

Supporting Information

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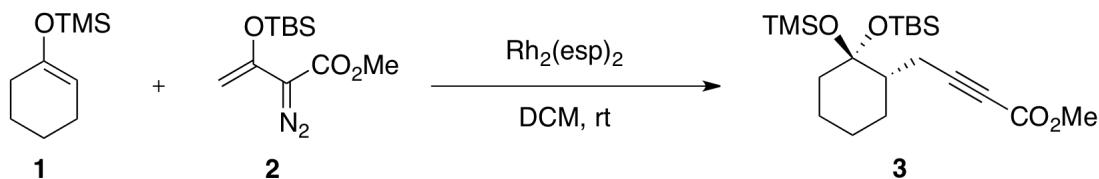
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General Method. All reactions were conducted in flame-dried glassware under an inert atmosphere of dry argon. Flash chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 (230-400 mesh). Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on aluminum backed plates, pre-coated with silica gel (0.25 mm, 60 F254) and developed using standard visualizing agents: UV fluorescence (254 nm) and potassium permanganate. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Varian Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectrometers at 600, 500 or 400 MHz. The NMR data are reported as follows: chemical shift (in ppm on the δ scale relative to δ H 7.26 for the residual protons in CDCl₃ and δ H 7.16 for the residual protons in C₆D₆), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, br = broad), coupling constant (J/Hz) and integration. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded at 150 or 100 MHz with complete proton decoupling using the given solvent as an internal standard (CDCl₃, δ = 77.0 and C₆D₆, δ = 128.0). Mass spectral determinations were carried out by APCI/ESI as ionization source. Melting points are uncorrected. Infrared spectral data are reported in units of cm⁻¹. Optical rotations were measured on a JASCO P-2000 polarimeter.

Materials. Rh₂(S-PTAD)₄,¹ Rh₂(S-NTTL)₄,² Rh₂(S-PTTL)₄,³ Rh₂(R-BNP)₄,⁴ Rh₂(S-BTPCP)₄,⁵ Rh₂(S-TBPTTL)₄,⁶ were prepared according to the literature procedures and lyophilized using a SP VirTis BenchTop K freeze dryer. Rh₂(esp)₂ was purchased from Aldrich. Siloxyvinyl diazoacetates **2**,⁷ **4**,⁸ and **5**⁹ were synthesized according to literature procedures. Solvents were obtained from a Grubbs-type solvent purification system.

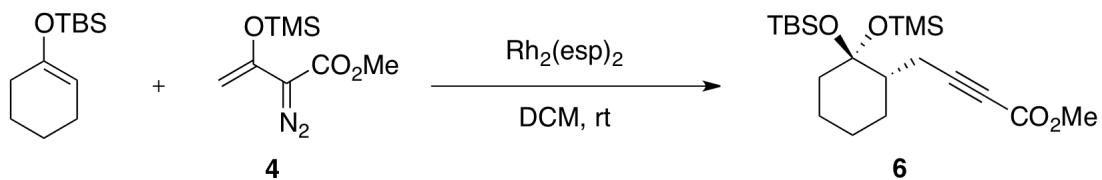
General Procedure for the Synthesis of Alkynoates *via* Vinylogous Reactivity

A solution of siloxyvinyldiazoacetate (1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed DCM was added by syringe pump over 3 h at room temperature to a flame-dried 25 mL flask containing $\text{Rh}_2(\text{esp})_2$ (7.7 mg, 0.02 equiv) and enol ethers (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed DCM under an argon atmosphere. The solution was stirred at room temperature for an additional 1 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography (pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to yield the product.

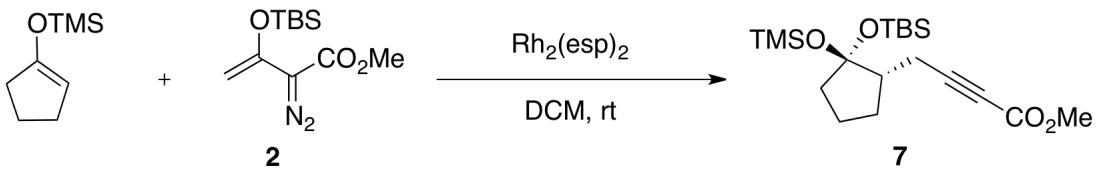


Methyl 4-((1*S*,2*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclohexyl) but-2-ynoate **3:** Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane **1** (85 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **3** as a colorless oil which crystallized on standing (0.105 g, 53% yield). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.71 (dd, J = 17.5, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 2.11 (dd, J = 17.5, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 1.90-1.93 (m, 1H), 1.81-1.84 (m, 1H), 1.67-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.50-1.61 (m, 3H), 1.42-1.48 (m, 1H), 1.12-1.29 (m, 2H), 0.86 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 9H), 0.09 (s, 3H), 0.04 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 Hz, CDCl₃): δ 154.5, 99.4, 90.8, 73.3, 52.7, 47.9, 41.8, 29.4, 26.2 (3 \times C), 25.7, 24.0, 19.0, 18.3, 2.2 (3 \times C), -2.3, -2.8; IR (neat): 2934, 2240, 1709, 1435, 1246,

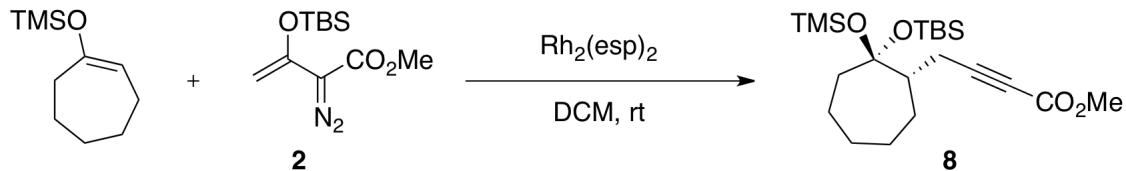
1049, 806 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₂₀H₃₈O₄Si₂ (M+Na)⁺ 421.2201 found 421.2200; M.p. 50-52 °C.



Methyl 4-((1*S*,2*R*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclohexyl) but-2-ynoate 6: Derived from methyl 2-diazo-3-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)but-3-enoate 4 (214 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and *tert*-butyl(cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)dimethyl silane (106 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide 6 as a colorless oil (98 mg, 49% yield). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.76 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 2.18 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 1.88-1.93 (m, 1H), 1.81-1.86 (m, 1H), 1.56-1.68 (m, 3H), 1.46-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.25 (qd, *J* = 12.6, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 1.12-1.20 (m, 1H), 0.92 (s, 9H), 0.15 (s, 6H), 0.12 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.4, 99.7, 90.6, 73.2, 52.5, 47.2, 41.4, 29.0, 26.1 (3 × C), 25.2, 23.9, 18.6, 18.4, 1.9 (3 × C), -1.8, -2.6; IR (neat): 2934, 2237, 1716, 1246, 1049, 833, 729 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₂₀H₃₈O₄Si₂ (M+Na)⁺ 421.2201 found 421.2200.

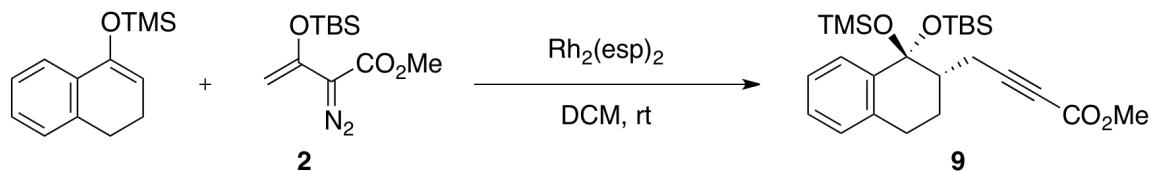


Methyl 4-((1*S*,2*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl) but-2-ynoate 7: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (cyclopent-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (99.2 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.42) on silica gel to provide **7** as a colorless oil (0.153 g, 79% yield). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.49 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.24 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 1.92-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.75-1.81 (m, 2H), 1.57-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.35-1.43 (m, 1H), 0.84 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 9H), 0.09 (s, 3H), 0.06 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.3, 106.1, 90.3, 72.6, 52.5, 48.3, 40.2, 28.0, 25.8 (3 × C), 19.7, 18.1, 17.9, 1.7 (3 × C), -2.7, -3.2; IR (neat): 2954, 2238, 1717, 1247, 831, 777 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₁₉H₃₆O₄Si₂Na (M+Na)⁺ 407.2044 found 407.2044.



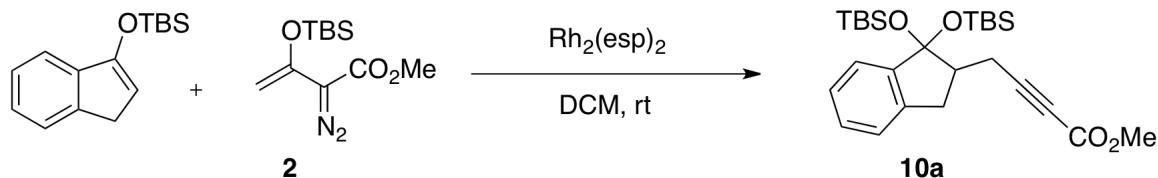
Methyl 4-((1*S*,2*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cycloheptyl)but-2-ynoate 8: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and

(cyclohept-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (92 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **8** as a colorless oil (0.126 g, 61% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.64 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.12 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 11.2 Hz, 1H), 1.66-1.86 (m, 5H), 1.30-1.63 (m, 6H), 0.84 (s, 9H), 0.14 (s, 9H), 0.06 (s, 3H), 0.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.6, 102.4, 91.3, 73.2, 52.7, 52.3, 42.8, 27.7, 26.5, 26.2 (3 × C), 25.9, 20.7, 20.4, 18.4, 2.28 (3 × C), -2.2, -2.8; IR (neat): 2953, 2929, 2237, 1717, 1251, 1046, 835; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₂₁H₄₀O₄Si₂Na (M+Na)⁺ 435.2357 found 435.2361.

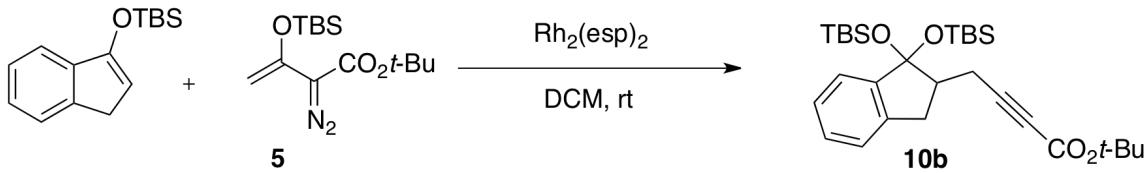


Methyl 4-((1*RS*,2*SR*)-1-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-1-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalen-2-yl)but-2-ynoate **9:** Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and ((3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (109 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.38) on silica gel to provide **9** as a colorless oil (0.154 g, 69% yield). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.55-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.15-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.03-7.05 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.76-2.87 (m, 3H), 2.31 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 11.4 Hz, 1H), 2.14-2.18 (m, 1H), 2.05 (t, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 1.81-1.88 (m, 1H), 0.78 (s, 9H), 0.17 (s, 3H), 0.09 (s, 3H), -0.05 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.2, 140.6, 135.7, 128.5, 127.7, 126.7, 125.6, 97.9, 89.7, 73.4, 52.6, 47.0, 28.3, 25.9 (3 × C),

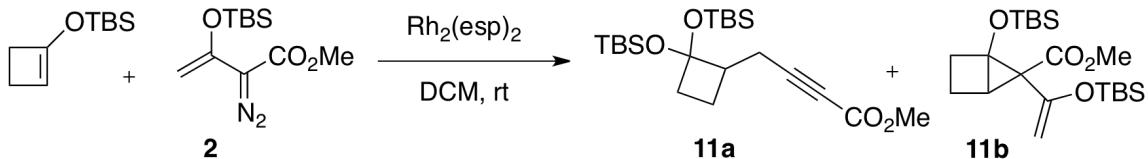
24.8, 19.1, 18.1, 1.4 ($3 \times$ C), -2.1, -2.3; IR (neat): 2953, 2929, 2238, 1717, 1249, 1069, 861, 797 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) calc. for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2\text{Na} (\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ 469.2201 found 469.2199; M.p. 43-46 °C.



(+/-)-Methyl 4-(1,1-bis((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-2-yl)but-2-yneoate **10a:** Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and ((1*H*-inden-3-yl)oxy)(tert-butyl)dimethylsilane (123 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f : 0.42) on silica gel to provide **10a** as a colorless oil (79.4 mg, 33% yield). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.25-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.22 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.17 (dd, J = 15.0, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.72-2.76 (m, 1H), 2.67 (dd, J = 15.6, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.54-2.61 (m, 2H), 0.96 (s, 9H), 0.77 (s, 9H), 0.18 (s, 3H), -0.05 (s, 3H), -0.07 (s, 3H), -0.10 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.2, 145.7, 140.2, 128.6, 126.3, 125.0, 122.9, 105.7, 89.1, 73.2, 52.6, 51.4, 35.0, 25.9 ($3 \times$ C), 25.7 ($3 \times$ C), 18.5, 18.2, 18.1, -2.5, -3.1, -3.2, -3.3; IR (neat): 2952, 2929, 2856, 2239, 1718, 1472, 1462, 1435, 1247, 1190, 1157, 1141, 1059, 878 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (APCI) calc. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{43}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2 (\text{M}+\text{H})^+$ 475.2694 found 475.2698.

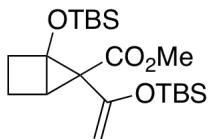


(+/-)-*tert*-Butyl 4-(1,1-bis((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-2-yl)but-2-yneate **10b:** Derived from *tert*-butyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **5** (298 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and ((1*H*-inden-3-yl)oxy)(*tert*-butyl)dimethylsilane (123 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.46) on silica gel to provide **10b** as a colorless oil (0.219 g, 84% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.32 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.26 (m, 3H), 3.25 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.62-2.73 (m, 2H), 2.51-2.57 (m, 2H), 1.51 (s, 9H), 0.94 (s, 9H), 0.75 (s, 9H), 0.15 (s, 3H), -0.07 (s, 3H), -0.09 (s, 3H), -0.12 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 152.9, 145.8, 140.3, 128.6, 126.3, 125.0, 122.9, 105.8, 86.2, 83.0, 74.8, 51.4, 35.1, 28.0 (3 × C), 25.9 (3 × C), 25.8 (3 × C), 18.5, 18.2, 18.1, -2.4, -3.0, -3.1, -3.3; IR (neat): 2950, 2930, 2230, 1709, 1374, 1255, 1205, 1170, 1104, 988 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₅H₃₉O₃Si₂ (M-OC(CH₃)₃)⁺ 443.2438 found 443.2433.



(+/-)-*Methyl 4-(2,2-bis((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclobutyl)but-2-yneate **11a:*** Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and *tert*-butyl(cyclobut-1-en-1-yloxy)dimethylsilane (92 mg, 0.5 mmol,

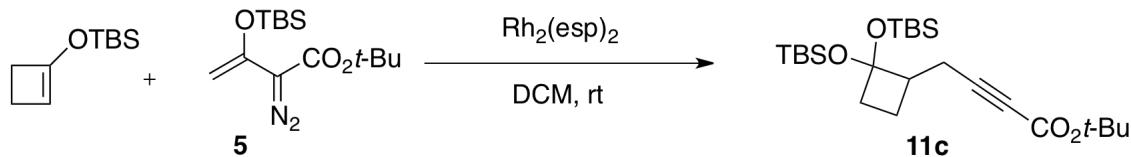
1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.42) on silica gel to provide **11a** as a colorless oil (105 mg, 51% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.60-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.41-2.54 (m, 2H), 2.14-2.21 (m, 2H), 1.84-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.31-1.40 (m, 1H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.88 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.15 (s, 3H), 0.13 (s, 3H), 0.11 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.3, 98.2, 89.0, 72.7, 52.5, 48.4, 38.3, 25.8 (6 × C), 18.7, 18.5, 18.0, 17.9, -2.8 (2 × C), -3.4 (2 × C); IR (neat): 2952, 2929, 2857, 2237, 1717, 1472, 1462, 1434, 1245, 1217, 1193, 1162, 1120, 1071, 1042, 992, 938 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₁H₄₁O₄Si₂ (M+H)⁺ 413.2538 found 413.2533.



11b

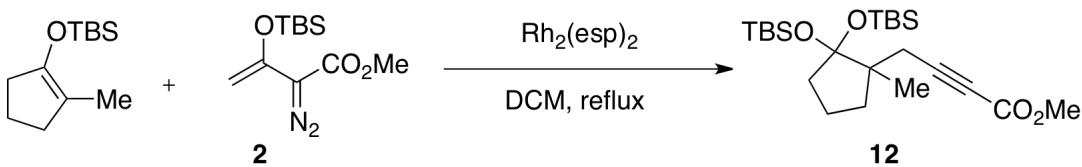
Methyl 1-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-5-(1-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)bicyclo[2.1.0]pentane-5-carboxylate 11b: Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and *tert*-butyl(cyclobut-1-en-1-yloxy)dimethylsilane (92 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.50) on silica gel to provide **11b** as colorless oil (94 mg, 46% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 4.44 (d, *J* = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 4.23 (d, *J* = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 2.79 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.34 (td, *J* = 10.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.11-2.17 (m, 1H), 1.96-2.04 (m, 1H), 1.12-1.17 (m, 1H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.85 (s, 9H), 0.20 (s, 6H), 0.11 (s, 6H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.4, 150.0, 95.2, 68.7, 51.6, 45.1, 37.9, 31.5, 25.6 (3 × C), 25.5 (3 × C), 18.1, 17.7, 16.7, -4.1, -

4.2, -4.7, -5.0; IR (neat): 2949, 2929, 2857, 1720, 1638, 1472, 1462, 1434, 1359, 1277, 1248, 1221, 1170, 1119, 1083, 1059, 1024, 1005, 959, 939 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₁H₄₁O₄Si₂ (M+H)⁺ 413.2538 found 413.2535.



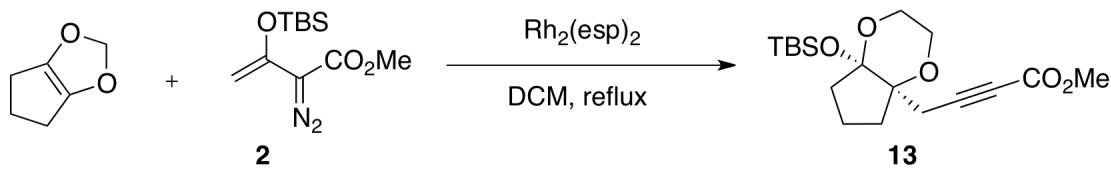
(+/-)-tert-Butyl 4-(2,2-bis((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclobutyl)but-2-yneate (11c):

Derived from *tert*-butyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **5** (298 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and *tert*-butyl(cyclobut-1-en-1-yloxy)dimethylsilane (92 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.42) on silica gel to provide **11c** as colorless oil (224 mg, 98% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.60-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.38-2.52 (m, 2H), 2.16-2.21 (m, 2H), 1.84-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.48 (s, 9H), 1.31-1.41 (m, 1H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.17 (s, 3H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.13 (s, 3H), 0.12 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 153.0, 98.3, 86.0, 82.7, 74.3, 48.4, 38.3, 28.0 (3 × C), 25.9 (3 × C), 25.8 (3 × C), 18.7, 18.5, 18.0, 17.9, -2.8 (2 × C), -3.4 (2 × C); IR (neat): 2953, 2930, 2896, 2857, 2237, 1708, 1472, 1463, 1391, 1368, 1250, 1218, 1161, 1120, 1069, 1042, 993, 938, 812 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₀H₃₇O₃Si₂ (M-OC(CH₃)₃)⁺ 381.2281 found 381.2273.



(+/-)-Methyl 4-(2,2-bis((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-1-methylcyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate 12:

12: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (154 mg, 0.6 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and *tert*-butyldimethyl((2-methylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (64 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv) under refluxed DCM, and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.42) on silica gel to provide **12** as a colorless oil (74 mg, 56% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.53 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 2.29 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 2.00-2.08 (m, 1H), 1.85-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.53-1.72 (m, 4H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.87 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.14 (s, 3H), 0.13 (s, 3H), 0.12 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.3, 108.1, 90.1, 73.7, 52.5, 49.6, 36.5, 33.8, 26.1 (3 × C), 26.0 (3 × C), 25.5, 21.4, 18.4 (2 × C), 17.9, -1.6, -1.7, -2.1, -2.4; IR (neat): 2953, 2930, 2857, 2235, 1717, 1472, 1463, 1434, 1248, 1159, 1117, 1074, 1046, 1000, 938, 889 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₃H₄₅O₄Si₂ (M+H)⁺ 441.2778 found 441.2805.



Methyl 4-((4a*RS*,7a*SR*)-7a-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)hexahydro-2*H*-cyclopenta[*b*][1,4]dioxin-4a-yl)but-2-ynoate 13:

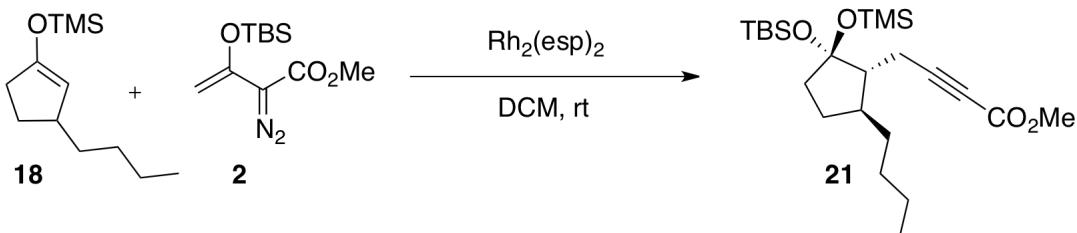
13: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (154 mg, 0.6 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopenta[*b*][1,4]dioxin-4a-ylsilane (64 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.0 equiv) under refluxed DCM, and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.42) on silica gel to provide **13** as a colorless oil (74 mg, 56% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.53 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 2.29 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 2.00-2.08 (m, 1H), 1.85-1.92 (m, 1H), 1.53-1.72 (m, 4H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.87 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.14 (s, 3H), 0.13 (s, 3H), 0.12 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.3, 108.1, 90.1, 73.7, 52.5, 49.6, 36.5, 33.8, 26.1 (3 × C), 26.0 (3 × C), 25.5, 21.4, 18.4 (2 × C), 17.9, -1.6, -1.7, -2.1, -2.4; IR (neat): 2953, 2930, 2857, 2235, 1717, 1472, 1463, 1434, 1248, 1159, 1117, 1074, 1046, 1000, 938, 889 cm⁻¹; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₂₃H₄₅O₄Si₂ (M+H)⁺ 441.2778 found 441.2805.

butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and 3,5,6,7-tetrahydro-2*H*-cyclopenta[*b*][1,4]dioxine (64 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) under refluxed DCM, and purified through column chromatography (10/1 pentane/Et₂O, R_f: 0.26) on silica gel to provide **13** as a colorless oil (94 mg, 53% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.89-3.95 (m, 1H), 3.76-3.83 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.56 (dt, *J* = 11.6, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (dt, *J* = 11.6, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (d, *J* = 17.6 Hz, 1H), 2.15-2.22 (m, 1H), 1.95-2.02 (m, 1H), 1.57-1.86 (m, 4H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.13 (s, 3H), 0.10 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.0, 102.2, 87.0, 81.9, 74.0, 59.8, 59.4, 52.5, 35.7, 28.1, 26.4, 25.7 (3 × C), 18.1, 17.4, -3.2, -3.3; IR (neat): 2954, 2857, 2239, 1715, 1250, 1108, 1076, 1030, 837 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₁₈H₃₀O₅SiNa (M+Na)⁺ 377.1755 found 377.1756.

