

Supporting Information

for

Gold(I)-catalyzed hydroarylation reaction of aryl (3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl) ethers: synthesis of 3-iodo-2*H*-chromene derivatives

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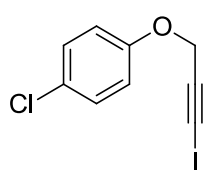
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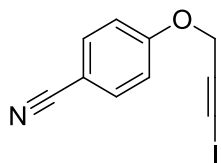
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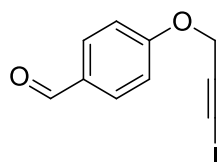
1-Chloro-4-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzene (**1a**)

White solid; mp 50-52 °C (lit.: 52-53 °C [1]); Molecular formula: $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{OClI}$; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{OClI}$: 291.9152, found: 291.9158; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 7.28 (d, J = 9.1 Hz, 2H), 6.92 (d, J = 9.1 Hz, 2H), 4.82 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 156.1 (C), 129.4 (CH), 126.6 (C), 116.2 (CH), 88.7 (C), 57.6 (CH_2), 5.3 (C).



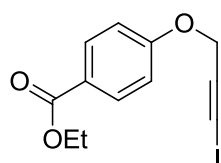
4-[(3-Iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzonitrile (**1b**)

White solid; mp 160-161 °C (lit.: 161-162 °C [1]); Molecular formula: $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{NOI}$; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 20:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{NOI}$: 282.9494, found: 282.9496; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 7.63 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.04 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.90 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 160.7 (C), 134.0 (CH), 119.0 (C), 115.6 (CH), 105.0 (C), 87.8 (C), 57.4 (CH_2), 6.5 (C).



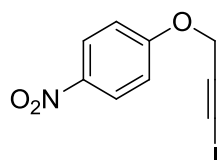
4-[(3-Iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzaldehyde (**1c**)

White solid; mp 154-155 °C; Molecular formula: $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{O}_2\text{I}$; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 20:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{O}_2\text{I}$: 285.9491, found: 285.9487; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 9.93 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.93 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 190.8 (CH), 162.3 (C), 131.9 (CH), 130.6 (C), 115.1 (CH), 88.1 (C), 57.4 (CH_2), 6.1 (C).



Ethyl 4-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzoate (**1d**)

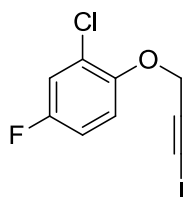
White solid; mp 90-91 °C; Molecular formula: $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_3\text{I}$; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 40:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_3\text{I}$: 329.9753, found: 329.9756; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 8.02 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.89 (s, 2H), 4.36 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.39 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3), δ : 166.6 (C), 161.5 (C), 131.9 (CH), 124.2 (C), 114.8 (CH), 88.8 (C), 61.1 (CH_2), 57.7 (CH_2), 14.8 (CH_3), 6.1 (C).



1-[(3-Iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]-4-nitrobenzene (**1e**)

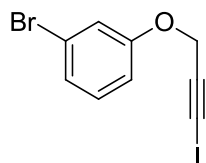
Yellow solid; decomp.: 187-189 °C (lit.: 184-185 °C [1]); Molecular formula: $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{NO}_3\text{I}$; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 10:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{NO}_3\text{I}$: 302.9392, found: 302.9395; ^1H NMR

(300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆), δ : 8.23 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz, 2H), 5.10 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆), δ : 162.8 (C), 141.8 (C), 126.3 (CH), 115.8 (CH), 87.8 (C), 58.3 (CH₂), 16.6 (C).



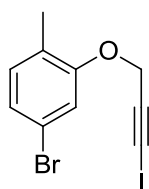
2-Chloro-4-fluoro-1-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzene (1f)

Pale yellow solid; mp 45-46 °C; Molecular formula: C₉H₅OFCI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₅OFCI: 309.9058, found: 309.9057; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 7.16 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (ddd, *J* = 9.1, 7.7, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 157.3 (d, *J* = 243.6 Hz, C), 149.7 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, C), 124.3 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz, C), 117.8 (d, *J* = 26.1 Hz, CH), 115.9 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, CH), 114.1 (d, *J* = 22.7 Hz, CH), 88.5 (s, C), 59.1 (s, CH₂), 6.0 (s, C); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : -119.8.



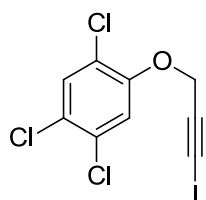
1-Bromo-3-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzene (1g)

Colourless oil; Molecular formula: C₉H₆OBrI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₆OBrI: 335.8647, found: 335.8649; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 7.23-7.12 (m, 3H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 158.2 (C), 130.6 (CH), 124.8 (CH), 122.8 (C), 118.4 (CH), 113.7 (CH), 88.5 (C), 57.5 (CH₂), 5.6 (C).



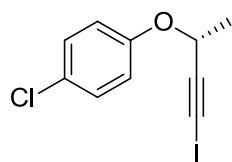
4-Bromo-2-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]-1-methylbenzene (1h)

White solid; mp 77-78 °C; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₈OBrI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₀H₈OBrI: 349.8803, found: 349.8802; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.12-7.03 (m, 3H), 4.88 (s, 2H), 2.20 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 156.8 (C), 132.3 (CH), 126.8 (C), 124.6 (CH), 119.6 (C), 115.5 (CH), 89.3 (C), 58.1 (CH₂), 16.0 (CH₃), 5.1 (C).



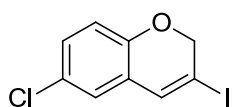
1,2,4-Trichloro-5-[(3-iodoprop-2-yn-1-yl)oxy]benzene (1i)

White solid; mp 114-115 °C (lit.: 114-115 °C [1]); Molecular formula: C₉H₄OCl₃I; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₄OCl₃I: 359.8372, found: 359.8374; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 7.49 (s, 1H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 4.91 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 152.5 (C), 131.6 (C), 131.5 (CH), 125.8 (C), 123.0 (C), 116.3 (CH), 87.9 (C), 59.2 (CH₂), 7.5 (C).



(R)-1-Chloro-4-[(4-iodobut-3-yn-2-yl)oxy]benzene (1j)

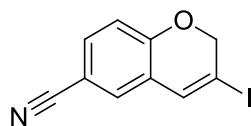
White solid; mp 79-80 °C; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₈OClI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₀H₈OClI: 305.9308, found: 305.9300; Specific rotation (T = 25.8 °C; c = 0.0100 g/mL in CH₂Cl₂), $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ = 201.40 deg·cm³/g·dm; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 7.27 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.93 (q, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.67 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃), δ : 156.3 (C), 129.7 (CH), 126.8 (C), 117.5 (CH), 93.7 (C), 65.9 (CH), 22.7 (CH₃), 4.1 (C).



6-Chloro-3-iodo-2H-chromene (2a)

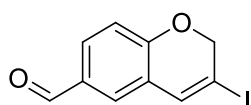
White solid; mp 79-80 °C; Molecular formula: C₉H₆OClI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₆OClI: 291.9152, found: 291.9153; ¹H NMR (401 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.11 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (bs, 1H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75

MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 150.9 (C), 132.7 (CH), 129.2 (CH), 126.2 (C), 125.2 (CH), 124.2 (C), 117.2 (CH), 89.7 (C), 73.8 (CH₂).



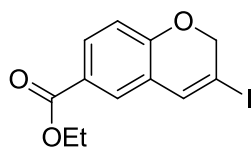
3-Iodo-2H-chromene-6-carbonitrile (2b)

White solid; mp 94-95 °C; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₆NOI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 30:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₀H₆NOI: 282.9494, found: 282.9493; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.46 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (bs, 1H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.02 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 156.1 (C), 134.3 (CH), 132.3 (CH), 129.8 (CH), 123.5 (C), 119.0 (C), 117.2 (CH), 105.3 (C), 90.7 (C), 74.5 (CH₂).



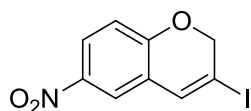
3-Iodo-2H-chromene-6-carbaldehyde (2c)

White solid; mp 120-121 °C; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₇O₂I; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 30:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₀H₇O₂I: 285.9491, found: 285.9490; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 9.83 (s, 1H), 7.68 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (bs, 1H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 5.01 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 190.6 (CH), 157.8 (C), 133.1 (CH), 132.6 (CH), 131.1 (C), 127.3 (CH), 123.1 (C), 116.8 (CH), 89.7 (C), 74.5 (CH₂).



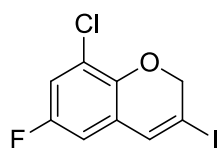
Ethyl 3-iodo-2H-chromene-6-carboxylate (2d)

White solid; mp 72-73 °C; Molecular formula: C₁₂H₁₁O₃I; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₂H₁₁O₃I: 329.9753, found: 329.9750; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.84 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (bs, 1H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H), 4.33 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.38 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 165.6 (C), 156.0 (C), 133.0 (CH), 131.4 (CH), 127.3 (CH), 124.0 (C), 122.3 (C), 115.7 (CH), 88.6 (C), 74.0 (CH₂), 60.8 (CH₂), 14.1 (CH₃).



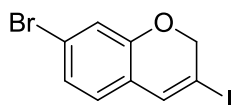
3-Iodo-6-nitro-2H-chromene (2e)

Yellow solid; mp 112-113 °C; Molecular formula: C₉H₆NO₃I; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex:AcOEt, 10:1); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₆NO₃I: 302.9392, found: 302.9394; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO), δ : 8.03 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 7.36 (bs, 1H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 5.08 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO), δ : 158.2 (C), 142.2 (C), 131.8 (CH), 126.4 (CH), 123.3 (C), 122.1 (CH), 117.2 (CH), 93.5 (C), 74.6 (CH₂).



8-Chloro-6-fluoro-3-iodo-2H-chromene (2f)

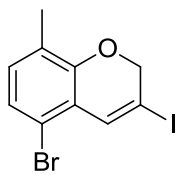
White solid; mp 129-130 °C; Molecular formula: C₉H₅OFClI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₅OFClI: 309.9058, found: 309.9053; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.04 (bs, 1H), 6.99 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 156.8 (d, *J* = 242.4 Hz, C), 144.9 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, C), 132.9 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, CH), 125.0 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, C), 121.8 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, C), 117.1 (d, *J* = 26.3 Hz, CH), 111.2 (d, *J* = 24.0 Hz, CH), 91.3 (s, C), 74.6 (s, CH₂); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : -121.2.



7-bromo-3-iodo-2H-chromene (2g)

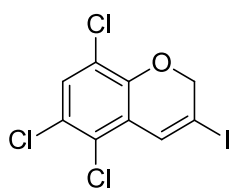
Unseparable regioisomeric mixture of **2g**-(7-bromo-3-iodo-2H-chromene) and **2g'**-(5-bromo-3-iodo-2H-chromene) (**2g**:**2g'**, 3:1); Molecular formula: C₉H₆OBrI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₉H₆OBrI: 335.8647, found: 335.8630; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.41 (bs, 1H-**2g'**), 7.17 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.1 Hz, 1H-**2g'**), 7.10 – 6.95 (m, 3H-**2g**, 1H-**2g'**), 6.85 – 6.75 (m, 1H-**2g**, 1H-**2g'**), 4.91 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H-**2g**), 4.89 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 2H-**2g'**); ¹³C NMR (75

MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 153.55(C-2g'), 152.9 (C-2g), 133.0 (CH-2g), 132.5 (CH-2g'), 130.1 (CH-2g'), 126.7 (CH-2g), 125.6 (CH-2g'), 124.6 (CH-2g), 122.8 (C-2g'), 122.1 (C-2g), 121.9 (C-2g), 120.1 (C-2g'), 119.1 (CH-2g), 115.4 (CH-2g'), 89.9 (C-2g'), 88.2 (C-2g), 73.8 (CH₂-2g), 73.7 (CH₂-2g').



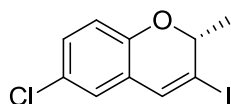
5-Bromo-3-iodo-8-methyl-2H-chromene (2h)

White solid; decomp.: 160-162°C; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₈OBrI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI) calcd. for C₁₀H₈OBrI: 349.8803, found: 349.8798; ¹H NMR (400 MHz), δ : 7.38 (t, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 151.5 (C), 132.8 (CH), 131.7 (CH), 125.1 (C), 124.8 (CH), 122.2 (C), 117.2 (C), 89.5 (C), 73.6 (CH₂), 15.1 (CH₃).



5,6,8-Trichloro-3-iodo-2H-chromene (2i)

White solid; m.p. = 119-120°C; Molecular formula: C₉H₄OCl₃I; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI) calcd. for C₉H₄OCl₃I: 359.8372, found: 359.8370; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.46 (t, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (s, 1H), 5.02 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 147.6 (C), 129.9 (2 x CH), 126.7 (C), 125.2 (C), 123.1 (C), 120.4 (C), 91.8 (C), 73.9 (CH₂).



(R)-6-Chloro-3-iodo-2-methyl-2H-chromene (2j)

Pale yellow oil; Molecular formula: C₁₀H₈OClI; Purified by flash chromatography (Hex); HRMS (EI): calcd. for C₁₀H₈OClI: 305.9308, found: 305.9306; Specific rotation (T = 25,8°C; c = 0,0108 g/mL in CH₂Cl₂), [α]_D = -109,50 deg·cm³/g·dm; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 7.13 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (bs, 1H), 6.94 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 5.07 (qd, *J* = 6.6, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 1.48 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CD₂Cl₂), δ : 150.1 (C), 132.7 (CH), 129.6 (CH), 126.3 (C), 125.4 (CH), 124.4 (C), 118.3 (CH), 96.4 (C), 79.4 (CH), 19.1 (CH₃).

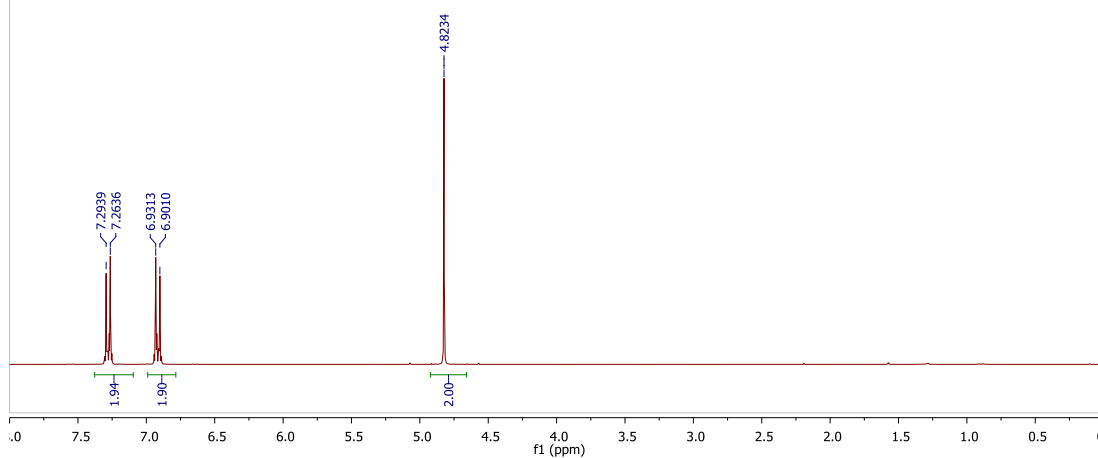
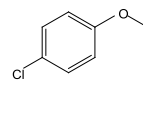
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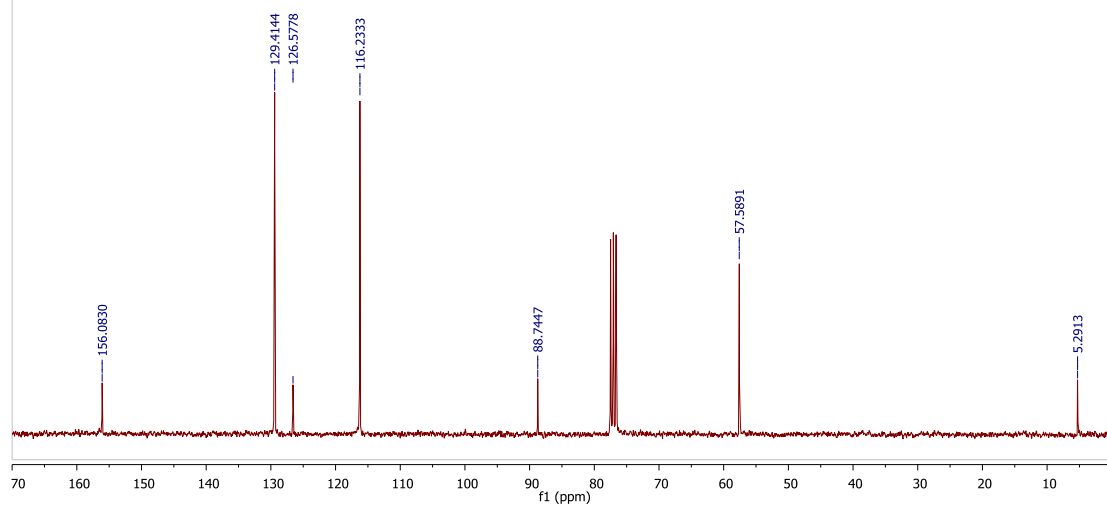
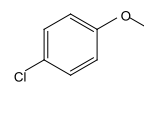
2. ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra for compounds **1a–1j** and **2a–2j**

