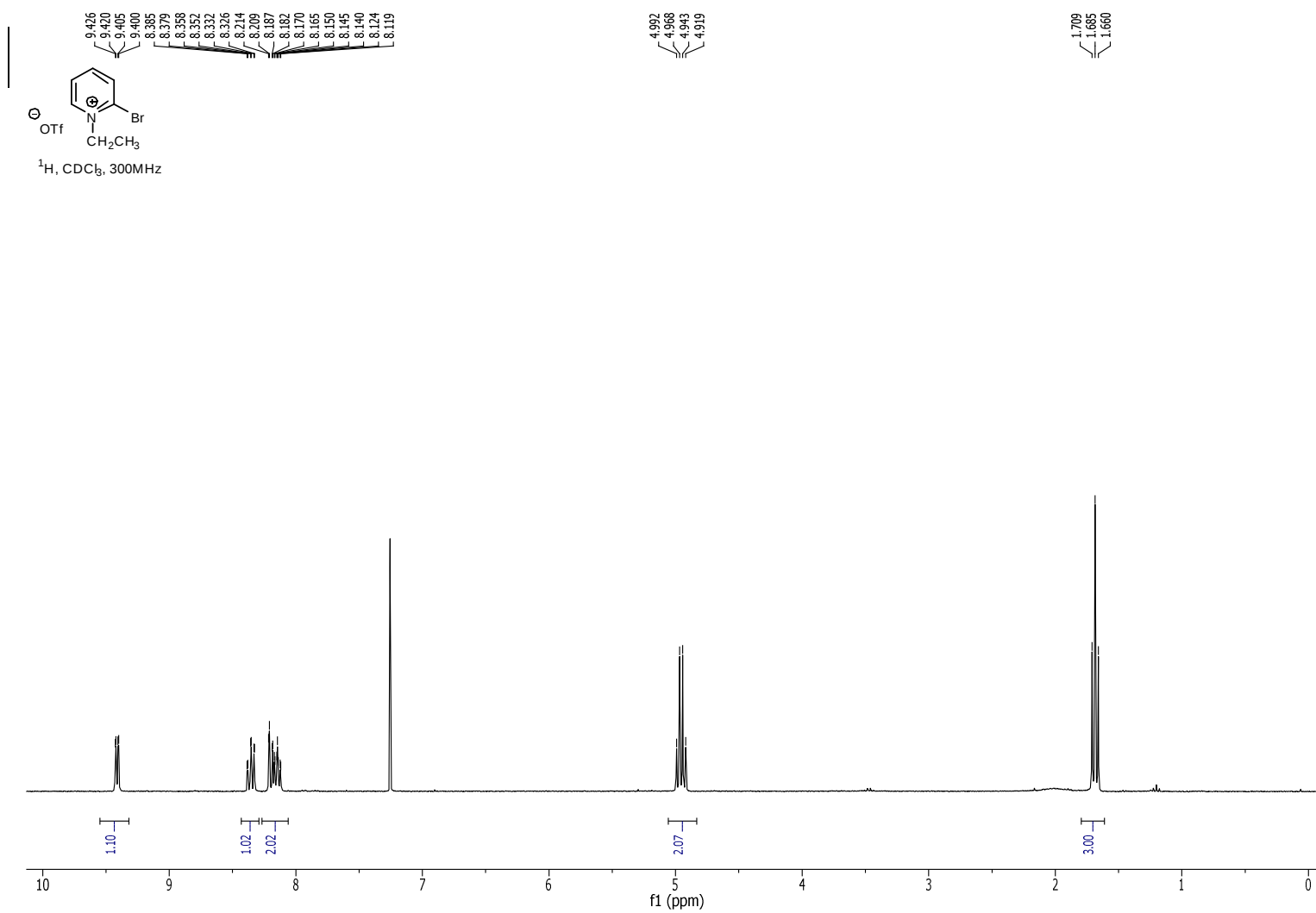


Syn-**24** (20.0 mg, 0.07 mmol, 1.0 eq) was added to a solution of Mukaiyama derivative **29** (35.0 mg, 0.10 mmol, 1.5 eq), (*i*-Pr)₂NEt (30.2 μ L, 0.17 mmol, 2.5 eq), and OTMS-Quinidine (5.6 mg, 0.014 mmol, 0.2 eq) in DCM (3 mL). After 12 h at rt, the reaction was quenched with 0.1 M HCl and extracted with DCM (x3). The combined organic phases were washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated *in vacuo*. Crude reaction mixture 99 : 1 dr_{*syn/anti*}.

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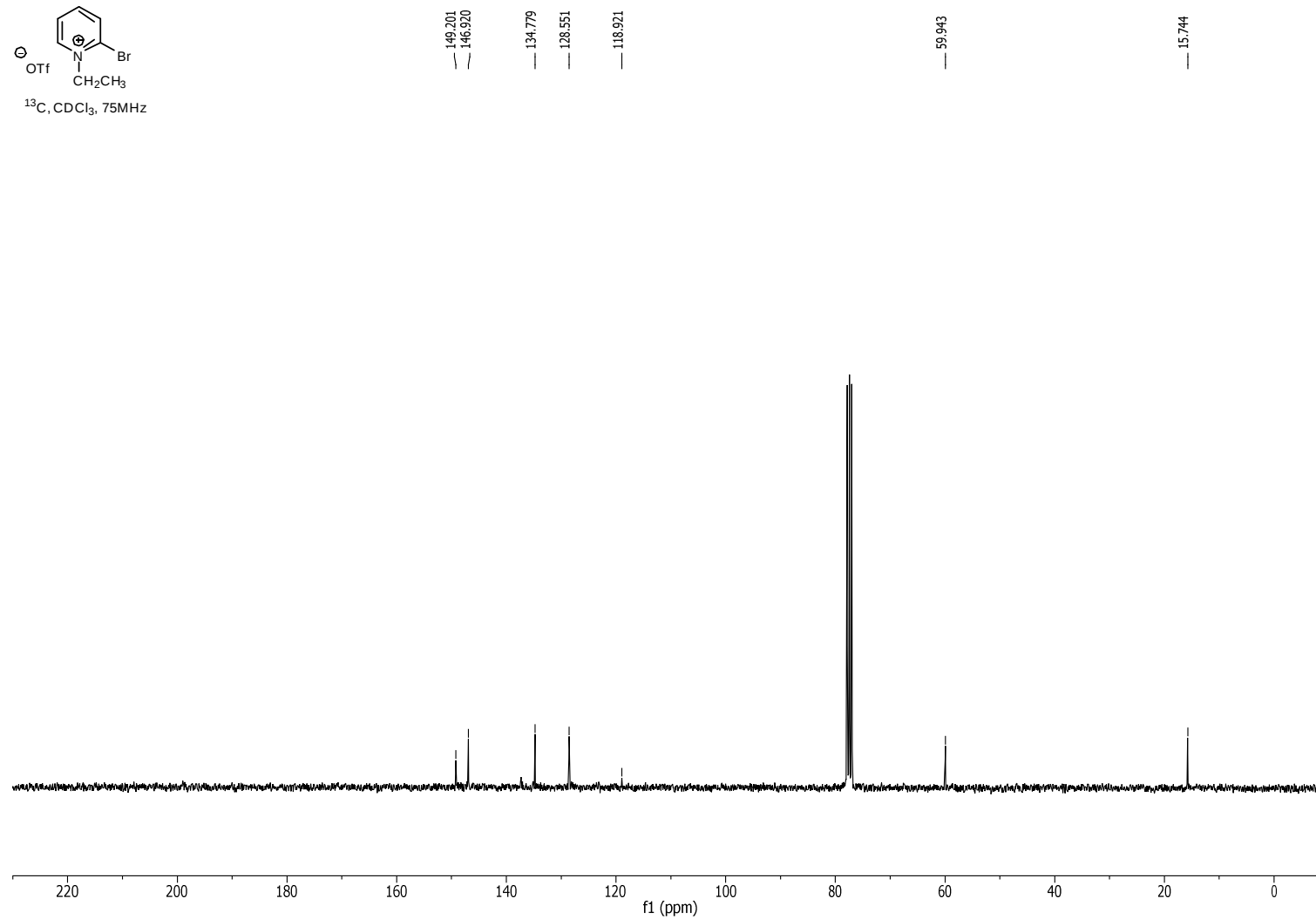
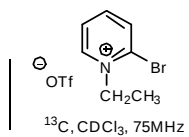
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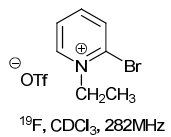
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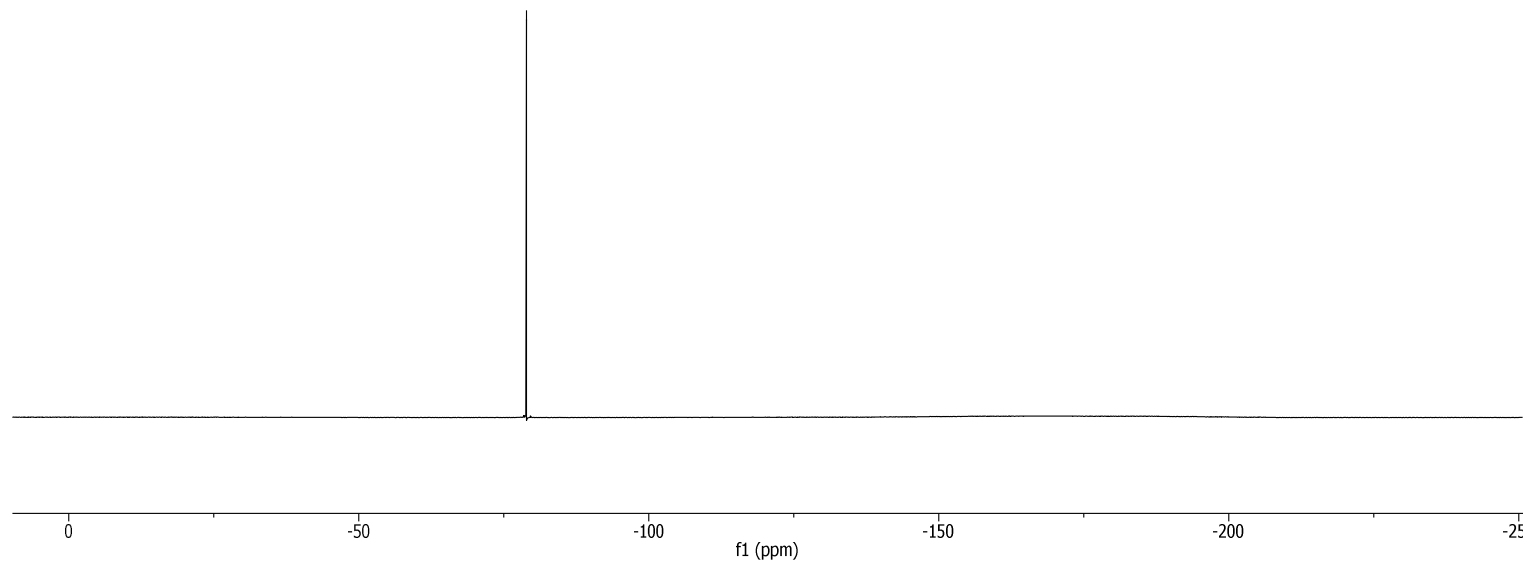


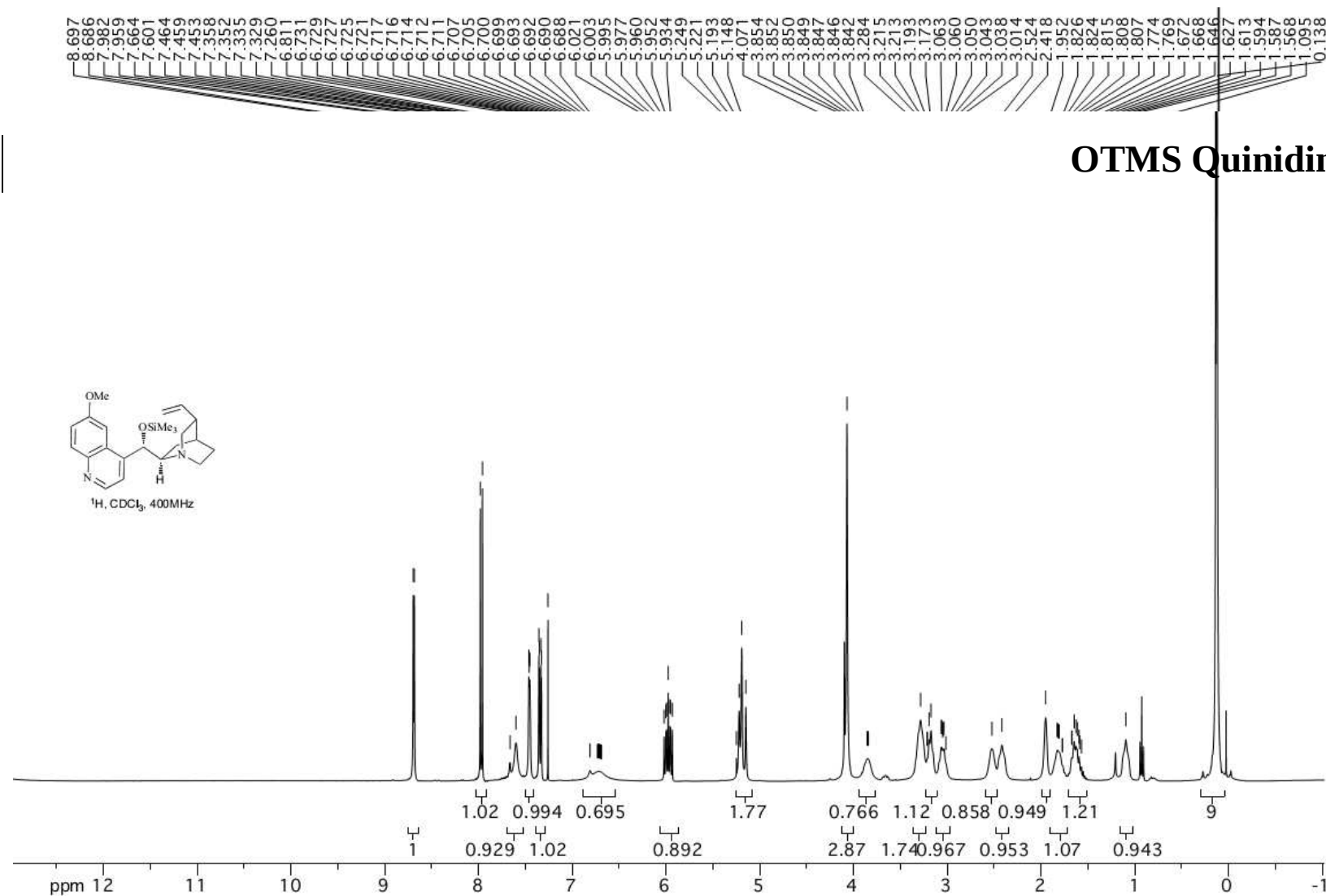
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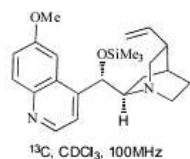
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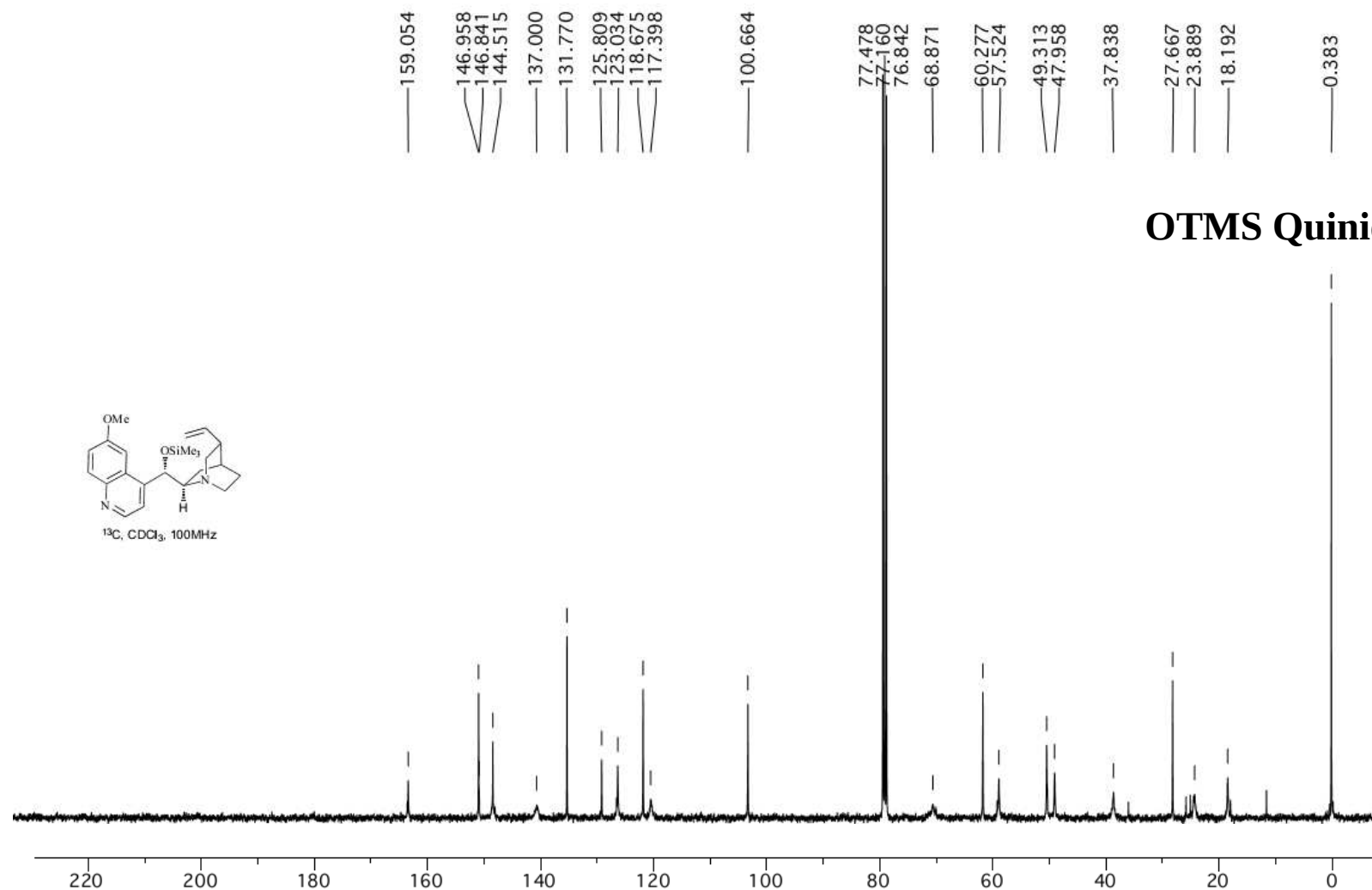
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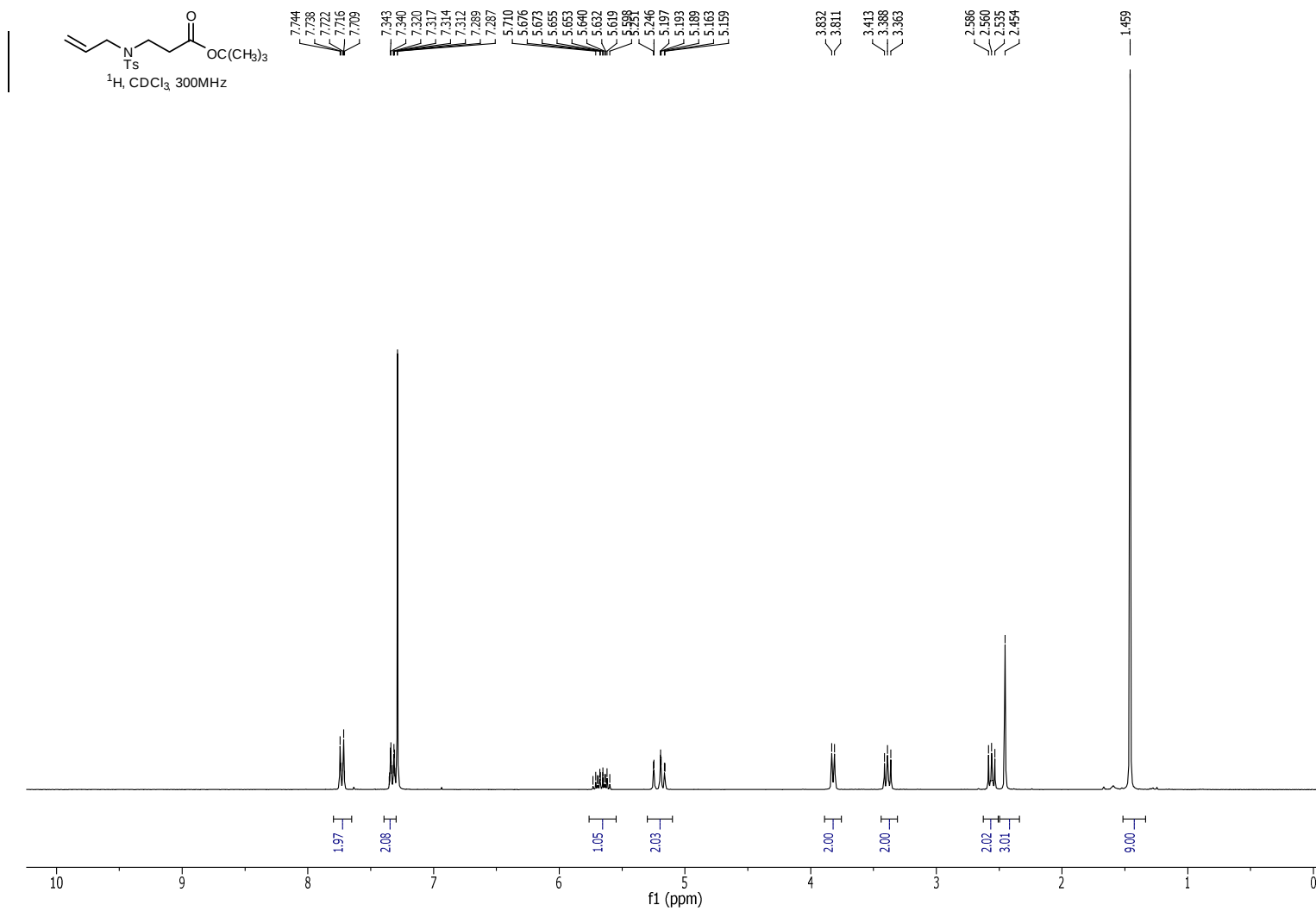
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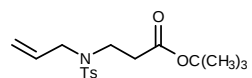
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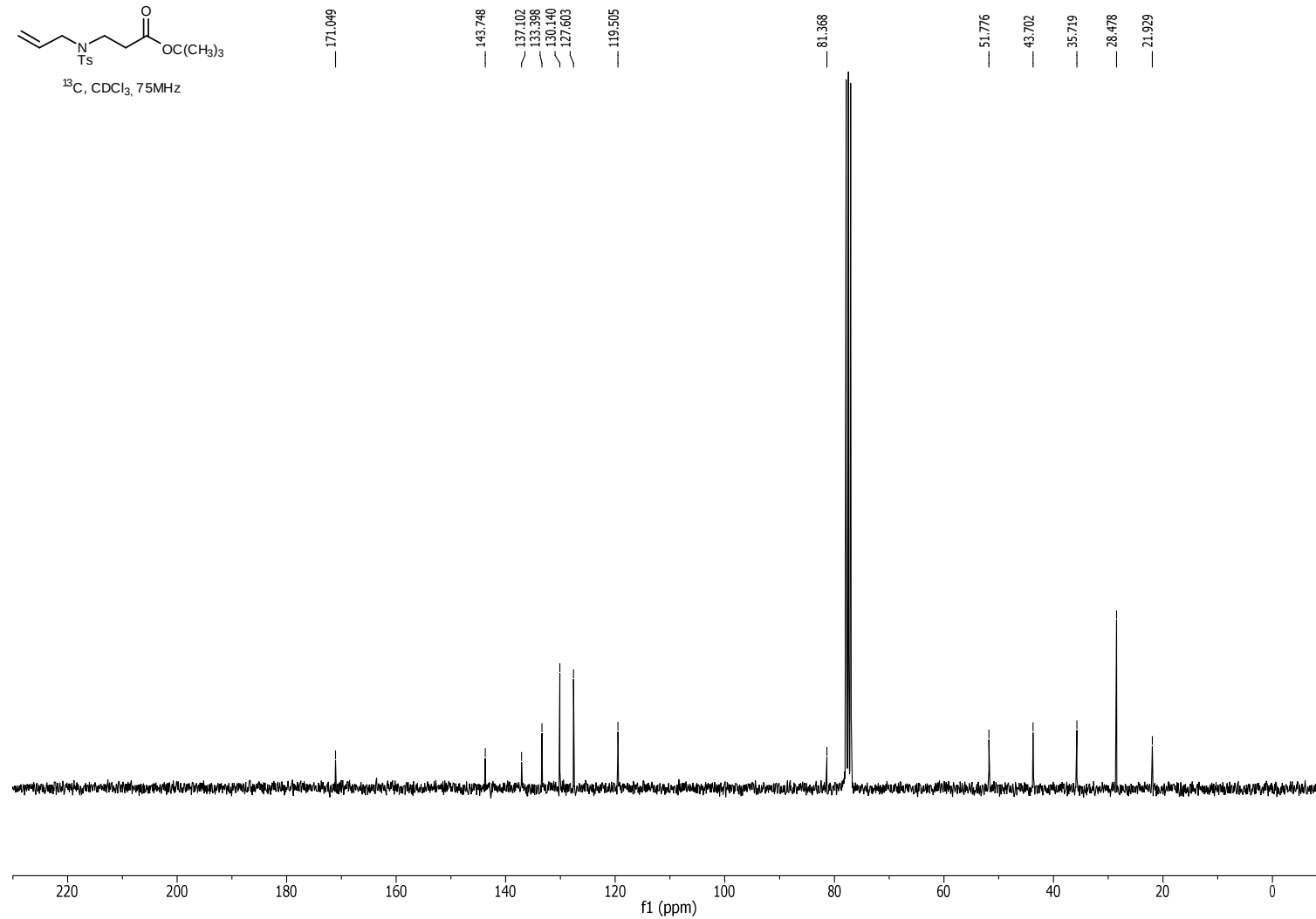


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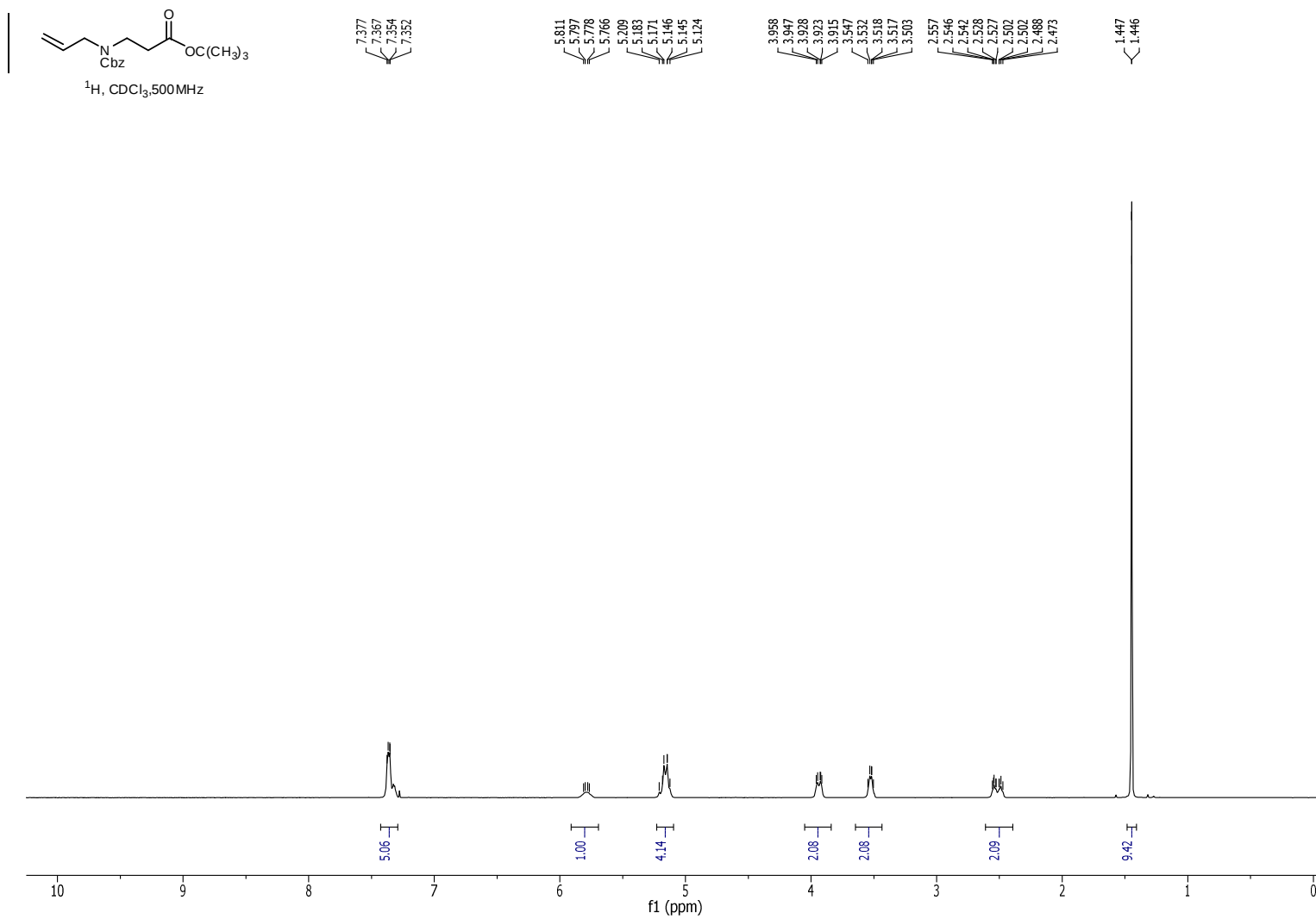


