

## Supporting Information

### Trinorlabdane diterpenoid alkaloids featuring an unprecedented skeleton with anti-inflammatory and anti-viral activities from *Forsythia suspensa*

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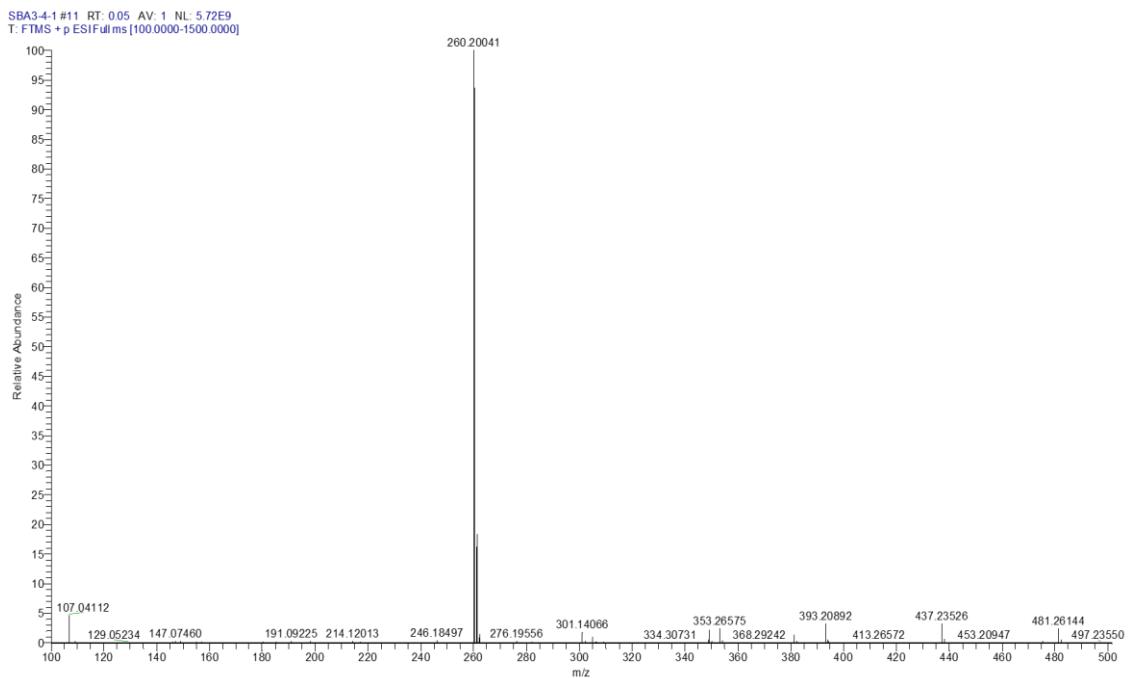
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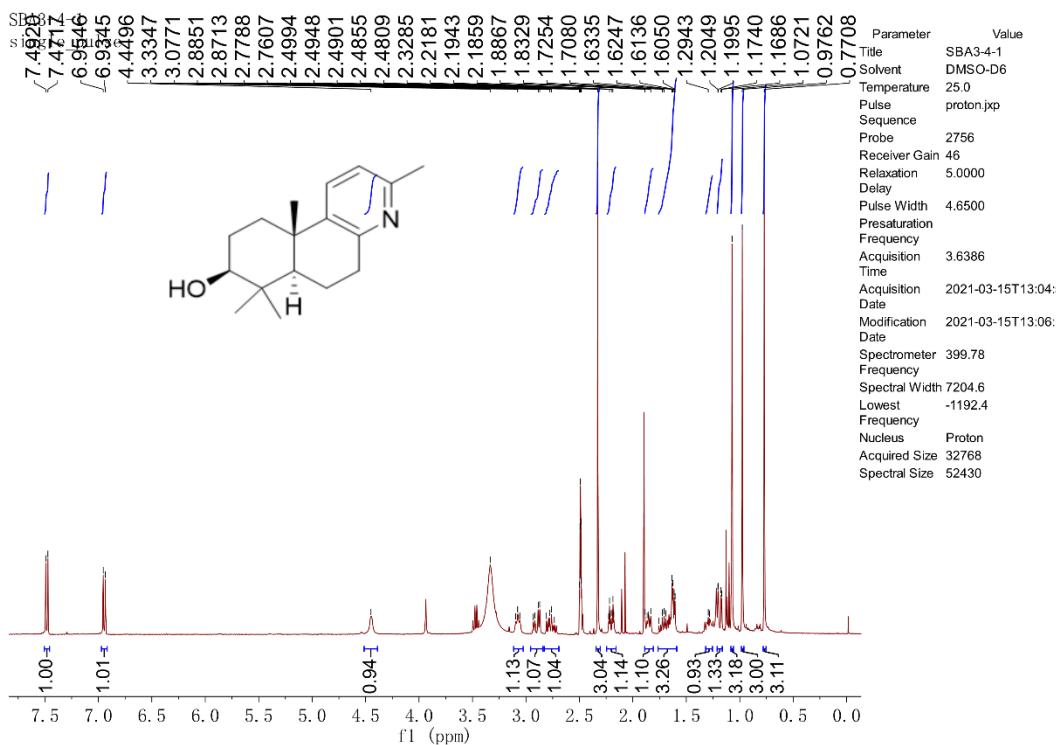
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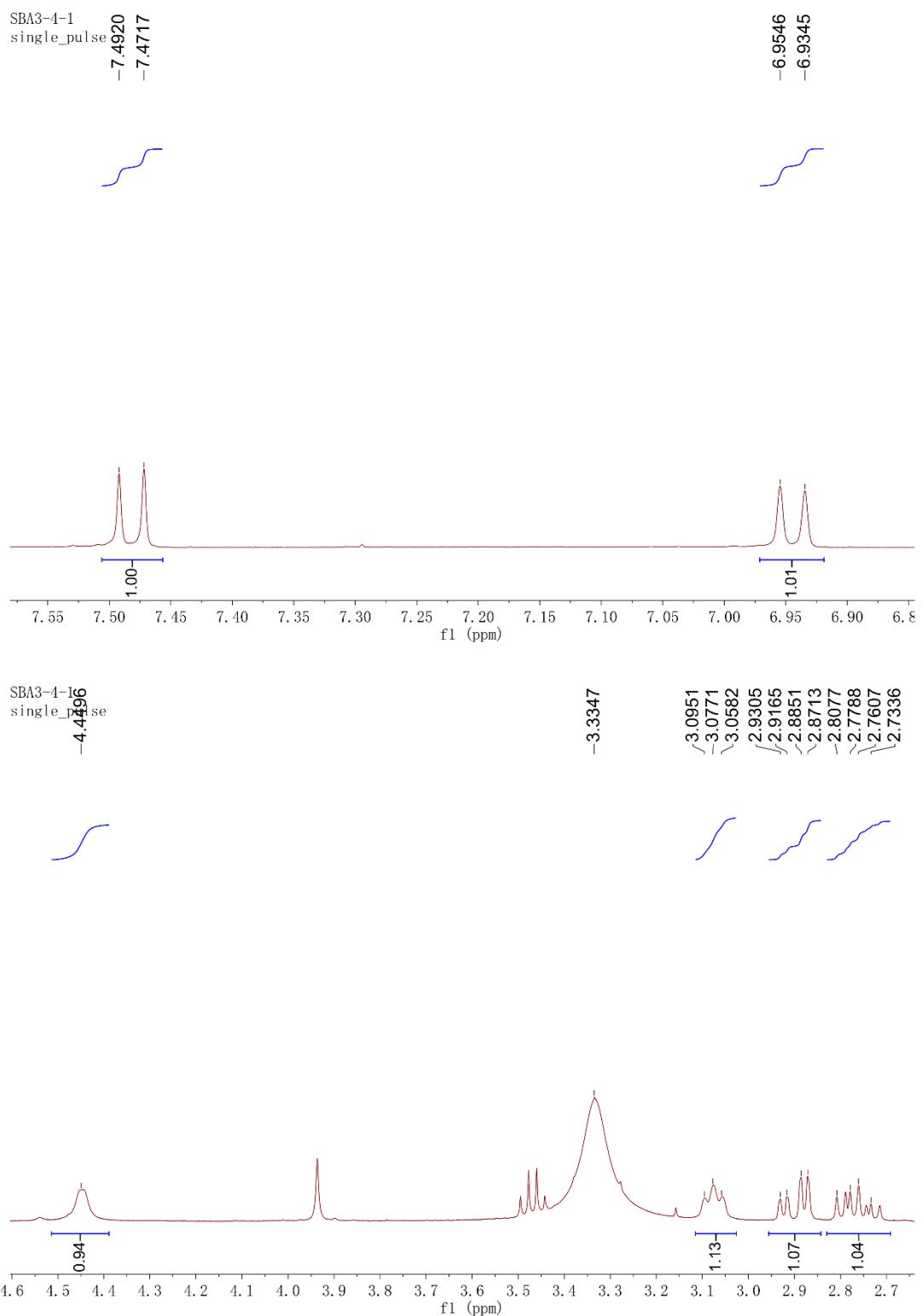
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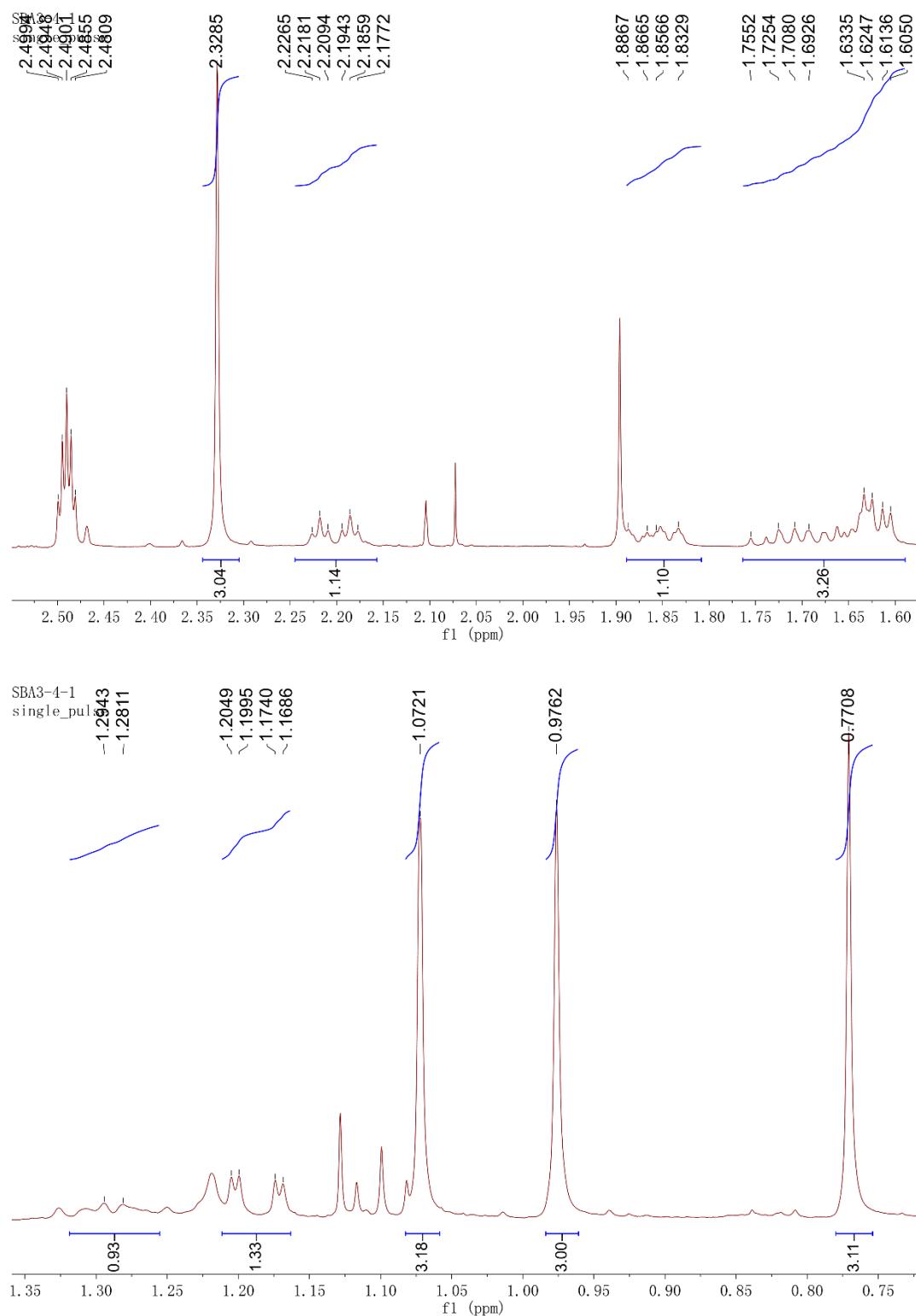
## The elucidation of chemical structure



