

Supporting Information for

Allenyl Azide Cycloaddition Chemistry. 2,3-Cyclopentennelated Indole Synthesis through Indolidene Intermediates.

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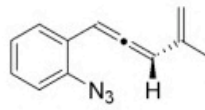
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General Experimental	S2
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¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 24	S17/S18
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 25	S19/S20
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 27c	S21/S22
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 28c	S23/S24
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¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 30	S27/S28
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¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 38h	S33/S34
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 38i	S35/S36
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 38m	S37/S38
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 39h	S39/S40
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 40g	S41/S42
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 40i	S43/S44
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 40m	S45/S46

¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 42a	S47/S48
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¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 43e	S53/S54
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 45e	S55/S56
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 46	S57/S58
¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR 47	S59/S60
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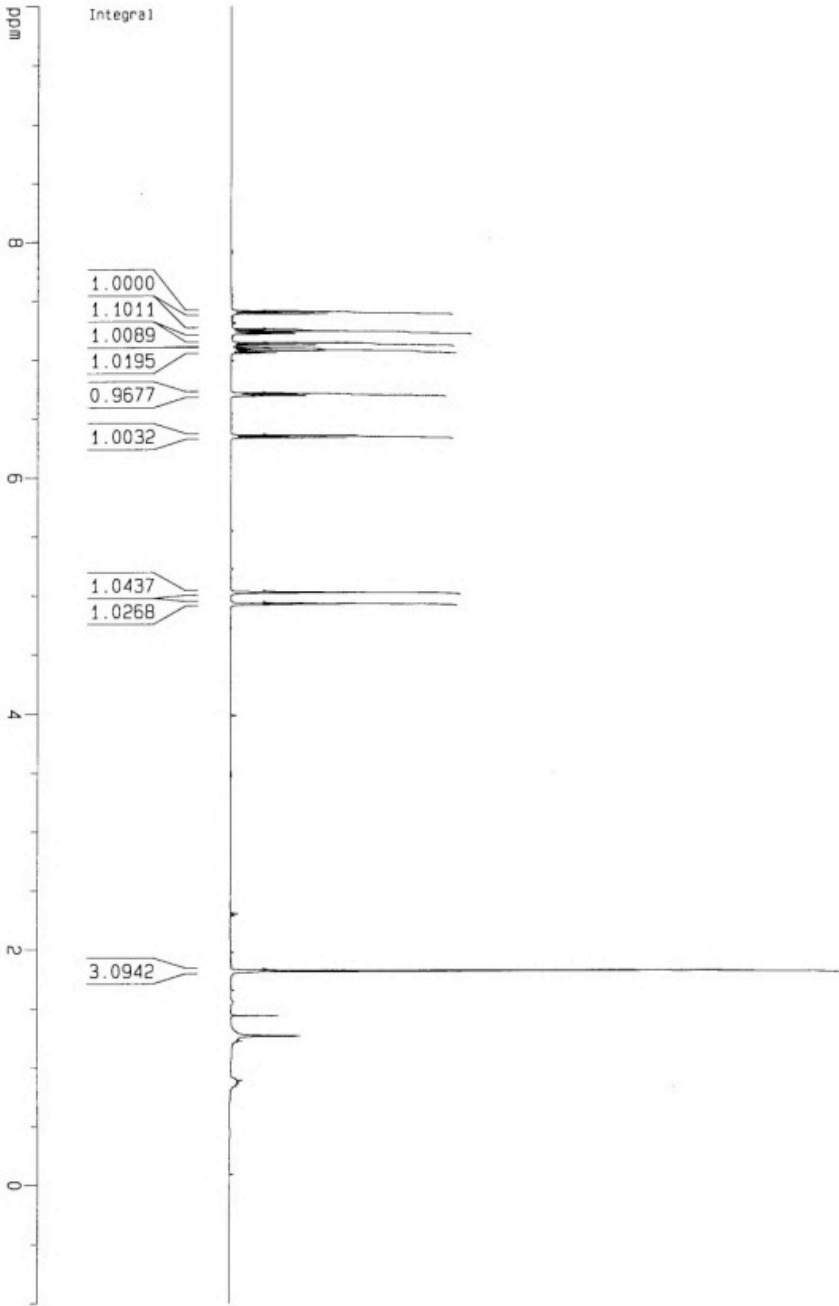
General Experimental

Moisture and oxygen sensitive reactions were carried out in flame-dried glassware under a nitrogen atmosphere. Photolysis was carried out using a Rayonet reactor with cooling fan. Solvents were dried by passage through an activated alumina column under nitrogen. All organic reagents were used as purchased unless otherwise noted. Flash chromatography was performed using 32 – 63 μm silica gel (unless otherwise noted) with the indicated solvent systems. Melting points are uncorrected.



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DKH4-260 Product pale yellow oil



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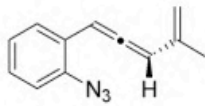
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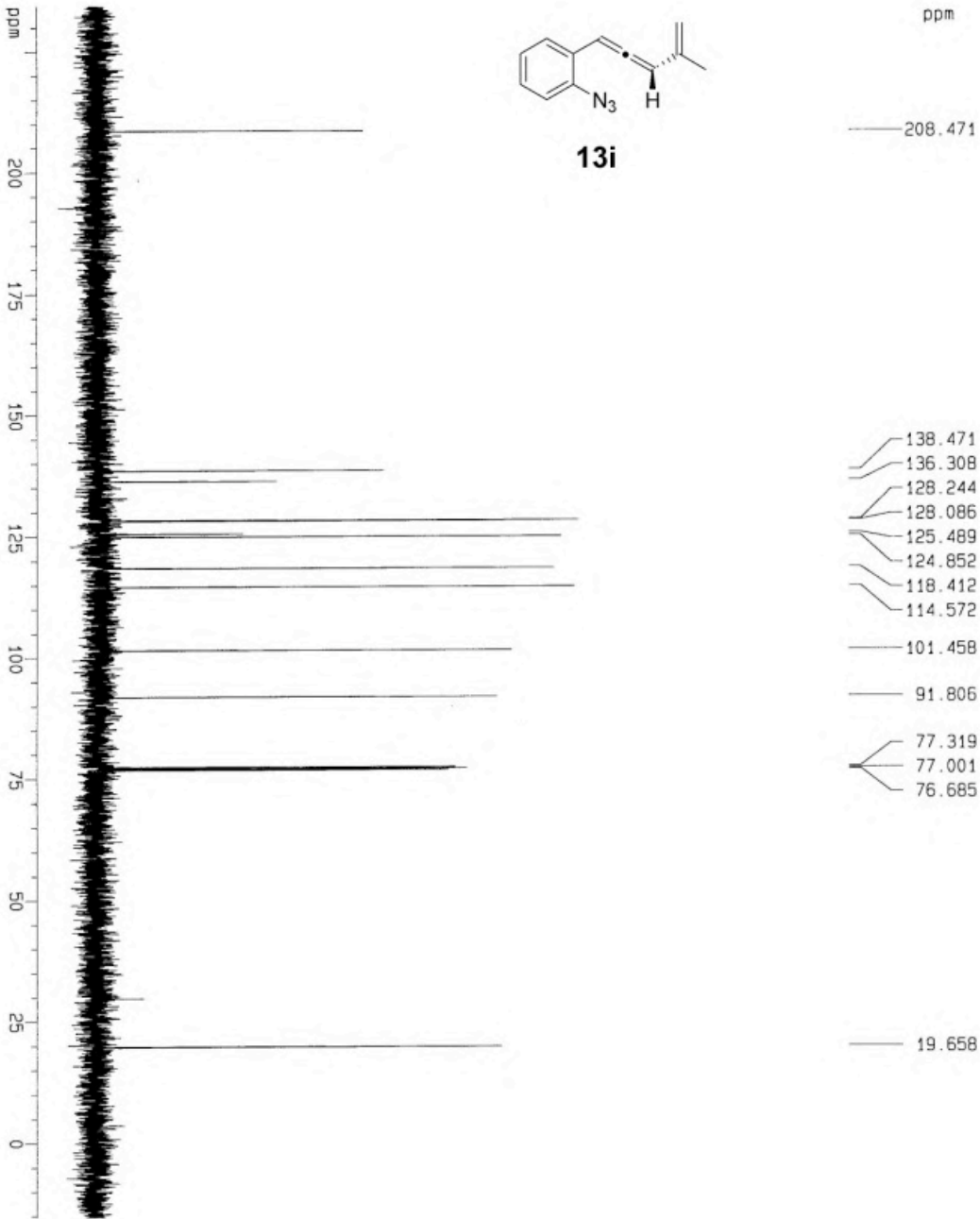
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DKH4-260 Product Pale Yellow Oil

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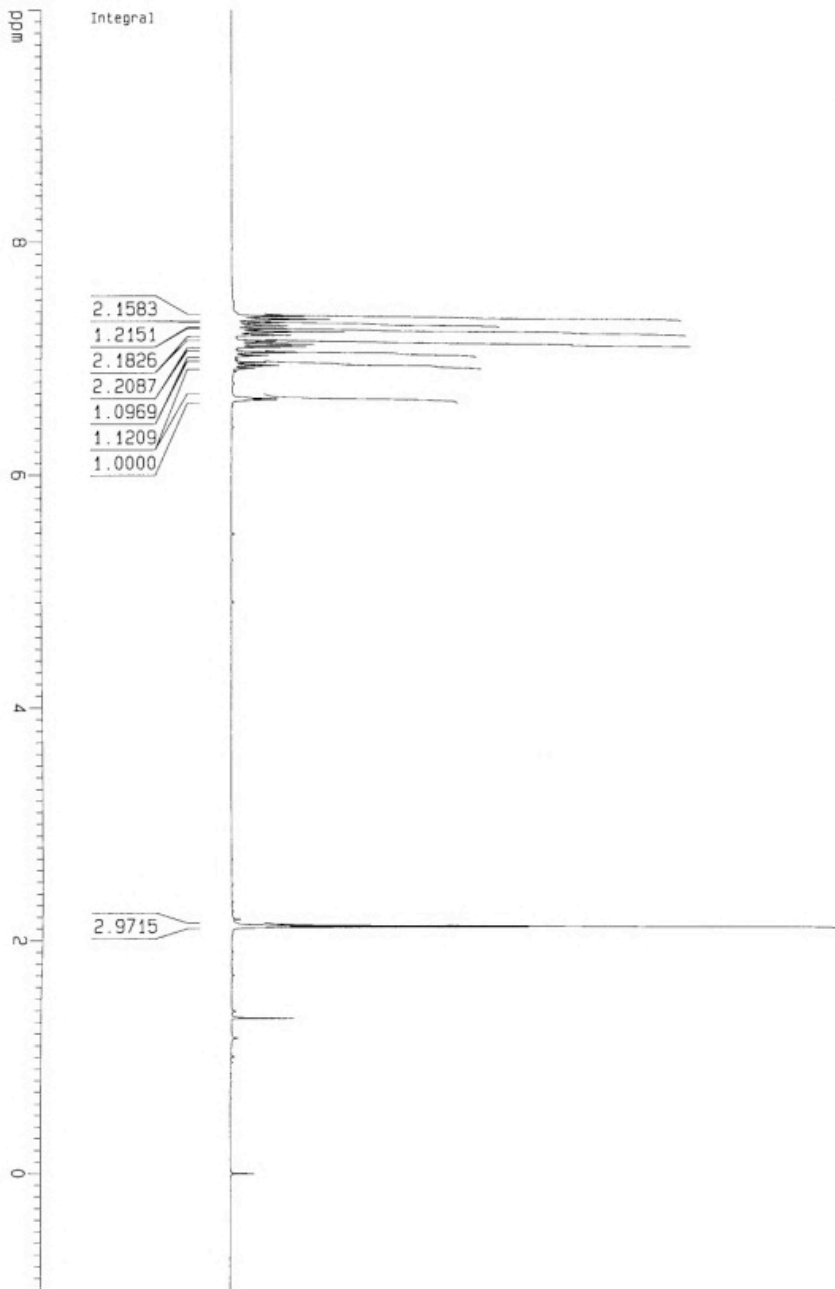
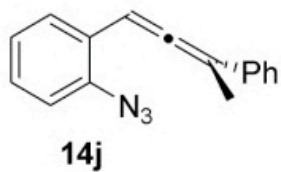
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 F2 -15.329 ppm
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DKH3-214 Product Ye[low 01]



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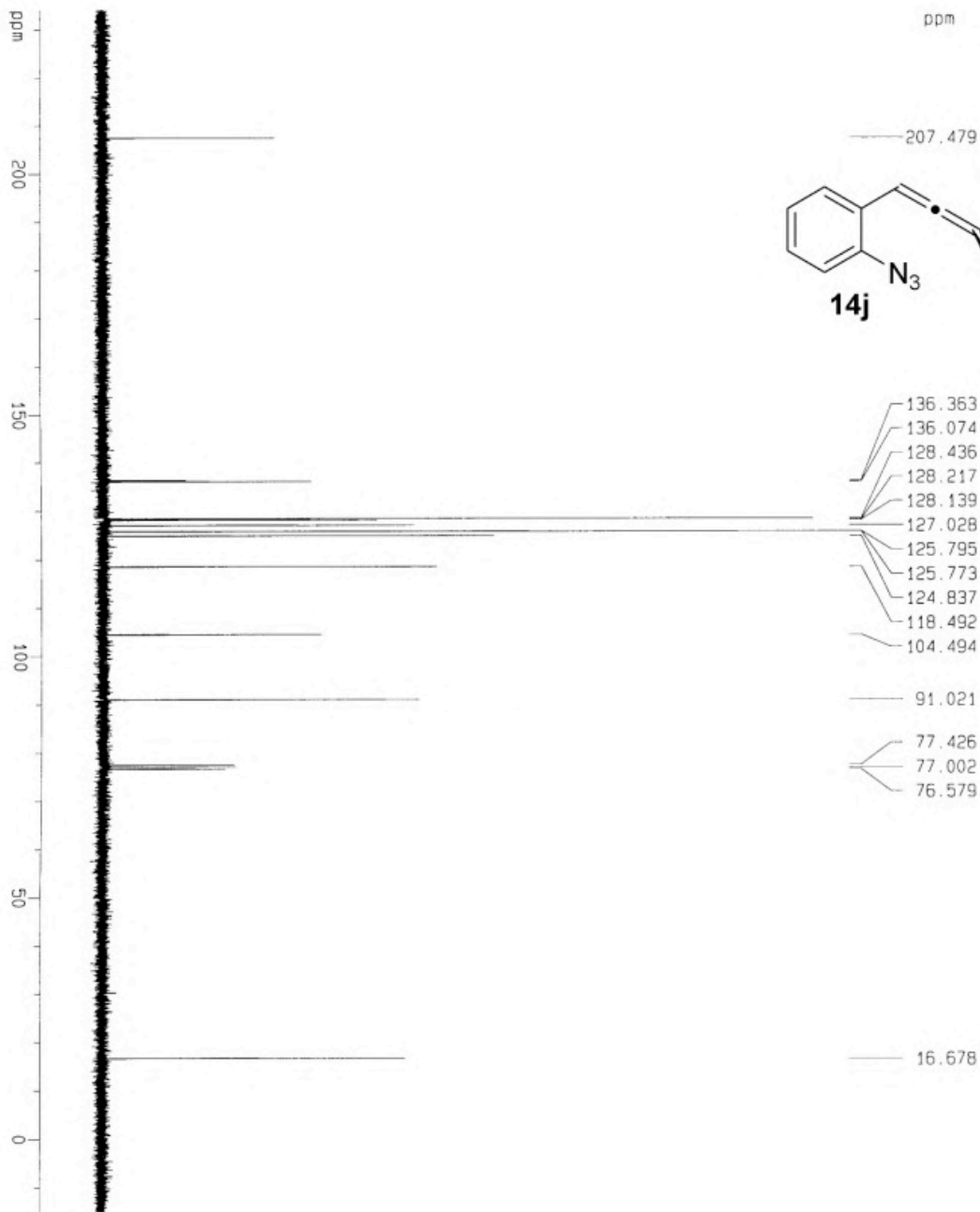
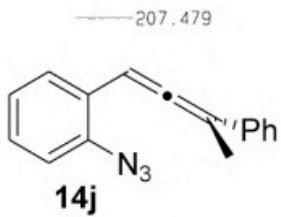
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F1 2998.70 Hz
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F2 -299.87 Hz
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DKH3-214 Product



Current Data Parameters

NAME DKH3-214P

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PROCNO 1

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SOLVENT CDCl3

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D12 0.00000000 sec

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PL1 -6.00 dB

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PCPD2 115.00 usec

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PL12 20.00 dB

PL13 20.00 dB

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F2 - Processing parameters

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10 NMR plot parameters

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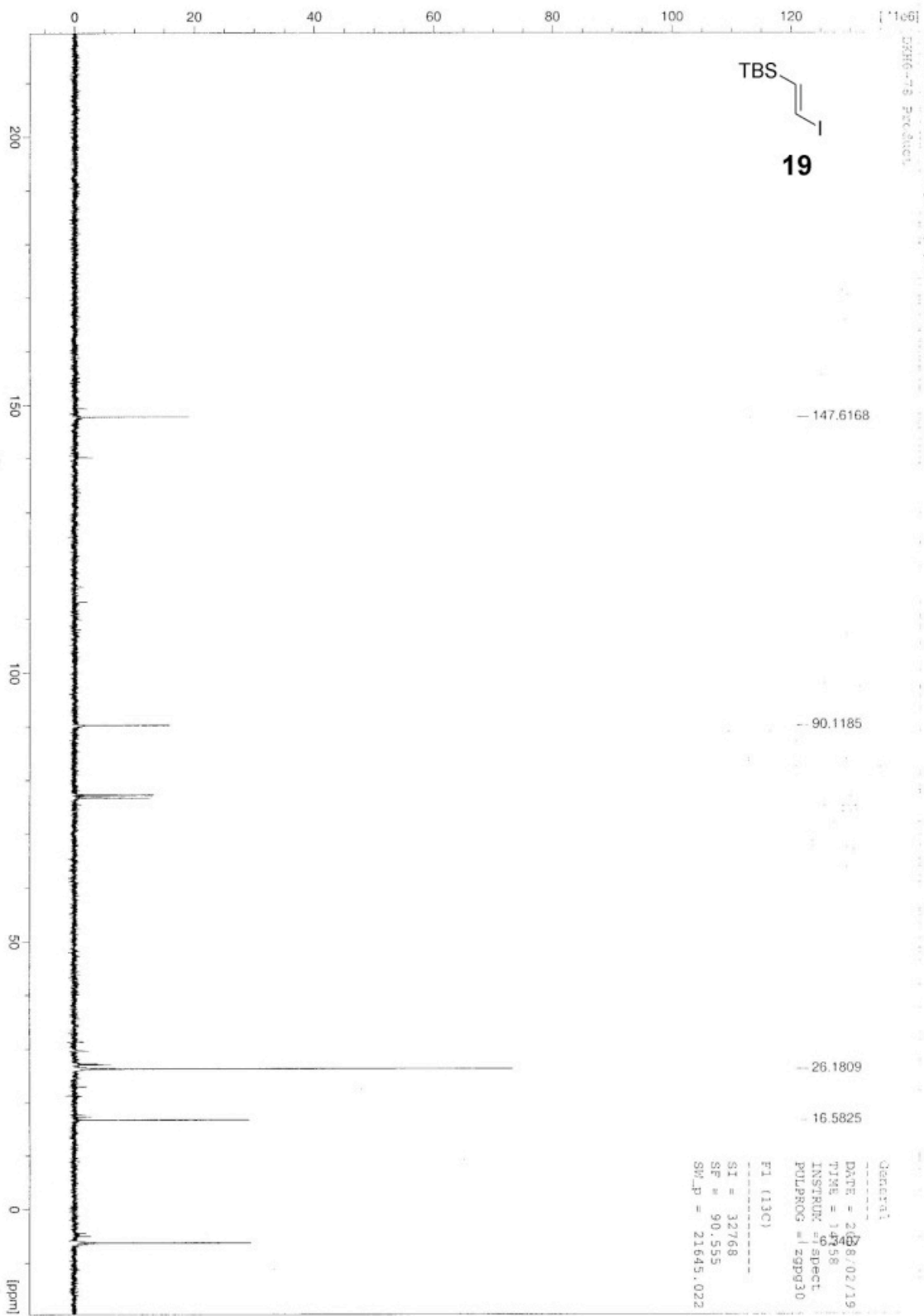
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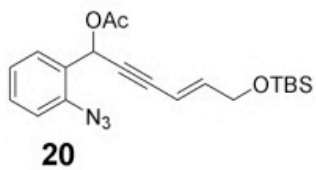
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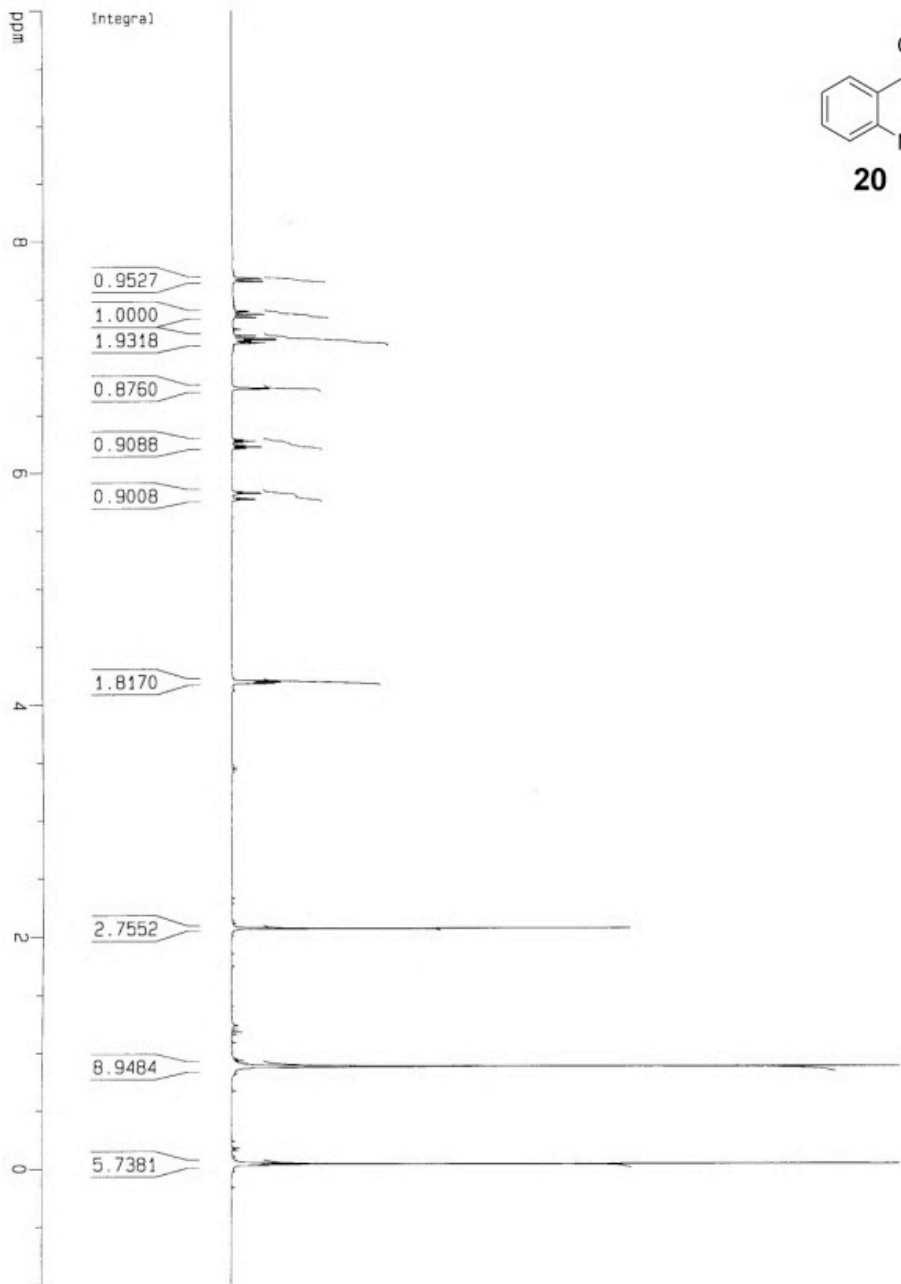
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DKH-24 Product Yelllow 011



