Studies Towards the Synthesis of Smenamide A, an Antiproliferative Metabolite from *Smenospongia aurea*. Total synthesis of *ent*-Smenamide A and 16-*epi*-Smenamide A

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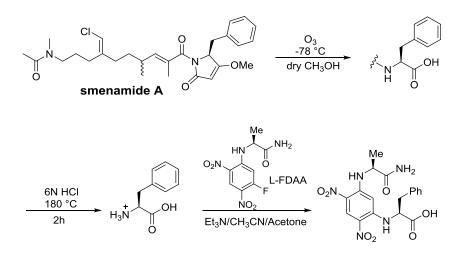


Figure S1. Ozonolysis, hydrolysis and derivatization of smenamide A with L-enantiomer of Marfey's reagent.

A small amount of smenamide A (5 μ g) was suspended in ozone-saturated MeOH (300 μ L) at -78 °C for 5 min (figure S1). The sample was dried under a N₂ stream to remove ozone, then treated with 6N HCl and heated in a sealed glass tube at 180 °C for 2 h. The residual HCl fumes were removed in vacuo. The hydrolysate was dissolved in Et₃N/acetone (2:3, 100 μ L) and the solution was treated with 100 μ L of 1% 1-fluoro-2,4-dinitrophenyl-5-L-alaninamide (L-FDAA) in CH₃CN/acetone (1:2). The vial was heated at 50 °C for 1 h. The mixture was dried, and the resulting L-FDAA-Phe derivative was redissolved in CH₃CN/H2O (5:95, 500 μ L) for LC-MS analysis. An authentic L-Phe standard was treated with 1-FDAA and d-FDAA as described above to give, respectively, the L-FDAA-L-Phe and D-FDAA-L-Phe standards used in the subsequent LC-MS analysis.

Marfey's derivatives were analyzed by LC-HRESIMS. A 5 μ m Kinetex C18 column (50 × 2.10 mm), maintained at 25 °C, was eluted at 200 μ L min⁻¹ with H₂O and CH₃CN, using a gradient elution. The gradient program was as follows: 5% CH₃CN 3 min, 5-60% CH₃CN over 20 min, 90% CH₃CN 5 min. Mass spectra were acquired in positive ion detection mode and the data were analyzed using the suite of programs Xcalibur. The retention times of L-FDAA-L-Phe and D-FDAA-L-Phe standards were determined as 17.32

min and 18.60 min, respectively, on the basis of the extracted-ion chromatograms at m/z 418.1357. The retention time, measured in the same way for the L-FDAA-Phe sample obtained from smenamide A, was 17.36 min, and was indicative of the L configuration of Phe residue in smenamide A (figure S2).

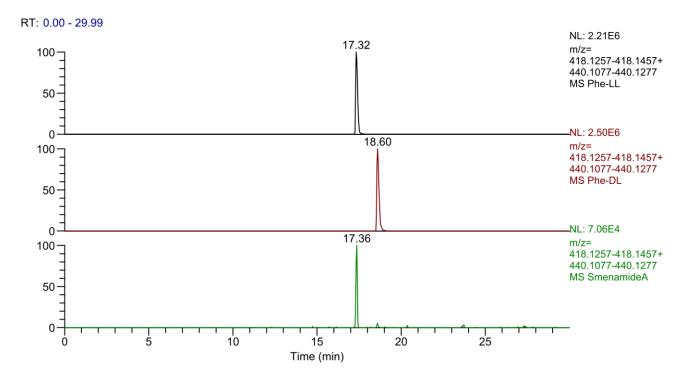


Figure S2. HR-ESI-MS-HPLC analysis of Marfey's derivative from smenamide A. Extracted-ion chromatograms at m/z 418.1357 of authentic 1-fluoro-2,4-dinitrophenyl-5-alanine amide L-phenilalanine (L-FDAA-L-Phe), authentic D-FDAA-L-Phe and L-FDAA-Phe from smenamide A.

		smenamide A						ent-smenamide A			
		Z-Conformer		E-Conformer				Z-Conformer		E-Conformer	
Position		$\delta_{\rm H}$ [Mult., J (Hz)]	δc [Mult.]	$\delta_{\rm H}$ [Mult., J (Hz)]	δc [Mult.]	Position		$\delta_{\rm H}$ [Mult., J (Hz)]	δc [Mult.]	δ _H [Mult., <i>J</i> (Hz)]	δc [Mult.]
1		_	135.6 (C)	_	135.6 (C)	1		-	135.7 (C)	_	135.7 (C)
2/6		6.99 (m)	130.8 (CH)	6.99 (m)	130.8 (CH)	2/6		6.90 (m)	130.9 (CH)	6.90 (m)	130.9 (CH)
3/5		7.23 (ovl)	129.4 (CH)	7.23 (ovl)	129.4 (CH)	3/5		7.23 (ovl)	129.3 (CH)	7.23 (ovl)	129.3 (CH)
4		7.23 (ovl)	128.3 (CH)	7.23 (ovl)	128.3 (CH)	4		7.23 (ovl)	128.2 (CH)	7.23 (ovl)	128.2 (CH)
7	а	3.37 (ovl)	34.8 (CH ₂)	3.37 (ovl)	34.8 (CH ₂)	7	а	3.36 (ovl)	34.7 (CH ₂)	3.36 (ovl)	34.7 (CH ₂)
	b	3.19 (m)		3.19 (m)			b	3.20 (m)		3.20 (m)	
8		5.02 (ovl)	60.5 (CH)	5.02 (ovl)	60.5 (CH)	8		5.02 (ovl)	60.5 (CH)	5.02 (ovl)	60.5 (CH)
9		-	179.5 (C)	_	179.5 (C)	9		-	179.8 (C)	_	179.8 (C)
10		5.04 (br. s)	95.5 (CH)	5.02 (br. s)	95.5 (CH)	10		5.04 (br. s)	95.5 (CH)	5.02 (br. s)	95.5 (CH)
11		_	170.7 (C)	-	170.7 (C)	11		-	171.1 (C)	_	171.1 (C)
12		_	172.3 (C)	-	172.2 (C)	12		-	172.7 (C)	_	172.7 (C)
13		_	132.1 (C)	-	132.1 (C)	13		-	132.1 (C)	_	132.1 (C)
14		1.77 (d, 1.5)	13.7 (CH ₃)	1.78 (d, 1.5)	13.7 (CH ₃)	14		1.77 (d, 1.4)	13.7 (CH ₃)	1.78 (d, 1.4)	13.7 (CH ₃)
15		5.36 (br. d, 10.2)	144.1 (CH)	5.36 (br. d, 10.2)	144.1 (CH)	15		5.36 (br. d, 10.1)	144.1 (CH)	5.36 (br. d, 10.1)	144.1 (CH)
16		2.45 (m)	33.4 (CH)	2.48 (m)	33.4 (CH)	16		2.45 (m)	33.4 (CH)	2.48 (m)	33.5 (CH)
17		0.98 (d, 6.5)	20.4 (CH ₃)	1.00 (d, 6.5)	20.6 (CH ₃)	17		0.98 (d, 6.5)	20.6 (CH ₃)	1.00 (d, 6.5)	20.7 (CH ₃)
18	а	1.51 (ovl)	36.1 (CH ₂)	1.52 (ovl)	35.9 (CH ₂)	18	а	1.51 (ovl)	36.4 (CH ₂)	1.51 (ovl)	36.2 (CH ₂)
	b	1.28 (ovl)		1.30 (ovl)			b	1.29 (ovl)		1.29 (ovl)	
19	а	2.19 (ovl)	33.2 (CH ₂)	2.23 (ovl)	33.2 (CH ₂)	19	а	2.19 (ovl)	33.2 (CH ₂)	2.23 (ovl)	33.3 (CH ₂)
	b	2.06 (ovl)		2.05 (ovl)			b	2.05 (ovl)		2.05 (ovl)	
20		-	143.1 (C)	-	142.8 (C)	20		-	143.4 (C)	_	143.2 (C)
21		5.93 (br. s)	113.9 (CH)	5.97 (br. s)	114.1 (CH)	21		5.92 (br. s)	113.9 (CH)	5.96 (br. s)	114.1 (CH)
22	а	2.22 (m)	28.1 (CH ₂)	2.26 (m)	28.0 (CH ₂)	22	а	2.22 (m)	28.1 (CH ₂)	2.26 (m)	27.9 (CH ₂)
	b	2.15 (m)		2.18 (m)			b	2.15 (m)		2.18 (m)	
23		1.64 (m)	25.9 (CH ₂)	1.70 (m)	26.6 (CH ₂)	23		1.65 (m)	25.7 (CH ₂)	1.70 (m)	26.6 (CH ₂)
24		3.36 (ovl)	48.6 (CH ₂)	3.33 (ovl)	51.5 (CH ₂)	24		3.36 (ovl)	48.4 (CH ₂)	3.34 (ovl)	51.6 (CH ₂)
25		-	172.9 (C)	_	172.7 (C)	25		-	172.7 (C)	_	172.7 (C)
26		2.08 (s)	21.7 (CH ₃)	2.07 (s)	21.1 (CH ₃)	26		2.08 (s)	21.7 (CH ₃)	2.07 (s)	21.0 (CH ₃)
27		3.03 (s)	36.6 (CH ₃)	2.88 (s)	33.7 (CH ₃)	27		3.03 (s)	36.6 (CH ₃)	2.88 (s)	33.7 (CH ₃)
OMe		3.97 (s)	59.7 (CH ₃)	3.97 (s)	59.7 (CH ₃)	OMe		3.95 (s)	59.6 (CH ₃)	3.95 (s)	59.6 (CH ₃)

Table S1. NMR data of natural smenamide A (1) and *ent*-smenamide A (29) (700 MHz, CD₃OD).

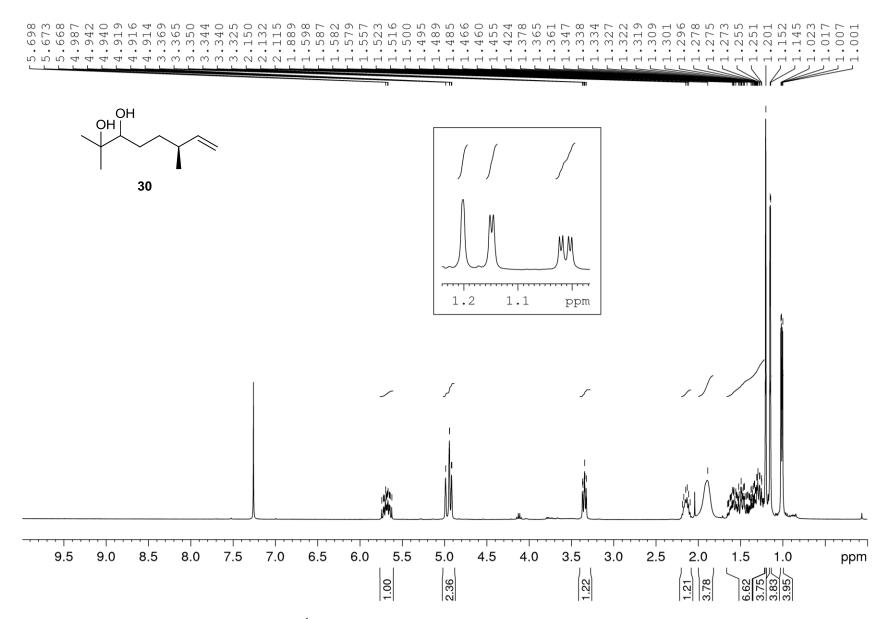


Figure S3. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **30** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

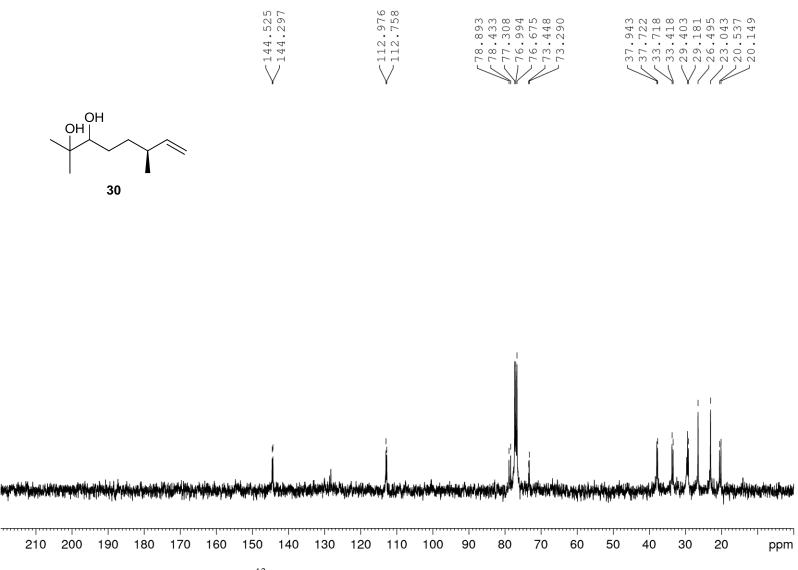


Figure S4. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 30 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

