

Enabling Universal Access to Rapid and Stable Tetrazine Bioorthogonal Probes Through Triazolyl-Tetrazine Formation

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1. General information

Commercially available reagents were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich, J&KScientific, TCI, Energy Chemical, and Bide Pharm, and used without further purification unless otherwise noted. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on 0.20 mm silica gel plates and monitored under ultraviolet (UV) light. Flash column chromatography was performed using silica gel (300–400 mesh) from Qingdao Haiyang Chem. Company, Ltd. (Qingdao, China). Differential Scanning Calorimetry was performed on a TA instruments DSC 25 modulated differential scanning calorimeter. NMR spectroscopy was performed on Bruker nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometer at 400 MHz for ^1H NMR, 377 MHz for ^{19}F NMR, and 101 MHz for ^{13}C NMR. All ^{13}C NMR spectra were proton decoupled. Chemical shifts were reported as δ in parts per million (ppm) using tetramethylsilane (TMS, 0.00 ppm) or residual deuterated solvent as an internal reference (CDCl_3 : 7.26 ppm for ^1H NMR and 77.2 ppm for ^{13}C NMR; $\text{DMSO}-d_6$: 2.50 ppm for ^1H NMR and 39.5 ppm for ^{13}C NMR; CD_3OD : 3.31 ppm for ^1H NMR and 49.5 ppm for ^{13}C NMR). Resonance multiplicities were indicated as s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), dd (doublet of doublets), and m (multiplet). Coupling constants (J) were reported in Hertz (Hz), and the number of protons (n) for a given resonance was indicated as $n\text{H}$. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Bruker micro-TOF-QII time-of-flight mass spectrometer with electrospray ionization. UV-Vis absorption data was collected on a Quawell scientific Q6000+ microvolume spectrophotometer.

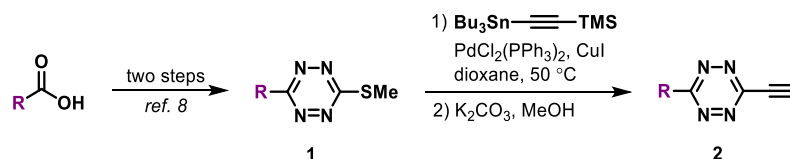
All radiochemical yields (RCY) quoted are decay corrected and are reported as isolated RCY. All RCY were calculated with respect to the starting ^{18}F activity of $^{18}\text{F}-\text{N}_3$. The identities of the ^{18}F -labeled compounds were confirmed by comparison to the corresponding ^{19}F standards. High-performance liquid chromatography-mass spectrometry (HPLC-MS) was performed on an Agilent 1260 Infinity HPLC system equipped with a G7129A 1260 autosampler, a G7111B 1260 Quat Pump, and a G7155A 1260 DAD detector connected to a G6125B single-quadrupole LC/MS system. An Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm , 4.6 \times 250 mm) was used for HPLC-MS analysis. The solvent composition was controlled by a gradient program. Low-resolution mass spectra were obtained in positive ESI mode in the range 200–2000 m/z .

All commercial azides, **H-Tz-BODIPY**, **Me-Tz-BODIPY**, and **4e-TCO-Cy5** (equatorially configured isomer of TCO) were purchased from Xi'an Dianhua Biotechnology Co., Ltd. The following compounds used in the study were synthesized according to the corresponding references: 1-azido-2-(2-(2-fluoroethoxy)ethoxy)ethane¹, **Ph-Tz**², **Me-Tz**³, **Py-Tz**⁴, **H-Tz**⁵, *trans*-cyclooctene (axially configured isomer, 4a-TCO)⁶, *cis*-dioxolane-fused *trans*-cyclooctene (*d*-TCO)⁶ and *d*-TCO-triphenylphosphonium conjugates (***d*-TCO-TPP**)⁷.

The predicted octanol/water partition coefficient (predicted log P) was calculated using the software Molinspiration Property Calculator (<https://www.molinspiration.com/cgi-bin/properties>).

2. Preparation of ethynyl-tetrazines

2.1. General procedure for the synthesis of ethynyl-tetrazines



2.1.1 Synthesis of 3-methylthiotetrazine 1⁸

Step I: In an anhydrous DCM (1.0 M), a mixture of 3-methyl-3-oxetanemethanol (1.1 equiv.), 1-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)-3-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride (EDC·HCl, 1.2 equiv.) and DMAP (0.10 equiv.) was prepared under an argon atmosphere. At 0 °C, the carboxylic acid (1.0 equiv.) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 10 minutes and then at room temperature for 12 hours. Upon completion of the reaction, as confirmed by TLC, the reaction was quenched with a saturated NaHCO₃ solution, followed by extraction with DCM (3×60 mL). The organic phase was then washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried using anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 10:1 to 5:1) to obtain the corresponding oxetane ester.

Step II: In a stirred solution of the corresponding oxetane ester (1.0 equiv.) in DCM (1.0 M) cooled by an ice/brine bath, boron trifluoride etherate (1.2 equiv.) was added dropwise under argon atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at the same temperature until the corresponding oxetane ester was fully consumed, as monitored by TLC. The reaction was quenched with pyridine (3.0 equiv.), and then methyl thiocarbonylhydrazide iodide salt⁸ (0.7 equiv.) and DMF (1.0 M) were added. The mixture was evaporated in vacuo to remove DCM, and then stirred at 80 °C for 60 min under an argon atmosphere. After cooling to 0 °C, phenyliodine diacetate (PIDA, 0.5 equiv.) was added in portions, and the mixture was then stirred at room temperature for 60 min. The reaction was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ solution, extracted with DCM (3×60 mL), and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was redissolved in EtOAc, washed with H₂O and brine. The organic phase was dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography to obtain the corresponding 3-methylthiotetrazine 1.

2.1.2 Synthesis of ethynyl-tetrazine 2

To the mixture of PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (28.0 mg, 0.04 mmol, 20 mol%) and CuI (76.2 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) in 1,4-dioxane (2.0 mL), was successively added 1 (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) under argon atmosphere. The reaction mixture was heated at 50 °C for 12 h. After reaction completion, as monitored by TLC, the reaction mixture was filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was subjected to silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 50:1 to 5:1) to afford the corresponding crude product. The crude product was dissolved in dry MeOH (10 mL), and K₂CO₃ (2.8 mg, 0.1 equiv.) was added. The mixture was stirred at r.t. for 1–5 min. After reaction completion as monitored by TLC, the reaction was immediately extracted with DCM (3×20 mL), and washed with brine. (**Caution!** Dry solvent is necessary and when the reaction is completed, it needs to be worked up immediately.) The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 50:1 to 5:1) to afford the corresponding product 2.

2.2. Optimization of Liebeskind–Srogl coupling reaction conditions

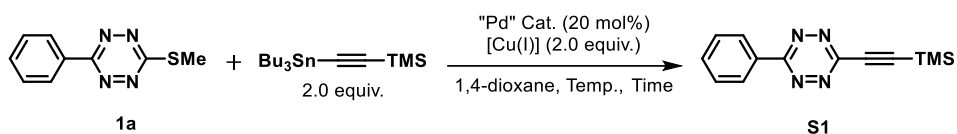


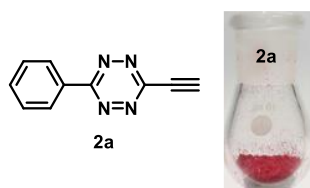
Table S1. Optimization reaction conditions^a

Entry	"Pd" Cat. (20 mol%)	Cu(I) (2.0 equiv.)	Temperature/Time	Concentration	Yield ^b
1	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuTc	100 °C/1 h	10 mM	61%
2	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	100 °C/1 h	10 mM	52%
3	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuBr	100 °C/1 h	10 mM	18%
4	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuCl	100 °C/1 h	10 mM	21%
5	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuTc	75 °C/12 h	10 mM	45%
6	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuTc	50 °C/12 h	10 mM	65%
7	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuTc	r.t./12 h	10 mM	22%
8	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	50 °C/12 h	10 mM	87%
9	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	50 °C/12 h	20 mM	93%
10	Pd(PPh ₃) ₄	CuI	50 °C/12 h	20 mM	83%
11	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuTc	50 °C/12 h	20 mM	54%
12	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	91%
13	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	r.t./24 h	0.1 M	77%
14	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	100 °C/1 h	0.1 M	81%
15	Pd(PPh ₃) ₄	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	77%
16	Pd ₂ (dba) ₃ /40 mol% PPh ₃	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	34%
17	Pd(OAc) ₂ /40 mol% PPh ₃	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	57%
18	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂ (10 mol%)	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	79%
19	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI (1.0 equiv.)	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	67%
20 ^c	PdCl ₂ (PPh ₃) ₂	CuI	50 °C/12 h	0.1 M	71%

^aReaction conditions: unless other wise noted, **1a** (10.2 mg, 0.05 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (36.7 μL, 0.10 mmol, 2.0 equiv.), "Pd" Cat. (20 mol%), Cu(I) (2.0 equiv.) were used. ^bThe yield of **S1** was determined by ¹H NMR with mesitylene as an internal standard. ^ctrimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (27.5 μL, 0.075 mmol, 1.5 equiv.).

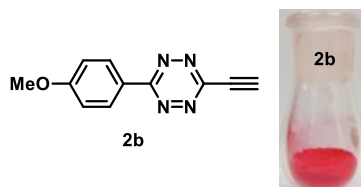
2.3 Preparation and characterization of ethynyl-tetrazines

2.3.1 Synthesis of tetrazine 2a



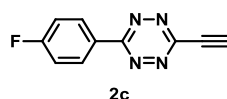
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2a** from **1a**⁸ (1.02 g, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (3.67 mL, 10 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2a** as a red solid (0.63 g, 3.47 mmol, 69%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.51–8.49 (m, 2H), 7.76–7.67 (m, 3H), 5.31 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 161.3, 155.6, 133.1, 131.4, 129.6, 128.1, 89.2, 77.8. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₀H₆N₄Na⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 205.0485, found 205.0491.

2.3.2 Synthesis of tetrazine 2b



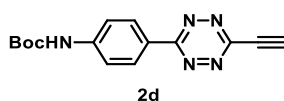
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2b** from **1b**⁸ (1.17 g, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (3.67 mL, 10 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2b** as a red solid (632 mg, 2.98 mmol, 60%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.59 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.2, 161.8, 155.7, 130.8, 123.6, 115.1, 85.4, 77.4, 55.7. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₁H₈N₄NaO⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 235.0590, found 235.0580.

2.3.3 Synthesis of tetrazine 2c



The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2c** from **1c**⁹ (44.4 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2c** as a red solid (29.2 mg, 0.146 mmol, 73%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.66 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 5.3 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 3.76 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4 (d, *J* = 256.9 Hz), 161.4, 156.2, 131.2 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz), 127.5 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 117.0 (d, *J* = 22.2 Hz), 86.2, 77.3. ¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -104.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₀H₆FN₄⁺ [M + H]⁺ 201.0571, found 201.0572.

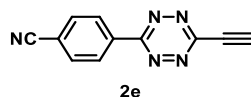
2.3.4 Synthesis of tetrazine 2d



The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2d** from **1d**⁸ (63.8 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column

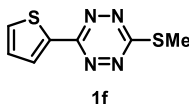
chromatography afforded **2d** as a red solid (36.8 mg, 0.124 mmol, 62%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.57 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (s, 1H), 3.72 (s, 1H), 1.55 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 161.7, 155.9, 152.2, 143.6, 130.1, 125.3, 118.6, 85.6, 81.7, 77.4, 28.4. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₅H₁₆N₅O₂⁺ [*M* + *H*]⁺ *m/z* 298.1299, found 298.1290.

2.3.5 Synthesis of tetrazine **2e**



The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2e** from **1e⁸** (45.8 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2e** as a red solid (21.5 mg, 0.104 mmol, 52%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO)** δ 8.64 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 8.16 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 5.40 (s, 1H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO)** δ 160.5, 155.6, 135.7, 133.4, 128.7, 118.2, 115.1, 90.0, 77.7. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₁H₅N₅⁻ [*M*]⁻ *m/z* 207.0550, found 207.0552.

2.3.6 Synthesis of tetrazine **2f**

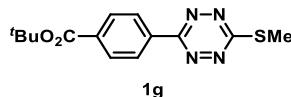


The compound **1f** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red solid (1.26 g, 6.0 mmol, 61%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.16 (dd, *J* = 3.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.62 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 2.75 (s, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 174.5, 160.4, 135.6, 131.9, 130.5, 128.9, 13.5. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₇H₆N₄NaS₂⁺ [*M* + *Na*]⁺ *m/z* 232.9926, found 232.9934.

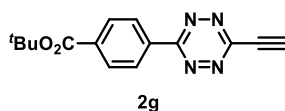


The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2f** from **1f** (42.0 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2f** as a red solid (27.4 mg, 0.146 mmol, 73%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.34 (dd, *J* = 3.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 1H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 160.1, 155.5, 135.4, 134.5, 133.0, 129.5, 85.8, 77.4. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₈H₅N₄S⁺ [*M* + *H*]⁺ *m/z* 189.0229, found 189.0229.

2.3.7 Synthesis of tetrazine **2g**

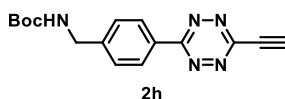


The compound **1g** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red solid (3.0 g, 9.8 mmol, 62%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.58 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 8.17 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 2.81 (s, 3H), 1.63 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 175.9, 165.1, 162.0, 135.4, 135.2, 130.3, 127.4, 81.9, 28.3, 13.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₄H₁₇N₄O₂S⁺ [*M* + *H*]⁺ *m/z* 305.1067, found 305.1063.



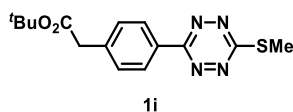
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2g** from **1g** (1.52 g, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (3.67 mL, 10 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2g** as a red solid (0.93 g, 3.3 mmol, 66%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.68 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 8.20 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (s, 1H), 1.64 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 164.9, 161.7, 156.5, 136.4, 134.6, 130.4, 128.5, 86.6, 82.1, 77.3, 28.3. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₅H₁₅N₄O₂⁺ [M + H]⁺ *m/z* 283.1190, found 283.1187.

2.3.8 Synthesis of tetrazine **2h**

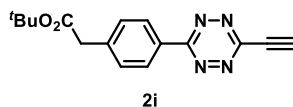


The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2h** from **1h**⁸ (66.6 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2h** as a red solid (29.8 mg, 0.096 mmol, 48%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.59 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.44 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 3.75 (s, 1H), 1.48 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 162.0, 156.3, 156.1, 145.2, 130.2, 129.1, 128.3, 86.0, 80.1, 77.4, 44.5, 28.5. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₆H₁₇N₅NaO₂⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 334.1274, found 334.1272.

2.3.9 Synthesis of tetrazine **2i**

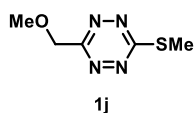


The compound **1i** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red solid (2.18 g, 9.6 mmol, 52%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.47 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.47 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.78 (s, 3H), 1.45 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 175.3, 170.3, 162.3, 139.4, 130.4, 130.3, 127.7, 81.4, 42.8, 28.1, 13.5. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₅H₁₈N₄NaO₂S⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 341.1043, found 341.1043.

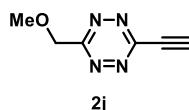


The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2i** from **1i** (63.6 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2i** as a red solid (35.5 mg, 0.12 mmol, 60%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.58 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.75 (s, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 1.45 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 170.1, 162.0, 156.2, 140.8, 130.5, 129.9, 128.9, 86.0, 81.6, 77.4, 42.9, 28.2. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₆H₁₆N₄NaO₂ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 319.1165, found 319.1165.

2.3.10 Synthesis of tetrazine **2j**

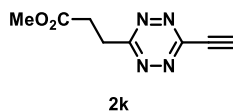


The compound **1j** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red liquid (2.8 g, 16.3 mmol, 65%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 4.96 (s, 2H), 3.57 (s, 3H), 2.75 (s, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 177.0, 164.1, 72.1, 59.6, 13.5. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₅H₈N₄NaOS⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 195.0311, found 195.0310.



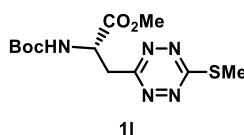
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2j** from **1j** (34.4 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2j** as a red liquid (12.0 mg, 0.08 mmol, 40%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 5.09 (s, 2H), 3.75 (s, 1H), 3.62 (s, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 165.0, 157.4, 86.4, 77.4, 72.2, 60.0. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₆H₆N₄NaO⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 173.0434, found 173.0426.

2.3.11 Synthesis of tetrazine **2k**

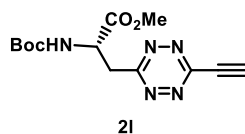


The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2k** from **1k**⁸ (42.8 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2k** as a red solid (15.7 mg, 0.082 mmol, 41%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 3.73–3.63 (m, 6H), 3.09 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 172.4, 167.5, 156.6, 85.8, 77.4, 52.2, 30.5, 30.2. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₈H₉N₄O₂⁺ [M + H]⁺ m/z 193.0720, found 193.0721.

2.3.12 Synthesis of tetrazine **2l**



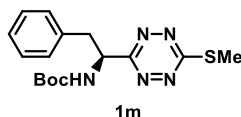
The compound **1l** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red solid (2.32 g, 7.1 mmol, 42%). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 5.52 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 4.79–4.74 (m, 1H), 3.73 (dd, *J* = 15.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.62–3.56 (m, 1H), 2.64 (s, 3H), 1.28 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 175.8, 171.1, 164.3, 155.0, 80.1, 52.7, 52.0, 37.1, 28.1, 13.2. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₂H₁₉N₅NaO₄S⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 352.1050, found 352.1050.



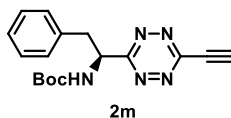
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2l** from **1l** (65.8 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). The coupling reaction in the first

step was carried out at 80 °C for 2 h. Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2i** as a red liquid (17.8 mg, 0.058 mmol, 29%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.46 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 4.90–4.85 (m, 1H), 3.95 (dd, J = 14.8, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.77–3.74 (m, 1H), 1.37 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.0, 165.5, 156.6, 155.1, 86.1, 80.7, 77.4, 53.1, 52.2, 38.4, 28.3. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₃H₁₇N₅NaO₄⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 330.1173, found 330.1171.

2.3.13 Synthesis of tetrazine **2m**

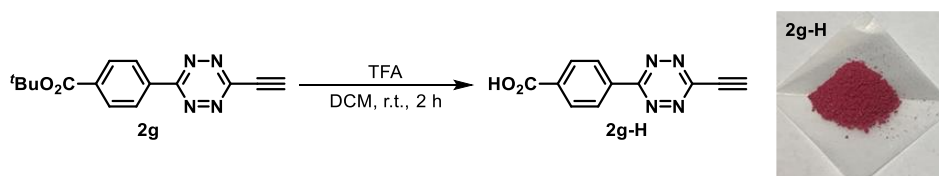


The compound **1m** was prepared according to the general procedure as a red solid (3.33 g, 9.6 mmol, 60%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28–7.20 (m, 3H), 7.06–7.04 (m, 2H), 5.62–5.58 (m, 1H), 5.49–5.37 (m, 1H), 3.43–3.18 (m, 2H), 2.73 (s, 3H), 1.39 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 176.4, 166.7, 155.0, 135.6, 129.4, 128.7, 127.1, 80.2, 54.5, 41.4, 28.3, 13.4. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₆H₂₁N₅NaO₂S⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 370.1308, found 370.1308.



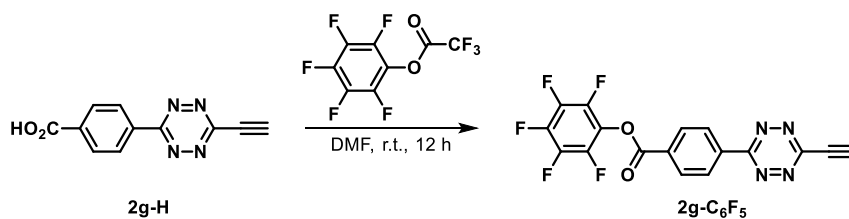
The general procedure described above was followed to prepare compound **2m** from **1m** (69.4 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and trimethylsilylethynyltri-*n*-butyltin (146.8 μL, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). Purification by silica column chromatography afforded **2m** as a red liquid (33.1 mg, 0.102 mmol, 51%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28–7.22 (m, 3H), 7.04–7.02 (m, 2H), 5.70–5.65 (m, 1H), 5.49–5.39 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 1H), 3.43–3.27 (m, 2H), 1.39 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.8, 156.9, 155.2, 135.3, 129.4, 129.0, 127.5, 86.2, 80.6, 77.4, 55.2, 41.3, 28.4. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₇H₁₉N₅NaO₂⁺ [M + Na]⁺ m/z 348.1431, found 348.1438.

2.3.14 Synthesis of tetrazine **2g-H**



To a solution of **2g** (50.0 mg, 0.177 mmol) in 500 μL of dry DCM was added 50 μL of trifluoroacetic acid (TFA). The mixture was stirred at r.t. for 2 h. Red solids are precipitated, filtered directly, washed with *n*-pentane. The compound **2g-H** (35 mg, 0.155 mmol) was obtained in 87% yield as a red solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.59 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 8.22 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.36 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 166.6, 160.9, 155.6, 135.2, 134.5, 130.3, 128.3, 89.6, 77.8. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₁H₅N₄O₂⁻ [M - H]⁻ m/z 225.0418, found 225.0419.

2.3.15 Synthesis of tetrazine **2g-C₆F₅**



To a solution of **2g-H** (30.0 mg, 0.13 mmol) in 500 μ L of dry DMF was added (34 μ L, 0.20 mmol) of pentafluorophenyl trifluoroacetate. The mixture was stirred at r.t. under argon atmosphere for 12 h. The reaction was extracted with EtOAc (3 \times 5 mL), and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:DCM = 5:1 to 3:1) as a red solid (42.5 mg, 0.11 mmol, 83% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.83 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 8.44 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 3.83 (s, 1H). **¹³C NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 162.0, 161.4, 156.7, 142.9–142.6 (m), 141.04–141.0, 140.4–140.1 (m), 139.7–139.3 (m), 138.7–138.4 (m), 136.7, 131.7, 131.1, 129.0, 125.3 (m), 87.1, 77.4. **¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ -152.2 to -152.3 (m, 2F), -157.2 (t, J = 21.9 Hz, 1F), -161.8 to -161.9 (m, 2F). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₇H₆F₅N₄O₂⁺ [M + H]⁺ m/z 393.0405, found 393.0487.

2.4 Stability of ethynyl-tetrazines

To evaluate the stability of ethynyl-tetrazines, NMR experiments were conducted. To investigate the long-term storage capability of ethynyl-tetrazines, ethynyl-tetrazines were stored in a 4 °C freezer without the protection of N₂. After 135 or 150 days, samples were taken and NMR experiments were conducted. To investigate the stability of ethynyl-tetrazines in solvent, ethynyl-tetrazines were stored in CDCl₃ in NMR tube at room temperature for 15 days. Then, NMR experiments were conducted.

2.4.1 Storage stability of ethynyl-tetrazines at 4 °C

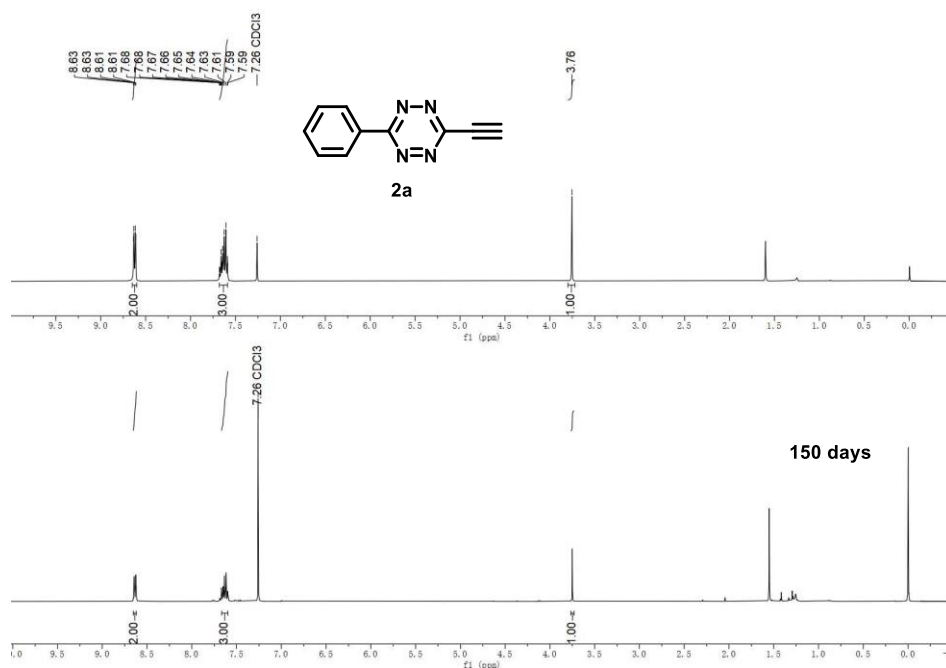


Figure S1. NMR spectra of solid **2a** at the start (*top*) or after 150 days (*bottom*) of storage at 4 °C.

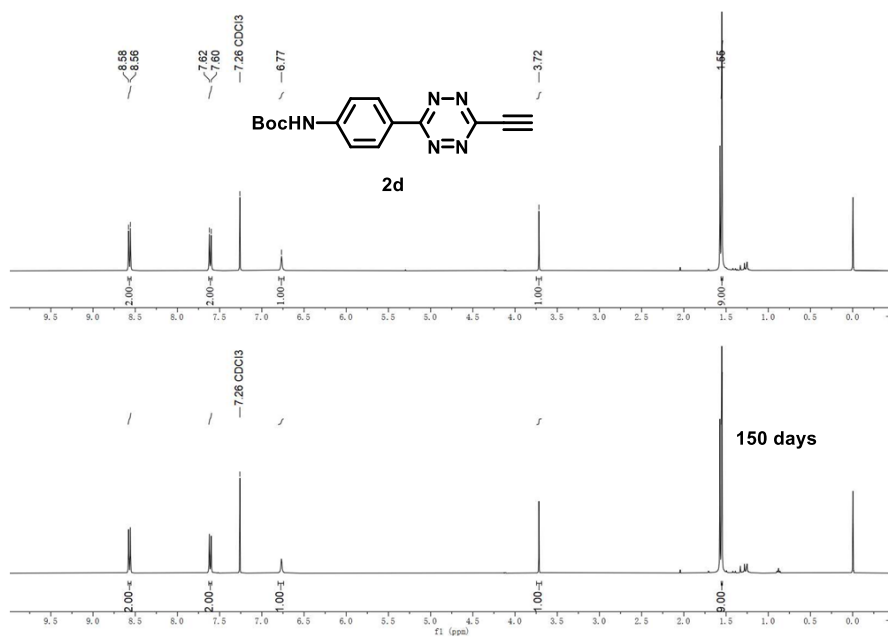


Figure S2. NMR spectra of solid **2d** at the start (*top*) or after 150 days (*bottom*) of storage at 4 °C.

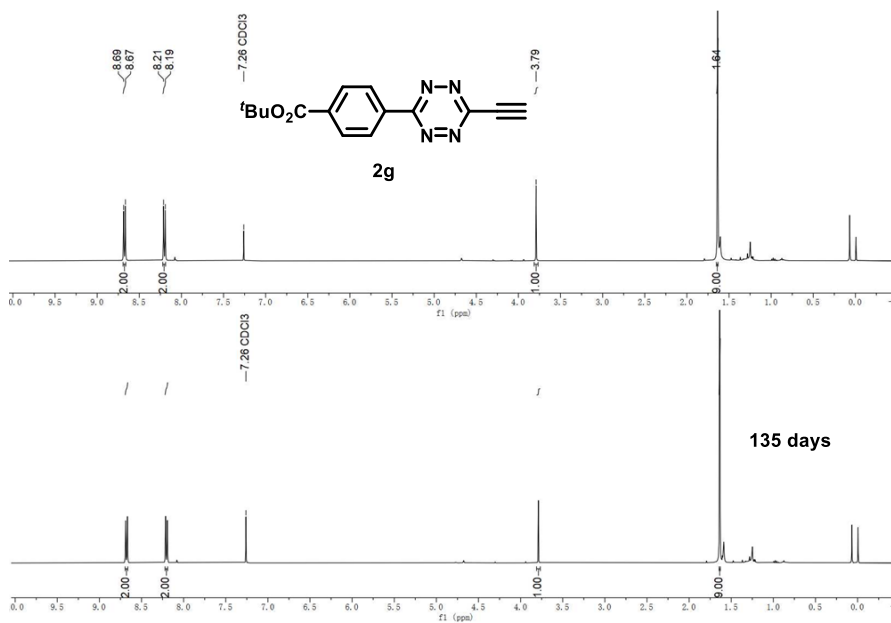


Figure S3. NMR spectra of solid **2g** at the start (*top*) or after 135 days (*bottom*) of storage at 4 °C.

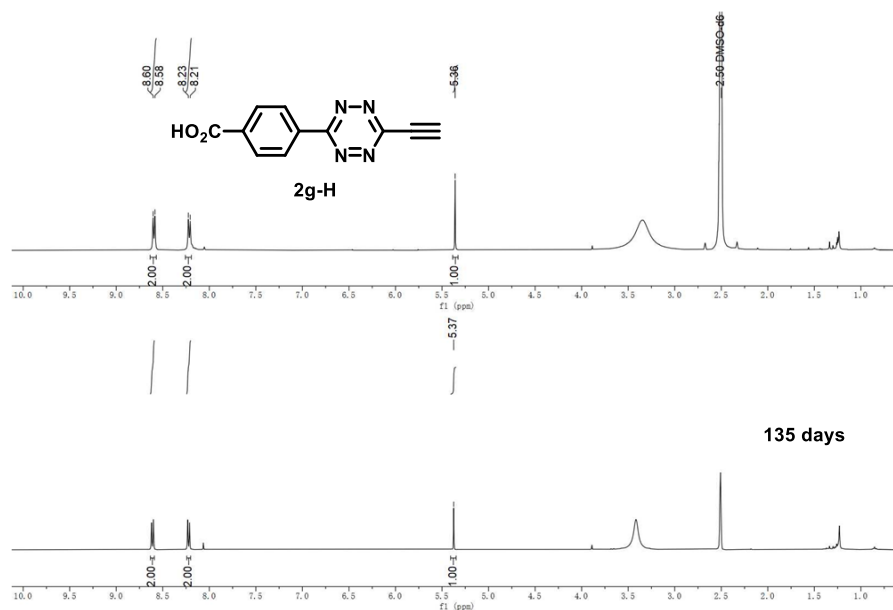


Figure S4. NMR spectra of solid **2g-H** at the start (*top*) or after 135 days (*bottom*) of storage at 4 °C.

2.4.2 Stability of ethynyl-tetrazines in $CDCl_3$ at room temperature

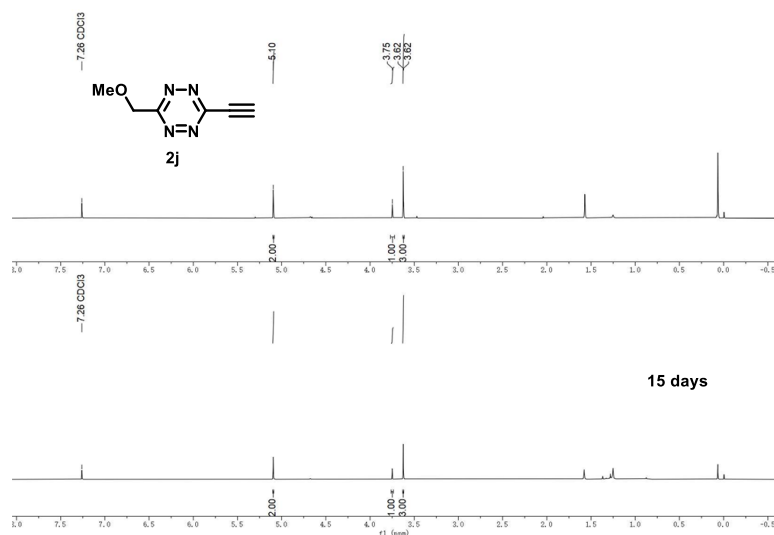


Figure S5. NMR spectra of **2j** at the start (*top*) or after 15 days (*bottom*) of storage in $CDCl_3$ at room temperature.

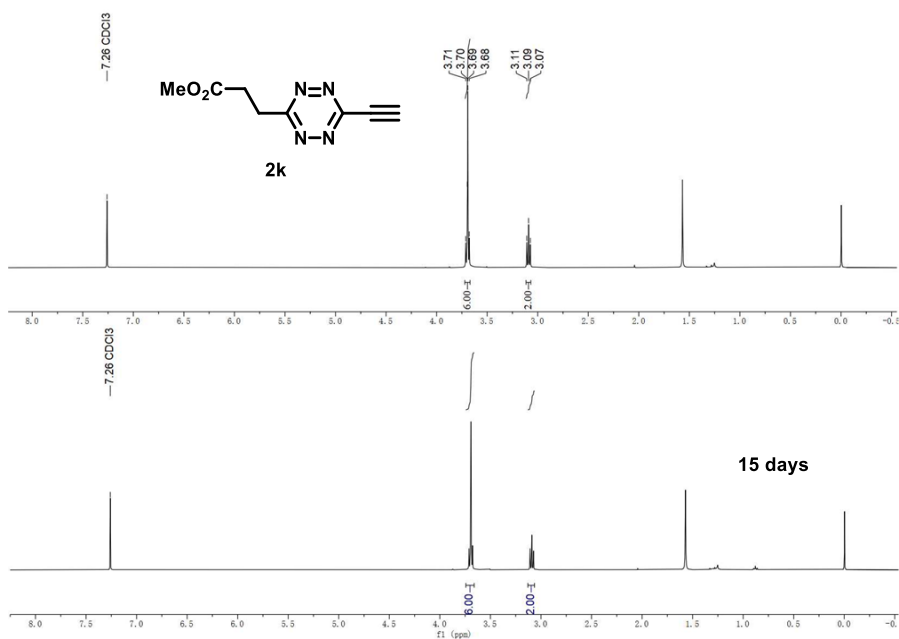


Figure S6. NMR spectra of **2k** at the start (*top*) or after 15 days (*bottom*) of storage in CDCl₃ at room temperature

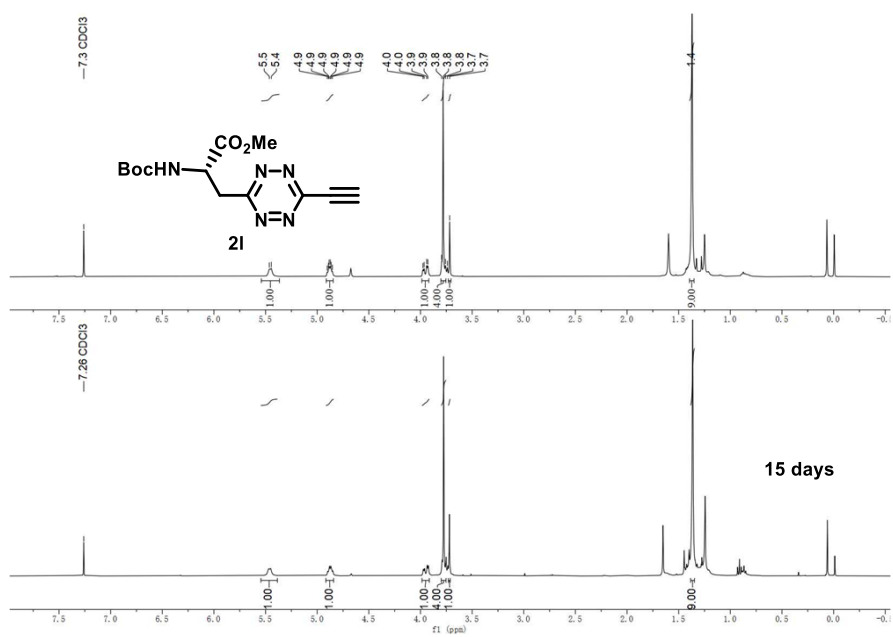
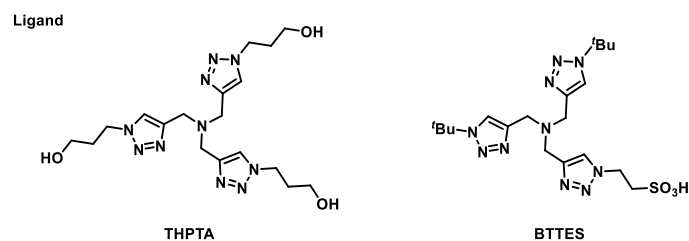
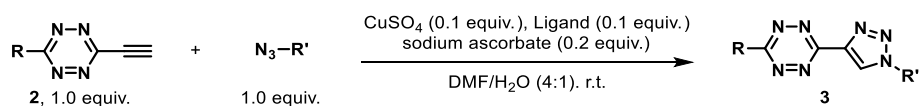
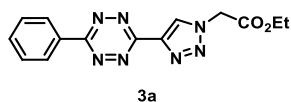


Figure S7. NMR spectra of **2l** at the start (*top*) or after 15 days (*bottom*) of storage in CDCl₃ at room temperature.

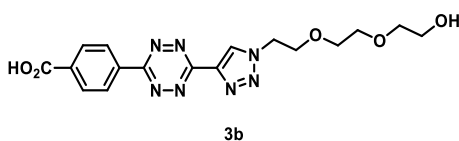
3. General procedure for the synthesis of triazolyl-tetrazines



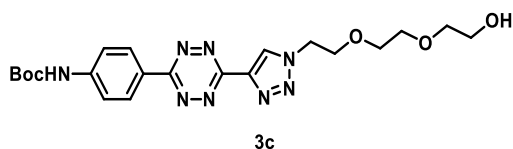
The mixture of CuSO_4 (0.1 equiv.), Ligand (0.1 equiv., BTTES¹⁰ was used for **3a**, **3d**, **3e**, **3i**, **3l** and **3p** and THPTA was used for others) and sodium ascorbate (0.2 equiv.) in 2 mL of DMF/ H_2O (v/v 4:1) was stirred at r.t. for 10 min. Then, azide (10 mg, 1.0 equiv.) and ethynyl-tetrazine (1.0 equiv.) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature. After reaction completion, as monitored by TLC, the reaction was worked up to afford the corresponding product.



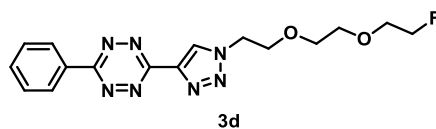
The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3a** from **2a** (14.1 mg, 0.077 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and ethyl azidoacetate (10.0 mg, 0.077 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 15 min, then extracted with DCM (3×10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 5:1 to 2:1) as a red solid (23.4 mg, 97% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO)** δ 9.20 (s, 1H), 8.54 (d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.75–7.68 (m, 3H), 5.61 (s, 2H), 4.24 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 1.26 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO)** δ 167.0, 163.4, 159.5, 141.2, 132.7, 131.9, 129.5, 128.8, 127.6, 61.8, 50.8, 14.0. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_7\text{NaO}_2^+$ [$M + \text{Na}$]⁺ m/z 334.1023, found 334.1019. Predicted log $P = 1.43$.



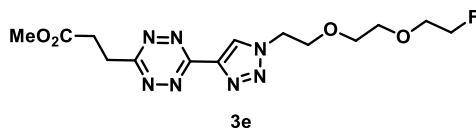
The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3b** from **2g-H** (12.9 mg, 0.057 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 2-[2-(2-azidoethoxy) ethoxy]ethanol (10.0 mg, 0.057 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 60 min, then diluted with water (10 mL), centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, added DCM (10 mL), shaken, centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, dried and afford the corresponding products as a red solid (20.4 mg, 89% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO)** δ 9.19 (s, 1H), 8.63 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 8.23 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 4.74 (t, $J = 5.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.53 (s, 1H), 3.95 (t, $J = 5.1$ Hz, 2H), 3.60–3.57 (m, 2H), 3.52–3.49 (m, 2H), 3.46 (t, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.38 (d, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO)** δ 166.7, 163.0, 159.6, 141.0, 135.7, 134.1, 130.3, 128.1, 127.7, 72.3, 69.6, 69.6, 68.4, 60.2, 49.9. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_7\text{NaO}_5^+$ [$M + \text{Na}$]⁺ m/z 424.1340, found 424.1339. Predicted log $P = 0.15$.



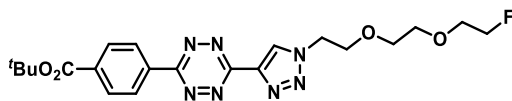
The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3c** from **2d** (16.9 mg, 0.057 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 2-[2-(2-azidoethoxy) ethoxy]ethanol (10.0 mg, 0.057 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 60 min, then extracted with DCM (3×10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 20:1 to 10:1) as a red solid (23.6 mg, 88% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.83 (s, 1H), 8.57 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 4.73 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 3.97 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 3.78 (t, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 2H), 3.66 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 4H), 3.62–3.59 (m, 2H), 1.54 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 164.0, 159.6, 152.3, 143.1, 142.0, 129.5, 127.2, 125.9, 118.5, 81.5, 72.8, 70.7, 70.4, 69.2, 61.9, 50.8, 28.4. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₂₁H₂₈N₈NaO₅⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 495.2075, found 495.2079. Predicted log *P* = 1.13.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3d** from **2a** (10.0 mg, 0.055 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 1-azido-2-(2-(2-fluoroethoxy)ethoxy)ethane¹ (9.6 mg, 0.055 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 20 min, then extracted with DCM (3×10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 30:1 to 15:1) as a red solid (18.6 mg, 95% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.68–8.63 (m, 2H), 7.66–7.59 (m, 3H), 4.74 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 4.67–4.61 (m, 1H), 4.55–4.50 (m, 1H), 3.99 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 3.80–3.76 (m, 1H), 3.71–3.66 (m, 5H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 164.5, 160.1, 142.0, 133.0, 131.9, 129.4, 128.3, 127.3, 83.3 (d, *J* = 169.0 Hz), 70.8 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz), 70.7, 70.5, 69.3, 50.9. **¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 18.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₆H₁₈FN₇NaO₂⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 382.1398, found 382.1403. Predicted log *P* = 1.26.

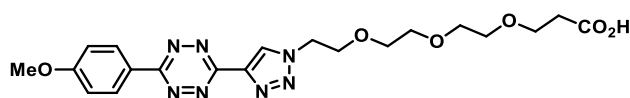


The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3e** from **2k** (12.0 mg, 0.062 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 1-azido-2-(2-(2-fluoroethoxy)ethoxy)ethane¹ (11.0 mg, 0.062 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 20 min, then extracted with DCM (3×10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 30:1 to 15:1) as a red solid (21.4 mg, 93% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.74 (s, 1H), 4.71 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 4.64–4.61 (m, 1H), 4.52–4.49 (m, 1H), 3.97 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 3.77–3.75 (m, 1H), 3.71 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.69–3.65 (m, 5H), 3.10 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 172.5, 169.1, 160.5, 141.9, 127.4, 83.3 (d, *J* = 169.9 Hz), 70.8 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz), 70.7, 70.5, 69.3, 52.1, 50.9, 30.8, 30.0. **¹⁹F NMR (CDCl₃, 377 MHz)** δ: 18.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₄H₂₁FN₇O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺ *m/z* 370.1634, found 370.1635. Predicted log *P* = -0.74.



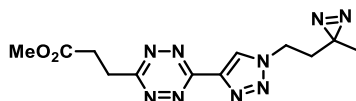
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The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3f** from **2g** (15.9 mg, 0.056 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 1-azido-2-(2-(2-fluoroethoxy)ethoxy)ethane¹ (10.0 mg, 0.056 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 60 min, then extracted with DCM (3 × 10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 30:1 to 15:1) as a red solid (21.8 mg, 84% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.81 (s, 1H), 8.70 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 8.21 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.74 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 4.67–4.62 (m, 1H), 4.55–4.51 (m, 1H), 3.99 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 3.80–3.76 (m, 1H), 3.72–3.67 (m, 5H), 1.64 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 165.1, 164.0, 160.2, 141.8, 135.8, 135.3, 130.3, 128.0, 127.6, 83.2 (d, *J* = 169.6 Hz), 81.9, 70.8 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz), 70.7, 70.5, 69.2, 50.9, 28.3. **¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 18.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₂₁H₂₆F₂N₇NaO₄⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 482.1923, found 482.1923. Predicted log *P* = 2.62.



3g

The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3g** from **2b** (8.6 mg, 0.04 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 3-(2-(2-(2-azidoethoxy)ethoxy)ethoxy)propanoic acid (10.0 mg, 0.04 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 2 h, then extracted with DCM (3 × 10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 15:1 to 10:1) as a red solid (15.9 mg, 85% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.77 (s, 1H), 8.59 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.75–4.71 (m, 2H), 3.99–3.96 (m, 2H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.77 (t, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 2H), 3.68–3.63 (m, 8H), 2.63 (t, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 174.7, 164.1, 163.7, 159.5, 142.0, 130.2, 127.1, 124.2, 114.9, 70.8, 70.7, 70.6, 70.5, 69.3, 66.5, 55.7, 50.9, 34.9. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₂₀H₂₅N₇NaO₆⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 482.1759, found 482.1760. Predicted log *P* = 0.34.



3h

The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3h** from **2k** (15.4 mg, 0.08 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 3-(2-Azidoethyl)-3-methyl-3H-diazirine (10.0 mg, 0.08 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 20 min (HPLC yield: 96%), then extracted with DCM (3 × 10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:EA = 10:1 to 3:1) as a red solid (23.1 mg, 91% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.59 (s, 1H), 4.43 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.70 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.09 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 2.12 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.03 (s, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 172.5, 169.2, 160.3, 142.1, 126.2, 52.1, 45.7, 35.3, 30.8, 30.0, 23.6, 19.8. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₂H₁₆N₉O₂⁺ [M + H]⁺ *m/z* 318.1421, found 318.1427.

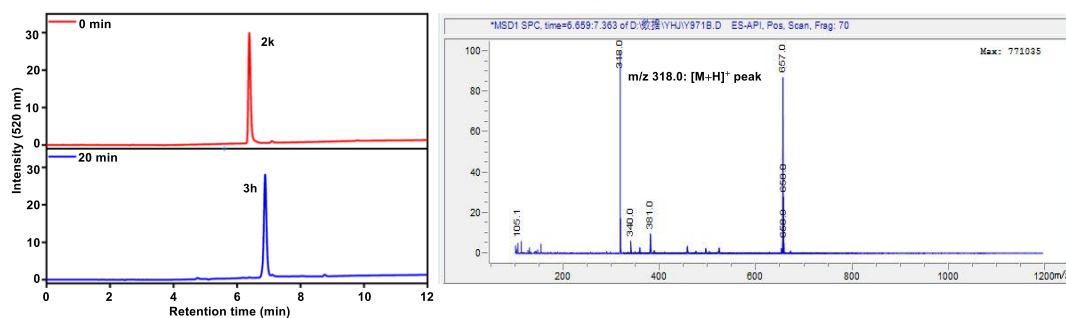
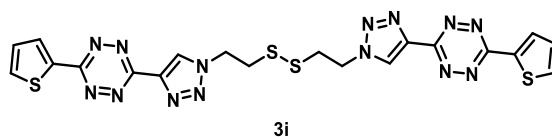
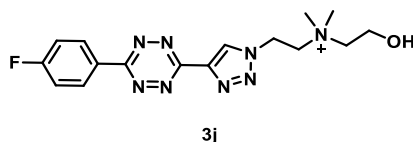


Figure S8. HPLC elution profiles of reaction products **3h** (blue) and **2k** (red) and the mass spectrum of the reaction solution after 20 min. HPLC was conducted with mobile phase of H₂O containing 0.1% formic acid and MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min. The gradient was as follows: 0–7 min, linear increase from 30% to 100% MeCN; 7–10 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 10–10.5 min, linear decrease from 100% to 30% MeCN; 10.5–12 min, isocratic at 30% MeCN.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3i** from **2f** (9.9 mg, 0.53 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 1,2-bis((2-azidoethyl)thio)ethane (5.4 mg, 0.0264 mmol, 0.5 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 12 h, then diluted with water (10 mL), centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, added DCM (10 mL), shaken, centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, added DMSO (5 mL), filtered, lyophilized in freeze dryer to afford a red solid (13.2 mg, 86% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO)** δ 9.20 (s, 2H), 8.27 (dd, *J* = 3.8, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 8.07 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.7 Hz, 2H), 4.86 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 4H), 3.43 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 4H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO)** δ 161.4, 159.1, 141.3, 135.7, 133.6, 131.1, 129.4, 127.5, 48.7, 36.8. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₂₀H₁₆N₁₄NaS₄⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 603.0457, found 603.0441.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3j** from **2c** (12.6 mg, 0.063 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and azido-choline (10.0 mg, 0.063 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 2 h (HPLC yield: 96%), then diluted with water (10 mL), and lyophilized in freeze dryer to afford. Then, the mixture was purified by reversed phase chromatography (H₂O:MeCN = 100:0 to 90:10) as a red solid (21 mg, 93% yield). **¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO)** δ 9.35 (s, 1H), 8.67–8.56 (m, 2H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.41 (s, 1H), 5.18 (s, 2H), 4.11 (s, 2H), 3.90 (s, 2H), 3.59 (s, 2H), 3.21 (s, 6H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO)** δ 165.0 (d, *J* = 252.5 Hz), 162.8, 159.3, 141.4, 130.3 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz), 128.4 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 128.2, 116.7 (d, *J* = 21.2 Hz), 65.7, 61.9, 54.9 51.3, 43.8. **¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, DMSO)** δ -107.0. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₆H₂₀FN₈O⁺ [M]⁺ *m/z* 359.1739, found 359.1738.

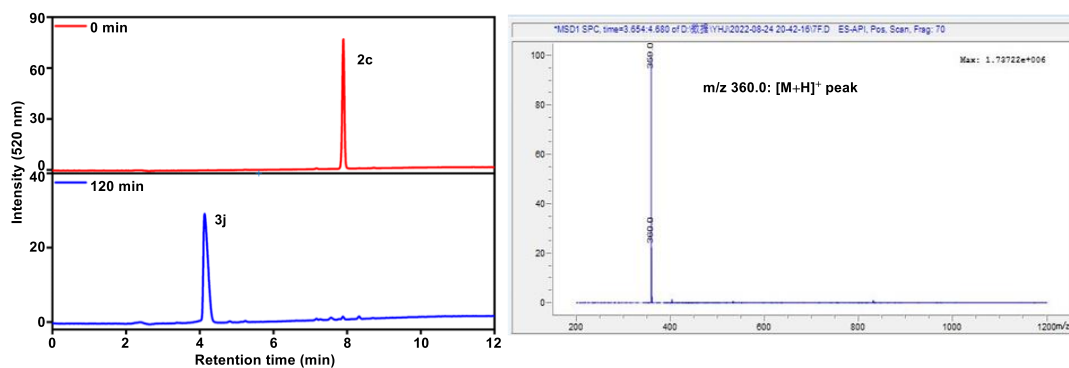
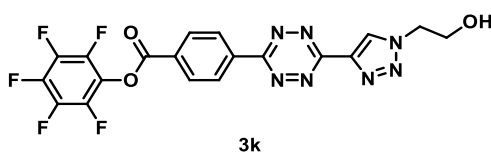
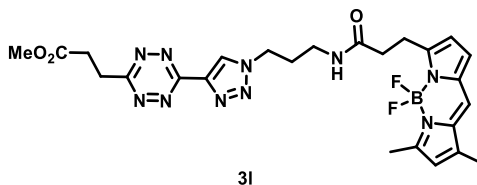


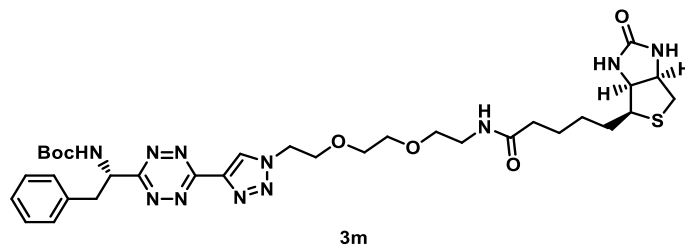
Figure S9. HPLC elution profiles of reaction products **3j** (blue) and **2c** (red) and the mass spectrum of the reaction solution after 20 min. HPLC was conducted with mobile phase of H₂O containing 0.1% formic acid and MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min. The gradient was as follows: 0–7 min, linear increase from 30% to 100% MeCN; 7–10 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 10–10.5 min, linear decrease from 100% to 30% MeCN; 10.5–12 min, isocratic at 30% MeCN.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3k** from **2g-C₆F₅** (10.0 mg, 0.026 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and 2-azidoethanol (2.3 mg, 0.026 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 18 h, then diluted with water (10 mL), centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, added DCM (10 mL), shaken, centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, filtered, dried and afford the corresponding products as a red solid (10.2 mg, 83% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 9.20 (s, 1H), 8.79 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 8.49 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 4.62 (t, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 2H), 3.91 (t, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 2H). ¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, DMSO) δ -153.2 to -153.3 (m, 2F), -157.3 (t, *J* = 23.2 Hz, 1F), -162.1 to -162.2 (m, 2F). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₁₉H₁₀F₅N₇NaO₃⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 502.0657, found 502.0652.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3o** from **2k** (1.9 mg, 0.01 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and BDP FL azide (3.7 mg, 0.01 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 20 min, then the mixture was purified by reversed phase chromatography (H₂O:MeCN = 100:0 to 55:45) as a tawny oil (5.3 mg, 95% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.54 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 6.31 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 6.22 (s, 1H), 6.09 (s, 1H), 4.33 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 3.72–3.68 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 5H), 3.28 (q, *J* = 7.9, 7.2 Hz, 4H), 3.09 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 2.71 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.22 (s, 3H), 2.11 (q, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 172.4, 169.1, 161.2, 160.4, 156.5, 144.7, 141.7, 135.5, 133.3, 128.2, 126.5, 124.0, 120.9, 117.4, 52.2, 48.1, 36.2, 35.8, 30.8, 30.4, 30.0, 24.9, 15.1, 11.5. ¹⁹F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -143.6 to -143.9 (m, 2F). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₂₅H₂₉BF₂N₁₀O₃Na⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 589.2377, found 589.2433.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3m** from **2m** (8.1 mg, 0.025 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and N-(2-(2-(2-azidoethoxy)ethoxy)ethyl)-5-((3a*S*,4*S*,6a*R*)-2-oxohexahydro-1*H*-thieno[3,4-*d*] 18 midazole-4-yl)pentanamide (10.0 mg, 0.025 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 2 h (HPLC yield: 92%), then extracted with DCM (3×10 mL) and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 20:1 to 10:1) as a red solid (15.7 mg, 87% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.78 (s, 1H), 7.24–7.17 (m, 3H), 7.12–7.06 (m, 2H), 6.55 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 6.25 (s, 1H), 5.79 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 5.66 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 5.40 (s, 1H), 4.75–4.71 (m, 2H), 4.47 (dd, *J* = 7.8, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 4.32–4.27 (m, 1H), 3.97 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 3.64 (q, *J* = 2.6, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 3.60–3.56 (m, 2H), 3.52 (t, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 2H), 3.45–3.32 (m, 4H), 3.15–3.10 (m, 1H), 2.88 (dd, *J* = 12.8, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 2.70 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.19 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.76–1.70 (m, 1H), 1.68–1.58 (m, 3H), 1.45–1.41 (m, 2H), 1.38 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.5, 169.6, 163.9, 160.7, 155.4, 141.6, 135.7, 129.5, 128.8, 127.7, 127.3, 80.4, 70.5, 70.2, 69.1, 61.9, 60.3, 55.6, 50.8, 41.3, 40.7, 39.3, 36.0, 28.4, 28.3, 28.2, 25.6. HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for C₃₃H₄₇N₁₁NaO₆S⁺ [M + Na]⁺ *m/z* 748.3324, found 748.3334.

