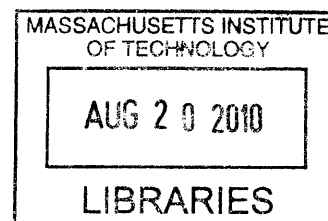


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## ABSTRACT

### I. Total Synthesis of All Class III Galbulimima Alkaloids

We describe the total synthesis of (+)- and (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13, (-)-himgaline and (-)-himbadine. The absolute stereochemistry of natural (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 is revised to 2*S*. Sequential use of catalytic cross-coupling and cross-metathesis reactions followed by an intramolecular Diels-Alder reaction provided the required *trans*-decalin AB-ring system and masked the C16-carbonyl as an *N*-vinyl carbamate for late stage unveiling in the form of the necessary C16-enone. A vinyl-radical cyclization secured the C-ring while successful execution of our strategy for introduction of the CDE-ring system in complex galbulimima alkaloids provided the target pentacycle with complete diastereoselection.

### II. Total Synthesis of (-)-Himandrine

We describe the first total synthesis of (-)-himandrine, a member of the class II galbulimima alkaloids. Noteworthy features of this chemistry include a diastereoselective Diels-Alder reaction in the rapid synthesis of the tricycle ABC-ring system in enantiomerically enriched form, the use of a formal [3+3] annulation strategy to secure the CDE-ring system with complete diastereoselection, and successful implementation of our biogenetically inspired oxidative spirocyclization of an advanced intermediate. The successful and direct late-stage formation of the F-ring in the hexacyclic core of himandrine drew on the power of biogenetic considerations and fully utilized the inherent chemistry of a plausible biosynthetic intermediate.

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## Abbreviations

Å	angstrom
[ $\alpha$ ]	specific rotation
Ac	acetyl
AIBN	2,2'-azobisisobutyronitrile
anis	anisaldehyde
aq	aqueous
atm	atmosphere
br	broad
brsm	yield based on recovered starting material
Bu	butyl
°C	degree Celcius
calcd	calculated
CAM	ceric ammonium molybdate
cm	centimeter
cm <sup>-1</sup>	wavenumber
COSY	correlation spectroscopy
d	doublet
<i>d</i>	deuterium
$\delta$	parts per million
DEAD	diethyl azodicarboxylate
diam	diameter
DMAP	4-dimethylaminopyridine
DMF	<i>N,N</i> -dimethylformamide
DMSO	dimethylsulfoxide
DTBMP	2,6-di- <i>tert</i> -butyl-4-methylpyridine
dr	diastereomeric ratio
ee	enantiomeric excess
EI	electron ionization
equiv	equivalent
ESI	electrospray ionization
Et	ethyl
FT	Fourier transform
g	gram
g	gradient
GB	galbulimima
GC	gas chromatography
h	hour
ht	height
hv	photochemical irradiation
HMBC	heteronuclear multiple bond correlation
HPLC	high performance liquid chromatography
HRMS	high resolution mass spectroscopy
HSQC	heteronuclear single quantum correlation
Hz	Hertz



i	iso
IBX	2-iodoxybenzoic acid
IR	infrared
<i>J</i>	coupling constant
kcal	kilocalorie
KHMDS	potassium hexamethyldisylamide
L	liter
LAH	lithium aluminum hydride
LDA	lithium diisopropylamide
LHMDS	lithium hexadisylamide
lit.	literature value
m	medium
m	multiplet
M	molar
μ	micro
Me	methyl
mg	milligram
MHz	megahertz
min	minute
mL	milliliter
mm	millimeter
mmol	millimole
μmol	micromole
mol	mole
MS	mass spectrometry
<i>m/z</i>	mass to charge ratio
<i>n</i>	normal
NBS	<i>N</i> -bromosuccinimide
NCS	<i>N</i> -chlorosuccinimide
nm	nanometer
NMR	nuclear magnetic resonance
nOe	nuclear Overhauser effect
NOESY	nuclear Overhauser effect spectroscopy
o.d.	outer diameter
<i>p</i>	para
Ph	phenyl
PMA	phosphomolybdic acid
ppm	parts per million
PPTS	pyridinium <i>p</i> -toluenesulfonate
Pr	propyl
Pyr	pyridine
q	quartet
<i>R<sub>f</sub></i>	retention factor
ROESY	rotating frame Overhauser effect spectroscopy
s	singlet
s	strong

str	stretch
t	triplet
TBAF	tetra- <i>n</i> -butylammonium fluoride
TBS	<i>tert</i> -butyldimethylsilyl
TFA	trifluoroacetic acid
THF	tetrahydrofuran
TLC	thin layer chromatography
TMS	trimethyl silyl
UV	ultraviolet
W	weak
Z	benzylcarbamate

## **Chapter I.**

### **Total Synthesis of All Class III Galbulimima Alkaloids**

## Introduction and Background

The galbulimima alkaloids are a family of structurally fascinating polycyclic compounds isolated from the bark of *Galbulimima belgraveana*, a tree native to northern Australia and Papua New Guinea (Figure 1).<sup>1</sup> These alkaloids are classified into three distinct groups (classes I-III) based on the amount of alkaloids isolated from the bark of trees with class I compounds as the most dominant and class III compounds as the most rare (class I:III, ~100:1). The biological activity<sup>2</sup> of himbacine (**1**), a potential treatment for Alzheimer's disease, has prompted several inventive syntheses of in this area.<sup>3,4</sup> Our laboratory is interested in the class II and class III galbulimima alkaloids because of their molecular complexity. In this chapter, we describe the total synthesis of all class III galbulimima alkaloids: (+)- and (-)-GB 13 (**2**),<sup>5</sup> (-)-himgaline (**3**) and (-)-himbacine (**4**), allowing revision of their absolute stereochemical assignment.

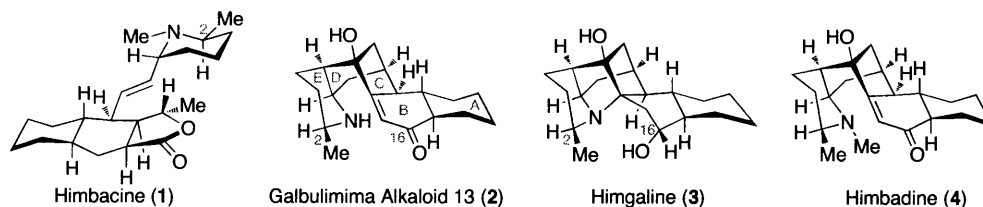
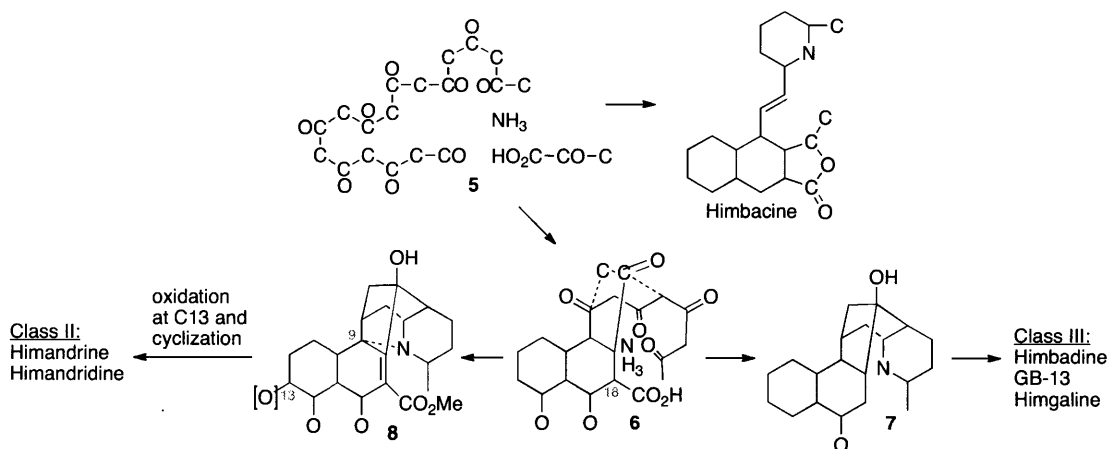


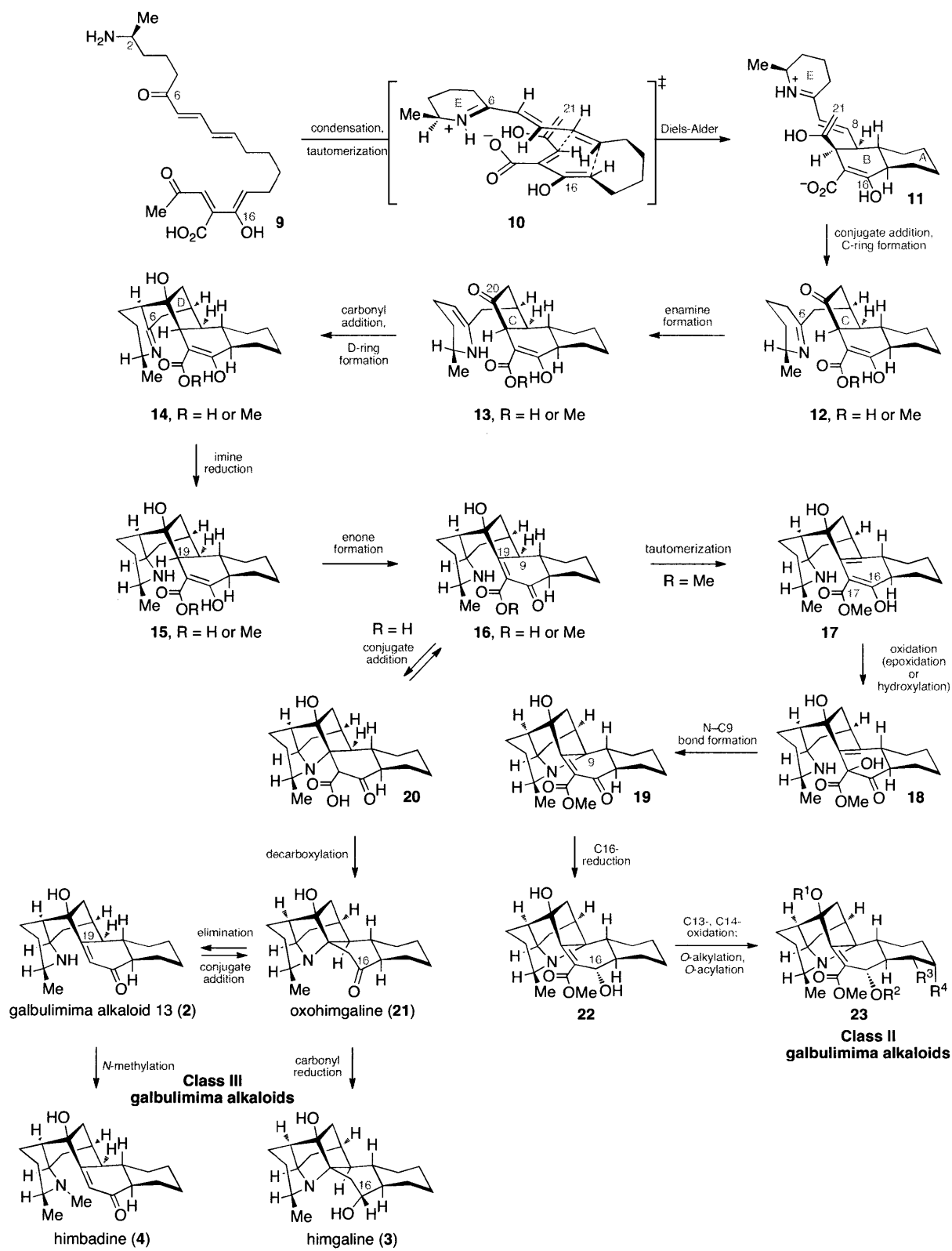
Figure 1. Representative galbulimima alkaloids.<sup>1a</sup>

### Hypothesis for the Biosynthesis of Galbulimima alkaloids:

A compelling hypothesis by Mander, Ritchie and Taylor in 1967 linked various galbulimima alkaloids to a common polyacetate derived precursor: nine-acetate unit, a pyruvate, and NH<sub>3</sub> **5** (Scheme 1).<sup>1d</sup> They postulated that bicycle **6** could be the point of divergence to the



Scheme 1. Carbon mapping of Galbulimima alkaloids proposed by Mander, Ritchie and Taylor.

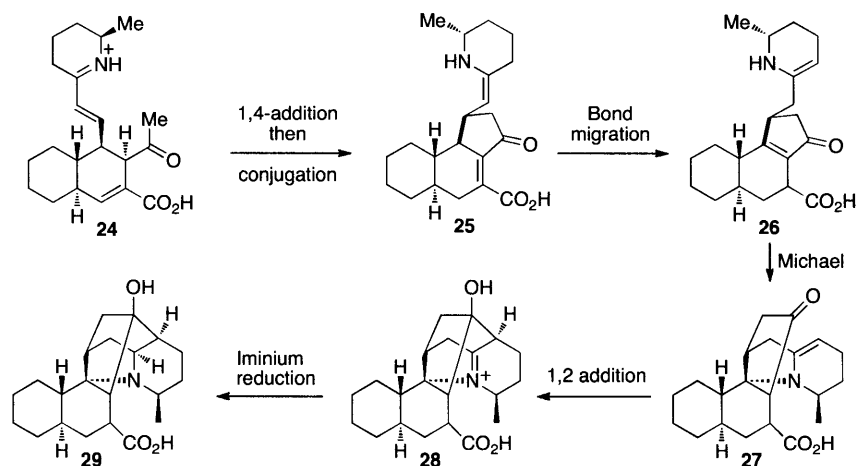


**Scheme 2.** Our biosynthetic hypothesis of class II and class III galbulimima alkaloids.

class II (himandrine and himandridine) and class III (galbulimima alkaloid 13, himbadine, and himgaline). Conversion of bicycle **6** to pentacycle **7** would provide access to the class III galbulimima alkaloids. Oxidation at C13 followed by N-C9 bond formation of pentacyclic ester **8** would afford the class II GB alkaloids.

Based on Mander, Ritchie and Taylor's consideration on the biosynthesis of galbulimima alkaloids described above,<sup>1d</sup> we developed a unified biosynthetic hypothesis of Class II and Class III galbulimima alkaloids specifying stereochemical control and timing of events (Scheme 2).<sup>5</sup> In particular, we envisioned the pentacyclic amino ketoester **16** to be the point of divergence to access class II and class III galbulimima alkaloids. We postulated that intramolecular conjugate addition of the enol tautomer of the C20-ketone of **11** to the unsaturated iminium ion would result in formation of tetracycle **12** that would be subject to rapid C6-enamine addition to the C20-carbonyl giving the pentacyclic imine **14**. Imine reduction followed by enone formation to give pentacyclic aminoketoester **16** would then set the stage for decarboxylation for the Class III alkaloids (GB 13, himbadine and himgaline). Alternatively, tautomerization of pentacyclic amino ketoester **16** and C17-hydroxylation, followed by an intramolecular allylic displacement by the amine would give the N-C9 bond present in Class II alkaloids (see chapter II). This refined biosynthetic hypothesis guided the first enantioselective total syntheses of both class II and class III alkaloids as described in the remainder of this thesis.

During our studies directed toward the synthesis of Class II and Class III alkaloids, Baldwin and co-workers reported the total synthesis of himbacine and himandravine, members of the Class I alkaloids, employing their independent biomimetic route that was distinct from

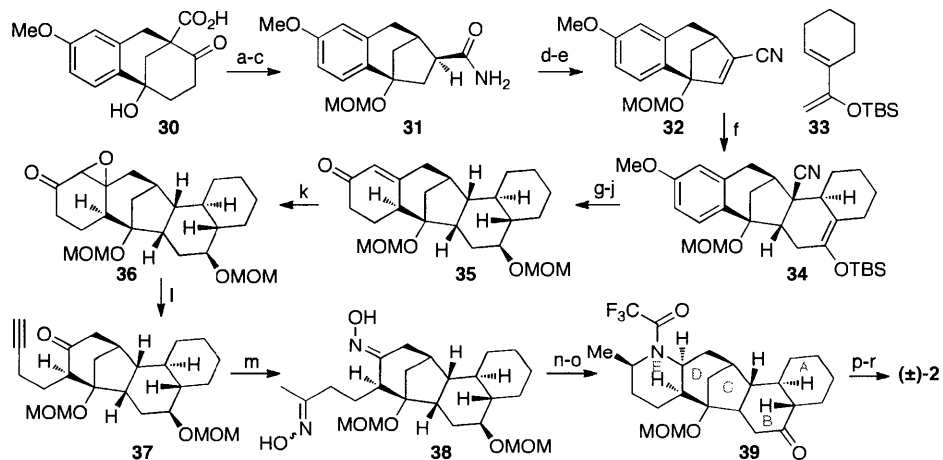


**Scheme 3.** Baldwin's biosynthetic hypothesis of galbulimima alkaloids.

ours.<sup>3d,e</sup> In their report, they also proposed the biosynthetic hypothesis of class II and class III Gb alkaloids starting from the tricycle **24** derived from intramolecular Diels Alder reaction of the tetraene precursor (Scheme 3). Conjugate addition of enol tautomer of methyl ketone **24** to the iminium moiety would give the tetracycle **25**. Tautomerization of the enamine **25** followed by double bond migration produced enone **26** which would undergo Michael addition first to give the spirocycle **27**. At this point, 1,2 addition of the enamine **27** provided the hexacyclic **28**, which upon iminium reduction was proposed to give the hexacyclic amino alcohol **29**, their speculated intermediate in the biosynthesis of class II and III galbulimima alkaloids. However, our mechanistic and methodological studies did not support the sequence of events described in conversion of **25** to **28**.

### Review of Prior Synthetic Studies of Class III Galbulimima alkaloids:

An overview of the literature concerning the class III galbulimima alkaloids is presented in this section. Mander reported the first total synthesis of (±)-GB 13 in 2003.<sup>4a</sup> The key steps in the synthesis involved a Diels-Alder cycloaddition and elaboration of the benzenoid moiety to



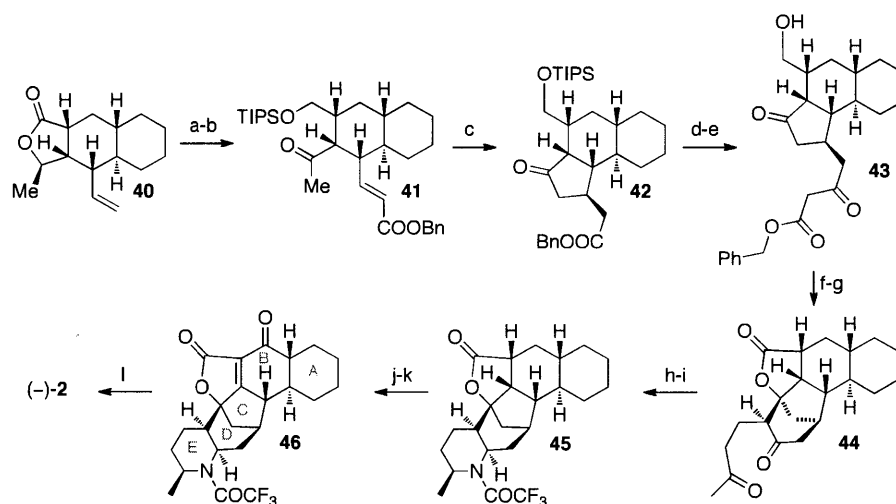
**Scheme 4.** Mander's total synthesis of (±)-GB 13. Conditions: (a) AcOH, H<sub>2</sub>O, 89%. (b) MOM-Cl, DMAP, <sup>t</sup>PrNEt, DCM, 97%. (c) NaH, EtOCHO; NEt<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>CN, *p*NO<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>SO<sub>2</sub>N<sub>3</sub>; hv, THF, ((CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>Si)<sub>2</sub>NH, 0 °C, H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>, 68% (3 steps). (d) Cl<sub>3</sub>CCOCl, NEt<sub>3</sub>, 98%. (e) KDA, Ph<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>2</sub>; H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, THF, 74%. (f) **33**, Yb(thd)<sub>3</sub>, 110 °C, 87%. (g) TBAF, THF, 74%. (h) LiAlH<sub>4</sub>, THF, 94%. (i) MOM-Cl, DMAP, <sup>t</sup>PrNEt, DCM, 96%. (j) Li, NH<sub>3</sub>; HCl, MeOH, THF, 55%. (k) LiAlH<sub>4</sub>, THF; MCPBA, DCM; DMP, NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, 77% (3 steps). (l) *p*NO<sub>2</sub>ArSO<sub>2</sub>NHNH<sub>2</sub>, py, EtOH, THF, 76%. (m) H<sub>2</sub>NOH·HCl, py, 100 °C. (n) ZrCl<sub>4</sub>, NaBH<sub>4</sub>; Zn, AcOH, Et<sub>2</sub>O; TFAA, NEt<sub>3</sub>, DCM, 32% (4 steps). (o) dil. HCl; DMP, DCM; MOM-Cl, DMAP, <sup>t</sup>PrNEt, DCM, 57% (3 steps). (p) LDA, TMSCl, THF; Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>, DMSO, CH<sub>3</sub>CN, 82% (2 steps). (q) K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, 60 °C, 90%. (r) dil. HCl, acetone, 37%.

afford the piperidine ring of GB 13 (Scheme 4). The synthesis began with [3.3.1]bicyclononane **30** which underwent decarboxylation of  $\beta$ -keto acid followed by protection of alcohol, and Wolff ring contraction<sup>6</sup> of the corresponding diazoketone to provide amide **31**. At this point, dehydration of the amide moiety of **31** provided the corresponding nitrile in high yield followed by selenoxide elimination to afford alkene **32**, which underwent Diels-Alder reaction with diene **33** in the presence of ytterbium tris(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-3,5-heptane-dionate) (Yb(thd)<sub>3</sub>) at 110 °C to provide the desired *endo* adduct **34** in excellent yield. Hydrolysis of silyl enol ether **34**, followed by reduction of the resulting ketone, protection of the corresponding alcohol as the methoxymethyl ether, and Birch reduction<sup>7</sup> afforded the desired enone **35**. Enone **35** then underwent a 3-step sequence to provide the corresponding epoxy ketone **36**, which was subjected to Eschenmoser fragmentation<sup>8</sup> to afford the alkynyl ketone **37**. Treatment of alkynyl ketone **37** with excess hydroxylamine in pyridine gave bis-oxime **38**, which was subjected to reductive cyclization in the presence of zirconium tetrachloride and sodium borohydride to provide the corresponding N-hydroxypiperidine, which, upon reduction and protection, produced the pentacyclic amine **39** with the desired all-*cis*-piperidine ring stereochemistry required for the synthesis of GB 13. Introduction of enone moiety on the B-ring via Saegusa oxidation,<sup>9</sup> followed by global deprotection completed the total synthesis of ( $\pm$ )-GB 13.

At that time, the absolute stereochemical assignment of GB 13 remained ambiguous, and in 2006, our laboratory reported the first total syntheses of both (+)- and (-)-GB 13 (**2**), allowing unequivocal revision of their absolute stereochemical assignment.<sup>5</sup> The first enantioselective total synthesis of (+)- and (-)-GB 13 (**2**) is outlined in the following page of this chapter. We reported our first total syntheses of (+)- and (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13, 2-*epi*-galbulimima alkaloid 13, (-)-himbaine, 2-*epi*-oxohimgaline, 2-*epi*-himgaline, oxohimgaline, and (-)-himgaline in the Organic Syntheses symposium at MIT on May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2006. Subsequent to our reports, our structural revision was further supported by total syntheses from Shah,<sup>10</sup> Evans,<sup>11</sup> in addition to further X-ray analysis by Mander.<sup>12</sup>

In 2006, Shah and co-workers reported the total synthesis of (-)-GB 13 which involved diastereoselective Diels-Alder reaction, radical cyclization, reductive amination, and aza-Michael reaction as the key steps in their synthesis (Scheme 5).<sup>10</sup> The synthesis started with the previously reported alkene **40**<sup>13</sup> (synthesized in 10 steps from (*R*)-3-butyn-2-ol) which underwent lactone reduction, protection and oxidation to give the corresponding methyl ketone, followed by

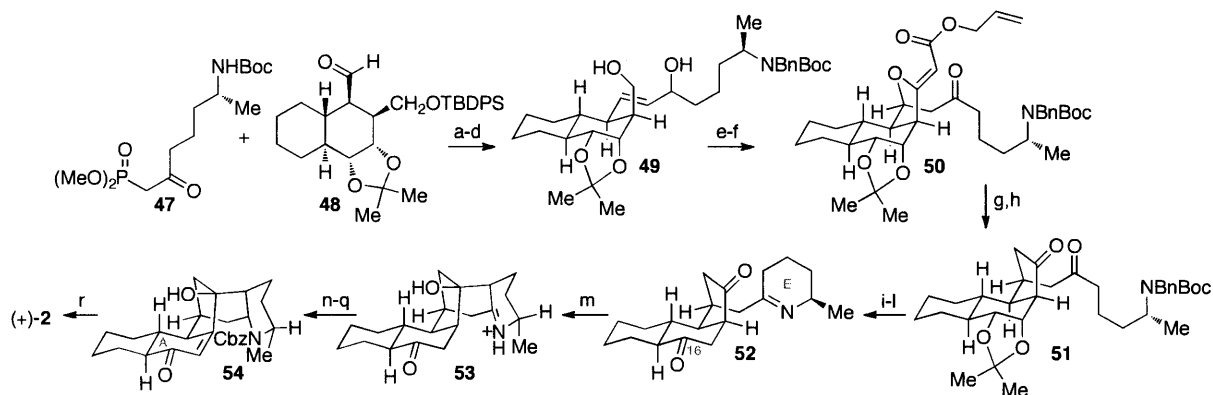




**Scheme 5.** Shah's total synthesis of (-)-GB 13. Conditions: (a)  $\text{LiAlH}_4$ , THF;  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ , TIPSOTf,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $-60^\circ\text{C}$ ; Dess-Martin,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , 90% (3 steps). (b)  $\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{Zn}/\text{AcOH}$ , cat.  $\text{AgNO}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ;  $\text{BnOCOCH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $\text{NaHMDS}$ , THF, 78% (2 steps). (c) TMSOTf,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ; NBS, THF;  $^t\text{Bu}_3\text{SnH}$ , AIBN, PhH, reflux, 56% (3 steps). (d)  $\text{H}_2/\text{Pd-C}$ ,  $\text{EtOAc}$ ; DCC, DMAP, Meldrum's acid;  $\text{BnOH}$ , PhH, reflux, 74% (3 steps). (e)  $\text{HCl}$  (aq.), THF, 85%. (f)  $\text{Zn}(\text{OTf})_2$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ , reflux, 82%. (g) Methyl vinyl ketone,  $\text{NaOEt}$ , toluene,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $\text{H}_2/\text{Pd-C}$ ;  $\text{EtOH}$ ,  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ ,  $65^\circ\text{C}$ , 77% (2 steps). (h) (*R*)- $\alpha$ -methylbenzylamine, MeOH;  $\text{Na}(\text{CN})\text{BH}_3$ , MeOH, AcOH;  $\text{HCO}_2\text{NH}_4$ , MeOH,  $\text{Pd}(\text{OH})_2$ , reflux;  $\text{Na}(\text{CN})\text{BH}_3$ , MeOH, AcOH;  $(\text{CF}_3\text{CO})_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 61% (5 steps). (i)  $\text{NaIO}_4$ ,  $\text{RuCl}_3 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CCl}_4:\text{MeCN}:\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 86%. (j) LHMDS, THF,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $\text{Me}_2\text{S}_2$ ;  $\text{NaIO}_4$ , MeOH; toluene,  $100^\circ\text{C}$ , 65% (3 steps). (k) NBS, AIBN,  $\text{CCl}_4$ ,  $80^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $\text{AgOCOCF}_3$ , DMF;  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  (aq.), THF; Dess Martin, 77% (4 steps). (l)  $\text{HCl}$  (6N), microwave, 1h, 80%.

ozonolysis and Horner-Wadsworth-Emmons reaction to provide alkene **41**. Methyl ketone **41** was subjected to  $\alpha$ -bromination followed by highly diastereoselective radical ring closure to afford tricyclic ketone **42** (ABC ring system). Formation of the D ring was achieved through Lewis acid catalyzed intramolecular cyclization of  $\beta$ -keto ester **43** followed by conjugate addition with methyl vinyl ketone to provide diketone **44**. At this point, selective reductive amination, protection of the amine, and ruthenium oxide mediated oxidation provided the hexacyclic amino lactone **45**. Introduction of enone moiety on the B ring was achieved through sulfoxide elimination, allylic bromination and displacement, followed by hydrolysis and oxidation to afford enone **46**. Decarboxylative unraveling of lactone **46** completed the total synthesis of (-)-GB 13.

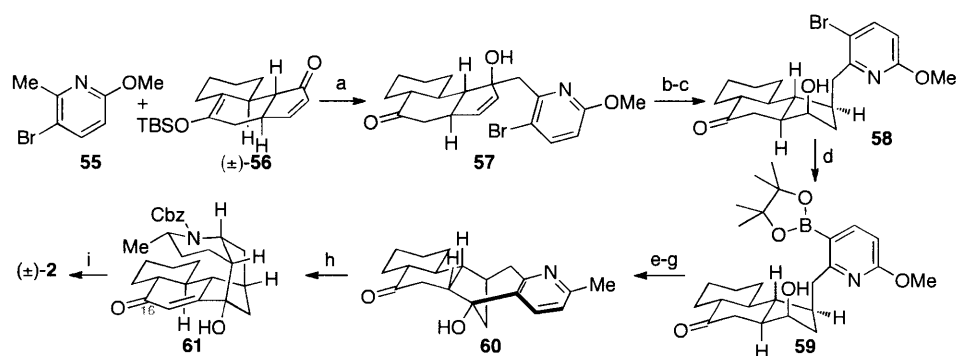
In 2007, Evans and co-workers disclosed an elegant total synthesis of (+)-GB 13.<sup>11</sup> Their key transformations included the asymmetric intramolecular Diels Alder reaction, Michael and Aldol reaction (Scheme 6). The synthesis began with the Horner-Wadsworth-Emmons olefination of *trans* decalin aldehyde **48** (synthesized via intramolecular Diels Alder reaction)



**Scheme 6.** Evan's total synthesis of (+)-GB 13. Conditions: LiClO<sub>4</sub>, <sup>i</sup>Pr<sub>2</sub>Net, CH<sub>3</sub>CN, 50 °C, 85%. (b) DIBAL-H, PhMe, -90 °C. (c) TBAF, HOAc, THF, 87% (2 steps). (d) TBSOTf, 2,6-lutidine; NaH, BnBr; TBAF 85% (3 steps). (e) DMP, NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>. (f) allyldiazoacetate, SnCl<sub>2</sub>. (g) LiOMe, LiClO<sub>4</sub>, Et<sub>2</sub>O, 0° → 23 °C, 62% (3 steps). (h) Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>, morpholine, THF, 86%. (i) DBU, PhH. (j) Pd(OH)<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>, THF. (k) DMP, NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 72% (3 steps). l) 20% TFA/CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C, aq. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> workup; 4 Å MS, PhH. (m) HOAc, THF, 0° → 23 °C. (n) NaBH<sub>3</sub>CN, EtOH, 0 °C. (o) DMP, NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>. (p) benzyl chloroformate, Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O, 0° → 23 °C, 39% (5 steps). (q) IBX, TsOH·H<sub>2</sub>O, DMSO/PhH, 65 °C. (r) TMS-I, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C; HCl; NaOH, 23 °C, 81% (2 steps).

using the previously reported (*R*)- $\beta$ -ketophosphonate **47**<sup>3c</sup> to afford the corresponding unsaturated ketone followed by reduction and deprotection to give the allylic alcohol **49**. Diol **49** was oxidized, and the resulting aldehyde was selectively subjected to Roskamp reaction<sup>14</sup> to introduce the necessary  $\beta$ -ketoester for the planned Michael reaction; however, under the reaction condition, the isolated product was enol ester **50**. The undesired formation of enol ester **50** can be reversed under basic condition followed by decarboxylation to afford the tricyclic ketone **51**. The C16 ketone was introduced through DBU promoted elimination of the acetone, hydrogenation and oxidation of the corresponding alcohol. The *E* ring of **52** was formed through deprotection of the amine under acidic condition and dehydration to the corresponding imine. Under acidic condition, imine **52** underwent aldol addition to give the desired pentacycle as its iminium ion **53**. Reduction of iminium **53** followed by regeneration of the C16-ketone and protection of amine provided the corresponding pentacyclic amino alcohol. At this point, we were delighted to see application of the final stages strategy in our synthesis was used in this solution. Unsaturated ketone on the A ring was introduced through IBX oxidation<sup>15</sup>, and the benzyl carbamate was removed with TMS-I<sup>16</sup> to afford (+)-GB 13.

In 2009, Sarpong and co-workers reported another total synthesis of galbulimima alkaloid-13 in racemic form which involved the Rh(I)-catalyzed ketone hydroarylation reaction

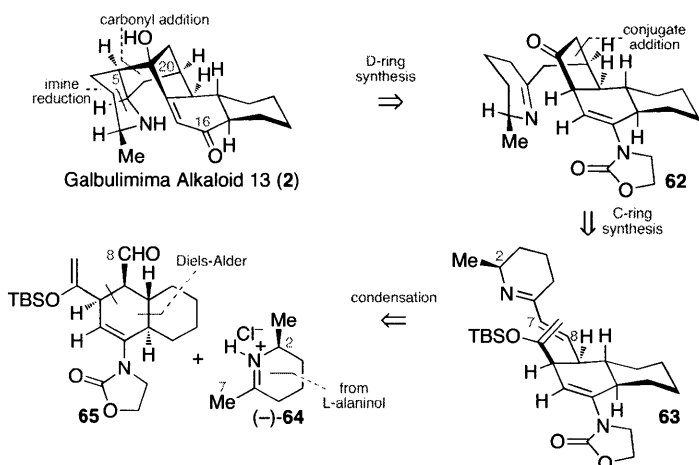


**Scheme 7.** Sarpong's total synthesis of (±)-GB 13. Conditions: (a) LDA, THF, 78 °C, **56**; HCl, THF/MeOH, 0 °C; K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, 23 °C, 58% (2 steps). (b) SO<sub>3</sub>•pyr, DMSO, pyridine, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C; KHPO<sub>4</sub>/NaOH buffer, 60 °C, 55% (2 steps). (c) H<sub>2</sub>, cat. PtO<sub>2</sub>, Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, EtOAc, 0 °C, 93%. (d) (Bpin)<sub>2</sub>, cat. Pd<sub>2</sub>(dba)<sub>3</sub>•CHCl<sub>3</sub>, cat. Pcy<sub>3</sub>HBF<sub>4</sub>, KOAc, DMF, 80 °C, 65%. (e) DMP, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>; Et<sub>3</sub>N, SiO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 78% (2 steps). (f) cat. [Rh(cod)(MeCN)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup>BF<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup>, Et<sub>3</sub>N, PhMe, 80 °C, 77%. (g) NaSEt, DMF, 120 °C; Tf<sub>2</sub>O, pyridine, 0 °C; AlMe<sub>3</sub>, cat. Pd(Ph<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>, THF, 54% (3 steps). (h) cat. Rh/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub> (1000 psi), EtOH; BnOCOCl, aq. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>/PhMe; IBX, TsOH, DMSO/PhH, 65 °C, 60% (3 steps). (i) TMS-I, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C; HCl, NaOH, 79%.

(Scheme 7).<sup>17</sup> The synthesis started with coupling between cyclopentenone **56** and lithioanion of bromomethoxypicoline **55** to provide allylic alcohol **57**. 1,3 Allylic transposition of **57** could be accomplished using modified Parikh-Doering Swern conditions<sup>18</sup> followed by selective hydrogenation to give alcohol **58**. Introduction of boronic ester moiety proceeded in good yield to provide intermediate **59**. Oxidation of alcohol **59**, epimerization to the cis [6-5] ring fusion, treatment of the corresponding pinacolboronic ester with the Rh(I) catalyst to undergo 1,2 addition, and installation of the pyridinyl methyl group provided the desired pentacycle **60**. Hydrogenation of the pyridine ring provided the desired piperidine moiety. At this point, application of the final stages strategy in our synthesis was used to complete the total synthesis of (±)-GB-13. Cbz protection, and IBX oxidation<sup>15</sup> afforded the desired enone **61**. Removal of the Cbz group with TMS-I<sup>16</sup> gave (±)-GB 13.

