



## Supporting Information

for

### **Complexation of chiral amines by resorcin[4]arene sulfonic acids in polar media – circular dichroism and diffusion studies of chirality transfer and solvent dependence**

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### **Copies of NMR, UV, and CD spectra**

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# 1. NMR spectra

## 1.1. NMR spectra of cavitands

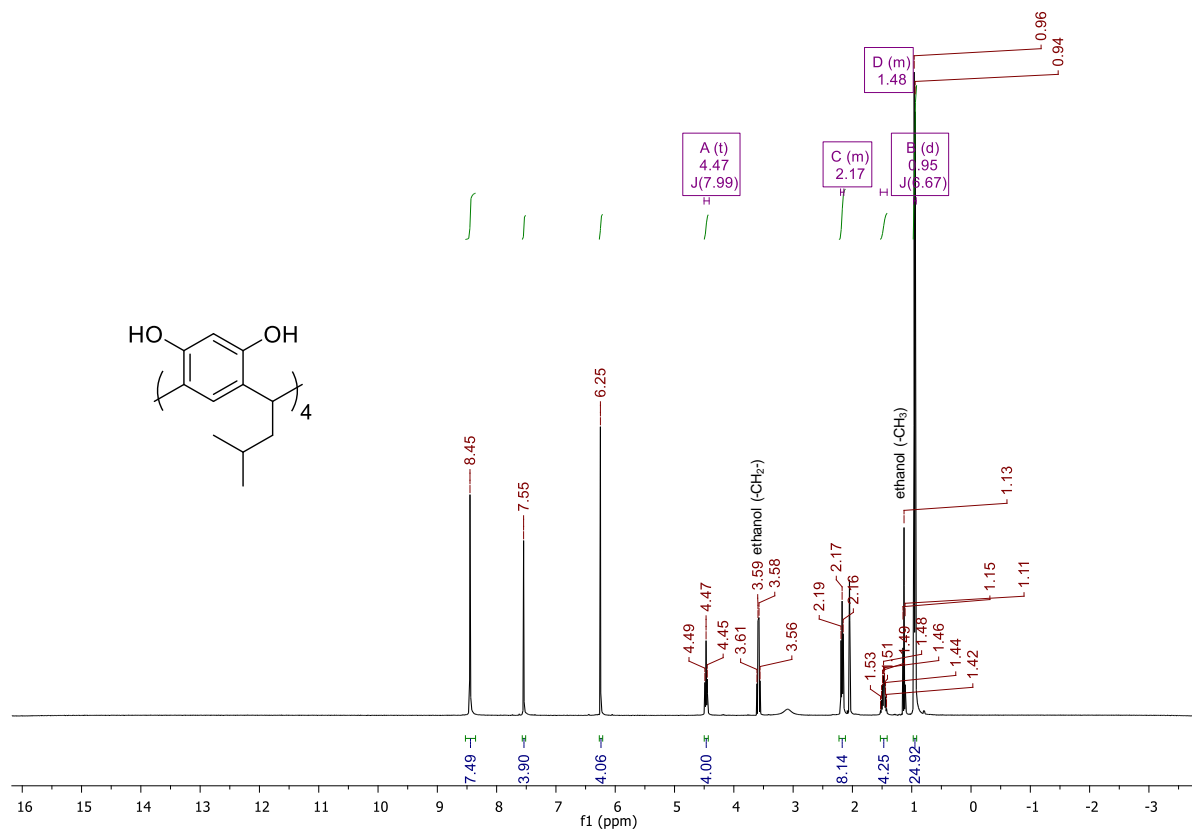


Figure S1. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of 2,8,14,20-tetraisobutyl-resorcin[4]arene.

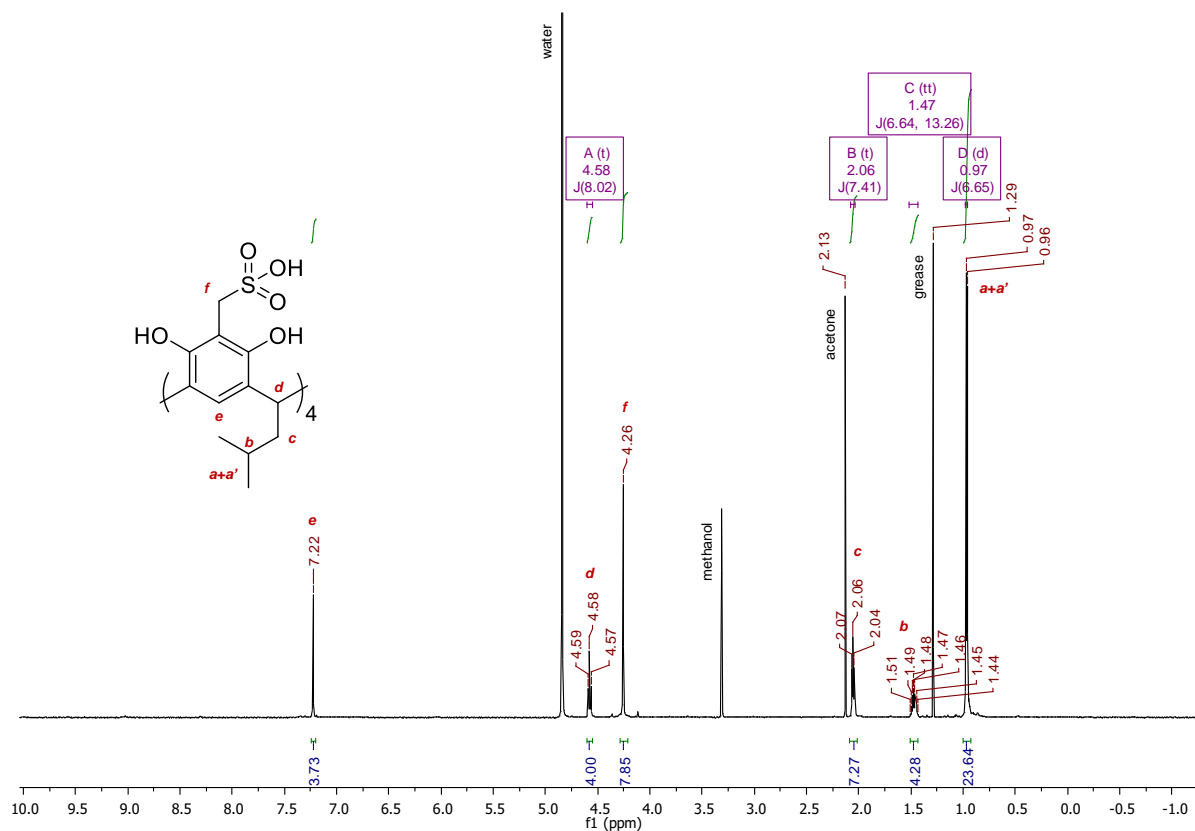


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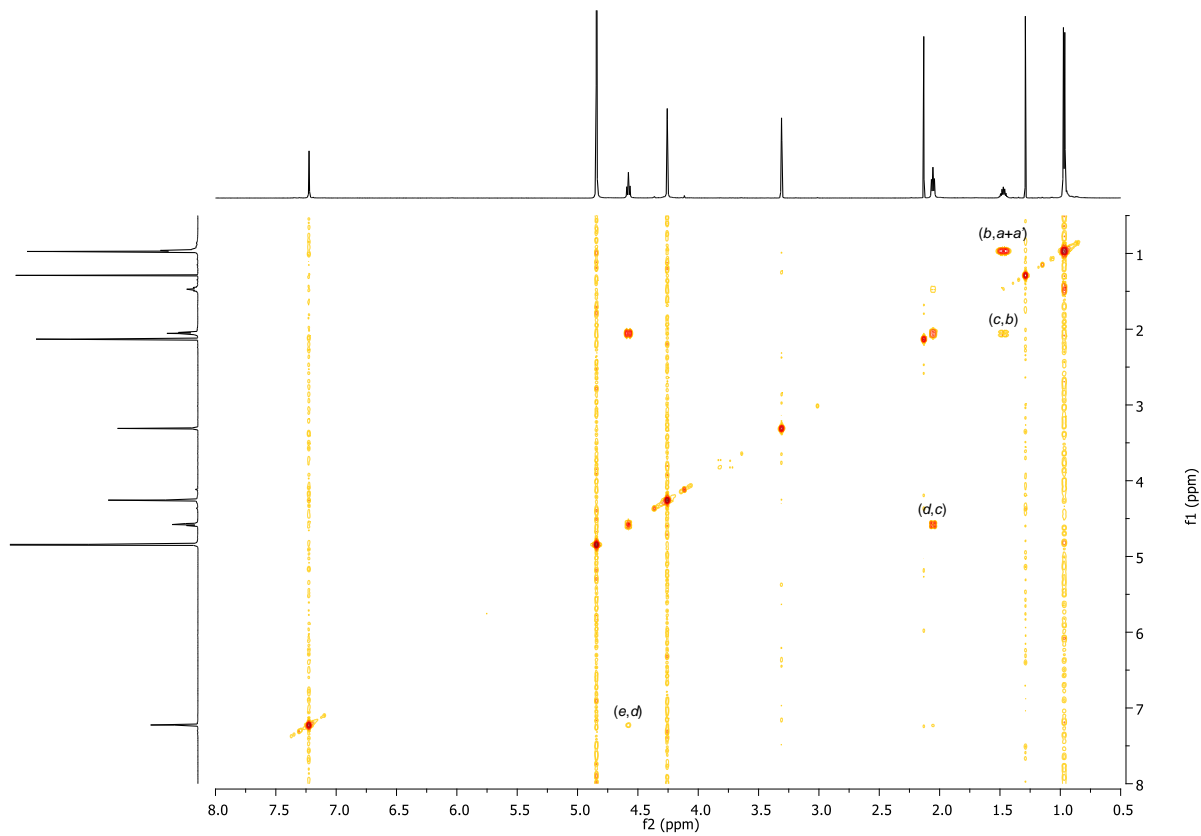


Figure S3. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of **1**.



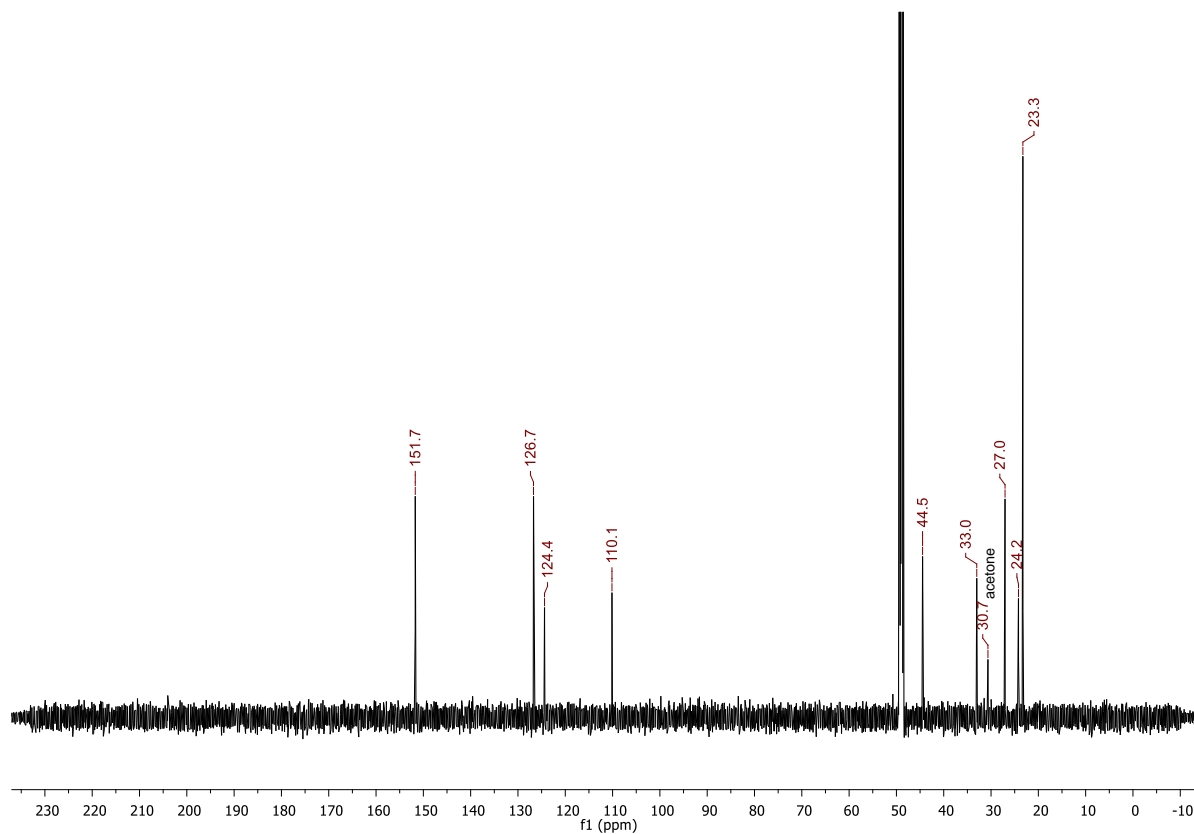


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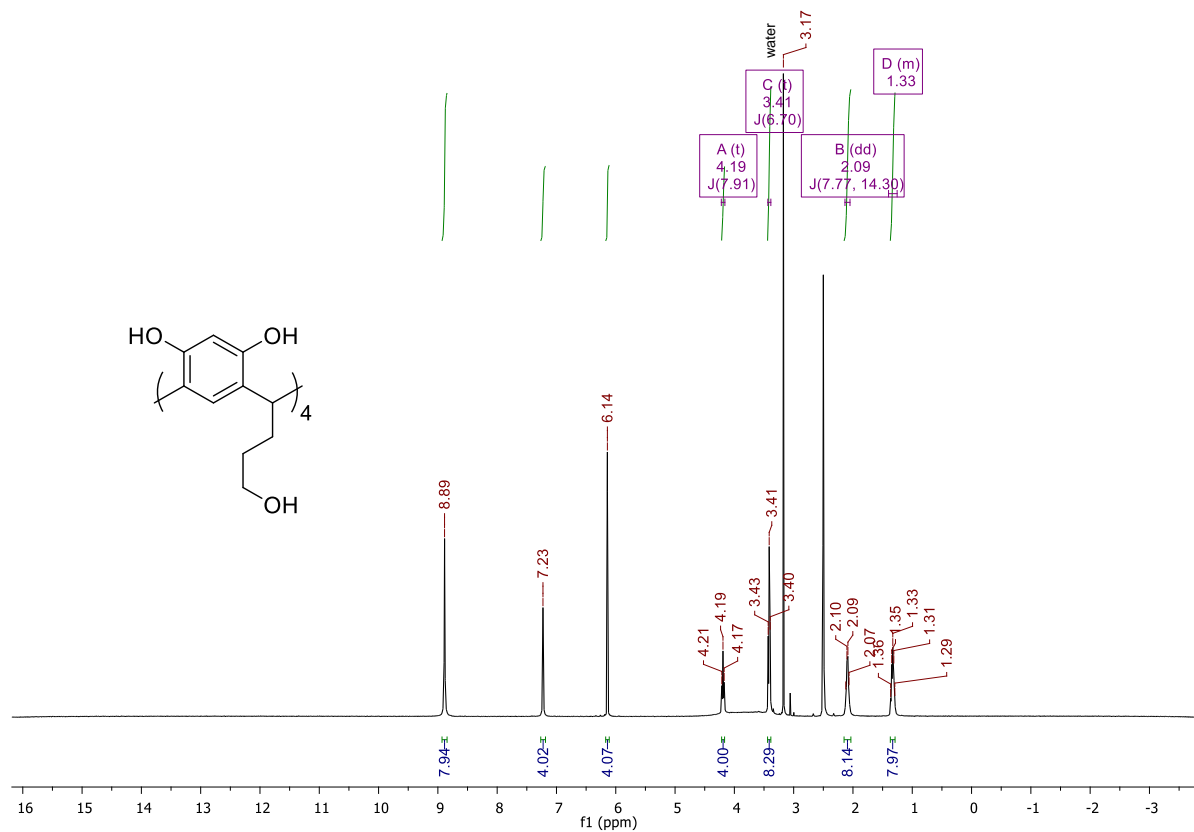


Figure S5.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, dimethyl sulfoxide- $d_6$ ) spectrum of C-(3-hydroxypropyl)-resorcin[4]arene.

