

Highly Regio- and Stereoselective Synthesis of Z-Trisubstituted Alkenes via Propyne Bromoboration and Tandem Pd-Catalyzed Cross-Coupling

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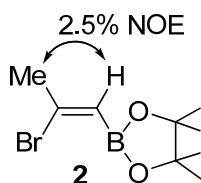
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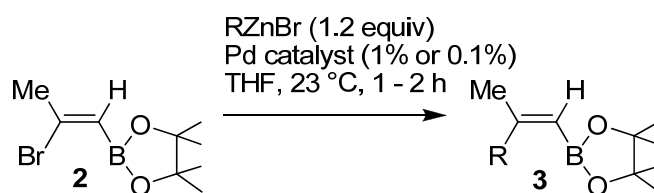
General. All reactions were run in flame-dried glassware under Argon atmosphere. THF and ether were distilled from sodium and benzophenone. CH₂Cl₂ was distilled from CaH₂. Zn dust was activated by rinsing with dilute HCl^[i] and flame-dried under vacuum prior to use. ZnBr₂ was flame-dried under vacuum. Except for 5-iodo-2-methyl-2-pentene, 1-iodo-3-decyne, (*E*)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-octene and (*E*)-3-*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy-1-iodo-propene, the starting materials were purchased from commercial sources and used as received. 5-iodo-2-methyl-2-pentene^[ii], 1-iodo-3-decyne^[iii], (*E*)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-octene^[iv] and (*E*)-3-*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy-1-iodo-propene^[v] were prepared according to literature procedures. Reactions were monitored by TLC and GC analyses. GC analysis was performed on HP6890 Gas Chromatograph using an HP-5 capillary column (30 m × 0.32 mm, 0.5 μM film) packed with SE-30 on Chromosorb W. Column chromatography was carried out on 230-400 mesh silica gel. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian-Inova-300 and Bruker-ARX-400. LRMS and HRMS were obtained on Hewlett Packed 5995 GC-MS and Finnigan MATL95 mass spectrometers, respectively.

(Z)-2-(2'-Bromo-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (**2**)



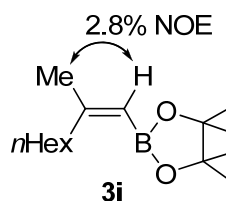
Propyne gas was slowly introduced to a graduated or marked flask or Schlenk tube at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, which was quickly condensed into liquid. Volume of the liquefied propyne can be easily measured by the graduation or markings (in this case: 1.14 mL, 20 mmol). Cooled dry CH_2Cl_2 (10 mL) was then added slowly to make a solution. To this stirred solution of propyne in CH_2Cl_2 was added a solution of BBr_3 (2.08 mL, 22 mmol) in dry CH_2Cl_2 (20 mL) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. After 1 h at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, the reaction mixture was warmed to $23\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, kept at this temperature for 1 h, and added to a solution of pinacol (2.84 g, 24 mmol) in dry CH_2Cl_2 (20 mL) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. The resultant reaction mixture was warmed to $23\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, stirred for 1 h, washed with brine, and dried over Na_2SO_4 . After evaporation of the solvent, the residue was purified by column chromatography (silica gel, 50:1 hexane-EtOAc) to give 4.20 g (85%) of the title compound as colorless liquid. The above obtained compound **2** are $\geq 98\%$ pure determined by ^1H and ^{13}C NMR analysis. Compound **2** is very stable and can be stored in air at 23°C for days without any change according to NMR analysis. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.25 (s, 12 H, CH_3), 2.38 (s, 3H, CH_3), 5.82 (s, 1H, $=\text{CH}$); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 24.66, 32.93, 83.47, 119.25, 139.33; HRMS calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{16}\text{BBro}_2$ $[\text{M}]^+$: 246.0427. Found 246.0426.

General procedure A: Negishi cross-coupling of alkyl-, alkenyl-, and arylzinc bromides with (Z)-2-(2'-Bromo-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (**2**)



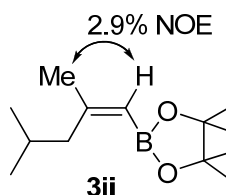
To a stirred solution of **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol) and $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) was added a solution of organozinc reagent (1.2 mmol) at 0°C . The resultant reaction mixture was stirred at 23°C for 1 h, quenched with 0.5 M HCl, extracted with ether, washed successively with saturated NaHCO_3 and brine, dried over MgSO_4 , filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, 50:1 hexane-EtOAc) afforded the compounds **3**, which are $\geq 98\%$ pure determined by ^1H and ^{13}C NMR analysis.

(Z)-2-(2'-methyl-1-octenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3i)



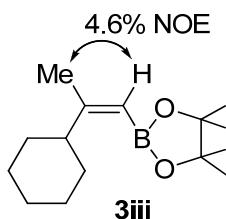
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and *n*-hexylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating *n*-hexyllithium (0.52 mL, 1.2 mmol, 2.3 M solution in hexanes) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.24 g (87%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 1.2-1.35 (m, 6H), 1.23 (s, 12H), 1.35-1.45 (m, 2H), 1.83 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 2.38 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.10 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 14.05, 22.57, 24.74(4C), 26.35, 28.79, 28.94, 31.62, 35.90, 82.37(2C), 113-116(br s), 163.66. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₉BO₂ [M]⁺: 252.2261 Found 252.2268.

(Z)-2-(2,4-dimethyl-1-pentenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3ii)



General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and *i*-butylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating *i*-butylmagnesium bromide (0.6 mL, 1.2 mmol, 2.0 M solution in Et₂O) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.193 g (86%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.85 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.7-1.8 (m, 1H), 1.80 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.73 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 5.13 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 22.34(2C), 24.70(4C), 26.59, 27.09, 44.87, 82.34(2C), 113-117(br s), 162.13. HRMS calcd for C₁₃H₂₅BO₂ [M]⁺: 224.1948 Found 224.1958.

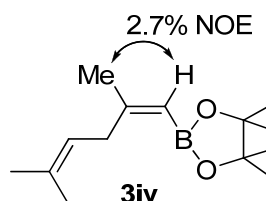
(Z)-2-(2'-cyclohexyl-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3iii)



General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and cyclohexylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating cyclohexylmagnesium

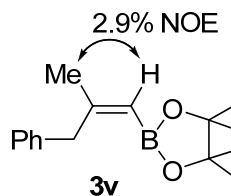
bromide (0.6 mL, 1.2 mmol, 2.0 M solution in Et₂O) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.21 g (84%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.1-1.35 (m, 5H), 1.24 (s, 12H), 1.5-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.6-1.8 (m, 3H), 1.76 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.98 (tt, *J*₁ = 3.3 Hz, *J*₂ = 11.8 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 22.33, 24.72(4C), 26.20, 26.48(2C), 31.97(2C), 43.71, 82.35(2C), 111-115(br s), 167.93. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₇BO₂ [M]⁺: 250.2142 Found 250.2143.

(Z)-2-(2,5-dimethyl-1,4-hexadienyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3iv)



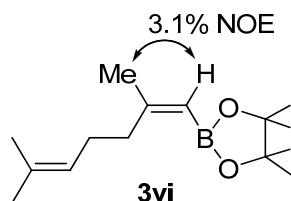
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and (3-methyl-2-butenyl)zinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 1-bromo-3-methyl-2-butene (0.18 g, 0.14 mL, 1.2 mmol) with Zn dust (0.156 g, 2.4 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL))^[vi] gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.187 g (79%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.25(s, 12H), 1.68 (s, 3H), 1.70 (s, 3H), 1.83 (s, 3H), 3.12 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 5.1-5.2 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 17.69, 24.69(4C), 25.73, 26.15, 35.22, 82.45(2C), 112-116(br s), 122.40, 132.31, 162.44. HRMS calcd for C₁₄H₂₅BO₂ [M]⁺: 236.1948 Found 236.1961.

(Z)-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3v)



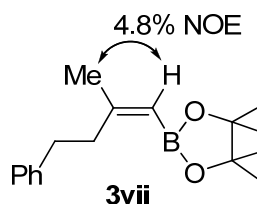
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and benzylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating benzyl bromide (0.20 g, 0.14 mL, 1.2 mmol) with Zn dust (0.156 g, 2.4 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL))^[vi] gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.214 g (83%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.29 (s, 12H), 1.76 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 2H), 5.25 (s, 1H), 7.1-7.25 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.77(4C), 26.00, 42.28, 82.68(2C), 115-117(br s), 125.84, 128.16(2C), 128.80(2C), 140.29, 161.15. HRMS calcd for C₁₆H₂₃BO₂ [M]⁺: 258.1791 Found 258.1783.

(Z)-2-(2,6-dimethyl-1,5-heptadienyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3vi)



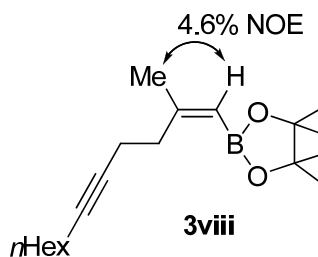
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and (4-methyl-3-pentenyl)zinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 2-iodo-2-methyl-2-pentene (0.25 g, 1.2 mmol) with *t*-BuLi (1.47 mL, 2.5 mmol, 1.7 M solution in pentane) in dry Et₂O (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C)^[vii] gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.183 g (73%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.21 (s, 12H), 1.58 (s, 3H), 1.64 (s, 3H), 1.82 (s, 3H), 2.06 (q, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (t, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H), 5.10 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 17.51, 24.71(4C), 25.63, 26.46, 27.62, 36.14, 82.37, 114.0(br s), 124.16, 131.32, 162.91. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₇BO₂ [M]⁺: 250.2104 Found 250.2118

(Z)-2-(2-methyl-4-phenyl-1-butenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3vii)



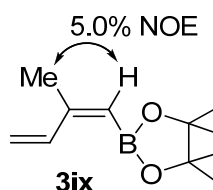
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and phenethylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating (2-iodoethyl)benzene (0.28 g, 1.2 mmol) with *t*-BuLi (1.47 mL, 2.5 mmol, 1.7 M solution in pentane) in dry Et₂O (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C)^[vii] gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.207 g (76%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.31 (s, 12 H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 2.80 (m, 4H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.30 (m, 4H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 24.75(4C), 26.65, 35.82, 38.28, 82.42, 114.0(br s), 125.55, 128.06(2C), 128.37(2C), 142.27, 162.53. HRMS calcd for C₁₇H₂₅BO₂ [M]⁺: 272.1948 Found 272.1971.

(Z)-2-(2-methyl-1-dedecen-5-ynyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3viii)



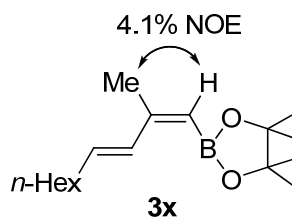
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and 3-decynylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 2-iodo-3-decyne (0.37 g, 1.2 mmol) with *t*-BuLi (1.47 mL, 2.5 mmol, 1.7 M solution in pentane) in dry Et₂O (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C)^[vii] gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.198 (79%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.86 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.22-1.36 (m, 20H), 1.40 (m, 2H), 1.87 (s, 3H), 2.10 (m, 2H), 2.25 (m, 2H), 2.54 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.14 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 14.00, 18.74(2C), 22.52, 24.71(4C), 26.64, 28.48, 29.04, 31.33, 35.34, 79.68, 80.44, 82.49, 115.0(br s), 161.56. HRMS calcd for C₁₉H₃₃BO₂ [M]⁺: 304.2574 Found 304.2559.

(Z)-2-(2'-methyl-1,3-butadienyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3ix)



General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), 0.1% Pd(*t*-Bu₃P)₂ (0.1 mL, 0.01 M solutions in THF, 0.001mmol) and vinylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating vinylmagnesium bromide (1.2 mL, 1.2 mmol, 1.0 M solution in THF) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.16 (82%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.28 (s, 12H), 1.99 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (dt, *J*₁ = 1.5 Hz, *J*₂ = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 5.36 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.37(dd, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 17.7 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (dd, *J*₁ = 7.8 Hz, *J*₂ = 17.7) Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 21.91, 24.81(4C), 82.92(2C), 116.51, 118-122(br s), 137.86, 155.35. HRMS calcd for C₁₁H₁₉BO₂ [M]⁺: 194.1478 Found 194.1499.

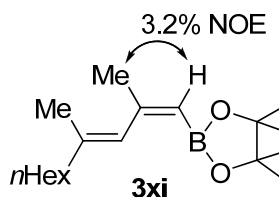
(Z)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-((1Z,3E)-2-methyl-1,3-decadienyl)-1,3,2-dioxaboralane (3x)



General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and (*E*)-1-octenylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating (*E*)-(1-iodo-1-octene (0.30 g, 1.2 mmol) with *n*-BuLi (0.53 mL, 1.3 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.267 g (96%). ¹H NMR

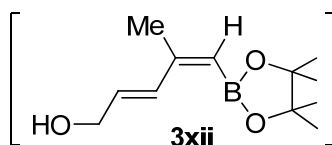
(400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.87 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.2-1.3 (m, 18H), 1.3-1.4 (m, 2H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 2.1-2.25 (m, 2H), 5.84 (dt, J = 15.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, J = 16, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 14.00, 22.52, 22.72, 24.72(4C), 28.85, 28.99, 31.68, 32.91, 82.63(2C), 114-116(br s), 131.21, 135.18, 155.59; HRMS calcd for C₁₈H₃₃BO₂ [M]⁺: 278.2417 Found 278.2411.

2-((1Z,3E)-2,4-dimethyl-1,3-decadienyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xi)



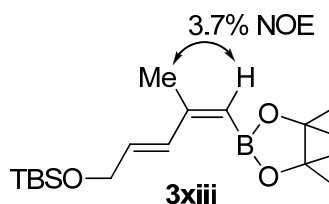
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), 0.1% Pd(*t*-Bu₃P)₂ (0.1 mL, 0.01 M solutions in THF, 0.001mmol) and (*E*)-(2-methyl-1-octenyl)zinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating (*E*)-(1-iodo-2-methyl-1-octene (0.30 g, 1.2 mmol) with *n*-BuLi (0.53 mL, 1.3 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.24 g (83%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.89 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.2-1.4 (m, 6H), 1.24 (s, 12H), 1.4-1.5 (m, 2H), 1.74 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 2.00 (d, J = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.04 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 5.20 (q, J = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (q, J = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 14.08, 18.17, 22.57, 24.84(4C), 27.39, 27.75, 28.96, 31.80, 41.03, 82.49(2C), 116-119(br s), 126.46, 139.13, 157.21; HRMS calcd for C₁₈H₃₃BO₂ [M]⁺: 292.2574 Found 292.2559.

(2E,4Z)-4-methyl-5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dien-1-ol (3xii)



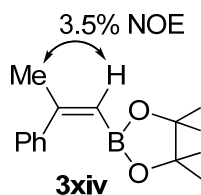
Compound **3xi** was generated from **1** and was used for synthesis of **4xi** without further purification. Experimental details are illustrated in the procedure for synthesizing **4xi** at page S13.

***tert*-Butyldimethyl((*2E,5Z*)-5-methyl-6-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-2,5-hexadienyloxysilane (3xiii)**



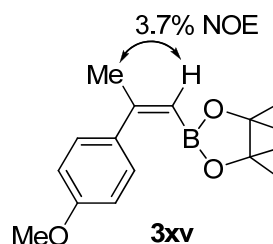
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and (*E*)-(3-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy)-1-propenyl)zinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating (*E*)-*tert*-butyl(3-iodoallyloxy)dimethylsilane (0.358 g, 1.2 mmol) with *n*BuLi (0.53 mL, 1.3 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.31 g (90%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.10 (s, 6H), 0.92 (s, 9H), 1.26 (s, 12 H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 4.30 (m, 2H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 5.91 (dt *J*₁ = 4.8 Hz, *J*₂ = 16 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d *J* = 16 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -5.21(2C), 18.43, 22.89, 24.79(4C), 26.03(3C), 63.75, 82.82, 124.0(br s), 130.55, 132.13, 154.86. HRMS calcd for C₁₈H₃₅BO₃Si [M]⁺: 338.2449 Found 338.2443.

(*Z*)-2-(2'-phenyl-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xiv)



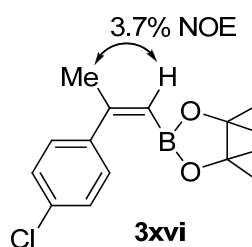
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and phenylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating phenylmagnesium bromide (0.4 mL, 1.2 mmol, 3.0 M solution in Et₂O) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.21 g (86%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.17 (s, 12H), 2.24 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 5.50 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 7.25-7.35 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.50(4C), 27.63, 82.83(2C), 115-119(br s), 127.32, 127.46(4C), 143.01, 157.54. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₁BO₂ [M]⁺: 244.1635 Found 244.1648.

(Z)-2-(2'-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xv)



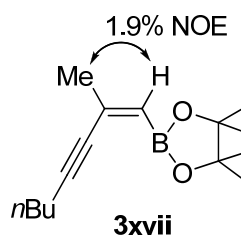
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and 4-methoxyphenylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 4-methoxyphenylmagnesium bromide (2.4 mL, 1.2 mmol, 0.5 M solution in THF) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.249 g (87%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.18 (s, 12H), 2.20 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 5.41 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.48(4C), 27.57, 55.02, 82.74(2C), 112.70(2C), 115-117(br s), 128.74(2C), 135.25, 156.92, 159.04. HRMS calcd for C₁₆H₂₃BO₃ [M]⁺: 274.1740 Found 274.1765.

(Z)-2-(2'-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xvi)



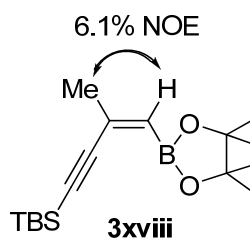
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and 4-chlorophenylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 4-chlorophenylmagnesium bromide (1.2 mL, 1.2 mmol, 1.0 M solution in Et₂O) with a solution of ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.24 g (85%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.16 (s, 12H), 2.19 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 5.49 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (s, 4H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.54(4C), 27.67, 82.99(2C), 116-120(br), 127.61(2C), 128.94(2C), 133.00, 141.40, 156.44. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₀BO₂Cl [M]⁺: 278.1245 Found 278.1255.

(Z)-2-(2'-methyl-1-octen-3-ynyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xvii)



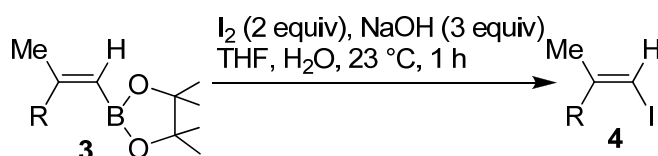
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.25 g, 1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (7 mg, 0.01 mmol) and 1-hexynylzinc bromide (1.2 mmol, generated by treating 1-hexyne (0.10 g, 1.2 mmol) with *n*-BuLi (0.53 mL, 1.3 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (2 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.27 g, 1.2 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.21 g (83%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.91 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.25 (s, 12H), 1.35-1.6 (m, 4H), 1.96 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.34 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 5.49 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 13.59, 19.24, 21.83, 24.75(4C), 27.74, 30.59, 81.76, 82.91(2C), 94.64, 139.26. HRMS calcd for C₁₅H₂₅BO₂ [M]⁺: 248.1948 Found 248.1933.

(Z)-2-(4-(tert-butyldimethylsilyl)-2-methylbut-1-en-3-ynyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (3xviii)



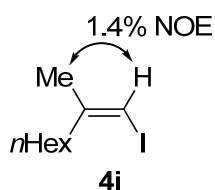
General procedure A starting from **2** (0.50 g, 2 mmol), 0.1% Pd(*t*-Bu₃P)₂ (0.1 mL, 0.01 M solutions in THF, 0.001mmol) and ((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)ethynyl)zinc bromide (3.0 mmol, generated by treating (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)ethyne (0.42 g, 3.0 mmol) with *n*-BuLi (1.2 mL, 3.0 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (4 mL) for 30 min at -78°C, followed by treating with ZnBr₂ (0.676 g, 3.0 mmol) for 30 min at 0°C) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.551 g (90%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.10 (s, 6H), 0.94 (s, 9H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 5.56 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -4.75, 16.62, 24.75, 26.10, 27.56, 83.00, 96.63, 106.25, 126.02, 138.23. HRMS calcd for C₁₇H₃₁BO₂Si [M]⁺: 306.2186 Found 306.2153.

General procedure B for iodolysis of boronates^[viii]



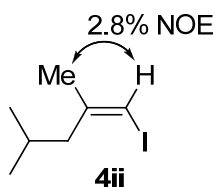
To a stirred solution of boronate **3** (0.5 mmol) in THF (1 mL) was added a solution of NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water). The resultant mixture was stirred for 10 min at 23°C, followed by dropwise addition of a solution of I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) in THF (5 mL). After 1 h at 23°C, the reaction mixture was quenched with aqueous Na₂S₂O₃, extracted with ether, washed successively with saturated NaHCO₃ and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, hexanes, for case of **4xii**, hexane-EtOAc 100:1 was used; for case of **4xv**, hexane-EtOAc 50:1 was used;) afforded the compounds **4**, which are ≥ 98% pure determined by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analysis..

(Z)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-octene (4i)



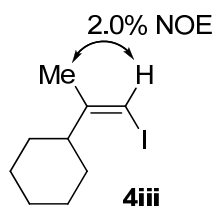
General procedure B starting from **3i** (0.13 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.11 g (86%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.90 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.25-1.5 (m, 8H), 1.88 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.20 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.82 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 14.08, 22.59, 23.25, 26.90, 28.96, 31.68, 38.64, 73.77, 147.80.

(Z)-1-iodo-2,3-dimethyl-1-butene (4ii)



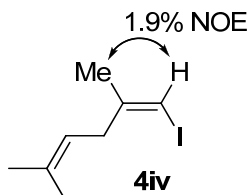
General procedure B starting from **3ii** (0.11 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.09 g (82%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.93 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 6 H); 1.86 (s, 3H); 1.90 (m, 1H); 2.12 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H); 5.90 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 22.22(C), 23.75, 26.65, 47.09, 75.16, 146.66. HRMS calcd for C₇H₁₃I [M]⁺: 224.0062 Found 224.0062.

(Z)-(1-iodo-1-propen-2-yl)cyclohexane (4iii)



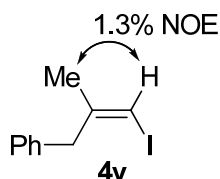
General procedure B starting from **3iii** (0.13 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.11 g (88%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.1-1.45 (m, 5H), 1.55-1.65 (m, 2H), 1.65-1.85 (m, 3H), 1.78 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.54 (tt, *J*₁ = 3.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 11.7 Hz, 1H), 5.76 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.14, 26.01, 26.14(2C), 29.93(2C), 46.57, 73.91, 151.11. HRMS calcd for C₉H₁₅I [M]⁺: 250.0218 Found 250.0199.

(Z) 1-iodo-2,5-dimethyl-1,4-hexadiene (4iv)



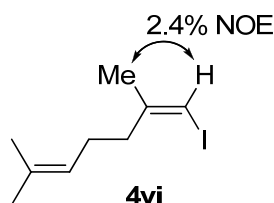
General procedure B starting from **3iv** (0.12 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.10 g (84%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.70 (s, 3H), 1.72 (s, 3H), 1.85 (s, 3H), 2.91 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 5.05-5.15 (m, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 18.05, 23.17, 25.76, 37.91, 73.33, 119.69, 133.79, 147.03; HRMS calcd for C₈H₁₃I [M]⁺: 236.0062. Found 236.0061.

(Z)-(3-iodo-2-methylallyl)benzene (4v)



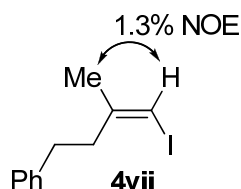
General procedure B starting from **3v** (0.13 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.10 g (81%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.85 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.4 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 23.07, 44.66, 75.54, 126.43, 128.46(2C), 128.53(2C), 138.17, 146.57. HRMS calcd for C₁₀H₁₁I [M]⁺: 257.9905. Found 257.9931.

(Z)-1-iodo-2,6-dimethyl-1,5-heptadiene (4vi)



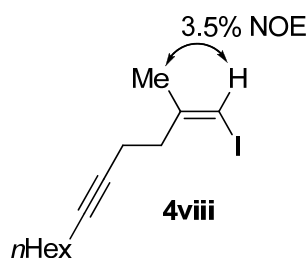
General procedure B starting from **3vi** (0.13 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.11 g (87%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.65 (s, 3 H), 1.70 (s, 3H), 2.10 (m, 2H), 2.25 (m, 2H), 5.15 (t, *J* = 5.0 Hz, 1H), 5.84 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 17.67, 23.41, 25.55, 25.68, 38.74, 123.19, 132.32; 147.29.

(Z)-(4-iodo-3-methyl-3-butenyl)benzene (4vii)



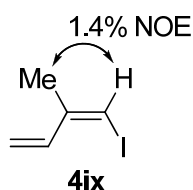
General procedure B starting from **3vii** (0.14 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.11 g (80%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.97 (s, 3H), 2.60 (m, 2H), 2.80 (m, 2H), 5.97 (s, 1H), 7.35 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 23.55, 33.14, 40.64, 74.91, 125.95, 128.30(2C), 128.32(2C), 141.17, 146.69; HRMS calcd for C₁₁H₁₃I [M]⁺: 272.0062. Found 272.0081.

(Z)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-dodecen-5-yne (4viii)



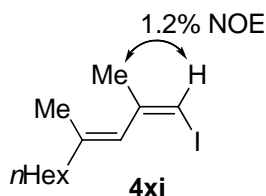
General procedure B starting from **3viii** (0.15 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.14 g (90%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.87 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.26-1.40 (m, 6H), 1.45 (m, 2H), 1.90 (s, 3H), 2.11 (t, *J* = 2.0 Hz), 2.25 (m, 2H), 2.35 (m, 2H), 5.89 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 14.01, 16.60, 18.70, 22.51, 23.48, 28.48, 31.31, 37.98, 75.18, 78.63, 80.93, 146.07. C₁₃H₂₁I [M]⁺: 304.0688. Found 304.0660.

(Z)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1,3-butadiene (4ix)



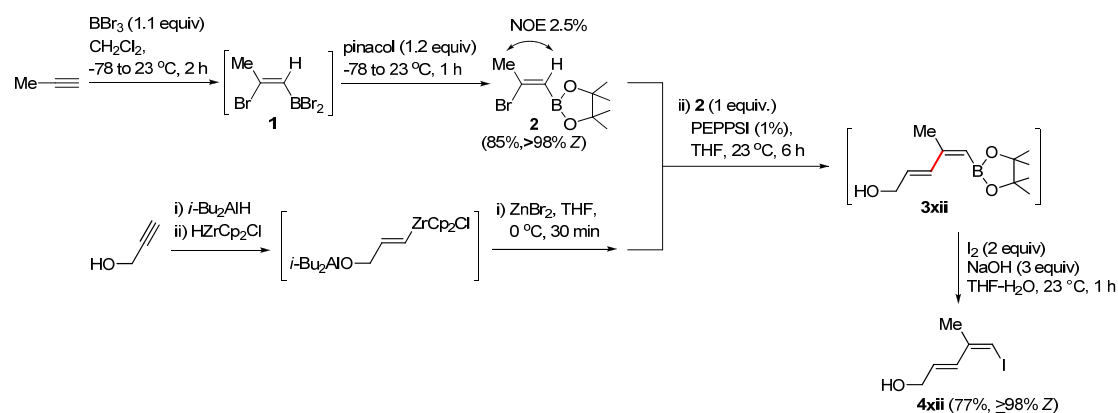
General procedure B starting from **3ix** (0.10 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.08 g (84%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.97 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 5.32 (dt, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 5.42 (dt, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 17.4 Hz, 1H), 6.68 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.73 (ddd, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 11.1 Hz, *J*₃ = 17.1 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.42, 79.92, 118.24, 138.20, 142.08.

(1Z,3E)-1-iodo-2,4-dimethyl-1,3-decadiene (4xi)



General procedure B starting from **3xi** (0.15 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.12 g (81%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.90 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.25-1.4 (m, 6H), 1.4-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.68 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.98 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.08 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 5.64 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.98 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 14.12, 17.93, 22.66, 24.64, 27.71, 28.89, 31.75, 39.86, 76.35, 126.52, 140.29, 145.29; HRMS calcd for. C₁₂H₂₁I [M]⁺: 292.0688. Found 292.0678.

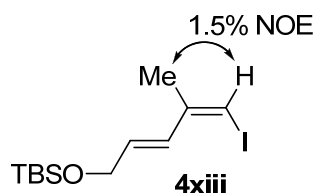
(2E,4Z)-5-iodo-4-methylpenta-2,4-dien-1-ol (4xii)



To ZrCp₂Cl₂ (1.93 g, 6.6 mmol) in dry THF (6 mL) cooled to 0°C was added slowly a solution of *i*-Bu₂AlH (6.6 mL, 6.6 mmol, 1 M solution in hexanes). The resultant

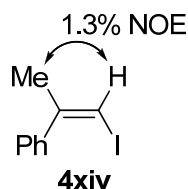
suspension was stirred for 30 min at 0°C, followed by addition of (3-butynyloxy)diisobutylaluminum (6 mmol) prepared by mixing propargyl alcohol (0.34 mL, 6.0 mmol) and *i*-Bu₂AlH (6.0 mL, 6.0 mmol, 1 M solution in hexanes) in dry THF (6 mL) for 30 min at -78°C. The resultant mixture was warmed to room temperature and stirred 1h at 23°C, cooled to 0°C, followed by addition of a solution of ZnBr₂ (1.35 g, 6 mmol) in dry THF (6 mL). After 30 min at 0°C, a solution of (Z)-2-(2'-Bromo-1-propenyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (**2**) (4 mmol, prepared from propyne (0.16 g, 4.0 mmol) and BBr₃ (1.1 g, 4.4 mmol) in dry CH₂Cl₂) in dry THF (2 mL) and PEPPSITM-IPr (41 mg, 0.06 mmol). After 6 h at 23°C, a solution of NaOH (0.72 g, 18 mmol) in water (4 mL) and I₂ (3.05 g, 12 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred 2h at 23°C, quenched with 0.5 M HCl, extracted with ether, washed with saturated Na₂S₂O₃, NaHCO₃ and brine, dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, EtOAc–hexanes 1:2) afforded the title compound 0.69 g (77%), which is ≥ 98% pure determined by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analysis. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.98 (s, 3H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 6.04 (dt, *J*₁ = 5.1 Hz, *J*₂ = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 6.64 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 21.05, 62.93, 79.63, 131.97, 133.25, 141.14. HRMS calcd for. C₆H₉IO [M]⁺: 223.9698. Found 223.9678.

***tert*-Butyl((*2E,5Z*)-6-iodo-5-methyl-2,5-hexadienyloxy)dimethylsilane (**4xiii**)**



General procedure B starting from **3xiii** (0.17 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.14 g (84%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.11 (s, 6H), 0.95 (s, 9H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 4.30 (dd, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 5.96 (dt, *J* = 4.8 Hz, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.09 (s, 1H), 6.67 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -5.21(2C), 18.35, 21.08, 25.96(3C), 63.32, 78.76, 130.80, 133.87, 141.40.

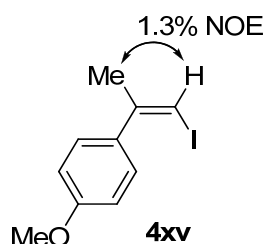
(*Z*)-(1-iodo-1-propen-2-yl)benzene (4xiv**)**



General procedure B starting from **3xiv** (0.12 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.11 g (86%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.26 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 6.32 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz,

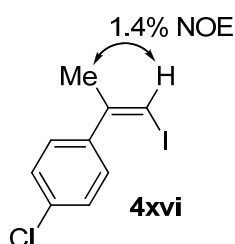
1H), 7.25-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.45 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.52, 77.43, 127.35(2C), 127.59, 128.22(2C), 142.83, 148.19.

(Z)-(1-iodo-1-propen-2-yl)-4-methoxybenzene (4xv)



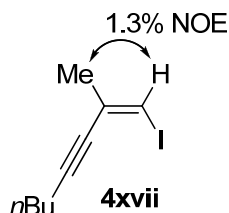
General procedure B starting from **3xv** (0.14 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.12 g (89%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.24 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 6.26 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.44, 55.12, 74.30, 113.42(2C), 128.64(2C), 134.80, 147.42, 158.84; HRMS calcd for. C₁₀H₁₁IO [M]⁺: 273.9855. Found 273.9878.

(Z)-(1-iodo-1-propen-2-yl)-4-chlorobenzene (4xvi)



General procedure B starting from **3xvi** (0.14 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.12 g (85%); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.21 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 6.32 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.41, 77.43, 128.50(2C), 128.87(2C), 133.40, 141.11, 147.02. C₉H₈ICI [M]⁺: 277.9359. Found 277.9368.

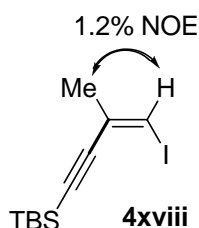
(Z)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-octen-3-yne (4xvii)



General procedure B starting from **3xvii** (0.12 g, 0.5 mmol), NaOH (0.5 mL, 1.5 mmol, 3 M in water) and I₂ (0.25 g, 1 mmol) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield:

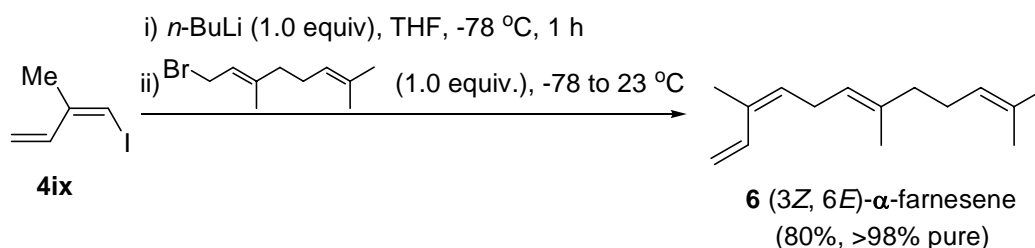
0.11 g (87%); ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 0.94 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.4-1.65 (m, 4H), 1.97 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 3H), 2.38 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 6.28 (q, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 13.58, 19.24, 21.91, 24.95, 30.51, 81.93, 82.42, 96.92, 132.41; HRMS calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{13}\text{I}$ $[\text{M}]^+$: 248.0062. Found 248.0068.