## Results and Discussion

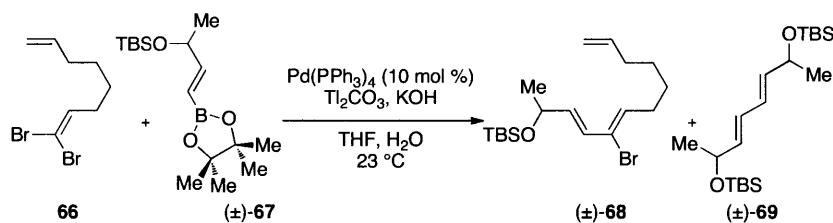
Our goals in the study and total synthesis of galbulimima alkaloids were to develop the first enantioselective synthesis of (+)- and (-)-GB 13 (**2**) and to confirm the absolute stereochemical assignment of class II and III GB alkaloids. Furthermore, we wanted to explore our own biosynthetic hypothesis of class II and III GB alkaloids and to chemically validate our proposal for their biogenesis. Guided by our original biosynthetic hypothesis,<sup>5</sup> we envisioned a



**Scheme 8.** Retrosynthetic analysis of (-)-GB 13.

strategic C5-C20 bond disconnection to greatly simplify the structure of **2** to the tetracyclic precursor **62** (Scheme 8). We expected to obtain the imino-ketone **62** from the unsaturated imine **63**, in turn prepared by condensation of the iminium chloride **64** with aldehyde **65**. Given the uncertainty in the absolute stereochemistry of natural (-)-GB 13 (**2**), the coupling of the readily available (+)- or (-)-iminium chloride **64** with ( $\pm$ )-aldehyde **65** provided an expedient route to both enantiomers of advanced intermediates and alkaloid **2**.

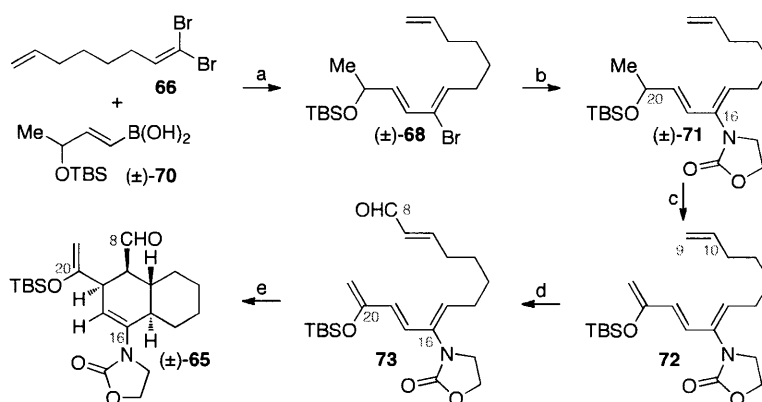
An efficient synthesis of *trans*-decalin aldehyde **65** is outlined in Scheme 9. Suzuki cross-coupling<sup>19</sup> of readily available dibromide **66** and vinyl boronic acid **70** using thallium carbonate<sup>20</sup> provided *cis*-vinyl bromide **68** in 75% yield. Efforts to substitute thallium carbonate



entry	Tl <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> (equiv)	KOH (equiv)	yield	ratio ( $\pm$ )- <b>68</b> :( $\pm$ )- <b>69</b> <sup>a</sup>
1	1	none	70%	3:1
2	0.5	1.5	59%	2:1
3	0.25	1.75	39%	1:1
4	0.1	1.9	19%	1:1
5	0.1	4	38%	1:1

<sup>a</sup>Ratio determined by crude <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

**Table 1.** Optimization of Suzuki coupling for reduction of thallium carbonate

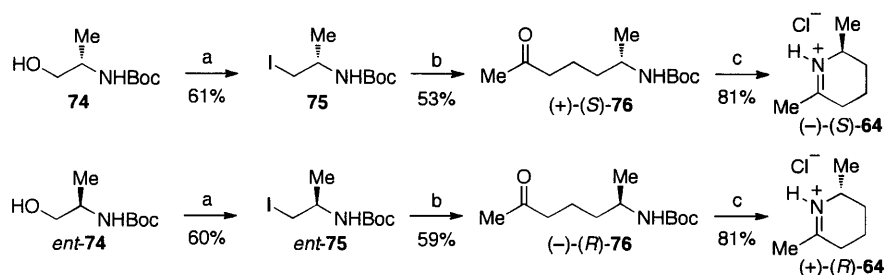


**Scheme 9.** Diastereoselective synthesis of (±)-aldehyde **65**. Conditions: (a) Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>, Ti<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, THF, H<sub>2</sub>O, 23 °C, 75%. (b) CuI, K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, oxazolidin-2-one, (MeNHCH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, toluene, 110 °C, 95%. (c) 1. TBAF, THF, 95%. 2. MnO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 92%. 3. TBSOTf, Et<sub>3</sub>N, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, -78 °C, 93%. (d) 4,5-DihydroIMesCl<sub>2</sub>Ru=CH(*o*-<sup>t</sup>PrO)Ph (10 mol%), acrolein, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C, 85%. (e) toluene, 90 °C, 82%, (≥20:1, *endo:exo*).

with potassium hydroxide were unsuccessful, resulting in no improvement in the yield. In addition, unwanted dimerization of the boronate **69** occurred when less Ti<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> was used (Table 1). Use of palladium acetate and SPhos ligand developed by Buchwald<sup>21</sup> produced 1:1 mixture of the desired vinyl bromide **68** and dimer **69**.

Subsequent copper-catalyzed coupling of bromodiene **68** with oxazolidin-2-one afforded the desired triene **71** in excellent yield<sup>22</sup> and proved an effective strategy for masking the C16-carbonyl. Conversion of the C20-silyl ether of triene **71** to the C20-silyl enol ether gave tetraene **72** (Scheme 9). Selective functionalization of the C9-C10 alkene of **72** to the corresponding unsaturated aldehyde **73** (C9-*E:Z*, >20:1) was achieved via an olefin cross-metathesis reaction with acrolein using the 4,5-dihydroIMesCl<sub>2</sub>Ru=CH(*o*-<sup>t</sup>PrO)Ph<sup>23</sup> catalyst. Heating a solution of tetraenal **73** in toluene at 90 °C afforded the desired *trans*-decalin aldehyde **65** in good yield (82%, >20:1, *endo:exo*).

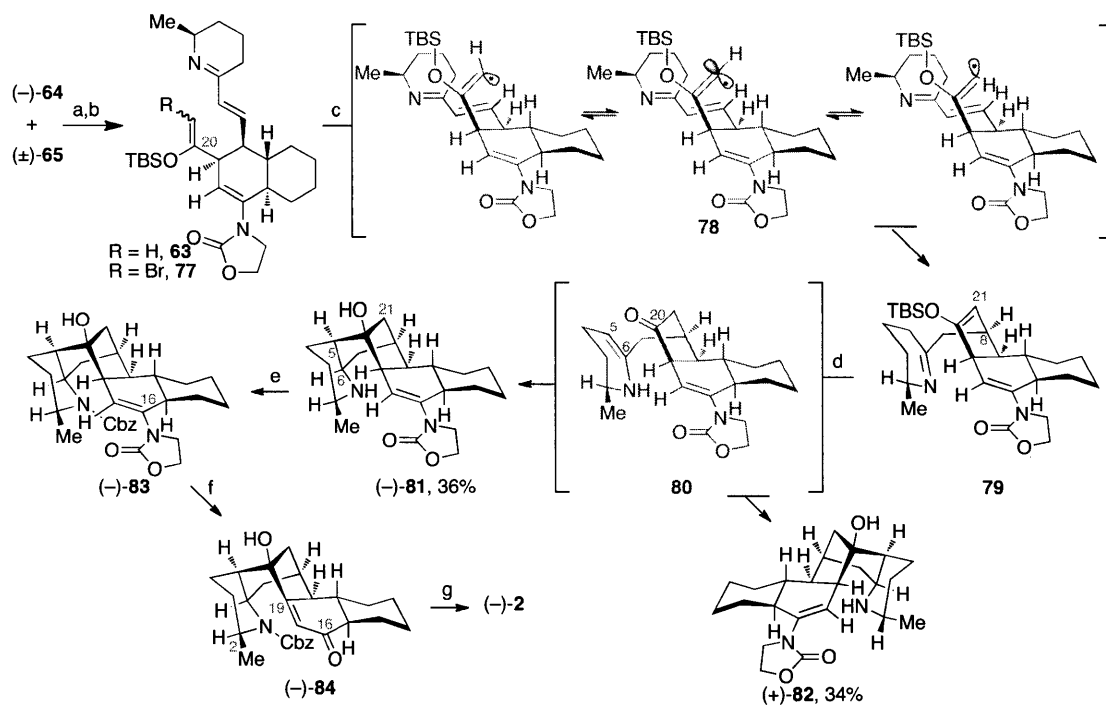
Having access to the *trans*-decalin aldehyde (±)-**65**, we proceeded to the synthesis of enantiomerically enriched iminium salt (*S*)-**64** and (*R*)-**64** in multi-gram scale (Scheme 10). Amino alcohol **74** derived from L-alanine was iodinated to provide alkyl halide **75**. Radical addition with methyl vinyl ketone afforded the desired amino ketone (+)-**76**. Deprotection of the Boc group under acidic conditions resulted in cyclization to give the desired iminium salt (-)-(*S*)-**64**. The enantioselectivity of the iminium salt (-)-(*S*)-**64** was measured to be >99% ee by chiral HPLC analysis of the corresponding benzylated derivative. The corresponding enantiomer, iminium chloride (+)-(*R*)-**64** was prepared using the same route, starting with amino alcohol *ent*-



**Scheme 10.** Synthesis of iminium salt  $(-)-(S)$ -**64** and  $(+)-(R)$ -**64**. Conditions: (a)  $I_2$ ,  $PPh_3$ , Imidazole, THF,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . (b) methyl vinyl ketone,  ${}^n\text{Bu}_3\text{SnH}$ , AIBN, toluene, reflux. (c)  $\text{HCl}$  (aq.),  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

**74** derived from D-alanine.

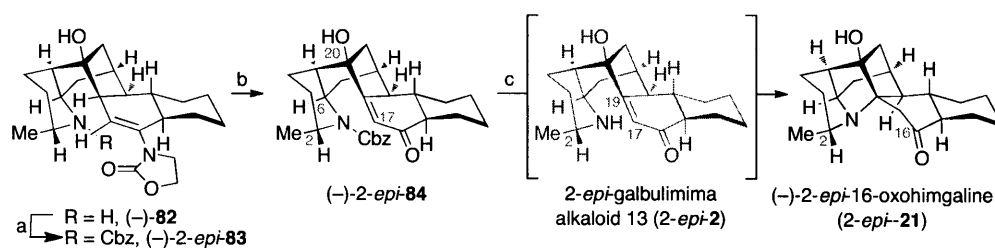
Deprotonation of the  $(-)$ -iminium chloride **64** ( $>99\%$  ee, Scheme 11) with  ${}^n$ butyl lithium gave the corresponding lithiated enamine,<sup>24</sup> which upon addition to a cold solution of aldehyde **65** provided the corresponding  $\beta$ -hydroxy imines in 85% yield. Dehydration using the Martin sulfurane reagent<sup>25</sup> afforded the desired  $(7E)$ - $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated imine **63** (Scheme 11) and the corresponding  $2$ -*epi*-enantiomer (not shown in Scheme 11) as a 1:1 mixture of inseparable



**Scheme 11.** Concise total synthesis of  $(-)$ -GB 13 (**2**). Conditions: (a)  ${}^n\text{BuLi}$ , THF,  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 5 min, 85%. (b) Martin sulfurane, benzene,  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 81%. (c)  $\text{NBS}$ ,  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ , THF,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;  ${}^n\text{Bu}_3\text{SnH}$ , AIBN, benzene,  $60\text{--}90\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 55% (2-steps). (d)  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}\cdot(\text{HF})_3$ , THF,  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $\text{NaBH}_4$ , EtOH,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 70% (2 steps). (e)  $\text{ClCO}_2\text{Bn}$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 65%. (f)  $\text{IBX}$ ,  $\text{TsOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , benzene, DMSO,  $65\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 10 h, 80%. (g)  $\text{TMSI}$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $\text{HCl}$ ;  $\text{NaOH}$ ,  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 89%. For brevity, the corresponding *ent*- $2$ -*epi*-isomer of compounds **63** and **77-80** are not shown.

diastereomers in 81% yield. The diastereomers were chromatographically separated after the next two steps. Diastereoselective introduction of the C21-C8 bond in tetracycle **79** was accomplished via a 5-exo-trig vinyl-radical cyclization.<sup>26</sup> Conversion of silyl enol ether **63** to the vinyl bromide **77** (Scheme 11, ~1:1.5 mixture of C20-olefin isomers), followed by heating of the crude vinyl bromide **77** with excess tributyltin hydride and AIBN provided the desired tetracycle **79** along with the C2-*epi*-enantiomer in 55% yield. Treatment of enol ether **79** with triethylamine-trihydrofluoride resulted in C5-C6 enamine addition to the unmasked C20 carbonyl, directly providing the corresponding pentacyclic imine. Removal of the volatiles under reduced pressure and introduction of sodium borohydride in ethanol resulted in diastereoselective C6-imine reduction, affording the corresponding stable pentacyclic amine in a one-pot process (Scheme 11). Optically active pentacyclic amine (–)-**81** (36%) and the corresponding 2-*epi*-enantiomer, amine (+)-**82** (34%), were readily separated by flash column chromatography. Remarkably, formation of the C8 stereocenter during the radical cyclization as well as the introduction of the three contiguous stereocenters (C20, C5, and C6) in the conversion of silyl enol ether **79** to pentacyclic amine (–)-**81** occur with a high level of diastereoselection. To date, no other diastereomers have been detected. Introduction of the enone was accomplished by treatment of *N*-vinyl carbamate (–)-**83** with excess *p*-TsOH•H<sub>2</sub>O and IBX<sup>15</sup> in benzene–DMSO at 65 °C for 10 h to provide carbamate (–)-**84** in 80% yield. Subsequent deprotection of (–)-*N*-Cbz GB 13 (**84**) with trimethylsilyl iodide (TMSI)<sup>16</sup> followed by an aqueous work-up provided synthetic GB 13 (**2**) in 89% yield (Scheme 11). All spectroscopic data for our enantiomerically enriched (–)-**2** matched literature data.<sup>1,4a</sup> The sign of rotation for our synthetic **2** ( $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -64$  (*c* 0.06, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)), was consistent with that reported for the natural enantiomer ( $[\alpha] = -84$  (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)<sup>1b</sup>), unambiguously securing the absolute stereochemistry. Synthesis of (+)-GB 13 (*ent*-**2**,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +66$  (*c* 0.07, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)) using (+)-**64** (>99% ee) via the route described above confirmed our absolute stereochemical assignment. Interestingly, intramolecular amine conjugate addition at C19 was observed upon *N*-deprotection of **84** and acidic treatment. This conjugate addition was subject to reversion on mild base treatment (1N NaOH<sub>aq</sub>, 1h).

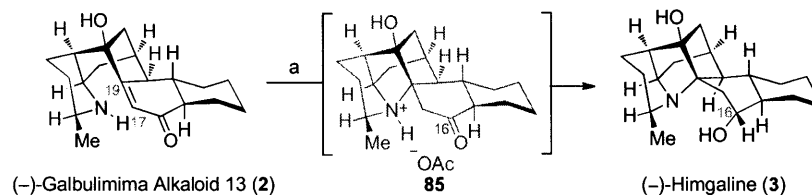
With access to pentacyclic amines (+)- and (–)-**81** (Scheme 11), we explored the synthesis of optically active 2-*epi*-GB 13 (2-*epi*-**2**) (Scheme 12). Interestingly, removal of the



**Scheme 12.** Synthesis of (-)-2-epi-16-oxohimgaline (2-epi-21). Conditions: (a)  $\text{ClCO}_2\text{Bn}$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 54%. (b) IBX,  $\text{TsOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , benzene, DMSO, 65 °C, 10 h, 59%. (c) TMSI,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 0 °C; HCl; NaOH, 23 °C, 93%.

nitrogen-protective group of (-)-2-epi-N-Cbz GB 13 (2-epi-84, Scheme 12), under identical conditions to those described for N-Cbz GB 13 (84), led to exclusive isolation of (-)-2-epi-16-oxohimgaline (2-epi-21, Scheme 12,  $[\alpha]^{22}_{\text{D}} = -24$  (c 0.085,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) even after treatment with base. Similarly, (+)-2-epi-16-oxohimgaline ( $[\alpha]^{22}_{\text{D}} = +24$  (c 0.07,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) was prepared from (+)-2-epi-84. The more facile conjugate addition observed with 2-epi-GB 13 (2-epi-2), compared to that seen with GB 13 (2, Scheme 11) is likely due to decreased steric interactions between the C2-substituent and the C17-methine in the 2-epi series. This observation further supports the hypothesis for the biosynthesis of himgaline (3) via sequential conjugate addition and carbonyl reduction of GB 13 (2).

Immediately after we completed the total synthesis of (+)- and (-)-GB 13 (2), in Spring 2006, we synthesized (-)-himgaline (3) by converting (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (2) to (-)-himgaline (3) in the presence of sodium triacetoxyborohydride and acetic acid (Scheme 13). In the event, intramolecular conjugate addition of the nitrogen onto the C17-C19 alkene occurred rapidly in the presence of acetic acid to provide the oxohimgaline intermediate 85. Subsequent reduction with sodium triacetoxyborohydride<sup>27</sup> effected C16 carbonyl reduction diastereoselectively through intramolecular hydride delivery to give the (-)-himgaline (3) in 73% yield. All spectroscopic data for our enantiomerically enriched (-)-himgaline matched literature data.<sup>1</sup> The sign of rotation of our synthetic (-)-himgaline  $[\alpha]^{22}_{\text{D}} = -82$  (c 0.11,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ), was

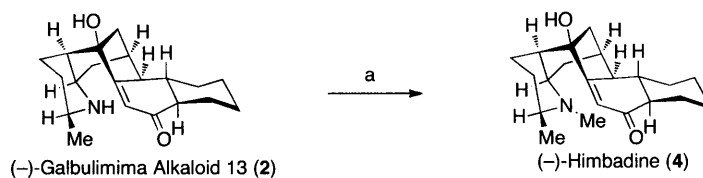


**Scheme 13.** Total Synthesis of (-)-himgaline. Conditions: (a)  $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$ , AcOH, 23 °C, 5 min, 73%.



consistent with that reported for the natural enantiomer  $[\alpha] = -76$  ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).<sup>1</sup>

Conversion of (–)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (**2**) to (–)-himbaine (**4**) was achieved via reductive methylation in the presence of formalin and sodium triacetoxyborohydride. All spectroscopic data for our enantiomerically enriched (–)-himbaine matched literature data.<sup>1</sup> The sign of rotation of our synthetic (–)-himbaine  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -47$  ( $c$  0.045,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ), was consistent with that reported for the natural enantiomer  $[\alpha] = 60$  ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).<sup>1</sup>



**Scheme 14.** Total synthesis of (–)-himbaine. Conditions: Formalin,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$ ,  $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$ , 50% (2 steps).

## Conclusion

The total synthesis of all class III galbulimima alkaloids: (+)- and (–)-GB 13 (**2**), (–)-himgaline (**3**), and (–)-himbaine (**4**) has been described. The absolute stereochemistry of natural (–)-**2** is revised to 2*S*. Noteworthy features of this chemistry include a vinyl-radical cyclization strategy to secure the C-ring and the successful execution of our biomimetically inspired strategy for introduction of the CDE-ring system in **2** (**79**→**81**, Scheme 11).

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## Experimental Section

**General Procedures.** All reactions were performed in oven-dried or flame-dried round bottomed flasks or modified Schlenk (Kjeldahl shape) flasks. The flasks were fitted with rubber septa and reactions were conducted under a positive pressure of argon. Stainless steel syringes or cannulae were used to transfer air- and moisture-sensitive liquids. Flash column chromatography was performed as described by Still et al. using silica gel (60-Å pore size, 32–63 µm, standard grade, Sorbent Technologies).<sup>1</sup> Where necessary (so noted), silica gel was neutralized by treatment of the silica gel prior to chromatography with the eluent containing 1% triethylamine. Analytical thin-layer chromatography was performed using glass plates pre-coated with 0.25 mm 230–400 mesh silica gel impregnated with a fluorescent indicator (254 nm). Where necessary (so noted), silica gel plates were neutralized by treatment with a solution of 5% triethylamine in dichloromethane followed by heating on a hot plate (~250 °C). Thin layer chromatography plates were visualized by exposure to ultraviolet light and/or by exposure to an ethanolic phosphomolybdic acid (PMA), an acidic solution of *p*-anisaldehyde (anis), an aqueous solution of ceric ammonium molybdate (CAM), an aqueous solution of potassium permanganate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>) or an ethanolic solution of ninhydrin followed by heating (<1 min) on a hot plate (~250 °C). Organic solutions were concentrated on Büchi R-200 rotary evaporators at ~20 Torr at 25–35 °C, then at ~1 Torr unless otherwise indicated.

**Materials.** Commercial reagents and solvents were used as received with the following exceptions: dichloromethane, diethyl ether, tetrahydrofuran, acetonitrile, and toluene were purchased from J.T. Baker (Cycletainer™) and were purified by the method of Grubbs et al. under positive argon pressure.<sup>2</sup> Triethylamine, diisopropylethylamine, and benzene were distilled over calcium hydride immediately before use. Acrolein was distilled over calcium sulfate immediately before use. Methyl vinyl ketone was distilled over potassium carbonate and calcium chloride immediately prior to use. Martin sulfurane was purchased from Aldrich and stored in a glove box under nitrogen atmosphere. *N*-Bromosuccinimide (NBS) was recrystallized from boiling water prior to use. 2-Iodoxybenzoic acid (IBX) was prepared according to literature procedure.<sup>3</sup> Activated γ-manganese dioxide (MnO<sub>2</sub>) was prepared according to literature procedure.<sup>4</sup> The molarity of *n*-butyllithium solutions was determined by titration using diphenylacetic acid as an indicator (average of three determinations).<sup>5</sup> Ammonia saturated dichloromethane was obtained by agitation of dichloromethane in the presence of ammonium hydroxide followed by drying over anhydrous sodium sulfate. Where necessary (so noted) solutions were deoxygenated by alternate freeze (liquid nitrogen)/evacuation/argon-flush/thaw cycles (FPT, three iterations) or degassed by purging with argon for several minutes.

**Instrumentation.** Proton nuclear magnetic resonance (<sup>1</sup>H NMR) spectra were recorded with a Varian 300 Mercury or a Varian inverse probe 500 INOVA spectrometer or a Bruker inverse probe 600 Avance spectrometer. Chemical shifts are recorded in parts per million from internal

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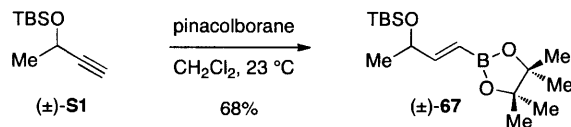
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tetramethylsilane on the  $\delta$  scale and are referenced from the residual protium in the NMR solvent ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ :  $\delta$  7.27,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_5\text{H}$ :  $\delta$  7.16). Data is reported as follows: chemical shift [multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, app = apparent, br = broad), coupling constant(s) in Hertz, integration, assignment]. Carbon-13 nuclear magnetic resonance ( $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR) spectra were recorded with a Varian 500 INOVA spectrometer or a Bruker 400 spectrometer with a Magnex Scientific superconducting magnet and are recorded in parts per million from internal tetramethylsilane on the  $\delta$  scale and are referenced from the carbon resonances of the solvent ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ :  $\delta$  77.2, benzene- $d_6$ :  $\delta$  128.4). Infrared data were obtained with a Perkin-Elmer 2000 FTIR and are reported as follows: [frequency of absorption ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ), intensity of absorption (s = strong, m = medium, w = weak, br = broad), assignment]. Gas chromatography was performed on an Agilent Technologies 6890N Network GC System with a HP-5 5% Phenyl Methyl Siloxane column (50  $^\circ\text{C}$ , 6 min; 25  $^\circ\text{C}/\text{min}$  to 250  $^\circ\text{C}$ ; 250  $^\circ\text{C}$ , 6 min). We are grateful to Dr. Li Li for obtaining the mass spectroscopic data at the Department of Chemistry's Instrumentation Facility, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Bruker APEX 4.7 Tesler FTMS spectrometer using electrospray ion source (ESI) or electrospray (ES).

**Compound Numbering.** For compounds **2**, **63**, **65**, **79**, **81**, **82**, **83**, **84**, *2-epi-83*, *2-epi-21*, the atom numbering system used is consistent with correlated atoms in the final product as numbered in the isolation papers of the natural alkaloids.<sup>6</sup>

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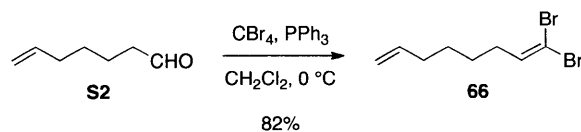
**(±)-trans-2-[3-(tert-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-but-1-enyl]-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolane (67):**

Terminal alkyne **S1**<sup>7</sup> (4.70 g, 25.5 mmol, 1 equiv) was added dropwise via syringe to a solution of freshly prepared pinacolborane<sup>8</sup> in dichloromethane (5 M, 10 mL, 50.2 mmol, 2.00 equiv) at 0°C. The solution was stirred and allowed to warm to ambient temperature. After 24 h, the solution was partitioned between diethyl ether (300 mL) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (150 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with diethyl ether (2 × 150 mL) and the combined organic phases were washed with saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (100 mL), were washed with brine (80 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting oil by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 9 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: hexanes:EtOAc [95:5] to hexanes:EtOAc [80:20]) provided boronate (±)-**67** (5.40 g, 68%) as a colorless oil.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	6.60 (dd, <i>J</i> = 18, 4.0 Hz, 1H, CH=CHB), 5.63 (dd, <i>J</i> = 18, 1.7 Hz, 1H, CH=CHB), 4.37-4.32 (m, 1H, CH <sub>3</sub> CHCH=CH), 1.28 (s, 6H, BOC(CH <sub>3</sub> )CH <sub>3</sub> ), 1.28 (s, 6H, BOC(CH <sub>3</sub> )CH <sub>3</sub> ), 1.22 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.7 Hz, 3H, CHCH <sub>3</sub> ), 0.91 (s, 9H, SiC(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ), 0.05 (s, 6H, Si(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	157.2 (BC=C), 83.3 (BC=C), 70.0 ((Me) <sub>2</sub> C), 26.1, 25.0, 24.9, 23.9, 18.5, -4.5 (SiCH <sub>3</sub> ), -4.6 (SiCH <sub>3</sub> ).
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	2929 (m), 1996 (w), 1611 (w), 1370 (w), 1337 (w), 1146 (w).
HRMS (ESI):	calcd for C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>33</sub> BNaO <sub>3</sub> Si [M+Na] <sup>+</sup> : 335.2184, found: 335.2177.
GC, <i>t</i> <sub>R</sub> :	11.73 min
TLC (20% EtOAc in hexanes), <i>R</i> <sub>f</sub> :	0.63 (KMnO <sub>4</sub> )

<sup>7</sup> Prepared from 3-butynol, *tert*-butyldimethylsilylchloride, imidazole, dimethylformamide, 23 °C, 12h; see: Cotterill, A. S.; Gill, M.; Gimenez, A.; Milanovic N. M. *J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1* **1994**, 22, 3269.

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### 1,1-Dibromo-octa-1,7-diene (66):

Triphenylphosphine (6.34 g, 24.2 mmol, 2.40 equiv) was added in three portions to a solution of carbon tetrabromide (4.00 g, 12.1 mmol, 1.20 equiv) in dichloromethane (30 mL) at 0 °C in an ice bath to produce a yellow-orange solution. The solution was stirred at 0 °C for 10 min. A solution of aldehyde **S2**<sup>9</sup> (1.12 g, 10.0 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (6 mL) was introduced via cannula to the cold reaction mixture. The transfer was completed using a second 4-mL portion of dichloromethane and the mixture was vigorously stirred at 0 °C. The solution became dark orange and white solid precipitated. After 1 h, excess dibromophosphorane was quenched by sequential addition of triethylamine (3.4 mL, 24 mmol, 2.4 equiv) and methanol (1.0 mL, 25 mmol, 2.5 equiv). The solution was allowed to warm to room temperature, transferred to a separatory funnel and added dropwise to a solution of *n*-pentane–diethyl ether (5:1, 300 mL), resulting in precipitation of triphenylphosphine oxide. The resulting light brown solid was removed by filtration and washed with *n*-pentane (100 mL). The combined organic filtrate was concentrated and purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: hexanes:EtOAc [90:10]) to yield dibromide **66** as a colorless oil (2.21 g, 82%).

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 6.40 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, Br<sub>2</sub>C=CH), 5.85-5.76 (m, 1H, HC=CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.02 (app-dq, *J* = 17, 1.5 Hz, 1H, *trans*-HC=CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.97 (m, 1H, *cis*-HC=CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.14-2.05 (m, 4H, Br<sub>2</sub>C=CHCH<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>C=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.47-1.41 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 138.9, 138.7, 114.9 (HC=CH<sub>2</sub>), 88.9 (Br<sub>2</sub>C=CH), 33.6, 33.0, 28.4, 27.4.

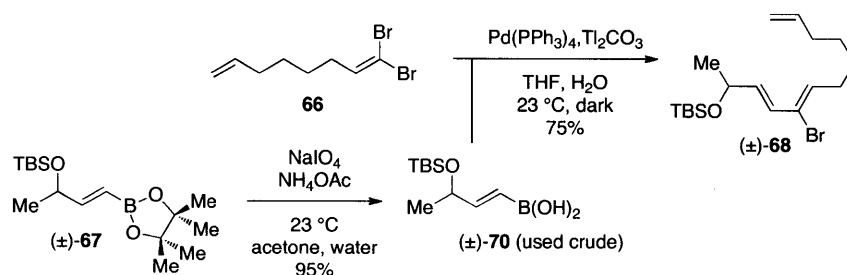
FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2928 (s), 2857 (m), 1641 (m), 911 (s), 804 (m), 780 (m).

HRMS–EI (*m/z*): calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>13</sub>Br<sub>2</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 265.9300, found: 265.9324.

GC, *t*<sub>R</sub>: 10.16 min

TLC (40% EtOAc in hexanes), *R*<sub>f</sub>: **S2**, 0.64 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)  
**66**, 0.75 (UV, KMnO<sub>4</sub>)

<sup>9</sup> 6-Heptenal was prepared from 7-octene-1,2-diol (commercially available), sodium metaperiodate, diethyl ether, water, 1h, 93%. Spectroscopic data matched published data; see: Taylor, R. E.; Galvin, G. M.; Hilfiker, K. A.; Chen, Y. *J. Org. Chem.* **1998**, *63*, 9580.



**(±)-(2E,4Z)-(4-Bromo-1-methyl-undeca-2,4,10-trienyloxy)-tert-butyl-dimethyl-silane (68):**

To a solution of boronate (±)-**67** (0.94 g, 3.0 mmol, 1 equiv) in acetone and water (30 mL, 2:1) was added sodium metaperiodate (2.0 g, 9.4 mmol, 3.1 equiv) and ammonium acetate (0.71 g, 9.2 mmol, 3.0 equiv). The resulting cloudy solution was stirred at ambient temperature. After 48 h, the reaction mixture was placed under reduced pressure to remove acetone, was diluted with ethyl acetate (100 mL) and the phases separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (100 mL) and the combined organic layers were washed with brine (50 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure to provide boronic acid (±)-**70** as a light brown oil (0.66 g, 95%). Dibromide **66** (150 mg, 0.56 mmol, 1 equiv) and crude boronic acid (±)-**70** (160 mg, 0.69 mmol, 1.2 equiv) were combined, dissolved in THF–water (3:1, 11 mL), and the solution was degassed thoroughly (FPT). Tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (33 mg, 0.028 mmol, 0.050 equiv) was added as a solid, light was excluded, and the resulting clear yellow solution was stirred for 5 min. Thallium carbonate (0.53 g, 1.1 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added as a solid, and the resulting heterogeneous yellow-white mixture was stirred in the dark. After 25 h, the light tan reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate and passed through a silica plug and the clear solution was concentrated. The resulting brown oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 2.5 cm, ht. 4 cm; eluent: hexanes:EtOAc [98:2] to hexanes:EtOAc [96:4]) to provide triene (±)-**68** as a yellow oil (156 mg, 75%).

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ): 6.19 (d,  $J = 14.6$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{BrCCH}=\text{CH}$ ), 6.03 (dd,  $J = 14.6, 4.8$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{BrCCH}=\text{CH}$ ), 5.91-5.75 (m, 2H,  $\text{BrC}=\text{CH}$ ;  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}$ ), 5.06-4.93 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}$ ), 4.44 (m, 1H,  $\text{TBSOCHCH}_3$ ), 2.35-2.28 (m, 2H,  $\text{BrC}=\text{CHCH}_2$ ), 2.10-2.06 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2$ ), 1.49-1.43 (m, 4H,  $(\text{CH}_2)_2$ ), 1.25 (d,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 3H,  $\text{CH}_3$ ), 0.92 (s, 9H,  $\text{SiC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 0.08 (s, 3H,  $\text{SiCH}_3$ ), 0.07 (s, 3H,  $\text{SiCH}_3$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ): 138.9, 138.3, 133.7, 127.5, 125.2, 114.7, 68.5 ( $\text{TBSOCH}$ ), 33.8, 31.6, 28.7, 28.1, 26.1 ( $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 24.8, 18.5, -4.4 ( $\text{SiCH}_3$ ), -4.5 ( $\text{SiCH}_3$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2955 (s), 2929 (s), 2857 (s), 1472 (w), 1462 (w), 1255 (m), 1149 (m), 1089 (m), 835 (s), 776 (s).

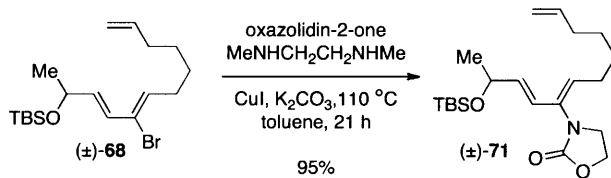


HRMS (ESI):

calcd for  $C_{18}H_{33}NaBrOSi$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 395.1376,  
found: 395.1365.

TLC (40% EtOAc in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

**70**, 0.26 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)  
**68**, 0.83 (UV, KMnO<sub>4</sub>)



**(±)-3-[(1Z)-1-[(E)-3-(tert-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-but-1-enyl]-octa-1,7-dienyl]-oxazolidin-2-one (71):**

Vinyl bromide (±)-68 (3.10 g, 8.30 mmol, 1 equiv) was transferred in dry toluene to a flame-dried Schlenk pressure vessel, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the vessel filled with argon. Oxazolidin-2-one (869 mg, 9.96 mmol, 1.20 equiv), copper iodide (790 mg, 4.15 mmol, 0.500 equiv), and potassium carbonate (2.29 g, 16.6 mmol, 2.00 equiv) were added under argon, and the vessel was evacuated and back-filled with argon three times. Dimethylethylenediamine (2.23 mL, 20.8 mmol, 2.50 equiv) and toluene (33 mL) were added. The reaction vessel was sealed under argon atmosphere and the green-gray heterogeneous mixture was heated to 110 °C. The solution turned slate-blue after five minutes, then light yellow-green. After 21 h, the solution was cooled to ambient temperature and partitioned between ethyl acetate (200 mL) and water (100 mL). The blue aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 × 150 mL), and the combined yellow organic layers were washed with brine (50 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting brown oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 7 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [99:1] to CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [96:4] to CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [85:15]) to provide triene (±)-71 as a light yellow oil (2.98 g, 95%).

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

6.09 (dd, *J* = 15.4, 1.0 Hz, 1H, (TBSO)CHCH=CH), 5.77-5.69 (m, 1H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.63 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 5.5 Hz, 1H, (TBSO)CHCH=CH), 5.46 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, (N)C=CH), 5.04-4.97 (m, 2H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.27 (app-p, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H, (TBSO)CH), 3.55-3.51 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 3.02-2.91 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.04-1.98 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.94-1.90 (m, 2H, (N)C=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.28-1.24 (m, 4H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 1.21 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H, TBSOCHCH<sub>3</sub>), 1.01 (s, 9H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.11 (s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.10 (s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

156.2 (O=C), 139.2, 134.5, 134.1, 134.0, 125.6, 115.1, 69.5, 61.9, 46.2, 34.3, 29.3, 28.8, 28.3, 26.5, (C(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 25.2, 18.8, -4.0 (SiCH<sub>3</sub>), -4.2 (SiCH<sub>3</sub>).

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>:

2928 (w), 2856 (w), 1758 (s), 1414 (m), 1251 (w), 834 (m).

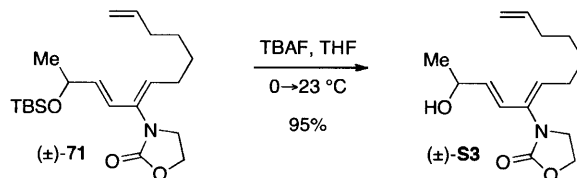
HRMS (ESI):

calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>37</sub>NaNO<sub>3</sub>Si [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 402.2435, found: 402.2444.