## 1.2. NMR spectra of complexes of tetrakis(sulfonatomethyl)resorcin[4]arene **1** with amino acids esters

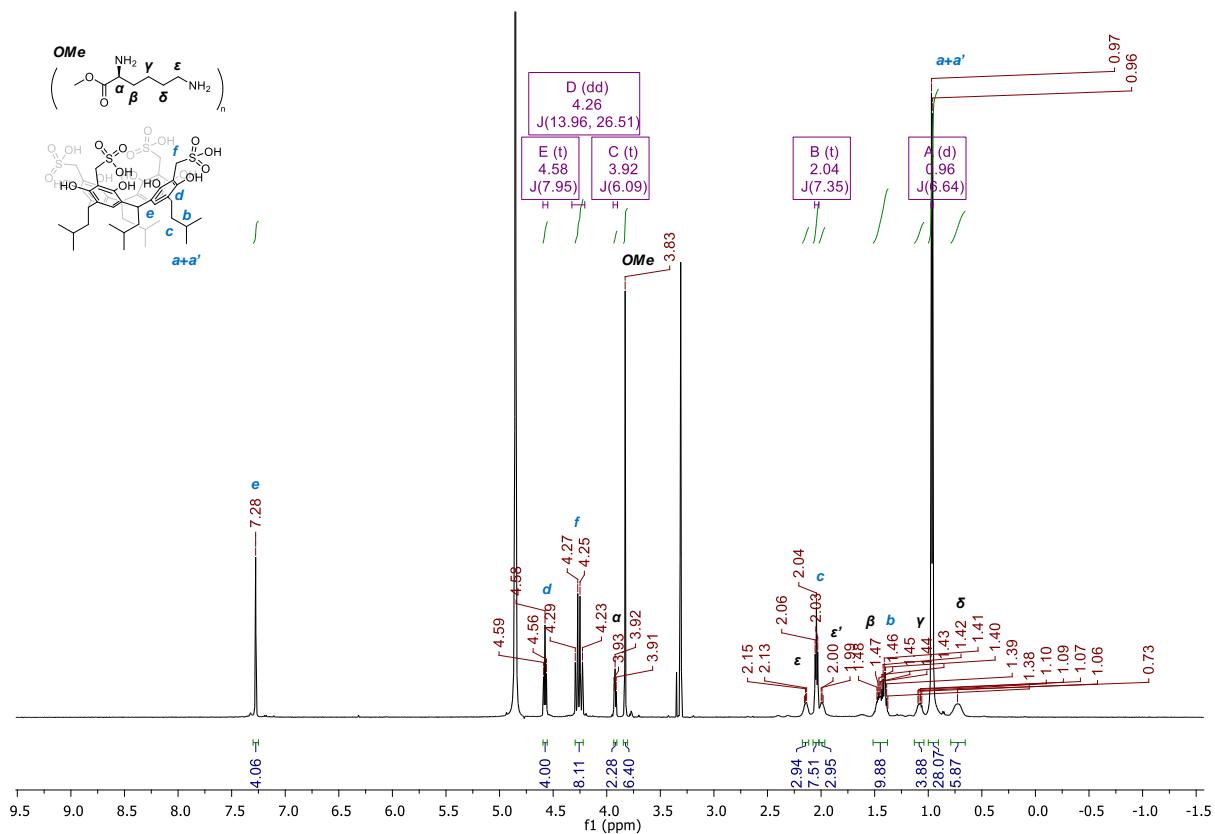


Figure S6. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

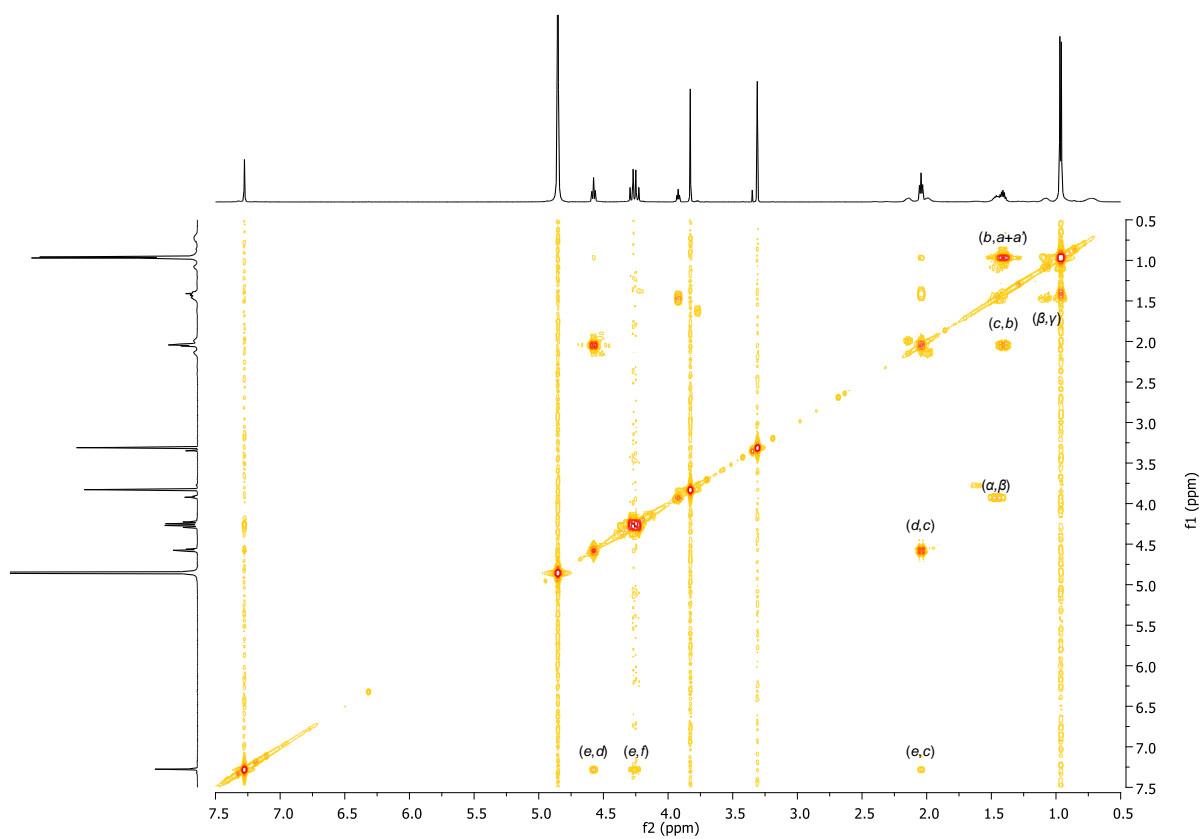


Figure S7. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

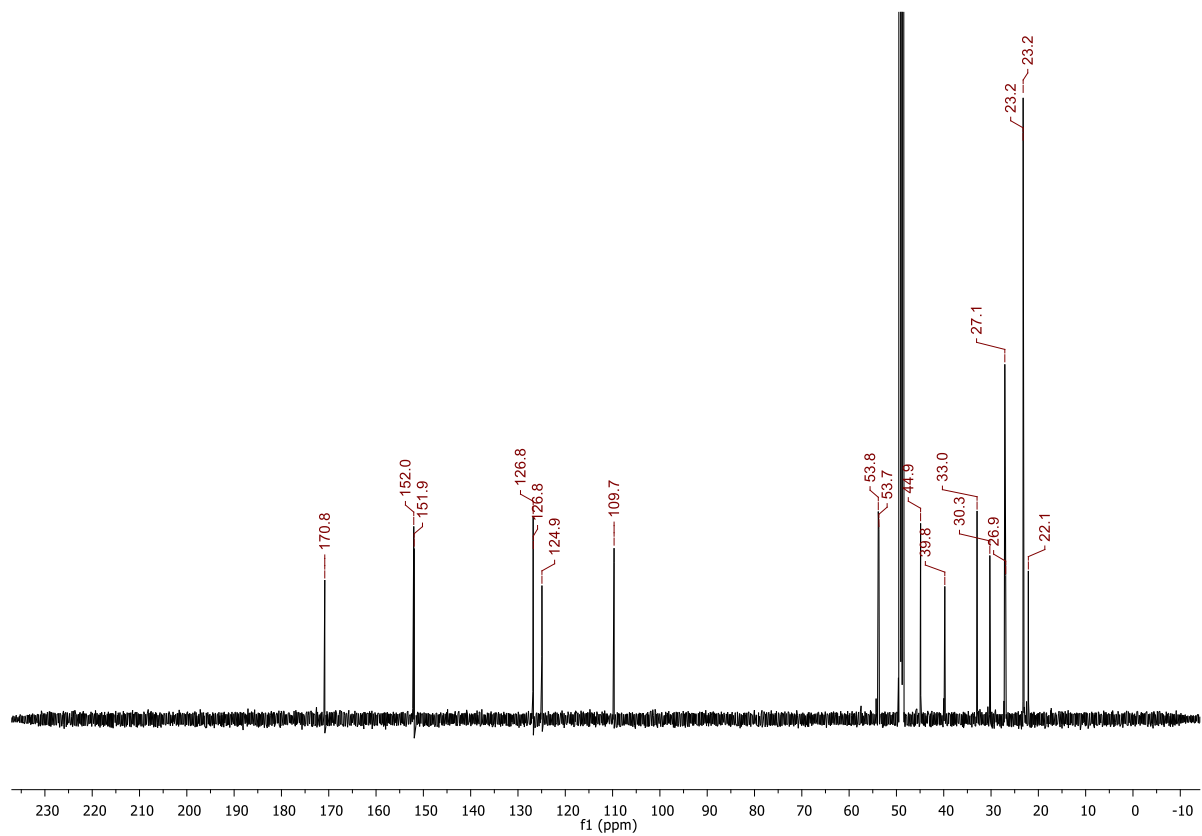


Figure S8.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

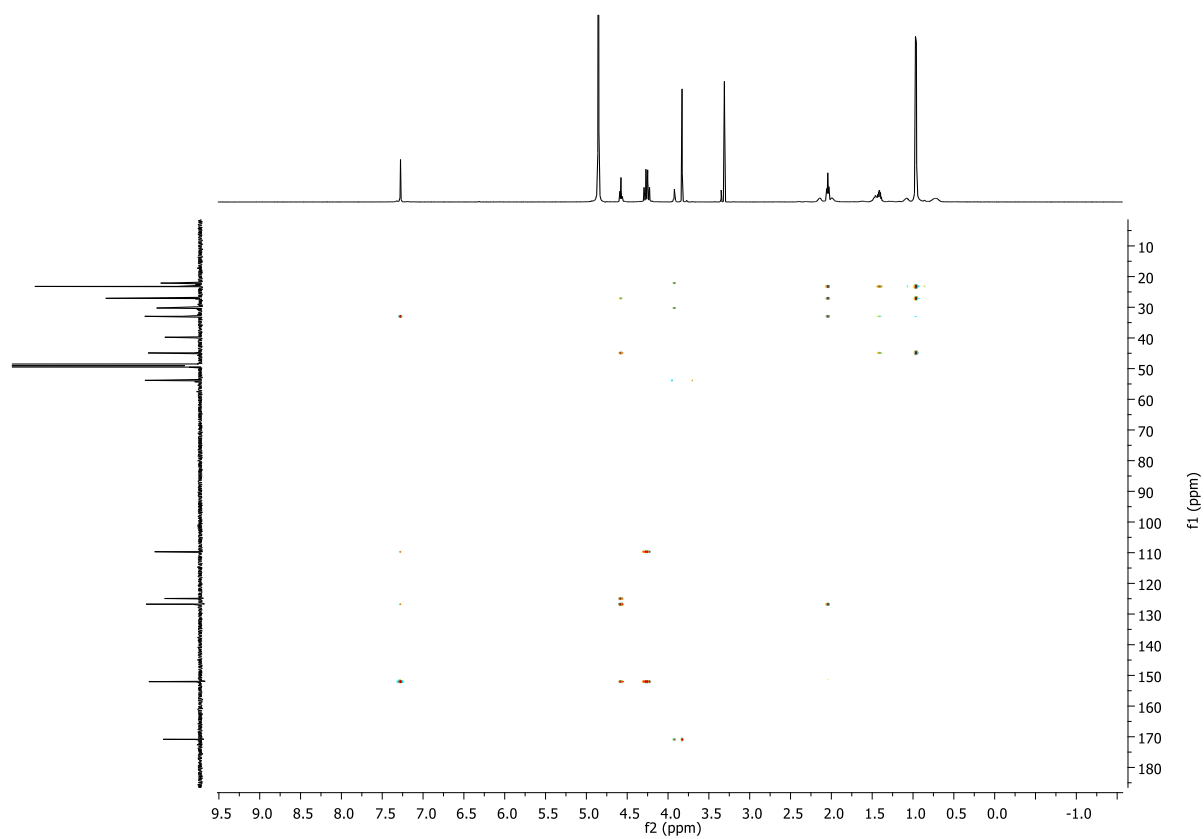


Figure S9. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

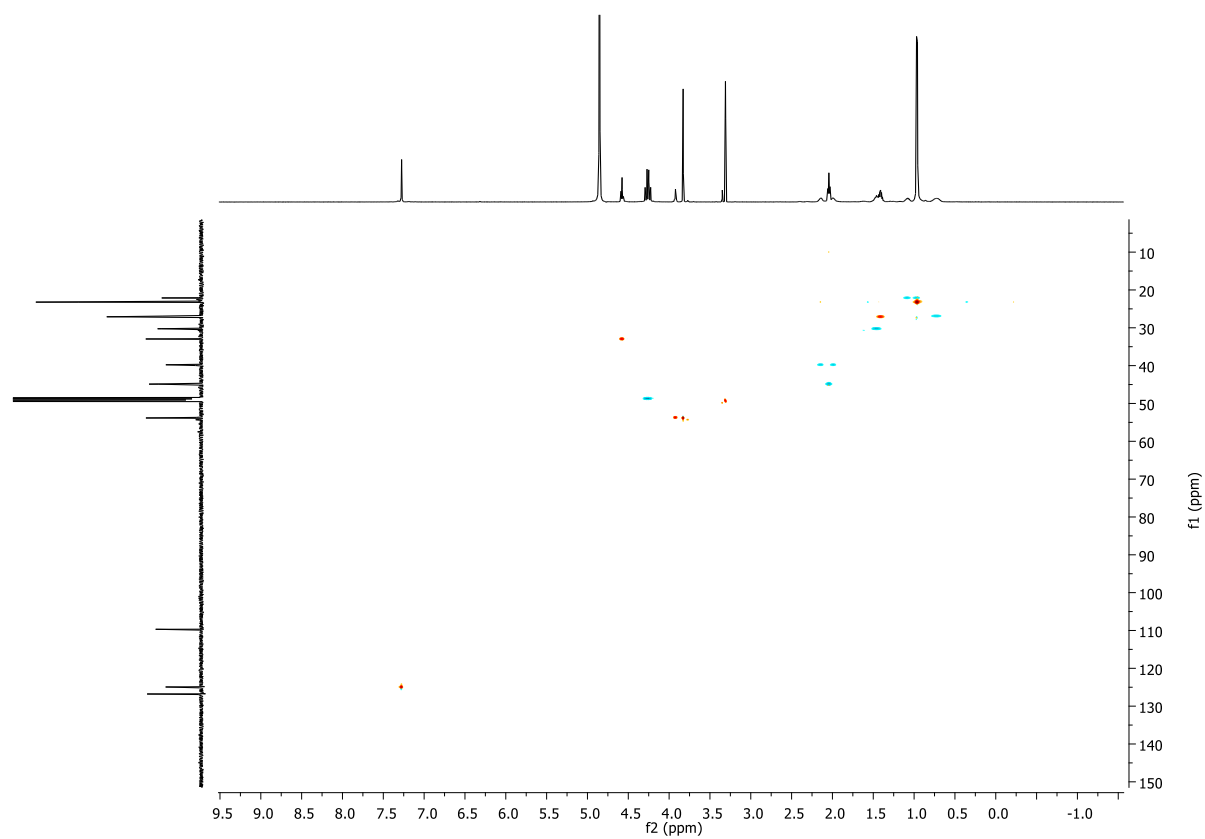


Figure S10. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

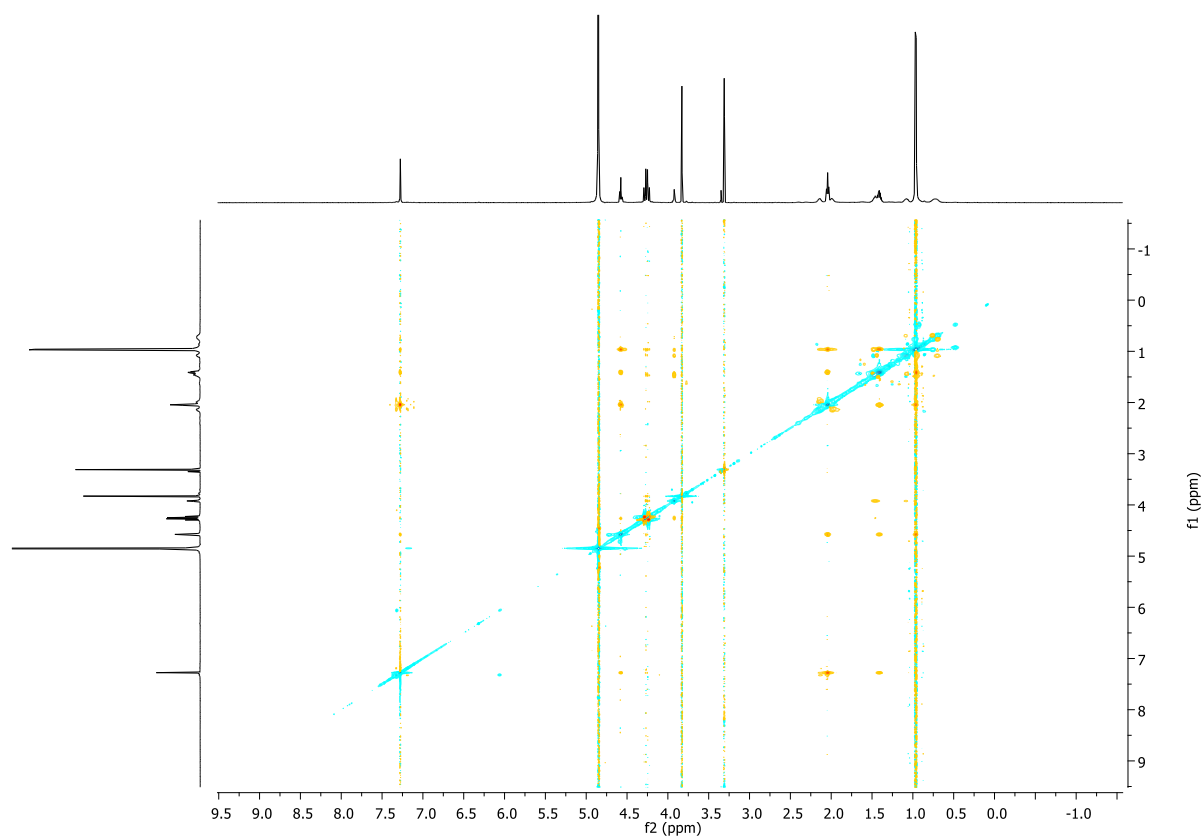


Figure S11. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-lysine methyl ester.

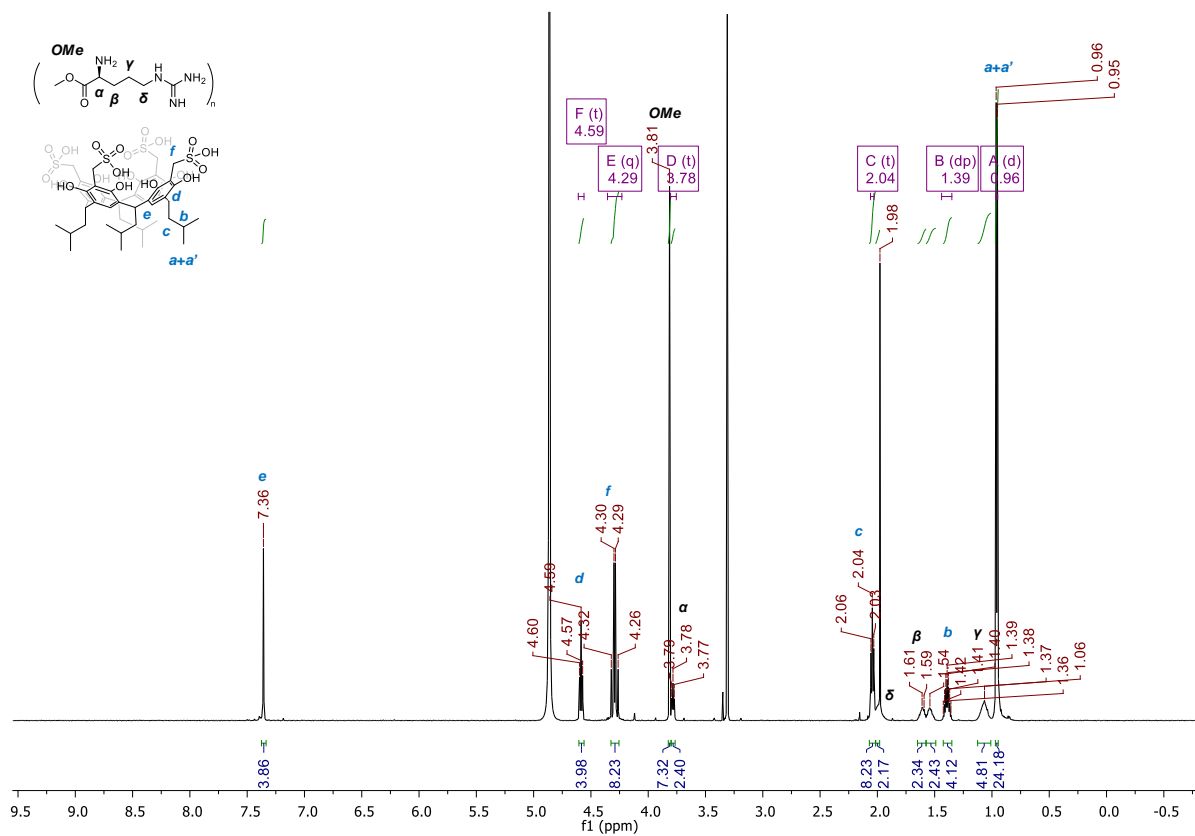


Figure S12.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-arginine methyl ester.



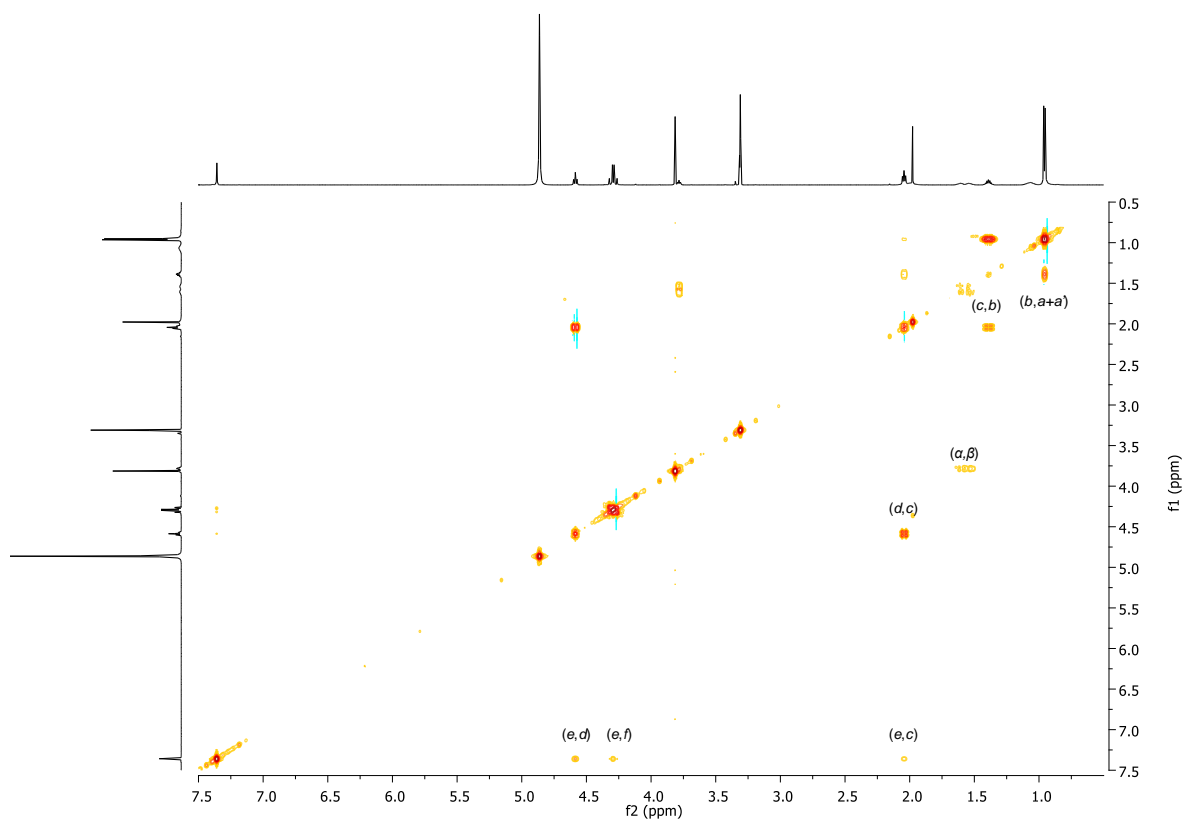


Figure S13. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-arginine methyl ester.

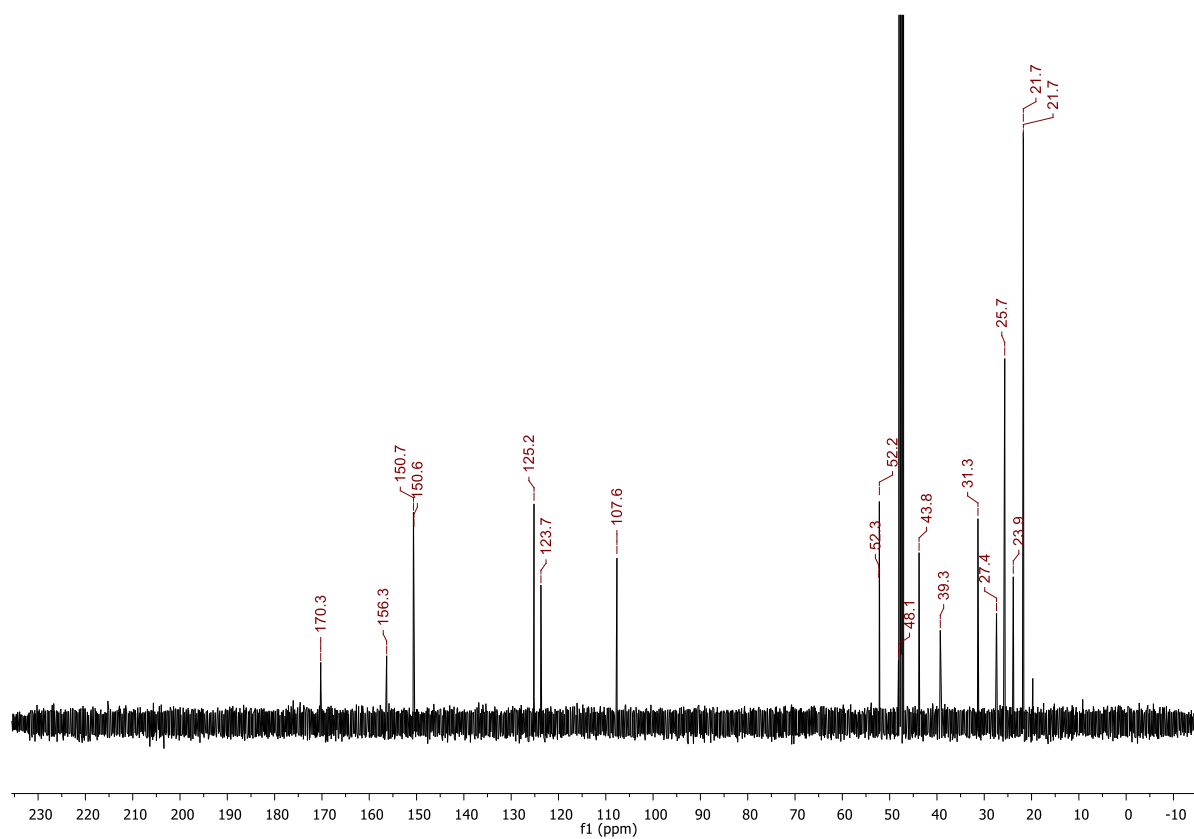


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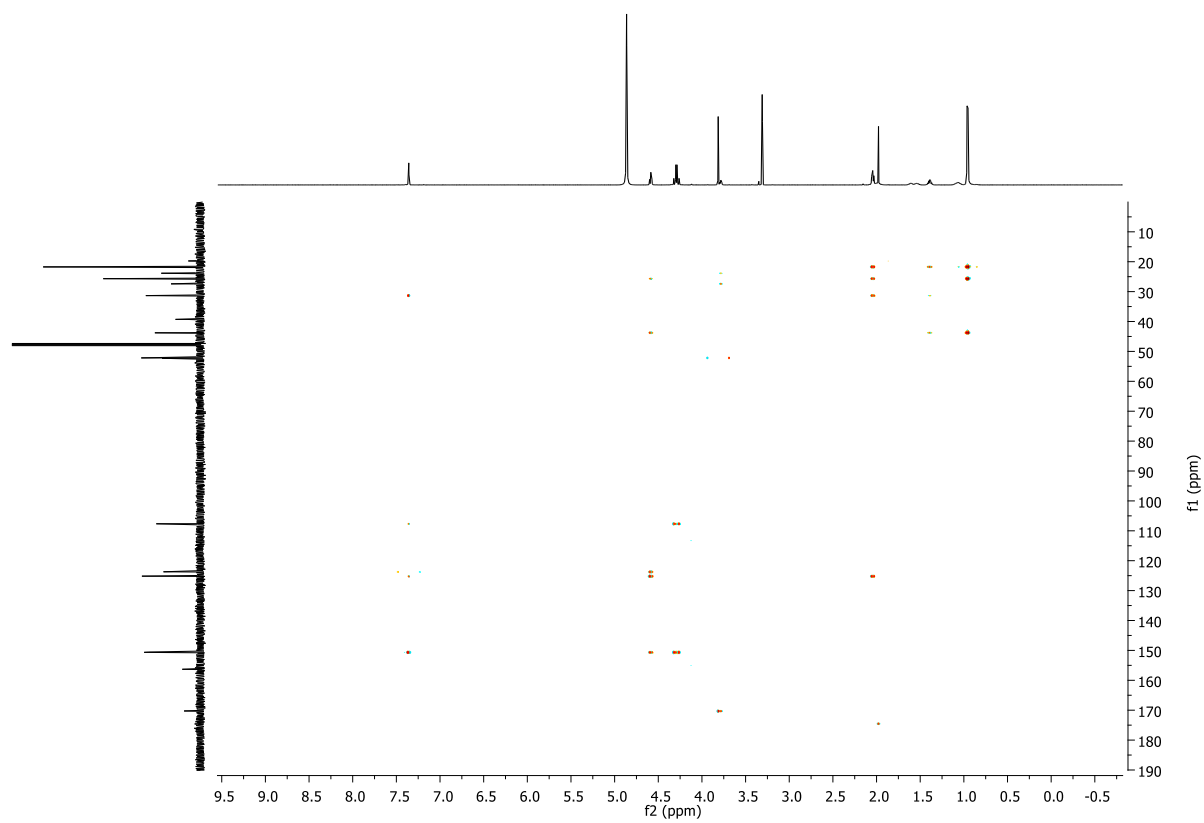


Figure S15. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-arginine methyl ester.

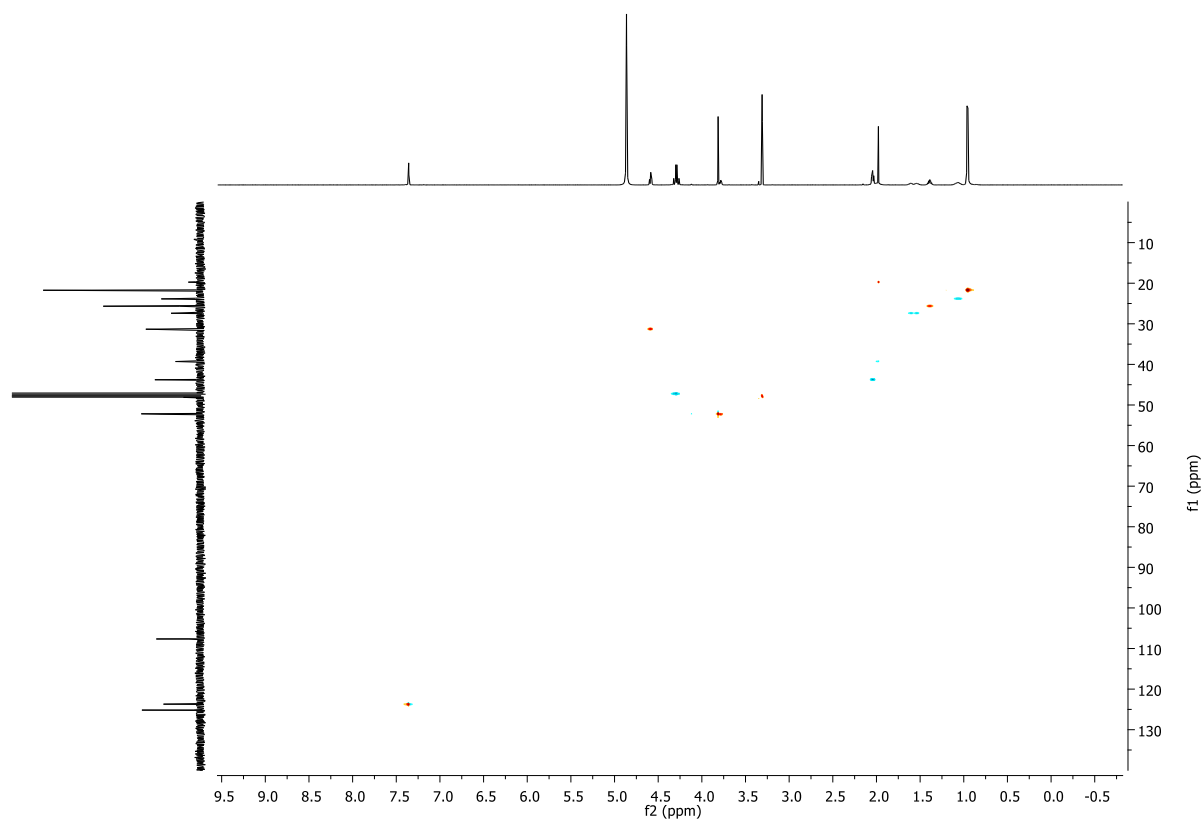


Figure S16. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-arginine methyl ester.

