

## **Supporting Information**

for

### **A one-pot synthesis of 3-trifluoromethyl-2-isoxazolines from trifluoromethyl aldoxime**

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### **General methods, synthetic procedure, spectroscopic data, $^1\text{H}$ NMR, $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR and $^{19}\text{F}$ NMR of compounds of 2, 1a–j, 1l–n, 7a, 7b, 6 and computational results**

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## General information

Commercial reagents were purchased from suppliers and used as received.  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  was distilled under nitrogen from  $\text{CaH}_2$  prior to use. Flash chromatography was performed on commercial 40–63  $\mu\text{m}$  silica gel. Thin layer chromatography was performed on precoated aluminium sheets (0.2 mm). The compounds were visualized under a 254 nm UV light.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra,  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR spectra and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded on apparatus at respectively 200 MHz  $^1\text{H}$ , 235.6 MHz  $^{19}\text{F}$ , 75 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$  or 400 MHz  $^1\text{H}$ , 376.2 MHz  $^{19}\text{F}$ , 100.5 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$ . Chemical shift values ( $\delta$ ) are reported in ppm downfield from  $\text{Me}_4\text{Si}$  ( $\delta$  0.0 ppm),  $\text{CFCl}_3$  or  $\text{CDCl}_3$  as internal standard ( $\delta$  77.0 ppm). Data are reported as follows: chemical shift ( $\delta$  ppm), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), integration, coupling constant (Hz). NMR peak assignments have been made on the basis of HMQC, HMBC, and  $^1\text{H},^1\text{H}$  COSY spectra. Infrared (FT-IR) spectra were performed with neat films.

### 1. Characteristics for compounds **2**, **1a–j**, **1l–n**, **7a**, **7b**, **6**

## General Procedure for the Synthesis 2,2,2-trifluoroacetaldehyde oxime **2** :

2,2,2-trifluoroethane-1,1-diol (22.5 g, 0.194 mol, 1 eq.) was added to an aqueous solution of hydroxylamine (30%) (7.68 g, 0.232 mol, 1.2 eq.). The reaction stirred for 24 h under argon atmosphere. The crude product was purified by a fractional distillation.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.7 (s, 1H), 7.5 (q,  $J$  = 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.2 (s,  $\frac{1}{2} \text{H}_2\text{O}$ ).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  139.7 (q,  $J$  = 37.5 Hz), 119.7 (q,  $J$  = 270.0 Hz).  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -65.50 (d,  $J$  = 4.2 Hz).

## General Procedure for the Synthesis Isoxazoles **1**:

At a solution of DIB (2.0 mmol) and olefin (1.0 mmol) in dichloromethane (2 mL) the 2,2,2-trifluoroacetaldehyde oxime **2** (1.0 mmol) in dichloromethane (1 mL) was added slowly at 0°C. The media was warmed at room temperature and upon consumption of starting olefin (TLC, and  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR of the crude). The mixture was concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (5% ethyl acetate/cyclohexane).

**Synthesis of 5-benzyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole **1a**:** colorless oil, 174 mg, 76%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.54-7.12 (m, 5H), 5.13 (ddd,  $J$  = 14.4, 10.8, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.28-3.07 (m, 2H), 2.91 (ddd,  $J$  = 11.2, 9.2, 4.0 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  148.64 (q,  $J$  = 37.3 Hz), 135.4, 129.3, 128.7, 127.1, 119.6 (q,  $J$  = 271.2 Hz), 84.0, 40.5, 36.3.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -67.01 (s). IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 1625. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_3\text{NO}$ : C, 57.64; H, 4.40; N, 6.11. Found : C, 57.65; H, 4.51; N, 5.99.

**Synthesis of benzyl (3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)methylcarbamate **1b**:** oil, 272 mg, 90%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.39-7.29 (m, 5H), 5.11 (s, 2H), 5.01-4.92 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.41 (m, 2H) 3.22 (dd,  $J$  = 11.4, 17.4 Hz, 1H), 2.99 (dd,  $J$  = 7.8, 17.7 Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.8, 149.2 (q,  $J$  = 38.0 Hz), 136.1, 128.5, 128.3, 128.0, 119.7 (q,  $J$  = 282.0 Hz), 82.3, 67.2, 43.6, 34.5.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188

MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -66.92 (s). Anal. Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>13</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 51.66; H, 4.43 ; N, 9.27 . Found : C, 52.01 ; H, 4.56 ; N, 9.34.

**Synthesis of tert-butyl (3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)methylcarbamate 1c:** white solid, 243 mg, 91%, mp 67-70°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 4.98 (ddd, *J* = 11.5, 8.0, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (s, 1H), 3.44 (m, 2H), 3.24 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 11.1 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.3, 149.2 (q, *J* = 36.8 Hz), 119.5 (q, *J* = 271.2 Hz), 82.5, 79.9, 43.1, 34.3, 28.1. <sup>19</sup>F (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -67.02 (s). IR (v,cm<sup>-1</sup>): 1725; 1643. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>15</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 44.78 ; H, 5.64 ; N, 10.44 . Found : C, 44.70 ; H, 5.62 ; N, 10.57.

**Synthesis of ethyl 9-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)nonanoate 1d:** white solid, 206 mg, 64%, mp 30-32°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 4.82 (m, 1H), 4.11 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.20 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.79-1.56 (m, 4H), 1.30 (s, 10H), 1.24 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 173.8, 148.5 (q, *J* = 37.1 Hz), 119.8 (q, *J* = 270.8 Hz), 83.9, 60.1, 36.9, 34.8, 34.3, 29.2, 29.1, 29.05, 29.0, 25.0, 24.9, 14.2. <sup>19</sup>F (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -67.18 (s). IR (v,cm<sup>-1</sup>): 2914, 1725, 1661. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>24</sub>F<sub>3</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>: C, 55.72; H, 7.48; N, 4.33. Found : C, 55.69; H, 7.53; N, 4.41.

**Synthesis of 9-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)-nonanoic acid 1e:** white solid, 150 mg, 51%, mp 57-60°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.8 (large s, 1H), 4.8 (m, 1H), 3.2 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.78 (dd, *J* = 16.5, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 2.3 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.82-1.5 (m, 4H), 1.47-1.16 (m, 10H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 180.0, 148.8 (q, *J* = 37.3 Hz), 119.8 (q, *J* = 274.8 Hz), 83.9, 36.9, 34.8, 33.9, 29.1, 29.0, 28.9, 25.0, 24.6. <sup>19</sup>F (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -66.97 (s). IR (v,cm<sup>-1</sup>): 2851, 1711, 1623. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>20</sub>F<sub>3</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>: C, 52.88 ; H, 6.83 ; N, 4.74 . Found : C, 52.75 ; H, 6.94 ; N, 4.85.

**Synthesis of 5-(4-bromophenyl)-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole 1f:** colorless oil, 164 mg, 56%; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.8 (dd, *J* = 11.4, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (ddq, *J* = 17.5, 11.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 3.14 (ddq, *J* = 17.5, 8.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 148.4 (q, *J* = 37.4 Hz), 137.8, 132.2, 127.4, 123.0, 119.5 (q, *J* = 271.3 Hz), 84.0, 39.9. <sup>19</sup>F (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -66.69 (s). IR (v,cm<sup>-1</sup>): 1629. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>7</sub>F<sub>3</sub>NOBr: C, 40.84 ; H, 2.40 ; N, 4.76 . Found : C, 40.86 ; H, 2.49 ; N, 4.82.

**Synthesis of 3-(trifluoromethyl)-5-((trimethylsilyl)methyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole 1g:** yellowish oil, 184 mg, 82%; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 4.87 (m, 1H), 3.2 (ddq, *J* = 17.0, 10.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.7 (ddq, *J* = 17.0, 9.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 1.28 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 1.05 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 0.09 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 149.7 (q, *J* = 37.2 Hz), 121.0 (q, *J* = 275.1 Hz), 83.1, 39.3, 24.3, 0.2. <sup>19</sup>F (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ -67.06 (s). IR (cm<sup>-1</sup>): 1664. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>14</sub>F<sub>3</sub>NOSi: C, 42.65 ; H, 6.26 ; N, 6.22 . Found : C, 42.71 ; H, 6.18 ; N, 6.25.

**Synthesis of 3-(trifluoromethyl)-3a, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9,9a-octahydrocycloocta[d]isoxazole 1h:** colorless oil, 163 mg, 74%; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 4.7 (m, 1H), 3.2 (m, 1H), 2.1-1.9 (m, 2H), 1.7-1.1 (m, 10H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 153.2 (q, *J* = 34.3 Hz), 122.2 (q, *J* = 272.3 Hz), 88.0, 48.4, 29.4,

25.7, 25.5, 25.2, 25.0, 23.3.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -63.71 (s). IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2936, 1629. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{NO}$ : C, 54.29 ; H, 6.38 ; N, 6.33 . Found : C, 54.33 ; H, 6.45 ; N, 6.42.

**Synthesis of methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole-5-carboxylate 1i:** colourless oil, 47 mg, 24%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  5.3 (dd,  $J = 11.4, 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.5 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  168.7, 148.6 (q,  $J = 37.5$  Hz), 119.2 (q,  $J = 270.2$  Hz), 79.6, 53.2, 35.9.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -66.51 (s). IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 1730, 1664. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\text{F}_3\text{NO}_3$ : C, 36.56 ; H, 3.07 ; N, 7.11 . Found : C, 36.52 ; H, 3.12 ; N, 7.20.

**Synthesis of 5-(bromomethyl)-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole 1j:** Yellowish oil, 46 mg, 20%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (200 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  5.1 (m, 1H), 3.56 (dd,  $J = 10.8, 4.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.45 (dd,  $J = 10.8, 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.31 (ddq,  $J = 17.7, 10.8, 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.20 (ddq,  $J = 17.7, 7.2, 1.4$  Hz, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  148.4 q,  $J = 37.3$  Hz), 119.3 (q,  $J = 269.7$  Hz), 81.5, 36.5, 32.0.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -66.82 (s). IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 1660. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{F}_3\text{NOBr}$ : C, 25.89 ; H, 2.17 ; N, 6.04 . Found : C, 25.95 ; H, 2.22 ; N, 6.21.

**Synthesis of 5-phenyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)isoxazole 1l [1]:** Yellow solid, 113mg, 53%, mp 40-43°C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.82 (m, 2H), 7.5 (m, 3H), 6.74 (s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  172.4, 156.0 (q,  $J = 38.5$  Hz), 131.2, 129.2, 128.6, 126.0, 119.7 (q,  $J = 271.7$  Hz), 96.7.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -63.65 (s). IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 1661. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_6\text{F}_3\text{NO}$ : C, 56.35 ; H, 2.84 ; N, 6.57 . Found : C, 56.44 ; H, 2.91 ; N, 6.60.

**Synthesis of 3-(trifluoromethyl)-5-(trimethylsilyl)isoxazole 1m :** colorless oil, 90mg, 50%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.65 (s, 1H), 0.4 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  181.7, 154.0 (q,  $J = 37.8$  Hz), 120.3 (q,  $J = 270.8$  Hz), 109.6, -2.2. IR ( $\nu, \text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 1668.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -62.66 (s). Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_3\text{NO}$ : C, 40.18 ; H, 4.82 ; N, 6.69 . Found : C, 40.22 ; H, 4.91 ; N, 6.73.

#### General Procedure for the synthesis of amino alcohols:

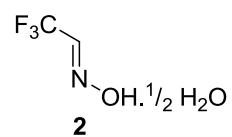
**Synthesis of 4-amino-5,5,5-trifluoro-1-phenylpentan-2-ol 7a:**  $\text{NiCl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (0.620 g, 2.62 mmol, 3 eq.) and 5-benzyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (300 mg, 1.31 mmol, 1 eq.) were dissolved in 3:1 mixture of MeOH/ THF at -42°C. After 10 min of stirring,  $\text{NaBH}_4$  (0.495g, 2.618 mmol, 10 eq.) was upon with the reaction, the mixture immediately turned black. After 3 days The mixture was concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (DCM/MeOH); white solid, 154 mg, 50%, mp 88-90°C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  *Syn*: 7.34-7.21 (m, 5H), 4.1 (m, 1H), 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.87 (dd,  $J = 4.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.74 (dd,  $J = 8.0, 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.46 (m, 1H). *Anti*: 7.3-7.2 (m, 5H), 4.184.15 (m, 1H), 3.55 (m, 1H), 2.81 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 1.80 (1H, m), 1.62 (1H, m),  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  129.6, (129.5), 128.8 (128.6), 126.8 (126.6), 72.9, 68.8, 54.5 (q,  $J = 30.0$  Hz) (50.6 (q,  $J = 29.4$  Hz), 44.3 (44.1), 35.1 (34.2),  $\text{CF}_3$  n.o. .  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -77.2 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz), -77.9 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz). Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{NO}$ : C, 56.65 ; H, 6.05 ; N, 6.01 . Found : C, 56.71 ; H, 6.12 ; N, 5.95.

**Synthesis of benzyl 4-amino-5,5,5-trifluoro-2-hydroxypentylcarbamate 7b:** 207 mg, 52%;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, MeOD)  $\delta$  7.35-7.29 (m, 12H), 5.08 (s, 4.5H), 3.92-3.86 (m, 1.6H), 3.45-3.42 (m, 1.6H), 3.23-

3.05 (m, 4.4H), 1.85 (dt,  $J = 4.0, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 1.69-1.63 (m, 1H), 1.56-1.44 (m, 2.7H),  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz, MeOD)  $\delta$  159.1, 138.4, 129.4, 129.0, 128.8, 128.4 (q,  $J = 280.7$  Hz), 127.8 (q,  $J = 280.7$  Hz), 70.6, 67.5, 67.4, 53.5 (q,  $J = 29.2$  Hz), 51.4 (q,  $J = 29.1$  Hz), 48.1, 47.7, 35.4, 34.6.  $^{19}\text{F}$  (188 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  -80.52 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz) 59%, -80.36 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz) 41%. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>17</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 50.98 ; H, 5.59 ; N, 9.15 . Found : C, 51.05 ; H, 5.63 ; N, 9.22.

2.  $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^{13}\text{C}$  and  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR spectra of **2**, **1a–1j**, **1l–1n**, **7a**, **7b** and  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR of **6**

2,2,2-trifluoroacetaldehyde oxime (**2**)



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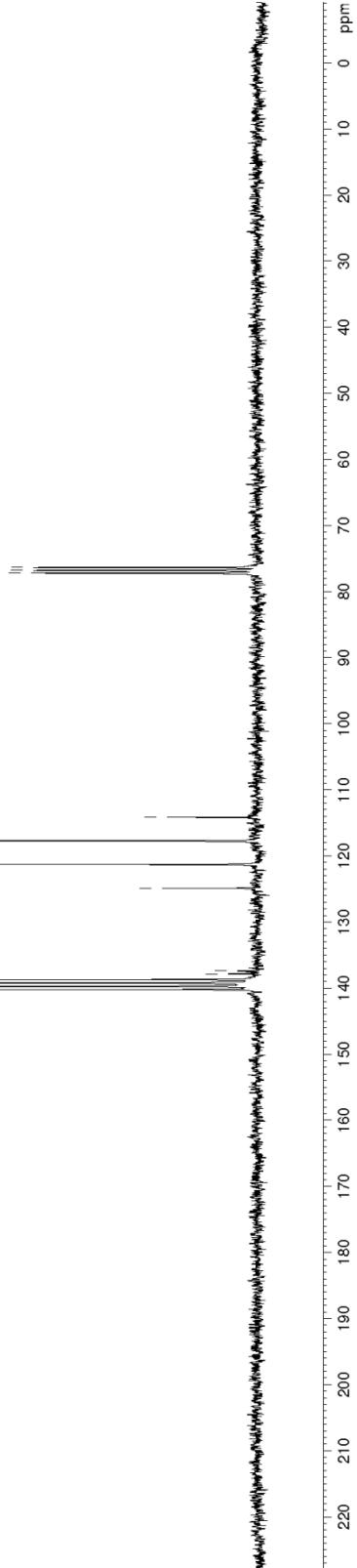
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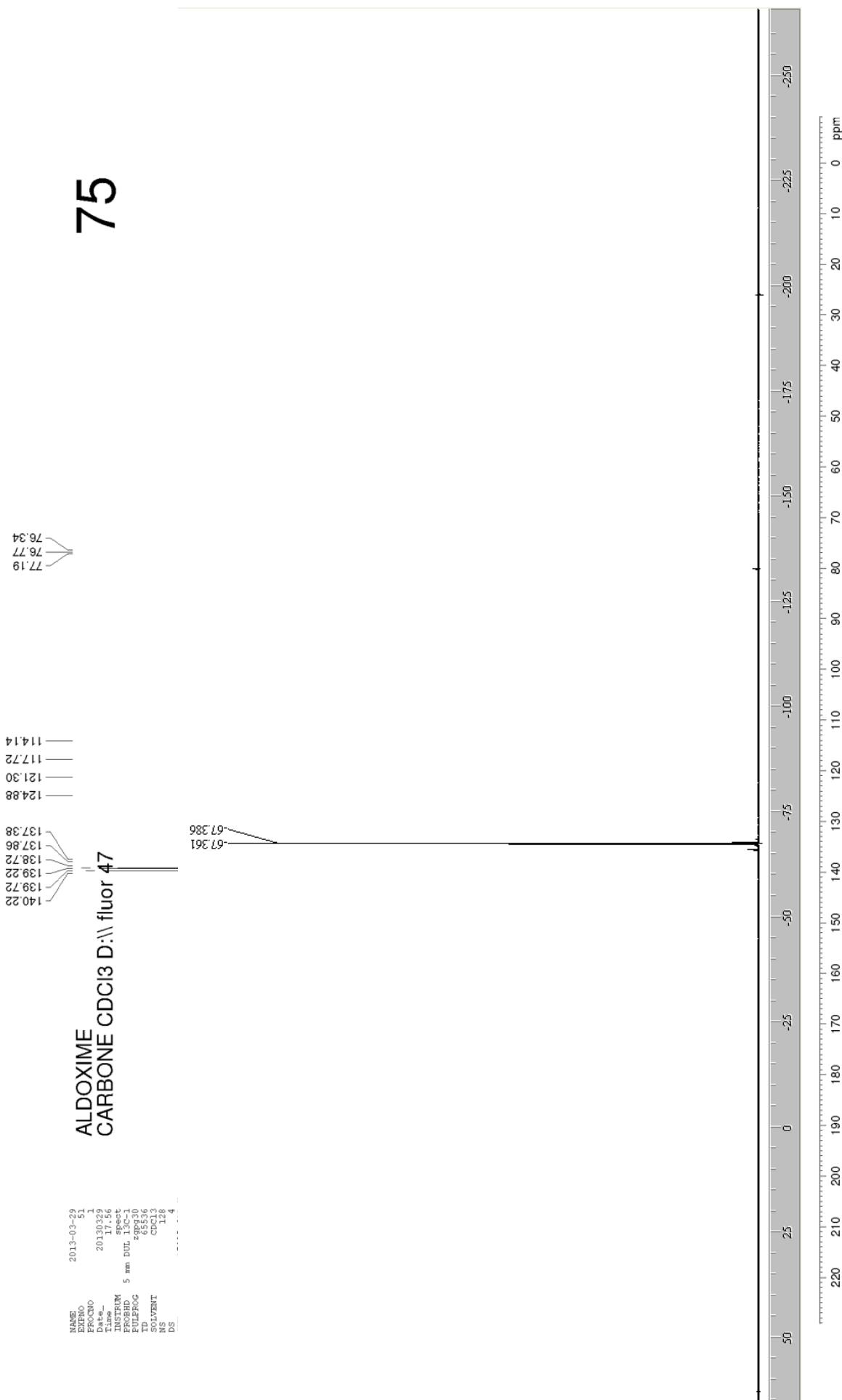
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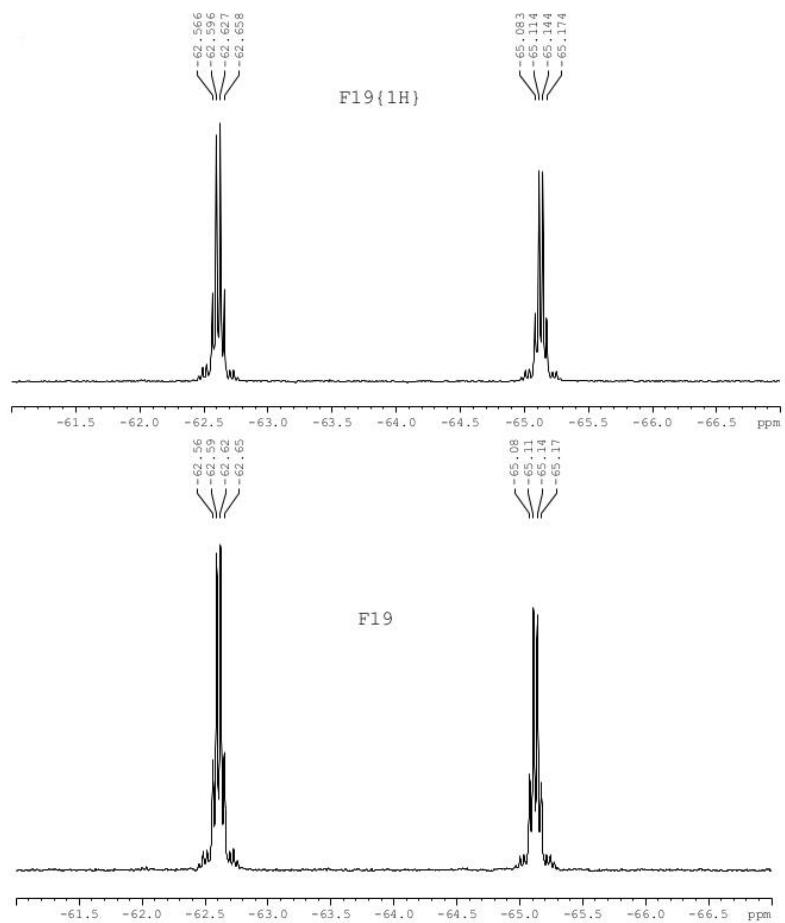


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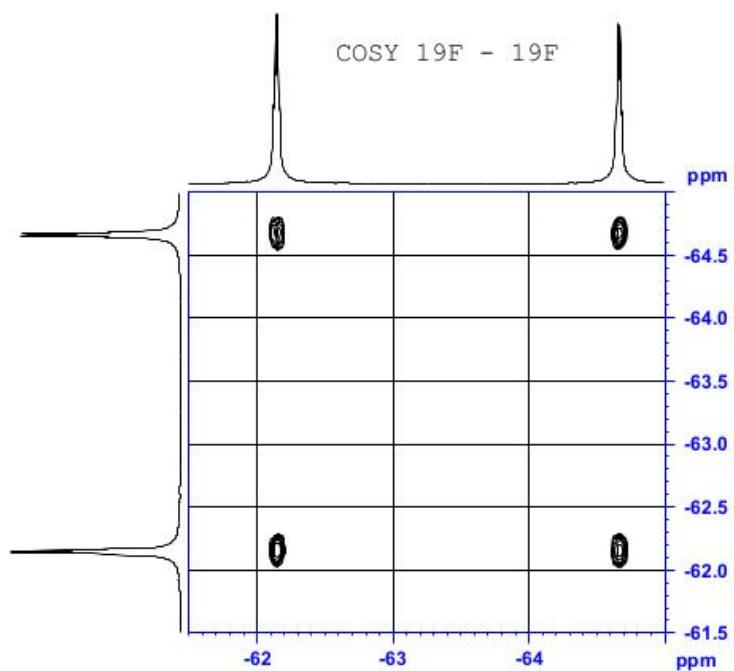