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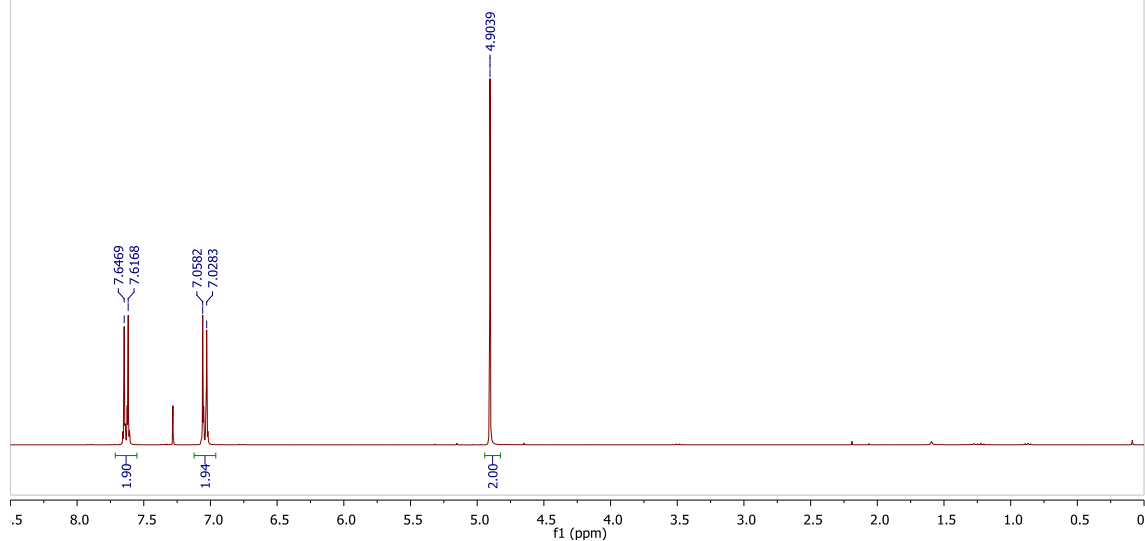
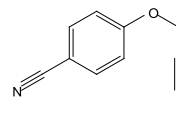


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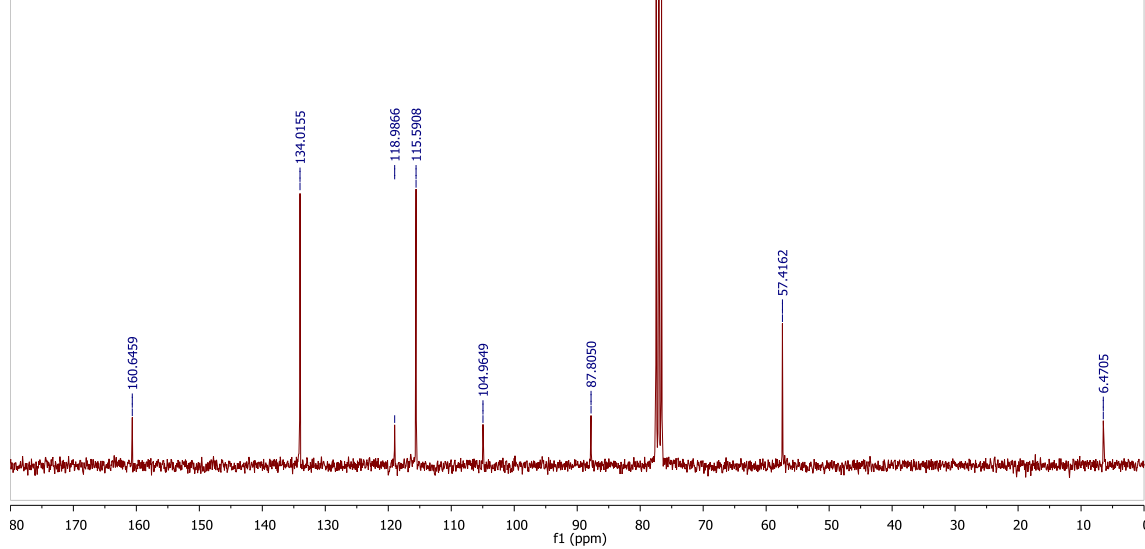
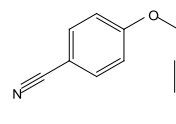


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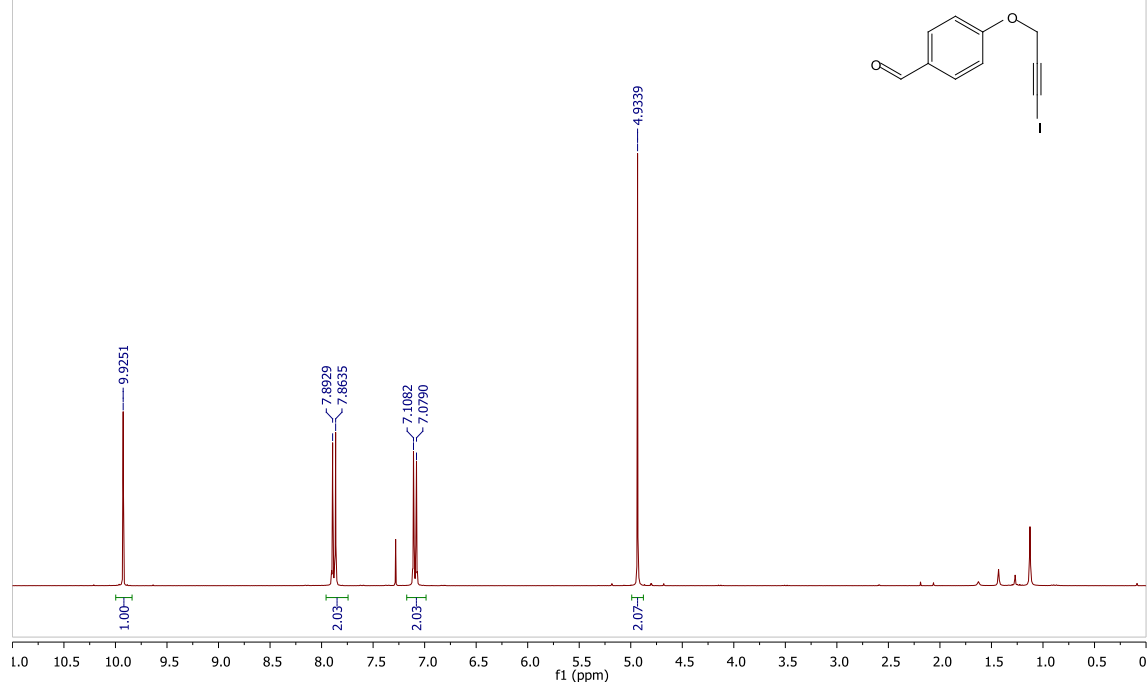


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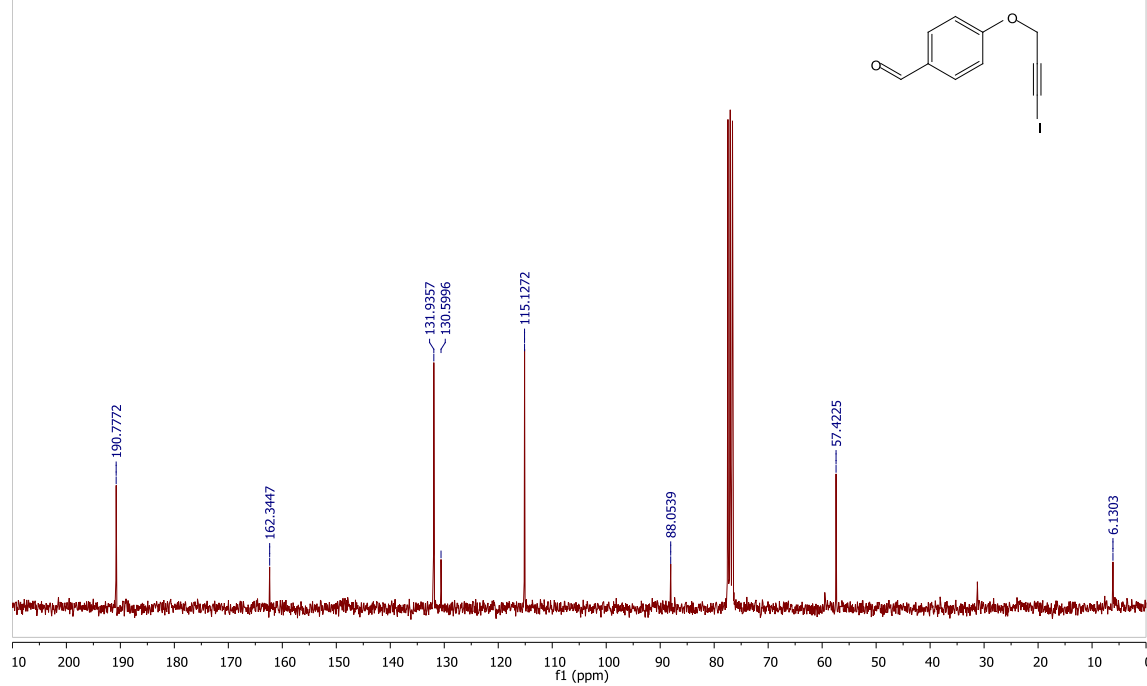


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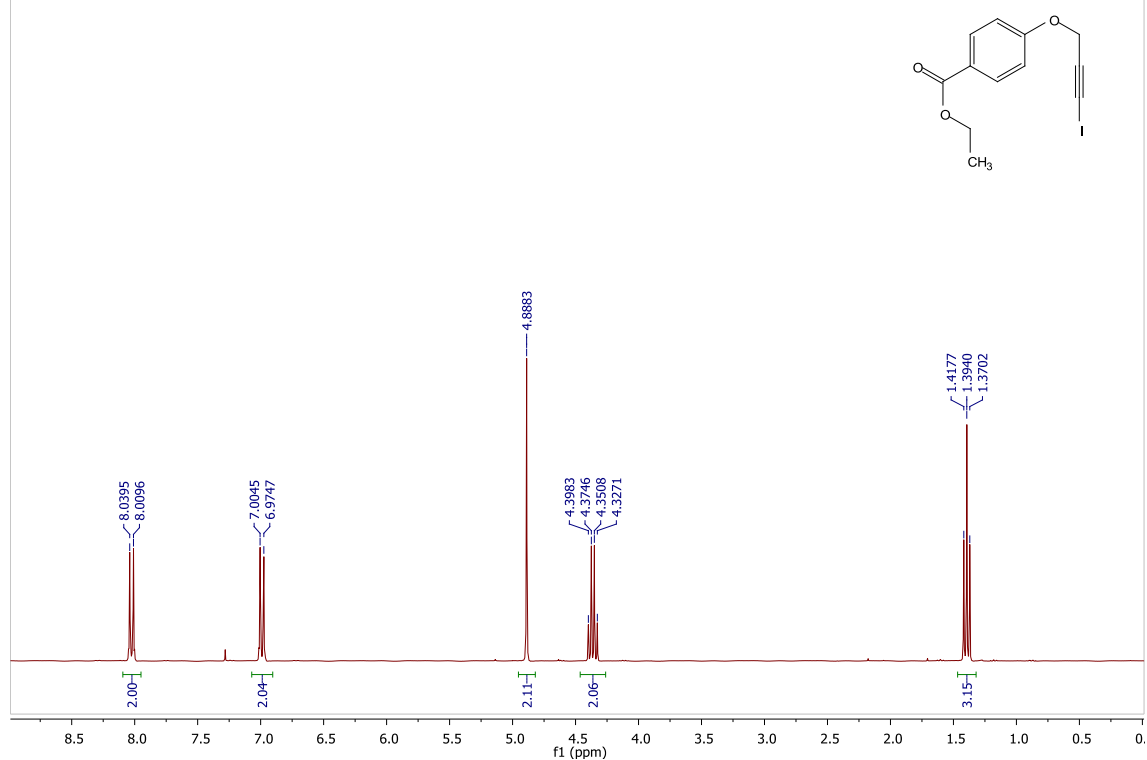


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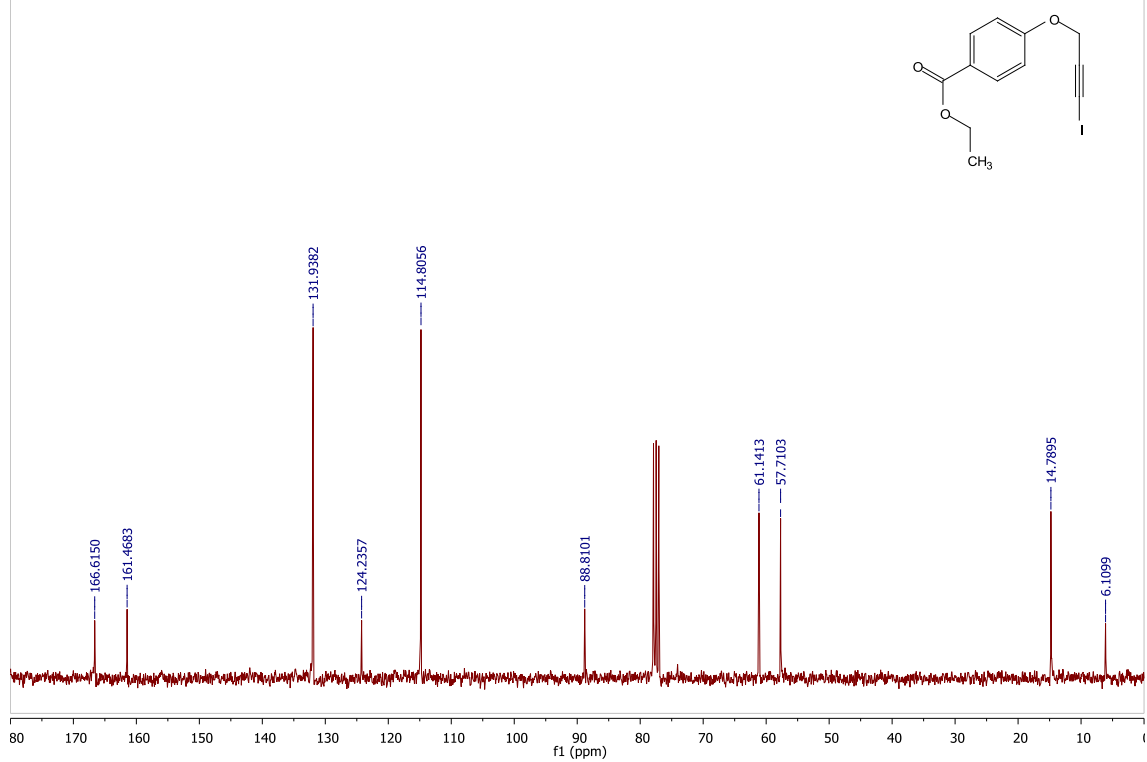