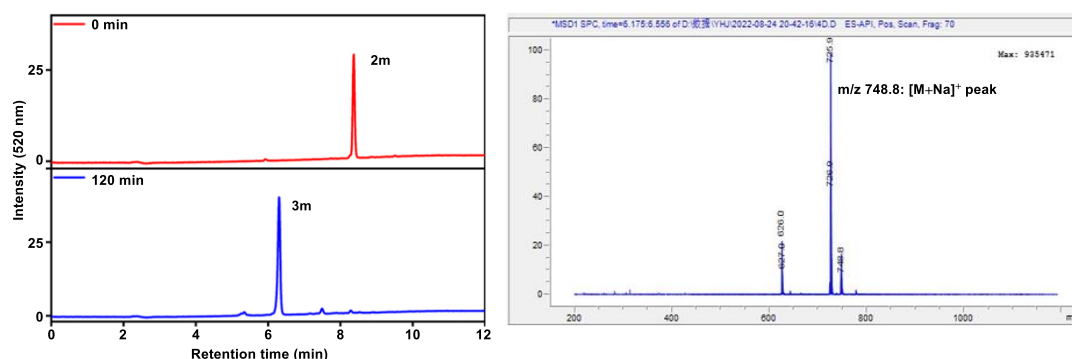
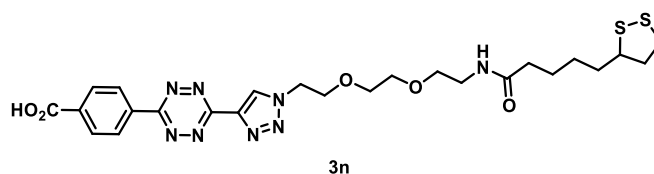


Figure S10. HPLC elution profiles of reaction products **3m** (blue) and **2m** (red) and the mass spectrum of the reaction solution after 20 min. HPLC was conducted with mobile phase of H₂O containing 0.1% formic acid and MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min. The gradient was as follows: 0–7 min, linear increase from 30% to 100% MeCN; 7–10 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 10–10.5 min, linear decrease from 100% to 30% MeCN; 10.5–12 min, isocratic at 30% MeCN.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3n** from **2g-H** (6.2 mg, 0.028 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and N-(2-(2-(2-azidoethoxy)ethoxy)ethyl)-5-(1,2-dithiolan-3-yl)pentanamide (10 mg, 0.028 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 2 h (HPLC yield: 99%), then diluted with water (10 mL), and lyophilized in freeze dryer to afford. The reaction mixture was diluted with water (10 mL), centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, added DCM (10 mL), shaken, centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant, dried and afford the corresponding products as a red solid (14.9 mg, 92% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 9.19 (s, 1H), 8.64 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 8.23 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.75 (s, 1H), 4.74 (t, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 2H), 3.95 (t, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 2H), 3.62–

3.46 (m, 9H), 3.17–3.11 (m, 2H), 2.00 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 1.88–1.79 (m, 1H), 1.69–1.53 (m, 2H), 1.49–1.40 (m, 3H), 1.33–1.26 (m, 2H). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for $C_{25}H_{32}N_8NaO_5S_2^+$ $[M + Na]^+$ m/z 611.1829, found 611.1824.

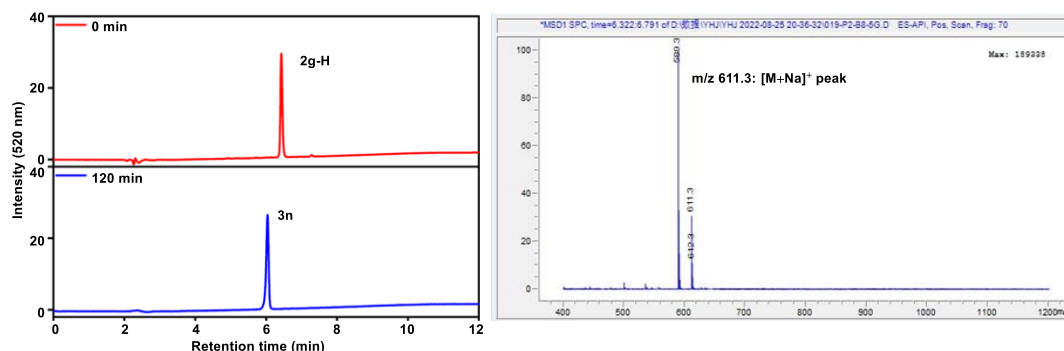
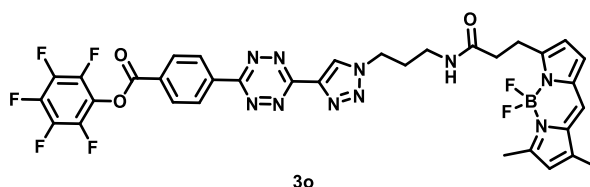
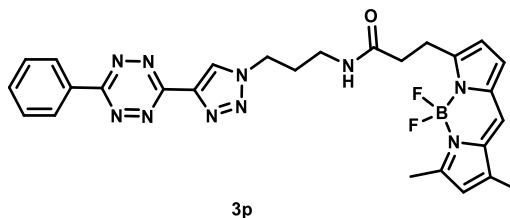


Figure S11. HPLC elution profiles of reaction products **3n** (blue) and **2g-H** (red) and the mass spectrum of the reaction solution after 20 min. HPLC was conducted with mobile phase of H_2O containing 0.1% formic acid and MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min. The gradient was as follows: 0–7 min, linear increase from 30% to 100% MeCN; 7–10 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 10–10.5 min, linear decrease from 100% to 30% MeCN; 10.5–12 min, isocratic at 30% MeCN.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3i** from **2g-C₆F₅** (3.0 mg, 0.008 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and BDP FL azide (2.9 mg, 0.008 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 18 h, then diluted with water (10 mL), centrifuged (9000 g, 5 min), poured supernatant. Then, the reaction was extracted with DCM (3×10 mL), and washed with brine. The combined organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (DCM:MeOH = 20:1 to 15:1) as a orange solid (4.5 mg, 76% yield). 1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 9.30 (s, 1H), 8.78 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 8.48 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 8.09 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.09 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.36 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 3.18–3.14 (m, 2H), 3.09 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 2.53–2.50 (m, 4H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 2.14–2.07 (m, 2H). ^{19}F NMR (377 MHz, DMSO) δ -143.1 to -143.4 (m, 2F), -153.2 to -153.3 (m, 2F), -157.3 (t, $J = 23.2$ Hz, 1F), -162.1 to -162.2 (m, 2F). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for $C_{34}H_{25}BF_7N_{10}O_3^-$ $[M - H]^-$ m/z 765.2104, found 765.2104.



The general procedure was followed to prepare compound **3p** from **2a** (1.8 mg, 0.01 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and BDP FL azide (3.7 mg, 0.01 mmol, 1.0 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at r.t. for 20 min, then the mixture was purified by reversed phase chromatography (H_2O :MeCN = 100:0 to 50:50) as a tawny oli (4.9 mg, 89% yield). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) 8.68–8.63 (m, 2H), 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.67–7.60 (m, 3H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 6.88 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.12 (s, 1H), 6.09 (s, 1H), 4.35 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.30 (dt, $J = 13.0, 6.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.73 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.15–2.08 (m, 2H). ^{19}F NMR (377 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ -143.6 to -143.8 (m, 2F). HRMS (DART-TOF) calculated for $C_{27}H_{27}BF_2N_{10}ONa^+$ $[M + Na]^+$ m/z 579.2323, found 579.2391.

4. Stability and bioorthogonal reaction kinetics

4.1 Stability test

Solutions of tetrazine compounds in DMSO (20 mM, 10 μ L) were diluted in a mixture of DMEM (no phenol red) supplemented with 10% FBS (final concentration: 500 μ M for **3b**, **Py-Tz**, **Me-Tz** and **H-Tz**, and 200 μ M for **Ph-Tz**) and incubated at 37 $^{\circ}$ C. At selected time points (0, 3, 9, 12, 24 and 48 h), the samples (30 μ L) were treated with an volume of MeCN (60 μ L) to precipitate serum proteins. After centrifugation at 15000 g for 3 min, the supernatant was collected and used for further analysis. The peak area of tetrazine compounds at 520 nm was monitored by LC-MS. The stability of the compounds were determined by the decrease of peak area at 520 nm (the peak area at 0 min was defined as 100%). Each stability test was performed in triplicate. The stability of tetrazine probes in FBS was measured by the same method. Our hypothesis is that the likely decomposition products of **3b** include oxadiazole, acylhydrazones, and a trace amount of dihydrotetrazine. These findings are consistent with previous studies.¹¹

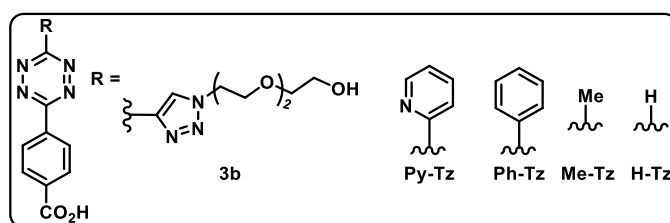


Table S2. Stability of tetrazine probes in DMEM (10% FBS)

	3b	Py-Tz	Ph-Tz	Me-Tz	H-Tz
0 h	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
3 h	98%	97%	100%	99%	68%
9 h	96%	88%	98%	96%	32%
12 h	92%	80%	97%	95%	22%
24 h	84%	60%	96%	91%	1%
48 h	63%	13%	97%	83%	/

Table S3. Stability of tetrazine probes in FBS

	3b	Py-Tz	Ph-Tz	Me-Tz	H-Tz
0 h	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
3 h	99%	96%	100%	98%	82%
9 h	95%	90%	100%	97%	58%
12 h	91%	82%	100%	94%	48%
24 h	84%	65%	99%	90%	23%
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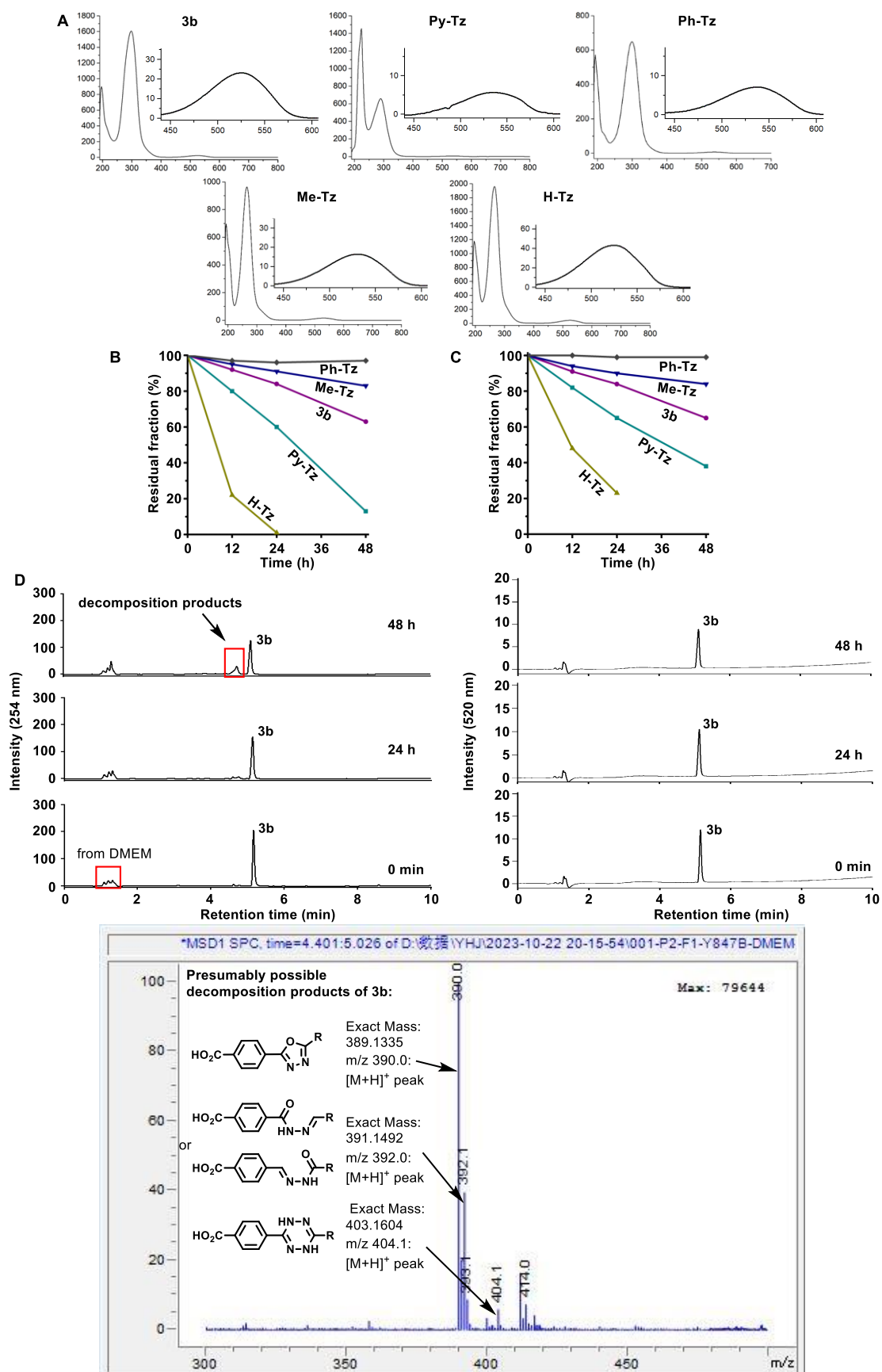


Figure S12. A) UV-vis absorbance spectra of tetrazine compounds, with an inset illustrating the zoomed-in spectra within the wavelength range of 450–600 nm. B, C) Stability of tetrazine probes in DMEM (B) and FBS (C) after 12 h, 24 h, and 48 h. D) LC-MS characterization of **3b** in DMEM after 24 h and 48 h of incubation in DMEM.

4.2 Bioorthogonal reaction kinetics

4.2.1 LC-MS characterization of the tetrazine **3b** and the bioorthogonal products

Stock solutions of **3b** (20 mM in DMSO), 4a-TCO (20 mM in DMSO) were prepared. Then, **3b** (2 μ L) and 4a-TCO (2.2 μ L) were added to H₂O/MeCN (v/v: 1:1, 195.8 μ L), resulting in final concentration of 0.20 mM of **3b** and 0.22 mM 4a-TCO. The mixture was allowed to sit at room temperature for 5 minutes.

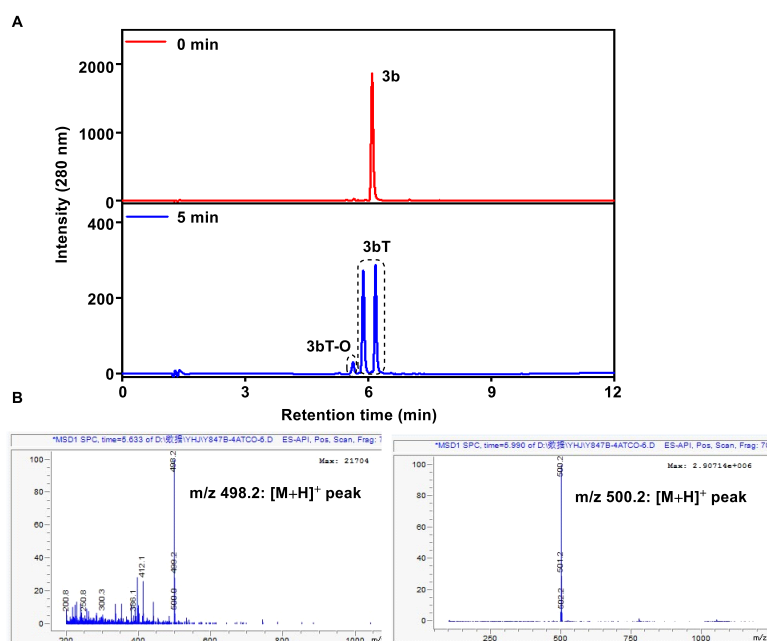
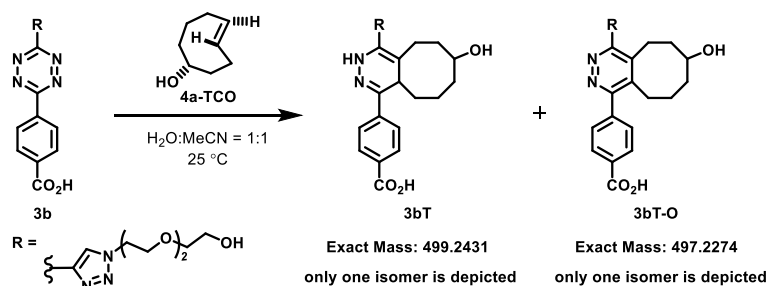


Figure S13. Bioorthogonal reaction between **3b** (0.20 mM) and 4a-TCO (0.22 mM) after 5 min at room temperature in water with 50% MeCN. (A) HPLC traces of **3b** (red) and its bioorthogonal products (blue) at $\lambda = 280$ nm. (B) Associated mass traces of the reaction solution.

4.2.2 Bioorthogonal kinetics of tetrazine compounds

The second-order rate constants of the bioorthogonal reactions between tetrazine derivatives (final concentration: 0.1 mM for **Me-Tz** and **Ph-Tz**, and 10 μ M for **3b** and **Py-Tz**) and same concentration of 4a-TCO in buffer at 37 $^\circ$ C were determined by UV-Vis spectroscopy under second-order conditions by evaluating the changes in the absorption intensity over time at 520 nm for **Me-Tz** and **Ph-Tz**, and 300 nm for **3b** and **Py-Tz**. Measurements started immediately after the addition of 4a-TCO. The second-order rate constant k_2 was calculated from the slope of the plot of $1/c-1/c_0$ against time. Each experiment was performed in triplicate, and data were analyzed using GraphPad Prism 6.0. Results are shown as mean \pm standard deviation.

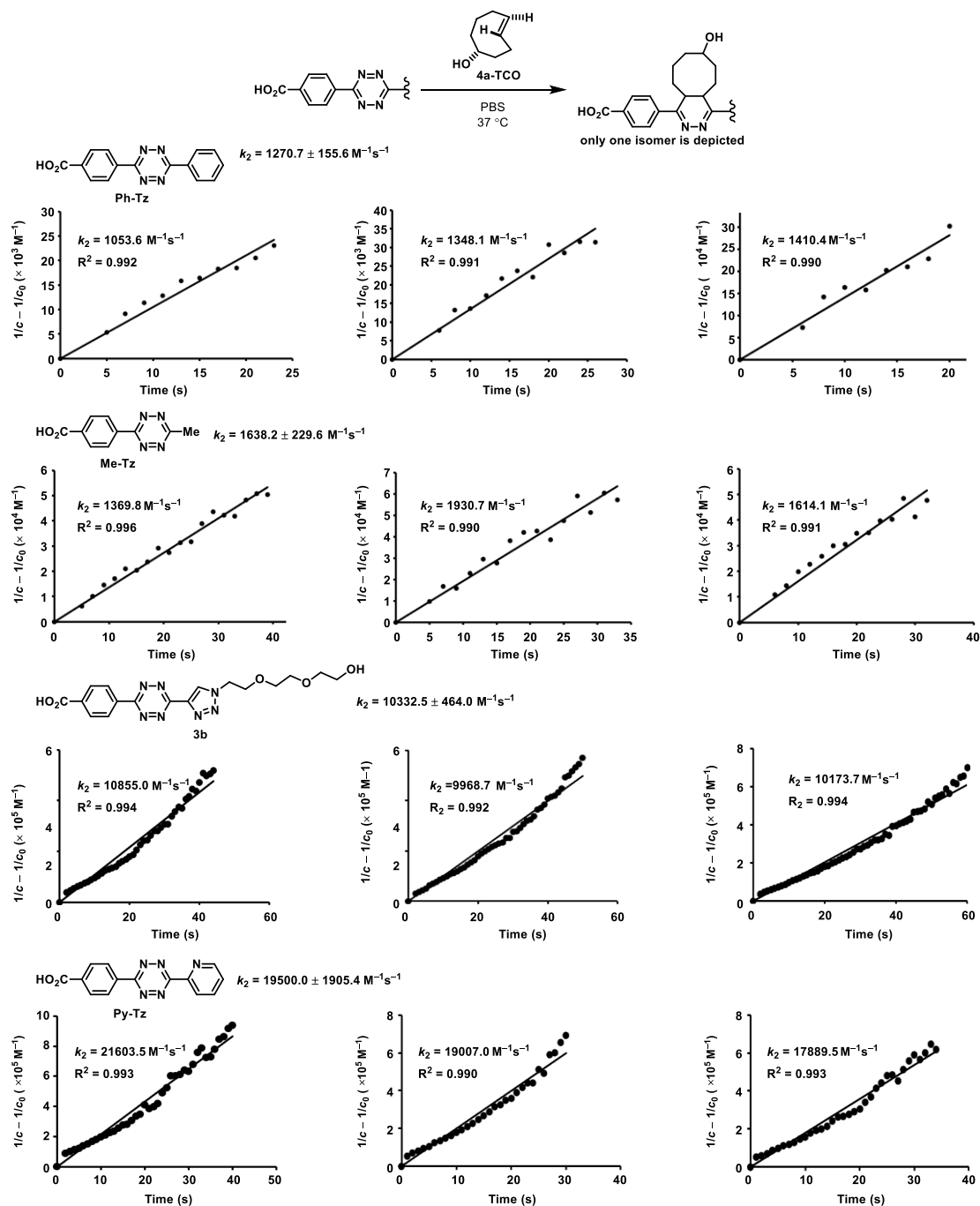


Figure S14. Kinetics plots of the reaction between tetrazines and 4a-TCO in PBS at 37 °C.

Solutions (5 mL) of tetrazine **3b** (80 μM) was prepared in PBS. Solutions (5 mL) of *d*-TCO (1.0 mM) were prepared in PBS. The reaction between tetrazine and *d*-TCO was measured under stopped-flow spectrophotometer (Applied Photophysics Ltd., UK). Tetrazine and *d*-TCO were injected in equal volumes via 5 mL syringes into the stopped-flow instrument at 23 °C, resulting in final concentration of 0.04 mM of tetrazines and 0.50 mM *d*-TCO. The reaction was monitored by the decay of absorbance associated with the tetrazine at 310 nm. Reaction were repeated in triplicate. With Prism software, an observed rate constant ($k_{\text{obs}} = 19.703 \pm 0.081 \text{ s}^{-1}$) was obtained by nonlinear regression. The mean second-order rate constant k_2 was calculated as $39406 \pm 162 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$.

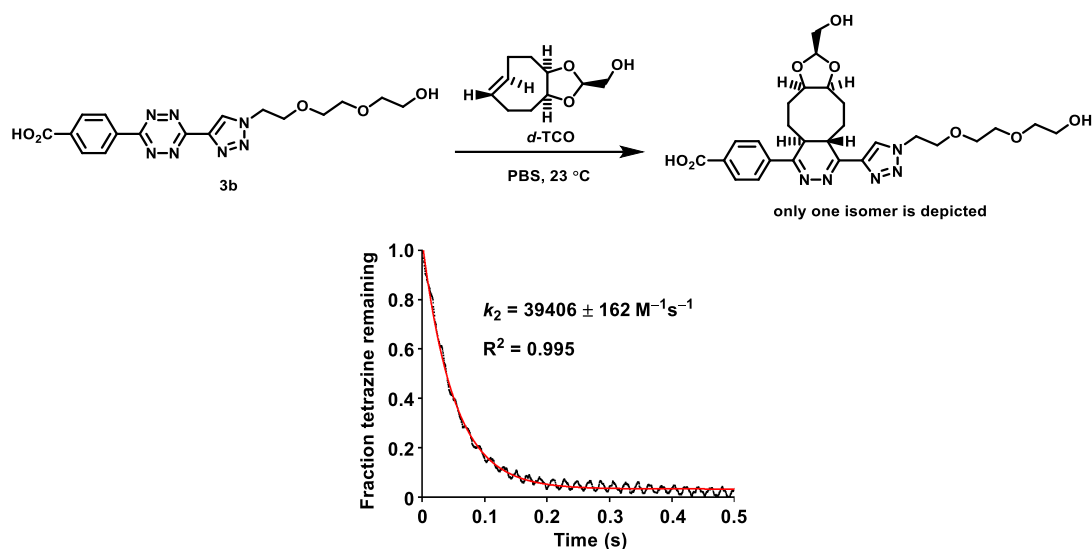


Figure S15. Kinetics plots of the reaction between **3b** (80 μM) and *d*-TCO (1.0 mM) in PBS at 23 °C. The k_2 was determined at $39406 \pm 162 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$.

5. Protein dual-labeling using triazolyl-tetrazine bioorthogonal probe

Stock solutions of Tetrazine-BODIPY (**3o**) (5 mM in DMSO), bovine serum albumin (BSA) (0.4 mM in PBS, pH 7.4) and **4e-TCO-Cy5** (10 mM in DMSO) were prepared. Tetrazine-BODIPY (**3o**) (10 μL) was added to the solution of BSA (10 μL) in PBS (130 μL , pH 7.4) and DMSO (50 μL). The mixture was allowed to sit at 4 °C for 12 h. Two Zeba spin desalting columns (7kDa, 0.5 m, Thermo Scientific) was centrifuged at 1000 g for 1 min. Then, 200 μL of PBS (pH 7.4) was added followed by centrifugation at 1000 g for 1 min and the process was repeated. Protein reaction solution (100 μL) and PBS (30 μL) were added to a Zeba spin desalting column followed by centrifugation at 1500 g for 2 min to remove the excess **3o**. **4e-TCO-Cy5** (0.5 μL) was then added to 50 μL of the solution and the mixture was set at 37 °C for 1 h. Then, the reaction solution and PBS (30 μL) were added to another Zeba spin desalting column followed by centrifugation at 1500 g for 2 min to remove the excess **4e-TCO-Cy5**. Finally, the protein content was quantified by ultraviolet spectrophotometer and the product was analyzed by sodium dodecyl sulfate-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (SDS-PAGE).

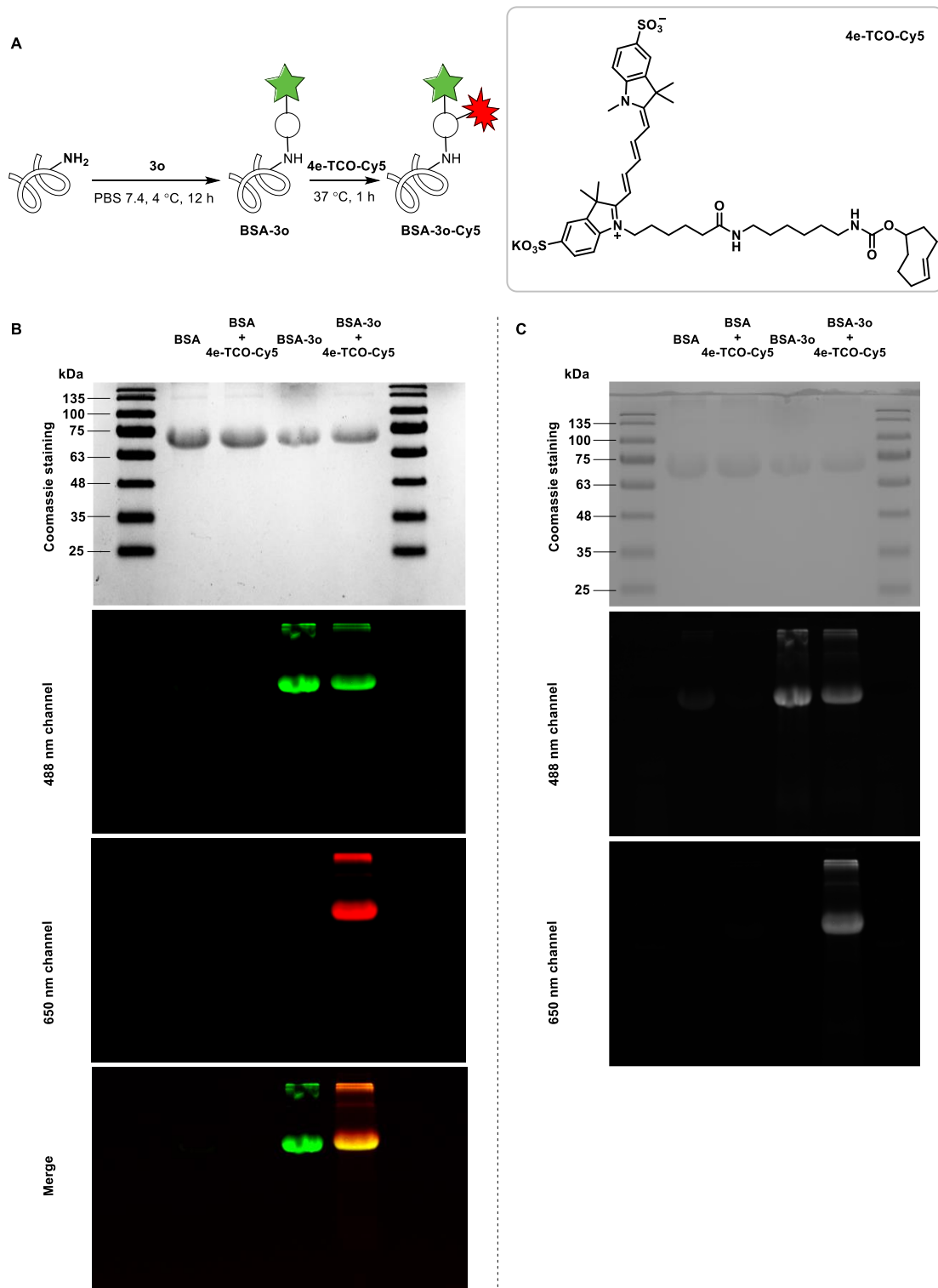


Figure S16. Protein dual-labeling using triazolyl-tetrazine bioorthogonal probe. **A)** Schematic diagram of labeling protein. **B)** Coomassie staining and fluorescence imaging of SDS-PAGE gels of the BSA conjugate at 488 nm and at 650 nm. Gel analysis of BSA (40.0 μ M, 7.0 μ L), **BSA + 4e-TCO-Cy5** (21.8 μ M, 12.8 μ L), **BSA-3o** (32.4 μ M, 8.6 μ L) or **BSA-3o + 4e-TCO-Cy5** (14.5 μ M, 19.3 μ L). **C)** Original western blot.

6. Live cell imaging

Time course and colocalization imaging of mitochondria with **3p** in live SKOV3 cells

SKOV3 cells were initially seeded in 35-mm glass-bottom dishes and cultured for 48 hours. Subsequently, the cells were exposed to **d**-TCO-TPP (10 μ M) in the culture medium for 90 minutes. Following three PBS washes, the cells were then exposed to probe **3p** (0.1 μ M) in the culture medium. Cells were continuously imaged using a confocal laser scanning microscope (Zeiss 880) for 5 minutes.

For the colocalization experiment, the cells were stained with Mito-Tracker Red CMXRos (100 nM) for 15 minutes, subjected to three PBS washes, and treated with Hoechst 33342 (5 μ M) in the culture medium for 5 minutes. After another three PBS washes, the cells were incubated in 1X Cell Imaging Solution (Invitrogen) and subsequently imaged using confocal microscopy (Zeiss 880). Cells that were not pre-incubated with **d**-TCO-TPP served as the control group.

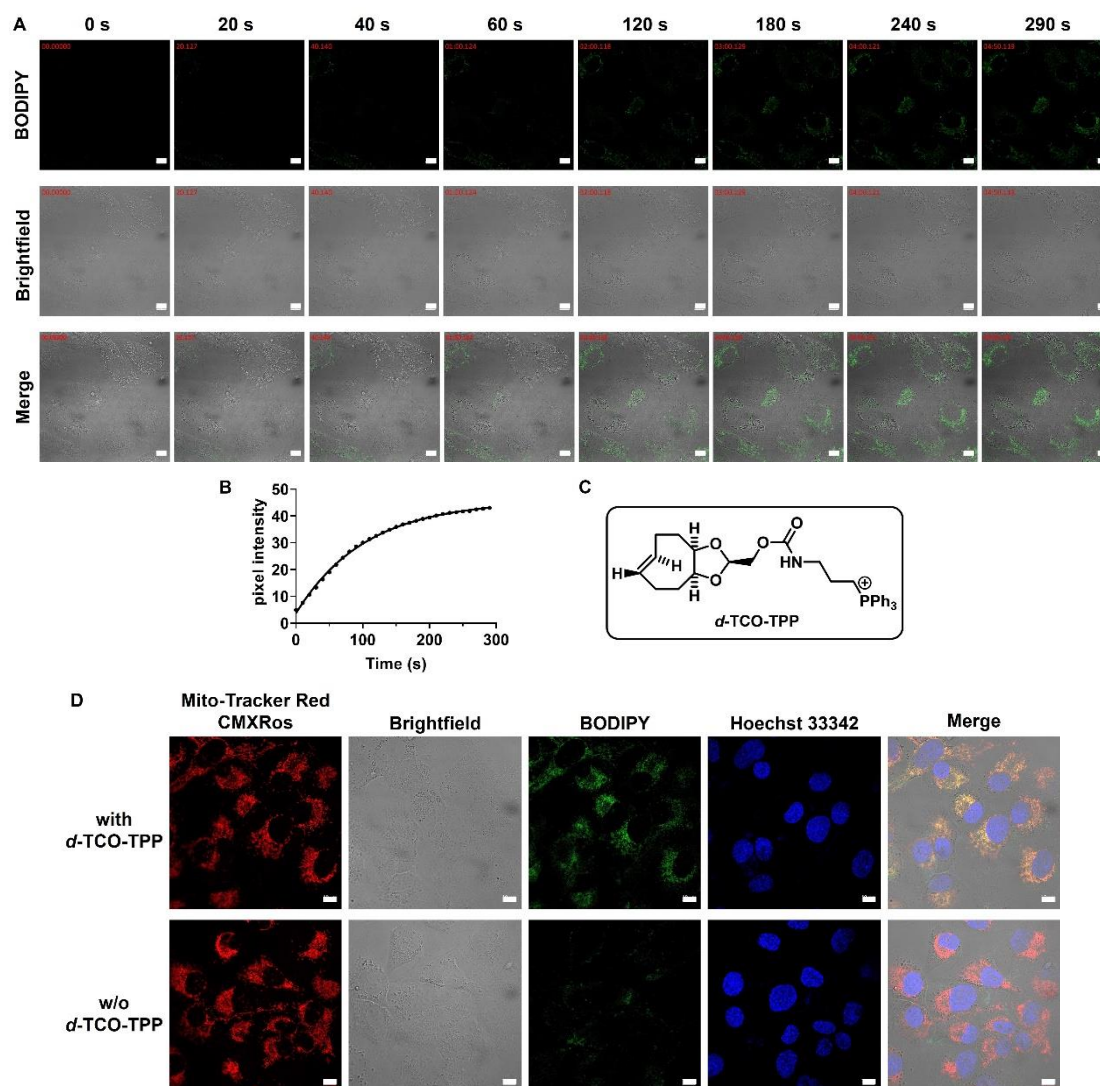


Figure S17. Pre-targeted live cell images of probe **3p**. **A**) Time course imaging of mitochondria with **3p** in live SKOV3 cells. SKOV3 cells incubated with **d**-TCO-TPP (10 μ M) and probe **3p** (0.1 μ M). Fluorescence signals were collected at 483–567 nm with excitation at 488 nm. Scale bar, 10 μ m. **B**) Plots of pixel intensity versus time for live cell imaging of mitochondria with **3p**. **C**) Chemical structure of **d**-TCO-TPP. **D**) SKOV3 cells incubated with (top) or (bottom) without **d**-TCO-TPP (10 μ M), probe **3p** (0.1 μ M), Mito-Tracker Red (100 nM), and Hoechst 33342 (5 μ M). Fluorescence signals were collected at 483–567 nm with excitation at 488 nm for probe **3p**. Scale bar, 10 μ m. Pixel intensity comparison for live cell imaging was performed using the built-in tool of ImageJ software.

Comparative analysis of pre-targeted imaging efficiency of tetrazine probes following incubation in FBS

SKOV3 cells were seeded in 35-mm glass-bottom dishes and cultured for 72 h. Prior to cellular treatment, tetrazine-BODIPY derivatives **3p**, **Me-Tz-BODIPY**, and **H-Tz-BODIPY** (each at a concentration of 500 μ M), were incubated in FBS to prepare stock solutions. These solutions were maintained at 37 $^{\circ}$ C for 15 hours. The cells were pre-treated with **d-TCO-TPP** (10 μ M) in culture medium for 90 min. Following this, the cells underwent three PBS washes before being exposed to the FBS-incubated tetrazine derivatives (**3p**, **Me-Tz-BODIPY**, or **H-Tz-BODIPY**) at a concentration of 100 nM each, in the culture medium for 10 minutes. After another series of three PBS washes, the cells were stained with Mito-Tracker red (100 nM) for 5 min, followed by treatment with Hoechst 33342 (5 μ M) in fresh culture medium, after which the cells were imaged using a Zeiss 880 confocal microscope.

Pixel intensity comparisons for live cell imaging were conducted using the built-in tool of the ImageJ software, based on a sample size of 30 cells with 4 images obtained from each experimental iteration. Statistical significance among the three groups was evaluated using an Ordinary one-way ANOVA, where **** $P < 0.0001$ indicated highly significant differences.

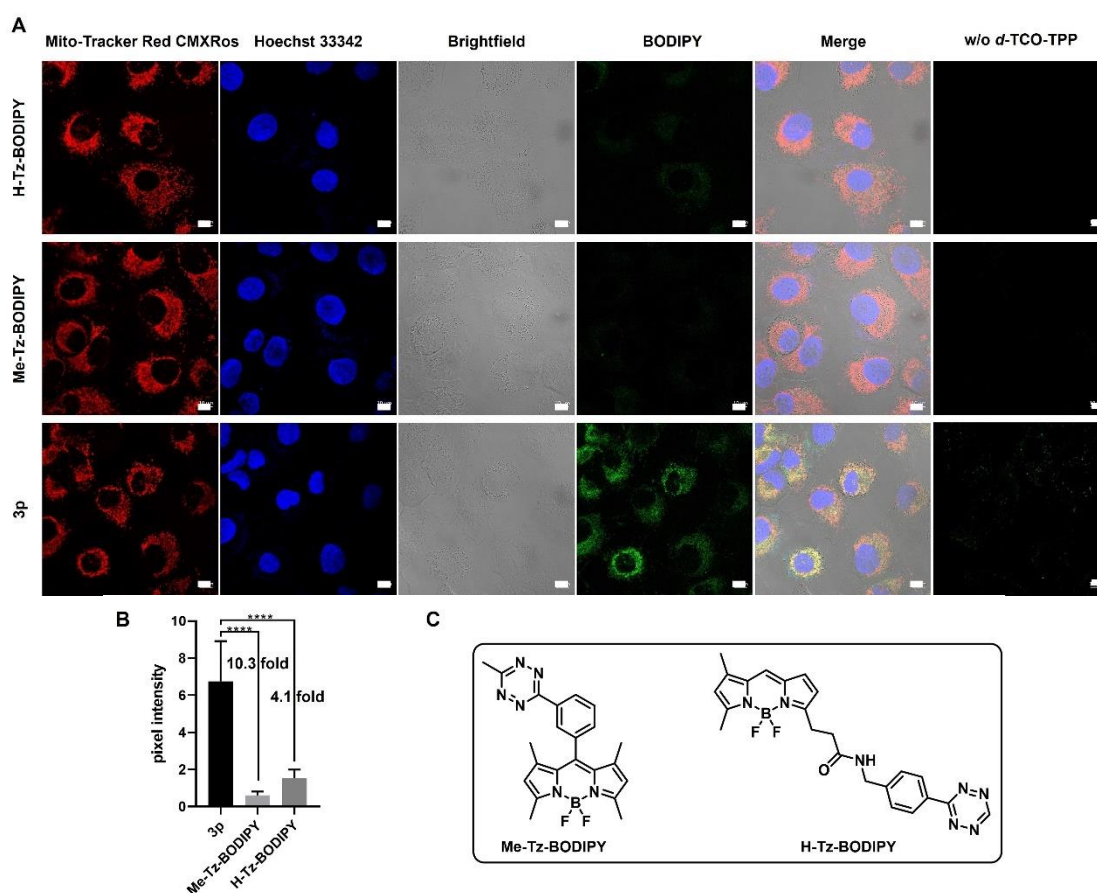


Figure S18. Pre-targeted live cell images by tetrazine probes following incubation in FBS. **A)** SKOV3 cells were incubated with **d-TCO-TPP** (10 μ M), probes (100 nM), Mito-Tracker Red (100 nM), and Hoechst 33342 (5 μ M). Fluorescence signals were captured in the range of 483–567 nm with excitation at 488 nm for probes. Scale bar, 10 μ m. **B)** Pixel intensity comparison for live cell imaging was performed using the built-in tool of ImageJ software, analyzing 30 cells (with 4 images from each experiment). Significance differences among the three groups were assessed using Ordinary one-way ANOVA, **** $P < 0.0001$. **C)** Chemical structure of **Me-Tz-BODIPY** and **H-Tz-BODIPY**.

7. Radiosynthesis of ^{18}F -labeled triazolyl-tetrazines

7.1 General information of radiosynthesis

The synthesized ^{19}F standard was used to confirm the identity of the ^{18}F -labeled compound *via* HPLC. An aliquot of the reaction mixture was collected for analysis by radio HPLC on an Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm , 4.6 \times 250 mm) using $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$ mixture as eluent. HPLC gradient A was used for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-N}_3$ and $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3d}$, HPLC gradient B was used for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3e}$, HPLC gradient C was used for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3f}$. The radiochemical conversion (RCC) refers to HPLC yields and was calculated by crude radio-HPLC traces of the reaction mixture.

The ^{18}F -labeled compounds were purified on semi-preparative HPLC system equipped with an Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm , 9.4 \times 250 mm) column using $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$ mixture as eluent. HPLC gradient D was used for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-N}_3$, $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3d}$ and $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3e}$, HPLC gradient E was used for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3f}$. All radiochemical yields (RCY) are decay-corrected and refer to isolated yields. The radiochemical purity (RCP) of isolated ^{18}F -labeled compound was measured *via* radio HPLC. Molar activity (the measured radioactivity per mole of compound) was calculated using a standard curve of the corresponding ^{19}F standard. The ^{19}F standard curve was created from the UV HPLC trace of standard solution. An aliquot of purified ^{18}F -labeled compound was collected for analysis by radio HPLC; the UV area overlapping with radio peak was then recorded. The standard curve was used to calculate the mass and mole number. Dividing the product activity by the mole number gives the molar activity in Ci/mmol. The total synthesis time refers to the time from the beginning of the reaction between ethynyl-tetrazine **2** and $^{18}\text{F}\text{-N}_3$ to obtaining the isolated target ^{18}F -labeled product $^{18}\text{F}\text{-3}$.

Analytical HPLC gradient A: 0–9 min, linear increase from 30% to 100% MeCN; 9–12 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 12–13 min, linear decrease from 100% to 30% MeCN.

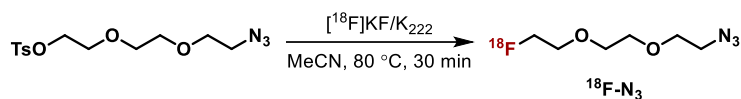
Analytical HPLC gradient B: 0–9 min, linear increase from 20% to 100% MeCN; 9–12 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 12–13 min, linear decrease from 100% to 20% MeCN.

Analytical HPLC gradient C: 0–9 min, linear increase from 60% to 100% MeCN; 9–12 min, isocratic at 100% MeCN; 12–13 min, linear decrease from 100% to 60% MeCN.

Analytical HPLC gradient D: isocratic at 30% MeCN.

Analytical HPLC gradient E: isocratic at 40% MeCN.

7.2 General procedure for preparation of ^{18}F -labeled triazolyl-tetrazines



The compound $^{18}\text{F}\text{-N}_3$ was synthesized through the literature.^{1,12} [^{18}F]fluoride was produced in a 10 MeV cyclotron (Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Japan) and trapped in a pre-activated QMA cartridge (Waters, USA) before use. The radioactivity was eluted with 1.0 mL $\text{K}_{222}/\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$ solution (33 mg K_2CO_3 , 390 mg K_{222} , 24 mL MeCN, 6 mL water) into a V-vial containing a magnetic stirring bar. The solvent was evaporated by azeotropic drying at 100 $^\circ\text{C}$ under N_2 atmosphere for 5 min. The evaporation process was repeated three times with the addition of 1.0 mL of dry acetonitrile each time. To the dried residue containing [^{18}F]KF, precursor azide (6.6 mg, 20 μmol) in dry MeCN (400 μL) was added. The mixture was heated at 80 $^\circ\text{C}$ for 30 min. Diluted with MeCN/ H_2O (1:1, v/v; 2 mL), the crude product was purified on semi-preparative HPLC system equipped with an Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm , 9.4 \times 250 mm) column using $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$ mixture (70/30 v/v) as eluent (5 mL/min). The retention time for $^{18}\text{F}\text{-N}_3$ was about 7 min and the HPLC fraction was collected, diluted, and trapped on a Sep-Pak C18 plus light cartridge (Waters, USA), which was eluted with 0.5 mL of EtOH. An aliquot was collected for analysis by radio HPLC on an Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm , 4.6 \times 250 mm) using

Gradient A. For all gradients, the mobile phase was H₂O/MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min. The solvent was removed by heating and a stream of nitrogen to afford ¹⁸F-**N**₃ (30 mCi, RCY of 60%, RCP of >99%) for the next step.

The following click reactions were performed as follows: A mixture of ethynyl-tetrazine **4** (0.02 mmol), sodium ascorbate (0.79 mg, 0.004 mmol), THPTA (0.87 mg, 0.002 mmol) and CuSO₄ (0.32 mg, 0.002 mmol) in 0.4 mL of DMF/H₂O (4:1, v/v) was added to the isolated ¹⁸F-**N**₃ via a syringe. The sealed vial was then reacted at 35 °C for 30 min. Then, the mixture was diluted with MeCN:H₂O (1:1, v/v; 1.5 mL) and purified by semi-preparative HPLC using water/MeCN mixture (70:30 or 60:40, v/v) as eluent. The collected HPLC fraction was trapped on a Sep-Pak C18 plus light cartridge, which was eluted with EtOH. An aliquot was collected for calculating radiochemical conversion (RCC) by radio-HPLC with an Agilent ZORBAX SB-C18 column (5 μm, 4.6 × 250 mm). For all gradients, the mobile phase was H₂O/MeCN flowing at 1 mL/min.

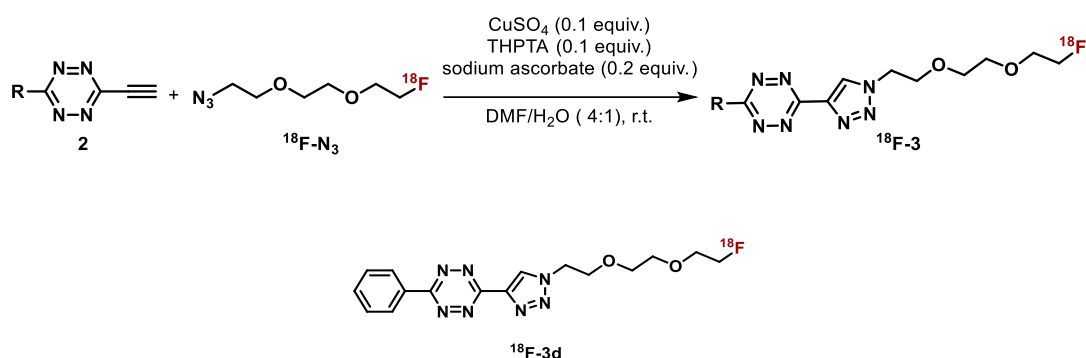


Table S4. Radiosynthesis of ¹⁸F-**3d**.

Entry	Activity (¹⁸ F- N ₃)	Radioactivity collected	Decay-corrected radioactivity	Total synthesis time	RCC (HPLC yield)	RCY (Isolated yield)
1	4.1 mCi	2.4 mCi	3.59 mCi	64 min	95%	88%
2	2.0 mCi	1.0 mCi	1.77 mCi	90 min	86%	88%
3	1.1 mCi	0.65 mCi	0.96 mCi	62 min	92%	87%
4	4.4 mCi	2.5 mCi	3.3 mCi	46 min	82%	76%
5	2.9 mCi	1.6 mCi	2.3 mCi	58 min	87%	80%

Average RCY of ¹⁸F-**3d** from ¹⁸F-**N**₃: 84 ± 5% (the number of replicates, n = 5). Total synthesis time: 64 ± 16 min (the number of replicates, n = 5). RCP: >99%.

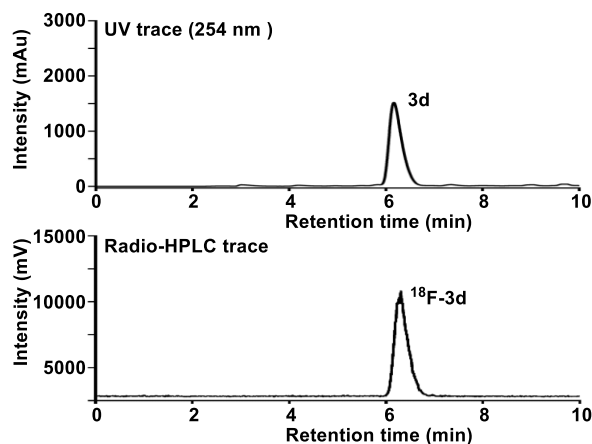


Figure S19. Radio-HPLC trace chromatogram of ¹⁸F-**3d** after semi-preparative HPLC purification with identical retention time of reference **3d**.

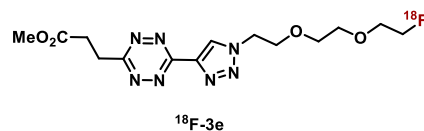


Table S5. Radiosynthesis of ^{18}F -3e.

Entry	Activity (^{18}F - N_3)	Radioactivity collected	Decay-corrected radioactivity	Total synthesis time	RCC (HPLC yield)	RCY (Isolated yield)
1	7.2 mCi	3.9 mCi	5.2 mCi	46 min	91%	72%
2.	600 μCi	380 μCi	518 μCi	49 min	93%	86%
3	1.5 mCi	716 μCi	1.1 mCi	68 min	95%	76%

Average RCY ^{18}F -3e from ^{18}F - N_3 : $78 \pm 6\%$ (the number of replicates, $n = 3$). Total synthesis time: 54 ± 12 min (the number of replicates, $n = 3$). RCP: $>99\%$.

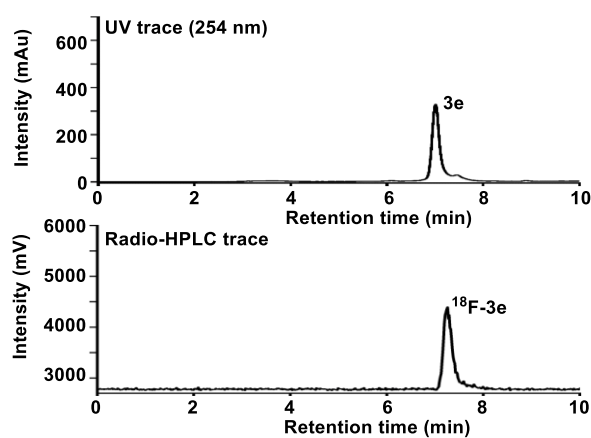


Figure 20. Radio-HPLC trace chromatogram of ^{18}F -3e after semi-preparative HPLC purification with identical retention time of reference 3e.

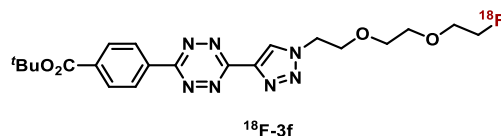


Table S6. Radiosynthesis of ^{18}F -3f.

Entry	Activity (^{18}F - N_3)	Radioactivity collected	Decay-corrected radioactivity	Total synthesis time	RCC (HPLC yield)	RCY (Isolated yield)
1	7.2 mCi	2.7 mCi	4.1 mCi	67 min	63%	57%
2	1.1 mCi	537 μCi	809 μCi	65 min	91%	74%
3	1.4 mCi	510 μCi	861 μCi	83 min	92%	62%

Average RCY ^{18}F -3f from ^{18}F - N_3 : $64 \pm 9\%$ (the number of replicates, $n = 3$) Total synthesis time: 72 ± 10 min (the number of replicates, $n = 3$). RCP: $>99\%$. Molar activity: 20.35 GBq/ μmol .

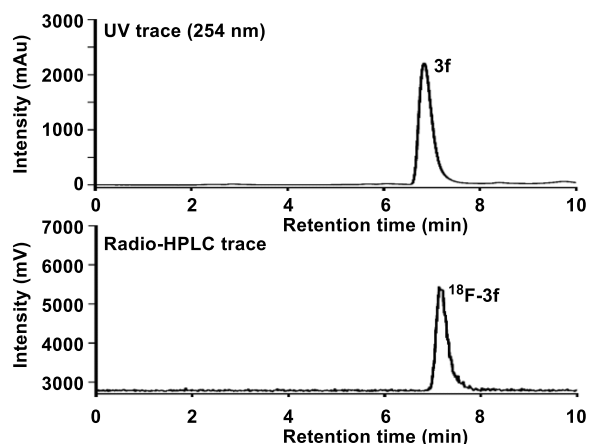


Figure 21. Radio-HPLC trace chromatogram of ^{18}F -**3f** after semi-preparative HPLC purification with identical retention time of reference **3f**.

7.3 *In vitro* stability of ^{18}F -**3f**

A solution of ^{18}F -**3f** in ethanol (0.3 mCi, 50 μL) was added to a solution of DMEM (500 μL) supplemented with 10% FBS and incubated at 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 120 min. An aliquot (100 μL) was treated with MeCN (200 μL) to precipitate serum proteins, centrifuged at 5000 g for 15 min, and the supernatant was collected for analysis by radio HPLC. Another aliquot (100 μL) was added a solution of **d**-TCO in DMSO (10 mM, 0.1 μL), maintained at 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 1 min, treated with MeCN (200 μL) to precipitate serum proteins, centrifuged at 5000 g for 15 min, and the supernatant was collected for analysis by radio HPLC. Radio HPLC analysis revealed that ^{18}F -**3f** and the IEDDA product between ^{18}F -**3f** and **d**-TCO were obtained in >99% radiochemical purity.