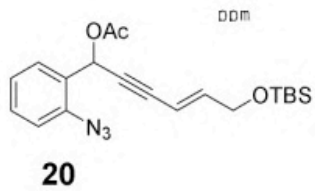
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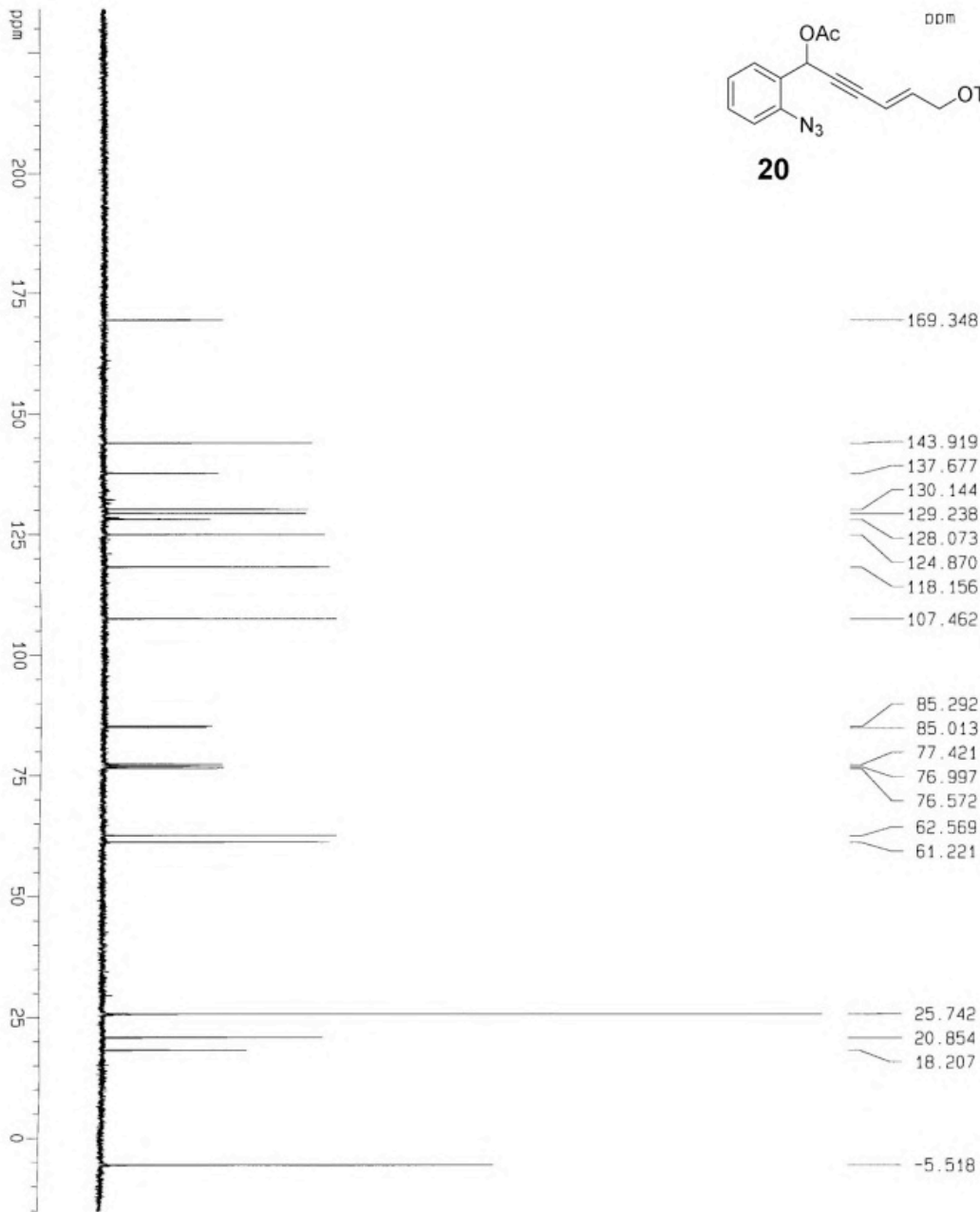
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10 NMR plot parameters
CX 20.00 cm
F1P 10.000 ppm
F1 2998.70 Hz
F2P -1.000 ppm
F2 -299.87 Hz
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DKH5-24 Product



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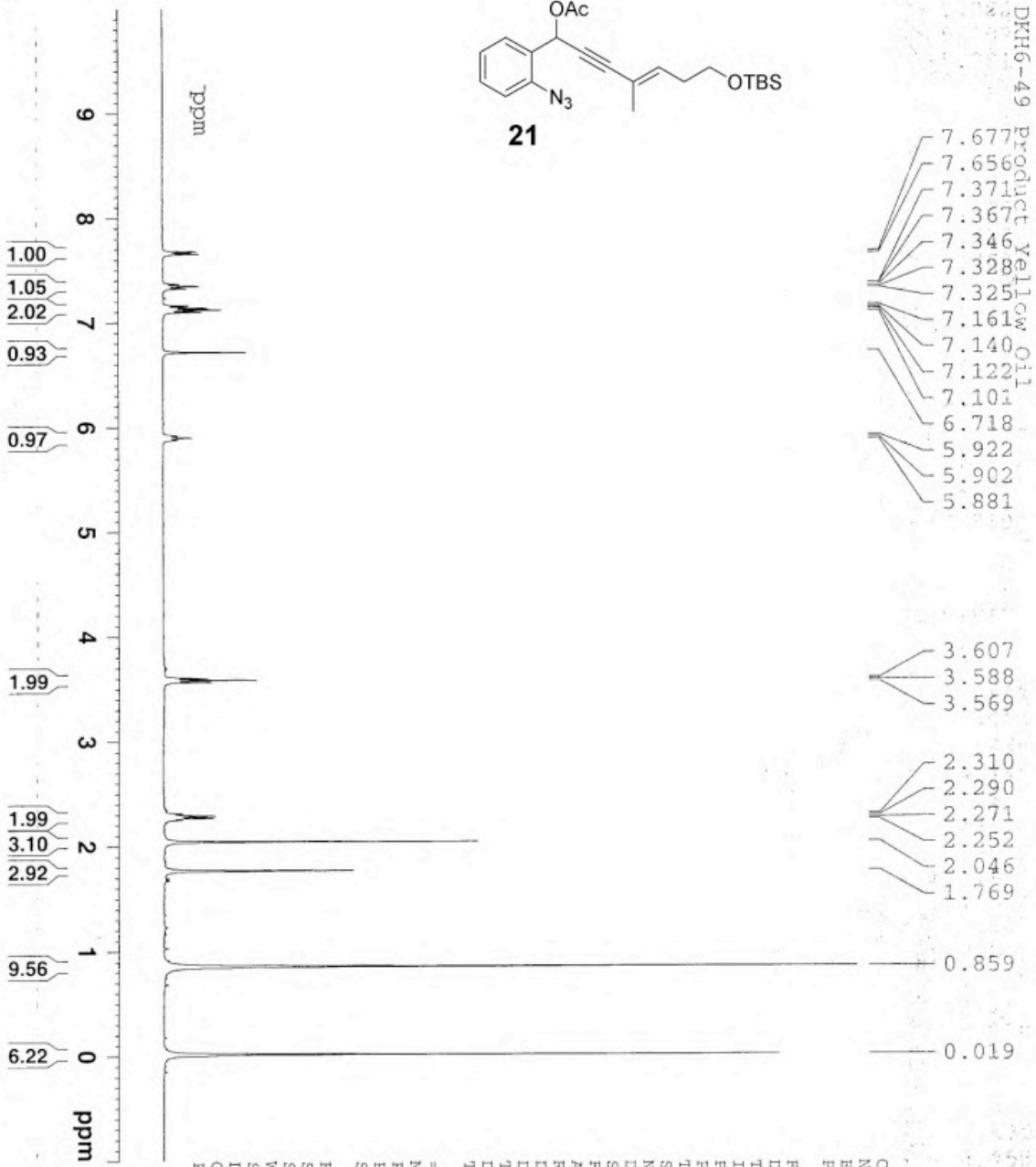
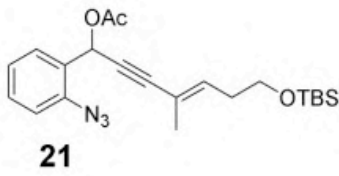
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SMH         18795.992 Hz
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NUC1         13C
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SFO1         75.4106357 MHz

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NUC2         1H
PCPD2       115.00 usec
PL2         0.00 dB
PL12        20.00 dB
PL13        20.00 dB
SFO2        299.9711995 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI           32768
SF           75.4023620 MHz
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SSB          0
LB           1.00 Hz
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PC           1.40

1D NMR plot parameters
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F1P         234.107 ppm
F1          17652.20 Hz
F2P         -15.182 ppm
F2          -1144.79 Hz
PPHVM       12.46445 ppm/cm
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DKH6-49

Product Yellow Oil

- 7.6777
- 7.6566
- 7.3711
- 7.3677
- 7.3466
- 7.3288
- 7.3255
- 7.1611
- 7.1400
- 7.1222
- 7.1011
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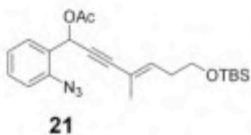
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 DE 6.00 usec
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 TD0 1

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DKH6-49 Product Yellow 011



Current Data Parameters
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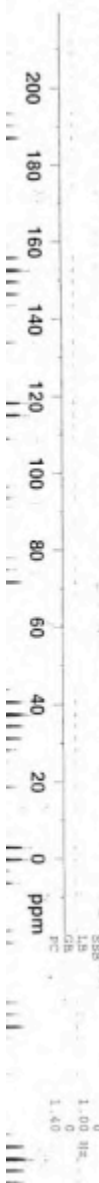
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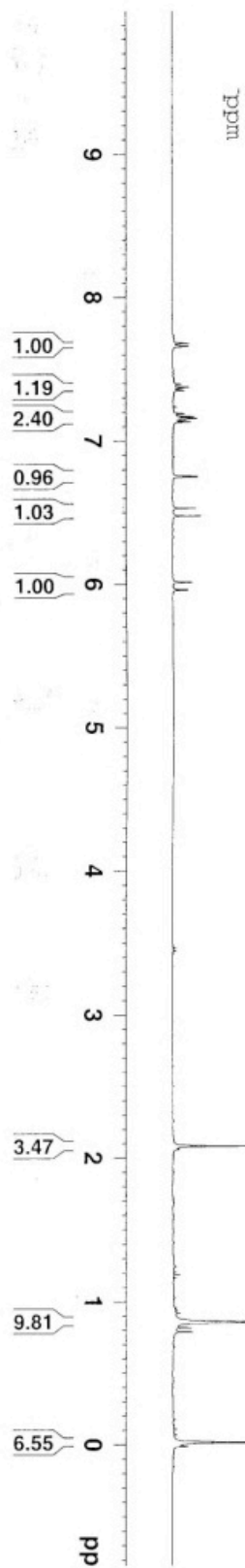
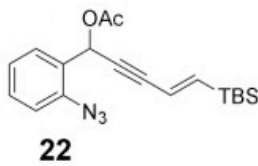
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PL13 6.03 dB
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DNH6-80 Product Yellow Oil

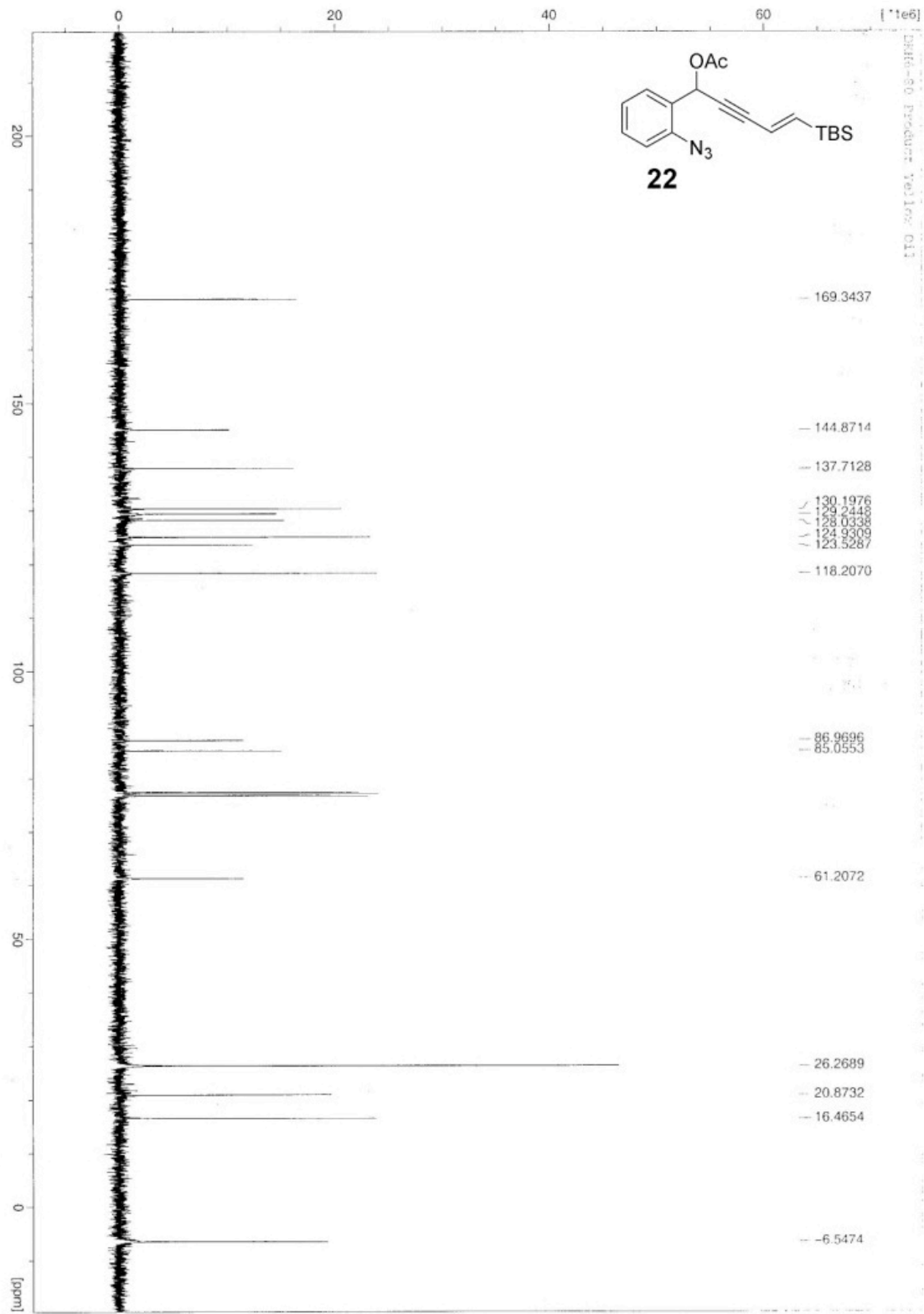


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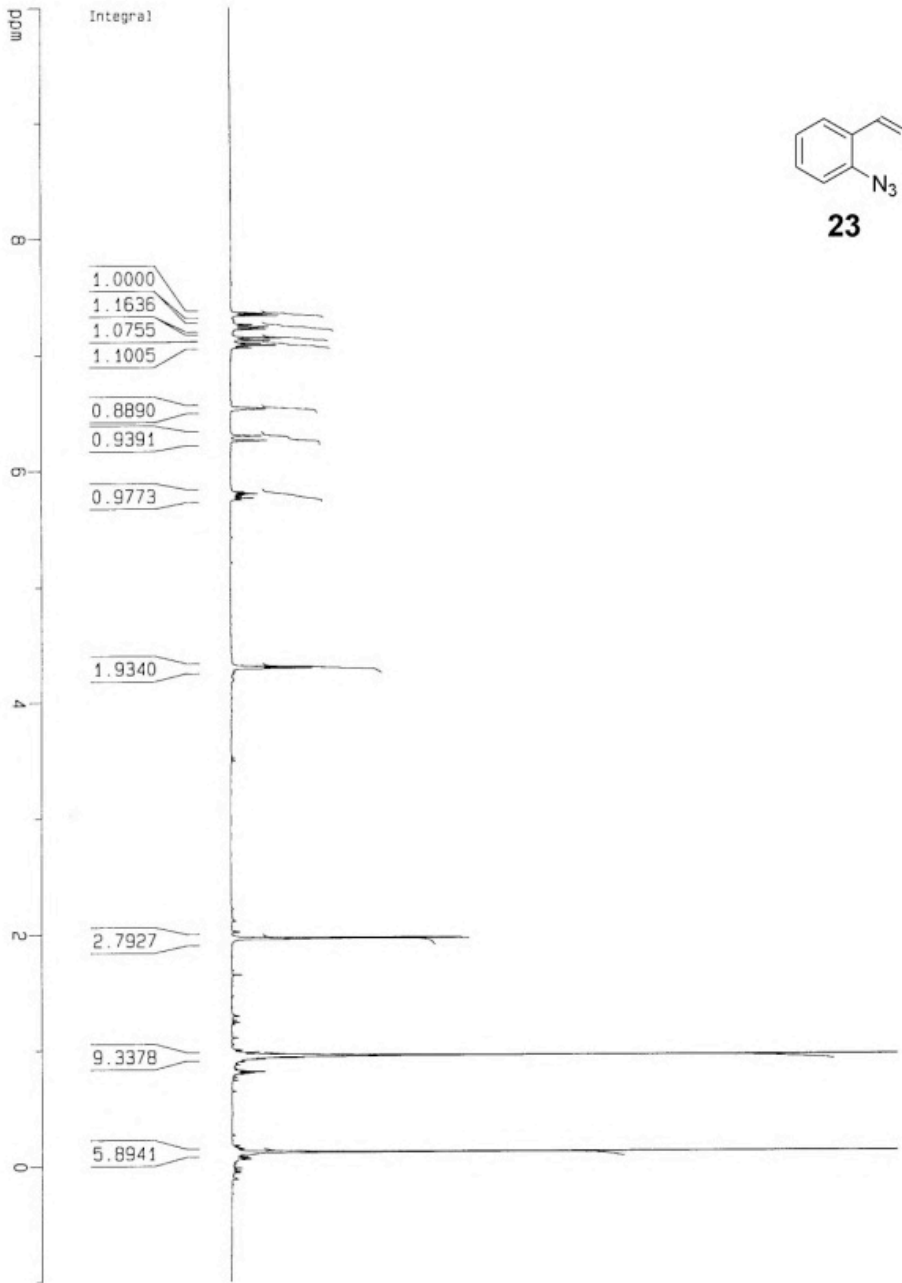
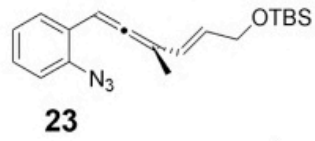
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DKH5-26 Product Yellow 011



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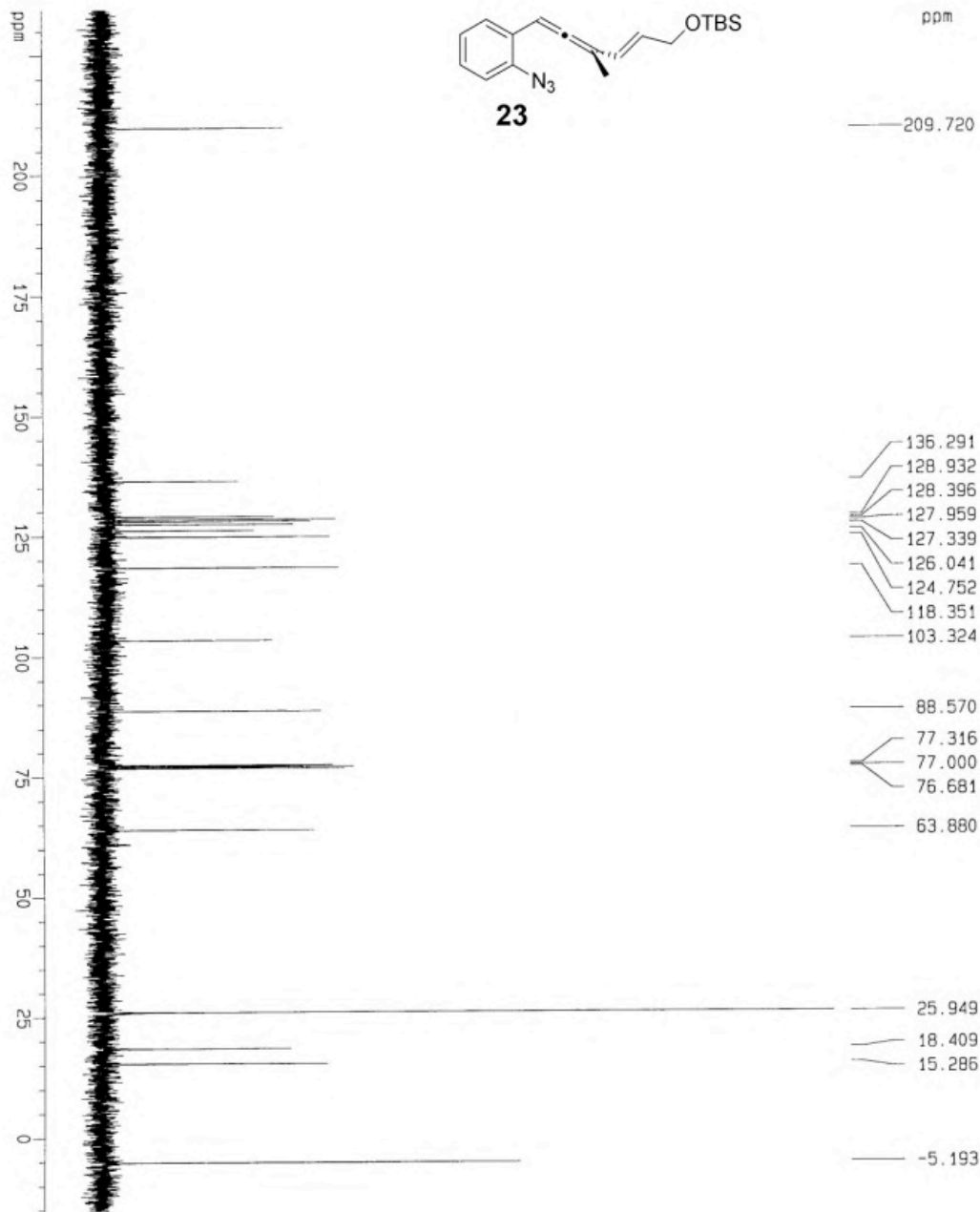
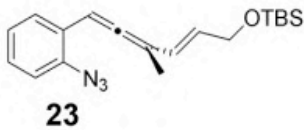
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1D NMR plot parameters
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 F1 4001.30 Hz
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 F2 -400.13 Hz
 PPMCK 0.55000 ppm/cm
 HZCM 220.07150 Hz/cm