TLC (3% acetone in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

**68**, 0.89 (UV, CAM)

**71**, 0.54 (UV, CAM)



**(±)-3-[(1Z)-1-((E)-3-Hydroxy-but-1-enyl)-octa-1,7-dienyl]-oxazolidin-2-one (S3):**

A solution of tetrabutylammonium fluoride in THF (1M, 1.9 mL, 1.9 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was added to a solution of silyl ether (±)-71 (487 mg, 1.28 mmol, 1 equiv) in THF (10 mL) at 0 °C. The resulting light yellow solution was vigorously stirred and allowed to warm to ambient temperature. After 3.5 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (50 mL), water (5 mL), and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (25 mL). The aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 × 50 ml), and the combined organic layers were washed with brine (25 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting yellow oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 2.5 cm, ht. 6.5 cm; eluent: CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [95:5] to CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [80:20] to CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [50:50]) to provide the alcohol (±)-S3 as a clear oil (321 mg, 95%).

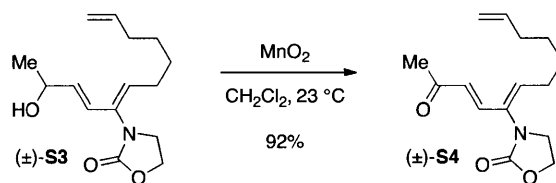
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 5.99 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H, MeC(OH)CH=CH), 5.81-5.71 (m, 1H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.64 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 5.5 Hz, 1H, MeC(OH)CH=CH), 5.41 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, (N)C=CH), 5.07-4.97 (m, 2H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.24 (br-s, 1H, CHOH), 3.67-3.57 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.97 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.36-2.18 (br-s, OH), 2.03-1.91 (m, 4H, allylic CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.32-1.25 (m, 4H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 156.7 (O=C), 139.2 (C=CN), 134.5, 134.1, 128.7, 126.1, 115.1 (HC=CH<sub>2</sub>), 68.3, 62.2, 46.2, 34.3, 29.3, 28.9, 28.2, 24.0.

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3421 (br-m, OH), 2973 (w), 2927 (m), 2857 (w), 1741 (s, C=O), 1419 (s), 1247 (m), 1037 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NaNO<sub>3</sub> [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 288.1572, found: 288.1572.

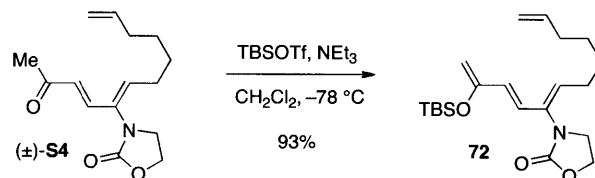
TLC (10% acetone in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>), *R<sub>f</sub>*: 71, 0.75 (UV, CAM)  
S3, 0.16 (UV, CAM)



**(±)-3-[(1Z)-1-((E)-3-Oxo-but-1-enyl)-octa-1,7-dienyl]-oxazolidin-2-one (S4):**

$\gamma$ -Manganese dioxide (1.21 g, 13.9 mmol, 11.7 equiv) was added under an argon atmosphere in one portion to a solution of alcohol (±)-S3 (317 mg, 1.20 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (6 mL) and the mixture was stirred at ambient temperature. After 19.5 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane and passed through celite. The resulting solution was concentrated under reduced pressure to provide spectroscopically clean ketone (±)-S4 as a clear oil (289 mg, 92%). If desired, purification of ketone (±)-S4 could be achieved via flash column chromatography (silica gel, eluent: CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [98:2] to CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone [90:10]).

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (500 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20 °C):	6.77 (d, <i>J</i> = 15.8 Hz, 1H, MeCOCH=CH), 6.00 (d, <i>J</i> = 15.8 Hz, 1H, MeCOCH=CH), 5.78-5.70 (m, 1H, CH=CH <sub>2</sub> ), 5.52 (t, <i>J</i> = 7.6 Hz, 1H, (N)C=CH), 5.06-4.99 (m, 2H, CH=CH <sub>2</sub> ), 3.47 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 7.8 Hz, 2H, OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 2.73 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 7.8 Hz, 2H, OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 1.94-1.90 (m, 7H, allylic-CH <sub>2</sub> , allylic-CH <sub>2</sub> , Me), 1.21-1.20 (m, 4H, (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20 °C):	196.6 (ketone-C=O), 156.1 (carbamate-C=O), 143.7, 140.2, 139.0, 134.1, 126.6, 115.3, 62.2 (OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 46.0 (OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 34.2, 29.3, 28.8, 28.3, 27.9.
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	2924 (m), 1754 (s, C=O), 1746 (s, C=O), 1666 (m), 1631 (m), 1599 (m), 1414 (s), 1251 (m).
HRMS (ESI):	calcd for C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>21</sub> NaNO <sub>3</sub> [M+Na] <sup>+</sup> : 286.1414, found: 286.1421.
TLC (10% acetone in CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> ), <i>R<sub>f</sub></i> :	S3, 0.16 (UV, CAM) S4, 0.42 (UV, CAM)



**3-[(1Z)-1-[(Z)-3-(*tert*-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-but-1,3 dienyl]-octa-1,7-dienyl]-oxazolidin-2-one (72):**

Triethylamine (860  $\mu$ L, 6.12 mmol, 1.50 equiv) was added to a solution of ketone ( $\pm$ )-**S4** (1.07 g, 4.08 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (20 mL) at  $-78$   $^{\circ}$ C, followed by dropwise addition of TBSOTf (1.12 mL, 4.89 mmol, 1.20 equiv). After 15 min, the excess silylating agent was quenched by the addition of saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (5 mL) and allowed to warm to ambient temperature. The reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (80 mL) and washed with saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (30 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with ethyl acetate (4  $\times$  75 mL), and the combined organic layers were washed with brine (20 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 9 cm; eluent:  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :acetone [97:3]) to provide the silyl enol ether **72** as a white solid (1.44 g, 93%).

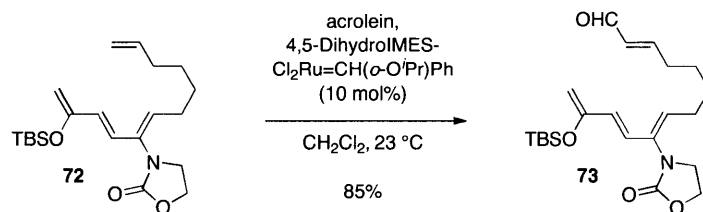
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ ): 6.80 (d,  $J = 15.3$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{HC}=\text{CHCOTBS}$ ), 6.06 (d,  $J = 15.3$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{HC}=\text{CHCOTBS}$ ), 5.76-5.68 (m, 1H,  $\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ), 5.60 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H,  $(\text{N})\text{C}=\text{CH}$ ), 5.03-4.96 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ), 4.42 (s, 1H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHOTBS}$ ), 4.33 (s, 1H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHOTBS}$ ), 3.51 (app-t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.89 (app-t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.03-1.99 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ), 1.95-1.85 (m, 2H,  $(\text{N})\text{C}=\text{CHCH}_2$ ), 1.24-1.21 (m, 4H,  $(\text{CH}_2)_2$ ), 1.02 (s, 9H,  $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 0.18 (s, 6H,  $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ ): 156.3, 155.6, 139.2, 136.1, 134.8, 127.3, 126.5, 115.1, 97.4, 62.1, 46.3, 34.2, 29.3, 28.7, 28.6, 26.4, 18.9,  $-4.2$ .

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2930 (s), 2858 (s), 1759 (s, C=O), 1415 (m), 1316 (m), 1254 (m), 1030 (m), 840 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{36}\text{NO}_3\text{Si}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 378.2459, found: 378.2465.

TLC,  $R_f$ :  
(10% acetone in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , neutralized plates): **S4**, 0.58 (UV, CAM)  
**72**, 0.79 (UV, CAM)



**(2E,8Z,10E)-12-(tert-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-9-(2-oxo-oxazolidin-3-yl)-trideca-2,8,10,12-tetraen-1-ol (73):**

To a solution of silyl enol ether **72** (500 mg, 1.32 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (6.6 mL) was added freshly distilled acrolein (354  $\mu$ L, 5.30 mmol, 4.00 equiv, no stabilizer present), followed by 4,5-(DihydroIMES)Cl<sub>2</sub>Ru=CH(o-O'Pr)Ph<sup>10</sup> (82 mg, 0.13 mmol, 0.10 equiv). The green solution was stirred at ambient temperature for 10 minutes, then purified immediately without concentration via flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 8 cm; eluent: CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> [98:1:1]) to provide the tetraene **73** as a tan solid (455 mg, 85%).

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 9.34 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H, CHO), 6.71 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H, HC=CHCOTBS) 6.07 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H, HC=CHCOTBS), 6.01 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 6.6 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCHO), 5.90 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 7.6 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCHO), 5.55 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H, (N)C=CH), 4.43 (s, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHOTBS), 4.34 (s, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHOTBS), 3.55 (app-t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.90 (app-t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 1.93 (app-q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.67 (app-q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H, (N)C=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.11-0.94 (m, 13H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.18 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

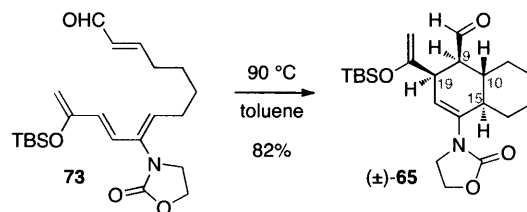
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 193.2 (CHO), 157.5, 156.4, 155.5, 135.5, 135.0, 133.6, 127.0, 126.8, 97.5, 62.2, 46.3, 32.6, 28.5, 28.3, 27.9, 26.3, 18.8, -4.2.

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2951 (s), 2930 (s), 2858 (m), 1753 (s), 1689 (s), 1414 (m), 1253 (m), 840 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>35</sub>NaNO<sub>4</sub>Si [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 428.2228, found: 428.2226.

TLC, *R*<sub>f</sub>:  
(3% acetone in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, neutralized plates) **72**, 0.63 (UV, CAM)  
**73**, 0.30 (UV, CAM)

<sup>10</sup> Garber, S. B.; Kingsbury, J. S.; Gray, B. L.; Hoveyda, A. H. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2000**, *122*, 8168. Grubbs' G1 and G2 Ru-catalysts required above ambient temperatures found to be incompatible with the sensitive tetraene product **73**.



**$(\pm)$ -(9*S*, 10*R*, 15*R*, 19*S*)-*trans*-Decalin aldehyde (**65**):**

A flame-dried Schlenk flask was charged with tetraene **73** (279 mg, 0.688 mmol, 1 equiv) and toluene (34 mL) and sealed under argon atmosphere. The vessel was heated to 90 °C. After 13 h, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 2.5 cm, ht. 8 cm; eluent: CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> [94:5:1]) to provide the  $(\pm)$ -*trans*-decalin aldehyde **65** as a yellow oil (228 mg, 82%).

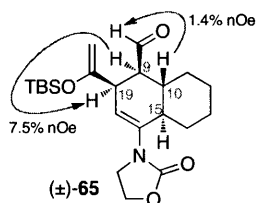
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

9.66 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H, CHO), 5.01 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 2.1 Hz, 1H, NC=CH), 4.37 (d, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 1H, C=CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.34 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H, C=CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.42-3.33 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.98-2.95 (m, 1H, CHCOTBS), 2.79 (q, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.50-2.45 (m, 1H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.33-2.28 (m, 1H, HCC(N)CH), 2.26-2.21 (m, 1H, CHOCH), 2.04-1.97 (m, 2H, CHOCHCH), 1.67-1.62 (m, 2H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 1.54-1.52 (m, 1H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 1.26 (qt, *J* = 13.2, 3.8 Hz, 1H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 1.17-1.09 (m, 1H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 1.03-0.92 (m, 1H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 0.97 (s, 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.83 (qd, *J* = 3.8, 12.6 Hz, 1H, (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>), 0.14 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>), 0.12 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

203.6 (CHO), 158.2 (carbamate-C=O), 156.2, 140.8, 117.8, 95.4, 62.0 (OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 53.9, 46.7 (OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 44.4, 42.7, 37.4, 30.9, 27.2, 27.0, 26.4 (SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 18.8, -3.9 (SiCH<sub>3</sub>), -4.3 (SiCH<sub>3</sub>).

nOe data (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):



FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>:

2929 (s), 2857 (m), 1756 (s), 1724 (s), 1408 (m), 1255 (m), 1220 (m), 837 (s).

HRMS (ESI):

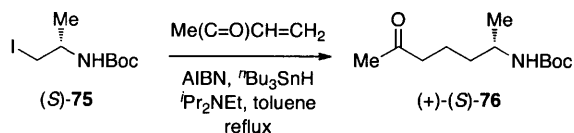
calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>36</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>Si [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 406.2408, found: 406.2403.



TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:

(30% acetone in hexanes, neutralized plates) **73**, 0.26 (UV, CAM)

**65**, 0.33 (CAM)



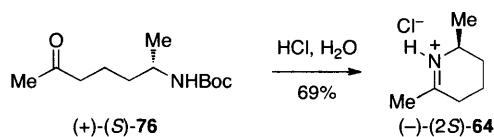
**(+)-(S)-(1-Methyl-5-oxo-hexyl)-carbamic acid *tert*-butyl ester (76):**

A solution of alkyl iodide (*S*)-**75**<sup>11</sup> (5.10 g, 17.7 mmol, 1 equiv) in toluene (95 mL) was treated sequentially with methyl vinyl ketone (9.40 mL, 115 mmol, 6.50 equiv) and diisopropylethylamine (10.0 mL, 88.5 mmol, 3.00 equiv). The reaction mixture was heated to reflux and a solution of tributyltin hydride (7.5 mL, 28 mmol, 1.6 equiv) and AIBN (0.40 g, 2.4 mmol, 0.15 equiv) in toluene (30 mL) was added via cannula. After heating at reflux for 1 h, the reaction mixture was cooled to ambient temperature and triethylamine (10 mL) was added. Excess tributyltin hydride was quenched by dropwise addition of a solution of iodine in toluene (0.2 M, 0.5 mL) until an orange color persisted. The orange solution was stirred for 10 min, then a solution of potassium fluoride (5.2 g) in water (40 mL) was added, and the resulting suspension was stirred for 1.5 h. The reaction mixture was filtered through celite, and the filtrate was partitioned between diethyl ether (100 mL) and water (50 mL). The aqueous layer was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 100 mL) and the combined organic layers were washed sequentially with saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (20 mL) and brine (20 mL). The organic phases were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the yellow residue by flash chromatography (silica gel: diam. 7, ht. 15 cm; eluent: hexanes:EtOAc [1:1]) afforded the ketone (+)-(*S*)-**76** as a brown solid (2.2 g, 53%,  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +3$  (*c* 0.5, EtOAc)).

The corresponding enantiomer, ketone (–)-(*R*)-**76** (6.9 g, 59%,  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -3$  (*c* 0.5, EtOAc)), was prepared using the same procedure and starting with alkyl iodide (*R*)-**75**.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	4.33 (br-s, 1H, NHBoc), 3.65 (br-s, 1H, (CH <sub>3</sub> )CHNH), 2.52-2.40 (m, 2H, C(O)CH <sub>2</sub> ), 2.14 (s, 3H, CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)), 1.66-1.54 (m, 3H, CH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> ), (CH <sub>3</sub> )CHCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.45 (s, 9H, C(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ), 1.44-1.38 (m, 1H, CH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )), 1.12 (d, 3H, <i>J</i> = 6.6 Hz, CH(CH <sub>3</sub> )).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	209.1, 155.6, 79.2, 46.3, 43.4, 36.7, 30.2, 28.6, 21.4, 20.3.
FTIR (thin film), cm <sup>-1</sup> :	3351 (m, N-H), 2975 (m), 1710 (br-s, C=O), 1523 (m), 1172 (m).
HRMS (EI):	calcd for C <sub>12</sub> H <sub>24</sub> NO <sub>3</sub> [M+H] <sup>+</sup> : 230.1751, found: 230.1752.
TLC (50% EtOAc in hexane):	<b>75</b> , 0.73 (ninhydrin, UV) <b>76</b> , 0.52 (ninhydrin, anis)

<sup>11</sup> Prepared from L-alaninol; see: Caputo, R.; Cassano, E.; Longobardo, L.; Palumbo, G. *Tetrahedron* **1995**, *51*, 12337.



**(-)-(2S)-2,6-Dimethyl-2,3,4,5-tetrahydro-pyridinium chloride (64):**

The *N*-Boc ketone (+)-(S)-76 (3.40 g, 14.9 mmol, 1 equiv) was dissolved in aqueous hydrochloric acid (10M, 60.0 mL). After stirring for 12 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure (1 Torr) to give a dark brown oil. This residue was triturated from THF (2 × 10 mL) to provide the iminium chloride (-)-(2S)-64 as a beige solid (1.5 g, 69%,  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -19$  (*c* 0.5, EtOAc)) and vigorously dried.<sup>12</sup> The optical activity of (-)-64 was measured to be >99% ee by chiral HPLC analysis of the corresponding benzylated derivative<sup>13</sup> [(*S,S*)-Whelk-O; 3.0 mL/min; 13% <sup>i</sup>PrOH in hexanes;  $t_R$ (major) = 19.53 min;  $t_R$ (minor, not seen) = 17.64 min].

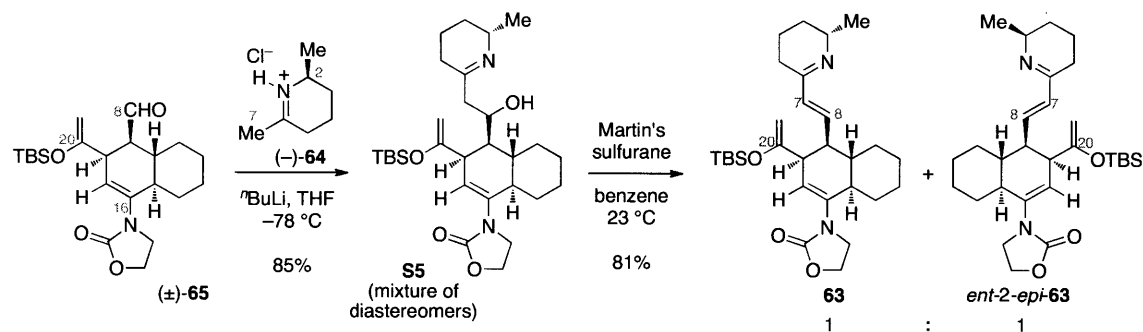
The corresponding enantiomer, iminium chloride (+)-(2R)-64 (0.4 g, 81%,  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +19$  (*c* 0.5, EtOAc)), was prepared using the same procedure and starting with *N*-Boc ketone (-)-(R)-76. The optical activity of (+)-64 was measured to be >99% ee by chiral HPLC analysis of the corresponding benzylated derivative<sup>13</sup> [(*S,S*)-Whelk-O; 3.0 mL/min; 13% <sup>i</sup>PrOH in hexanes;  $t_R$ (major) = 17.64 min;  $t_R$ (minor, not seen) = 19.53 min]<sup>14</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	15.24 (m, 1H, C=NH <sup>+</sup> ), 3.97 (br-s, 1H, NH <sup>+</sup> CH(CH <sub>3</sub> )CH <sub>2</sub> ), 2.64 (br-s, 5H, (CH <sub>3</sub> )CNH <sup>+</sup> =C, CH <sub>3</sub> CCH <sub>2</sub> ), 2.08-2.02 (m, 1H, (CH <sub>3</sub> )CCH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.97-1.90 (m, 1H, (CH <sub>3</sub> )CCH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.84-1.76 (m, 1H, HN <sup>+</sup> =CCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.61 (d, 3H, <i>J</i> = 6.8 Hz, C(CH <sub>3</sub> ), 1.58-1.55 (m, 1H, HN <sup>+</sup> =CCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20°C):	186.6, 51.9, 31.6, 27.5, 24.4, 20.1, 16.0.
FTIR (thin film), cm <sup>-1</sup> :	3406 (br-s, N-H), 2936 (m), 2839 (m), 1686 (m), 1457 (w), 1386 (w).
HRMS (EI):	calcd for C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>14</sub> N [M-Cl] <sup>+</sup> : 112.1121, found: 112.1120.

<sup>12</sup> Iminium chloride 64 was highly hygroscopic and required handling under inert atmosphere for optimal results.

<sup>13</sup> Iminium chloride 64 was lithiated and acylated with benzoyl chloride to give the corresponding vinylogous amide.

<sup>14</sup> Additionally, to ensure elution of the major compound after the minor compound, the (*R,R*)-Whelk-O was also used: [(*R,R*)-Whelk-O; 3.0 mL/min; 13% <sup>i</sup>PrOH in hexanes;  $t_R$ (major) = 20.34 min;  $t_R$ (minor, not seen) = 19.39 min].



**3-{3-[1-*tert*-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-vinyl]-4-[2-(6-methyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-pyridin-2-yl)-vinyl]-3,4,4a,5,6,8,8s-octahydro-naphthalene-1-yl}-oxazolidin-2-one (63):**

To a suspension of iminium chloride (-)-(2*S*)-**64** (101 mg, 0.68 mmol, 2.00 equiv) in THF at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  and sealed under argon<sup>15</sup> was added a solution of *n*-butyllithium in hexanes (2.53 M, 520  $\mu\text{L}$ , 1.32 mmol, 3.87 equiv). The resulting brown solution was maintained at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 min, was warmed to  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  for 10 min, then cooled to  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . A sample of aldehyde ( $\pm$ )-**65** (137 mg, 0.34 mmol, 1 equiv) in a round-bottomed flask was azeotropically dried from toluene ( $2 \times 4\text{ mL}$ ), the flask was evacuated and backfilled with argon three times, charged with THF (700  $\mu\text{L}$ ), and cooled to  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . The lithiated enamine solution was transferred cold via cannula to the cold aldehyde solution. After ten minutes excess anion was quenched at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  by the addition of saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (2 mL) and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature. The reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (40 mL) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (15 mL) and the layers separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate ( $2 \times 40\text{ mL}$ ) and the combined organic layers were washed with brine (15 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting yellow oil was purified by flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 2.5 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent:  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :acetone: $\text{NEt}_3$  [98:1:1] to  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :acetone: $\text{NEt}_3$  [97:2:1] to  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :acetone: $\text{NEt}_3$  [96:3:1]) to provide  $\beta$ -hydroxyimine **S5** (168 mg, 85%, equal mixture of 4 diastereomers) as a light yellow oil. Additionally, the starting aldehyde ( $\pm$ )-**65** was recovered (8.1 mg, 6%).

A solution of Martin sulfurane (219 mg, 0.326 mmol, 1.18 equiv) in benzene (2 mL) under argon atmosphere,<sup>15</sup> was transferred via cannula to a solution of  $\beta$ -hydroxyimine **S5** (153 mg, 0.276 mmol, 1 equiv) in benzene (4 mL) at  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . After 25 min, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 18 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone: $\text{NEt}_3$  [89:10:1] to acetone:hexanes: $\text{NEt}_3$  [84:15:1] to acetone:hexanes: $\text{NEt}_3$  [74:25:1] to acetone:hexanes: $\text{NEt}_3$  [64:35:1]) to provide the  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated imines (119 mg, 81%, **63**:*ent*-2-*epi*-**63**, ~1:1) as a yellow oil.

The corresponding enantiomers of the  $\beta$ -hydroxyimine (203 mg, 70%, equal mixture of 4 diastereomers) and the  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated imine (167 mg, 85%, *ent*-**63**:2-*epi*-**63**, ~1:1) were prepared using the same procedure and the imine salt (+)-(2*R*)-**64**.

<sup>15</sup> Rigorous inert atmosphere and anhydrous conditions were required for optimal results.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20°C, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **63**:*ent-2-epi-63*, ~1:1):  
6.46 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H, C7-H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H, C7-H), 6.13-6.05 (m, 2H, C8-H, C8-H), 5.14-5.11 (m, 2H, C17-H, C17-H), 4.29 (br-s, 2H, C21-H, C21-H), 3.62-3.52 (m, 2H, C2-H, C2-H), 3.46-3.41 (m, 4H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.95-2.89 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.79-2.75 (m, 2H, C19-H, C19-H), 2.65-2.60 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.40-2.31 (m, 4H, C5-H, C5-H, C15-H, C15-H), 2.19-2.07 (m, 6H, C5-H, C5-H, C9-H, C9-H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.01-1.94 (m, 2H, C10-H, C10-H), 1.86-1.71 (m, 8H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.57-1.49 (m, 8H, C3-H, C3-H, C4-H, C4-H), 1.39 (br-s, 3H, C1-H), 1.38 (br-s, 3H, C1-H), 1.36-1.21 (m, 6H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 0.97 (br-s, 18H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.19 (br-s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.18 (br-s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.17 (br-s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.17 (br-s, 3H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20°C, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **63**:*ent-2-epi-63*, ~1:1):  
163.99, 163.98, 159.64, 159.63, 156.01, 155.99, 140.46 (br-s, 2 carbons), 137.99 (C8), 137.95 (C8), 136.26 (C7), 136.19 (C7), 119.44 (C17), 119.25 (C17), 94.39 (C21), 94.34 (C21), 61.80 (br-s, 2 carbons, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 54.53, 54.41, 48.05 (C19), 48.04 (C19), 46.82 (OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 46.78 (OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 46.63 (C9), 46.60 (C9), 43.21 (C15), 43.16 (C15), 40.39 (C10), 40.36 (C10), 31.74 (C11), 31.67 (C11), 30.65 (C14), 30.61 (C14), 30.42, 30.37, 27.39, 27.36, 27.11 (br-s, 2 carbons), 26.31, 26.29, 25.88, 25.85, 24.30, 24.26, 19.66, 19.47, 18.69 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), -4.03 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), -4.05 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), -4.17 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), -4.23 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

FTIR (thin film, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **63**:*ent-2-epi-63*, ~1:1) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2929 (s), 2856 (m), 1756 (s), 1615 (m), 1406 (m), 1259 (m), 1215 (m), 839 (s).

HRMS (ESI, **S5**):  
calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>47</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 517.3456,  
found: 517.3464.

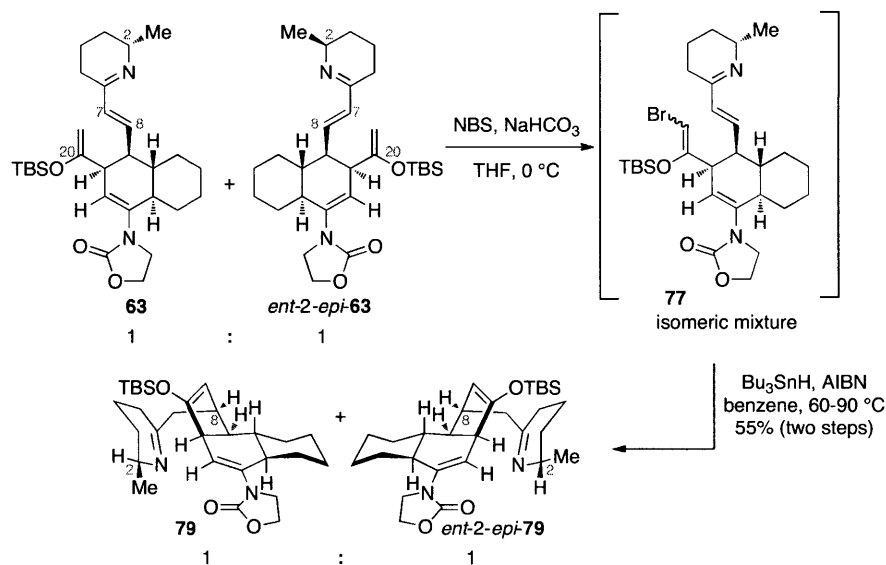
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calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>46</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si [M]<sup>+</sup>: 499.3351,  
found: 499.3354.

TLC Rf (neutralized plates):  
(CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> [96:3:1])

**65**, 0.59 (CAM)  
**S5**, 0.21 (CAM)

(hexanes:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> [69:30:1])

**S5**, 0.40 (UV, CAM)  
**63** and *ent*-2-*epi*-**63**, 0.44 (UV, CAM)



**3-[3-(*tert*-Butyl-dimethyl-silanyloxy)-1-(6-methyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-pyridin-2-yl)methyl]-3a,5a,6,7,8,9,9a,9b-octahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]naphthalen-5-yl]-oxazolidin-2-one (79 and *ent*-2-*epi*-79):**

A solution of  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated imine **63** (119 mg, 0.238 mmol, 1 equiv, equal mixture of **63** and *ent*-2-*epi*-**63**) in THF (12 mL) was degassed via an argon purge. To this solution was added solid sodium bicarbonate (106 mg, 1.26 mmol, 5.29 equiv) under argon. The reaction mixture was cooled to 0 °C, light was excluded, and NBS (50.5 mg, 0.284 mmol, 1.19 equiv) was added as a solid. The reaction mixture was maintained at 0 °C for ten minutes, then diluted with hexanes:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> ([50:50:1], 10 mL), was filtered cold through a silica plug (diam. 1 cm, ht. 2.5 cm) and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to produce an orange-brown foam. This residue was dissolved in benzene and filtered to remove excess insoluble succinimide. It was then concentrated and placed under reduced pressure (~ 0.5 Torr) for 1 h. The resulting brominated product was used crude for the cyclization step.

The crude vinyl bromide was dissolved in benzene-*d*<sub>6</sub><sup>16</sup> (4.8 mL), was degassed via an argon purge, and was charged with tributyltin hydride (192  $\mu$ L, 0.722 mmol, 3.00 equiv). A solution of AIBN in benzene-*d*<sub>6</sub> (0.30M) was prepared in a flame-dried flask, degassed via bubbling argon, and a portion<sup>17</sup> (200  $\mu$ L, 0.060 mmol, 0.25 equiv) was transferred to the reaction mixture. The reaction solution was placed in a pre-heated 60 °C oil bath and heated to 90 °C over 20 min. After 30 min, the reaction mixture was cooled, an additional portion of AIBN was added (200  $\mu$ L, 0.060 mmol, 0.25 equiv), and the mixture was returned to 90 °C. After a subsequent 20 min, the solution was cooled, additional tributyltin hydride (96  $\mu$ L, 0.36 mmol, 1.5 equiv) and AIBN (400  $\mu$ L, 0.030 mmol, 0.50 equiv) were added, and the reaction was returned to 90 °C. After 20 min, the reaction was cooled, a final portion of AIBN was added (400  $\mu$ L, 0.030 mmol, 0.50 equiv), and the mixture was returned to 90 °C. After an additional 20 min at 90 °C, the reaction appeared complete by direct <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectral analysis. The reaction solution was cooled, triethylamine (1 mL) was added to neutralize adventitious hydrobromic

<sup>16</sup> Deuterated solvent was used to facilitate evaluation of reaction progress by direct <sup>1</sup>H NMR monitoring.

<sup>17</sup> Sequential addition of the reagents was necessary for optimal results.

acid, and the solution was concentrated to ~400  $\mu$ L under reduced pressure. The resulting brown oil was purified via flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 2.5 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone:NEt<sub>3</sub> [97:2:1] to acetone:hexanes:NEt<sub>3</sub> [95:4:1] to acetone:hexanes:NEt<sub>3</sub> [92:7:1] to acetone:hexanes:NEt<sub>3</sub> [84:15:1]) to provide an equal mixture of two diastereomeric tetracycles **79** and *ent*-2-*epi*-**79** as a tan foam (65.7 mg, 55% (two steps)). The corresponding enantiomers, tetracycles *ent*-**79** and 2-*epi*-**79** (90 mg, 54% (two steps), (~1:1)) were prepared using the same procedure and starting with  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated imines *ent*-**63**:2-*epi*-**63**, (~1:1)).

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20°C, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **79**:*ent*-2-*epi*-**79**, ~1:1): 5.66-5.63 (m, 2H, C17-H, C17-H), 4.83 (app-t, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1H, C21-H), 4.70 (app-t, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1H, C21-H), 3.46-3.35 (m, 8H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, C2-H, C2-H, C19-H, C19-H), 3.11-3.05 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.99-2.94 (m, 1H, C8-H), 2.94-2.88 (m, 1H, C8-H), 2.74-2.69 (m, 2H, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N, OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.50-2.44 (m, 2H, C15-H, C15-H), 2.21-2.15 (m, 4H, C7-H, C7-H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.15-2.09 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.09-2.02 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.79-1.65 (m, 8H, C9-H, C9-H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.56-1.43 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.43-1.26 (m, 4H, C10-H, C10-H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.36 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H, C1-H), 1.35 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H, C1-H), 1.24-1.11 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.01 (br-s, 18H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.99-0.83 (m, 8H, CH<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>), 0.21 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.20 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.19 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.18 (s, 3H, SiCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20°C, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **79**:*ent*-2-*epi*-**79**, ~1:1): 167.31, 167.16, 156.35 (br-s, 2 carbons), 155.48, 155.24, 139.62 (br-s, 2 carbons), 128.93 (br-s, 2 carbons), 118.02, 117.96, 105.25, 104.82, 61.89 (br-s, 2 carbons), 53.97, 53.84, 47.27, 47.24, 46.95, 46.82, 44.87, 44.76, 43.99, 43.95, 43.63 (br-s, 2 carbons), 32.10, 32.01, 30.36 (br-s, 2 carbons), 30.29, 30.24, 30.14, 30.05, 27.38 (br-s, 2 carbons), 27.36, 27.34, 26.34, 26.32, 24.42, 24.38, 19.84, 19.67, 18.76, 18.73, -4.17, -4.18, -4.20, -4.21.

FTIR (thin film, equal mixture of two diastereomers, **79**:*ent*-2-*epi*-**79**, ~1:1) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3397 (br-w), 2928 (s), 2856 (m), 1758 (s, C=O), 1650 (m), 1408 (m), 1254 (m), 1212 (w), 865 (m), 841 (m), 782 (w).

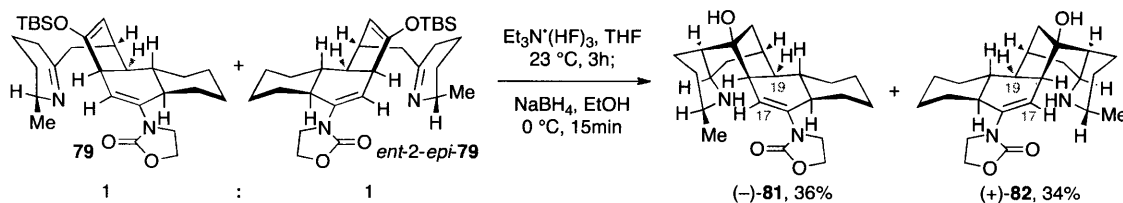
HRMS (ESI): calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>47</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 499.3351, found: 499.3357.



TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:

(30% acetone in hexanes, neutralized plates) **79**, 0.44 (UV, CAM)

*ent-2-epi-79*, 0.51 (UV, CAM)



### Pentacyclic amines **(-)-81** and **(+)-82**:

To a solution of tetracycle **79** (65.7 mg, 0.132 mmol, 1 equiv, equal mixture of **79** and *ent*-2-*epi*-**79**) in THF (13 mL) at 23 °C was added triethylamine trihydrogen fluoride (107  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.660 mmol, 5.00 equiv). After 3 h, the solution was cooled to 0 °C and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure on a manifold and allowed to warm to ambient temperature (3 h). The crude reaction mixture was dissolved in ethanol (10 mL) and cooled to 0 °C. A suspension of sodium borohydride (10 mg, 0.26 mmol, 2.0 equiv) in ethanol (2 mL) was added dropwise to the cold reaction mixture under an argon atmosphere. The resulting solution was stirred at 0 °C for ten minutes, then excess hydride was quenched at 0 °C by the addition of ethanolic hydrochloric acid (0.5 M, 1.5 mL) and the solution was vigorously stirred for five minutes. The reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of triethylamine (2 mL), was stirred for five minutes, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure on a manifold (1 h). The resulting white solid was dissolved in ethyl acetate (50 mL), saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (25 mL) and water (5 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (3  $\times$  50 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (neutralized silica gel: diam. 1 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent:  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :methanol [95:5] to ammonia saturated  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ :methanol [92:8]) afforded the readily separable pentacyclic amines **(-)-81** (18.4 mg, 36%,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -29$  (*c* 0.44,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) and **(+)-82** (17.3 mg, 34%,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +65$  (*c* 0.43,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )).

The corresponding enantiomeric amines, **(+)-81** and **(-)-82** (20.0 mg and 25.0 mg, respectively, 66%), were obtained using the same procedure and starting with a mixture of *ent*-**79** and 2-*epi*-**79** (~1:1).

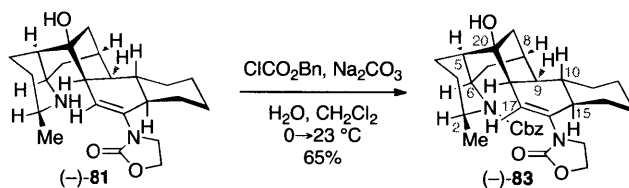
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 °C):

Pentacyclic amine **(-)-81**: 6.09 (br-s, 1H, C17-H), 3.85-3.80 (m, 1H, C19-H), 3.50 (app-q,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 3.44 (app-q,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 3.02-2.91 (m, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.79-2.71 (m, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.42-2.33 (m, 1H), 2.13 (t,  $J = 9.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.00-1.94 (m, 1H), 1.90-1.84 (m, 2H), 1.74 (ddd,  $J = 14.0, 6.2, 3.6$  Hz, 1H), 1.71-1.61 (m, 2H), 1.56-1.46 (m, 2H), 1.44-1.31 (m, 3H), 1.23-1.09 (m, 6H), 0.98-0.88 (m, 2H) 0.85 (d,  $J = 6.2$  Hz, 3H, C1-H).

