

# Supporting Information

## Tetraaryltetraanthra[2,3]porphyrins: synthesis, crystal structure and optical properties

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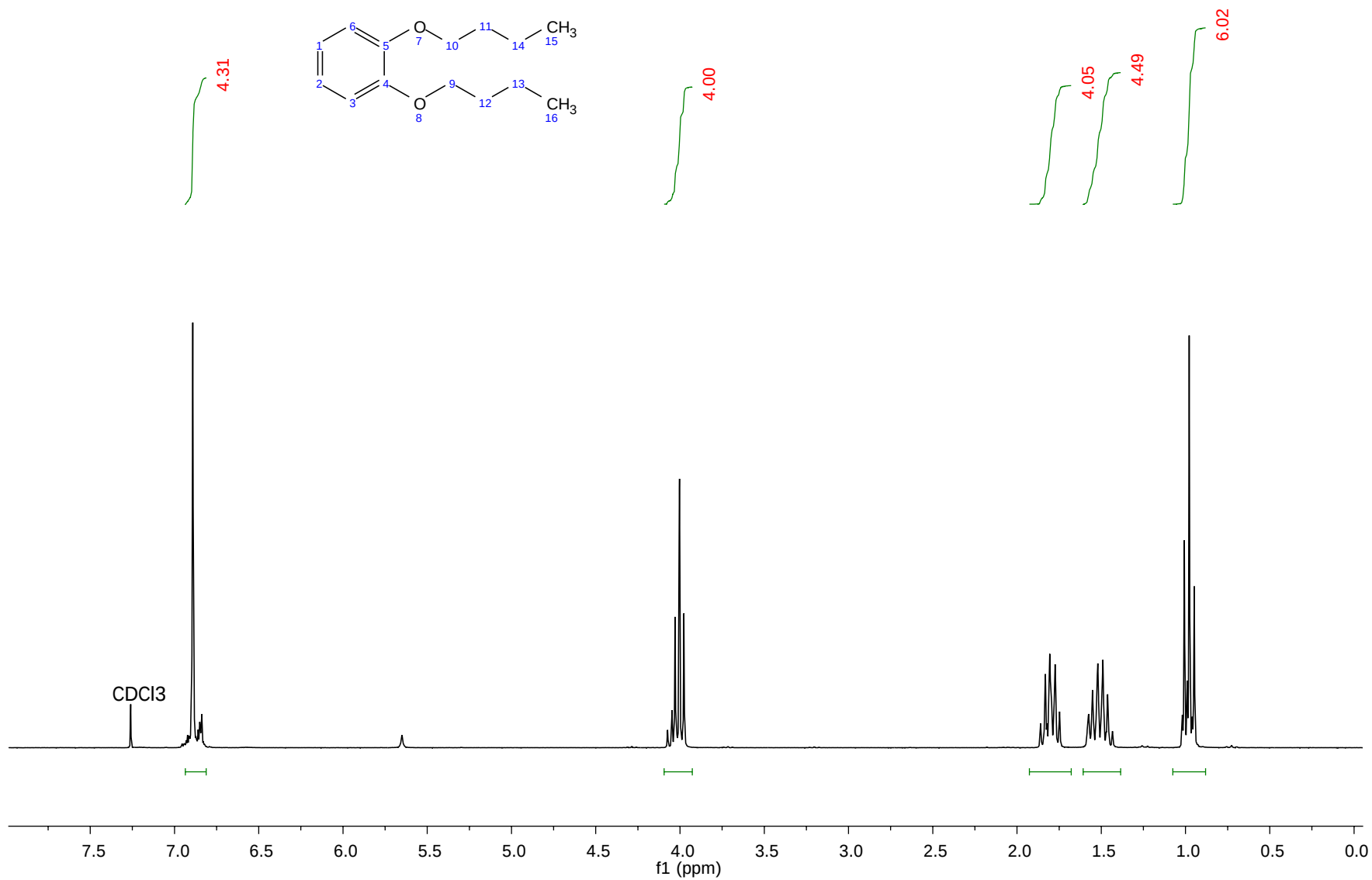
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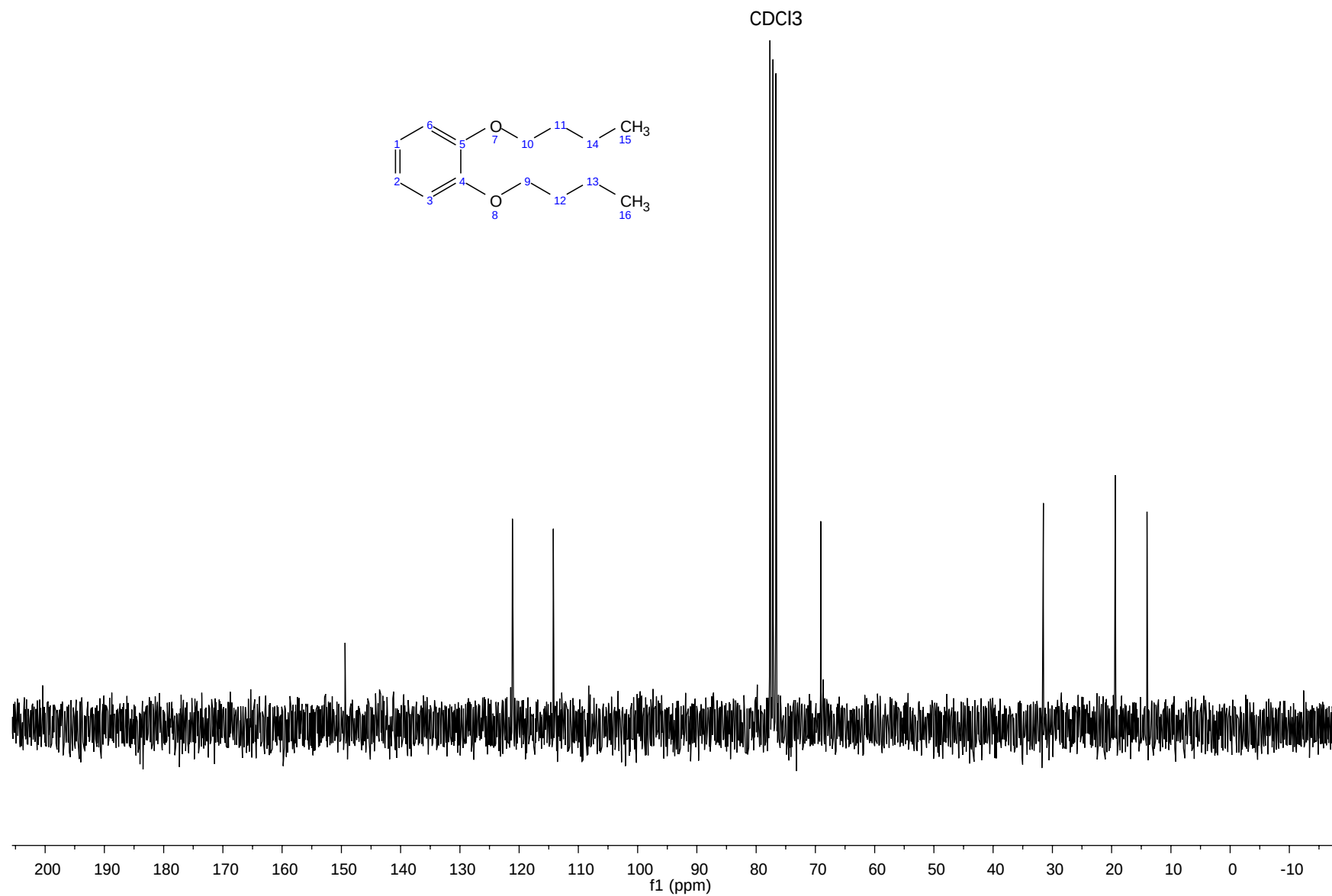
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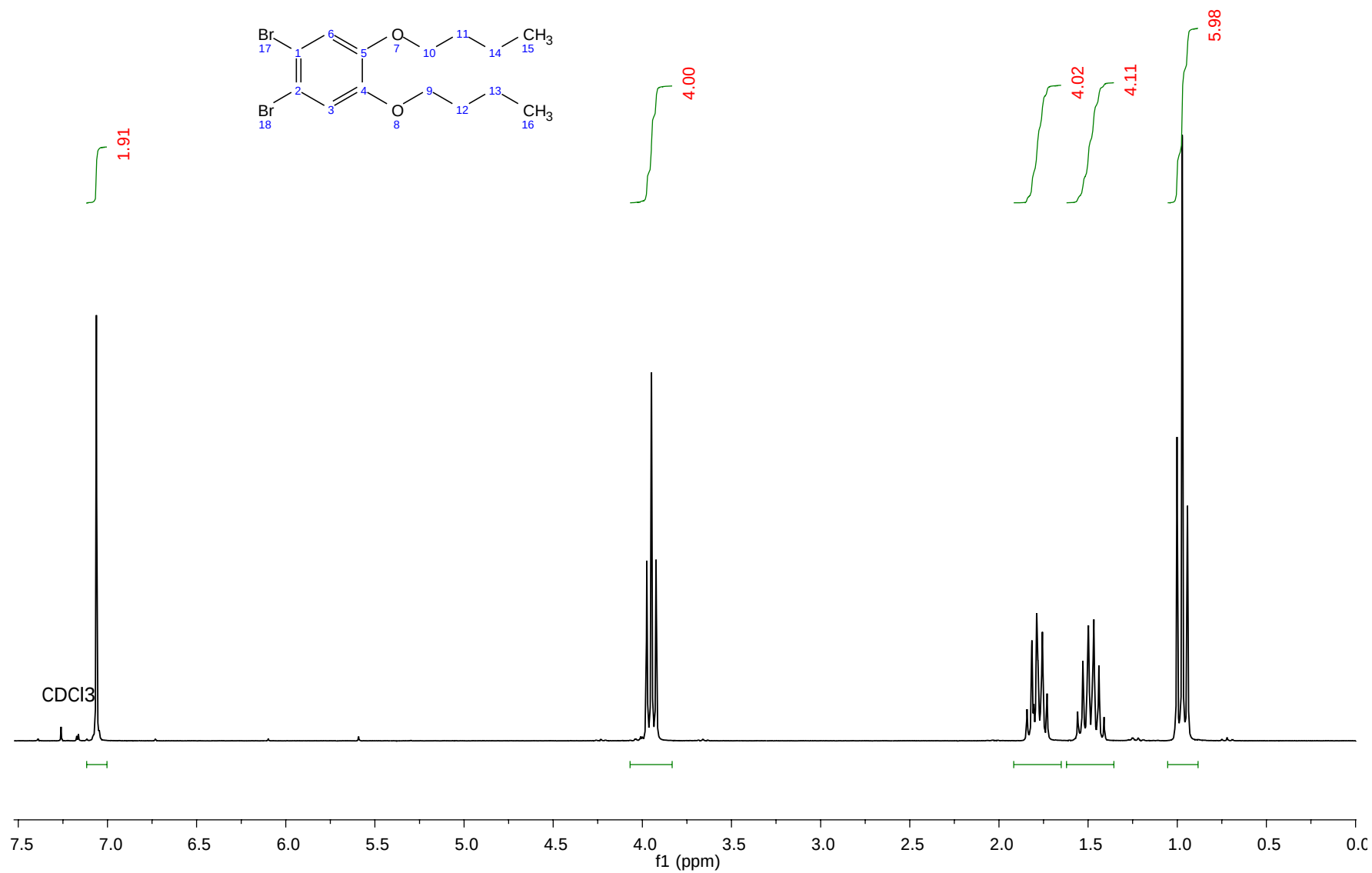
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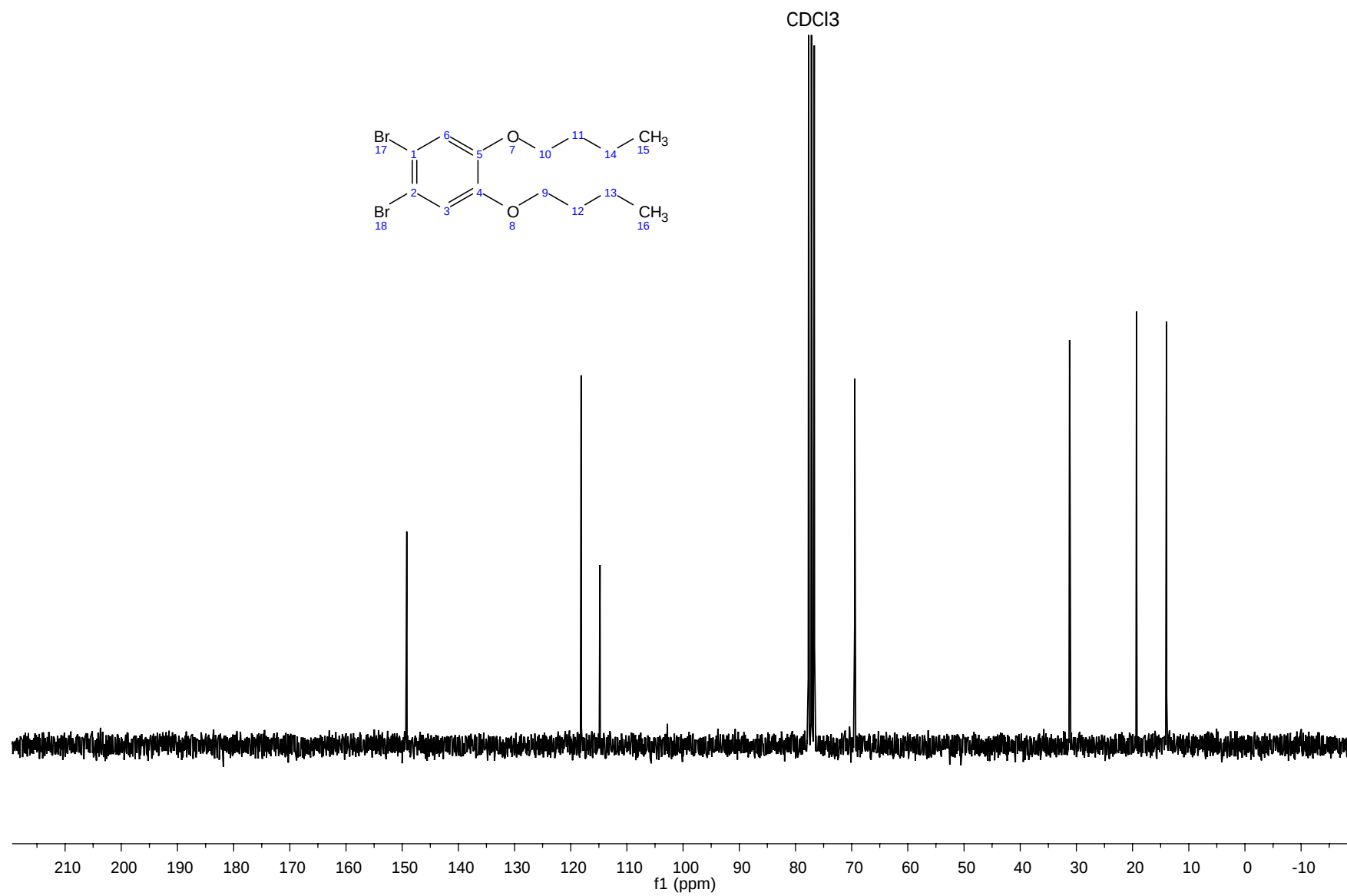
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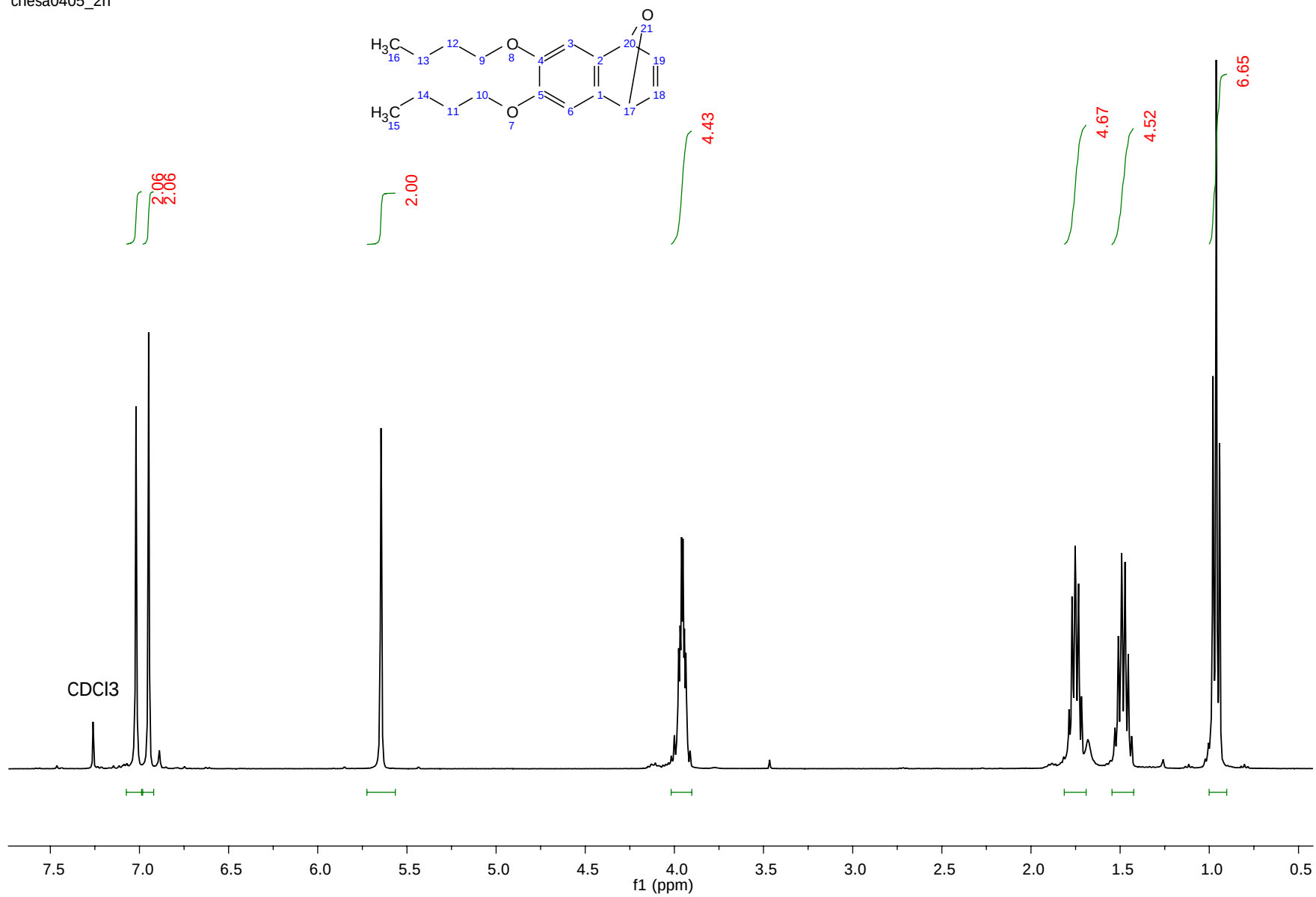


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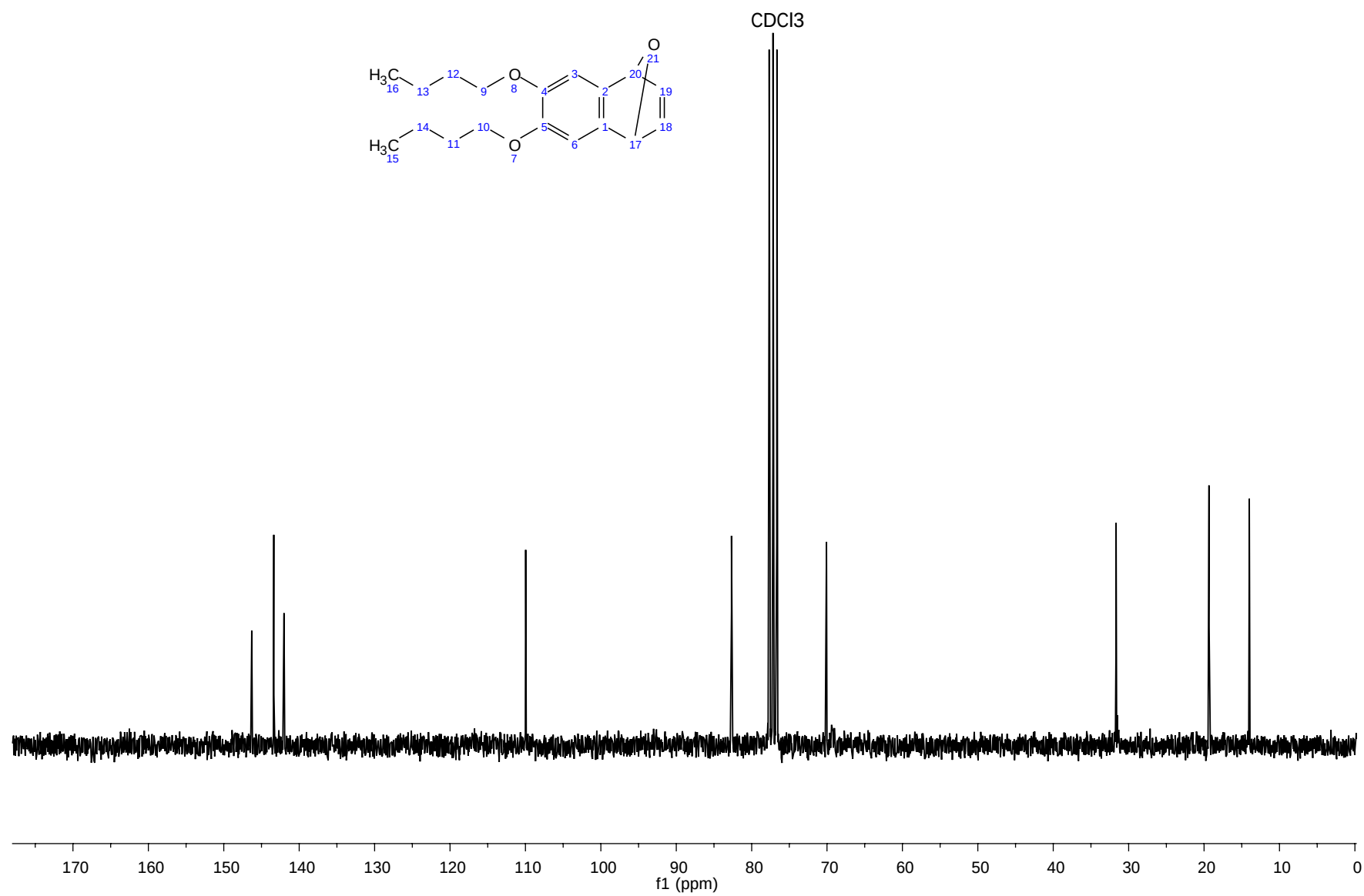


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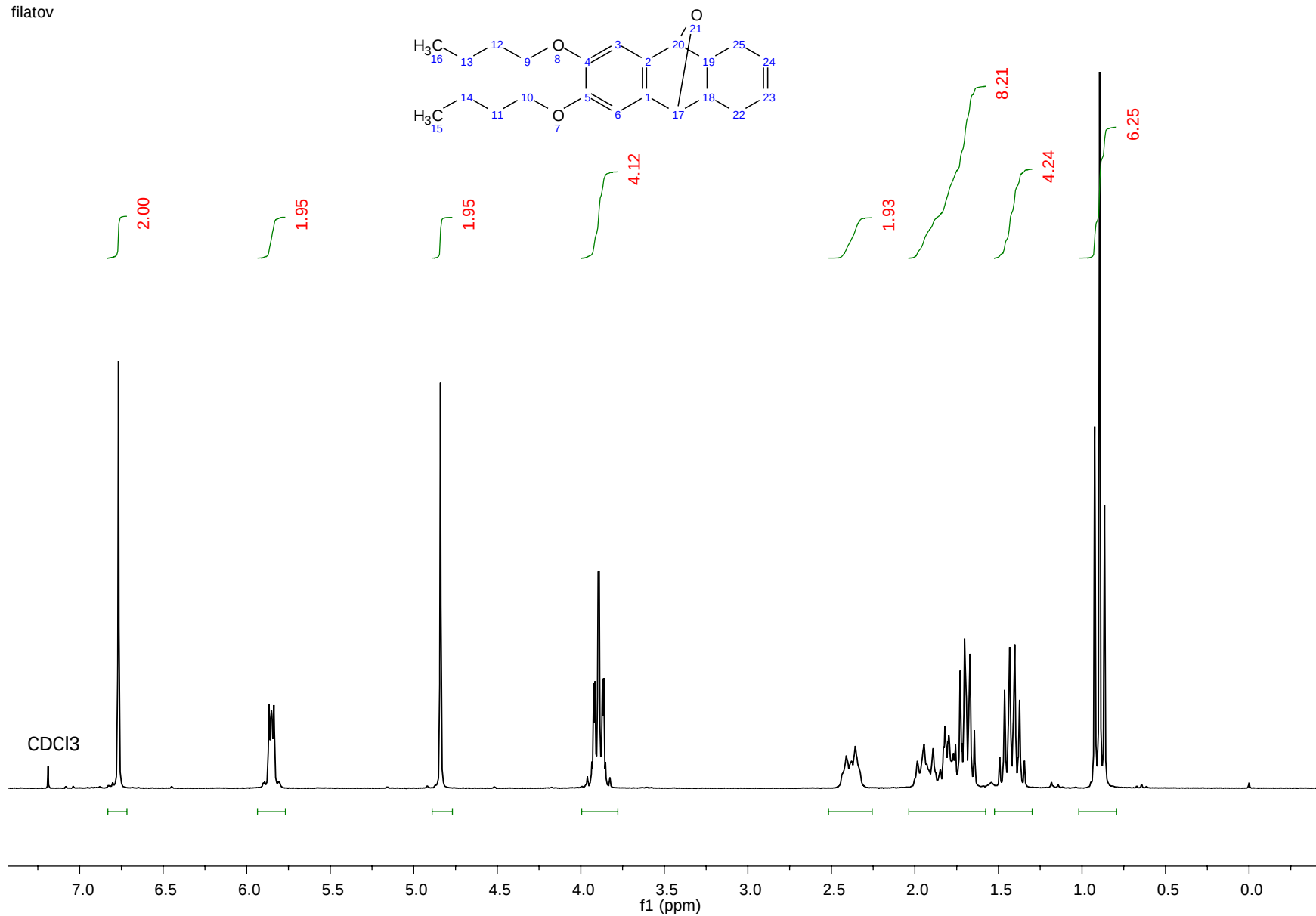