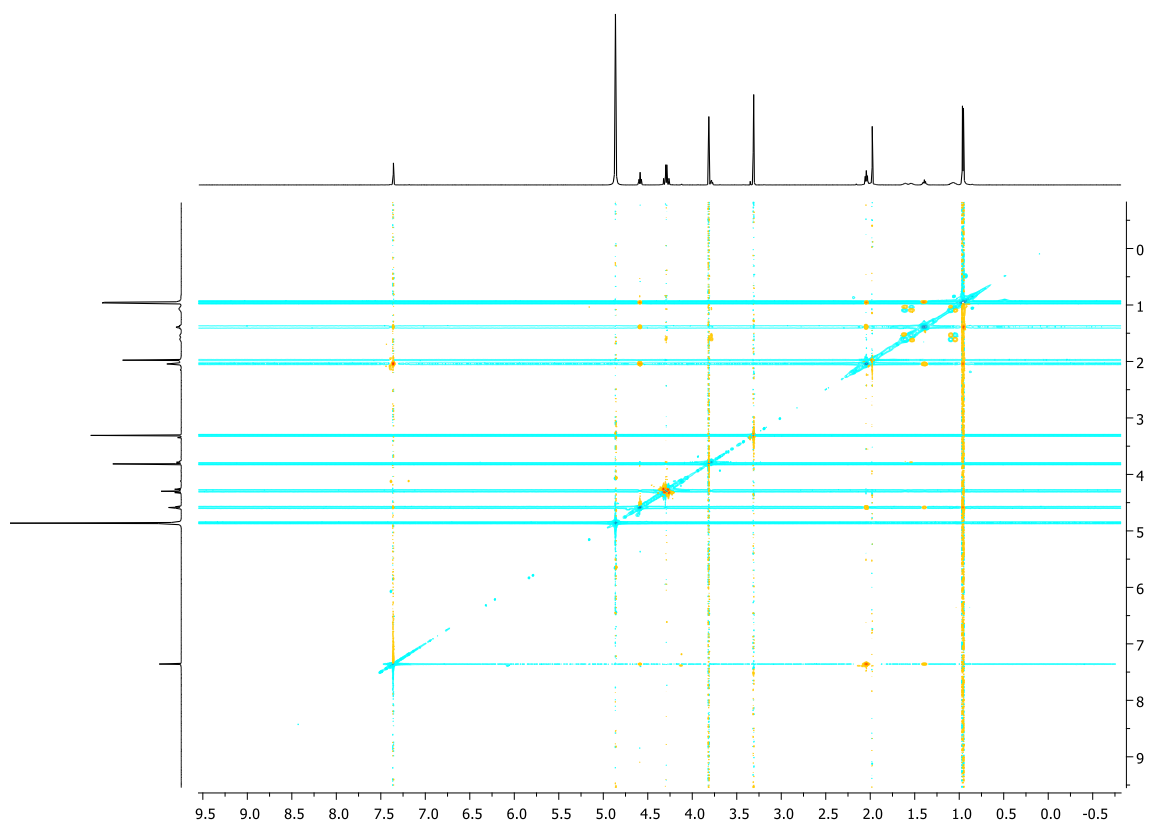


Figure S17. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-arginine methyl ester.

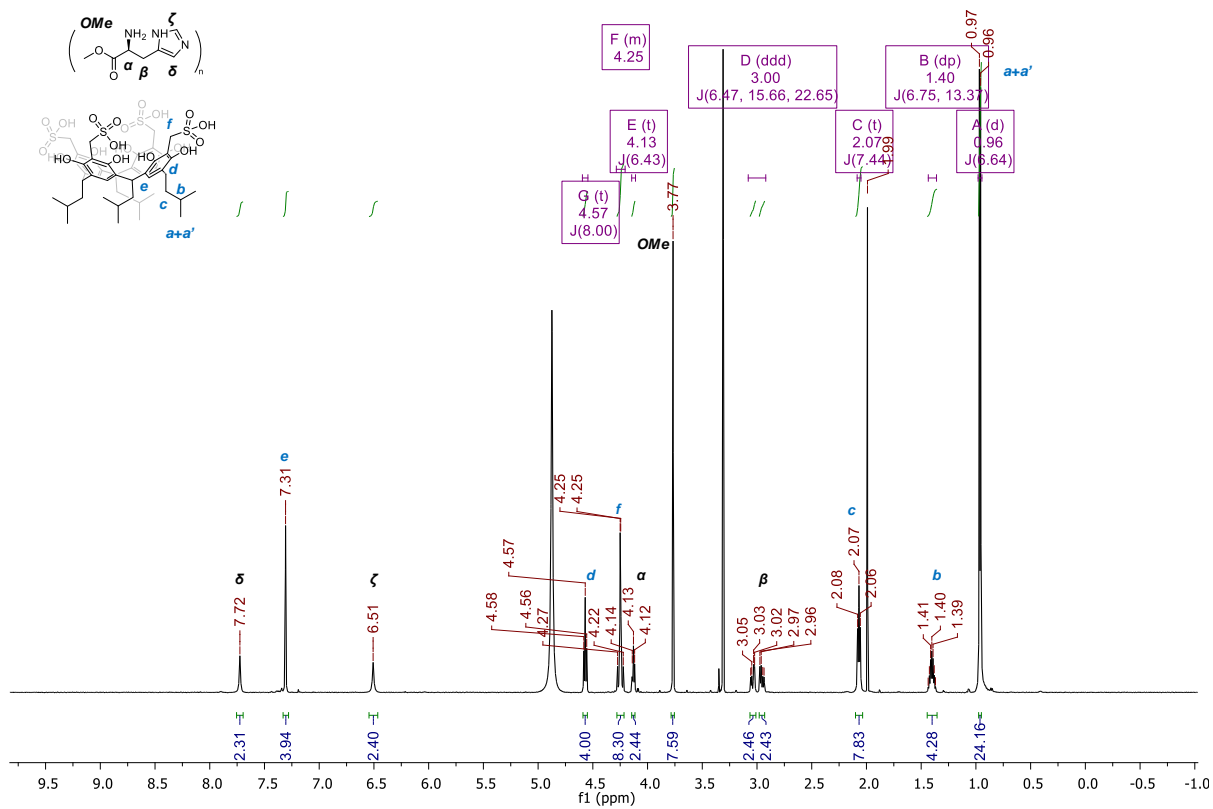


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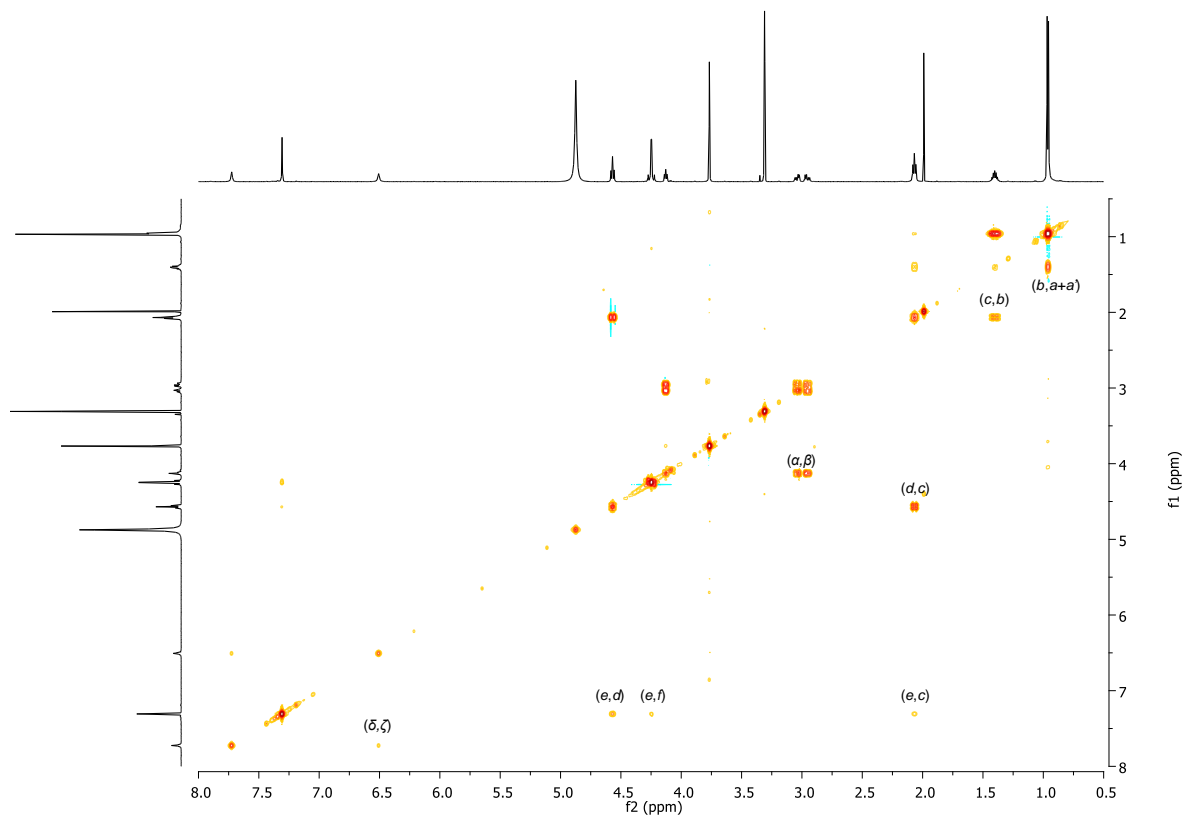


Figure S19. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-histidine methyl ester.

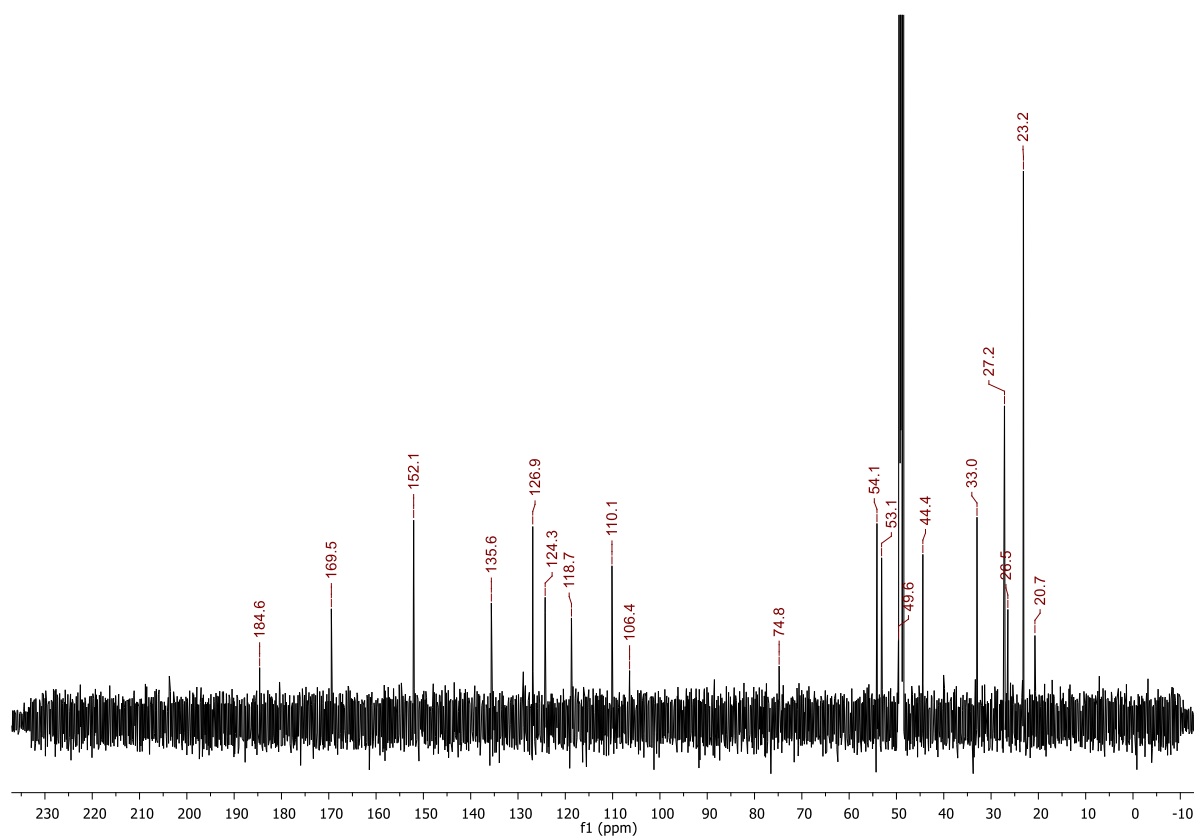


Figure S20.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-histidine methyl ester.



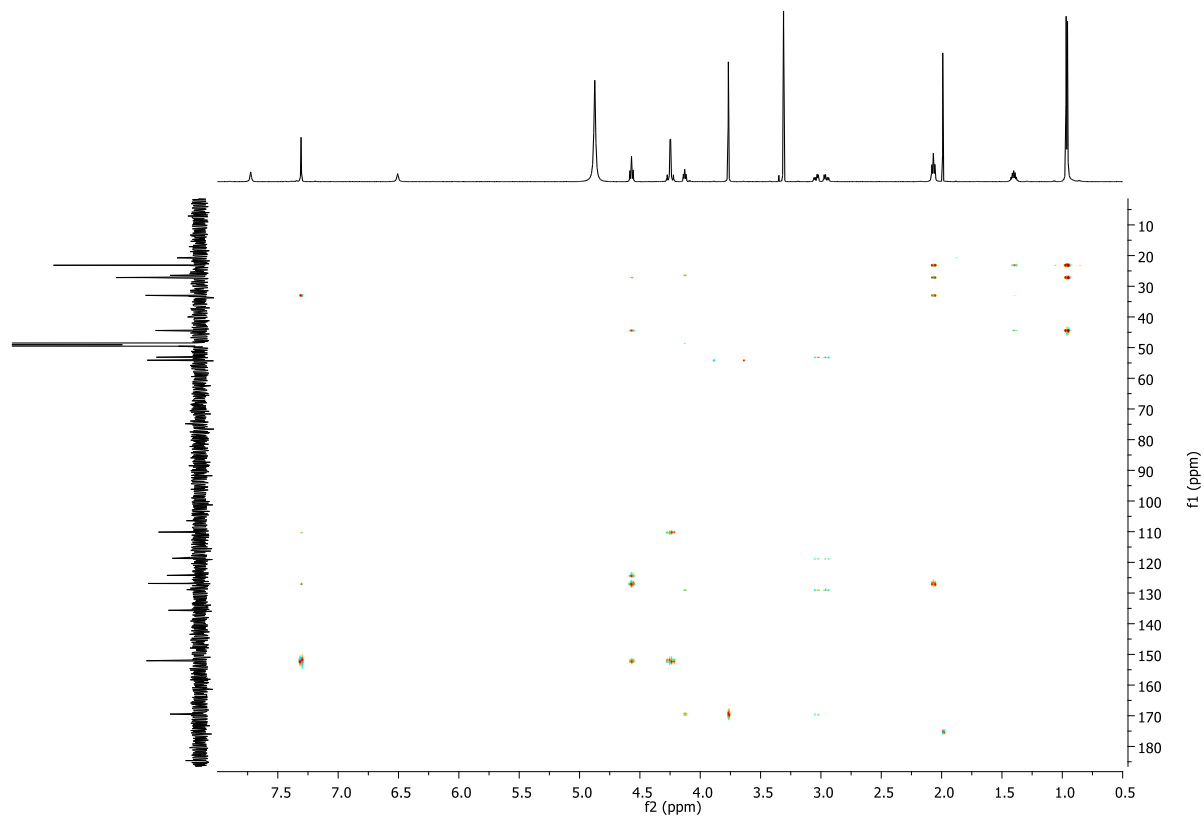


Figure S21. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-histidine methyl ester.

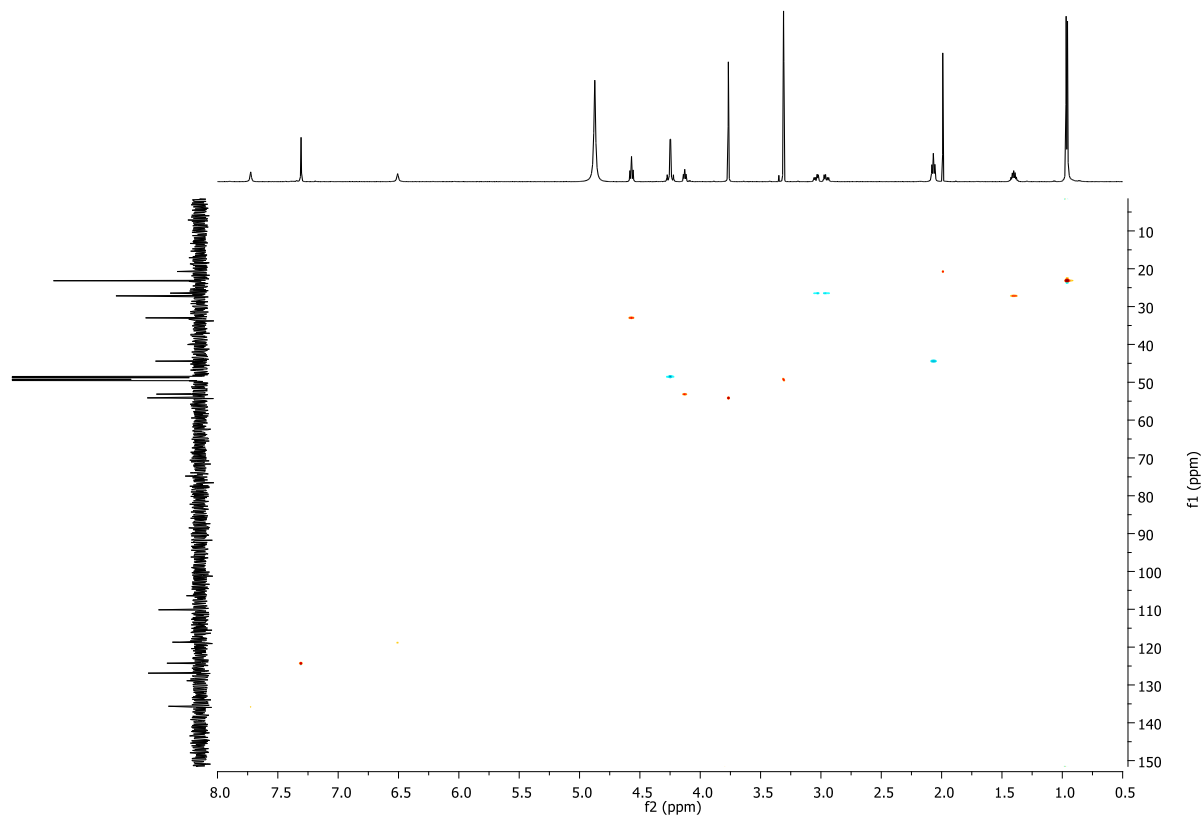


Figure S22. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-histidine methyl ester.

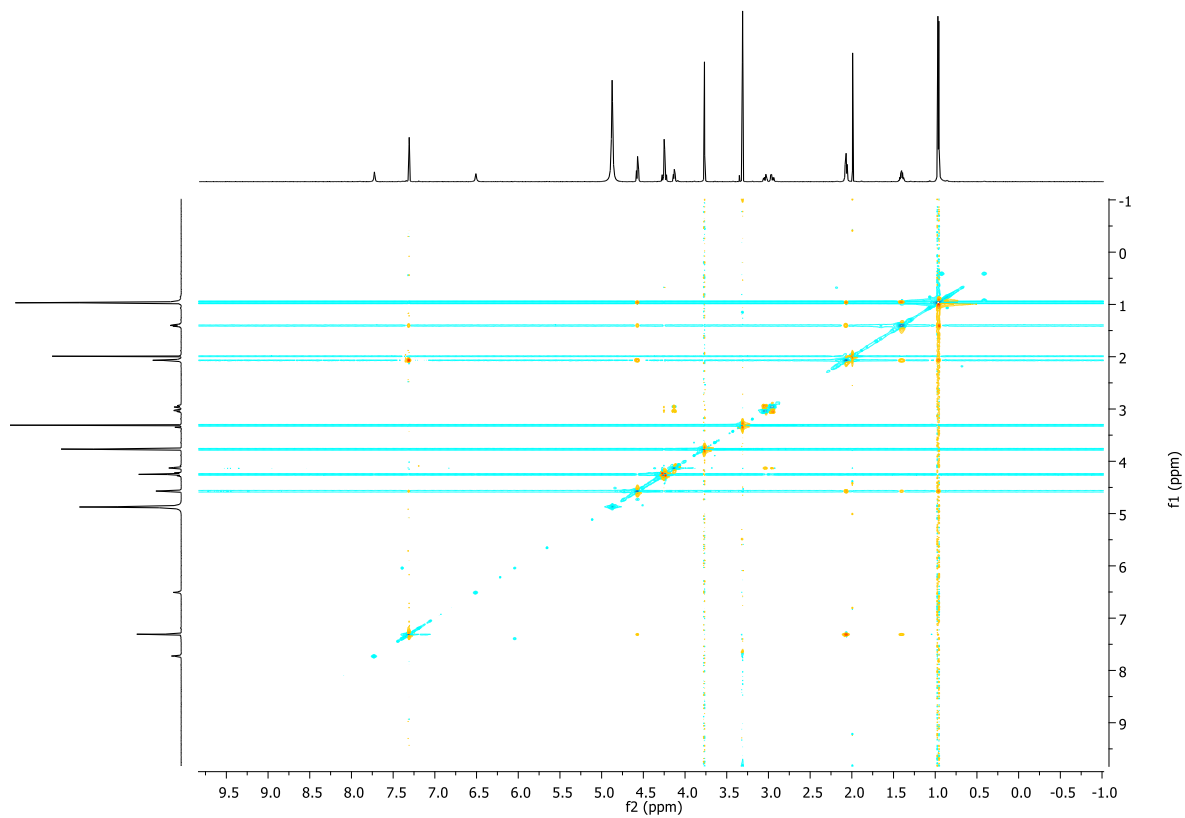


Figure S23. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-histidine methyl ester.

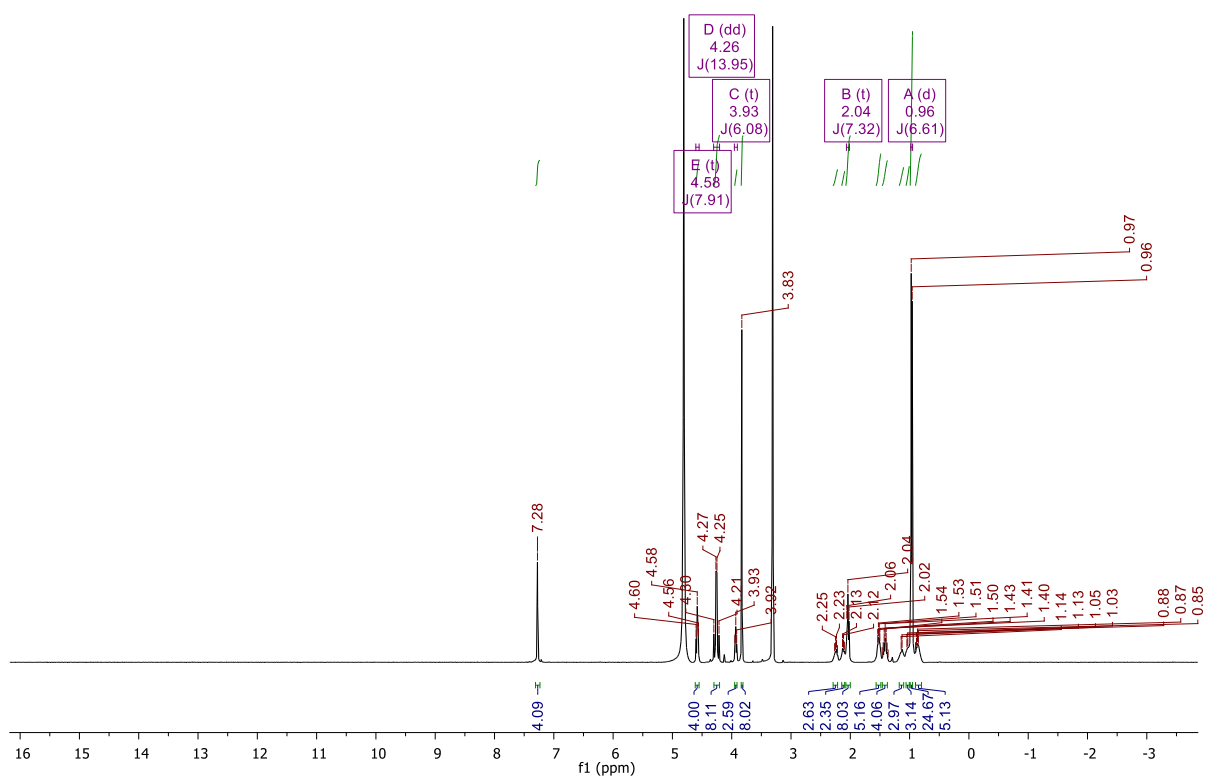


Figure S24.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with D-lysine methyl ester.

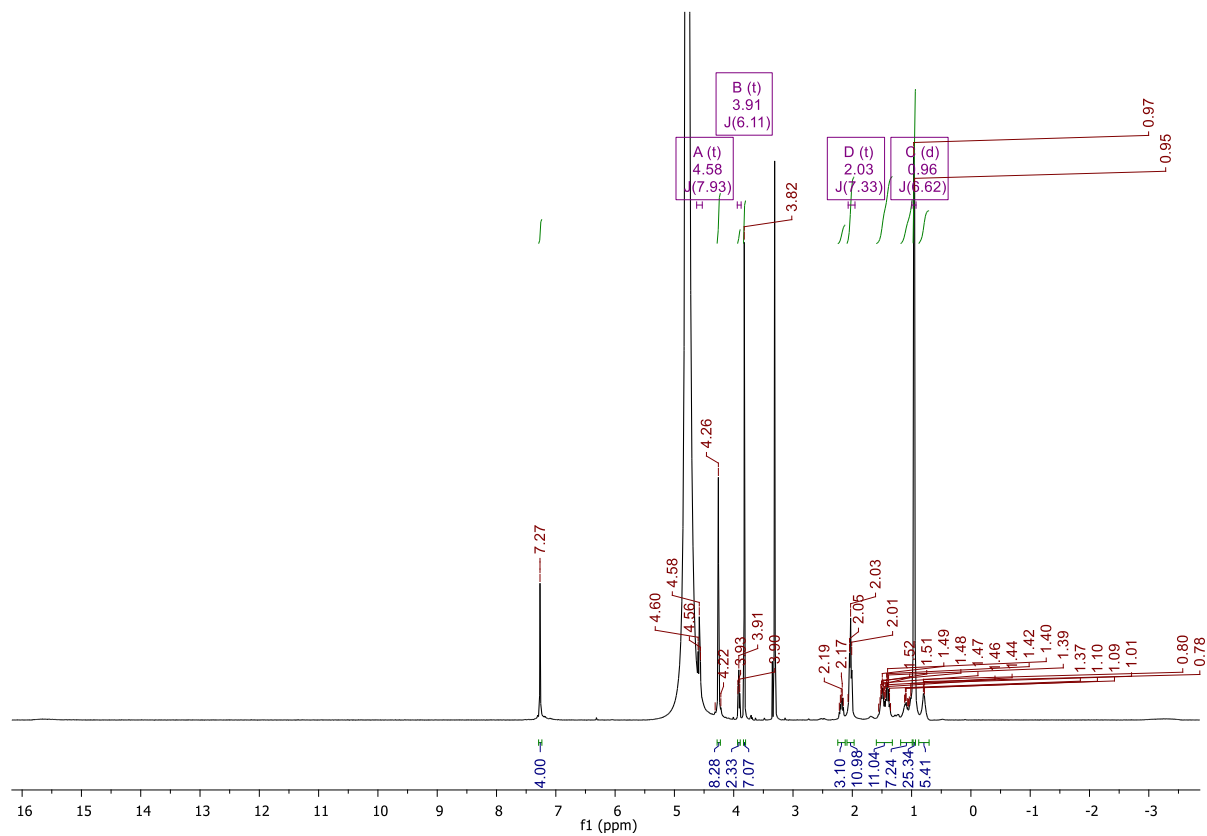


Figure S25. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of complex of **1** with (*rac*)-lysine methyl ester.