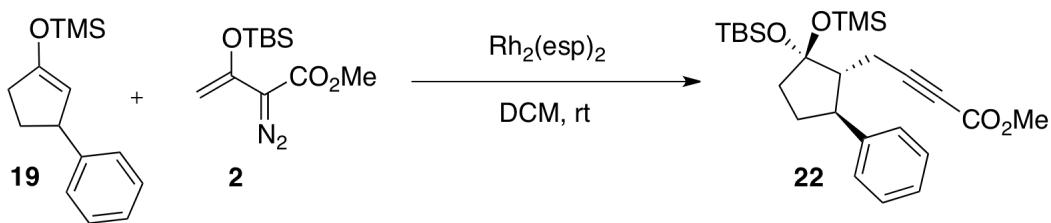


Methyl 4-((1*RS*,2*SR*,5*SR*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-5-methyl-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate **20:** Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and trimethyl((3-methylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane¹⁰ **17** (85 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (40/1 pentane/Et₂O) on neutral alumina to provide **20** as a colorless oil (114 mg, 57% yield). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, C₆D₆): δ 3.24 (s, 3H), 2.47 (dd, *J* = 18.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.14 (dd, *J* = 18.0, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.56-1.76 (m, 4H),

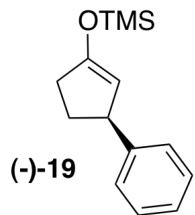
1.45-1.49 (m, 1H), 1.00 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.95-0.98 (m, 1H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.15 (s, 3H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.08 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, C_6D_6): δ 154.0, 106.9, 89.4, 74.0, 56.0, 51.6, 39.6, 36.8, 29.6, 26.0 ($3 \times \text{C}$), 21.0, 18.0, 17.2, 1.5 ($3 \times \text{C}$), -2.5, -3.1; IR (neat): 2953, 2856, 2238, 1716, 1248, 1166, 1043, 832 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) calc. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2\text{Na} (\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ 421.2201 found 421.2208.



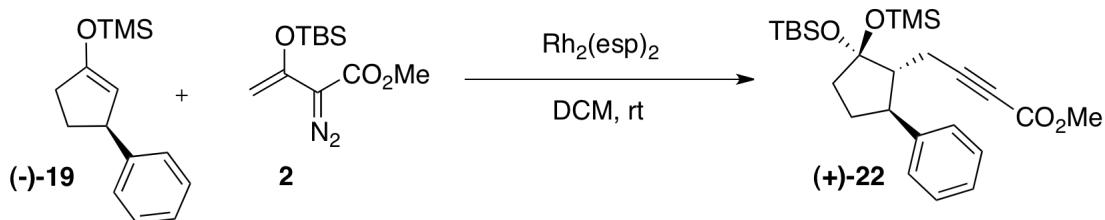
Methyl 4-((1*R*S,2*S*R,5*S*R)-5-butyl-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)but-2-ynoate 21: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and ((3-butylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane¹¹ **18** (106 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (40/1 pentane/ Et_2O) on neutral alumina to provide **21** as a colorless oil (111 mg, 50% yield). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, C_6D_6): δ 3.22 (s, 3H), 2.49 (dd, J = 17.2, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 2.17 (dd, J = 17.2, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 1.69-1.79 (m, 1H), 1.56-1.63 (m, 4H), 1.20-1.32 (m, 4H), 1.06-1.14 (m, 3H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.85-0.88 (m, 3H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.09 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, C_6D_6): δ 154.0, 106.8, 89.5, 74.0, 54.1, 51.6, 42.0, 39.6, 35.6, 30.0, 27.0, 26.0 ($3 \times \text{C}$), 23.2, 18.0, 17.5, 14.2, 1.5 ($3 \times \text{C}$), -2.5, -3.1; IR (neat): 2953, 2856, 2238, 1717, 1249, 1164, 1054, 832 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) calc. for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{44}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2\text{Na} (\text{M}+\text{Na})^+$ 463.2670 found 463.2680.



Methyl 4-((1*R*,2*S*,5*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-5-phenyl-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate 22: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate 2 (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and trimethyl((3-phenylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane¹¹ 19 (116 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (40/1 pentane/Et₂O) on neutral alumina to provide 22 as a colorless oil (134 mg, 58% yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆): δ 7.01-7.15 (m, 5H), 3.17 (s, 3H), 2.69-2.76 (m, 1H), 3.39-2.46 (m, 1H), 2.08-2.18 (m, 2H), 1.96-2.04 (m, 1H), 1.83-1.91 (m, 1H), 1.68-1.75 (m, 1H), 1.50-1.59 (m, 1H), 0.96 (s, 9H), 0.25 (s, 3H), 0.15 (s, 12H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, C₆D₆): δ 153.9, 145.0, 128.8 (2 × C), 127.6 (2 × C, signal overlaps with C₆D₆ solvent signal), 126.6, 106.4, 88.7, 74.0, 56.2, 51.5, 48.3, 40.5, 30.3, 26.1 (3 × C), 25.8, 18.1, 16.4, 1.6 (3 × C), -2.5, -3.0; IR (neat): 2953, 2856, 2238, 1716, 1251, 1081, 835 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₂₅H₄₀O₄Si₂Na (M+Na)⁺ 483.2357 found 483.2357.



(*-*)-(S)-trimethyl((3-phenylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane¹² 19 : Silyl enol ether (*-*)-19 was prepared in accordance with the reported procedure by Hayashi and co-workers¹² and all spectroscopic data of the purified product was consistent with the reported values. $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ -31.6° (c 1.00, CHCl₃). The enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analysis of the corresponding ketone, which was prepared by protonolysis of (*-*)-19. $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ -82.8° (c 0.92, CHCl₃); HPLC analysis: 98% ee, CHIRALCEL ADH, 0.5% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 254 nm, *t_R*: 19.99 min (minor), 20.82 min (major).



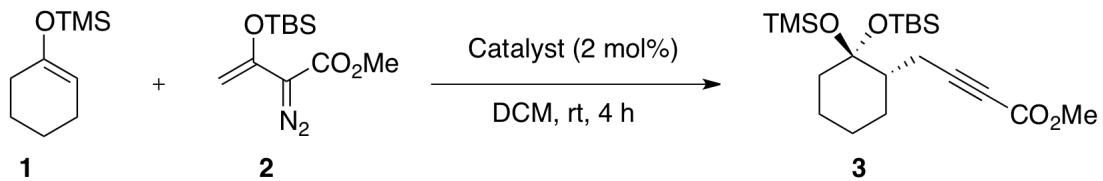
(+)-Methyl 4-((1*R*,2*S*,5*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-5-phenyl-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl)but-2-yneate 22: Derived from methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate 2 (247 mg, 0.96 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (*-*)-(S)-trimethyl((3-phenylcyclopent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (*-*)-19 (112 mg, 0.048 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (40/1 pentane/Et₂O) on neutral alumina to provide (+)-22 as a colorless oil (115 mg, 52% yield). $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 3.6° (c 1.33,

CHCl_3); all data as previously stated. Product was determined to be 98% ee after derivatization (see **22a**).

Optimization of Conditions for the Asymmetric Alkynoate Synthesis

This study began with the evaluation of the best catalyst that could be used to access enantioenriched alkynoates. For this exercise, 1-(trimethylsiloxy)-cyclohexene **1** and methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** were selected as the substrates of choice. A series of dirhodium catalysts were tested and the results are summarized in Table 1. Although the desired alkynoate product was systematically isolated as a single diastereomer, the observed enantioselectivity was low (Table 1, entries 1-10). The best enantiomeric excess was obtained using $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-PTAD})_4$ (entry 1) and this catalyst was therefore selected to carry out further optimization studies.

General procedure for Table 1: A solution of methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed DCM was added by syringe pump over 3 h at room temperature to a flame-dried 25 mL flask containing 1-(trimethylsiloxy)-cyclohexene **1** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and catalyst (0.02 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed DCM under an argon atmosphere. The solution was stirred at room temperature for an additional 1 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography (30/1 pentane/ Et_2O) on silica gel to yield the product.



| Entry ^a | Catalyst | Yield ^b | d.r. ^c | ee ^d |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | <i>S</i> -PTAD | 50 | >20.1 | 37 |
| 2 | <i>S</i> -NTTL | 49 | >20.1 | -6 ^e |
| 3 | <i>S</i> -PTTL | 62 | >20.1 | 29 |
| 4 | <i>R</i> -BNP | 4 | NA | NA |
| 5 | <i>S</i> -BTPCP | 27 | >20.1 | 24 |
| 6 | <i>S</i> -PTA | 38 | >20.1 | 31 |
| 7 | <i>S</i> -TBPTTL | 37 | >20.1 | 24 |
| 8 | <i>R</i> -TCPTV | 17 | >20.1 | 17 |

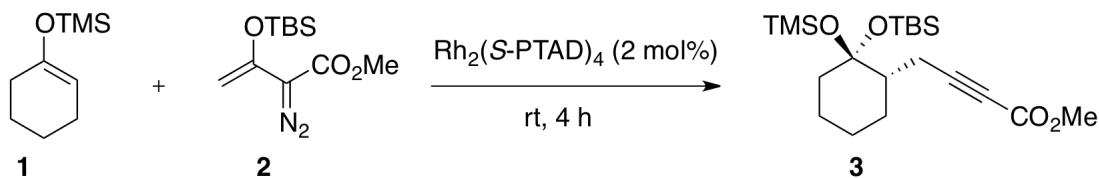
^a Reaction condition: diazo compound **2** (1 mmol) in DCM (6 mL) was added over 3 h via a syringe pump at rt to a mixture of (cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane **1** (0.5 mmol) and catalyst (2.0 mol%) in DCM (6 mL), and stirred for another hour at rt. ^b Isolated yield after chromatography on silica gel. ^c Determined from ¹H NMR of the crude reaction mixture. ^d Determined by chiral HPLC after hydrolysis of the disiloxyketal. ^e Negative value indicates opposite asymmetric induction.

Table 1

A solvent screen was next performed. It was found that the enantioselectivity could be slightly improved using a different polar solvent such as TFT or DCE (Table 2, entries 2 and 3). However the use of non polar solvents had a negative impact on the reaction outcome and resulted in a significant erosion of enantioselectivity for the desired product (entries 4-6).

General procedure for Table 2: A solution of methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in solution (6 mL) was added by syringe pump over 3 h at room temperature to a flame-dried 25 mL flask containing 1-(trimethylsiloxy)-cyclohexene **1** (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and catalyst (0.02 equiv) in

solution (6 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for an additional 1 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to yield the product.



| Entry ^a | Solvent | Yield ^b | d.r. ^c | ee ^d |
|--------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | DCM | 50 | >20.1 | 37 |
| 2 | TFT | 57 | >20.1 | 43 |
| 3 | DCE | 57 | >20.1 | 39 |
| 4 | 2,2-DMB | 56 | >20.1 | 0 |
| 5 | Pentane | 50 | >20.1 | 5 |
| 6 | Toluene | 46 | >20.1 | 6 |

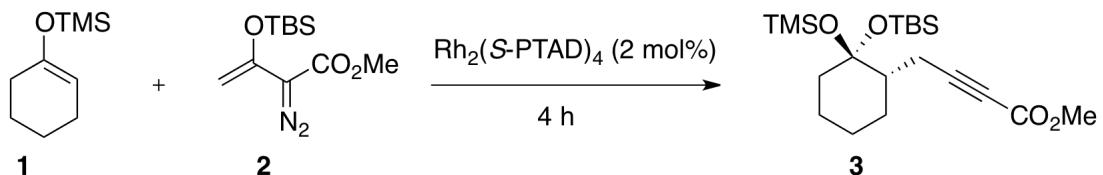
^a Reaction condition: diazo compound **2** (1 mmol) in solution (6 mL) was added over 3 h via a syringe pump at rt to a mixture of (cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane **1** (0.5 mmol) and Rh₂(S-PTAD)₄ (2.0 mol%) in solution (6 mL), and stirred for another hour at rt. ^b Isolated yield after chromatography on silica gel ^c Determined from ¹H NMR of the crude reaction mixture. ^d Determined by chiral HPLC after hydrolysis of the disiloxyketal.

Table 2

Finally, the reaction temperature was investigated (Table 3). Using TFT the enantioselectivity was improved to 60% ee when the reaction was conducted at -25 °C (Table 3, entry 3). Remarkably the reaction conversion was only slightly affected by the temperature.

General procedure for Table 3: A solution of methyl 3-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in solution (6 mL) was added by syringe pump over 3 h to a flame-dried 25 mL flask containing 1-(trimethylsiloxy)-cyclohexene

(**1**) (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and catalyst (0.02 equiv) in solution (6 mL) at the indicated temperature. The solution was stirred at the indicated temperature for an additional 1 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to yield the product.



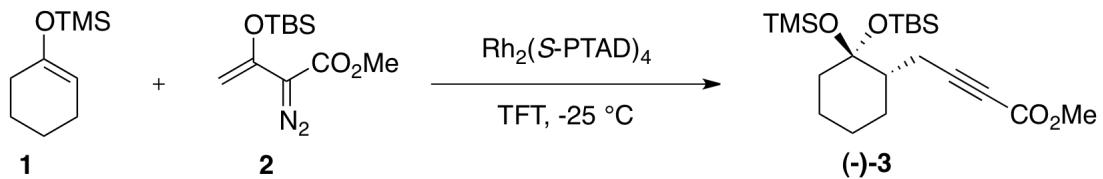
| Entry ^a | Temperature (°C) | Solvent | Yield ^b | d.r. ^c | ee ^d |
|--------------------|------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | rt | TFT | 57 | >20.1 | 43 |
| 2 | 0 | TFT | 57 | >20.1 | 49 |
| 3 | -25 | TFT | 53 | >20.1 | 60 |
| 4 | rt | DCM | 50 | >20.1 | 37 |
| 5 | -40 | DCM | 50 | >20.1 | 43 |

^a Reaction condition: diazo compound **2** (1 mmol) in solution (6 mL) was added over 3 h via a syringe pump at the indicated temperature to a mixture of (cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane **1** (0.5 mmol) and Rh₂(S-PTAD)₄ (2.0 mol%) in solution (6 mL), and stirred for another hour at the indicated temperature. ^b Isolated yield after chromatography on silica gel. ^c Determined from ¹H NMR of the crude reaction mixture. ^d Determined by chiral HPLC after hydrolysis of the disiloxyketal.

Table 3

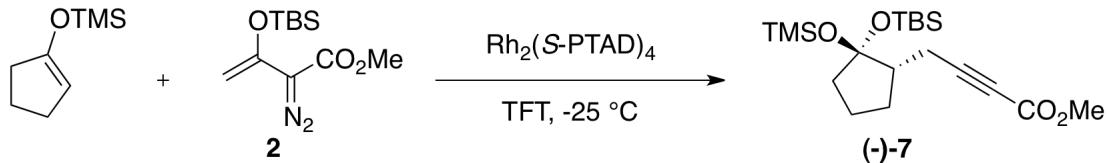
General Procedure for the Asymmetric Alkynoate Synthesis

A solution of siloxyvinyldiazoacetate (1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed TFT was added by syringe pump over 3 h at -25 °C to a flame-dried 25 mL flask containing Rh₂(S-PTAD)₄ (15.6 mg, 0.02 equiv) and enol ethers (0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in 6 mL of dried degassed TFT under an argon atmosphere. The solution was stirred at -25 °C for an additional 1 h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography (pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to yield the product.



(-)-Methyl 4-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclohexyl)but-2-ynoate 3:

Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (cyclohex-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane **1** (85 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **(-)-3** as a colorless oil which crystallized on standing (106 mg, 53% yield). $[\alpha]^{20}_D -7.1^\circ$ (*c* 1.18, CHCl₃); all data as previously stated. Product was determined to be 60% ee after derivatization (see **(+)-16**).

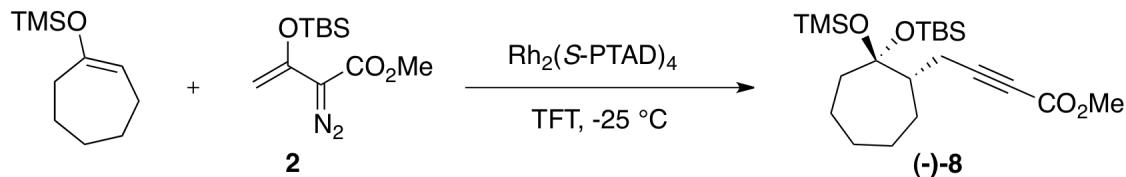


(-)-Methyl

4-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate 7:

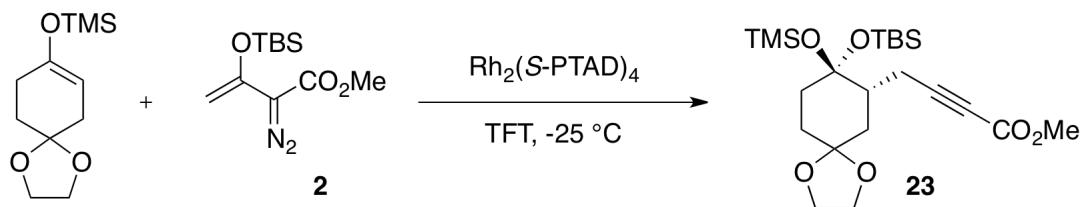
Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (cyclopent-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (78 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **(-)-7** as a

colorless oil (167 mg, 87% yield). $[\alpha]^{20}_D -7.0^\circ$ (c 1.56, CHCl₃); all data as previously stated. Product was determined to be 50% ee after derivatization (see **7a**).



(-)-Methyl 4-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cycloheptylbut-2-yneate 8:

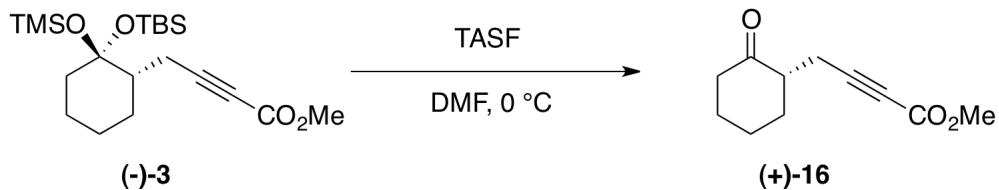
Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2 (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (cyclohept-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (92 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and purified through column chromatography (30/1 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **(-)-8** as a colorless oil (0.142 g, 69% yield). $[\alpha]^{20}_D -7.1^\circ$ (c 1.48, CHCl₃); all data as previously stated. Product was determined to be 70% ee after derivatization (see **8a**).**



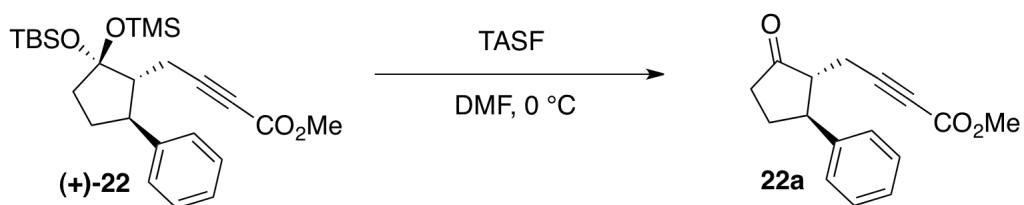
(+)-Methyl 4-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-8-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)-1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]dec-7-ylbut-2-yneate 23: Derived from methyl 3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-diazobut-3-enoate **2** (256 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) and (1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]dec-7-en-8-yloxy)trimethylsilane¹³ (114 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and

purified through column chromatography (80/20 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide (+)-**23** as a colorless oil (111 mg, 49% yield). [α]²⁰_D 1.9° (*c* 1.95, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.90-3.98 (m, 4H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.67 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 1.75-1.99 (m, 5H), 1.65-1.75 (m, 1H), 1.52-1.58 (m, 1H), 0.84 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 9H), 0.08 (s, 3H), 0.04 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.5, 108.3, 98.7, 89.8, 73.7, 64.7, 64.5, 52.8, 44.6, 38.3, 37.6, 32.7, 26.2 (3 × C), 18.7, 18.3, 2.1 (3 × C), -2.3, -2.8; IR (neat): 2945, 2856, 2238, 1716, 1253, 1120, 1057, 835; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₂₂H₄₀O₆Si₂ (M+Na)⁺ 479.2256 found 479.2262. Product was determined to be 46% ee after derivatization (see **23a**).

General Procedure for the Deprotection of the Disiloxyketal Alkynoate Products: To a solution of alkyne (1.0 equiv) in dry DMF (1.0 mL) at 0 °C was added a solution of tris(dimethylamino)sulfonium difluorotrimethylsilicate (TASF) (0.3 equiv) in dry DMF (0.5 mL). The reaction was stirred at 0 °C for 5 min. The mixture was then diluted with EtOAc (5 mL) and poured into a separating funnel containing a pH 7 phosphate buffer solution (5 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (2 × 5 mL). The organics were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (20% Et₂O/pentane).

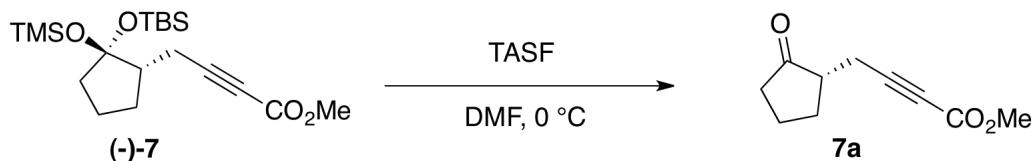


(+)-Methyl 4-(2-oxocyclohexyl)but-2-yneate 16¹⁴ : Derived from *(-)*-methyl 4-(2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclohexyl) but-2-yneate **3** (83 mg, 0.21 mmol) and purified through column chromatography (80/20 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **16** as a colorless oil (38 mg, 94%). $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 2.8° (*c* 1.50, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.75 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.51-2.59 (m, 1H), 2.35-2.45 (m, 2H), 2.25-2.34 (m, 2H), 2.06-2.12 (m, 1H), 1.88-1.94 (m, 1H), 1.58-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.39 (app. qd, *J* = 12.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 210.2, 154.3, 88.1, 74.1, 52.8, 49.0, 42.1, 33.6, 27.9, 25.3, 19.3; HPLC analysis: 60% ee, CHIRALCEL ODR, 1% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 230 nm, *t_R*: 16.26 min (minor), 17.60 min (major). NMR data was consistent with the literature.¹⁴

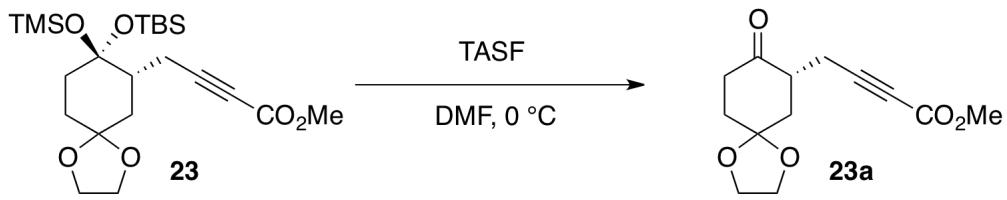


(+)-Methyl 4-((1*R*,5*S*)-2-oxo-5-phenylcyclopentyl)but-2-yneate 22a: Derived from *(+)*-Methyl 4-((1*R*,2*S*,5*S*)-2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-5-phenyl-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentylbut-2-yneate **22** (40 mg, 0.09 mmol) and purified through column chromatography (80/20 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **22a** as a

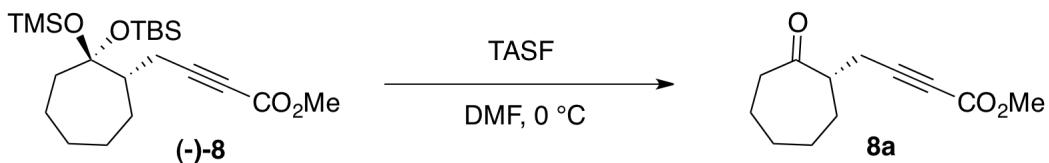
colorless oil (20 mg, 91%). $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 37.3° (*c* 0.44, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.24-7.36 (m, 5H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.23 (td, *J* = 11.6, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.74 (dd, *J* = 18.8, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.54-2.60 (m, 1H), 2.34-2.43 (m, 3H), 2.25-2.34 (m, 1H), 1.97-2.07 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 216.0, 154.0, 141.4, 129.1 (2 × C), 127.5, 127.4 (2 × C), 86.0, 74.7, 54.4, 52.8, 47.2, 38.2, 29.3, 16.8; IR (neat): 2953, 2237, 1741, 1708, 1252, 721; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₁₆H₁₅O₃ (M-H)⁺ 255.1027 found 255.1027; HPLC analysis: 98% ee, CHIRALCEL ADH, 3% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 230 nm, *t*_R: 15.47 min (minor), 17.26 min (major).