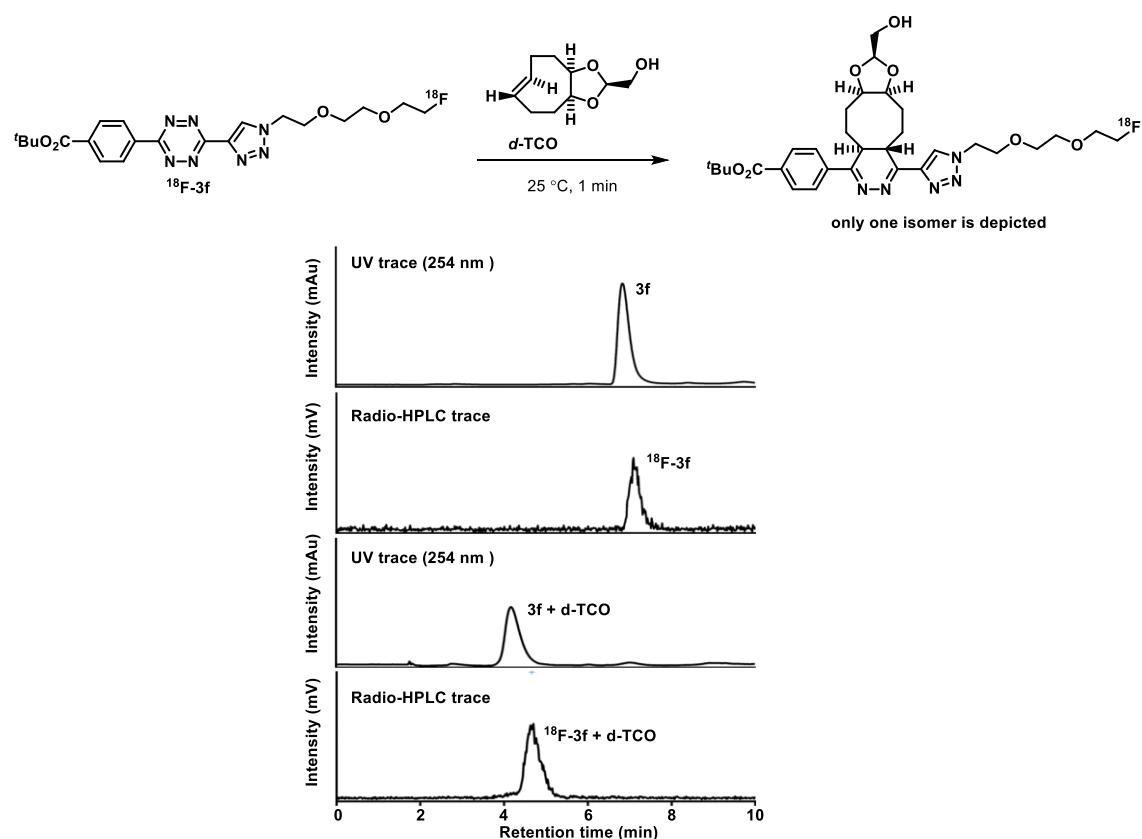


Figure S22. *In vitro* stability of ^{18}F -**3f** in DMEM (10% FBS). Compound ^{18}F -**3f** was incubated in DMEM (10% FBS) at 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 120 min. An aliquot was collected for analysis by radio HPLC and another aliquot was treated with **d**-TCO and then analyzed by radio HPLC.

7.4 In vivo PET imaging

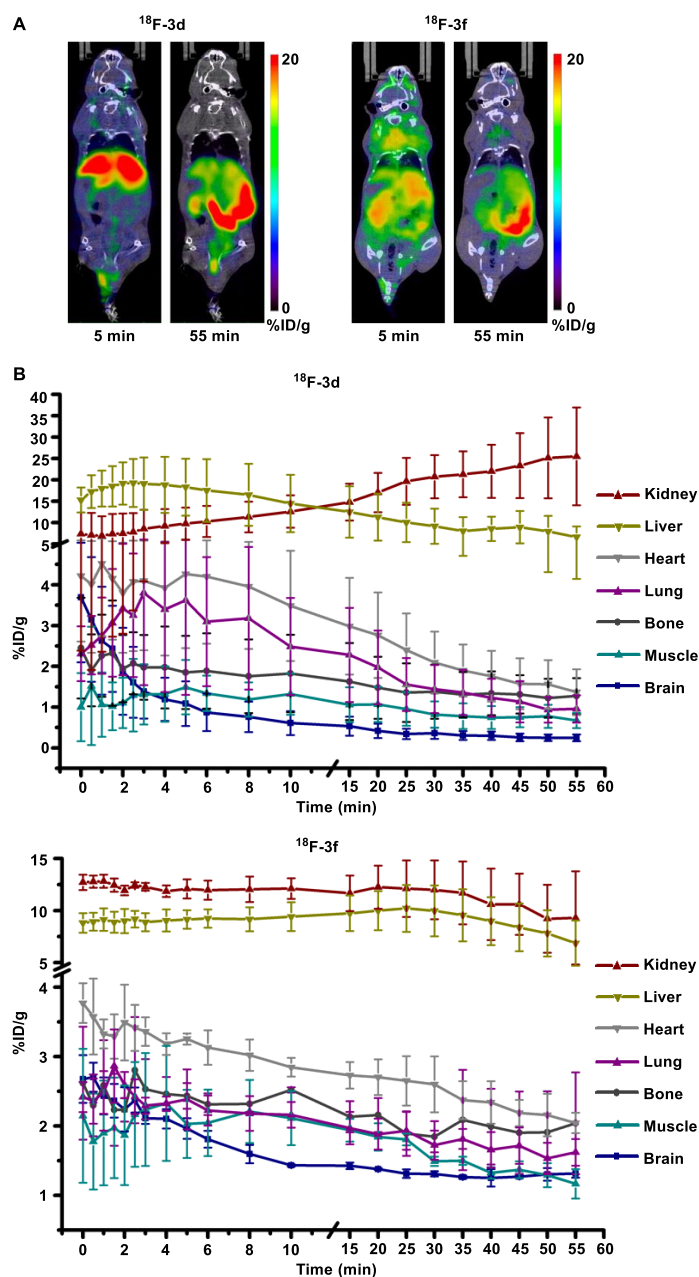


Figure S23. *In vivo* PET imaging of ^{18}F -3d and ^{18}F -3f. **A)** PET imagings of ^{18}F -3d and ^{18}F -3f in male SPFICR mice at 5 min and 55 min after injection. **B)** Mean organ time–activity curves obtained in ICR mice ($n = 3$).

Male ICR (Institute of Cancer Research) mice (6-8 weeks old, 27.8 ± 1.2 g) were purchased from Chengdu DOSSY experimental animals Co., LTD (Chengdu, China). All animal experiments were approved by the Committee for Animal Care and Use and the Ethics Committee of West China Hospital, Sichuan University (20221229001). An Micro-PET/CT scanner (Inviscan, France) was used to perform micro-PET dynamic imaging of male ICR mice. Animals were anesthetized under 2.0% isoflurane and randomly divided into two groups. In the first group ($n = 3$), ICR mice were intravenously injected with 103.2 μCi , 67.6 μCi and 108.1 μCi of ^{18}F -3d in 125 μL of saline (10% EtOH), respectively. In the second group ($n = 3$), ICR mice were intravenously injected with 91.9 μCi , 73.0 μCi and 52.7 μCi of ^{18}F -3f in 125 μL of saline (10% EtOH), respectively. Mice were placed in a prone position in a small animal PET scanner. The dynamic micro-PET scans were then performed for 55 min in tabular mode. All required PET data were reconstructed with a 3D-OSEM algorithm using a Monte-Carlo

based model, and then handle by osirix software (USA). The regions of interest of major organs were directly drawn in fused dynamic PET/CT images for brain, kidney, bone, muscle, heart, lung and liver. The percentage-injected dose per gram (%ID/g) was calculated and the results were reported as mean \pm SD averaged over n (n = 3) mice. The representative PET images were obtained at 5 min and 55 min and presented in Fig. S23A, respectively. Activities in major organs were also directly obtained from dynamic PET images, and decay-corrected and presented as %ID/g in time-activity curves showed in Fig. S23B.

8. Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC)

Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC) was performed on a TA instrument DSC 25 modulated differential scanning calorimeter. DSC data were obtained with the software TA Instruments Trios V4.3.0.38388. Samples were loaded into a closed Al container with a gradient of 30 °C to 400 °C at a heating rate of 10 °C/min⁻¹. The exothermic decomposition events for both compounds persisted for a duration exceeding 5 minutes.

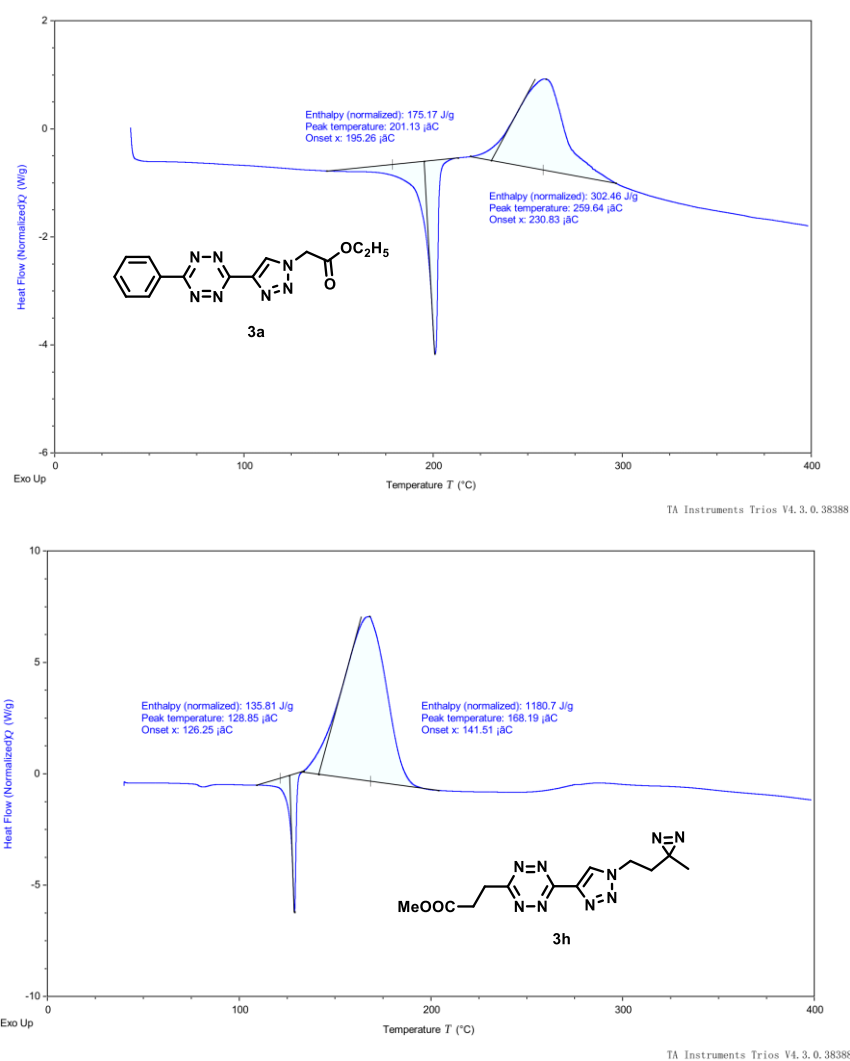
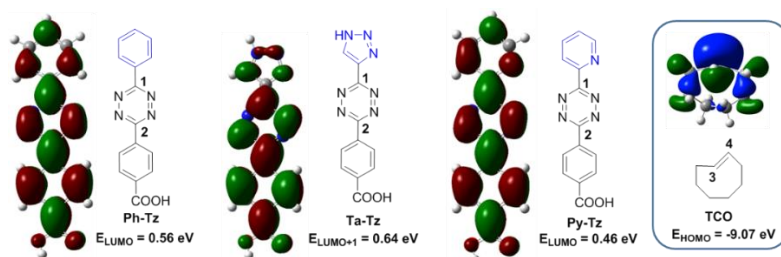


Figure S24 DSC result of 3a and 3h

9. Computational analysis

9.1 Computational methods

Theoretical calculations were performed using Gaussian 09 program suite.¹³ Geometry optimizations of minima and transition structures, and frequency analyses were carried out at M06-2X level of theory¹⁴ with the 6-31G(d) basis set. A quasi-harmonic correction to entropy was applied by setting all frequencies which are below 100 cm^{-1} to 100 cm^{-1} .^{15,16} The single-point energies and solvent effects in water were evaluated at M06-2X/6-311+G(d,p) level with the CPCM model.¹⁷ The computed activation free energy was further corrected by using the equation $[\Delta G^\ddagger_{\text{corr}} = (\Delta G^\ddagger_{\text{compt}} + 8.4)/1.6]$.¹⁸ The frontier molecular orbitals (FMOs) and their energies were computed at the HF/6-311+G(d,p)/M06-2X/6-31G(d) level of theory.¹⁹ Distortion/interaction analyses were conducted according to the reference.¹⁷



	$\phi_{2P_z}^{C1}$	$\phi_{2P_z}^{C2}$
Ph-Tz	0.10024	0.09589
Ta-Tz	0.09729	0.09258
Py-Tz	0.09848	0.09859
	$\phi_{2P_z}^{C3}$	$\phi_{2P_z}^{C4}$
TCO	0.14969	0.14969

Figure S25. The orbital coefficients for the reactive atoms on all structures Ph-Tz, Ta-Tz, Py-Tz, and TCO

Table S7. The original and empirically corrected activation free energies (ΔG^\ddagger , kcal mol^{-1})

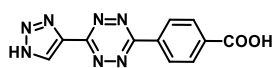
	Calculated ΔG^\ddagger (kcal mol^{-1})	Empirically corrected ΔG^\ddagger (kcal mol^{-1})
Ph-Tz	15.6	15.0
Ta-Tz	14.9	14.6
Py-Tz	13.8	13.9

9.2 Coordinates and energies of stationary points

$G(\text{water}) = -946.725282$ Hartree

C	-0.130229	0.011920	-0.000091	H	-4.252094	2.162487	0.000201
C	2.442603	0.000882	-0.000049	H	-4.252534	-2.119855	-0.000223
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C	-4.389466	0.026582	-0.000004	C	6.704871	-0.017679	0.000075
				H	6.558679	2.130579	0.000070
				H	6.539751	-2.164619	0.000068
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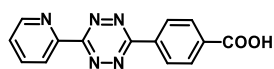
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H	4.056499	-2.149686	-0.000001
C	-2.303407	1.233075	0.000057
H	-1.747096	2.163390	0.000106
C	-5.877415	0.087034	0.000027
O	-6.522311	1.107218	-0.000134
O	-6.451806	-1.131745	0.000278
H	-7.412405	-0.979317	0.000336



Ta-Tz

G(water) = -956.768071 Hartree

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N	0.808687	1.162729	-0.002014
N	2.112427	1.156270	-0.001393
C	-2.003430	-1.232966	-0.001194
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C	4.191405	-0.001209	0.000361
C	5.001048	1.114038	0.001379
N	6.239362	0.591258	0.002838
H	4.785459	2.170190	0.001254
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H	7.131741	1.065643	0.004008
C	-5.573866	-0.077726	0.001808
O	-6.146224	1.141990	0.002124
H	-7.107101	0.991162	0.003566
O	-6.219933	-1.097089	0.003134



Py-Tz

G(water) = -962.776213 Hartree

C	-2.447341	-0.022475	-0.000027
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C	-3.935167	-0.001285	-0.000002
C	-4.614036	1.219935	0.000146
C	-5.879186	-1.189070	-0.000126
C	-6.003654	1.197645	0.000159
H	-4.056019	2.148344	0.000238
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H	7.398893	0.985157	0.000141



TCO

G(water) = -312.998444 Hartree

C	-0.413966	-0.522065	-1.358397
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C	0.413966	0.522065	-1.358397
H	1.490184	0.336794	-1.334889
C	0.034981	-1.871510	-0.901221
H	-0.510280	-2.704358	-1.358222
H	1.102540	-2.008137	-1.112700
C	-0.034981	1.871510	-0.901221
H	-1.102540	2.008137	-1.112700
H	0.510280	2.704358	-1.358222
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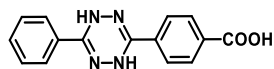
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H	0.248046	-2.798155	1.048278
H	-1.260794	-1.924503	0.841500
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H	0.560669	-0.965017	2.418884
H	1.420918	-0.465721	0.984525

MeSH
G(water) = -438.656116 Hartree

C	1.155518	0.018802	0.000589
H	1.523763	-1.005280	-0.073972
H	1.529379	0.458386	0.926057
H	1.520677	0.582671	-0.858492
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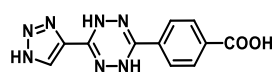
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H	1.891912	0.576977	-1.448222
S	0.907245	-0.506463	0.489207
S	-0.907480	-0.506318	-0.489253
C	-1.802636	0.813993	0.387467
H	-1.309104	1.778579	0.254812
H	-2.800831-	0.861161	-0.055760
H	-1.886370	0.579213	1.449227



Ph-Tz-2H
G(water) = -947.926442Hartree

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C	0.150840	0.134451	-0.682084
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C	-5.969455	-1.118895	0.276397
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H	-3.697694	1.954528	0.879939
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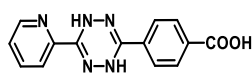
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C	3.744535	1.141071	-0.231260
C	4.318507	-0.053916	0.210353
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O	6.310085	-1.172170	0.914919



Ta-Tz-2H
G(water) = -957.972054Hartree

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C	-0.154814	-0.185112	0.604261
C	1.295197	-0.081216	0.331733
C	1.906844	1.152378	0.086212
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H	1.319151	2.065388	0.056249
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C	4.034540	0.053047	-0.170278
H	3.761168	2.166003	-0.364094
H	4.031315	-2.085814	0.062049
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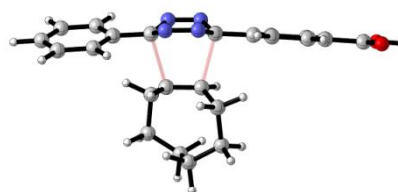
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Py-Tz-2H

G(water) = -963.983953Hartree

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H	-5.994929	-2.127642	-1.061004
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H	1.582619	2.059981	0.063026
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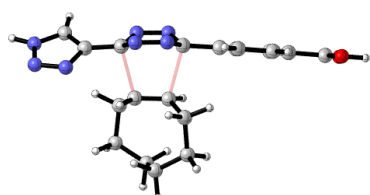


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C	-4.109688	-0.888590	1.128177
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C	-4.747222	-0.619578	-0.083703
H	-4.710843	-0.961109	-2.028736
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C	5.505804	-1.481431	-1.052268
C	6.260540	-1.240697	0.147822
H	6.042773	-0.821926	2.249117
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H	1.608457	3.358730	1.371305
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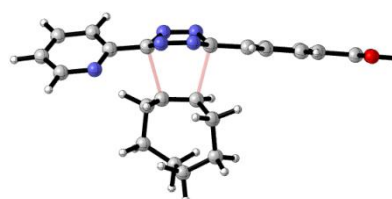


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H	4.305938	-0.249269	2.254747
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TS-Py-Tz-TCO

G(water) = -1275.752639Hartree

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H	-3.681060	-2.320888	1.729277
C	-6.171636	-1.171593	-0.270226
H	-5.762335	-0.096696	-2.097101
H	-6.192602	-2.252408	1.597126
H	-7.249527	-1.113901	-0.376396
C	1.990661	-0.970384	0.015081
C	2.616722	-0.727719	1.242632
C	3.988497	-0.531947	1.295012
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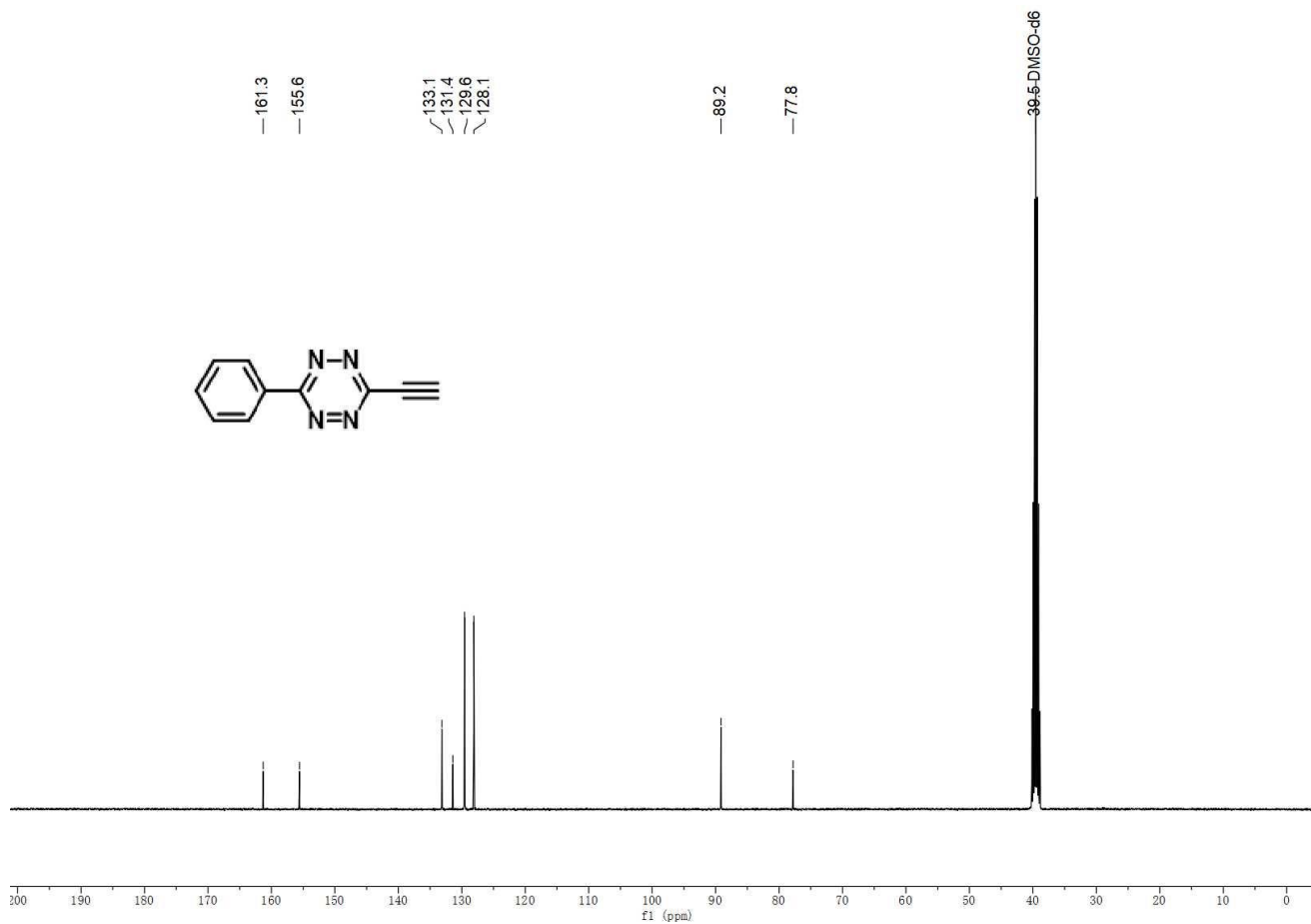
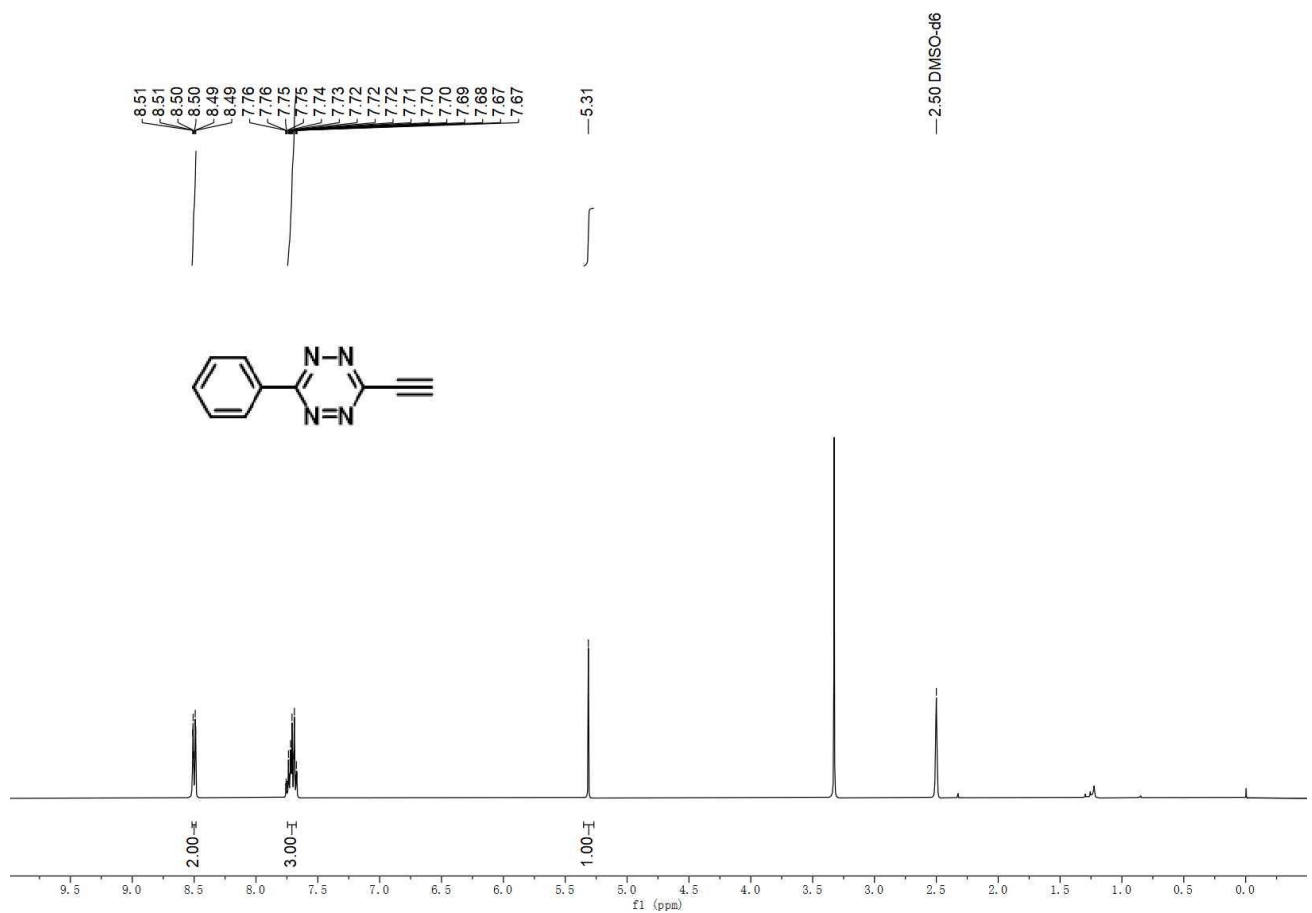
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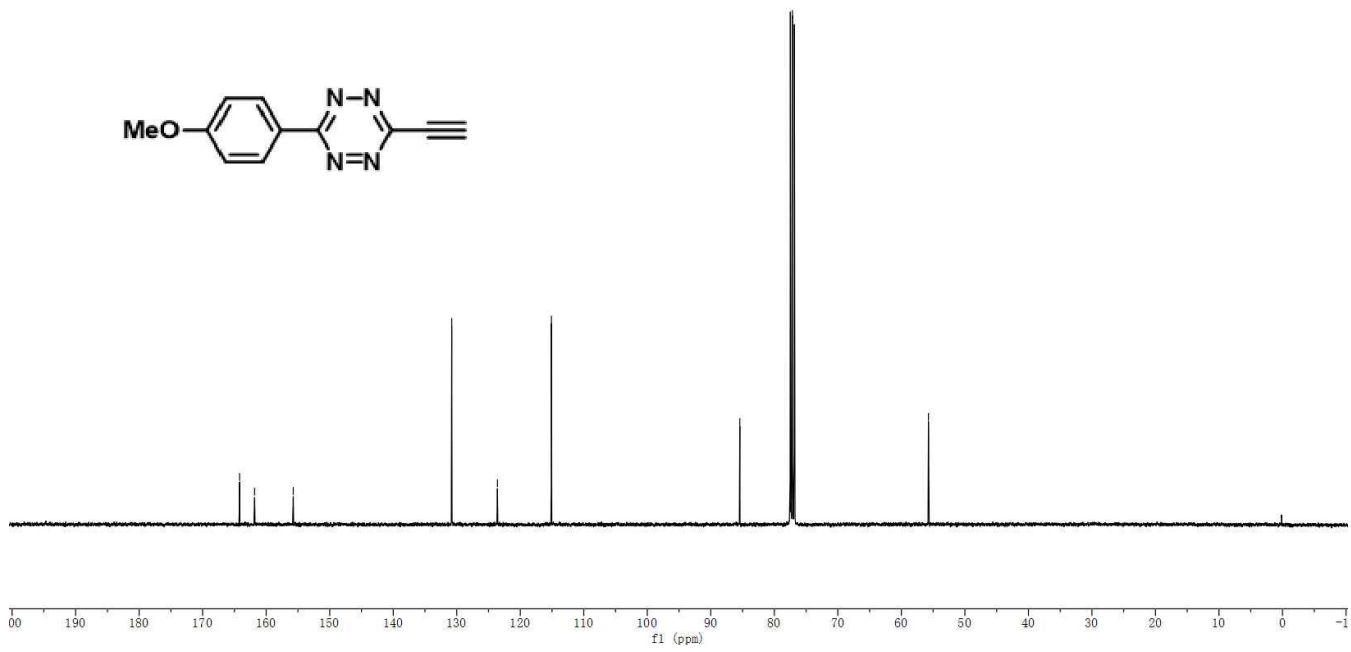
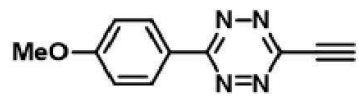
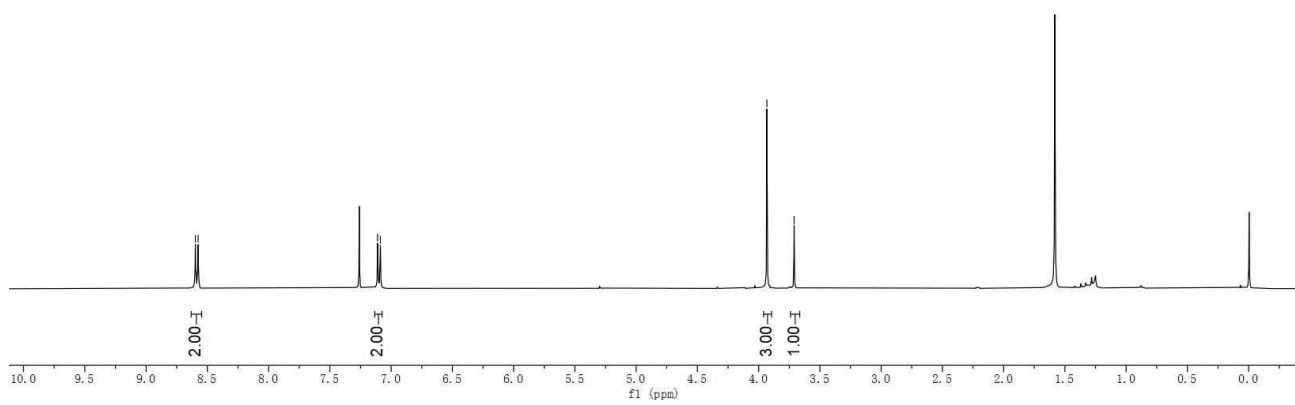
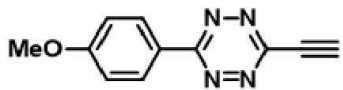
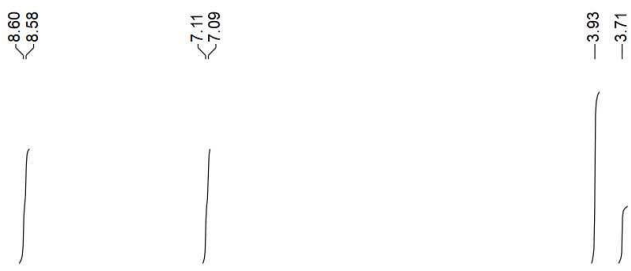
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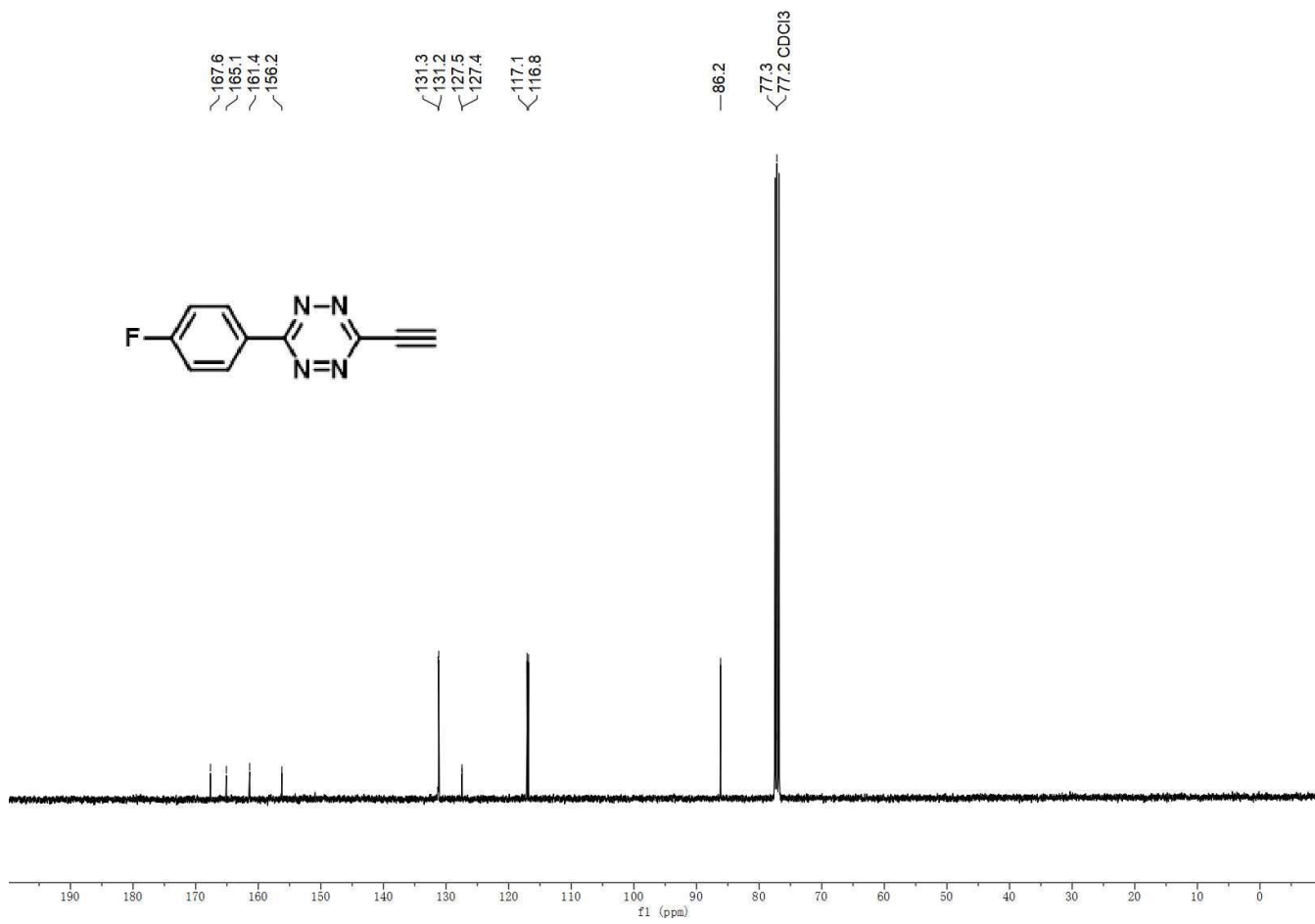
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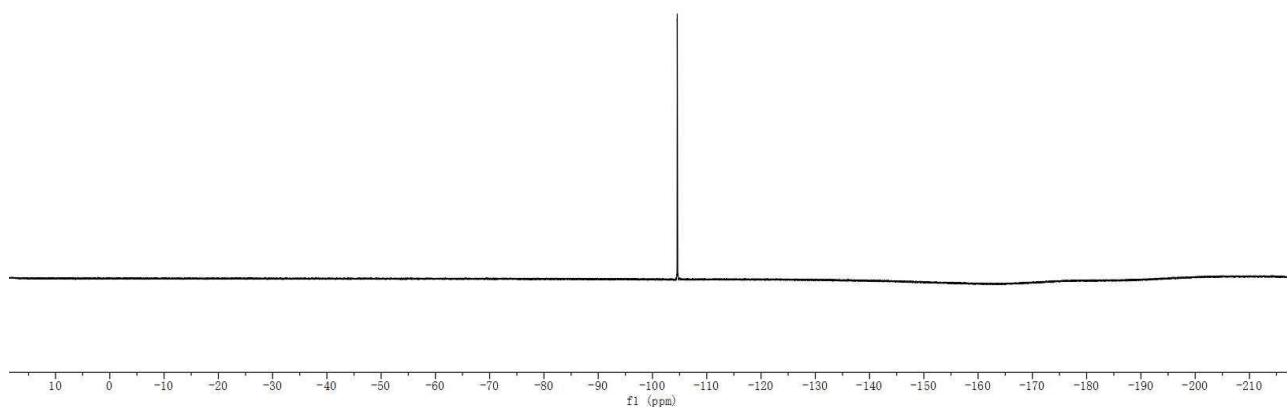
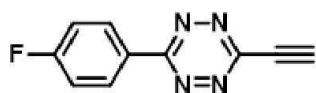
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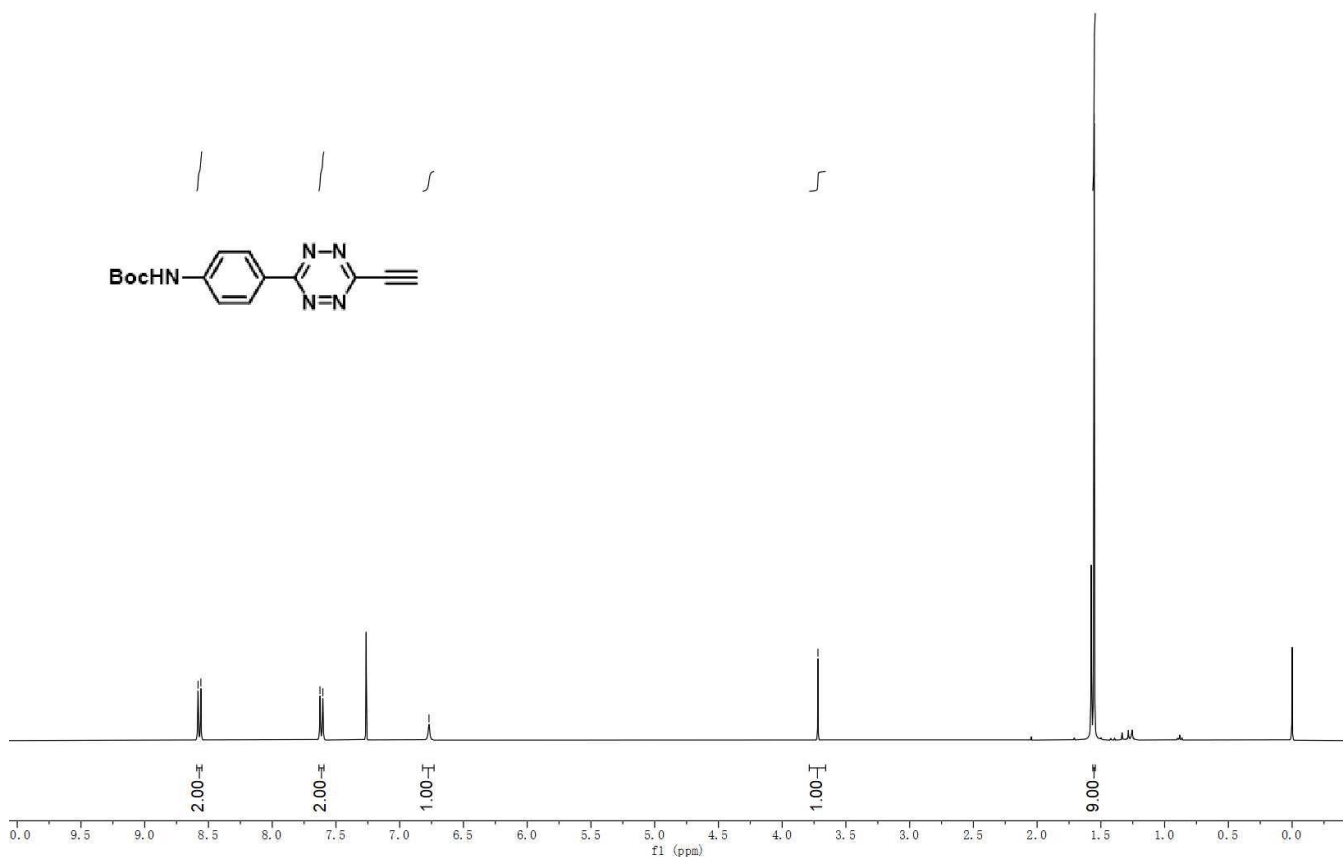
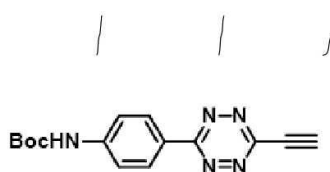
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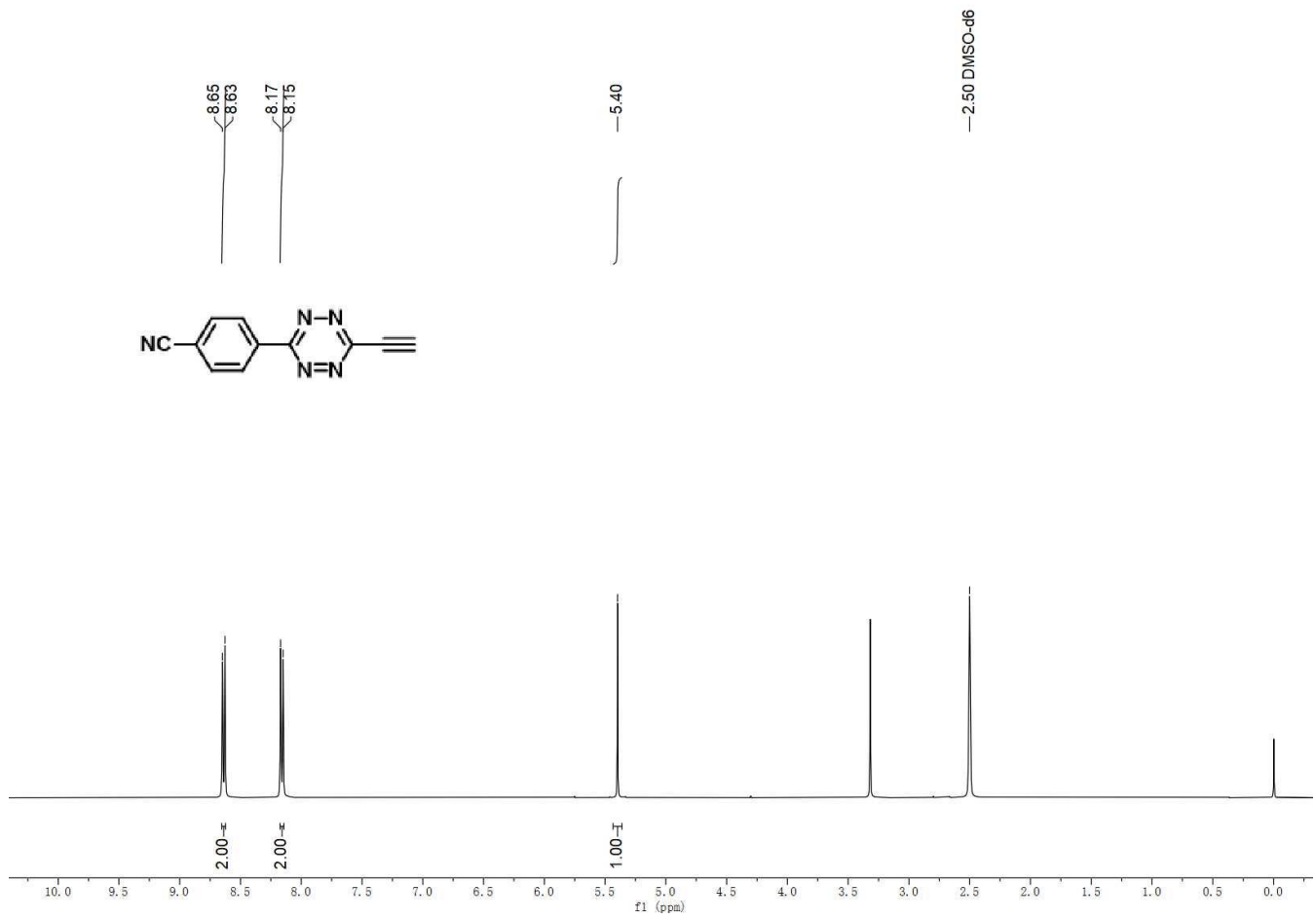
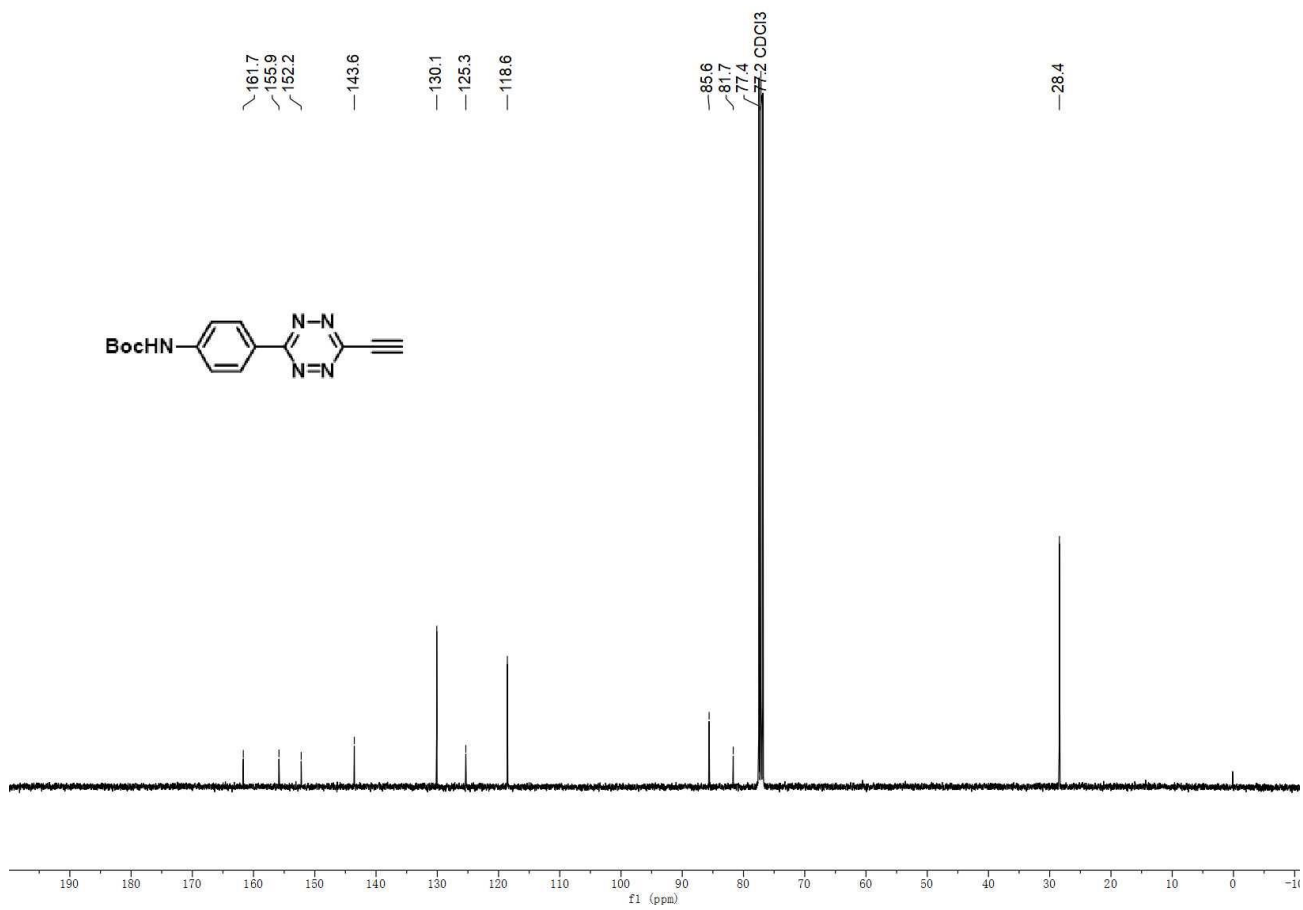
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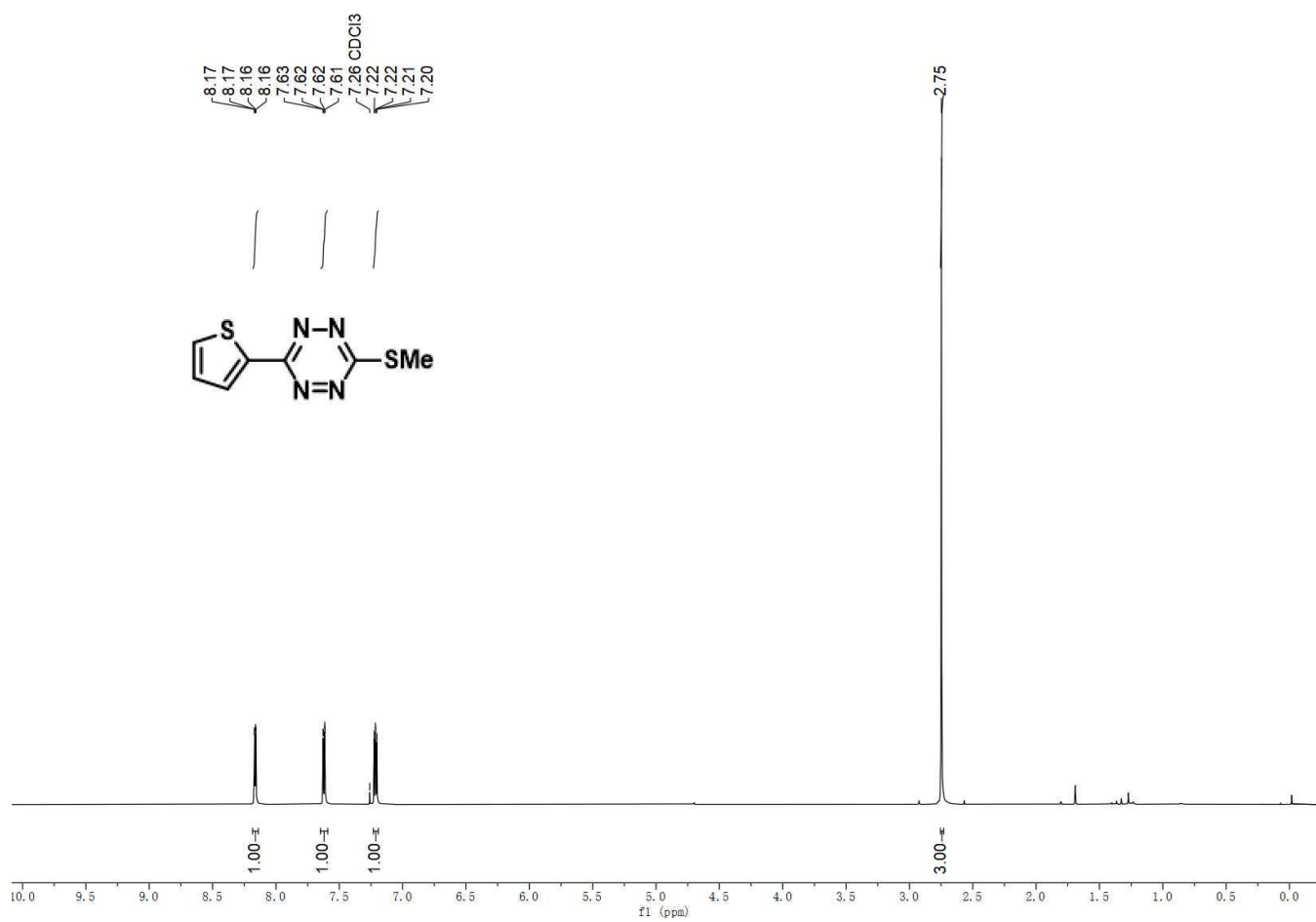
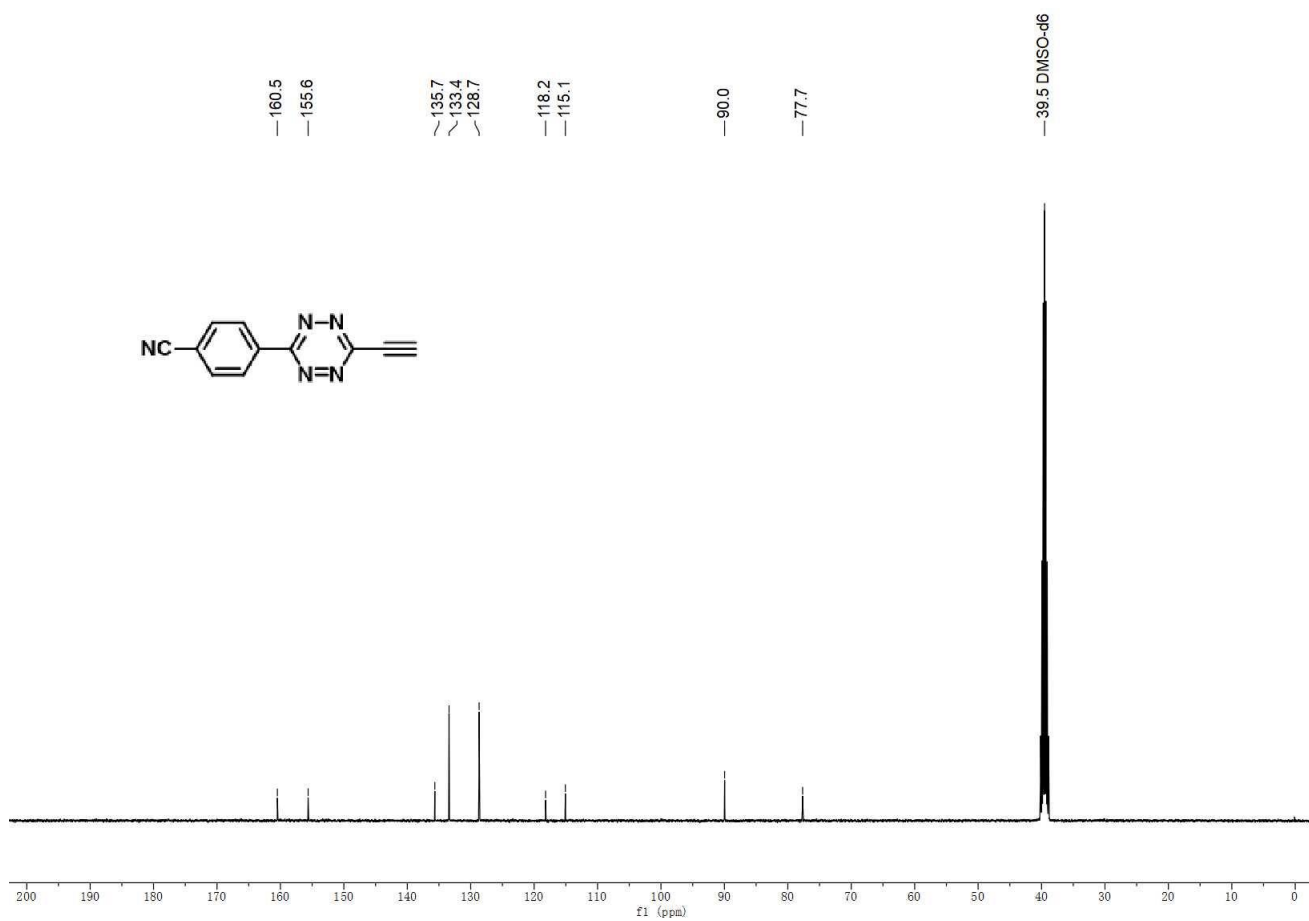
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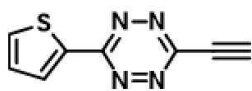
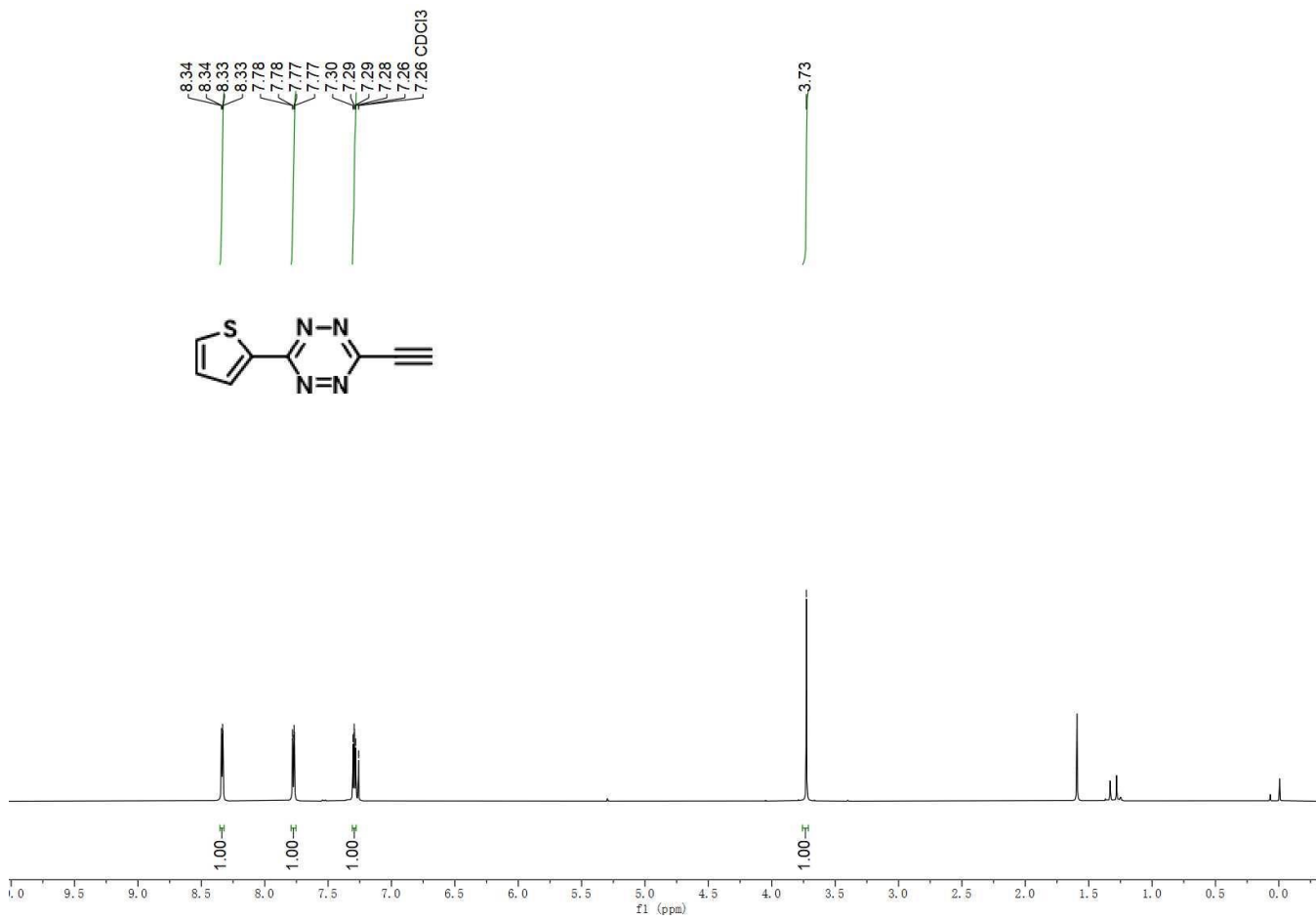
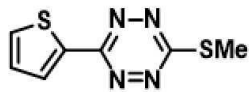
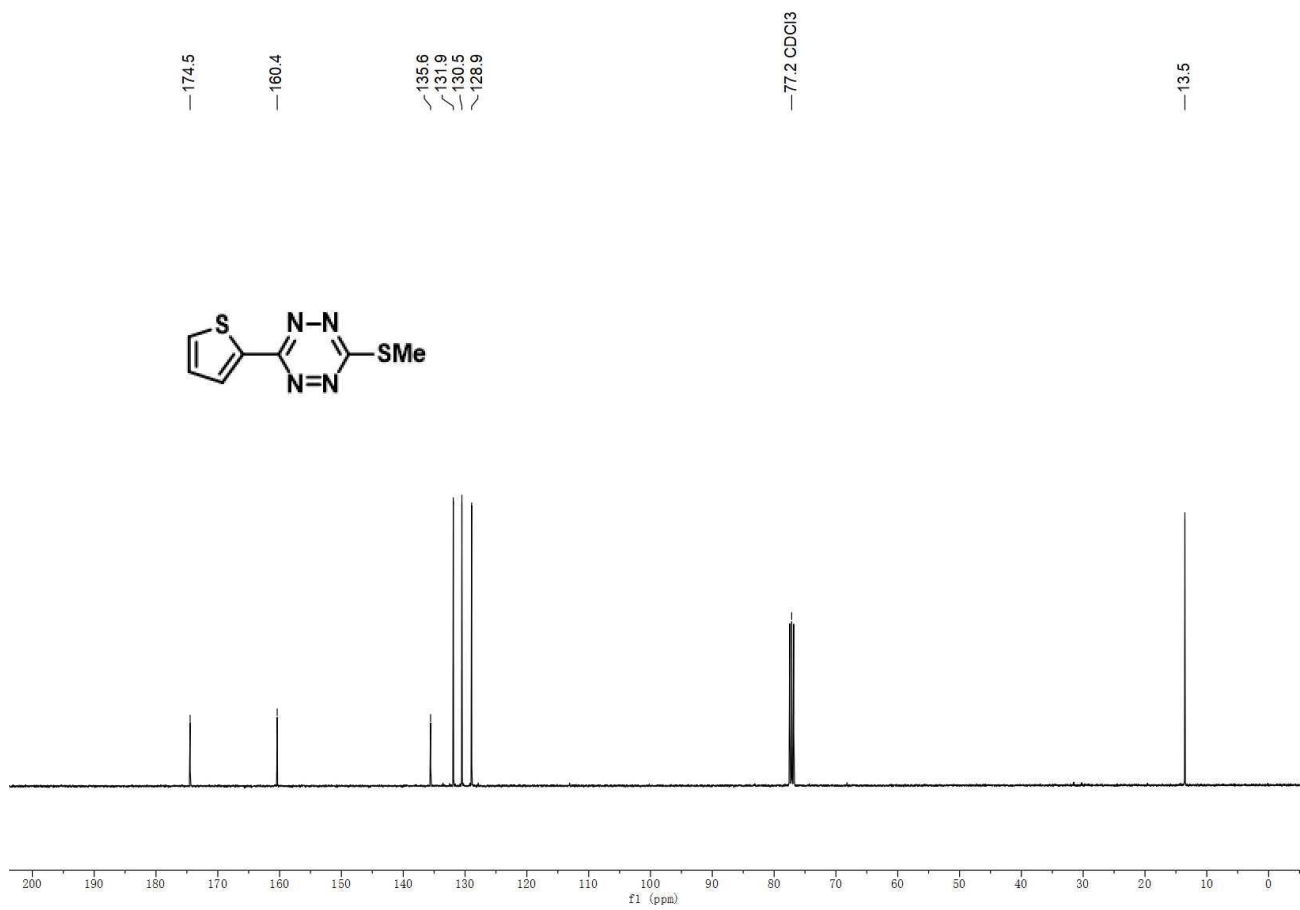
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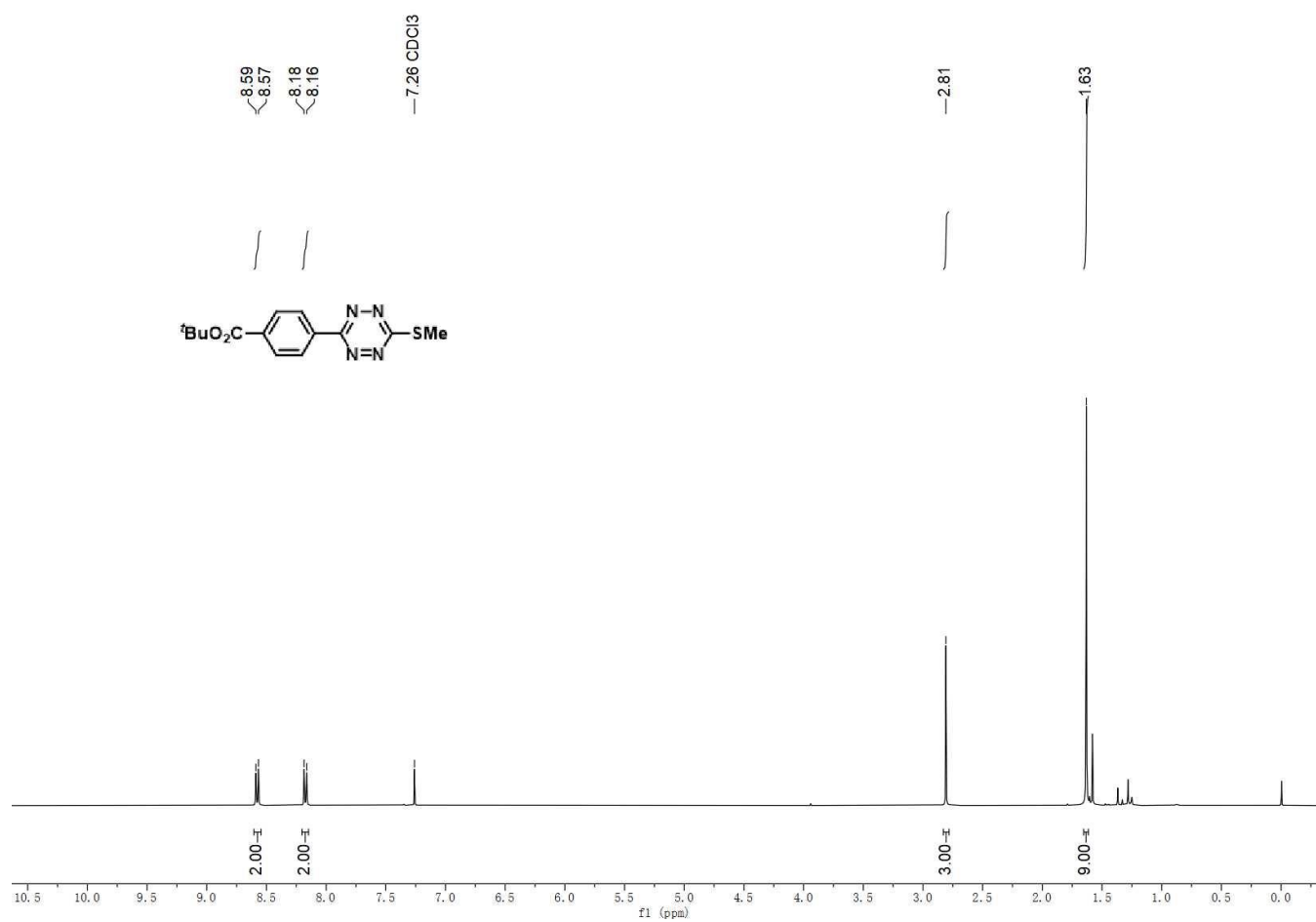
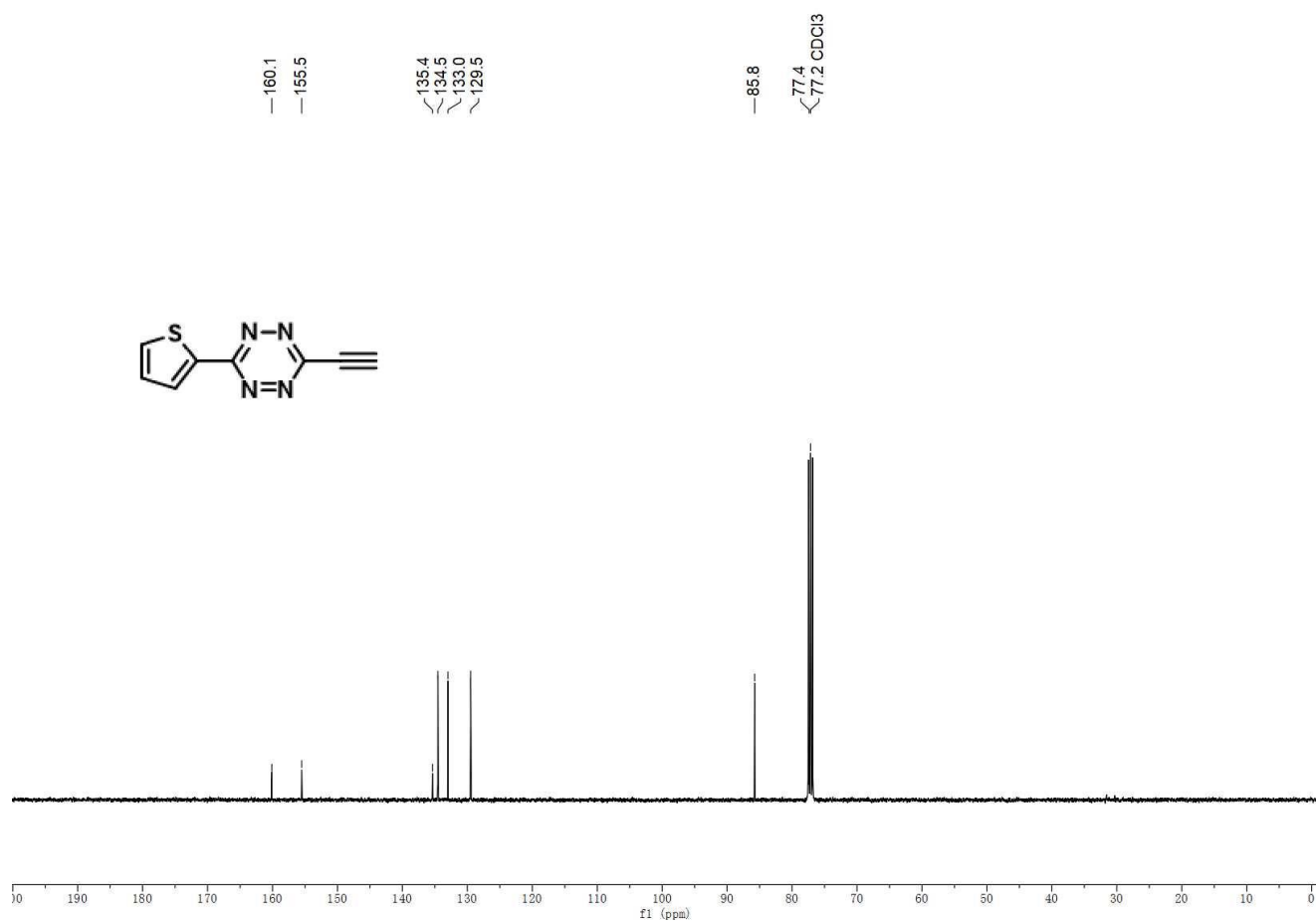
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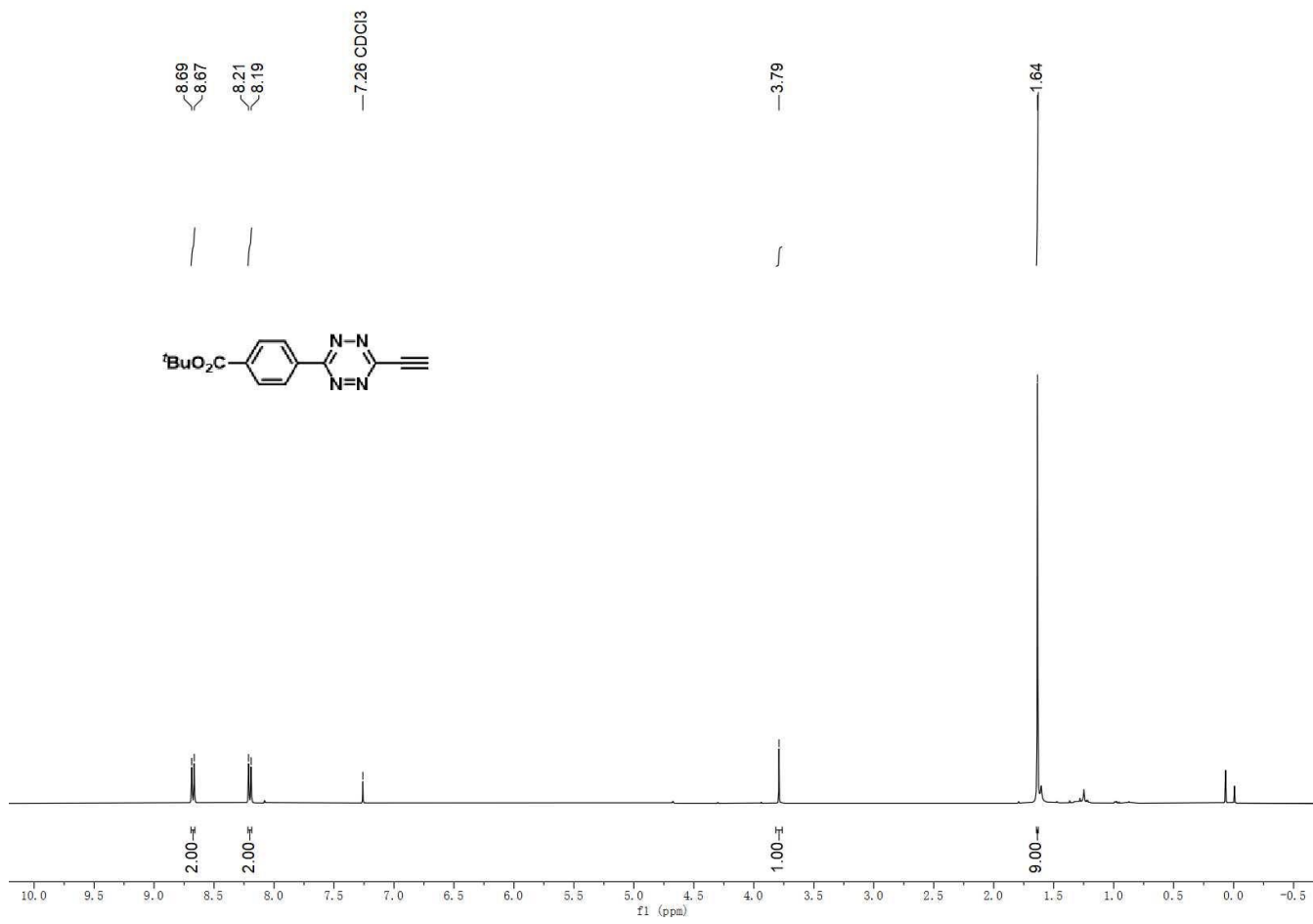
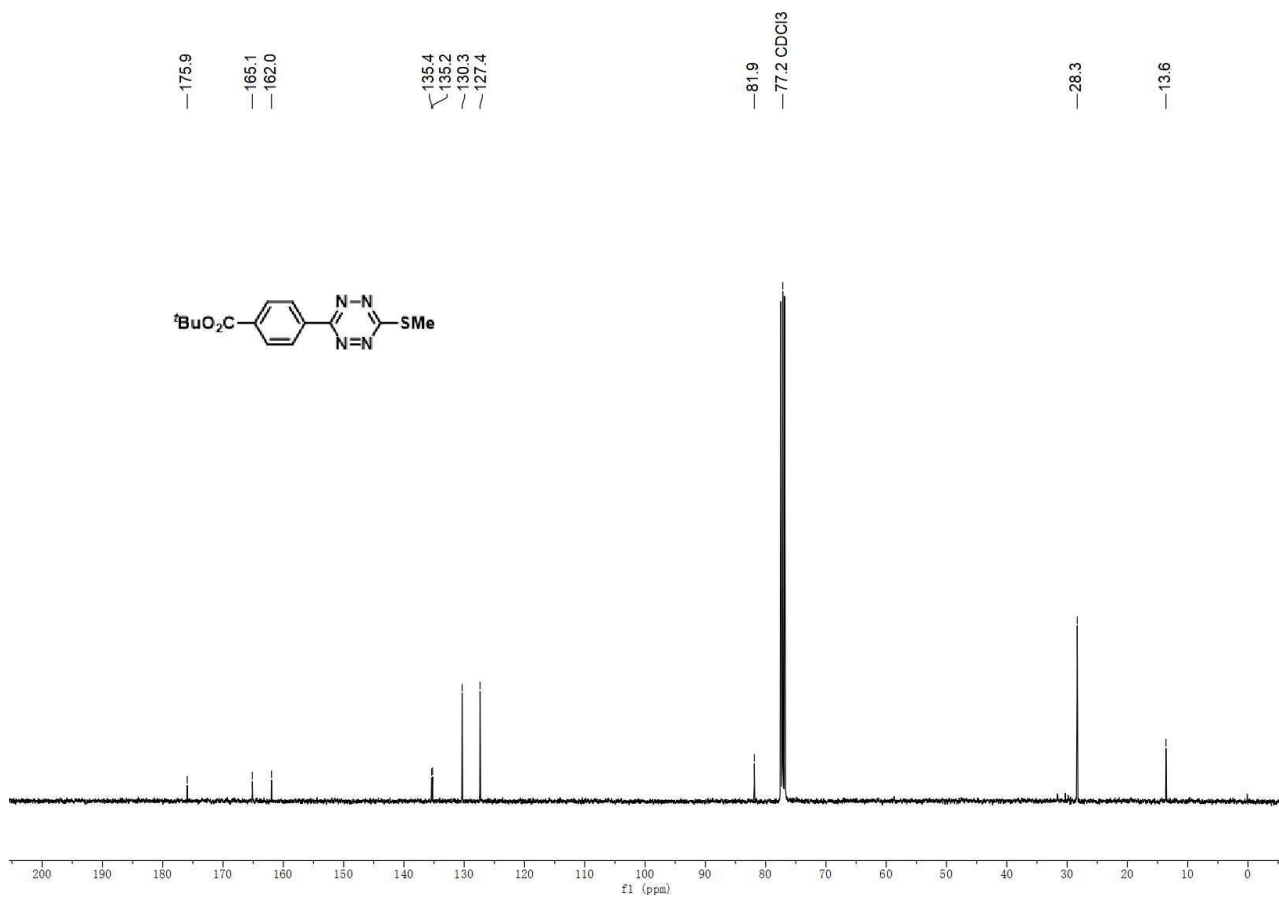