DKH5-28 Product



- 136.291
- 128.932
- 128.396
- 127.959
- 127.339
- 126.041
- 124.752
- 118.351
- 103.324
- 88.570
- 77.316
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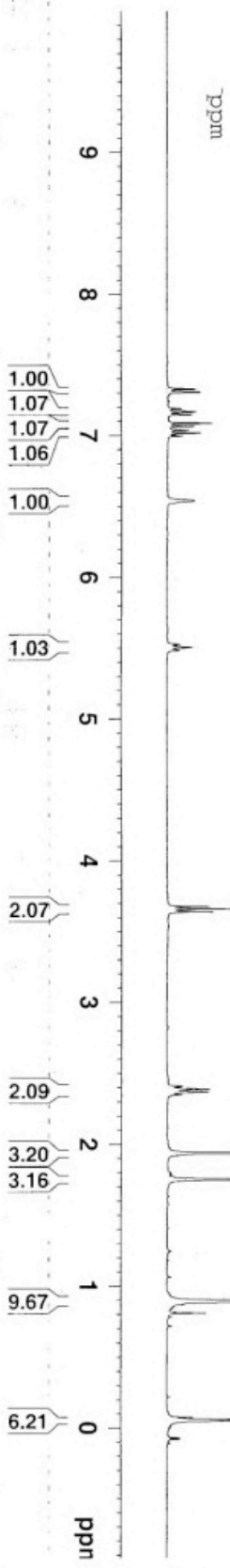
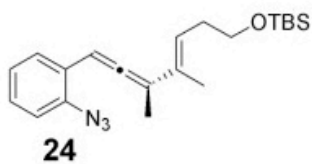
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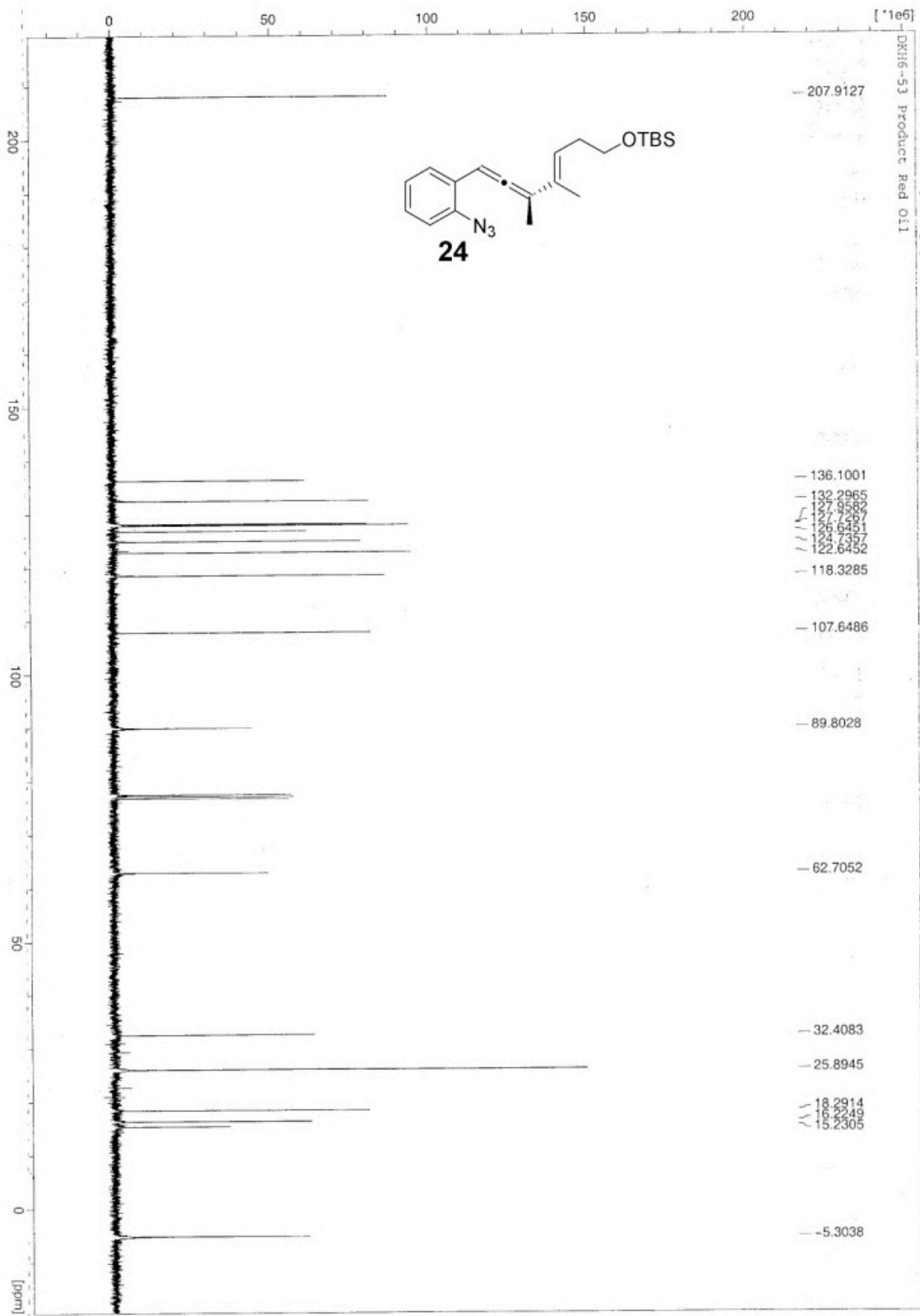
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DKH6-53 Product Red Oil

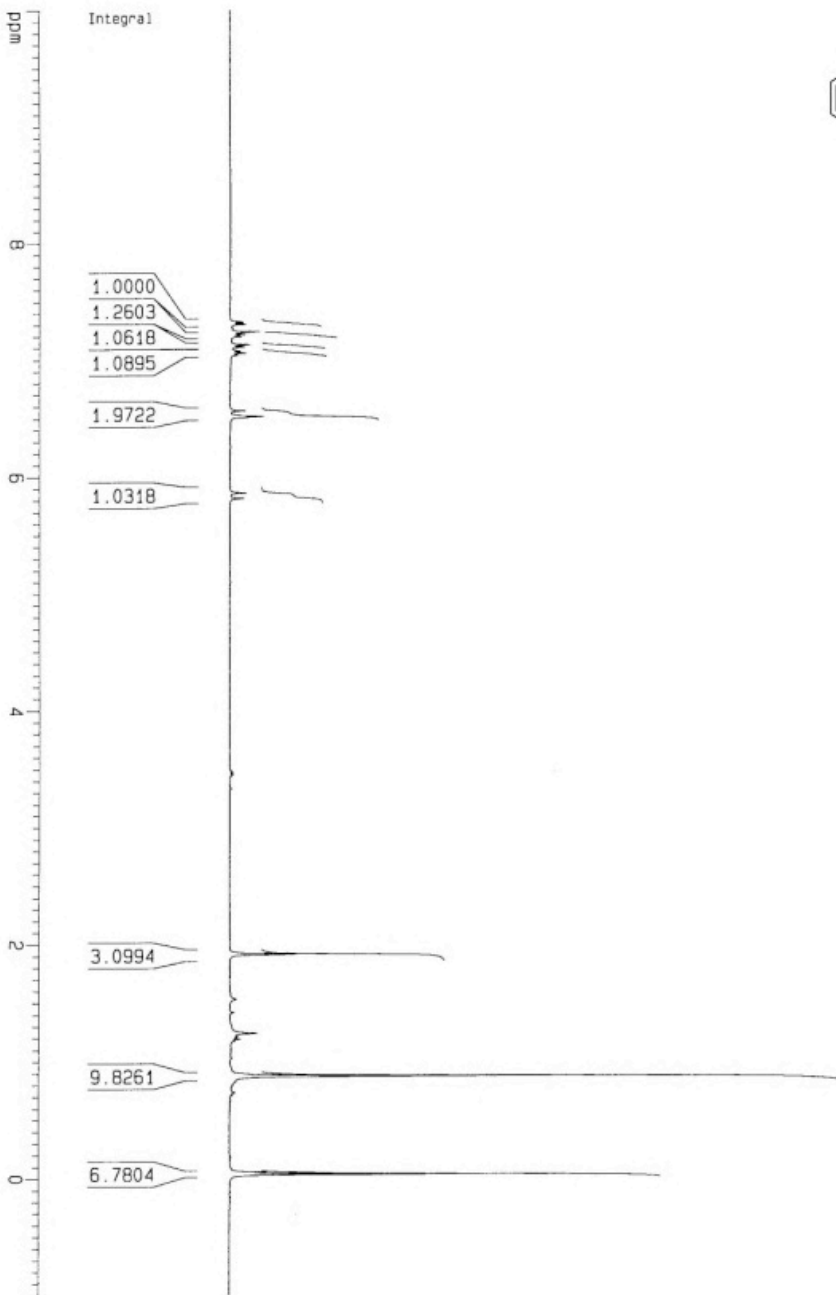
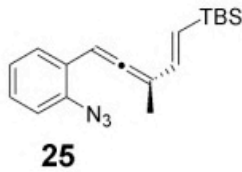


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FIDRES       0.11323 Hz
AQ           4.4040694 sec
RG           40.3
DM           67.200 use
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P1           14.93 use
PL1          -3.00 dB
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F2 - Processing parameters
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DKH6-92 Product colorless 011



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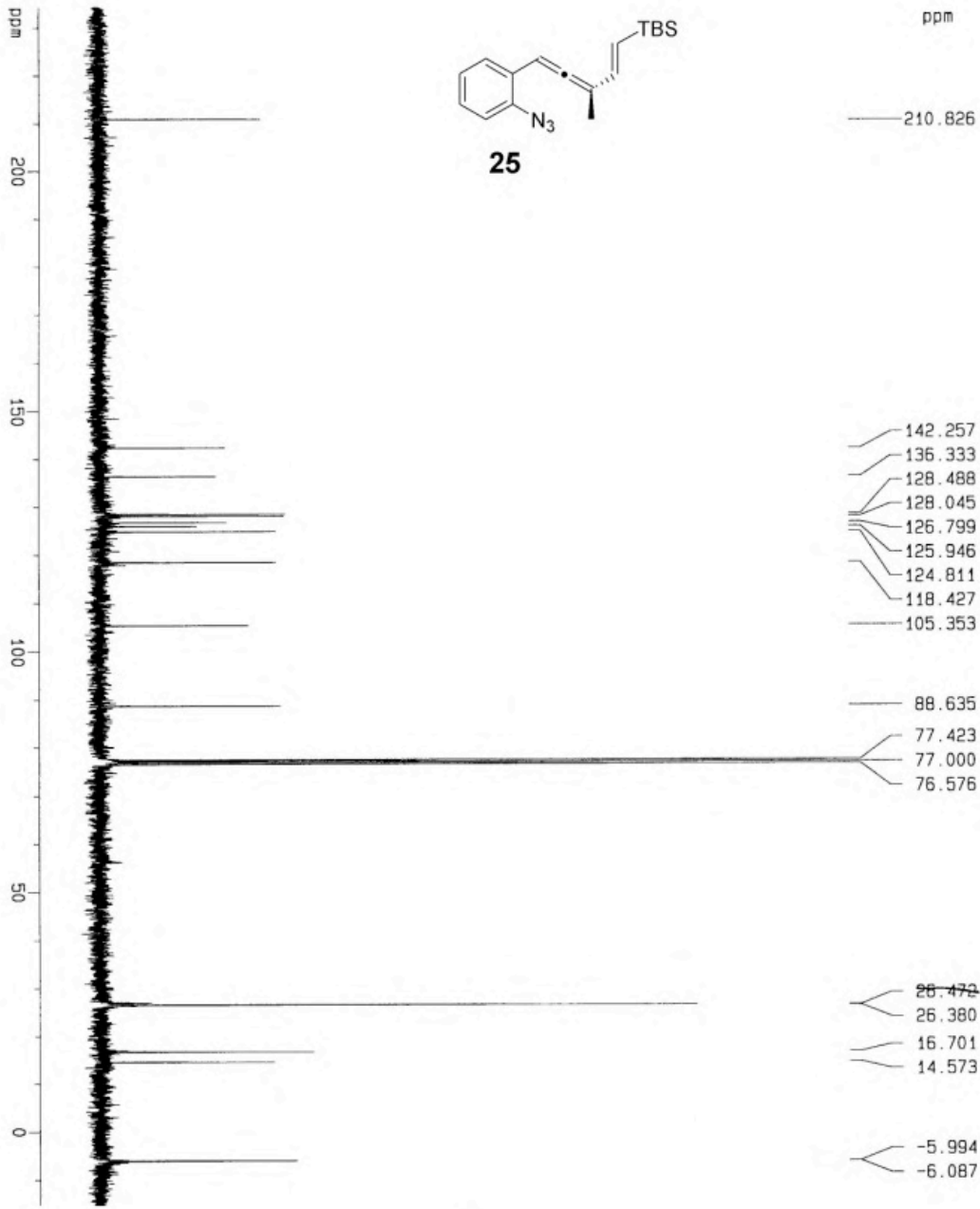
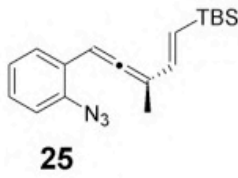
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SOLVENT      CDCl3
NS            16
DS            2
SMH           8278.146 Hz
FIDRES       0.126314 Hz
AQ           3.9584243 sec
RG           1149.4
DM           60.400 usec
DE           5.00 usec
TE           300.0 K
D1           1.00000000 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1          1H
P1            6.45 usec
PL1           0.00 dB
SFO1         400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI            32768
SF           400.1300169 MHz
WDW           no
SSB           0
LB            0.00 Hz
GB            0
PC            1.00

1D NMR plot parameters
CX            20.00 cm
F1p          10.000 ppm
F1           4001.30 Hz
F2p          -1.000 ppm
F2           -400.13 Hz
PPMCHM       0.55000 ppm/cm
HZCM         220.07150 Hz/cm
  
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DKH6-85 Product Yellow 011



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Current Data Parameters
NAME      DKH6-85P
EXPNO    2
PROCNO   1

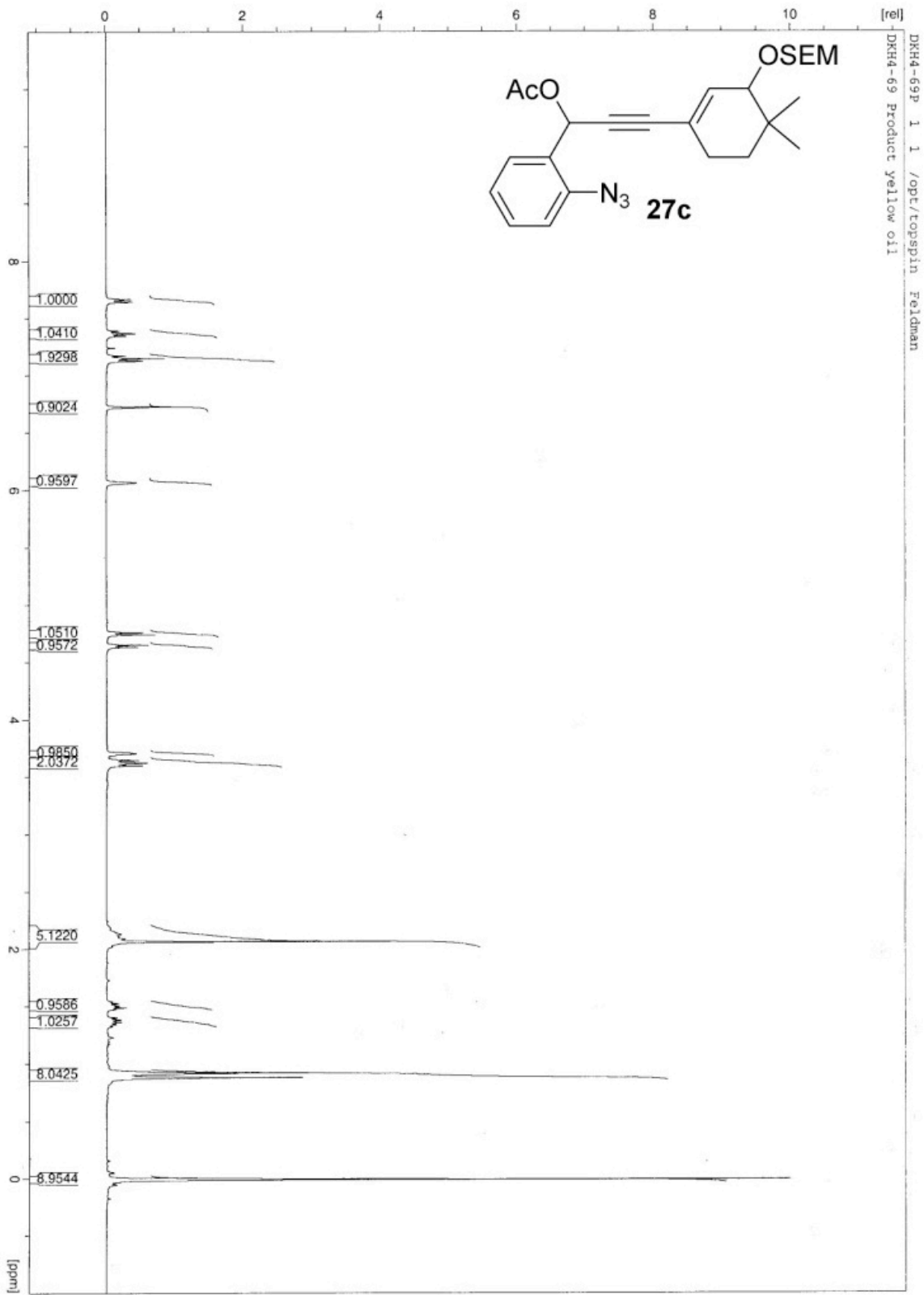
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NS        747
DS        4
SMH       18832.393 Hz
FIDRES   0.287360 Hz
AQ        1.7400308 sec
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TE        300.0 K
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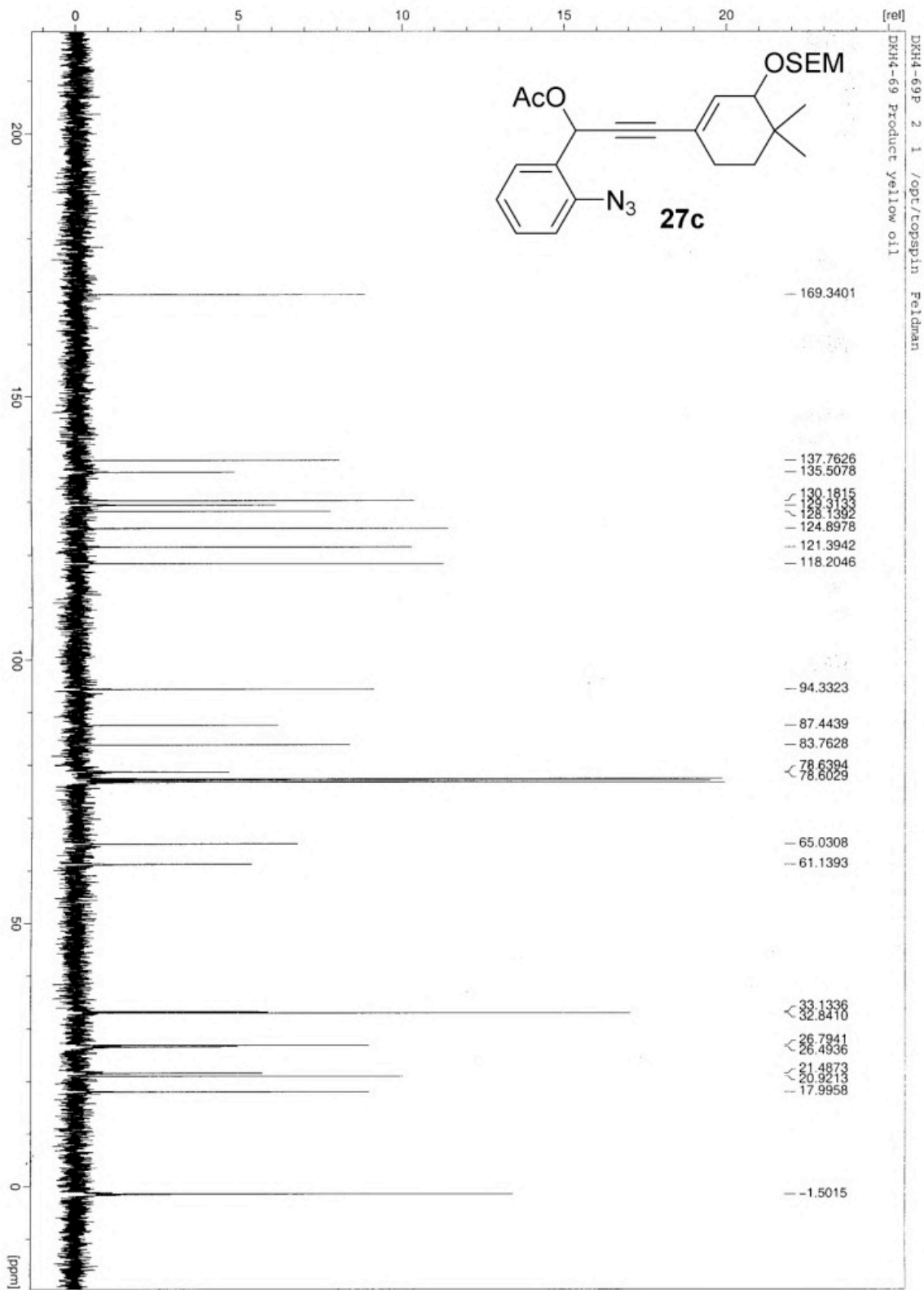
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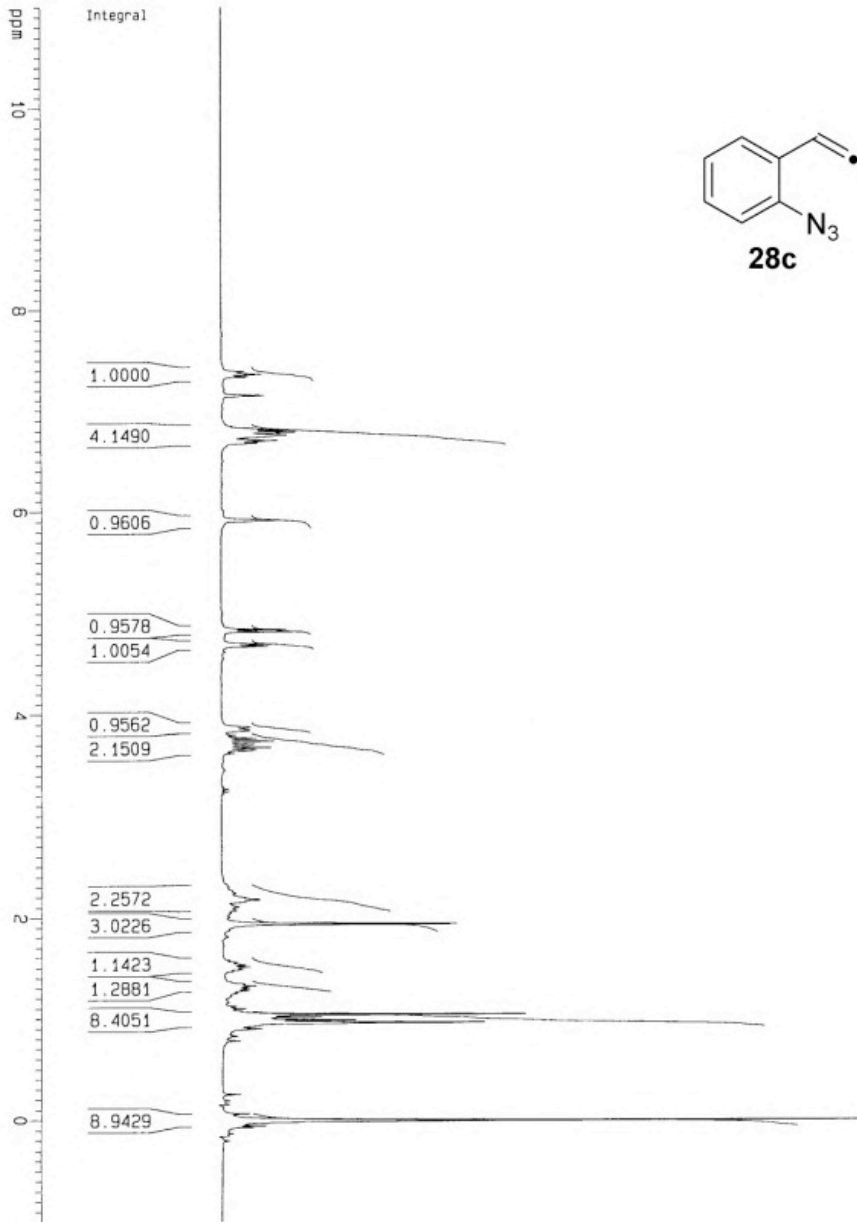
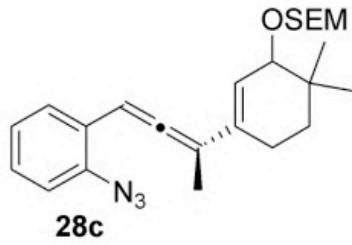
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CPDPRG2  waltz16
NUC2      1H
PCPD2    110.00 usec
PL2       0.00 dB
PL12     17.50 dB
PL13     17.50 dB
SFO2     300.1312005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI        32768
SF        75.467514 MHz
WDW       EM
SSB       0
LB        1.00 Hz
GB        0
PC        1.40

1D NMR plot parameters
CX        20.00 cm
F1P       234.333 DDM
F1        17684.71 Hz
F2P       -15.208 ppm
F2        -1147.68 Hz
PPMKW    12.47711 DDM/cm
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Current Data Parameters
NAME      DKH3-140P
EXPNO    1
PROCNO   1