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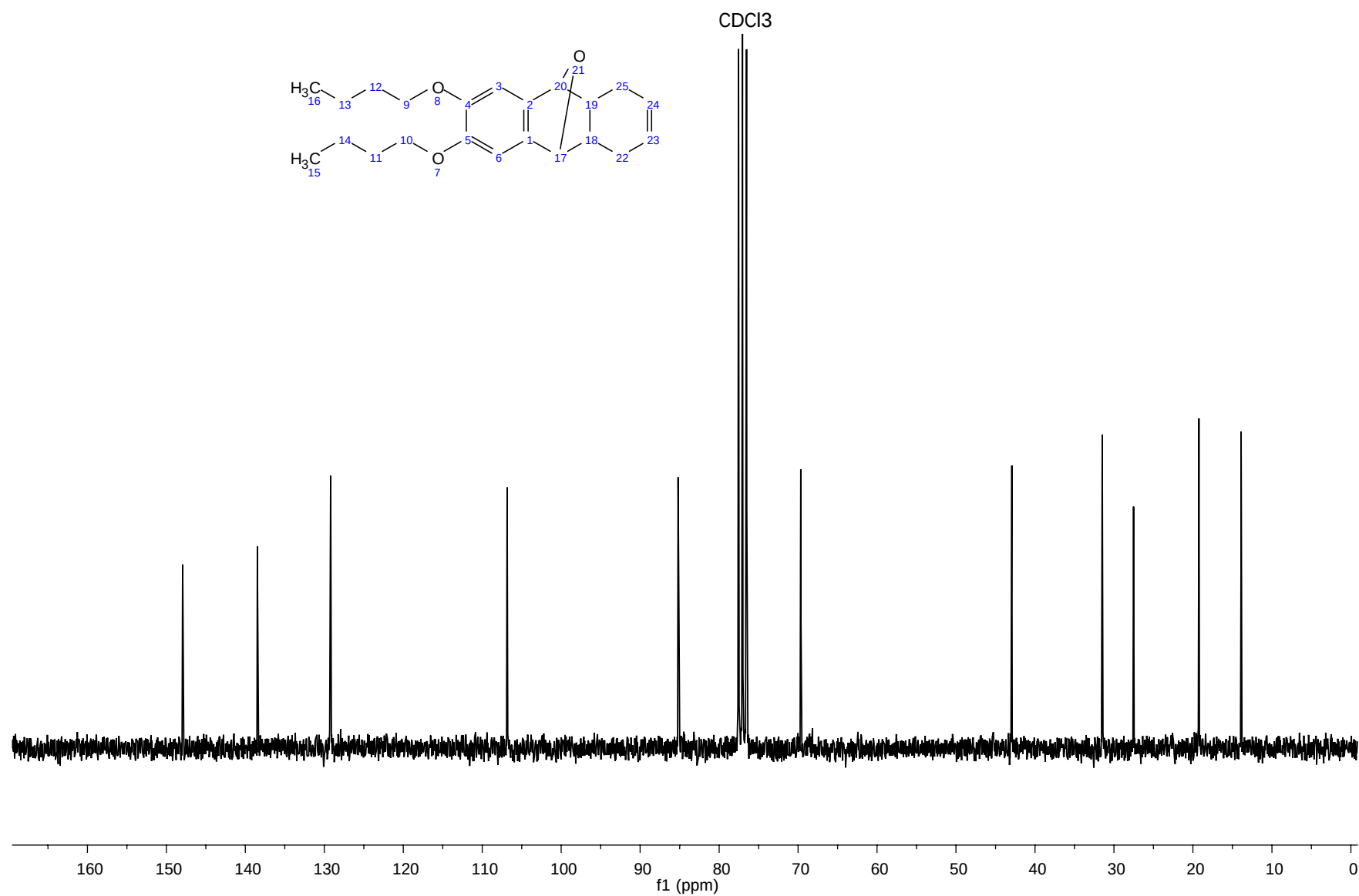
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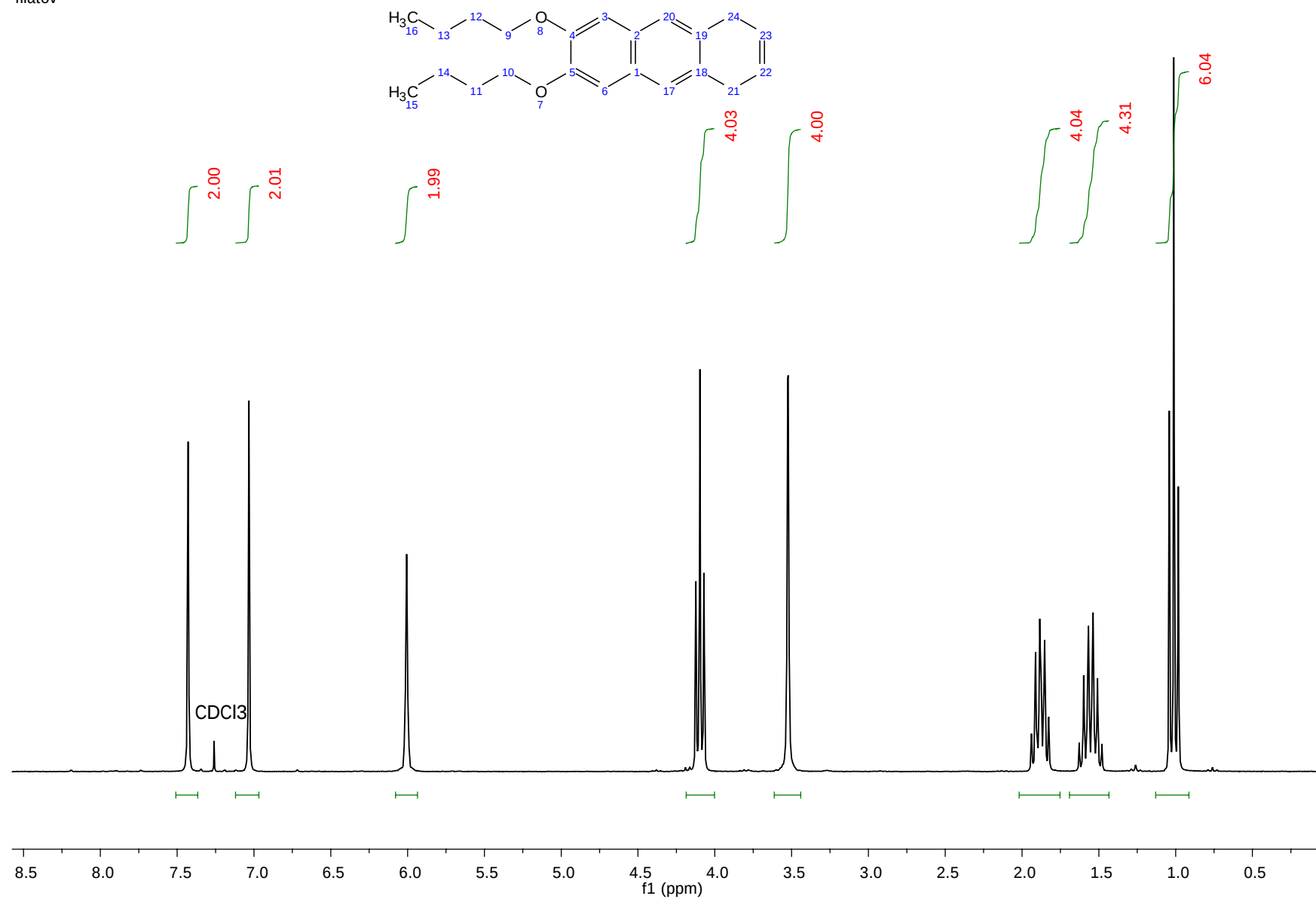
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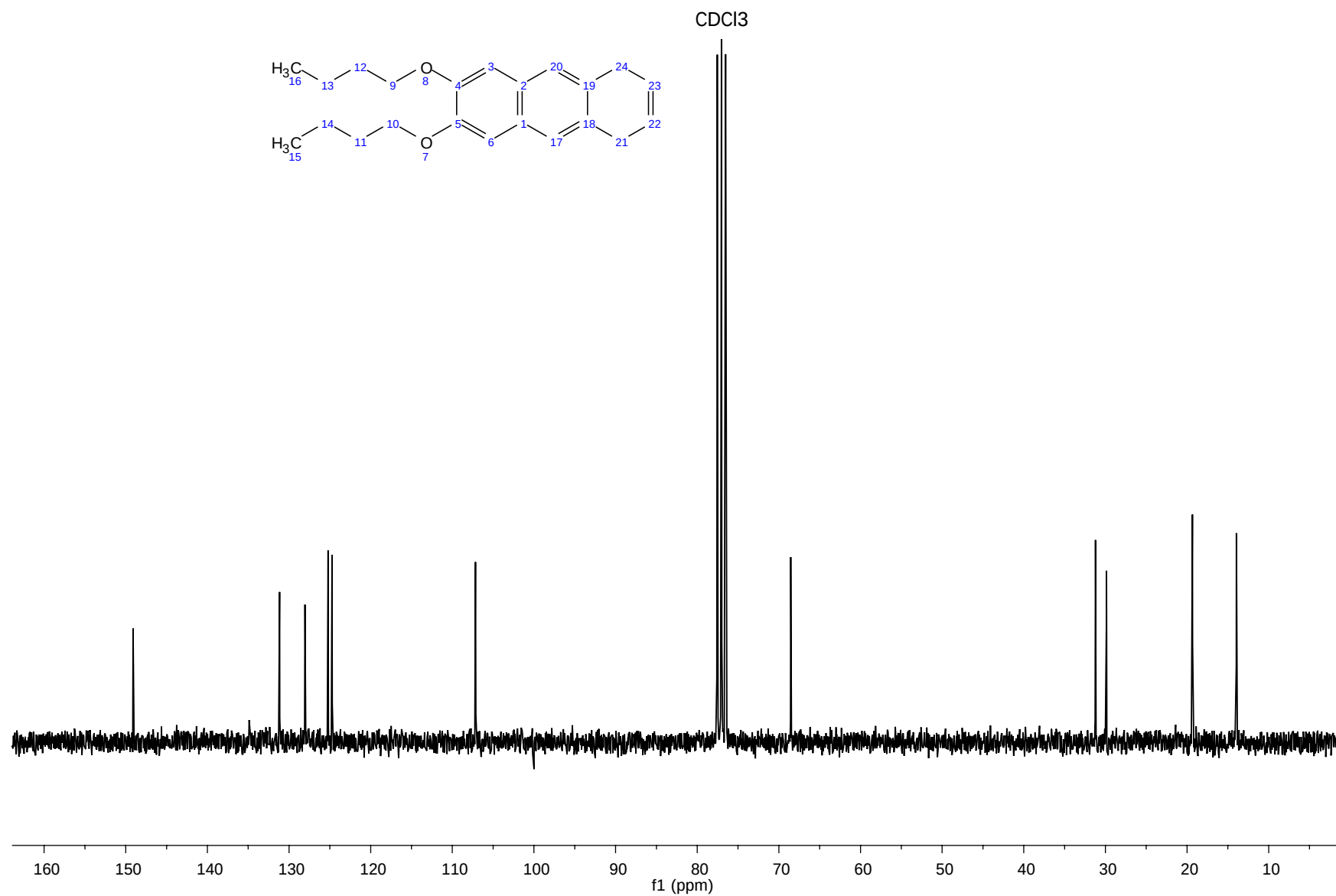


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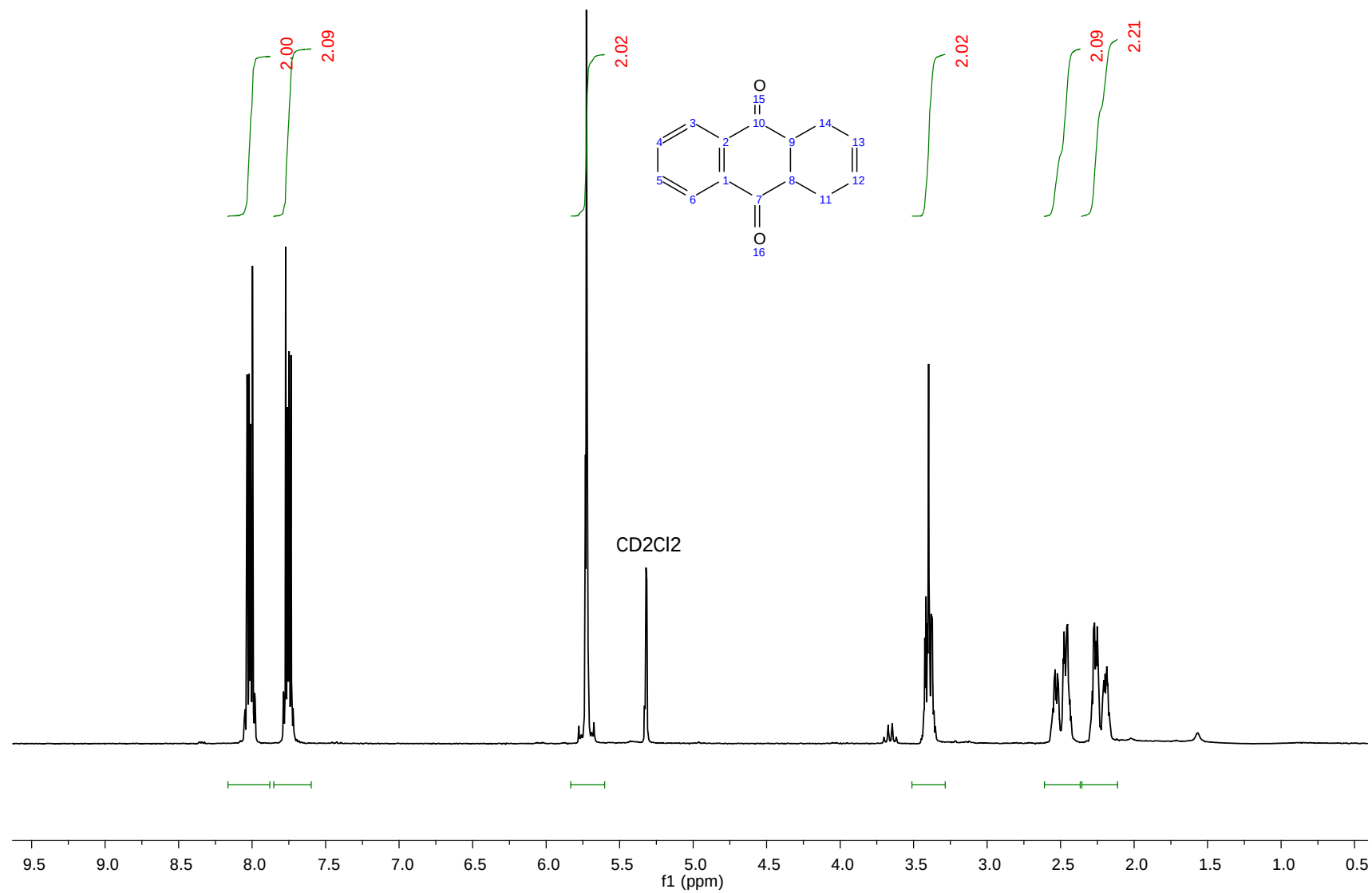
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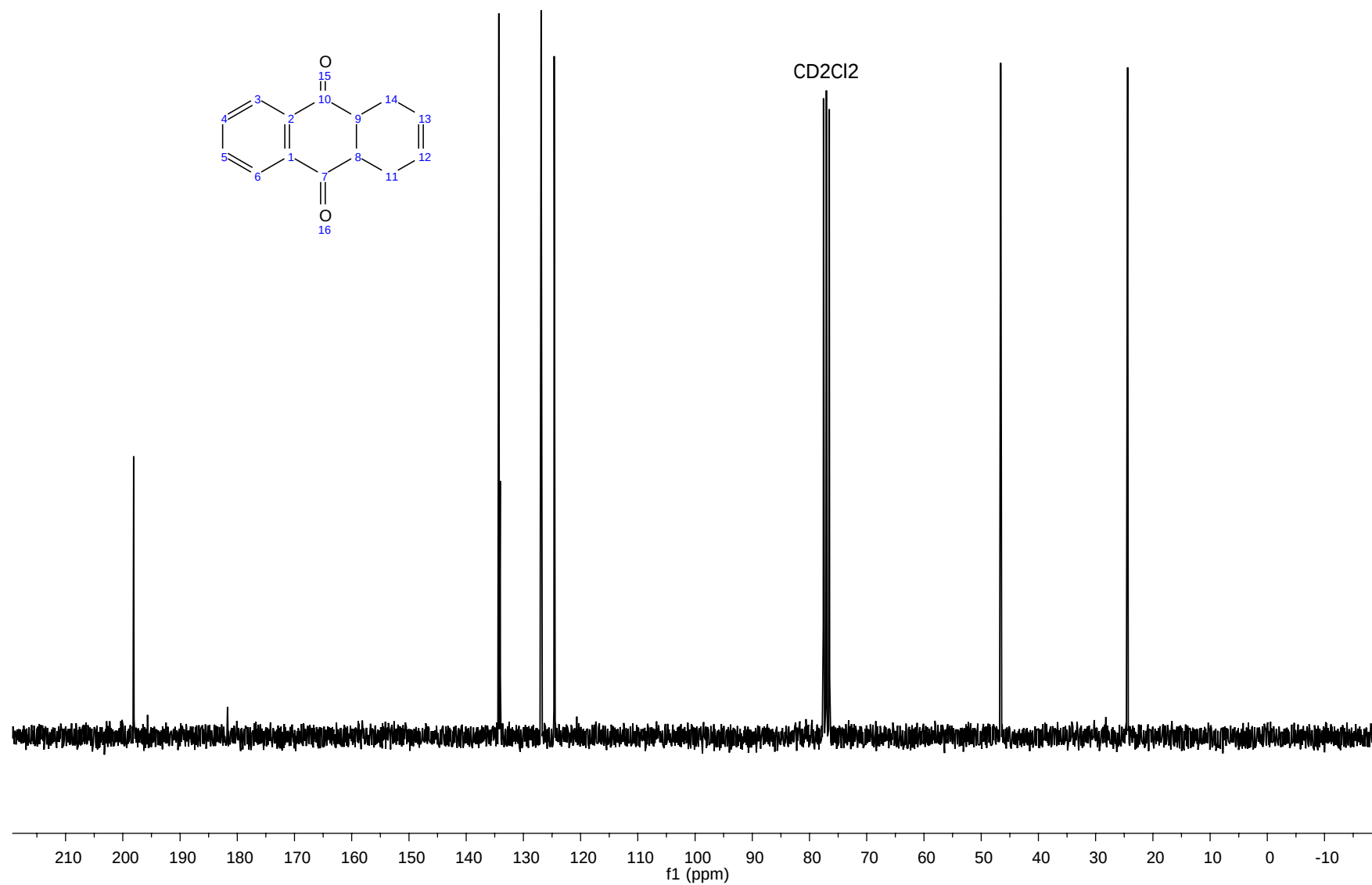
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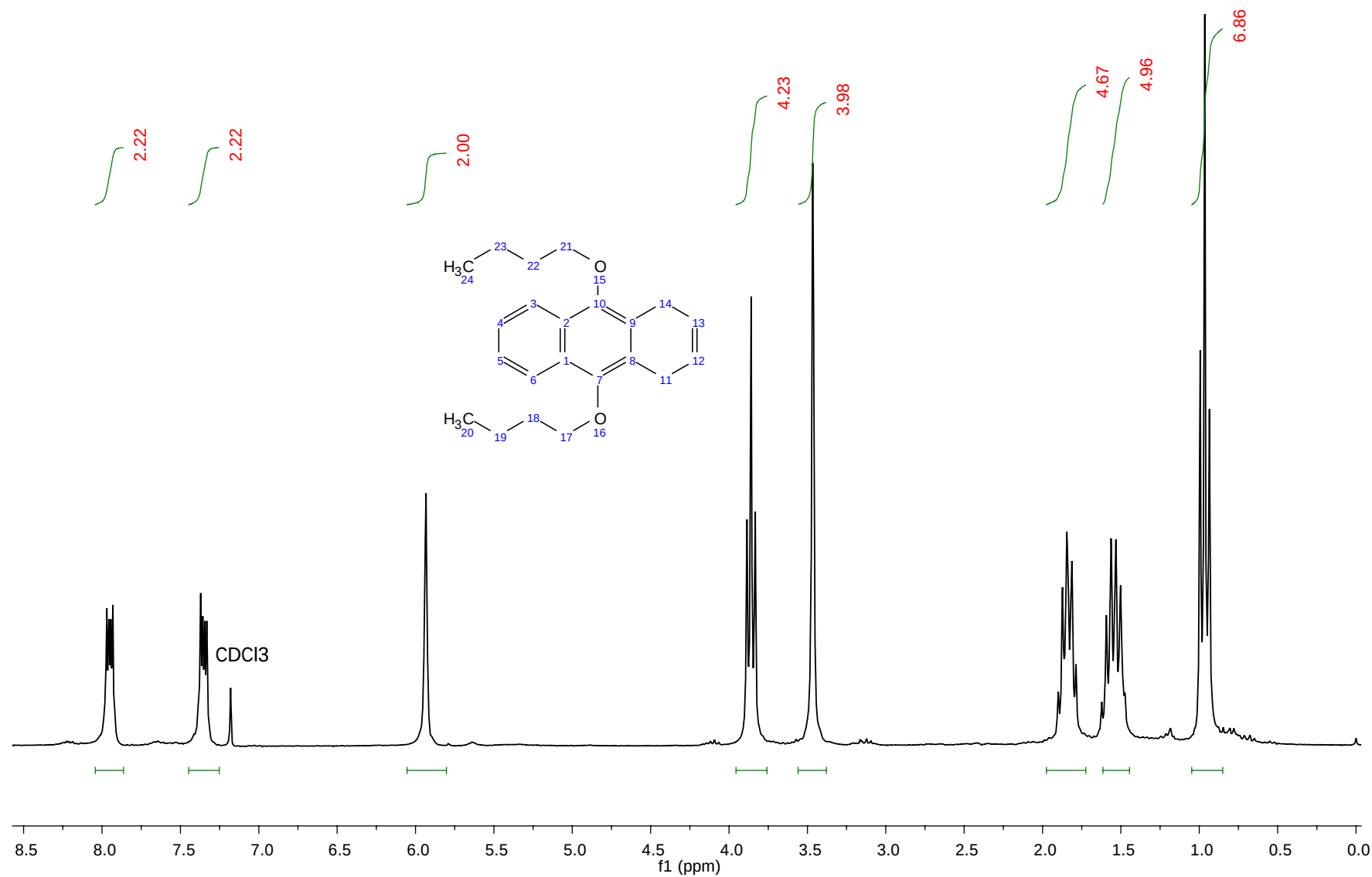
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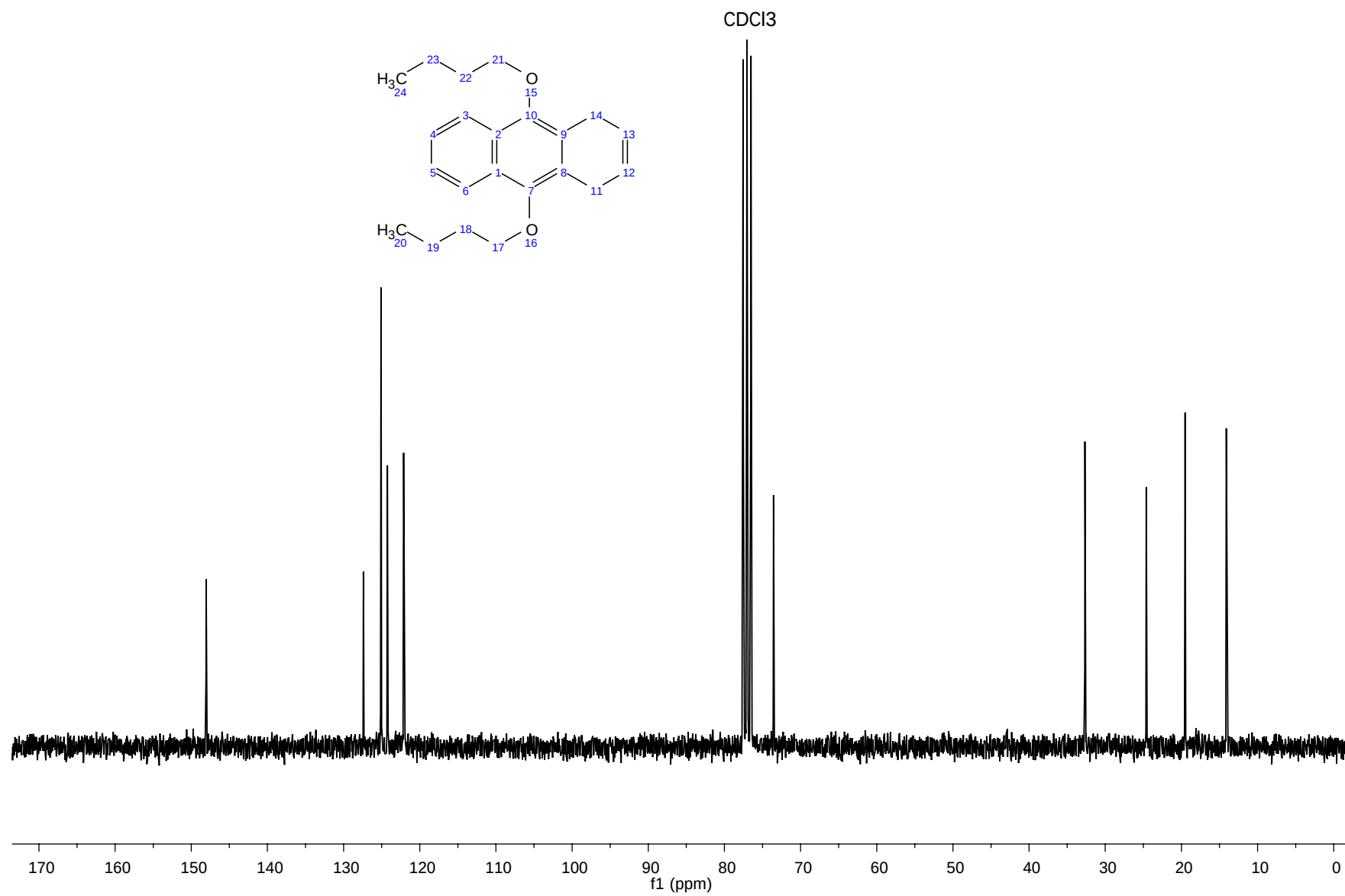
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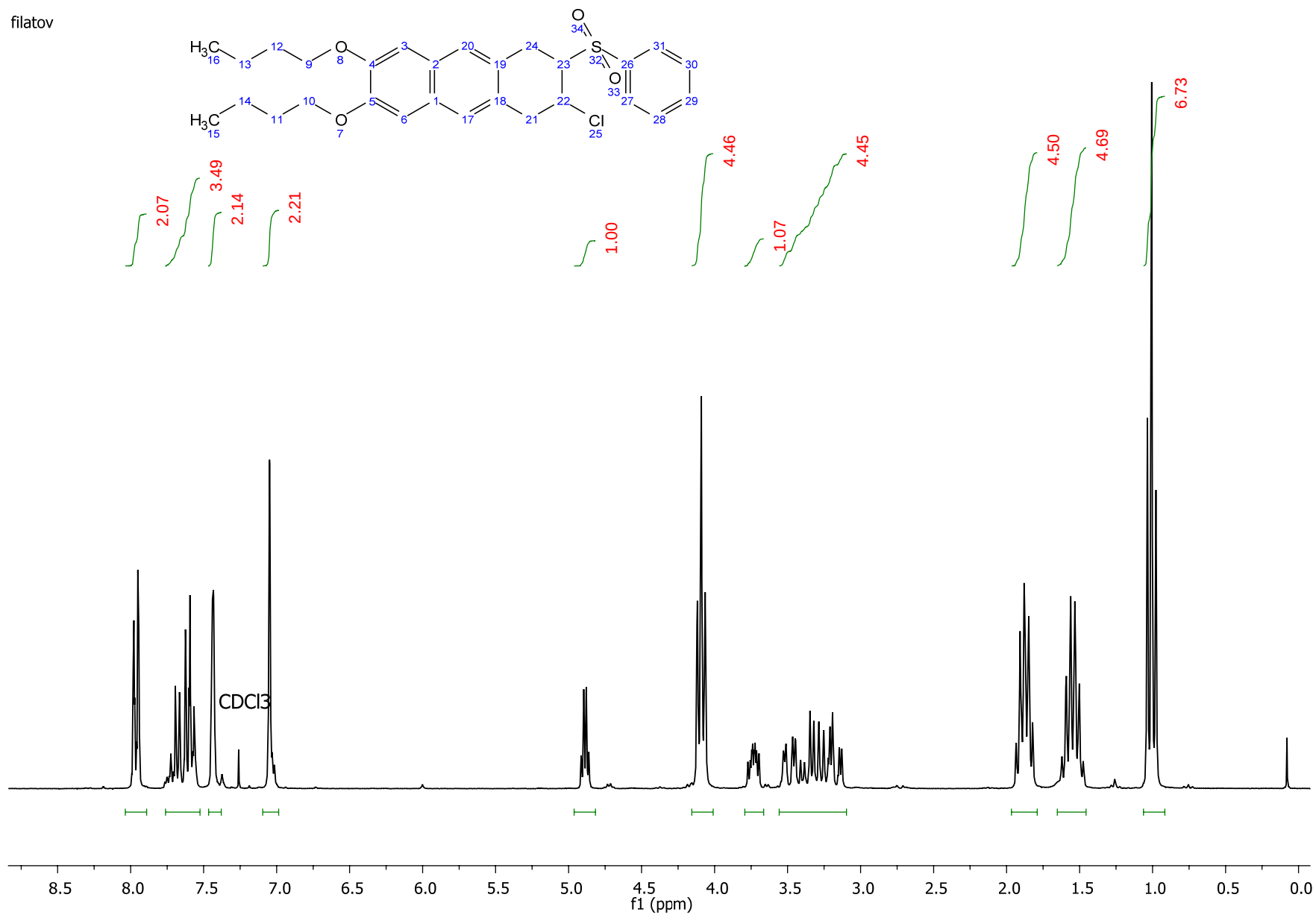