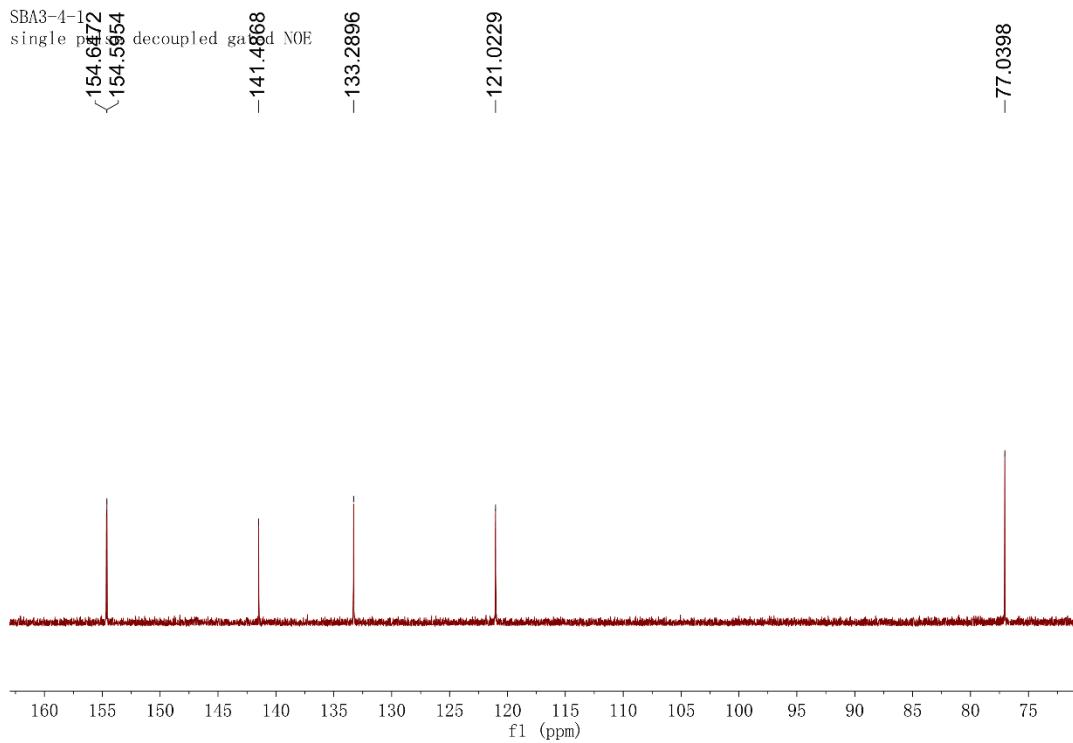
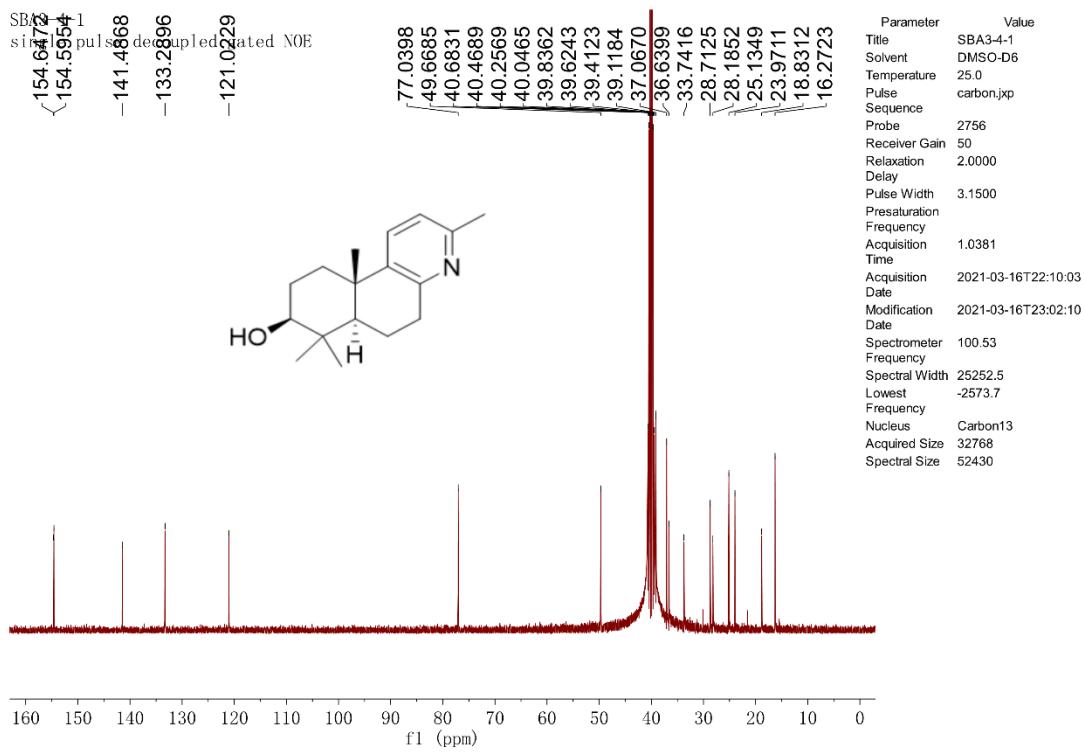
**Figure S1. HR-ESI spectrum of 1**

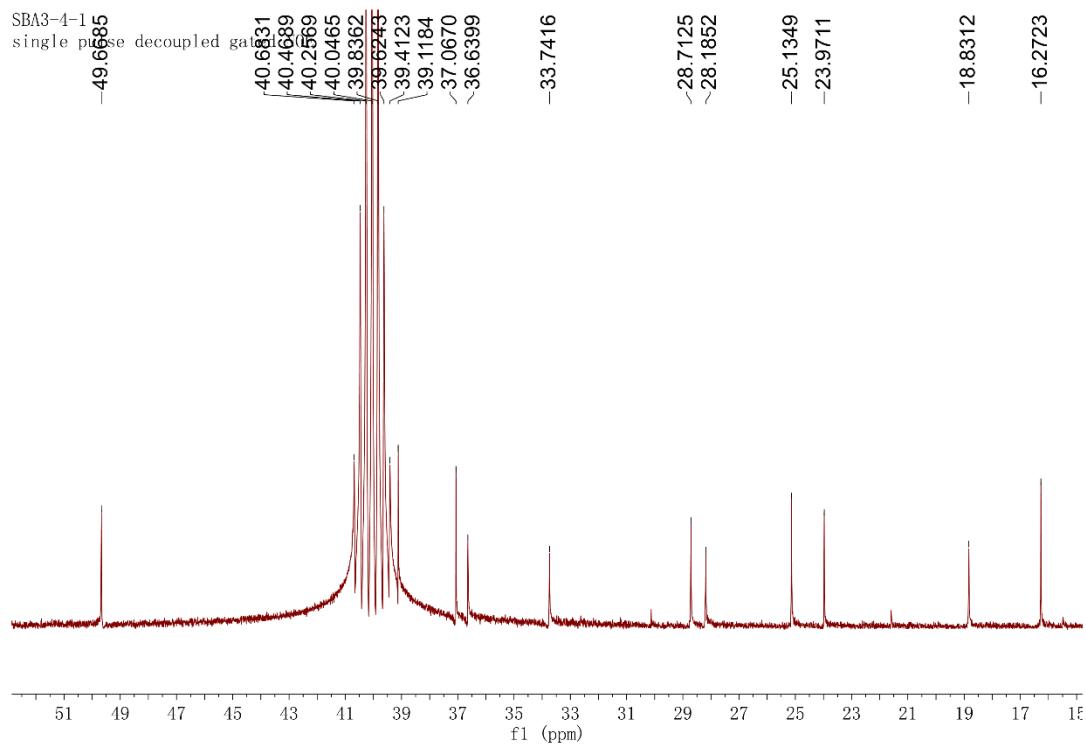




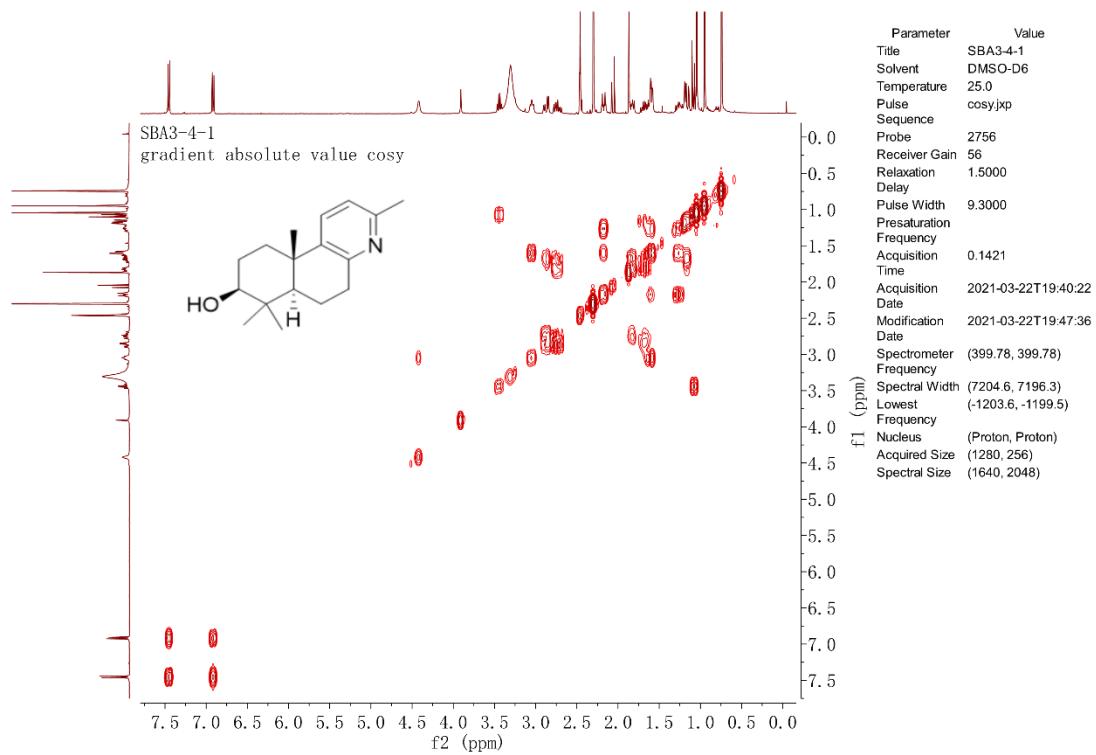


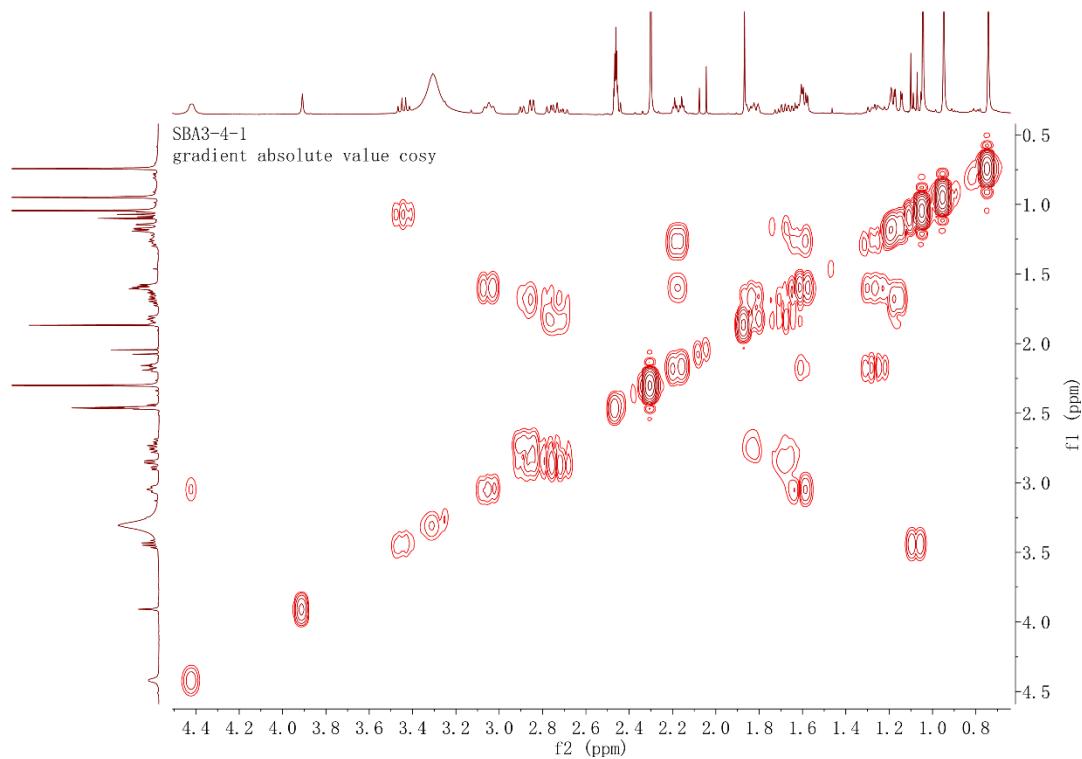
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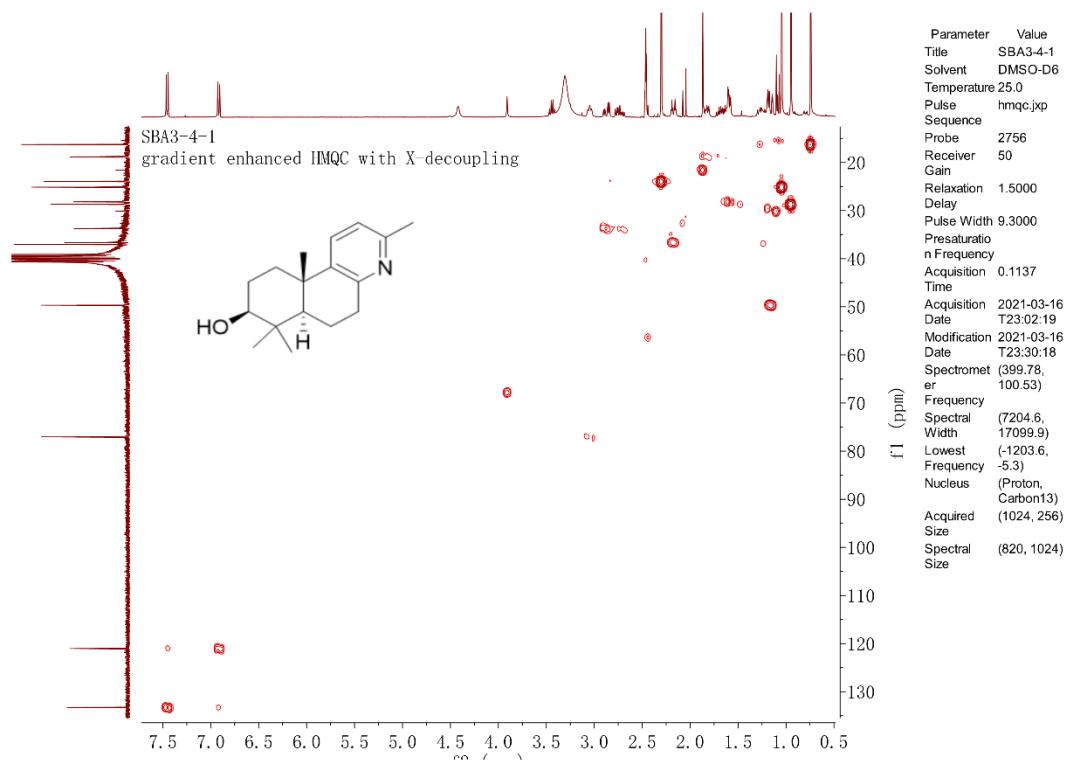