(Z)-(4-(tert-butyldimethylsilyl)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1-buten-3-yne (4xviii)



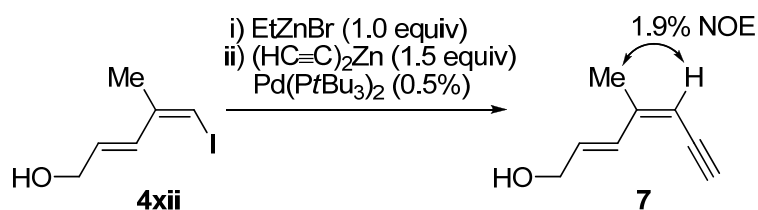
General procedure B starting from **3xviii** (0.545 g, 1.78 mmol), NaOH (0.214 g, 5.34 mmol, in 1.5 mL water) and I_2 (0.904 g, 3.56 mmol in 6 mL THF) gave the title compound as colorless oil. Yield: 0.457 g (84%); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 0.17 (s, 6H), 1.00 (s, 9H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 6.44 (s, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -4.69, 16.61, 24.66, 26.15, 84.76, 99.13, 106.49, 131.98. HRMS calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{19}\text{SI}$ $[\text{M}]^+$: 306.2585. Found 306.2599.

(3Z,6E)-3,7,11-trimethyl-1,3,6,10-dodecatetraene (6)



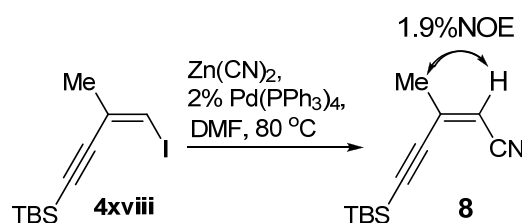
To a stirred solution of (Z)-1-iodo-2-methyl-1,3-butadiene (0.11 g, 0.55 mmol) in THF (2 mL) cooled to -78°C was added $n\text{BuLi}$ (0.24 mL, 0.6 mmol, 2.5 M solution in hexanes). The resultant mixture was stirred 15 min at -78°C followed by addition of a solution of geranyl bromide (0.11 g, 0.5 mmol) in dry THF (2 mL). The mixture was stirred 1 h at 23°C , quenched with water, extracted with ether, washed successively with brine, dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, hexanes) afforded the title compound 0.084 g (82%), which is $\geq 98\%$ pure determined by ^1H and ^{13}C NMR analysis. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 1.60 (s, 3H), 1.64 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.68 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.82 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.95-2.15 (m, 4H), 2.87 (t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2H), 5.05-5.15 (m, 3H), 5.21 (dd, $J_1 = 1.2$ Hz, $J_2 = 17.1$ Hz, 1H), 5.36 (t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H), 6.81 (ddd, $J_1 = 0.9$ Hz, $J_2 = 11.1$ Hz, $J_3 = 17.7$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 16.09, 17.67, 19.75, 25.70, 26.34, 26.65, 39.65, 113.46, 122.34, 124.24, 129.73, 131.43, 131.91, 133.65, 135.66.

(2E,4Z)-4-methyl-2,4-heptadien-6-yn-1-ol (7)



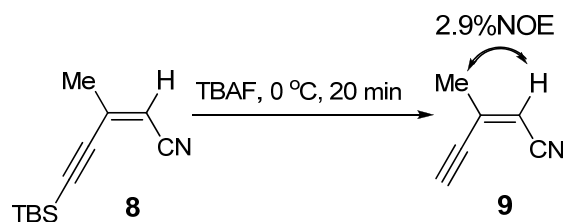
To a solution of (2E,4Z)-5-iodo-4-methyl-2,4-pentadien-1-ol **4xii** (0.21 g, 0.94 mmol) cooled to 0°C was added Et₂Zn (0.98 mL, 0.98 mmol, 1.0 M solution in hexanes). The mixture was stirred 30 min at 0°C followed by addition of a solution of Pd(*t*-Bu₃P)₂ (0.5 mL, 0.01 M solutions in THF, 0.005 mmol) in dry THF (1 mL) and diethynylzinc (1.4 mL, 1.4 mmol, 1.0 M solution in hexanes). After 2 h at 23°C reaction mixture was quenched with aqueous NH₄Cl, extracted with ether, dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, 2:1 hexane:EtOAc) afforded the title compound 0.11 g (94%), which is ≥ 98% pure determined by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analysis. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.92 (s, 3H), 3.20 (s, 1H), 4.30 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H), 5.41 (s, 1H), 6.03 (dt, *J*₁ = 6.0 Hz, *J*₂ = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 19.16, 63.20, 80.84, 82.49, 107.61, 129.05, 132.21, 146.74.

(Z)-5-(tert-butyldimethylsilyl)-3-methyl-2-penten-4-ynenitrile (8)



To a solution of **4xviii** (350 mg, 1.14 mmol) and Zn(CN)₂ (174 mg, 1.48 mmol) in dry DMF (2 mL) was added Pd(PPh₃)₄ (26 mg, 0.023 mmol) at 23°C. The reaction mixture was stirred at 80°C for 3 h. Then, it was diluted with Et₂O (60 mL), washed with water (2 x 15 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography (silica gel, 20:1 hexane:EtOAc) afforded the title compound 225 mg (96%) as colorless oil which is ≥ 98% pure determined by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analysis. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.14 (s, 6H), 0.94 (s, 9H), 2.00 (s, 3H), 5.42 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -5.14, 16.33, 23.39, 25.80, 101.85, 104.09, 105.07, 116.19, 141.84. HRMS calcd for C₁₂H₁₉NSi [M]⁺: 205.1287. Found 205.1298.

(Z)-3-methyl-2-penten-4-ynenitrile (9)



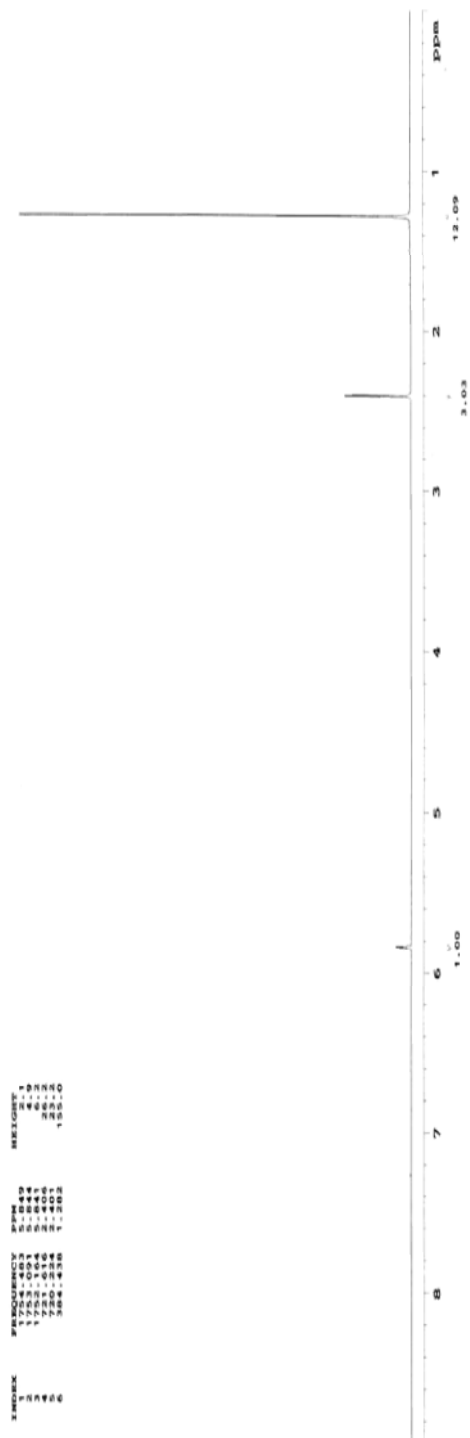
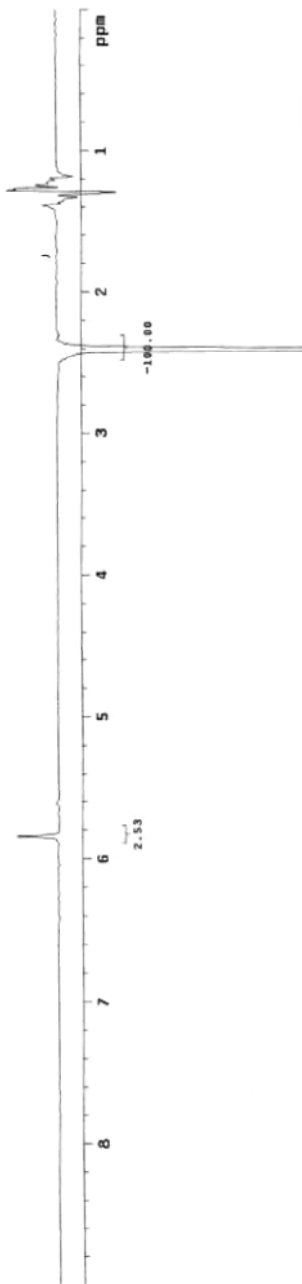
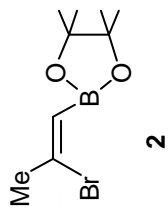
To a cooled (0 °C) solution of **8** (223 mg, 1.09 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was added TBAF (1.14 mL, 1.14 mmol, 1M solution in THF). The resultant mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 20 min, concentrated under vacuum and column chromatography (silica gel, 20:1 Et₂O:pentane) gave the title compound 84 mg (85%) as colorless oil which is ≥ 98% pure determined by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analysis. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.05 (s, 3H), 3.60 (s, 1H), 5.53 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 23.46, 80.37, 87.83, 105.27, 116.08, 141.39. HRMS calcd for C₆H₅N [M]⁺: 91.0422. Found 91.0401.

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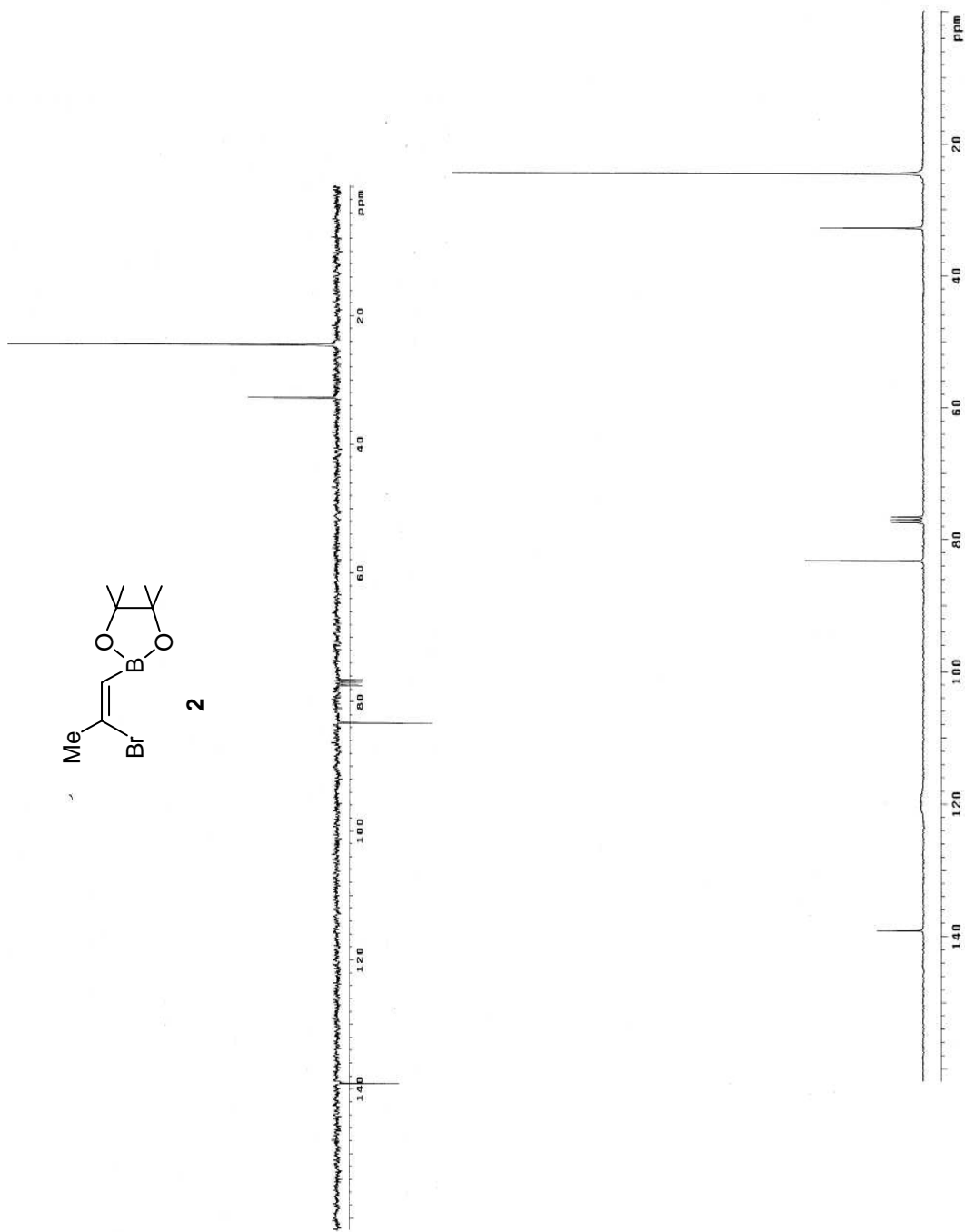
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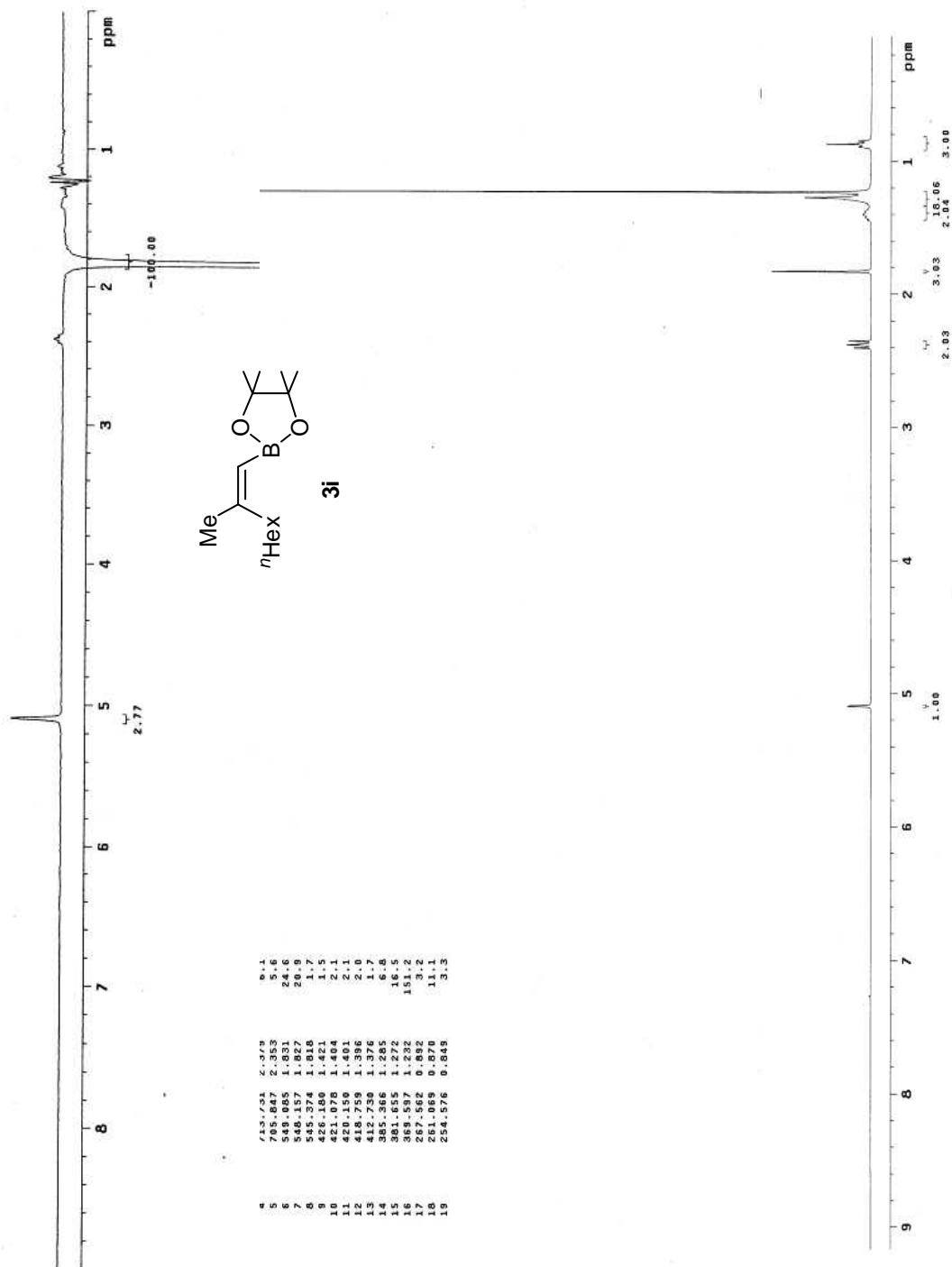
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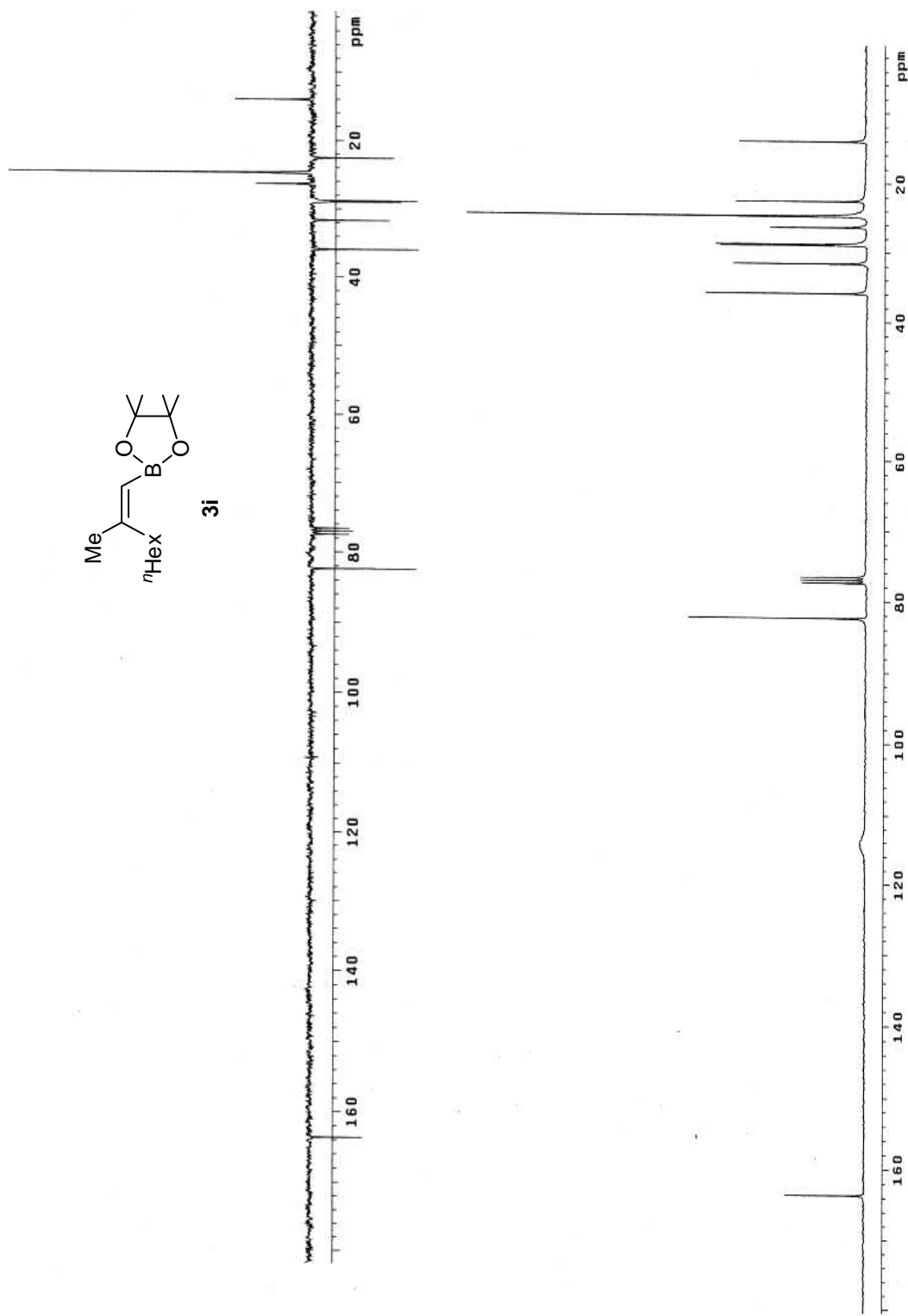


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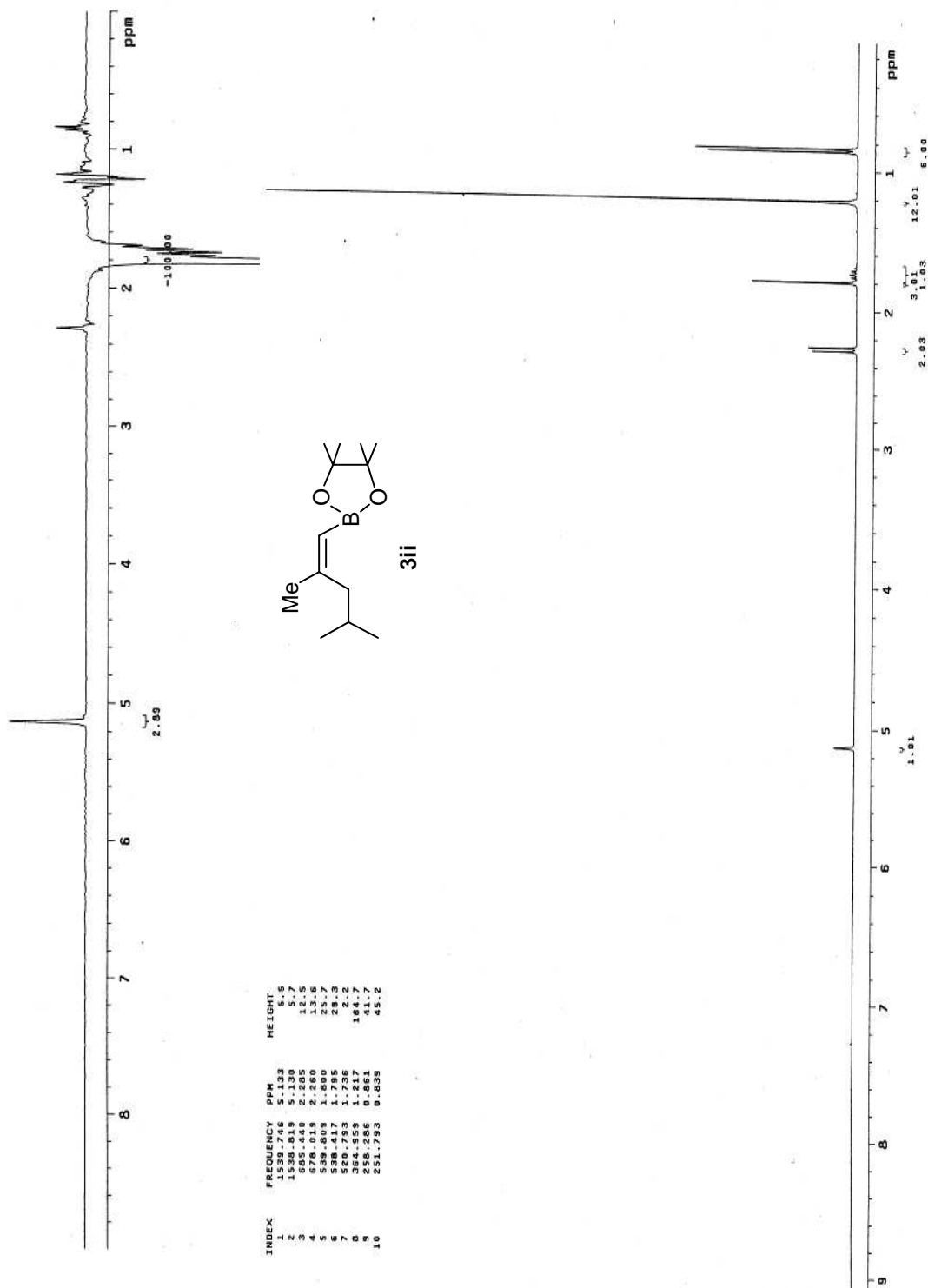


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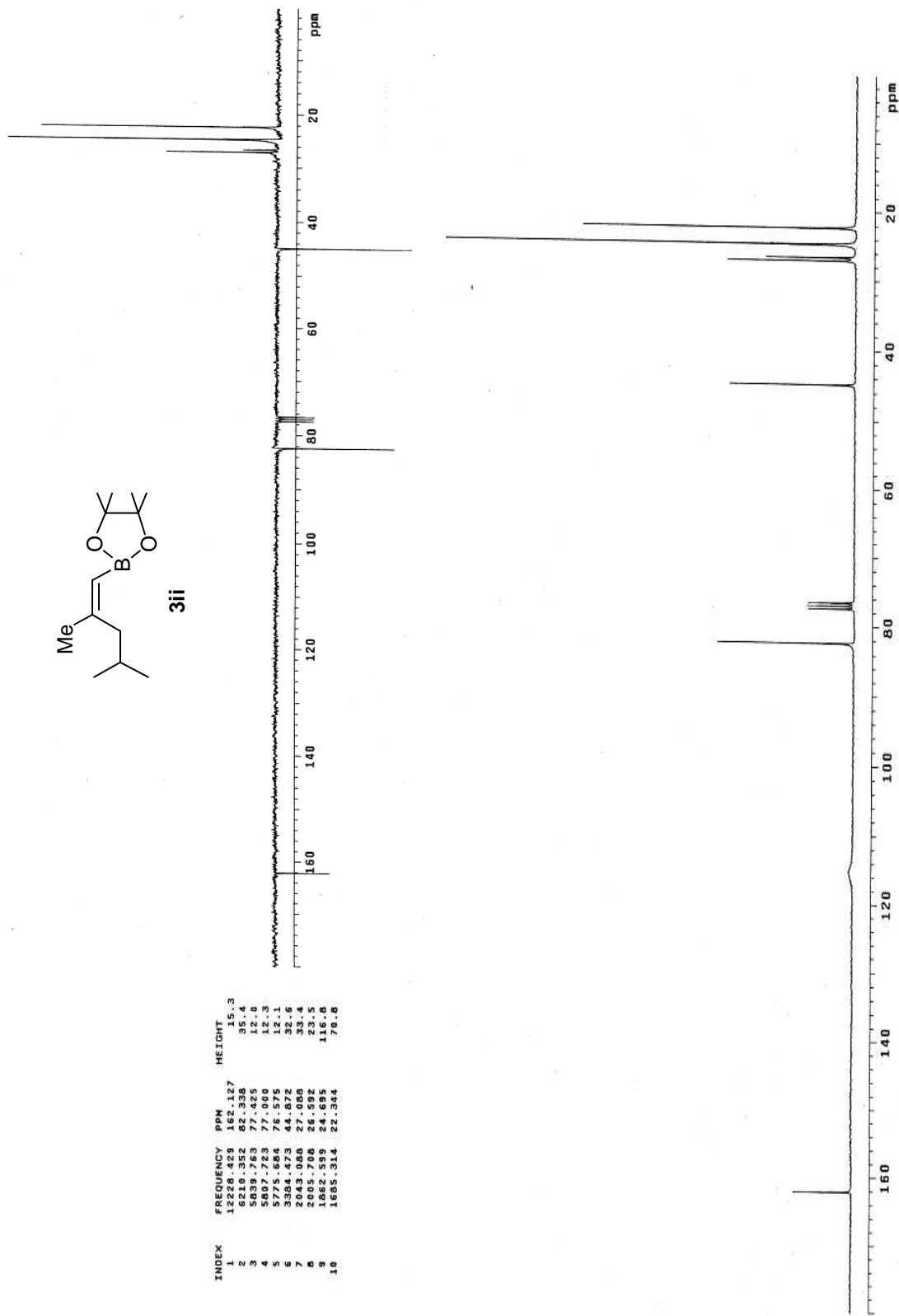
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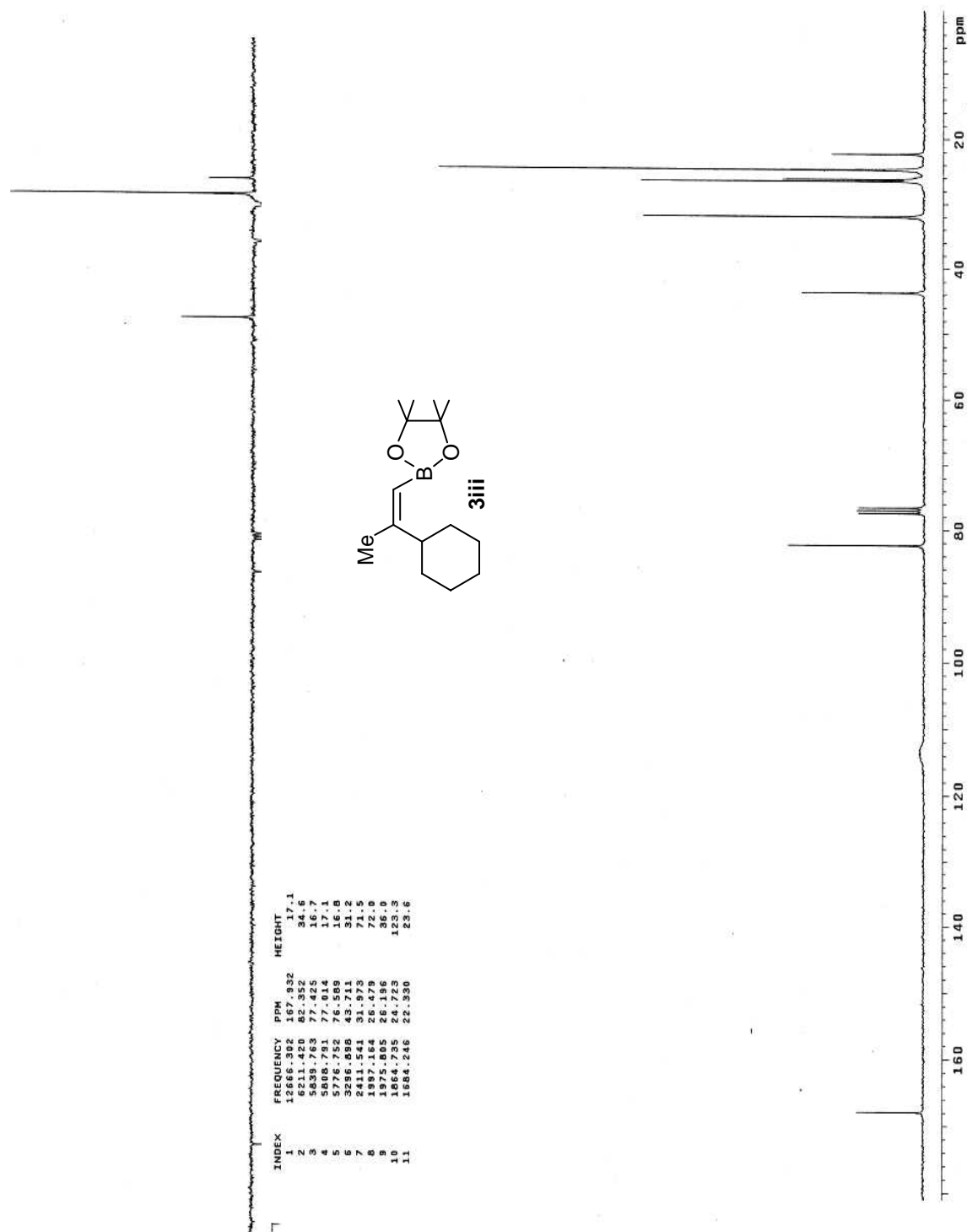
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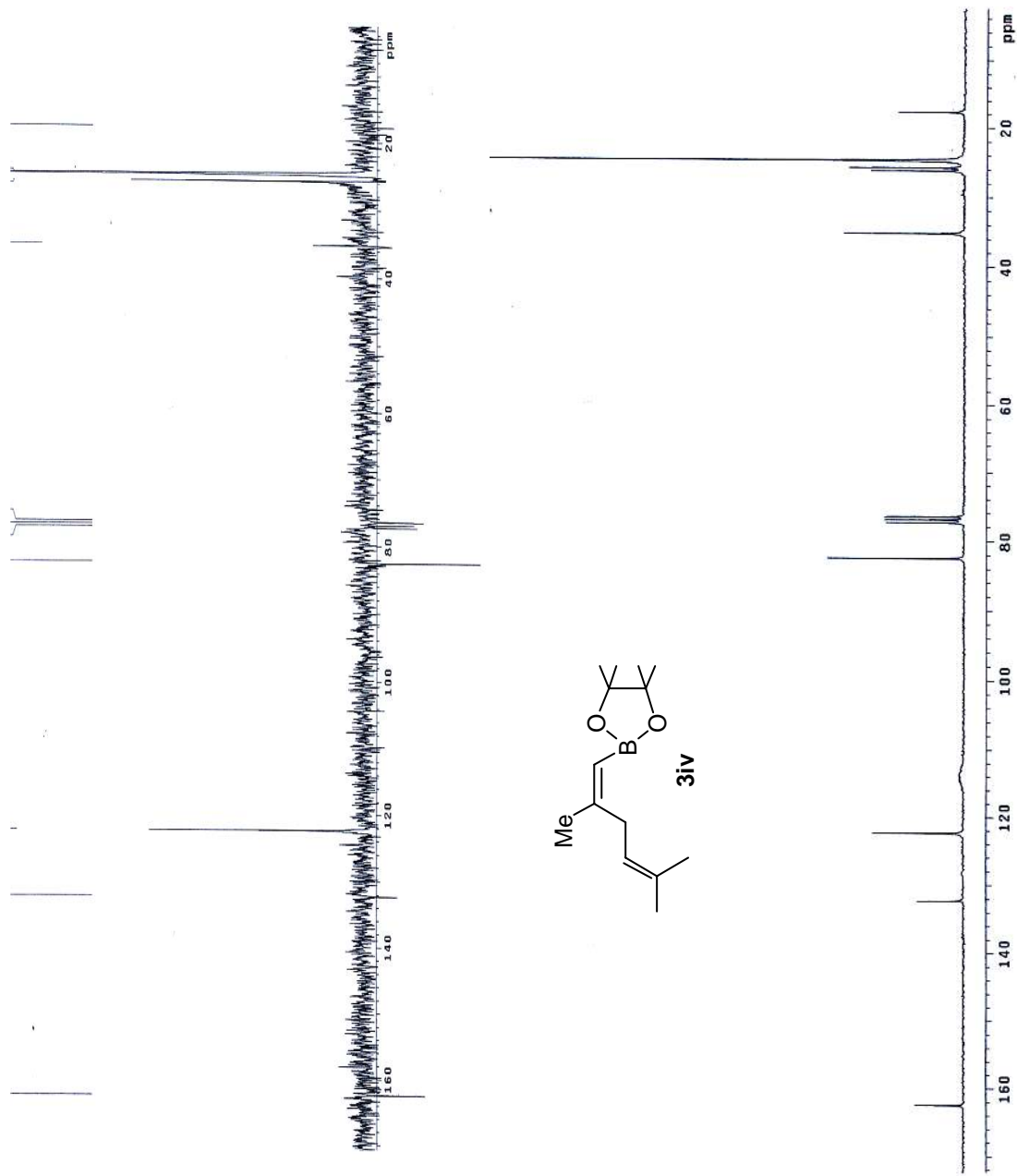