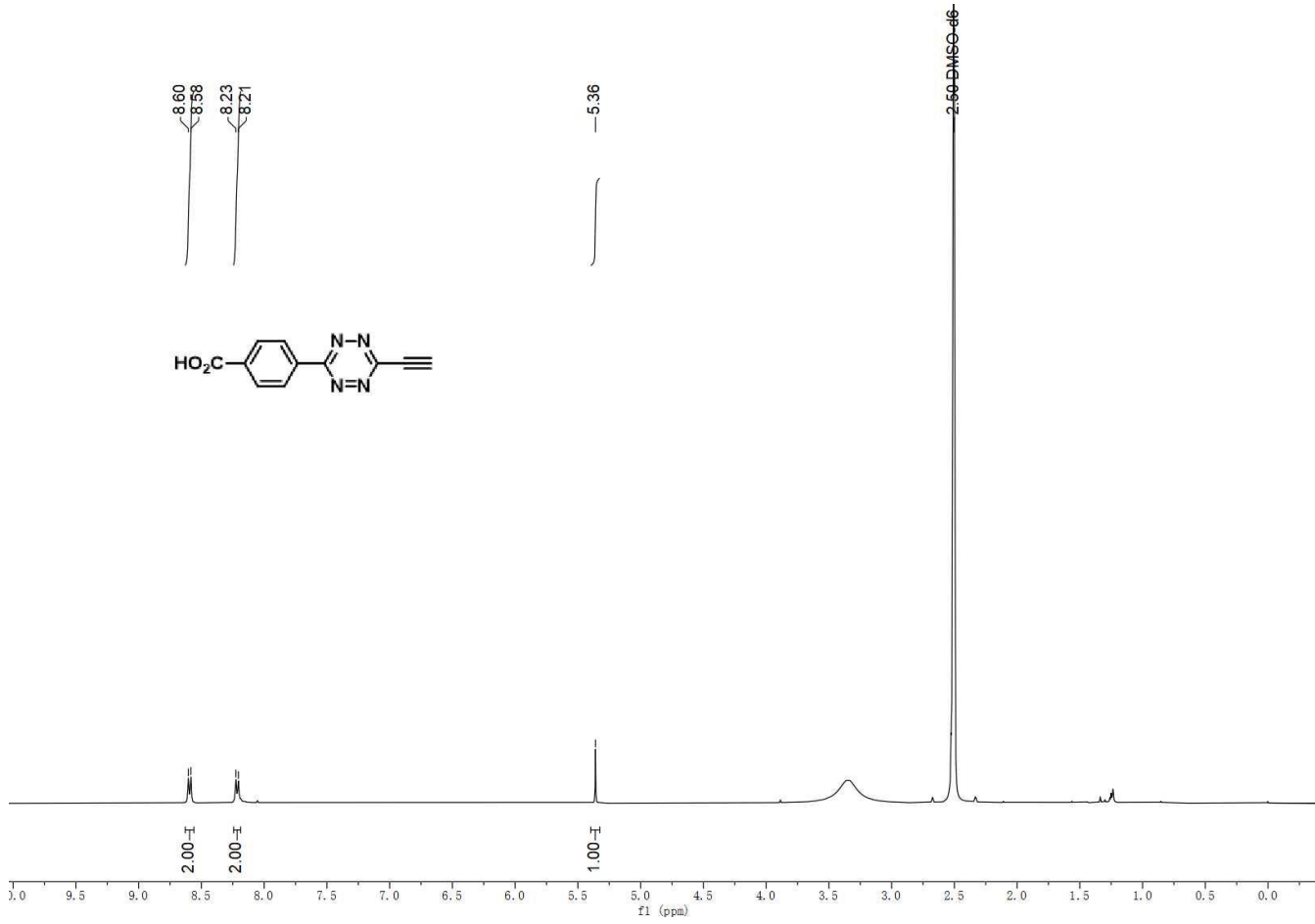
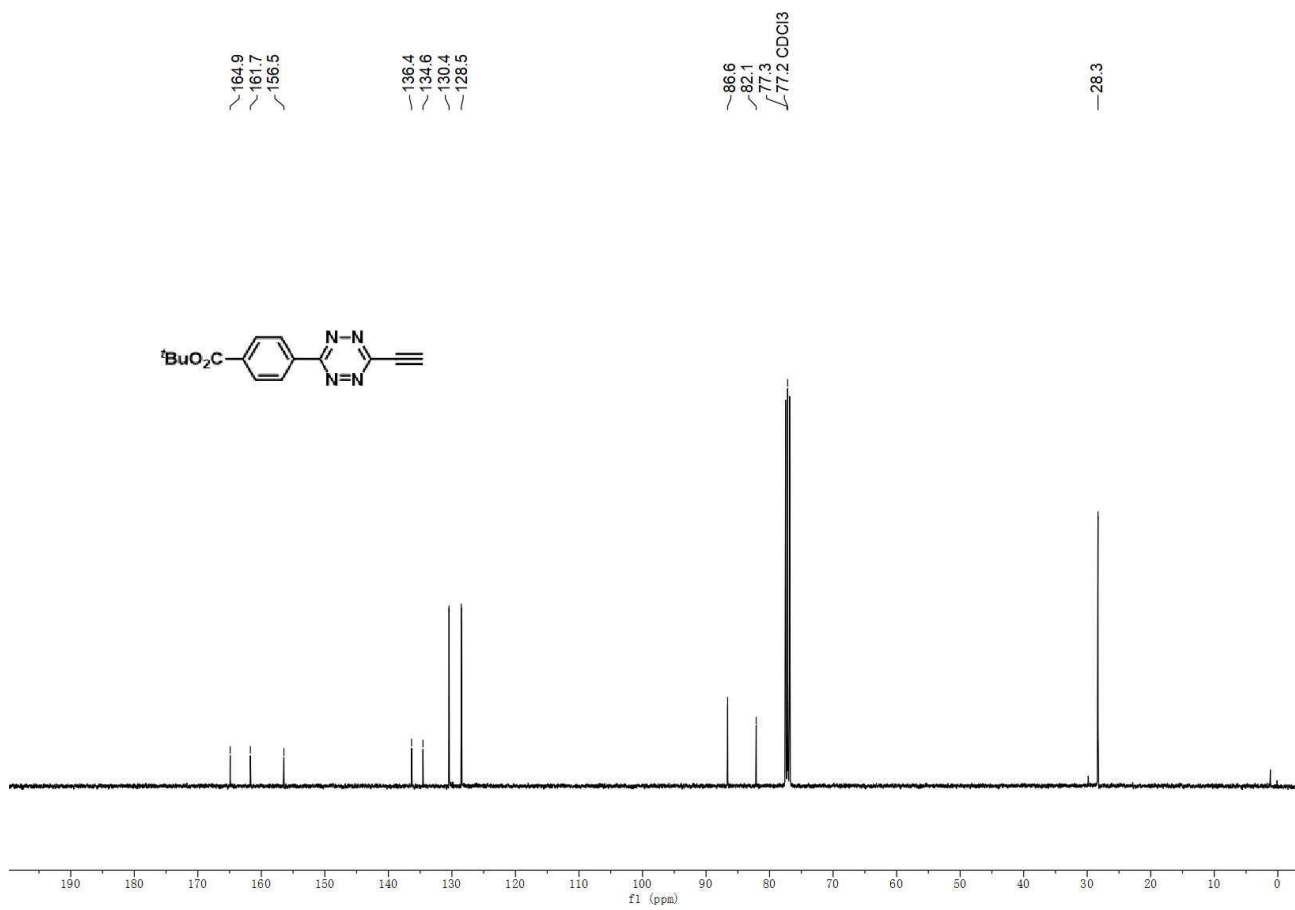


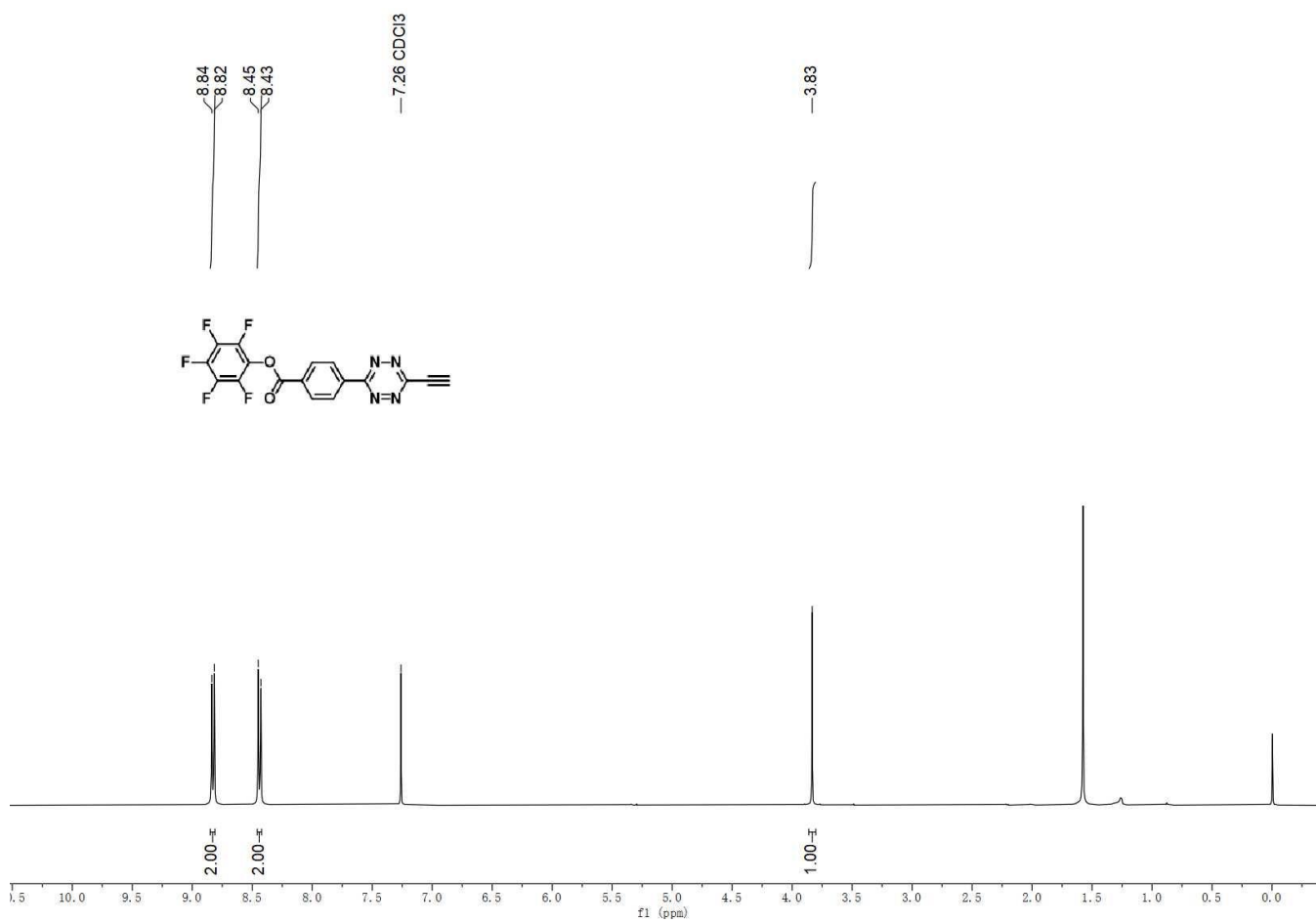
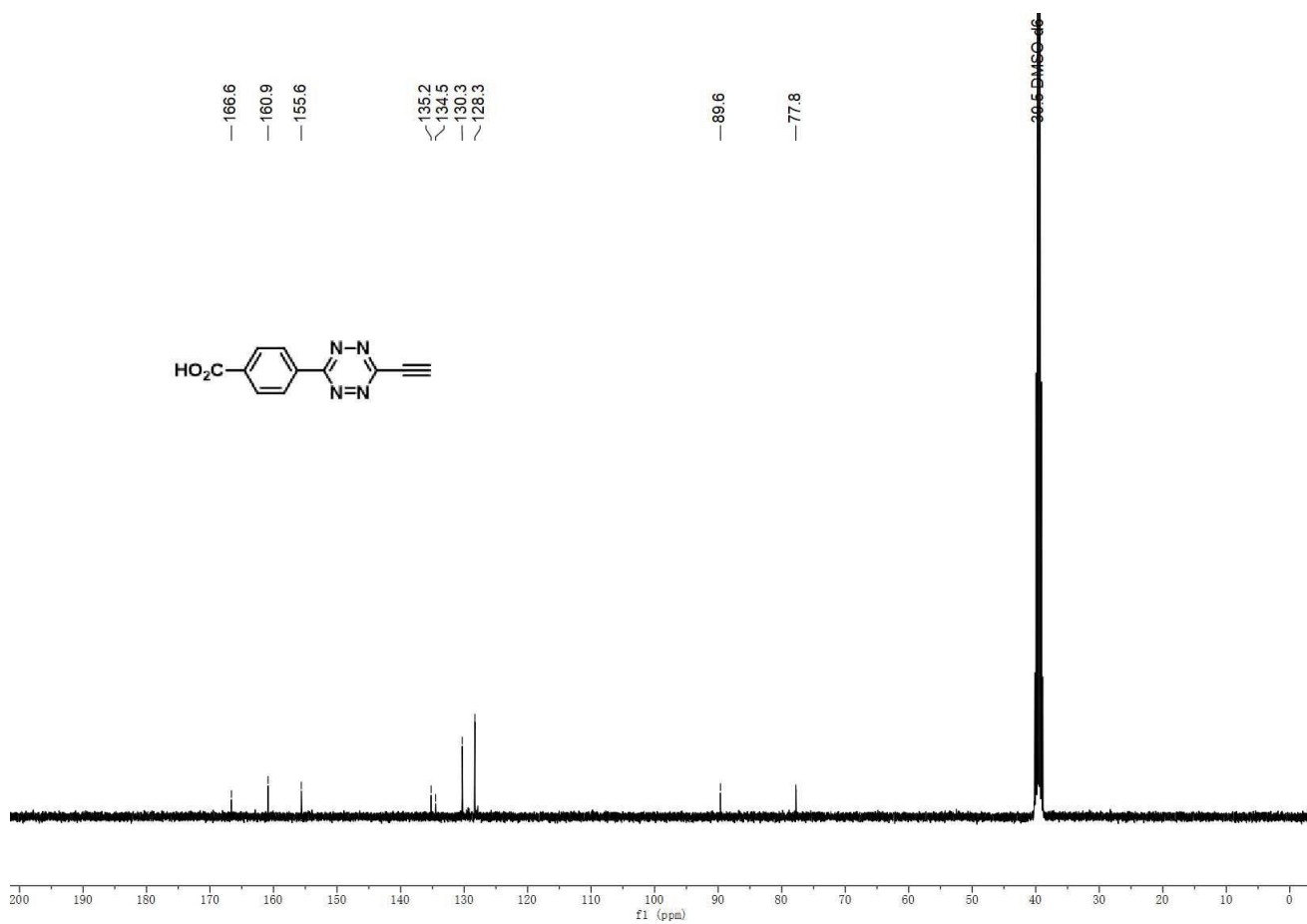


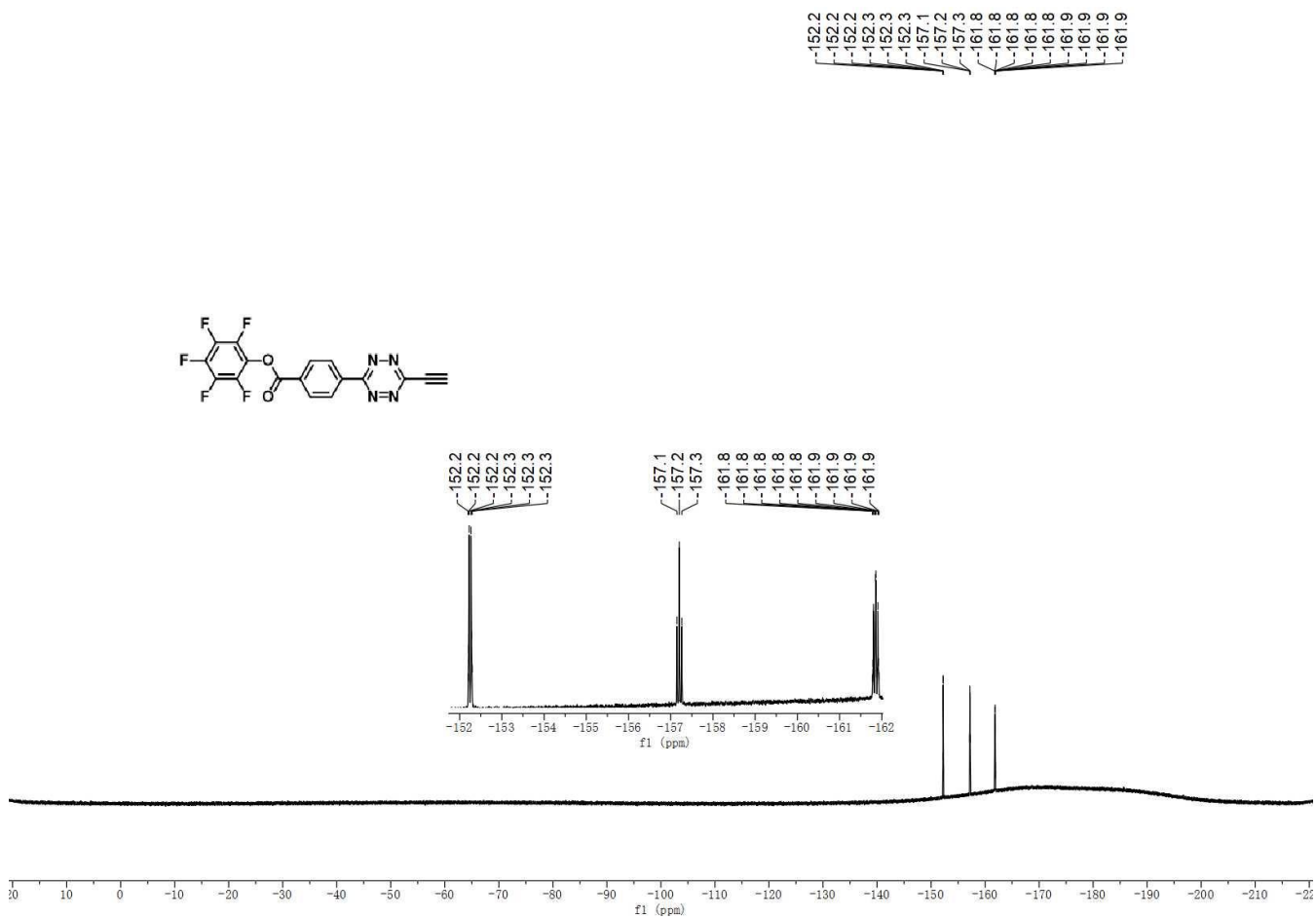
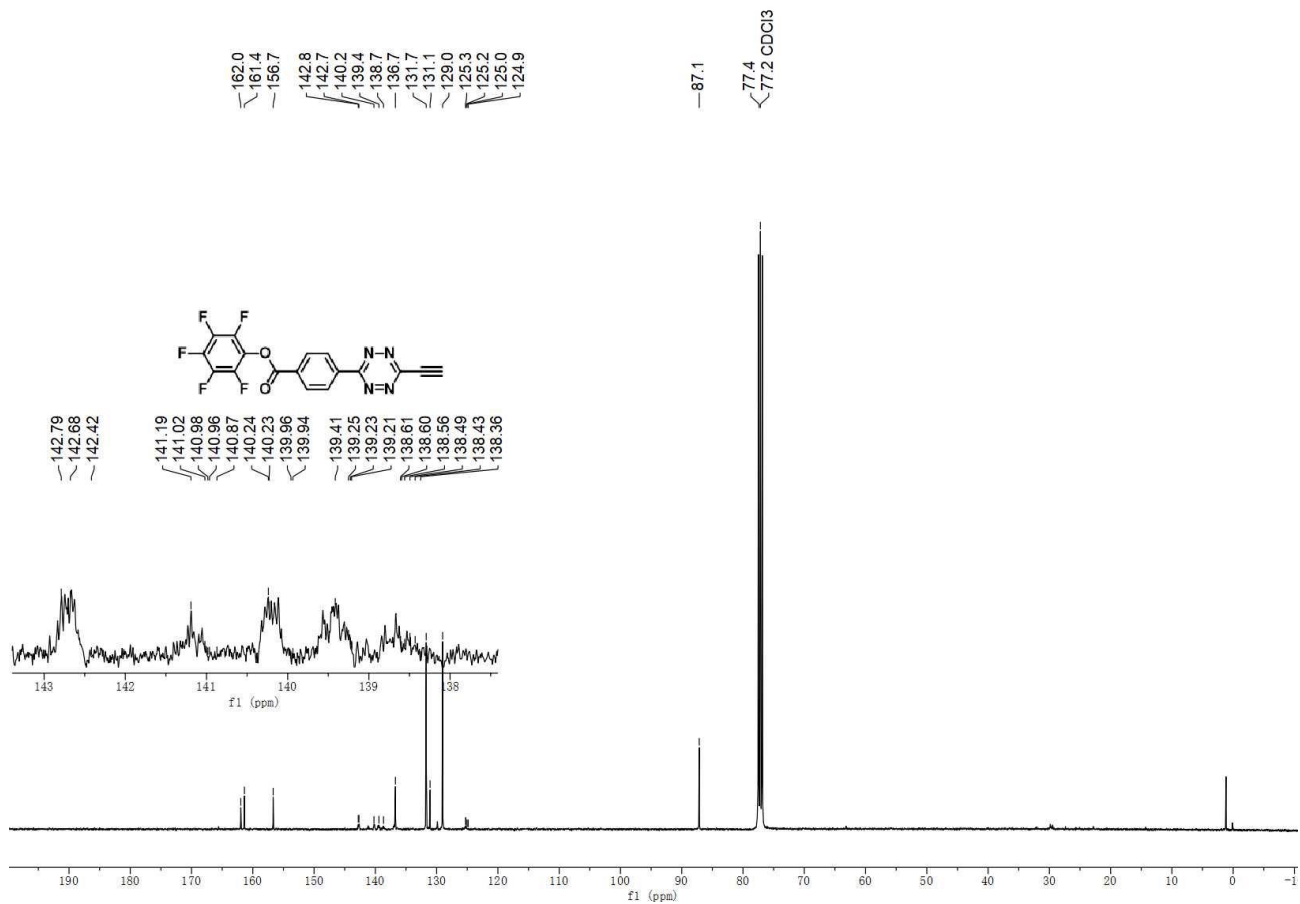


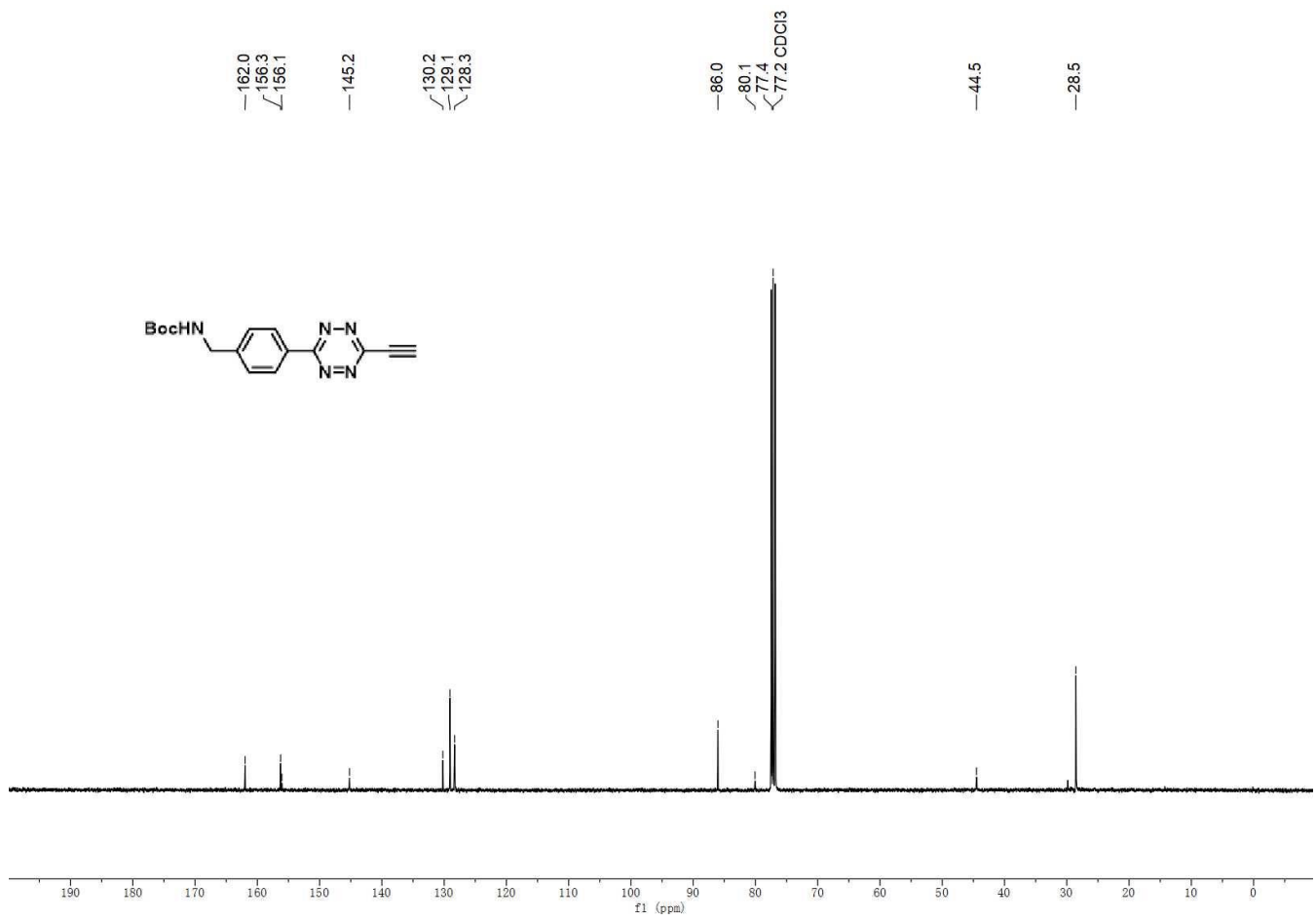
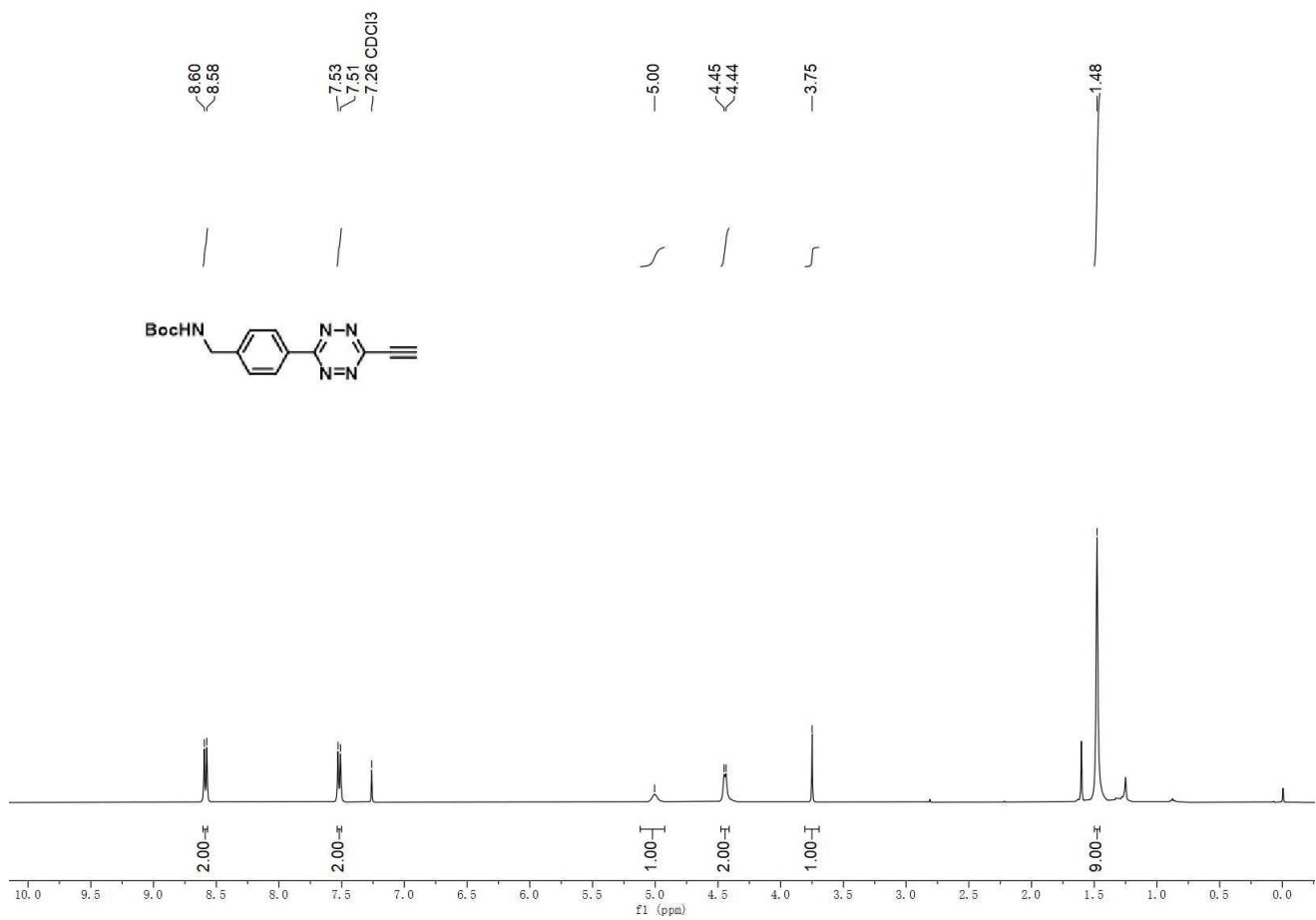