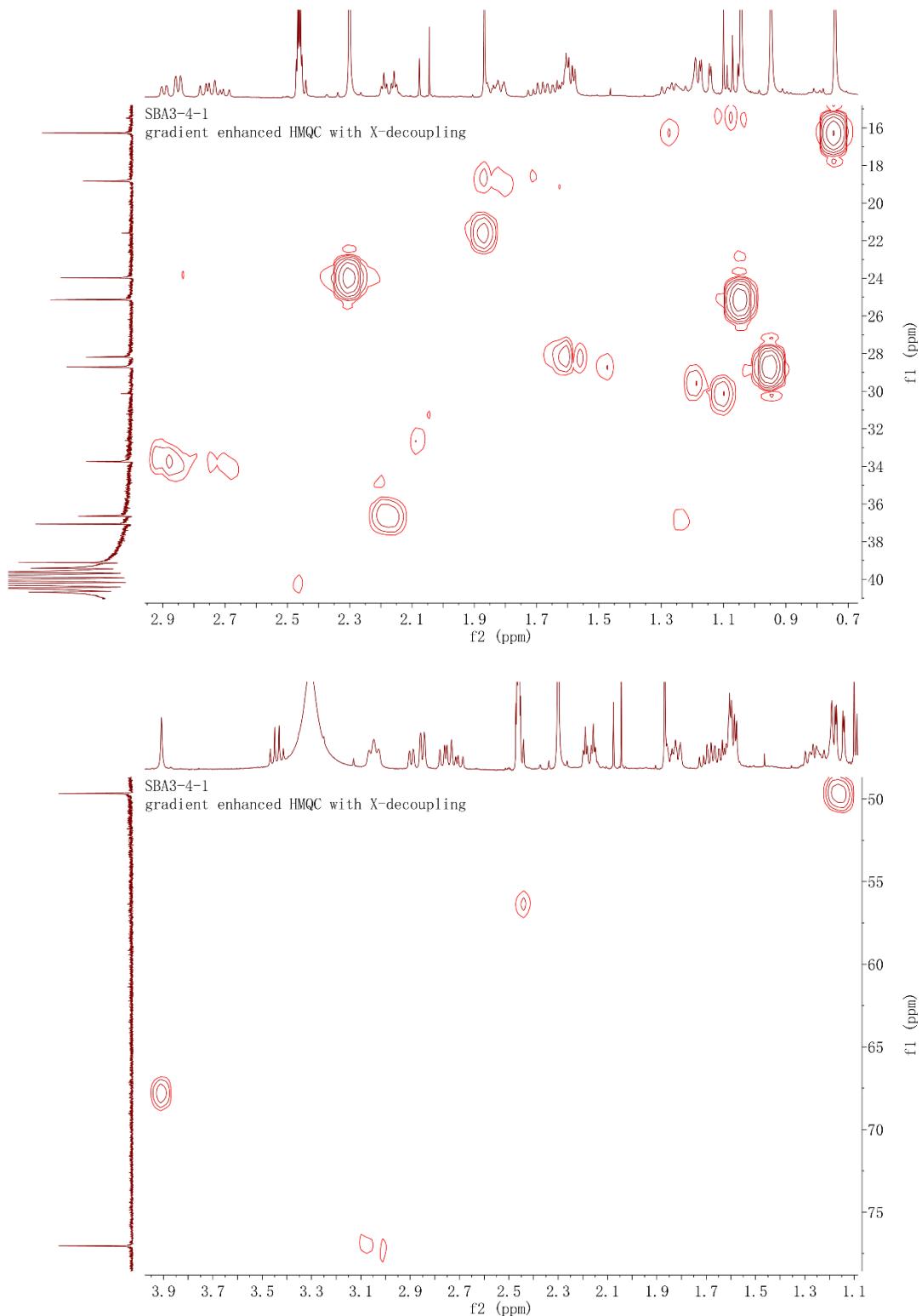
**Figure S3.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **1** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>



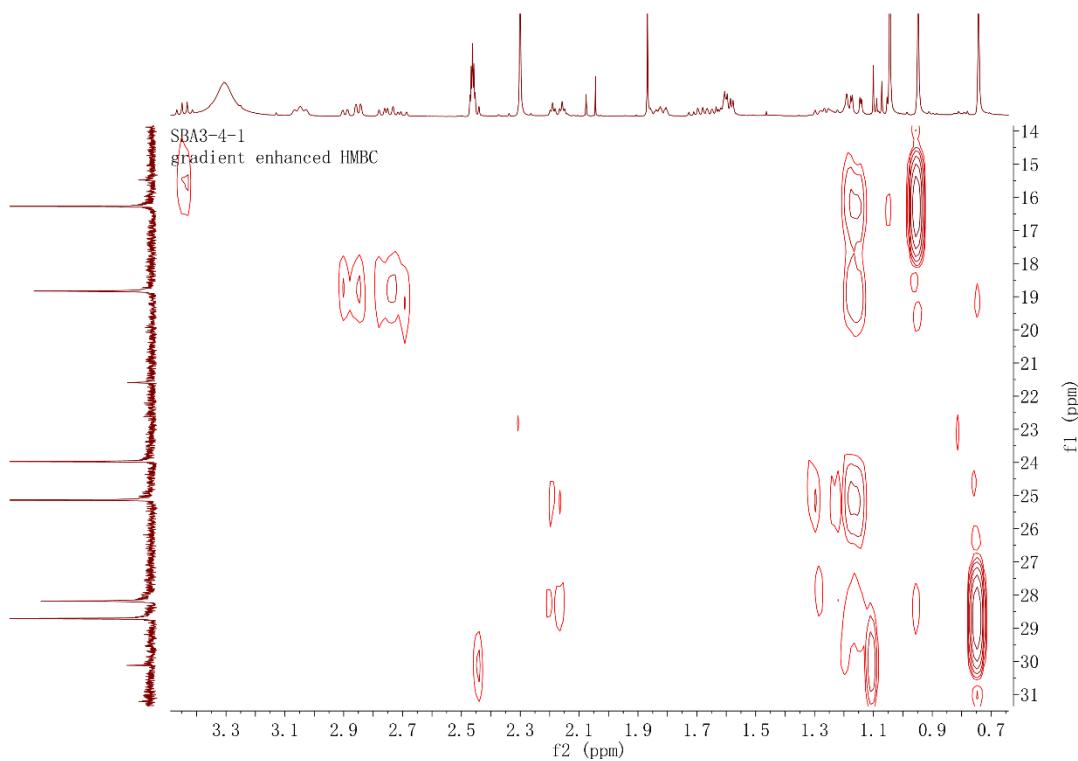
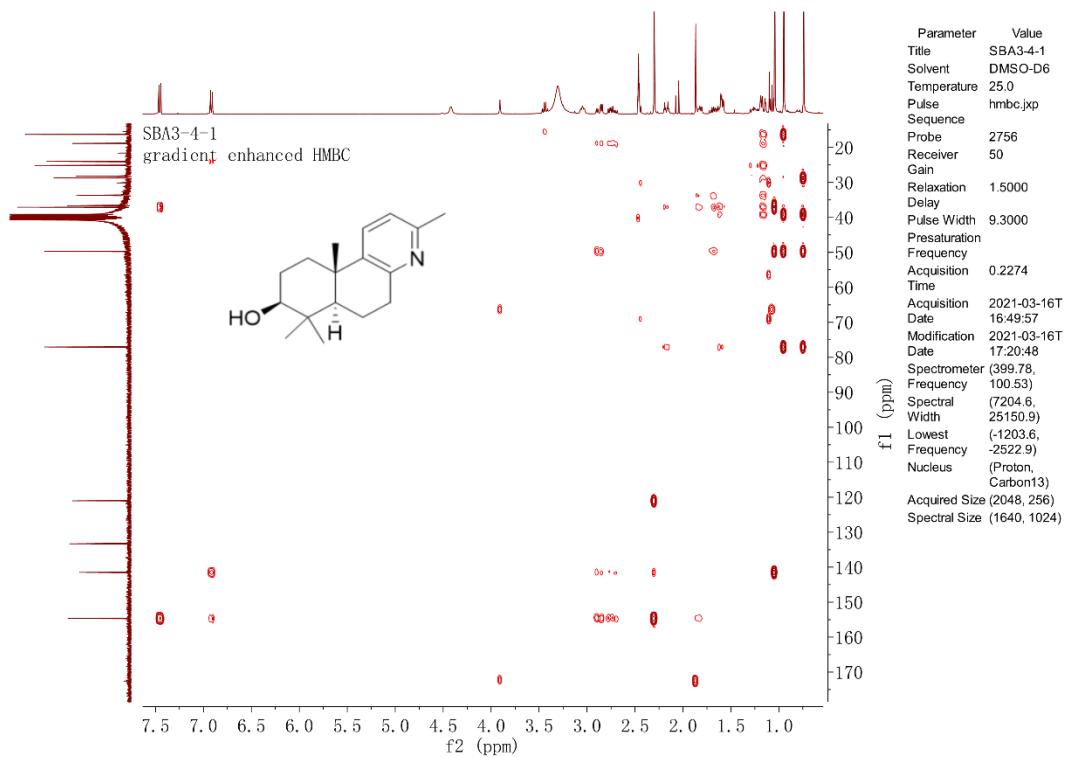


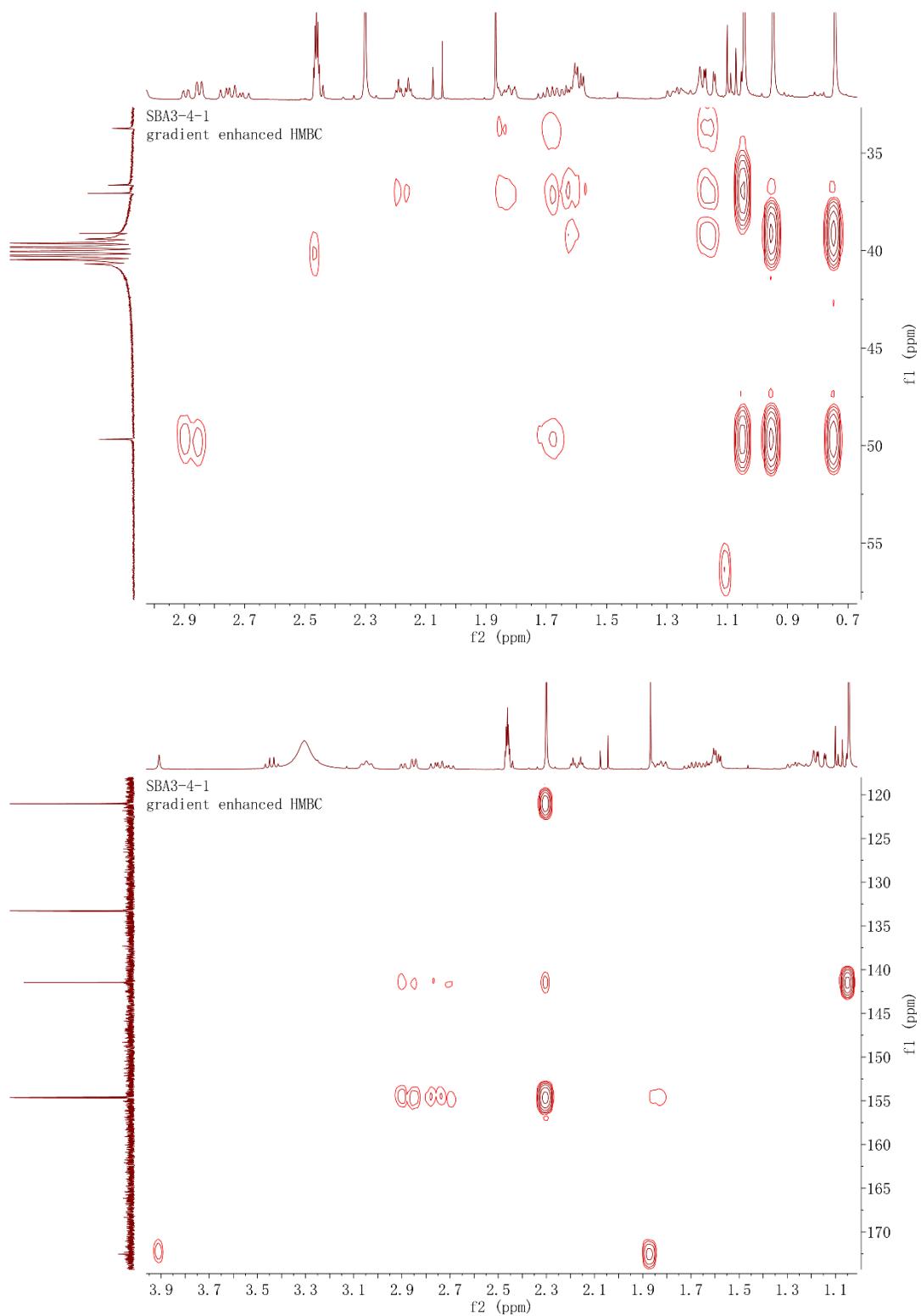
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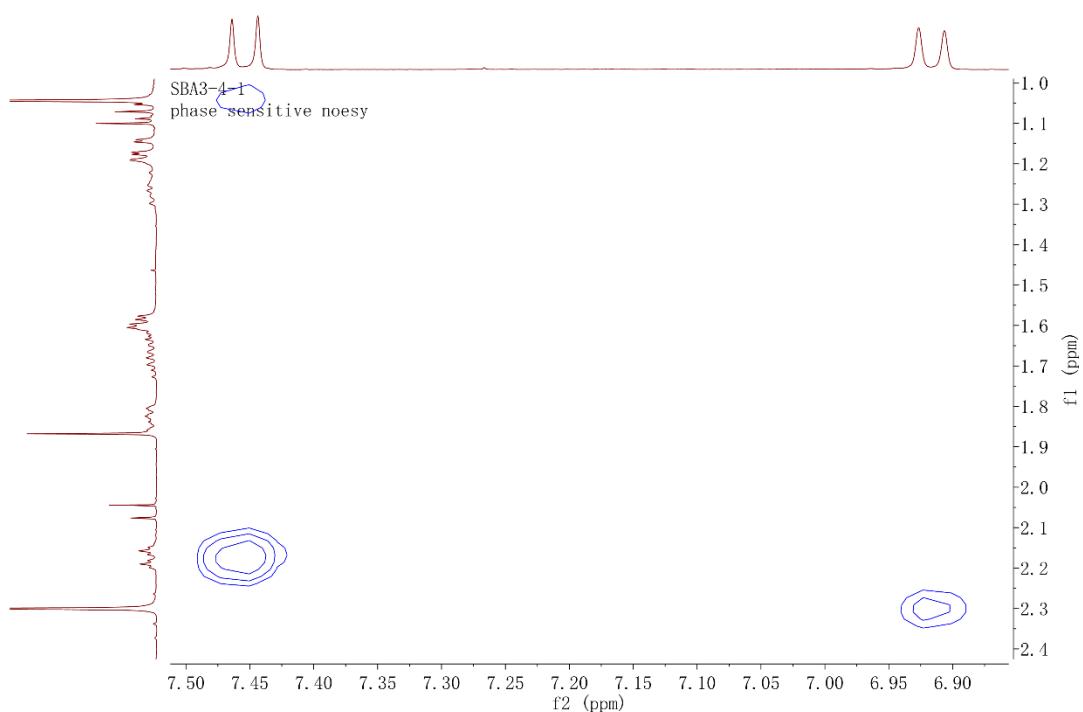
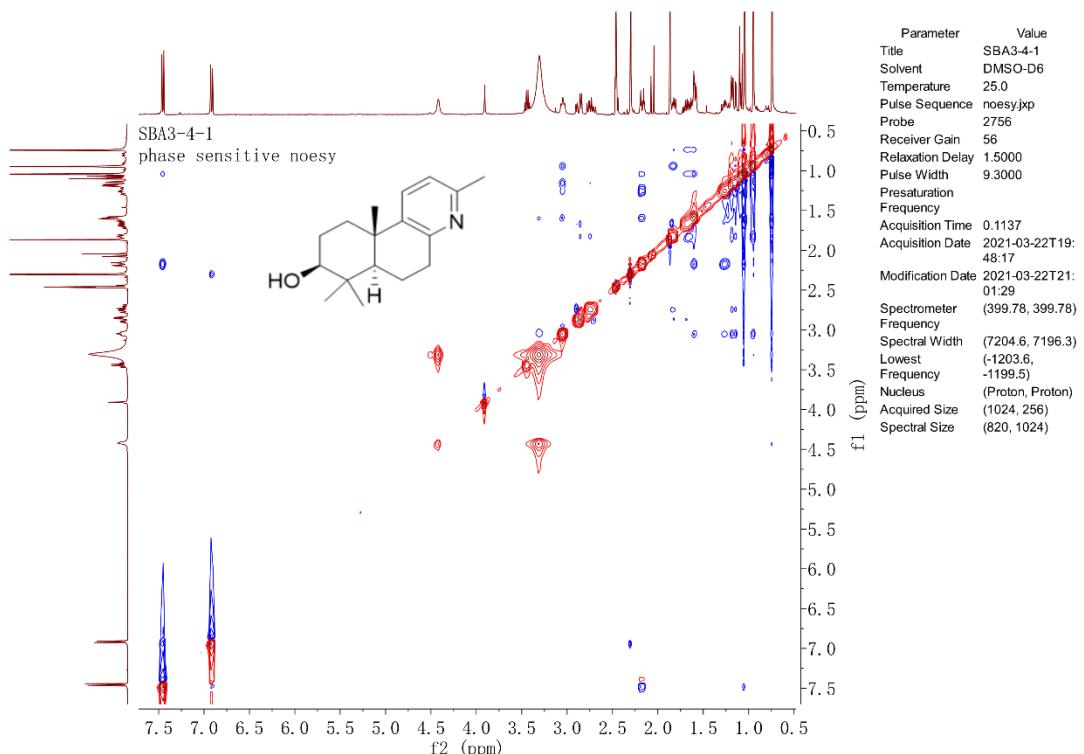