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 °C):

Pentacyclic amine **(+)-82**: 6.00 (br-s, 1H, C17-H), 3.70-3.65 (m, 1H, C19-H), 3.56-3.46 (m, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 3.26 (t,  $J = 6.1$  Hz, 1H, C6-H), 3.07 (app-q,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1H, C2-H), 3.04-2.96 (m, 1H,

	OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 2.77 (app-q, <i>J</i> = 6.5 Hz, 1H, OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 2.07-1.67 (m, 11H), 1.30-1.09 (m, 6H), 1.09-1.02 (m, 2H), 1.00-0.98 (m, 2H), 0.93 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.5 Hz, 3H, C1-H).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20°C):	Pentacyclic amine (–)- <b>81</b> : 157.4 (carbamate C=O), 137.5 (C16), 128.9 (C17), 80.6 (C20), 61.7 (OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 56.2, 53.8, 47.8, 47.6, 46.3, 45.8, 45.1, 42.1, 40.6, 40.1, 38.1, 33.8, 31.6, 29.4, 27.1, 26.9, 24.0, 23.4.
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20°C):	Pentacyclic amine (+)- <b>82</b> : 157.5 (carbamate C=O), 138.0 (C16), 128.9 (C17), 81.1 (C20), 61.9 (OCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N), 48.6, 48.0, 47.3, 46.2, 44.0 (br), 40.9, 40.6, 40.0 (br), 37.6, 33.9, 29.7, 28.2, 27.3, 27.1, 21.1, 20.6.
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	Pentacyclic amine (–)- <b>81</b> : 3430 (br-s, OH), 2926 (s), 2855 (m), 1748 (s), 1662 (m), 1481 (w), 1447 (w), 1413 (m), 1279 (w), 1101 (m), 735 (m).
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	Pentacyclic amine (+)- <b>82</b> : 3424 (br-s, OH), 2926 (s), 2856 (m), 1743 (s), 1666 (w), 1482 (w), 1446 (w), 1416 (m), 1280 (w), 1101 (w), 734 (m).
HRMS (ESI):	Pentacyclic amine (–)- <b>81</b> : calcd for C <sub>23</sub> H <sub>35</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> [M+H] <sup>+</sup> : 387.2642, found: 387.2635.
HRMS (ESI):	Pentacyclic amine (+)- <b>82</b> : calcd for C <sub>23</sub> H <sub>35</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> [M+H] <sup>+</sup> : 387.2642, found: 387.2636.
TLC, <i>R<sub>f</sub></i> : (10% MeOH:NH <sub>3</sub> satd CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> )	(–)- <b>81</b> , 0.63 (KMnO <sub>4</sub> ) (+)- <b>82</b> , 0.26 (KMnO <sub>4</sub> )



### **Carbamate (-)-83:**

A solution of sodium carbonate (21 mg, 0.19 mmol, 10 equiv) in water (475  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was added to a solution of amine (-)-81 (7.5 mg, 0.019 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (600  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ . The heterogeneous mixture was stirred vigorously and cooled to 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . Benzylchloroformate (8.2  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.057 mmol, 3.0 equiv) was added dropwise and the resulting mixture was warmed to room temperature for 15 minutes. Two additional portions of benzylchloroformate (8.2  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.057 mmol, 3.0 equiv each) were added over 30 minutes, followed by dilution of the reaction mixture with dichloromethane (10 mL) and saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (5 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane ( $2 \times 10$  mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (5 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1 cm, ht. 2.5 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone [90:10] to hexanes:acetone [80:20] to hexanes:acetone [75:25] to hexanes:acetone [70:30]) provided the carbamate (-)-83 ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -62$  ( $c$  0.6,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) as a clear film (6.6 mg, 65%).

The corresponding enantiomer, carbamate (+)-83 (17.0 mg, 63%), was obtained using the same procedure and starting with amine (+)-81.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

7.32 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.18 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.07 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H, ArH), 5.86 (br-s, 1H, C17-H), 5.27-5.19 (m, 2H,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 4.66-4.57 (m, 1H, C6-H), 4.39 (br-s, 1H, C2-H), 3.55-3.43 (m, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 3.01 (app-q,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.75 (td,  $J = 8.6, 5.9$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.66-2.61 (m, 1H, C19-H), 2.45-2.37 (m, 2H, OH, C7-H), 2.09-2.01 (m, 3H, C5-H, C15-H), 1.78-1.65 (m, 3H, C8-H), 1.64 (m, 2H, C21-H), 1.56-1.43 (m, 3H, C4-H, C4-H, C3-H), 1.37-1.28 (m, 2H, C3-H, C21-H), 1.26 (dt,  $J = 13.2, 3.2$  Hz, 1H), 1.20 (app-t,  $J = 9.7$  Hz, 1H, C9-H), 1.13 (m, 1H), 1.12 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3H, C1-H), 1.04-0.95 (m, 2H, C7-H), 0.83-0.74 (m, 2H, C10-H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

157.3 (carbamate-C=O), 156.0 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 139.3 (C16), 138.3 ( $\text{HC}=\text{CCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 129.1 (Ar-C), 128.9 (Ar-C), 128.6 (Ar-C), 127.9 (Ar-C), 123.6 (br, C17), 80.5 (C20), 67.4 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 62.0 ( $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 52.9 (C9), 48.1 (C5), 48.0 ( $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 47.9 (C6), 46.8 (C2), 45.0 (C10), 40.8 (C15), 39.4 (C19), 34.7 (C21), 34.4 (C4), 33.5

(C8), 33.0, 30.2 (C3), 29.6, 27.1, 27.0, 20.7 (C1),  
17.8 (C4).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

3427 (br-s, OH), 2928 (s), 2855 (w), 1733 (s), 1688  
(s), 1415 (s), 1316 (s), 1093 (s).

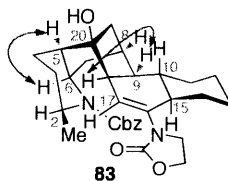
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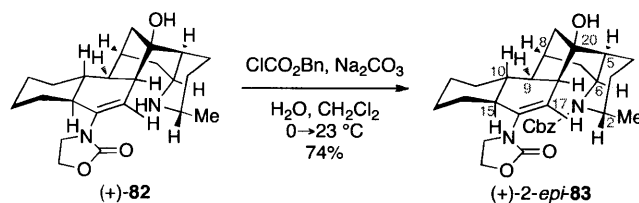
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TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:  
(50% acetone:hexanes)

**81**, <0.05 ( $\text{KMnO}_4$ )  
**83**, 0.31 ( $\text{KMnO}_4$ )

NOESY correlations (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20°C): Additional data: H2-H3, H3-H4, H4-H5, H4-H19,  
H3-H5, **H5-H6**, H6-H7a, H6-H21a, H7a-H8, H7b-  
H9, **H9-H19**, H17-H19, H19-H4a,b. Key  
correlations are shown in bold.





### Carbamate (+)-2-*epi*-83

A solution of sodium carbonate (62 mg, 0.58 mmol, 10 equiv) in water (1 mL) was added to a solution of pentacyclic amine (+)-**82** (22.5.0 mg, 0.0580 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (1.2 mL) at 23 °C. The heterogeneous mixture was stirred vigorously and cooled to 0 °C. Benzylchloroformate (25 μL, 0.18 mmol, 3.0 equiv) was added dropwise and the resulting solution was warmed to room temperature for 15 minutes. The reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane (15 mL) and saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (10 mL), and water (3 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (4 × 15 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (20 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1 cm, ht. 7.5 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone [90:10] to hexanes:acetone [80:20] to hexanes:acetone [75:25] to hexanes:acetone [70:30]) provided the carbamate (+)-2-*epi*-**83** ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +63$  ( $c$  0.7,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) as a clear film (22.4 mg, 74%).

The corresponding enantiomer, carbamate (–)-2-*epi*-**83** (18.2 mg, 54%), was obtained using the same procedure and starting with amine (–)-**82**.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 °C):

7.28 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.08 (app-t,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, ArH), 5.69 (br-s, 1H, C17-H), 5.21 (d,  $J = 12.4$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 5.11 (d,  $J = 12.4$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 4.13 (app-q,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H, C6-H), 4.05 (app-q,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 1H, C2-H), 3.53-3.43 (m, 2H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.96 (app-q,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.85-2.80 (m, 1H, C19-H), 2.73-2.67 (m, 1H,  $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 2.30-2.21 (m, 2H, C15-H, C5-H), 2.01-1.97 (m, 3H, C8-H, C10-H), 1.87-1.85 (m, 2H, C9-H, C4-H), 1.79 (br-d,  $J = 12.6$  Hz, 1H, C7-H), 1.68-1.61 (m, 3H, C3-H), 1.58-1.53 (m, 2H, C4-H, C21-H), 1.38 (d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz, 1H, C21-H), 1.27-1.24 (m, 2H), 1.16-1.14 (m, 2H), 1.15-1.13 (m, 3H, C1-H), 1.09 (m, 2H, C3-H), 0.86-0.85 (m, 2H, C7-H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 °C):

157.3 (carbamate-C=O), 156.4 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 139.2 (C16), 138.3 ( $\text{HC}=\text{CCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 129.1 (Ar-C), 128.9 (Ar-C), 128.7 (Ar-C), 123.3 (br, C17), 81.3 (C20), 67.1 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 62.0 ( $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 49.2 (C2), 49.1 (C9), 48.8 (C6), 47.6 ( $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 46.9 (C15), 43.5, 40.9 (C10), 39.1

(C19), 34.2 (C5), 33.6 (C8), 32.4 (C7), 29.8, 29.7, 28.9 (C3), 27.1, 27.0, 20.1, 18.9 (C4).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

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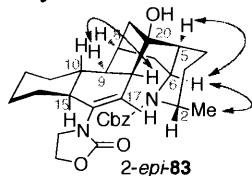
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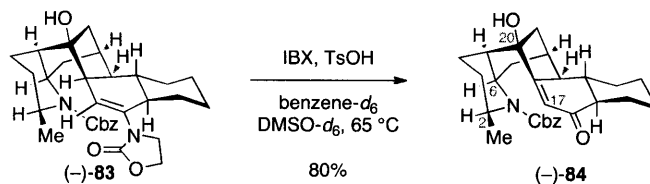
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found: 543.2817.

TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:  
(50% acetone:hexanes)

**82**, <0.05 ( $\text{KMnO}_4$ )  
2-*epi*-**83**, 0.31 ( $\text{KMnO}_4$ )

NOESY correlations (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20°C): Additional data: **H1-H6**, **H5-H6**, **H9-H19**, H17-Hb, H17-H19, H19-H4, H15-H9, H4-H2, H4-H6.  
Key correlations are shown in bold.





**(-)-N-Cbz-Galbulimima alkaloid 13 (84):**

*p*-Toluenesulfonic acid monohydrate (12 mg, 60  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 4.0 equiv) and IBX (47 mg, 0.16 mmol, 11 equiv) were added to a solution of vinyl oxazolidinone (-)-**83** (8.0 mg, 15  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in benzene- $d_6$  (300  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and DMSO- $d_6$ <sup>18</sup> (400  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ . The resulting suspension was sonicated (1.5 h) until it became homogeneous, then heated to 65  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectral analysis of the reaction mixture was used to monitor conversion to product. After 10 h, the solution was diluted with ethyl acetate (10 mL), saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (5 mL) and water (3 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate ( $2 \times 10$  mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (5 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow residue via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 0.5 cm, ht. 3.5 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone [85:15] to hexanes:acetone [70:30]) provided enone (-)-**84** (5.5 mg, 80%, ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -71$  ( $c$  0.3,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )).

The corresponding enantiomer, enone (+)-**84** (3.5 mg, 67%) was obtained using the same procedure and starting with vinyl oxazolidinone (+)-**83**.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

7.32 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.20-7.15 (m, 2H, ArH) 7.09 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H, ArH), 5.99 (d,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H, C17-H), 5.23 (m, 2H,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 4.69 (app-q,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, C6-H), 4.46-4.39 (m, 1H, C2-H), 2.67-2.52 (m, 2H), 1.97-1.90 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.64 (m, 4H), 1.55-1.44 (m, 3H), 1.38-1.24 (m, 3H), 1.21-1.13 (m, 2H), 1.12-1.04 (m, 5H, C1-H), 1.04-0.85 (m, 3H), 0.84 (dd,  $J = 11.6, 5.2$  Hz, 1H), 0.61 (app-dq,  $J = 12.2, 3.3$  Hz, 1H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

199.0 (C16), 172.5 (C19), 155.8 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 138.1 ( $\text{HC}=\text{CCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 129.1 (Ar-C), 128.7 (Ar-C), 128.5 (Ar-C), 119.3 (C17), 81.1 (C20), 67.5 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 56.7, 52.6, 47.4, 47.3, 46.2, 45.2, 36.1, 35.7, 31.7, 30.3, 30.2, 26.9, 26.5, 25.9, 20.4, 19.3.

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

3428 (br-s, OH), 2924 (s), 2852 (m), 1687 (m), 1666 (s), 1412 (w), 1314 (w).

HRMS (ESI):

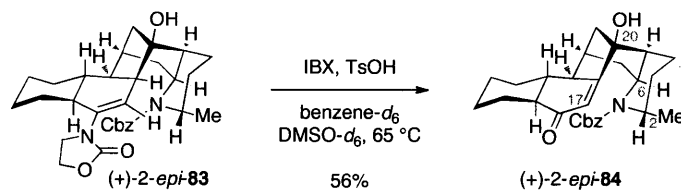
calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_1\text{O}_4$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 450.2639, found: 450.2639.

<sup>18</sup> Deuterated solvent was used to facilitate evaluation of reaction progress by direct  $^1\text{H}$  NMR monitoring.



TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:  
(50% acetone:hexanes)

**83**, 0.31 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)  
**84**, 0.57 (UV, CAM)



**(+)-N-Cbz-2-epi-Galbulimima alkaloid 13 (84):**

*p*-Toluenesulfonic acid monohydrate (8.0 mg, 42  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 4.6 equiv) and IBX (31 mg, 0.11 mmol, 12 equiv) were added to a solution of vinyl oxazolidinone (+)-2-*epi*-83 (4.8 mg, 9.2  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in benzene- $d_6$  (300  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and DMSO- $d_6$ <sup>19</sup> (450  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ . The suspension was sonicated (1 h) until it became homogeneous, then heated to 65  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR analysis of the reaction mixture was used to monitor conversion to product. After 10 h, the solution was diluted with ethyl acetate (8 mL), saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (8 mL) and water (3 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (3  $\times$  8 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (5 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow residue via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1 cm, ht. 2 cm; eluent: hexanes:acetone [85:15] to hexanes:acetone [80:20]) provided enone (+)-2-*epi*-84 (2.3 mg, 56%, ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +70$  ( $c$  0.3,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )).

The corresponding enantiomer, enone (–)-2-*epi*-84 (4.8 mg, 59%) was obtained using the same procedure and starting with vinyl oxazolidinone (–)-2-*epi*-83.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 7.30-7.27 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.15-7.12 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.09-7.05 (m, 1H, ArH), 5.99-5.96 (m, 1H, C17-H), 5.18 (d,  $J = 12.4$  Hz,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 5.14 (d,  $J = 12.4$  Hz,  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 4.50 (app-q,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 1H, C6-H), 3.71-3.64 (m, 1H, C2-H), 2.64-2.59 (m, 1H), 2.30 (dt,  $J = 13.8, 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.23-2.16 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.65 (m, 3H), 1.64-1.43 (m, 6H), 1.36-1.27 (m, 2H), 1.22 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H, C1-H), 1.18-1.04 (m, 4H), 1.04-0.96 (m, 1H), 0.96-0.86 (m, 2H), 0.74-0.65 (m, 1H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 199.0 (C16), 173.3 (C19), 156.6 ( $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 138.1 ( $\text{HC}=\text{CCH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 129.1 (Ar-C), 128.7 (Ar-C), 128.5 (Ar-C), 119.6 (C17), 82.0 (C20), 67.3 ( $\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}$ ), 54.4, 52.4, 49.1, 48.5, 47.4, 43.1, 39.3, 35.6, 31.8, 30.6, 29.9, 27.0, 26.5, 26.0, 21.1, 21.0.

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3423 (br-s, OH), 2929 (m), 2857 (w), 1687 (m), 1662 (s), 1300 (m), 1154 (w).

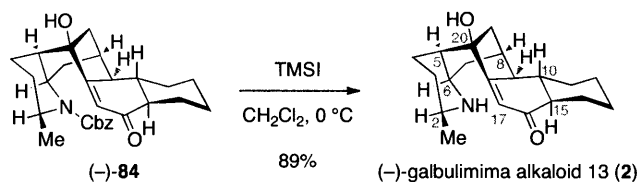
<sup>19</sup> Deuterated solvent was used to facilitate evaluation of reaction progress by direct  $^1\text{H}$  NMR monitoring.

HRMS (ESI):

calcd for  $C_{28}H_{37}N_1O_4$   $[M+H]^+$ : 450.2639,  
found: 450.2644.

TLC, *R<sub>f</sub>*:  
(50% acetone:hexanes)

*2-epi-83*, 0.31 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)  
*2-epi-84*, 0.57 (UV, CAM)



**(-)-Galbulimima alkaloid 13 (2):**<sup>20</sup>

*N*-Cbz enone (-)-**84** (2.7 mg, 6.0  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) was azeotropically dried from toluene (3  $\times$  1 mL), was dissolved in dichloromethane (1.0 mL), and was cooled to 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . Trimethylsilyliodide (TMSI, 1.2  $\mu\text{L}$ , 9.0  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1.5 equiv) was added to the cooled solution, and the resulting yellow solution was stirred at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . Additional portions of TMSI were added at 20 minute intervals until complete consumption of (-)-**84** was observed by TLC analysis (70 min). The reaction mixture on completion was a cloudy yellow solution, with a brown residue. Excess silylated products were quenched at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$  by the addition of aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 1.5 mL) and the mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature. The reaction mixture was diluted with hexanes (10 mL) and aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 2 mL) and the layers were separated. The organic layer was extracted with aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 4 mL). The combined acidic aqueous layers were washed sequentially with hexanes (2  $\times$  10 mL), dichloromethane (10 mL), and hexanes (10 mL). The aqueous layer was then basified to pH 13 with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution (1N, 10 mL). The resulting solution was stirred at ambient temperature for 1 h. The aqueous solution was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  20 mL) and the combined organic layers were washed sequentially with water (18 mL) and brine (20 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure to provide (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (**2**,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -34$  (*c* 0.045,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )<sup>21</sup>) as a white film (1.7 mg, 89%).

The corresponding enantiomer, (+)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (**2**, 1.4 mg, 58%,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +34$  (*c* 0.090,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )<sup>21</sup>), was obtained using the same procedure and starting with *N*-Cbz amine *ent*-**84**.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 6.07 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H, C17-H), 3.28 (dt, *J* = 11.4, 2.3 Hz, 1H, C9-H), 2.88 (app-t, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 1H, C6-H), 2.72-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.55 (m, 1H), 2.15 (app-qd, *J* = 6.1, 2.3 Hz, 1H, C2-H), 1.98 (m, 1H, OH), 1.91 (app-t, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H, C5-H), 1.84-1.81 (m, 1H, C8-H), 1.78 (dd, *J* = 11.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H, C15-H), 1.75-1.69 (m, 1H), 1.67-1.60 (m, 1H), 1.55

<sup>20</sup> a) For the prior synthesis of ( $\pm$ )-**2**, please see: Mander, L. N.; McLachlan, M. M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2003**, *125*, 2400. The Supporting Information of this same report contains copies of the NMR spectra of the natural (-)-**2** along with synthetic ( $\pm$ )-**2**. b) For isolation and optical rotation data, see: Ritchie, E.; Taylor, W. C. In *The Alkaloids*; Manske, R. H. F., Ed.; Academic Press: New York, 1967; Vol. 9, Chapter 14 and references therein.

<sup>21</sup> Literature value:  $[\alpha] = -84$  ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); see reference 22b. We have also measured the rotation of (-)-**2** in chloroform (2 sources): a) chloroform passed through basic alumina (Grade I) and dried over 4 $\text{\AA}$ -MS,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -51$  (*c* 0.06,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ), and b) chloroform passed through basic alumina (Grade I) and distilled from  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ ,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -64$  (*c* 0.06,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). Additionally, we have measured the rotation of (+)-**2** in chloroform: a) chloroform passed through basic alumina (Grade I) and dried over 4 $\text{\AA}$ -MS,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +51$  (*c* 0.07,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ), and b) chloroform passed through basic alumina (Grade I) and distilled from  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ ,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +66$  (*c* 0.07,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).

(app-dq,  $J = 13.9, 2.9$  Hz, 1H, C7-Ha), 1.53-1.47 (m, 1H), 1.40 (ddd,  $J = 10.8, 5.6, 2.1$  Hz, 1H, C21-Ha), 1.26 (dd,  $J = 5.6, 2.4$  Hz, 1H, C21-Hb), 1.23-0.90 (m, 8H, C10-H, C7-Hb), 0.77 (m, 1H), 0.75 (d,  $J = 6.1$  Hz, 3H, C1-H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ):

199.4 (C16), 178.9 (C19), 119.2 (C17), 79.7 (C20), 55.4 (C6), 53.3 (C15), 53.2 (C2), 51.2 (C9), 48.2 (C21), 47.6 (C10), 46.6 (C5), 41.0 (C7), 33.1 (C8), 31.9, 30.6, 27.3 (C3 or C4), 26.7, 26.1, 25.0 (C3 or C4), 23.6 (C1).

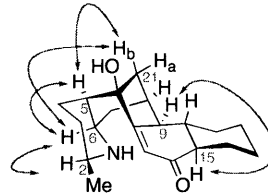
FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

3403 (br-s, OH), 2921 (s), 2851 (m), 1708 (w), 1646 (s), 1447 (m), 1261 (m). (Literature values: 3406, 2929, 2854, 1705, 1646, 1446).<sup>20</sup>

HRMS (ESI):

calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_1\text{O}_2$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 316.2271, found: 316.2280.

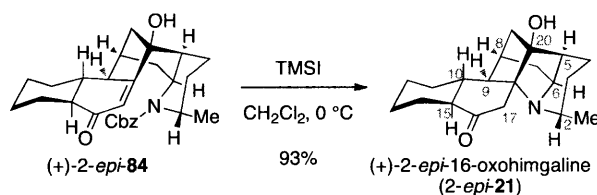
NOESY correlations (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ): Additional data: H1-H2, **H2-H6**, **H5-H6**, **H5-H21b**, H6-H7a, **H6-H21b**, H7a-H8, H7a-H6, H8-H21a, **H9-H15**. Key correlations are shown in bold.



(-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (2)

**Comparison of our assignments for (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (2) with prior assignments for (±)-2:**

Assignment	Mander's report <sup>20</sup> (±)-GB 13 (2) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 300 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-GB 13 (2) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-GB 13 (2) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> )	This report (-)-GB 13 (2) <sup>13</sup> C (125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> )
C1	0.89, (d, <i>J</i> = 6.2 Hz)	0.89, (d, <i>J</i> = 6.1 Hz)	0.75, (d, <i>J</i> = 6.1 Hz)	23.6
C2			2.15, (app-qd, <i>J</i> = 6.1, 2.3 Hz)	53.2
C3,C4			2.72-2.66 (m); 2.60-2.55 (m)	27.3, 25.0
C5			1.91 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 4.4 Hz)	46.6
C6	3.34, (t, <i>J</i> = 5.1 Hz)	3.34, (t, <i>J</i> = 5.1 Hz)	2.88, (app-t, <i>J</i> = 5.1 Hz)	55.4
C7			1.55 (app-dq, <i>J</i> = 13.9, 2.9); 1.02 (m)	41.0
C8			1.84-1.81 (m)	33.1
C9	3.47, (dt, <i>J</i> = 11.3, 2.2 Hz)	3.47, (dt, <i>J</i> = 11.2, 2.1 Hz)	3.28, (dt, <i>J</i> = 11.4, 2.3 Hz)	51.2
C10			~1.13, m	47.6
C11-C14				31.9, 30.6, 26.7, 26.1
C15			1.78, dd, <i>J</i> = 11.2, 3.6 Hz	53.3
C16	-	-	-	199.4
C17	5.92, (d, <i>J</i> = 2.0 Hz)	5.93 (d, <i>J</i> = 2.1 Hz)	6.07, (d, <i>J</i> = 2.2 Hz)	119.2
C19	-	-	-	178.9
C20	-	-	-	79.7
C21			1.40 (ddd, <i>J</i> = 10.8, 5.6, 2.1 Hz); 1.26 (dd, <i>J</i> = 5.6, 2.4 Hz)	48.2



**(+)-2-*epi*-16-Oxohimgaline (2-*epi*-21):**

*N*-Cbz enone (+)-2-*epi*-84 (2.1 mg, 4.7  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) was azeotropically dried from toluene (3  $\times$  1 mL), was dissolved in dichloromethane (800  $\mu\text{L}$ ), and was cooled to 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . Trimethylsilyliodide (TMSI, 1.5  $\mu\text{L}$ , 11  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 2.2 equiv) was added to the cooled solution, and the resulting yellow solution was stirred at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . Additional portions of TMSI were added at 20 minute intervals until complete consumption of (+)-2-*epi*-84 was observed by TLC analysis (50 min). The reaction mixture on completion was a cloudy yellow solution, with a brown residue. Excess silylated products were quenched at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$  by the addition of aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 1.5 mL) and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature. The reaction mixture was diluted with hexanes (10 mL) and aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 3 mL) and the layers were separated. The organic layer was extracted with aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1N, 4 mL). The combined acidic aqueous layers were washed sequentially with hexanes (2  $\times$  10 mL), dichloromethane (10 mL), and hexanes (10 mL). The aqueous layer was then basified to pH 13 with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution (1N, 11 mL). The resulting solution was stirred at ambient temperature for 1 h. The aqueous solution was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  20 mL) and the combined organic layers were washed sequentially with water (18 mL) and brine (10 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure to provide (+)-2-*epi*-oxohimgaline ((+)-2-*epi*-21,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = +24$  (*c* 0.07,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )) as a white film (1.4 mg, 93%).

The corresponding enantiomer, (–)-2-*epi*-oxohimgaline ((–)-2-*epi*-21, 2.8 mg, 82%,  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -24$  (*c* 0.085,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )), was obtained using the same procedure and starting with *N*-Cbz enone (–)-2-*epi*-84.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

3.08-3.02 (m, 2H, C2-H, C6-H), 3.02 (d,  $J = 13.5$  Hz, 1H, C17-Ha), 2.55 (br-d,  $J = 12.9$  Hz, 1H, C17-Hb), 1.99-1.91 (m, 2H, C9-H, OH), 1.91-1.88 (m, 1H, C8-H), 1.87-1.81 (m, 1H), 1.80-1.72 (m, 2H, C15-H, C21-Ha), 1.68-1.48 (m, 7H, C5-H, C21-Hb, C7-Ha), 1.43-1.30 (m, 3H), 1.26 (br-d,  $J = 12.7$  Hz, 1H, C7-Hb), 1.14 (qd,  $J = 11.4, 3.4$  Hz, 1H, C10-H), 1.06 (d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 3H, C1-H), 1.02-0.89 (m, 3H), 0.79 (dd,  $J = 13.6, 6.5$  Hz, 1H), 0.73-0.63 (m, 1H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20 $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

212.3 (C16), 87.4 (C20), 75.7 (C19), 60.5 (C9), 57.3 (C6), 55.0 (C5), 52.8 (C15), 50.6 (C2), 47.9 (C21), 44.4 (C10), 40.9 (C17), 37.1 (C7), 36.2 (C8), 32.5, 30.3, 26.4, 25.7, 24.1, 22.4, 20.7 (C1).

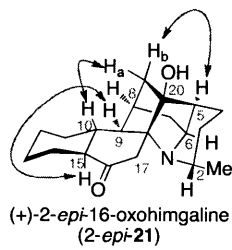
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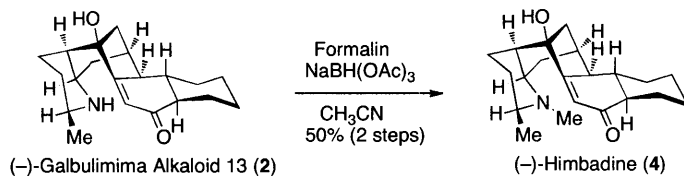
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NOESY correlations (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ): H6-H7b, H8-H7a, H8-H7b, **H9-H15**, **H5-H21b**, **H5-H7b**, **H10-H21a**. Key correlations are shown in bold.







### **(-)-Himbadine (4):**

A solution of crude (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (1.4 mg, 4.4  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in acetonitrile (0.75 mL) was treated sequentially with formaldehyde, 37 wt% in H<sub>2</sub>O (18 mL, 0.60 mmol, 50 equiv) and sodium triacetoxyborohydride (19 mg, 88  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 20 equiv) at 23 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 1 h, a mixture of saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution and saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution (1:1, 8 mL) was added, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate (2  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (5 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 0.5 cm, ht. 5.5 cm; eluent: 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [1% *i*-propanol in dichloromethane] to 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [1% methanol in dichloromethane] to 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [2% methanol in dichloromethane] to 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [4% methanol in dichloromethane]) afforded (-)-himbadine (**4**, 0.7 mg, 50%, two steps) ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -47$  (c 0.045, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)). Complete assignment was possible with the aid of additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and ROESY.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 6.06 (s, 1H, C<sub>17</sub>H), 3.18-3.15 (m, 1H, C<sub>9</sub>H), 2.70-2.67 (m, 1H, C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 2.49-2.46 (m, 1H, C<sub>4</sub>HH'), 2.21 (app-t,  $J = 9.3$  Hz, 4.7 Hz, 1H, C<sub>6</sub>H), 2.03-1.96 (br-s, 3H, C<sub>5</sub>H, N-CH<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 1.82-1.77 (m, 2H, C<sub>15</sub>H, C<sub>8</sub>H), 1.74-1.71 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.67-1.64 (m, 2H, C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>2</sub>H), 1.57-1.49 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.36-1.32 (m, 1H, C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.25-1.23 (m, 1H, C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.21-0.96 (m, 7H, C<sub>7</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>10</sub>H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 0.86 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H), 0.85-0.78 (m, 1H, C<sub>11</sub>HH').

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 199.7 (C<sub>16</sub>), 179.5 (C<sub>19</sub>), 119.2 (C<sub>17</sub>), 80.3 (C<sub>20</sub>), 63.3 (C<sub>6</sub>), 59.8 (C<sub>2</sub>), 53.1 (C<sub>15</sub>), 49.7 (C<sub>9</sub>), 48.7 (C<sub>21</sub>), 48.1 (C<sub>5</sub>), 47.5 (C<sub>10</sub>), 40.0 (N-CH<sub>3</sub>), 34.7 (C<sub>7</sub>), 33.2 (C<sub>8</sub>), 32.2 (C<sub>11</sub>), 30.9 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 27.2 (C<sub>3</sub>), 26.6 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 26.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 24.8 (C<sub>4</sub>), 22.9 (C<sub>1</sub>).

FTIR (neat) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3407 (br-s, OH), 2923 (s), 2853 (m), 2774 (w), 1737 (w), 1648 (s), 1447 (w).

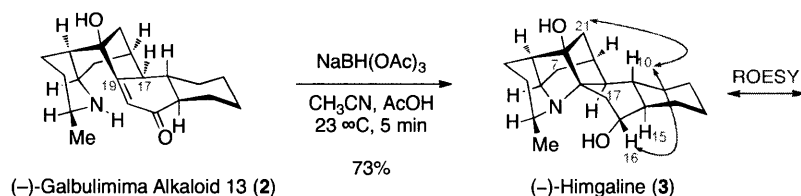
HRMS (ESI): calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>32</sub>NO<sub>2</sub> [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 330.2428, found: 330.2425.

TLC (1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [4% MeOH in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>]) *R*<sub>f</sub>0.25 (UV, CAM).

**Comparison of our assignments for (-)-himbaine (4) with literature:**

Assignment	Isolation paper <sup>22</sup> (-)-himbaine (4) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 300 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-himbaine (4) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-himbaine (4) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> )	This report (-)-himbaine (4) ( <sup>13</sup> C, 125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> )
C <sub>17</sub>	5.95 (d, 1H)	5.91 (d, 1H)	6.06 (s, 1H)	119.2
C <sub>9</sub>	–	–	3.18-3.15 (m, 1H)	49.7
C <sub>3</sub>	–	–	2.70-2.67 (m, 1H)	27.2
C <sub>4</sub>	–	–	2.49-2.46 (m, 1H)	24.8
C <sub>6</sub>	–	–	2.21 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 9.3 Hz, 4.7 Hz, 1H, C6-H)	63.3
C <sub>5</sub> , N-CH <sub>3</sub> , C <sub>7</sub>	2.2 (br-s, 3H, N-CH <sub>3</sub> )	2.17 (br-s, 3H, N-CH <sub>3</sub> )	2.03-1.96 (br-s, 3H)	48.1 (C5), 40.0 (N-CH <sub>3</sub> ), 34.7 (C7)
C <sub>15</sub> , C <sub>8</sub>	–	–	1.82-1.77 (m, 2H)	53.1 (C15), 33.2 (C8)
CH <sub>2</sub>	–	–	1.74-1.71 (m, 1H)	26.6 (CH <sub>2</sub> )
C <sub>11</sub> , C <sub>2</sub>	–	–	1.67-1.64 (m, 2H)	32.3 (C11), 59.8 (C2)
CH <sub>2</sub>	–	–	1.57-1.49 (m, 2H)	30.9 (CH <sub>2</sub> )
C <sub>21</sub>	–	–	1.36-1.32 (m, 1H)	48.7
C <sub>21</sub> '	–	–	1.25-1.23 (m, 1H)	48.7
C <sub>7</sub> , C <sub>3</sub> , C <sub>4</sub> , C <sub>10</sub> , CH <sub>2</sub>	–	–	1.21-0.96 (m, 7H)	34.7 (C7), 27.2 (C2), 23.8 (C4), 47.5 (C10), 26.1 (CH <sub>2</sub> )
C <sub>1</sub>	0.93 (d, 3H)	0.92 (d, 3H)	0.86 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.0 Hz, 1H)	22.9
C <sub>11</sub>	–	–	0.85-0.78 (m, 1H)	32.2

<sup>22</sup> Mander, L. N.; Prager, R. H.; Rasmussen, M.; Ritchie, E.; Taylor, W. C. *Aust. J. Chem.*, **1967**, *20*, 1473.



### **(-)-Himgaline (3):**

A solution of (-)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (1.4 mg, 4.4  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in acetonitrile (0.75 mL) was treated sequentially with acetic acid (14 mL, 0.24 mmol, 50 equiv) and sodium triacetoxyborohydride (19 mg, 88  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 20 equiv) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 30 min, aqueous potassium carbonate solution (1M, 2 mL) was added, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 0.5 cm, ht. 1 cm; eluent: 10% methanol in dichloromethane to 3%  $\text{NH}_3$  in [10% methanol in dichloromethane]) afforded (-)-himgaline (**3**, 1.1 mg, 73%) ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -82$  ( $c$  0.11,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )). Complete assignment was possible with the aid of additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and ROESY.

$^1\text{H NMR}$  (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 3.20-3.24 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}$ ), 3.07 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}$ ), 2.96 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}$ ), 2.40 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 2.9$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}$ ), 2.16 (br-d, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 2.12-2.08 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ), 2.03-1.99 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ), 1.95-1.85 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_7\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}$ ), 1.81 (br-d, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.77-1.68 (m, 4H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_9\text{H}$ ), 1.61-1.54 (m, 3H,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_7\text{H}$ ), 1.50-1.44 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ), 1.28 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H,  $\text{C}_1\text{H}$ ), 1.20-1.12 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.03-1.01 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ), 0.91-0.82 (m, 3H,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{HH}'$ ).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 86.8 ( $4^\circ$ ), 74.2 ( $4^\circ$ ), 72.4 ( $\text{C}_{16}$ ), 68.5 ( $\text{C}_6$ ), 61.5 ( $\text{C}_2$ ), 60.0, 55.0 ( $\text{C}_5$ ), 48.0 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 47.6 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 42.7 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 37.3 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 36.8 ( $\text{C}_7$ ), 35.9 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 32.3 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 29.9 ( $\text{C}_1$ ), 28.8 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 27.1 ( $\text{C}_3$ ), 26.5 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ), 25.9 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 25.4 ( $\text{C}_4$ ).

FTIR (neat)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3340 (br-s, OH), 2919 (s), 2850 (m), 1738 (w), 1448 (w), 1261 (w).

HRMS (ESI): calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_2$   $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 318.2428, found: 318.2438.