(-)-Methyl 4-(2-oxocyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate 7a: Derived from (-)-methyl 4-(2-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cyclopentyl)but-2-ynoate 7 (30 mg, 0.08 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (14 mg, 97%). $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ -77.7° (*c* 1.17, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.72 (dd, 1H, *J* = 17.2, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.29-2.44 (m, 4H), 2.02-2.17 (m, 2H), 1.68-1.85 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 218.0, 154.2, 87.1, 74.0, 52.9, 47.4, 37.9, 29.1, 20.6, 19.0; IR (neat): 2957, 2237, 1742, 1712, 1256; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₁₀H₁₃O₃ (M+H)⁺ 181.0859 found 181.0858; HPLC analysis: 50% ee, CHIRALCEL OBH, 5% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 230 nm, *t*_R: 29.24 min (major), 31.88 min (minor).



(+)-Methyl 4-(8-oxo-1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]decan-7-yl)but-2-yneate 23a: Derived from (+)-Methyl 4-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-8-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)-1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]decan-7-yl)but-2-yneate **23** (18 mg, 0.04 mmol) and purified through column chromatography (60/40 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **23a** as a colorless oil (7 mg, 70%). $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 1.5° (*c* 0.83, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.99-4.07 (m, 4H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 2.85-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.61-2.69 (m, 1H), 2.33-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.24-2.30 (ddd, *J* = 12.8, 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 1.95-2.06 (m, 2H), 1.79 (app. t, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 208.7, 154.2, 107.2, 87.2, 74.4, 65.1, 64.9, 52.9, 44.9, 40.0, 38.1, 34.8, 19.0; IR (neat): 2955, 2238, 1709, 1435, 1253, 1075; HRMS (ESI) calc. for C₁₃H₁₆O₅Na (M+Na)⁺ 275.0890 found 275.0890; HPLC analysis: 46% ee, CHIRALCEL ADH, 5% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 230 nm, *t*_R: 14.99 min (minor), 17.97 min (major).

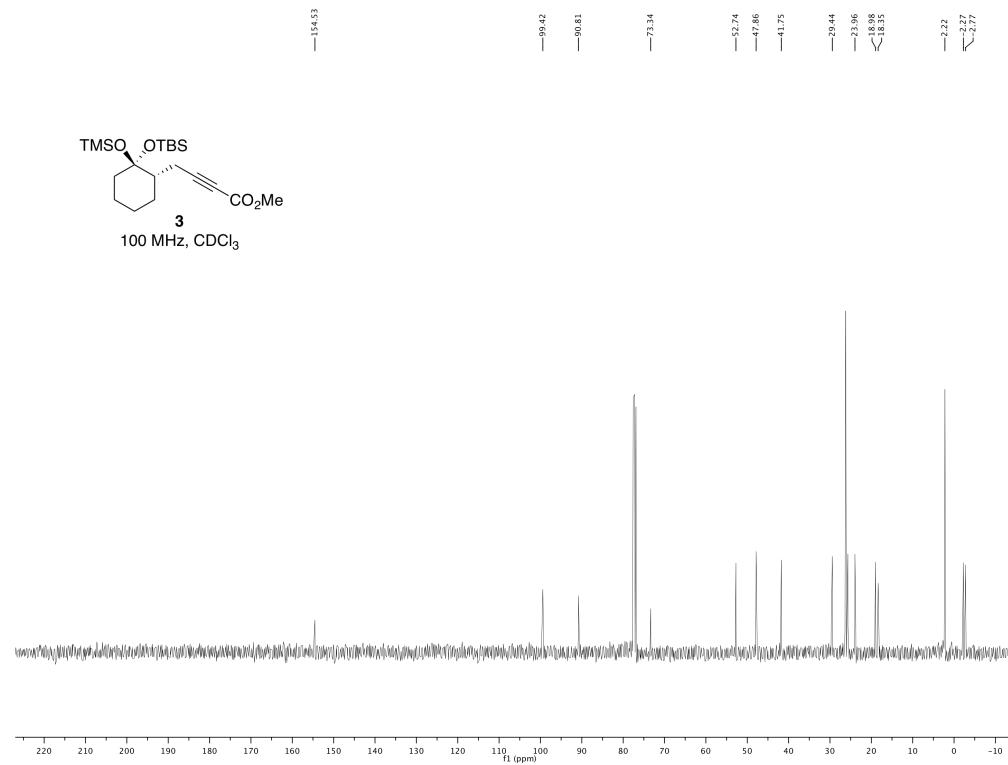
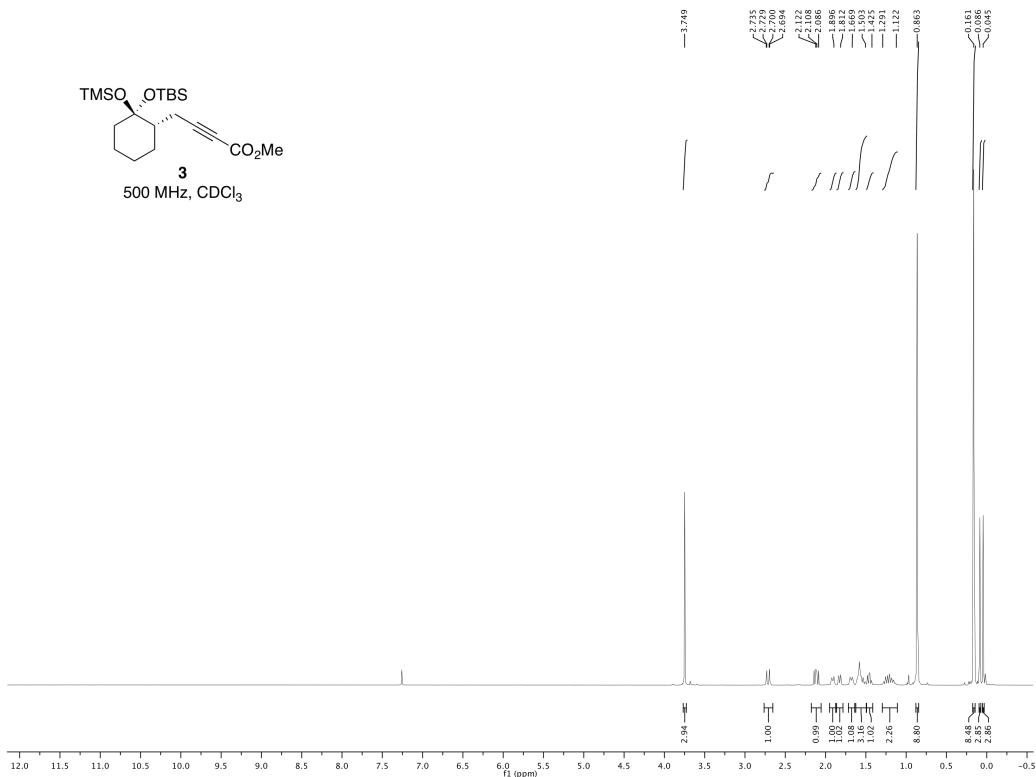


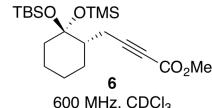
(-)-Methyl 4-(2-oxocycloheptyl)but-2-yneate 8a¹⁵ : Derived from (-)-4-((*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)cycloheptylbut-2-yneate **8** (30 mg, 0.07

mmol) and purified through column chromatography (80/20 pentane/Et₂O) on silica gel to provide **8a** as a colorless oil (13 mg, 89%). $[\alpha]^{20}_D -41.3^\circ$ (*c* 1.28, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.80 (tt, *J* = 8.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.53-3.00 (m, 1H), 2.34-2.47 (m, 2H), 1.95-2.00 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.90 (m, 3H), 1.60-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.41-1.57 (m, 2H), 1.26-1.38 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 213.2, 154.3, 88.2, 73.8, 52.9, 50.1, 43.5, 30.7, 29.5, 29.1, 23.9, 21.2; IR (neat): 2929, 2856, 2237, 1711, 1435, 1254, 1078; HRMS (APCI) calc. for C₁₂H₁₇O₃ (M+H)⁺ 209.1172 found 209.1171; HPLC analysis: 70% ee, CHIRALCEL OBH, 3% isopropanol/hexanes, 1 mL/min, UV: 230 nm, *t*_R: 20.61 min (major), 30.08 min (minor).

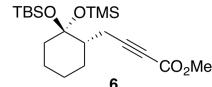
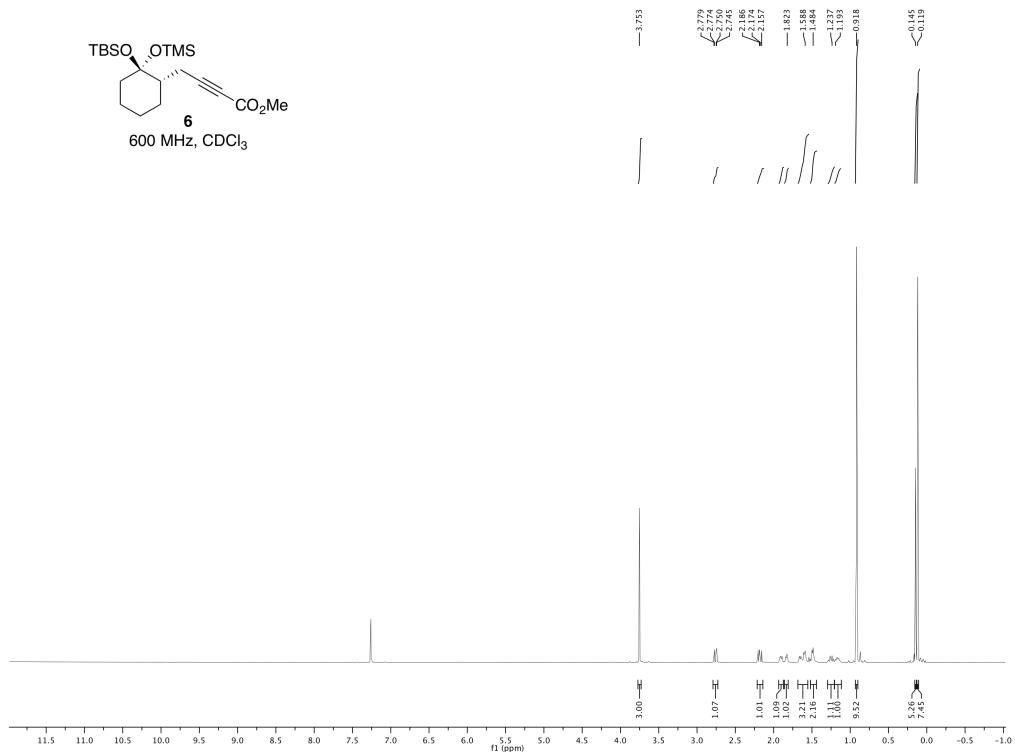
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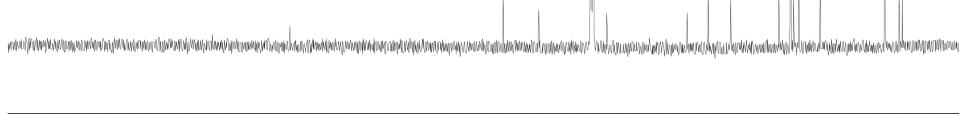


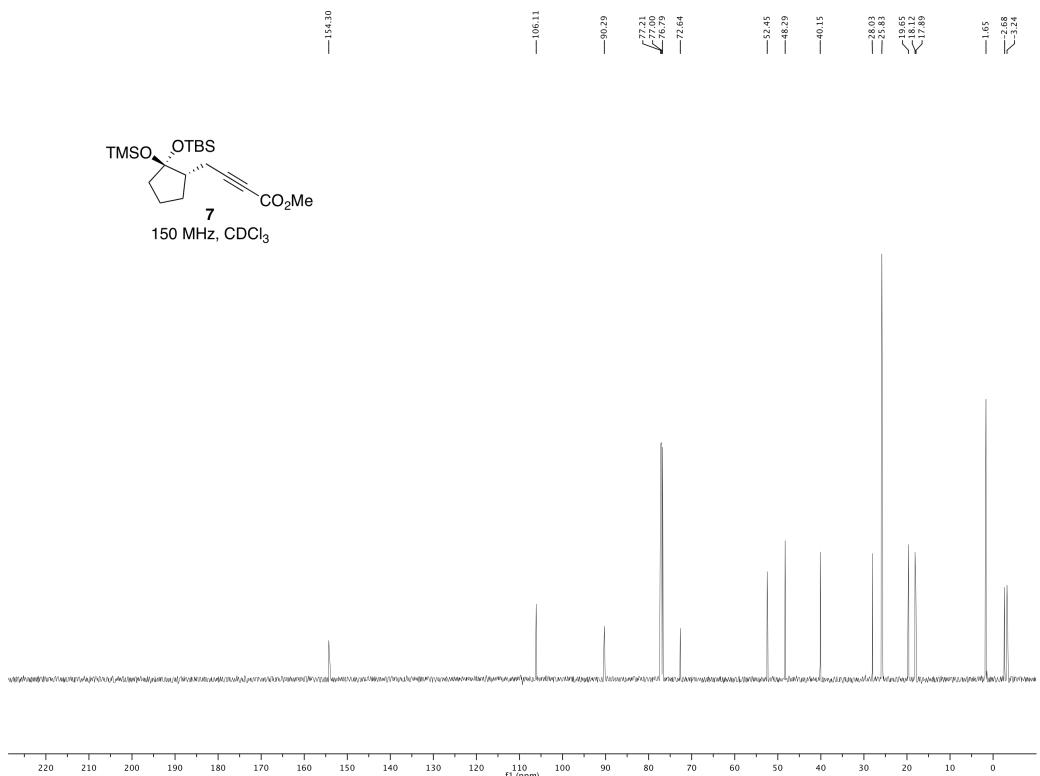
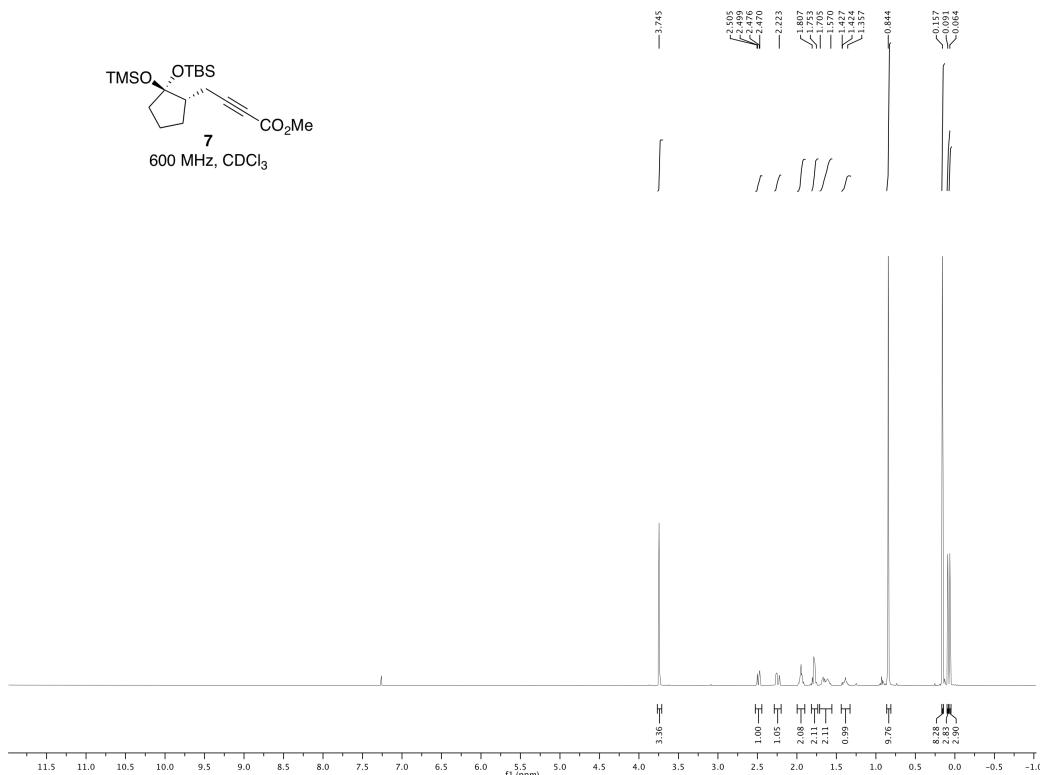


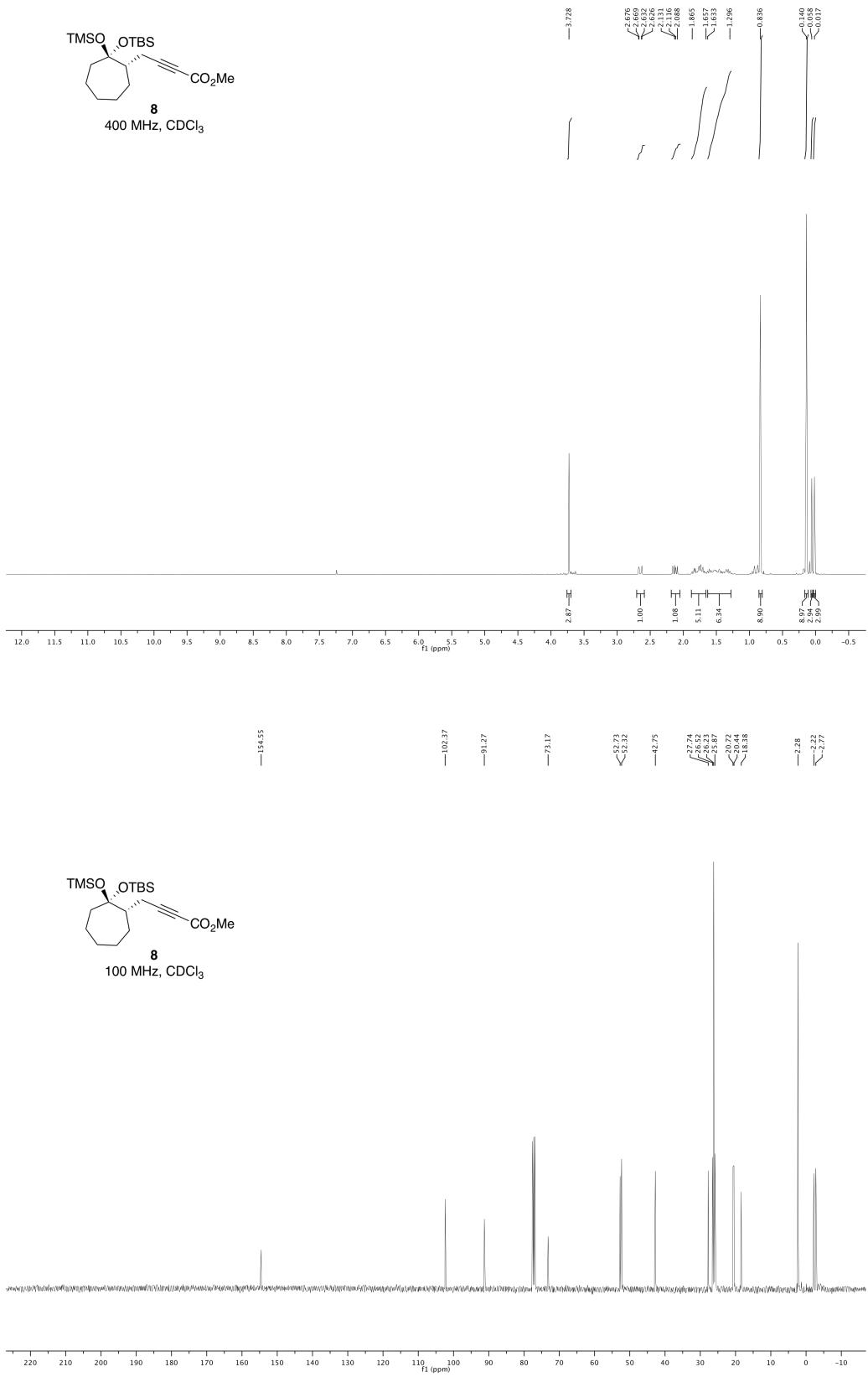
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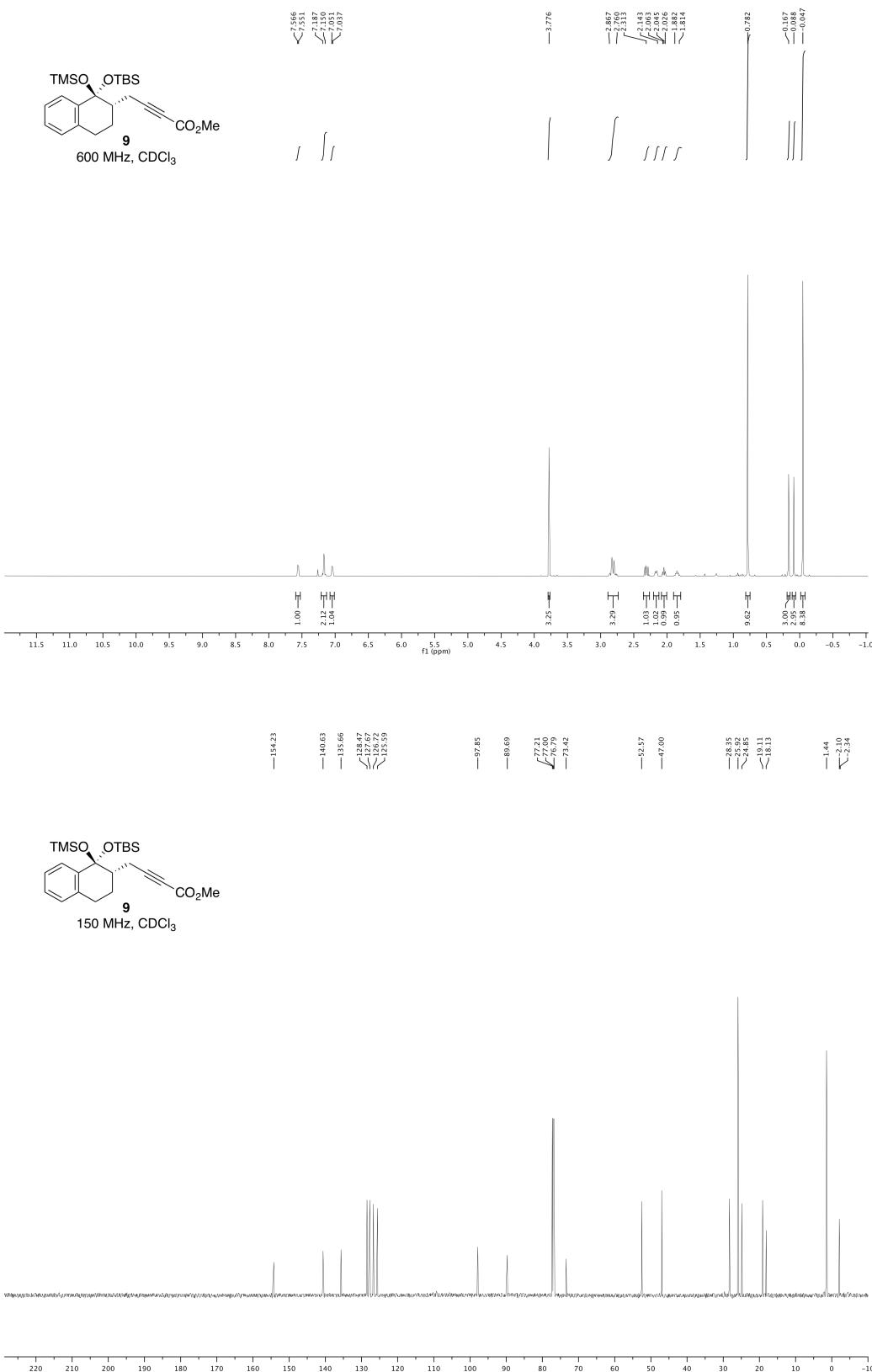


