

Organocatalytic and Highly Enantioselective Direct α -Amination of Aromatic Ketones

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1. General Methods:

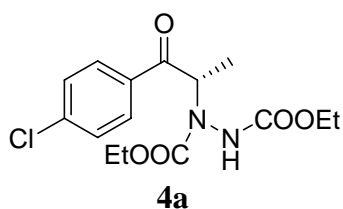
NMR spectra were recorded with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard. TLC was performed on glass-backed silica plates. Column chromatography was performed using silica gel (200-300 mesh) eluting with ethyl acetate and petroleum ether. ^1H NMR spectra were recorded at 300 MHz, and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded at 75 MHz (Bruker Avance). Chemical shifts (δ) are reported in ppm downfield from CDCl_3 ($\delta = 7.27$ ppm) for ^1H NMR and relative to the central CDCl_3 resonance ($\delta = 77.0$ ppm) for ^{13}C NMR spectroscopy. Coupling constants (J) are given in Hz. ESI-HRMS spectrometer was measured with a Finnigan LCQ^{DECA} ion trap mass spectrometer. Optical rotations were measured at 589 nm at 20 °C. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analysis on chiral Chiralpak columns. Commercial grade solvents were dried and purified by standard procedures as specified in Purification of Laboratory Chemicals, 4th Ed (Armarego, W. L. F.; Perrin, D. D. Butterworth Heinemann: 1997). Primary aminocatalysts **1d-1e** were prepared according to literature procedures.¹

2. General procedure for primary amine catalyzed asymmetric Direct α -Amination of Aromatic Ketones

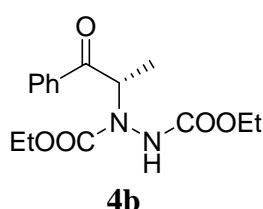
A number of reaction conditions have been investigated in the synthesis of racemic α -amination products of aryl ketones. We could not obtain the desired products when various racemic α -amino acids were used. Moreover, the combination of simple primary amine (benzylamine) and *p*-TSA also could not give the expected α -amination products. Fortunately, we found that a strong organic base, tetramethylguanidine (TMG), could efficiently deproton aryl ketones and promote the α -amination reaction with azodicarboxylates in quite high yields.

General procedure for TMG catalyzed direct α -amination of aromatic ketones: TMG (tetramethylguanidine) (0.02 mmol, 20 mol %), aromatic ketones **2** (0.2 mmol) and DEAD (diethyl azodicarboxylates) **3a** (0.1 mmol) were stirred in dry DCM (0.5 mL) at 40 °C for 48 h. Then the product was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel to give the racemic product **4**.

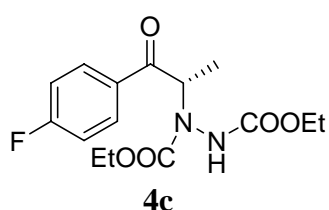
General procedure for primary amine catalyzed asymmetric reaction: Catalyst **1e** (0.02 mmol, 20 mol %), additive (0.04 mmol, 40 mol %), aromatic ketones **2** (0.2 mmol), azodicarboxylates **3** (0.1 mmol) and 4Å MS (20 mg) were stirred in dry 2-PrOH (0.3 mL) at 40 °C for 72h. Then the product **4** was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel eluting with petroleum ether/EtOAc. The enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analysis on chiral column.



$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 9:1); 76% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.9$ ($c = 0.35$ in EtOH); 98% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 6.93 min, t (minor) = 10.75 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 7.88$ (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.44 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 5.81-5.74 (m, 1H), 4.23-4.09 (m, 4H); 1.45 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.28-1.21 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 199.1, 198.6, 156.9, 156.3, 155.9, 140.1, 132.9, 130.0, 129.7, 129.1, 77.2, 62.9, 61.9, 59.0, 57.8, 38.9, 38.7, 29.6, 29.4, 22.9, 22.6, 14.8, 14.3, 14.1, 14.0$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 343.1055, found 343.1053.

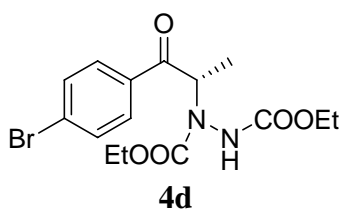


$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 9:1); 65% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -5.6$ ($c = 0.36$ in EtOH); $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +38.6$ ($c = 0.58$ in CHCl_3) [lit.:² $[\alpha]_D^{24} = -31.2$ ($c = 2.795$ in CHCl_3), 84% ee, *R*-isomer]; 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 7.14 min, t (minor) = 10.40 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 7.93$ (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.88 (s, 1H), 5.86-5.84 (m, 1H), 4.26-4.17 (m, 4H); 1.48 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.33-1.20 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 200.6, 157.0, 156.5, 156.3, 156.1, 134.5, 133.7, 133.3, 130.0, 129.6, 128.8, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 77.2, 68.7, 67.9, 62.8, 62.0, 61.9, 59.1, 58.0, 25.6, 25.3, 14.9, 14.5, 14.4$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 309.1445, found 309.1449.

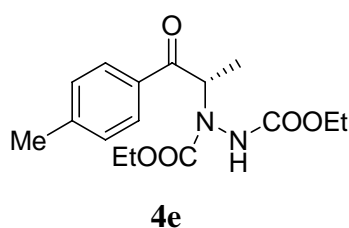


$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 9:1); 52% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.8$ ($c = 0.33$ in EtOH); 93% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 7.02 min, t (minor) = 11.33 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 7.97$ (d, $J = 5.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.15 (t, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.85 (s, 1H), 5.81-5.76 (m, 1H), 4.25-4.10 (m, 4H); 1.47 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.33-1.23 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 198.8, 166.0$ (d, $^1J_{\text{C},\text{F}} = 254.4$ Hz), 156.9, 156.4, 132.3, 131.2 (d, $^3J_{\text{C},\text{F}} = 9.2$ Hz), 116.0 (d, $^2J_{\text{C},\text{F}} = 21.8$ Hz), 115.4, 77.2, 68.7, 62.9, 62.0, 58.9, 57.8, 29.7, 27.0, 25.3, 14.9, 14.4, 14.3 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{FN}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 327.1351, found 327.1353.

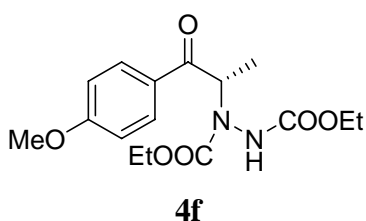
$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 10:1); 62% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 8.9$ ($c = 0.29$ in EtOH); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0



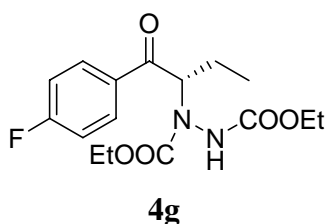
mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 7.38 min, t (minor) = 11.20 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.80 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (s, 1H), 5.78-5.76 (m, 1H), 4.21-4.10 (m, 4H); 1.45 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.29-1.16 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 199.4, 198.8, 156.9, 156.3, 133.3, 132.1, 131.8, 131.1, 130.0, 129.8, 128.9, 77.2, 62.9, 62.3, 62.0, 59.0, 57.8, 31.5, 29.7, 24.1, 22.6, 14.8, 14.4, 14.3, 14.2 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 387.0550, found 387.0547.



R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 9:1); 62% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = 6.7 (c = 0.32 in EtOH); 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 6.49 min, t (minor) = 9.37 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.83 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 5.83-5.81 (m, 1H), 4.24-4.17 (m, 4H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.47 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 1.30-1.23 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 200.2, 156.5, 144.7, 134.4, 132.0, 129.5, 129.2, 128.6, 62.8, 61.9, 59.0, 57.9, 29.7, 21.7, 15.1, 14.7, 14.4, 14.3 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 323.1601, found 323.1605.

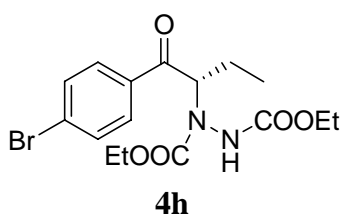


R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 7:1); 77% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = 8.1 (c = 0.37 in EtOH); 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 8.67 min, t (minor) = 13.95 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.92 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (s, 1H), 5.81-5.79 (m, 1H), 4.35-4.15 (m, 4H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 1.48 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.35-1.25 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 199.1, 163.9, 156.5, 156.3, 130.9, 130.7, 127.3, 114.0, 113.7, 77.2, 62.8, 62.5, 62.3, 61.8, 58.7, 57.6, 55.5, 29.7, 15.2, 14.8, 14.4, 14.1 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_6 + \text{H}$ 339.1551, found 339.1549.

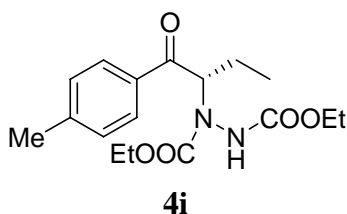


R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 9:1); 77% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = 4.8 (c = 0.42 in EtOH); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 5.39 min, t (minor) = 9.74 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.95 (br.s, 2H), 7.14 (t, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (br.s, 1H), 5.58-5.56 (m, 1H), 4.27-4.07 (m, 4H), 1.86-1.78 (m, 2H), 1.35-1.18 (m, 6H), 1.10 (t, J = 7.3 Hz,

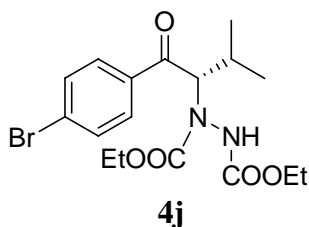
3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 198.8, 165.9 (d, $^1J_{\text{C,F}}$ = 254.3 Hz), 156.6, 156.0, 131.6, 131.1 (d, $^3J_{\text{C,F}}$ = 9.2 Hz), 116.0 (d, $^2J_{\text{C,F}}$ = 21.8 Hz), 77.2, 64.5, 64.0, 63.4, 63.0, 61.9, 31.9, 29.6, 29.3, 22.5, 22.1, 14.3, 14.1, 11.3 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{FN}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 341.1507, found 341.1503.



R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 12:1); 54% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = -14.0 (c = 0.37 in EtOH); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 6.35 min, t (minor) = 11.02 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.79 (br.s, 2H), 7.62 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.80 (br.s, 1H), 5.56 (br.s, 1H), 4.20-4.17 (m, 4H), 1.86-1.82 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.23 (m, 6H), 1.10 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 199.3, 156.9, 156.0, 136.4, 134.0, 132.1, 131.8, 131.3, 130.4, 129.9, 128.9, 77.2, 67.9, 64.6, 64.0, 63.4, 63.0, 61.9, 29.7, 25.6, 22.4, 22.0, 14.4, 11.2 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{Na}$ 423.0526, found 423.0530.

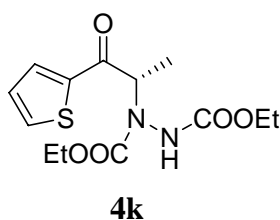


R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 12:1); 49% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = 6.0 (c = 0.30 in EtOH); 98% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 6.18 min, t (minor) = 9.78 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.81 (br.s, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.92 (s, 1H), 5.60-5.59 (m, 1H), 4.27-4.12 (m, 4H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.88-1.82 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.19 (m, 6H), 1.11 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 200.2, 157.0, 156.7, 156.1, 144.6, 134.4, 132.7, 130.0, 129.5, 129.2, 129.1, 128.5, 77.2, 64.8, 63.8, 62.9, 61.8, 31.6, 29.6, 29.5, 29.3, 22.6, 22.3, 22.0, 21.8, 21.7, 21.3, 14.3, 14.1, 11.4 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}$ 337.1758, found 337.1756.

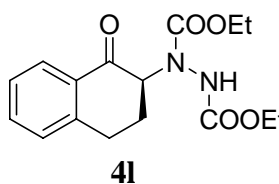


R_f = 0.1 (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 15:1); 52% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = -3.4 (c = 0.23 in EtOH); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, n -hexane/ i -PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 8.28 min, t (minor) = 14.94 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 7.89 (br.s, 2H), 7.62 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.60 (br.s, 1H), 5.36 (br.s, 1H), 4.21-4.15 (m, 4H), 2.40 (br.s, 1H), 1.24 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 6H), 1.06 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.87 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): δ = 155.6, 135.7, 132.1, 130.1, 128.8, 77.2, 65.7, 64.5, 63.2, 62.0, 27.3, 19.6, 18.7, 14.4 ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for

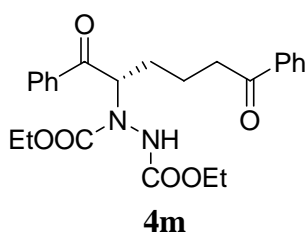
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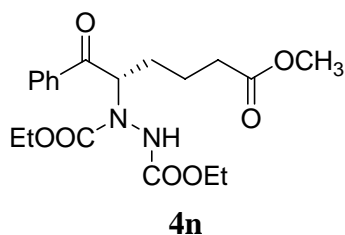
$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 10:1); 63% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 3.1$ ($c = 0.23$ in EtOH); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 8.24 min, t (minor) = 12.58 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.82$ (br.s, 1H), 7.70 (d, $J = 4.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.17 (t, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.85 (s, 1H), 5.68-5.66 (m, 1H), 4.24-4.10 (m, 4H), 1.55 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.36-1.18 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 192.9, 156.3, 134.6, 133.3, 133.0, 132.6, 128.7, 128.4, 77.2, 64.1, 62.9, 62.5, 62.3, 62.0, 59.9, 58.6, 31.6, 29.7, 25.2, 22.6, 15.1, 14.4, 14.3, 14.2, 14.1$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for C₁₃H₁₈N₂O₅S+H 315.1009, found 315.1012.



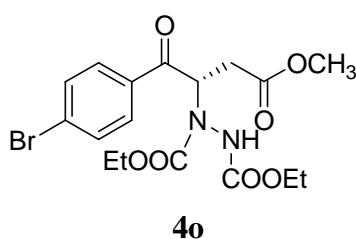
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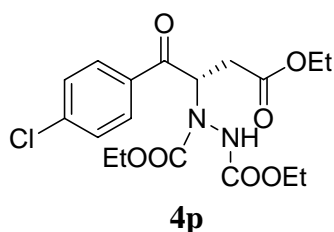
$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 7:1); 51% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -8.4$ ($c = 0.36$ in EtOH); 88% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 10.54 min, t (minor) = 13.90 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.95$ (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 4H), 7.61-7.53 (m, 2H), 7.47-7.43 (m, 4H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 5.79-5.76 (m, 1H), 4.21-4.09 (m, 4H), 3.12-3.04 (m, 2H), 2.17-1.82 (m, 4H), 1.28-1.25 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 199.9, 156.6, 156.0, 136.8, 134.9, 133.7, 133.0, 129.3, 128.8, 128.6, 128.0, 77.2, 68.7, 63.4, 63.0, 61.9, 37.7, 31.9, 29.7, 29.3, 27.8, 22.7, 21.2, 14.4, 14.1$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for C₂₄H₂₈N₂O₆+H 441.2020, found 441.2022.



$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 7:1); 39% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.0$ ($c = 0.24$ in EtOH); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 8.70 min, t (minor) = 10.22 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 7.91$ (br.s, 2H), 7.59 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.90 (br.s, 1H), 5.71 (br.s, 1H), 4.35-4.16 (m, 4H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 2.38-2.36 (m, 2H), 2.02 (br.s, 1H), 1.86 (br.s, 3H), 1.35-1.25 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 199.7, 173.6, 156.9, 156.0, 135.0, 133.7, 128.8, 128.5, 77.2, 64.1, 63.0, 62.5, 61.9, 51.5, 33.4, 32.7, 31.9, 30.0, 29.7, 29.3, 27.7, 27.1, 22.7, 21.8, 14.4, 14.1$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}$ 395.1813, found 395.1818.



$R_f = 0.1$ (petroleum ether/EtOAc = 7:1); 65% yield; colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -5.8$ ($c = 0.36$ in EtOH); 91% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel chiralcel AS, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 7.47 min, t (minor) = 11.84 min]; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 7.89$ -7.80 (m, 2H), 7.62 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.48 (s, 1H), 6.10 (br.s, 1H), 4.29-4.10 (m, 4H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 2.96-2.92 (m, 2H), 1.33-1.16 (m, 6H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3): $\delta = 195.0, 171.1, 156.0, 155.4, 133.6, 132.1, 130.2, 130.0, 128.9, 77.2, 63.3, 62.3, 59.7, 57.8, 52.1, 33.3, 32.7, 31.9, 29.7, 29.5, 29.3, 14.3, 14.1$ ppm; ESI-HRMS: calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}$ 445.0610, found 445.0613.