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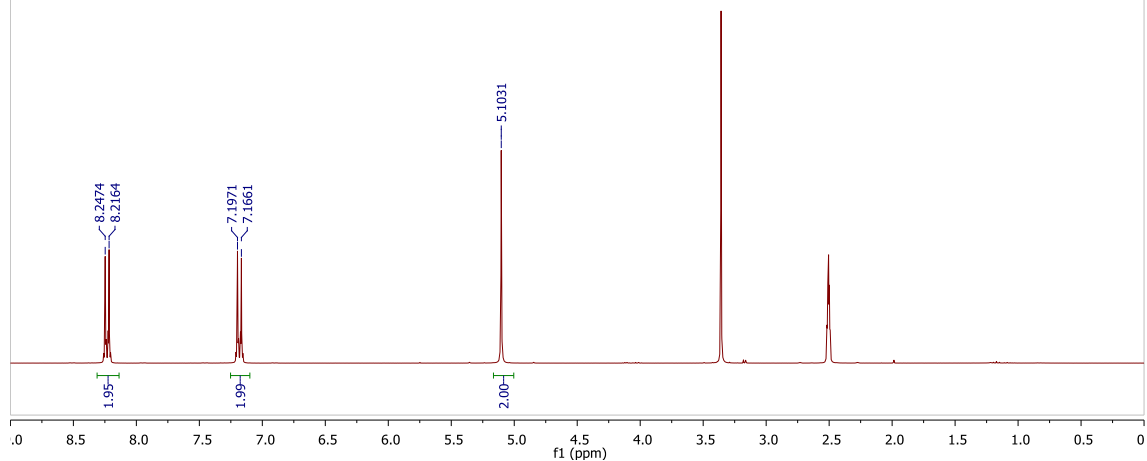
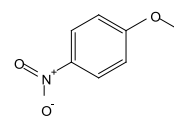


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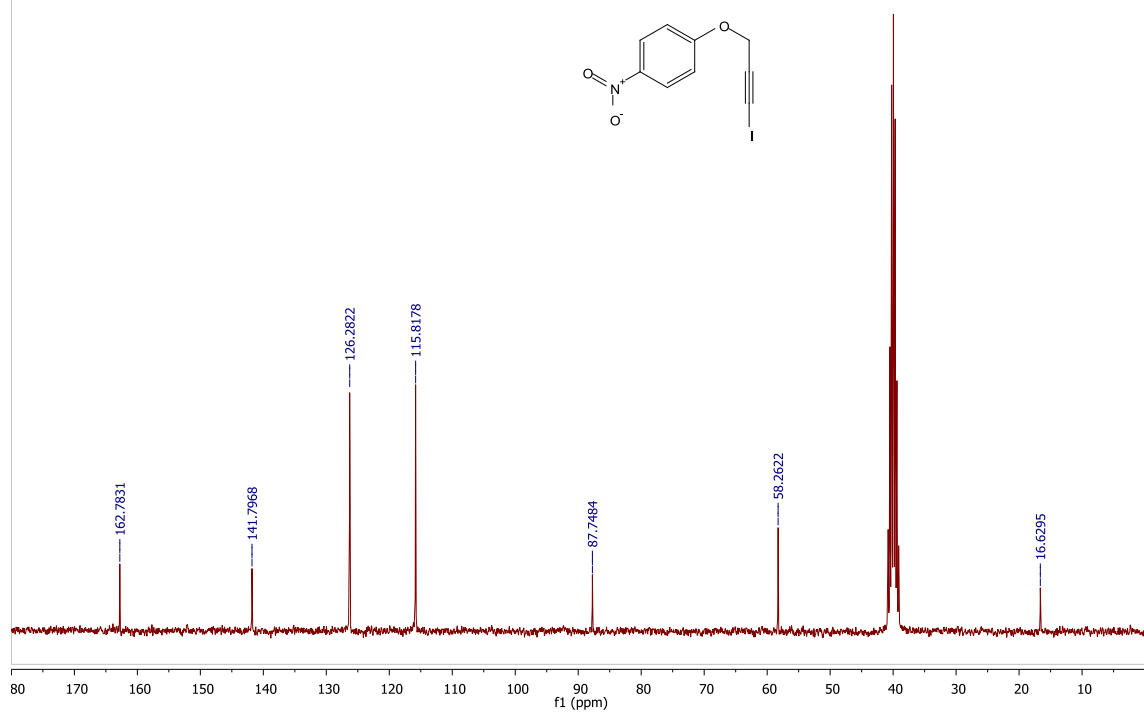
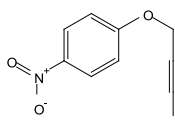


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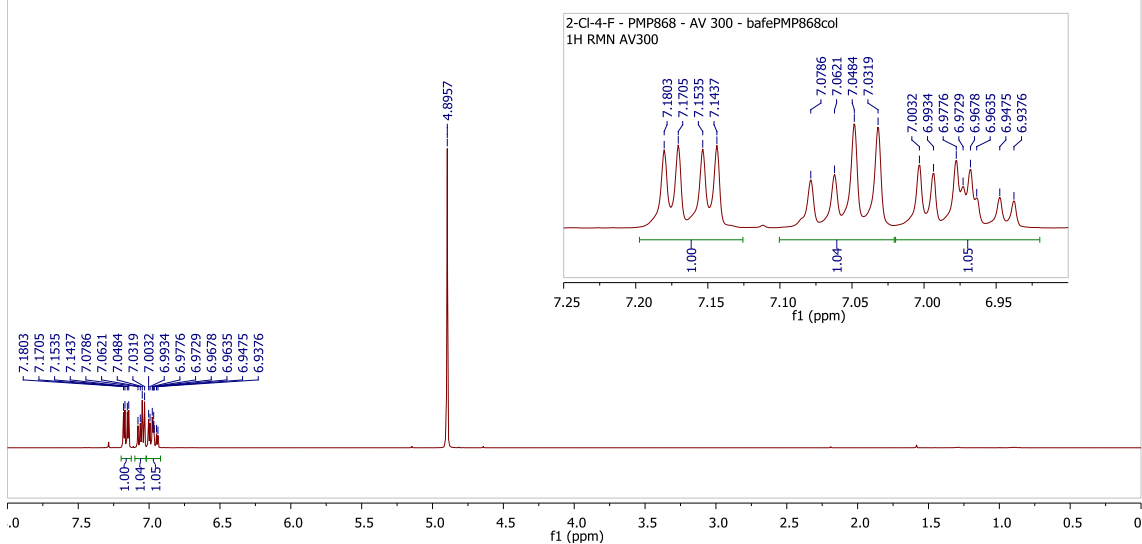
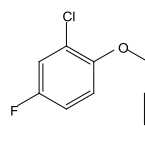


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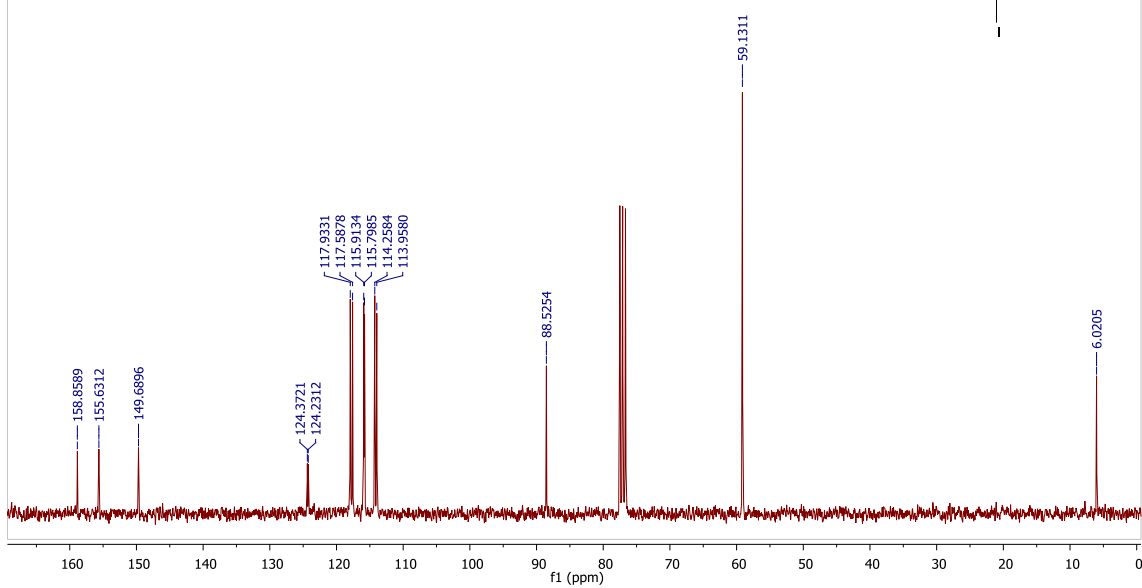
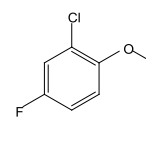


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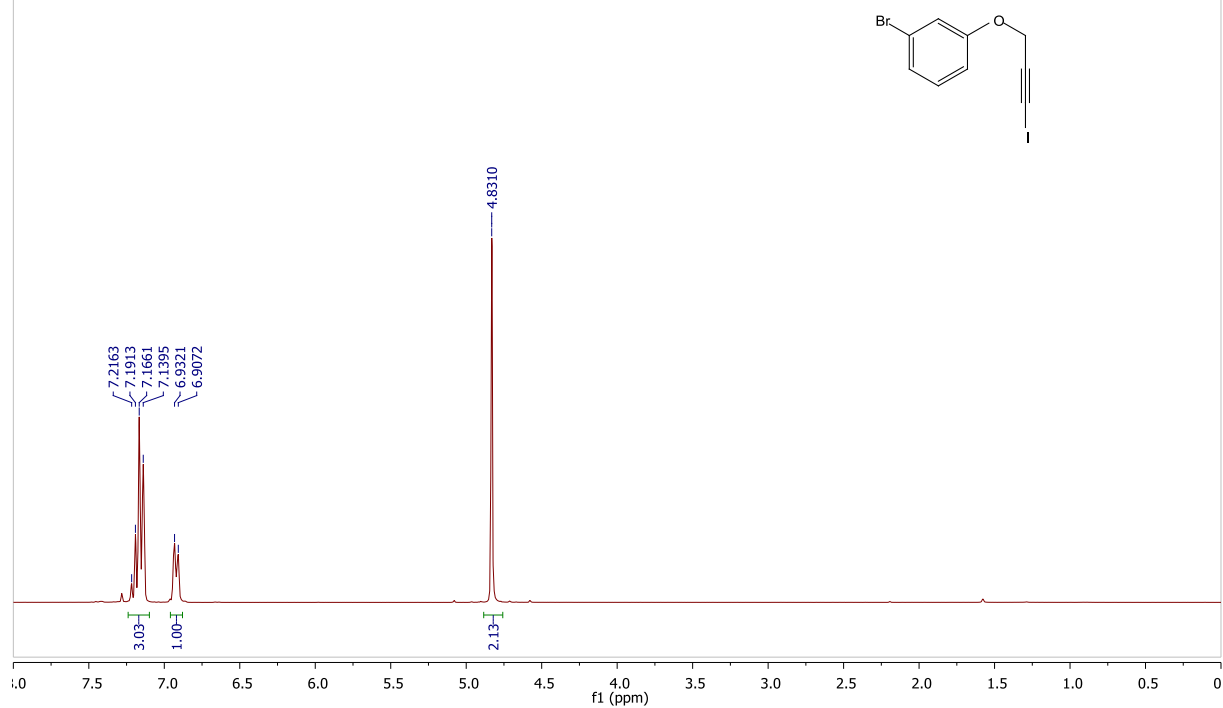


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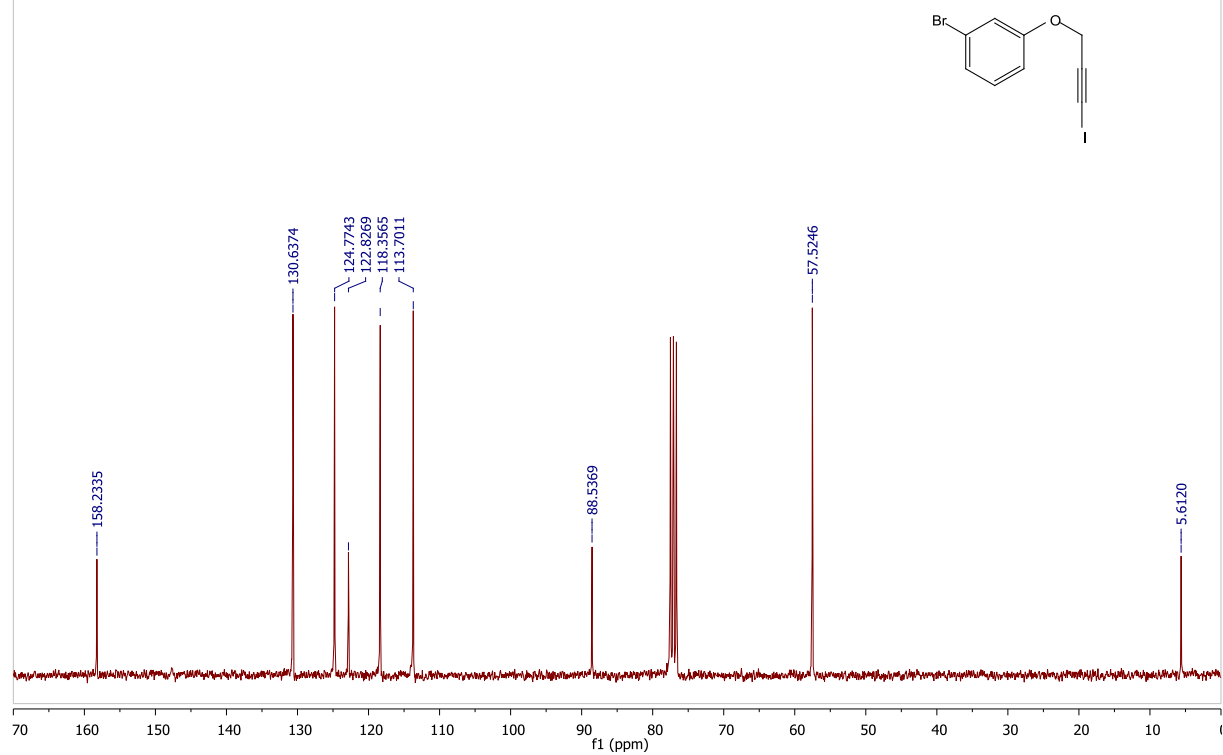


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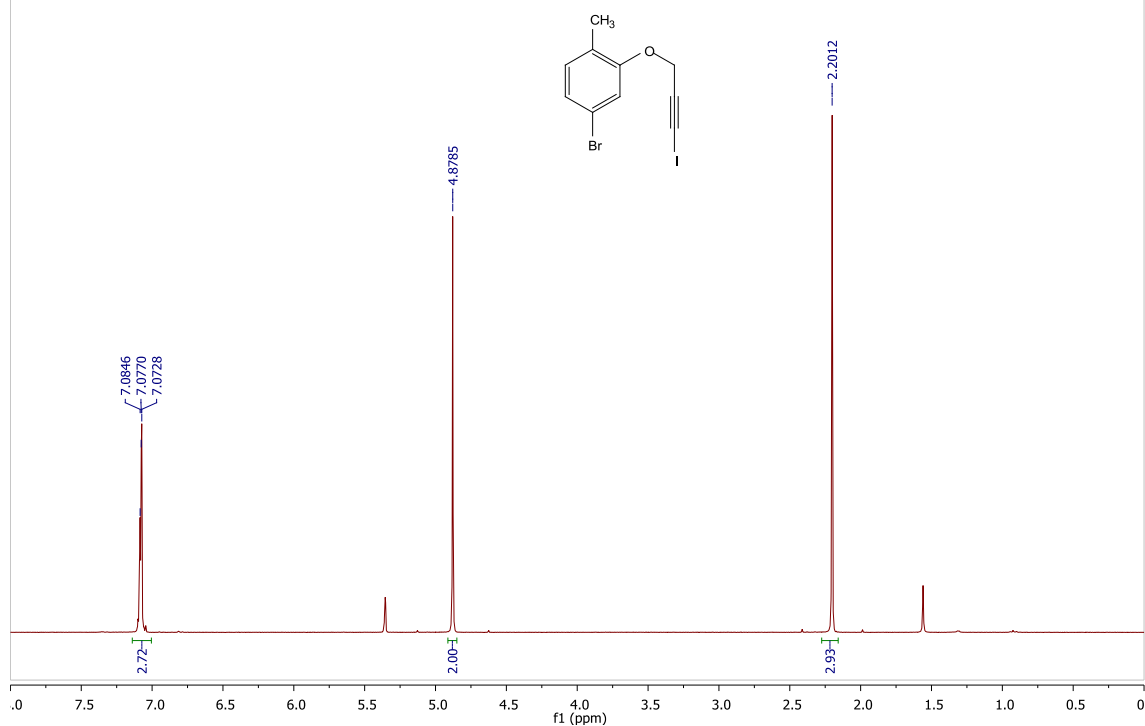