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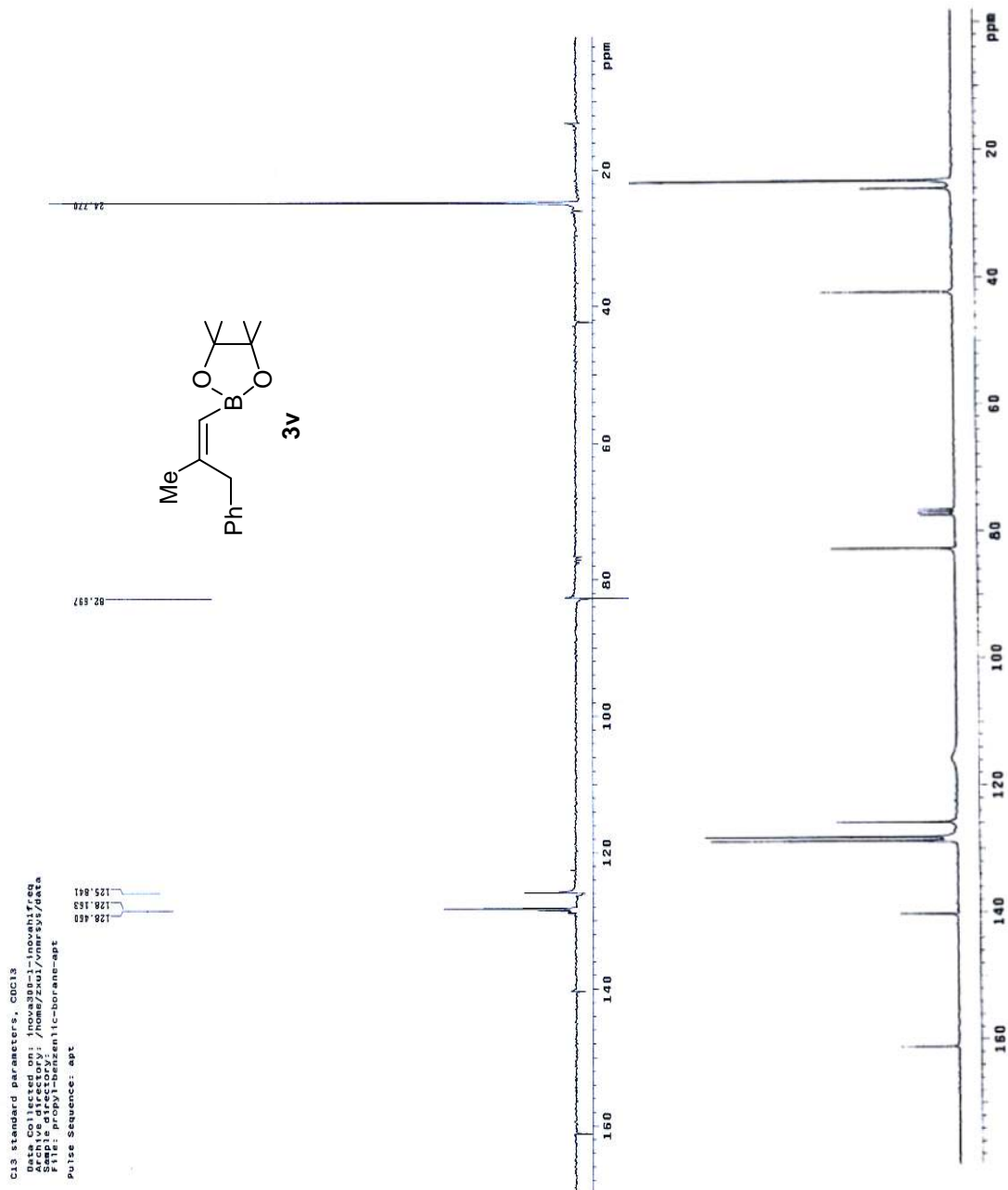


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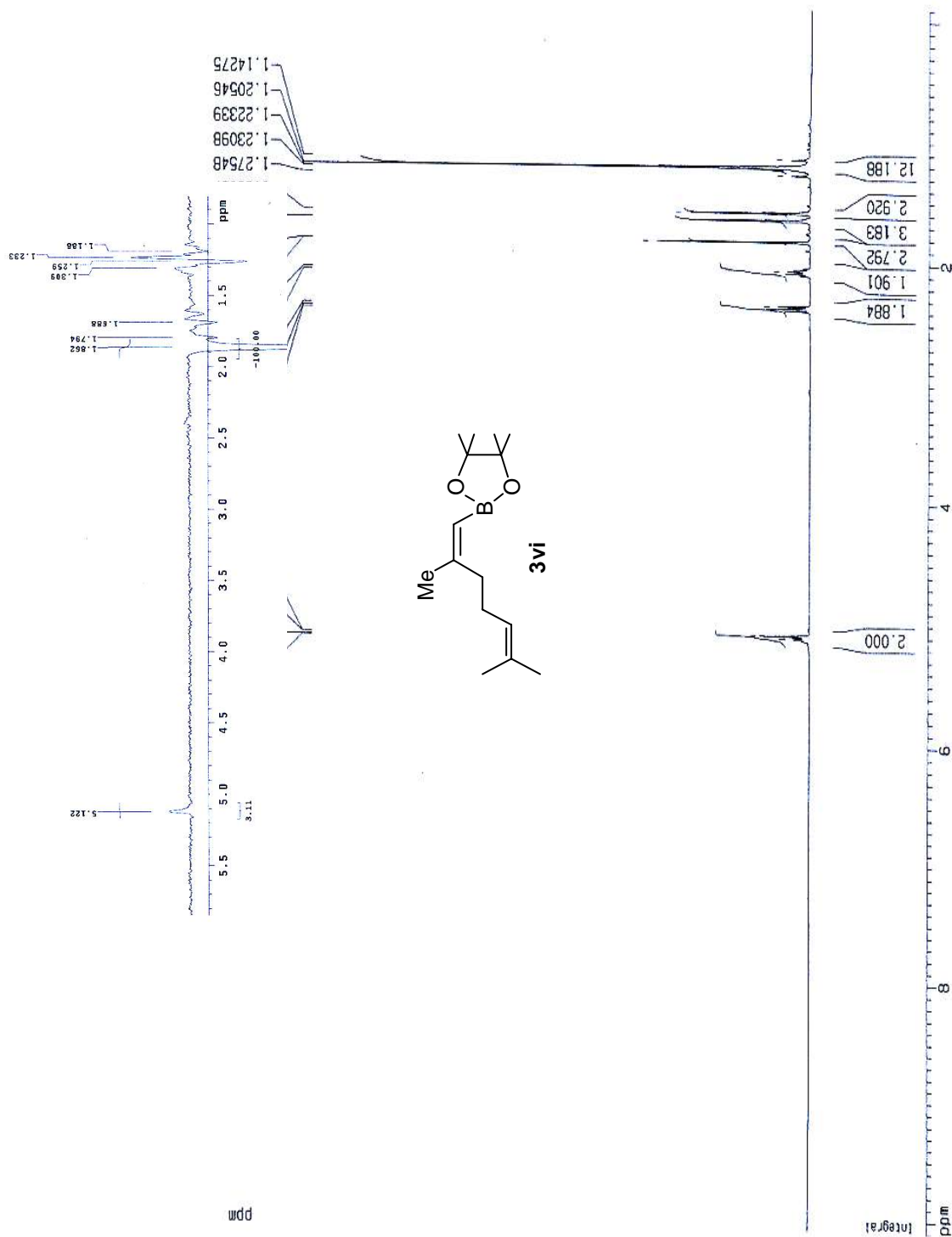
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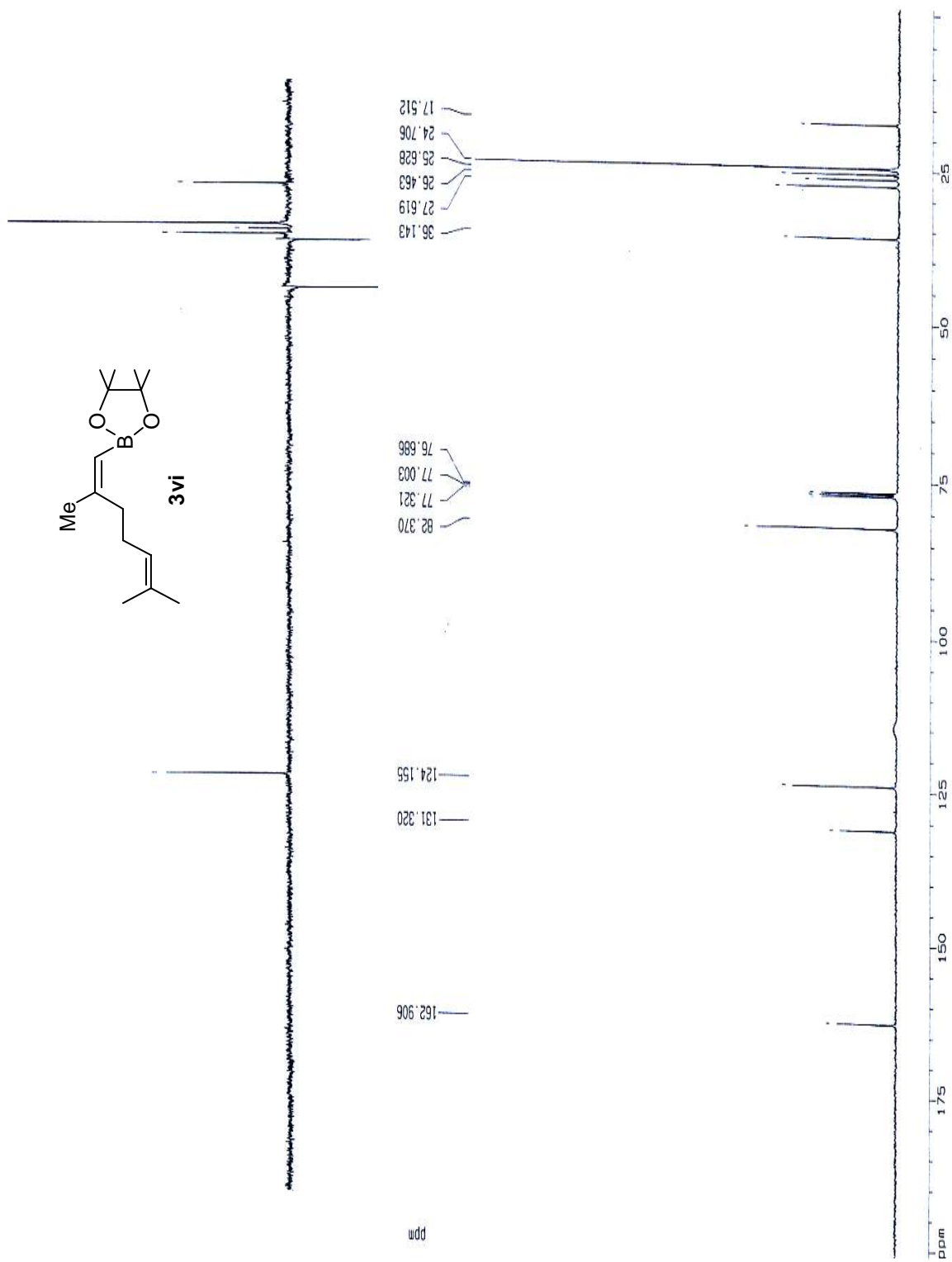
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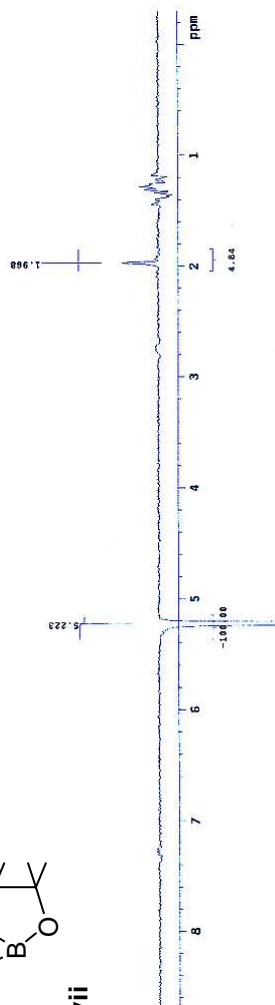
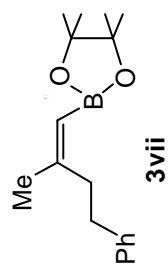
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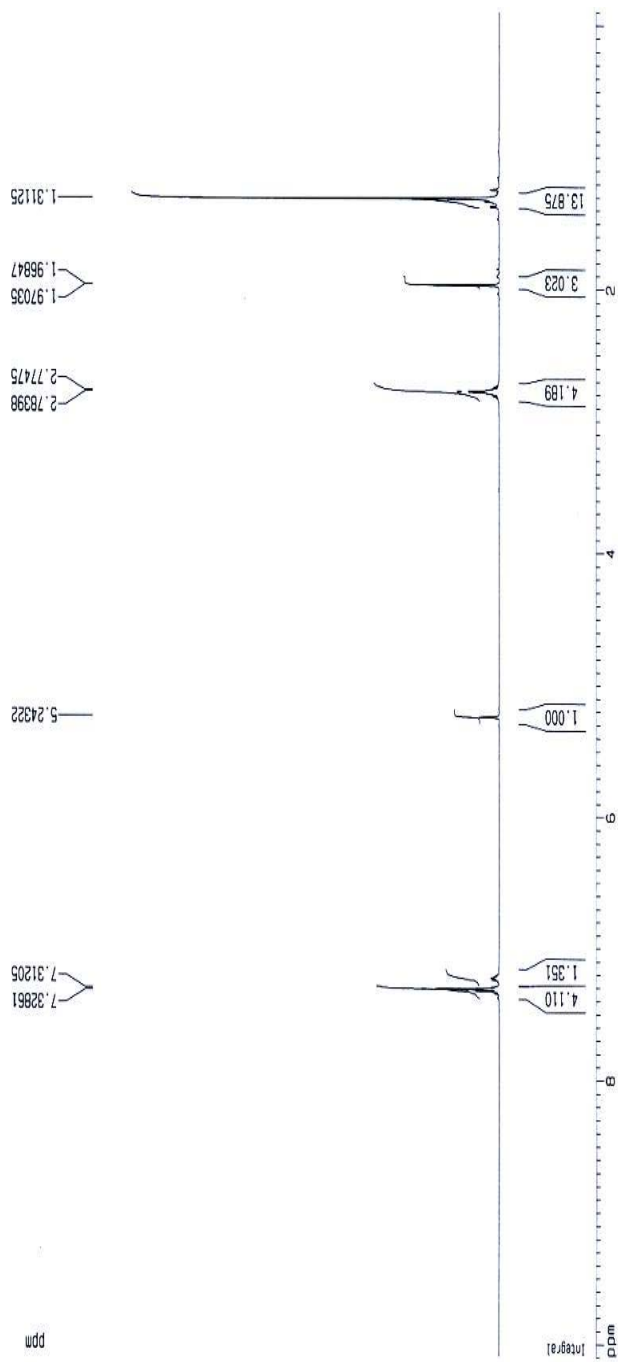


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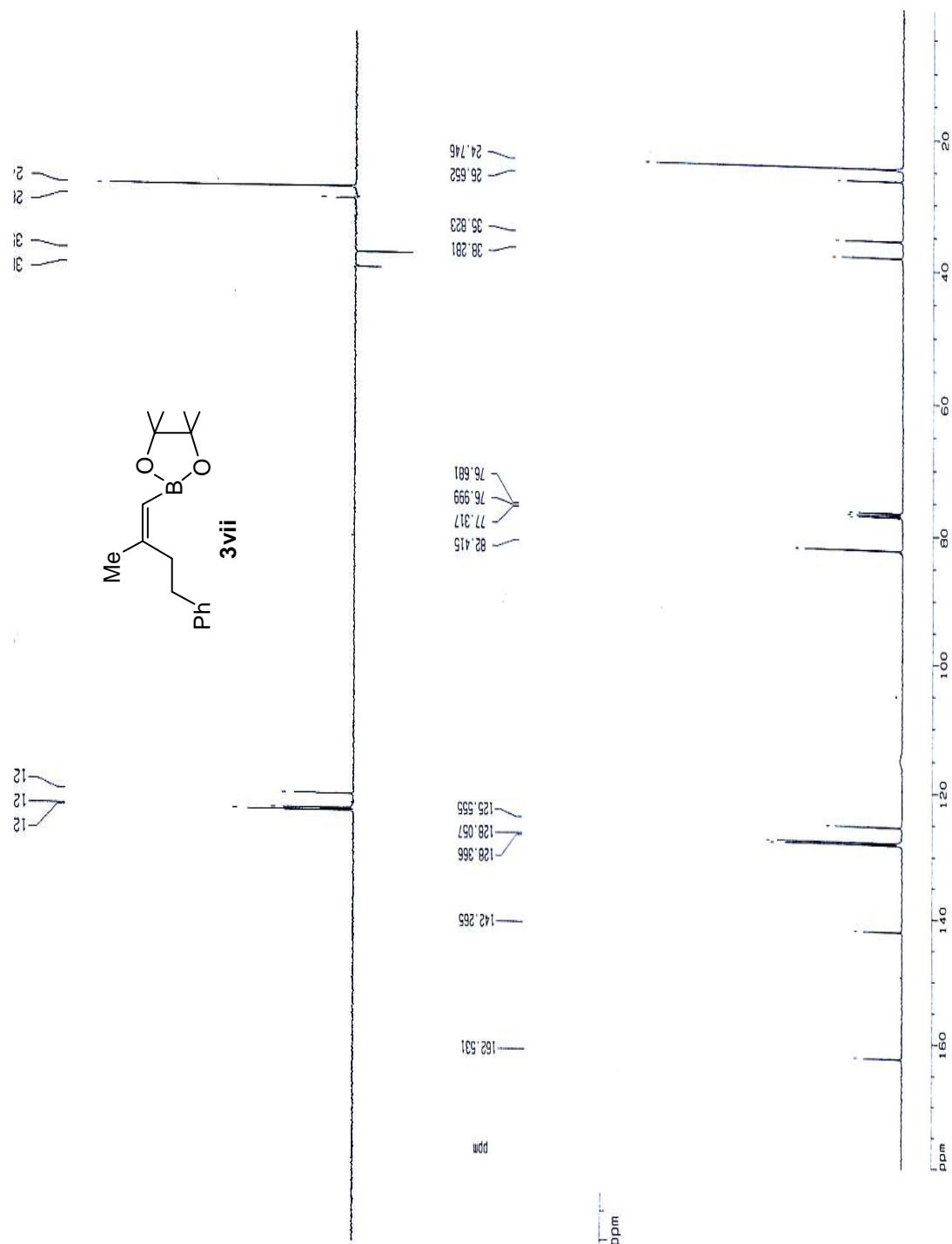
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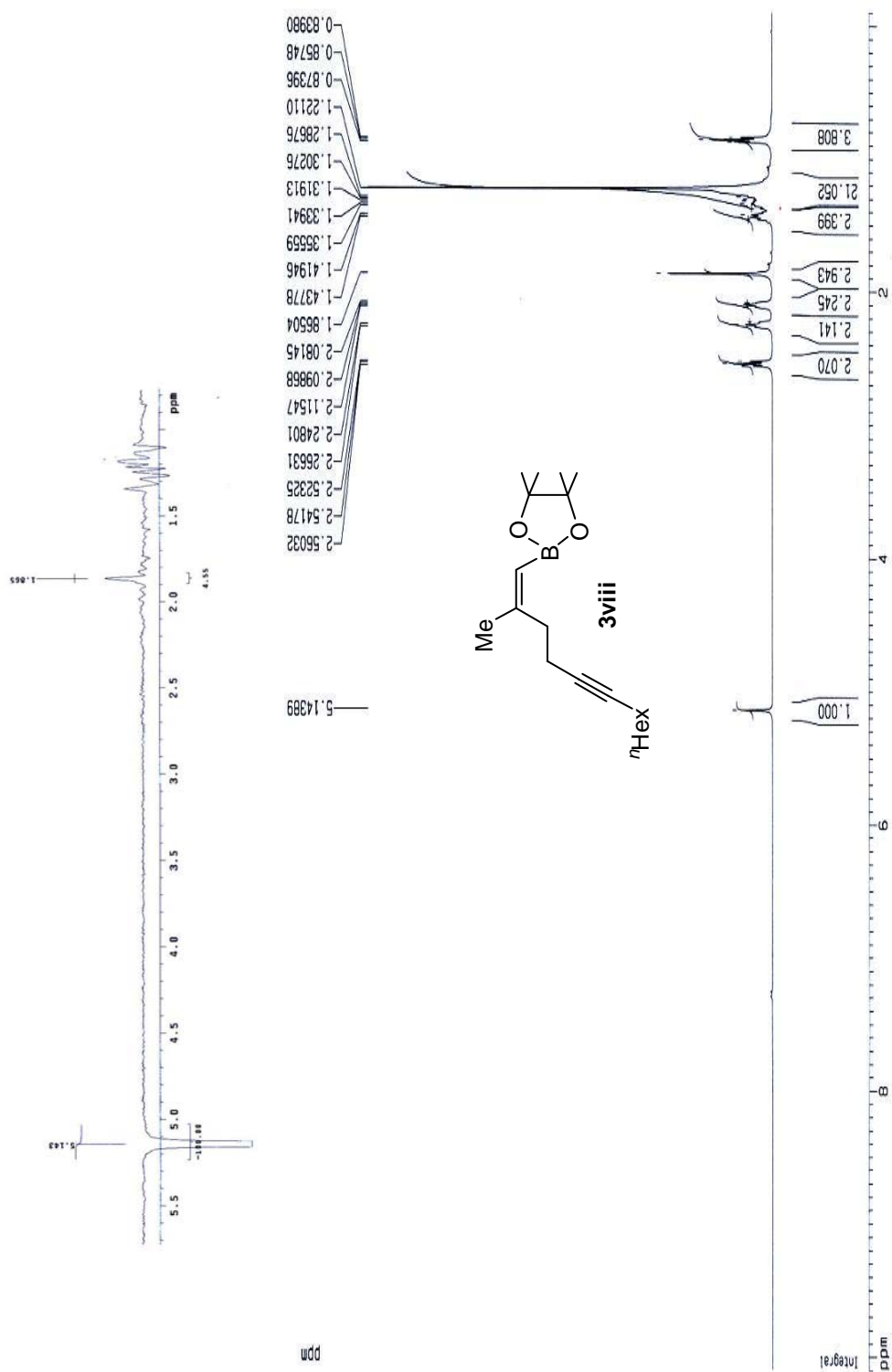


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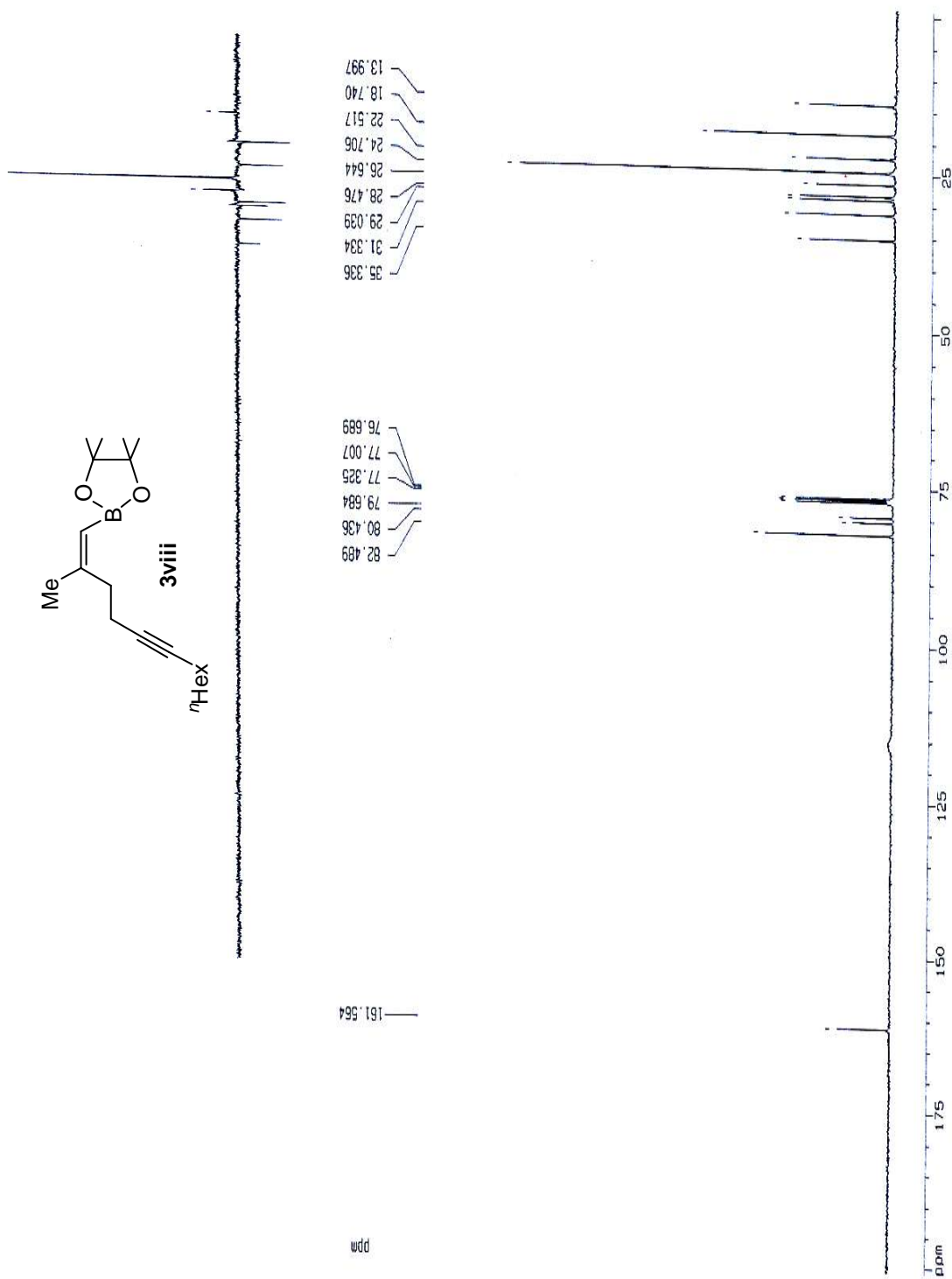
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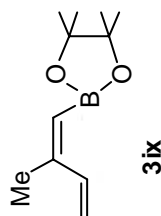
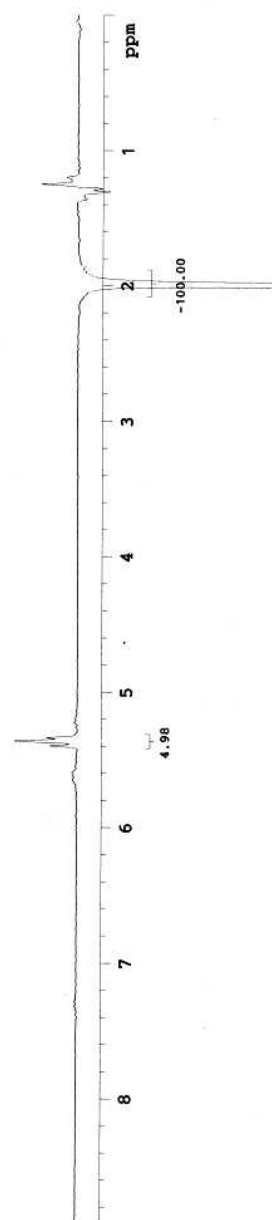
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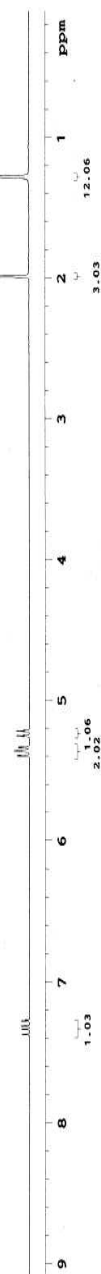


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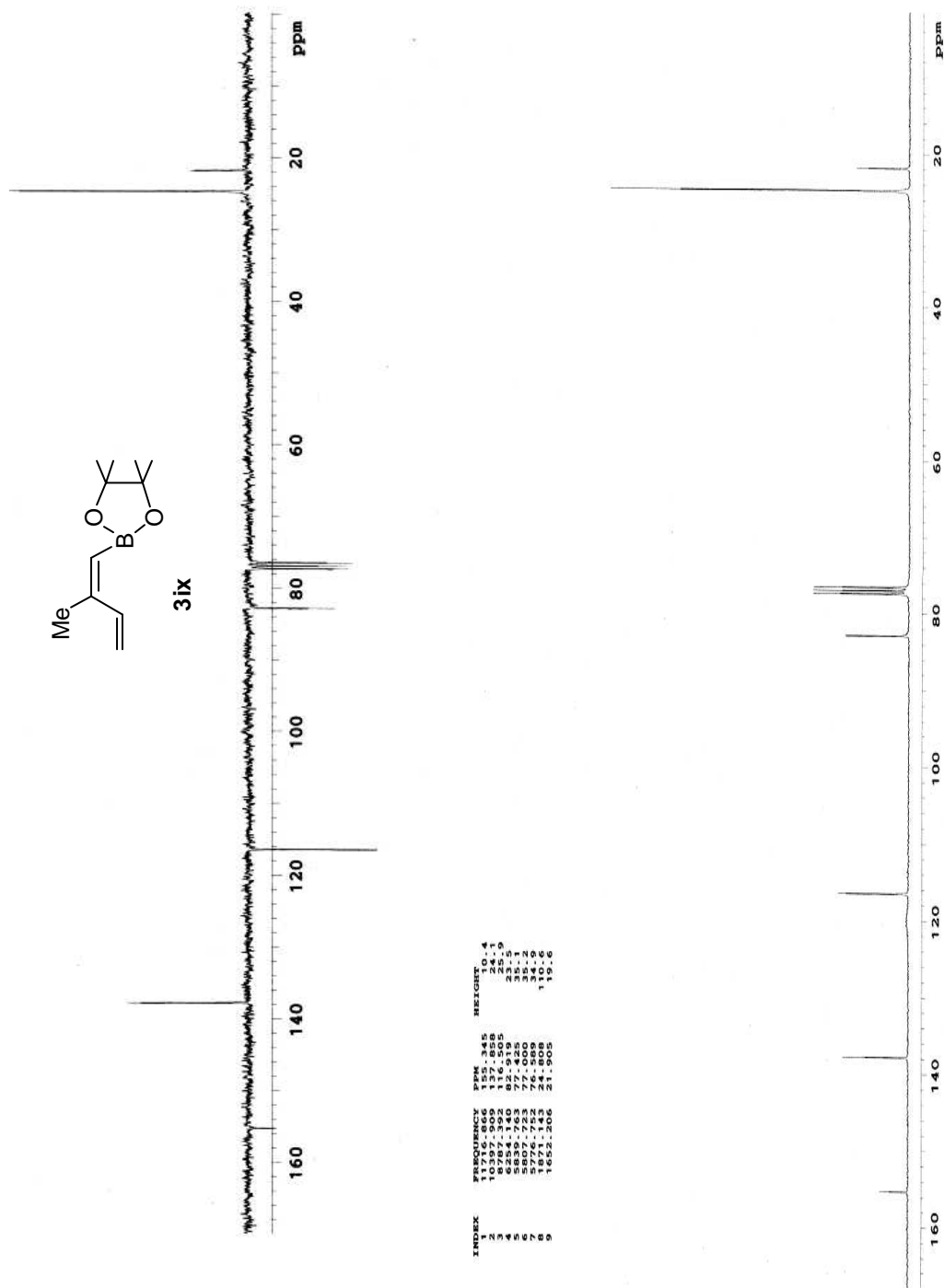


