

Modular synthesis of thirty lead-like scaffolds suitable for CNS drug discovery programmes

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General Experimental

Commercially available starting materials were obtained from Sigma–Aldrich, Fluorochem and Alfa Aesar. All non-aqueous reactions were performed under nitrogen atmosphere unless otherwise stated. Water-sensitive reactions were performed in anhydrous solvents in oven-dried glassware cooled under nitrogen before use. Anhydrous dichloromethane (DCM), anhydrous tetrahydrofuran (THF), anhydrous toluene, anhydrous diethyl ether, anhydrous ethanol, anhydrous methanol and anhydrous acetonitrile were obtained from a PureSolv MD5 Purification System. Anhydrous dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO) and anhydrous 1,4-dioxane were obtained from SureSeal bottles from Sigma–Aldrich. All other solvents used were of chromatography or analytical grade. Petrol refers to petroleum spirit (b.p. 40-60 °C). An IKA RV 10 rotary evaporator was used to remove the solvents under reduced pressure.

Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed using aluminium backed silica (Merck silica gel 60 F254) plates obtained from Merck. Ultraviolet lamp ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 254 \text{ nm}$) and KMnO_4 were used for visualization. Flash column chromatography was performed using silica gel 60 (35-70 μm particles) supplied by Merck. A Bruker Daltonics micrOTOF spectrometer with electrospray (ES) ionisation source was used for high-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS). Perkin-Elmer One FT-IR spectrometer was used to analyse the infrared spectra. Melting points (m.p.) were determined using Stuart melting point apparatus SMP3. X-ray measurements were carried out at 120 K on an Agilent SuperNova diffractometer equipped with an Atlas CCD detector and connected to an Oxford Cryostream low temperature device using mirror monochromated $\text{Cu K}\alpha$ radiation ($\lambda = 1.54184 \text{ \AA}$) from a Microfocus X-ray source. The structure was solved by intrinsic phasing using SHELXT¹ and refined by a full matrix least squares technique based on F^2 using SHELXL2014.²

Proton (^1H) and carbon (^{13}C) NMR data was collected on a Bruker 300, 400 or 500 MHz spectrometer. Data was collected at 300 K unless otherwise stated. Chemical shifts (δ) are given in parts per million (ppm) and they are referenced to the residual solvent peak. Coupling constants (J) are reported in Hertz (Hz) and splitting patterns are reported in an abbreviated manner: app. (apparent), s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), m (multiplet), br. (broad). Assignments were made using COSY, DEPT, HMQC and NOESY experiments.

Preparation of Cyclisation Precursors 1a–g

Building blocks 4-benzoylmorpholin-3-one, **8** and **10** were prepared following literature procedures,^{3–5} respectively.

General Procedure A

By modification of an existing procedure,⁶ LiHMDS (2.20 eq of a 1.0 M solution in toluene or THF) was added to a solution of the carbonyl derivative (1.00 eq) in toluene (0.17 M) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. After stirring the mixture for 1.5 h at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, a solution of the imidazole derivative **8** (1.20 eq) in toluene (2.50 M) was added dropwise and the reaction mixture was stirred at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 3 h. Then, the reaction was allowed to warm to rt and a saturated aqueous solution of NH_4Cl (5 mL per 1.00 mmol of the carbonyl derivative) was added. The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et_2O or EtOAc ($3 \times (2\text{ mL per } 1.00\text{ mmol of the carbonyl derivative})$). Then, the organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure B

By modification of an existing procedure,⁷ LiHMDS (2.20 eq of a 1.0 M solution in toluene) was added to a solution of the carbonyl derivative (1.00 eq) in the specified amount of toluene at $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. After stirring for 15 min, allyl chloroformate (1.20 eq) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to rt and stirred for 1 h. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of NH_4Cl (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the carbonyl derivative) was added, the mixture was stirred for 15 min, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc ($3 \times (1\text{ mL per } 1.00\text{ mmol of the carbonyl derivative})$). The organic phases were combined, washed with brine (2 mL per 1.00 mmol of the carbonyl derivative), dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure C

According to a procedure,⁸ the sulfone derivative **10** (1.20 eq) was added to a solution of the allyl ester derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at rt. After stirring the mixture for 5 min, Cs_2CO_3 (2.50 eq) was added and the reaction was stirred for the specified time at rt. Then, a

saturated aqueous solution of NH_4Cl (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the allyl ester derivative) was added and the mixture was stirred for 30 min at rt. The phases were separated and the organic phase was extracted with DCM ($3 \times (5 \text{ mL per } 1.00 \text{ mmol of the allyl ester derivative})$). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

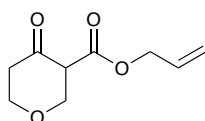
General Procedure D

By modification of an existing procedure,⁹ the specified amount of K_2CO_3 was added to a solution of the allyl ester derivative **S1** (1.00 eq) in acetone (0.26 M). After stirring for 15 min at rt, the specified amount of the arylmethyl bromide derivative was added dropwise and the reaction mixture was stirred at $70 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ for 2 h. Then, the mixture was allowed to cool to rt, a saturated aqueous solution of NH_4Cl (9 mL per 1.00 mmol of the allyl ester derivative **S1**) was added and the mixture was stirred for 30 min. Subsequently, EtOAc (6 mL per 1.00 mmol of the allyl ester derivative **S1**) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc ($3 \times (5 \text{ mL per } 1.00 \text{ mmol of the allyl ester derivative } \mathbf{S1})$). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure E

According to a procedure,¹⁰ PPh_3 (0.20 eq) and $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$ (0.05 eq) were added to a solution of the quaternary allyl ester derivative (1.00 eq) in THF (0.10 M) and the reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at $70 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$. Then, the solution was allowed to cool to rt, filtered through celite and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

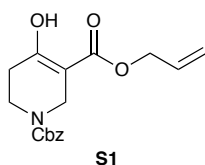
Prop-2-en-1-yl 4-oxooxane-3-carboxylate



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According to General Procedure A, tetrahydro-4*H*-pyran-4-one (3.84 mL, 41.6 mmol) and LiHMDS (91.6 mL, 91.6 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in toluene) gave a crude material. The crude material was extracted with EtOAc and purified by flash column chromatography eluting with 5:95 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *allyl ester derivative 9* (3.48 g, 45%, *keto:enol* 24:76 by ¹H-NMR in CDCl₃) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.72 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 2968, 2856, 1741, 1718, 1663, 1624, 1395, 1305, 1216, 1101, 1047; δ_H (500 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.92 (2H, ddt, *J* 17.3, 10.5 and 5.6, propenyl 2-H), 5.34 (1H, app. q, *J* 1.5, 3-H_{trans}^{keto}), 5.31 (1H, app. dq, *J* 17.3 and 1.5, propenyl 3-H_{trans}^{enol}), 5.26 (1H, app. dd, *J* 10.5 and 1.2, propenyl 3-H_{cis}^{keto}), 5.25 (1H, app. dq, *J* 10.5 and 1.5, propenyl 3-H_{cis}^{enol}), 4.65 (4H, dt, *J* 5.6 and 1.5, propenyl 1-H₂), 4.29 (2H, app. t, *J* 1.7, 2-H₂^{enol}), 4.23 (1H, dd, *J* 11.6 and 7.1, 2-H_A^{keto}), 4.11 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.6, 5.1 and 0.9, 2-H_B^{keto}), 4.05–3.93 (2H, m, 6-H₂^{keto}), 3.84 (2H, t, *J* 5.7, 6-H₂^{enol}), 3.50 (1H, app. ddd, *J* 6.8, 5.1 and 1.3, 3-H^{keto}), 2.67 (1H, ddd, *J* 14.5, 6.2 and 5.1, 5-H_A^{keto}), 2.55 (1H, dddd, *J* 14.5, 7.1, 5.5 and 1.3, 5-H_B^{keto}), 2.39 (2H, tt, *J* 5.7 and 1.7, 5-H₂^{enol}); δ_C (75 MHz, CDCl₃) 201.2 (C-4^{keto}), 169.7 (carboxylate C=O^{enol}), 169.3 (C-4^{enol}), 167.5 (carboxylate C=O^{keto}), 131.9 (propenyl C-2^{enol}), 131.5 (propenyl C-2^{keto}), 118.8 (propenyl C-3^{keto}), 118.3 (propenyl C-3^{enol}), 97.3 (C-3^{enol}), 69.6 (C-2^{keto}), 68.2 (C-6^{keto}), 66.0 (propenyl C-1^{keto}), 64.8 (propenyl C-1^{enol}), 63.9 (C-6^{enol}), 63.0 (C-2^{enol}), 57.8 (C-3^{keto}), 42.0 (C-5^{keto}), 28.8 (C-5^{enol}); HRMS found MNa⁺, 207.0627. C₉H₁₂O₄ requires *MNa*, 207.0627. Compound **9** existed as a mixture of keto and enol tautomers.

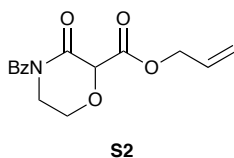
1-Benzyl 3-prop-2-en-1-yl 4-hydroxy-1,2,5,6-tetrahydropyridine-1,3-dicarboxylate



According to General Procedure B, 1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-4-piperidinone (10.6 g, 45.45 mmol) in toluene (68.0 mL) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *allyl ester derivative S1* (5.77 g, 40%, >98% enol by ¹H-NMR in CDCl₃) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.60 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3032, 2945, 1697, 1662, 1620, 1422, 1305, 1227, 1193, 1111,

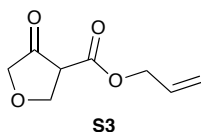
1056; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.39-7.31 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.94 (1H, ddt, J 17.2, 10.5 and 5.6, propenyl 2-H), 5.34 (1H, dd, J 17.2 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.26 (1H, app. dq, J 10.5 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.17 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1- H_2), 4.69 (2H, app. dt, J 5.6 and 1.4, propenyl 1- H_2), 4.18 (2H, s, 2- H_2), 3.65 (2H, t, J 5.9, 6- H_2), 2.40 (2H, app. br. s, 5- H_2); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 170.6 (carboxylate C=O), 170.3 (C-4), 155.3 (Cbz C=O), 136.7 (phenyl C-1), 131.8 (propenyl C-2), 128.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 128.2 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 128.1 (phenyl C-4), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 95.8 (C-3), 67.4 (arylmethyl C-1), 65.2 (propenyl C-1), 40.6 (C-2), 40.0 (C-6), 28.8 (C-5); HRMS found MH^+ , 318.1330. $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_5$ requires MH , 318.1335. Compound **S1** existed exclusively as the enol tautomer.

Prop-2-en-1-yl-4-benzoyl-3-oxomorpholine-2-carboxylate



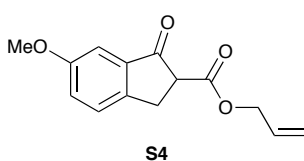
According to General Procedure A, 4-benzylmorpholin-3-one (9.32 g, 45.4 mmol) and LiHMDS (100 mL, 100 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in THF) gave a crude material. The crude material was extracted with Et_2O and purified by flash column chromatography eluting with DCM to yield the allyl ester derivative⁶ **S2** (5.00 g, 41%) as a light yellow oil, R_f 0.62 (50:50 petrol-EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2950, 2893, 1745, 1685, 1449, 1373, 1274, 1227, 1155, 1139; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.65-7.61 (2H, m, phenyl 2,6- H_2), 7.51 (1H, tt, J 7.1 and 1.2, phenyl 4-H), 7.42-7.36 (2H, m, phenyl 3,5- H_2), 5.94 (1H, ddt, J 17.3, 10.5 and 5.9, propenyl 2-H), 5.38 (1H, app. dq, J 17.3 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.30 (1H, app. dq, J 10.5 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.83 (1H, s, 2-H), 4.74 (2H, app. dt, J 5.9 and 1.3, propenyl 1- H_2), 4.35 (1H, ddd, J 12.0, 7.9 and 3.7, 6- H_A), 4.07 (1H, ddd, J 12.0, 5.4 and 3.8, 6- H_B), 4.00 (1H, ddd, J 13.3, 7.9 and 3.8, 5- H_B), 3.93 (1H, ddd, J 13.3, 5.4 and 3.7, 5- H_A); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl_3) 172.6 (C-3), 166.5 (benzoyl C=O), 165.6 (carboxylate C=O), 134.6 (phenyl C-1), 132.4 (phenyl C-4), 131.0 (propenyl C-2), 128.5 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 128.2 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 119.7 (propenyl C-3), 77.1 (under signal for residual solvent, C-2), 66.9 (propenyl C-1), 62.4 (C-6), 44.7 (C-5); HRMS found MH^+ , 290.1024. $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_5$ requires MH , 290.1022.

Prop-2-en-1-yl 4-oxoxolane-3-carboxylate



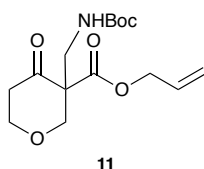
According to a procedure for a related compound,¹¹ methyl glycolate (8.57 mL, 111 mmol) was added dropwise to a suspension of NaH (4.88 g, 122 mmol of a 60% dispersion in mineral oil) in Et₂O (370 mL). After stirring for 4 h, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the crude material was dissolved in DMSO (222 mL). The solution was cooled to 0 °C and allyl acrylate (16.3 mL, 122 mmol) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to rt and stirred overnight. An aqueous solution of 10% HCl (70 mL) and Et₂O (200 mL) were added and the mixture was stirred for 30 min. Water (70 mL) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (4 × 100 mL). The organic phases were combined, washed with brine (300 mL), dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90→20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *allyl ester derivative S3* (5.45 g, 29%) as a pink oil, *R*_f 0.43 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2951, 2883, 1770, 1725; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.90 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.2, 10.3 and 5.7, propenyl 2-H), 5.34 (1H, dd, *J* 17.2 and 1.4, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.26 (1H, dd, *J* 10.3 and 1.4, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 4.71-4.60 (2H, m, propenyl 1-H₂), 4.49 (1H, dd, *J* 9.7 and 8.3, 2-H_A), 4.44 (1H, dd, *J* 9.7 and 8.3, 2-H_B), 4.02 (1H, d, *J* 17.1, 5-H_A), 3.94 (1H, d, *J* 17.1, 5-H_B), 3.53 (1H, t, *J* 8.3, 3-H); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 207.3 (C-4), 166.3 (carboxylate C=O), 131.4 (propenyl C-2), 119.1 (propenyl C-3), 70.8 (C-5), 69.5 (C-2), 66.5 (propenyl C-1), 53.4 (C-3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 193.0467. C₈H₁₀O₄ requires *MNa*, 193.0471.

Prop-2-en-1-yl 6-methoxy-1-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-indene-2-carboxylate



According to General Procedure B, 6-methoxy-1-indanone (7.37 g, 45.45 mmol) in toluene (100 mL) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the allyl ester derivative¹² **S4** (5.23 g, 47%) as a brown oil, R_f 0.56 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2940, 2837, 1736, 1704, 1571, 1491, 1432, 1317, 1296, 1273, 1204, 1184, 1148, 1024; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.39 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 0.8, 4-H), 7.22 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 2.5, 5-H), 7.19 (1H, d, J 2.5, 7-H), 5.94 (1H, ddt, J 17.2, 10.5 and 5.7, propenyl 2-H), 5.37 (1H, app. dq, J 17.2 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.26 (1H, app. dq, J 10.5 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.69 (2H, app. tt, J 5.7 and 1.4, propenyl 1- H_2), 3.83 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.78 (1H, dd, J 8.1 and 3.9, 2-H), 3.47 (1H, dd, J 16.9 and 3.9, 3- H_A), 3.32 (1H, dd, J 16.9 and 8.1, 3- H_B); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 199.3 (C-1), 168.9 (carboxylate C=O), 159.8 (C-6), 146.5 (C-3a), 136.5 (C-7a), 131.7 (propenyl C-2), 127.2 (C-4), 125.0 (C-5), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 105.7 (C-7), 66.2 (propenyl C-1), 55.7 (methoxy), 54.0 (C-2), 29.7 (C-3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 269.0782. $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_4$ requires MNa , 269.0784.

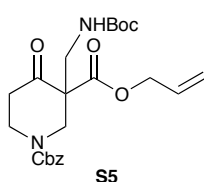
Prop-2-en-1-yl 3-({[(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-4-oxooxane-3-carboxylate



According to General Procedure C, the allyl ester derivative **9** (7.00 g, 38.0 mmol) was stirred overnight to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative* **11** (10.1 g, 85%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.67 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3403, 2976, 2934, 2868, 1709, 1501, 1366, 1249, 1225, 1212, 1163, 1135, 1112; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.88 (1H, ddt, J 17.3, 10.4 and 5.8, propenyl 2-H), 5.31 (1H, app. dq, J 17.3 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.24 (1H, app. dq, J 10.4 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.09 (1H, app. t, J 5.6, NH), 4.65 (1H, app. t, J 1.4, propenyl 1- H_A), 4.64 (1H, app. t, J 1.4, propenyl 1- H_B), 4.44 (1H, d, J 11.8, 2- H_A), 4.14-4.05 (1H, m, 6- H_A), 3.87-3.76 (1H, m, 6- H_B), 3.60 (1H, dd, J 14.1 and 6.8, methylcarbamate 1- H_A), 3.58 (1H, d, J 11.8, 2- H_B), 3.50 (1H, dd, J 14.1 and 6.8,

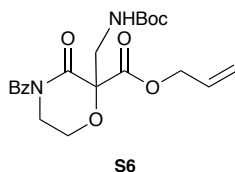
methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.76 (1H, ddd, *J* 15.4, 9.3 and 6.4, 5-H_A), 2.59 (1H, app. dt, *J* 14.9 and 4.4, 5-H_B), 1.38 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 204.1 (C-4), 169.4 (carboxylate C=O), 155.8 (Boc C=O), 131.3 (propenyl C-2), 119.2 (propenyl C-3), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 72.3 (C-2), 68.4 (C-6), 66.5 (propenyl C-1), 64.0 (C-3), 41.0 (C-5 and methylcarbamate C-1), 28.3 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MH⁺, 314.1601. C₁₅H₂₃NO₆ requires *MH*, 314.1598.

1-Benzyl 3-prop-2-en-1-yl 3-({(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl}amino)methyl)-4-oxopiperidine-1,3-dicarboxylate



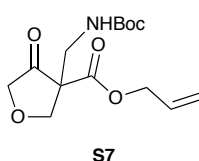
According to General Procedure C, the allyl ester derivative **S1** (6.47 g, 20.4 mmol) was stirred overnight to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative S5* (7.69 g, 84%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.63 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3398, 2977, 1697, 1499, 1423, 1365, 1234, 1138; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.42–7.28 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.86 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.3, 10.5 and 5.8, propenyl 2-H), 5.28 (1H, app. dq, *J* 17.3 and 1.4, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.19 (1H, app. dq, *J* 10.5 and 1.4, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.16 (1H, app. s, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.15 (1H, app. s, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.61 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, 2-H_A), 4.57–4.52 (2H, m, propenyl 1-H₂), 4.18–4.09 (1H, m, 6-H_A), 3.61 (1H, d, *J* 14.4, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.46 (1H, d, *J* 14.4, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 3.46–3.39 (1H, m, 6-H_B), 3.35 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, 2-H_B), 2.68 (1H, ddd, *J* 15.2, 9.9 and 6.5, 5-H_A), 2.53 (1H, app. dt, *J* 15.2 and 4.7, 5-H_B), 1.41 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 205.1 (C-4), 170.3 (carboxylate C=O), 157.9 (Boc C=O), 156.8 (Cbz C=O), 137.9 (phenyl C-1), 132.8 (propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.2 (phenyl C-4), 129.0 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 119.3 (propenyl C-3), 80.7 (^tBu C₁), 68.9 (arylmethyl C-1), 67.6 (propenyl C-1), 63.2 (C-3), 49.5 (C-2), 44.2 (C-6), 42.9 (methylcarbamate C-1), 40.4 (C-5), 28.7 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 469.1936. C₂₃H₃₀N₂O₇ requires *MNa*, 469.1945.

Prop-2-ene-1-yl-4-benzoyl-2-({[(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-3-oxomorpholine-2-carboxylate



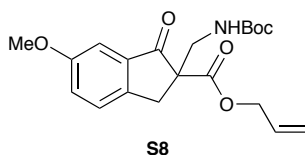
According to General Procedure C, the allyl ester derivative **S2** (5.00 g, 17.3 mmol) was stirred overnight to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the quaternary allyl ester derivative⁸ **S6** (6.00 g, 83%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.70 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3390, 2977, 1687, 1504, 1366, 1275, 1228, 1143, 1064; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.69–7.62 (2H, m, phenyl 2,6- H_2), 7.52 (1H, tt, J 7.1 and 1.2, phenyl 4-H), 7.42–7.37 (2H, m, phenyl 3,5- H_2), 5.96 (1H, ddt, J 17.2, 10.4 and 5.8, propenyl 2-H), 5.40 (1H, app. dq, J 17.2 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.32 (1H, app. dq, J 10.4 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.00 (1H, br. s, NH), 4.74 (2H, app. d, J 5.8, propenyl 1- H_2), 4.30–4.23 (1H, m, 6- H_A), 4.19 (1H, dt, J 12.3 and 4.0, 6- H_B), 4.00 (1H, ddd, J 13.4, 9.3 and 4.0, 5- H_A), 3.92 (1H, dt, J 13.4 and 3.6, 5- H_B), 3.82 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.4, methylcarbamate 1- H_A), 3.74 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 5.8, methylcarbamate 1- H_B), 1.42 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl_3) 172.7 (C-3), 167.7 (benzoyl C=O), 167.5 (carboxylate C=O), 155.7 (Boc C=O), 134.7 (phenyl C-1), 134.4 (phenyl C-4), 131.0 (propenyl C-3), 128.5 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 128.3 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 119.9 (propenyl C-2), 83.0 (C-2), 79.8 (tBu C₁), 67.1 (propenyl C-1), 62.1 (C-6), 44.9 (C-5), 44.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 28.4 (tBu C₃); HRMS found MH^+ , 419.1814. $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$ requires MH , 419.1812.

Prop-2-en-1-yl 3-({[(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-4-oxoxolane-3-carboxylate



According to General Procedure C, the allyl ester derivative **S3** (9.60 g, 56.4 mmol) was stirred for 3 h to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90→15:85 EtOAc–petrol to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative S7* (14.7 g, 87%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.41 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3367, 2978, 1770, 1710, 1504, 1366; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.86 (1H, ddt, J 17.2, 10.5 and 5.7, propenyl 2-H), 5.30 (1H, app. dq, J 17.2 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.25 (1H, app. dq, J 10.5 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.11 (1H, app. t, J 5.3, NH), 4.65 (1H, app. t, J 1.4, propenyl 1- H_{A}), 4.64 (1H, app. t, J 1.4, propenyl 1- H_{B}), 4.49 (1H, d, J 9.9, 2- H_{A}), 4.21 (1H, d, J 9.9, 2- H_{B}), 4.11 (1H, d, J 17.2, 5- H_{A}), 4.05 (1H, d, J 17.2, 5- H_{B}), 3.72–3.55 (2H, m, methylcarbamate 1- H_2), 1.40 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 208.8 (C-4), 168.6 (carboxylate C=O), 156.2 (Boc C=O), 131.1 (propenyl C-2), 119.2 (propenyl C-3), 80.1 (tBu C_1), 73.3 (C-2), 71.2 (C-5), 66.7 (propenyl C-1), 61.0 (C-3), 41.4 (methylcarbamate C-1), 28.4 (tBu C_3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 322.1256. $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_6$ requires MNa , 322.1261.

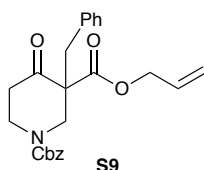
Prop-2-en-1-yl 2-({(tert-butoxy)carbonyl}amino)methyl)-6-methoxy-1-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-indene-2-carboxylate



According to General Procedure C, the allyl ester derivative **S4** (5.12 g, 20.8 mmol) was stirred overnight to give a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 15:85 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative S8* (7.80 g, >99%) as an amorphous colourless solid, R_f 0.50 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3377, 2974, 2940, 1727, 1697, 1514, 1492, 1280, 1241, 1189, 1161, 1134; δ_{H} (300 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.37 (1H, d, J 8.3, 4-H), 7.21 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 2.6, 5-H), 7.17 (1H, d, J 2.6, 7-H), 5.81 (1H, ddt, J 17.2, 10.6 and 5.6, propenyl 2-H), 5.20 (1H, dd, J 17.2 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.18 (1H, br. s, NH), 5.17 (1H, dd, J 10.6 and 1.3, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.59 (2H, app. dt, J 5.6 and 1.5, propenyl 1- H_2), 3.82 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.67 (1H, d, J 6.6, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.65 (1H, d, J 6.6, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 3.45 (1H, d, J 17.2,

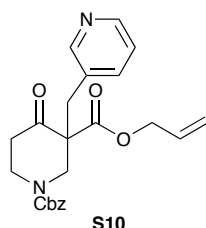
3-H_A), 3.24 (1H, d, *J* 17.2, 3-H_B), 1.40 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (75 MHz, CDCl₃) 201.0 (C-1), 170.8 (carboxylate C=O), 159.9 (C-6), 156.4 (Boc C=O), 146.4 (C-3a), 136.2 (C-7a), 131.5 (propenyl C-2), 127.4 (C-4), 125.3 (C-5), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 105.9 (C-7), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 66.2 (propenyl C-1), 62.4 (C-2), 55.7 (methoxy), 44.0 (methylcarbamate C-1), 35.0 (C-3), 28.4 (^tBu, C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 398.1572. C₂₀H₂₅NO₆ requires *MNa*, 398.1574.

1-Benzyl 3-prop-2-en-1-yl 3-benzyl-4-oxopiperidine-1,3-dicarboxylate



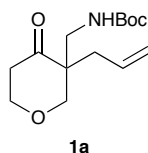
According to General Procedure D, the allyl ester derivative **S1** (0.75 g, 2.36 mmol), K₂CO₃ (1.30 g, 9.44 mmol) and (bromomethyl)benzene (0.56 mL, 4.72 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative S9* (0.86 g, 89%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.38 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3063, 3030, 2936, 1698, 1427, 1266, 1239, 1217, 1178, 1121; δ_H (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 7.41-7.15 (10H, phenyl), 5.77 (1H, ddt, *J* 16.9, 10.7 and 5.6, propenyl 2-H), 5.26 (1H, dd, *J* 16.9 and 1.3, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.21 (1H, app. dq, *J* 10.7 and 1.3, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.17 (1H, app. s, Cbz arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.16 (1H, app. s, Cbz arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.72 (1H, dd, *J* 13.8 and 2.1, 2-H_A), 4.50 (2H, d, *J* 5.6, propenyl 1-H₂), 4.25 (1H, app. br. s, 6-H_A), 3.31 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 3.31-3.25 (1H, m, 6-H_B), 3.17 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 3.14 (1H, d, *J* 13.8, 2-H_B), 2.75 (1H, ddd, *J* 14.9, 10.4 and 6.6, 5-H_A), 2.49 (1H, app. dt, *J* 14.9 and 4.4, 5-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 203.5 (C-4), 169.5 (carboxylate C=O), 155.2 (Cbz C=O), 136.6 (Cbz phenyl C-1), 135.6 (phenyl C-1), 131.4 (propenyl C-2), 130.6 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 128.6 (Cbz phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 128.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 128.2 (Cbz phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 128.0 (Cbz phenyl C-4), 127.2 (phenyl C-4), 119.3 (propenyl C-3), 67.7 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 66.4 (propenyl C-1), 62.3 (C-3), 50.1 (C-2), 43.5 (C-6), 40.0 (C-5), 37.6 (aryl methyl C-1); HRMS found MNa⁺, 430.1624. C₂₄H₂₅NO₅ requires *MNa*, 430.1630.

1-Benzyl 3-prop-2-en-1-yl 4-oxo-3-[(pyridin-3-yl)methyl]piperidine-1,3-dicarboxylate



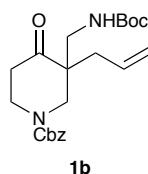
According to General Procedure D, the allyl ester derivative **S1** (1.00 g, 3.15 mmol), K_2CO_3 (2.17 g, 15.7 mmol) and 3-(bromomethyl)pyridine hydrobromide (1.03 g, 4.10 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *quaternary allyl ester derivative* **S10** (0.63 g, 49%) as a yellow oil, R_f 0.50 (EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm^{-1} 3031, 2946, 1697, 1423, 1235, 1215, 1177, 1125; δ_H (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.23 (2H, d, J 6.3, pyridine 2,6- H_2), 6.51 (1H, d, J 7.9, pyridine 4-H), 6.20-6.14 (5H, m, phenyl), 6.14-6.11 (1H, m, pyridine 5-H), 4.58 (1H, ddt, J 16.9, 10.1 and 6.0, propenyl 2-H), 4.05 (1H, dd, J 16.9 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 4.01 (1H, dd, J 10.1 and 1.4, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 3.97 (1H, app. s, Cbz arylmethyl 1- H_A), 3.96 (1H, app. s, Cbz arylmethyl 1- H_B), 3.50 (1H, dd, J 13.6 and 2.2, 2- H_A), 3.30-3.27 (1H, m, propenyl 1- H_A), 3.10-3.04 (1H, m, 6- H_A), 2.18 (1H, d, J 14.3, pyridinylmethyl, 1- H_A), 2.18-2.15 (2H, m, 6- H_B and propenyl 1- H_B), 2.12 (1H, d, J 13.6, 2- H_B), 1.82 (1H, d, J 14.3, pyridinylmethyl 1- H_B), 1.63-1.52 (1H, m, 5- H_A), 1.35 (1H, app. dt, J 14.9 and 4.1, 5- H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 204.6 (C-4), 170.5 (carboxylate C=O), 156.6 (Cbz C=O), 151.9 (pyridine 2-C), 148.7 (pyridine C-6), 140.1 (pyridine C-4), 137.8 (phenyl C-1), 133.8 (pyridine C-3), 132.5 (propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.1 (phenyl C-4), 128.9 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 124.7 (pyridine C-5), 119.8 (propenyl C-3), 68.8 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 67.5 (propenyl C-1), 63.3 (C-3), 51.2 (C-2), 44.5 (C-6), 40.6 (C-5), 35.4 (pyridinylmethyl C-1); HRMS found MH^+ , 409.1755. $C_{23}H_{24}N_2O_5$ requires MH , 409.1763.

tert-Butyl *N*-{[4-oxo-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxan-3-yl]methyl}carbamate



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **11** (10.1 g, 32.2 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1a* (6.60 g, 76%) as a brown oil, R_f 0.39 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3351, 2975, 2932, 2861, 1702, 1504, 1365, 1246, 1214, 1163, 1115; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.66 (1H, app. dq, J 16.8 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.15–5.10 (2H, m, propenyl 3- H_2), 4.83 (1H, br. s, NH), 4.14–4.07 (1H, m, 6- H_A), 3.83 (1H, d, J 11.8, 2- H_A), 3.80–3.77 (1H, m, 6- H_B), 3.59 (1H, d, J 11.8, 2- H_B), 3.35 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.9, methylcarbamate 1- H_A), 3.26 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 5.5, methylcarbamate 1- H_B), 2.65 (1H, ddd, J 15.1, 9.8 and 6.5, 5- H_A), 2.53 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.5, propenyl 1- H_A), 2.47 (1H, app. dt, J 15.1 and 4.1, 5- H_B), 2.34 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.5, propenyl 1- H_B), 1.41 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 210.1 (C-4), 156.0 (Boc C=O), 131.9 (propenyl C-2), 119.3 (propenyl C-3), 79.4 (tBu C_1), 73.1 (C-2), 68.2 (C-6), 55.1 (C-3), 42.0 (methylcarbamate C-1), 40.1 (C-5), 36.9 (propenyl C-1), 28.3 (tBu C_3); HRMS found MH^+ , 270.1701. $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_4$ requires MH , 270.1699.

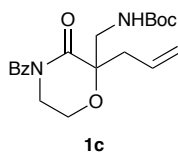
Benzyl 3-(((*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl)amino)methyl)-4-oxo-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S5** (7.56 g, 16.9 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1b* (5.93 g, 87%) as a yellow oil, R_f 0.74 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3366, 2976, 2931, 1689, 1429, 1365, 1273, 1157; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.42–7.27 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.67 (1H, app.

dq, J 16.9 and 8.0, propenyl 2-H), 5.18 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1-H₂), 5.06 (1H, app. d, J 10.8, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.05 (1H, app. d, J 18.8, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 3.93-3.83 (1H, m, 6-H_A), 3.75 (1H, d, J 14.0, 2-H_A), 3.67 (1H, app. br. s, 6-H_B), 3.52 (1H, d, J 14.0, 2-H_B), 3.37 (1H, d, J 14.7, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.15 (1H, d, J 14.7, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.63-2.53 (1H, m, 5-H_A), 2.53-2.45 (1H, m, 5-H_B), 2.34 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 7.0, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.24 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 8.0, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.41 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD) 211.1 (4-C), 158.2 (Boc C=O), 157.2 (Cbz C=O), 137.9 (phenyl C-1), 133.6 (propenyl C-2), 129.6 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.2 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 119.4 (propenyl C-3), 80.5 (^tBu C₁), 68.8 (arylmethyl C-1), 55.2 (C-3), 50.3 (C-2), 44.2 (C-6 and methylcarbamate C-1), 39.6 (C-5), 37.7 (propenyl C-1), 28.7 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 425.2043. C₂₂H₃₀N₂O₅ requires MNa, 425.2046.

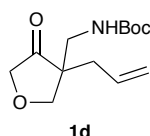
***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[4-benzoyl-3-oxo-2-(prop-2-en-1-yl)morpholin-2-yl]methyl}carbamate**



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S6** (6.00 g, 14.3 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the lactam derivative⁸ **1c** (4.30 g, 80%) as a brown oil, R_f 0.65 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3379, 2977, 2933, 1682, 1505, 1366, 1277, 1246, 1221, 1140, 1116, 1087; δ_H (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.55 (2H, d, J 7.6, phenyl 2,6-H₂), 7.50 (1H, t, J 7.6, phenyl 4-H), 7.39 (2H, t, J 7.6, phenyl 3,5-H₂), 5.88 (1H, ddt, J 16.0, 11.1 and 7.3, propenyl 2-H), 5.20 (1H, app. d, J 10.5, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.19 (1H, app. d, J 16.8, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 4.90 (1H, br. s, NH), 4.10-4.04 (2H, m, 6-H₂), 3.98 (1H, app. dt, J 9.9 and 4.8, 5-H_A), 3.90 (1H, app. dt, J 13.1 and 4.8, 5-H_B), 3.62 (1H, dd, J 14.0 and 7.1, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.39 (1H, dd, J 14.0 and 5.6, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.67 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.3, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.51 (1H, dd, J 14.3 and 7.0, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 172.9 (C-3), 172.6 (benzoyl C=O), 155.8 (Boc C=O), 135.4 (phenyl C-1), 132.0 (phenyl C-4), 131.6 (propenyl C-2), 128.2 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 128.0 (phenyl

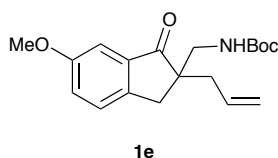
C₂-2,6), 119.8 (propenyl C-3), 82.1 (C-2), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 60.4 (C-6), 45.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 45.4 (C-5), 39.7 (propenyl C-1), 28.4 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MH⁺, 375.1919. C₂₀H₂₆N₂O₅ requires *MH*, 375.1914

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[4-oxo-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxolan-3-yl]methyl}carbamate**



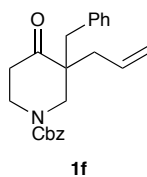
According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S7** (14.7 g, 49.1 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1d* (11.0 g, 88%) as a light-brown oil, *R_f* 0.42 (85:15 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3357, 2977, 2933, 1697, 1515, 1392, 1366, 1248, 1158, 1059; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.70 (1H, ddt, *J* 16.6, 10.5 and 7.4, propenyl 2-H), 5.14-5.10 (1H, m, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.12-5.08 (1H, m, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 4.84 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.3, NH), 4.10 (1H, d, *J* 9.9, 2-H_A), 3.99 (1H, d, *J* 9.9, 2-H_B), 3.94 (2H, app. s, 5-H₂), 3.31 (1H, app. s, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.29 (1H, app. s, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.27 (1H, app. d, *J* 1.2, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.25 (1H, app. d, *J* 1.2, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.40 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 217.6 (C-4), 156.2 (Boc C=O), 131.9 (propenyl C-2), 119.8 (propenyl C-3), 79.9 (^tBu C₁), 73.8 (C-2), 71.5 (C-5), 52.5 (C-3), 42.4 (methylcarbamate C-1), 36.3 (propenyl C-1), 28.4 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 278.1363. C₁₃H₂₁NO₄ requires *MNa*, 278.1362.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[6-methoxy-1-oxo-2-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-2-yl]methyl} carbamate**



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S8** (7.80 g, 20.8 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1e* (5.58 g, 81%) as an amorphous brown solid, R_f 0.57 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3359, 2975, 2928, 1694, 1490, 1274, 1245, 1161; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.31 (1H, d, J 8.4, 4-H), 7.18 (1H, dd, J 8.4 and 2.6, 5-H), 7.13 (1H, d, J 2.6, 7-H), 5.60 (1H, ddt, J 17.0, 10.1 and 7.4, propenyl 2-H), 5.07 (1H, dd, J 17.0 and 1.9, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.00 (1H, dd, J 10.1 and 1.9, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.90 (1H, app. t, J 5.4, NH), 3.80 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.46 (1H, dd, J 13.7 and 6.6, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.29 (1H, dd, J 13.7 and 6.1, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 3.00 (1H, d, J 17.2, 3- H_{A}), 2.93 (1H, d, J 17.2, 3- H_{B}), 2.45–2.27 (2H, m, propenyl 1- H_2), 1.38 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 209.9 (C-1), 159.6 (C-6), 156.4 (Boc C=O), 146.5 (C-3a), 137.4 (C-7a), 132.9 (propenyl C-2), 127.4 (C-4), 124.8 (C-5), 119.1 (propenyl C-3), 105.2 (C-7), 79.5 (Boc C_1), 55.7 (methoxy), 54.0 (C-2), 45.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 39.4 (propenyl C-1), 34.9 (C-3), 28.4 (Boc C_3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 354.1679. $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_4$ requires MNa , 354.1675.

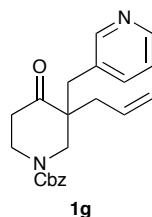
Benzyl 3-benzyl-4-oxo-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S9** (0.83 g, 2.03 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1f* (0.66 g, 89%) as a brown oil, R_f 0.45 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3063, 3029, 2916, 1694, 1430, 1231; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.36–7.04 (10H, m, phenyl), 5.70 (1H, ddt, J 17.6, 10.4

and 7.3, propenyl 2-H), 5.13 (2H, s, Cbz arylmethyl 1-H₂), 5.05 (1H, app. d, *J* 10.4, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.03 (1H, app. d, *J* 17.6, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 3.77 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.0 and 6.5, 6-H_A), 3.68 (1H, d, *J* 13.8, 2-H_A), 3.58 (1H, d, *J* 13.8, 2-H_B), 3.56-3.51 (1H, m, 6-H_B), 2.93 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 2.80 (1H, d, *J* 13.9, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 2.55-2.40 (2H, m, 5-H₂), 2.31 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 6.8, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.16 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 7.8, propenyl 1-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 212.0 (C-4), 157.2 (Cbz C=O), 137.9 (Cbz phenyl C-1), 137.8 (phenyl C-1), 134.0 (propenyl C-2), 131.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.5 (Cbz phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.2 (phenyl C₂-2,6 and Cbz phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.0 (Cbz phenyl C-4), 127.7 (phenyl C-4), 119.3 (propenyl C-3), 68.7 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 54.6 (C-3), 51.0 (C-2), 43.8 (C-6), 40.7 (aryl-methyl C-1), 39.7 (C-5), 39.6 (propenyl C-1); HRMS found MNa^+ , 386.1717. C₂₃H₂₅NO₃ requires *MNa*, 386.1732.

Benzyl 4-oxo-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-3-[(pyridin-3-yl)methyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate



According to General Procedure E, the quaternary allyl ester derivative **S10** (0.60 g, 1.47 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ketone derivative 1g* (0.43 g, 80%) as a yellow oil, *R_f* 0.48 (EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm^{-1} 3030, 2915, 1693, 1422, 1230; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 8.37 (1H, dd, *J* 4.9 and 1.7, pyridine 6-H), 8.32 (1H, d, *J* 2.3, pyridine 2-H), 7.58 (1H, d, *J* 7.9, pyridine 4-H), 7.37-7.24 (6H, m, phenyl and pyridine 5-H), 5.69 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.1, 10.3 and 7.3, propenyl 2-H), 5.15 (2H, s, phenylmethyl 1-H₂), 5.09 (1H, app. dt, *J* 10.3 and 1.6, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.05 (1H, dd, *J* 17.1 and 1.6, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 3.87-3.81 (1H, m, 6-H_A), 3.74 (1H, dd, *J* 13.8 and 1.2, 2-H_A), 3.57 (1H, d, *J* 13.8, 2-H_B), 3.56-3.51 (1H, m, 6-H_B), 2.98 (1H, d, *J* 14.2, pyridinylmethyl 1-H_A), 2.84 (1H, d, *J* 14.2, pyridinylmethyl 1-H_B), 2.56 (1H, ddd, *J* 15.6, 8.3 and 6.1, 5-H_A), 2.48 (1H, app. dt, *J* 15.6 and 6.1, 5-H_B), 2.29 (1H, dd, *J* 14.6 and 6.8, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.20 (1H, dd, *J* 14.6 and 7.7, propenyl 1-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 211.3 (C-4), 157.2 (Cbz C=O), 151.8 (pyridine C-2), 148.4 (pyridine C-6), 140.0 (pyridine C-4), 137.9 (phenyl C-1), 134.5 (pyridine C-3), 133.5

(propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.2 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.1 (phenyl C-4), 124.7 (pyridine C-5), 119.7 (propenyl C-3), 68.7 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 54.5 (C-3), 51.0 (C-2), 43.9 (C-6), 39.6 (propenyl C-1), 39.5 (C-5), 37.5 (pyridinylmethyl C-1); HRMS found MH⁺, 365.1862. C₂₂H₂₄N₂O₃ requires *MH*, 365.1865.

Synthesis of Scaffolds

General Procedure F (Method A in main text)

By modification of an existing procedure,¹³ 2-methyl-2-butene (7.50 eq) was added dropwise to BH₃•THF (3.50 eq of a 1.0 M solution in THF) at 0 °C. The mixture was stirred for 2 h at 0 °C. Then, a solution of the alkene derivative (1.00 eq) in THF (0.35 M) at 0 °C was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred for 45 min at 0 °C and subsequently it was stirred for 1 h at rt. Then, NaBO₃•4H₂O (7.50 eq) and water (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative) were added. After stirring the mixture vigorously for 18 h at rt, EtOAc (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (4 × (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative)). Then, the organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure G (Method B in main text)

Trifluoroacetic acid (20.0 eq) and Et₃SiH (1.50 eq) were added to a solution of the hemiacetal derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. After removing the solvent and trifluoroacetic acid under reduced pressure, the crude material was dissolved in DCM (0.10 M), and Et₃N (10.0 eq) and Boc₂O (1.20 eq) were added. After stirring the reaction mixture for 18 h at rt, a saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO₃ (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3 × (4 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative)). Then, the organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure H (Variation of Method B in main text)

By modification of an existing procedure,¹⁴ Et₃SiH (16.0 eq) was added dropwise to a solution of the hemiacetal derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (16.0 mM) at rt. The mixture was cooled to -78 °C and BF₃•Et₂O (4.00 eq) was added dropwise. After stirring the reaction mixture at -78 °C for 2 h, it was allowed to warm to rt and stirred overnight. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the crude material was dissolved in DCM (0.10 M). Then, Et₃N (5.00 eq) and Boc₂O (1.20 eq) were added and the reaction mixture was stirred overnight at rt. A saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3 × (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative)). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure I (Variation of Method B in main text)

Trifluoroacetic acid (20.0 eq) and Et₃SiH (1.50 eq) were added to a solution of the hemiacetal derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. A saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO₃ (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3 × (4 mL per 1.00 mmol of the hemiacetal derivative)). Then, the organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure J (Method C in main text)

Ozonized oxygen gas was passed through a solution of the alkene derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at -78 °C until the solution became blue in colour. Then, the solution was purged with oxygen gas until the blue colour disappeared and dimethyl sulfide (20.0 eq) was added dropwise. After stirring the reaction mixture for 30 min at -78 °C, it was allowed to warm to rt. Then, it was stirred at rt for 18 h and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to yield a crude material.

General Procedure K (Method E in main text)

According to a procedure,⁸ the specified amount of a solution of diisobutylaluminium hydride 1.0 M in DCM was added dropwise to a solution of the ketone derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM

(0.18 M) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. After stirring the reaction mixture for 1 h at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, the mixture was allowed to warm to rt and a saturated aqueous solution of potassium sodium tartrate tetrahydrate (5 mL per 1.00 mmol of the ketone derivative) was added dropwise. Then, the mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM ($5 \times (3\text{ mL per } 1.00\text{ mmol of the ketone derivative})$). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure L (Method F in main text)

According to a procedure,¹⁵ NaHCO_3 (2.00 eq) and I_2 (1.10 eq) were added to a solution of the alkene derivative (1.00 eq) in acetonitrile (0.10 M) at $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. The reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 3 days. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$ (7 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc ($3 \times (7\text{ mL per } 1.00\text{ mmol of the alkene derivative})$). The organic phases were combined, washed with brine (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative), dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure M (Method G in main text)

$t\text{BuOK}$ (3.00 eq) was added to a solution of the alcohol derivative (1.00 eq) in THF (75.0 mM) at $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. After stirring the reaction mixture for the specified time at rt, a saturated aqueous solution of NH_4Cl (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative) and EtOAc (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative) were added. The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc ($4 \times (5\text{ mL per } 1.00\text{ mmol of the alcohol derivative})$). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to yield a crude material.

General Procedure N (Method H or Method I in main text)

The respective aldehyde (1.50 eq) and trifluoroacetic acid (35.0 eq) were added dropwise to a solution of the ketone derivative (1.00 eq) in MeOH (0.18 M). The reaction mixture was stirred at $65\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ for four days. Then, the mixture was allowed to cool to rt and the solvent and trifluoroacetic acid were removed under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure O (Method L in main text)

By modification of an existing procedure,⁸ pyridine (31.0 eq) was added to a solution of the alcohol derivative (1.00 eq) in Ac₂O (26.4 eq) at rt. Then, the reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The crude material was dissolved in DCM (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative) and an aqueous solution of 10% CuSO₄ (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative) was added. After stirring the mixture for 5 min at rt, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3 × (2 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative)). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to yield the specified acetate derivative.

General Procedure P (Method M in main text)

By modification of an existing procedure,¹⁶ triethylamine (2.00 eq) and methanesulfonyl chloride (1.20 eq) were added to a solution of the alcohol derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.20 M) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h at rt. Then, trifluoroacetic acid (65.0 eq) was added dropwise and the mixture was stirred for a further 5 h at rt. Subsequently, the solvent and trifluoroacetic acid were removed under reduced pressure. After dissolving the crude product in DCM (0.20 M), triethylamine (35.0 eq) was added and the resulting mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. Then, Boc₂O (1.20 eq) was added and the reaction was stirred for a further 18 h at rt. A saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO₃ (5 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3 × (3 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alcohol derivative)). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure Q (Method C followed by Method N in main text)

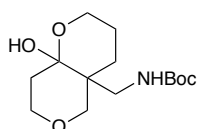
Ozonized oxygen gas was passed through a solution of the alkene derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at -78 °C until the solution became blue in colour. Then, the solution was purged with oxygen gas until the blue colour disappeared and dimethyl sulfide (20.0 eq) was added dropwise. After stirring the reaction mixture for 30 min at -78 °C, it was allowed to warm to rt. Then, it was stirred at rt for 18 h and the solvent was removed under reduced

pressure. The crude material was dissolved in DCM (0.10 M) and pyridinium dichromate (2.00 eq) and celite (0.4 g per 1.00 mmol of the alkene derivative) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 week at rt. Then, the mixture was filtered through celite and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

General Procedure R (Method C followed by Method O in main text)

Ozonized oxygen gas was passed through a solution of the alkene derivative (1.00 eq) in DCM (0.10 M) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ until the solution became blue in colour. Then, the solution was purged with oxygen gas until the blue colour disappeared and dimethyl sulfide (20.0 eq) was added dropwise. After stirring the reaction mixture for 30 min at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, it was allowed to warm to rt. Then, it was stirred at rt for 18 h and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The crude material was dissolved in acetic acid (0.20 M) and $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$ (7.00 eq) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h at rt. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO_3 (50 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene) and DCM (20 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene) were added. The mixture was stirred for 1 h at rt, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM ($4 \times$ (10 mL per 1.00 mmol of the alkene)). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude material.

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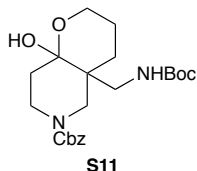


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According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1a** (0.50 g, 1.85 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiacetal derivative* **12** (0.41 g, 76%, *dr* >95:<5 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as an amorphous colourless solid, R_f 0.25 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3301, 2960, 2880, 1692, 1594, 1365, 1283, 1273, 1254, 1170, 1109, 1068; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CD_3OD)

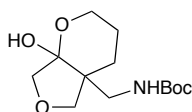
6.32 (1H, app.t, J 5.1, NH), 4.06 (1H, ddd, J 12.4, 11.2 and 3.0, 2-H_A), 3.85 (1H, d, J 11.6, 5-H_A), 3.80 (1H, app. tt, J 5.5 and 1.2, 7-H_A), 3.69-3.60 (2H, m, 2-H_B and 7-H_B), 3.44 (1H, d, J 11.6, 5-H_B), 3.40-3.32 (3H, m, OH and methylcarbamate 1-H₂), 2.02 (1H, td, J 13.1 and 5.5, 8-H_A), 1.92 (1H, app. td, J 13.3 and 4.9, 3-H_A), 1.79 (1H, app. qt, J 13.3 and 4.6, 3-H_B), 1.57 (1H, app. d, J 13.5, 8-H_B), 1.47 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.46-1.39 (1H, m, 4-H_A), 1.25 (1H, app. d, J 13.7, 4-H_B); δ_C (100 MHz, CD₃OD) 158.7 (Boc C=O), 96.0 (C-8a), 79.8 (^tBu C₁), 70.5 (C-5), 66.7 (C-7), 60.8 (C-2), 45.0 (methylcarbamate C-1), 41.9 (C-4a), 36.9 (C-8), 28.7 (^tBu C₃), 24.6 (C-4), 22.3 (C-3); HRMS found MNa⁺, 310.1628. C₁₄H₂₅NO₅ requires MNa , 310.1624.

Benzyl 4a-(((*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino)methyl)-8a-hydroxy-octahydro-2H-pyrano[3,2-*c*]pyridine-6-carboxylate



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1b** (0.20 g, 0.49 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiacetal derivative* **S11** (0.12 g, 58%, $dr >95:<5$ by ¹H-NMR) as an amorphous colourless solid, R_f 0.37 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm^{-1} 3317, 2957, 2889, 2472, 1672, 1432, 1363, 1250, 1164, 1142, 1089, 1065; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.42-7.26 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.14 (1H, d, J 12.4, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.11 (1H, d, J 12.4, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.02 (1H, td, J 11.9 and 3.2, 2-H_A), 3.95 (1H, app. dt, J 13.1 and 2.6, 7-H_A), 3.66-3.57 (2H, m, 2-H_B and 5-H_A), 3.40-3.33 (3H, m, 5-H_B and methylcarbamate 1-H₂), 3.08 (1H, td, J 13.1 and 3.4, 7-H_B), 2.93 (1H, br. s, OH), 1.95 (1H, td, J 13.5 and 5.0, 4-H_A), 1.83-1.71 (2H, m, 8-H_A and 3-H_A), 1.65-1.51 (1H, m, 8-H_B), 1.42 (10H, s, ^tBu and 3-H_B), 1.30 (1H, app. d, J 13.5, 4-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 158.4 (Boc C=O), 157.3 (Cbz C=O), 138.1 (phenyl C-1), 129.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 96.6 (C-8a), 80.1 (^tBu C₁), 68.6 (arylmethyl C-1), 61.0 (C-2), 49.0 (C-5), 47.3 (C-4a), 44.6 (methylcarbamate C-1), 42.9 (C-7), 35.7 (C-8), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 25.8 (C-4), 22.1 (C-3); HRMS found MNa⁺, 443.2147. C₂₂H₃₂N₂O₆ requires MNa , 443.2152.

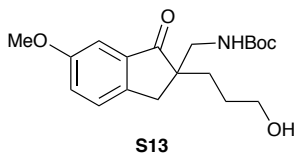
***tert*-Butyl *N*-({7a-hydroxy-hexahydro-2*H*-furo[3,4-*b*]pyran-4a-yl)methyl)carbamate**



S12

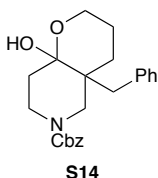
According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1d** (1.00 g, 3.91 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 40:60 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiacetal derivative S12* (0.78 g, 73%, *hemiacetal:alcohol* 67:33 by ¹H-NMR in CDCl₃) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.19 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3342, 2936, 2881, 1688, 1510, 1365, 1248, 1164, 1049, 1008; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.30 (1H, s, NH^{alcohol}), 4.94 (1H, app. t, *J* 6.6, NH^{hemiacetal}), 4.05 (1H, d, *J* 8.7, 5-H_A^{alcohol}), 3.89-3.80 (2H, m, 2-H_A^{hemiacetal} and hydroxypropyl 3-H_A^{alcohol}), 3.79-3.73 (4H, m, 2-H₂^{alcohol}, 5-H₂^{hemiacetal}), 3.73-3.66 (2H, m, 2-H_B^{hemiacetal} and hydroxypropyl 3-H_B^{alcohol}), 3.63 (1H, d *J* 8.7, 5-H_B^{alcohol}), 3.61-3.57 (2H, m, 7-H₂^{hemiacetal}), 3.37-3.25 (3H, m, methylcarbamate 1-H₂^{alcohol} and methylcarbamate 1-H_A^{hemiacetal}), 3.30 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4 and 4.5, methylcarbamate 1-H_B^{hemiacetal}), 1.85-1.67 (2H, m, 3-H_A^{hemiacetal} and hydroxypropyl 2-H_A^{alcohol}), 1.66-1.57 (2H, m, 4-H_A^{hemiacetal} and hydroxypropyl 1-H_A^{alcohol}), 1.54-1.45 (2H, m, 3-H_B^{hemiacetal} and hydroxypropyl 2-H_B^{alcohol}), 1.46-1.36 (20H, m, 4-H_B^{hemiacetal}, hydroxypropyl 1-H_B^{alcohol}, *t*Bu^{hemiacetal} and *t*Bu^{alcohol}); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 218.1 (C-4^{alcohol}), 157.0 (Boc C=O^{hemiacetal}), 156.4 (Boc C=O^{alcohol}), 103.4 (C-7a^{hemiacetal}), 80.0 (*t*Bu C₁^{alcohol}), 79.7 (*t*Bu C₁^{hemiacetal}), 77.2 (C-5^{hemiacetal}), 74.5 (C-2^{alcohol}), 73.9 (C-7^{hemiacetal}), 71.5 (C-5^{alcohol}), 62.5 (hydroxypropyl C-3^{alcohol}), 61.2 (C-2^{hemiacetal}), 52.2 (C-3^{alcohol}), 46.3 (methylcarbamate C-1^{hemiacetal}), 44.9 (C-4a^{hemiacetal}), 42.3 (methylcarbamate C-1^{alcohol}), 28.5 (*t*Bu C₃^{hemiacetal}), 28.4 (*t*Bu C₃^{alcohol}), 28.1 (hydroxypropyl C-1^{alcohol}), 27.1 (hydroxypropyl C-2^{alcohol}), 22.5 (C-4^{hemiacetal}), 21.1 (C-3^{hemiacetal}); HRMS found MNa⁺, 296.1463. C₁₃H₂₃NO₅ requires *MNa*, 296.1468. Compound **S12** existed as a mixture of the hemiacetal and alcohol.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[2-(3-hydroxypropyl)-6-methoxy-1-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-2-yl]methyl} carbamate**



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1e** (0.50 g, 1.50 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative* **S13** (0.32 g, 61%, >98% alcohol by ¹H-NMR in CDCl₃) as a pale-yellow oil, *R_f* 0.40 (30:70 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3368, 2931, 2870, 1687, 1490, 1365, 1274, 1245, 1161, 1054, 1024; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.32 (1H, d, *J* 8.4, 4-H), 7.18 (1H, dd, *J* 8.4 and 2.6, 5-H), 7.13 (1H, d, *J* 2.6, 7-H), 4.95 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.0, NH), 3.82 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.54 (2H, t, *J* 6.3, hydroxypropyl 3-H₂), 3.45 (1H, dd, *J* 13.5 and 7.0, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.25 (1H, dd, *J* 13.5 and 5.9, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.98 (1H, d, *J* 17.1, 3-H_A), 2.93 (1H, d, *J* 17.1, 3-H_B), 1.81 (1H, br. s, OH), 1.74-1.64 (2H, m, hydroxypropyl 1-H₂), 1.56-1.44 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 2-H_A), 1.37 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.36-1.28 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 2-H_B); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 210.5 (C-1), 159.6 (C-6), 156.5 (Boc C=O), 146.5 (C-3a), 137.5 (C-7a), 127.4 (C-4), 124.9 (C-5), 105.2 (C-7), 79.6 (Boc C₁), 62.8 (hydroxypropyl C-3), 55.7 (methoxy), 54.0 (C-2), 45.8 (methylcarbamate C-1), 35.6 (C-3), 31.0 (hydroxypropyl C-1), 28.4 (^tBu C₃), 27.5 (hydroxypropyl C-2); HRMS found MNa^+ , 372.1784. C₁₉H₂₇NO₅ requires *MNa*, 372.1781. Compound **S13** existed exclusively as the alcohol.

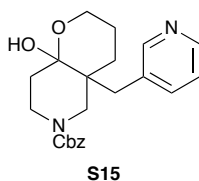
Benzyl 4a-benzyl-8a-hydroxy-octahydro-2*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]pyridine-6-carboxylate



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1f** (0.60 g, 1.65 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiacetal derivative* **S14** (0.52 g, 83%) as colourless oil, *R_f* 0.39 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3399, 2943, 2877, 2523, 2068, 1672, 1431, 1269,

1248, 1138, 1071; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.44-7.25 (5H, m, Cbz phenyl), 7.17-7.06 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.16 (2H, s, Cbz arylmethyl 1- H_2), 4.12-3.95 (2H, m, 2- H_A and 7- H_A), 3.64-3.59 (1H, m, 5- H_A), 3.59-3.56 (1H, m, 2- H_B), 3.27 (1H, d, J 13.3, 5- H_B), 3.14 (1H, t, J 12.9, 7- H_B), 2.79 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1- H_2), 1.97 (1H, td, J 13.1 and 5.2, 8- H_A), 1.82 (1H, td, J 13.5 and 5.0, 4- H_A), 1.74-1.66 (1H, m, 3- H_A), 1.66-1.60 (1H, m, 8- H_B), 1.37-1.24 (1H, m, 3- H_B), 0.77 (1H, app. d, J 13.5, 4- H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 157.7 (Cbz C=O), 138.9 (Cbz phenyl C-1 and phenyl C-1), 132.2 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.5 (Cbz phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.1 (phenyl C_{2-2,6} and Cbz phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 128.7 (Cbz phenyl C-4), 126.9 (phenyl C-4), 96.9 (C-8a), 68.5 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 60.7 (C-2), 46.9 (C-5), 42.7 (C-7), 41.5 (C-4a), 39.1 (arylmethyl C-1), 35.1 (C-8), 27.3 (C-4), 22.2 (C-3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 404.1830. $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}_4$ requires MNa , 404.1837.

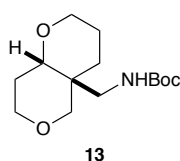
Benzyl 8a-hydroxy-4a-[(pyridin-3-yl)methyl]-octahydro-2H-pyrano[3,2-c]pyridine-6-carboxylate



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1g** (0.20 g, 0.55 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 80:20→100:0 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiacetal derivative* **S15** (0.15 g, 70%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.26 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3339, 2943, 2877, 2519, 2065, 1692, 1426, 1351, 1270, 1247, 1212, 1138, 1072, 1024; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 8.37 (1H, app. s, pyridine 6-H), 8.31 (1H, d, J 4.9, pyridine 2-H), 7.70-7.57 (1H, m, pyridine 4-H), 7.51-7.23 (5H, m, phenyl), 7.15 (1H, br. s, pyridine 5-H), 5.18 (2H, s, phenylmethyl 1- H_2), 4.15-3.98 (2H, m, 7- H_A and 2- H_A), 3.60 (1H, ddd, J 11.3, 5.4 and 1.6, 2- H_B), 3.55 (1H, d, J 13.5, 5- H_A), 3.31 (1H, d, J 13.5, 5- H_B), 3.13 (1H, td, J 12.9 and 3.3, 7- H_B), 2.85 (1H, d, J 13.7, pyridinylmethyl 1- H_A), 2.80 (1H, d, J 13.7, pyridinylmethyl 1- H_B), 1.98 (1H, td, J 13.3 and 5.4, 8- H_A), 1.85 (1H, td, J 13.4 and 4.9, 4- H_A), 1.77-1.67 (1H, m, 3- H_A), 1.64 (1H, app. d, J 14.1, 8- H_B), 1.34 (1H, app. d, J 13.7, 3- H_B), 0.77 (1H, app. d, J 13.4, 4- H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz,

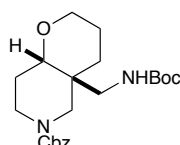
CD₃OD, 333 K) 157.5 (Cbz C=O), 152.3 (pyridine C-2), 147.7 (pyridine C-6), 140.6 (pyridine C-4), 138.1 (phenyl C-1), 135.5 (pyridine C-3), 129.6 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.2 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 124.4 (pyridine C-5), 96.7 (C-8a), 68.6 (phenylmethyl C-1), 60.6 (C-2), 46.9 (C-5), 42.7 (C-7), 41.6 (C-4a), 36.5 (pyridinylmethyl C-1), 35.3 (C-8), 27.4 (C-4), 22.1 (C-3); HRMS found MH⁺, 383.1961. C₂₂H₂₆N₂O₄ requires *MH*, 383.1965.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(4*aR**,8*aR**)-octahydropyrano[4,3-*b*]pyran-4*a*-yl]methyl}carbamate**



According to General Procedure G, the hemiacetal derivative **12** (0.16 g, 0.55 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **13** (0.15 g, 99%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as colourless blocks, m.p. (CHCl₃/Et₂O), 98-102 °C; *R*_f 0.50 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3318, 2959, 2932, 2873, 2858, 2824, 1710, 1546, 1365, 1249, 1169, 1094, 1073, 1057; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 4.73 (1H, br. s, NH), 3.97 (1H, app. dd, *J* 11.6 and 4.9, 2-H_A), 3.85 (1H, d, *J* 11.6, 5-H_A), 3.72-3.64 (2H, m, 7-H₂), 3.42 (1H, app. t, *J* 3.8, 8*a*-H_A), 3.37 (1H, td, *J* 11.6 and 2.3, 2-H_B), 3.30-3.23 (3H, m, 5-H_B and methylcarbamate 1-H₂), 2.08 (1H, dddd, *J* 14.4, 10.6, 7.2 and 3.3, 8-H_A), 1.78-1.64 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 1.54 (1H, app. dd, *J* 14.4 and 2.8, 8-H_B), 1.48-1.37 (3H, m, 3-H_B and 4-H₂), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 156.4 (Boc C=O), 79.4 (^tBu C₁), 74.6 (C-8*a*), 67.9 (C-5), 67.7 (C-2), 63.4 (C-7), 45.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 36.8 (C-4*a*), 28.6 (C-4), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 28.3 (C-8), 22.3 (C-3); HRMS found MH⁺, 272.1856. C₁₄H₂₅NO₄ requires *MH*, 272.1856. The relative configuration was determined using X-ray crystallography and NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl₃), nOe observed between 8*a*-H and 8-H_A, 8*a*-H and 8-H_B, 8*a*-H and NH.

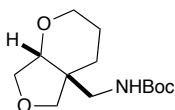
Benzyl (4*aR,8*aR**)-4*a*-({[(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-octahydro-2*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]pyridine-6-carboxylate**



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According to General Procedure G, the hemiacetal derivative **S11** (0.10 g, 0.24 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **2** (49.0 mg, 51%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as colourless oil, *R*_f 0.45 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3320, 2925, 2874, 2851, 1711, 1672, 1534, 1445, 1432, 1360, 1281, 1246, 1220, 1163, 1149, 1131, 1086; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.40–7.25 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.12 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1-H₂), 3.94 (1H, app. dt, *J* 11.1 and 2.4, 2-H_A), 3.87 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.1 and 3.0, 7-H_A), 3.51 (1H, d, *J* 13.5, 5-H_A), 3.42–3.33 (3H, m, 2-H_B, 5-H_B and 8a-H), 3.16 (1H, d, *J* 14.3, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.12 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.1 and 3.3, 7-H_B), 2.84 (1H, d, *J* 14.3, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.01–1.91 (1H, m, 8-H_A), 1.82–1.69 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 1.63–1.52 (2H, m, 8-H_B and 4-H_A), 1.50–1.44 (1H, m, 3-H_B), 1.43 (10H, s, ^tBu and 4-H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 158.5 (Boc C=O), 157.5 (Cbz C=O), 138.2 (phenyl C-1), 129.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 128.9 (phenyl C-4), 80.3 (^tBu C₁), 76.2 (C-8a), 68.6 (C-2), 68.4 (arylmethyl C-1), 46.1 (C-5), 45.9 (methylcarbamate C-1), 40.5 (C-7), 38.8 (C-4a), 30.0 (C-4), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 28.3 (C-8), 23.1 (C-3); HRMS found $M\text{Na}^+$, 427.2202. C₂₂H₃₂N₂O₅ requires *MNa*, 427.2203. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K), nOe observed between 8a-H and 8-H_A, 8a-H and 8-H_B, 8a-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_A, 8a-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_B.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(4a*R**,7a*S**)-hexahydro-2*H*-furo[3,4-*b*]pyran-4a-yl]methyl}carbamate**

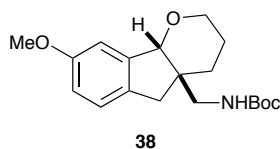


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According to General Procedure H, the hemiacetal derivative **S12** (0.74 g, 2.70 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting

with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **35** (0.30 g, 43%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as colourless oil, *R*_f 0.35 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3318, 2949, 2928, 2875, 2855, 1677, 1540, 1365, 1276, 1250, 1160, 1135, 1093, 1081, 1059, 1034; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl₃) 4.76 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.1, NH), 4.11 (1H, dd, *J* 10.1 and 4.0, 7-H_A), 3.92–3.86 (1H, m, 2-H_A), 3.87 (1H, d, *J* 8.4, 5-H_A), 3.79 (1H, app. d, *J* 10.1, 7-H_B), 3.73 (1H, app. d, *J* 4.0, 7a-H), 3.51 (1H, d, *J* 8.4, 5-H_B), 3.31 (1H, td, *J* 11.4 and 2.3, 2-H_B), 3.15 (1H, dd, *J* 14.1 and 6.8, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 2.98 (1H, dd, *J* 14.1 and 6.5, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 1.80–1.69 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 1.69–1.64 (2H, m, 4-H₂), 1.53–1.46 (1H, m, 3-H_B), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 156.5 (Boc C=O), 80.3 (C-7a), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 74.2 (C-7), 71.2 (C-5), 66.2 (C-2), 46.5 (methylcarbamate C-1), 45.9 (C-4a), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 24.3 (C-4), 21.7 (C-3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 280.1517. C₁₃H₂₃NO₄ requires *MNa*, 280.1519. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl₃), nOe observed between 7a-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_A, 7a-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_B, 7a-H and NH.

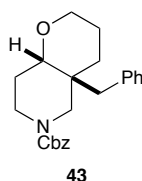
***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(4*aR**,9*bS**)-8-methoxy-2*H*,3*H*,4*H*,4*aH*,5*H*,9*bH*-indeno[1,2-*b*]pyran-4a-yl]methyl}carbamate**



According to General Procedure H, the alcohol derivative **S13** (0.10 g, 0.28 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **38** (62.0 mg, 65%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.48 (60:40 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3336, 2929, 2856, 1696, 1513, 1488, 1451, 1364, 1275, 1264, 1244, 1166, 1152, 1079, 1029; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.09 (1H, d, *J* 8.2, 6-H), 6.89 (1H, d, *J* 2.4, 9-H), 6.77 (1H, dd, *J* 8.2 and 2.4, 7-H), 4.76 (1H, app. t, *J* 6.3, NH), 4.74 (1H, s, 9b-H), 3.78 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.60 (2H, app. t, *J* 4.3, 2-H₂), 3.37 (1H, dd, *J* 14.0 and 6.9, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.25 (1H, dd, *J* 14.0 and 6.3, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.60 (2H, app. s, 5-H₂), 1.79–1.67 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 1.67–1.58 (1H, m, 4-H_A), 1.57–1.47 (1H, m, 4-H_B), 1.43 (10H, s, ^tBu and 3-H_B); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 159.1 (C-8), 156.3 (Boc C=O), 143.0 (C-9a), 133.1 (C-5a), 126.4 (C-6), 114.6 (C-7), 109.5 (C-9), 82.8 (C-9b), 79.3 (^tBu C₁), 63.1 (C-2), 55.5 (methoxy), 46.2

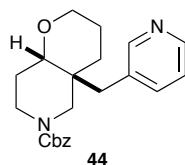
(methylcarbamate C-1), 39.0 (C-5), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 28.0 (C-4), 22.0 (C-3); HRMS found MNa⁺, 356.1838. C₁₉H₂₇NO₄ requires MNa, 356.1832. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CD₃OD), nOe observed between 9b-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_A, 9b-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_B.

Benzyl (4a*R**,8a*R**)-4a-benzyl-octahydro-2*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]pyridine-6-carboxylate



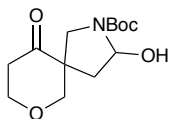
According to General Procedure I, the hemiacetal derivative **S14** (0.45 g, 1.18 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* 93:7 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **43** (0.27 g, 63%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as colourless oil, *R*_f 0.40 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3061, 3028, 2932, 2851, 1692, 1427, 1265, 1243, 1210, 1129, 1086, 1074, 1025; δ _H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.35-7.25 (5H, m, Cbz phenyl), 7.15 (5H, app. br. s, phenyl), 5.19 (1H, d, *J* 12.4, Cbz arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.15 (1H, d, *J* 12.4, Cbz arylmethyl 1-H_B), 3.97 (1H, app. ddt, *J* 13.0, 5.5 and 2.0, 7-H_A), 3.92 (1H, app. ddt, *J* 11.3, 4.7 and 1.8, 2-H_A), 3.60 (1H, d, *J* 13.3, 5-H_A), 3.38-3.29 (3H, m, 5-H_B, 8a-H and 2-H_B), 3.15 (1H, td, *J* 13.0 and 3.2, 7-H_B), 2.75 (1H, d, *J* 13.4, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 2.40 (1H, d, *J* 13.4, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 2.10 (1H, dddd, *J* 14.4, 13.0, 5.5 and 3.2, 8-H_A), 1.76-1.69 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 1.69-1.63 (1H, m, 8-H_B), 1.48 (1H, td, *J* 13.8 and 4.7, 4-H_A), 1.37 (1H, app. ddt, *J* 13.2, 4.7 and 2.4, 3-H_B), 1.10 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.8 and 3.6, 4-H_B); δ _C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 157.7 (Cbz C=O), 138.2 (phenyl C-1 and Cbz phenyl C-1), 131.9 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.5 (Cbz phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6 and Cbz phenyl C₂-2,6), 128.9 (Cbz phenyl C-4), 127.2 (phenyl C-4), 78.7 (C-8a), 68.7 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 68.5 (C-2), 46.4 (C-5), 42.3 (arylmethyl C-1), 40.2 (C-7), 37.7 (C-4a), 31.7 (C-4), 28.0 (C-8), 23.3 (C-3); HRMS found MNa⁺, 388.1880. C₂₃H₂₇NO₃ requires MNa, 388.1888. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K), nOe observed between 8a-H and arylmethyl 1-H_A, 8a-H and arylmethyl 1-H_B, 8a-H and 8-H_A, 8a-H and 8-H_B.

Benzyl (4aR*,8aR*)-4a-[(pyridin-3-yl)methyl]-octahydro-2H-pyrano[3,2-c]pyridine-6-carboxylate



According to General Procedure I, the hemiacetal derivative **S15** (0.13 g, 0.34 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* 91:9 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 70:30 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *ether derivative* **44** (0.11 g, 88%, *dr* 91:9 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as colourless oil, R_f 0.32 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3030, 2934, 2851, 1690, 1424, 1266, 1243, 1207, 1130, 1085, 1025; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 8.36 (1H, d, J 6.8, pyridine 6-H), 8.35 (1H, s, pyridine 2-H), 7.76–7.57 (1H, m, pyridine 4-H), 7.39 (2H, d, J 7.9, phenyl 2,6- H_2), 7.34 (2H, t, J 7.9, phenyl 3,5- H_2), 7.28 (1H, t, J 7.9, phenyl 4-H), 7.20 (1H, app. br. s, pyridine 5-H), 5.18 (2H, s, phenylmethyl, 1- H_2), 3.99 (1H, ddd, J 13.0, 3.0 and 1.3, 7- H_A), 3.96–3.91 (1H, m, 2- H_A), 3.55 (1H, d, J 13.4, 5- H_A), 3.40–3.33 (3H, m, 5- H_B , 8a-H and 2- H_B), 3.14 (1H, td, J 13.0 and 3.3, 7- H_B), 2.81 (1H, d, J 13.5, pyridinylmethyl 1- H_A), 2.40 (1H, d, J 13.5, pyridinylmethyl 1- H_B), 2.13–2.02 (1H, m, 8- H_A), 1.74–1.68 (1H, m, 8- H_B), 1.68–1.63 (1H, m, 3- H_A), 1.45 (1H, td, J 13.4 and 3.0, 4- H_A), 1.41–1.36 (1H, m, 3- H_B), 1.07 (1H, app. d, J 13.4, 4- H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 157.6 (Cbz C=O), 152.0 (pyridine C-2), 148.0 (pyridine C-6), 140.3 (pyridine C-4), 138.2 (phenyl C-1), 134.7 (pyridine C-3), 129.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 124.5 (pyridine C-5), 78.7 (C-8a), 68.7 (Cbz arylmethyl C-1), 68.5 (C-2), 45.8 (C-5), 40.2 (C-7), 39.1 (pyridinylmethyl C-1), 37.6 (C-4a), 31.7 (C-4), 28.0 (C-8), 23.2 (C-3); HRMS found MH^+ , 367.2015. $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ requires MH , 367.2021. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K), nOe observed between 8a-H and pyridinylmethyl 1- H_A , 8a-H and 8- H_A , 8a-H and 8- H_B .