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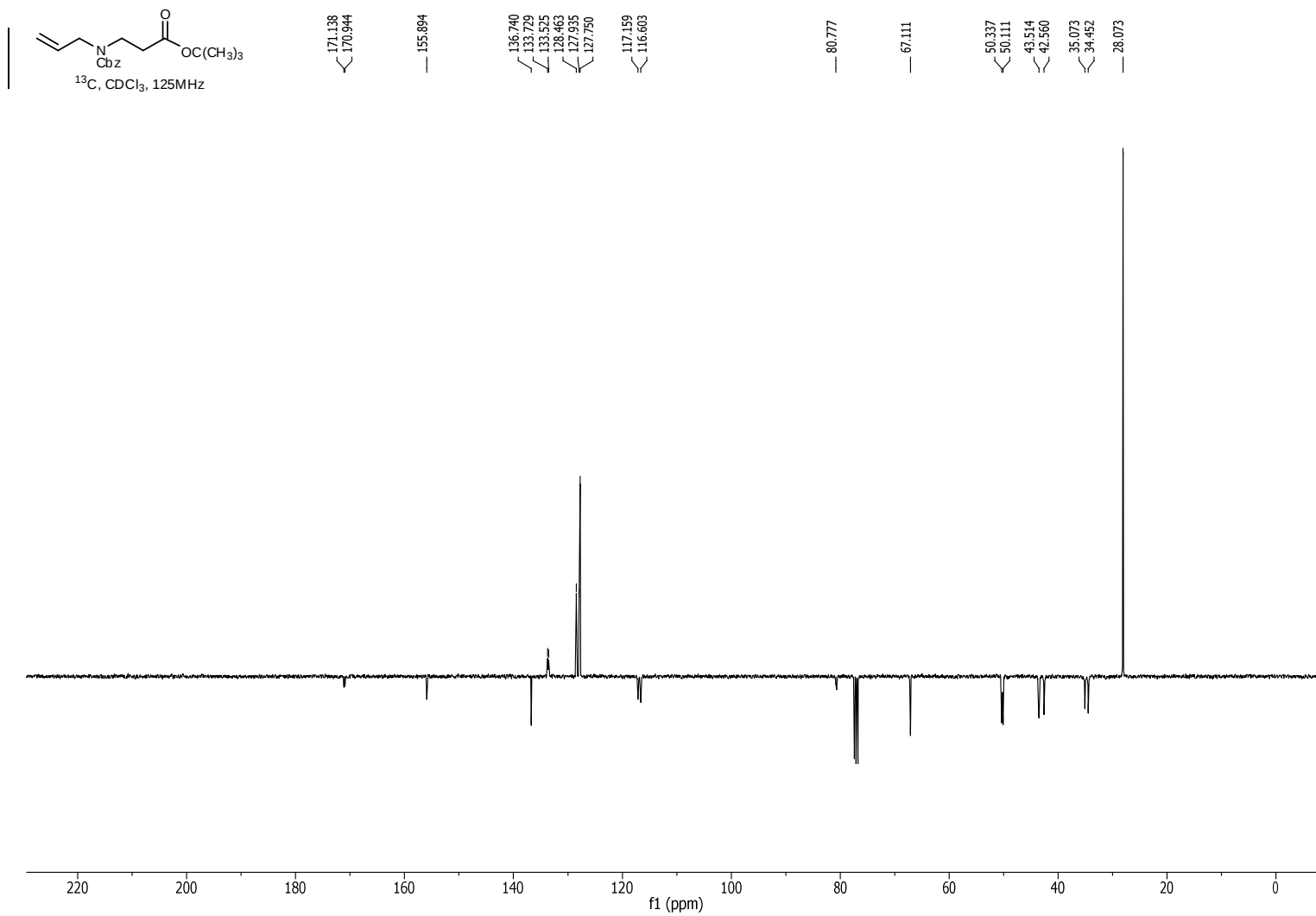
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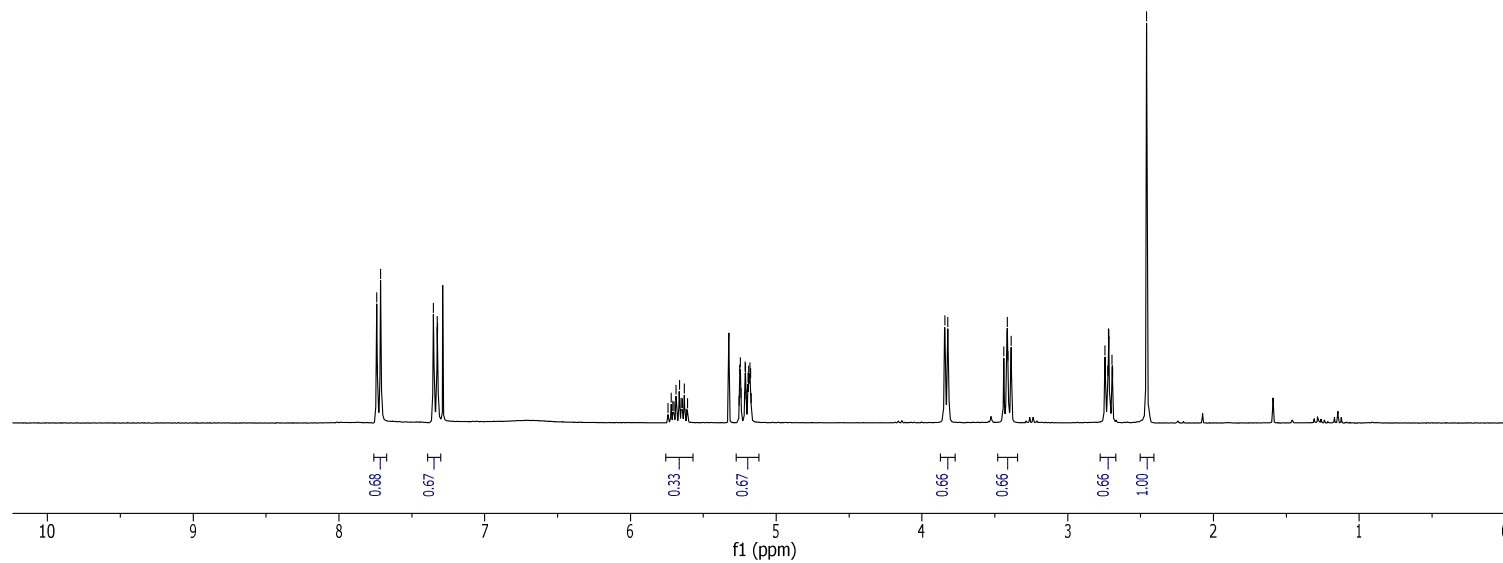
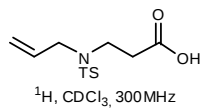
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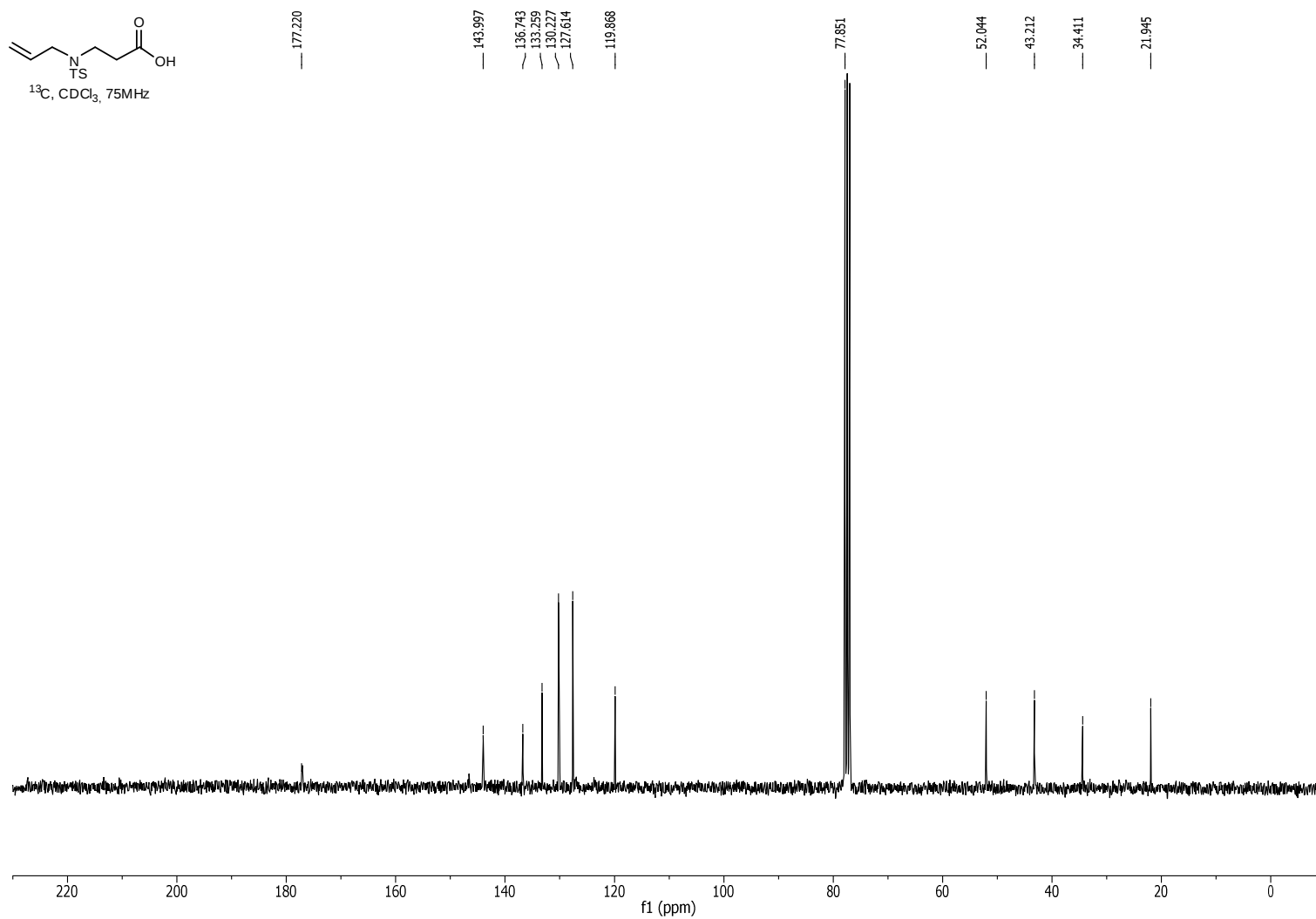
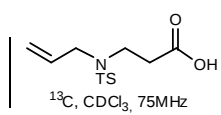
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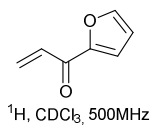
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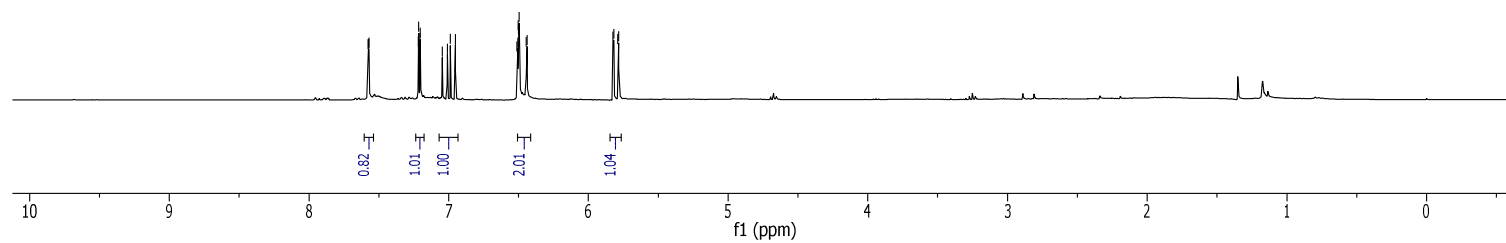


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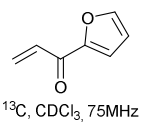


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S6

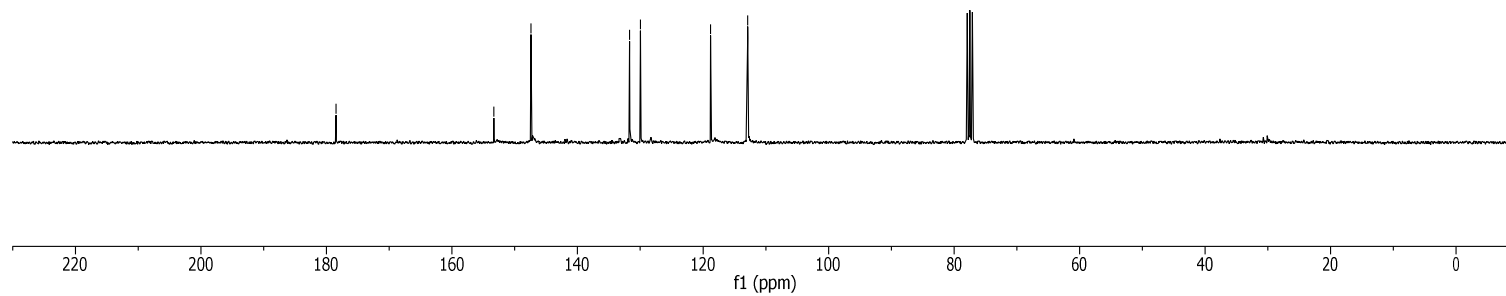
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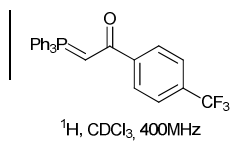


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Français (France)



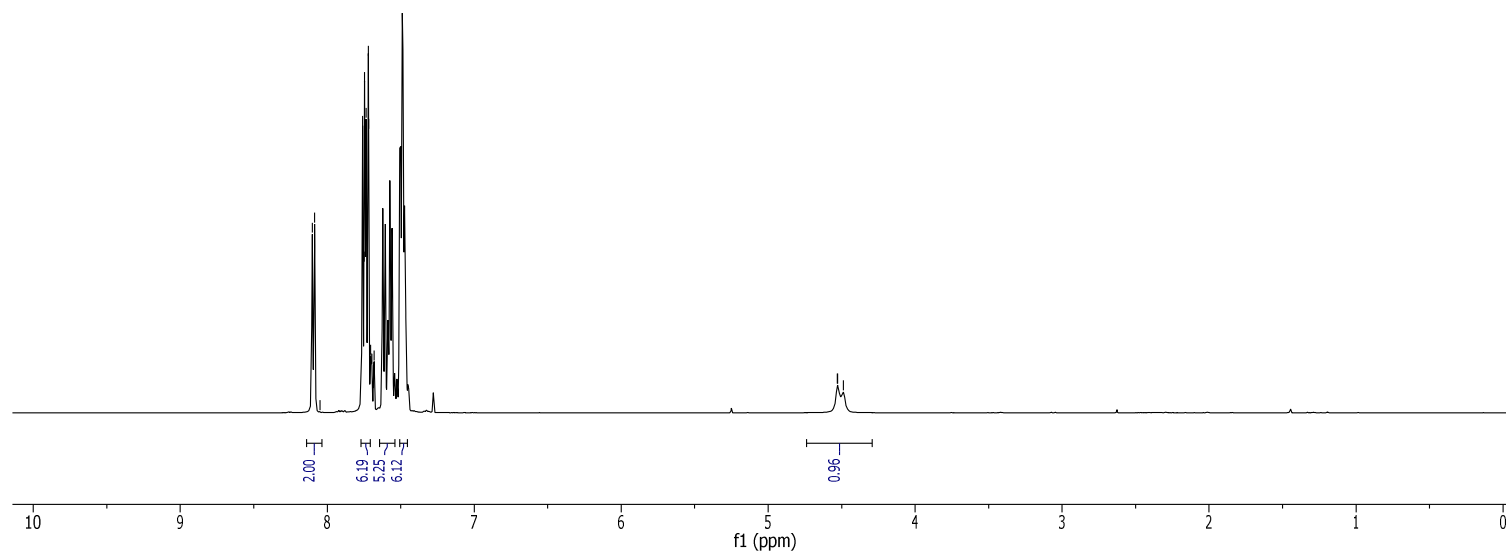


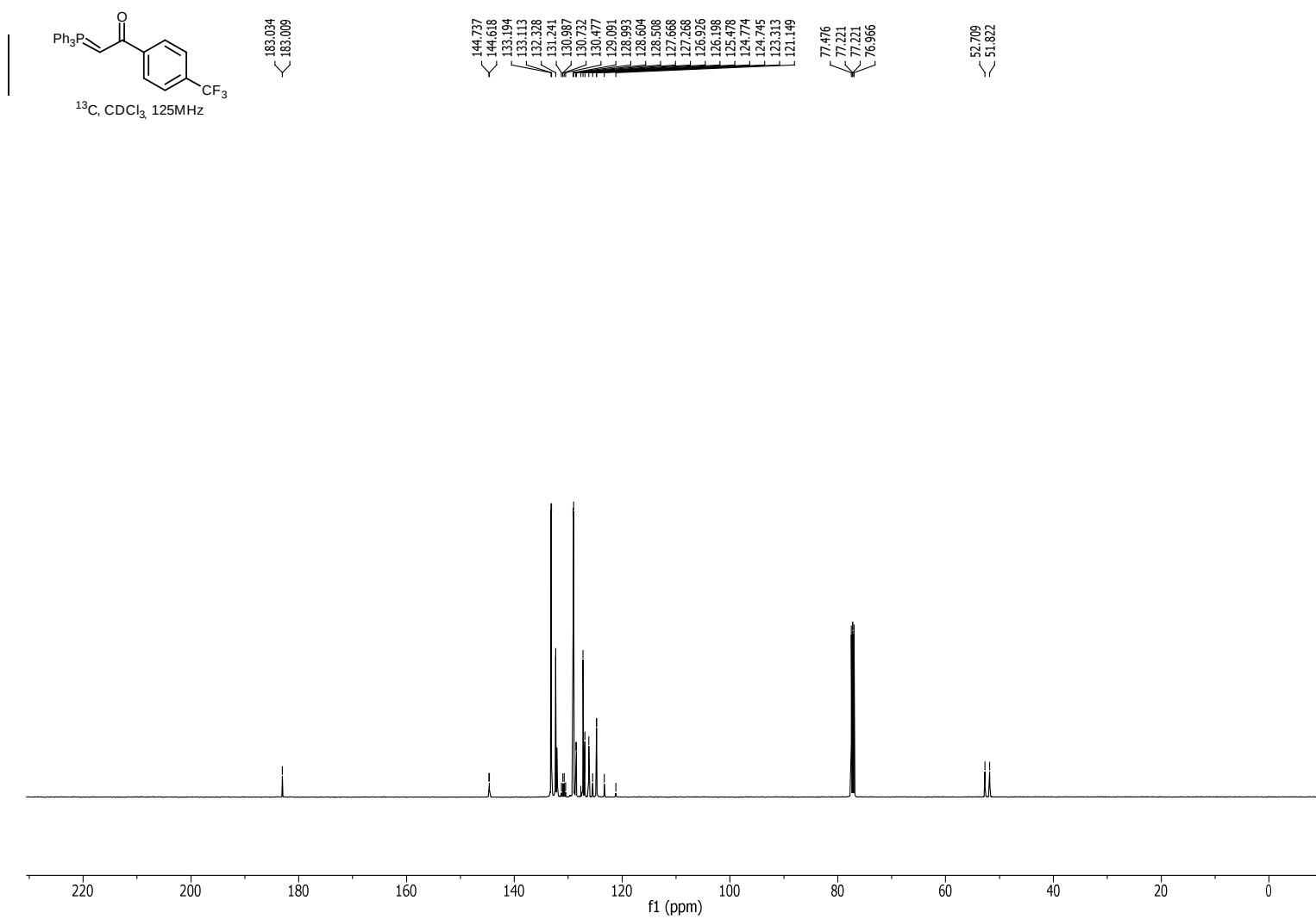
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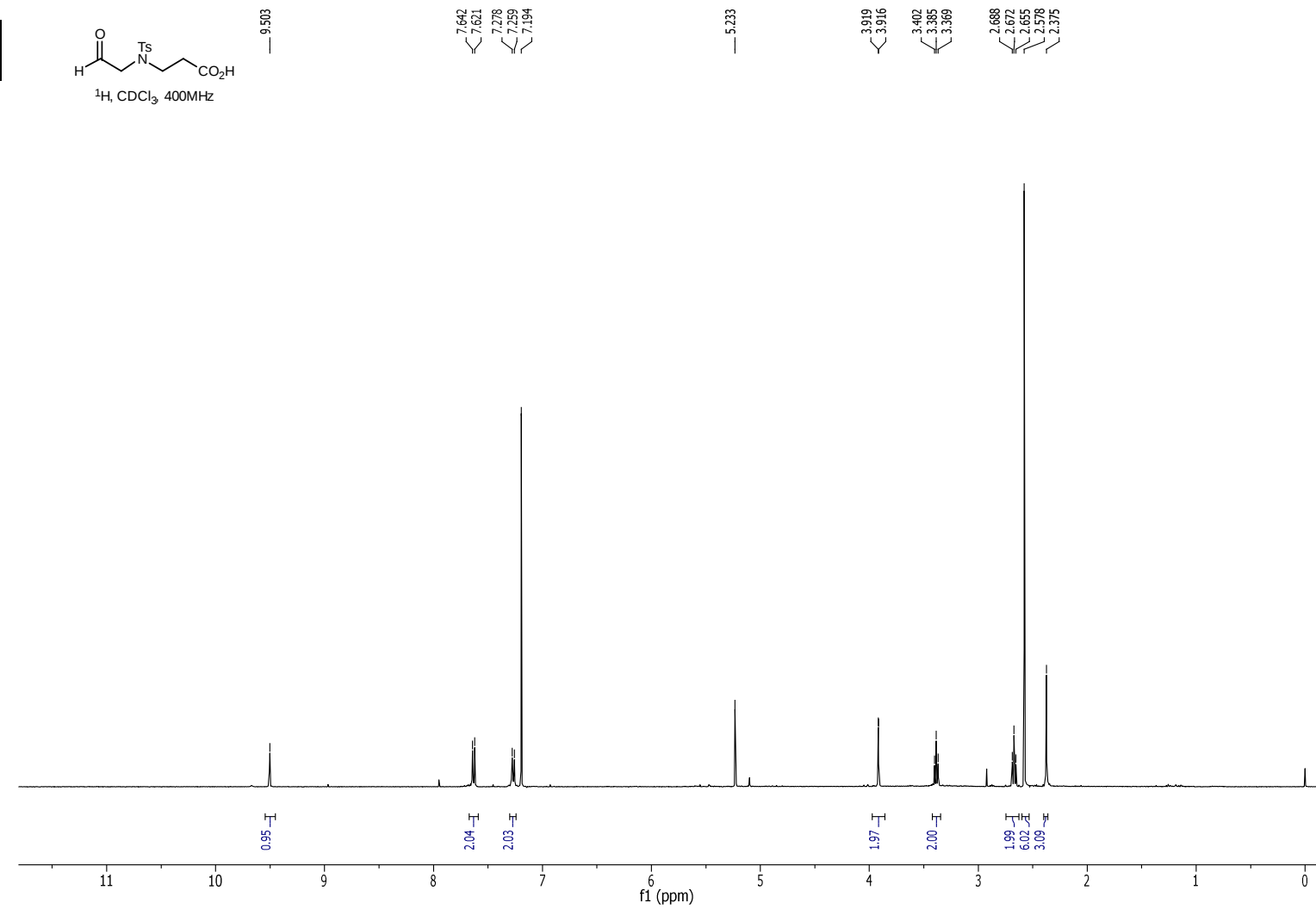
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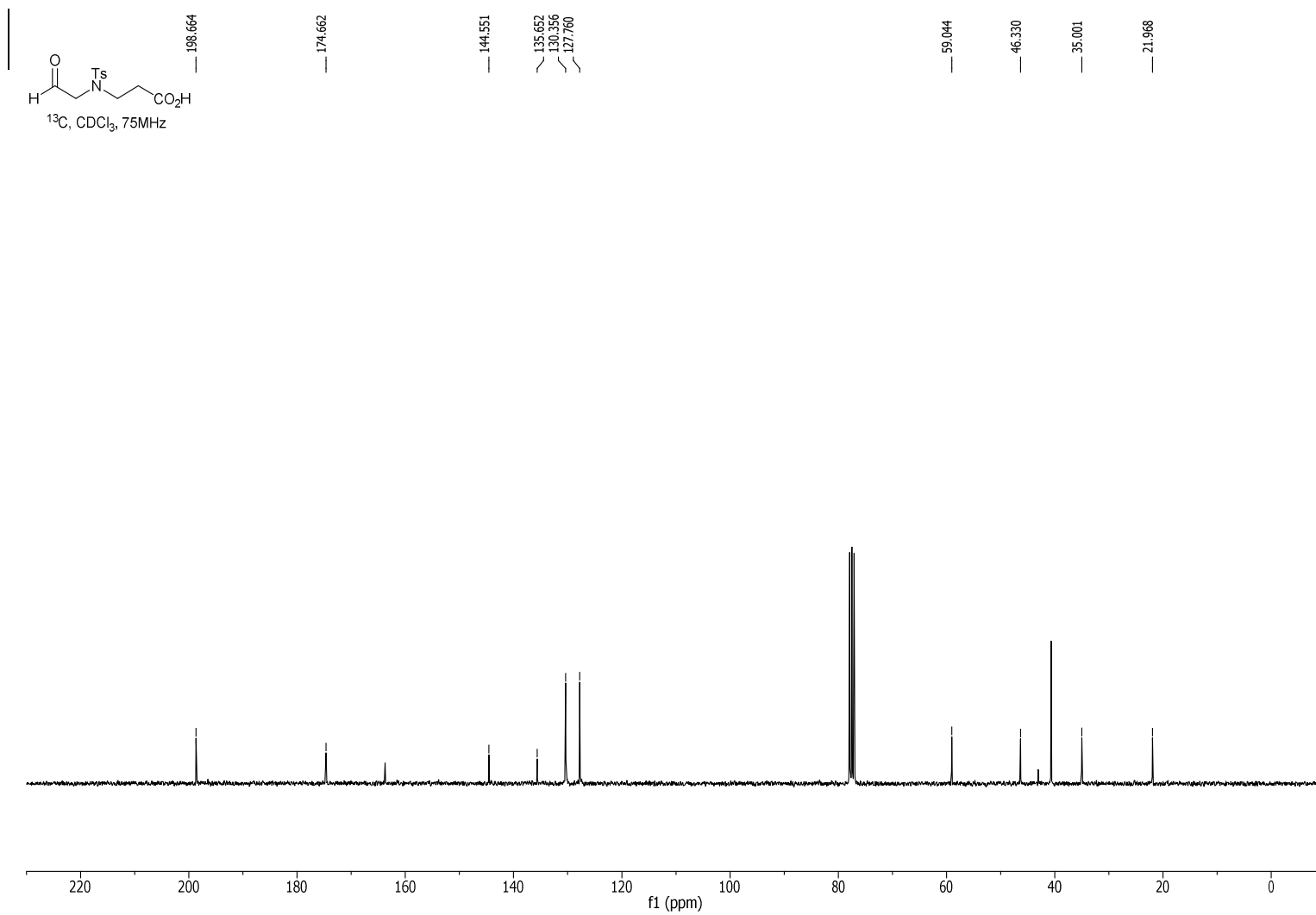


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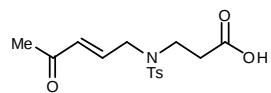


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Français (France)



S1a

Mis en forme : Police :20 pt, Gras,
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^1H , CDCl_3 , 400MHz

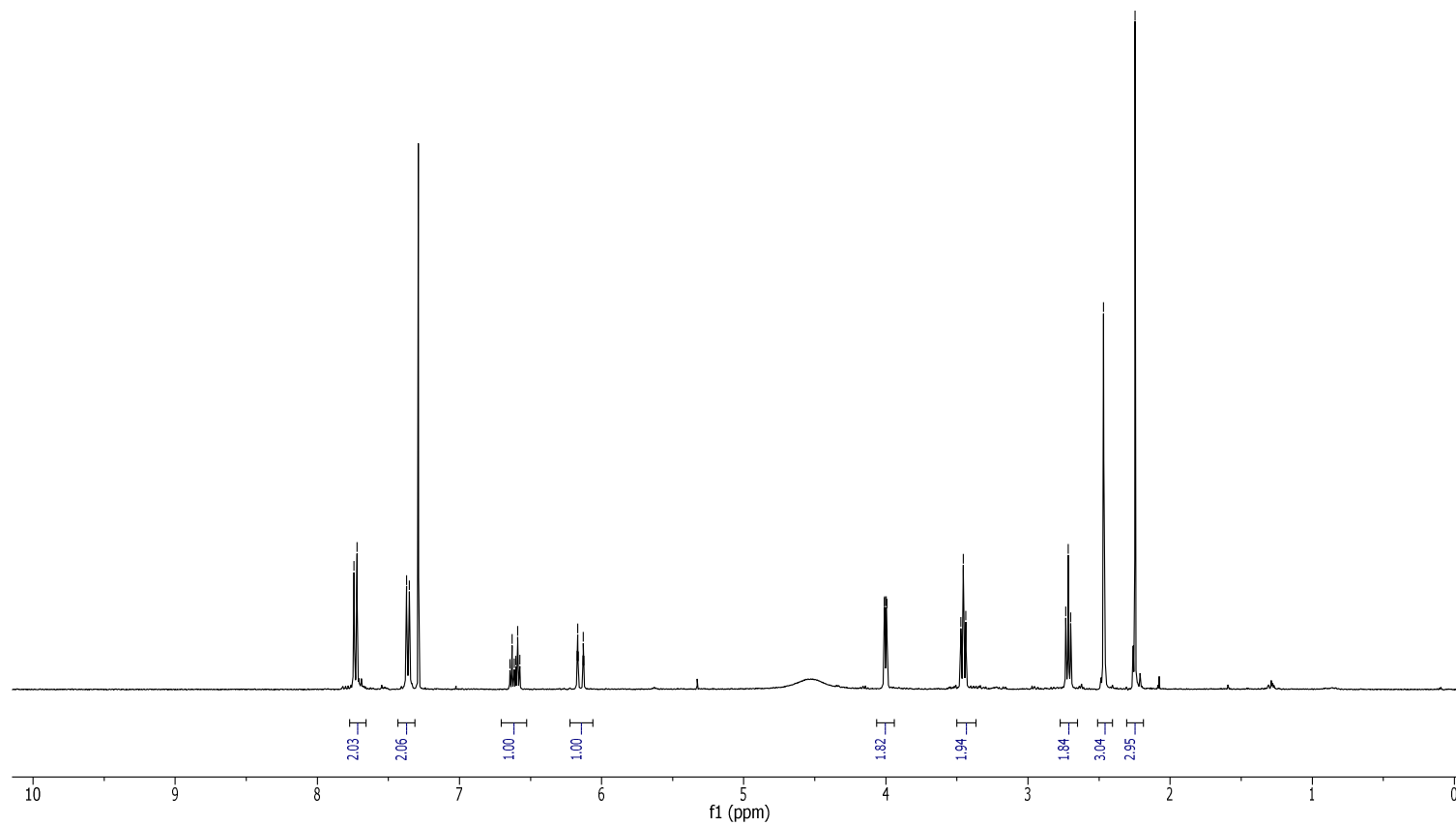
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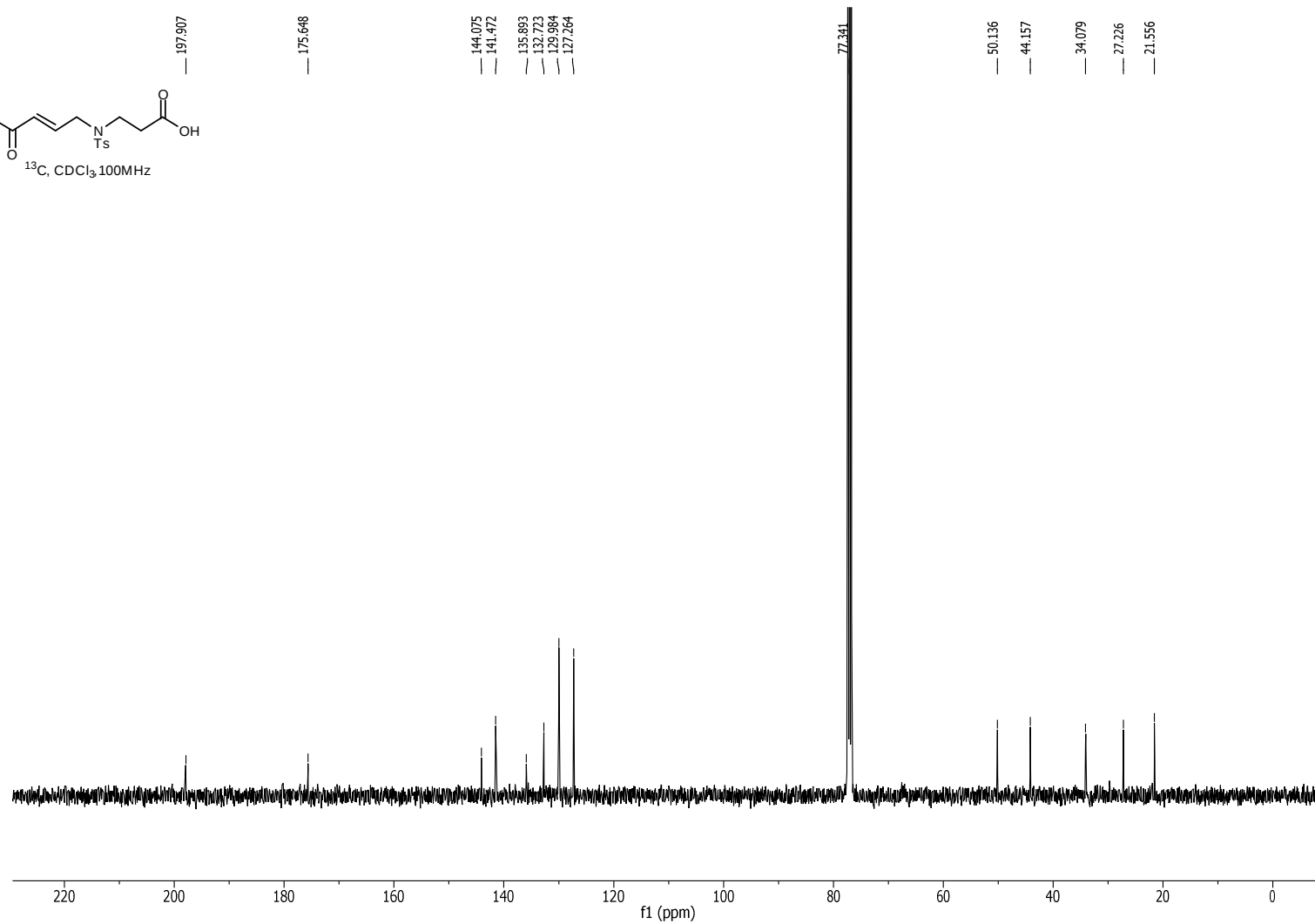
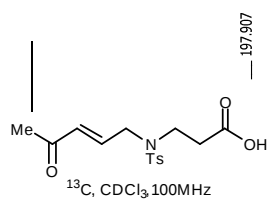
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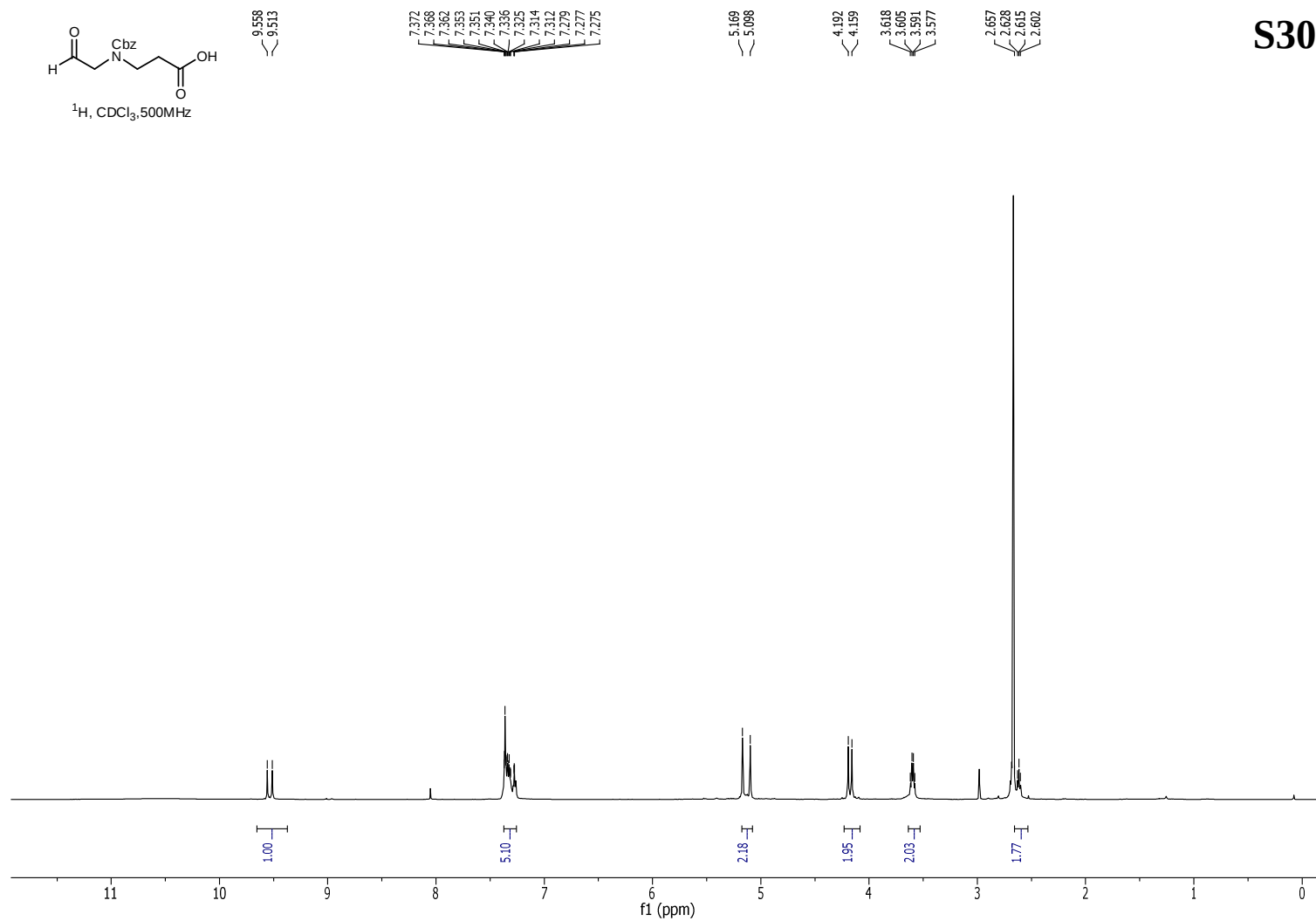
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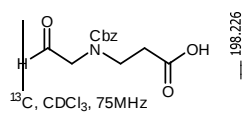
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S30a

