Phenylthiomethyl Glycosides: Convenient Synthons for the Formation of Azidomethyl and Glycosylmethyl Glycosides and Their Derivatives

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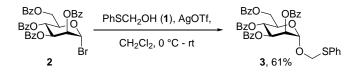
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General Methods. All reagents were purchased from commercial sources and used as received, unless otherwise indicated. All reactions were conducted under an atmosphere of dry nitrogen. Organic extracts were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated under aspirator vacuum at room temperature. Experiments conducted using microwave irradiation were carried out with a Biotage Initiator Exp US operating at a high absorbance level and with temperature determination by means of an infrared sensor.

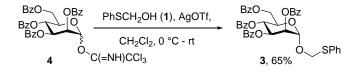
Phenylthiomethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (3).

Method A:



2,3,4,6-Tetra-*O*-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl bromide² (2.24 g, 3.41 mmol), phenythiomethanol³ (1.91 g, 13.6 mmol) and activated 4Å powdered molecular sieves (900 mg) were mixed in dichloromethane (17 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before AgOTf (964 mg, 3.75 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, and was stirred for 2-4 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 20/1 to 10/1) to give **3** (1.58 g, 61%) as a white foam.

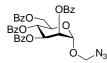
Method B:



2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl trichloroacetimidate⁴ (1 g, 1.35 mmol), phenythiomethanol³ (378 mg, 2.7 mmol) and activated 4Å powdered molecular sieves (900 mg) were mixed in dichloromethane (10 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before AgOTf (28 mg, 0.11 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, and stirred for 1 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the glycosides were isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 20/1 to 10/1) to give 3 (633 mg, 65%) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{23} + 42.0^{\circ} (c, 2.6, CHCl_3); {}^{1}H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) \delta$: 8.15-8.13 (m, 2H), 8.11-8.10 (m, 2H), 7.99-7.97 (m, 2H), 7.88-7.86 (m, 2H), 7.64-7.59 (m, 4H), 7.54-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.43 (m, 5H), 7.41-7.37 (m, 4H), 7.34-7.29 (m, 3H), 6.17 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.96 (dd, J = 3.5, J = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.75 (m, 1H), 5.62 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 12.0 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.50 (dd, J = 4.5, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.41 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 166.4, 165.74, 165.68, 165.6, 134.8, 133.81, 133.75, 133.5, 133.4, 131.3, 130.2, 130.1, 130.0, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 128.9, 128.8, 128.7, 128.6, 127.8, 94.9, 72.6, 70.6, 70.2, 69.9, 67.1, 63.0; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₄₁H₃₄O₁₀S [M+Na]⁺ 741.1770, found 741.1738.

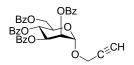
Phenylthiomethyl 2,3-di-O-benzyl-4,6-O-benzylidene-β-D-mannopyranoside (6).

То stirred mixture of ethyl 2,3-di-O-benzyl-4,6-O-benzylidene-1-thio- α -Dа mannopyranoside⁵ (161 mg, 0.3 mmol), TTBP (81 mg, 0.6 mmol), BSP (68 mg, 0.3 mmol), and activated 5Å powdered molecular sieves in dichloromethane (4 mL) was added Tf₂O (55 µL, 0.3 mmol) at 60 °C under N₂. After 30 min, 1 was slowly added. The reaction mixture was stirred at - 78 °C for 1 h and then was quenched by the addition of triethyl phosphate (59 μ L, 0.3 mmol) and stirred for a further 1 h at – 78 °C before it was allowed to reach room temperature. The reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane and the molecular sieves were filtered off and washed with saturated NaHCO₃. The organic layer was separated, dried, and concentrated. The crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate, 17/1) to give 6 (75 mg, 40%, β only) as a syrup. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ –180.7 ° (c, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.52-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.37 (m, 7H), 7.34-7.26 (m, 11H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 5.33 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.96-4.93 (m, 2H), 4.85 (d, J = 12.5Hz, 1H), 4.69 (d, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dd, J = 4.5, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.94-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.63 (dd, J = 3.0, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.28 (dt, J = 5.0, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 138.5, 138.4, 137.7, 135.6, 129.8, 129.3, 129.1, 128.9, 128.6, 128.44, 128.40, 127.9, 127.81, 127.77, 127.1, 126.3, 101.7 (¹J_{C-H}, 163.9 Hz), 97.4, 78.8, 78.3, 75.8, 75.0, 72.8, 72.6, 68.7, 67.9; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₃₄H₃₄O₆S [M+Na]⁺ 593.1974, found 593.1967.

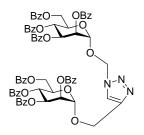


Azidomethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (7). Phenylthiomethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (299 mg, 0.4 mmol), TMSN₃ (175 μL, 1.2 mmol) and activated acid washed 3Å powdered molecular sieves (300 mg) were mixed in dichloromethane (4 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before NIS (198 mg, 0.8 mmol) was added, followed by TfOH (38 µL, 0.4 mmol) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with NaS₂O₃ and brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 10/1 to 8/1) to give 7 (233 mg, 86%) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{23}$ –13.8 ° (*c*, 2.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.13-8.11 (m, 2H), 8.09-8.07 (m, 2H), 7.99-7.97 (m, 2H), 7.88-7.86 (m, 2H), 7.64-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.54-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.37 (m, 7H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 1H), 6.19 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.95 (dd, J = 3.0, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.78 (m, 1H), 5.42 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H)1H), 4.90 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.75 (m, 1H), 4.53 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 166.4, 165.74, 165.66, 165.57, 133.9, 133.8, 133.5, 133.4, 130.13, 130.07, 130.01, 129.98, 129.4, 129.2, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 128.6, 96.4, 80.0, 70.4, 70.1, 70.0, 66.8, 62.9; IR: 2135.9, 2102.9, 1728.3; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₃₅H₂₉N₃O₁₀ [M+Na]⁺ 674.1751, found 674.1742.

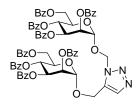
Azidomethyl 2,3-di-*O*-benzyl-4,6-*O*-benzylidene-β-D-mannopyranoside (8). White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (10:1) in 66% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{23}$ –138.9 ° (*c*, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.52-7.47 (m, 4H), 7.41-7.29 (m, 11H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 5.00 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (s, 1H), 4.90 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77-4.72 (m, 3H), 4.63 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (m, 1H), 4.24 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.99 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (dd, *J* = 3.0, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dt, *J* = 4.5, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 138.4, 138.3, 137.7, 129.2, 128.8, 128.6, 128.5, 127.95, 127.90, 127.8, 126.3, 101.7, 98.9, 80.0, 78.7, 78.1, 76.0, 75.3, 72.8, 68.6, 68.1; IR: 2869.9, 2104.5; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₂₈H₂₉N₃O₆ [M+Na]⁺ 526.1954, found 526.1931.



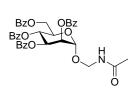
2-Propynyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-*O***-benzoyl-** α **-D-mannopyranoside (9).** 2,3,4,6-Tetra-*O*benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl bromide (3.3 g, 5.0 mmol), propargyl alcohol (5.89 mL, 100 mmol) and activated 4Å powdered molecular sieves (1.5 g) were mixed in dichloromethane (10 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before AgOTf (1.93 g, 7.5 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, and stirred for 4 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 15/1 to 6/1) to give **9** (2.43 g, 77%) as white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{22}$ –40.0 ° (*c*, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.13-8.11 (m, 2H), 8.09-8.07 (m, 2H), 7.98-7.96 (m, 2H), 7.86-7.84 (m, 2H), 7.63-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.54-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.37 (m, 7H), 7.36-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.94 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.75 (m, 1H), 5.33 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (m, 1H), 4.50 (m, 2H), 4.44 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 2H), 2.53 (t, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 166.4, 165.7, 165.6, 133.8, 133.7, 133.4, 133.3, 130.0, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 128.9, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 96.8, 78.3, 75.9, 70.5, 70.1, 69.6, 67.0, 63.0, 55.6; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₃₇H₃₀O₁₀ [M+Na]⁺ 657.1737, found 657.1756.



1-(2',3',4',6',-Tetra-*O***-benzoyl**-α**-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-4-(2'',3'',4'',6''tetra-***O***-benzoyl**-α**-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1***H***-[1,2,3]-triazole (10).** The azide 7 (109 mg, 0.17 mmol) and alkyne 9 (107 mg, 0.17 mmol) were suspended in a 1:1 mixture of H₂O (0.34 mL) and ^tBuOH (0.34 mL). (+)-Sodium L-ascorbate (3.3 mg, 0.016 mmol, 1M solution in H₂O) was added, followed by CuSO₄·5H₂O (0.4 mg, 0.0016mmol). The heterogeneous mixture was stirred vigorously overnight, then heated to 50 °C for few hours at which point it cleared and TLC analysis indicated complete consumption of the reactants. The reaction mixture was diluted with water, cooled in ice and the white precipitate was collected by filtration. The 1,4-disubstituted product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 5/1 to 1.5/1) to give **10** (196 mg, 92%) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ –25.8 ° (*c*, 1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.13-8.10 (m, 4H), 8.05-8.00 (m, 5H), 7.97-7.95 (m, 4H), 7.97-7.95 (m, 4H), 7.84-7.80 (m, 2H), 7.79-7.78 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.54 (m, 4H), 7.50-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.33 (m, 15H), 7.29-7.23 (m, 3H), 6.20 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 6.17 (m, 1H), 6.14 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 5.93 (m, 2H), 5.90 (dd, *J* = 3.0, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.76 (m, 1H), 5.72 (m, 1H), 5.40 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.09 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.91 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (m, 1H), 4.70 (m, 1H), 4.56 (m, 1H), 4.50 (dd, *J* = 4.0, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.45 (dd, *J* = 4.0, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 166.4, 166.3, 165.71, 165.67, 165.64, 165.59, 165.4, 145.1, 133.8, 133.74, 133.69, 133.6, 133.5, 133.4, 133.3, 130.1, 130.0, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 129.0, 128.84, 128.81, 128.72, 128.66, 128.6, 128.5, 124.2, 97.7, 97.1, 75.5, 70.6, 70.2, 70.0, 69.9, 69.4, 67.0, 66.6, 62.9, 62.4, 61.8; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₇₃H₃₉N₃O₂₀ [M+Na]⁺ 1308.3590, found 1308.3563.



1-(2',3',4',6'-Tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-5-(2'',3'',4'',6''tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1*H*-[1,2,3]-triazole (11). To a solution of azide **6** (166 mg, 0.25 mmol) and alkyne **9** (170 mg, 0.27 mmol) in anhydrous DMF (1.5 mL) was added [Cp*RuCl]₄. The vial was purged with nitrogen, sealed and irradiated to 110 °C by microwave for 20 min. When TLC showed the azide **7** had been consumed, the mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The 1,5-disubstitued product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 5/1 to 1.5/1) to give **11** (240 mg, 75%) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{23}$ –19.7 ° (*c*, 1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.13 (m, 4H), 8.00-7.94 (m, 8H), 7.80 (m, 2H), 7.79 (s, 1H), 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.55 (m, 4H), 7.48 (m, 1H), 7.45-7.29 (m, 14H), 7.23-7.18 (m, 4H), 6.25 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 6.19 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 6.13 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 5.92 (m, 2H), 5.77 (m, 1H), 5.71 (m, 1H), 5.40 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 5.04 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 4.79-4.72 (m, 2H), 4.59 (dd, *J* = 4.0, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.52-4.47 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 166.3, 165.8, 165.7, 165.63, 165.59, 165.5, 165.4, 135.5, 133.8, 133.7, 133.5, 133.4, 133.3, 133.0, 130.11, 130.06, 129.98, 129.95, 128.8, 128.75, 128.66, 128.5, 128.45, 97.0, 96.4, 73.8, 70.3, 70.2, 70.1, 70.02, 69.91, 66.8, 66.5, 62.9, 62.6, 57.6; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₇₃H₅₉N₃O₂₀ [M+Na]⁺ 1308.3590, found 1308.3541.