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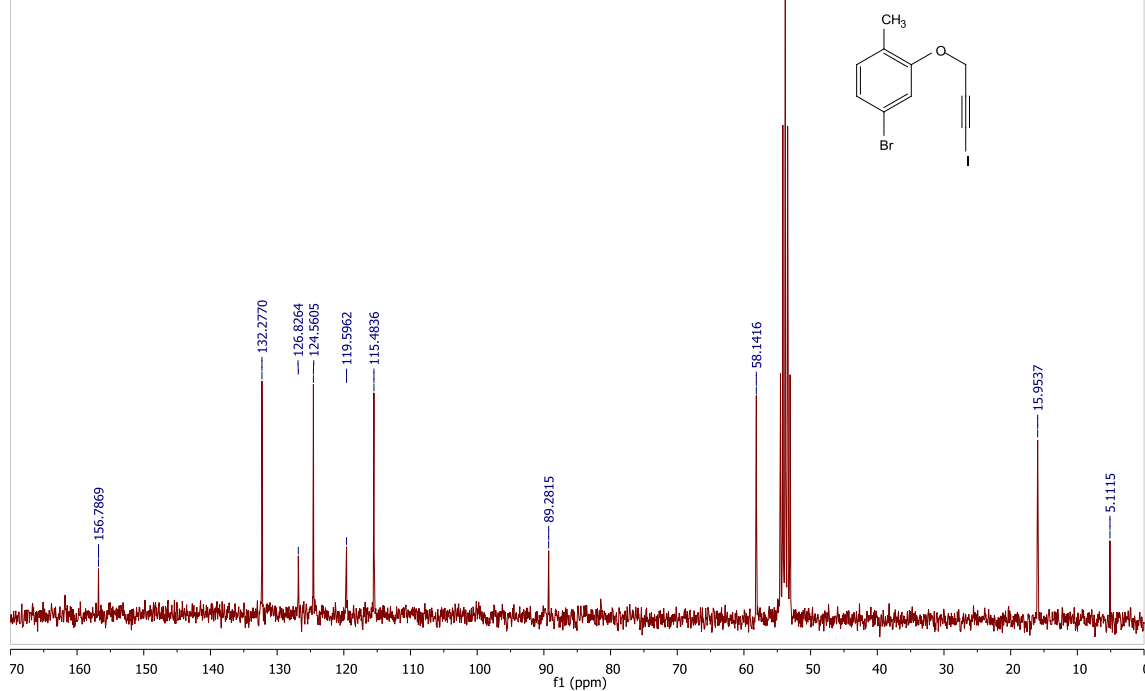


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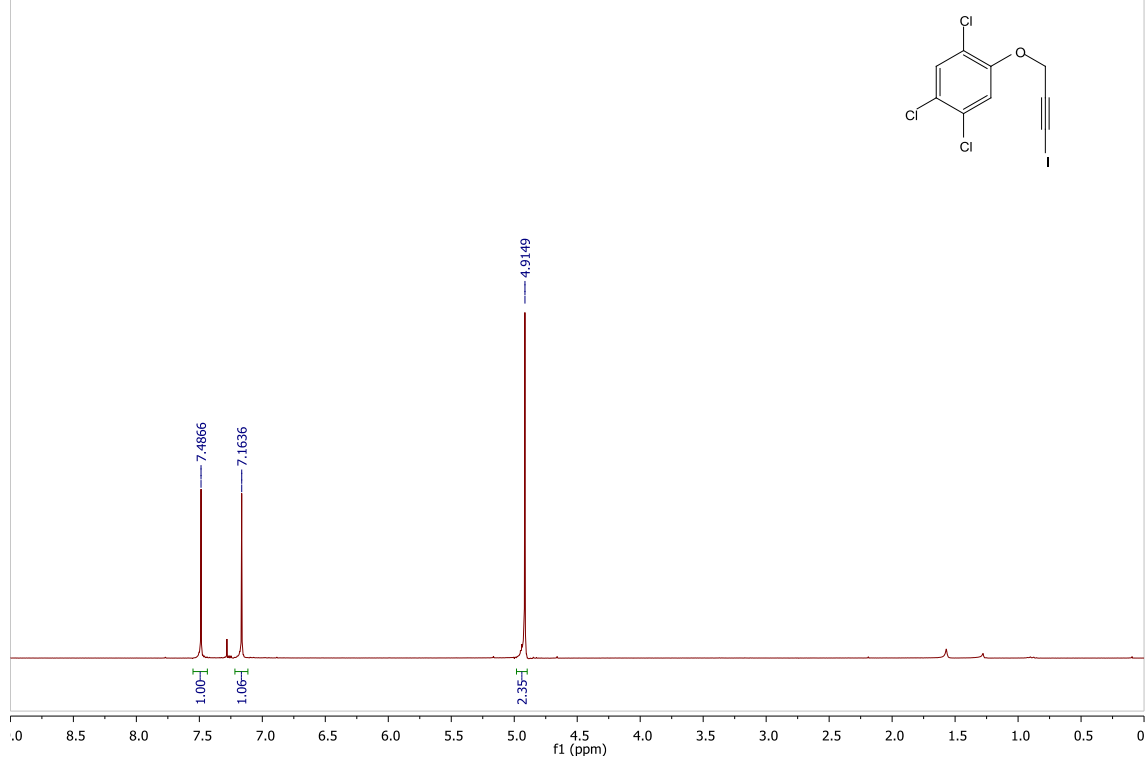


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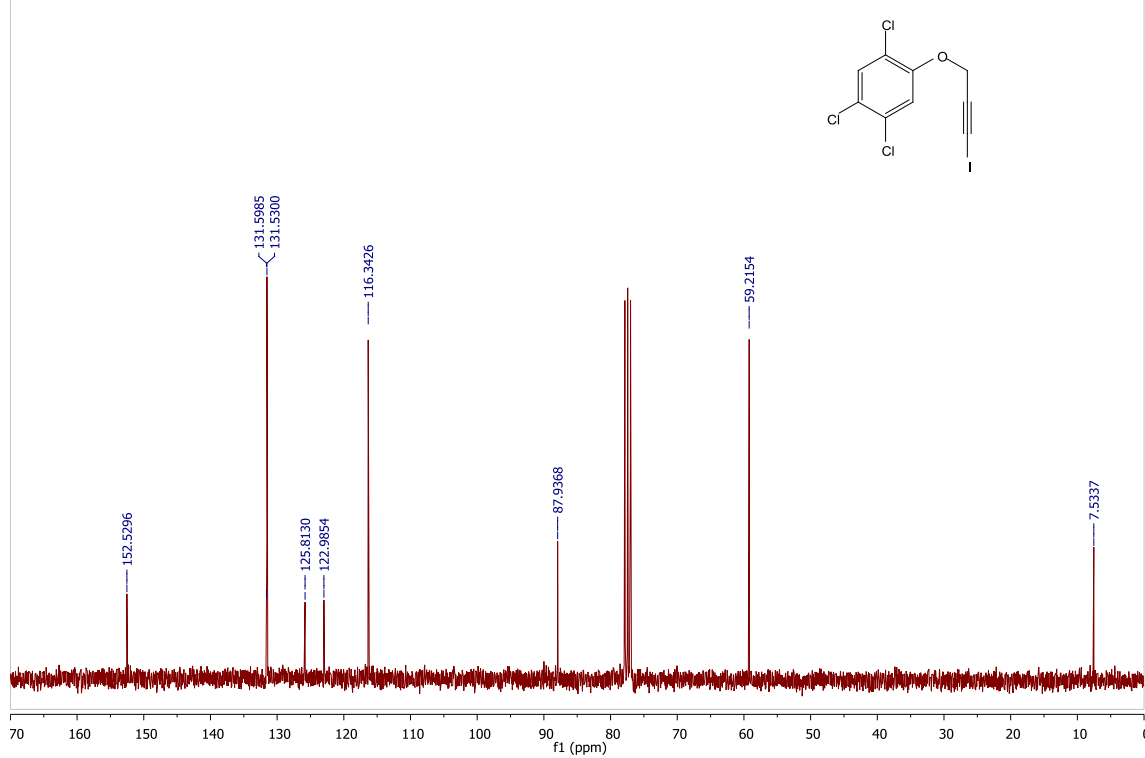


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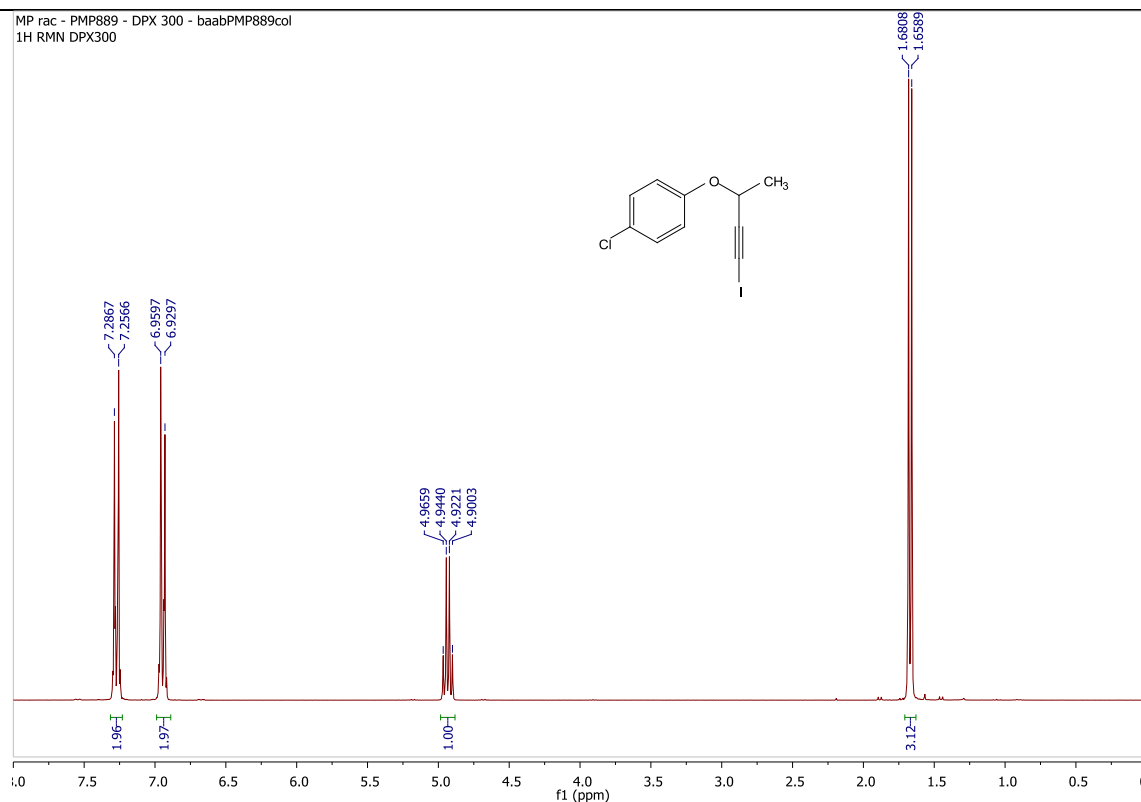


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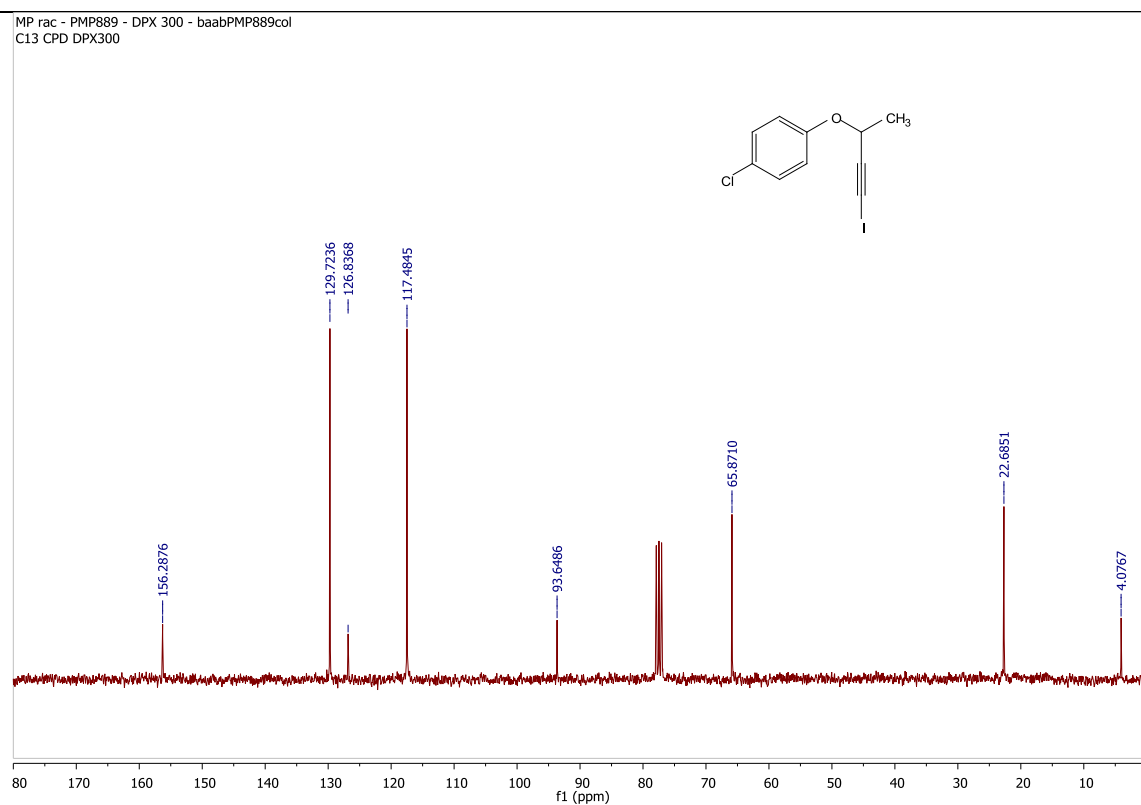


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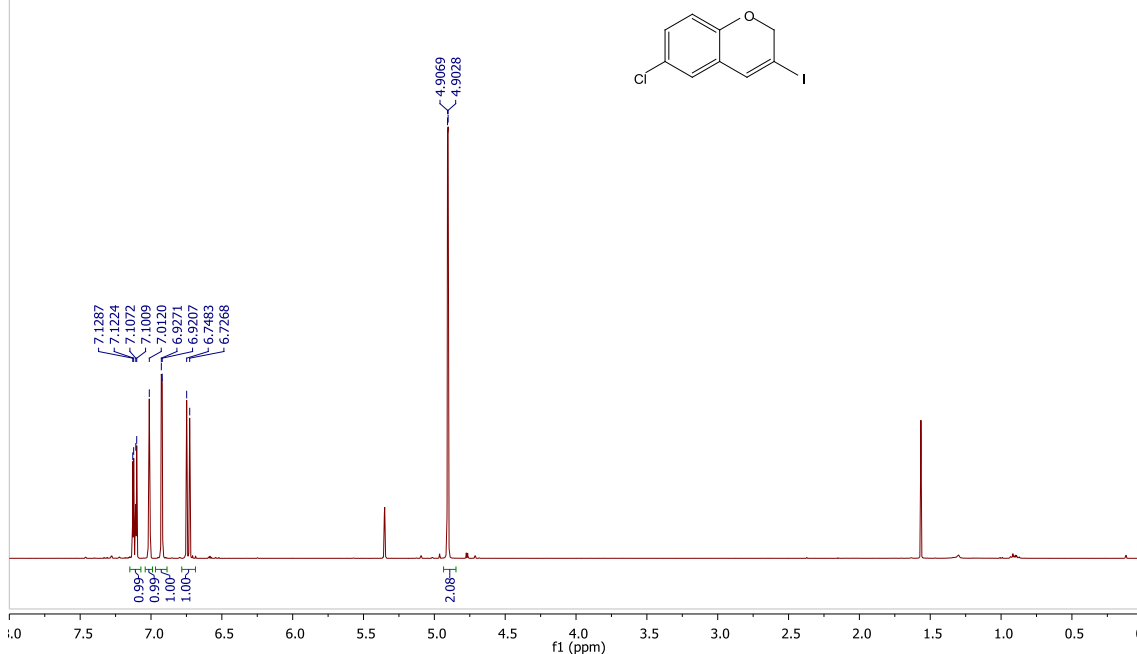