TLC (3%  $\text{NH}_3$  in [10% MeOH in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ])  $R_f$  0.1 (CAM).

Comparison of our assignments for (-)-himgaline (3) with literature:

Assignment	Chackalamannil's report <sup>23</sup> (-)-himgaline (3) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-himgaline (3) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (-)-himgaline (3) ( <sup>13</sup> C, 125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )
C16	3.34 (m, 1H)	3.23-3.27 (m, 1H)	-
C6	3.05 (t, <i>J</i> = 2.8 Hz, 1H)	3.10 (br-s, 1H)	68.5
C2	2.98-2.89 (m, 1H)	2.99 (br-s, 1H)	61.5
C17	2.46 (dd, <i>J</i> = 12.3, 3.5 Hz, 1H)	2.43 (dd, <i>J</i> = 12.2, 2.9 Hz, 1H)	37.3
C21, C14, C8	2.25-2.12 (m, 3H)	2.19 (br-d, 1H, C21-H') 2.15-2.11 (m, 2H, C14-H, C8-H)	48.0 (C21), 28.8 (C14), 35.9 (C8)
C5, C4	2.09-2.03 (m, 2H)	2.06-2.02 (m, 2H)	55.0 (C5), 25.4 (C4)
C7, C17ax, C21', C11, C12, C13, C9, C3'	1.96-1.48 (m, 11H)	1.98-1.88 (m, 2H) 1.84 (br-d, 1H) 1.80-1.71 (m, 4H) 1.53-1.47 (m, 3H)	36.8 (C7), 37.3 (C17) 48.0 32.3 (C11), 26.5 (C12), 25.9 (C13) 27.1 (C3), 25.4 (C4), 36.8 (C7)
C1	1.34 (d, <i>J</i> = 7.3 Hz, 3H)	1.31 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.5 Hz, 3H)	29.9
C13', C12'	1.32-1.15 (m, 2H)	1.23-1.15 (m, 2H)	25.9 (C13), 26.5 (C12)
C15	1.11-1.03 (m, 1H)	1.06-1.04 (m, 1H)	47.6 (C15)
C10, C11', C14ax	0.99-0.88 (m, 3H)	0.94-0.85 (m, 3H)	42.7 (C10), 32.3 (C11), 28.8 (C14)

<sup>23</sup> Chackalamannil, S. et. Al. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, **2006**, 128, 12654-12655.

## **Chapter II.**

### **Total Synthesis of (-)-Himandrine**

## Introduction and Background

The galbulimima alkaloid (–)-himandrine (**3**) is a topologically fascinating compound isolated from the bark of *Galbulimima belgraveana*, a tree indigenous to Papua New Guinea and northern Australia.<sup>1</sup> The promise that natural and synthetic derivatives of galbulimima alkaloids have shown for treatment of human ailments<sup>2</sup> has resulted in substantial attention in both academia and industry. In chapter 1, we reported the first enantioselective total synthesis of (–)-galbulimima alkaloid 13 (**2**, class III)<sup>3</sup> and revised the absolute stereochemical assignment of the class II and III derivatives.<sup>4</sup> As continuation of this program, we describe the total synthesis of class II alkaloid **3** guided by our previously disclosed hypothesis for its biogenesis,<sup>3</sup> featuring a final stage oxidative spirocyclization to secure the BCF ring juncture.<sup>5</sup>

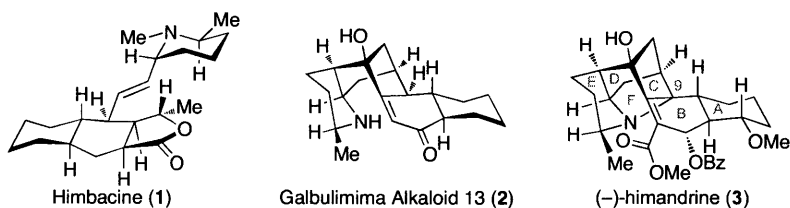
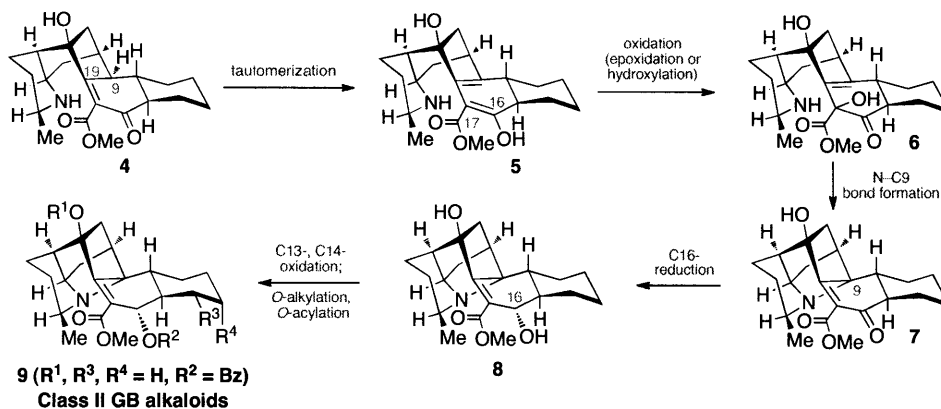


Figure 1. Representative galbulimima alkaloids.

### Hypothesis for the Biosynthesis of (–)-Himandrine:

Based on our biomimetic hypothesis for the biogenesis of class II and III galbulimima alkaloids,<sup>3</sup> we identified aminoketoester **4** (Scheme 1) as a plausible point of divergence en route to more complex alkaloids. We envisioned that aminoketoester **4** would tautomerize to form the conjugated enol **5**. At this point, enol **5** could undergo a C17-oxidation (or a synthetic

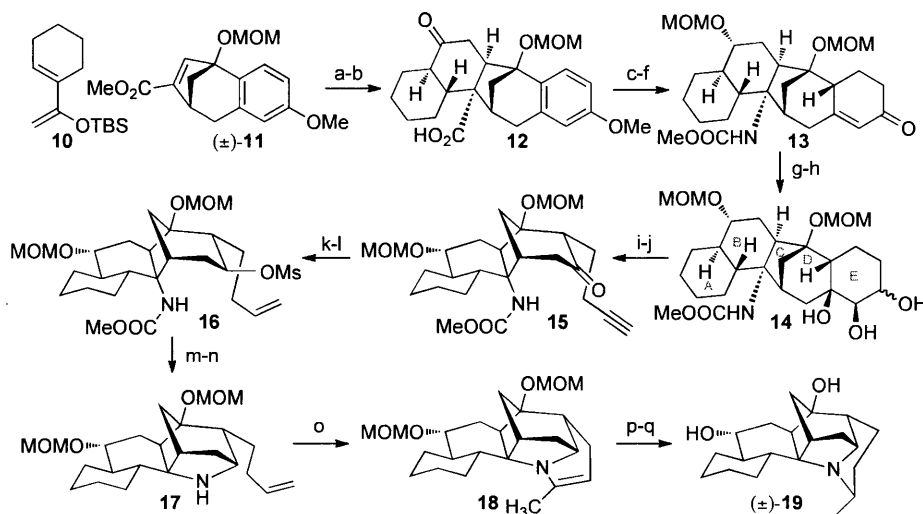


Scheme 1. Our biosynthetic hypothesis of (–)-himandrine.

equivalent) to give the hydroxy ketoester **6**, followed by an intramolecular allylic displacement by the amine to give the N-C9 bond present in the Class II galbulimima alkaloids (himandrine and himandridine).

### Previous Synthetic Study of class II Galbulimima alkaloids:

While there have been several outstanding syntheses of himbacine **1**, class I (Figure 1)<sup>6</sup> and class III<sup>7</sup> galbulimima alkaloids, no total synthesis of the class II galbulimima alkaloids possessing the unique N-C9 spirofused polycyclic framework has been reported. In 2004, Mander and co-workers disclosed an intriguing synthesis of the himandrine skeleton (Scheme 2).<sup>8</sup> The key steps in the synthesis included a Diels Alder reaction, Curtius rearrangement, Birch reduction, an intramolecular nucleophilic amination, and a palladium mediated alkene amination. The synthesis began with cycloaddition between dienophile **10** and diene **11** to give the corresponding *endo* product, which was subjected to hydrolysis of the resulting enol ether followed by thiolate-mediated cleavage of the corresponding ester to afford carboxylic acid **12**. Generation of methyl carbamate moiety of **13** was achieved by refluxing the corresponding acyl

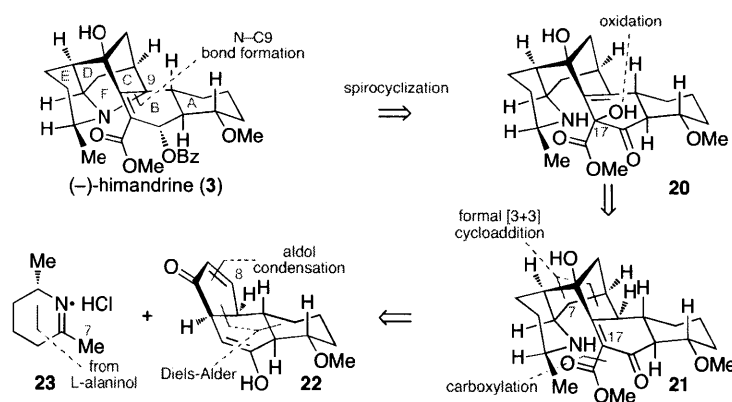


**Scheme 2.** Mander's synthesis of himandrine skeleton. Conditions: (a) **10**, 48 h, 100 °C; AcOH, THF, H<sub>2</sub>O, 87% (2 steps). (b) HMPA, NaH, EtSH, 97%. (c) (COCl)<sub>2</sub>, DMF, py, D; NaN<sub>3</sub>, RT, THF, 5h, 77%. (d) Δ, toluene, 20 min, ~100%. (e) MeOH, NaOMe, ~100%. (f) Li, NH<sub>3</sub>, MeOH; AcOH, THF, H<sub>2</sub>O; MOM-Cl, <sup>i</sup>Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt, DMAP; HCl, CHCl<sub>3</sub>, 32% (4 steps). (g) 9-BBN, THF, MeOH, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, 87%. (h) OsO<sub>4</sub>, py, THF, ~75%. (i) Pb(OAc)<sub>4</sub>, MeOH, 2h, 0 °C, ~70%. (j) (MeO)<sub>2</sub>POC(N<sub>2</sub>)COMe, K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, MeOH, 4h, 0 °C, 91%. (k) Li/NH<sub>3</sub>, MeOH, 20 s, ~95%. (l) CH<sub>3</sub>SO<sub>2</sub>Cl, Et<sub>3</sub>N, DCM, 0 °C, 2h, 93%. (m) NaH, DMF, 97%. (n) NaH, HMPA, EtSH, 90%. (o) PdCl<sub>2</sub>, CuCl, O<sub>2</sub>, <sup>n</sup>Bu<sub>4</sub>NCl, K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>CN, Δ, 16h, 85%. (p) Rh/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>, (CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CHOH, 95%. (r) Dowex® 50W, MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O, 5:1, Δ, 8h, ~60%.

azide in toluene followed by methanolysis. At this point, Birch reduction<sup>9</sup> reduced the aromatic ring and the decalone functionality, followed by hydrolysis of the methyl enol ether and isomerization to provide unsaturated ketone **13** in moderate yield. Oxidative cleavage of the E ring was accomplished in a 3-step sequence. First, selective 1,2-reduction of enone **13** followed by OsO<sub>4</sub> oxidation of the resulting allylic alcohol gave triol **14**. Ring cleavage of triol **14** afforded the corresponding ketoaldehyde, that was converted to alkyne **15**, which contained all the requisite carbon atoms to construct the remaining pyrrolidine and piperidine rings. Ring closure to form the pyrrolidine **17** was accomplished in excellent yield by treatment of mesylate **16** with NaH in DMF followed by thiolate-mediated carbamate cleavage. Final ring closure was achieved via oxidative amination to afford hexacycle **18**, followed by hydrogenation and deprotection to provide the himandrine skeleton **19** in racemic form.

## Results and Discussion

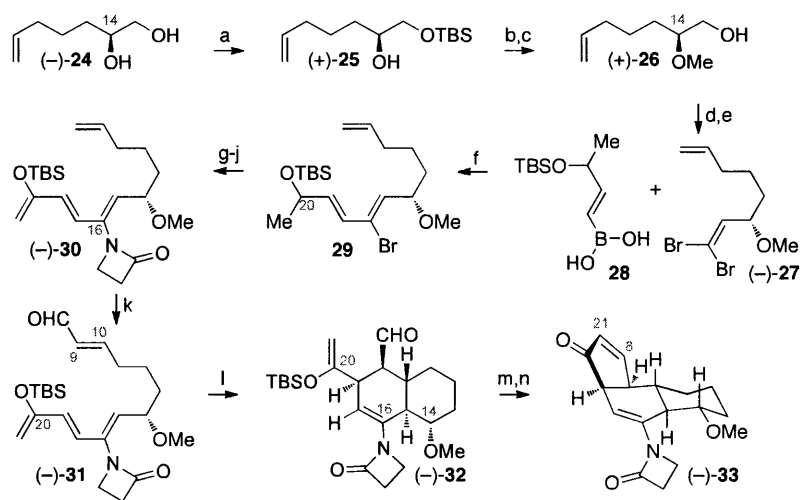
Guided by our biosynthetic hypothesis,<sup>3</sup> we envisioned formation of the N-C9 bond by a late stage oxidative spirocyclization of the pentacyclic aminoketoester **21** (Scheme 3). We envisioned that oxidation of **21**, potentially facilitated by dienol formation, would afford allylic alcohol **20**, which is poised for the critical condensative spirocyclization. We expected that application of our annulation methodology<sup>10</sup> to enone **22** and iminium chloride **23** would convergently assemble a pentacycle primed for our proposed biomimetic oxidative spirocyclization.



**Scheme 3.** Retrosynthetic analysis of (-)-himandrine (**3**).

Our enantioselective synthesis of a tricyclic enone **22** mimic is illustrated in Scheme 4.



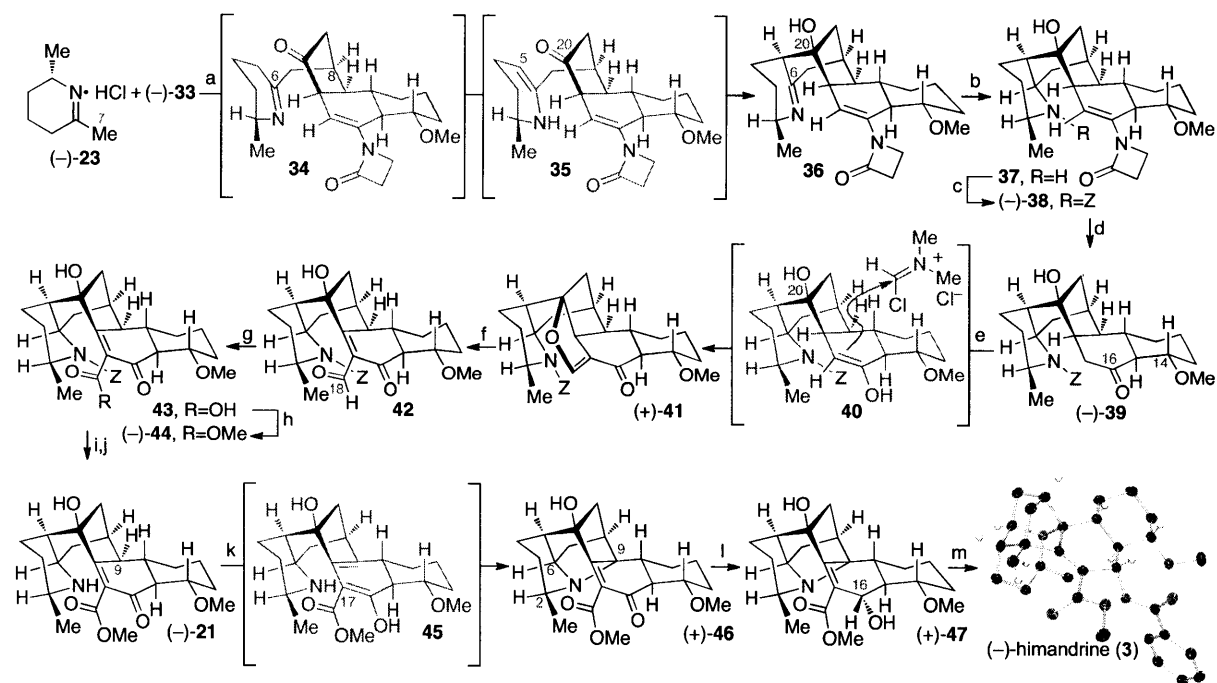


**Scheme 4.** Enantioselective synthesis of tricyclic enone (–)-31. Conditions: (a) TBSCl, imidazole, DMAP, DMF, 0 °C, 94%. (b) 4Å-MS, Proton Sponge<sup>®</sup>, Me<sub>3</sub>O•BF<sub>4</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C, 93%. (c) HCl, MeOH, 23 °C, 98%. (d) DMSO, <sup>i</sup>Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt, SO<sub>3</sub>•pyr, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C. (e) CBr<sub>4</sub>, PPh<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C, 65% (2-steps). (f) Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>, Ti<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, THF, H<sub>2</sub>O, 23 °C, 97%. (g) 2-azetidinone, CuI, K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, (MeNHCH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, PhMe, 120 °C, 85%. (h) TBAF, THF, 0→23 °C. (i) DMSO, <sup>i</sup>Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt, SO<sub>3</sub>•pyr, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C, 80% (2-steps). (j) TBSOTf, Et<sub>3</sub>N, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, –78 °C, 82%. (k) acrolein, 4,5-dihydroIMesCl<sub>2</sub>Ru=CH(2-<sup>i</sup>PrO)Ph (10 mol%), CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 23 °C, 85%. (l) BHT, *N,N*-diethylaniline, MeCN, 95 °C, 75%, 5:1 dr. (m) TiCl<sub>4</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, –78 °C. (n) Martin sulfurane, PhH, 23 °C, 57% (2-steps).

The C14-stereochemistry, introduced through the use of MacMillan's D-proline-catalyzed  $\alpha$ -oxidation<sup>11</sup> of hept-6-enal, afforded the enantiomerically enriched diol (–)-24 (>98.5% ee).<sup>12</sup> The C14-methyl ether was then secured by etherification<sup>13</sup> of alcohol (+)-25 to provide the methoxyalcohol (+)-26, setting the stage for the substrate-directed synthesis of the *trans*-decalin AB-ring system. Oxidation<sup>14</sup> of alcohol (+)-26 followed by conversion of the corresponding aldehyde to dibromoolefin provided (–)-27. A highly efficient Suzuki cross-coupling reaction<sup>3,15</sup> involving boronic acid **28** and dibromide (–)-27 afforded the *cis*-vinyl bromide **29** in 97% yield. A copper-promoted coupling<sup>16</sup> of vinyl bromide **29** with 2-azetidinone followed by conversion of the C20-silyl ether to the corresponding C20-silyl enol ether gave the desired tetraene (–)-30. The 2-azetidinone group at C16 was strategically introduced to serve a dual role in facilitating the planned Diels–Alder reaction by providing a 2-*N*-acylaminodiene with greater preference for *s-cis* C16–C17 conformation, and masking the C16-carbonyl for subsequent transformations. A Ru-catalyzed olefin cross-metathesis reaction<sup>17</sup> with acrolein enabled selective functionalization of the acid sensitive tetraene (–)-30 to the corresponding unsaturated aldehyde (–)-31 in 85% yield. Heating a solution of tetraenal (–)-31 in acetonitrile at 95 °C afforded the desired *trans*-

decalin aldehyde (–)-**32** as the major endo Diels-Alder product (75%, dr = 5:1) as supported by nOe studies. Treatment of aldehyde (–)-**32** with titanium tetrachloride provided the corresponding Mukaiyama aldol<sup>18</sup> product, which upon exposure to Martin sulfurane<sup>19</sup> afforded the oxygen and acid sensitive enone (–)-**33** in 57% yield over two steps (Scheme 4).

Lithiation of the readily available iminium chloride (–)-**23**<sup>3</sup> followed by copper-promoted conjugate addition<sup>10</sup> to the enantiomerically enriched enone (–)-**33** afforded the highly air sensitive pentacyclic iminoalcohol **34** (Scheme 5). Importantly, blocking of the *si*-face of the enone by the *trans*-decalin AB-ring system imposed exquisite stereochemical control during the C7-C8 bond formation. Rapid tautomerization of the transiently formed iminoketone **34** enabled nucleophilic addition of C5 to the C20-ketone of **35**, consistent with our biosynthetic hypothesis for the D-ring formation.<sup>3</sup> Addition of sodium borohydride to crude imino alcohol **36** resulted in completely diastereoselective C6-imine reduction, at which point benzyloxycarbonylation of the resulting aminoalcohol **37** provided the desired product (–)-**38** (Scheme 5, Z =



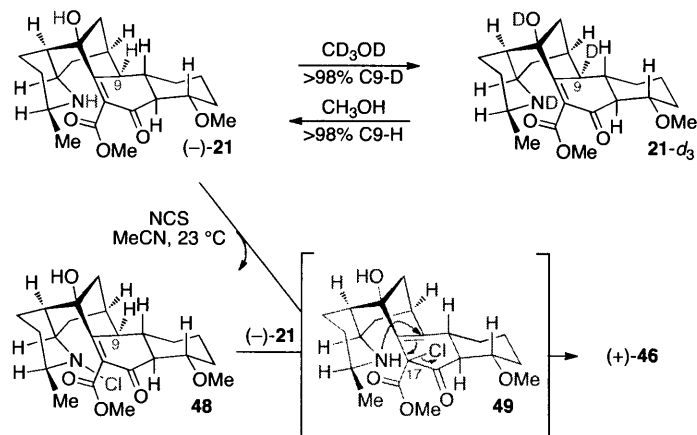
**Scheme 5.** Enantioselective total synthesis of (–)-himandrine (**3**). Conditions: (a) <sup>n</sup>BuLi, THF, (–)-**23**, –78 → 0 °C; CuBr•SMe<sub>2</sub>; (–)-**33**, –78 → –10 °C. (b) NaBH<sub>4</sub>, EtOH, 0 °C. (c) ClCO<sub>2</sub>Bn, <sup>i</sup>Pr<sub>2</sub>NEt, K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, THF, H<sub>2</sub>O, 50% (3-steps). (d) TsOH•H<sub>2</sub>O, PhH, 23 °C, 81%. (e) POCl<sub>3</sub>, DMF, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 → 23 °C, 71%. (f) DDQ, SiO<sub>2</sub>, MeCN, H<sub>2</sub>O, 23 °C. (g) NaClO<sub>2</sub>, NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>•H<sub>2</sub>O, 2-methyl-2-butene, <sup>t</sup>BuOH, H<sub>2</sub>O, 23 °C. (h) CH<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>, THF, 0 °C, 61% (3-steps). (i) TMS-I, 2,6-di-<sup>t</sup>Bu-4-Me-Pyr, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C, 66%. (j) Et<sub>3</sub>N•(HF)<sub>3</sub>, THF, 23 °C, 90%. (k) NCS, MeCN, 23 °C, 45 min, 89%. (l) NaBH<sub>4</sub>, EtOH, 0 °C, 90%. (m) BzCl, pyridine, 23 °C, 7 d, 87%.

benzyloxycarbonyl) in 50% yield over three steps. Importantly, the formal cycloaddition between iminium chloride (–)-**23** and enone (–)-**33** and subsequent C6-reduction of imine **36** secured four stereogenic centers and expediently assembled the pentacyclic substructure of (–)-himandrine (**3**) as a single diastereomer.

Mild hydrolysis of *N*-vinyl-carbamate (–)-**38** with *p*-toluene sulfonic acid monohydrate in benzene afforded the key intermediate ketone (–)-**39** in 75% yield. The mild reaction conditions used in hydrolysis of the C16 *N*-vinyl lactam circumvent the competing acid catalyzed  $\beta$ -elimination of the C14-methyl ether in ketone (–)-**39**.<sup>20</sup> At this juncture, we required a mild method for introduction of the C17-methoxycarbonyl group in order to access the aminoketoester **21**. After exploring a variety of strategies, we found that treatment of ketone (–)-**39** with Vilsmeier's reagent<sup>21</sup> provided the vinyl ether (+)-**41** in 71% yield, likely occurring through nucleophilic addition of enol **40** (Scheme 5) followed by trapping with the C20-alcohol. Exposure of vinyl ether (+)-**41** to 2,3-dichloro-5,6-dicyano-1,4-benzoquinone (DDQ)<sup>22</sup> furnished the corresponding unsaturated  $\beta$ -ketoaldehyde **42**. Immediate oxidation of the acid sensitive C18-aldehyde **42** to the corresponding carboxylic acid **43** followed by treatment with diazomethane provided the desired  $\beta$ -ketoester (–)-**44** in 61% yield over three steps (Scheme 5). Sequential treatment of carbamate (–)-**44** with trimethylsilyliodide (TMS-I)<sup>3,23</sup> and triethylamine trihydrofluoride provided pentacyclic aminoketoester (–)-**21**, our proposed common biosynthetic intermediate to the class II and class III galbulimima alkaloids.

With the key intermediate in hand, we were able to evaluate the feasibility of our postulated biomimetic late stage N-C9 bond formation. We expected that  $\beta$ -ketoester **21** might undergo rapid tautomerization to the electron rich dienol **45**, enabling facile C17 oxidation as a prelude to intramolecular allylic displacement by the amine to give the N-C9 spirocycle. Deuterium labeling studies were employed in monitoring H/D exchange at C9 (Scheme 6). Compellingly, simple dilution of aminoketoester (–)-**21** in methanol-*d*<sub>4</sub> resulted in immediate and quantitative deuterium incorporation at C9 in the form of aminoketoester **21-d**<sub>3</sub> (Scheme 6).<sup>24</sup> Dissolution of aminoketoester **21-d**<sub>3</sub> in methanol returned aminoketoester (–)-**21**, indicating the exchange of C9-methine occurs with retention of C9-stereochemistry.<sup>25</sup> Cumulatively, our results are consistent with the amino group being intimately involved in facilitating C9-deprotonation.<sup>26,27</sup> The preservation of the C9-stereochemistry is consistent with intramolecular

protium/deuterium delivery by the corresponding ammonium ion from the more sterically hindered face of the C19-C9 tetrasubstituted alkene of **45**.



**Scheme 6.** Key observations relevant to N-C9 bond formation.

Guided by our biosynthetic hypothesis and with evidence for rapid dienol formation from aminoketoester (-)-**21**, we wished to capitalize on the inherent chemistry of this plausible biosynthetic intermediate. In the event, treatment of aminoketoester (-)-**21** with *N*-chlorosuccinimide (NCS) in acetonitrile at 23 °C over 45 min afforded the desired spirofused hexacyclic enone (+)-**46** in 89% yield. The structure of (+)-**46** was supported through detailed 2D NMR analysis.<sup>28</sup> Treatment of ketone (+)-**46** with sodium borohydride in ethanol effected completely diastereoselective C16-reduction to the desired diol (+)-**47** in 90% yield. Benzoylation of the C16-hydroxyl group of diol (+)-**47** proceeded to give the first synthetic sample of (-)-himandrine (**3**) in 87% yield ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -21$  (*c*, 0.12 CHCl<sub>3</sub>); Lit.<sup>1a</sup> ( $[\alpha] = -38$  (*c* 1.22, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)).<sup>29</sup> All spectroscopic data for synthetic (-)-**3** matched those reported for the natural compound.<sup>1</sup> The structure of our synthetic (-)-**3** was unequivocally confirmed by X-ray crystallographic analysis.

Intrigued by the high efficiency in the conversion of aminoketoester (-)-**21** to hexacyclic enone (+)-**46**, we sought to gain further mechanistic insight into this transformation. Close monitoring of the reaction mixture indicated that exposure of aminoketoester (-)-**21** to NCS in acetonitrile resulted in concomitant formation of hexacycle (+)-**46** and the light-sensitive *N*-chloro pentacycle **48** (Scheme 6) that would disappear by the end of the reaction. Use of benzene as solvent for this transformation reduced the overall rate of hexacycle (+)-**46** formation

and allowed for the isolation of *N*-chloro pentacycle **48**.<sup>30</sup> Importantly, dissolution of *N*-chloro pentacycle **48** in acetonitrile for 12 h did not result in formation of any hexacycle (+)-**46** and completely returned **48**.<sup>31,32</sup> Additionally, when the deuterium incorporation studies described above were conducted with **48**, there was no evidence for formation of the corresponding dienol, suggesting the nitrogen of **48** is not basic enough to enable deprotonation at C9. Interestingly, exposure of aminoketoester (-)-**21** to samples of *N*-chloro pentacycle **48** in acetonitrile resulted in formation of hexacycle (+)-**46** and (-)-**21**.<sup>33</sup> This result is consistent with an intermolecular N to C halogen transfer from *N*-chloro pentacycle **48** to aminoketoester (-)-**21** (likely via **45**). A plausible mechanism for conversion of aminoketoester (-)-**21** to spirofused hexacycle (+)-**46** is halogenation of the dienol **45** to give  $\alpha$ -chloroester **49**,<sup>34</sup> followed by intramolecular allylic displacement by the amine. Significantly, this mechanism is consistent with our proposed biomimetic hypothesis for the advanced stage oxidative spirocyclization of aminoketoester (-)-**21**.<sup>3b</sup>

## Conclusion

We have described the first total synthesis of all class II galbulimima alkaloid (-)-himandrine (**3**), a member of the class II galbulimima alkaloids. Noteworthy features of this chemistry include the diastereoselective Diels-Alder reaction for rapid synthesis of the *trans*-decalin containing tricycle (-)-**33** in enantiomerically enriched form, the formal [3+3] annulation strategy to secure the CDE-ring system with complete diastereoselection, and successful implementation of our biogenetically inspired oxidative spirocyclization in converting **48** to (+)-**46**. The successful and direct conversion of (-)-**21** to (+)-**46** drew on the power of biogenetic considerations and fully utilized the inherent chemistry of this plausible biosynthetic intermediate.

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- <sup>26</sup> Attempts at intermolecular C9 deprotonation were unsuccessful; the proximity of the amine to C9-methine seems to facilitate tautomerization.
- <sup>27</sup> Use of derivatives of aminoketoester **21** not possessing a basic amine (i.e., *N*-Cbz, *N*-Cl) resulted in no C9-deuterium incorporation over 24 h.
- <sup>28</sup> Key HMBC correlations between C9/C2-H and C9/C6-H confirmed the N-C9 bond connectivity.
- <sup>29</sup> The C14-methyl ether and the C17-methoxycarbonyl substituents greatly shield the C16 alcohol leading to slow benzoylation.
- <sup>30</sup> The reaction had to be stopped within 10 min otherwise significantly more hexacycle (+)-**46** would be generated.

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<sup>31</sup> Addition of succinimide does not lead to conversion of **48** to (+)-**46**.

<sup>32</sup> While the sensitivity of **48** precluded its derivatization, use of its more stable C20-*O*-trimethylsilyl derivative under basic, acidic, or photo-chemical conditions predominantly led to elimination and decomposition.

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<sup>34</sup> While C9 halogenation cannot be ruled out, C17 halogenation is consistent with the lack of product formation using the C20-*O*-trimethylsilyl derivative of **48** with significantly blocked access to C17.



## Experimental Section

**General procedure.** All reactions were performed in oven-dried or flame-dried round-bottomed flasks, modified Schlenk (Kjeldahl shape) flasks, or glass pressure vessels. The flasks were fitted with rubber septa and reactions were conducted under a positive pressure of argon. Stainless steel syringes or cannulae were used to transfer air- and moisture-sensitive liquids. Flash column chromatography was performed as described by Still et al. using silica gel (60 Å pore size, 40–63 μm, 4–6% H<sub>2</sub>O content, Zeochem).<sup>1</sup> Where necessary (so noted), silica gel was neutralized by treatment of the silica gel prior to chromatography with the eluent containing 1% triethylamine or 1% ammonium hydroxide. Analytical thin-layer chromatography was performed using glass plates pre-coated with 0.25 mm 230–400 mesh silica gel impregnated with a fluorescent indicator (254 nm). Where necessary (so noted), silica gel plates were neutralized by treatment with a solution of 1% triethylamine or 1% ammonium hydroxide in dichloromethane followed by heating on a hot plate (~250 °C). Thin layer chromatography plates were visualized by exposure to ultraviolet light and/or by exposure to an ethanolic phosphomolybdic acid (PMA), an acidic solution of *p*-anisaldehyde (anis), an aqueous solution of ceric ammonium molybdate (CAM), an aqueous solution of potassium permanganate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>) or an ethanolic solution of ninhydrin followed by heating (<1 min) on a hot plate (~250 °C). Organic solutions were concentrated on Büchi R-200 rotary evaporators at ~20 Torr at 25–35 °C unless otherwise indicated.

**Materials.** Commercial reagents and solvents were used as received with the following exceptions: dichloromethane, diethyl ether, tetrahydrofuran, acetonitrile, and toluene were purchased from J.T. Baker (Cycletainer<sup>TM</sup>) and were purified by the method of Grubbs et al. under positive argon pressure.<sup>2</sup> Triethylamine, diisopropylethylamine, and benzene were distilled over calcium hydride immediately before use. Acrolein was distilled over calcium sulfate immediately before use. Methyl vinyl ketone was distilled over potassium carbonate and calcium chloride immediately prior to use. Martin sulfurane was purchased from Aldrich and stored in a glove box under nitrogen atmosphere. *N*-Chlorosuccinimide (NCS) was recrystallized from benzene prior to use. Phosphorus oxychloride was distilled under reduced pressure before use. The molarity of *n*-butyllithium solutions was determined by titration using diphenylacetic acid as an indicator (average of three determinations).<sup>3</sup> Ammonia saturated dichloromethane was obtained by agitation of dichloromethane in the presence of ammonium hydroxide followed by drying over anhydrous sodium sulfate. Where necessary (so noted) solutions were deoxygenated by alternate freeze (liquid nitrogen)/evacuation/argon-flush/thaw cycles (FPT, three iterations) or degassed by purging with argon for several minutes.

**Instrumentation.** Proton nuclear magnetic resonance (<sup>1</sup>H NMR) spectra were recorded with a Varian 300 Mercury or a Varian inverse probe 500 INOVA spectrometer or a Bruker 400 spectrometer or a Bruker inverse probe 600 Avance spectrometer. Chemical shifts are recorded in parts per million on the δ scale and are referenced from the residual protium in the NMR solvent (CHCl<sub>3</sub>: δ 7.27, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>5</sub>H: δ 7.16). Data is reported as follows: chemical shift [multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, app = apparent, br = broad),

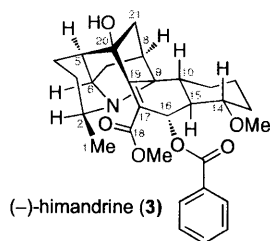
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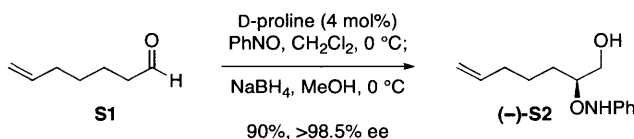
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coupling constant(s) in Hertz, integration, assignment]. Carbon-13 nuclear magnetic resonance ( $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR) spectra were recorded with a Bruker 600 Avance spectrometer, a Varian 500 INOVA spectrometer or a Bruker 400 spectrometer with a Magnex Scientific superconducting magnet and are recorded in parts per million on the  $\delta$  scale and are referenced from the carbon resonances of the solvent ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ :  $\delta$  77.2, benzene- $d_6$ :  $\delta$  128.4). Infrared data were obtained with a Perkin-Elmer 2000 FT-IR and are reported as follows: [frequency of absorption ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ), intensity of absorption (s = strong, m = medium, w = weak, br = broad), assignment]. Optical rotations were measured on a Jasco-1010 polarimeter. We are grateful to Dr. Li Li for obtaining the mass spectroscopic data at the Department of Chemistry's Instrumentation Facility, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Bruker APEX 4.7 Tesler FTMS spectrometer using electrospray ion source (ESI) or electrospray (ES). The structure of (-)-himandrine was obtained with the assistance of Dr. Peter Muller at the X-ray diffraction facility of Department of Chemistry, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Justin Kim of the Movassaghi group.

**Additional Notes.** Positional numbering system: For ease of direct comparison, particularly from *trans*-decalin (-)-**32** to himandrine (-)-**3**, the numbering scheme used by Taylor and coworkers in the isolation paper<sup>4</sup> is used in this supporting document. In key instances the products are accompanied by the numbering system as shown below for this document.



<sup>4</sup> Ritchie, E.; Taylor, W. C. *In the Alkaloids*; Manske, R. H. F., Ed.; Academic Press; New York, 1967; Vol. 9, Chapter 14.