Mis en forme : Police :20 pt, Gras,
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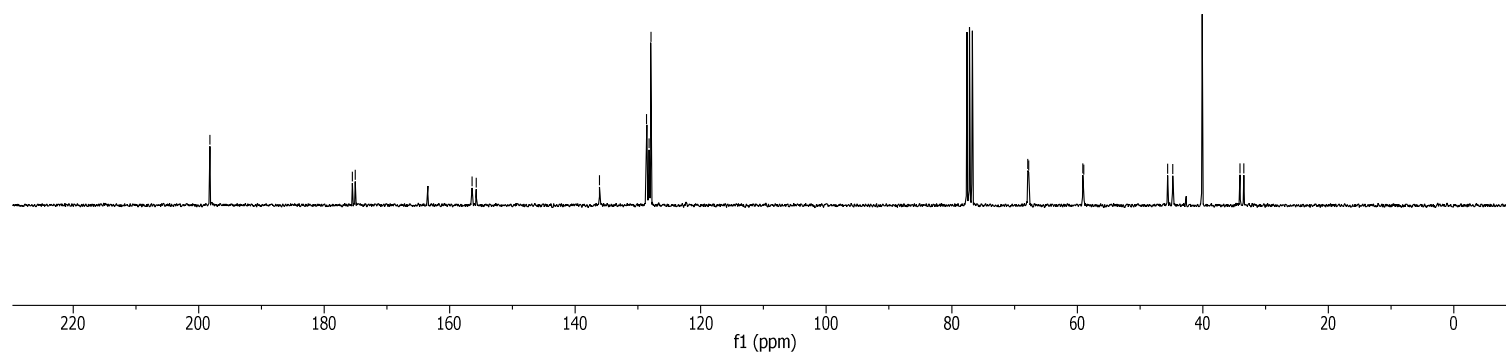
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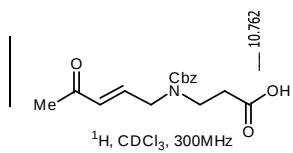
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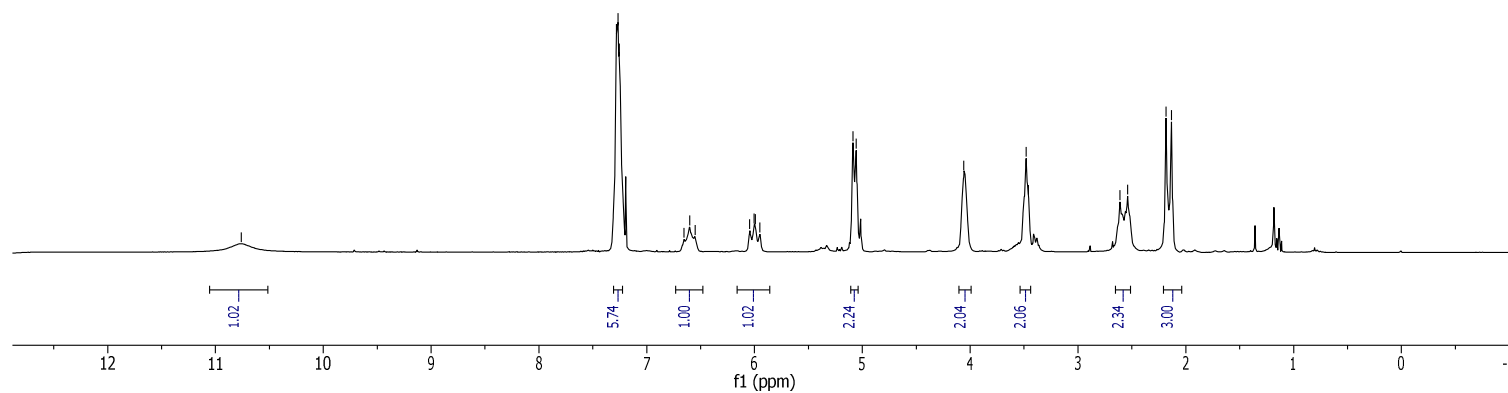


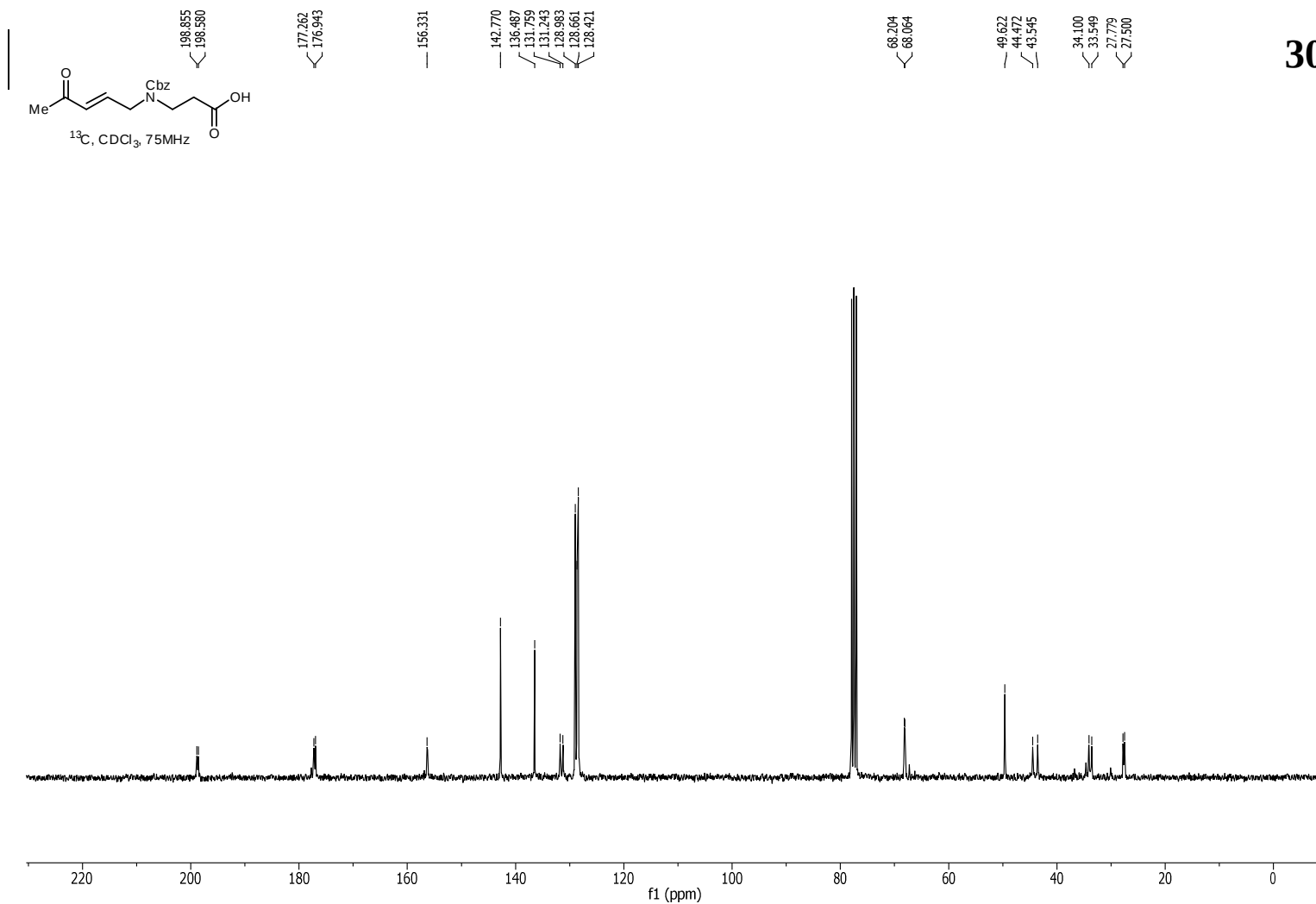


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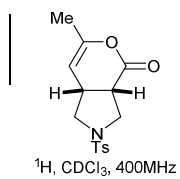
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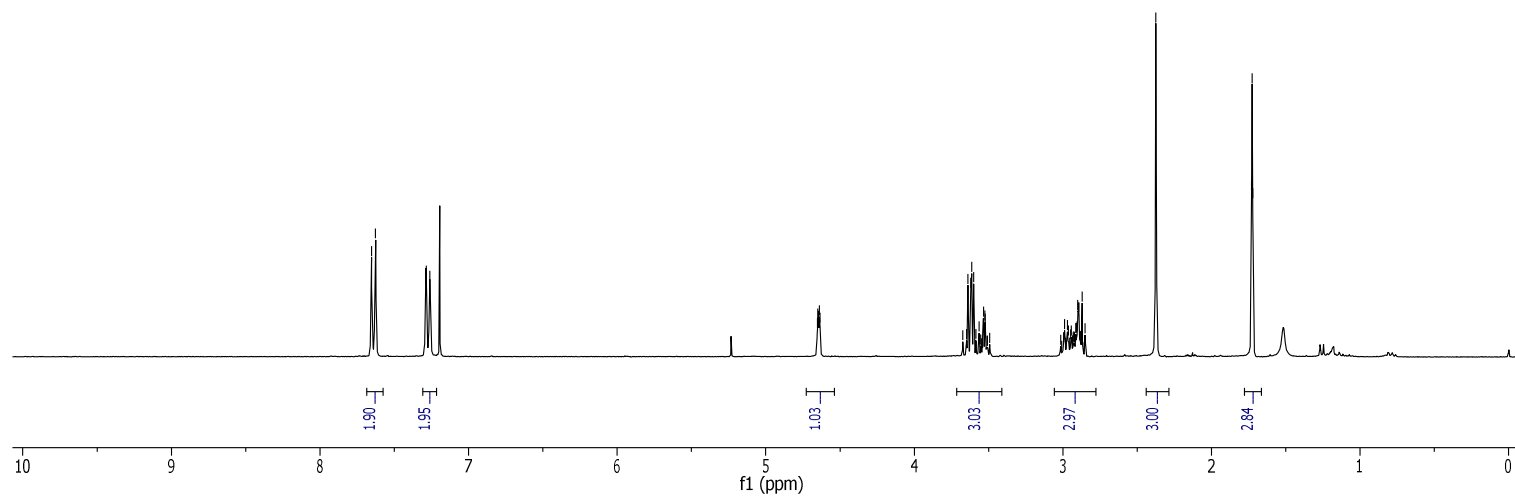
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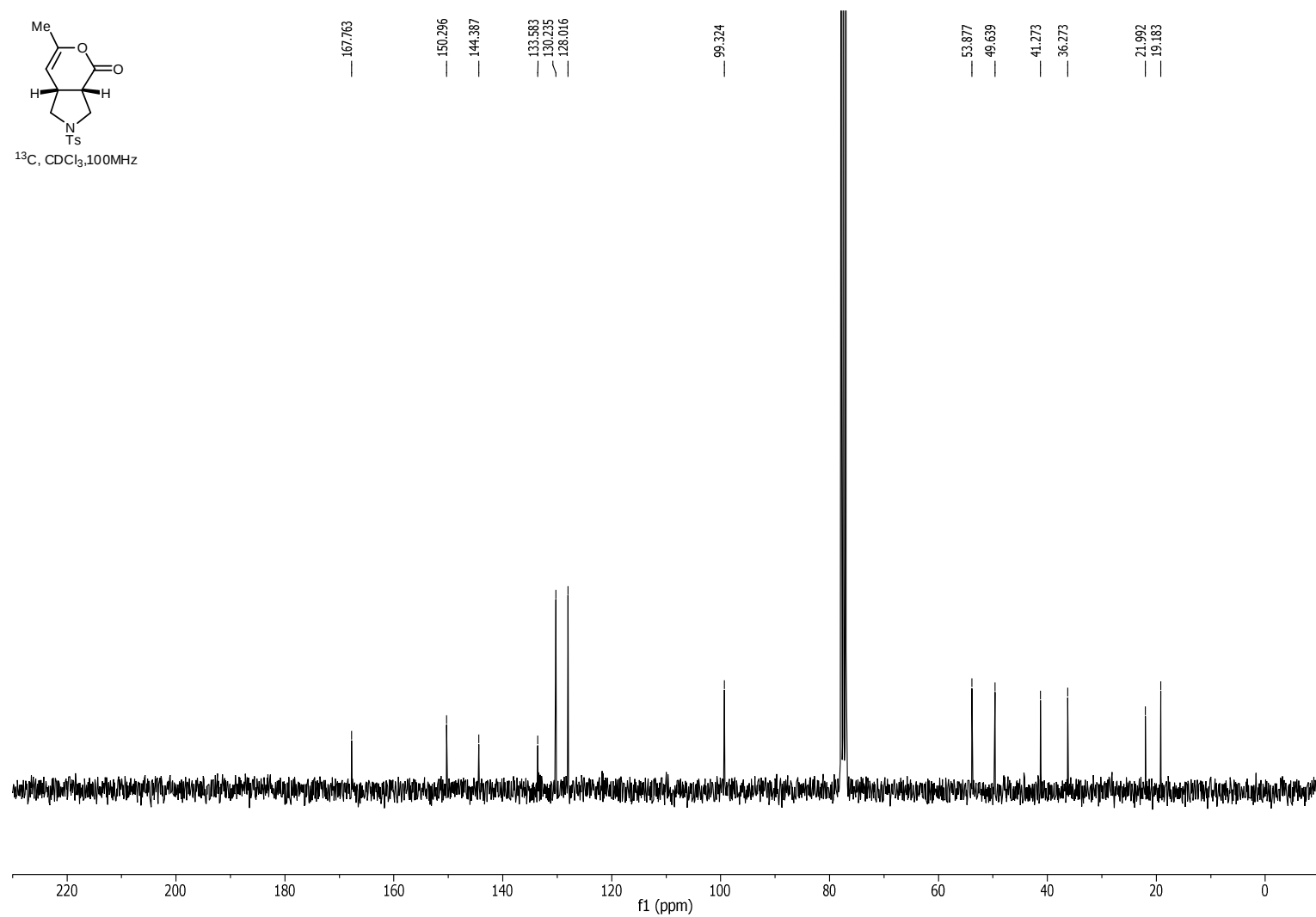
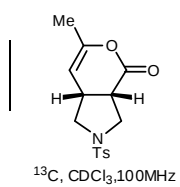
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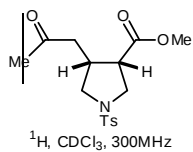
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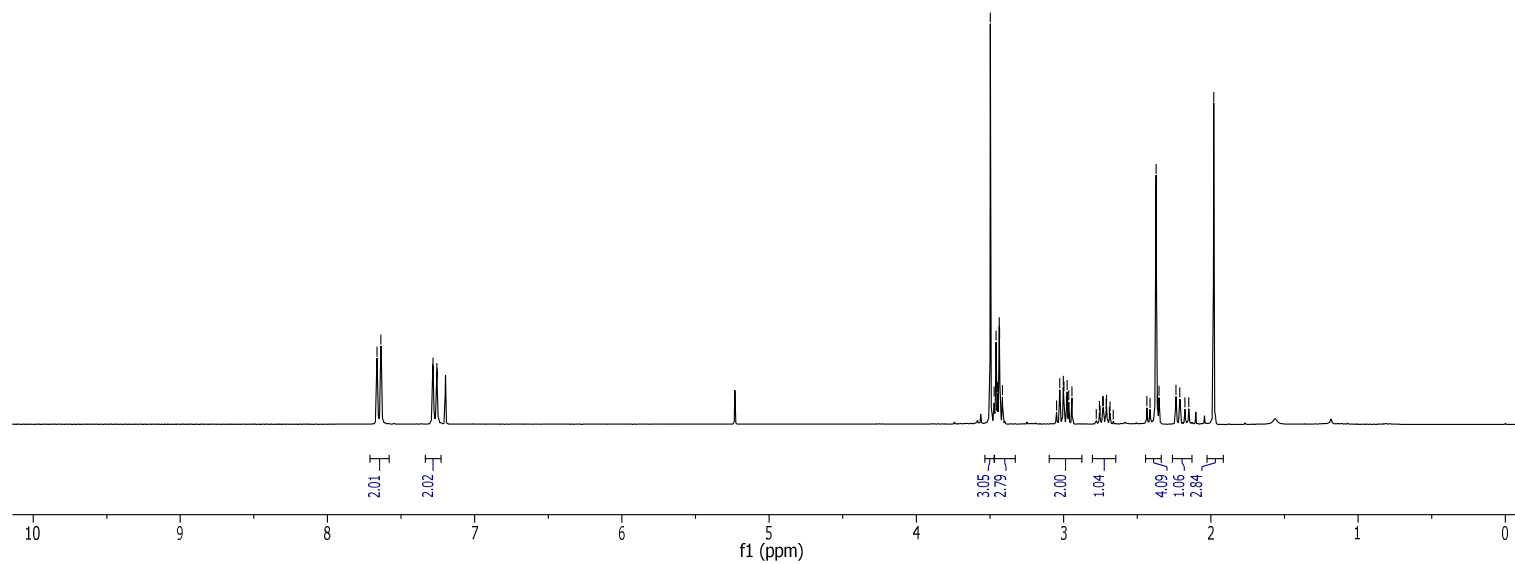