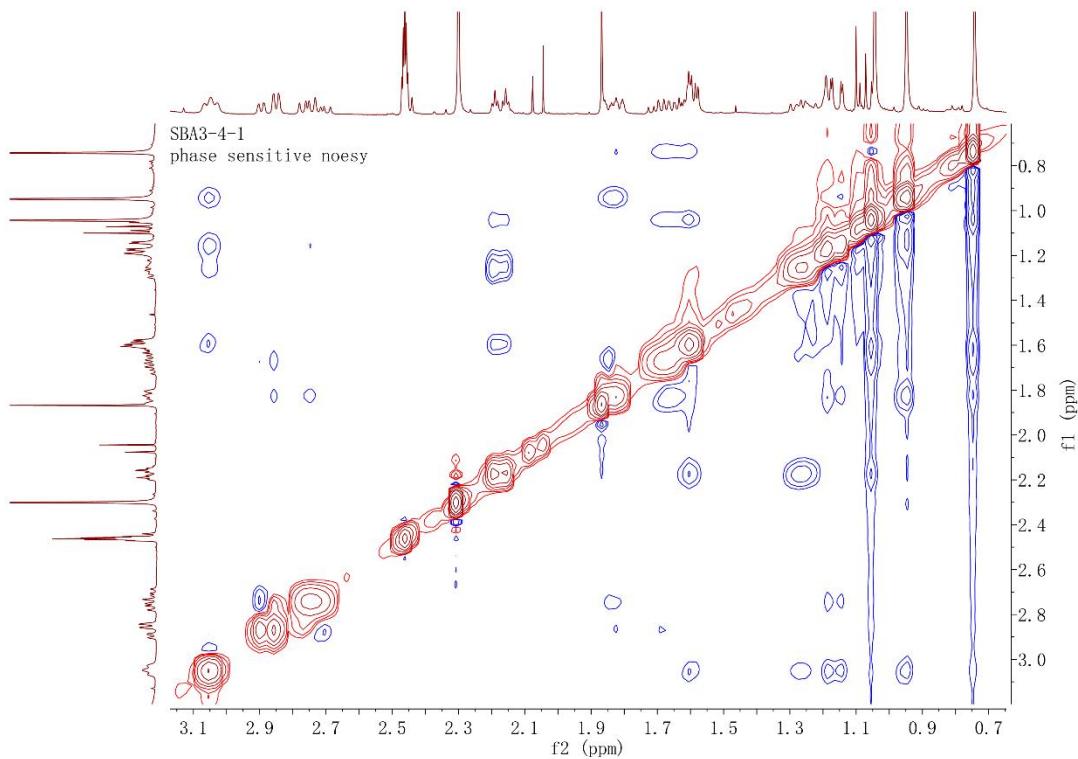
**Figure S5. HMQC spectrum of 1 in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>**





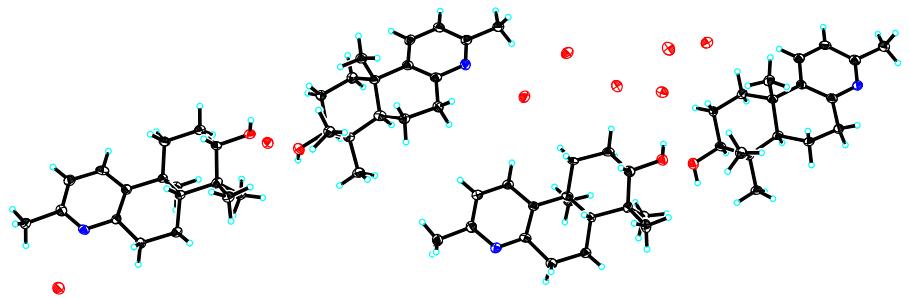
**Figure S6. HMBC spectrum of 1 in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$**





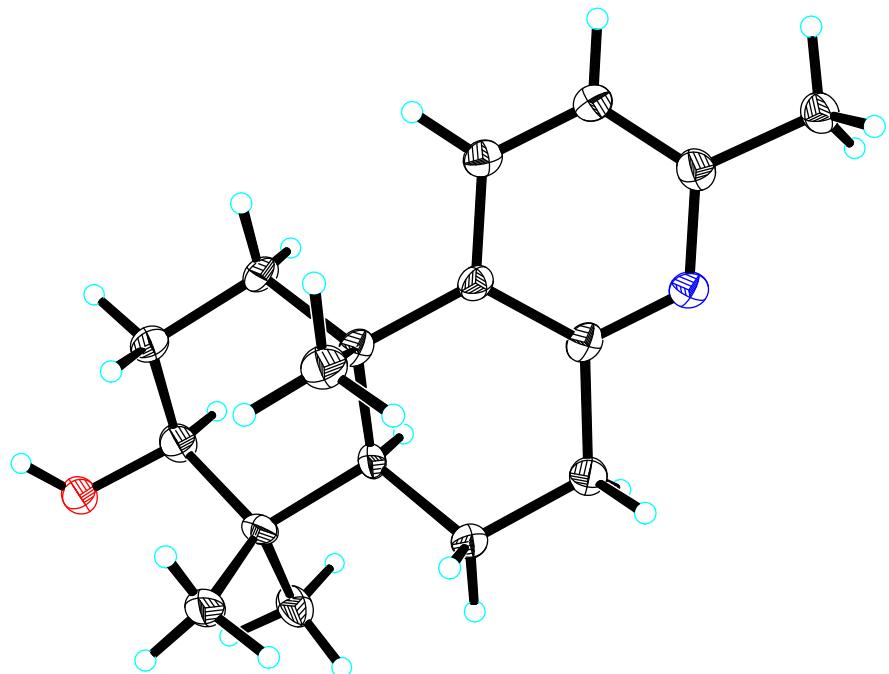
**Figure S7. NOESY spectrum of 1 in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>**

Crystal data for yt\_dsj2: C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO•2(H<sub>2</sub>O),  $M = 295.41$ ,  $a = 9.7060(9)$  Å,  $b = 24.576(2)$  Å,  $c = 14.6471(17)$  Å,  $\alpha = 90^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 109.129(4)^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 90^\circ$ ,  $V = 3300.9(6)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $T = 100.2$  K, space group  $P1211$ ,  $Z = 8$ ,  $\mu(\text{Cu K}\alpha) = 0.638$  mm<sup>-1</sup>, 47471 reflections measured, 12142 independent reflections ( $R_{\text{int}} = 0.1023$ ). The final  $R_I$  values were 0.1145 ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ). The final  $wR(F^2)$  values were 0.3024 ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ). The final  $R_I$  values were 0.1218 (all data). The final  $wR(F^2)$  values were 0.3132 (all data). The goodness of fit on  $F^2$  was 1.371. Flack parameter = -0.24(14).



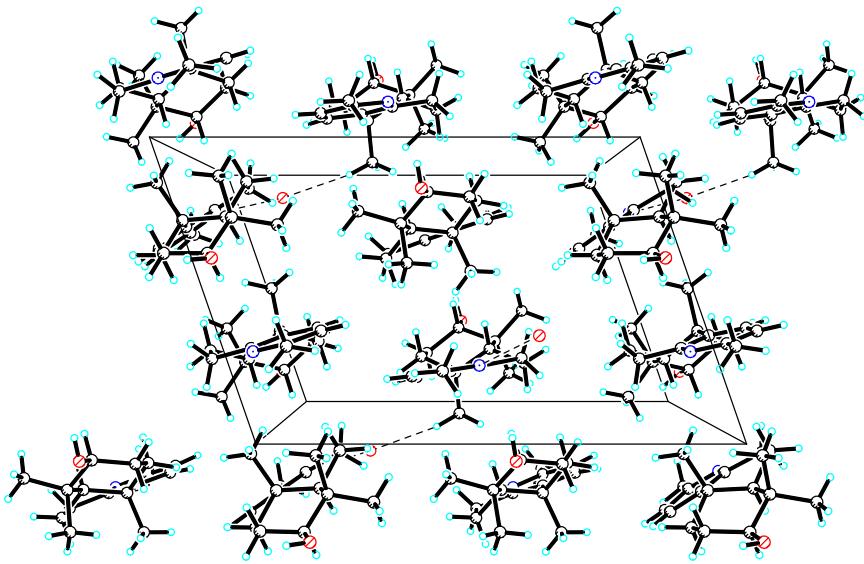
View of the molecules in an asymmetric unit.

Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.



View of a molecule of yt\_dsj2 with the atom-labelling scheme.

Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.



View of the pack drawing of yt\_dsj2.

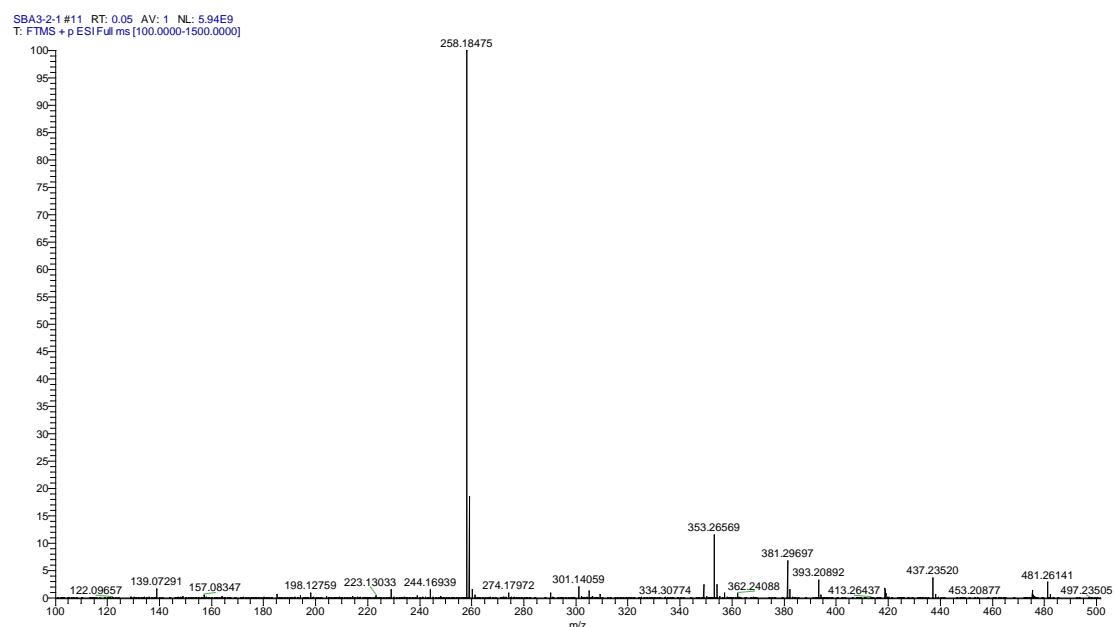
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Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for yt\_dsj2\_0m.