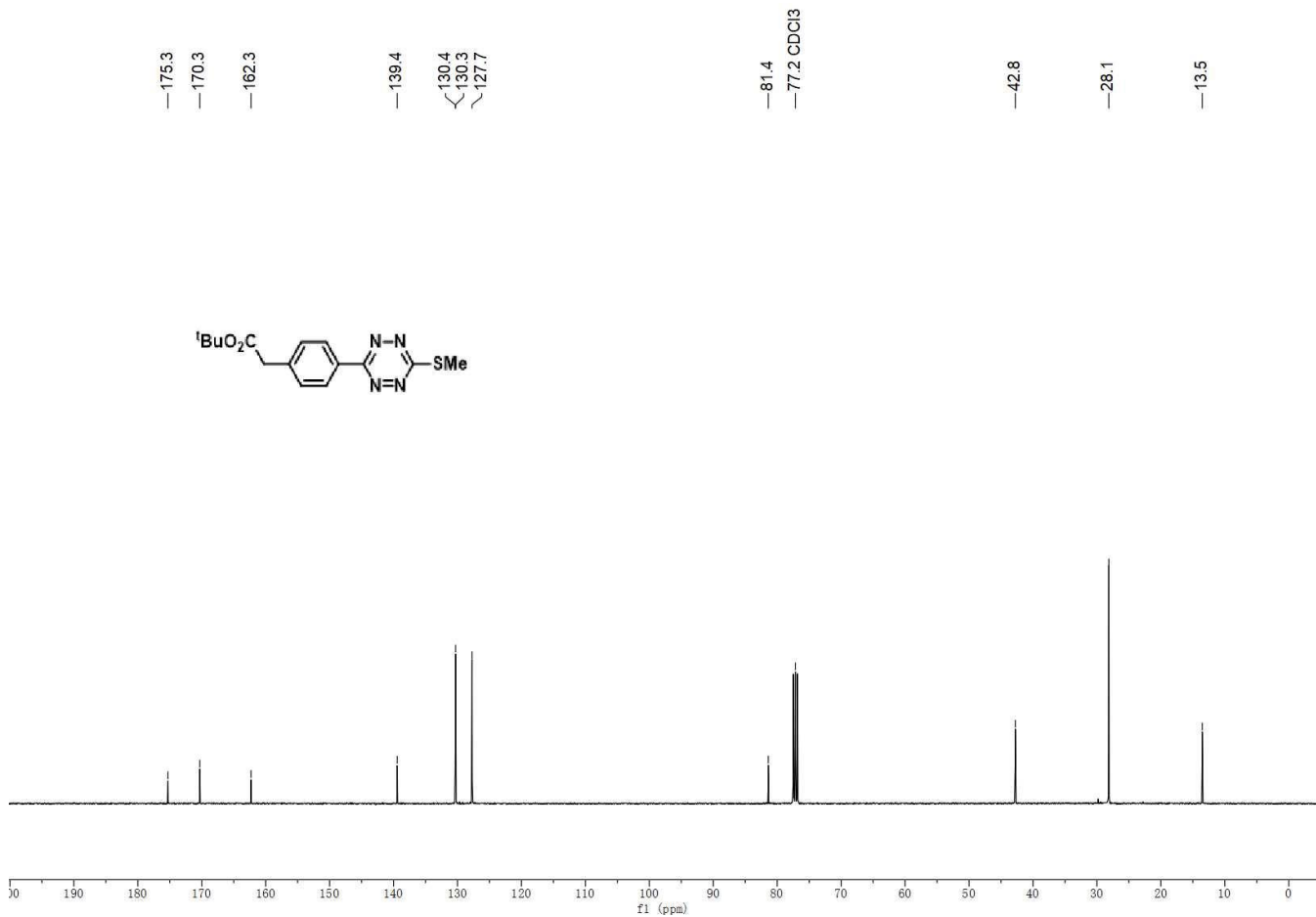
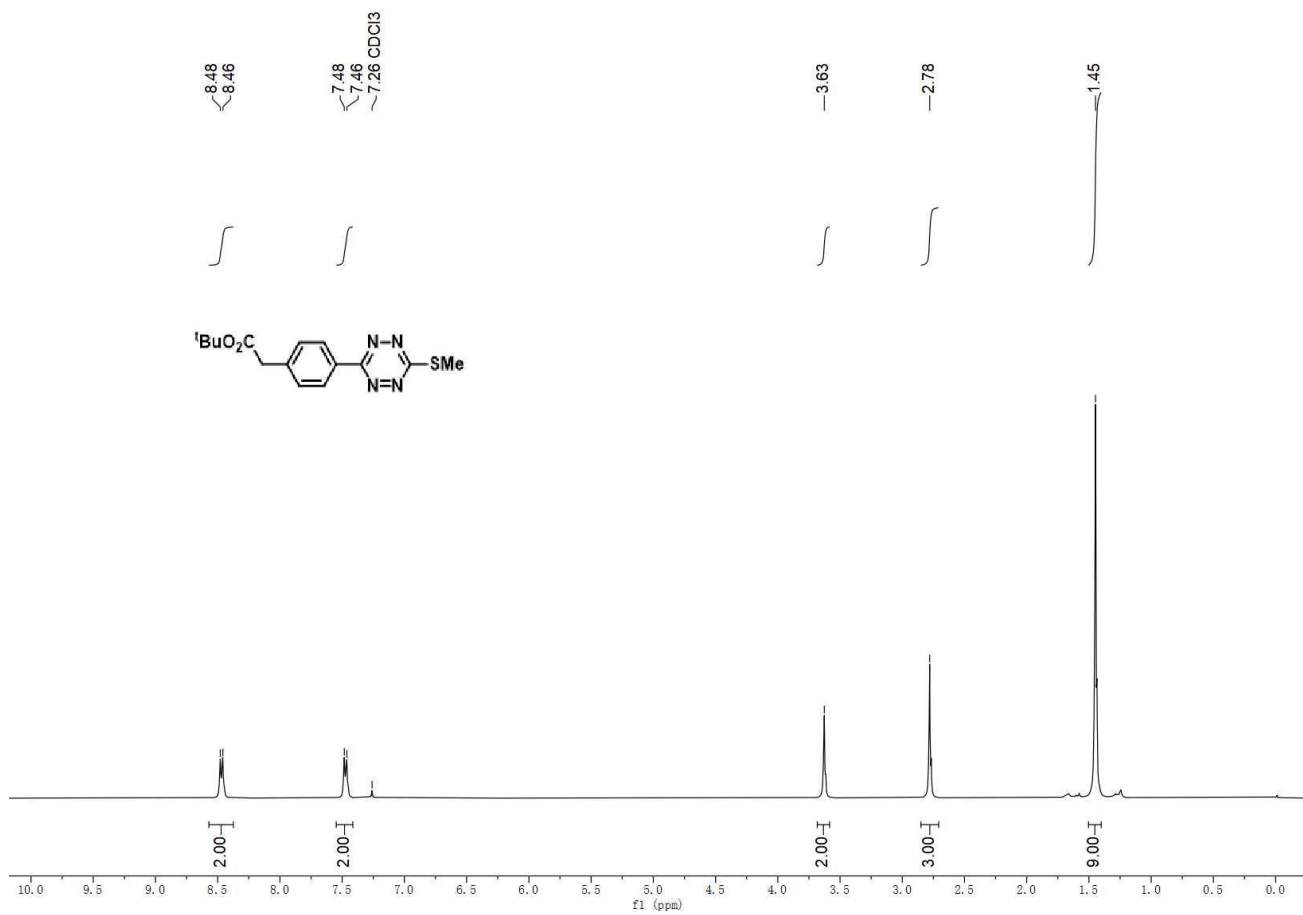


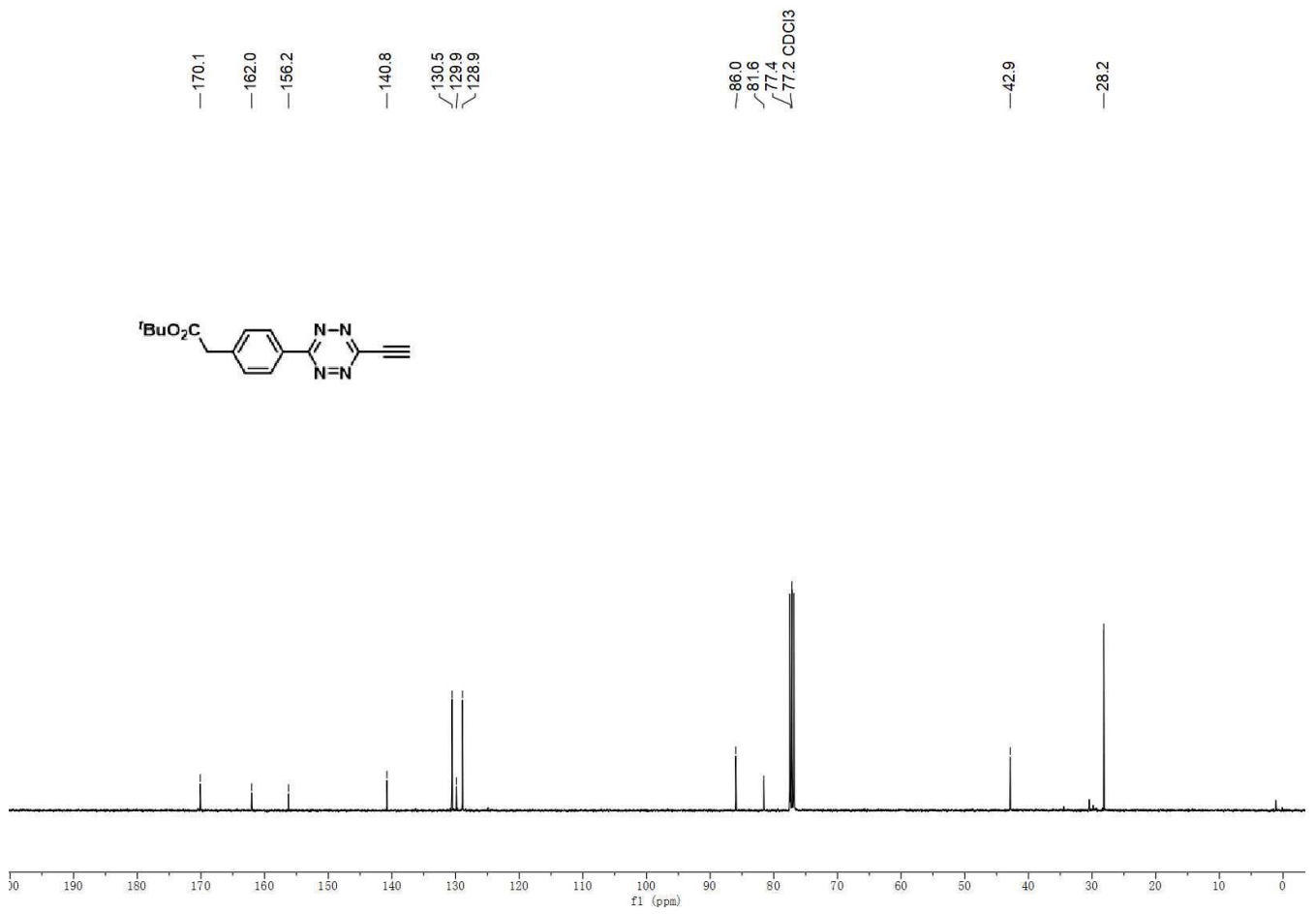
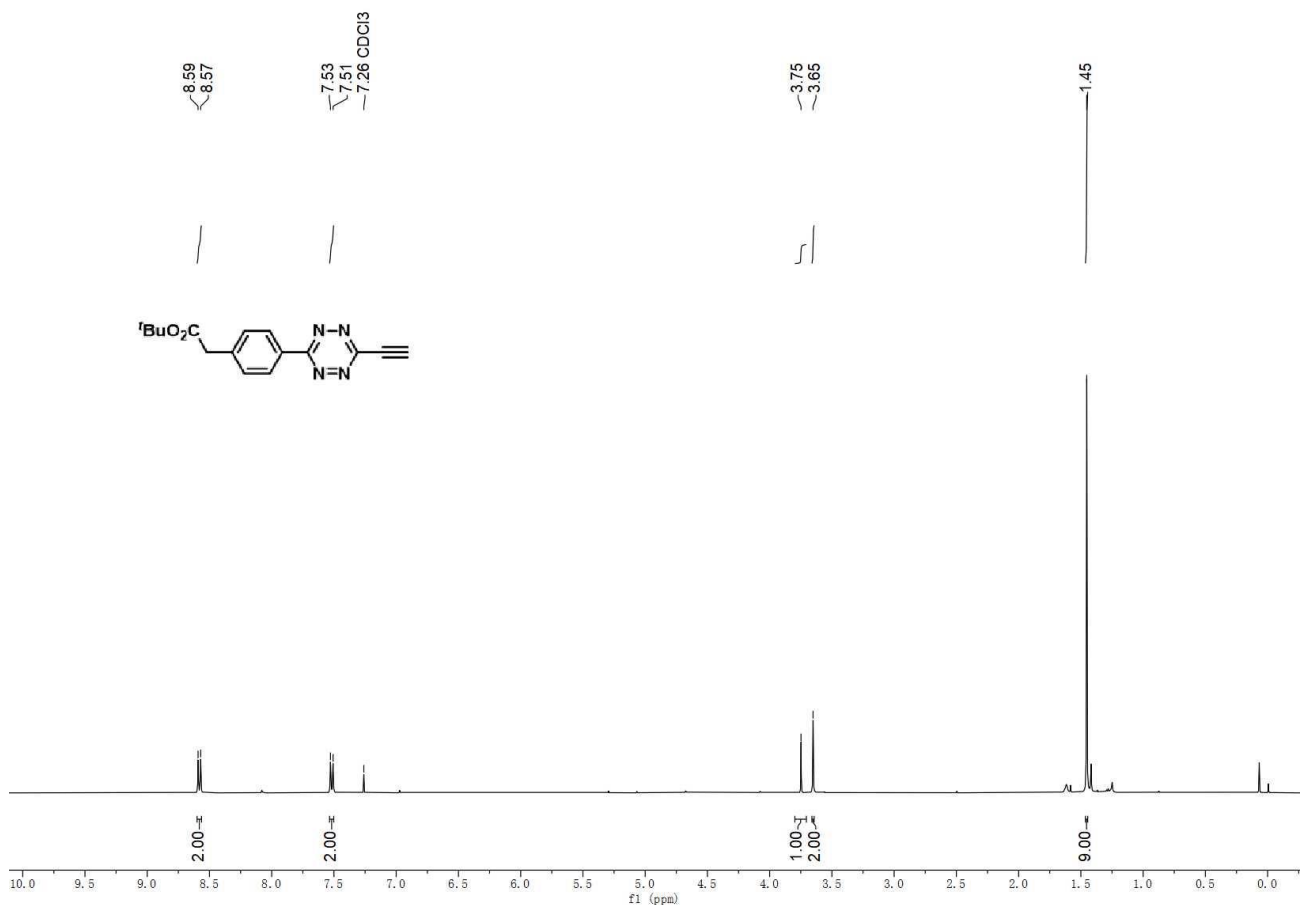


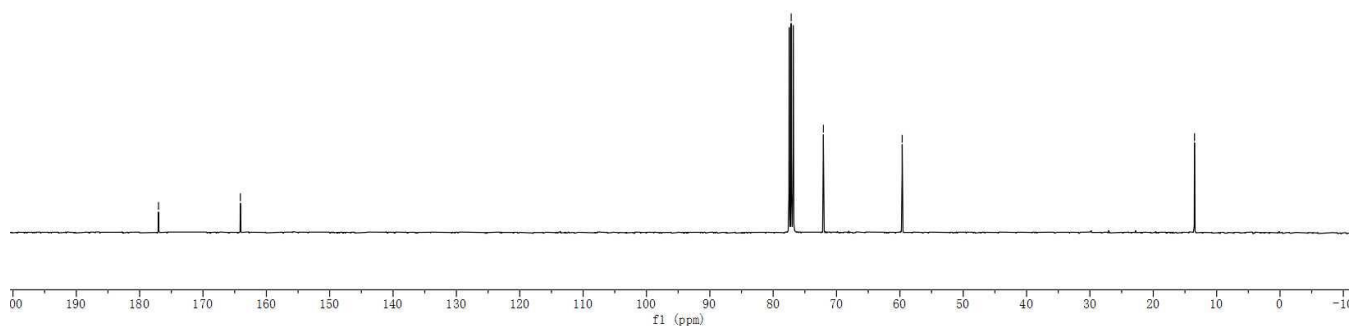
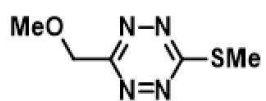
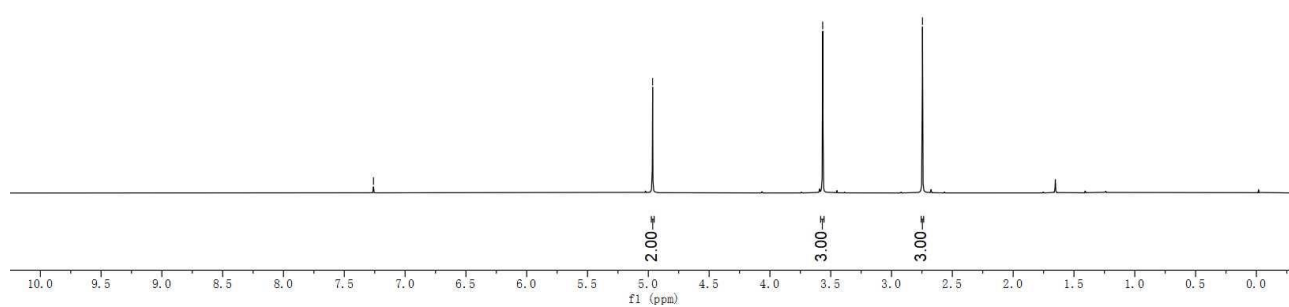
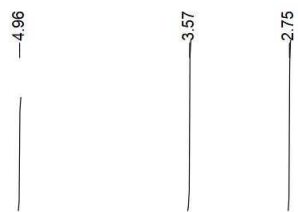
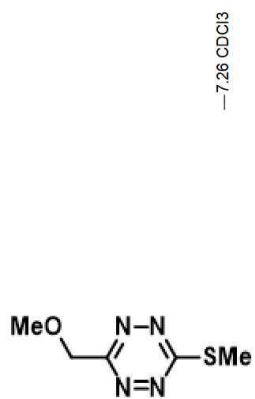


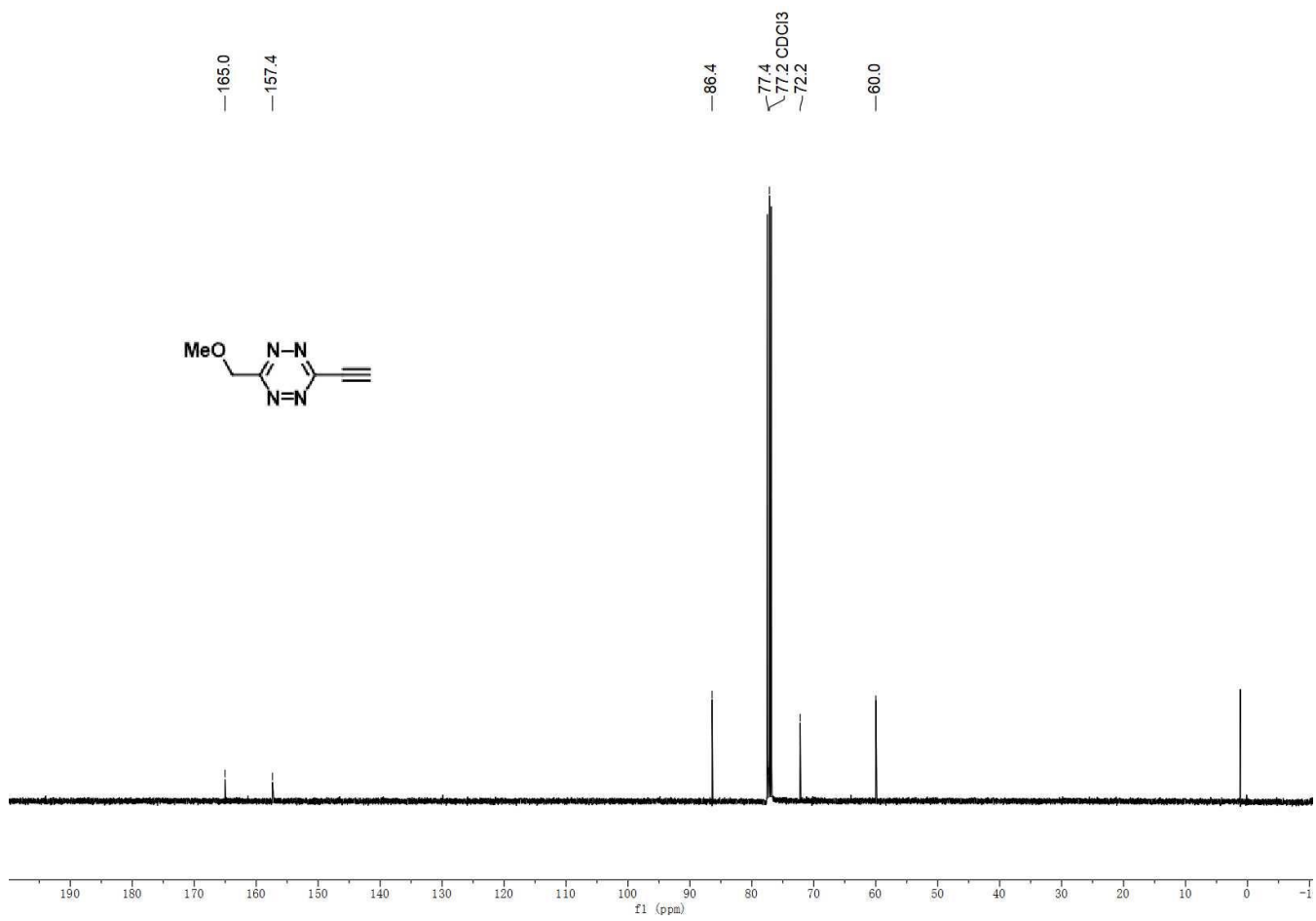
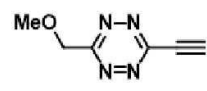
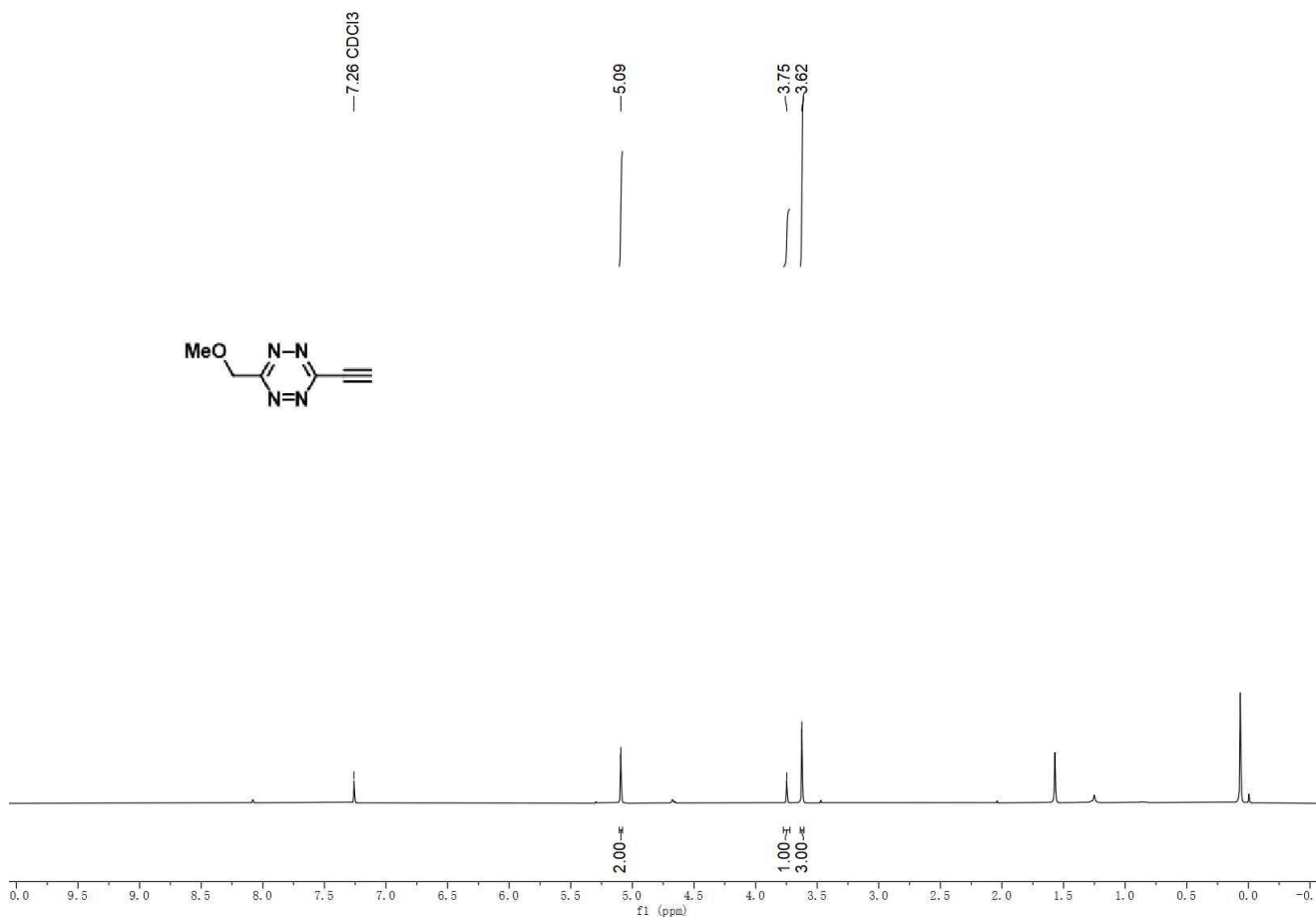
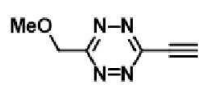


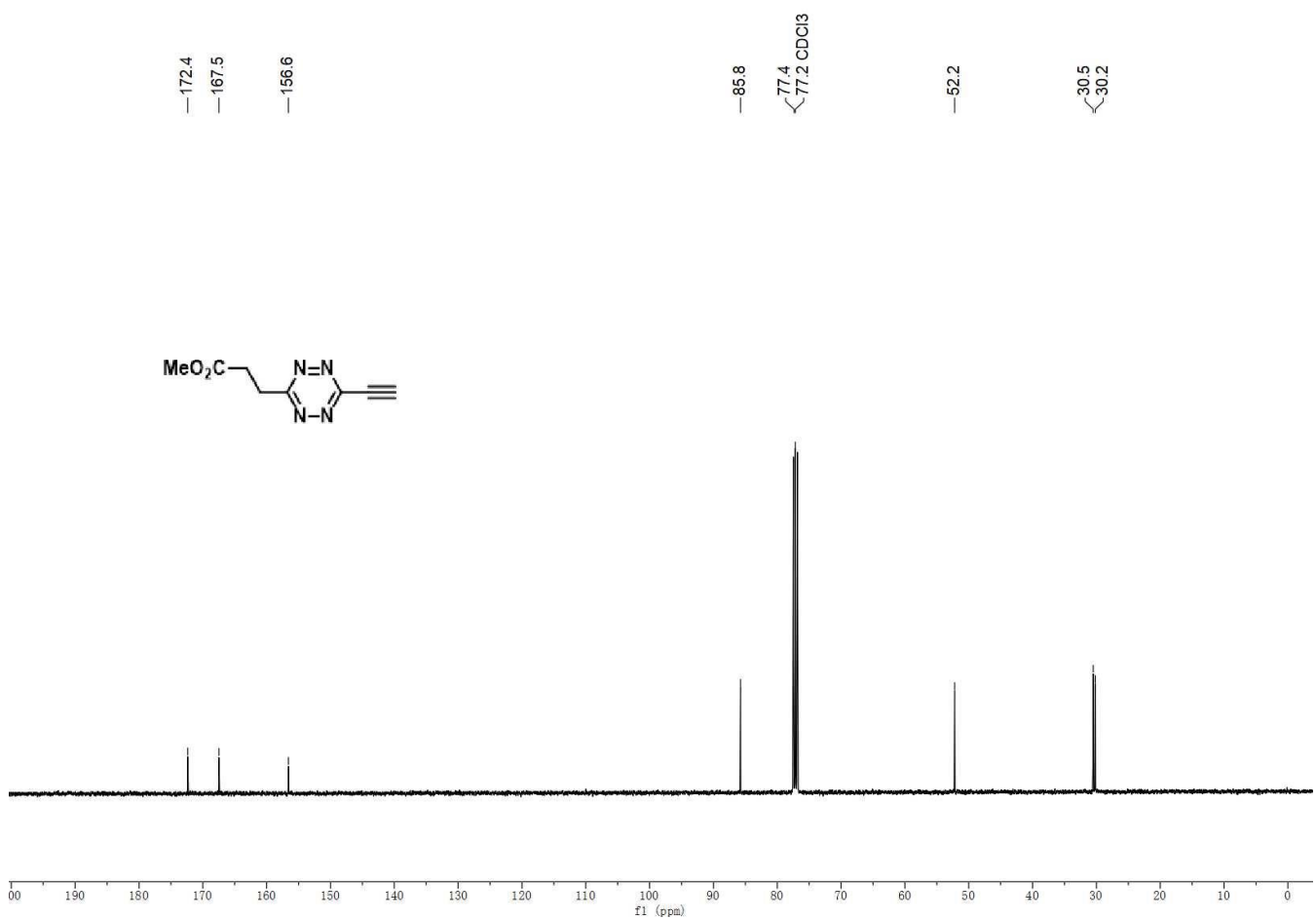
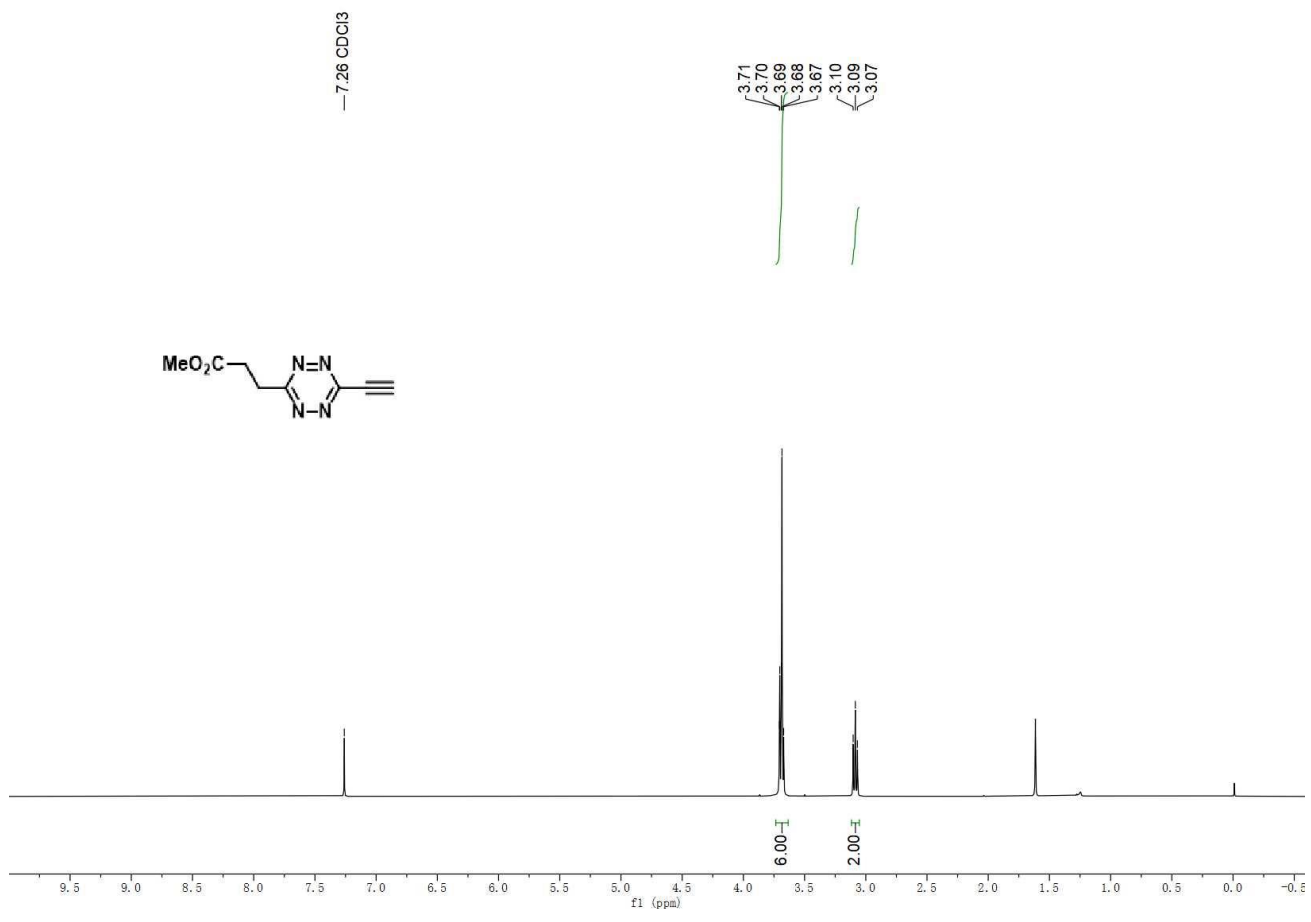


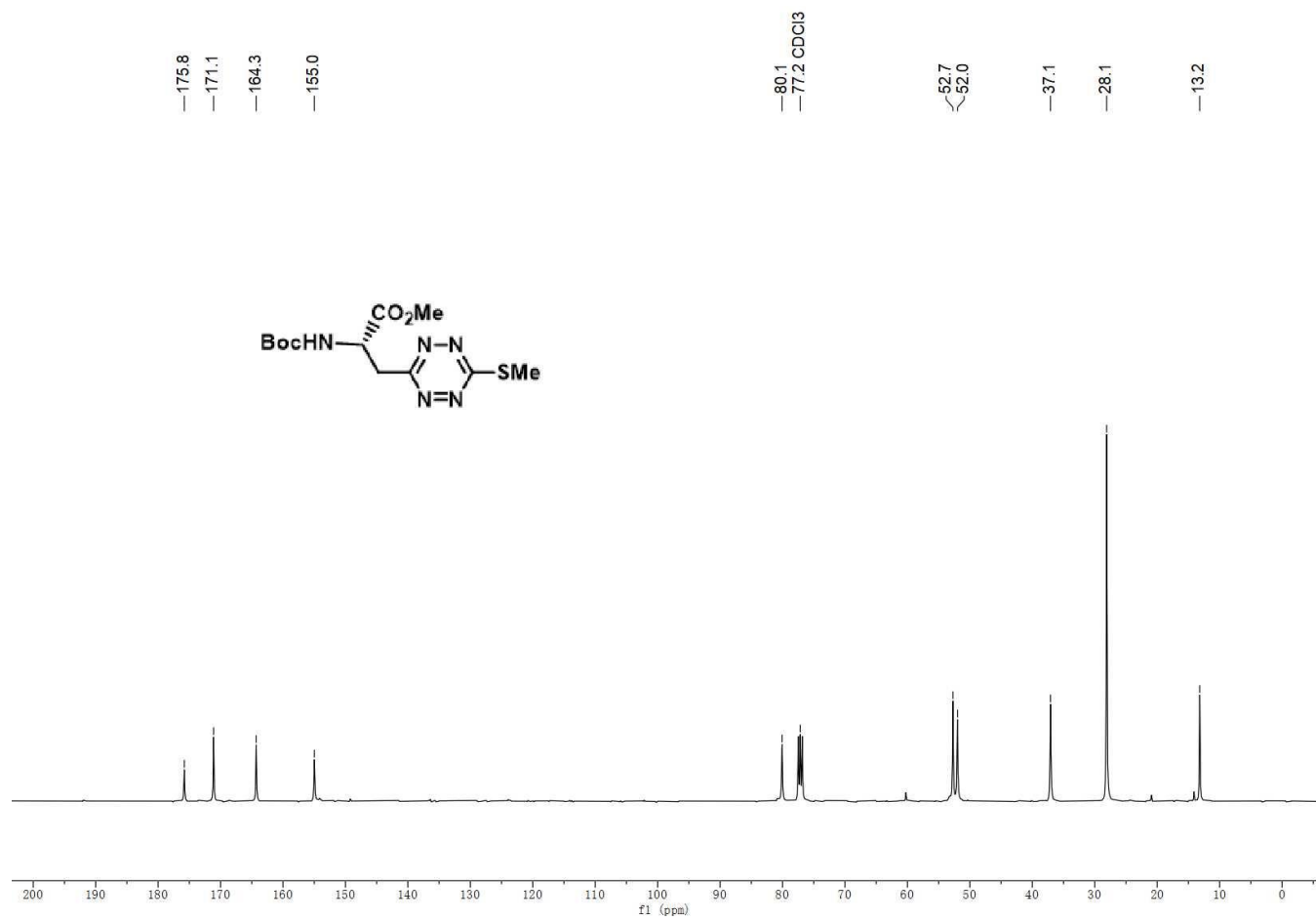
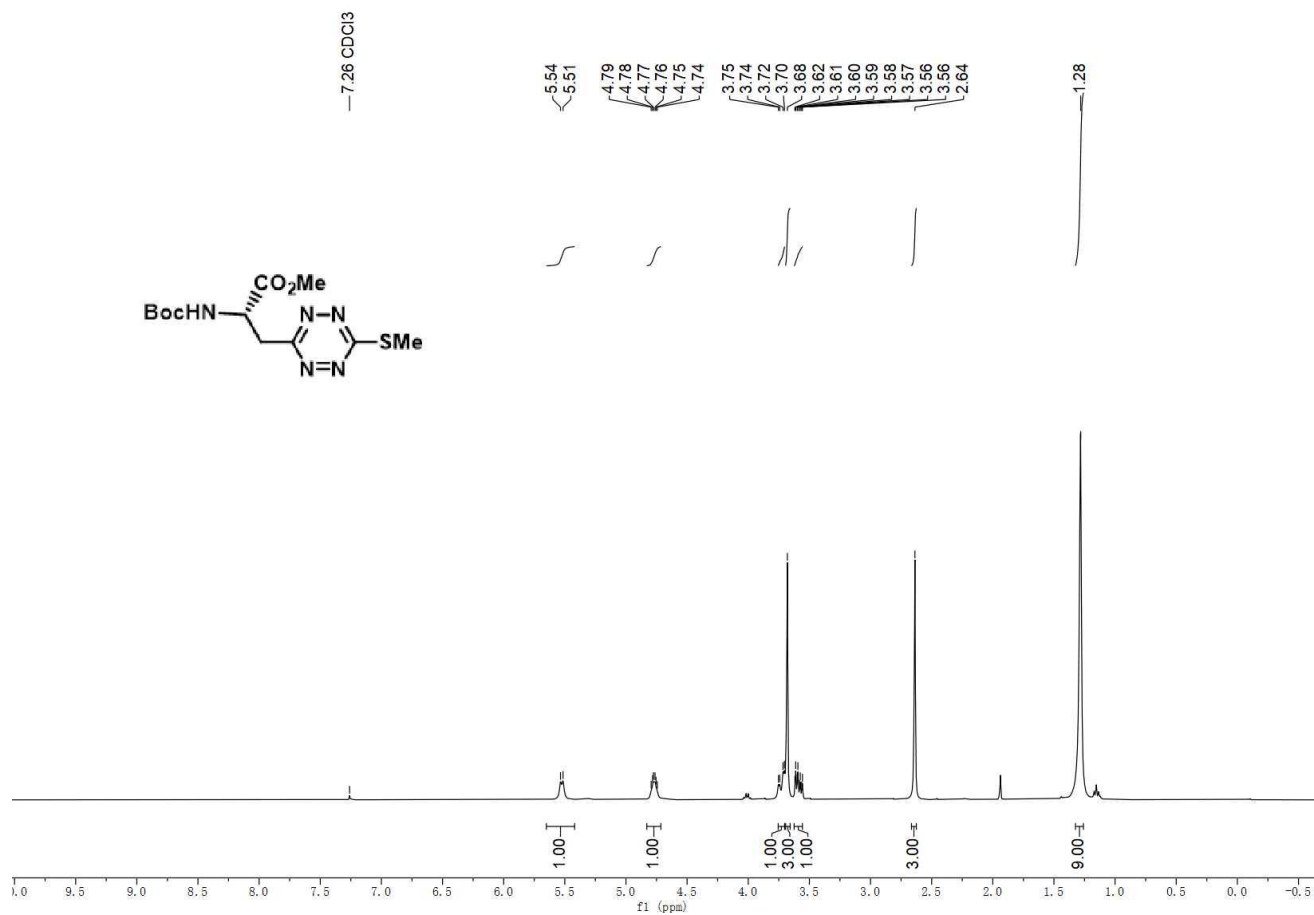


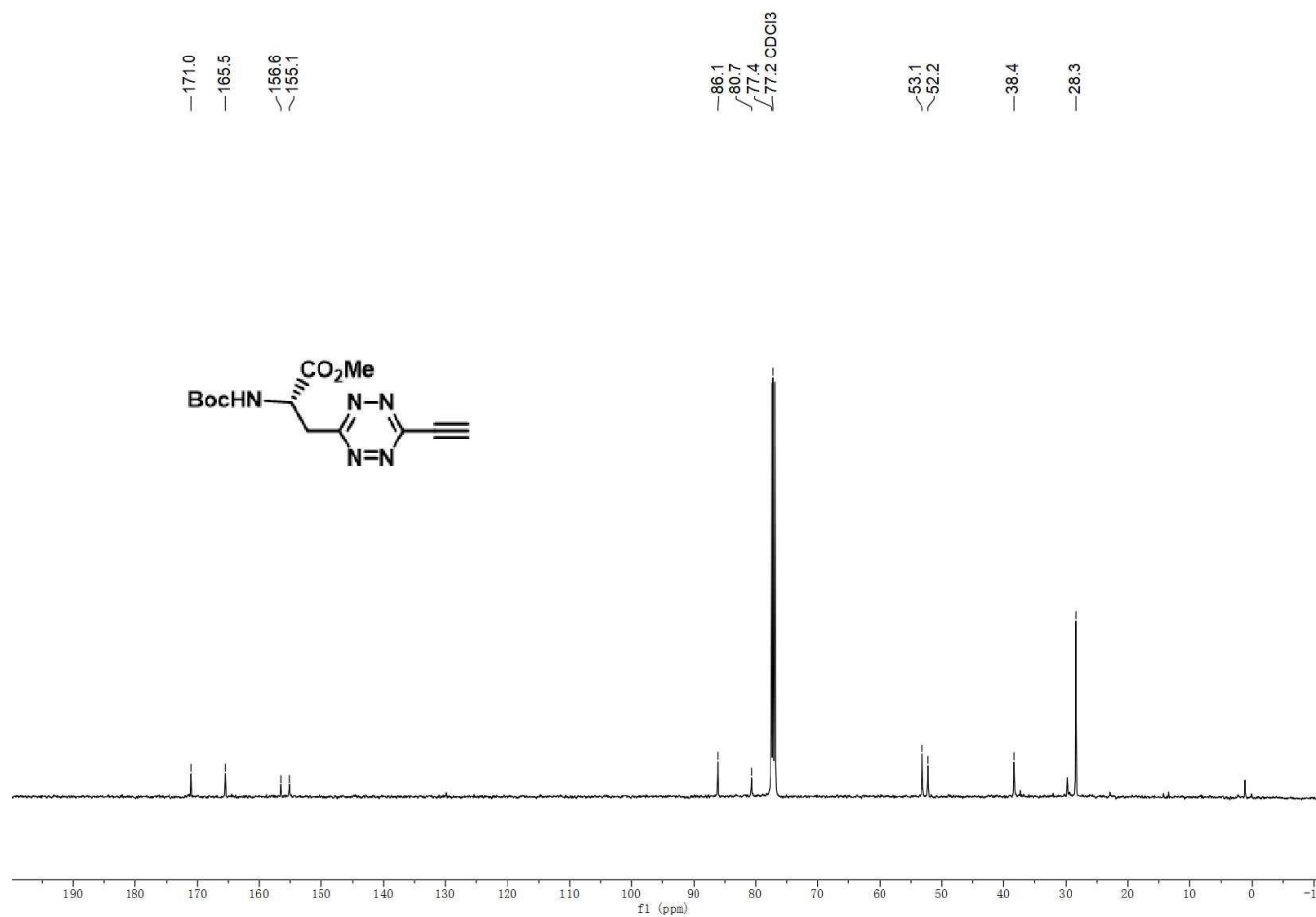
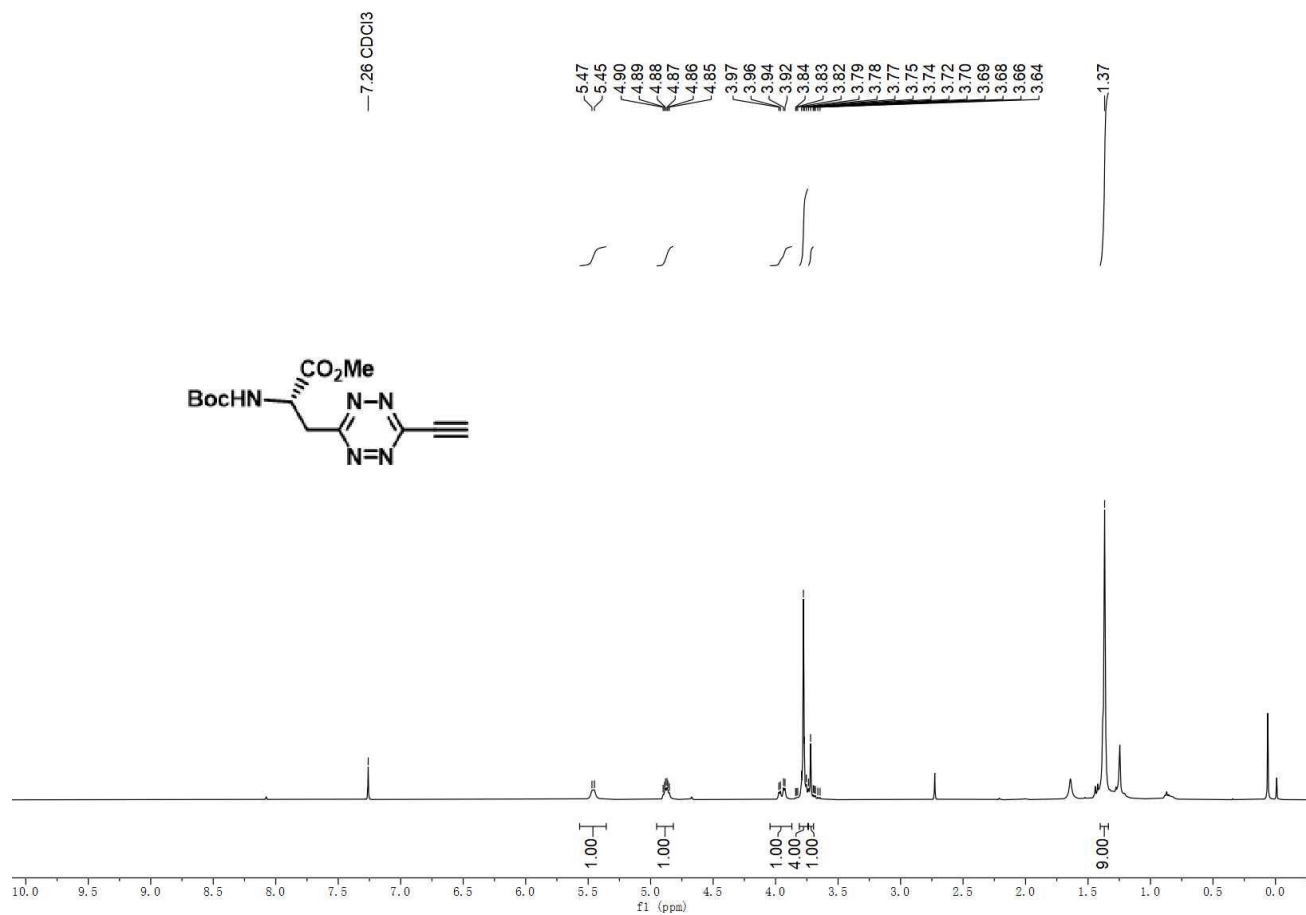


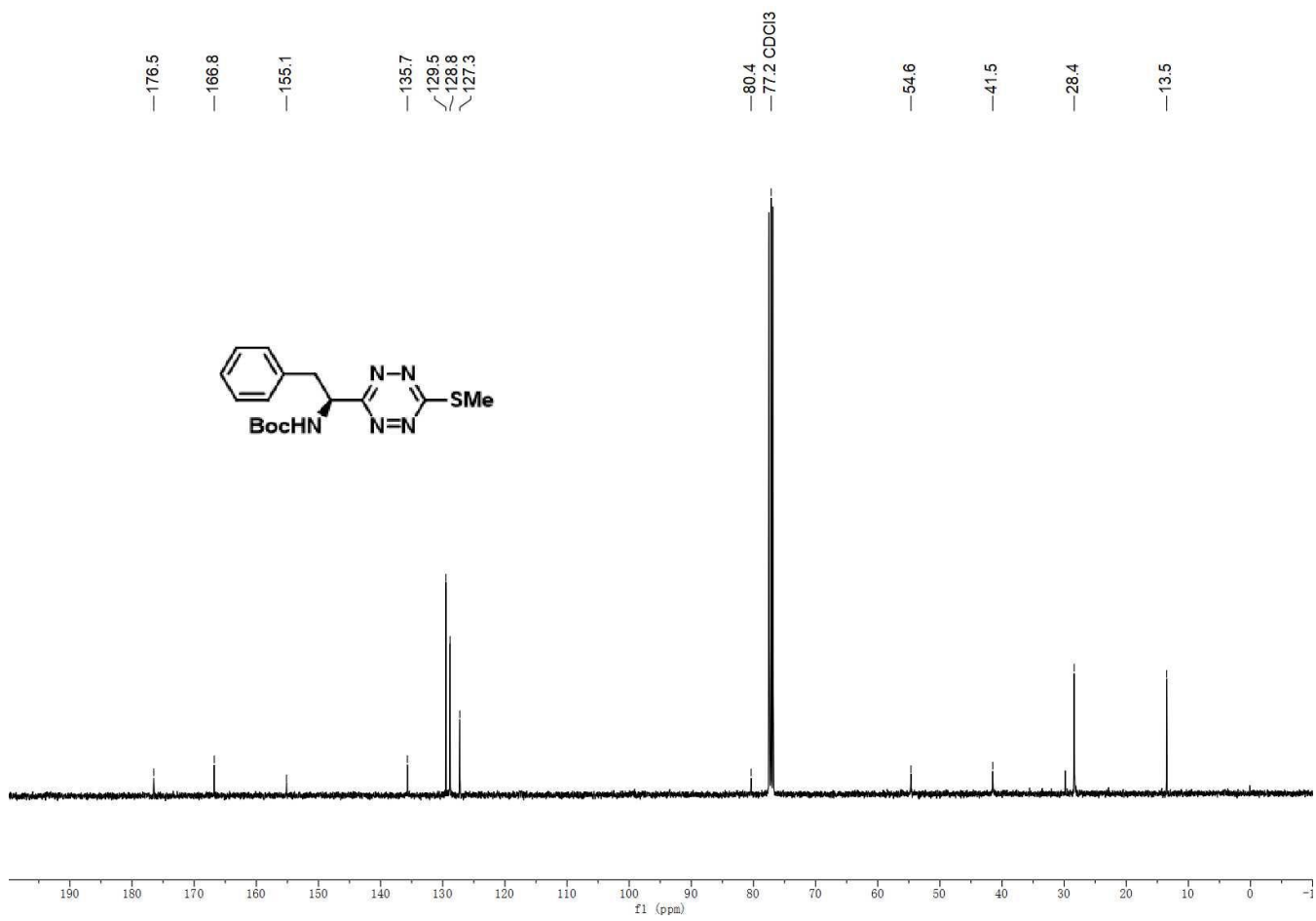
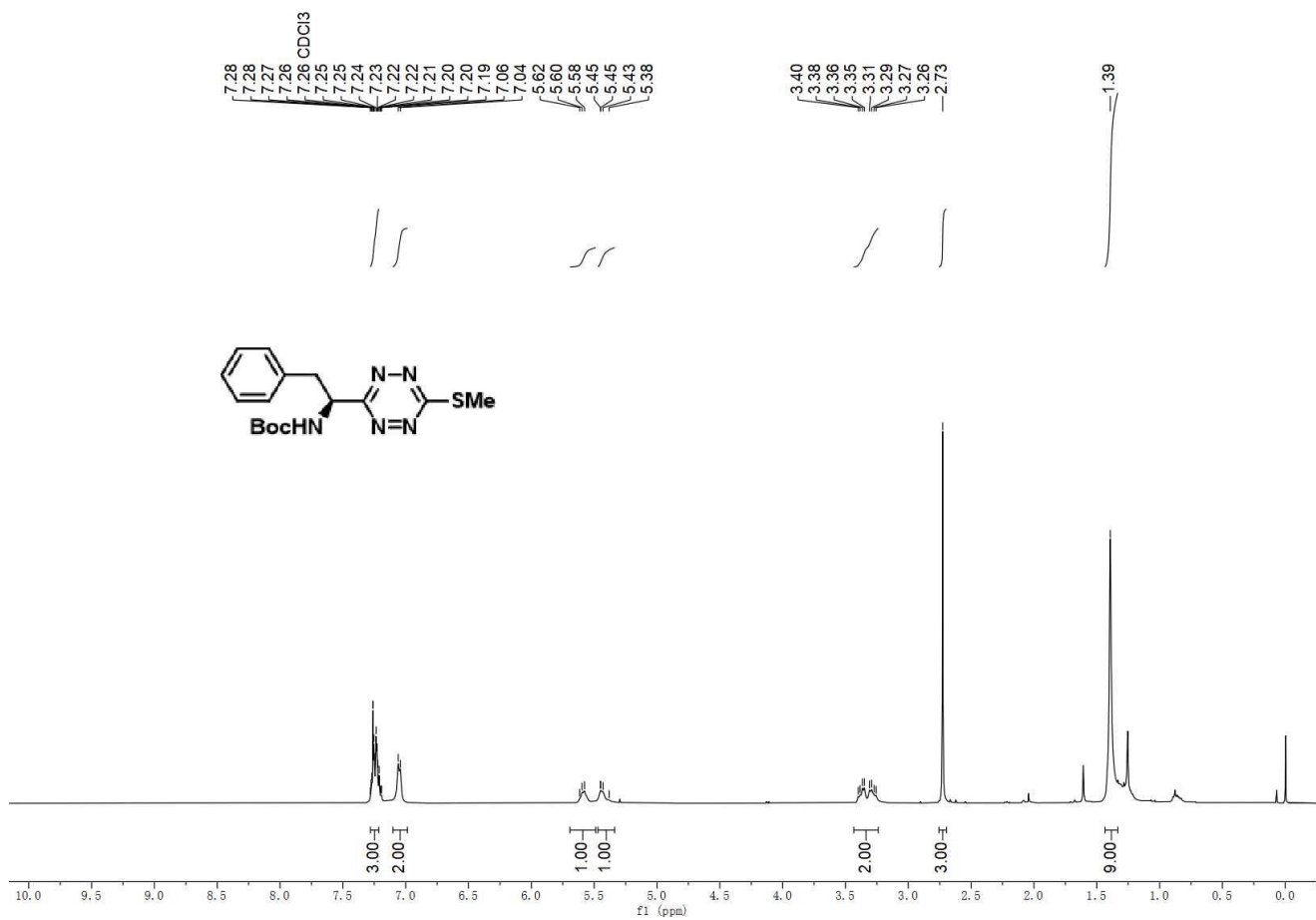