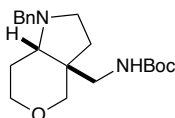
***tert*-Butyl 3-hydroxy-10-oxo-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



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According to General Procedure J, the alkene derivative **1a** (0.25 g, 0.93 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *hemiaminals 14* (0.19 g, 75%, *dr* 66:34 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as an amorphous colourless solid, R_f 0.23 and 0.34 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3432, 2956, 2923, 2852, 1697, 1382, 1365, 1255, 1223, 1169, 1149, 1115, 1097; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.53 (1H, app. d, J 6.5, 3- H^{maj}), 2.46 (1H, app. d, J 4.9 3- H^{min}), 4.11 (4H, app. d, J 11.6, 8- H_A and 6- H_A), 3.89 (2H, ddd, J 11.6, 8.8 and 4.5, 8- H_B), 3.76 (1H, d, J 11.6, 6- H_B^{maj}), 3.72–3.60 (4H, m, 6- H_B^{min} , 1- H_A and 1 H_B^{min}), 3.50 (1H, d, J 11.2, 1- H_B^{maj}), 2.93 (1H, br. s, OH^{min}), 2.70–2.43 (6H, m, 9- H_2 and 4- H_A), 1.75 (2H, app. d, J 14.1, 4- H_B), 1.64 (1H, br. s, OH^{maj}), 1.48 (18H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 206.2 (C_2 -10), 154.8 (Boc 2 $\text{C}=\text{O}$), 81.7 (C_2 -3), 80.9 (^tBu 2 C_1), 75.5 (C_2 -6), 68.5 (C_2 -8), 56.6 (C -5 $^{\text{maj}}$), 55.8 (C -5 $^{\text{min}}$), 51.1 (C -1 $^{\text{min}}$), 50.9 (C -1 $^{\text{maj}}$), 40.9 (C_2 -9), 36.6 (C -4 $^{\text{min}}$), 36.0 (C -4 $^{\text{maj}}$), 28.5 (^tBu 2 C_3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 294.1314. $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_5$ requires MNa , 294.1311.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(3*aR*,7*aS*)-1-benzyl-octahydropyrano[4,3-*b*]pyrrol-3*a*-yl]methyl} carbamate**

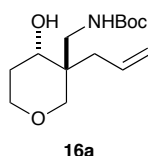


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Benzylamine (12.9 μL , 117 μmol), acetic acid (12.2 μL , 214 μmol) and $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$ (56.7 mg, 267 μmol) were added to a solution of the hemiaminals **14** (29.0 mg, 107 μmol) in DCM (1.00 mL) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO_3 (1 mL) was added and the solution was stirred for 5 min. The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (3×1 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to

give a crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *amine derivative 15* (11.0 mg, 30%, *dr* 83:17 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as an amorphous colourless solid, R_f 0.53 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3323, 2965, 2924, 2792, 1712, 1537, 1452, 1388, 1268, 1247, 1165, 1131, 1085; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.35-7.21 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.22 (1H, br. s, NH), 3.96 (1H, d, J 13.3, arylmethyl 1- H_A), 3.80 (1H, td, J 10.9 and 3.1, 6- H_A), 3.66-3.61 (1H, m, 6- H_B), 3.59 (1H, d, J 11.8, 4- H_A), 3.45 (1H, d, J 11.8, 4- H_B), 3.39-3.30 (1H, m, methylcarbamate 1- H_A), 3.29-3.20 (2H, m, arylmethyl 1- H_B and methylcarbamate 1- H_B), 2.92 (1H, td, J 9.4 and 4.5, 2- H_A), 2.50 (1H, app. s, 7a-H), 2.39-2.27 (1H, m, 2- H_B), 1.91-1.78 (1H, m, 7- H_A), 1.70 (1H, app. dq, J 14.6 and 3.6, 7- H_B), 1.63-1.51 (1H, m, 3- H_A), 1.45 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.39-1.28 (1H, m, 3- H_B); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 156.5 (C=O), 139.7 (phenyl C-1), 128.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 128.3 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 127.0 (phenyl C-4), 79.2 (^tBu C₁), 71.2 (C-4), 64.0 (C-6), 63.0 (C-7a), 57.1 (arylmethyl C-1), 51.2 (C-2), 46.3 (methylcarbamate C-1), 44.1 (C-3a), 29.4 (C-3), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 24.0 (C-7); HRMS found MH^+ , 347.2337. $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ requires MH , 347.2329. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl_3), nOe observed between 7a-H and methylcarbamate 1- H_A , 7a-H and methylcarbamate 1- H_B , 7a-H and 7- H_A , 7a-H and 7- H_B .

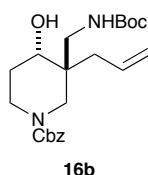
***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(3*R**, 4*R**)-4-hydroxy-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxan-3-yl]methyl}carbamate**



According to General Procedure K, the ketone derivative **1a** (0.50 g, 1.85 mmol) and diisobutylaluminium hydride (4.08 mL, 4.08 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in DCM) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* 86:14 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative 16a* (0.47 g, 93%, *dr* 86:14 by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as a yellow oil, R_f 0.31 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3340, 2975, 2932, 2856, 1682, 1512, 1365, 1274, 1248, 1163, 1083; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.83 (1H, ddt, J 15.3, 9.5 and 7.7, propenyl 2-H), 5.13 (1H, app. d, J 15.3, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.10

(1H, app. d, J 9.5, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.80 (1H, app. t, J 7.0, NH), 3.97 (1H, app. dd, J 11.6 and 4.0, 6- H_{A}), 3.68 (1H, dd, J 11.1 and 4.8, 4-H), 3.61 (1H, d, J 11.4, 2- H_{A}), 3.39 (1H, td, J 11.6 and 2.9, 6- H_{B}), 3.35-3.33 (1H, app. d, J 8.0, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 2.98 (1H, d, J 11.4, 2- H_{B}), 2.70 (1H, dd, J 14.9 and 5.4, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 2.43 (1H, dd, J 14.0 and 7.2, propenyl 1- H_{A}), 2.26 (1H, dd, J 14.0 and 8.1, propenyl 1- H_{B}), 1.85 (1H, app. qd, J 11.9 and 4.8, 5- H_{A}), 1.70 (1H, app. dt, J 13.1 and 1.84, 5- H_{B}), 1.45 (9H, s, t Bu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 157.8 (Boc C=O), 134.0 (propenyl C-2), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 80.3 (t Bu C_1), 70.3 (C-2), 70.1 (C-4), 67.2 (C-6), 43.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 42.9 (C-3), 31.6 (propenyl C-1), 29.5 (C-5), 28.4 (t Bu C_3); HRMS found MH^+ , 272.1855. $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_4$ requires MH , 272.1856. The relative configuration was determined by analogy with the carbocyclic analogue⁸ and using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl_3), nOe observed between 4-H and methylcarbamate 1- H_{A} .

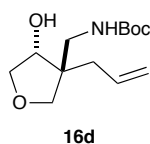
Benzyl (3*R,4*R**)-3-(((*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino)methyl)-4-hydroxy-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure K, the ketone derivative **1b** (0.50 g, 1.24 mmol) and diisobutylaluminium hydride (1.36 mL, 1.36 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in DCM) gave a crude material. The crude material ($dr >95:<5$ by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative* **16b** (0.39 g, 78%, $dr >95:<5$ by $^1\text{H-NMR}$) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.55 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3367, 2975, 2935, 2870, 2492, 1672, 1428, 1364, 1234, 1155, 1079; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.37-7.27 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.87 (1H, app. dd, J 13.3 and 7.0, propenyl 2-H), 5.11 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1- H_2), 5.03 (1H, app. d, J 17.0 propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.00 (1H, app. d, J 10.2, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 3.95 (1H, app. d, J 13.3, 6- H_{A}), 3.72 (1H, d, J 13.7, 2- H_{A}), 3.63 (1H, dd, J 9.7 and 4.4, 4-H), 3.15 (1H, d, J 14.3, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.06 (1H, app. br. s, 6- H_{B}), 2.95 (1H, d, J 14.3, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 2.78 (1H, d, J 13.7, 2- H_{B}), 2.18 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 7.9, propenyl 1- H_{A}), 2.09 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 7.0, propenyl 1- H_{B}), 1.78-1.71 (1H, m, 5-

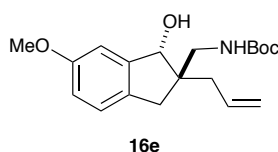
H_A), 1.70-1.60 (1H, m, 5-H_B), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 158.9 (Boc C=O), 157.3 (Cbz C=O), 138.1 (phenyl C-1), 135.2 (propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.1 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 80.5 (^tBu C₁), 71.8 (C-4), 68.5 (arylmethyl C-1), 48.3 (C-2), 45.0 (methylcarbamate C-1), 43.6 (C-3), 43.0 (C-6), 33.3 (propenyl C-1), 29.8 (C-5), 28.8 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 427.2205. C₂₂H₃₂N₂O₅ requires MNa, 427.2203. The relative configuration was determined by analogy with the carbocyclic analogue⁸ and using NOESY (500 MHz, CD₃OD), nOe observed between 4-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_A, 4-H and methylcarbamate 1-H_B.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(3*R**,4*S**)-4-hydroxy-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxolan-3-yl]methyl}carbamate**



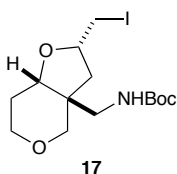
According to General Procedure K, the ketone derivative **1d** (2.00 g, 7.83 mmol) and diisobutylaluminium hydride (17.2 mL, 17.2 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in DCM) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80→40:60 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative 16d* (1.85 g, 92%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as a light-yellow oil, *R*_f 0.29 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3341, 2976, 2930, 2872, 1686, 1516, 1365, 1272, 1248, 1162, 1068, 1046; δ_H (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.83 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.2, 10.1 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.17 (1H, dd, *J* 17.2 and 1.8, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.12 (1H, dd, *J* 10.1 and 1.8, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 4.84 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.0, NH), 4.24-4.10 (2H, m, 5-H_A and 4-H), 3.71-3.67 (1H, m, 5-H_B), 3.66 (1H, d, *J* 8.9, 2-H_A), 3.54 (1H, d, *J* 8.9, 2-H_B), 3.17-3.02 (2H, m, methylcarbamate, 1-H₂), 2.60 (1H, br. s, OH), 2.33 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 7.7, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.26 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 7.1, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 156.9 (Boc C=O), 134.7 (propenyl C-2), 118.5 (propenyl C-3), 79.9 (^tBu C₁), 75.6 (C-4), 74.3 (C-5), 73.9 (C-2), 50.2 (C-3), 44.1 (methylcarbamate C-1), 33.5 (propenyl C-1), 28.5 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 280.1514. C₁₃H₂₃NO₄ requires MNa, 280.1519. The relative configuration was determined from compound **3**.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(1*R**,2*S**)-1-hydroxy-6-methoxy-2-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-2-yl]methyl}carbamate**



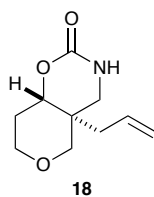
According to General Procedure K, the ketone derivative **1e** (1.00 g, 3.01 mmol) and diisobutylaluminium hydride (6.63 mL, 6.63 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in DCM) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* >90:<10 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative* **16e** (0.63 g, 63%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as a yellow oil, *R*_f 0.37 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3368, 2976, 2931, 2835, 1685, 1512, 1490, 1435, 1365, 1272, 1245, 1159, 1029; δ_H (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.03 (1H, d, *J* 8.2, 4-H), 6.91 (1H, d, *J* 2.4, 7-H), 6.75 (1H, dd, *J* 8.2 and 2.4, 5-H), 5.85-5.68 (1H, m, propenyl 2-H), 5.03 (1H, app. d, *J* 19.7, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 5.04 (1H, app. d, *J* 11.7, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 4.94 (1H, app. t, *J* 6.3, NH), 3.79 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.29 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 6.9, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.20 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 5.8, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.73 (1H, d, *J* 15.4, 3-H_A), 2.51 (1H, d, *J* 15.4, 3-H_B), 2.34 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 7.4, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.05 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 7.3, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.44 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 159.2 (C-6), 157.1 (Boc C=O), 145.5 (C-7a), 135.2 (propenyl C-2), 131.4 (C-3a), 125.6 (C-4), 118.0 (propenyl C-3), 114.5 (C-5), 108.9 (C-7), 80.7 (C-1), 79.8 (^tBu C₁), 55.6 (methoxy), 52.7 (C-2), 46.5 (methylcarbamate C-1), 36.8 (C-3), 34.6 (propenyl C-1), 28.5 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 356.1838. C₁₉H₂₇NO₄ requires *MNa*, 356.1832. The relative configuration was determined from compound **39** and **22e**.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(2*R**,3*aR**,7*aR**)-2-(iodomethyl)-hexahydro-2*H*-furo[3,2-*c*]pyran-3*a*-yl]methyl}carbamate**



According General Procedure L, the alkene derivative **16a** (0.10 g, 0.37 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* 80:20 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 15:85 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *tetrahydrofuran derivative 17* (57.0 mg, 39%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as an amorphous colourless solid, *R*_f 0.50 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3323, 2975, 2950, 2923, 2895, 2868, 2848, 1703, 1547, 1349, 1273, 1252, 1235, 1164, 1139, 1069; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 4.85 (1H, br. s, NH), 4.06 (1H, app. dtd, *J* 8.5, 6.9 and 5.3, 2-H), 3.78 (1H, app. t, *J* 3.8, 7a-H), 3.71 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.4, 5.7 and 2.7, 6-H_A), 3.63 (1H, td, *J* 11.4 and 3.1, 6-H_B), 3.56 (1H, d, *J* 11.9, 4-H_A), 3.48 (1H, d, *J* 11.9, 4-H_B), 3.35–3.29 (3H, m, methylcarbamate 1-H₂ and iodomethyl 1-H_A), 3.24 (1H, dd, *J* 10.0 and 6.9, iodomethyl 1-H_B), 1.98 (1H, dd, *J* 13.4 and 8.5, 3-H_A), 1.95–1.91 (1H, m, 7-H_A), 1.82 (1H, app. dq, *J* 14.9 and 3.0, 7-H_B), 1.45 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.29 (1H, dd, *J* 13.4 and 6.9, 3-H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl₃) 156.3 (C=O), 79.5 (^tBu C₁), 77.9 (C-7a), 77.0 (C-2), 71.0 (C-4), 64.0 (C-6), 44.8 (methylcarbamate C-1), 44.6 (C-3a), 38.9 (C-3), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 26.9 (C-7), 9.43 (iodomethyl C-1); HRMS found MH⁺, 398.0823. C₁₄H₂₄INO₄ requires *MH*, 398.0822. The relative configuration was determined by NOESY NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) nOe observed between methylcarbamate 1-H_A and 2-H, 2-H and 7a-H.

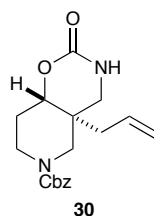
(4a*R, 8a*R**)-4a-(Prop-2-en-1-yl)-octahydropyrano[3,4-*e*][1,3]oxazin-2-one**



According to General Procedure M, the alcohol derivative **16a** (20.0 mg, 73.7 μmol) was stirred for 1 h to yield the crude *carbamate derivative 18* (14.0 mg, 96%) as an amorphous colourless solid, *R*_f 0.20 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3277, 2964, 2922, 2852, 1707, 1660, 1471, 1442, 1366, 1312, 1256, 1179, 1101, 1081, 1059; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.91 (1H, br. s, NH), 5.87–5.72 (1H, m, propenyl 2-H), 5.22 (1H, app. d, *J* 2.5, propenyl 3-H_A), 5.18 (1H, app. s, propenyl 3-H_B), 4.25 (1H, dd, *J* 12.0 and 4.9, 8a-H), 4.11 (1H, app. dd, *J* 12.1 and 5.3, 7-H_A), 3.88 (1H, dd, *J* 11.6 and 1.2, 5-H_A), 3.46 (1H, td, *J* 12.1 and 2.7, 7-H_B), 3.14 (1H, dd, *J* 11.3

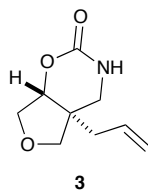
and 4.4, 4-H_A), 2.94 (1H, dd, *J* 11.6 and 1.7, 5-H_B), 2.81 (1H, dd, *J* 11.3 and 1.4, 4-H_B), 2.61 (1H, dd, *J* 13.9 and 6.7, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.18 (1H, dd, *J* 13.9 and 8.2, propenyl 1-H_B), 2.03 (1H, app. qd, *J* 12.6 and 5.3, 8-H_A), 1.87-1.77 (1H, m, 8-H_B); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 154.0 (C-2), 132.1 (propenyl C-2), 120.3 (propenyl C-3), 78.9 (C-8a), 70.4 (C-5), 66.7 (C-7), 45.2 (C-4), 35.5 (C-4a), 28.6 (propenyl C-1), 26.8 (C-8); HRMS found MH⁺, 198.1124. C₁₀H₁₅NO₃ requires *MH*, 198.1124.

Benzyl (4a*R,8a*R**)-2-oxo-4a-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-octahydro-2*H*-pyrido[3,4-*e*][1,3]oxazine-6-carboxylate**



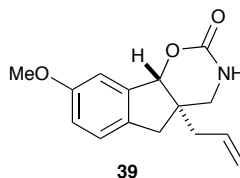
According to General Procedure M, the alcohol derivative **16b** (0.12 g, 0.30 mmol) was stirred for 1 h to yield a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 80:20 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *carbamate derivative 30* (62.0 mg, 63%) as a colourless oil, *R_f* 0.42 (10:90 MeOH–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3480, 3376, 3215, 3133, 2938, 2874, 1671, 1437, 1311, 1267, 1236, 1215, 1157, 1112, 1086, 1054; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.38-7.25 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.81 (1H, app. br. s, propenyl 2-H), 5.13 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1-H₂), 5.12-5.04 (2H, m, propenyl 3-H₂), 4.34 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.0 and 2.1, 7-H_A), 4.28 (1H, dd, *J* 10.0 and 6.8, 8a-H), 4.20 (1H, d, *J* 13.7, 5-H_A), 3.15 (1H, d, *J* 11.7, 4-H_A), 2.96-2.90 (1H, m, 7-H_B), 2.87 (1H, d, *J* 11.7, 4-H_B), 2.51 (1H, d, *J* 13.7, 5-H_B), 2.20 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 6.4, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.03 (1H, dd, *J* 14.3 and 8.6, propenyl 1-H_B), 1.86-1.75 (2H, m, 8-H₂); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 157.0 (C-2), 156.3 (Cbz C=O), 137.9 (phenyl C-1), 133.6 (propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.2 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.1 (phenyl C-4), 120.2 (propenyl C-3), 81.0 (C-8a), 68.7 (arylmethyl C-1), 48.6 (C-5), 46.6 (C-4), 43.2 (C-7), 36.1 (C-4a), 29.8 (propenyl C-1), 26.6 (C-8); HRMS found MNa⁺, 353.1473. C₁₈H₂₂N₂O₄ requires *MNa*, 353.1477.

(4a*R,7a*S**)-4a-(Prop-2-en-1-yl)-hexahydro-2*H*-furo[3,4-*e*][1,3]oxazin-2-one**



According to General Procedure M, the alcohol derivative **16d** (0.56 g, 2.17 mmol) was stirred for 18 h to yield a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with EtOAc to yield the *carbamate derivative 3* (0.26 g, 65%) as colourless blocks, m.p. (DCM), 138-142 °C; R_f 0.20 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3254, 3132, 2979, 2950, 2929, 2895, 1700, 1384, 1301, 1257, 1132, 1104, 1076, 1014; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 6.57 (1H, br. s, NH), 5.78 (1H, ddt, J 17.1, 9.8 and 7.4, propenyl 2-H), 5.27-5.12 (2H, m, propenyl 3- H_2), 4.58 (1H, dd, J 10.1 and 8.0, 7a-H), 4.05 (1H, dd, J 10.1 and 8.0, 7- H_A), 4.01 (1H, d, J 8.6, 5- H_A), 3.70 (1H, dd, J 10.1 and 8.0, 7- H_B), 3.46 (1H, d, J 8.6, 5- H_B), 3.38 (1H, dd, J 11.1 and 4.3, 4- H_A), 3.18 (1H, d, J 11.1, 4- H_B), 2.34-2.17 (2H, m, propenyl 1- H_2); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 154.9 (C-2), 132.0 (propenyl C-2), 120.4 (propenyl C-3), 80.5 (C-7a), 71.7 (C-5), 64.9 (C-7), 46.7 (C-4), 40.5 (C-4a), 29.9 (propenyl C-1); HRMS found MH^+ , 184.0964. $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3$ requires MH , 184.0968. The relative configuration was determined using X-ray crystallography.

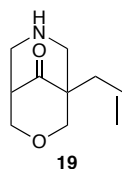
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According to General Procedure M, the alcohol derivative **16e** (20.0 mg, 60.0 μmol) was stirred for 18 h to yield a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column

chromatography, eluting with 70:30 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *carbamate derivative 39* (9.00 mg, 58%) as colourless blocks, m.p. (CHCl₃/pentane), 180-185 °C; *R*_f 0.46 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3231, 3122, 2935, 2354, 1691, 1481, 1434, 1295, 1242, 1081; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.13 (1H, d, *J* 8.2, 6-H), 7.00 (1H, d, *J* 2.5, 9-H), 6.79 (1H, dd, *J* 8.2 and 2.5, 7-H), 5.84 (1H, br. s, NH), 5.72 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.0, 10.1 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.39 (1H, s, 9b-H), 5.12 (1H, ddt, *J* 10.1, 1.7 and 0.9, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.03 (1H, app. dq, *J* 17.0 and 1.7, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 3.80 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.54-3.41 (2H, m, 4-H₂), 2.95 (1H, d, *J* 14.7, 5-H_A), 2.45 (1H, d, *J* 14.7, 5-H_B), 2.20 (1H, dd, *J* 14.5 and 7.5, propenyl 1-H_A), 1.84 (1H, dd, *J* 14.5 and 7.0, propenyl 1-H_B); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 159.4 (C-8), 155.1 (C-2), 139.6 (C-9a), 133.1 (propenyl C-2), 131.3 (C-5b), 126.5 (C-6), 119.6 (propenyl C-3), 114.5 (C-7), 108.2 (C-9), 85.8 (C-9b), 55.6 (methoxy), 49.0 (C-4), 45.3 (C-4a), 35.6 (C-5), 31.2 (propenyl C-1); HRMS found MH⁺, 260.1275. C₁₅H₁₇NO₃ requires *MH*, 260.1281. The relative configuration was determined using X-ray crystallography.

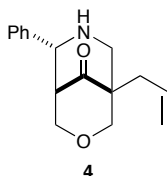
(1*R, 5*S**)-1-(Prop-2-en-1-yl)-3-oxa-7-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonan-9-one**



According to General Procedure N, paraformaldehyde (16.8 mg, 0.56 mmol) and the ketone derivative **1a** (0.10 g, 0.37 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 95.4:4.1:0.5 DCM–EtOH–NH₄OH to yield the *bridged bicyclic derivative 19* (20.0 mg, 30%) as a yellow oil, *R*_f 0.40 (92.4:6.8:0.8 DCM–EtOH–NH₄OH); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3362, 3074, 2922, 2848, 1709, 1674, 1638, 1455, 1435, 1375, 1234, 1211, 1082; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CD₃OD) 5.86 (1H, ddt, *J* 15.4, 11.0 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.09 (1H, dd, *J* 10.5 and 1.5, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.08 (1H, dd, *J* 16.7 and 1.5, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 4.43 (1H, app. dt, *J* 11.3 and 1.6, 4-H_A), 4.26 (1H, dd, *J* 11.3 and 1.6, 2-H_A), 3.97 (1H, app. dt, *J* 11.3 and 2.5, 4-H_B), 3.73 (1H, dd, *J* 11.3 and 3.1, 2-H_B), 3.63 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.8 and 2.2, 6-H_A), 3.49 (1H, dd, *J* 13.7 and 2.4, 8-H_A), 3.13 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.8 and 2.9, 6-H_B), 2.89 (1H, dd, *J* 13.7 and 3.1, 8-H_B), 2.37 (1H, app. s, 5-H), 2.15 (2H, app. d, *J* 7.5, propenyl

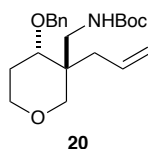
1-H₂); δ_C (100 MHz, CD₃OD) 213.7 (C-9), 134.0 (propenyl C-2), 118.7 (propenyl C-3), 79.3 (C-2), 75.9 (C-4), 60.3 (C-8), 55.8 (C-6), 53.9 (C-1), 52.7 (C-5), 35.3 (propenyl C-1). HRMS found MH⁺, 182.1179. C₁₀H₁₅NO₂ requires *MH*, 182.1175.

(1*R,5*S**,6*R**)-6-phenyl-1-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-3-oxa-7-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonan-9-one**



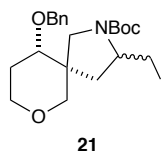
According to General Procedure N, benzaldehyde (57.6 μ L, 0.56 mmol) and the ketone derivative **1a** (0.10 g, 0.37 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material (*dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 97:2.7:0.3 DCM–EtOH–NH₄OH to yield the *bridged bicyclic derivative 4* (32.0 mg, 33%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as an amorphous yellow solid, *R_f* 0.40 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3337, 3059, 3030, 2921, 2851, 1708, 1470, 1372, 1225, 1210, 1088; δ_H (500 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.34–7.18 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.75 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.3, 10.0 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.03 (1H, dd, *J* 10.0 and 1.9, propenyl 3-H_{cis}), 5.00 (1H, dd, *J* 17.3 and 1.9, propenyl 3-H_{trans}), 4.27 (1H, app. s, 6-H), 4.16 (1H, dd, *J* 11.4 and 1.6, 2-H_A), 4.06 (1H, app. d, *J* 11.7, 4-H_A), 3.69 (1H, dd, *J* 11.4 and 3.1, 2-H_B), 3.61 (1H, app. dt, *J* 11.7 and 2.1, 4-H_B), 3.54 (1H, d, *J* 13.8, 8-H_A), 2.97 (1H, dd, *J* 13.8 and 3.2, 8-H_B), 2.82 (1H, br. s, NH), 2.51 (1H, app. s, 5-H), 2.18 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4 and 7.3, propenyl 1-H_A), 2.11 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4 and 7.7, propenyl 1-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CDCl₃) 212.0 (C-9), 139.1 (phenyl C-1), 132.4 (propenyl C-2), 128.8 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 127.6 (phenyl C-4), 126.2 (phenyl C_{2-2,6}), 118.7 (propenyl C-3), 78.4 (C-2), 70.1 (C-4), 66.9 (C-6), 58.8 (C-8), 56.6 (C-5), 52.2 (C-1), 34.3 (propenyl C-1); HRMS found MH⁺, 258.1491. C₁₆H₁₉NO₂ requires *MH*, 258.1488. The relative configuration was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl₃), nOe observed between phenyl and 4-H_A, 6-H and 8-H_A, 5-H and 6-H.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[(3*R**,4*R**)-4-(benzyloxy)-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxan-3-yl]methyl}carbamate**



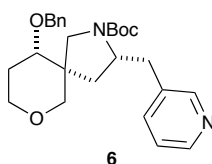
By modification of an existing procedure,¹⁷ NaH (37.0 mg, 0.92 mmol of a 60% dispersion in mineral oil) was added to a mixture of the alcohol derivative **16a** (0.23 g, 0.84 mmol), benzyl bromide (0.12 mL, 1.00 mmol) and tetrabutylammonium iodide (62.0 mg, 0.17 mmol) in THF (5.00 mL) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO₃ (5 mL) was added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (4 × 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *benzyl derivative* **20** (0.26 g, 86%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.75 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3426, 3344, 2973, 2930, 2859, 1712, 1504, 1453, 1365, 1243, 1165, 1088; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.40–7.27 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.81 (1H, ddt, *J* 15.2, 10.1 and 7.5, propenyl 2-H), 5.17–5.01 (2H, m, propenyl 3-H₂), 4.87 (1H, app. t, *J* 4.8, NH), 4.66 (1H, d, *J* 11.6, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 4.39 (1H, d, *J* 11.6, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.05–3.90 (1H, m, 6-H_A), 3.67 (1H, d, *J* 11.8, 2-H_A), 3.48 (1H, app. td, *J* 7.9 and 3.8, 4-H), 3.45–3.38 (1H, m, 6-H_B), 3.18–3.09 (1H, m, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.01 (1H, d, *J* 11.8, 2-H_B), 3.00 (1H, d, *J* 13.5, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.33 (2H, app. d, *J* 7.6, propenyl 1-H₂), 2.00–1.90 (1H, m, 5-H_A), 1.78 (1H, app. dtd, *J* 13.7, 9.5 and 4.5, 5-H_B), 1.41 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 156.1 (C=O), 138.4 (phenyl C-1), 133.8 (propenyl C-2), 128.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 127.8 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 126.2 (phenyl C-4), 118.6 (propenyl C-3), 81.3 (^tBu C₁), 78.9 (C-4), 70.6 (C-2), 70.3 (arylmethyl C-1), 66.0 (C-6), 44.3 (methylcarbamate C-1), 42.1 (C-3), 32.1 (propenyl C-1), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 26.3 (C-5); HRMS found MH⁺, 362.2328. C₂₁H₃₁NO₄ requires *MH*, 362.2325.

***tert*-Butyl (5*R**,10*R**)-10-(benzyloxy)-3-(iodomethyl)-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



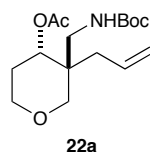
According to General Procedure L, the alkene derivative **20** (0.10 g, 0.28 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 15:85 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative 21* (41.0 mg, 30%, *dr* 77:23 by ¹H-NMR) as a yellow oil, *R_f* 0.63 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2928, 2857, 1687, 1391, 1364, 1157, 1087; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 7.37–7.26 (10H, m, phenyl), 4.67 (1H, d, *J* 11.8, arylmethyl 1-H_A^{maj}), 4.64 (1H, d, *J* 11.9, arylmethyl 1-H_A^{min}), 4.45 (1H, d, *J* 11.8, arylmethyl 1-H_B^{maj}), 4.42 (1H, d, *J* 11.9, arylmethyl 1-H_B^{min}), 3.92–3.82 (2H, m, 8-H_A), 3.79–3.75 (2H, m, 3-H) 3.73 (2H, d, *J* 11.1, 6-H_A), 3.61 (2H, d, *J* 11.3, 1-H_A), 3.58–3.49 (4H, m, 8-H_B and iodomethyl 1-H_A), 3.44–3.40 (4H, m, 10-H and iodomethyl 1-H_B), 3.33 (2H, d, *J* 11.1, 6-H_B), 3.21 (2H, d, *J* 11.3, 1-H_B), 2.20–2.08 (2H, m, 9-H_A), 1.93–1.65 (6H, m, 9-H_B and 4-H₂), 1.47 (9H, s, ^tBu^{maj}), 1.45 (9H, s, ^tBu^{min}); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 154.3 (2C=O), 138.5 (phenyl C-1^{maj}), 138.4 (phenyl C-1^{min}), 128.6 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}^{min}), 128.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}^{maj}), 127.8 (phenyl C-4^{min}), 127.7 (phenyl C-4^{maj}), 127.6 (phenyl C_{4-2,6}), 80.1 (^tBu C₁^{min}), 80.0 (^tBu C₁^{maj}), 78.0 (C-10^{min}), 77.1 (C-10^{maj}), 73.0 (C₂₋₆), 71.1 (arylmethyl C-1^{min}), 70.9 (arylmethyl C-1^{maj}), 64.9 (C-8^{maj}), 63.2 (C-8^{min}), 56.3 (C-3^{maj}), 55.2 (C-3^{min}), 52.3 (C-1^{min}), 51.6 (C-1^{maj}), 46.3 (C-5^{maj}), 45.8 (C-5^{min}), 36.6 (C₂₋₄), 28.6 (^tBu 2C₃), 27.4 (C-9^{maj}), 26.3 (C-9^{min}), 13.7 (iodomethyl C-1^{maj}), 12.9 (iodomethyl C-1^{min}); HRMS found MH⁺, 488.1295. C₂₁H₃₀INO₄ requires *MH*, 488.1292.

***tert*-Butyl (3*R**,5*S**,10*S**)-10-(benzyloxy)-3-[(pyridin-3-yl)methyl]-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



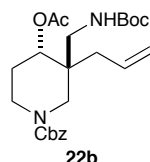
According to a procedure,¹⁸ a solution of the alkene **20** (0.10 g, 0.28 mmol) and 3-bromopyridine (31.8 μ L, 0.33 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1.62 mL) was added to a mixture of Pd(OAc)₂ (3.09 mg, 13.8 μ mol), DPE-Phos (14.9 mg, 27.0 μ mol) and Cs₂CO₃ (0.22 g, 0.67 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously at 105 °C for 18 h. Then, it was allowed to cool to rt, filtered through celite and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product (*dr* 67:33 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 70:30→50:50 hexane–EtOAc to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative 6* (38.0 mg, 31%, *dr* >95:<5 by ¹H-NMR) as a grey oil, *R*_f 0.56 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2928, 2858, 1685, 1393, 1364, 1155, 1085; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 8.44 (1H, d, *J* 1.7, pyridine 2-H), 8.40 (1H, app. s, pyridine 6-H), 7.43 (1H, d, *J* 4.5, pyridine 4-H), 7.38-7.25 (5H, m, phenyl), 7.13 (1H, dd, *J* 7.7 and 4.5, pyridine 5-H), 4.61 (1H, d, *J* 11.7, phenylmethyl 1-H_A), 4.36 (1H, d, *J* 11.7, phenylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.04 (1H, app. br. s, 3-H), 3.83 (1H, m, 8-H_A), 3.54 (1H, d, *J* 11.4, 6-H_A), 3.50-3.43 (2H, m, 1-H_A and 8-H_B), 3.26 (1H, app. br. s, 10-H), 3.15 (1H, d, *J* 11.4, 6-H_B), 3.13-2.87 (2H, m, 1-H_B and pyridinylmethyl 1-H_A), 2.72 (1H, app. br. s, pyridinylmethyl 1-H_B), 1.99 (1H, dd, *J* 13.6 and 8.0, 4-H_A), 1.78-1.71 (2H, m, 4-H_B and 9-H_A), 1.66-1.56 (1H, m, 9-H_B), 1.48 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 154.7 (C=O), 151.0 (pyridine C-2), 147.8 (pyridine C-6), 138.5 (pyridine C-3), 137.0 (pyridine C-4), 134.0 (phenyl C-1), 128.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 127.8 (phenyl C-4), 127.7 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 123.2 (pyridine C-5), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 76.7 (C-10), 71.7 (C-6), 70.7 (phenylmethyl C-1), 64.9 (C-8), 57.1 (C-3), 51.1 (C-1), 46.5 (C-5), 37.7 (C-4), 34.1 (pyridinylmethyl C-1), 28.6 (C-9 and ^tBu C₃); HRMS found MH⁺, 439.2604. C₂₆H₃₄N₂O₄ requires *MH*, 439.2596. The relative stereochemistry was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) nOe not observed between 3-H and 6-H_A.

(3*R, 4*R**)-3-(((*tert*-Butoxy)carbonyl)amino)methyl)-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxan-4-yl acetate**



According to General Procedure O, the alcohol derivative **16a** (0.36 g, 1.35 mmol) gave the *acetyl derivative* **22a** (0.40 g, 95%) as a yellow oil, R_f 0.71 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3355, 2973, 2933, 2859, 1739, 1714, 1508, 1365, 1236, 1164, 1089; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.88–5.73 (1H, m, propenyl 2-H), 5.11 (1H, app. s, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.08 (1H, app. d, J 2.5, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.00 (1H, app. t, J 6.9, 4-H), 4.95 (1H, br. s, NH), 3.86 (1H, app. dt, J 11.6 and 4.6, 6- H_{A}), 3.68 (1H, d, J 12.0, 2- H_{A}), 3.55–3.46 (1H, m, 6- H_{B}), 3.28 (1H, dd, J 14.6 and 8.2, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.18 (1H, d, J 12.0, 2- H_{B}), 2.87 (1H, dd, J 14.6 and 5.5, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 2.35 (1H, dd, J 14.1 and 7.5, propenyl 1- H_{A}), 2.13–2.04 (1H, m, propenyl 1- H_{B}), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.87–1.79 (2H, m, 5- H_2), 1.41 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 170.9 (acetyl C=O), 156.2 (Boc C=O), 133.1 (propenyl C-2), 118.8 (propenyl C-3), 79.4 (tBu C_1), 71.5 (C-4), 70.4 (C-2), 65.8 (C-6), 42.3 (methylcarbamate C-1), 42.0 (C-3), 33.5 (propenyl C-1), 28.4 (tBu C_3), 27.6 (C-5), 21.2 (acetyl CH_3). HRMS found MNa^+ , 336.1791. $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}_5$ requires MNa , 336.1786.

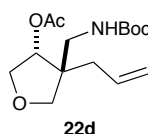
Benzyl (3*R,4*R**)-4-(acetyloxy)-3-({[(*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-3-(prop-2-en-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure O, the alcohol derivative **16b** (0.34 g, 0.84 mmol) gave the *acetyl derivative* **22b** (0.36 g, 95%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.70 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3367, 2976, 2936, 1738, 1697, 1510, 1434, 1365, 1232, 1160, 1036; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.38–7.26 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.93–5.78 (1H, m, propenyl 2-H), 5.12 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1- H_2), 5.05 (1H, app. d, J 10.2, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 5.04 (1H, app. d, J 17.2, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 4.85 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 4.0, 4-H), 3.71 (1H, app. br. s, 6- H_{A}), 3.57 (1H, d, J 13.9, 2- H_{A}), 3.35 (1H, app. br. s, 6- H_{B}), 3.16 (1H, d, J 13.9, 2- H_{B}), 3.13 (1H, d, J 15.1, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.03 (1H, d, J 15.1, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 2.22–2.08 (2H, m, propenyl 1- H_2), 2.05 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.96–1.86 (1H, m, 5- H_{A}), 1.75–1.66 (1H, m, 5- H_{B}), 1.42 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 172.1 (acetyl C=O), 158.2 (Boc C=O), 157.2 (Cbz C=O), 138.0 (phenyl C-1), 134.5 (propenyl C-2), 129.5 (phenyl C_{2-3,5}), 129.1 (phenyl

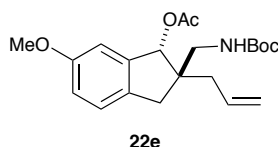
C₂-2,6), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 118.8 (propenyl C-3), 80.3 (^tBu C₁), 73.2 (C-4), 68.6 (arylmethyl C-1), 48.6 (C-2), 43.6 (C-6), 42.9 (C-3), 42.2 (methylcarbamate C-1), 35.3 (propenyl C-1), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 27.1 (C-5), 21.0 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 469.2304. C₂₄H₃₄N₂O₆ requires *MNa*, 469.2309.

(3*R,4*S**)-4-([(tert-Butoxy)carbonyl]amino)methyl)-4-(prop-2-en-1-yl)oxolan-3-yl acetate**



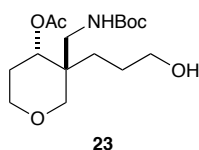
According to General Procedure O, the alcohol derivative **16d** (1.76 g, 6.83 mmol) gave the *acetyl derivative 22d* (1.95 g, 95%) as a yellow oil, *R*_f 0.52 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3254, 3139, 2974, 2938, 2874, 1737, 1704, 1449, 1395, 1366, 1352, 1249, 1233, 1223, 1162, 1131, 1082, 1020; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.72 (1H, ddt, *J* 17.3, 10.0 and 7.4, propenyl 2-H), 5.18-5.04 (3H, m, 3-H and propenyl 3-H₂), 4.91 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.0, NH), 4.25 (1H, dd, *J* 10.6 and 5.6, 2-H_A), 3.71 (1H, dd, *J* 10.6 and 2.9, 2-H_B), 3.68 (1H, d, *J* 9.0, 5-H_A), 3.61 (1H, d, *J* 9.0, 5-H_B), 3.21 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 6.4, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.13 (1H, dd, *J* 14.2 and 6.4, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.30-2.14 (2H, m, propenyl 1-H₂), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 170.7 (acetyl C=O), 156.4 (Boc C=O), 133.9 (propenyl C-2), 118.7 (propenyl C-3), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 77.2 (C-3), 74.7 (C-5), 73.4 (C-2), 50.1 (C-4), 43.9 (methylcarbamate C-1), 34.0 (propenyl C-1), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 21.0 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 322.1621. C₁₅H₂₅NO₅ requires *MNa*, 322.1624.

(1*R,2*S**)-2-([(tert-Butoxy)carbonyl]amino)methyl)-6-methoxy-2-(prop-2-en-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-1-yl acetate**



According to General Procedure O, the alcohol derivative **16e** (0.50 g, 1.50 mmol) gave the *acetyl derivative 22e* (0.55 g, 98%) as a pale-yellow oil, R_f 0.50 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3376, 2976, 2930, 1712, 1493, 1366, 1233, 1163, 1029; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.08 (1H, d, J 8.9, 4-H), 6.81 (2H, app. d, J 6.3, 5-H and 7-H), 6.04 (1H, s, 1-H), 5.86 (1H, ddt, J 16.6, 10.4 and 7.4, propenyl 2-H), 5.06 (1H, d, J 16.6, propenyl 3- H_{trans}), 5.05 (1H, d, J 10.4, propenyl 3- H_{cis}), 4.96 (1H, app. t, J 7.5, NH), 3.78 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.27 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 6.9, methylcarbamate 1- H_{A}), 3.11 (1H, dd, J 14.2 and 6.2, methylcarbamate 1- H_{B}), 2.86 (1H, d, J 15.9, 3- H_{A}), 2.67 (1H, d, J 15.9, 3- H_{B}), 2.21 (2H, app. d, J 7.4, propenyl 1- H_2), 2.13 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.42 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 171.4 (acetyl C=O), 159.1 (C-6), 156.3 (Boc C=O), 141.5 (C-7a), 134.4 (propenyl C-2), 133.5 (C-3a), 125.7 (C-4), 118.2 (propenyl C-3), 115.5 (C-5), 110.1 (C-7), 80.5 (C-1), 79.4 (tBu C_1), 55.6 (methoxy), 51.8 (C-2), 45.5 (methylcarbamate C-1), 38.2 (C-3), 36.5 (propenyl C-1), 28.5 (tBu C_3), 21.2 (acetyl CH_3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 398.1934. $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_5$ requires MNa , 398.1937. The relative stereochemistry was determined using NOESY (500 MHz, CDCl_3) nOe observed between 1-H and methylcarbamate 1- H_{A} , 1-H and methylcarbamate 1- H_{B} .

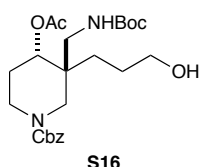
(3*R,4*R**)-3-(((*tert*-Butoxy)carbonyl]amino)methyl)-3-(3-hydroxypropyl)oxan-4-yl acetate**



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **22a** (0.22 g, 0.69 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative 23* (0.17 g, 73%) as a light-yellow oil, R_f 0.13 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3364, 2960, 2865, 1712, 1514, 1365, 1237, 1165, 1083, 1048, 1027; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 5.05 (1H, app. t, J 6.9, NH), 4.95 (1H, app. t,

J 6.4, 4-H), 3.81 (1H, app. dt, *J* 10.7 and 5.0, 6-H_A), 3.67-3.58 (3H, m, 2-H_A and hydroxypropyl 3-H₂), 3.54 (1H, app. dt, *J* 12.0 and 6.3, 6-H_B), 3.28 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4 and 7.9, methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.21 (1H, d, *J* 12.0, 2-H_B), 2.94 (1H, dd, *J* 14.4 and 5.6, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.07 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.98 (1H, br. s, OH), 1.82 (2H, app. q, *J* 5.9, 5-H₂), 1.65-1.32 (4H, m, hydroxypropyl 1,2-H₄), 1.41 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 170.9 (acetyl C=O), 156.5 (Boc C=O), 79.5 (^tBu C₁), 71.5 (C-4), 70.1 (C-2), 65.4 (C-6), 62.9 (hydroxypropyl C-3), 41.7 (methylcarbamate C-1), 41.3 (C-3), 28.4 (^tBu C₃), 27.4 (C-5), 25.7 (hydroxypropyl C-2), 24.6 (hydroxypropyl C-1), 21.2 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MH⁺, 332.2072. C₁₆H₂₉NO₆ requires *MH*, 332.2067.

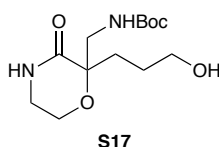
Benzyl (3*R,4*R**)-4-(acetyloxy)-3-(((*tert*-butoxy)carbonyl)amino)methyl)-3-(3-hydroxypropyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **22b** (0.25 g, 0.55 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative S16* (0.22 g, 86%) as a colourless oil, *R_f* 0.38 (20:80 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3400, 2937, 2872, 2508, 1681, 1433, 1365, 1235, 1157, 1035; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.38-7.28 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.12 (2H, s, arylmethyl 1-H₂), 4.87 (1H, dd, *J* 8.1 and 3.8, 4-H), 3.68 (1H, app. br. s, 6-H_A), 3.53 (1H, app. br. s, 2-H_A), 3.53-3.40 (2H, m, hydroxypropyl 3-H₂), 3.38 (1H, app. br. s, 6-H_B), 3.18 (2H, d, *J* 14.7, 2-H_B and methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.03 (1H, d, *J* 14.7, methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.05 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.95-1.86 (1H, m, 5-H_A), 1.76-1.63 (1H, m, 5-H_B), 1.61-1.53 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 2-H_A), 1.53-1.44 (2H, m, hydroxypropyl 2-H_B and hydroxypropyl 1-H_A), 1.42 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.40-1.32 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 1-H_B); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 172.2 (acetyl C=O), 158.3 (Boc C=O), 157.2 (Cbz C=O), 138.1 (phenyl C-1), 129.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 80.3 (^tBu C₁), 73.5 (C-4), 68.5 (arylmethyl C-1), 63.6 (hydroxypropyl C-3), 48.7 (C-2), 43.1 (methylcarbamate C-1), 42.5

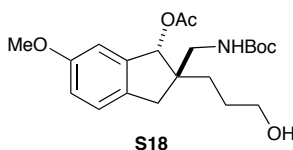
(C-6), 42.2 (C-3), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 27.2 (hydroxypropyl C-1), 27.0 (hydroxypropyl C-2), 21.0 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 487.2411. C₂₄H₃₆N₂O₇ requires MNa, 487.2420.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-{[2-(3-hydroxypropyl)-3-oxomorpholin-2-yl]methyl}carbamate**



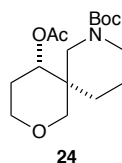
According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **1c** (0.20 g, 0.53 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with EtOAc to yield the *alcohol derivative S17* (0.11 g, 71%) as a pale oil, *R_f* 0.20 (10:90 MeOH–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3307, 2974, 2932, 2876, 1696, 1660, 1509, 1484, 1365, 1340, 1269, 1248, 1163, 1124, 1063; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.20 (1H, br. s, 4-H), 5.12 (1H, app. t, *J* 5.0, methylcarbamate NH), 3.96-3.78 (2H, m, 6-H₂), 3.65-3.49 (3H, m, hydroxypropyl 3-H₂ and methylcarbamate 1-H_A), 3.49-3.40 (1H, m, 5-H_A), 3.40-3.28 (2H, m, 5-H_B and methylcarbamate 1-H_B), 2.54 (1H, br. s, OH), 2.00-1.85 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 1-H_A), 1.79-1.64 (2H, m, hydroxypropyl 1-H_B and hydroxypropyl 2-H_A), 1.63-1.51 (1H, m, hydroxypropyl 2-H_B), 1.42 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) 172.8 (C-3), 156.2 (Boc C=O), 80.9 (^tBu C₁), 79.5 (C-2), 62.5 (hydroxypropyl C-3), 59.5 (C-6), 44.9 (C-5), 42.2 (methylcarbamate C-1), 31.3 (hydroxypropyl C-2), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 26.6 (hydroxypropyl C-1); HRMS found MNa⁺, 311.1574. C₁₃H₂₄N₂O₅ requires MNa, 311.1577.

(1*R,2*S**)-2-({[(*tert*-Butoxy)carbonyl]amino}methyl)-2-(3-hydroxypropyl)-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-1-yl acetate**



According to General Procedure F, the alkene derivative **22e** (0.20 g, 0.53 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *alcohol derivative* **SI8** (0.17 g, 83%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.36 (30:70 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3376, 3270, 3145, 2937, 2873, 1705, 1493, 1394, 1368, 1234, 1167, 1144, 1121, 1008; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.08 (1H, d, J 8.1, 4-H), 6.81 (2H, app. d, J 7.6, 5-H and 7-H), 5.97 (1H, s, 1-H), 5.06 (1H, app. t, J 7.0, NH), 3.77 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.67–3.51 (2H, m, hydroxypropyl 3-H₂), 3.24–3.04 (2H, m, methylcarbamate 1-H₂), 2.83 (1H, d, J 15.8, 3-H_A), 2.65 (1H, d, J 15.8, 3-H_B), 2.11 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.87 (1H, br. s, OH), 1.63–1.49 (4H, m, hydroxypropyl 1,2-H₄), 1.41 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl_3) 171.5 (acetyl C=O), 159.1 (C-6), 156.7 (Boc C=O), 141.6 (C-7a), 133.7 (C-3a), 125.7 (C-4), 115.6 (C-5), 110.3 (C-7), 80.6 (C-1), 79.6 (^tBu C₁), 63.2 (hydroxypropyl C-3), 55.6 (methoxy), 51.7 (C-2), 45.0 (methylcarbamate C-1), 38.7 (C-3), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 27.6 (hydroxypropyl C-1), 27.3 (hydroxypropyl C-2), 21.3 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa^+ , 416.2049. $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{31}\text{NO}_6$ requires MNa , 416.2043.

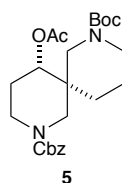
***tert*-Butyl (5*R**, 6*R**)-5-(acetyloxy)-2-oxa-8-azaspiro[5.5]undecane-8-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure P, the alcohol derivative **23** (0.10 g, 0.30 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *piperidine derivative* **24** (54.0 mg, 57%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.59 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2936, 2857, 1737, 1687, 1423, 1365, 1274, 1234, 1160, 1141, 1090, 1040; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl_3 , 323 K) 4.89 (1H, dd, J 6.2 and 3.7, 5-H), 3.71 (1H, ddd, J 12.1, 8.7 and 3.6, 3-H_A), 3.65 (1H, app. t, J 5.1, 3-H_B), 3.62 (1H, d, J 12.0, 1-H_A), 3.50 (1H, d, J 13.7, 7-H_A), 3.42–3.34 (1H, m, 9-H_A), 3.32–3.28 (1H, m, 9-H_B), 3.25 (1H, d, J 12.0, 1-H_B), 3.24 (1H, d, J 13.7, 7-H_B), 2.05 (3H, s, acetyl), 2.03–1.98 (1H, m, 4-H_A), 1.69–1.60 (1H, m, 4-H_B), 1.53–1.48 (3H, m, 10-H₂ and 11-H_A), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.42–1.38 (1H, m, 11-H_B); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl_3 , 323 K) 170.1 (acetyl C=O), 154.9 (Boc C=O), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 71.1 (C-5), 70.8 (C-1), 64.7 (C-3), 49.4 (C-7), 44.5 (C-9), 37.5 (C-

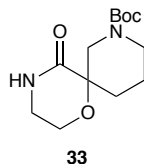
6), 28.5 (^tBu C₃), 27.4 (C-4), 26.6 (C-10), 21.0 (acetyl CH₃), 20.5 (C-11); HRMS found MNa⁺, 336.1789. C₁₆H₂₇NO₅ requires *MNa*, 336.1786.

2-Benzyl 8-*tert*-butyl (5*R,6*S**)-5-(acetyloxy)-2,8-diazaspiro[5.5]undecane-2,8-dicarboxylate**



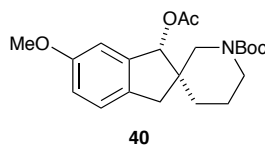
According to General Procedure P, the alcohol derivative **S16** (50.0 mg, 0.12 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *piperidine derivative* **5** (19.0 mg, 40%) as a colourless oil, *R_f* 0.60 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2936, 2866, 1737, 1686, 1425, 1364, 1273, 1232, 1205, 1154, 1108, 1038; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.37–7.27 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.14 (1H, d, *J* 12.4, arylmethyl 1-*H_A*), 5.11 (1H, d, *J* 12.4, arylmethyl 1-*H_B*), 4.89 (1H, dd, *J* 6.8 and 3.6, 5-*H*), 3.63–3.44 (3H, m, 3-*H₂* and 1-*H_A*), 3.44–3.33 (4H, m, 9-*H₂*, 1-*H_B* and 7-*H_A*), 3.19 (1H, d, *J* 12.9, 7-*H_B*), 2.06 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.99–1.90 (1H, m, 4-*H_A*), 1.74–1.65 (1H, m, 4-*H_B*), 1.64–1.58 (1H, m, 11-*H_A*), 1.57–1.47 (2H, m, 10-*H₂*), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu), 1.41–1.36 (1H, m, 11-*H_B*); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 171.9 (acetyl C=O), 157.1 (Boc C=O), 156.5 (Cbz C=O), 138.1 (phenyl C-1), 129.5 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 129.0 (phenyl C-4), 81.3 (^tBu C₁), 72.7 (C-5), 68.5 (arylmethyl C-1), 50.2 (C-7), 49.0 (C-1), 45.5 (C-9), 41.7 (C-3), 39.3 (C-6), 28.7 (^tBu C₃), 28.0 (C-10), 27.2 (C-4), 21.7 (C-11), 20.8 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 469.2306. C₂₄H₃₄N₂O₆ requires *MNa*, 469.2314.

***tert*-Butyl 5-oxo-1-oxa-4,8-diazaspiro[5.5]undecane-8-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure P, the alcohol derivative **S17** (78.0 mg, 0.27 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *piperidine derivative* **33** (42.0 mg, 57%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.44 (EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 3192, 3071, 2954, 2925, 1687, 1667, 1421, 1364, 1335, 1276, 1243, 1175, 1150, 1107, 1086; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 4.37 (1H, br. s, 4-H), 4.16 (1H, d, J 13.9, 7- H_A), 3.95 (1H, app. d, J 12.3, 9- H_A), 3.79 (1H, ddd, J 12.1, 8.5 and 3.5, 2- H_A), 3.72 (1H, app. br. s, 2- H_B), 3.32 (1H, ddd, J 12.5, 8.5 and 4.2, 3- H_A), 3.26-3.15 (1H, m, 3- H_B), 3.00 (1H, app. br. s, 7- H_B), 2.69 (1H, app. br. s, 9- H_B), 1.93 (1H, app. td, J 13.5 and 4.5, 10- H_A), 1.86-1.76 (1H, m, 10- H_B), 1.75-1.62 (1H, m, 11- H_A), 1.36 (10H, s, 11- H_B and ^tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 173.9 (C-5), 157.1 (Boc C=O), 81.1 (^tBu C₁), 77.6 (C-6), 60.1 (C-2), 45.0 (C-7), 43.1 (C-9), 43.0 (C-3), 32.8 (C-10), 28.7 (^tBu C₃), 20.6 (C-11); HRMS found MNa^+ , 293.1466. $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$ requires MNa , 293.1471.

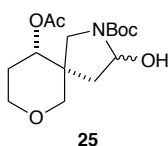
***tert*-Butyl (2*R**,3*S**)-3-(acetyloxy)-5-methoxy-1,3-dihydrospiro[indene-2,3'-piperidine]-1'-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure P, the alcohol derivative **S18** (50.0 mg, 0.13 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 10:90 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *piperidine derivative* **40** (6.00 mg, 13%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.50 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2928, 2851, 1732, 1689, 1493, 1426, 1365, 1285, 1234, 1152, 1018; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl_3 , 323 K) 7.10 (1H, d, J 8.3, 7-H), 6.98 (1H, d, J 2.5, 4-H), 6.84 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 2.5, 6-H), 5.83 (1H, s, 3-H), 3.78 (3H, s,

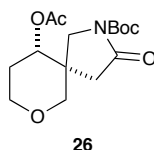
methoxy), 3.60-3.48 (1H, m, 6'-H_A), 3.32 (1H, ddd, *J* 12.8, 7.0 and 5.1, 6'-H_B), 3.25 (1H, d, *J* 13.2, 2'-H_A), 3.15 (1H, d, *J* 13.2, 2'-H_B), 2.81 (1H, d, *J* 15.6, 1-H_A), 2.66 (1H, d, *J* 15.6, 1-H_B), 2.04 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.87-1.78 (1H, m, 4'-H_A), 1.69 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.0 and 5.6, 4'-H_B), 1.61-1.54 (2H, m, 5'-H₂), 1.40 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 170.8 (acetyl C=O), 159.3 (C-5), 155.0 (Boc C=O), 141.7 (C-3a), 135.2 (C-7a), 125.9 (C-7), 116.3 (C-6), 111.7 (C-4), 80.6 (C-3), 79.7 (^tBu C₁), 55.7 (methoxy), 51.8 (C-2'), 47.4 (C-2), 44.3 (C-6'), 39.8 (C-1), 30.4 (C-4'), 28.6 (^tBu C₃), 22.9 (C-5'), 21.2 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 398.1935. C₂₁H₂₉NO₅ requires *MNa*, 398.1937.

***tert*-Butyl (5*R**,10*R**)-10-(acetyloxy)-3-hydroxy-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure J, the alkene derivative **22a** (69.0 mg, 0.22 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70→50:50 EtOAc–hexane to yield *hemiaminals* **25** (51.0 mg, 74%, *dr* 58:42 by ¹H-NMR) as an amorphous colourless solid, *R*_f 0.53 and 0.33 (50:50 EtOAc–petrol); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3451, 2973, 2861, 1739, 1694, 1389, 1365, 1233, 1160; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 5.08-4.99 (1H, m, 3-H^{maj}), 4.95-4.86 (1H, m, 3-H^{min}) 4.79-4.68 (2H, m, 10-H), 3.81-3.63 (2H, m, 8-H_A), 3.54-3.36 (6H, m, 8-H_B, 6-H_A and 1-H_A), 3.30-3.09 (4H, m, 6-H_B and 1-H_B), 2.02-1.91 (8H, m, acetyl and 4-H_A), 1.83-1.68 (4H, m, 4-H_B and 9-H_A), 1.64-1.54 (2H, m, 9-H_B), 1.38 (18H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 171.9 (acetyl 2C=O), 156.0 (Boc C=O^{maj}), 155.7 (Boc C=O^{min}), 90.5 (C-3^{maj}), 89.8 (C-3^{min}), 81.8 (^tBu C₁^{maj}), 81.7 (^tBu C₁^{min}), 74.5 (C-10^{maj}), 73.4 (C-8^{maj}), 72.9 (C-10^{min}), 72.4 (C-8^{min}) 65.4 (C-6^{maj}), 64.7 (C-6^{min}) 52.3 (C-1^{maj}), 50.6 (C-1^{min}), 46.1 (C₂₋₅), 39.0 (C-4^{min}), 37.4 (C-4^{maj}), 30.1 (C-9^{maj}), 29.5 (C-9^{min}), 28.6 (^tBu 2C₃), 20.8 (acetyl 2CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 338.1575. C₁₅H₂₅NO₆ requires *MNa*, 338.1579.

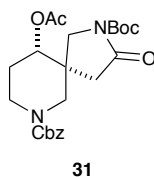
***tert*-Butyl (5*R**, 10*R**)-10-(acetyloxy)-3-oxo-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



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Pyridinium dichromate (47.4 mg, 0.126 mmol) and celite (20 mg) were added to a solution of the hemiaminals **25** (20.0 mg, 63.4 μ mol) in DCM (1.00 mL) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 week at rt. Then, the mixture was filtered through celite and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 40:60 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative 26* (13.0 mg, 65%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.30 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2975, 2933, 2857, 1785, 1738, 1711, 1367, 1310, 1230, 1147, 1093, 1044, 1025; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CDCl_3) 4.90 (1H, dd, J 8.8 and 4.2, 10-H), 3.88 (1H, app. dt, J 12.0 and 4.7, 8- H_A), 3.70 (1H, d, J 11.6, 6- H_A), 3.57 (1H, ddd, J 12.0, 9.0 and 3.3, 8- H_B), 3.49 (2H, app. s, 1- H_2), 3.36 (1H, d, J 11.6, 6- H_B), 2.68 (1H, d, J 17.9, 4- H_A), 2.49 (1H, d, J 17.9, 4- H_B), 2.09 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.90 (1H, app. dq, J 13.0 and 4.0, 9- H_A), 1.68 (1H, app dtd, J 13.9, 9.3 and 4.5, 9- H_B), 1.52 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CDCl_3) 171.9 (C-3), 170.3 (acetyl C=O), 149.9 (Boc C=O), 83.5 (tBu C₁), 72.3 (C_{2-6,10}), 65.3 (C-8), 51.0 (C-1), 38.6 (C-5), 37.9 (C-4), 28.7 (C-9), 28.1 (tBu C₃), 21.1 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MH^+ , 314.1598. $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_6$ requires MH , 314.1598.

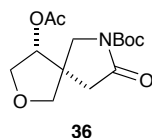
7-Benzyl 2-*tert*-butyl (5*R,10*S**)-10-(acetyloxy)-3-oxo-2,7-diazaspiro[4.5]decane-2,7-dicarboxylate**



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According to General Procedure Q, the alkene derivative **22b** (0.20 g, 0.45 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 35:65 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **31** (0.12 g, 60%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.42 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2978, 1785, 1738, 1696, 1432, 1367, 1315, 1229, 1148, 1104, 1041; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.37–7.27 (5H, m, phenyl), 5.15 (1H, d, J 12.3, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.12 (1H, d, J 12.3, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.97 (1H, dd, J 8.4 and 3.9, 10-H), 3.80–3.75 (1H, m, 8-H_A), 3.73 (1H, dd, J 13.6 and 1.5, 6-H_A), 3.58 (1H, d, J 11.2, 1-H_A), 3.53 (1H, d, J 11.2, 1-H_B), 3.39–3.34 (1H, m, 8-H_B), 3.32 (1H, d, J 13.6, 6-H_B), 2.63 (1H, d, J 17.7, 4-H_A), 2.33 (1H, d, J 17.7, 4-H_B), 2.04 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.83 (1H, app. ddt, J 14.0, 6.4 and 3.9, 9-H_A), 1.67 (1H, dtd, J 14.0, 8.4 and 4.4, 9-H_B), 1.49 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 174.1 (C-3), 171.7 (acetyl C=O), 157.1 (Boc C=O), 151.3 (Cbz C=O), 137.9 (phenyl C-1), 129.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.2 (phenyl C-4), 128.9 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 84.5 (^tBu C₁), 74.7 (C-10), 68.7 (arylmethyl C-1), 53.3 (C-1), 50.2 (C-6), 41.9 (C-8), 40.3 (C-5), 39.4 (C-4), 28.3 (C-9), 28.2 (^tBu C₃) 20.7 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 469.1942. C₂₃H₃₀N₂O₇ requires MNa, 469.1945.

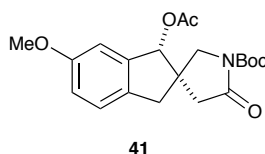
***tert*-Butyl (4*R**,5*S**)-4-(acetyloxy)-8-oxo-2-oxa-7-azaspiro[4.4]nonane-7-carboxylate**



According to General Procedure Q, the alkene derivative **22d** (0.25 g, 0.83 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 40:60→60:40 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **36** (0.19 g, 76%) as a yellow oil, R_f 0.34 (40:60 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2977, 2933, 2873, 1786, 1737, 1699, 1389, 1366, 1311, 1230, 1151, 1104, 1062, 1047, 1023; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 5.15 (1H, dd, J 5.3 and 2.7, 4-H), 4.20 (1H, dd, J 10.8 and 5.3, 3-H_A), 3.86 (1H, d, J 8.7, 1-H_A), 3.75 (1H, dd, J 10.8 and 2.7, 3-H_B), 3.73 (1H, d, J 11.0, 6-H_A), 3.72 (1H, d, J 8.7, 1-H_B), 3.68 (1H, d, J 11.0, 6-H_B), 2.78 (1H, d, J 17.8, 9-H_A), 2.48 (1H, d, J 17.8, 9-H_B), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.52 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 174.1 (C-8), 172.0 (acetyl C=O), 151.3 (Boc C=O), 84.5 (^tBu C₁), 79.4 (C-4), 76.2 (C-1), 73.7 (C-3), 55.7 (C-6), 46.7 (C-5),

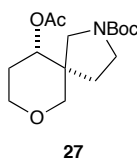
37.2 (C-9), 28.3 (^tBu C₃), 20.6 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 322.1257. C₁₄H₂₁NO₆ requires MNa, 322.1261.

***tert*-Butyl (2*R**,3*R**)-3-(acetyloxy)-5-methoxy-5'-oxo-1,3-dihydrospiro[indene-2,3'-pyrrolidine]-1'-carboxylate**



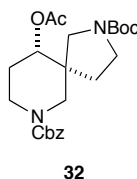
According to General Procedure Q, the alkene derivative **22e** (0.10 g, 0.26 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 25:75 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **41** (37.0 mg, 37%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.48 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2978, 2934, 1784, 1737, 1715, 1492, 1367, 1310, 1224, 1150, 1022; δ_{H} (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 7.13 (1H, d, *J* 8.3, 7-H), 6.91 (1H, d, *J* 2.6, 4-H), 6.85 (1H, dd, *J* 8.3 and 2.6, 6-H), 6.00 (1H, s, 3-H), 3.78 (3H, s, methoxy), 3.76 (1H, d, *J* 11.0, 2'-H_A), 3.57 (1H, d, *J* 11.0, 2'-H_B), 3.06 (1H, d, *J* 15.3, 1-H_A), 2.90 (1H, d, *J* 15.3, 1-H_B), 2.83 (1H, d, *J* 17.4, 4'-H_A), 2.44 (1H, d, *J* 17.4, 4'-H_B), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.51 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_{C} (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 172.1 (C-5'), 170.7 (acetyl C=O), 159.7 (C-5), 150.0 (Boc C=O), 141.1 (C-3a), 133.1 (C-7a), 125.9 (C-7), 116.2 (C-6), 111.1 (C-4), 83.2 (^tBu C₁), 81.1 (C-3), 56.2 (C-2'), 55.7 (methoxy), 47.5 (C-2), 41.8 (C-1), 40.4 (C-4'), 28.2 (^tBu C₃), 20.9 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 398.1583. C₂₀H₂₅NO₆ requires MNa, 398.1574.

***tert*-Butyl (5*R**, 10*R**)-10-(acetyloxy)-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



By modification of an existing procedure,¹⁹ NaBH(OAc)₃ (93.0 mg, 441 μmol) was added to a solution of the hemiaminals **25** (20.0 mg, 63.4 μmol) in AcOH (0.30 mL) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 3 h at rt. Then, a saturated aqueous solution of NaHCO₃ (1 mL) and DCM (1 mL) were added. The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM (4 × 1 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 25:75 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **27** (15.0 mg, 79%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.47 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 2971, 2863, 1738, 1691, 1398, 1364, 1234, 1172, 1145, 1103, 1090, 1071; δ_H (500 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 4.91 (1H, dd, *J* 7.5 and 3.8, 10-H), 3.81 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.2, 7.0 and 3.9, 8-H_A), 3.65 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_A), 3.61 (1H, ddd, *J* 11.2, 7.4 and 3.7, 8-H_B), 3.48-3.45 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 3.37-3.26 (1H, m, 3-H_B), 3.34 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_B), 3.29 (1H, d, *J* 11.3, 1-H_A), 3.16 (1H, m, 1-H_B), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.94-1.86 (2H, m, 9-H_A and 4-H_A), 1.84-1.78 (1H, m, 4-H_B), 1.75-1.67 (1H, m, 9-H_B), 1.46 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CDCl₃, 323 K) 170.3 (acetyl C=O), 154.6 (Boc C=O), 79.6 (^tBu C₁), 72.2 (C-10), 71.4 (C-6), 65.0 (C-8), 51.3 (C-1), 44.4 (C₂-3,5), 29.2 (C-9), 28.7 (C-4 and ^tBu C₃), 21.1 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MH⁺, 300.1805. C₁₅H₂₅NO₅ requires *MH*, 300.1805.

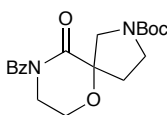
7-Benzyl 2-tert-butyl (5*R,10*S**)-10-(acetyloxy)-2,7-diazaspiro[4.5]decane-2,7-dicarboxylate**



According to General Procedure R, the alkene derivative **22b** (0.10 g, 0.23 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **32** (61.0 mg, 61%) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.41 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 2974, 2876, 1737, 1688, 1430, 1398, 1364, 1233, 1211, 1145, 1101, 1059, 1041; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.38-7.26 (5H, m,

phenyl), 5.16 (1H, d, J 12.4, arylmethyl 1-H_A), 5.09 (1H, d, J 12.4, arylmethyl 1-H_B), 4.90 (1H, dd, J 7.1 and 3.7, 10-H), 3.61 (1H, ddd, J 12.5, 7.7 and 4.2, 8-H_A), 3.53 (1H, d, J 13.4, 6-H_A), 3.52-3.47 (1H, m, 8-H_B), 3.45-3.40 (1H, m, 3-H_A), 3.38 (1H, d, J 13.4, 6-H_B), 3.35-3.27 (1H, m, 3-H_B), 3.22 (1H, d, J 11.2, 1-H_A), 3.12 (1H, d, J 11.2, 1-H_B), 2.06 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.93-1.84 (1H, m, 4-H_A), 1.82-1.74 (1H, m, 9-H_A), 1.73-1.63 (2H, m, 4-H_B and 9-H_B), 1.43 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 171.9 (acetyl C=O), 157.1 (Boc C=O), 156.3 (Cbz C=O), 138.0 (phenyl C-1), 129.6 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.1 (phenyl C-4), 128.9 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 81.1 (^tBu C₁), 73.9 (C-10), 68.6 (arylmethyl C-1), 52.6 (C-1), 49.2 (C-6), 47.5 (C-5), 45.4 (C-3), 41.6 (C-8), 30.2 (C-4), 28.9 (C-9), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 20.8 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 455.2147. C₂₃H₃₂N₂O₆ requires *MNa*, 455.2152.

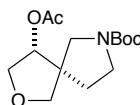
***tert*-Butyl 9-benzoyl-10-oxo-6-oxa-2,9-diazaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



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According to General Procedure R, the alkene derivative **1c** (0.20 g, 0.53 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **34** (94.0 mg, 49%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.63 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2974, 2888, 1682, 1394, 1366, 1313, 1279, 1234, 1172, 1132, 1100, 1082; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.57-7.53 (2H, m, phenyl 2,6-H₂), 7.50 (1H, tt, J 7.2 and 1.6, phenyl 4-H), 7.41 (2H, td, J 7.2 and 1.6, phenyl 3,5-H₂), 4.13-4.01 (2H, m, 7-H₂), 3.99-3.86 (2H, m, 8-H₂), 3.69 (2H, app. s, 1-H₂), 3.54 (1H, ddd, J 10.5, 8.5 and 3.5, 3-H_A), 3.47 (1H, ddd, J 10.5, 8.9 and 7.5, 3-H_B), 2.43-2.35 (1H, m, 4-H_A), 2.35-2.26 (1H, m, 4-H_B), 1.46 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 174.6 (C-10), 173.3 (benzoyl C=O), 156.2 (Boc C=O), 136.9 (phenyl C-1), 132.9 (phenyl C-4), 129.3 (phenyl C₂-3,5), 129.0 (phenyl C₂-2,6), 81.3 (C-5), 81.1 (^tBu C₁), 61.4 (C-7), 56.6 (C-1), 46.8 (C-8), 45.9 (C-3), 36.6 (C-4), 28.8 (^tBu C₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 383.1575. C₁₉H₂₄N₂O₅ requires *MNa*, 383.1577.

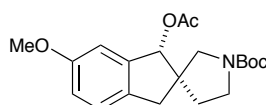
***tert*-Butyl (4*R**,5*S**)-4-(acetyloxy)-2-oxa-7-azaspiro[4.4]nonane-7-carboxylate**



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According to General Procedure R, the alkene derivative **22d** (0.25 g, 0.83 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 30:70 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **37** (0.18 g, 76%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.42 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2975, 2934, 2873, 1738, 1693, 1400, 1366, 1236, 1161, 1122; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 5.04 (1H, dd, J 4.9 and 2.1, 4-H), 4.09 (1H, dd, J 10.7 and 4.9, 3- H_A), 3.71 (1H, dd, J 10.7 and 2.1, 3- H_B), 3.70 (1H, d, J 8.6, 1- H_A), 3.67 (1H, d, J 8.6, 1- H_B), 3.40–3.34 (1H, m, 8- H_A), 3.34–3.28 (1H, m, 8- H_B), 3.28–3.22 (2H, m, 6- H_2), 2.04 (3H, s, acetyl), 2.03–2.01 (1H, m, 9- H_A), 1.81 (1H, ddd, J 13.6, 8.0 and 6.1, 9- H_B), 1.42 (9H, s, tBu); δ_{C} (125 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 172.1 (acetyl C=O), 156.3 (Boc C=O), 81.1 (tBu C_1), 78.9 (C-4), 75.9 (C-1), 74.2 (C-3), 55.5 (C-6), 54.0 (C-5), 46.1 (C-8), 28.8 (C-9 and tBu C_3), 20.6 (acetyl CH_3); HRMS found MNa^+ , 308.1465. $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_5$ requires MNa , 308.1468.

***tert*-Butyl (2*R**,3*R**)-3-(acetyloxy)-5-methoxy-1,3-dihydrospiro[indene-2,3'-pyrrolidine]-1'-carboxylate**

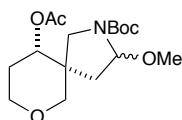


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According to General Procedure R, the alkene derivative **22e** (0.10 g, 0.26 mmol) gave a crude material. The crude material was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *pyrrolidine derivative* **42** (49.0 mg, 51%) as a colourless oil, R_f 0.38 (70:30 petrol–EtOAc); $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 2974, 2933, 1733, 1689, 1492, 1395, 1365, 1227, 1163, 1144, 1118, 1100, 1020; δ_{H} (500 MHz, CD_3OD , 333 K) 7.14 (1H, d, J 8.3, 7-H), 6.92 (1H, d, J 2.5, 4-H), 6.86 (1H, dd, J 8.3 and 2.5, 6-H), 5.92 (1H, s, 3-H), 3.76 (3H,

s, methoxy), 3.50-3.37 (2H, m, 5'-H₂), 3.33 (1H, d, *J* 11.0, 2'-H_A), 3.16 (1H, d, *J* 11.0, 2'-H_B), 3.01 (1H, d, *J* 15.3, 1-H_A), 2.77 (1H, d, *J* 15.3, 1-H_B), 2.15 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.0 and 7.4, 4'-H_A), 2.06 (3H, s, acetyl), 1.89 (1H, app. dt, *J* 13.0 and 6.8, 4'-H_B), 1.44 (9H, s, ^tBu); δ_C (100 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 172.5 (acetyl C=O), 160.7 (C-5), 156.5 (Boc C=O), 142.9 (C-3a), 136.1 (C-7a), 126.6 (C-7), 116.9 (C-6), 112.2 (C-4), 82.1 (C-3), 81.0 (^tBu C₁), 57.2 (C-2'), 56.0 (methoxy), 55.0 (C-2), 46.3 (C-5'), 41.5 (C-1), 32.1 (C-4'), 28.8 (^tBu C₃), 20.8 (acetyl CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 384.1779. C₂₀H₂₇NO₅ requires *MNa*, 384.1781.