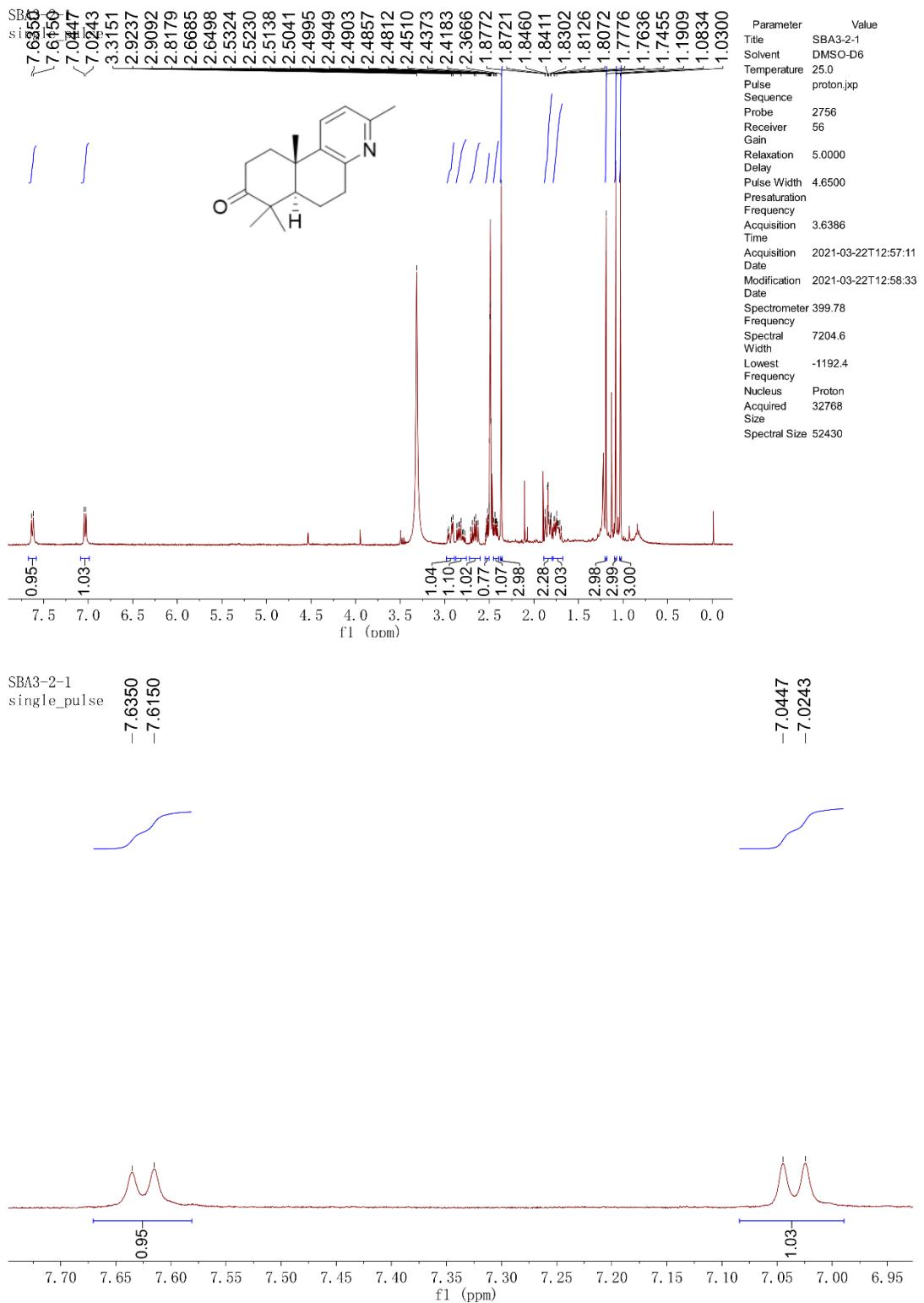
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Empirical formula	C17 H29 N O3
Formula weight	295.41
Temperature	100(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	P 1 21 1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.7060(9) Å $\alpha$ = 90°. b = 24.576(2) Å $\beta$ = 109.129(4)°. c = 14.6471(17) Å $\gamma$ = 90°.
Volume	3300.9(6) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	8
Density (calculated)	1.189 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.638 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	1296
Crystal size	0.650 x 0.110 x 0.080 mm <sup>3</sup>
Theta range for data collection	3.19 to 73.50°.
Index ranges	-11 ≤ h ≤ 10, -30 ≤ k ≤ 30, -18 ≤ l ≤ 18
Reflections collected	47471
Independent reflections	12142 [R(int) = 0.1023]

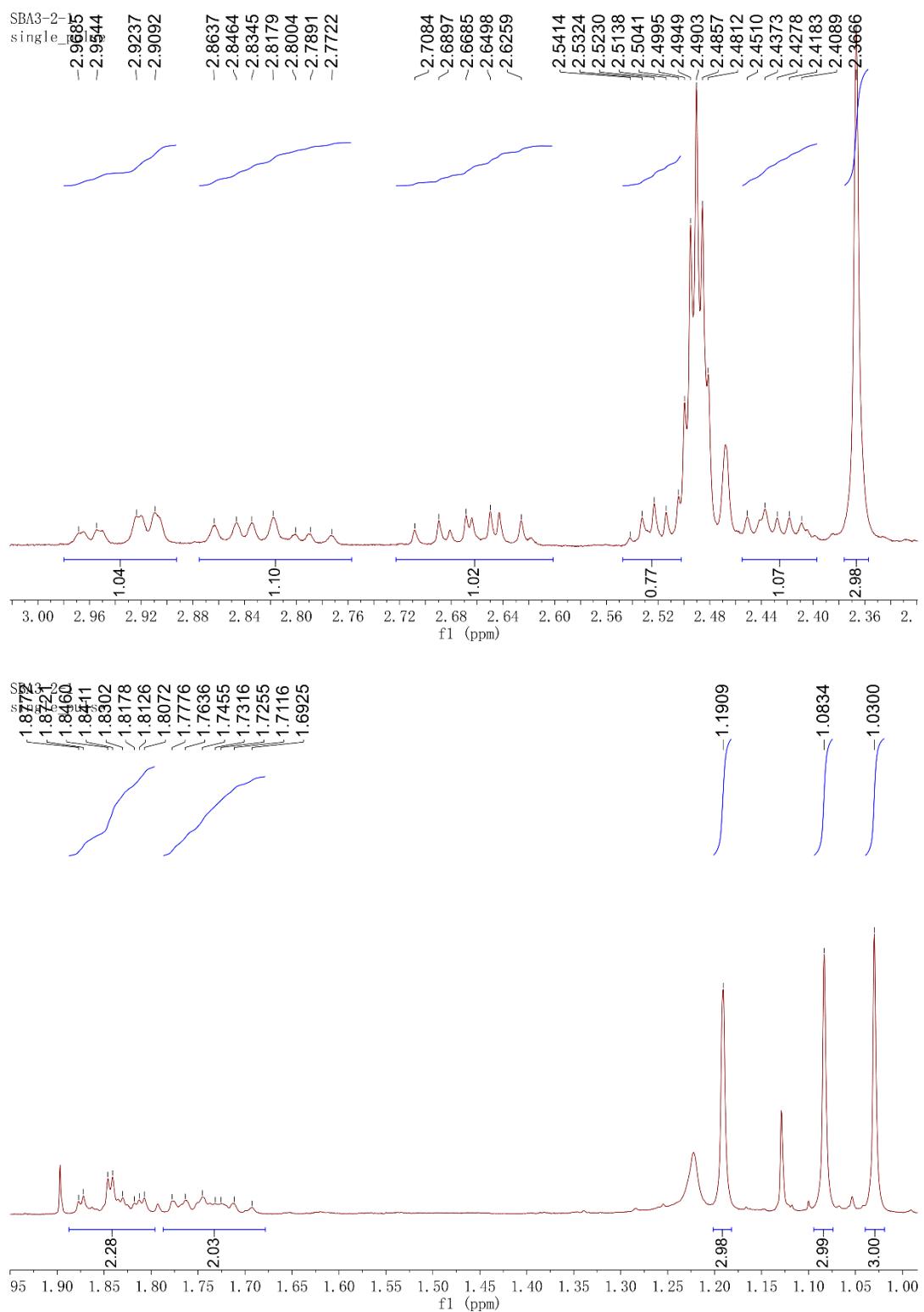
Completeness to theta = 73.50°	98.2 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.95 and 0.33
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	12142 / 1 / 776
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.371
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.1145, wR2 = 0.3024
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1218, wR2 = 0.3132
Absolute structure parameter	-0.24(14)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.633 and -0.470 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

**Figure S8. X-ray crystallographic data of 1**

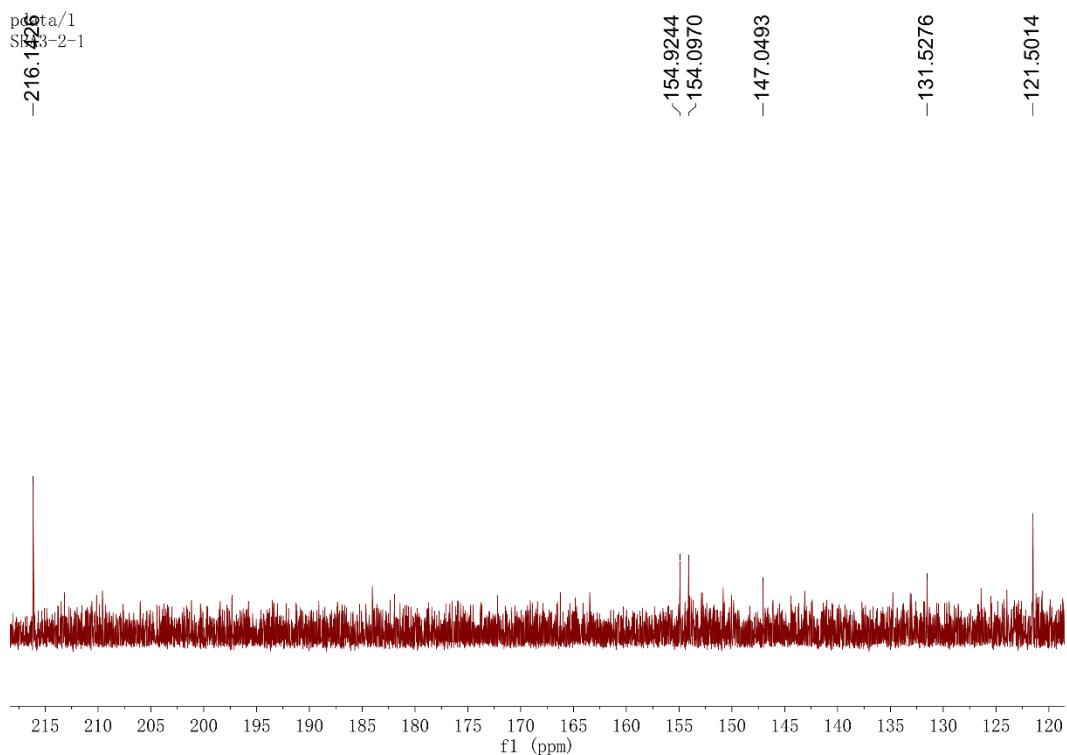
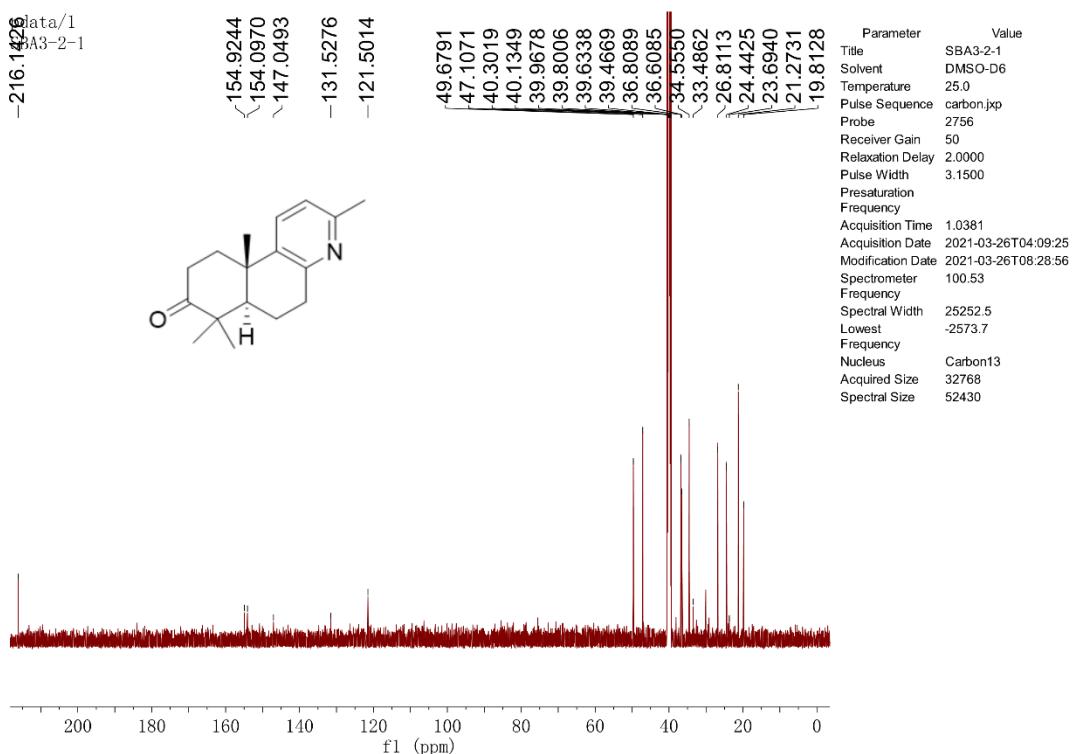