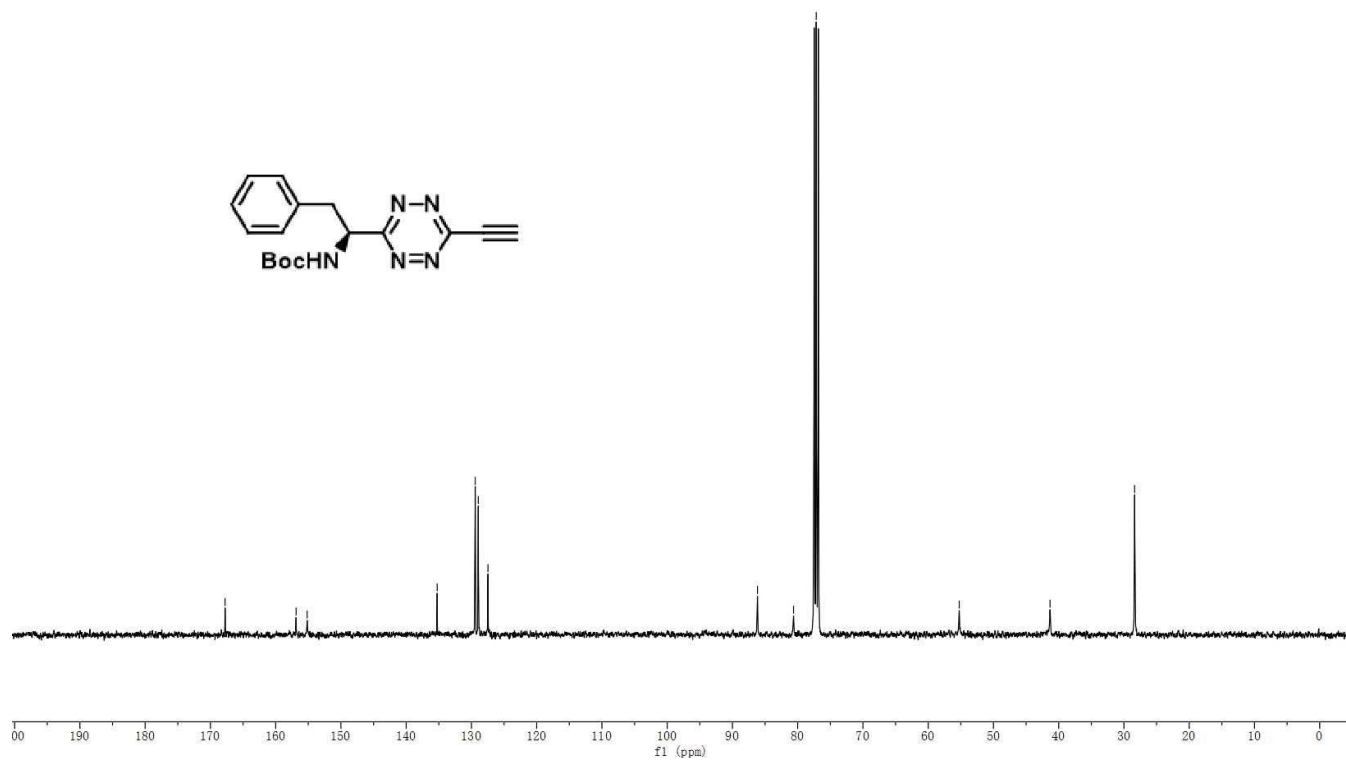
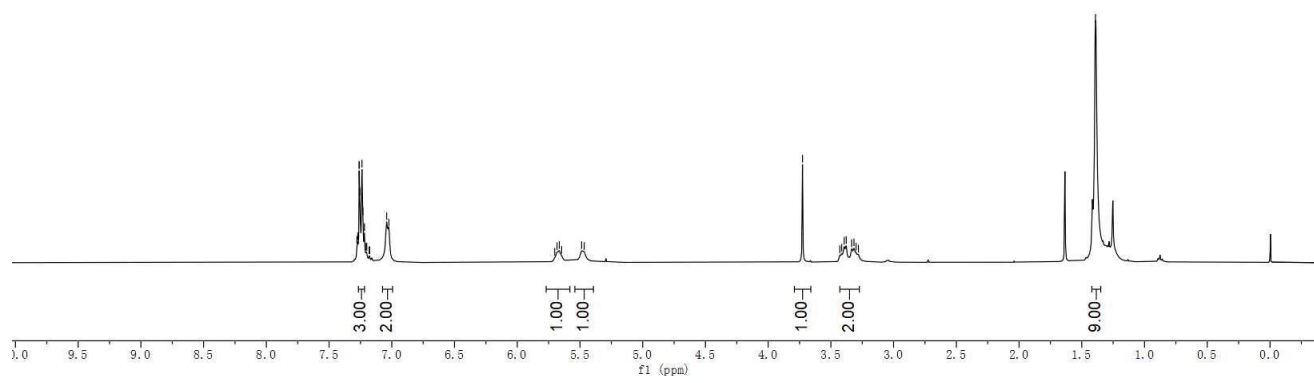
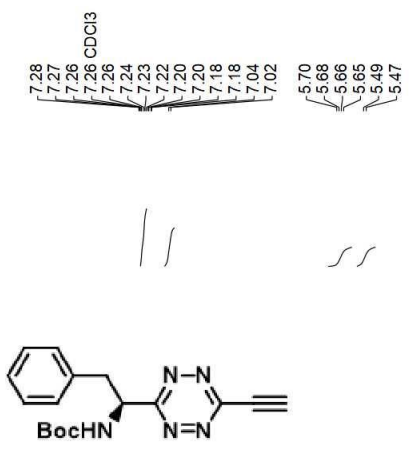


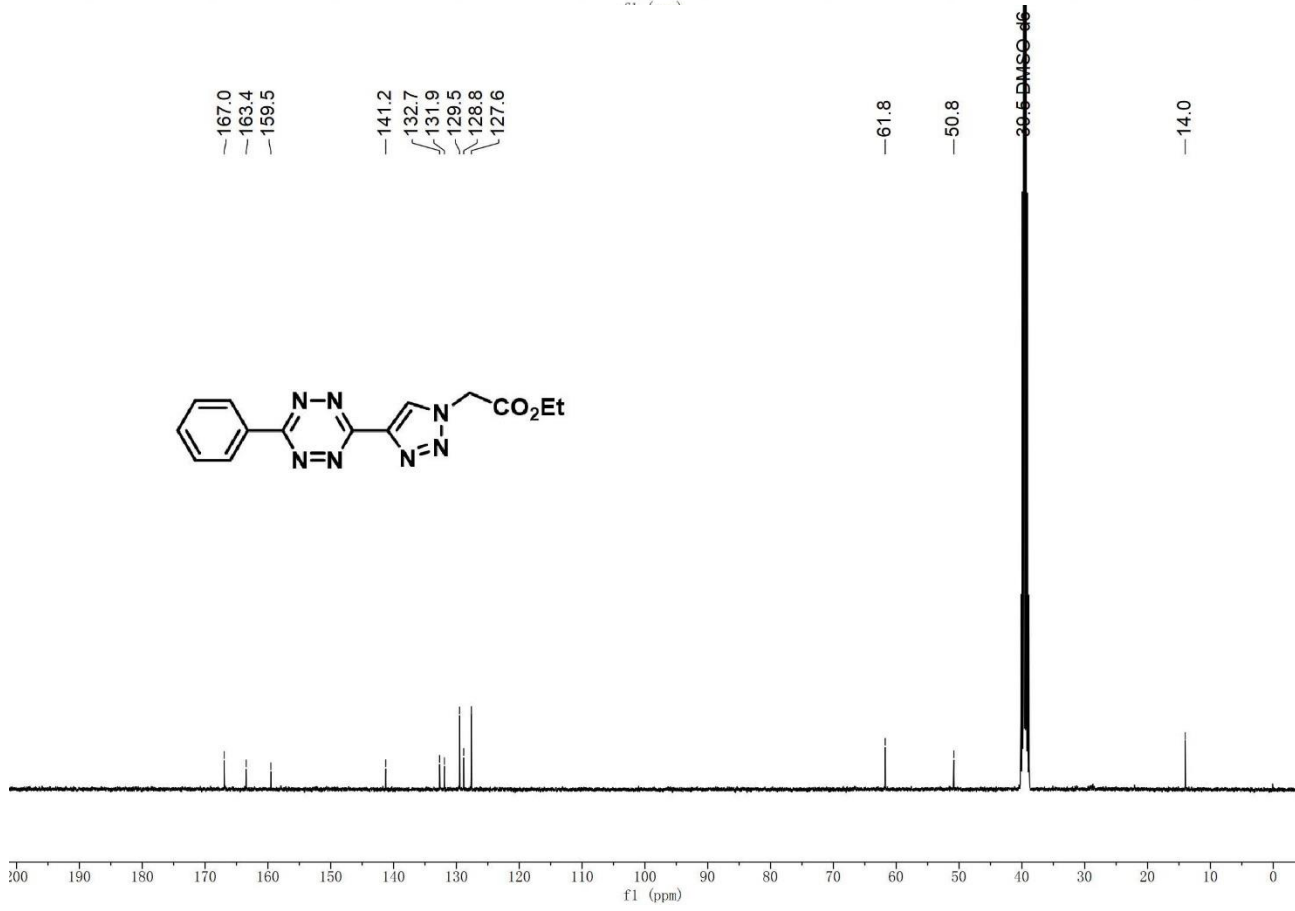
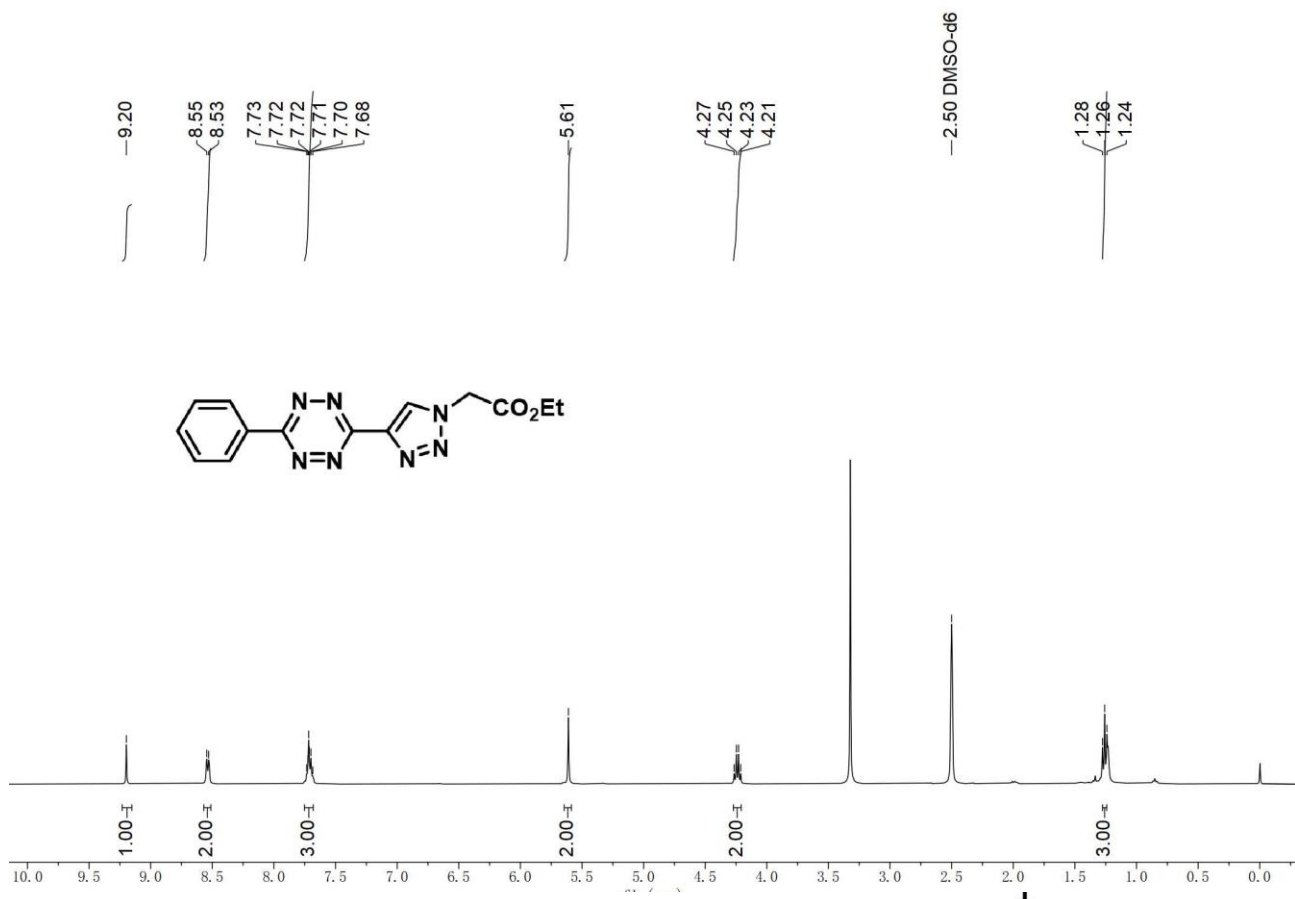




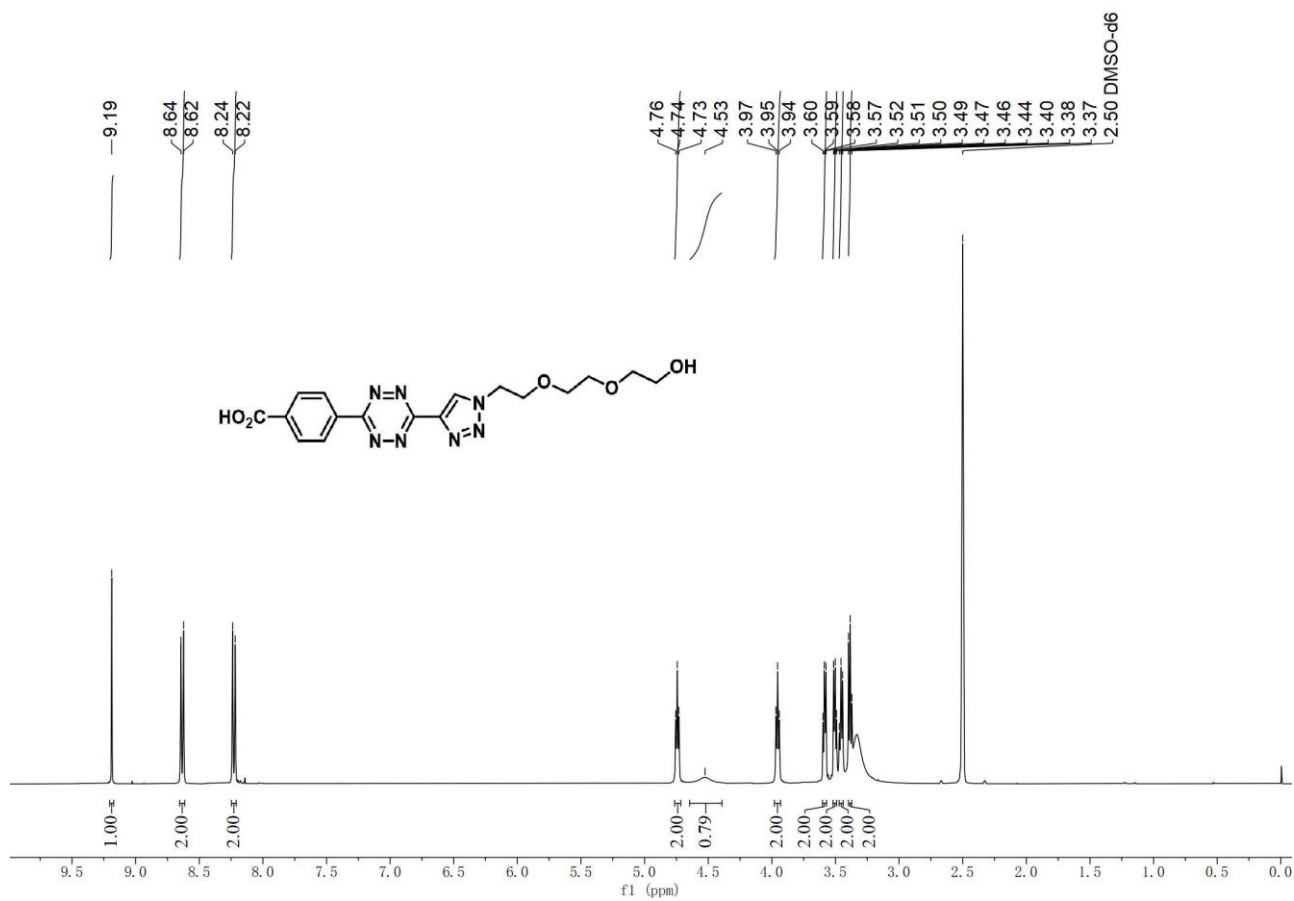
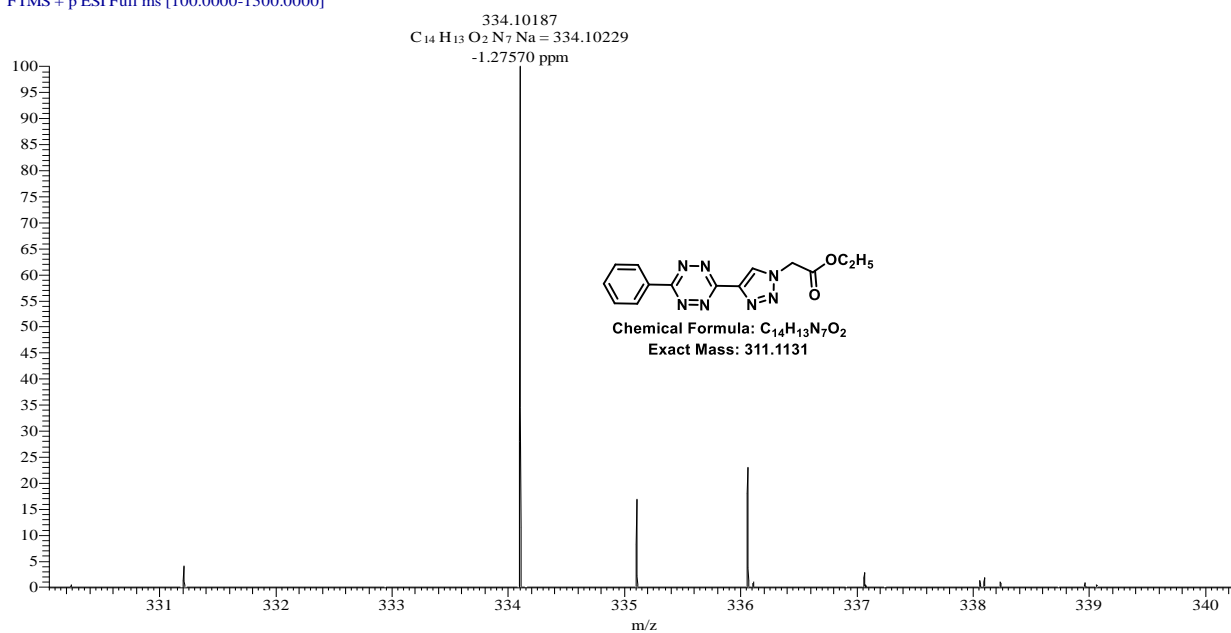


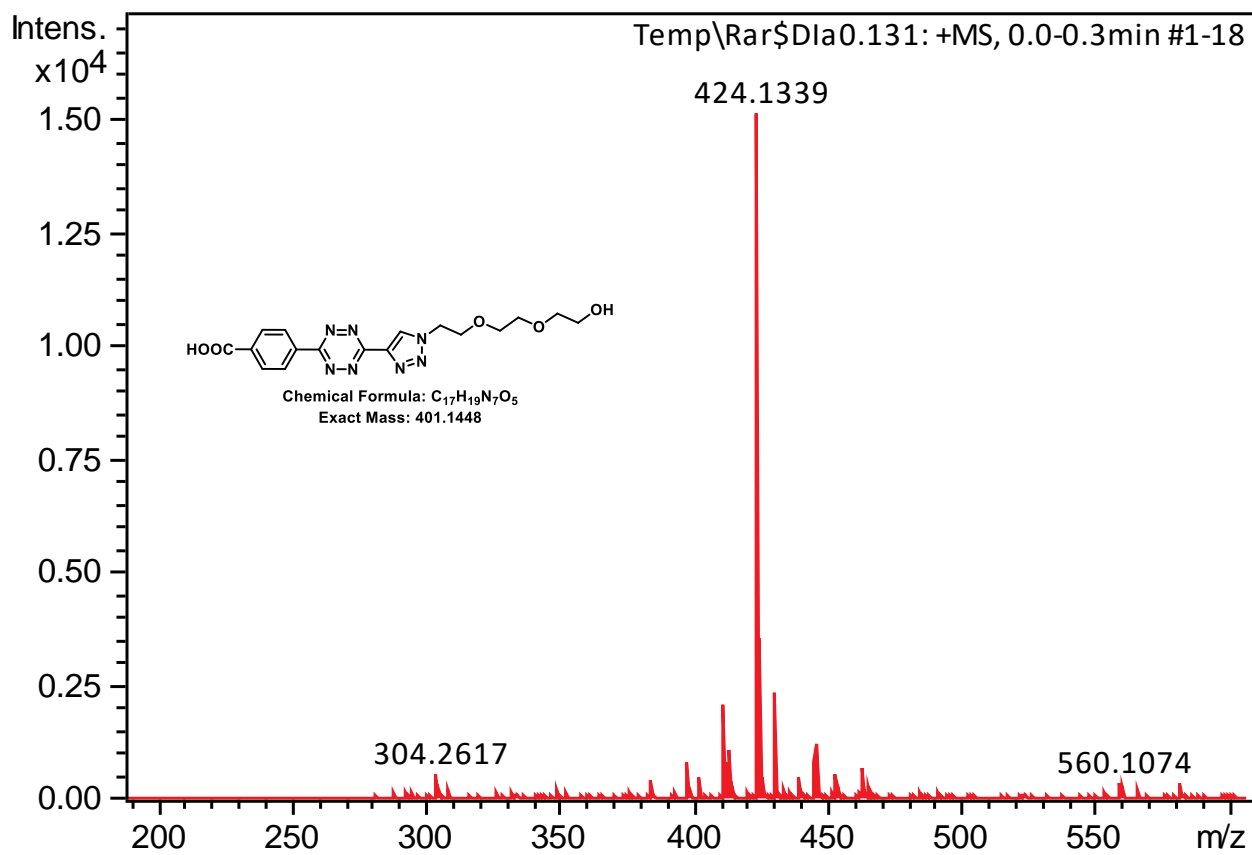
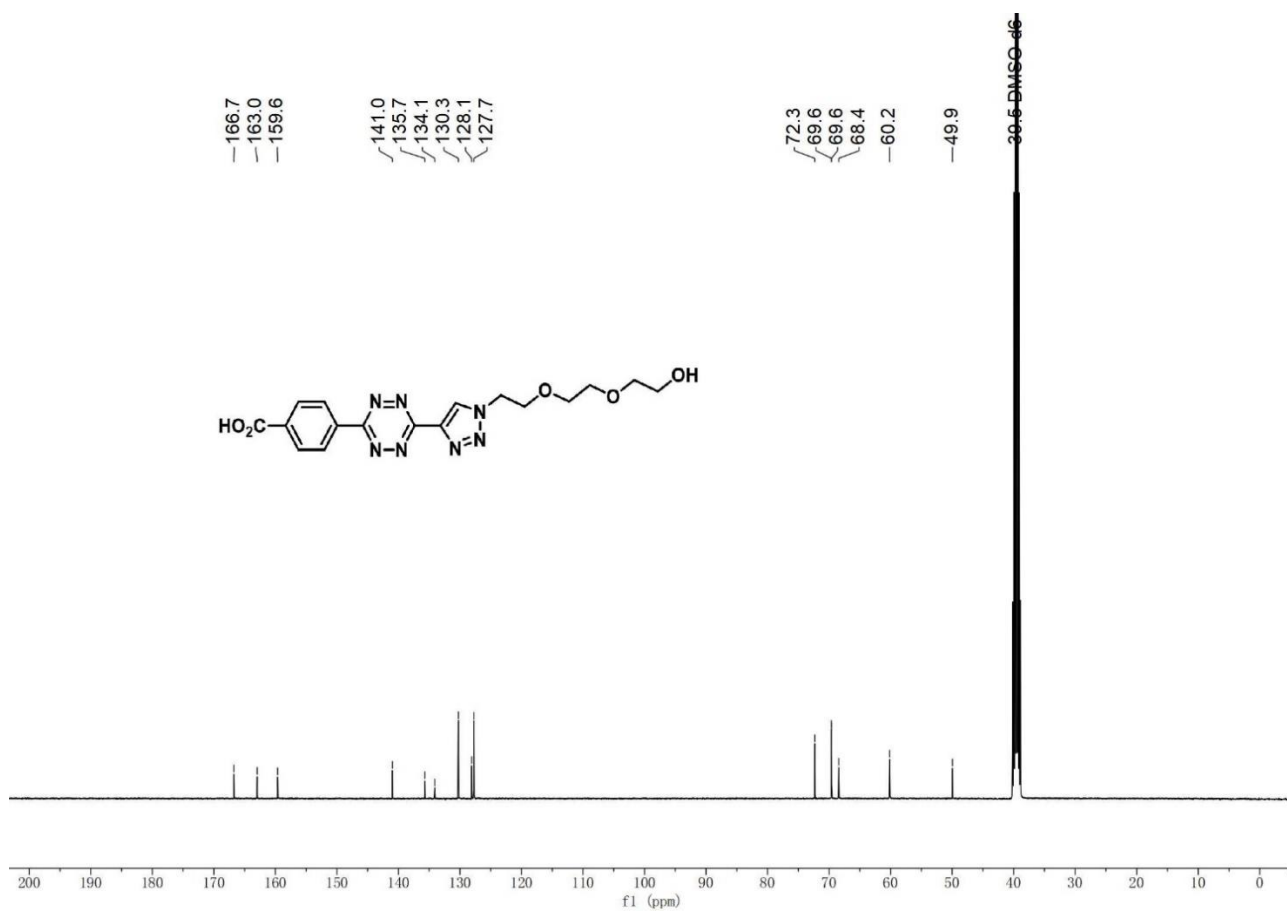


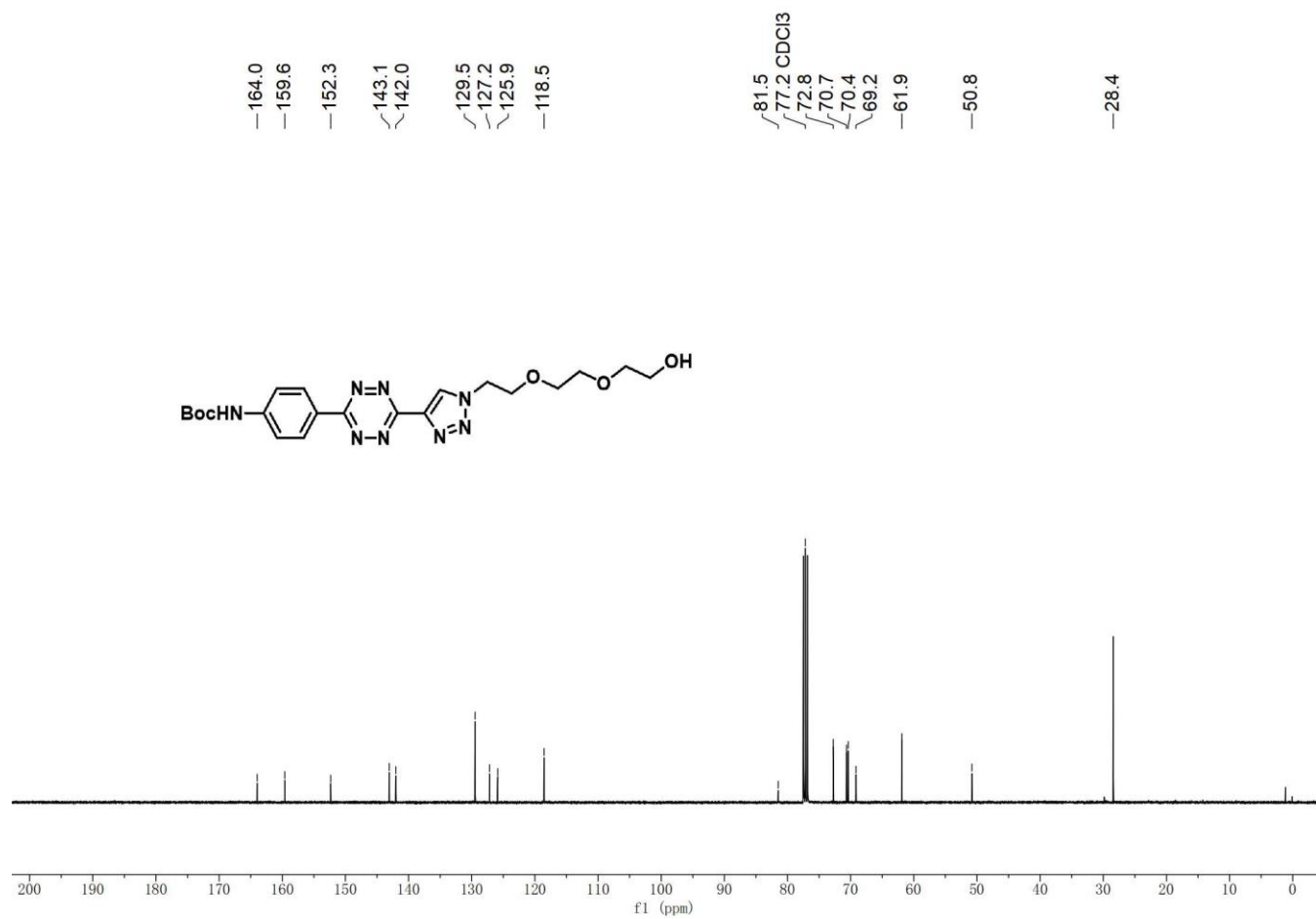
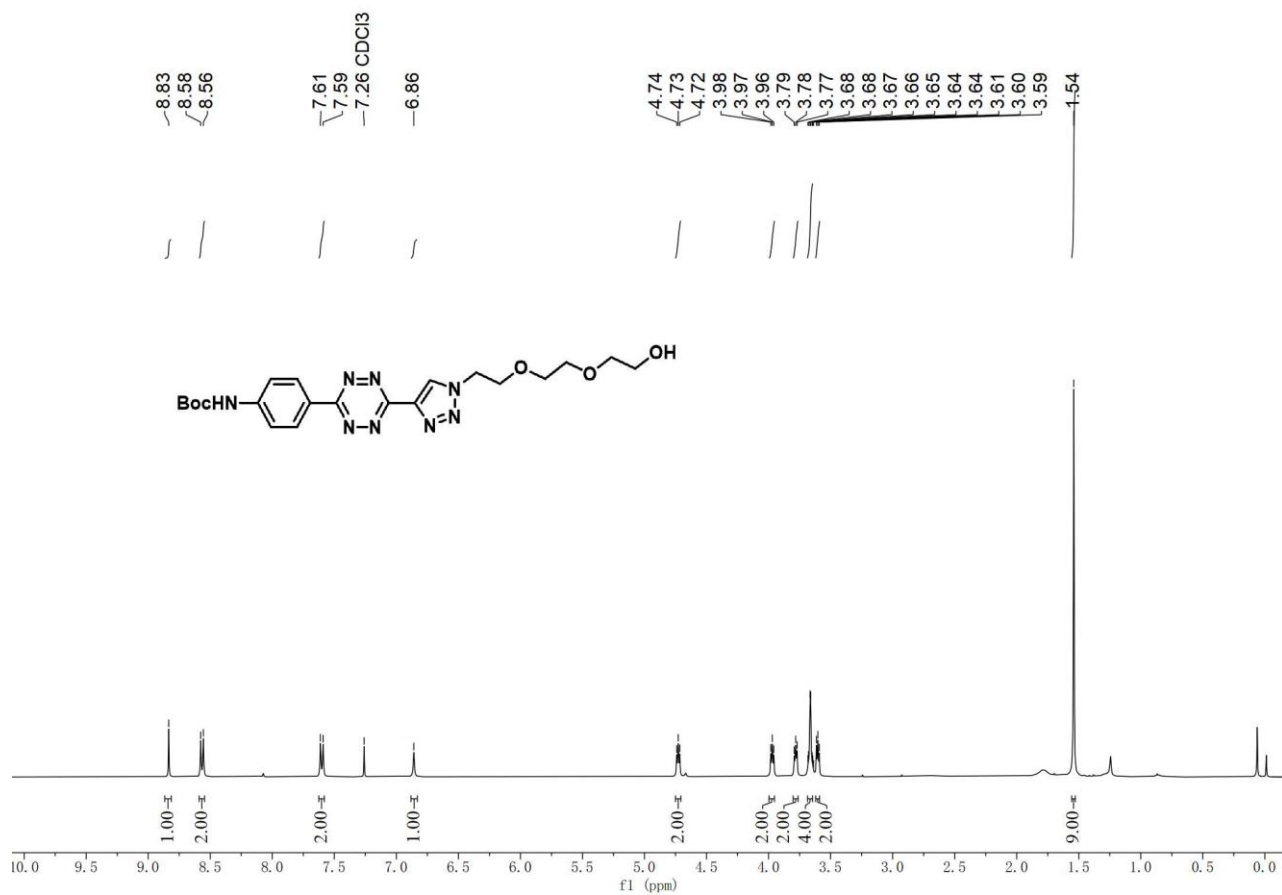


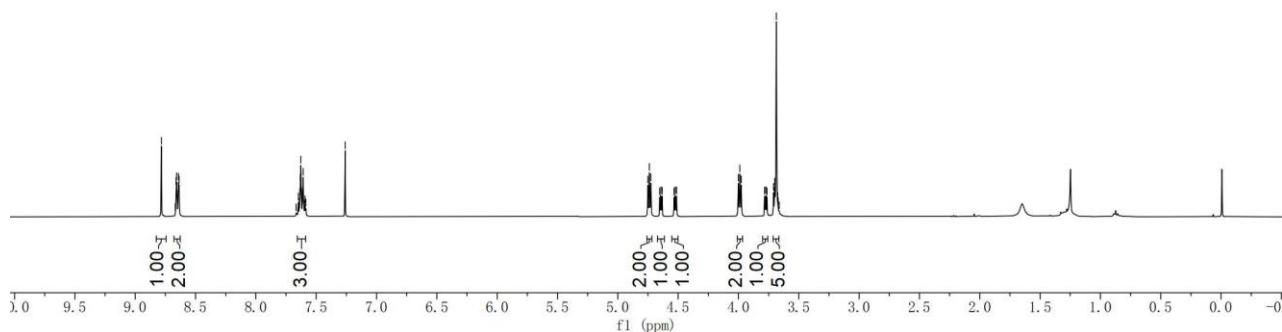
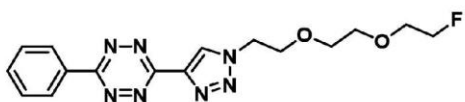
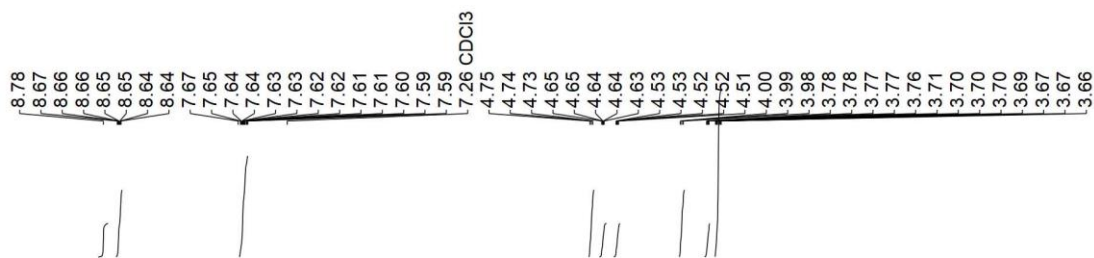
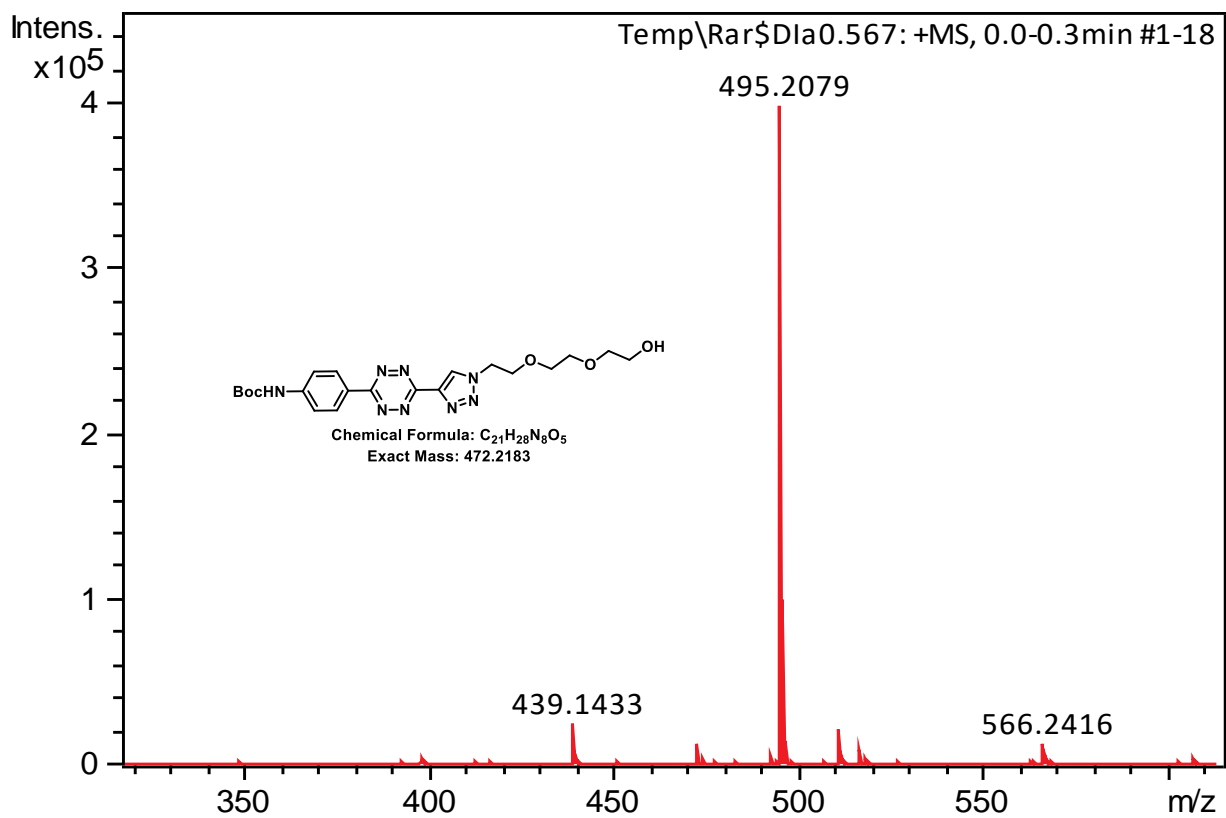


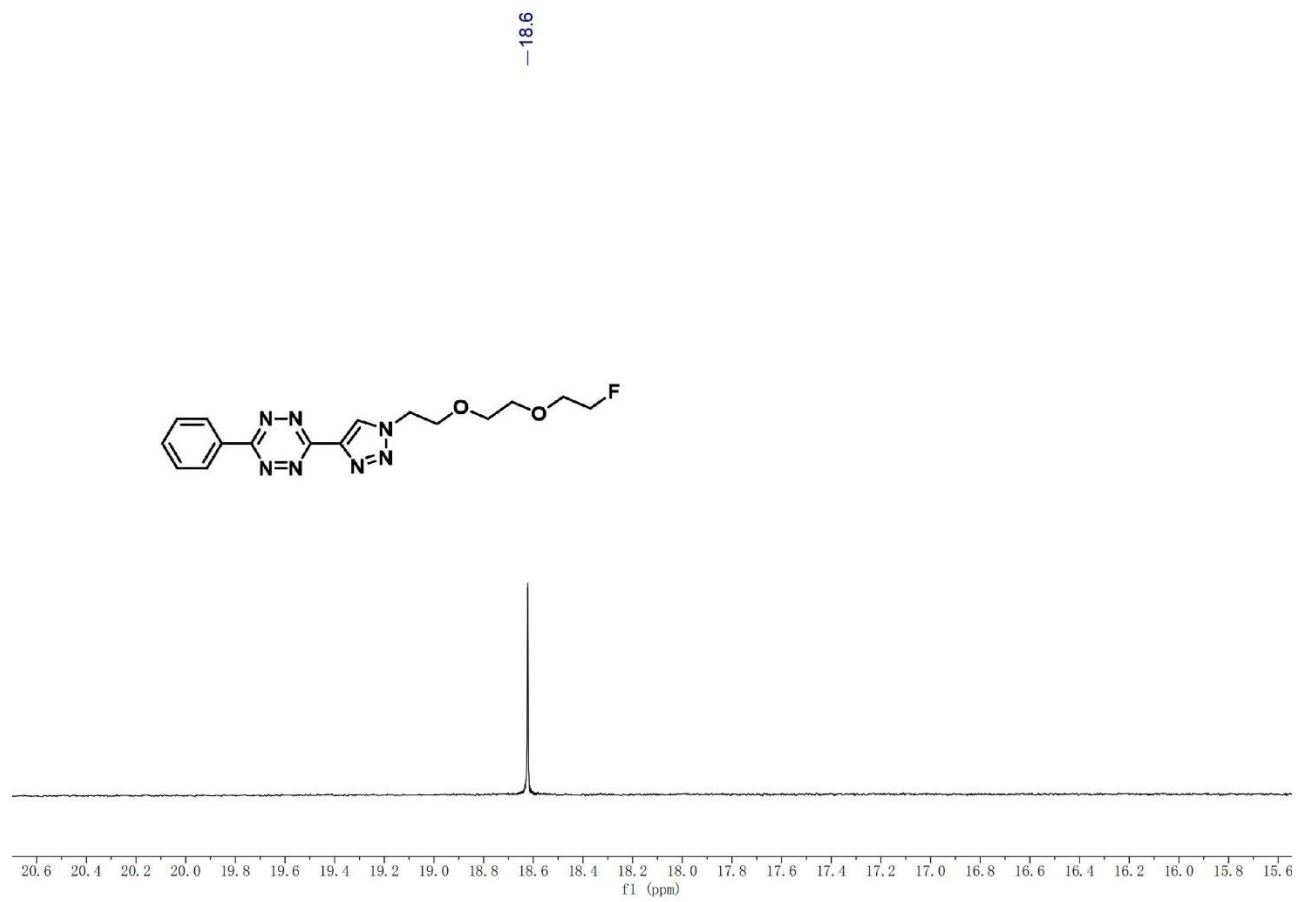
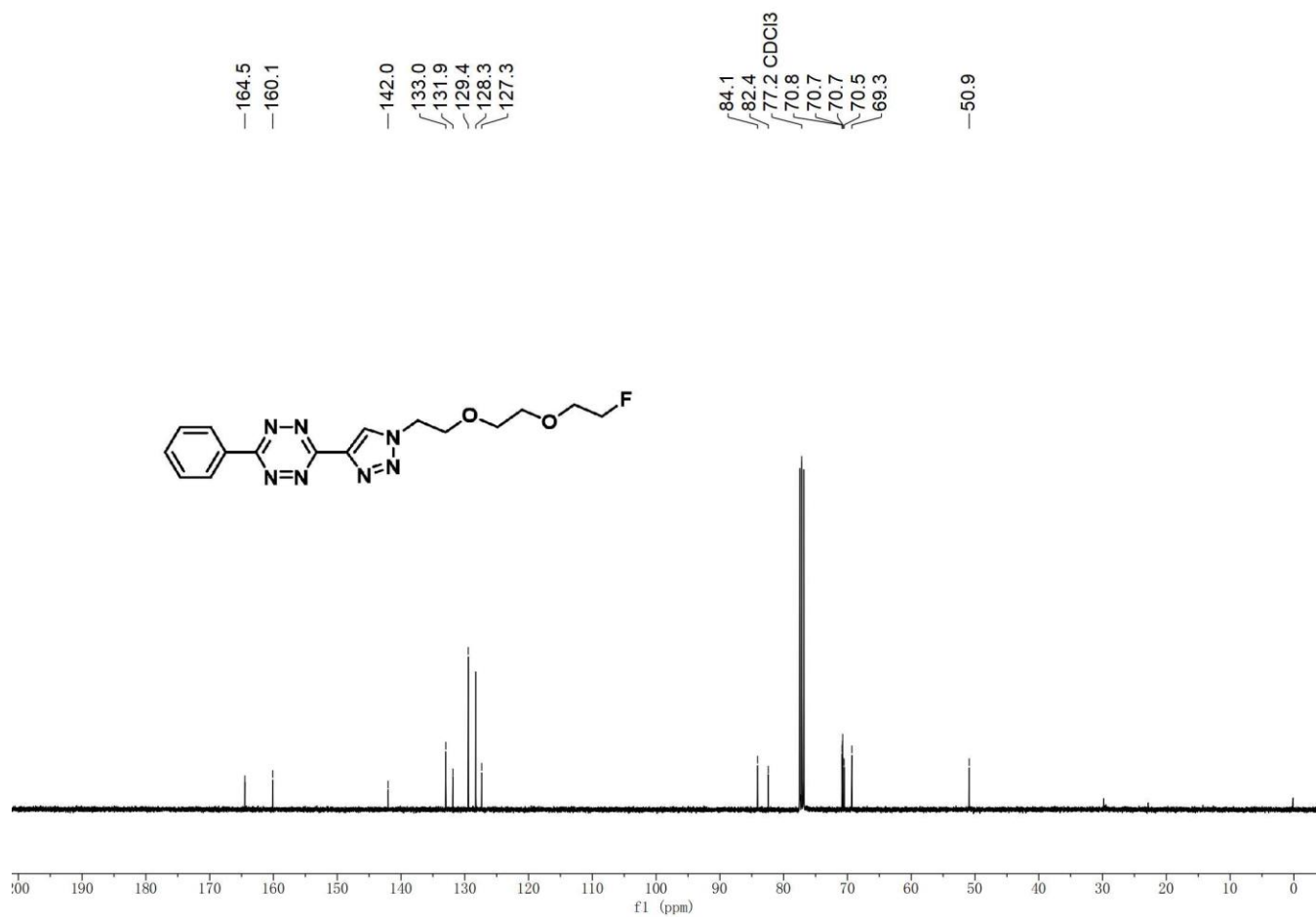
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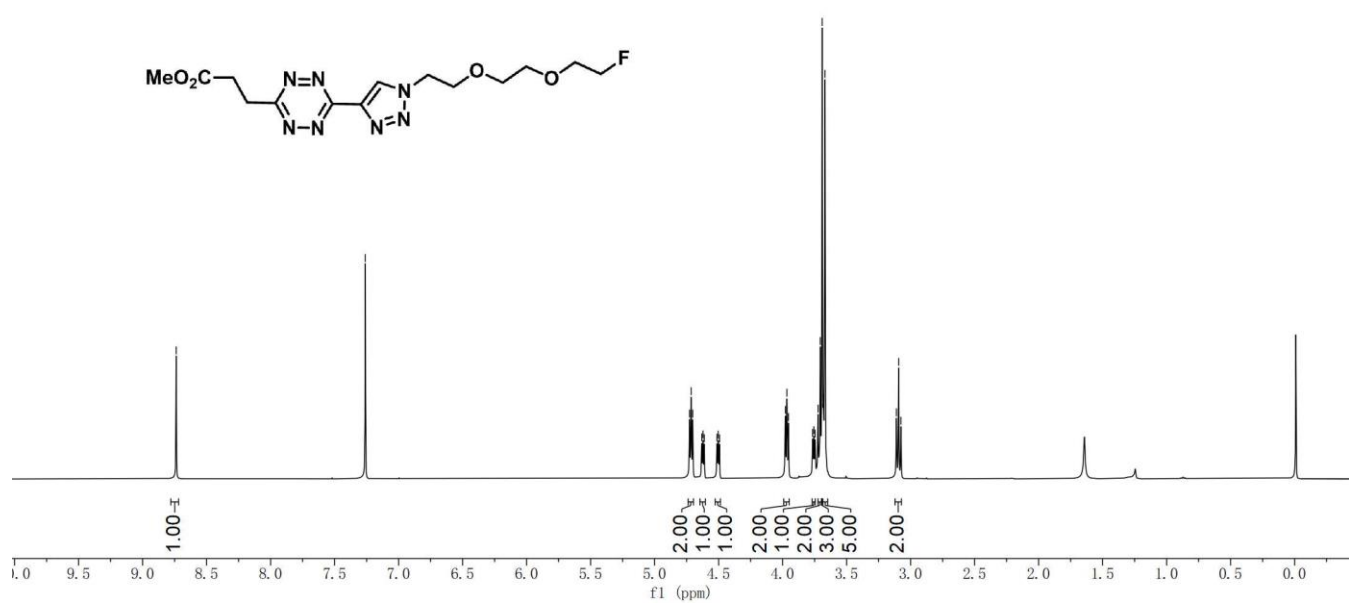
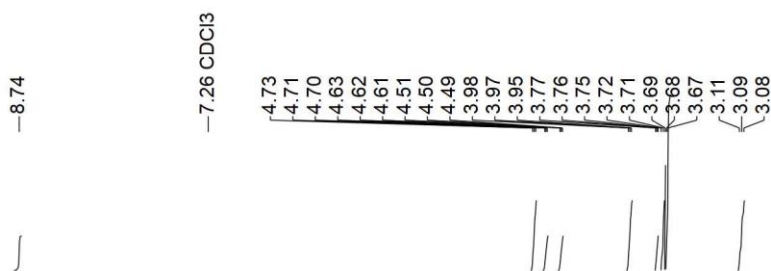
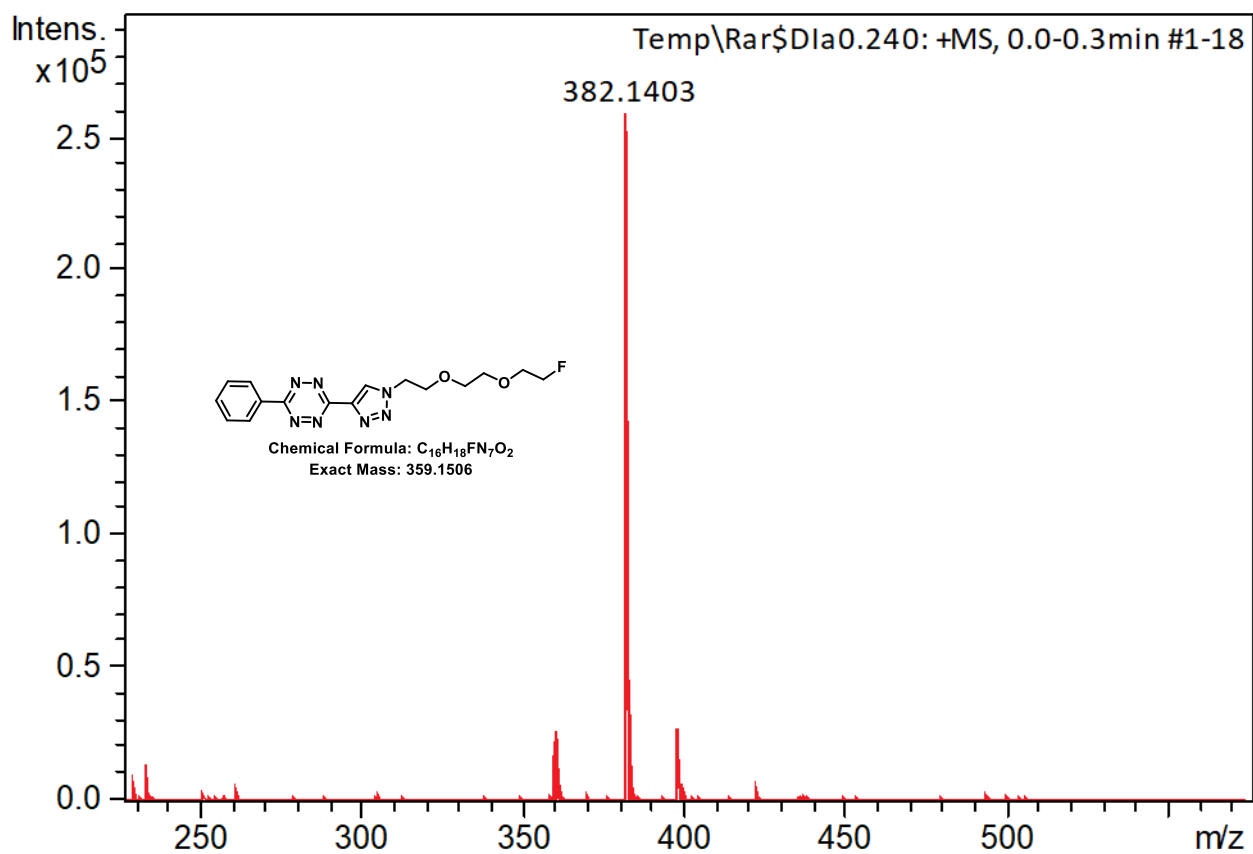




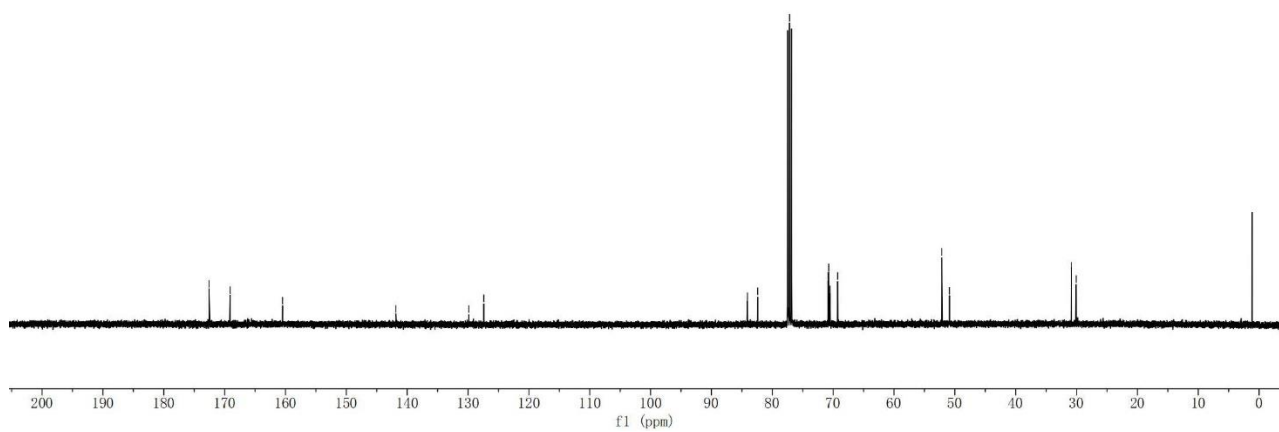
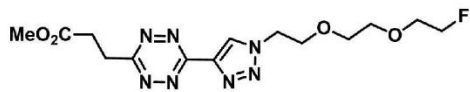