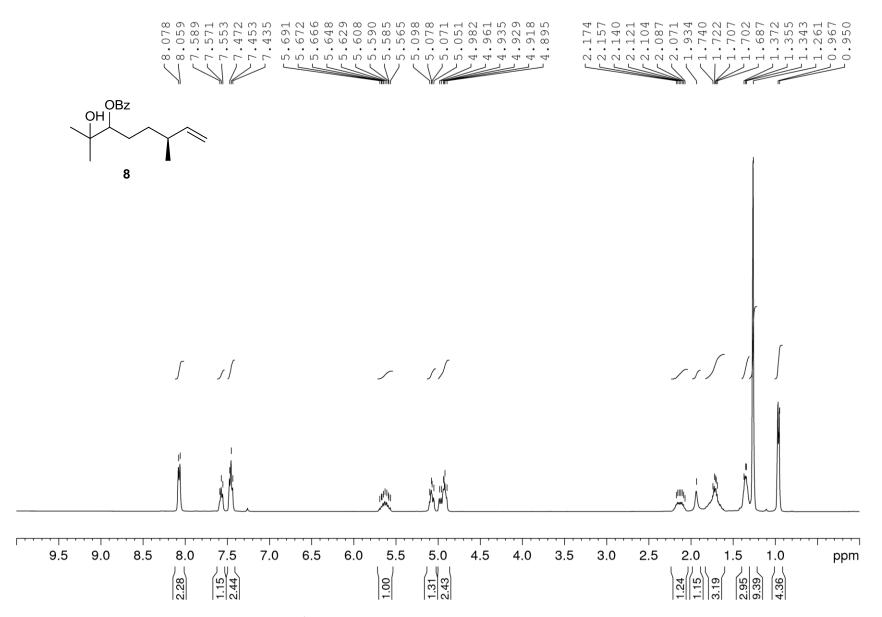


Figure S5. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 8 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

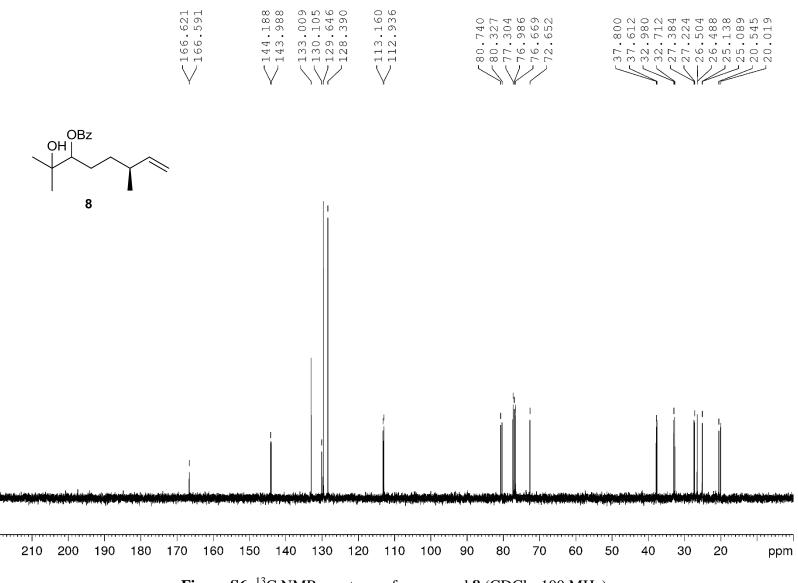
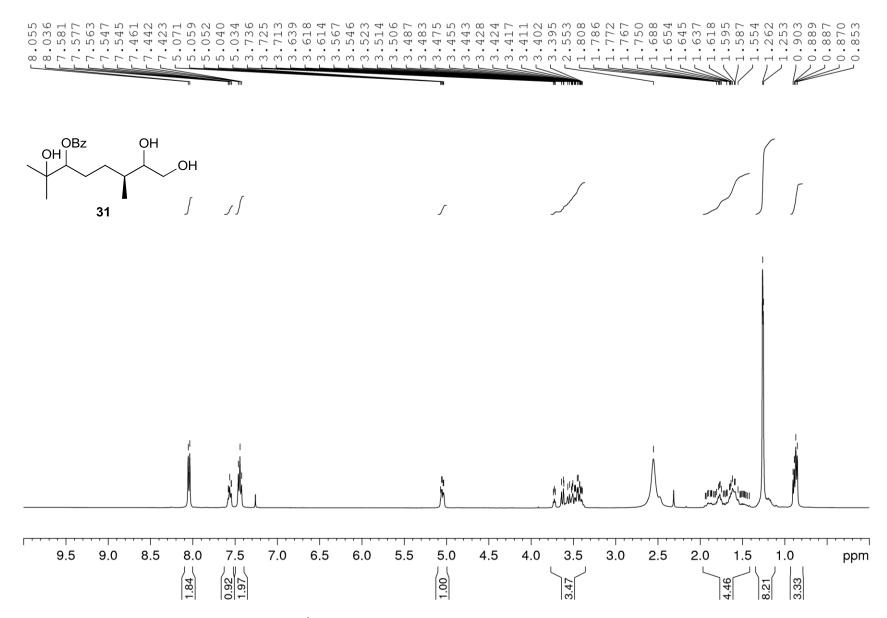
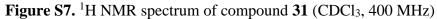


Figure S6. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 8 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)





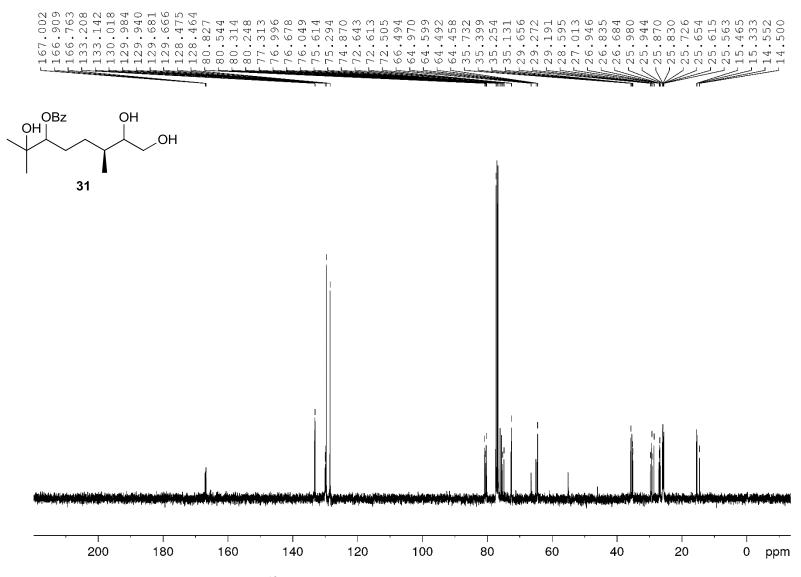


Figure S8. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 31 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

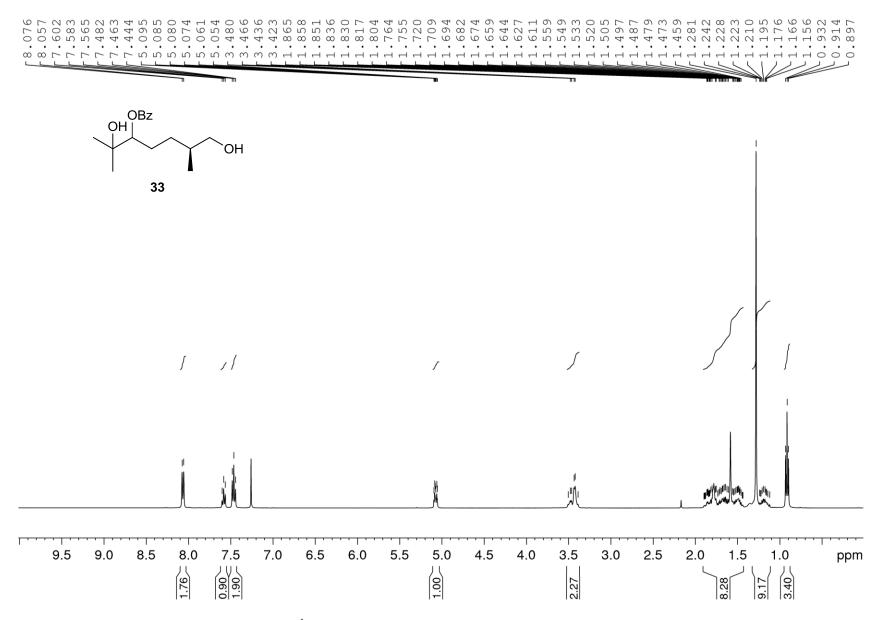
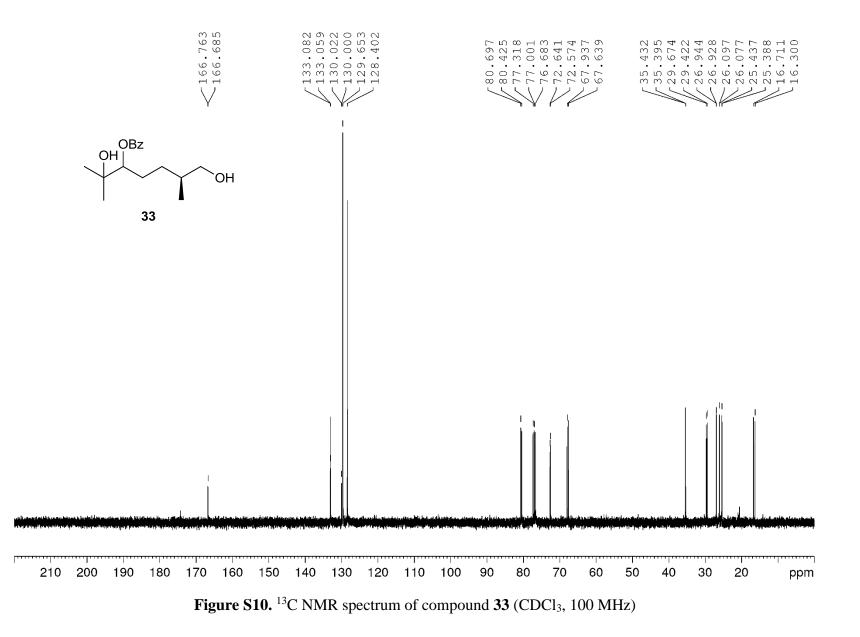


Figure S9. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **33** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