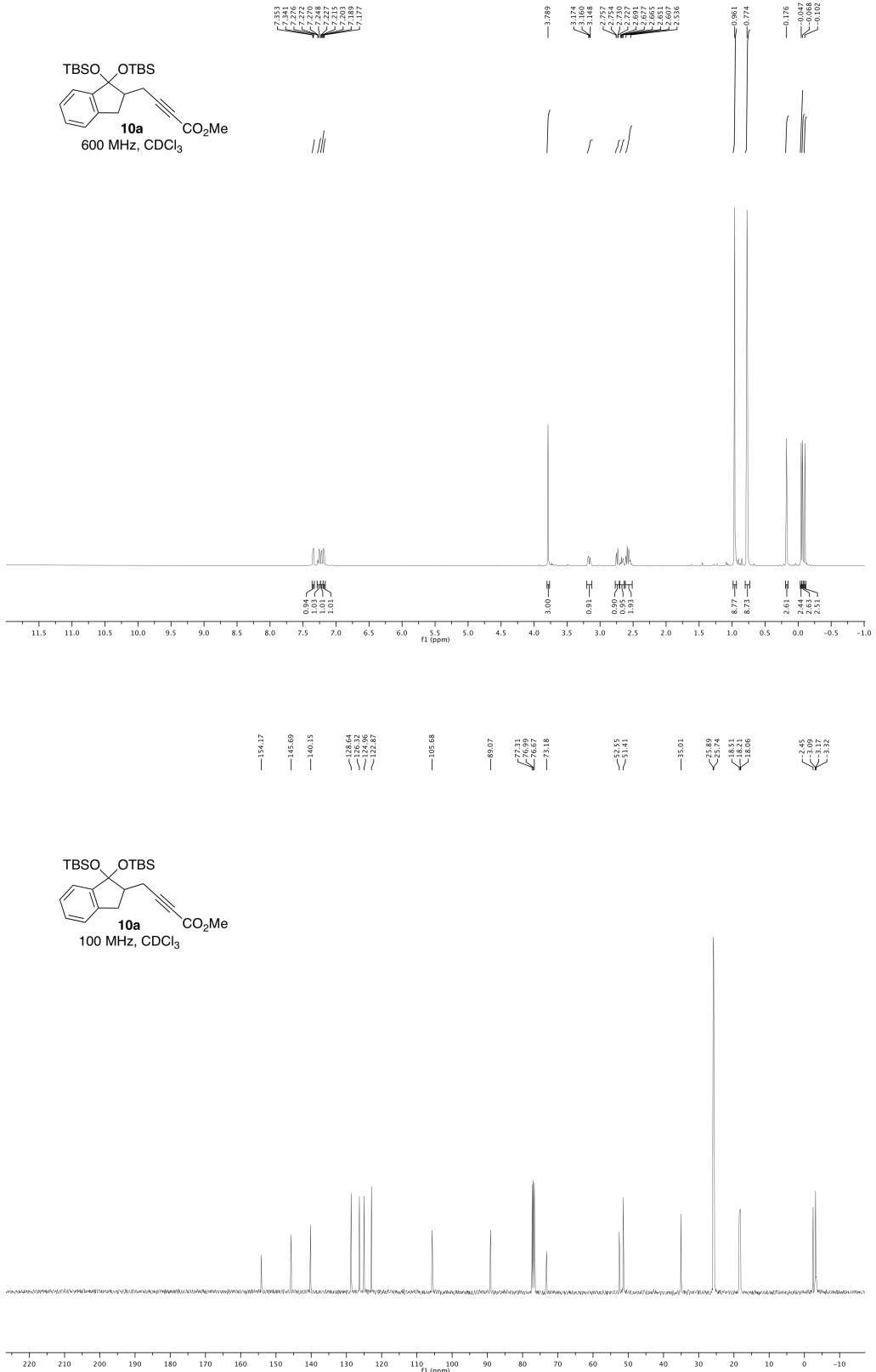
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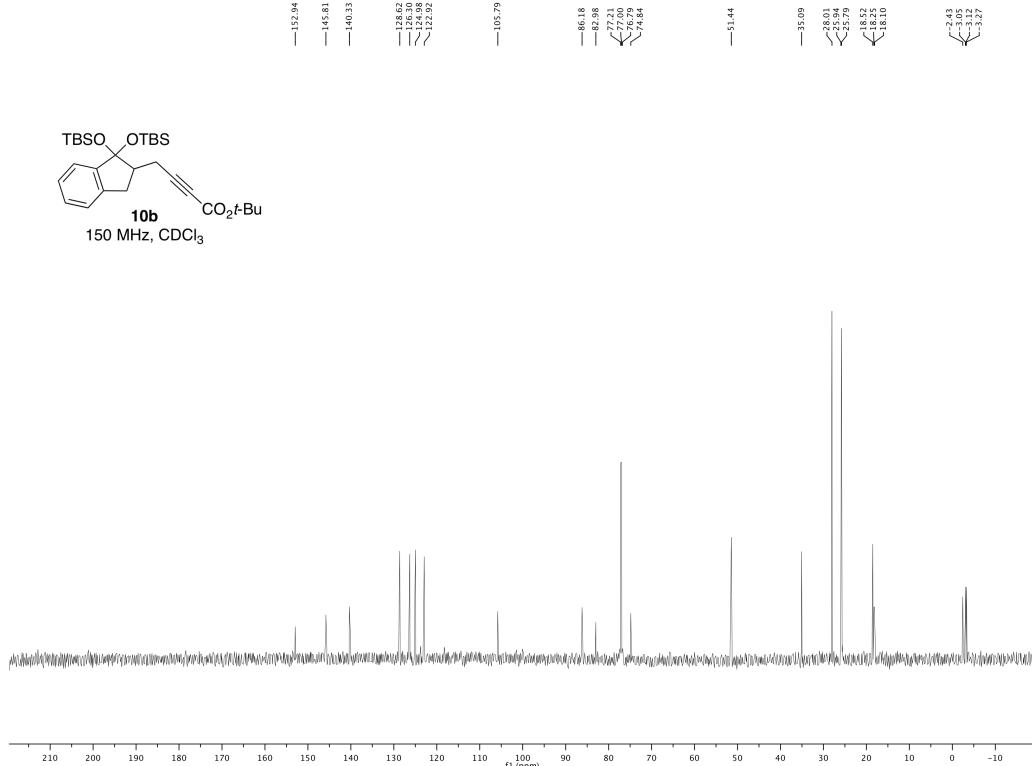
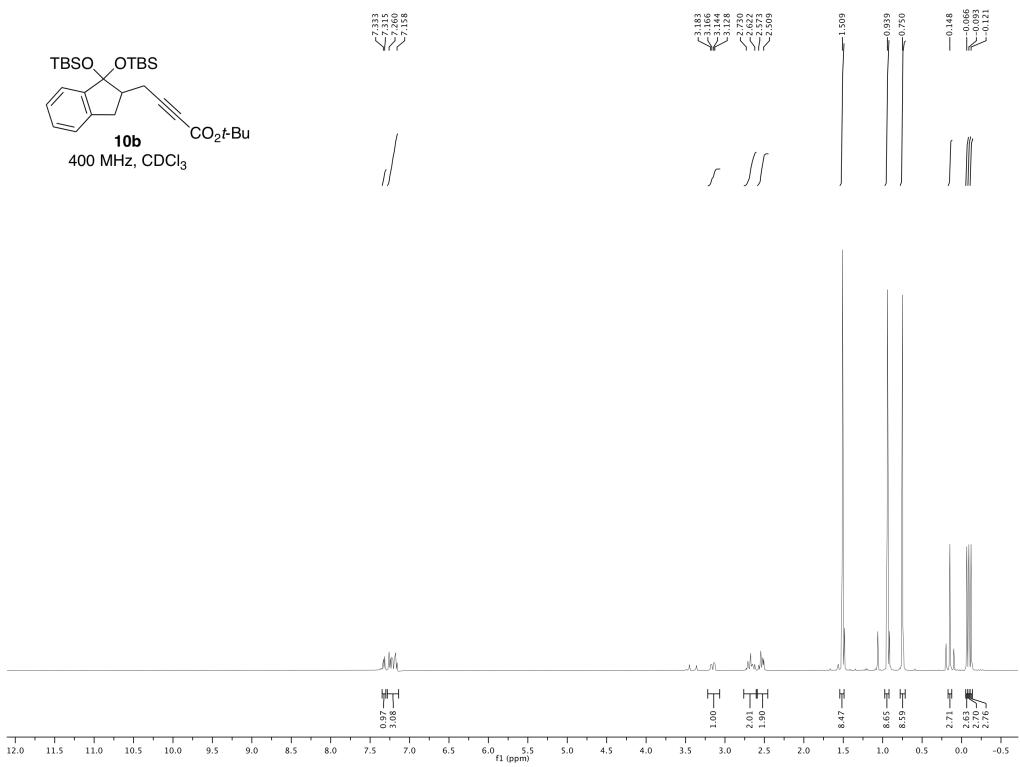


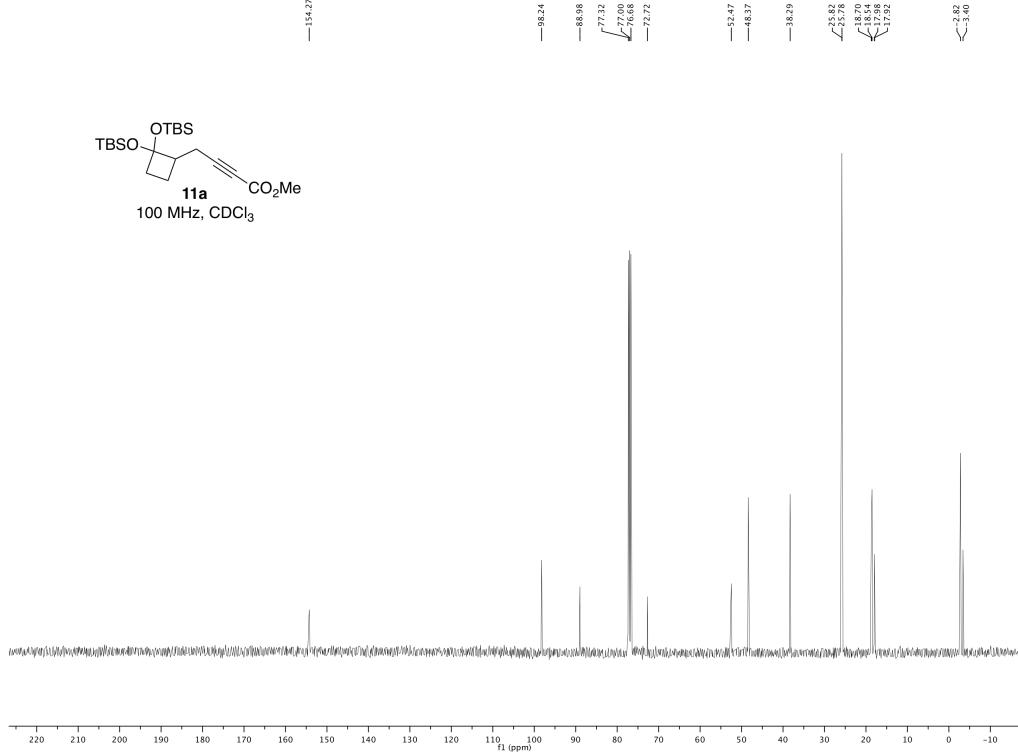
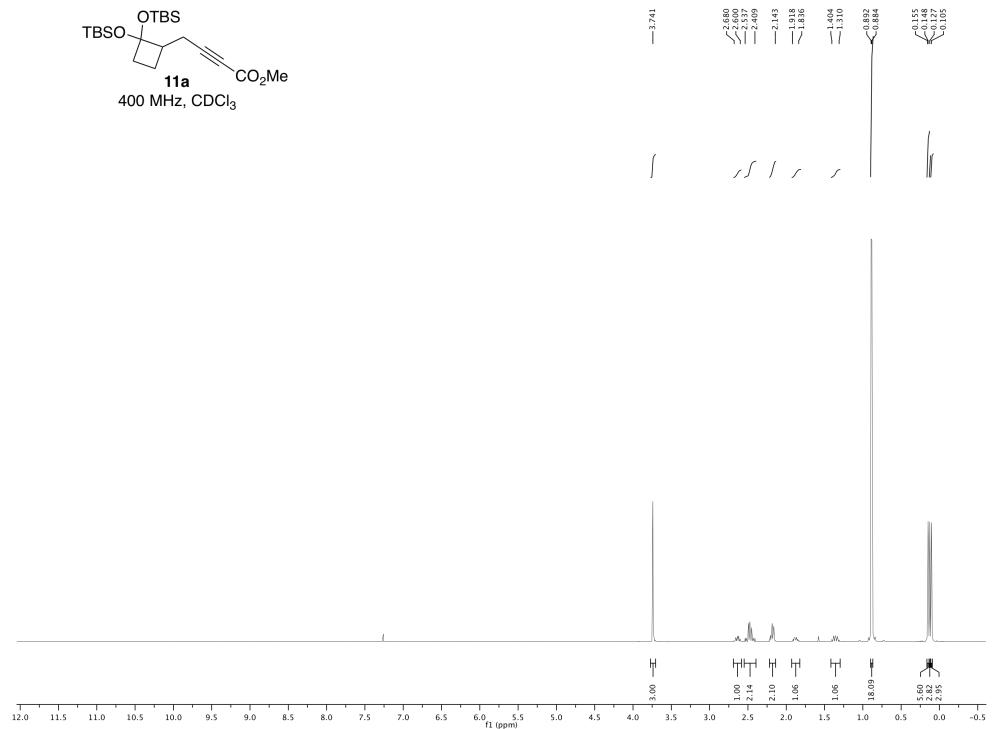