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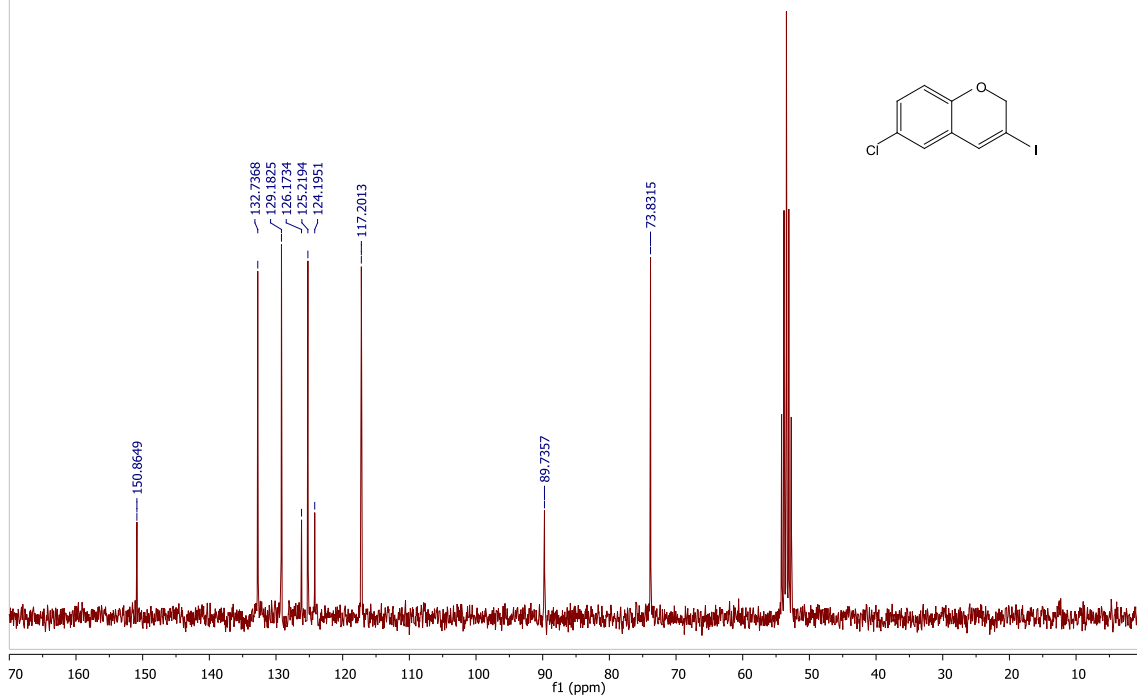


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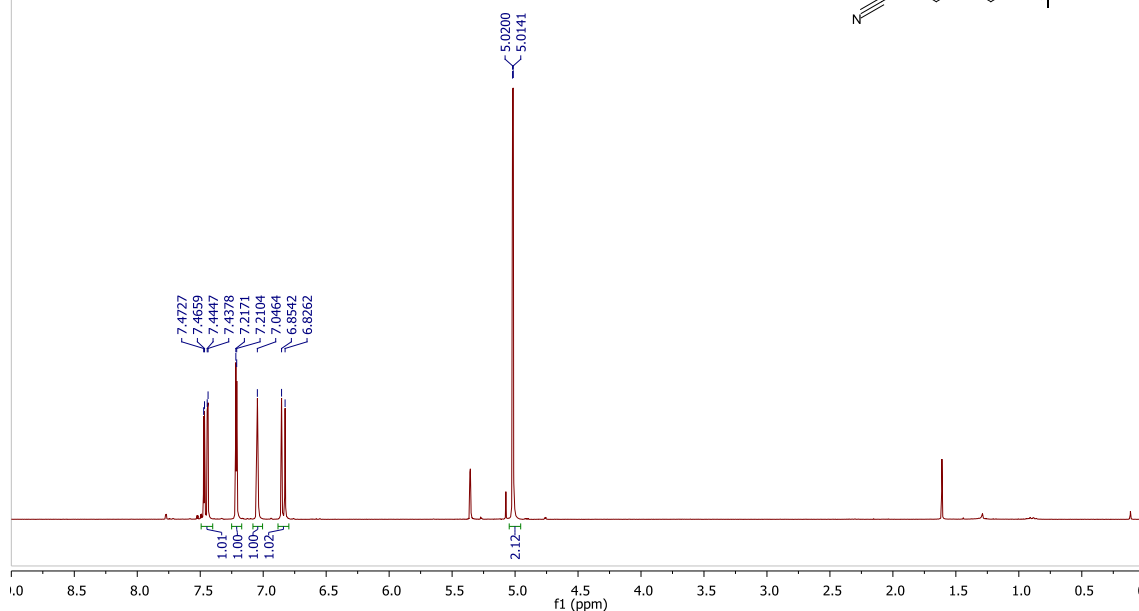


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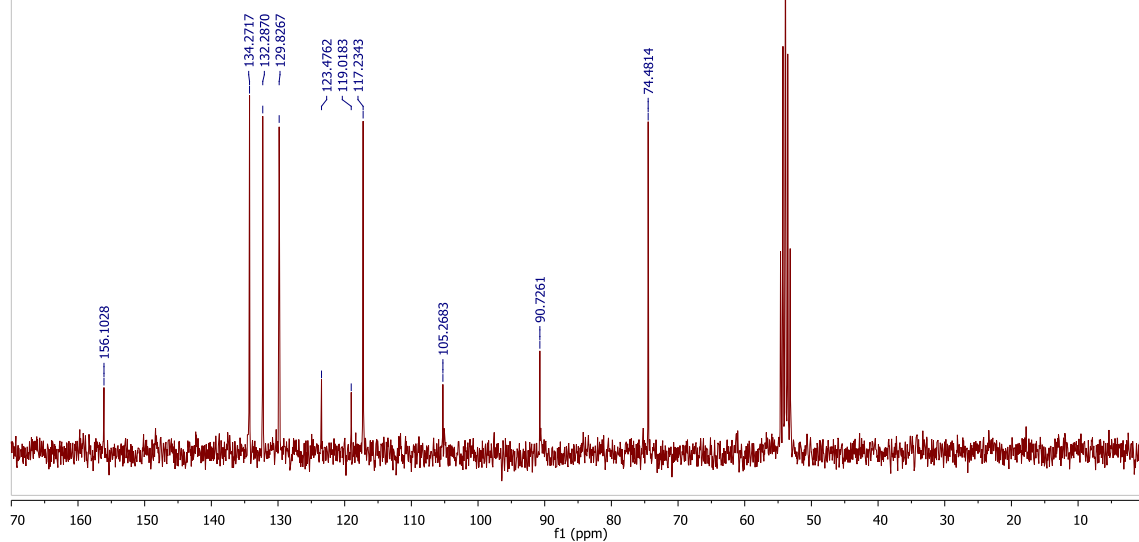


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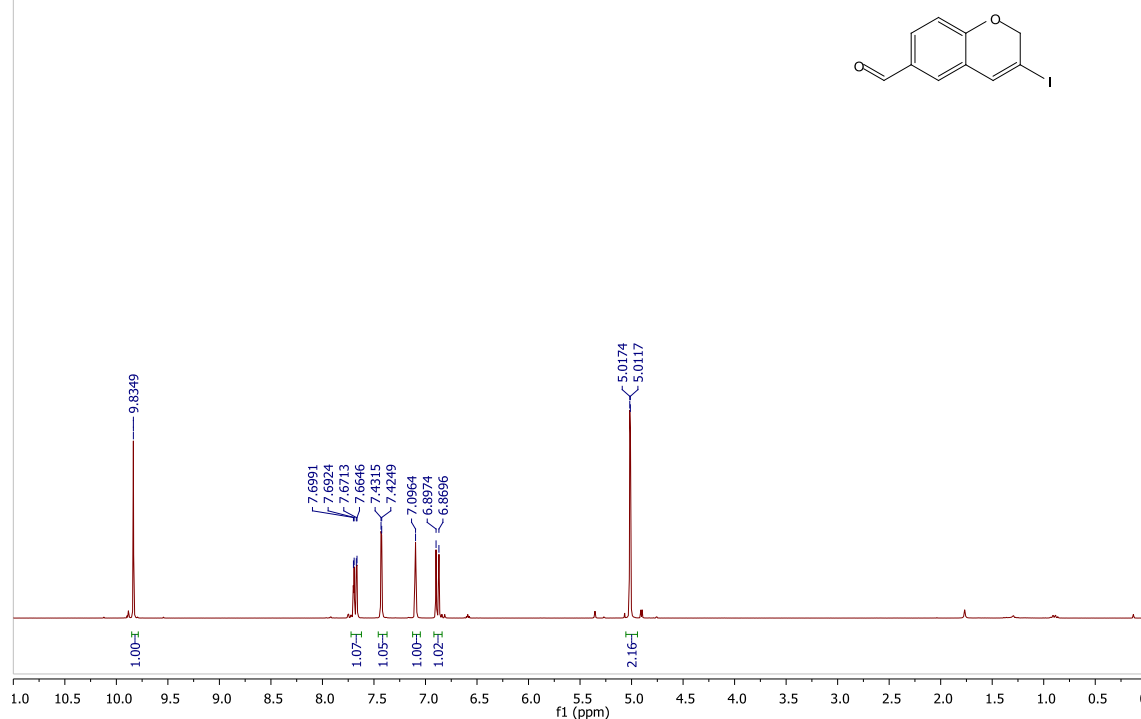


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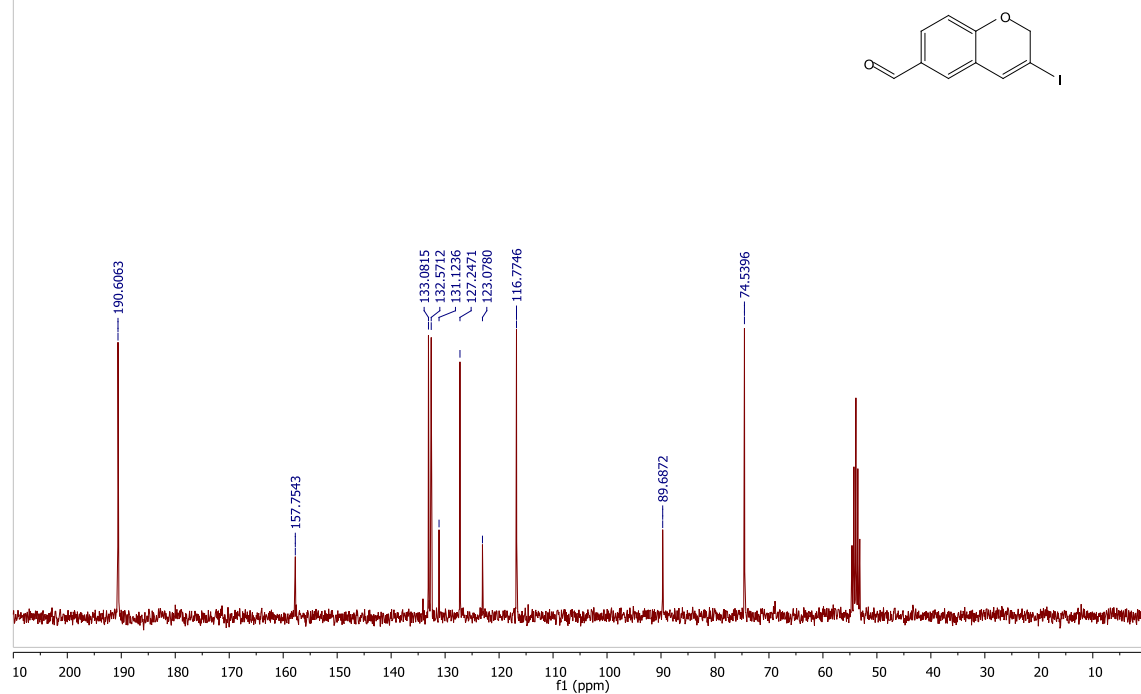