**Figure S13.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum for compound **19** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



**Figure S14.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum for compound **19** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>

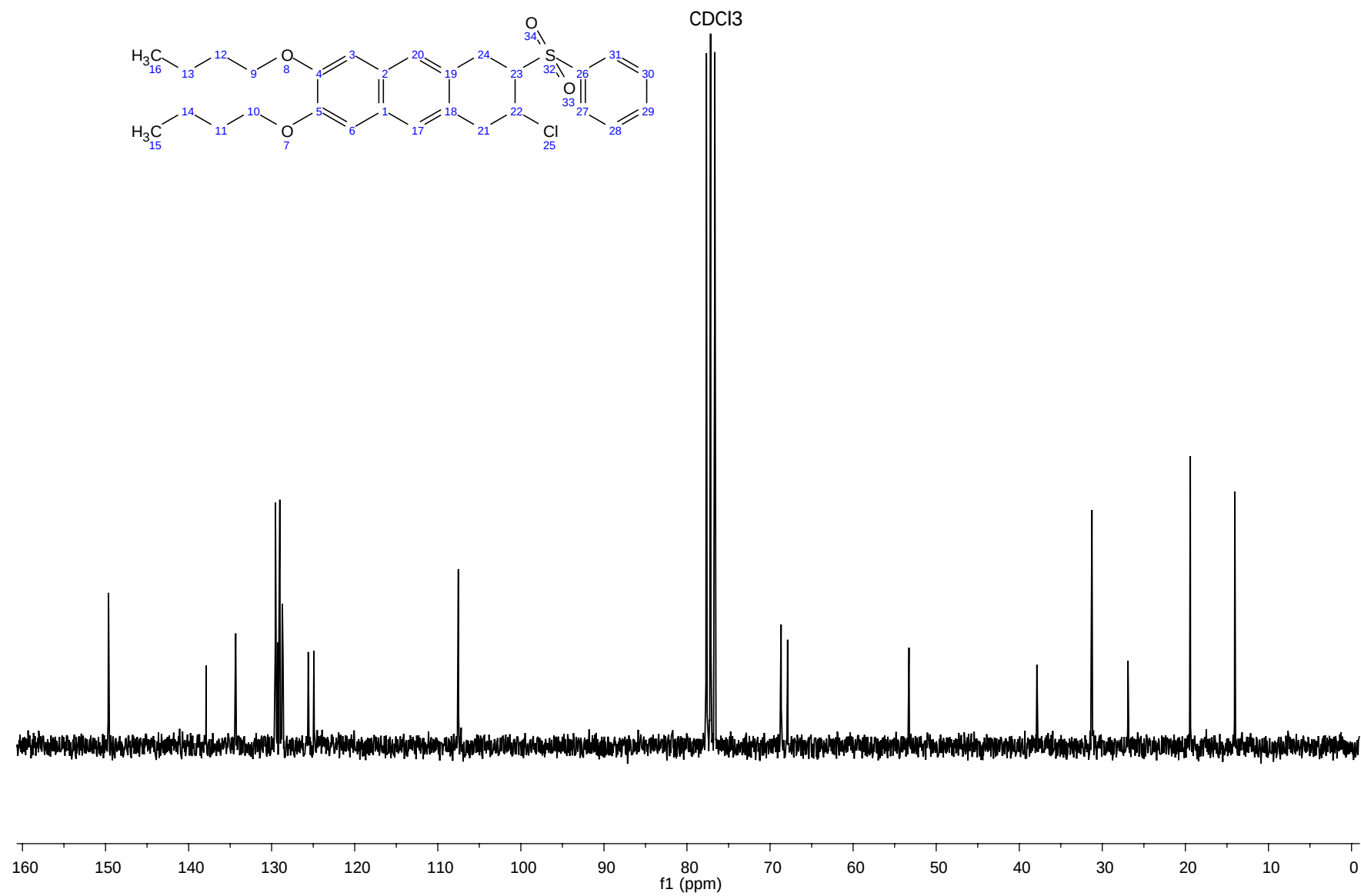
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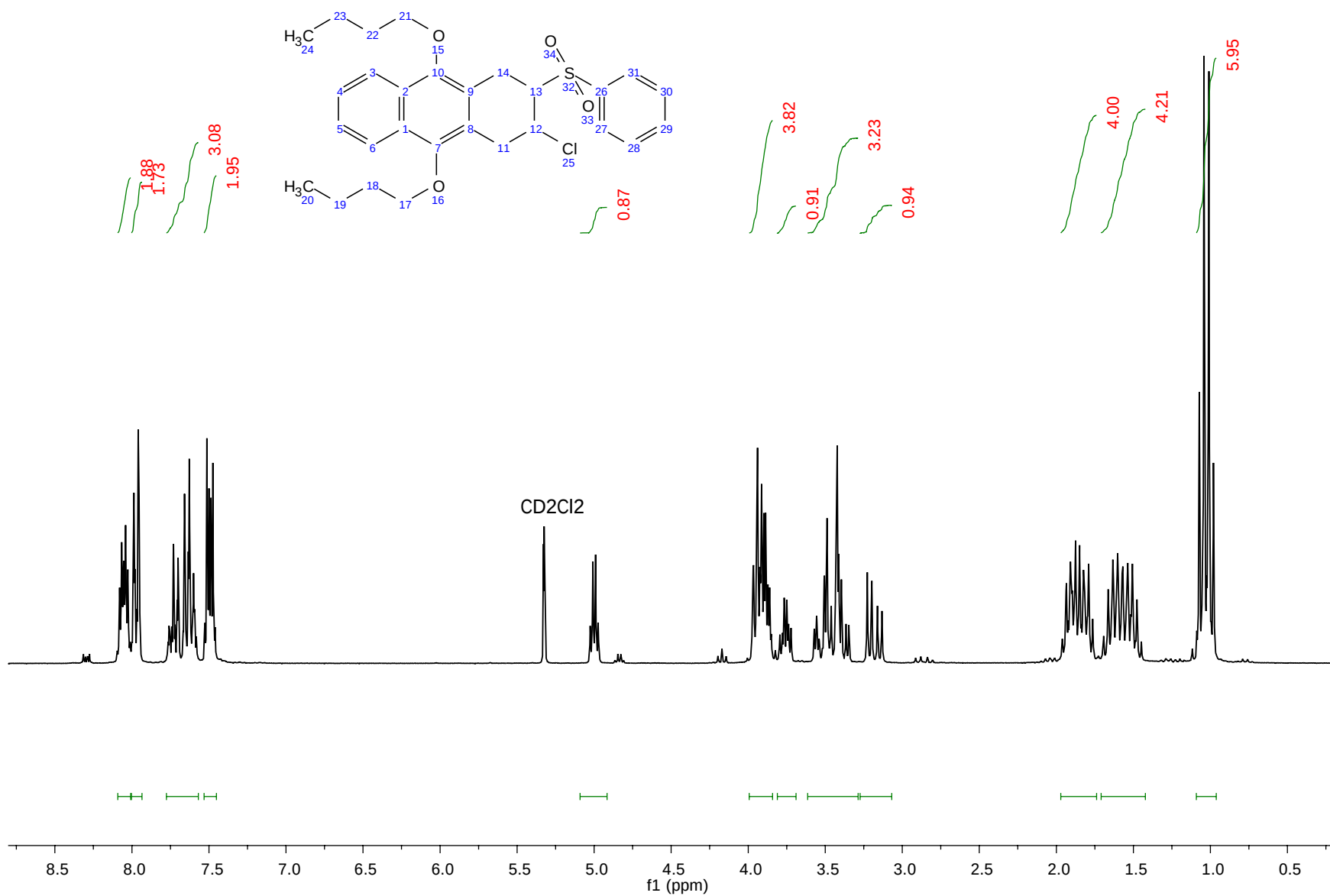


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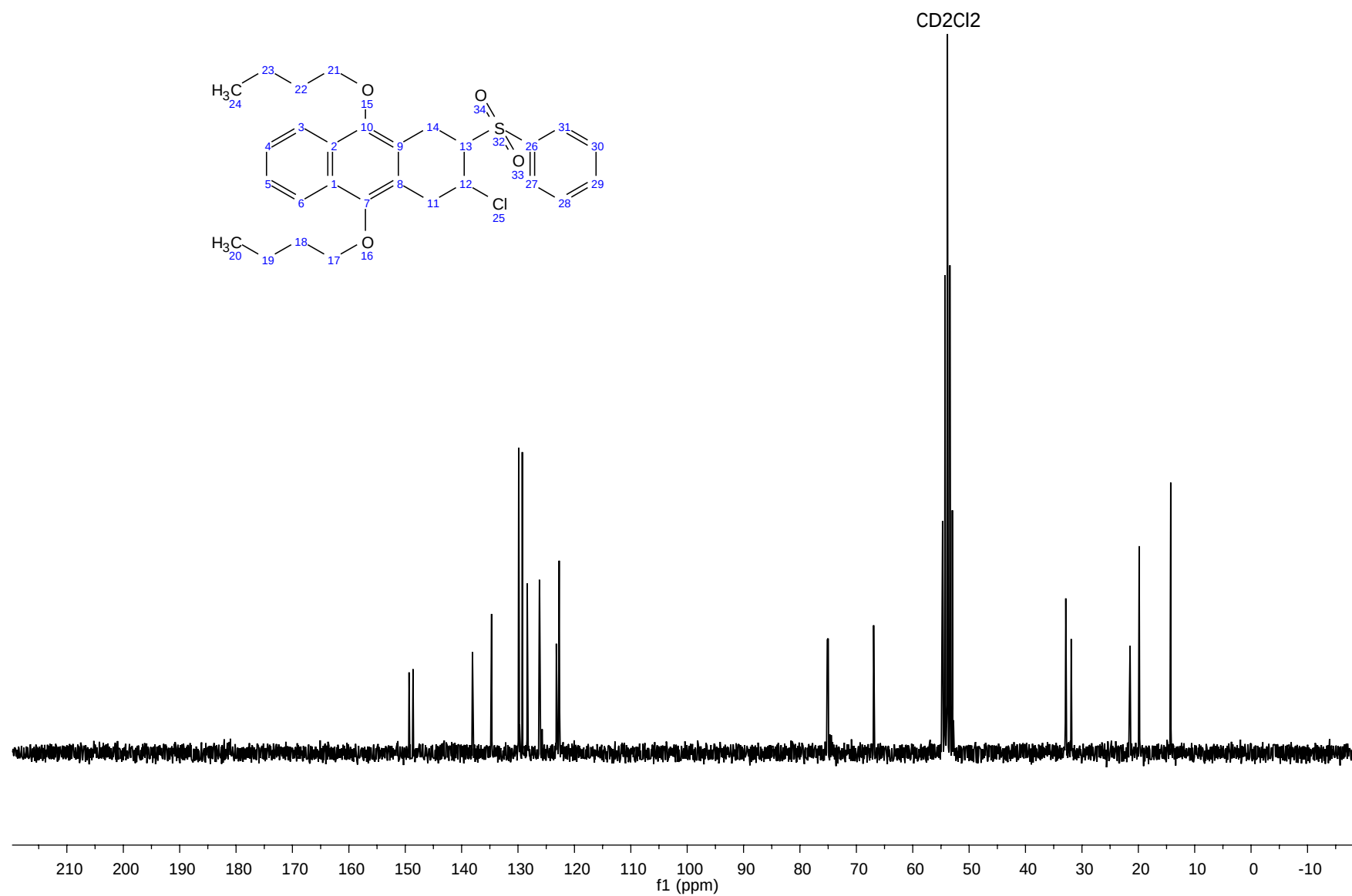


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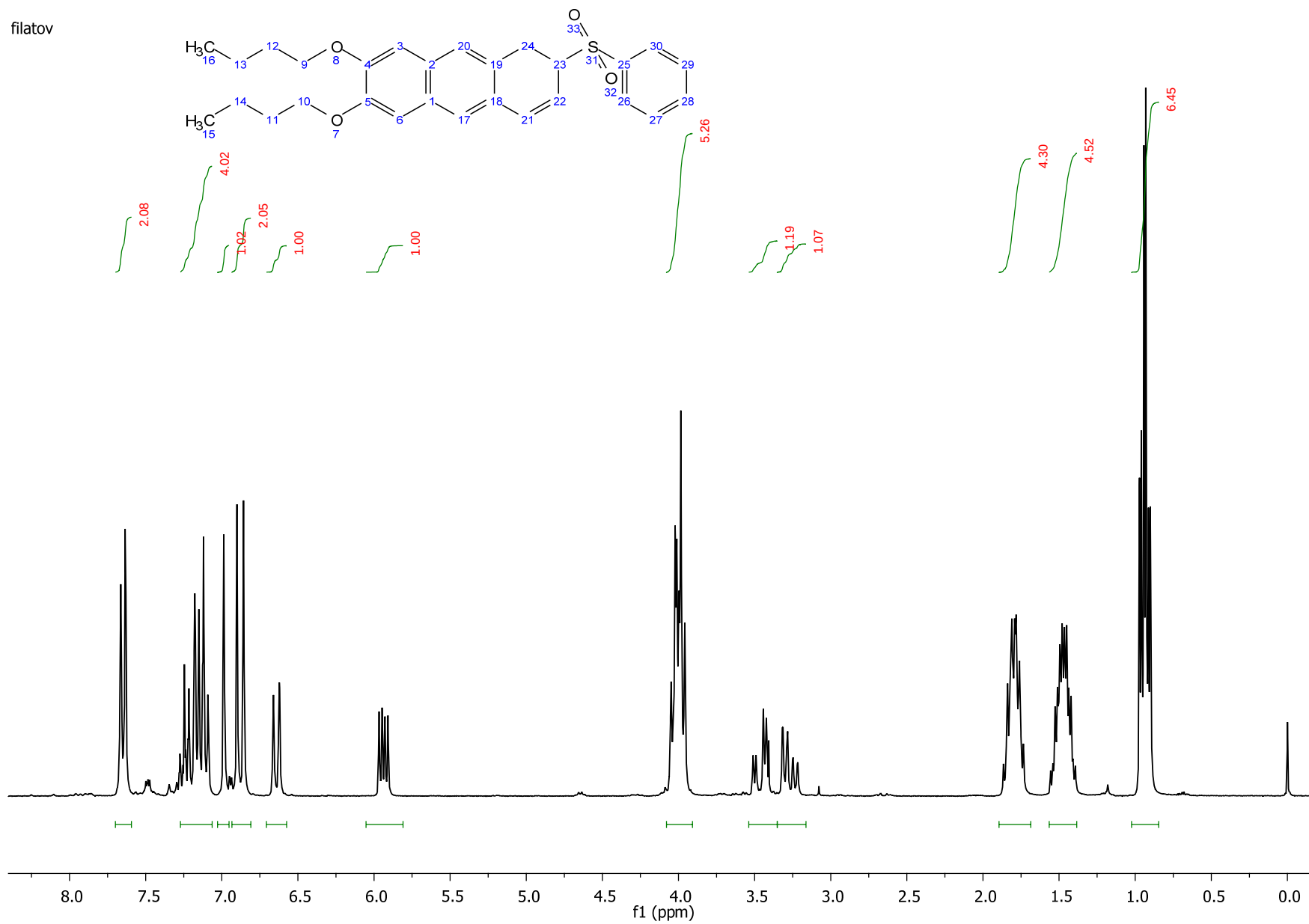