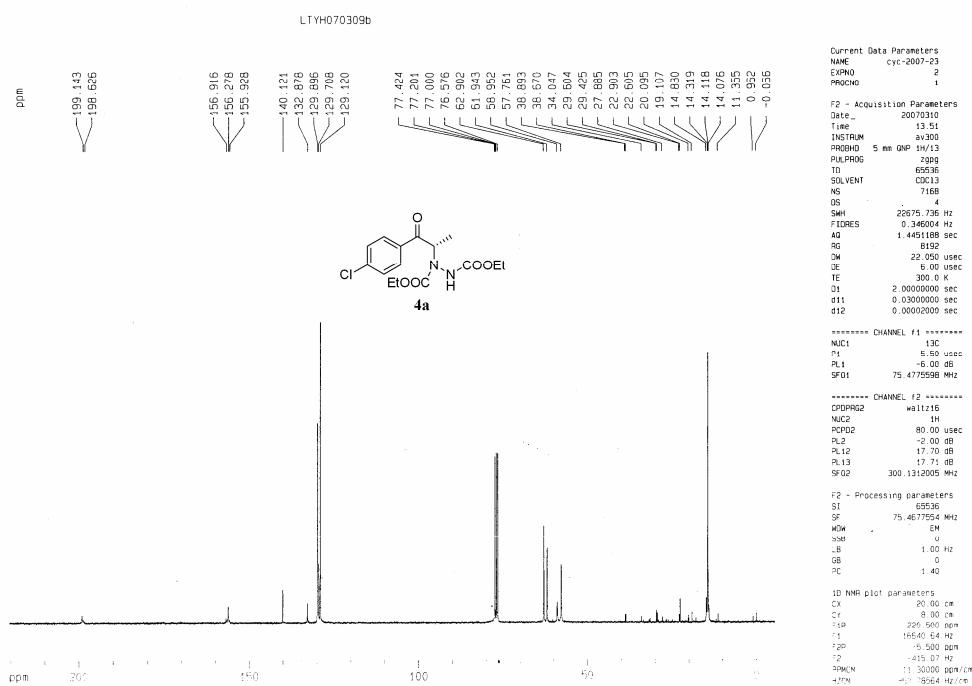
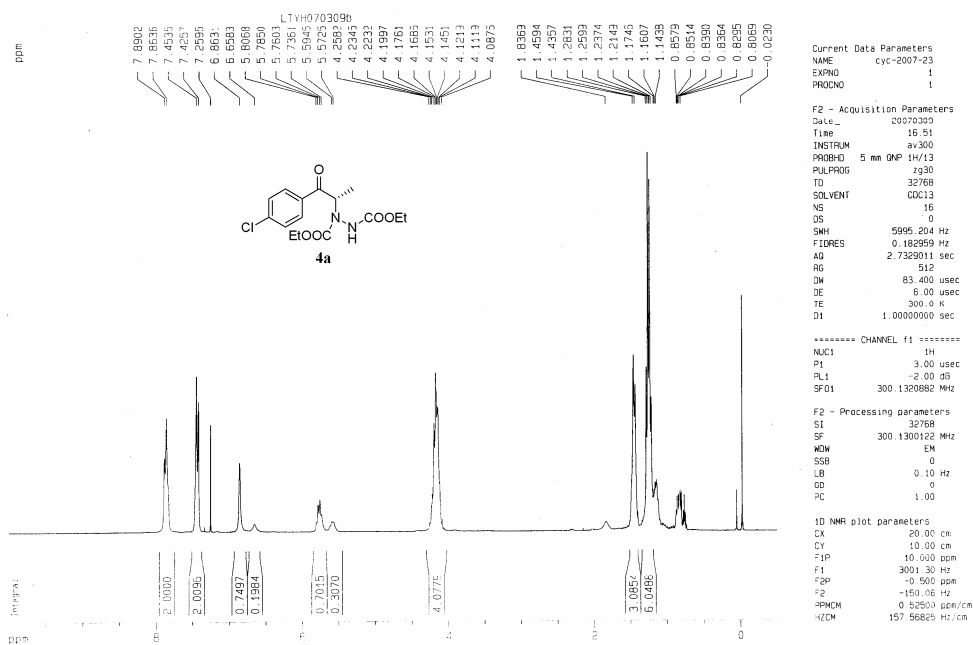


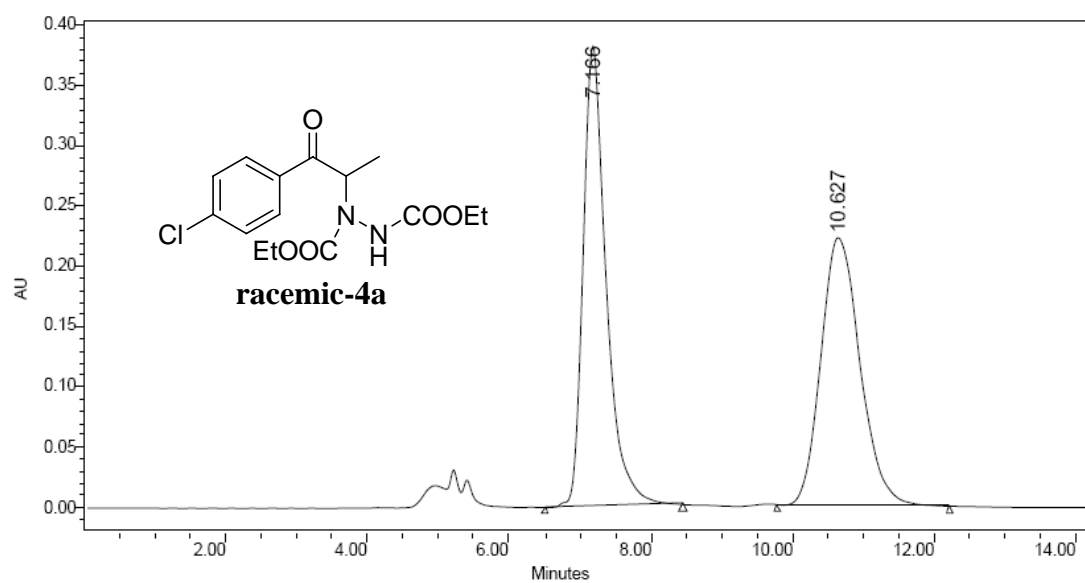
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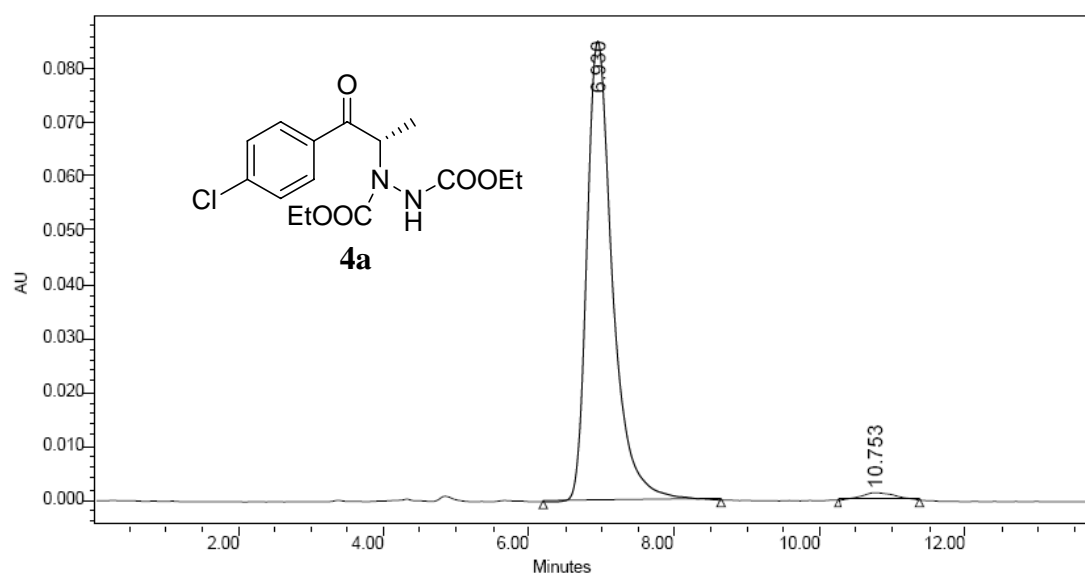
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NMR and HPLC spectra

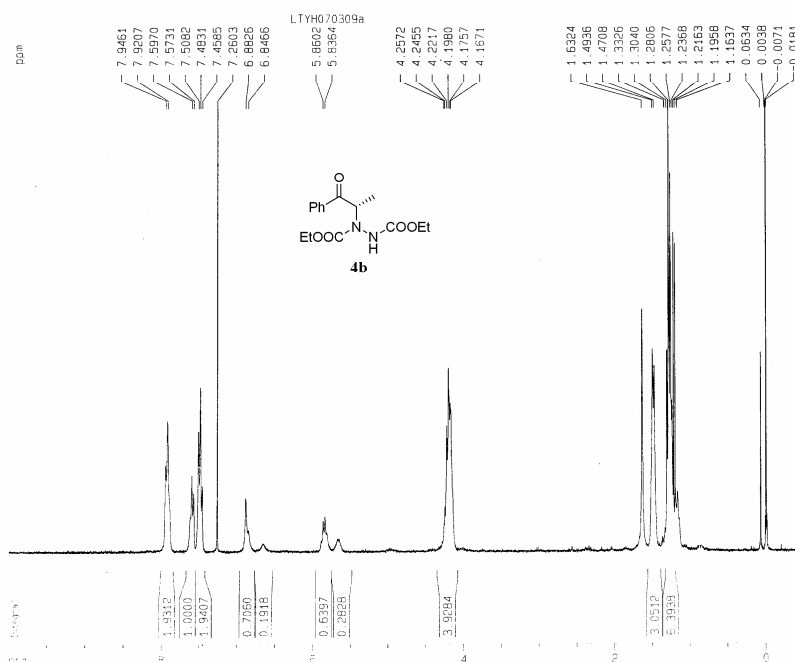




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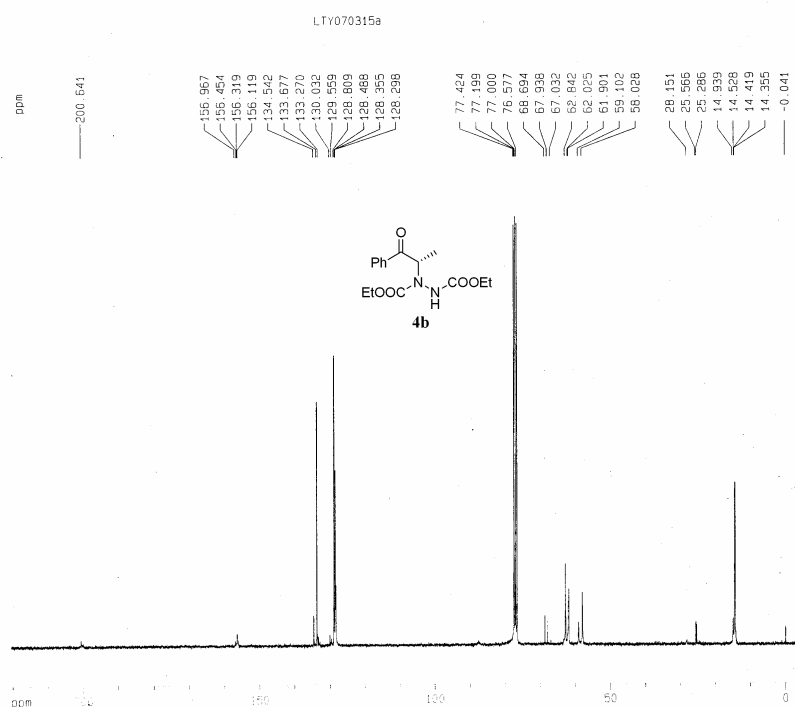
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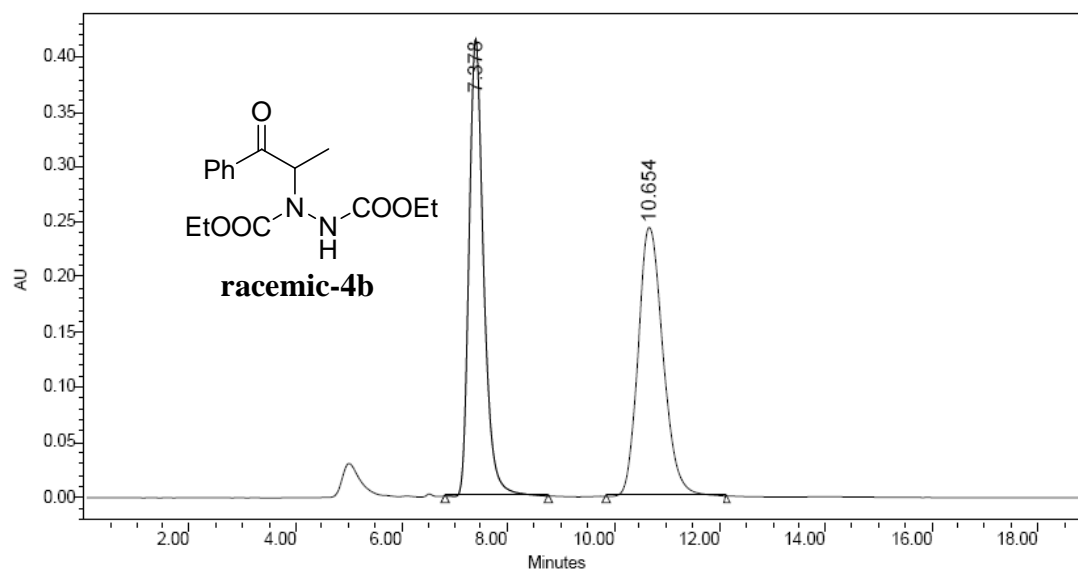
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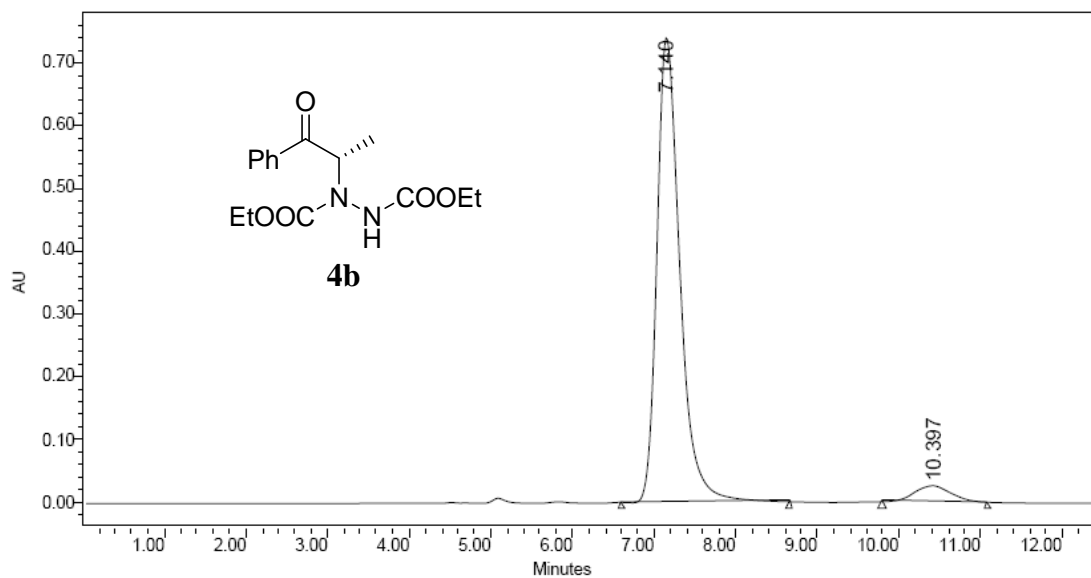
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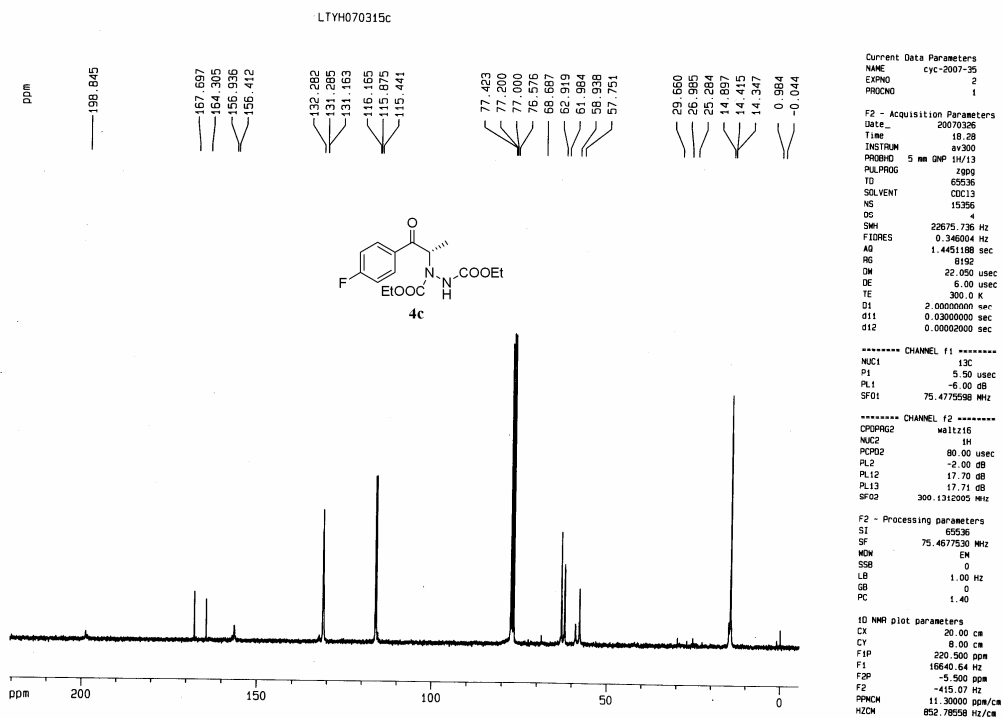
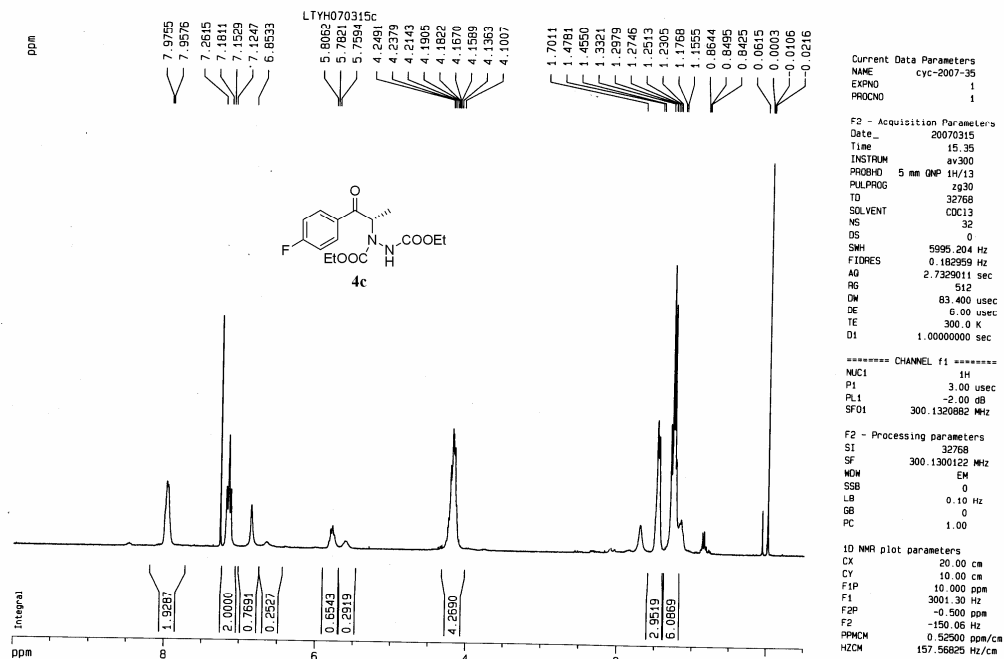
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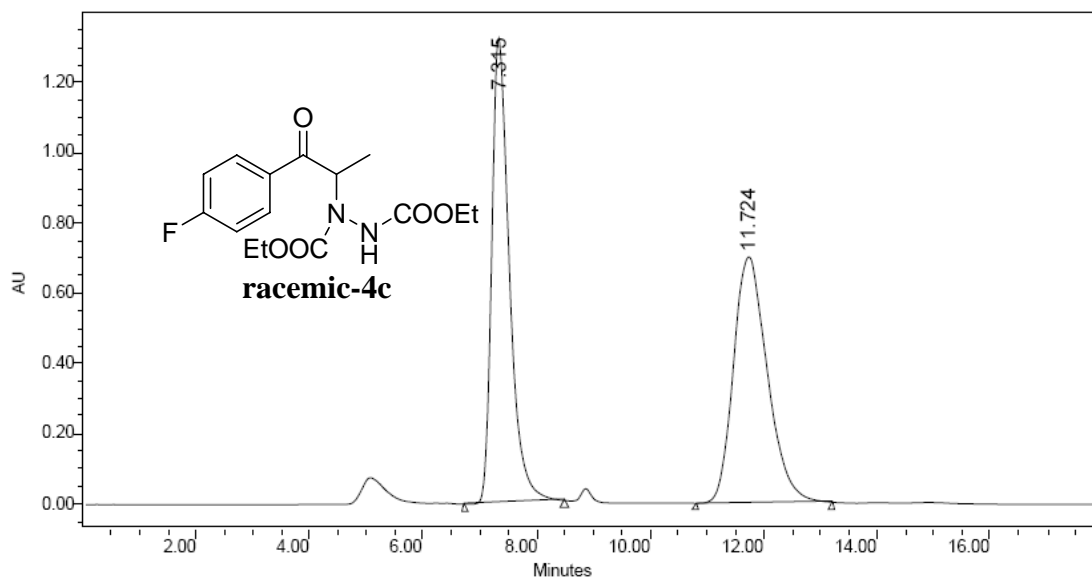