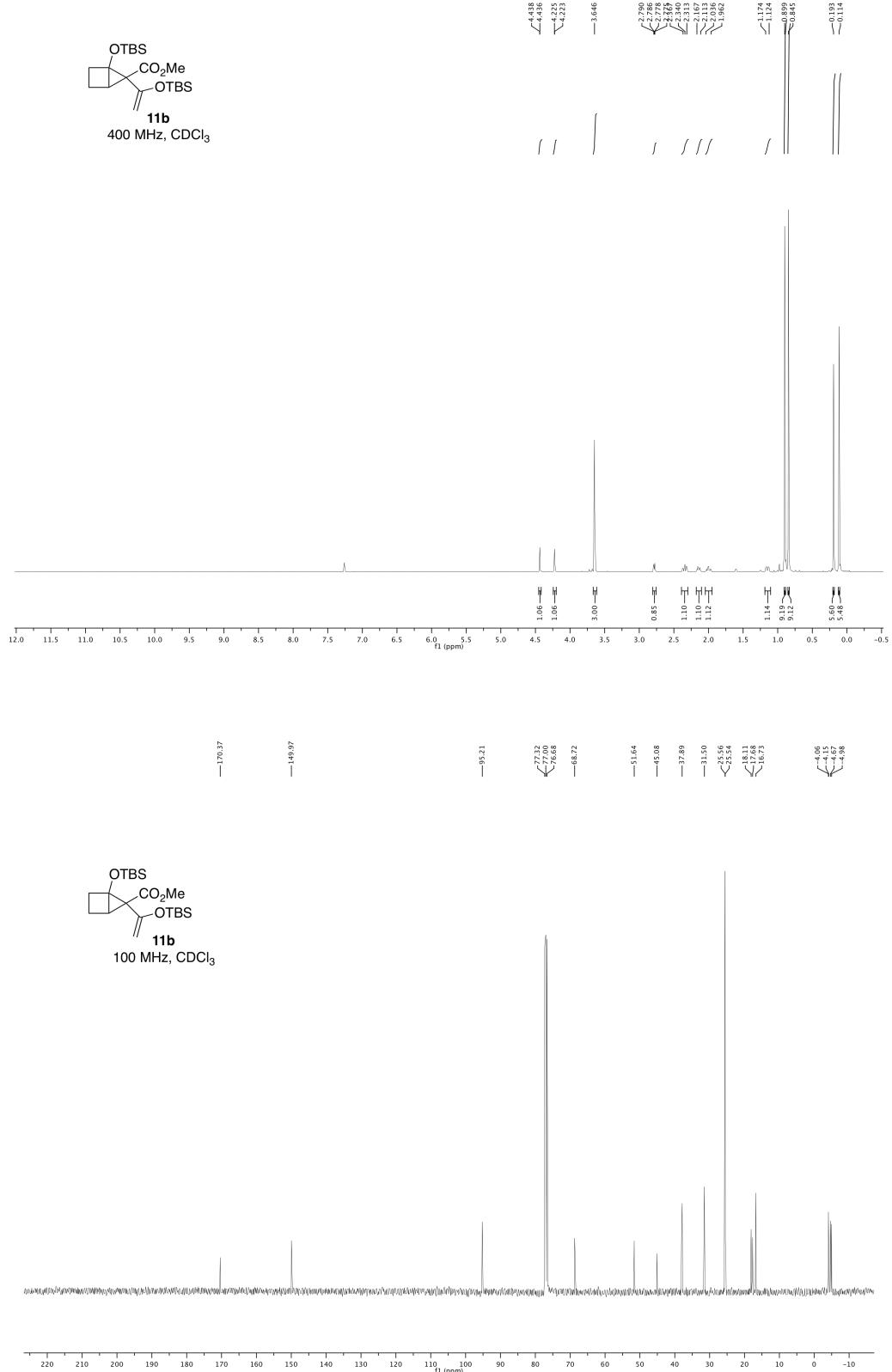


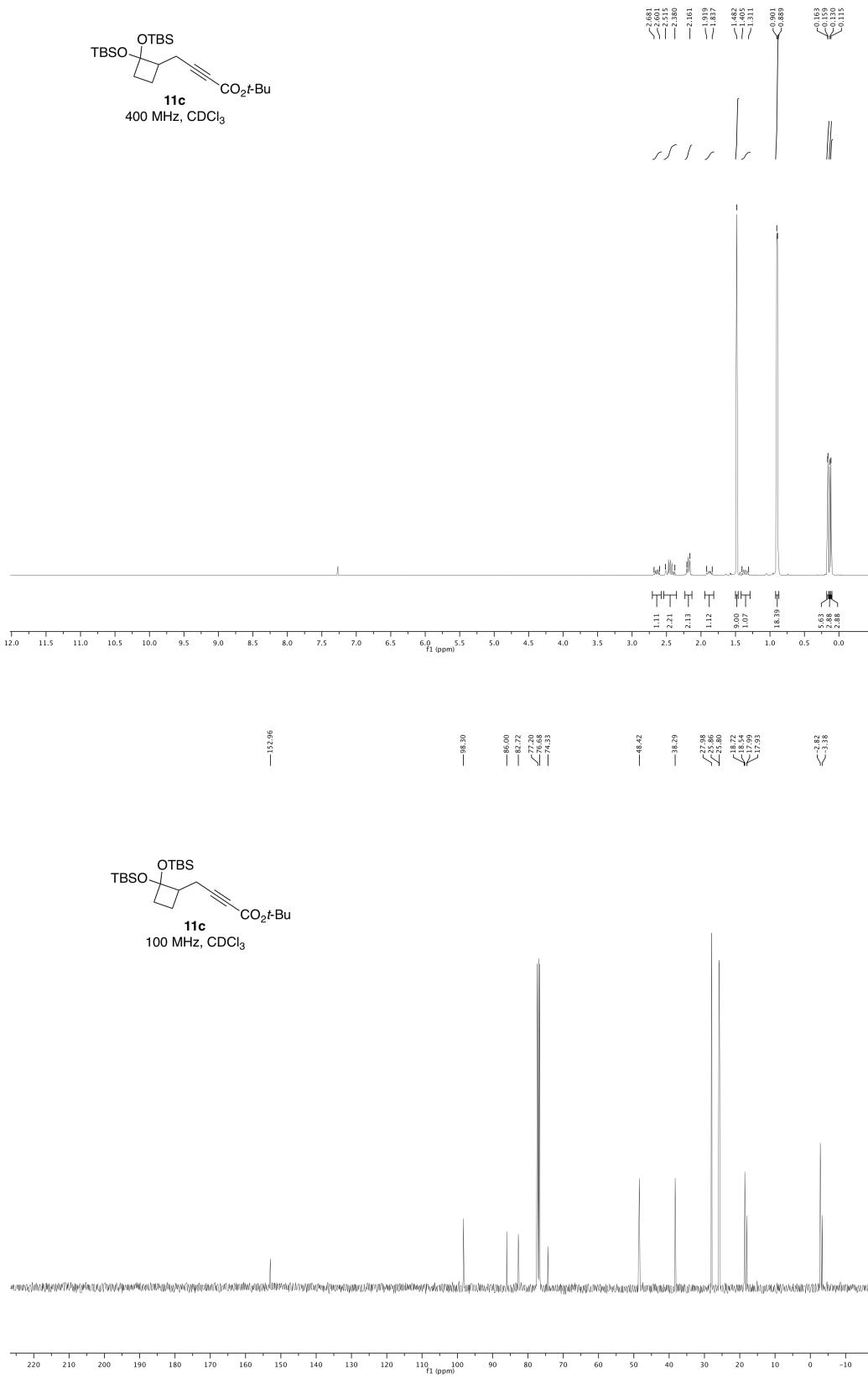


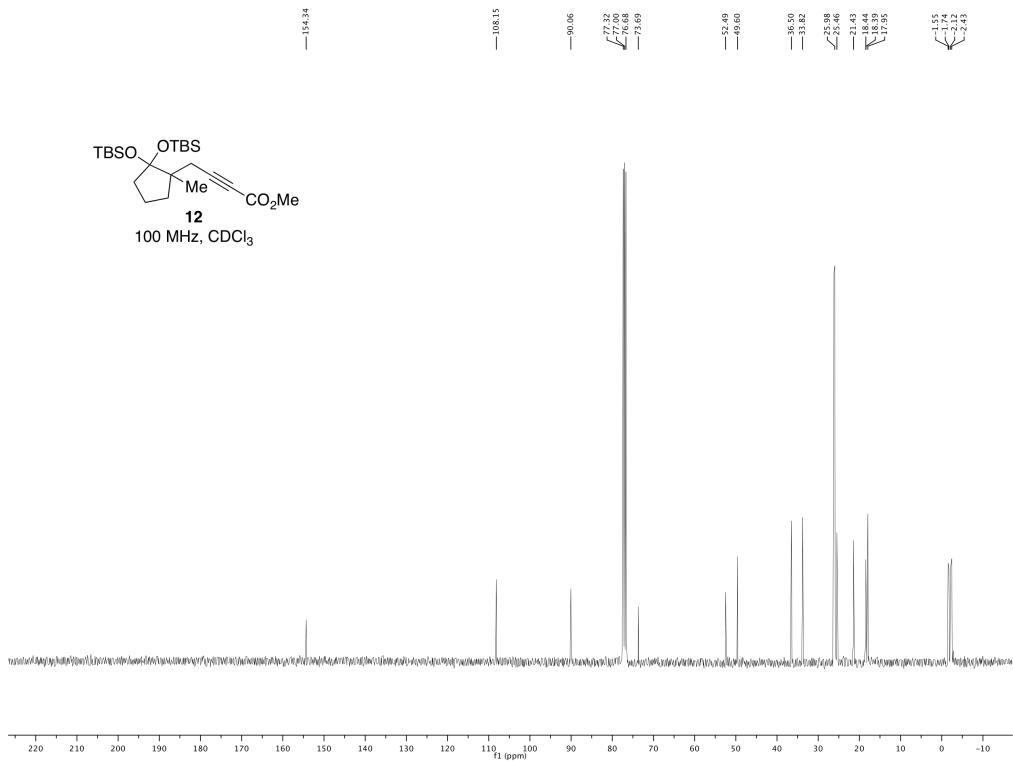
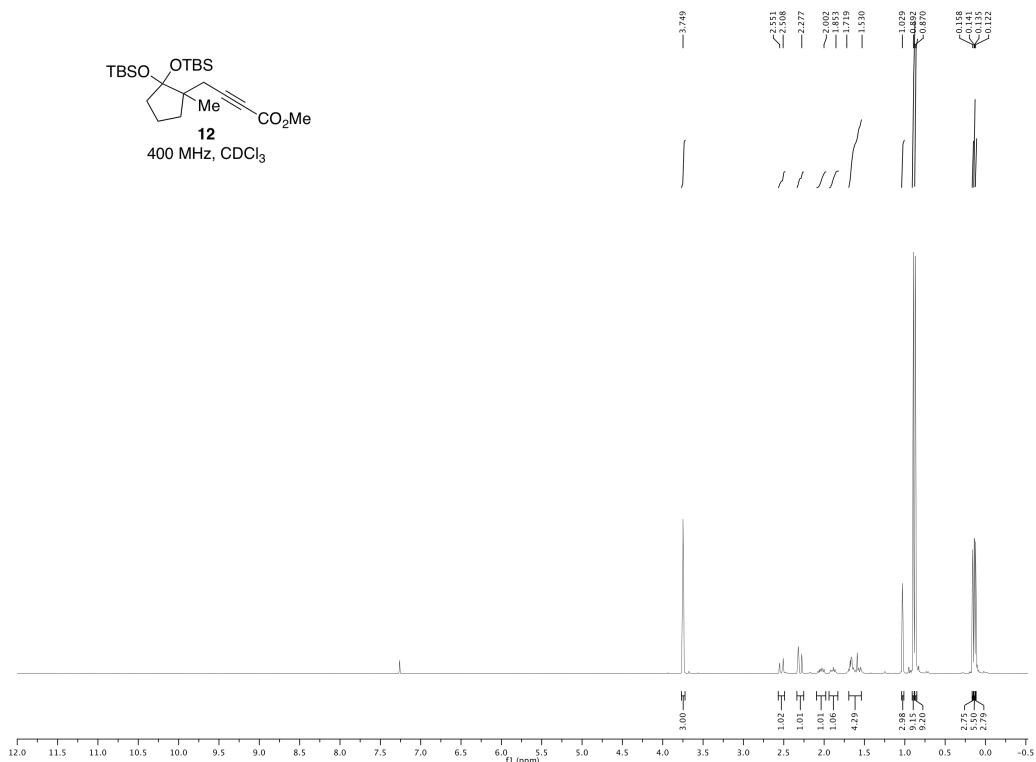


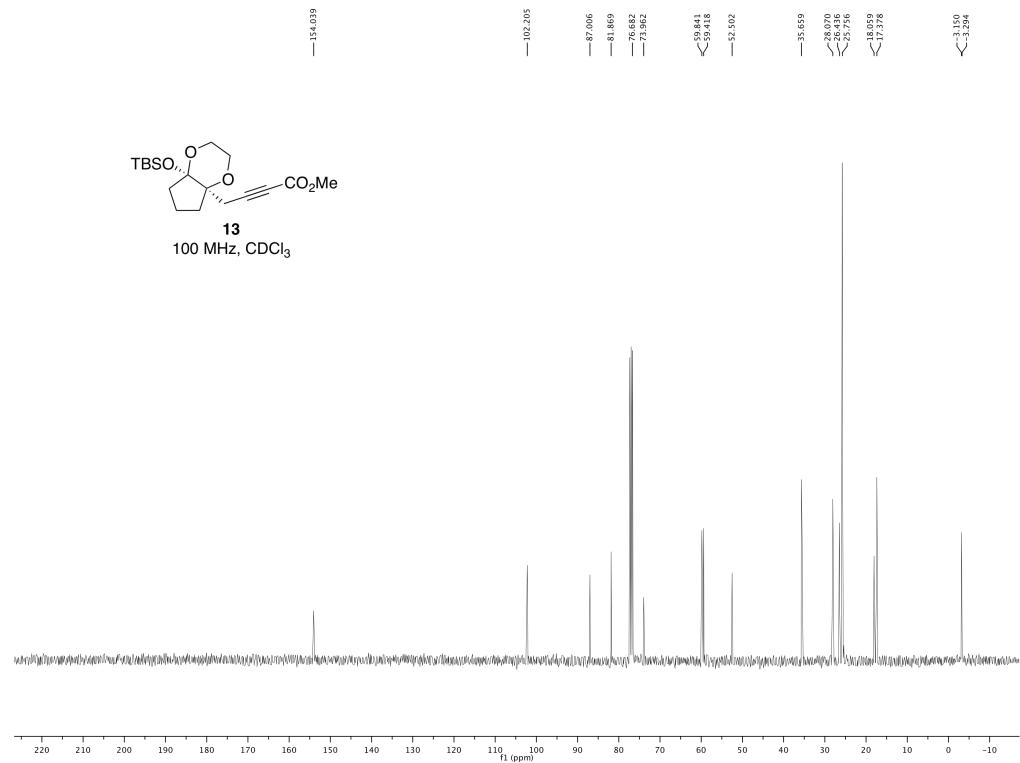
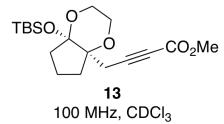
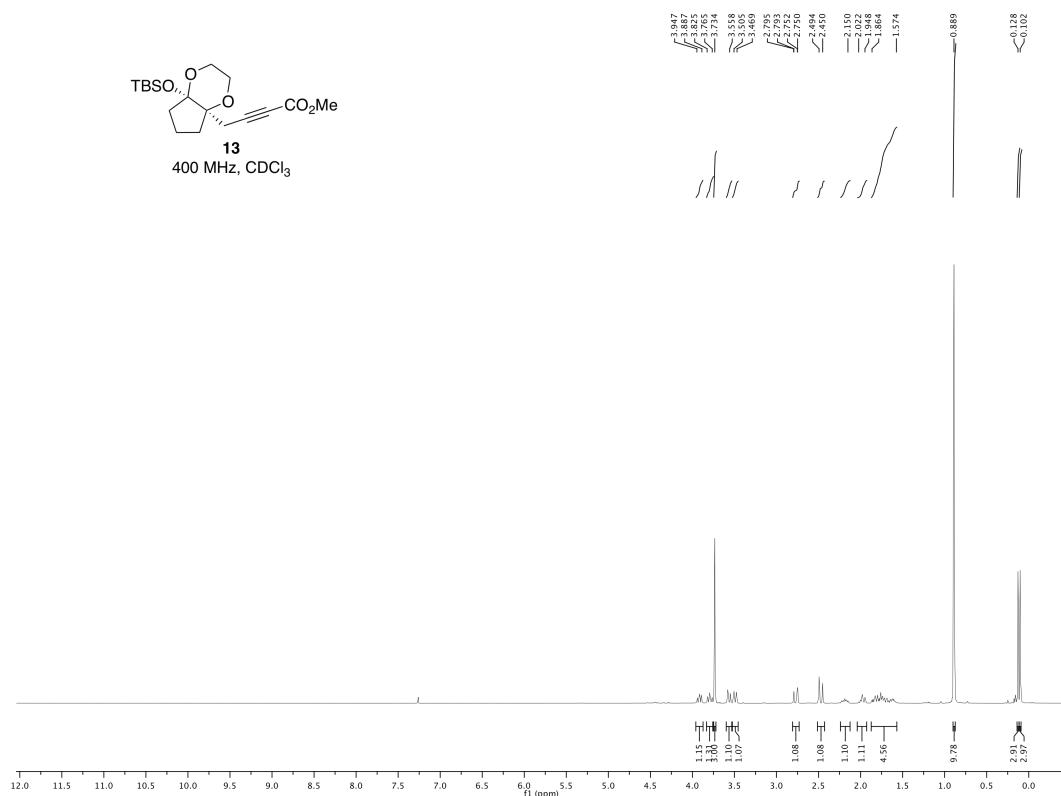
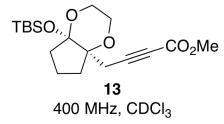


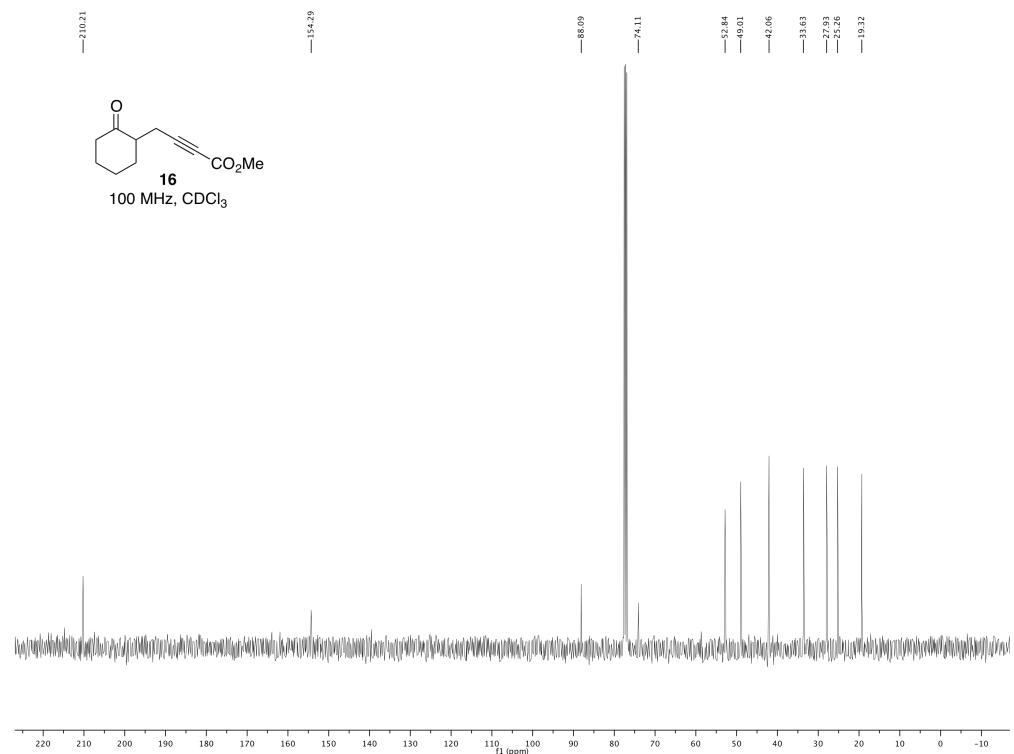
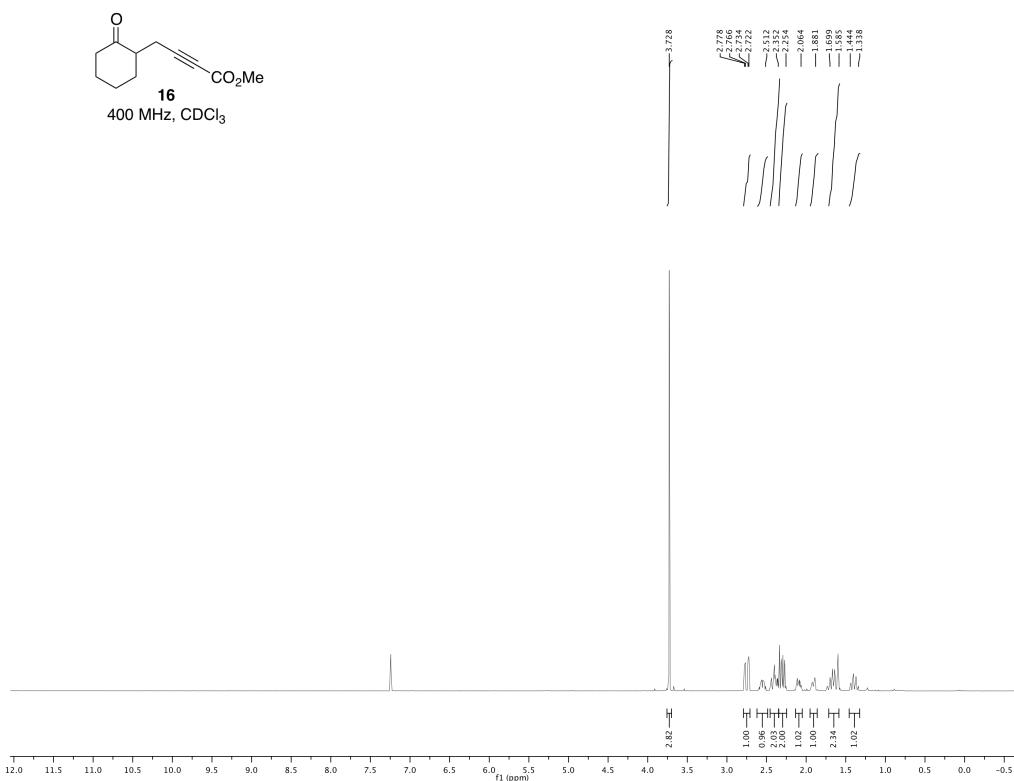


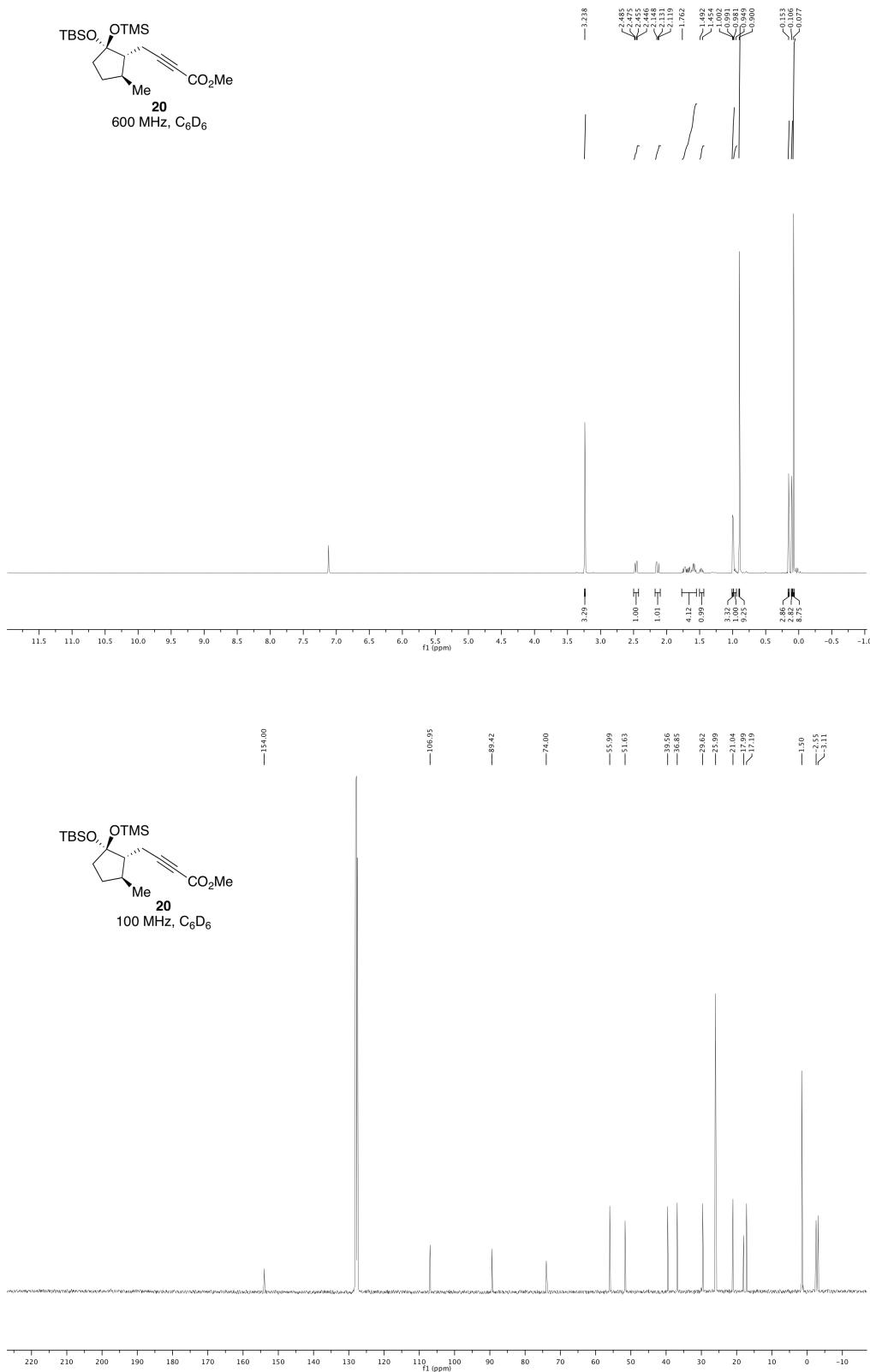


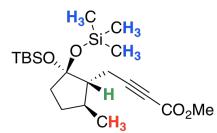




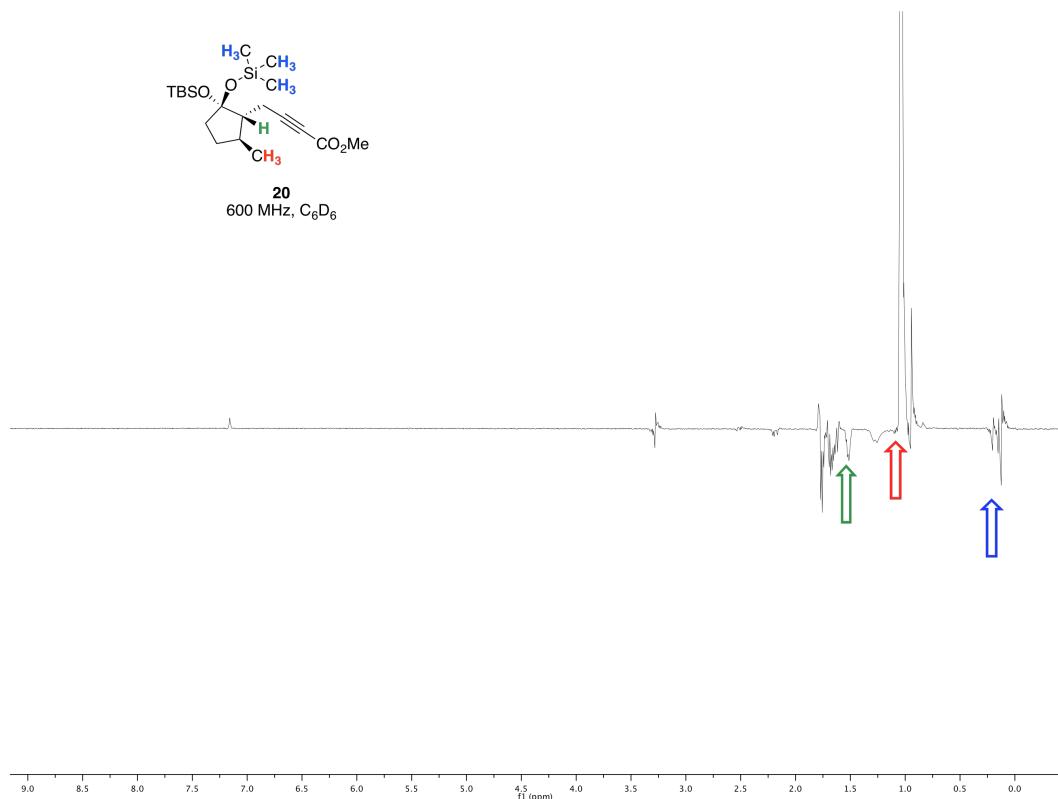


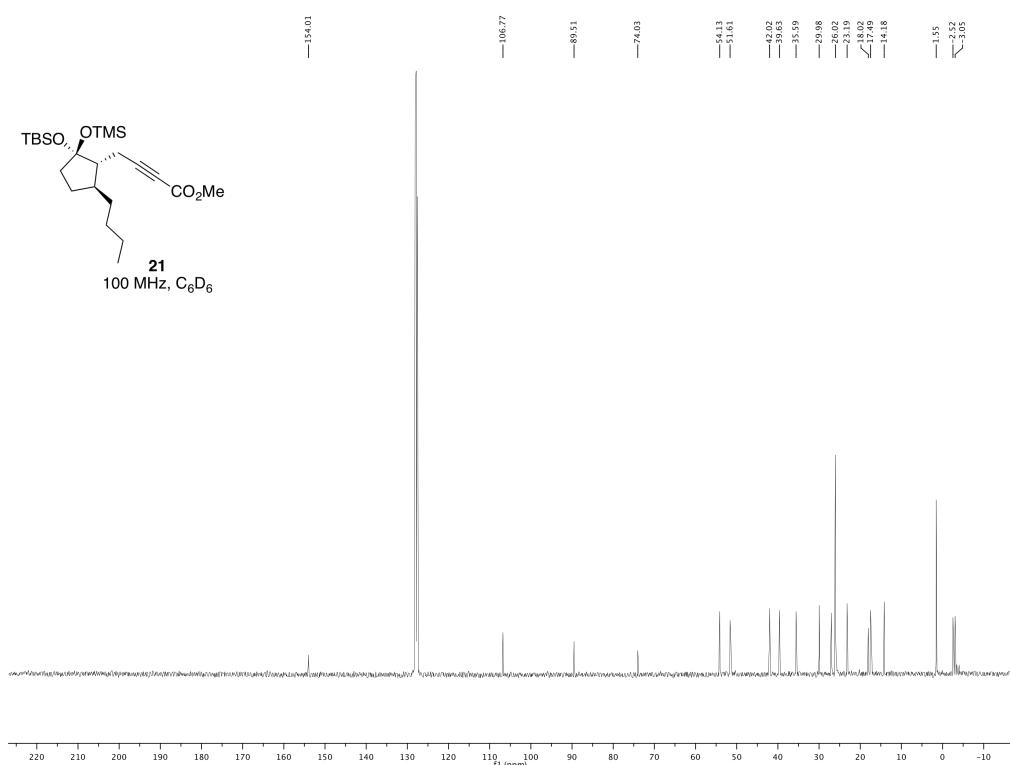
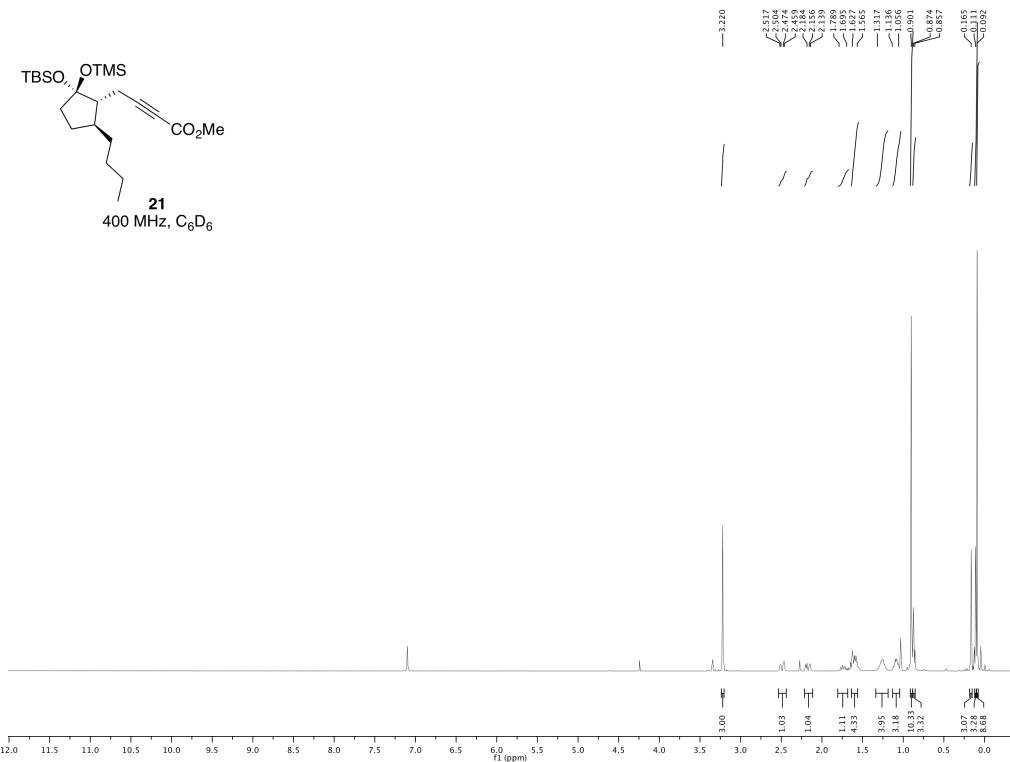