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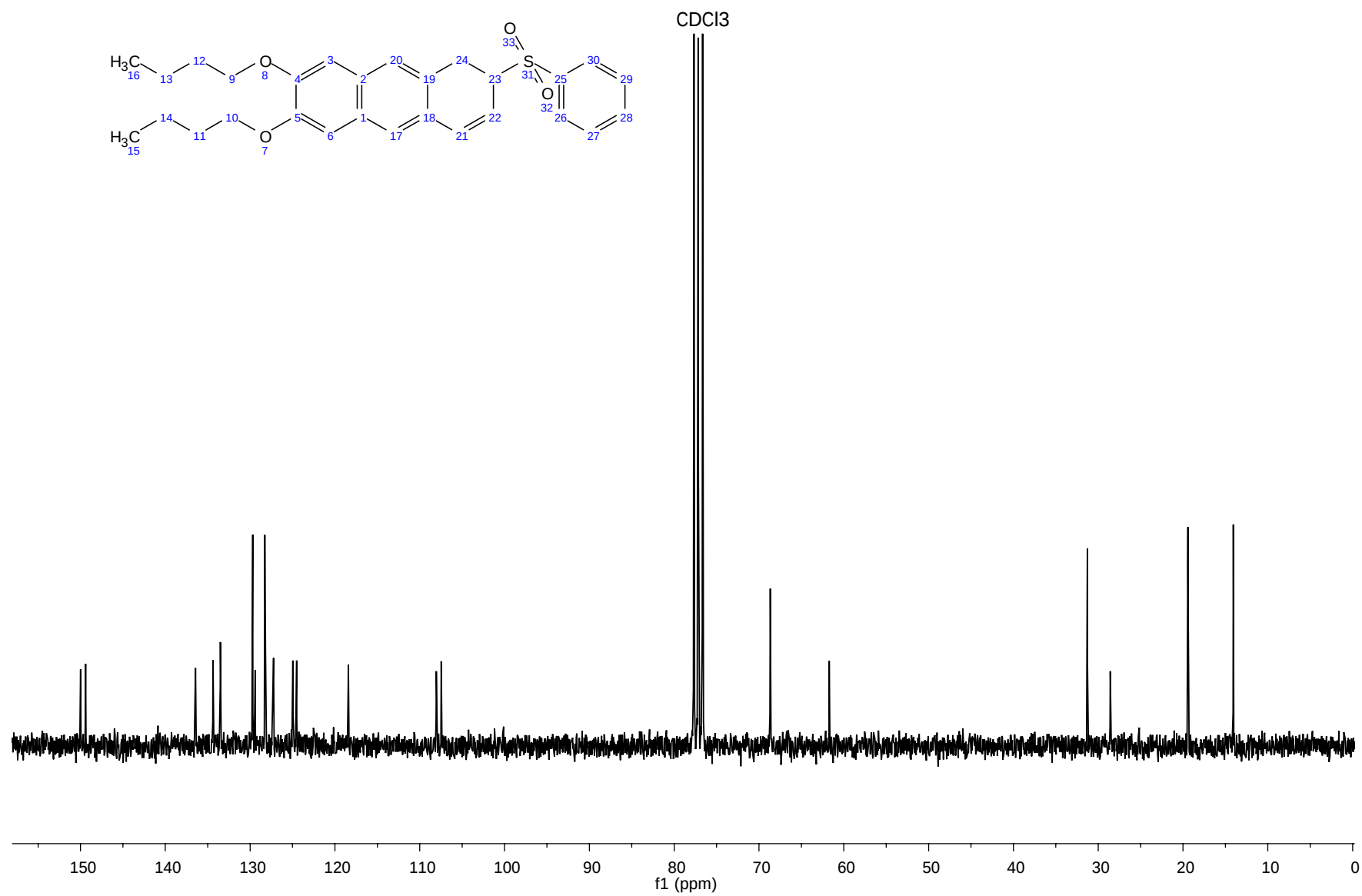
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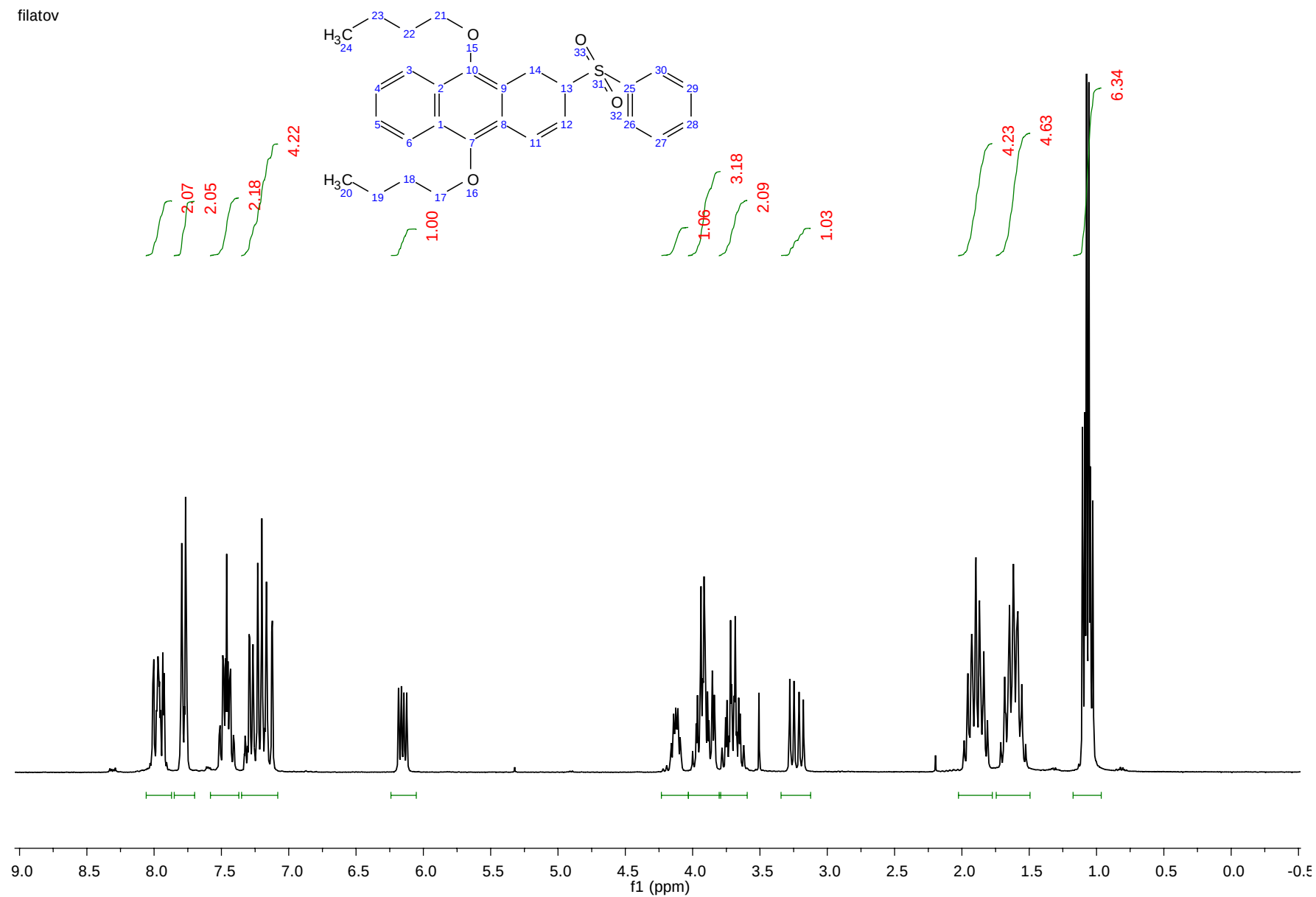
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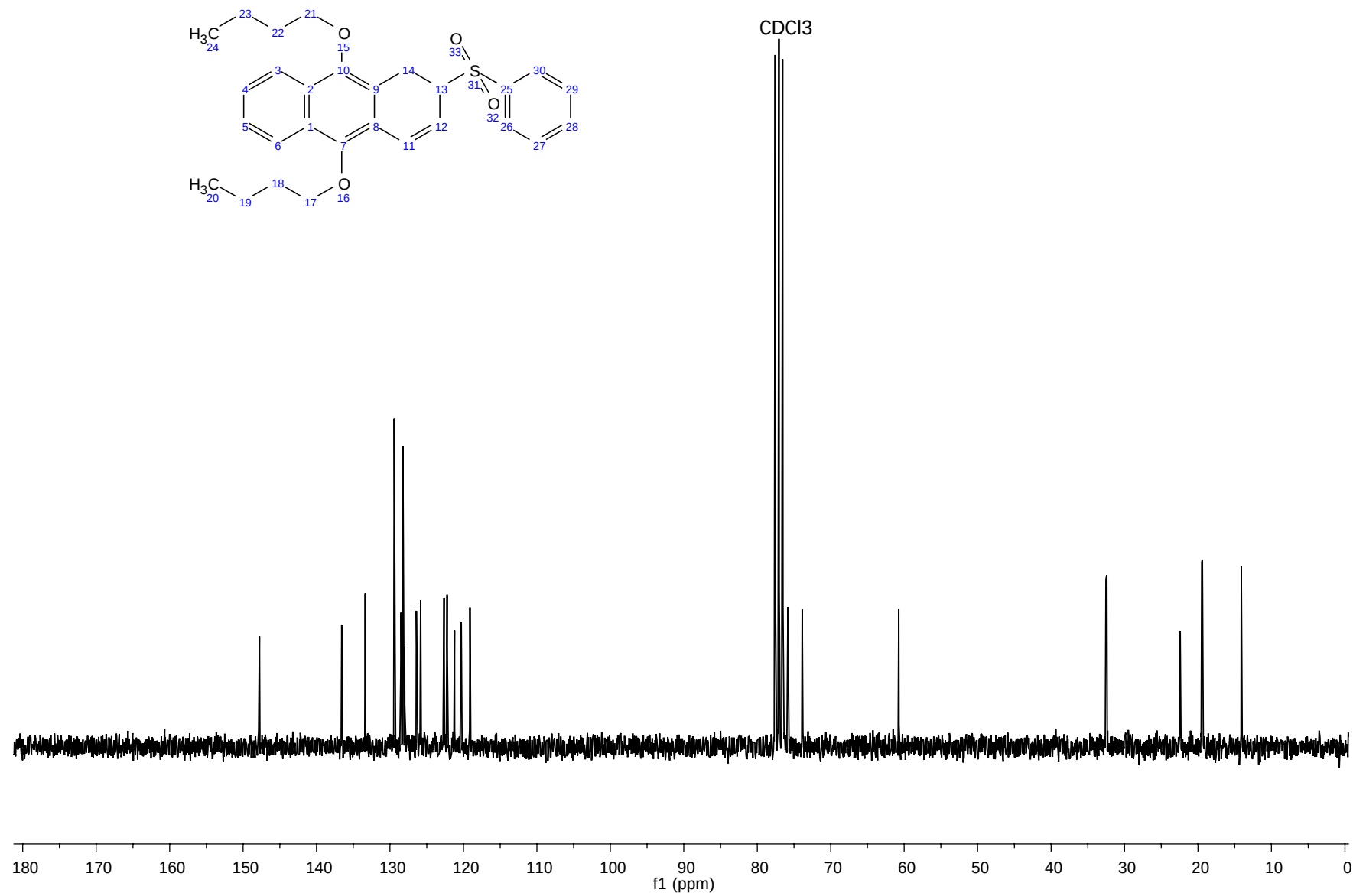
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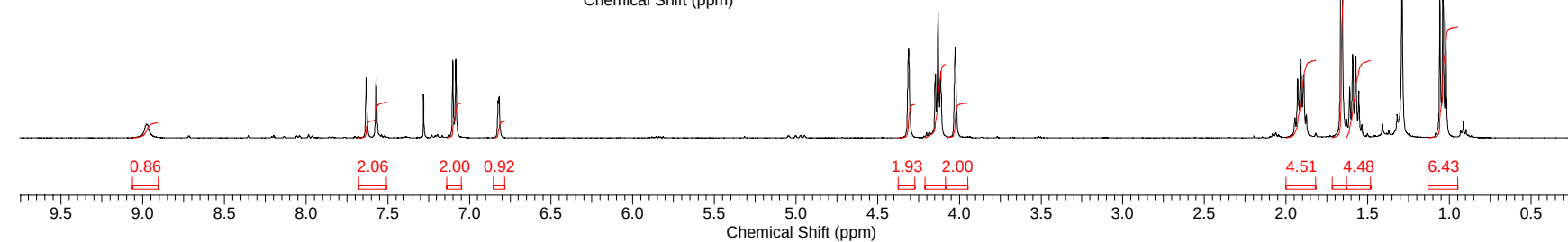
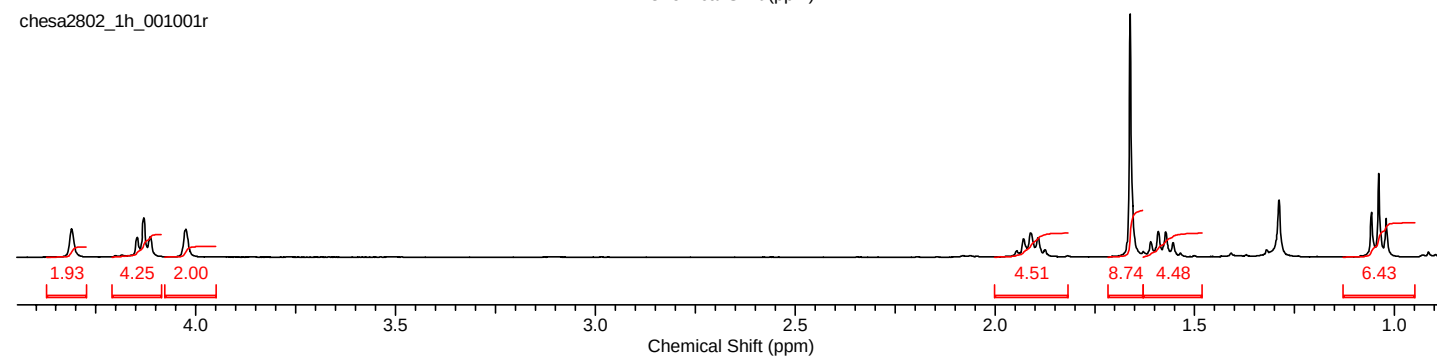
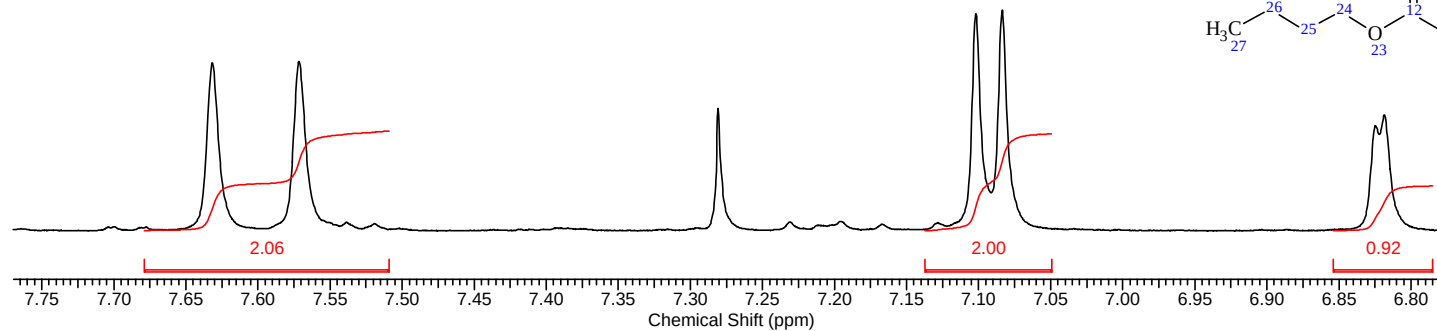
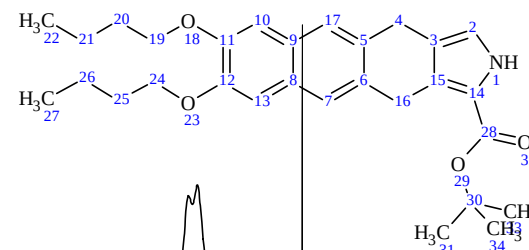
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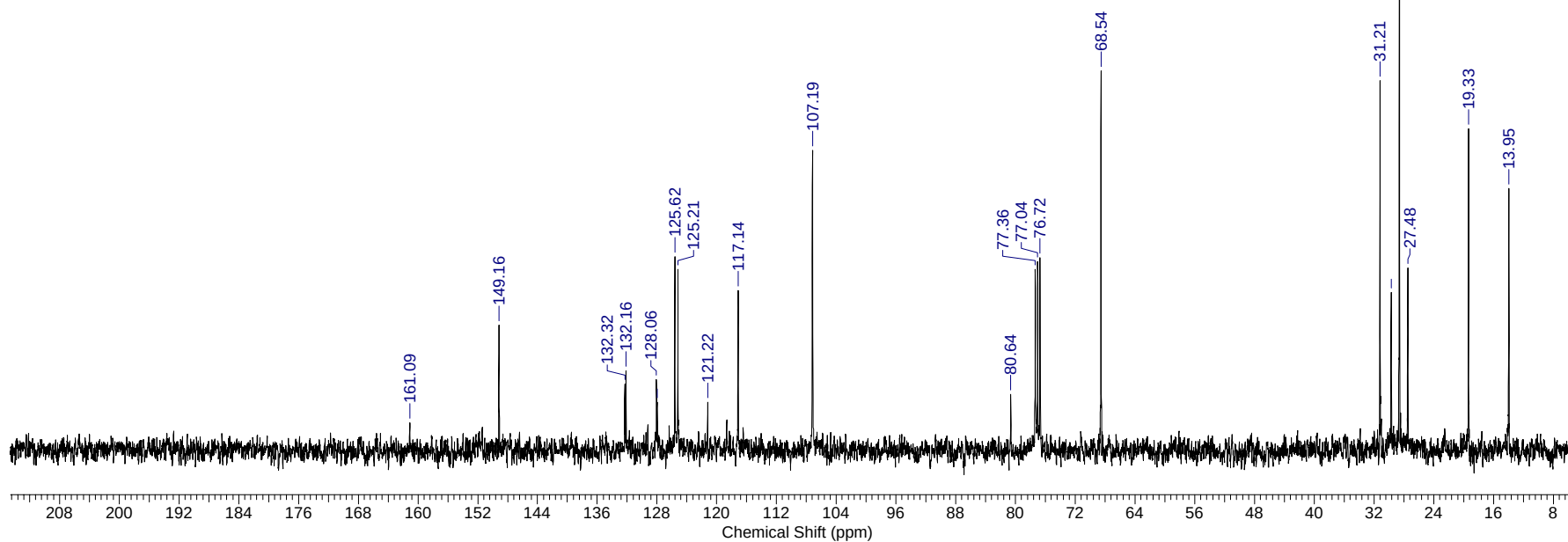
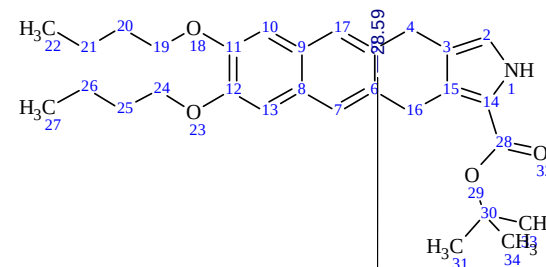
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**Figure S23.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for compound **14a** in  $\text{CDCl}_3$



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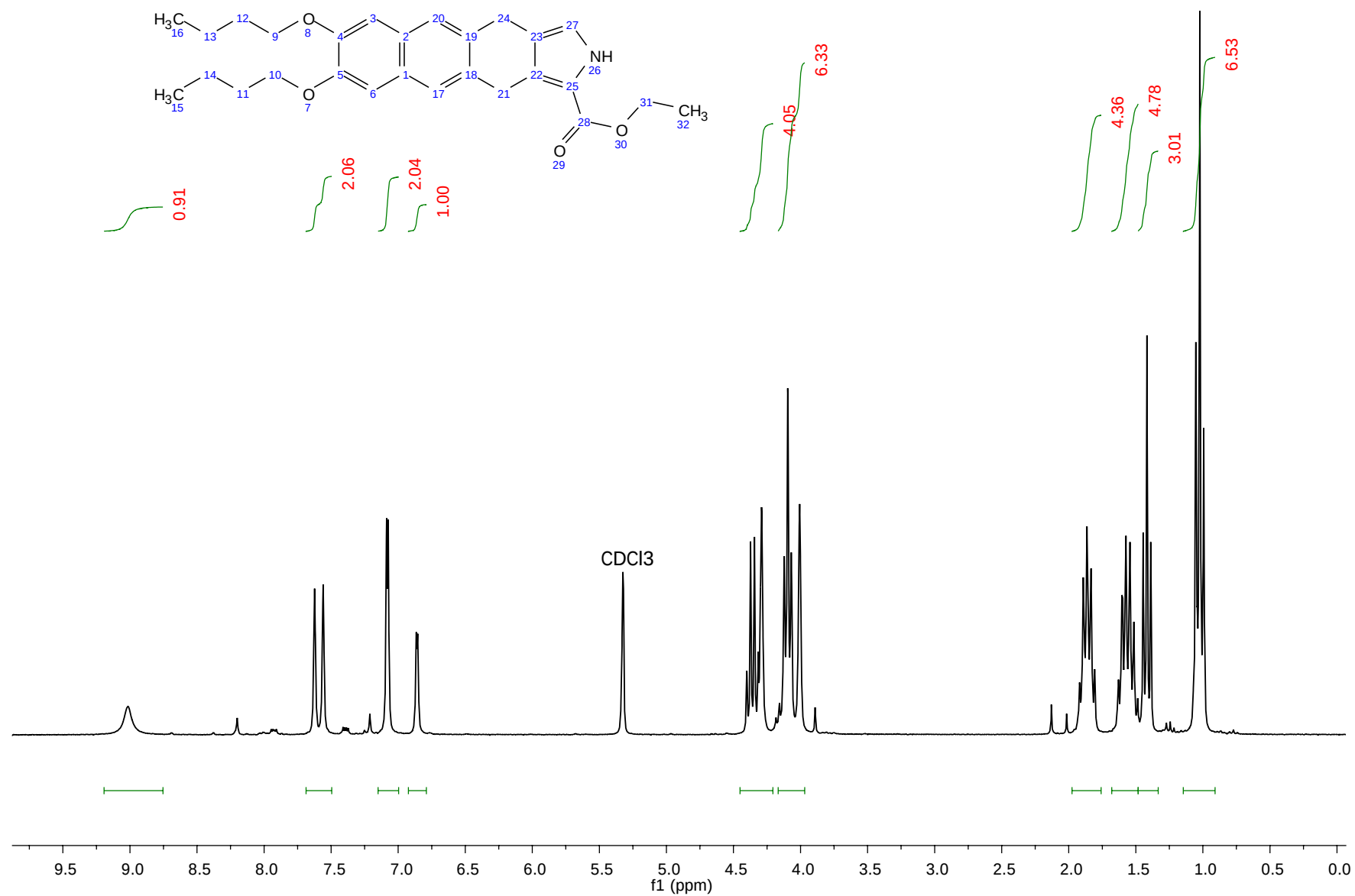
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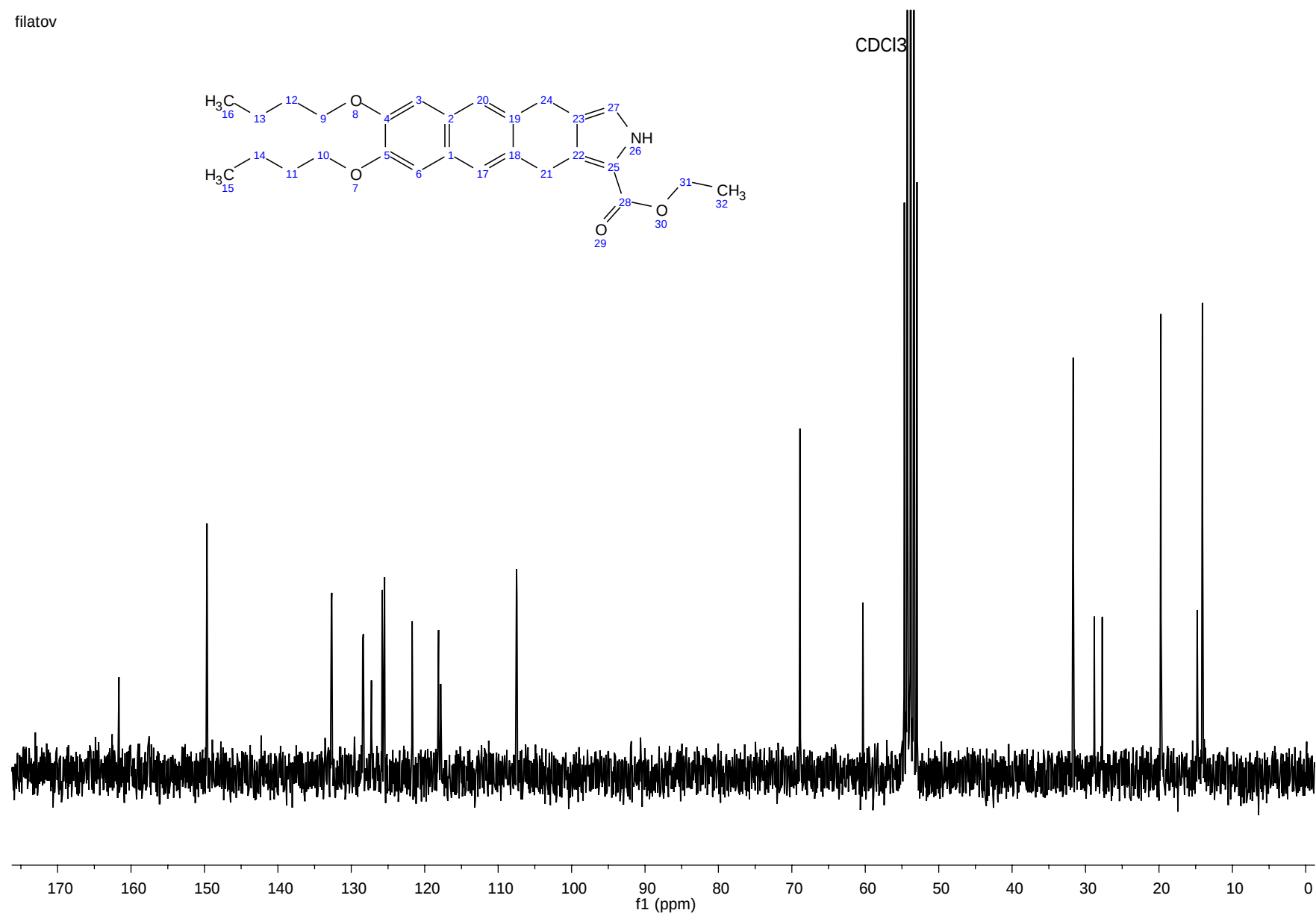
**Figure S24.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum for compound **14a** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>

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**Figure S25.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for compound **14b** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

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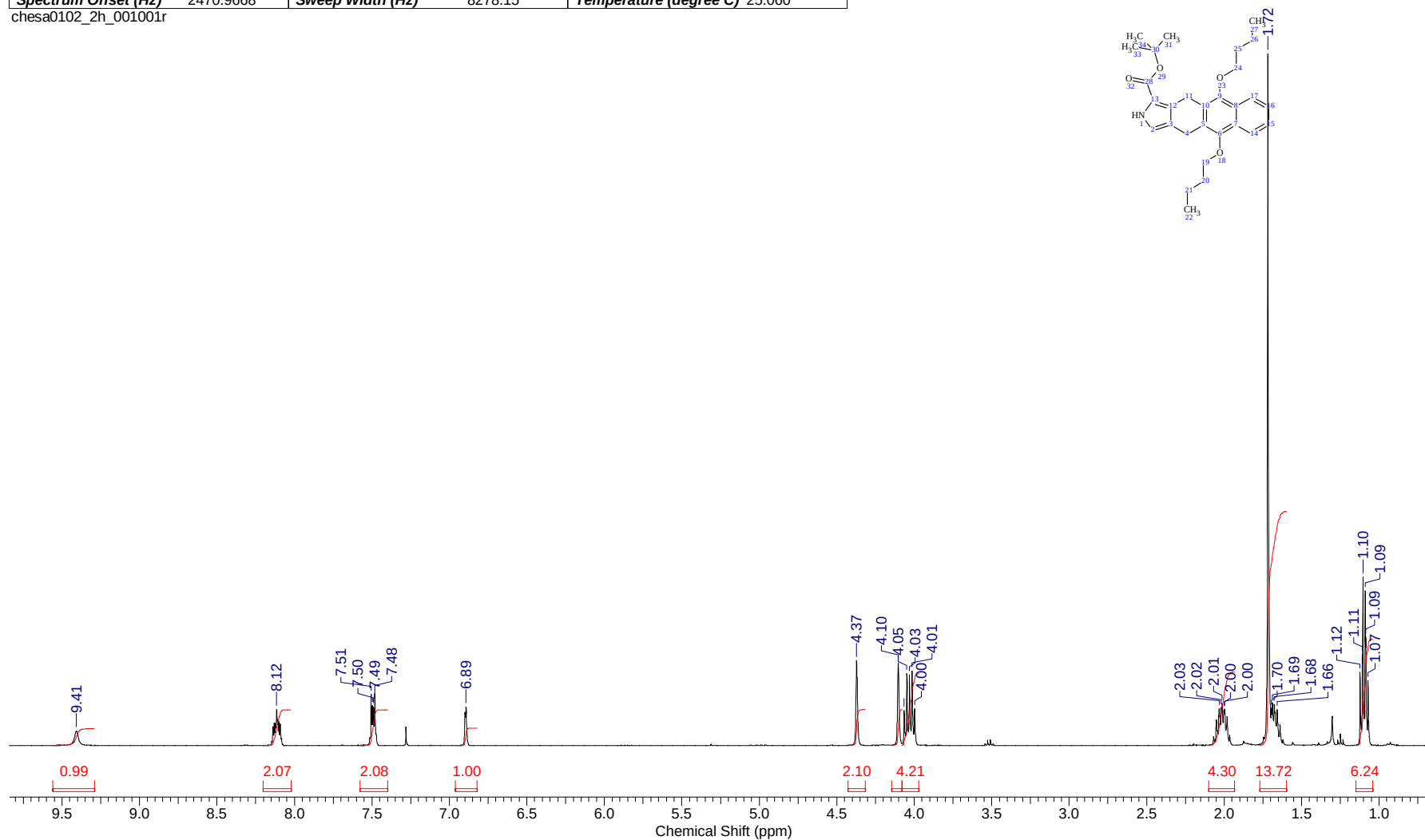