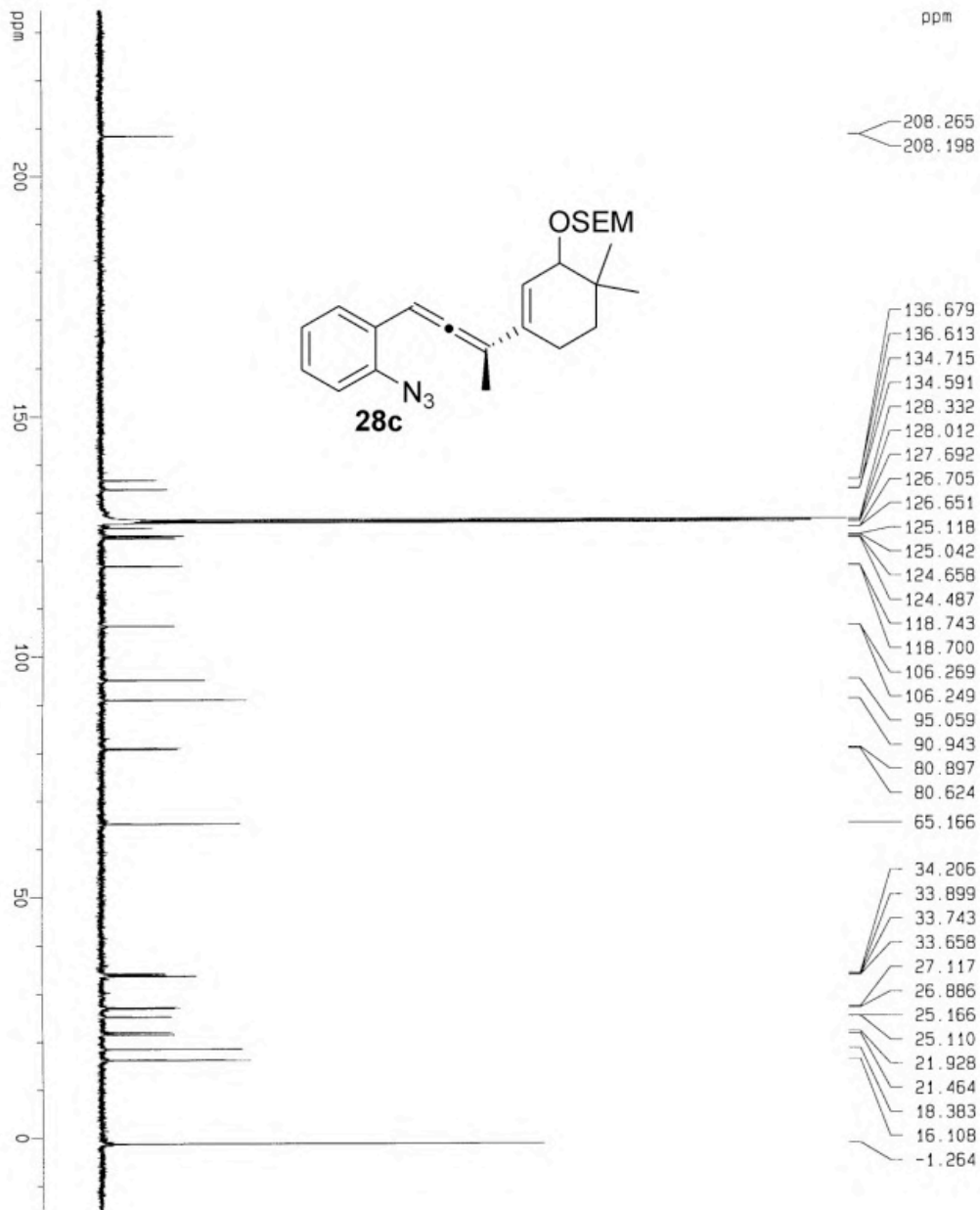
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Time     14.58
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TD        65536
SOLVENT  CDCl3
NS        16
DS        2
SMH       6172.839 Hz
FIDRES    0.094190 Hz
AQ        5.3084660 sec
RG        57
DM        81.000 usec
DE        6.00 usec
TE        300.0 K
D1        1.00000000 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1      1H
P1        9.60 usec
PL1       -6.00 dB
SFO1     300.1318534 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI        32768
SF        300.1300354 MHz
WDW       no
SSB       0
LB        0.00 Hz
GB        0
PC        1.00

1D NMR plot parameters
CX        20.00 ppm
F1P       11.000 ppm
F1        3301.43 Hz
F2P       -1.000 ppm
F2        -300.13 Hz
PPMCKM   0.60000 ppm/cm
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DKH3-140 Product



Current Data Parameters
 NAME DKH3-140P
 EXPNO 2
 PROCNO 1

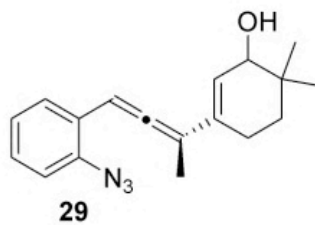
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 Time 15.11
 INSTRUM spect
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 TD 65536
 SOLVENT CDCl3
 NS 215
 DS 4
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 FIDRES 0.287360 Hz
 AQ 1.7400308 sec
 RG 8192
 DM 25.550 usec
 DE 6.00 usec
 TE 300.0 K
 D1 2.00000000 sec
 d11 0.03000000 sec
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===== CHANNEL f1 =====
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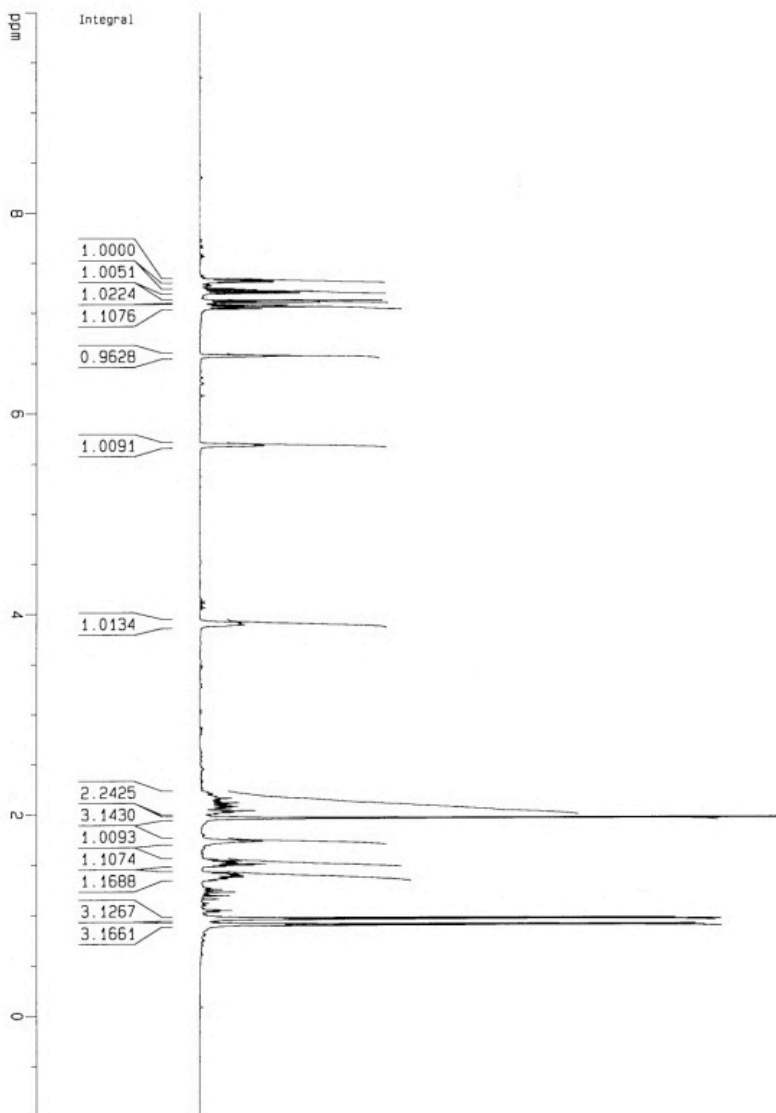
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 NUC2 1H
 POCN2 110.00 usec
 PL2 0.00 dB
 PL12 17.50 dB
 PL13 17.50 dB
 SF02 300.1312005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
 SI 32768
 SF 75.4577321 MHz
 KHM EM
 SSB 0
 LB 1.00 Hz
 GB 0
 PC 1.40

10 NMR plot parameters
 CX 20.00 cm
 F1p 234.592 ppm
 F1 17704.11 Hz
 F2p -14.951 ppm
 F2 -1128.29 Hz
 PPMCM 12.47712 ppm/cm
 HZCM 941.61969 Hz/cm



DKH3-132 Product yellow foam



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Current Data Parameters
NAME      DKH3-132P
EXPNO    1
PROCNO   1

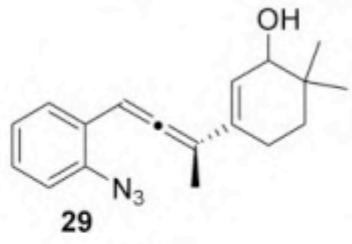
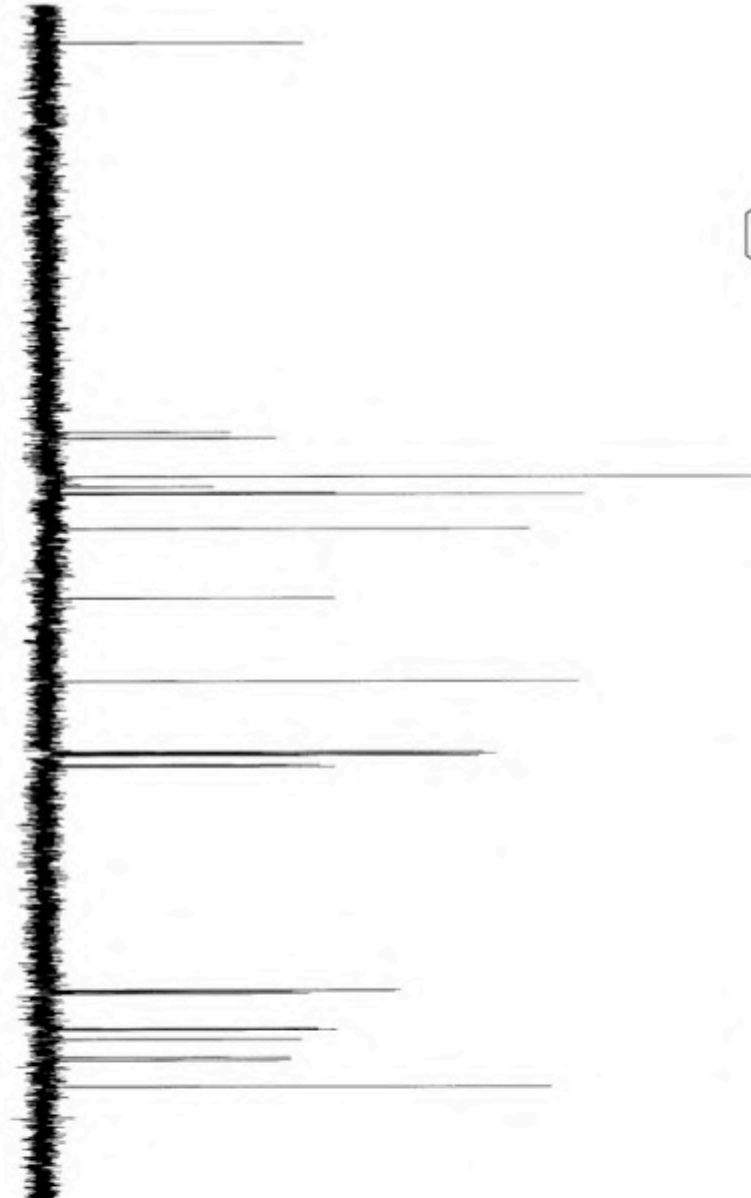
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Date_    20060721
Time     13.15
INSTRUM spect
PROBHD   5 mm BBI 1H-B
PULPROG zg30
TD       65536
SOLVENT  CDCl3
NS       16
DS       2
SWH      8278.146 Hz
FIDRES   0.126314 Hz
AQ       3.9986243 sec
RG       32
DM       60.400 usec
DE       6.00 usec
TE       300.0 K
D1       1.00000000 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1     1H
P1       6.45 usec
PL1      0.00 dB
SF01     400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI       32768
SF       400.1300189 MHz
WDW      no
SSB      0
LB       0.00 Hz
GB       0
PC       1.00

1D NMR plot parameters
CX       20.00 cm
F1P      10.000 ppm
F1       4001.30 Hz
F2P      -1.000 ppm
F2       -400.13 Hz
PPOCKM   0.55000 ppm/cm
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ppm



ppm
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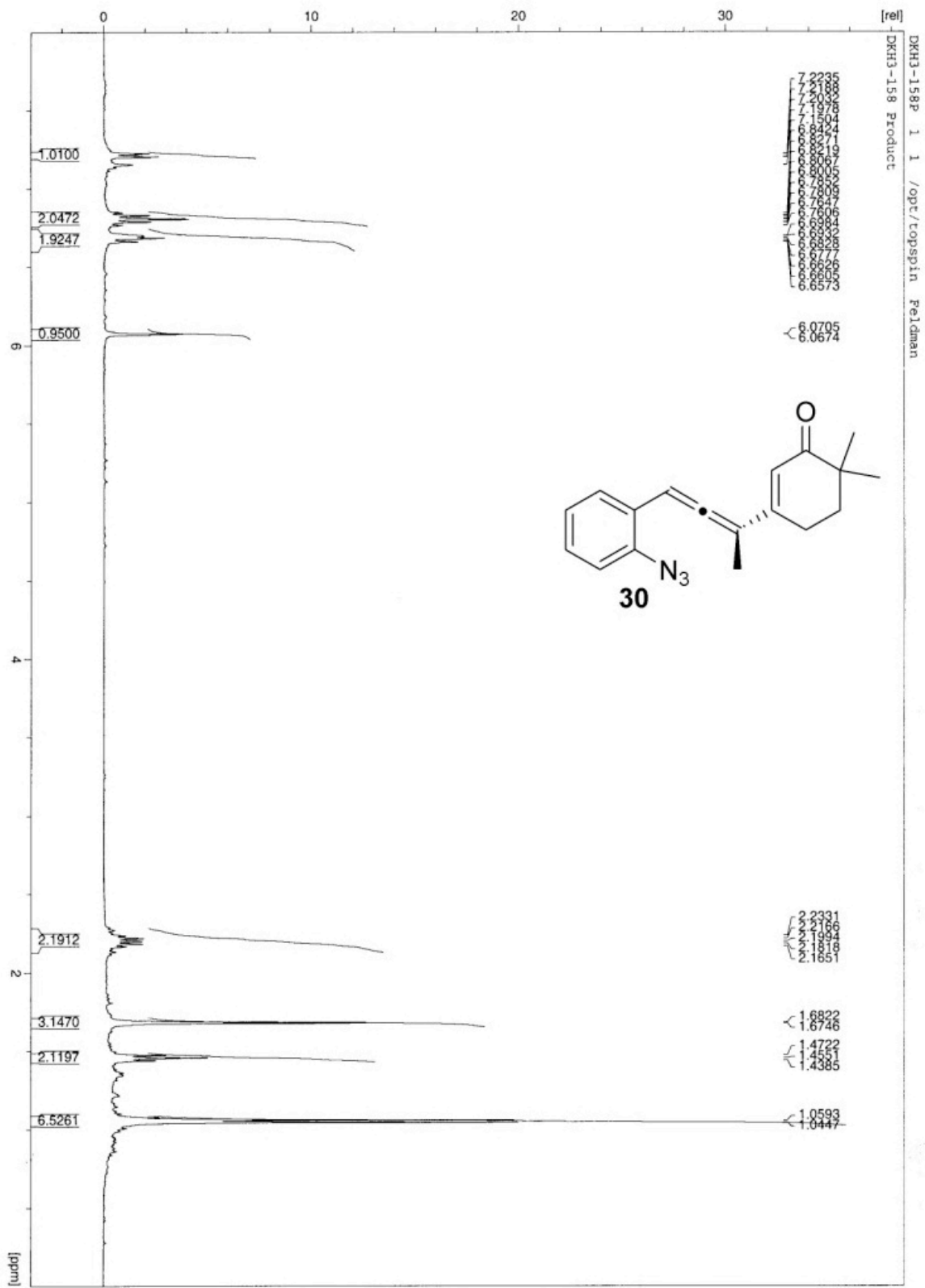
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- 105.645
- 90.247
- 77.318
- 77.000
- 76.681
- 74.905
- 74.636
- 33.560
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- 15.853