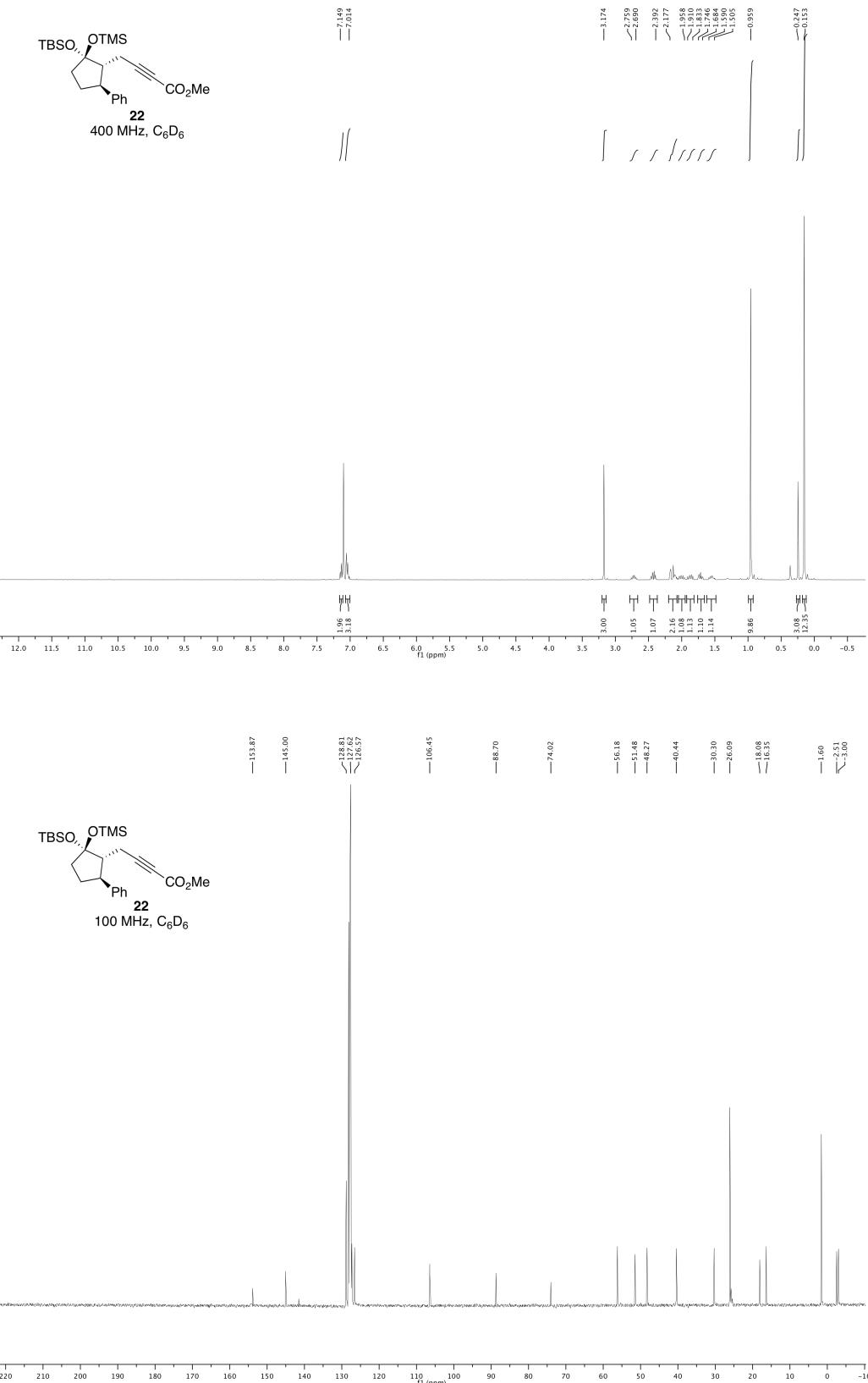


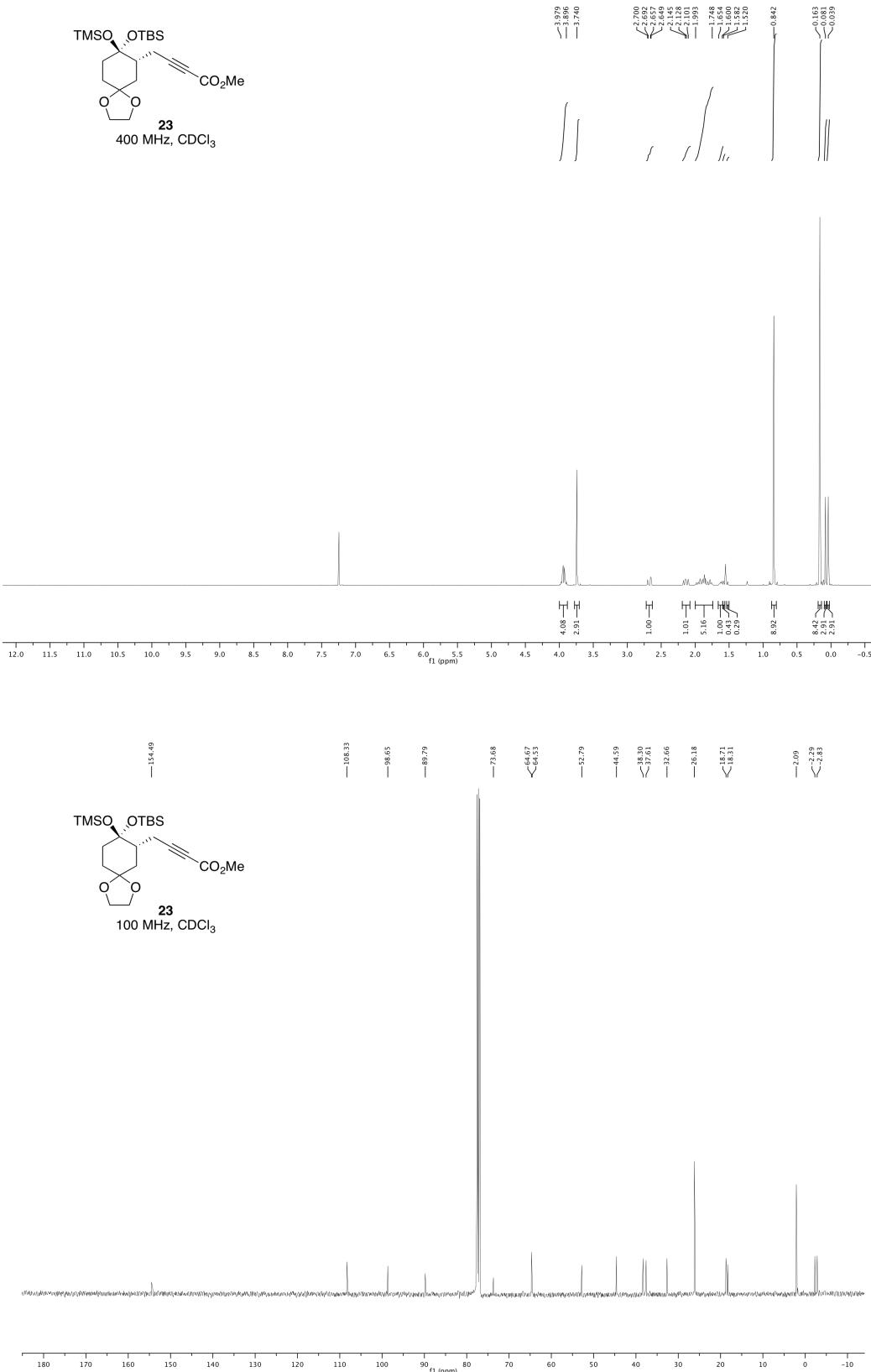


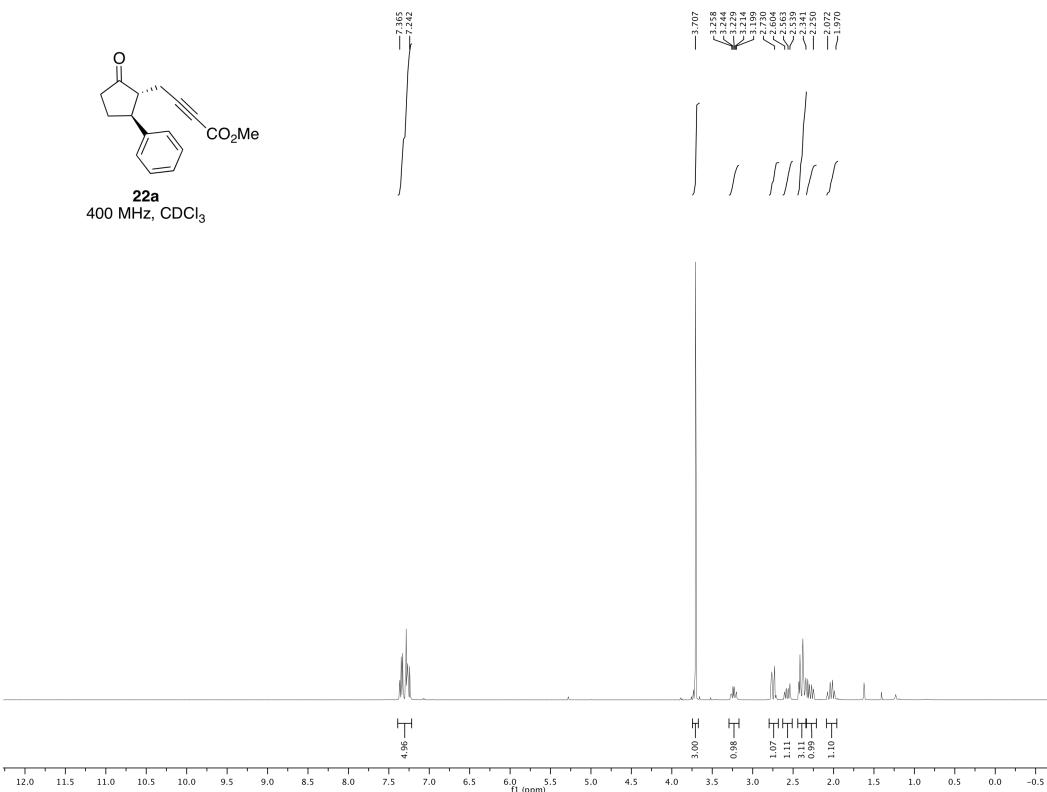
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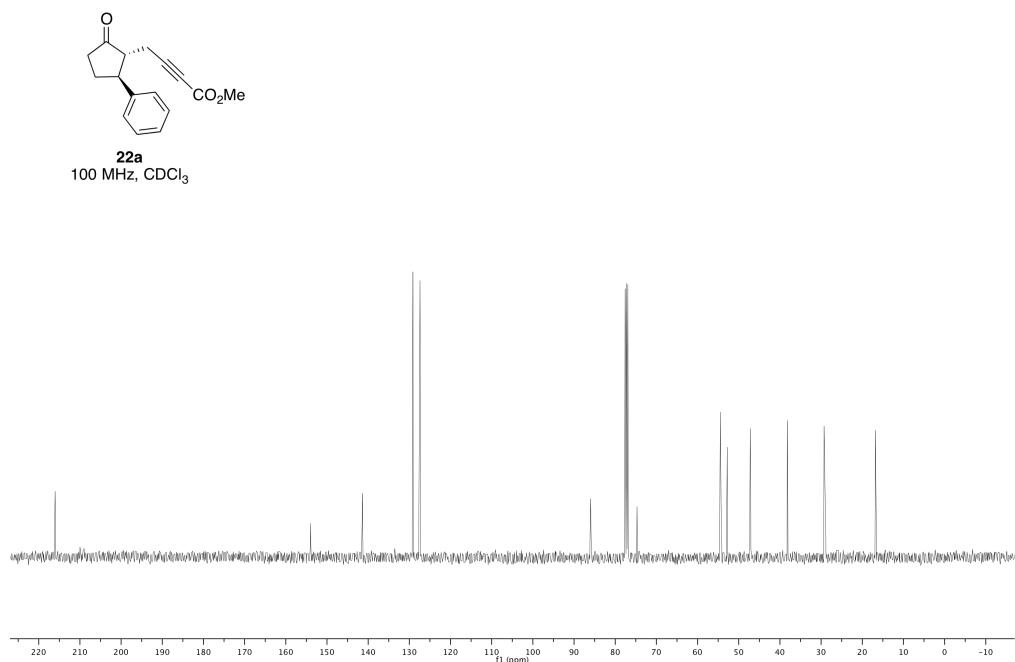


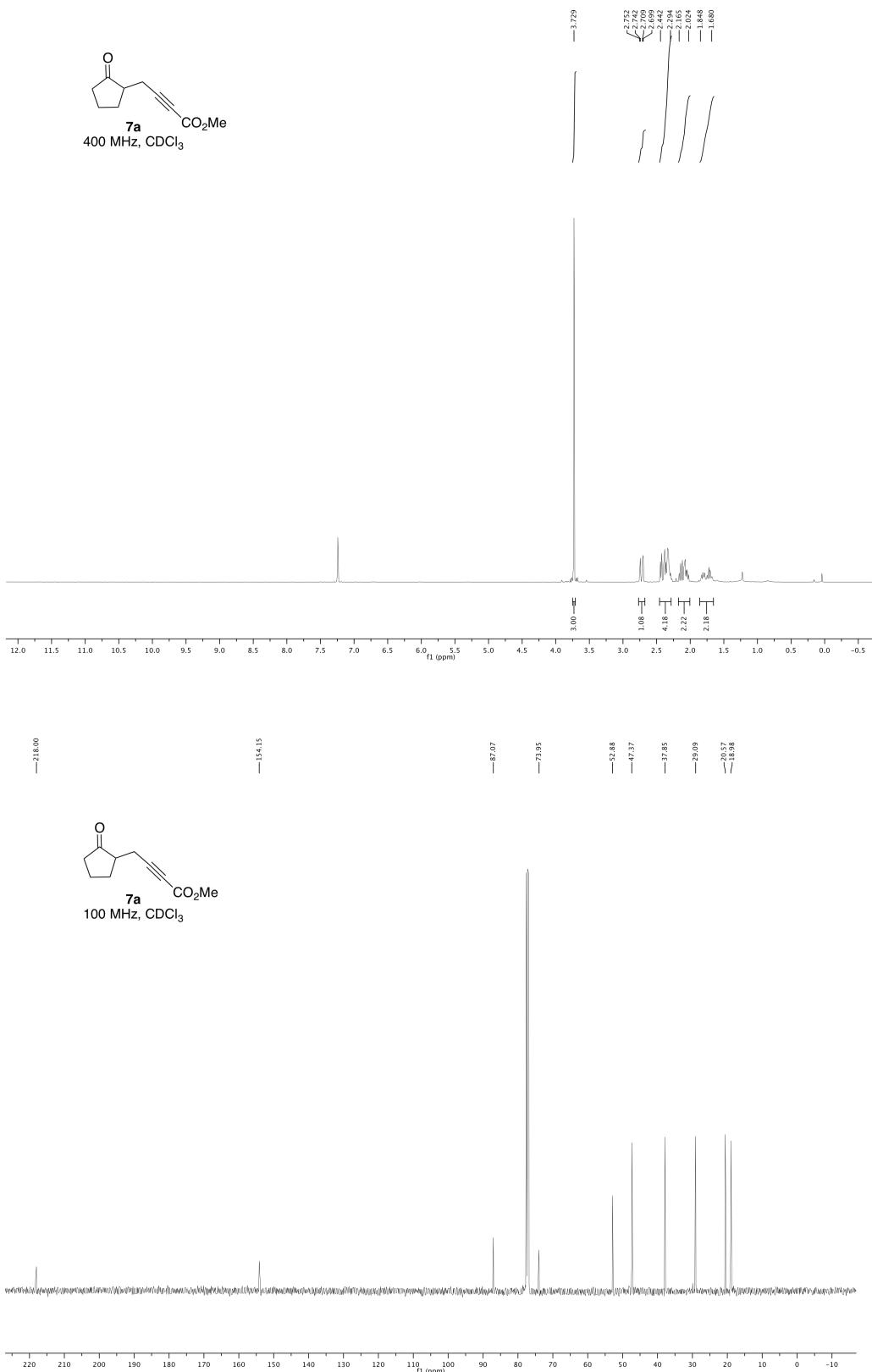


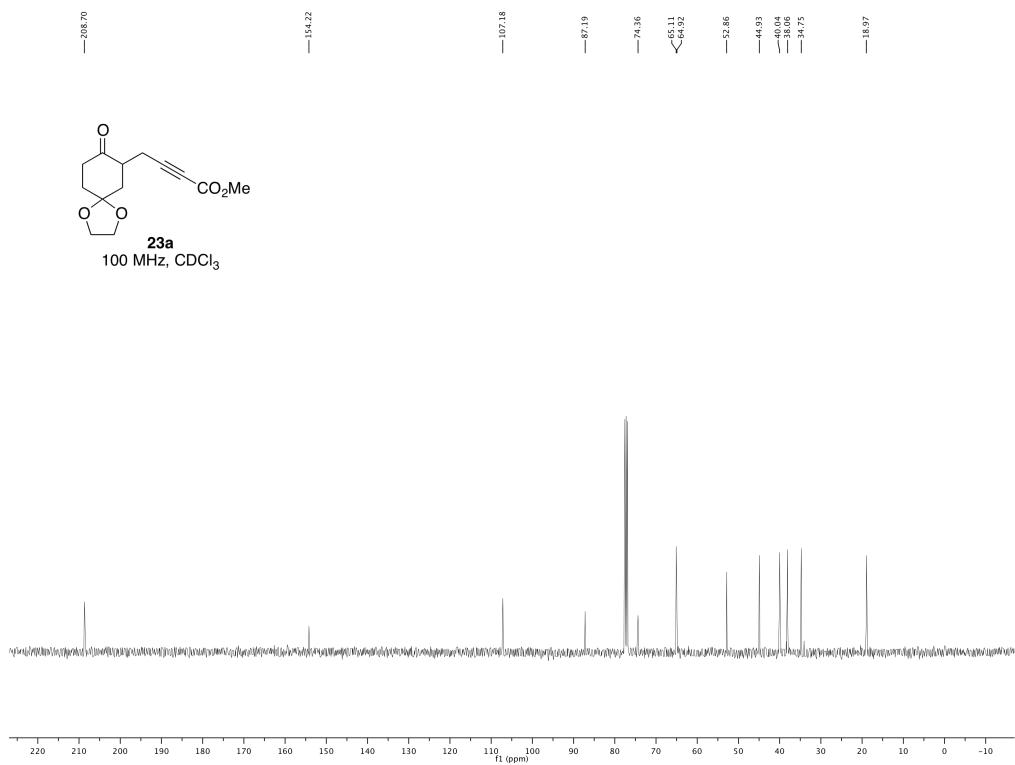
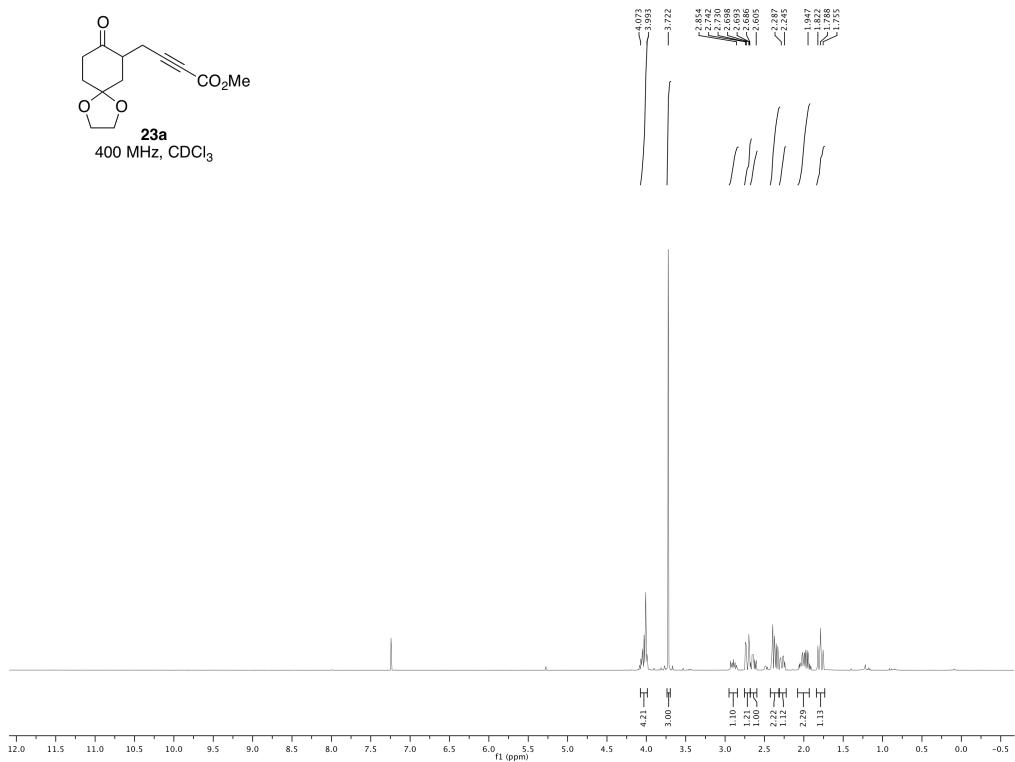