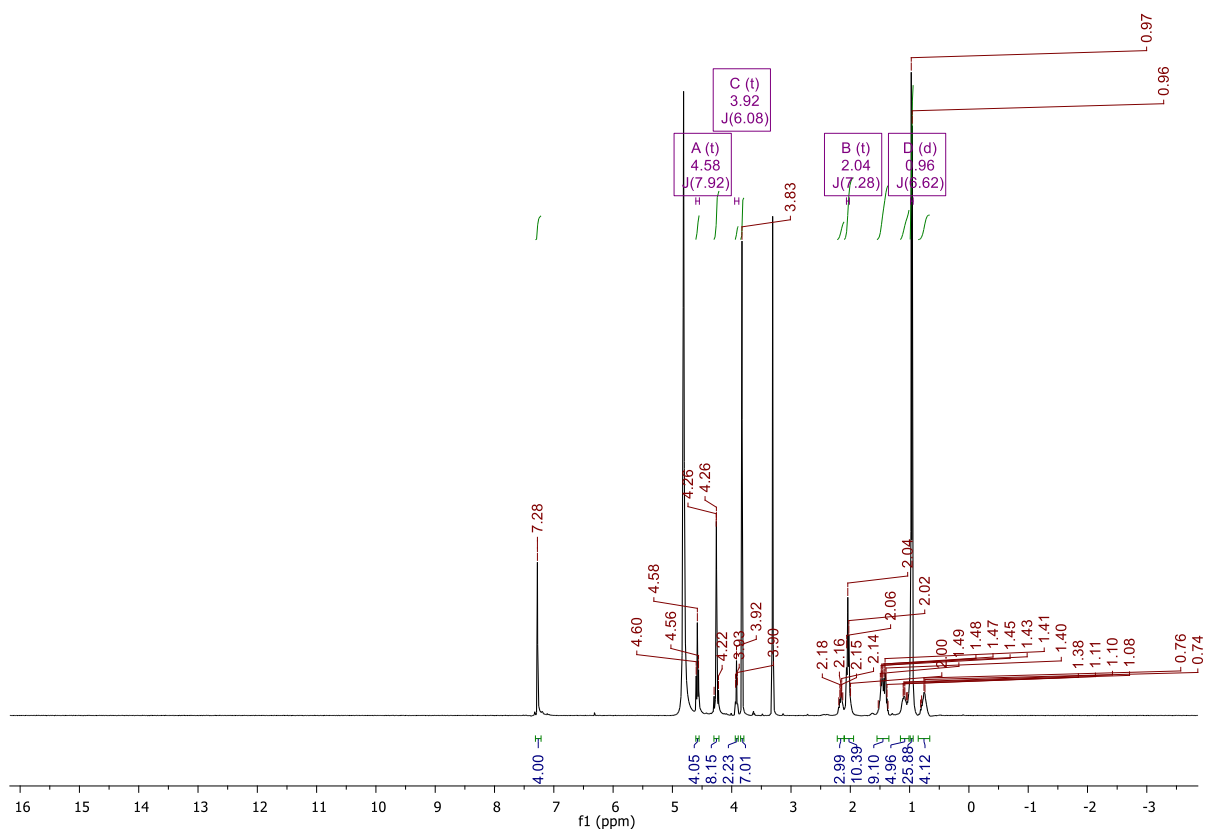


Figure S26.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L- and (*rac*)-lysine methyl ester.

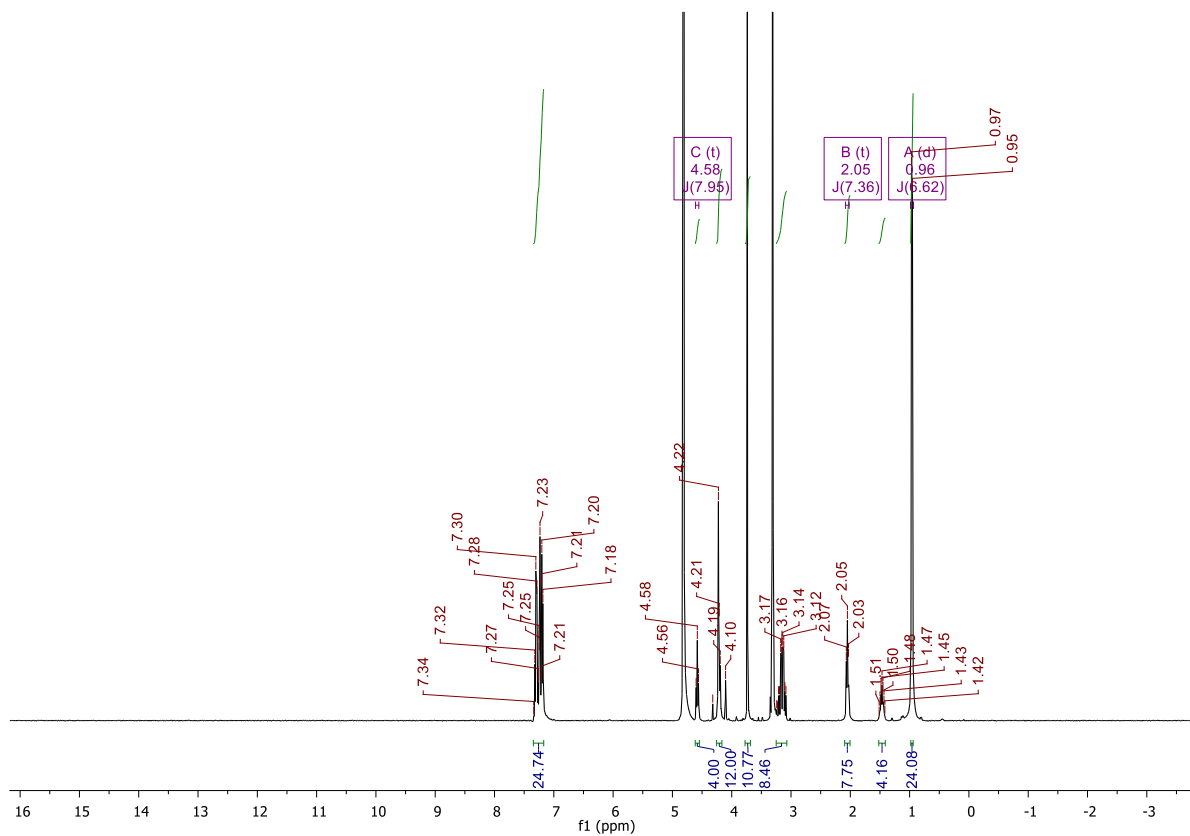


Figure S27.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{methanol-}d_4$ ) spectrum of complex of **1** with L-phenylalanine methyl ester.

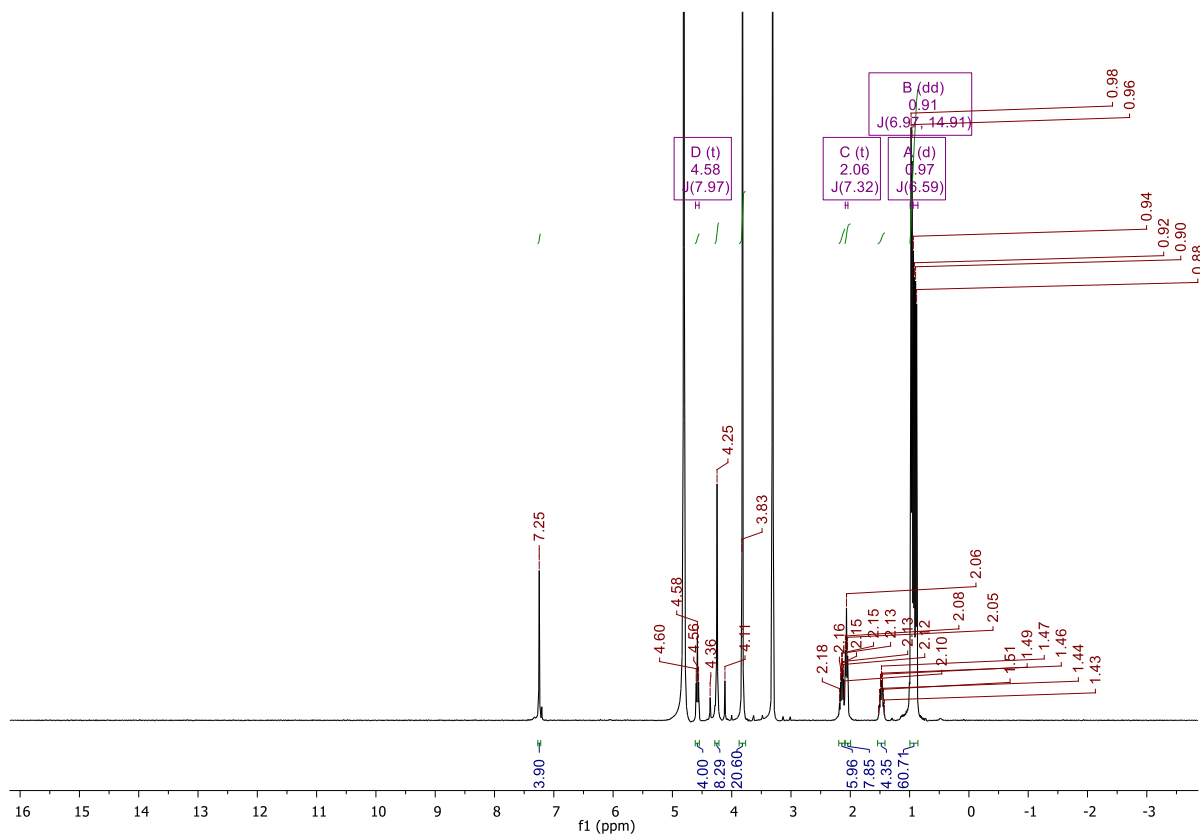


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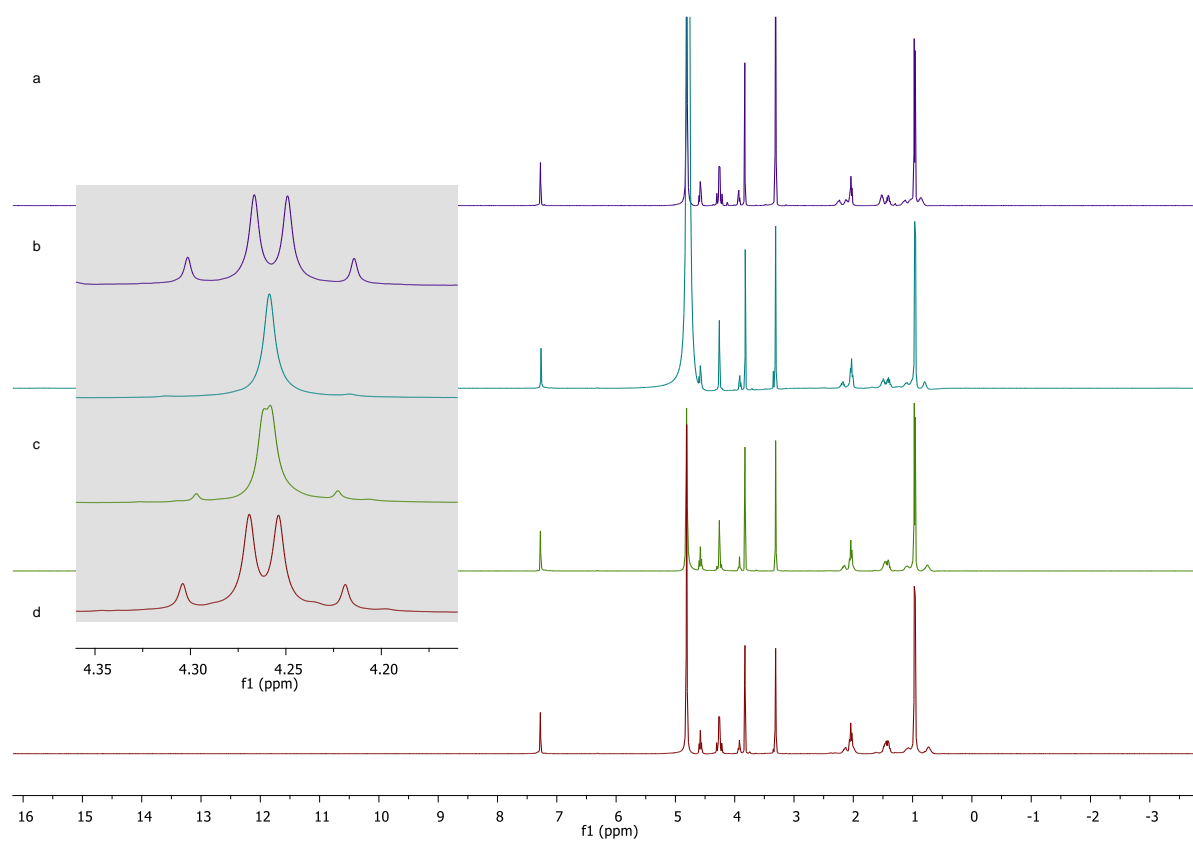


Figure S29.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectra of complexes of **1** with (a) L-lysine methyl ester; (b) (*rac*)-lysine methyl ester; (c) mixture of L- and (*rac*)-lysine methyl ester and (d) D-lysine methyl ester. Inset (grey) depicts  $f$  protons of **1**.

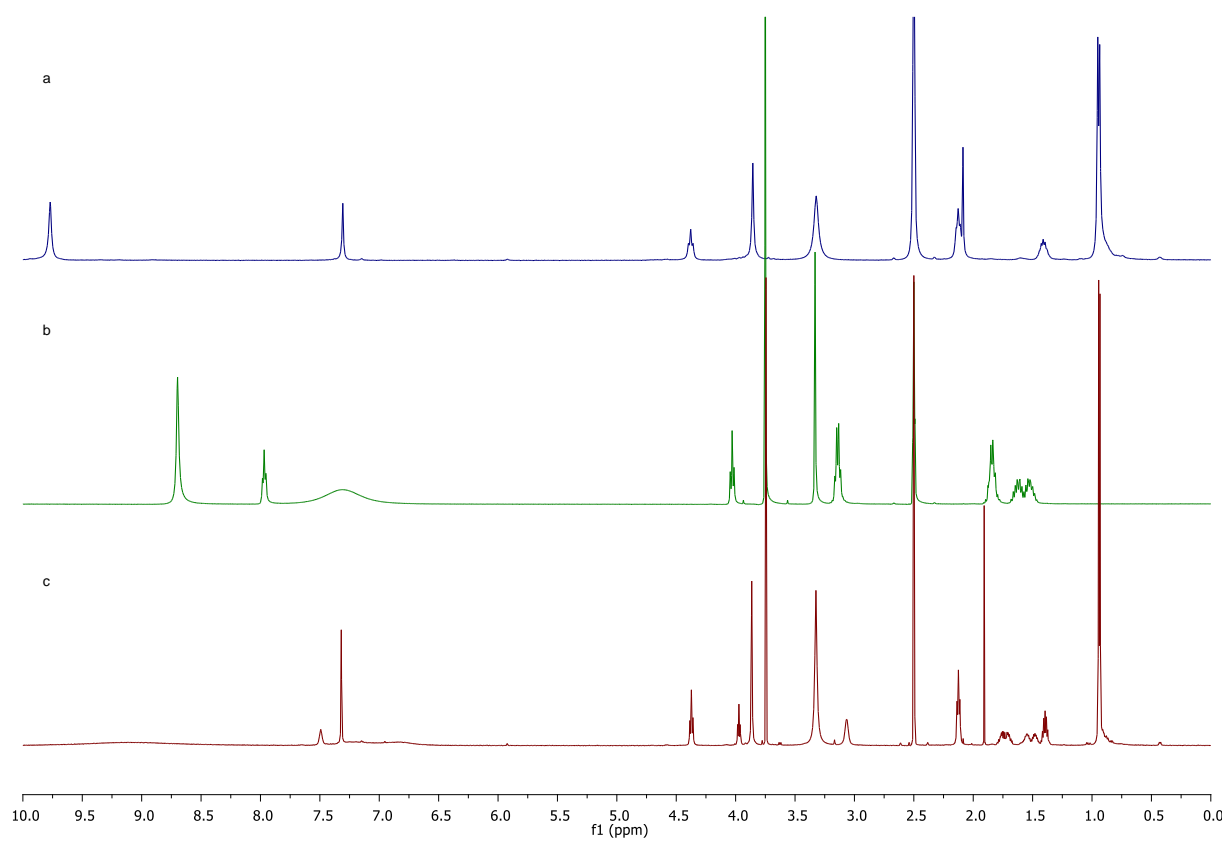


Figure S30. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz and 600MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectra of (a) **1**; (b) L-arginine methyl ester; (c) **1**(ArgOMe)<sub>2</sub>.

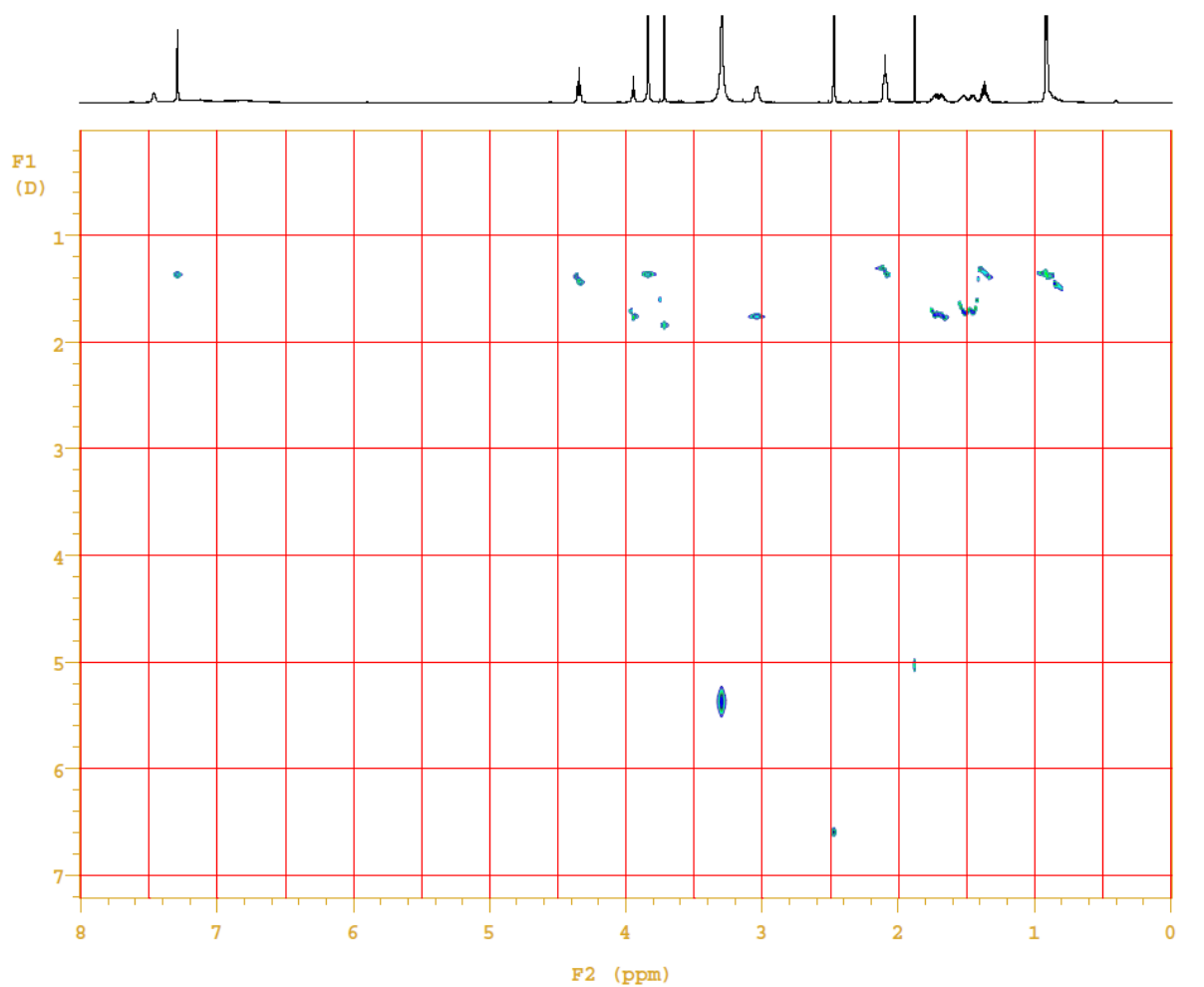


Figure S31. DOSY NMR spectrum of **1**(ArgOMe)<sub>2</sub> DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, at 298K, 600 MHz.

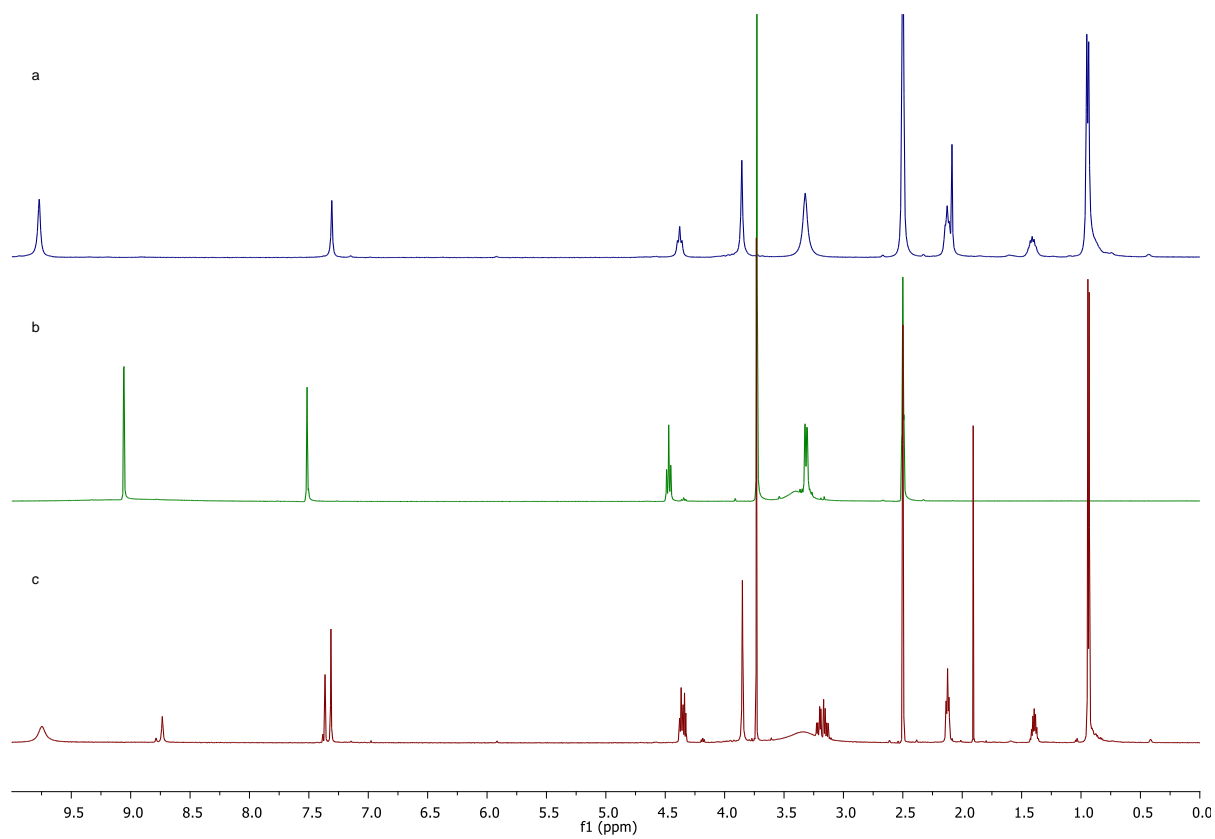


Figure S32. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz and 600MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectra of (a) **1**; (b) L-histidine methyl ester; (c) **1**(HisOMe)<sub>2</sub>.