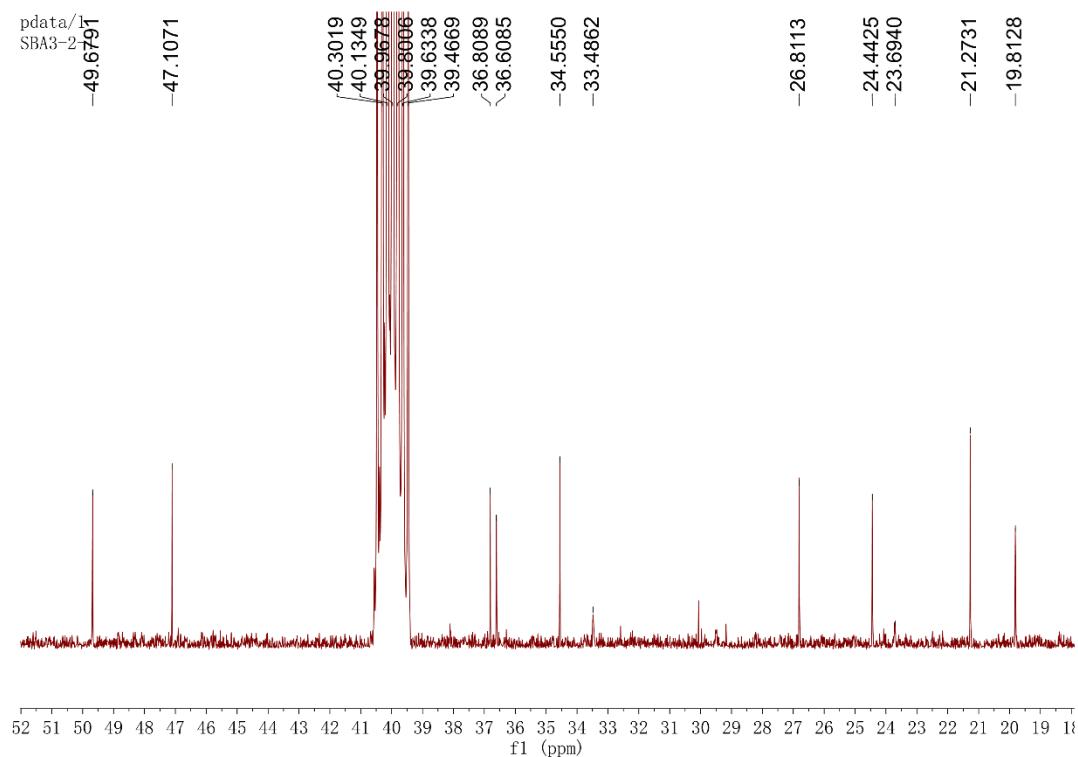
**Figure S9. HR-ESI spectrum of 2**



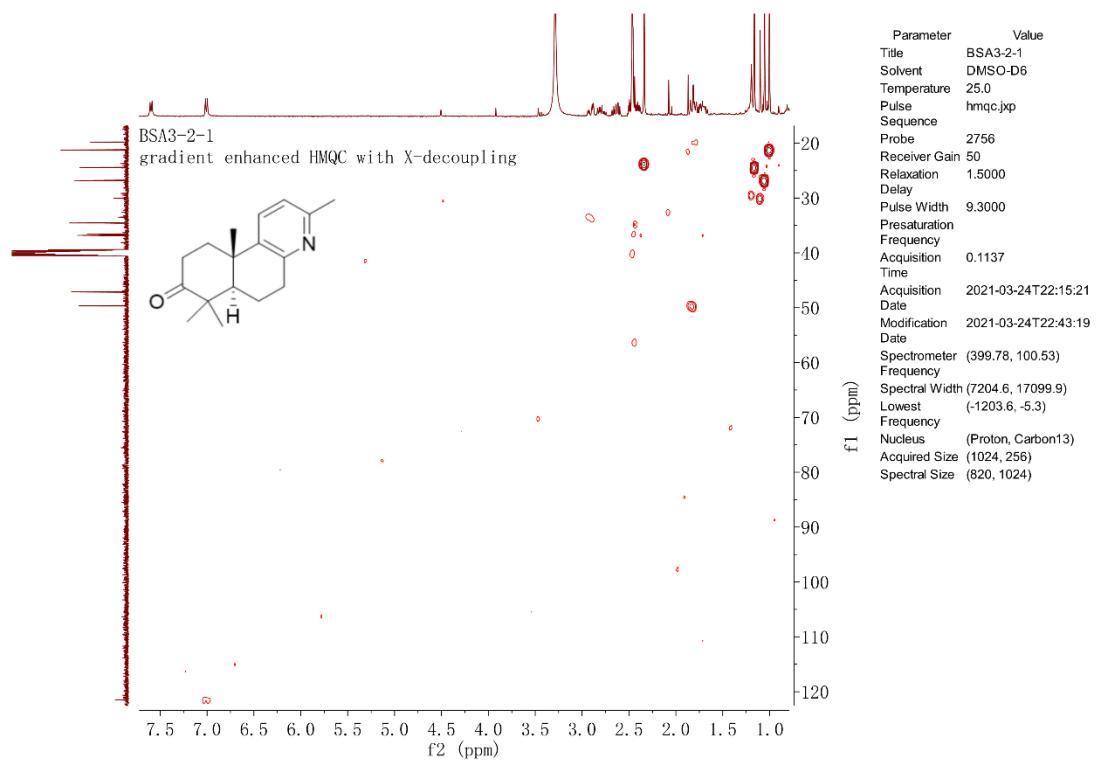


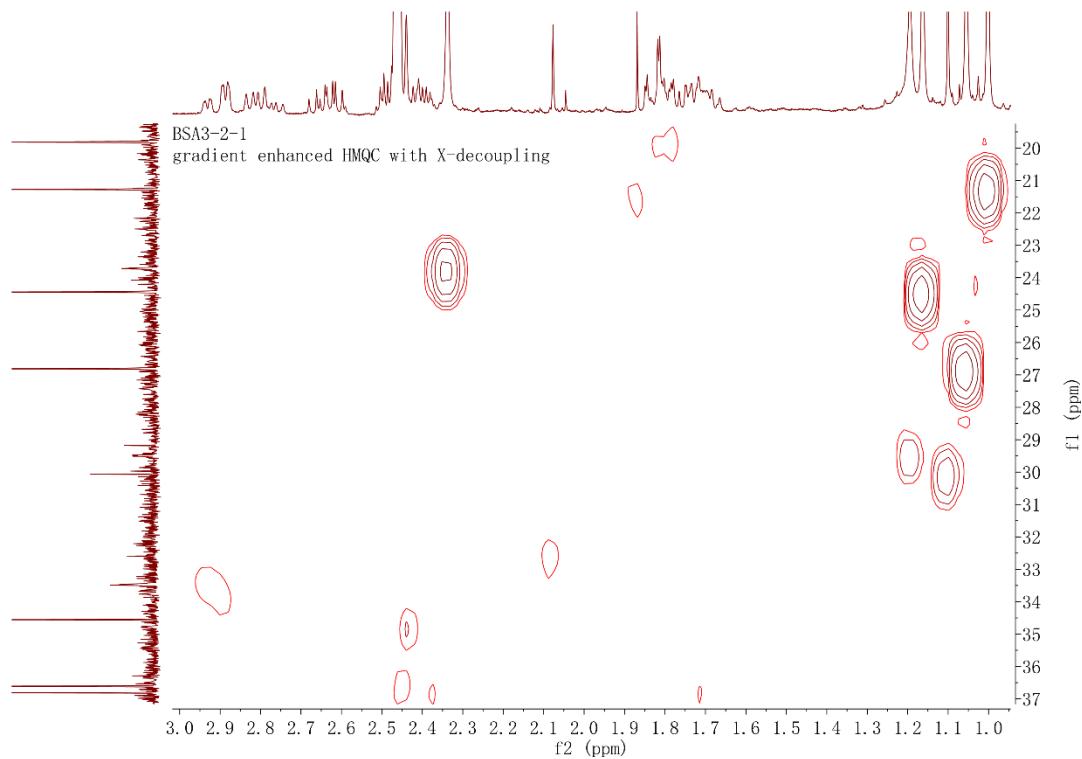
**Figure S10.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **2** in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$



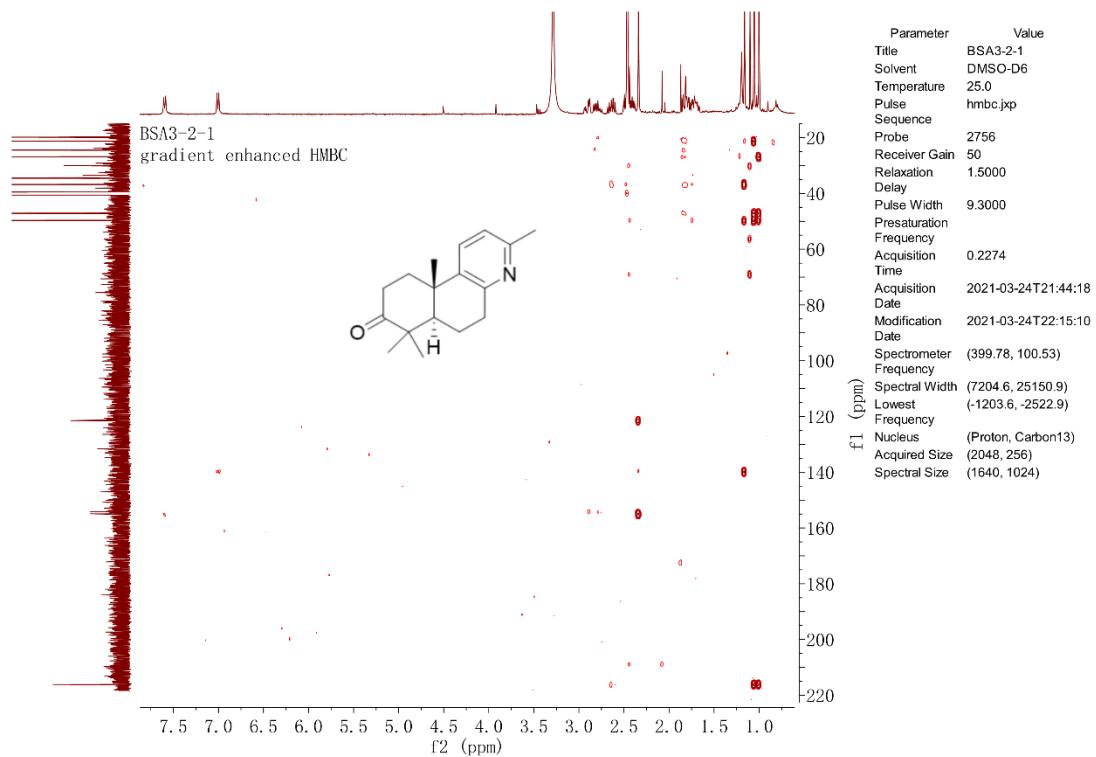


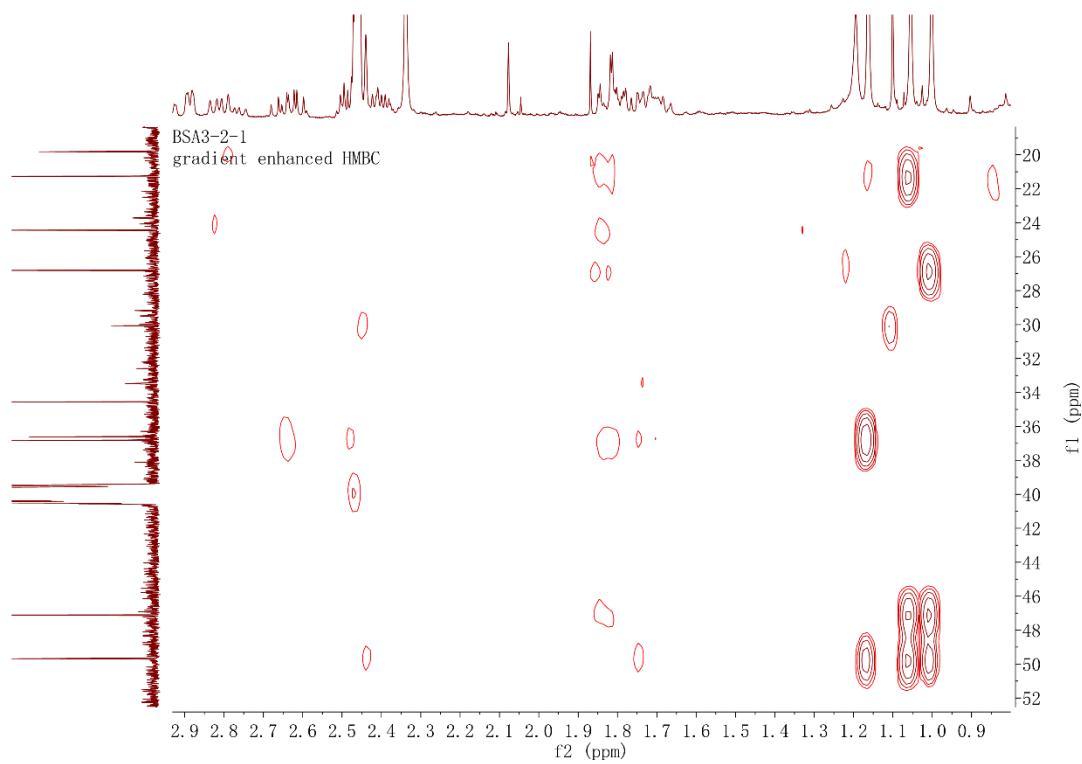
**Figure S11.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **2** in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$