Acetamidomethyl 2',3',4',6'-tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranoside (12). To a stirred solution of azide 7 (101 mg, 0.16 mmol) in CHCl₃ (0.55 mL) was added 2,6-lutidine (27 μ L, 0.23 mmol) followed by thiolacetic acid (15 μ L, 0.2 mmol). The vial was purged with nitrogen, sealed and heated to 60 °C by microwave for 14 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 10/1 to 1.5/1) to give 12 (52 mg, 51%) as a white foam. [α]_D²³ –46.8 ° (*c*, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.11-8.10

(m, 2H), 8.06-8.04 (m, 2H), 7.97-7.95 (m, 2H), 7.85-7.83 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.51 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.35 (m, 7H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.50 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.90 (dd, J = 3.0, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.69 (m, 1H), 5.30 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 4.57-4.51 (m, 2H), 2.09 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 171.0, 166.5, 165.8, 165.7, 165.6, 133.8, 133.7, 133.5, 133.3, 130.10, 130.07, 129.99, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 128.8, 128.71, 128.68, 128.5, 96.3, 70.6, 70.2, 69.4, 68.2, 67.1, 63.2, 23.6; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₃₇H₃₃NO₁₁ [M+Na]⁺ 690.1951, found 690.1919.

General Procedure for the Synthesis of Thioesters.

Diphenylphosphino(borane)methanethiyl acetate⁷ (144 mg, 0.5 mmol) was dissolved in methanol (2.5 mL), followed by addition of sodium methoxide (25% w.t., 148 μ L, 0.65 mmol). After stirring under nitrogen for 10 min, the solution was neutralized by Amberlyst[®] 15. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was dissolved in dichloromethane (2 mL), followed by addition of the amino acid (0.5 mmol), 1,3-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (116 mg, 0.55 mmol), and *N,N'*-dimethyl-4-aminopyridine (6 mg, 0.05 mmol). The solution was stirred under nitrogen for 4 h, and the solution was filtered through a pad of Celite. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The crude product was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel to give the thioester.

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Diphenylphosphino(borane)methanethiyl *N-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)glycinate.* White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (10:1) in 88% yield. ¹H NMR (500

MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 7.72-7.68 (m, 4H), 7.55-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.48-7.45 (m, 4H), 5.02 (br s, 1H), 3.9 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.71 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.31-0.85 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 196.9, 155.6, 132.8, 132.7, 132.1, 132.0, 129.2, 129.1, 128.0, 127.5, 80.9, 50.3, 28.5, 23.6, 23.3; ³¹P NMR (CDCl₃) δ :19.9; ESIHRMS Calcd. for $C_{20}H_{27}NO_3PS [M+Na]^+ 426.1440$, found 426.1443.

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Diphenylphosphino(borane)methanethiyl *N*-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-alanyl-glycinate. White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (2:1) in 94% yield. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 7.69-7.66 (m, 4H), 7.53-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.46-7.43 (m, 4H), 7.36-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.07 (br s, 1H), 5.51 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 5.08 (m, 2H), 4.30 (br s, 1H), 4.08-3.97 (m, 2H), 1.36 (d, *J* = 7.0Hz, 3H), 1.26-0.88 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 195.4 (d, *J* = 2.8Hz), 173.1, 156.4, 136.3, 132.7, 132.6, 132.13, 132.12, 129.3, 129.2, 128.8, 128.5, 128.3, 127.9, 127.4, 67.4, 50.6, 49.0, 23.5 (d, *J* = 35.1Hz), 18.4; ³¹P NMR (CDCl₃) δ : 19.9; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₂₆H₃₀BN₂O₄PS [M+Na]⁺ 531.1655, found 531.1643.

General Procedure for Staudinger Ligation.

Glycosyl azide (68 mg, 0.1 mmol) and the diphenylphosphino(borane)thioester (84 mg, 0.2 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (0.8 mL) and degassed by ultrasonic for 20 min. A solution of 1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane in DMF (0.2 mL) was transferred via cannula under nitrogen to the above solution. The mixture was stirred under nitrogen at 50 °C for 12 h, before water (200 μ L) was added. The solution was stirred for addition 30 min, and

the solvent was removed under high vacuum. The crude product was purified by flash chromatography.

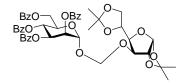
N-[(2,3,4,6-Tetra-*O*-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl)oxymethyl] *N*_{α}-(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)glycinamide (13). White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (10:1) in 89% yield. [α]_D²⁴ –46.4 ° (*c*, 1.6, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.09 (m, 2H), 8.03 (m, 2H), 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.58 (m, 2H), 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.40-7.34 (m, 6H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.14 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.88 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.67 (m, 1H), 5.40 (br s, 1H), 5.30 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.05 (m, 2H), 4.73 (m, 1H), 4.53 (m, 2H), 3.93 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 2H), 1.46 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 170.8, 166.5, 165.8, 165.7, 165.6, 133.74, 133.67, 133.4, 133.3, 96.5, 80.8, 70.6, 70.2, 69.4, 68.2, 67.2, 63.2, 44.8, 28.5; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₄₂H₄₂N₂O₁₃ [M+Na]⁺ 805.2585, found 805.2595.

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{Ph} & \mathsf{O} & \mathsf{OBn} \\ \mathsf{O} & \mathsf{O} & \mathsf{O} \\ \mathsf{BnO} & \mathsf{O} & \mathsf{O} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathsf{H} \\ \mathsf{O} \\ \mathsf{N} \\ \mathsf{O} \\ \mathsf{$$

N-[(2,3-di-*O*-benzyl-4,6-*O*-benzylidene-β-D-mannopyranosyl)oxymethyl] N_{α} -(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-alanyl-glycinamide (14). White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (1:1) in 80% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ –27.4 ° (*c*, 0.8, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.77 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.45-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.28 (m, 15H), 6.83 (br s, 1H), 5.60 (s, 1H), 5.37 (br s, 1H), 5.14-5.05 (m, 3H), 5.00 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.91 (m, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 2H), 4.71-4.68 (m, 2H), 4.59 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (m, 1H), 4.19-4.15 (m, 2H), 3.94-3.87 (m, 4H), 3.63 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (m, 1H), 1.40 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 173.2, 138.6, 137.8, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 128.5, 128.41, 128.36, 127.8, 126.3, 101.7, 100.3, 78.8, 78.2, 76.6, 75.3, 72.6, 68.7, 67.9, 67.6, 51.4, 43.5, 18.2; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₄₁H₄₅N₃O₁₀ [M+Na]⁺ 762.3003, found 762.2969.

General Procedure for Coupling Reaction.

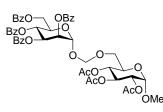
A mixture of azidomethyl glycoside, acceptor (1.5 eq.) and activated acid washed 3Å powdered molecular sieves were stirred in dichloromethane (10 mL per mmol of donor) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before NIS (2 eq.) was added, followed by catalytic TfOH (0.1 eq.) at – 30 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at – 30 °C for 1 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with NaS₂O₃ and brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the glycoside was isolated by silica gel column chromatography.



3-O-(2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1,2:5,6-di-O-

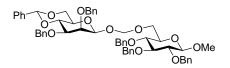
isopropylidene-*α***-D-glucofuranose (15).** White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (4:1) in 90% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ -4.3 ° (*c*, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 8.10-8.07 (m, 4H), 7.97 (m, 2H), 7.87 (m, 2H), 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.36 (m, 7H), 7.29 (m, 2H), 6.18 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.99 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.94 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz, 1H), 5.64 (m, 1H), 5.51 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz,

1H), 5.00 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 4.51-4.45 (m, 2H), 4.34 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (m, 1H), 4.15-4.12 (m, 2H), 4.03 (m, 1H), 1.54 (s, 3H), 1.46 (s, 3H), 1.40 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 166.4, 165.8, 165.71, 165.69, 133.8, 133.7, 133.5, 133.3, 130.1, 130.04, 130.02, 130.00, 129.95, 129.5, 129.25, 129.16, 128.9, 128.70, 128.68, 128.6, 112.4, 109.5, 105.6, 93.5, 91.9, 84.0, 81.9, 81.3, 72.7, 71.0, 69.8, 69.7, 67.9, 67.1, 63.0, 27.2, 27.1, 26.3, 25.6; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₄₇H₄₈O₁₆ [M+Na]⁺ 891.2840, found 891.2796.

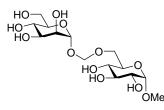


Methyl 6-*O*-(2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-*a*-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-2,3,4-tri-*O*-acetyl-*a*-D-glucopyranoside (16). Syrup, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (2:1) in 88% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ +34.9 ° (*c*, 1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.10 (m, 2H), 8.05 (m, 2H), 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.51 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.35 (m, 7H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.10 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.91 (dd, *J* = 3.0, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.71 (m, 1H), 5.49 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.16 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (m, 1H), 4.51-4.45 (m, 2H), 3.94 (m, 1H), 3.86 (dd, *J* = 4.0, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (dd, *J* = 2.5, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 2.07 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H), 1.98 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 170.4, 170.3, 169.9, 166.4, 165.8, 165.6, 165.5, 133.6, 133.4, 133.3, 130.1, 130.0, 129.98, 129.6, 129.3, 129.2, 128.8, 128.72, 128.67, 128.5, 97.0, 94.2, 91.7, 71.1, 70.5, 70.3, 69.6, 68.9, 68.3, 67.1, 66.9, 63.1,

55.7, 21.0, 20.9, 20.8; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₄₈H₄₈O₁₉ [M+Na]⁺ 951.2687, found 951.2723.

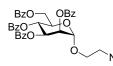


Methyl 6-*O*-(2,3-di-*O*-benzyl-4,6-*O*-benzylidene-β-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-2,3,4-tri-*O*-benzyl-β-D-glucopyranoside (17). White foam, eluted from silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate (10:1) in 80% yield. $[α]_D^{24}$ –41.0 ° (*c*, 1.2, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.50 (m, 4H), 7.41-7.29 (m, 26H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 5.07 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.00-4.88 (m, 4H), 4.88 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.84-4.78 (m, 3H), 4.73-4.70 (m, 2H), 4.62 (m, 2H), 4.32-4.29 (m, 2H), 4.24 (t, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 3.93-3.86 (m, 2H), 3.72-3.65 (m, 3H), 3.59 (t, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 3.42 (m, 2H), 3.38 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 138.8, 138.7, 138.3, 137.8, 129.1, 128.74, 128.69, 128.64, 128.55, 128.44, 128.36, 128.3, 128.19, 128.16, 128.1, 127.94, 127.90, 127.8, 127.7, 126.3, 105.0, 101.7, 97.2, 92.8, 84.8, 82.6, 79.0, 78.7, 77.8, 76.6, 75.9, 75.3, 75.2, 74.6, 72.9, 68.9, 67.8, 67.3, 57.4; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₅₆H₆₀O₁₂ [M+Na]⁺ 947.3982, found 947.3950.