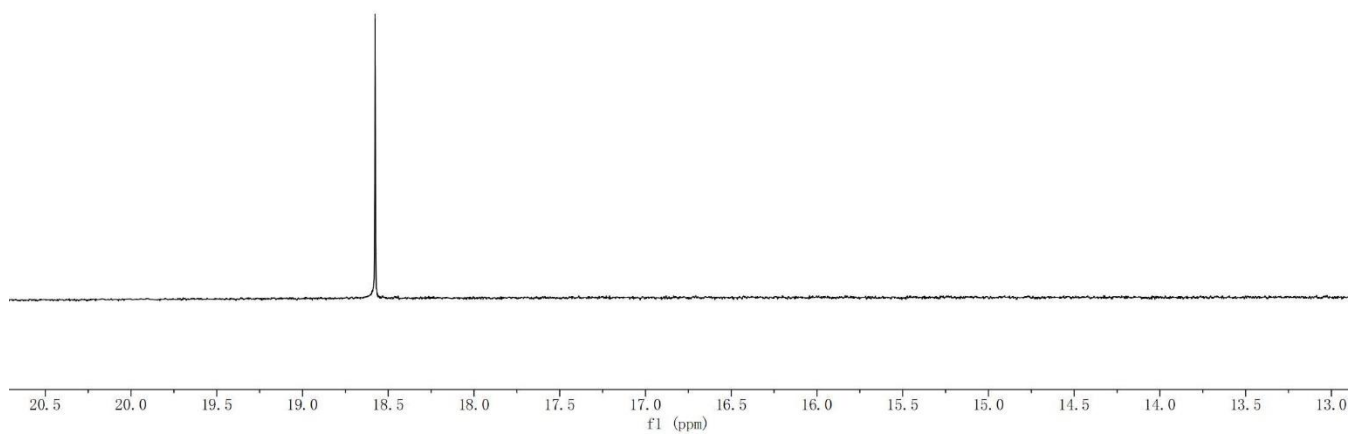
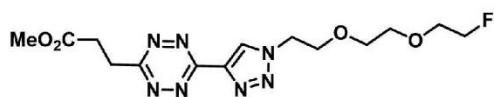


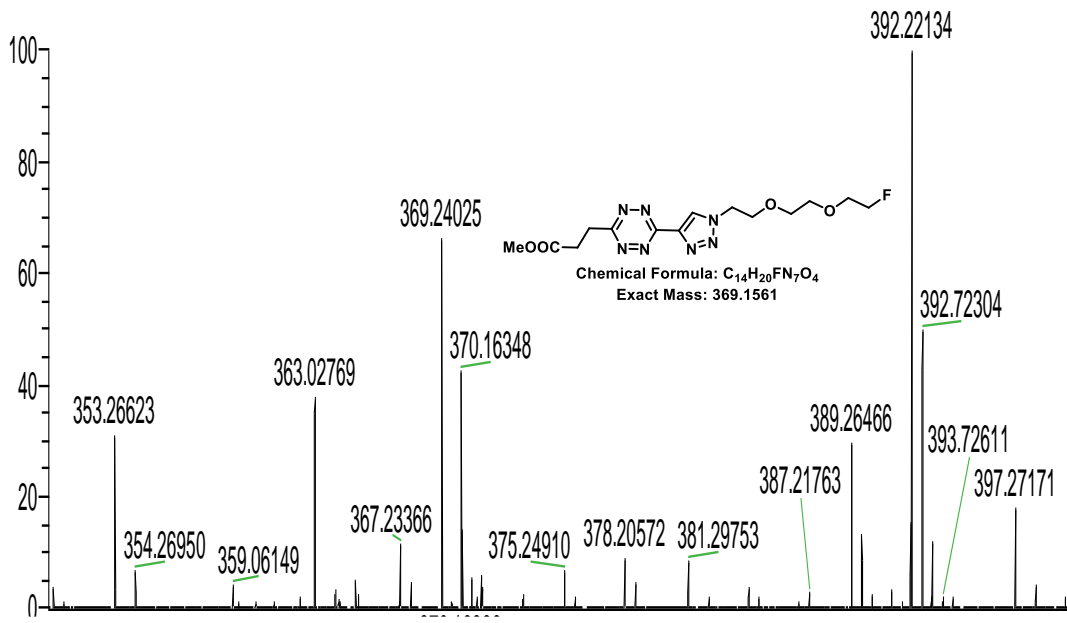


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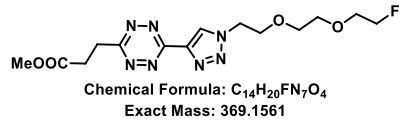


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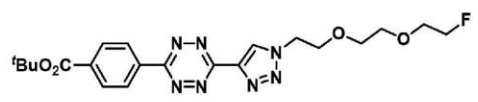
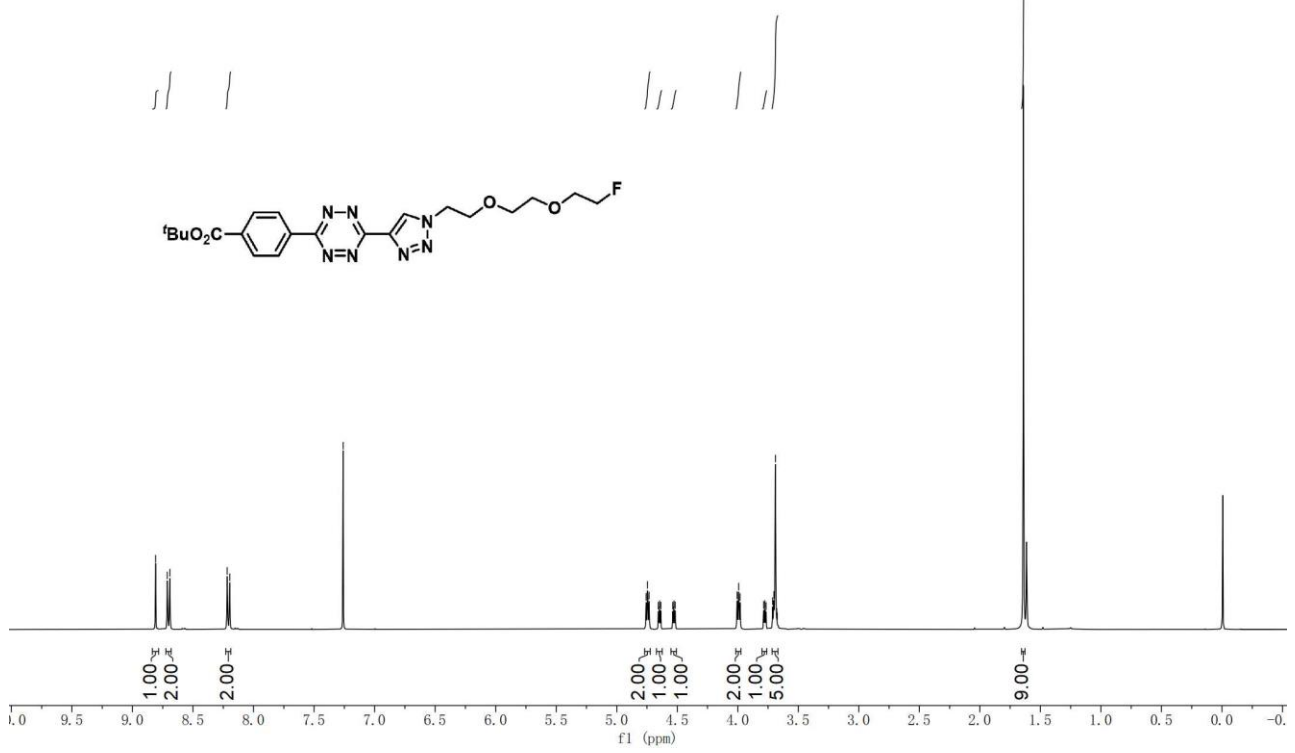


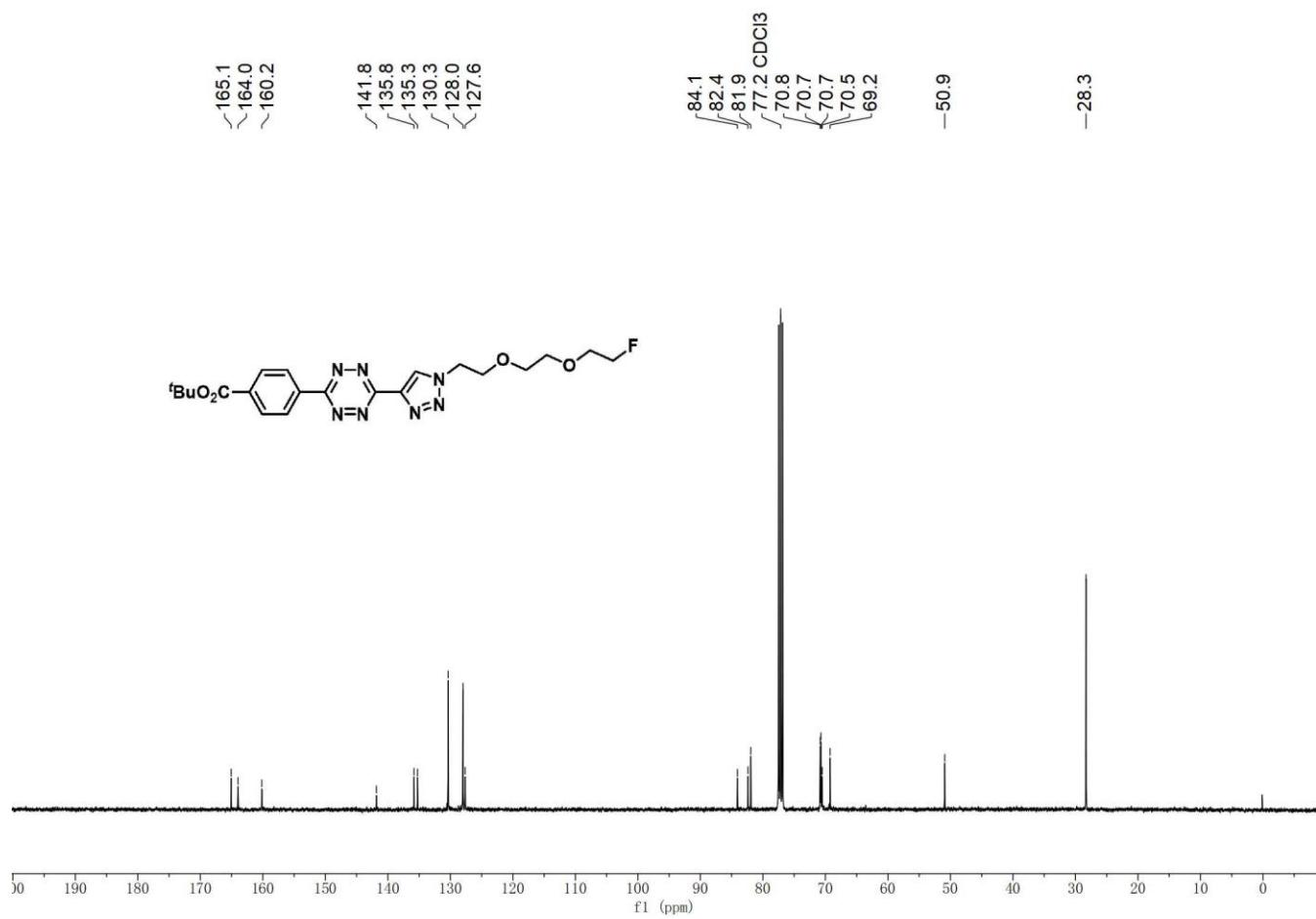


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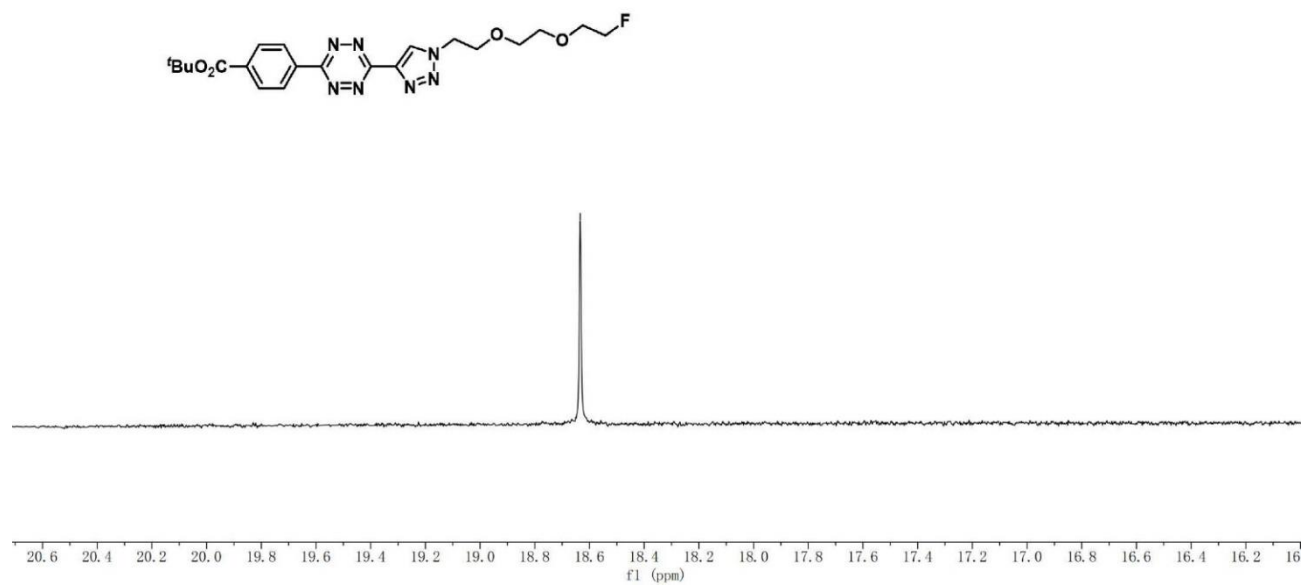


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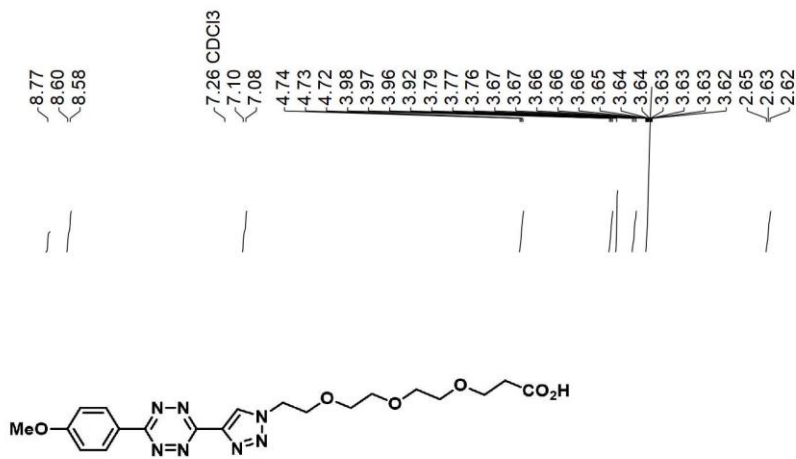
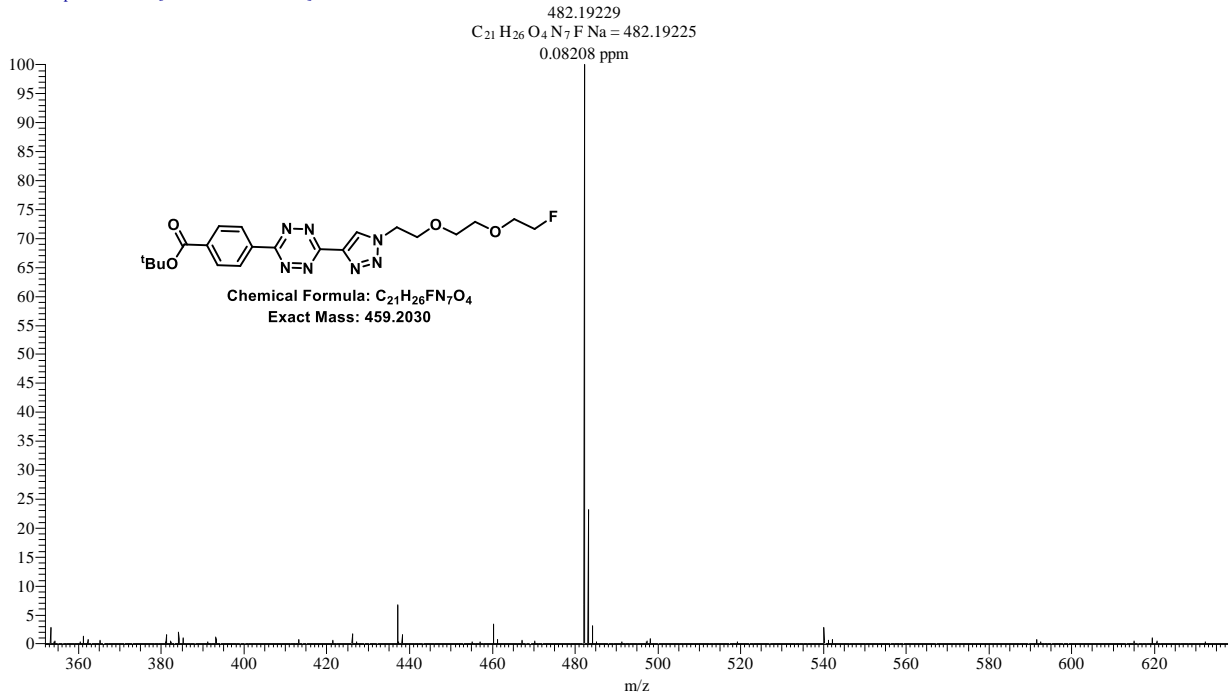


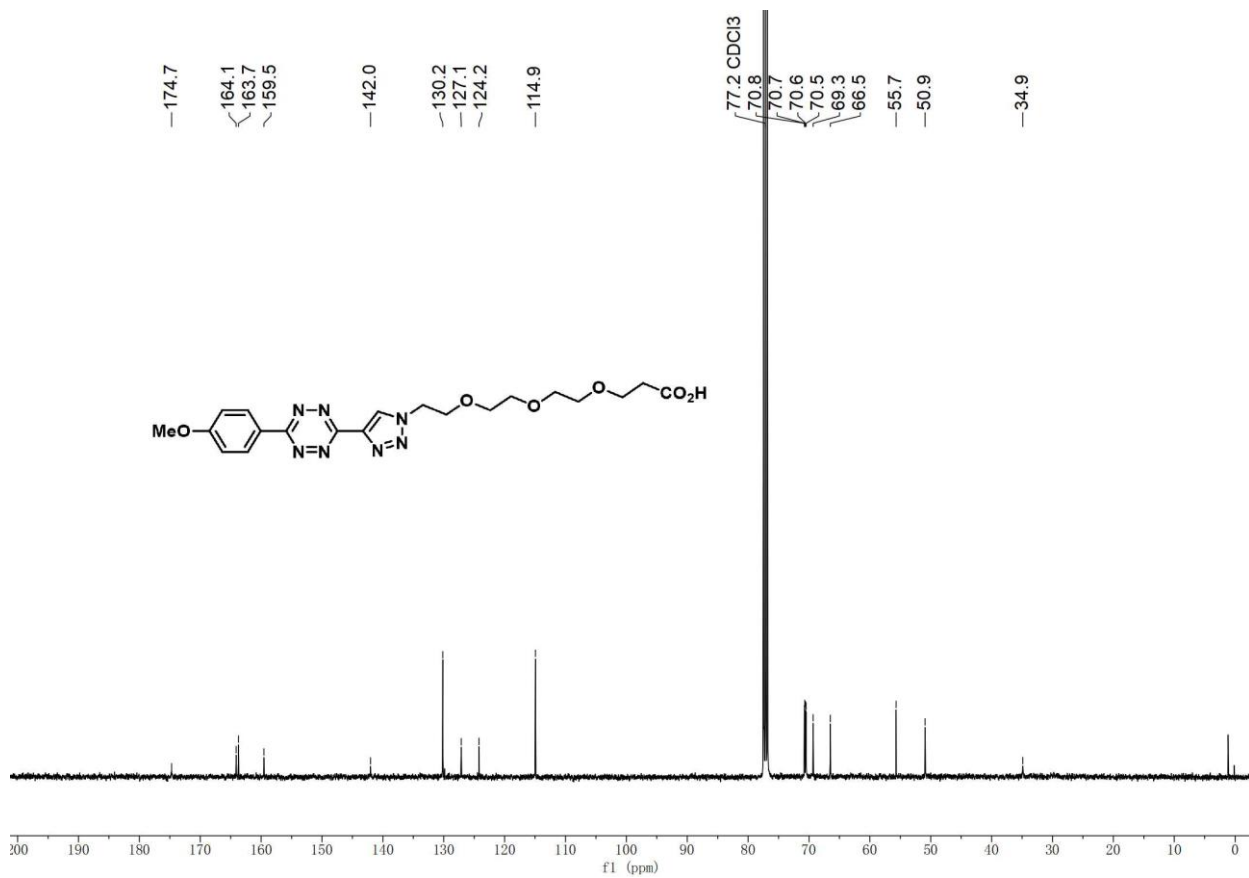


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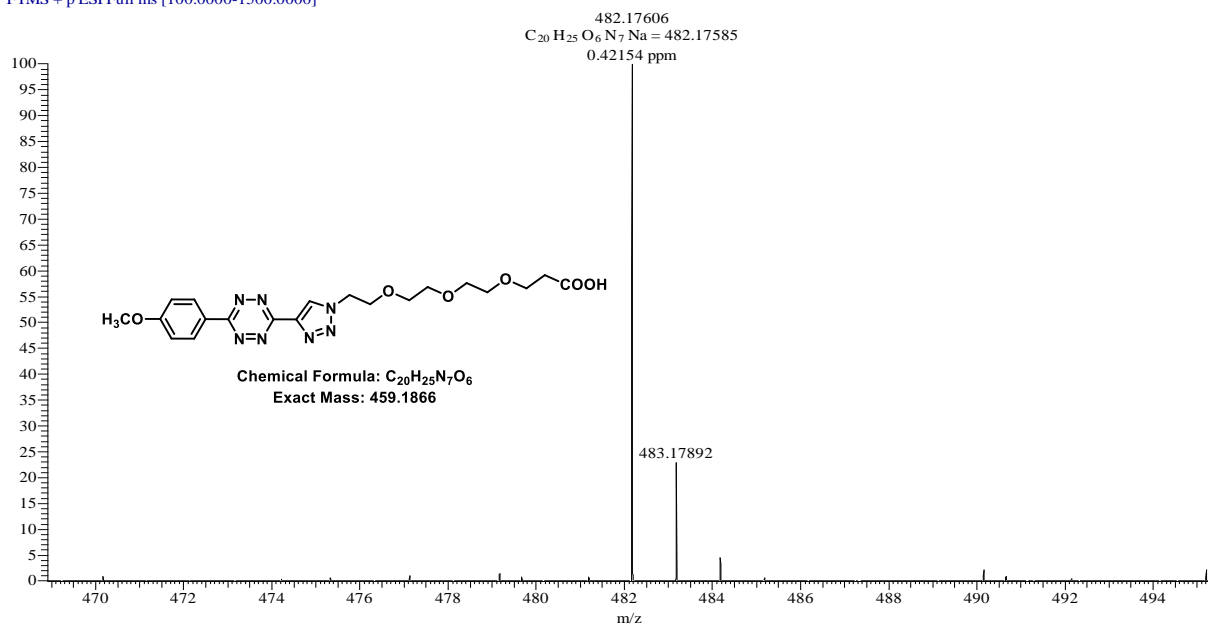


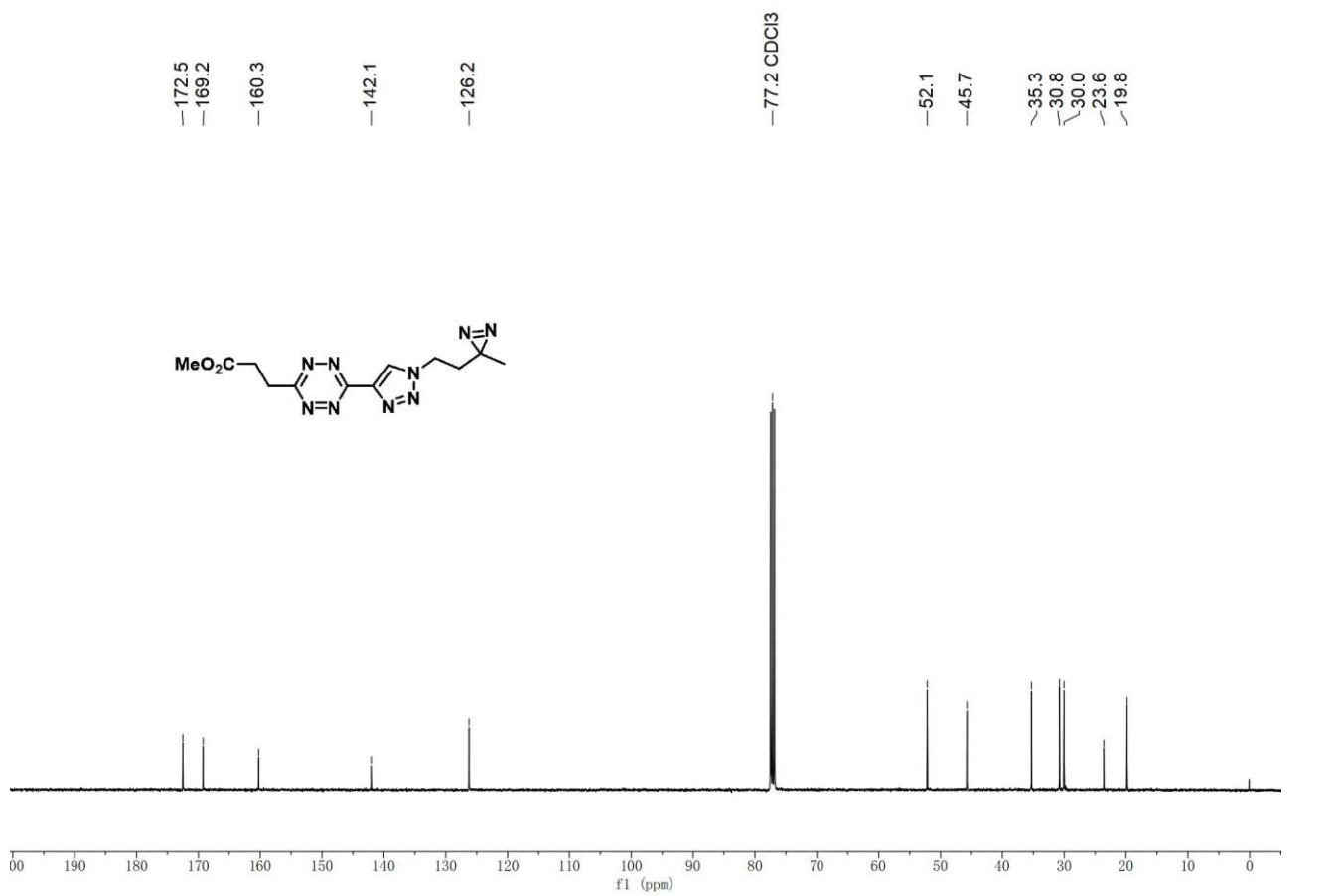
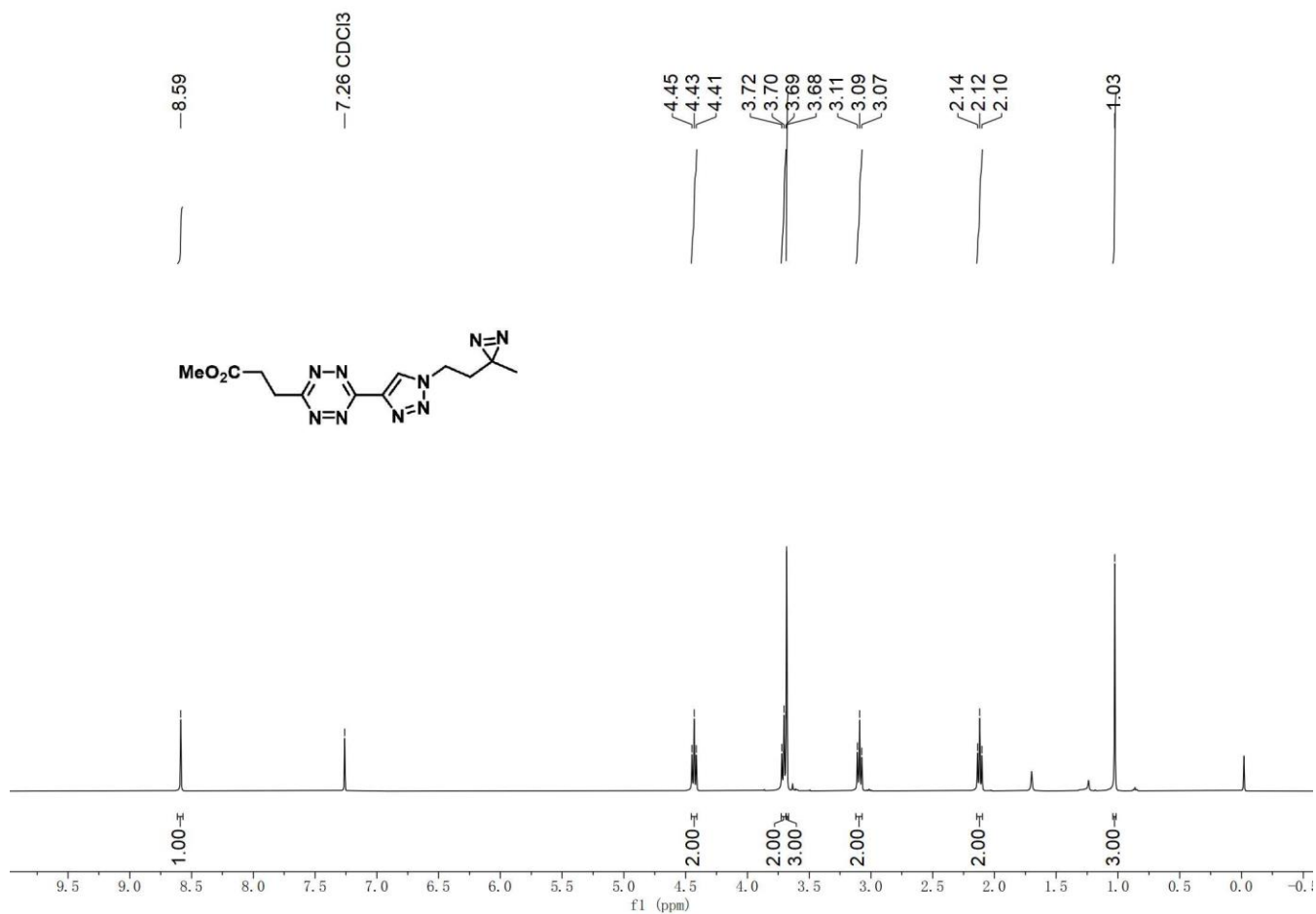
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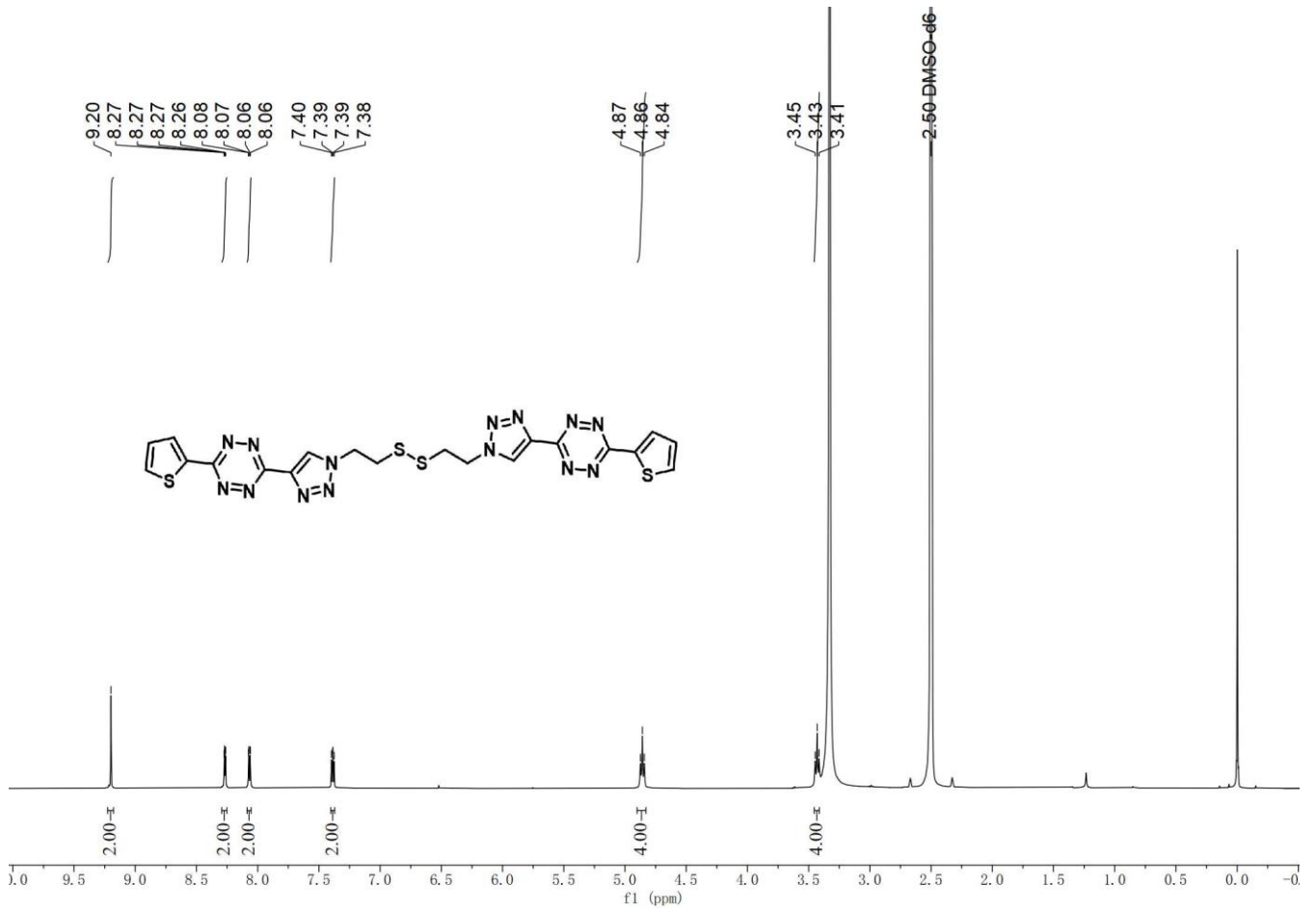
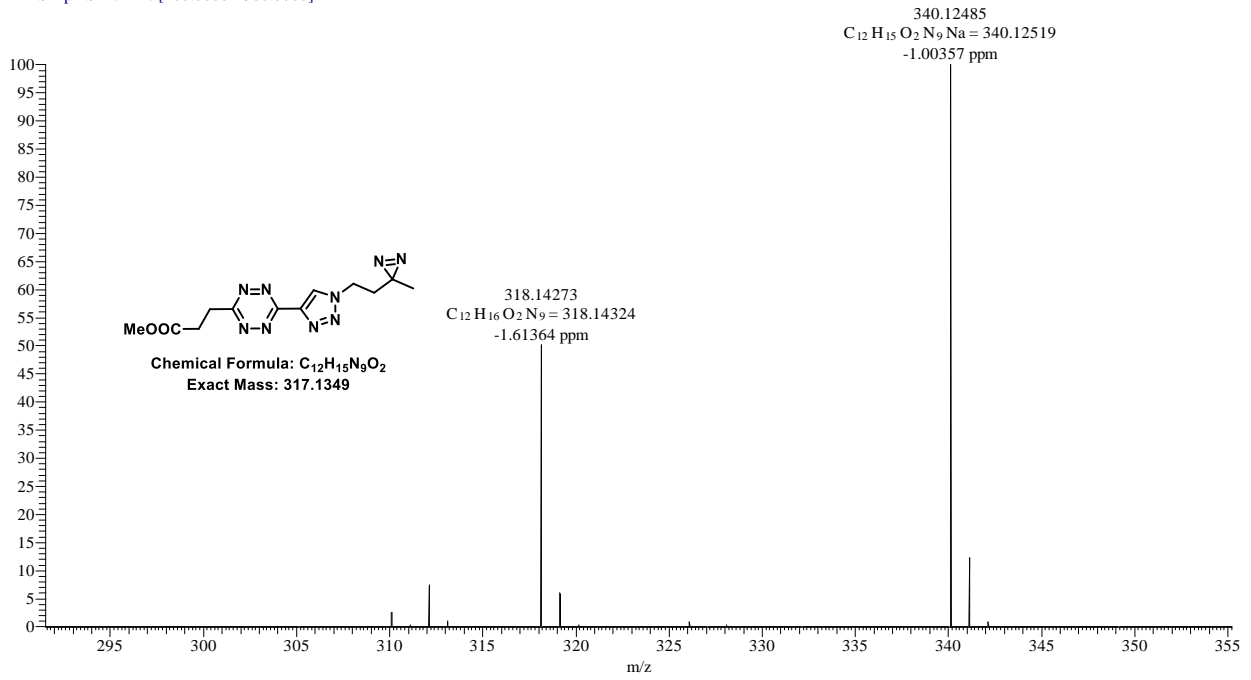


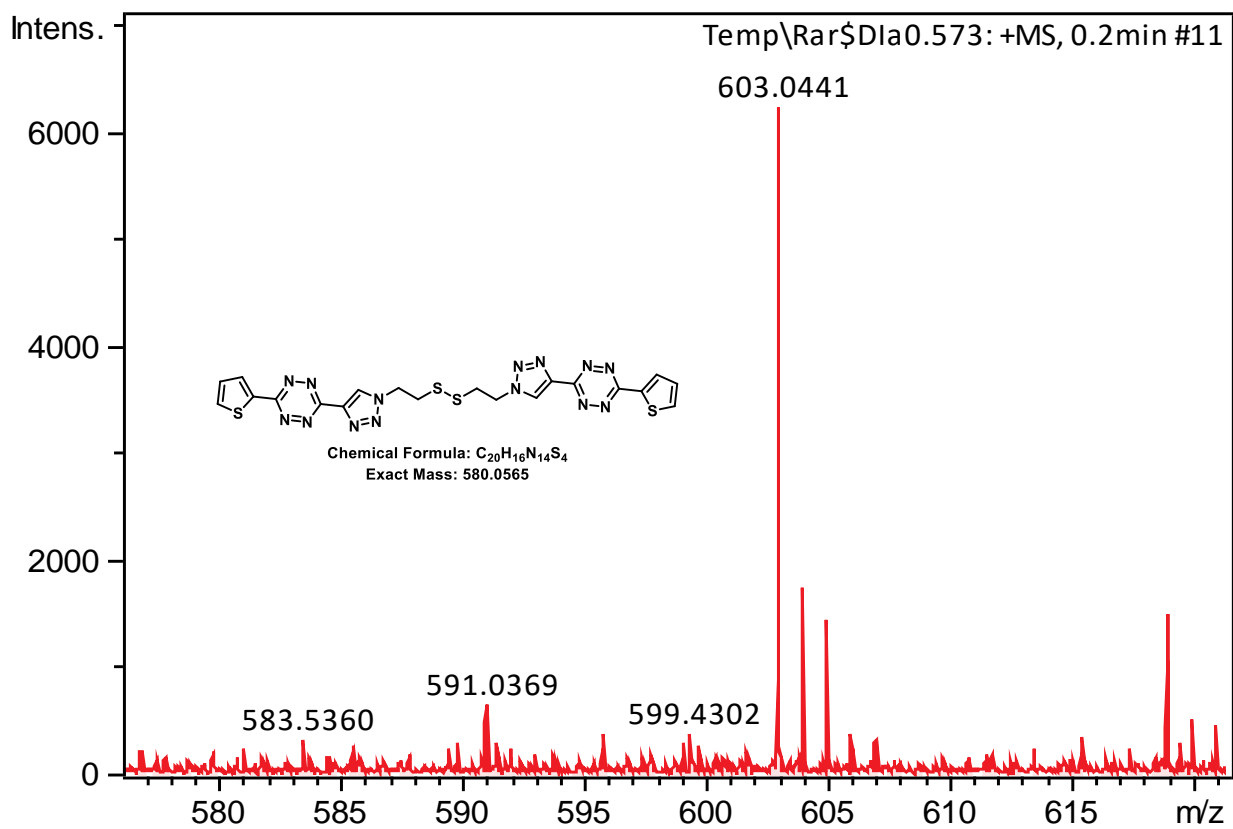
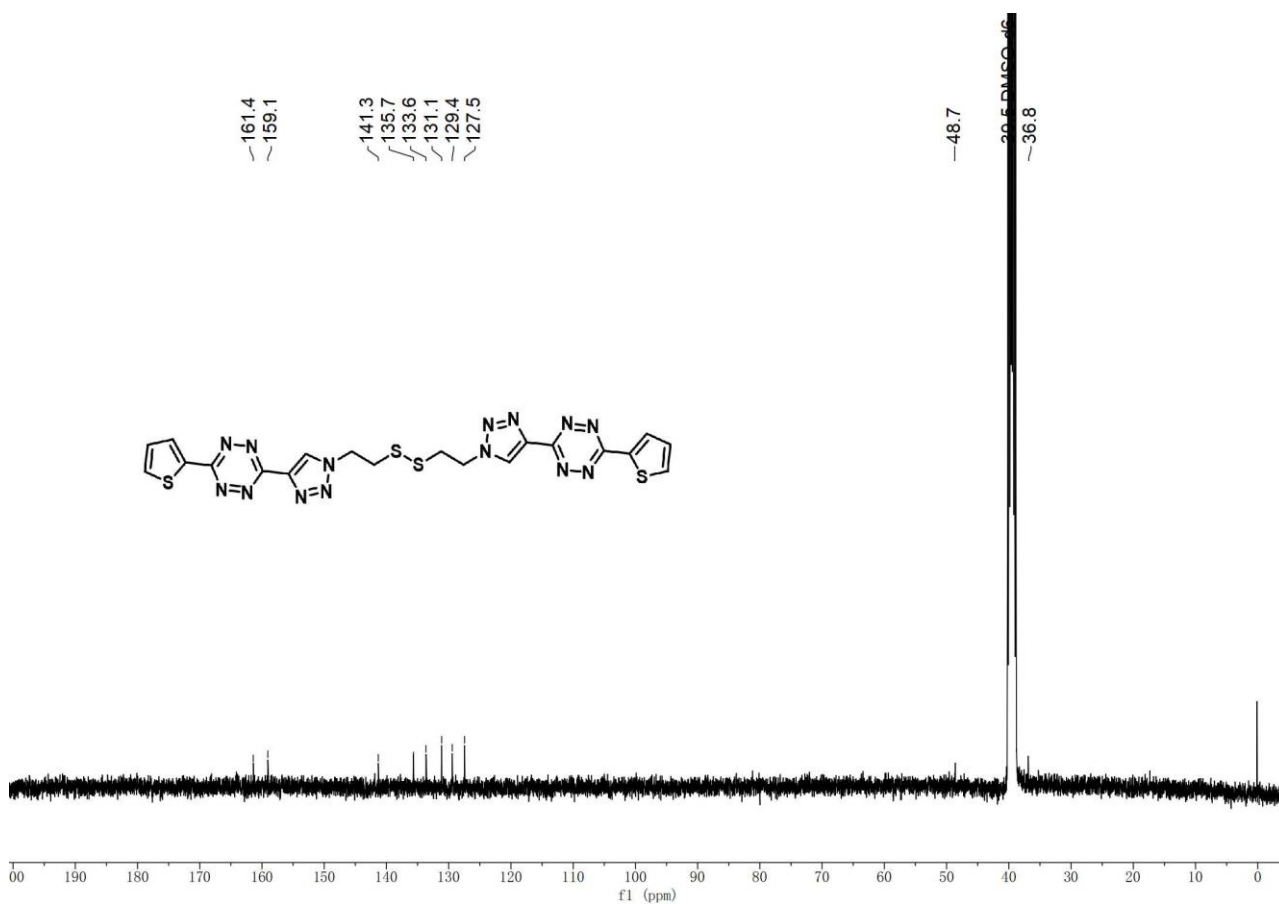
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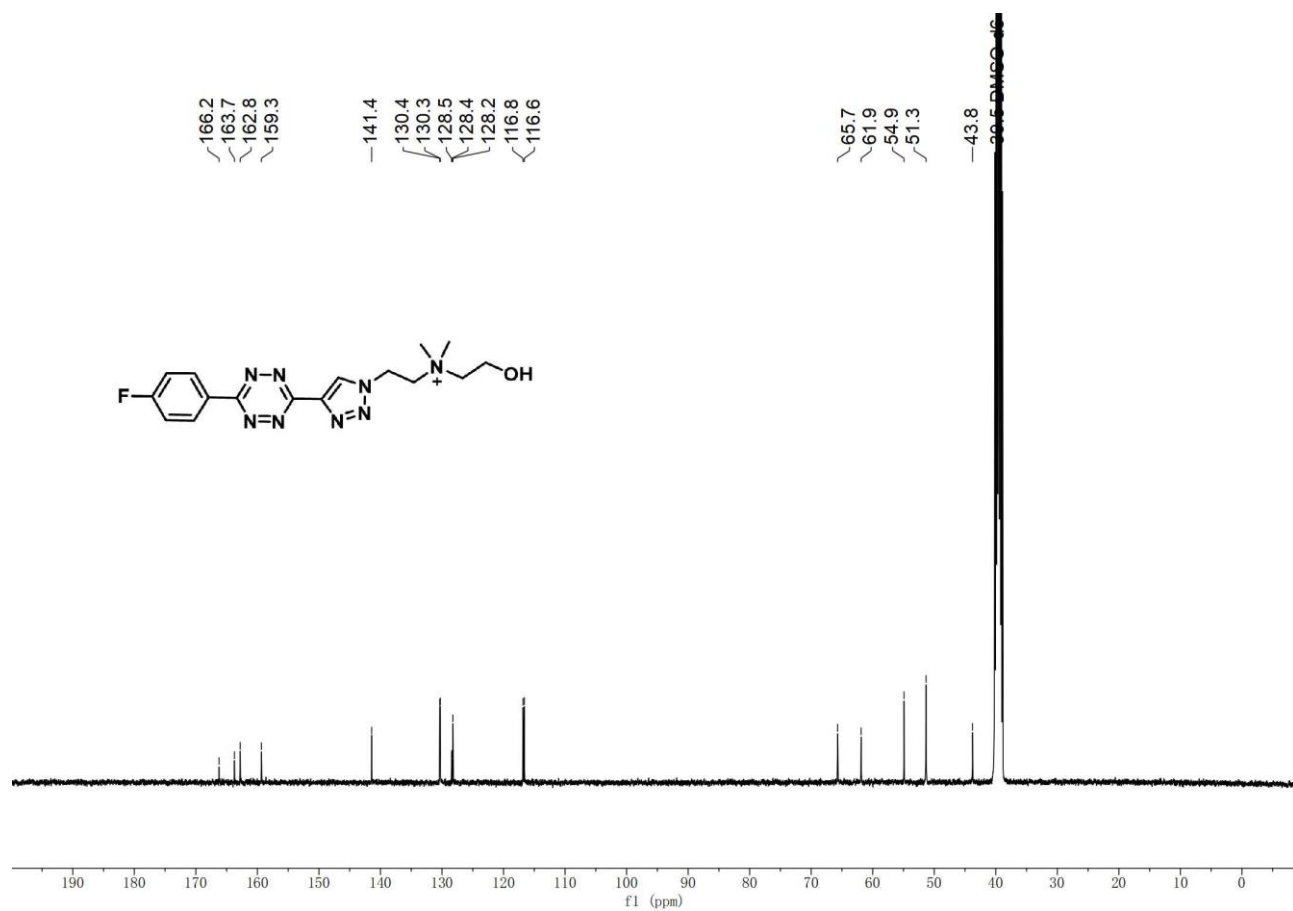
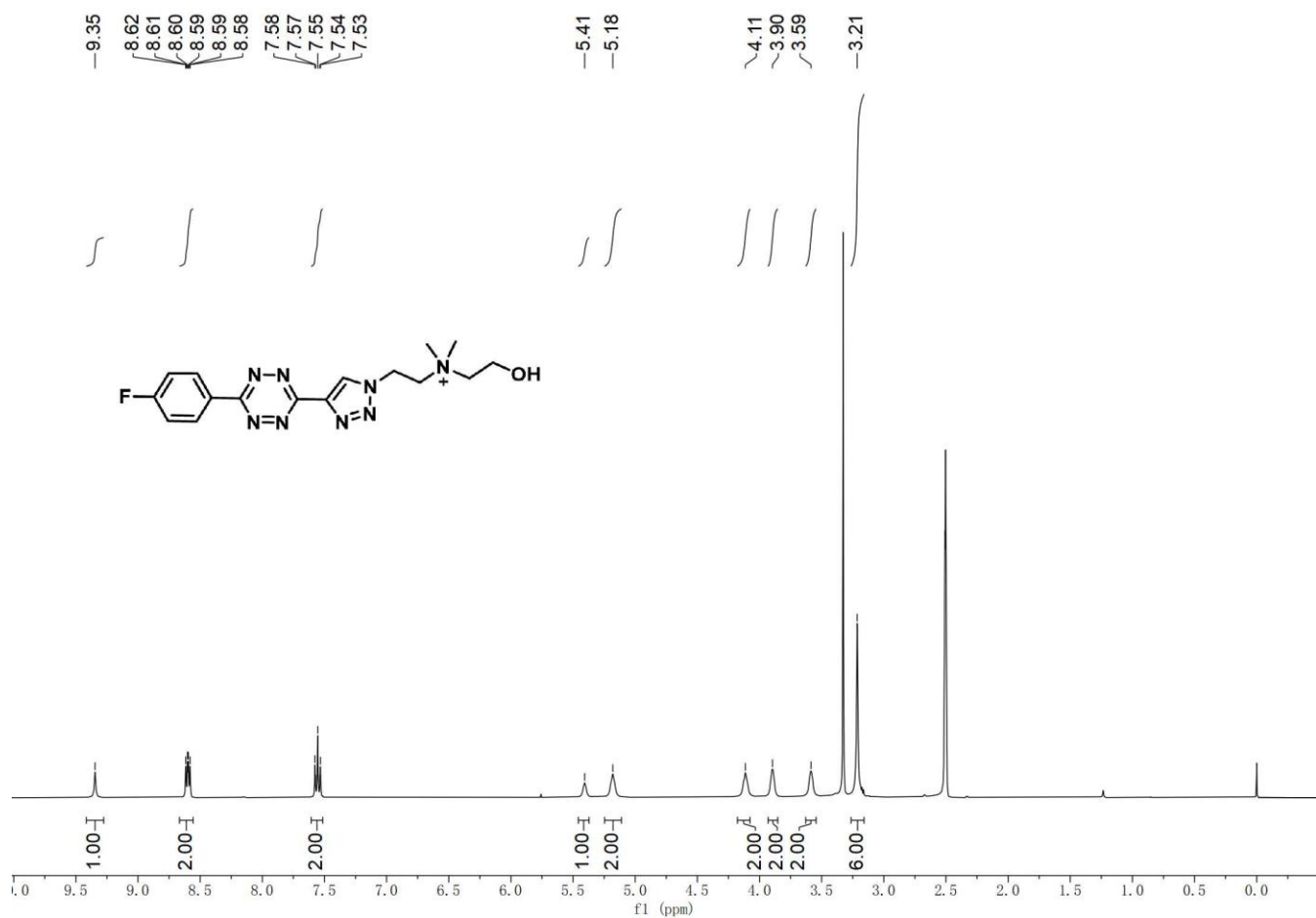




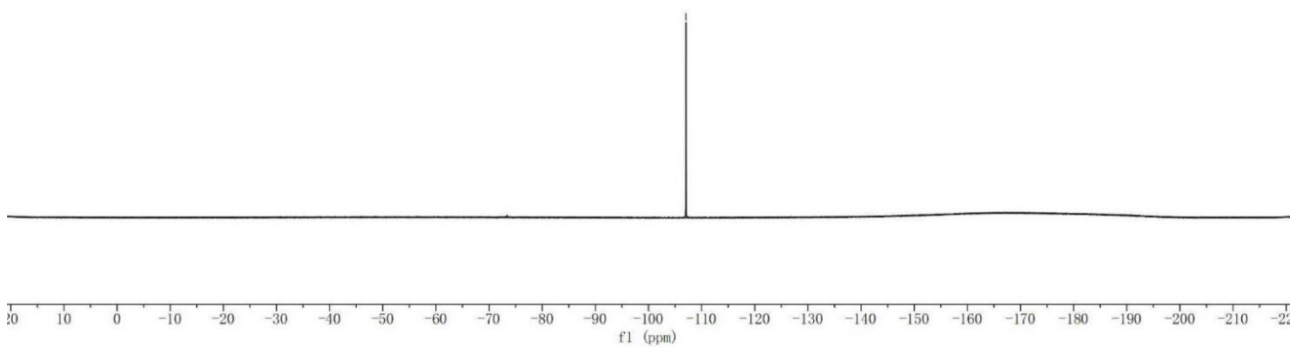
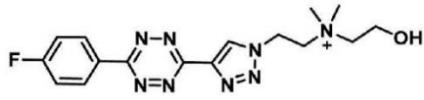
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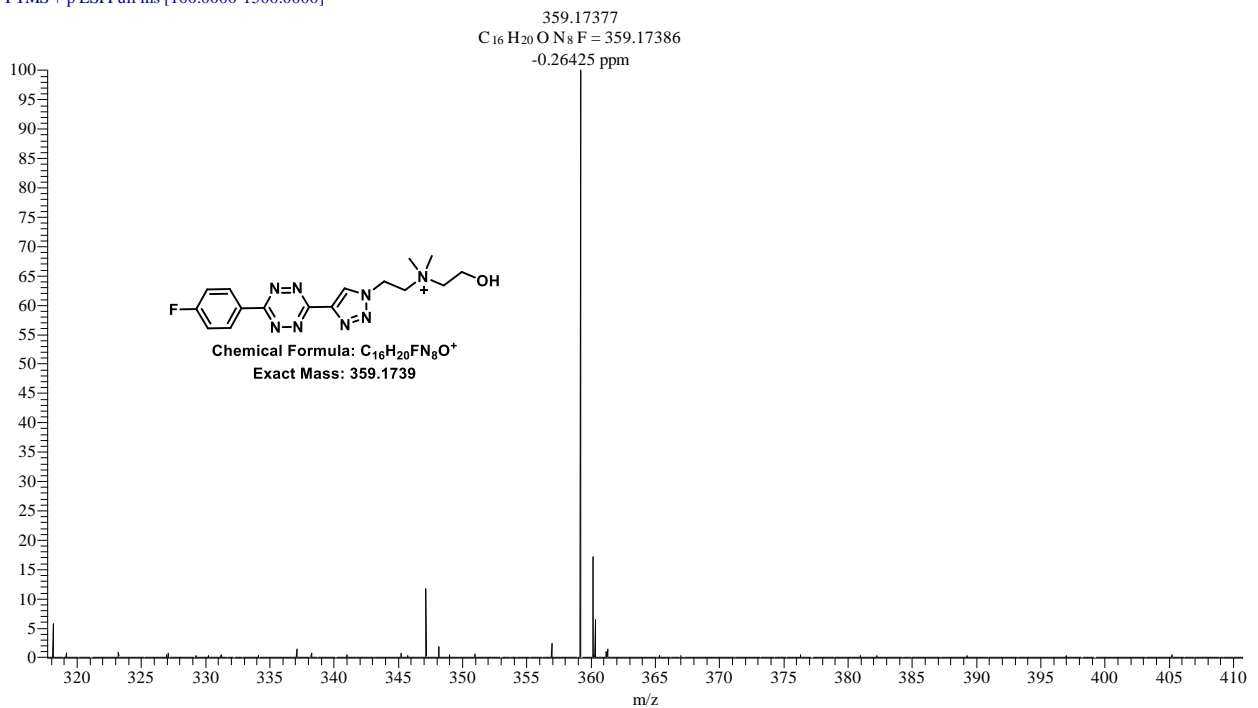