**Figure S26.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum for compound **14b** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$

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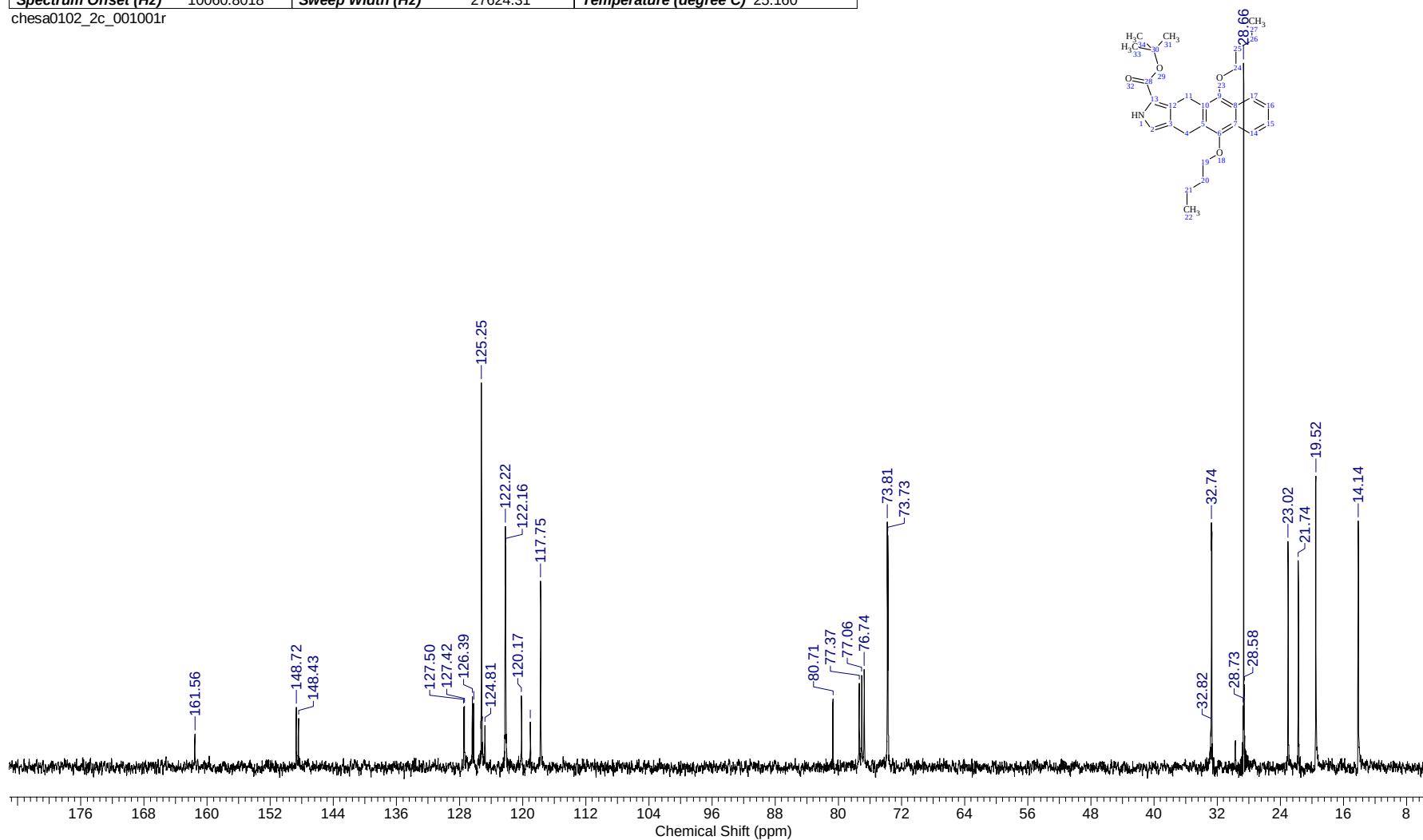


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**Figure S27.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum for compound **22a** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>

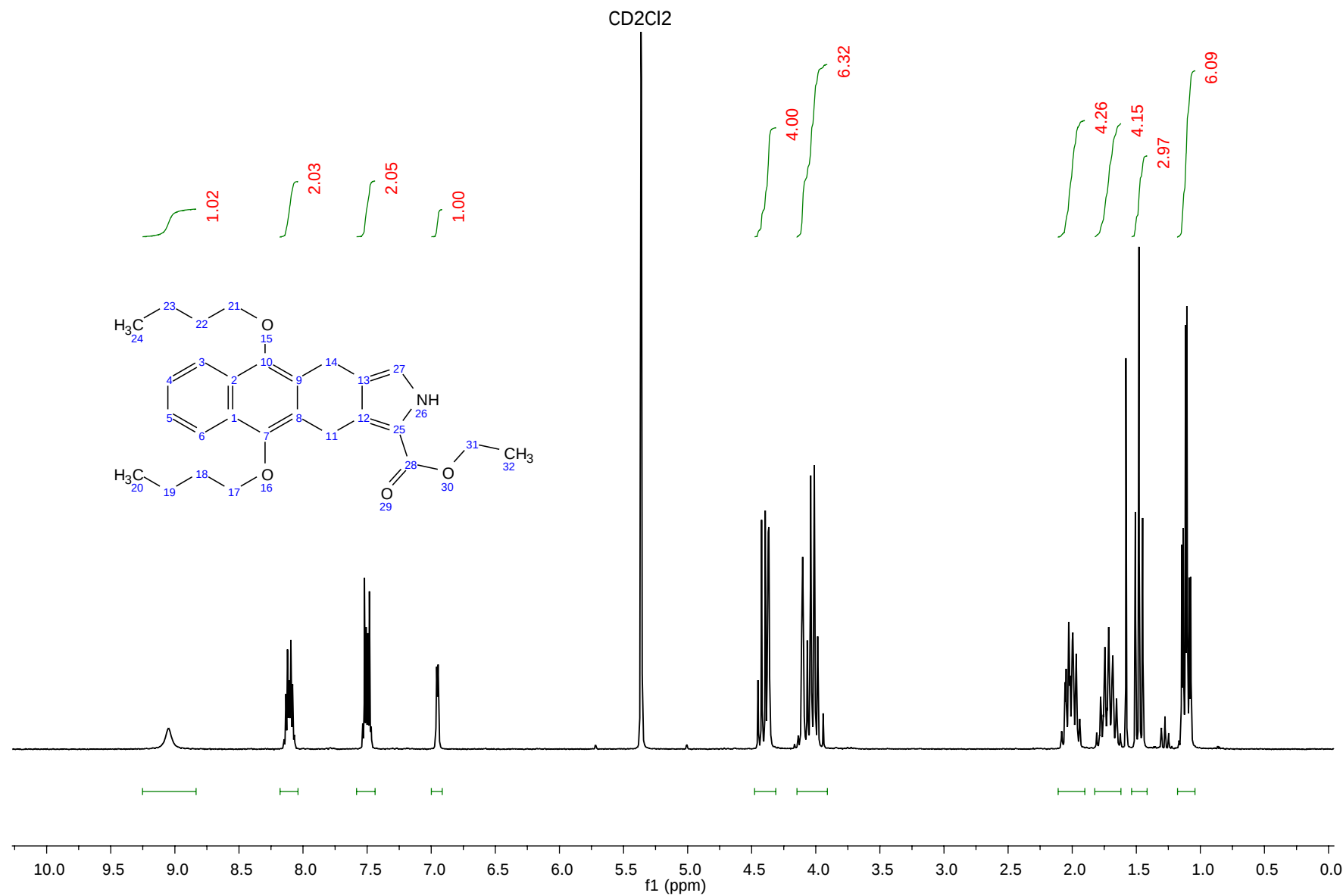
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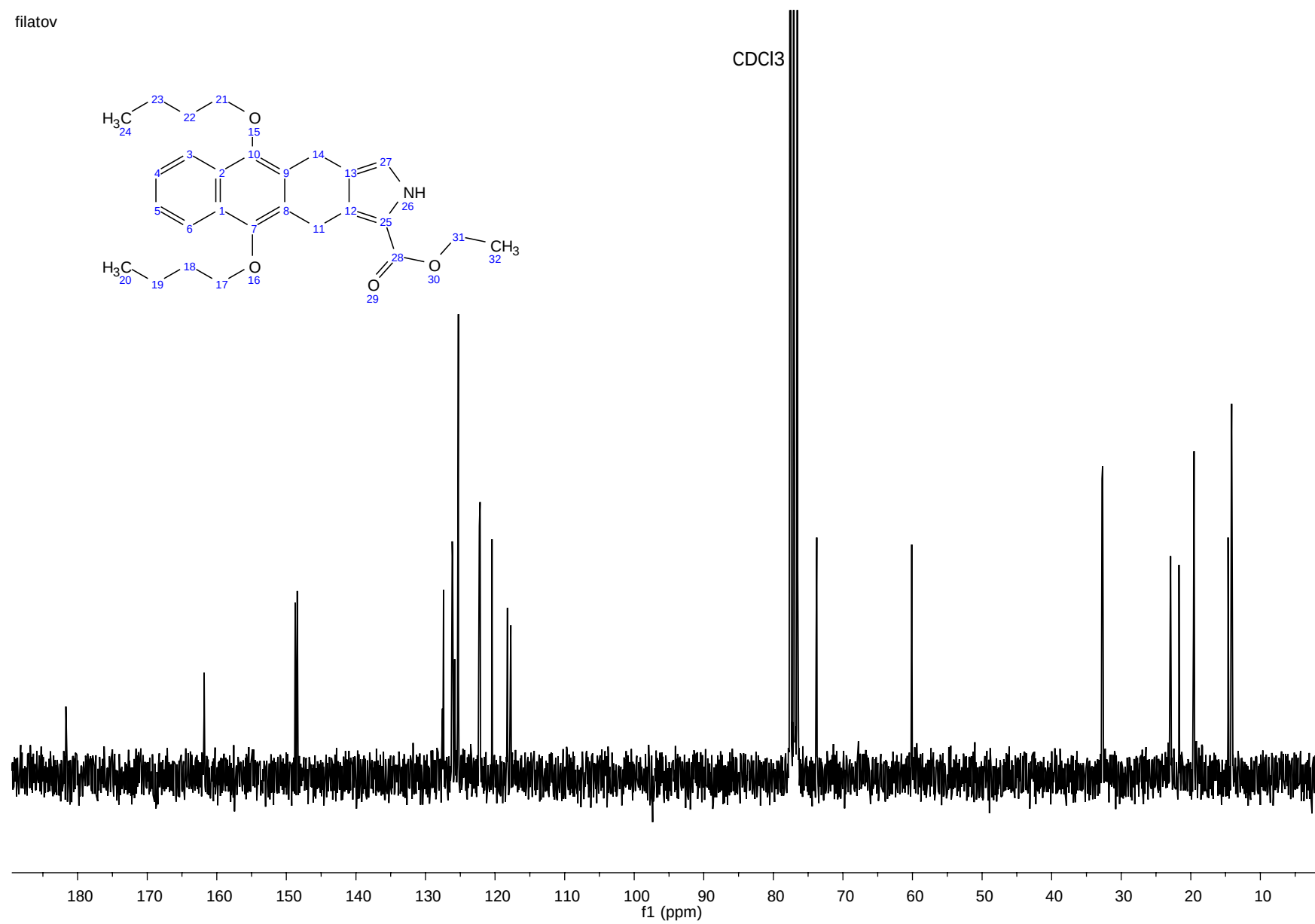
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**Figure S28.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum for compound 22a in CDCl<sub>3</sub>



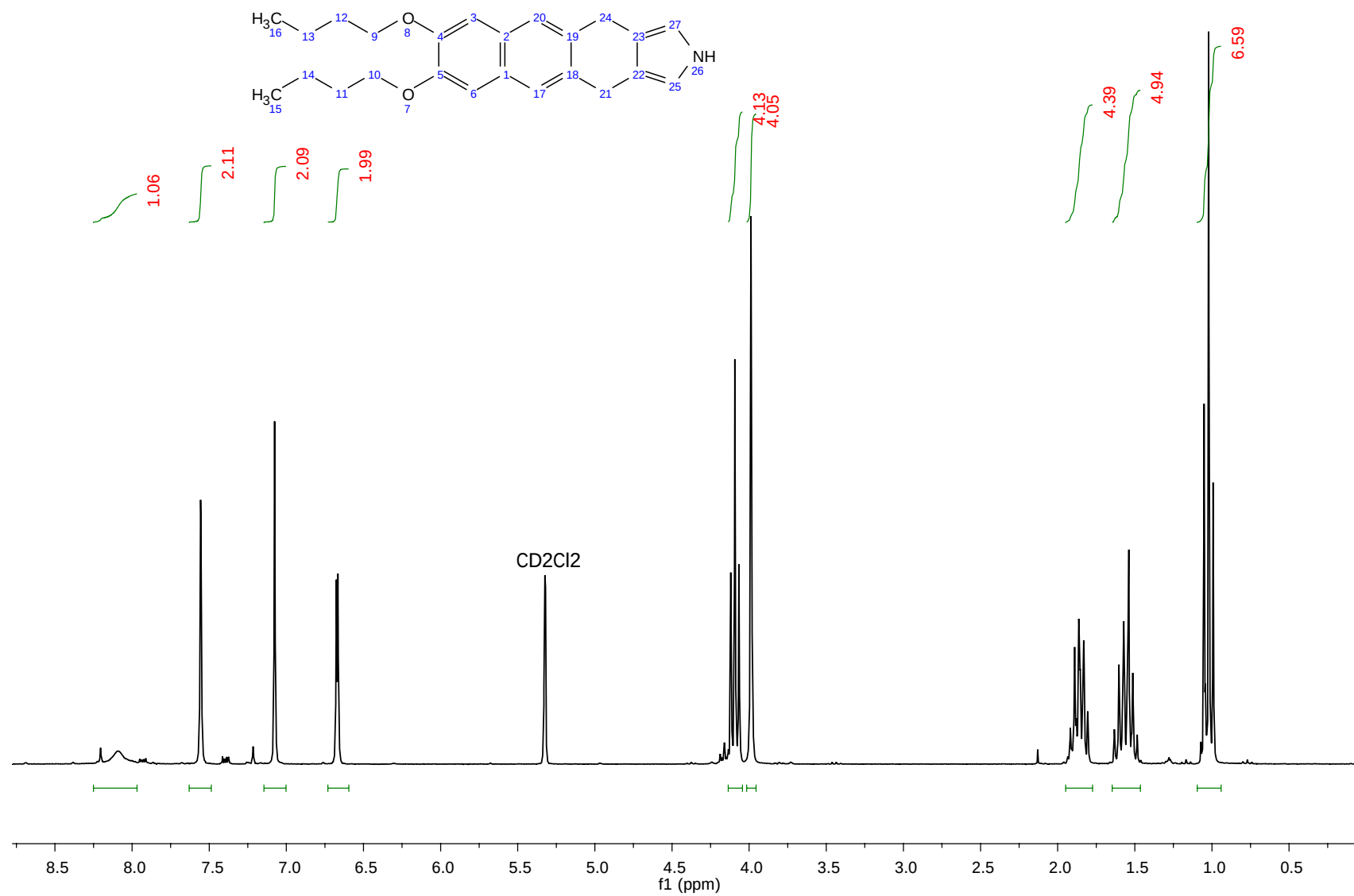
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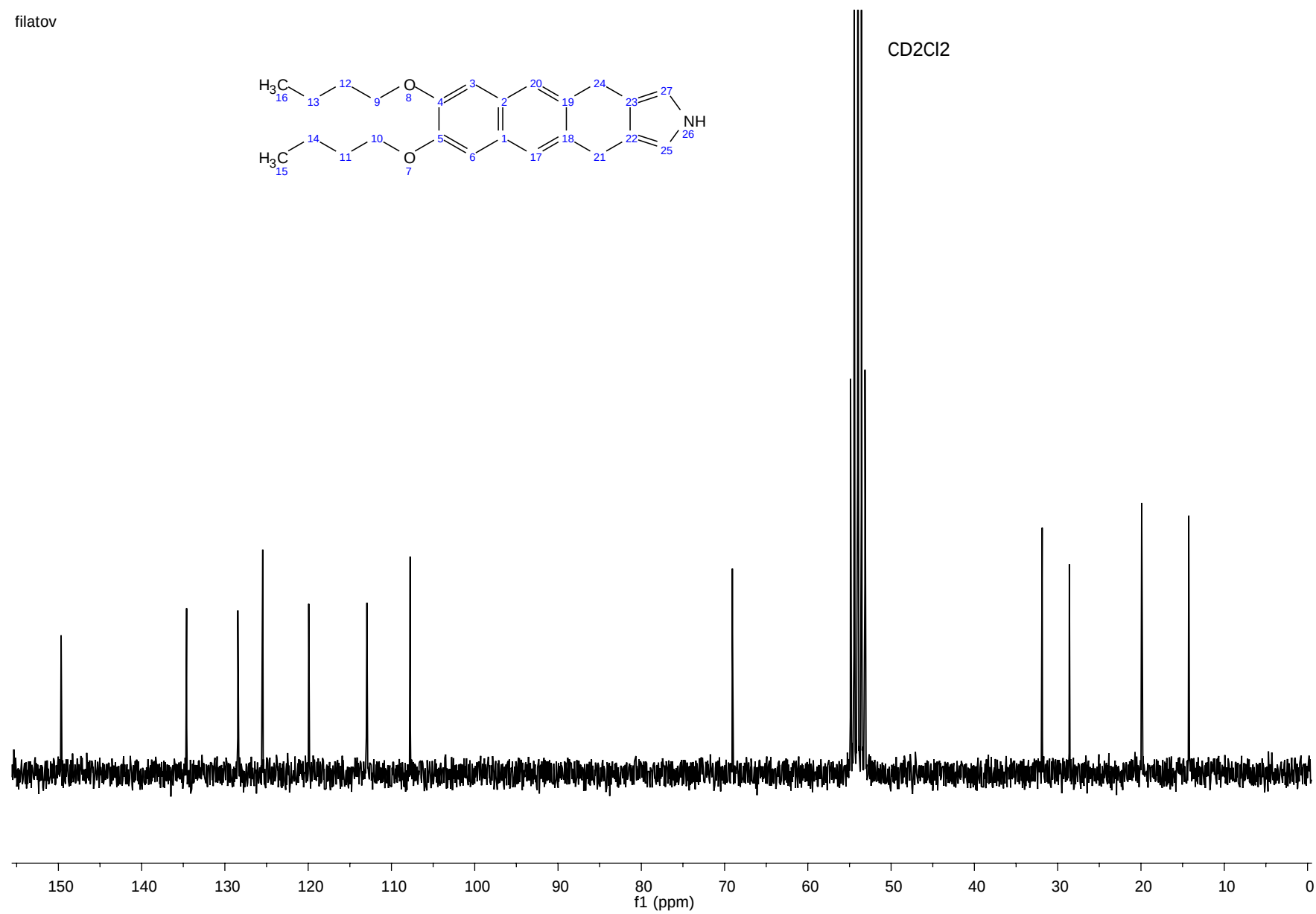
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**Figure S31.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum for compound **15** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

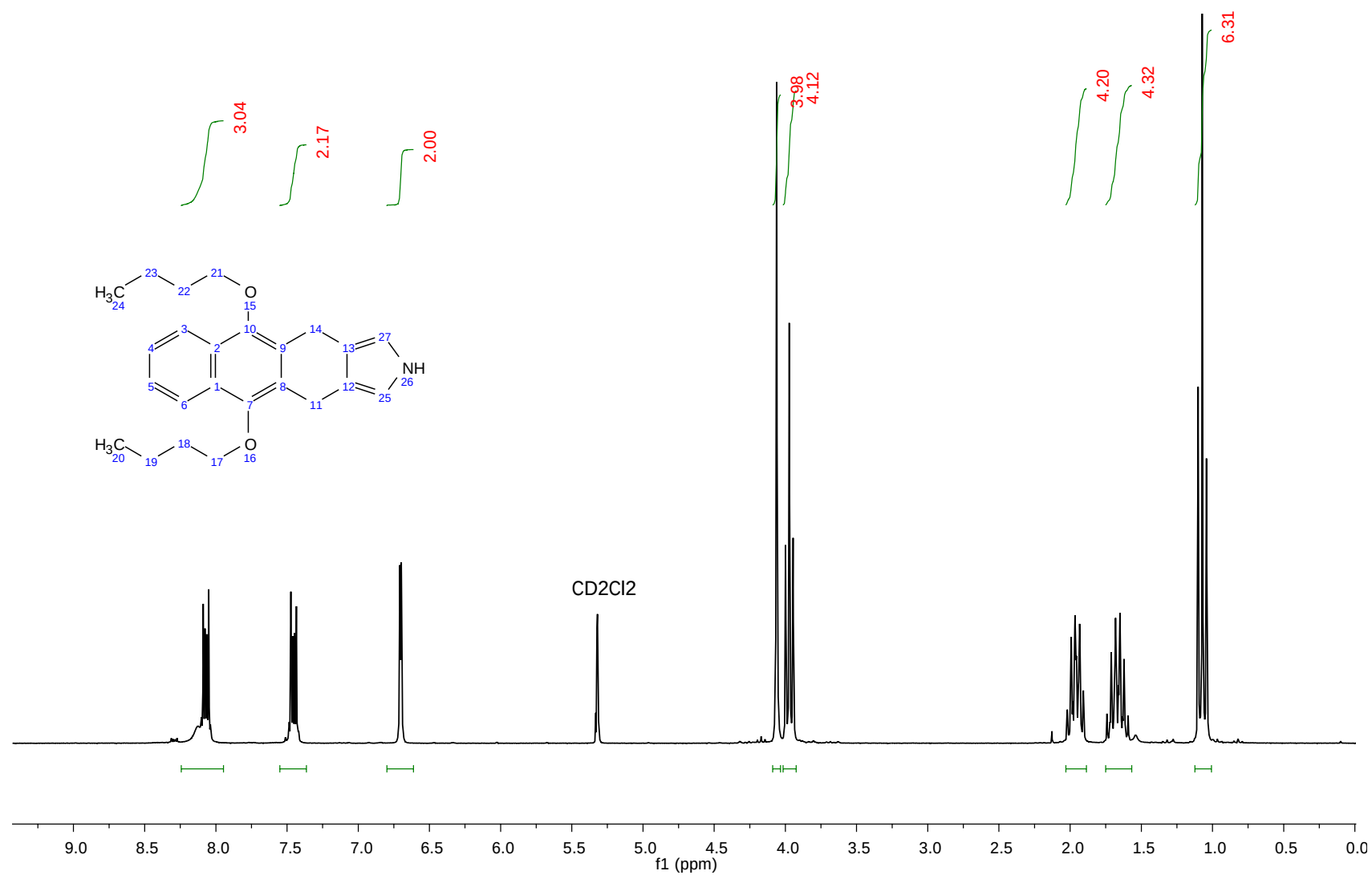


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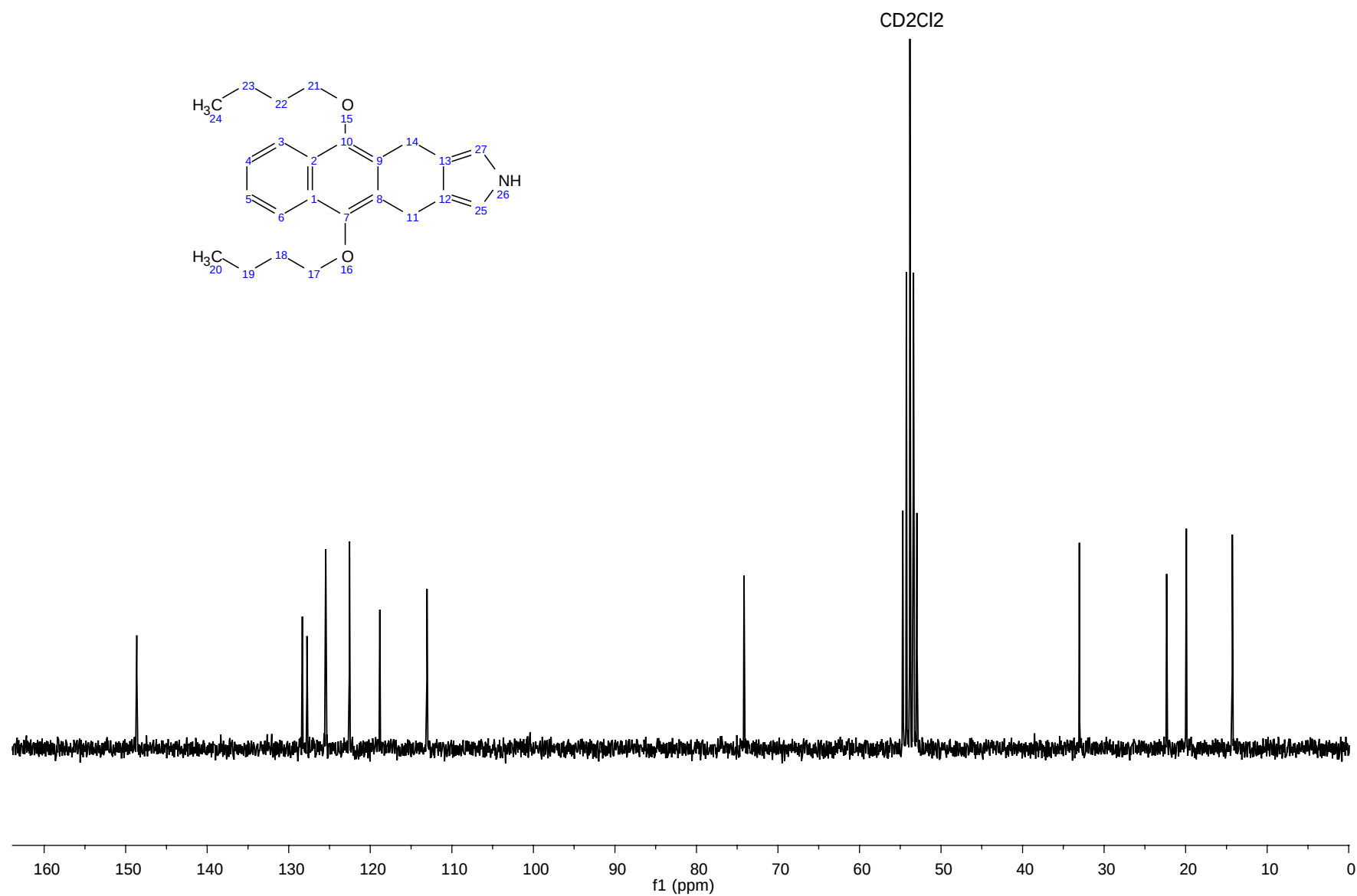