***tert*-Butyl (5*R**,10*R**)-10-(acetyloxy)-3-methoxy-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**

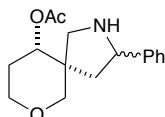


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TsOH•H₂O (2.74 mg, 14.4 μmol) was added to a solution of the hemiaminals **25** (0.15 g, 0.48 mmol) in MeOH (1.20 mL) at rt. The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 h at rt. Then, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *aminals* **28** (0.12 g, 77%, *dr* 77:23 by ¹H-NMR) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.33 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ 2973, 2934, 2859, 1740, 1697, 1390, 1366, 1234, 1164, 1068; δ_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 5.16 (1H, app. d, *J* 6.3, 3-H^{min}), 5.13 (1H, app. d, *J* 5.7, 3-H^{maj}), 4.99 (1H, dd, *J* 5.5 and 3.5, 10-H^{min}), 4.85 (1H, dd, *J* 7.6 and 3.8, 10-H^{maj}), 3.94 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_A^{min}) 3.83 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_A^{maj}), 3.79 (2H, ddd, *J* 11.2, 7.0 and 3.9, 8-H_A), 3.62-3.59 (2H, m, 8-H_B), 3.57 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_B^{maj}), 3.54 (2H, d, *J* 11.6, 1-H_A), 3.47 (1H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_B^{min}), 3.33-3.27 (8H, m, 1-H_B and methoxy 1-H₃), 2.08 (3H, s, acetyl 1-H₃^{min}), 2.05 (3H, s, acetyl 1-H₃^{maj}), 2.00 (2H, dd, *J* 13.8 and 5.7, 4-H_A), 1.91 (2H, app. d, *J* 13.8, 4-H_B), 1.86-1.80 (2H, m, 9-H_A), 1.73-1.64 (2H, m, 9-H_B), 1.49 (9H, s, ^tBu^{min}), 1.48 (9H, s, ^tBu^{maj}); δ_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 172.0 (acetyl C=O^{maj}), 171.9 (acetyl C=O^{min}) 156.0 (Boc 2C=O), 90.7 (C-3^{maj}), 89.9 (C-3^{min}), 81.8 (^tBu 2C₁), 74.5 (C-10^{maj}), 73.4 (C-6^{maj}), 72.9 (C-10^{min}), 72.4 (C-6^{min}), 65.4 (C-8^{maj}), 64.6 (C-8^{min}), 56.0 (methoxy C-1^{maj}), 55.7 (methoxy C-

1^{min}), 52.4 (C₂-1), 46.3 (C₂-5), 37.3 (C₂-4), 30.1 (C-9^{maj}), 29.5 (C-9^{min}), 28.6 (^tBu 2C₃), 20.8 (acetyl 2CH₃); HRMS found MNa⁺, 352.1740. C₁₆H₂₇NO₆ requires MNa, 352.1730.

***tert*-Butyl (5*R**,10*R**)-10-(acetyloxy)-3-phenyl-7-oxa-2-azaspiro[4.5]decane-2-carboxylate**



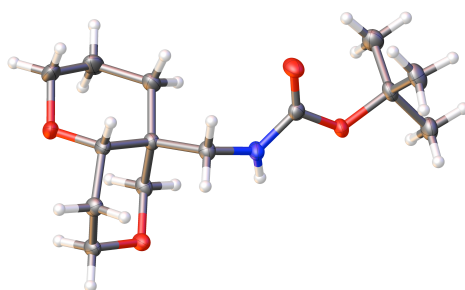
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According to a procedure,²⁰ PhMgBr (0.75 mL, 0.75 mmol of a 1.0 M solution in THF) was added dropwise to a suspension of CuBr•Me₂S (0.15 g, 0.75 mmol) in Et₂O (1.50 mL) at -40 °C. The suspension was stirred at -40 °C for 1 h and then it was cooled to -78 °C. Subsequently, Et₂O•BF₃ (92.6 μL, 0.75 mmol) and a solution of the amins **28** (0.10 g, 0.30 mmol) in Et₂O (0.50 mL) were added and the reaction mixture was warmed to 0 °C. The reaction was stirred at 0 °C for 18 h. Then, it was warmed to rt, a saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (2 mL) and EtOAc (2 mL) were added, the phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (4 × 2 mL). The organic phases were combined, washed with brine (4 mL), dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a crude product. The crude product (*dr* 50:50 by ¹H-NMR) was purified by flash column chromatography, eluting with 20:80 EtOAc–hexane to yield the *phenyl derivative* **29** (0.10 g, 88%, *dr* 57:43 by ¹H-NMR) as a colourless oil, *R*_f 0.56 (50:50 petrol–EtOAc); *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 3504, 2972, 2930, 2859, 1738, 1688, 1392, 1363, 1234, 1159, 1090, 1070; *δ*_H (500 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 7.24-7.16 (5H, m, phenyl^{min}), 7.14-7.05 (5H, m phenyl^{maj}), 4.91 (1H, dd, *J* 7.4 and 3.9, 10-H^{min}), 4.87-4.78 (1H, m, 10-H^{maj}), 4.80-4.73 (1H, m, 3-H^{min}) 4.66 (1H, app. t, *J* 8.4, 3-H^{maj}), 3.70 (2H, ddd, *J* 11.3, 7.5 and 3.7, 8-H_A), 3.60 (2H, d, *J* 11.5, 6-H_A), 3.56 (2H, ddd, *J* 11.3, 6.7 and 4.1, 8-H_B), 3.45 (2H, d, *J* 12.0, 1-H_A), 3.35 (2H, d, *J* 12.0, 1-H_B), 3.29 (2H, *J* 11.5, 6-H_B), 2.46 (1H, app. dd, *J* 13.5 and 8.5, 4-H_A^{min}), 2.28 (1H, ddd, *J* 13.5, 8.0 and 1.3, 4-H_A^{maj}), 2.00 (3H, s, acetyl^{min}), 1.91 (3H, s, acetyl^{maj}), 1.86-1.79 (1H, m, 9-H_A^{min}), 1.79-1.71 (2H, m, 4-H_B^{maj} and 9-H_A^{maj}), 1.70-1.62 (2H, m, 4-H_B^{min} and 9-H_B^{min}), 1.58 (1H, app. dtd, *J* 13.8, 6.7 and 3.7, 9-H_B^{maj}); *δ*_C (125 MHz, CD₃OD, 333 K) 172.0 (C=O^{min}), 171.8

(C=O^{maj}), 156.3 (phenyl C-1^{maj}), 156.1 (phenyl C-1^{min}), 129.4 (phenyl C₂-4), 127.8 (phenyl C₂-3,5^{maj}), 127.7 (phenyl C₂-3,5^{min}), 126.6 (phenyl C₂-2,6^{min}), 126.5 (phenyl C₂-2,6^{maj}), 73.5 (C-6^{min}), 73.1 (C₂-10), 71.4 (C-6^{maj}), 65.7 (C-8^{min}), 65.5 (C-8^{maj}), 62.4 (C-3^{maj}), 61.6 (C-3^{min}), 55.3 (C-1^{maj}), 53.1 (C-10^{min}), 46.9 (C-5^{maj}), 46.6 (C-5^{min}), 41.4 (C-4^{maj}), 41.2 (C-4^{min}), 30.2 (C-9^{maj}), 29.7 (C-9^{min}), 20.9 (acetyl CH₃^{min}) 20.7 (acetyl CH₃^{maj}); HRMS found MH⁺, 276.1594. C₁₆H₂₁NO₃ requires *MH*, 276.1594.

X-Ray Structures

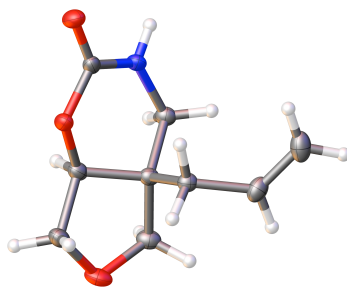
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γ/°	90.00
Volume/Å ³	1477.35(4)
Z	4

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Reflections collected	6401
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Data/restraints/parameters	2882/0/175
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.052
Final R indexes [$I \geq 2\sigma(I)$]	$R_1 = 0.0374, wR_2 = 0.0880$
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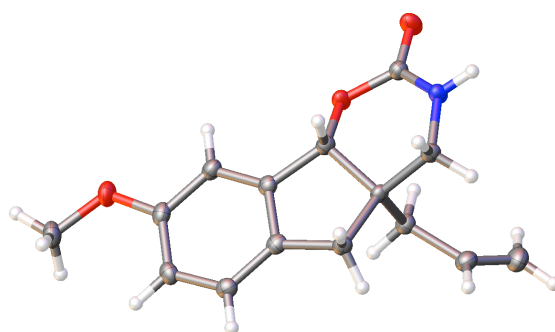
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c/Å	12.1849(2)
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Volume/Å ³	886.29(2)
Z	4
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F(000)	444.0
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Independent reflections	1726 [R _{int} = 0.0130, R _{sigma} = 0.0130]
Data/restraints/parameters	1726/0/118
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.072
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Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0339, wR ₂ = 0.0817
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.31/-0.19

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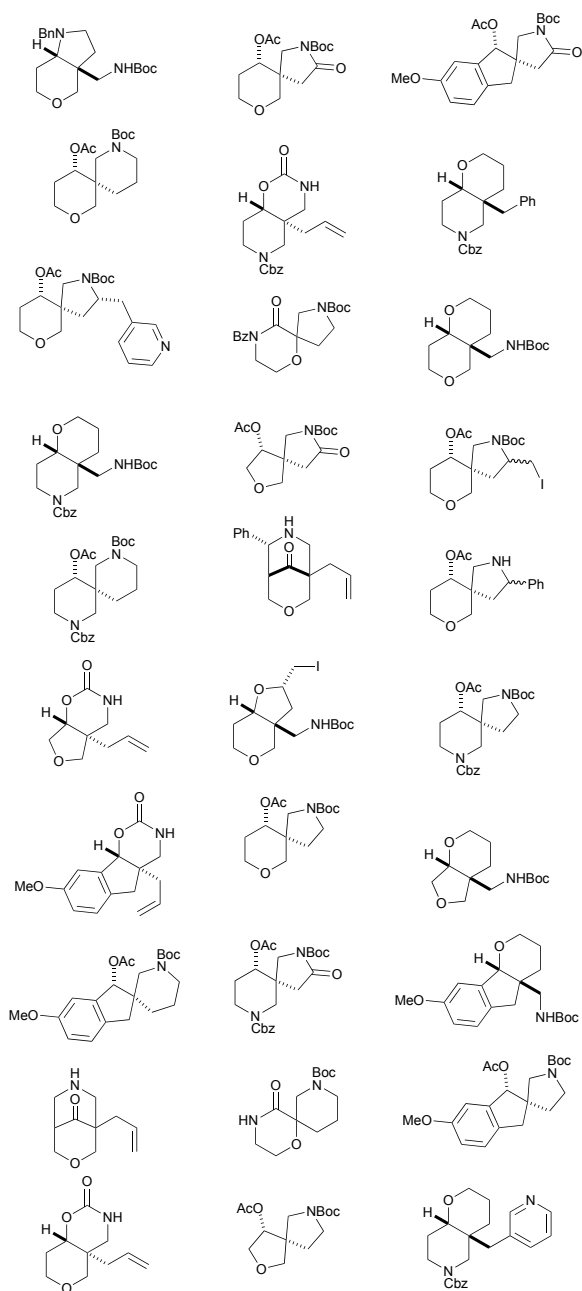


Crystal data and structure refinement for 39	
Empirical formula	C ₁₅ H ₁₇ NO ₃
Formula weight	259.29
Temperature/K	119.97(16)
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
a/Å	6.7483(5)
b/Å	9.9314(7)
c/Å	11.0967(8)
α/°	63.764(7)
β/°	79.148(6)
γ/°	74.800(6)
Volume/Å ³	641.49(9)
Z	2
ρ _{calc} /g/cm ³	1.342
μ/mm ⁻¹	0.762
F(000)	276.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.15 × 0.08 × 0.06
Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	8.916 to 147.94
Index ranges	-8 ≤ h ≤ 7, -12 ≤ k ≤ 10, -13 ≤ l ≤ 12
Reflections collected	4223
Independent reflections	2397 [R _{int} = 0.0277, R _{sigma} = 0.0391]
Data/restraints/parameters	2397/0/173
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.028
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0379, wR ₂ = 0.0941
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0450, wR ₂ = 0.0996
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.35/-0.22

Assessment of the CNS Lead-Likeness of the Prepared Scaffolds

In order to assess the CNS lead-likeness of the 30 prepared scaffolds, corresponding virtual scaffolds without protecting groups, iodines, ketones and alkenes were generated (Fig. 1). Subsequently, a previously described protocol was used for virtual library generation and scoring to obtain the mean CNS Lead MPO score per scaffold.²¹ See Table 1 and Table 2 for reactions and aspects of medicinal chemistry capping groups used for virtual decoration.

Scaffolds prepared



Corresponding virtual scaffolds scored

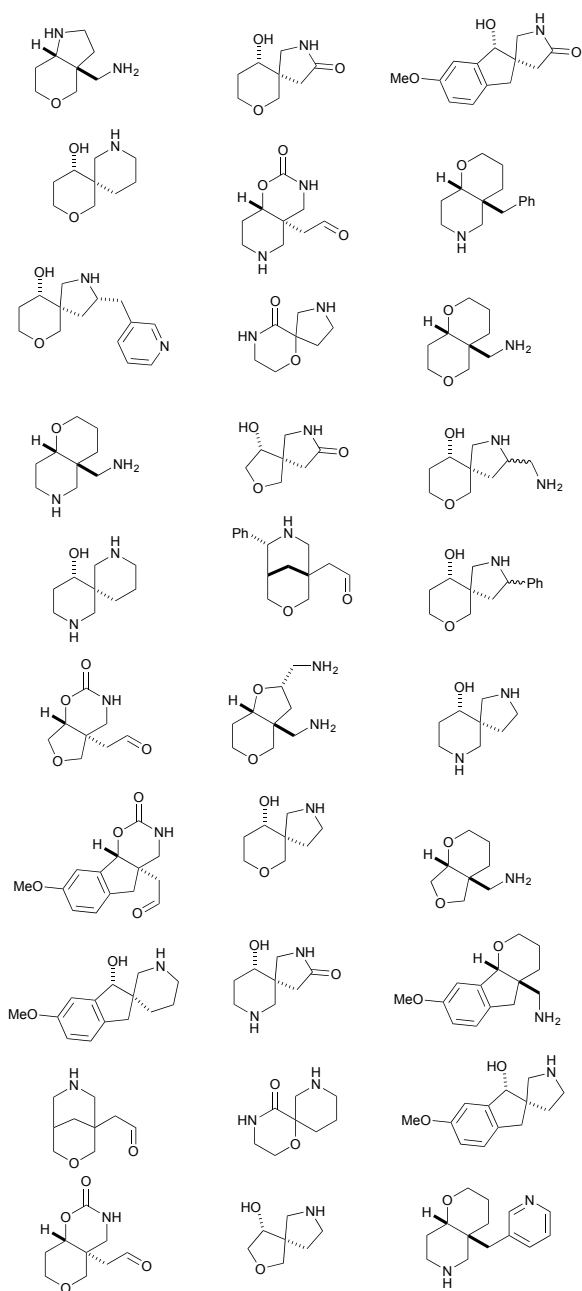


Figure 1: Generation of virtual scaffolds from the 30 scaffolds prepared. Virtual scaffolds containing aldehydes were converted to alcohols prior to decoration or were decorated with a reductive amination reaction.

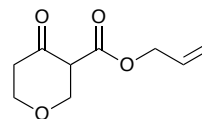
Type of decoration reaction	Functionality in the scaffold	Functionality in the reagent
Amidation	Amines	Carboxylic acid
Sulfonylation	Amines	Sulfonyl chlorides
<i>O</i> -alkylation/arylation	Alcohols	Halides
<i>N</i> -alkylation/arylation	Amines, amides	Halides
Reductive amination	Amines	Ketones, aldehydes
Reductive amination	aldehydes	Amines
Urea formation	Amines	Isocyanates

Table 1: Reactions used for virtual library generation. Scaffolds with one point of decoration were decorated once. Scaffolds with two or more points of decoration were decorated twice. Primary amines serve as two points of decoration.

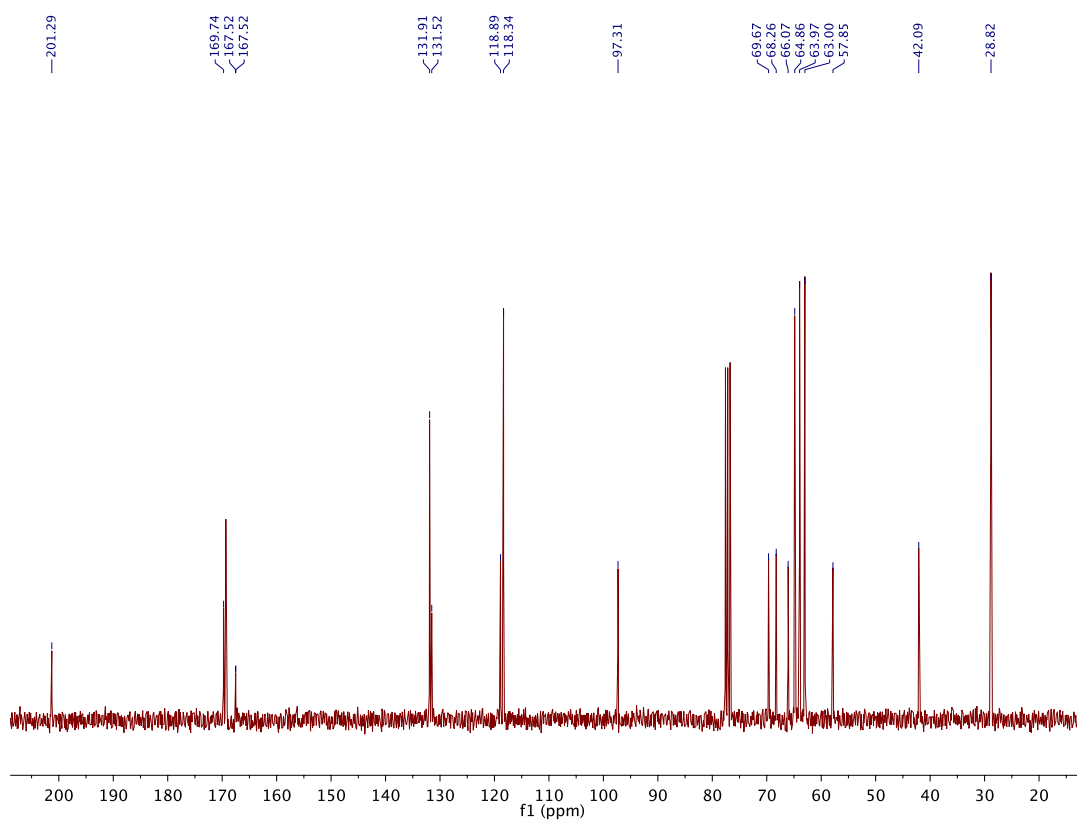
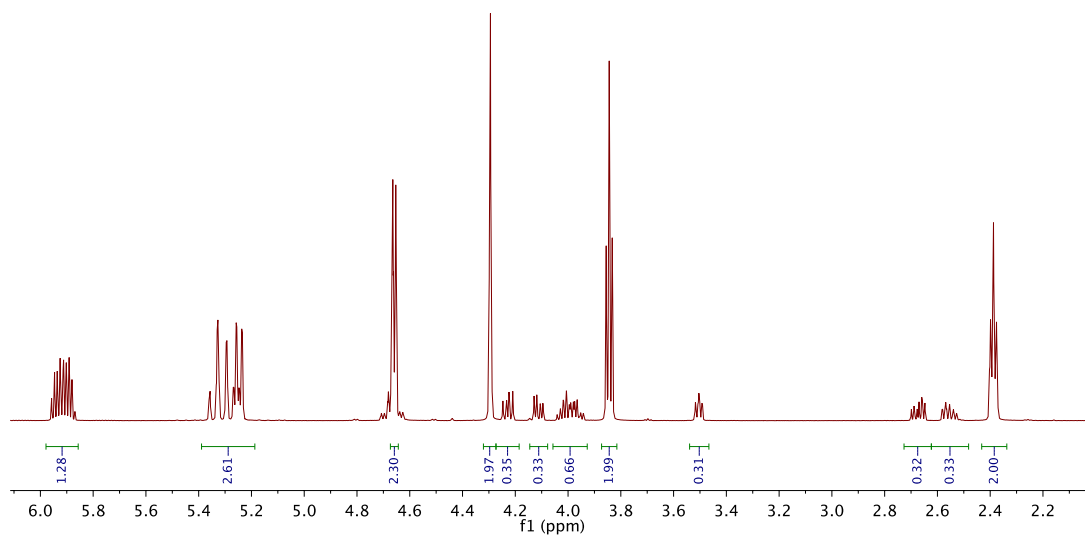
Substituent type	Number	Mean MW	Range MW	Mean cLogP	Range cLogP
Carboxylic acids	20	118.6	60.0 – 156.6	0.71	-0.49 – 2.12
Sulfonyl chlorides	15	173.2	114.5 – 211.1	1.24	0.00 – 2.40
Halides	30	163.3	94.9 – 205.5	1.88	0.68 – 3.24
Ketones	3	76.7	58.1 – 100.1	-0.32	-0.68 – -0.10
Aldehydes	15	102.4	44.0 – 140.6	0.93	-0.44 – 2.25
Isocyanates	15	119.9	71.1 – 167.6	1.01	-0.05 – 2.36

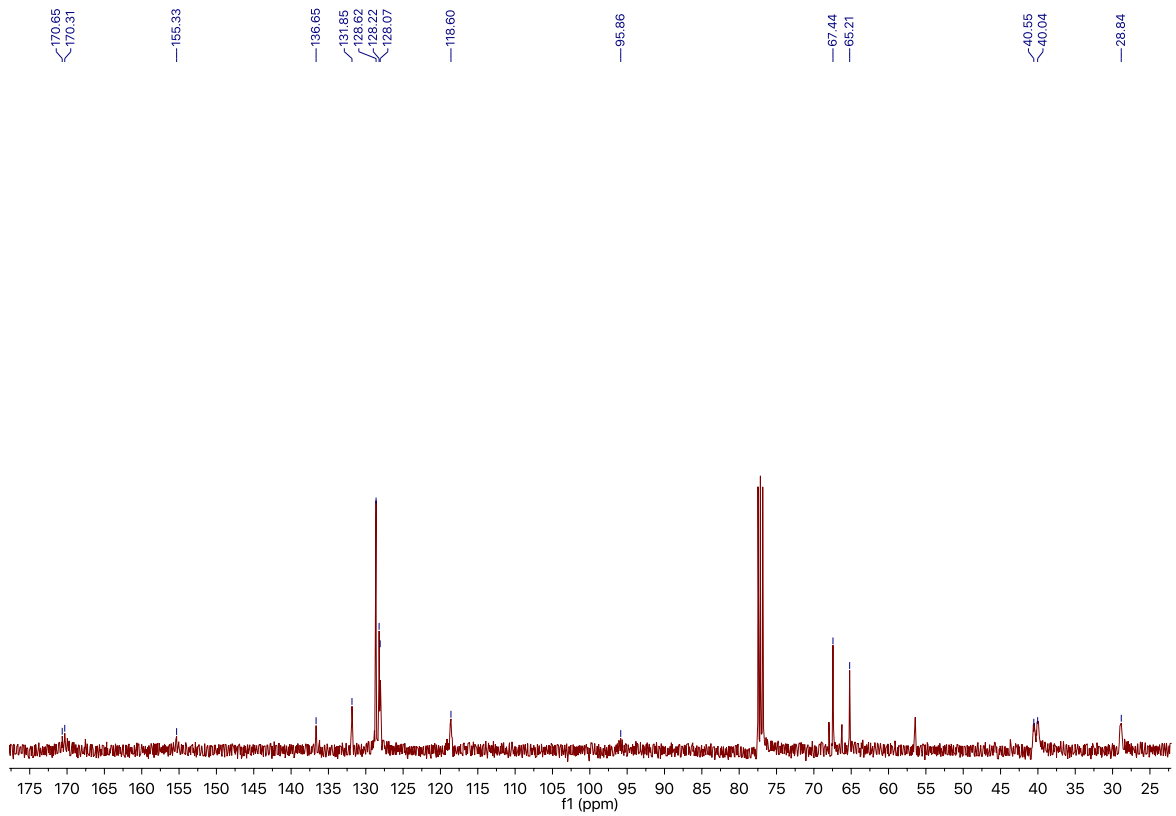
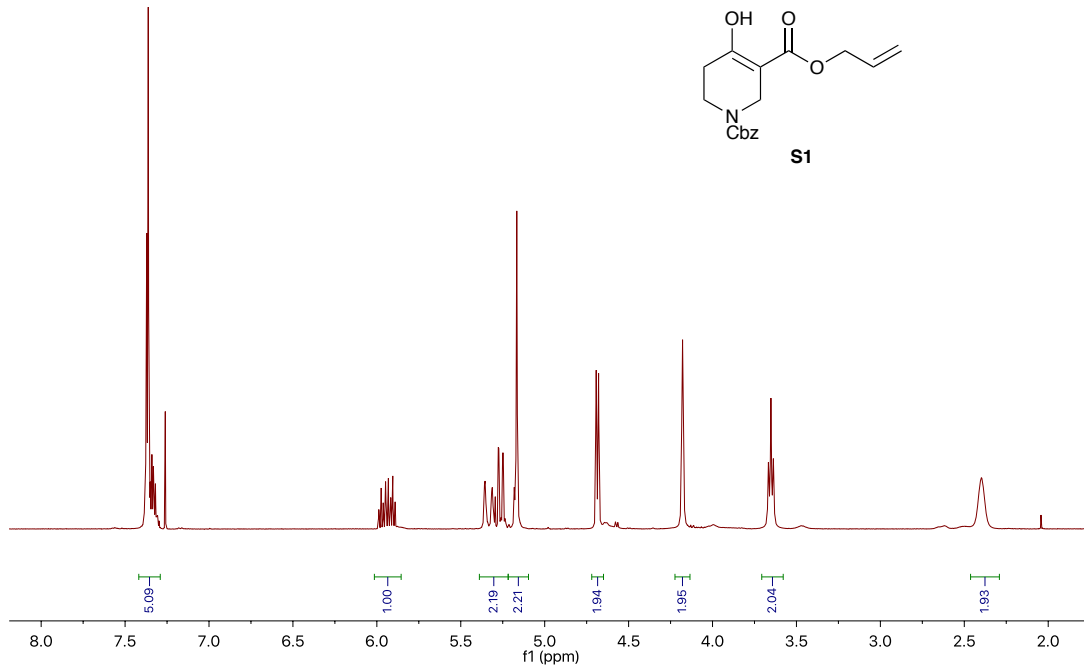
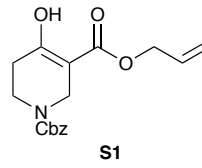
Table 2: Aspects of the 98 medicinal chemistry capping groups used for the decoration of the virtual scaffolds. More features of these medicinal chemistry capping groups can be found in a previously published set.¹⁸

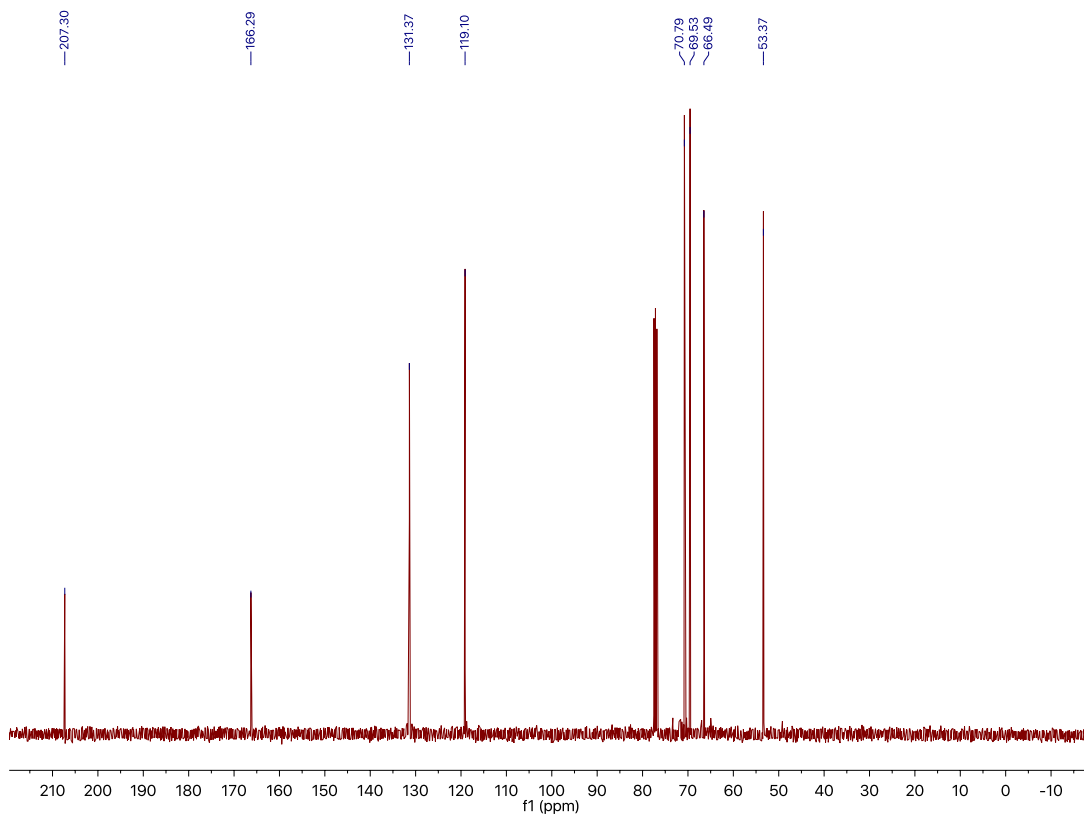
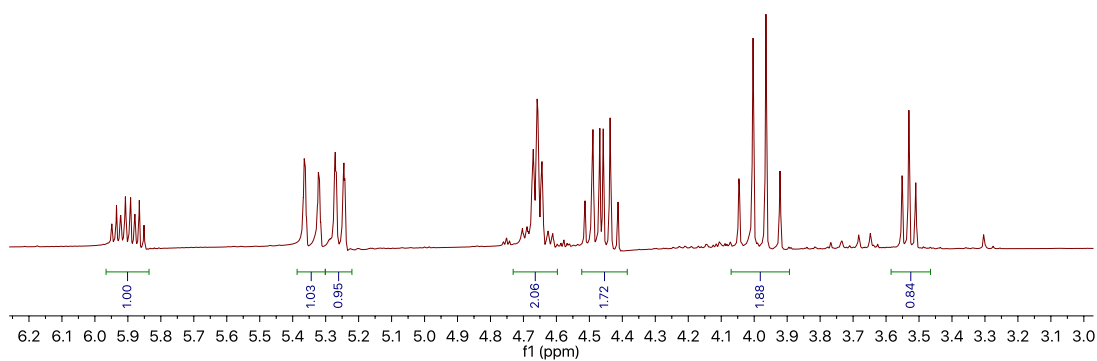
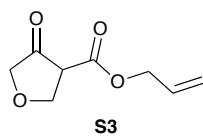
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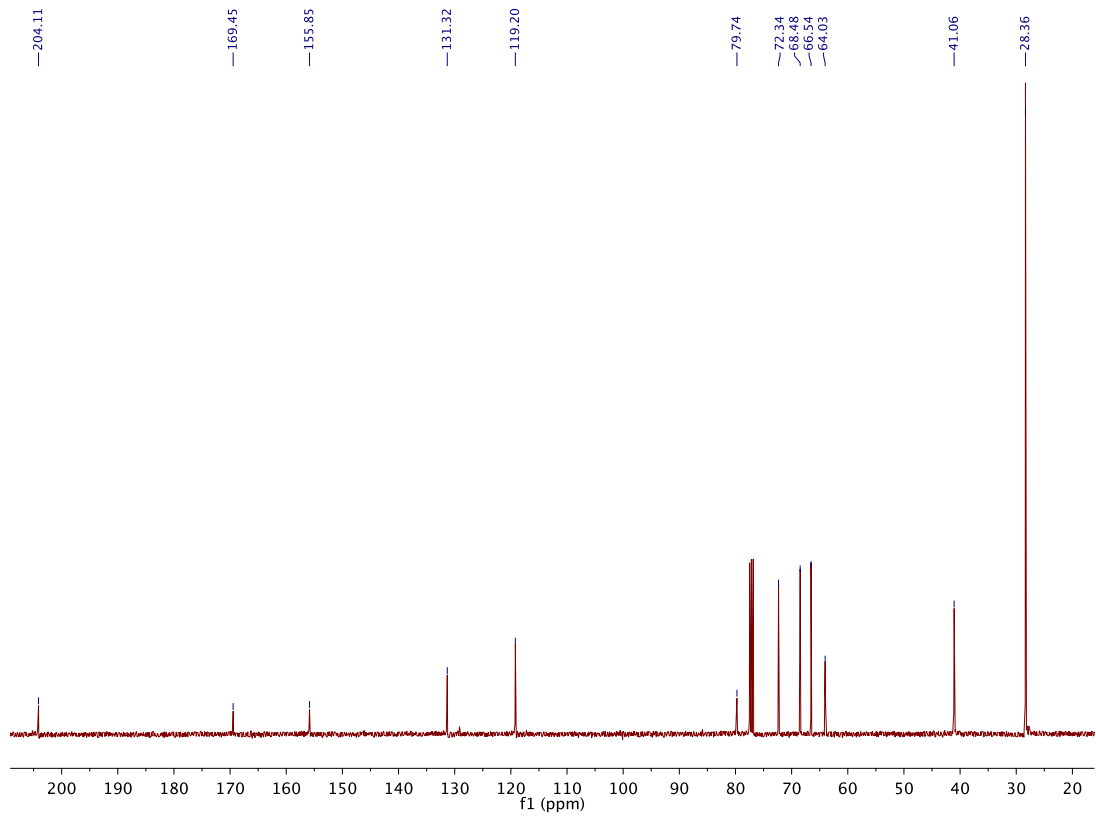
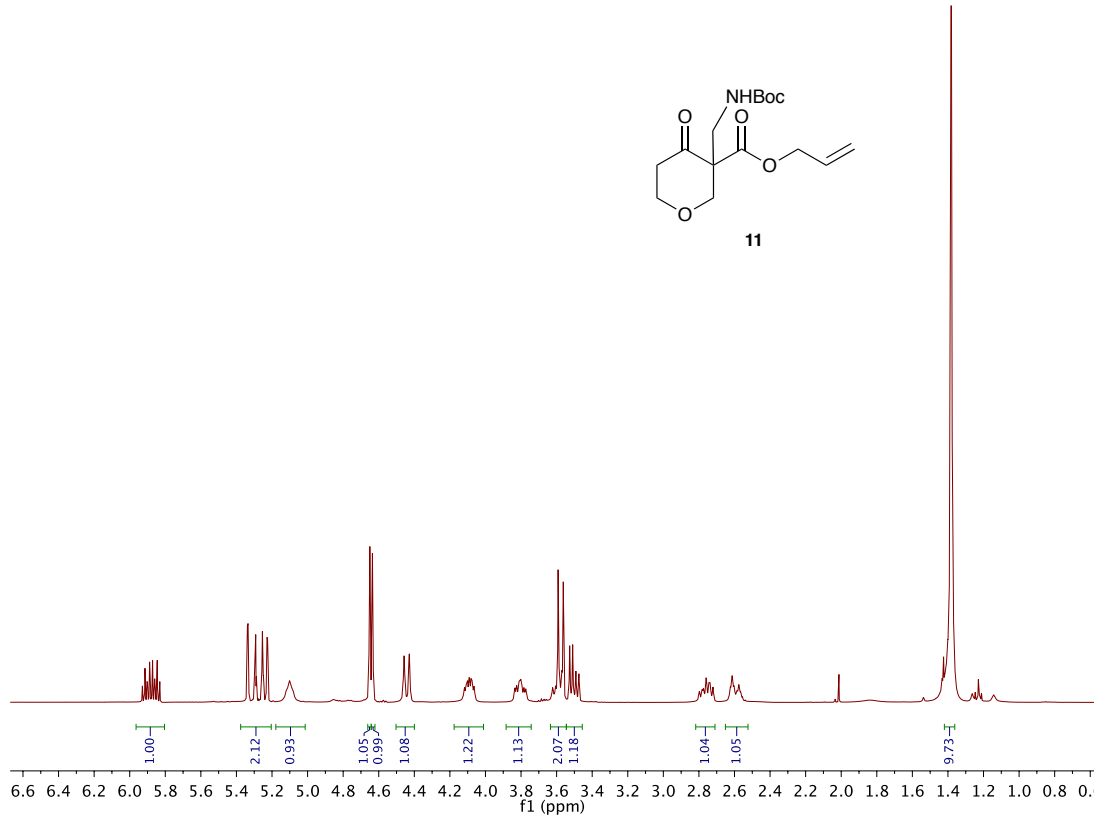
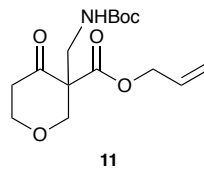


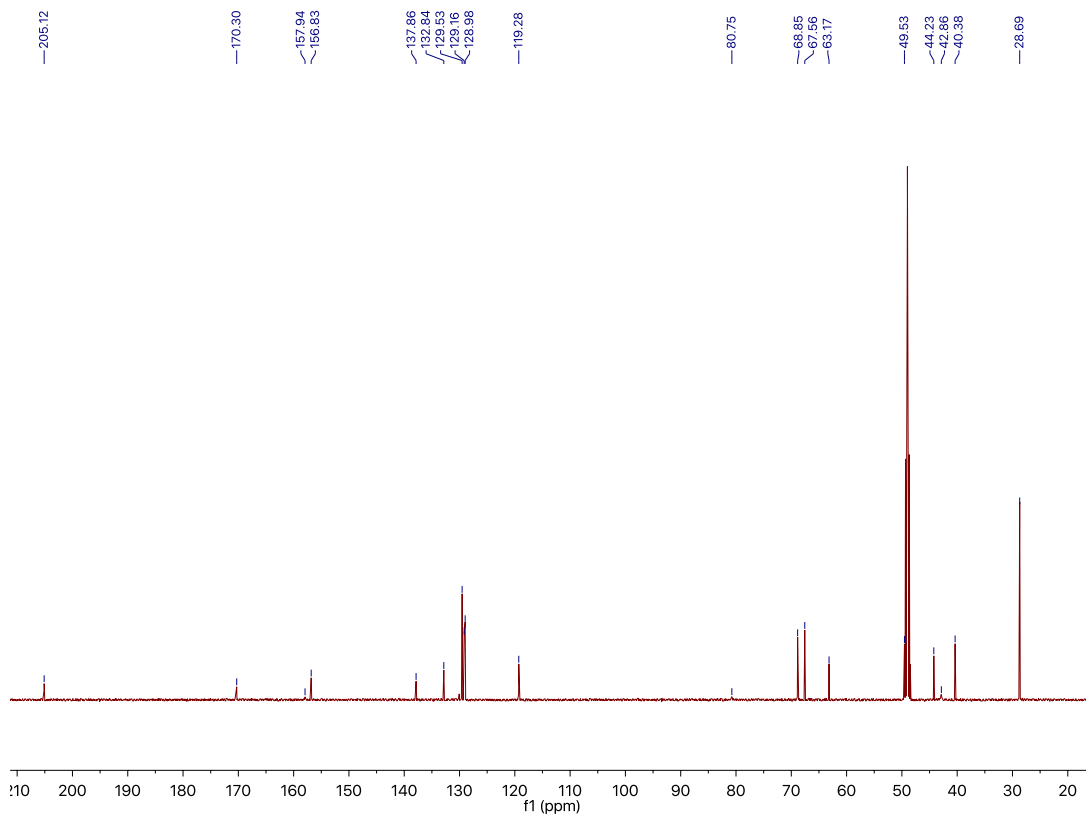
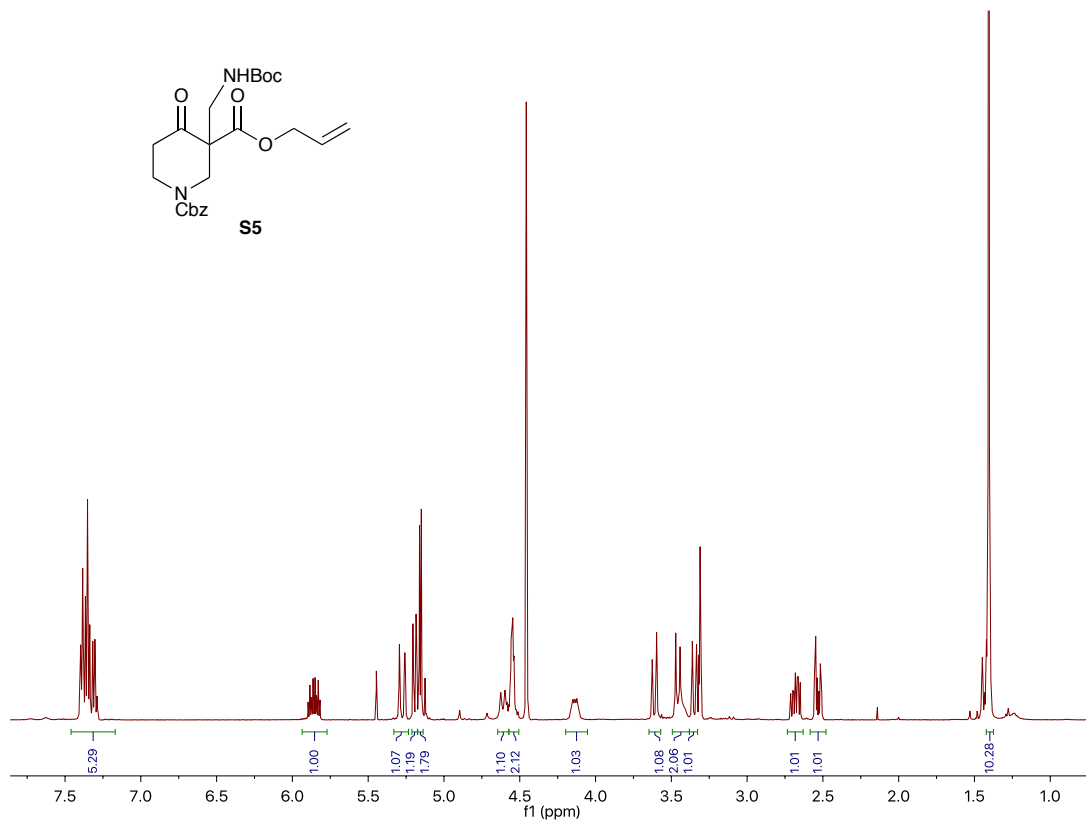
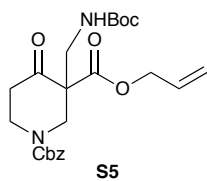
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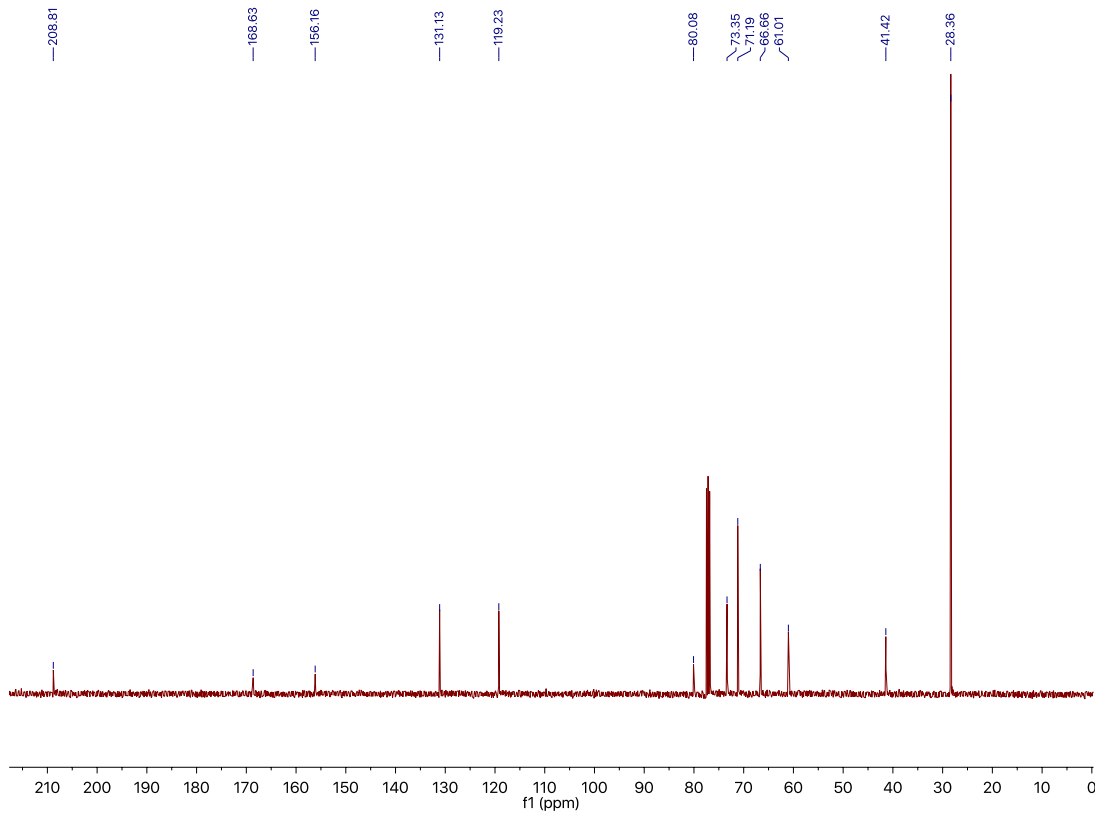
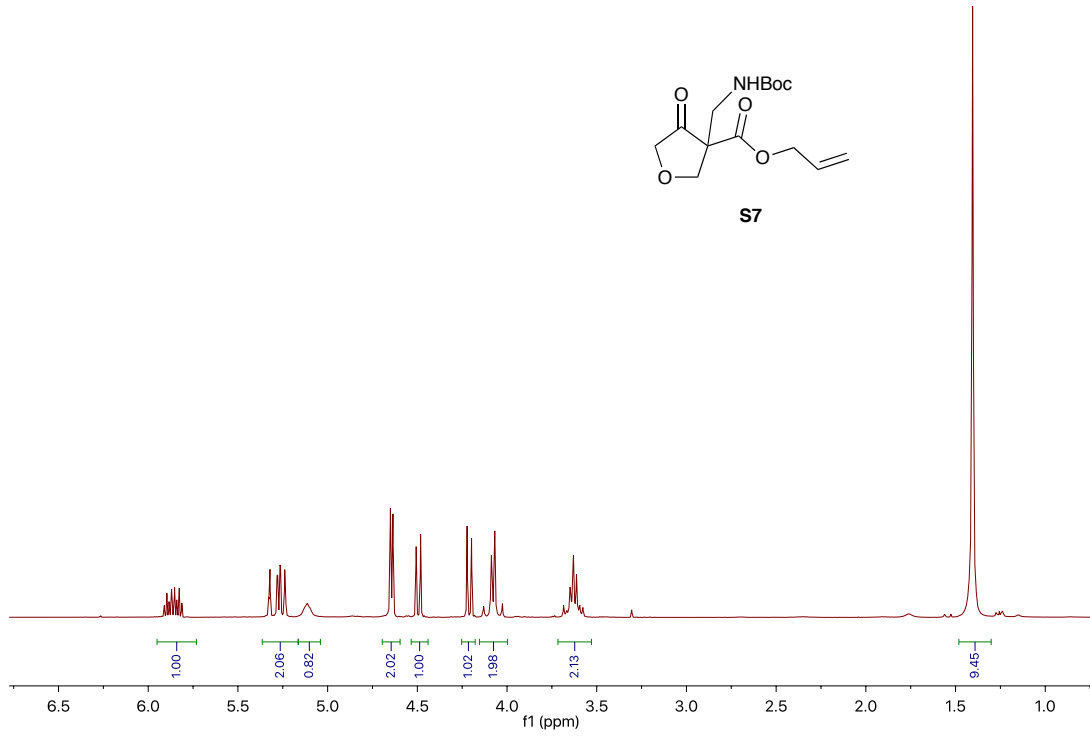
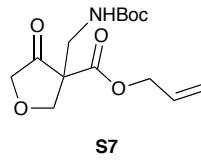


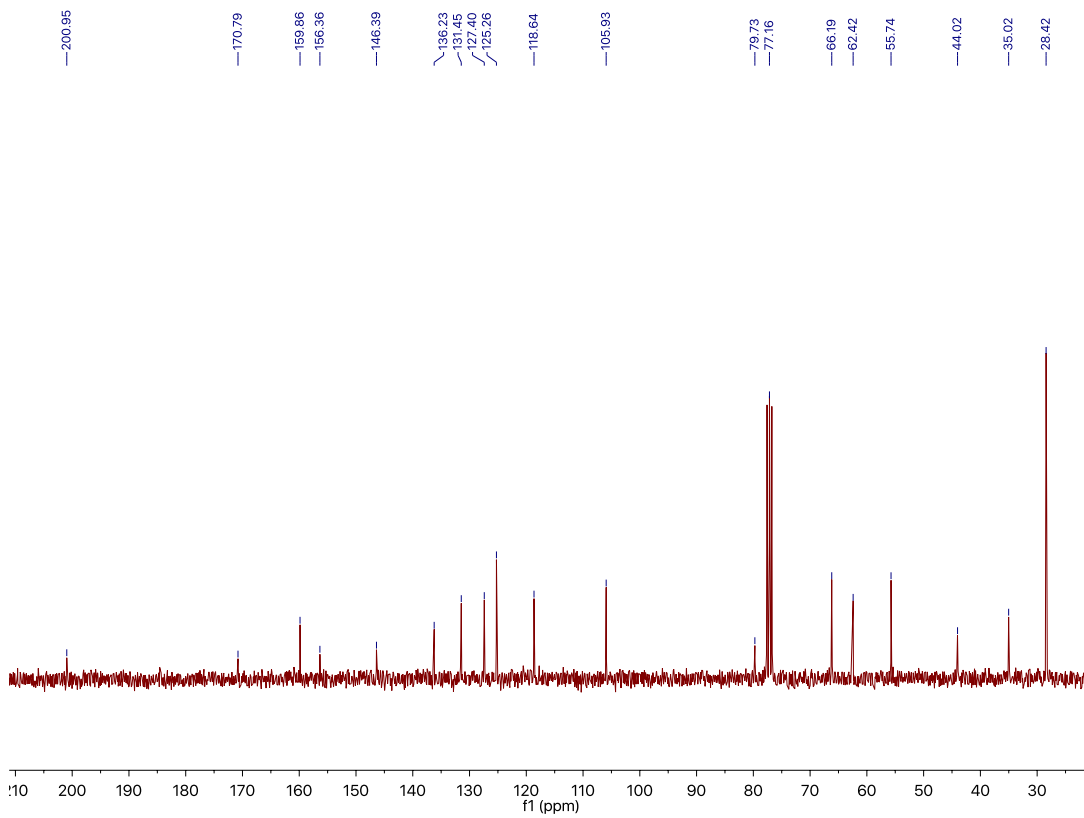
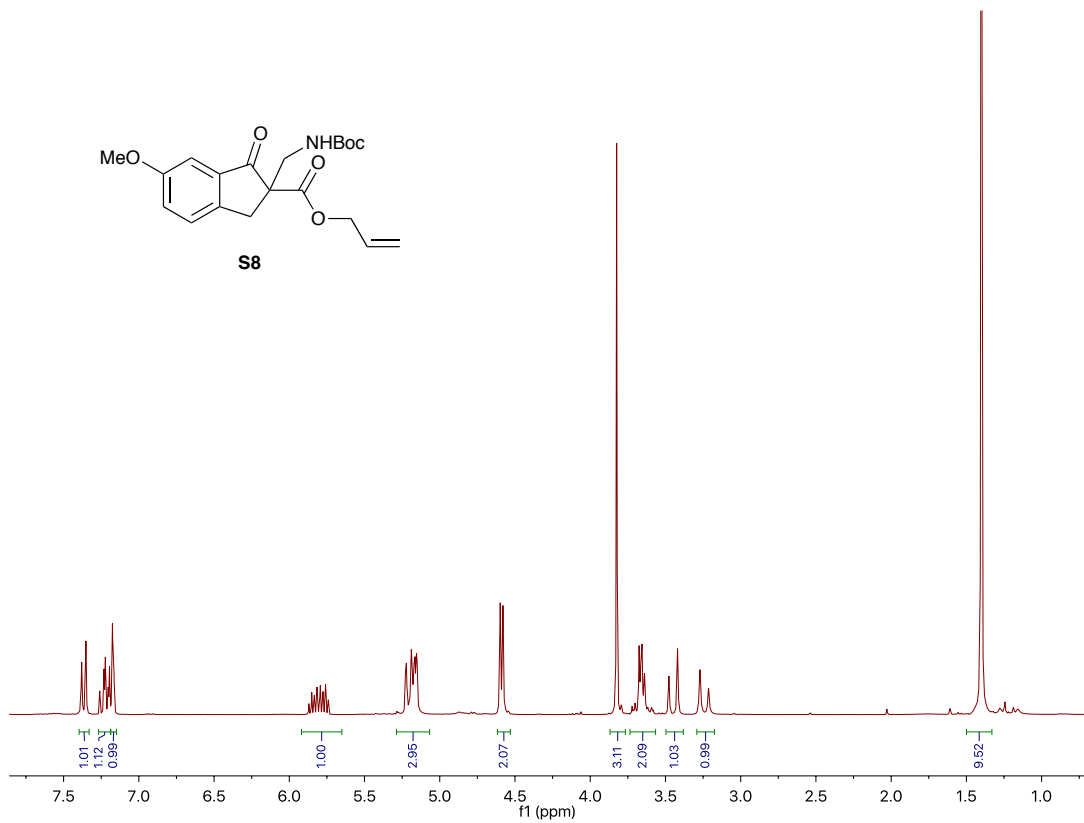
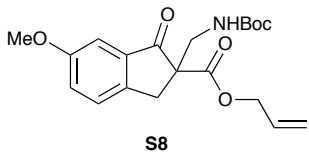


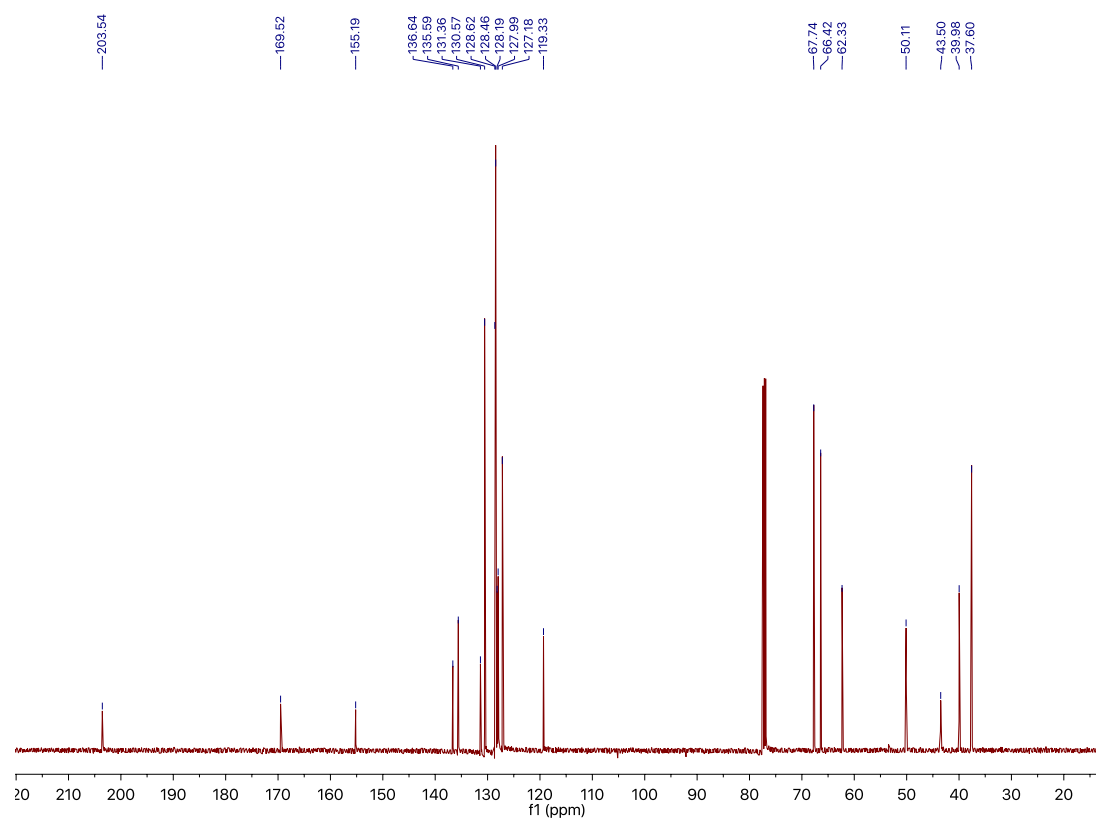
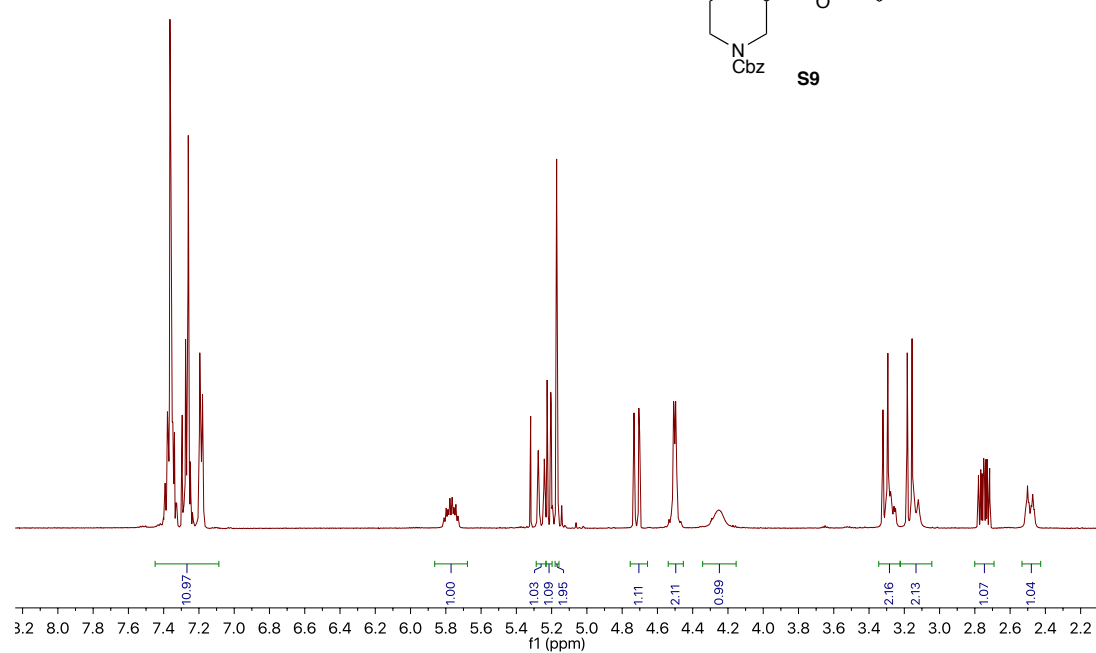
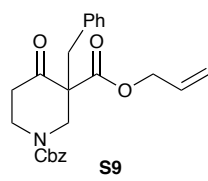


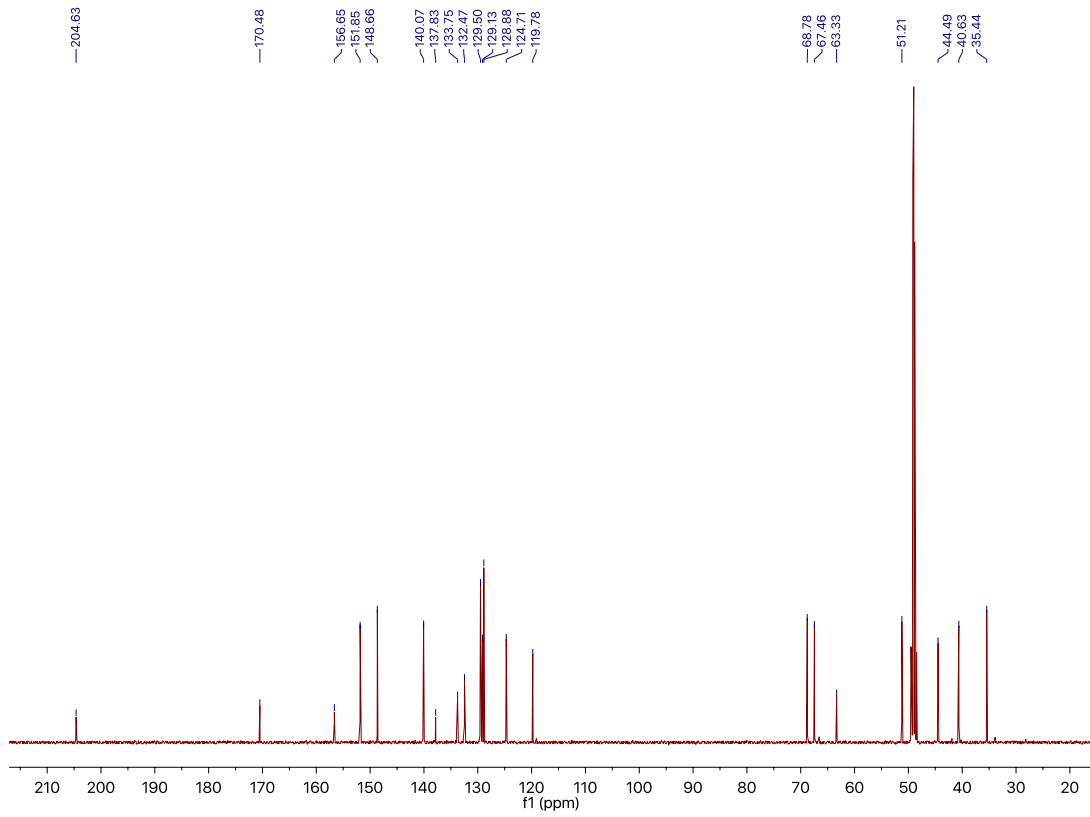
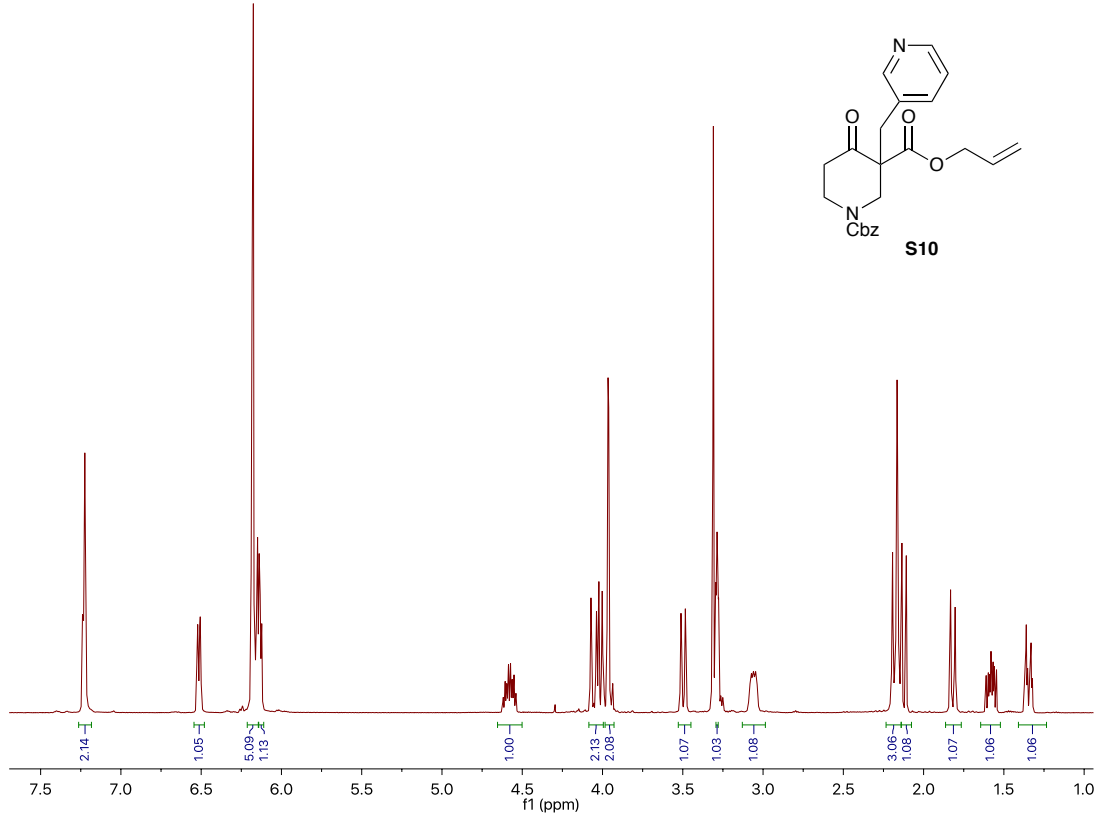
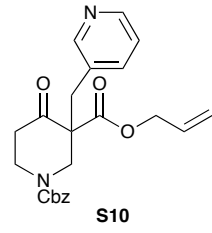


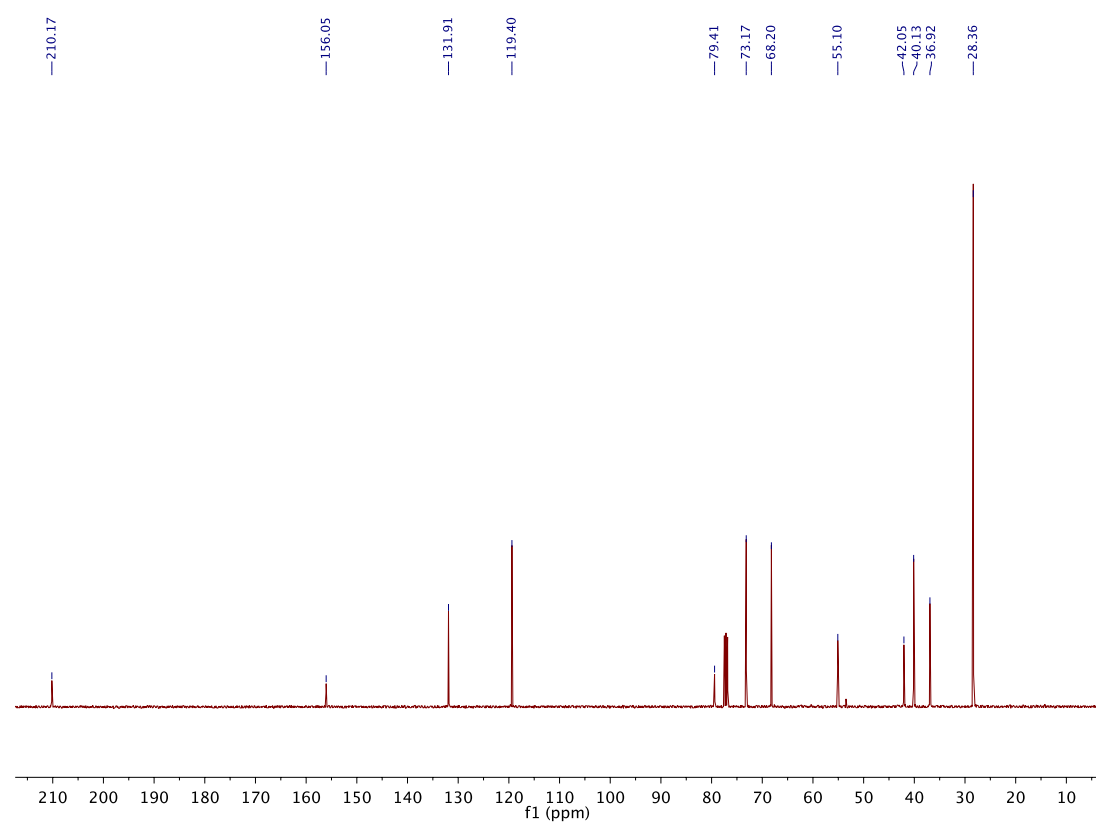
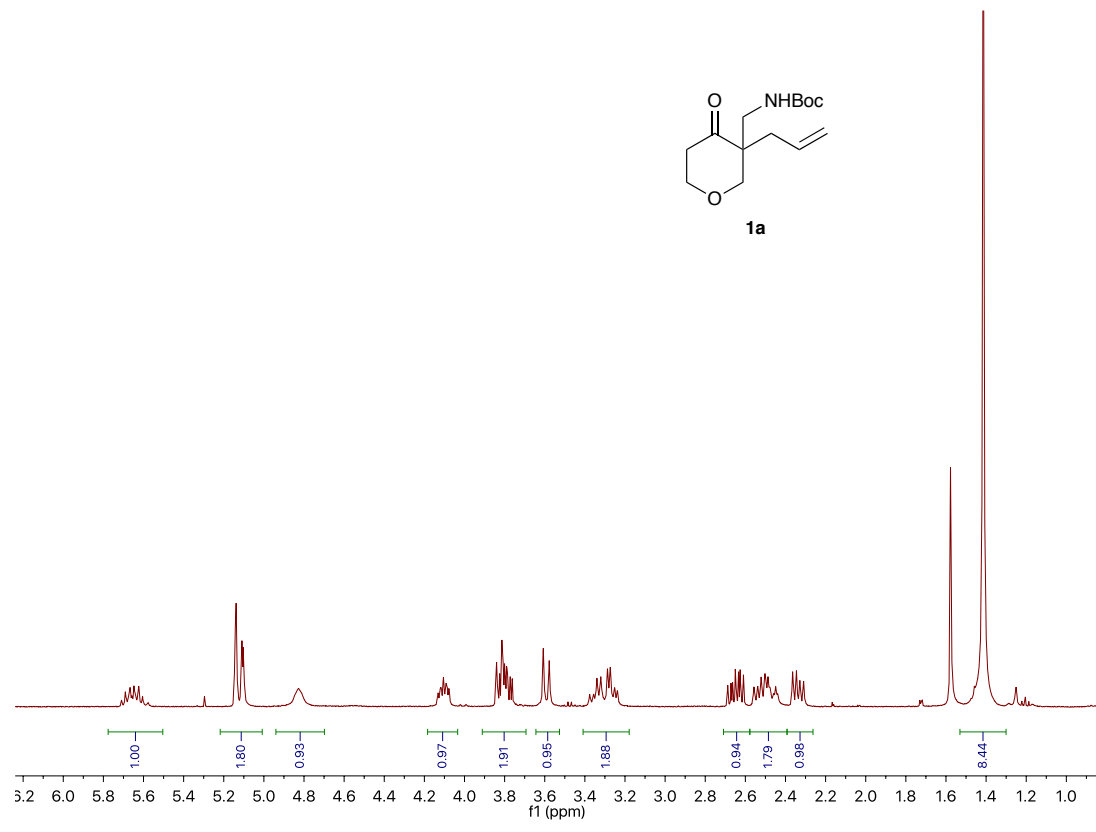
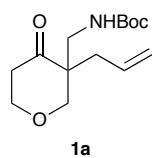


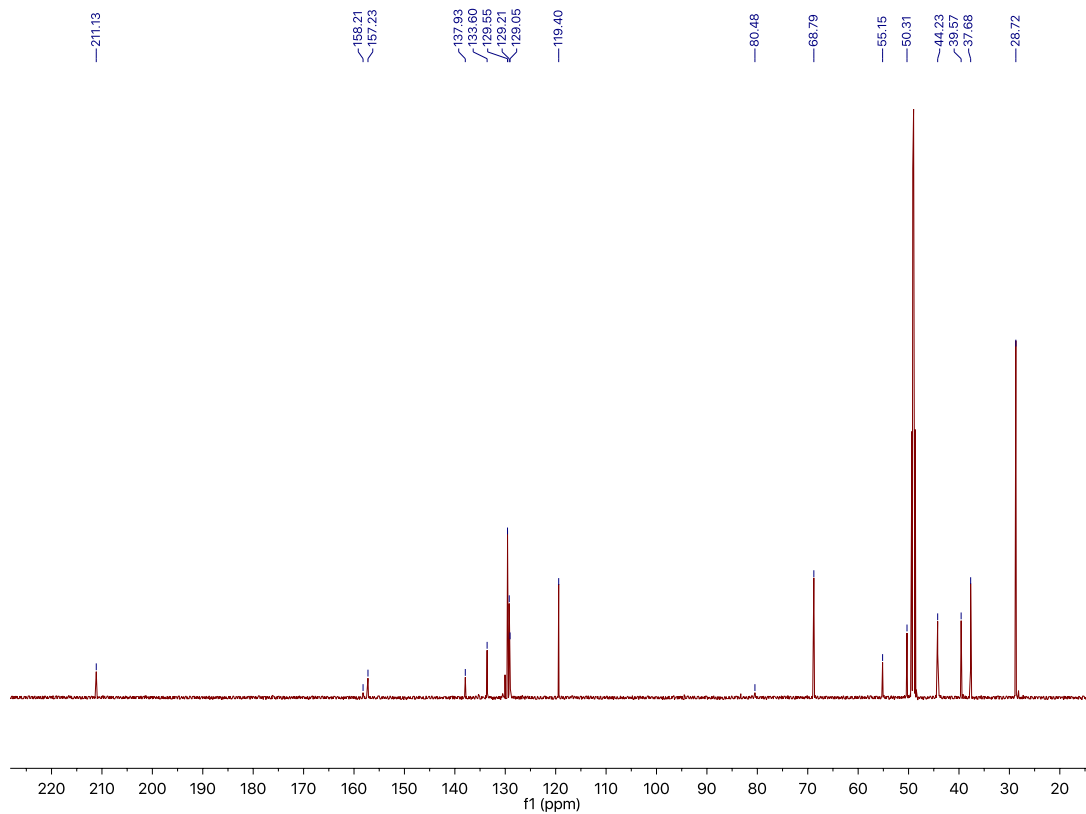
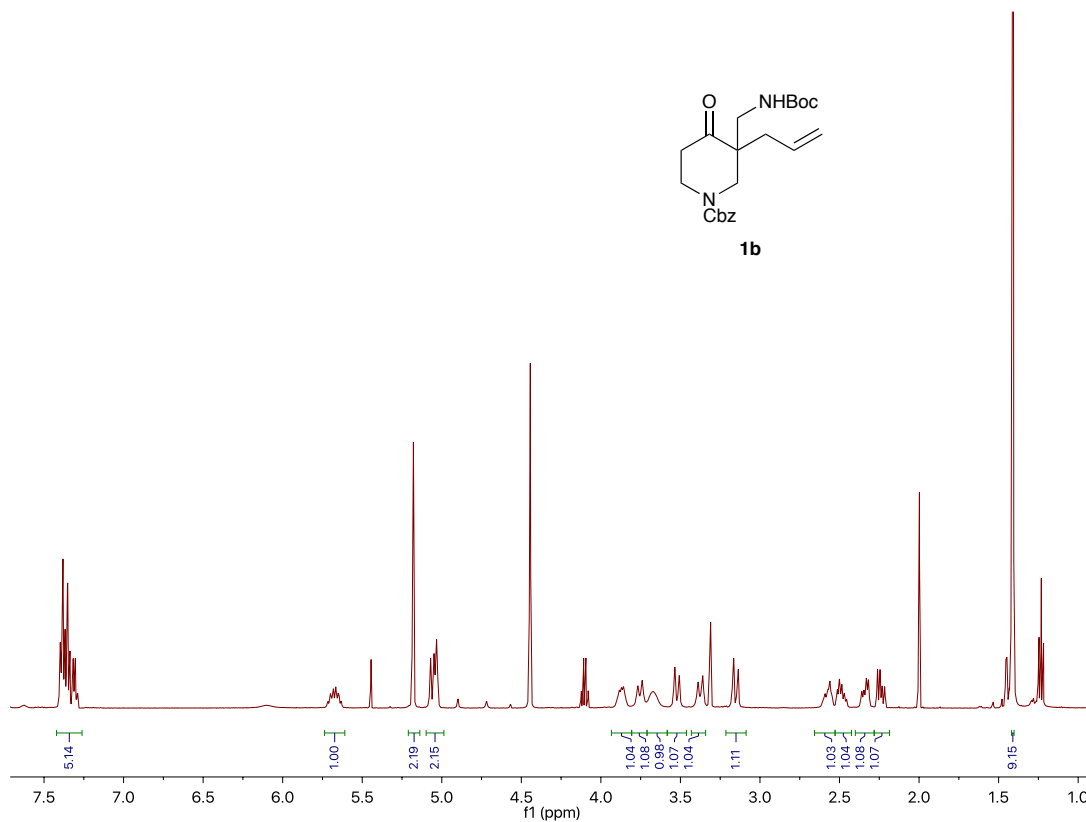
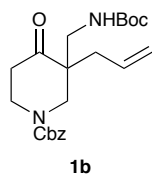