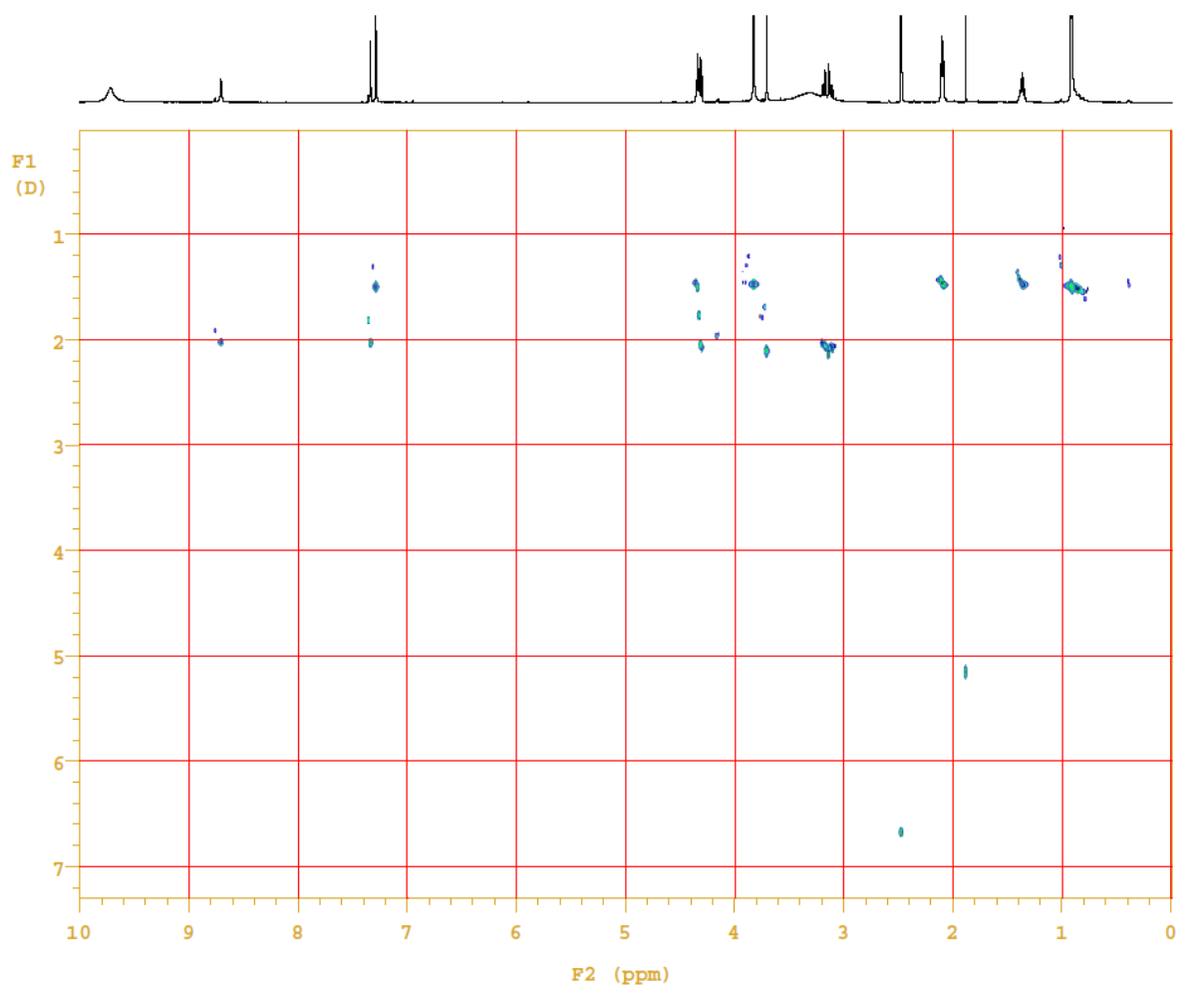


Figure S33. DOSY NMR spectrum of **1**(HisOMe)<sub>2</sub> DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, at 298K, 600 MHz.

### 1.3. NMR spectra of chiral cavitands

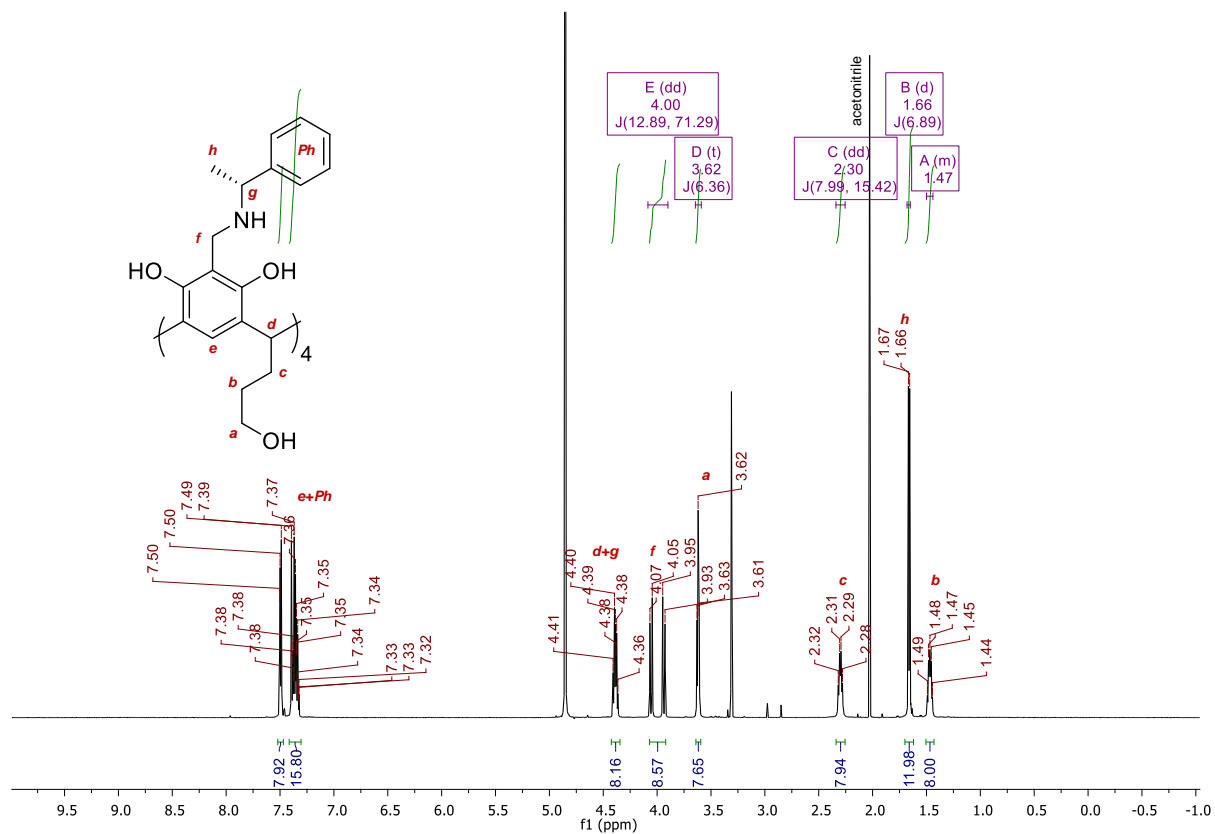


Figure S34.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of *(R)*-2.

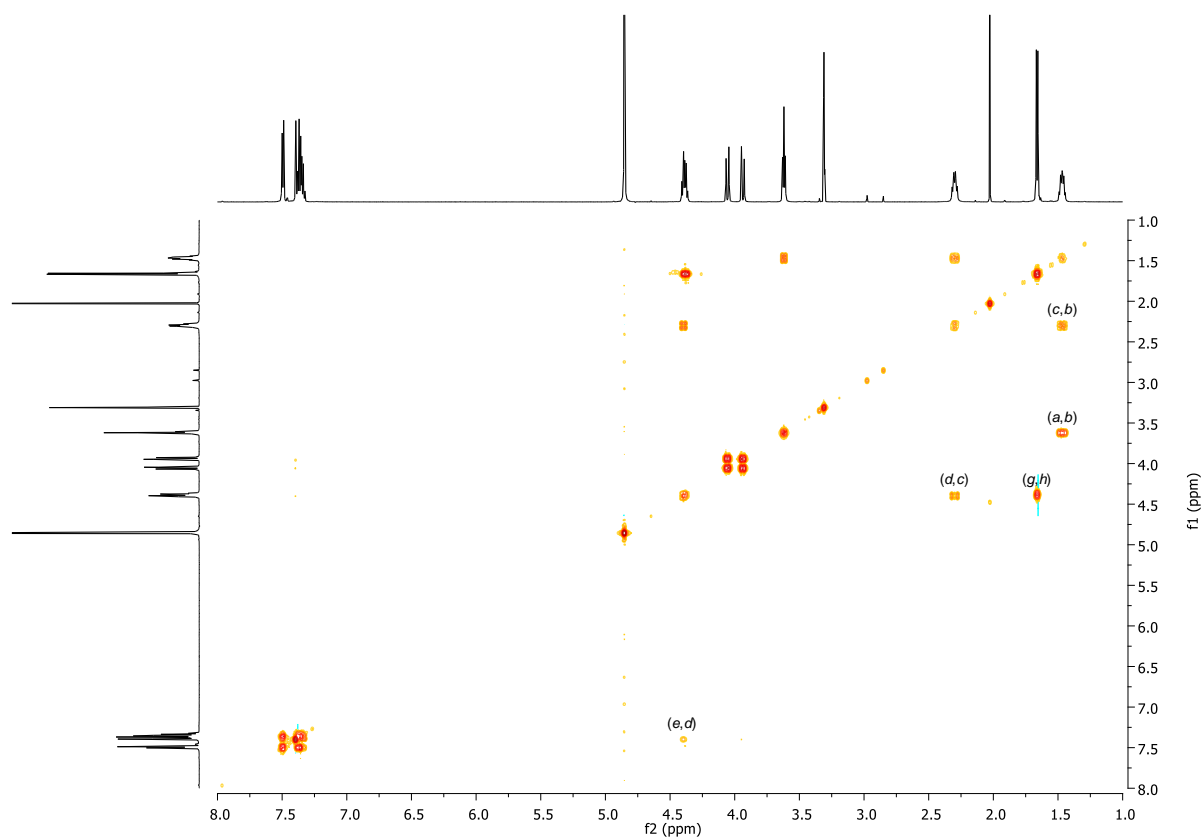


Figure S35. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

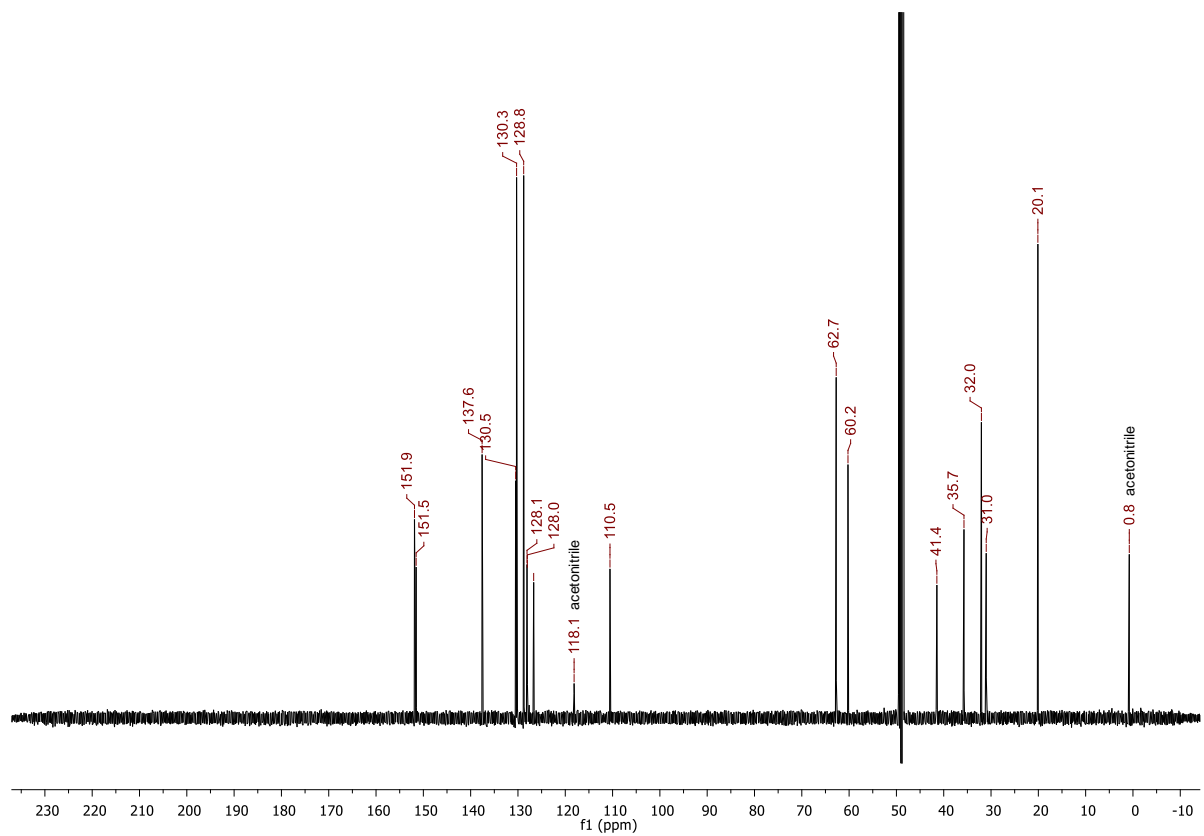


Figure S36.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

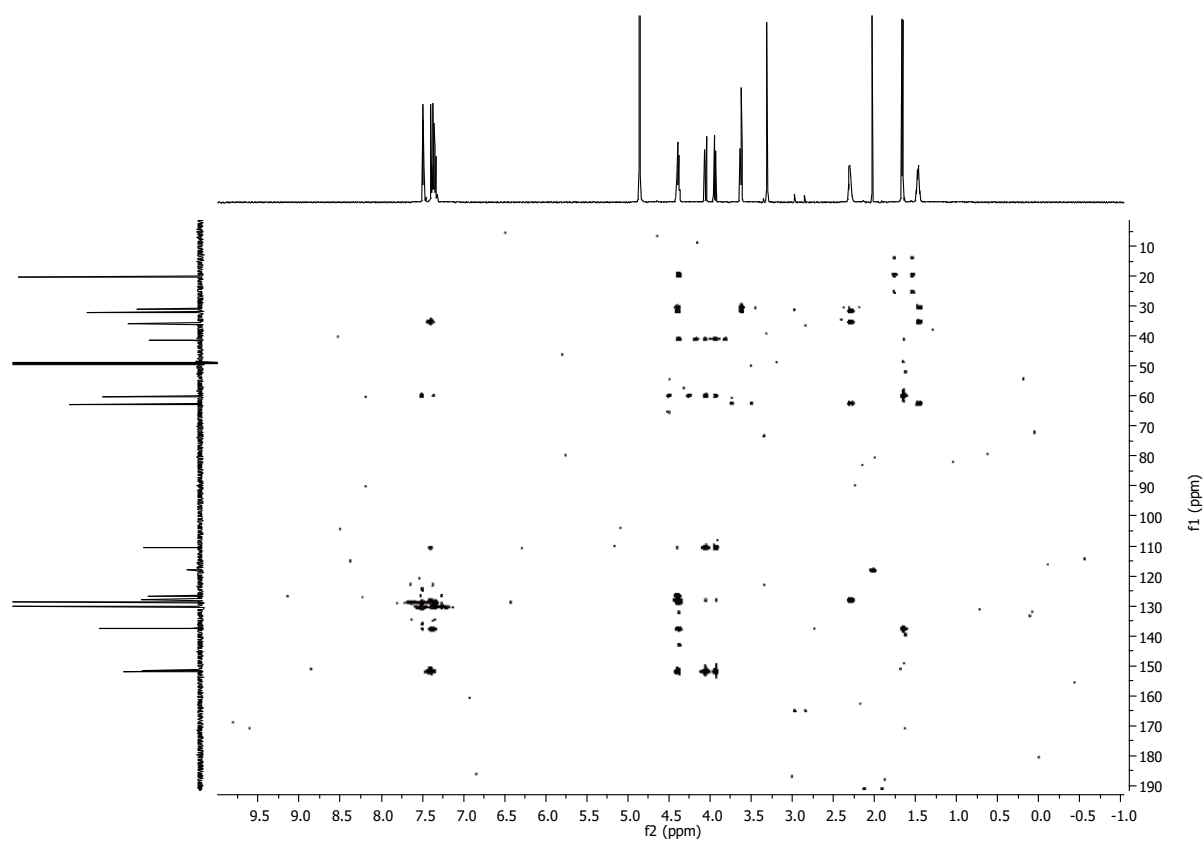


Figure S37. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

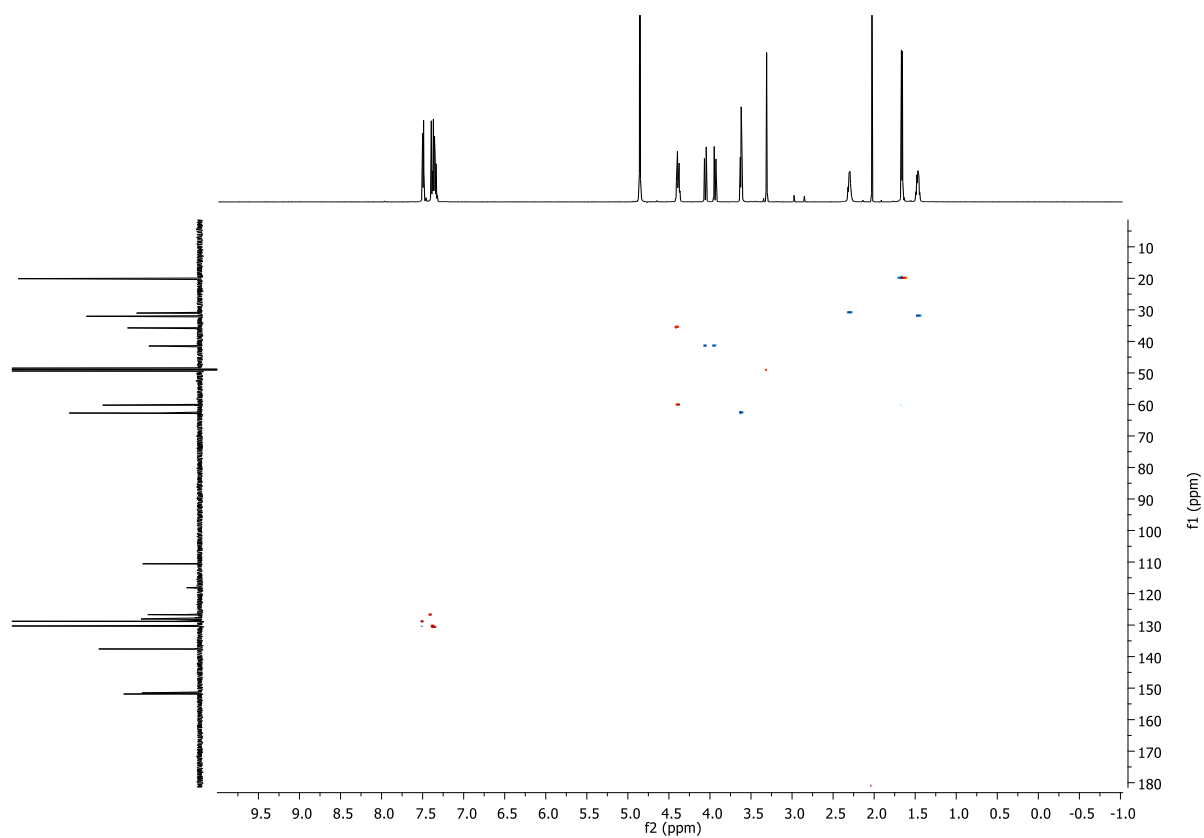


Figure S38. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.



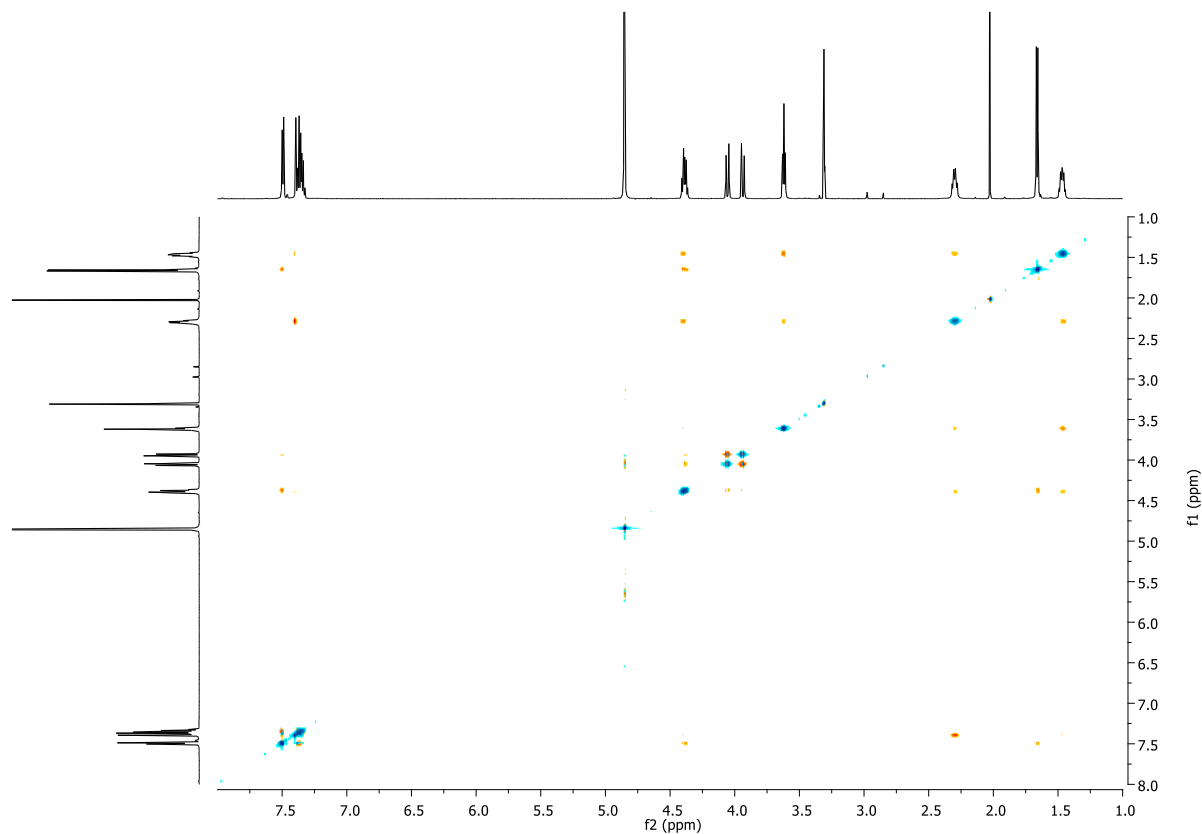


Figure S39. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-2.

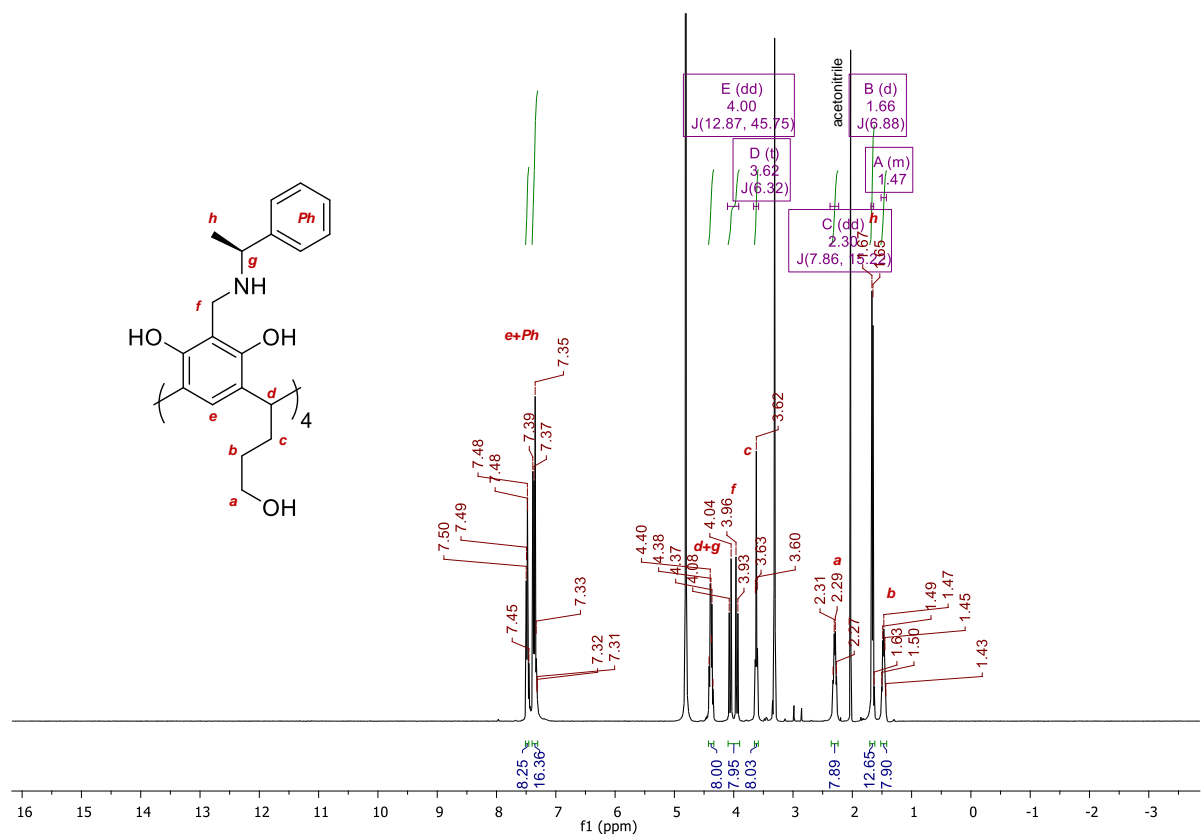


Figure S40. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*S*)-2.