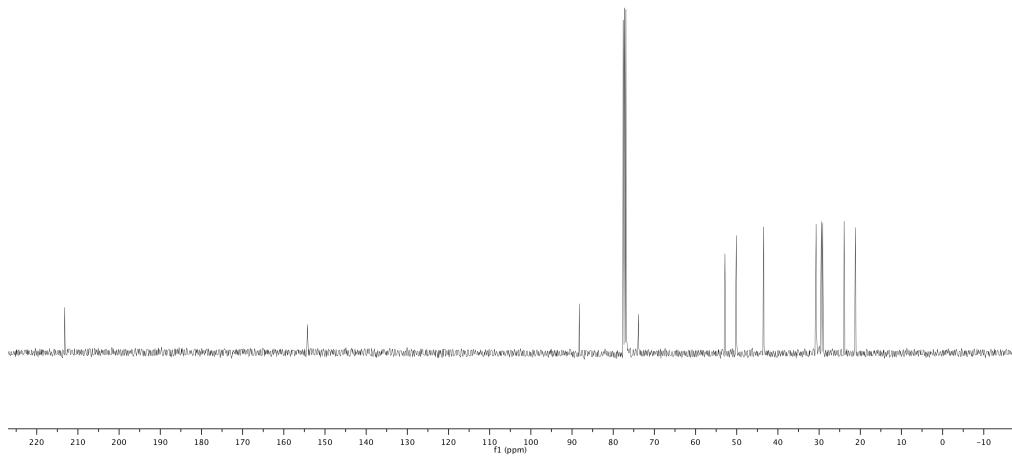
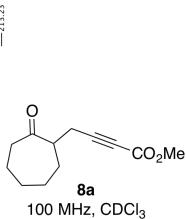
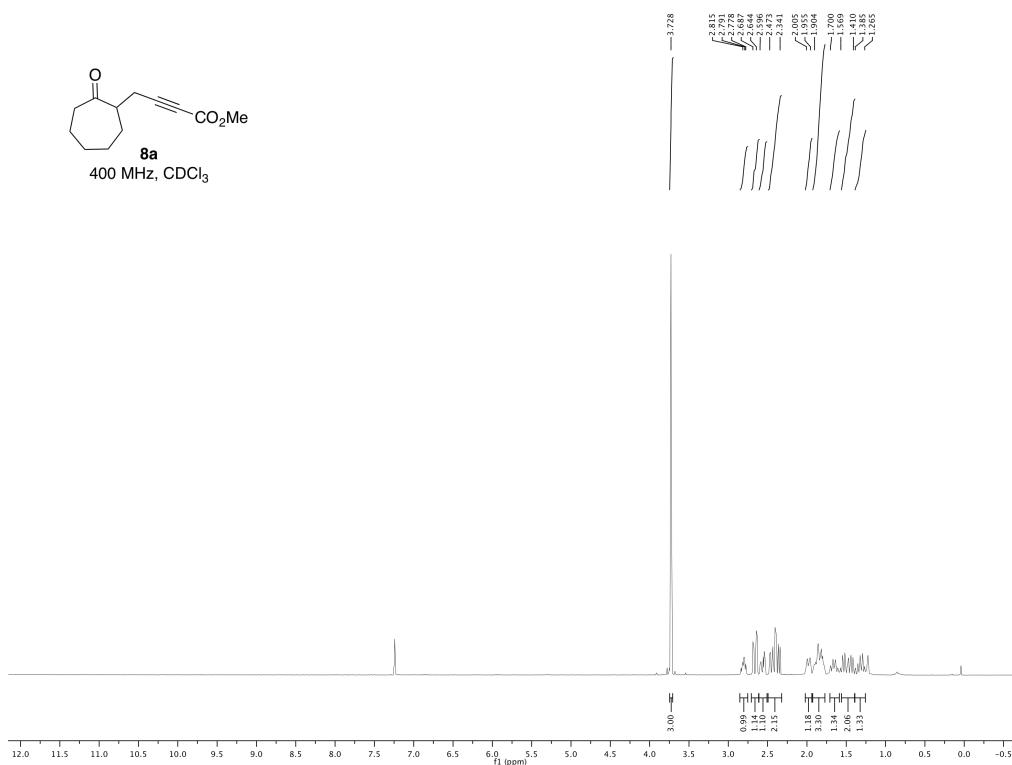
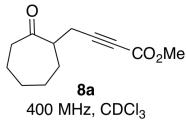


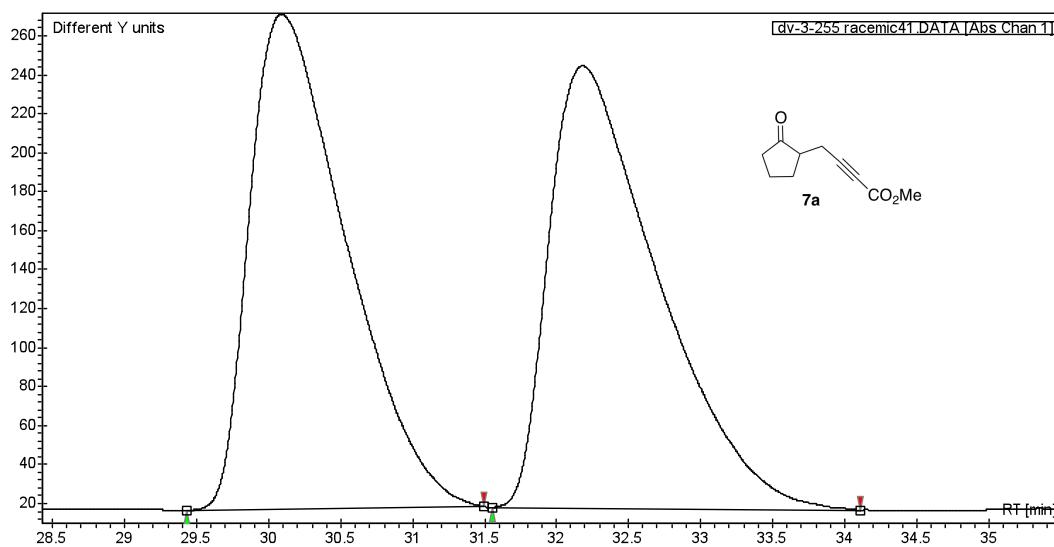
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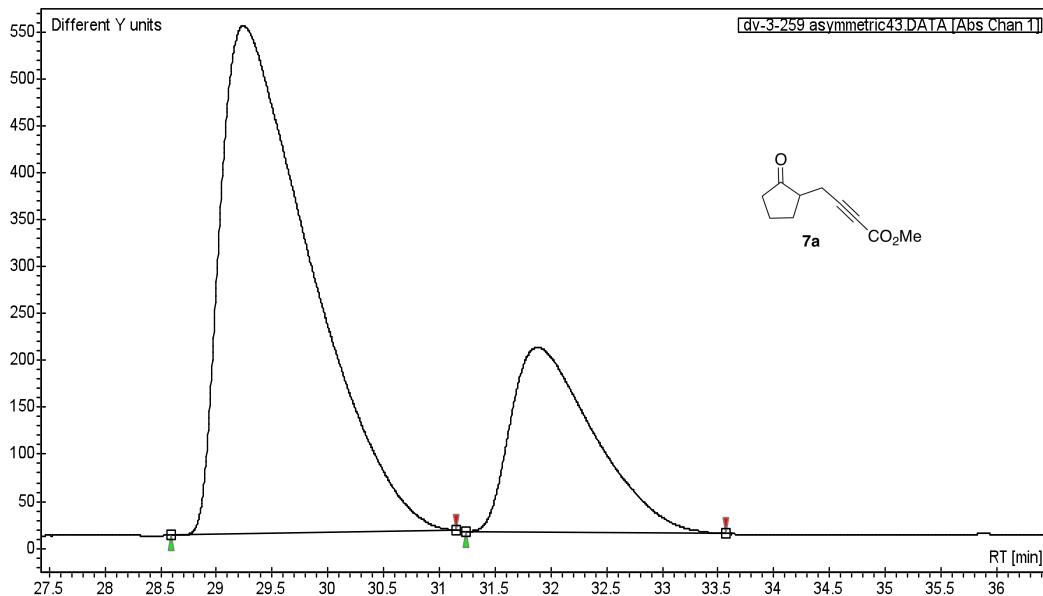




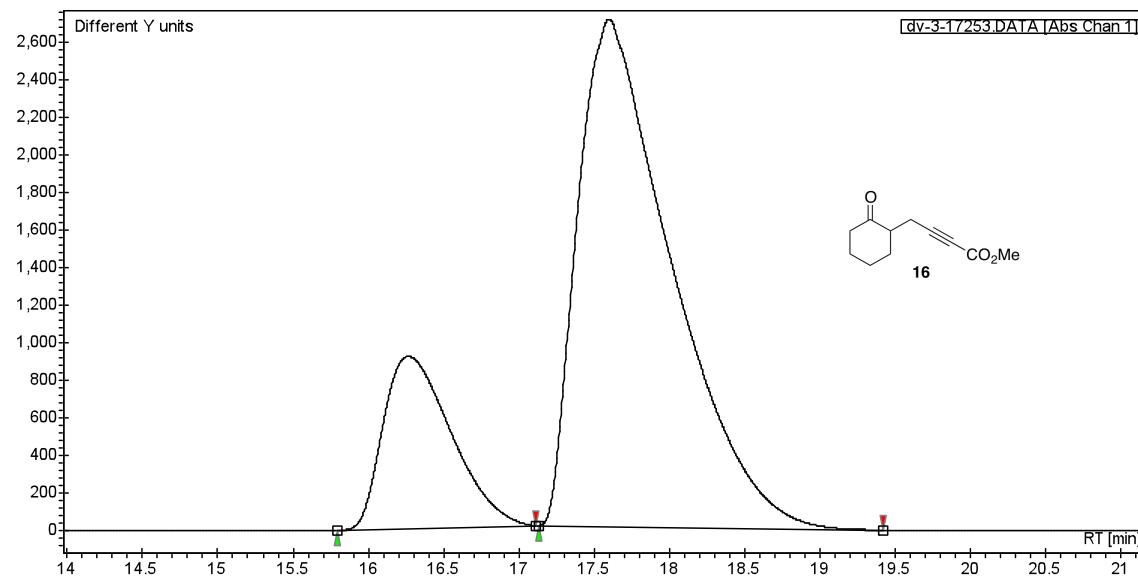
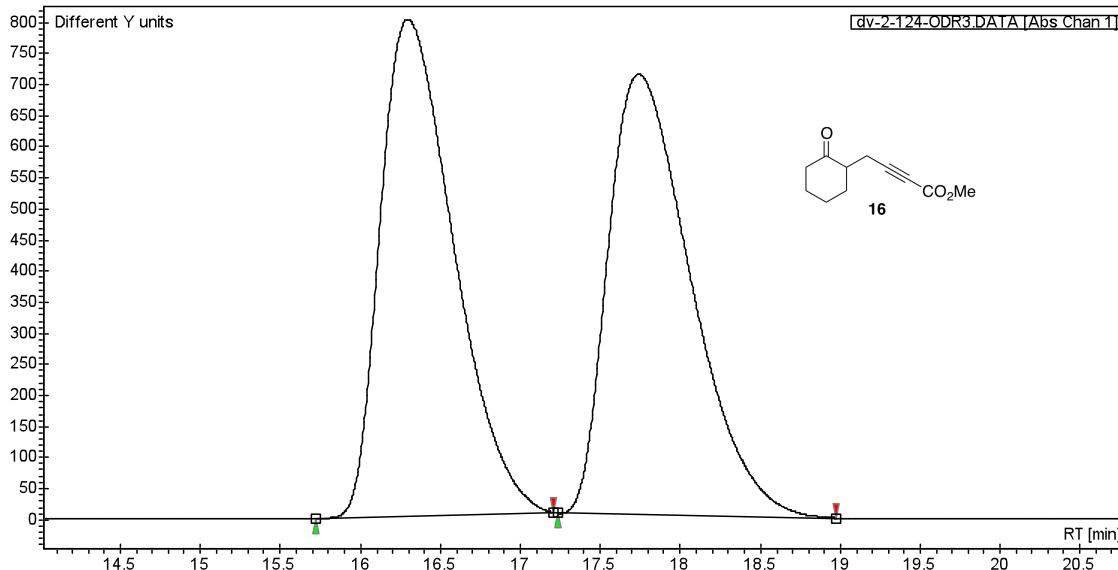


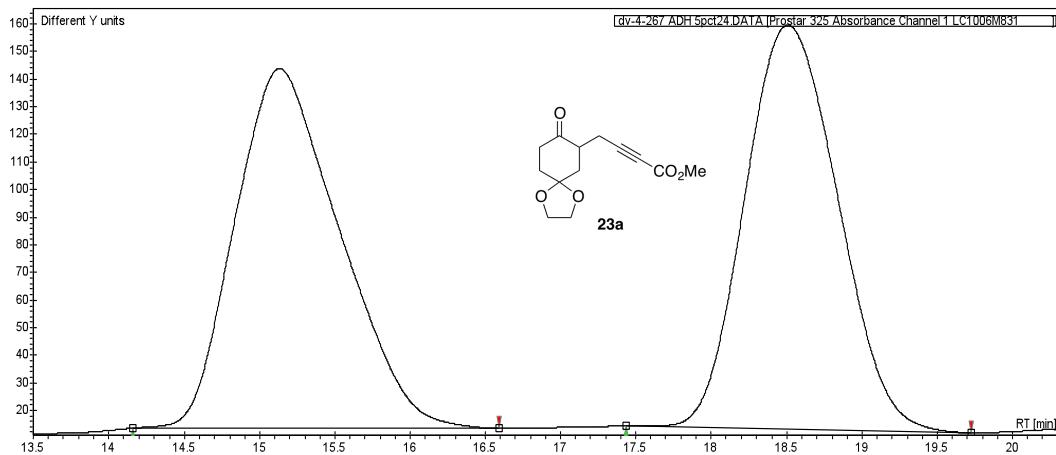


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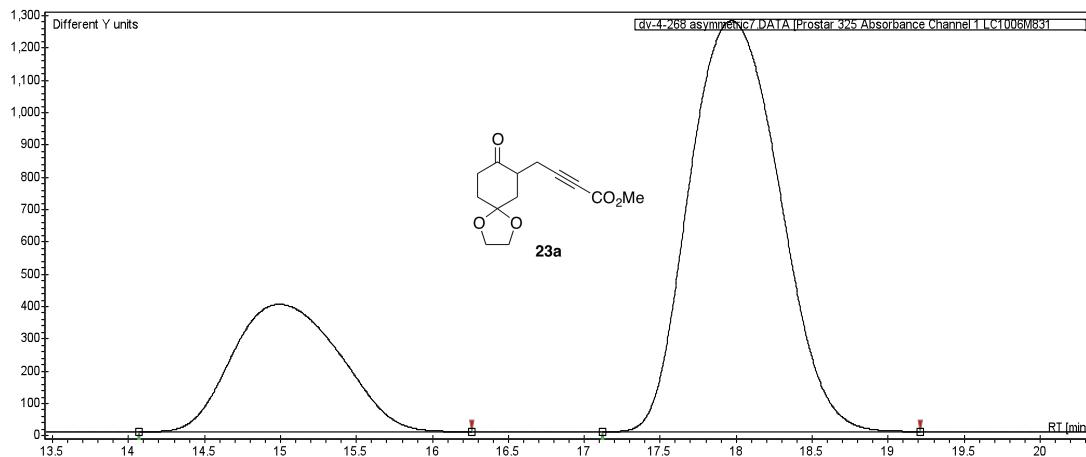


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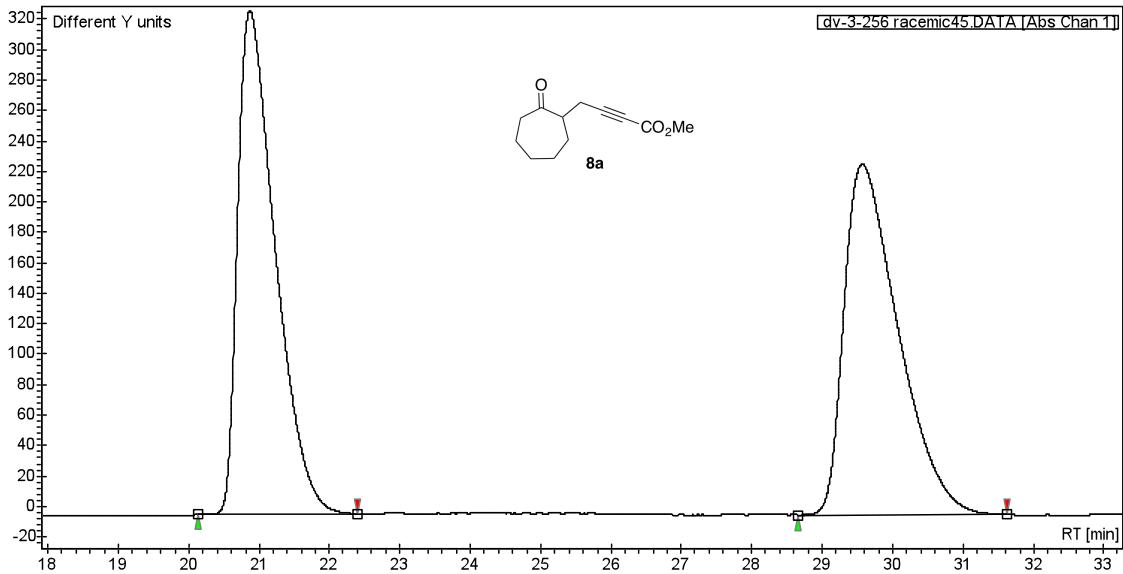
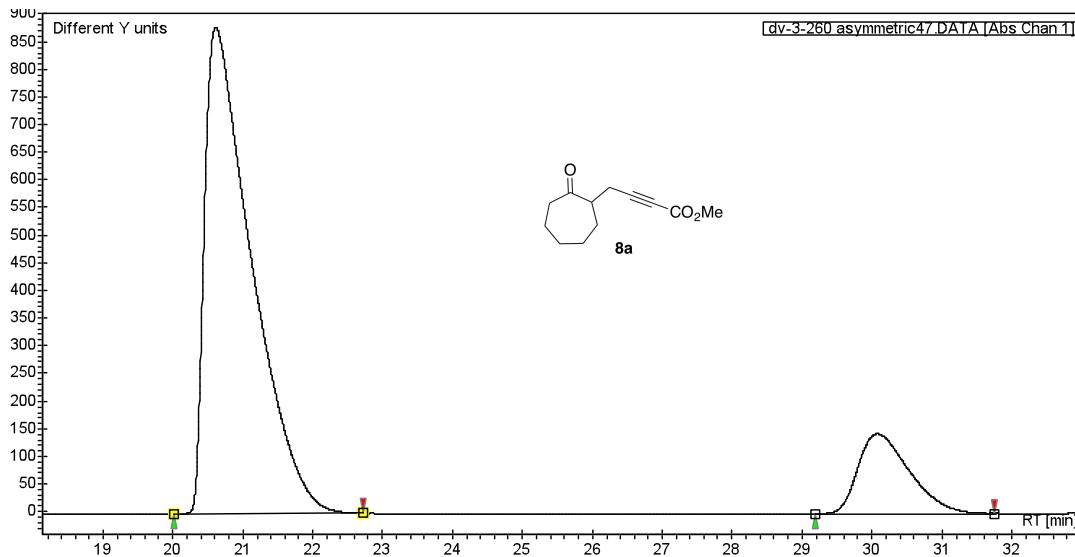


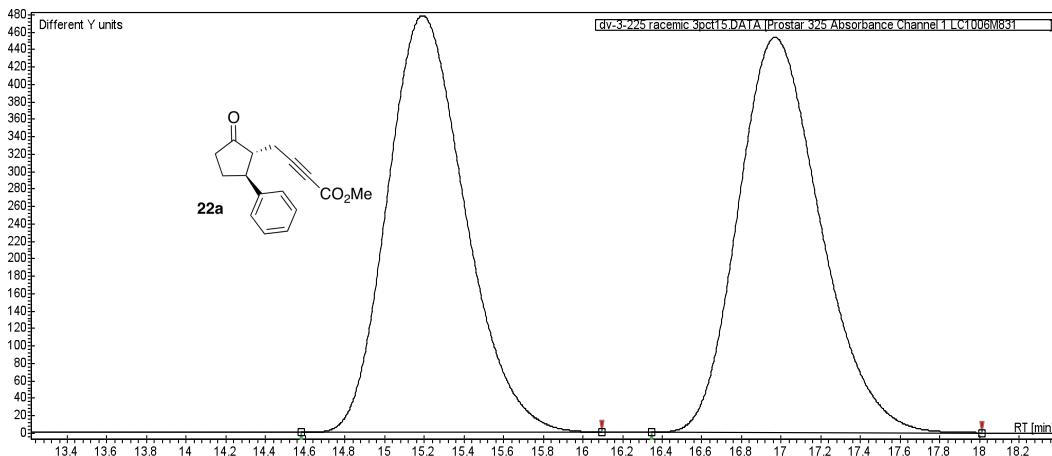


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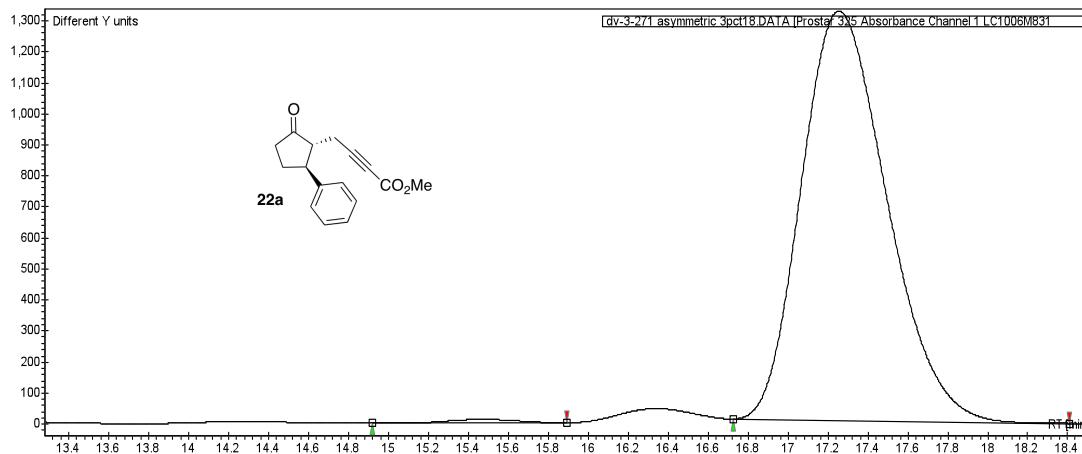


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| 1 | 14.99 | 27.06 | 394.3 | 324.5 | 27.061 |
| 2 | 17.97 | 72.94 | 1271.8 | 874.6 | 72.939 |



| # | Time [Min] | Quantity [% Area] | Height [mAU] | Area [mAU.Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------|------------|
| 1 | 15.19 | 49.92 | 478.2 | 217.0 | 49.915 |
| 2 | 16.97 | 50.08 | 453.4 | 217.8 | 50.085 |



| # | Time [Min] | Quantity [% Area] | Height [mAU] | Area [mAU.Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------|------------|
| 1 | 15.47 | 0.71 | 11.6 | 4.7 | 0.708 |
| 2 | 17.26 | 99.29 | 1321.3 | 654.0 | 99.292 |

X-Ray Crystallographic Data for Compound 3.