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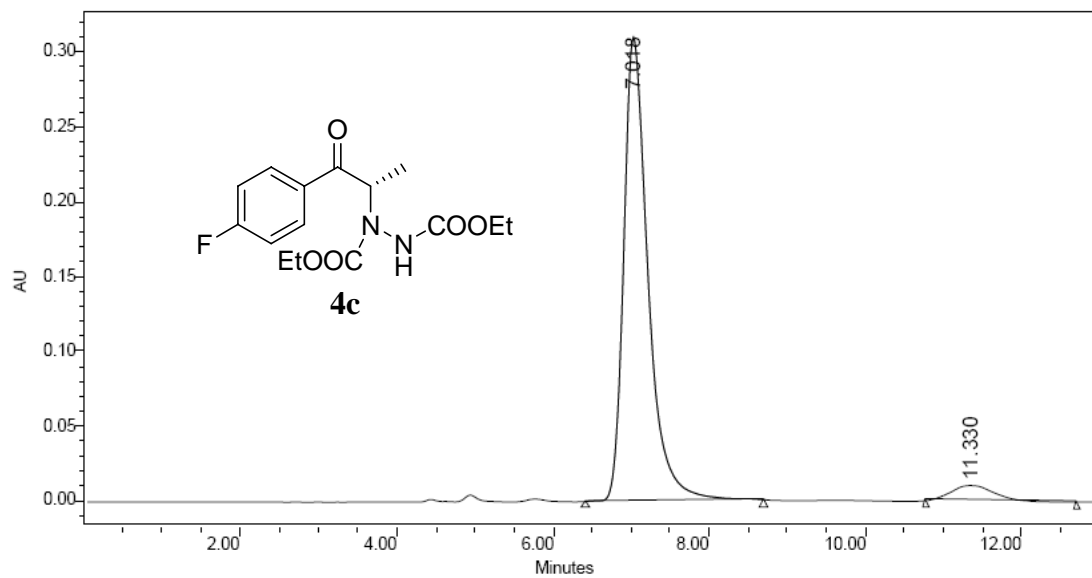


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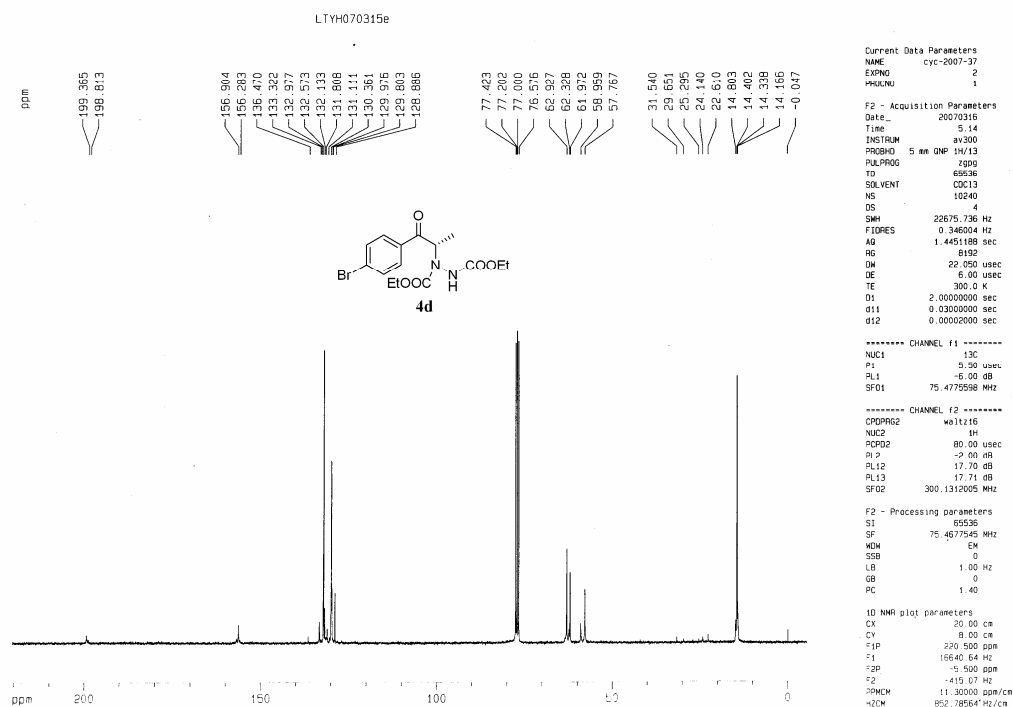
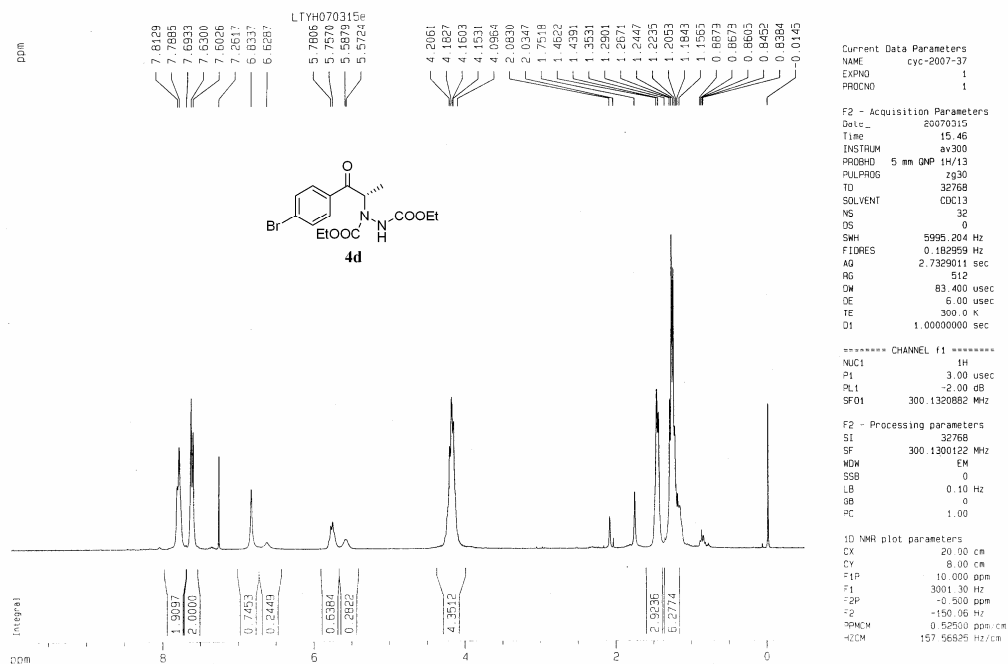


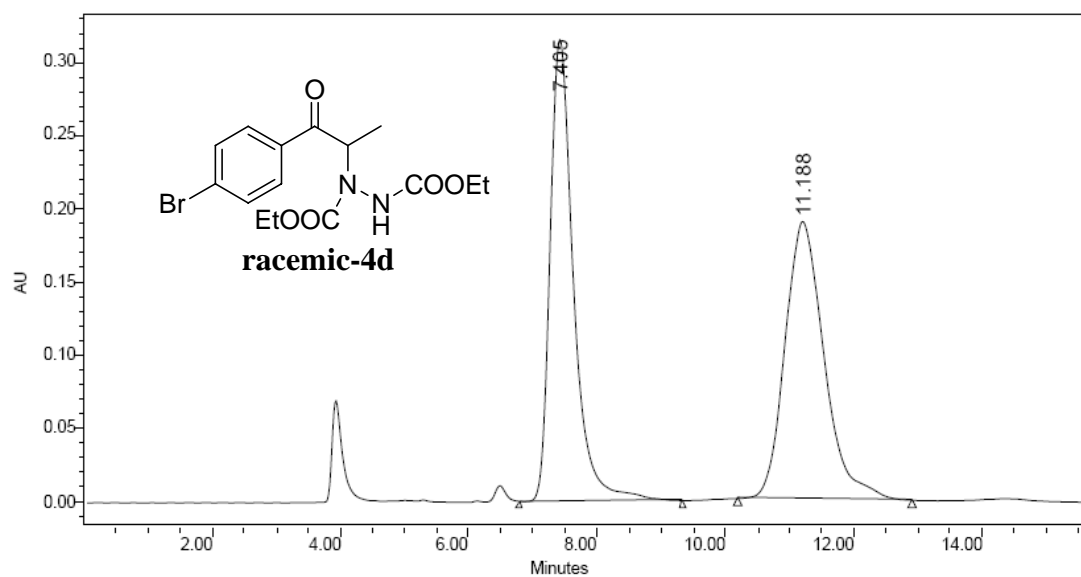


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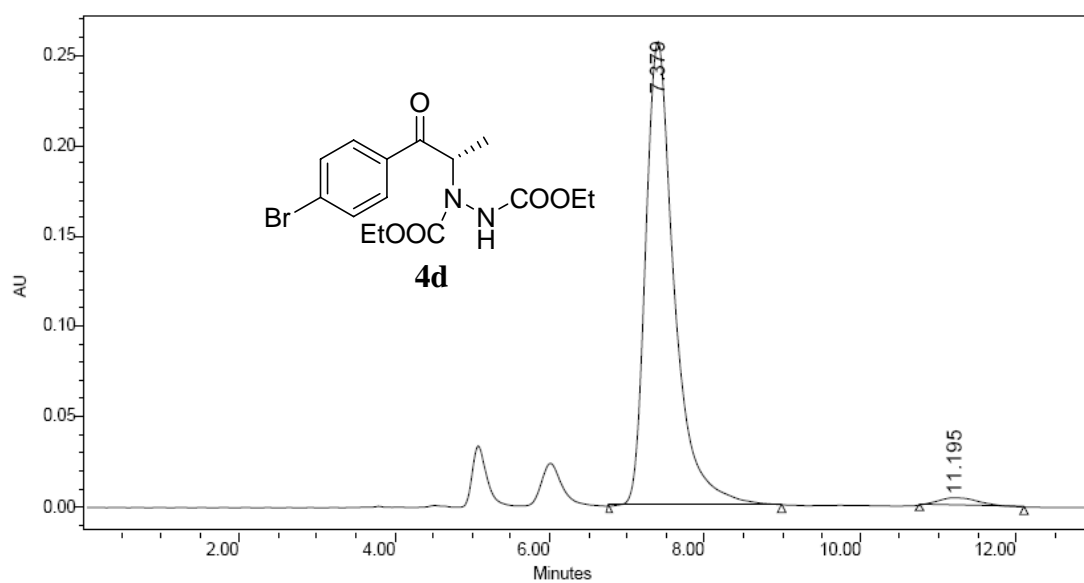


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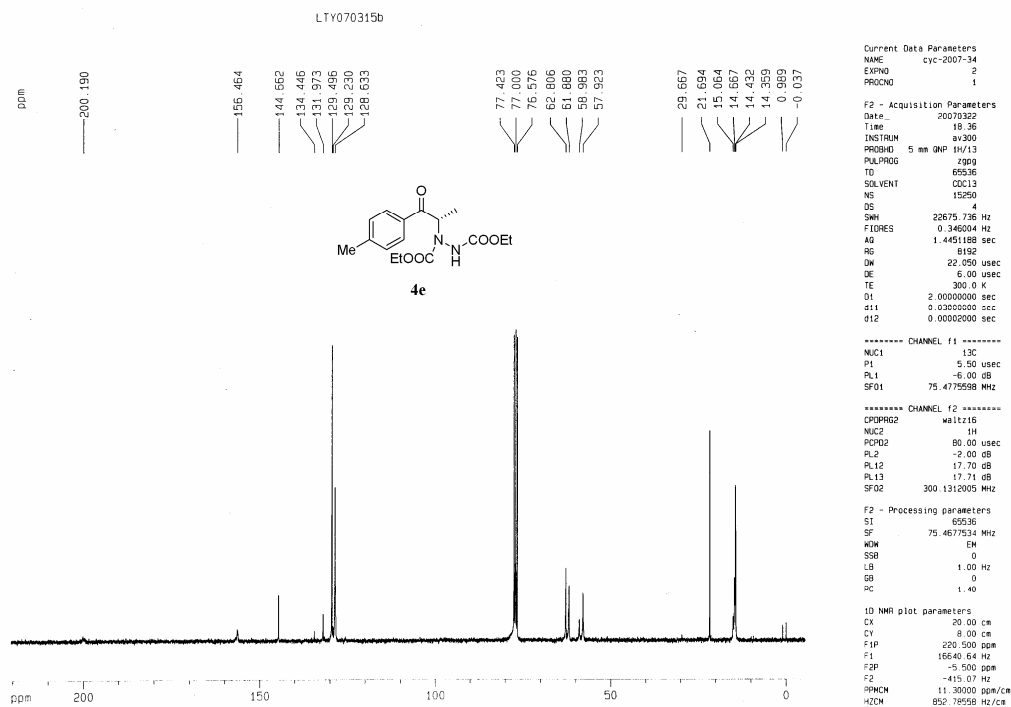
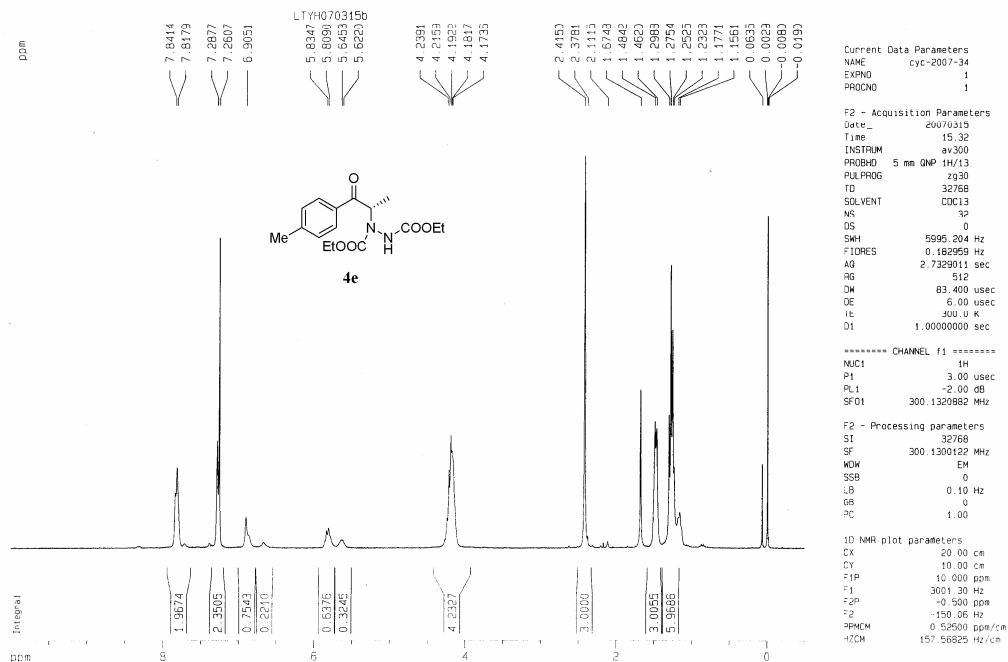


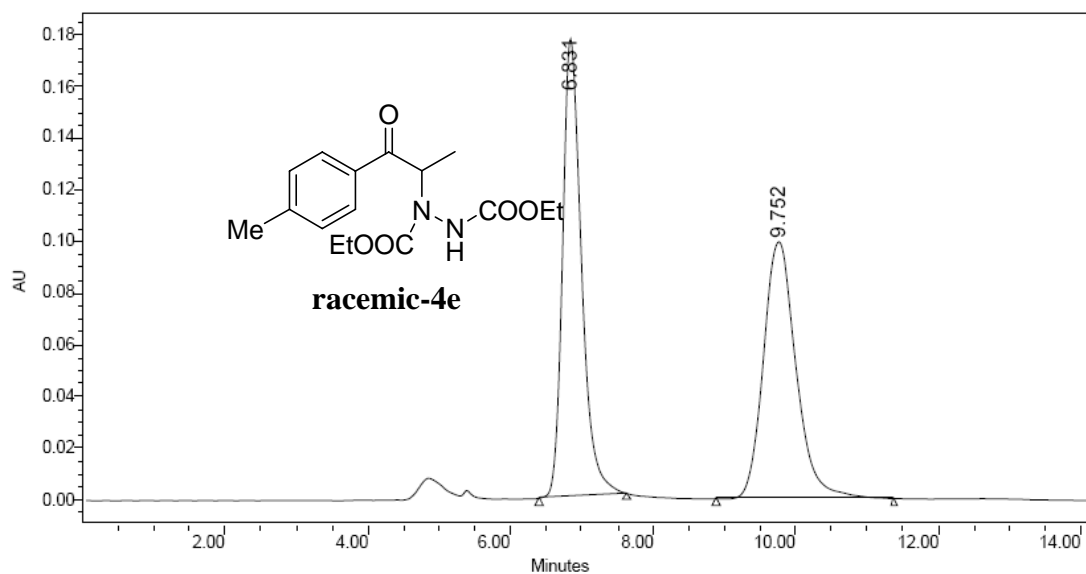


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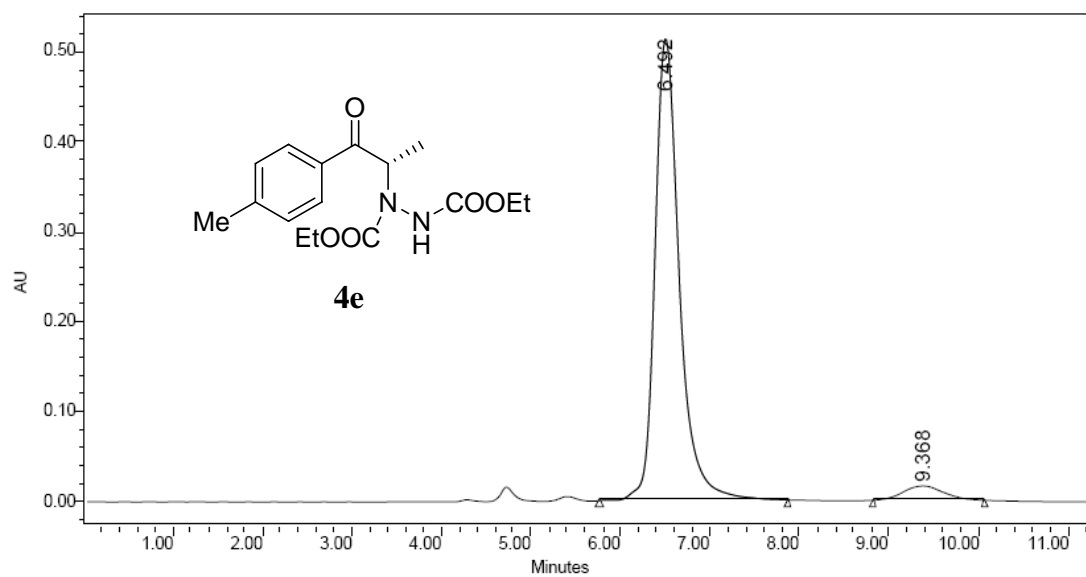