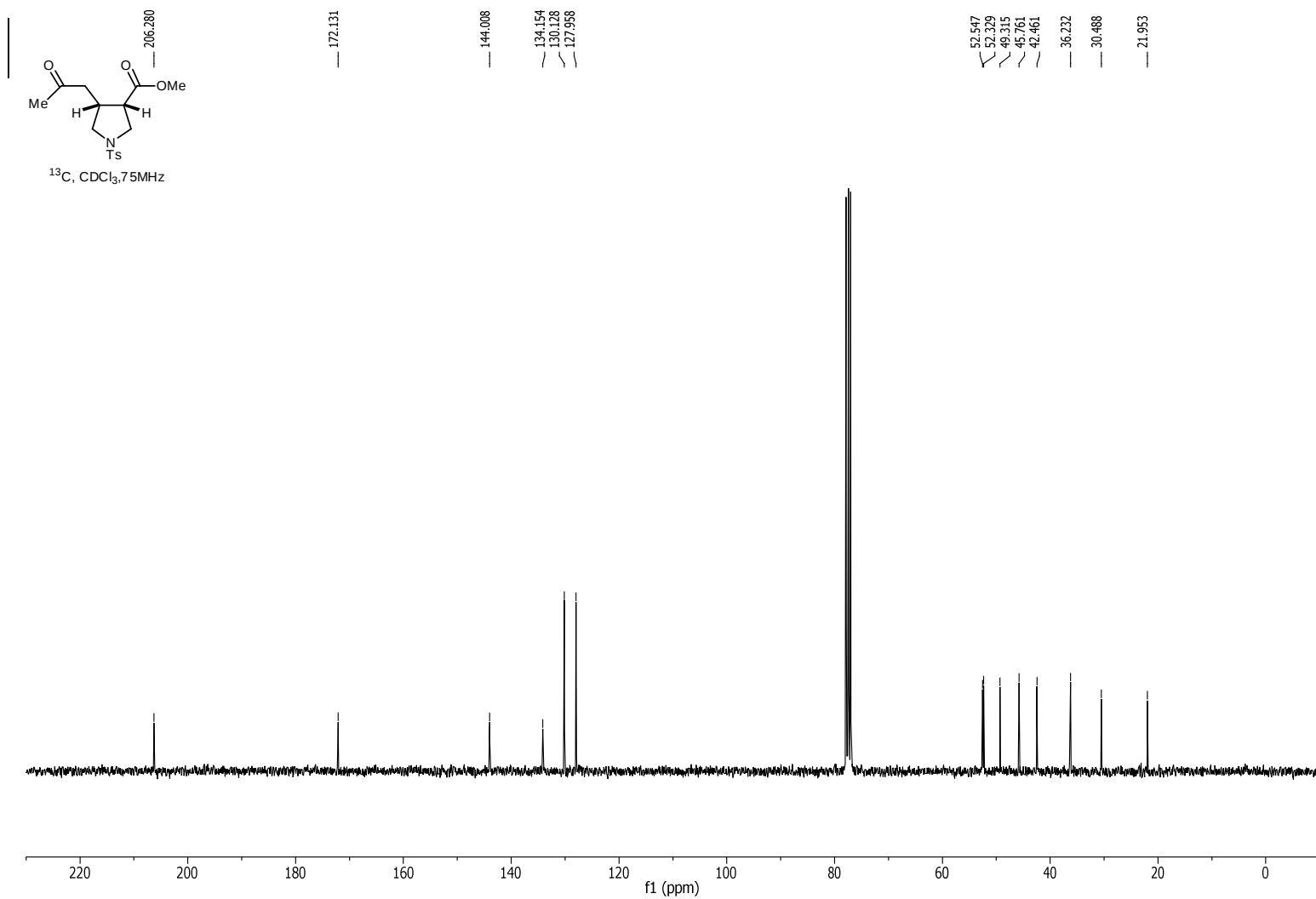
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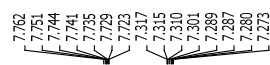
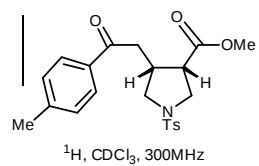
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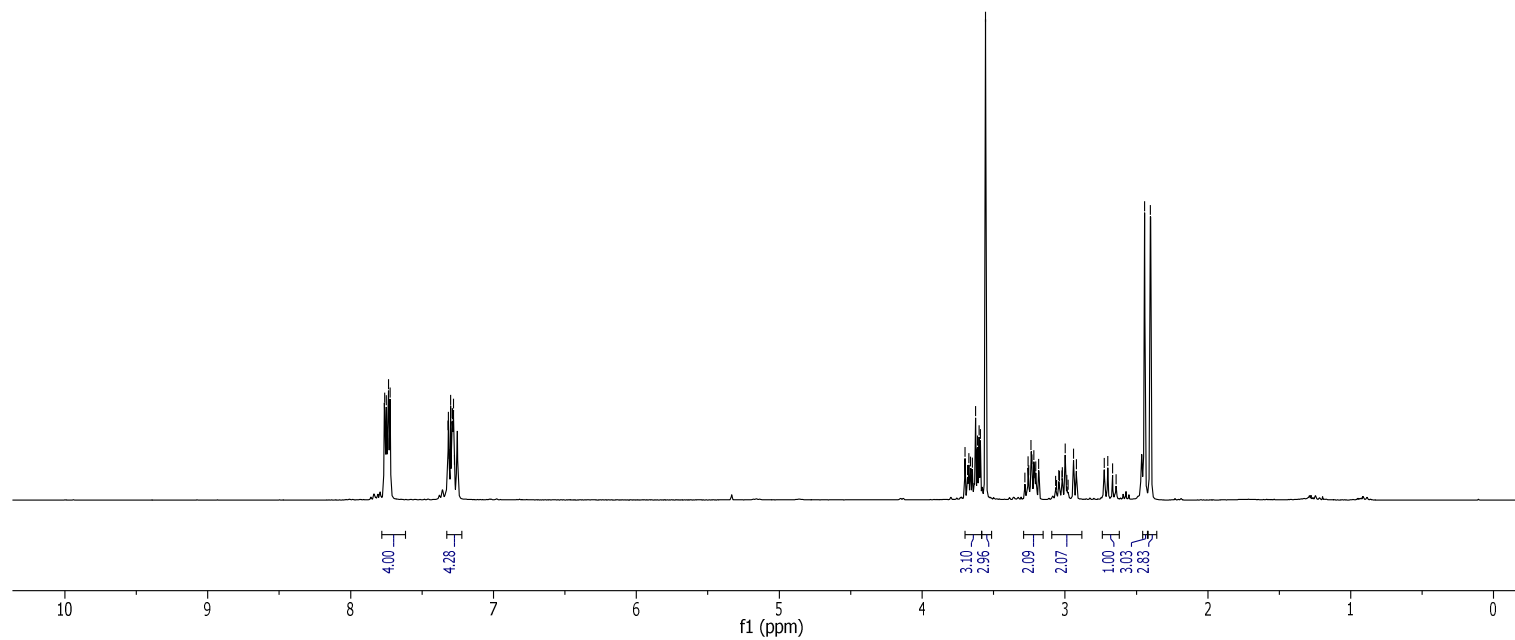
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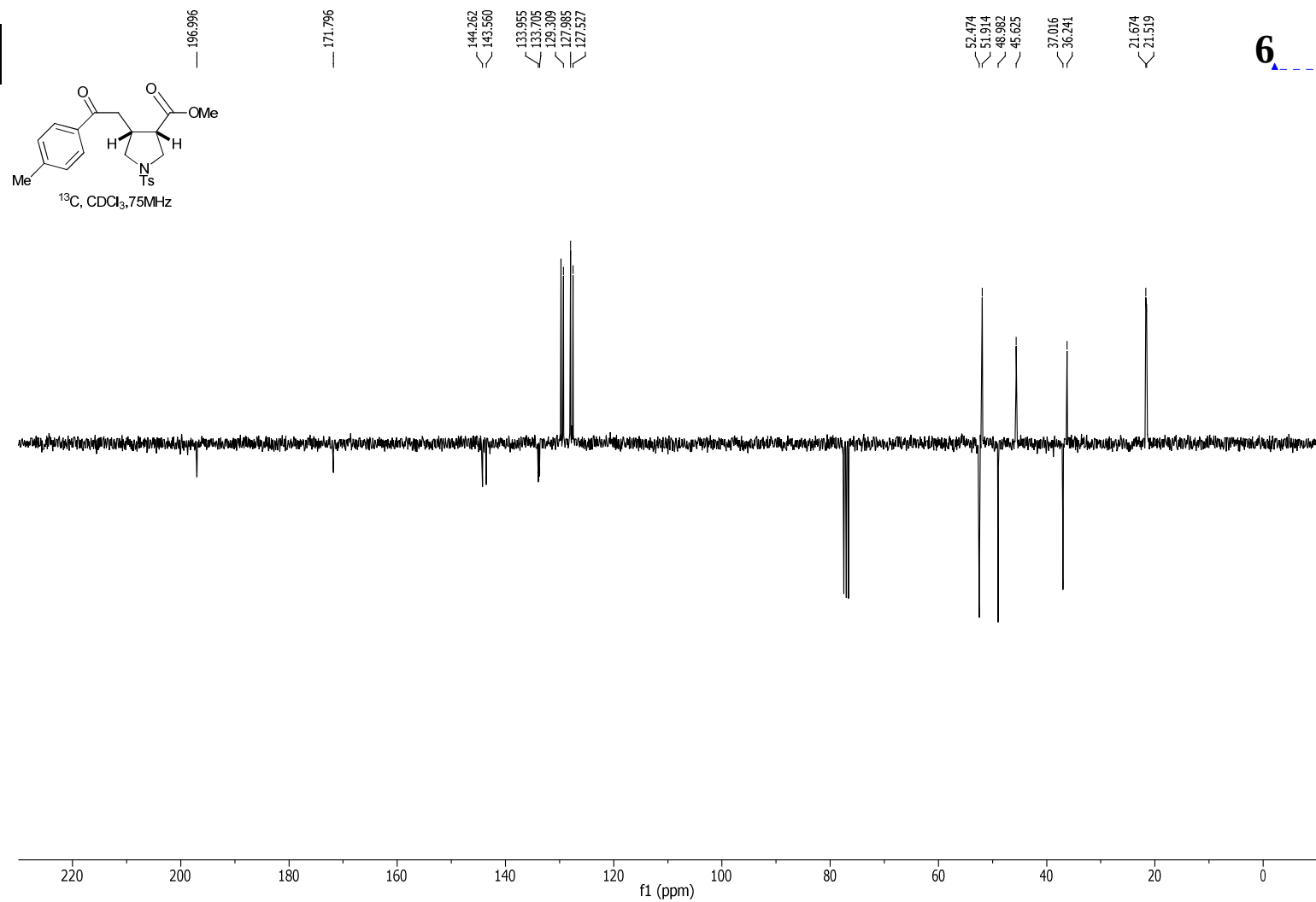
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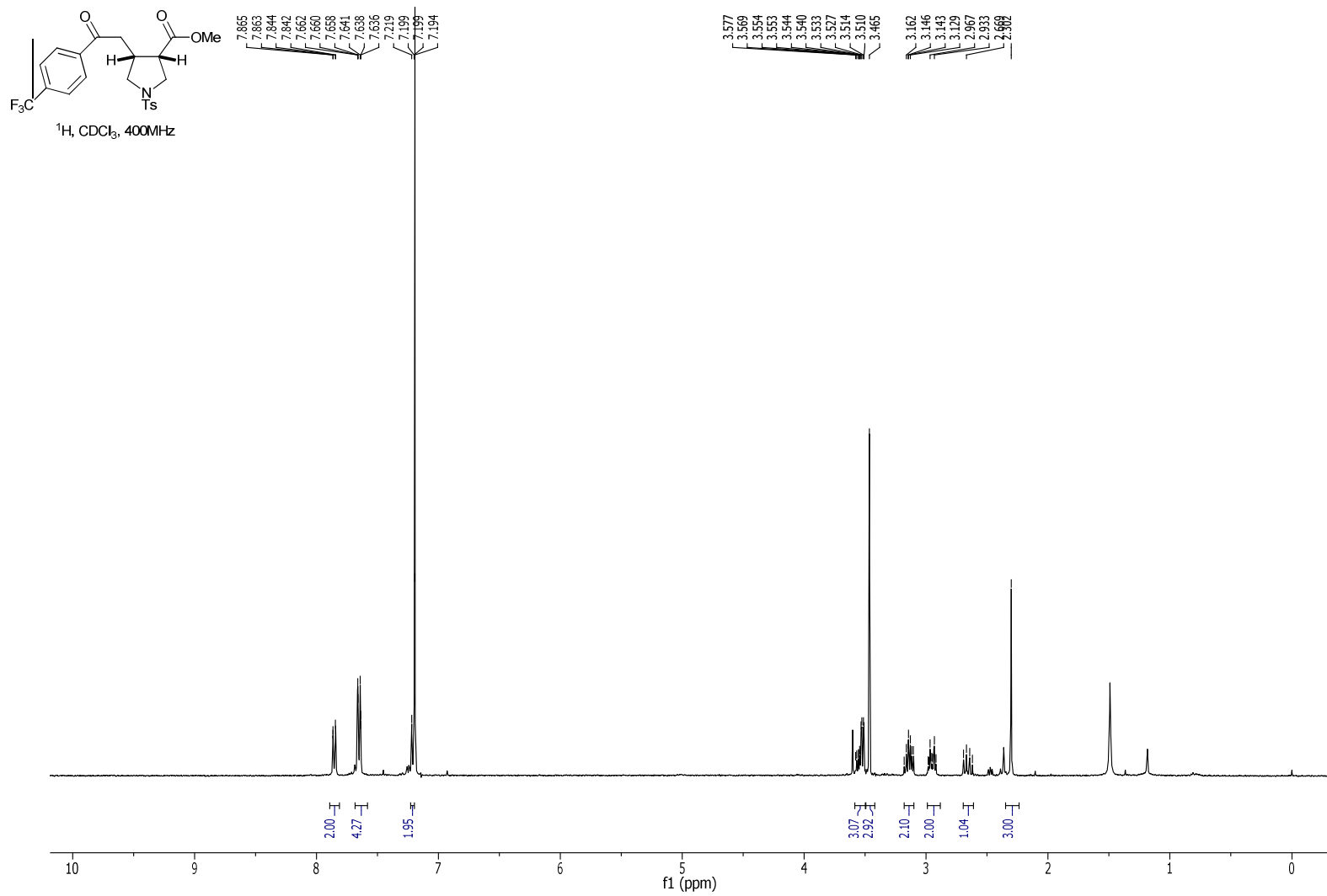
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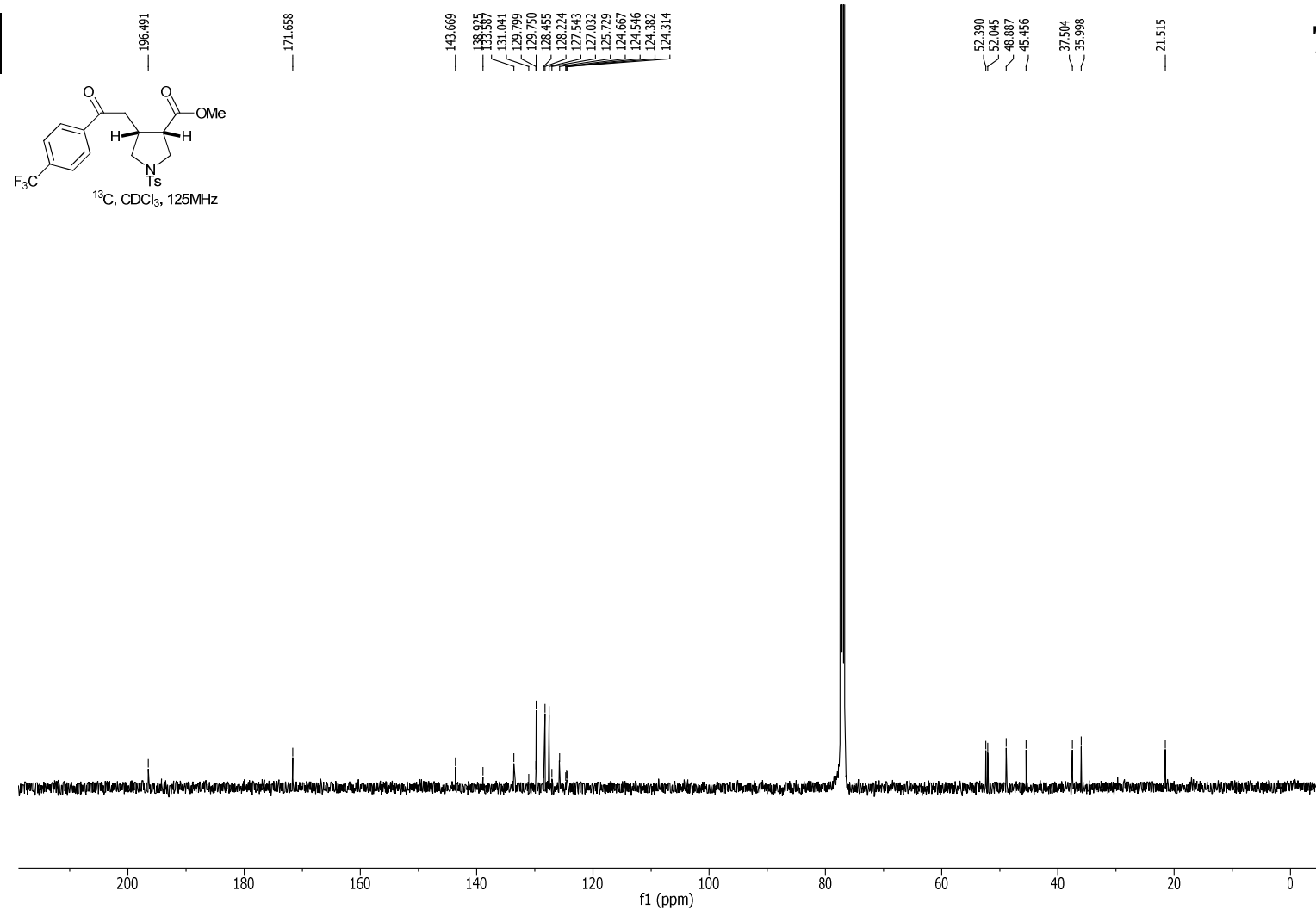
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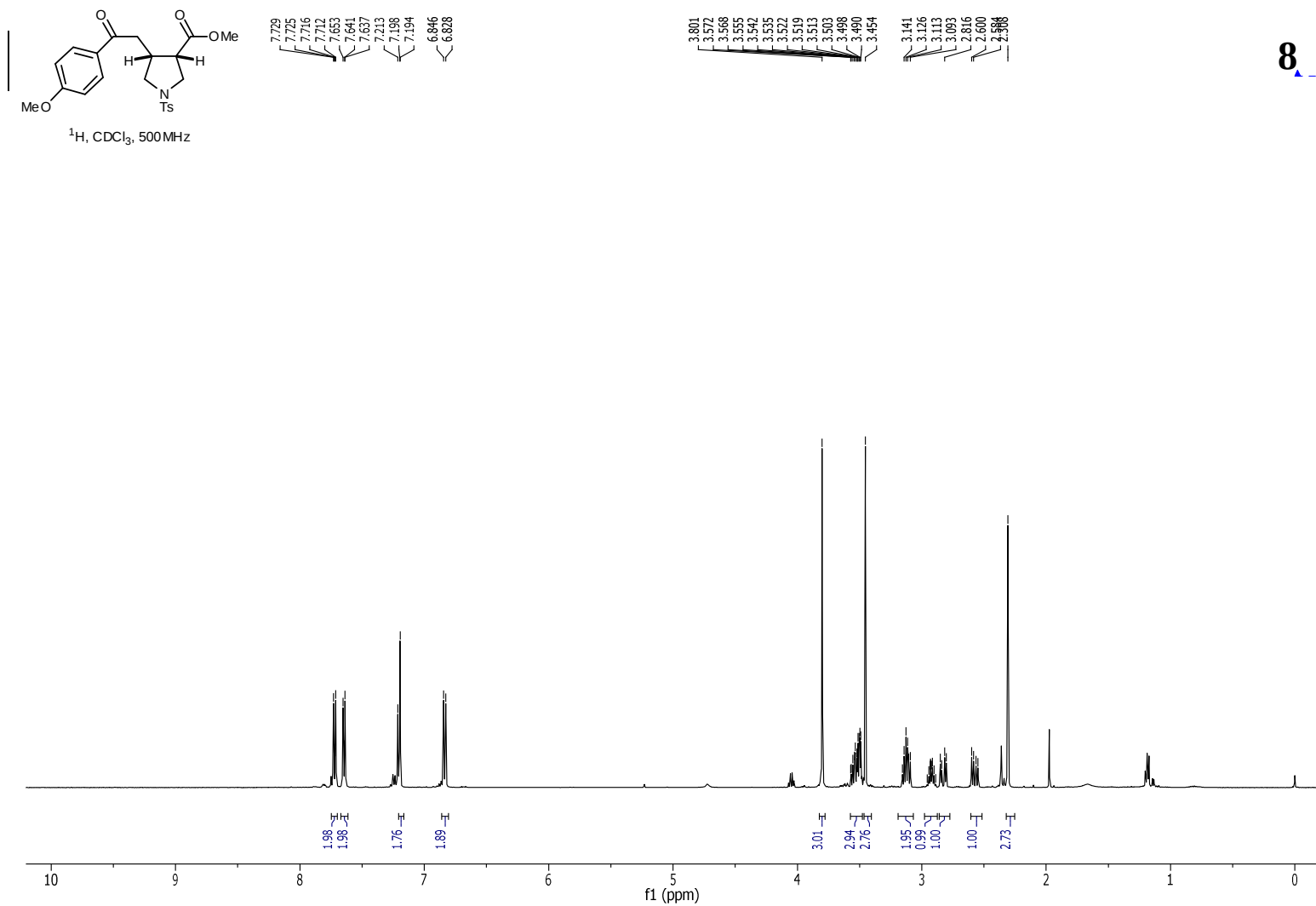
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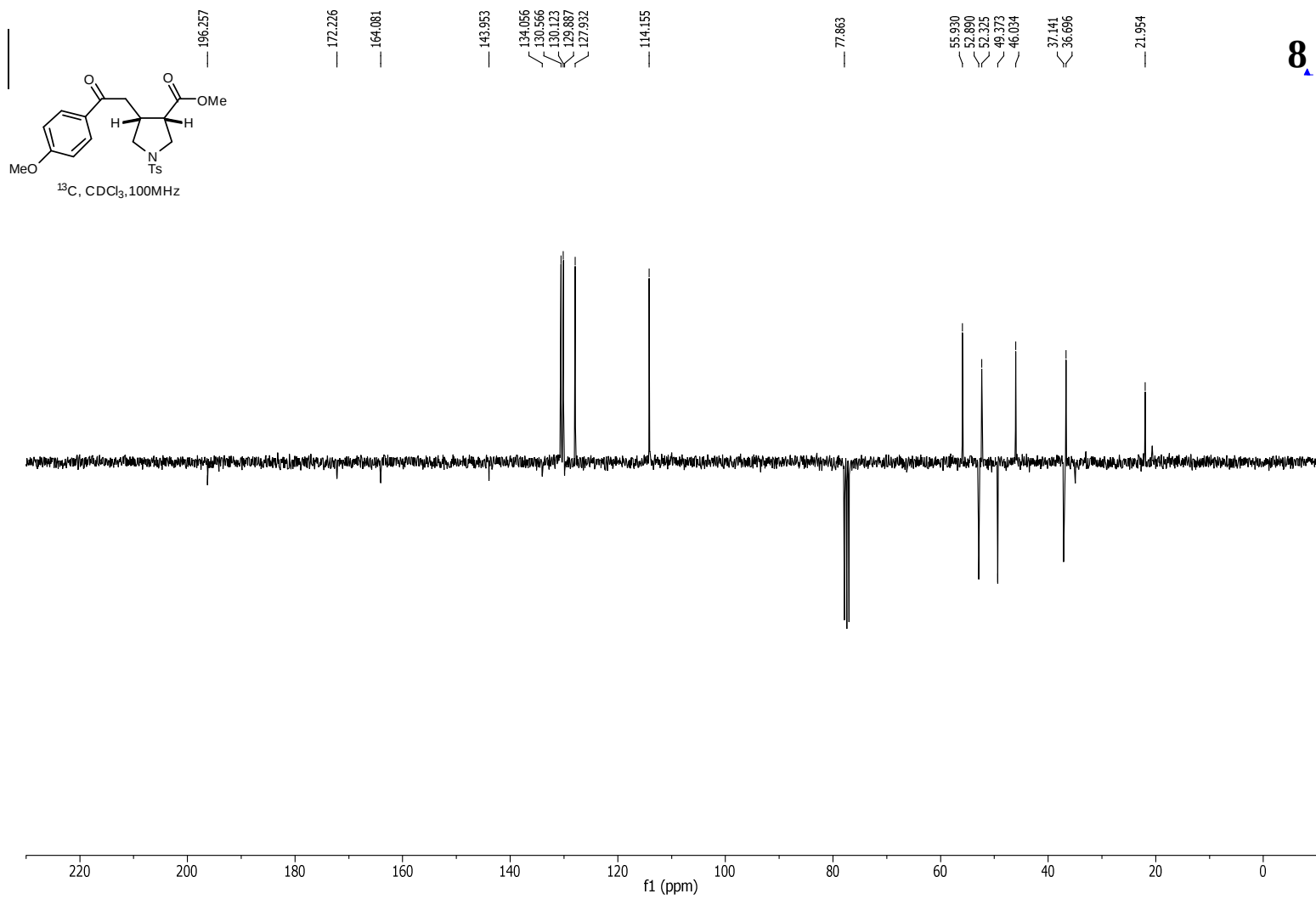
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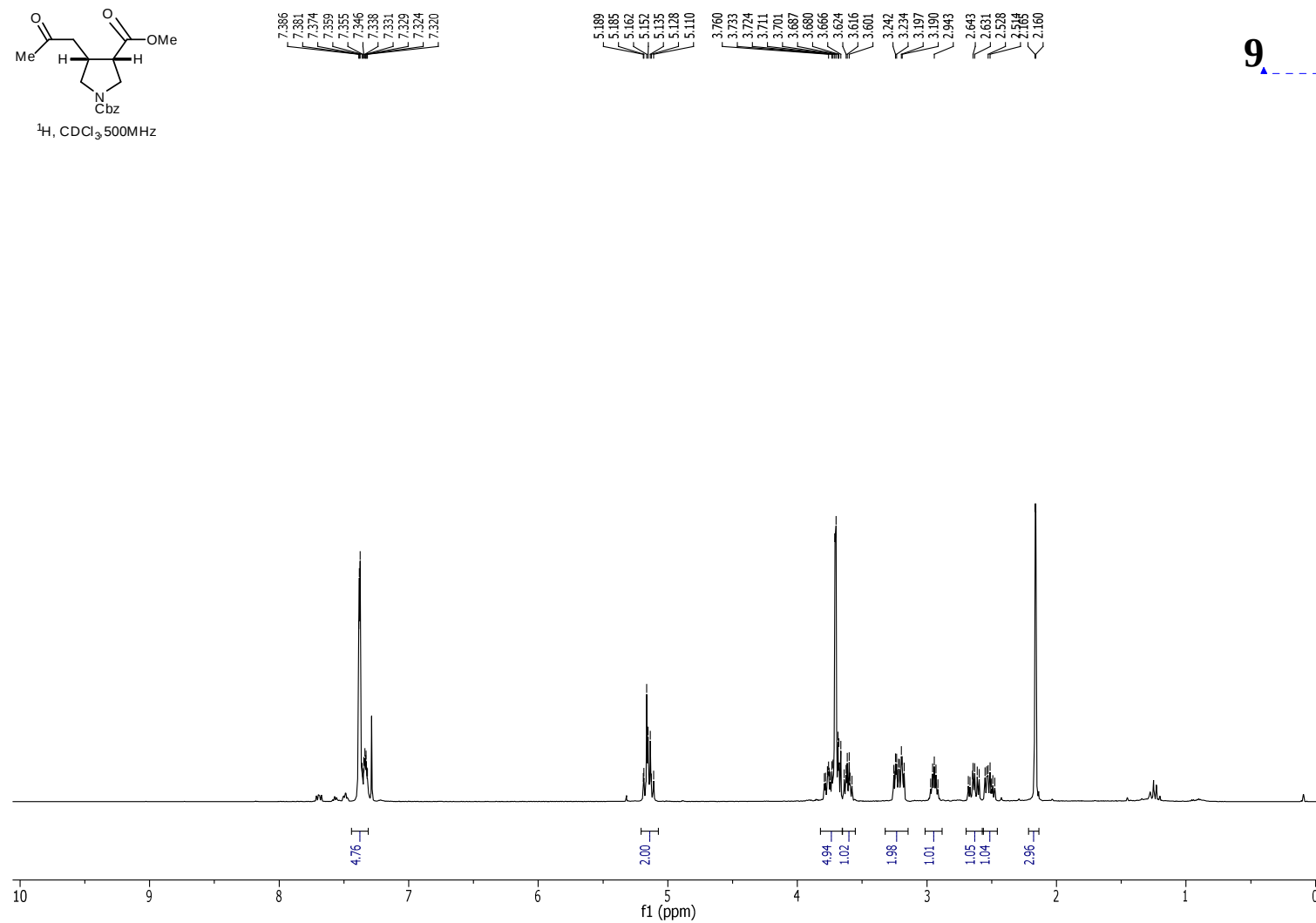
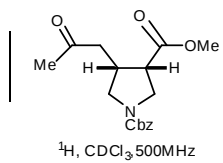
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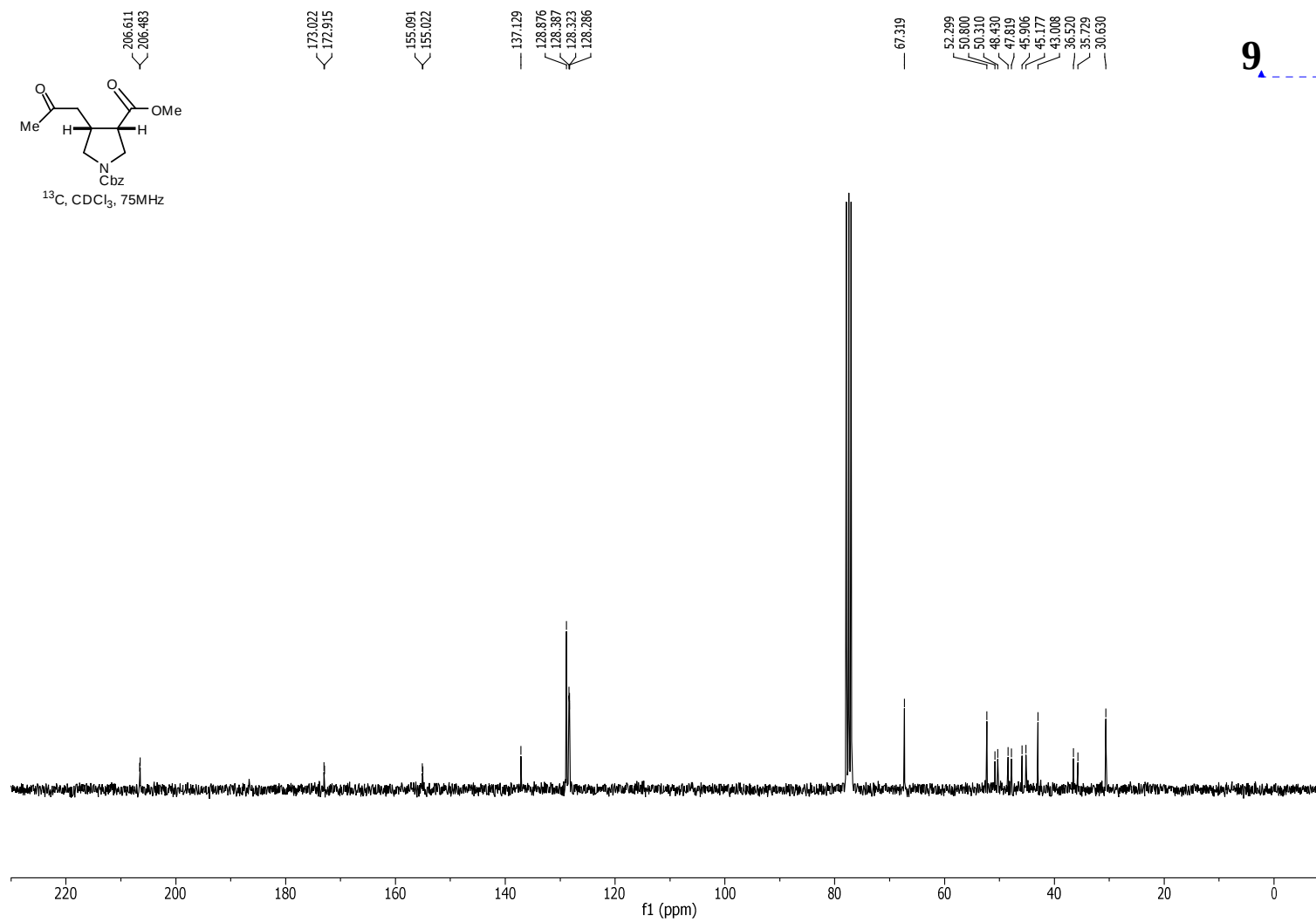
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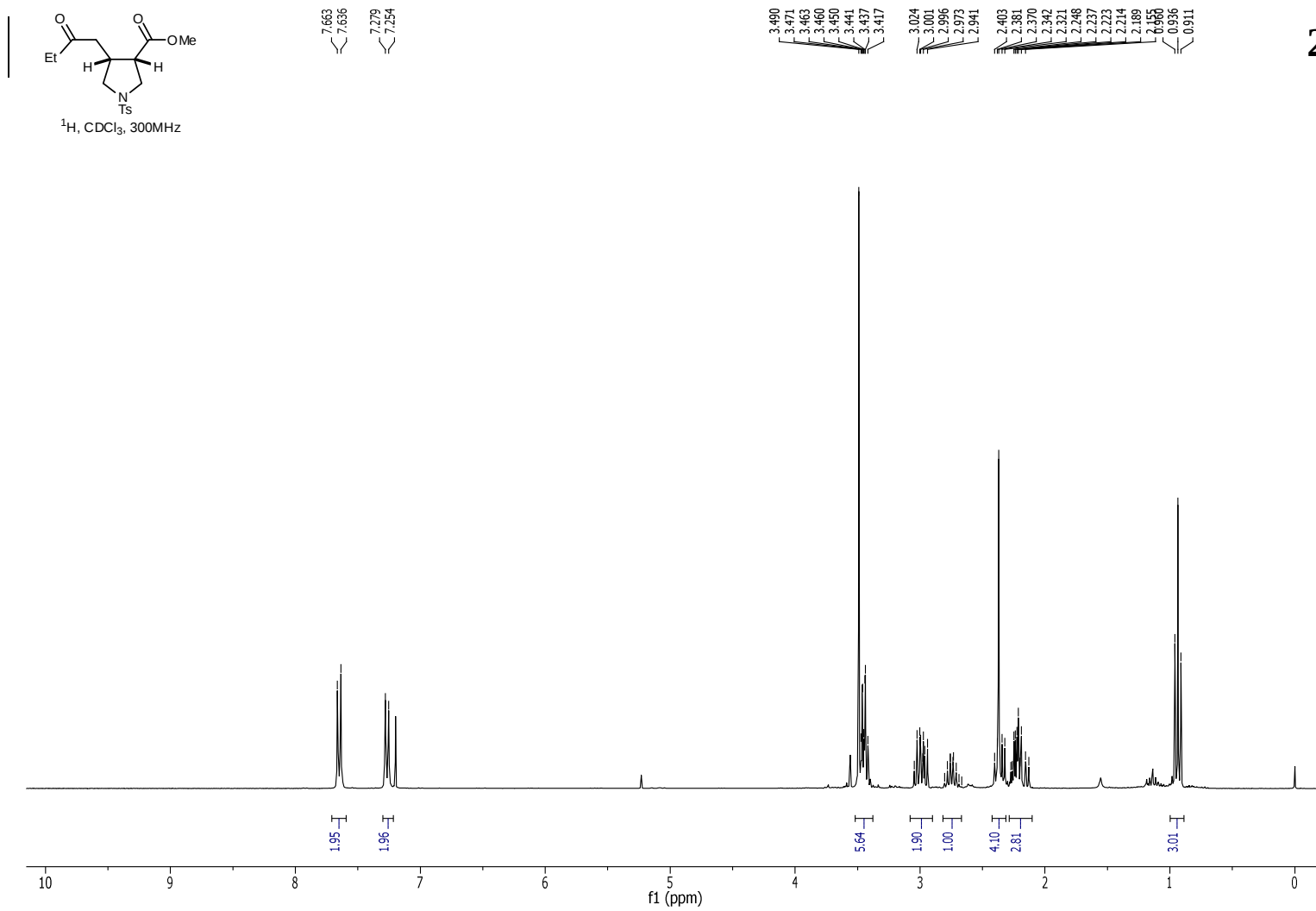
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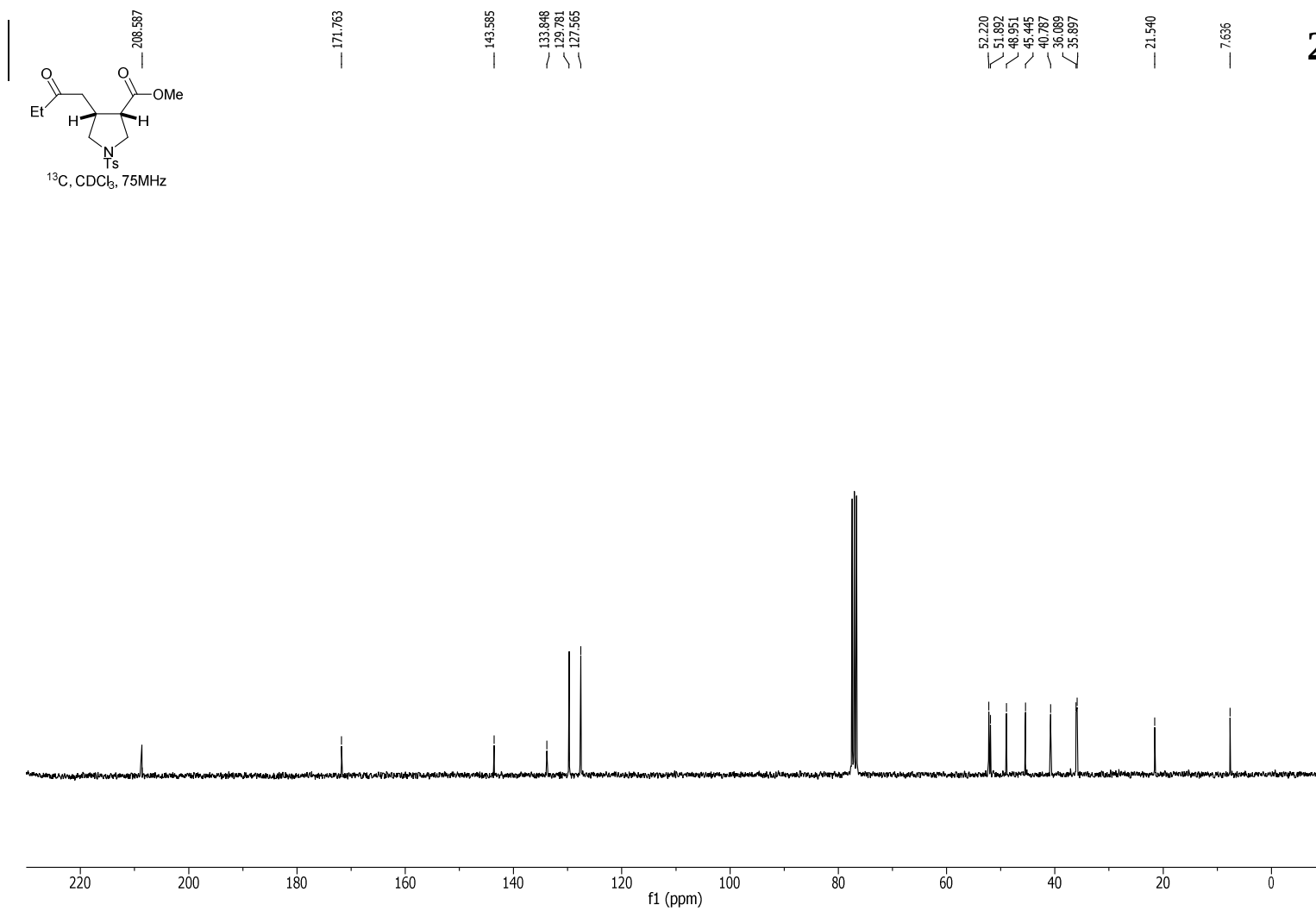
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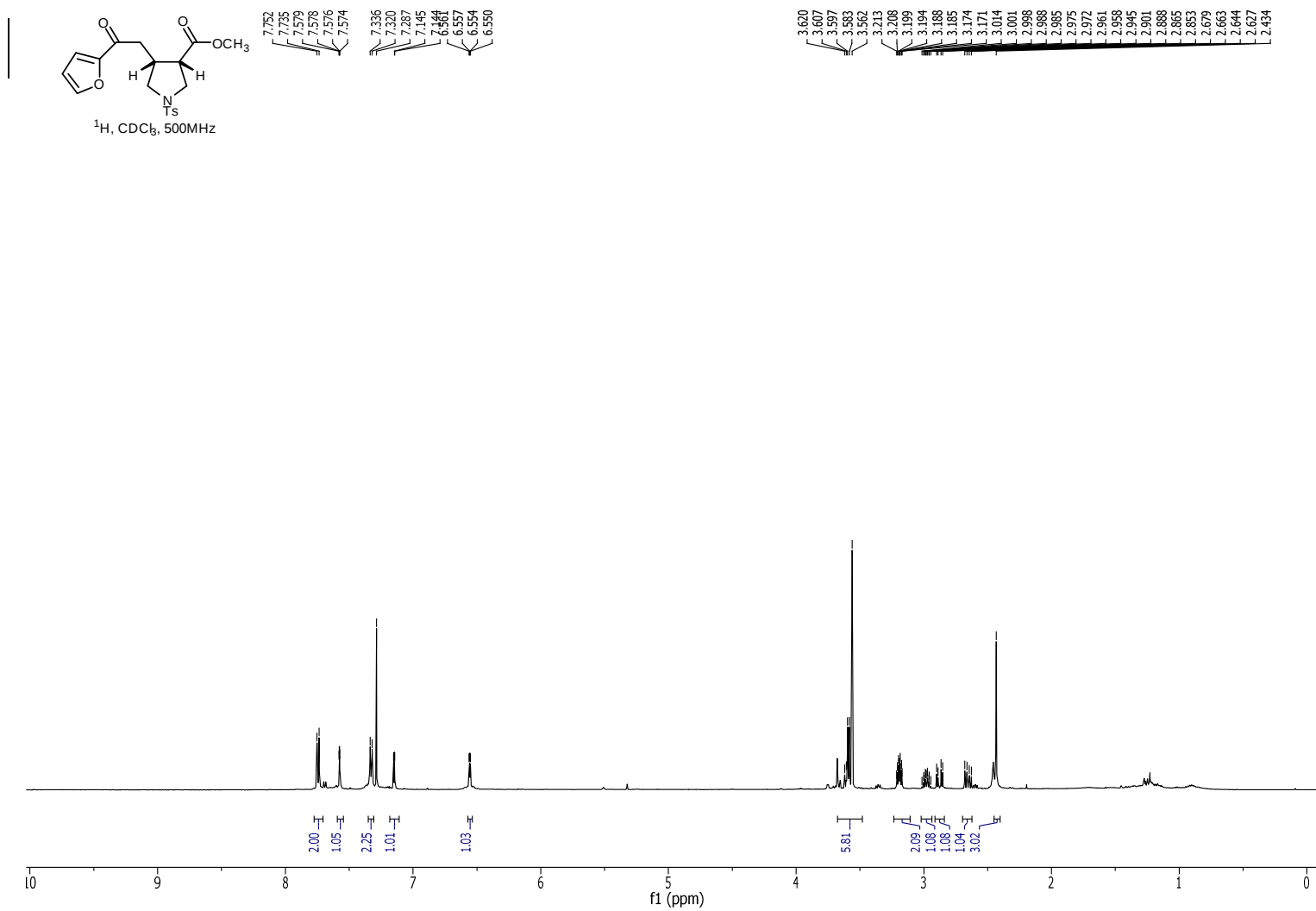
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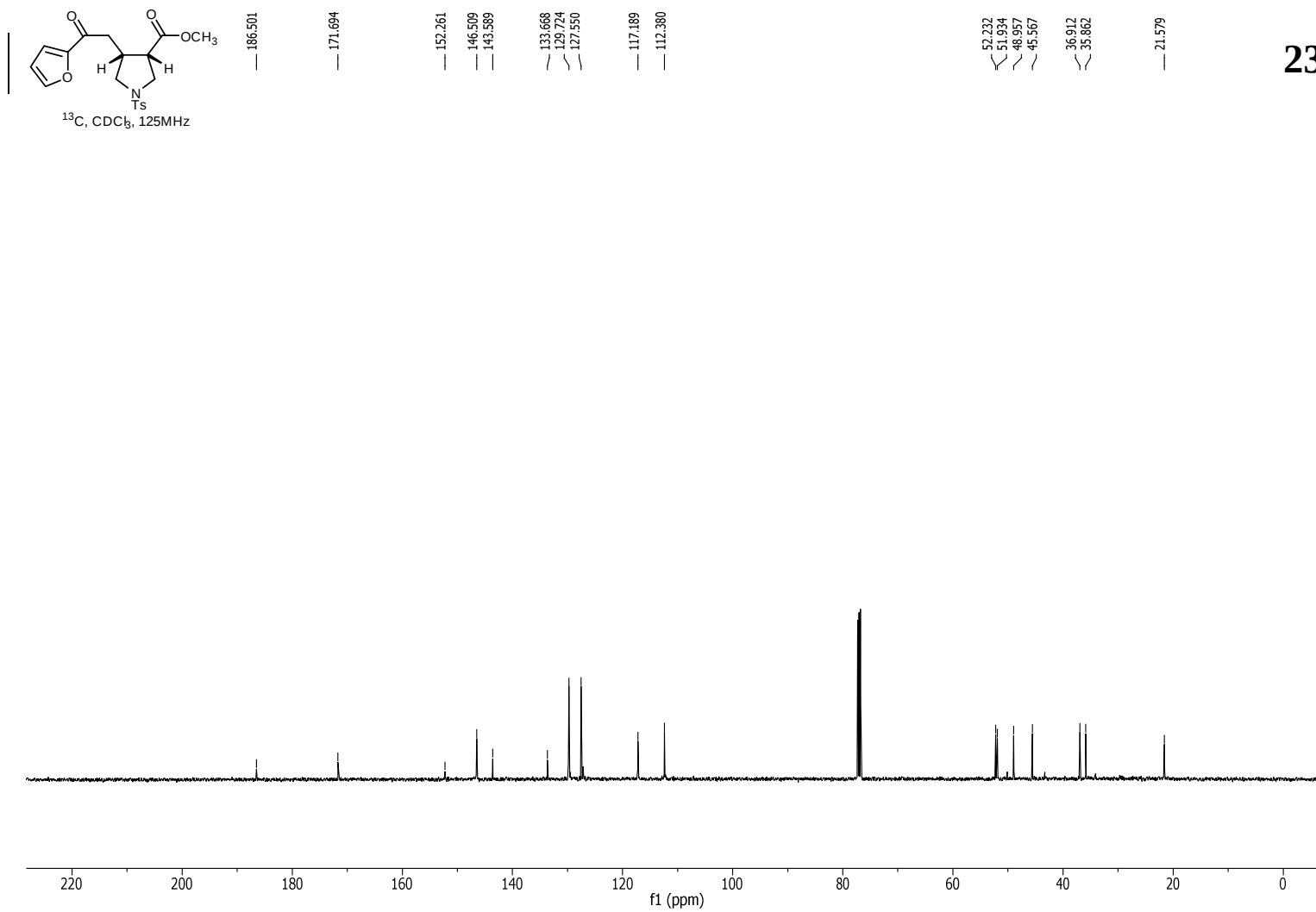
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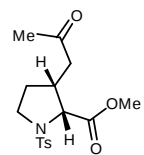
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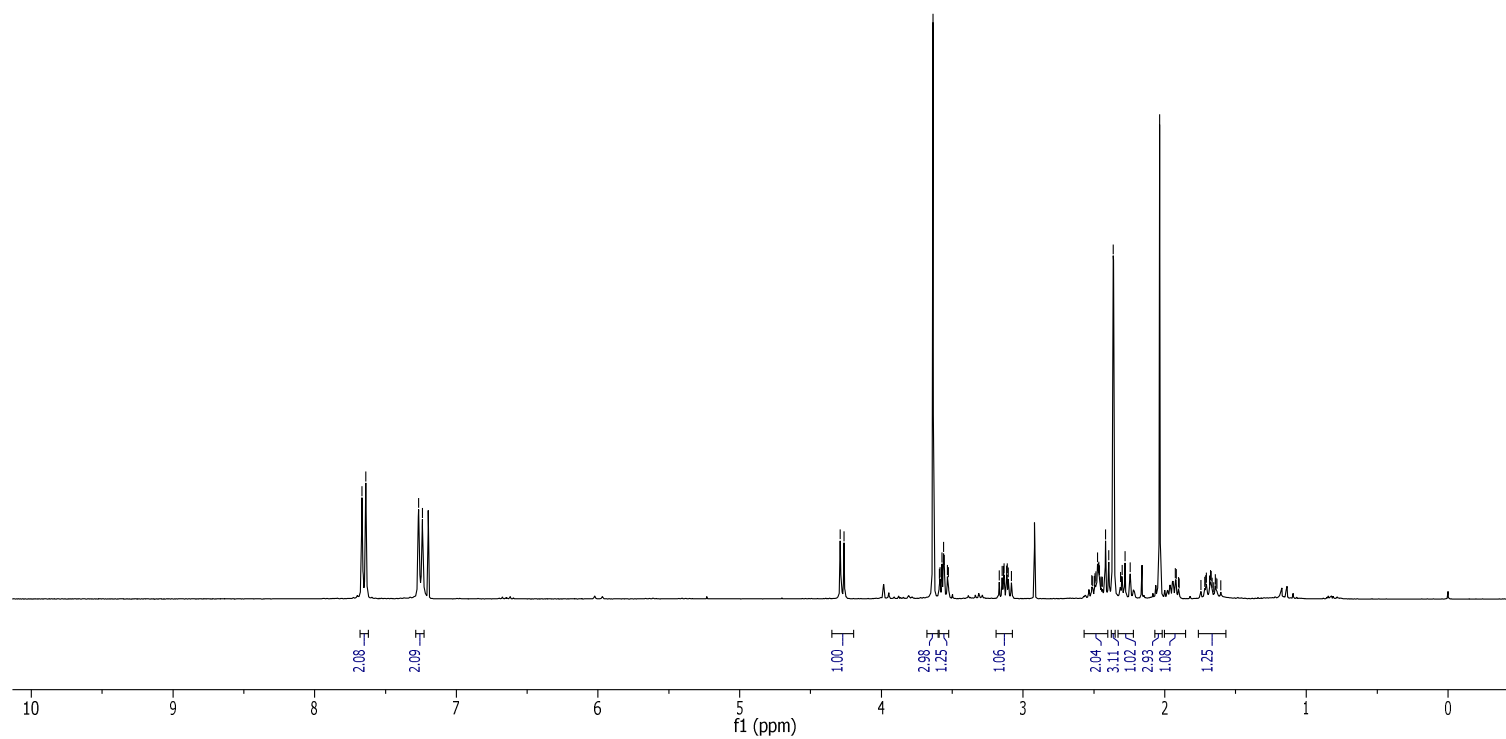
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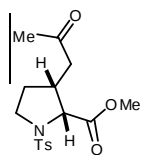
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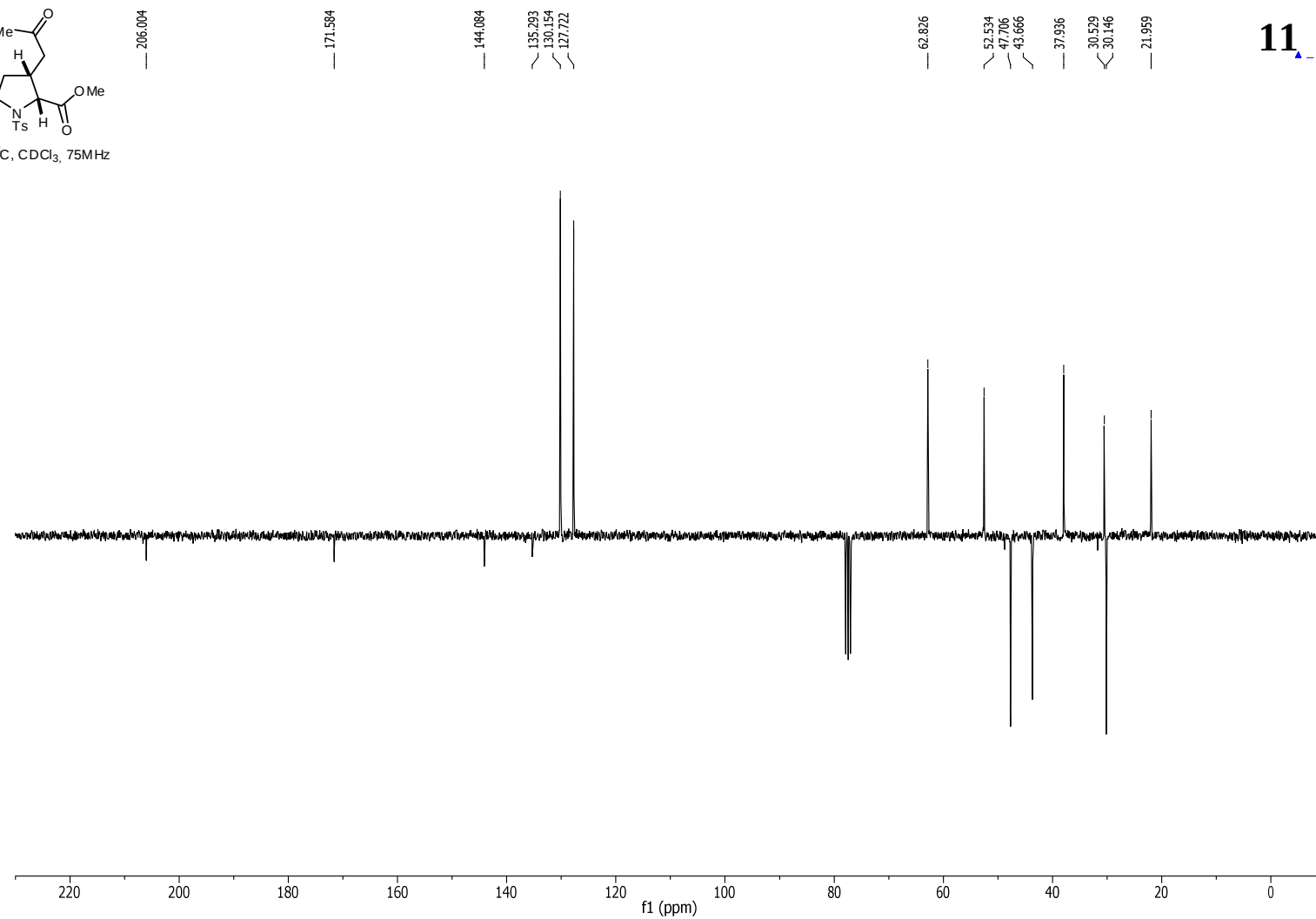
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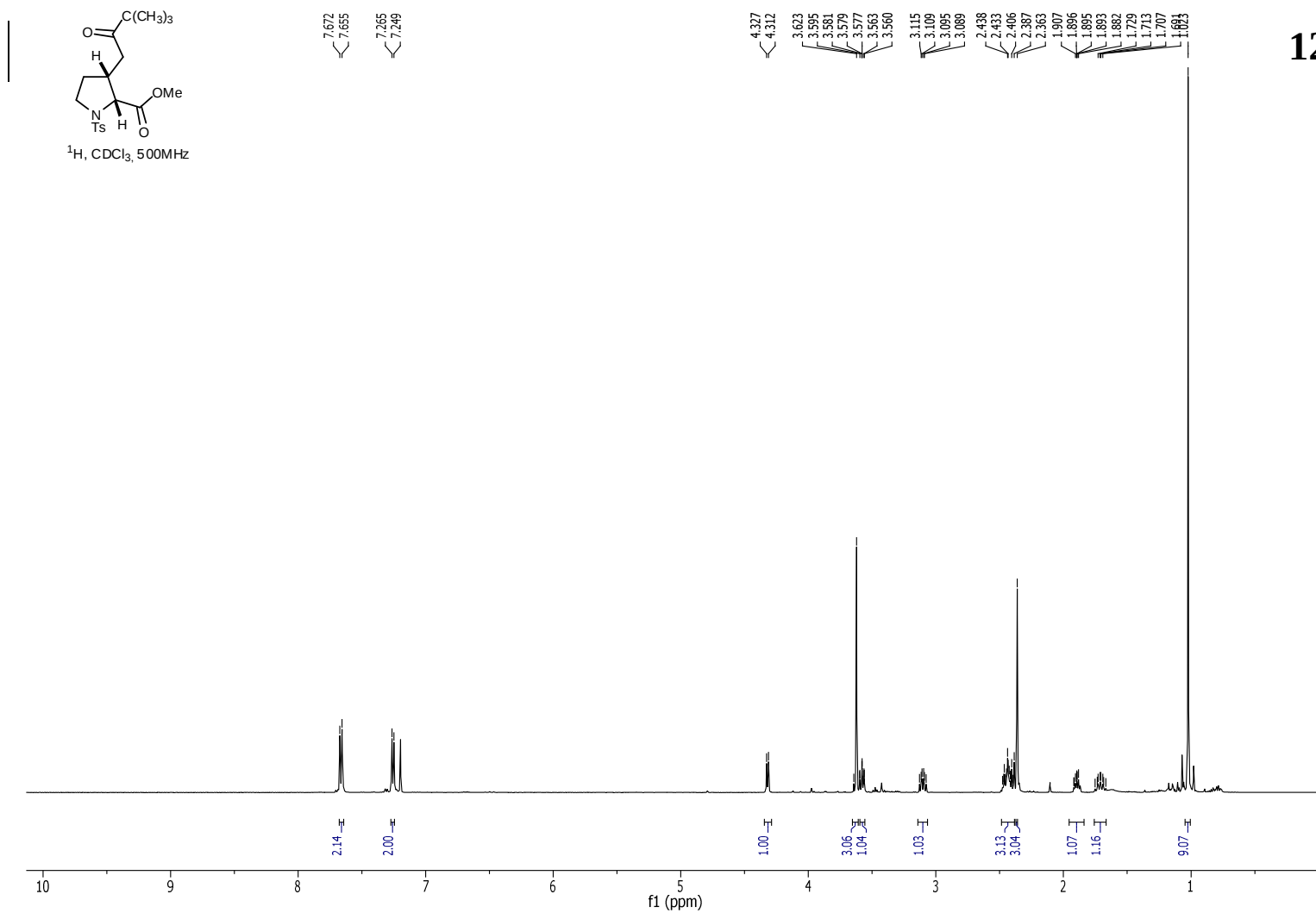