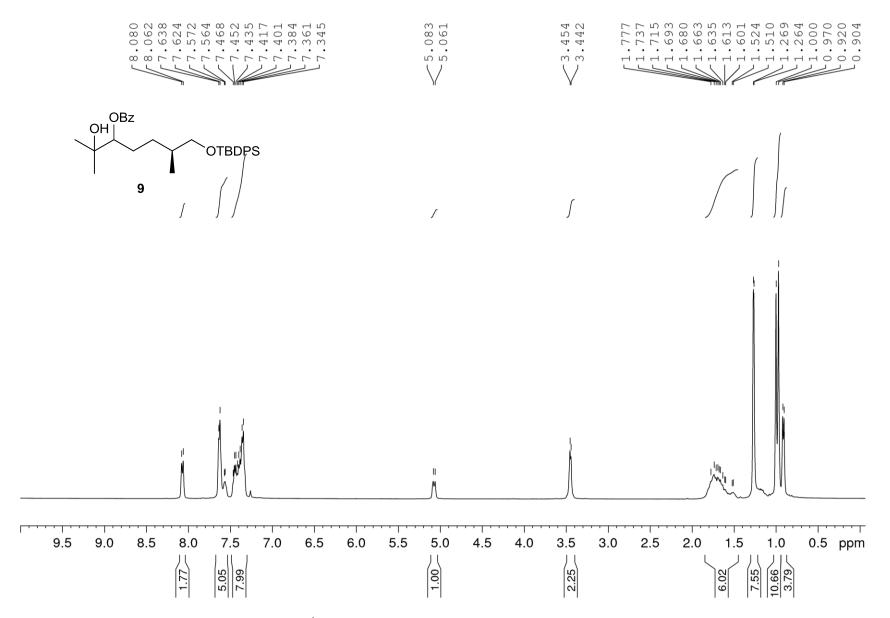
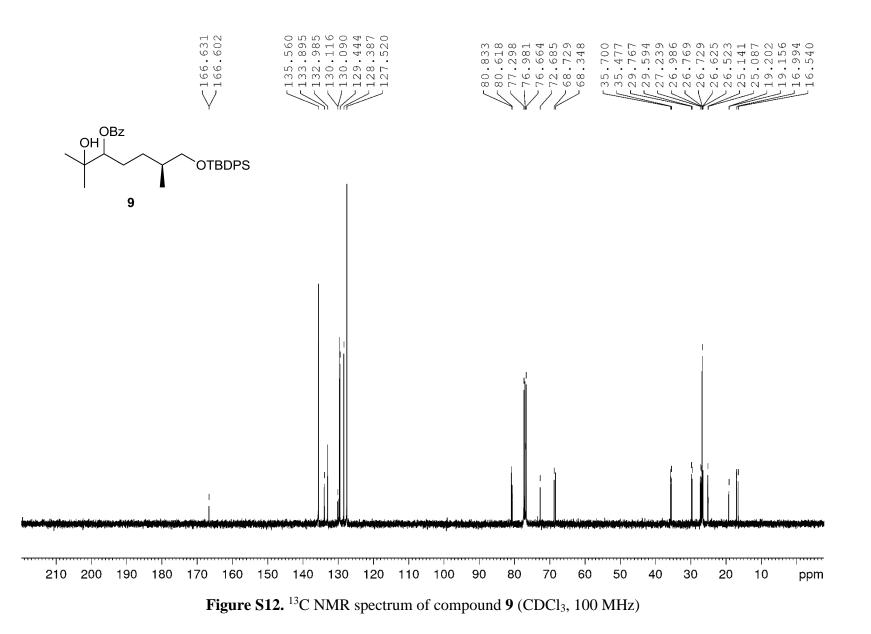


Figure S11. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 9 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



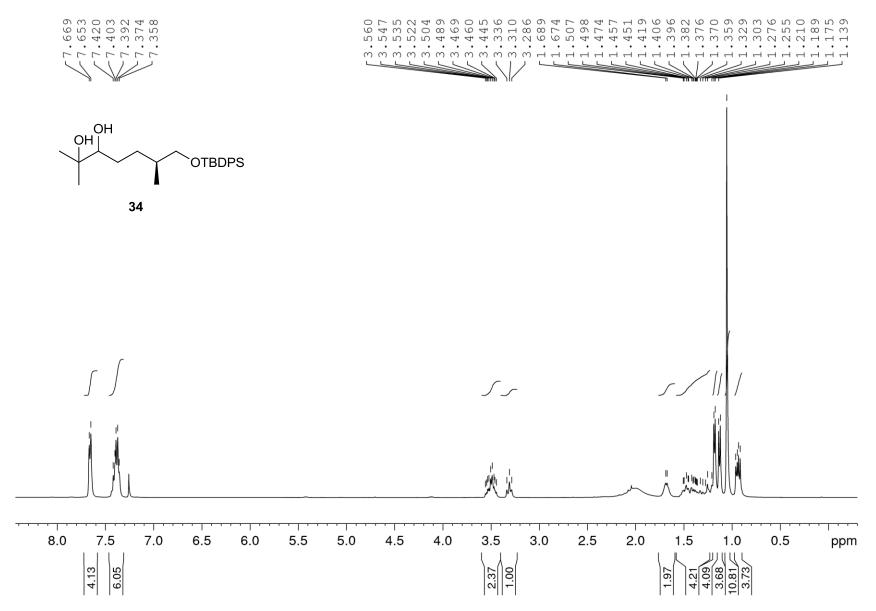


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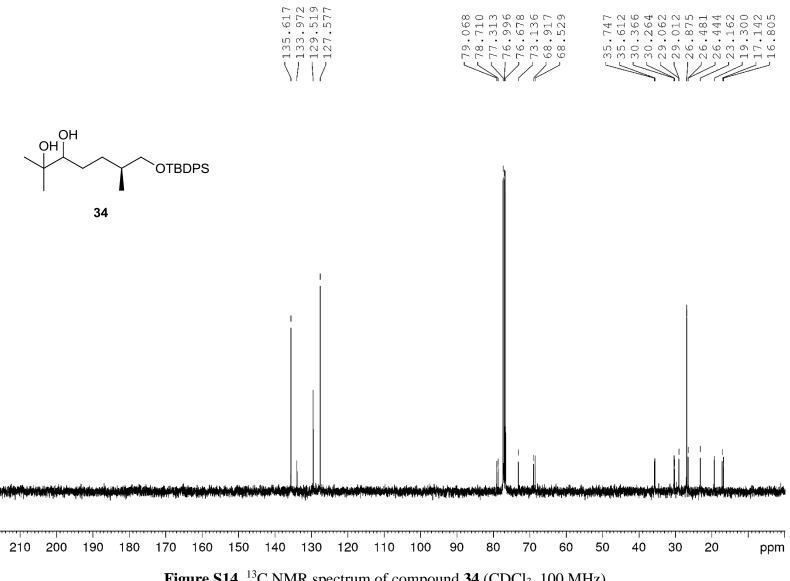


Figure S14. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 34 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

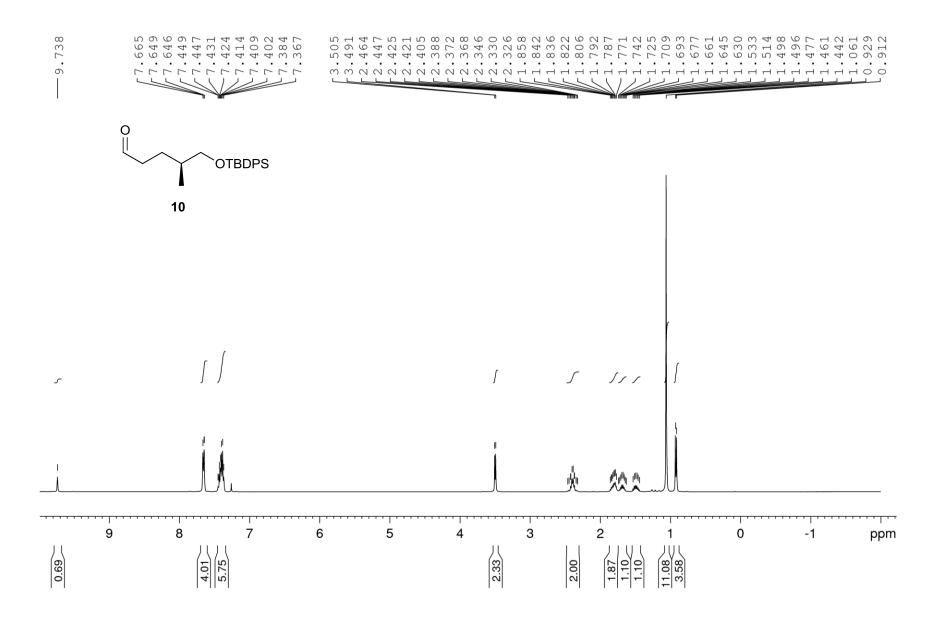


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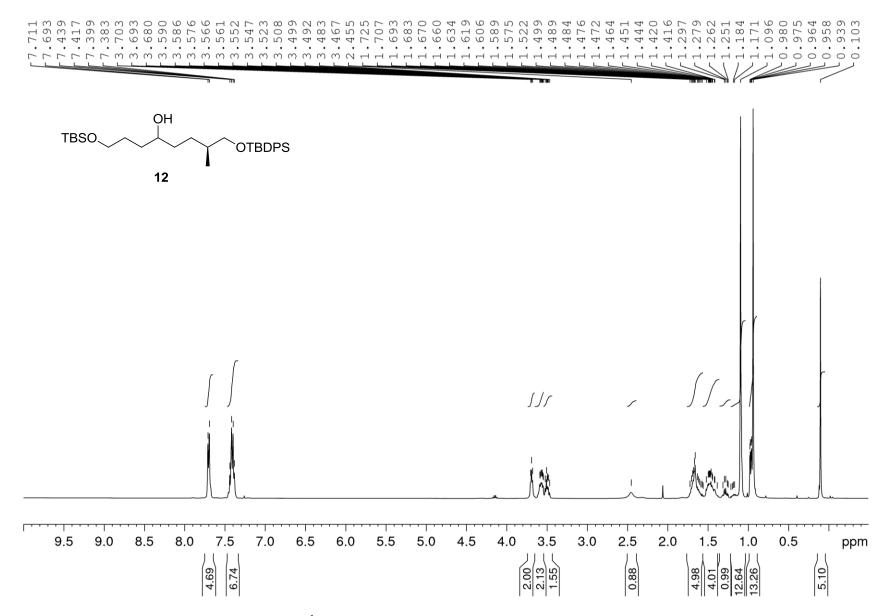


Figure S16. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 12 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

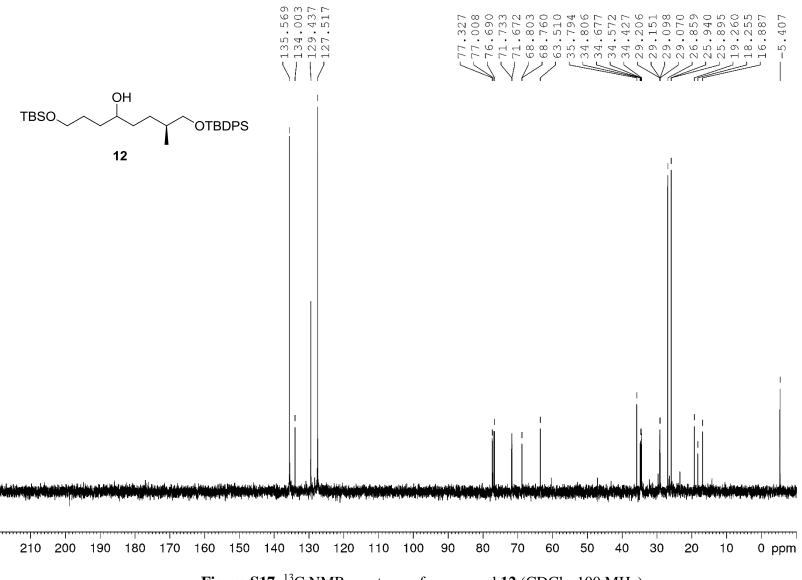


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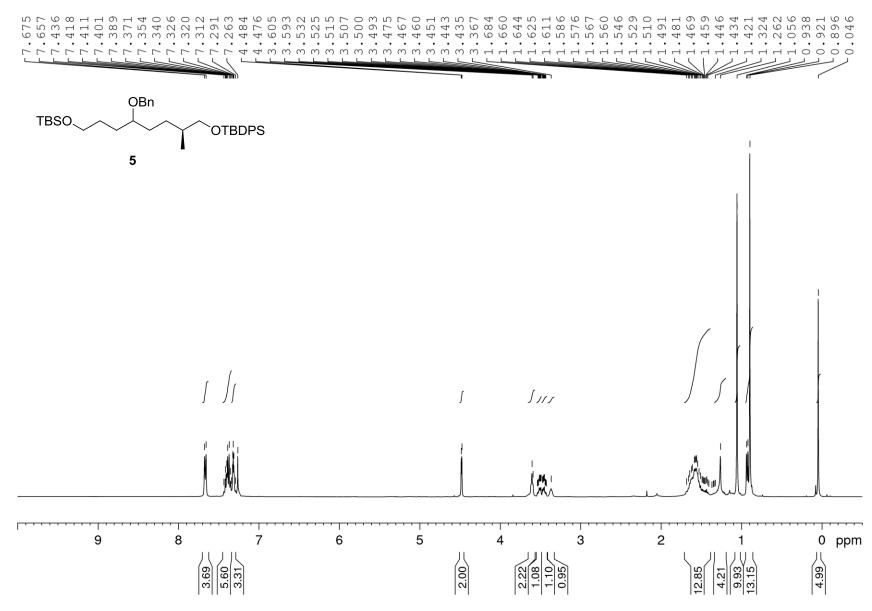
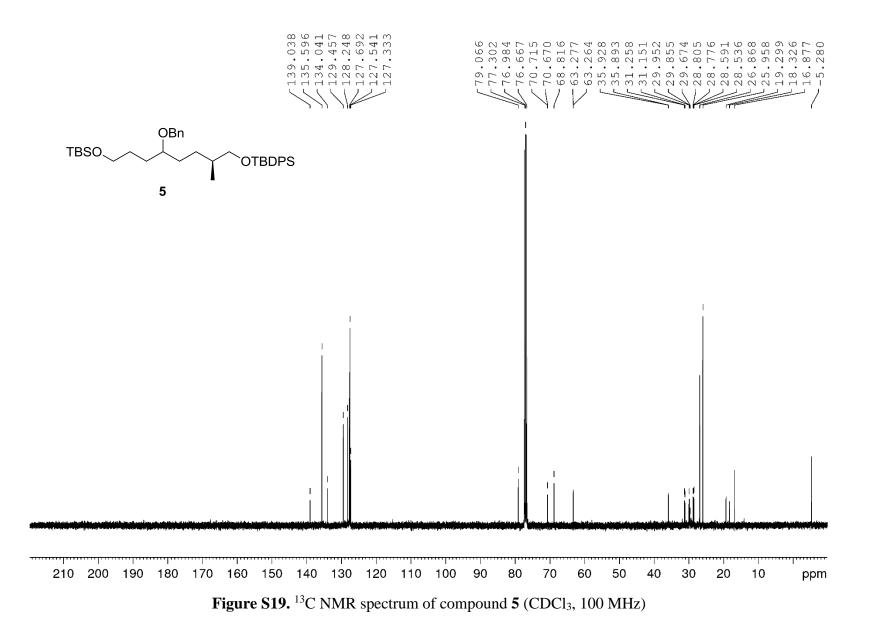