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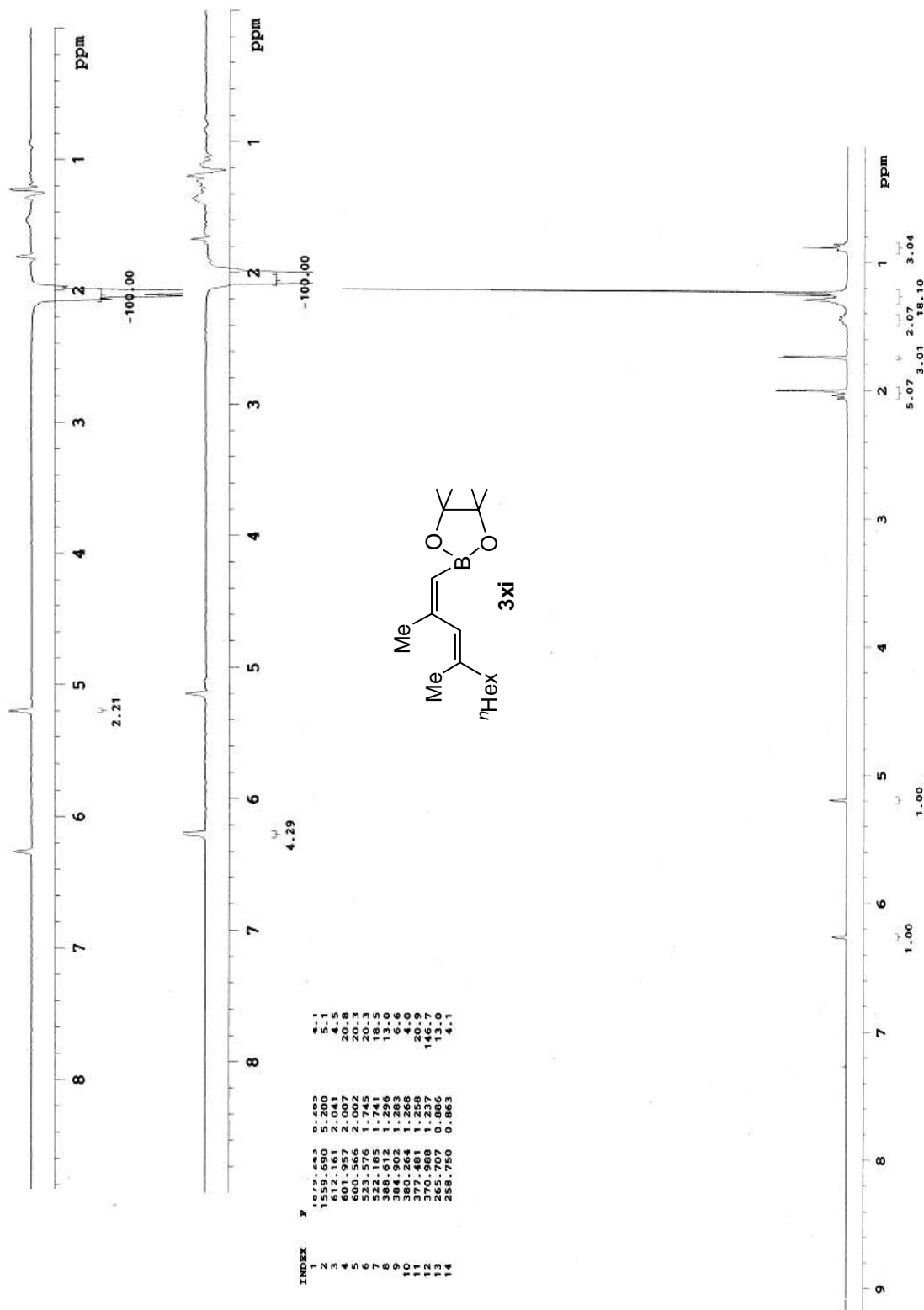
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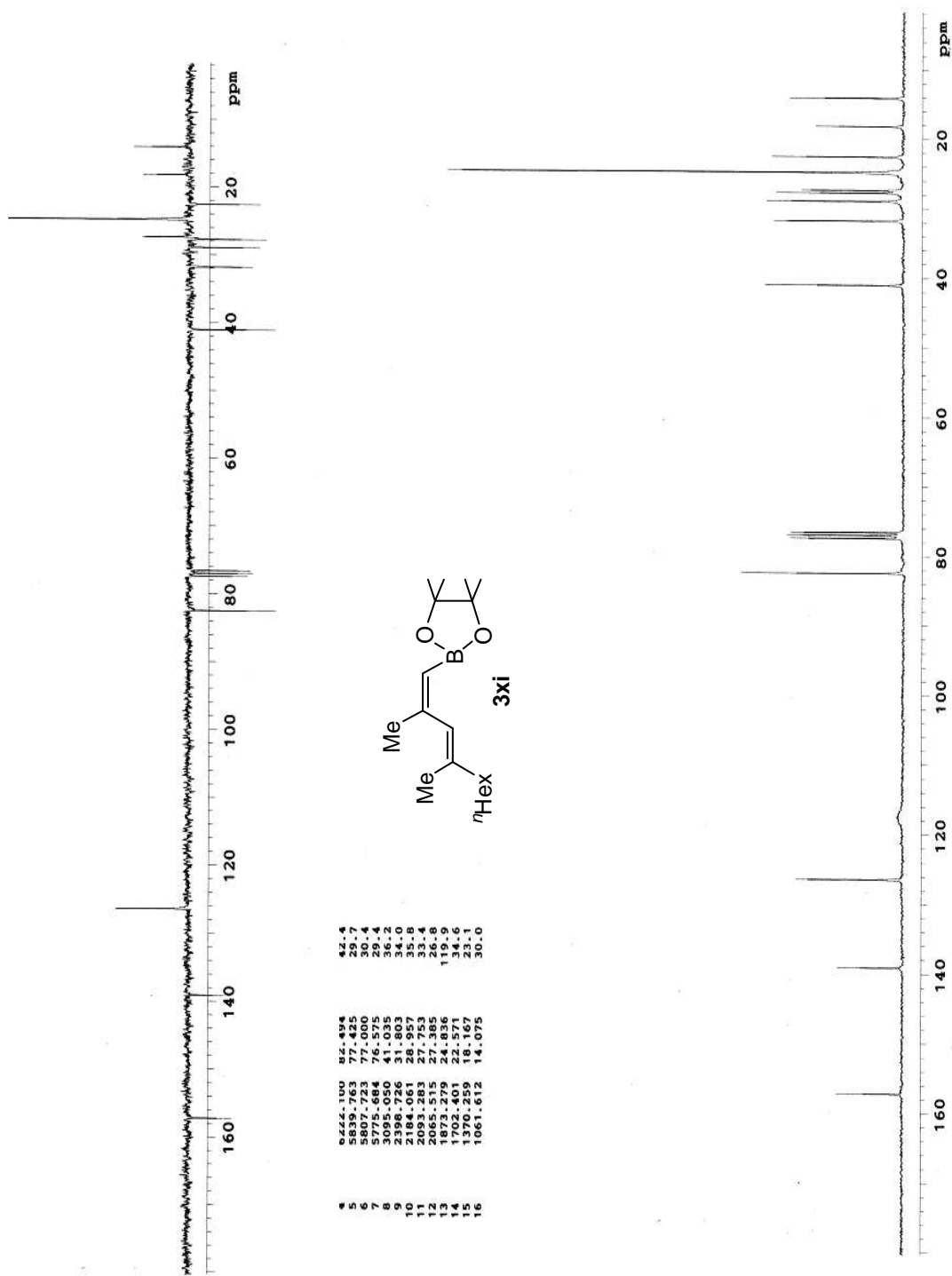
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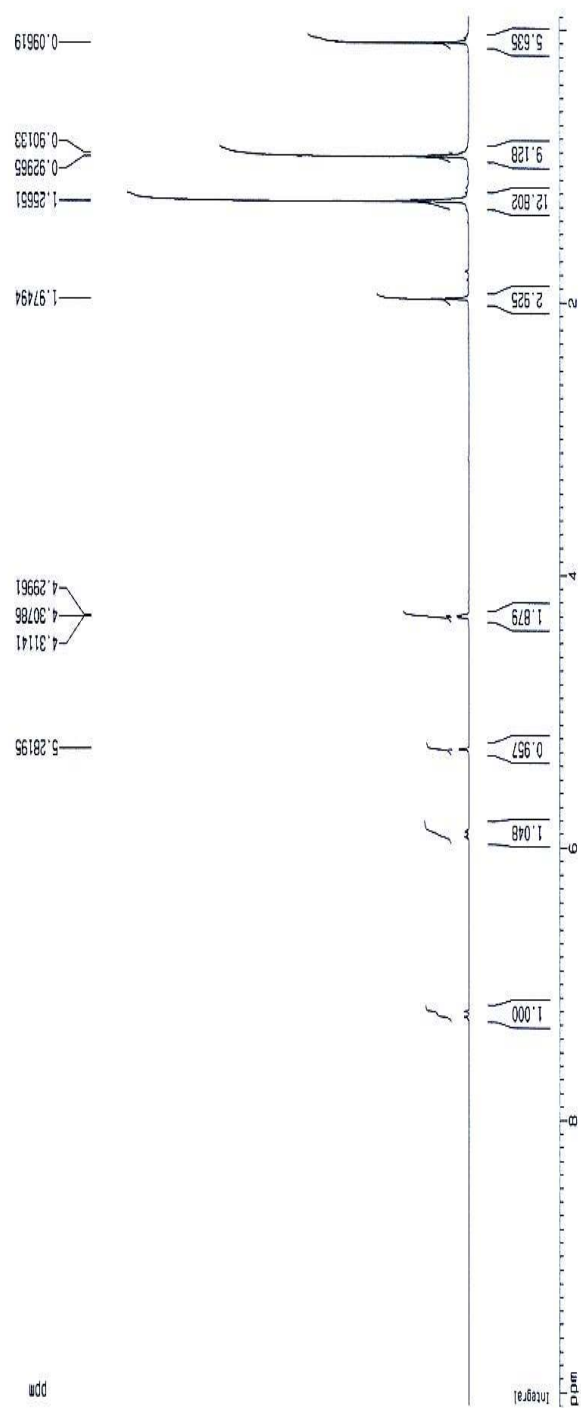
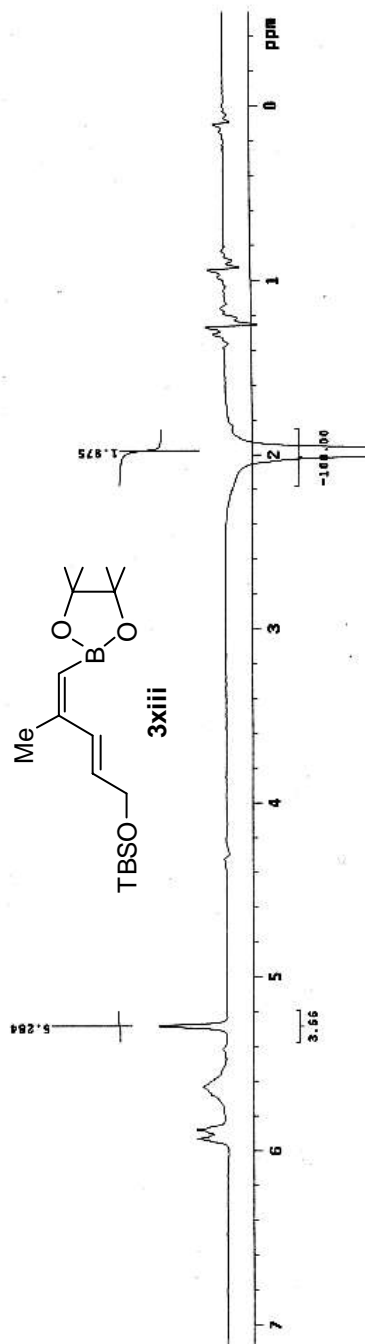
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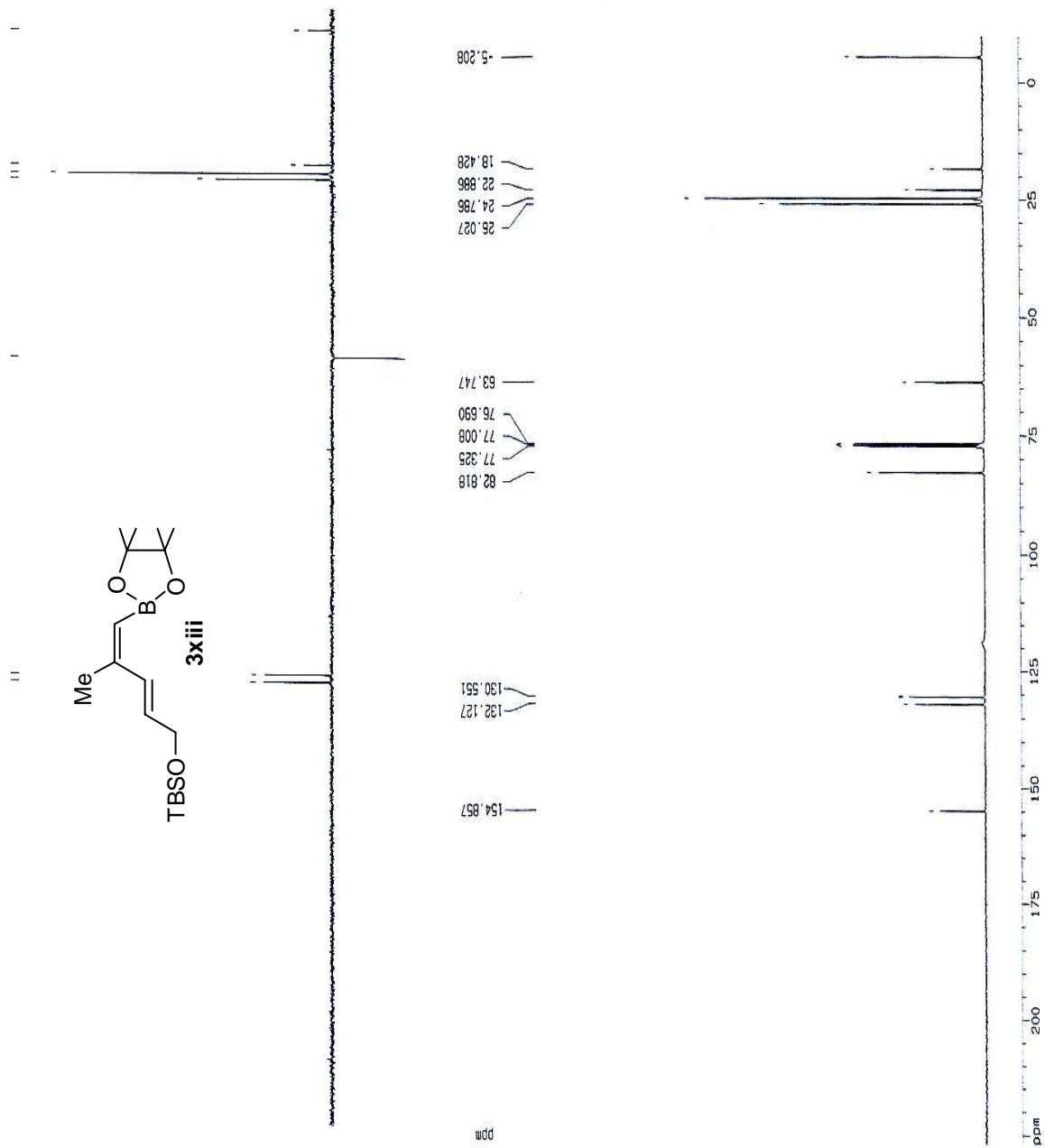


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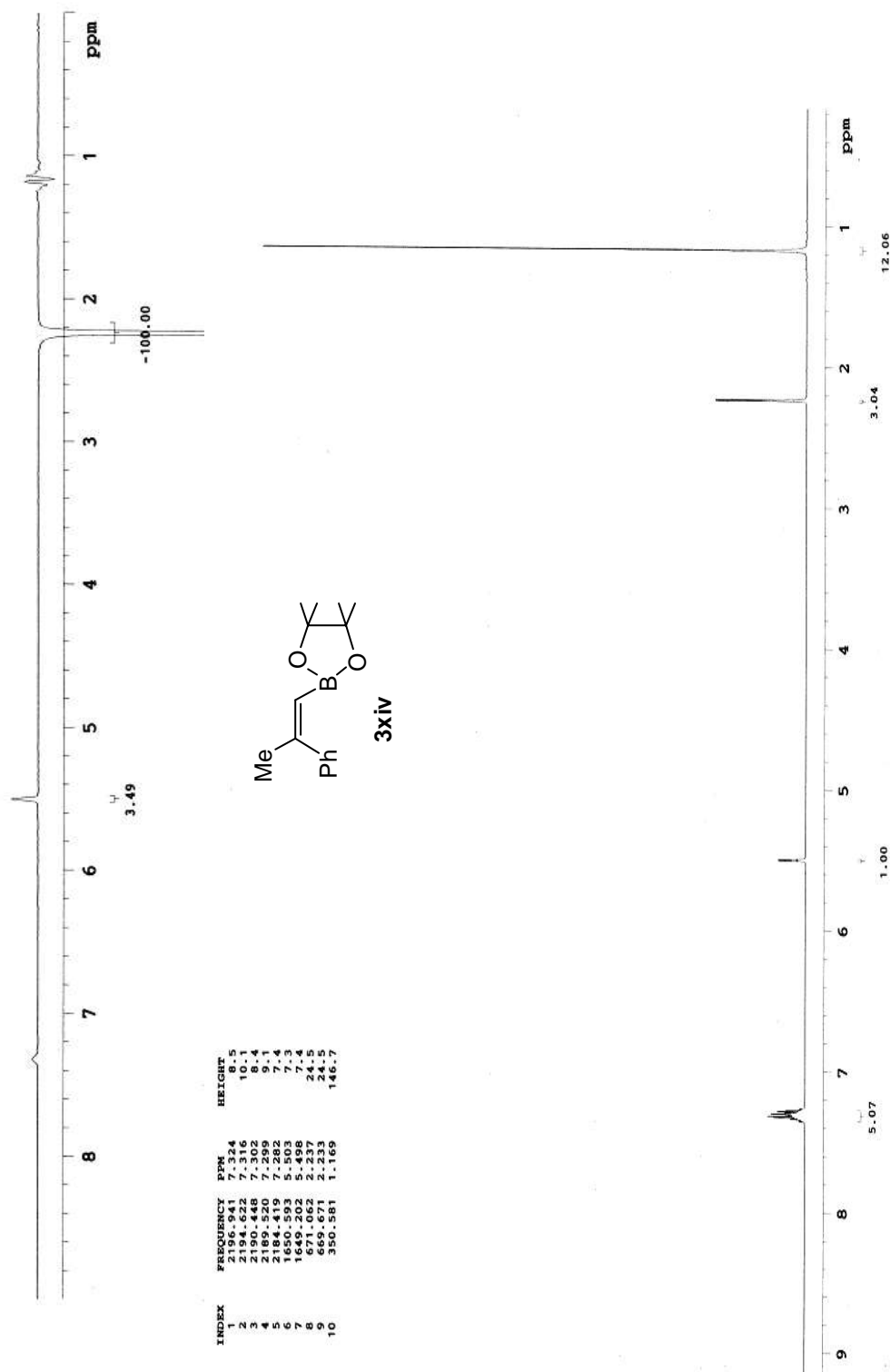


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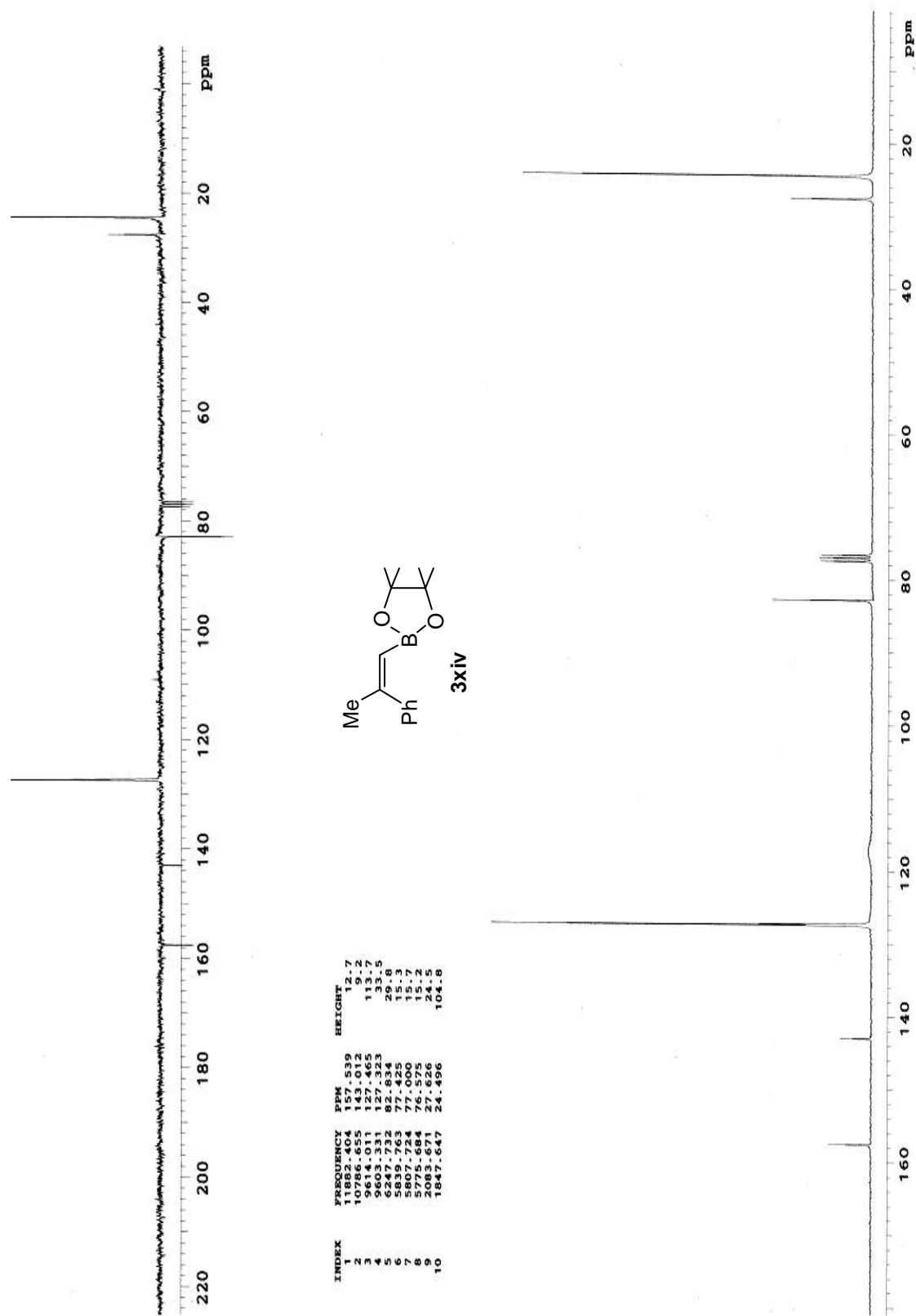
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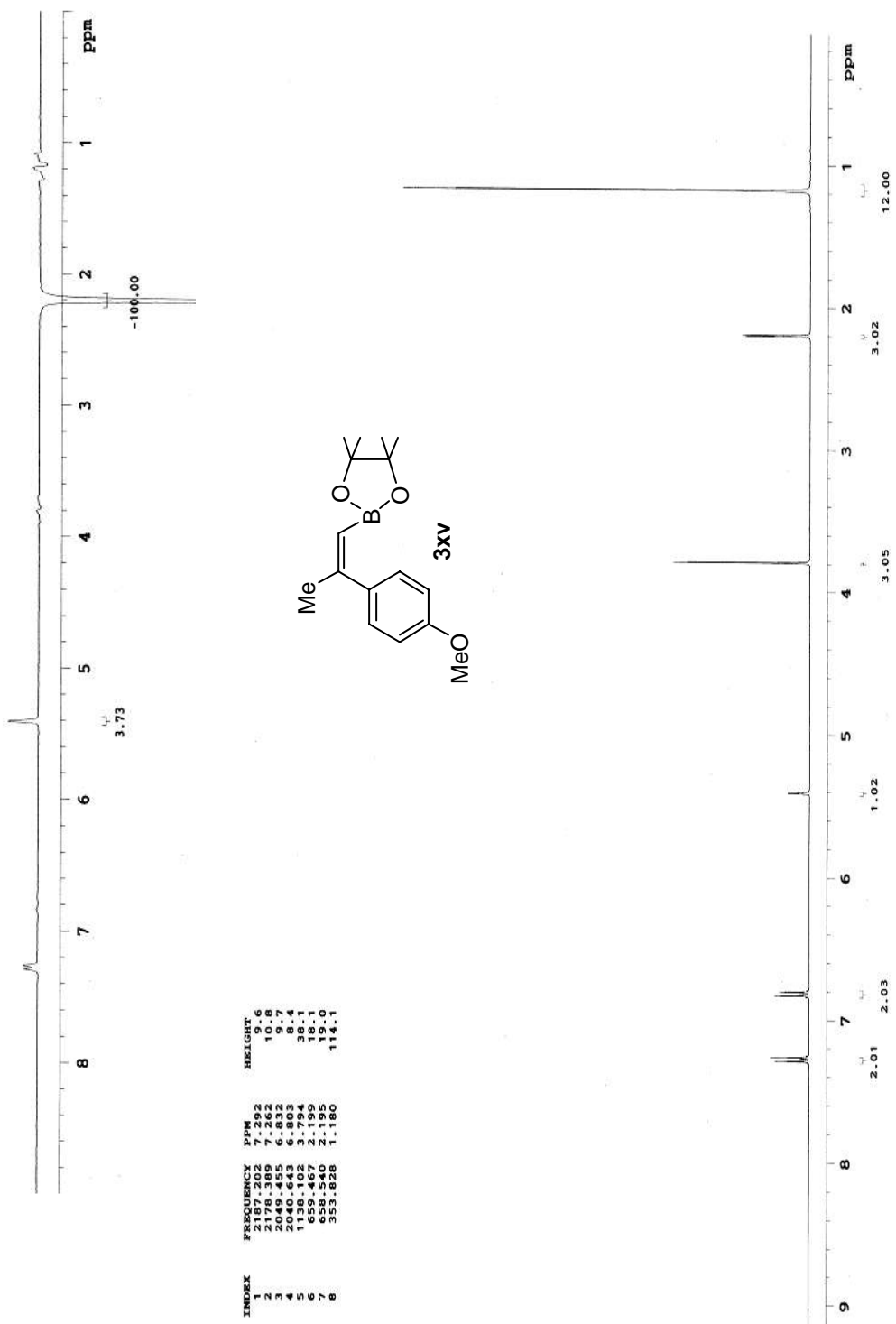
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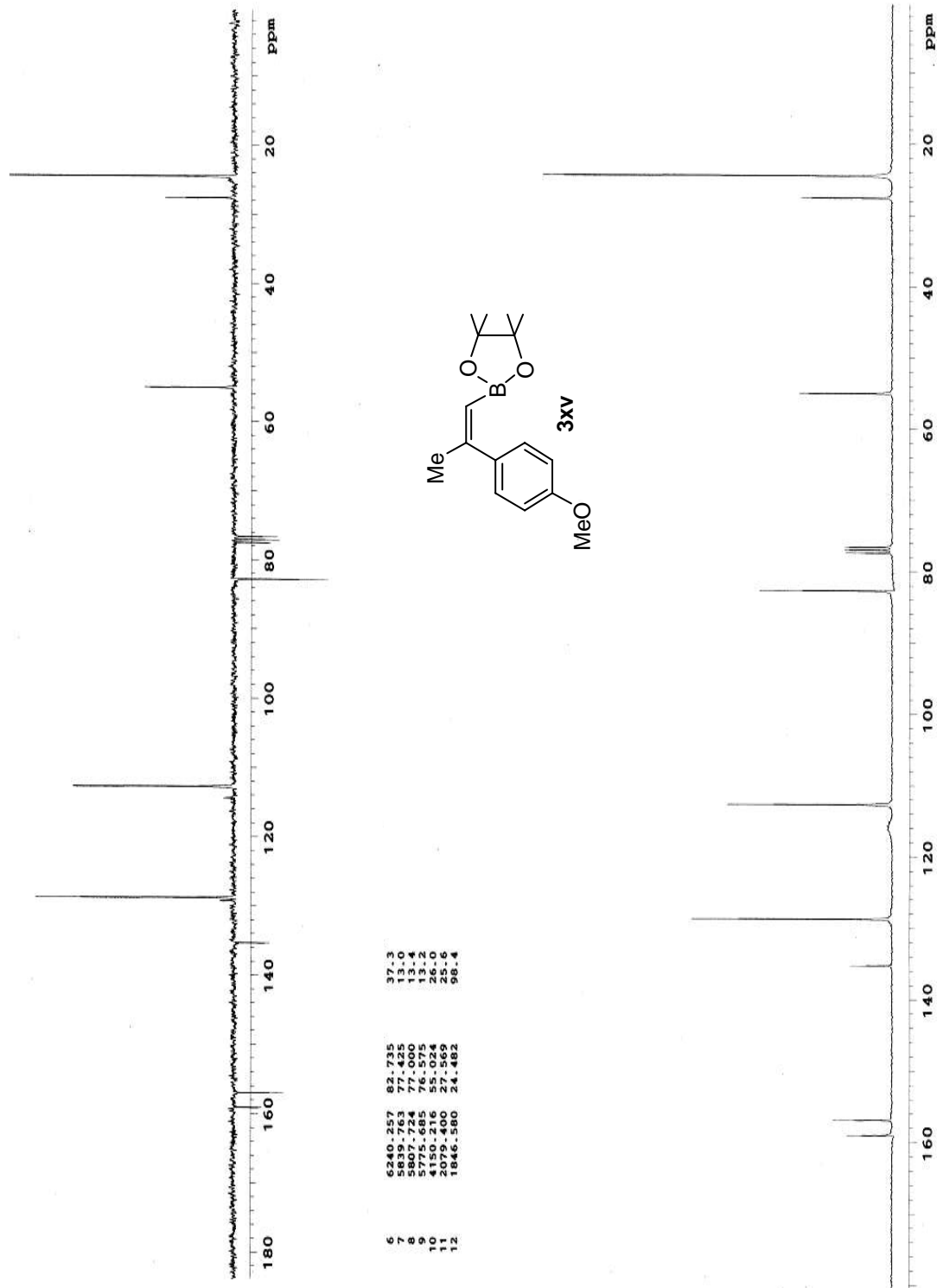
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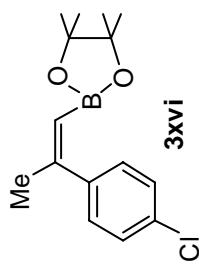
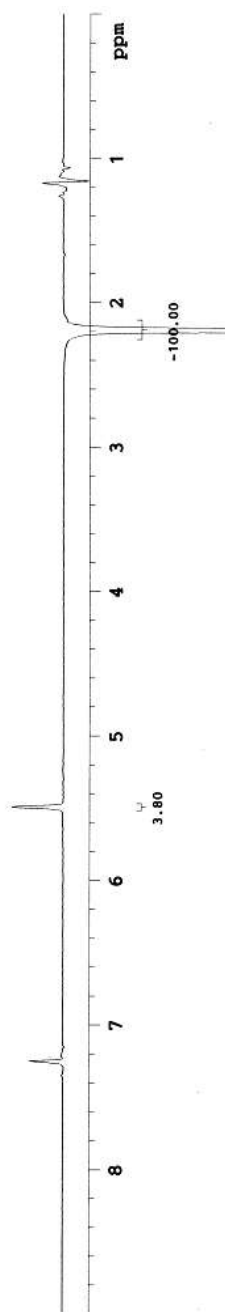