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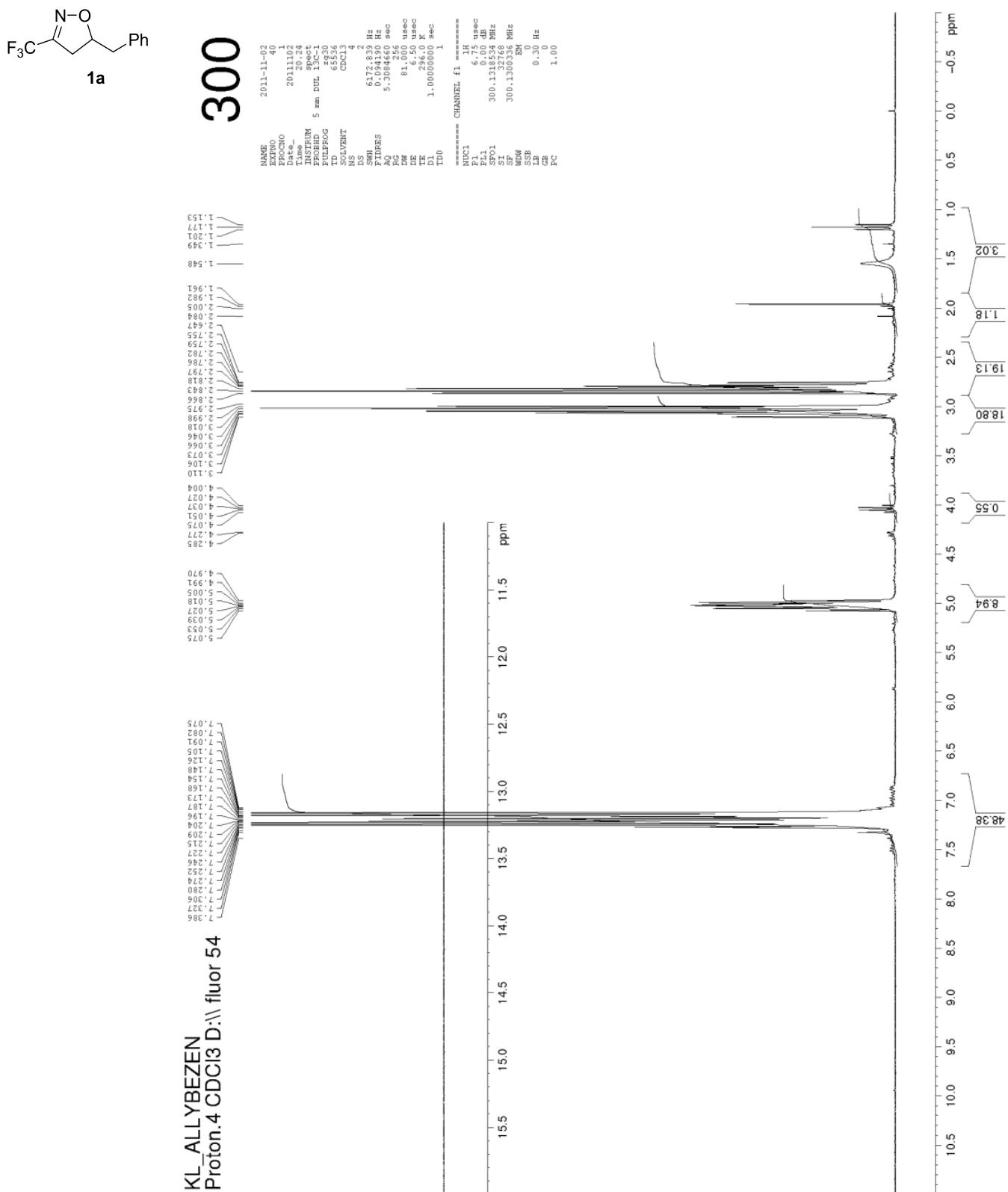
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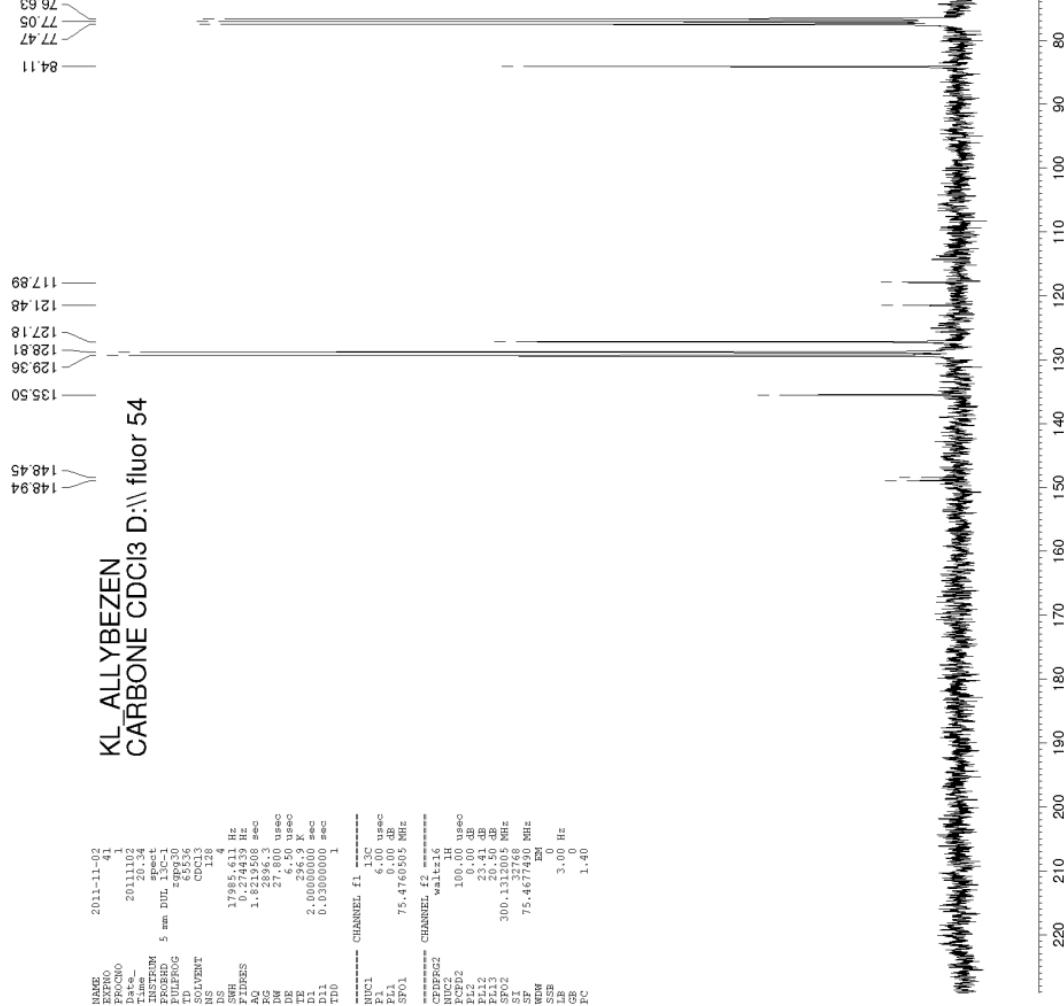


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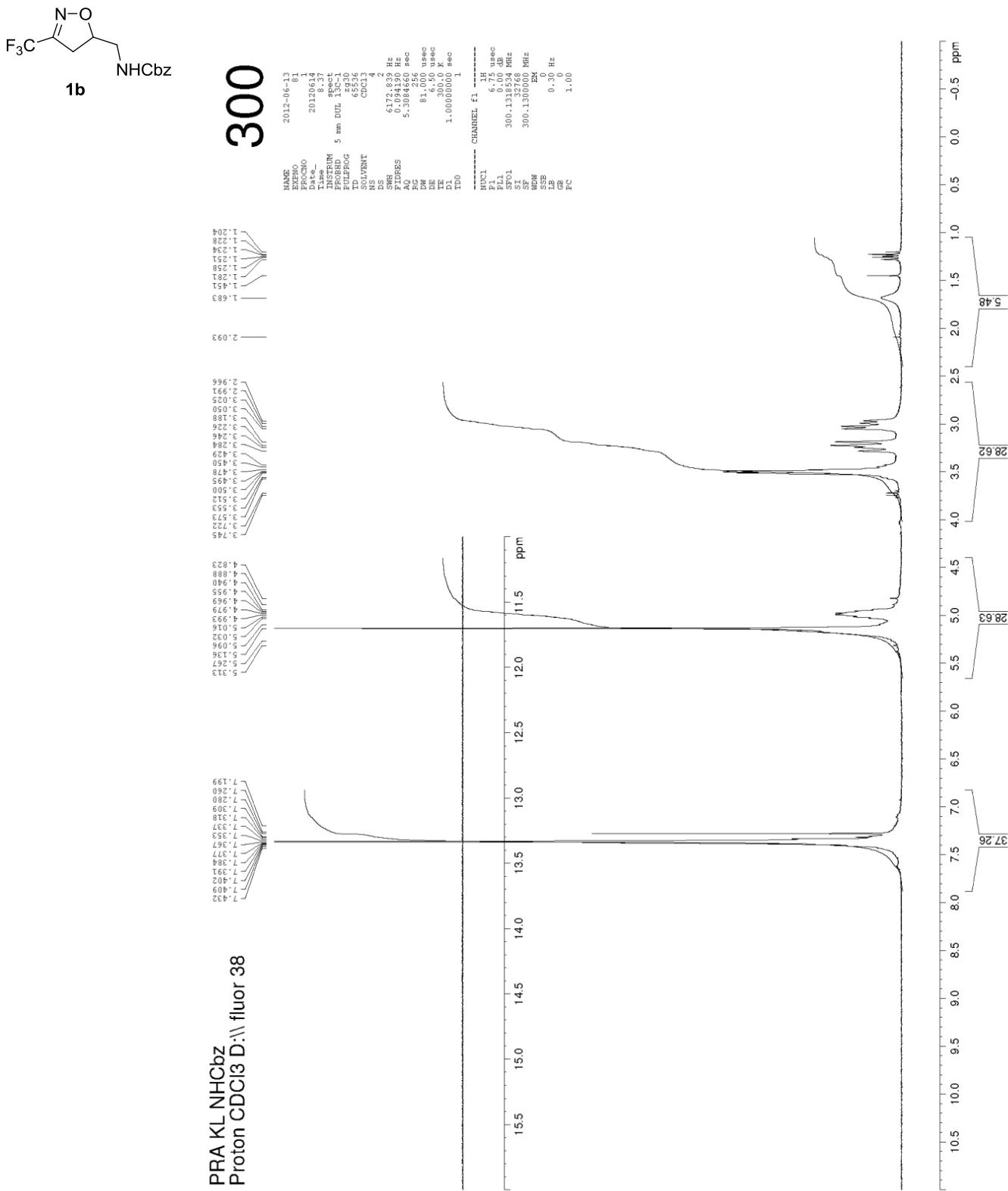


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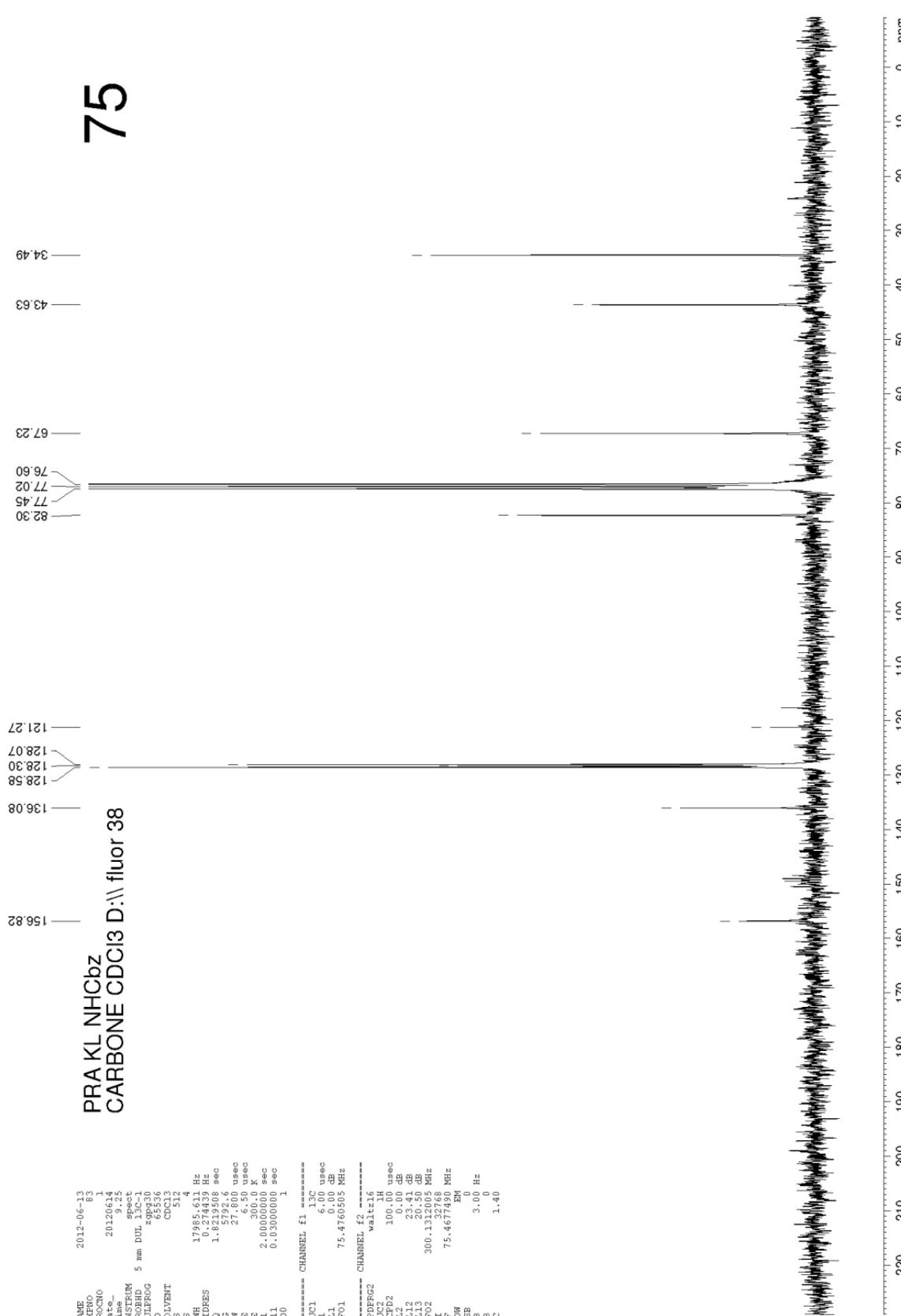
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Benzyl (3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)methylcarbamate (**1b**)

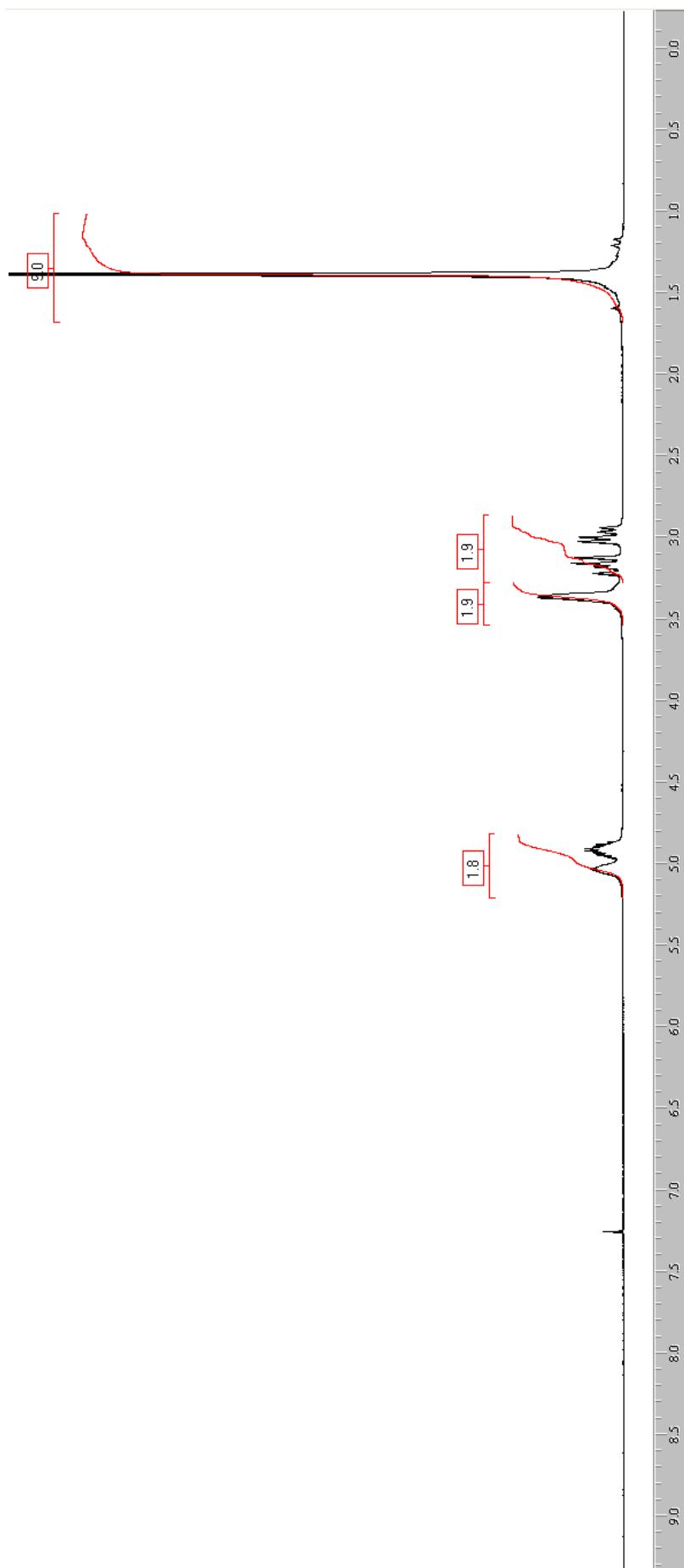
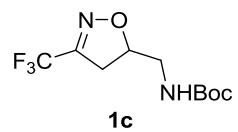


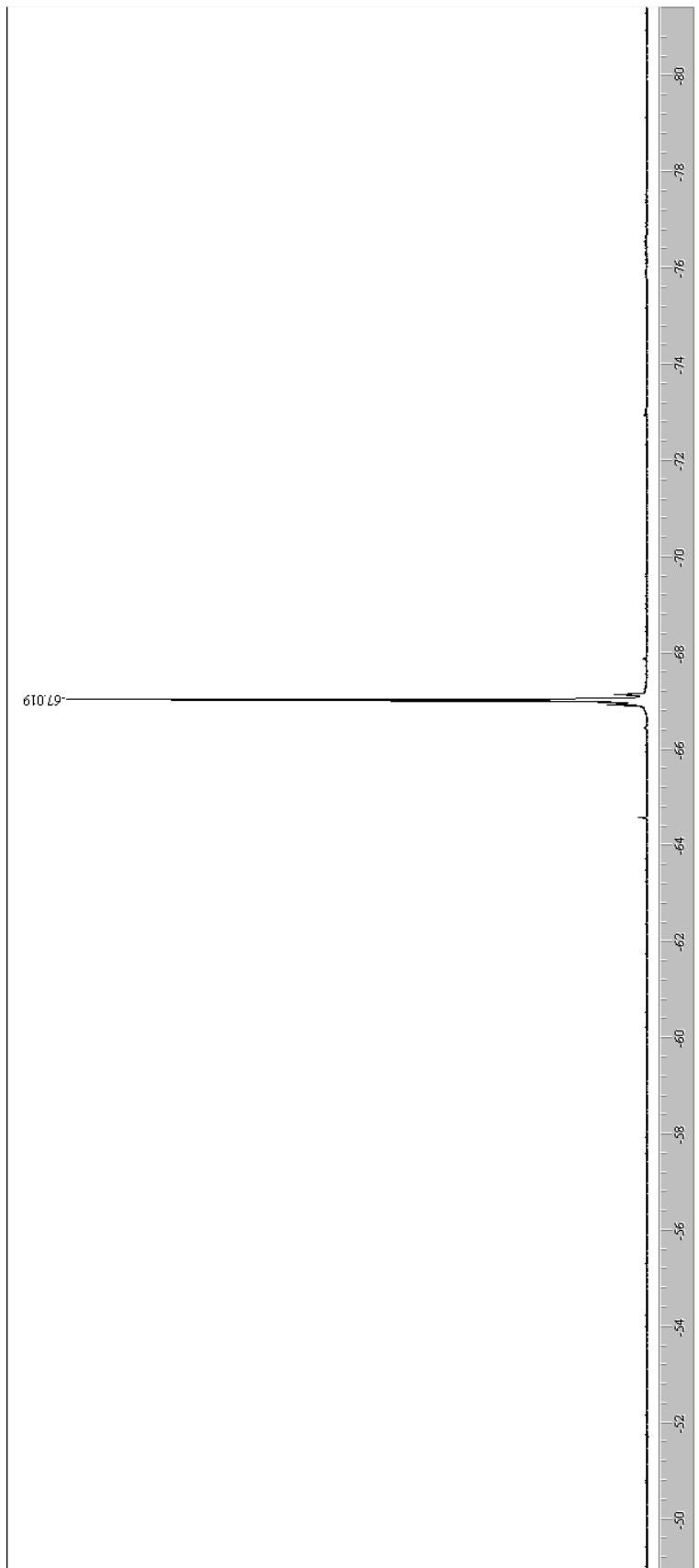
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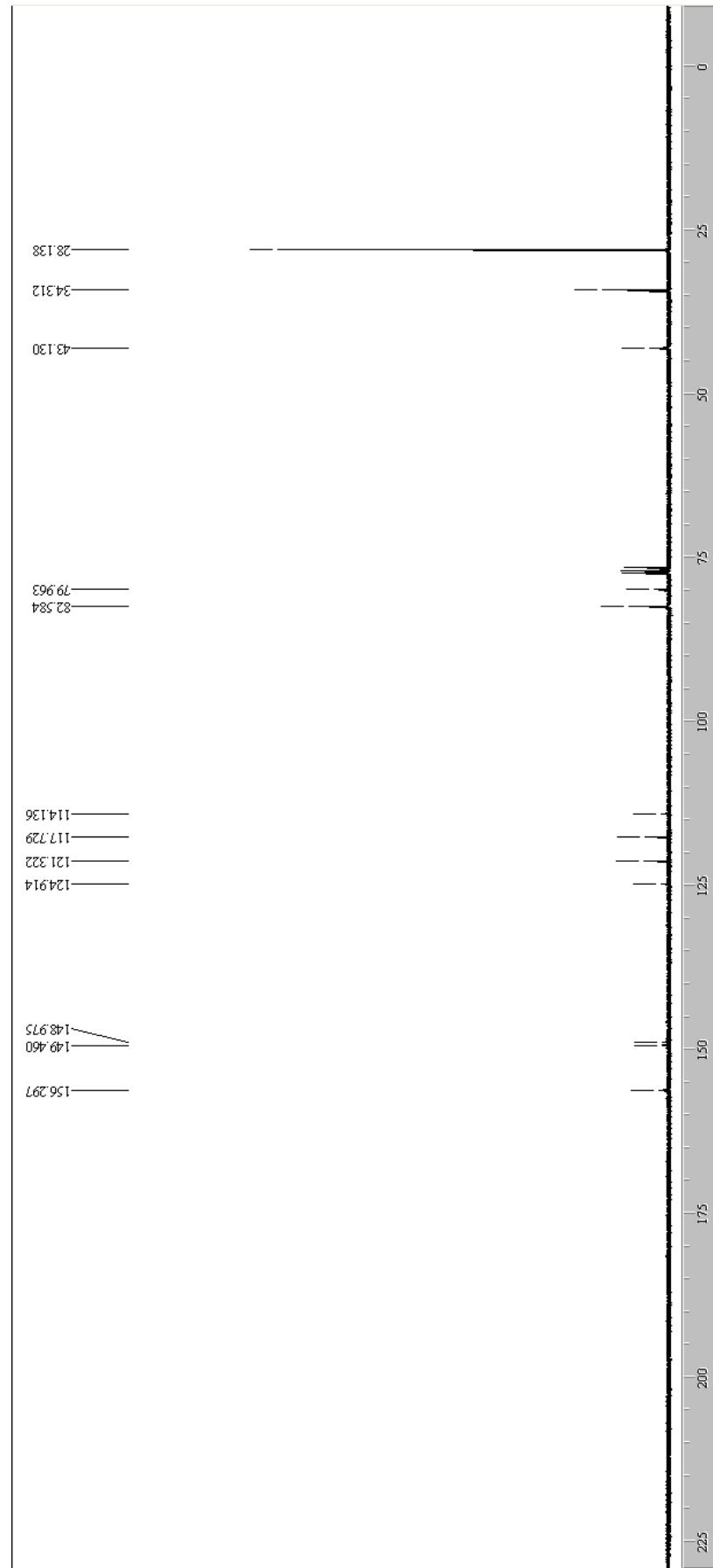