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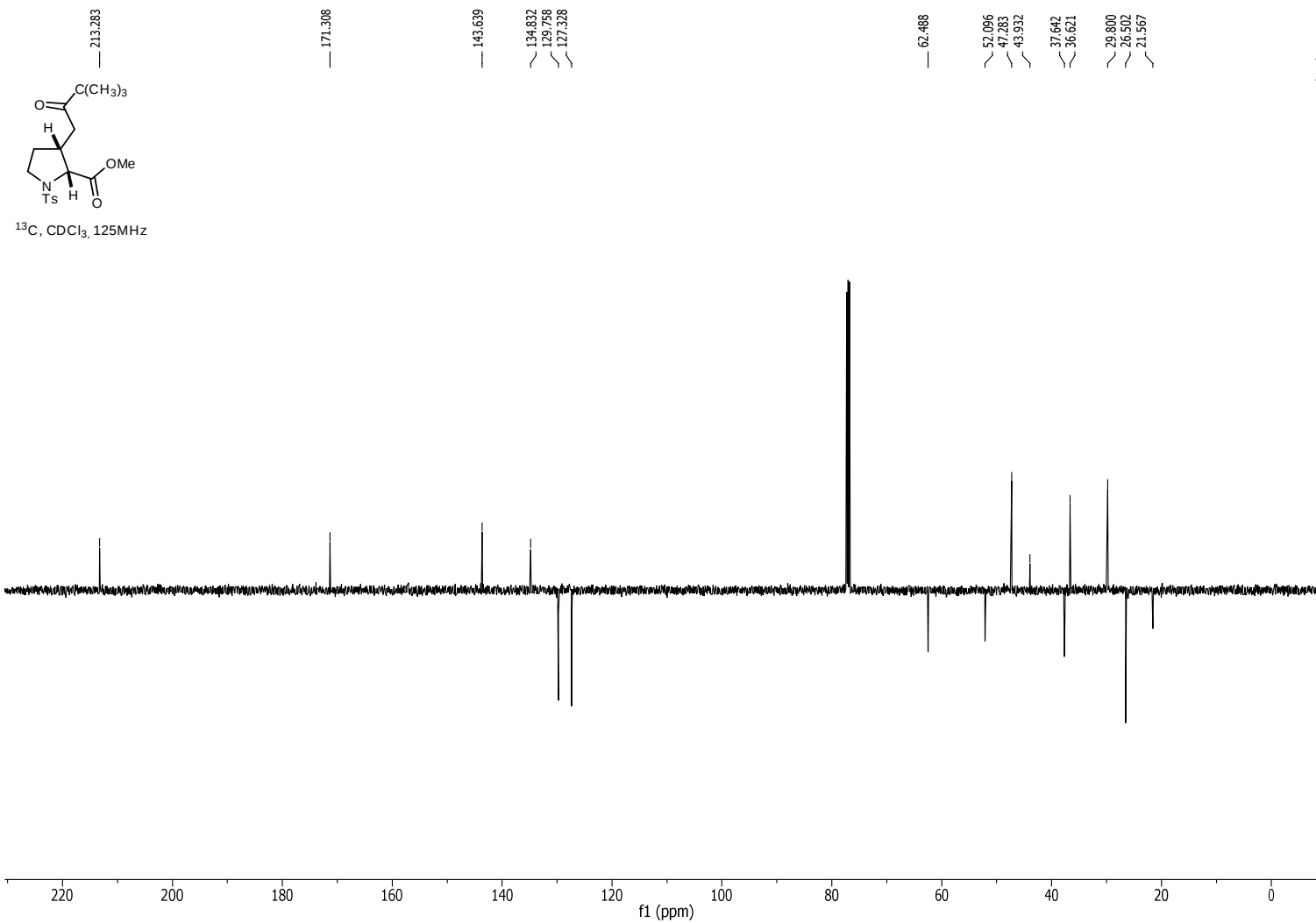
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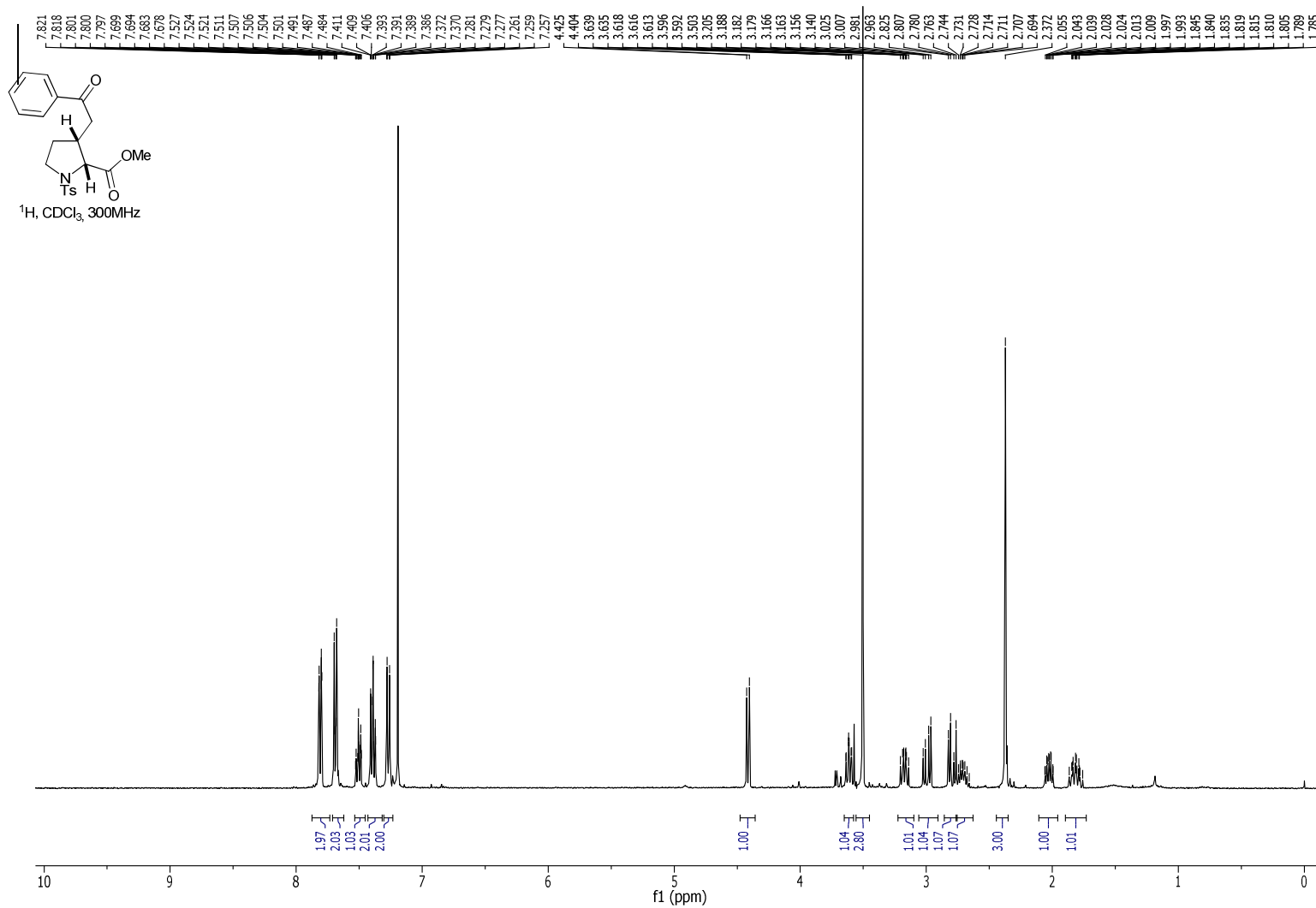
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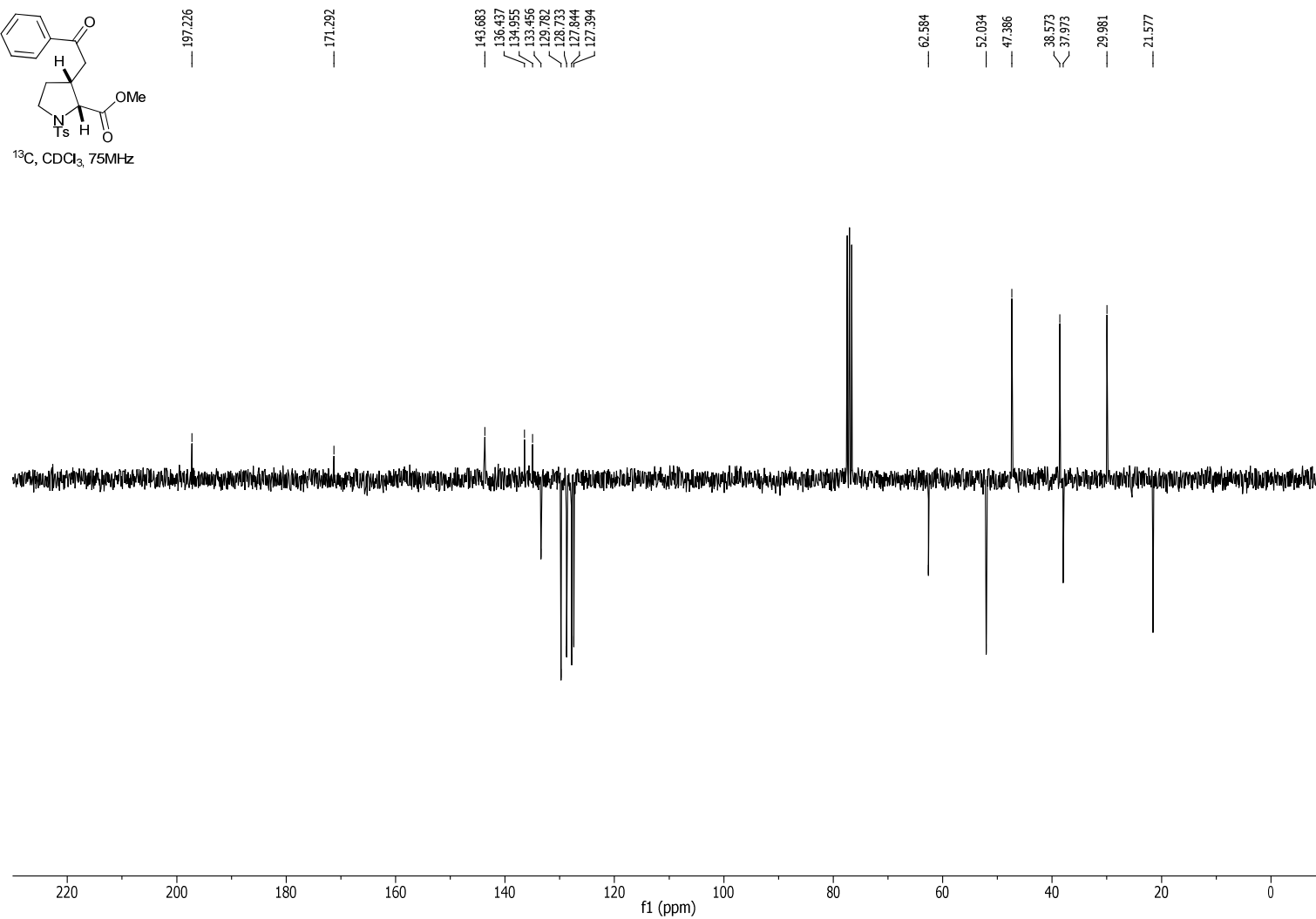
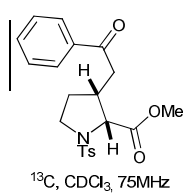
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Français (France)