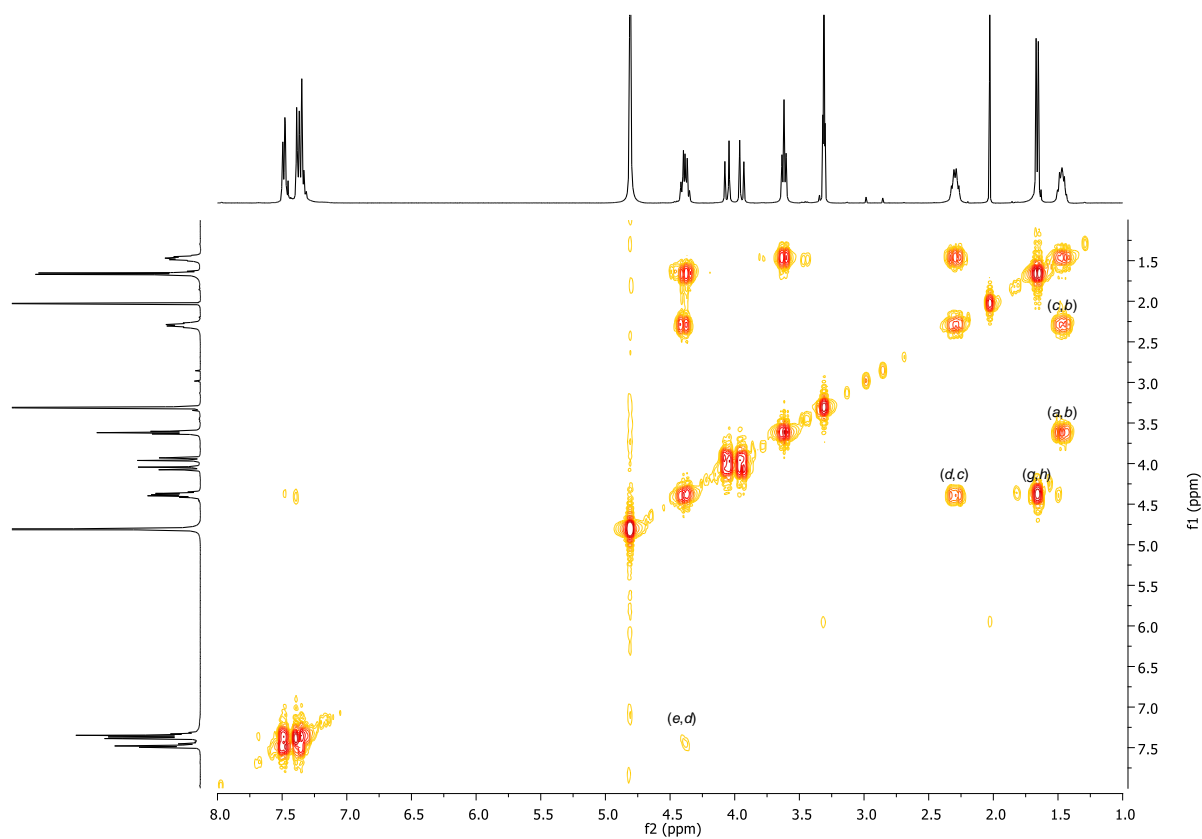


Figure S41 COSY NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*S*)-**2**.

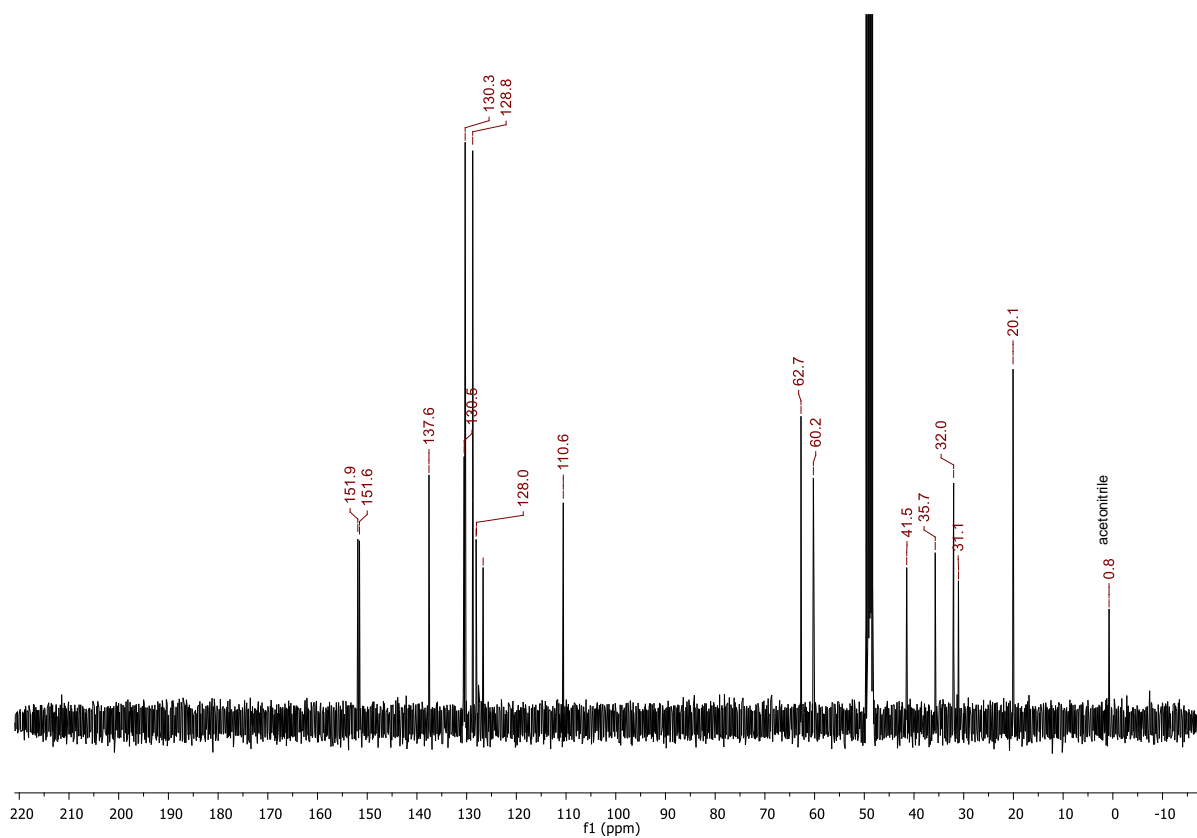


Figure S42.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of (*S*)-**2**.

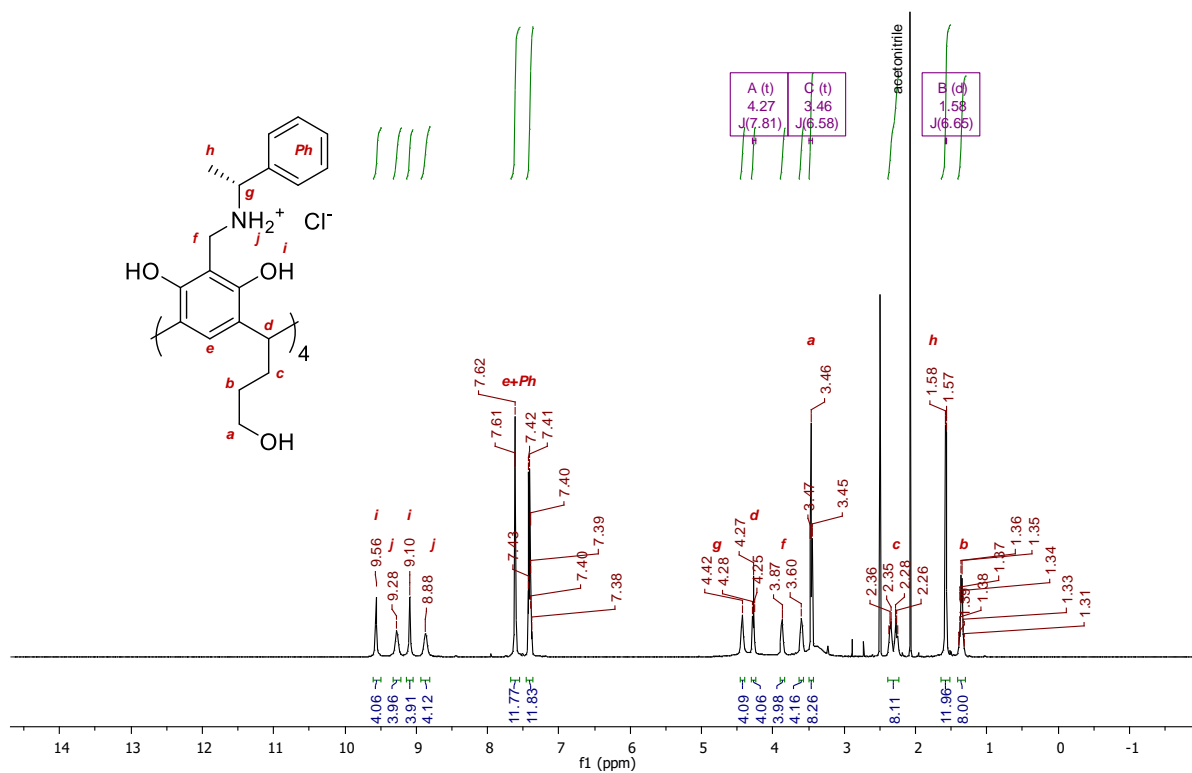


Figure S43. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of (*R*)-2.

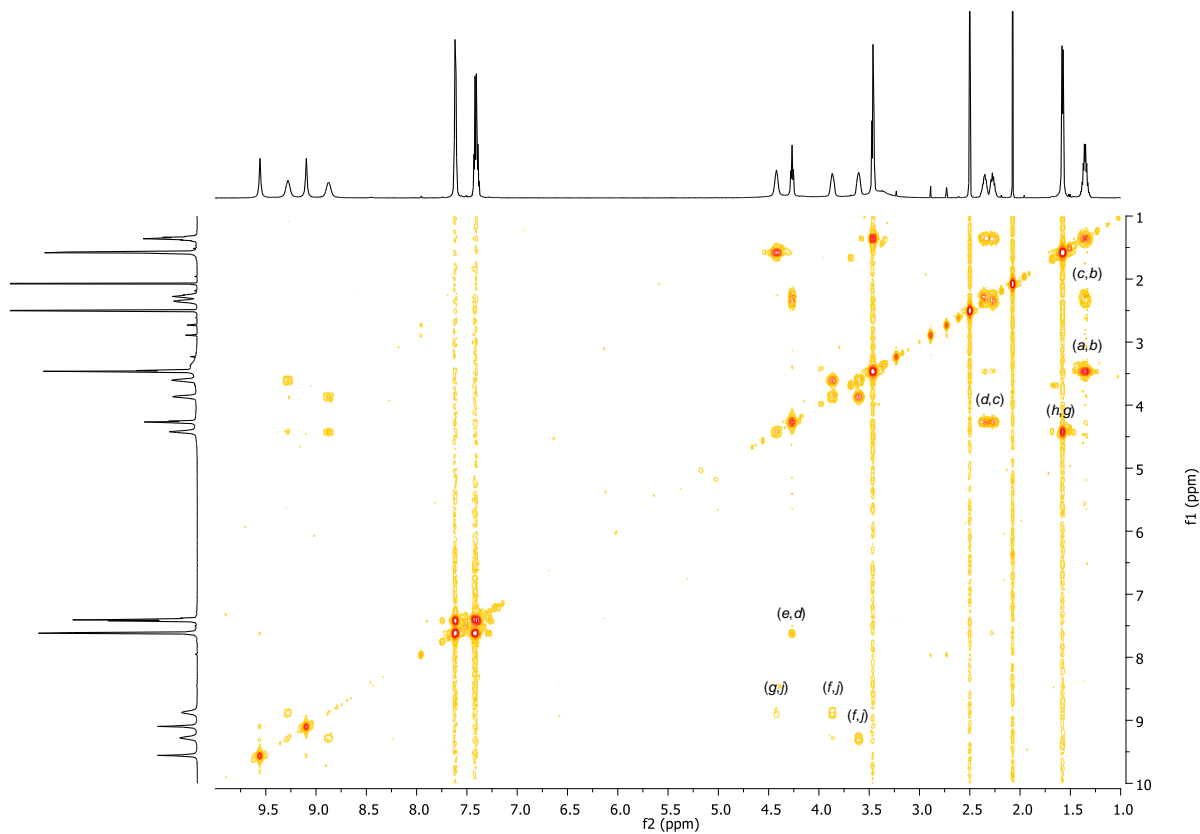


Figure S44. COSY NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of (*R*)-2.

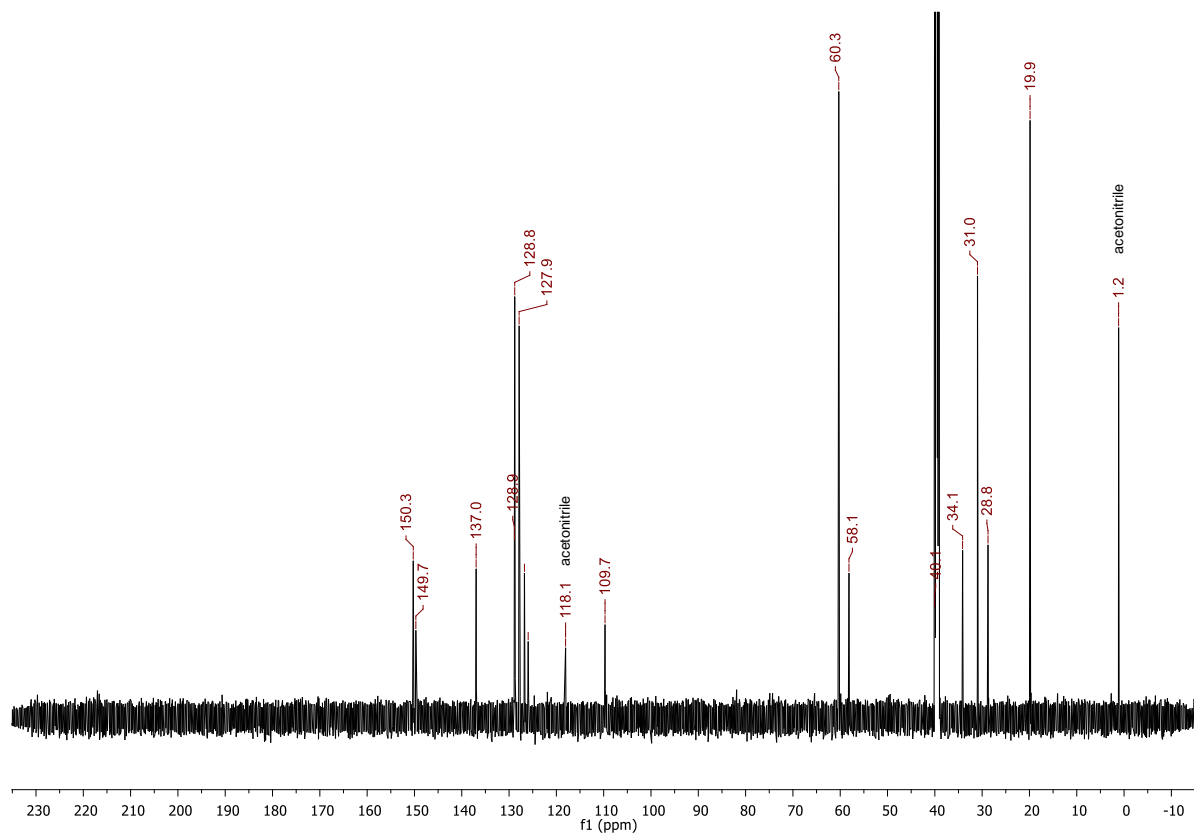


Figure S45.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz,  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

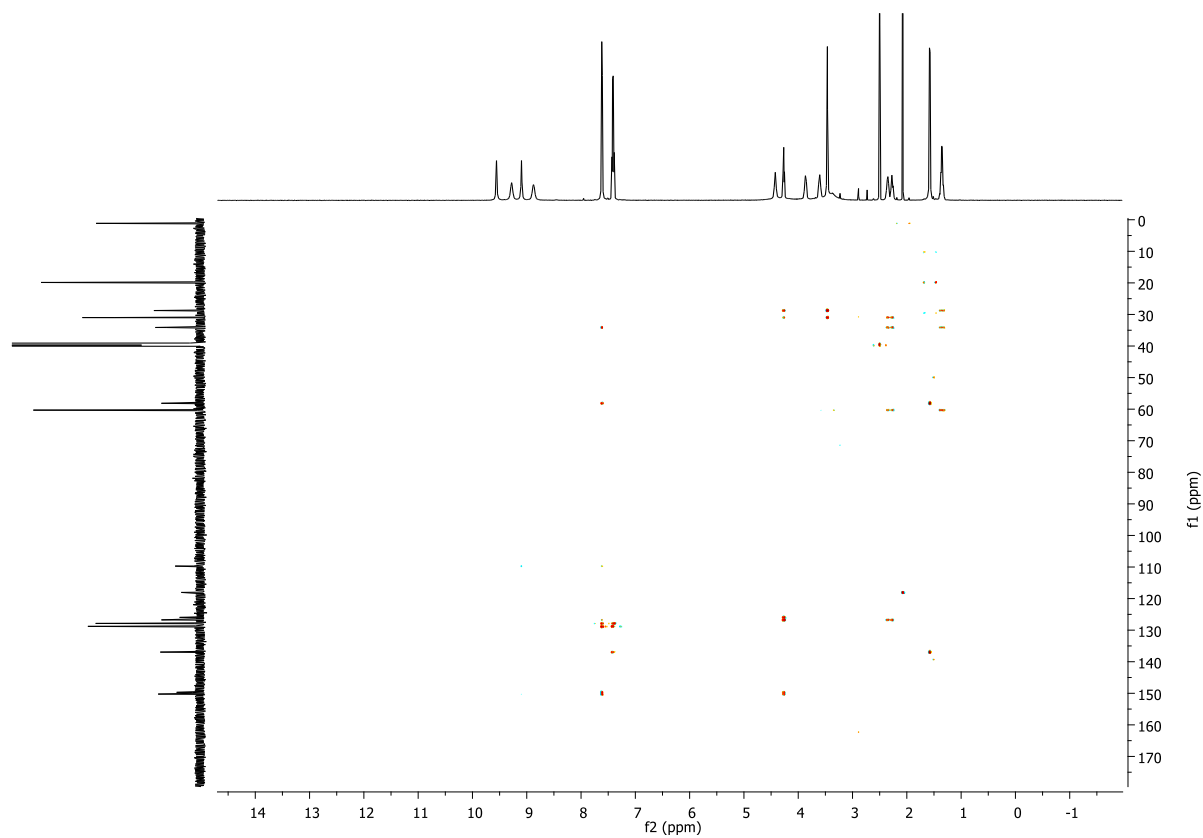


Figure S46. HMBC NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

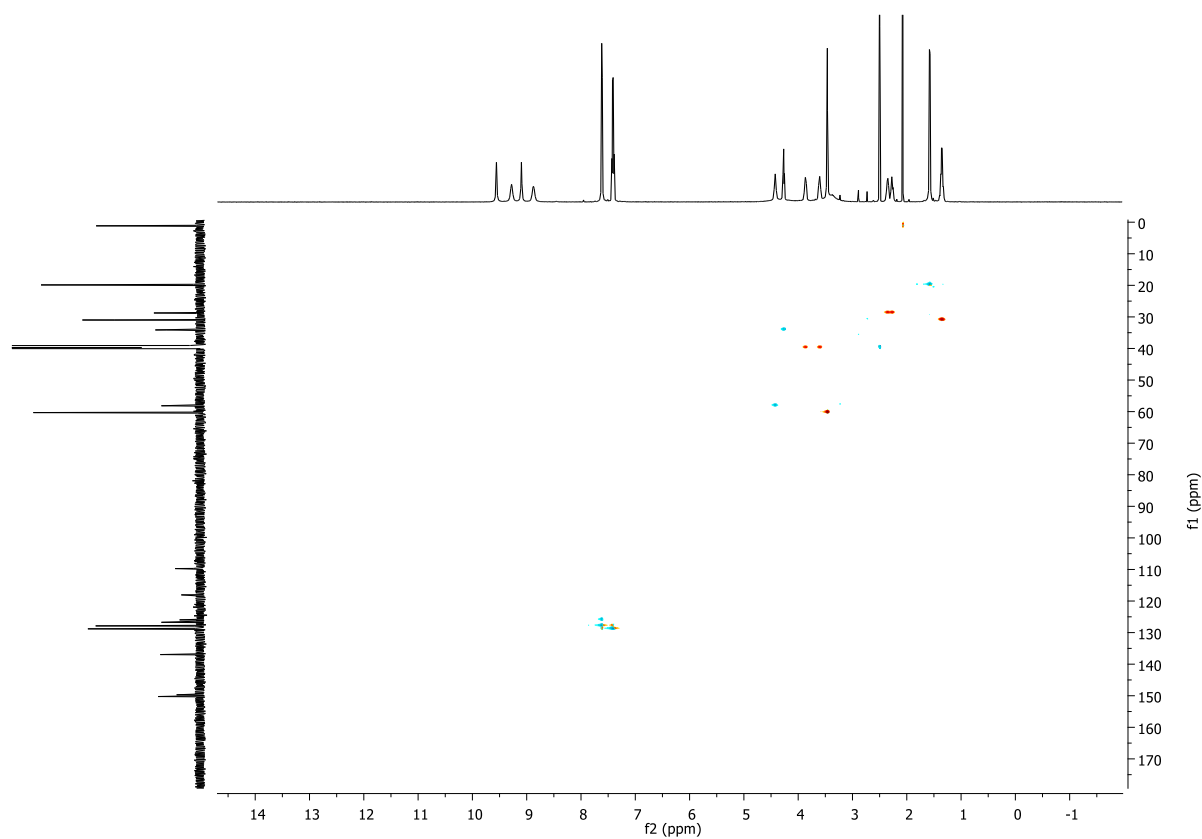


Figure S47. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

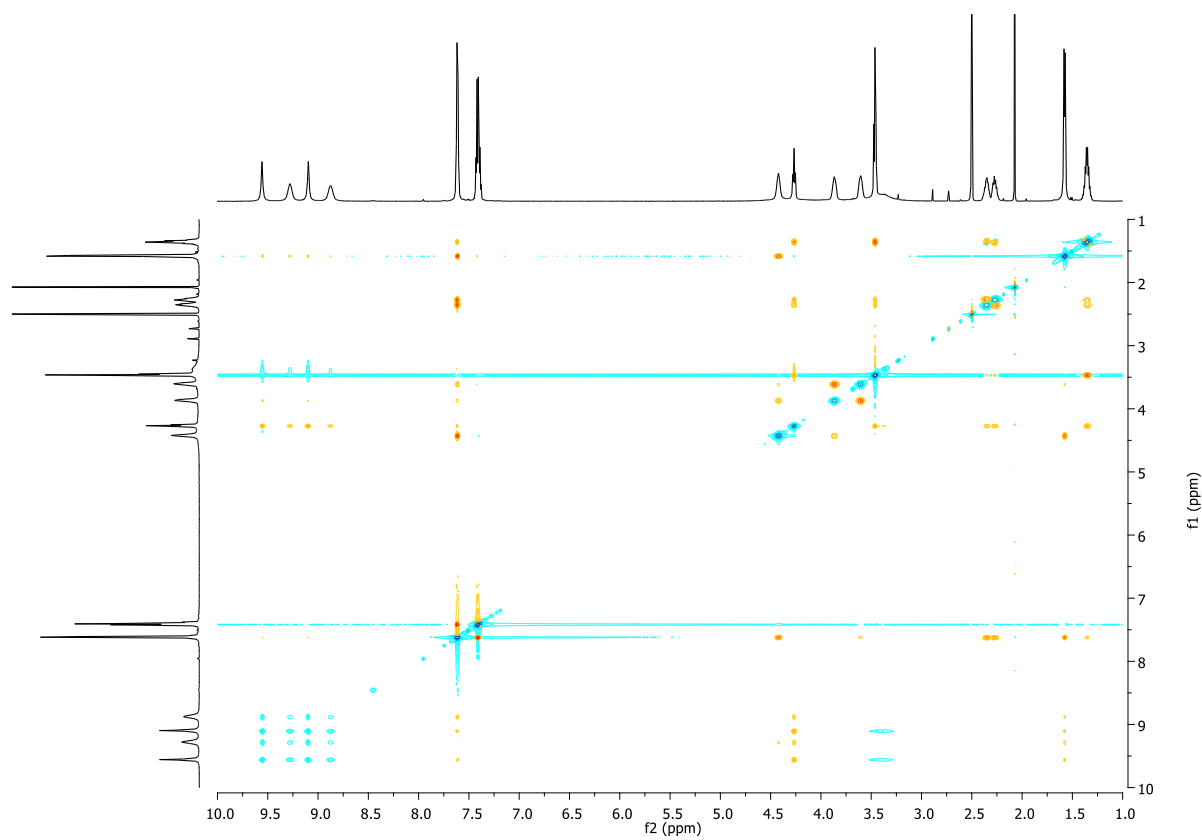


Figure S48. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of (*R*)-**2**.

## 1.4. NMR spectra of capsules

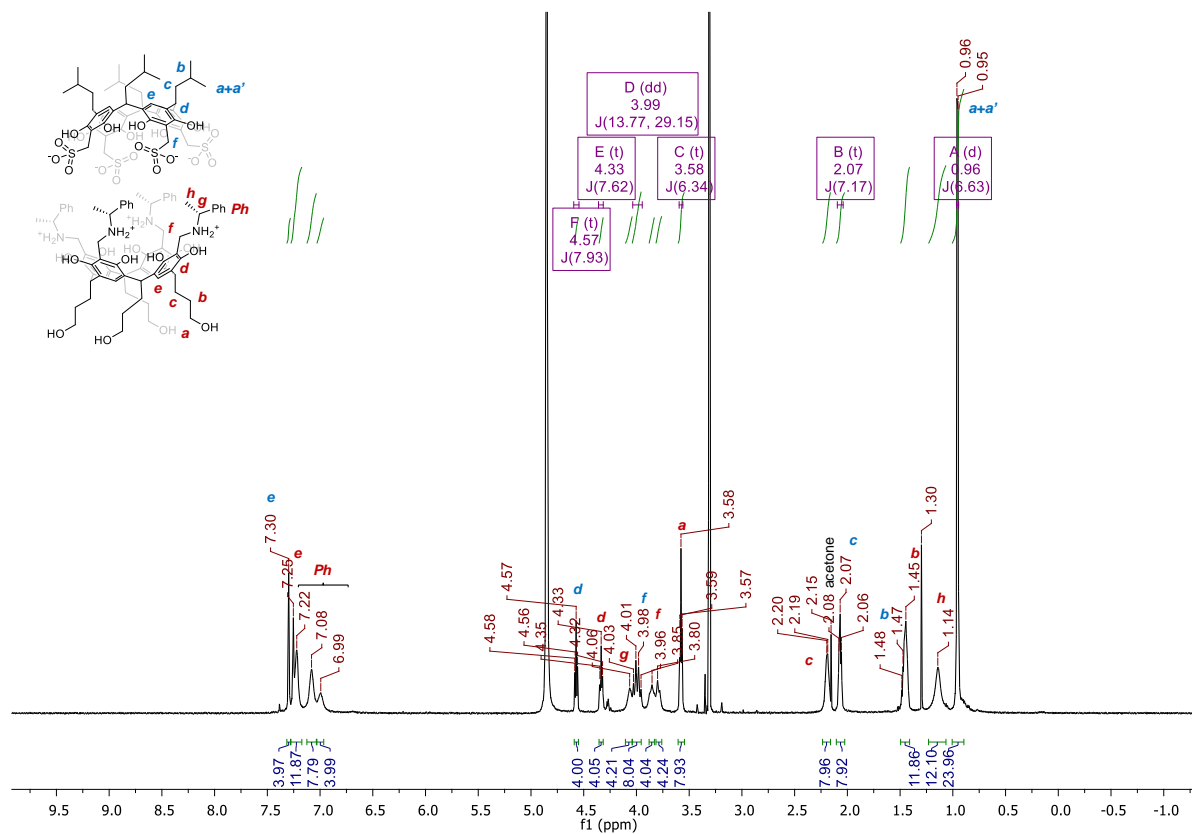


Figure S49. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub>) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (R)-**2**.