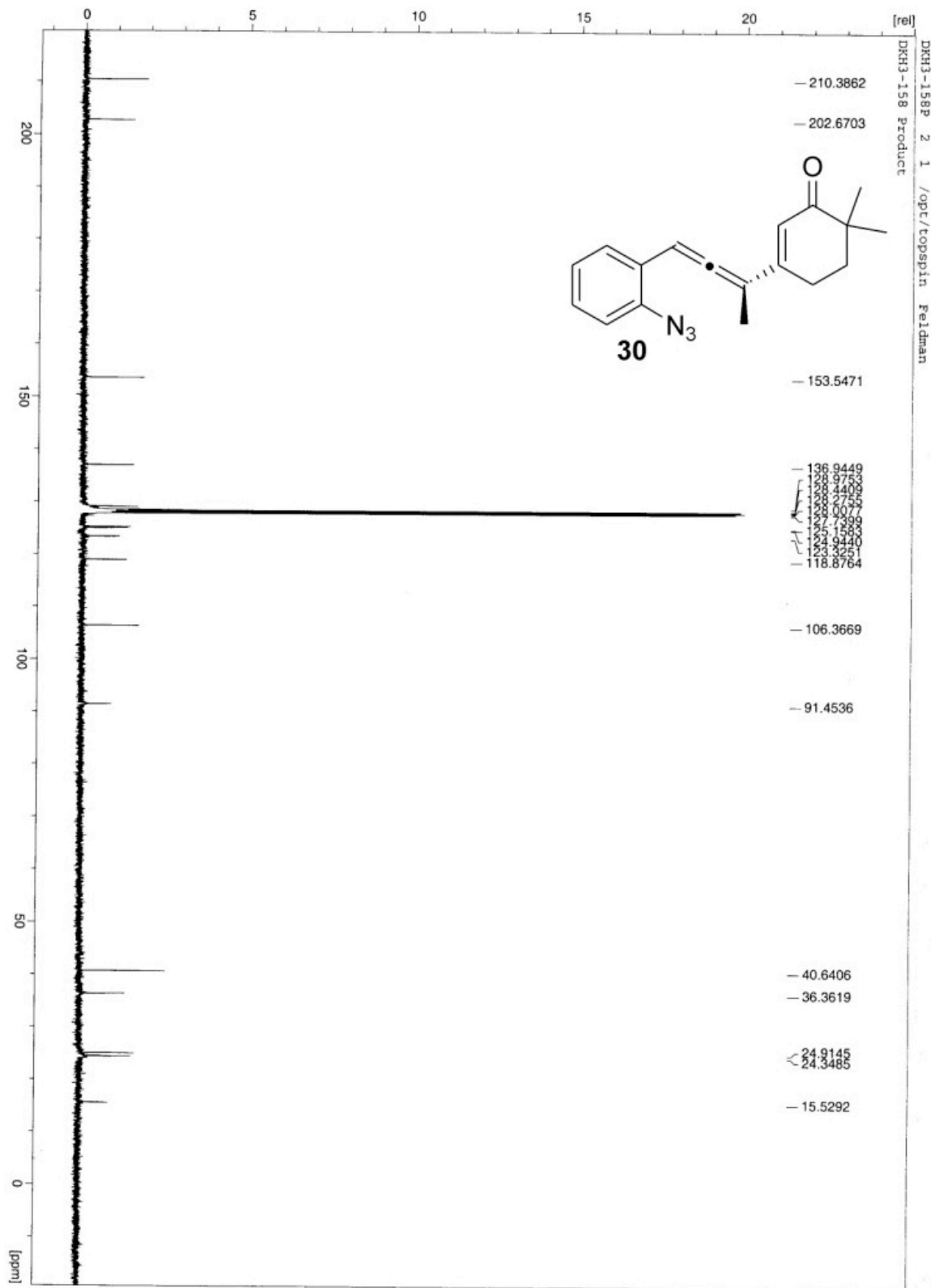
DKH3-132 Product

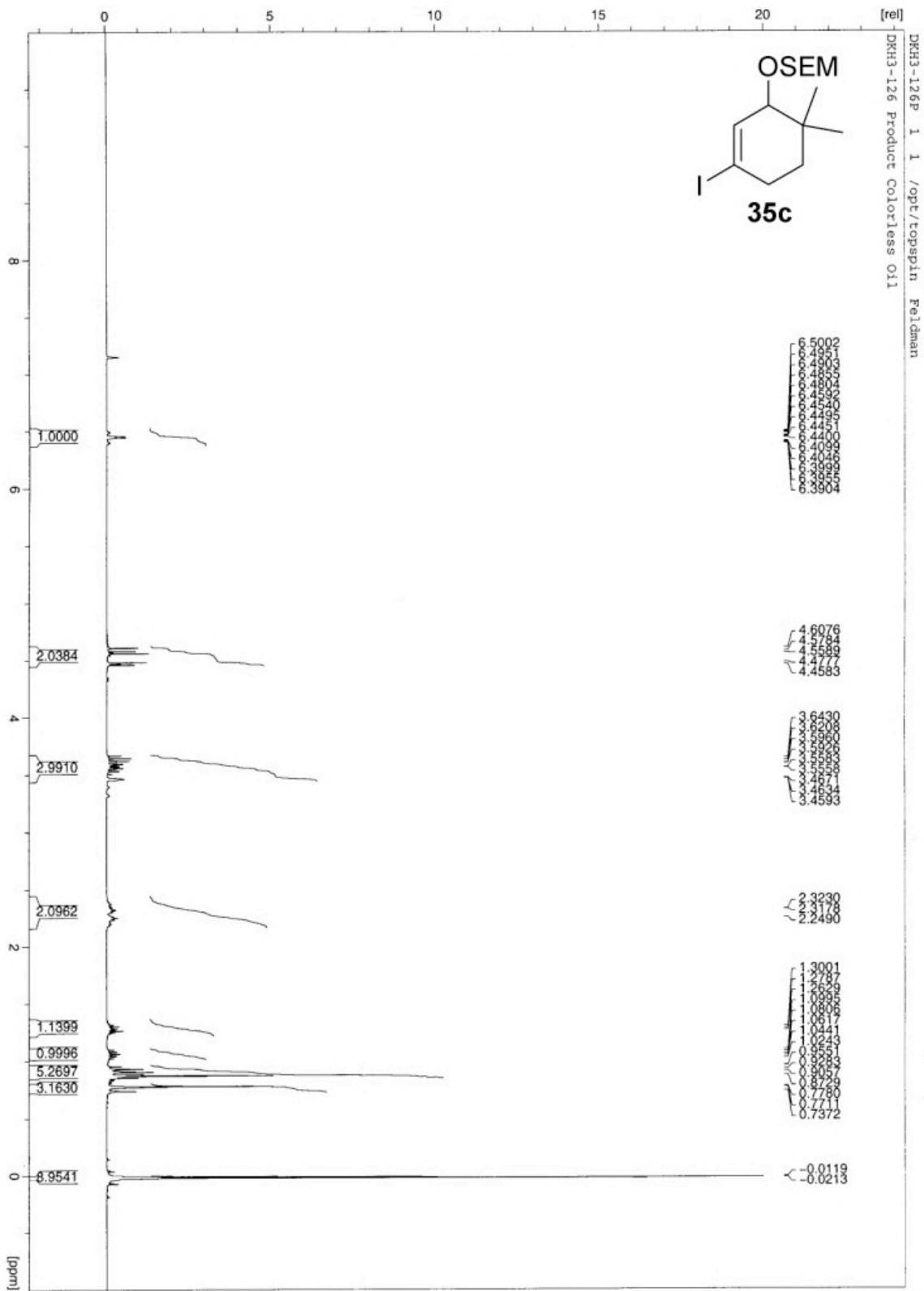
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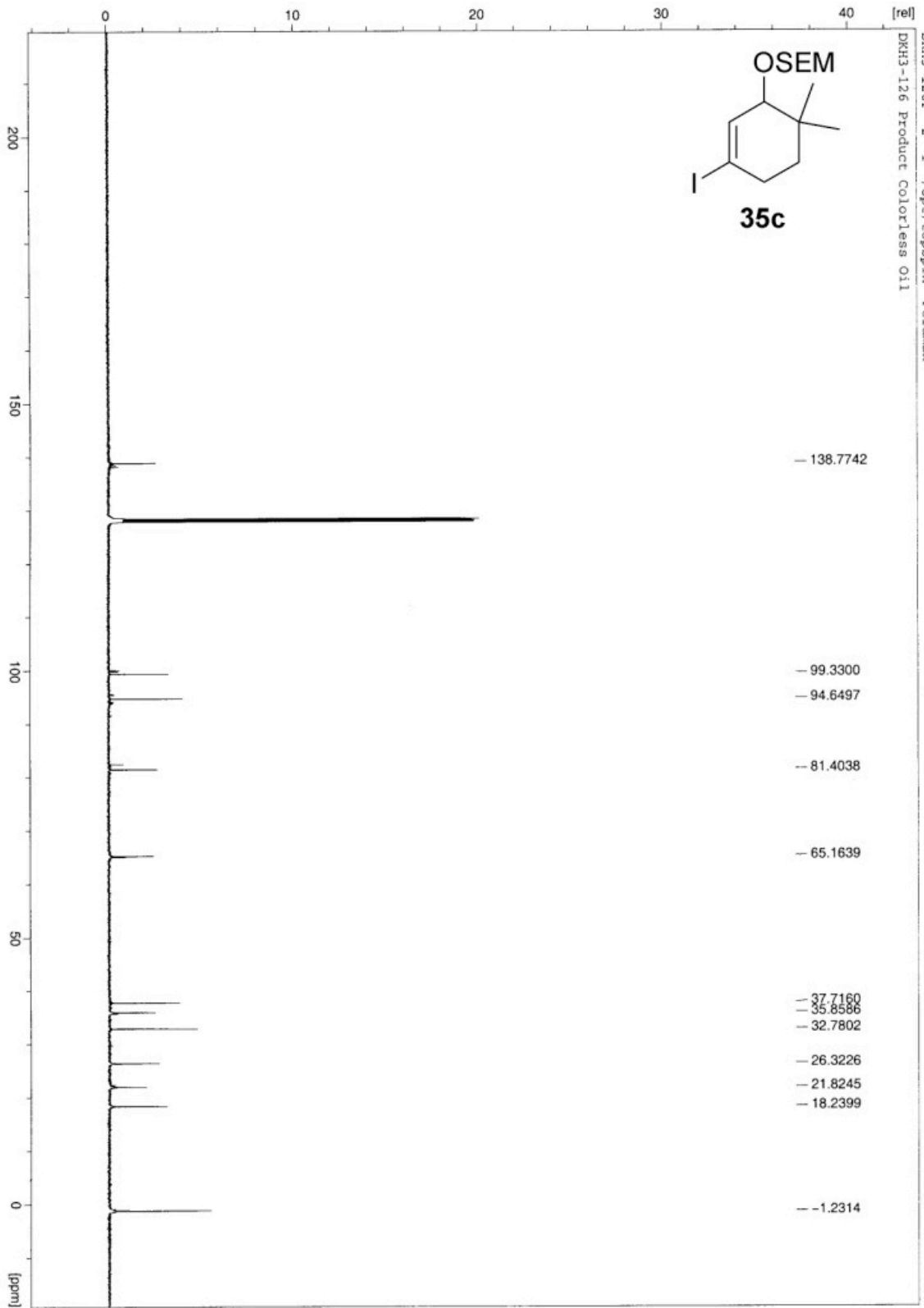
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EXPNO        2
PROCNO       1
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Time         13.23
INSTRUM     spect
PROBHD      5 mm BBI 5H-8
PULPROG     zgpg30
TD           65536
SOLVENT     CDCl3
NS           109
DS           4
SWH          29125.629 Hz
FIDRES       0.383387 Hz
AQ           1.3042164 sec
RG           8192
DM           18.300 usec
DE           6.00 usec
TE           300.0 K
D1           2.00000000 sec
D11          0.03000000 sec
D12          0.00020000 sec
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***** CHANNEL f1 *****
NUC1         13C
P1           16.35 usec
PL1         -6.00 dB
SFO1        100.6277959 MHz
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***** CHANNEL f2 *****
DPRGPRG2    waltz16
NUC2         1H
PCPD2       114.00 usec
PL2         0.00 dB
PL12        24.00 dB
PL13        24.00 dB
SFO2        400.1316000 MHz
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F2 - Processing parameters
SI           32768
SF           100.6127830 MHz
WDW          EM
SSB          0
LB           1.00 Hz
GB           0
PC           1.40
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10 MHz plot parameters
CX           20.00 cm
FSF          215.000 ppm
F1           21631.75 Hz
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F2           -303.05 Hz
PRNCHN      11.00000 ppm/cm
HZCM        1106.74000 Hz/cm

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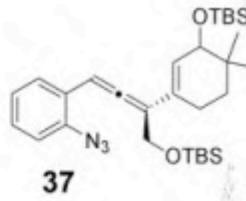








DKH5-111 P Yellow Oil

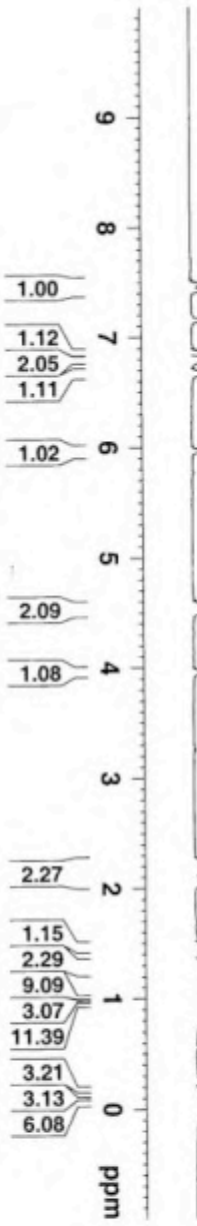


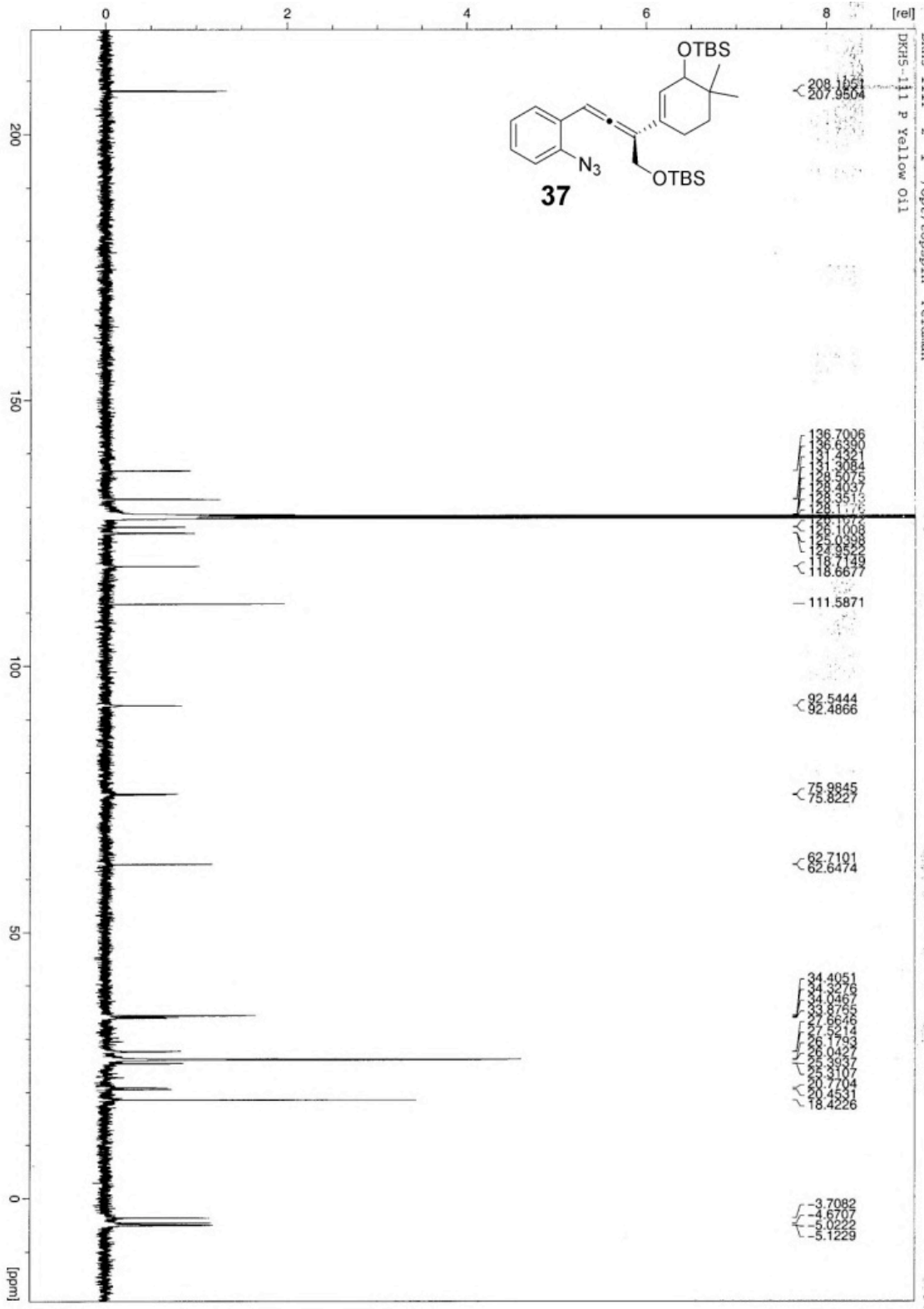
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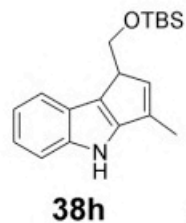
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 Time 13.57
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 PULPROG zg30
 TD 65536
 SOLVENT C6D6
 NS 16
 DS 2
 SWH 7440.476 Hz
 FIDRES 0.113533 Hz
 AQ 4.4040694 sec
 RG 50.8
 DW 67.200 usec
 DE 6.00 usec
 TE 295.1 K
 D1 1.00000000 sec
 TD0 1

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
 NUC1 1H
 P1 14.93 usec
 PL1 -3.00 dB
 SFO1 360.1322240 MHz

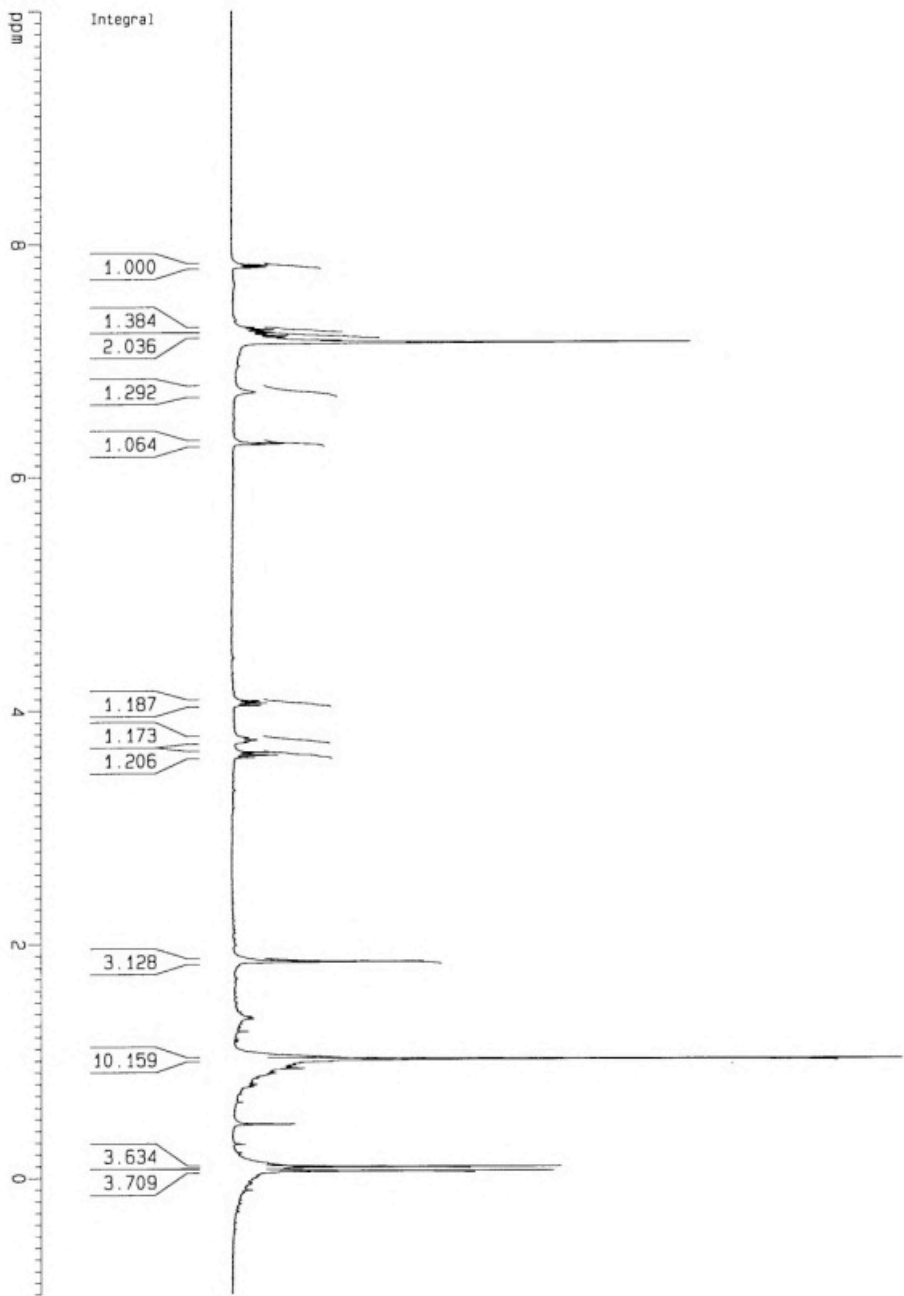
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 SP 360.1300484 MHz
 WDW no
 SSB 0
 LB 0.00 Hz
 GB 0
 PC 1.00







DKH5-221 "B" yellow 011



Current Data Parameters

NAME	DKH5-221B
EXPNO	1
PROCNO	1

F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date_	20071120
Time	14.01
INSTRUM	spect
PROBHD	5 mm BBI 1H-8
PULPROG	ZG30
TD	65536
SOLVENT	CDCl3
DS	2
SWH	8278.146 Hz
FIDRES	0.126314 Hz
AQ	3.9584243 sec
RG	323.5
DW	60.400 usec
DE	6.00 usec
TE	300.0 K
D1	1.00000000 sec

***** CHANNEL f1 *****

NUC1 1H

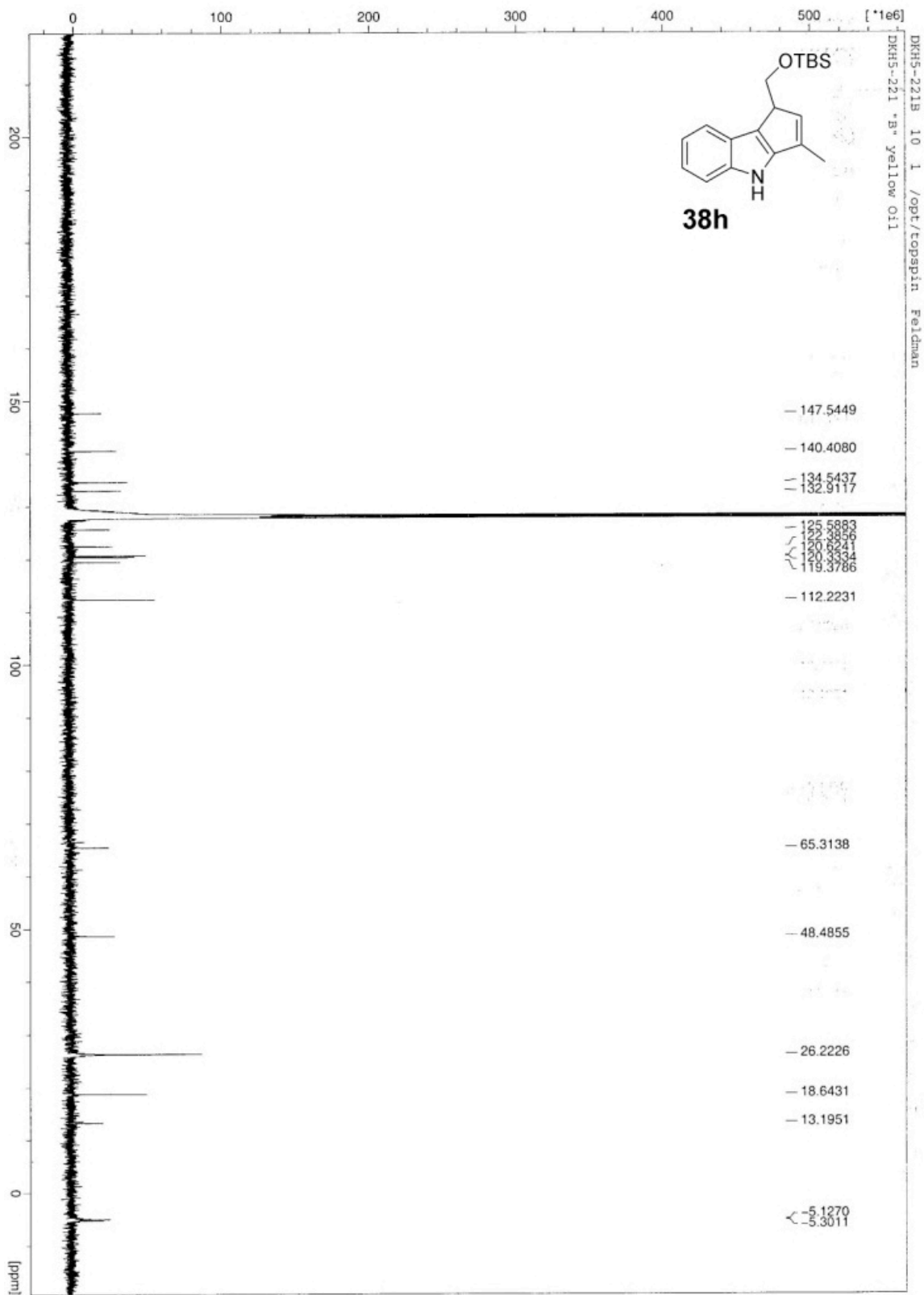
P1	6.45 usec
PL1	0.00 dB
SFO1	400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

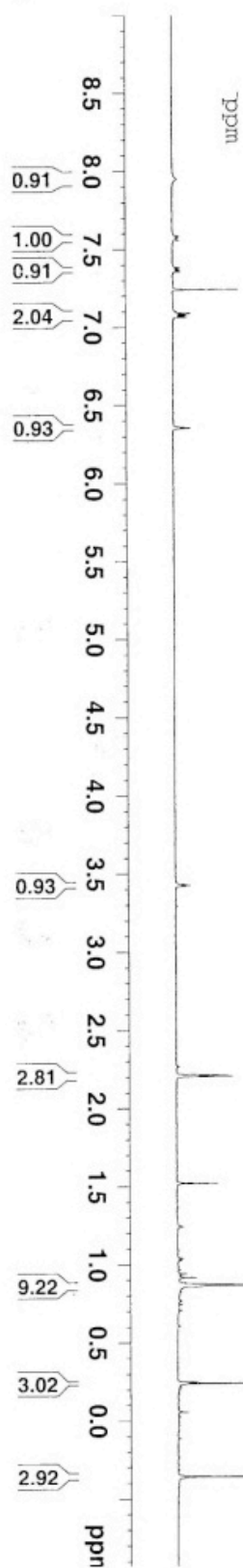
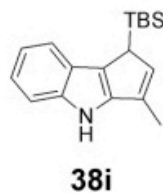
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SF	400.1300471 MHz
WDW	no
SSB	0
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PC	1.00

1D NMR plot parameters

CX	20.00 cm
F1p	10.000 ppm
F1	4001.30 Hz
F2p	-1.000 ppm
F2	-400.13 Hz
PPMCM	0.55000 ppm/cm
HZCM	220.07152 Hz/cm



DKH6-86 "B" yellow oil

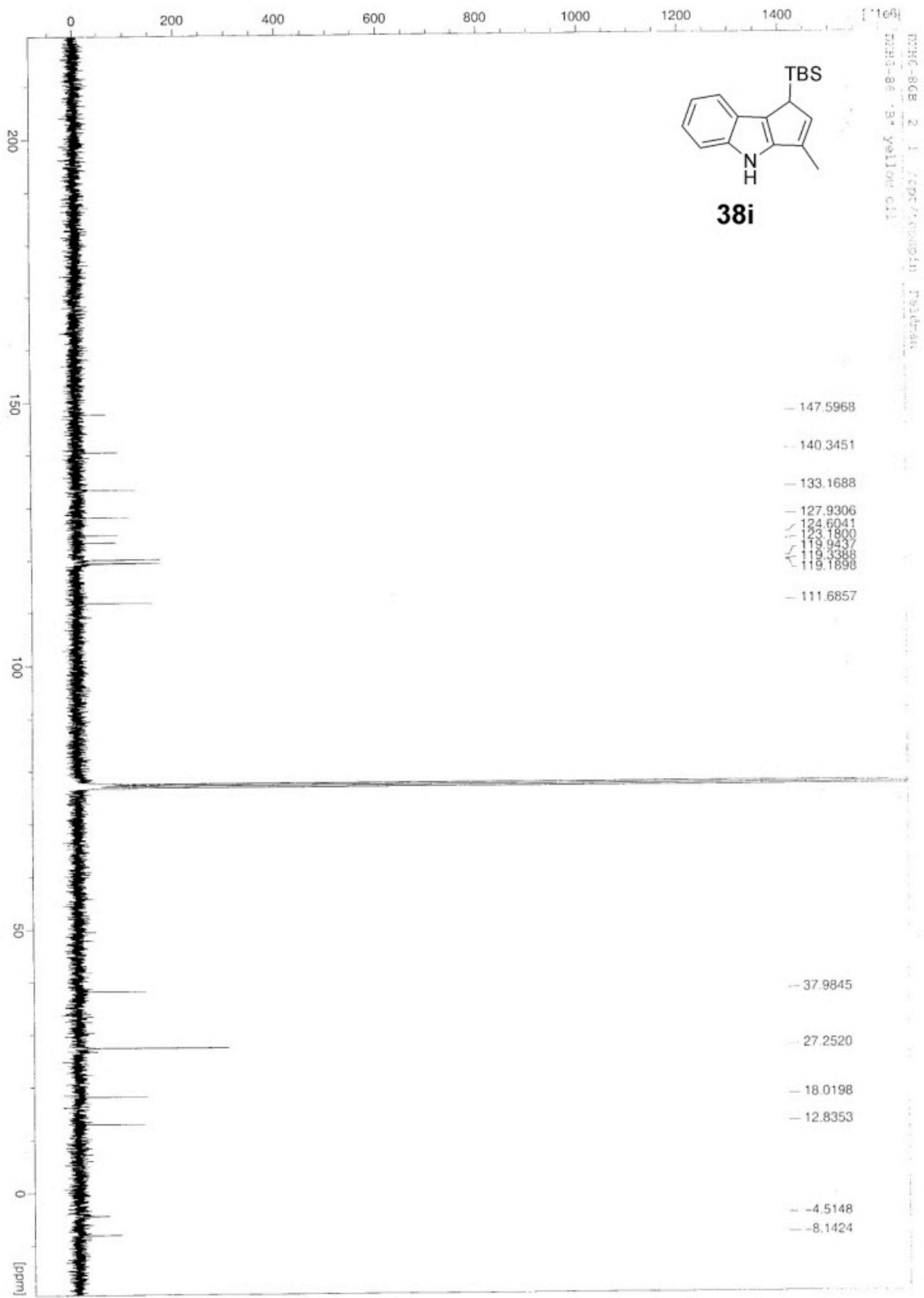


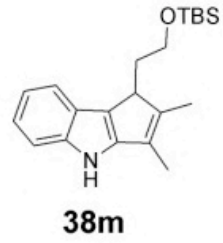
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===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1      1H
P1         14.93 us
PL1        -3.00 dB
SP01      360.1322240 MHz