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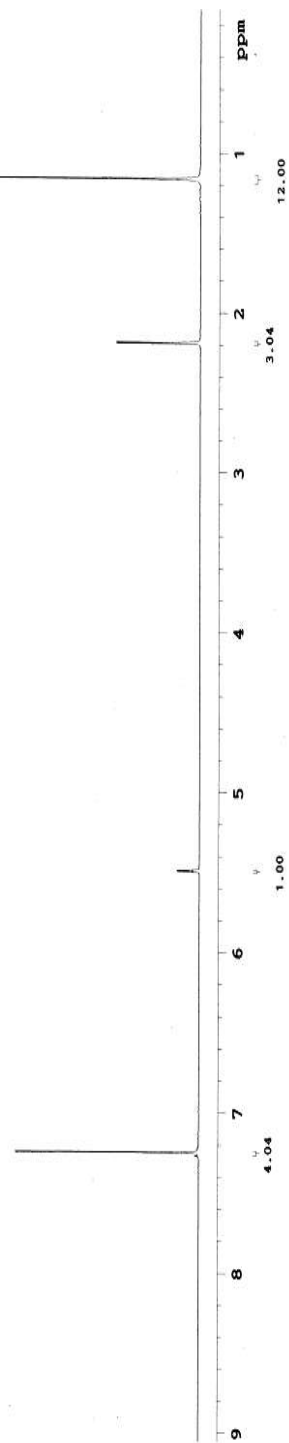
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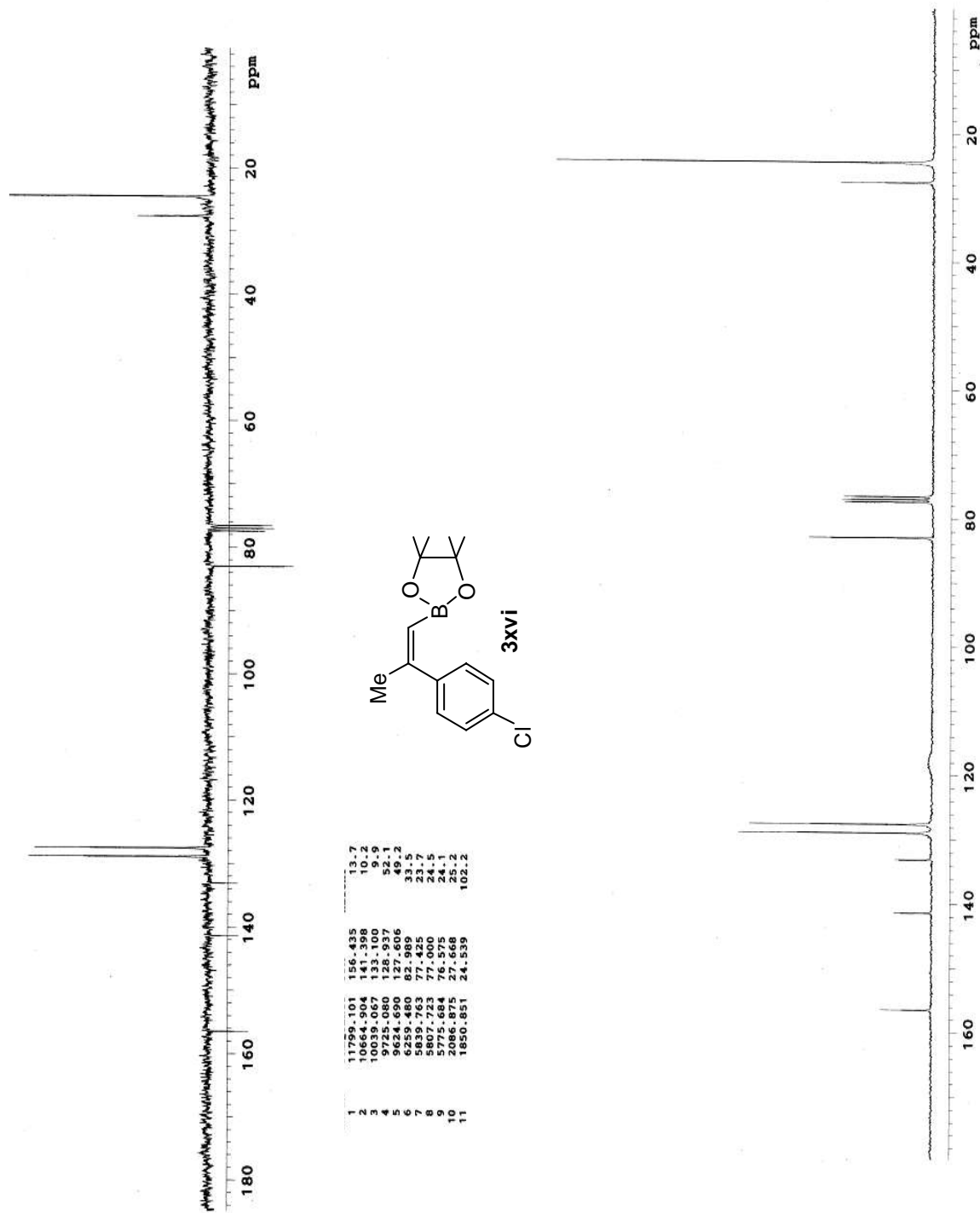
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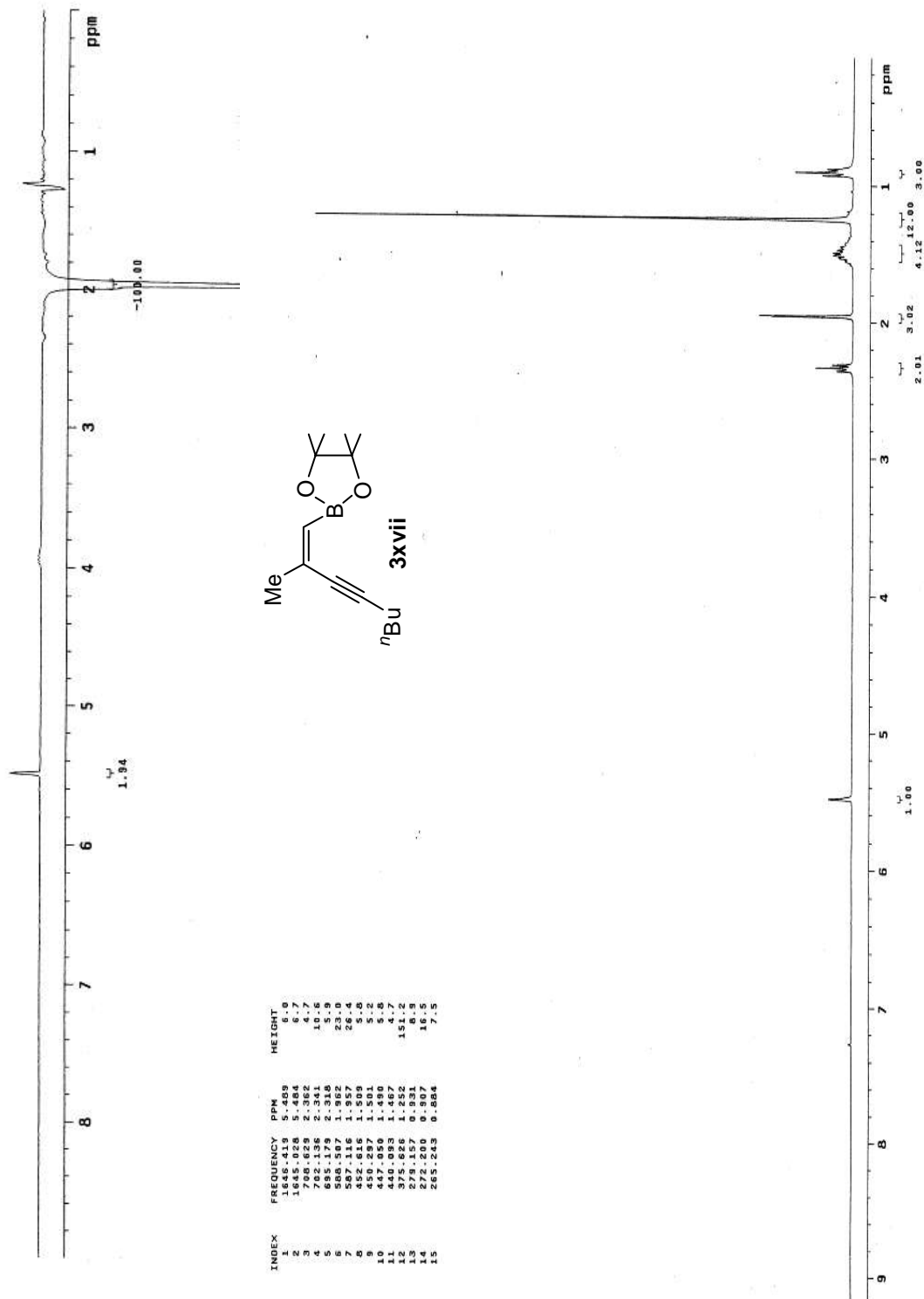


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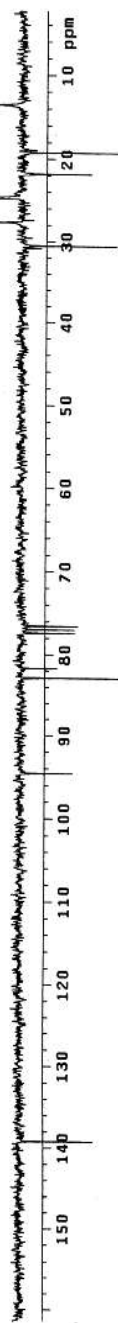
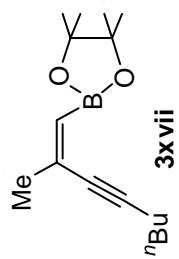


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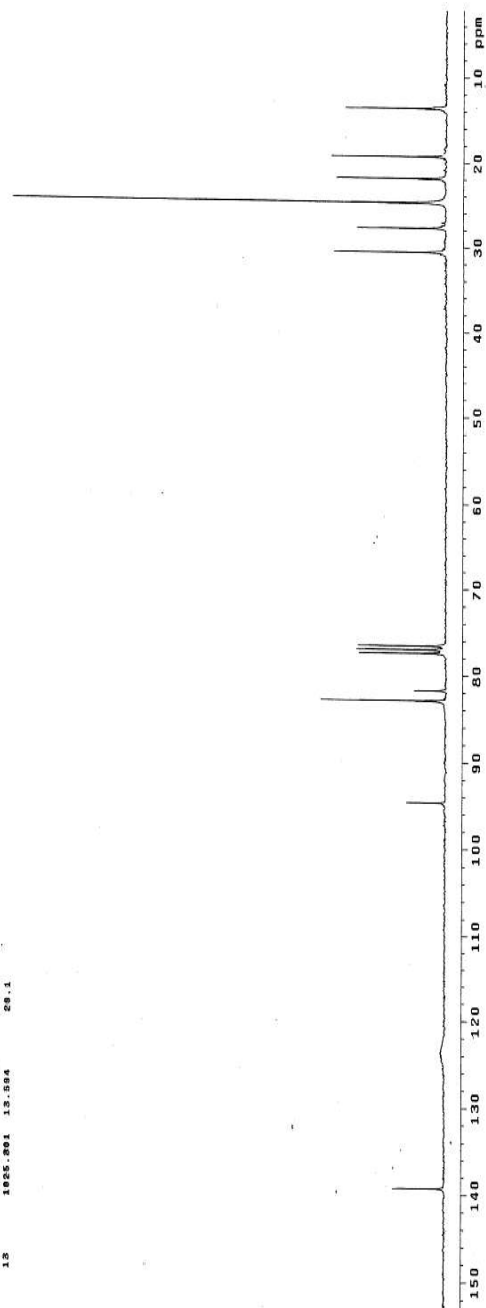
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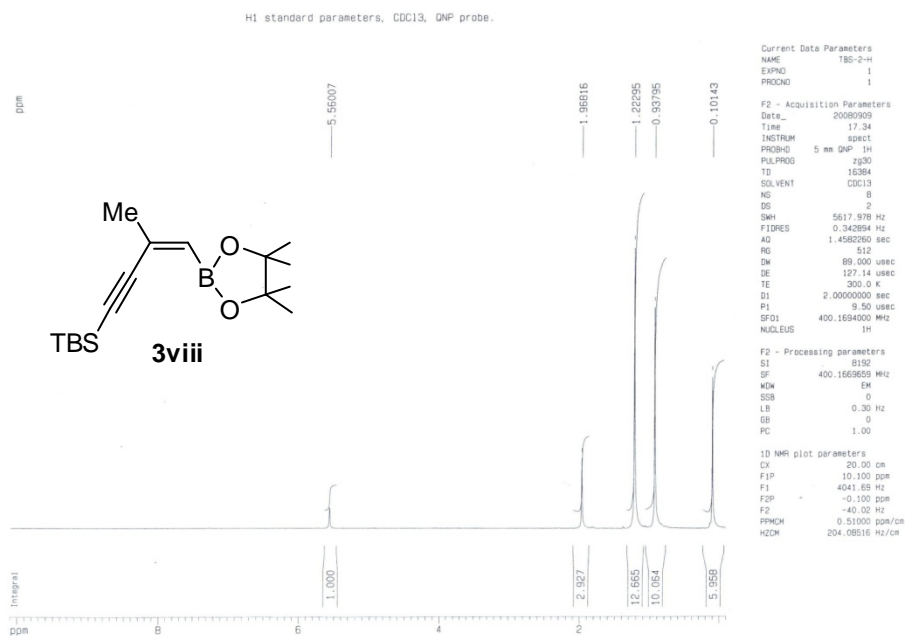
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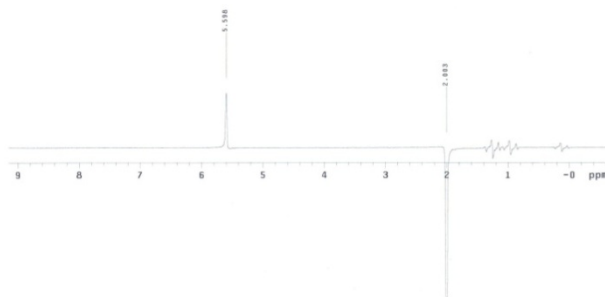
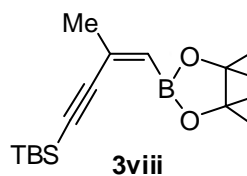
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6	2896.519	29.595	32.9
7	1866.871	24.751	124.2
8	1454.849	12.898	21.7
9	1025.801	13.594	28.1



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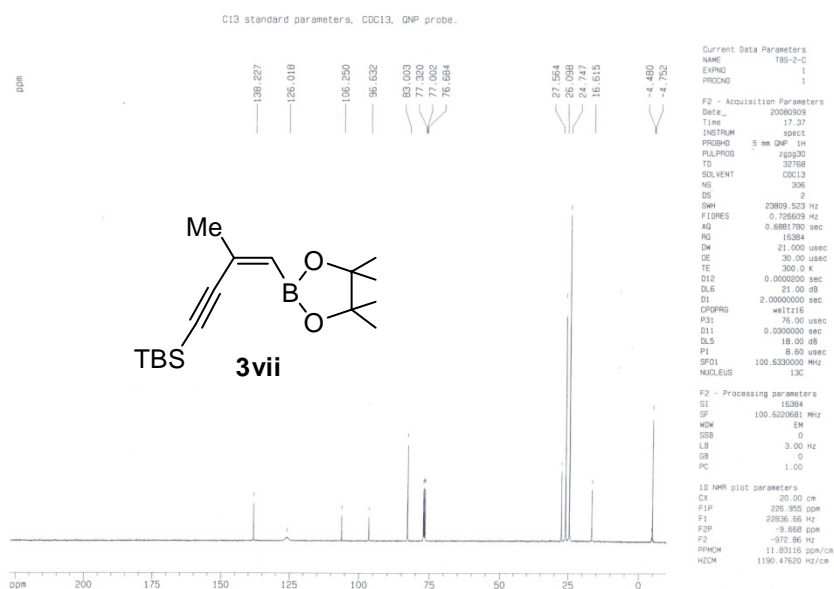
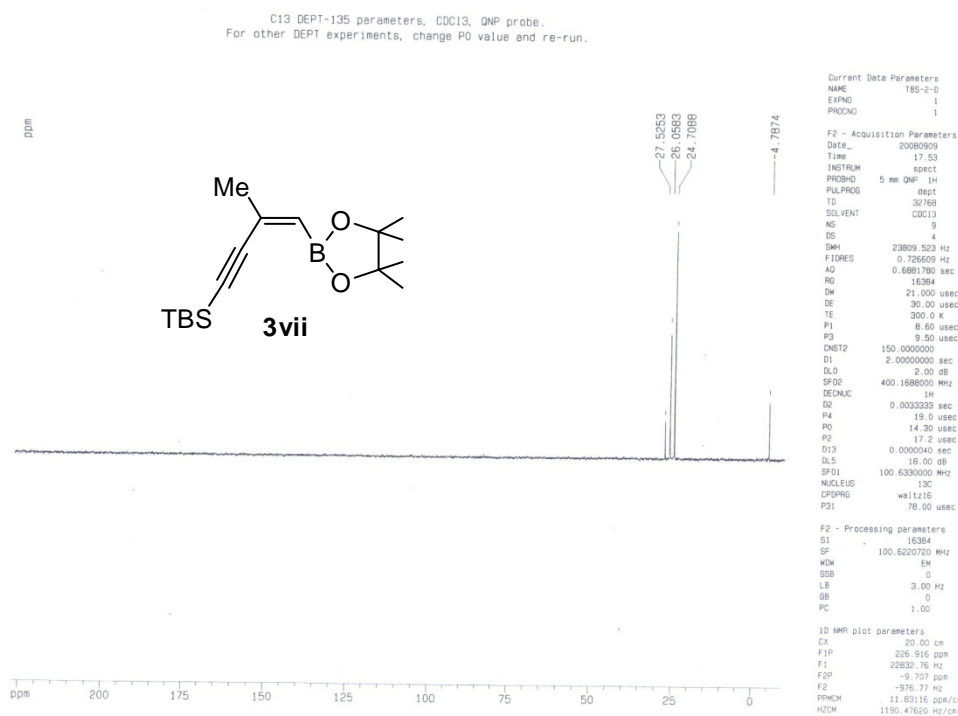


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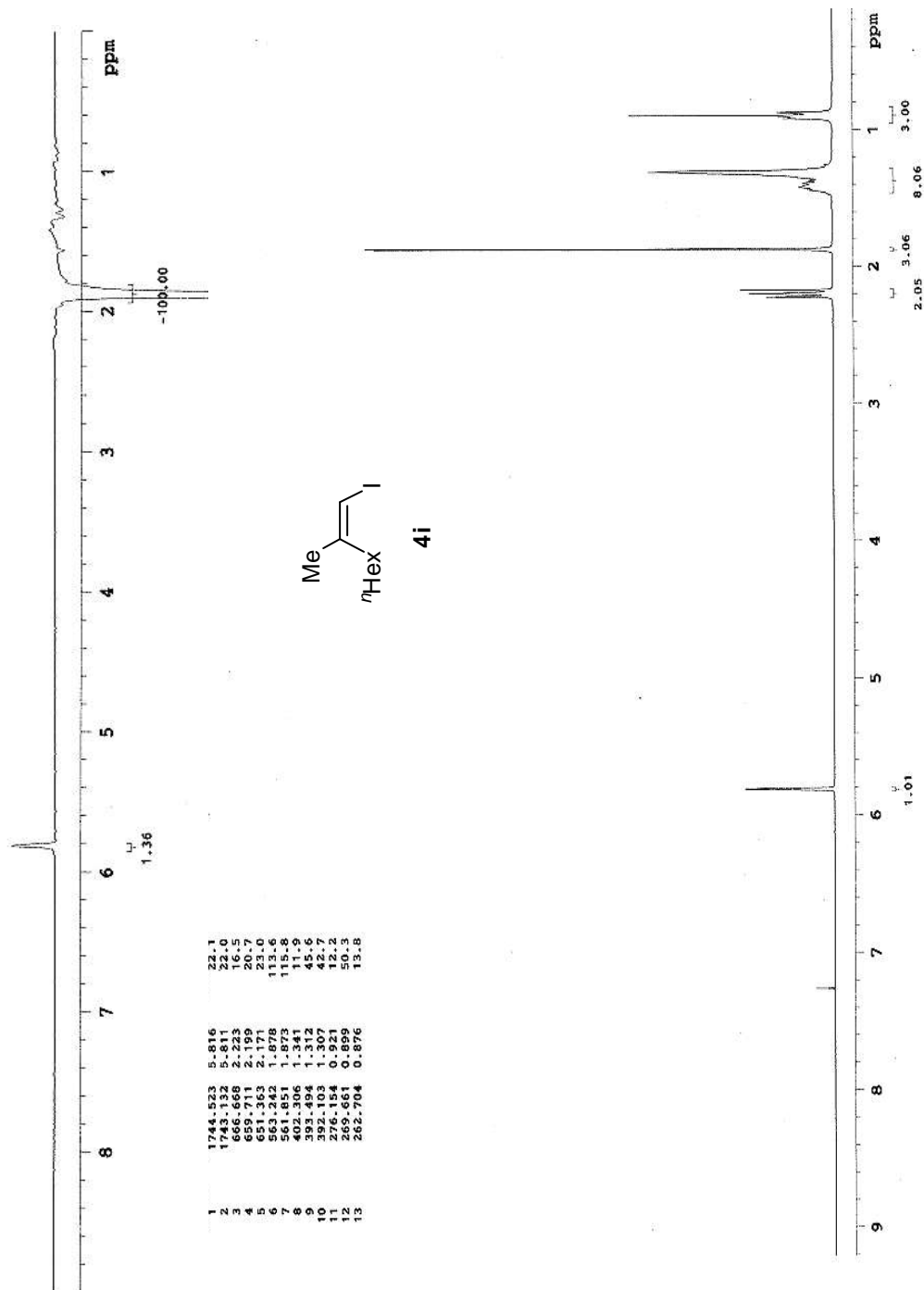


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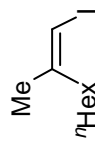
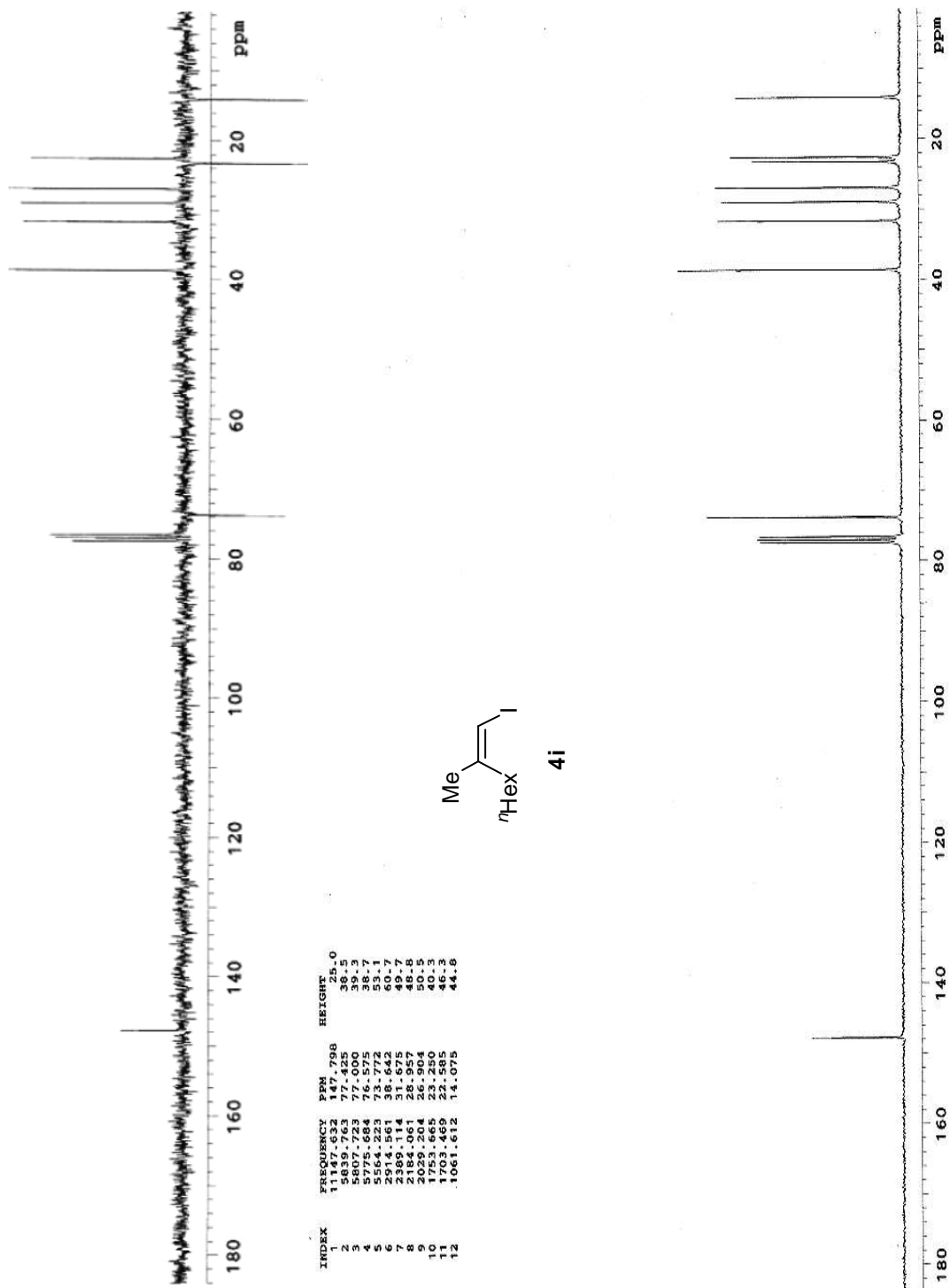
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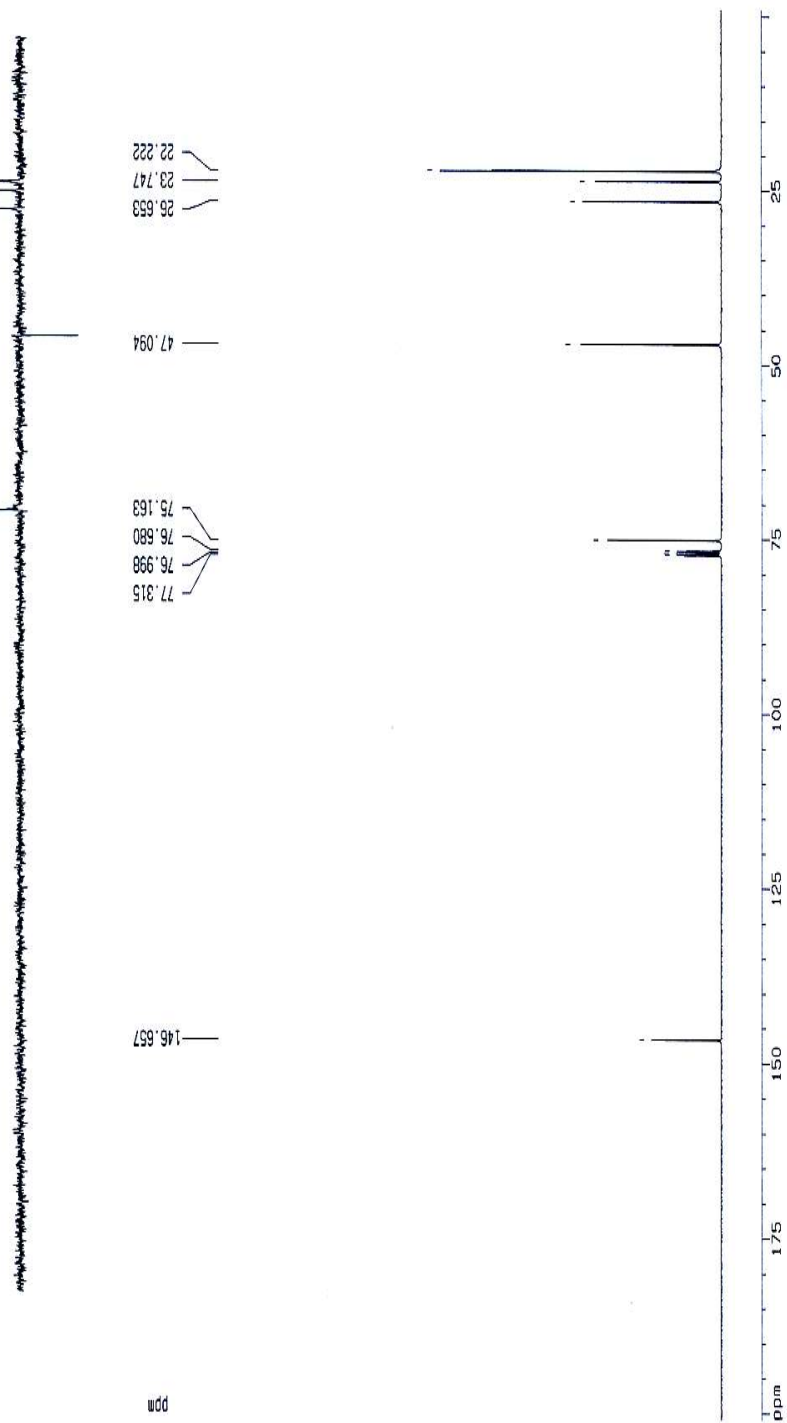
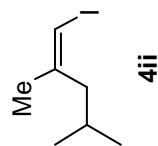