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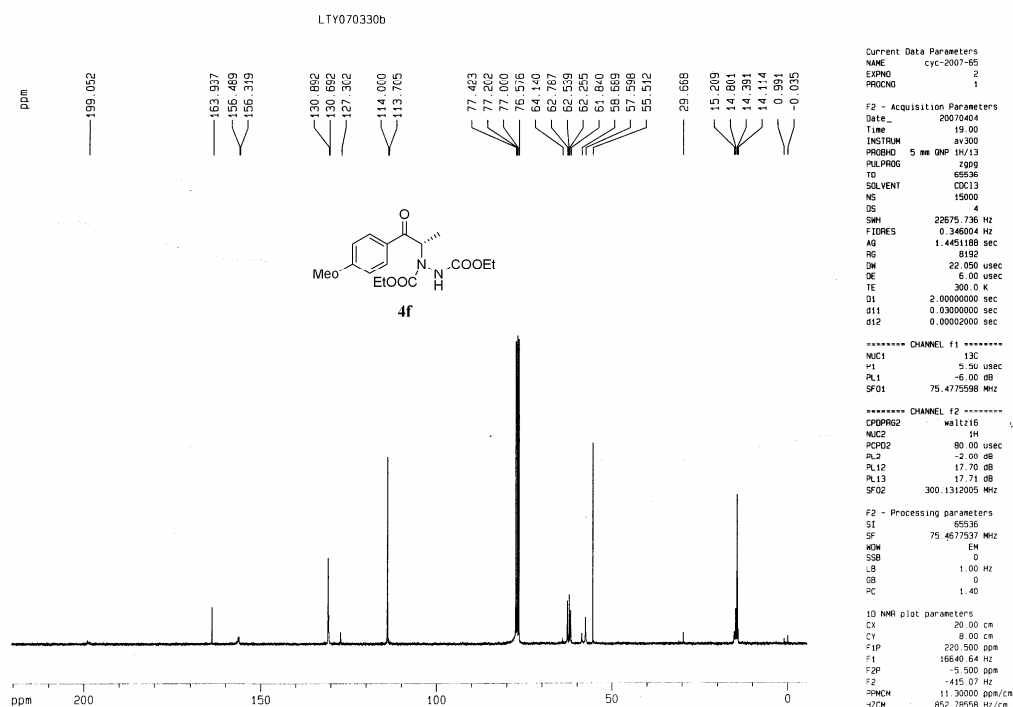
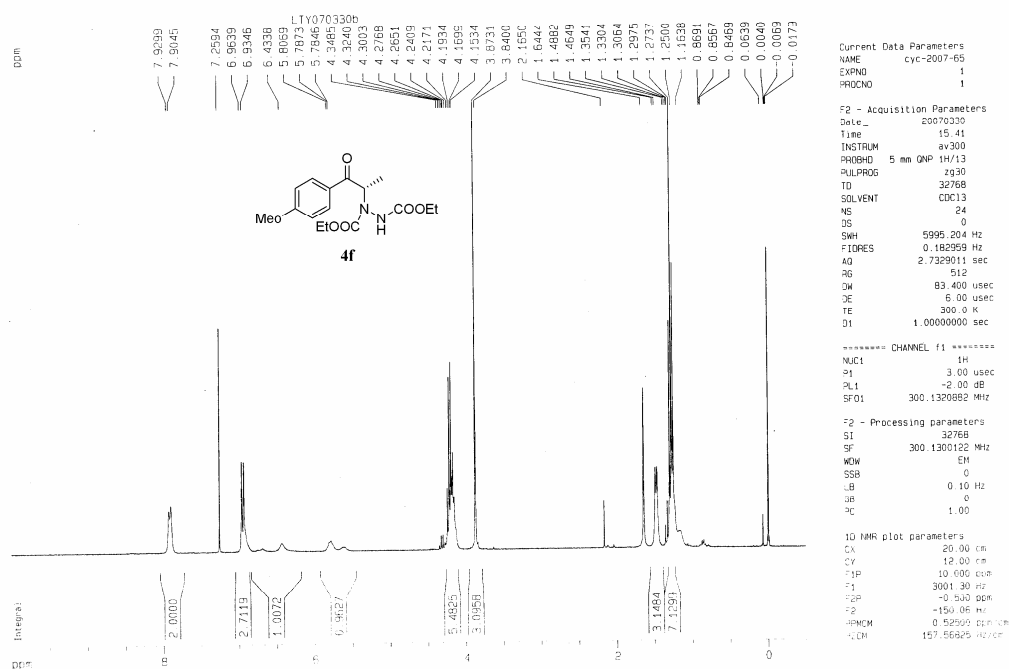


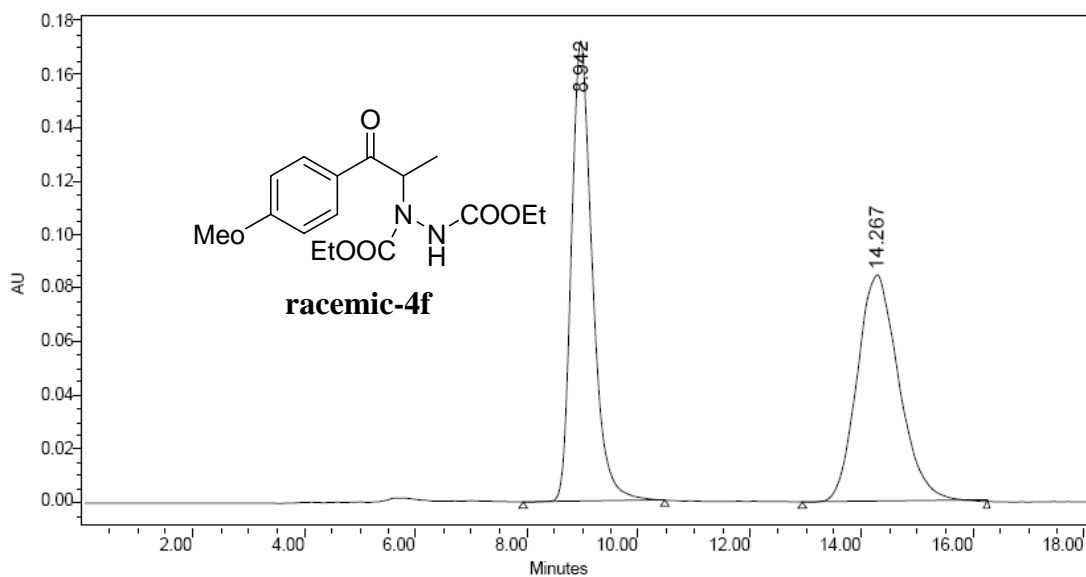


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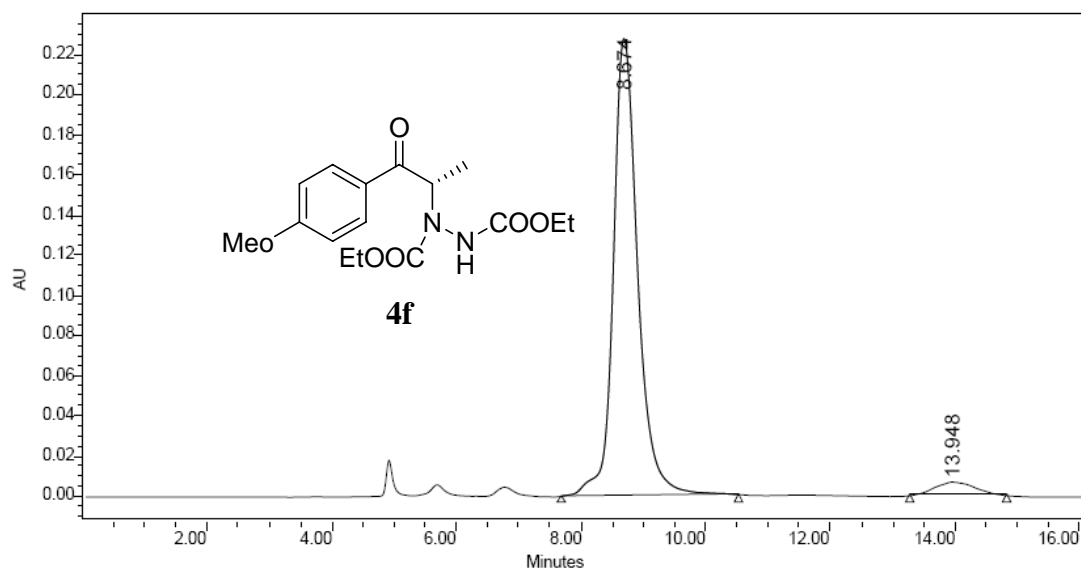


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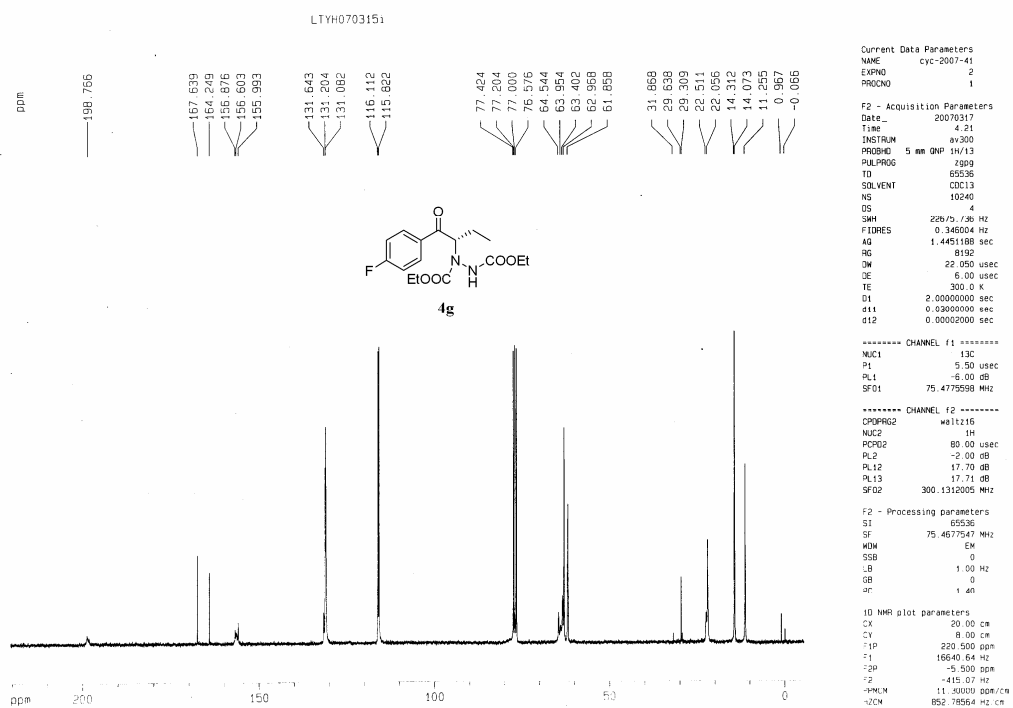
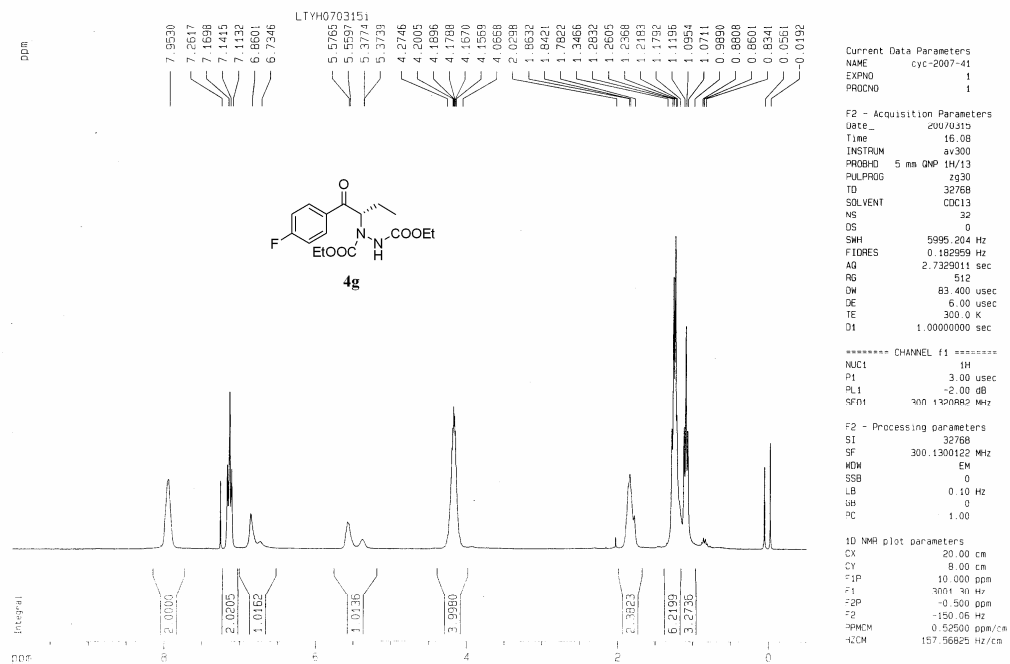


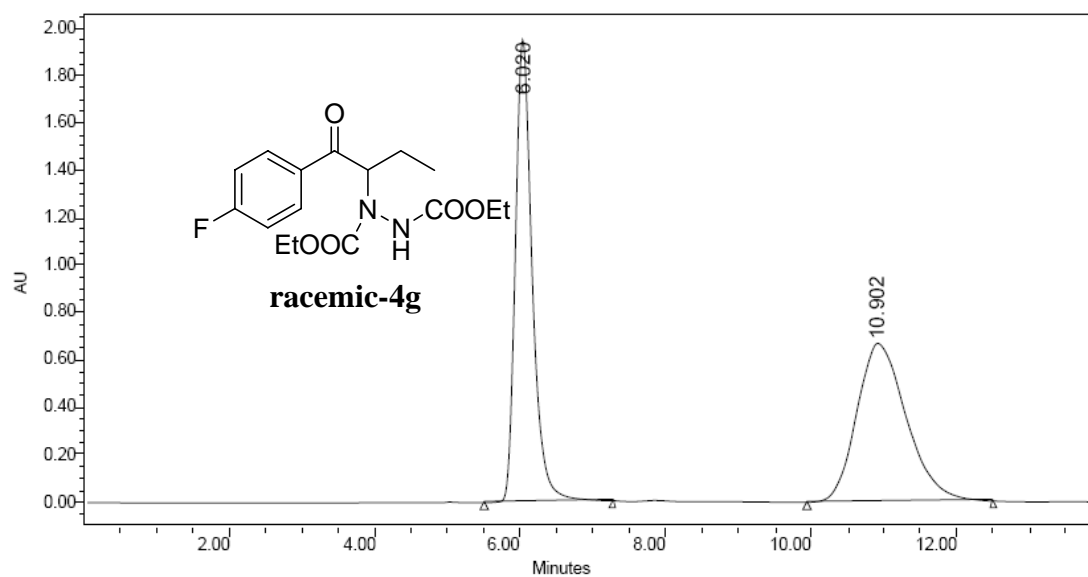


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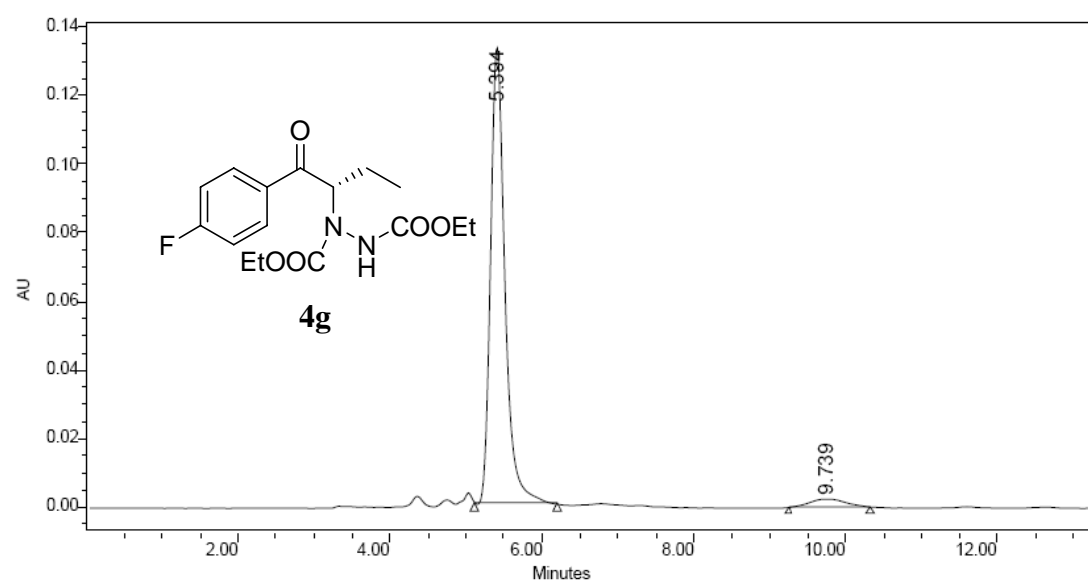