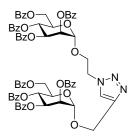
Methyl 6-*O*-(α -D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)- α -D-glucopyranoside (18). The disaccharide (16) (30 mg, 0.032 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (0.3 mL) and

methanol (0.7 mL) at 0 °C, and treated with sodium methoxide (25 wt. % in methanol, 2.9 μ L). The reaction mixture was stirred for 4-5 h at room temperature, at which point TLC analysis indicated complete consumption of the reactant. The pH of the solution was adjusted to 7 with Amberlyst[®] 15. Evaporation of the filtrate followed by flash chromatography on silica gel (eluent: dichloromethane/methanol, 2:1) gave the product **18** (11 mg, 91%) as a white foam. [α]_D²⁴ +186.0 ° (*c*, 0.9, CH₃OH); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ : 5.11 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.87-3.78 (m, 4H), 3.73-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.67-3.61 (m, 3H), 3.59-3.55 (m, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 3.38 (m, 1H), 3.29 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OD) δ : 50.11 (models and complex to method the solution is complex to method. The solution is complex to method. The solution is complex to method to method to method. The solution is complex to method to method to method. The solution is complex to method to method to method to method. The solution is complex to method to method to method to method to method to method. The solution is complex to method to method. The solution is complex to method to me



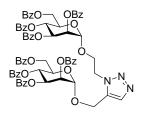
2-Azidoethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl-\alpha-D-mannopyranoside (19). 2,3,4,6-Tetra-*O*-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyl bromide (1.32 g, 2.0 mmol), 2-azidoethanol¹ (522 mg, 6 mmol) and activated 4Å powdered molecular sieves (600 mg) were mixed in dichloromethane (10 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 10 min before AgOTf (1.03 g, 4 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, and stirred for 4 h. When TLC showed the donor had been consummed, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was filtered, and the filtrate was washed with brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography

(eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 10/1 to 3/1) to give the product (1.2 g, 90%) as a white foam. $[\alpha]_D^{22}$ –61.3 ° (*c*, 1.2, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) & 8.14-8.12 (m, 2H), 8.08-8.06 (m, 2H), 7.99-7.98 (m, 2H), 7.88-7.85 (m, 2H), 7.63-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.54-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.37 (m, 7H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 1H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.97 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.76 (m, 1H), 5.18 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.75 (m, 1H), 4.52 (m, 2H), 4.05 (m, 1H), 3.81 (m, 1H), 3.63 (m, 1H), 3.51 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) & 166.4, 165.72, 165.78, 165.65, 133.8, 133.7, 133.5, 133.4, 130.1, 130.00, 129.99, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 98.0, 70.5, 70.1, 69.5, 67.6, 66.9, 63.0, 50.7; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₃₆H₃₁N₃O₁₀ [M+Na]⁺ 688.1907, found 688.1937.



1-(2',3',4',6'-Tetra-*O***-benzoyl-***α***-D-mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-4-(2'',3'',4'',6''-tetra-***O***-benzoyl-***α***-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1***H***-[1,2,3]-triazole (20).** To a solution of alkyne **9** (133 mg, 0.2 mmol) and 2-azidoethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-*α*-D-mannopyranoside (127 mg, 0.2 mmol) in anhydrous acetonitrile (2 mL) were added CuI (78 mg, 0.4 mmol) and *N*,*N*-diisopropylethylamine (105 μ L, 0.6 mmol) at room temperature, and the mixture was stirred for 2h. When TLC showed the azide and alkyne had been consummed, the reaction mixture was diluted using water (5 mL) and saturated aqueous NH₄Cl (2 mL). The aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate, and the combined organic layer was washed brine. The organic layer was dried and concentrated

under reduced pressure and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 10/1 to 1/1) to give the product (247 mg, 95%) as a white foam. [α]_D²² –52.0 ° (*c*, 1.1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 8.15-8.14 (m, 2H), 8.11-8.10 (m, 2H), 8.05-8.03 (m, 2H), 8.01-8.00 (m, 3H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 4H), 7.84-7.82 (m, 2H), 7.75-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.60-7.53 (m, 4H), 7.51-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.32 (m, 14H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 4H), 6.19 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (t, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.94 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.86 (dd, *J* = 3.5, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.79 (m, 1H), 5.71 (m, 1H), 5.34 (s, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 5.12 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.93 (t, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 166.4, 166.3, 165.8, 165.70, 165.68, 165.6, 165.5, 144.4, 133.8, 133.73, 133.65, 133.6, 133.4, 133.3, 130.2, 130.08, 130.05, 130.02, 129.99, 129.96, 129.9, 129.6, 129.34, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.8, 128.75, 128.72, 128.65, 128.5, 128.4, 124.9, 97.8, 97.6, 70.7, 70.5, 70.4, 70.0, 69.6, 69.3, 67.0, 66.7, 66.6, 62.9, 62.8, 61.9, 50.1; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₇₃H₆₁N₃O₂₀ [M+Na]⁺ 1322.3746, found 1322.3757.

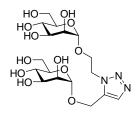


1-(2',3',4',6'-Tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-5-(2'',3'',4'',6''-tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]-triazole (21). A solution of azide 2-azidoethyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-mannopyranoside (333 mg, 0.5 mmol) and alkyne 9 (343 mg, 0.54 mmol) in anhydrous DMF (0.6 mL) was added into the solution of Cp*RuCl(PPh₃)₂⁶ in anhydrous DMF (3 mL). The vial was purged with nitrogen, sealed and heated in an oil bath at 100 °C for 11h. When TLC showed the azide had been consummed, the mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The 1,5disubstitued product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (eluent: hexane/ethyl acetate from 10/1 to 1/1) to give the product (533 mg, 82%) as a white foam. $\left[\alpha\right]_{D}^{22}$ -39.4° (c, 1.3, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ; 8.14-8.12 (m, 2H), 8.03-8.01 (m, 2H), 8.00-7.98 (m, 2H), 7.97-7.95 (m, 2H), 7.92-7.90 (m, 2H), 7.84-7.81 (m, 5H), 7.61-7.52 (m, 4H), 7.47-7.20 (m, 20H), 6.19 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (t, J = 10.0Hz, 1H), 5.94 (dd, J = 3.5, J = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.81 (m, 1H), 5.70 (dd, J = 3.5, J = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 5.64 (m, 1H), 5.32 (d, J = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.13 (m, 2H), 4.96-4.85 (m, 2H), 4.79 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (dd, J = 2.5, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (dd, J = 4.5, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.55-4.52 (m, 1H), 4.48 (dd, J = 4.0, J = 12.5Hz, 1H), 4.43 (m, 1H), 4.04 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 166.4, 166.3, 165.9, 165.8, 165.7, 165.6, 165.51, 165.46, 134.8, 133.8, 133.7, 133.5, 133.4, 133.3, 130.12, 130.09, 130.03, 130.00, 129.32, 129.29, 129.16, 129.1, 129.0, 128.81, 128.76, 128.74, 128.7, 128.64, 128.56, 97.6, 96.8, 70.3, 70.2, 69.8, 69.6, 66.9, 66.8, 66.3, 63.0, 62.7, 57.6, 48.3; ESIHRMS Calcd. for $C_{73}H_{61}N_3O_{20}$ [M+Na]⁺ 1322.3746, found 1322.3776.

General Procedure for Deprotection of Benzoylated Adducts.

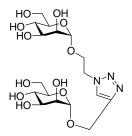
The substrate (0.15 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (0.3 mL) and methanol (1.3 mL) at 0 °C, and treated with sodium methoxide (25 wt. % in methanol, 10.3 μ L). The reaction mixture was stirred for 4-5 h at room temperature, at which point TLC analysis indicated complete consumption of the reactant. The pH of the solution was adjusted to 7

with Amberlyst[®] 15. Evaporation of the filtrate followed by chromatographic purification over silica gel gave the products.



1-(α-D-Mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-5-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]-

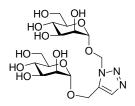
triazole (22). White foam, eluted from silica gel with dichloromethane/methanol (2:1) in 95% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ +79.1 ° (*c*, 1.2, CH₃OH); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 7.75 (s, 1H), 4.93 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 4.73-4.63 (m, 3H), 4.17 (m, 1H), 3.93-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.84 (m, 1H), 3.78 (dd, *J* = 2.5, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 3.74-3.70 (m, 2H), 3.68-3.64 (m, 2H), 3.62-3.58 (m, 3H), 3.56-3.51 (m, 1H), 3.22 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 134.9, 133.5, 100.5, 99.9, 74.4, 73.8, 71.3, 71.2, 70.7, 67.3, 67.1, 65.8, 61.8, 61.6, 56.7; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₁₇H₂₉N₃O₁₂ [M+Na]⁺ 490.1649, found 490.1626.



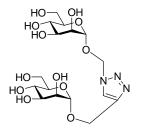
1-(α-D-Mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-4-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]-

triazole (23). White foam, eluted from silica gel with dichloromethane/methanol (2:1) in 91% yield. $[\alpha]_D^{24}$ +70.4 ° (*c*, 1.0, CH₃OH); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CH₃OH) δ : 8.06 (s, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.70-4.60

(m, 3H), 4.14 (m, 1H), 3.90-3.88 (m, 1H), 3.87-3.86 (m, 1H), 3.81-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.75-3.73 (m, 2H), 3.70 (m, 1H), 3.68-3.64 (m, 1H), 3.62-3.56 (m, 4H), 3.25 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CH₃OH) δ : 144.1, 125.0, 100.5, 99.4, 73.9, 73.8, 71.3, 70.8, 70.7, 67.5, 67.2, 65.6, 61.8, 61.6, 59.4, 50.1; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₁₇H₂₉N₃O₁₂ [M+Na]⁺ 490.1649, found 490.1627.



1-(α-D-Mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-5-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1*H*-[1,2,3]triazole (24). White foam, eluted from silica gel with dichloromethane/methanol (2:1) in 95% yield. $[α]_D^{23}$ +116.3 ° (*c*, 1.0, CH₃OH); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 7.80 (s, 1H), 6.02 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 5.90 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (dd, *J* = 2.5, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (m, 1H), 3.78 (dd, *J* = 2.0, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (m, 1H), 3.74-3.68 (m, 5H), 3.65 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 3.58-3.54 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.46 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 135.0, 134.1, 100.1, 98.9, 74.6, 74.2, 73.1, 71.2, 71.0, 70.7, 70.4, 67.3, 66.9, 61.7, 61.4, 56.6; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₁₆H₂₇N₃O₁₂ [M+Na]⁺ 476.1492, found 476.1475.



1-(α-D-Mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-4-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1*H*-[1,2,3]triazole (25). White foam, eluted from silica gel with dichloromethane/methanol (2:1) in 92% yield. $[α]_D^{23}$ +103.3 ° (*c*, 0.5, CH₃OH); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 8.24 (s, 1H), 5.98 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 4.95 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (dd, *J* = 1.5, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 3.81-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.75 (m, 1H), 3.73-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.68-3.63 (m, 4H), 3.60-3.56 (m, 2H), 3.43 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CH₃OH) δ: 144.8, 125.0, 99.7, 99.3, 74.7, 74.6, 73.9, 71.3, 71.0, 70.8, 70.5, 67.4, 67.0, 61.8, 61.5, 59.5; ESIHRMS Calcd. for C₁₆H₂₇N₃O₁₂ [M+Na]⁺ 476.1492, found 476.1477.

Isothermal Titration Microcalorimetry

Concanavalin A (type IV, lyophilized powder) from *Canavalia ensiformis* (Jack bean) was purchased from Sigma-Aldrich chemical company. The concentration of Con A was determined spectrophotometrically at 280 nm using $E^{1\%} = 13.7$ at pH 7.2 and expressed in terms of tetramer (M_r = 25,500).

Methyl α -D-mannopyranoside was purchased from Sigma-Aldrich chemical company. All of the sugar solutions were prepared by weight in Hepes buffer.

The buffer was 0.1 M Hepes containing 0.9 M NaCl, 1 nM Mn^{2+} , and 1 nM Ca^{2+} at pH 7.2. Water was purified with a Millipore purification system.

A VP-ITC titration calorimeter (MicroCal, Inc.) was used for all measurements. In individual titrations, injections of 4 μ L of carbohydrate were added by computer-controlled 250 μ L microsyringe at intervals of 4 min into a Con A solution (cell volume = 1.4 mL) in the same buffer as the saccharide, while stirring at 351 rpm.