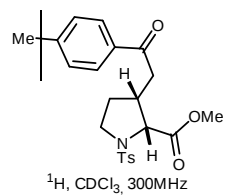
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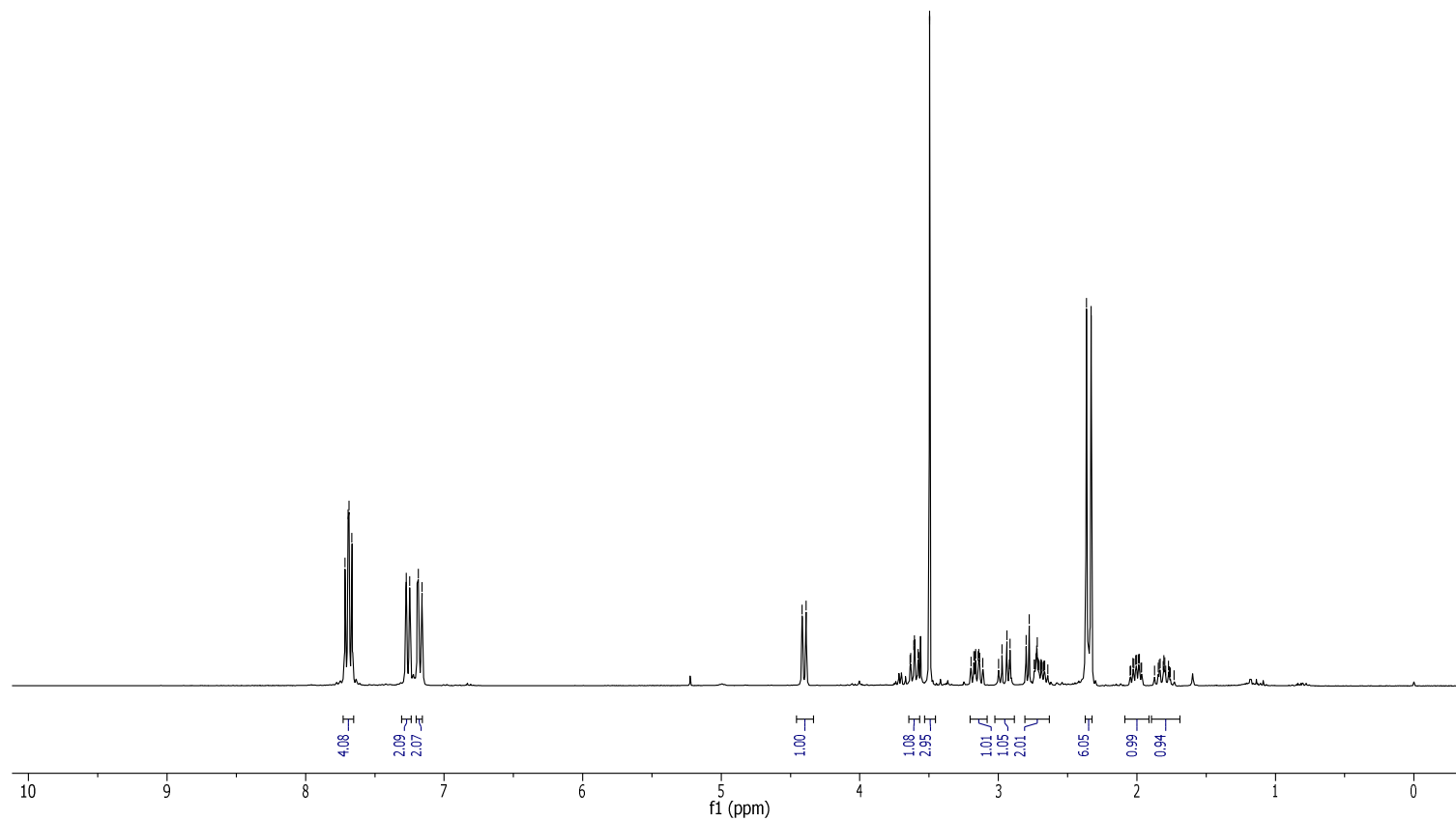
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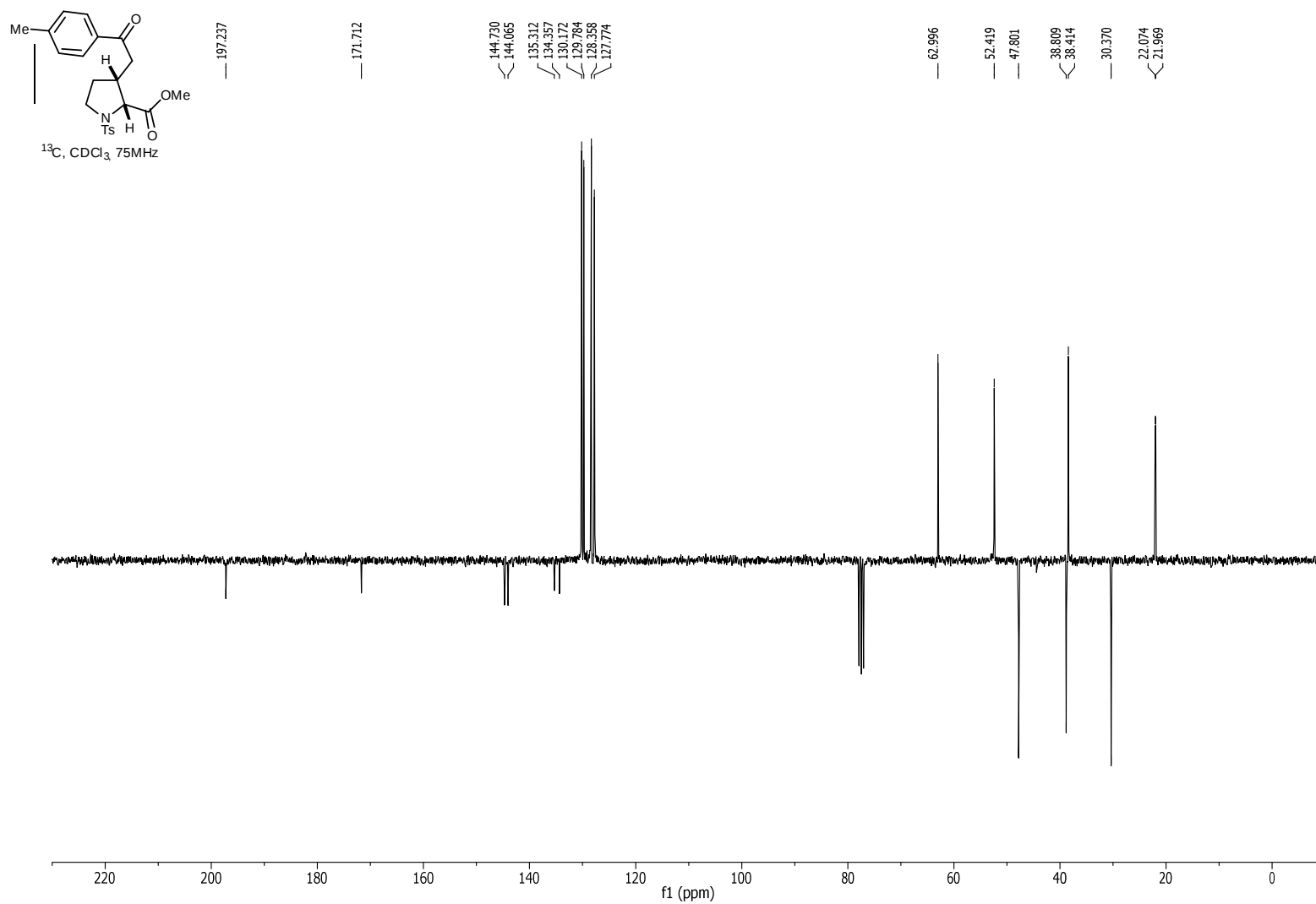
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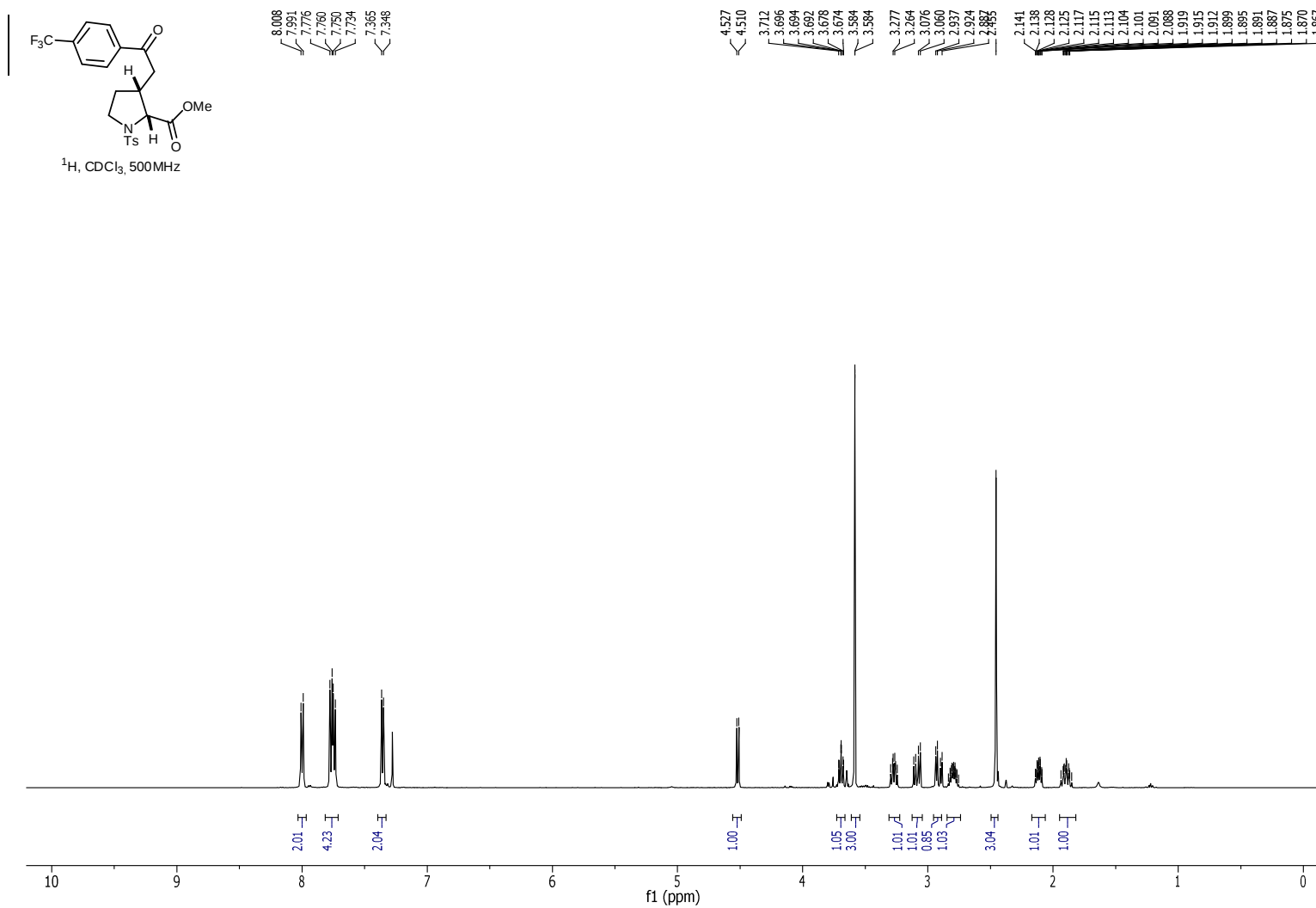
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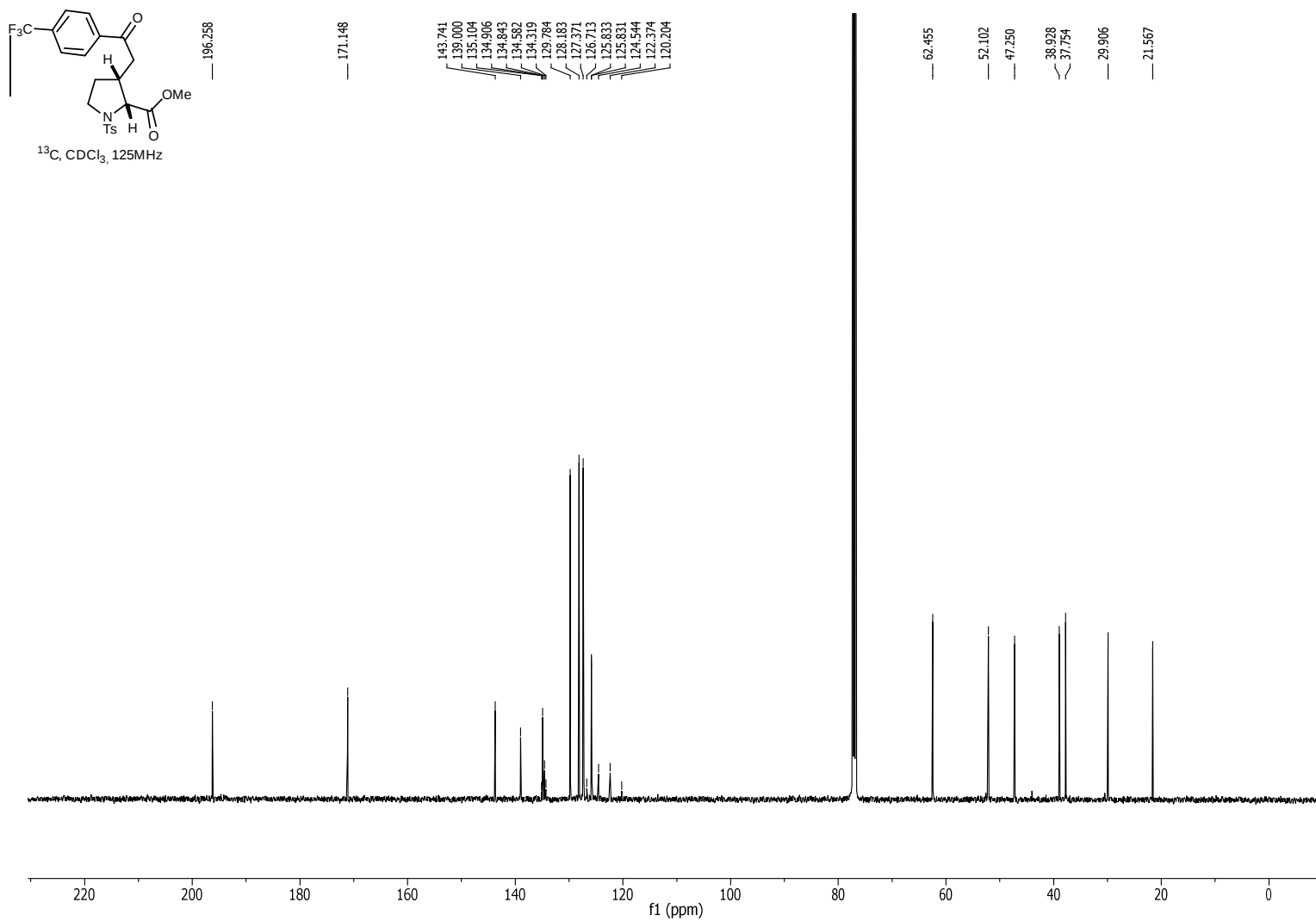
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Français (France)



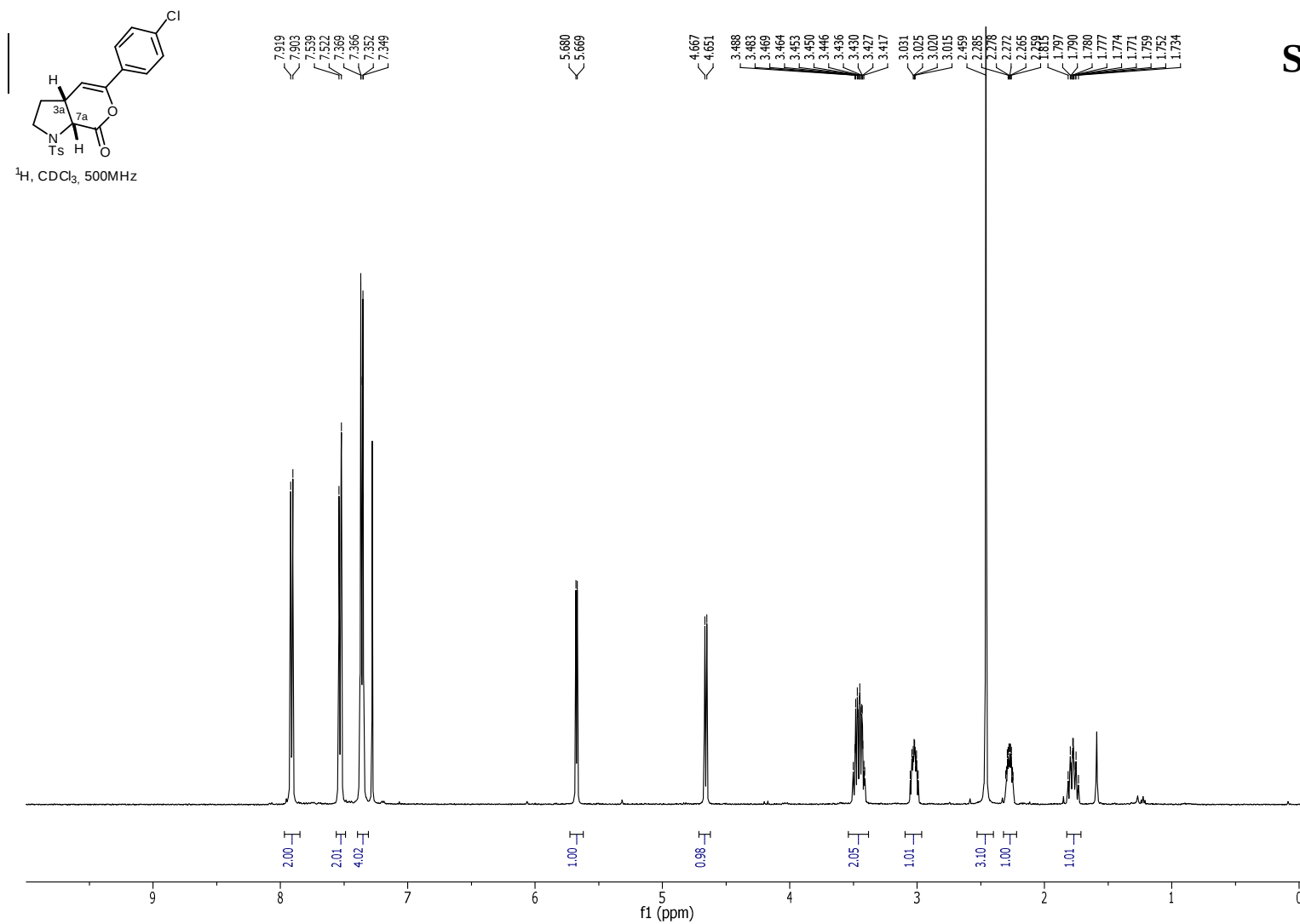
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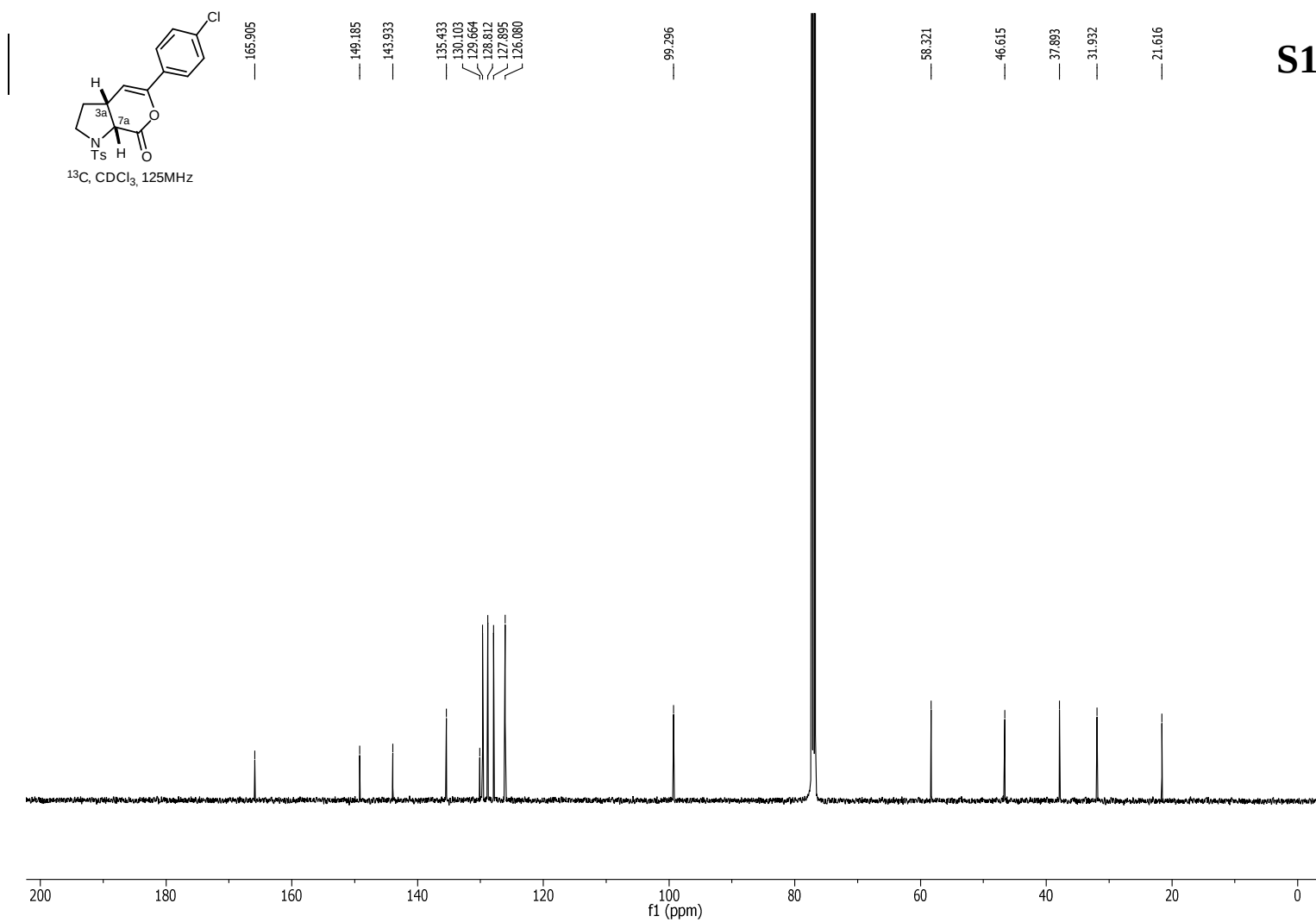
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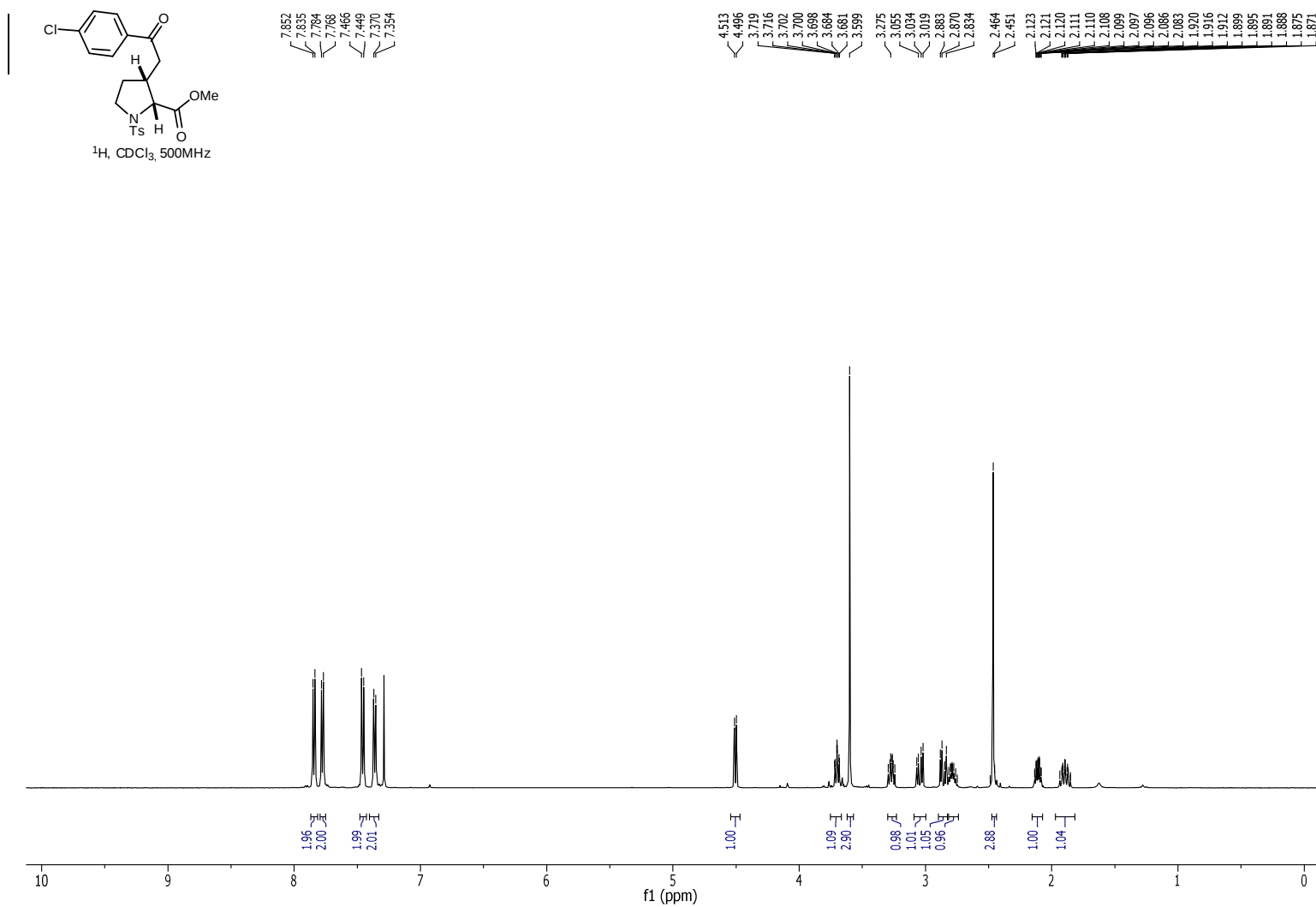
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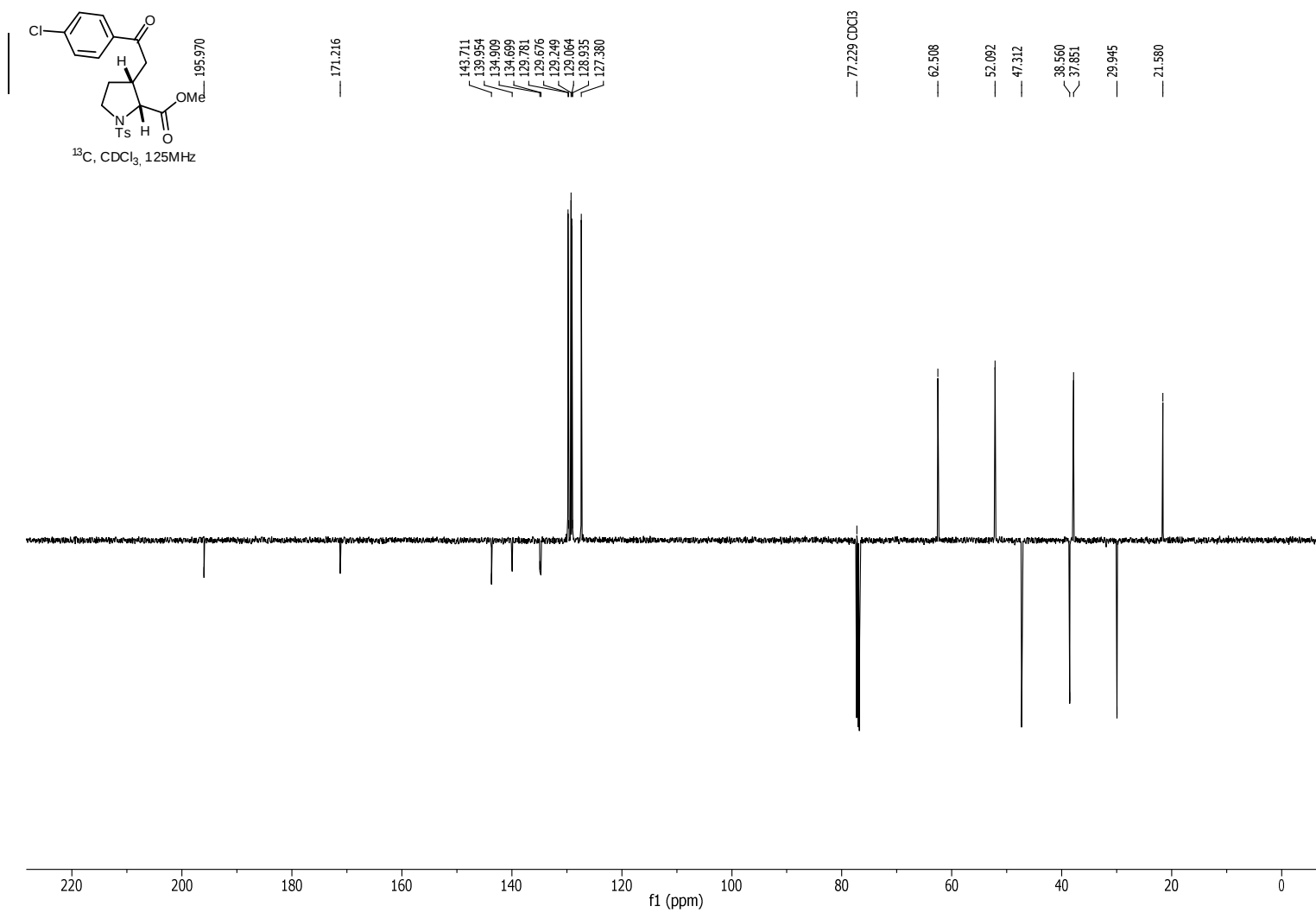
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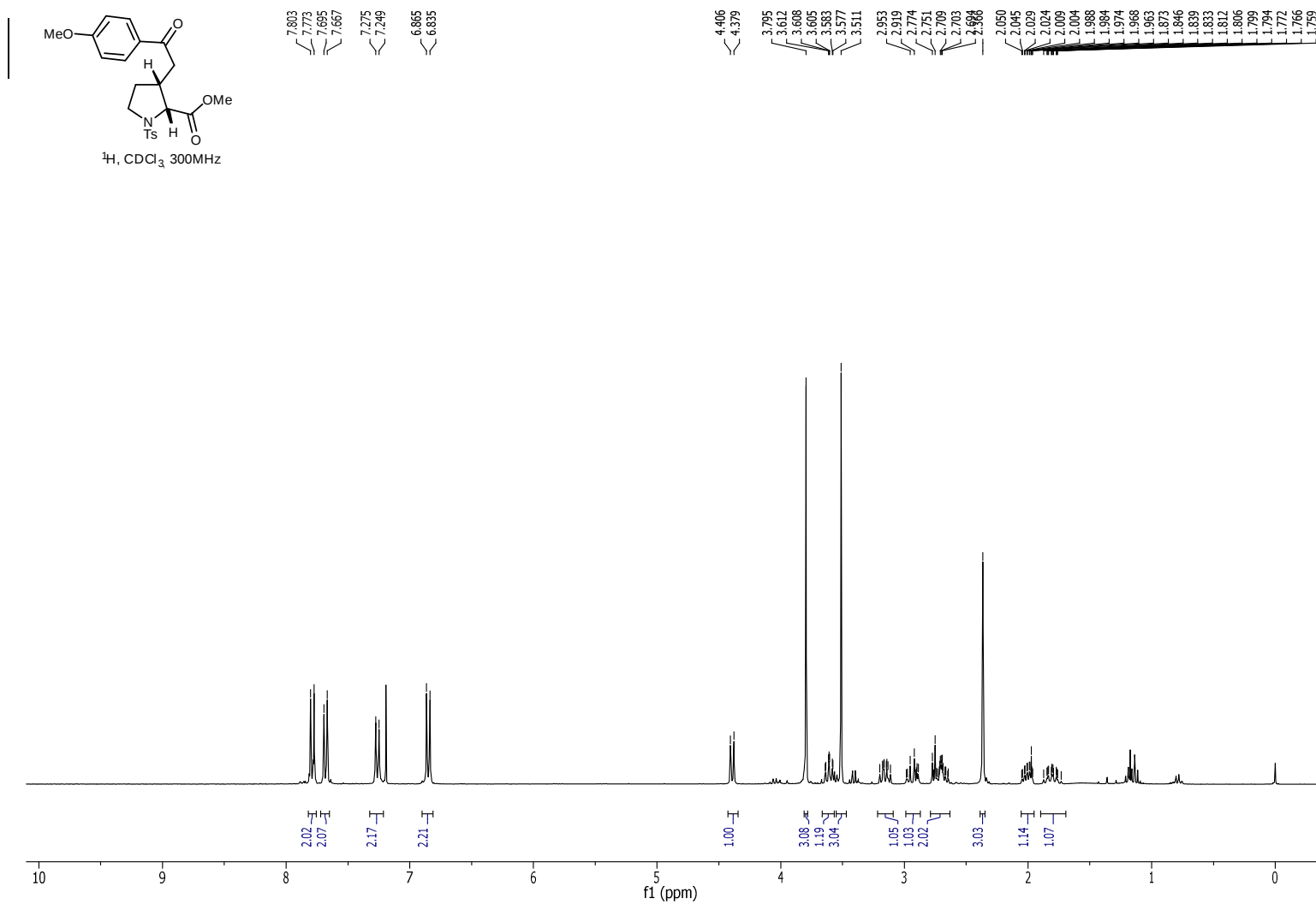
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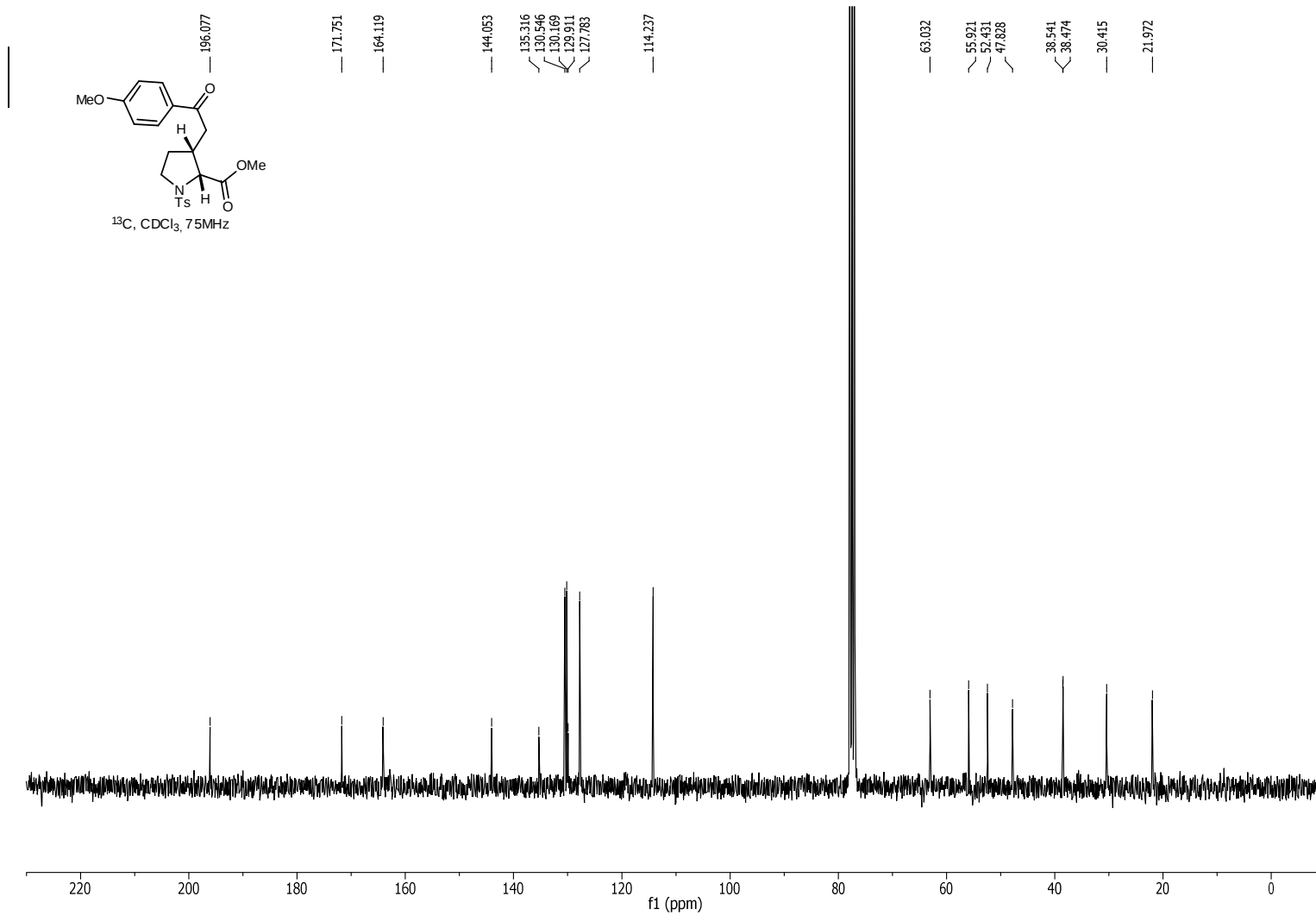
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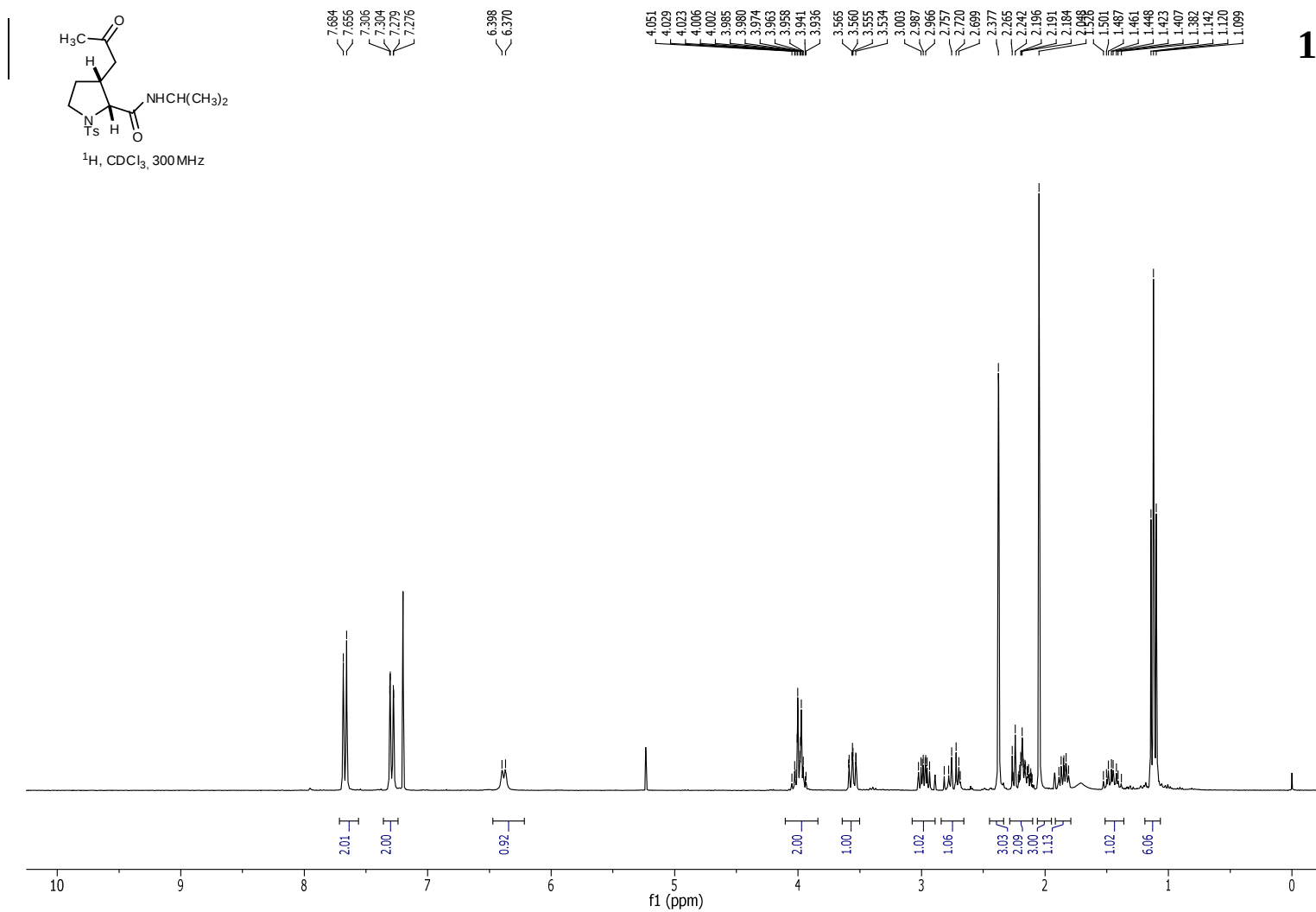
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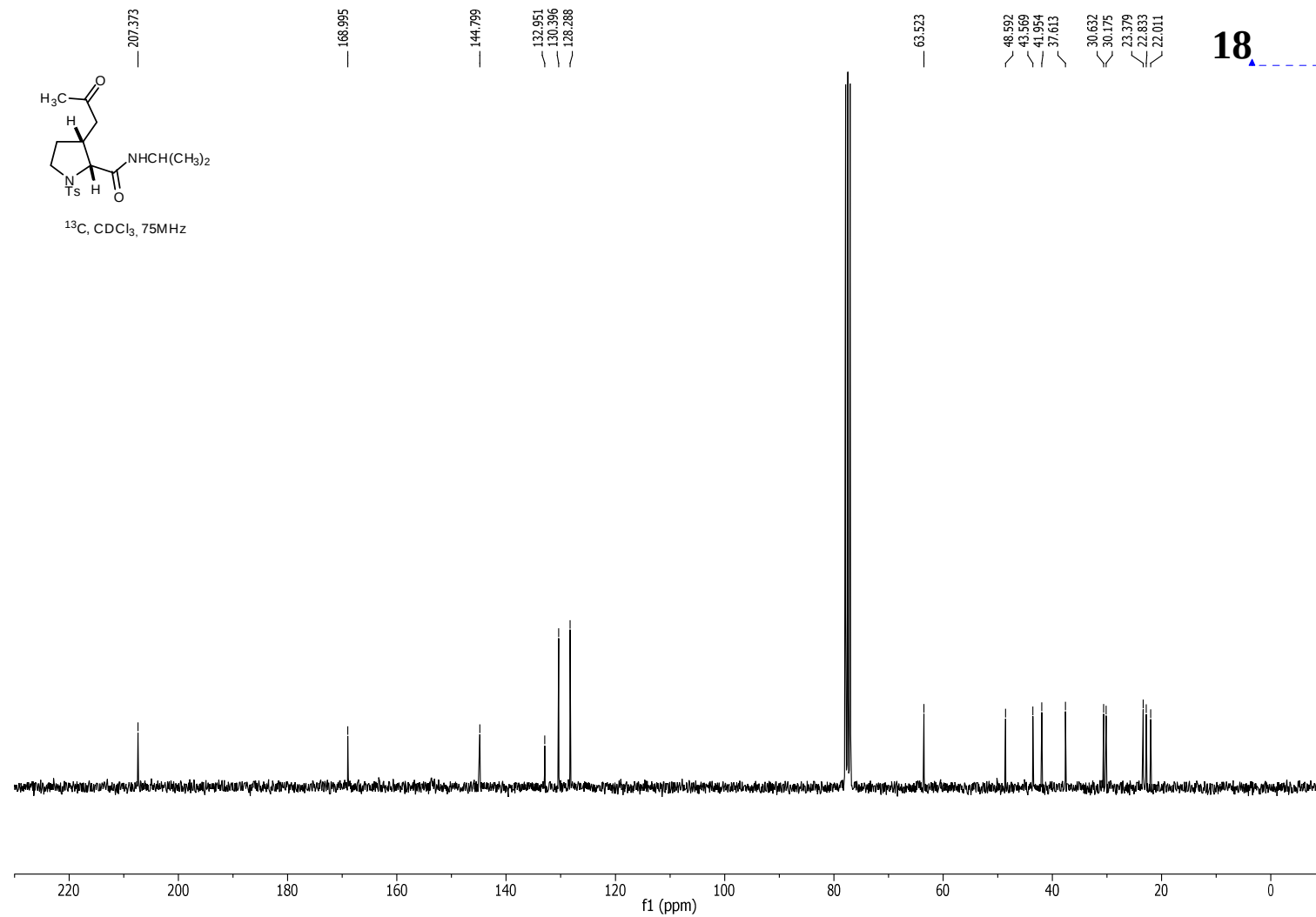
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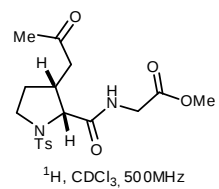
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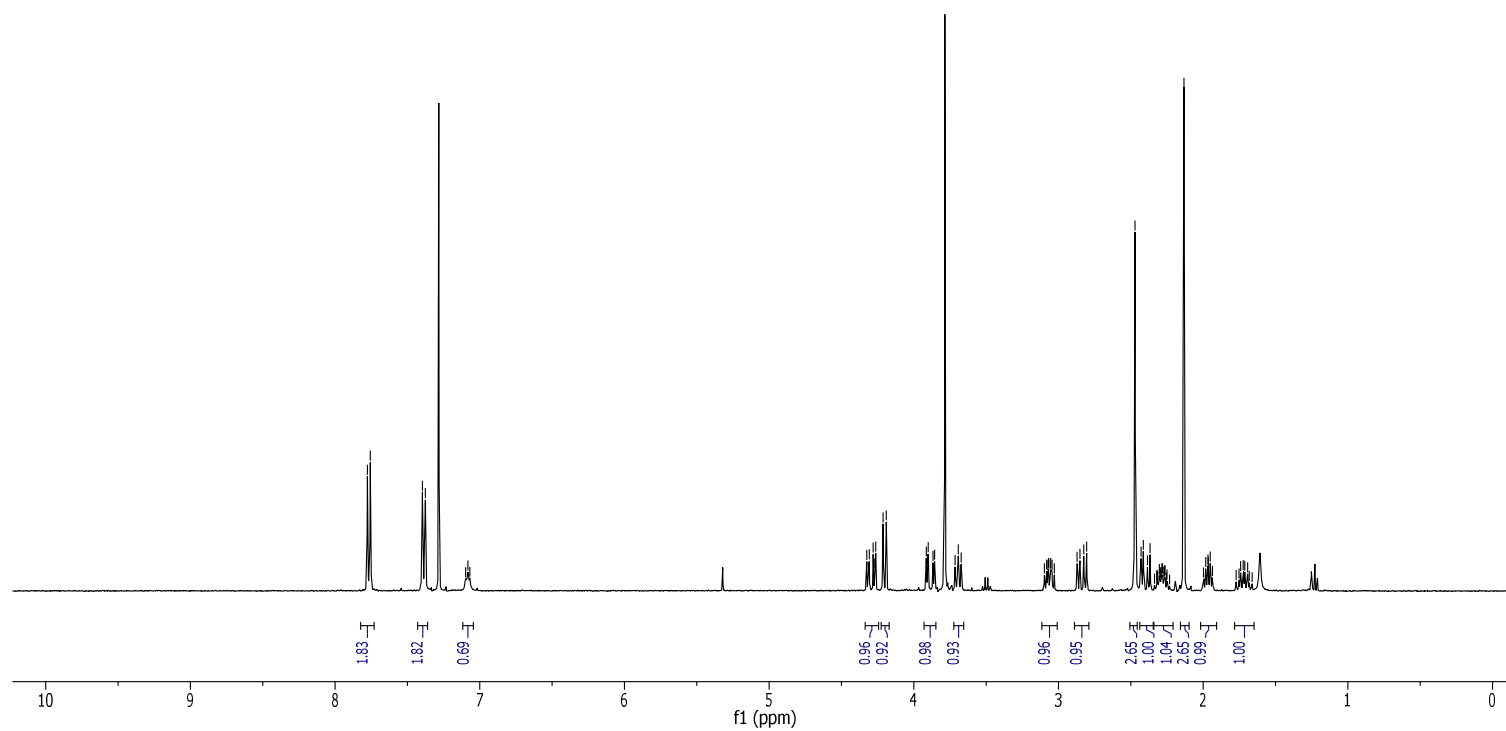