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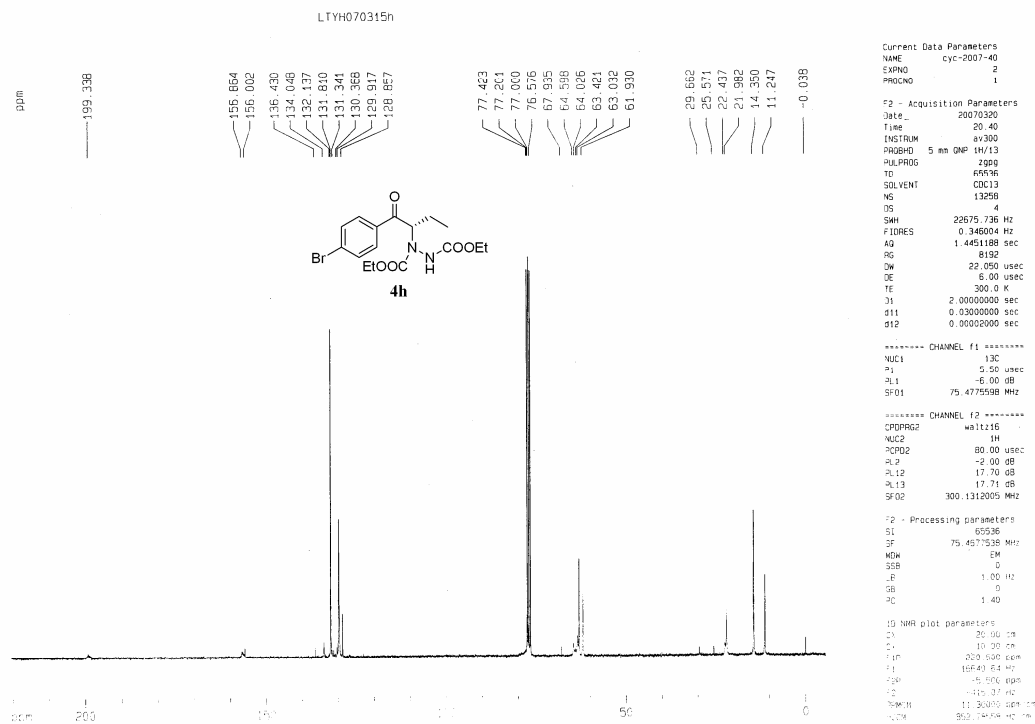
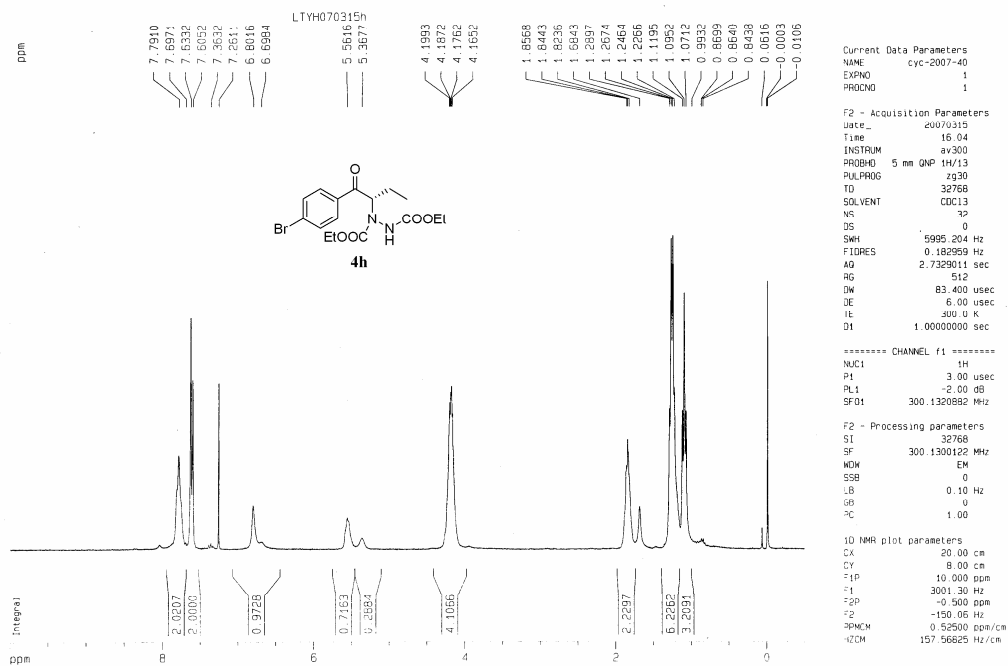


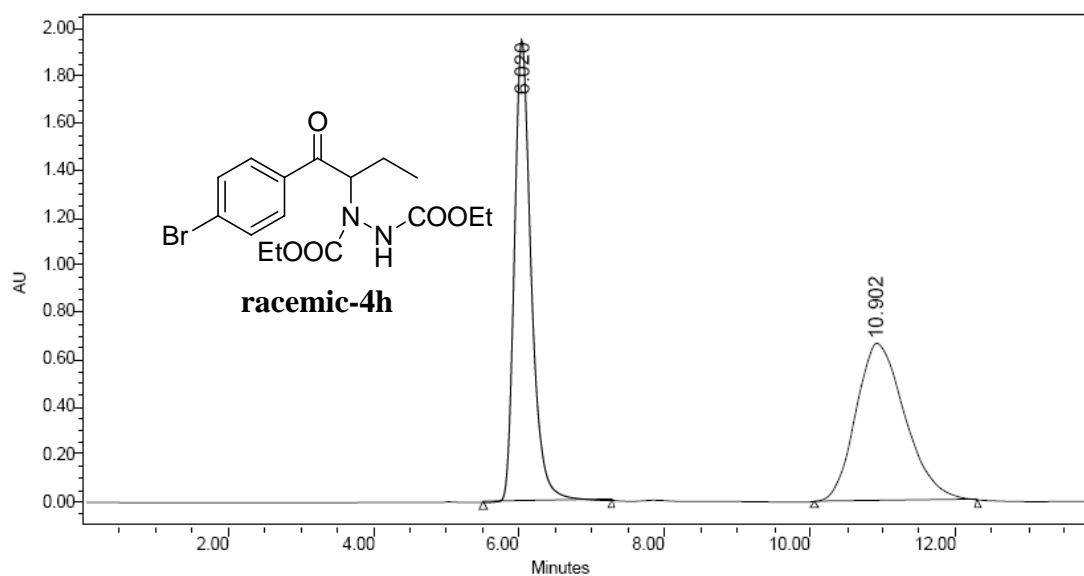


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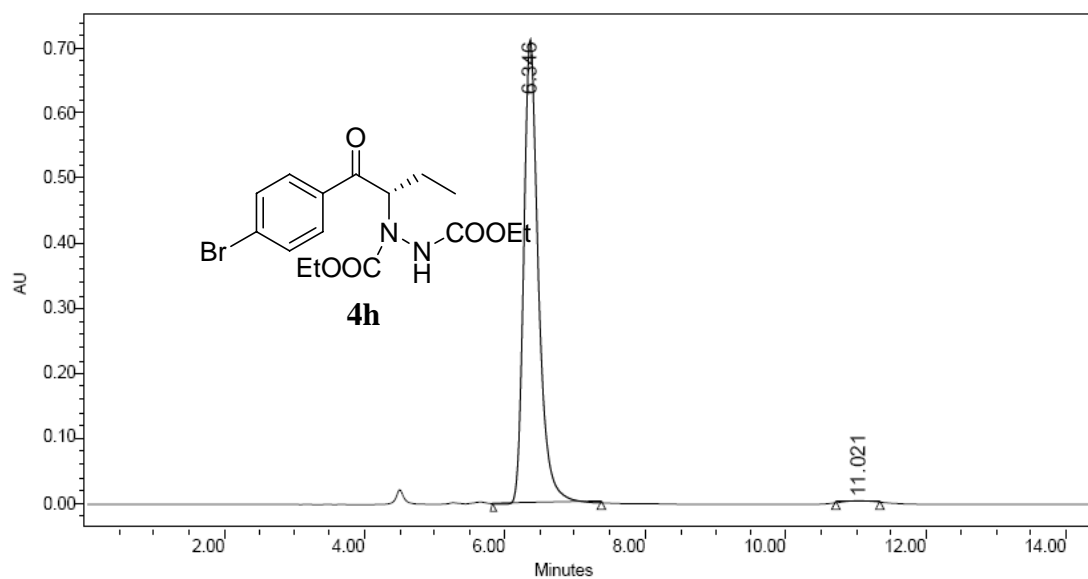


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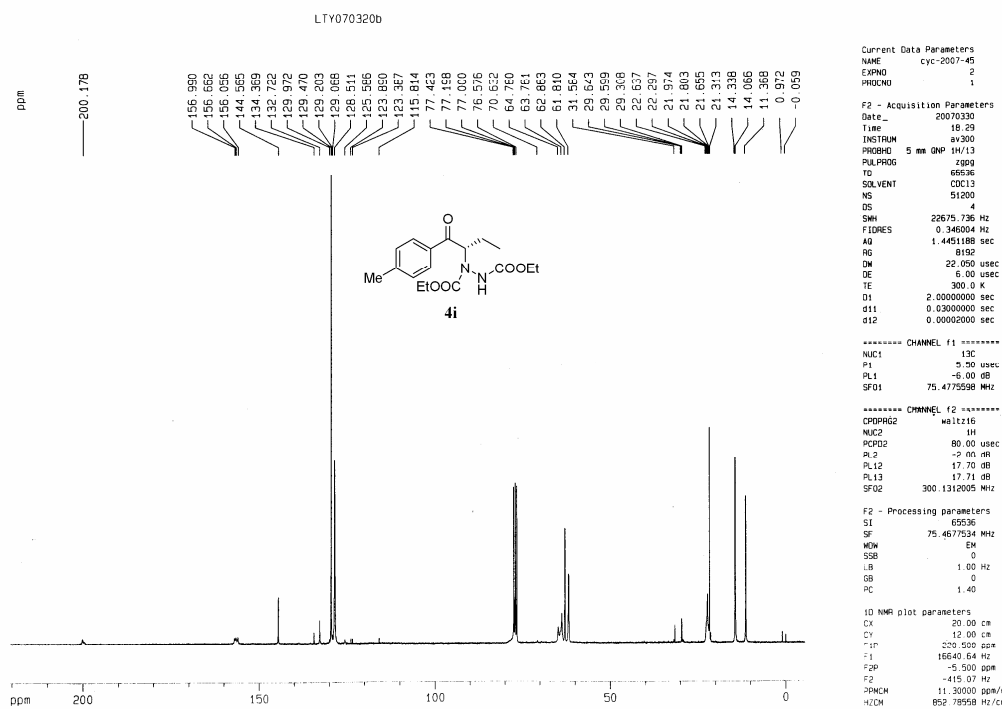
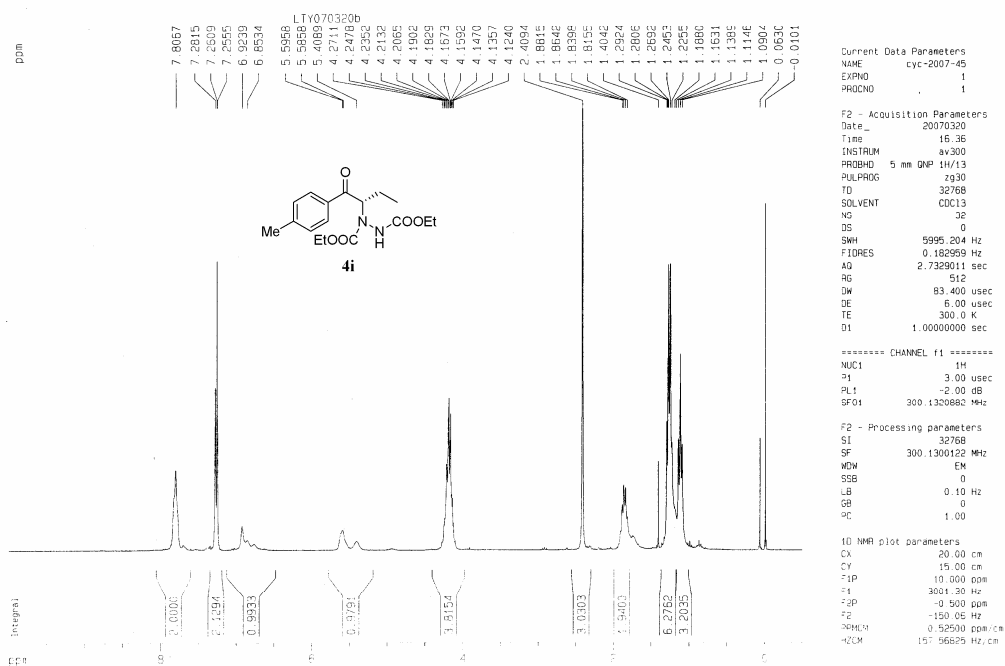


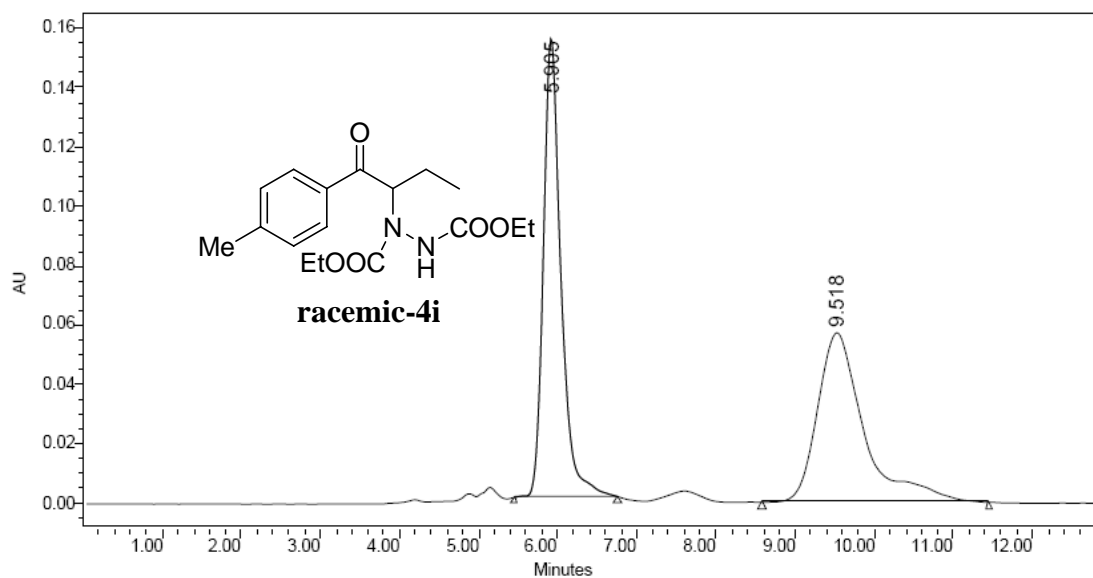


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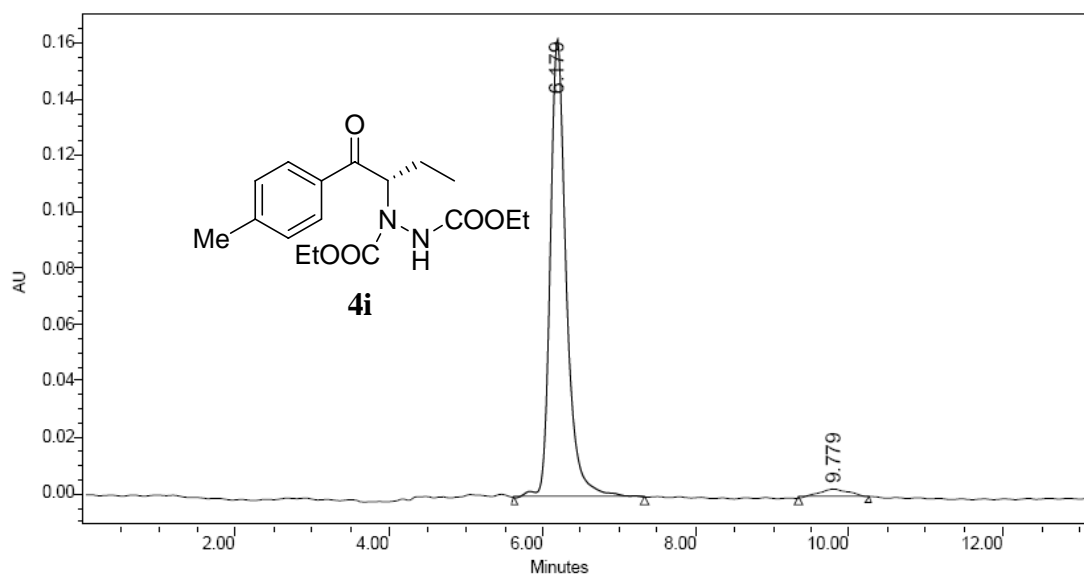