The raw thermogram data were integrated and normalized, resulting in a plot of ΔH (kcal/mole of saccharide) versus molar ratio (Fig. 1). In each experiment, a long baseline was collected after binding transition was saturated, which ensured the materials were exactly the same as those that were used to collect the primary data. The terminal 10 points of the upper baseline in each experiment were fit to a straight line, which was subsequently subtracted from the entire data to remove contributions from background heats of mixing and dilution. The experiment data were obtained by fitting the data to a single binding site model using ORIGIN software (MicroCal Inc., ver. 7.0), with *n* (number of biding sites per monomer), ΔH (enthalpy change in kcal mol⁻¹); K_a (association constant in M⁻¹). From the measurement of K_a , the free energy of binding, ΔG , and the entropy of binding, ΔS can be calculated using Eq. 1 and Eq. 2, where *T* is the absolute temperature , and R = 1.98 calmol⁻¹K⁻¹.

$$\Delta G = -RT \ln K_a \tag{1}$$

 $\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S$

The quantity $c = n K_a$ [P] is important in titration microcalorimeter, [P] is the initial concentration of the protein. All experiments were performed with *c* values 1 < c < 20.

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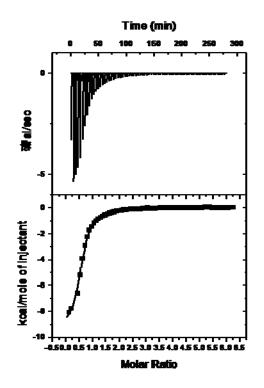


Fig.1. Calorimetric titration of Con A (0.2 mM) with 25 (6 mM) at 300 K.

	Carbohydrate	K_{a}	n^{b}	$-\Delta G$	$-\Delta H$	$-T\Delta S$
		$M^{-1} \ge 10^3$		Kcal mol ⁻¹	Kcal mol ⁻¹	Kcal mol ⁻¹
1	MeαMan	15.4 ± 0.5	0.75	5.7 ± 0.1	7.5 ± 0.1	1.8 ± 0.2
2	22	19.2 ± 0.3	0.75	5.91 ± 0.3	6.81 ± 0.3	0.9 ± 0.3
3	23	61.0 ± 1.8	0.61	6.55 ± 0.5	9.55 ± 1.3	3.0 ± 0.2
4	24	13.7 ± 0.07	0.72	5.65 ± 0.2	6.25 ± 0.2	0.6 ± 0.2
5	25	80.0 ± 0.01	0.60	6.8 ± 0.1	9.4 ± 0.1	2.6 ± 0.2

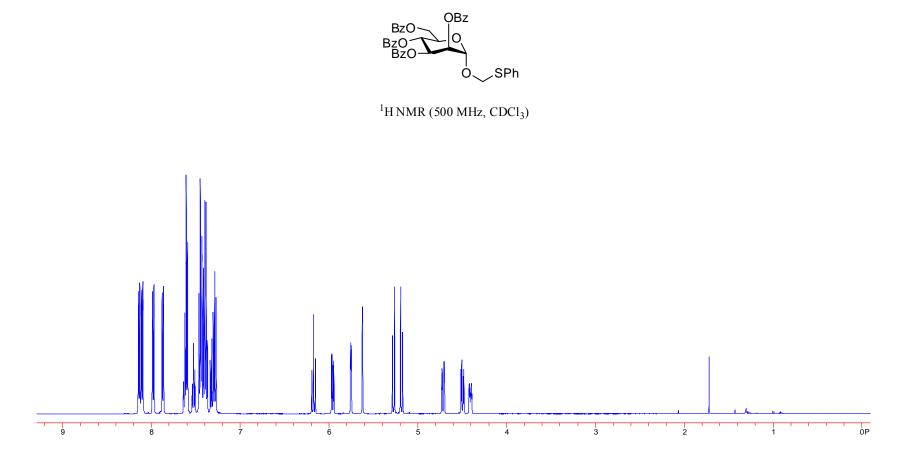
Table 1. Thermodynamics of binding for Con A with carbohydrates^a

a: In 0.1 M Hepes buffer containing 0.9 M NaCl, 1 nm Mn^{2+} , and 1 nm Ca^{2+} at *pH* 7.2; T = 300 K, R = 1.98 cal mol⁻¹ K⁻¹. b: Errors in *n* values were 0.01 to 0.1. c: Data taken from Brewer *et al.*⁸ and included here for comparison.

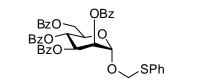
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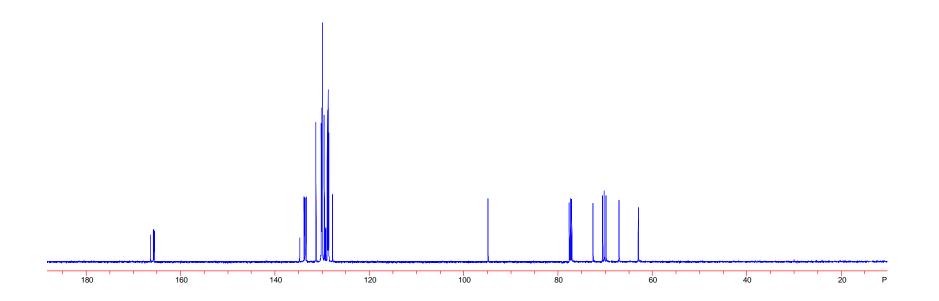
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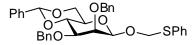
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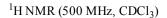


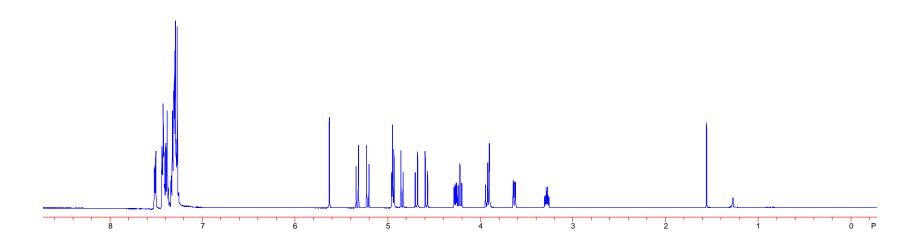
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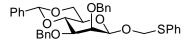
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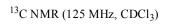


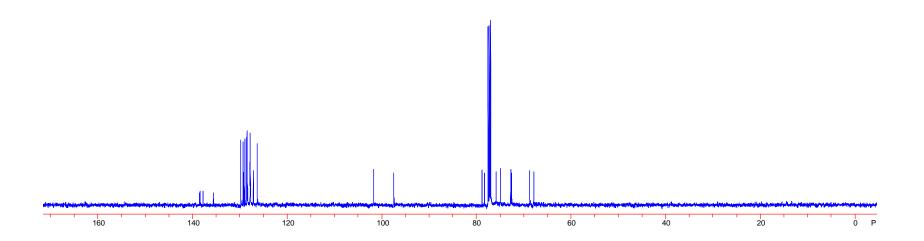




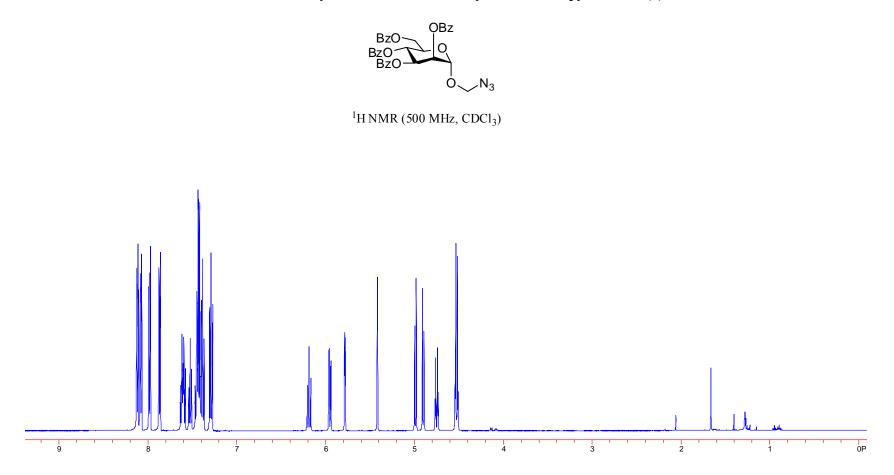
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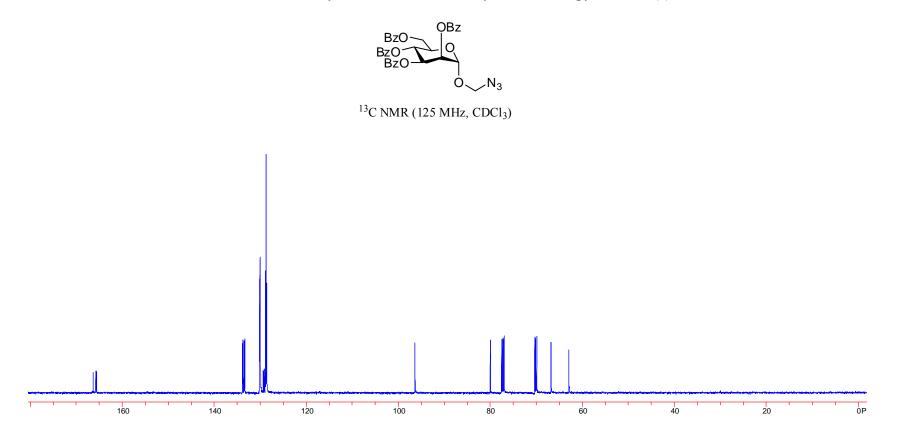




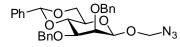
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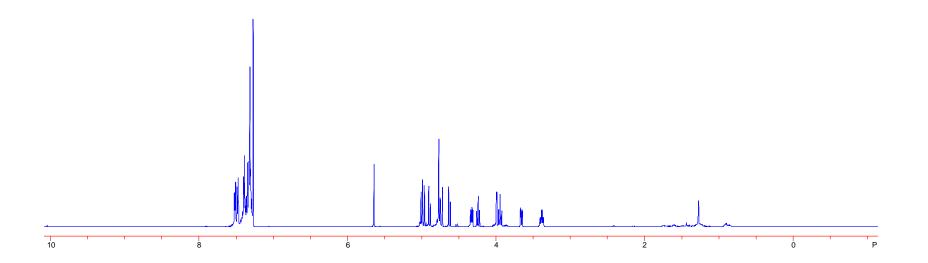
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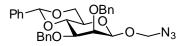
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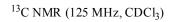


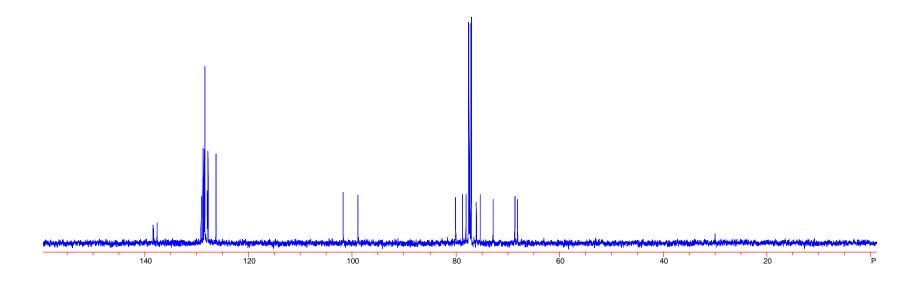
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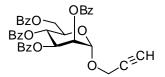
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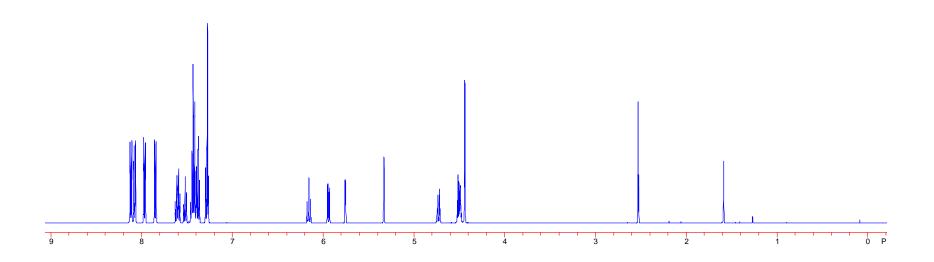