**(-)-(S)-2-(N-Phenyl-aminooxy)-hept-6-en-1-ol (S2):**

Nitrosobenzene (9.7 g, 0.090 mmol, 1 equiv) was added as a solid to a suspension of D-proline (0.46 g, 4.0 mmol, 4.0 mol%) in chloroform (50 mL) at 0 °C, and the resulting mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 15 min, hept-6-enal<sup>5</sup> (11.2 g, 10.0 mmol, 1.10 equiv) was added drop-wise via additional funnel to the bright green solution. After 3 h, the resulting brown reaction mixture was added dropwise via additional funnel to a suspension of sodium borohydride (14.2 g, 0.375 mol, 4.17 equiv) in methanol (50 mL) at 0 °C. After 30 min, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (100 mL) was added, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3 × 150 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (200 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 7 cm, ht. 7 cm; eluent: 33% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford alcohol (-)-S2 (18.1 g, 91%) as a yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -26.4$  (c 1.0, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). This compound was determined to be of >98.5% ee by chiral HPLC analysis (Chirapak AD-H, 95% hexanes / 5% *iso*-propanol, 3 mL/min, 215 nm  $t_R$  (major) = 18.03 min;  $t_R$  (minor) = 22.15 min).

The corresponding enantiomer, (+)-(R)-2-(N-Phenyl-aminooxy)-hept-6-en-1-ol (3.22 g, 80%,  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +26$  (c 0.90, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)), was prepared according to the same procedure using L-proline as the catalyst. This compound was determined to be of >98.5% ee by chiral HPLC analysis (Chirapak AD-H, 95% hexanes / 5% *iso*-propanol, 3 mL/min, 215 nm  $t_R$  (minor) = 18.12 min;  $t_R$  (major) = 22.02 min). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY and HSQC.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 7.29-7.23 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.03 (br-s, 1H, NHPh), 7.00-6.94 (m, 3H, ArH), 5.90-5.72 (m, 1H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.07-4.90 (m, 2H, CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.00-3.91 (m, 1H, CHONHPh), 3.88-3.71 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 2.60 (br-s, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 2.13-2.02 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.72-1.43 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 148.5 (ArC), 138.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 129.3 (ArCH), 122.8 (ArCH), 115.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 115.0 (ArCH), 84.0 (CHNHPh), 65.7 (CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 34.0 (CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 29.6 (CH<sub>2</sub>CHNHPh), 25.2 (CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>).

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3385 (br, s), 3273 (s), 3076 (w), 2939 (s), 1641 (m), 1602 (s), 1494 (s), 1460 (w), 1241 (m), 1028 (s), 997 (m), 911 (s), 767 (m), 693 (m).

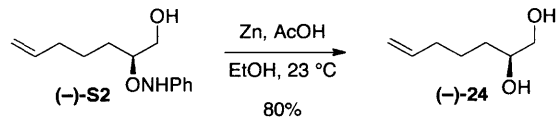
<sup>5</sup> 6-Heptenal was prepared from 7-octene-1,2-diol (commercially available), sodium metaperiodate, diethyl ether, water, 1h, 93%. Spectroscopic data matched those in the literature; see: Taylor, R. E.; Galvin, G. M.; Hilfiker, K. A.; Chen, Y. *J. Org. Chem.* **1998**, *63*, 9580.

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $C_{13}H_{19}NNaO_2$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 244.1308,  
found: 244.1308.

TLC (17% EtOAc in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.20 (UV, CAM).

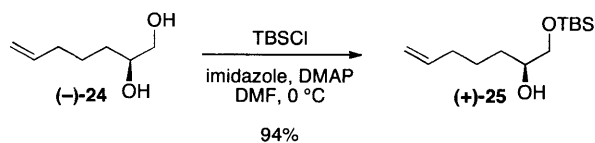


**(-)-(S)-Hept-6-ene-1,2-diol (24):**

Zinc powder (8.89 g, 136 mmol, 2.00 equiv) was added as a solid to a solution of alcohol (-)-S2 (15.1 g, 68.0 mmol, 1 equiv) in a mixture of ethanol and acetic acid (3:1, 340 mL) at 23 °C. After 2 h, the resulting mixture was filtered through a plug of celite (diam. 8.5 cm, ht. 2 cm), and the residue was washed with ethanol (3 × 150 mL). The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure at 30 °C. The residue was dissolved in ethyl acetate (400 mL), was washed with saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (100 mL), was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, was filtered, and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting light yellow oil was purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 25 cm; eluent: 5% EtOAc in hexanes to 75% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford diol (-)-24 (7.1 g, 80%) as a yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -21$  (*c* 0.44, EtOH)). The spectroscopic data was consistent with the literature.<sup>6</sup> Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY and HSQC.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20 °C):	5.83-5.71 (m, 1H, CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 5.04-4.87 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 3.65 (br-s, 1H, CHOH), 3.59 (app-d, <i>J</i> = 11.0Hz, 1H, CHH'OH), 3.43-3.34 (m, 1H, CHH'OH), 3.33-3.12 (br-s, 2H, OH, OH), 2.08-1.99 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> CH=CH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.57-1.34 (m, 4H, CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20 °C):	138.6 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 115.0 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 72.4 (CHOH), 66.9 (CH <sub>2</sub> OH), 33.8 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>2</sub> ), 32.6 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>2</sub> -CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ), 25.0 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ).
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	3364 (br, s), 1641 (m), 1064 (m), 908 (m), 666 (w).
HRMS (ESI):	calc'd for C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>14</sub> NaO <sub>2</sub> [M+Na] <sup>+</sup> : 153.0886, found: 153.0892.
TLC (75% EtOAc in hexanes), <i>R</i> <sub>f</sub> :	0.40 (KMnO <sub>4</sub> , CAM).

<sup>6</sup> Takahata, H.; Takahashi, S.; Kouno, S.; Momose, T. *J. Org. Chem.* **1998**, *63*, 2224.



**(+)-(S)-1-(tert-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-hept-6-en-2-ol (25):**

*tert*-Butylchlorodimethylsilane (6.4 g, 42 mmol, 1 equiv) was added as a solid to a solution of diol (–)-**24** (6.10 g, 47.0 mmol, 1.05 equiv), 4-dimethylaminopyridine (229 mg, 1.90 mmol, 4.00 mol%), and imidazole (4.1 g, 60 mmol, 1.5 equiv) in *N,N*-dimethylformamide (230 mL) at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 3 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with diethyl ether (300 mL) and brine (150 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 150 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (250 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 17 cm; eluent: 10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide silyl ether (+)-**25** (9.6 g, 94%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +3.5$  (*c* 1.4, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)).

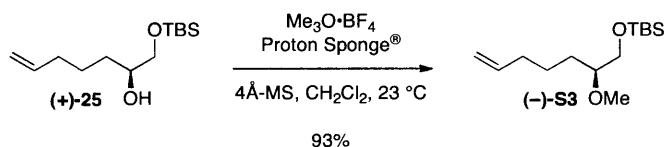
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 5.82-5.72 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 4.99-4.91 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 3.61-3.57 (m, 2H, CHOH, CHH'OTBS), 3.37-3.34 (m, 1H, CHH'OTBS), 2.45 (br-s, 1H, CHOH), 2.08-2.03 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.58-1.49 (m, 1H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.44-1.33 (m, 3H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>), 0.87 (s, 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.04 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 138.9 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 114.8 (CH=CH), 71.8, 67.4, 34.1, 32.3, 26.1 (SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 25.1, 18.6, –5.2 (Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3446 (br, s), 3078 (m), 2859 (s), 1642 (m), 1463 (m), 1472 (m), 1362 (w), 1257 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>28</sub>NaO<sub>2</sub>Si [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 267.1751, found: 267.1750.

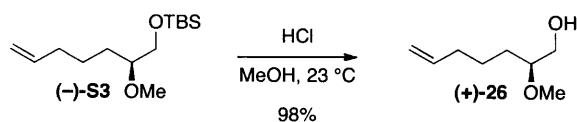
TLC (10% EtOAc in hexanes), *R*<sub>f</sub>: 0.55 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>).



**(-)-(S)-tert-Butyl-(2-methoxy-hept-6-enyloxy)-dimethyl-silane (S3):**

Oven-dried 4Å molecular sieves (19.6 g, 2:1, wt/wt), Proton Sponge<sup>®</sup> (25.5 g, 118 mmol, 3.00 equiv), and trimethoxyl oxonium tetrafluoroborate (14.5 g, 98.0 mmol, 2.51 equiv) were added sequentially to a solution of alcohol (+)-**25** (9.6 g, 39 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (392 mL) at 23 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 3 h, the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of celite (diam. 8.5 cm, ht. 3 cm), and the residue was washed with dichloromethane (3 × 100 mL). The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in a mixture of hexanes and ethyl acetate (1 : 1, 400 mL), and the residual insoluble light brown solid was removed by filtration, and was washed with a mixture of hexanes and ethyl acetate (1 : 1, 2 × 100 mL). The filtrate was washed with saturated aqueous copper sulfate solution (150 mL) and brine (150 mL), was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, was filtered, and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 17 cm; eluent: 3% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford methyl ether (-)-**S3** (9.3 g, 93%) as a colorless oil ( $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -11$  (c 1.4, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY and HSQC.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20 °C):	5.83-5.73 (m, 1H, CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 5.01-4.88 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 3.60 (dd, <i>J</i> = 6.0, 10.2 Hz, 1H, CHH'OTBS), 3.52 (dd, <i>J</i> = 4.8, 10.2 Hz, 1H, CHH'OTBS), 3.38 (s, 3H, OCH <sub>3</sub> ), 3.19-3.16 (m, 1H, CHOCH <sub>3</sub> ), 2.04-2.03 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.53-1.46 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ), 1.45-1.36 (m, 2H, CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ), 0.87 (s, 9H, SiC(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ), 0.03 (s, 6H, Si(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ).
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> , 20 °C):	139.0 (CH <sub>2</sub> =CH), 114.8 (CH=CH), 82.1 (OCH <sub>3</sub> ), 65.4, 58.2, 34.1, 31.0, 26.2 (SiC(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ), 24.9, 18.4, -5.1 (Si(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ).
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	2929 (s), 2859 (s), 1642 (w), 1472 (m), 1463 (m), 1256 (s), 1107 (s), 837 (s), 776 (s).
HRMS (ESI):	calc'd for C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>30</sub> NaO <sub>2</sub> Si [M+Na] <sup>+</sup> : 281.1907, found: 281.1918.
TLC (3% EtOAc in hexanes), <i>R</i> <sub>f</sub> :	0.63 (KMnO <sub>4</sub> ).



**(+)-(S)-2-Methoxy-hept-6-en-1-ol (26):**

Thionyl chloride (0.495 mL, 13.6 mmol, 0.400 equiv) was added dropwise to methanol (340 mL) at 23 °C. After 5 min, the resulting methanolic hydrochloric acid solution (0.04 M) was added to a solution of silyl ether (-)-S3 (8.6 g, 34 mmol, 1 equiv) in methanol (340 mL) at 23 °C. After 15 min, the reaction solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 3 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: 33% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford alcohol (+)-26 (4.9 g, 98%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +22$  (c 0.70, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)).

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 5.80-5.67 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 5.00-4.87 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 3.64-3.57 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 3.45-3.39 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 3.34 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.23-3.16 (m, 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>), 2.56-2.53 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH), 2.05-1.98 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.55-1.44 (m, 1H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.44-1.32 (m, 3H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>).

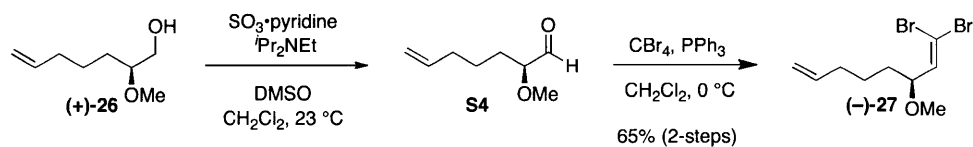
<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 138.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 114.9 (CH=CH), 81.7 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 63.9, 57.2, 33.9 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 29.8, 24.7.

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3421 (br, s), 2935 (s), 1641 (w), 1458 (w), 1093 (s), 910 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>16</sub>NaO<sub>2</sub> [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 167.1043, found: 167.1040.

TLC (33% EtOAc in hexanes), *R*<sub>f</sub>: 0.60 (KMnO<sub>4</sub>).





**(-)-1,1-Dibromo-3-methoxy-octa-1,7-diene (27):**

Dimethyl sulfoxide (24.2 mL, 340 mmol, 10.0 equiv), diisopropylethylamine (30.5 mL, 170 mmol, 5.00 equiv) and sulfur trioxide pyridine complex (16.2 g, 102 mmol, 3.00 equiv) were added sequentially to a solution of alcohol (+)-26 (4.9 g, 34 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (170 mL) at 23 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 15 min, the reaction mixture was diluted with diethyl ether (250 mL) and water (100 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 150 mL). The combined organic layers were washed sequentially with aqueous hydrochloric acid solution (1M, 100 mL), saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (100 mL), and brine (100 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 3 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: 33% diethyl ether in hexanes) to afford aldehyde **S4** as a colorless oil.<sup>7</sup>

Triphenylphosphine (21.4 g, 81.6 mmol, 2.40 equiv) was added as a solid to a solution of carbon tetrabromide (13.5 g, 40.8 mmol, 1.20 equiv) in dichloromethane at 0 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 15 min, the solution of aldehyde **S4** in dichloromethane (10 mL) was added dropwise via cannula to the resulting orange reaction mixture. After 15 min, excess dibromophosphorane was quenched by sequential addition of triethylamine (11.5 mL, 81.6 mmol, 2.40 equiv) and methanol (3.5 mL, 81.6 mmol, 2.40 equiv). The reaction mixture was added dropwise to a mixture of hexanes and ethyl acetate (5:1, 400 mL). The resulting light brown solid was removed by filtration, and was washed with a mixture of hexanes and ethyl acetate (5:1, 100 mL). The filtrate was concentrated, and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 17 cm; eluent: 10% diethyl ether in hexanes) to provide dibromide (-)-27 (6.1 g, 65% 2-steps) as a colorless oil ( $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -19$  (*c* 2.8, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 6.30 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H, CBr<sub>2</sub>=CH), 5.83-5.72 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 5.03-4.91 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 3.89-3.84 (m, 1H, CHCH=CBr<sub>2</sub>), 3.28 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 2.08-2.03 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.65-1.57 (m, 1H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.53-1.37 (m, 3H, CHH'CH<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 140.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 138.7, 115.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 91.4, 81.5 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 57.2, 33.9, 33.8, 24.3.

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2931 (s), 2822 (w), 1641 (m), 1617 (m), 1458 (m), 1105 (s), 912 (s), 782 (s).

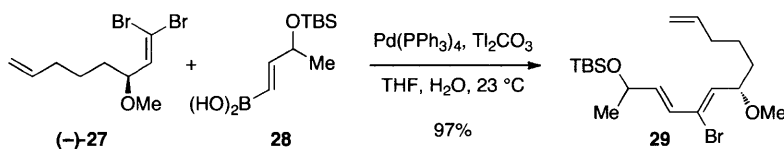
<sup>7</sup> Reduction of a sample of aldehyde **S4** (NaBH<sub>4</sub>) returned the alcohol (+)-26 with the same optical activity as compared to the starting alcohol (+)-26.

Elemental Analysis:

calc'd for  $C_9H_{14}Br_2O$ : C, 36.27; H, 4.74,  
found: C, 35.98; H, 4.70.

TLC (10%  $Et_2O$  in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.78 (UV, CAM).



**(4-Bromo-6-methoxy-1-methyl-undeca-2,4,10-trienyloxy)-tert-butyl-dimethyl-silane (29):**

Tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (1.54 g, 1.30 mmol, 8.00 mol%) and thallium carbonate (15.7 g, 33.0 mmol, 2.00 equiv) were added sequentially to a degassed solution of dibromide  $(-)-27$  (4.99 g, 17.0 mmol, 1 equiv) and boronic acid  $28^8$  (4.04 g, 17.6 mmol, 1.10 equiv) in a mixture of tetrahydrofuran and water (2:1, 68 mL) at 23 °C in the dark, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 10 h, the pale yellow heterogeneous reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate, was filtered through a plug of silica gel (diam. 5 cm, ht. 3 cm), and the residue was washed with ethyl acetate (3 × 100 mL). The filtrate was washed with saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, was filtered and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 5 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: 33% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford vinyl bromide  $29$  (6.7 g, 97%) as a 1:1 mixture of two diastereomers. Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY.

$^1\text{H NMR}$  (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20 °C, one diastereomer noted by \*): 6.23-6.19 (m, 1H, CH=CH-CBr; 1H, CH=CH-CBr\*), 6.12-6.08 (m, 1H, CH=CH-CBr; 1H, CH=CH-CBr\*), 5.83-5.73 (m, 2H, CBr=CH, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH; 2H, CBr=CH\*, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH\*), 5.03-4.90 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH\*), 4.47-4.40 (m, 1H, CHOTBS; 1H, CHOTBS\*), 4.22-4.15 (m, 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>; 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>\*), 3.29 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.28 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>\*), 2.06 (app-q,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>\*), 1.67-1.40 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>; 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>\*), 1.24 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>CHOTBS; 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>CHOTBS\*), 0.89 (s, 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>; 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>\*), 0.05 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.05 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>\*).

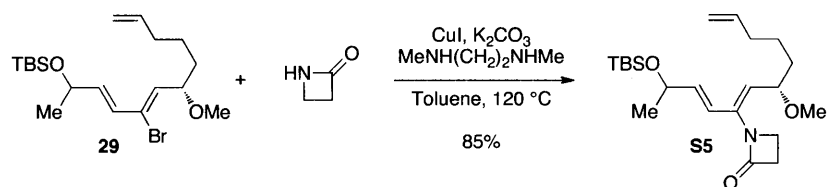
$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20 °C): 140.5, 140.4, 138.8, 138.8, 134.2, 134.1, 127.0, 126.9, 126.9, 126.8, 114.9, 80.5, 77.4, 68.3, 56.9, 34.4, 33.9, 26.1, 24.6, 18.5, -4.5.

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2929 (s), 1470 (m), 1368 (w), 1253 (s), 1147 (s), 1093 (s), 835 (m), 776 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{35}\text{BrNaO}_2\text{Si}$   $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 425.1482, found: 425.1491.

<sup>8</sup> The boronic acid was prepared as described previously; see Movassaghi, M.; Hunt, D. K.; Tjandra, M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2006**, *128*, 8126.

TLC (10% EtOAc in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*: 0.65(UV, CAM).



**1-{1-[3-(*tert*-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-but-1-enyl]-3-methoxy-octa-1,7-dienyl}-azetidin-2-one (S5):**

2-Azetidinone (1.16 g, 16.3 mmol, 2.50 equiv), copper iodide (1.58 g, 8.30 mmol, 50.0 mol%), potassium carbonate (5.74 g, 41.5 mmol, 2.50 equiv) and *N,N*-dimethyl ethylene diamine (4.50 mL, 41.5 mmol, 2.50 equiv) were added sequentially to a solution of vinyl bromide **29** (6.72 g, 16.6 mmol, 1 equiv) in anhydrous toluene (16 mL) at 23 °C in a 50-mL schlenk flask. The reaction vessel was sealed under an argon atmosphere, and it was heated to 120 °C. After 16 h, the reaction mixture was cooled to 23 °C and filtered through a plug of silica gel (diam. 3 cm, ht. 3 cm), and the residue was washed with ethyl acetate (3 × 200 mL). The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 3 cm, ht. 15 cm; eluent: 33% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford triene **S5** (5.4 g, 85%) as a 1:1 mixture of two diastereomers. Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C, one diastereomer noted by \*): 6.02 (app-dt, *J* = 4.0, 15.6 Hz, 1H, CH=CH-CN; 1H, CH=CH-CN\*), 5.83-5.65 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH, CH=CHCN; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH\*, CH=CHCN\*), 5.30 (app-dd, *J* = 2.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H, NC=CH; 1H, NC=CH\*), 5.00-4.89 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH\*), 4.40-4.31 (m, 1H, CHOTBS; 1H, CHOTBS\*), 3.95-3.85 (m, 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>; 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>\*), 3.50-3.39 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>C=O; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>C=O\*), 3.25 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.24 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>\*), 3.11-3.05 (app-t, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>N; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>N\*), 2.06 (app-q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>; 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>\*), 1.65-1.33 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>; 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>\*), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>CHOTBS; 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>CHOTBS\*), 0.87 (s, 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>; 9H, SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>\*), 0.04 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 0.03 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>\*).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C): 166.1, 166.0, 138.9, 138.8, 136.9, 136.9, 135.1, 135.0, 130.1, 130.1, 124.1, 124.1, 114.8, 114.7, 77.1, 77.1, 68.6, 68.5, 56.7, 56.7, 41.7, 41.7, 36.7, 34.8, 34.7, 33.9, 26.1, 24.8, 24.6, 18.4, -4.5.

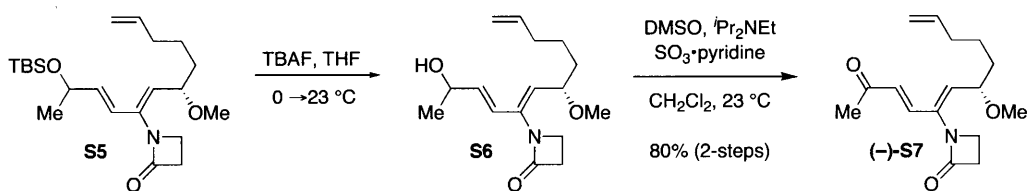
FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2929 (s), 1761 (s), 1640 (w), 1472 (w), 1396 (m), 1252 (w), 1093 (s), 966 (m), 909 (m), 834 (m), 777 (m).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $C_{22}H_{39}NNaO_3Si$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 416.2591,  
found: 416.2599.

TLC (33% EtOAc in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.50 (UV, CAM).



**(-)-(S)-1-[3-Methoxy-1-(3-oxo-but-1-enyl)-octa-1,7-dienyl]-azetidin-2-one (S7):**

Tetrabutylammonium fluoride solution in tetrahydrofuran (1.0 M, 21 mL, 21 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was added via syringe to a solution of triene **S5** (6.9g, 17.6 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (176 mL) at 0 °C under an argon atmosphere, and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to 23 °C. After 2 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with diethyl ether (400 mL) and brine (150 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 150 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (100 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 3 cm, ht. 8 cm; eluent: 75% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford alcohol **S6** (4.6 g, 95%) as a pale yellow oil, which was used directly in the following oxidation step.

Dimethyl sulfoxide (12.5 mL, 175 mmol, 10.0 equiv), diisopropylethylamine (15.7 mL, 87.5 mmol, 5.00 equiv), and sulfur trioxide pyridine complex (8.40 g, 52.5 mmol, 3.00 equiv) were added sequentially to a solution of alcohol **S6** (4.62 g, 16.6 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (176 mL) at 23 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 15 min, the reaction mixture was diluted with diethyl ether (250 mL) and brine (100 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 100 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (200 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 3 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: 75% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford ketone (–)-**S7** (3.9 g, 83%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -29$  (*c* 0.27, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY and HSQC.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C):

6.94 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCN), 6.08 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCN), 5.80 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H, CN=CH), 5.78-5.71 (m, 1H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 4.97-4.90 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 3.95-3.90 (m, 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.51-3.44 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>C=ON), 3.24 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.09 (t, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>N), 2.26 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>C=O), 2.01 (app-q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.64-1.36 (m, 4H, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 20 °C):

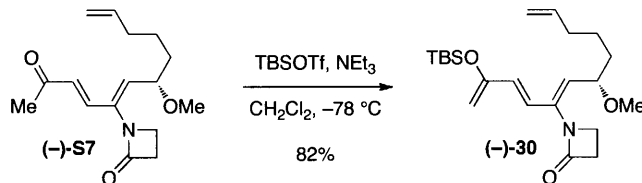
197.7 (C=O), 166.0 (C=ON), 140.1 (CN=CH), 139.5 (CH=CHCN), 138.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 134.1 (CN=CH), 128.5 (CH=CHCN), 115.0 (CH<sub>2</sub>=CH), 77.1 (CHOCH<sub>3</sub>), 57.1 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 42.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>C=O), 37.2 (CH<sub>2</sub>NC=O), 34.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>CHOTBS), 33.7 (CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>), 27.8 (CH<sub>3</sub>C=O), 24.6 (CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH=CH<sub>2</sub>).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2932 (s), 1756 (s), 1692 (w), 1673 (m), 1603 (m), 1401 (m), 1361 (w), 1256 (m), 1101 (m), 977 (w), 911 (w), 779 (w).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{32}\text{NNaO}_3$   $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ : 300.1570, found: 300.1579.

TLC (75% EtOAc-hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*: 0.65 (UV, CAM).





**(-)-(S)1-{1-[3-(*tert*-Butyl-dimethyl-silanyloxy)-buta-1,3-dienyl]-3-methoxy-octa-1,7-dienyl}-azetidin-2-one (30):**

Triethylamine (2.1 mL, 15 mmol, 1.5 equiv) and *tert*-butyldimethylsilyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (2.9 mL, 12 mmol, 1.2 equiv) were added sequentially to a solution of ketone (-)-S7 (2.77g, 10.0 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (100 mL) at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  under an argon atmosphere. After 2 h, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (40 mL) was added, and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to  $23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . The layers were separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane ( $3 \times 100\text{ mL}$ ). The combined organic layers were washed with brine, were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting oil was then purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [49% EtOAc in hexanes], diam. 3 cm, ht. 10 cm; eluent: 1% of  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [49% EtOAc in hexanes]) to afford silyl enol ether (-)-30 (3.4 g, 86%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} = -28$  ( $c$  0.27,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY and HSQC.

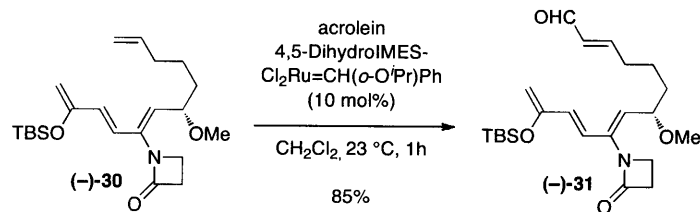
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ): 6.67 (d,  $J = 15\text{ Hz}$ , 1H,  $\text{CH}=\text{CHCN}$ ), 6.19 (d,  $J = 15.6\text{ Hz}$ , 1H,  $\text{CH}=\text{CHCN}$ ), 5.81-5.72 (m, 1H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}$ ), 5.48 (d,  $J = 9.0\text{ Hz}$ , 1H,  $\text{NC}=\text{CH}$ ), 5.04-4.95 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}$ ), 4.42 (s, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'=\text{COTBS}$ ), 4.38 (s, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'=\text{COTBS}$ ), 4.09-4.04 (m, 1H,  $\text{CHOCH}_3$ ), 3.21 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 2.87 (app-q,  $J = 4.8\text{ Hz}$ , 1H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 2.80 (app-q,  $J = 4.8\text{ Hz}$ , 1H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{N}$ ), 2.45 (t,  $J = 4.2\text{ Hz}$ , 2H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{NC}=\text{O}$ ), 2.00 (app-t,  $J = 6.6\text{ Hz}$ , 2H,  $\text{CHH}'\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ), 1.74-1.49 (m, 4H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$ ), 0.98 (s, 9H,  $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 0.14 (s, 6H,  $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ): 165.3, 155.4, 139.4, 135.9, 131.5, 129.2, 126.6, 115.1, 98.0, 77.6, 56.8, 41.8, 37.1, 35.5, 34.4, 26.3, 25.6, 18.8,  $-4.2$ ,  $-4.2$ .

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2930 (m), 1760 (s), 1622 (w), 1583 (w), 1396 (m), 1318 (m), 1254 (m), 1102 (m), 1028 (m), 840 (m), 782 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{37}\text{NNaO}_3\text{Si}$   $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 414.2435, found: 414.2436.

TLC (1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]),  $R_f$ : 0.55 (UV, CAM).



**(-)-(S,2E,8Z,10E)-12-(tert-Butyl-dimethyl-silyloxy)-7-methoxy-9-(2-oxo-azetidin-1-yl)-trideca-2,8,10,12-tetraenal (31):**

Acrolein (0.80 mL, 12 mmol, 5.0 equiv) and the Grubbs-Hoveyda catalyst (150 mg, 0.240 mmol, 10.0 mol%) were added sequentially to a solution of silyl enol ether (-)-**30** (0.95 g, 2.4 mmol, 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (8 mL) at 23 °C, and the reaction vessel was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 1 h, the reaction mixture was directly loaded onto and purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [32% EtOAc in hexanes], diam. 5 cm, ht. 15 cm; eluent: 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]) to afford tetraenal (-)-**31** (855 mg, 85%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -70$  (*c* 0.20, benzene)). The starting material (-)-**30** (140 mg, 15%) was also recovered.

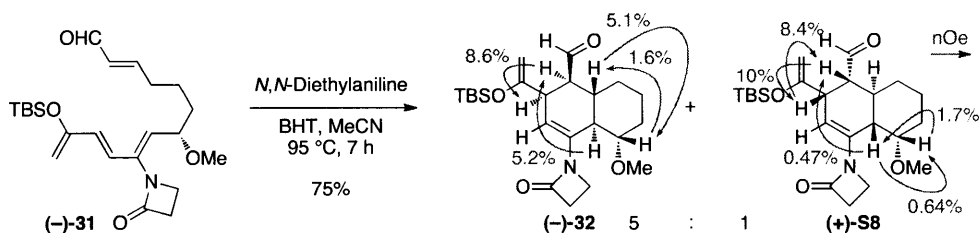
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 9.32 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H, HC=O), 6.68 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCN), 6.19 (d, *J* = 15.5 Hz, 1H, CH=CHCN), 6.14-6.06 (m, 1H, CHOCH=CH), 5.99-5.92 (m, 1H, CHOCH=CH), 5.47 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H, N-C=CH), 4.44 (s, 1H, CHH'=COTBS), 4.37 (s, 1H, CHH'=COTBS), 4.08-4.02 (m, 1H, CHOCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.18 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 2.92-2.89 (m, 1H, CHH'C=ON), 2.76-2.73 (m, 1H, CHH'C=ON), 2.43 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>NC=O), 1.87-1.80 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCH<sub>2</sub>), 1.61-1.57 (m, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.53-1.38 (m, 2H), 0.99 (s, 9H SiC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>), 0.15 (s, 6H, Si(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C): 193.1, 165.3, 157.6, 155.3, 135.9, 133.8, 130.7, 129.5, 128.9, 128.7, 126.3, 98.2, 77.5, 56.8, 41.5, 37.0, 35.3, 32.8, 26.3, 24.3, 18.6, -4.2, -4.2.

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>: 2931 (s), 1756 (s), 1694 (s), 1628 (m), 1466 (m), 1398 (m), 1097 (m), 840 (m), 782 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>37</sub>NNaO<sub>4</sub>Si [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>: 442.2384, found: 442.2381.

TLC (1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]), *R*<sub>f</sub>: 0.33 (UV, CAM).



### **trans-Decalin aldehyde (-)-32:**

2,6-Di-*tert*-butyl-4-methylphenol (10 mg, 45  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 0.56 mol%) and *N,N*-diethyl aniline (0.13 mL, 0.81 mmol, 10 mol%) were added sequentially to a solution of tetraenal (-)-31 (3.4 g, 8.1 mmol, 1 equiv) in acetonitrile (800 mL). The resulting solution was degassed thoroughly by passage of a stream of argon. The resulting pale yellow solution was partitioned into two 500-mL pressure vessels. The vessels were sealed under an argon atmosphere and heated to 95  $^\circ\text{C}$ . After 7 h, the reaction vessels were allowed to cool to 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the combined mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [32% EtOAc in hexanes], diam. 5 cm, ht. 10 cm; 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]) to afford the desired *trans*-decalin aldehyde (-)-32 (2.1 g, 63%) as a pale yellow oil ( $[\alpha]^{22}_{\text{D}} = -39$  (*c* 1.5,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). The minor diastereomer (+)-S8 (420 mg, 13%) was also isolated ( $[\alpha]^{22}_{\text{D}} = +66$  (*c* 0.45,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, and HMBC.

Data for the major and desired diastereomer (-)-32:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 9.62 (d,  $J = 5.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ), 5.70 (dd,  $J = 2.0, 5.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}$ ), 4.63 (d,  $J = 1.6$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 4.39 (d,  $J = 1.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 3.36-3.31 (m, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 3.05 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 2.92 (dt,  $J = 2.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 2.71-2.65 (m, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 2.58-2.43 (m, 2H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{NC}=\text{O}$ ), 2.17-2.08 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_9\text{H}$ ), 2.05-1.94 (m,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ), 1.90-1.83 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.73 (app-tt,  $J = 2.4, 12.4$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ), 1.50-1.36 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.05-0.90 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 0.97 (s, 9H,  $\text{SiC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 0.64 (app-dq,  $J = 6.6, 18.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ), 0.15 (s, 3H,  $\text{SiCH}_3$ ), 0.10 (s, 3H,  $\text{SiCH}_3$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 202.8 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 165.8, 157.1, 137.6, 124.8 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 96.2 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 82.3 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 56.3 ( $\text{CHOCH}_3$ ), 53.4 ( $\text{C}_9$ ), 47.4 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 44.4 ( $\text{C}_{19}$ ), 42.1 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 37.3 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 35.2 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 32.1 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 29.8 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 26.2 ( $\text{SiC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 24.0 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ), 18.6 ( $\text{SiC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ), 4.0 ( $\text{SiCH}_3$ ), 4.6 ( $\text{SiCH}_3$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2929 (s), 2863 (m), 1750 (s), 1723 (m), 1628 (w), 1383 (m), 1093 (m), 832 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $C_{23}H_{37}NNaO_4Si$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 442.2384,  
found: 442.2361.

TLC (1%  $NEt_3$  in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]),  $R_f$ : 0.25 (UV, CAM).

Data for the minor diastereomer (+)-**S8**:

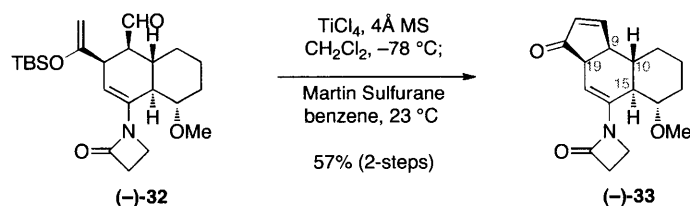
$^1H$  NMR (600 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ , 20 °C): 9.69 (d,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 1H,  $C_8H$ ), 4.74 (dd,  $J = 1.8, 5.4$  Hz, 1H,  $C_{17}H$ ), 4.54 (s, 1H,  $C_{21}HH'$ ), 4.41 (s, 1H,  $C_{21}HH'$ ), 4.23 (br-s, 1H,  $C_{14}H$ ), 3.10 (s, 3H,  $OCH_3$ ), 3.04-3.01 (m, 1H,  $C_{19}H$ ), 2.75 (app-dq,  $J = 2.4, 12.0$  Hz,  $C_{10}H$ ), 2.67-2.65 (m, 1H,  $CHH'C=ON$ ), 2.49-2.43 (m, 2H,  $CHH'C=ON$ ,  $C_{15}H$ ), 2.37-2.32 (m, 1H,  $CHH'NC=O$ ), 2.23-2.19 (m, 1H,  $C_9H$ ), 2.16-2.13 (m, 1H,  $CHH'NC=O$ ), 1.89-1.87 (m, 1H,  $C_{13}HH'$ ), 1.65-1.53 (m, 2H,  $C_{11}HH'$ ,  $C_{12}HH'$ ), 1.32-1.27 (m, 2H,  $C_{13}HH'$ ,  $C_{12}HH'$ ), 0.98 (s, 9H,  $SiC(CH_3)_3$ ), 0.84 (app-dq,  $J = 3.0, 12.6$  Hz, 1H,  $C_{11}HH'$ ), 0.14 (s, 6H,  $Si(CH_3)_2$ ).

$^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ , 20 °C): 203.6 ( $C_8$ ), 164.1, 158.3, 139.8, 109.4 ( $C_{17}$ ), 95.4 ( $C_{21}$ ), 76.6 ( $C_{14}$ ), 56.8 ( $OCH_3$ ), 53.9 ( $C_9$ ), 47.0 ( $C_{15}$ ), 44.1 ( $C_{19}$ ), 37.6 ( $CH_2C=ON$ ), 35.1 ( $CH_2CH_2C=ON$ ), 30.4 ( $C_{11}$ ), 29.7 ( $C_{10}$ ), 28.4 ( $C_{13}$ ), 26.1 ( $SiC(CH_3)_3$ ), 21.2 ( $C_{12}$ ), 18.6 ( $SiC(CH_3)_3$ ), -4.1 ( $SiCH_3$ ), -4.6 ( $SiCH_3$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $cm^{-1}$ : 2931 (s), 2858 (m), 1750 (s), 1723 (m), 1629 (w), 1363 (m), 1254 (m), 1224 (s), 1094 (m), 1002 (w), 837 (m), 781 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $C_{23}H_{37}NNaO_4Si$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 442.2384,  
found: 442.2383.

TLC (1%  $NEt_3$  in [32% EtOAc in hexanes]),  $R_f$ : 0.40 (UV, CAM).