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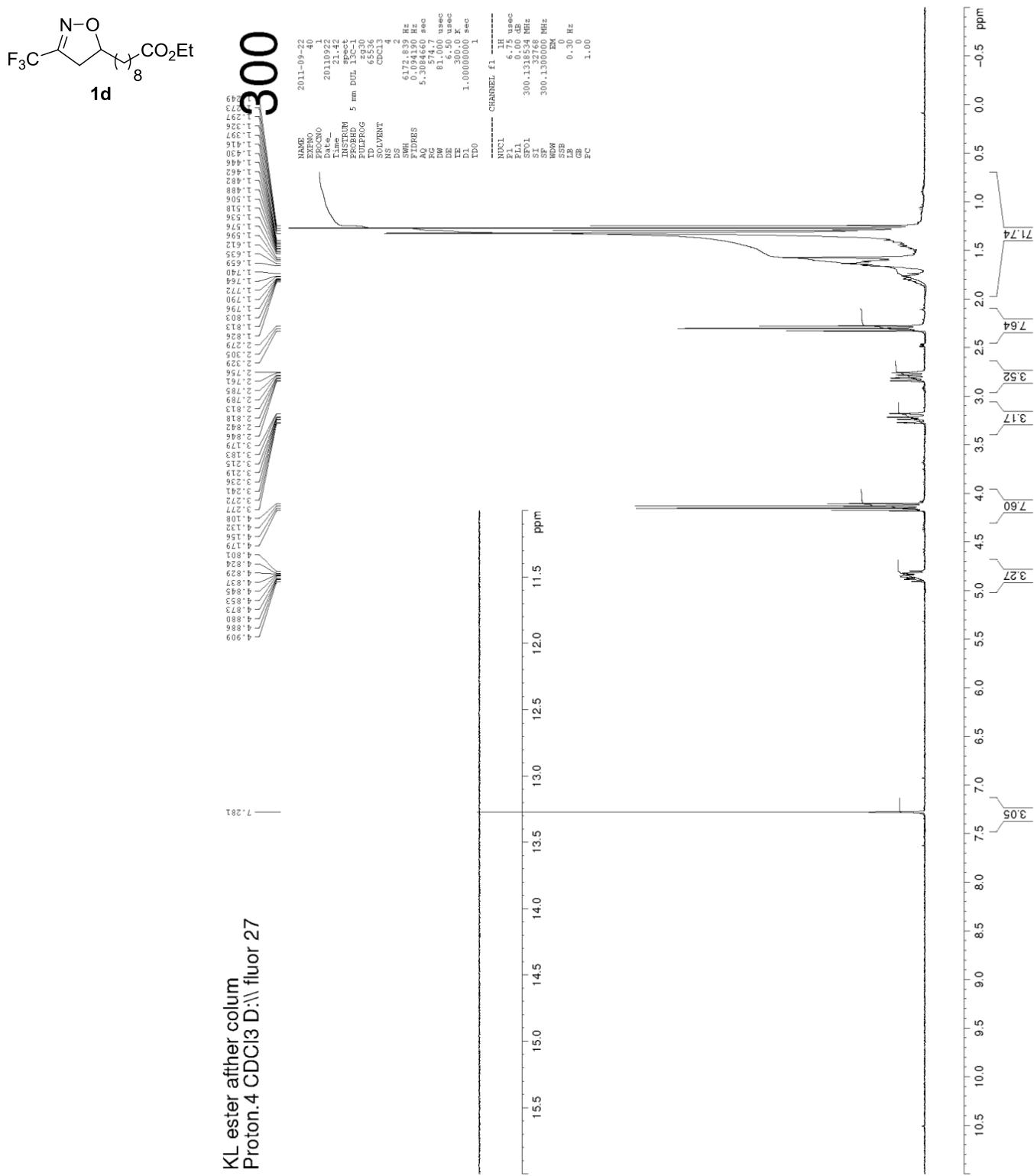
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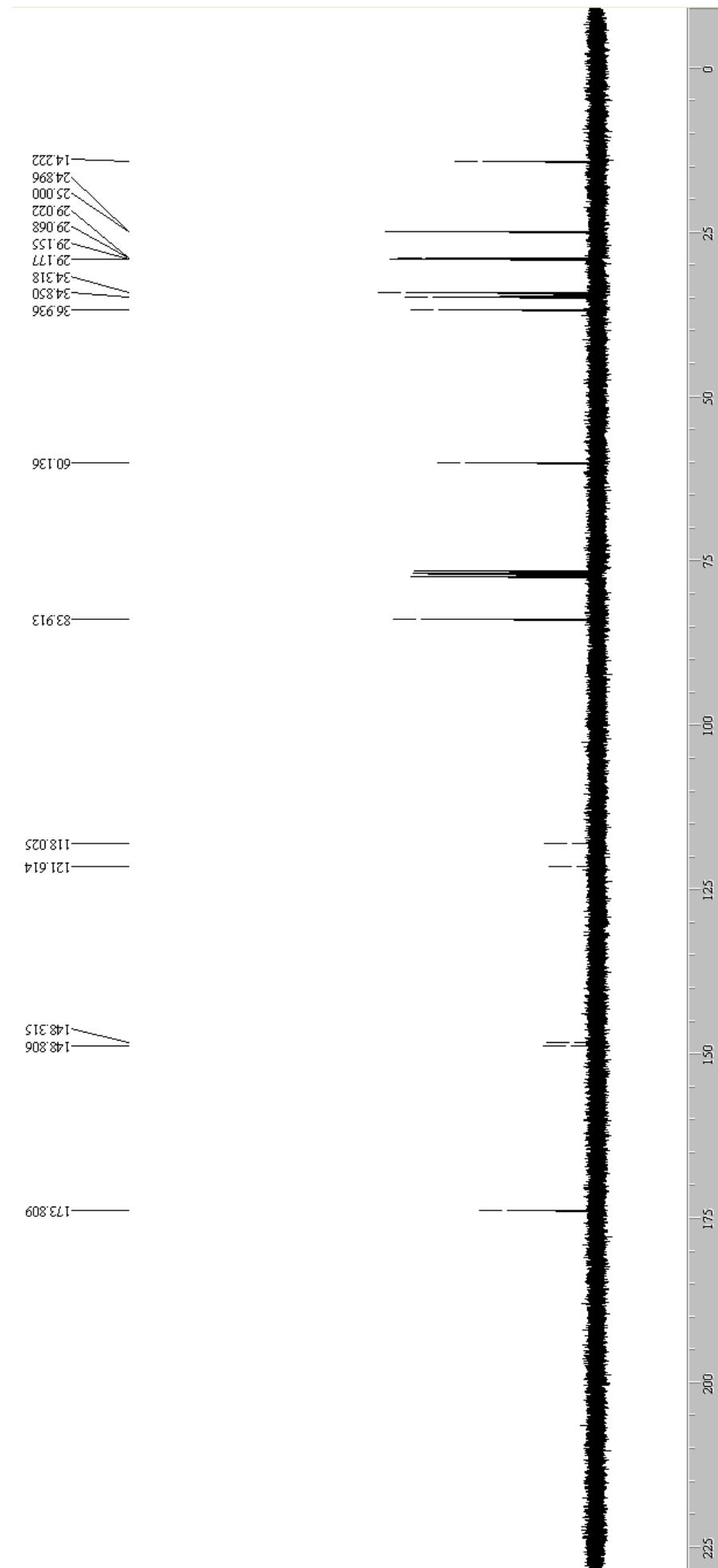


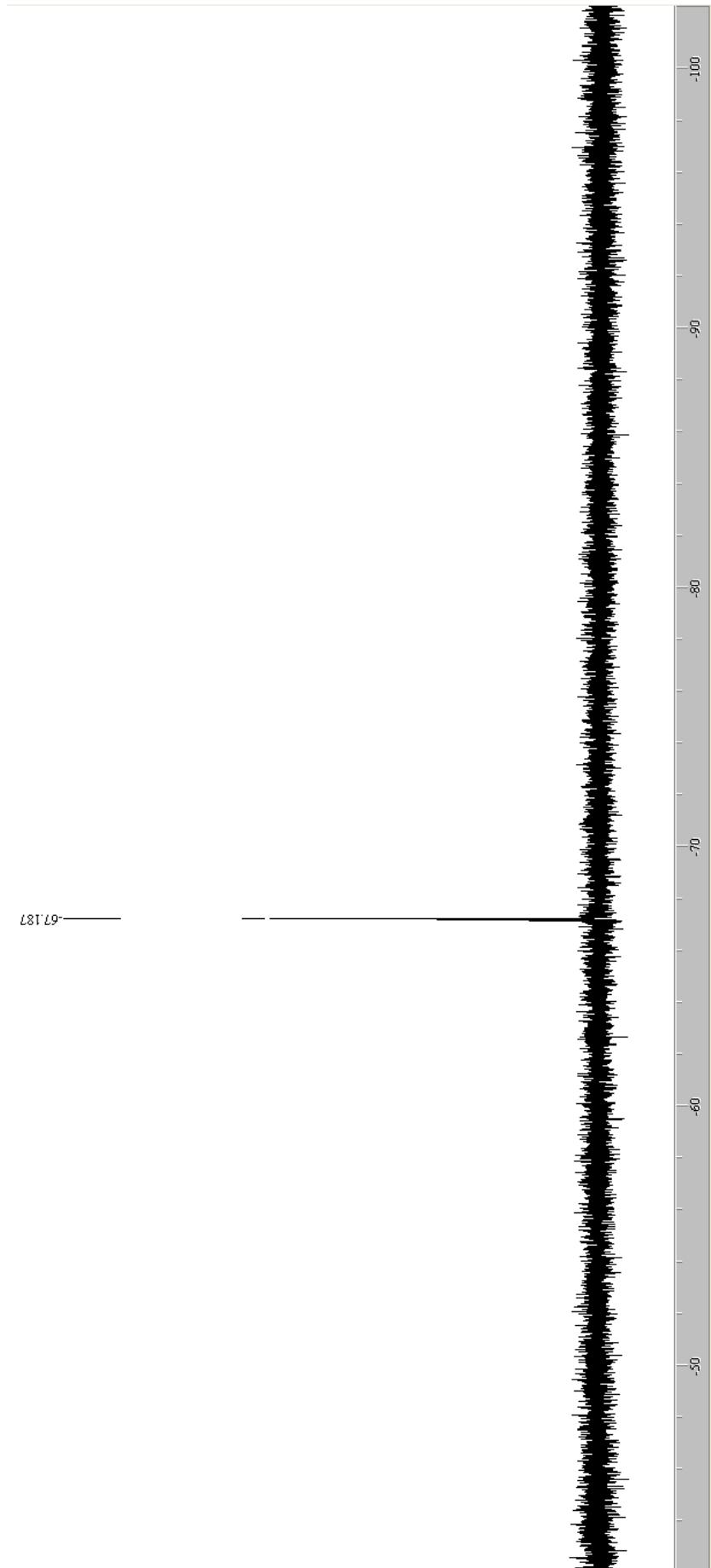


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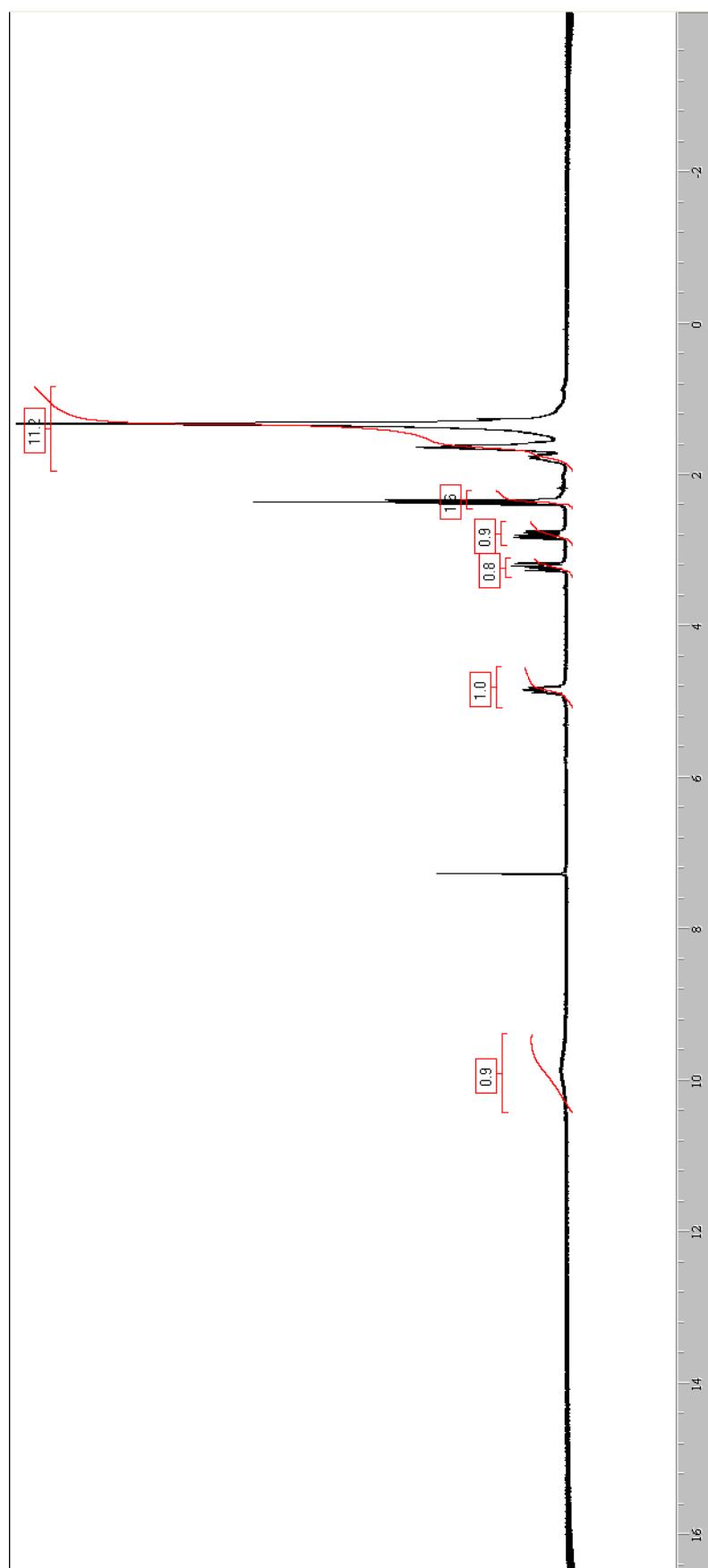
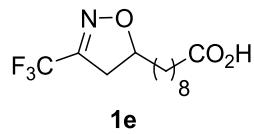
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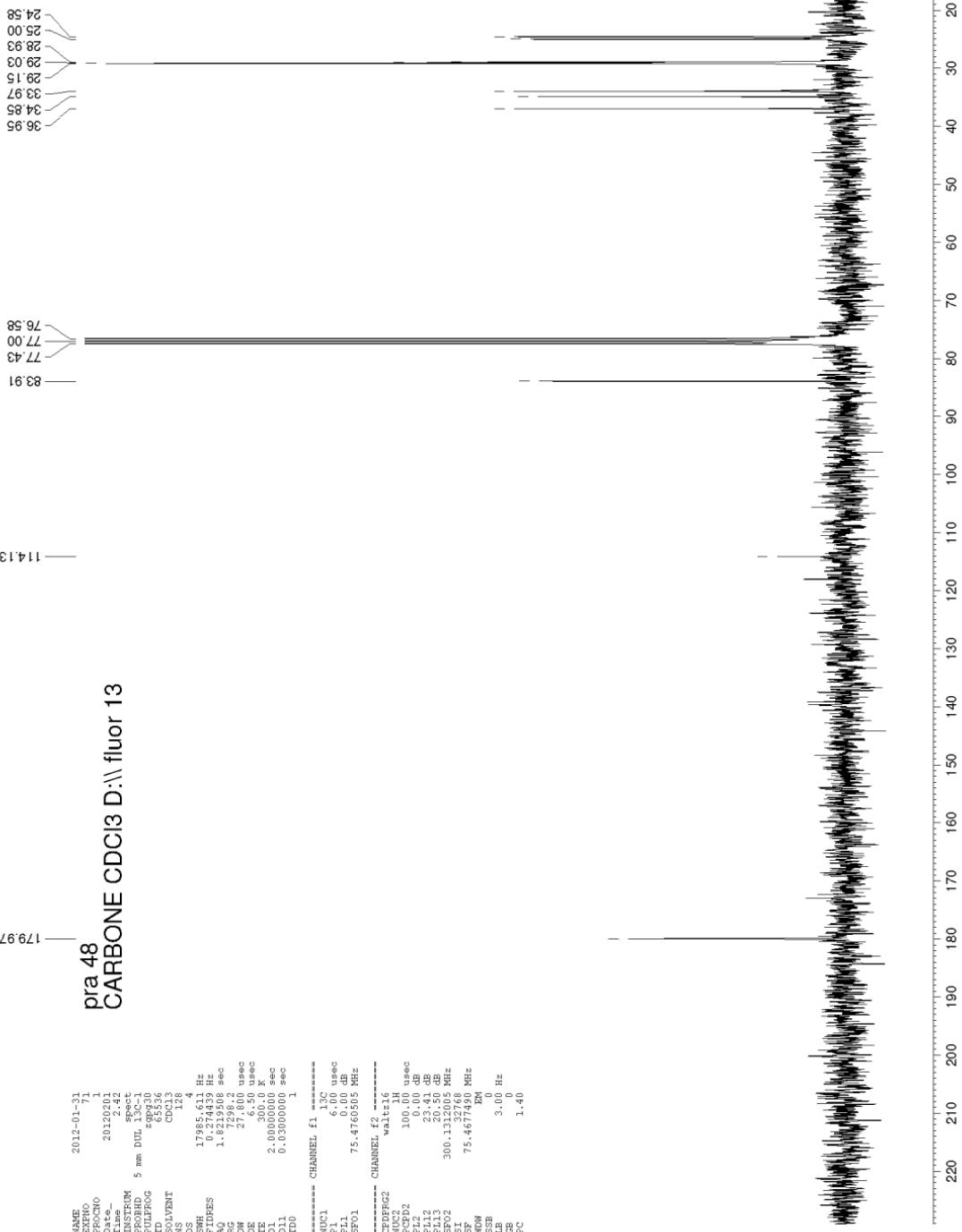


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9-(3-(Trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-5-yl)nonanoic acid (**1e**)