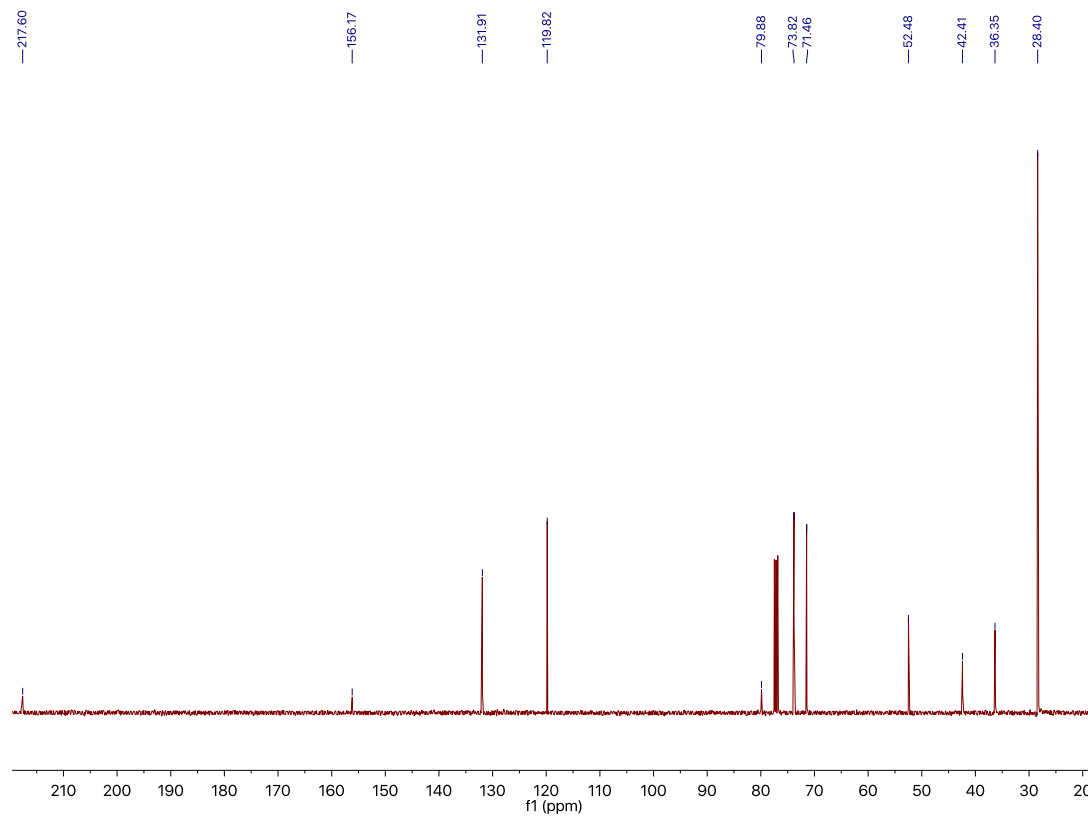
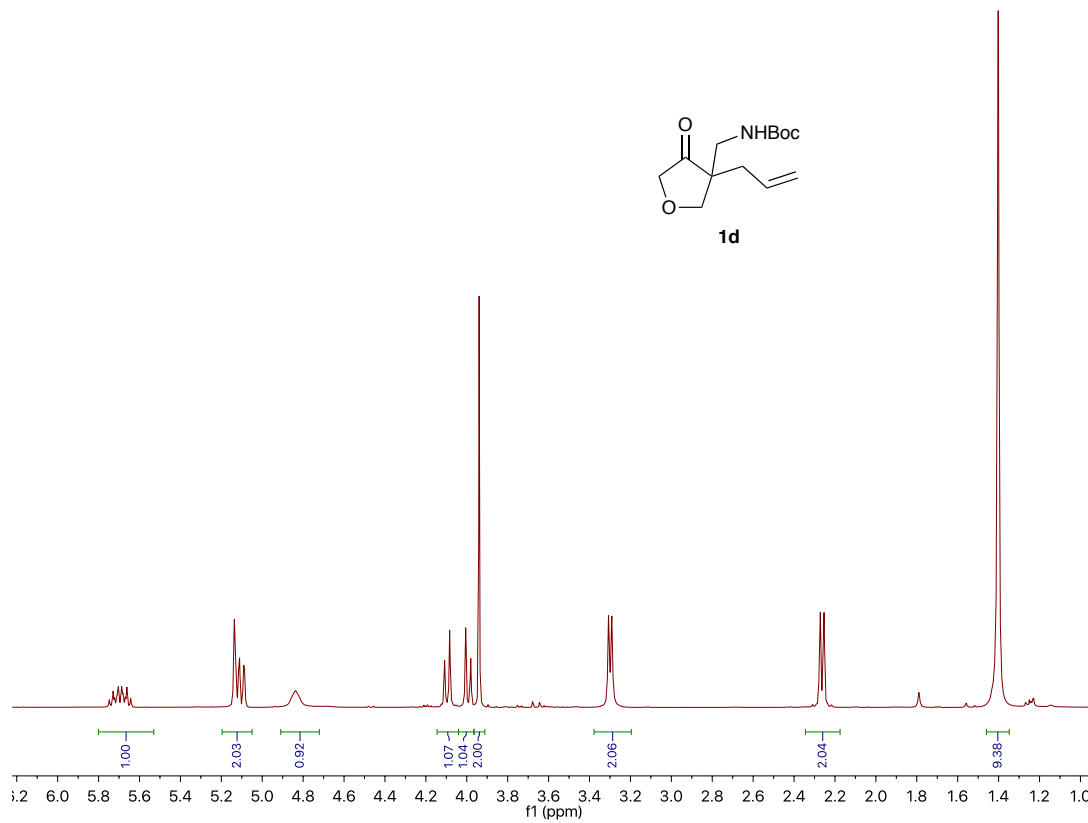
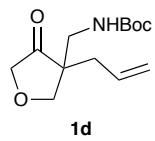


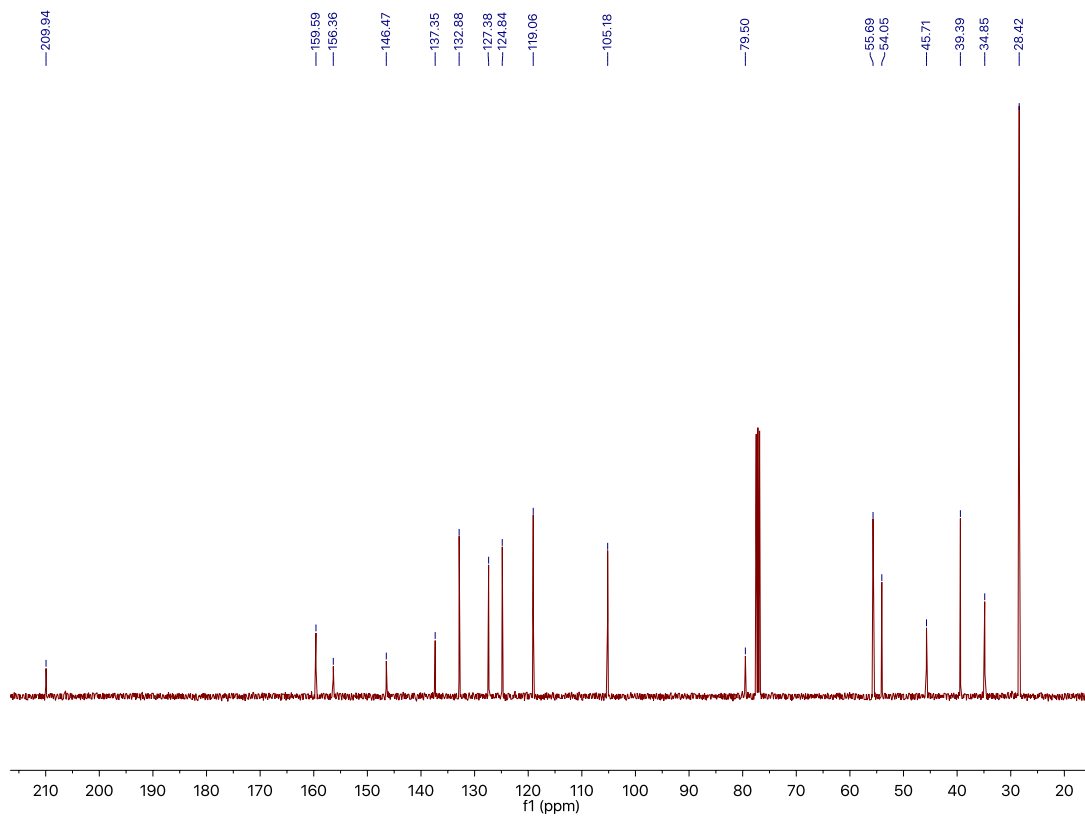
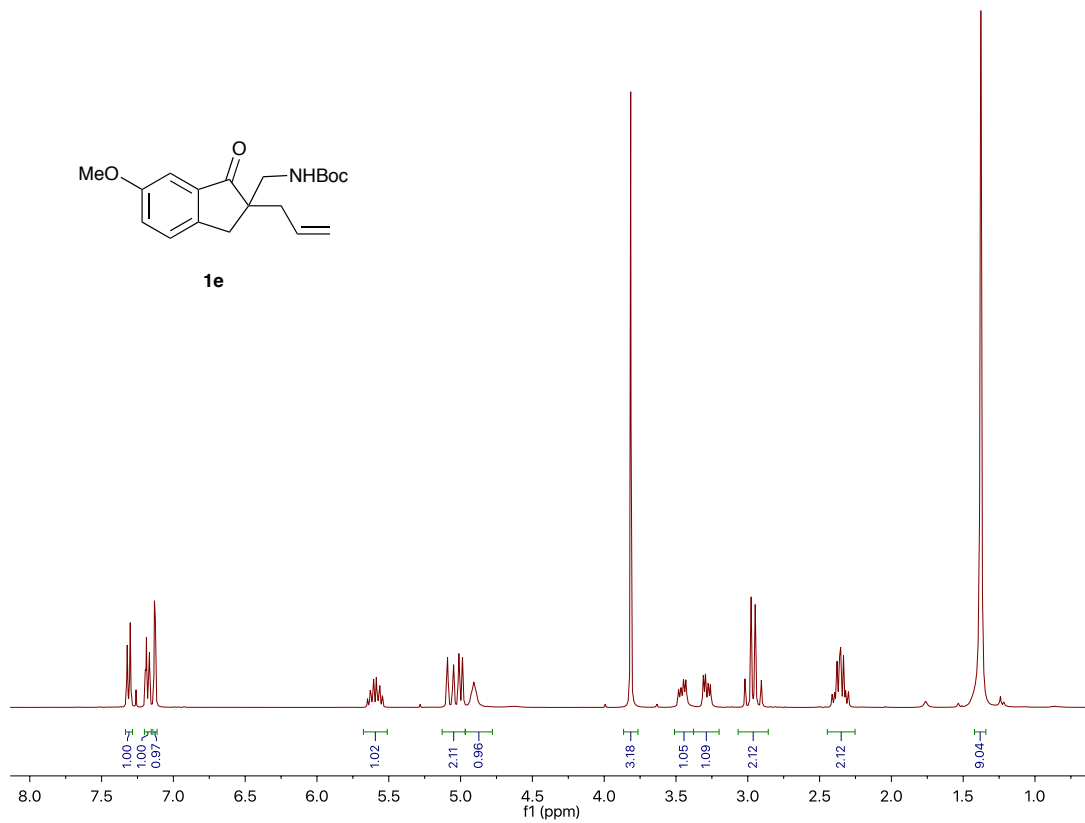
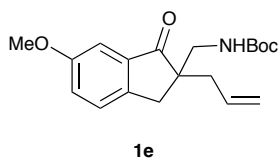


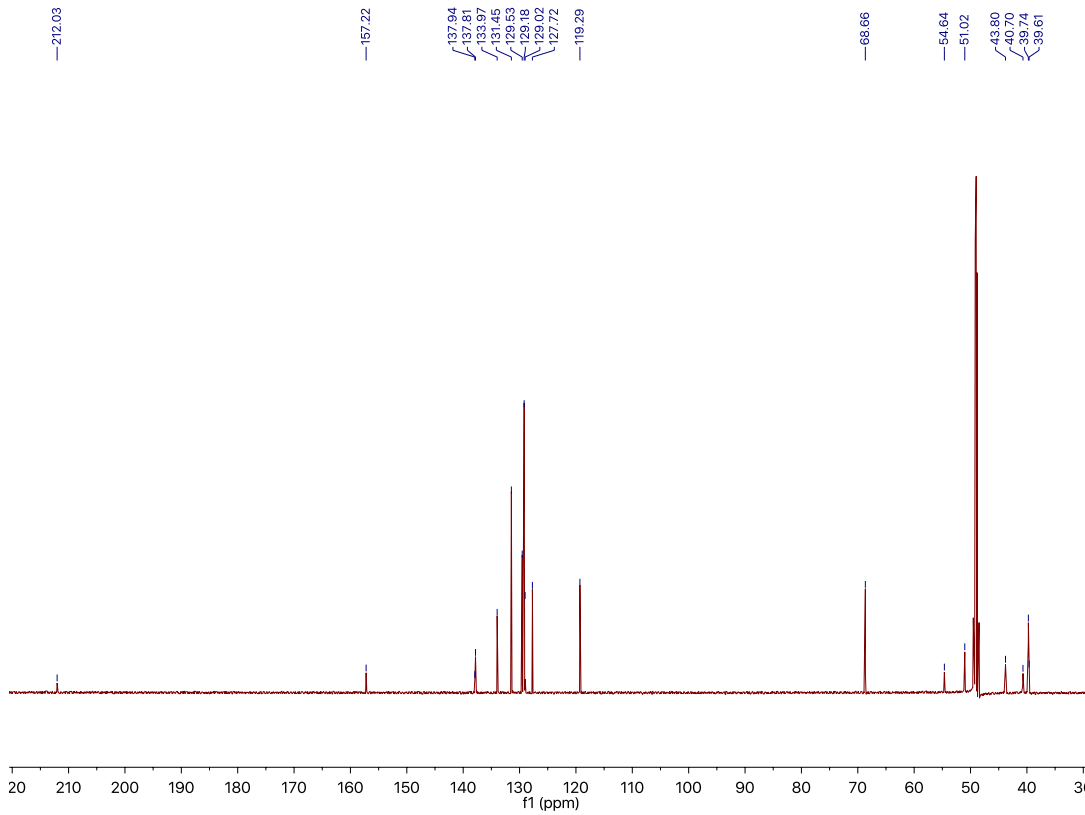
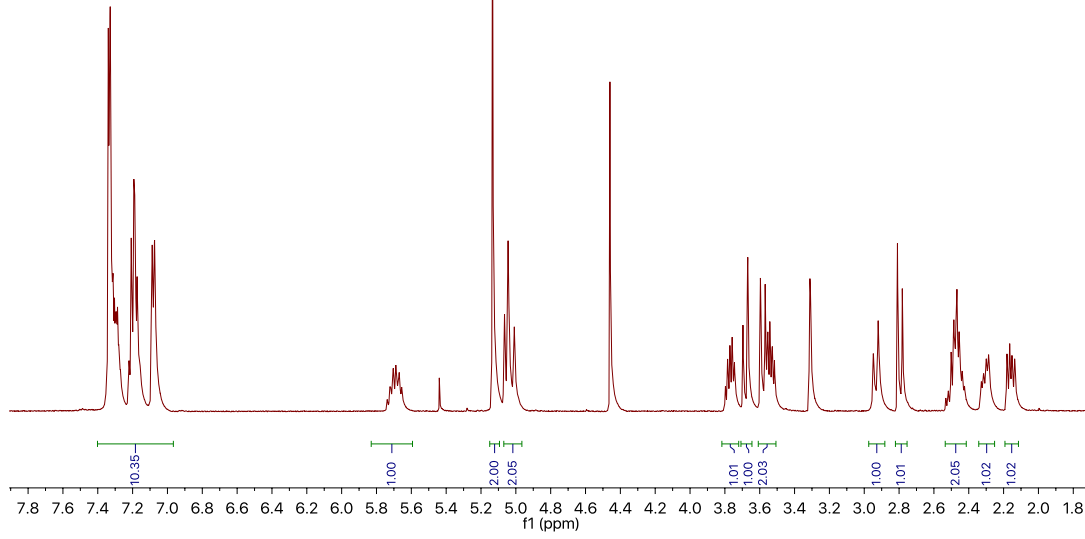
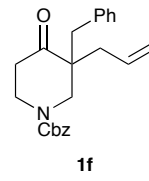


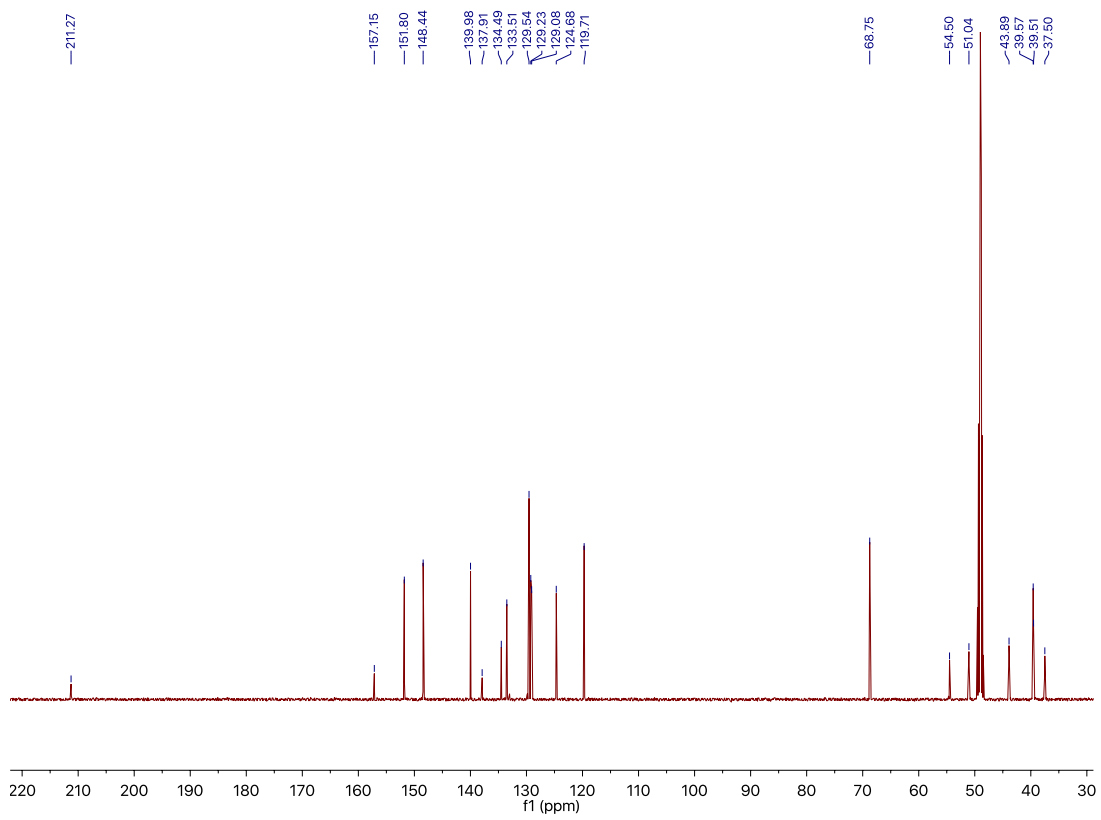
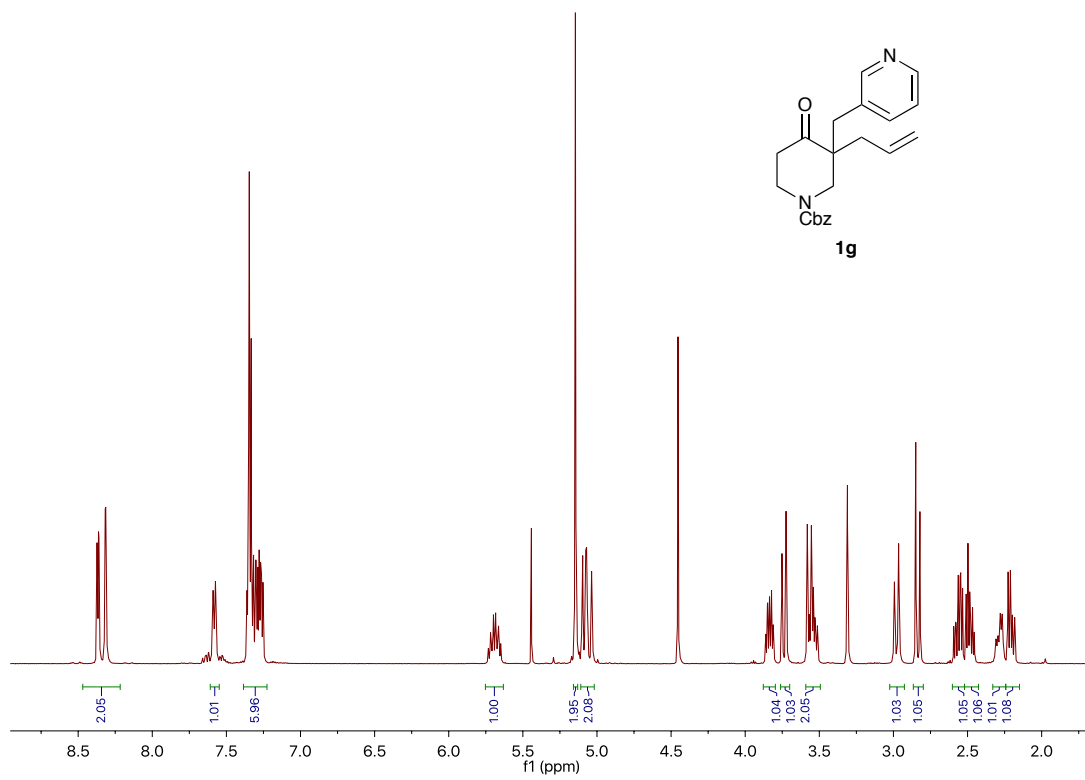


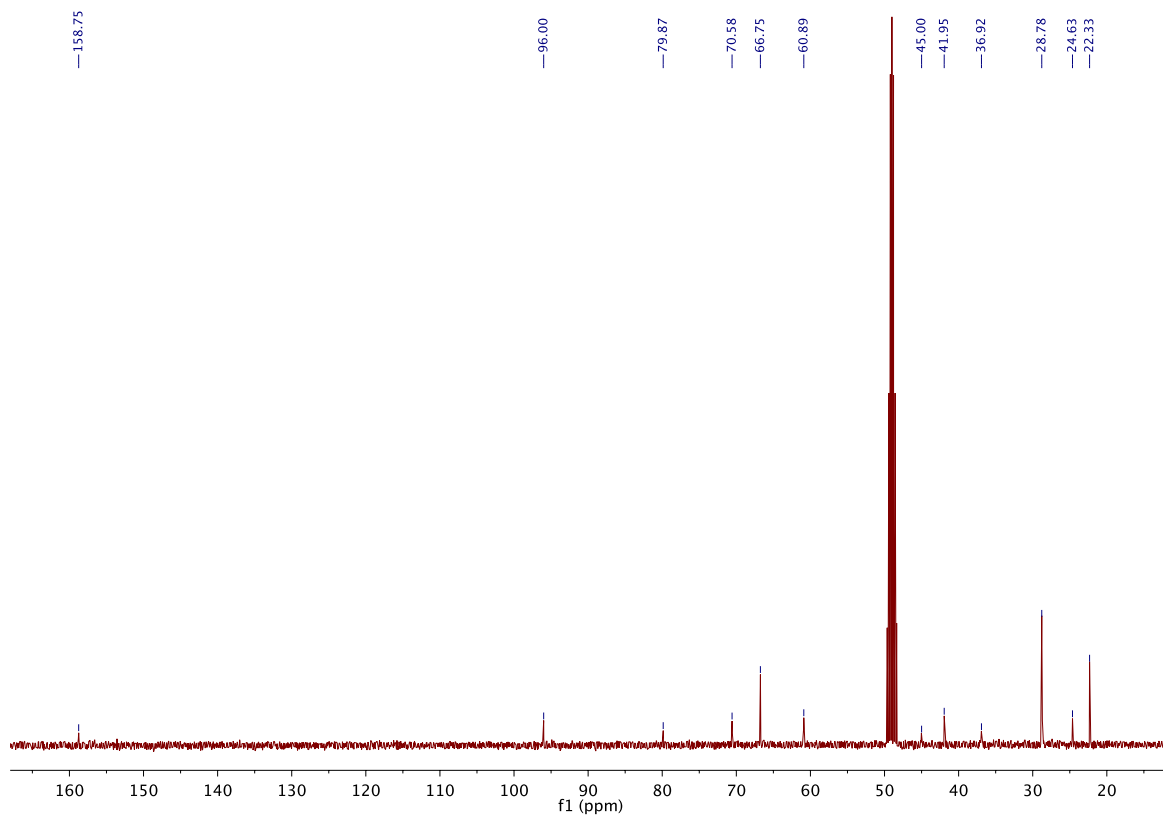
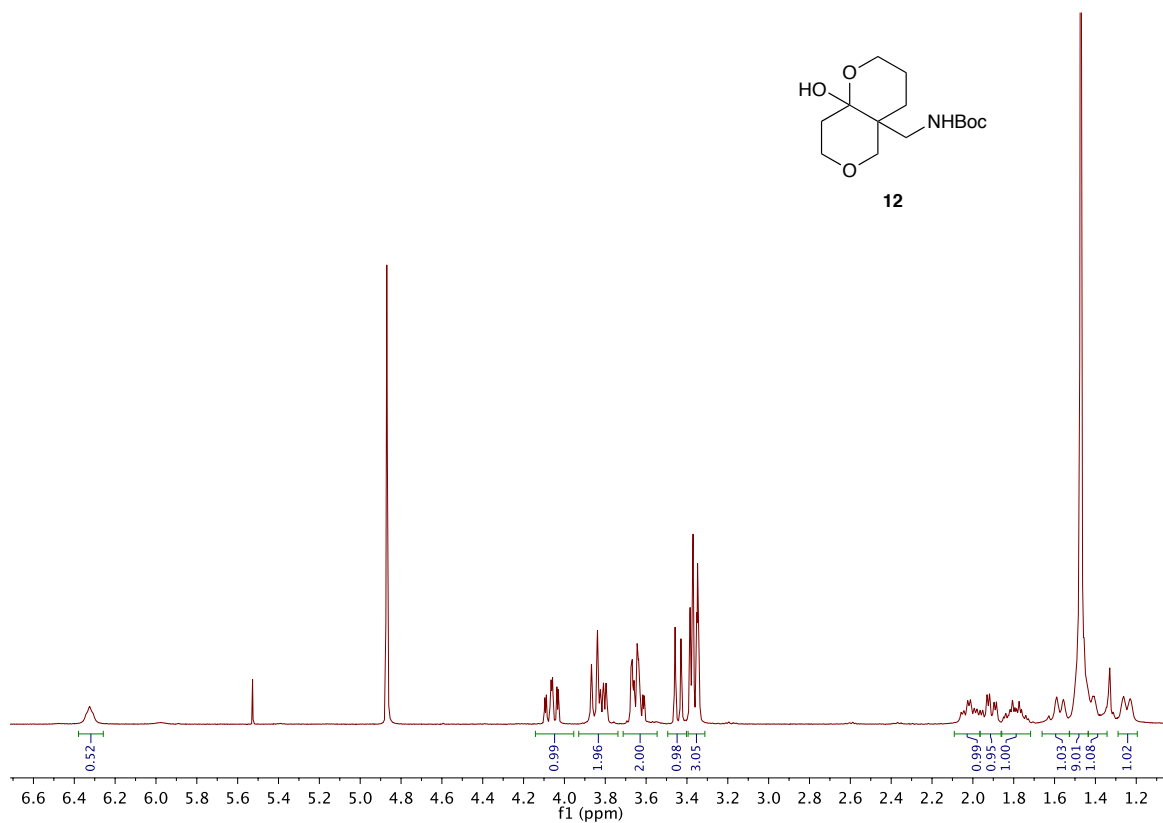
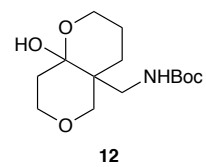


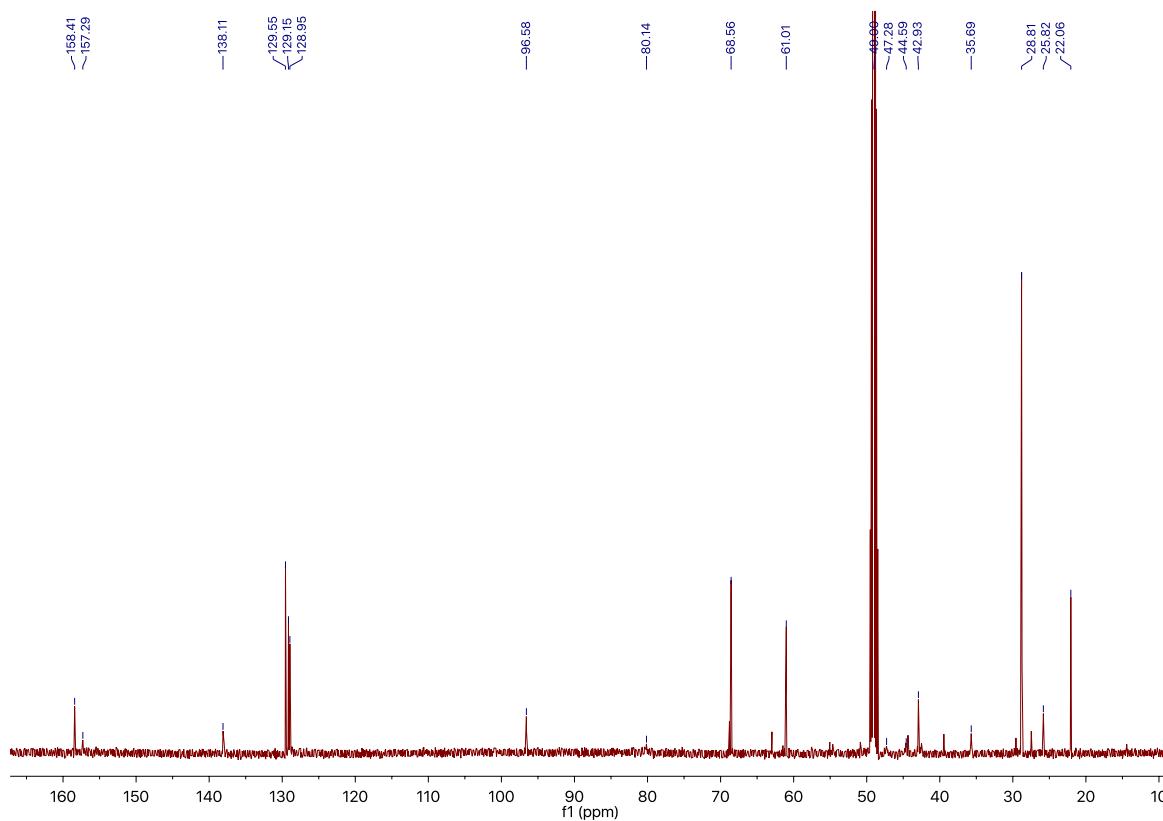
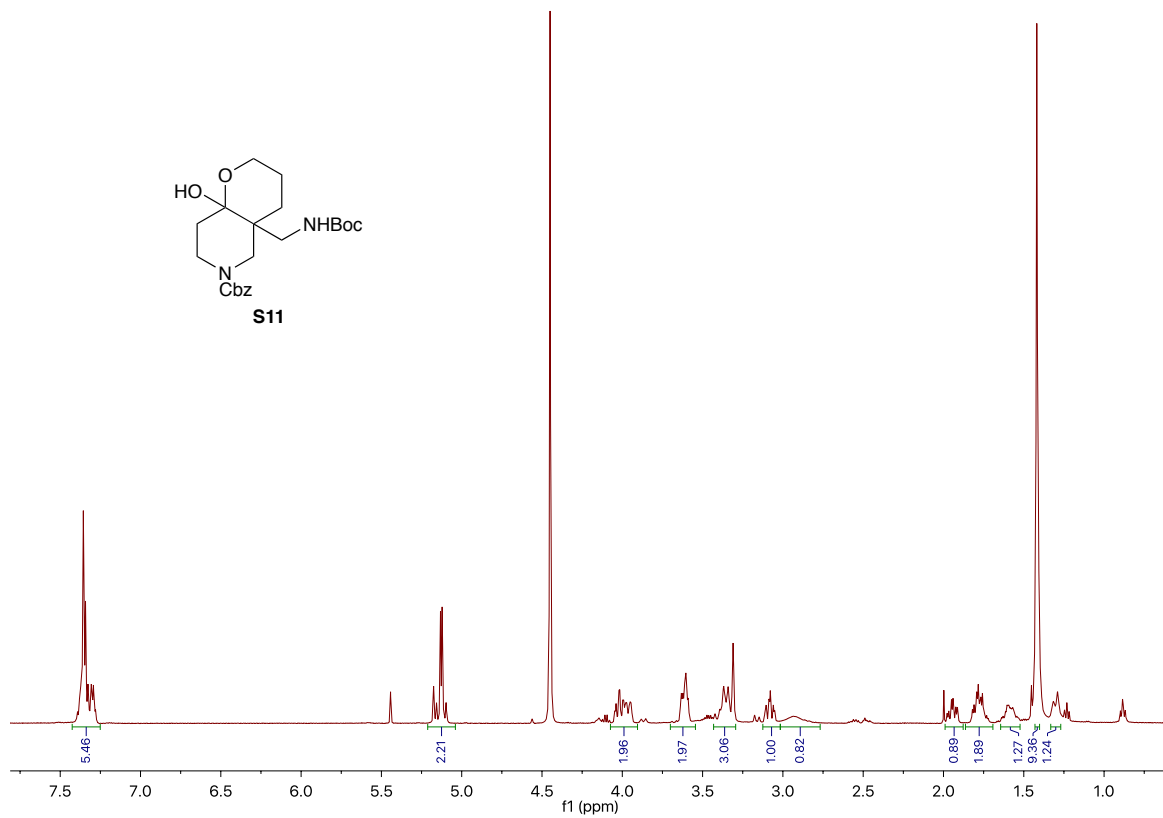
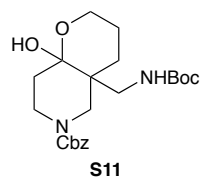


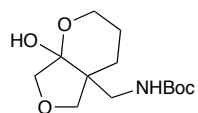




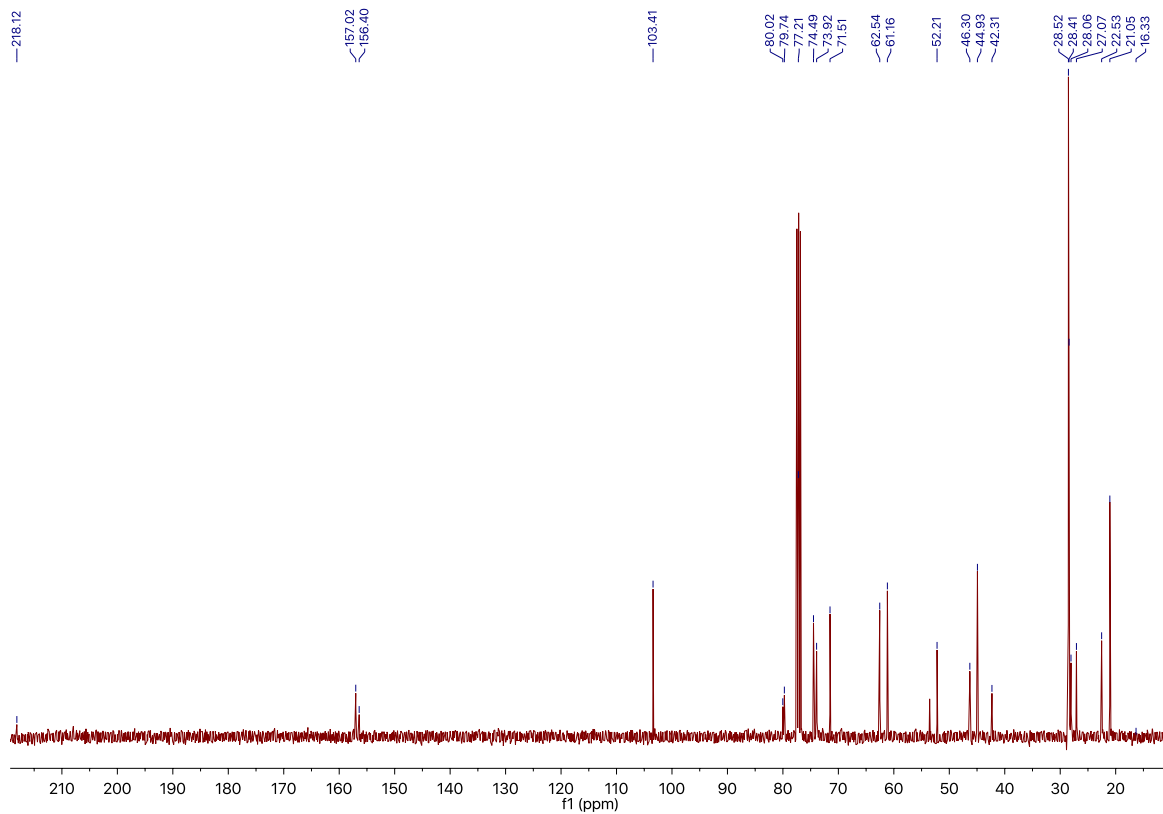
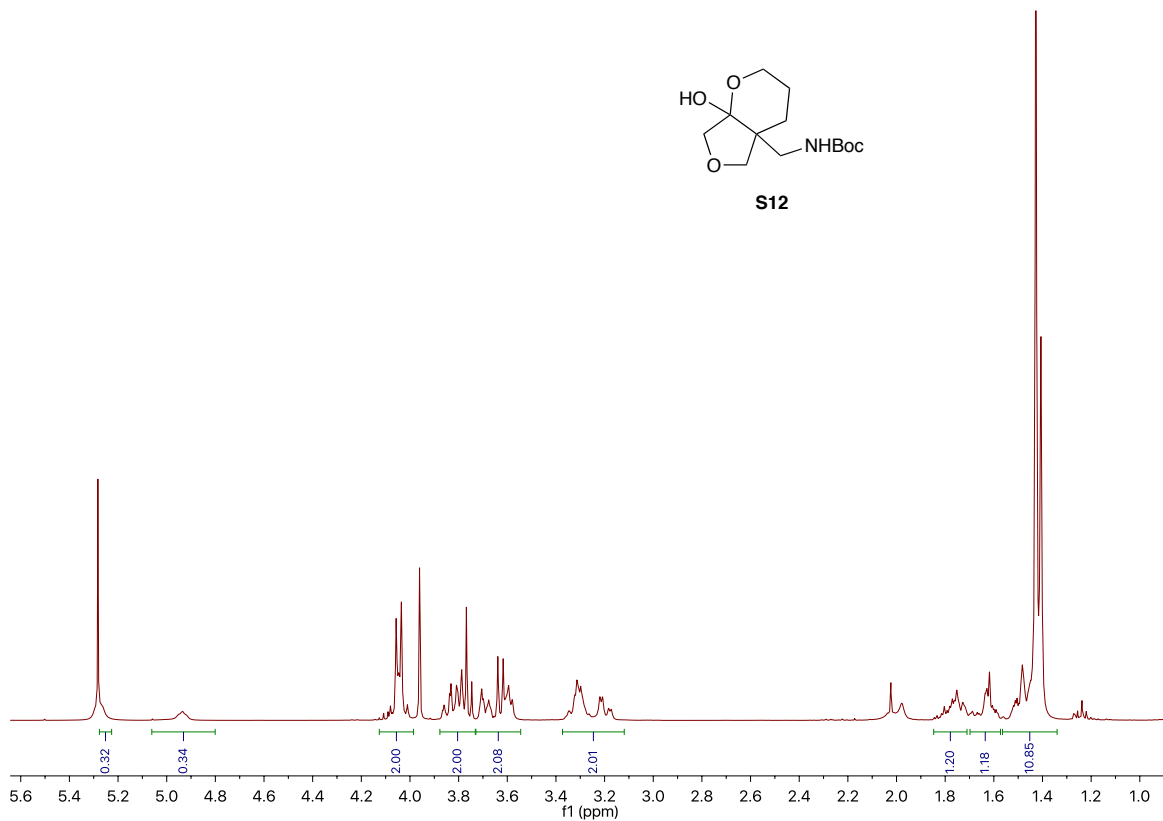


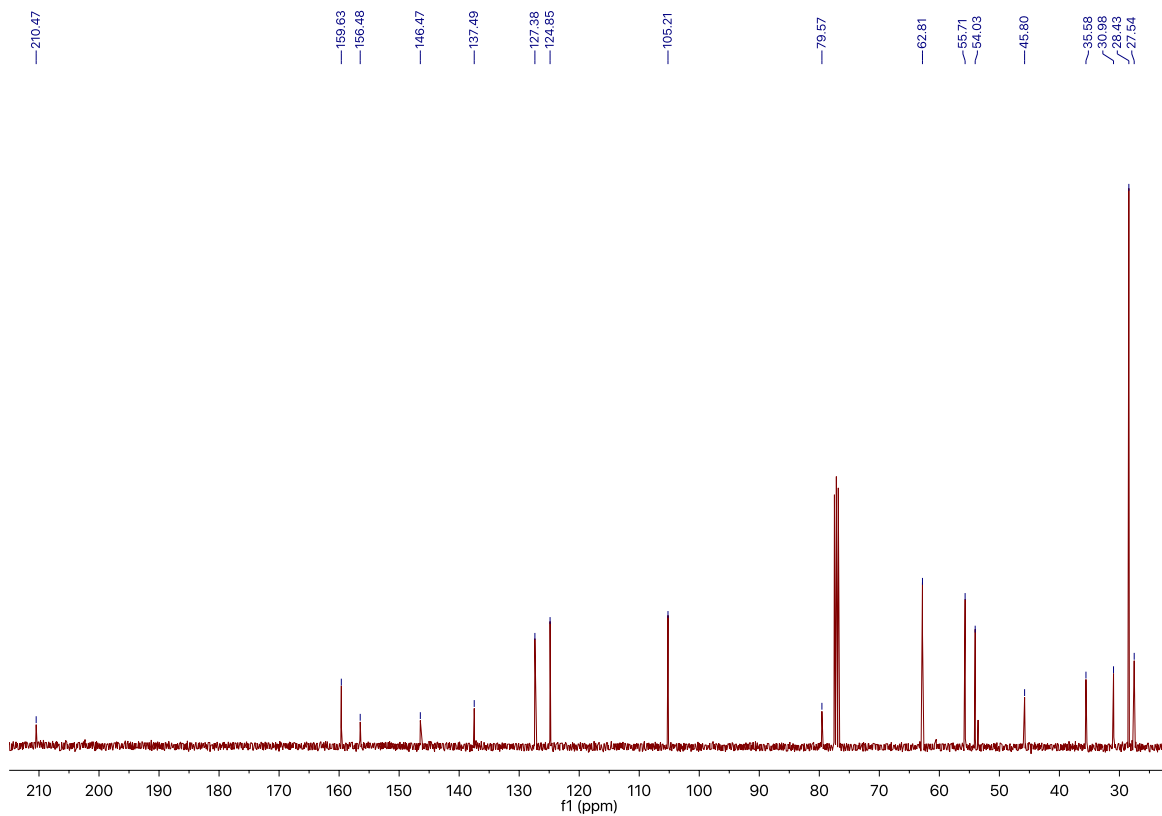
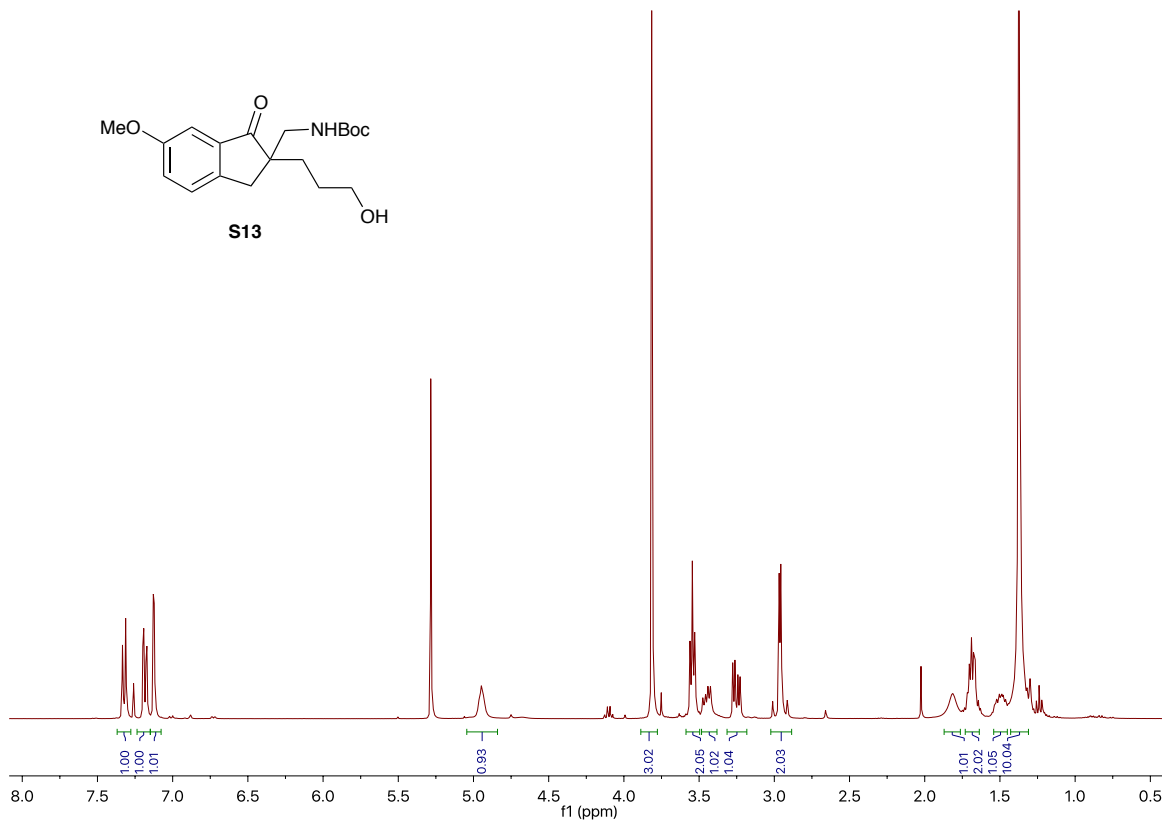
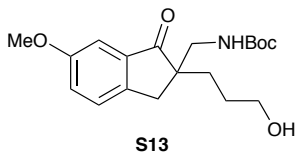


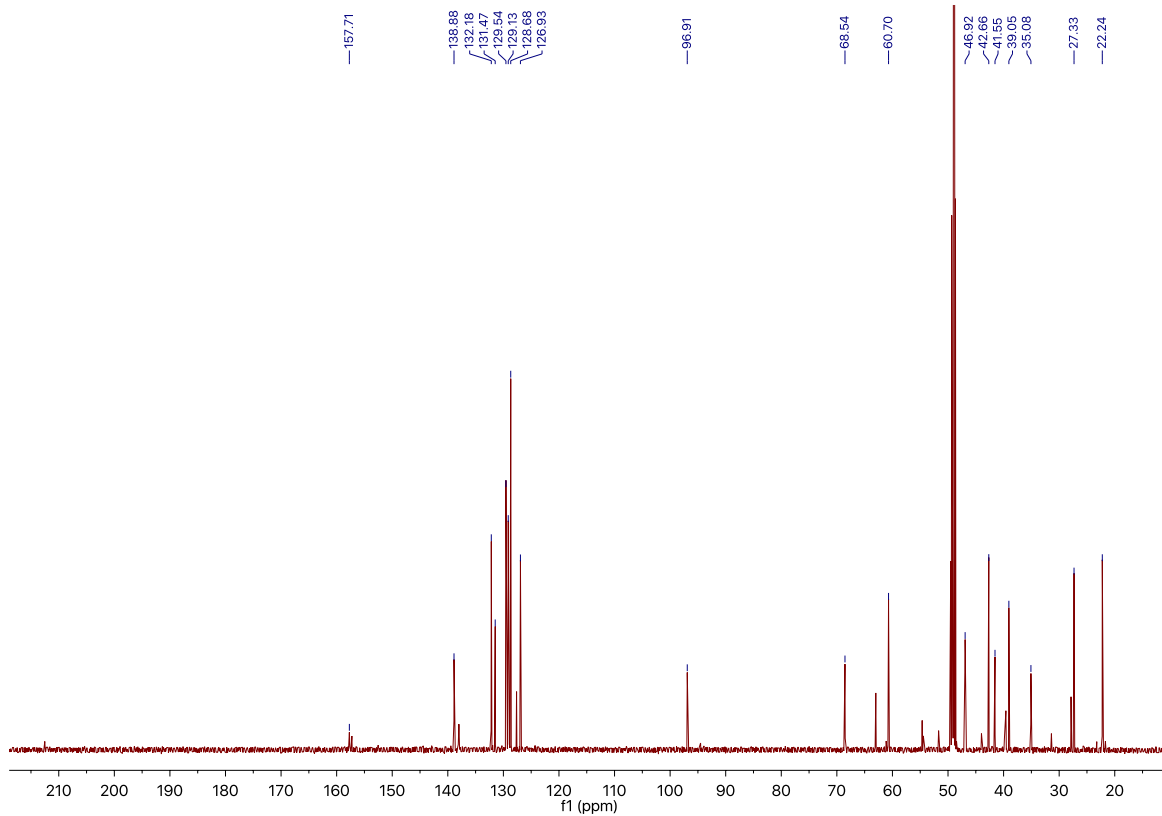
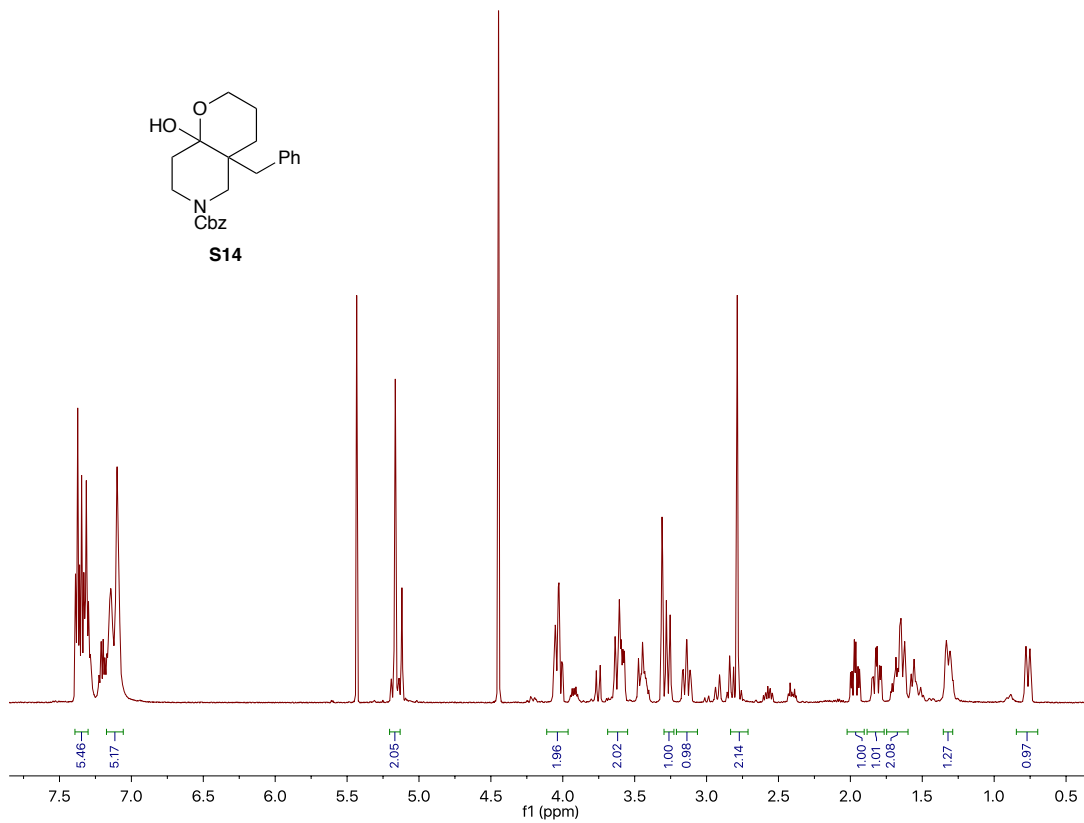
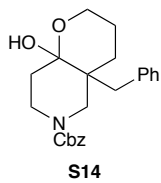


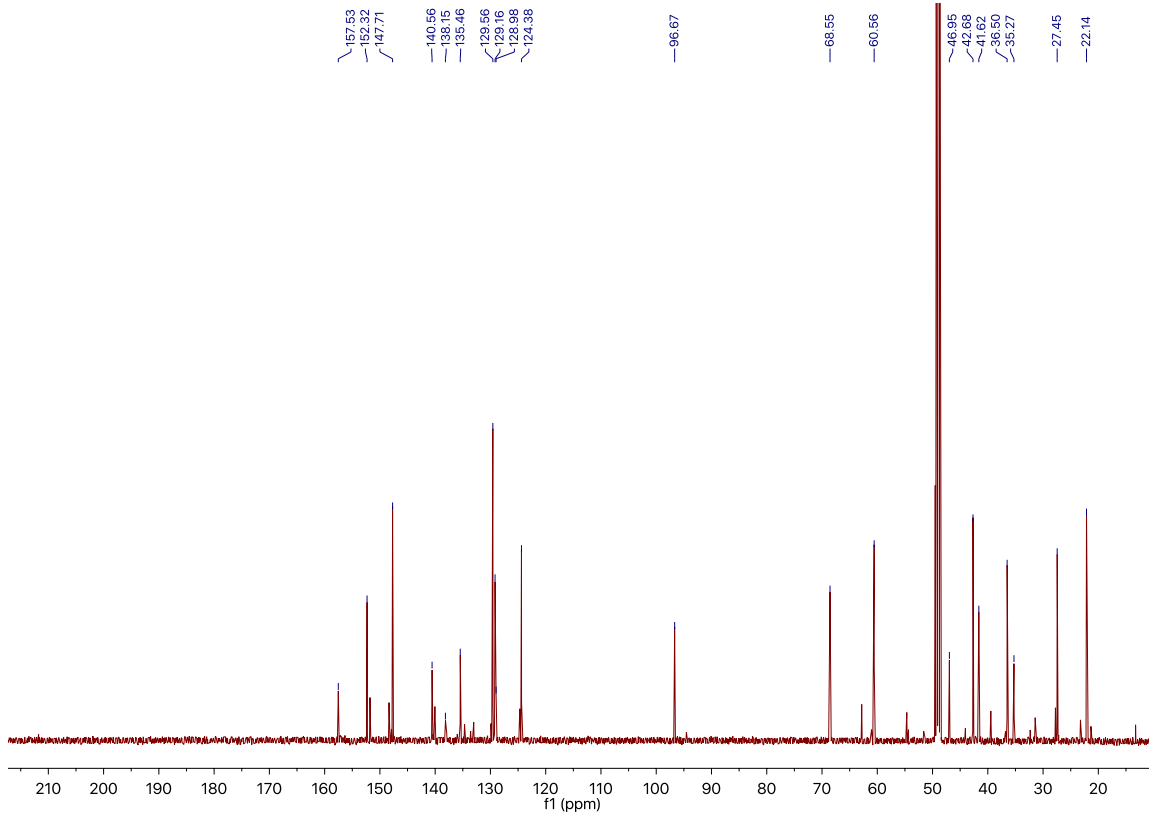
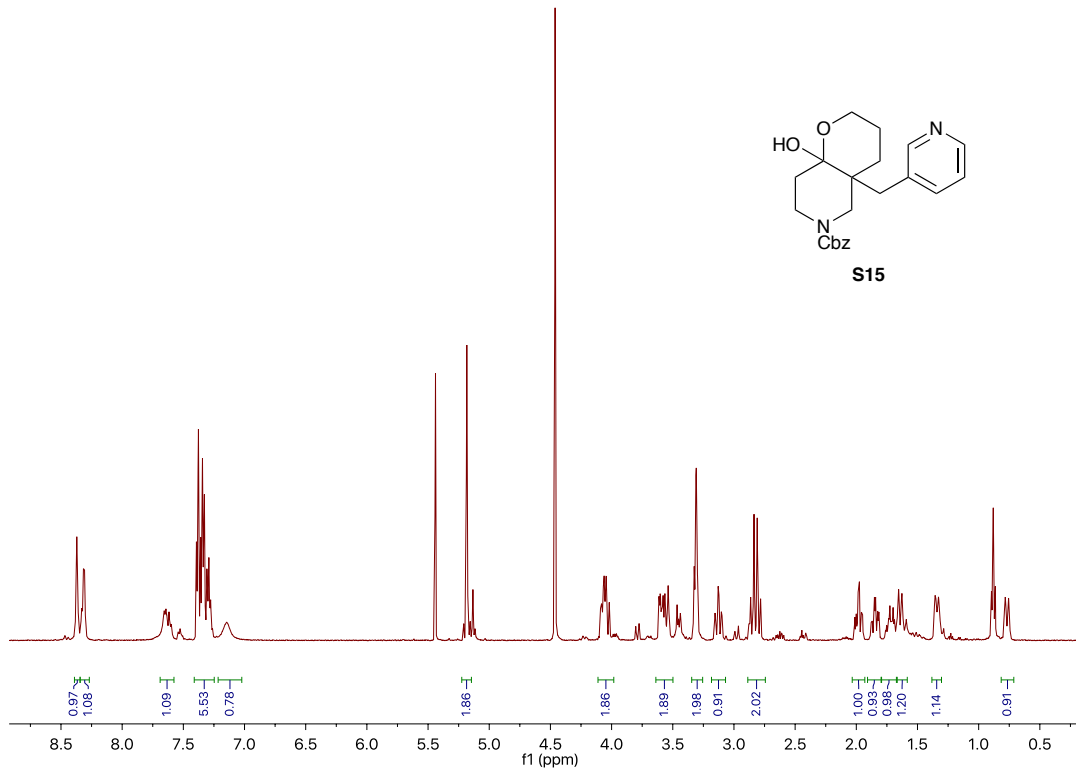
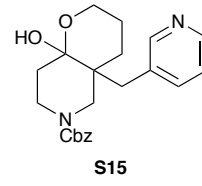


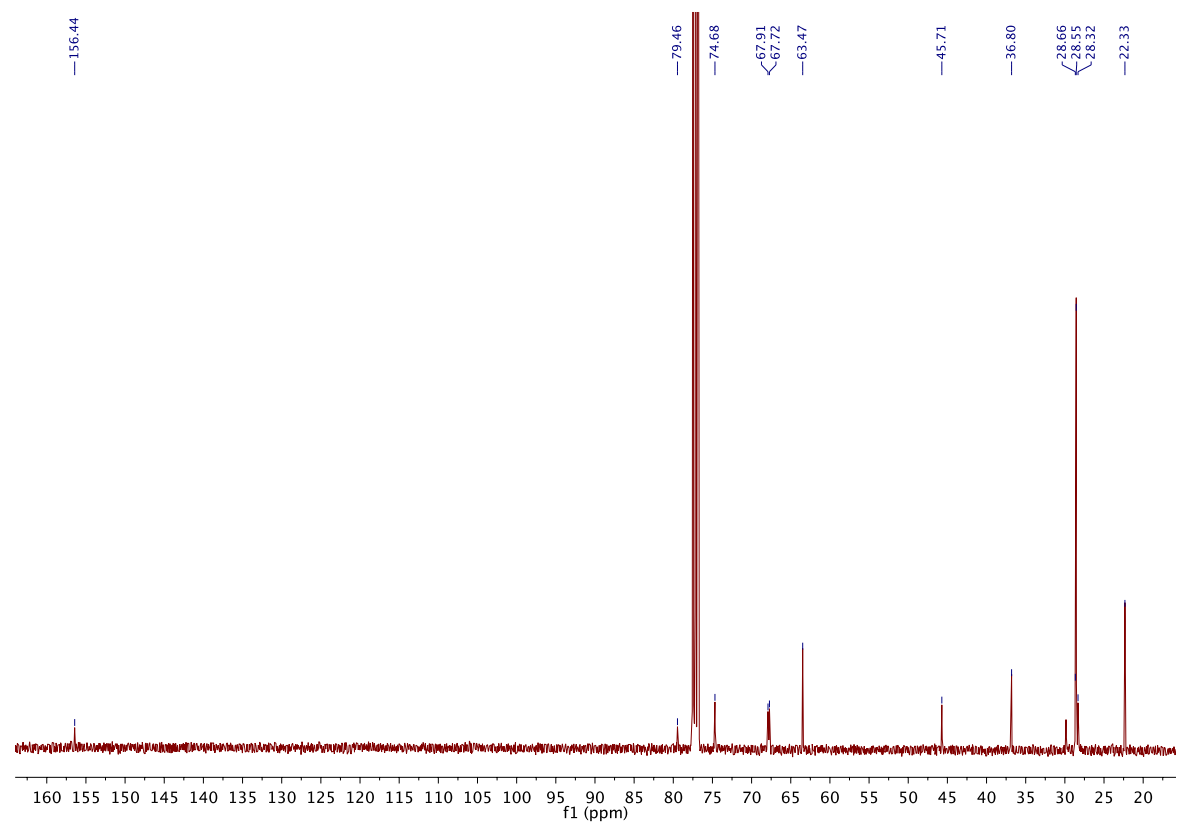
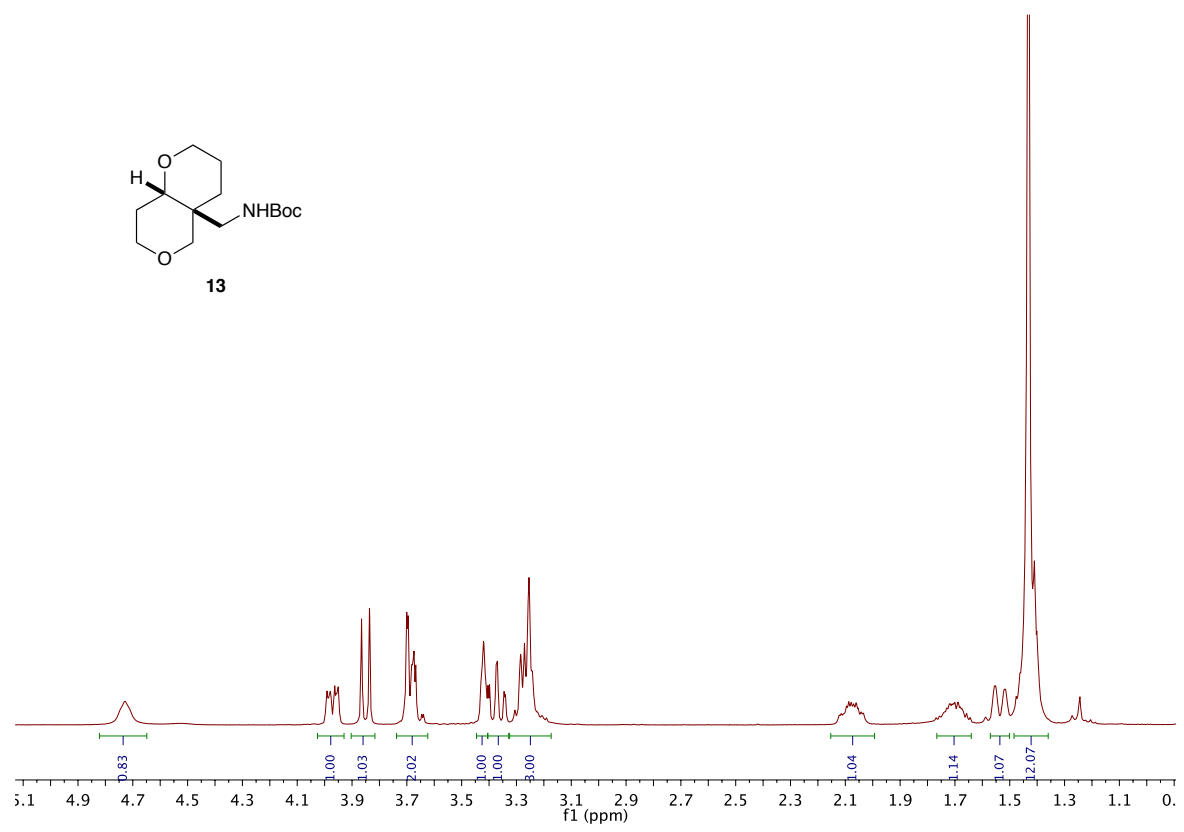
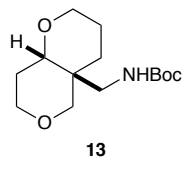
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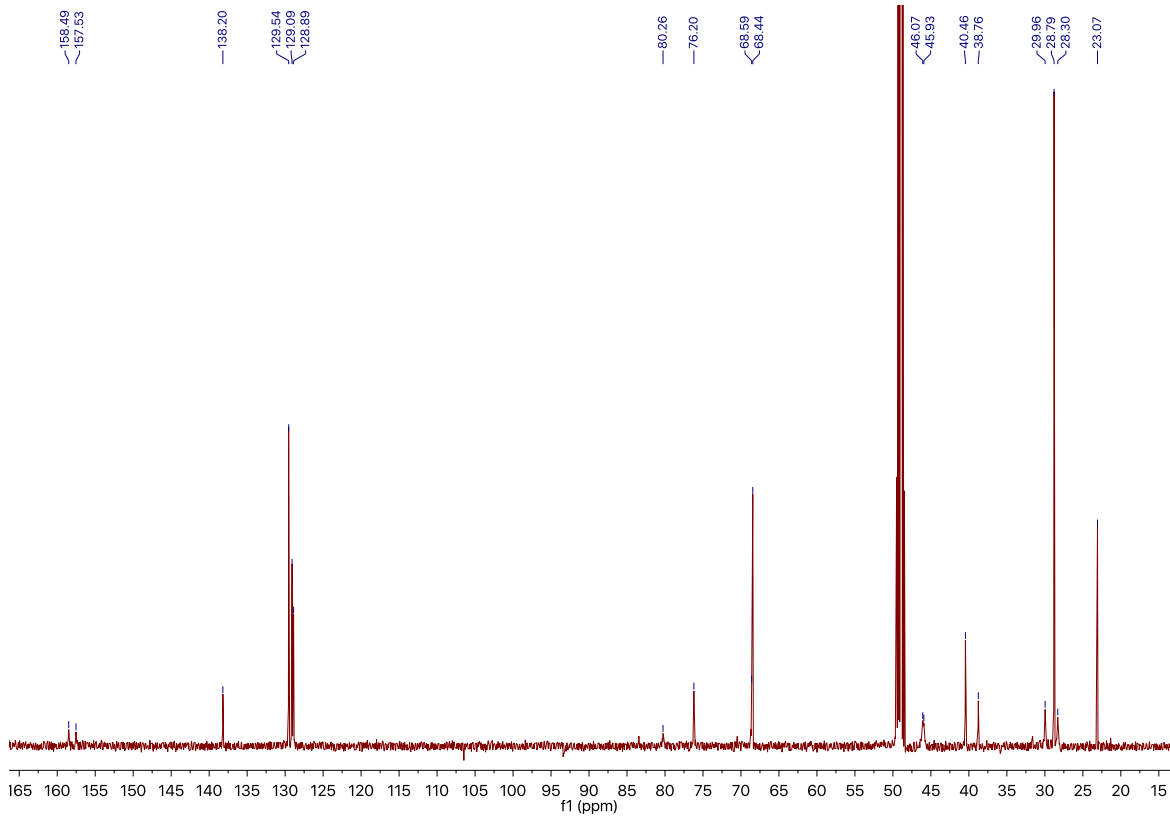
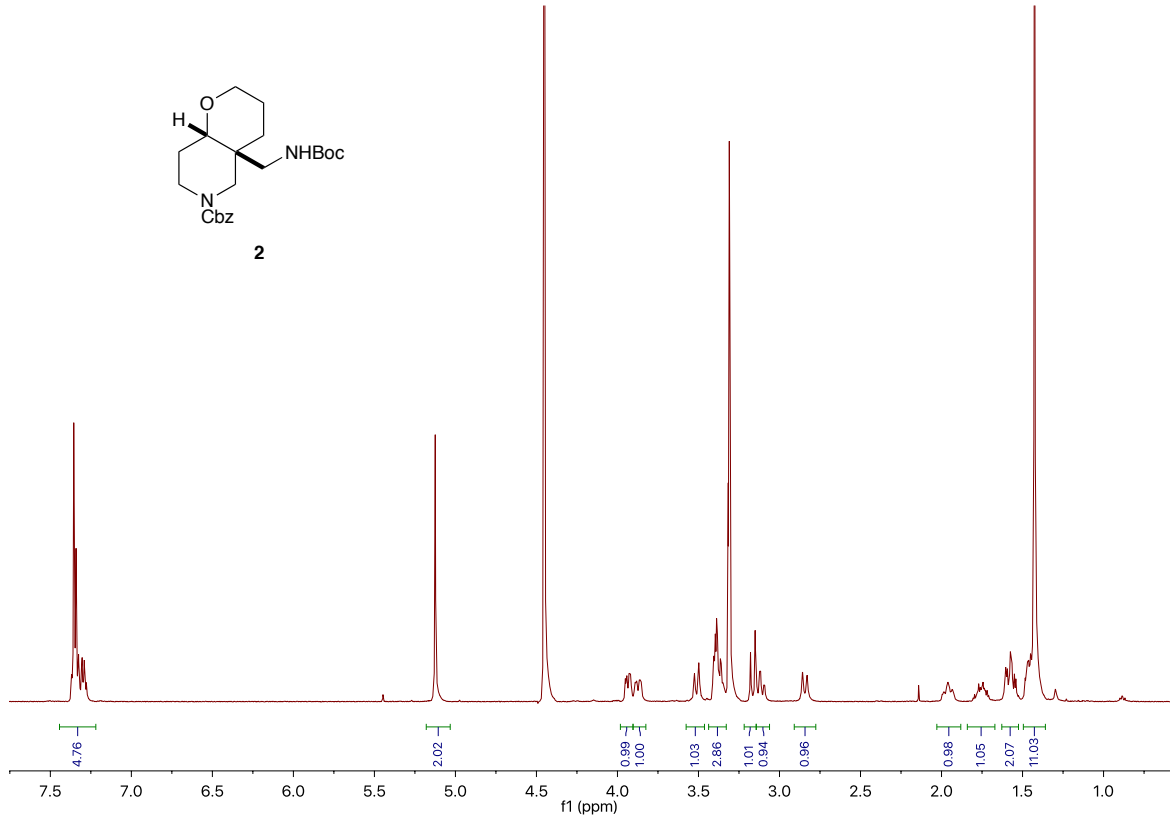
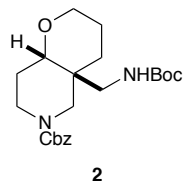