Figure S18. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 5 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



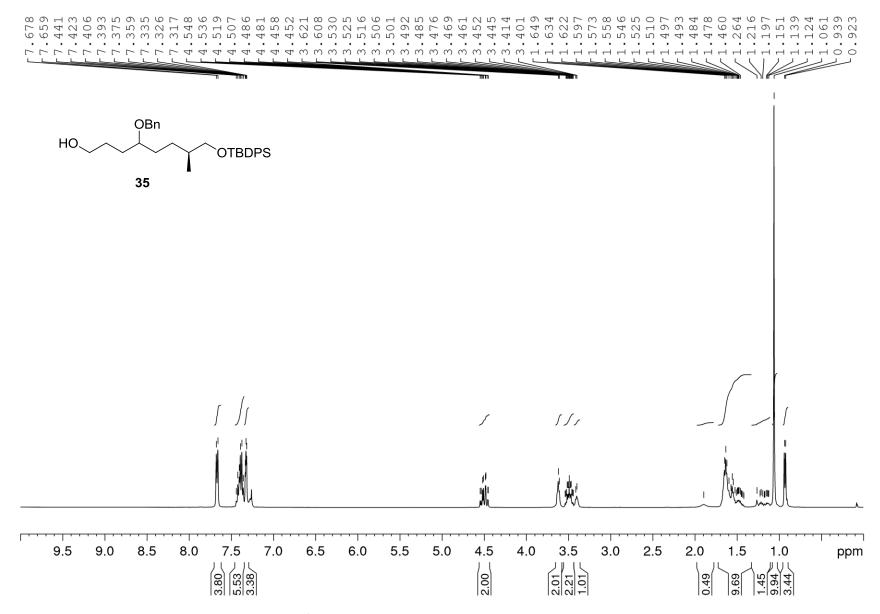
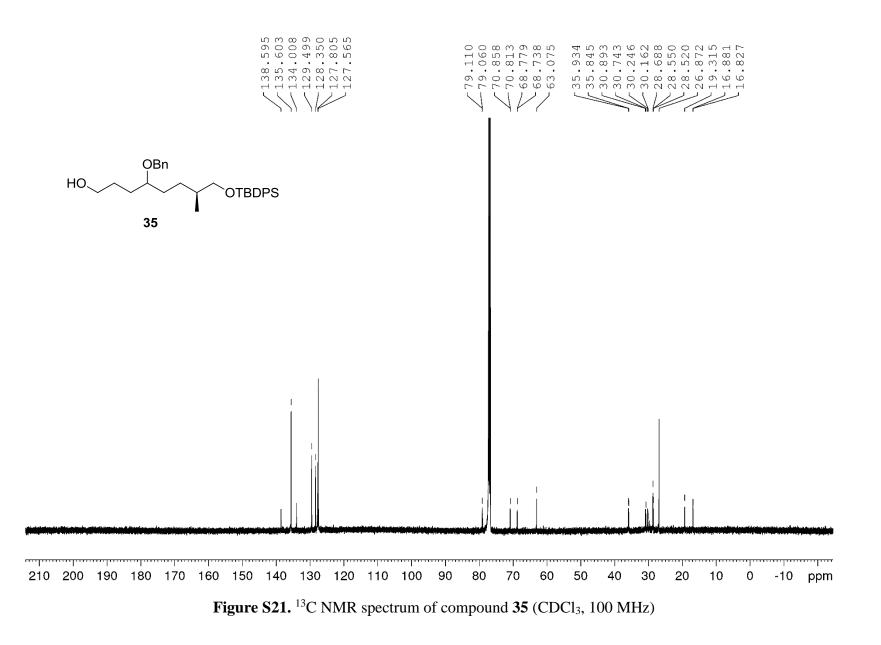


Figure S20. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 35 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



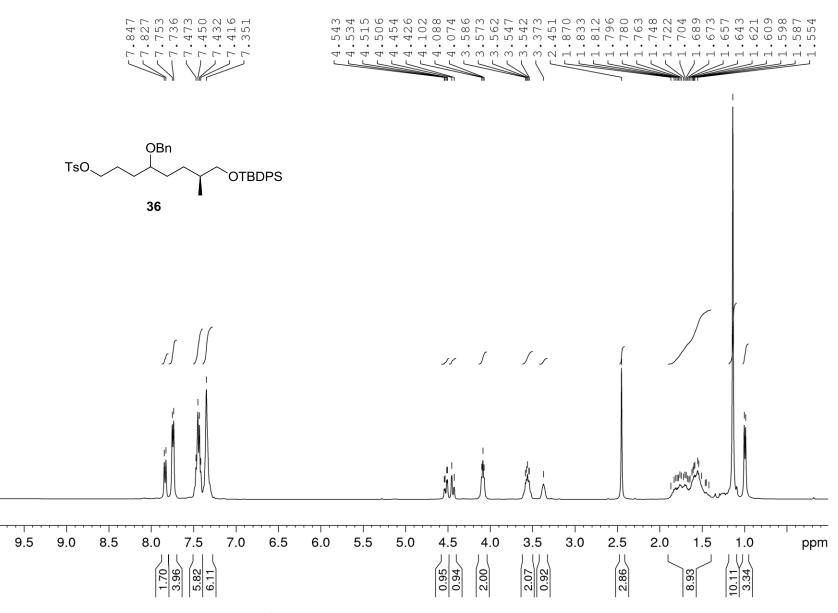
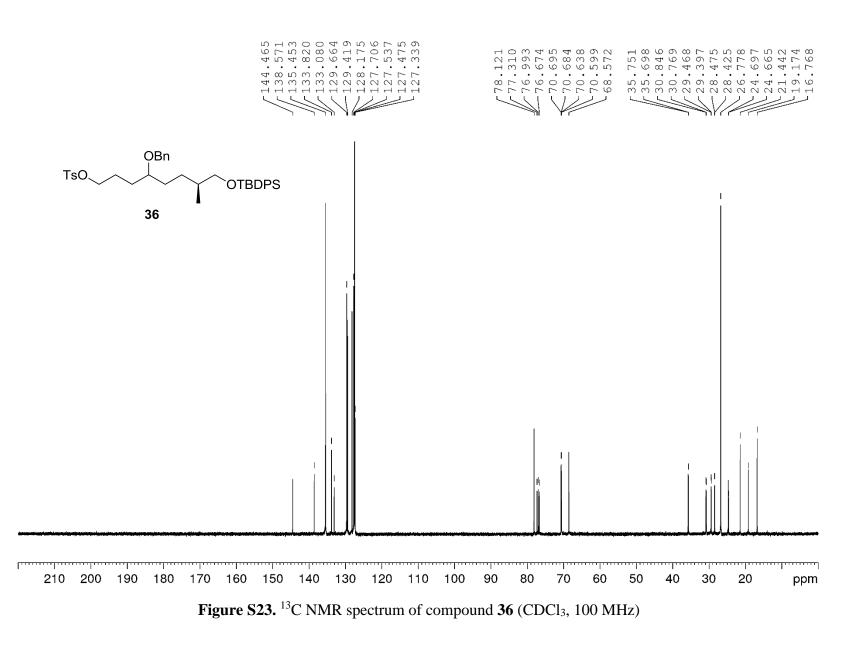


Figure S22. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 36 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



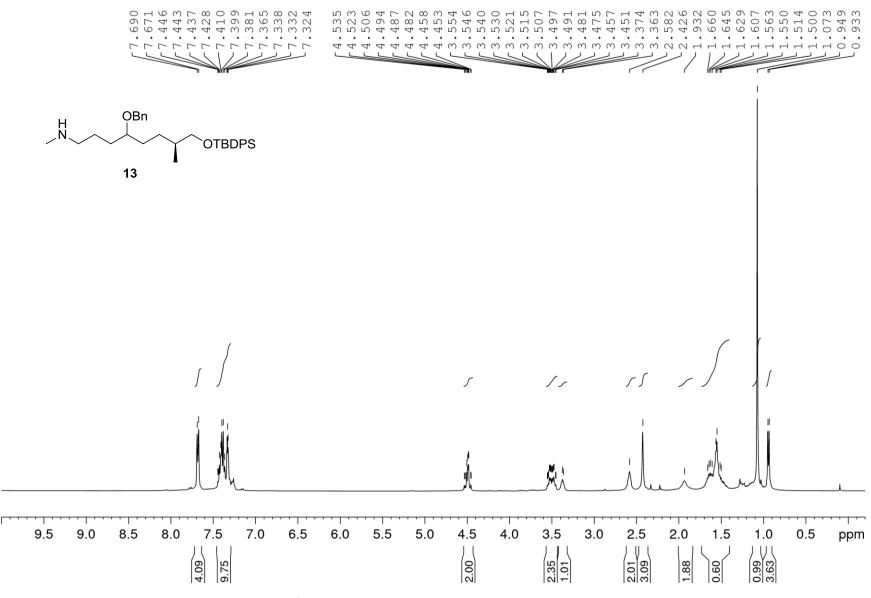
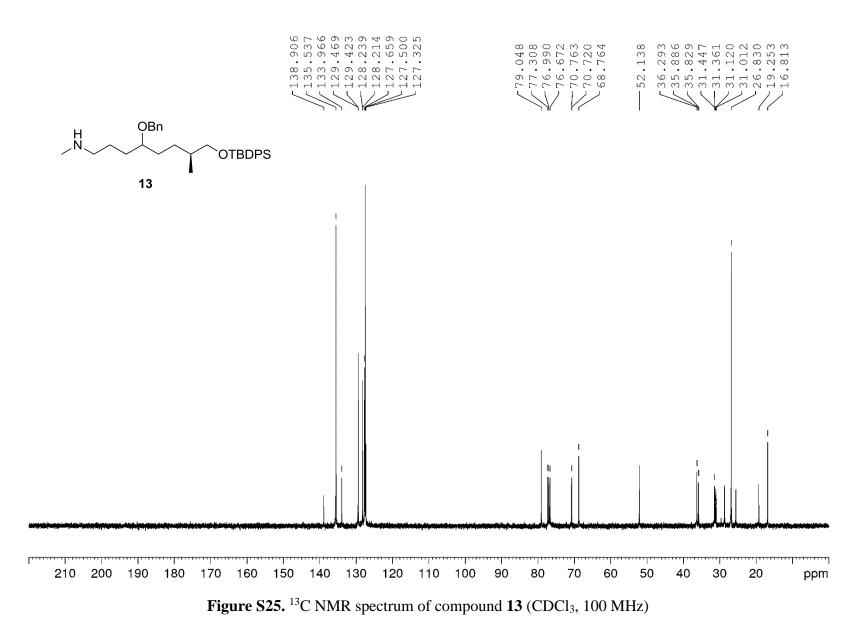


Figure S24. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 13 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)