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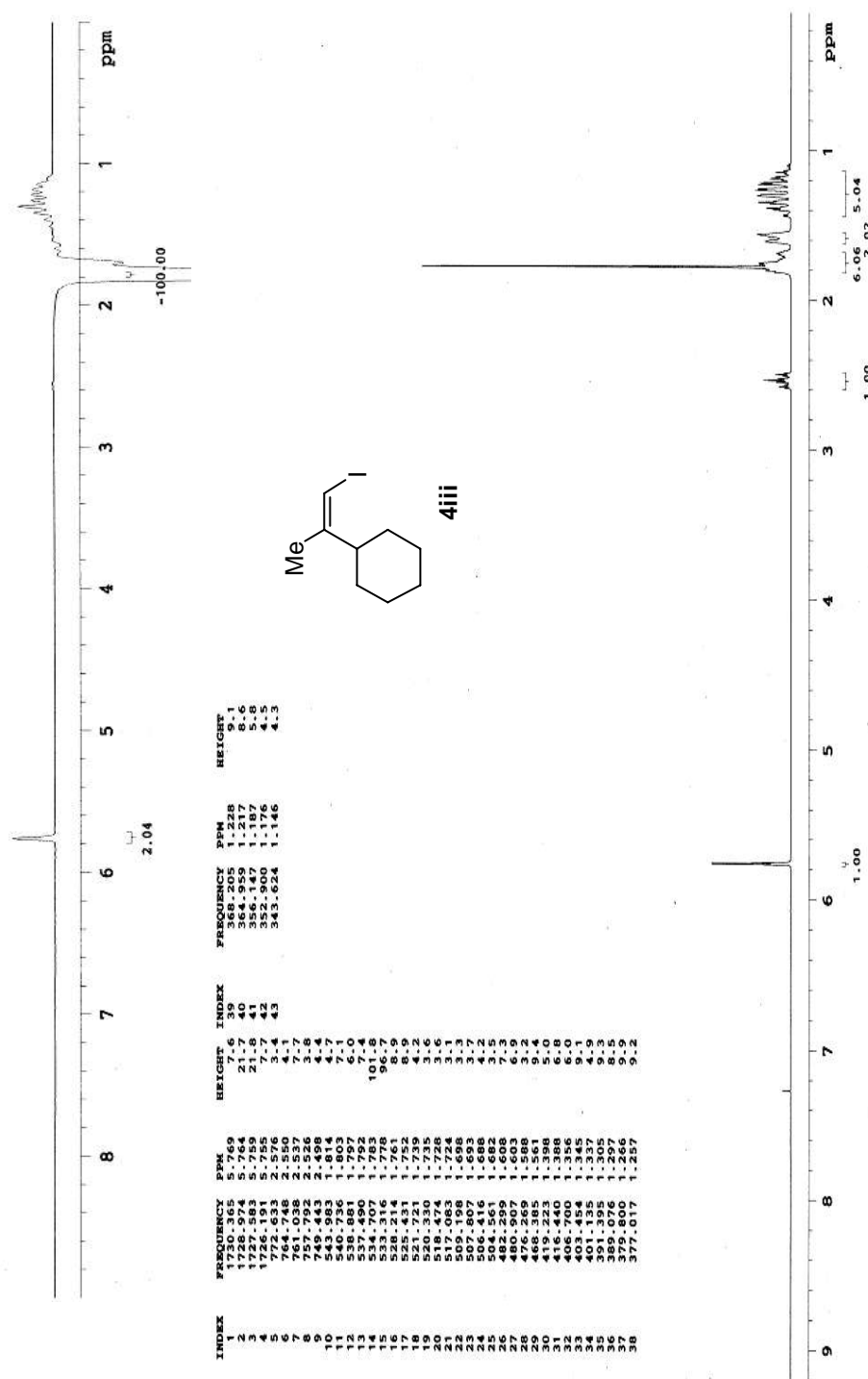
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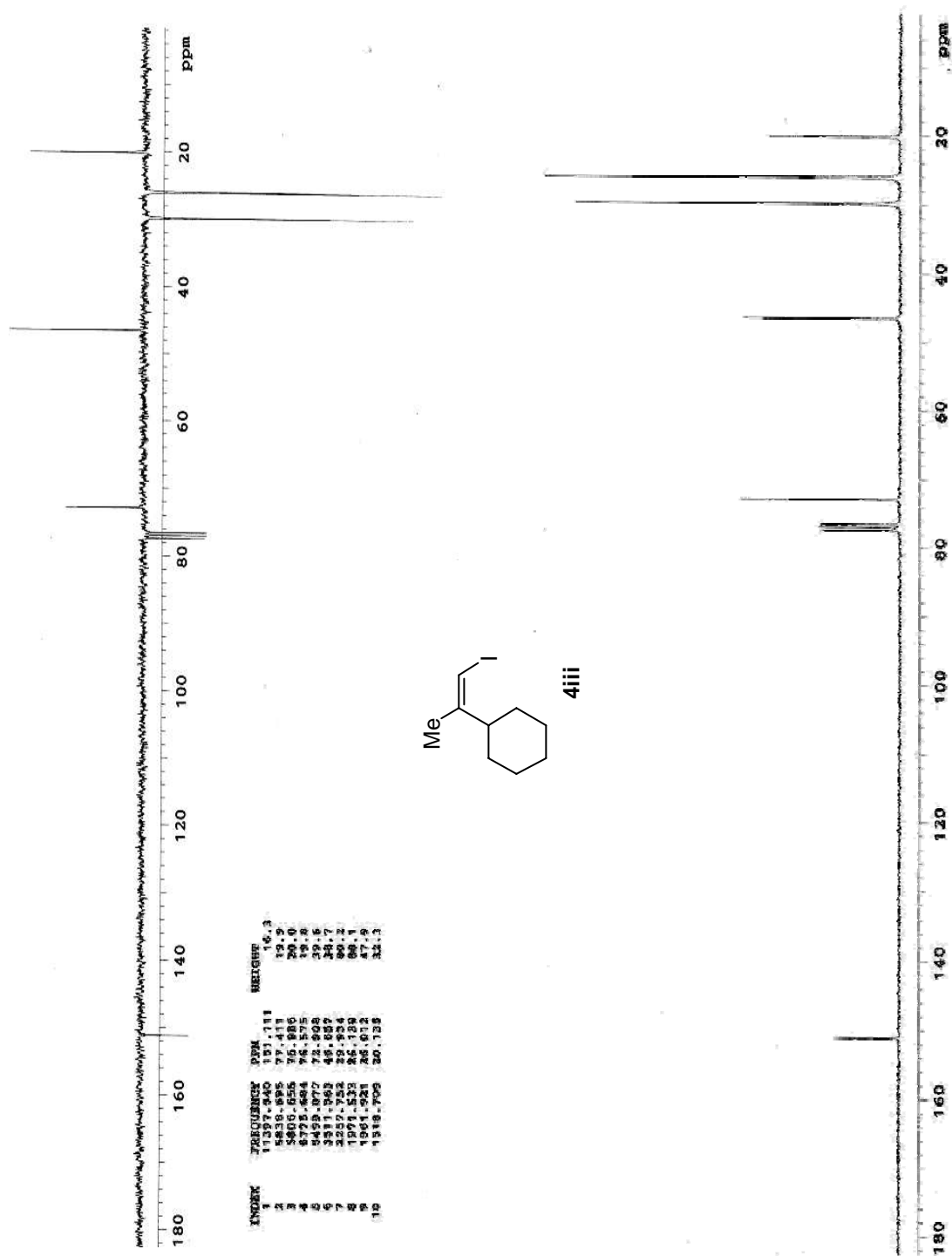
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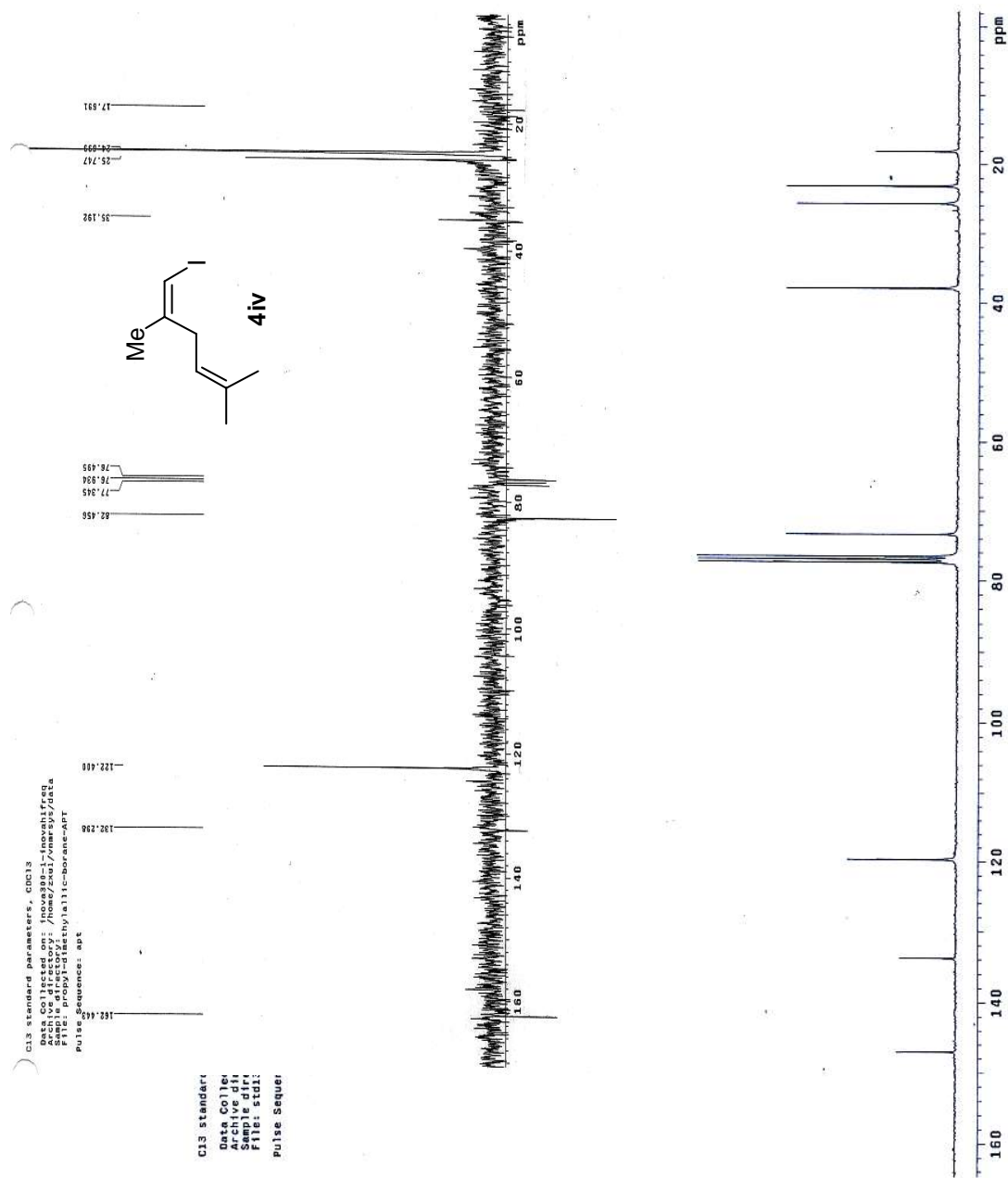
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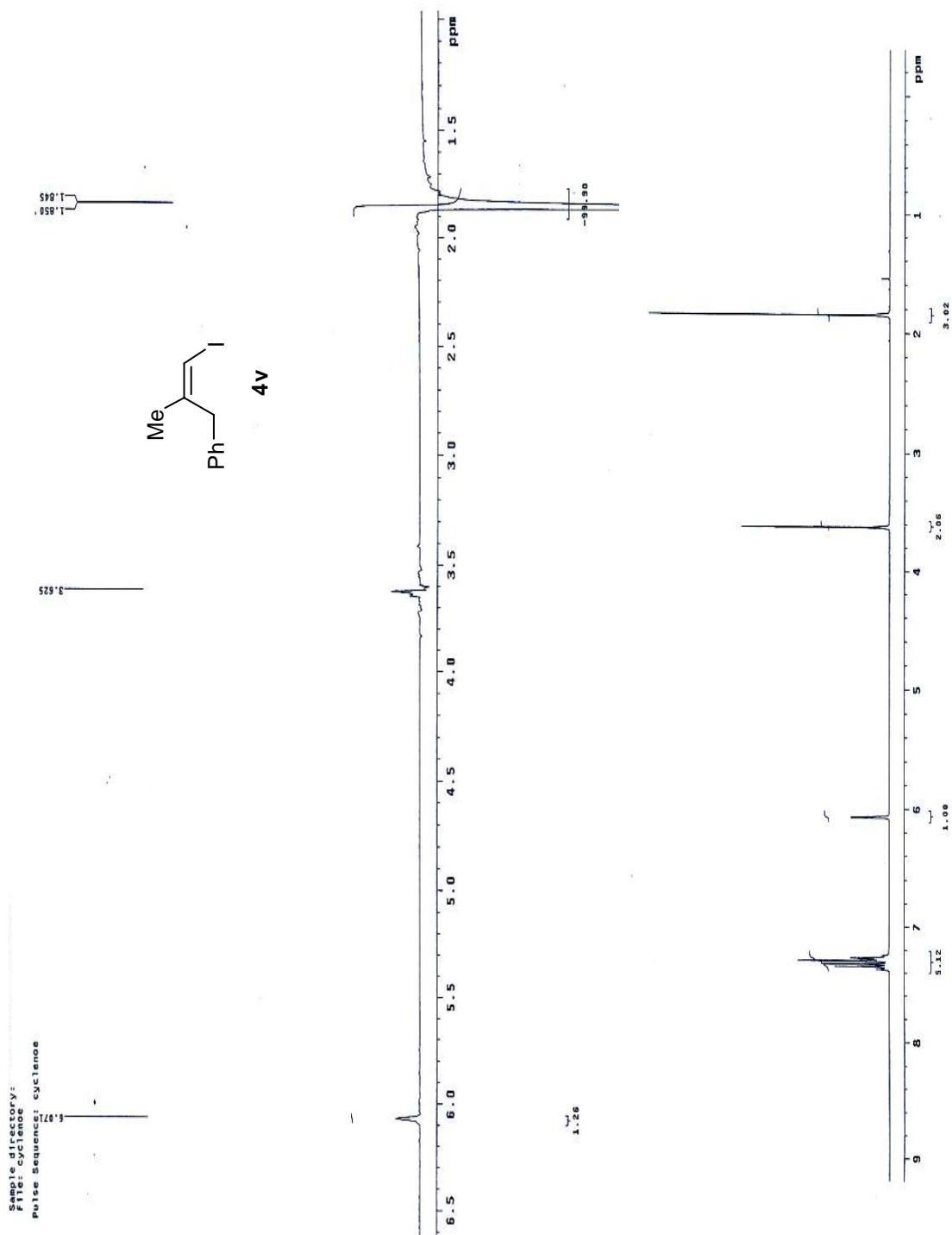
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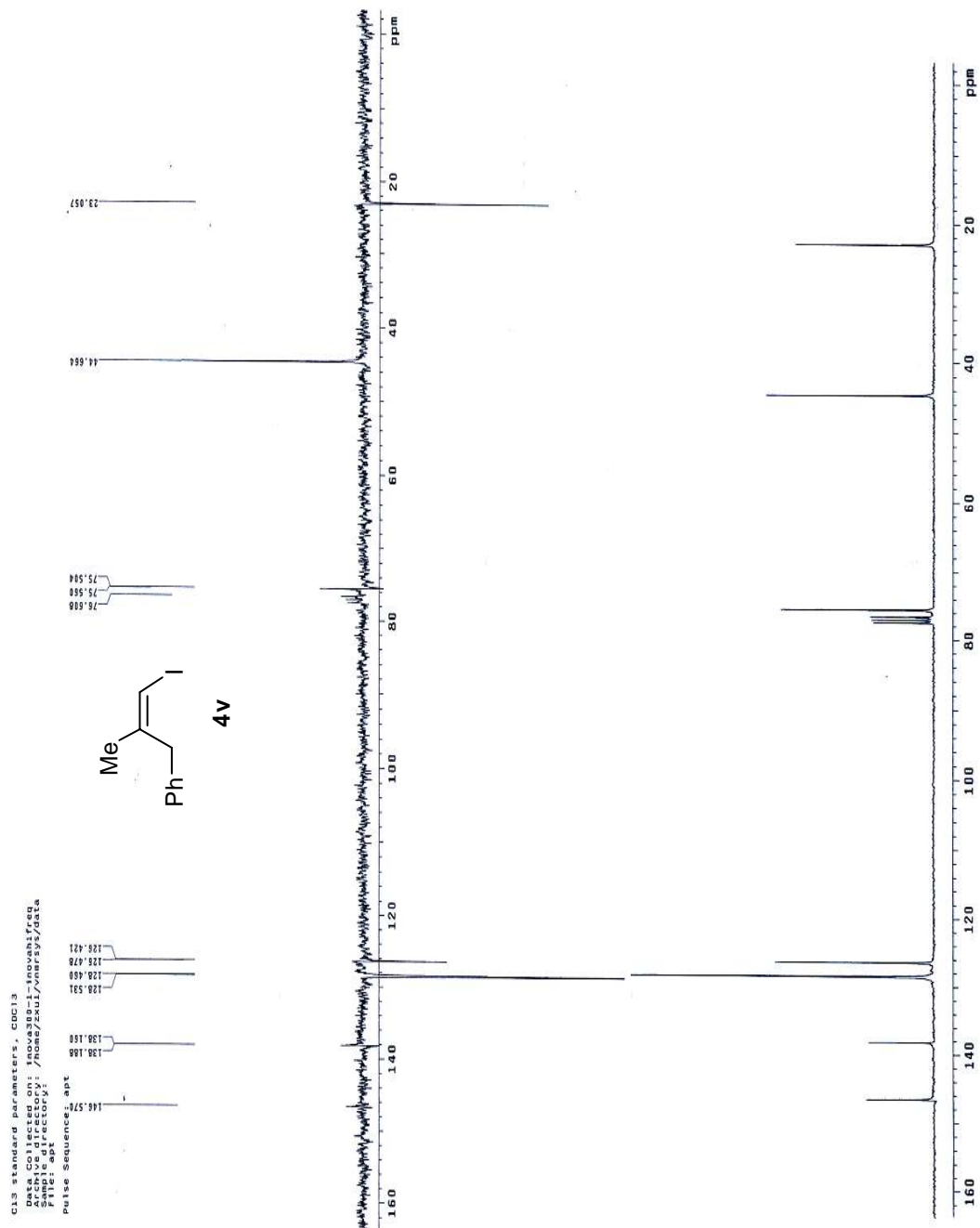
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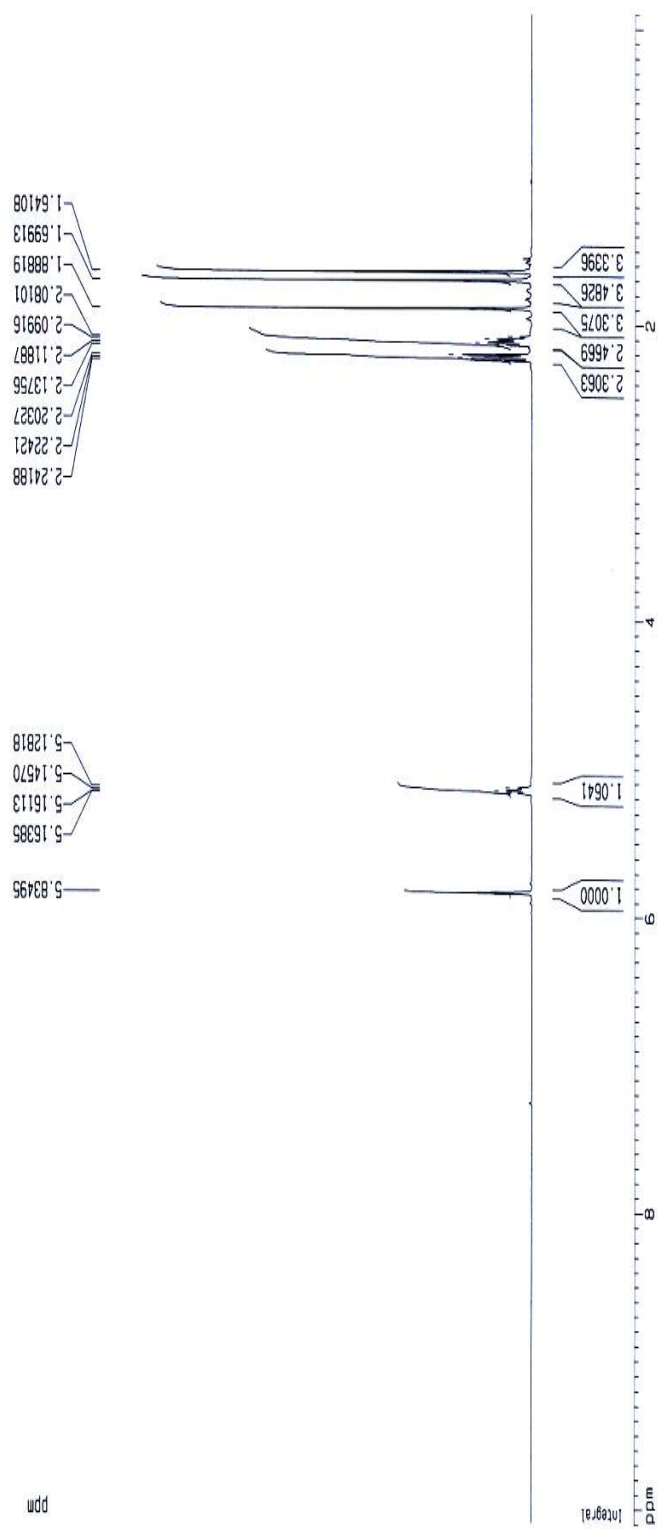
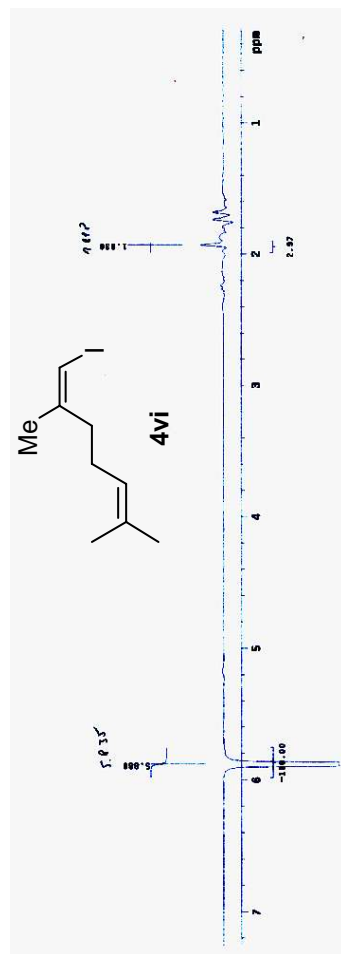


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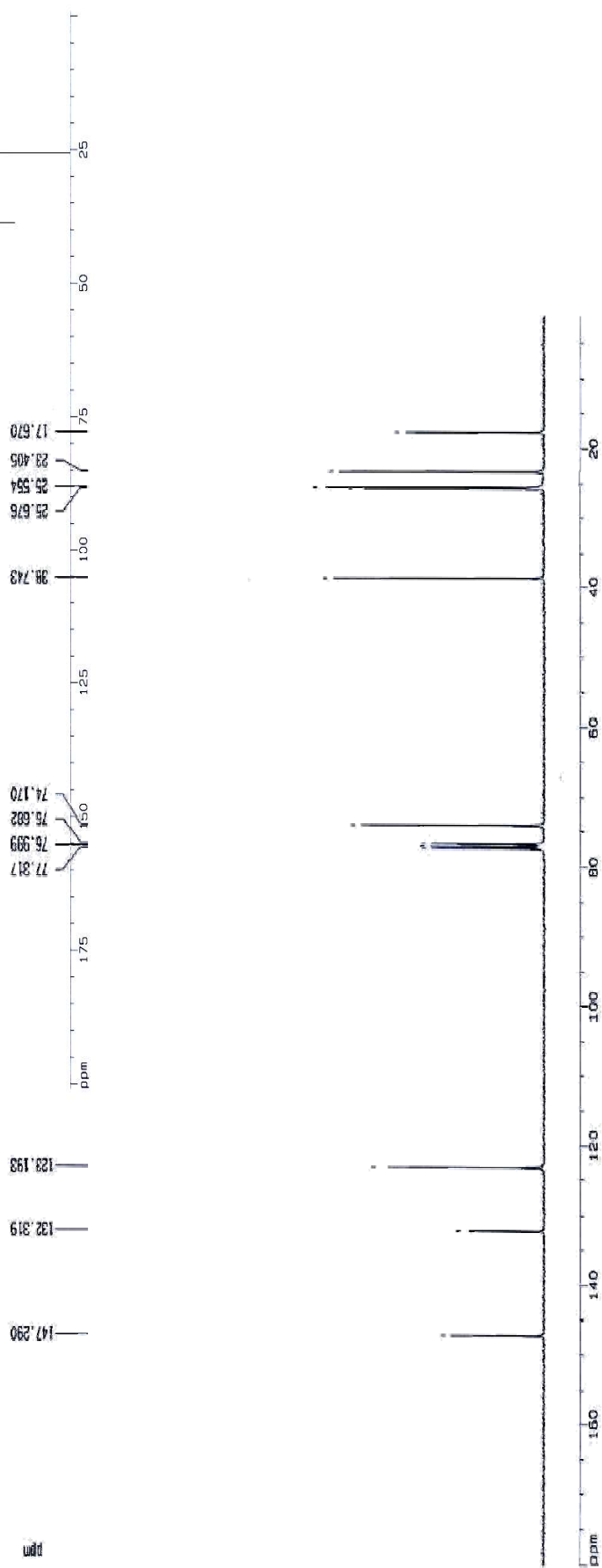
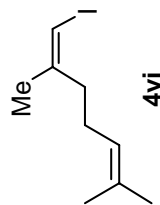
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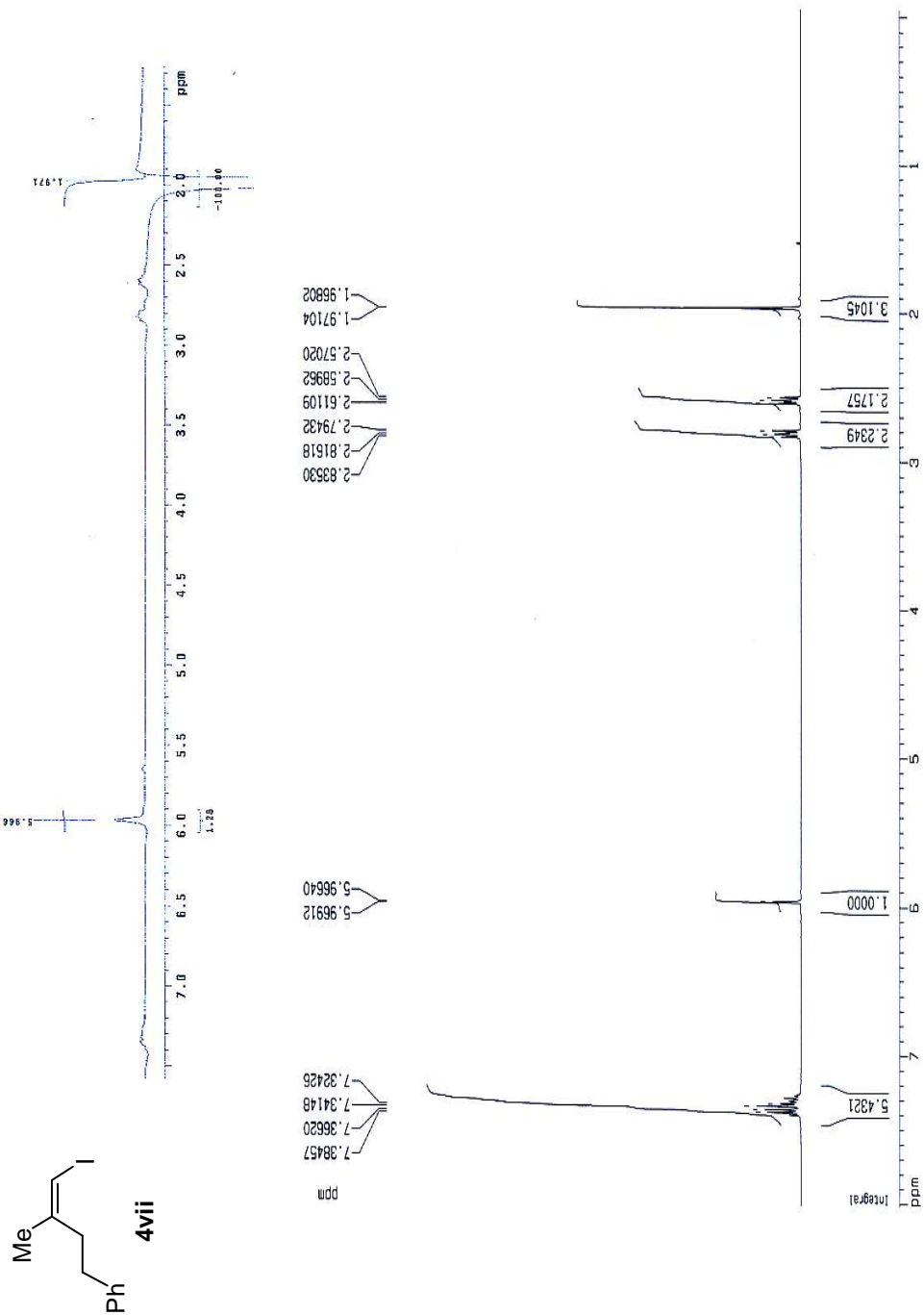


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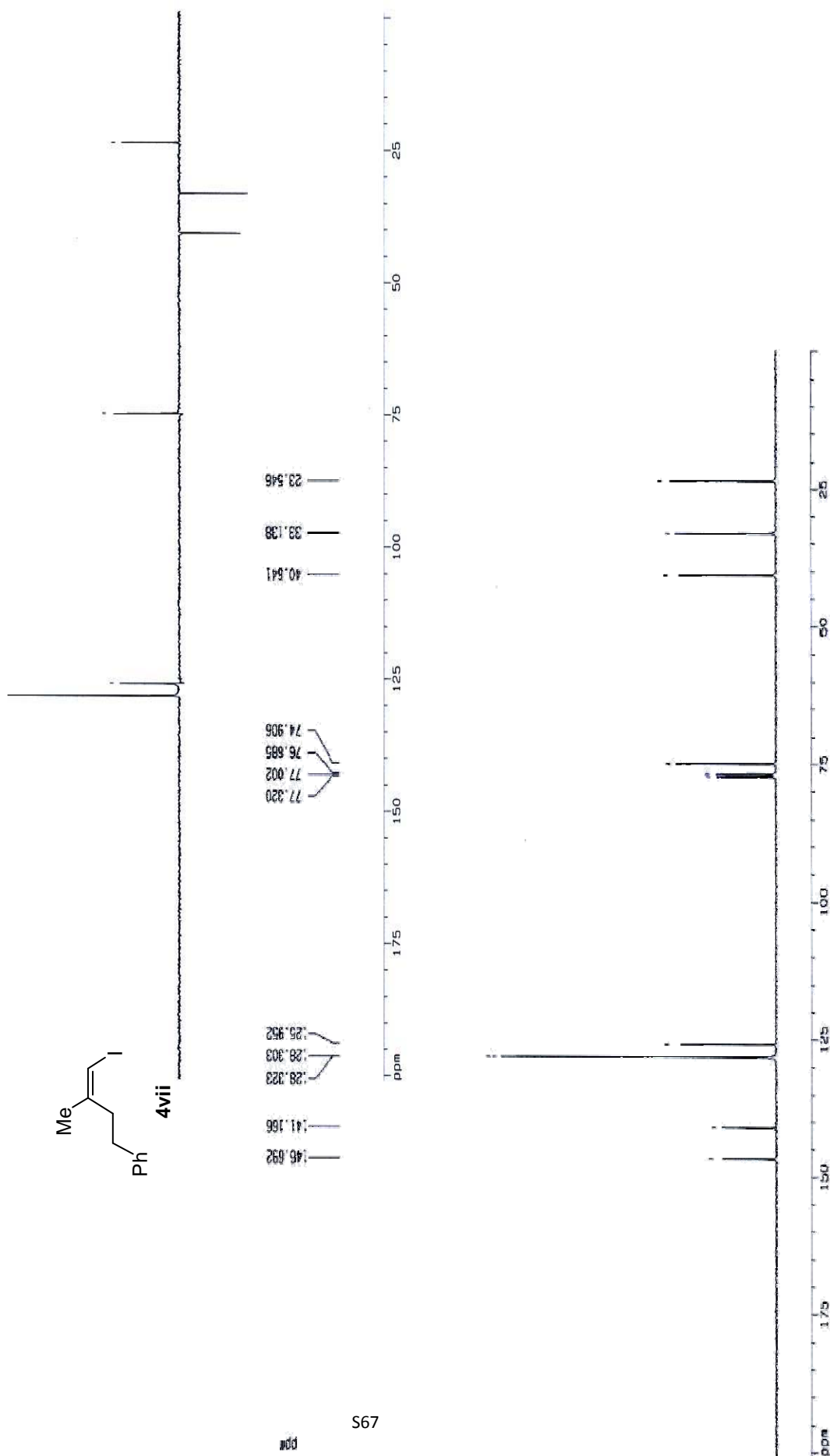


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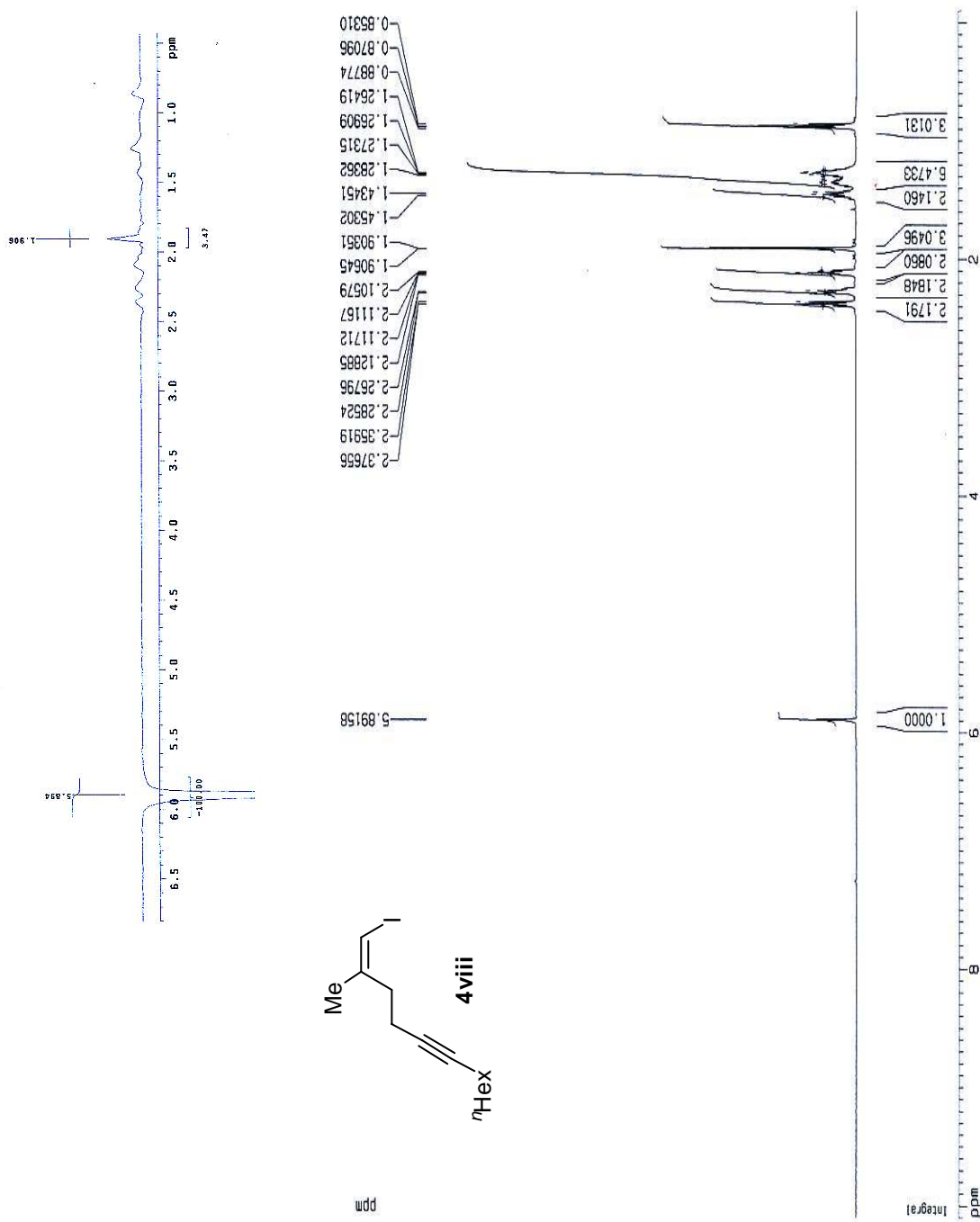


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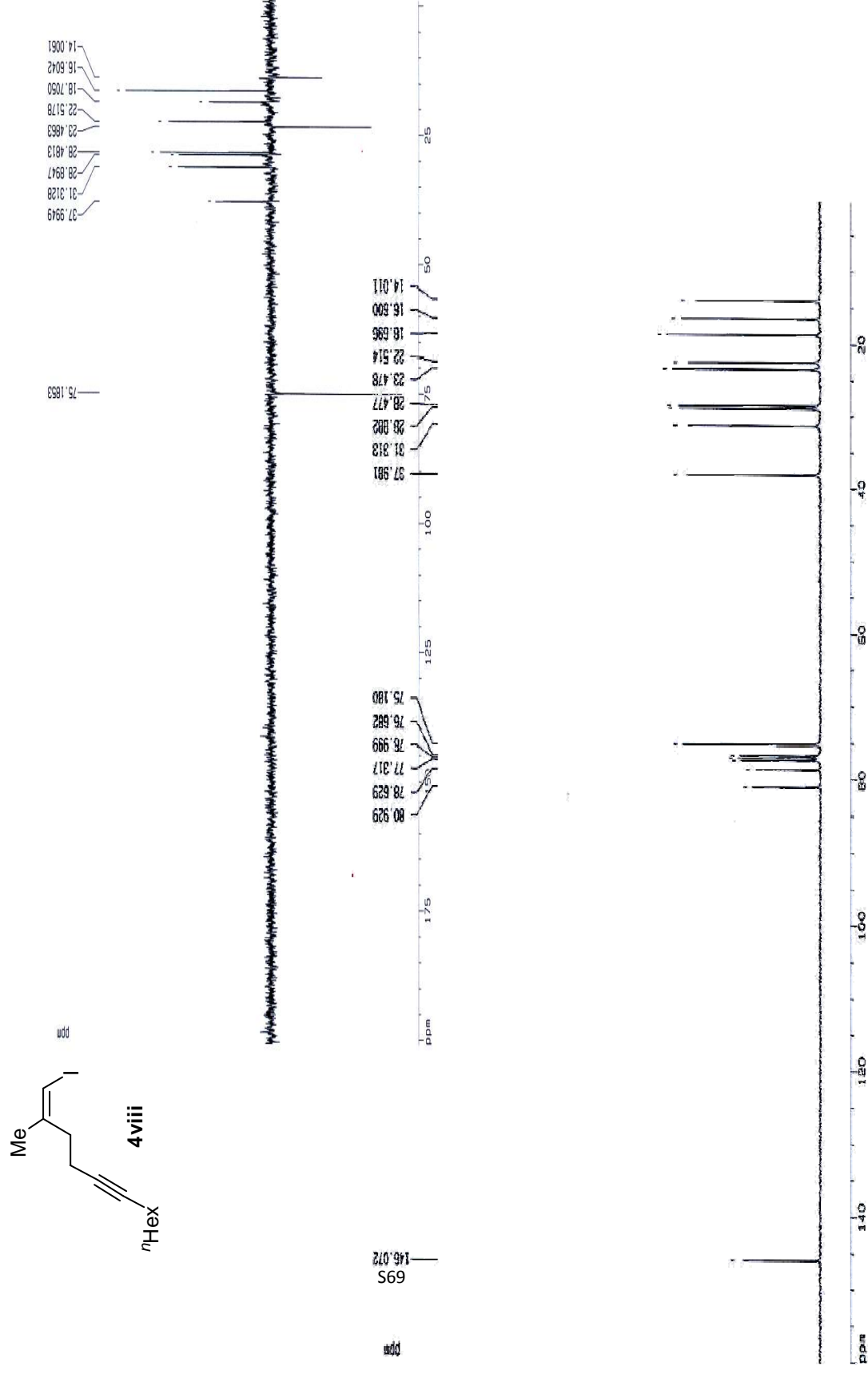