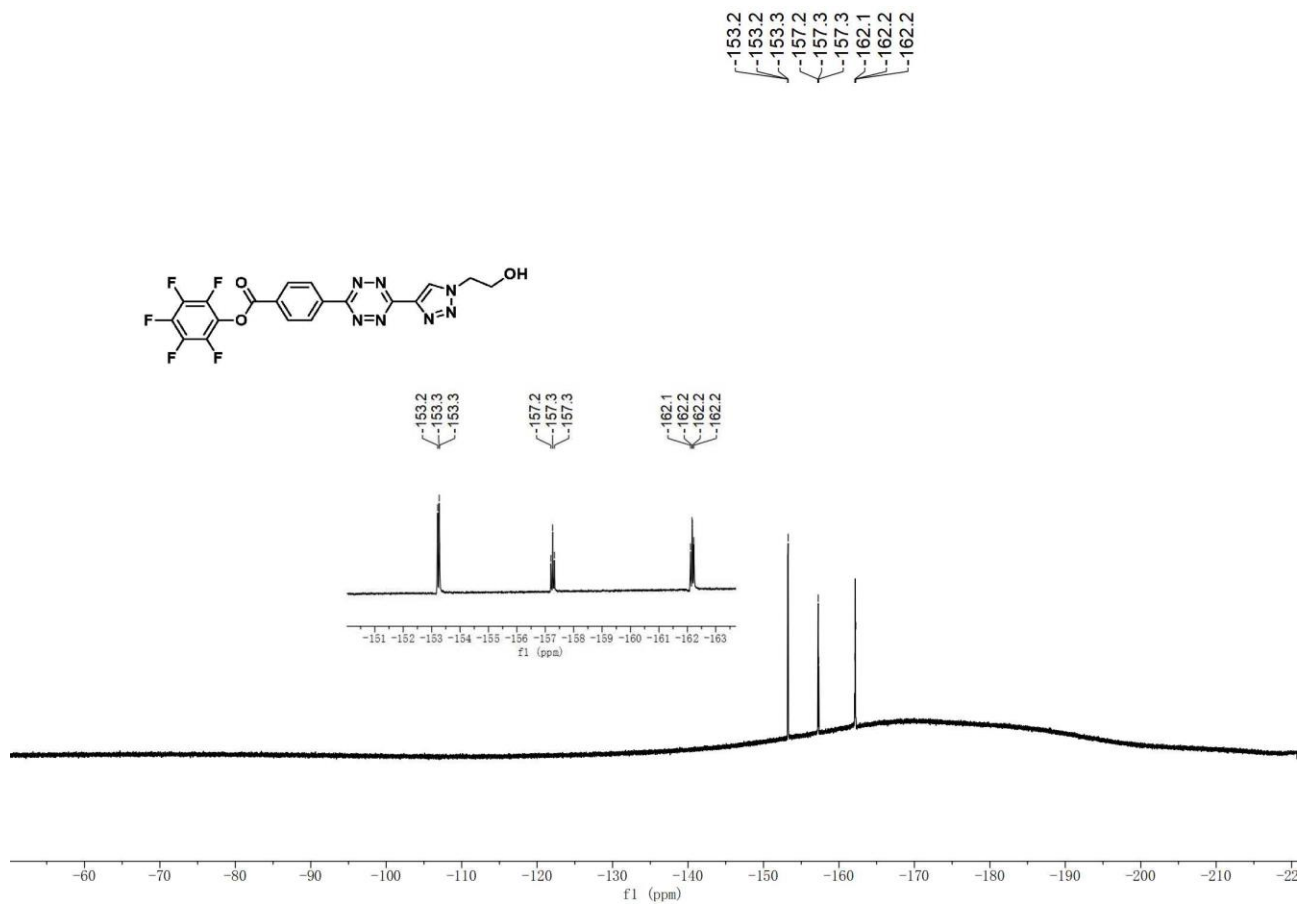
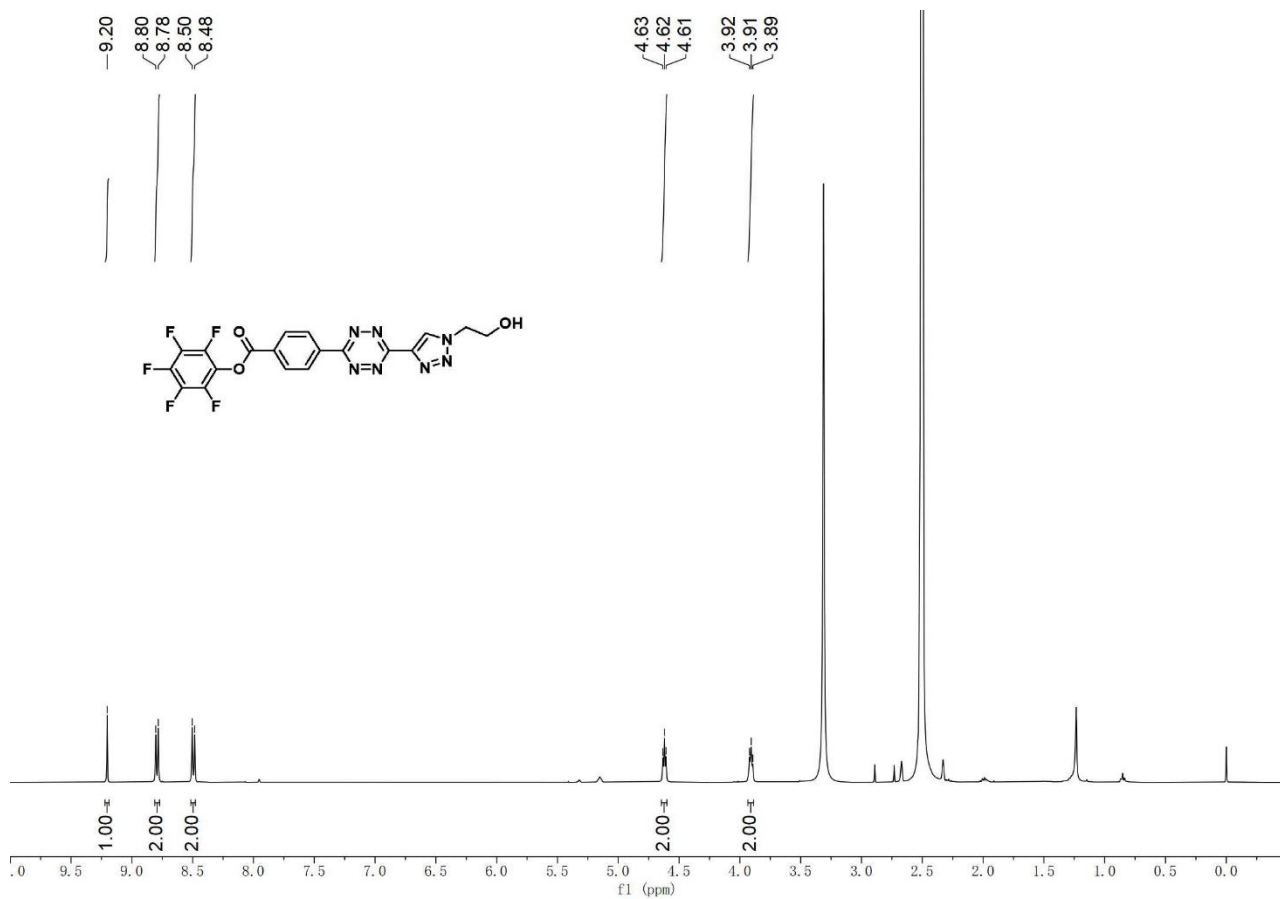


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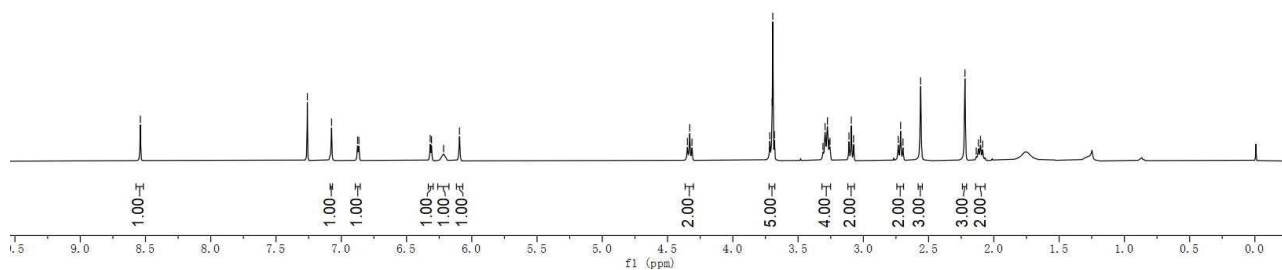
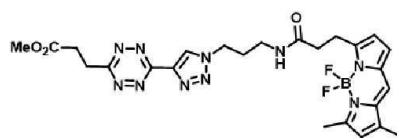
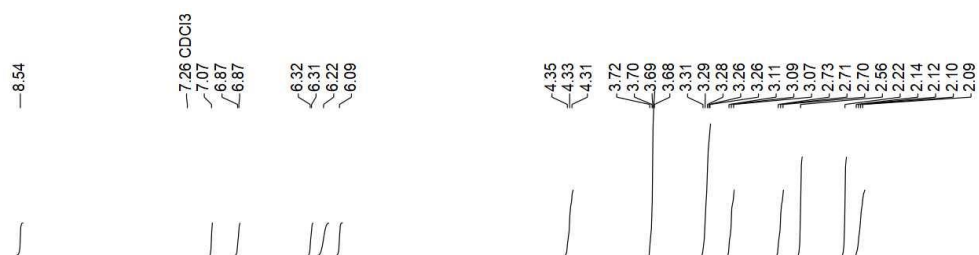
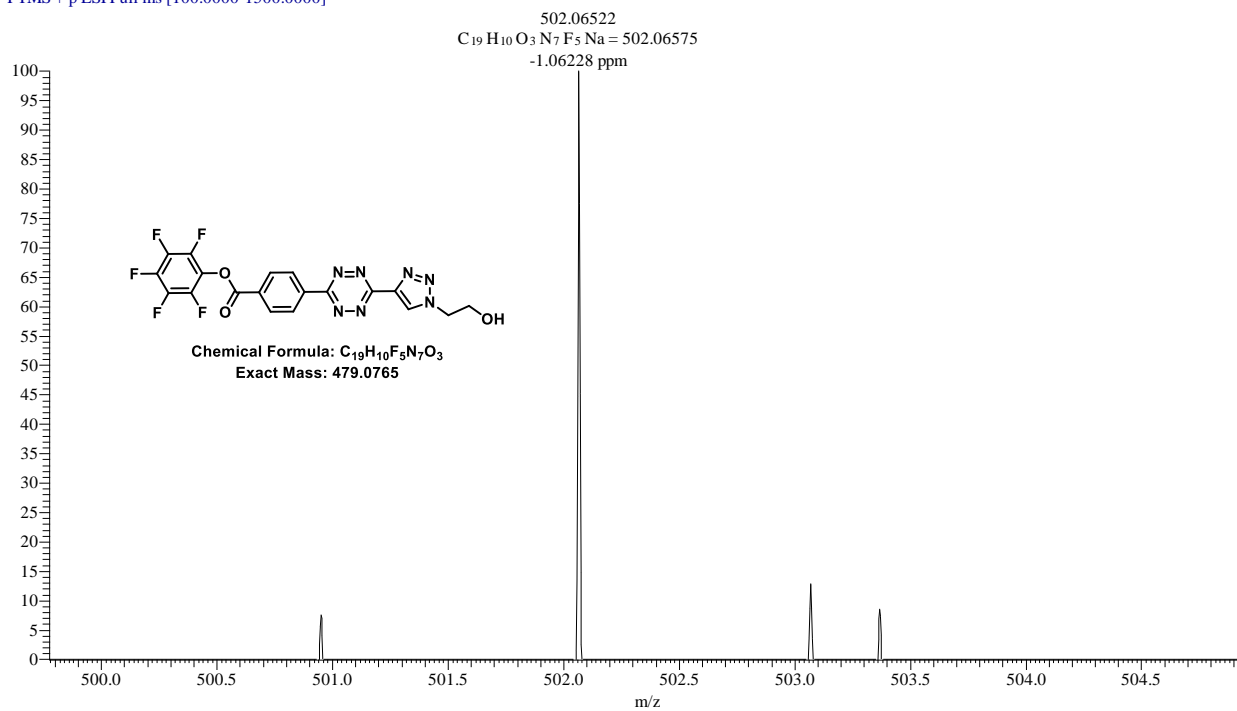


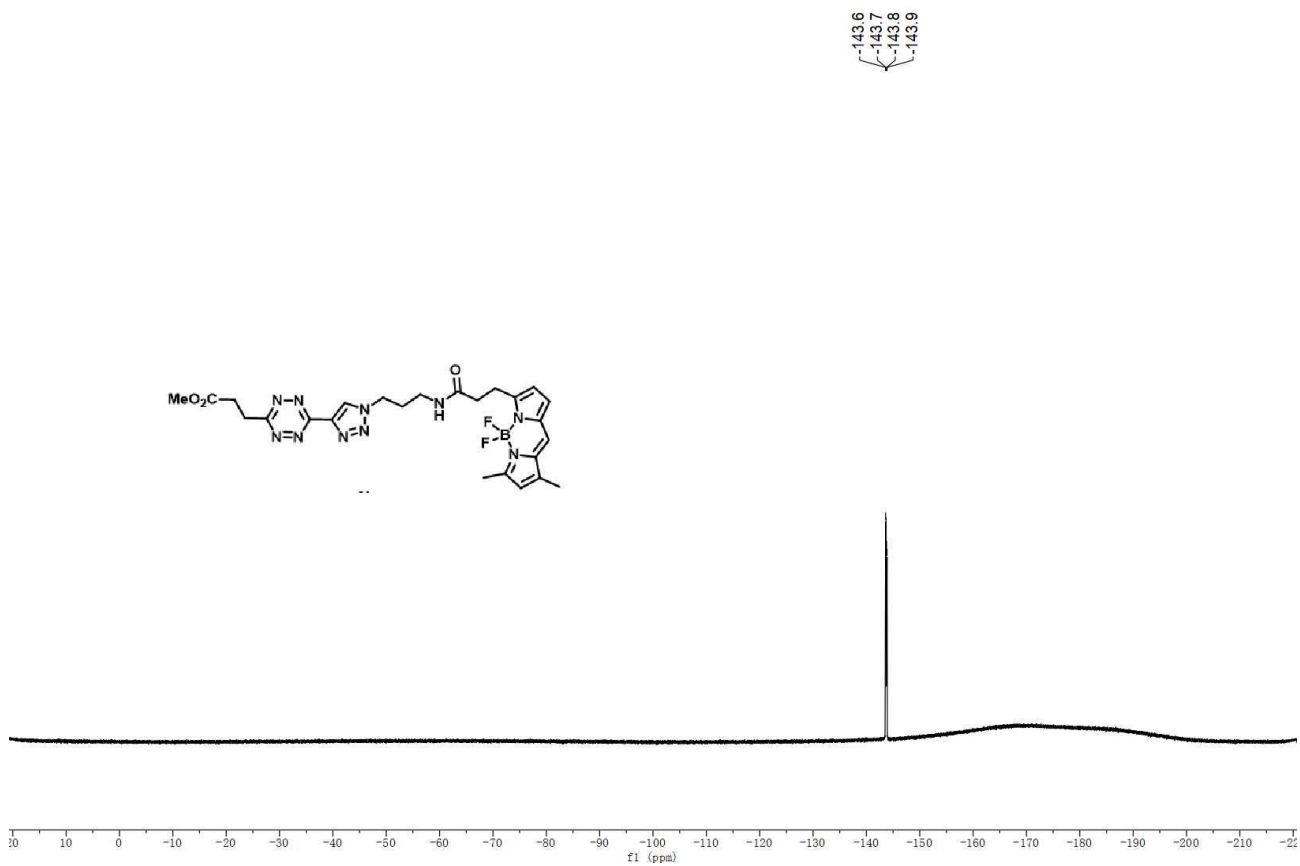
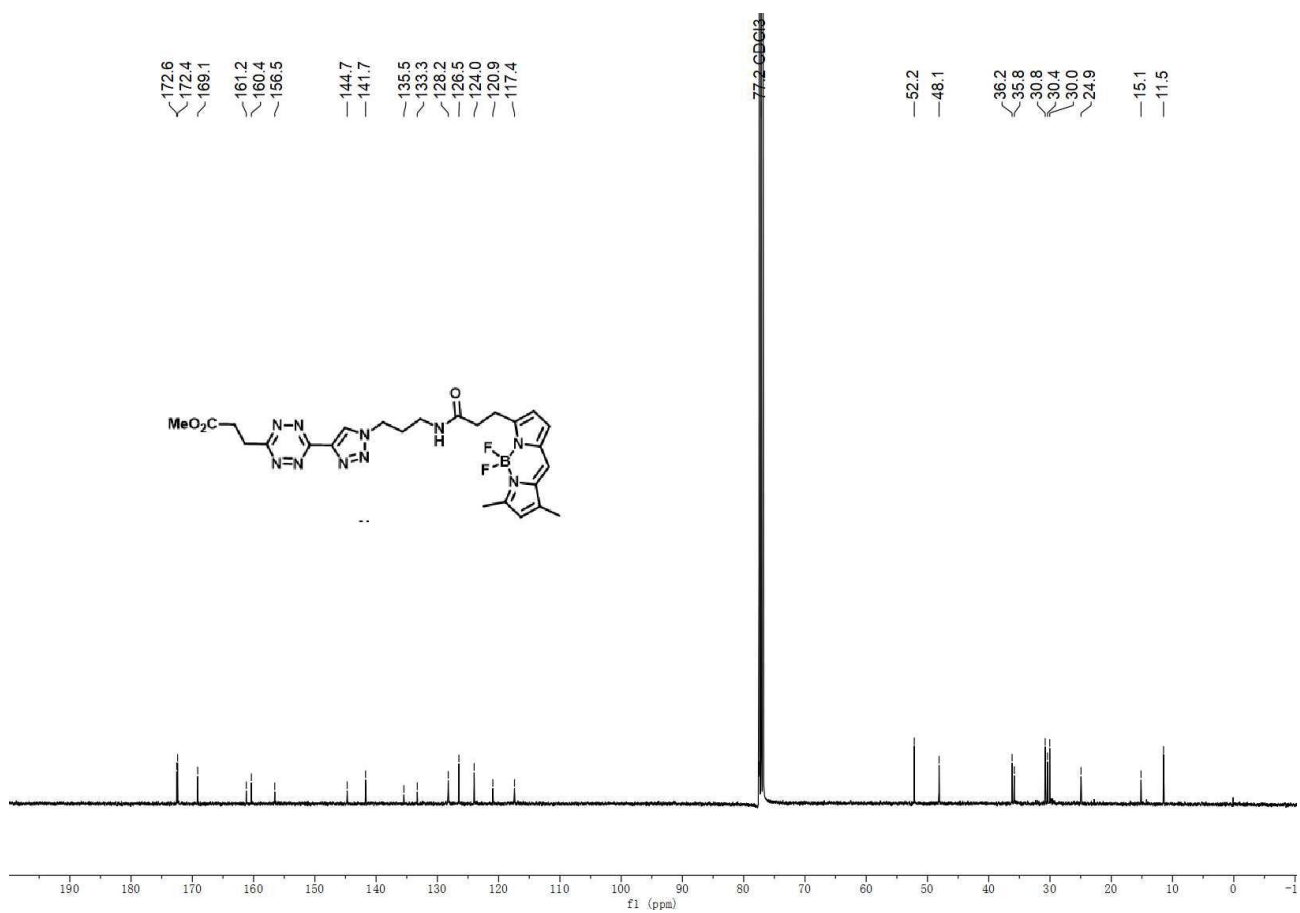
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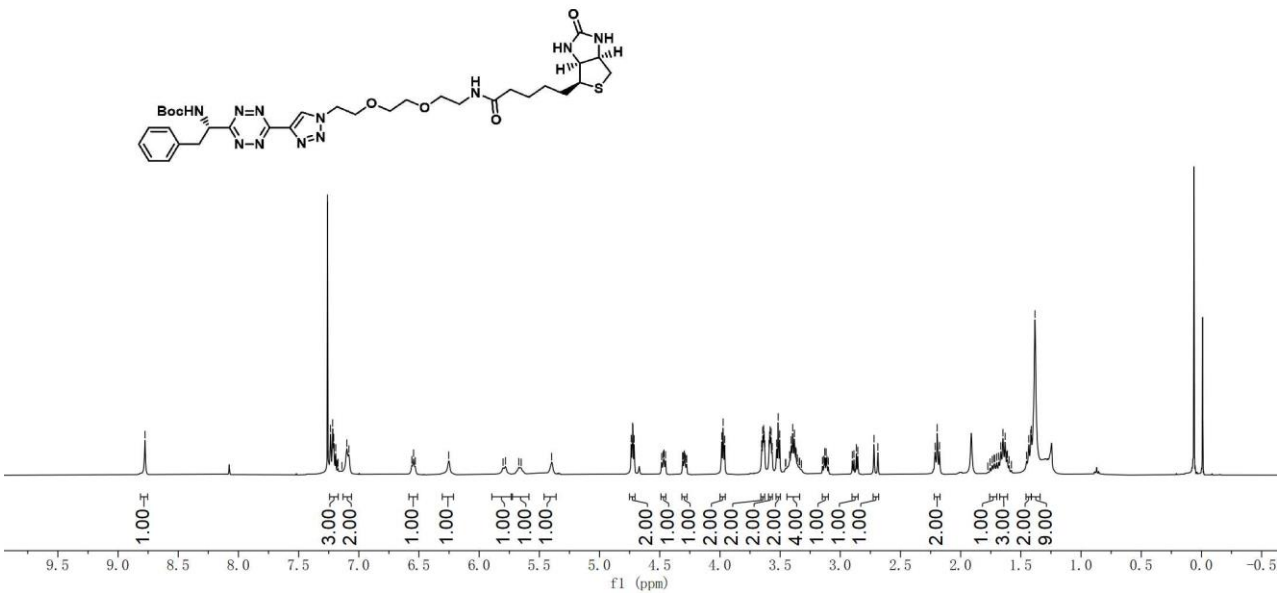
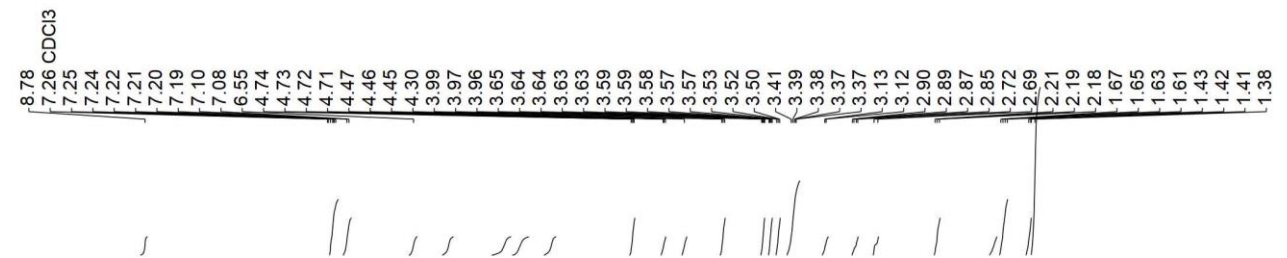
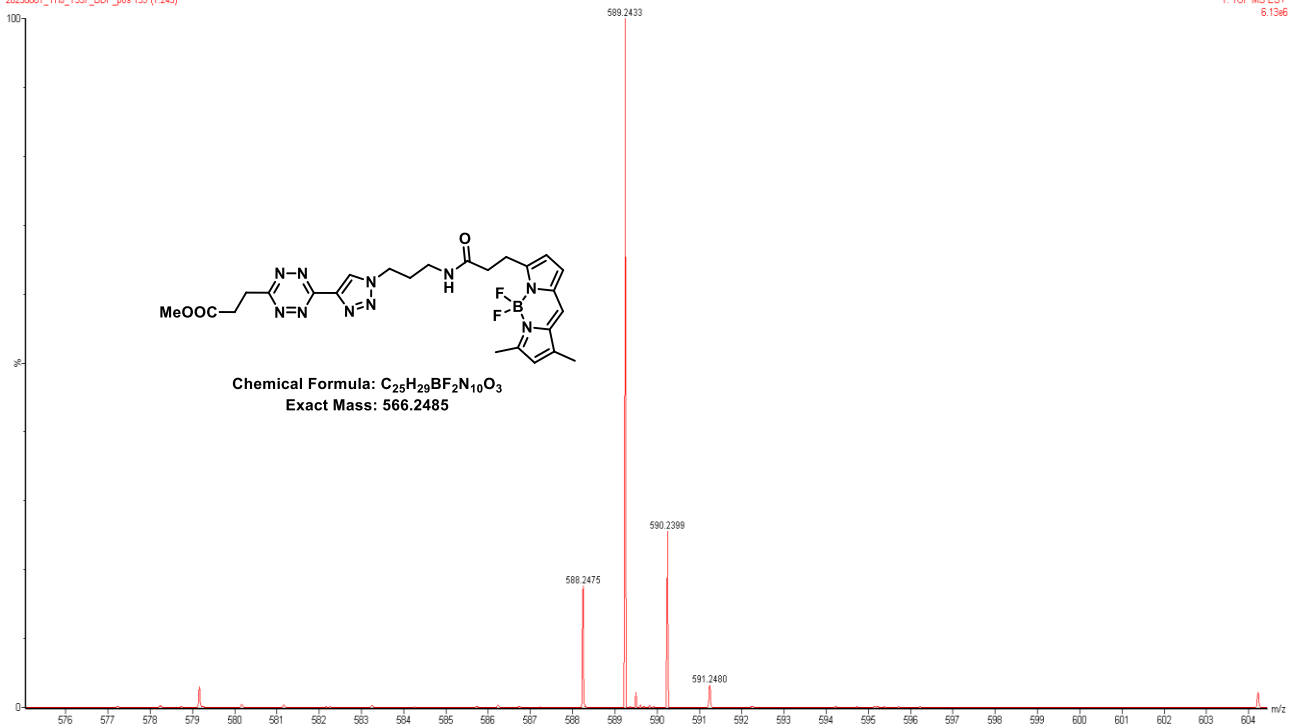


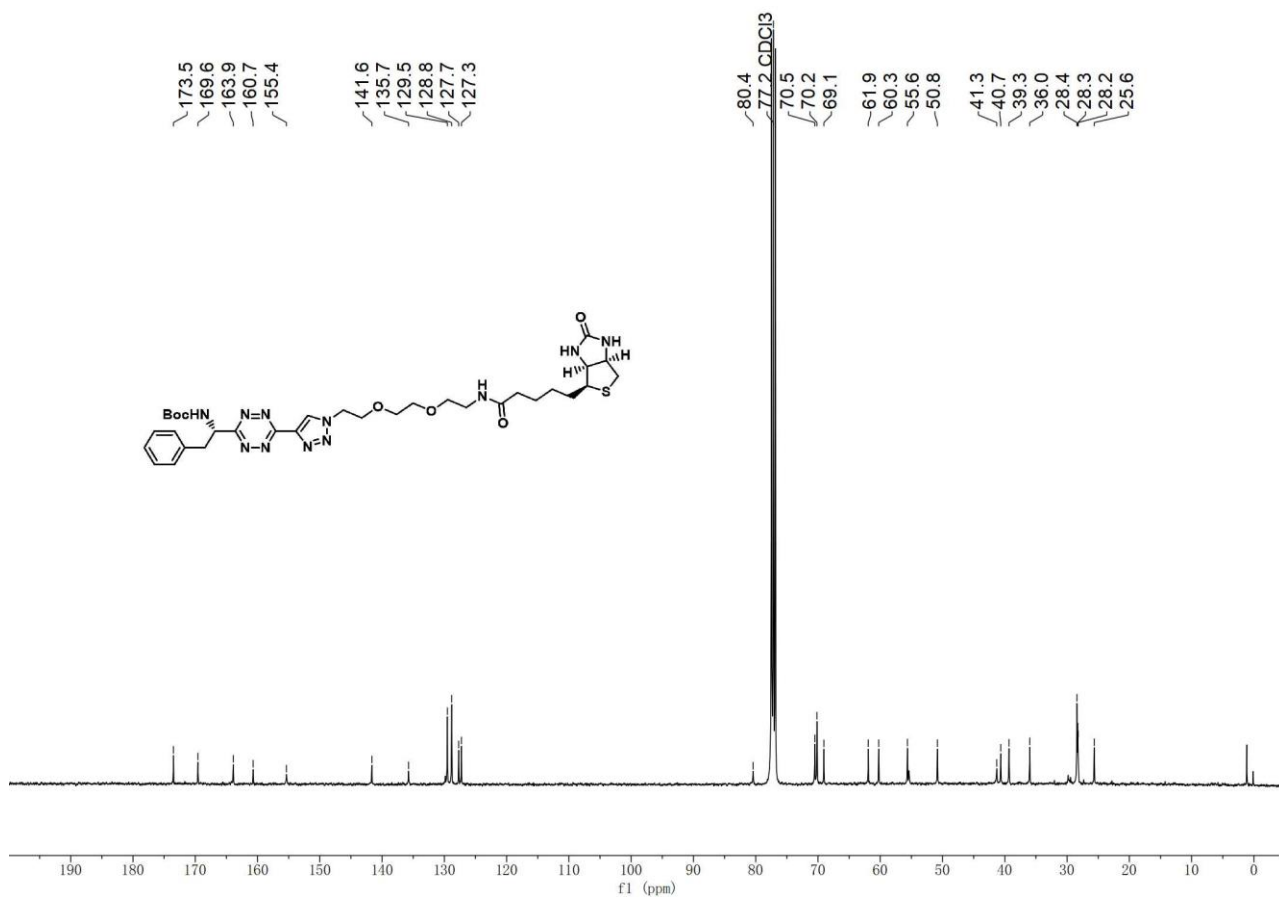


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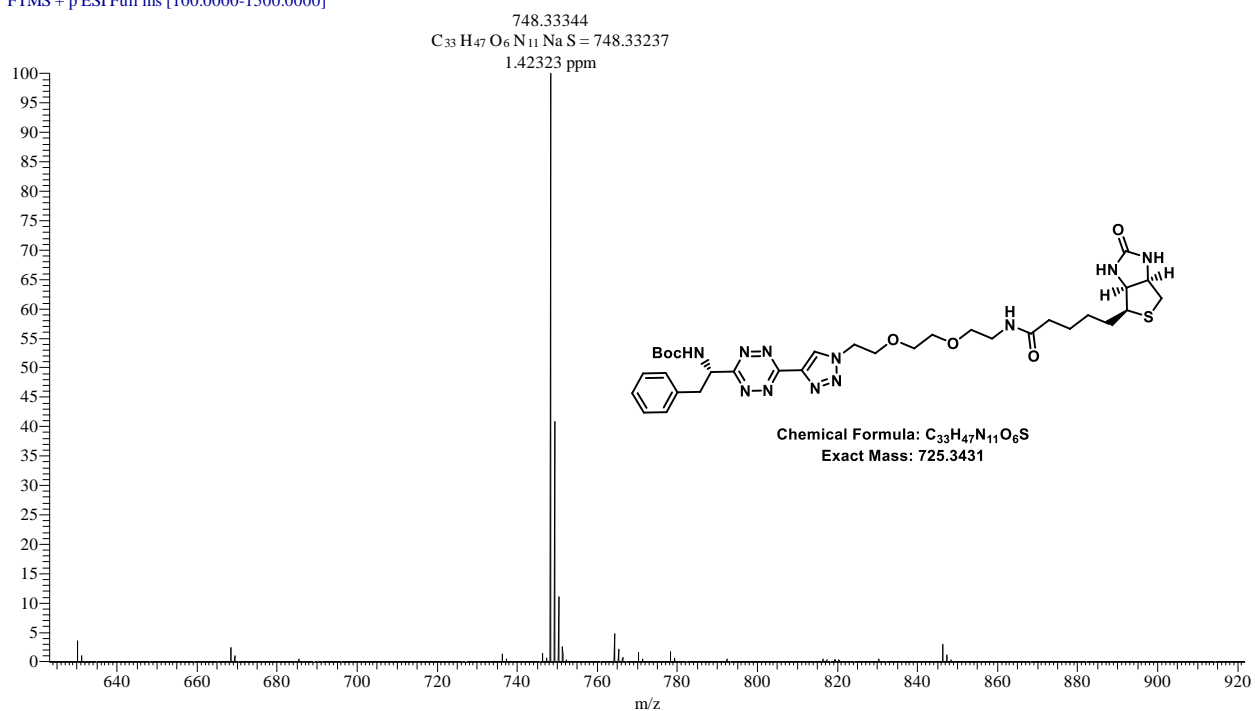


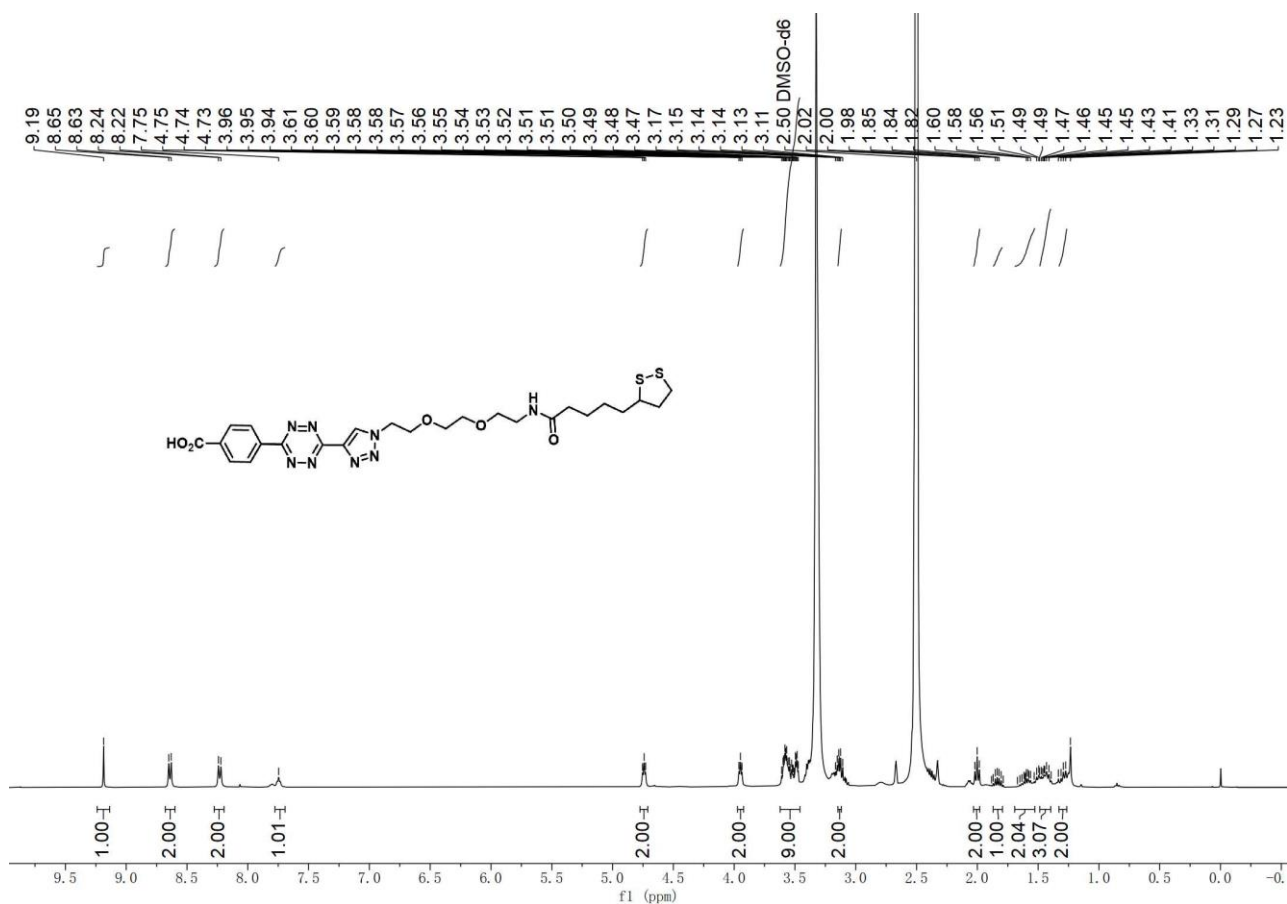




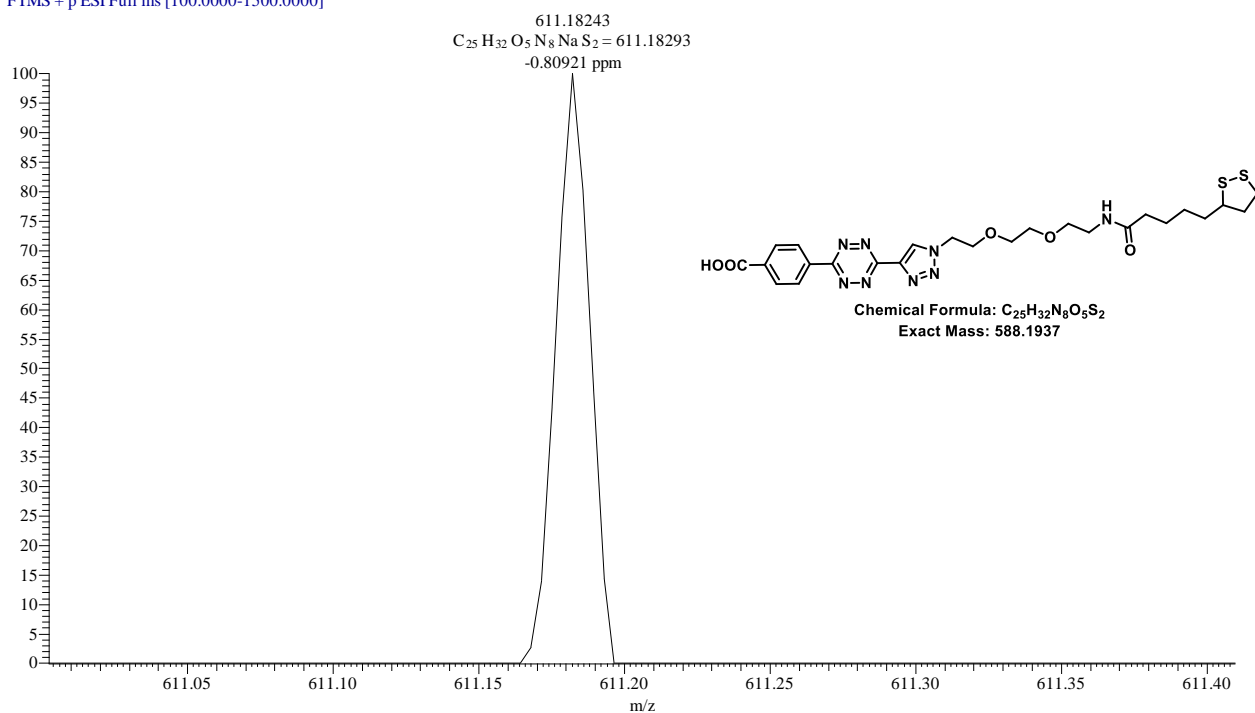


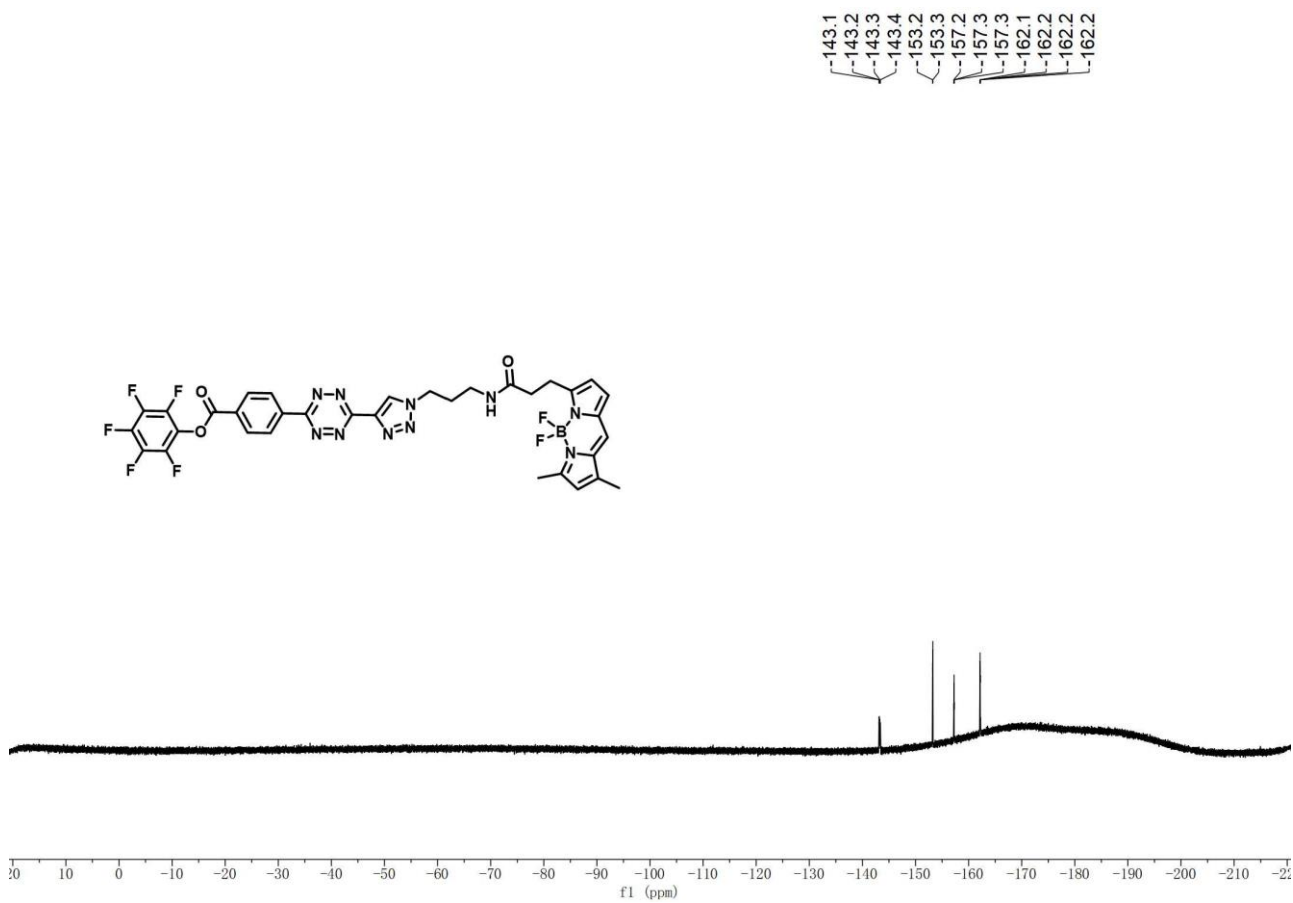
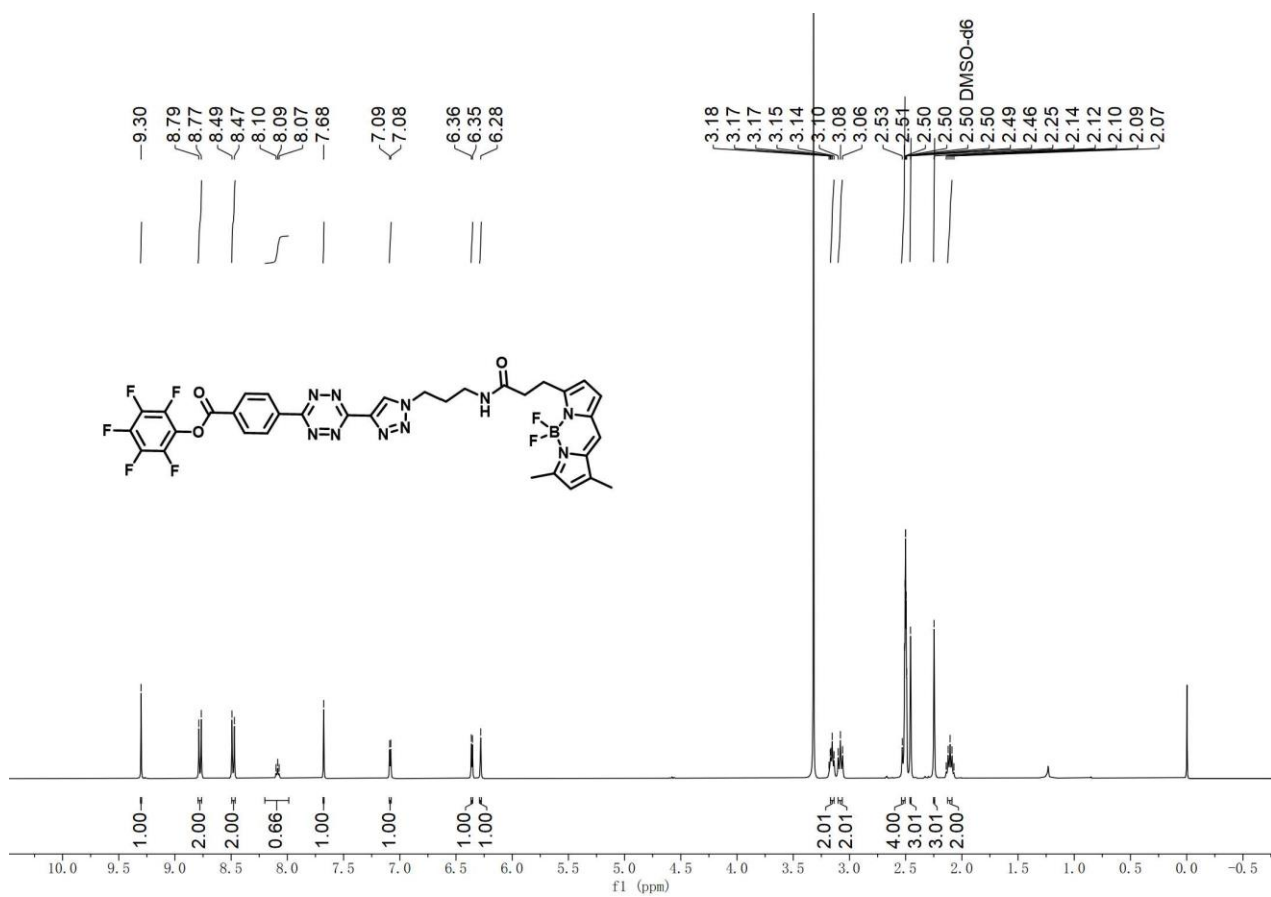
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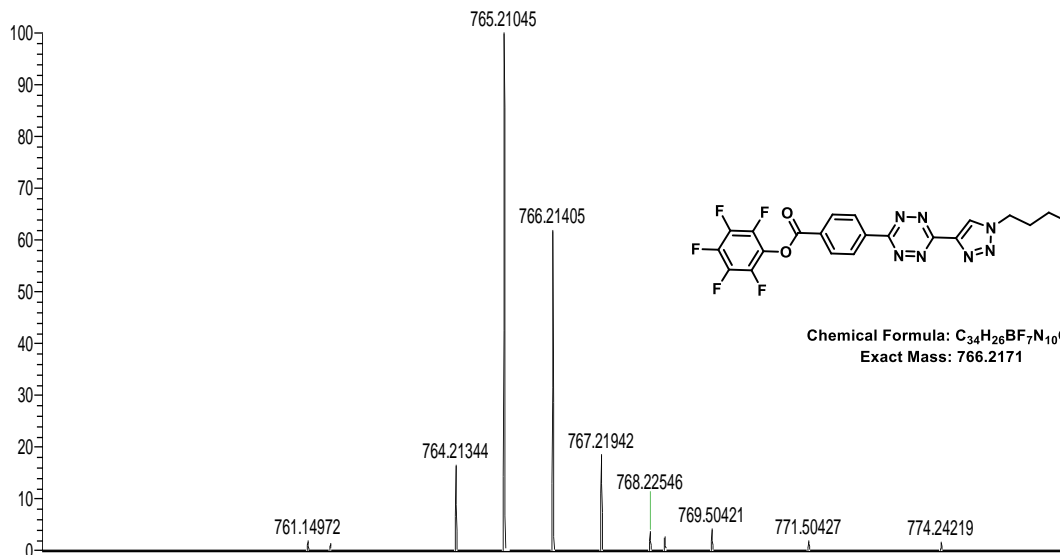




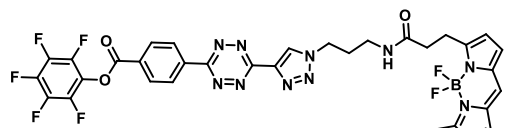
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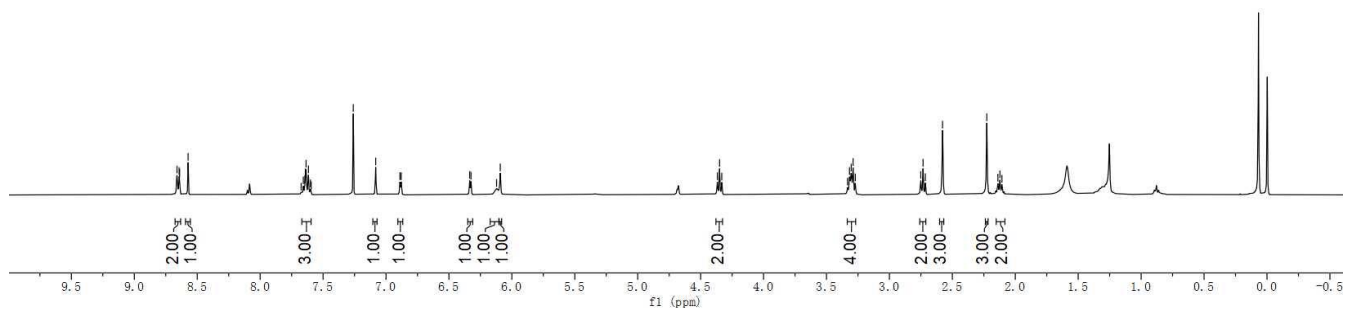
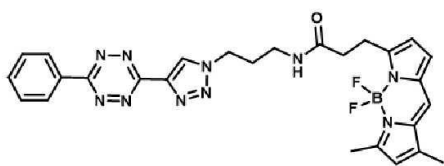
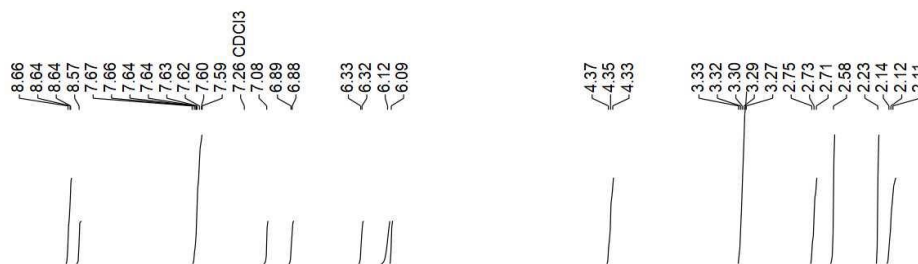




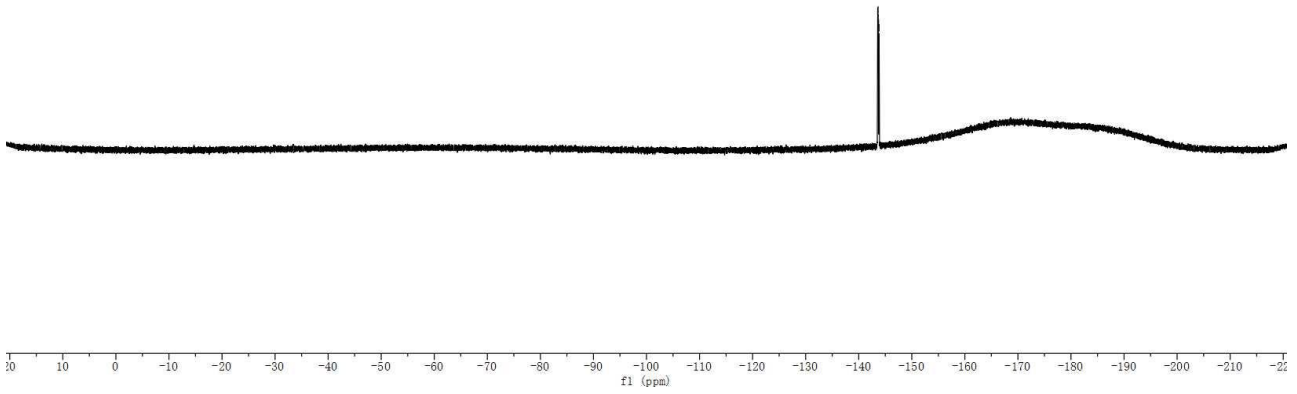
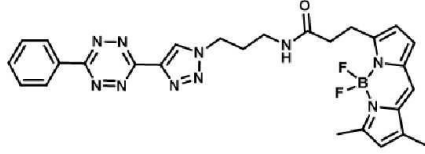
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