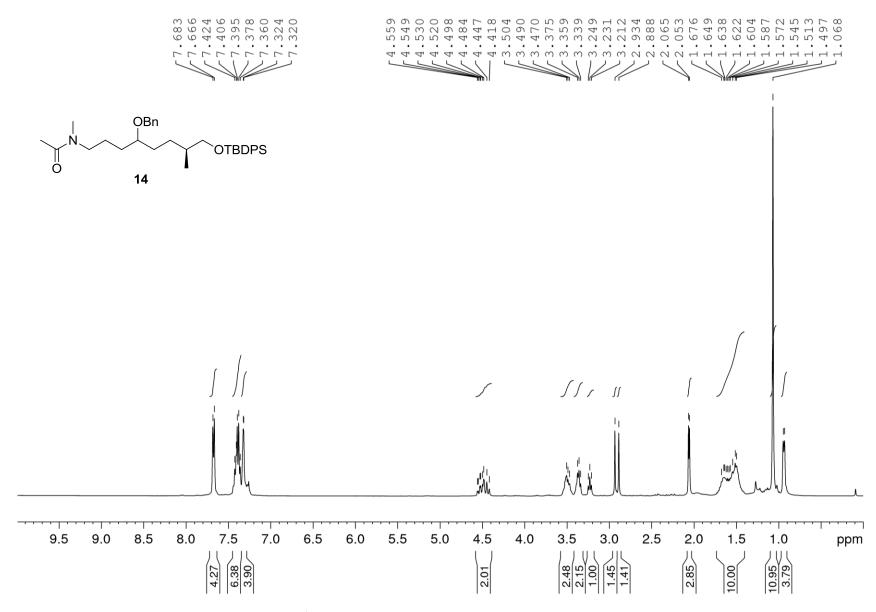


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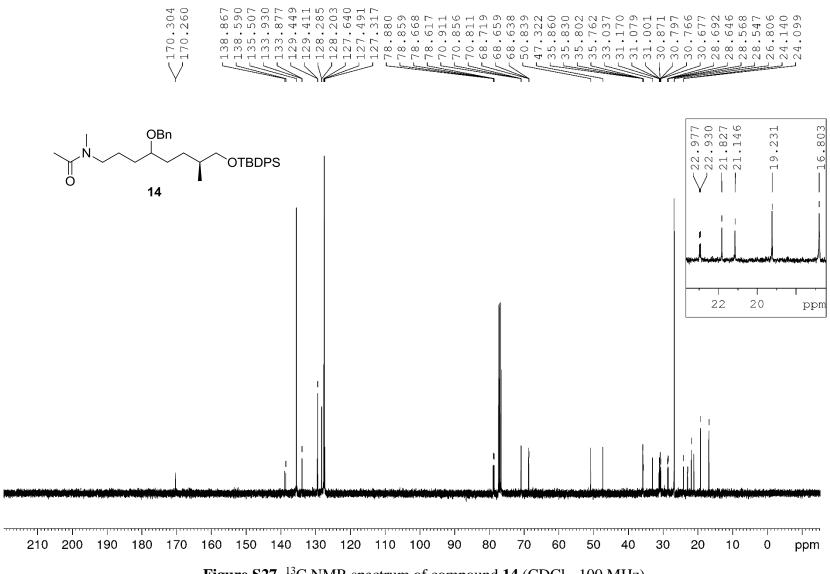


Figure S27. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 14 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

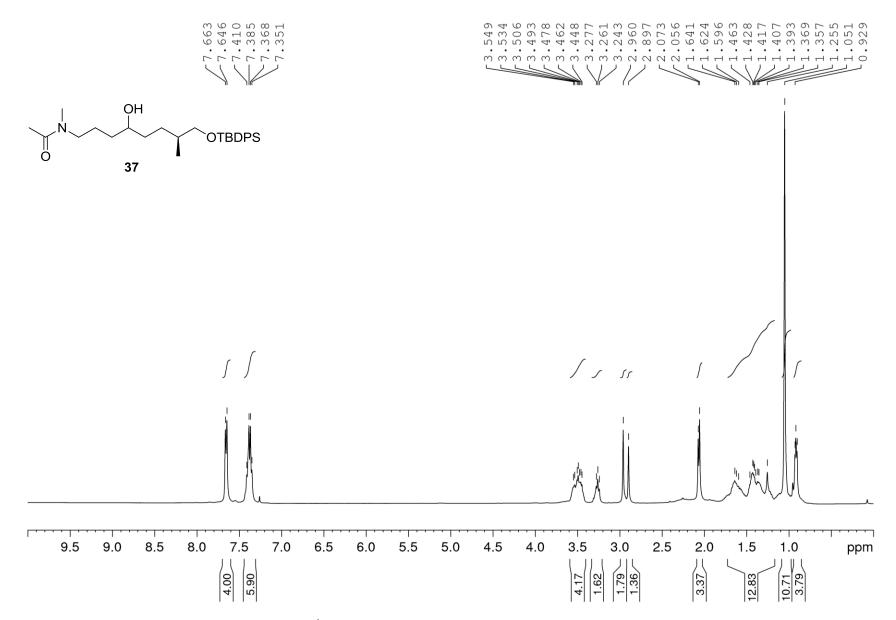


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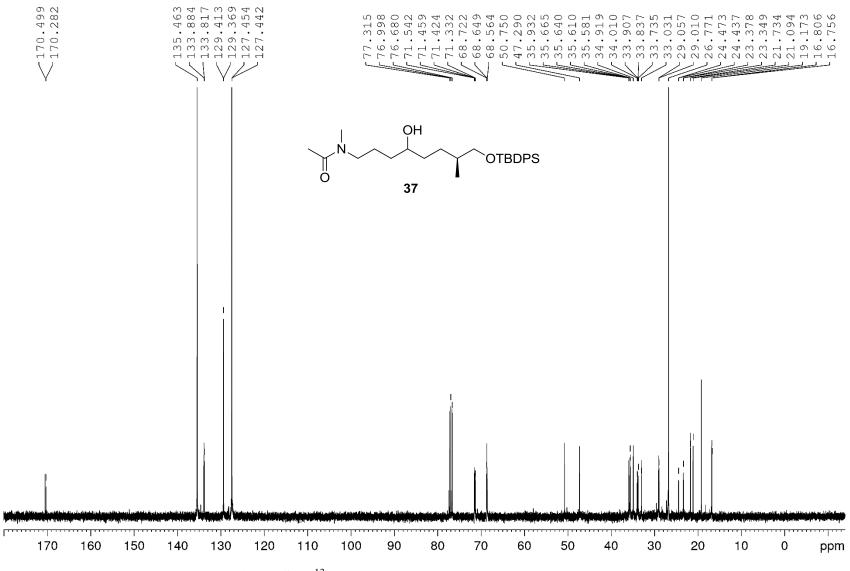


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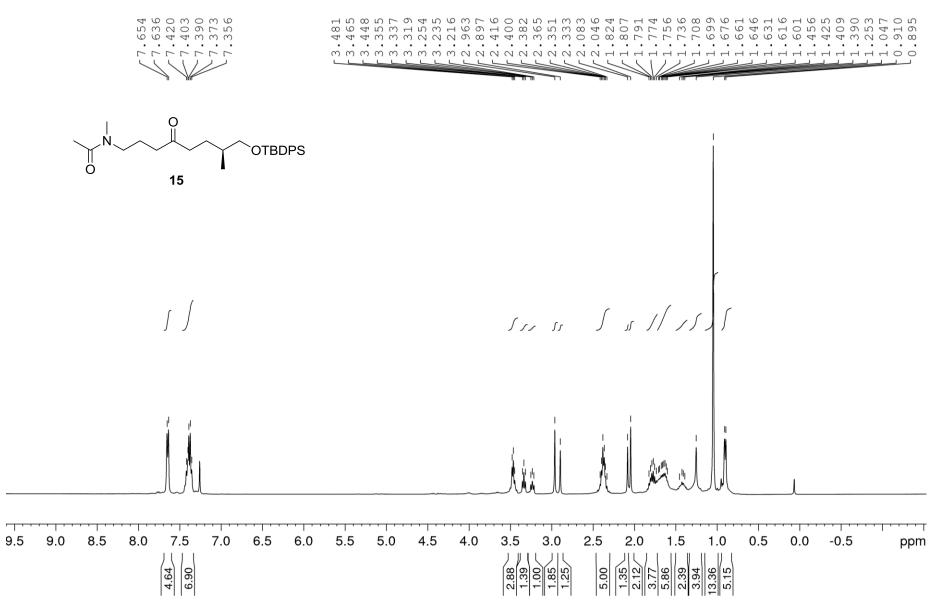


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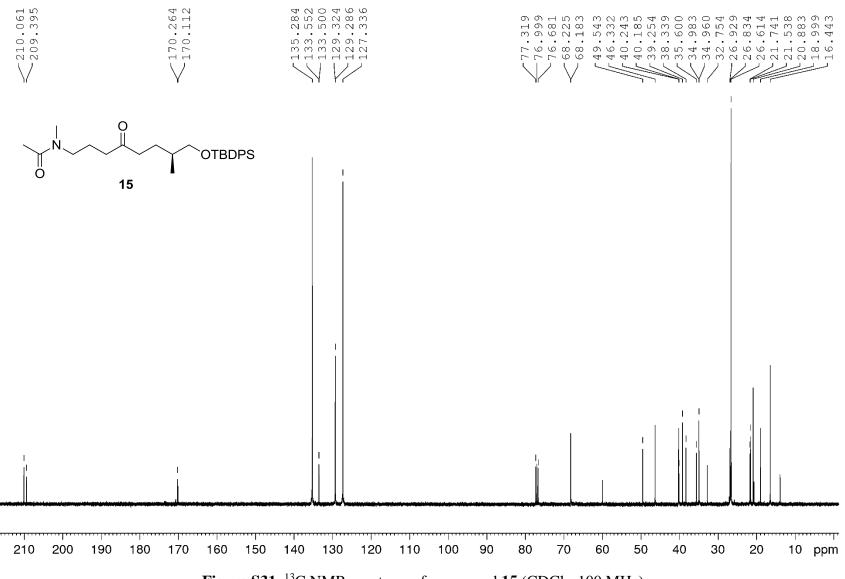


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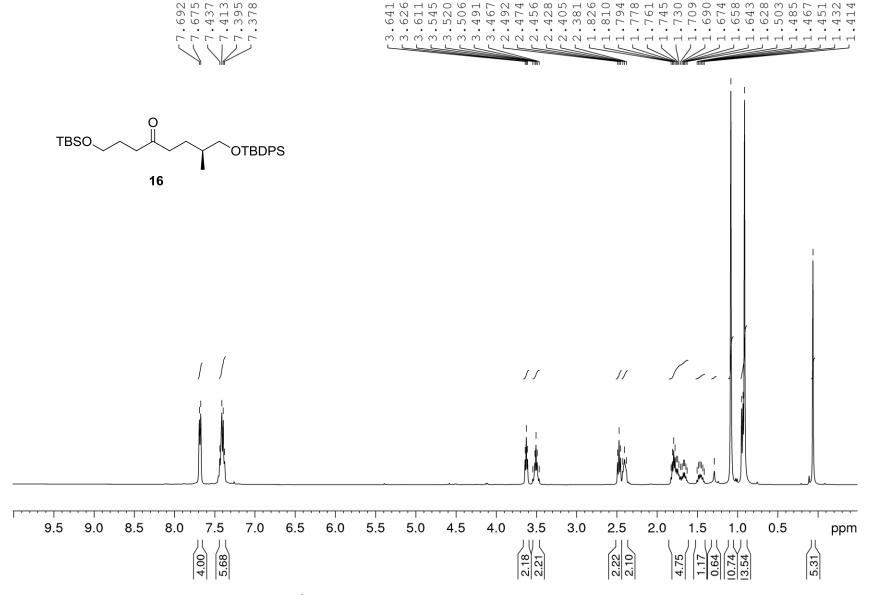
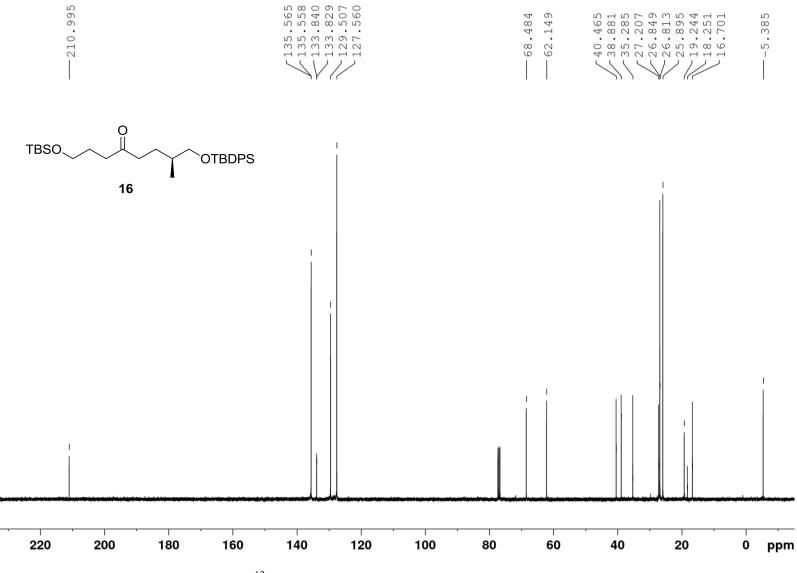
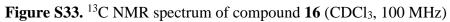