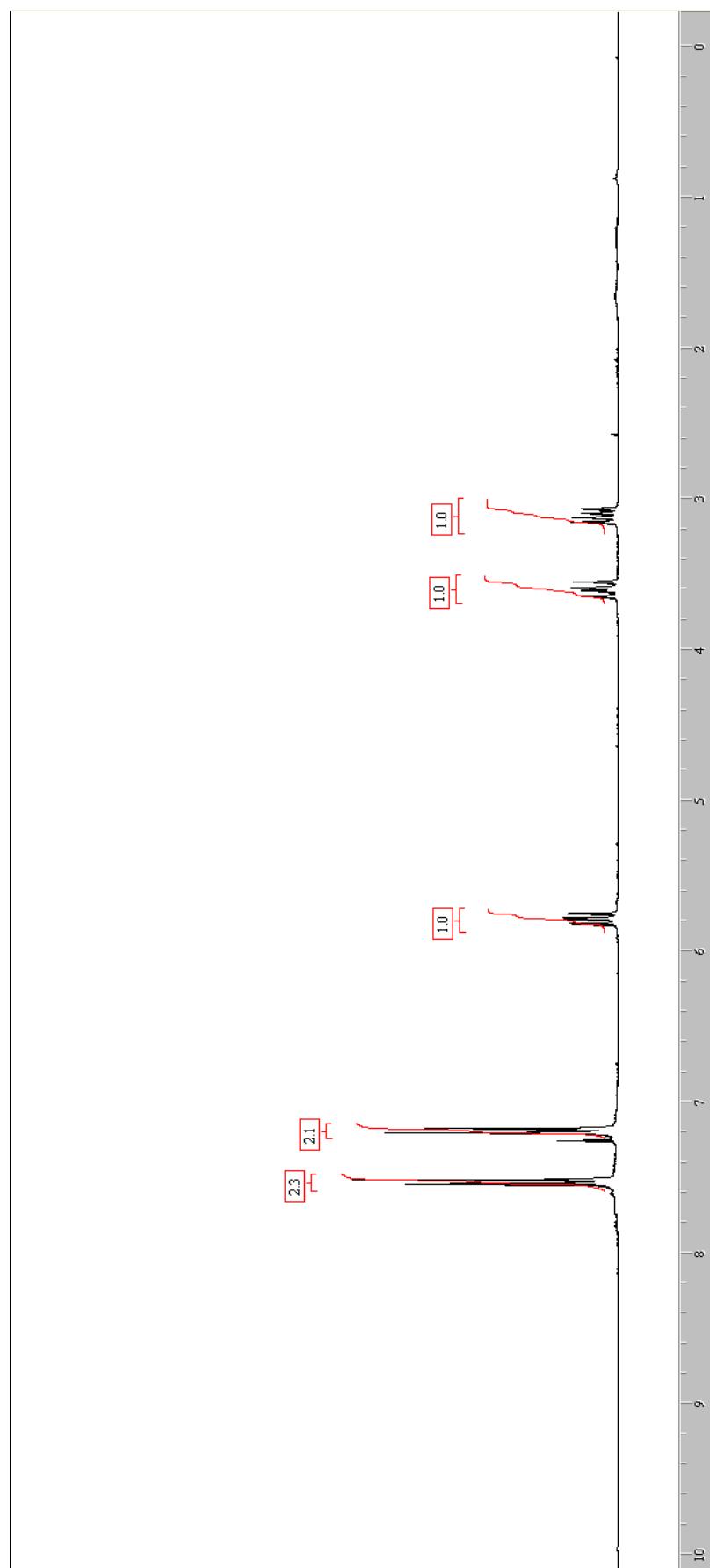
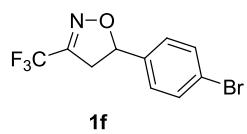


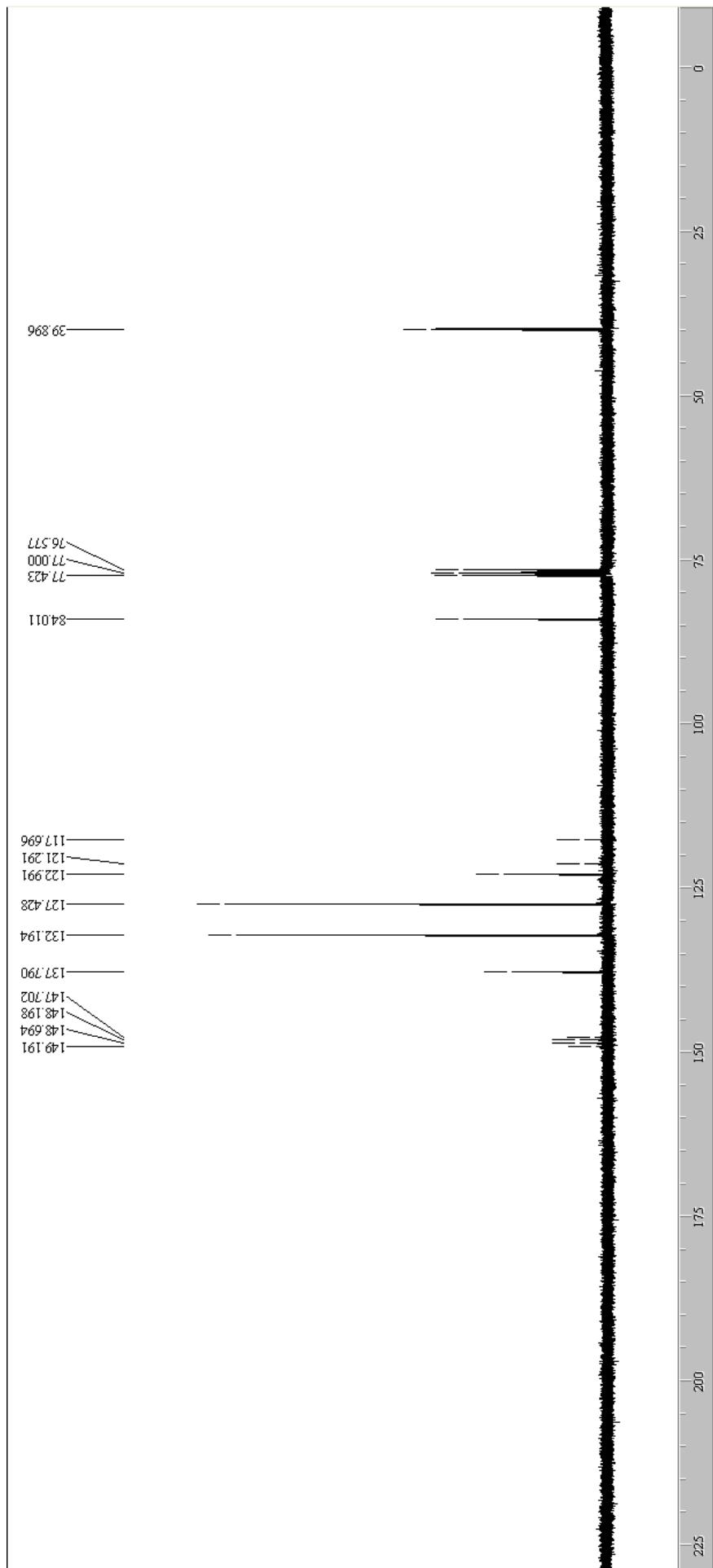
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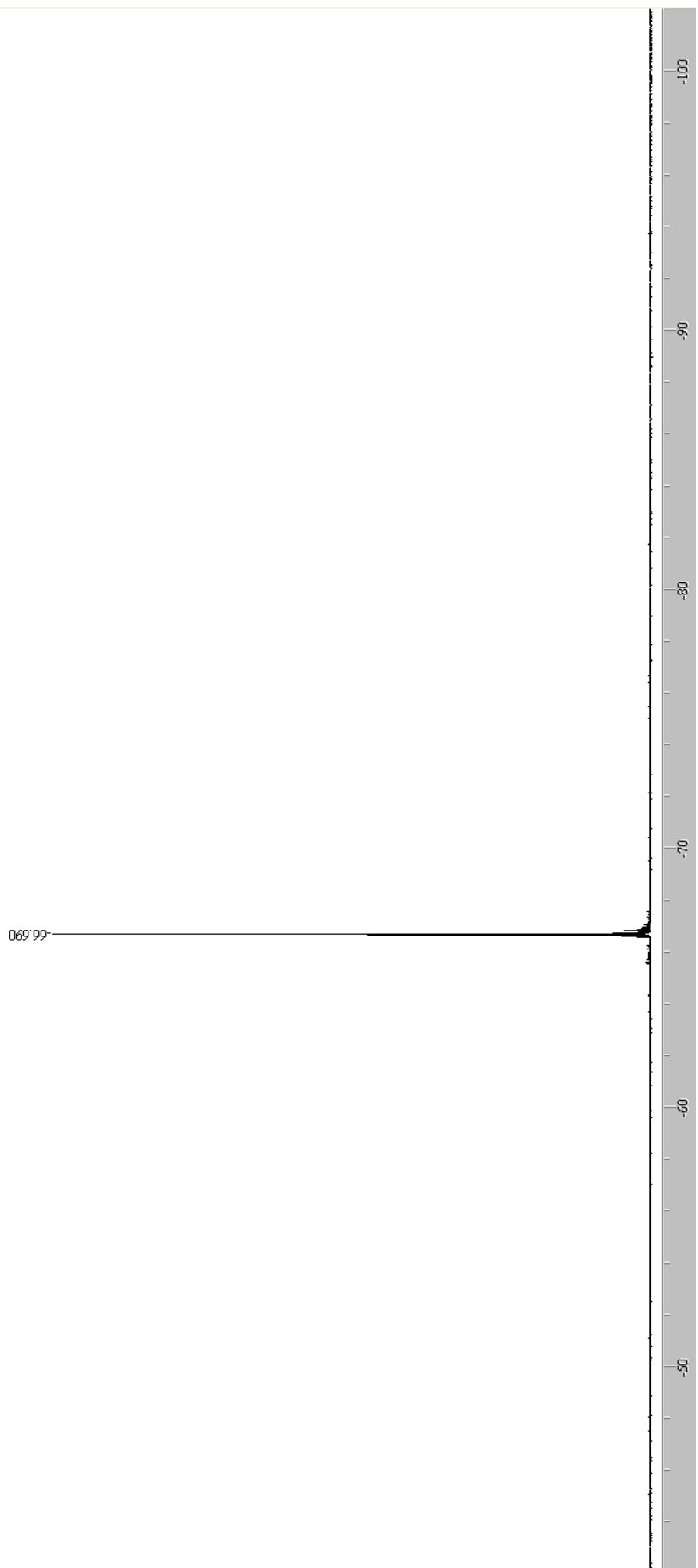


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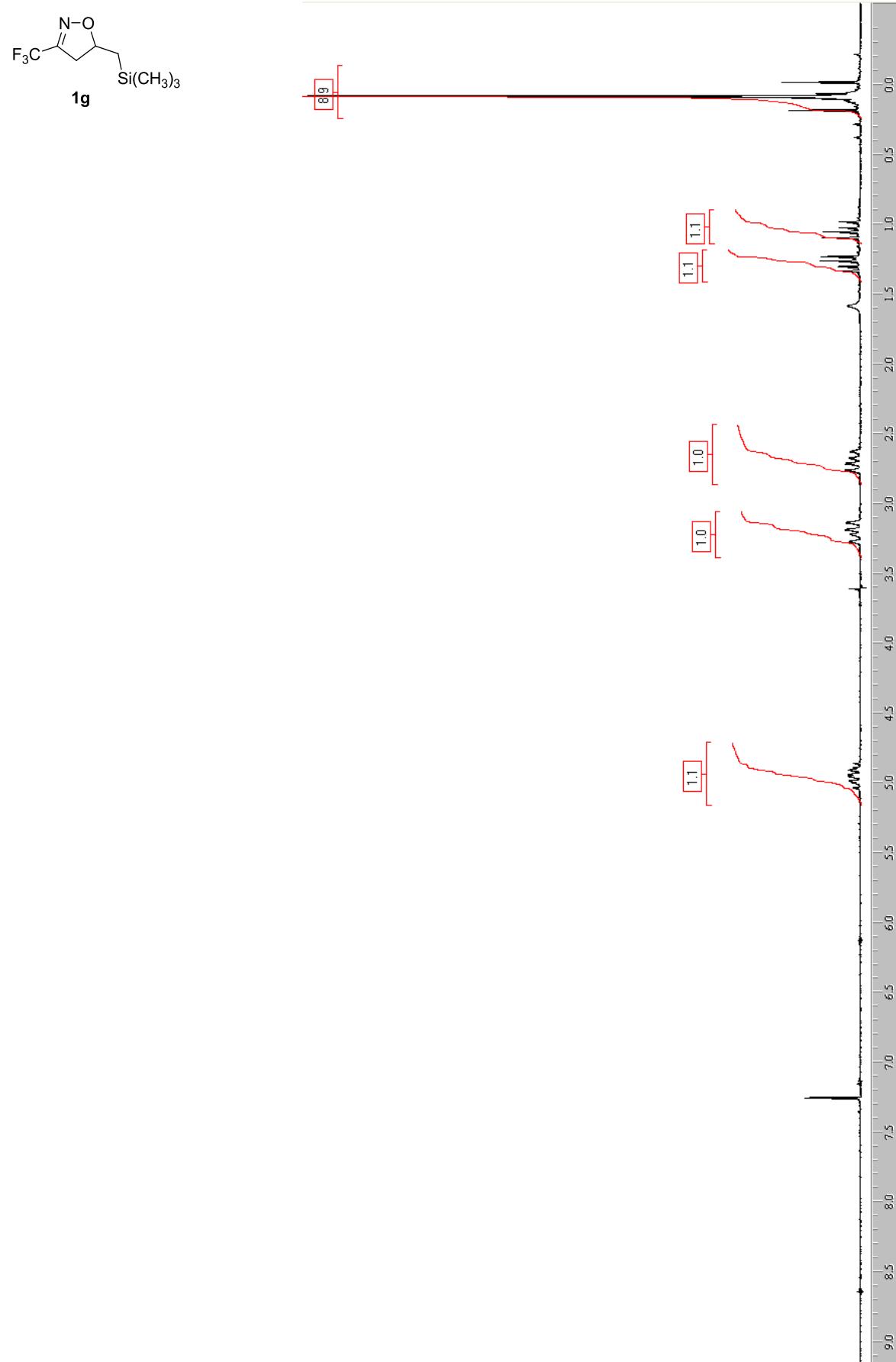
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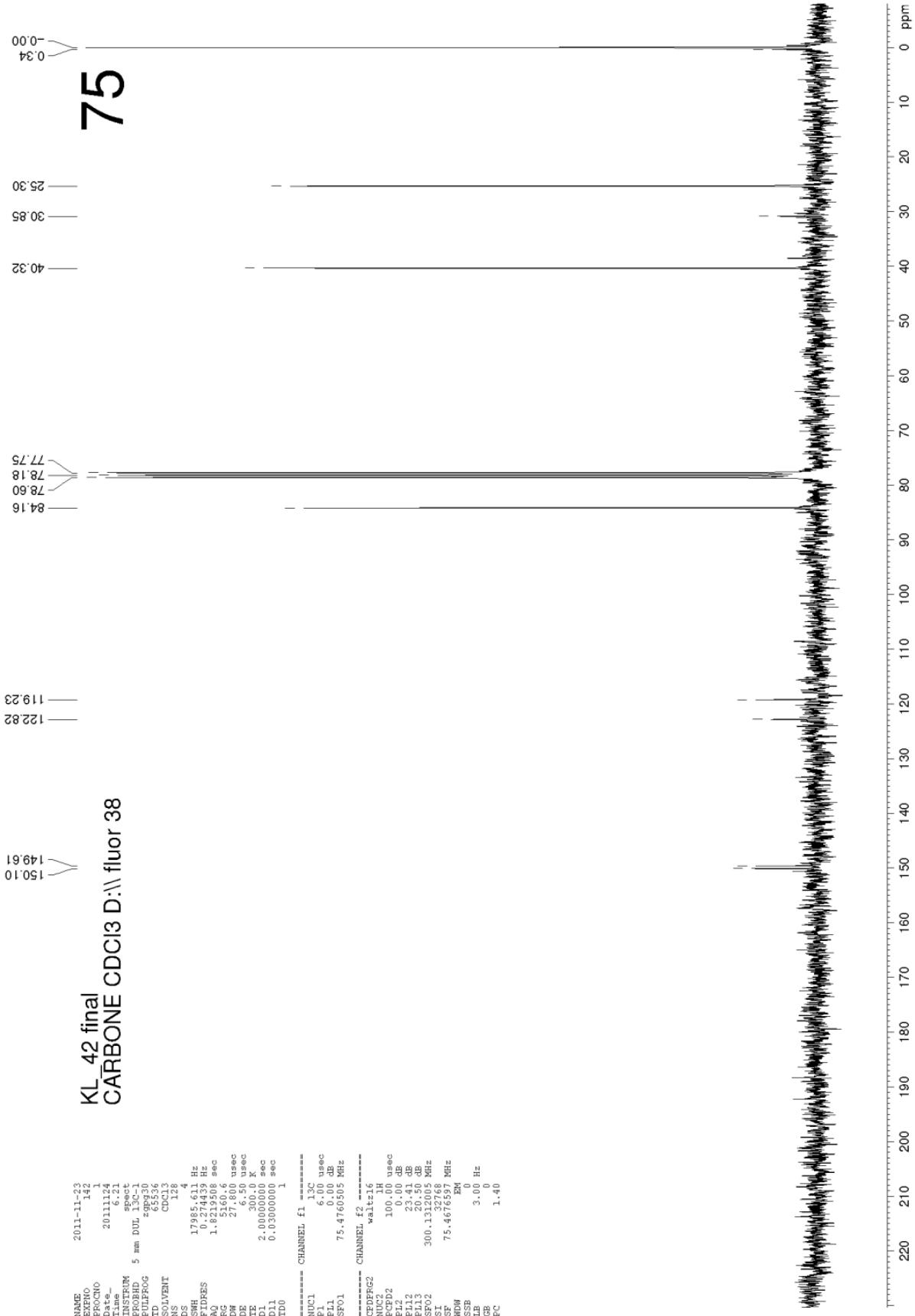




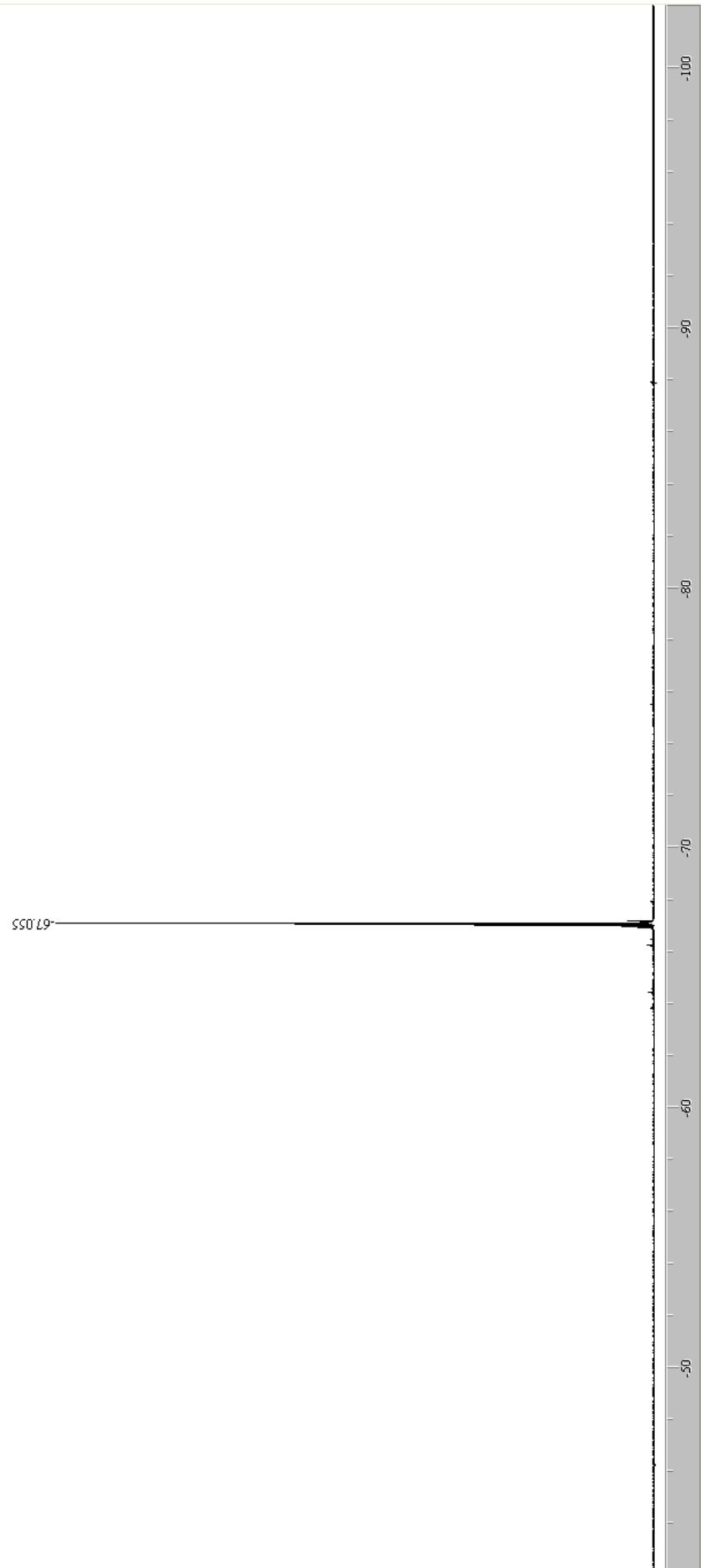


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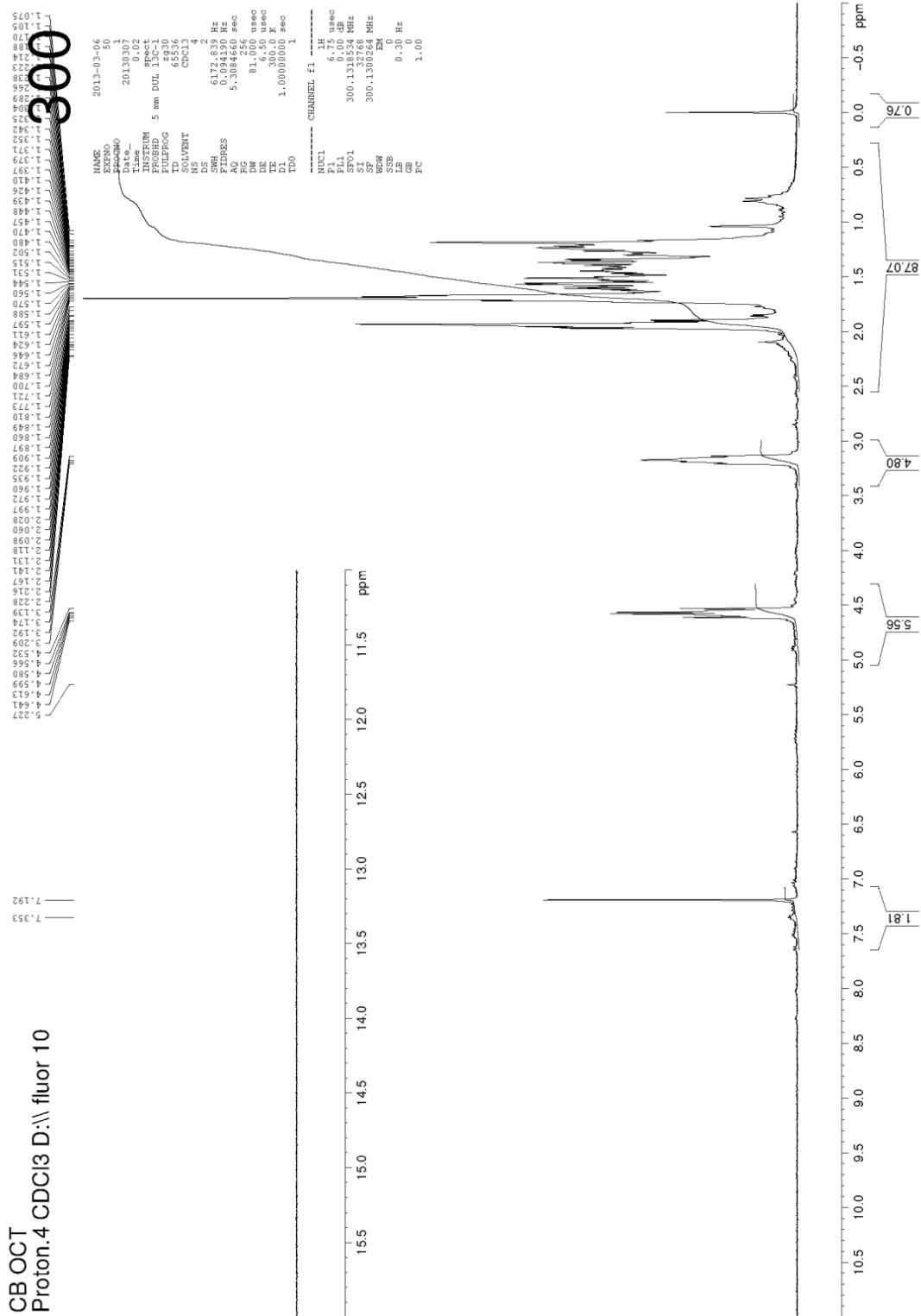
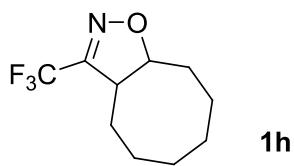