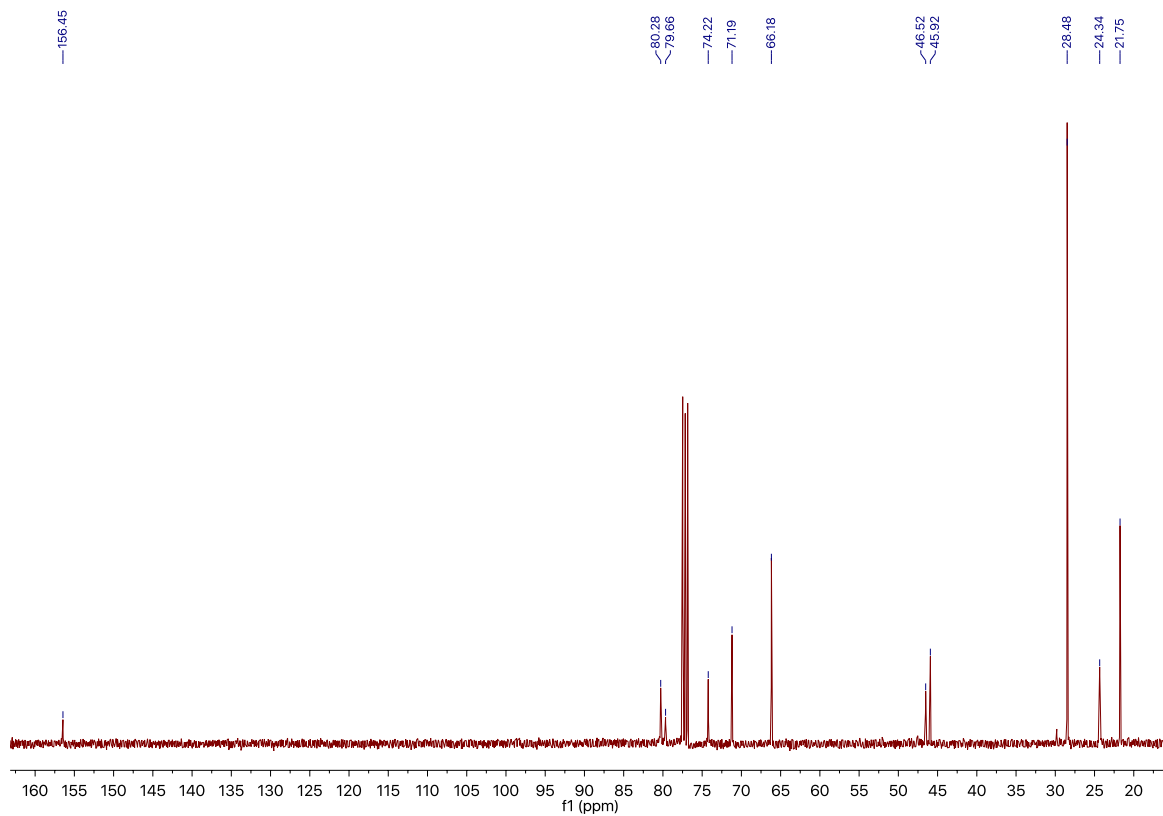
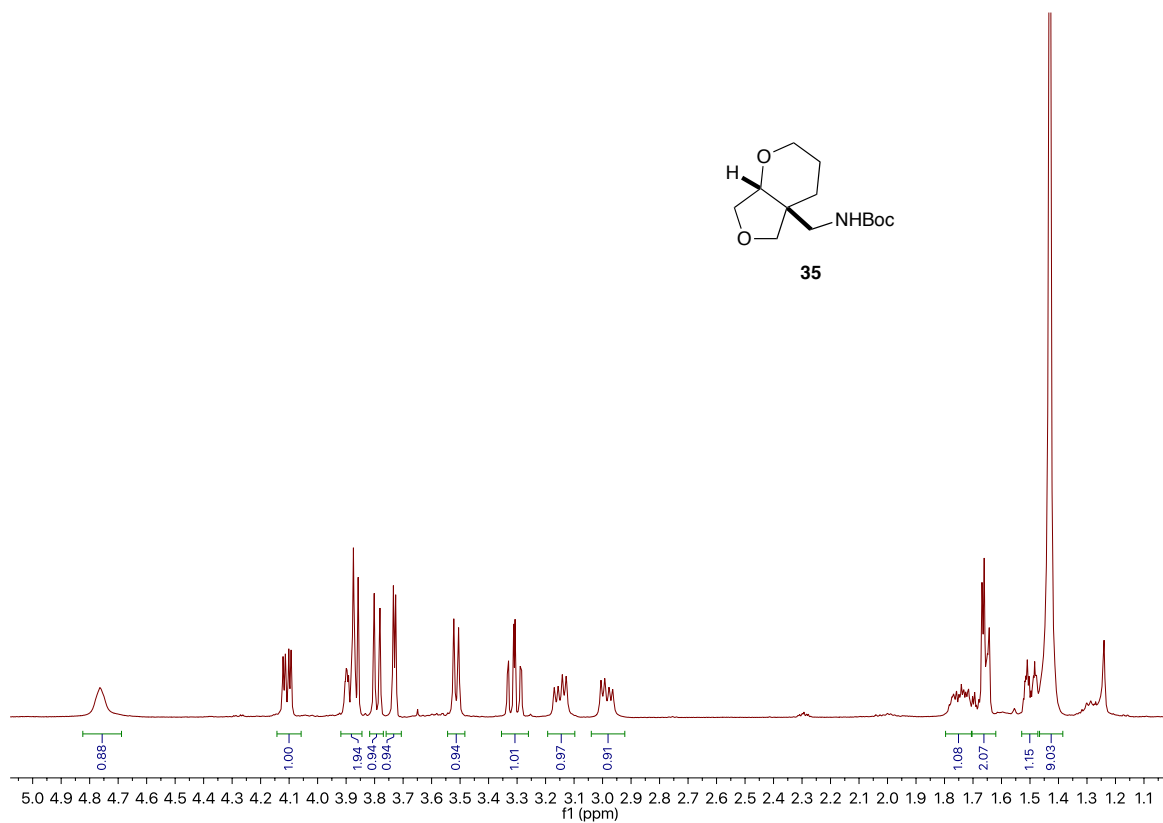
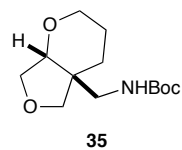


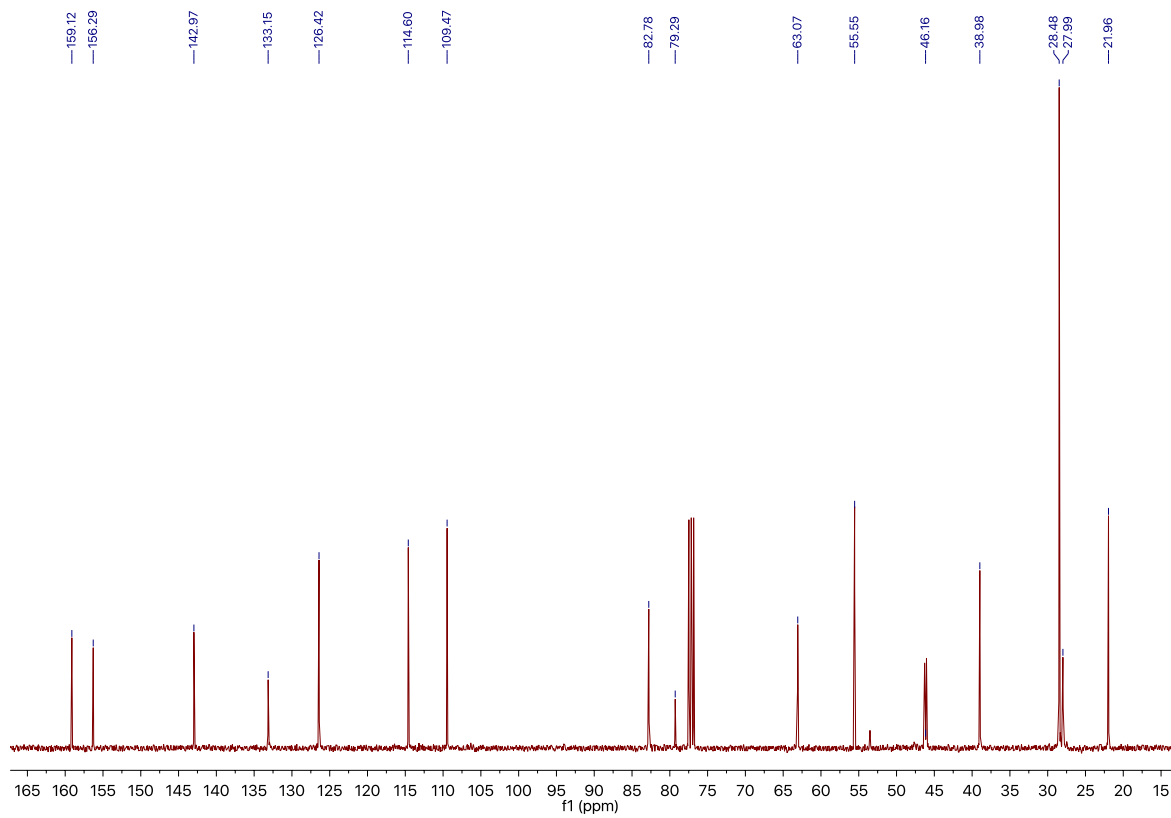
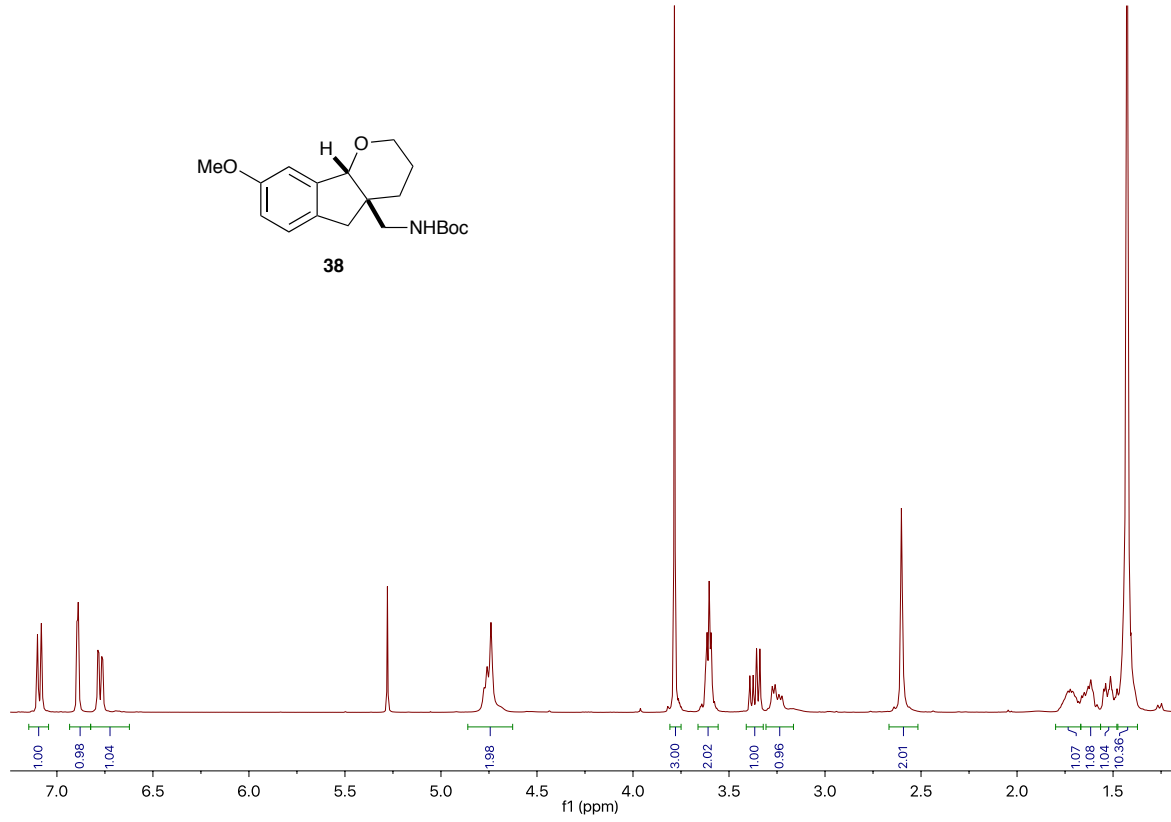
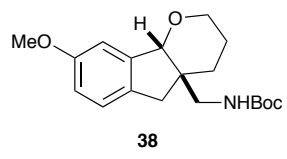


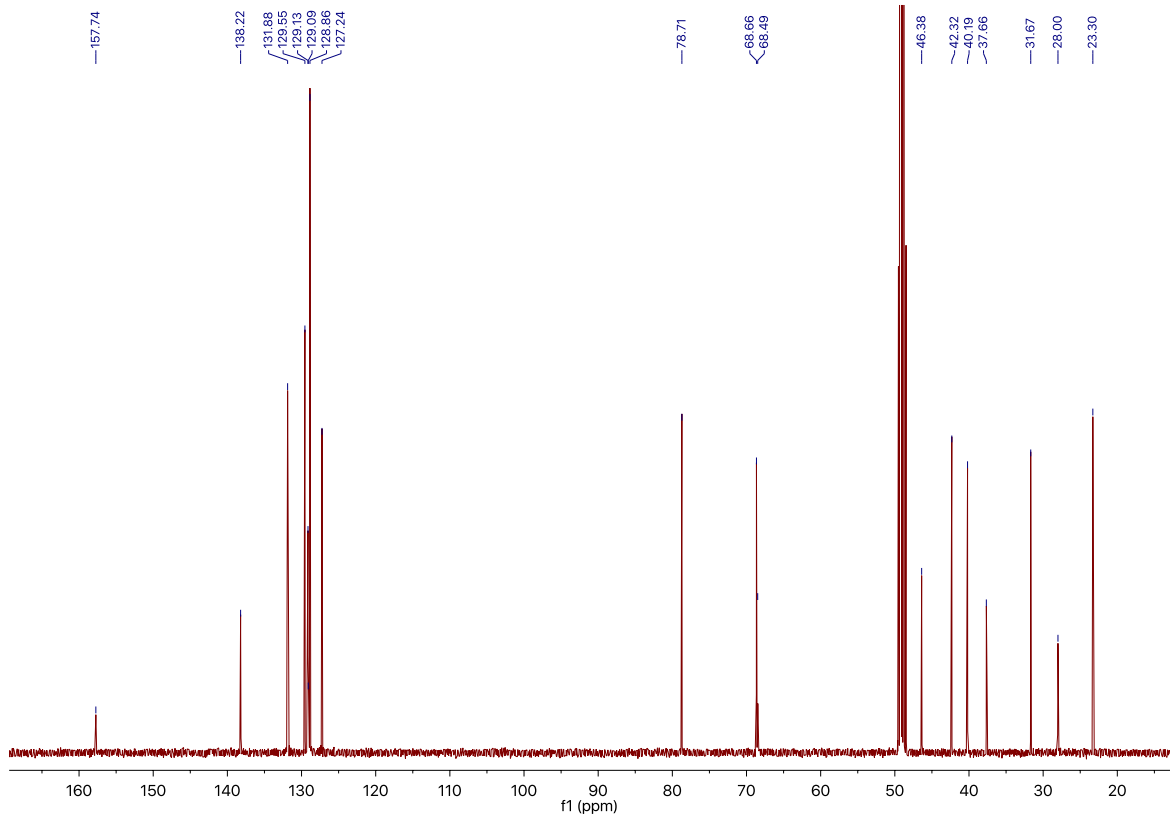
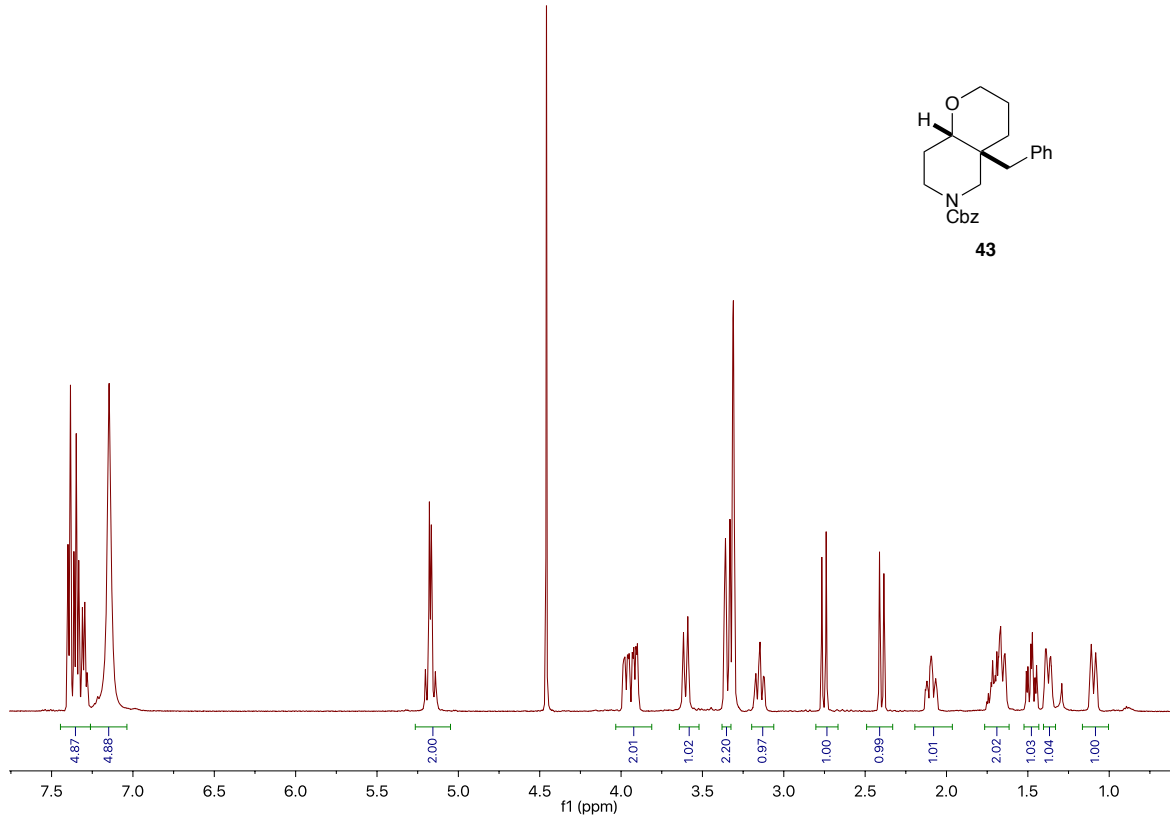
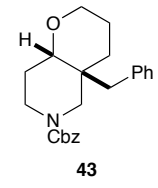


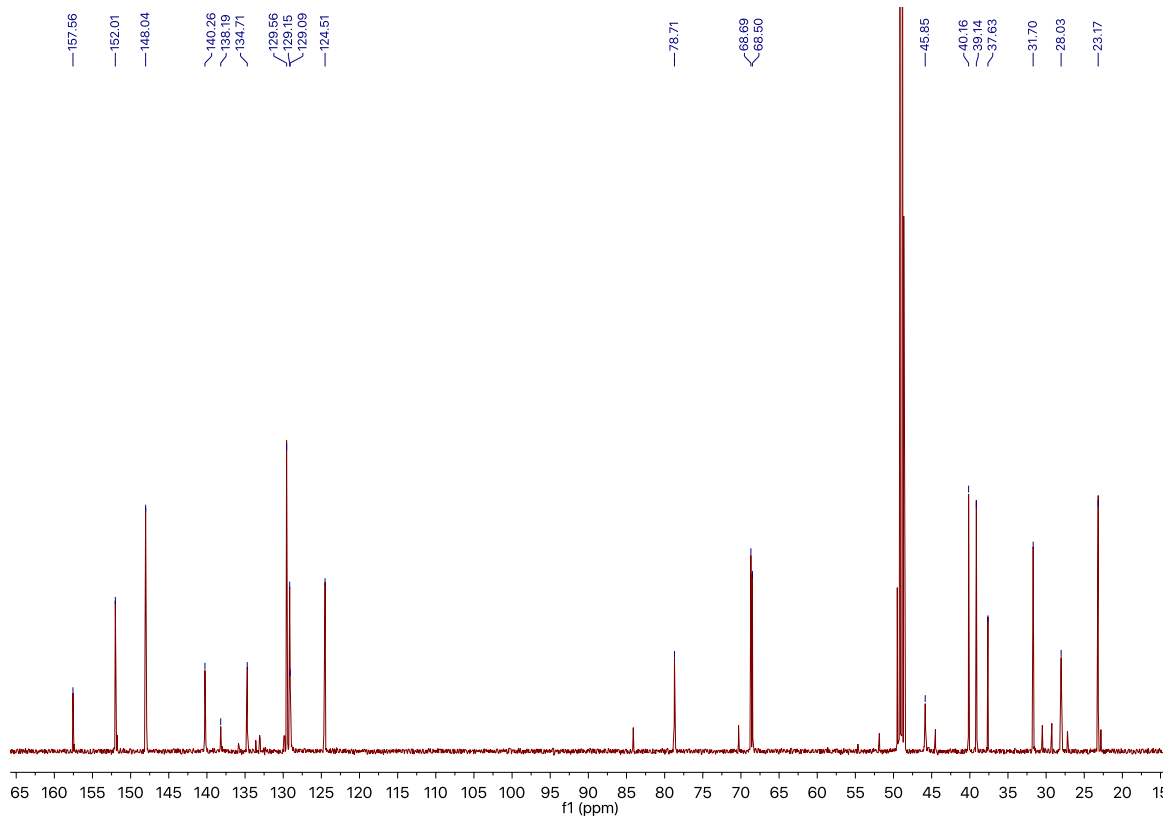
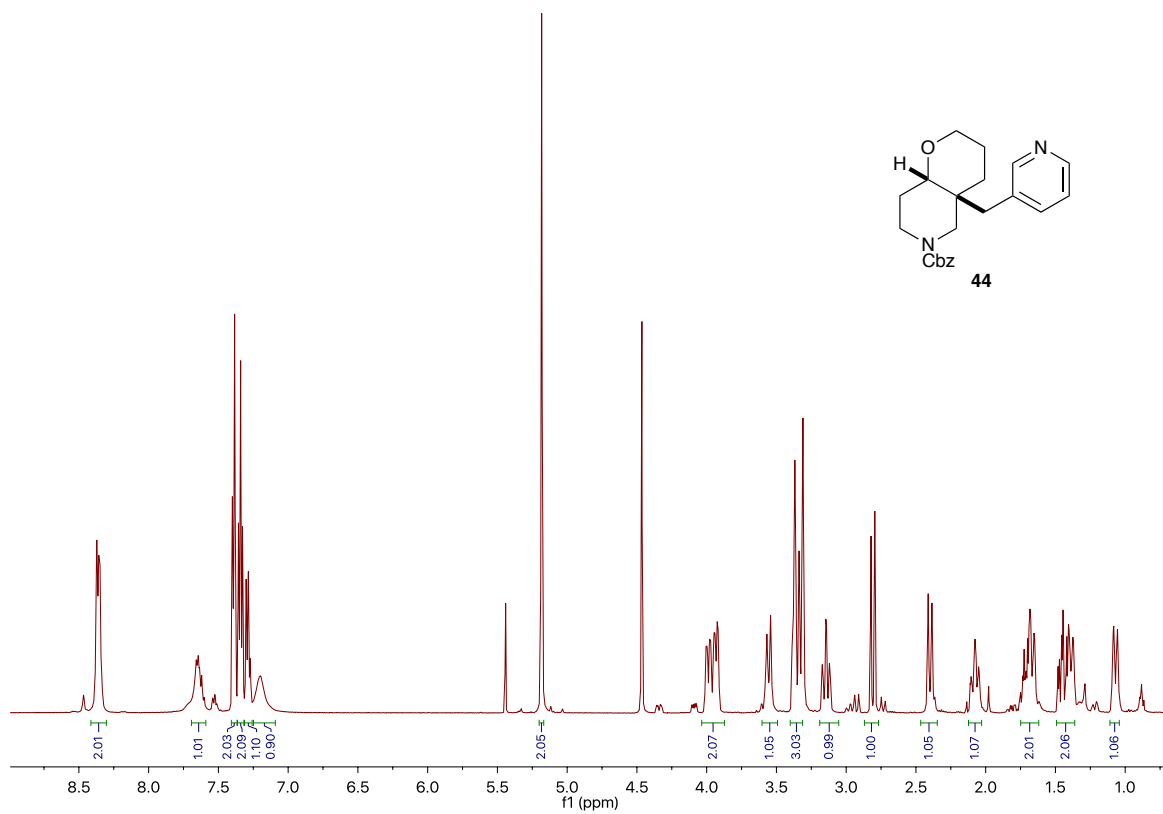
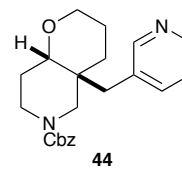


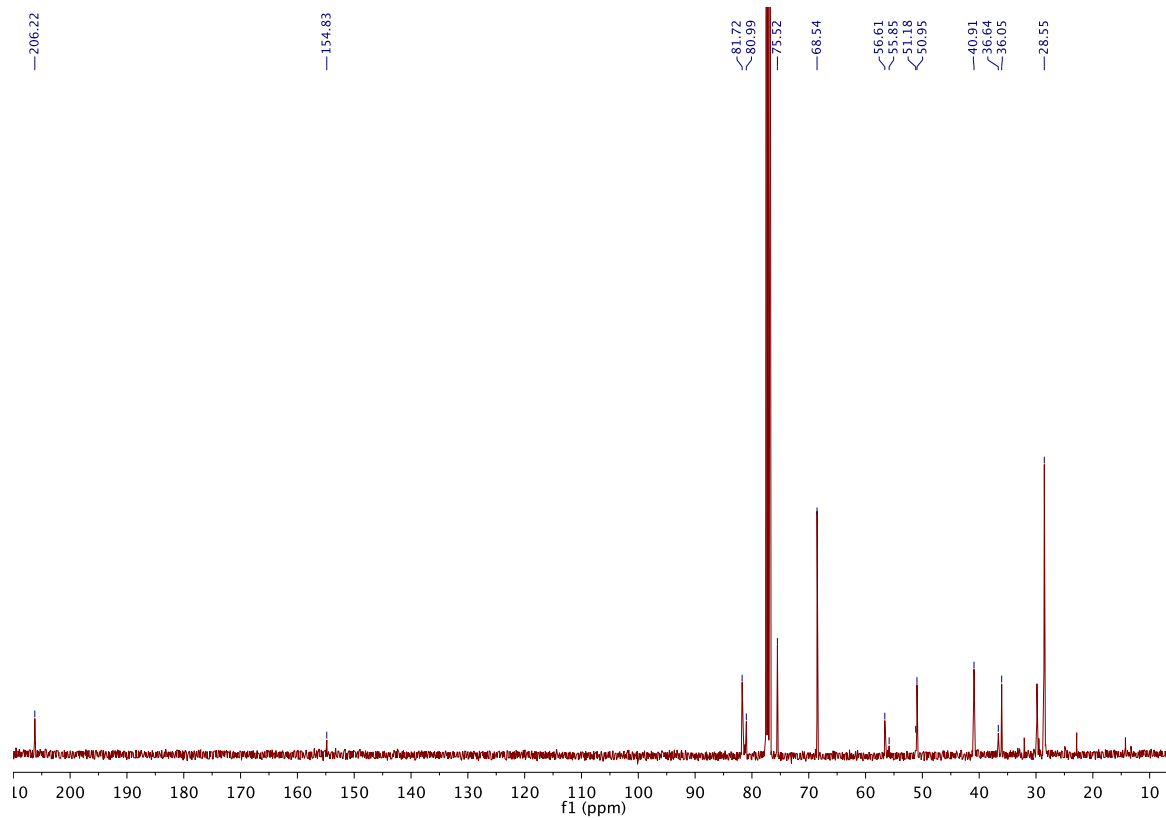
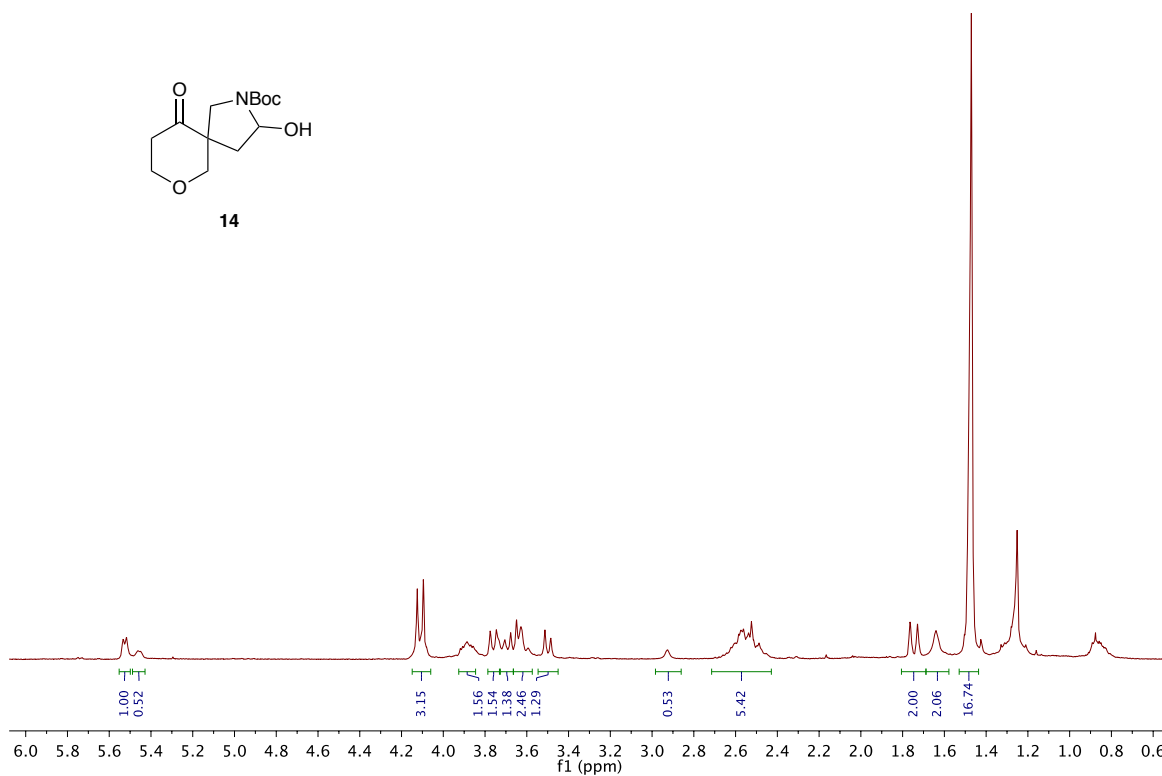
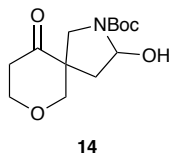


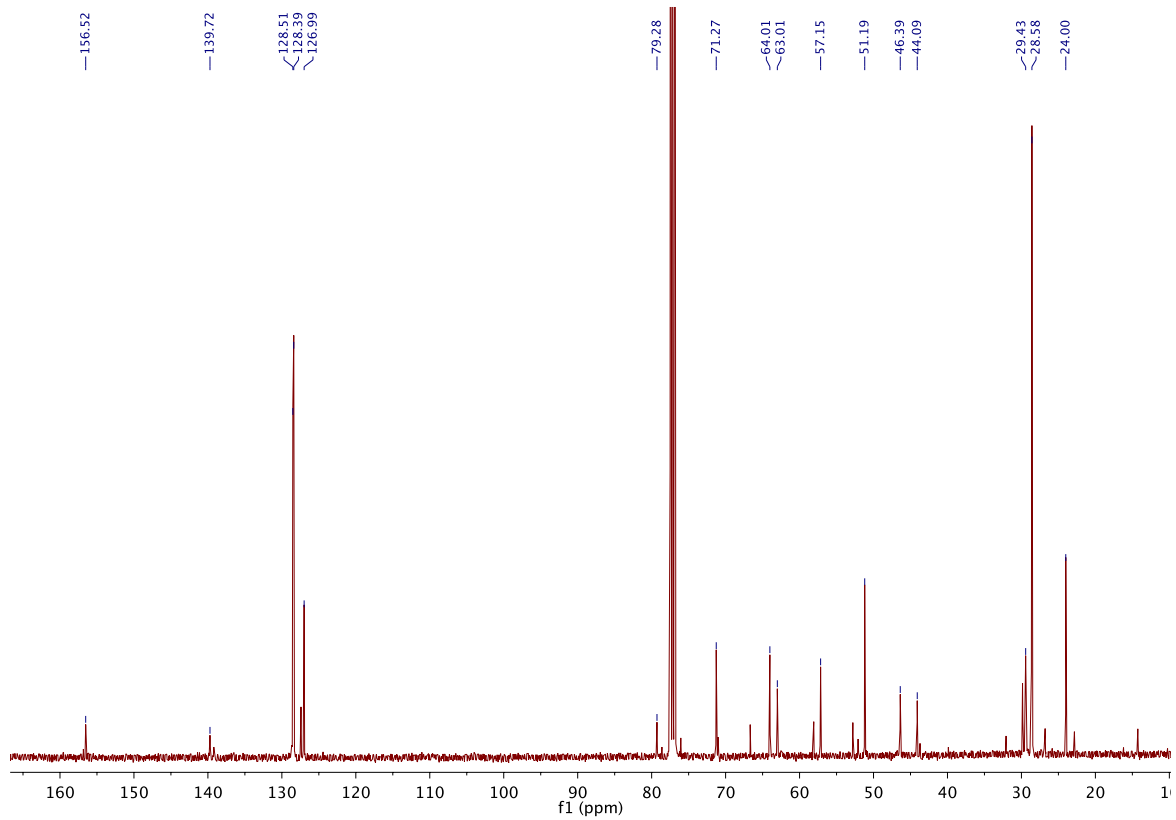
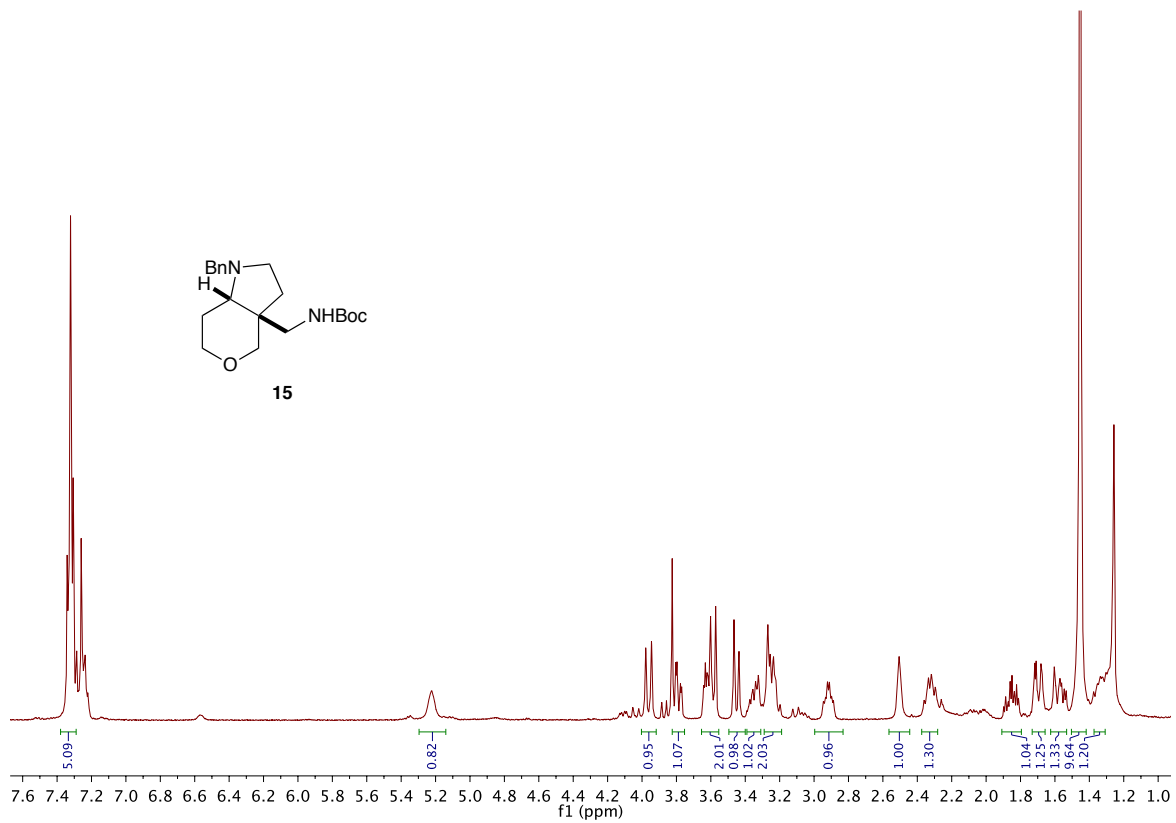


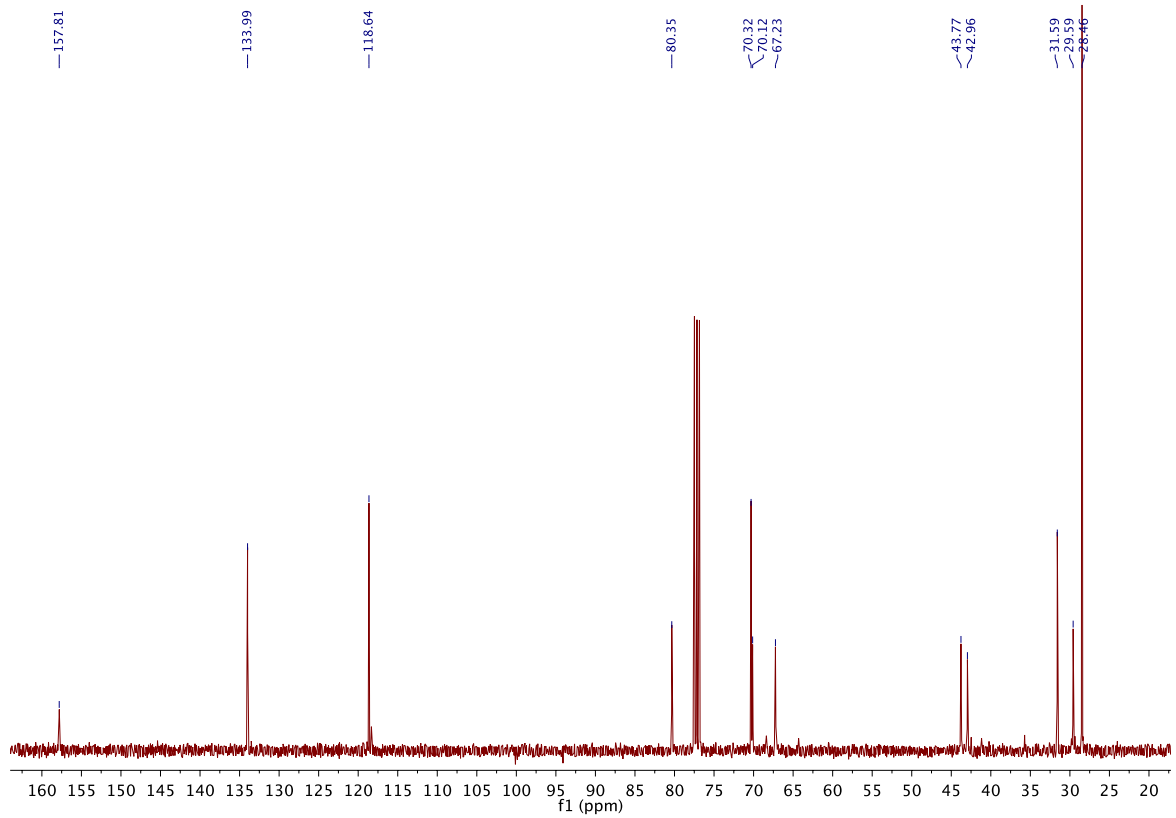
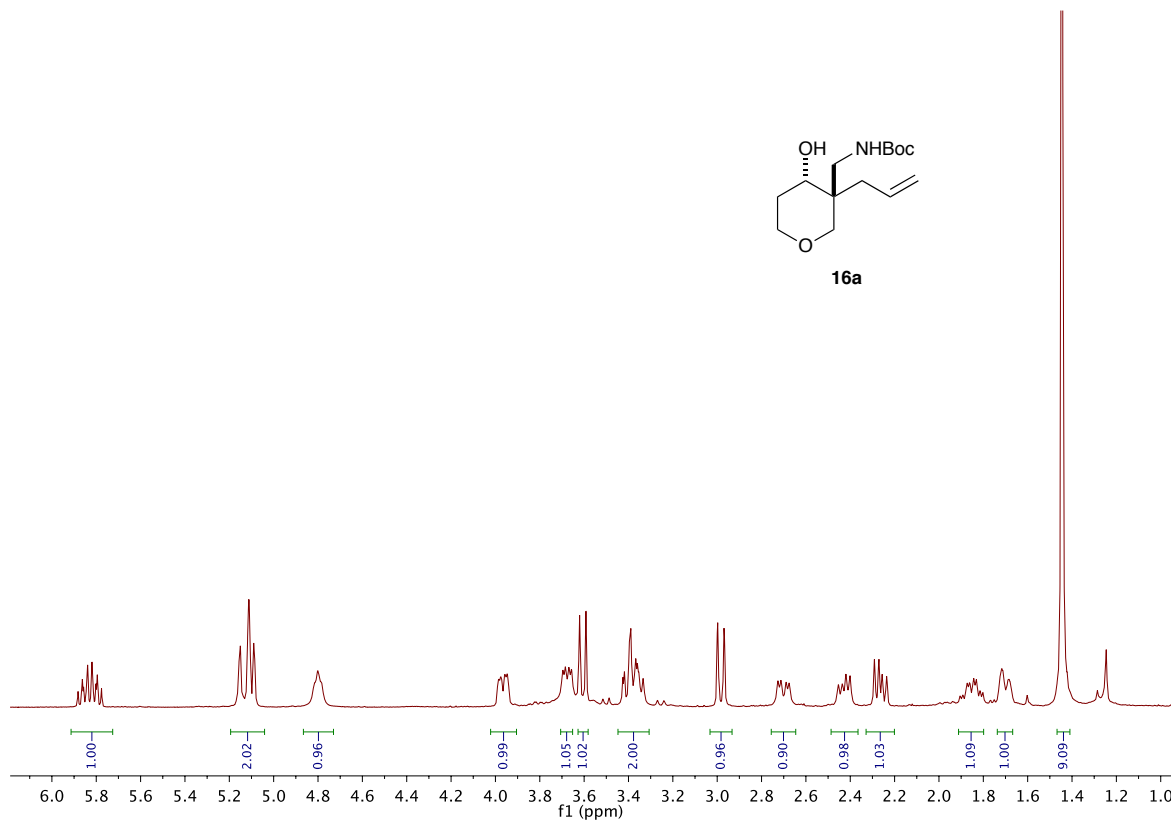
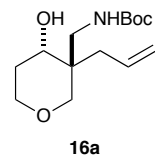


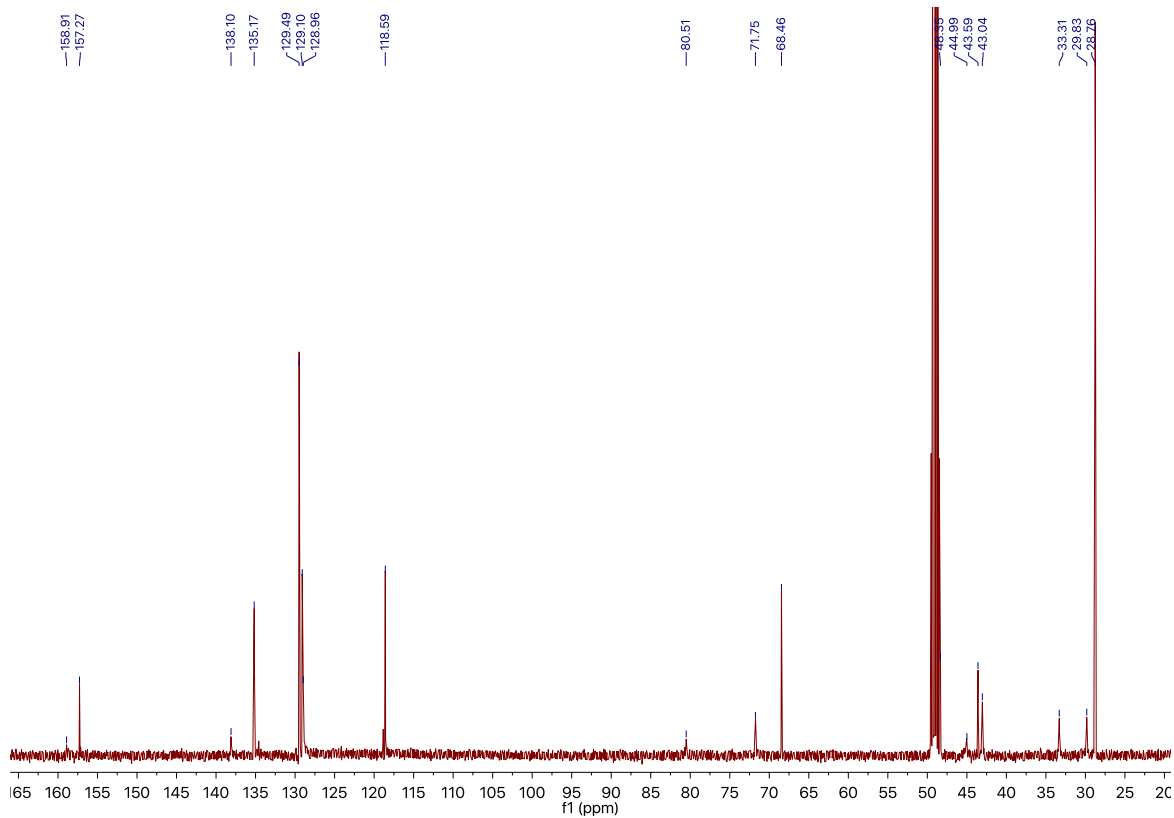
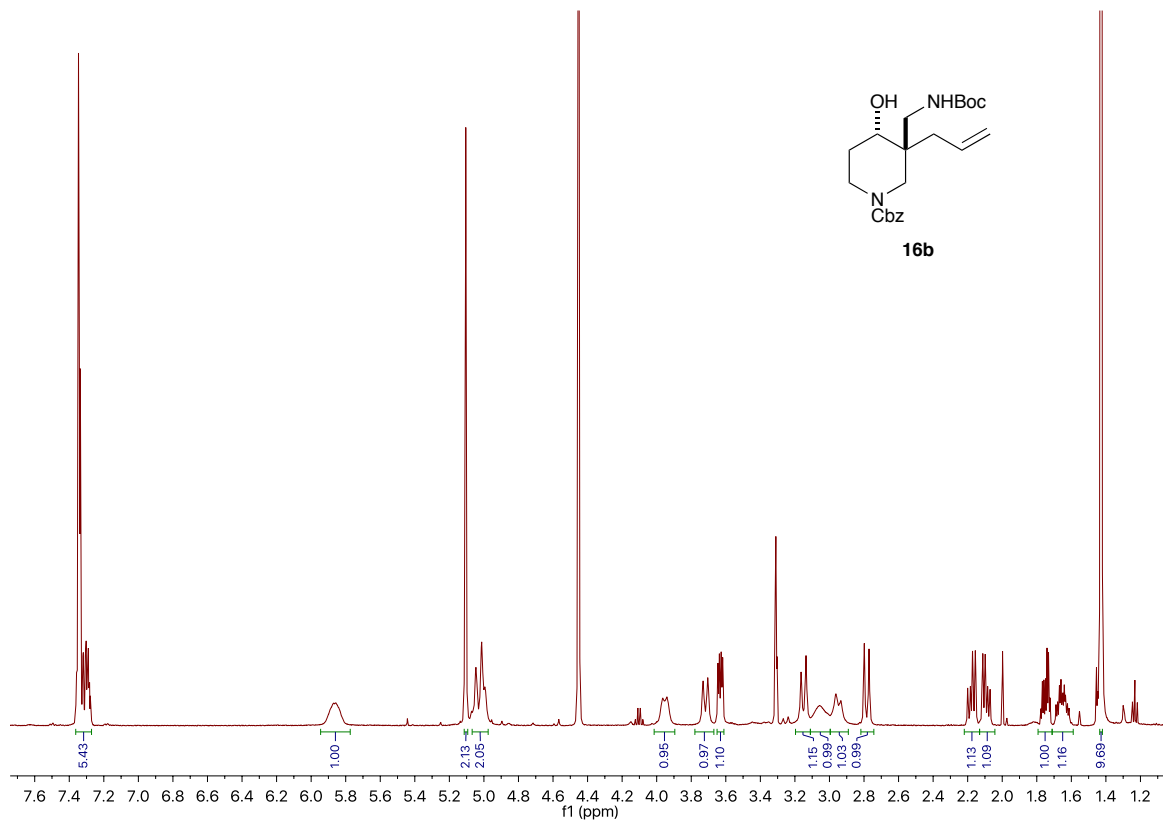


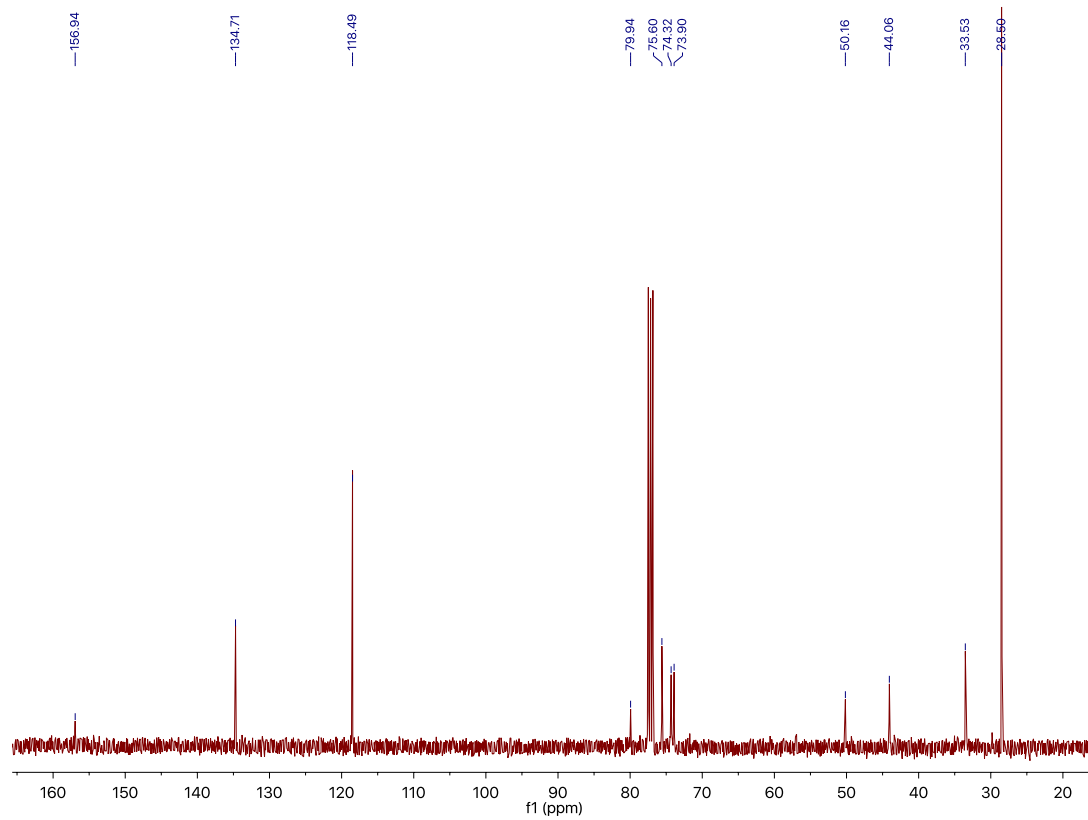
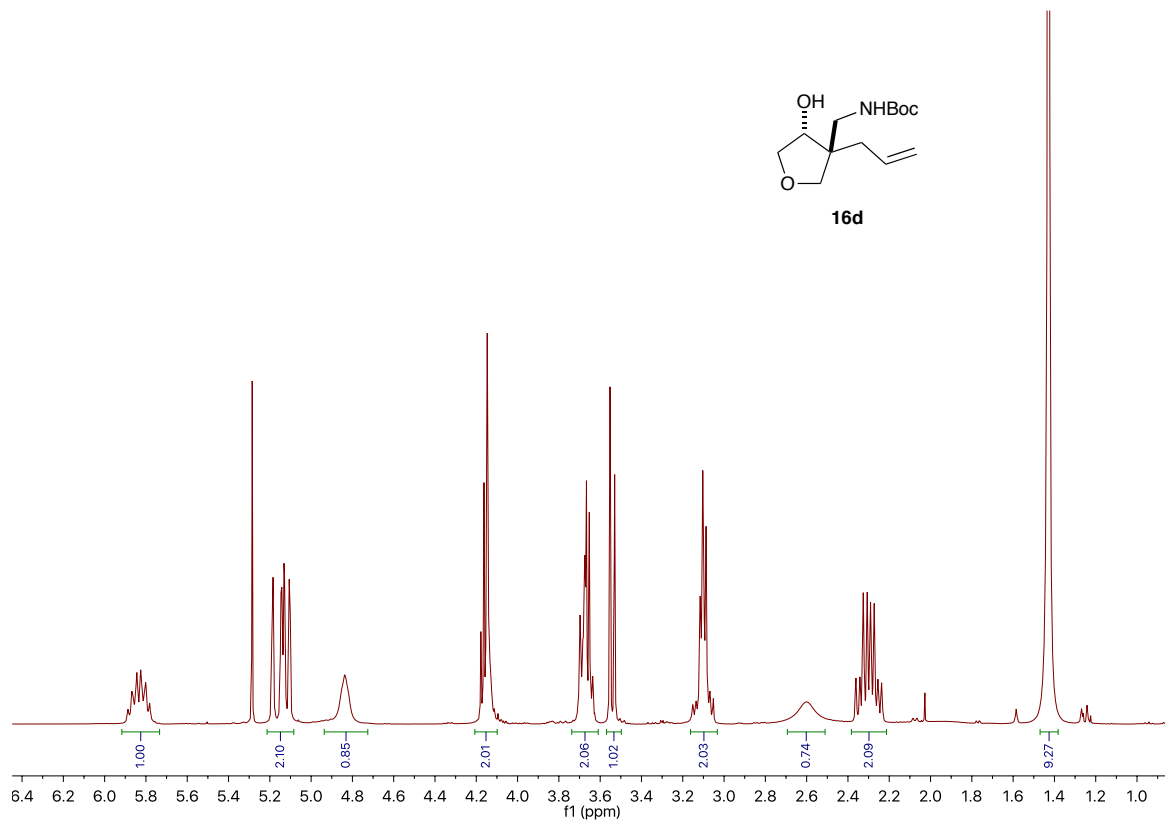
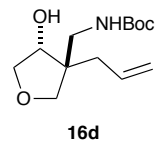


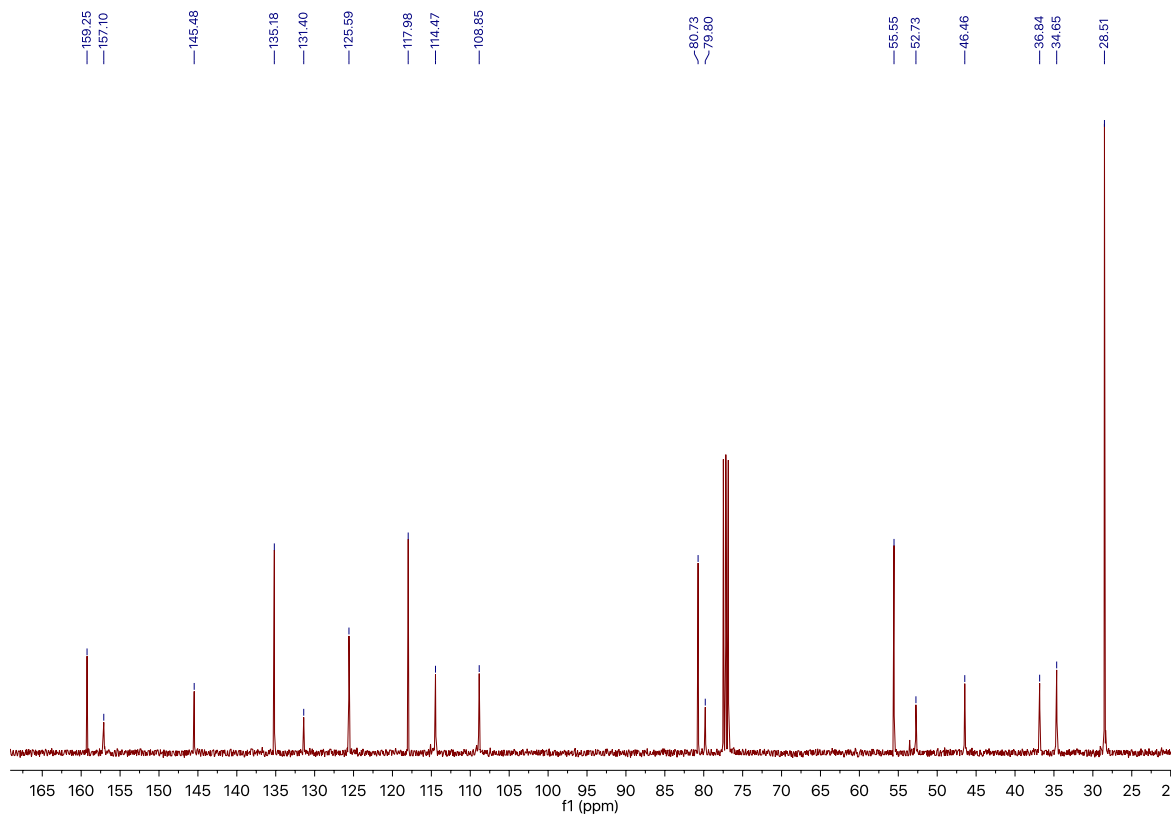
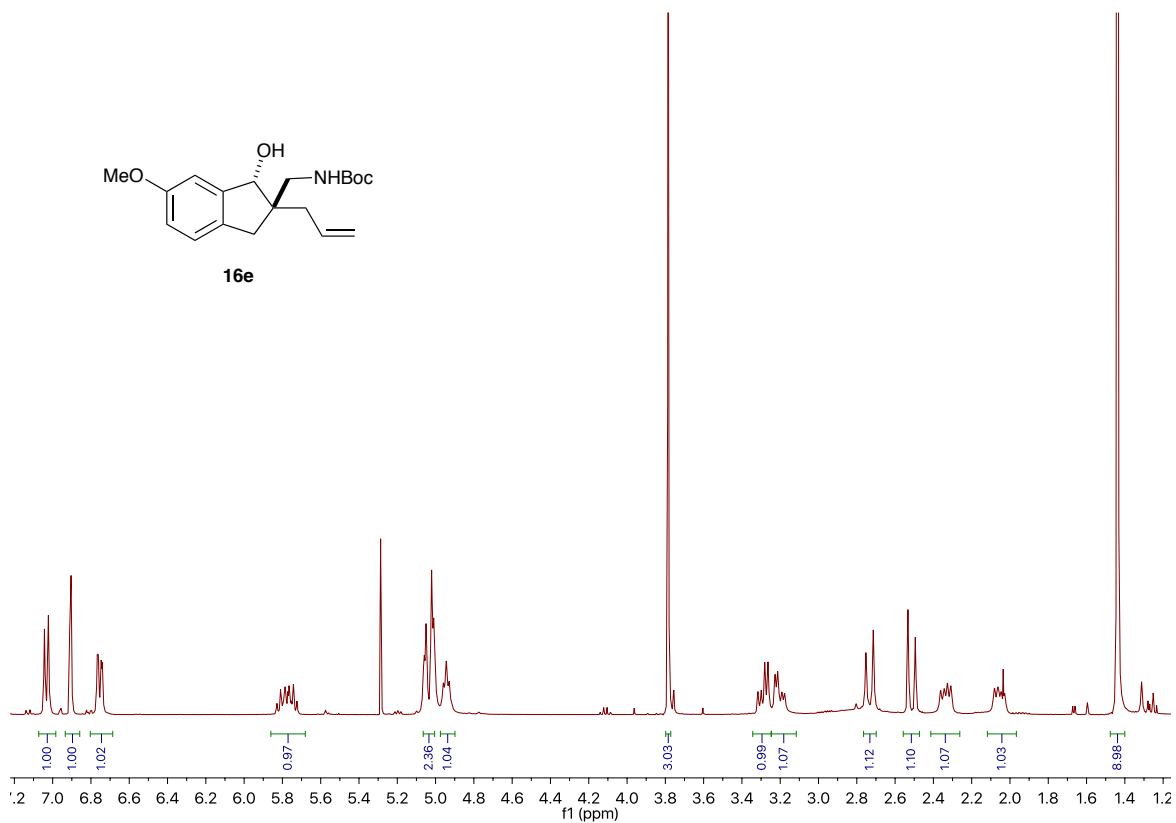
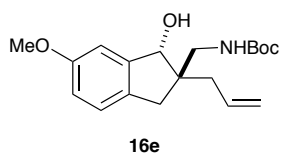


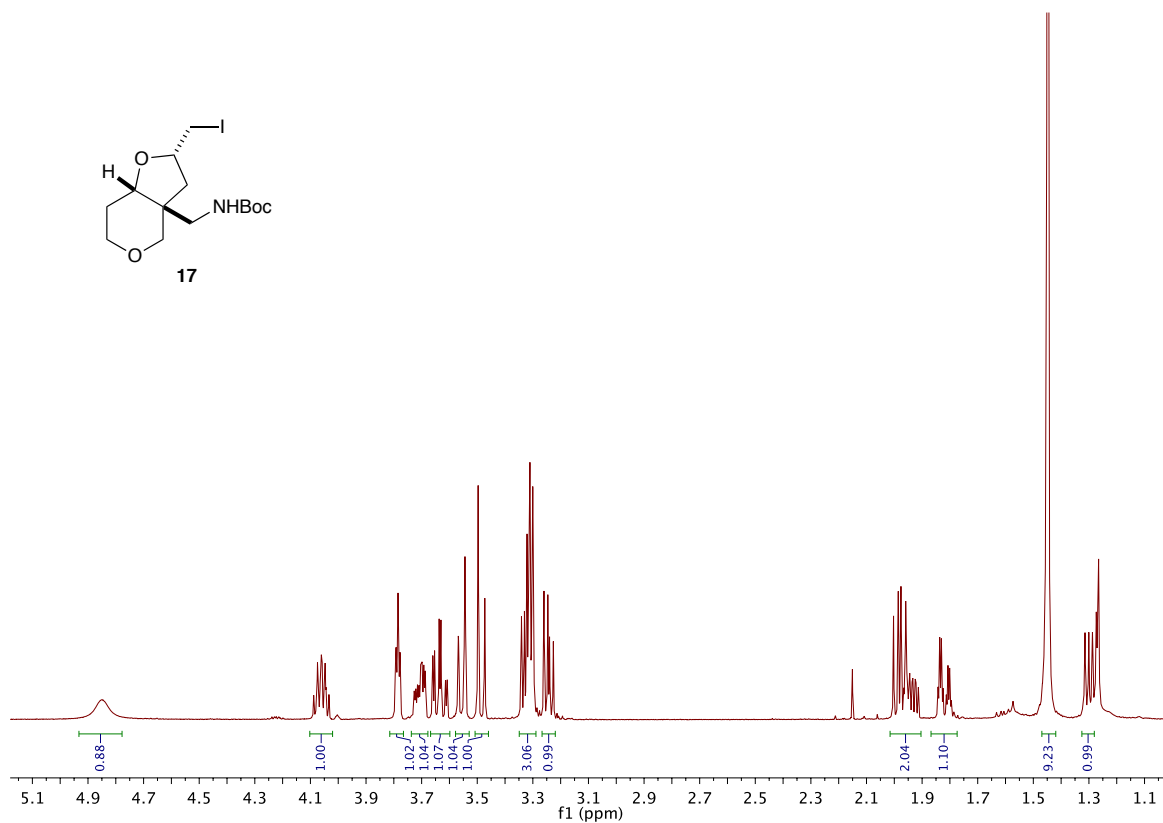
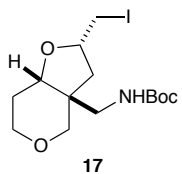




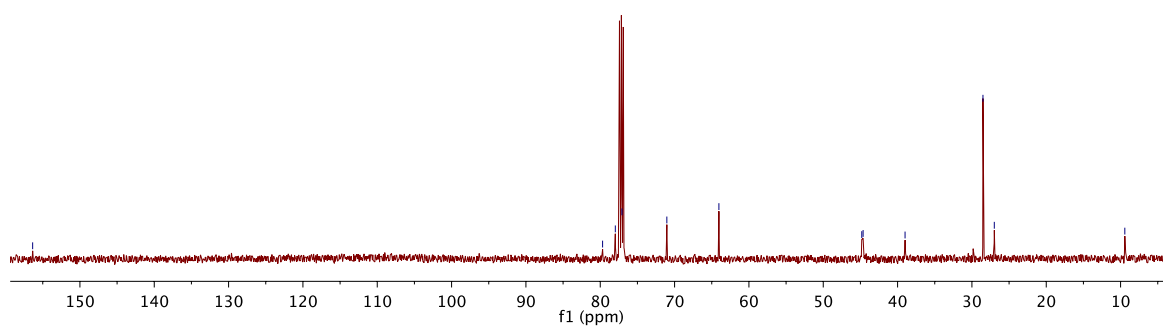


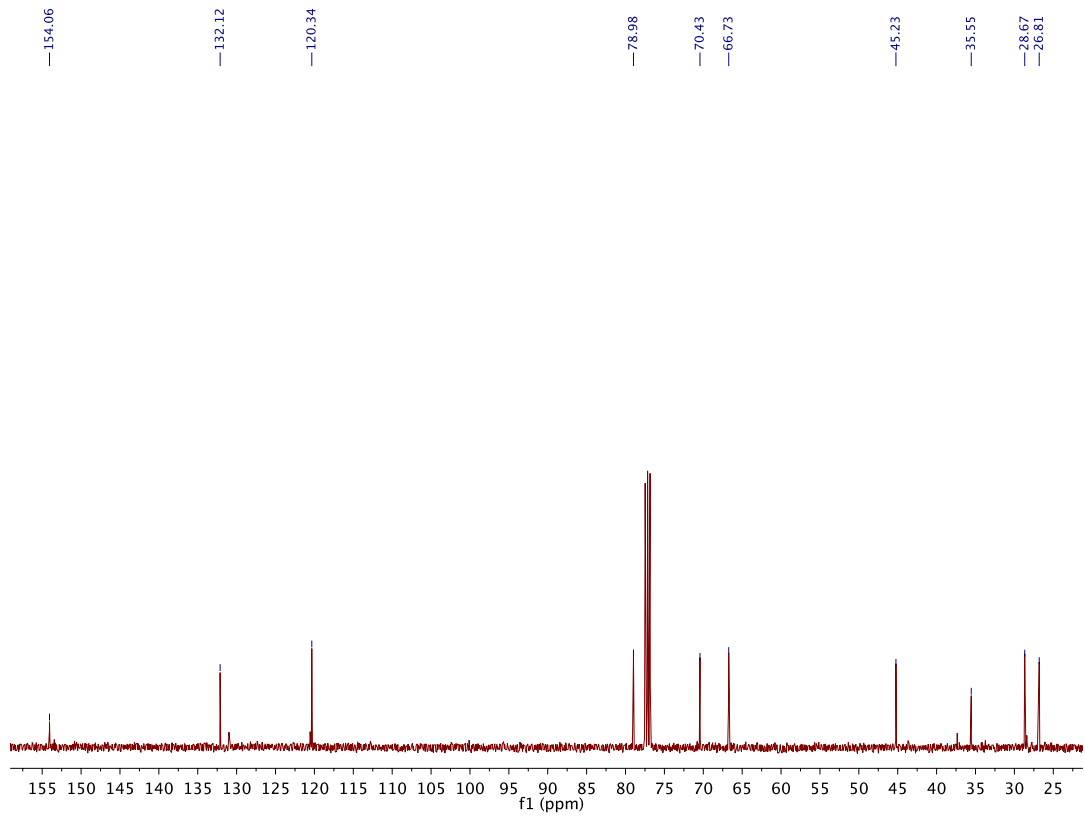
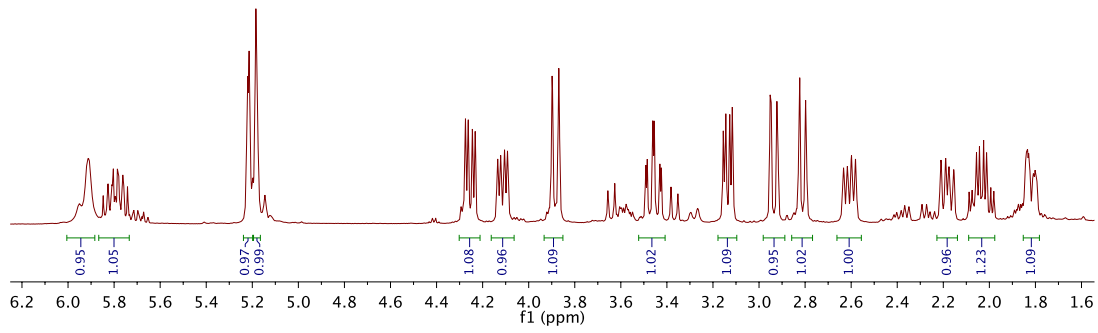
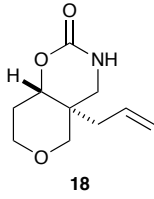


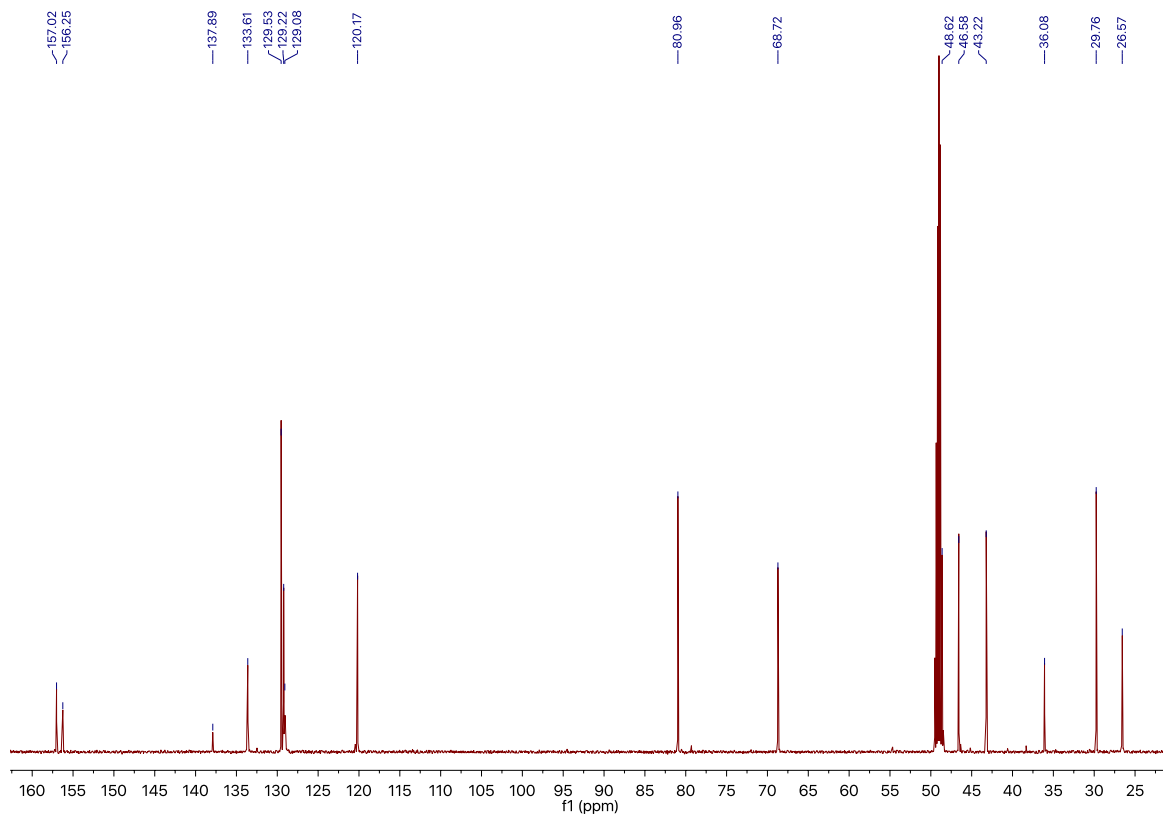
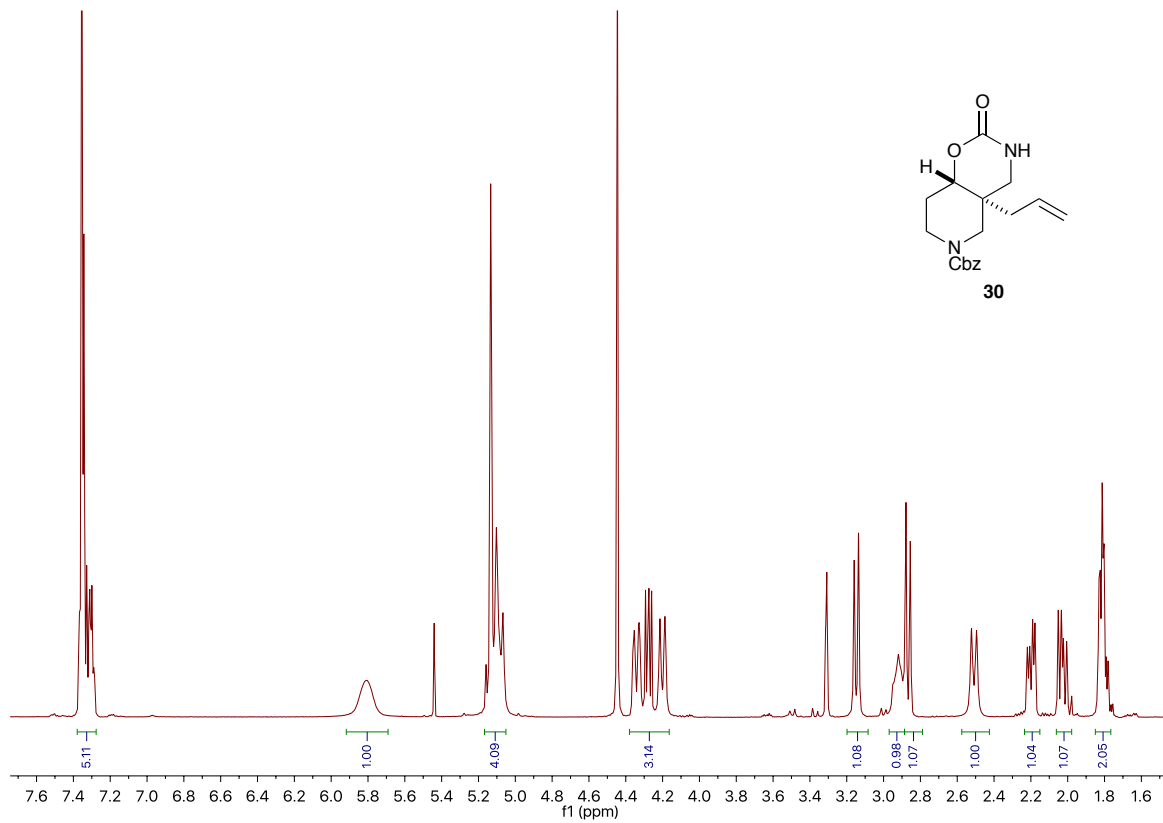