Figure S32. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 16 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)





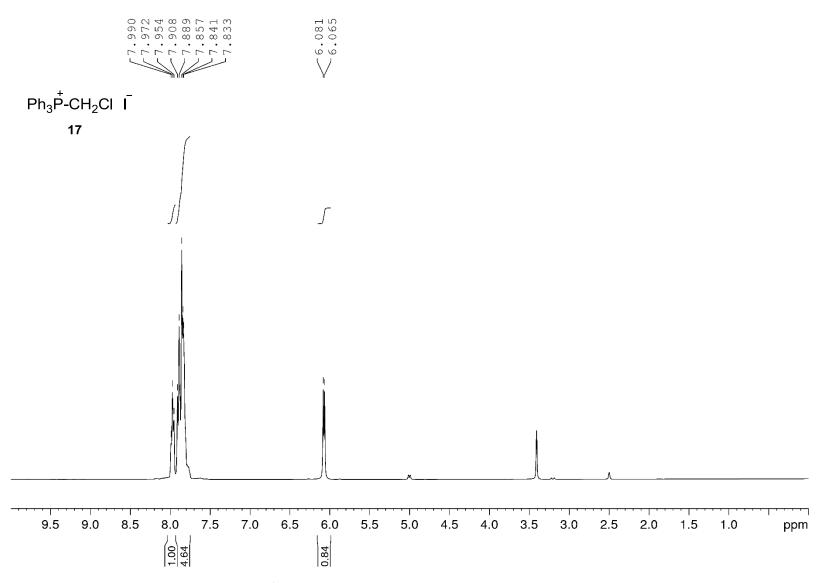


Figure S34. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 17 (DMSO, 400 MHz)

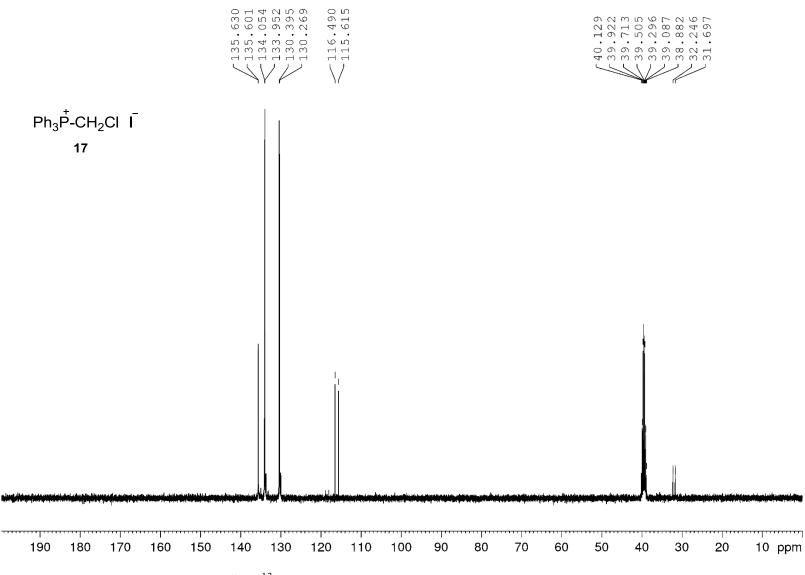


Figure S35. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 17 (DMSO, 100 MHz)

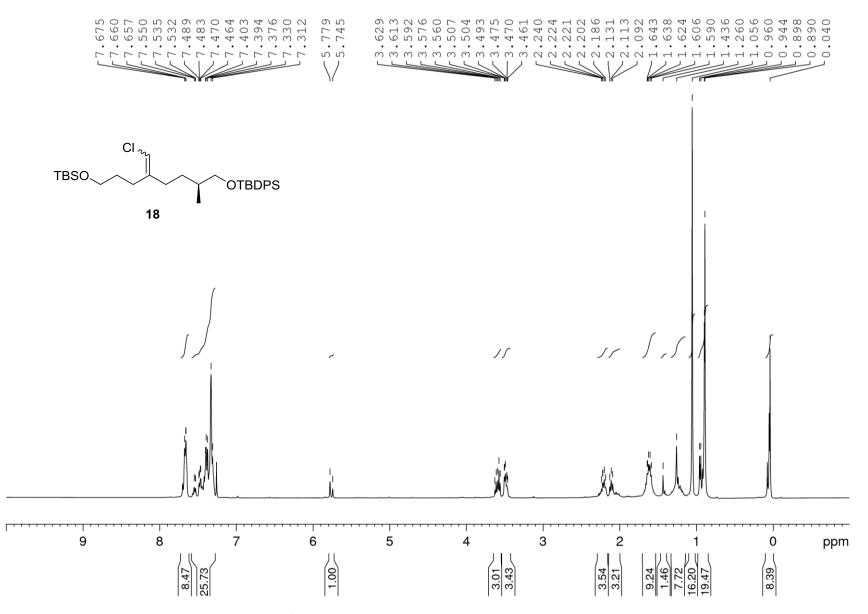


Figure S36. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 18 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

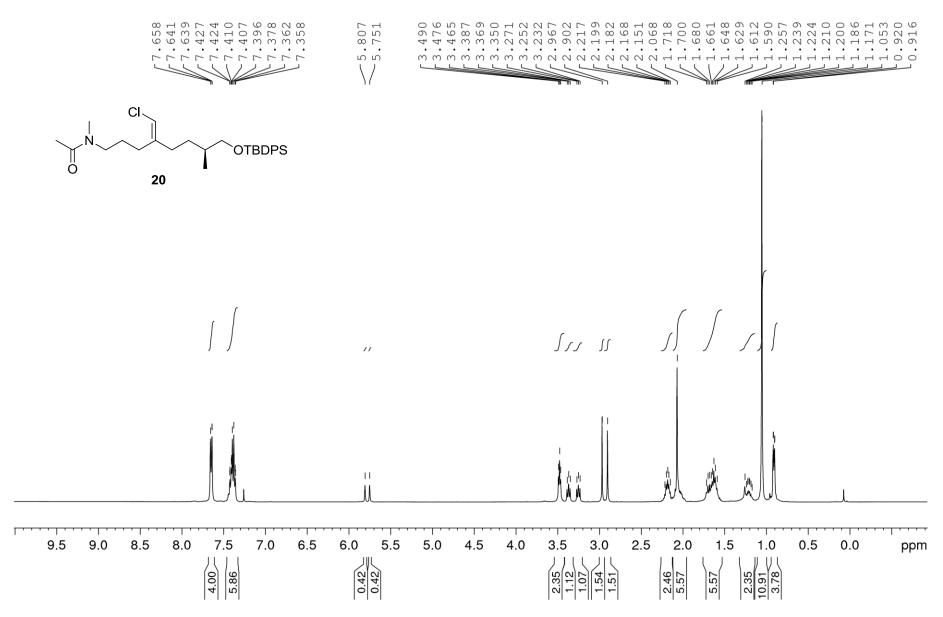


Figure S37. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 20 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

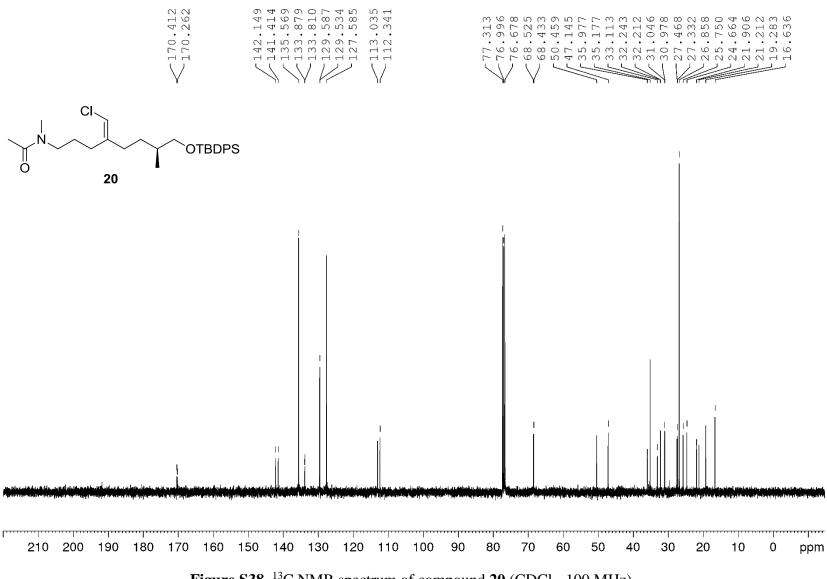


Figure S38. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 20 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

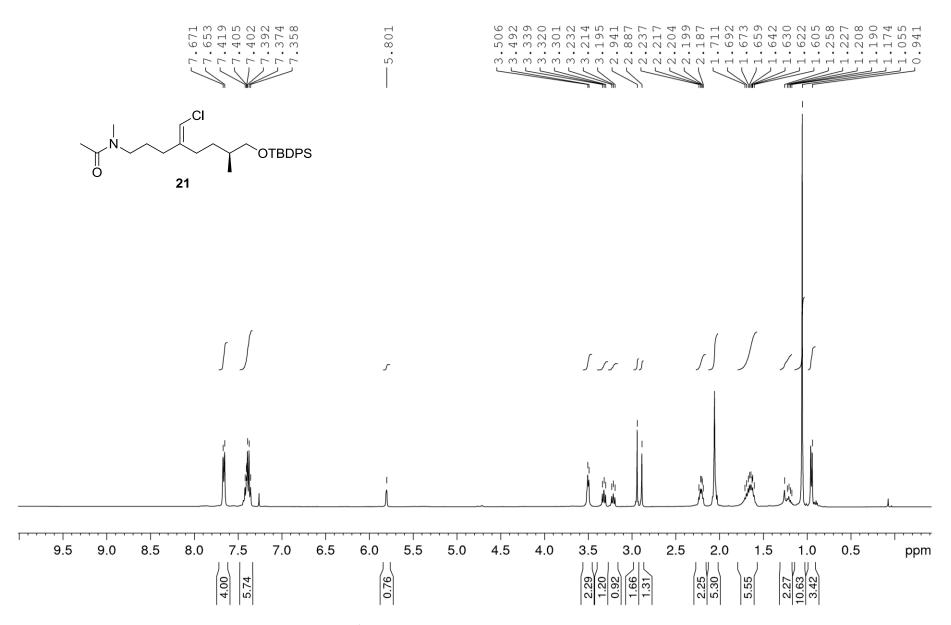


Figure S39. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 21 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

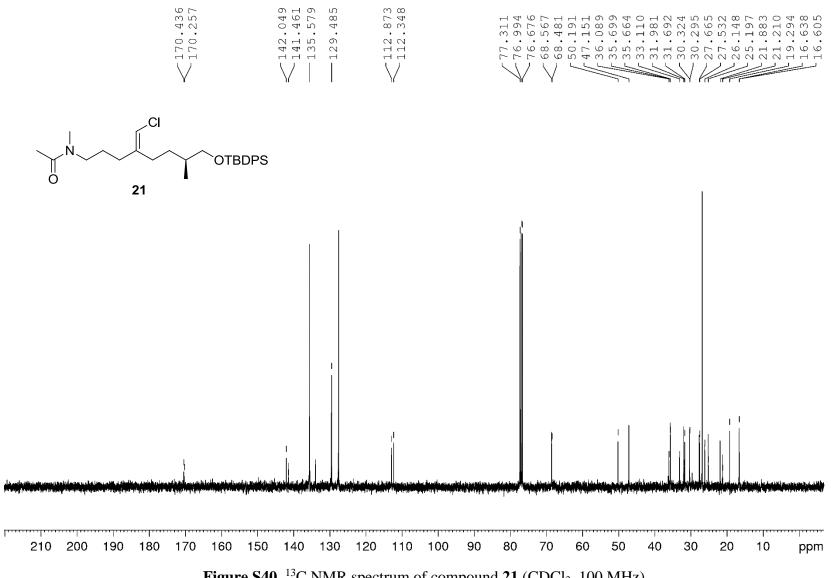


Figure S40. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 21 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