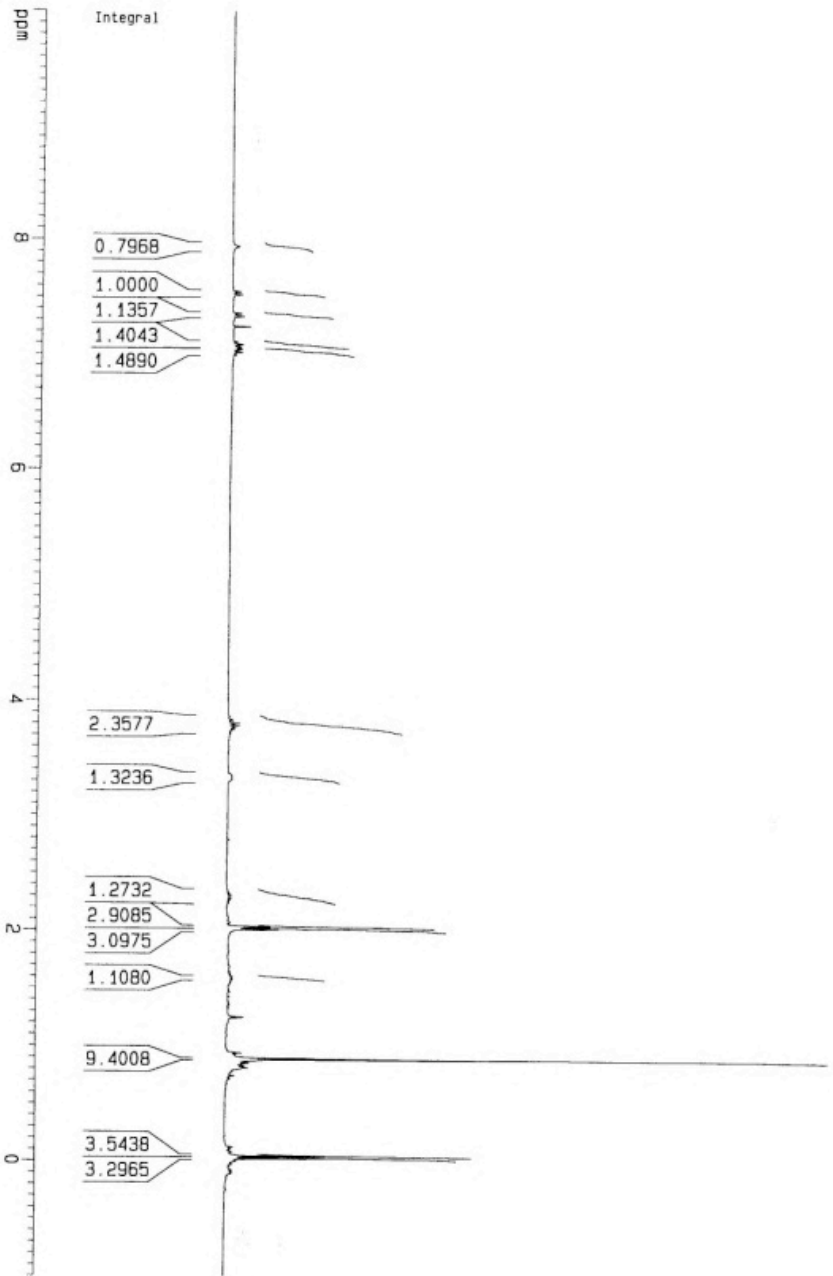
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WDW         no
SSB         0
LB          0.00 Hz
GB          0
PC          1.00

===== CHANNEL f2 =====
Date_      20080224
Time_     12.55
INSTRUM   spect
PROBHD    5 mm QNP 1H/1
PULPROG   zgpg30
TD        65536
SOLVENT   CDCl3
NS         16
DS         2
SWH       7440.476 Hz
FIDRES    0.11531 Hz
AQ         4.4040594 sec
RG         812.7
DW         67.200 us
DE         6.00 us
TE         298.5 K
D1         1.00000000 sec
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DKH6-94 "B" yellow 011



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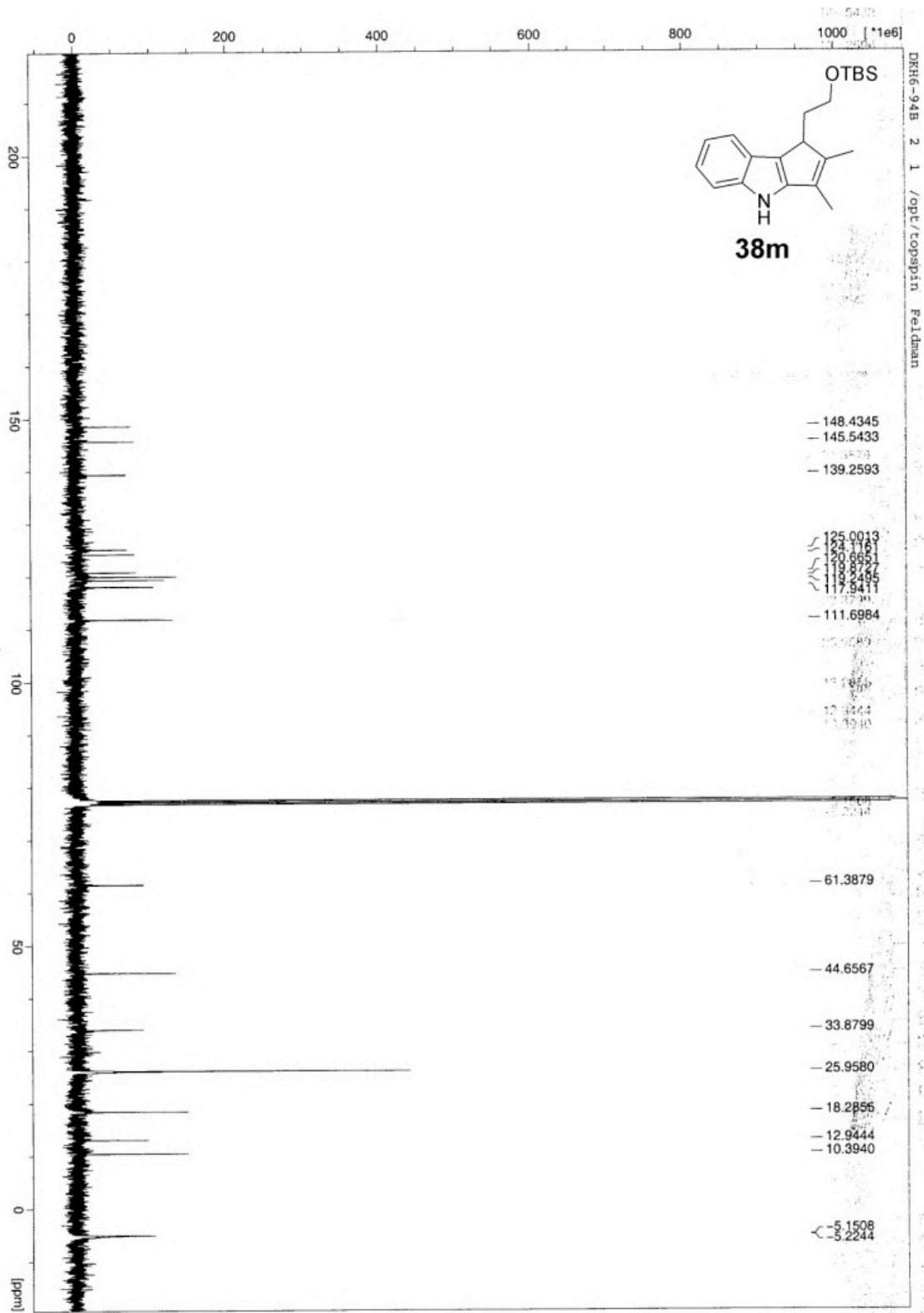
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NAME          DKH6-94B
EXPNO         1
PROCNO        1

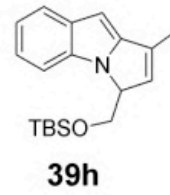
F2 - Acquisition Parameters
Date_         20080304
Time          10.06
INSTRUM       spect
PROBHD        5 mm MUltinu
PULPROG       zg30
TD            65536
SOLVENT       CDCl3
NS            16
DS            2
SWH           6172.839 Hz
FIDRES        0.094190 Hz
AQ            5.3084650 sec
RG            256
DM            81.000 usec
DE            5.00 usec
TE            300.0 K
D1            1.000000000 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1          1H
P1            9.60 usec
PL1           -6.00 dB
SFO1         300.1318534 MHz

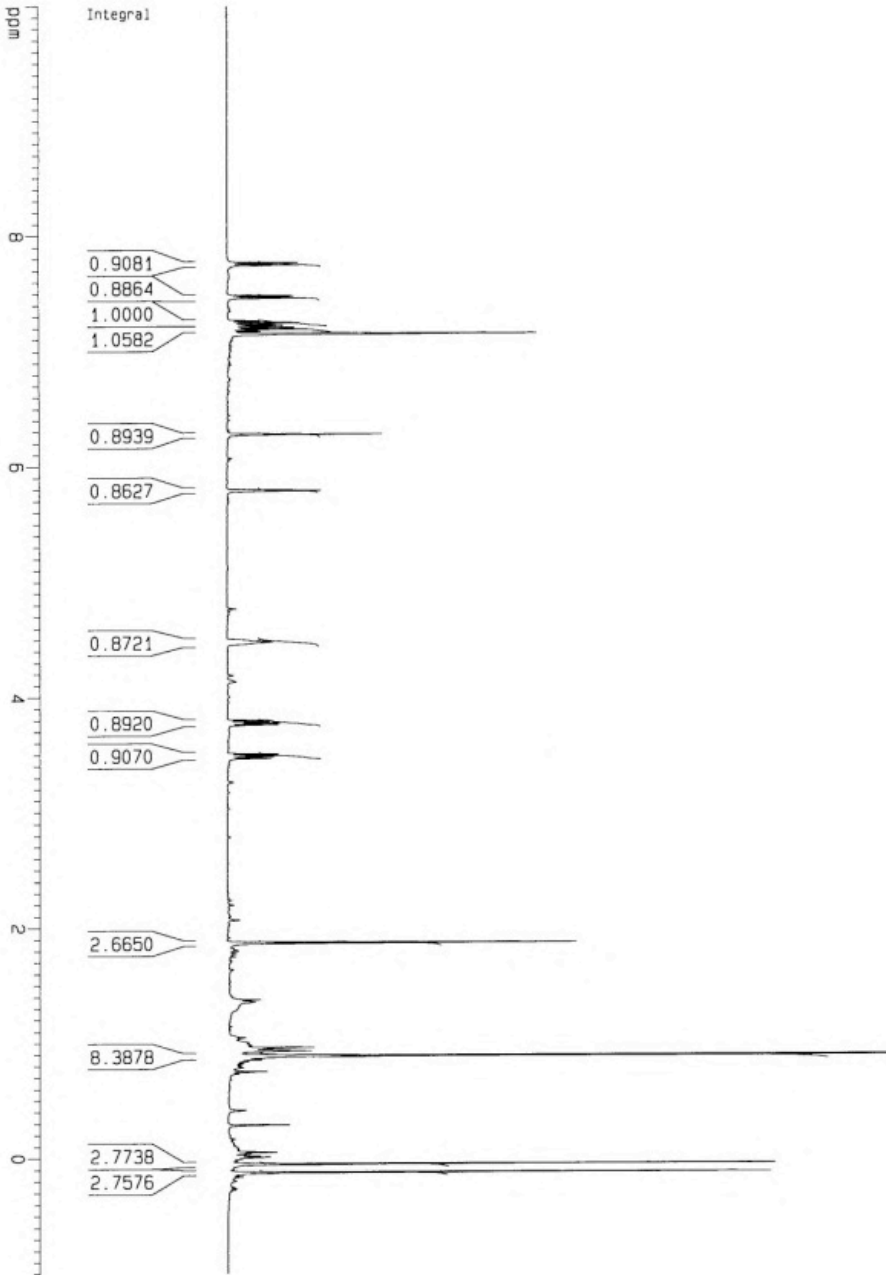
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SF           300.1300120 MHz
KIDM         no
SSB          0
SGB          0
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GB           0
PC           1.00

10 NMR plot parameters
CX           20.00 cm
F1P         10.000 ppm
F1          3001.30 Hz
F2P         -1.000 ppm
F2          -300.13 Hz
PPM1CM      0.35000 ppm/cm
HZ1CM       165.07150 Hz/cm
  
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DKH5-221 "A" yellow 011



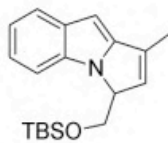
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 NAME DKH5-221A
 EXPNO 1
 PROCNO 1

F2 - Acquisition Parameters
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 Time 13:55
 INSTRUM spect
 PROBHD 5 mm BBI 1H-B
 PULPROG zg30
 TD 65536
 SOLVENT CDCl3
 NS 16
 DS 2
 SMH 8278.146 Hz
 FIDRES 0.126314 Hz
 AQ 3.9584243 sec
 RG 181
 DM 60.400 usec
 DE 6.00 usec
 TE 300.0 K
 D1 1.00000000 sec

***** CHANNEL f1 *****
 NUC1 1H
 P1 6.45 usec
 PL1 0.00 dB
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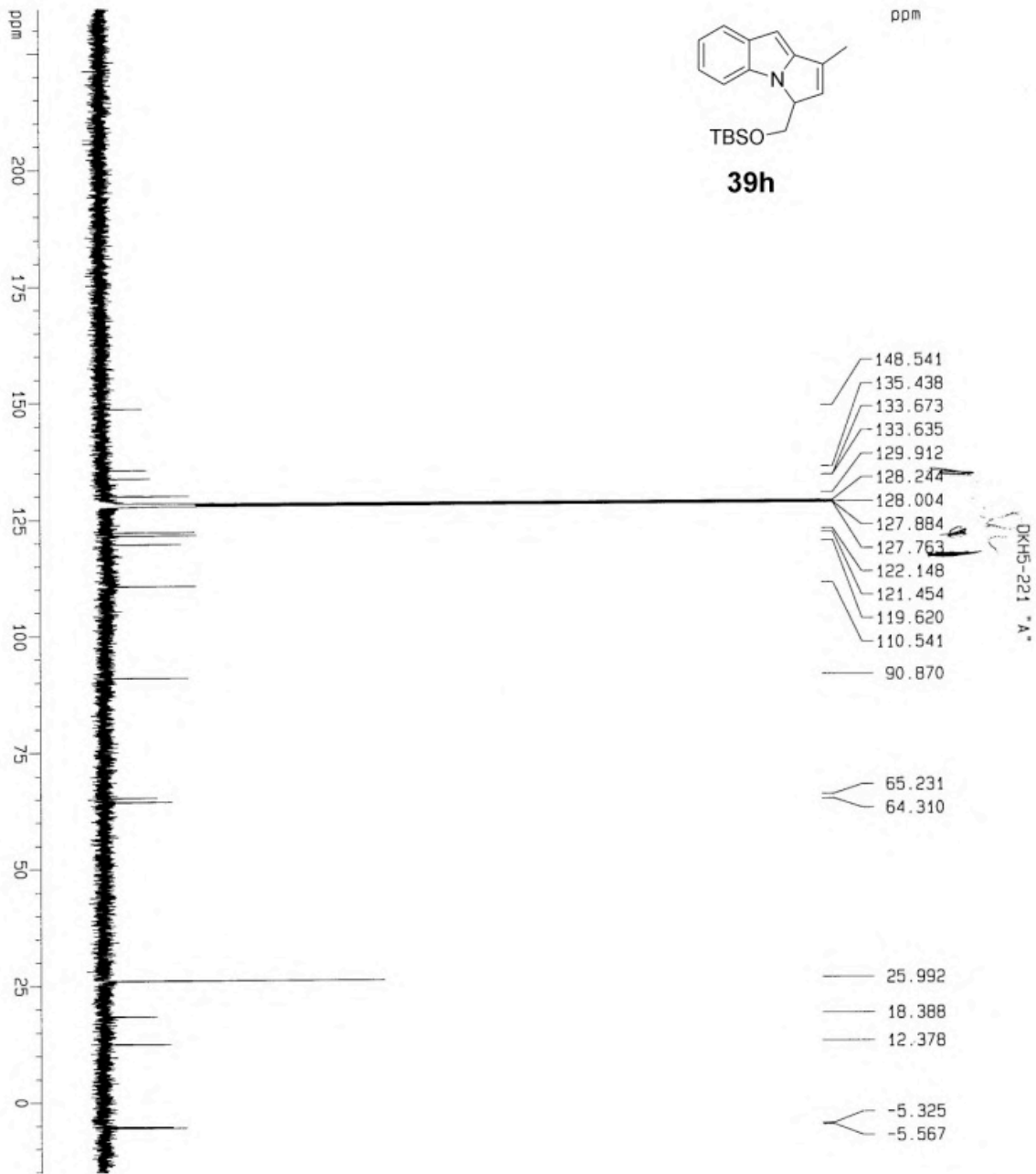
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10 NMR plot parameters
 CX 20.00 cm
 F1P 10.000 ppm
 F1 4001.30 Hz
 F2P -1.000 ppm
 F2 -400.13 Hz
 PRCKM 0.55000 ppm/
 HZCM 220.07152 Hz/c



39h

ppm



DKH5-221 "A"

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Current Data Parameters
NAME      DKH5-221A
EXPNO     2
PROCNO    1

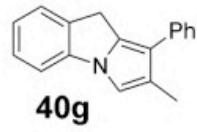
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Time      14.13
INSTRUM   spect
PROBHD    5 mm BBI 1H-B
PULPROG   zgpg30
TD         65536
SOLVENT   CSO6
NS         630
DS         4
SWH        25125.629 HZ
FIDRES     0.383387 HZ
AQ         1.3042164 sec
RG         13004
DM         19.900 usec
DE         6.00 usec
TE         300.0 K
D1         2.00000000 sec
d11        0.03000000 sec
d12        0.00002800 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====
NUC1       13C
P1         18.35 usec
PL1        -6.00 dB
SF01       100.627959 MHz

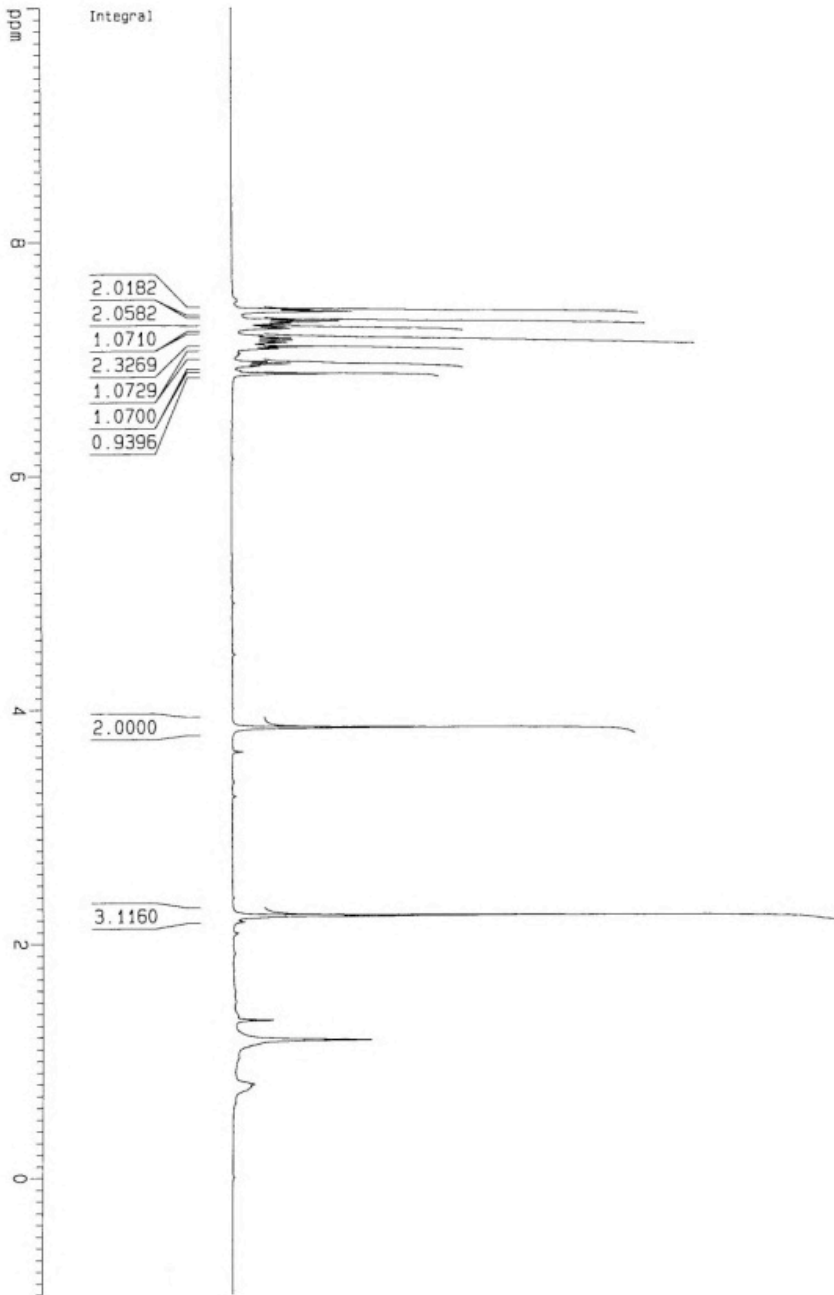
===== CHANNEL f2 =====
CQPRPG2    waltz16
NUC2       1H
PCPRP2     114.00 usec
PL2        0.00 dB
PL12       24.00 dB
PL13       24.00 dB
SF02       400.1318005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
SI         32768
SF         100.6127485 MHz
MID4       EM
SSB        0
LB         1.00 Hz
GB         0
PC         1.40

1D NMR plot parameters
CX         20.00 cm
F1P        234.664 DDM
F1         23610.19 Hz
F2P        -15.062 ppm
F2         -1515.44 Hz
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HZCK       1256.28137 Hz/cm
  
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DKH6-174 "A" White Solid



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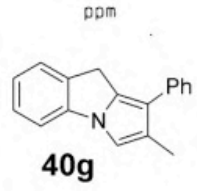
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NAME      DKH6-174A
EXPNO    1
PROCNO   1

F2 - Acquisition Parameters
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Time     15.04
INSTRUM  spect
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PULPROG  zg30
TD        65536
SOLVENT  CDCl3
NS        16
DS        2
SWH       8278.146 Hz
FIDRES   0.126314 Hz
AQ        3.9584243 sec
RG        57
DM        60.400 usec
DE        6.00 usec
TE        300.0 K
D1        1.00000000 sec

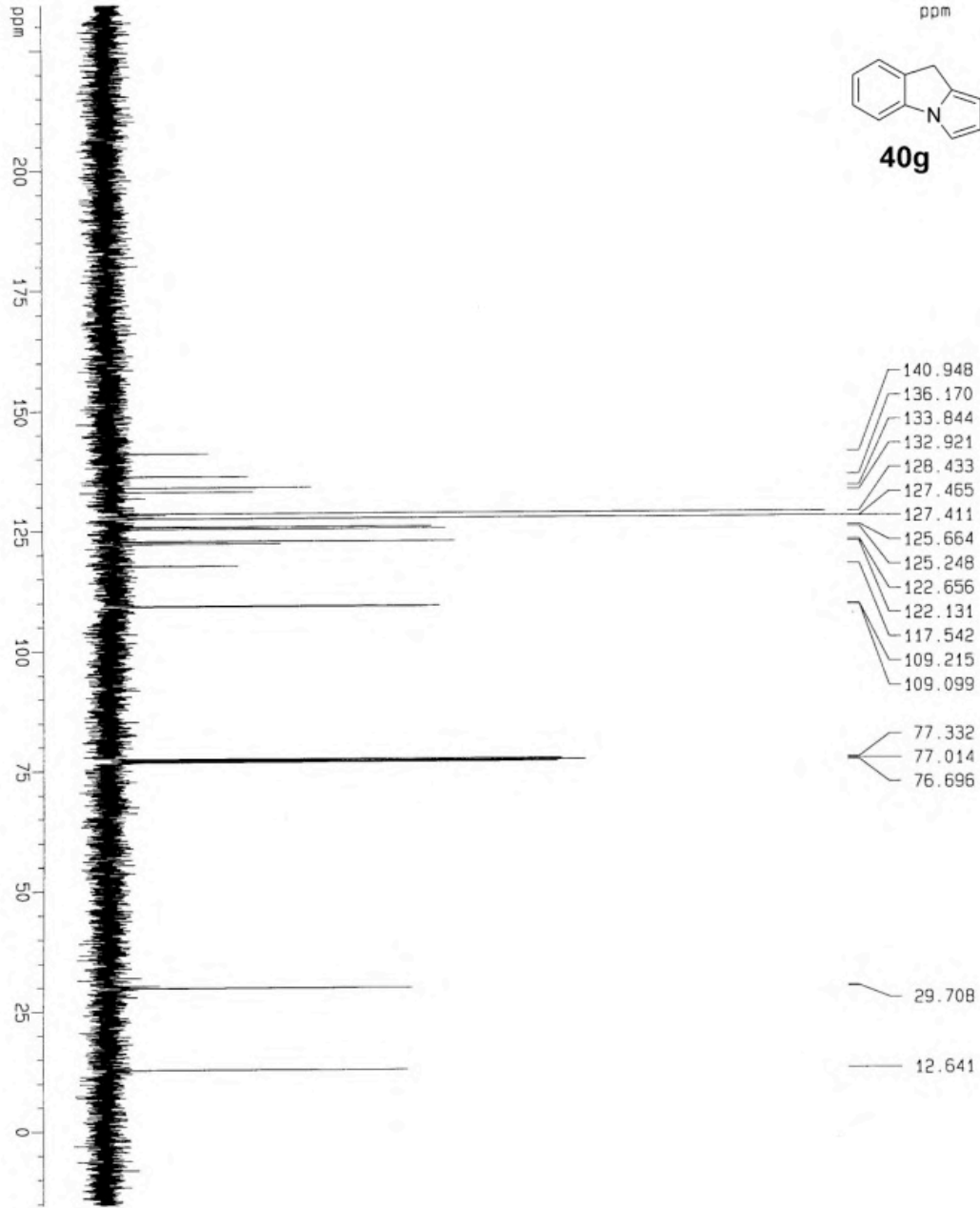
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P1        6.45 usec
PL1       0.00 dB
SF01      400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters
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SF        400.1300741 MHz
KCM       no
SSB       0
LB        0.00 Hz
GB        0
PC        1.00