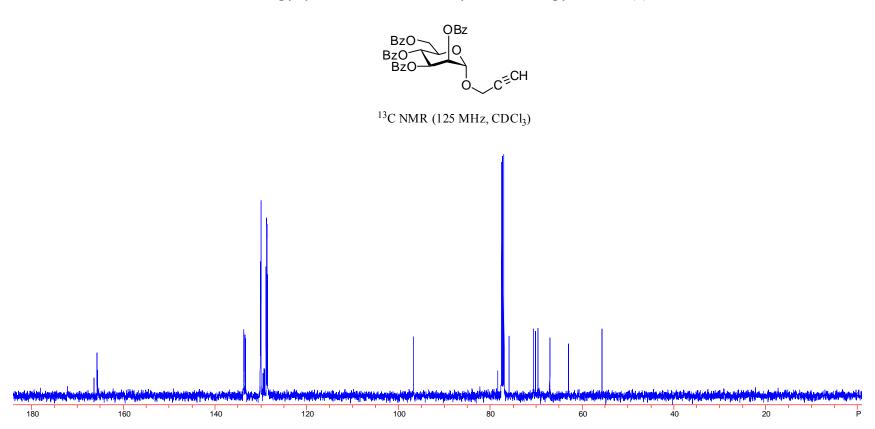
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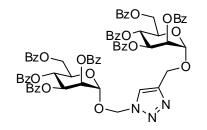
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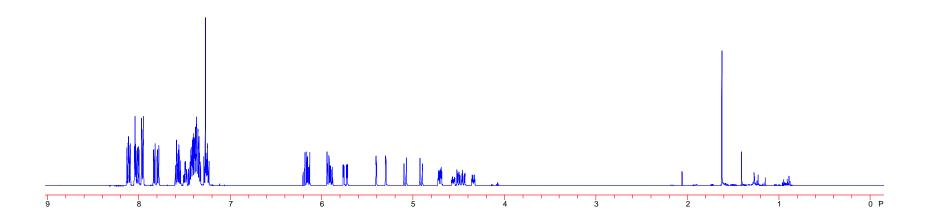
2-Propynyl 2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (9)



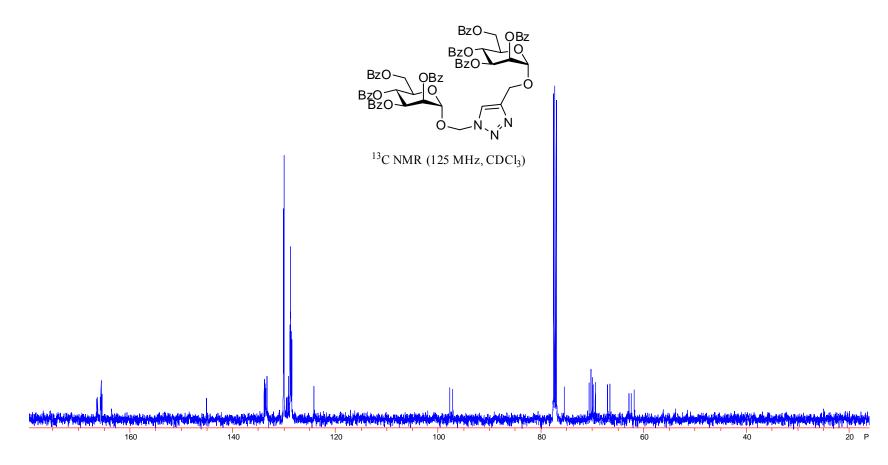
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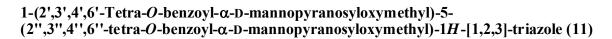


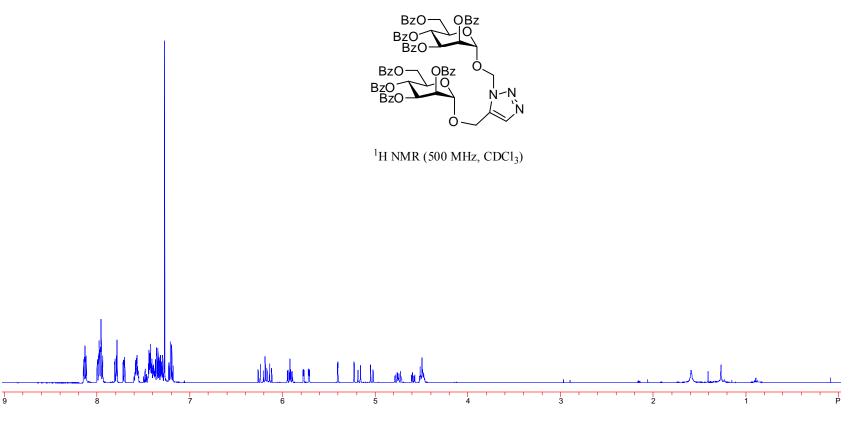
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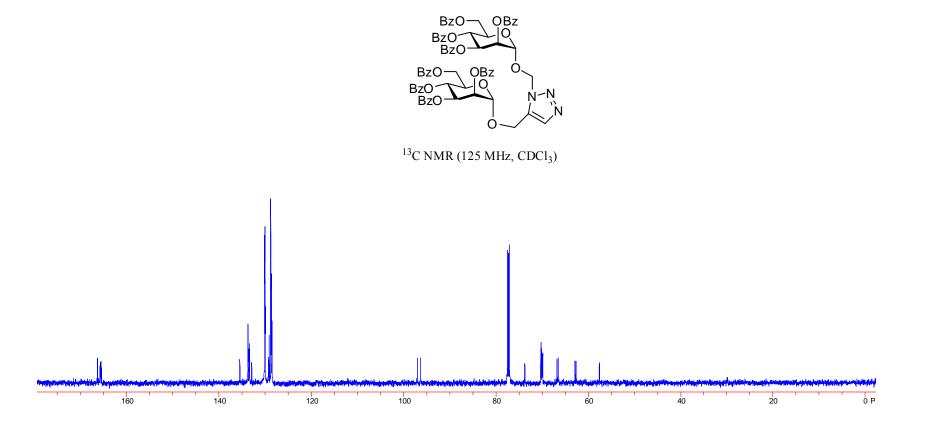
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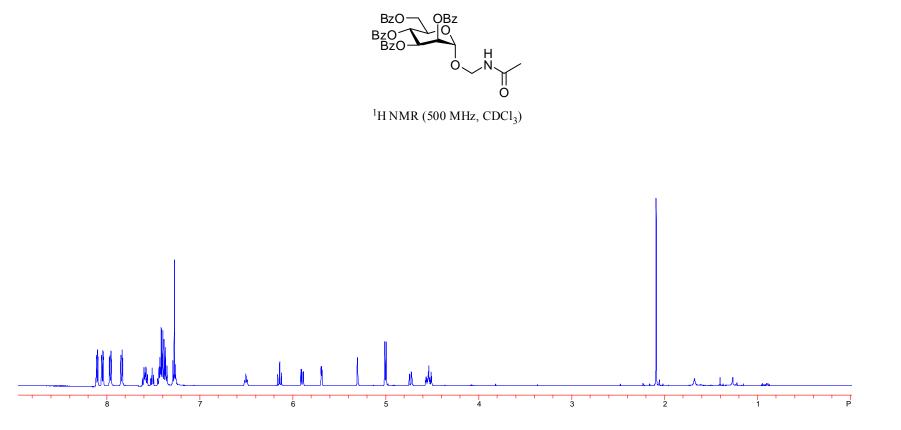




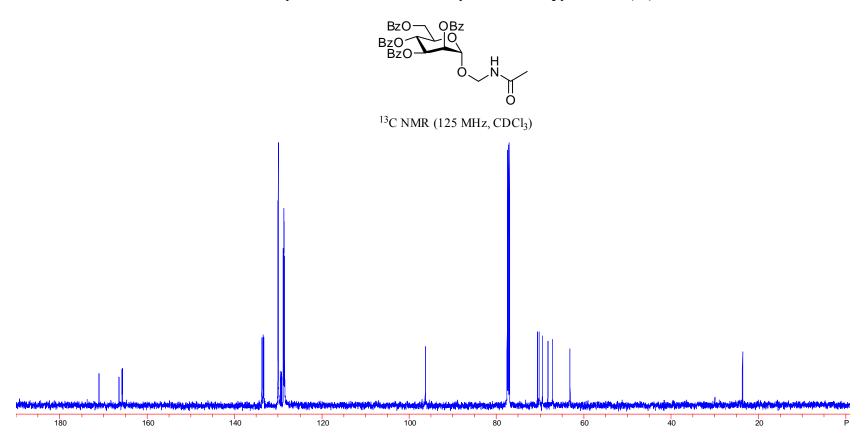
1-(2',3',4',6'-Tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-5-(2'',3'',4'',6''-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1*H*-[1,2,3]-triazole (11)

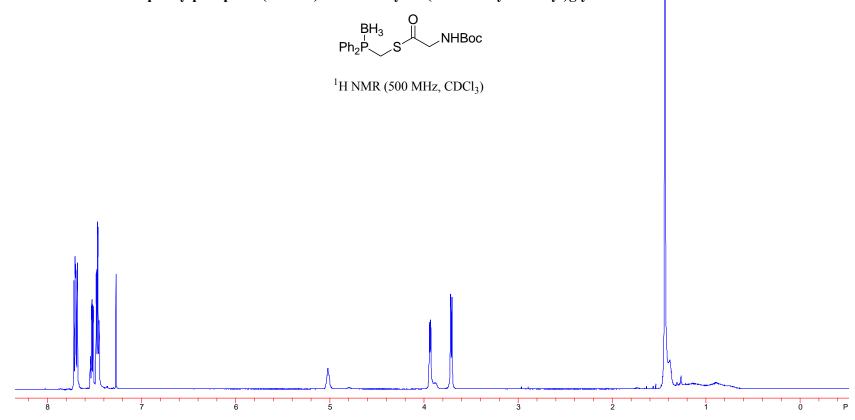


Acetamidomethyl 2',3',4',6'-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (12)

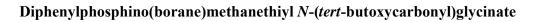


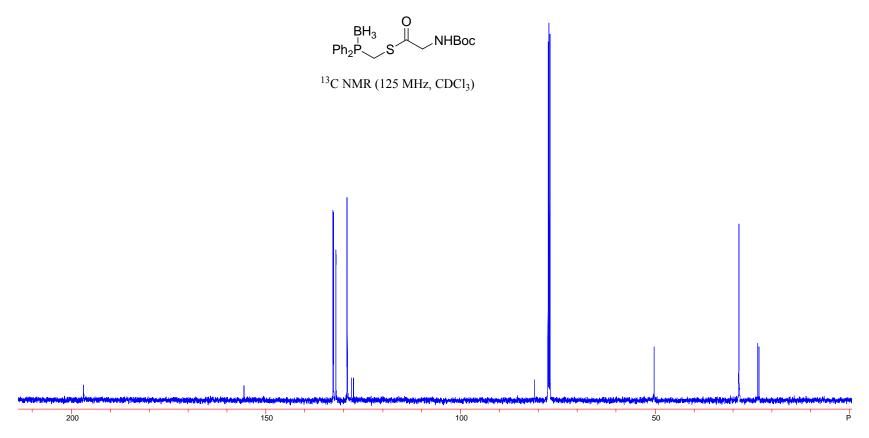
Acetamidomethyl 2',3',4',6'-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranoside (12)