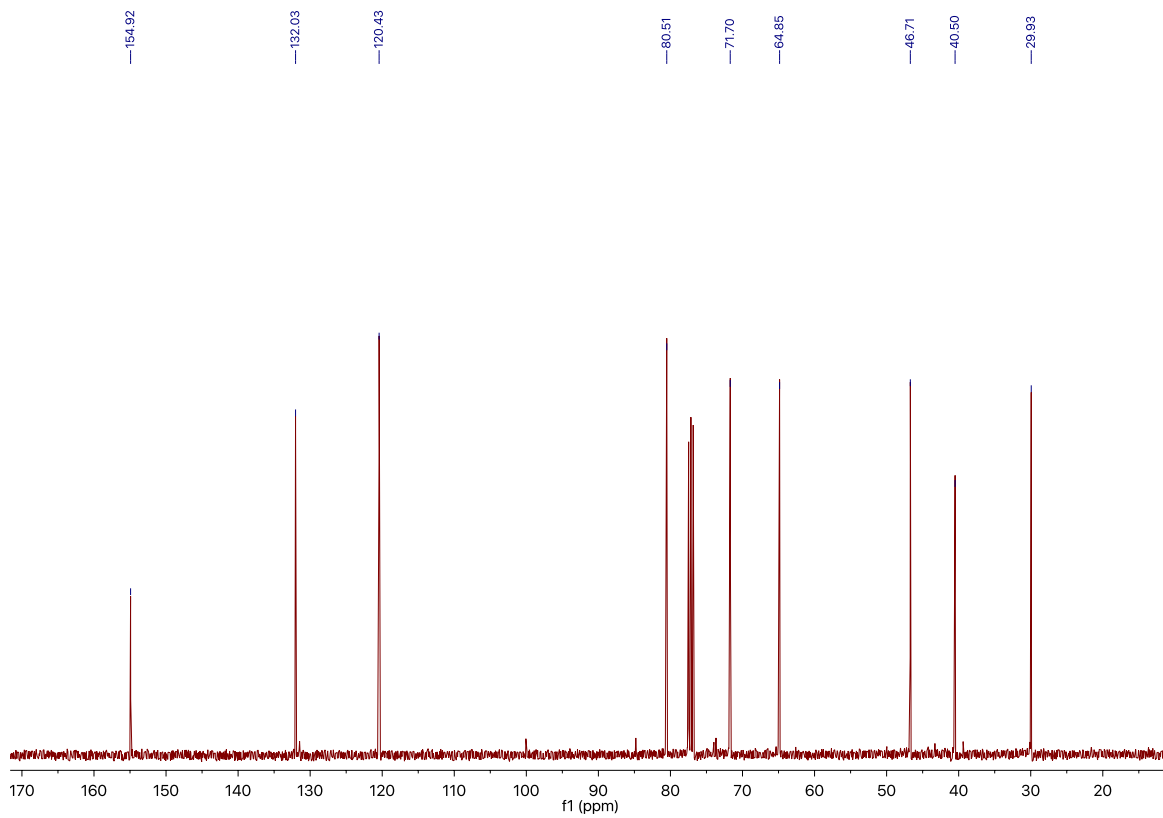
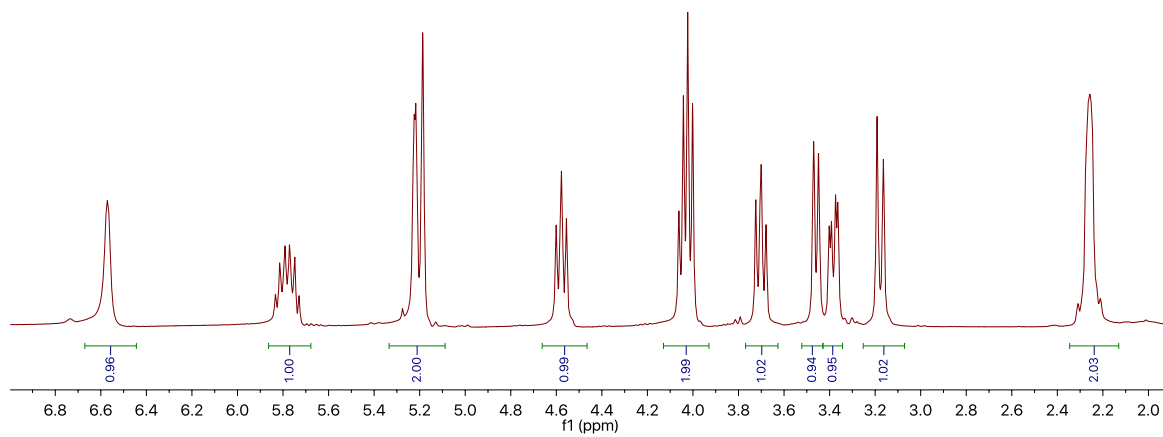
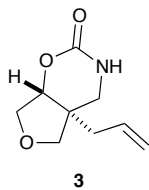


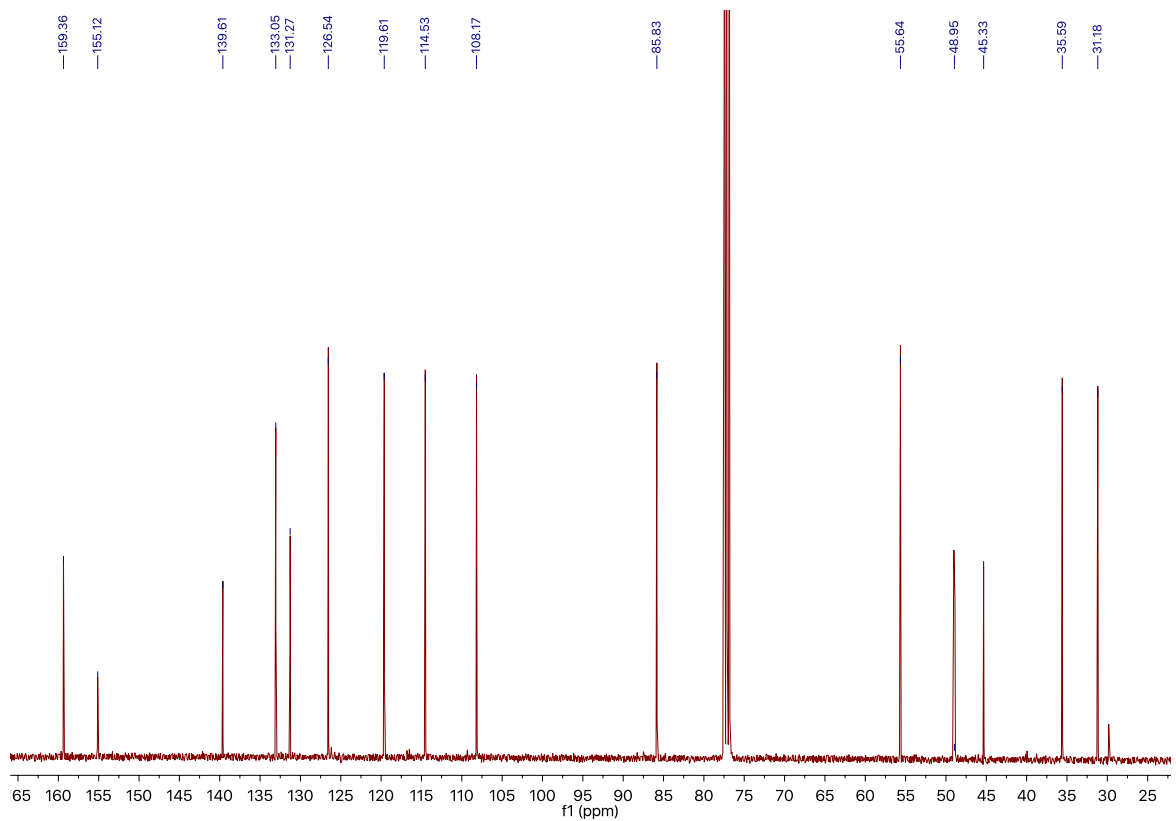
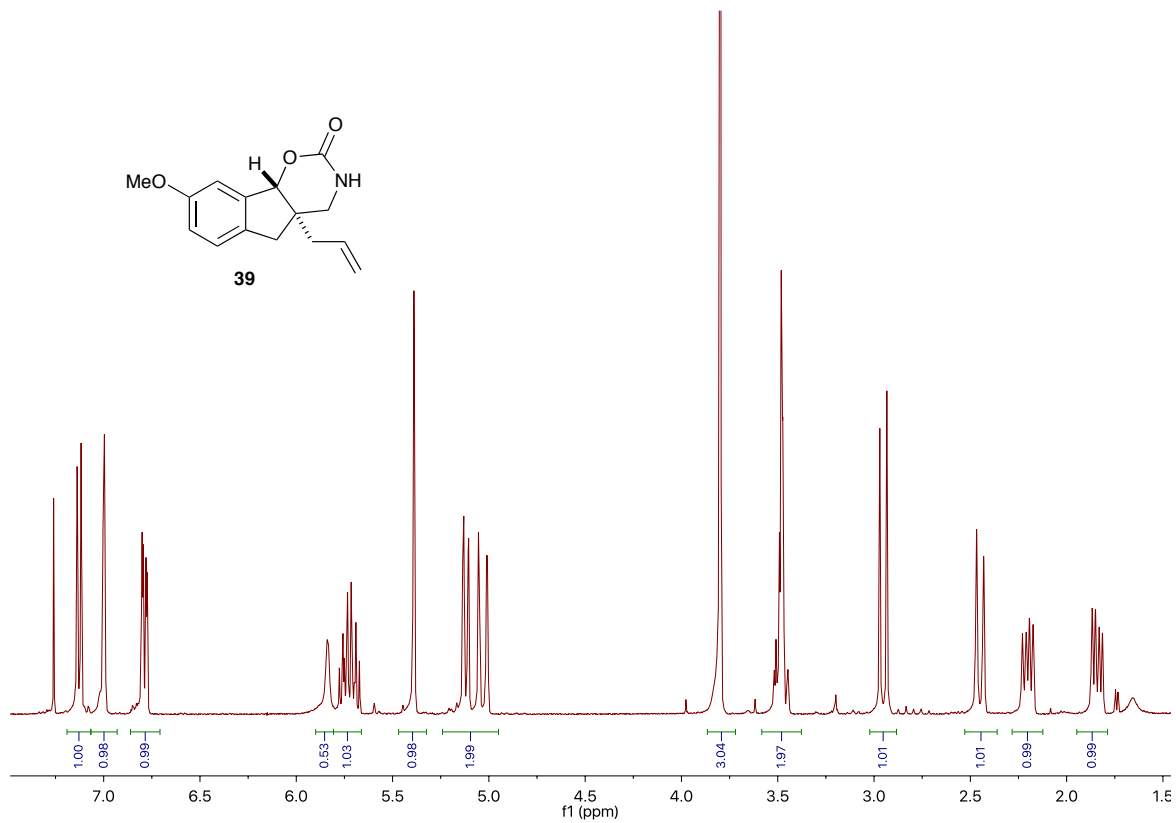
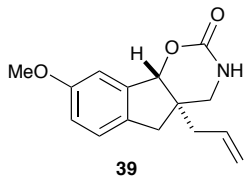
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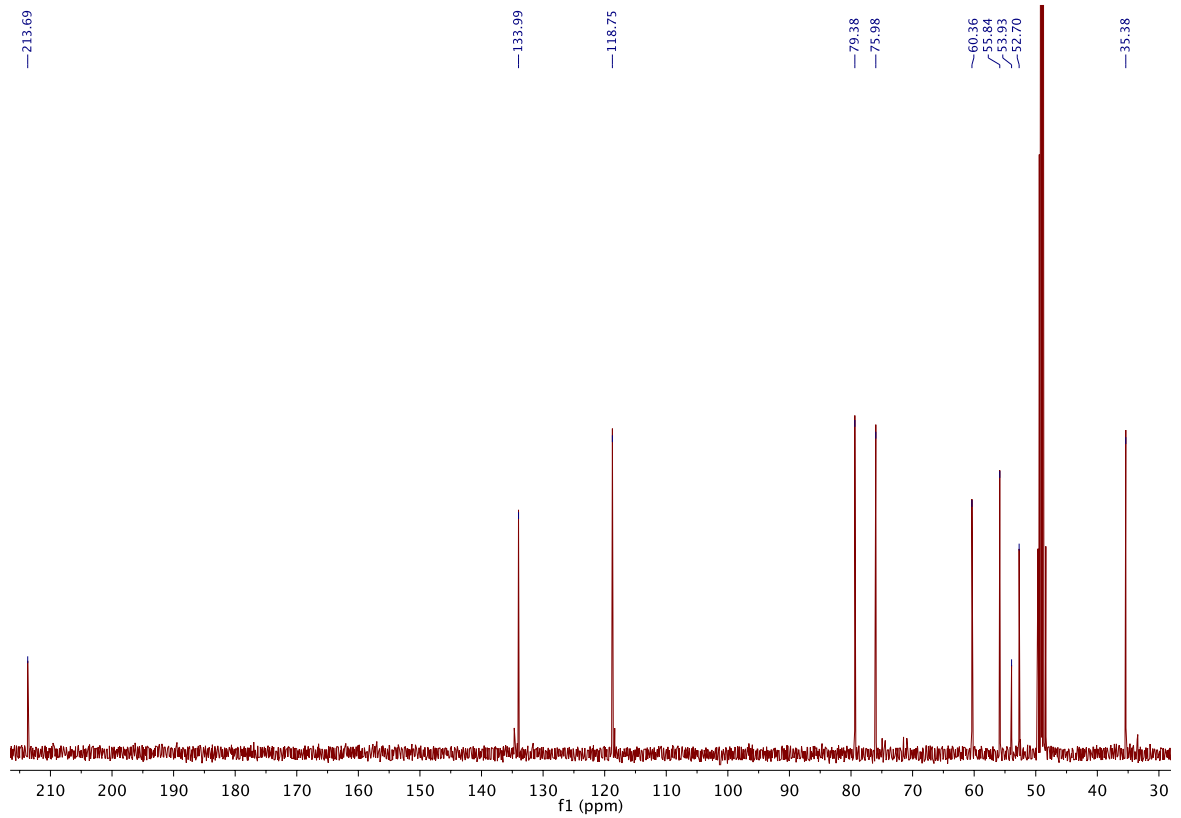
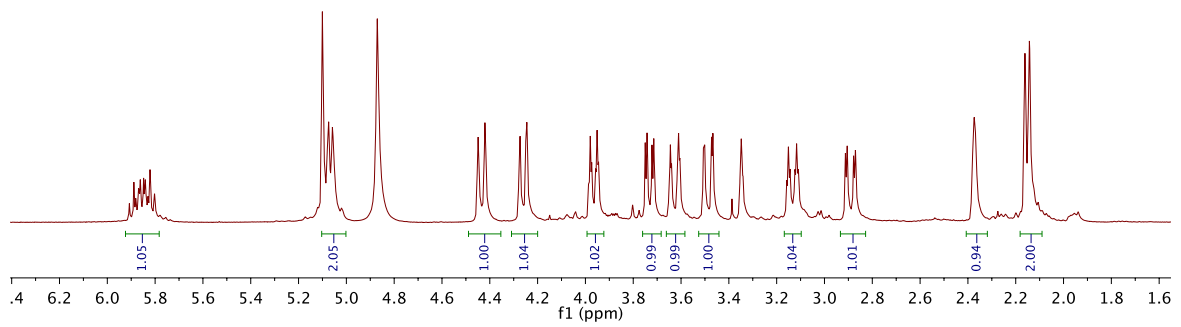
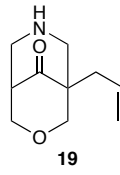


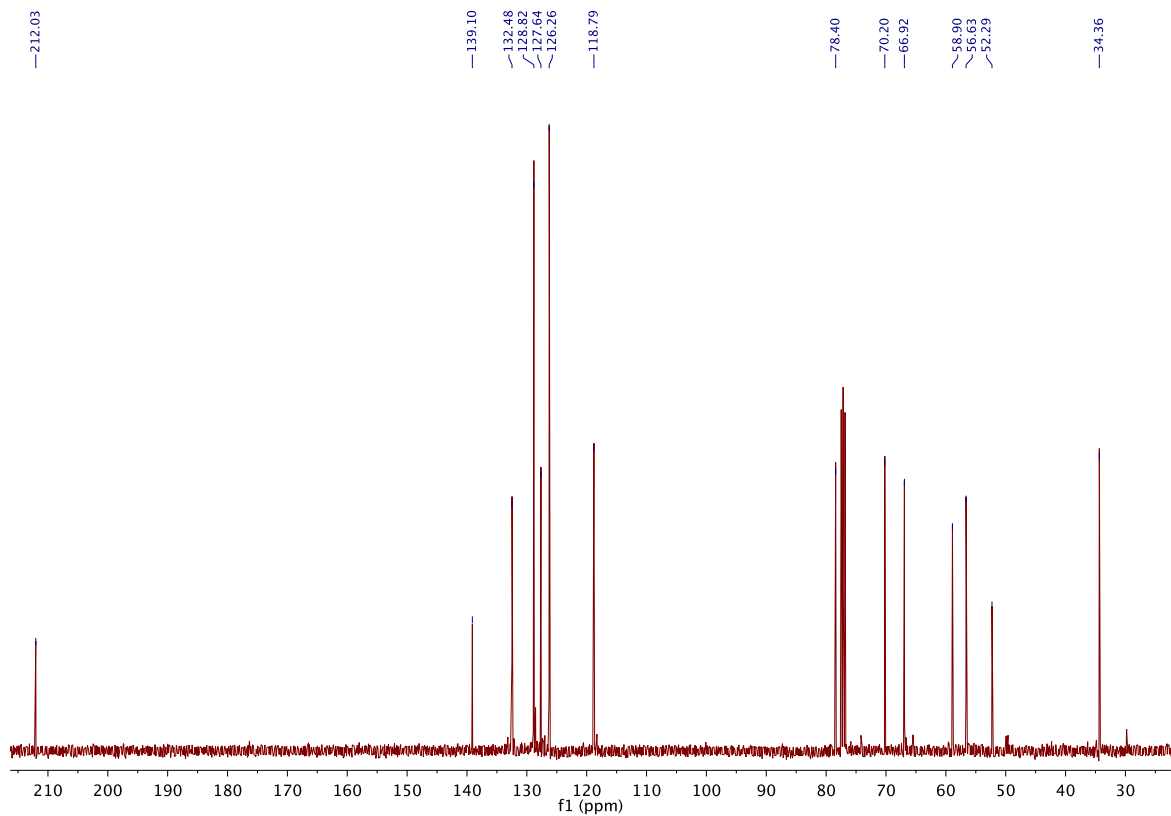
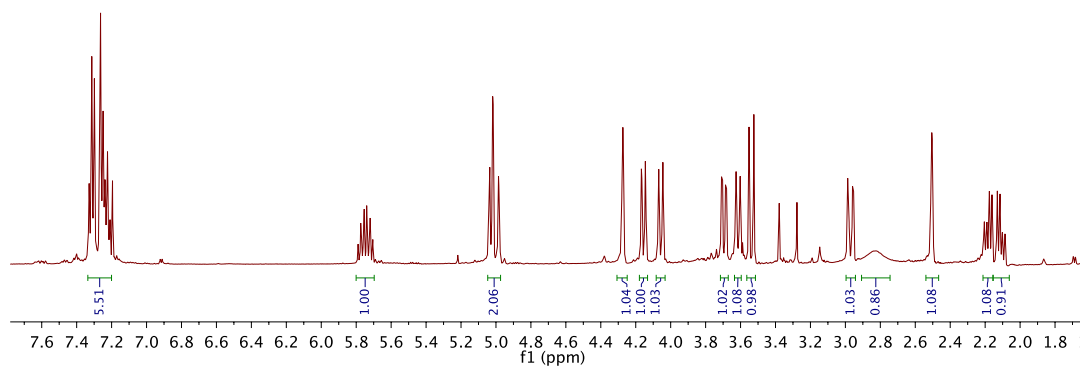
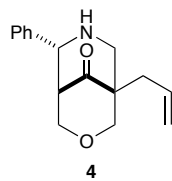


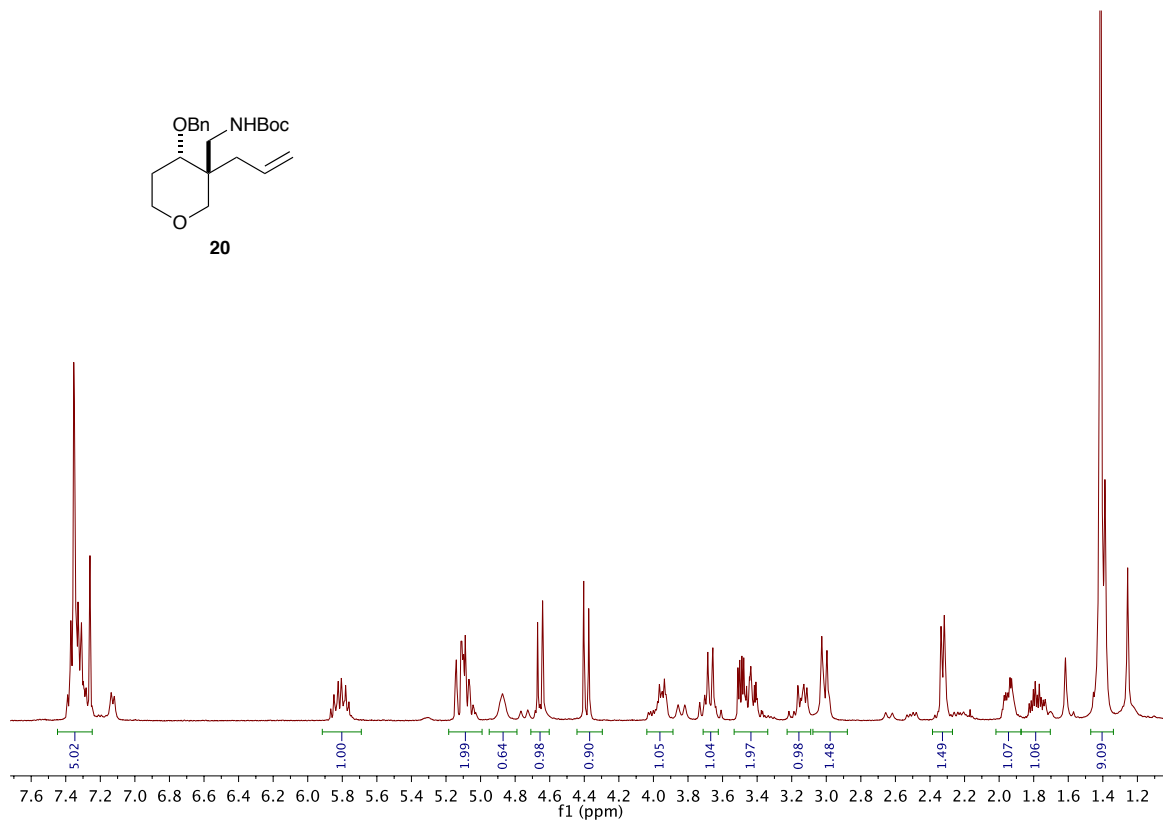
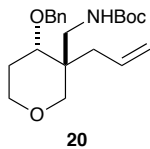




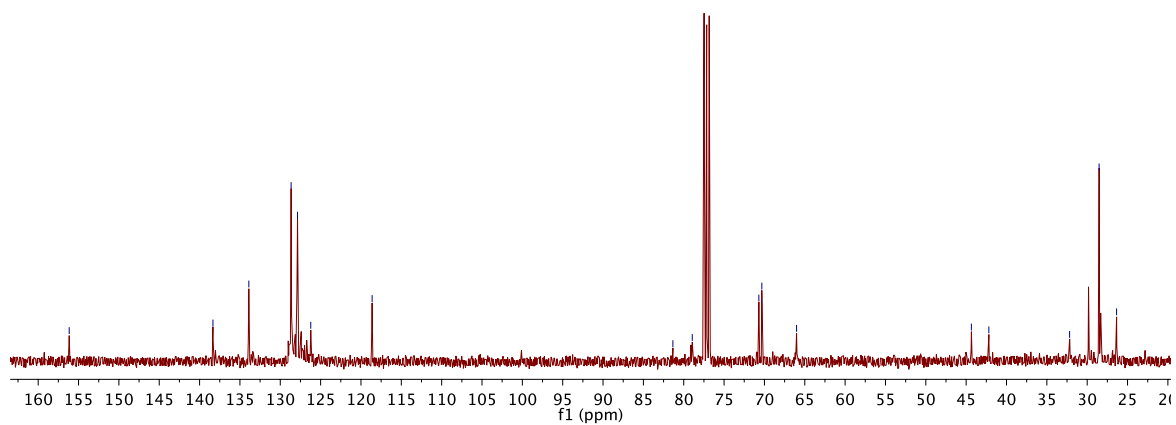


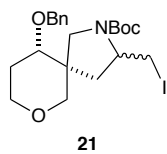




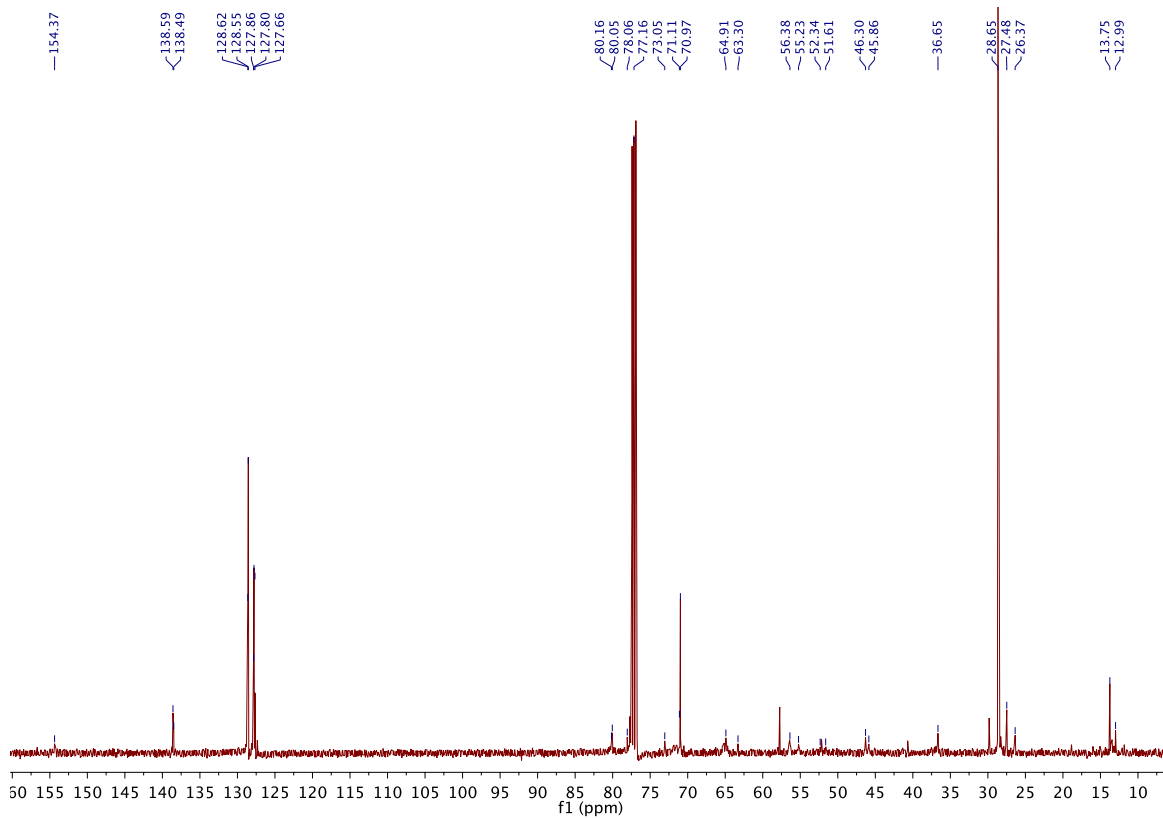
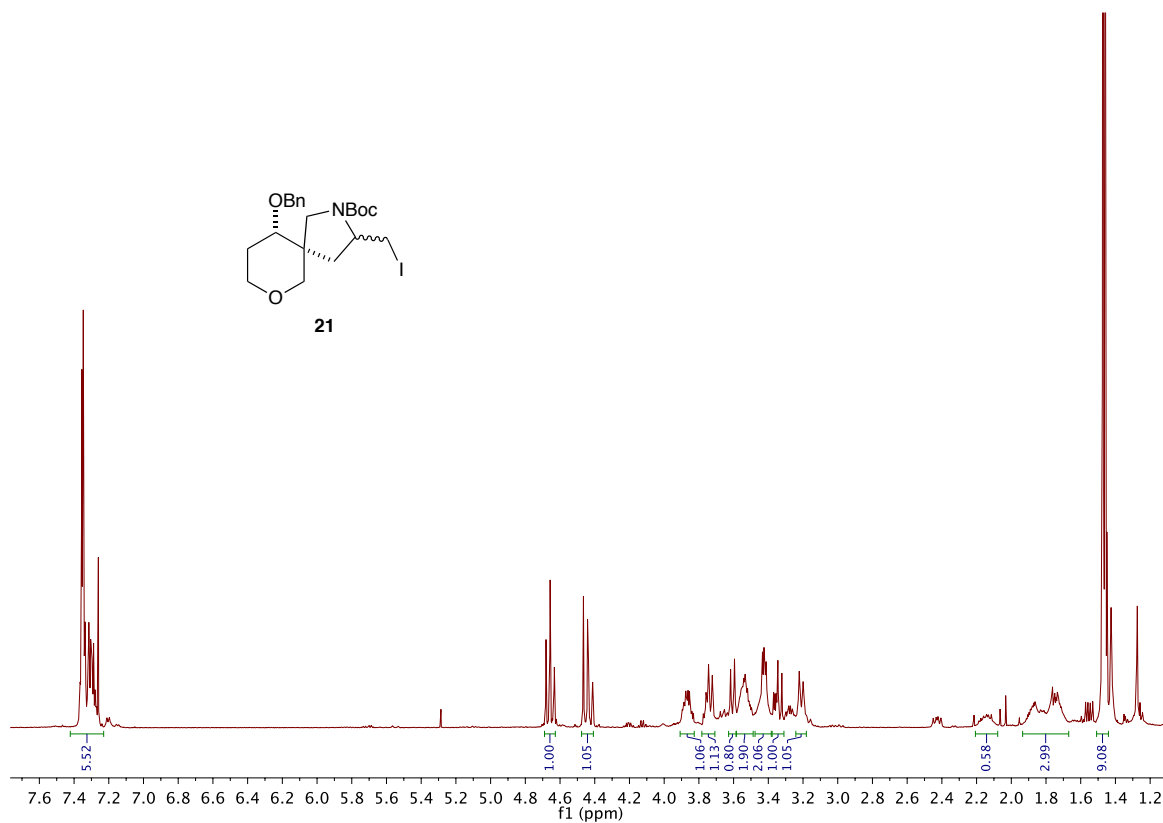


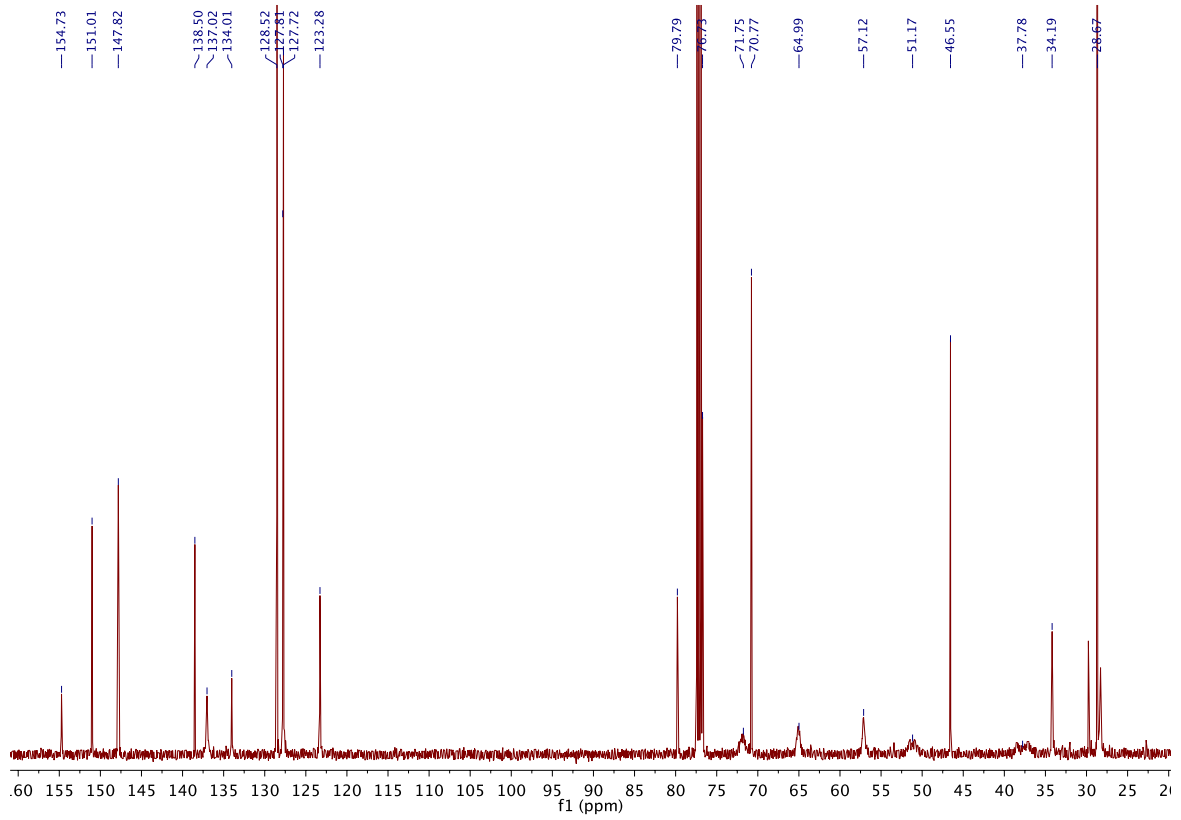
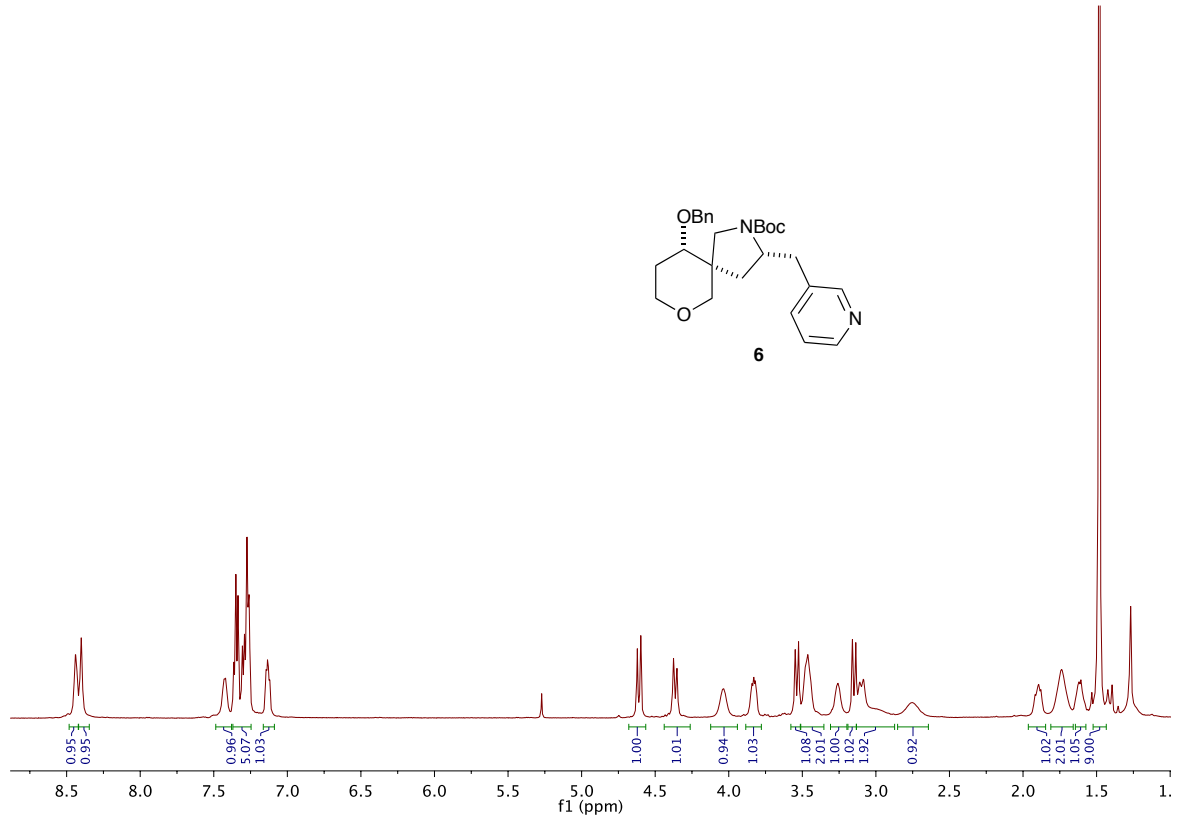
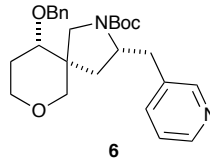
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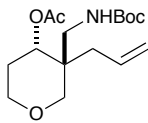




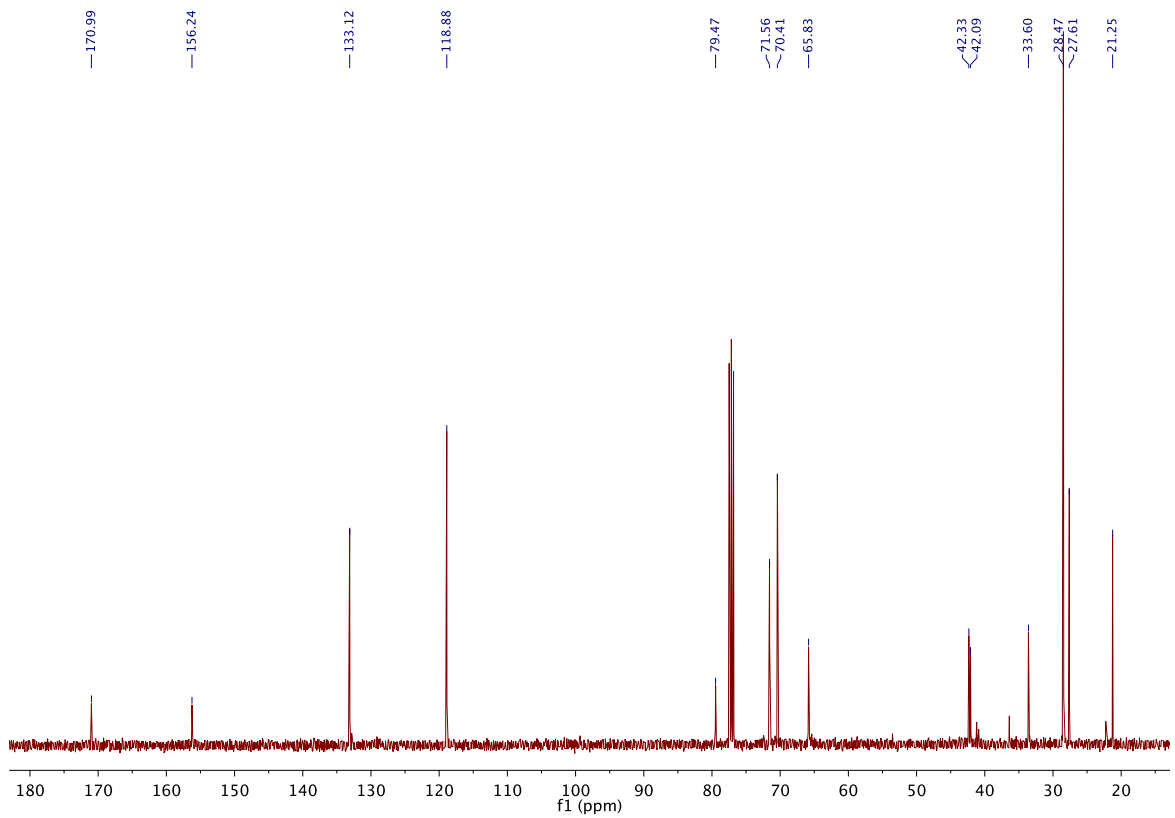
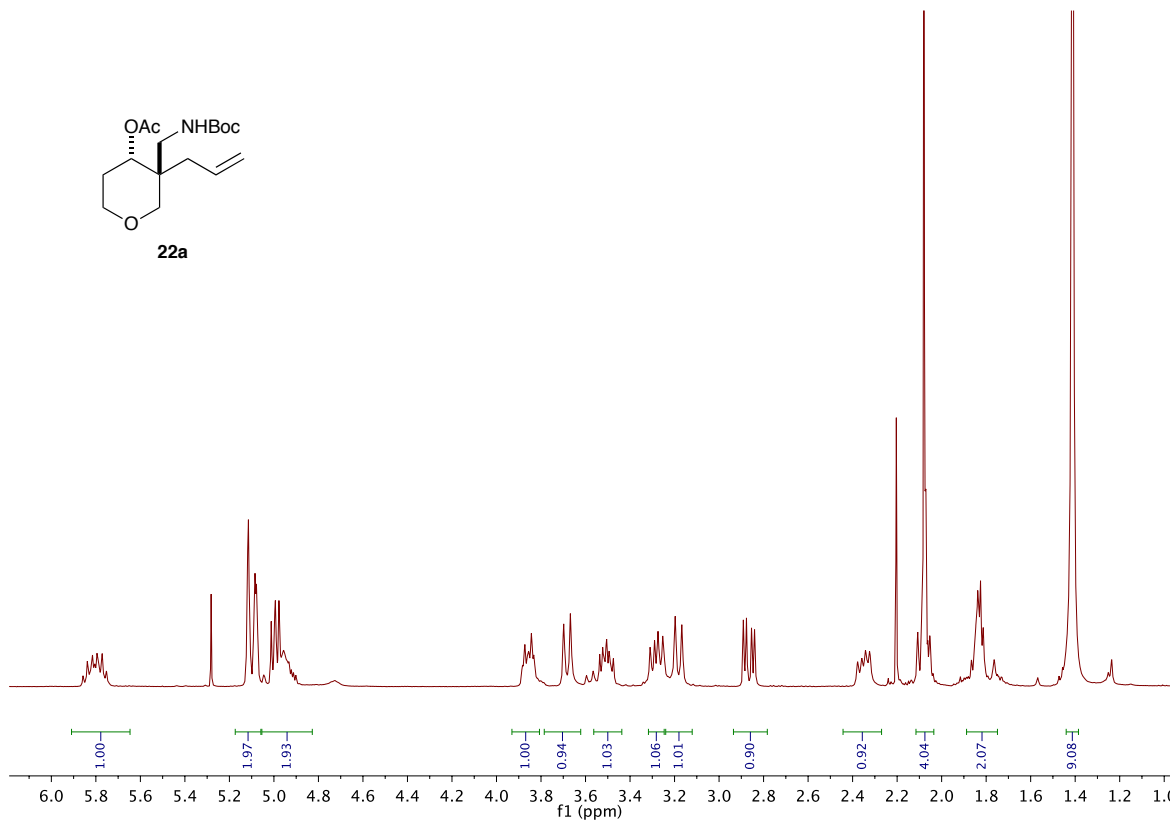
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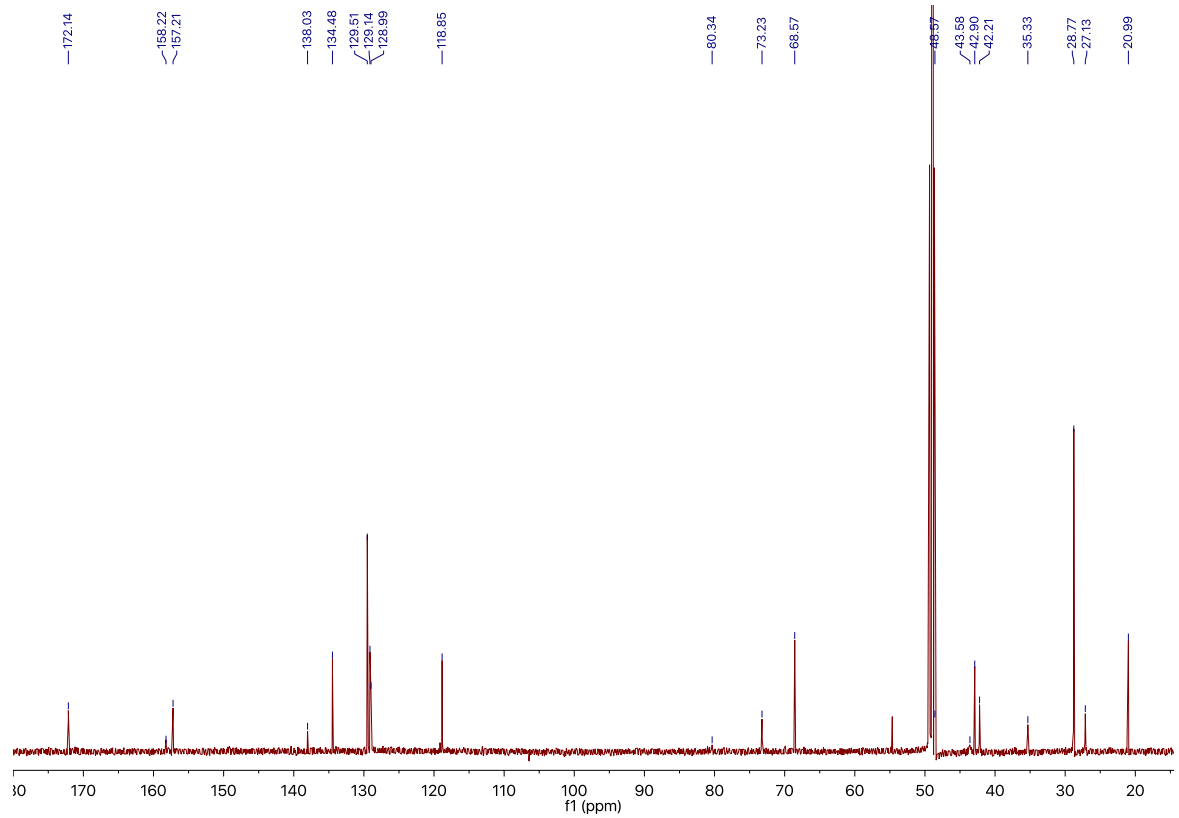
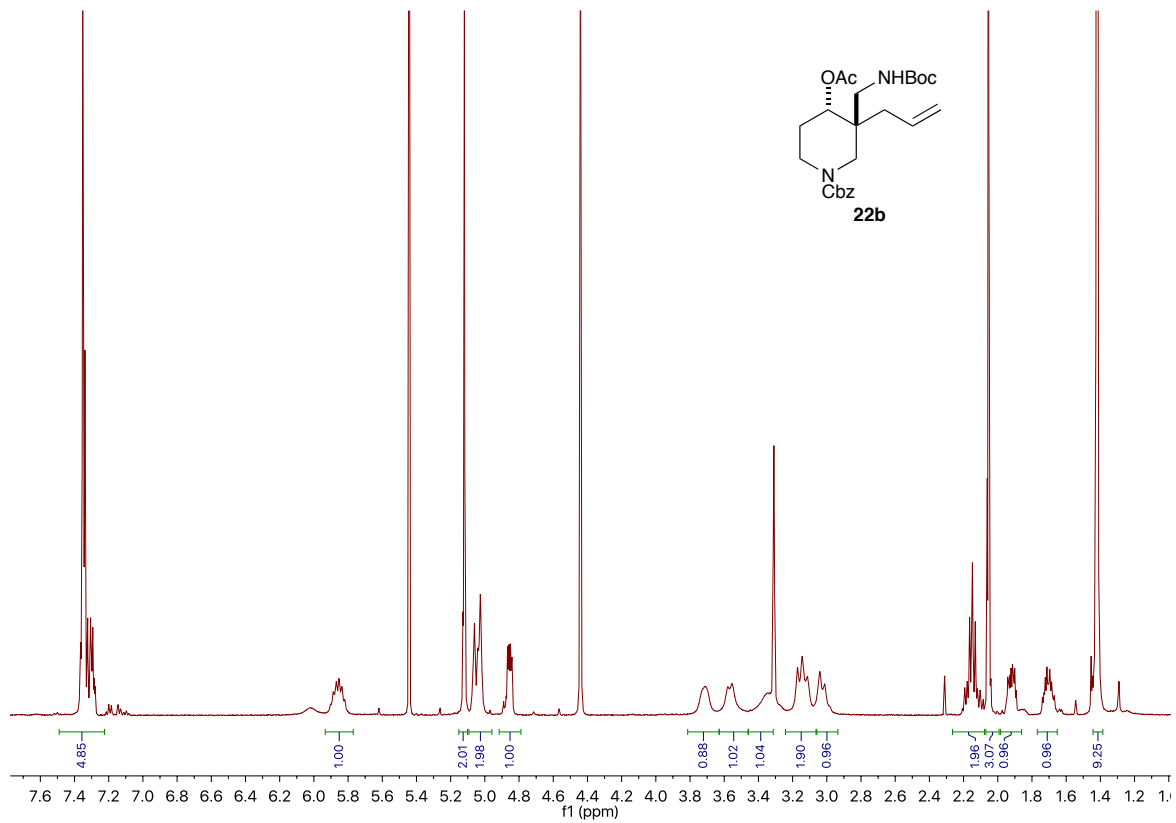


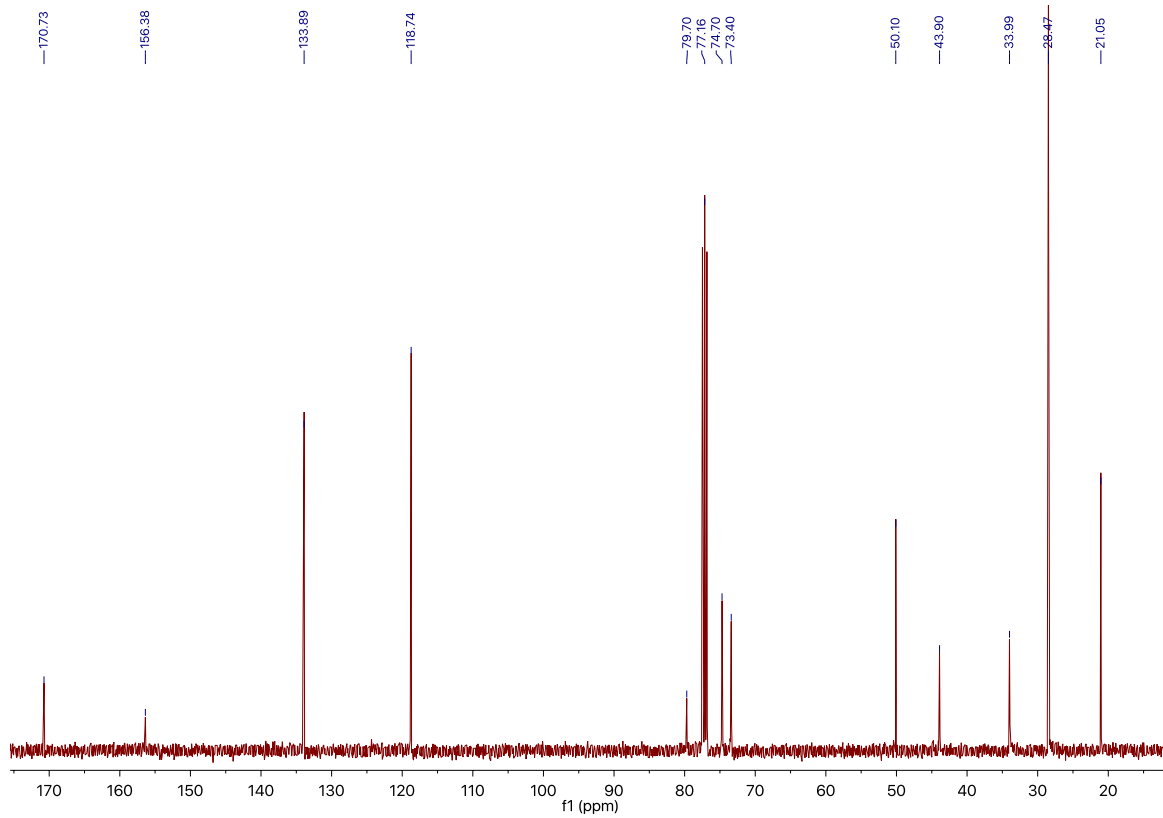
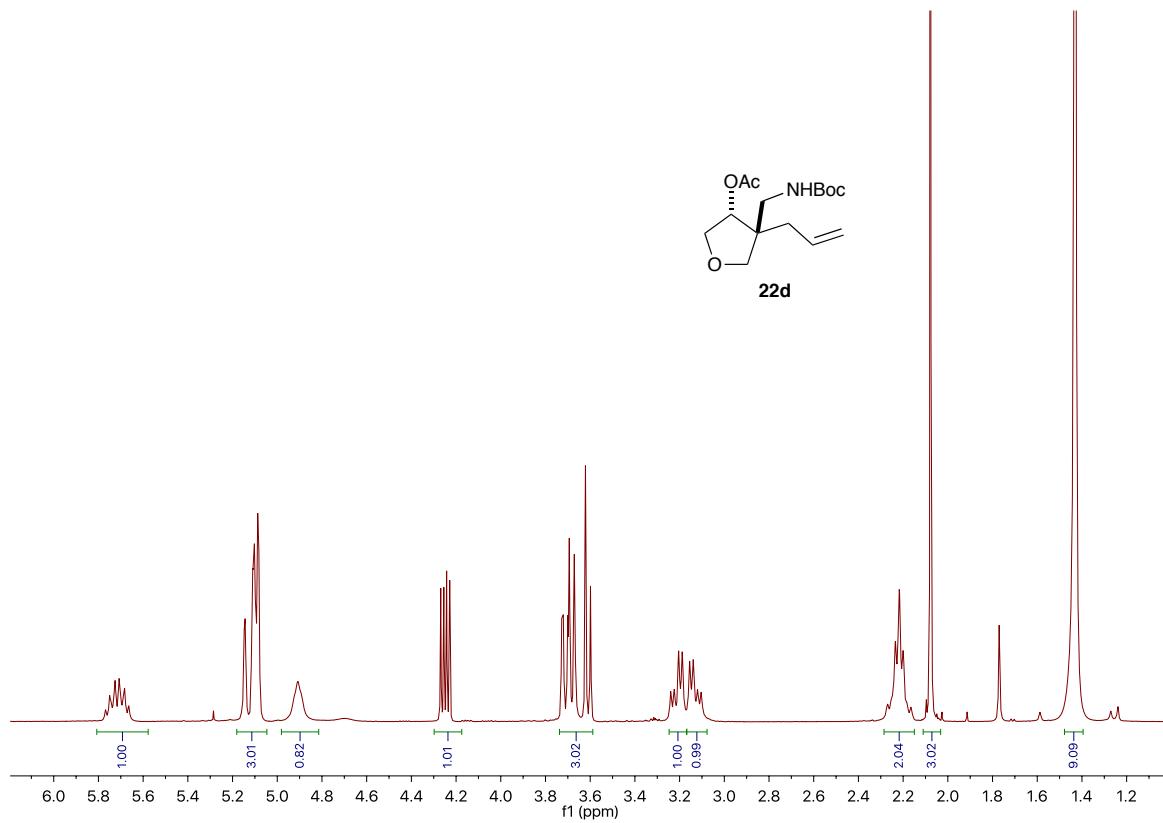


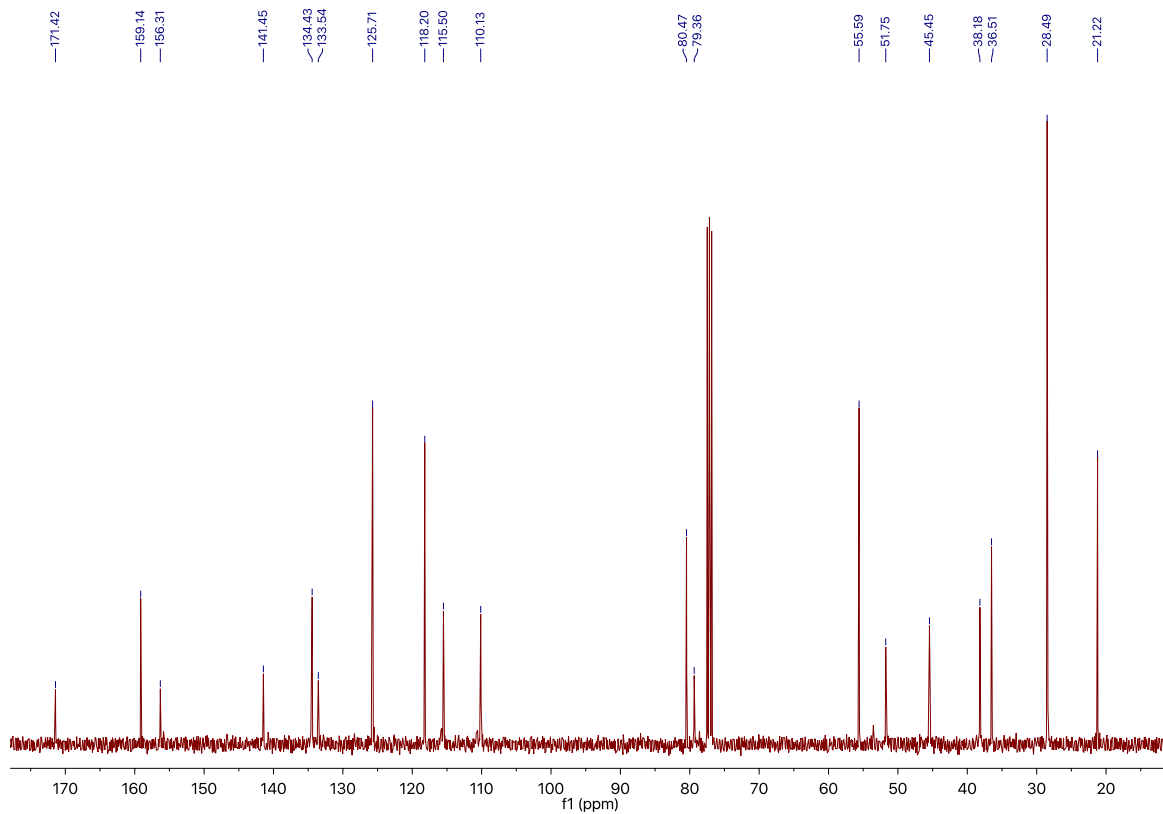
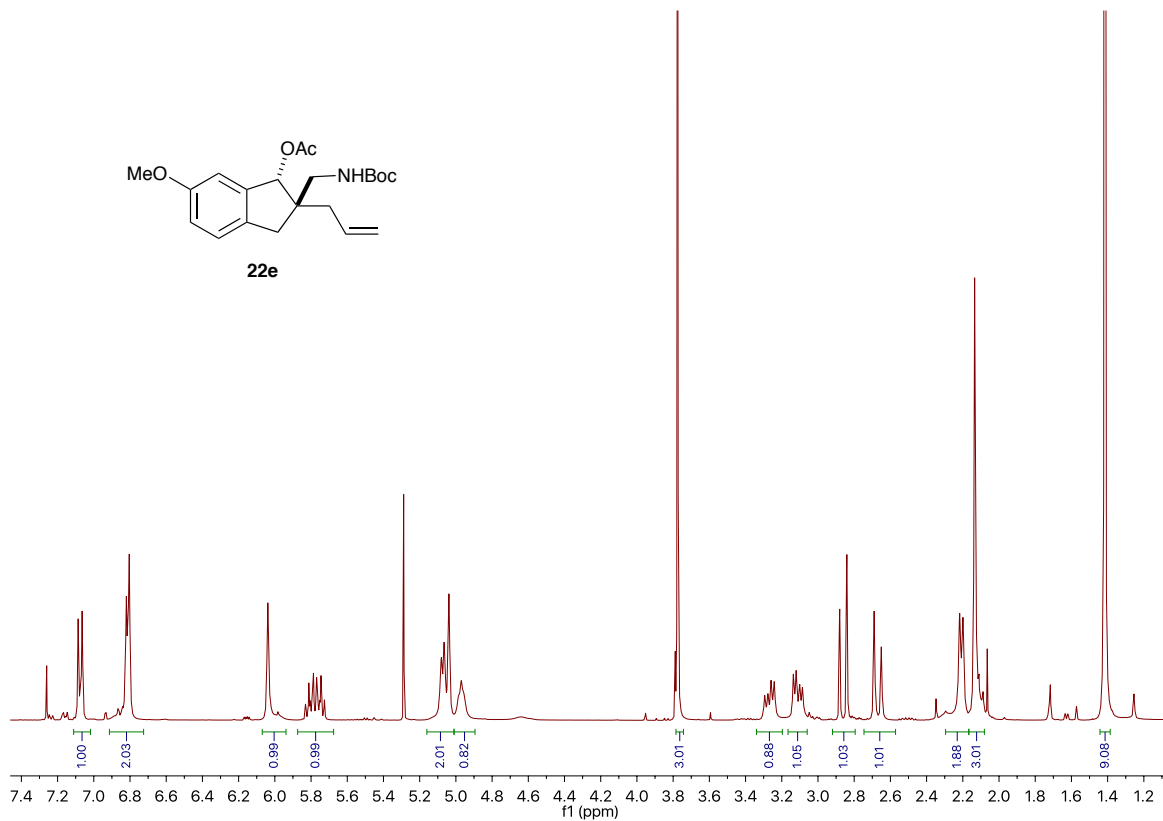
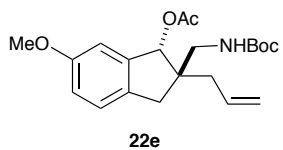


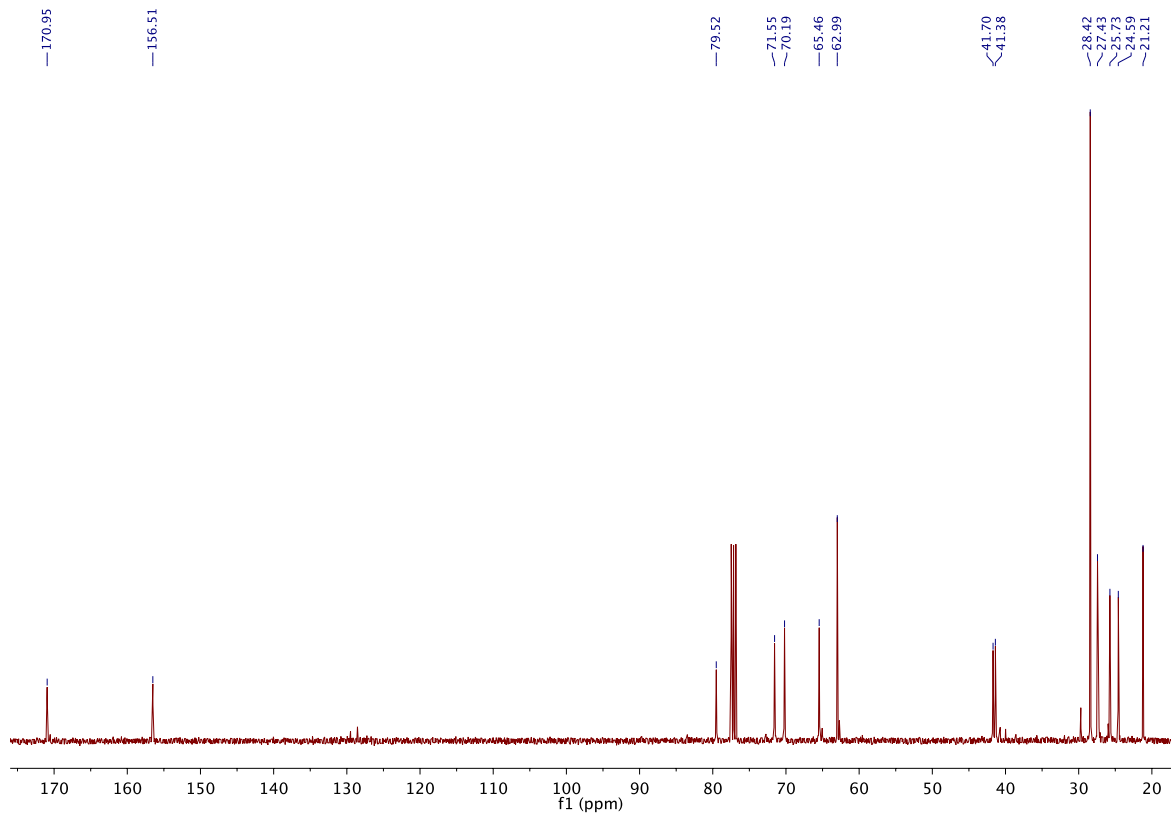
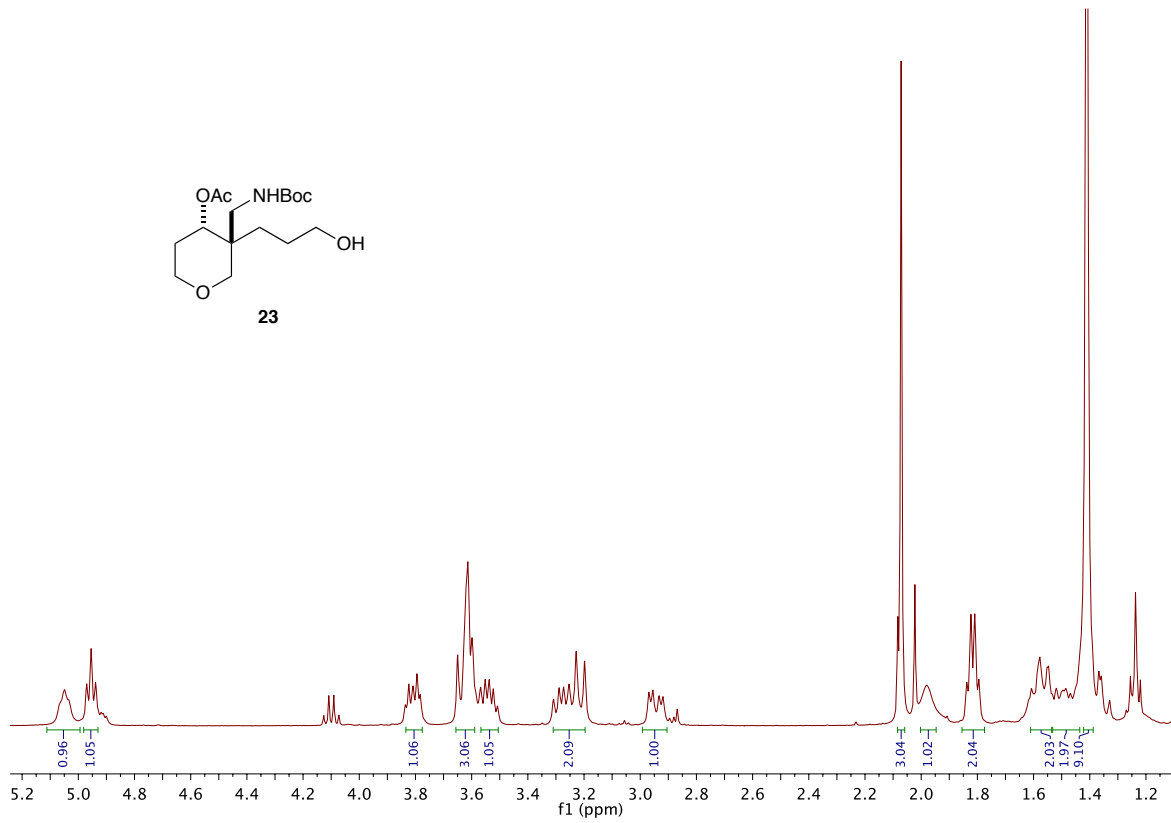
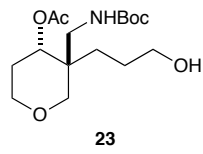
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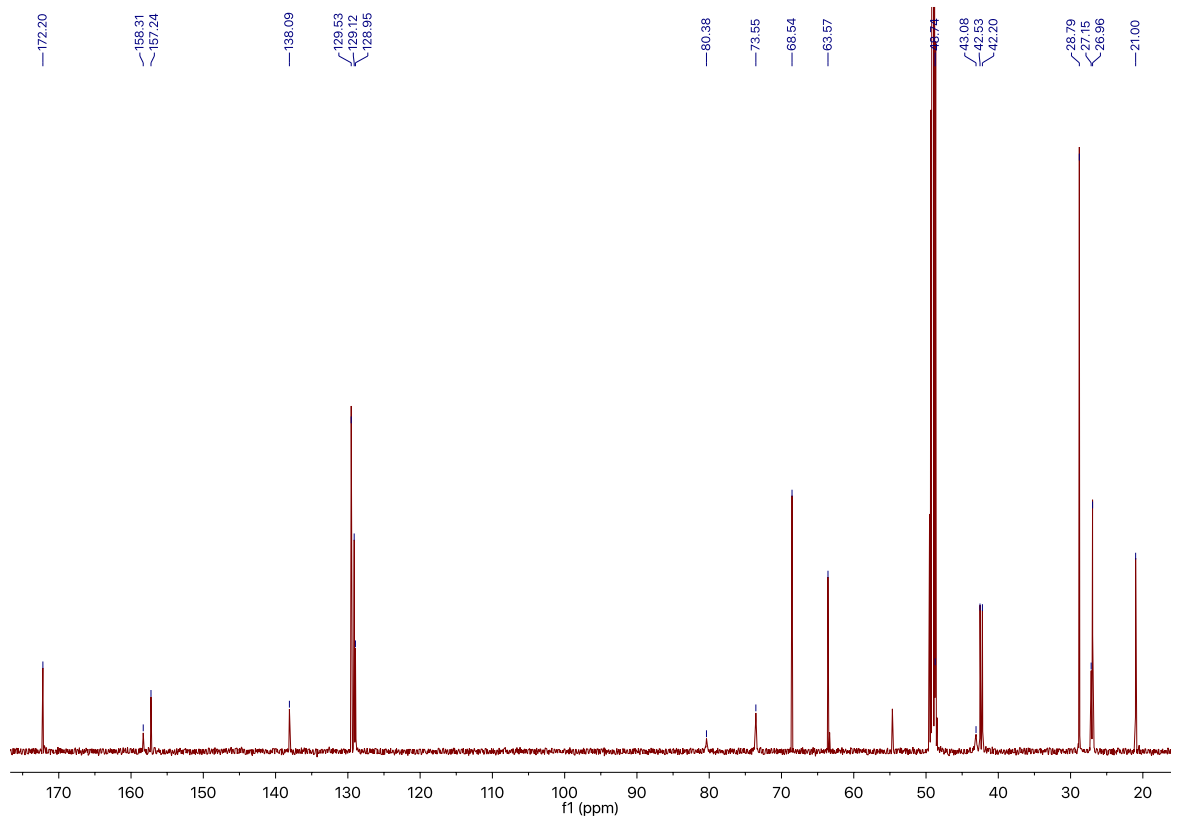
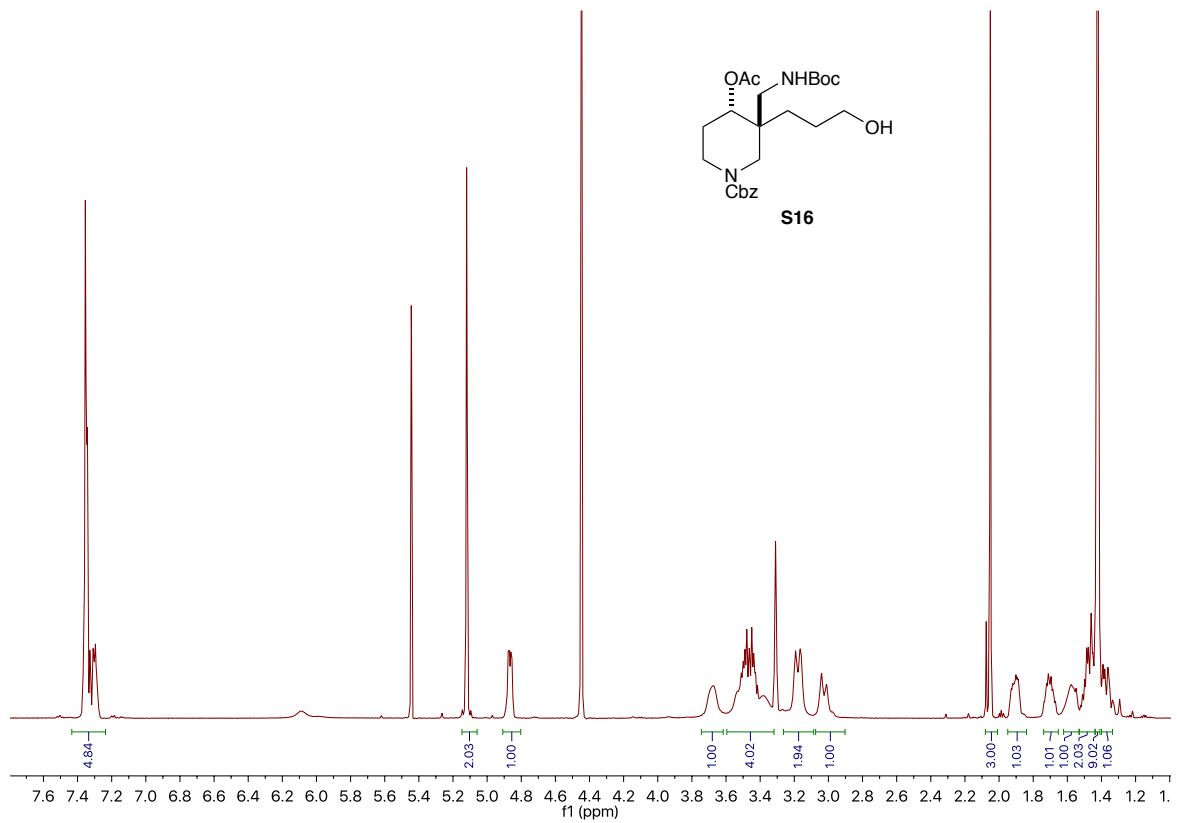