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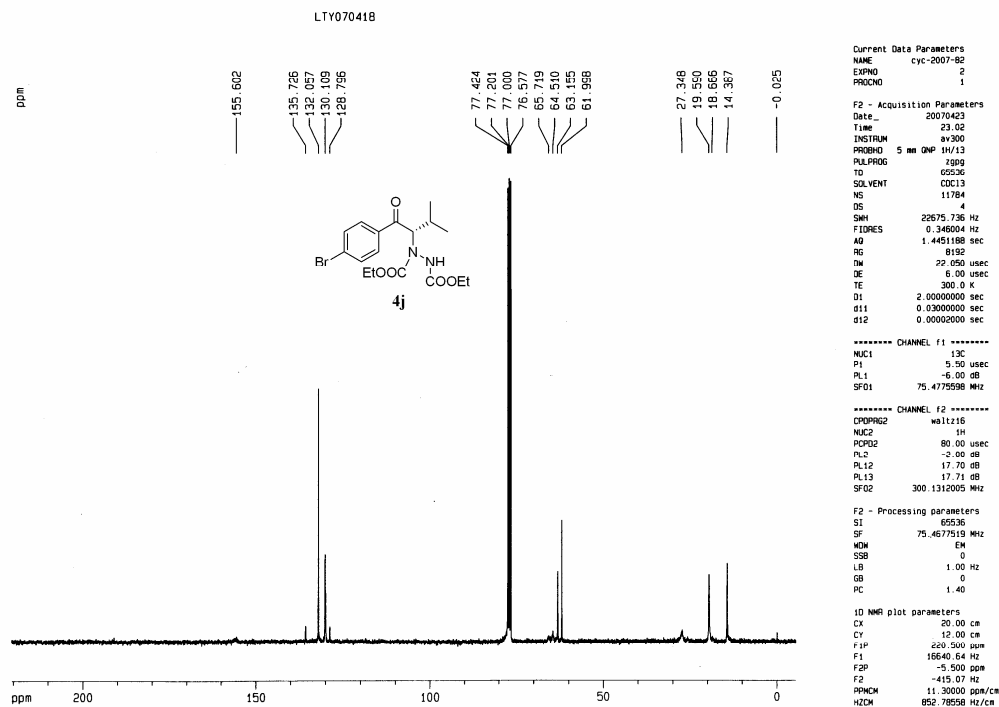
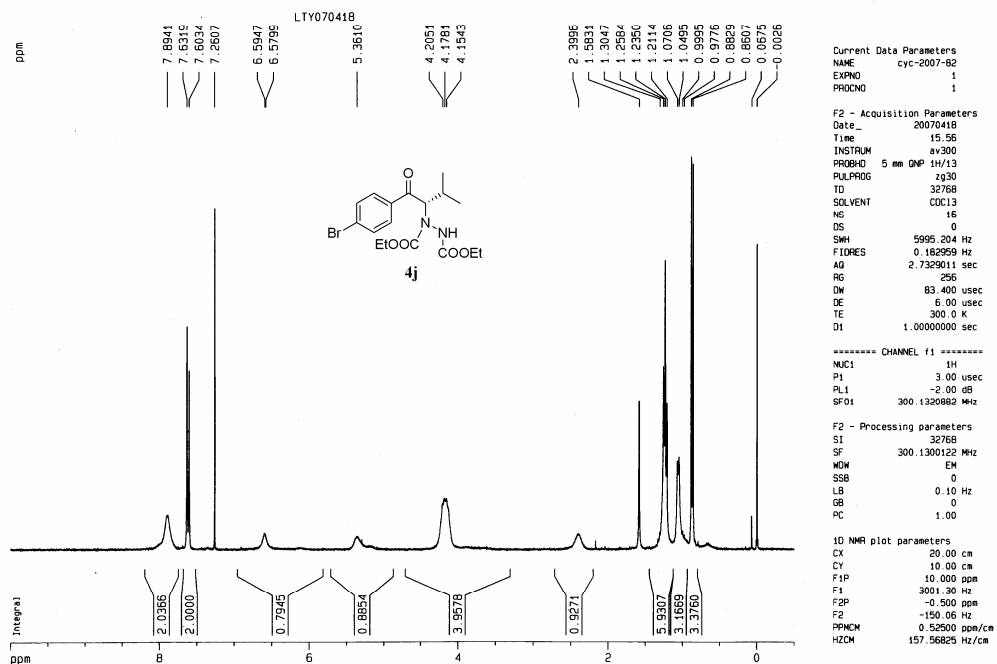


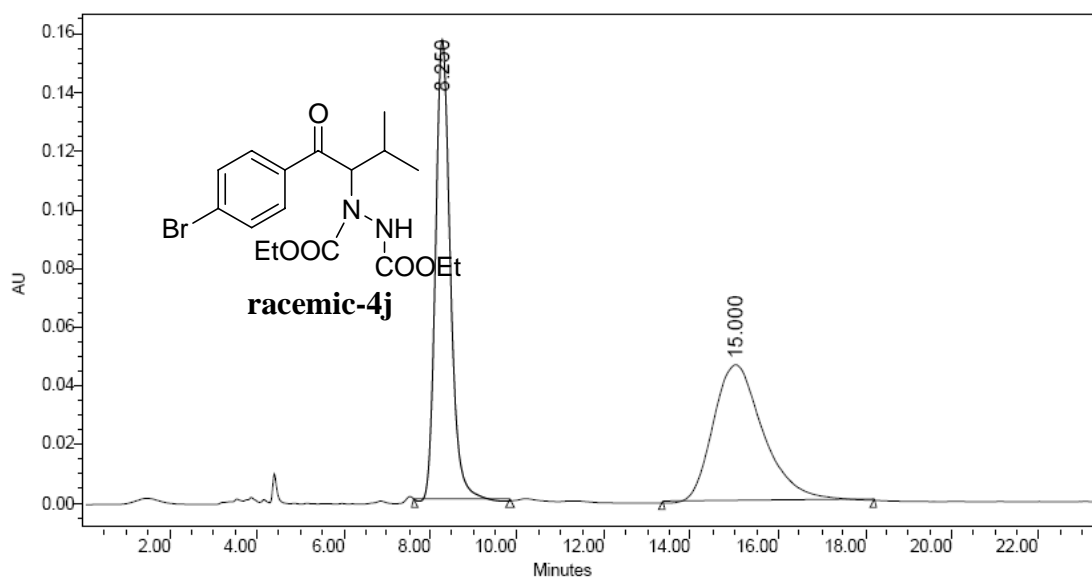


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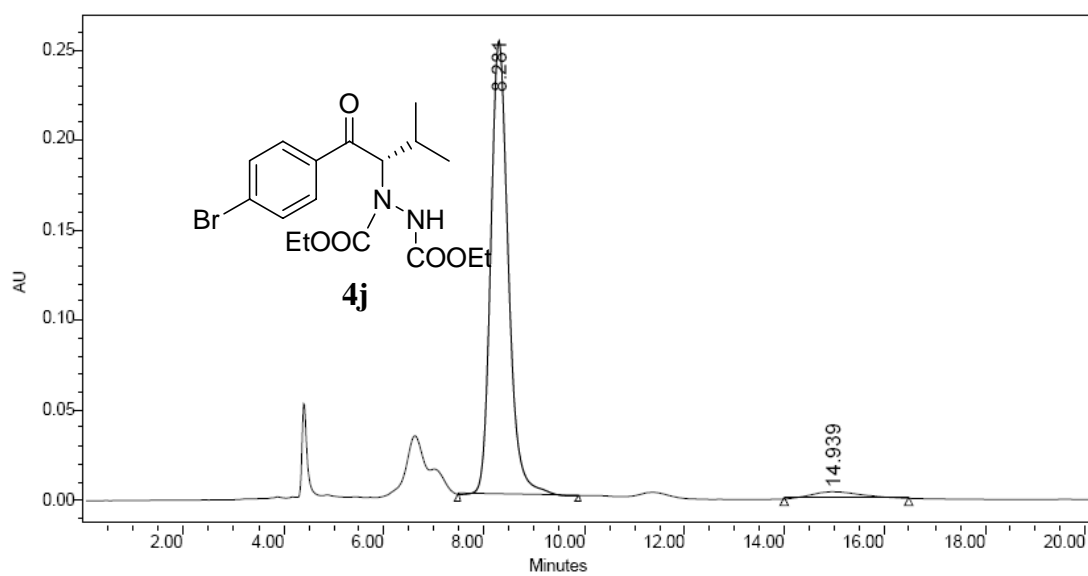


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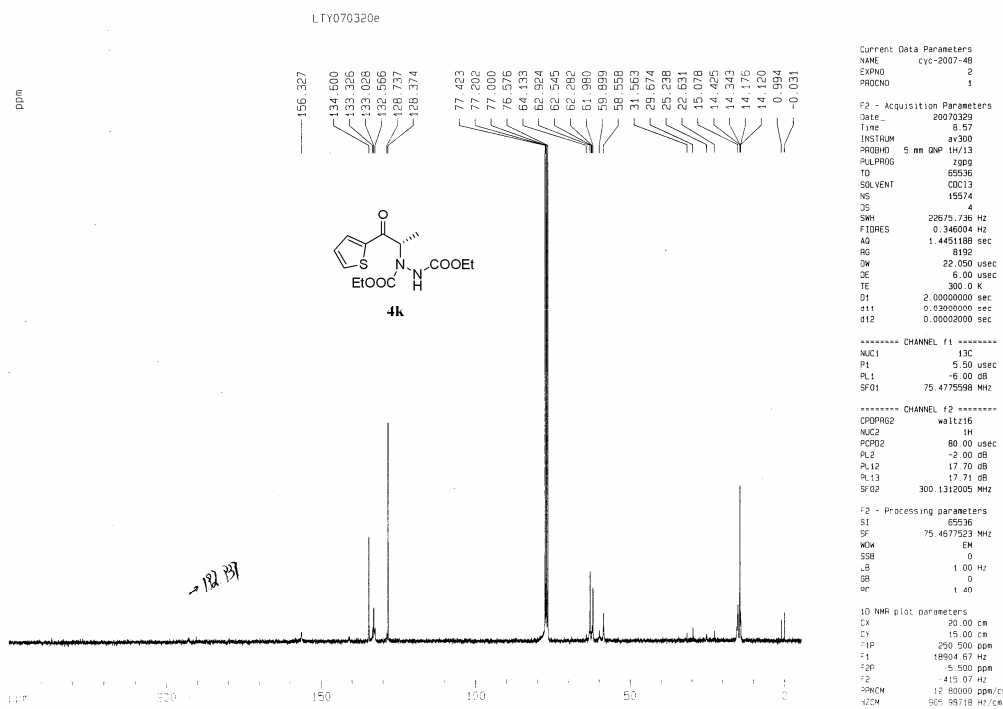
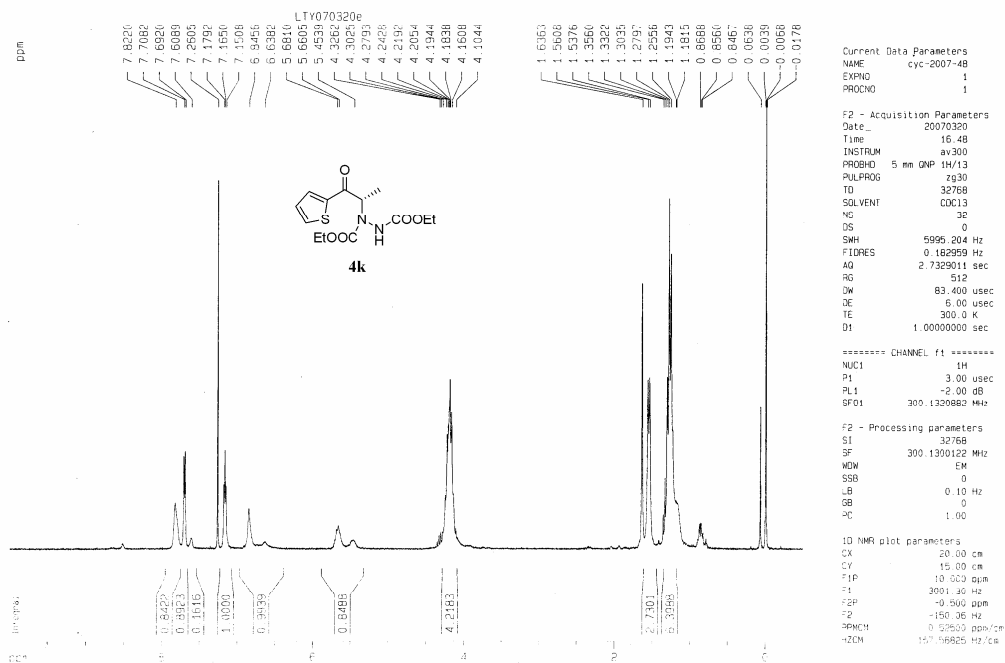


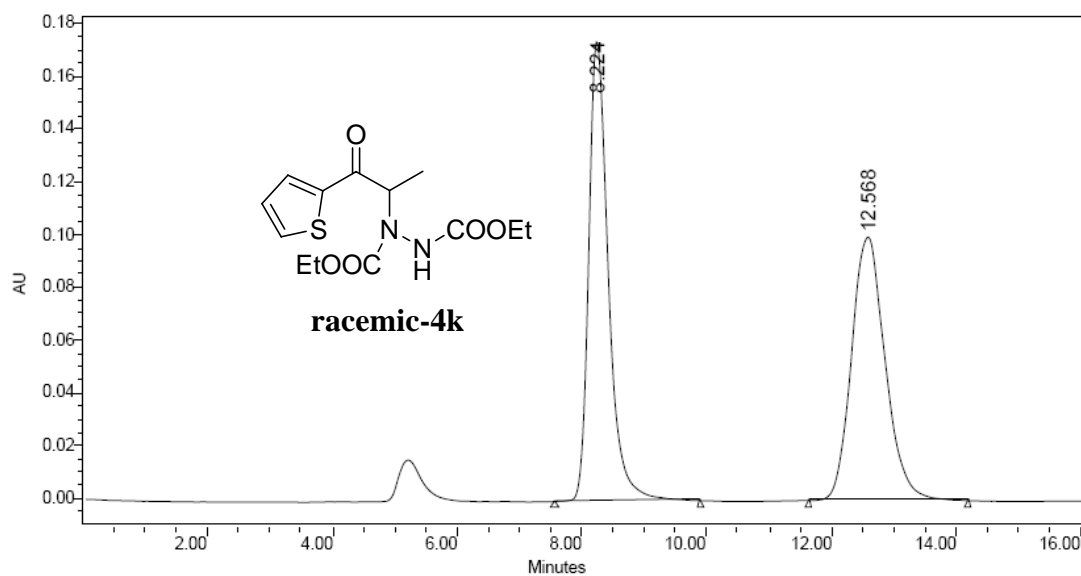


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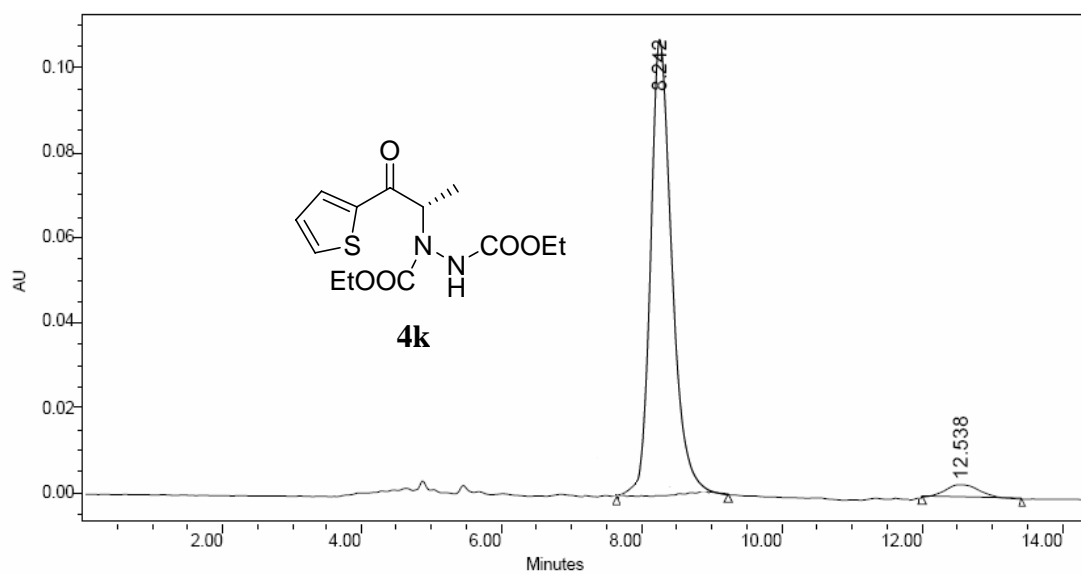


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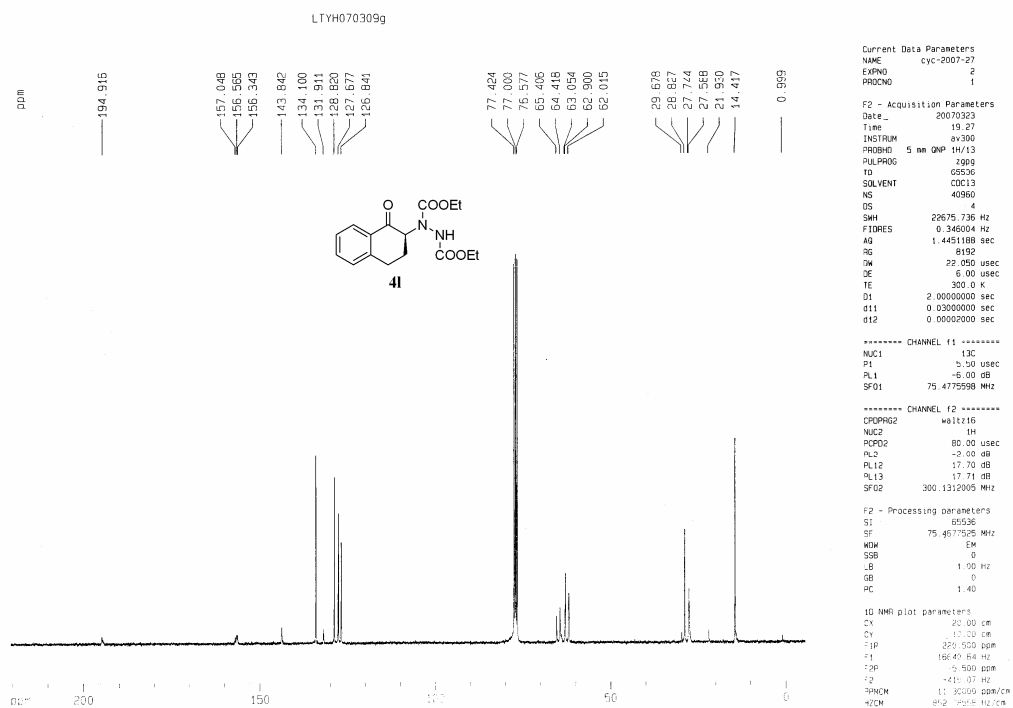
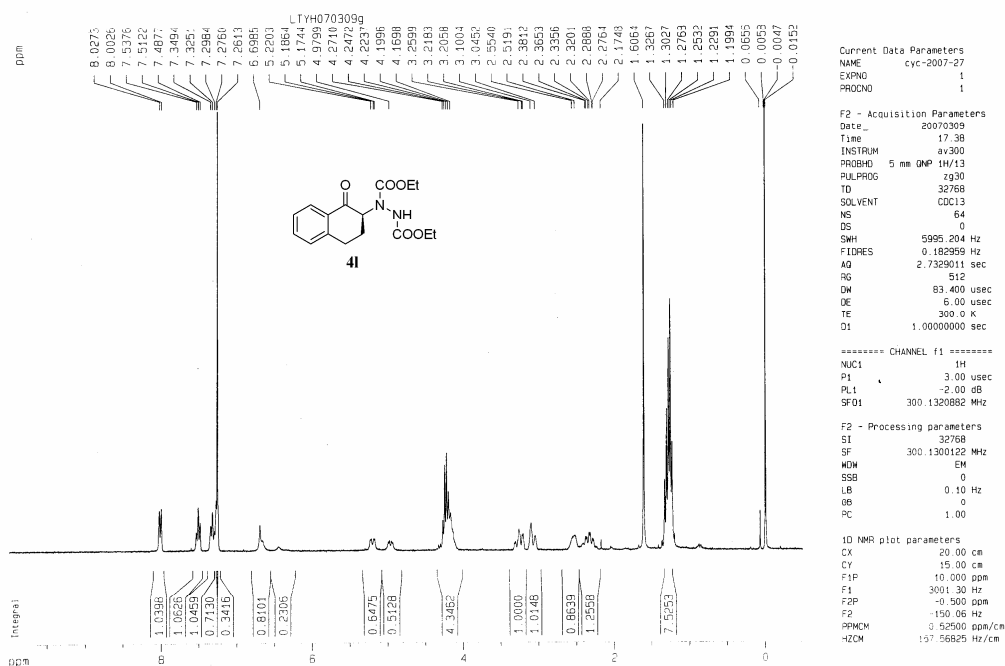