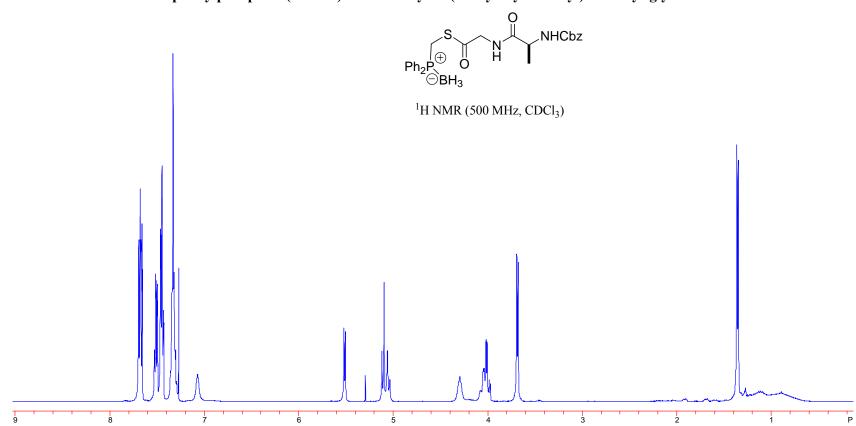




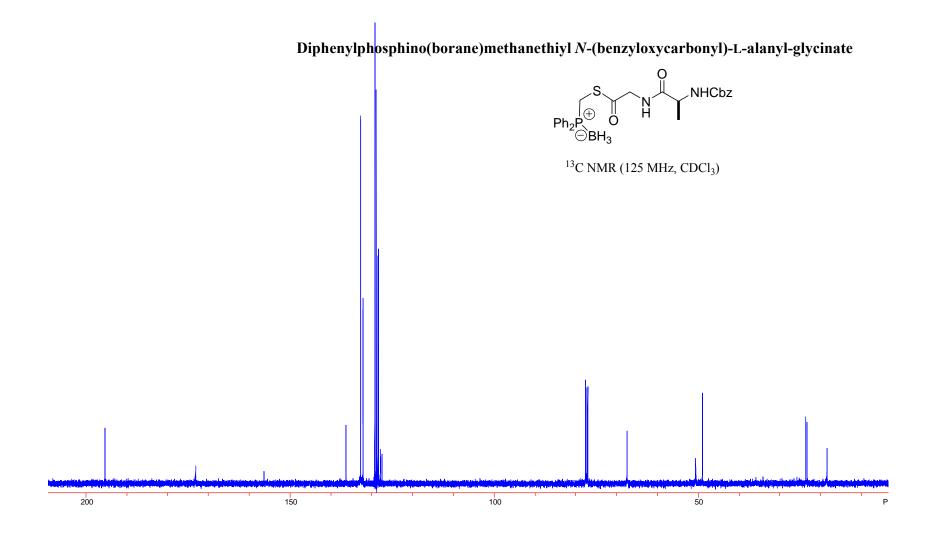
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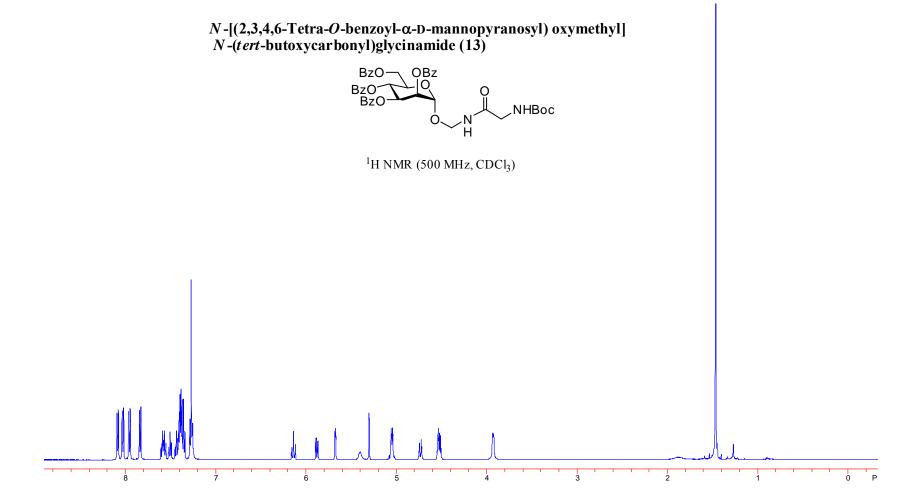




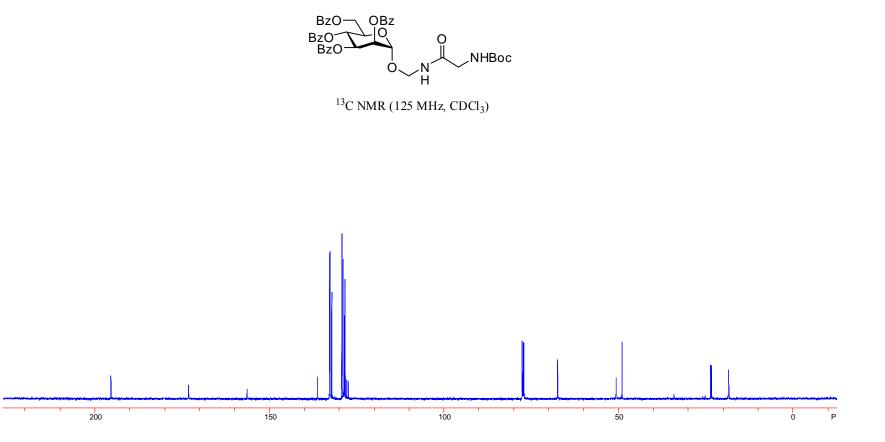


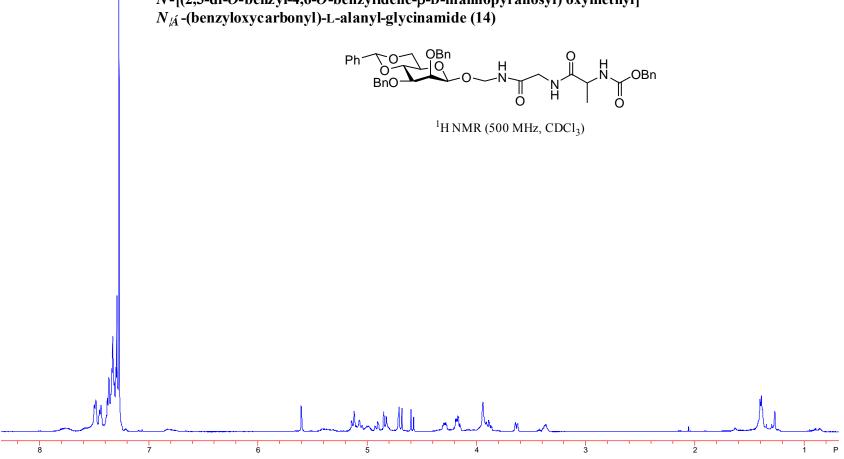
 $Diphenyl phosphino (borane) methanethiyl \it N-(benzyloxy carbonyl)-L-alanyl-glycinate$



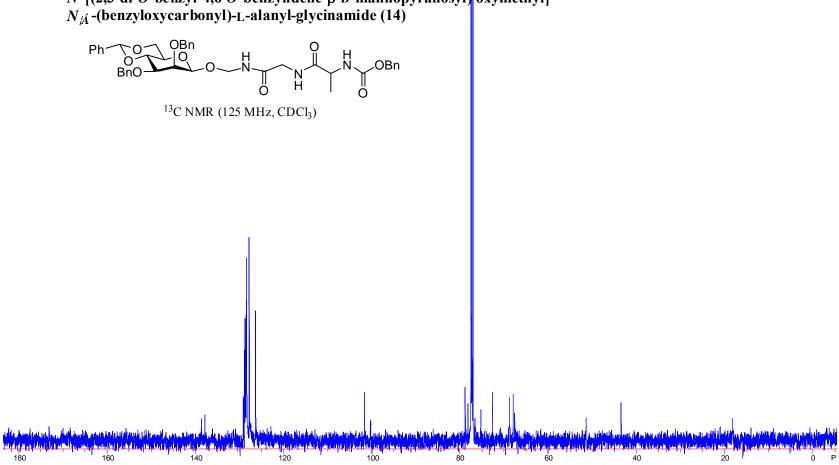


N-[(2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyl) oxymethyl] N-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)glycinamide (13)



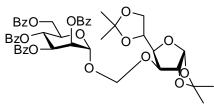


N-[(2,3-di-*O*-benzyl-4,6-*O*-benzylidene-β-D-mannopyranosyl) oxymethyl]

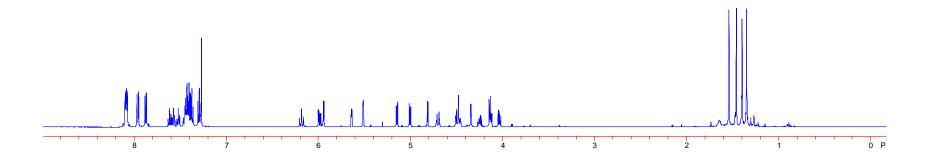


N-[(2,3-di-O-benzyl-4,6-O-benzylidene- β -D-mannopyranosyl) oxymethyl] $N_{\not|A}$ -(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-alanyl-glycinamide (14)

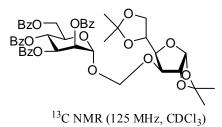
3-O-(2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1,2:5,6-di-Oisopropylidene-α-D-glucofuranose (15)

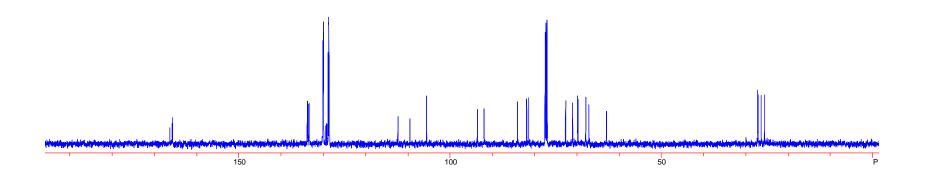


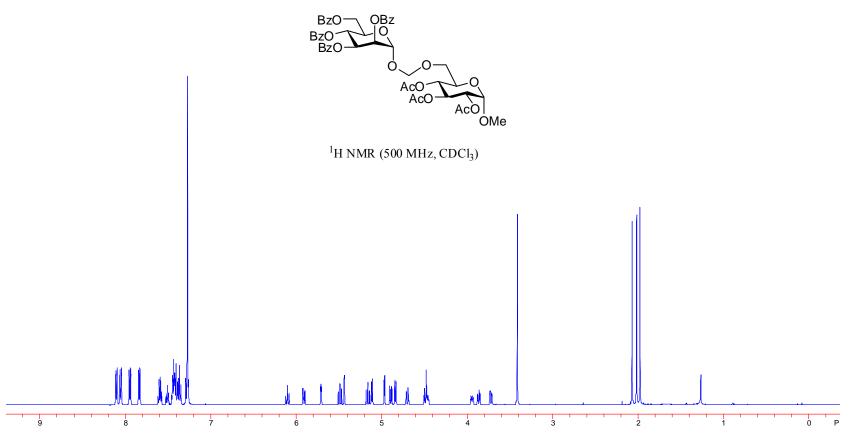
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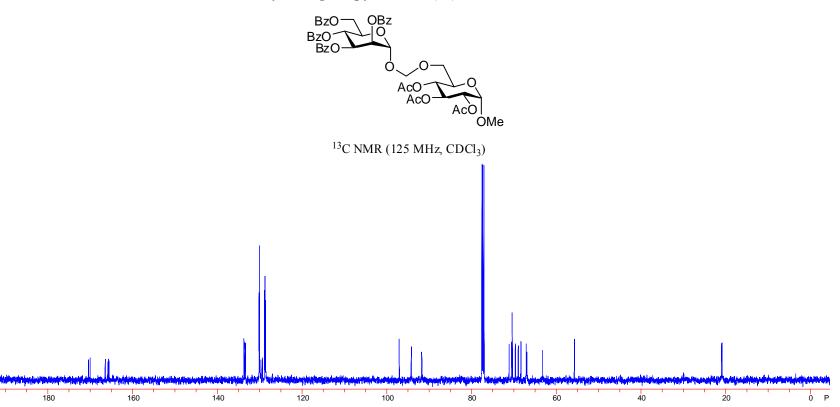
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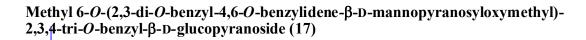