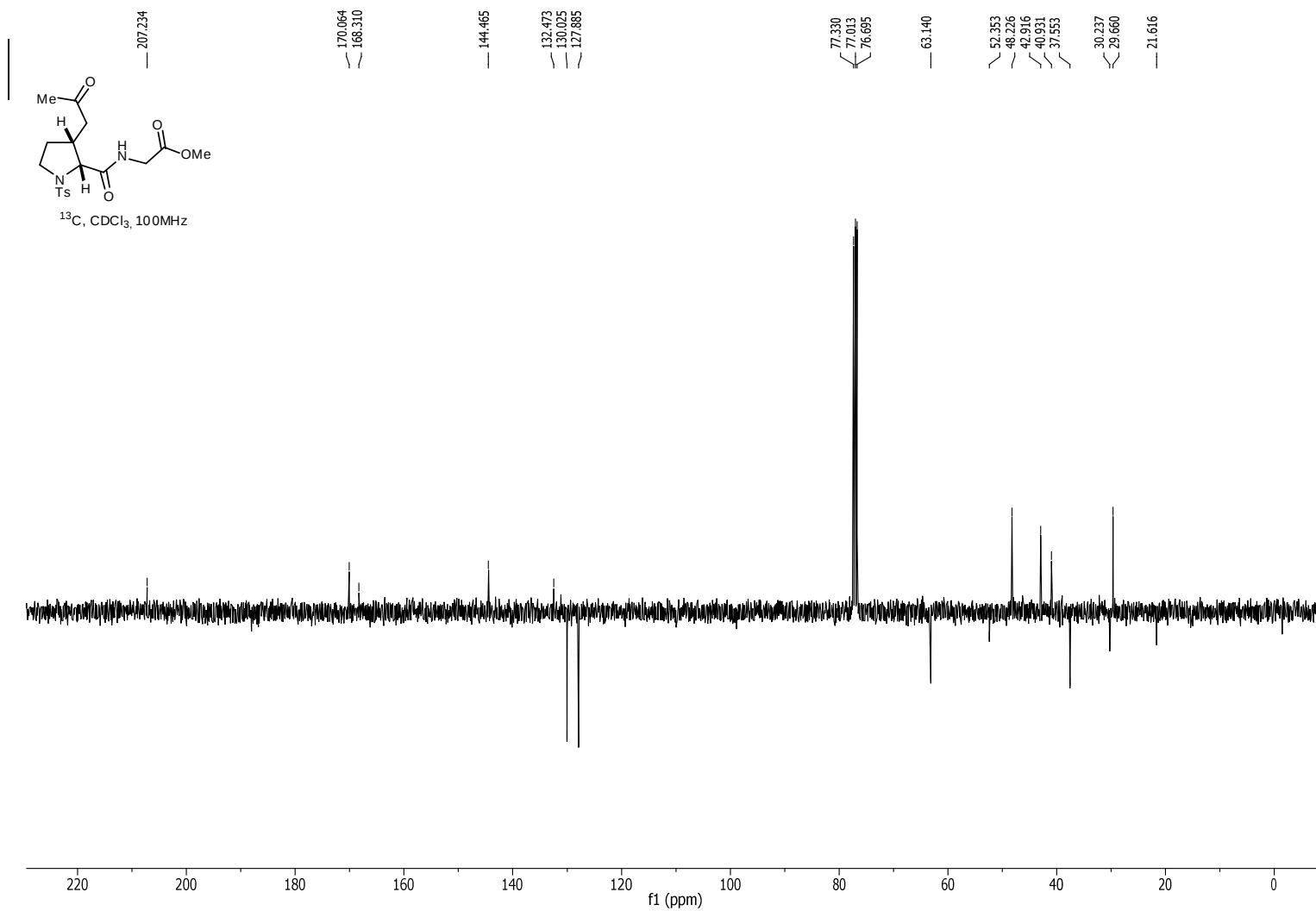
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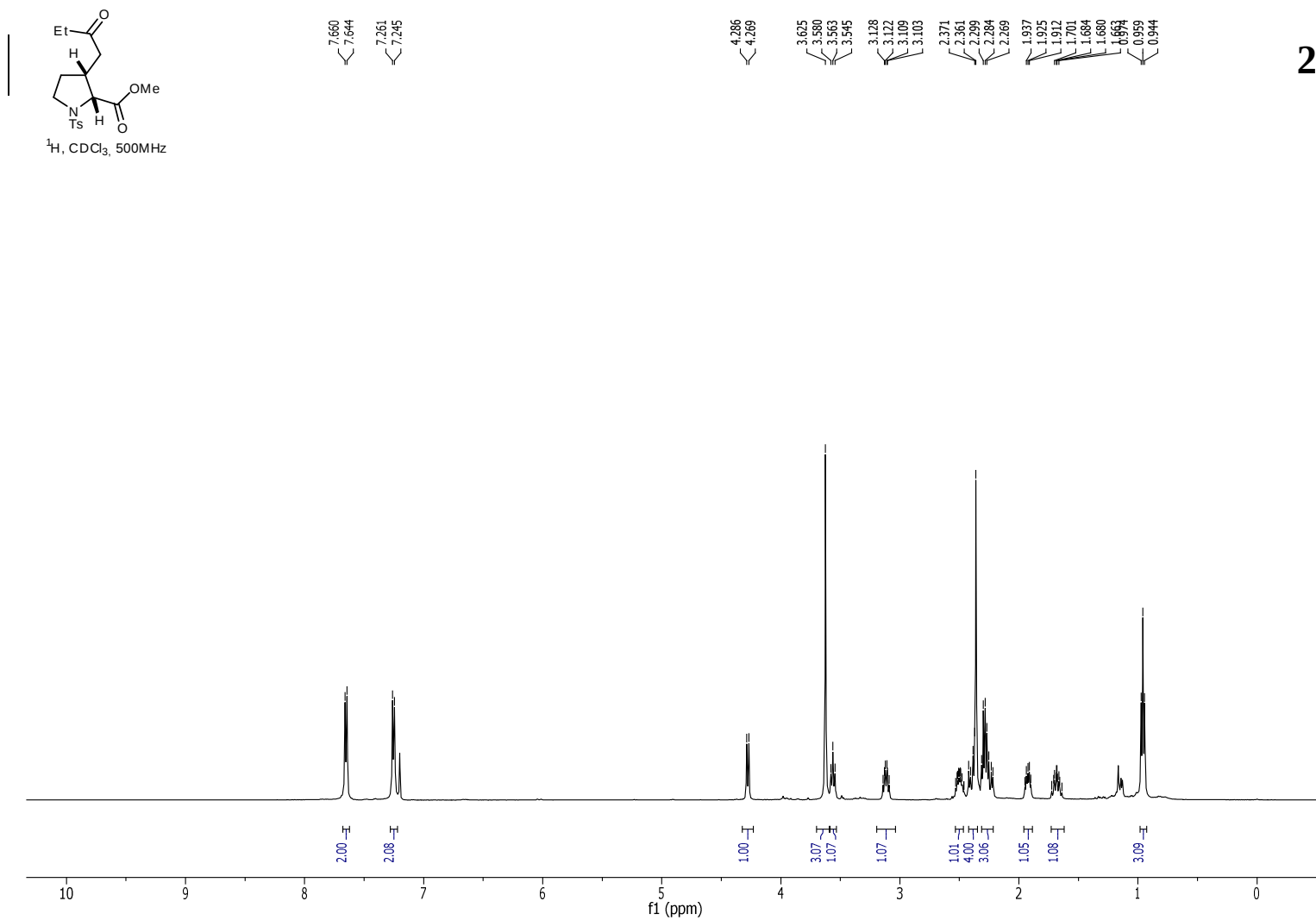
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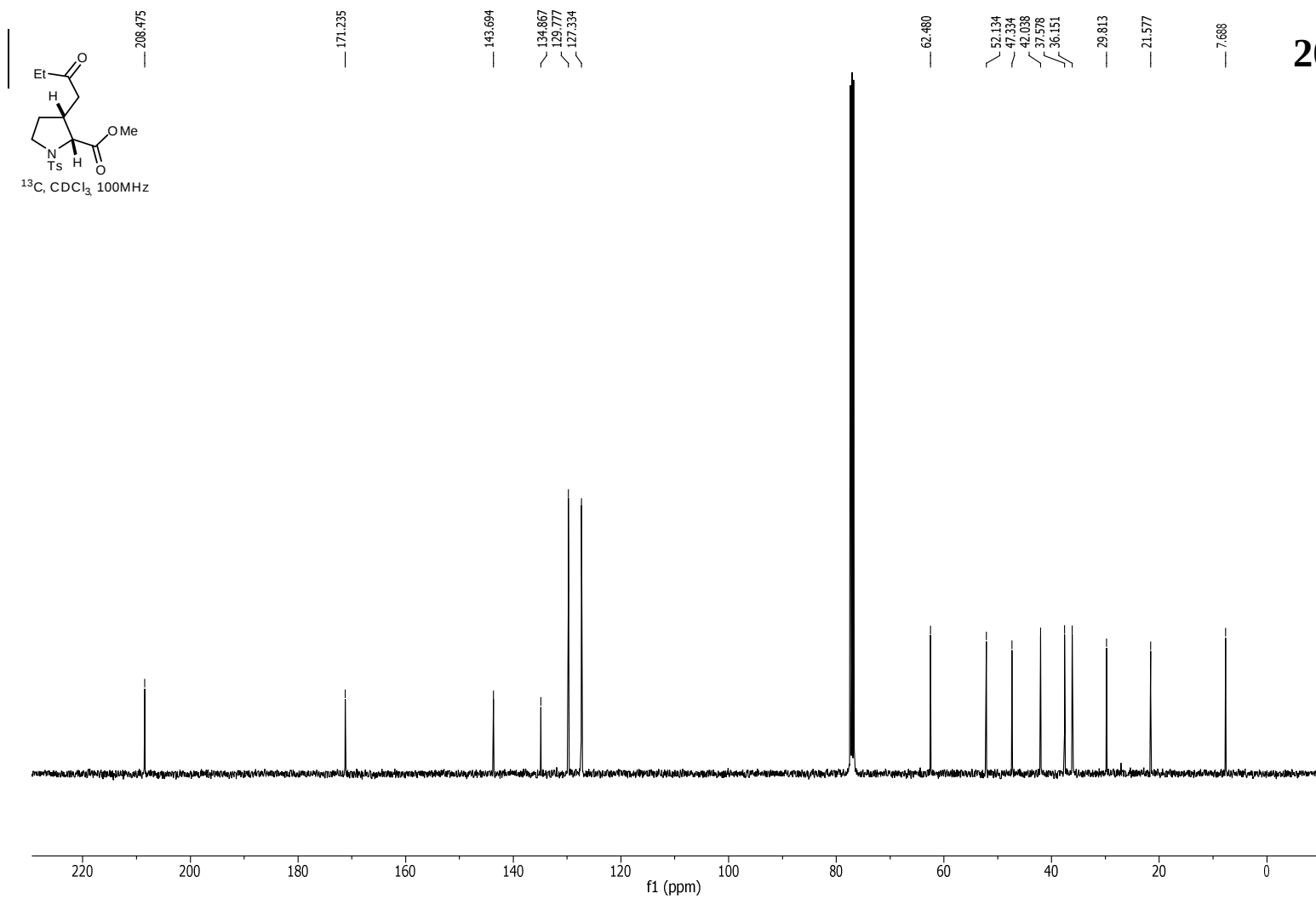
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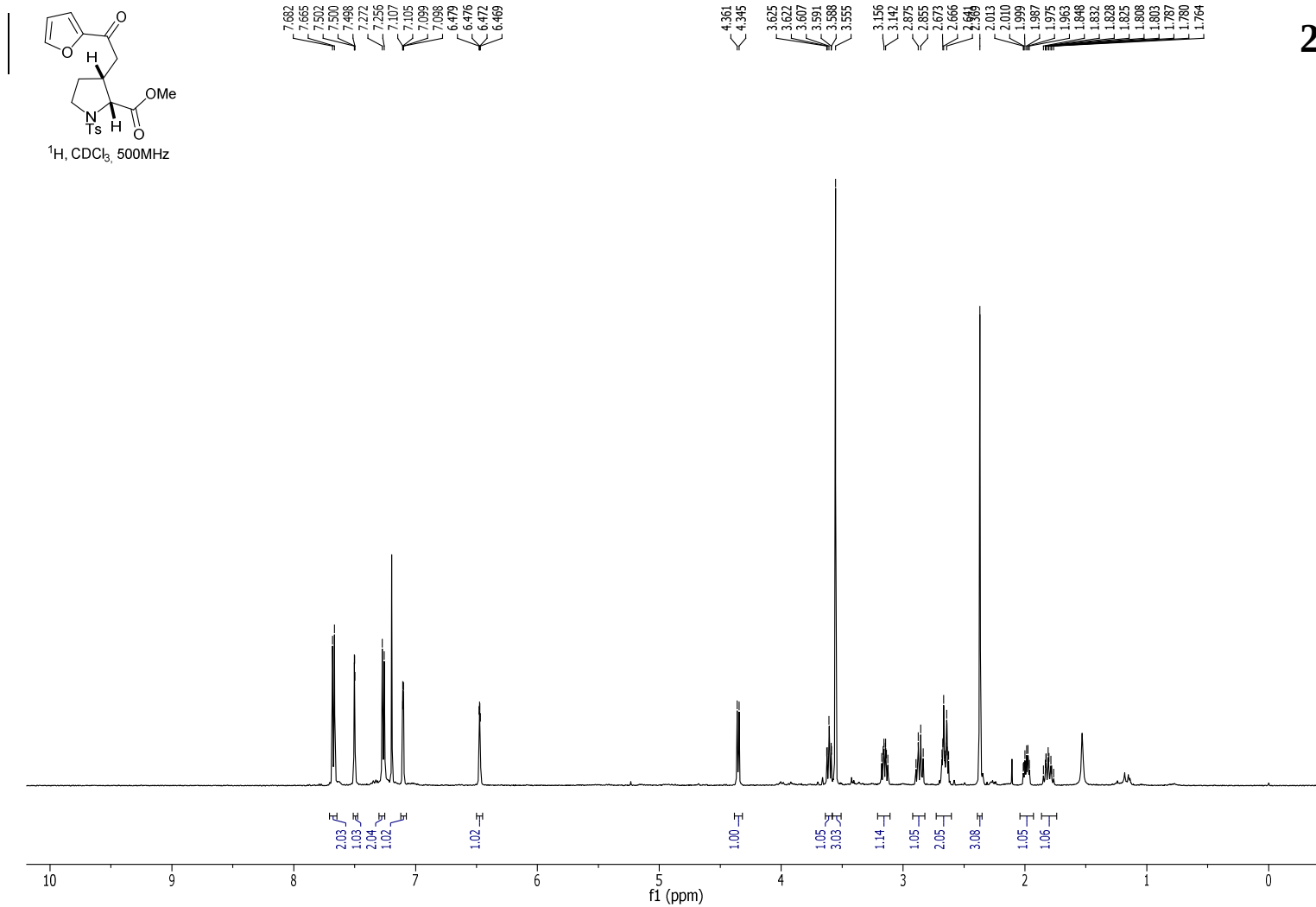
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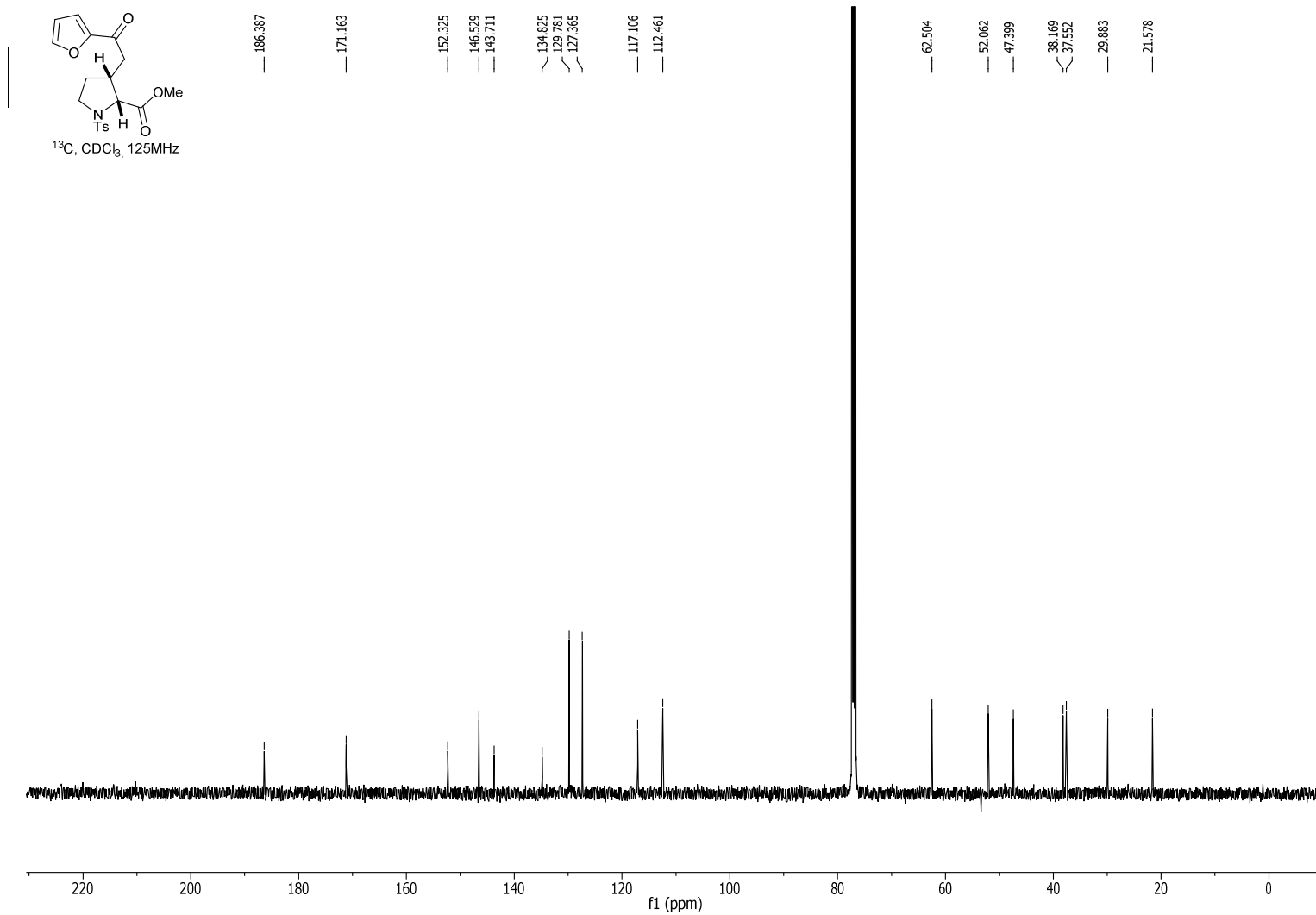
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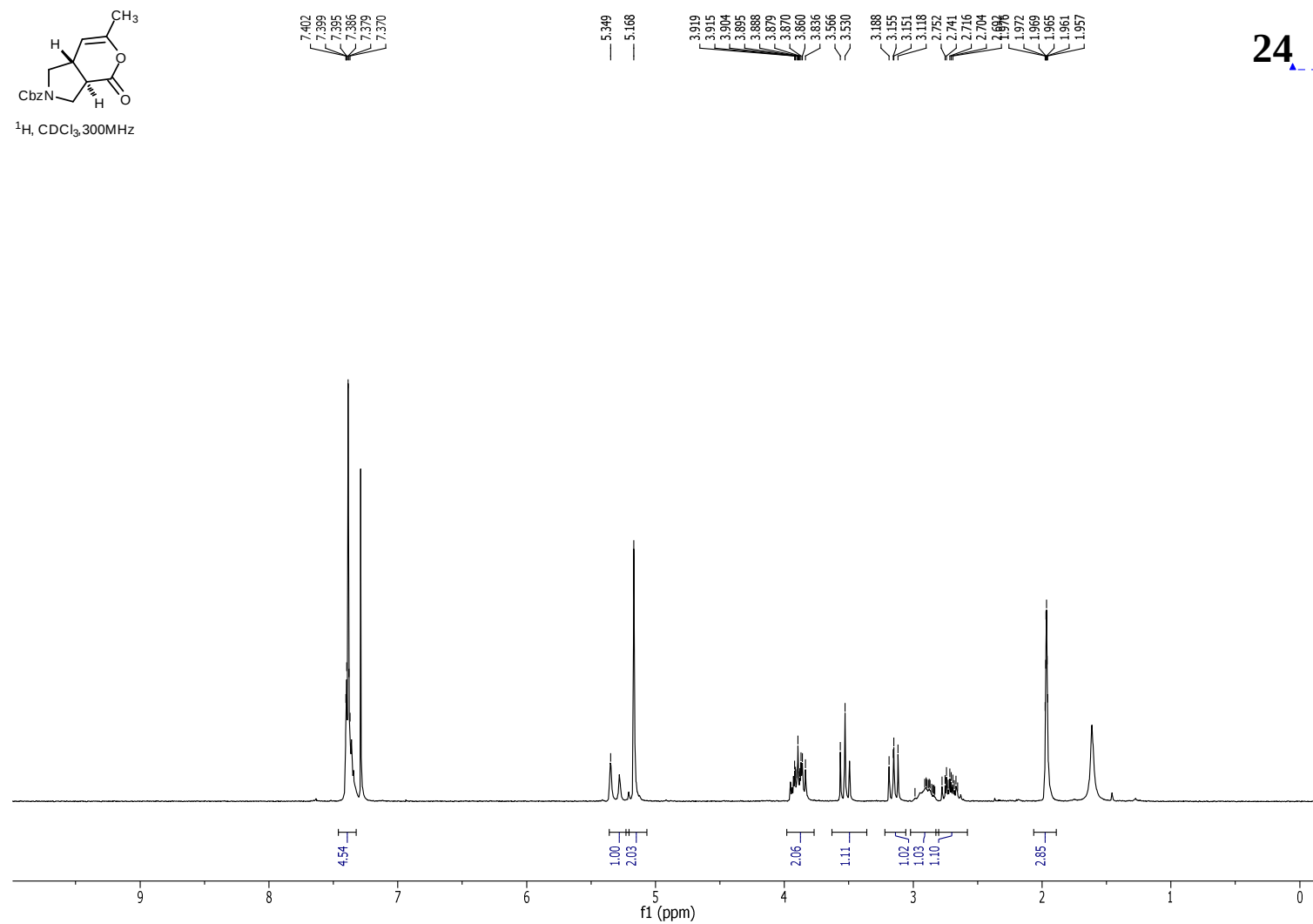
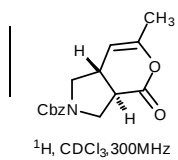
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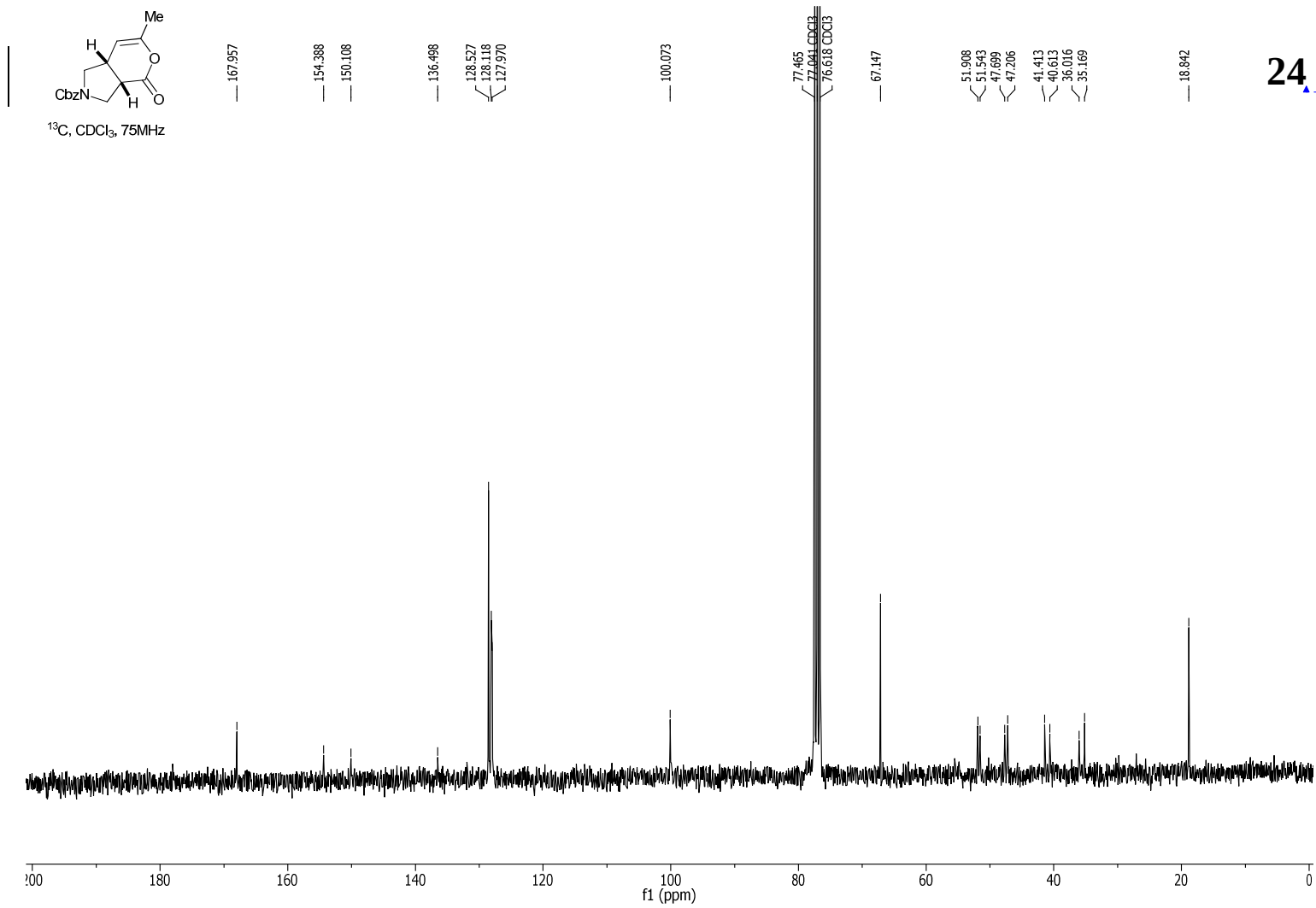
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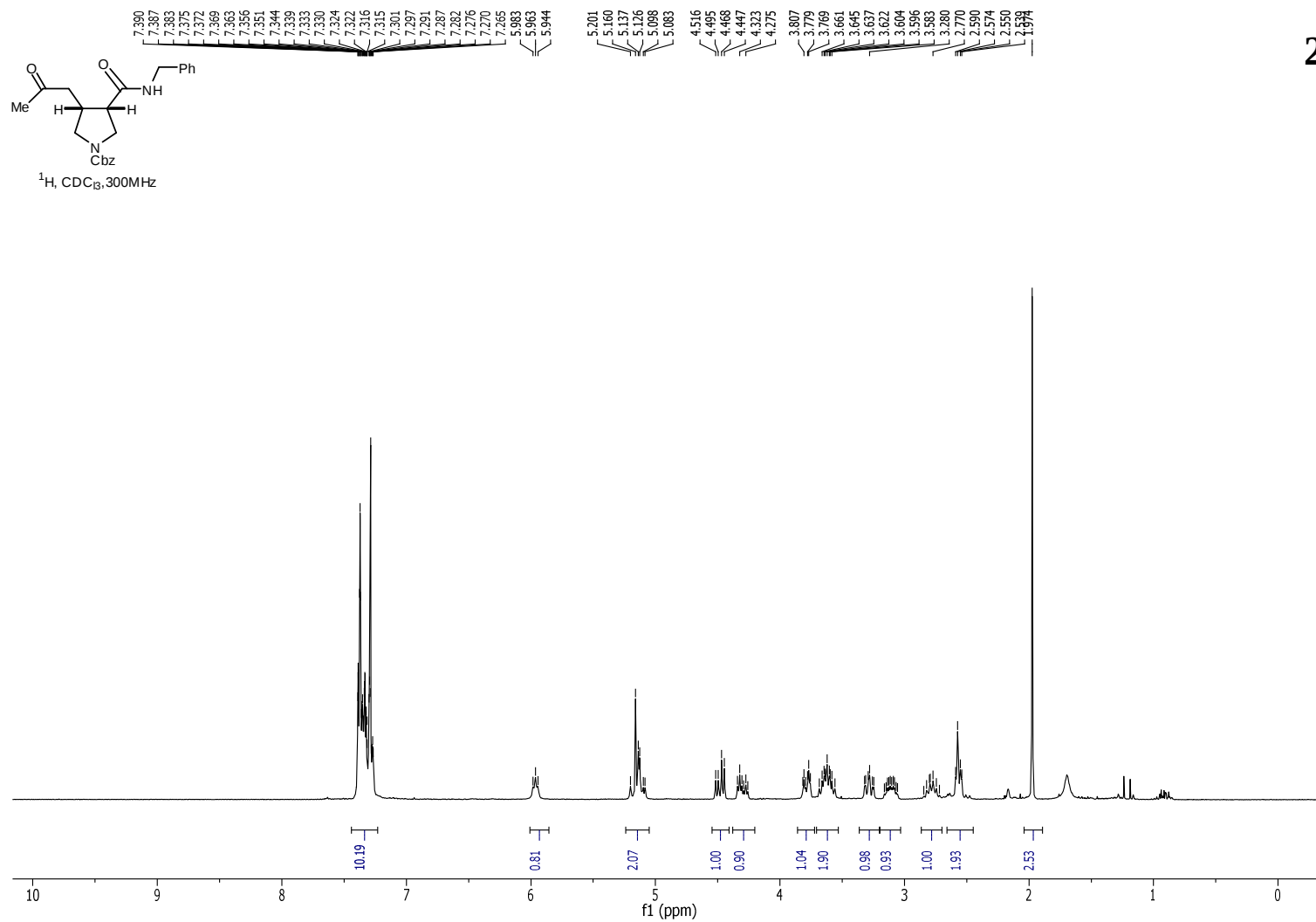