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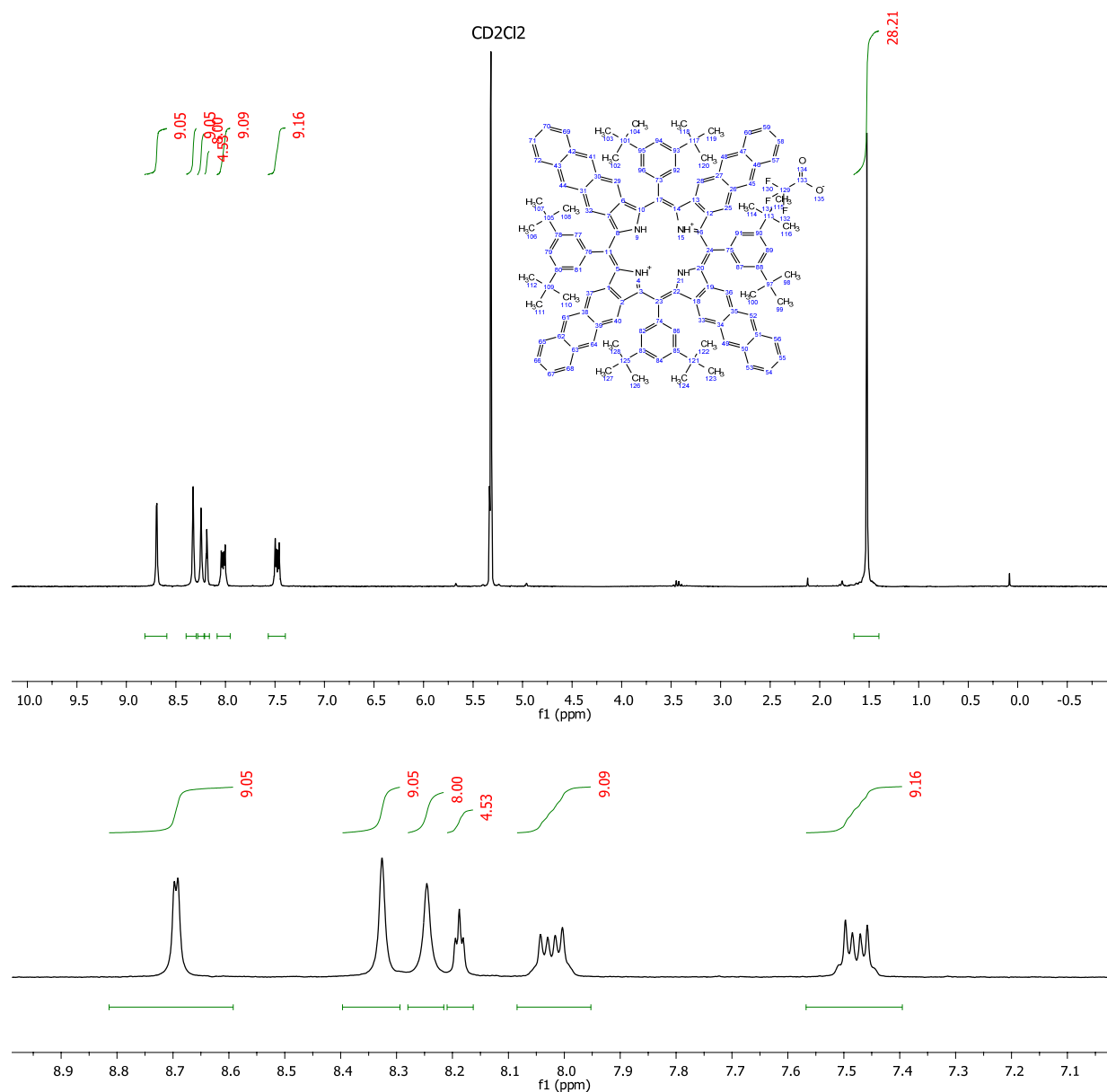
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**Figure S33.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum for compound **23** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

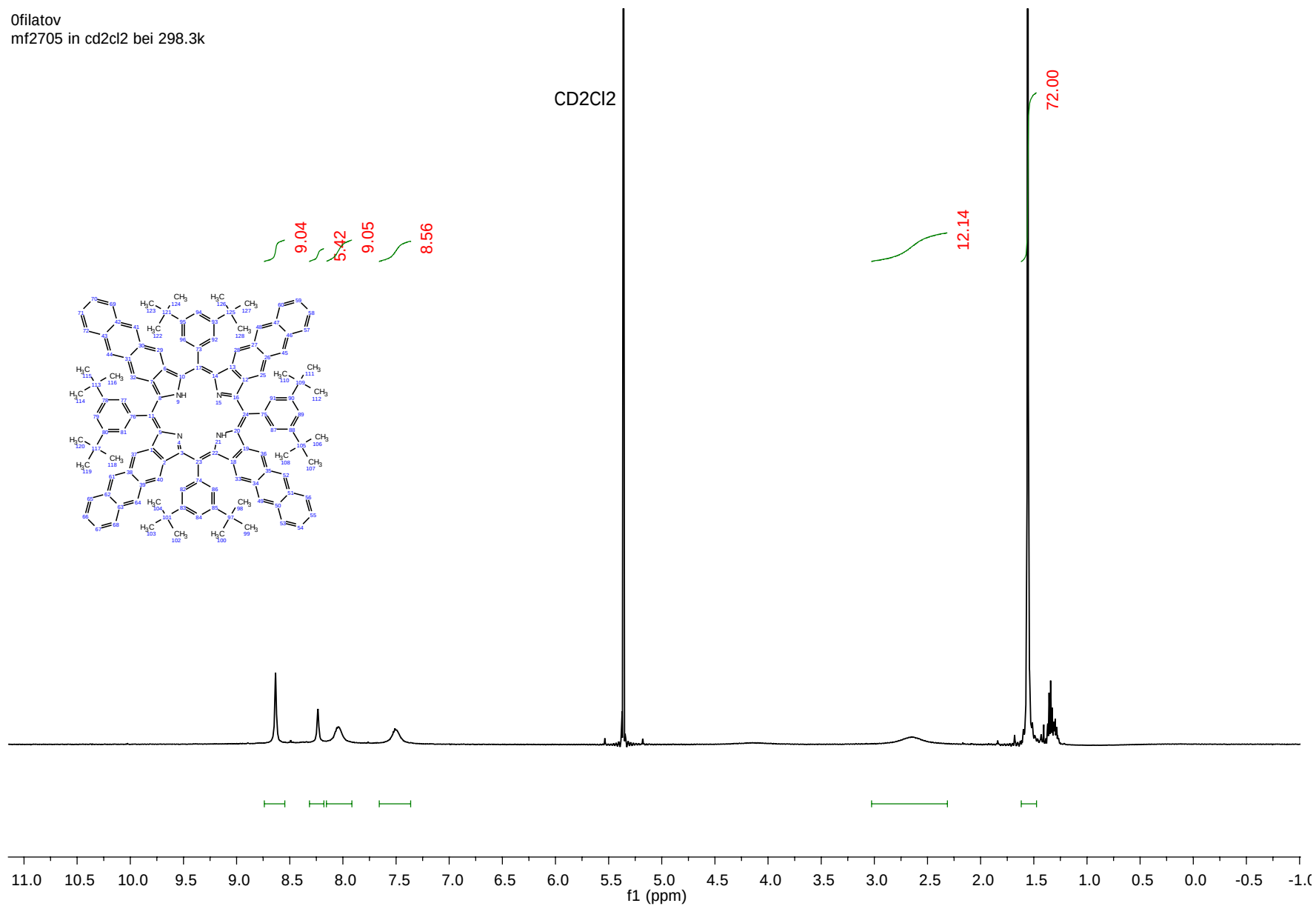


**Figure S34.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum for compound **23** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$



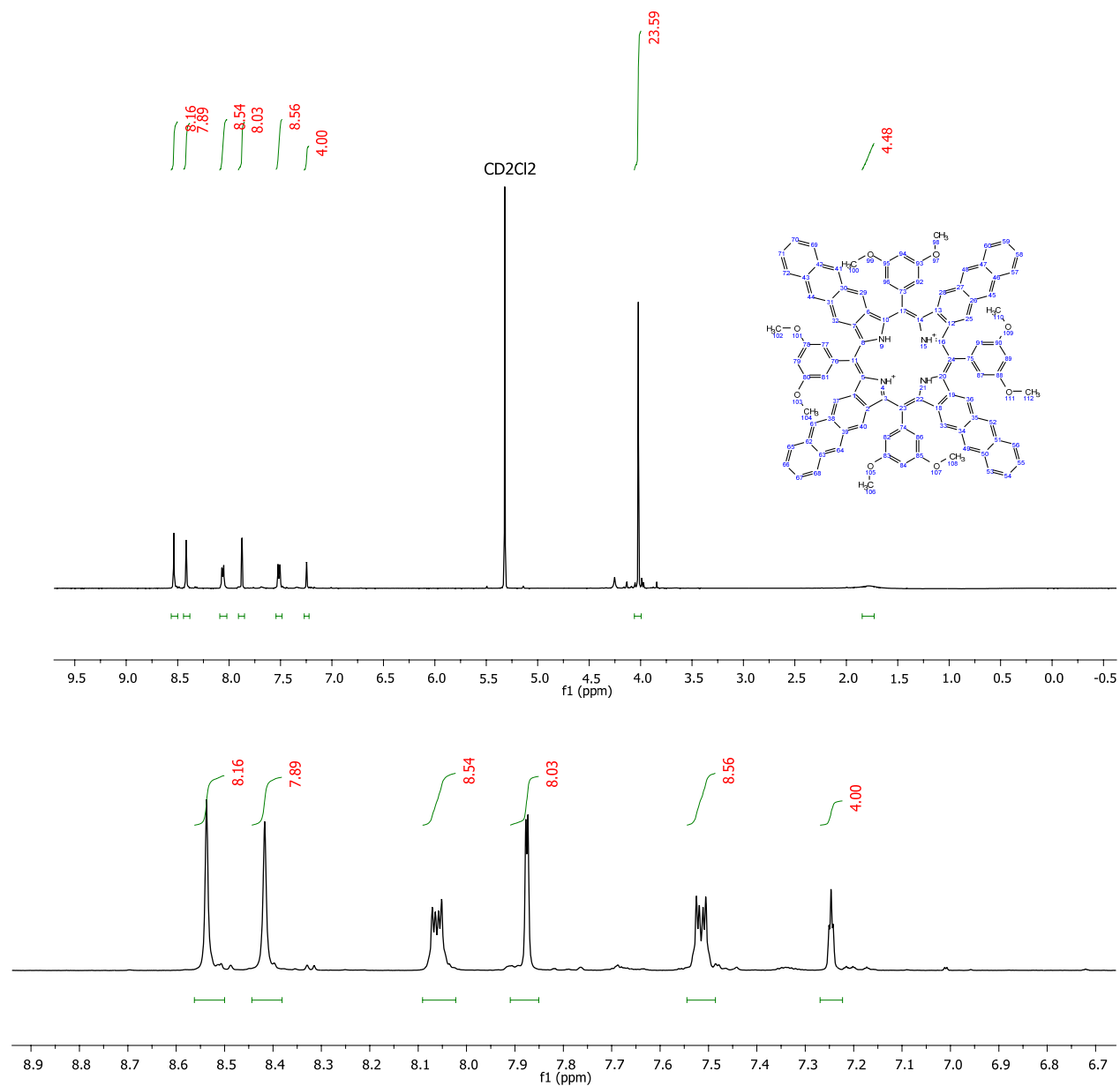
**Figure S35.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz) spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **5b** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

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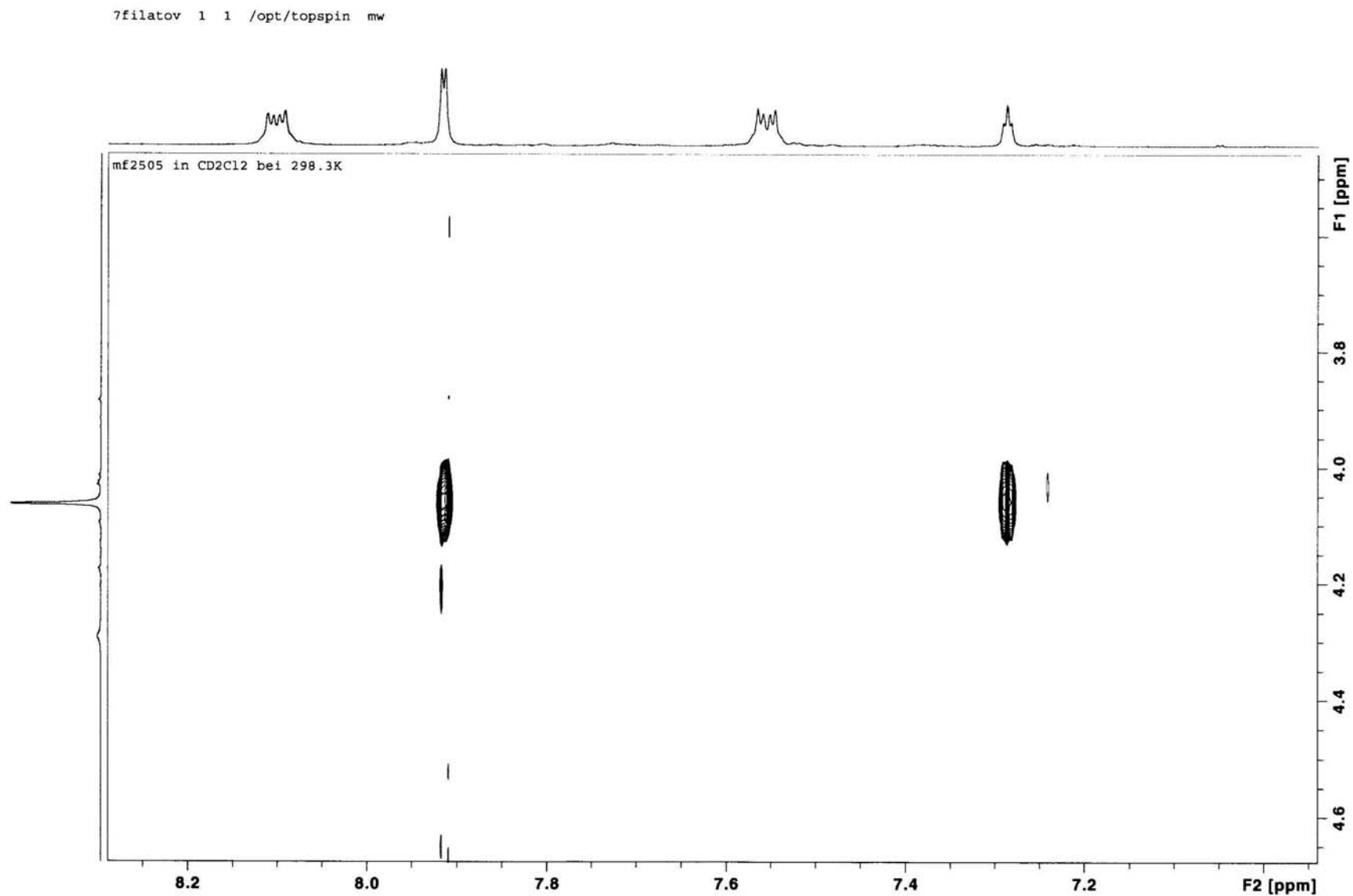


**Figure S36. Figure S35.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz) spectrum for free-base form of porphyrin **5b** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

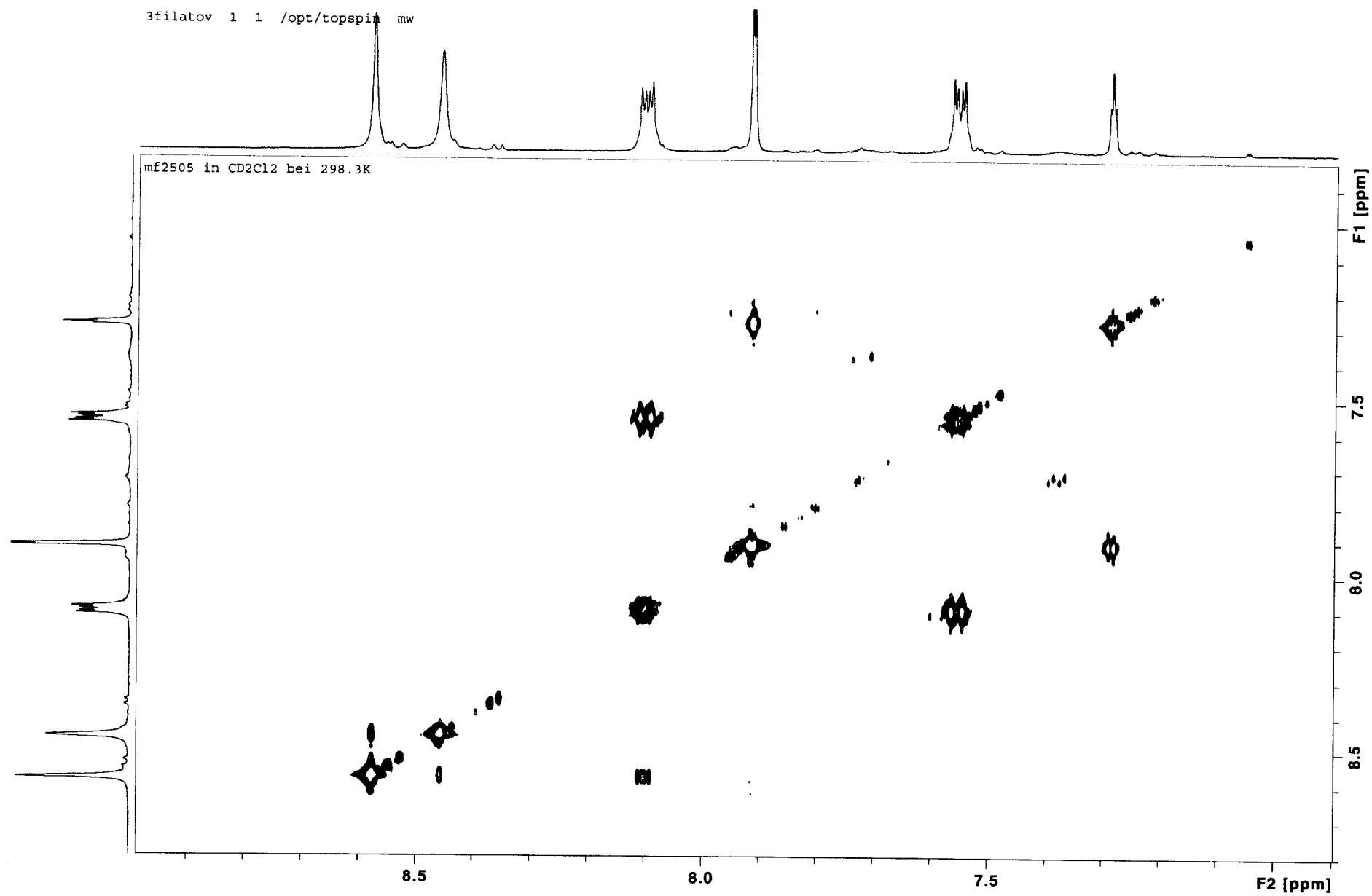
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**Figure S37.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **5c** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$

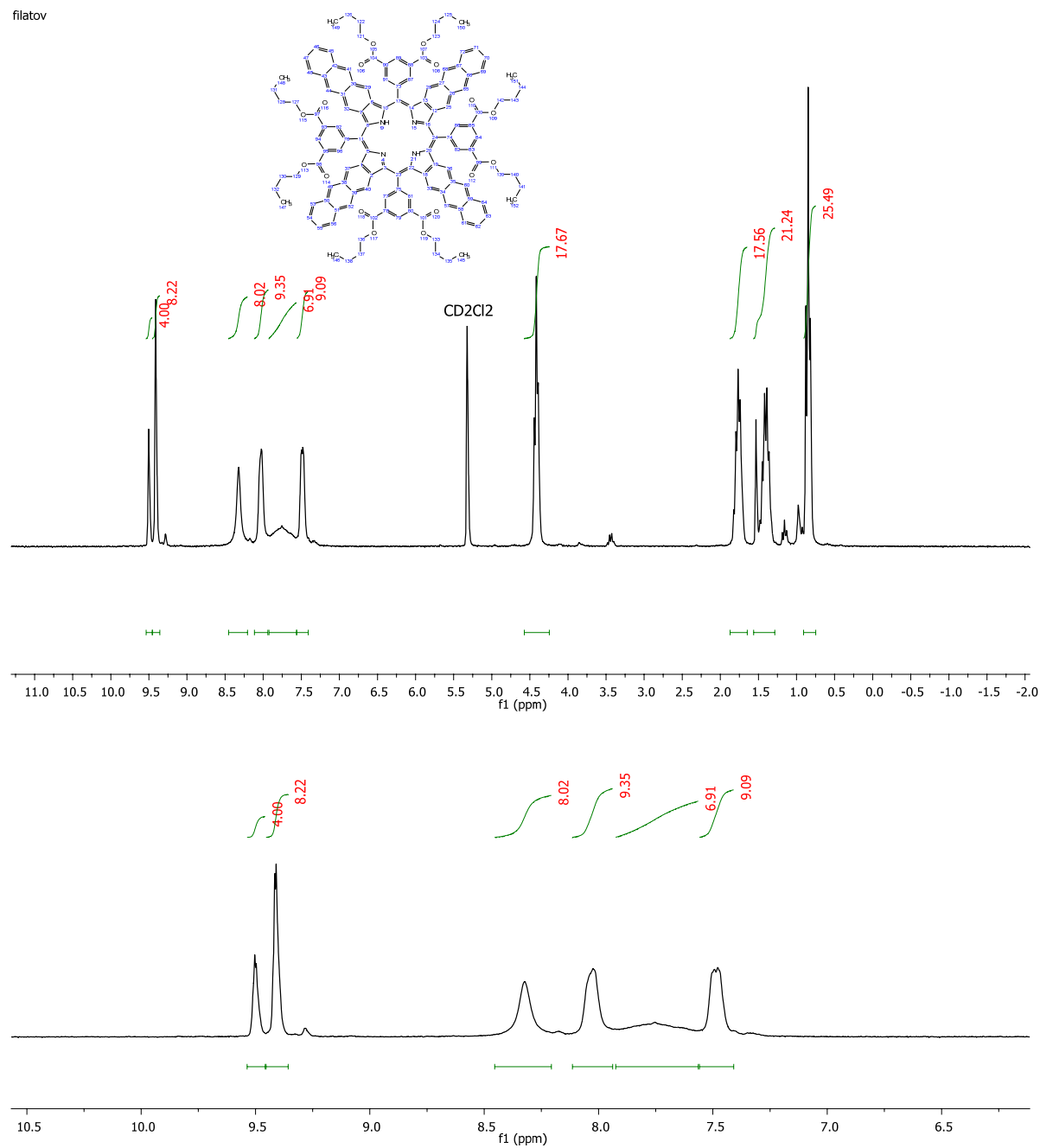


**Figure S39.** 2D COSY NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **5c** (correlation of MeO protons and aromatic protons of *meso*-aryl) in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>