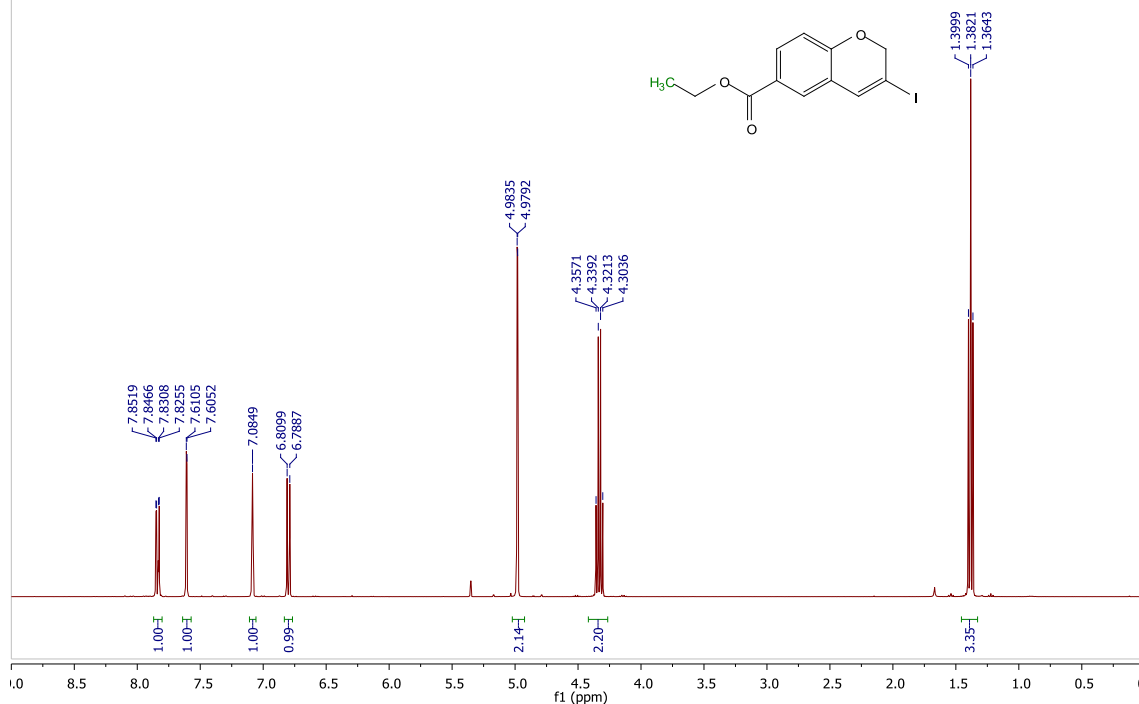
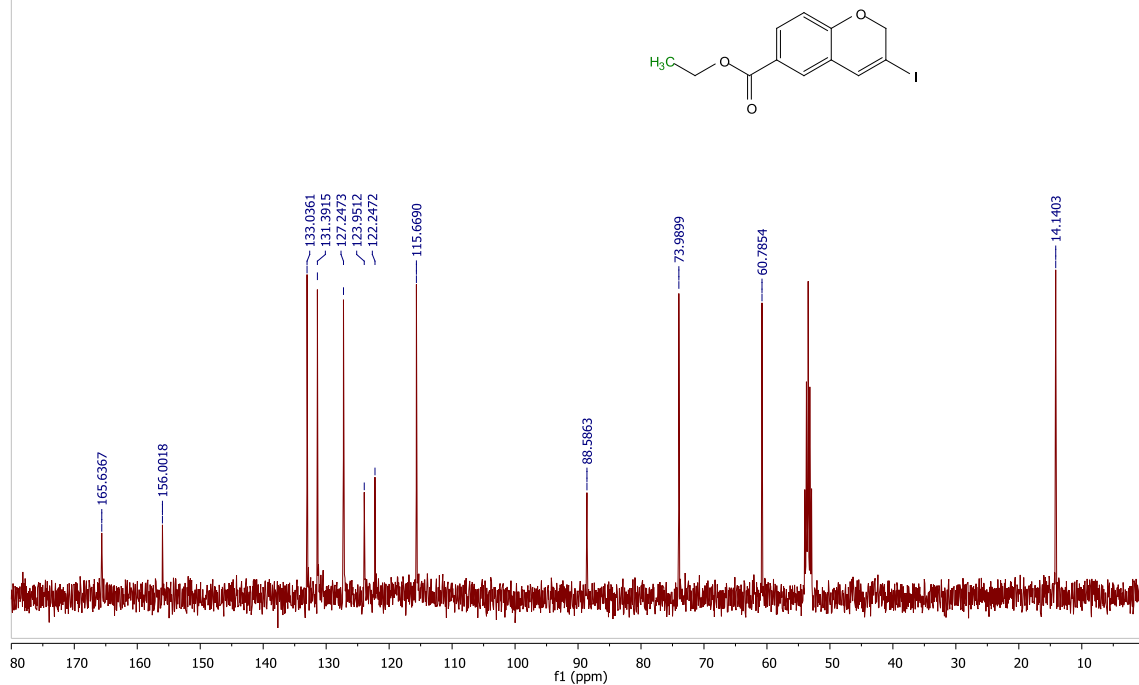
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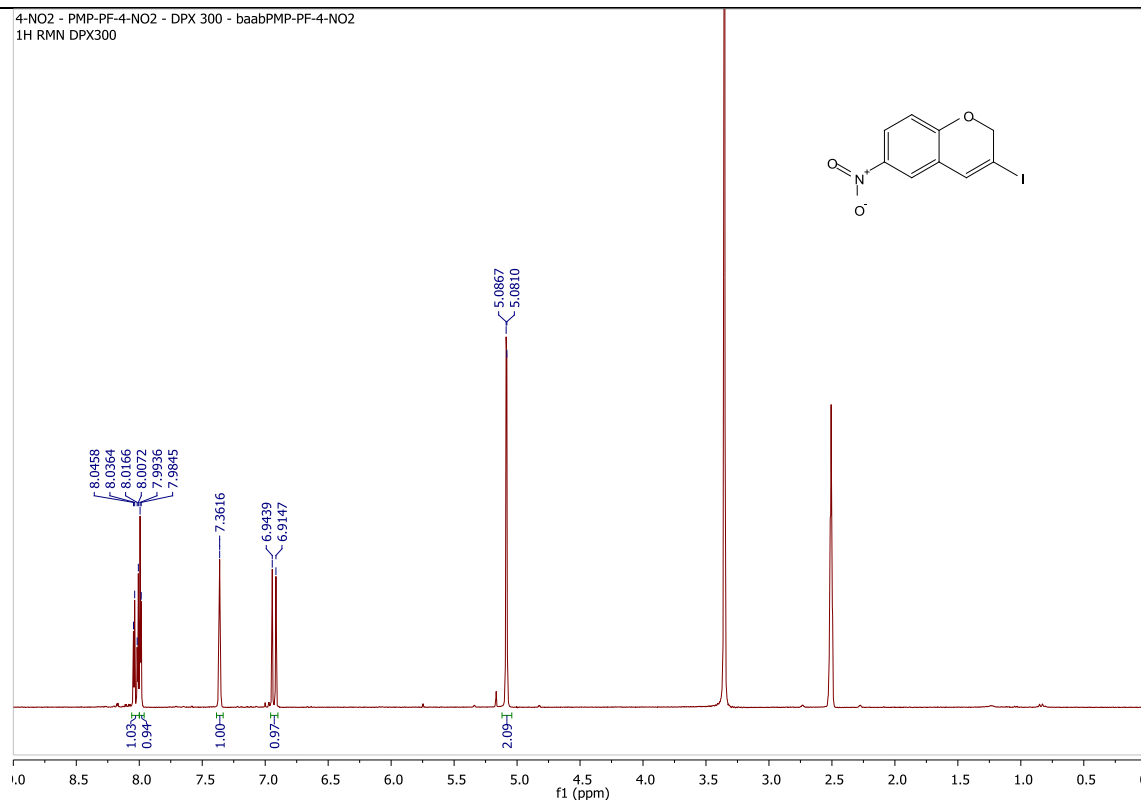
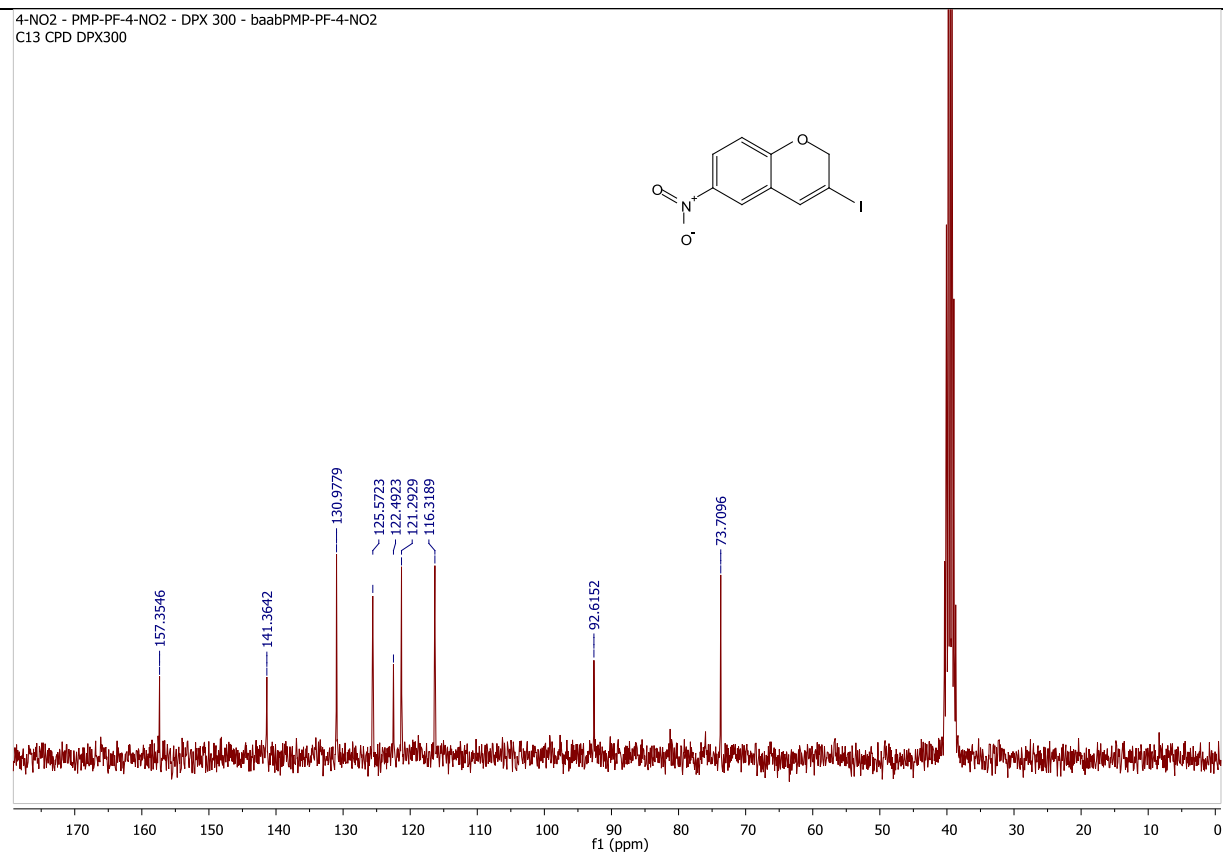


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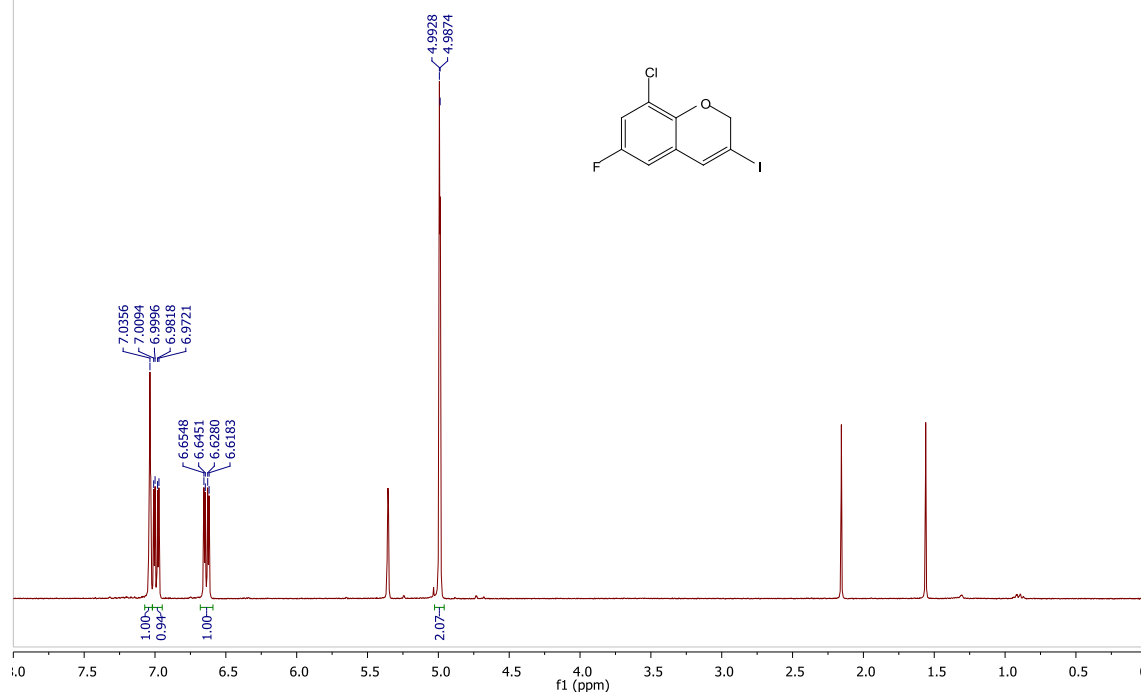
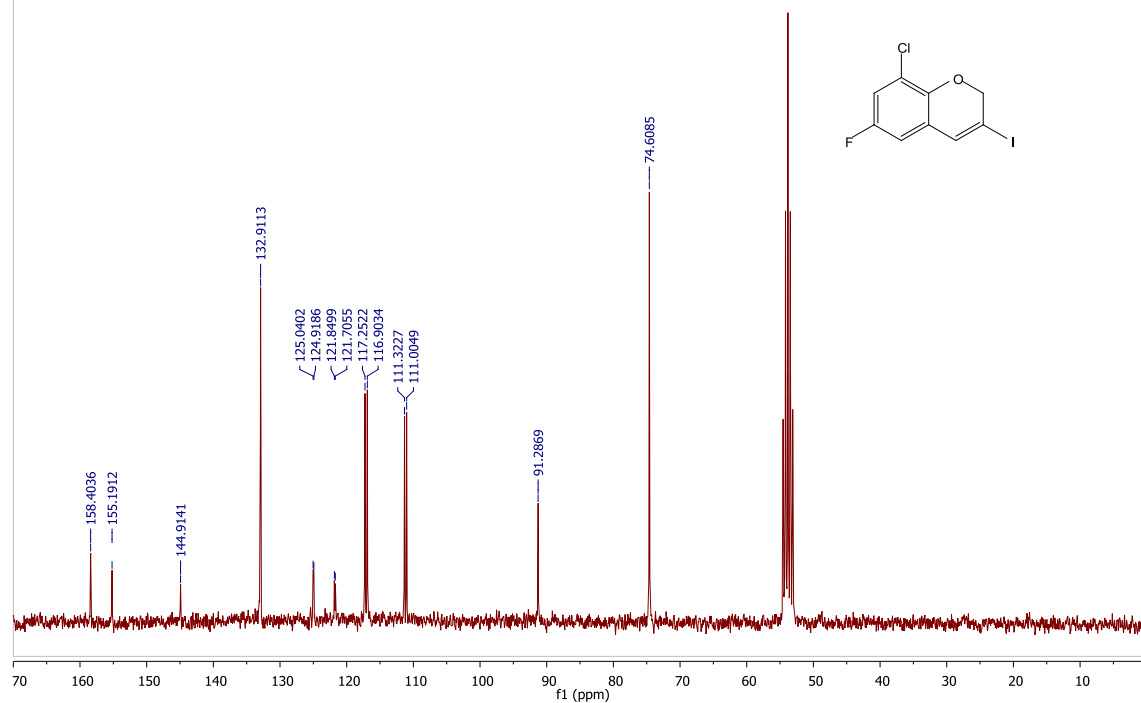


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2e

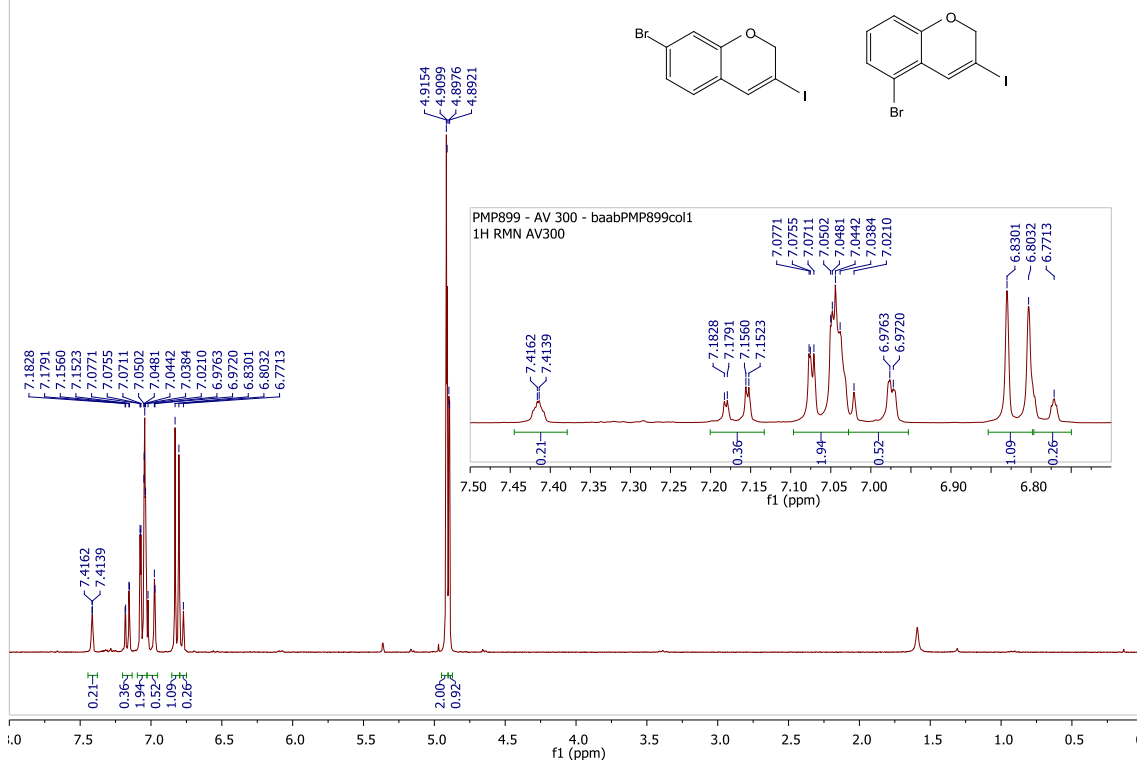
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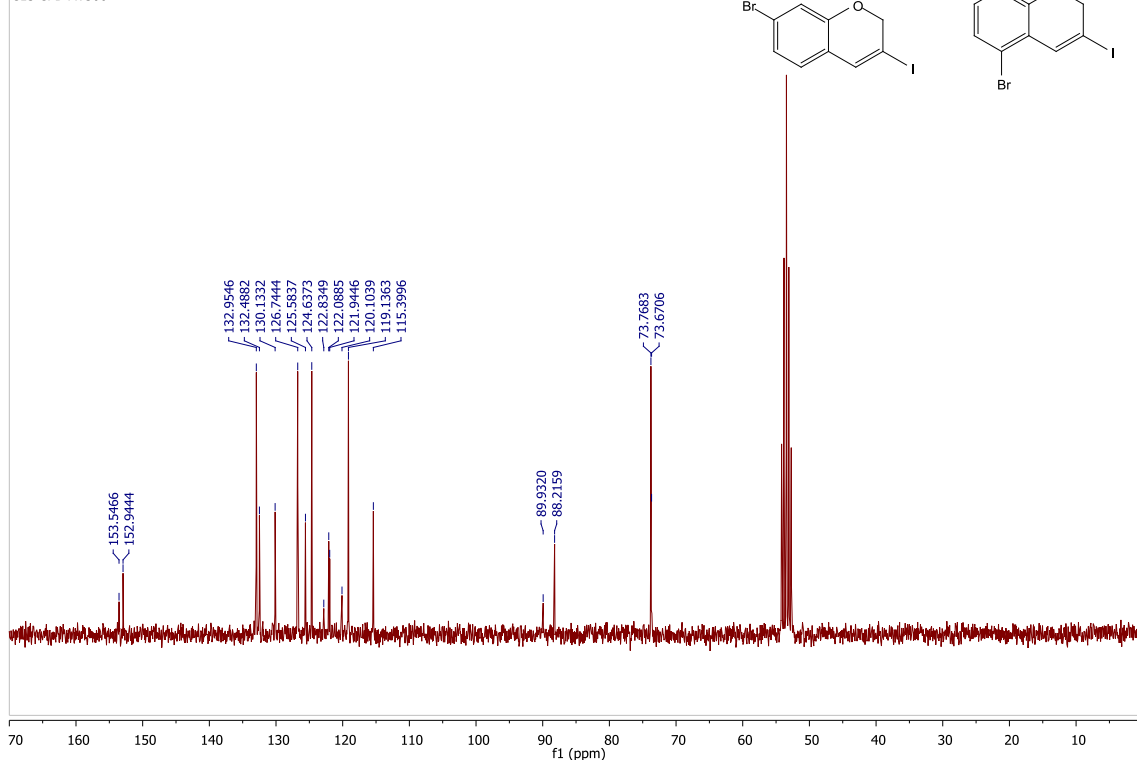
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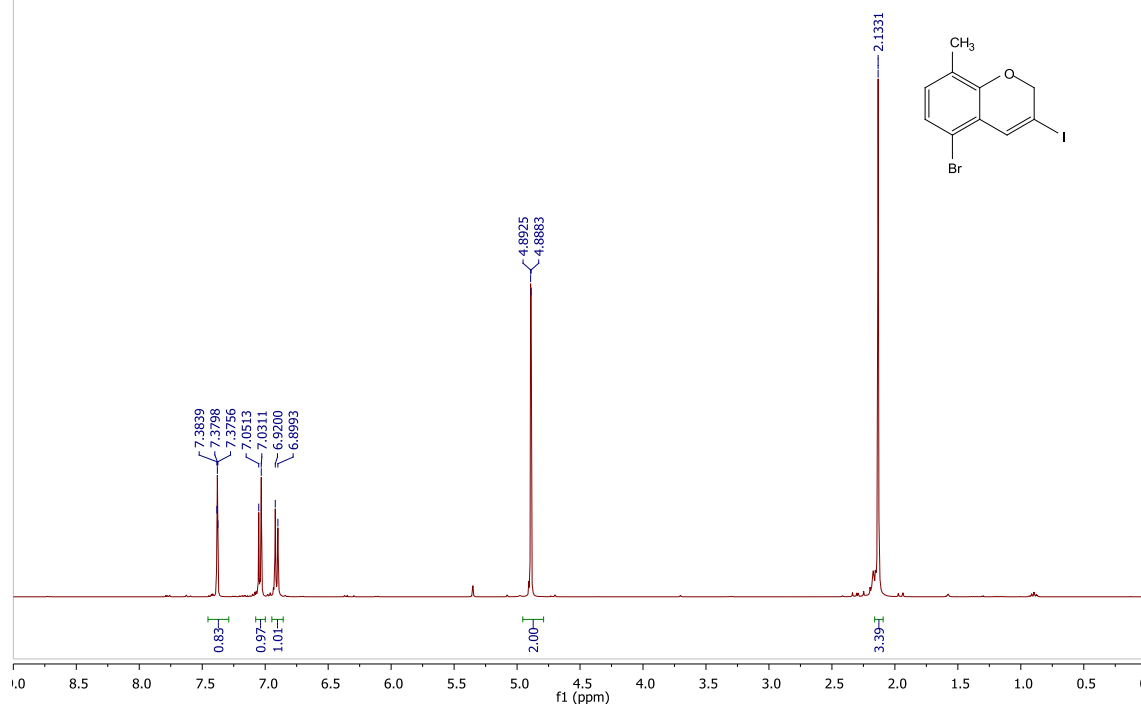