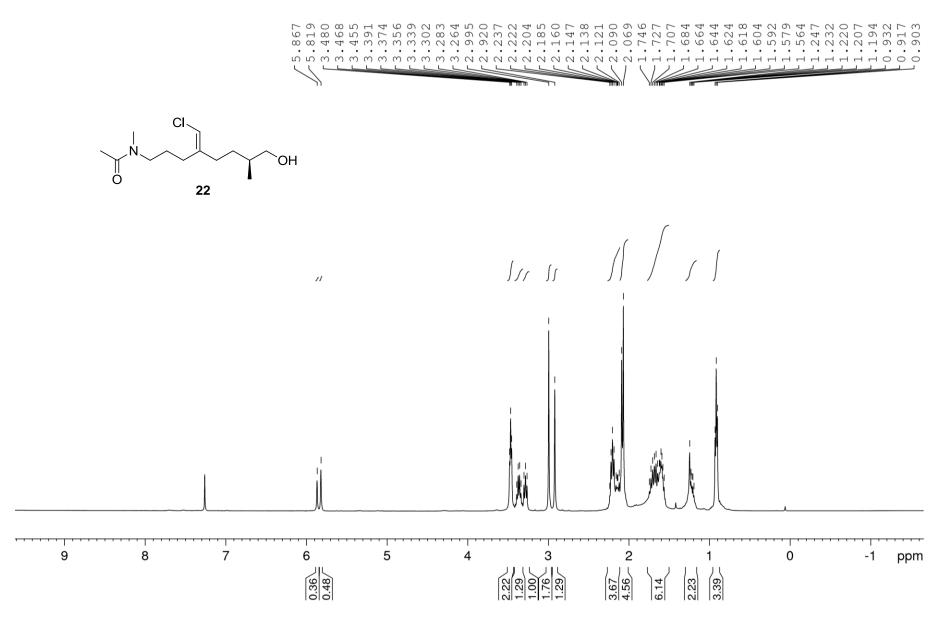


Figure S41. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 22 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

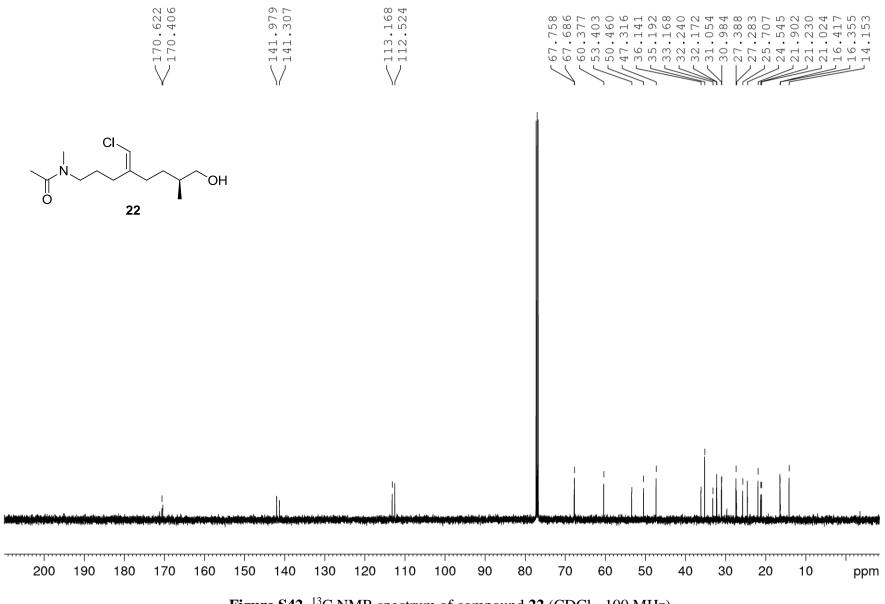


Figure S42. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 22 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

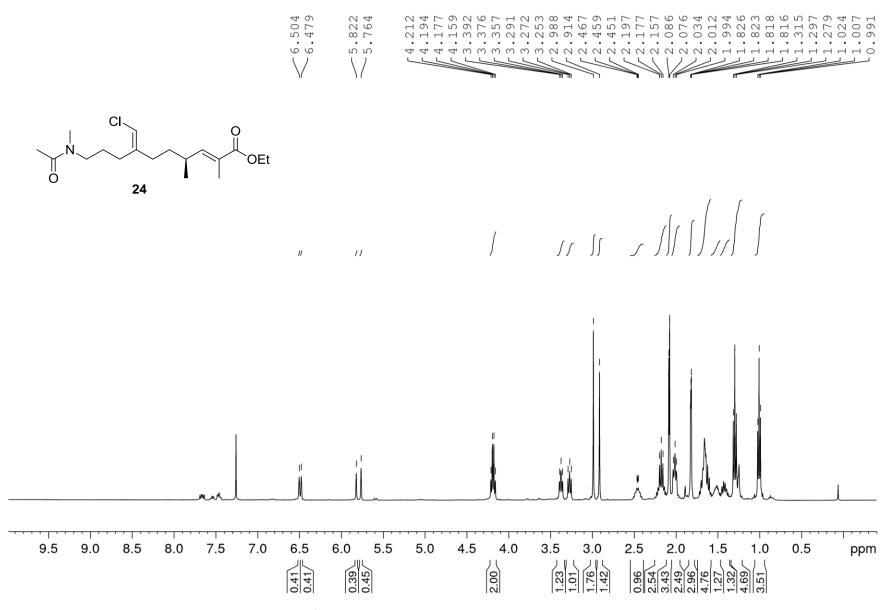


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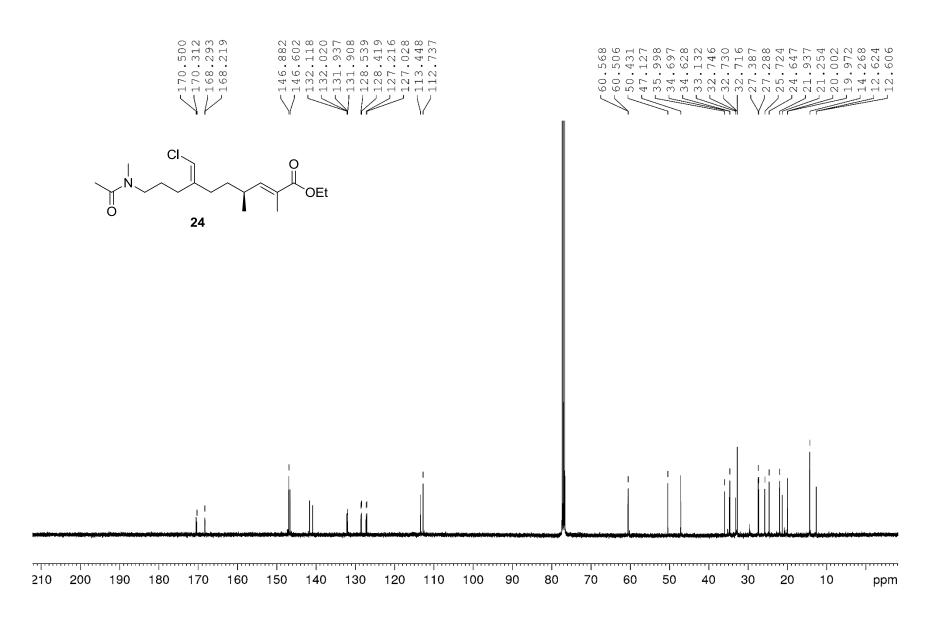


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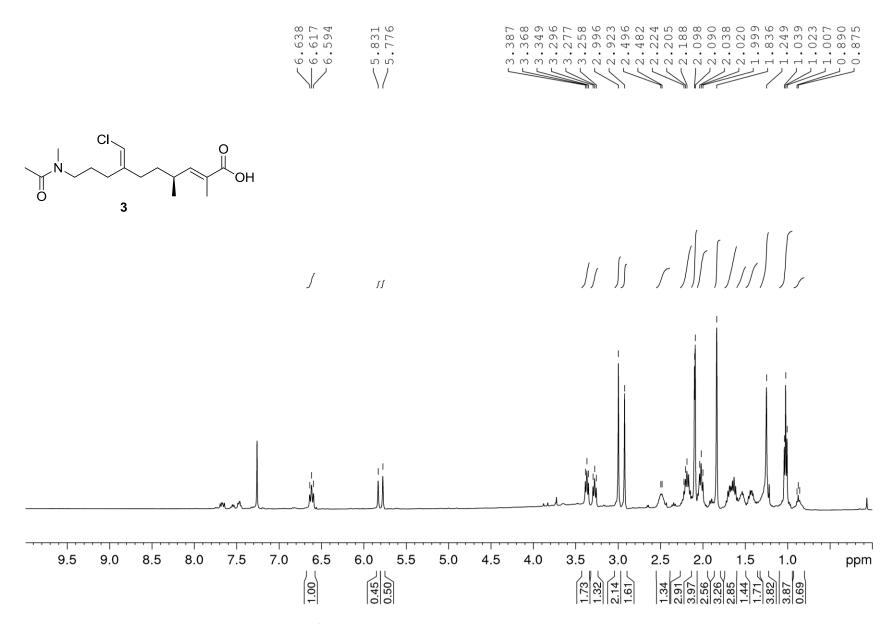


Figure S45. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

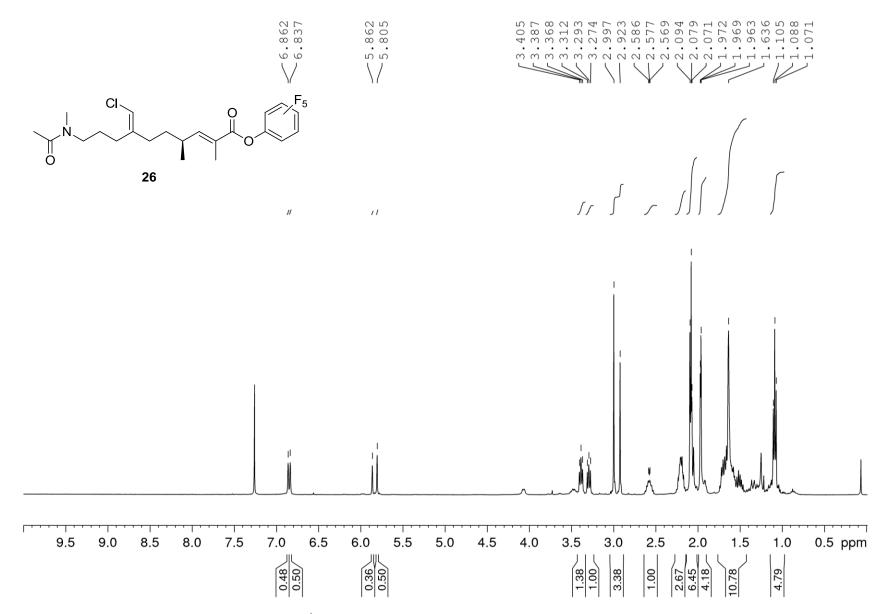


Figure S46. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 26 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