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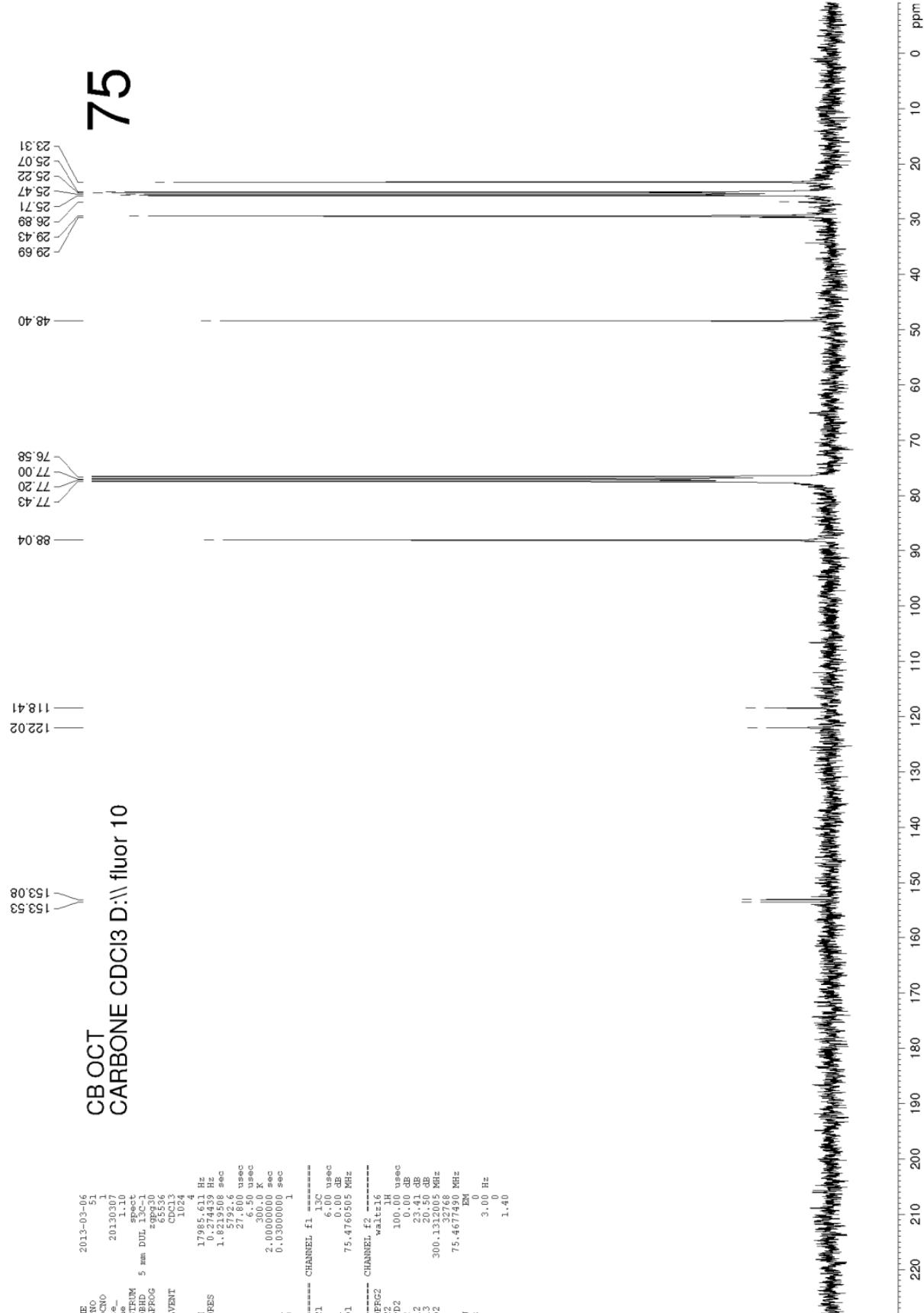


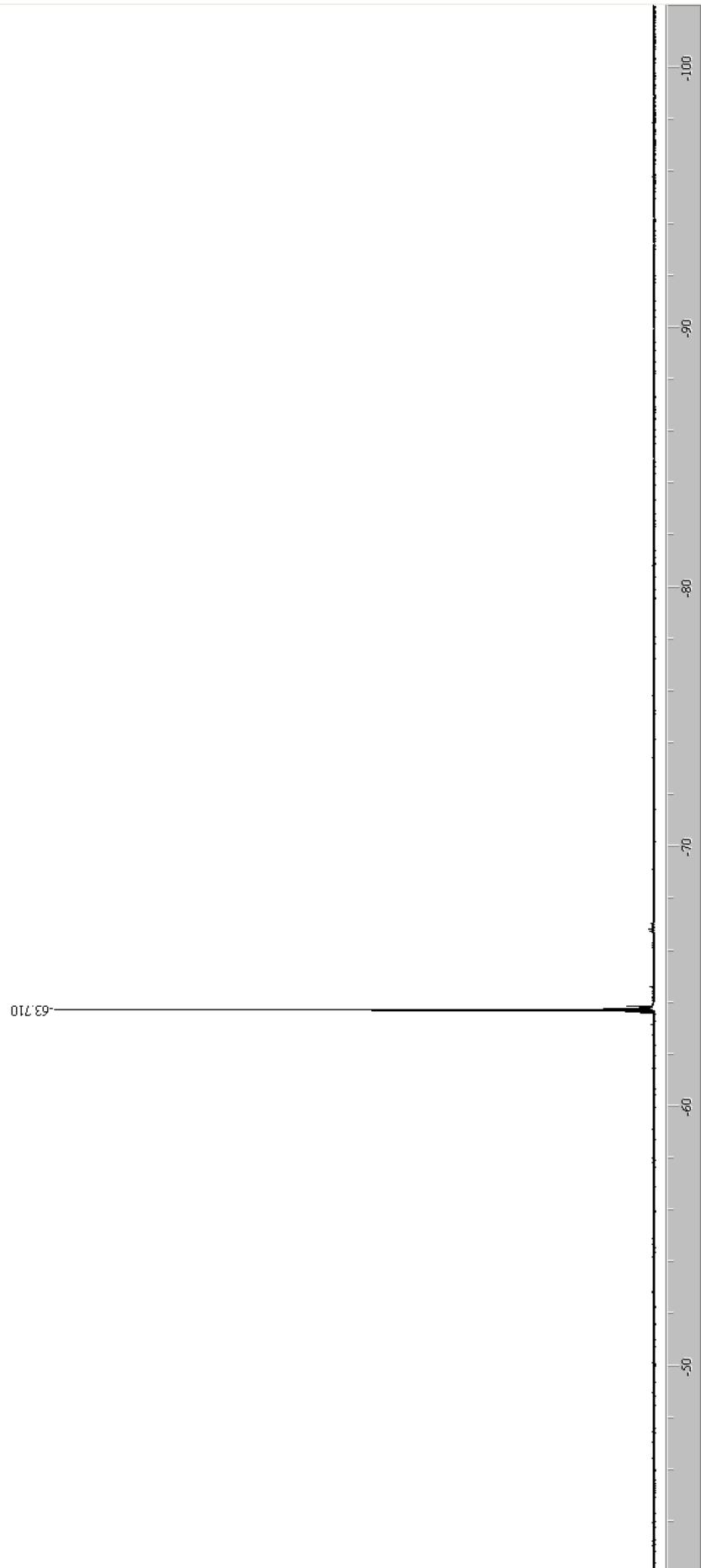
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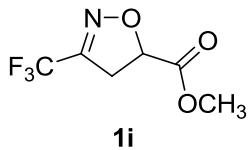


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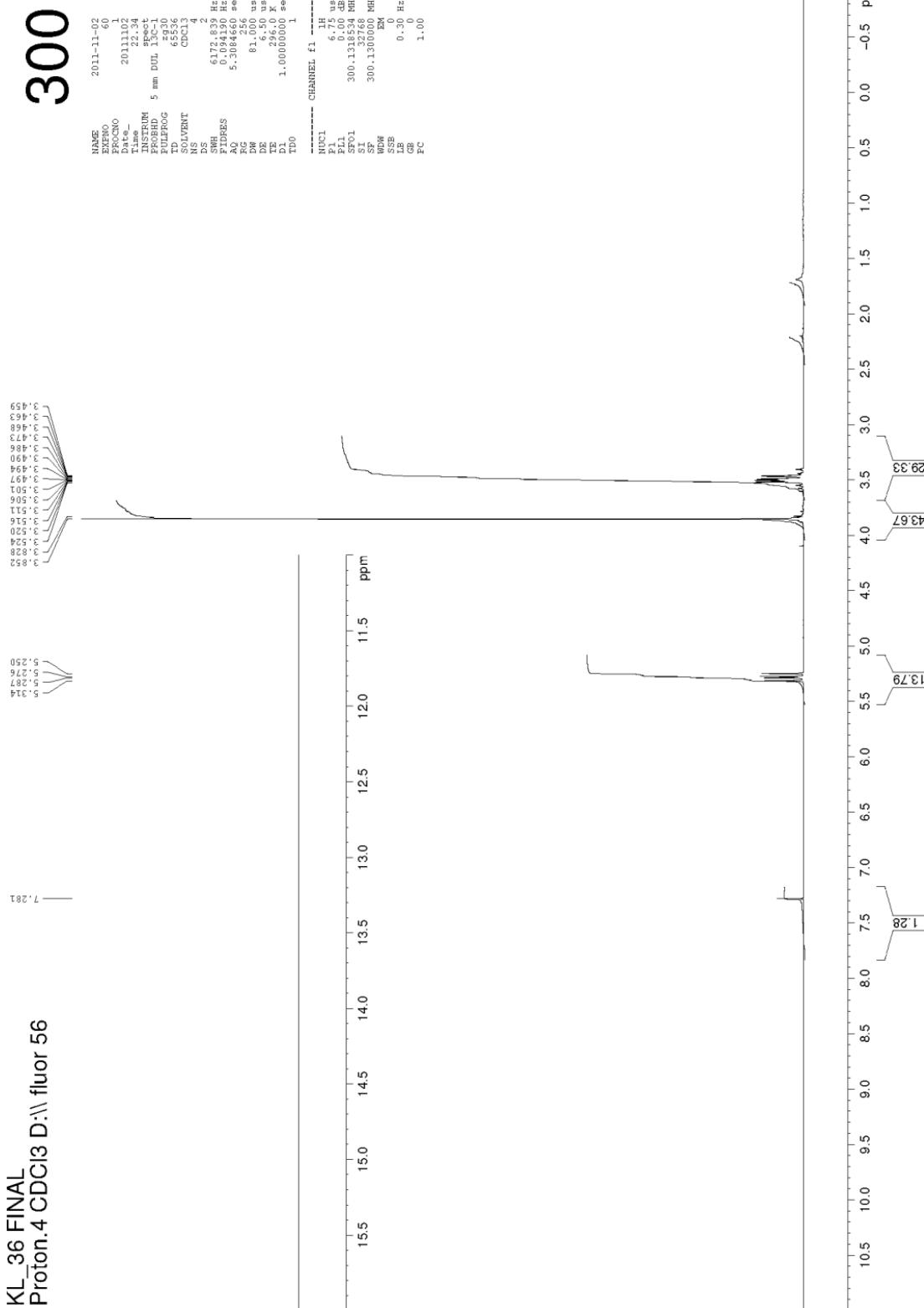




Methyl 3-(trifluoromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole-5-carboxylate (**1i**)



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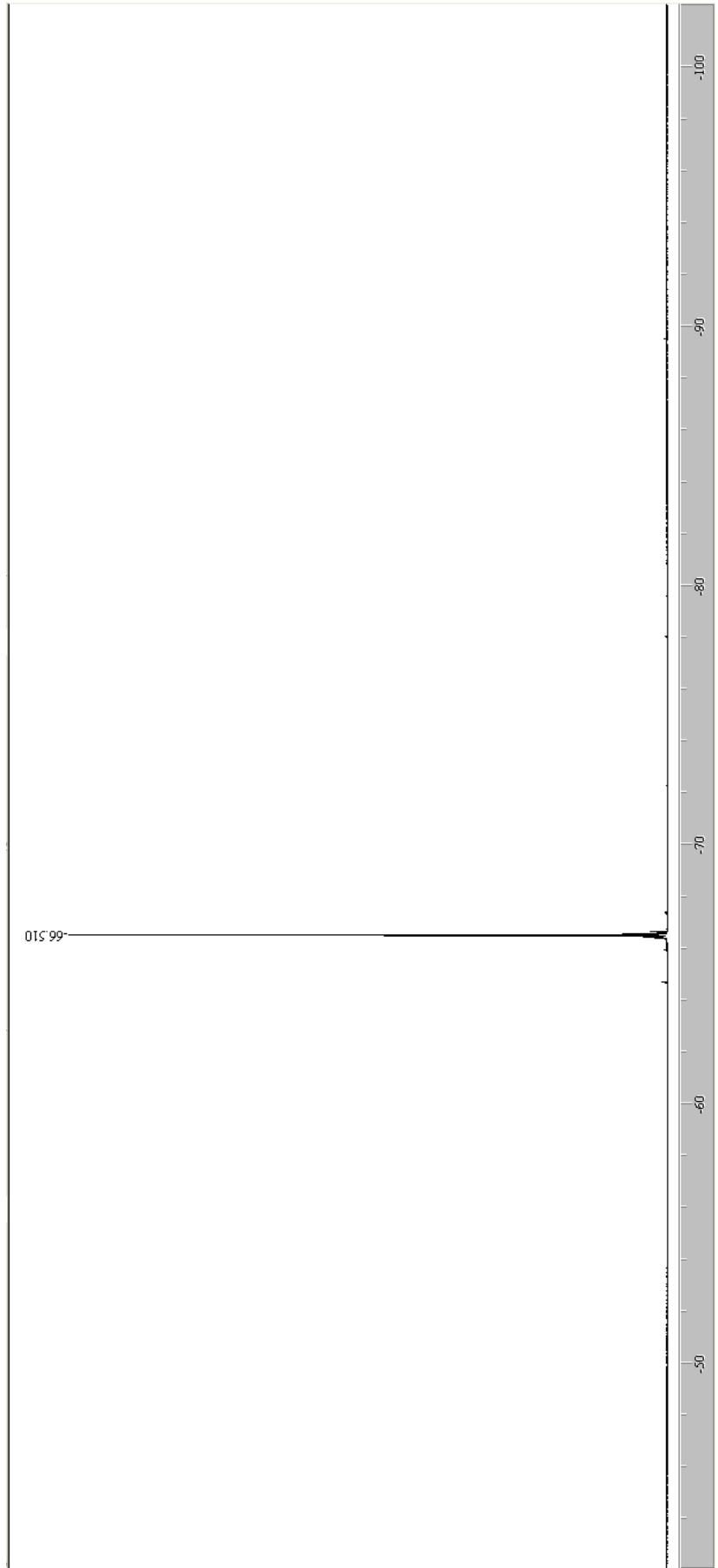
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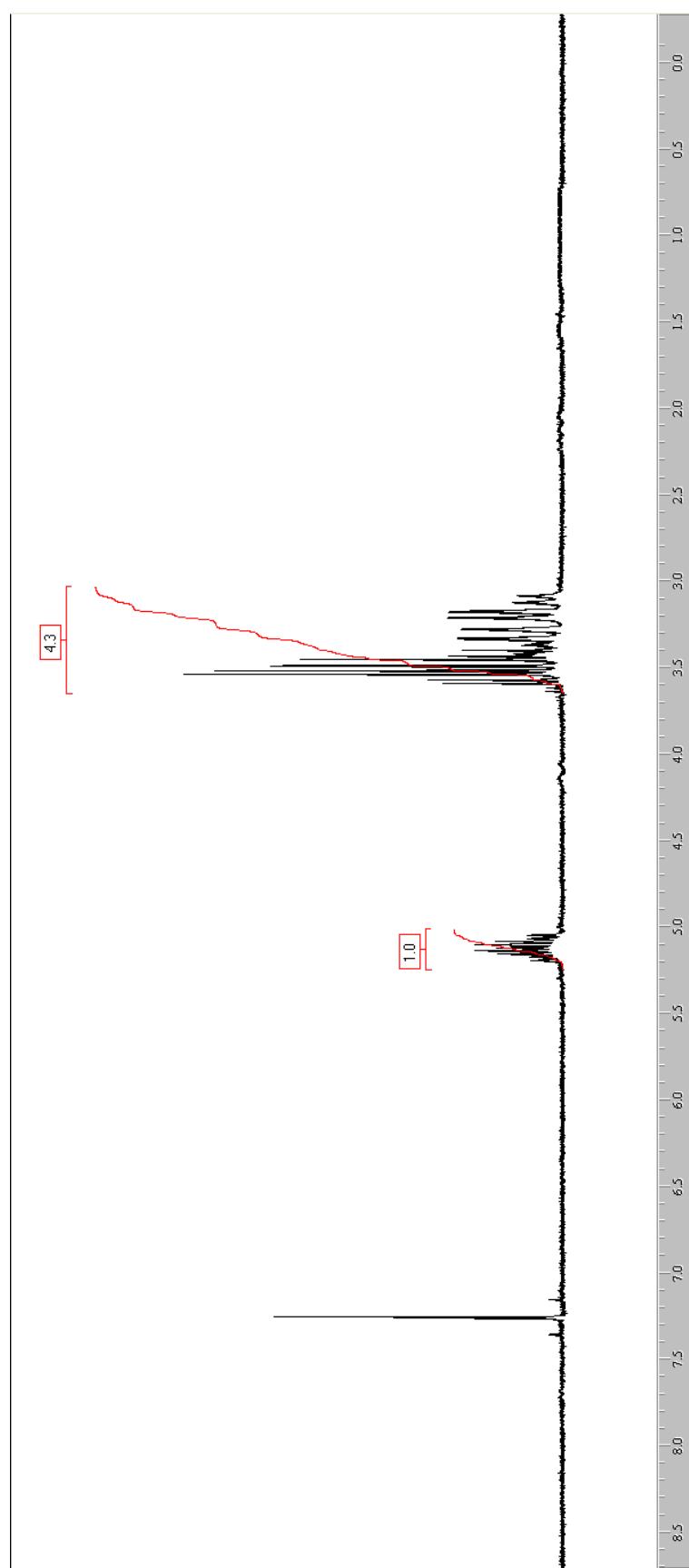
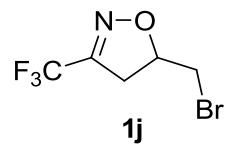
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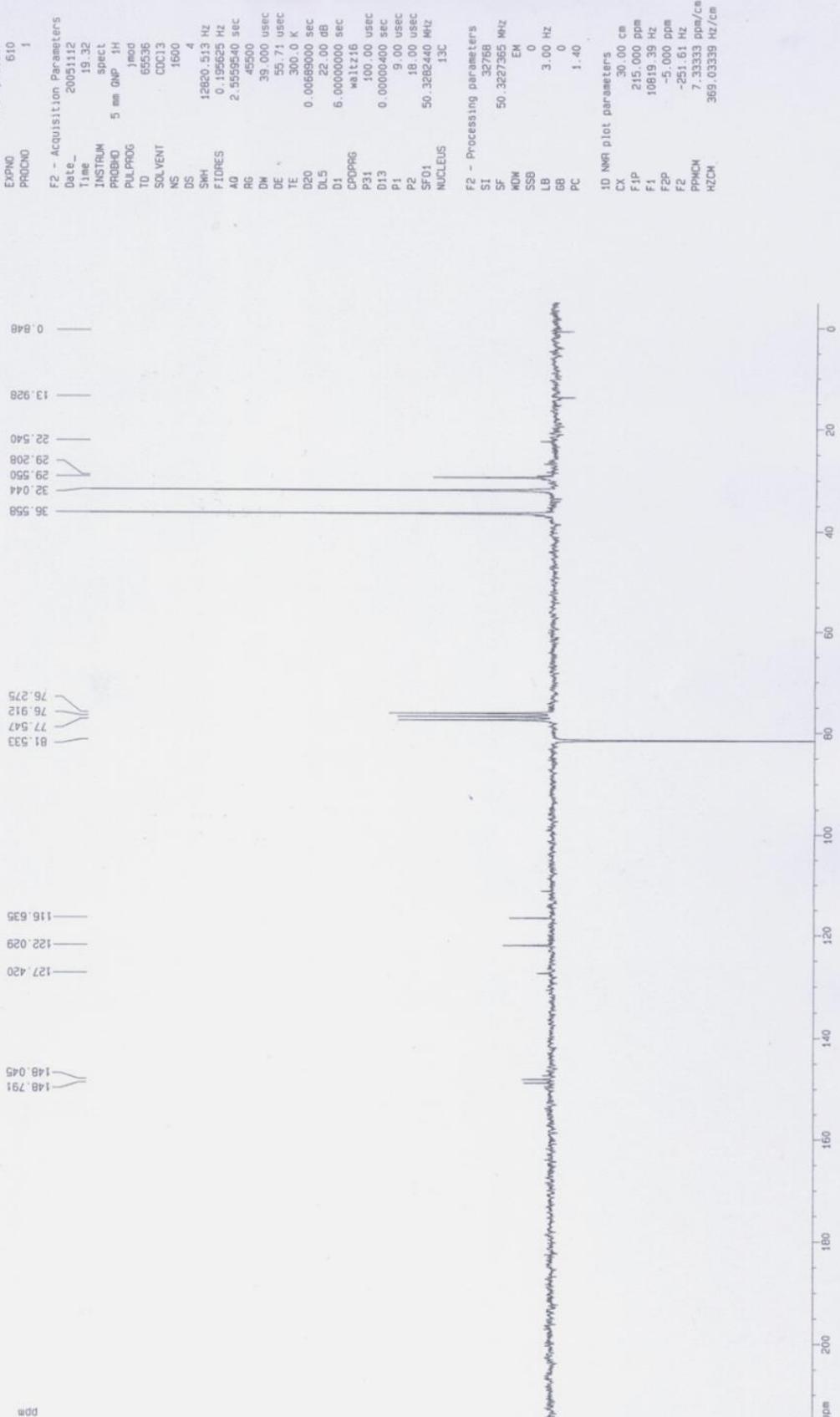