1D NMR plot parameters
CX        20.00 ppm
F1P       10.000 ppm
F1        4001.30 Hz
F2P       -1.000 ppm
F2        -400.13 Hz
PPMCM    0.55000 ppm/cm
HZCM     220.07153 Hz/cm
  
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DKH6-174 "A"



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Current Data Parameters
NAME          DKH6-174A
EXPNO         2
PROCNO        1
F2 - Acquisition Parameters
Date_         20080517
Time          15.09
INSTRUM       spect
PROBHD        5 mm BBI 1H-B
PULPROG       zgpg30
TD            65536
SOLVENT       CDCl3
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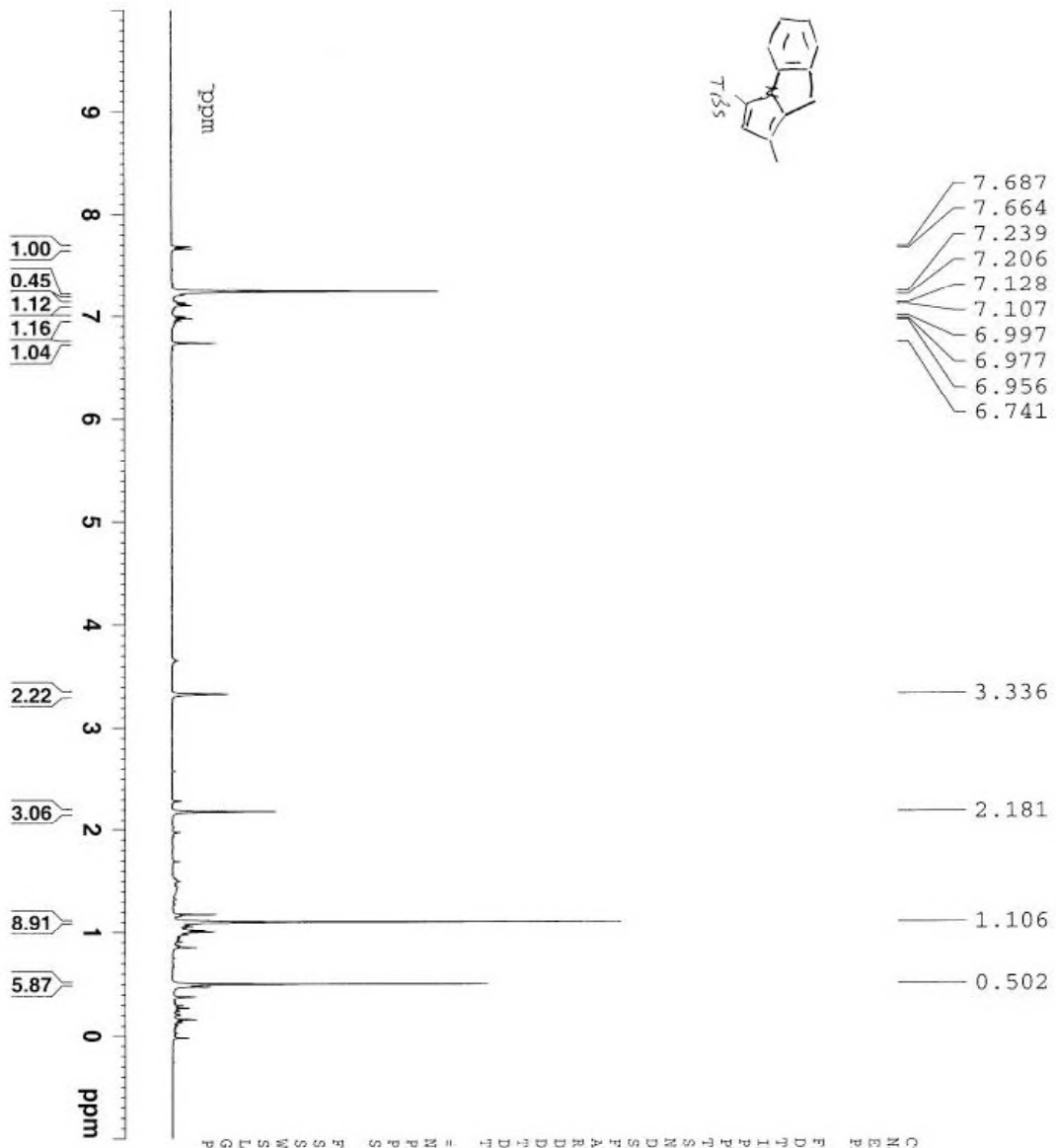
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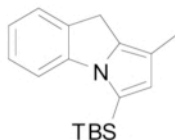
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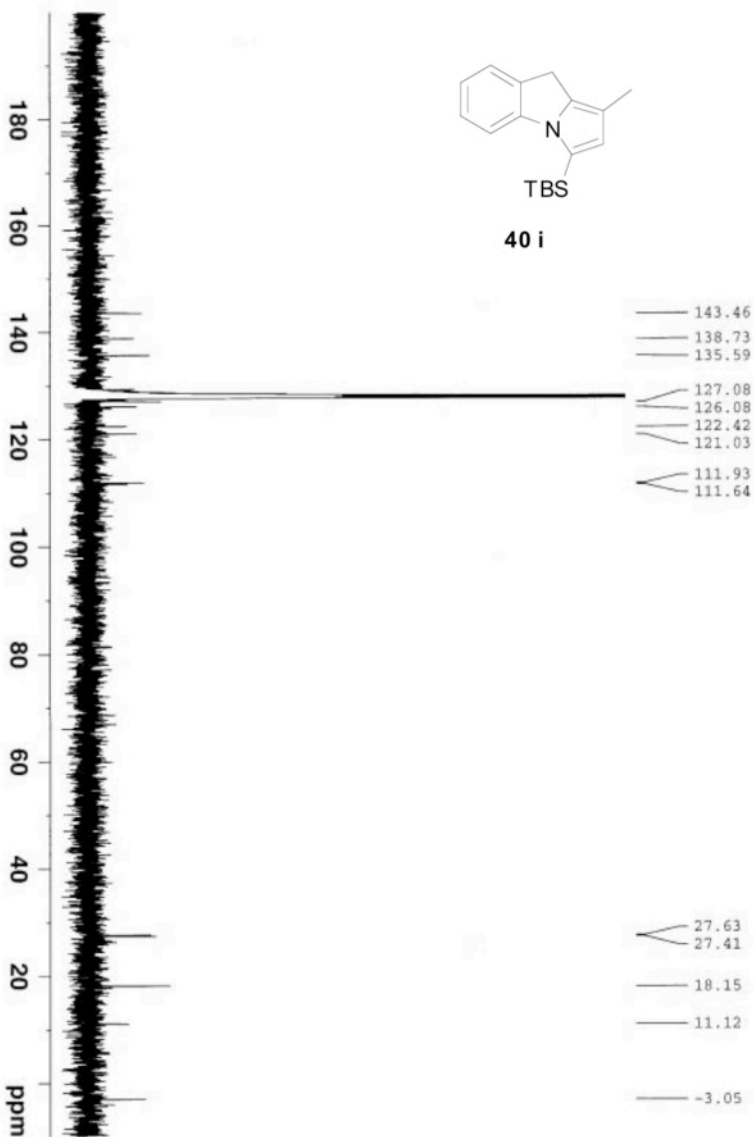
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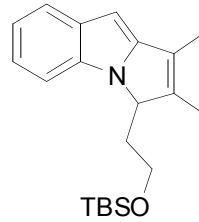
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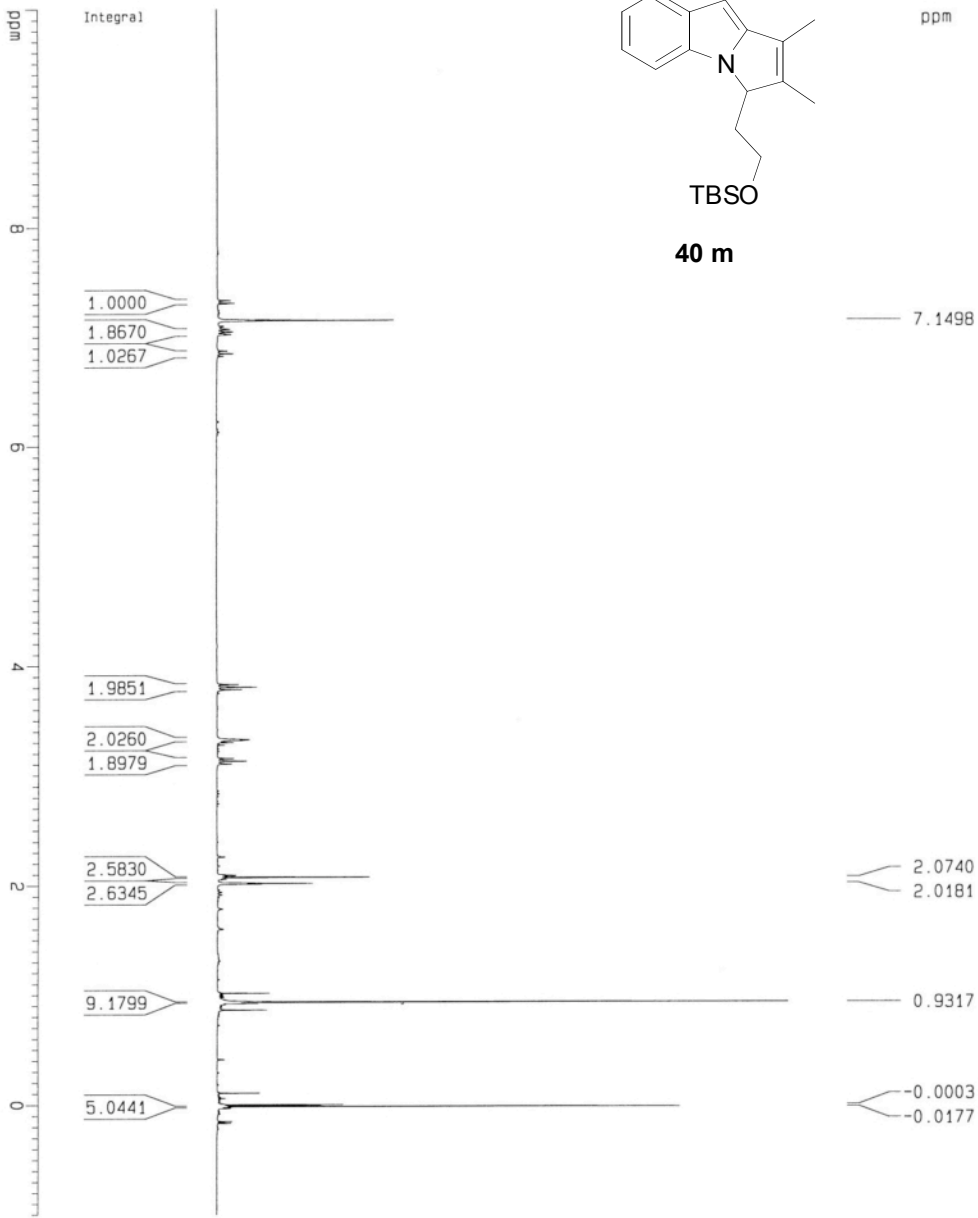
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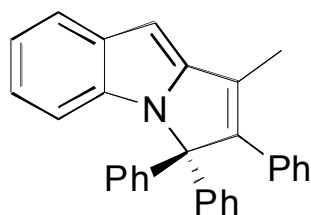
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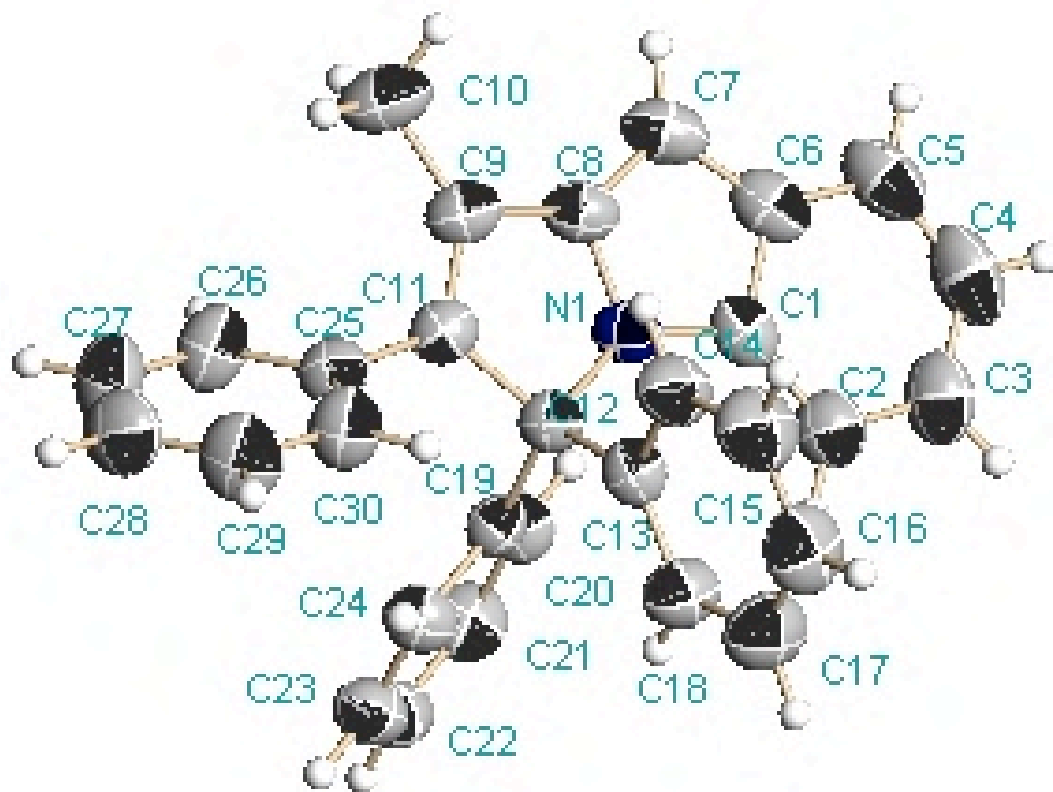
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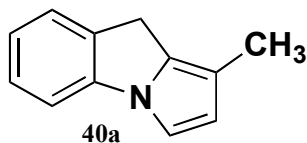


A colorless rod shaped crystal of **39n** ($2(C_{30}H_{23}N), C_5H_{12}$) with approximate dimensions 0.13 x 0.14 x 0.29 mm, was used for the X-ray crystallographic analysis. The X-ray intensity data were measured at 298(2) K, cooled by Rigaku-MSX X-Stream 2000, on a Bruker SMART APEX CCD area detector system equipped with a graphite monochromator and a MoK α fine-focus sealed tube ($\lambda = 0.71073\text{\AA}$) operated at 1600 watts power (50 kV, 32 mA). The detector was placed at a distance of 5.8 cm from the crystal.

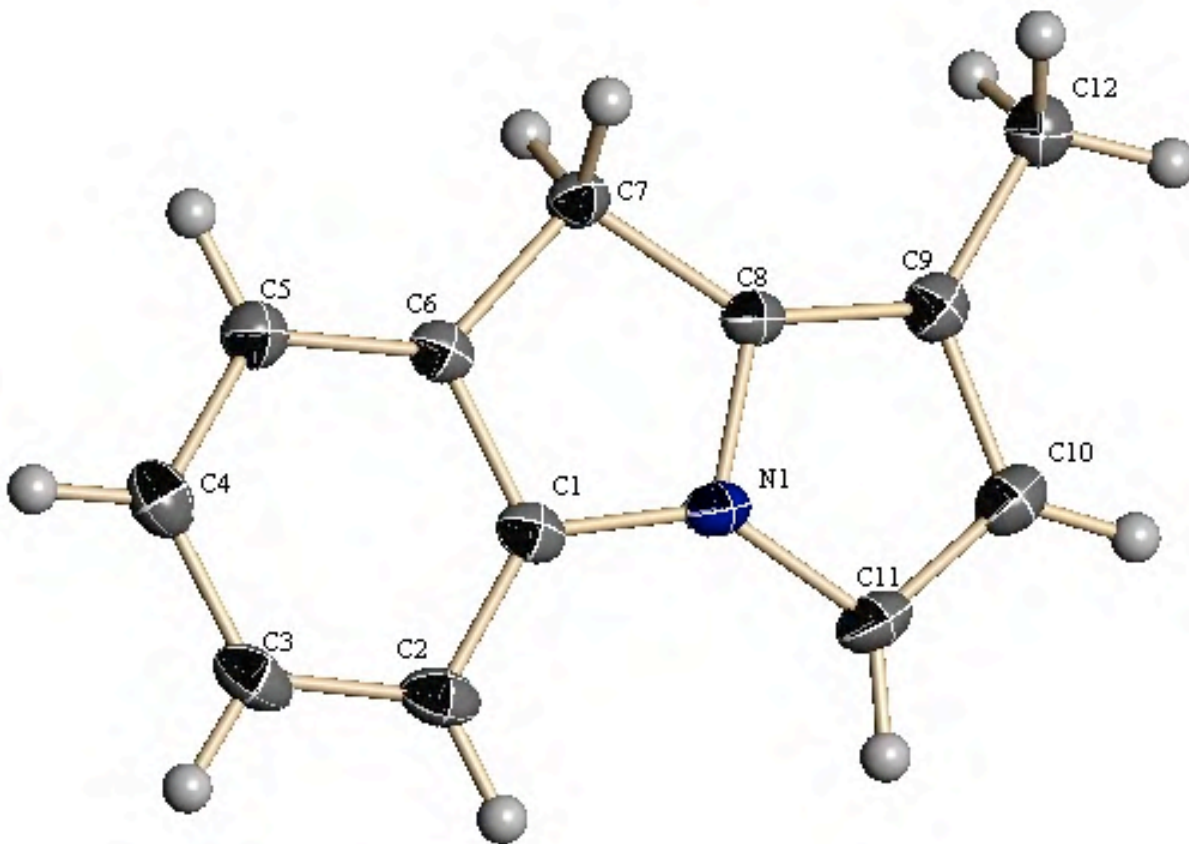
A total of 1850 frames were collected with a scan width of 0.3° in ω and an exposure time of 20 seconds/frame. The total data collection time was about 14 hours. The frames were integrated with the Bruker SAINT software package using a narrow-frame integration algorithm. The integration of the data using a Triclinic unit cell yielded a total of 9890 reflections to a maximum θ angle of 28.48° (0.90\AA resolution), of which 5970 were independent, completeness = 97.1%, $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0364$, $R_{\text{sig}} = 0.0778$ and 2909 were greater than $2\sigma(I)$. The final cell constants: $a = 10.254(8)\text{\AA}$, $b = 10.743(8)\text{\AA}$, $c = 12.090(9)\text{\AA}$, $\alpha = 97.948(13)^\circ$, $\beta = 106.727(13)^\circ$, $\gamma = 102.782(13)^\circ$, volume = $1214.5(16)\text{\AA}^3$, are based upon the refinement of the XYZ-centroids of 2876 reflections above $20\sigma(I)$ with $2.310^\circ < \theta < 27.366^\circ$. Analysis of the data showed negligible decay during data collection. Data were corrected for absorption effects using the multiscan technique (SADABS). The ratio of minimum to maximum apparent transmission was 0.3513.

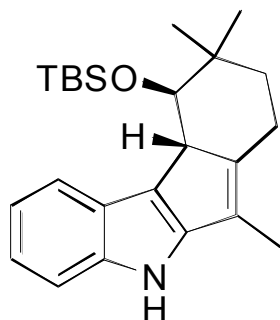
The structure was solved and refined using the Bruker SHELXTL (Version 6.1) Software Package, using the space group P-1, with $Z = 2$ for the formula unit, $C_{32.50}H_{28.5}N$. The final anisotropic full-matrix least-squares refinement on F^2 with 310 variables converged at $R1 = 7.21\%$, for the observed data and $wR2 = 24.36\%$ for all data. The goodness-of-fit was 0.958. The largest peak on the final difference map was $0.571\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$ and the largest hole was $-0.190\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$. Based on the final model, the calculated density of the crystal is 1.186 g/cm^3 and $F(000)$ amounts to 462 electrons.