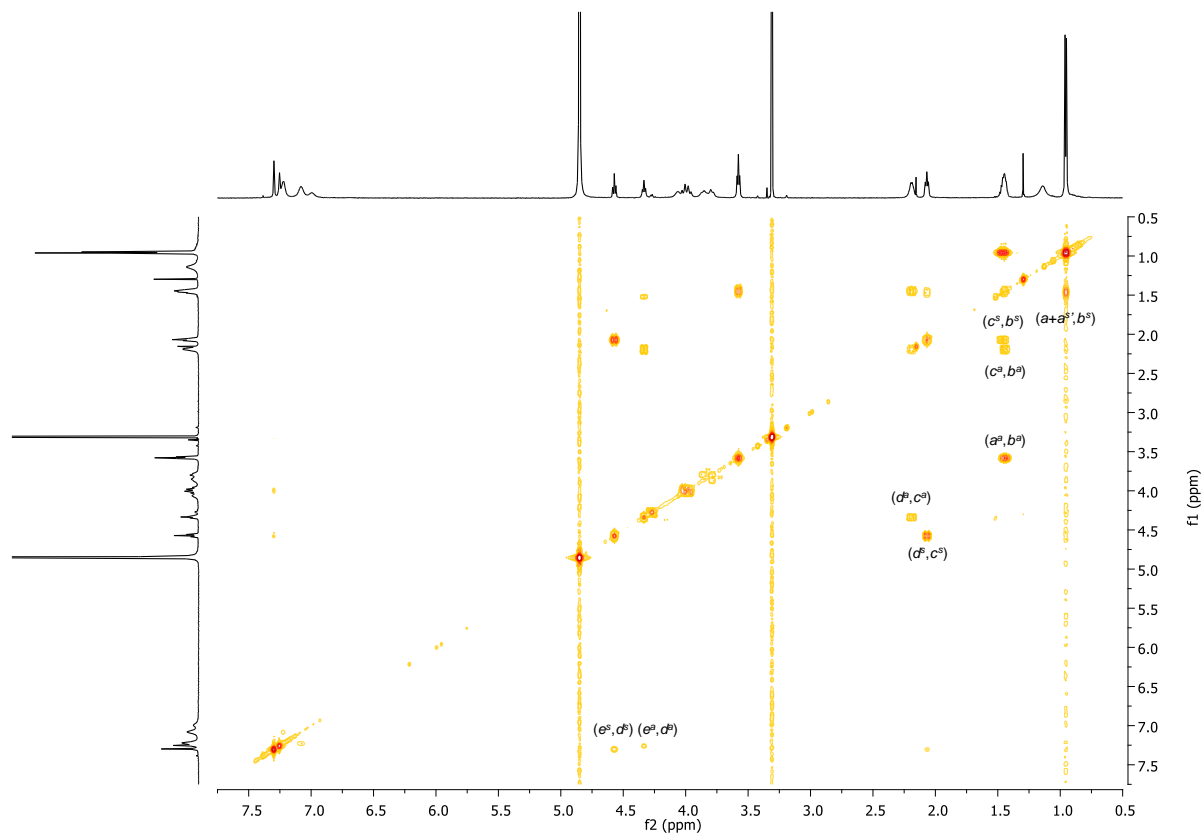


Figure S50. COSY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

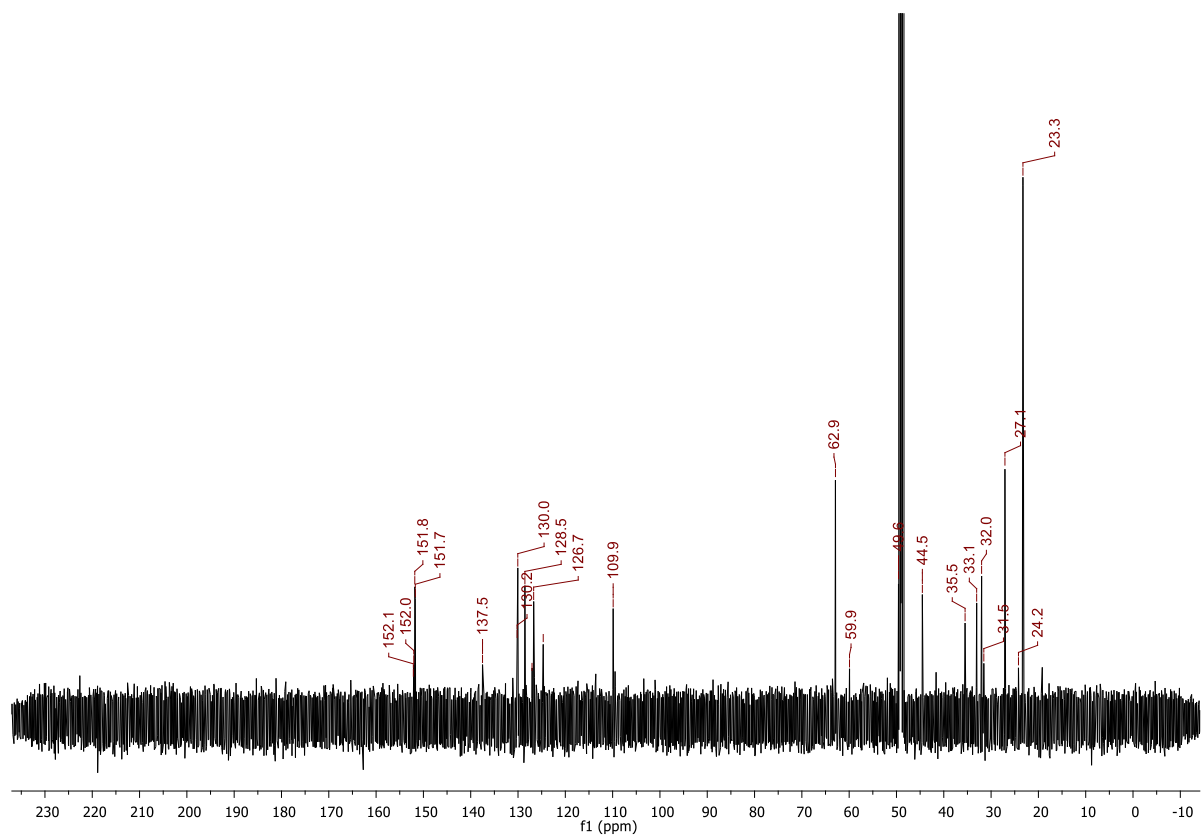


Figure S51.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

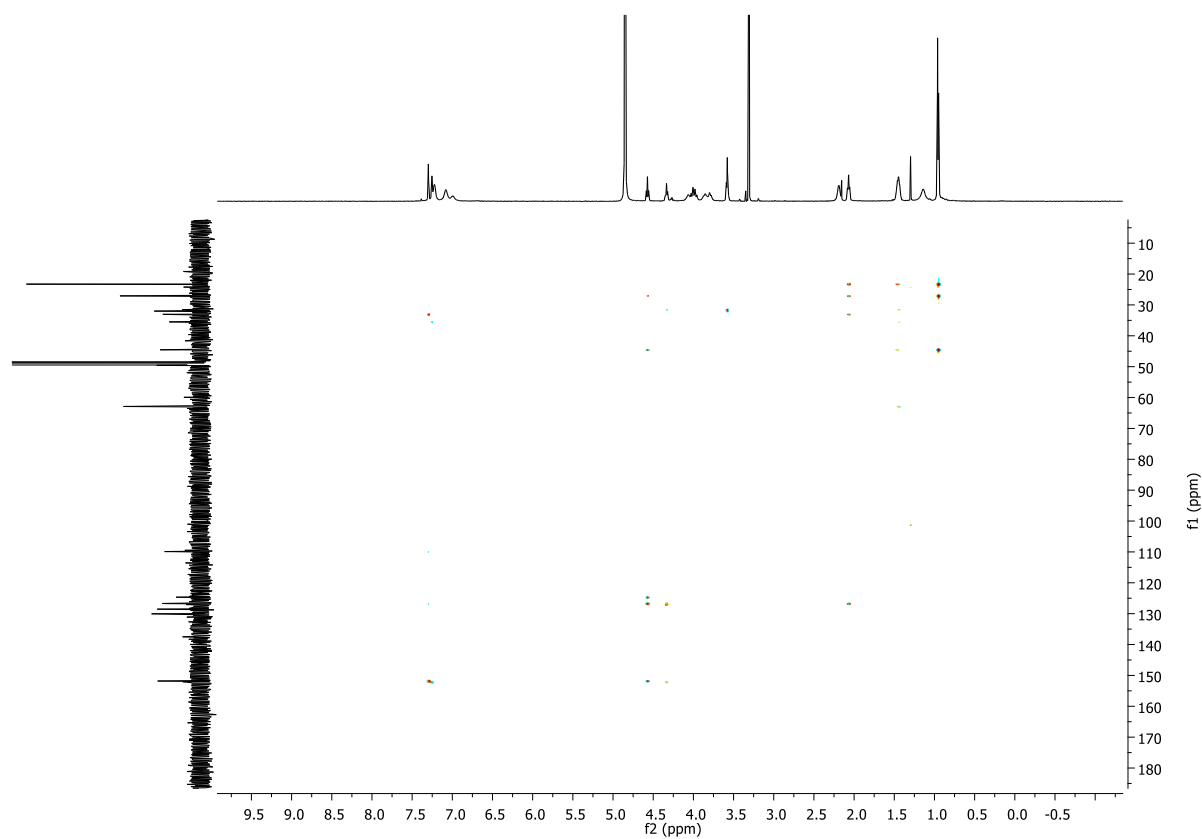


Figure S52. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

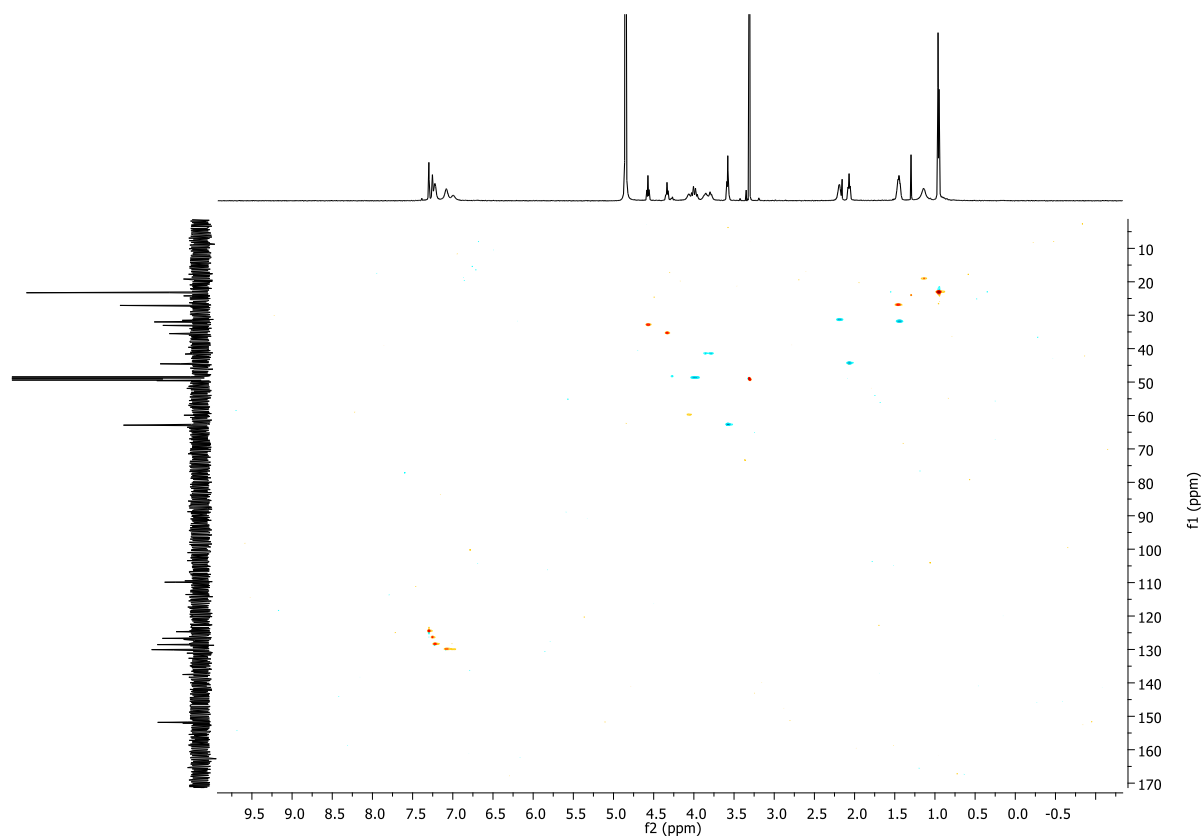


Figure S53. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.



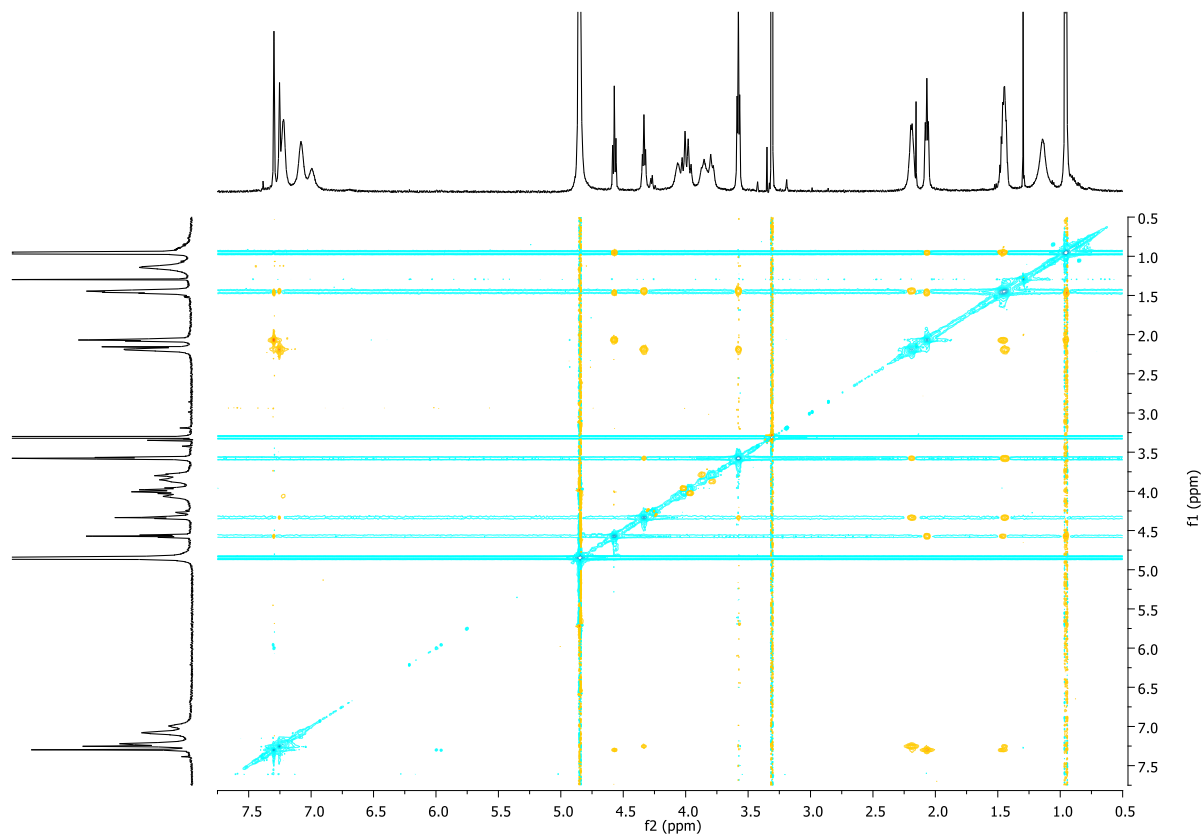


Figure S54. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (R)-**2**.

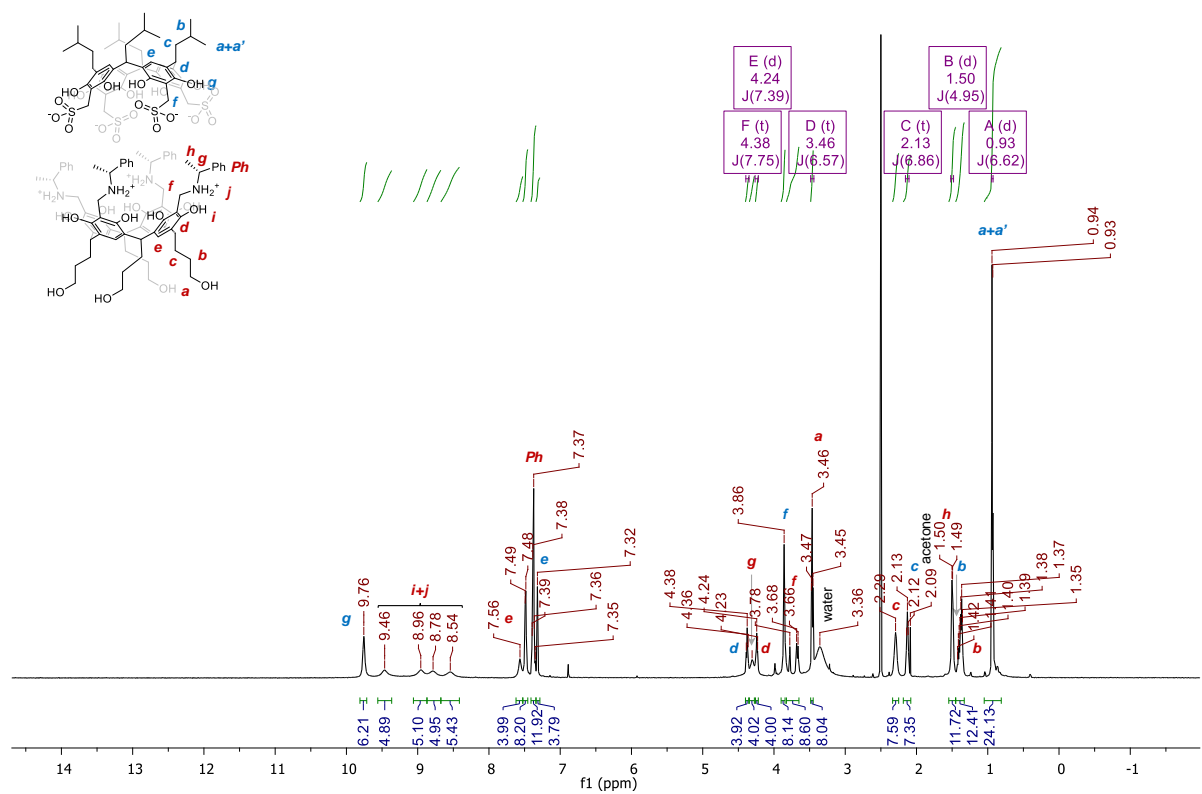


Figure S55.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (R)-**2**.

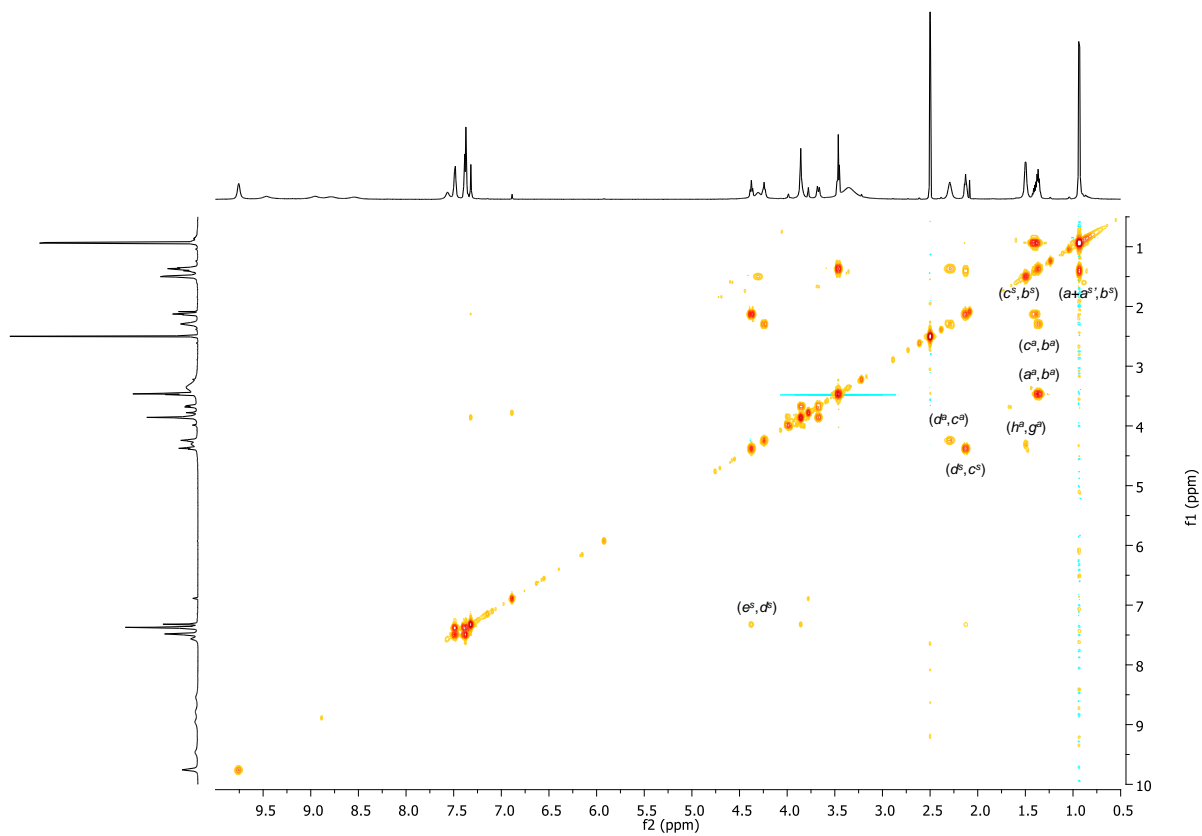


Figure S56. COSY NMR (600 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

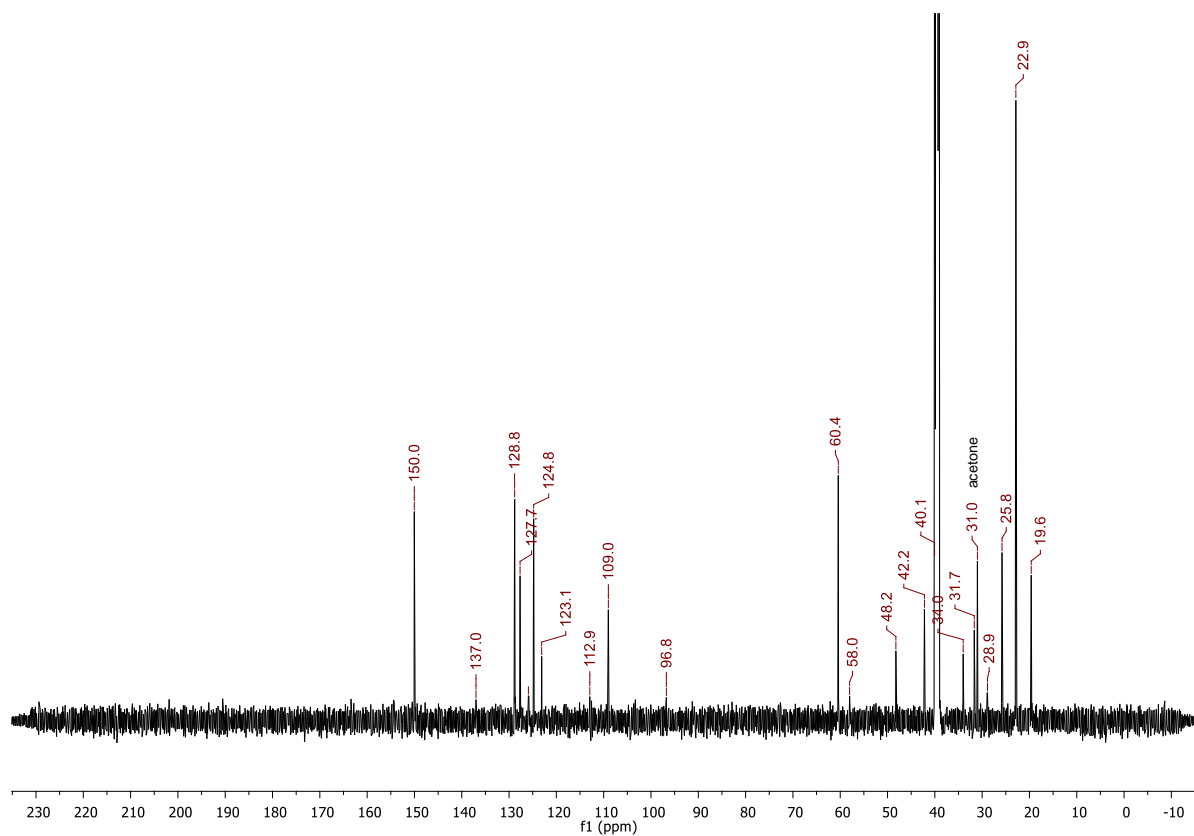


Figure S57.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (150 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