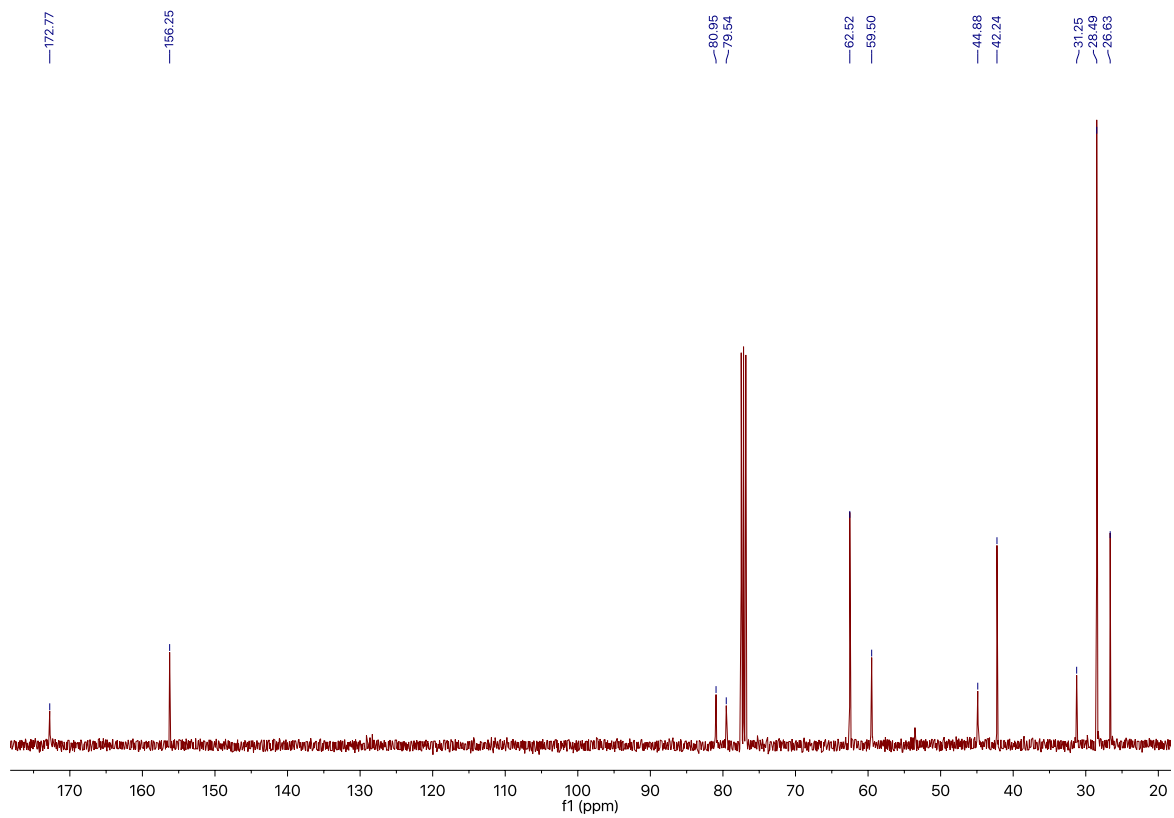
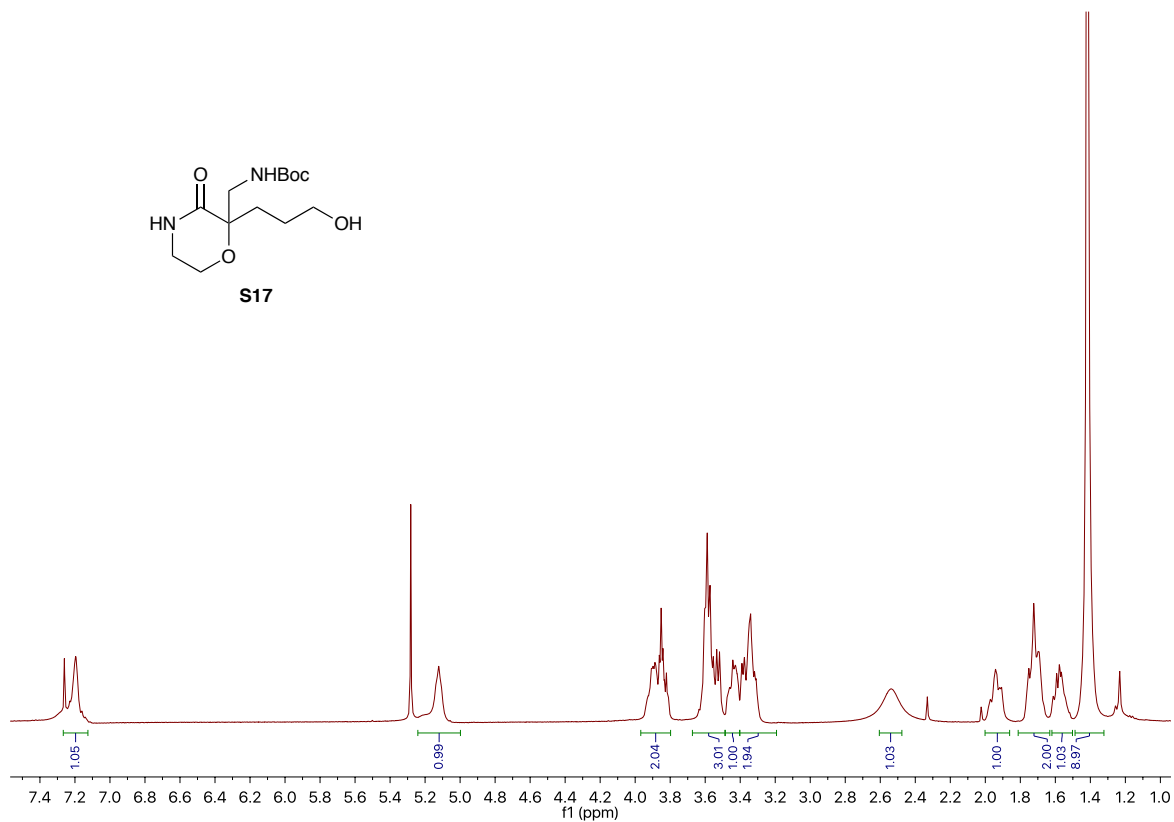
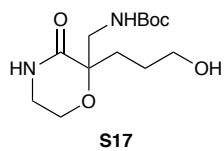


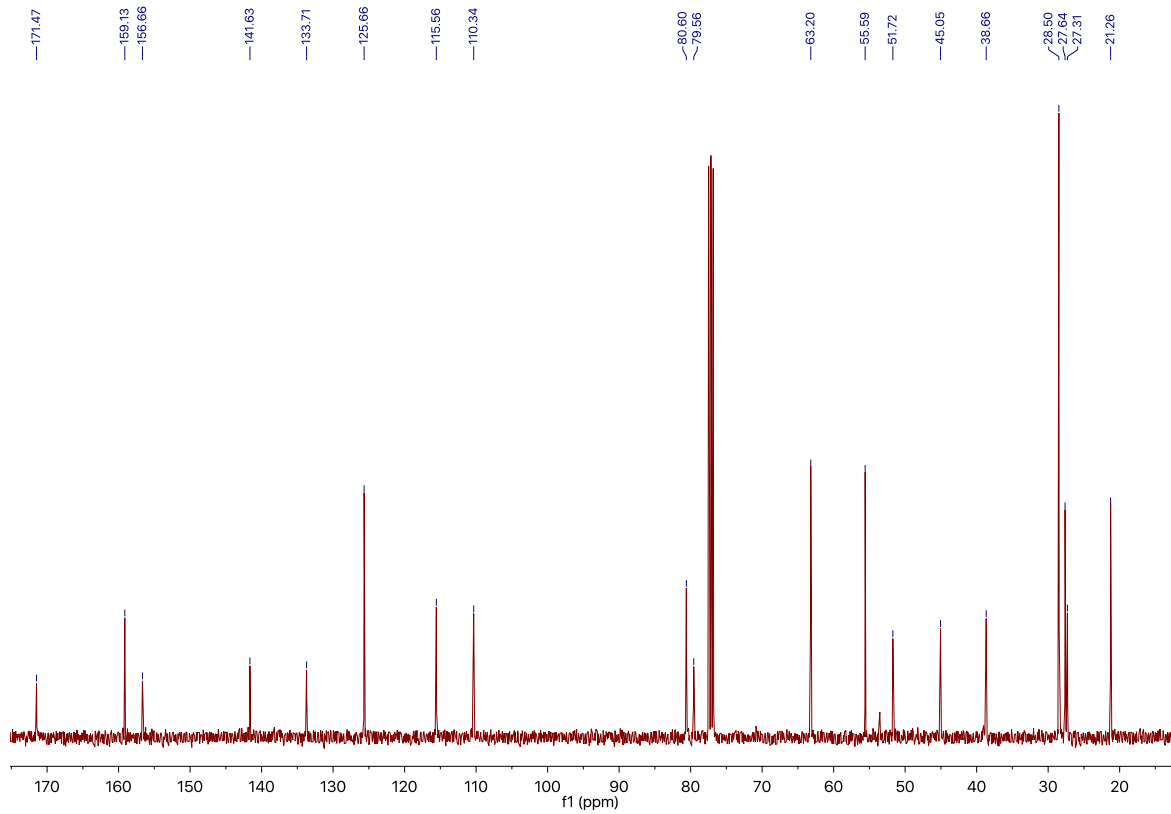
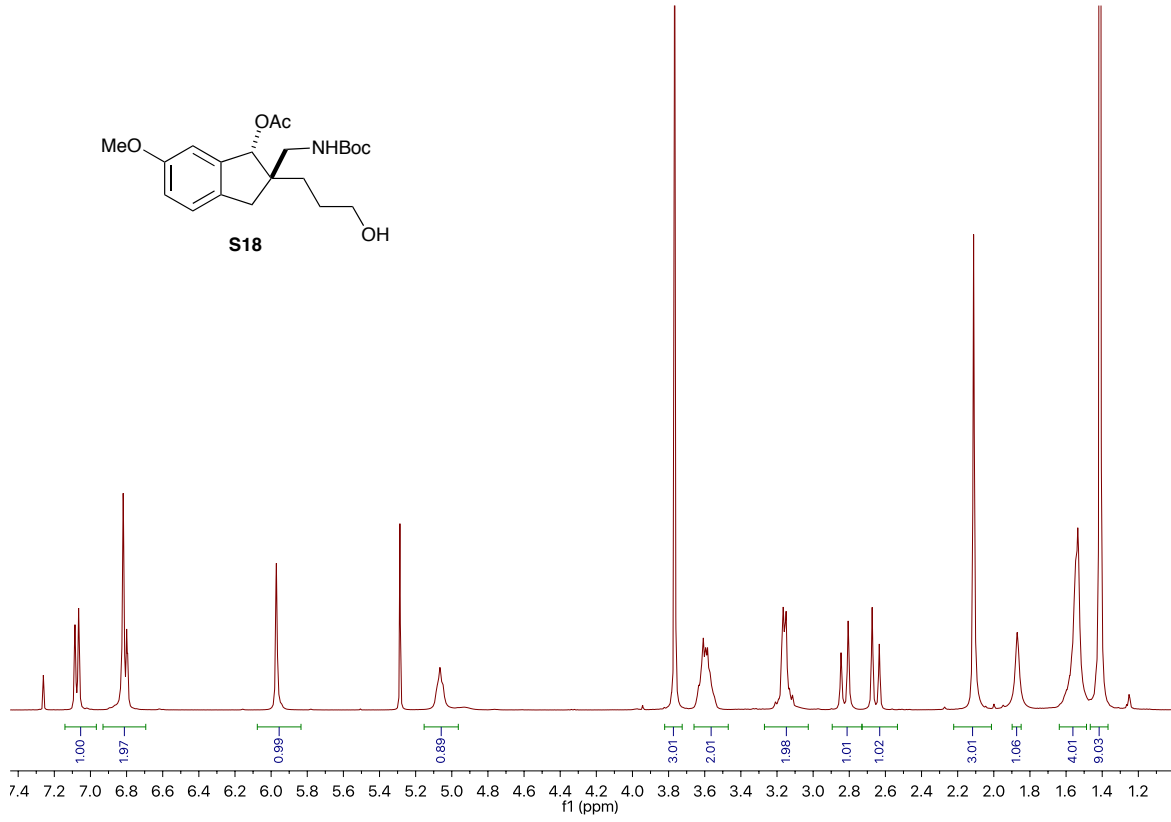
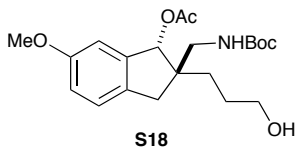


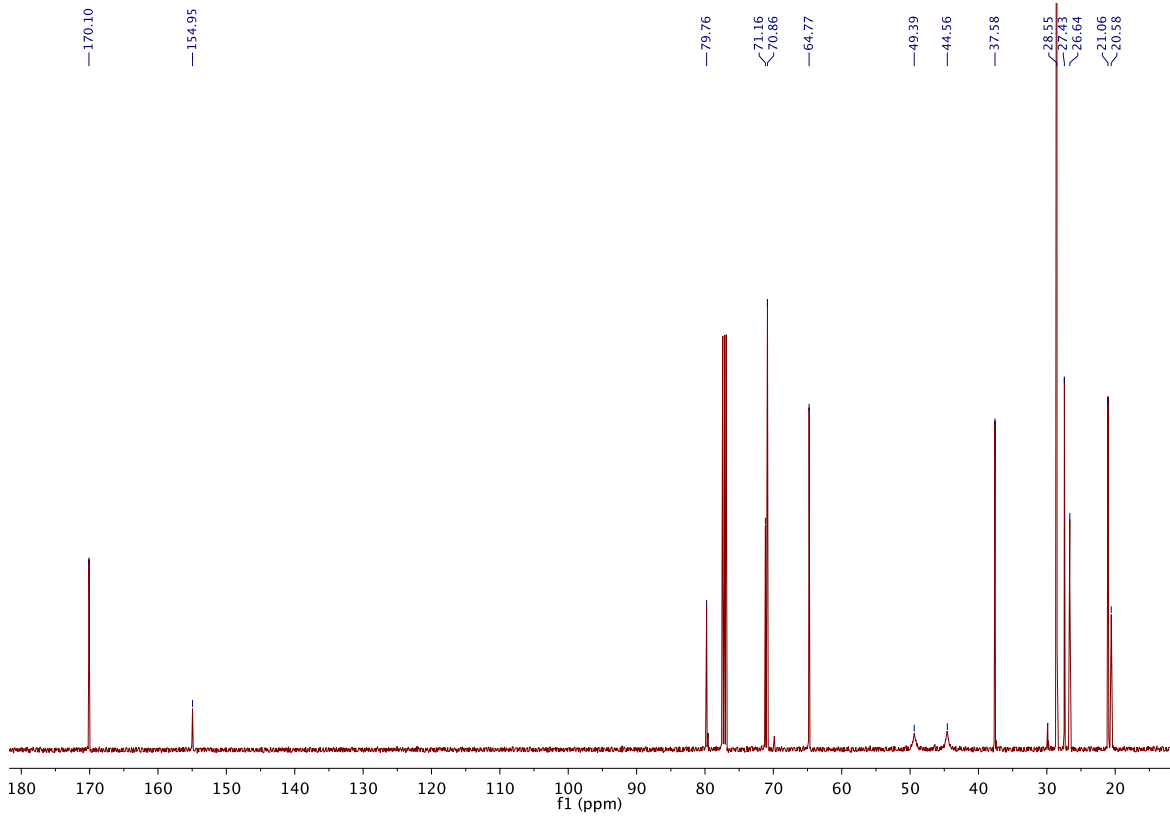
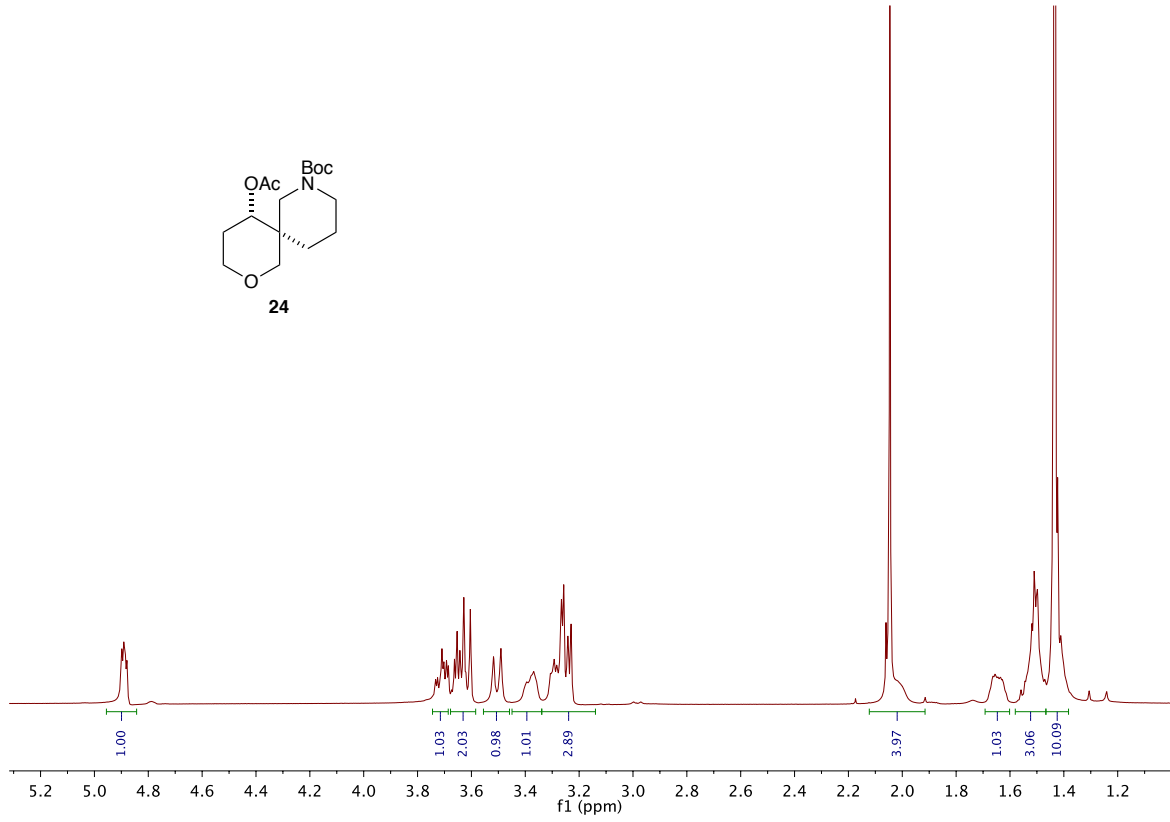
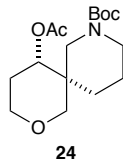


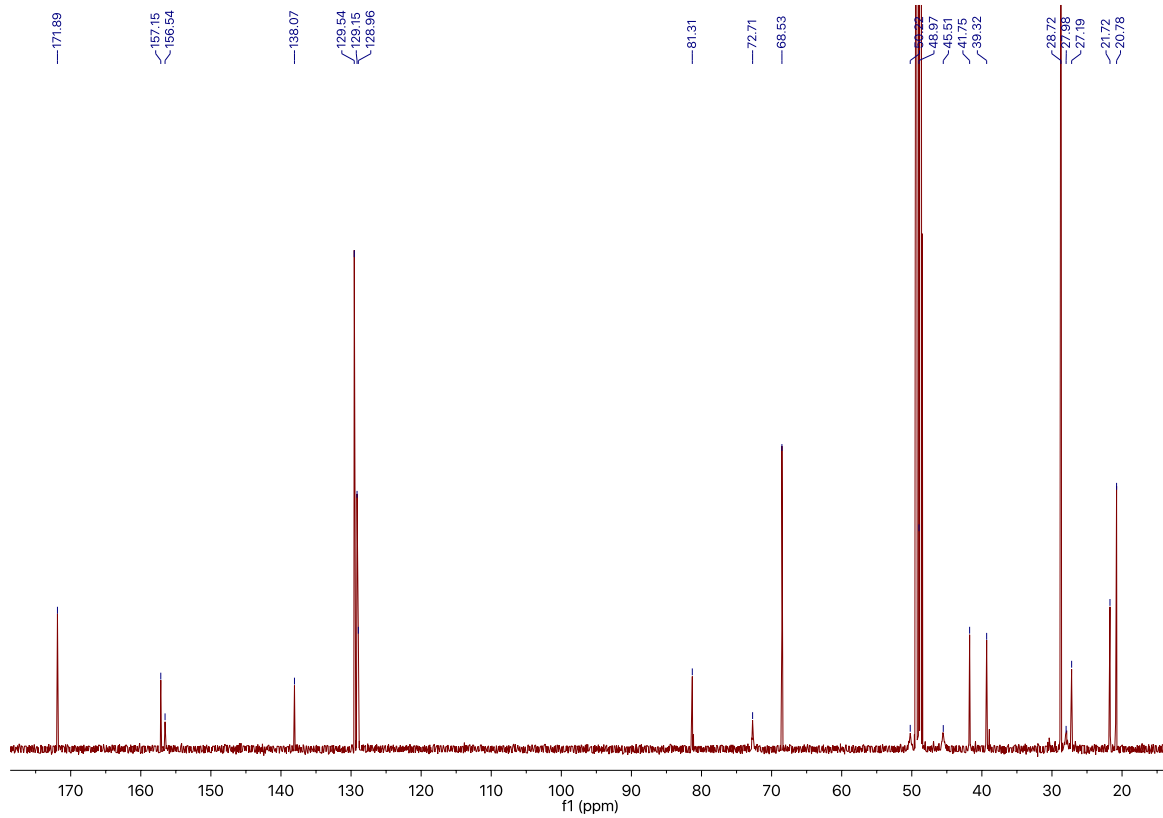
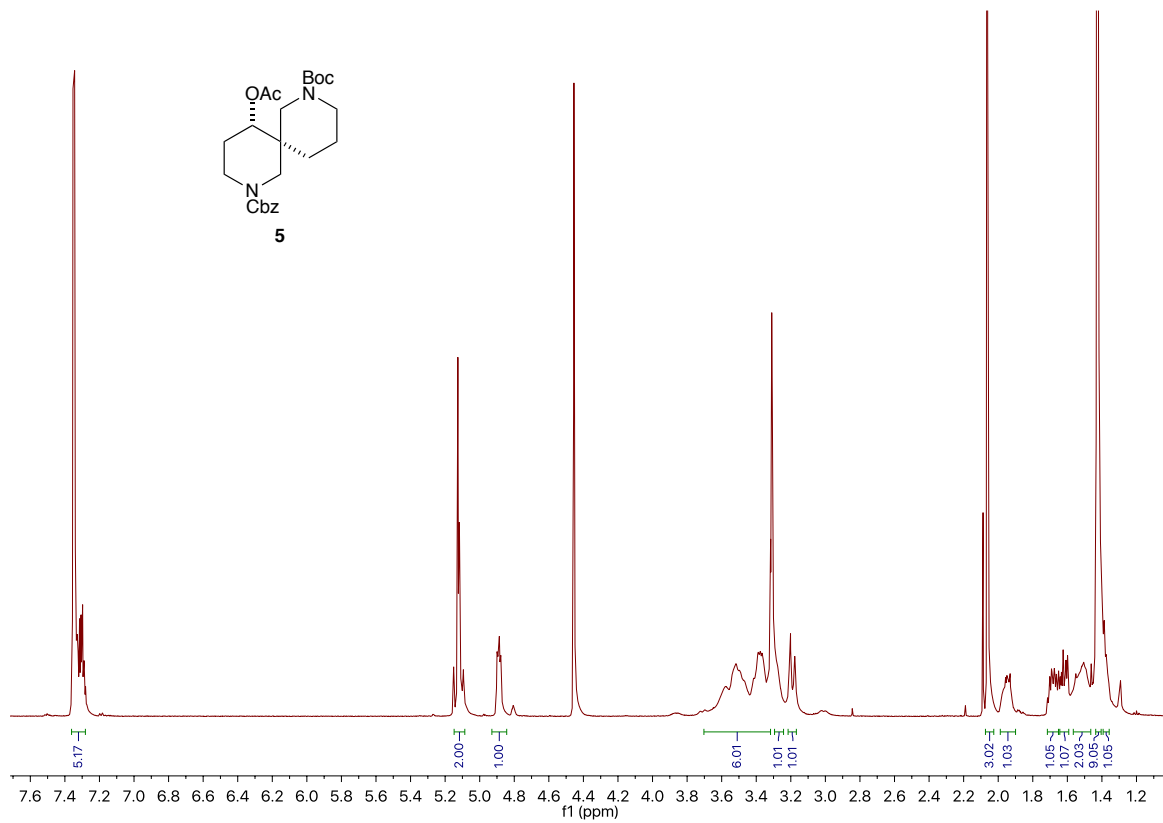


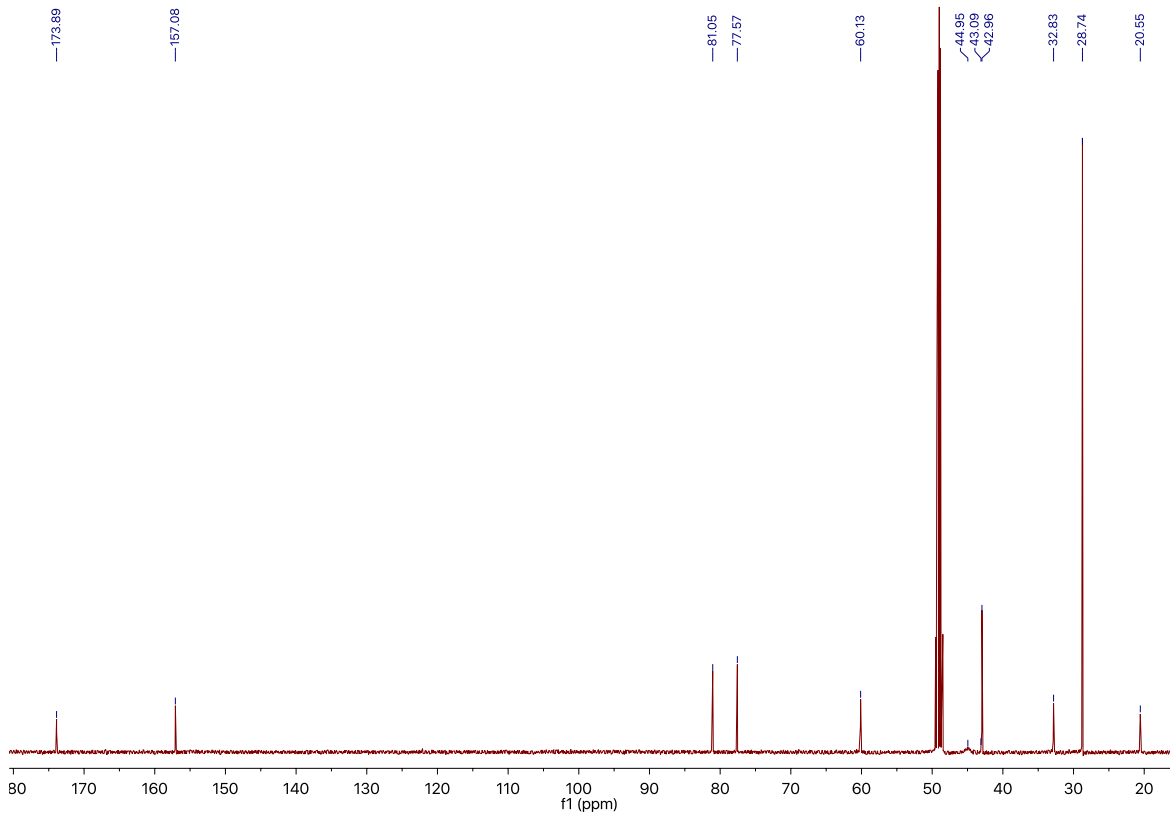
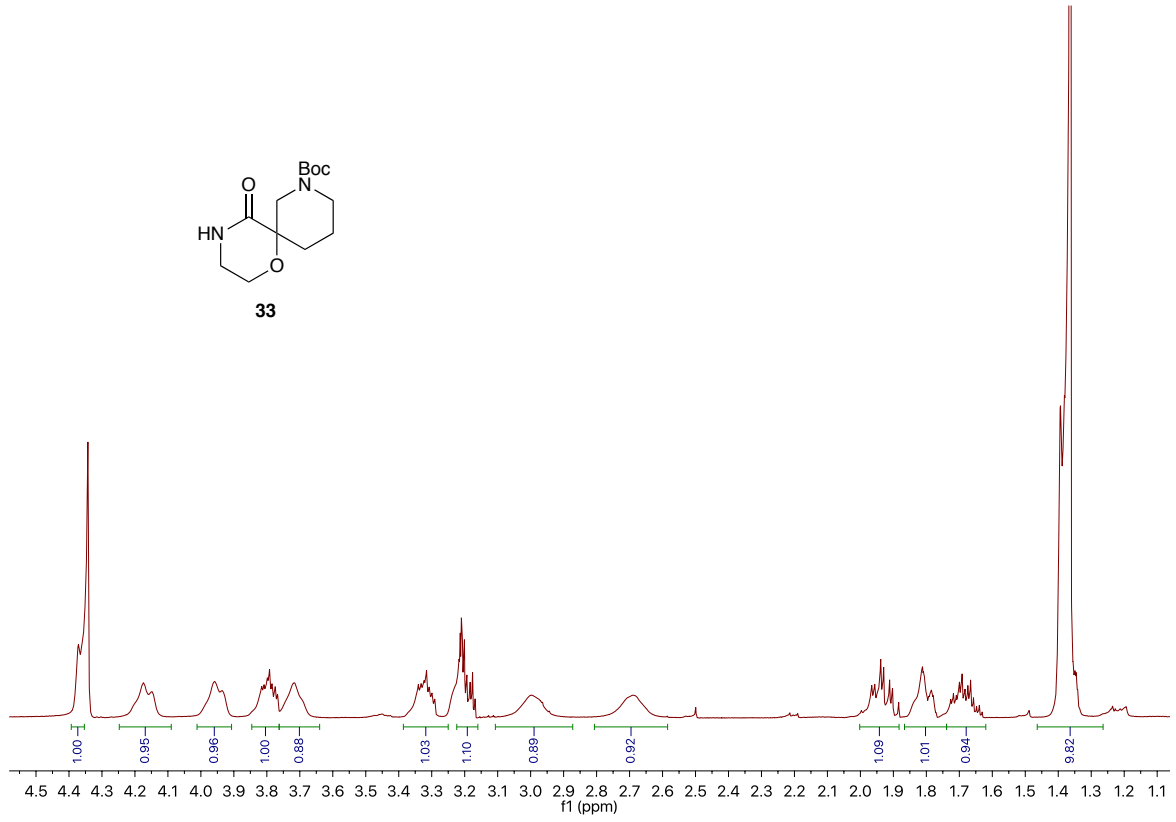
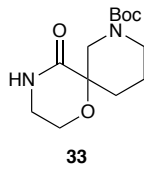


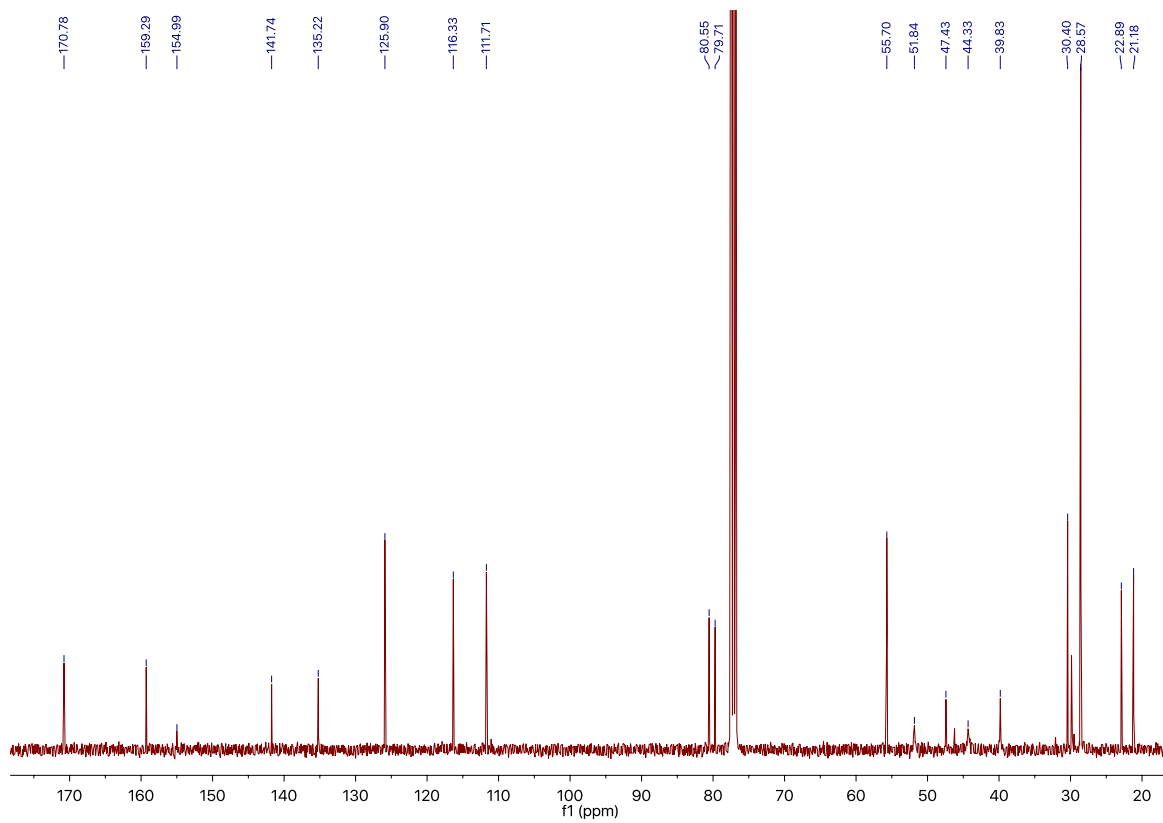
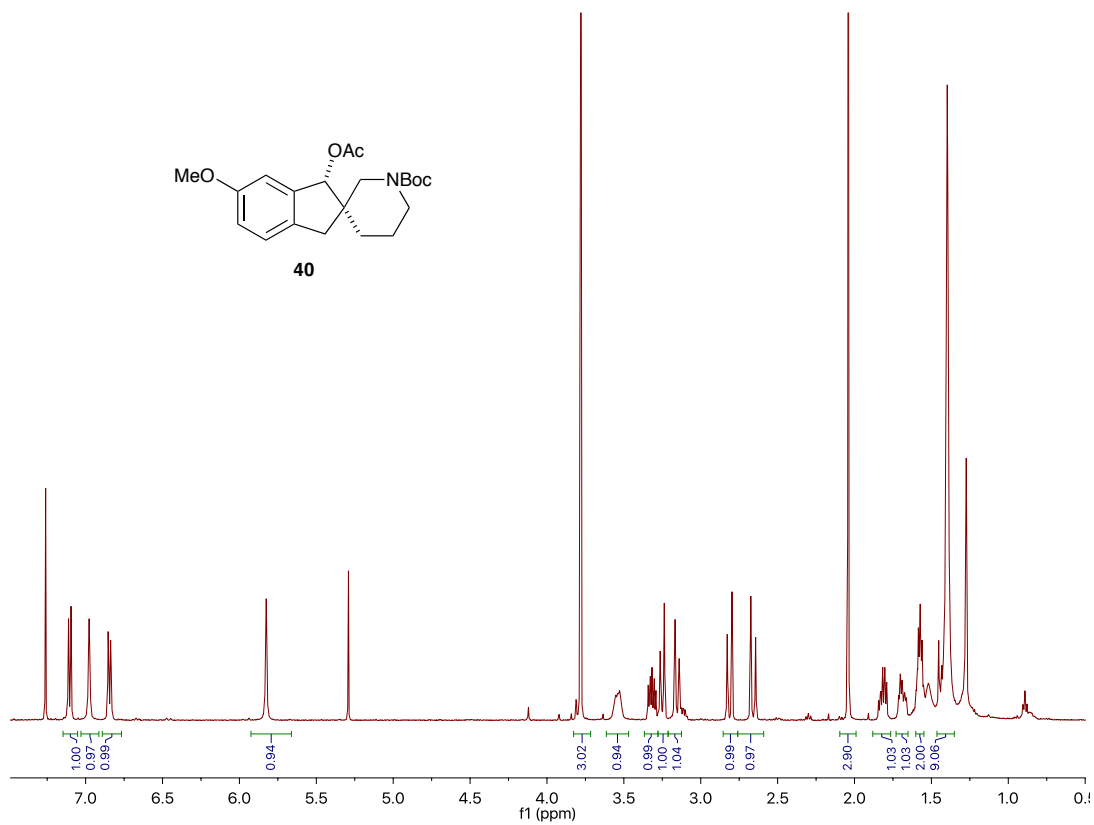
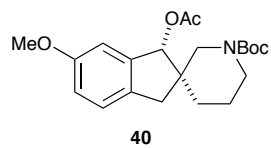


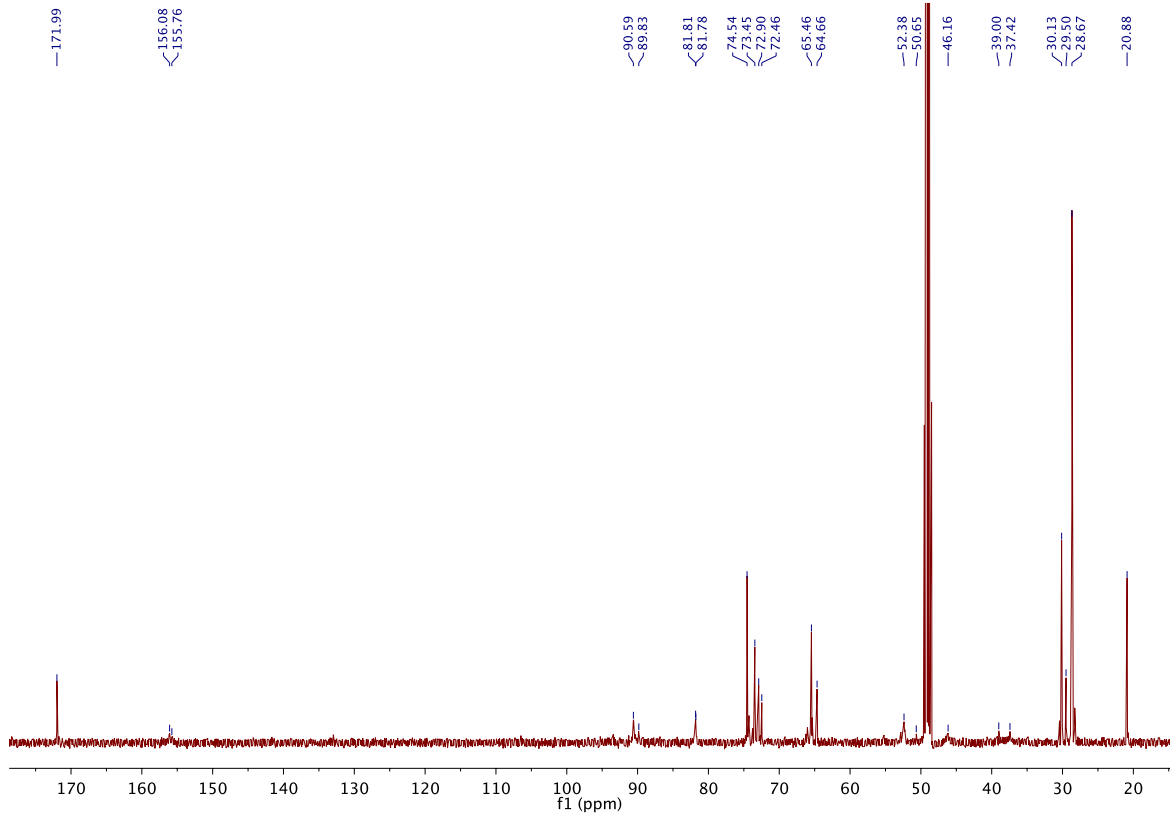
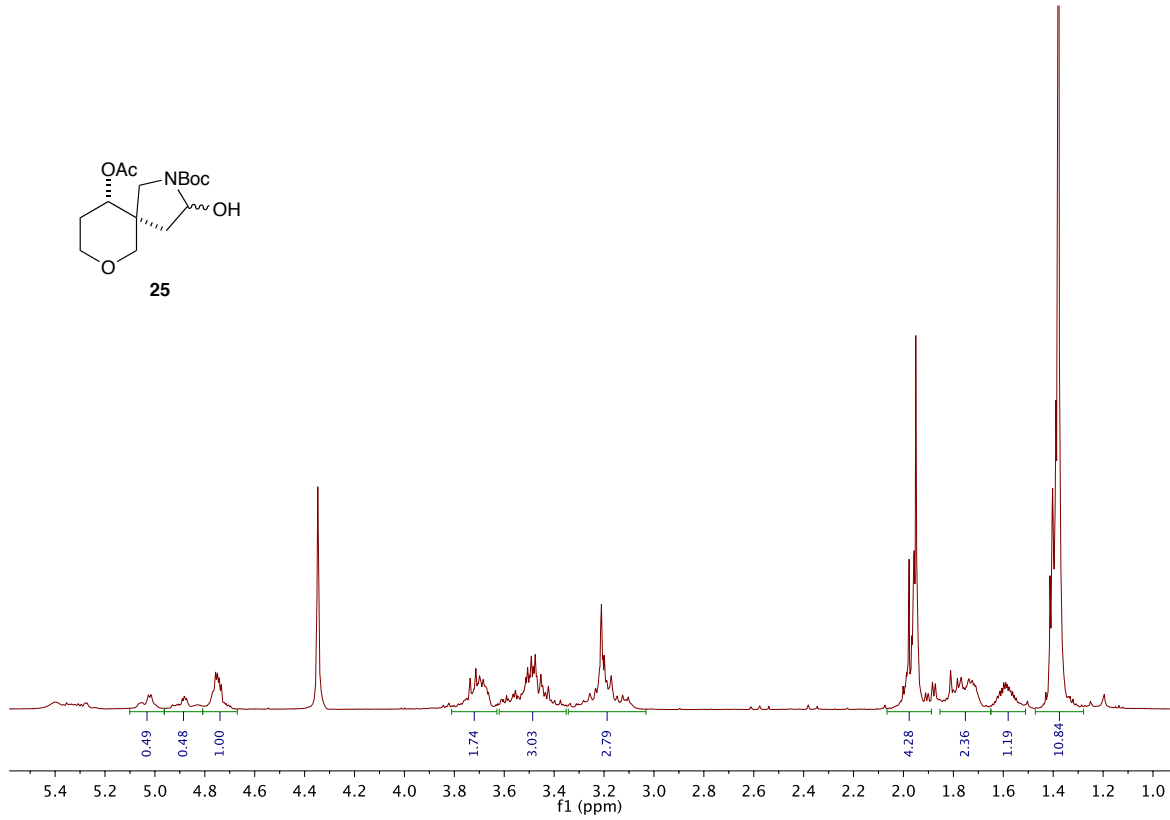
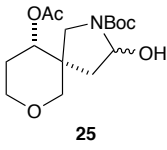


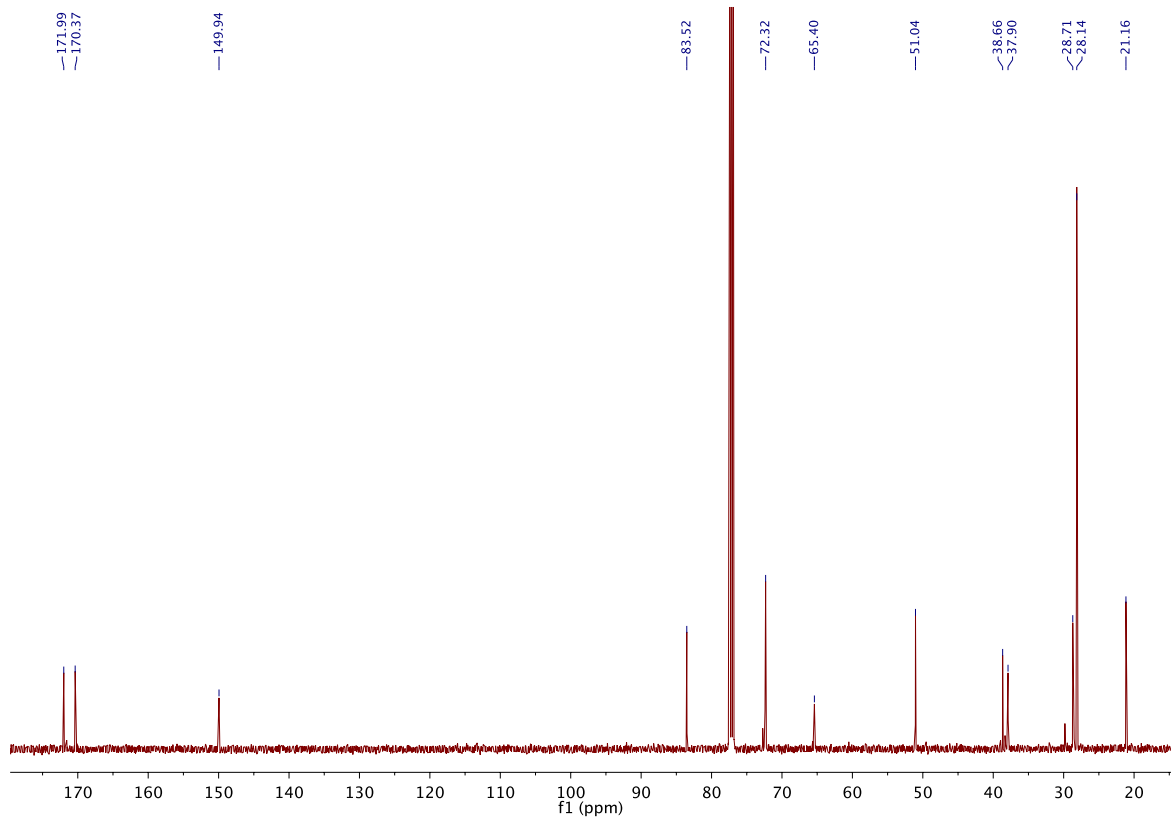
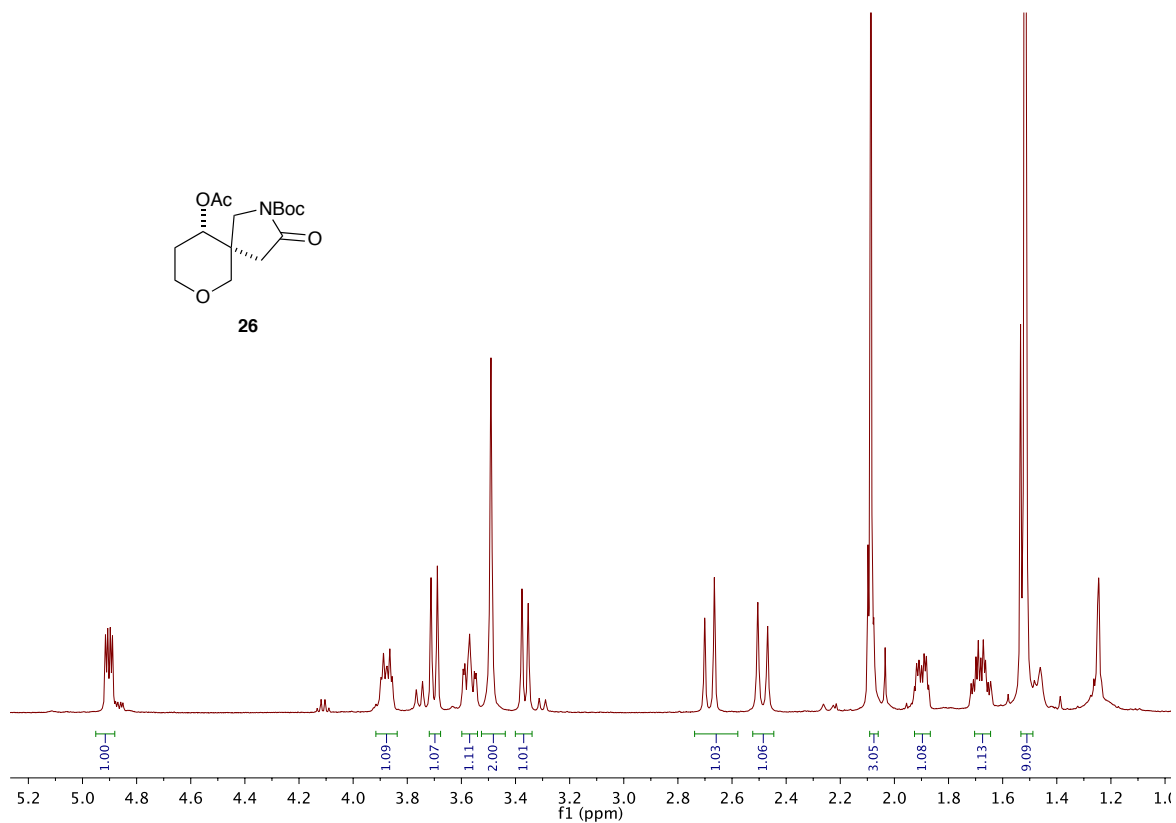
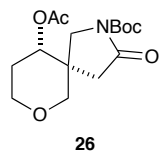


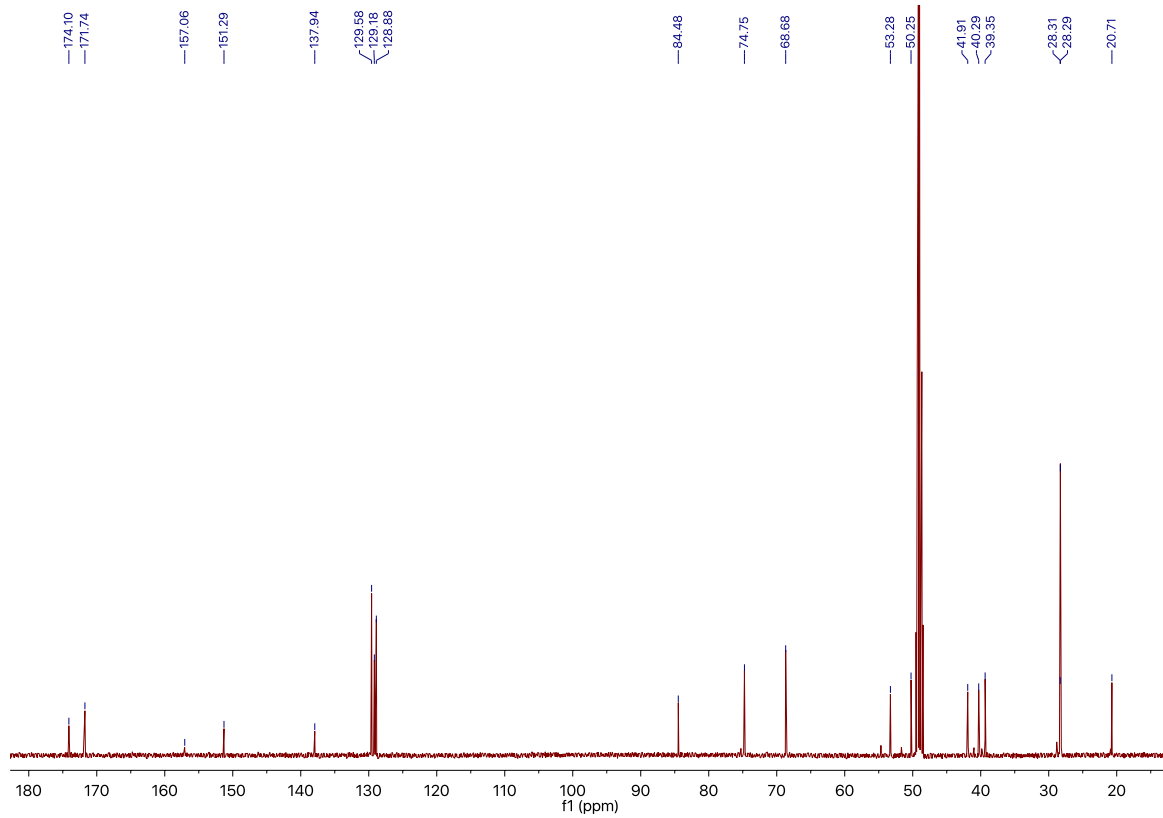
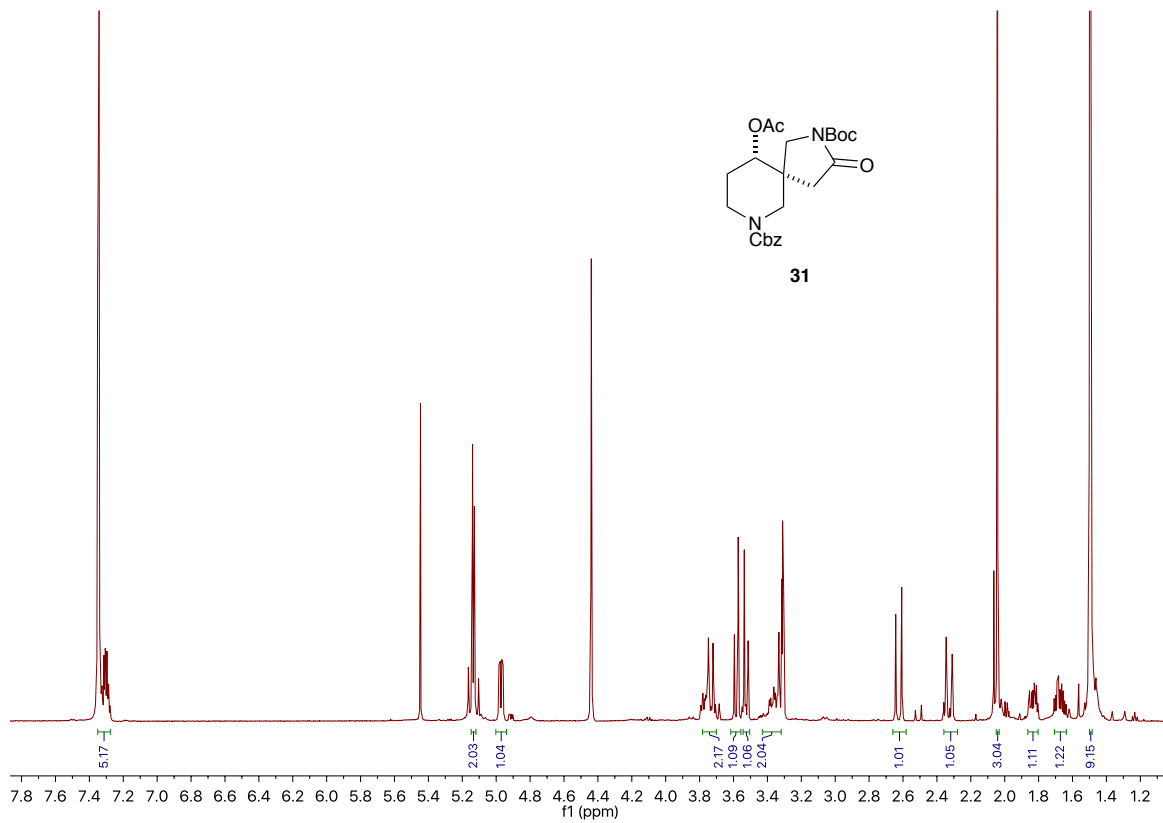


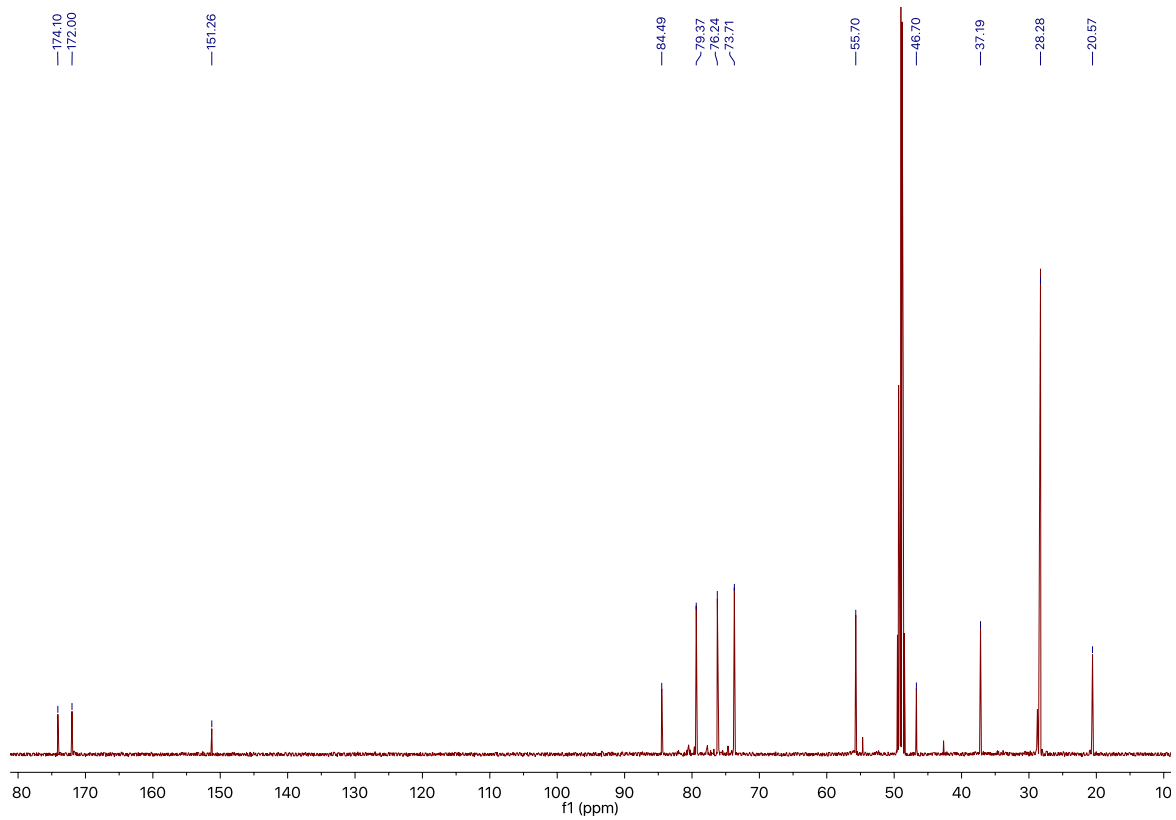
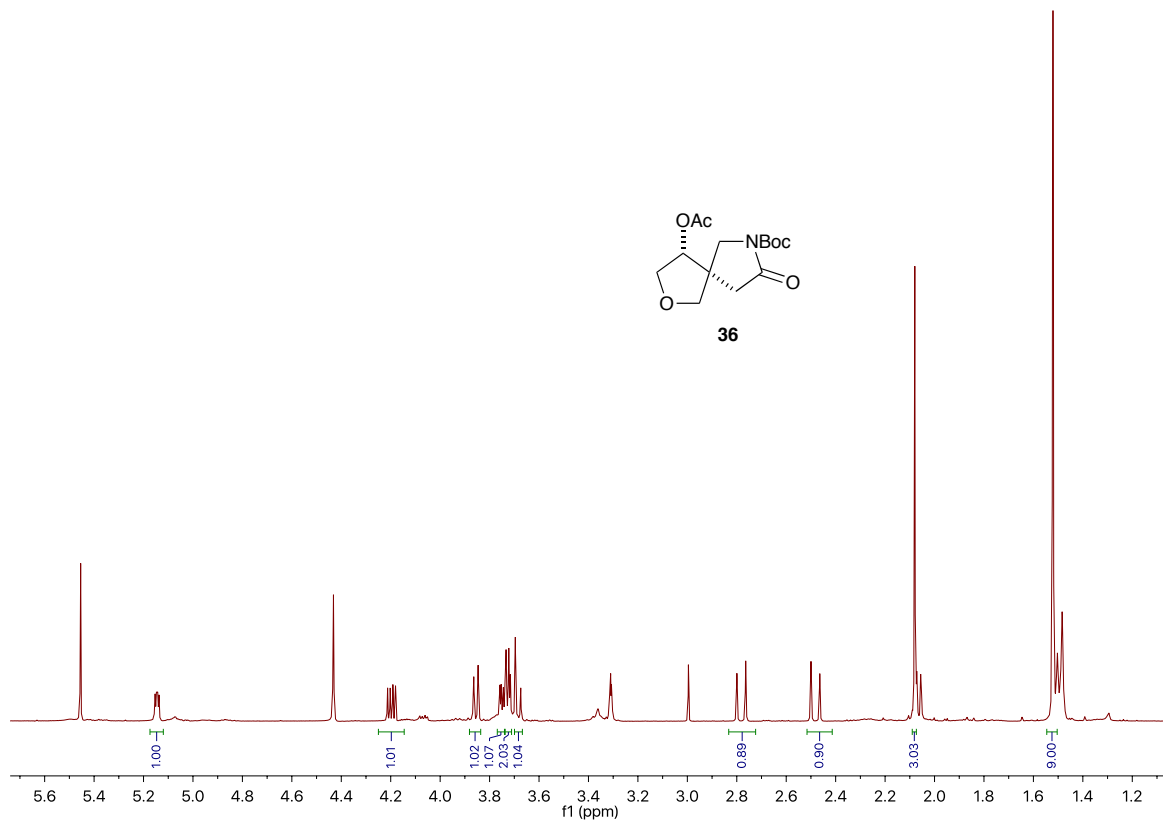


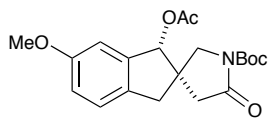




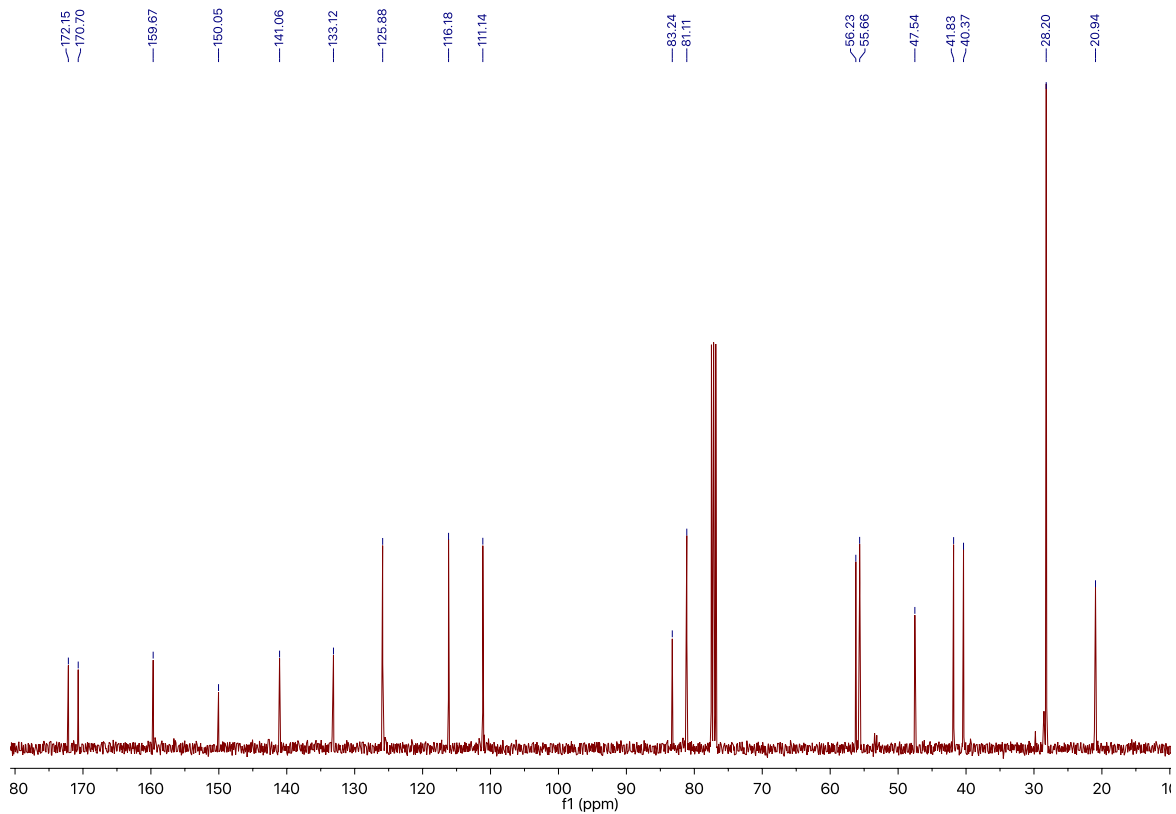
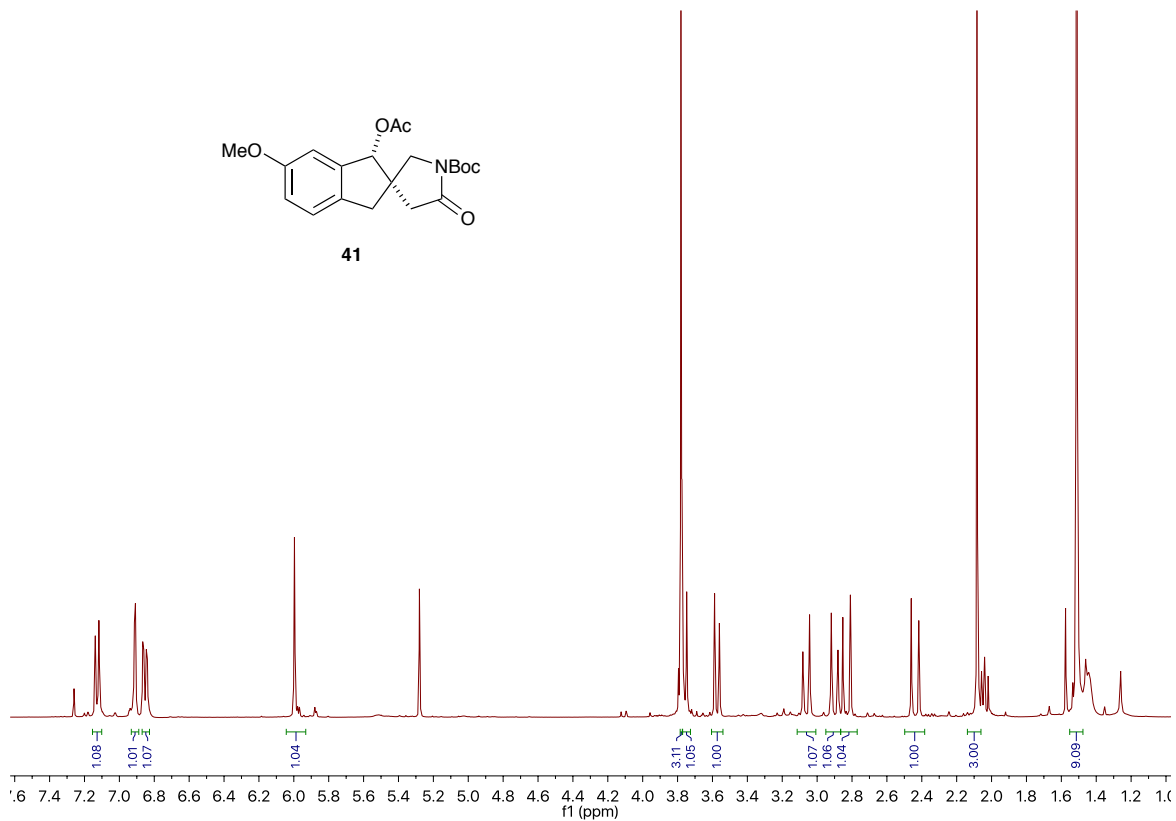


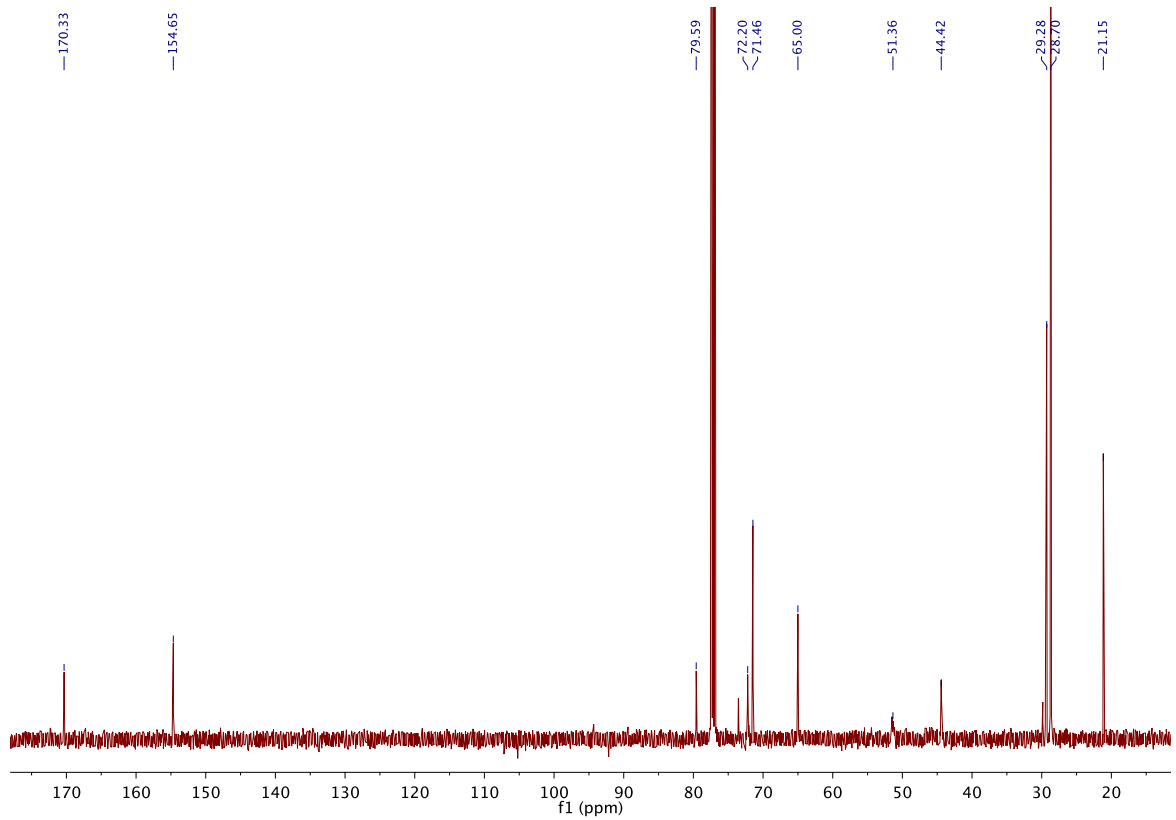
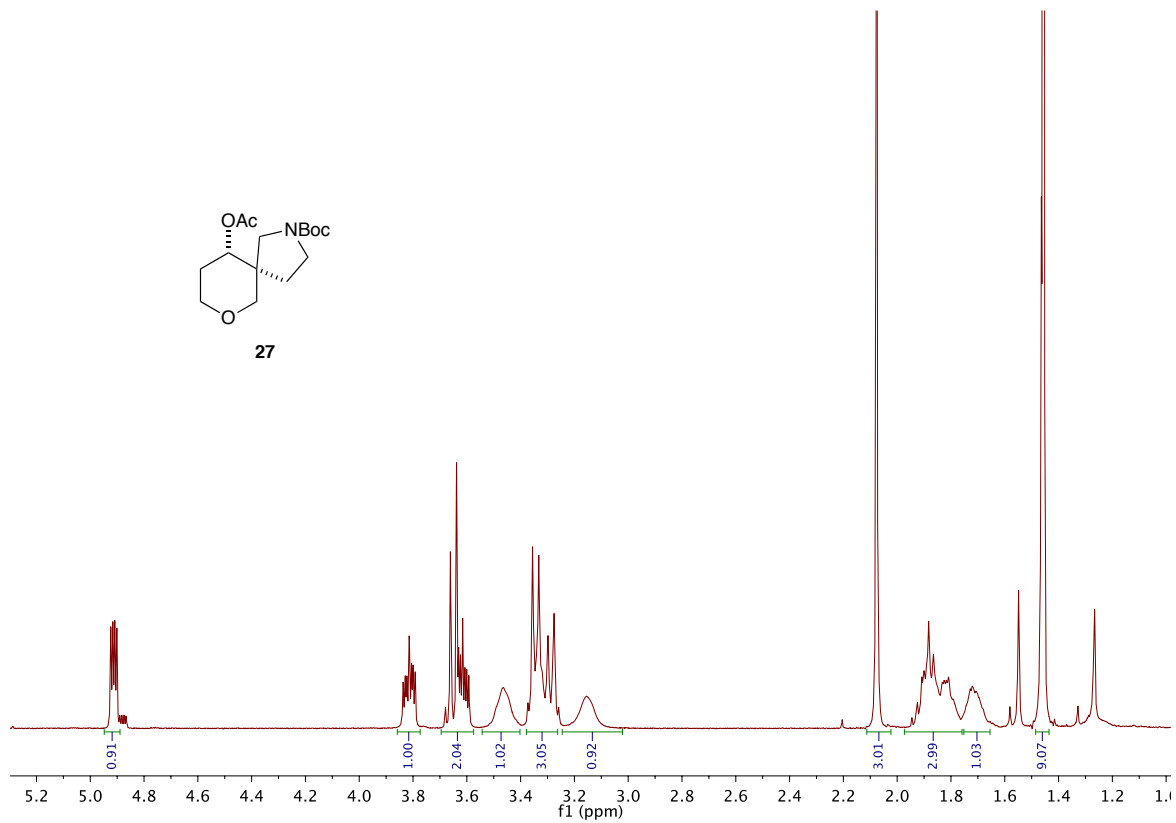
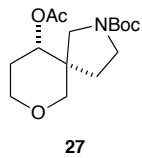


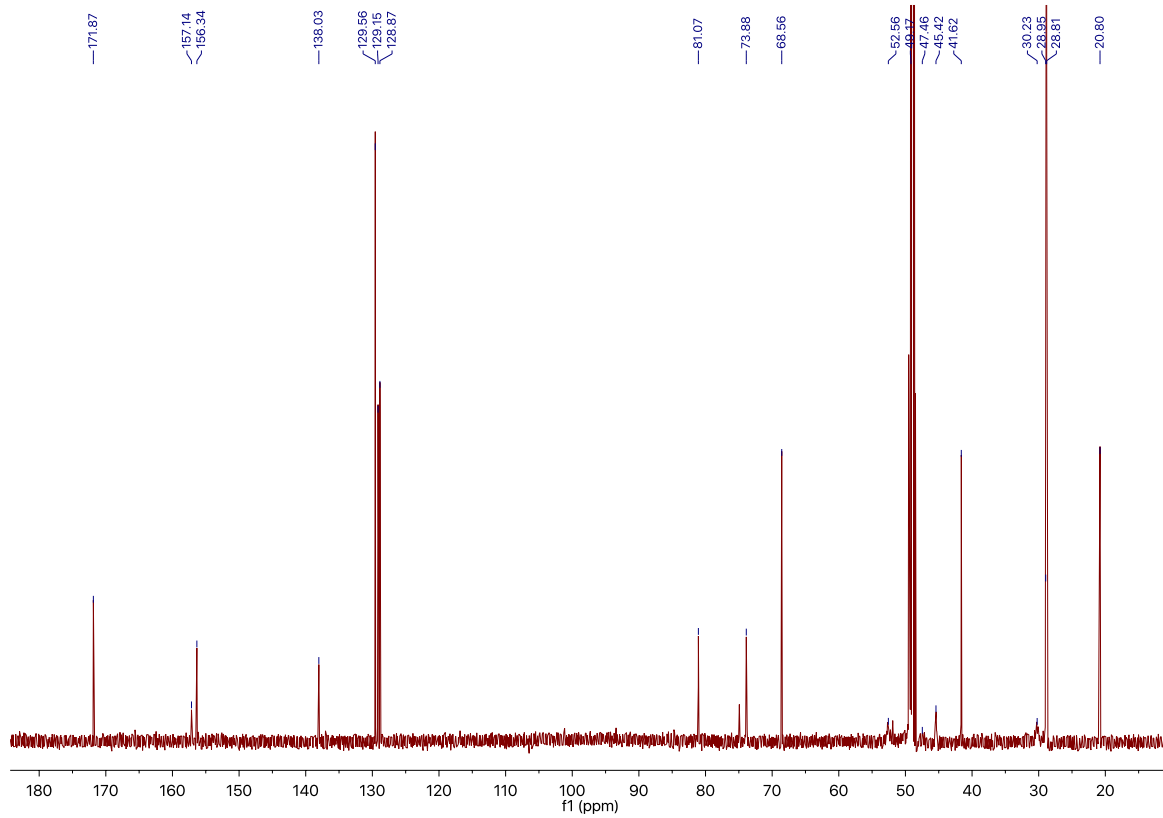
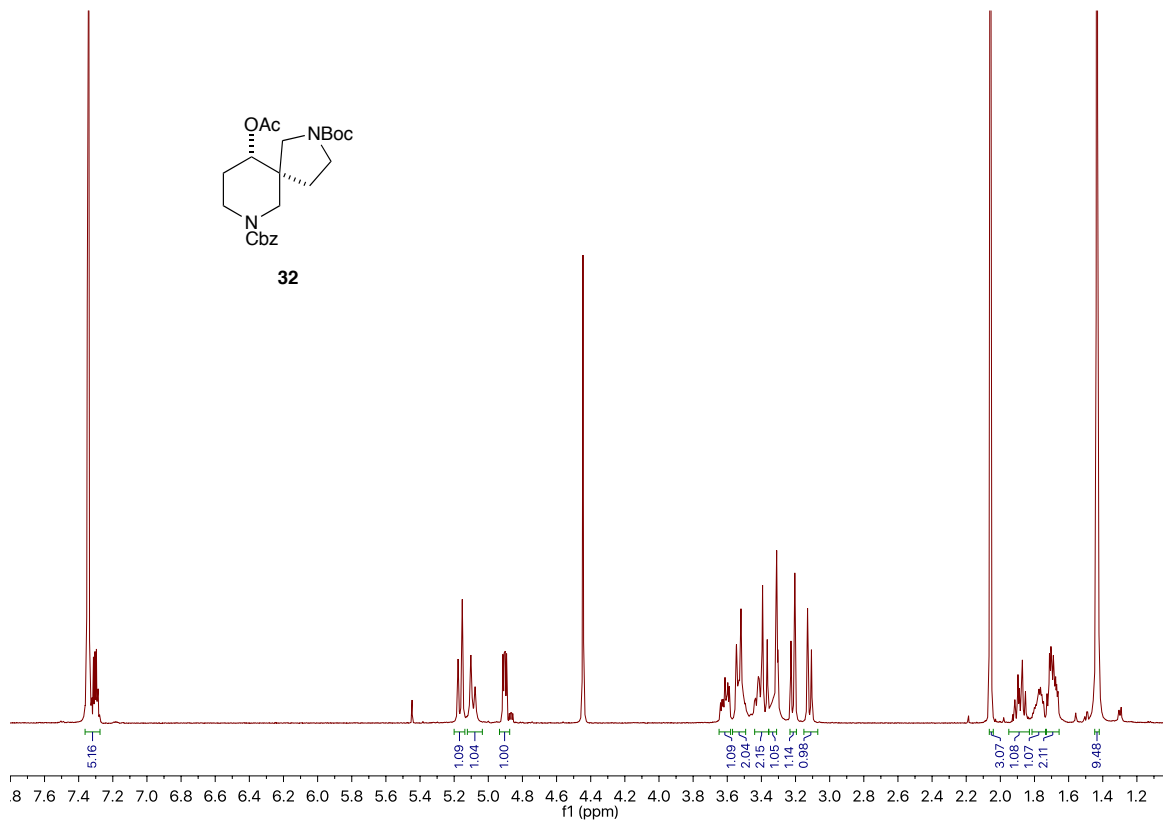