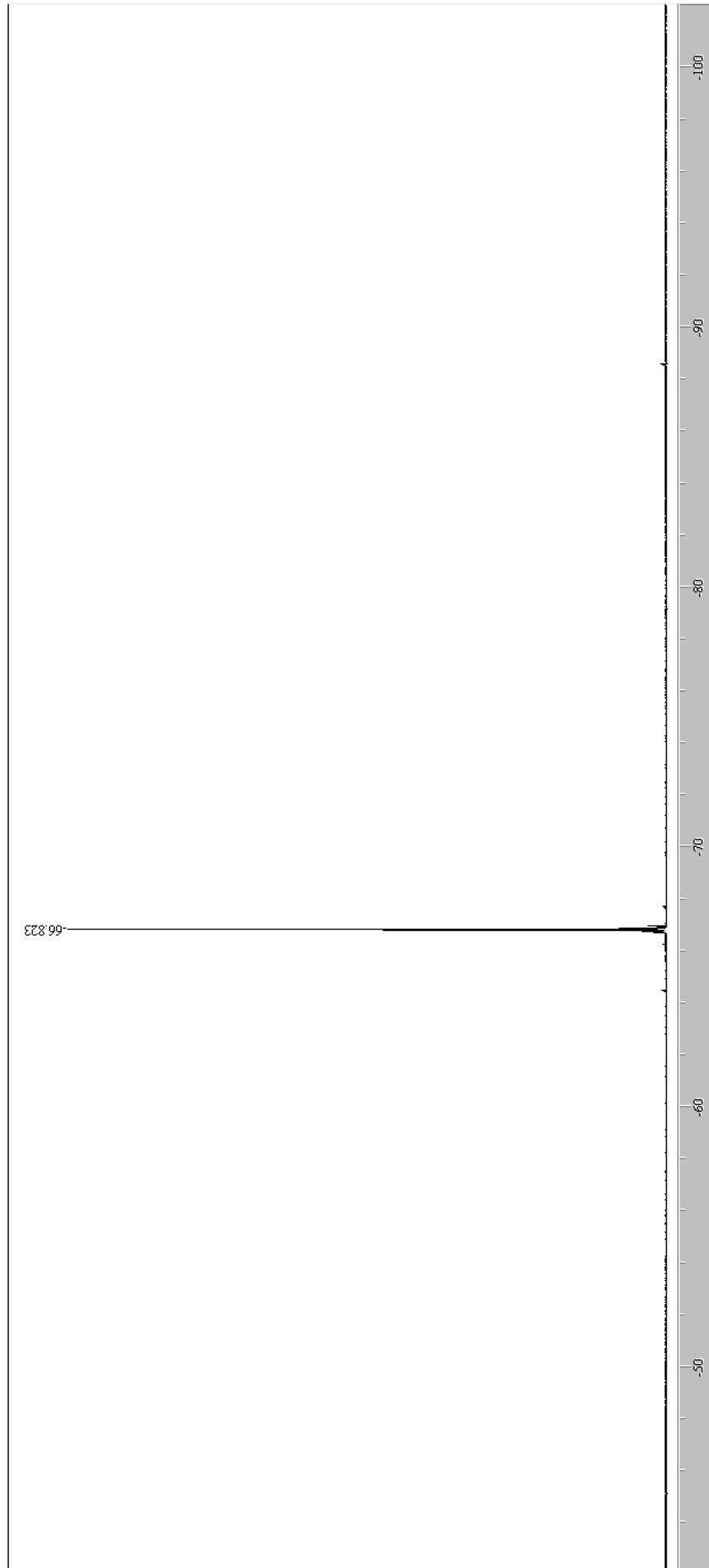
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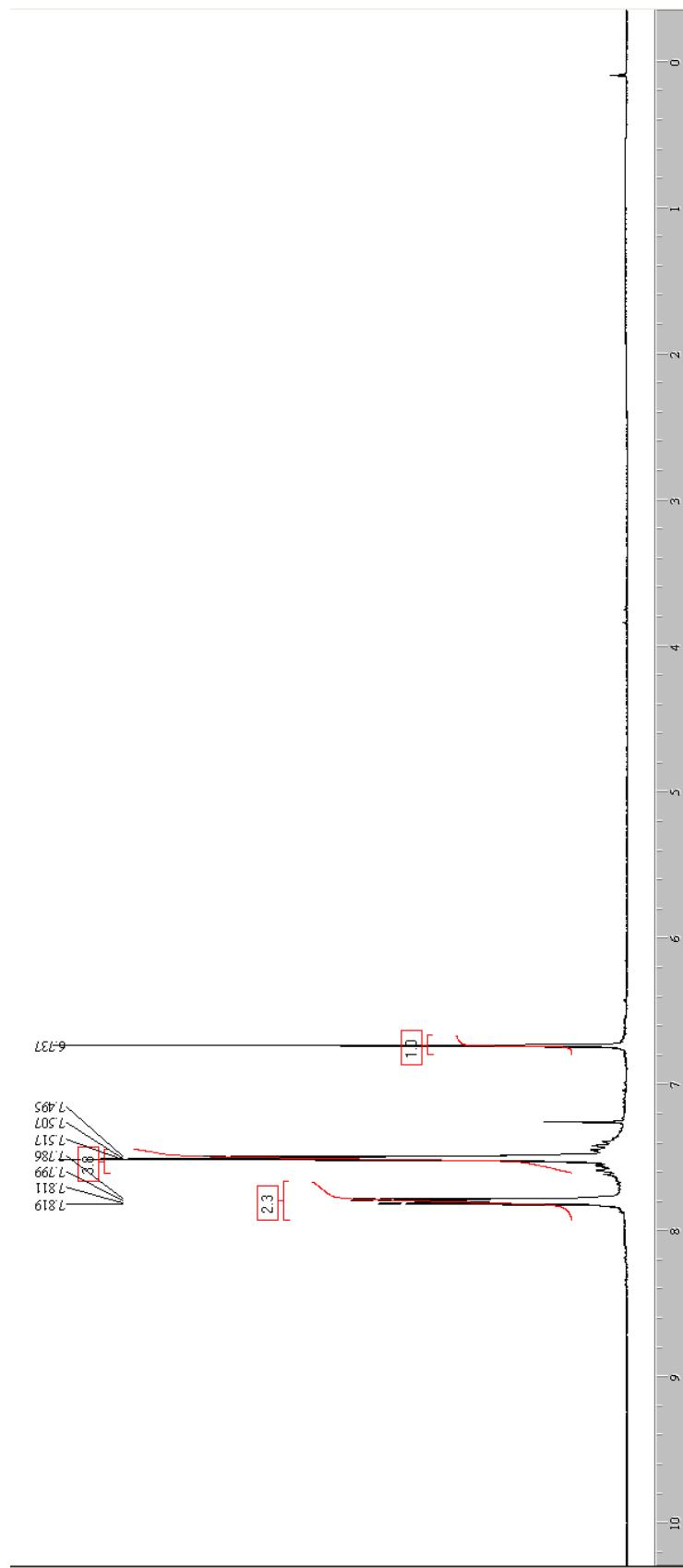
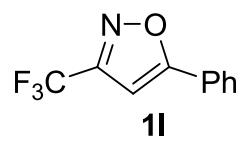
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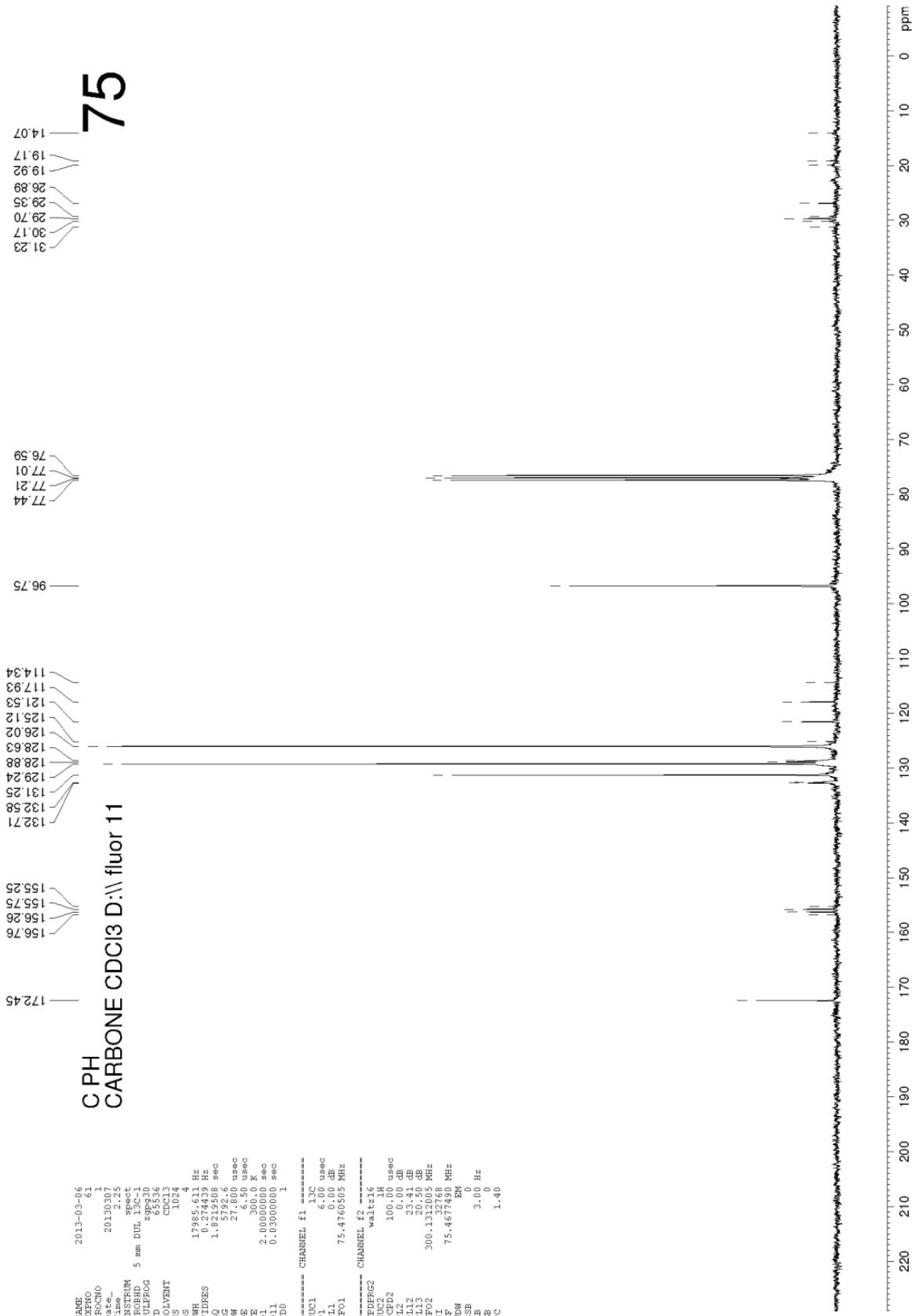
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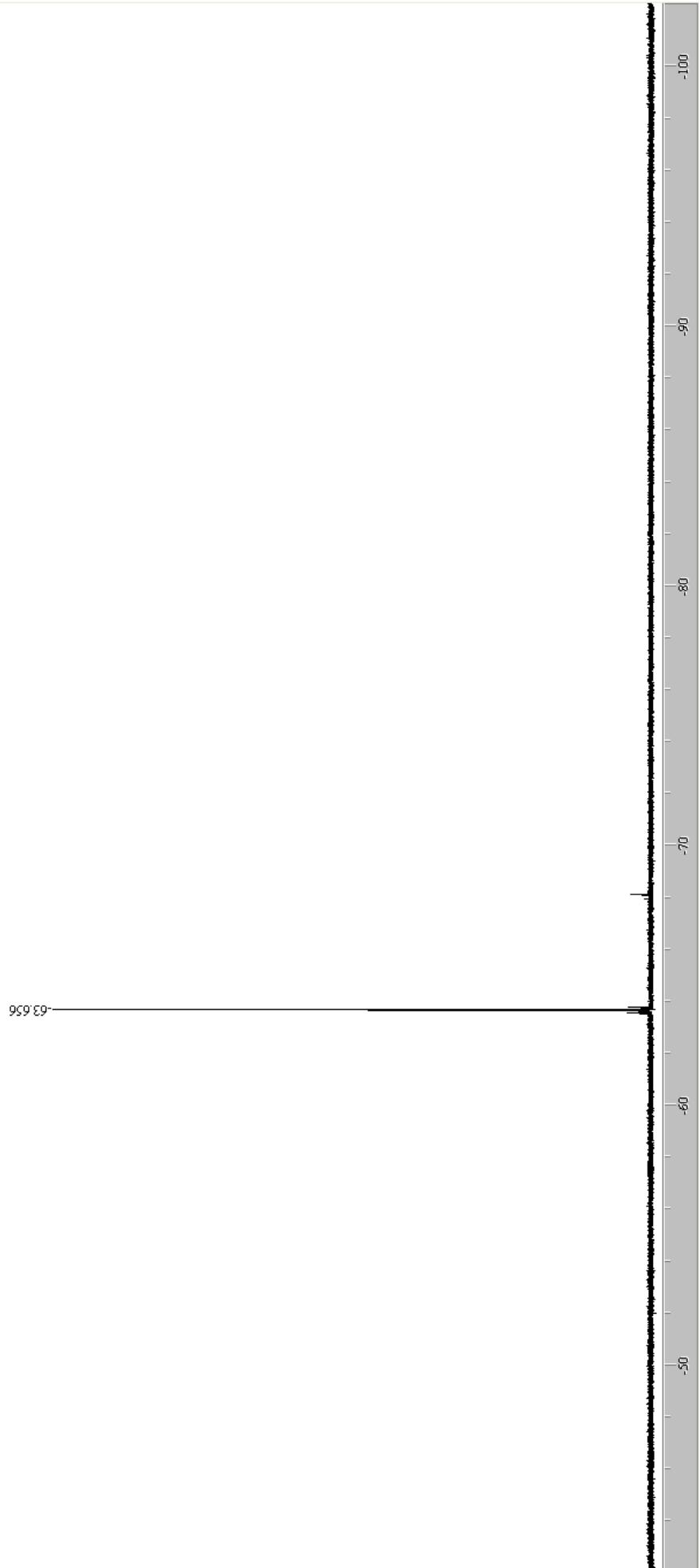




### 5-Phenyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)isoxazole (**11**)

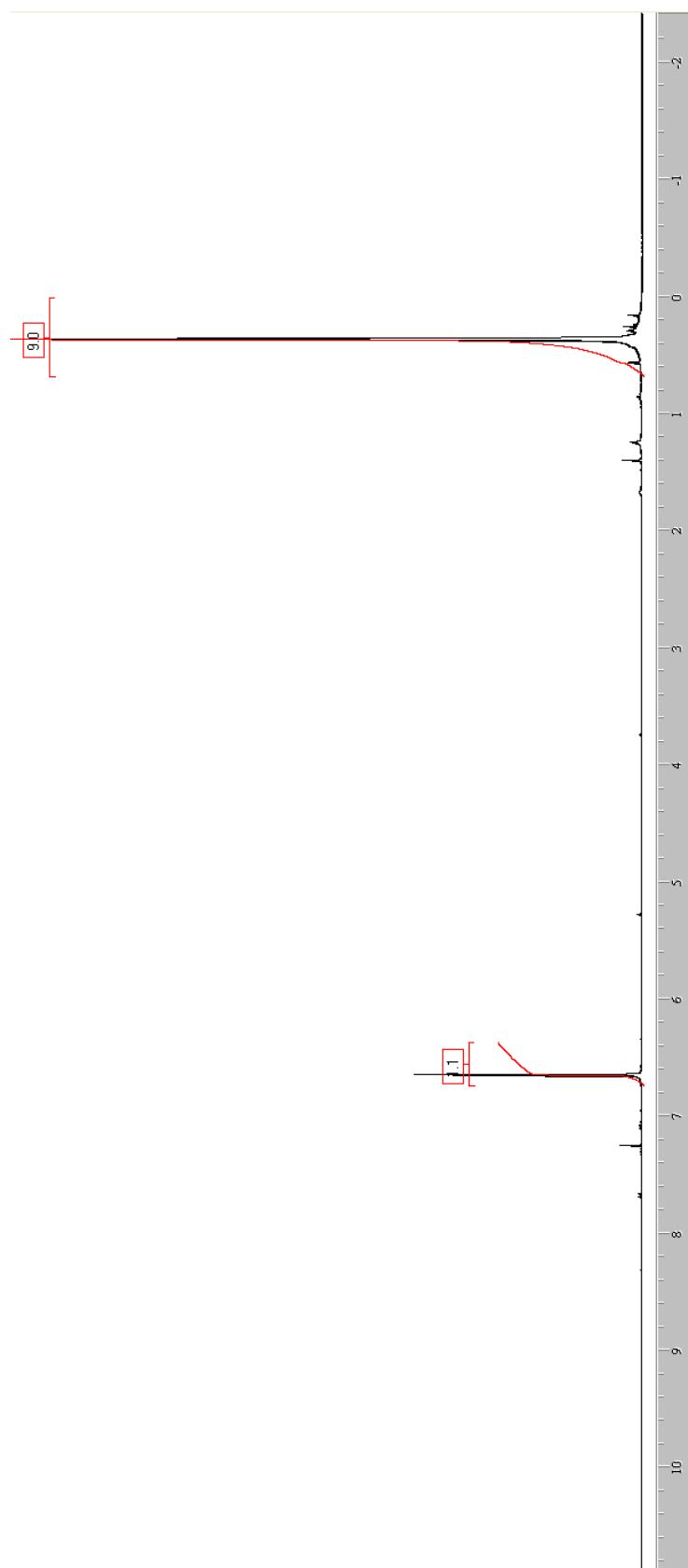
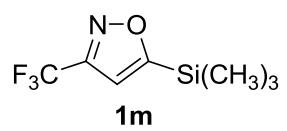