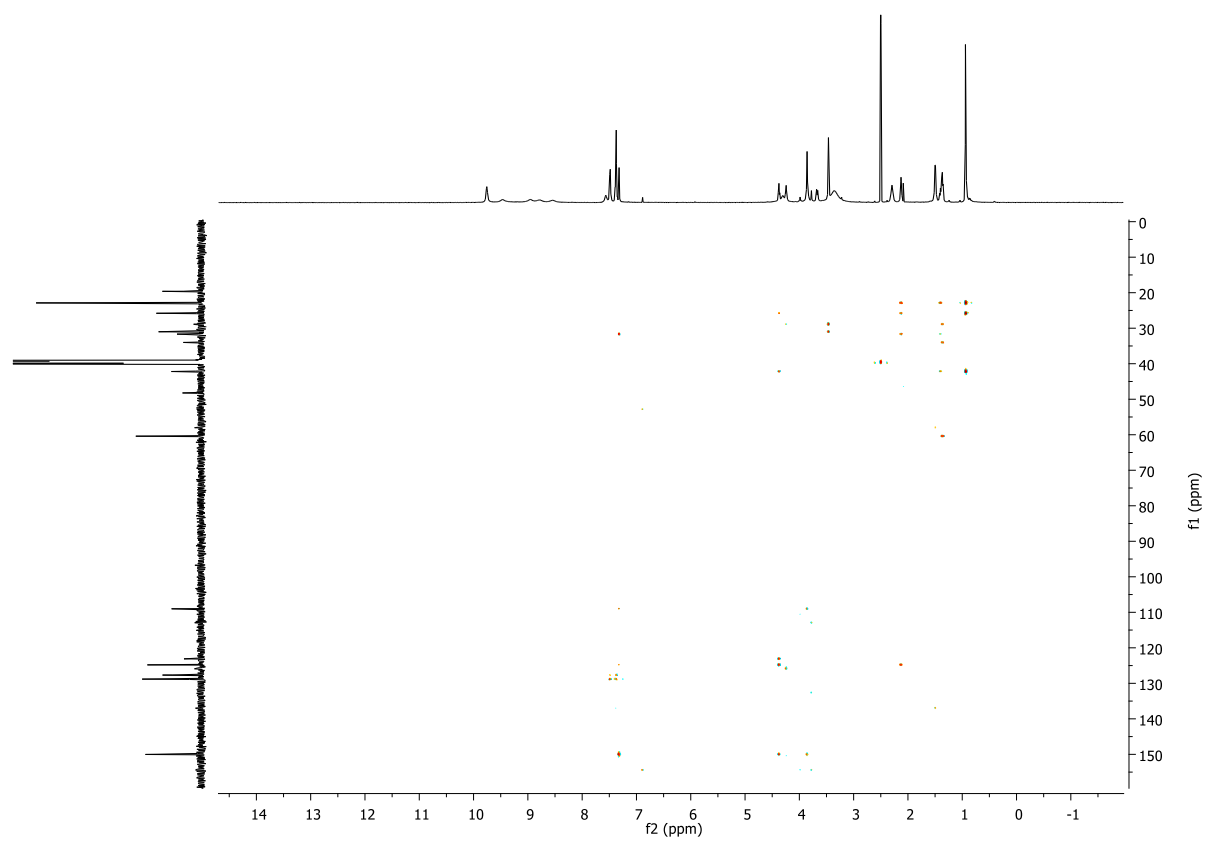


Figure S58. HMBC NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

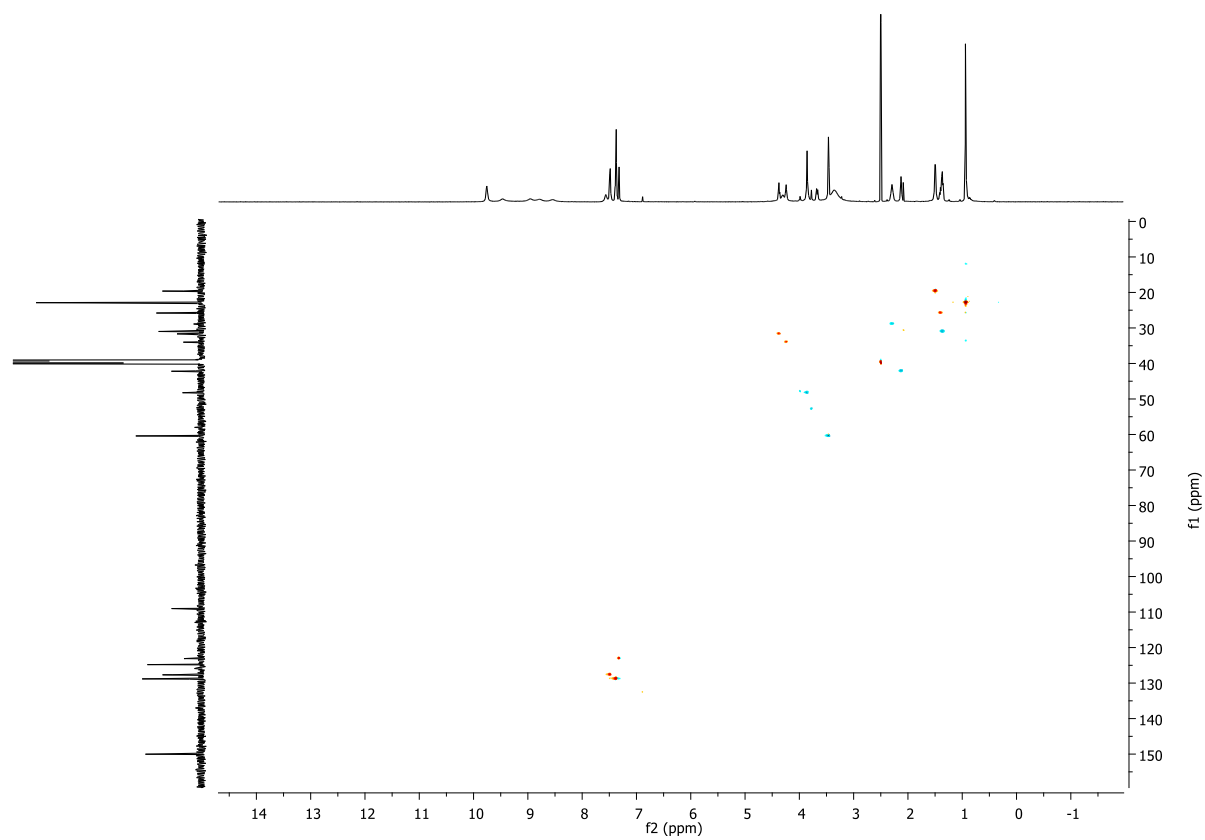


Figure S59. HSQC NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

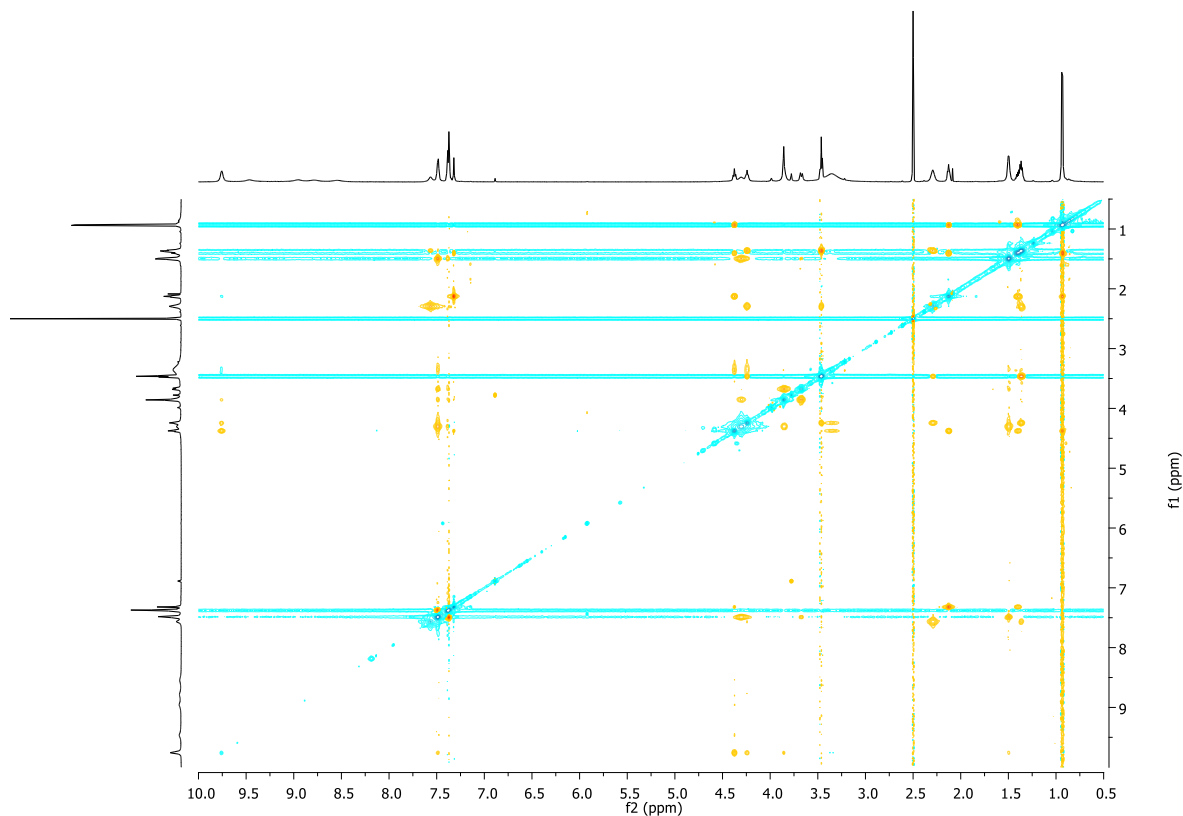


Figure S60. ROESY NMR (600 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.

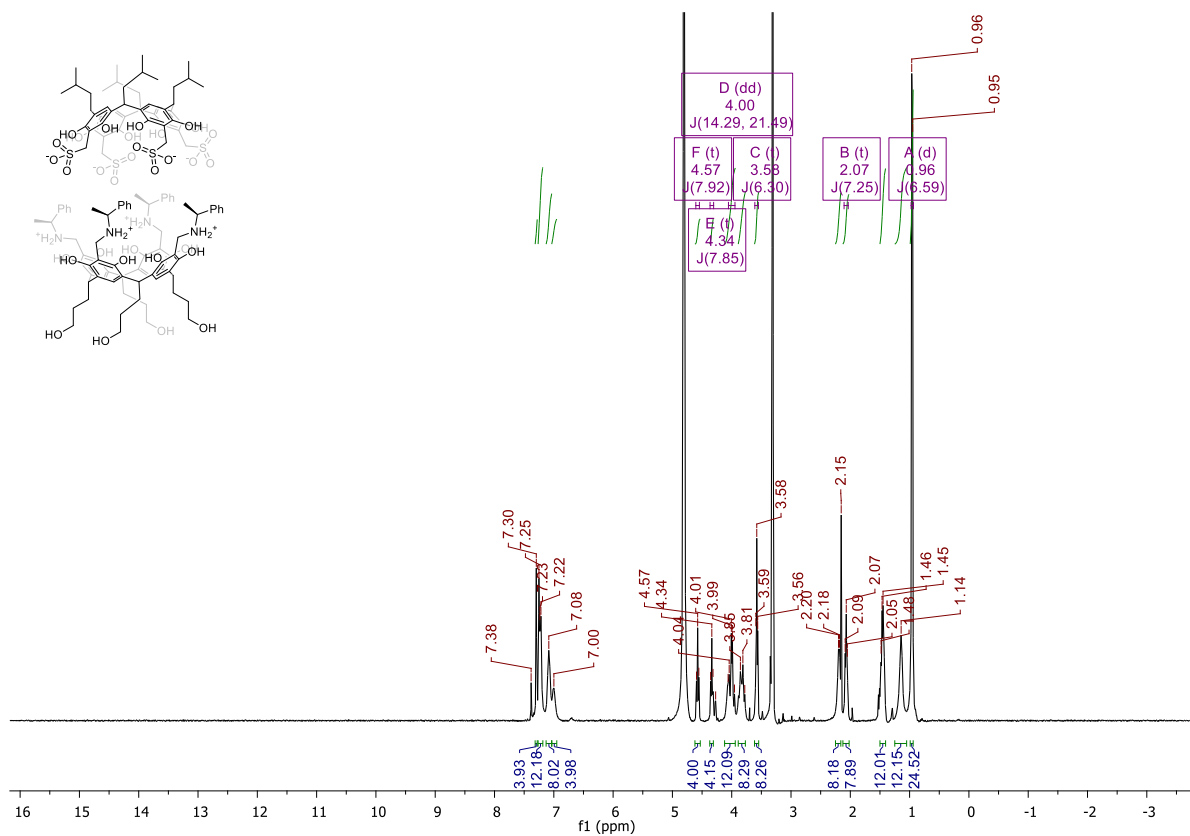


Figure S61.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, methanol- $d_4$ ) spectrum of capsule composed of **1** + (*S*)-**2**.

## 2. UV and ECD spectra

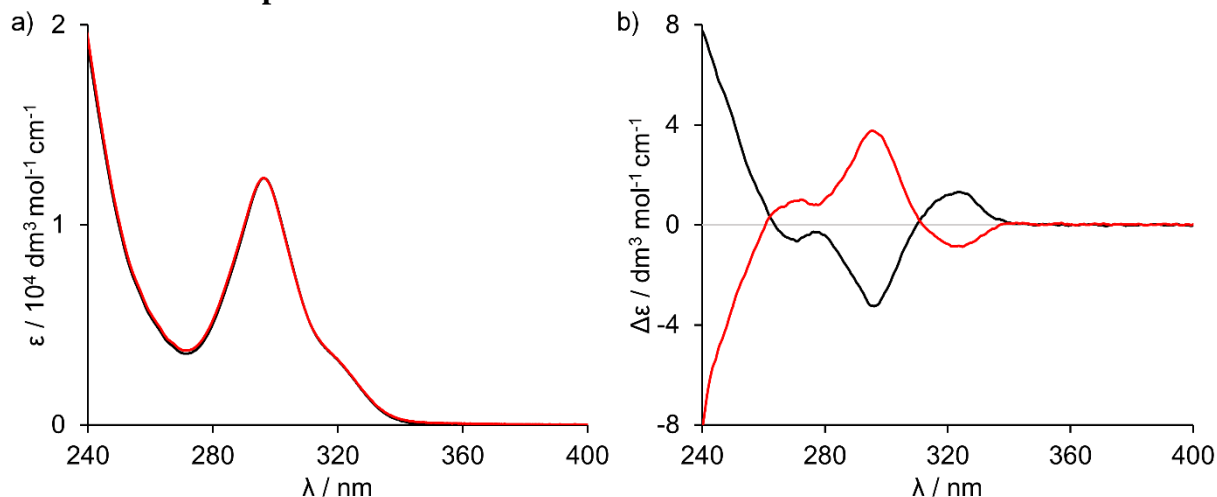


Figure S62. a) UV spectra of (R)-2 (black) and (S)-2 (red) in H<sub>2</sub>O; b) ECD spectra of (R)-2 (black) and (S)-2 (red) in H<sub>2</sub>O. The intensities of all spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 296 nm of sample (R)-2.

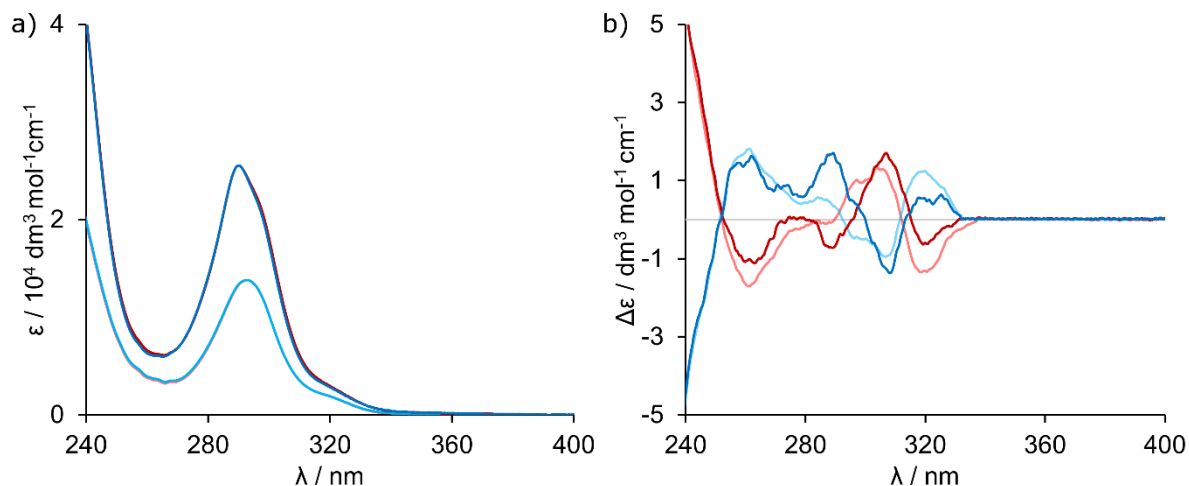


Figure S63. a) UV spectra of (R)-2 (light red), (S)-2 (light blue) and complexes 1 + (R)-2 (red), 1 + (S)-2 (blue) in CH<sub>3</sub>OH; b) ECD spectra of (R)-2 (light red), (S)-2 (light blue) and complexes 1 + (R)-2 (red), 1 + (S)-2 (blue) in CH<sub>3</sub>OH. The intensities of cavitaund spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 290 nm of sample (R)-2 whereas intensities of capsules spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 308 nm of sample 1 + (R)-2. The intensities of capsules spectra were multiplied by 2.

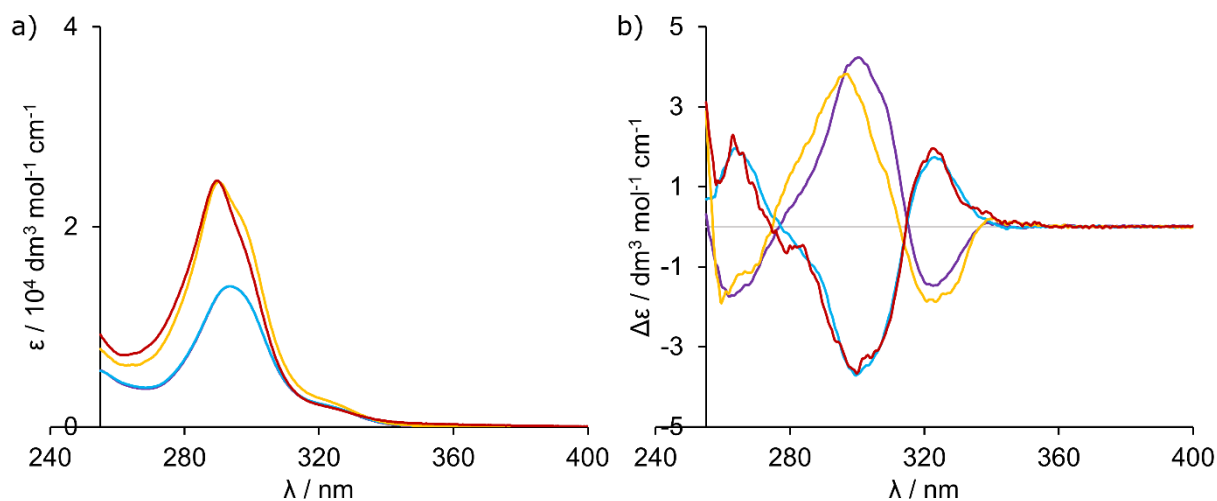


Figure S64. a) UV spectra of (*R*)-**2** (violet), (*S*)-**2** (light blue) and complexes **1** + (*R*)-**2** (yellow), **1** + (*S*)-**2** (red) in DMSO; b) ECD spectra of (*R*)-**2** (violet), (*S*)-**2** (light blue) and complexes **1** + (*R*)-**2** (yellow), **1** + (*S*)-**2** (red) in DMSO. The intensities of cavitand spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 293 nm of sample (*R*)-**2** whereas intensities of capsules spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 290 nm of sample **1** + (*R*)-**2**. The intensities of capsules spectra were multiplied by 2.

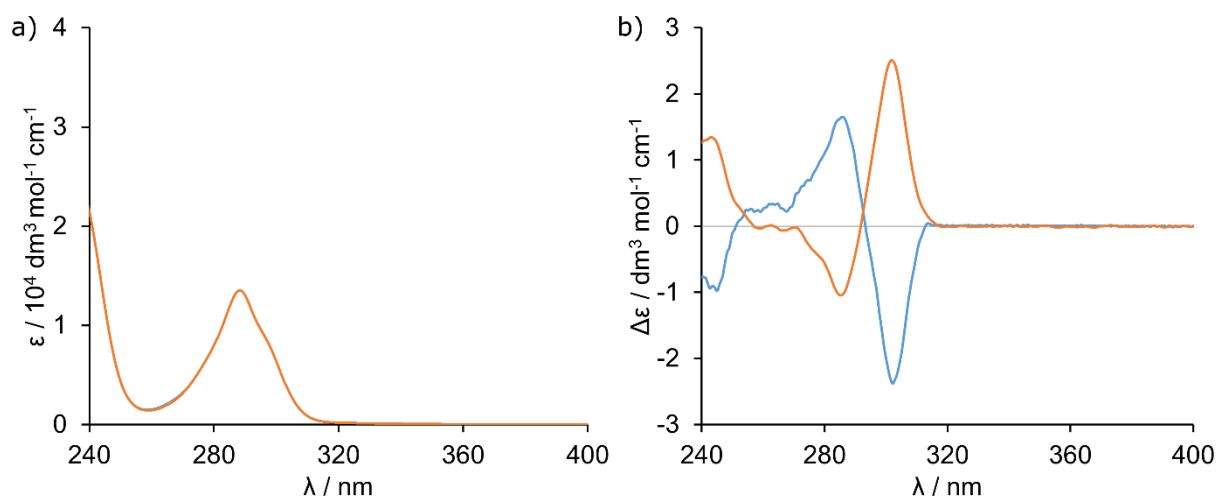


Figure S65. a) UV spectra of **1**(L-LysOMe)<sub>2</sub> (orange) and **1**(D-LysOMe)<sub>2</sub> (blue) in CH<sub>3</sub>OH; b) ECD spectra of **1**(L-LysOMe)<sub>2</sub> (orange) and **1**(D-LysOMe)<sub>2</sub> (blue) in CH<sub>3</sub>OH. The intensities of all spectra were normalized by using the UV band at 296 nm of sample **1**(L-LysOMe)<sub>2</sub>.

### 3. ESIMS spectrum

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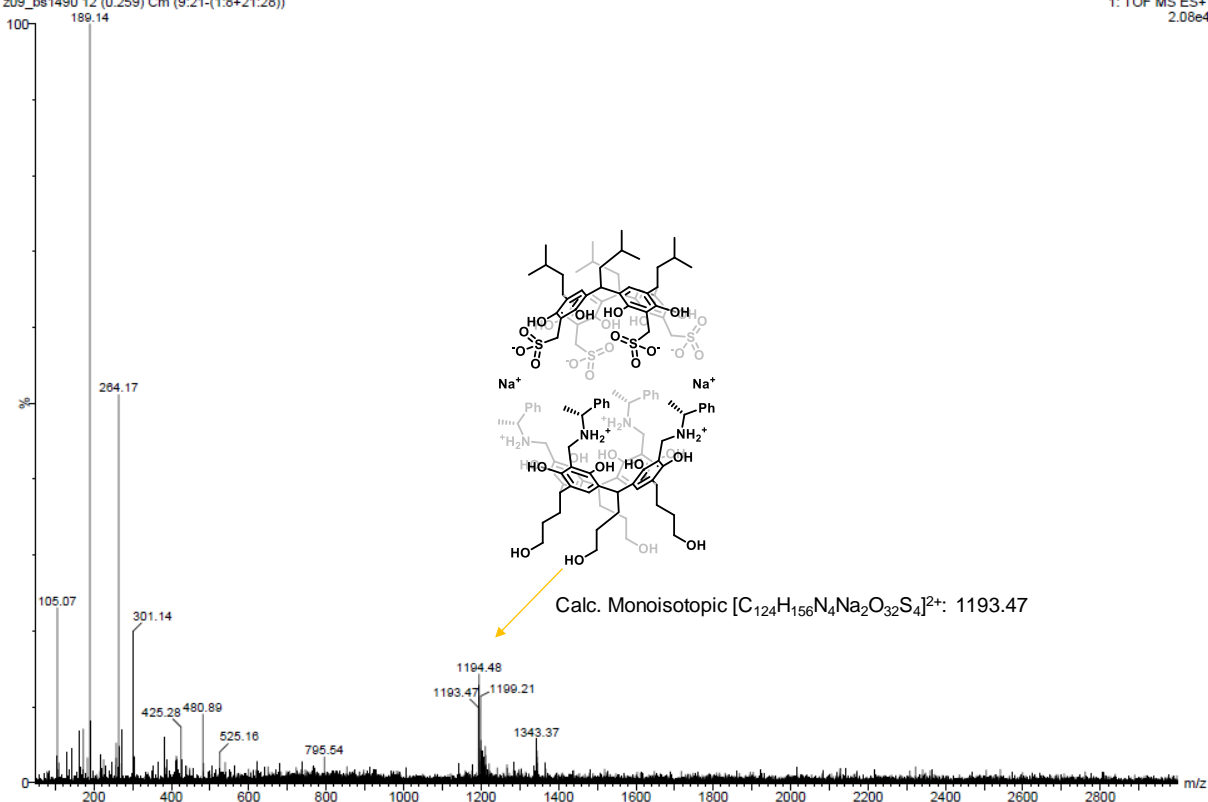


Figure 66S. ESIMS spectrum of **1** + (*R*)-**2**.