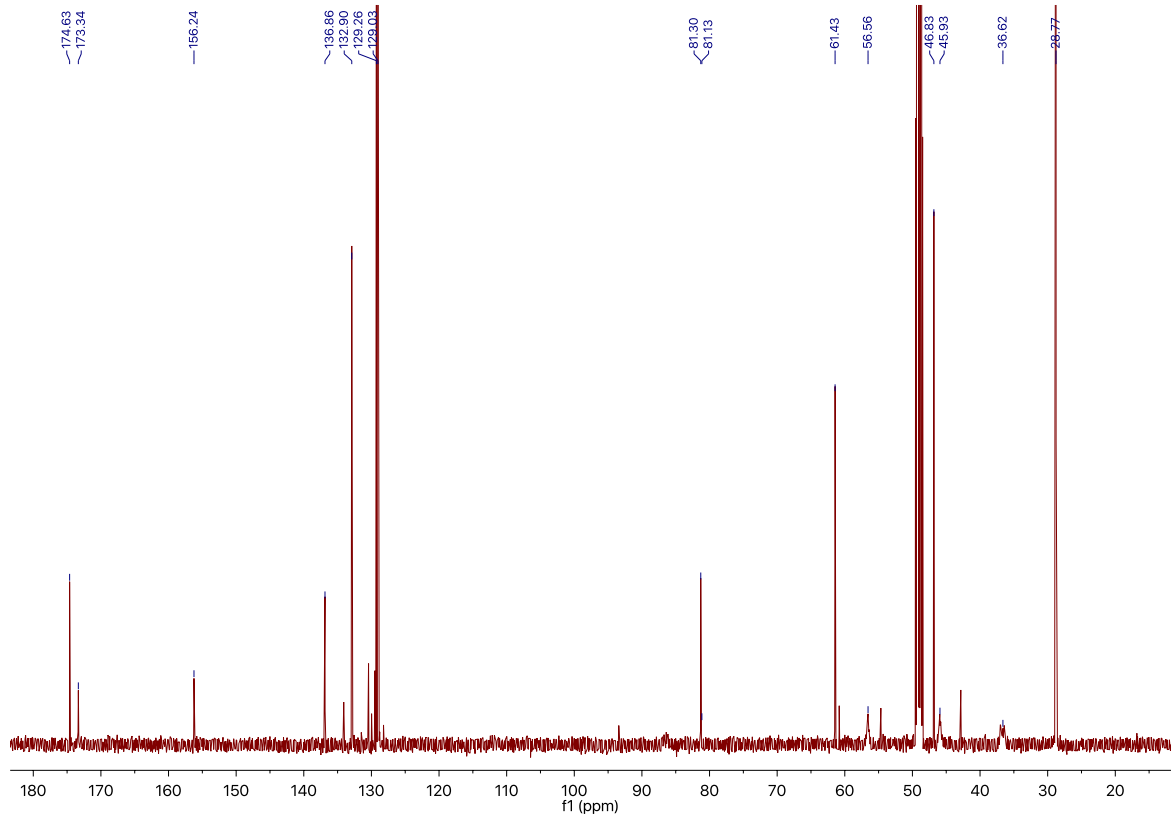
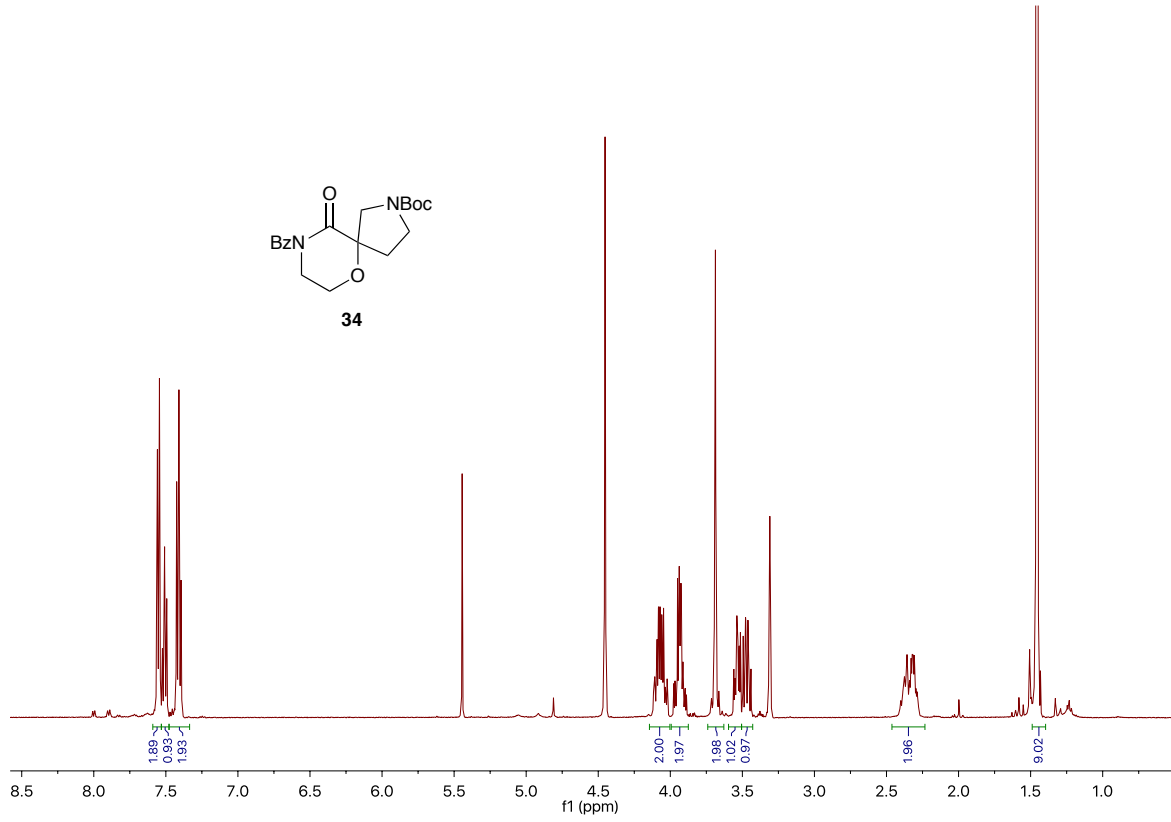
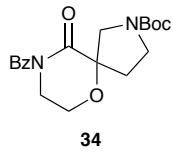


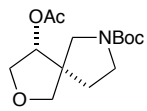
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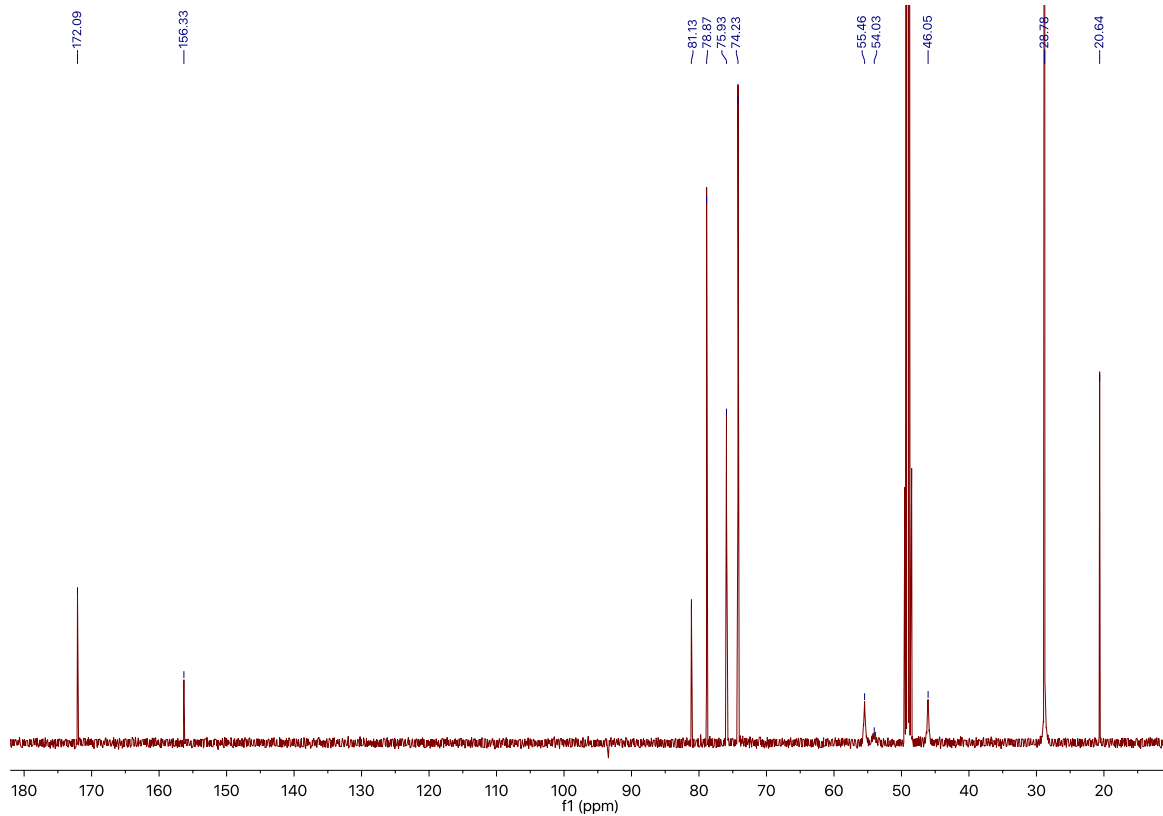
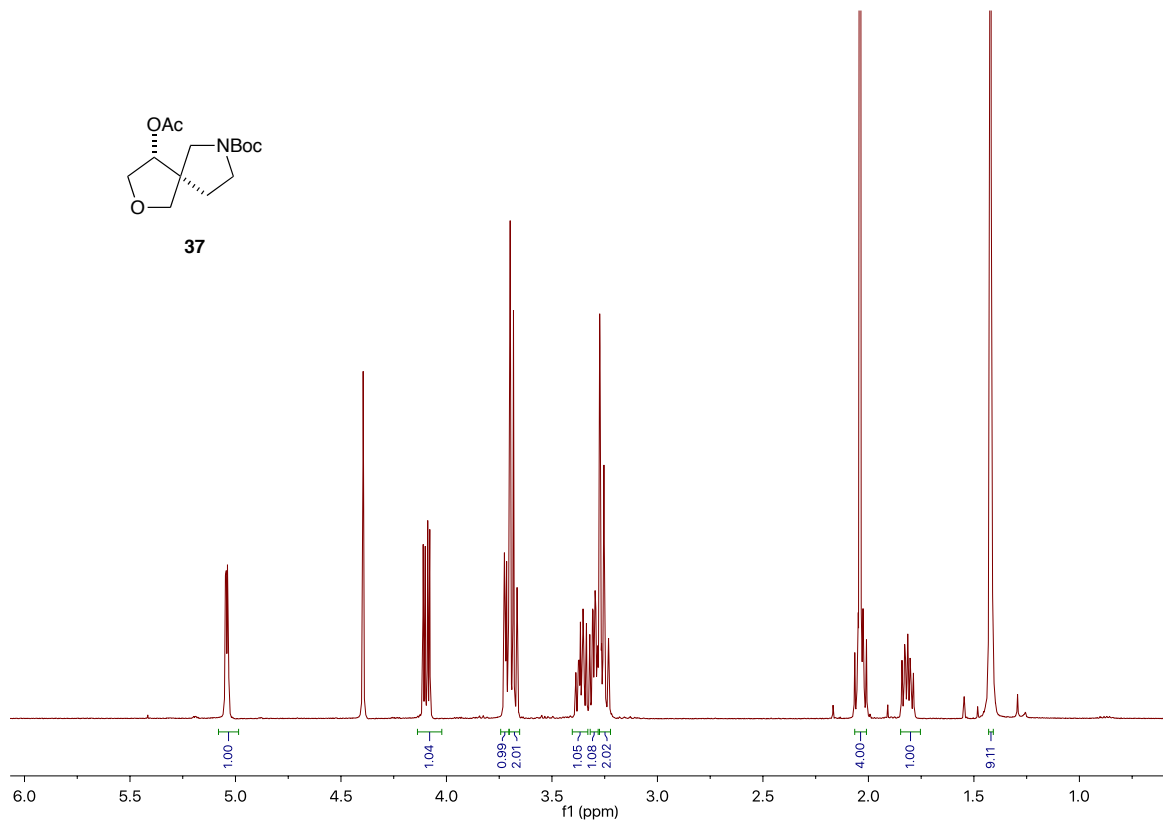


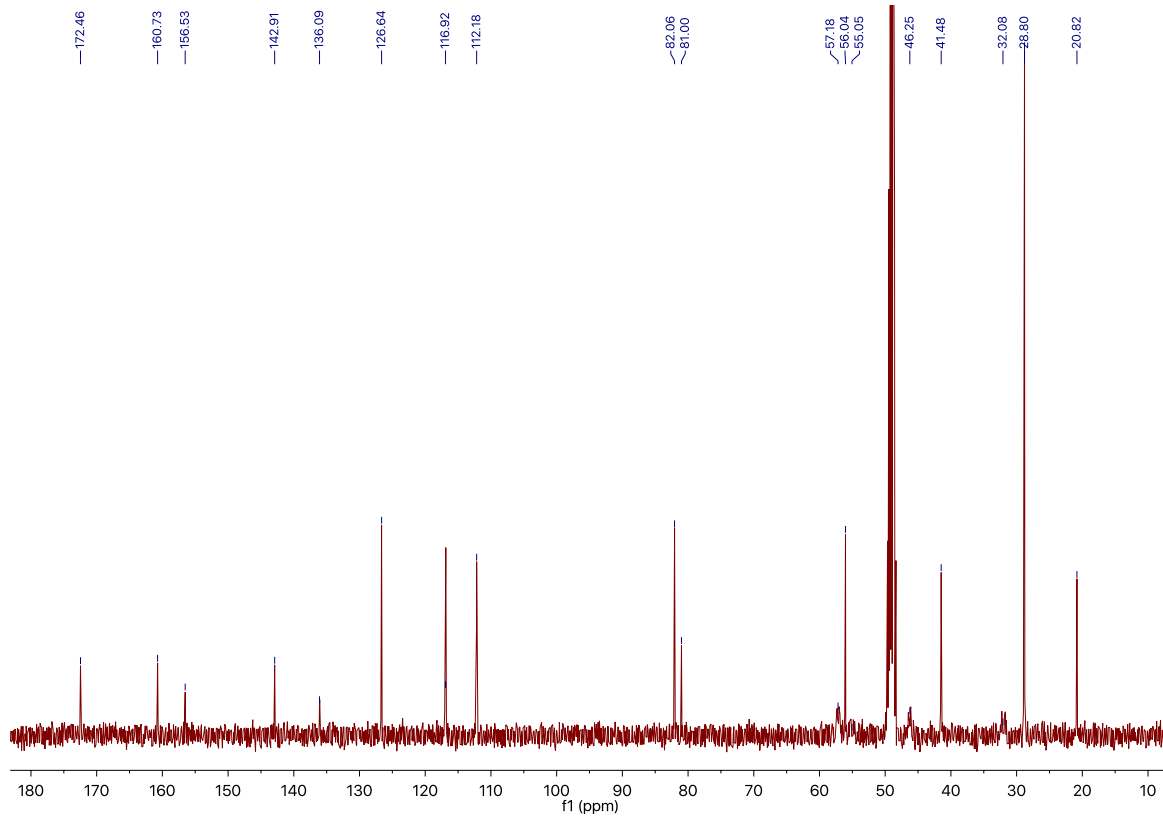
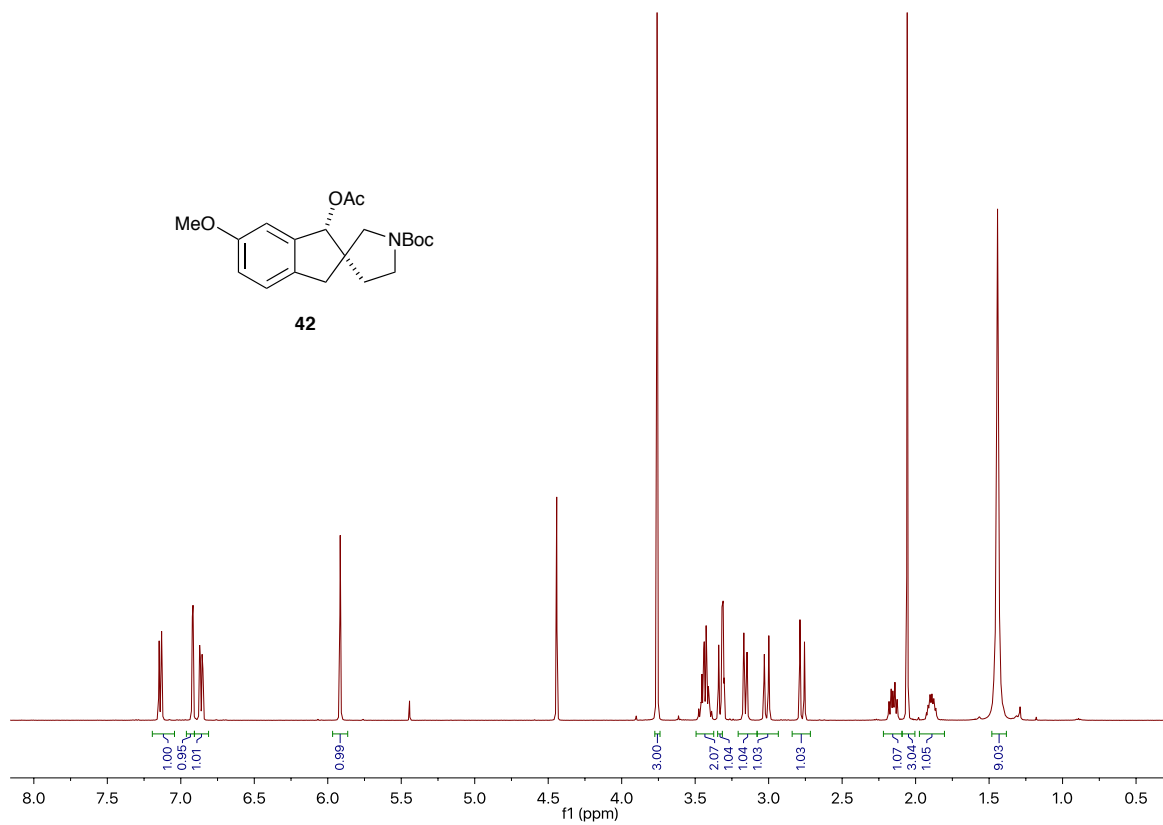
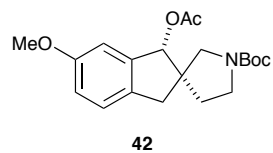


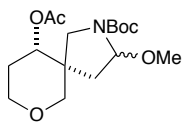




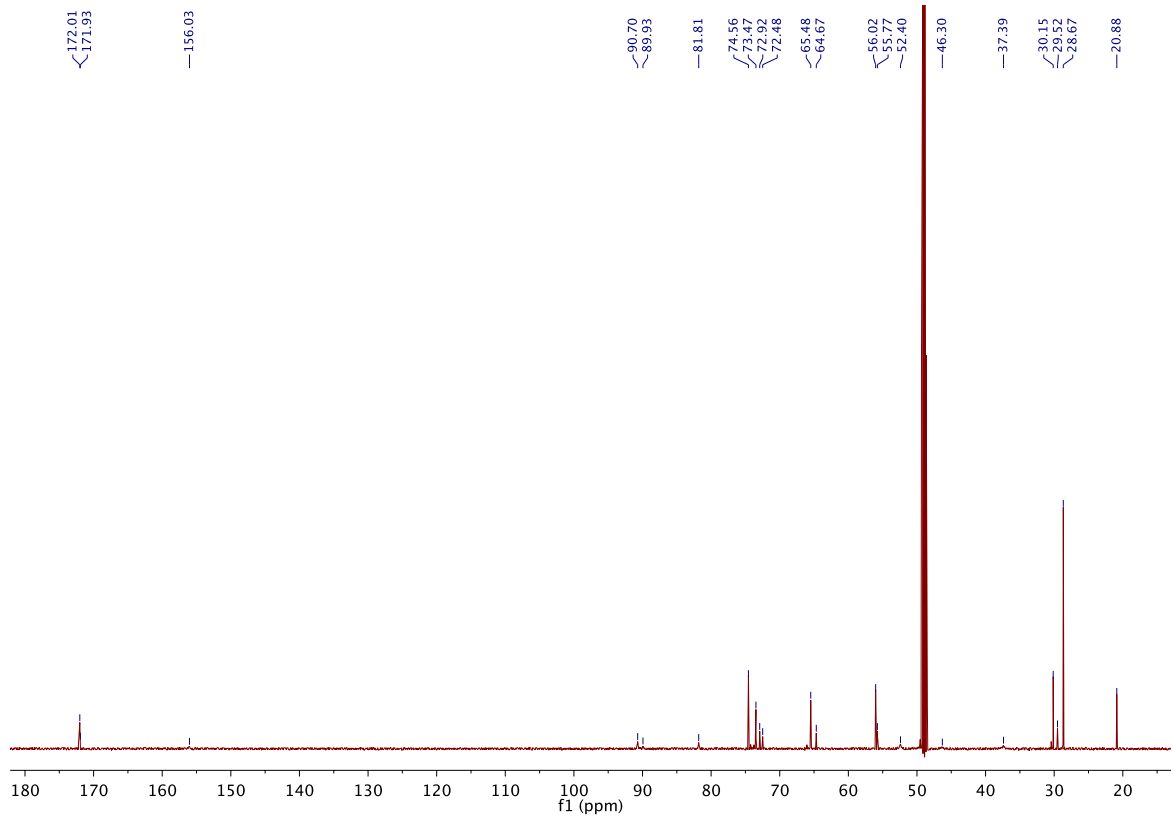
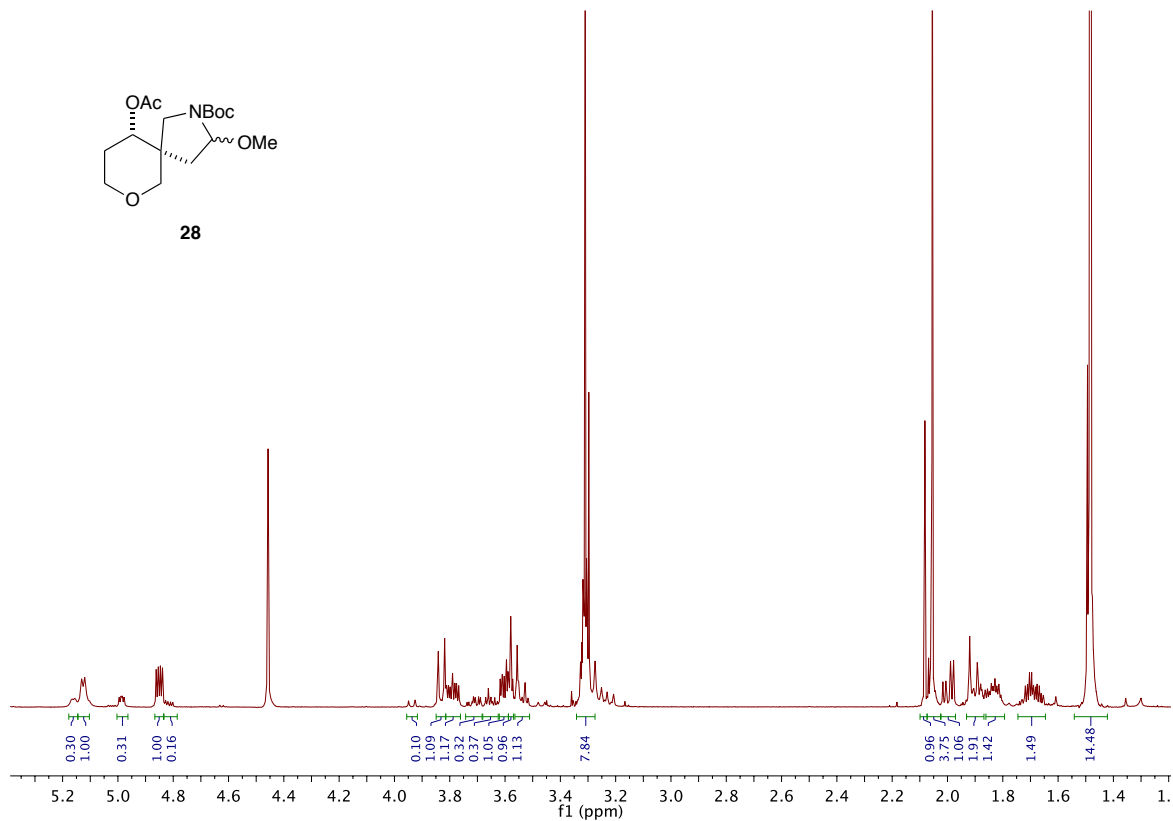
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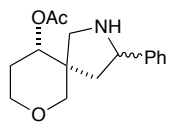




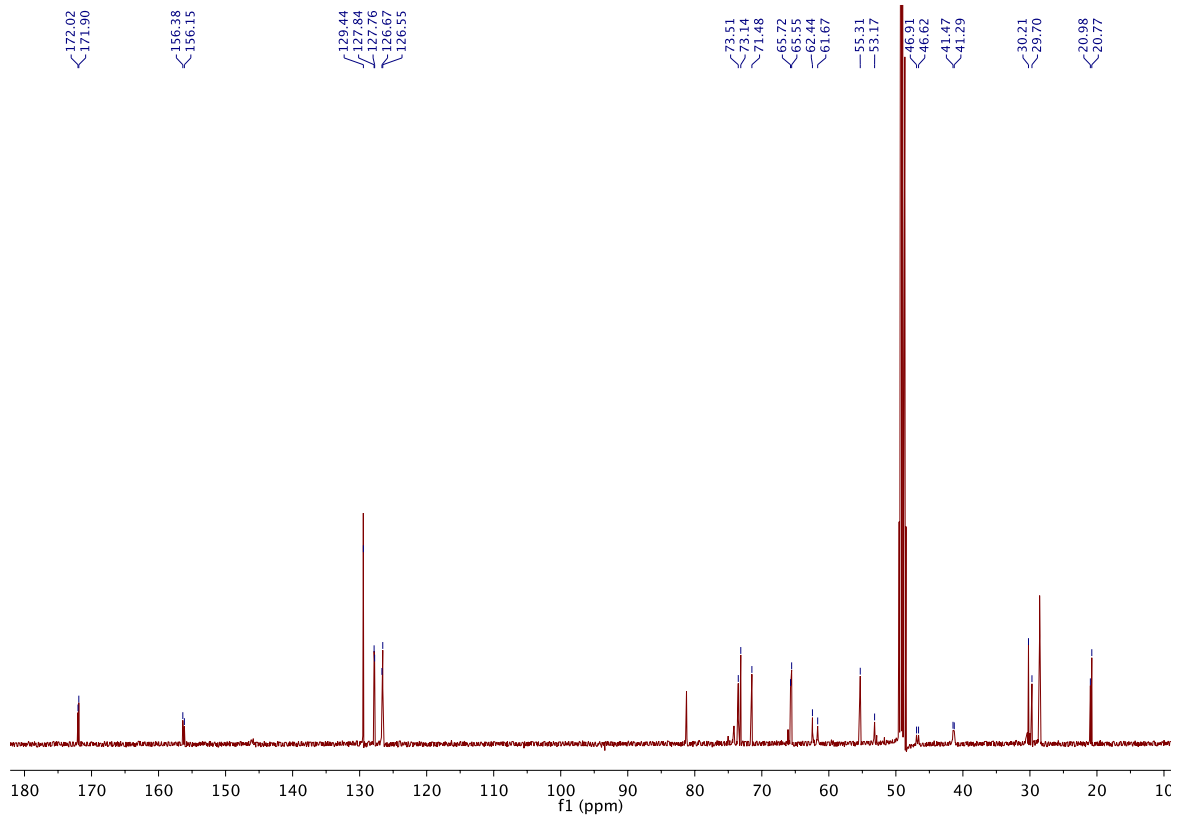
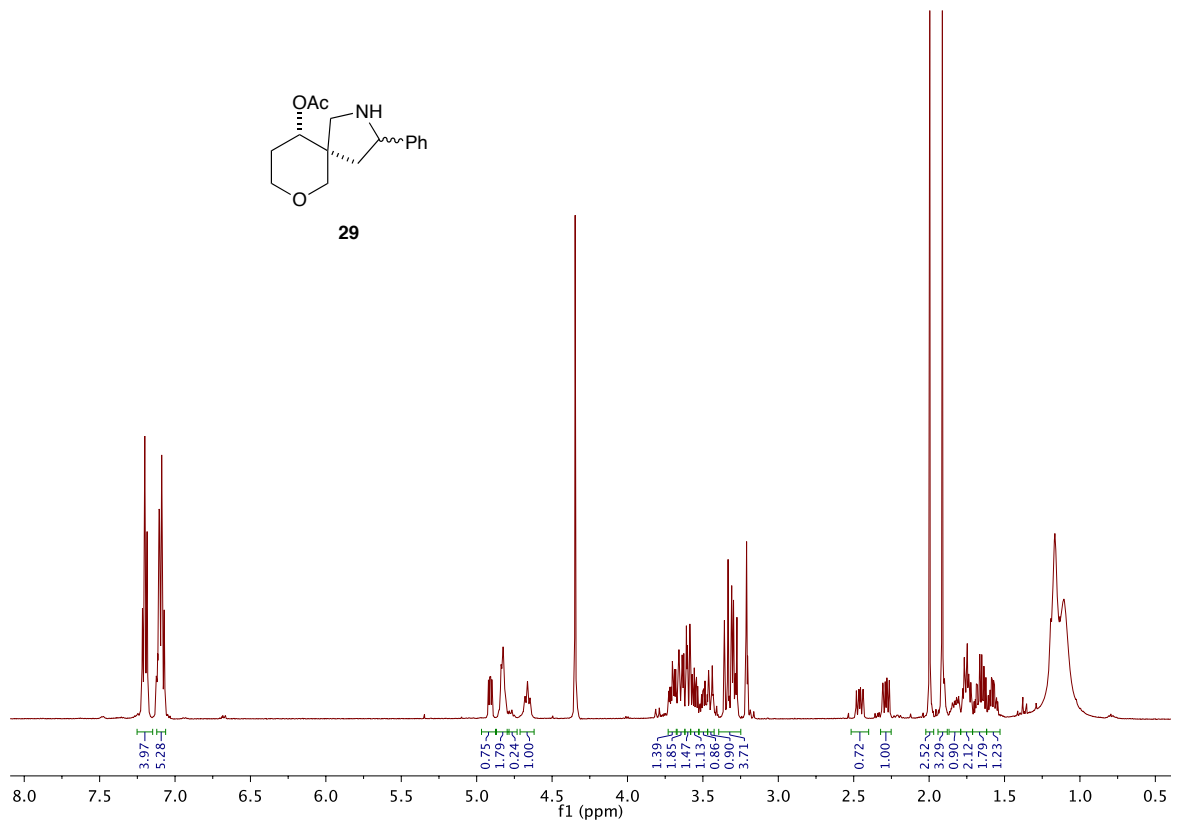


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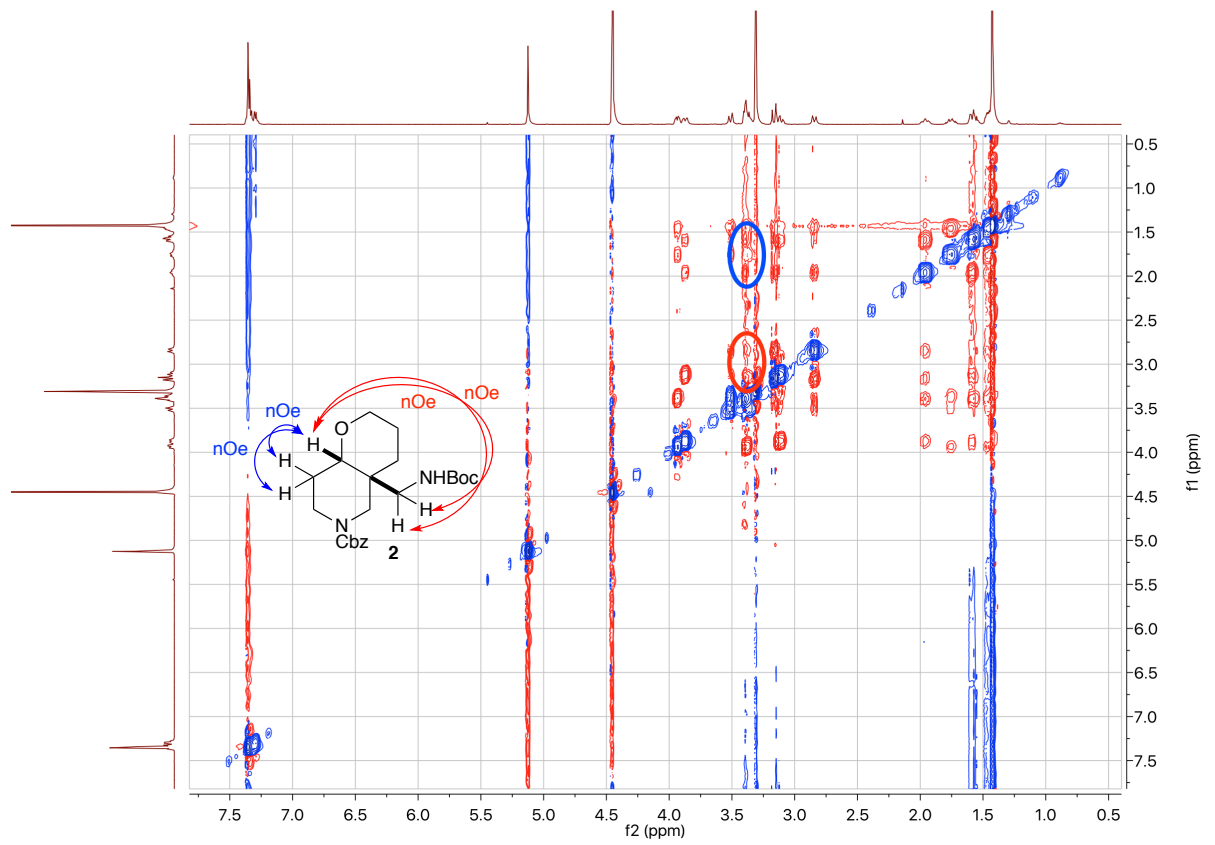
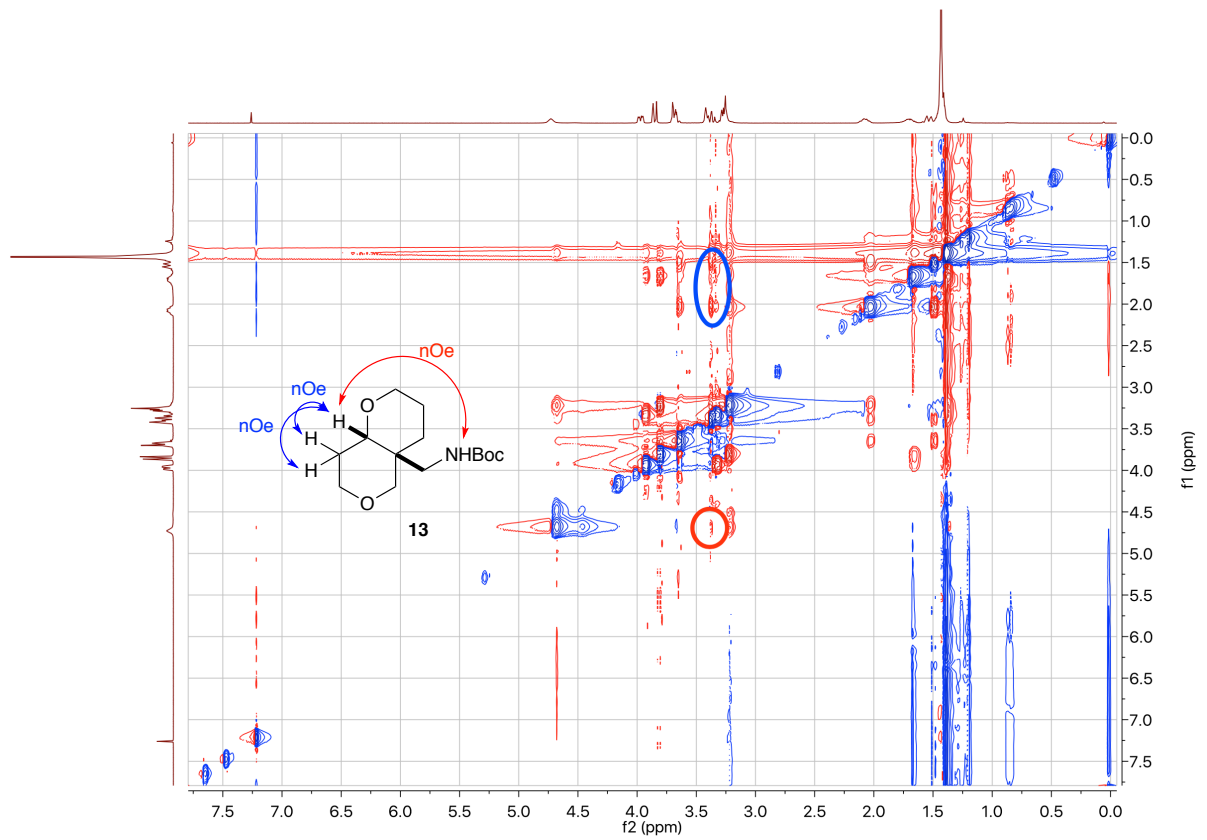


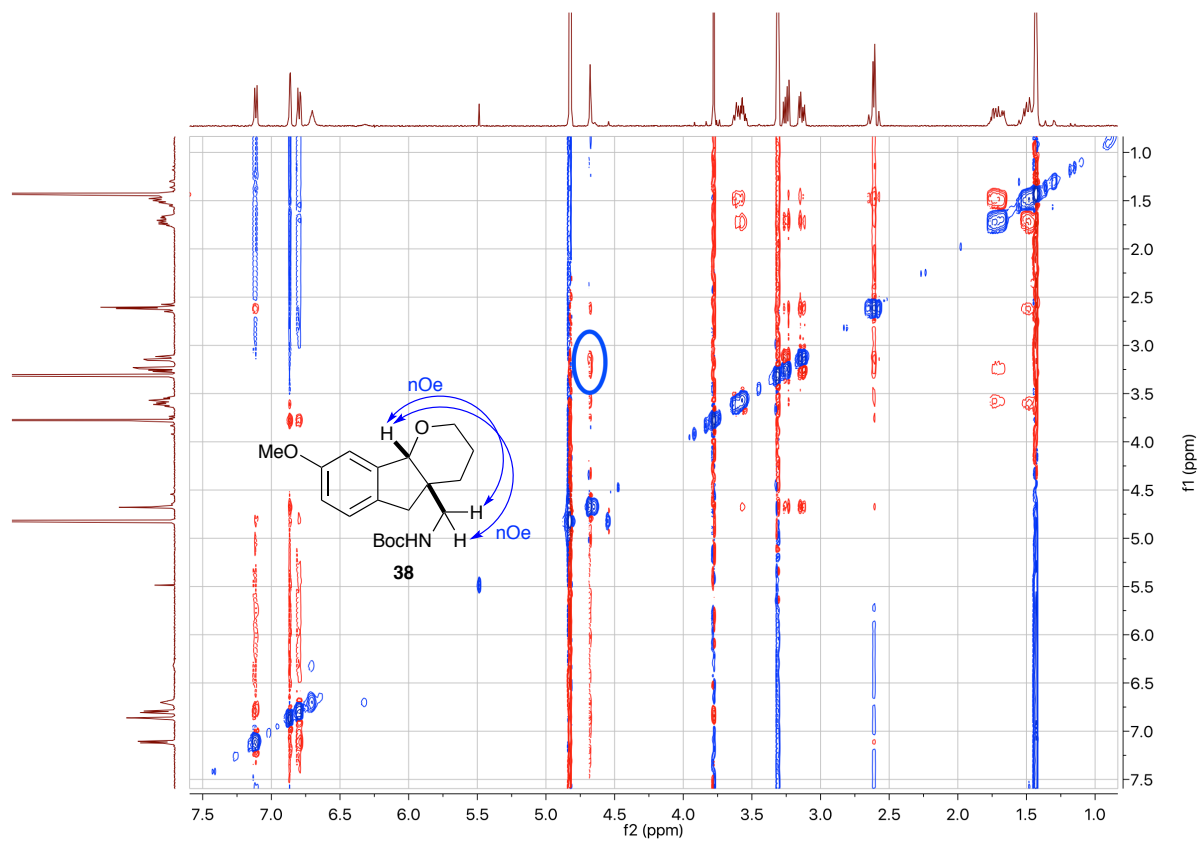
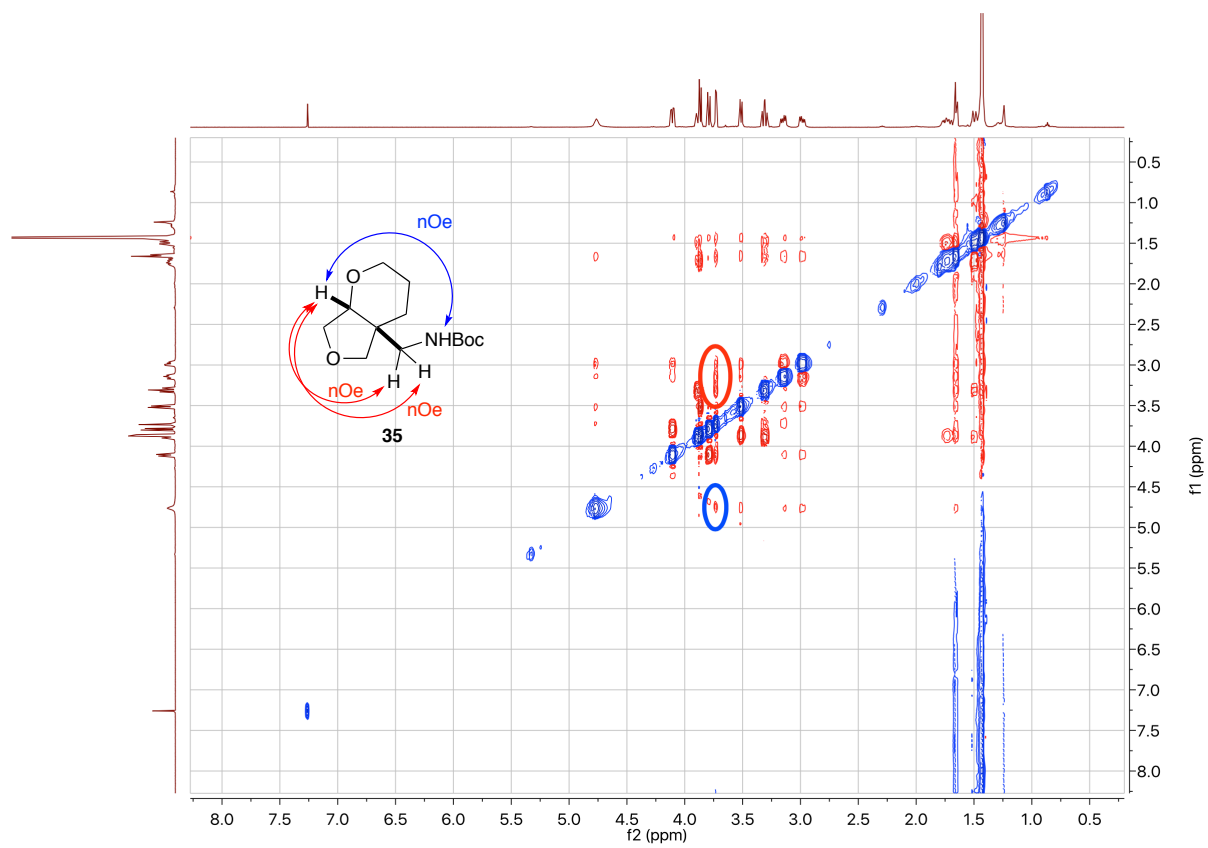


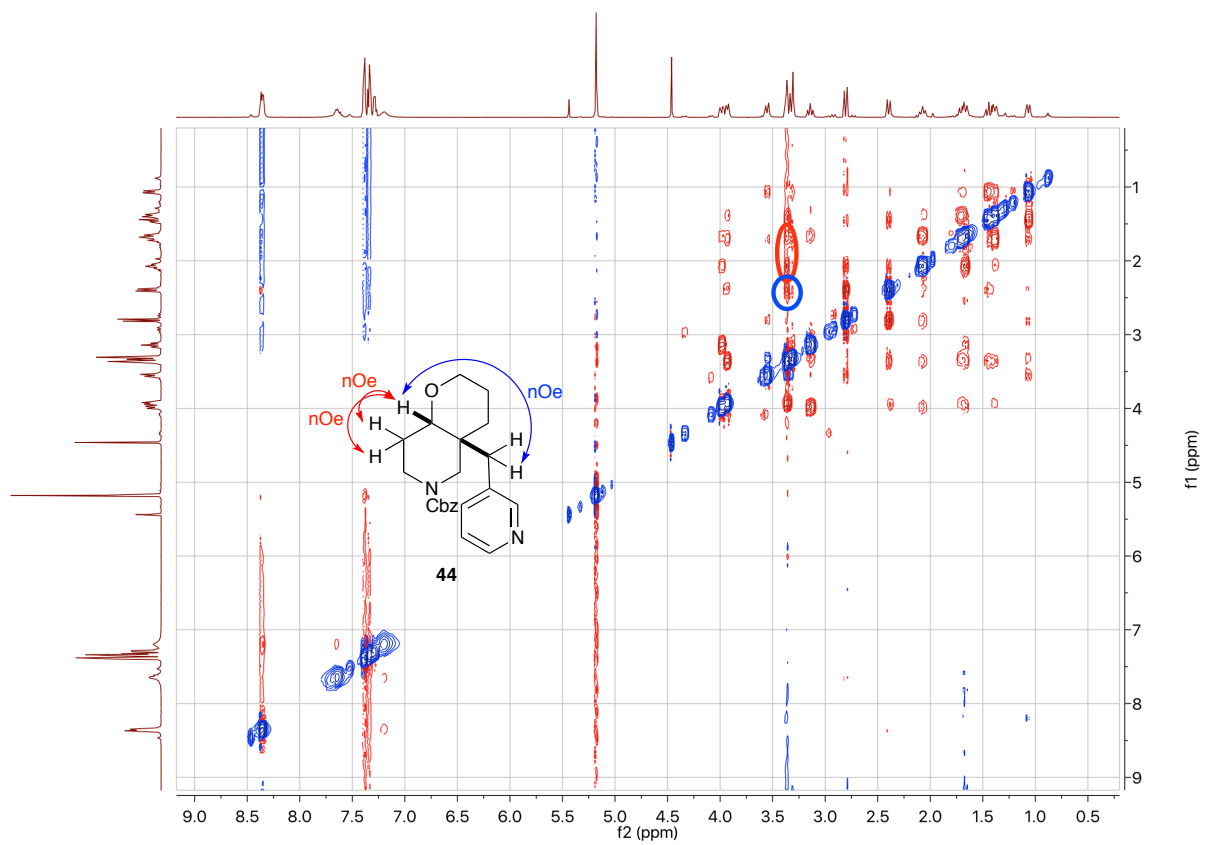
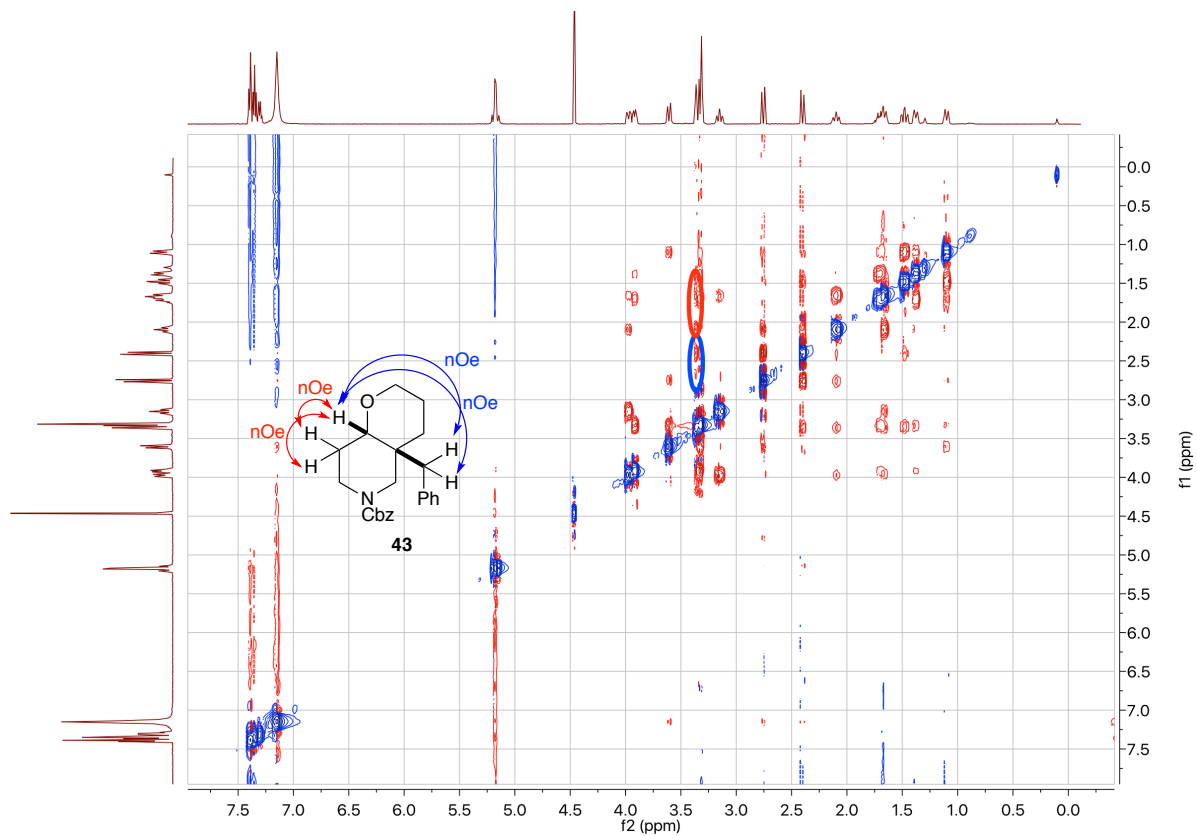
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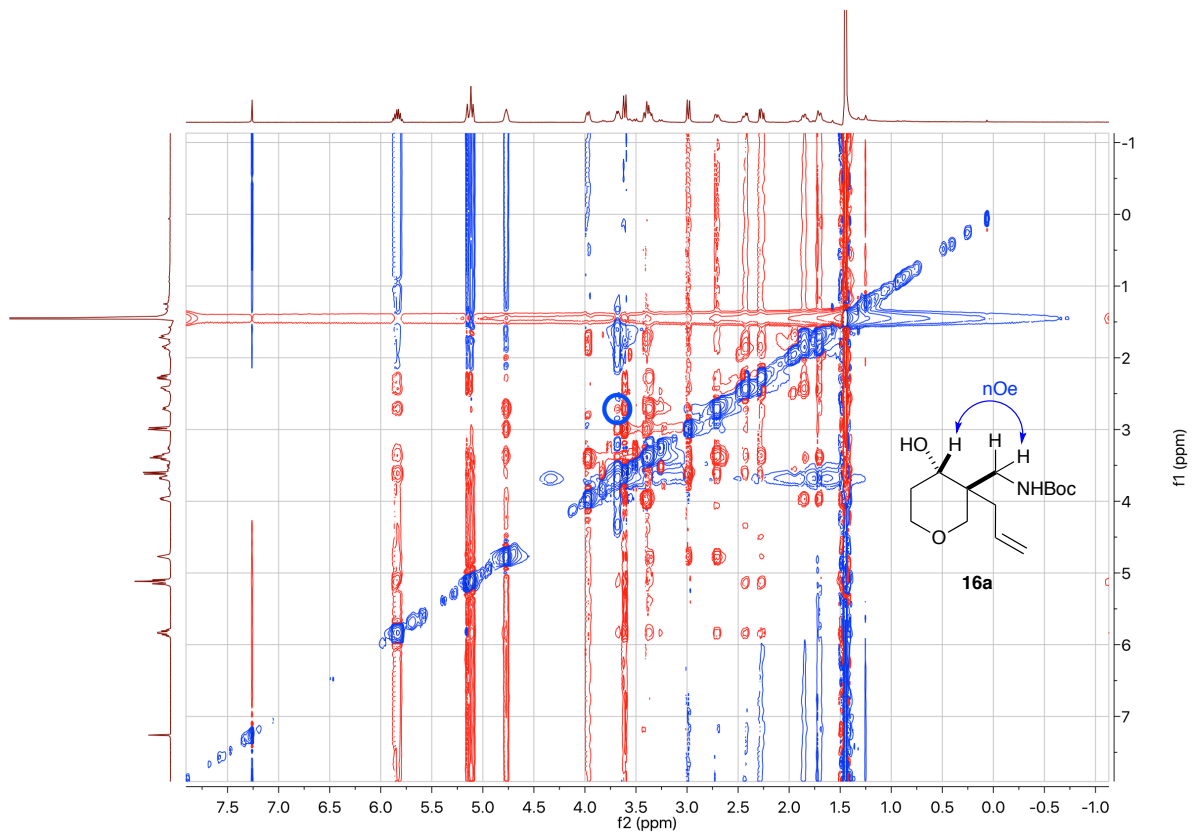
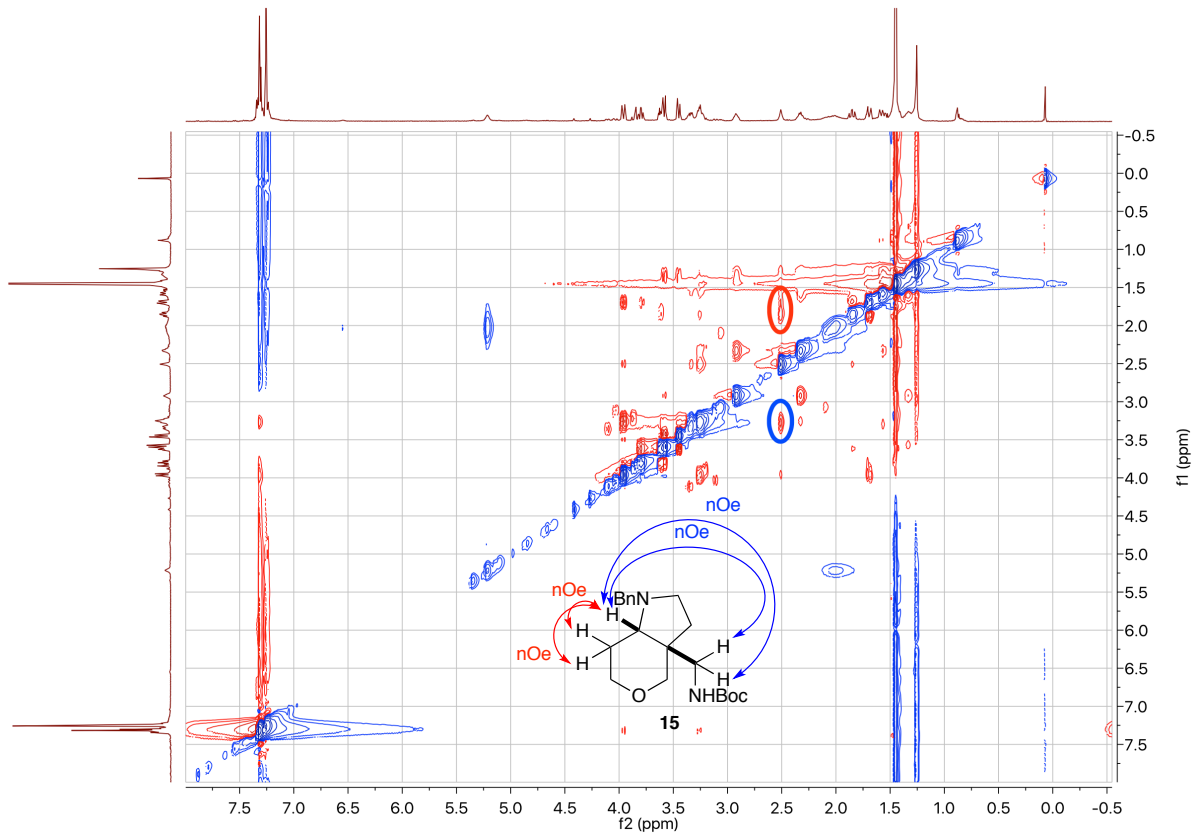


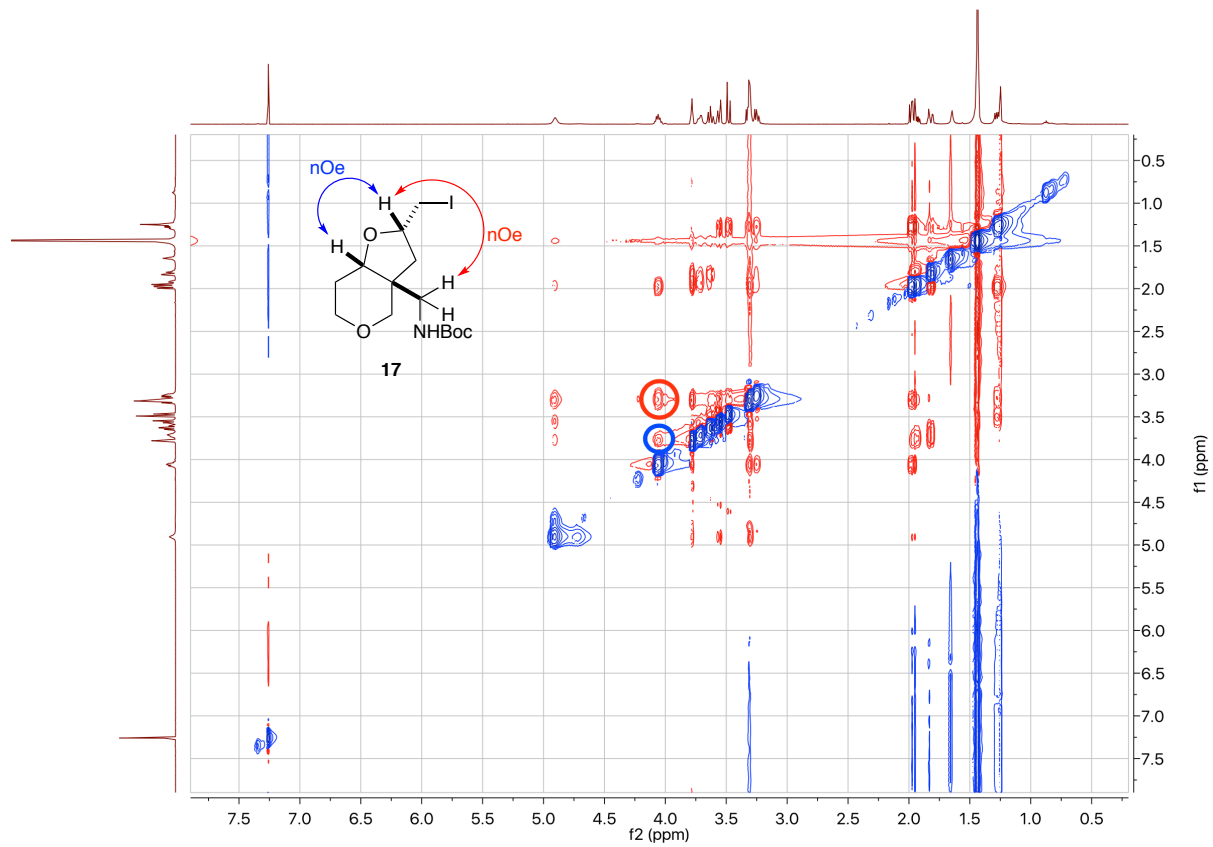
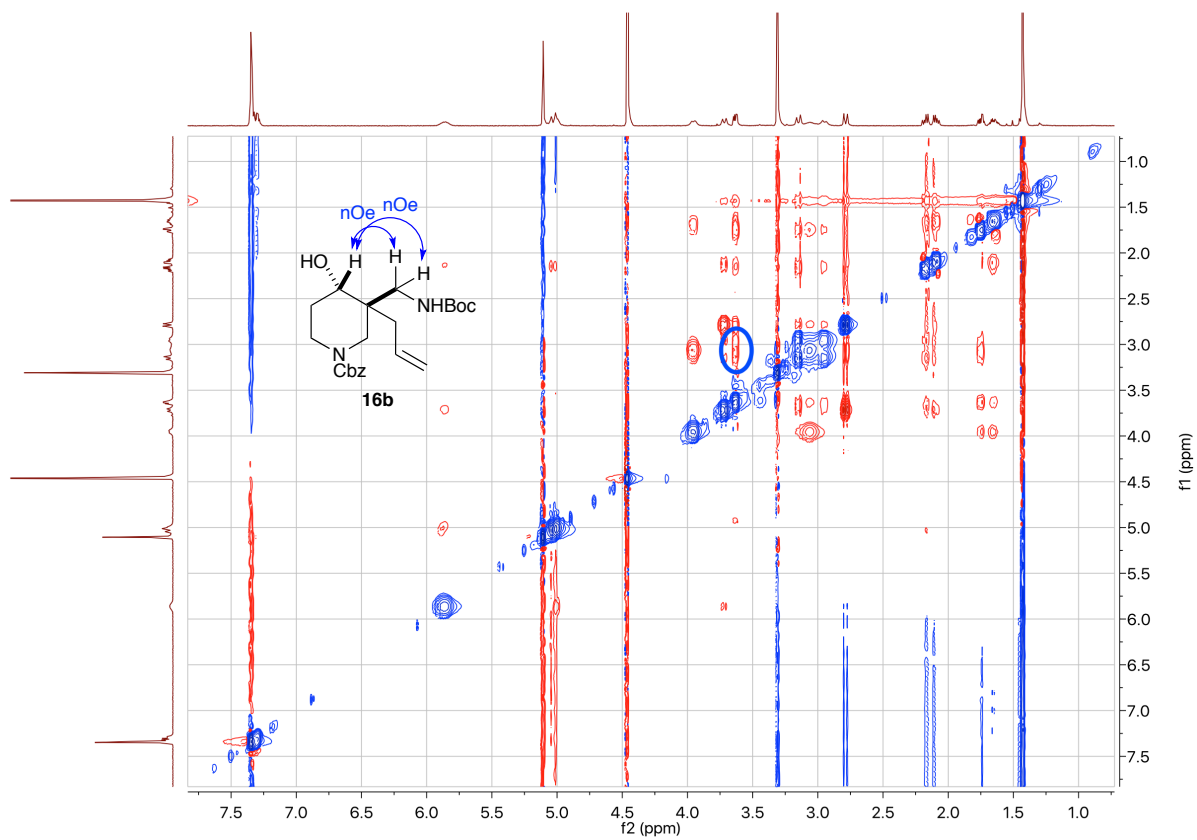
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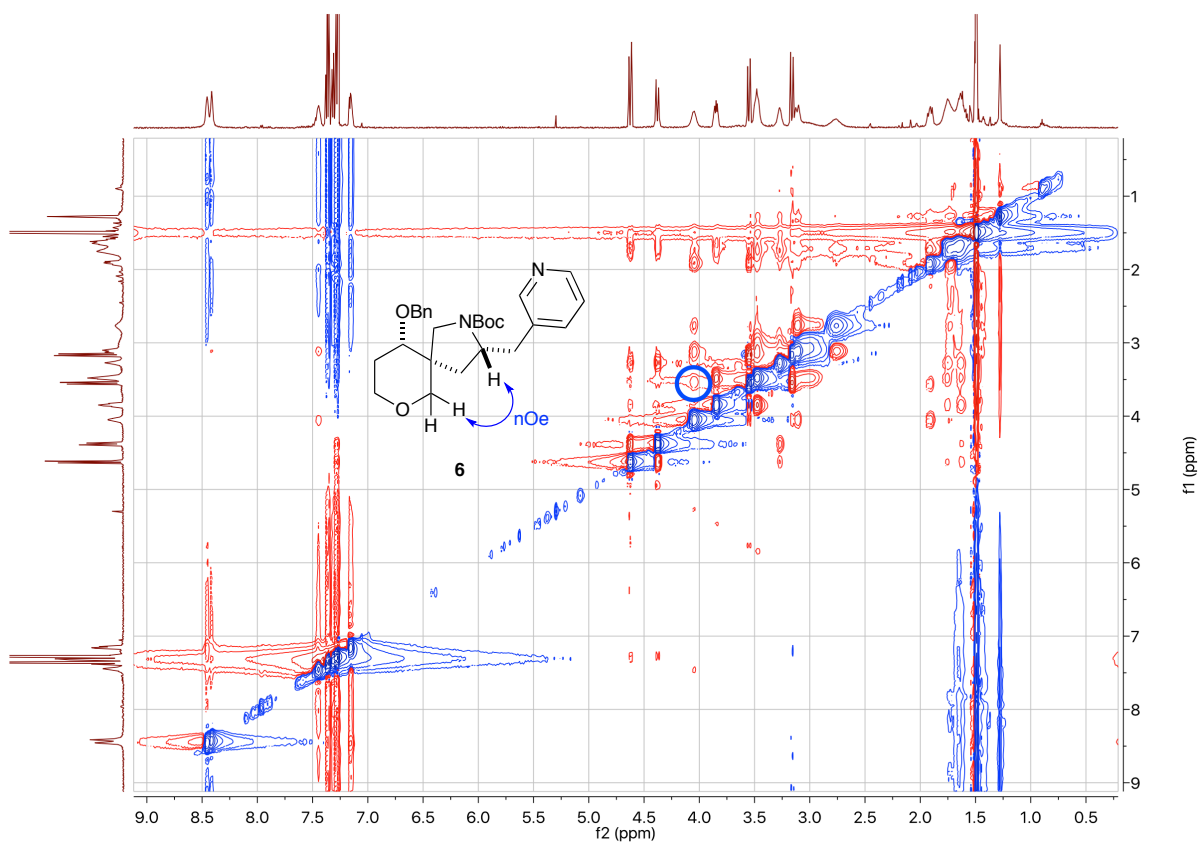
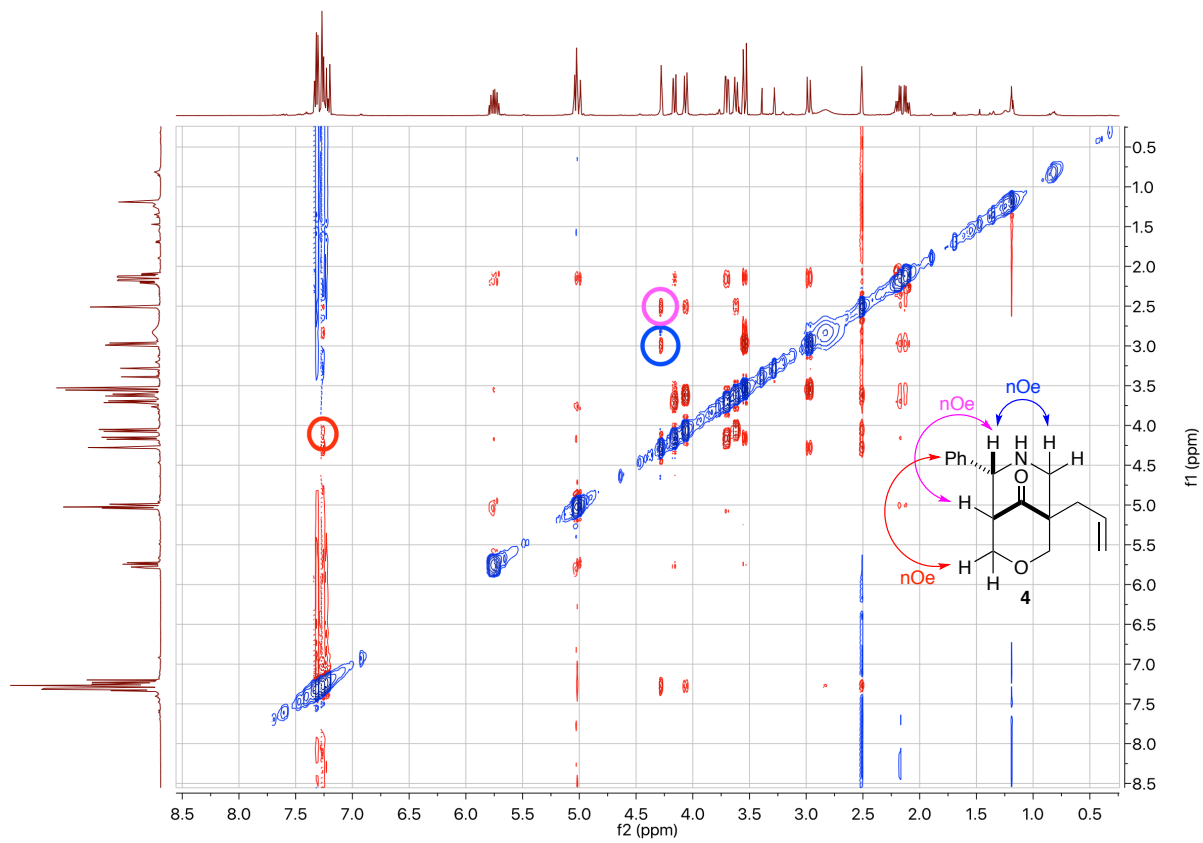


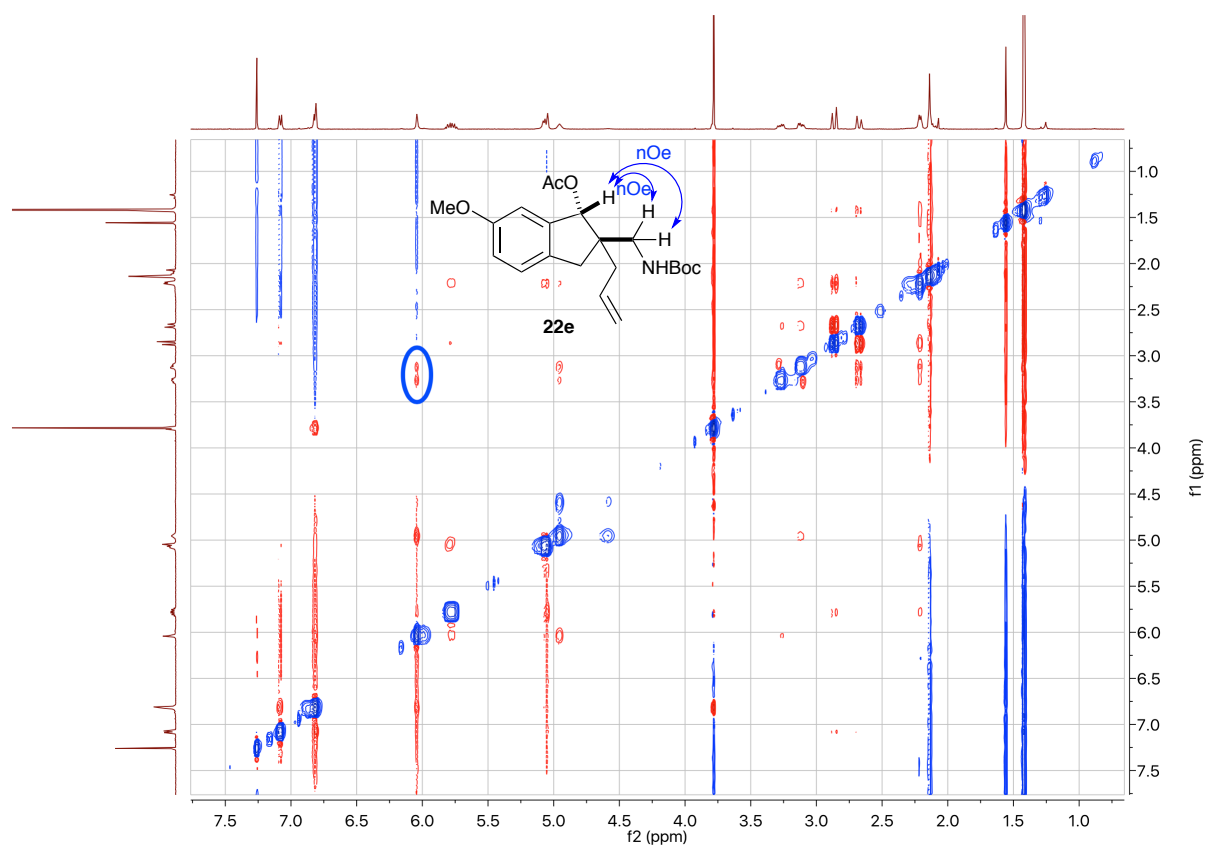












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