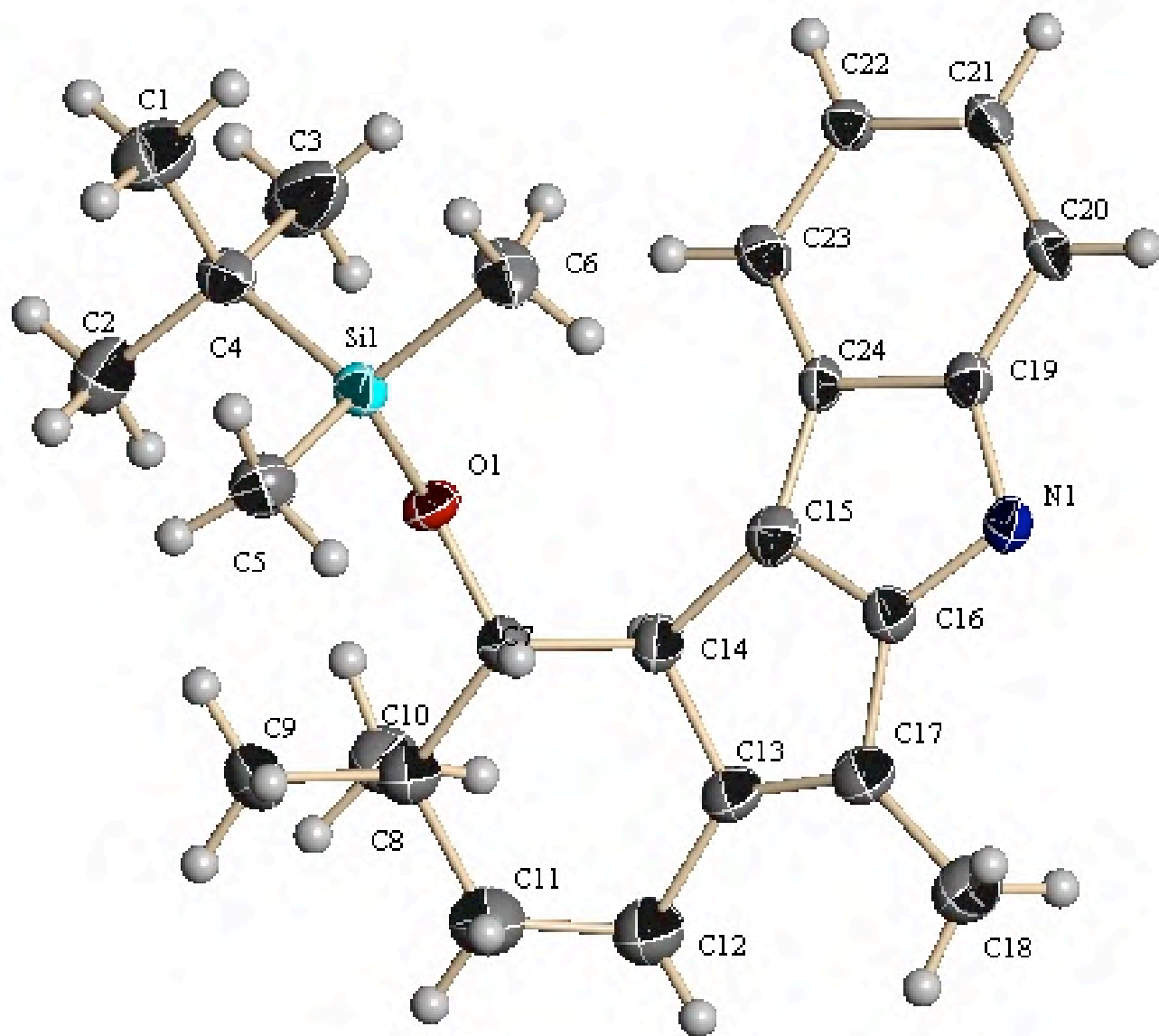


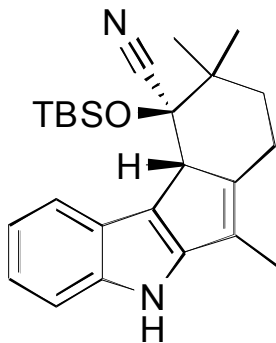
A yellow plate shaped crystal of **40a** (C₁₂H₁₁N) with approximate dimensions 0.10 x 0.30 x 0.40 mm, was used for the X-ray crystallographic analysis. The X-ray intensity data were measured at 108(2) K, cooled by Rigaku-MSX X-Stream 2000, on a Bruker SMART APEX CCD area detector system equipped with a graphite monochromator and a MoK α fine-focus sealed tube ($\lambda = 0.71073\text{\AA}$) operated at 1600 watts power (50 kV, 32 mA). The detector was placed at a distance of 5.8 cm from the crystal. A total of 1850 frames were collected with a scan width of 0.3° in ω and an exposure time of 20 seconds/frame. The total data collection time was about 12 hours. The frames were integrated with the Bruker SAINT software package using a narrow-frame integration algorithm. The integration of the data using a Monoclinic unit cell yielded a total of 5358 reflections to a maximum θ angle of 28.28° (0.90 Å resolution), of which 2066 were independent, completeness = 94.9 %, $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0178$, $R_{\text{sig}} = 0.0245$ and 1729 were greater than $2\sigma(I)$. The final cell constants: $a = 11.907(4)\text{\AA}$, $b = 5.6848(16)\text{\AA}$, $c = 12.950(4)\text{\AA}$, $\alpha = 90^\circ$, $\beta = 92.517(5)^\circ$, $\gamma = 90^\circ$, volume = $875.7(4)\text{\AA}^3$, are based upon the refinement of the XYZ-centroids of 2113 reflections above $20\sigma(I)$ with $2.274^\circ < \theta < 28.242^\circ$. Analysis of the data showed negligible decay during data collection. Data were corrected for absorption effects using the multiscan technique (SADABS). The ratio of minimum to maximum apparent transmission was 0.849448. The structure was solved and refined using the Bruker SHELXTL (Version 6.1) Software Package, using the space group P2(1)/n, with $Z = 4$ for the formula unit, C₁₂H₁₁N. The final anisotropic full-matrix least-squares refinement on F^2 with 119 variables converged at $R1 = 5.17\%$, for the observed data and $wR2 = 13.90\%$ for all data. The goodness-of-fit was 1.072. The largest peak on the final difference map was $0.403\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$ and the largest hole was $-0.249\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$. Based on the final model, the calculated density of the crystal is 1.283 g/cm^3 and $F(000)$ amounts to 360 electrons.



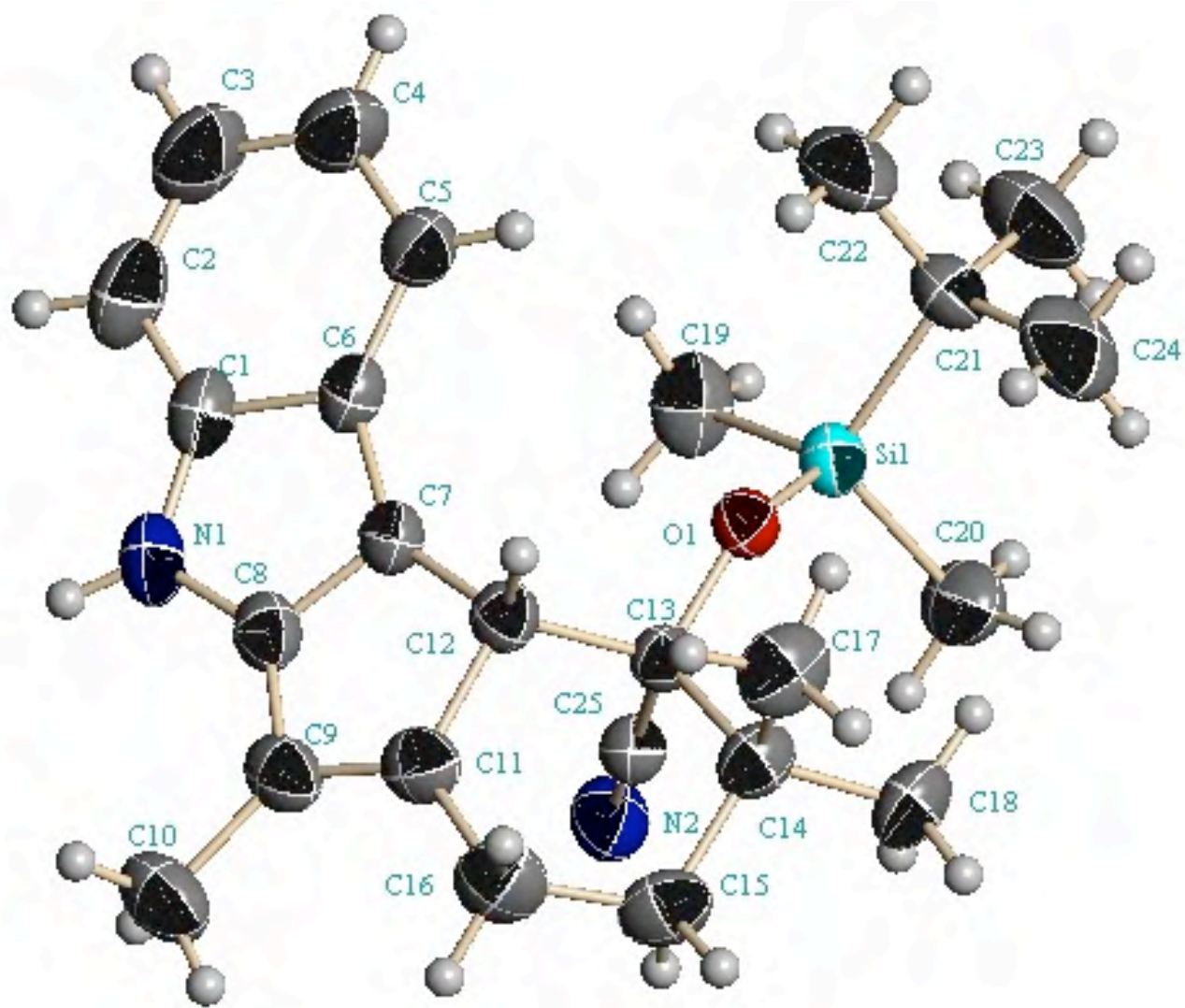


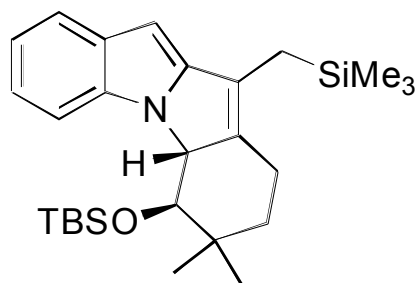
A colorless block shaped crystal of **42b** (C₂₄H₃₅NOSi) with approximate dimensions 0.06 x 0.15 x 0.20 mm, was used for the X-ray crystallographic analysis. The X-ray intensity data were measured at 128(2) K, cooled by Rigaku-MSX X-Stream 2000, on a Bruker SMART APEX CCD area detector system equipped with a graphite monochromator and a MoK α fine-focus sealed tube ($\lambda = 0.71073\text{\AA}$) operated at 1600 watts power (50 kV, 32 mA). The detector was placed at a distance of 5.8 cm from the crystal. A total of 1850 frames were collected with a scan width of 0.3° in ω and an exposure time of 10 seconds/frame. The total data collection time was about 8 hours. The frames were integrated with the Bruker SAINT software package using a narrow-frame integration algorithm. The integration of the data using a Triclinic unit cell yielded a total of 10873 reflections to a maximum θ angle of 28.34° (0.90 Å resolution), of which 11043 were independent, completeness = 94.9 %, $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0536$, $R_{\text{sig}} = 0.1644$ and 5107 were greater than $2\sigma(I)$. The final cell constants: $a = 9.437(8)\text{\AA}$, $b = 13.537(9)\text{\AA}$, $c = 19.104(9)\text{\AA}$, $\alpha = 101.43(4)^\circ$, $\beta = 97.13(4)^\circ$, $\gamma = 99.38(4)^\circ$, volume = $2328.0(26)\text{\AA}^3$, are based upon the refinement of the XYZ-centroids of 1755 reflections above $20\sigma(I)$ with $2.230^\circ < \theta < 28.348^\circ$. Analysis of the data showed negligible decay during data collection. Data were corrected for absorption effects using the multiscan technique (SADABS). The ratio of minimum to maximum apparent transmission was 0.069. The structure was solved and refined using the Bruker SHELXTL (Version 6.1) Software Package, using the space group P-1, with $Z = 2$ for the formula unit, C₄₈ H₇₀ N₂ O₂ Si₂. The final anisotropic full-matrix least-squares refinement on F^2 with 503 variables converged at $R1 = 10.20\%$, for the observed data and $wR2 = 30.66\%$ for all data. The goodness-of-fit was 0.984. The largest peak on the final difference map was $0.388\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$ and the largest hole was $-0.724\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$. Based on the final model, the calculated density of the crystal is 1.088 g/cm^3 and $F(000)$ amounts to 832 electrons.





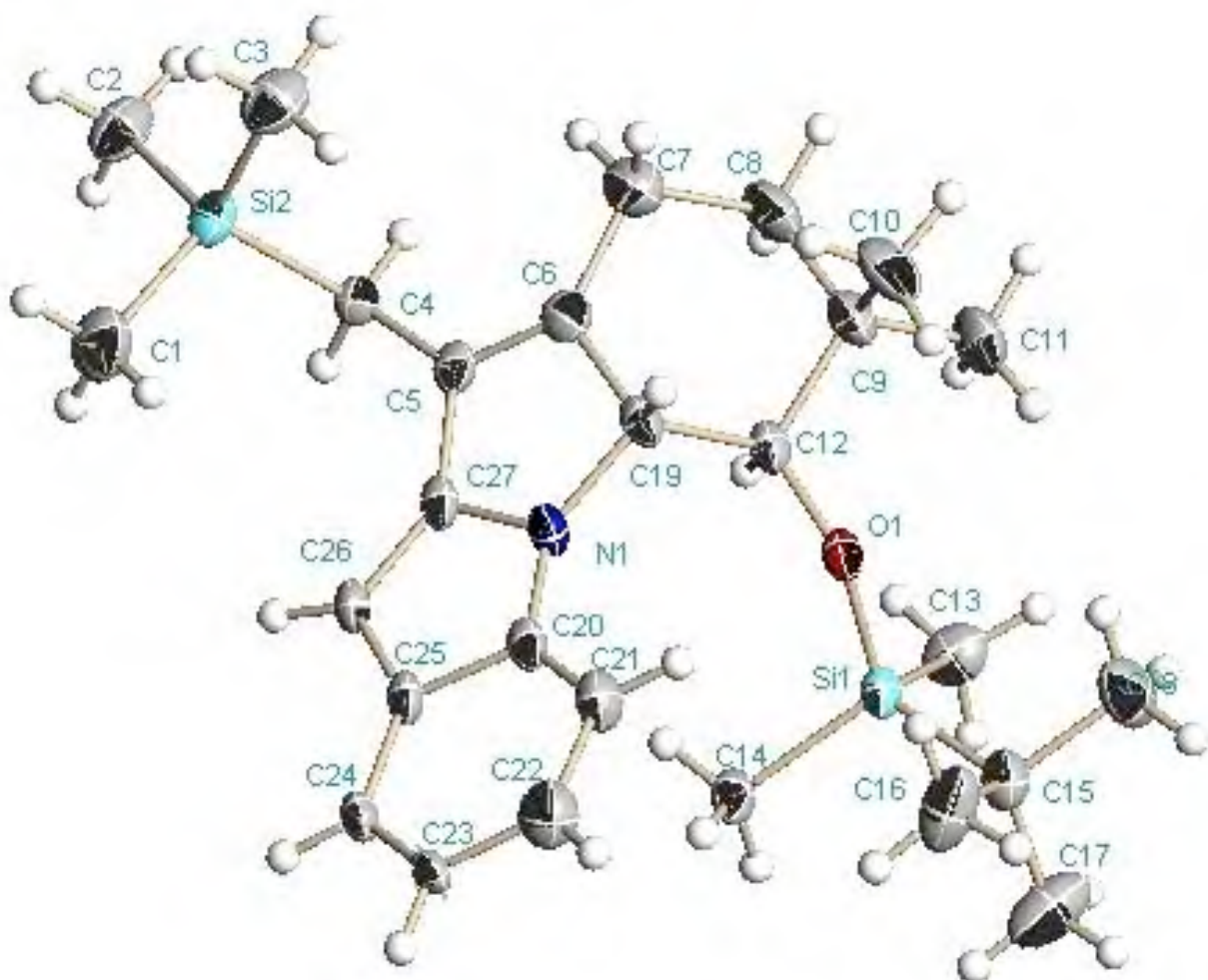
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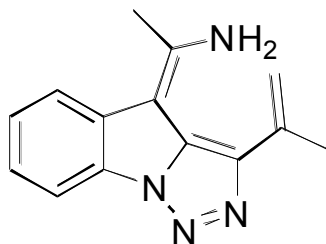




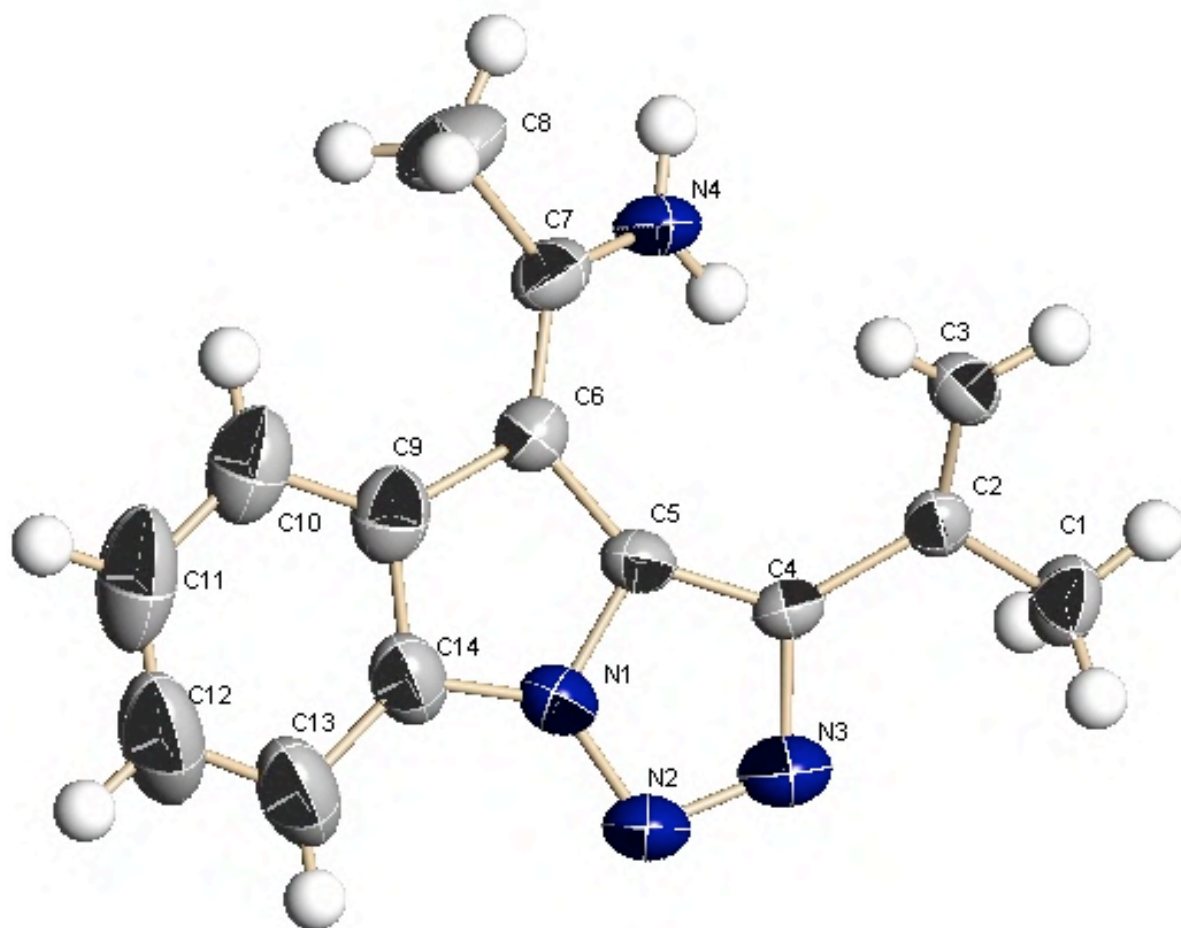
A colorless block shaped crystal of **43e** ($C_{27}H_{43}NOSi_2$) with approximate dimensions 0.13 x 0.18 x 0.25 mm, was used for the X-ray crystallographic analysis. The X-ray intensity data were measured at 123(2)K, cooled by Rigaku-MSX X-Stream 2000, on a Bruker SMART APEX CCD area detector system equipped with a graphite monochromator and a MoK α fine-focus sealed tube ($\lambda = 0.71073\text{\AA}$) operated at 1600 watts power (50 kV, 32 mA). The detector was placed at a distance of 5.8 cm from the crystal.

A total of 1850 frames were collected with a scan width of 0.3° in ω and an exposure time of 10 seconds/frame. The total data collection time was about 8 hours. The frames were integrated with the Bruker SAINT software package using a narrow-frame integration algorithm. The integration of the data using a Monoclinic unit cell yielded a total of 24148 reflections to a maximum θ angle of 29.13° (0.90\AA resolution), of which 7027 were independent, completeness = 94.3%, $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0910$, $R_{\text{sig}} = 0.0928$ and 4448 were greater than $2\sigma(I)$. The final cell constants: $a = 11.869(2)\text{\AA}$, $b = 10.874(2)\text{\AA}$, $c = 22.010(4)\text{\AA}$, $\alpha = 90^\circ$, $\beta = 93.52(3)^\circ$, $\gamma = 90^\circ$, volume = $2835.2(10)\text{\AA}^3$, are based upon the refinement of the XYZ-centroids of 9371 reflections above $20\sigma(I)$ with $2.534^\circ < \theta < 28.570^\circ$. Analysis of the data showed negligible decay during data collection. Data were corrected for absorption effects using the multiscan technique (SADABS). The ratio of minimum to maximum apparent transmission was 0.4338. The structure was solved and refined using the Bruker SHELXTL (Version 6.1) Software Package, using the space group P2(1)/c, with $Z = 4$ for the formula unit, $C_{27}H_{43}NOSi_2$. The final anisotropic full-matrix least-squares refinement on F^2 with 290 variables converged at $R1 = 7.38\%$, for the observed data and $wR2 = 19.39\%$ for all data. The goodness-of-fit was 1.022. The largest peak on the final difference map was $0.681\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$ and the largest hole was $-0.620\text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$. Based on the final model, the calculated density of the crystal is 1.063 g/cm^3 and $F(000)$ amounts to 992 electrons.





A colorless plate shaped crystal of **54** ($C_{14}H_{14}N_4$) with approximate dimensions 0.09 x 0.20 x 0.28 mm, was used for the X-ray crystallographic analysis. The X-ray intensity data were measured at 123(2) K, cooled by Rigaku-MSX X-Stream 2000, on a Bruker SMART APEX CCD area detector system equipped with a graphite monochromator and a MoK α fine-focus sealed tube ($\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$) operated at 1600 watts power (50 kV, 32 mA). The detector was placed at a distance of 5.8 cm from the crystal. A total of 1850 frames were collected with a scan width of 0.3° in ω and an exposure time of 10 seconds/frame. The total data collection time was about 8 hours. The frames were integrated with the Bruker SAINT software package using a narrow-frame integration algorithm. The integration of the data using a Monoclinic unit cell yielded a total of 20935 reflections to a maximum θ angle of 28.33° (0.90 \AA resolution), of which 6098 were independent, completeness = 98.6%, $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0440$, $R_{\text{sig}} = 0.0492$ and 3664 were greater than $2\sigma(I)$. The final cell constants: $a = 9.8894(16) \text{ \AA}$, $b = 21.213(3) \text{ \AA}$, $c = 11.8512(19) \text{ \AA}$, $\alpha = 90^\circ$, $\beta = 93.758(3)^\circ$, $\gamma = 90^\circ$, volume = $2480.9(7) \text{ \AA}^3$, are based upon the refinement of the XYZ-centroids of 5397 reflections above $20\sigma(I)$ with $2.275^\circ < \theta < 28.319^\circ$. Analysis of the data showed negligible decay during data collection. Data were corrected for absorption effects using the multiscan technique (SADABS). The ratio of minimum to maximum apparent transmission was 0.8135. The structure was solved and refined using the Bruker SHELXTL (Version 6.1) Software Package, using the space group P2(1)/c, with $Z = 8$ for the formula unit, $C_{14}H_{14}N_4$. The final anisotropic full-matrix least-squares refinement on F^2 with 329 variables converged at $R1 = 6.79\%$, for the observed data and $wR2 = 19.85\%$ for all data. The goodness-of-fit was 0.963. The largest peak on the final difference map was $0.201 \text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$ and the largest hole was $-0.213 \text{ e}^-/\text{\AA}^3$. Based on the final model, the calculated density of the crystal is 1.276 g/cm^3 and $F(000)$ amounts to 1008 electrons.



Despite having located a transition state for the **64** → **67**-type transformation in the non-methylated allenyl azide substrate in previous work (see upper diagram of the following Figure),¹ numerous attempts performed to locate the transition state associated to the stepwise N₂ extrusion (**64** → **67**) employing different optimization algorithms failed. Since the introduction of a methyl substituent at the allene terminus did not seem to justify the disappearance of the diradical pathway, we decided to carry out a thorough scan of the potential energy surface. The bond breaking C-N and N-N distances were selected as logical reaction coordinates and multiple constrained geometry optimizations were run in the ranges 1.6 to 2.8 Å for the C-N bond length and 1.3 to 2.0 Å for the N-N bond length, respectively. More than 100 geometry optimization jobs were completed to construct each surface (see Figure below). Due to near degeneracy problems raised in the diradical region associated to the stepwise extrusion, the unrestricted version of the B3LYP functional was employed, and the stability of the final wavefunctions² checked for the structures lying in this area (see computational methods for more details). These calculations revealed that the region around the diradical transition state in the des-methyl substrate is almost flat and the channel funneling the stepwise process is remarkably shallow, featuring a very smooth and low hillock separating the higher energy diradical transition state from the much more favorable concerted alternative (see upper diagram of Figure below). The introduction of the methyl substituent further flattens out the diradical area, transforming the hillock into a downhill shoulder and erasing the diradical transition state from the potential energy surface landscape (see lower diagram of the Figure below). Despite the differences exhibited between these surfaces, the same chemistry is expected for both methylated and des-methylated substrates, since the lowest energy pathway to N₂ loss, the concerted mechanism stays unaltered upon methylation.

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