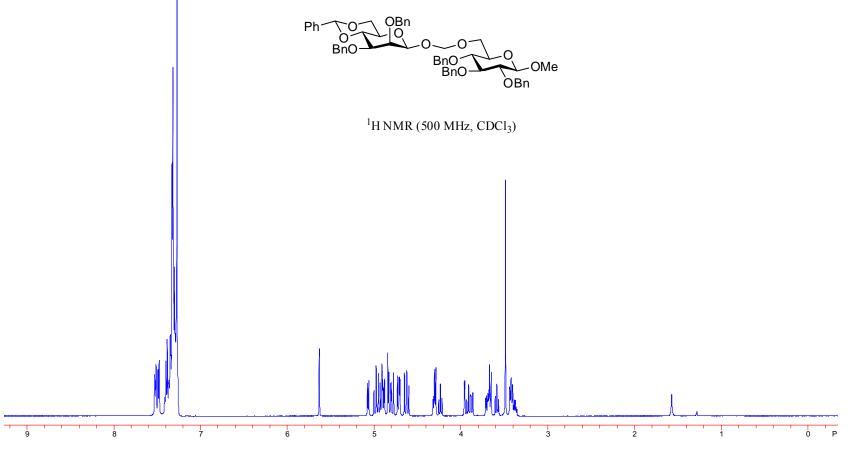


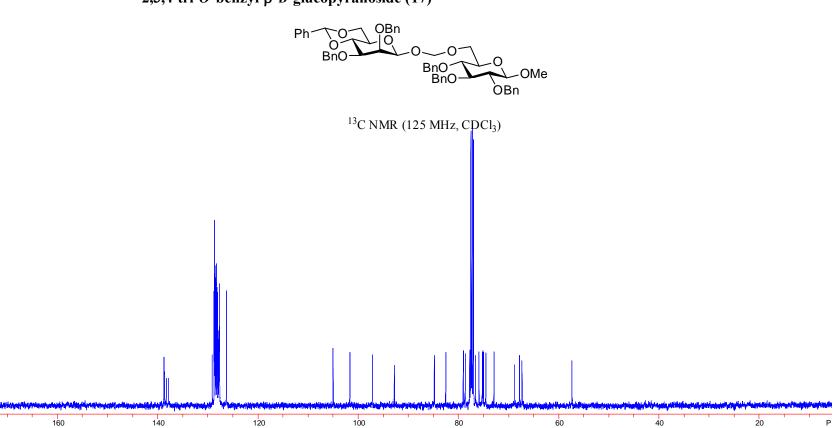
Methyl 6-*O*-(2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-2,3,4-tri-*O*-acetyl-α-D-glucopyranoside (16)



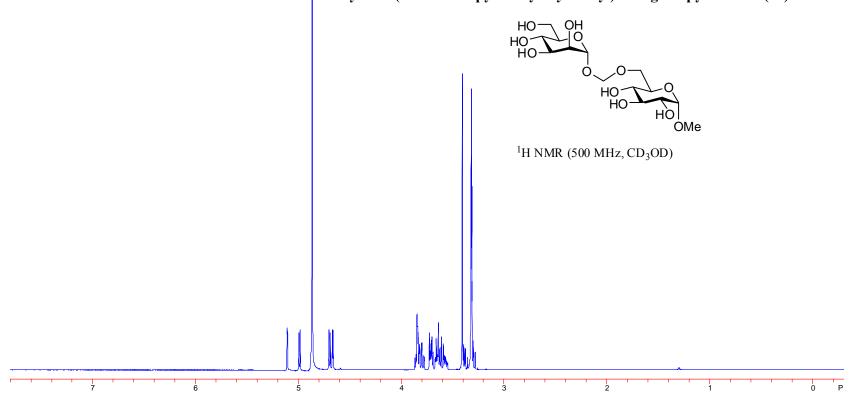
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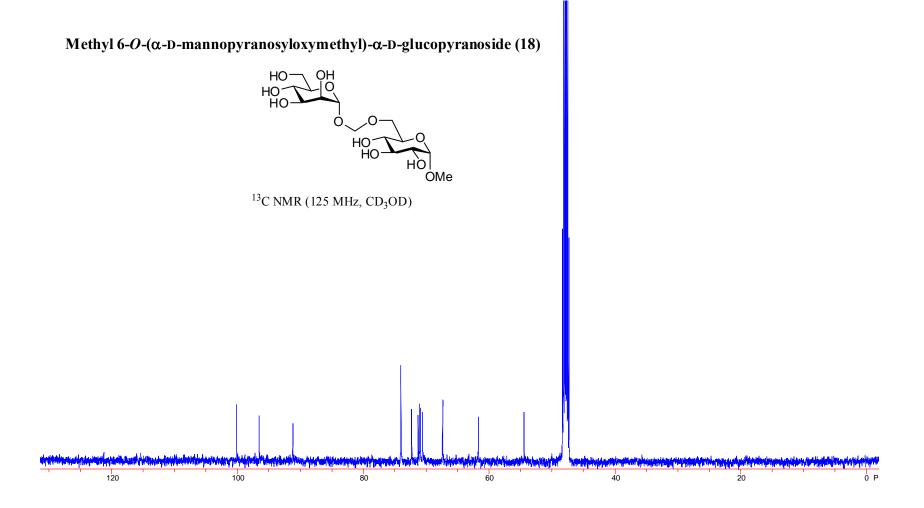




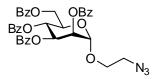
 $Methyl \ 6-O-(2,3-di-O-benzyl-4,6-O-benzylidene-\beta-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-2,3,4-tri-O-benzyl-\beta-D-glucopyranoside (17)$



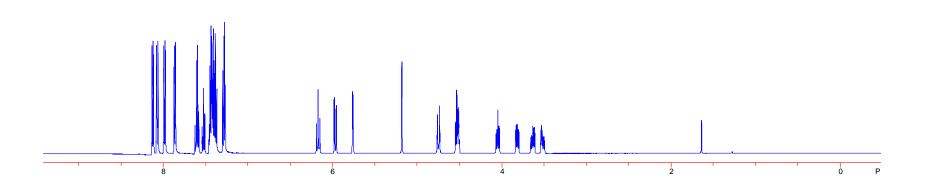
Methyl 6-*O*-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-α-D-glucopyranoside (18)



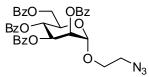
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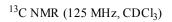


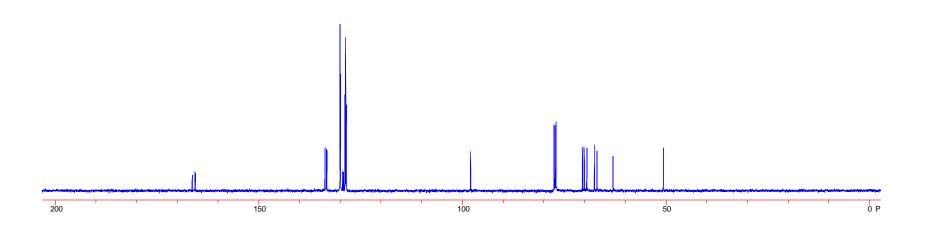
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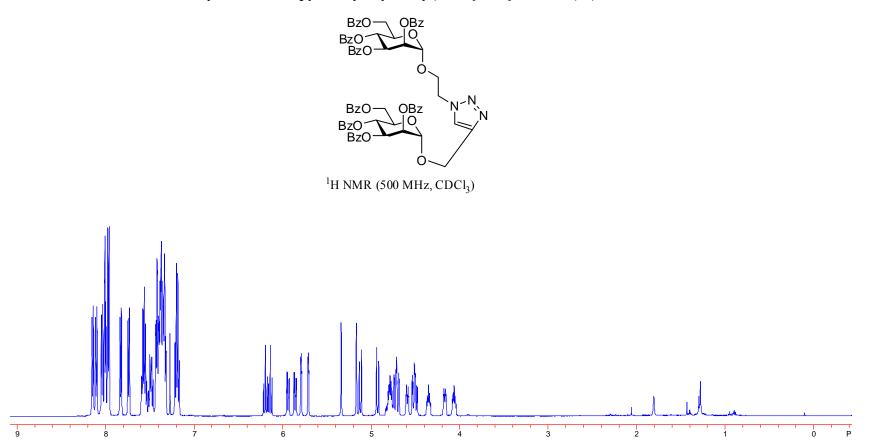
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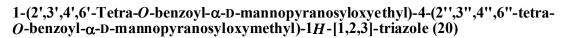


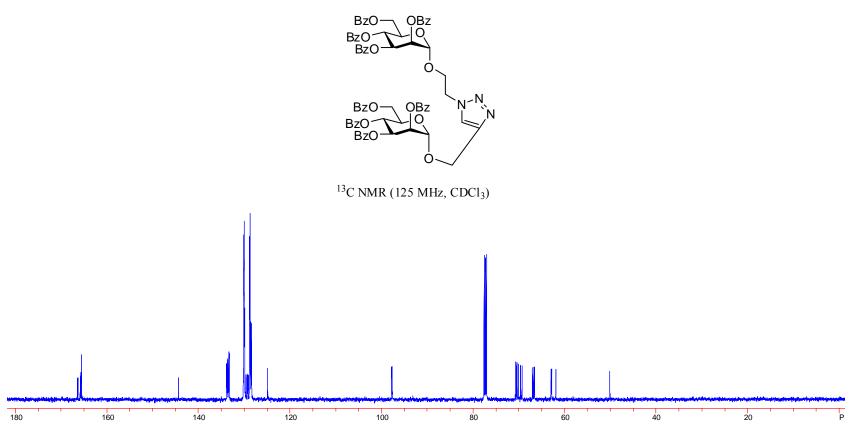




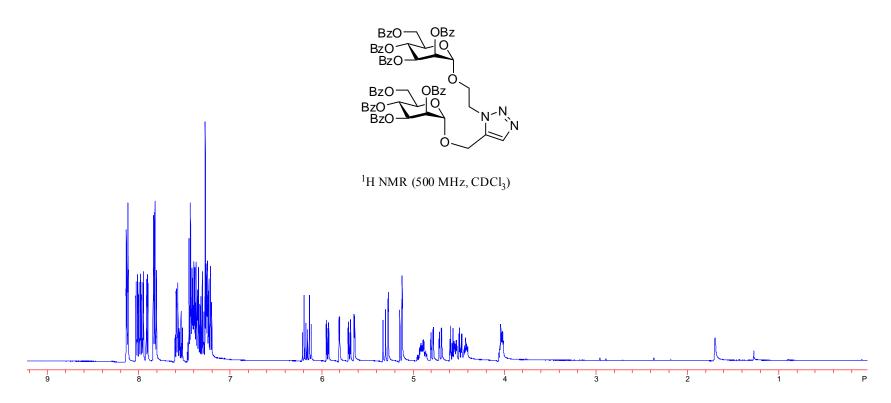
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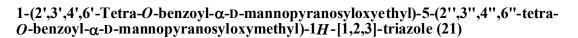