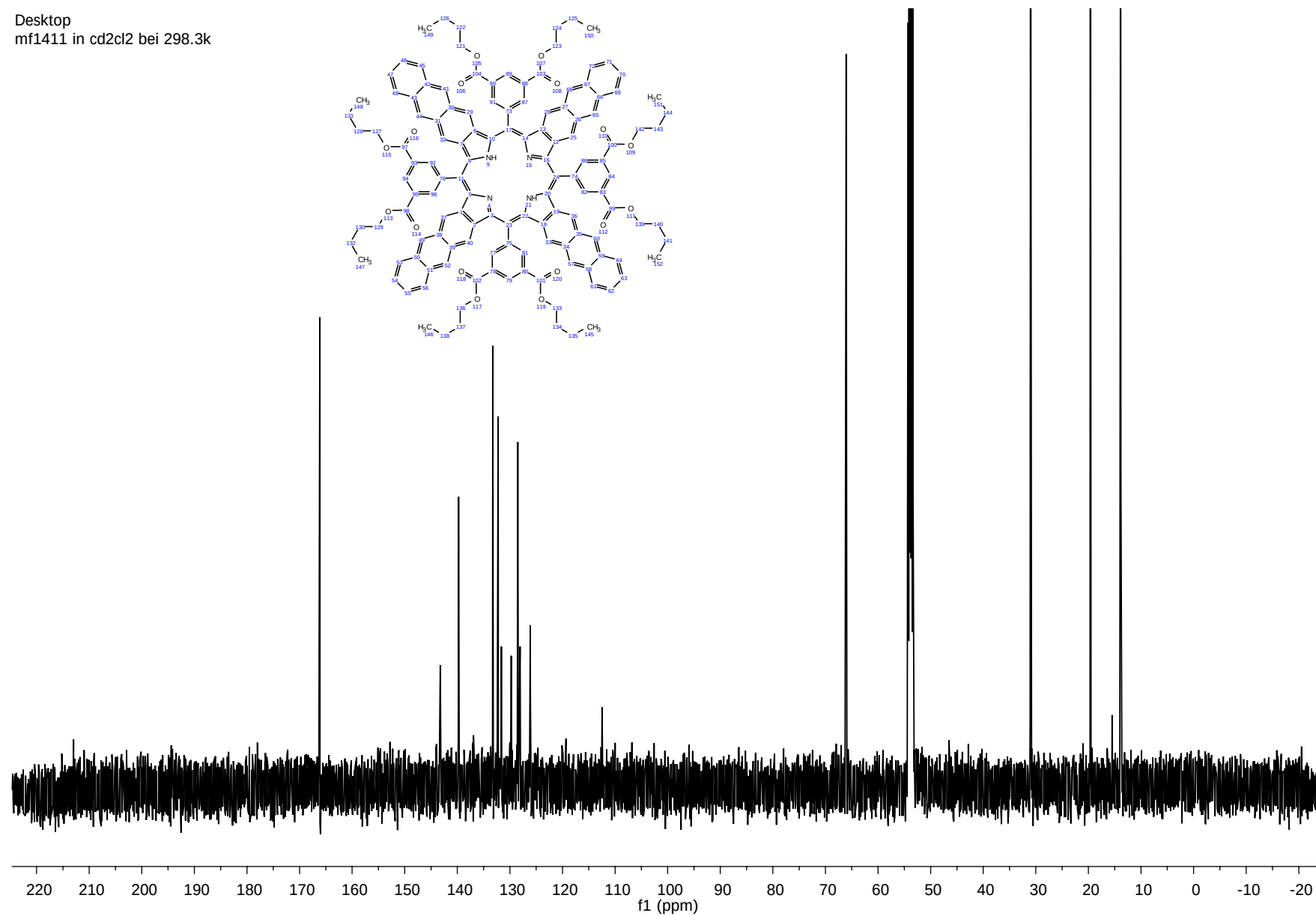
**Figure S40.** 2D COSY NMR spectrum (aromatic part) for protonated form of porphyrin **5c** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>



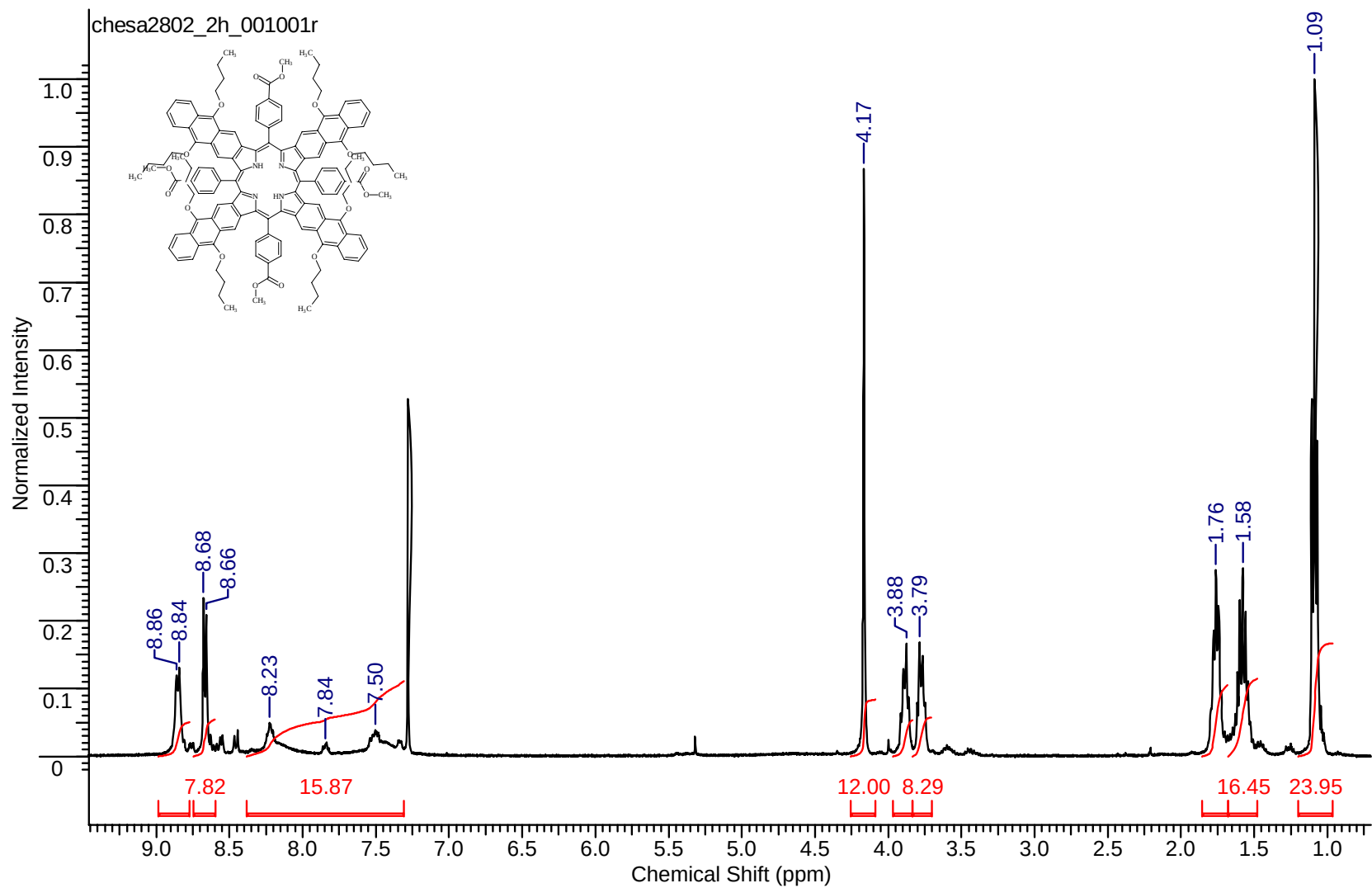


**Figure S41.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **5d** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$

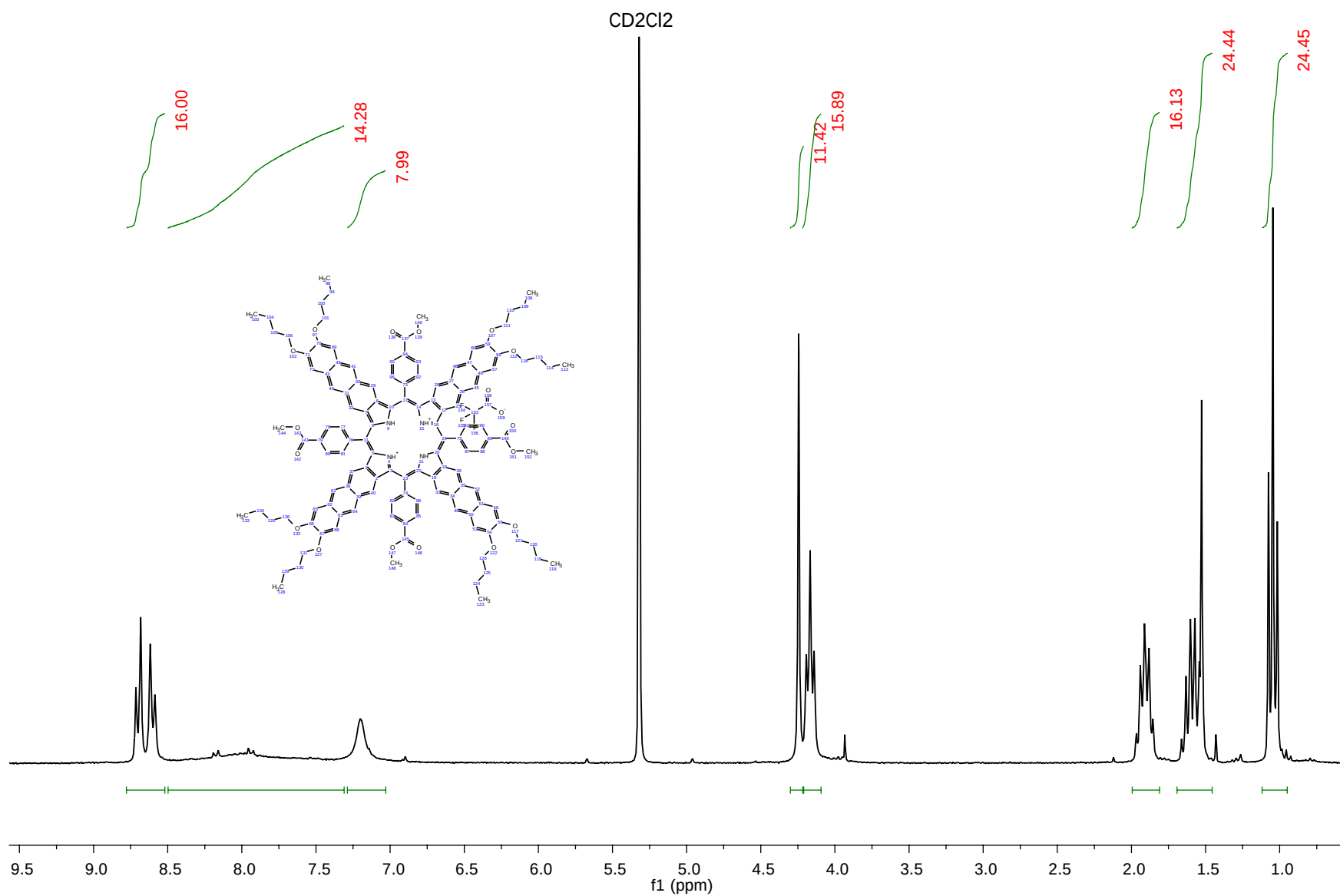
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**Figure S42.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz, 10000 scans) spectrum (quaternary carbons partially unresolved) for protonated form of porphyrin **5d** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (1 mg in 0.6 ml)



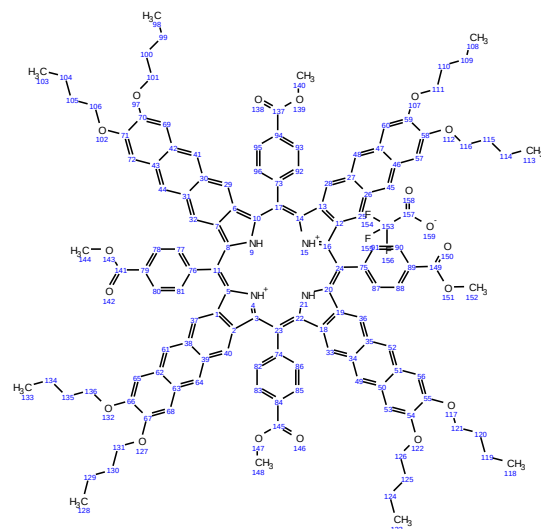
**Figure S40.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **24** in  $\text{CDCl}_3$



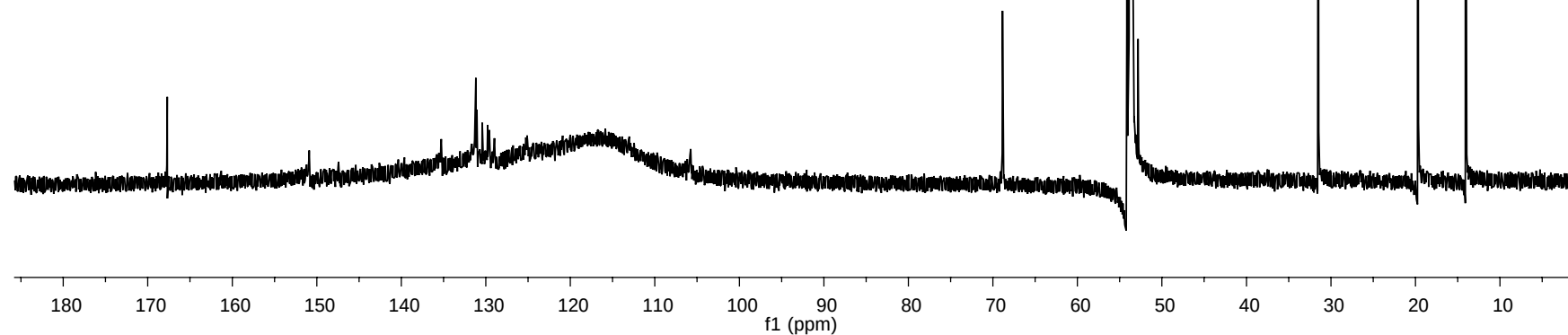
**Figure S41.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **16** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

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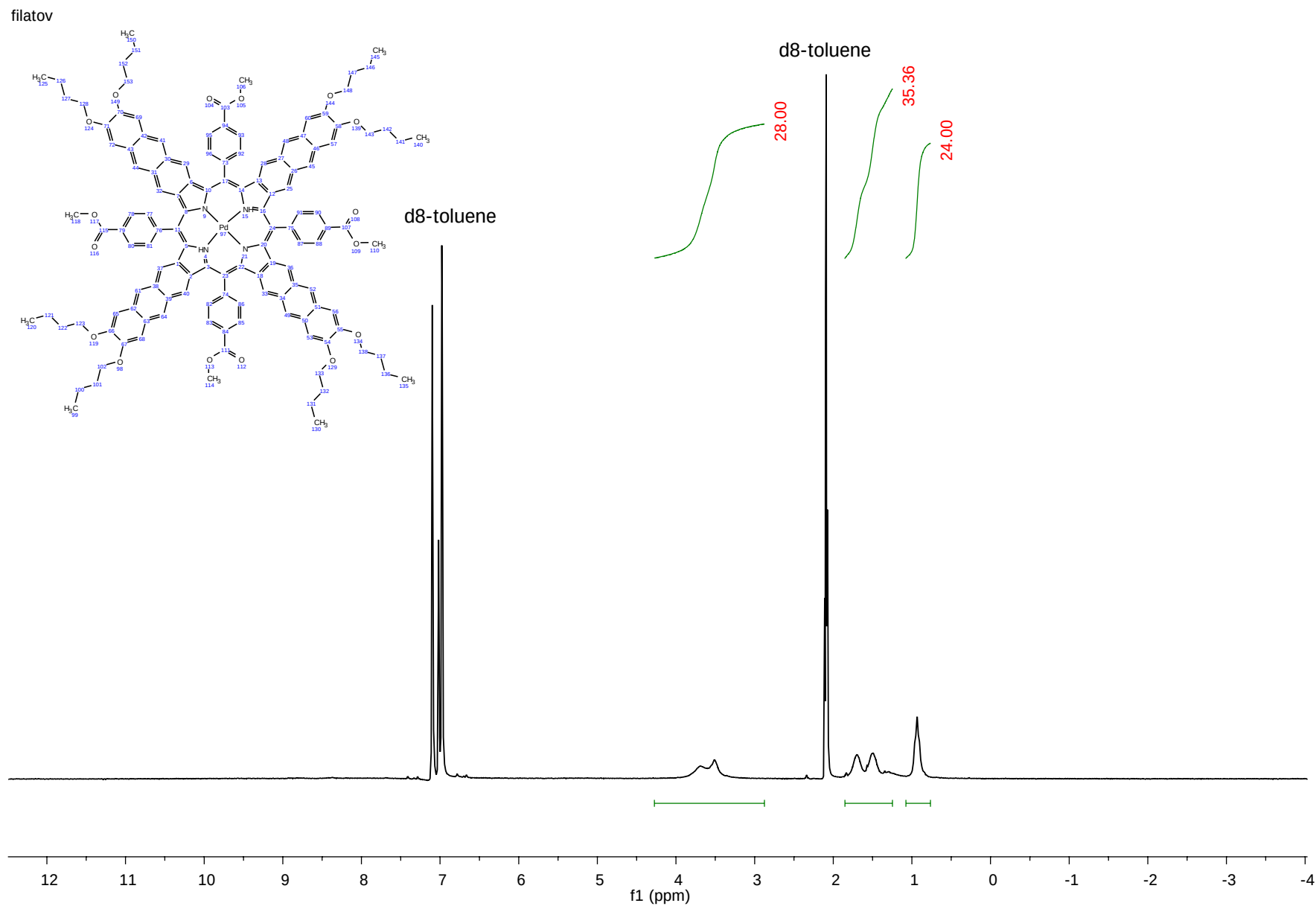
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Because of the aggregation, only side chains' signals are resolved

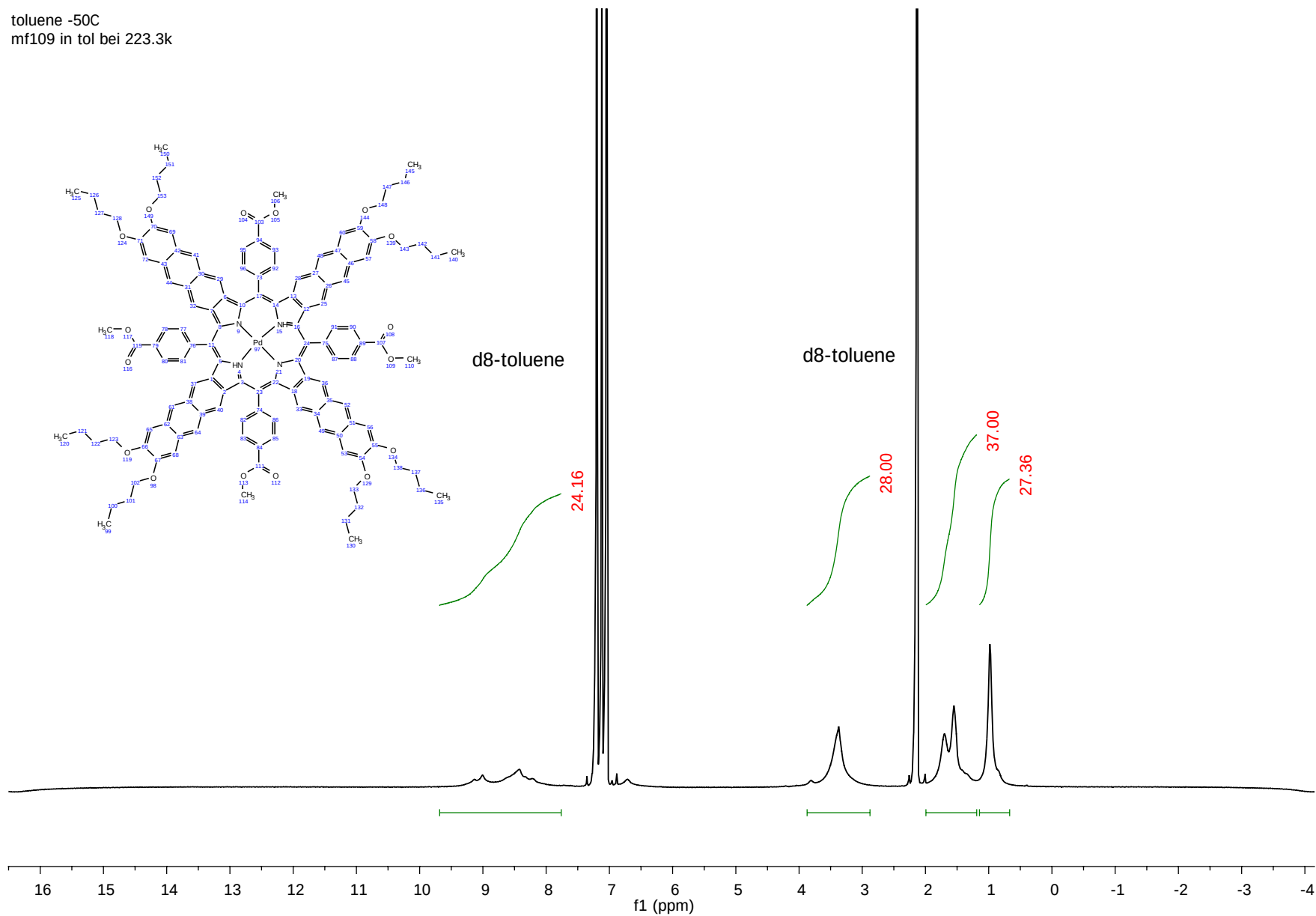


**Figure S42.** Partially resolved <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, 10000 scans) spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **16** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (1 mg in 0.6 ml)

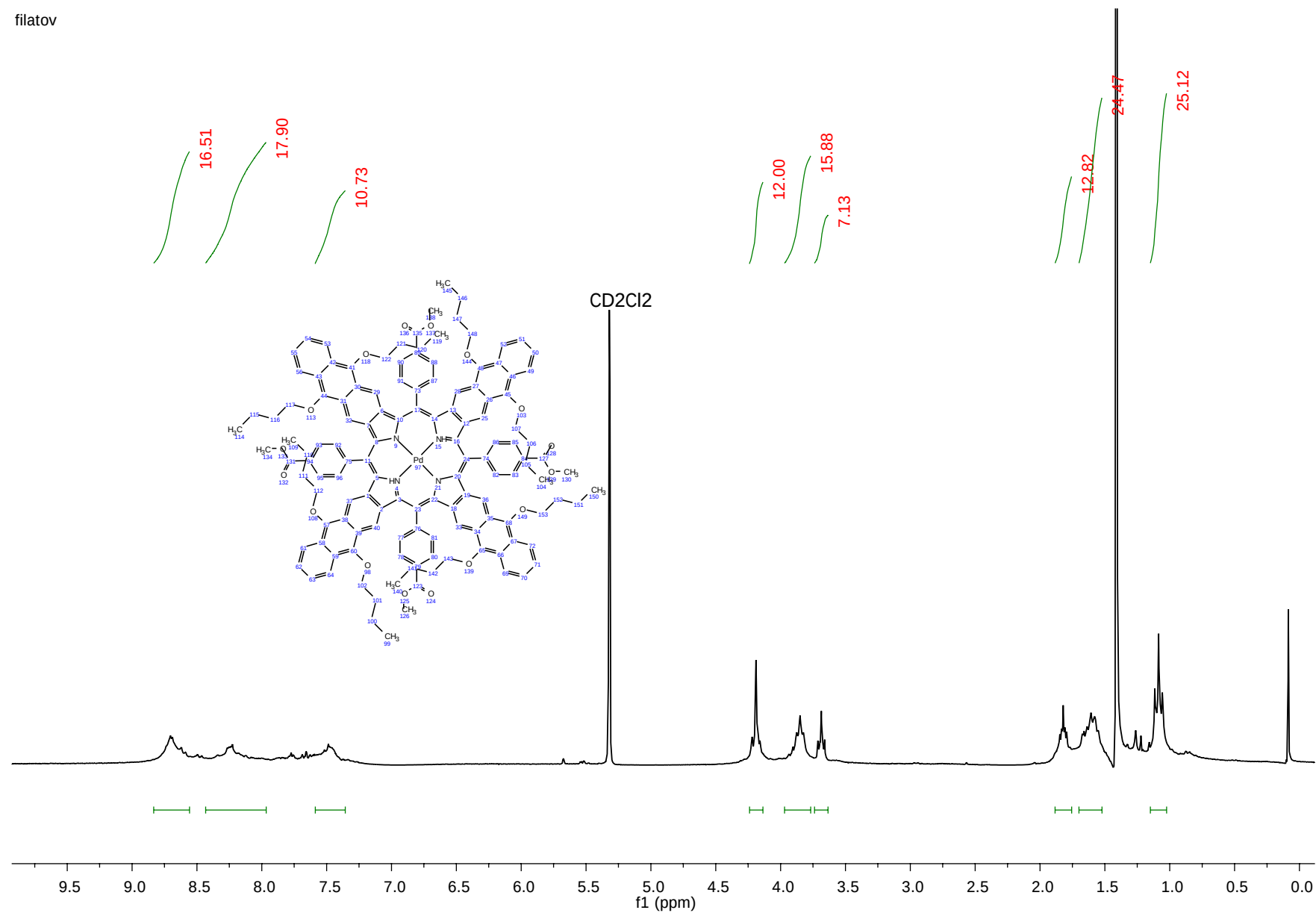


**Figure S42.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for of porphyrin **Pd-16** in  $\text{d}^8$ -toluene at 298 K