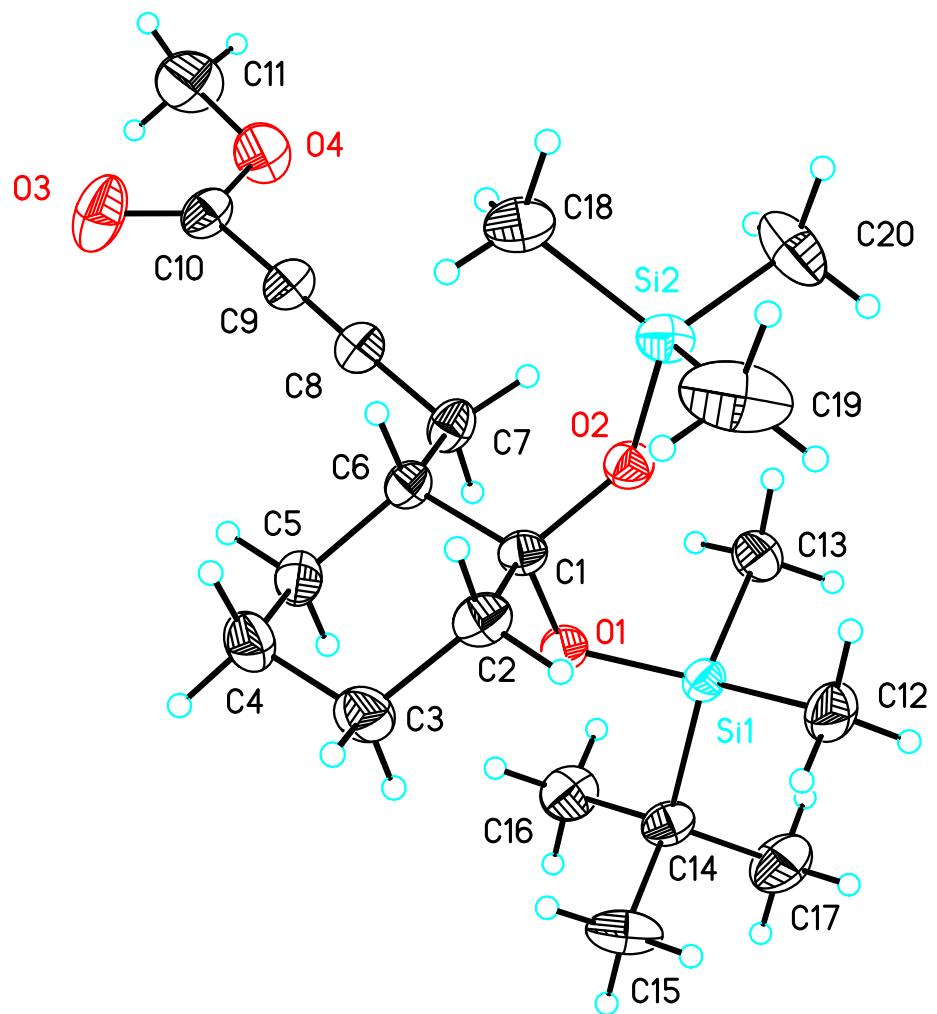


Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for YL_9X.

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Identification code | yl_9x | |
| Empirical formula | C20 H38 O4 Si2 | |
| Formula weight | 398.68 | |
| Temperature | 173(2) K | |
| Wavelength | 1.54178 Å | |
| Crystal system | Orthorhombic | |
| Space group | P2(1)2(1)2(1) | |
| Unit cell dimensions | a = 8.1472(2) Å b = 11.3292(3) Å c = 26.4033(7) Å | α= 90°. β= 90°. γ = 90°. |
| Volume | 2437.06(11) Å ³ | |
| Z | 4 | |
| Density (calculated) | 1.087 Mg/m ³ | |
| Absorption coefficient | 1.474 mm ⁻¹ | |
| F(000) | 872 | |
| Crystal size | 0.34 x 0.10 x 0.04 mm ³ | |
| Theta range for data collection | 3.35 to 67.95°. | |
| Index ranges | -9<=h<=8, -13<=k<=10, -29<=l<=27 | |
| Reflections collected | 19192 | |
| Independent reflections | 4059 [R(int) = 0.0223] | |
| Completeness to theta = 67.95° | 96.1 % | |
| Absorption correction | Semi-empirical from equivalents | |
| Max. and min. transmission | 0.9434 and 0.6342 | |
| Refinement method | Full-matrix least-squares on F ² | |
| Data / restraints / parameters | 4059 / 0 / 236 | |
| Goodness-of-fit on F ² | 1.040 | |
| Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] | R1 = 0.0305, wR2 = 0.0835 | |
| R indices (all data) | R1 = 0.0321, wR2 = 0.0848 | |
| Absolute structure parameter | 0.45(2) | |
| Largest diff. peak and hole | 0.265 and -0.157 e.Å ⁻³ | |

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for YL_9X. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

| | x | y | z | U(eq) |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|--------|
| C(1) | 7259(2) | 9942(2) | 8533(1) | 34(1) |
| C(2) | 6046(2) | 10284(2) | 8121(1) | 44(1) |
| C(3) | 4887(2) | 9279(2) | 7989(1) | 52(1) |
| C(4) | 5836(3) | 8158(2) | 7846(1) | 53(1) |
| C(5) | 7016(2) | 7821(2) | 8267(1) | 45(1) |
| C(6) | 8209(2) | 8824(2) | 8387(1) | 36(1) |
| C(7) | 9422(2) | 8495(2) | 8807(1) | 42(1) |
| C(8) | 10558(2) | 7554(2) | 8667(1) | 42(1) |
| C(9) | 11516(2) | 6790(2) | 8565(1) | 43(1) |
| C(10) | 12642(2) | 5848(2) | 8457(1) | 45(1) |
| C(11) | 15092(3) | 4932(2) | 8691(1) | 81(1) |
| C(12) | 5596(3) | 11967(2) | 9436(1) | 55(1) |
| C(13) | 8211(2) | 10373(2) | 9888(1) | 49(1) |
| C(14) | 4618(2) | 9516(2) | 9866(1) | 41(1) |
| C(15) | 3002(2) | 9559(2) | 9573(1) | 63(1) |
| C(16) | 5169(3) | 8232(2) | 9911(1) | 56(1) |
| C(17) | 4345(3) | 10009(2) | 10403(1) | 66(1) |
| C(18) | 10649(3) | 10993(3) | 7803(1) | 73(1) |
| C(19) | 8317(3) | 12989(3) | 8036(2) | 104(1) |
| C(20) | 11030(4) | 12347(2) | 8776(1) | 75(1) |
| O(1) | 6380(2) | 9689(1) | 8982(1) | 36(1) |
| O(2) | 8353(1) | 10878(1) | 8649(1) | 38(1) |
| O(3) | 12458(2) | 5137(2) | 8124(1) | 79(1) |
| O(4) | 13877(2) | 5843(1) | 8777(1) | 66(1) |
| Si(1) | 6247(1) | 10403(1) | 9526(1) | 33(1) |
| Si(2) | 9527(1) | 11772(1) | 8312(1) | 40(1) |

Table 3. Bond lengths [\AA] and angles [$^\circ$] for YL_9X.

| | |
|--------------|------------|
| C(1)-O(1) | 1.415(2) |
| C(1)-O(2) | 1.418(2) |
| C(1)-C(2) | 1.520(2) |
| C(1)-C(6) | 1.534(2) |
| C(2)-C(3) | 1.521(3) |
| C(2)-H(2A) | 0.9900 |
| C(2)-H(2B) | 0.9900 |
| C(3)-C(4) | 1.533(3) |
| C(3)-H(3A) | 0.9900 |
| C(3)-H(3B) | 0.9900 |
| C(4)-C(5) | 1.518(3) |
| C(4)-H(4A) | 0.9900 |
| C(4)-H(4B) | 0.9900 |
| C(5)-C(6) | 1.529(3) |
| C(5)-H(5A) | 0.9900 |
| C(5)-H(5B) | 0.9900 |
| C(6)-C(7) | 1.531(2) |
| C(6)-H(6A) | 1.0000 |
| C(7)-C(8) | 1.460(3) |
| C(7)-H(7A) | 0.9900 |
| C(7)-H(7B) | 0.9900 |
| C(8)-C(9) | 1.195(3) |
| C(9)-C(10) | 1.437(3) |
| C(10)-O(3) | 1.202(3) |
| C(10)-O(4) | 1.314(3) |
| C(11)-O(4) | 1.447(3) |
| C(11)-H(11A) | 0.9800 |
| C(11)-H(11B) | 0.9800 |
| C(11)-H(11C) | 0.9800 |
| C(12)-Si(1) | 1.8650(19) |
| C(12)-H(12A) | 0.9800 |
| C(12)-H(12B) | 0.9800 |
| C(12)-H(12C) | 0.9800 |
| C(13)-Si(1) | 1.8642(19) |

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|----------------|------------|
| C(13)-H(13A) | 0.9800 |
| C(13)-H(13B) | 0.9800 |
| C(13)-H(13C) | 0.9800 |
| C(14)-C(16) | 1.528(3) |
| C(14)-C(15) | 1.528(3) |
| C(14)-C(17) | 1.539(3) |
| C(14)-Si(1) | 1.8915(18) |
| C(15)-H(15A) | 0.9800 |
| C(15)-H(15B) | 0.9800 |
| C(15)-H(15C) | 0.9800 |
| C(16)-H(16A) | 0.9800 |
| C(16)-H(16B) | 0.9800 |
| C(16)-H(16C) | 0.9800 |
| C(17)-H(17A) | 0.9800 |
| C(17)-H(17B) | 0.9800 |
| C(17)-H(17C) | 0.9800 |
| C(18)-Si(2) | 1.850(2) |
| C(18)-H(18A) | 0.9800 |
| C(18)-H(18B) | 0.9800 |
| C(18)-H(18C) | 0.9800 |
| C(19)-Si(2) | 1.845(2) |
| C(19)-H(19A) | 0.9800 |
| C(19)-H(19B) | 0.9800 |
| C(19)-H(19C) | 0.9800 |
| C(20)-Si(2) | 1.851(2) |
| C(20)-H(20A) | 0.9800 |
| C(20)-H(20B) | 0.9800 |
| C(20)-H(20C) | 0.9800 |
| O(1)-Si(1) | 1.6502(12) |
| O(2)-Si(2) | 1.6529(12) |
| | |
| O(1)-C(1)-O(2) | 106.80(13) |
| O(1)-C(1)-C(2) | 108.82(14) |
| O(2)-C(1)-C(2) | 111.84(14) |
| O(1)-C(1)-C(6) | 107.36(14) |
| O(2)-C(1)-C(6) | 110.75(13) |

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|------------------|------------|
| C(2)-C(1)-C(6) | 111.05(14) |
| C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | 112.13(16) |
| C(1)-C(2)-H(2A) | 109.2 |
| C(3)-C(2)-H(2A) | 109.2 |
| C(1)-C(2)-H(2B) | 109.2 |
| C(3)-C(2)-H(2B) | 109.2 |
| H(2A)-C(2)-H(2B) | 107.9 |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4) | 111.32(16) |
| C(2)-C(3)-H(3A) | 109.4 |
| C(4)-C(3)-H(3A) | 109.4 |
| C(2)-C(3)-H(3B) | 109.4 |
| C(4)-C(3)-H(3B) | 109.4 |
| H(3A)-C(3)-H(3B) | 108.0 |
| C(5)-C(4)-C(3) | 110.34(17) |
| C(5)-C(4)-H(4A) | 109.6 |
| C(3)-C(4)-H(4A) | 109.6 |
| C(5)-C(4)-H(4B) | 109.6 |
| C(3)-C(4)-H(4B) | 109.6 |
| H(4A)-C(4)-H(4B) | 108.1 |
| C(4)-C(5)-C(6) | 111.59(16) |
| C(4)-C(5)-H(5A) | 109.3 |
| C(6)-C(5)-H(5A) | 109.3 |
| C(4)-C(5)-H(5B) | 109.3 |
| C(6)-C(5)-H(5B) | 109.3 |
| H(5A)-C(5)-H(5B) | 108.0 |
| C(5)-C(6)-C(7) | 112.37(15) |
| C(5)-C(6)-C(1) | 110.20(14) |
| C(7)-C(6)-C(1) | 110.19(14) |
| C(5)-C(6)-H(6A) | 108.0 |
| C(7)-C(6)-H(6A) | 108.0 |
| C(1)-C(6)-H(6A) | 108.0 |
| C(8)-C(7)-C(6) | 113.79(16) |
| C(8)-C(7)-H(7A) | 108.8 |
| C(6)-C(7)-H(7A) | 108.8 |
| C(8)-C(7)-H(7B) | 108.8 |
| C(6)-C(7)-H(7B) | 108.8 |

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|---------------------|------------|
| H(7A)-C(7)-H(7B) | 107.7 |
| C(9)-C(8)-C(7) | 177.9(2) |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10) | 178.0(2) |
| O(3)-C(10)-O(4) | 124.29(19) |
| O(3)-C(10)-C(9) | 124.4(2) |
| O(4)-C(10)-C(9) | 111.33(18) |
| O(4)-C(11)-H(11A) | 109.5 |
| O(4)-C(11)-H(11B) | 109.5 |
| H(11A)-C(11)-H(11B) | 109.5 |
| O(4)-C(11)-H(11C) | 109.5 |
| H(11A)-C(11)-H(11C) | 109.5 |
| H(11B)-C(11)-H(11C) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(12)-H(12A) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(12)-H(12B) | 109.5 |
| H(12A)-C(12)-H(12B) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(12)-H(12C) | 109.5 |
| H(12A)-C(12)-H(12C) | 109.5 |
| H(12B)-C(12)-H(12C) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(13)-H(13A) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(13)-H(13B) | 109.5 |
| H(13A)-C(13)-H(13B) | 109.5 |
| Si(1)-C(13)-H(13C) | 109.5 |
| H(13A)-C(13)-H(13C) | 109.5 |
| H(13B)-C(13)-H(13C) | 109.5 |
| C(16)-C(14)-C(15) | 108.83(19) |
| C(16)-C(14)-C(17) | 108.46(17) |
| C(15)-C(14)-C(17) | 109.25(18) |
| C(16)-C(14)-Si(1) | 109.67(13) |
| C(15)-C(14)-Si(1) | 110.28(13) |
| C(17)-C(14)-Si(1) | 110.30(15) |
| C(14)-C(15)-H(15A) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(15)-H(15B) | 109.5 |
| H(15A)-C(15)-H(15B) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(15)-H(15C) | 109.5 |
| H(15A)-C(15)-H(15C) | 109.5 |
| H(15B)-C(15)-H(15C) | 109.5 |

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| C(14)-C(16)-H(16A) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(16)-H(16B) | 109.5 |
| H(16A)-C(16)-H(16B) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(16)-H(16C) | 109.5 |
| H(16A)-C(16)-H(16C) | 109.5 |
| H(16B)-C(16)-H(16C) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(17)-H(17A) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(17)-H(17B) | 109.5 |
| H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B) | 109.5 |
| C(14)-C(17)-H(17C) | 109.5 |
| H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C) | 109.5 |
| H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(18)-H(18A) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(18)-H(18B) | 109.5 |
| H(18A)-C(18)-H(18B) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(18)-H(18C) | 109.5 |
| H(18A)-C(18)-H(18C) | 109.5 |
| H(18B)-C(18)-H(18C) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(19)-H(19A) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(19)-H(19B) | 109.5 |
| H(19A)-C(19)-H(19B) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(19)-H(19C) | 109.5 |
| H(19A)-C(19)-H(19C) | 109.5 |
| H(19B)-C(19)-H(19C) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(20)-H(20A) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(20)-H(20B) | 109.5 |
| H(20A)-C(20)-H(20B) | 109.5 |
| Si(2)-C(20)-H(20C) | 109.5 |
| H(20A)-C(20)-H(20C) | 109.5 |
| H(20B)-C(20)-H(20C) | 109.5 |
| C(1)-O(1)-Si(1) | 131.50(11) |
| C(1)-O(2)-Si(2) | 134.90(11) |
| C(10)-O(4)-C(11) | 115.21(19) |
| O(1)-Si(1)-C(13) | 112.35(8) |
| O(1)-Si(1)-C(12) | 111.95(9) |
| C(13)-Si(1)-C(12) | 109.05(11) |

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|-------------------|------------|
| O(1)-Si(1)-C(14) | 101.50(8) |
| C(13)-Si(1)-C(14) | 110.41(9) |
| C(12)-Si(1)-C(14) | 111.44(9) |
| O(2)-Si(2)-C(19) | 111.20(11) |
| O(2)-Si(2)-C(18) | 112.63(10) |
| C(19)-Si(2)-C(18) | 109.51(16) |
| O(2)-Si(2)-C(20) | 104.01(9) |
| C(19)-Si(2)-C(20) | 110.58(15) |
| C(18)-Si(2)-C(20) | 108.78(14) |

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for YL_9X. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{23} | U^{13} | U^{12} |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| C(1) | 33(1) | 38(1) | 33(1) | 2(1) | 3(1) | 0(1) |
| C(2) | 41(1) | 51(1) | 39(1) | 5(1) | -2(1) | 9(1) |
| C(3) | 42(1) | 66(1) | 49(1) | -2(1) | -11(1) | -1(1) |
| C(4) | 55(1) | 58(1) | 47(1) | -11(1) | -7(1) | -9(1) |
| C(5) | 51(1) | 41(1) | 43(1) | -6(1) | 2(1) | 0(1) |
| C(6) | 38(1) | 39(1) | 32(1) | -1(1) | 2(1) | 3(1) |
| C(7) | 46(1) | 44(1) | 37(1) | -2(1) | -3(1) | 13(1) |
| C(8) | 45(1) | 43(1) | 37(1) | 3(1) | 0(1) | 5(1) |
| C(9) | 47(1) | 42(1) | 41(1) | 6(1) | 2(1) | 8(1) |
| C(10) | 51(1) | 40(1) | 45(1) | 6(1) | 9(1) | 10(1) |
| C(11) | 56(1) | 60(2) | 127(3) | 4(2) | -10(2) | 23(1) |
| C(12) | 59(1) | 33(1) | 72(2) | 0(1) | 9(1) | 9(1) |
| C(13) | 43(1) | 57(1) | 47(1) | -8(1) | -8(1) | -3(1) |
| C(14) | 38(1) | 45(1) | 40(1) | 7(1) | 7(1) | 4(1) |
| C(15) | 34(1) | 80(2) | 75(2) | 26(1) | 4(1) | -6(1) |
| C(16) | 62(1) | 45(1) | 59(1) | 14(1) | 13(1) | 0(1) |
| C(17) | 71(2) | 77(2) | 52(1) | 2(1) | 22(1) | 6(1) |
| C(18) | 66(2) | 83(2) | 69(2) | -5(1) | 31(1) | -19(1) |
| C(19) | 62(2) | 78(2) | 170(3) | 78(2) | -3(2) | 9(1) |
| C(20) | 89(2) | 66(2) | 69(2) | 8(1) | -17(1) | -39(1) |
| O(1) | 36(1) | 38(1) | 34(1) | 0(1) | 4(1) | -3(1) |
| O(2) | 38(1) | 36(1) | 39(1) | 2(1) | 4(1) | -1(1) |
| O(3) | 96(1) | 74(1) | 66(1) | -19(1) | -11(1) | 39(1) |
| O(4) | 53(1) | 54(1) | 90(1) | -6(1) | -18(1) | 17(1) |
| Si(1) | 32(1) | 31(1) | 36(1) | -2(1) | 3(1) | 3(1) |
| Si(2) | 35(1) | 38(1) | 46(1) | 11(1) | 1(1) | 1(1) |

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$) for YL_9X.

| | x | y | z | U(eq) |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| H(2A) | 6658 | 10522 | 7814 | 52 |
| H(2B) | 5397 | 10972 | 8236 | 52 |
| H(3A) | 4180 | 9518 | 7702 | 62 |
| H(3B) | 4169 | 9111 | 8283 | 62 |
| H(4A) | 5054 | 7504 | 7786 | 64 |
| H(4B) | 6455 | 8296 | 7529 | 64 |
| H(5A) | 7644 | 7113 | 8164 | 54 |
| H(5B) | 6384 | 7620 | 8575 | 54 |
| H(6A) | 8853 | 8999 | 8074 | 44 |
| H(7A) | 10064 | 9205 | 8900 | 51 |
| H(7B) | 8797 | 8246 | 9110 | 51 |
| H(11A) | 15959 | 4995 | 8947 | 121 |
| H(11B) | 15570 | 5030 | 8353 | 121 |
| H(11C) | 14570 | 4155 | 8715 | 121 |
| H(12A) | 6464 | 12402 | 9259 | 82 |
| H(12B) | 5394 | 12330 | 9767 | 82 |
| H(12C) | 4587 | 11990 | 9234 | 82 |
| H(13A) | 8559 | 9553 | 9937 | 74 |
| H(13B) | 8049 | 10749 | 10218 | 74 |
| H(13C) | 9057 | 10802 | 9698 | 74 |
| H(15A) | 2170 | 9096 | 9753 | 94 |
| H(15B) | 3166 | 9230 | 9234 | 94 |
| H(15C) | 2633 | 10380 | 9545 | 94 |
| H(16A) | 4322 | 7775 | 10087 | 83 |
| H(16B) | 6197 | 8193 | 10103 | 83 |
| H(16C) | 5340 | 7903 | 9572 | 83 |
| H(17A) | 3500 | 9541 | 10575 | 100 |
| H(17B) | 3986 | 10833 | 10381 | 100 |
| H(17C) | 5373 | 9965 | 10594 | 100 |
| H(18A) | 9864 | 10686 | 7554 | 109 |

| | | | | |
|--------|-------|-------|------|-----|
| H(18B) | 11274 | 10336 | 7948 | 109 |
| H(18C) | 11404 | 11543 | 7636 | 109 |
| H(19A) | 7722 | 13401 | 8306 | 156 |
| H(19B) | 7532 | 12670 | 7790 | 156 |
| H(19C) | 9056 | 13544 | 7865 | 156 |
| H(20A) | 10449 | 12766 | 9046 | 113 |
| H(20B) | 11786 | 12890 | 8606 | 113 |
| H(20C) | 11652 | 11688 | 8921 | 113 |

Table 6. Torsion angles [°] for YL_9X.

| | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| O(1)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | -63.2(2) |
| O(2)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | 179.07(15) |
| C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | 54.8(2) |
| C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4) | -54.6(2) |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5) | 55.2(2) |
| C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6) | -57.1(2) |
| C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7) | -179.36(16) |
| C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1) | 57.3(2) |
| O(1)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5) | 63.41(18) |
| O(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5) | 179.66(14) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5) | -55.44(19) |
| O(1)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7) | -61.16(18) |
| O(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7) | 55.10(19) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7) | 179.99(15) |
| C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8) | 65.8(2) |
| C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8) | -170.86(16) |
| C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9) | 169(6) |
| C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10) | 76(10) |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-O(3) | 96(7) |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-O(4) | -82(7) |
| O(2)-C(1)-O(1)-Si(1) | 11.1(2) |
| C(2)-C(1)-O(1)-Si(1) | -109.80(16) |
| C(6)-C(1)-O(1)-Si(1) | 129.92(13) |
| O(1)-C(1)-O(2)-Si(2) | -168.37(11) |
| C(2)-C(1)-O(2)-Si(2) | -49.4(2) |
| C(6)-C(1)-O(2)-Si(2) | 75.04(19) |
| O(3)-C(10)-O(4)-C(11) | 2.7(3) |
| C(9)-C(10)-O(4)-C(11) | -179.03(19) |
| C(1)-O(1)-Si(1)-C(13) | -68.60(17) |
| C(1)-O(1)-Si(1)-C(12) | 54.51(17) |
| C(1)-O(1)-Si(1)-C(14) | 173.47(15) |
| C(16)-C(14)-Si(1)-O(1) | 58.20(15) |
| C(15)-C(14)-Si(1)-O(1) | -61.64(17) |
| C(17)-C(14)-Si(1)-O(1) | 177.60(14) |

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| C(16)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(13) | -61.13(17) |
| C(15)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(13) | 179.04(16) |
| C(17)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(13) | 58.27(17) |
| C(16)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(12) | 177.52(15) |
| C(15)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(12) | 57.69(19) |
| C(17)-C(14)-Si(1)-C(12) | -63.08(17) |
| C(1)-O(2)-Si(2)-C(19) | 79.8(2) |
| C(1)-O(2)-Si(2)-C(18) | -43.54(19) |
| C(1)-O(2)-Si(2)-C(20) | -161.16(17) |