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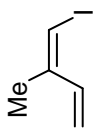


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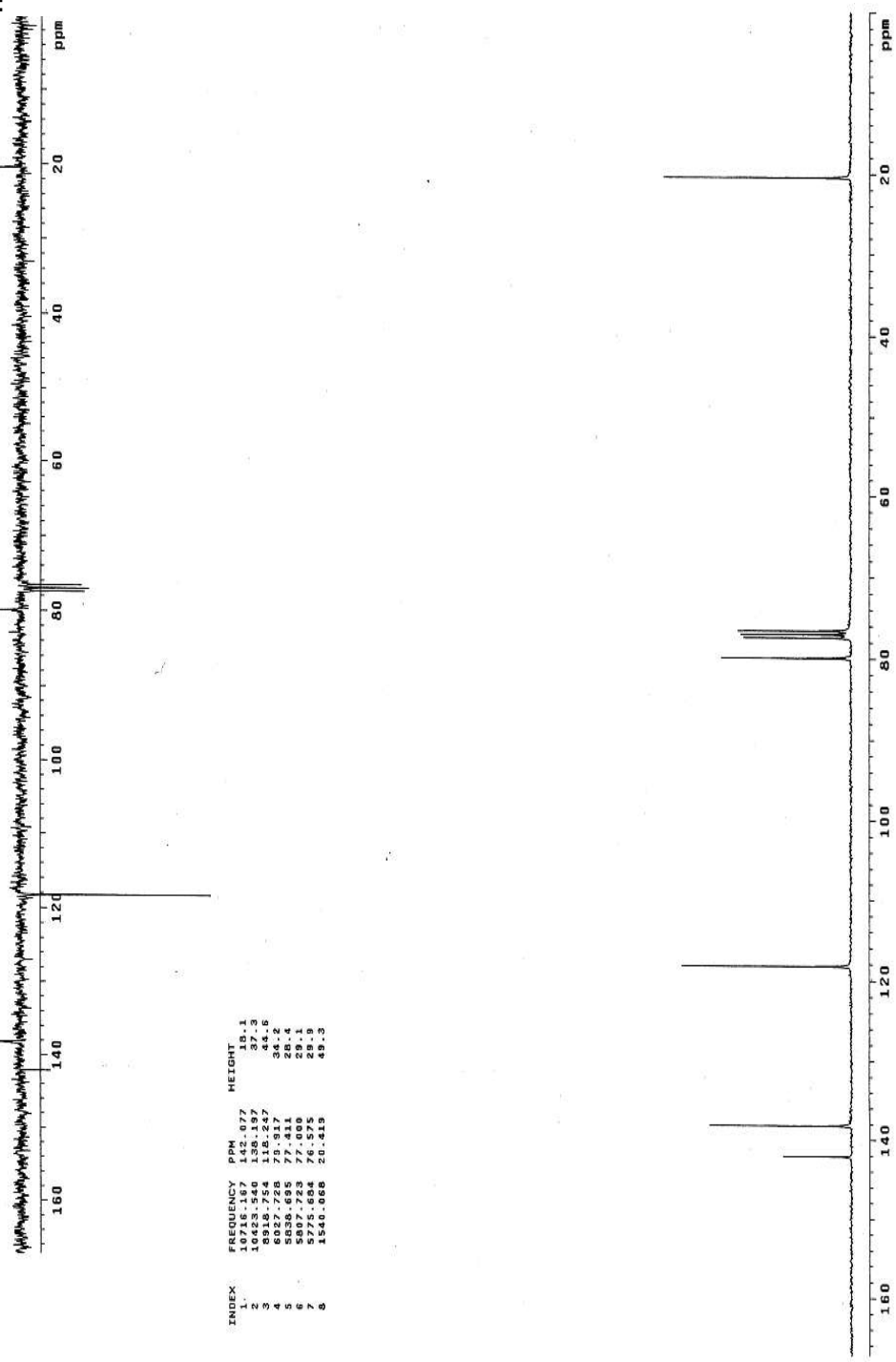
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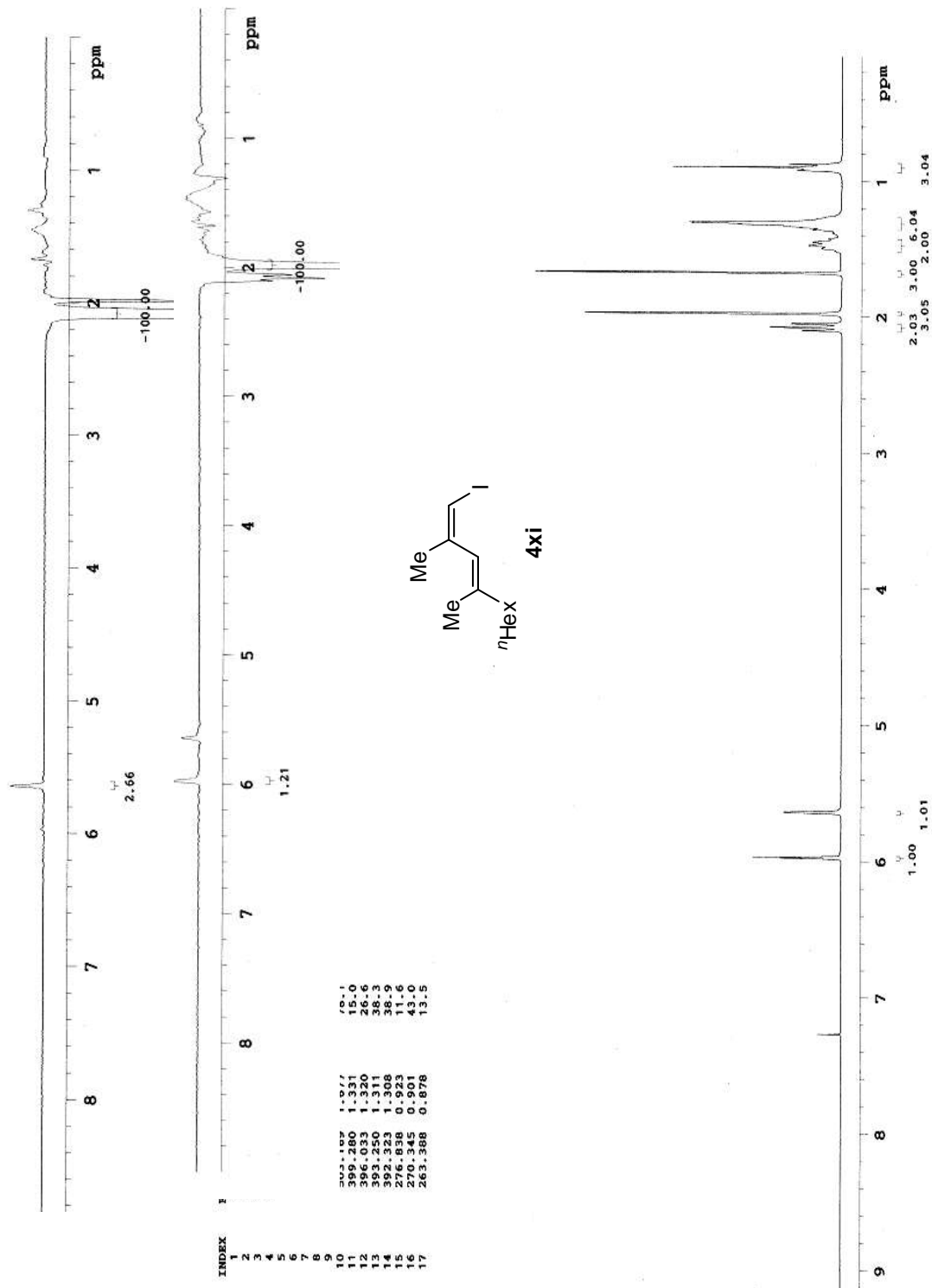
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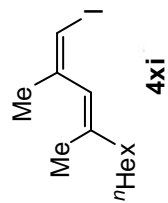
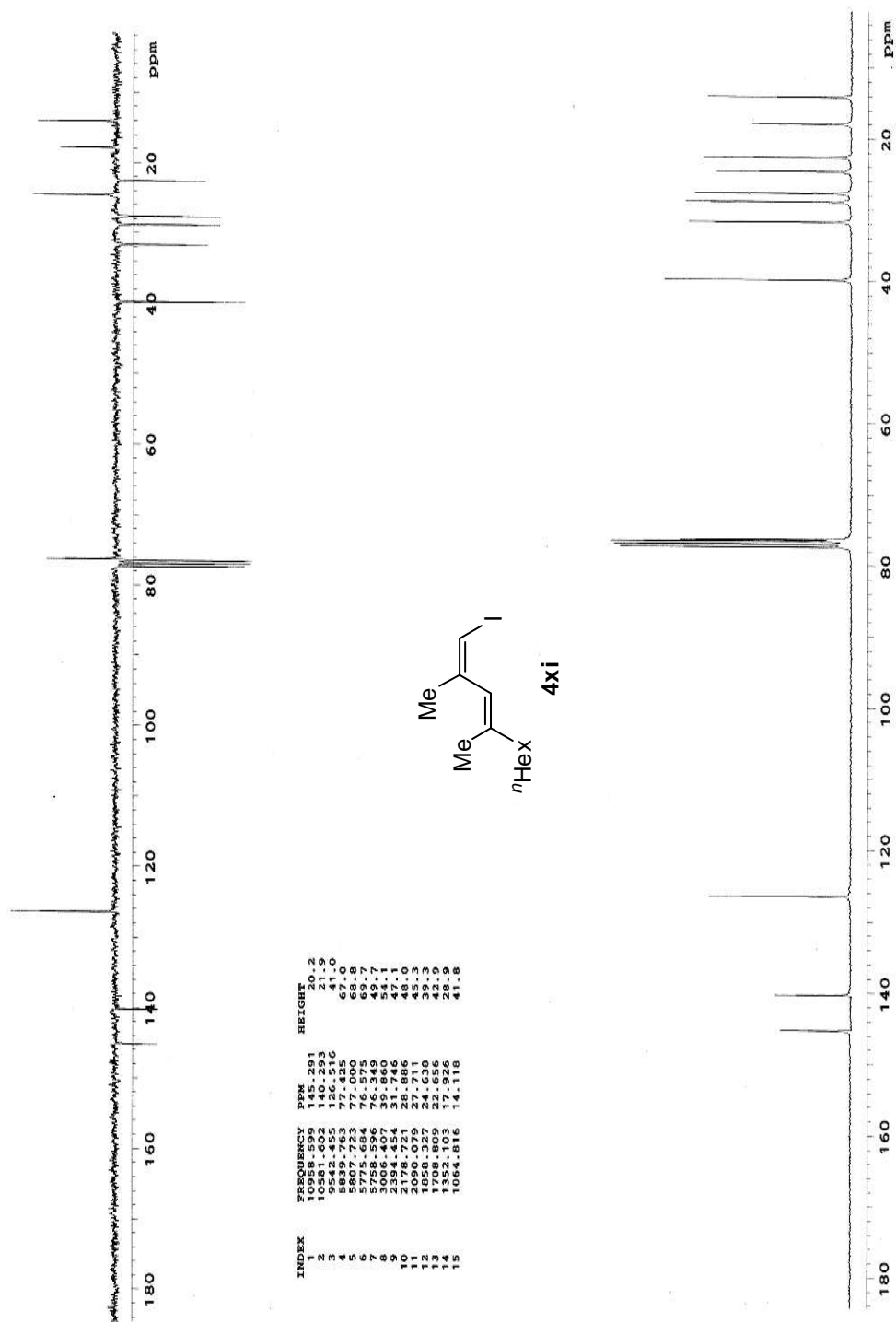
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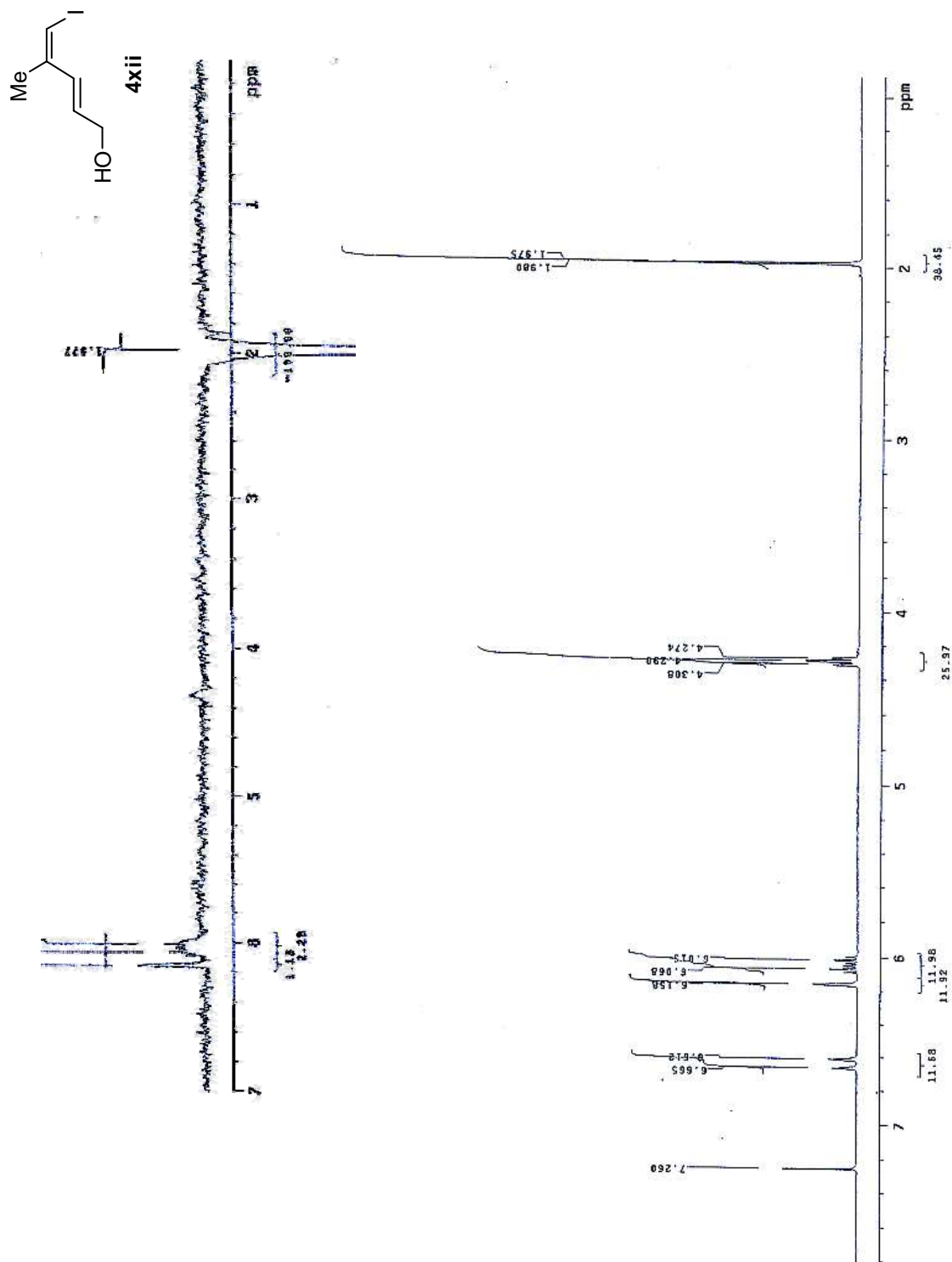
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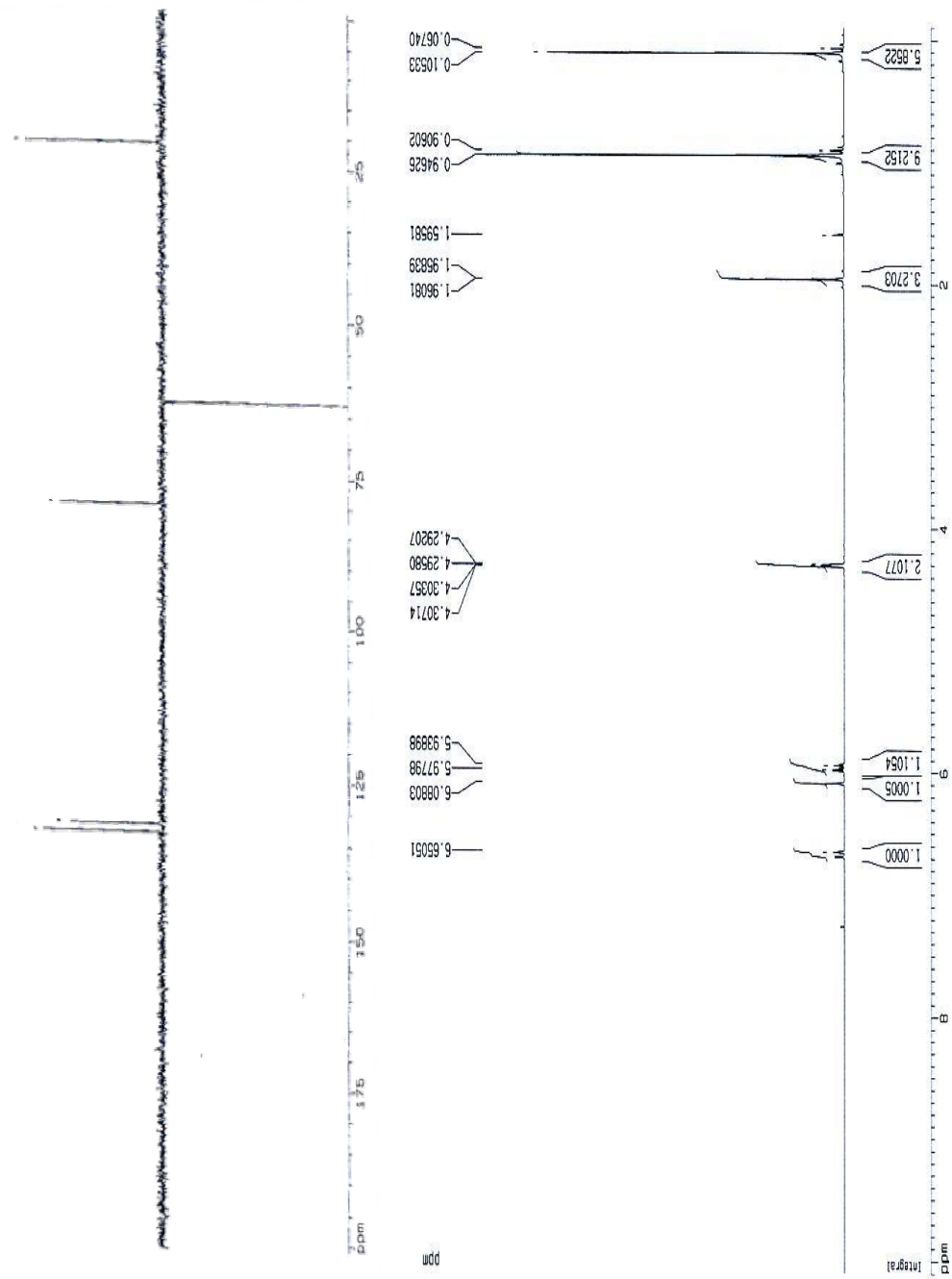
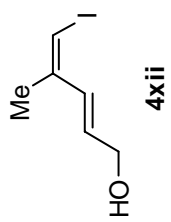


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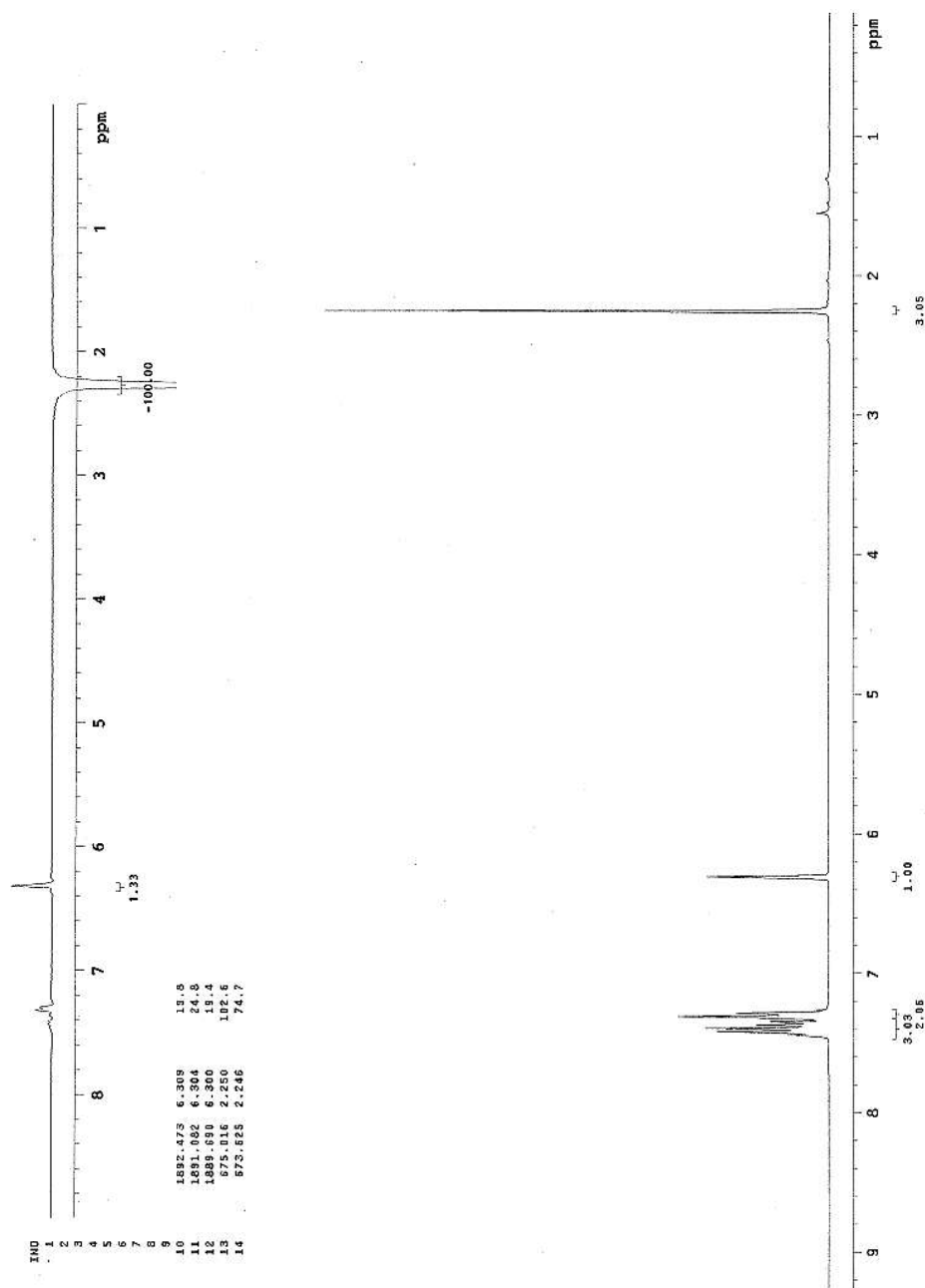
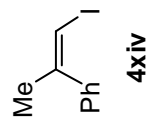