### **Tricyclic Enone (-)-33:**

A freshly prepared solution of titanium tetrachloride in dichloromethane (1.0 M, 0.36 mL, 0.36 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added in one portion via syringe to a suspension of *trans*-decalin aldehyde (-)-32 (75 mg, 0.18 mmol, 1 equiv) and oven-dried 4Å-molecular sieves (100 mg) in dichloromethane (8.9 mL) at  $-78$  °C under an argon atmosphere. After 2 min, saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution (10 mL) was added in one portion via syringe. The resulting mixture was allowed to warm to  $23$  °C, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane ( $3 \times 50$  mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (25 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered and were concentrated under reduced pressure to afford the desired crude intramolecular aldol addition product as an oil. The residue was dried by concentration from anhydrous benzene ( $2 \times 5$  mL) and was directly used in the following dehydration step.

A solution of the Martin sulfurane reagent (133 mg, 0.198 mmol, 1.10 equiv) in anhydrous benzene (3.6 mL) was added via cannula to the crude solution of aldol product in anhydrous benzene (3.6 mL) at  $23$  °C. After 30 min, the reaction mixture was directly loaded onto and purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 4 cm; eluent: 75% EtOAc in hexanes) to afford enone (-)-33 (30 mg, 57%) as an oil ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -18$  ( $c$  0.65,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, and HSQC.

$^1\text{H NMR}$  (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20$  °C): 6.89 (dd,  $J = 3.0, 6.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ), 6.13, (app-t,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}$ ), 5.84 (dd,  $J = 1.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}$ ), 3.47-3.42 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 3.14 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.11-3.08 (m, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 2.76-2.74 (m, 1H,  $\text{CHH}'\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 2.52-2.41 (m, 3H,  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{CHH}'\text{NC}=\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CHH}'\text{NC}=\text{O}$ ), 2.07-2.01 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.99-1.93 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_9\text{H}$ ), 1.79-1.73 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ), 1.43-1.35 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ), 0.89-0.76 (m, 3H,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ), 0.48 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (150 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ,  $20$  °C): 205.7 ( $\text{C}_{20}$ ), 166.1, 164.5 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 139.9, 132.7 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 125.2 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 78.6 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 55.4 ( $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 48.1 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 47.4 ( $\text{C}_9$ ), 46.7 ( $\text{C}_{19}$ ), 43.8 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 42.9 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{ON}$ ), 36.7 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{NC}=\text{O}$ ), 30.8 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 30.7 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 23.0 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ).

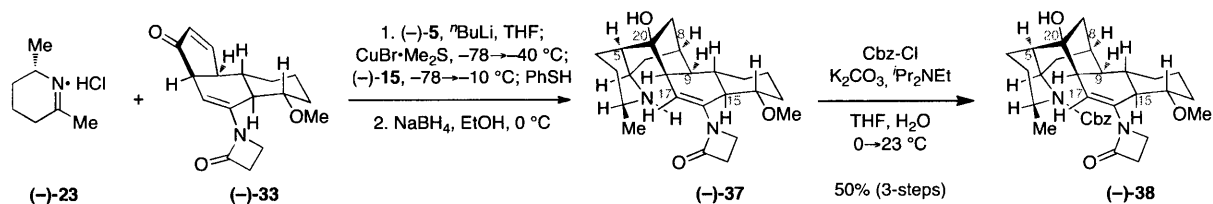
FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2931 (s), 1741 (s), 1710 (s), 1384 (m), 1083 (m).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $C_{17}H_{21}NaNO_3$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 310.1414,  
found: 310.1421.

TLC (75% EtOAc in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.35 (UV, CAM).



### **Hydroxycarbamate (-)-38:**

A solution of *n*-butyl lithium in hexanes (2.5 M, 0.80 mL, 2.0 mmol, 4.0 equiv) was added dropwise via syringe to a degassed suspension of the iminium chloride (-)-23<sup>9</sup> (145 mg, 0.980 mmol, 2.00 equiv) in tetrahydrofuran (1.4 mL) at -78 °C under an argon atmosphere. After 15 min, the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to 0 °C. Complete dissolution of the iminium chloride was detected after 15 min at which time the reaction mixture was cooled to -78 °C. The brown solution of the lithioenamine was transferred via cannula under positive argon pressure to a degassed suspension of copper bromide dimethyl sulfide (101 mg, 0.490 mmol, 1 equiv) in tetrahydrofuran (0.7 mL) at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to gradually warm to -40 °C over 1 h. The resulting brown reaction mixture was cooled to -78 °C, and a degassed solution of enone (-)-33 (150 mg, 0.520 mmol, 1.05 equiv) in tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) was added via cannula. The resulting reaction mixture was allowed to warm to -10 °C over 1.5 h. A solution of degassed thiophenol (0.11 mL, 1.0 mmol, 2.2 equiv) in absolute ethanol (200 proof, 1 mL) was added to the reaction mixture. The resulting mixture was diluted with a degassed aqueous ammonium hydroxide in a saturated aqueous ammonium chloride solution (1:5, 2.4 mL), and the reaction was allowed to warm to 23 °C. After 1.5 h of vigorous stirring, the reaction mixture was diluted with degassed dichloromethane (8 mL), and the layers were separated under an argon atmosphere. The organic layer and the aqueous layer were partitioned, and the aqueous layer was extracted with degassed dichloromethane (3 × 8 mL) under an argon atmosphere. The combined organic layers were concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was dried by concentration from degassed anhydrous benzene (2 × 5 mL) and was directly used in the following reduction step.

Sodium borohydride (59 mg, 1.6 mmol 3.2 equiv) was added as a solid to a degassed solution of the crude pentacyclic imine in ethanol (8 mL) at 0 °C under an argon atmosphere. After 30 min, aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1.0 M, 10 mL) was added, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3 × 50 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1.0 M, 15 mL), and were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was filtered through a plug of silica gel (silica gel, treated with 1% NH<sub>3</sub> in [3% MeOH in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>], diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 3 cm; eluent: 1% NH<sub>3</sub> in [3% methanol in dichloromethane]) to afford crude pentacyclic compound (-)-37 and was directly used in the following step.

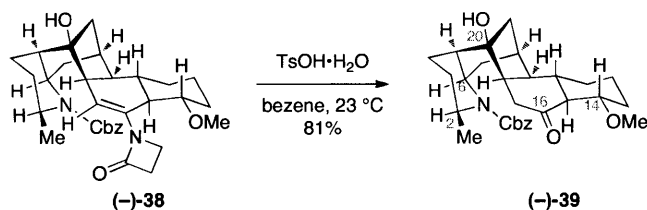
Benzyl chloroformate (0.32 mL, 2.2 mmol, 4.5 equiv) was added via syringe to a heterogeneous mixture of crude pentacyclic amine (-)-37, a solution of potassium carbonate (1.3 g, 9.4 mmol, 19 equiv) in water (9.2 mL), and diisopropylethyl amine (1.3 mL, 7.4 mmol, 15 equiv) in tetrahydrofuran (9.2 mL) at 0 °C. The reaction vessel was sealed under an argon atmosphere, and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to 23 °C. Additional portions of benzyl chloroformate (2 × 0.32 mL) were added at 0 °C at 30 min intervals. Morpholine (0.58

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mL, 6.7 mmol, 14 equiv) was added to quench excess benzyl chloroformate. The reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane (50 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (2 × 35 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1.0 M, 20 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [5% acetone in hexanes], diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 4 cm; eluent: 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [5% acetone in hexanes] to 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [35% acetone in hexanes]) to afford hydroxy carbamate (–)-**38** (132 mg, 50%) as a white solid ([α]<sub>D</sub><sup>22</sup> = –22 (c 1.0, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and NOESY.

<sup>1</sup> H NMR (600 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20 °C):	7.33-7.28 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.16-7.12 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.08-7.04 (m, 1H, ArH), 6.18 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 2.4 Hz, 1H, C <sub>17</sub> H), 5.24 (d, <i>J</i> = 12 Hz, 1H, PhCHH'OC=ON), 5.21 (d, <i>J</i> = 12 Hz, 1H, PhCHH'OC=ON), 4.57-4.50 (m, 1H, C <sub>6</sub> H), 4.44-4.37 (m, 1H, C <sub>2</sub> H), 3.50-3.41 (m, 1H, C <sub>14</sub> H), 3.29-3.22 (m, 1H, CHH'C=ON), 3.14 (s, 3H, OCH <sub>3</sub> ), 2.84-2.77 (CHH'C=ON), 2.55-2.34 (m, 4H, CH <sub>2</sub> NC=O, C <sub>19</sub> H, C <sub>7</sub> HH'), 2.16-2.05 (m, 1H, C <sub>13</sub> HH'), 2.03-1.98 (m, 1H, C <sub>5</sub> H), 1.78-1.72 (m, 1H, C <sub>15</sub> H), 1.66-1.23 (m, 9H, C <sub>8</sub> H, C <sub>4</sub> HH', C <sub>12</sub> HH', C <sub>11</sub> HH', C <sub>3</sub> HH', C <sub>3</sub> HH', C <sub>21</sub> HH', C <sub>4</sub> HH', C <sub>21</sub> HH'), 1.17 (t, <i>J</i> = 9.8 Hz, 1H, C <sub>9</sub> H), 1.06 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.6 Hz, 3H, C <sub>1</sub> H), 1.02-0.81 (m, 4H, C <sub>7</sub> HH', C <sub>10</sub> H, C <sub>12</sub> HH', C <sub>13</sub> HH'), 0.68 (app-q, <i>J</i> = 11.6 Hz, 1H, C <sub>11</sub> HH').
<sup>13</sup> C NMR (125 MHz, C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> , 20 °C):	166.7 (C <sub>amide</sub> ), 155.9 (C <sub>carbamate</sub> ), 139.4 (C <sub>16</sub> ), 138.3 (ArC), 129.5 (C <sub>17</sub> ), 129.0 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 128.6 (ArCH), 80.2 (C <sub>20</sub> ), 79.5 (C <sub>14</sub> ), 67.4 (PhCH <sub>2</sub> ), 55.4 (OCH <sub>3</sub> ), 54.8 (C <sub>9</sub> ), 48.3 (C <sub>5</sub> ), 47.8 (C <sub>6</sub> ), 47.0 (C <sub>15</sub> ), 46.4 (C <sub>2</sub> ), 44.6 (C <sub>10</sub> ), 43.5 (CH <sub>2</sub> C=ON), 39.7 (C <sub>19</sub> ), 36.7 (CH <sub>2</sub> NC=O), 34.7 (C <sub>4</sub> ), 34.4 (C <sub>7</sub> ), 34.6 (C <sub>13</sub> ), 32.5 (C <sub>8</sub> ), 31.2 (C <sub>11</sub> ), 30.3 (C <sub>21</sub> ), 23.6 (C <sub>12</sub> ), 20.5 (C <sub>1</sub> ), 17.8 (C <sub>3</sub> ).
FTIR (thin film) cm <sup>-1</sup> :	3414 (br, s), 2932 (s), 1742 (s), 1722 (s), 1689 (s), 1454 (m), 1391 (s), 1315 (s), 1084 (s), 978 (w), 666 (m).
HRMS (ESI):	calc'd for C <sub>32</sub> H <sub>43</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> [M+H] <sup>+</sup> : 535.3166, found: 535.3175.
TLC (40% acetone in hexanes), <i>R</i> <sub>f</sub> :	0.50 (UV, KMnO <sub>4</sub> , CAM).





### **Ketoalcohol (-)-39:**

*p*-Toluenesulfonic acid monohydrate (8.3 mg, 0.043 mmol, 30 mol%) was added as a solid to a solution of hydroxy carbamate (-)-38 (77 mg, 0.14 mmol, 1 equiv) in benzene (15 mL) at 23 °C, and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. Because of the sensitivity of the product to acid, aqueous work-up was avoided. After 1.5 h, the reaction mixture was directly loaded onto and purified via flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [35% acetone in hexanes]: diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 4 cm; eluent: 1% NEt<sub>3</sub> in [35% acetone in hexanes]) to afford ketone (-)-39 (54.8 mg, 81%) as a white solid ([ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>22</sup> = -62 (*c* 1.1, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and NOESY.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

7.32-7.29 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.16-7.13 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.07-7.04 (m, 1H, ArH), 5.23 (br-s, 2H, PhCH<sub>2</sub>OC=ON), 4.54 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>6</sub>H), 4.43 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>2</sub>H), 3.53 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.25-3.18 (m, 1H, C<sub>14</sub>H), 2.45-2.36 (m, 2H, C<sub>17</sub>HH', C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 2.13-1.98 (m, 4H, C<sub>17</sub>HH', C<sub>8</sub>H, C<sub>13</sub>HH', C<sub>19</sub>H), 1.82 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 12.5 Hz, 1H, C<sub>15</sub>H), 1.61-1.56 (m, 1H, C<sub>5</sub>H), 1.47-1.36 (m, 3H, C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.35-1.20 (m, 3H, C<sub>12</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 1.16-1.09 (m, 2H, C<sub>13</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH'), 1.07 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H), 1.02 (app-t, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 1H, C<sub>9</sub>H), 1.00-0.94 (m, 2H, C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 0.80-0.71 (m, 1H, C<sub>12</sub>HH'), 0.67 (app-dq, *J* = 3.6, 12.0 Hz, 1H, C<sub>10</sub>H), 0.52-0.45 (m, 1H, C<sub>11</sub>HH').

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

210.8 (C<sub>16</sub>), 156.0 (C<sub>carbamate</sub>), 138.1 (ArC), 133.3 (ArCH), 130.4 (ArCH), 129.9 (ArCH), 80.6 (C<sub>20</sub>), 78.0 (C<sub>14</sub>), 67.5 (PhCH<sub>2</sub>), 57.2 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 56.7 (C<sub>15</sub>), 56.0 (C<sub>9</sub>), 48.9 (C<sub>5</sub>), 47.8 (C<sub>6</sub>), 46.4 (C<sub>2</sub>), 41.1 (C<sub>10</sub>), 39.3 (C<sub>17</sub>), 39.2 (C<sub>8</sub>), 37.1 (C<sub>19</sub>), 34.9 (C<sub>7</sub>, C<sub>21</sub>), 32.5 (C<sub>11</sub>), 31.7 (C<sub>13</sub>), 30.4 (C<sub>3</sub>), 23.3 (C<sub>12</sub>), 20.4 (C<sub>1</sub>), 18.4 (C<sub>4</sub>).

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>:

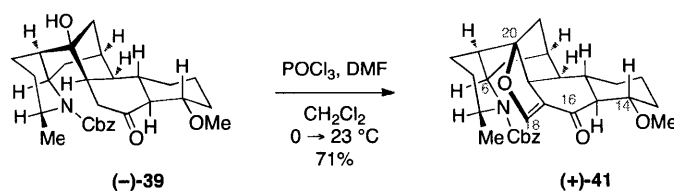
3429 (br, s), 2933 (s), 1739 (s), 1690 (s), 1440 (m), 1347 (m), 1317 (s), 1245 (w), 1188 (w), 1114 (m), 1088 (s), 741 (w), 697 (m).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $C_{29}H_{39}NNaO_5$   $[M+Na]^+$ : 504.2720,  
found: 504.2721.

TLC (50% acetone in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.63 (UV, CAM).



### **Vinyl ether (+)-41:**

Freshly distilled phosphorus oxychloride (13  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.14 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added dropwise via syringe to *N,N*-dimethylformamide (450  $\mu\text{L}$ , 5.61 mmol, 81.0 equiv) at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$  under an argon atmosphere. After 30 min, a solution of ketone (–)-**39** (33.3 mg, 69.0  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in dichloromethane (1.4 mL) was added dropwise via cannula to the reaction mixture at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the resulting yellow solution was allowed to warm to 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ . After 30 min, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution (4 mL) was added to quench excess acid, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  10 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 3 cm; eluent: 40% EtOAc in hexanes then 50% acetone in hexanes) afforded the vinyl ether (+)-**41** (24 mg, 71%) as a white film ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +19$  (*c* 0.50,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and NOESY.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

7.29 (app-d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.16-7.13 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.07 (app-t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H, ArH), 6.89 (app-d,  $J = 1.8$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>18</sub>H), 5.20 (br-s, 2H, PhCH<sub>2</sub>OC=ON), 4.52 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>6</sub>H), 4.26 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>2</sub>H), 3.64 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.55-3.49 (m, 1H, C<sub>14</sub>H), 3.00 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>19</sub>H), 2.33 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>5</sub>H), 2.27 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 2.11 (app-d,  $J = 15.0$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>13</sub>HH'), 1.89 (app-dd, 1H,  $J = 9.0$ , 12.0 Hz, C<sub>15</sub>H), 1.49-1.44 (m, 4H, C<sub>8</sub>H, C<sub>21</sub>HH', C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>12</sub>HH'), 1.30 (app-dd,  $J = 3.6, 11.4$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.27-1.07 (m, 6H, C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>13</sub>HH', C<sub>9</sub>H), 1.05 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H), 0.82-0.70 (m, 3H, C<sub>7</sub>HH', C<sub>12</sub>HH', C<sub>10</sub>H), 0.59 (app-q,  $J = 13.8$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>11</sub>HH').

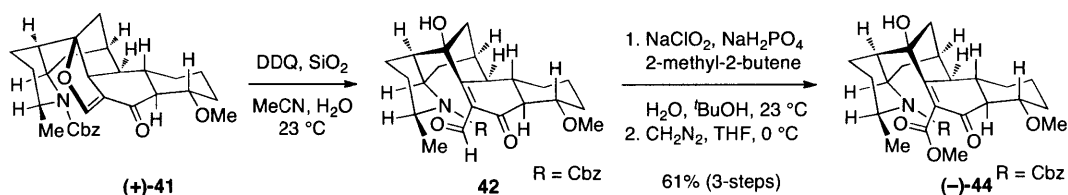
$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

194.7 (C<sub>16</sub>), 155.7 (C<sub>carbamate</sub>), 151.0 (C<sub>18</sub>), 138.0 (ArC), 129.1 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 128.7 (ArCH), 119.4 (C<sub>17</sub>), 102.7 (C<sub>20</sub>), 77.1 (C<sub>14</sub>), 67.5 (PhCH<sub>2</sub>OC=ON), 57.4 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 56.9 (C<sub>15</sub>), 55.6 (C<sub>9</sub>), 47.6 (C<sub>6</sub>), 46.9 (C<sub>2</sub>), 42.0 (C<sub>19</sub>), 41.1 (C<sub>10</sub>), 40.1 (C<sub>5</sub>), 35.4 (C<sub>7</sub>), 34.5 (C<sub>8</sub>), 32.4 (C<sub>11</sub>), 32.0 (C<sub>21</sub>), 31.3 (C<sub>13</sub>), 29.1 (C<sub>4</sub>), 23.1 (C<sub>12</sub>), 20.8 (C<sub>1</sub>H), 18.0 (C<sub>3</sub>).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 2932 (s), 1693 (s, C=O), 1596 (s), 1312 (w), 1120 (m).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{38}\text{NO}_5$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 492.2744, found: 492.2745.

TLC (50% EtOAc in hexanes),  $R_f$ : 0.49 (UV, CAM).



### **Ketoester (-)-44:**

A solution of vinyl ether (+)-**41** (7.5 mg, 15  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in mixture of acetonitrile and water (5:1, 150  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was treated sequentially with silica gel (1.7 mg) and 2,3-dichloro-5,6-dicyano-*p*-benzoquinone (DDQ, 3.5 mg, 16  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1.1 equiv) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the reaction vessel was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 6 h, the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of cotton to remove the silica gel and the filtrate was partitioned between water (1 mL) and dichloromethane (8 mL). The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure to afford the crude ketoaldehyde **42**. The ketoaldehyde was directly used in the following oxidation step.

To a solution of the crude ketoaldehyde **42** in *tert*-butanol (380  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$  was added 2-methyl-2-butene (16  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.15 mmol, 10 equiv) and a solution of sodium phosphate monohydrate monobasic (21 mg, 0.15 mmol, 10 equiv) in water (150  $\mu\text{L}$ ) followed by a solution of sodium chlorite (14 mg, 0.15 mmol, 10 equiv) in water (150  $\mu\text{L}$ ) via syringe. After 1 h, saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate solution (1 mL) was added to quench excess oxidant, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure to afford the crude ketoacid that was directly used in the following methylation step.

Freshly prepared diazomethane solution in ether (1.50 mL, 1.60 mmol, 100 equiv) was added to a solution of the crude sample and acetic acid (31  $\mu\text{L}$ , 61  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 4.0 equiv) in THF (100  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ . After 30 min, a tetrahydrofuran solution of acetic acid (2 M, 0.5 mL) was added to quench excess diazomethane and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 2 cm; eluent: 50% EtOAc in hexanes to 75% EtOAc in hexanes then 50% acetone in hexanes afforded the ketoester (-)-**44** (5 mg, 61%) as a clear film ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -64$  (*c* 0.42,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, and HMBC.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

7.29 (app-d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.16-7.14 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.10-7.05 (m, 1H, ArH), 5.22 (d,  $J = 12.5$  Hz, 1H, PhCHH'OC=ON), 5.18 (d,  $J = 12.5$  Hz, 1H, PhCHH'OC=ON), 4.66 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}$ ), 4.38 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}$ ), 3.57 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.55 (s, 3H,  $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 3.15 (dt,  $J = 5.5, 10.5$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 2.58-2.40 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ , OH), 2.10-1.94 (m, 3H,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ), 1.94-1.86 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ), 1.78 (app-d,  $J = 12.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_9\text{H}$ ), 1.72 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.57 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ), 1.39-1.20

(m, 4H, C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>12</sub>HH', C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 1.13-0.87  
(m, 5H, C<sub>13</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>7</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH', C<sub>10</sub>H),  
1.02 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H<sub>3</sub>), 0.75-0.64 (m, 1H,  
C<sub>12</sub>HH'), 0.48-0.38 (m, 1H, C<sub>11</sub>HH').

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>, 20 °C):

195.1 (C<sub>16</sub>), 168.4 (C<sub>18</sub>), 167.9 (C<sub>19</sub>), 155.8  
(C<sub>carbamate</sub>), 138.1 (ArC), 129.1 (ArCH), 128.9  
(ArCH), 128.7 (ArCH), 128.3 (C<sub>17</sub>), 82.5 (C<sub>20</sub>),  
77.1 (C<sub>14</sub>), 67.6 (PhCH<sub>2</sub>OC=ON), 58.3 (C<sub>9</sub>), 58.1  
(C<sub>15</sub>), 57.6 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 52.4 (COOCH<sub>3</sub>), 47.0 (C<sub>6</sub>),  
46.4 (C<sub>5</sub>), 46.2 (C<sub>2</sub>), 46.1 (C<sub>10</sub>), 35.8 (C<sub>7</sub>, C<sub>21</sub>), 31.8  
(C<sub>13</sub>), 30.2 (C<sub>8</sub>), 30.1 (C<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>11</sub>), 22.6 (C<sub>12</sub>), 20.3  
(C<sub>1</sub>), 19.1 (C<sub>4</sub>).

FTIR (thin film) cm<sup>-1</sup>:

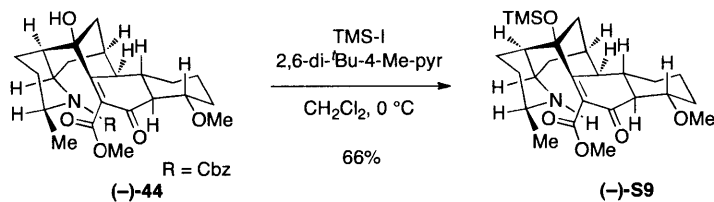
3440 (br, s, OH), 2928 (s), 2856 (m), 1733  
(COOMe), 1675 (C=O), 1316 (w), 1111 (w).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>40</sub>NO<sub>7</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 538.2799,  
found: 538.2803.

TLC (50% acetone in hexanes), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.75 (UV, CAM).



### **Amino Ketoester (-)-S9:**

Iodotrimethylsilane (26  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.18 mmol, 14 equiv) was added via syringe to a solution of keto ester (-)-44 (7.1 mg, 13  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) and 2,6-di-*tert*-butyl-4-methyl-pyridine (670 mg, 3.25 mmol, 250 equiv) in dichloromethane (500  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$  under an argon atmosphere. Additional portions of iodotrimethylsilane (8  $\times$  26  $\mu\text{L}$ ) were added at 1 h intervals until complete consumption of (-)-44 was observed by TLC analysis (~8 h). Isopropanol (300  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1 M, 6 mL) were added, and the biphasic reaction mixture was stirred vigorously at 23 $^\circ\text{C}$ . After 2 h, the organic layer and the aqueous layer were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (4  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting yellow oil via flash column chromatography (silica gel, treated with 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [35% EtOAc in hexanes], diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 4 cm; eluent: 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [5% EtOAc in hexanes] to 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$  in [35% EtOAc in hexanes] then 5% methanol in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ) afforded the pentacyclic amino ketoester (-)-S9 (4.1 mg, 66%) as a clear film ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -4.7$  (c 0.15,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, and HMBC.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

3.75 (app-d,  $J = 11.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_9\text{H}$ ), 3.64 (s, 3H,  $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 3.57 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.19-3.11 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 2.93 (app-t,  $J = 5.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}$ ), 2.50 (app-d,  $J = 14.0$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_4\text{H}'$ ), 2.22-2.13 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}$ ), 2.00-1.91 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.88-1.81 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}$ ), 1.75-1.63 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ), 1.57-1.49 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_7\text{H}$ ), 1.46-0.97 (m, 8H,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ ), 0.72 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H,  $\text{C}_1\text{H}$ ), 0.77-0.62 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ), 0.21 (br-s, 9H,  $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

195.6 ( $\text{C}_{16}$ ), 171.7 ( $\text{C}_{19}$ ), 167.1 ( $\text{C}_{18}$ ), 127.9 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 82.8 ( $\text{C}_{20}$ ), 77.5 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 58.7 ( $\text{C}_2$ ), 57.7 ( $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 55.4 ( $\text{C}_6$ ), 53.3 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 51.4 ( $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 50.6 ( $\text{C}_9$ ), 48.2 ( $\text{C}_5$ ), 47.2 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 46.2 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 41.0 ( $\text{C}_7$ ), 33.6 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 32.2 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 31.0 ( $\text{C}_3$ ), 30.4 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 24.8 ( $\text{C}_4$ ), 23.7 ( $\text{C}_1$ ), 22.7 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ), 2.6 ( $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

2927 (s), 2855 (m), 1741 (s,  $\text{COOMe}$ ), 1673 (s,  $\text{C=O}$ ), 1251 (w), 1113 (w), 842 (m).

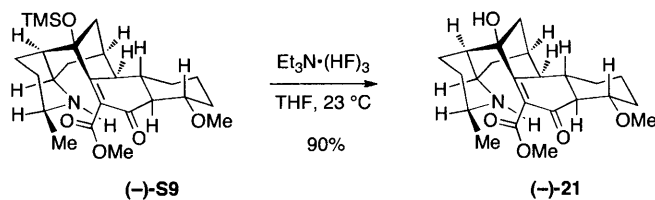
HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $C_{26}H_{42}NO_5Si$   $[M+H]^+$ : 476.2827,  
found: 476.2820.

TLC (5% Methanol in  $CH_2Cl_2$ ), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.33 (UV, CAM).





### **Pentacyclic amino alcohol (-)-21:**

Triethylamine trihydrogen fluoride (0.114 mL, 0.700 mmol, 82.0 equiv) was added via syringe to a solution of pentacyclic amine (-)-S9 (4.0 mg, 8.4  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in tetrahydrofuran (100  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 23 $^\circ\text{C}$  under an argon atmosphere. After 4 h, aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1 M, 5 mL) was added to quench excess acid. The reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane (5 mL), and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (4  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting residue via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.5 cm, ht. 3 cm; eluent: 2% to 5% to 10% methanol in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ) afforded the pentacyclic amino alcohol (-)-21 (3 mg, 90%) as a clear film ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -24$  ( $c$  0.080,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, and HMBC.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

3.69 (dd,  $J = 1.8, 11.4$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>9</sub>H), 3.55 (s, 6H, COOCH<sub>3</sub>, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.28-3.19 (m, 1H, C<sub>14</sub>H), 2.93-2.83 (m, 2H, C<sub>6</sub>H, OH), 2.57 (app-d,  $J = 12.6$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>4</sub>HH'), 2.21-2.13 (m, 2H, C<sub>15</sub>H, C<sub>2</sub>H), 1.97 (app-dd,  $J = 4.2, 13.2$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>13</sub>HH'), 1.89 (app-t,  $J = 5.4$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>5</sub>H), 1.76 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>8</sub>H), 1.73-1.68 (m, 1H, C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.57 (app-dd,  $J = 3.8, 11.2$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 1.50 (ddd,  $J = 3.2, 6.1, 14.3$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 1.45-1.17 (m, 6H, C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>12</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>10</sub>H), 1.17-1.08 (m, 1H, C<sub>13</sub>HH'), 0.97 (app-d,  $J = 16.2$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 0.85-0.74 (m, 1H, C<sub>12</sub>HH'), 0.71 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H<sub>3</sub>), 0.62 (app-dq,  $J = 3.4, 11.9$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>11</sub>HH').

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

195.7 (C<sub>16</sub>), 174.9 (C<sub>19</sub>), 169.1 (C<sub>18</sub>), 127.3 (C<sub>17</sub>), 80.4 (C<sub>20</sub>), 77.6 (C<sub>14</sub>), 58.8 (C<sub>2</sub>), 57.6 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 55.2 (C<sub>6</sub>), 53.2 (C<sub>15</sub>), 52.3 (C<sub>9</sub>), 52.1 (COOCH<sub>3</sub>), 48.1 (C<sub>21</sub>), 47.8 (C<sub>5</sub>), 46.3 (C<sub>10</sub>), 40.9 (C<sub>7</sub>), 32.7 (C<sub>8</sub>), 32.1 (C<sub>13</sub>), 30.9 (C<sub>3</sub>), 30.3 (C<sub>11</sub>), 24.9 (C<sub>4</sub>), 23.6 (C<sub>1</sub>), 22.9 (C<sub>12</sub>).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

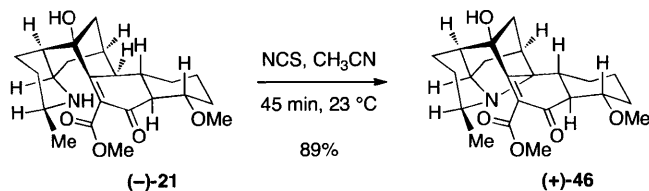
2921 (s), 2850 (m), 1734 (m, COOMe), 1671 (m, C=O), 1460 (m), 1261 (w), 1111 (w).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{34}\text{NO}_5$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 404.2431, found: 404.2432.

TLC (8% MeOH in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>), *R<sub>f</sub>*:

0.38 (UV, CAM).



**(+)-Hexacyclic ketoester (46):**

Freshly recrystallized *N*-chlorosuccinimide (1.6 mg, 12  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 2.0 equiv) was added as a solid to a solution of amino alcohol (-)-**21** (2.5 mg, 6.2  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in acetonitrile (0.3 mL) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the reaction mixture sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 45 min, the reaction solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was immediately purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.25 cm, ht. 2 cm; eluent: 3% methanol in dichloromethane) to afford hexacyclic ketoester (+)-**46** (2.2 mg, 89%) as a white solid ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +20$  ( $c$  0.11,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, ROESY, and NOESY.

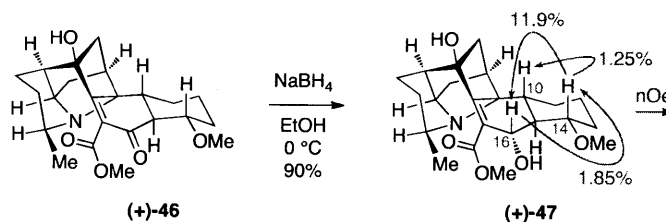
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 3.56 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.48 (s, 3H,  $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 3.37 (br-s, 1H, OH), 3.24-3.18 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 3.13-3.04 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ), 2.88 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}$ ), 2.39-2.33 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ), 2.07-1.96 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.80 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}$ ), 1.77-1.73 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.65-1.58 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ ), 1.55-1.46 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.40-1.24 (m, 4H,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.23-1.14 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.11 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H,  $\text{C}_1\text{H}$ ), 1.07 (app-d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ ), 0.97-0.78 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ): 195.8 ( $\text{C}_{16}$ ), 171.9 ( $\text{C}_{19}$ ), 169.5 ( $\text{C}_{18}$ ), 123.0 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 81.0 ( $\text{C}_{20}$ ), 78.2 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 69.9 ( $\text{C}_6$ ), 66.0 ( $\text{C}_9$ ), 57.6 ( $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 56.3 ( $\text{C}_2$ ), 52.7 ( $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 52.6 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 49.9 ( $\text{C}_5$ ), 49.9 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 46.2 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 45.0 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 37.5 ( $\text{C}_7$ ), 32.1 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 27.9 ( $\text{C}_3$ ), 27.3 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 26.4 ( $\text{C}_4$ ), 25.0 ( $\text{C}_1$ ), 23.8 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3373 (br, s), 2923 (s), 1771 (m), 1712 (s), 1664 (s), 1461 (m), 1348 (m), 1269 (m), 1180 (m), 1091 (w), 802 (w).

HRMS (ESI): calc'd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{32}\text{NO}_5$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 402.2275, found: 402.2290.

TLC (15% MeOH in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ), *R*<sub>f</sub>: 0.56 (CAM).



**(+)-16-Debenzoyl-himandrine (47):**

Sodium borohydride (4.0 mg, 0.11 mmol, 10 equiv) was added as a solid to a solution of hexacyclic ketoester (+)-46 (4.0 mg, 9.9 mmol, 1 equiv) in ethanol (150  $\mu\text{L}$ ) at 0  $^\circ\text{C}$ , and the reaction mixture was sealed under an argon atmosphere. After 30 min, aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1 M, 0.5 mL) was added, and the layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (4  $\times$  5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification of the resulting residue via flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 1.25 cm, ht. 1.5 cm; eluent: 5% methanol in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ) afforded the hexacyclic diol (+)-47 (3.6 mg, 90%) as a single diastereomer ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = +28$  ( $c$  0.035,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ). Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, and HMBC.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

4.53 (app-d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}$ ), 4.22 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_{20}\text{OH}$ ), 3.84 (s, 3H,  $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 3.86-3.80 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_{16}\text{OH}$ ), 3.43-3.37 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}$ ), 3.40 (s, 3H,  $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 3.31 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}$ ), 3.08 (dt,  $J = 4.2, 10.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}$ ), 2.27-2.12 (m, 5H,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}$ ,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}$ ), 1.94 (br-s, 1H,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}$ ), 1.90-1.68 (m, 4H,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_4\text{HH}'$ ), 1.65-1.56 (m, 2H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{21}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.52 (app-d,  $J = 10.2$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_7\text{HH}'$ ), 1.46 (app-dq,  $J = 3.6, 12.6$  Hz, 1H,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{HH}'$ ), 1.34 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H,  $\text{C}_1\text{H}$ ), 1.38-1.30 (m, 1H,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}$ ), 1.29-1.08 (m,  $\text{C}_3\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{HH}'$ ,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{HH}'$ ).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

170.7 ( $\text{C}_{18}$ ), 158.8 ( $\text{C}_{19}$ ), 118.2 ( $\text{C}_{17}$ ), 87.5 ( $\text{C}_{14}$ ), 80.7 ( $\text{C}_{20}$ ), 72.3 ( $\text{C}_{16}$ ), 69.5 ( $\text{C}_6$ ), 67.6 ( $\text{C}_9$ ), 56.4 ( $\text{OCH}_3$ ), 55.9 ( $\text{C}_2$ ), 52.5 ( $\text{COOCH}_3$ ), 49.6 ( $\text{C}_5$ ), 49.3 ( $\text{C}_8$ ), 48.4 ( $\text{C}_{15}$ ), 44.9 ( $\text{C}_{21}$ ), 42.9 ( $\text{C}_{10}$ ), 37.6 ( $\text{C}_7$ ), 30.4 ( $\text{C}_{13}$ ), 27.3 ( $\text{C}_3$ ), 27.0 ( $\text{C}_{11}$ ), 25.7 ( $\text{C}_4$ ), 24.3 ( $\text{C}_{12}$ ), 24.0 ( $\text{C}_1$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ :

3496 (br, s), 2930 (s), 2858 (m), 1733 (m), 1689 (m), 1459 (m), 1281 (m), 1262 (m), 1080 (m).

HRMS (ESI):

calc'd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{34}\text{NO}_5$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 404.2431, found: 404.2428.

TLC (10% Methanol in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ),  $R_f$ :

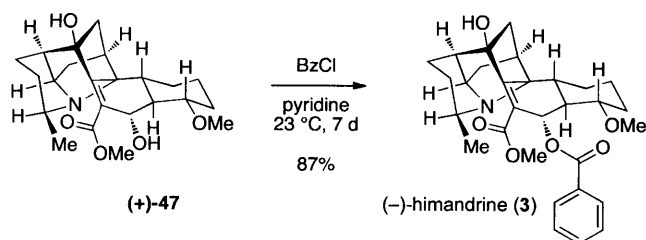
0.19 (UV, CAM).