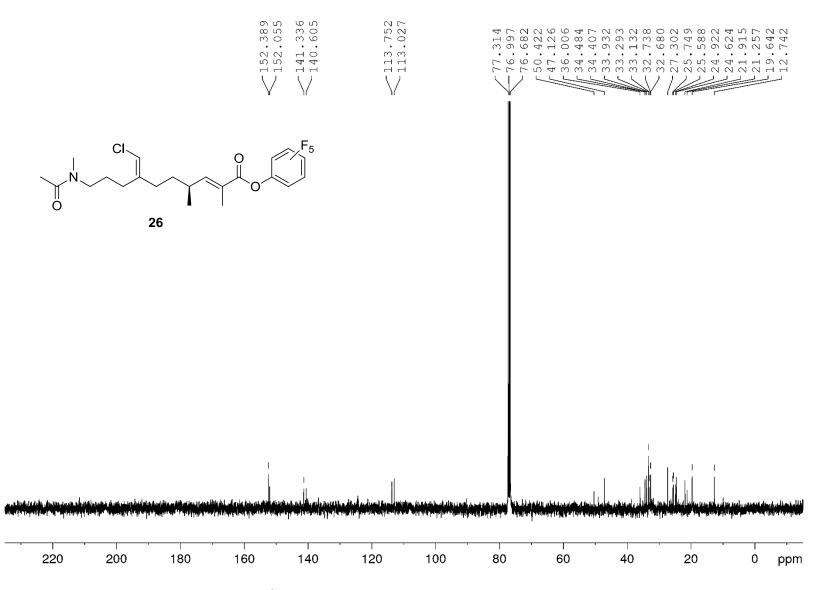


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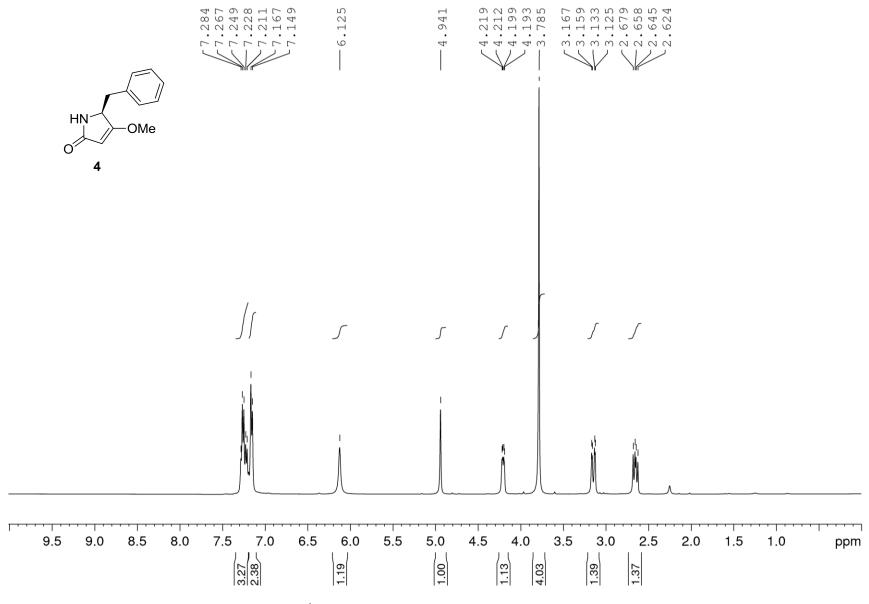


Figure S48. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 4 (CDCl₃, 400 MHz)

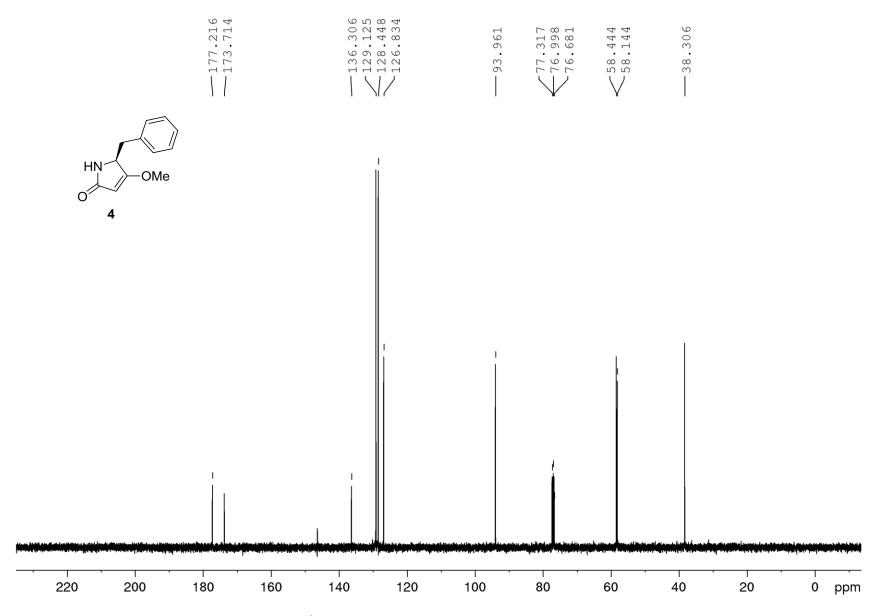


Figure S49. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 4 (CDCl₃, 100 MHz)

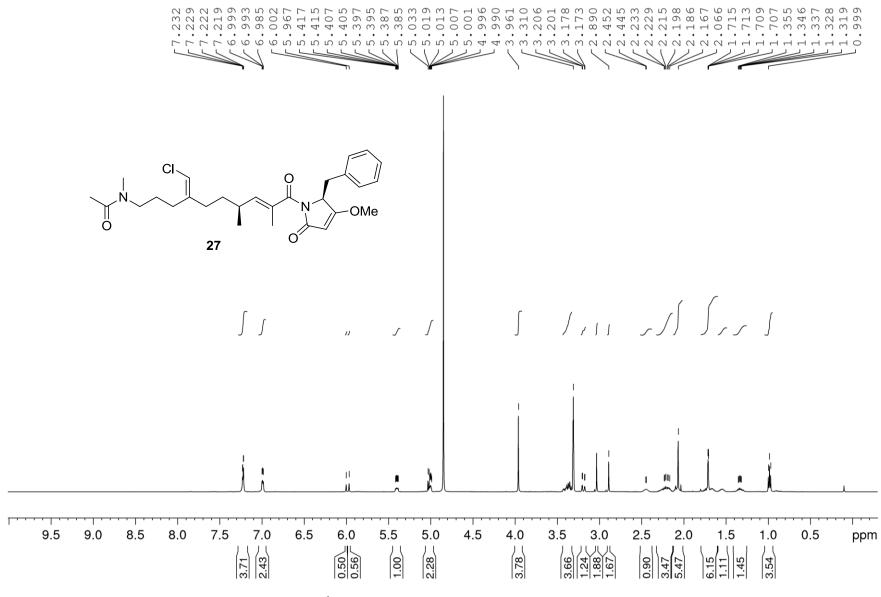


Figure S50. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 27 (CD₃OD, 500 MHz)

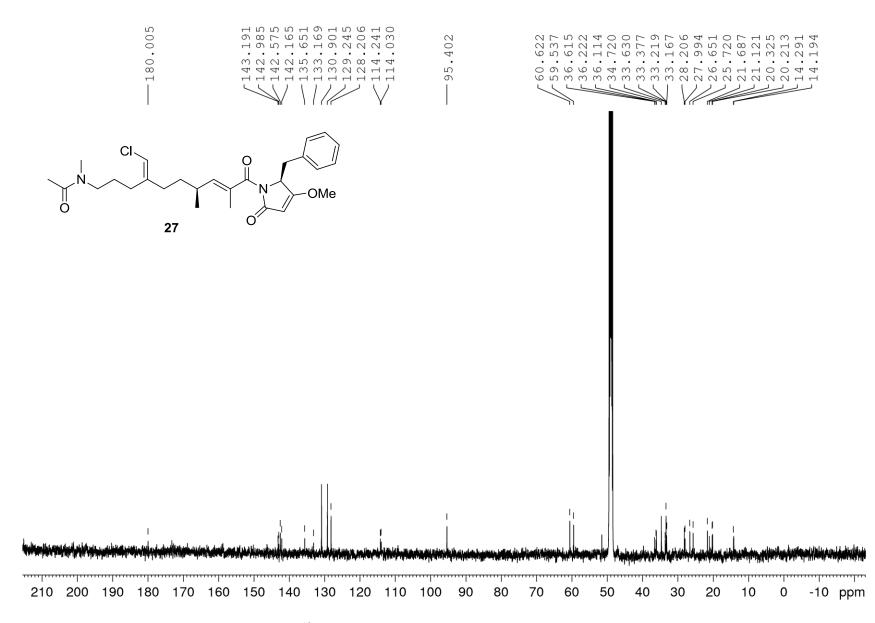


Figure S51. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 27 (CD₃OD, 125 MHz)

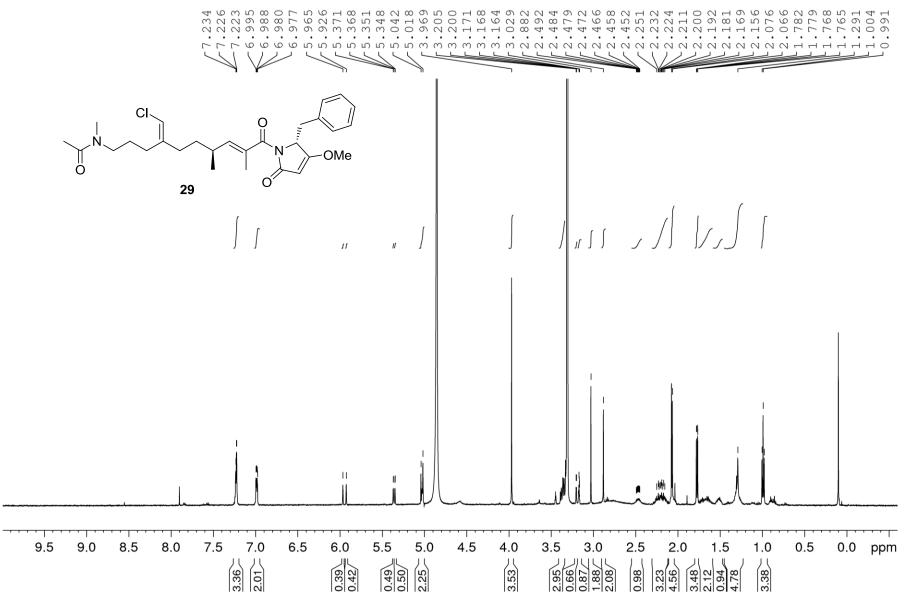


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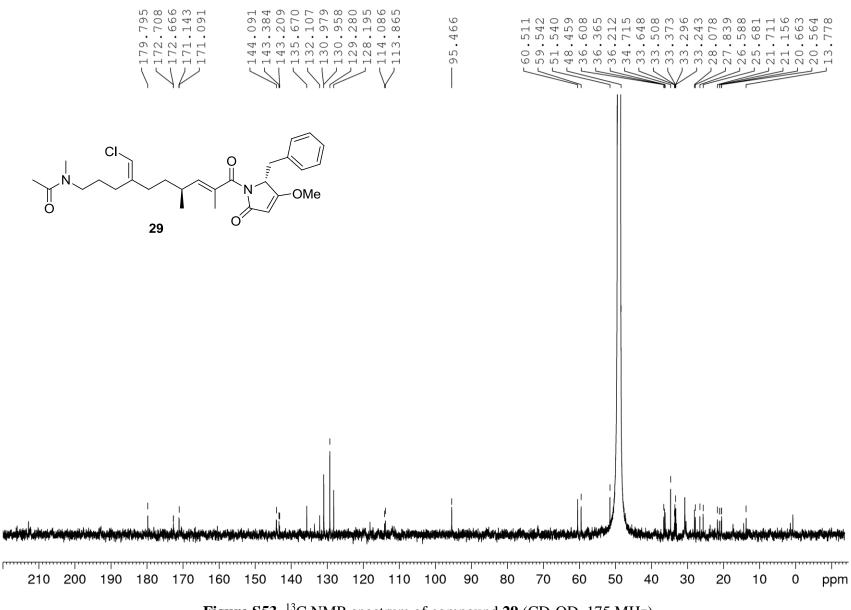


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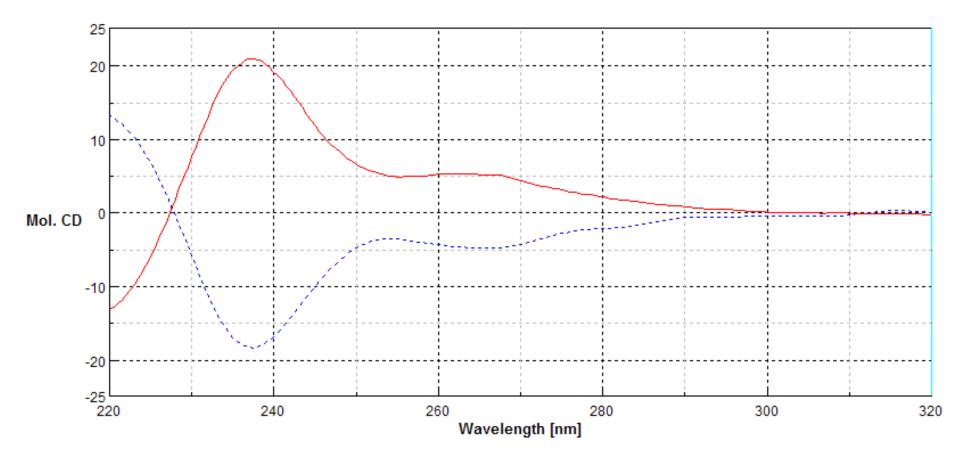


Figure S54. ECD spectra of natural smenamides A (solid red line) and *ent*-smenamide A (29) (dashed blue line).