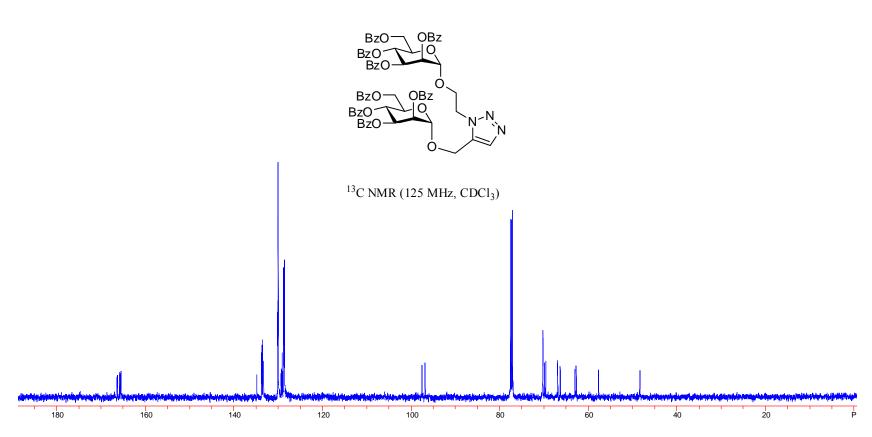




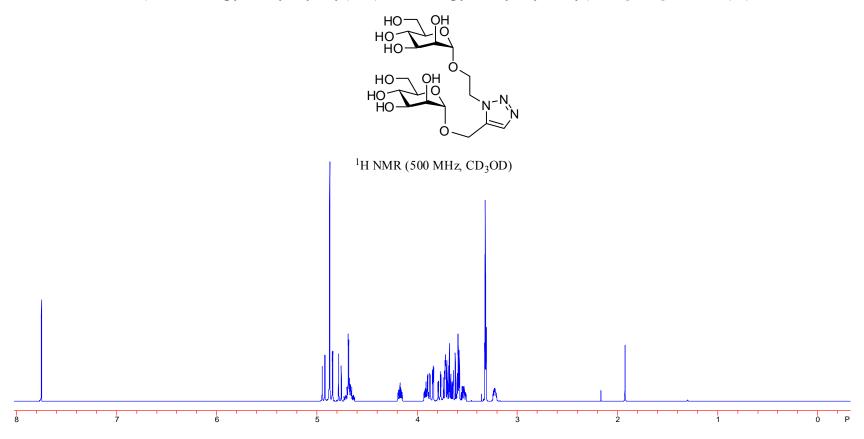
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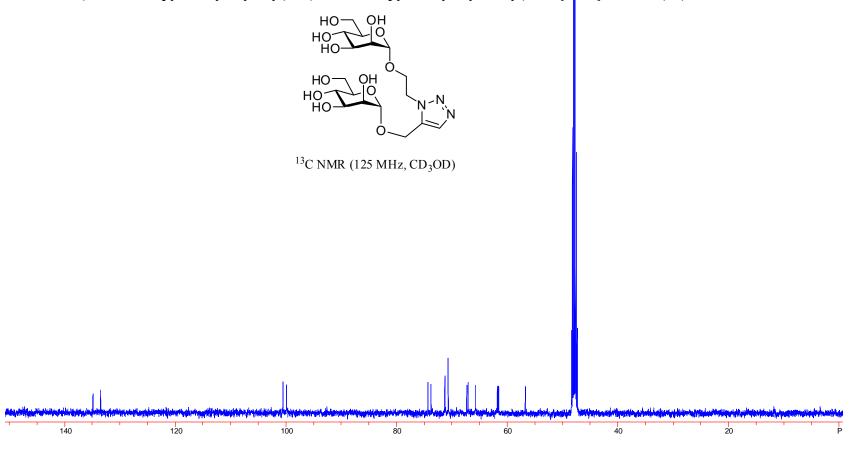


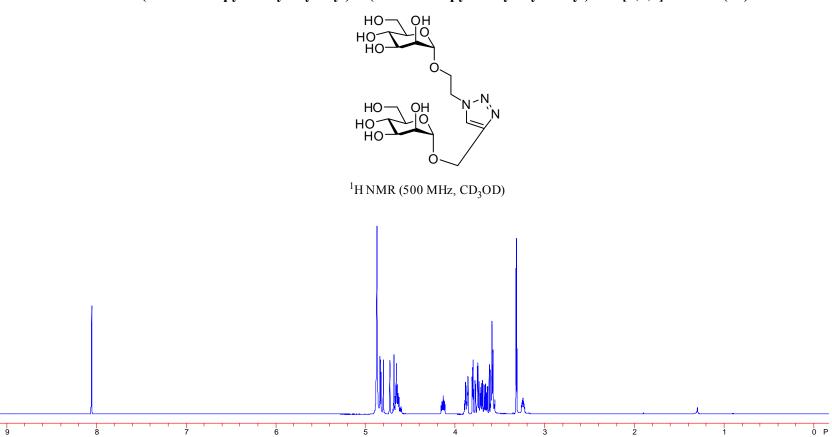


 $1-(\alpha-D-Mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-5-(\alpha-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]-triazole~(22)$



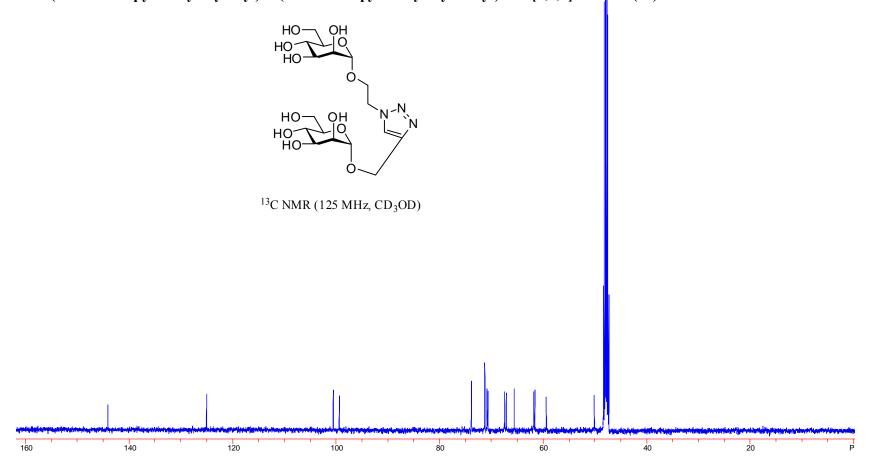




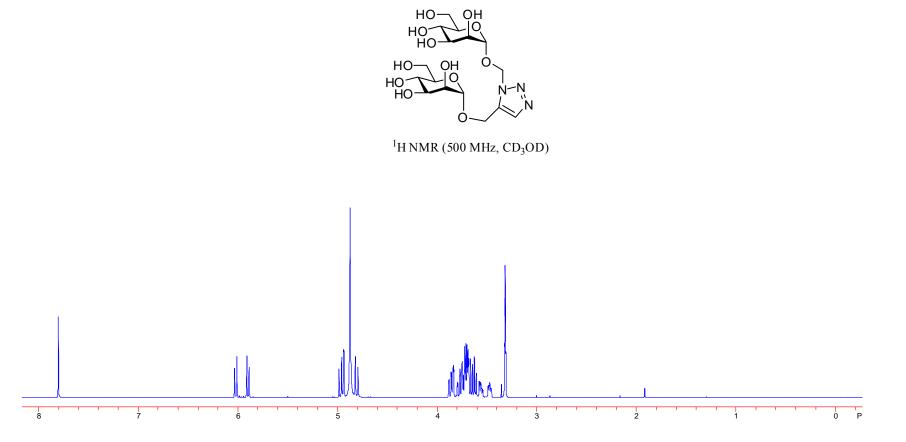


1-(α-D-Mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-4-(α-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1*H*-[1,2,3]-triazole (23)

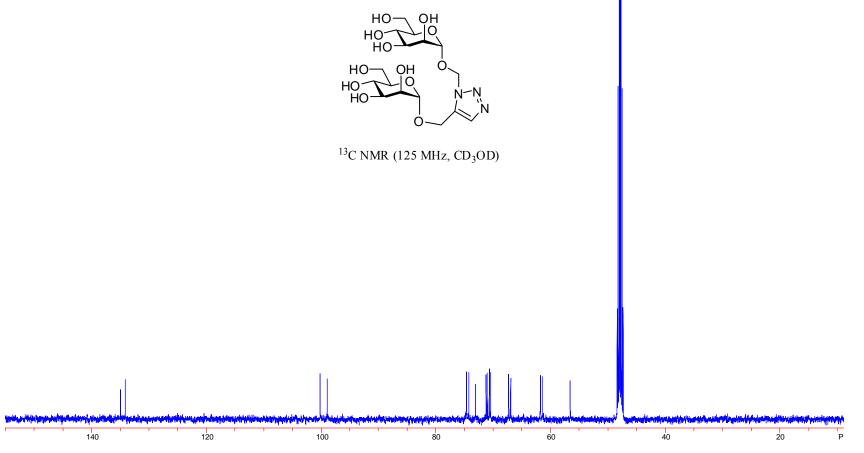
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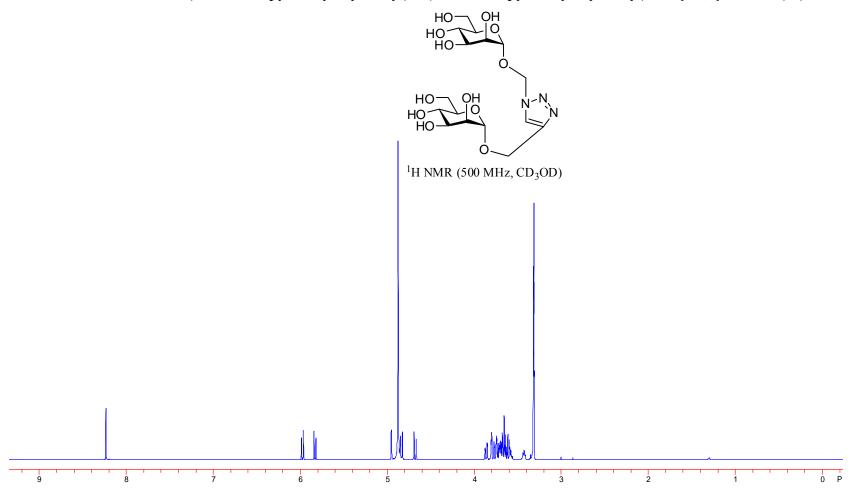
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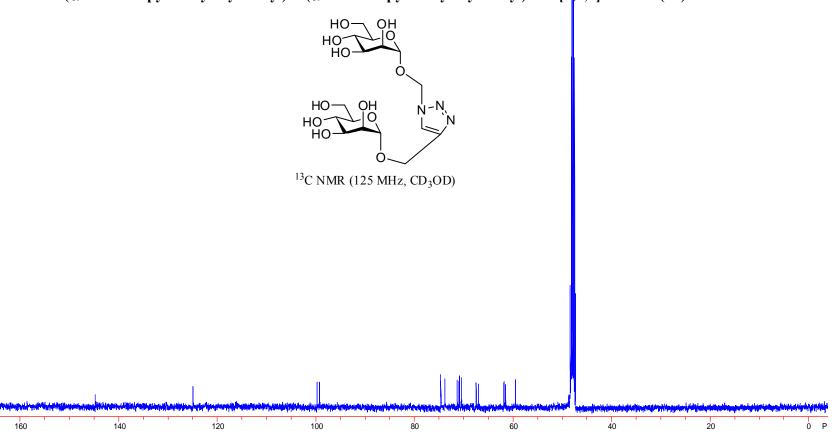






 $1-(\alpha-D-Mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-4-(\alpha-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1\\ H-[1,2,3]-triazole~(25)$





 $1-(\alpha-D-Mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-4-(\alpha-D-mannopyranosyloxymethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]-triazole (25)$