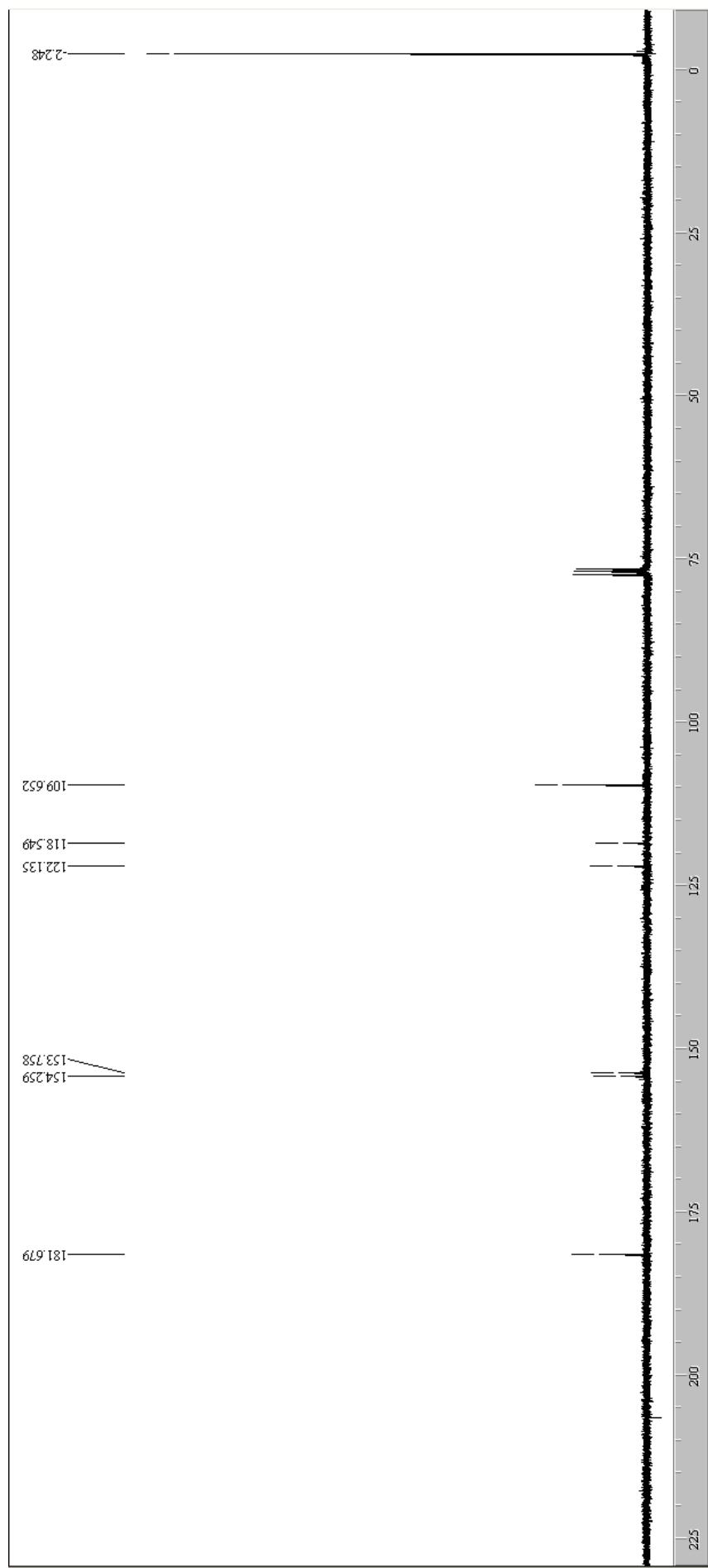


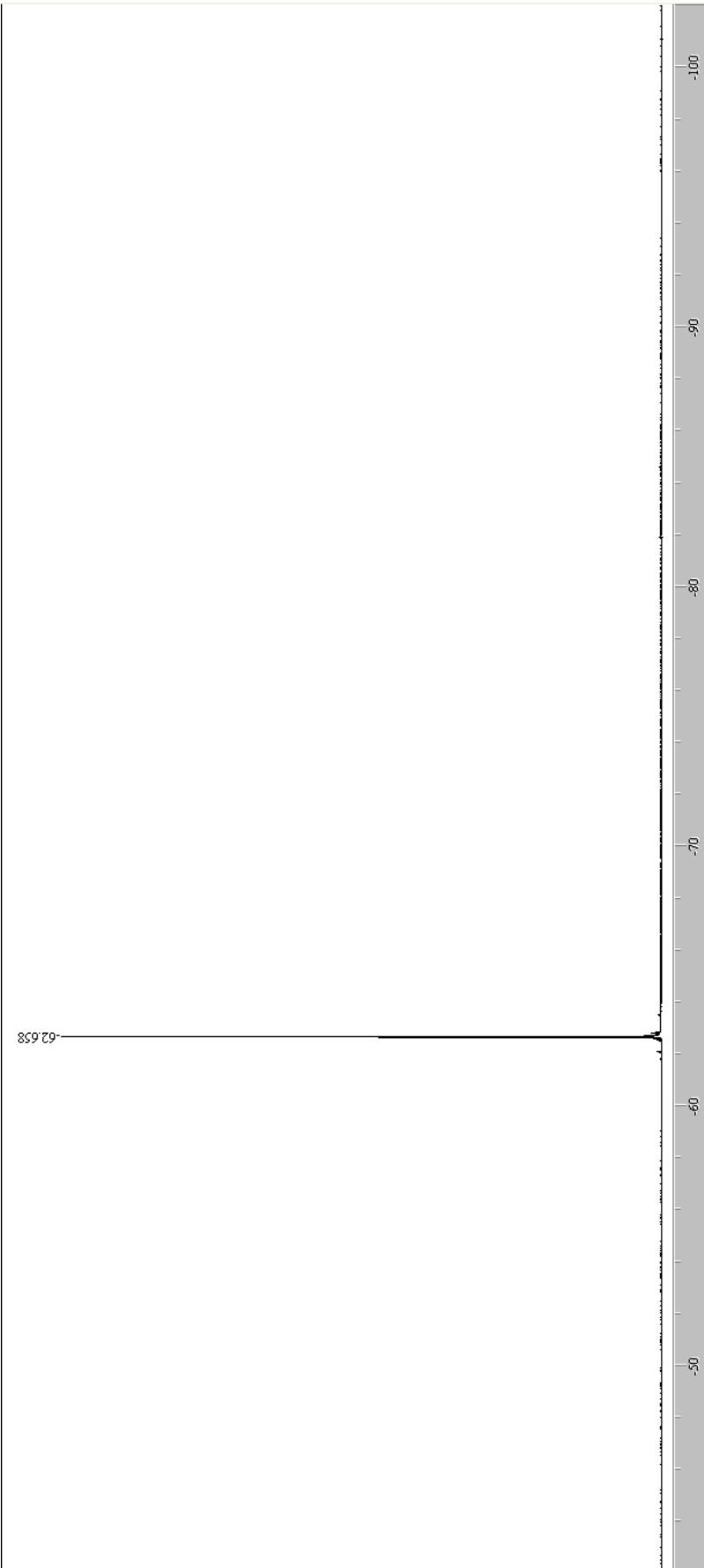


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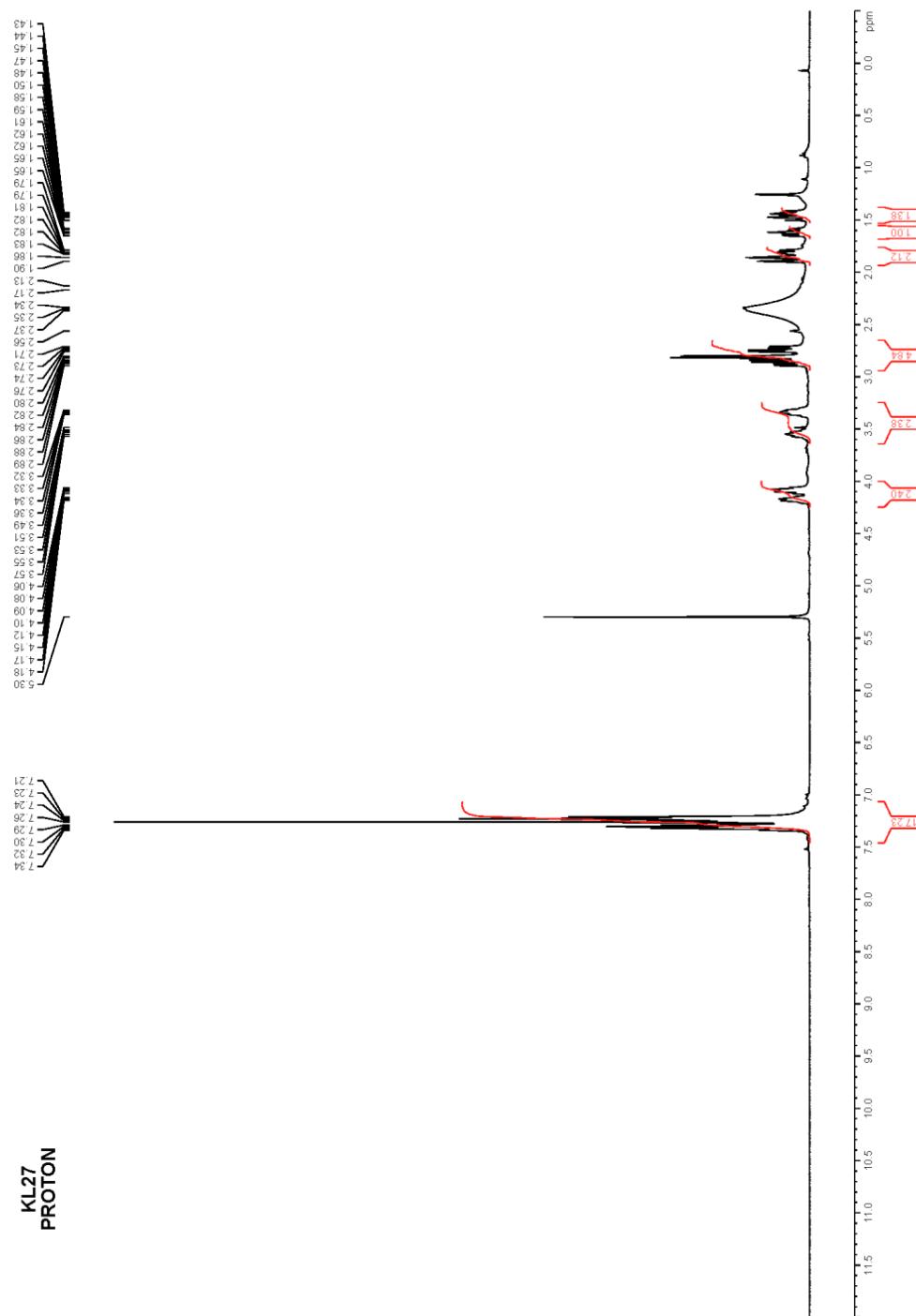
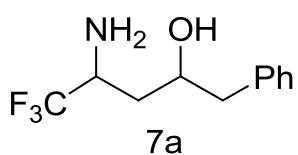
**3-(Trifluoromethyl)-5-(trimethylsilyl)isoxazole (**1m**)**

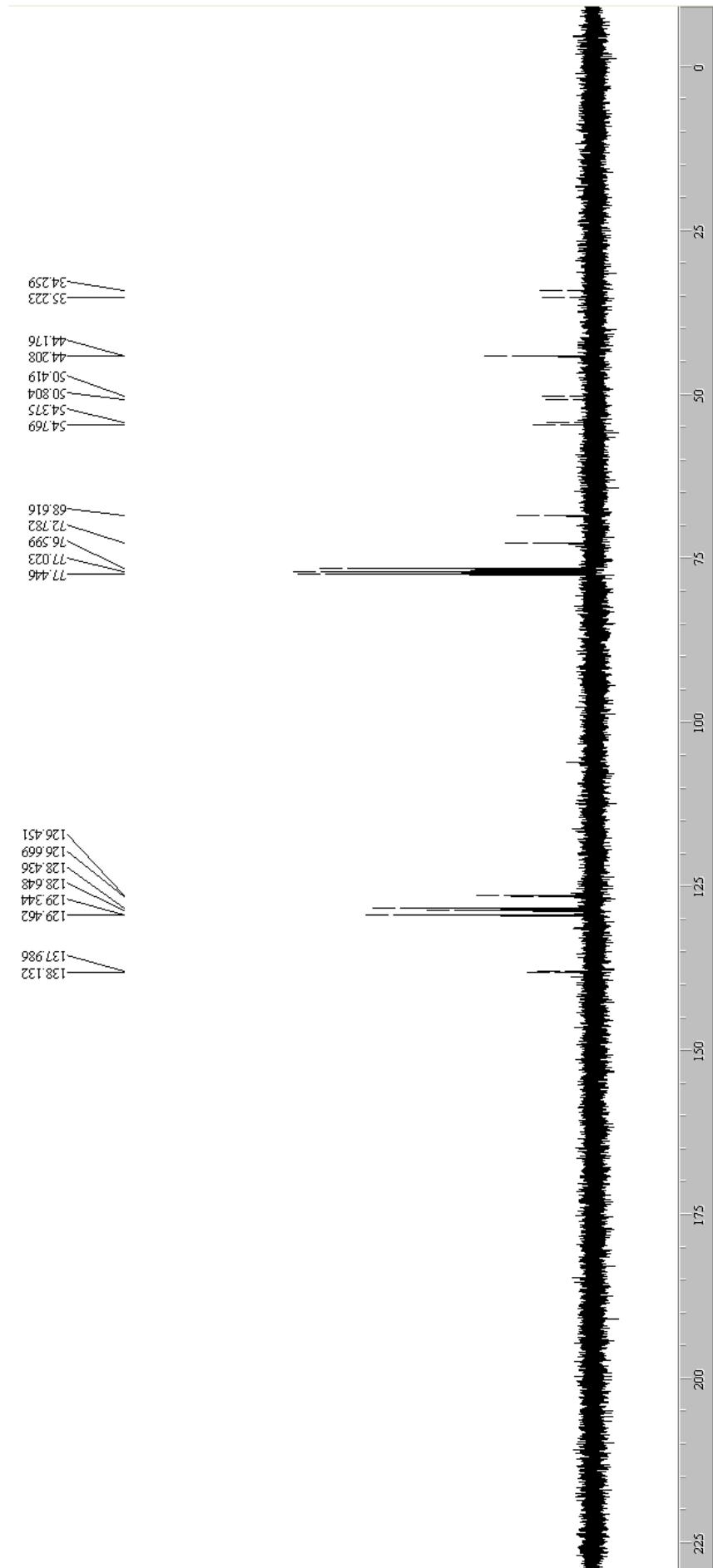


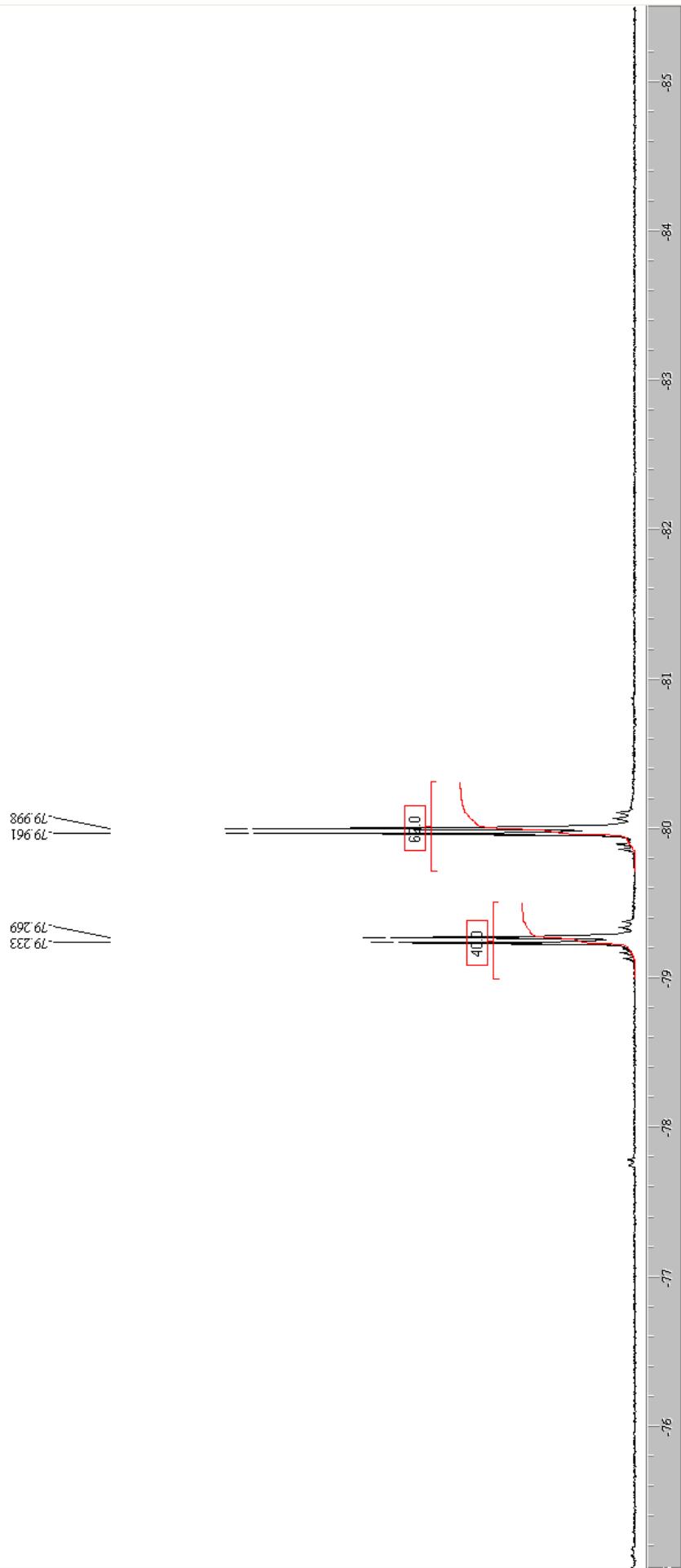




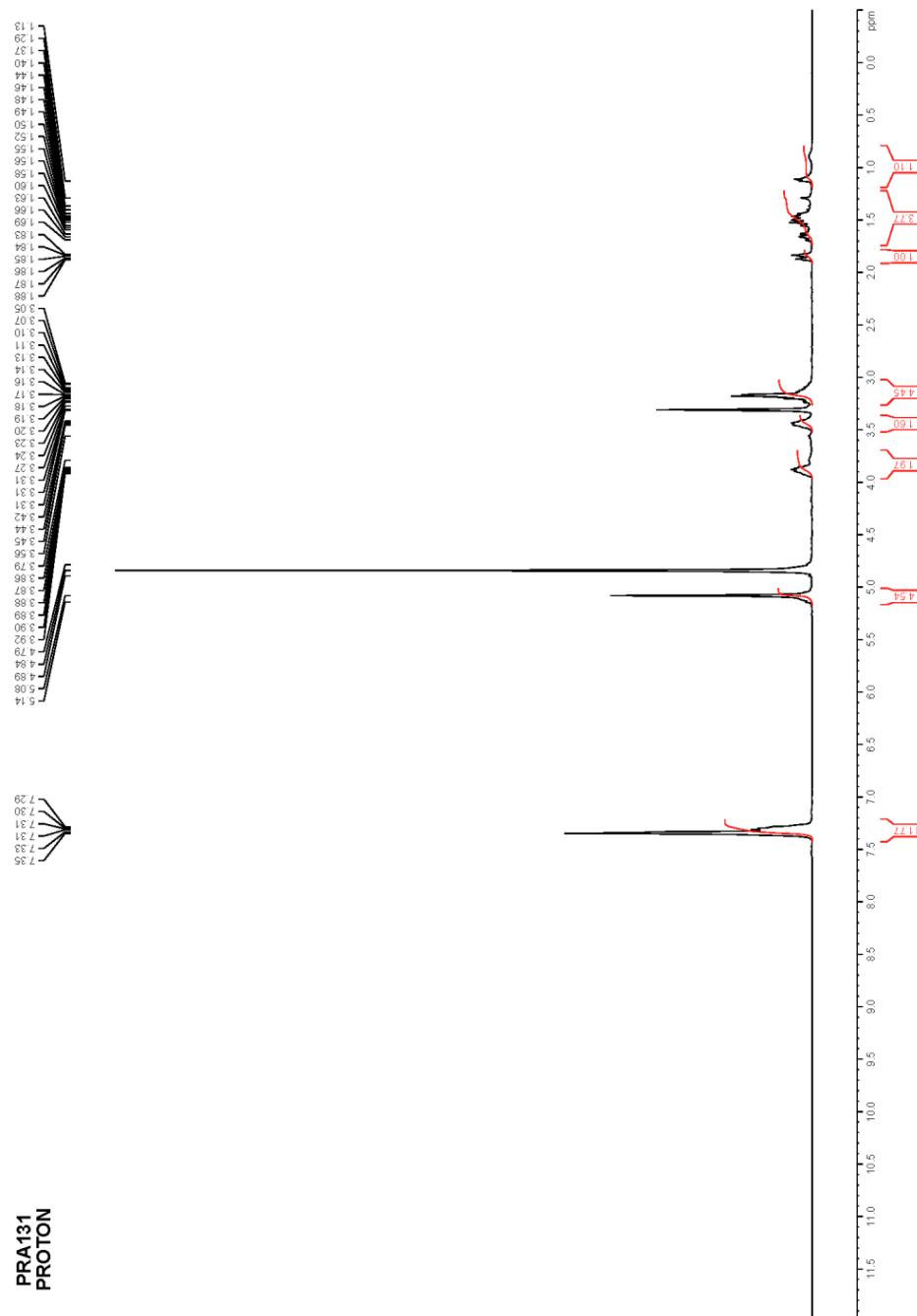
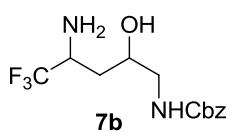
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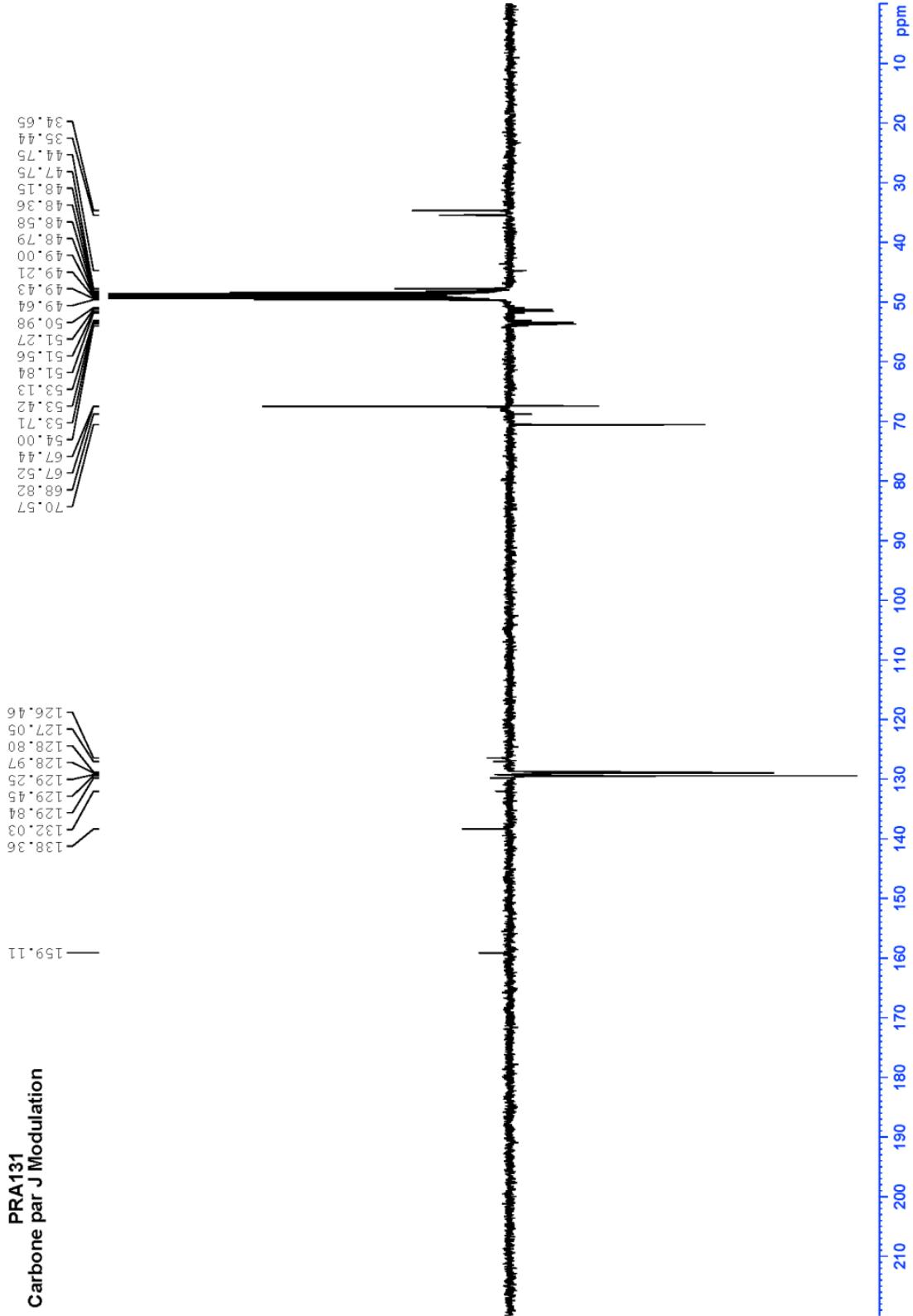