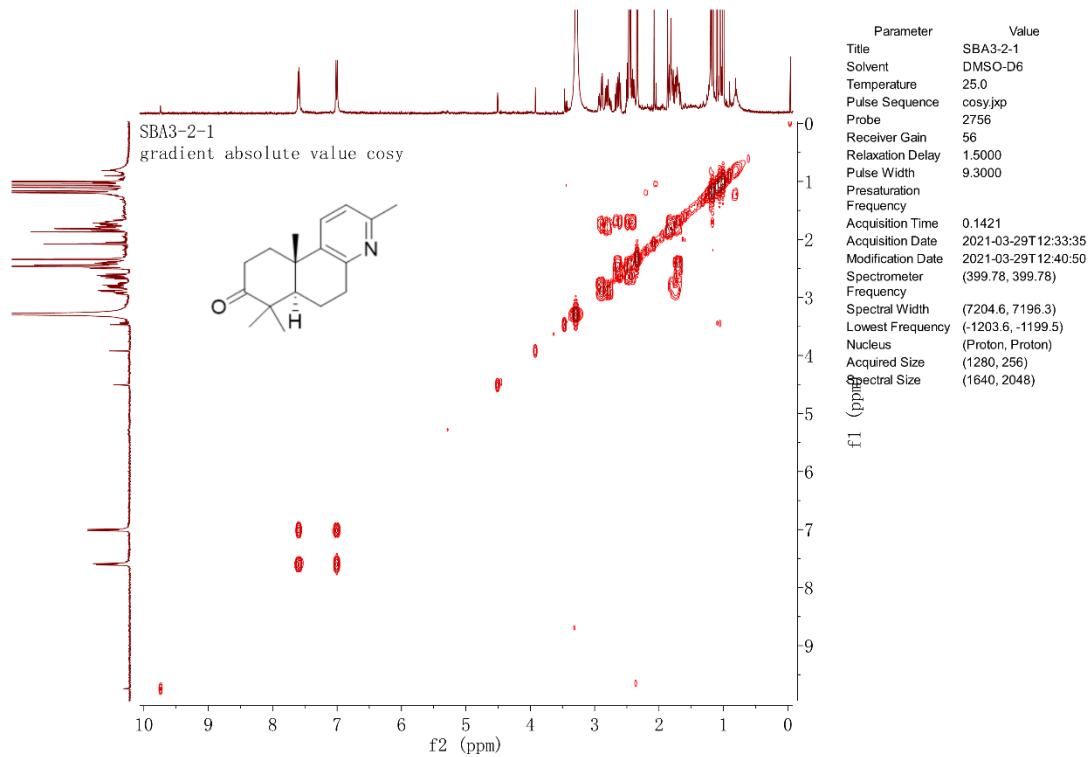


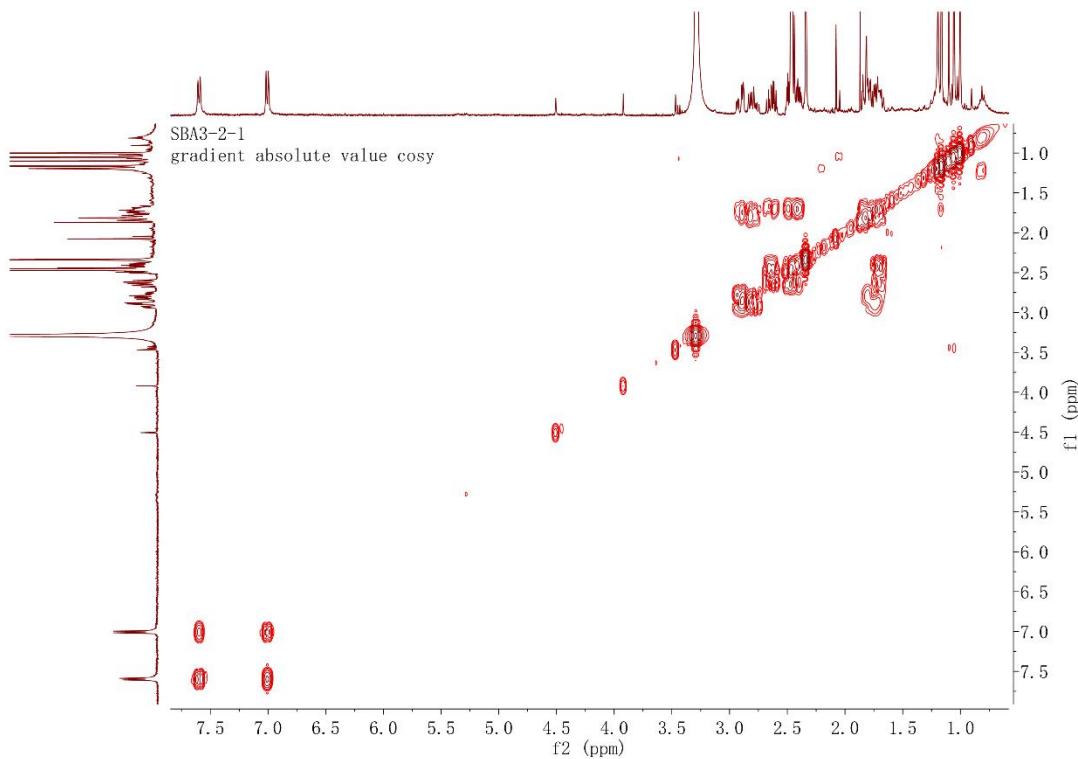
**Figure S12.** HMQC spectrum of **2** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>



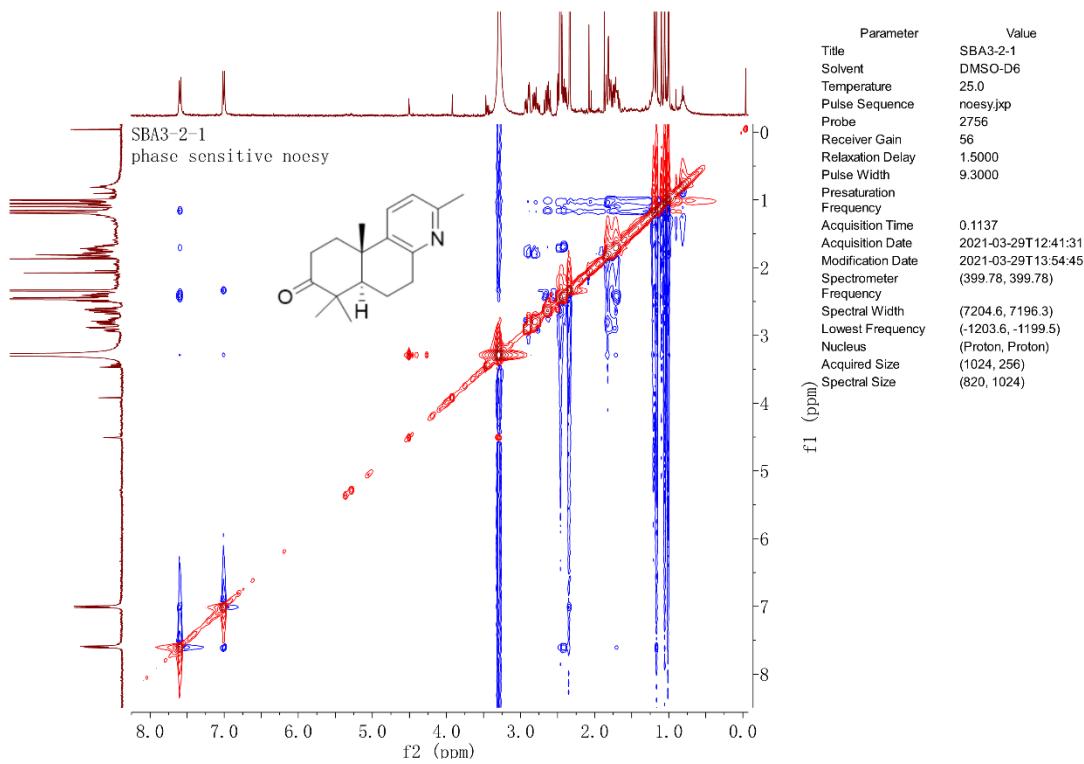


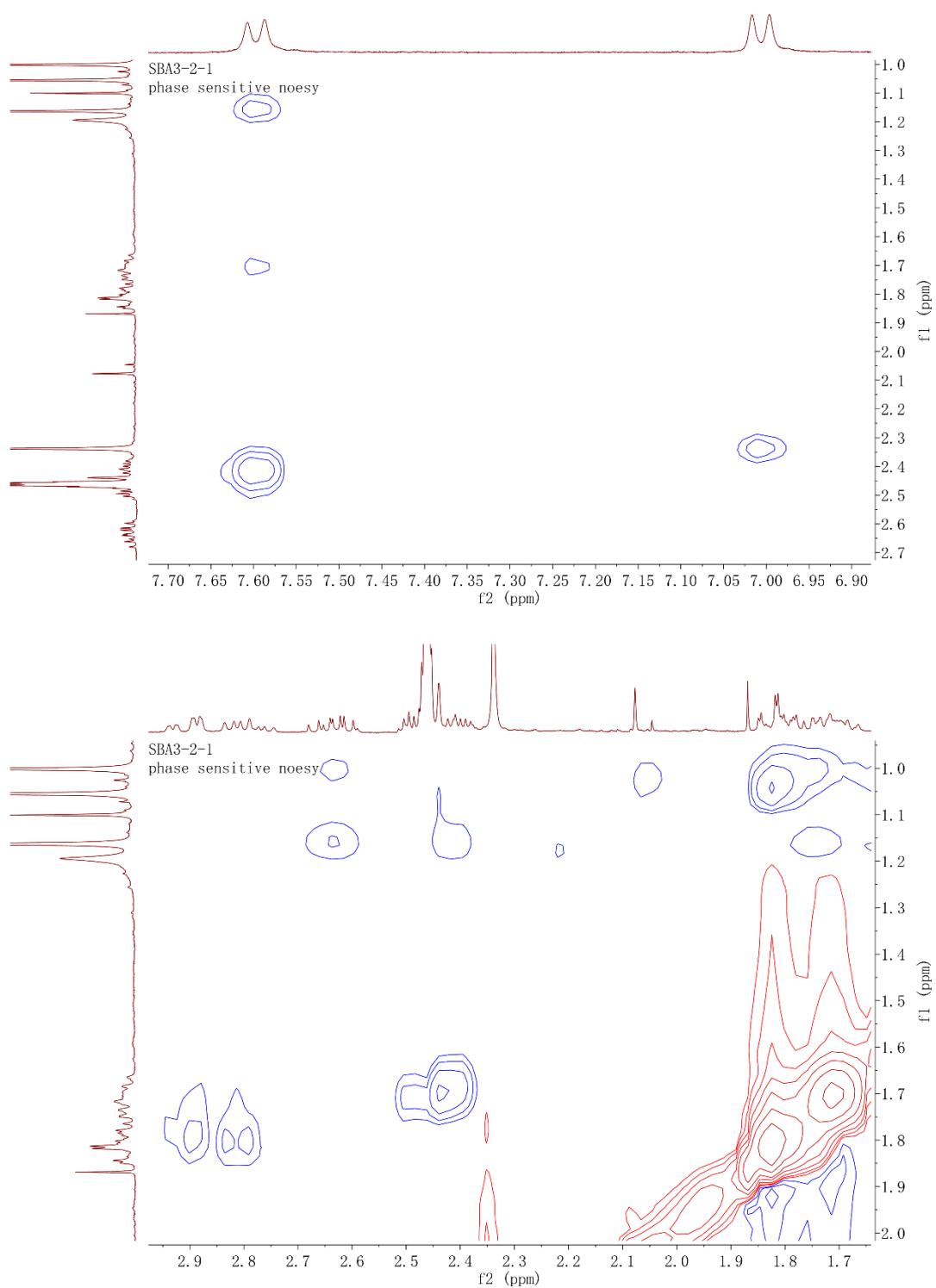
**Figure S13. HMBC spectrum of 2 in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>**





**Figure S14.**  $^1\text{H}$ - $^1\text{H}$  COSY spectrum of **2** in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$





**Figure S15. NOESY spectrum of 2 in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>**

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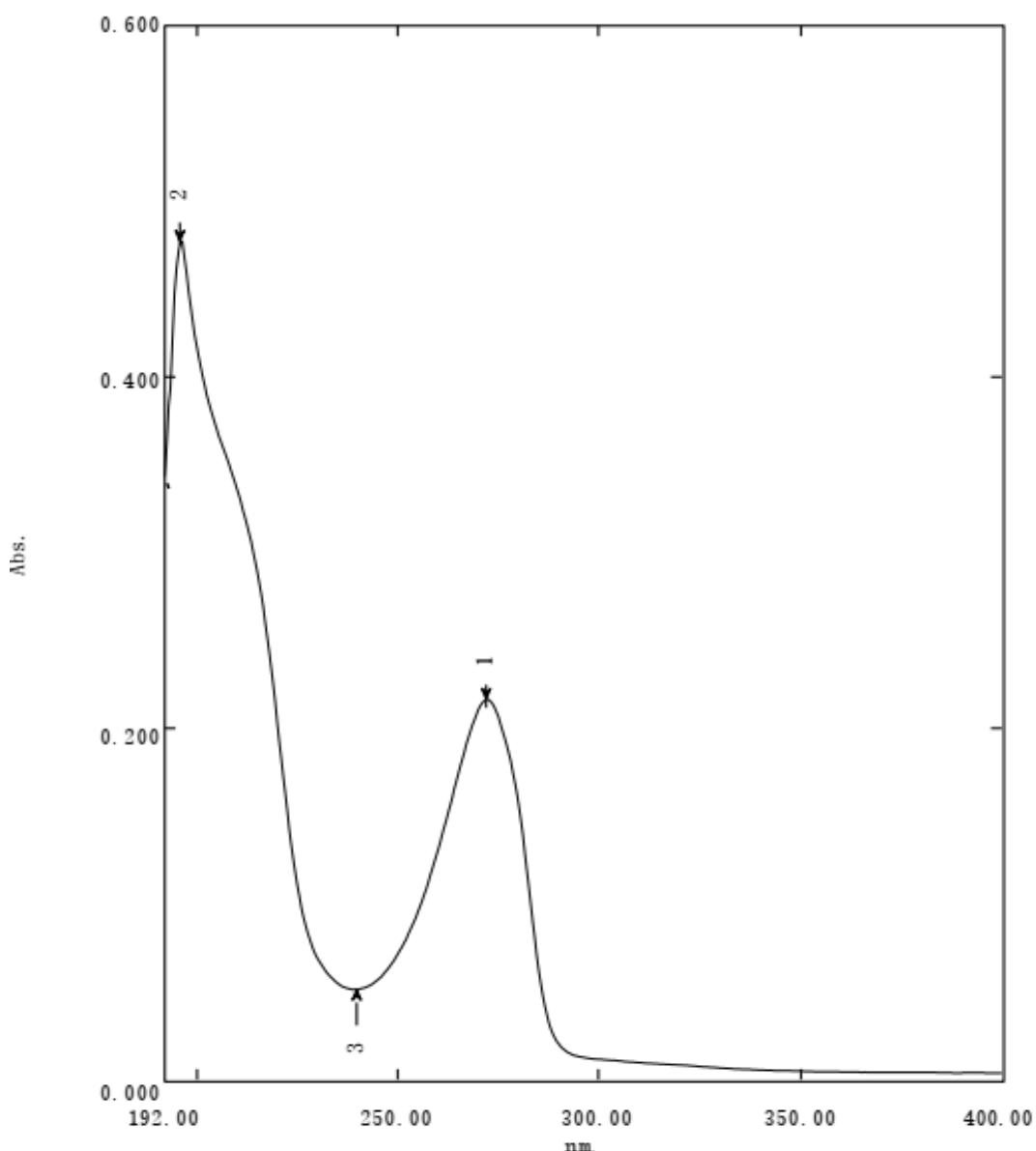