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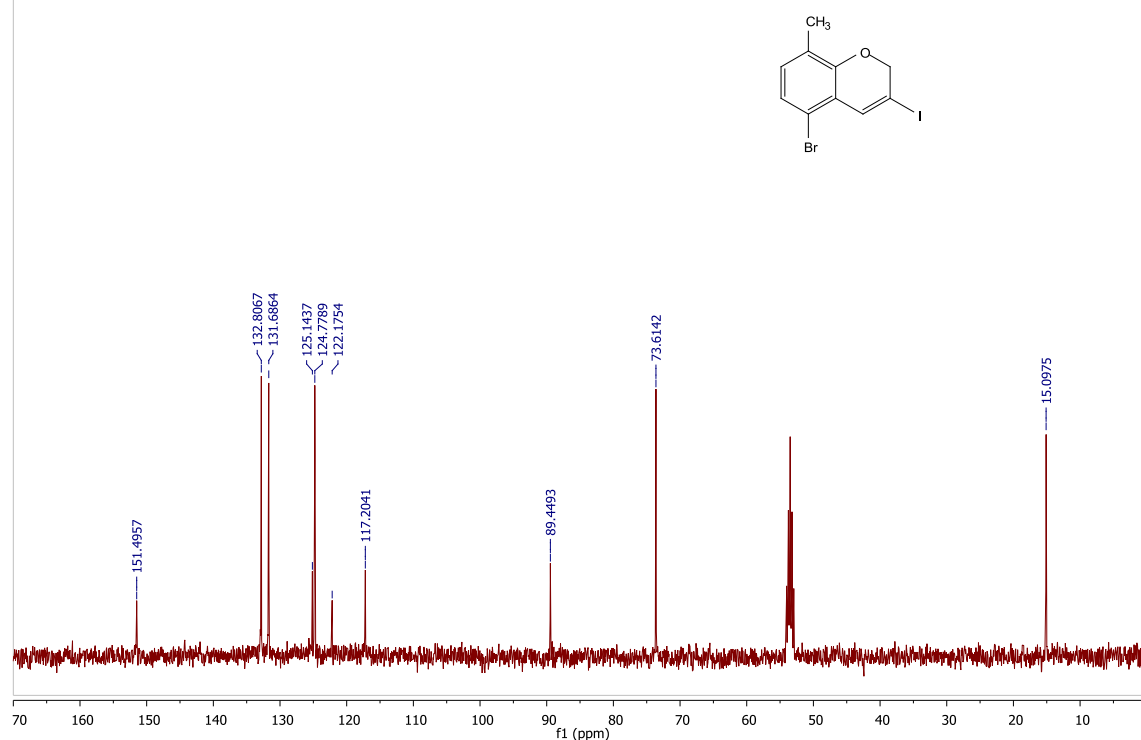


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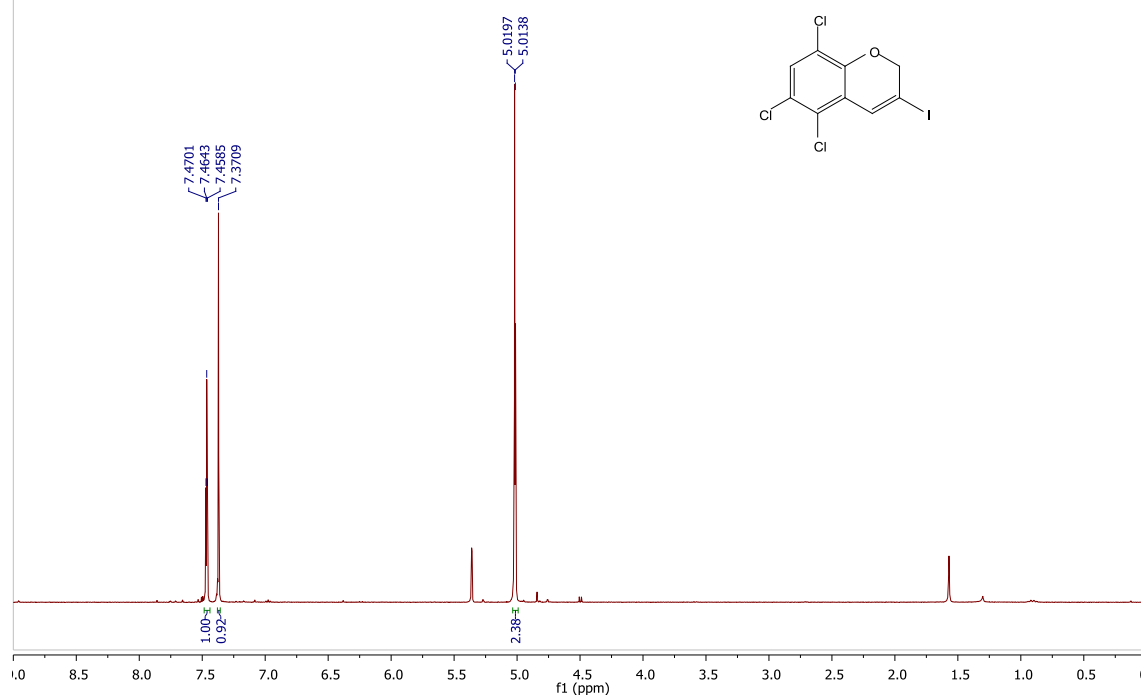
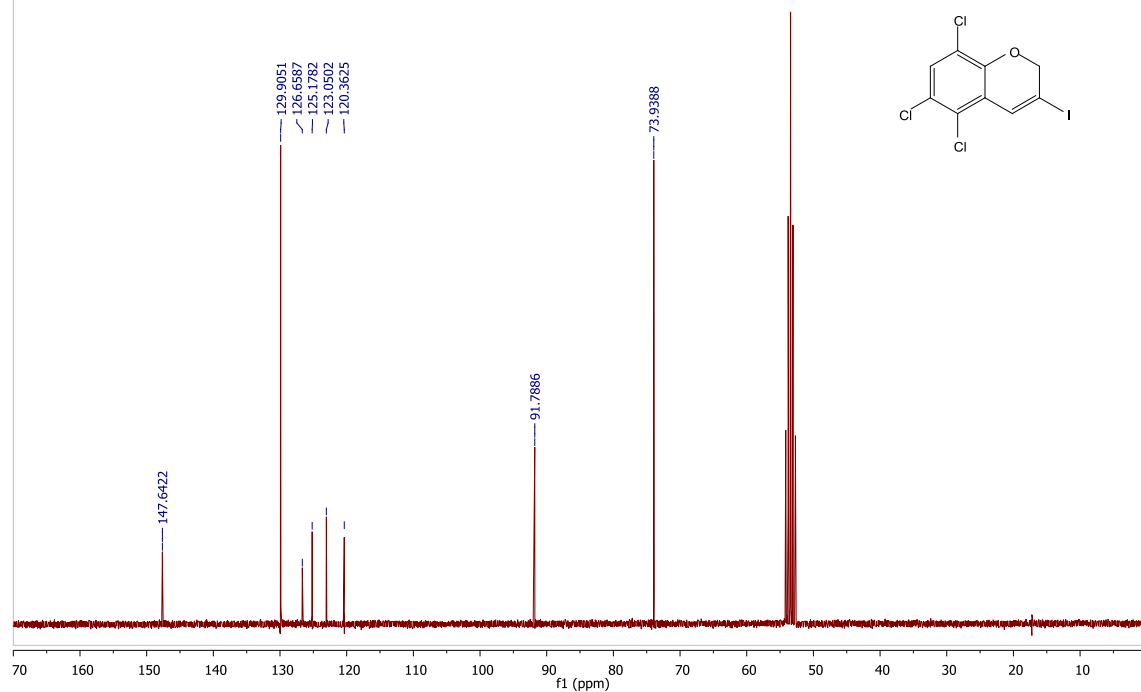
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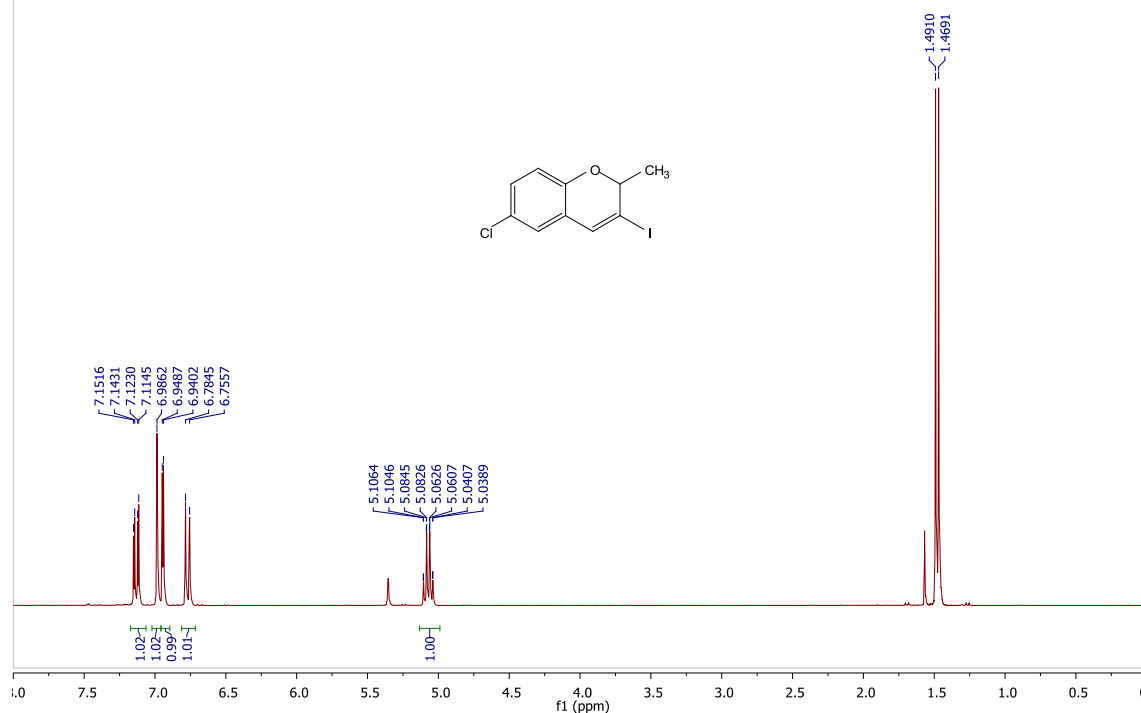
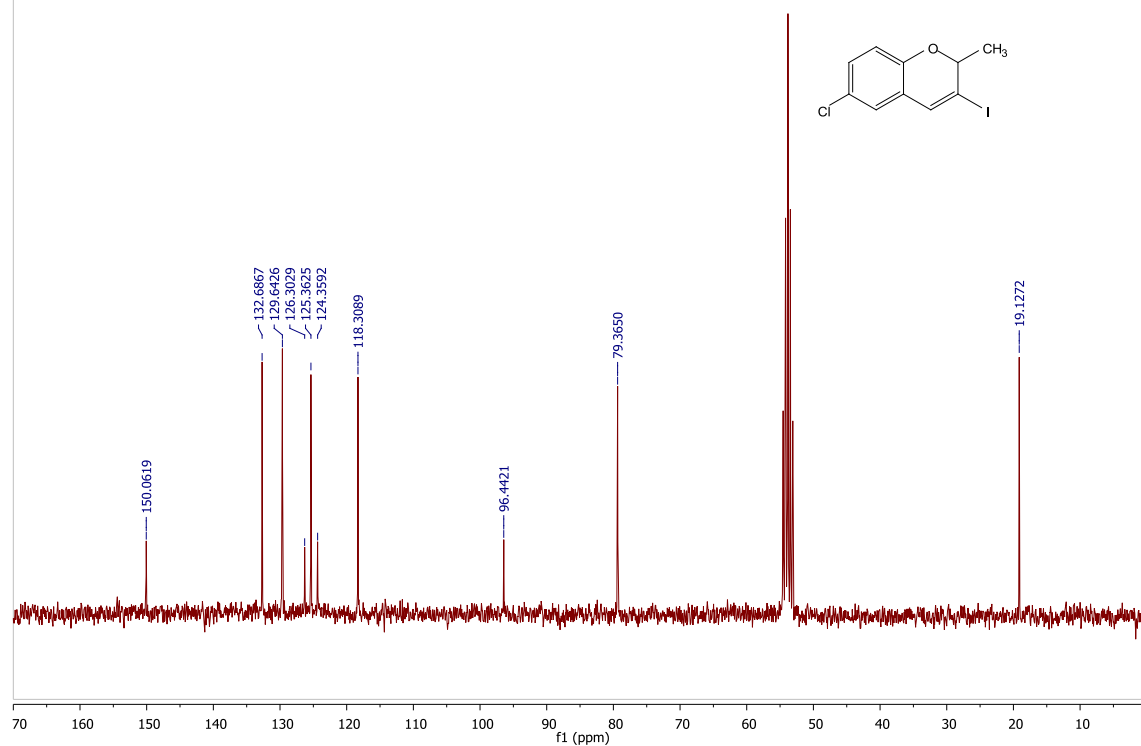
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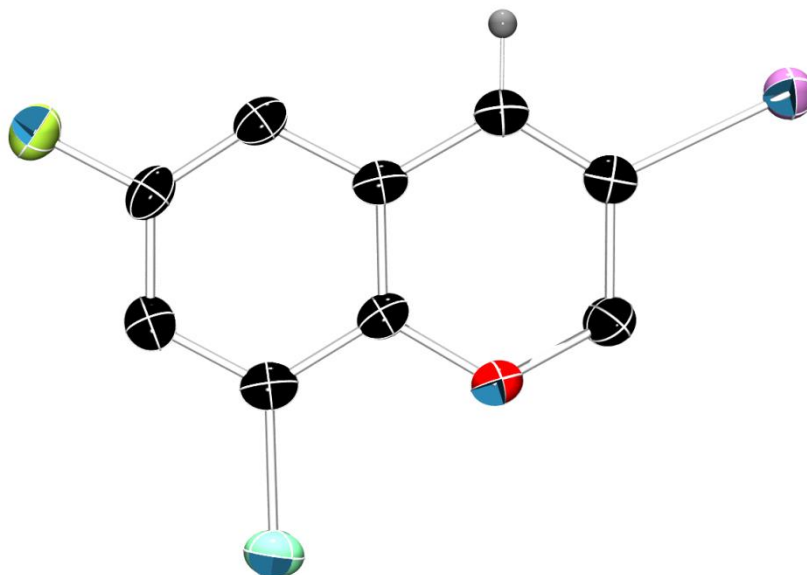
2j

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3. X-ray molecular structure for **2f**

CCDC 939930 contains the supplementary crystallographic data for this paper. These data can be obtained free of charge from the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.