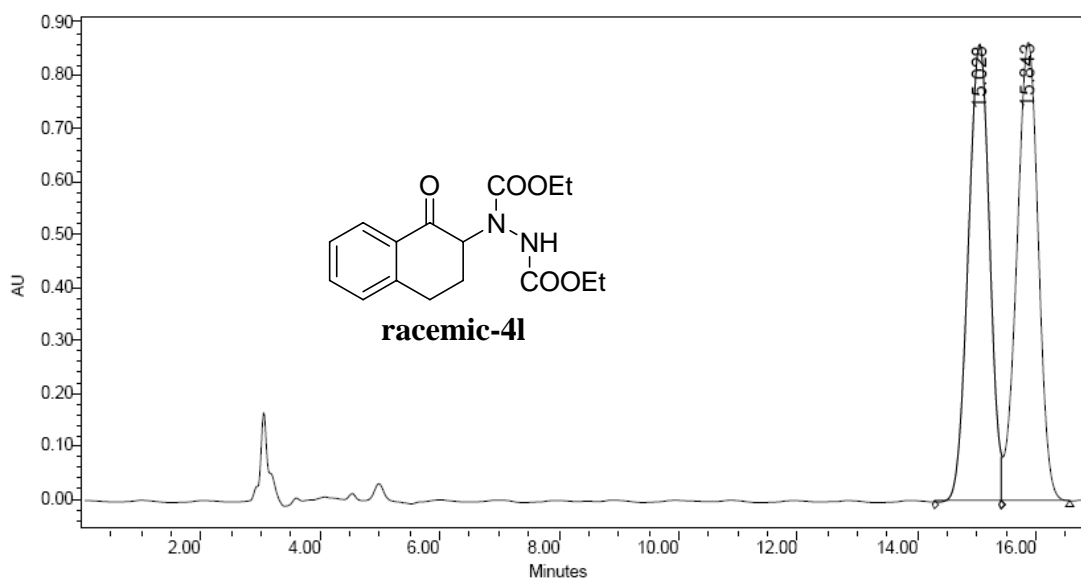


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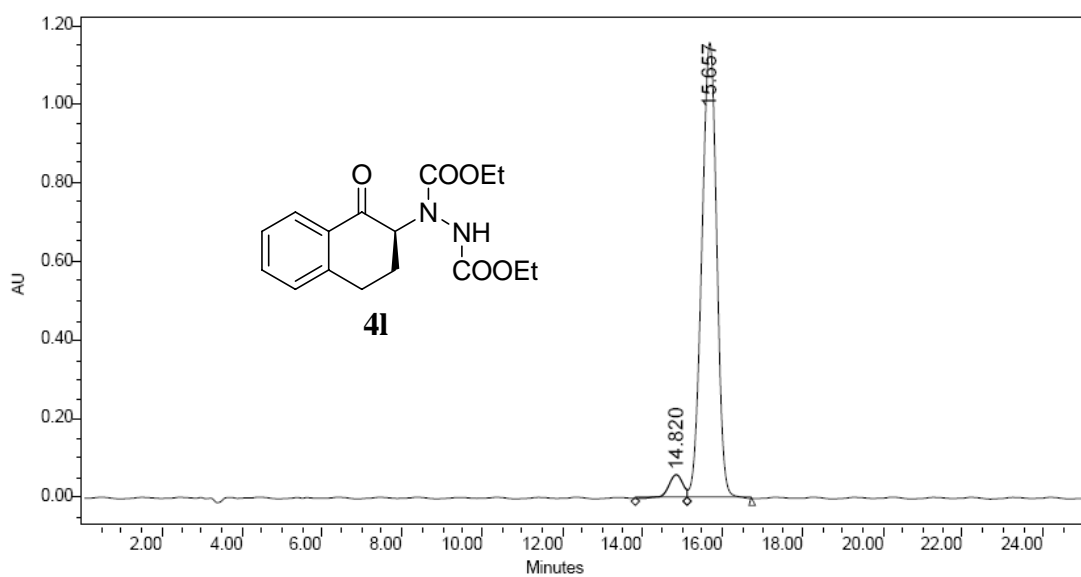


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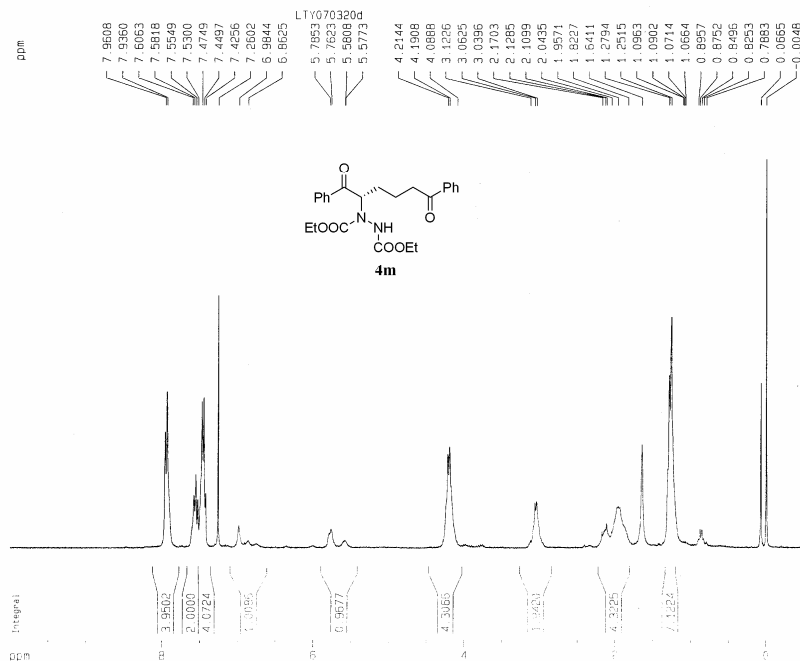




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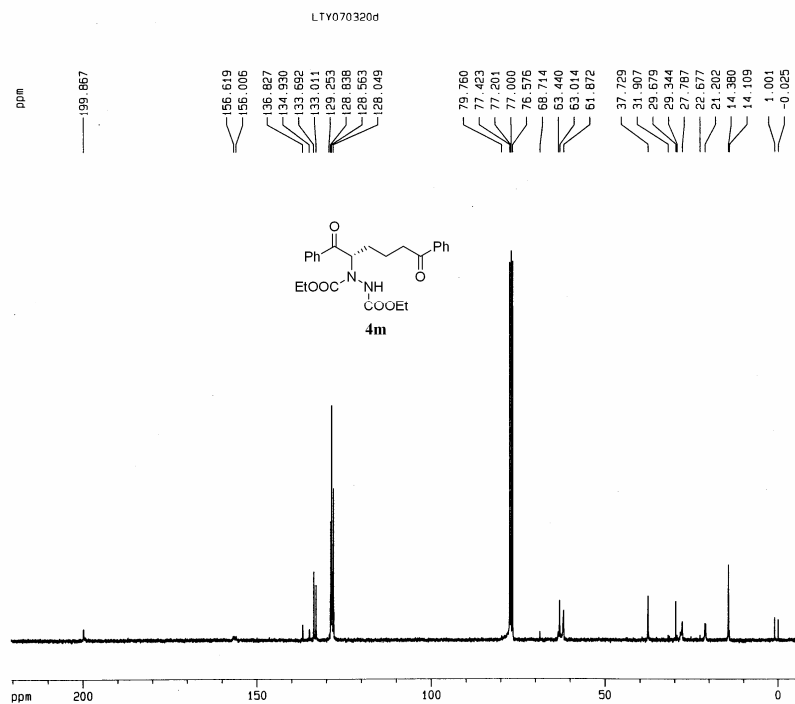
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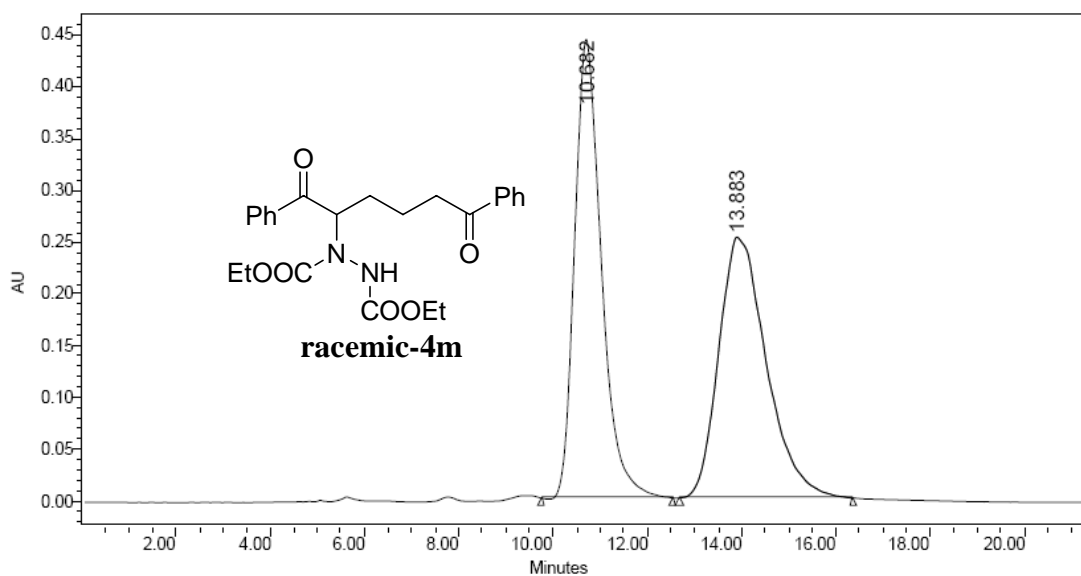
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FIDRES: 0.346004 Hz
AQ: 1.445188 sec
RG: 8192
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DE: 6.00 usec
TE: 300.0 K
D1: 2.0000000 sec
d11: 0.0300000 sec
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NUC1: 13C
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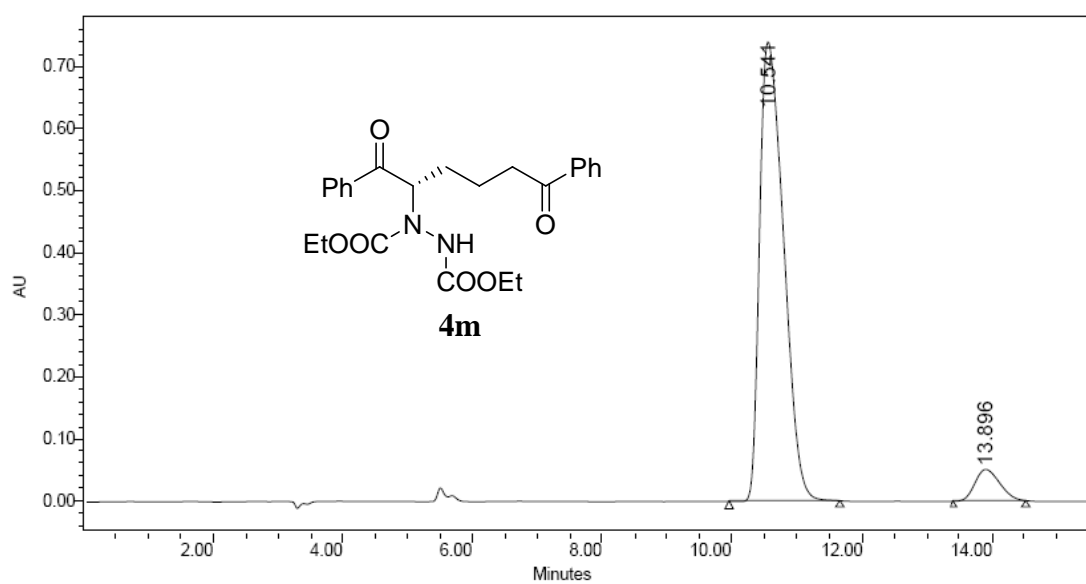
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PL12: 17.70 dB
PL13: 17.71 dB
SFO2: 300.1312000 MHz

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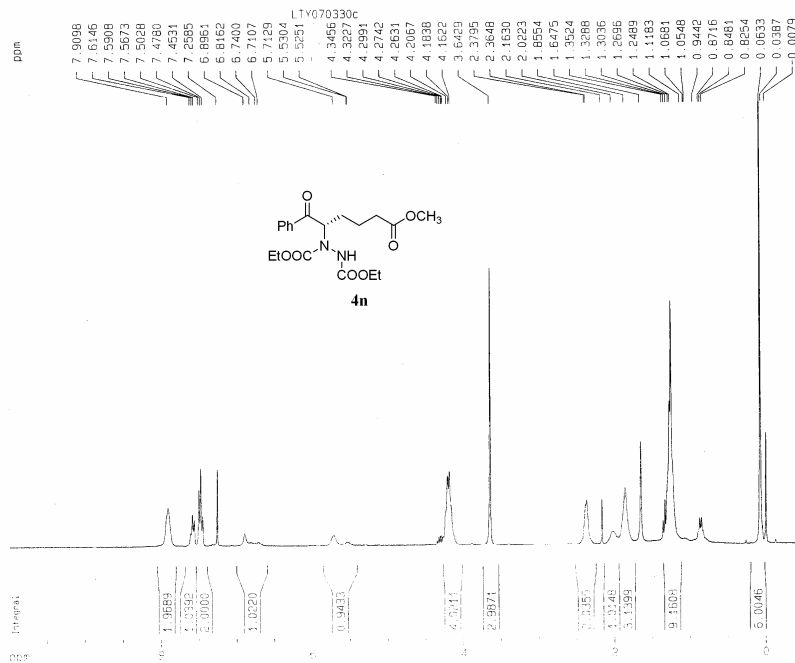
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PPMCH: 11.30000 ppm/cm
HZCM: 852.78598 Hz/cm



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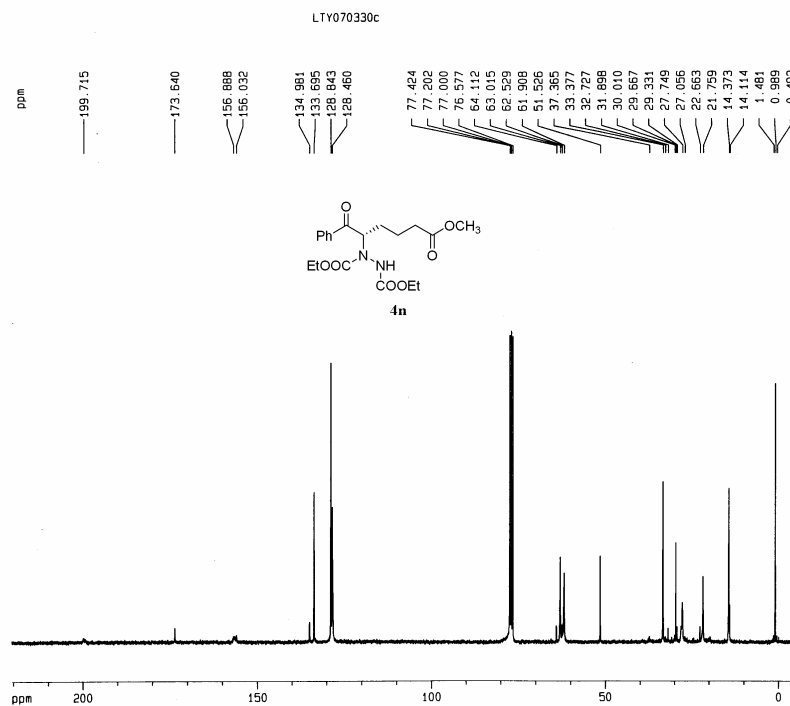
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FIDRES 0.182959 Hz
AQ 2.7329011 sec
RG 512
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DE 6.00 usec
TE 300.0 K
D1 1.0000000 sec

***** CHANNEL f1 *****
NUC1 1H
P1 3.00 usec
PL1 -2.00 dB
SFO1 300.1320882 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
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SF 300.1300122 MHz
WDW EM
SSB 0
LB 0.10 Hz
GB 0
PC 1.00

1D NMR plot parameters
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CY 18.00 cm
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F1 3001.30 Hz
F2P -0.500 ppm
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Current Data Parameters
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EXPNO 2
PROCNO 1