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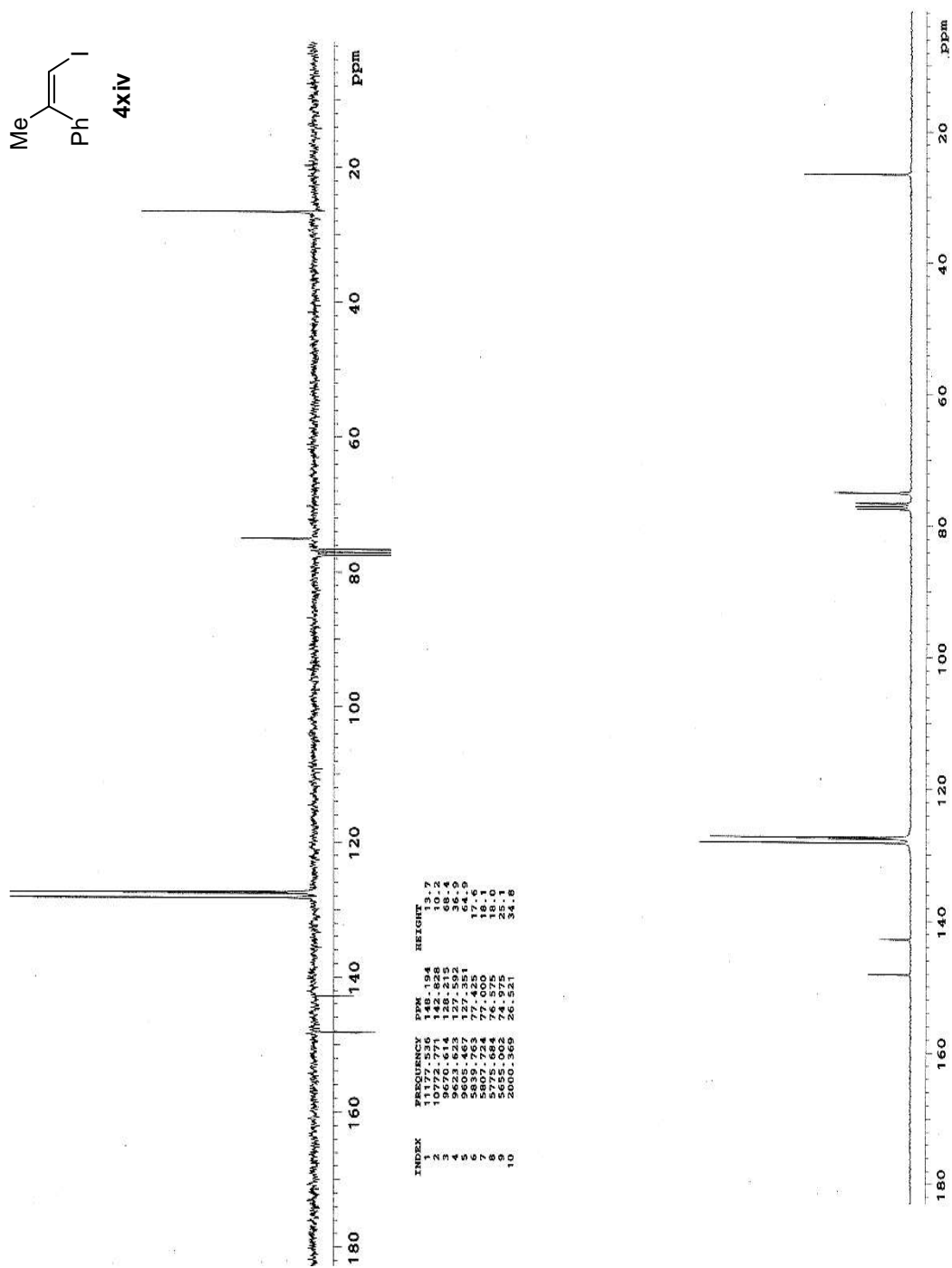
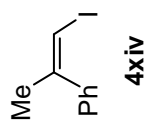
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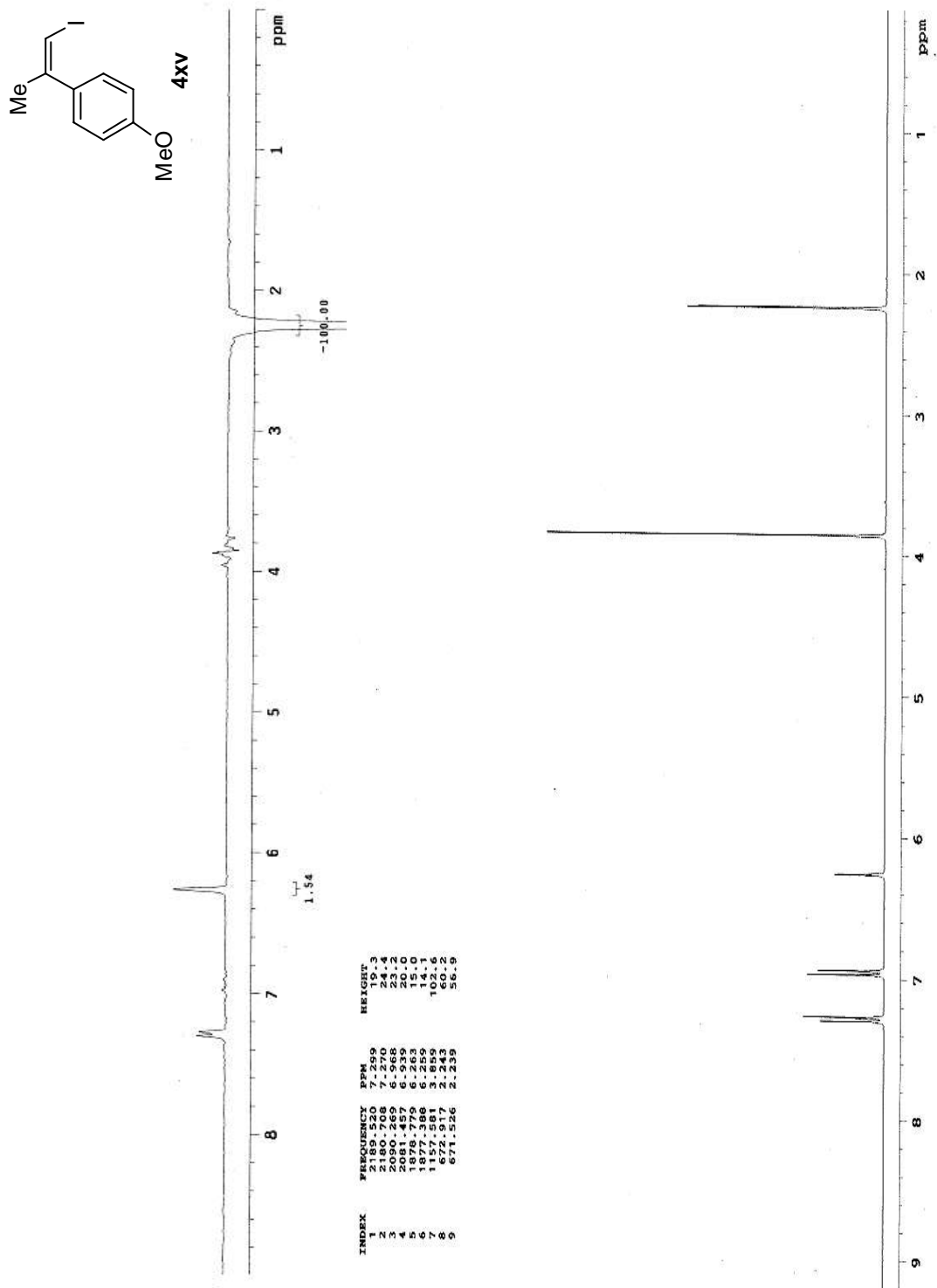
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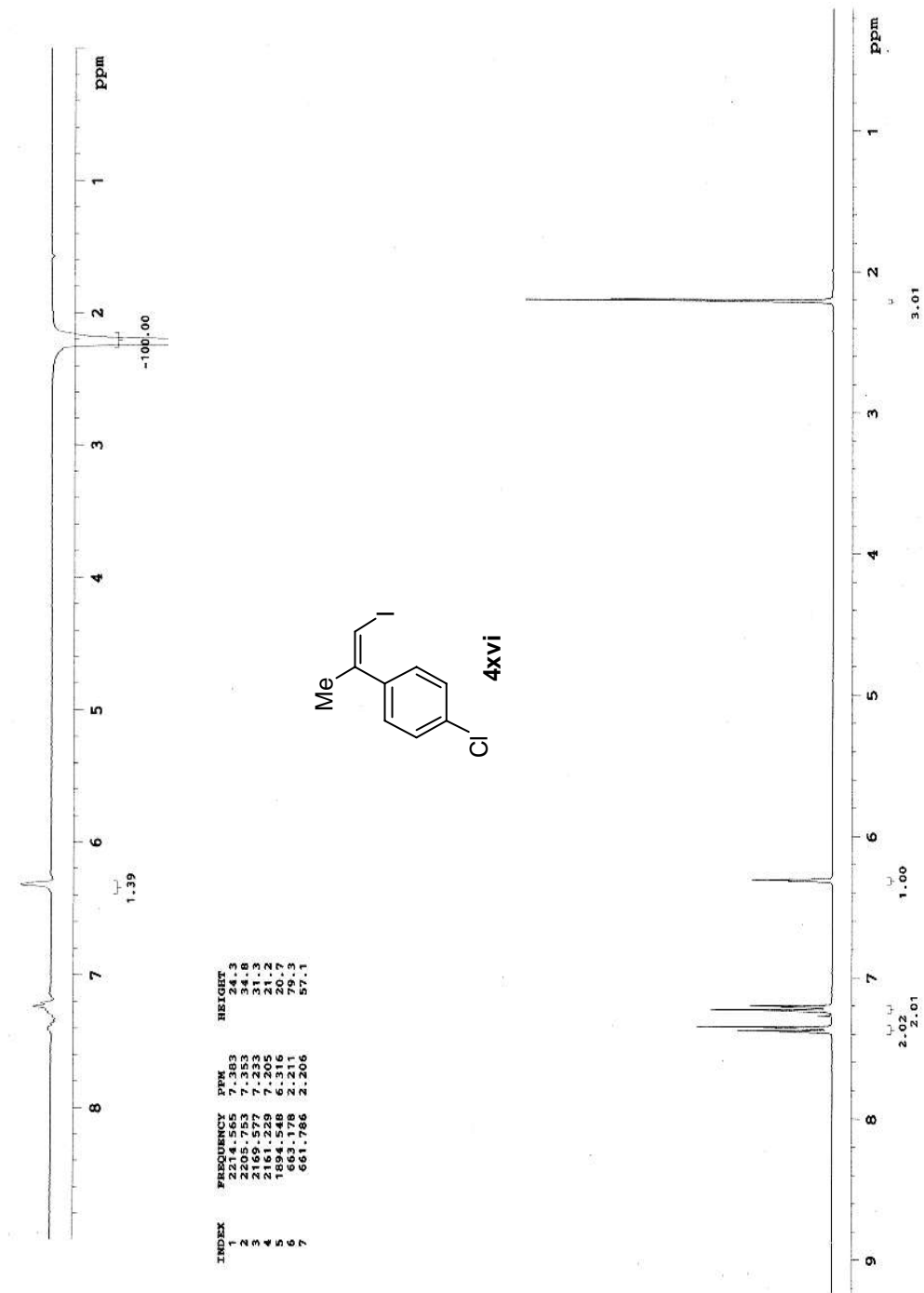
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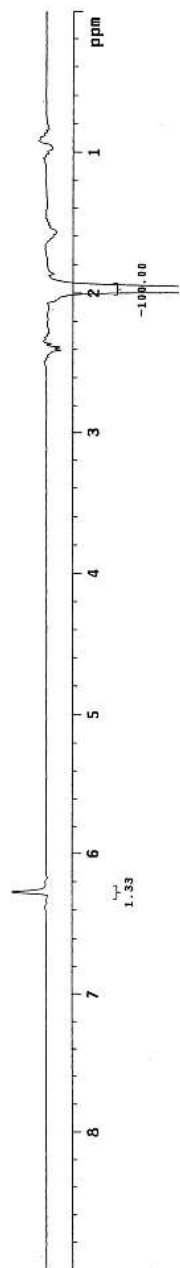
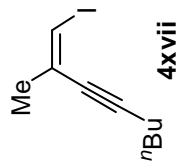
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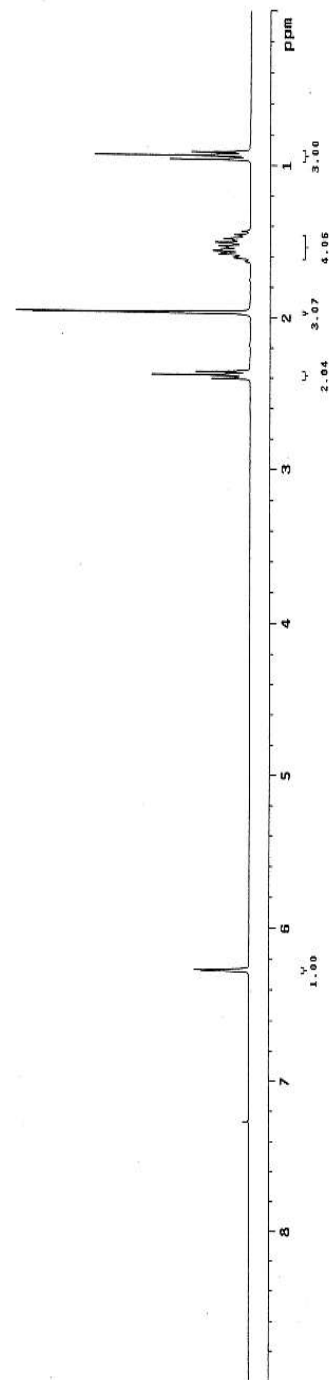
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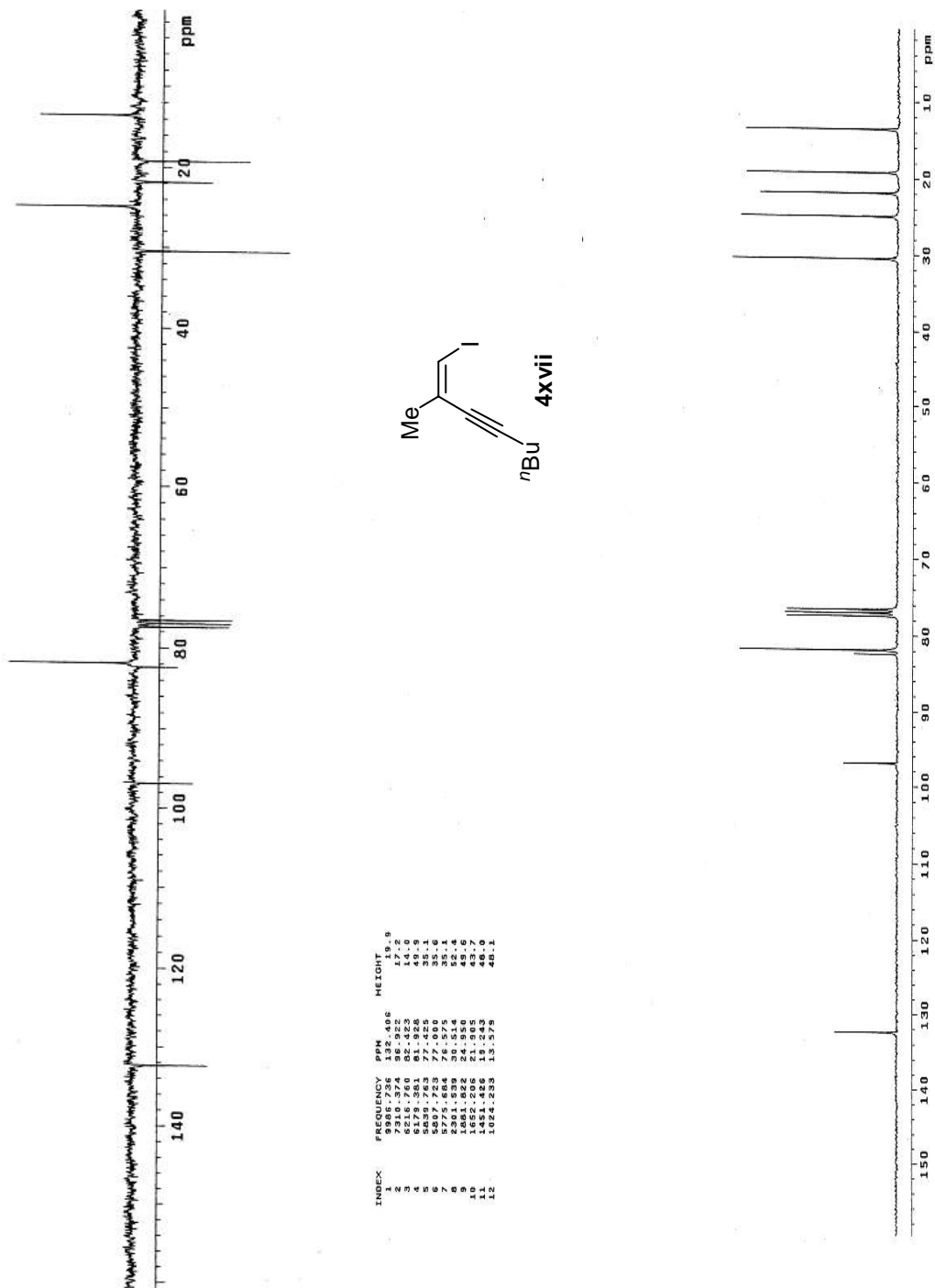
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5	707.702	2.359	13.6
6	581.754	1.973	53.5
7	497.811	1.582	8.0
8	474.014	1.582	8.0
9	472.559	1.575	7.5
10	468.385	1.561	9.4
11	467.677	1.557	7.5
12	465.852	1.552	7.5
13	460.036	1.534	7.3
14	459.103	1.531	8.0
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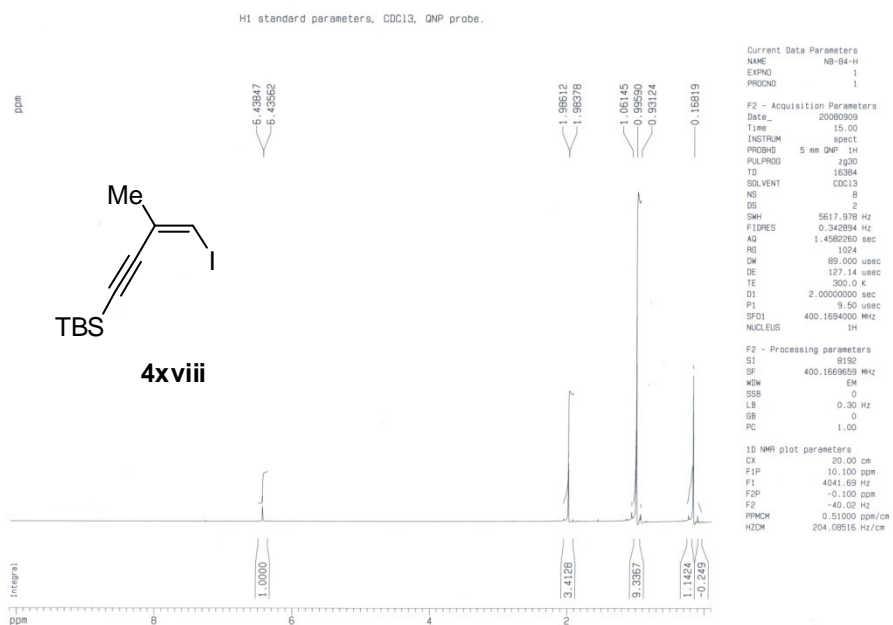


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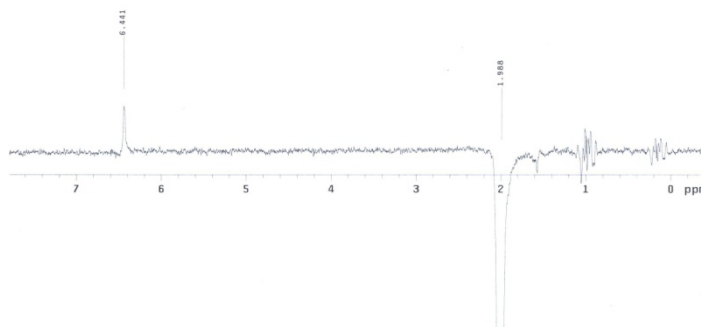
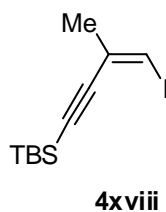
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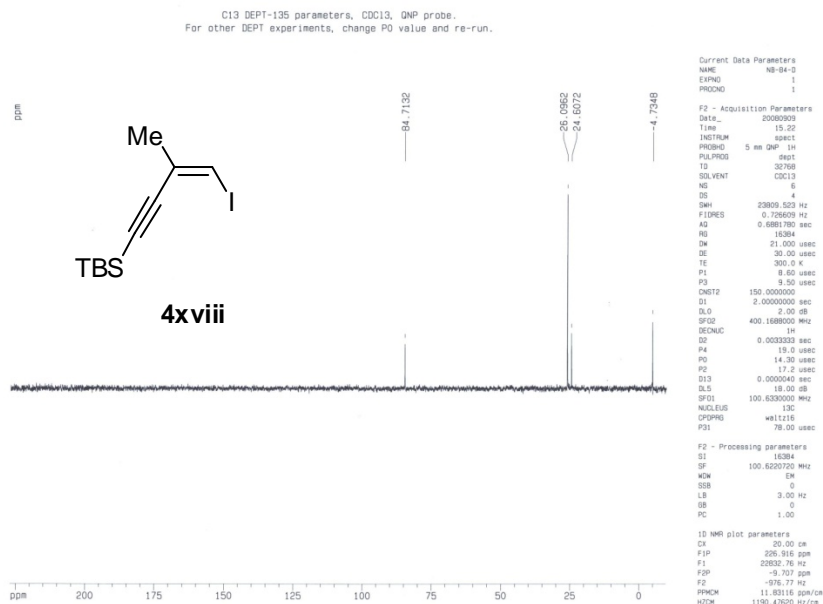
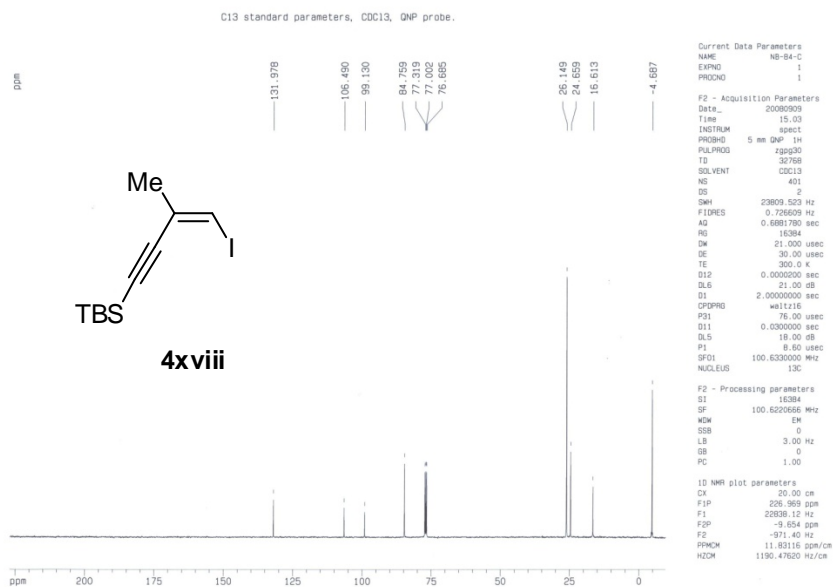
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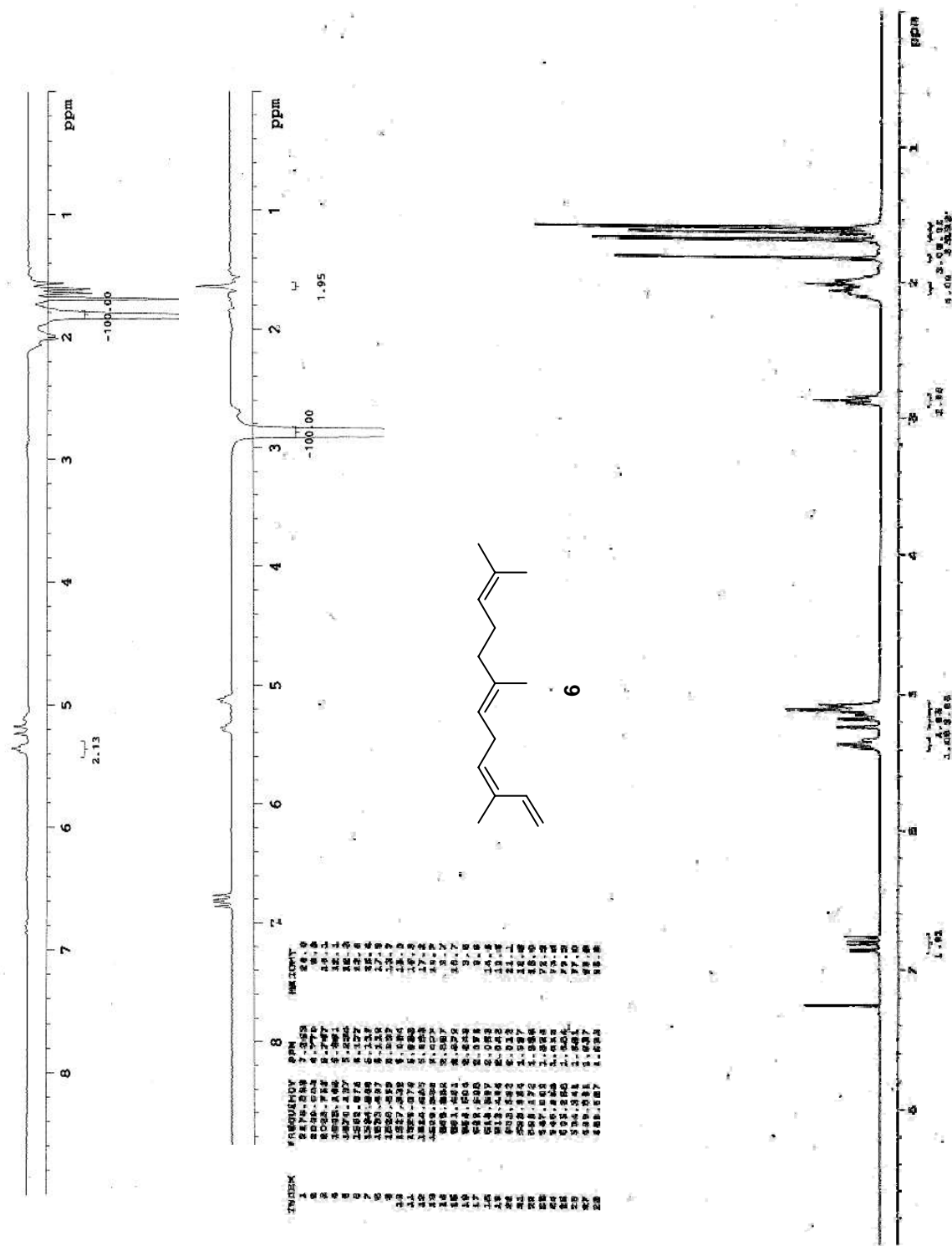


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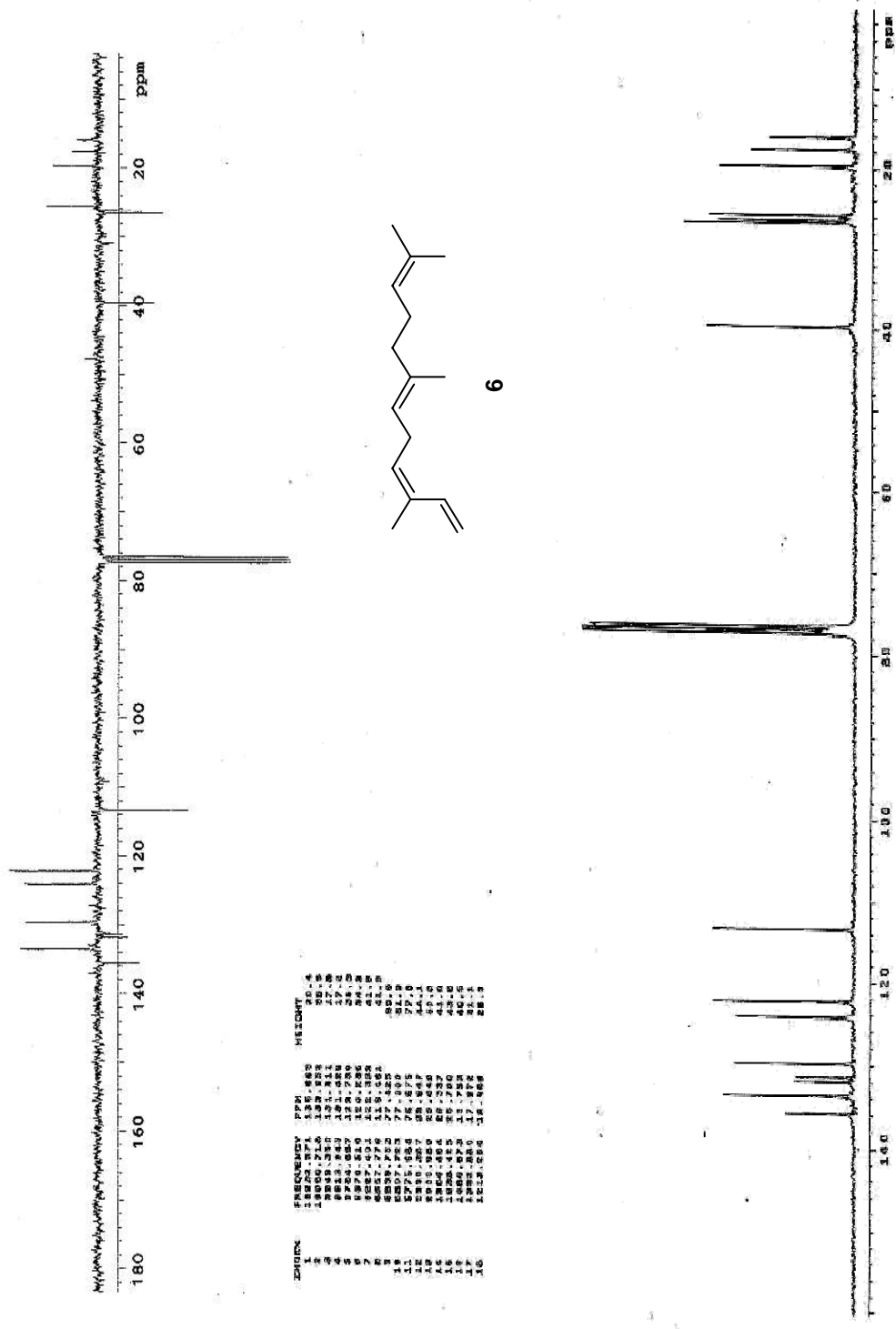
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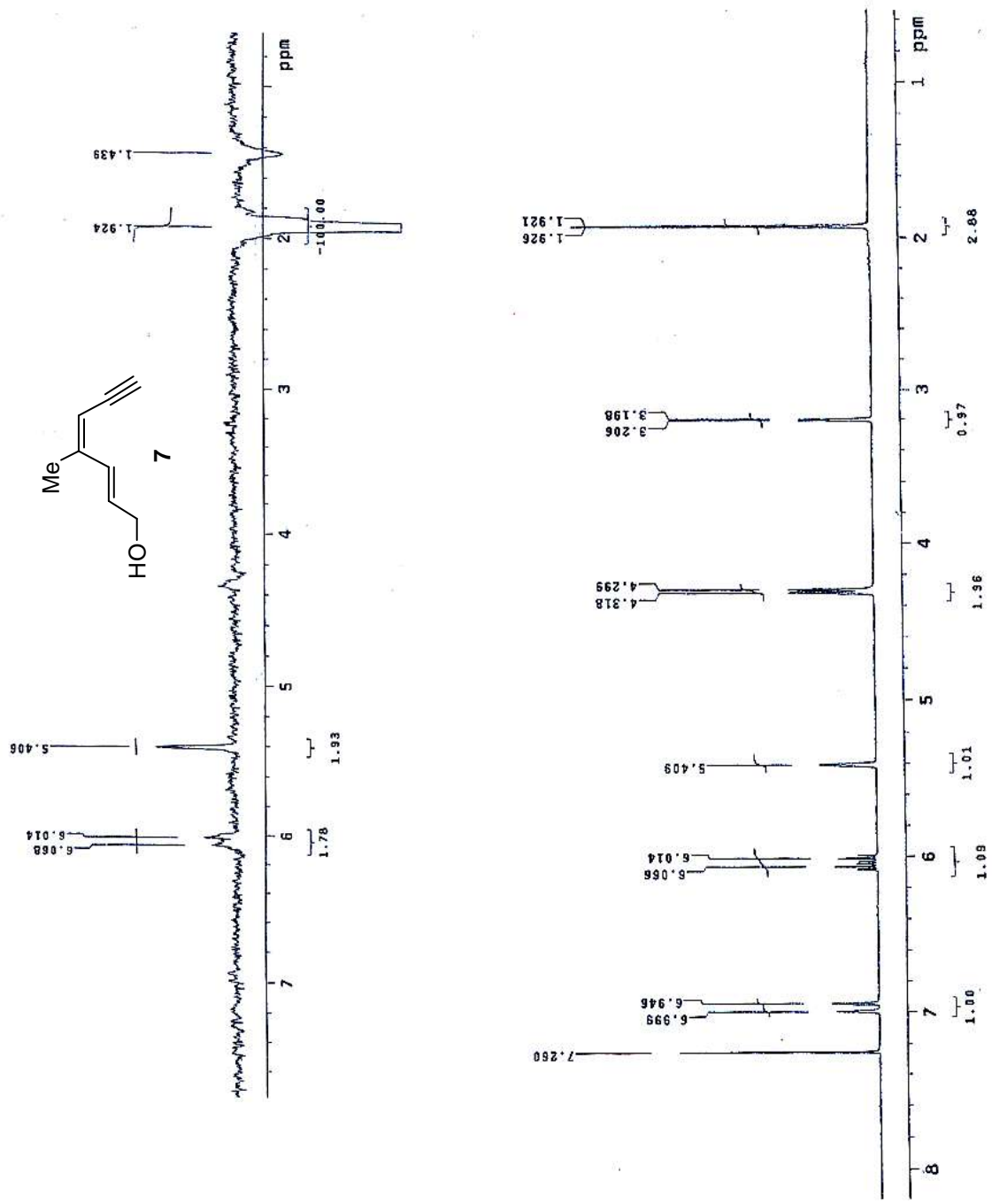
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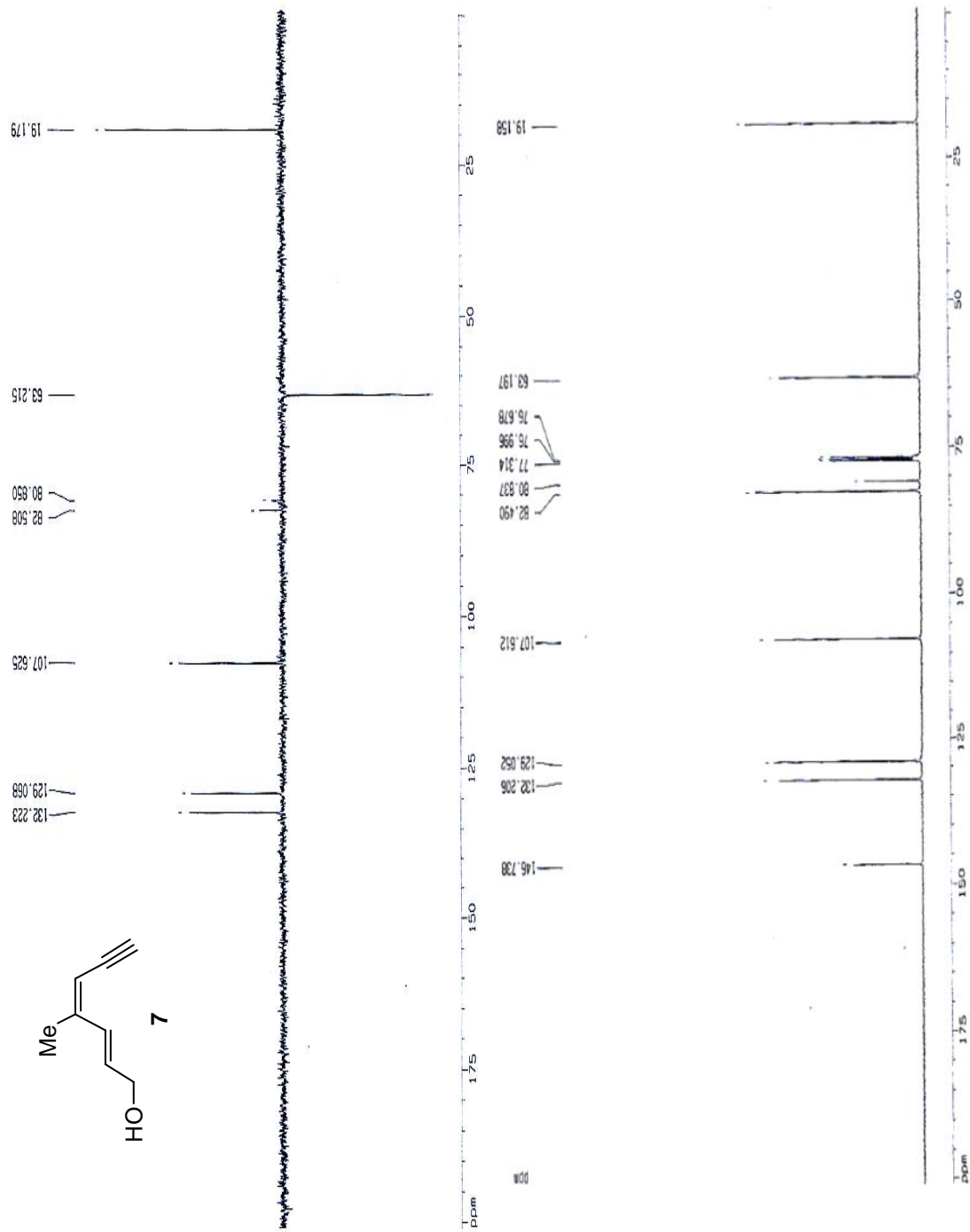
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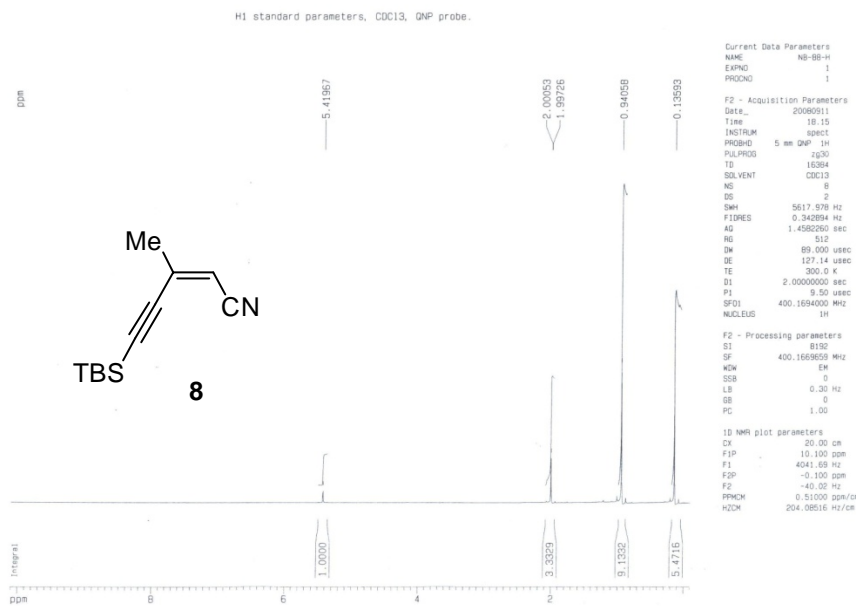


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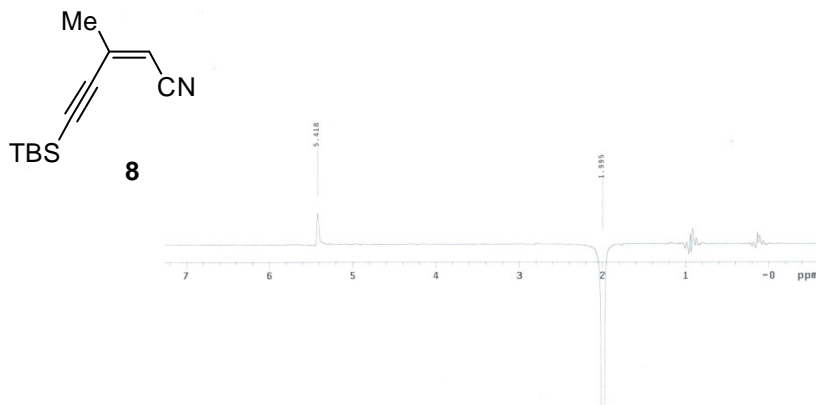
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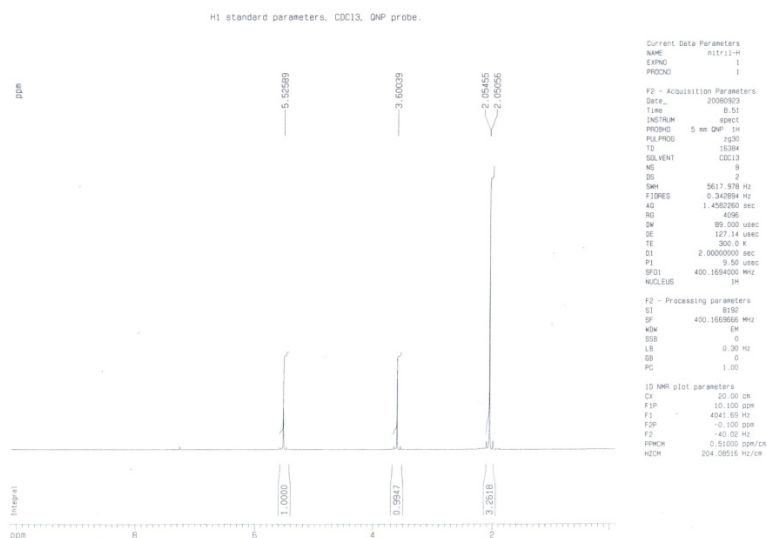
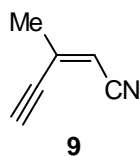
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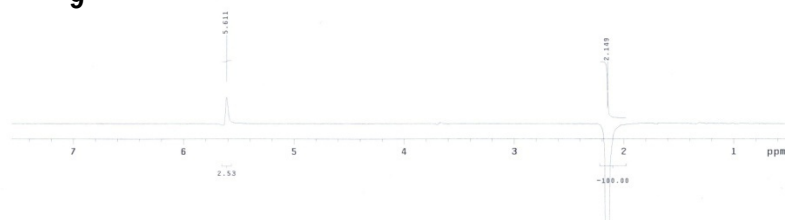
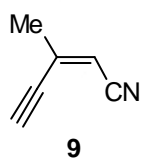


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 Line Broadening 1.0 Hz
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 Total time 7 min



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