The most relevant crystal and refinement data for *8-chloro-6-fluoro-3-iodo-2H-chromene* is as follows:



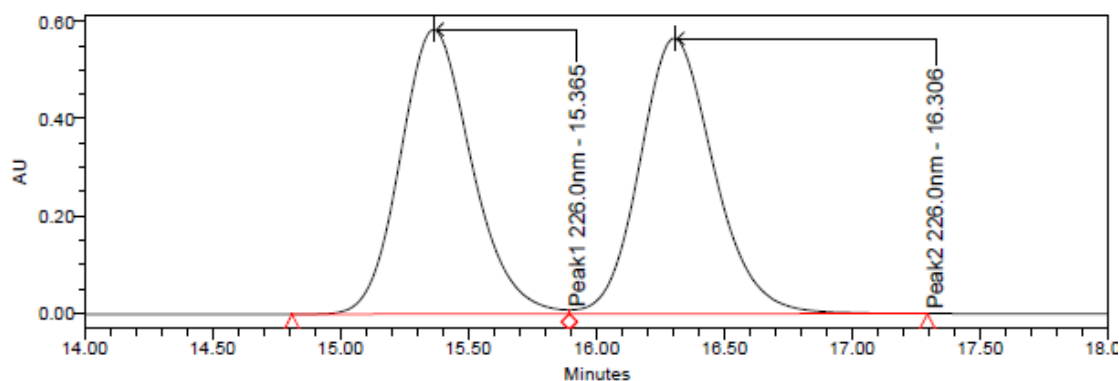
Empirical formula C_9H_5ClFIO , $M_r = 310.49$, $T = 173 (2) \text{ K}$, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$, crystal system, space group: triclinic, 'P -1', unit cell dimensions: $a = 4.3434 (3)$, $b = 9.8103 (9)$, $c = 11.5211 (10) \text{ \AA}$, $\alpha = 111.092 (3)$, $\beta = 91.559 (5)$, $\gamma = 93.498 (5)^\circ$, $V = 456.53 (7) \text{ \AA}^3$, $Z = 2$, $\rho_{\text{calcd}} = 2.259 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$, $\mu = 3.767 \text{ mm}^{-1}$, $F(000) = 292$ crystal size: $0.45 \times 0.30 \times 0.10 \text{ mm}$, θ range data collection: $4.17 - 27.48^\circ$, index ranges: $-5 \leq h \leq 5$, $-12 \leq k \leq 11$, $-0 \leq l \leq 14$, reflections collected/unique = $2071/2071$ [$R_{\text{int}} = 0.0000$], completeness to $2\theta = 27.48 (98.4 \%)$, absorption correction: semi-empirical from equivalents, max. and min. transmission = 0.7103 and 0.1494 , refinement method: full matrix least-squares on F^2 , data/restraints/parameters = $2071/0/118$, goodness-of-fit on $F^2 = 1.058$, final R indices [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]: $R_1 = 0.0336$, $wR_2 = 0.0855$, R indices (all data): $R_1 = 0.0389$, $wR_2 = 0.0879$; largest difference peak and hole = 0.896 and $-1.021 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$.

4. HPLC chromatograms for **1j** and **2j**

The compound (*R*)-**1j** was obtained from commercially available (*S*)-3-butyn-2-ol using standard Mitsunobu-type chemistry, which is known to yield the desired aryl-substituted ether arising from clean inversion of configuration.

HPLC Chromatogram for (*R*)-1-chloro-4-((4-iodobut-3-yn-2-yl)oxy)benzene

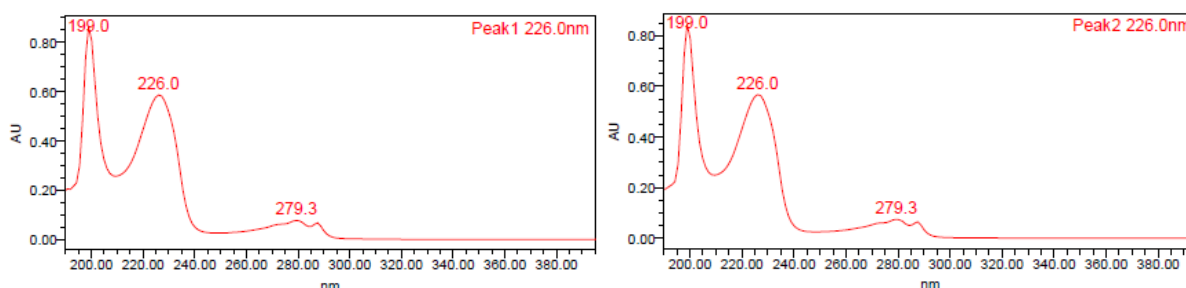
CHIRALCEL OD-H; *n*-Hexane: Isopropanol; 99:1; Flow 0.4 ml/min; $\lambda = 226.0$ nm



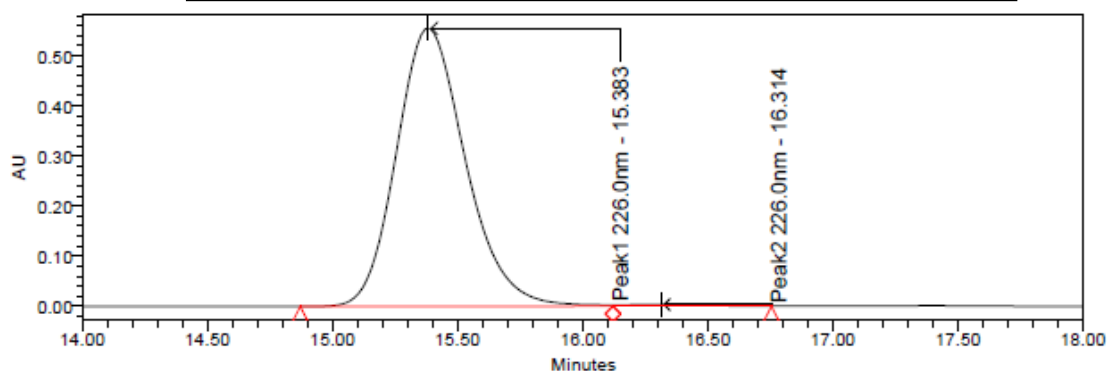
Peak Results

	Name	RT	Area	Height	% Area
1	Peak1 226.0nm	15.365	11381765	586015	49.82
2	Peak2 226.0nm	16.306	11462488	567378	50.18

Chromatogram for racemic **1j** and peak results



UV spectra at retention times 15,365 and 16,306 respectively



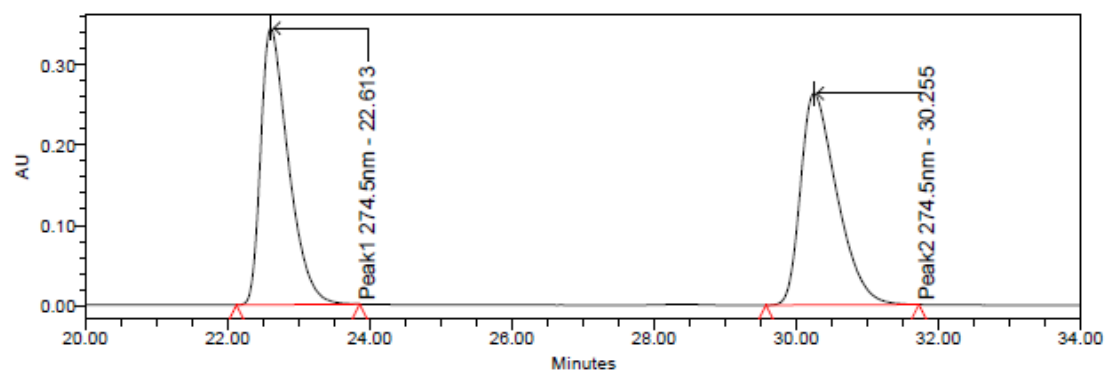
Peak Results

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1	Peak1 226.0nm	15.383	10666512	555485	99.37
2	Peak2 226.0nm	16.314	67968	3173	0.63

Chromatogram for (*R*)-**1j** and peak results

HPLC Chromatogram for (R)-6-chloro-3-iodo-2-methyl-2H-chromene (2j)

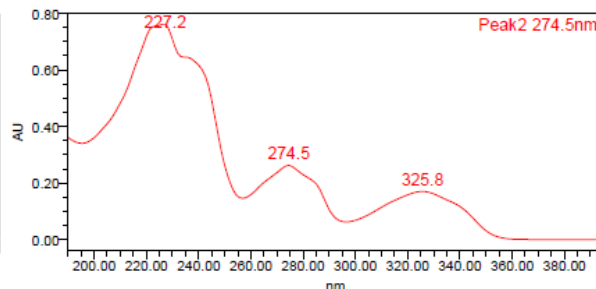
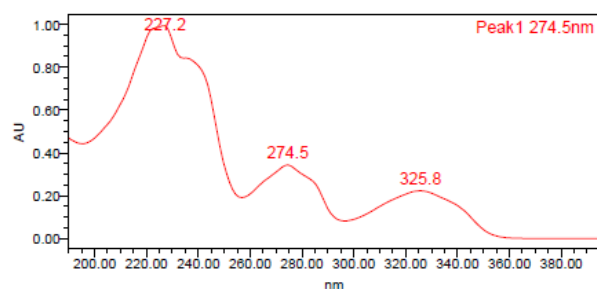
CHIRALCEL OD-H: *n*-Hexane; 100; Flow 0.6 ml/min; $\lambda = 274.5$ nm



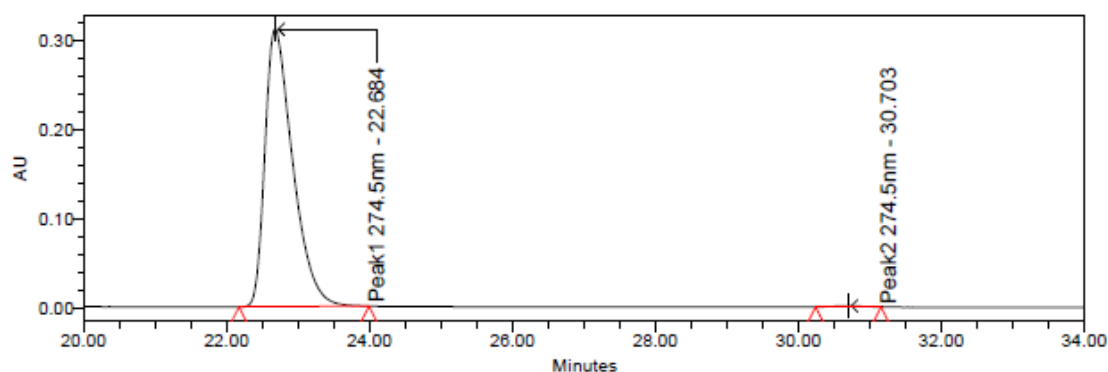
Peak Results

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Chromatogram for racemic **2j** and peak results



UV spectra at retention times 22,613 and 30,255 respectively



Peak Results

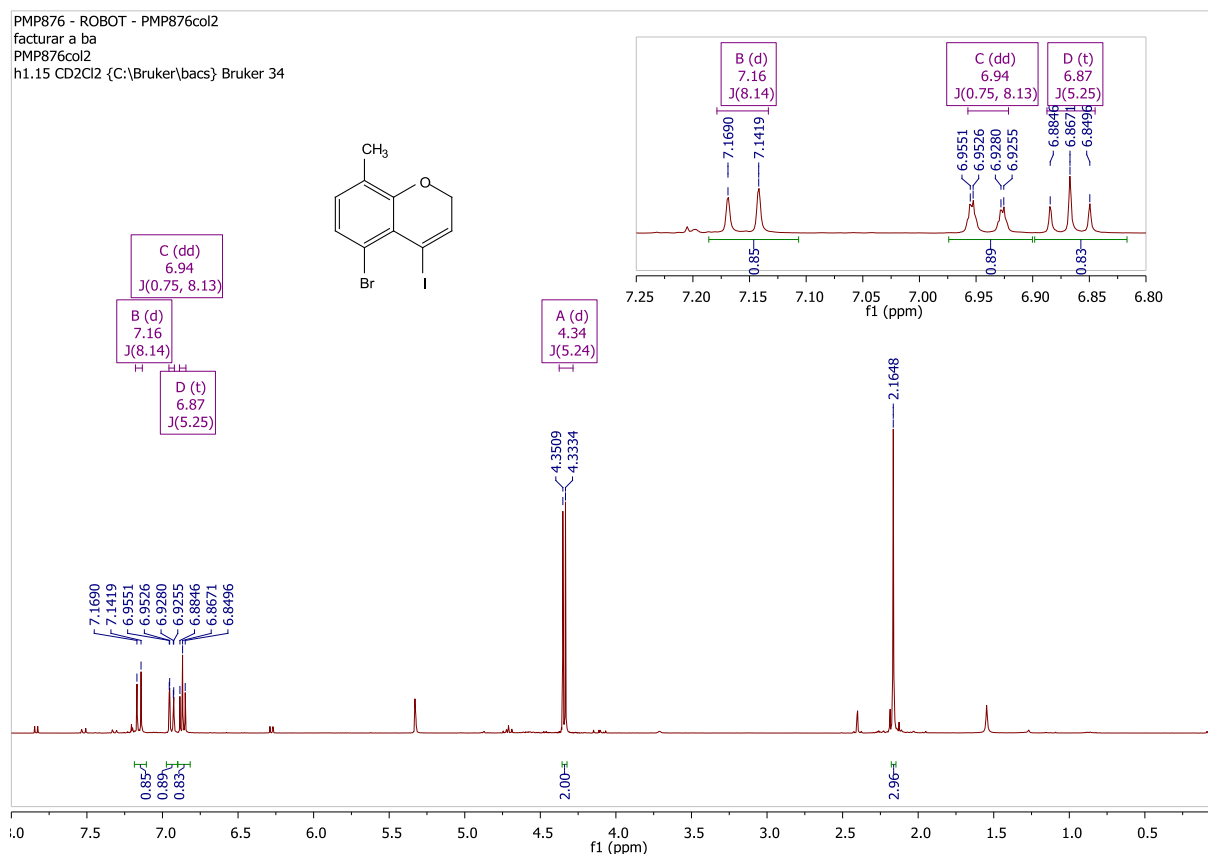
	Name	RT	Area	Height	% Area
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2	Peak2 274.5nm	30.703	37201	1307	0.44

Chromatogram for (R)-**2j** and peak results

5. Structural assignment for compounds **3**

The products **3** are formed as minor components from the gold-catalyzed cyclization reactions of the starting **1**. Although in general compounds **3** were not isolated from crude reaction mixtures containing compounds **2** as the major regioisomers, some of them were isolated.

Thus, below is shown the ^1H NMR spectrum for compound **3h**, which was separable from **2h**.



The signals at δ : 4.34 and 6.87 ppm are characteristic for the presence of compounds **3**. They always show coupling constants in the range of 4.5 Hz (higher values than those associated to compounds **2**) and lower chemical shifts than the corresponding signals in compounds **2**.

On this basis, regioisomeric ratios were determined from crude reaction mixtures upon inspection by ^1H NMR. A representative case is discussed in the next paragraph.

The given ^1H NMR corresponds to the reaction depicted in Table 1 for entry 9. It is possible to clearly distinguish and assign the signals for the allylic hydrogens of **2a** (δ = 4.88 ppm; J = 1.67 Hz) and **3a** (δ = 4.75 ppm; J = 3.98 Hz); and also for the vinylic hydrogen of **2a** (δ = 6.98 ppm; broad singlet) and **3a** (δ = 6.56 ppm; J = 3.97 Hz).