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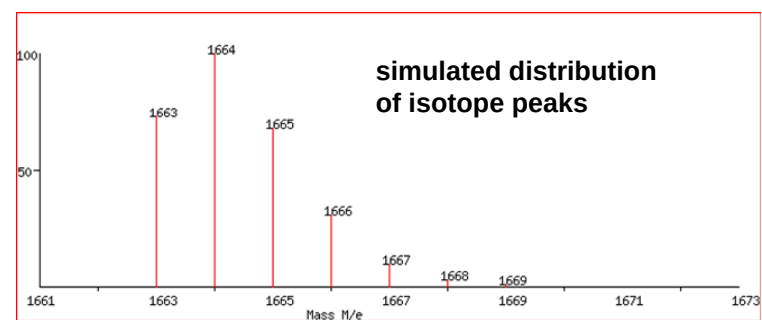
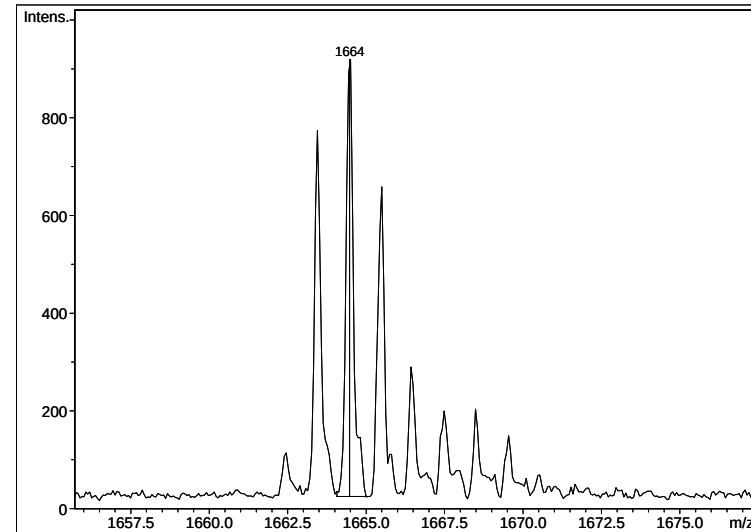
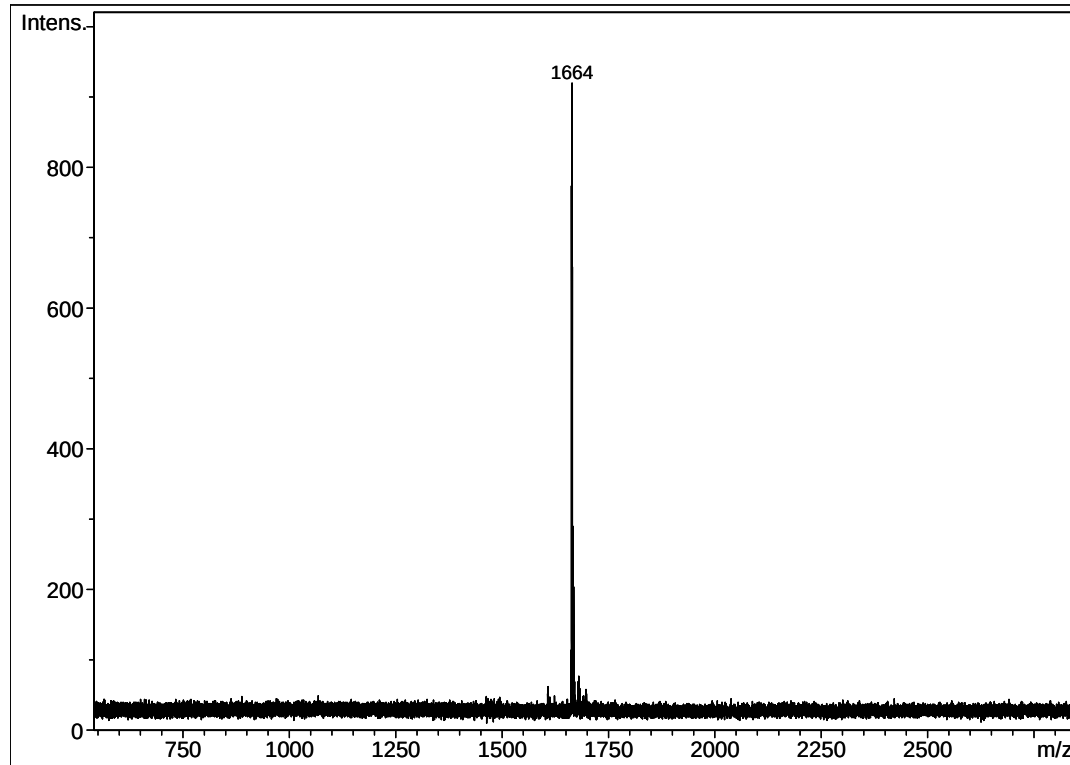
**Figure S43.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for of porphyrin **Pd-16** in  $d^8$ -toluene at 223 K



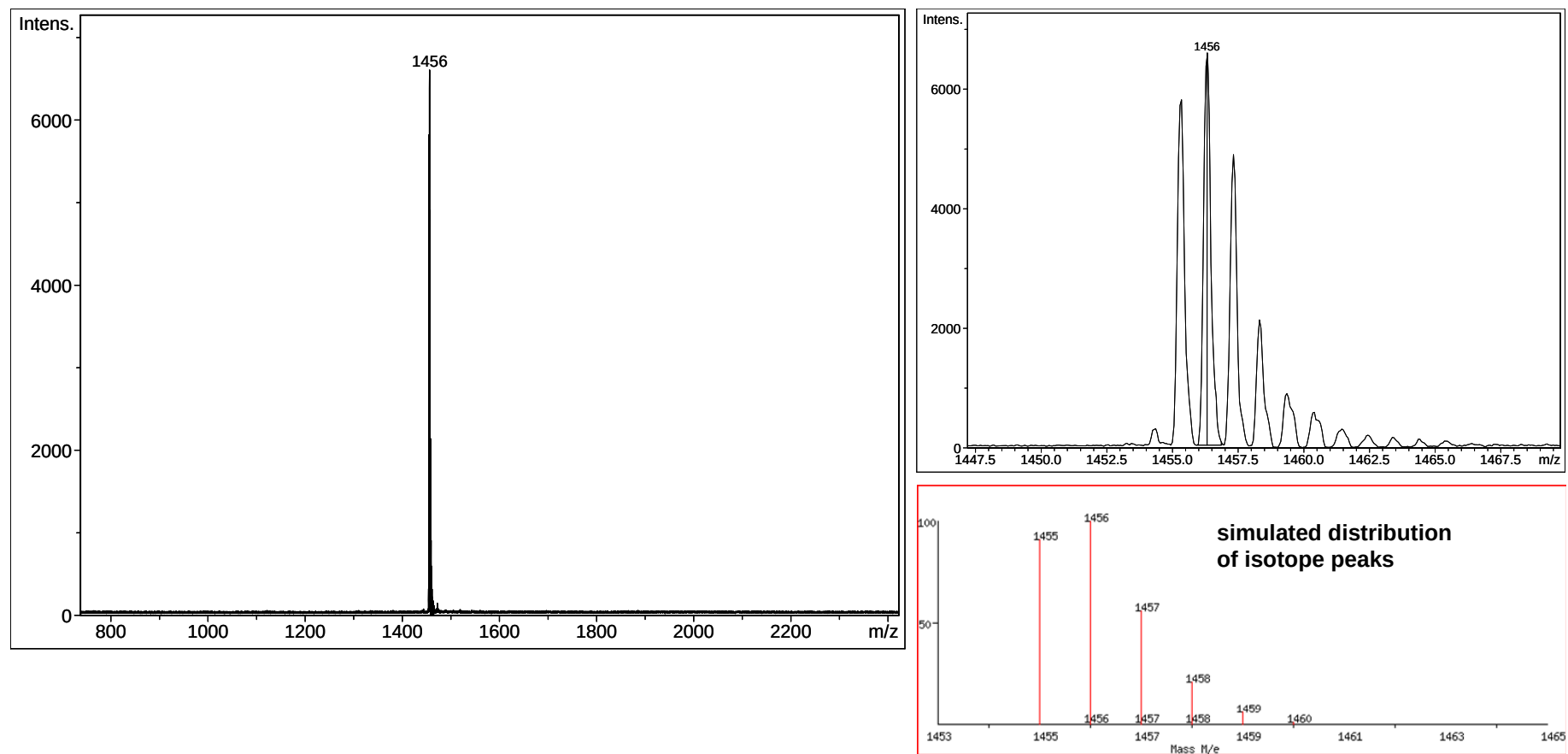
**Figure S43.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for protonated form of porphyrin **Pd-24** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$



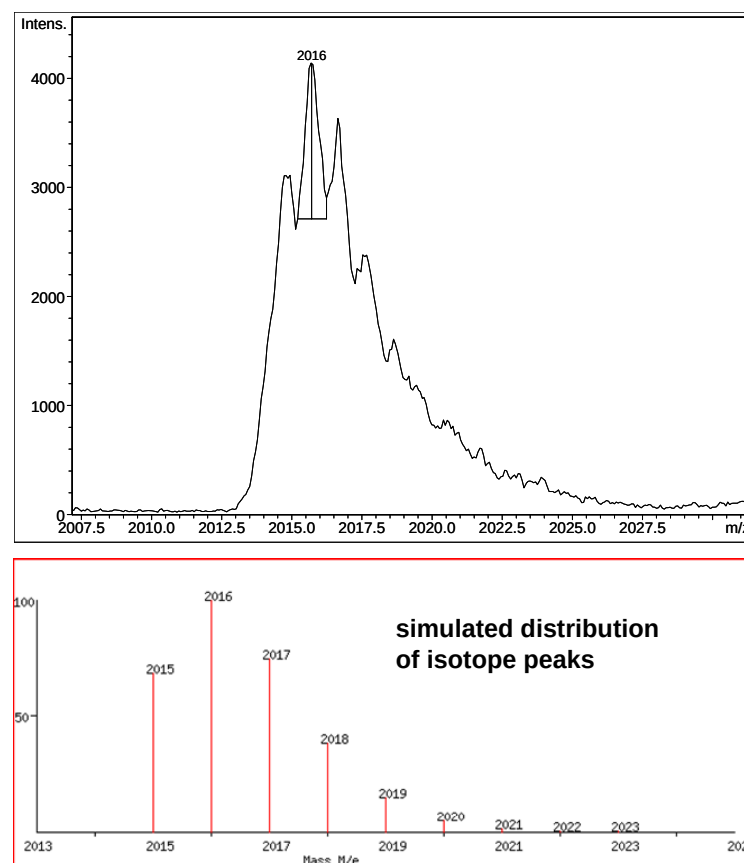
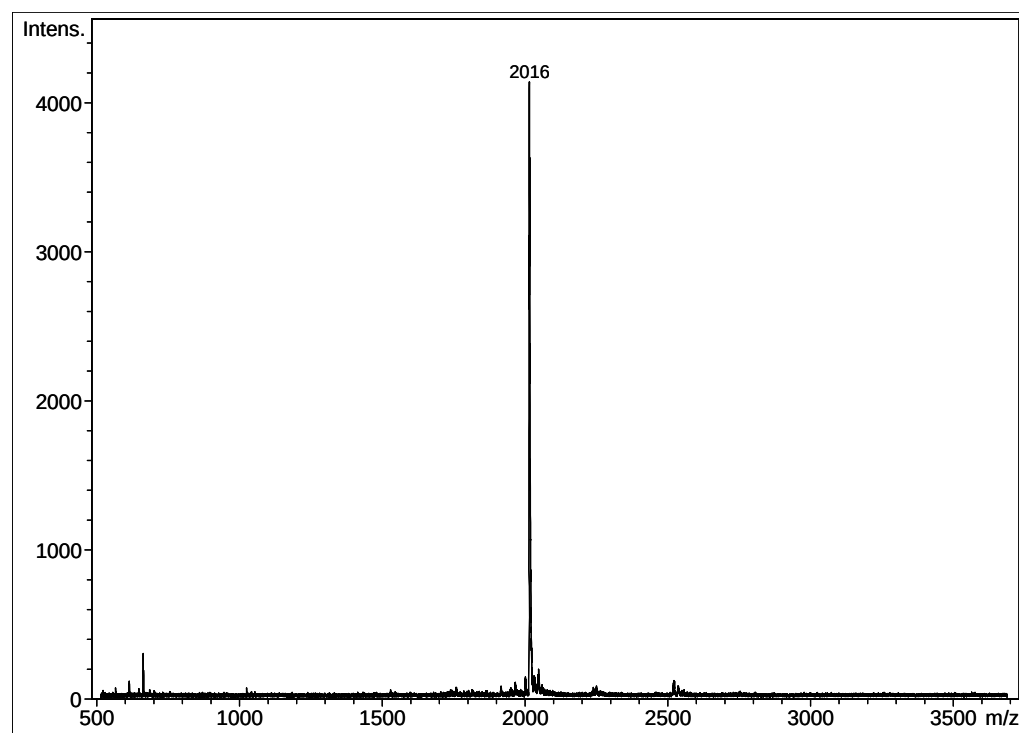
## MALDI-TOF spectra



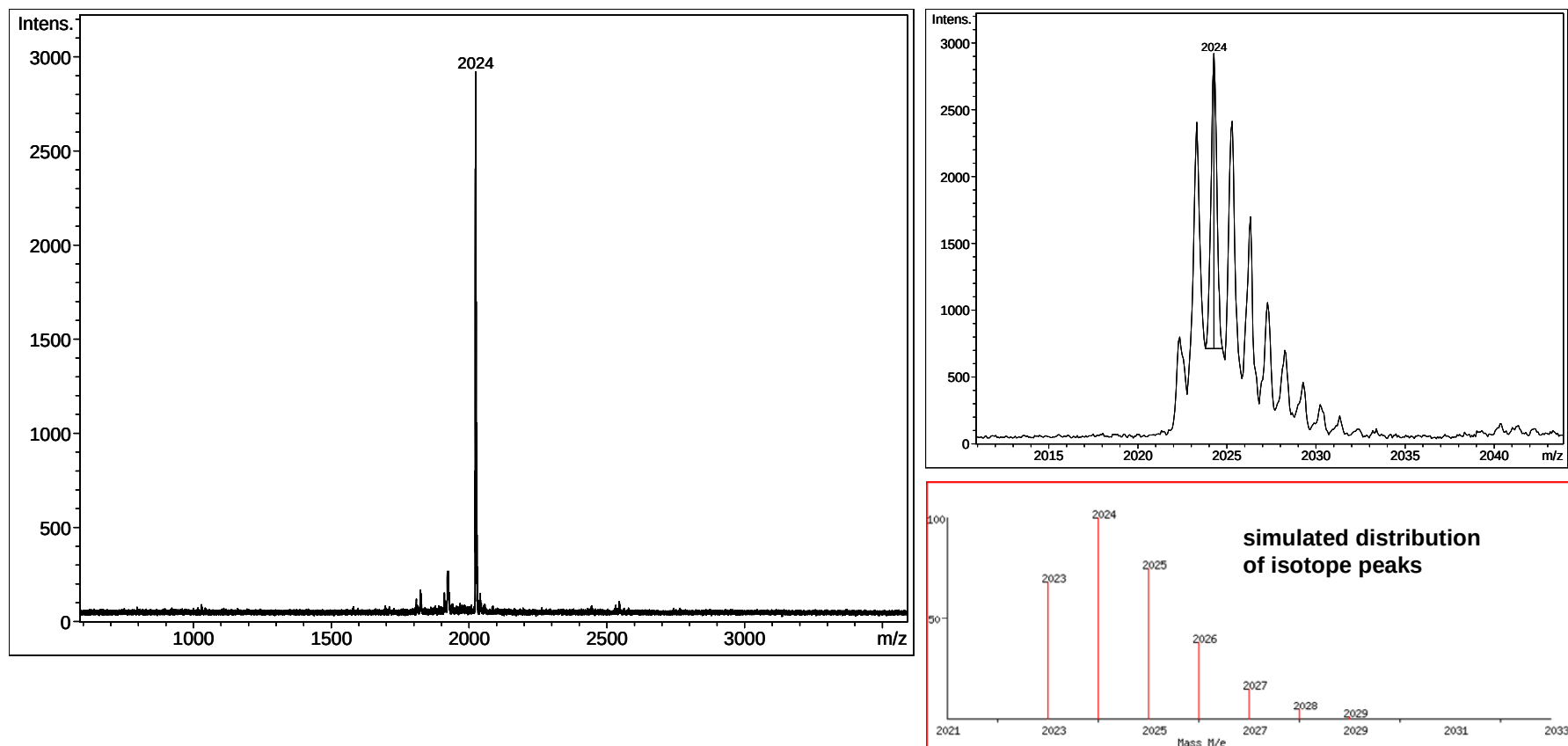
**Figure S38.** MALDI-TOF spectrum for porphyrin **5b**



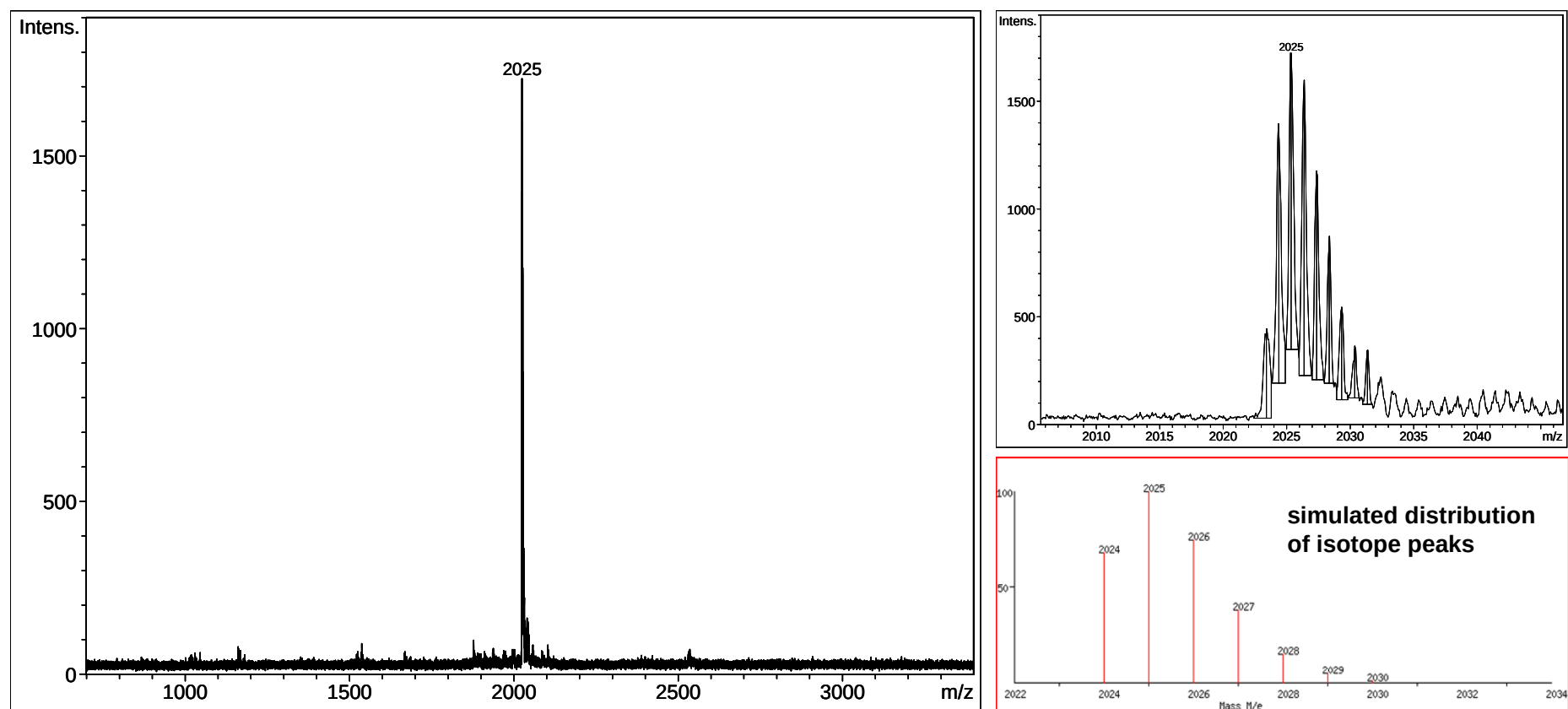
**Figure S39.** MALDI-TOF spectrum for porphyrin 5c



**Figure S40.** MALDI-TOF spectrum for porphyrin **5d**



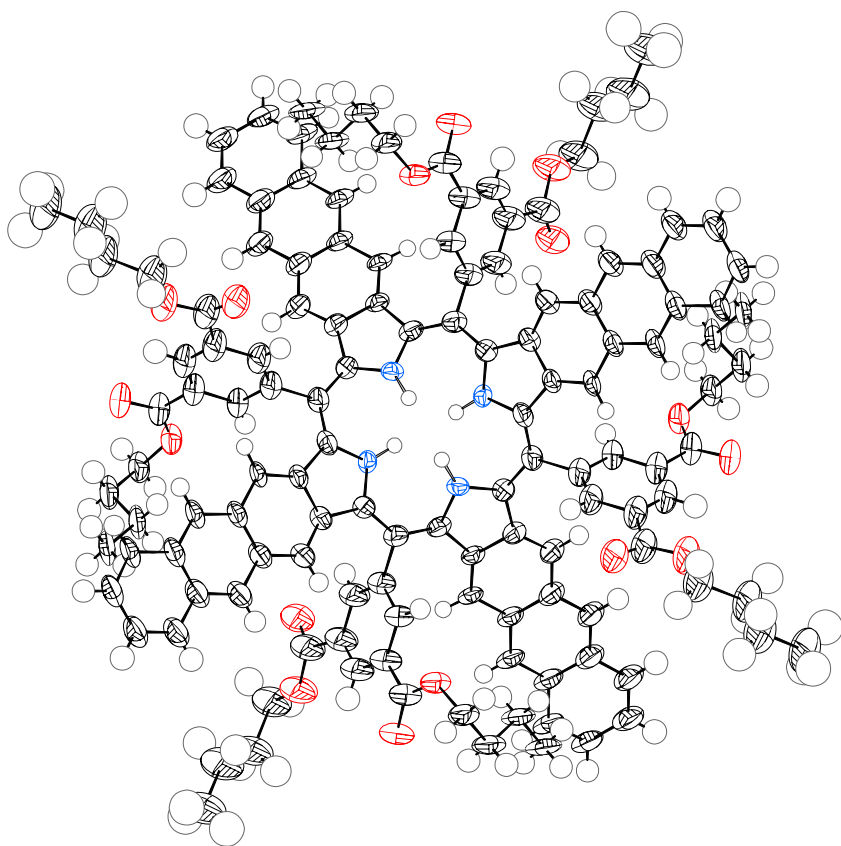
**Figure S38.** MALDI-TOF spectrum for porphyrin 24



**Figure S39.** MALDI-TOF spectrum for porphyrin **16**

## X-Ray Structure Determination

Crystals of **5d** were obtained by slow evaporation of a CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> solution. As the crystals contain the solvent, crystals were mounted in glass capillaries and the data collection was carried out at 120K on a Nonius KCCD diffractometer with Mo K $\alpha$  radiation. **5d** crystallizes in the tetragonal space group I 4<sub>1</sub>/a. The structure was solved by direct methods and refined on F by full-matrix least-squares cycles. The unit cell contains 32 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> molecules which are disordered and could not be resolved. These have been treated as a diffuse contribution to the overall scattering without specific atom positions by SQUEEZE/PLATON. Crystal data: Tetragonal, I 4<sub>1</sub>/a, a = 23.0609(9), c = 27.0102(9) Å, R = 0.0407, R<sub>w</sub> = 0.0584. CCDC 900743 contains the supplementary crystallographic data for this paper. These data can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via [www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data\\_request/cif](http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif).



**Figure S44.** ORTEP drawing of **5d** with xx% probability thermal ellipsoids.

**Table 1.** Summary of structure determination for compound **5d**

|                      |                  |                         |           |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Crystal Class        | Tetragonal       | Space Group I           | 41/a      |
| a                    | 23.0609(9)       | alpha                   | 90        |
| b                    | 23.0609(9)       | beta                    | 90        |
| c                    | 27.0102(9)       | gamma                   | 90        |
| Volume               | 14364.2(9)       | Z                       | 16        |
| Radiation type       | Mo K $\alpha$    | Wavelength              | 0.710730  |
| Dx                   | 0.93             | Mr                      | 504.10    |
| Mu                   | 0.061            | Temperature (K)         | 120       |
| Size                 | 0.12x 0.16x 0.42 |                         |           |
| Colour               | dark blue        | Shape                   | prism     |
| Cell from            | 0 Reflections    | Theta range             | 0 to 0    |
| Standard Interval    | 0                | Standard Count          | 0         |
| Diffractometer type  | KAPPACCD         | Scan type               | PHIOMEGA  |
| Absorption type      | multi-scan       | Transmission range      | 0.94 0.99 |
| Reflections measured | 46100            | Independent reflections | 8244      |
| Rint                 | 0.0673           | Theta max               | 27.49     |
| Hmin, Hmax           | -20 21           |                         |           |
| Kmin, Kmax           | 0 29             |                         |           |
| Lmin, Lmax           | 0 35             |                         |           |
| Refinement on F      |                  |                         |           |
| R-factor             | 0.041            | Weighted R-factor       | 0.058     |
|                      |                  | Max shift/su            | 0.0005    |
| Delta Rho min        | -0.07            | Delta Rho max           | 0.06      |
| Reflections used     | 3855             | sigma(I) limit          | 2.00      |
| Number of parameters | 343              | Goodness of fit         | 0.980     |