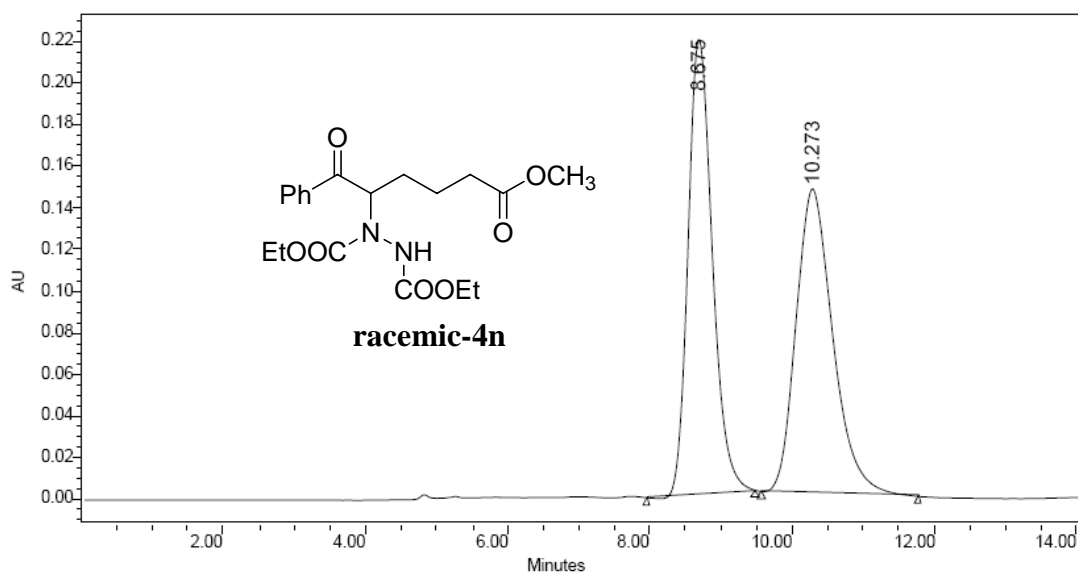
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TE 300.0 K
D1 2.0000000 sec
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***** CHANNEL f1 *****
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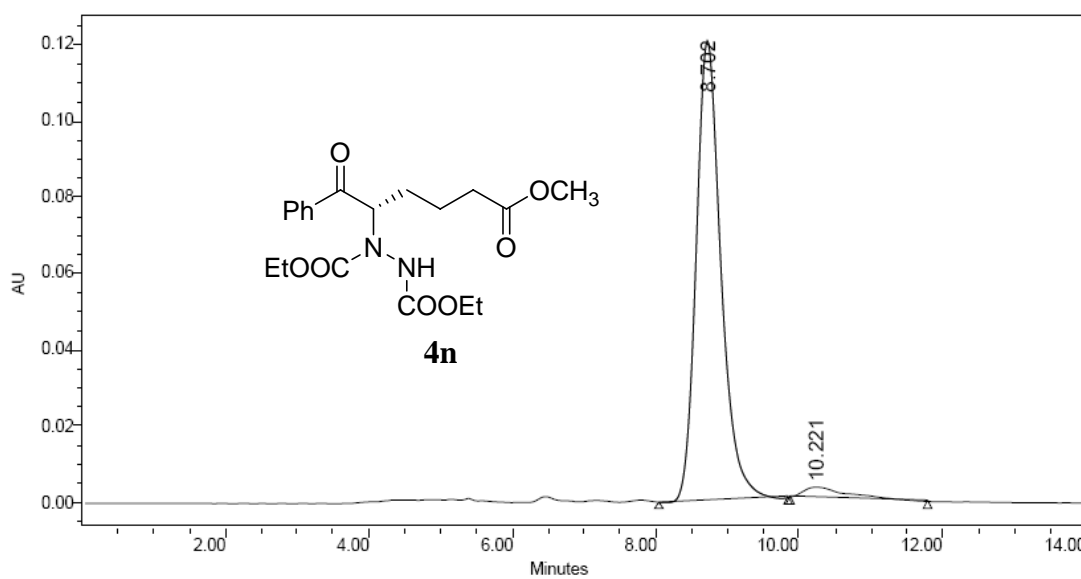
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PL12 17.70 dB
PL13 17.71 dB
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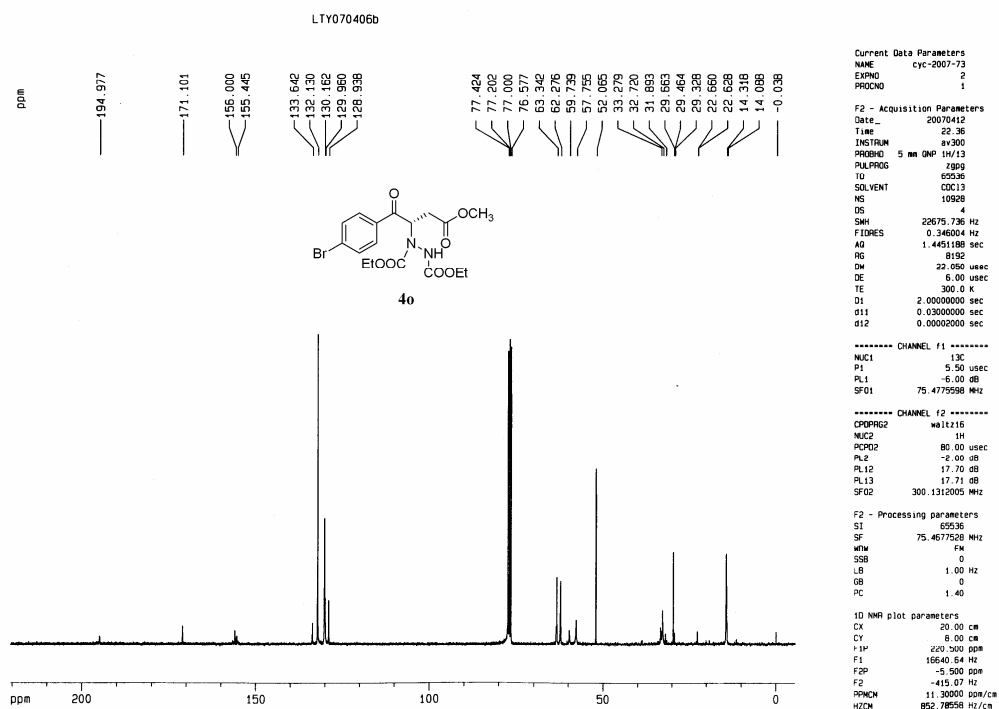
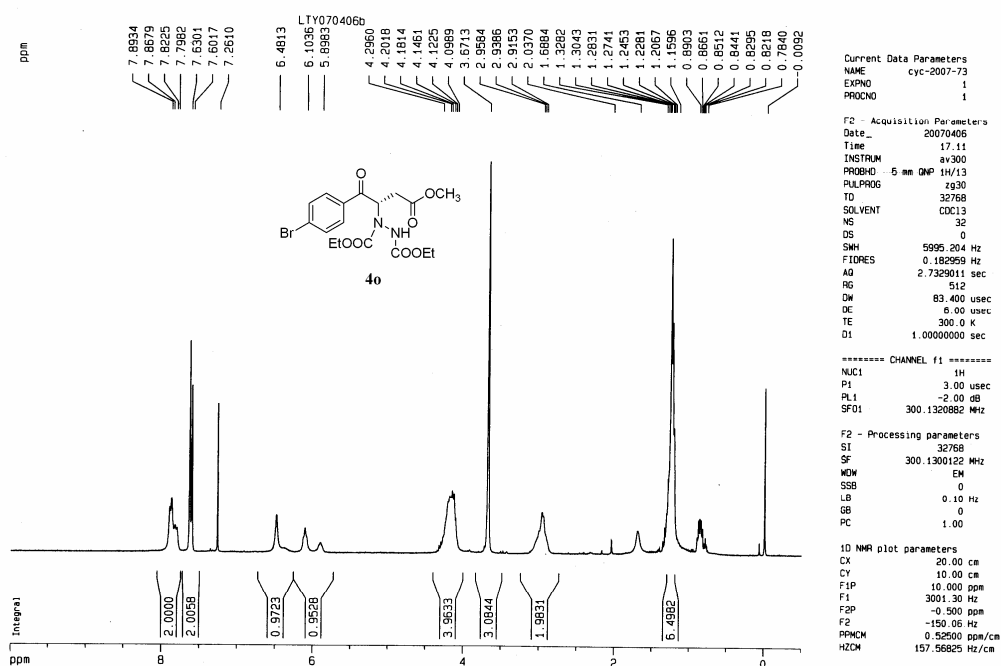
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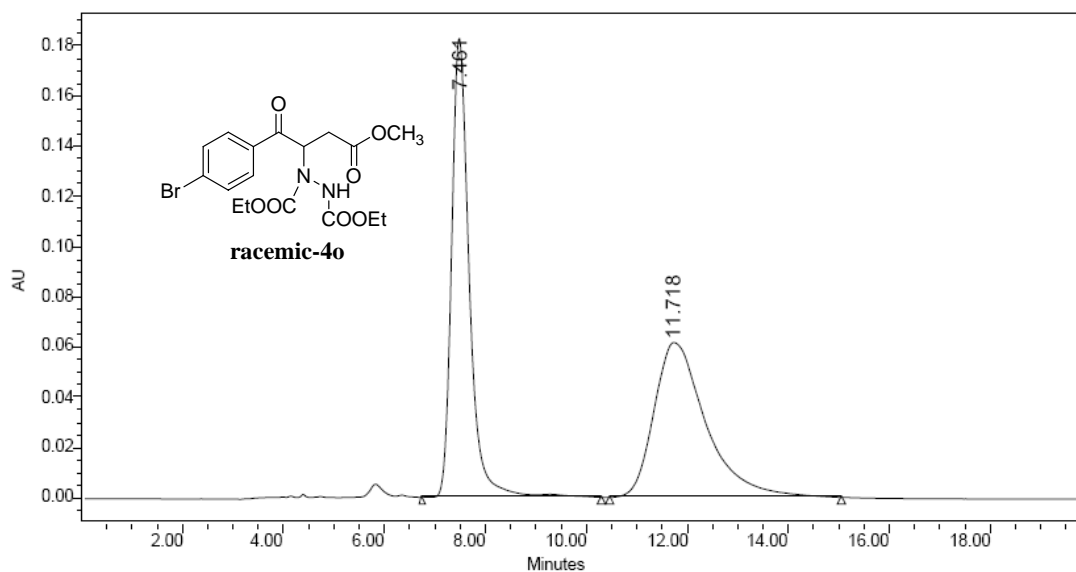


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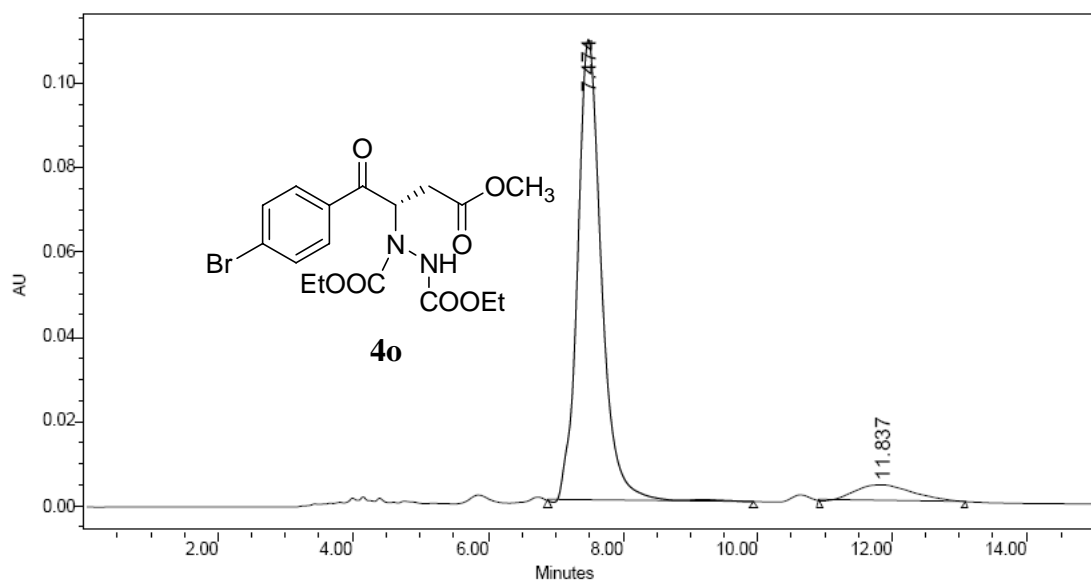


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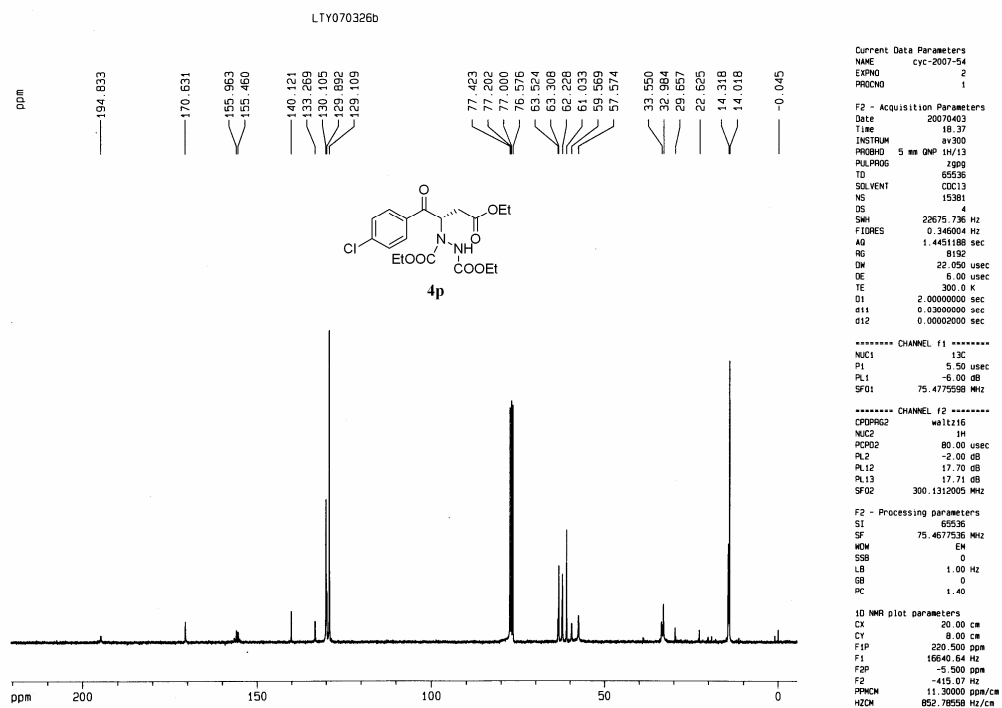
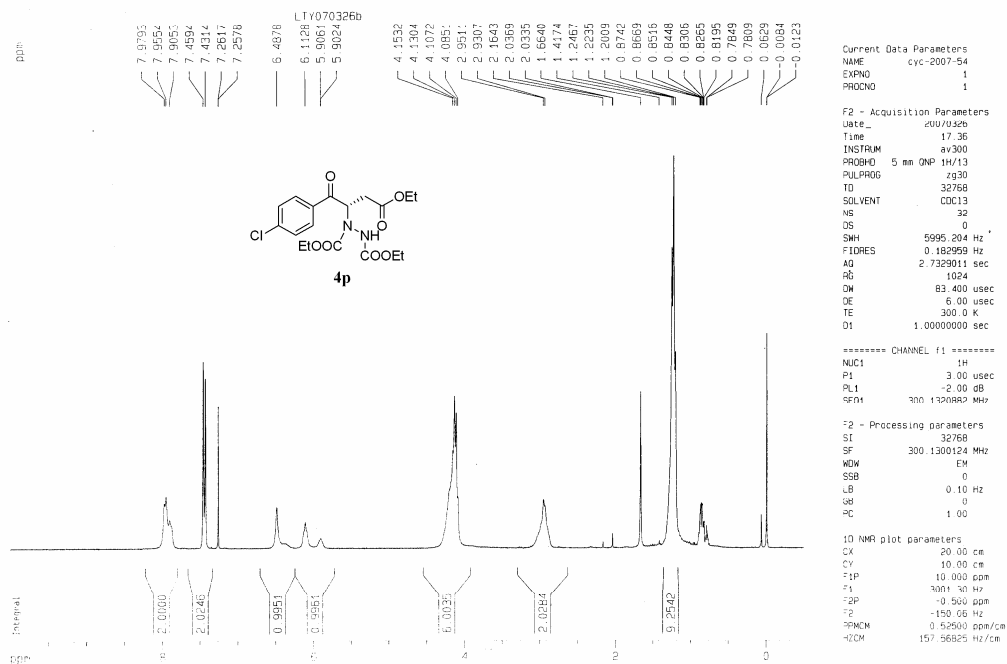


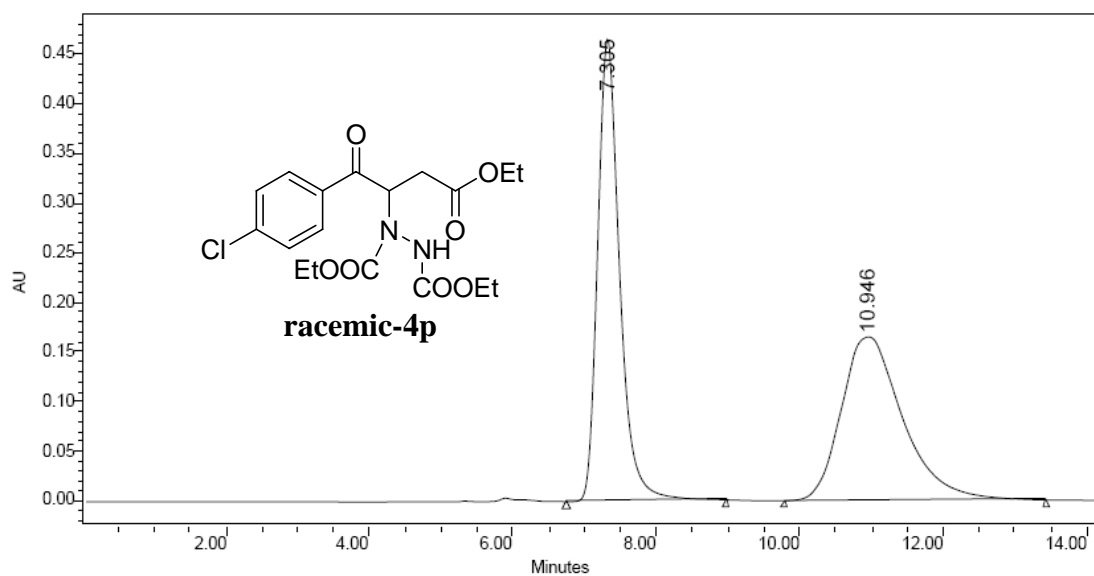


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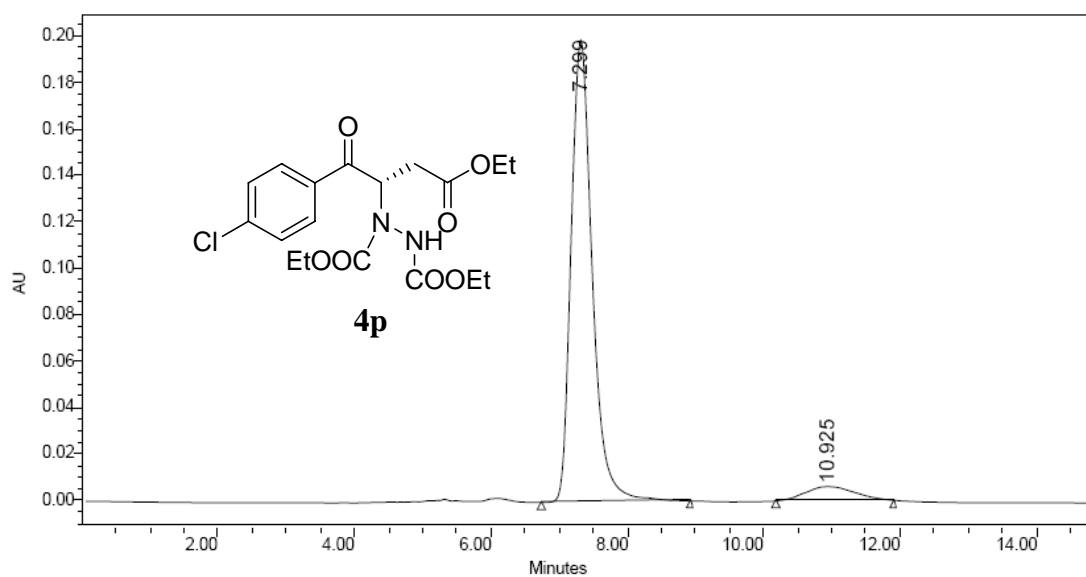


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