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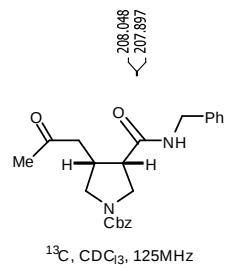
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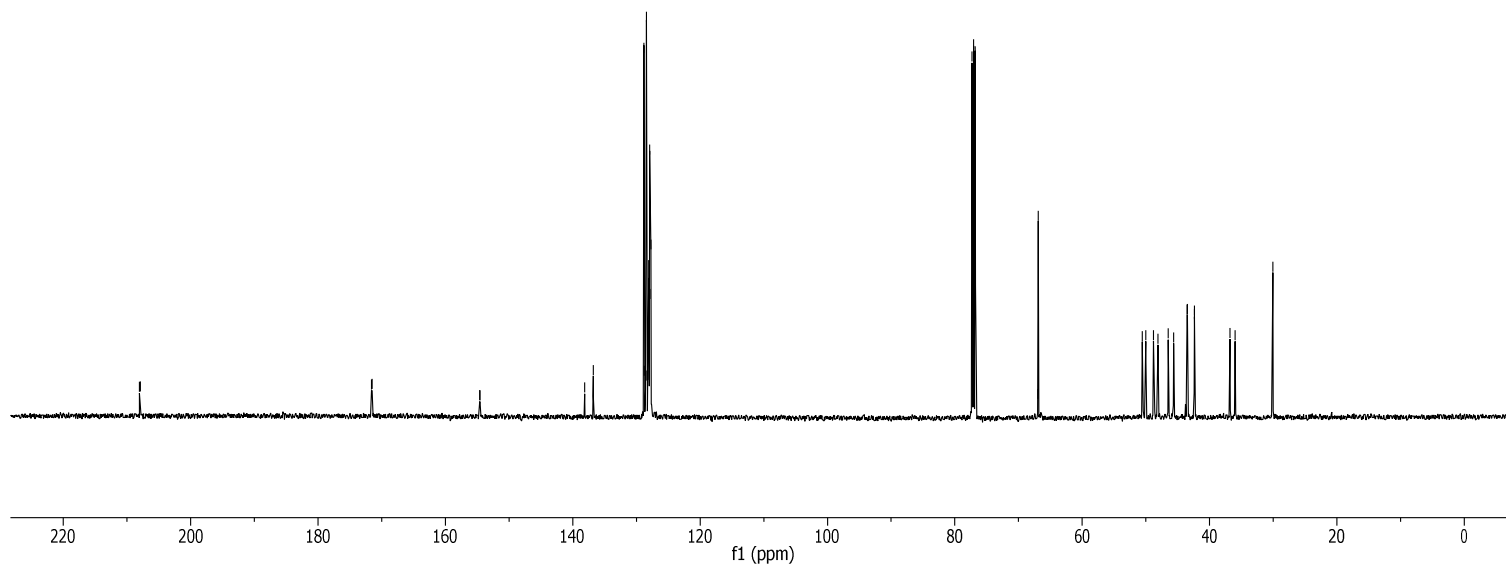
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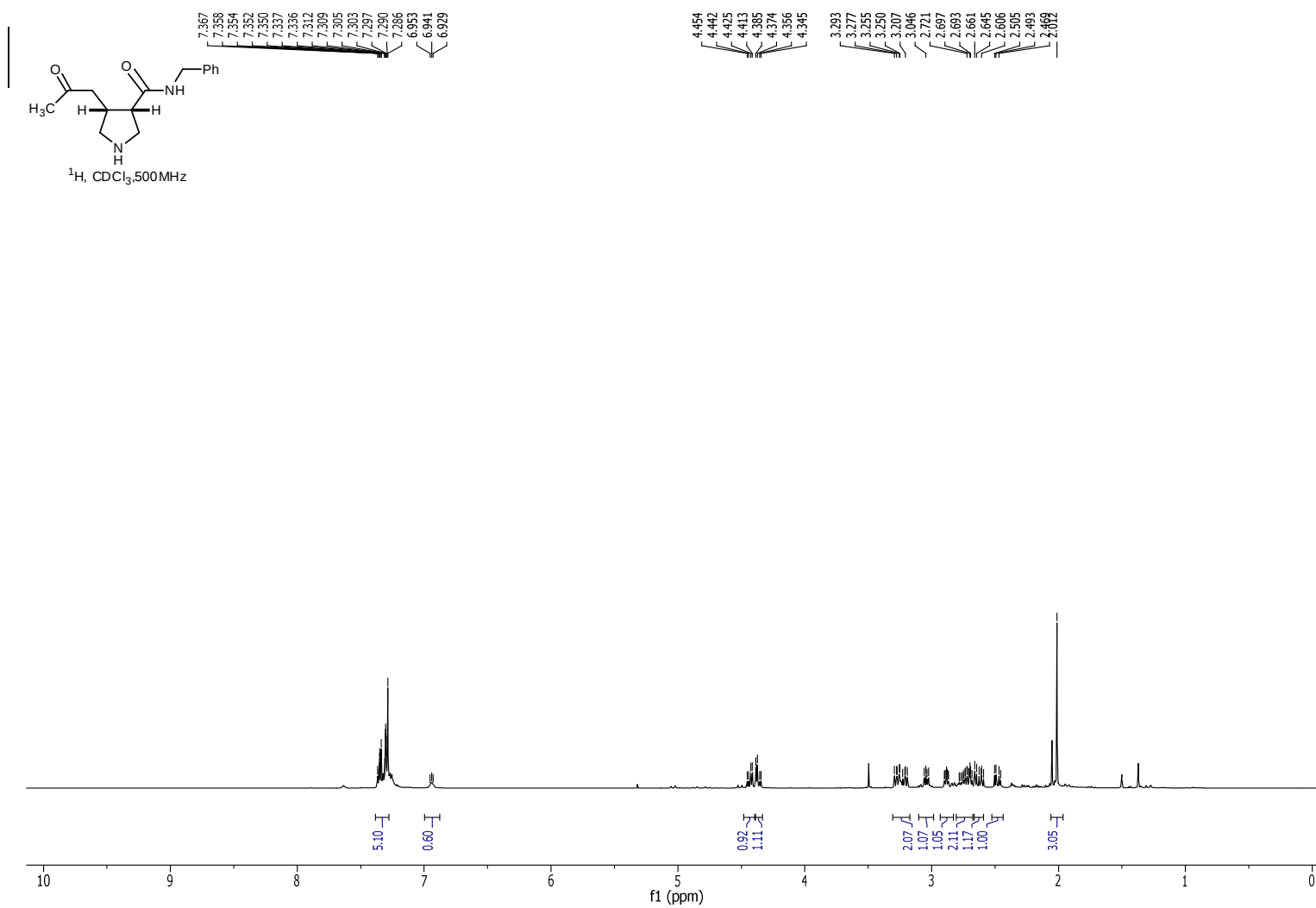
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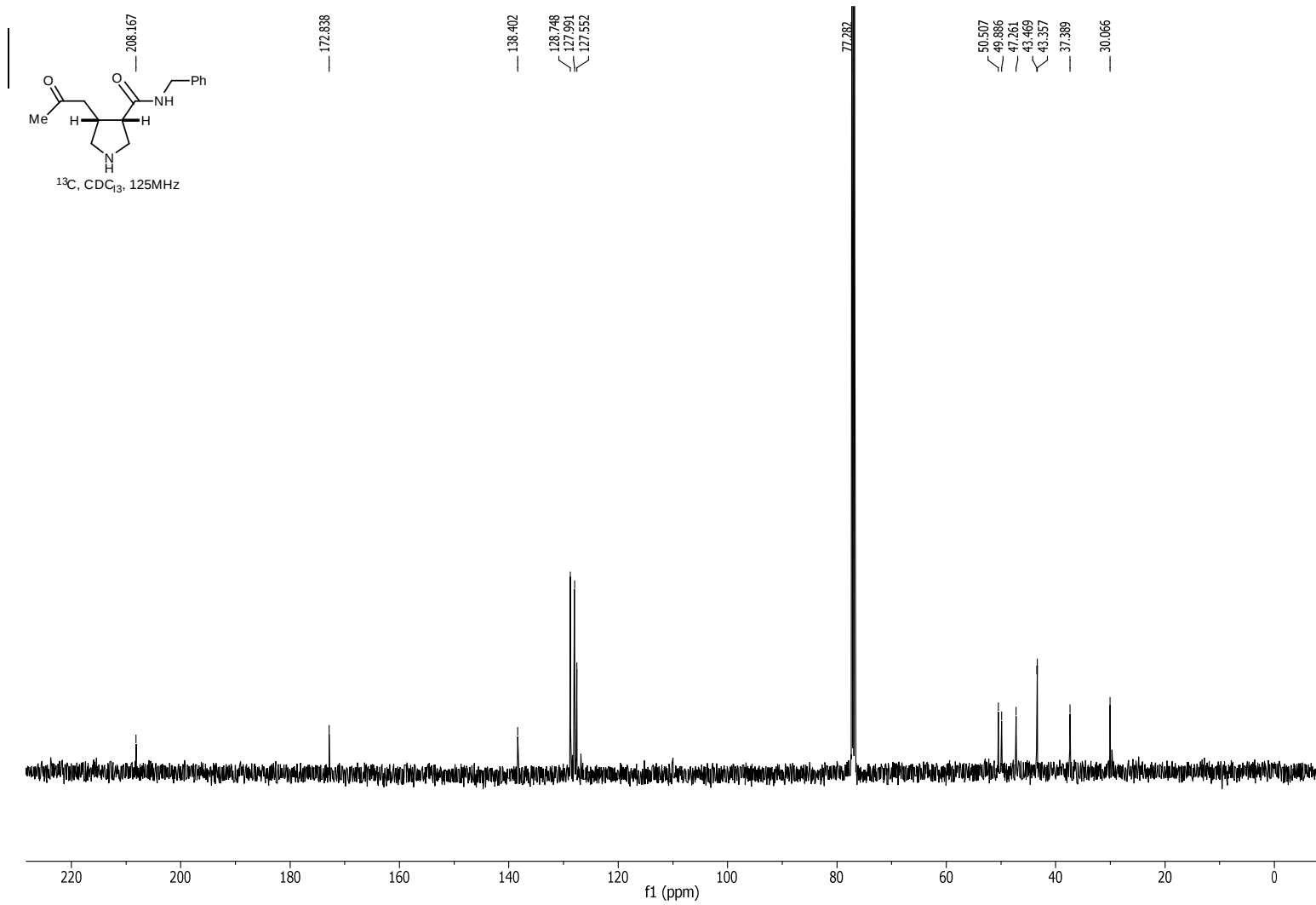
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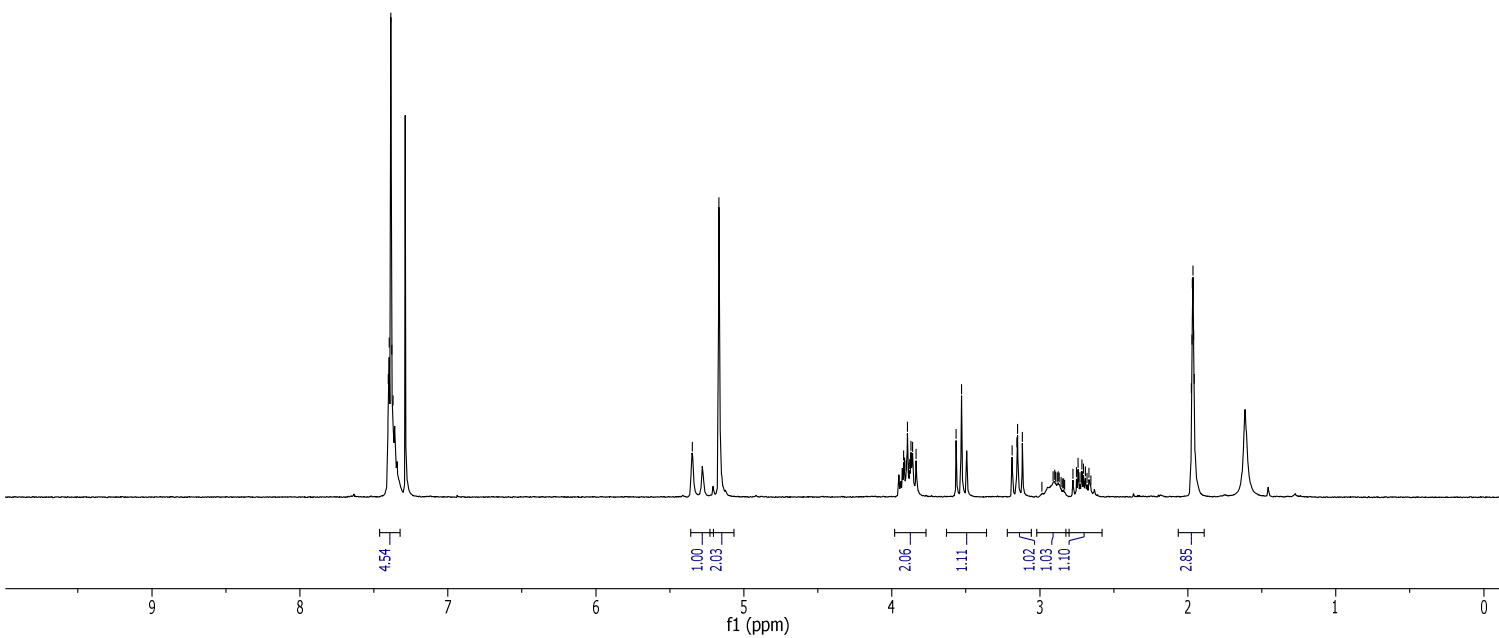
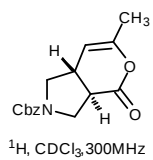
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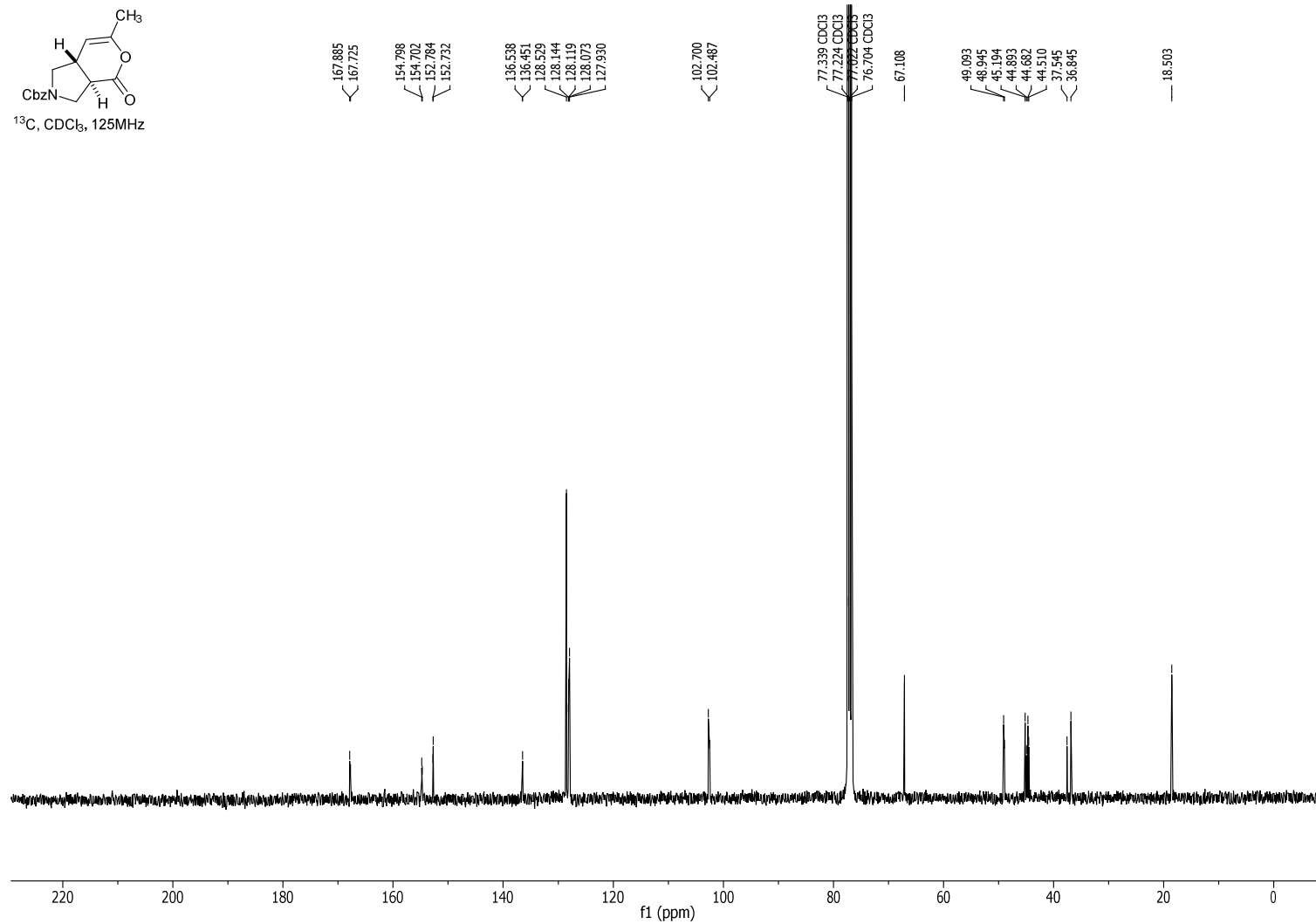
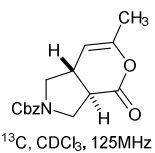
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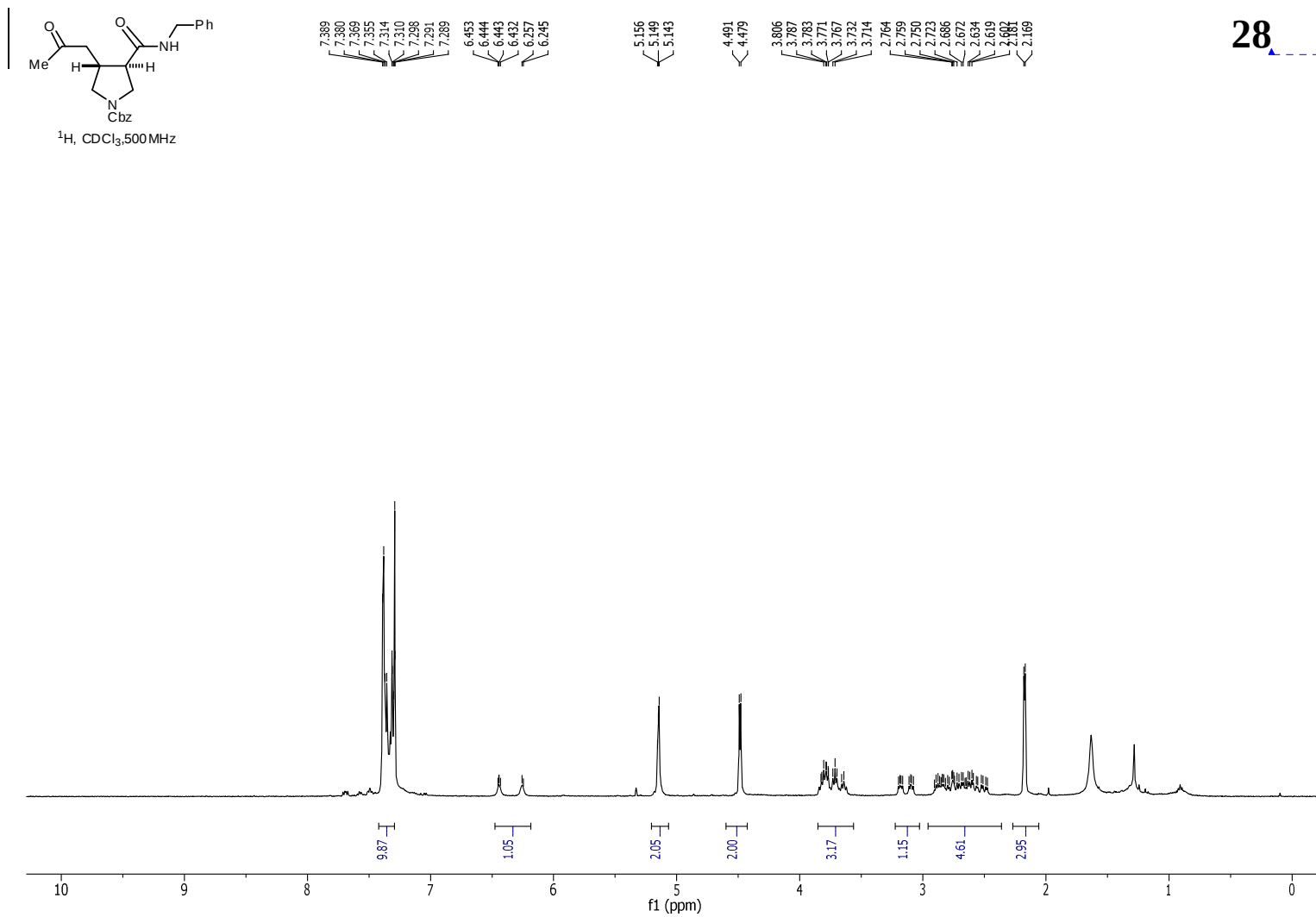
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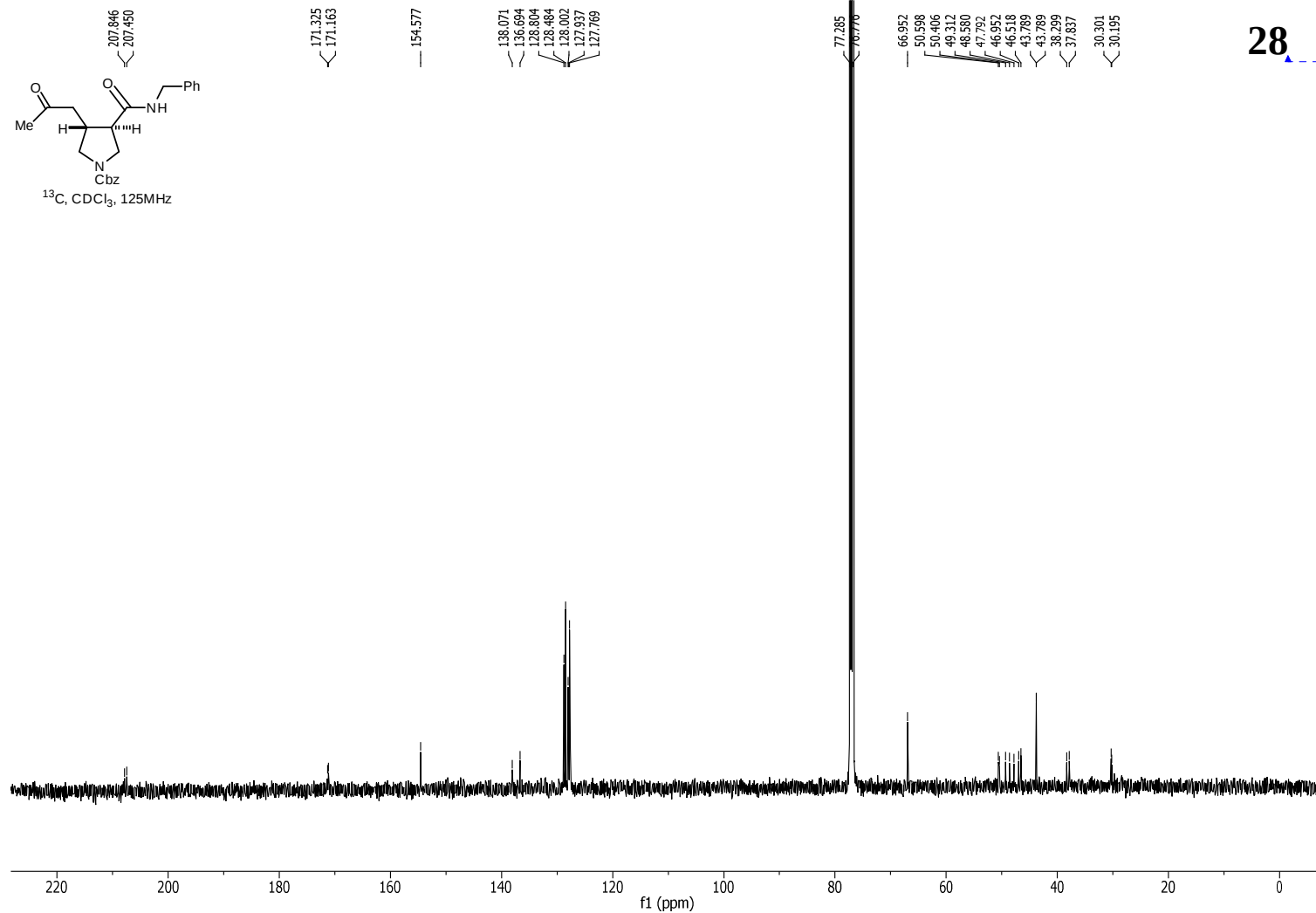
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