Figure S16. UV spectrum of 2 in MeOH

### ECD results of **2**

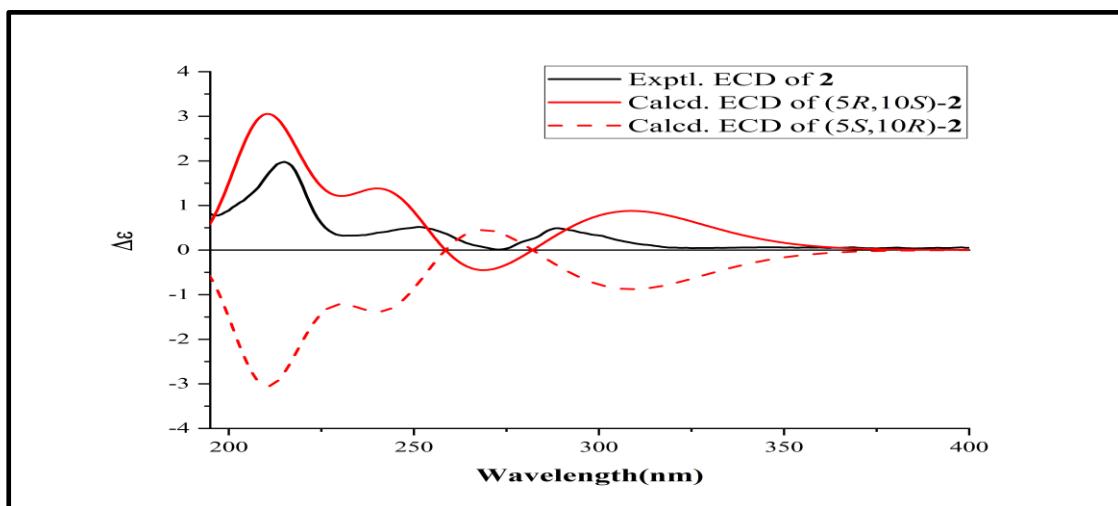
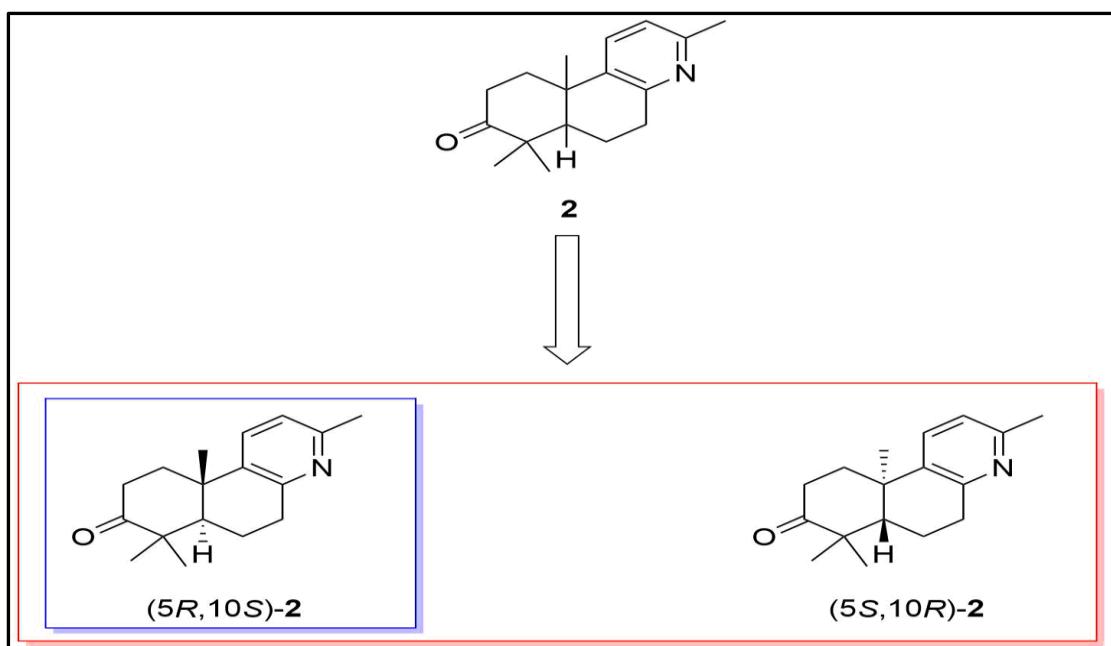


Fig.1. Experimental ECD curves of **2** (solid black line) and M062X/TZVP//B3LYP/6-31G(d) calculated ECD spectra of  $(5R,10S)$ -**2** (solid red line) and  $(5S,10R)$ -**2** (dash red line).

## 1. Conformer and energy analysis

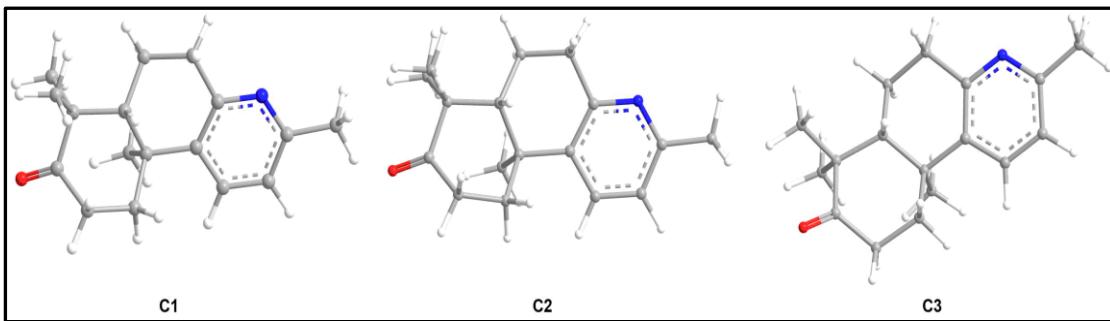


Fig. 2. B3LYP/6-31G(d) optimized lowest energy conformers for (5R,10S)-2

Table 1. Energy (298.15 K) analysis for (5R,10S)-2

Conf.	G (Hartree)	$\Delta G$ (Kcal/mol)	Boltzmann Distribution
C1	-791.748257	0	0.372244767
C2	-791.748106	0.09475401	0.317203515
C3	-791.748086	0.10730421	0.310551718

## 2. ECD data

### 2.1 ECD simulation

ECD spectrum of each conformation is simulated according to the overlapping Gaussian functions expressed as:

$$\Delta\epsilon(E) = \frac{1}{2.296 \times 10^{-39} \sqrt{\pi} \sigma} \sum_i^A \Delta E_i R_i e^{[-(E - \Delta E_i)^2 / \sigma^2]}$$

Where  $\sigma$  is half the bandwidth at 1/e peak height and expressed in energy units. The parameters  $\Delta E_i$  and  $R_i$  are the excitation energies and rotational strengths for the transition  $I$ , respectively.

The above function is converted to  $\Delta\epsilon, \lambda$  (wavelength) correlations as:

$$\Delta\epsilon(\lambda) = \frac{1}{2.296 \times 10^{-39} \sqrt{\pi} \sigma} \sum_i^A \Delta E_i R_i e^{[-(1240/\lambda - \Delta E_i)^2 / \sigma^2]}$$

and then simulation were accomplished by using the Excel 2003 and the Origin 9.1 software.

### 2.2 Calculated ECD Data for (5R,10S)-2 in methanol

State	C1		C2		C3	
	Excitation energies(e V)	Rotatory Strengths*	Excitation energies(e V)	Rotatory Strengths*	Excitation energies(eV )	Rotatory Strengths*
1	4.1507	12.5699	4.1502	12.7213	4.0895	-5.6649
2	4.9654	-10.1046	5.0535	-10.9946	4.966	-8.6865

3	5.2167	13.8661	5.2679	13.7566	5.2208	12.9665
4	5.7955	0.6318	5.7269	0.7583	5.7835	0.2888
5	6.2148	18.2291	6.1476	17.6158	6.2137	11.5167
6	6.8367	-46.5303	6.8514	-2.0703	6.8557	-16.743
7	6.8641	37.3614	6.9229	-47.8502	6.8883	-47.3199
8	6.9529	11.8963	6.9969	49.5532	6.9362	42.5042
9	7.1096	23.0774	7.0696	33.0483	7.0879	34.7899
10	7.1455	4.6031	7.2271	1.7447	7.1592	19.7376
11	7.3713	-5.5697	7.346	-25.362	7.2681	-0.5441
12	7.4405	-5.8241	7.4106	-6.2956	7.4132	-11.0651
13	7.4754	16.9848	7.4488	33.6945	7.4722	-10.6861
14	7.5926	5.3193	7.5619	4.0625	7.5474	10.874
15	7.7154	7.7292	7.6775	3.9771	7.7288	0.4758
16	7.76	-12.1662	7.7236	-9.3972	7.7749	1.9292
17	7.8033	2.9587	7.8004	-0.5982	7.9041	-1.3452
18	7.8693	13.7277	7.951	10.5599	7.9431	1.3306
19	7.9909	0.3687	7.9937	3.6218	7.9535	8.2621
20	8.109	-16.9228	8.0474	-19.7945	8.1347	-27.4753
21	8.1348	-11.3797	8.1605	-9.0723	8.1369	-17.7901
22	8.1612	-30.2039	8.2248	-46.9594	8.1614	-3.0874
23	8.265	-3.4795	8.2665	-0.0335	8.2321	2.0259
24	8.3093	-15.5442	8.3192	-9.177	8.2989	-10.9359
25	8.4194	3.1032	8.3783	14.9852	8.3559	1.2884
26	8.4396	10.4353	8.4518	-5.1363	8.4233	-1.3573
27	8.4744	-2.9899	8.4905	-0.1295	8.4561	11.3192
28	8.5423	9.5301	8.5457	26.9615	8.4865	-0.0122
29	8.566	-25.2745	8.5659	-14.2915	8.5157	14.2841
30	8.5907	48.6112	8.6041	-52.7682	8.6006	-67.0943
31	8.6091	-33.5327	8.6342	39.3095	8.6166	1.6128
32	8.6694	-24.6767	8.6985	26.003	8.6438	-30.1321
33	8.6949	38.0212	8.7045	-10.8051	8.6722	53.1564
34	8.7211	-81.8699	8.726	-49.2211	8.6781	13.494
35	8.7684	3.1443	8.7649	-4.7618	8.7393	-3.7035
36	8.7863	12.2685	8.7764	20.4338	8.7722	-7.3009
37	8.8333	38.8757	8.8277	62.3943	8.8145	17.2524
38	8.8584	-16.717	8.8449	-4.9717	8.8266	5.8313
39	8.8704	35.0945	8.8671	-51.597	8.8497	36.827
40	8.8972	-16.5842	8.8946	30.0902	8.8836	1.6127
41	8.9808	10.2452	8.9682	-4.2296	8.9386	10.0373
42	8.9942	-14.0926	8.9774	19.7253	8.9565	-1.6295
43	9.0052	24.3231	9.0111	-8.6635	9.0001	-17.5142
44	9.0383	2.8539	9.0279	9.4965	9.048	-0.8886
45	9.0696	-9.0273	9.0448	-7.5612	9.0762	11.4838

46	9.0792	-8.6556	9.0589	7.6623	9.1172	21.241
47	9.0946	2.1322	9.1036	-6.5861	9.1434	-2.2862
48	9.118	19.2625	9.1469	4.0987	9.1559	-19.1095
49	9.2122	6.1108	9.1792	2.5562	9.2109	-9.5425
50	9.2331	-15.1409	9.2086	12.8962	9.2482	-12.016
51	9.2644	-5.1269	9.2347	-16.8965	9.2717	-5.3903
52	9.2829	-2.868	9.2712	14.1253	9.3006	-8.5438
53	9.296	5.8033	9.3112	3.9362	9.3287	-19.5284
54	9.3215	30.0027	9.323	14.576	9.3441	-13.8939
55	9.392	0.3497	9.3891	1.3673	9.3554	5.9652
56	9.4123	-26.8713	9.4343	-21.1868	9.3965	6.7005
57	9.4251	9.2957	9.4479	0.5539	9.437	-8.1625
58	9.4606	40.9616	9.4713	14.1462	9.4402	-43.0164
59	9.5027	-2.6928	9.482	-18.4365	9.4802	-22.9911
60	9.5113	-4.0404	9.5007	18.8035	9.496	-39.5267

\* R(velocity) 10\*\*-40 erg-esu-cm

**Figure S17. ECD data of 2**