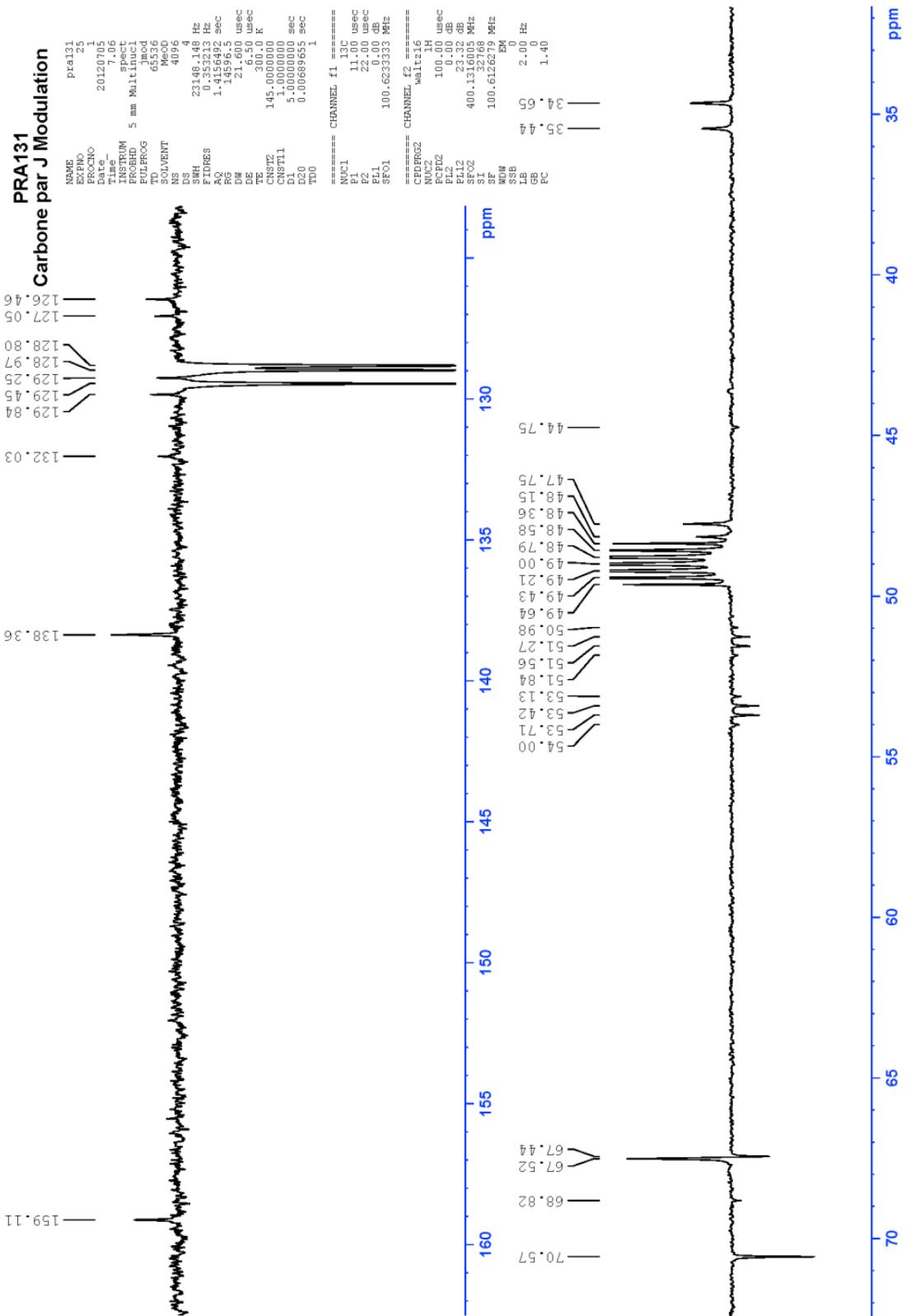


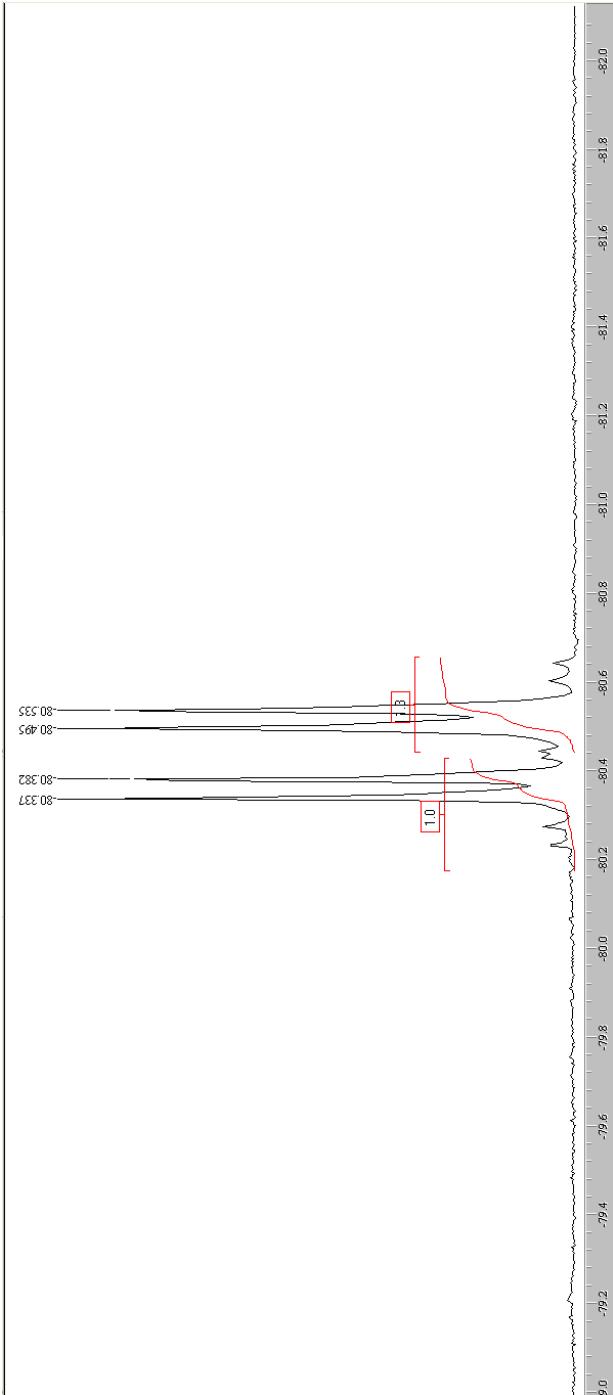
Benzyl 4-amino-5,5,5-trifluoro-2-hydroxypentylcarbamate (**7b**)



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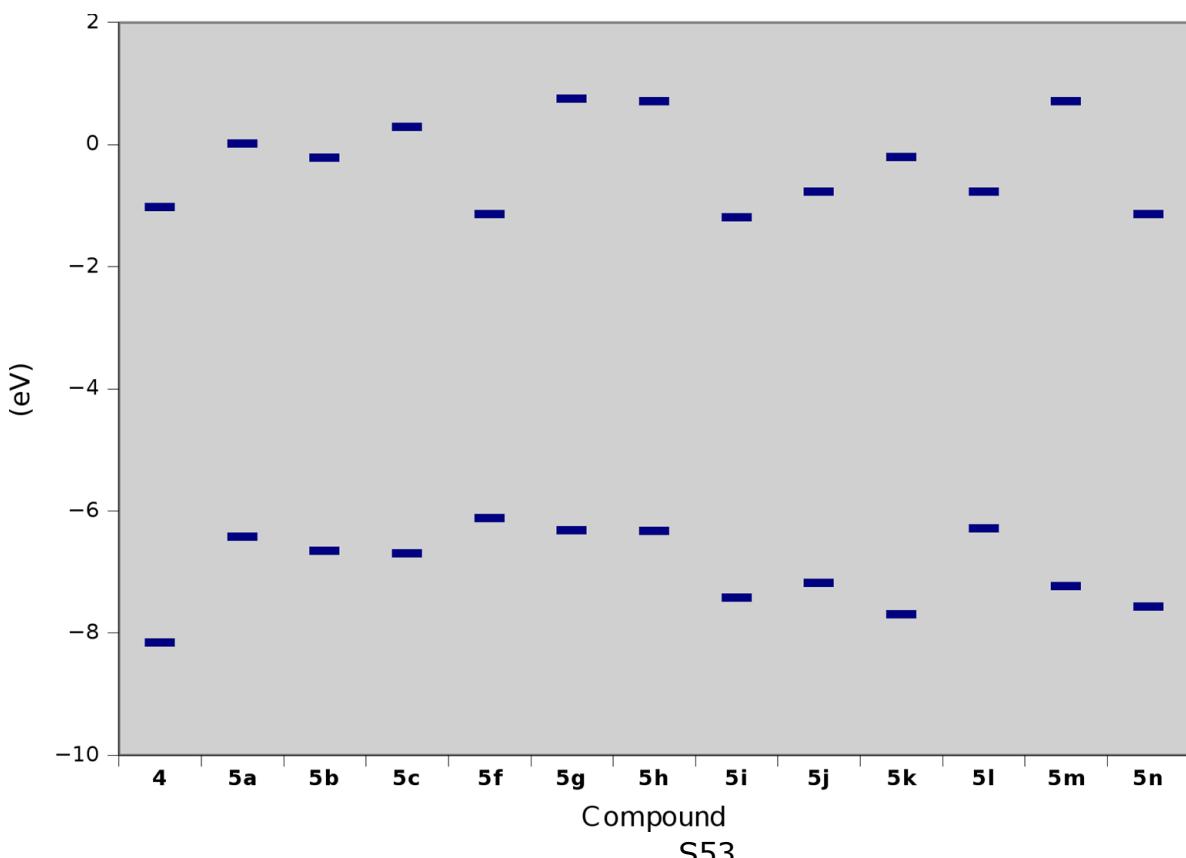


### 3. Computational Methods

Conformations of reactants and products were fully optimized without constraint using DFT [2] method with the hybrid Becke3LYP functional [3] and the 6-31G\* base [4] as implemented in the Gaussian 09 software package. [5] Vibrational analysis within the harmonic approximation was performed at the same level of theory upon geometrical optimization convergence and local minima were characterized by the absence of imaginary frequency. Figures are rendered with UCSF Chimera. [6]

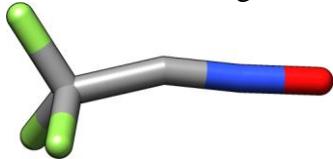
#### Energies of Frontier Molecular Orbitals

Compound	HOMO level (eV)	LUMO level (eV)
<b>4</b>	-8.163	-1.024
<b>5a</b>	-6.430	0.016
<b>5b</b>	-6.660	-0.220
<b>5c</b>	-6.697	0.282
<b>5f</b>	-6.120	-1.149
<b>5g</b>	-6.318	0.744
<b>5h</b>	-6.331	0.708
<b>5i</b>	-7.425	-1.199
<b>5j</b>	-7.186	-0.779
<b>5k</b>	-7.697	-0.208
<b>5l</b>	-6.286	-0.777
<b>5m</b>	-7.233	0.706
<b>5n</b>	-7.566	-1.143



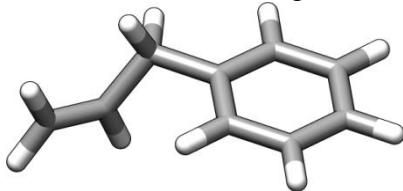
## Model Coordinates for DFT Calculations

Compound **4** (E(RB3LYP) =  $-505.598294916$  Ha, Lowest Frequency:  $52.9685\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies =  $-505.602940$  Ha.)



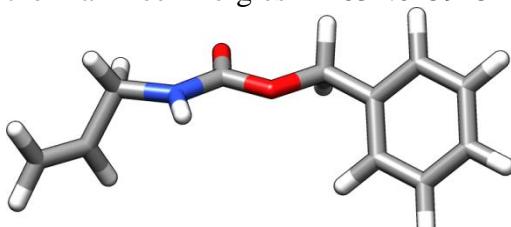
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N	1.79300	-0.03630	0.00220
C	0.62960	-0.12600	0.00760
C	-0.83180	-0.00580	0.00030
F	-1.35720	-0.64340	-1.05860
F	-1.35940	-0.53910	1.11440
F	-1.20300	1.28510	-0.06200

Compound **5a** (E(RB3LYP) =  $-348.956968953$  Ha, Lowest Frequency:  $26.4344\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies =  $-348.828801$  Ha.)



C	-3.47310	0.54740	0.11880
C	-2.41680	-0.17220	0.49950
C	-1.42770	-0.81840	-0.43830
C	0.00620	-0.35790	-0.21700
C	0.32790	1.00670	-0.23870
C	1.64240	1.43370	-0.05490
C	2.66090	0.50150	0.15880
C	2.35270	-0.85860	0.18740
C	1.03460	-1.28160	0.00170
H	-3.69950	0.71870	-0.93200
H	-4.15600	0.98790	0.84040
H	-2.22210	-0.31680	1.56280
H	-1.46780	-1.90980	-0.31470
H	-1.73090	-0.61300	-1.47430
H	-0.46290	1.73640	-0.39460
H	1.87270	2.49590	-0.07650
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H	0.80190	-2.34420	0.02460

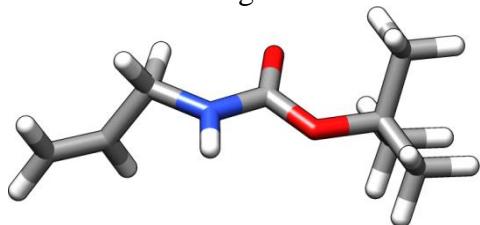
Compound **5b** (E(RB3LYP) =  $-632.193524709$  Ha, Lowest Frequency:  $8.0603\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies =  $-632.015915$  Ha.)



C	-5.50860	1.51150	-0.29010
C	-4.49310	0.85850	0.27480
C	-3.79050	-0.31900	-0.34860
N	-2.36330	-0.08320	-0.51490
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O	-1.62480	-1.82720	0.79020

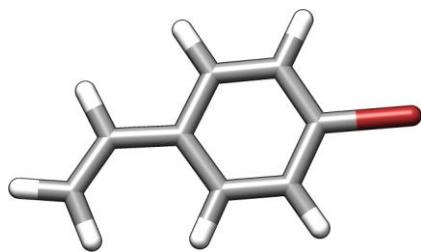
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C	0.92300	-1.11100	0.36640
C	2.19310	-0.32890	0.15180
C	3.29190	-0.91910	-0.47980
C	4.48410	-0.21030	-0.64550
C	4.58390	1.10330	-0.18800
C	3.48790	1.70390	0.43820
C	2.30310	0.99120	0.61020
H	-5.89920	1.22480	-1.26480
H	-5.99630	2.34950	0.20020
H	-4.11630	1.16830	1.24960
H	-3.87070	-1.20460	0.29010
H	-4.25060	-0.56350	-1.31550
H	-2.05000	0.71960	-1.04210
H	0.71720	-1.27220	1.42980
H	0.97710	-2.09570	-0.10940
H	3.21500	-1.94050	-0.84530
H	5.33000	-0.68330	-1.13730
H	5.50890	1.65850	-0.31880
H	3.55940	2.72790	0.79560
H	1.45050	1.46030	1.09420

Compound **5c** (E(RB3LYP) = -519.092463571 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 18.2678 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -518.907129 Ha.)



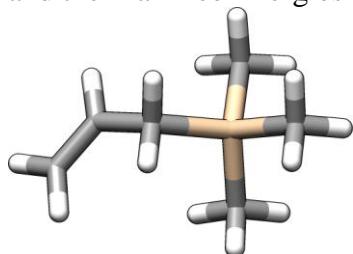
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C	-2.57470	-0.50540	-0.42580
N	-1.29810	0.18210	-0.55370
C	-0.11830	-0.36650	-0.13380
O	0.00090	-1.49730	0.31110
O	0.87620	0.54270	-0.30250
C	2.26710	0.21350	0.04100
C	2.76040	-0.95430	-0.82030
C	3.01110	1.50310	-0.31700
C	2.38470	-0.08090	1.54070
H	-5.38990	1.14890	0.85120
H	-5.12030	0.49780	-0.85890
H	-3.15410	0.37720	1.51250
H	-2.33520	-1.50190	-0.04090
H	-3.03750	-0.63200	-1.41370
H	-1.28310	1.14820	-0.84790
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H	2.89400	1.73480	-1.38070
H	1.83750	-0.98660	1.80670
H	3.43920	-0.21360	1.80850
H	1.98920	0.75760	2.12480

Compound **5f** (E(RB3LYP) = -2880.75323894 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 43.1560 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -2880.664160 Ha.)



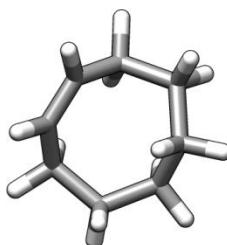
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C	-1.47660	-1.02720	0.00010
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C	0.07700	1.29310	-0.00000
C	-1.31430	1.37380	0.00000
H	-4.25520	-1.64830	-0.00020
H	-5.56640	-0.35240	-0.00010
H	-3.92800	1.41290	0.00010
H	-2.06340	-1.94080	0.00010
H	0.39400	-2.09710	0.00010
H	0.68420	2.19180	-0.00000
H	-1.78540	2.35380	-0.00000

Compound **5g** (E(RB3LYP) = -526.581273708 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 50.5033 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -526.435413 Ha.)



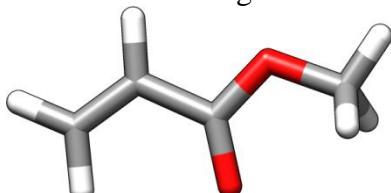
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Si	-0.76140	-0.02430	0.01820
C	-1.05090	1.56650	1.00700
C	-2.23000	-0.32540	-1.14240
C	-0.55700	-1.48890	1.19850
H	3.89710	0.03430	0.65020
H	3.08770	-1.32480	-0.30920
H	2.07280	1.54350	0.12630
H	0.62260	0.92410	-1.81070
H	0.98200	-0.78800	-1.58350
H	-1.15380	2.43750	0.34810
H	-1.96770	1.49710	1.60530
H	-0.22280	1.76770	1.69680
H	-2.08900	-1.23340	-1.74120
H	-3.16380	-0.44460	-0.57920
H	-2.36920	0.51120	-1.83790
H	0.34120	-1.37270	1.81570
H	-1.41780	-1.58260	1.87160
H	-0.46130	-2.43420	0.65040

Compound **5h** (E(RB3LYP) = -313.264478145 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 141.1004 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -313.090863 Ha.)



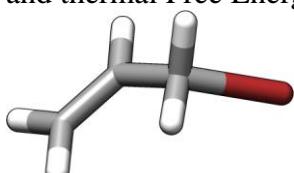
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C	0.58080	-1.65390	-0.32060
C	-0.74910	-1.57340	-0.44510
C	-1.65630	-0.69840	0.39120
C	-1.72910	0.78310	-0.04780
H	-0.24730	1.61770	1.30360
H	-0.79440	2.69820	0.04360
H	0.47500	0.89540	-1.55520
H	1.24470	2.31960	-0.88930
H	2.65700	0.32420	-0.68000
H	2.33550	1.08810	0.86900
H	2.27130	-1.40370	0.98160
H	0.79850	-0.63750	1.55150
H	1.13320	-2.30260	-1.00100
H	-1.23440	-2.16520	-1.22140
H	-2.67210	-1.11220	0.35630
H	-1.35330	-0.73300	1.44690
H	-2.58460	1.24010	0.46910
H	-1.96260	0.82900	-1.12100

Compound **5i** (E(RB3LYP) = -306.467759663 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 99.0875 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -306.402260 Ha.)



C	2.30330	-0.08880	0.00000
O	1.01720	-0.72540	-0.00000
C	-0.04360	0.11780	-0.00010
O	0.06060	1.32820	-0.00000
C	-1.31730	-0.64640	-0.00000
C	-2.49200	-0.01330	0.00000
H	3.03260	-0.89940	0.00010
H	2.42330	0.53650	-0.88900
H	2.42330	0.53650	0.88910
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H	-2.53010	1.07230	0.00000

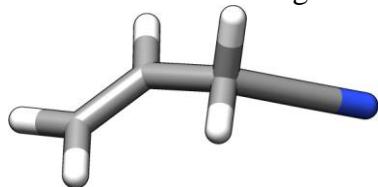
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Br	-1.13490	-0.12990	-0.03430
C	0.60660	0.86040	0.02100
C	1.71130	-0.02750	0.47050
C	2.76440	-0.33700	-0.28850

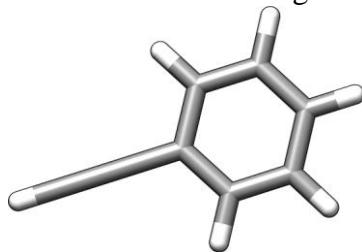
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H	0.41070	1.68130	0.71160
H	1.63000	-0.41700	1.48370
H	3.56750	-0.96690	0.08290
H	2.86380	0.02980	-1.30780

Compound **5k** (E(RB3LYP) = -210.142831072 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 88.6494 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -210.091852 Ha.)



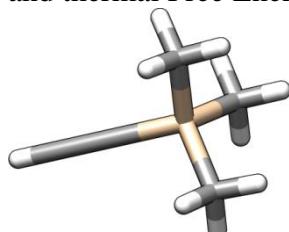
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C	1.05200	-0.17980	0.42520
C	-0.09000	0.76170	0.10440
C	-1.36990	0.05650	-0.05500
N	-2.37460	-0.51300	-0.17010
H	2.96470	-0.94990	-0.03020
H	2.30930	0.32070	-1.20450
H	0.92450	-0.79210	1.31600
H	-0.21420	1.50130	0.90840
H	0.12120	1.32200	-0.81400

Compound **5l** (E(RB3LYP) = -308.393595678 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 145.7241 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -308.314525 Ha.)



C	-3.23430	0.00000	-0.00000
C	-2.02420	-0.00010	-0.00000
C	-0.59420	-0.00000	-0.00000
C	0.11990	1.21310	-0.00000
C	1.51250	1.20860	0.00000
C	2.21300	0.00000	0.00000
C	1.51260	-1.20860	0.00000
C	0.12000	-1.21310	-0.00000
H	-4.30050	0.00000	0.00020
H	-0.42860	2.15000	-0.00000
H	2.05290	2.15130	0.00000
H	3.29960	0.00010	0.00000
H	2.05300	-2.15130	0.00000
H	-0.42850	-2.15000	-0.00000

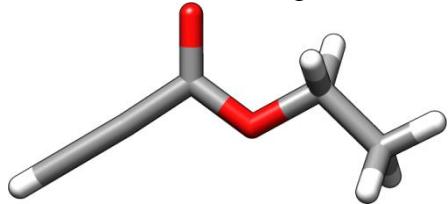
Compound **5m** (E(RB3LYP) = -486.025144953 Ha, Lowest Frequency: 125.0675 cm<sup>-1</sup>, Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies = -485.927896 Ha.)



C	2.76150	0.00020	0.00010
C	1.54610	0.00020	0.00000
Si	-0.29960	0.00000	-0.00010

C	-0.90060	-1.52950	-0.93230
C	-0.90100	-0.04280	1.79050
C	-0.90120	1.57210	-0.85830
H	3.82940	0.00020	0.00010
H	-0.54530	-2.45090	-0.45710
H	-1.99690	-1.56500	-0.95400
H	-0.54510	-1.52990	-1.96880
H	-0.54570	0.82900	2.35140
H	-1.99730	-0.04380	1.83190
H	-0.54570	-0.94070	2.30870
H	-0.54590	1.62190	-1.89370
H	-1.99750	1.60830	-0.87800
H	-0.54600	2.46980	-0.33980

Compound **5n** ( $E(RB3LYP) = -344.520086714$  Ha, Lowest Frequency:  $53.7728 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies =  $-344.452723$  Ha.)



C	2.75490	-0.75740	-0.00020
C	1.67890	0.31100	0.00020
O	0.39680	-0.36620	0.00010
C	-0.68220	0.43880	-0.00000
O	-0.64500	1.65110	-0.00010
C	-1.90860	-0.33640	-0.00000
C	-2.95820	-0.93250	-0.00000
H	2.67600	-1.39300	0.88740
H	2.67590	-1.39250	-0.88810
H	3.74340	-0.28540	-0.00010
H	1.73380	0.95460	0.88390
H	1.73360	0.95510	-0.88320
H	-3.88630	-1.45930	0.00010

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