**Comparison of our assignments for (+)-16-debenzoyl-himandrine (47) with literature data:**

Assignment	Original report <sup>10</sup> (+)-16-Debenzoyl-himandrine (47) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 60 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (+)-16-Debenzoyl-himandrine (47) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 600 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (+)-16-Debenzoyl-himandrine (47) ( <sup>13</sup> C, 125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )
C1	1.33 (d, <i>J</i> = 7 Hz)	1.34 (d, <i>J</i> = 7.2 Hz)	24.0
C2	3.30 (br)	3.43-3.37 (m) <sup>11</sup>	55.9
C3, C4, C8, C13, C15	–	2.27-2.12 (m)	27.3 (C3), 25.7 (C4), 49.3 (C8), 30.4 (C13), 48.4 (C15)
C5	–	1.94 (br-s)	49.6
C6	3.30 (br)	3.31 (br-s)	69.5
C4, C7, C12, C21	–	1.90-1.68 (m)	25.7 (C4), 44.9 (C21), 24.3 (C12)
C7	–	1.52 (app-d, <i>J</i> = 10.2 Hz)	37.6
C9	–	–	67.6
C10	–	1.38-1.30 (m)	42.9
C11, C21	–	1.65-1.56 (m)	27.0 (C11), 44.9 (C21)
C11	–	1.46 (app-dq, <i>J</i> = 3.6, 12.6 Hz)	27.0
C3, C12, C13	–	1.29-1.08 (m)	27.3 (C3), 24.3 (C12), 30.4 (C13)
C14	3.10 (br)	3.08 (dt, <i>J</i> = 4.2, 10.2 Hz)	87.5
C1	4.60 (d, <i>J</i> = 8.0 Hz)	4.53 (app-d, <i>J</i> = 7.2 Hz)	72.3
C17	–	–	118.2
C18	–	–	170.7
C19	–	–	158.8
C20	–	–	80.7
C20-OH	4.20 (s)	4.22 (br-s)	–
C16-OH	3.80 (s)	3.86-3.80 (br-s)	–
COOCH <sub>3</sub>	3.88 (s)	3.84 (s)	52.5
OCH <sub>3</sub>	3.43 (s)	3.40 (s)	56.4

<sup>10</sup> Chemical degradation of himandrine (3) gave (+)-16-debenzoyl-himandrine (47); see Mander, L. N.; Prager, R. H.; Rasmussen, M.; Ritchie, E.; Taylor, W. C. *Aust. J. Chem.*, **1967**, *20*, 1473.

<sup>11</sup> Our assignment of the C2 methine is supported by our gCOSY, HSQC and HMBC data. The original paper (ref. 10) listed both C2 and C6 methines at 3.30 ppm (br). Our 2D data reveals the C2 methine is actually obscured by the methyl ether signal (3.40 ppm), while C6 methine alone corresponds to the signal at 3.31 ppm (br).



### **(-)-Himandrine (3):**

Freshly distilled benzoyl chloride (0.1 mL) was added to a solution of alcohol (+)-47 (2.0 mg, 4.9  $\mu\text{mol}$ , 1 equiv) in pyridine (0.12 mL) at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$  under an argon atmosphere. After 7 d, the reaction mixture was diluted with dichloromethane (5 mL) and aqueous sodium carbonate solution (1.0 M, 2 mL). After 30 min, the layers were separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane (3  $\times$  10 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, were filtered, and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel: diam. 0.5 cm, ht. 5 cm; eluent: 3% methanol in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ) to afford (-)-himandrine (**3**, 2.0 mg, 87%) ( $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -21$  (c 0.12,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )).<sup>12</sup> Structural assignment utilized additional information from gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and ROESY. Crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction were obtained from dichloromethane–hexanes (5:1). For a thermal ellipsoid representation of (-)-himandrine (**3**) see page 119

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

7.94 (app-d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.49 (app-t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.39 (app-t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, ArH), 6.18 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>16</sub>H), 4.54 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>20</sub>OH), 3.58 (s, 3H, COOCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.53–3.44 (m, 1H, C<sub>2</sub>H), 3.35 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>6</sub>H), 3.12 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 3.05 (dt,  $J = 4.2, 10.8$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>14</sub>H), 2.44–2.37 (m, 1H, C<sub>15</sub>H), 2.34–2.27 (m, 1H, C<sub>4</sub>HH'), 2.23–2.08 (m, 3H, C<sub>8</sub>H, C<sub>13</sub>HH', C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 2.03 (br-s, 1H, C<sub>5</sub>H), 1.91–1.75 (m, 4H, C<sub>7</sub>HH', C<sub>12</sub>HH', C<sub>4</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.68–1.62 (m, 2H, C<sub>11</sub>HH', C<sub>21</sub>HH'), 1.57 (app-d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz, 1H, C<sub>7</sub>HH'), 1.45 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H, C<sub>1</sub>H), 1.45–1.42 (m, 2H, C<sub>10</sub>H, C<sub>11</sub>HH'), 1.41–1.33 (m, 1H, C<sub>3</sub>HH'), 1.33–1.27 (m, 1H, C<sub>12</sub>HH'), 1.13–1.04 (m, 1H, C<sub>13</sub>HH').

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 20  $^\circ\text{C}$ ):

169.6 (C<sub>18</sub>), 165.7 (ArC=O), 163.2 (C<sub>19</sub>), 132.7 (ArCH), 131.4 (ArCH), 129.6 (ArCH), 128.6 (ArCH), 116.6 (C<sub>17</sub>), 85.5 (C<sub>14</sub>), 81.1 (C<sub>20</sub>), 72.9 (C<sub>16</sub>), 69.5 (C<sub>6</sub>), 67.7 (C<sub>9</sub>), 56.7 (OCH<sub>3</sub>), 55.8 (C<sub>2</sub>), 52.3 (COOCH<sub>3</sub>), 50.2 (C<sub>5</sub>), 49.4 (C<sub>8</sub>), 45.9 (C<sub>15</sub>), 44.8 (C<sub>21</sub>), 43.4 (C<sub>10</sub>), 37.4 (C<sub>7</sub>), 30.8 (C<sub>13</sub>), 27.7 (C<sub>3</sub>), 27.3 (C<sub>11</sub>), 25.7 (C<sub>4</sub>), 24.6 (C<sub>1</sub>), 23.8 (C<sub>12</sub>).

<sup>12</sup> The magnitude of the optical rotation of (-)-himandrine (**3**) is sensitive to concentration:  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -12$  (c 0.060,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).

FTIR (thin film)  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3429 (br, s), 2919 (s), 2852 (s), 1727 (s), 1687 (m), 1450 (w), 1276 (m), 1268 (s), 1097 (m), 1066 (w), 709 (w).

HRMS (ESI) calc'd for  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{38}\text{NO}_6$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 508.2694, found: 508.2694.

TLC (15% MeOH in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ), *R<sub>f</sub>*: 0.60 (UV, CAM)

**Comparison of our assignments for (–)-himandrine (3) with literature:**

Assignment	Isolation paper <sup>13</sup> (–)-Himandrine (3) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 60 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report (–)-Himandrine (3) ( <sup>1</sup> H, 600 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )	This report <sup>14</sup> (–)-Himandrine (3) ( <sup>13</sup> C, 125 MHz, CDCl <sub>3</sub> )
C1	1.48 (d, <i>J</i> = 7 Hz)	1.45 (d, <i>J</i> = 6.6 Hz)	24.6
C2	3.38(br)	3.53-3.44 (m) <sup>15</sup>	55.8
C3	–	1.41-1.33 (m)	27.7 (C3), 23.8 (C12), 30.8 (C13)
C3, C8, C13	–	2.23-2.08 (m)	27.7 (C3), 49.4 (C8), 30.8 (C13)
C4	–	2.34-2.27 (m)	25.7
C5	–	2.03 (br-s)	50.2
C6	3.38 (br)	3.35 (br-s)	69.5
C4, C7, C12, C21	–	1.91-1.75 (m)	25.7 (C4), 44.8 (C21), 23.8 (C12)
C7	–	1.57 (app-d, <i>J</i> = 11.4 Hz)	37.4
C9	–	–	67.7
C10, C11	–	1.45-1.42 (m)	43.4 (C10), 27.3 (C11)
C11, C21	–	1.68-1.62 (m)	27.3 (C11), 44.8 (C21)
C12	–	1.33-1.27 (m)	23.8 (C12)
C13	–	1.13-1.04 (m)	30.8 (C13)
C14	3.10 (br)	3.05 (dt, <i>J</i> = 4.2, 10.8 Hz)	85.5
C15	–	2.44-2.37 (m)	45.9
C16	6.20 (d, <i>J</i> = 8 Hz)	6.18 (d, <i>J</i> = 7.8 Hz)	72.9
C17	–	–	116.6
C18	–	–	169.6
C19	–	–	163.2
C20	–	–	81.1
C20-OH	4.50	4.54 (br-s)	–

<sup>13</sup> The original structure of himandrine was based on X-ray crystallographic analysis of the corresponding hydrobromide salt of 3; see (a) Guise, G. B.; Mander, L. N.; Prager, R. H.; Rasmussen, M.; Ritchie, E.; Taylor, W. C. *Aust. J. Chem.*, **1967**, *20*, 1029, and (b) Willis, A. C.; O'Connor, P. D.; Taylor, W. C.; Mander, L. N. *Aust. J. Chem.*, **2006**, *59*, 629.

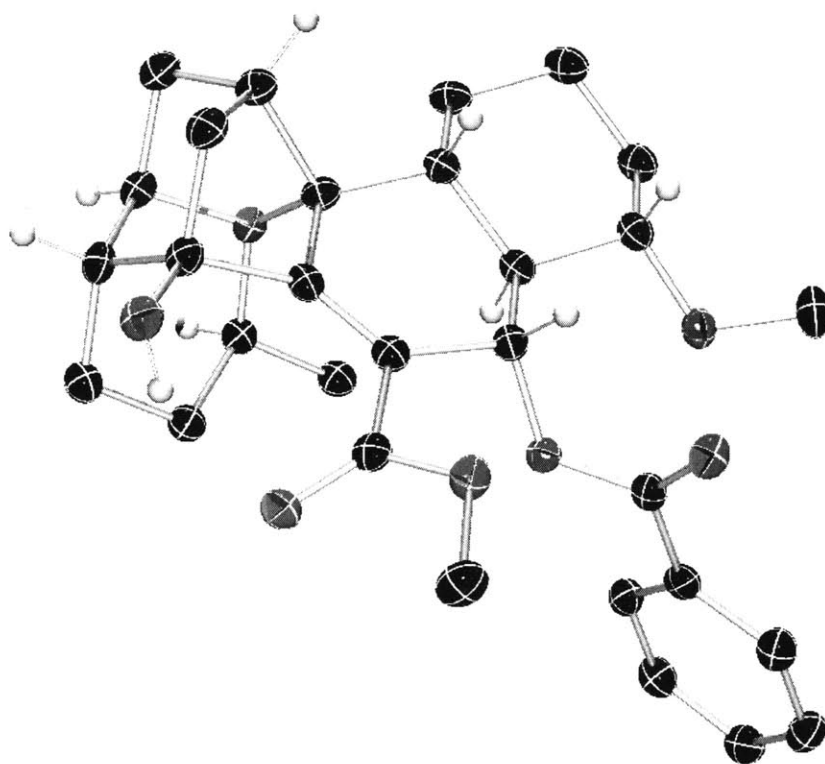
<sup>14</sup> We confirmed the structure of our synthetic (–)-himandrine (3) by both X-ray crystallographic analysis and extensive 2D NMR data,

<sup>15</sup> Our assignment of the C2 methine is supported by our gCOSY, HSQC, HMBC, and ROESY data. Based on the isolation paper, the C2 and C6 methines correspond to the signal at 3.38 ppm (br). Our 2D data reveals the C2 methine is actually at 3.53-3.44 ppm (m), while C6 methine alone corresponds to the signal at 3.35 ppm (br-s).

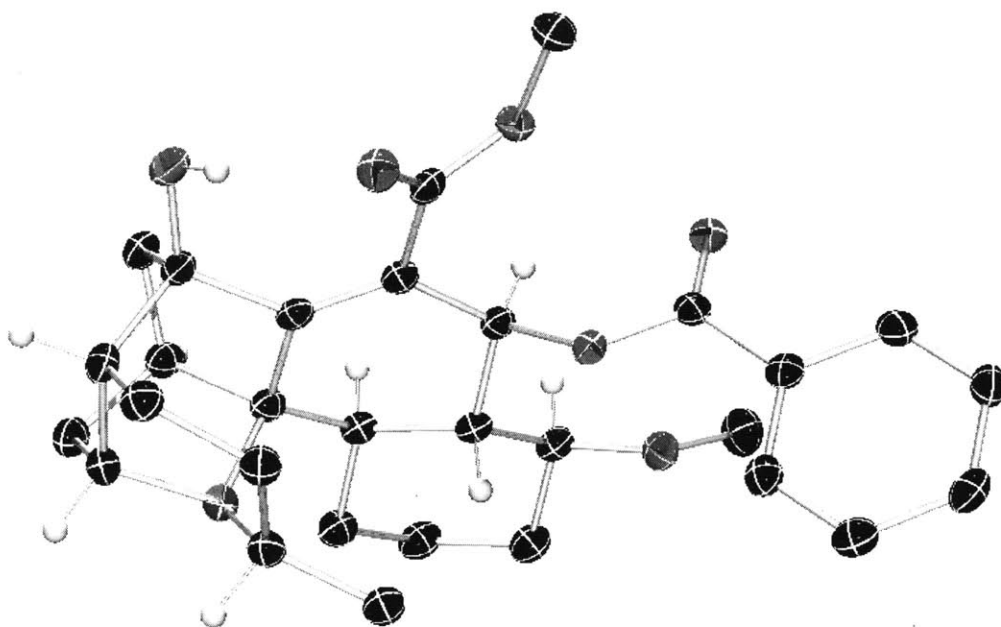


COOCH <sub>3</sub>	–	3.58 (s)	52.3
OCH <sub>3</sub>	3.15 (s)	3.12 (s)	56.7
Bz	7.5 (m), 8.0 (m)	7.94 (app-d, <i>J</i> = 7.8 Hz), 7.49 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 7.2 Hz), 7.39 (app-t, <i>J</i> = 7.2 Hz)	165.7 (ArC=O), 163.2, 132.7, 131.4, 129.6, 128.6 (ArCH)

Crystal Structure of (-)-Himandrine (3).



View 1:



View 2:

**Table S1.** Crystal data and structure refinement for (–)-himandrine (**3**).

Identification code	d8_09005	
Empirical formula	C <sub>30</sub> H <sub>37</sub> N O <sub>6</sub>	
Formula weight	507.61	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P1	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.3136(2) Å	a = 78.8230(10)°.
	b = 8.7575(2) Å	b = 67.4340(10)°.
	c = 10.6508(3) Å	g = 62.0950(10)°.
Volume	632.72(3) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	1	
Density (calculated)	1.332 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	0.746 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	272	
Crystal size	0.30 x 0.25 x 0.03 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	4.50 to 68.74°.	
Index ranges	-10<=h<=10, -8<=k<=10, -12<=l<=12	
Reflections collected	11853	
Independent reflections	3819 [R(int) = 0.0157]	
Completeness to theta = 68.74°	95.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.9780 and 0.8072	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	3819 / 374 / 340	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.050	
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0268, wR2 = 0.0704	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0273, wR2 = 0.0707	
Absolute structure parameter	0.12(12)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.160 and -0.149 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

**Table S2.** Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for (–)-himandrine (**3**).  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
O(1)	9286(2)	-3433(2)	-3435(1)	24(1)
O(2)	6909(2)	3613(2)	906(1)	25(1)
O(3)	10744(1)	-1800(1)	-2501(1)	19(1)
O(4)	10437(2)	1690(2)	-759(1)	25(1)
O(5)	10469(2)	1605(2)	-2855(1)	24(1)
O(6)	11133(2)	-1066(2)	-4733(1)	25(1)
N(1)	5882(2)	-875(2)	1922(1)	20(1)
C(1)	9013(2)	-3652(2)	1181(2)	23(1)
C(2)	7830(2)	-2051(2)	2058(2)	21(1)
C(3)	9083(2)	-1168(2)	1986(2)	22(1)
C(4)	7936(2)	497(2)	2808(2)	25(1)
C(5)	5954(2)	1601(2)	2634(2)	23(1)
C(6)	4864(2)	465(2)	2972(2)	23(1)
C(7)	2890(2)	1421(2)	2799(2)	25(1)
C(8)	3544(2)	1824(2)	1278(2)	23(1)
C(9)	5574(2)	207(2)	662(2)	20(1)
C(10)	5535(2)	-649(2)	-444(2)	20(1)
C(11)	4371(2)	-1710(2)	141(2)	24(1)
C(12)	4213(2)	-2404(2)	-996(2)	26(1)
C(13)	6223(2)	-3455(2)	-1982(2)	25(1)
C(14)	7374(2)	-2392(2)	-2581(2)	21(1)
C(15)	7549(2)	-1665(2)	-1466(2)	19(1)
C(16)	8698(2)	-584(2)	-2059(2)	18(1)
C(17)	8412(2)	634(2)	-1068(2)	19(1)
C(18)	9843(2)	1376(2)	-1511(2)	20(1)
C(19)	6985(2)	1007(2)	139(2)	19(1)
C(20)	6117(2)	2420(2)	1172(2)	21(1)
C(21)	4089(2)	3327(2)	1048(2)	24(1)
C(22)	11947(2)	2234(2)	-3369(2)	28(1)
C(23)	9405(3)	-3736(3)	-4732(2)	34(1)

C(24)	11671(2)	-2049(2)	-3856(2)	20(1)
C(25)	13481(2)	-3698(2)	-4122(2)	20(1)
C(26)	14848(2)	-4000(2)	-5428(2)	24(1)
C(27)	16546(2)	-5528(2)	-5694(2)	26(1)
C(28)	16881(2)	-6760(2)	-4668(2)	25(1)
C(29)	15491(2)	-6478(2)	-3377(2)	25(1)
C(30)	13799(2)	-4961(2)	-3103(2)	22(1)

**Table S3.** Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for (–)-himandrine (**3**).

O(1)-C(23)	1.4142(19)	C(10)-C(15)	1.537(2)
O(1)-C(14)	1.4284(19)	C(11)-C(12)	1.528(2)
O(2)-C(20)	1.412(2)	C(12)-C(13)	1.526(2)
O(3)-C(24) 0.0	1.3541(17)	C(13)-C(14)	1.525(2)
O(3)-C(16)	1.4605(16)	C(14)-C(15)	1.533(2)
O(4)-C(18)	1.2153(19)	C(15)-C(16)	1.535(2)
O(5)-C(18)	1.3318(19)	C(16)-C(17)	1.522(2)
O(5)-C(22)	1.453(2)	C(17)-C(19)	1.340(2)
O(6)-C(24)	1.2094(19)	C(17)-C(18)	1.495(2)
N(1)-C(6)	1.482(2)	C(19)-C(20)	1.531(2)
N(1)-C(2)	1.5048(19)	C(20)-C(21)	1.539(2)
N(1)-C(9)	1.5195(19)	C(24)-C(25)	1.493(2)
C(1)-C(2)	1.523(2)	C(25)-C(26)	1.395(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.535(2)	C(25)-C(30)	1.397(2)
C(3)-C(4)	1.534(2)	C(26)-C(27)	1.391(2)
C(4)-C(5)	1.536(2)	C(27)-C(28)	1.390(2)
C(5)-C(6)	1.547(2)	C(28)-C(29)	1.390(2)
C(5)-C(20)	1.566(2)	C(29)-C(30)	1.383(2)
C(6)-C(7)	1.521(2)		
C(7)-C(8)	1.525(2)	C(23)-O(1)-C(14)	114.26(13)
C(8)-C(21)	1.532(2)	C(24)-O(3)-C(16)	117.11(11)
C(8)-C(9)	1.599(2)	C(18)-O(5)-C(22)	115.22(12)
C(9)-C(19)	1.515(2)	C(6)-N(1)-C(2)	107.31(12)
C(9)-C(10)	1.533(2)	C(6)-N(1)-C(9)	101.81(12)
C(10)-C(11)	1.530(2)	C(2)-N(1)-C(9)	124.53(11)

N(1)-C(2)-C(1)	115.50(13)	C(19)-C(17)-C(16)	122.44(14)
N(1)-C(2)-C(3)	115.94(13)	C(18)-C(17)-C(16)	115.91(13)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	111.01(13)	O(4)-C(18)-O(5)	122.83(15)
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	113.00(13)	O(4)-C(18)-C(17)	125.03(14)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	112.15(14)	O(5)-C(18)-C(17)	112.10(13)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	108.71(13)	C(17)-C(19)-C(9)	123.37(15)
C(4)-C(5)-C(20)	112.62(13)	C(17)-C(19)-C(20)	132.98(15)
C(6)-C(5)-C(20)	110.63(13)	C(9)-C(19)-C(20)	102.82(12)
N(1)-C(6)-C(7)	100.94(13)	O(2)-C(20)-C(19)	118.91(13)
N(1)-C(6)-C(5)	108.84(12)	O(2)-C(20)-C(21)	110.00(13)
C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	113.24(14)	C(19)-C(20)-C(21)	96.65(12)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	98.68(12)	O(2)-C(20)-C(5)	111.34(13)
C(7)-C(8)-C(21)	108.84(14)	C(19)-C(20)-C(5)	109.96(12)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	104.54(12)	C(21)-C(20)-C(5)	108.76(12)
C(21)-C(8)-C(9)	103.48(12)	C(8)-C(21)-C(20)	102.03(12)
C(19)-C(9)-N(1)	108.05(12)	O(6)-C(24)-O(3)	125.12(14)
C(19)-C(9)-C(10)	113.70(12)	O(6)-C(24)-C(25)	124.37(14)
N(1)-C(9)-C(10)	117.25(13)	O(3)-C(24)-C(25)	110.49(12)
C(19)-C(9)-C(8)	102.83(13)	C(26)-C(25)-C(30)	119.63(15)
N(1)-C(9)-C(8)	102.66(11)	C(26)-C(25)-C(24)	118.99(14)
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	110.85(12)	C(30)-C(25)-C(24)	121.35(14)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	112.54(13)	C(27)-C(26)-C(25)	119.79(15)
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)	112.64(13)	C(28)-C(27)-C(26)	120.36(15)
C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	113.45(12)	C(29)-C(28)-C(27)	119.70(15)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	110.84(13)	C(30)-C(29)-C(28)	120.32(15)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	110.31(13)	C(29)-C(30)-C(25)	120.15(15)
C(14)-C(13)-C(12)	111.64(14)		
O(1)-C(14)-C(13)	110.51(13)		
O(1)-C(14)-C(15)	107.72(12)		
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	111.57(13)		
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	111.97(12)		
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	110.17(12)		
C(16)-C(15)-C(10)	112.27(13)		
O(3)-C(16)-C(17)	107.10(12)		
O(3)-C(16)-C(15)	106.85(12)		
C(17)-C(16)-C(15)	115.20(12)		
C(19)-C(17)-C(18)	121.64(15)		

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

**Table S4.** Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for (–)-himandrine (**3**). The anisotropic

displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2p^2[ h^2 a^{*2}U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12} ]$

	U <sup>11</sup>	U <sup>22</sup>	U <sup>33</sup>	U <sup>23</sup>	U <sup>13</sup>	U <sup>12</sup>
O(1)	27(1)	25(1)	22(1)	-4(1)	-8(1)	-12(1)
O(2)	26(1)	19(1)	30(1)	-4(1)	-7(1)	-10(1)
O(3)	18(1)	17(1)	21(1)	-2(1)	-6(1)	-7(1)
O(4)	24(1)	27(1)	27(1)	-3(1)	-9(1)	-13(1)
O(5)	28(1)	24(1)	22(1)	-1(1)	-5(1)	-16(1)
O(6)	28(1)	21(1)	22(1)	1(1)	-6(1)	-9(1)
N(1)	21(1)	20(1)	20(1)	-1(1)	-6(1)	-9(1)
C(1)	23(1)	20(1)	26(1)	1(1)	-11(1)	-7(1)
C(2)	21(1)	20(1)	20(1)	1(1)	-7(1)	-8(1)
C(3)	22(1)	22(1)	23(1)	1(1)	-9(1)	-10(1)
C(4)	28(1)	23(1)	26(1)	-1(1)	-11(1)	-11(1)
C(5)	25(1)	21(1)	22(1)	-6(1)	-6(1)	-8(1)
C(6)	23(1)	22(1)	18(1)	-2(1)	-3(1)	-9(1)
C(7)	22(1)	23(1)	26(1)	-4(1)	-4(1)	-8(1)
C(8)	20(1)	20(1)	26(1)	-1(1)	-7(1)	-6(1)
C(9)	18(1)	17(1)	22(1)	0(1)	-6(1)	-7(1)
C(10)	20(1)	18(1)	23(1)	0(1)	-8(1)	-8(1)
C(11)	20(1)	23(1)	30(1)	0(1)	-8(1)	-10(1)
C(12)	25(1)	22(1)	37(1)	-1(1)	-13(1)	-12(1)
C(13)	27(1)	22(1)	32(1)	-3(1)	-12(1)	-12(1)
C(14)	25(1)	17(1)	24(1)	-1(1)	-12(1)	-8(1)
C(15)	20(1)	16(1)	22(1)	0(1)	-10(1)	-8(1)
C(16)	19(1)	16(1)	20(1)	0(1)	-7(1)	-6(1)
C(17)	19(1)	16(1)	22(1)	0(1)	-9(1)	-6(1)
C(18)	19(1)	13(1)	25(1)	-3(1)	-7(1)	-4(1)
C(19)	22(1)	14(1)	22(1)	1(1)	-12(1)	-6(1)
C(20)	21(1)	16(1)	24(1)	-4(1)	-5(1)	-8(1)
C(21)	22(1)	18(1)	26(1)	-3(1)	-7(1)	-5(1)
C(22)	26(1)	28(1)	30(1)	1(1)	-3(1)	-16(1)
C(23)	43(1)	38(1)	24(1)	-5(1)	-13(1)	-17(1)

C(24)	23(1)	20(1)	20(1)	-1(1)	-7(1)	-13(1)
C(25)	22(1)	20(1)	24(1)	-3(1)	-8(1)	-12(1)
C(26)	28(1)	22(1)	24(1)	0(1)	-7(1)	-14(1)
C(27)	25(1)	26(1)	25(1)	-6(1)	-2(1)	-13(1)
C(28)	24(1)	19(1)	33(1)	-8(1)	-9(1)	-7(1)
C(29)	29(1)	21(1)	28(1)	1(1)	-14(1)	-12(1)
C(30)	23(1)	23(1)	23(1)	-4(1)	-6(1)	-12(1)

**Table S5.** Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for (-)-himandrine (**3**).

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(2O)	8110(20)	3030(30)	640(20)	30
H(1A)	8143	-4058	1096	35
H(1B)	9910	-4563	1606	35
H(1C)	9746	-3367	277	35
H(2)	7524	-2517	3011	25
H(3A)	10141	-1984	2333	27
H(3B)	9677	-892	1024	27
H(4A)	8691	1182	2511	29
H(4B)	7748	194	3783	29
H(5)	5198	2559	3302	28
H(6)	4761	-69	3902	27
H(7A)	2059	2484	3344	31
H(7B)	2211	677	3027	31
H(8)	2579	2029	848	28
H(10)	4816	319	-979	24
H(11A)	5010	-2688	693	28
H(11B)	3059	-977	743	28
H(12A)	3524	-3143	-599	32
H(12B)	3459	-1428	-1491	32
H(13A)	6933	-4483	-1499	30
H(13B)	6095	-3862	-2728	30



H(14)	6709	-1411	-3134	26
H(15)	8282	-2670	-962	23
H(16)	8361	97	-2865	22
H(21A)	3174	4219	1749	29
H(21B)	4127	3867	136	29
H(22A)	11418	3381	-3004	43
H(22B)	12362	2309	-4364	43
H(22C)	13058	1435	-3086	43
H(23A)	8788	-4491	-4635	51
H(23B)	10767	-4294	-5306	51
H(23C)	8744	-2634	-5154	51
H(26)	14619	-3166	-6134	29
H(27)	17482	-5729	-6582	31
H(28)	18055	-7790	-4847	31
H(29)	15703	-7331	-2680	30
H(30)	12852	-4778	-2220	27

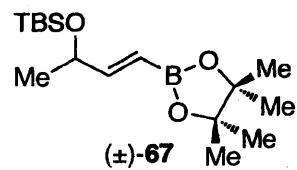
**Table S6.** Hydrogen bonds for (–)-himandrine (**3**) [ $\text{\AA}$  and  $^\circ$ ].

D-H...A	d(D-H)	d(H...A)	d(D...A)	$\angle(\text{DHA})$
O(2)-H(2O)...O(4)	0.834(15)	1.922(17)	2.6693(16)	148.7(19)

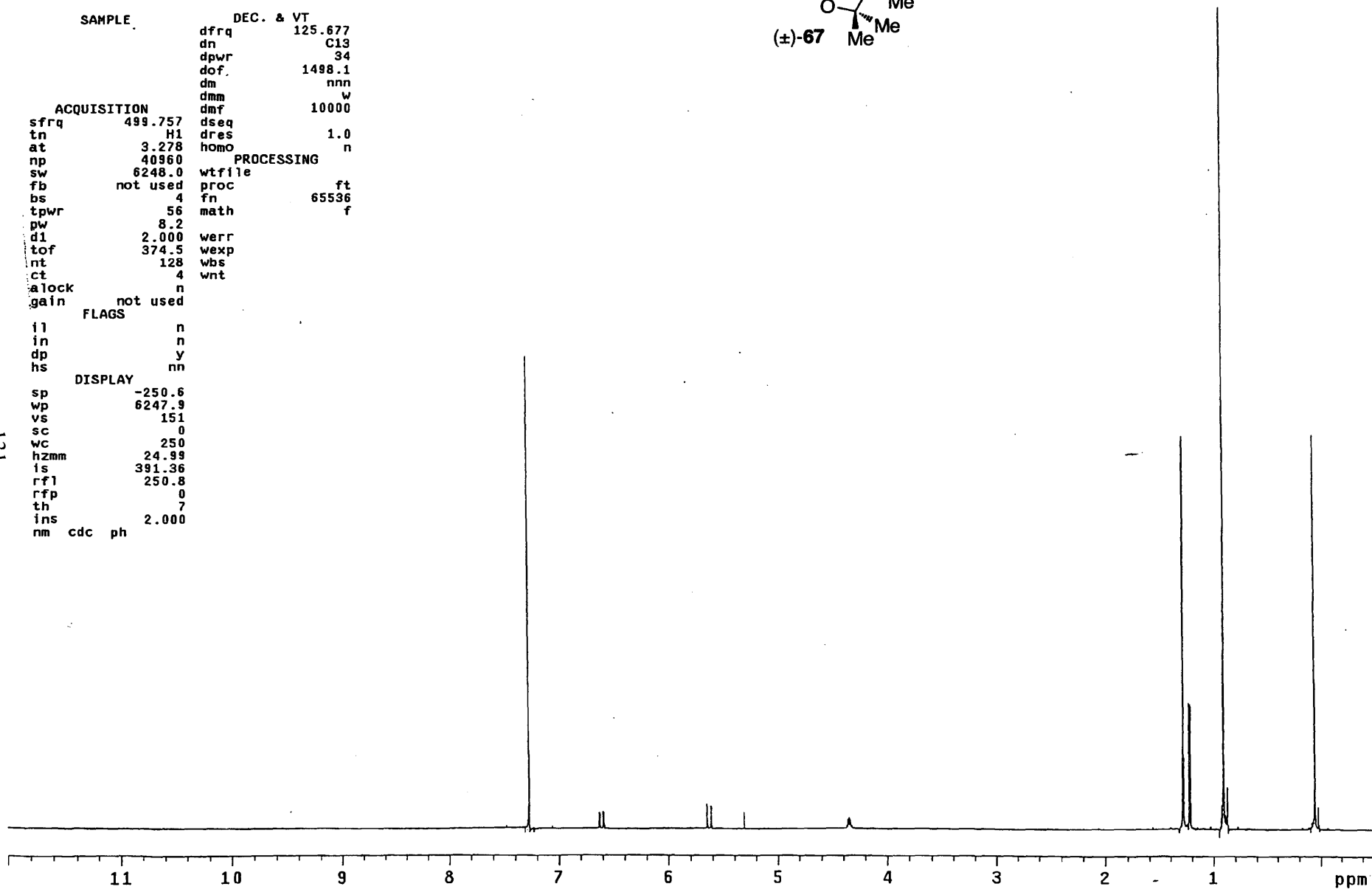
Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

## **Appendix A.**

### **Spectra for Chapter I**



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	dmm	w
	dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		
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tn	H1	dres
at	3.278	homo
np	40960	PROCESSING
sw	6248.0	wf1file
fb	not used	proc
bs	4	fn
tpwr	56	math
pw	8.2	
d1	2.000	werr
tof	374.5	wexp
nt	128	wbs
ct	4	wnt
alock	n	
gain	not used	
FLAGS		
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in	n	
dp	y	
hs	nn	
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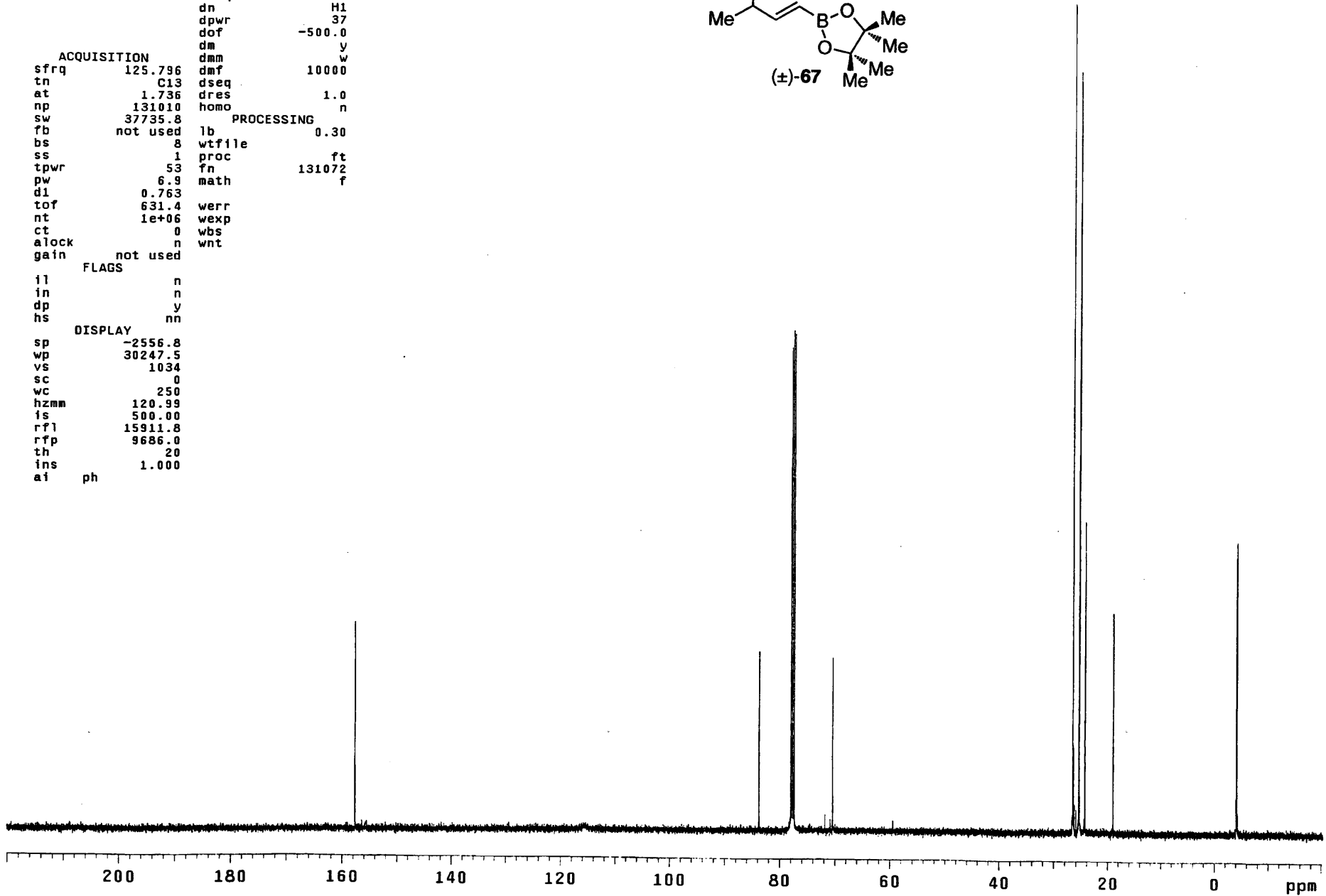
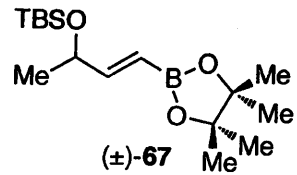
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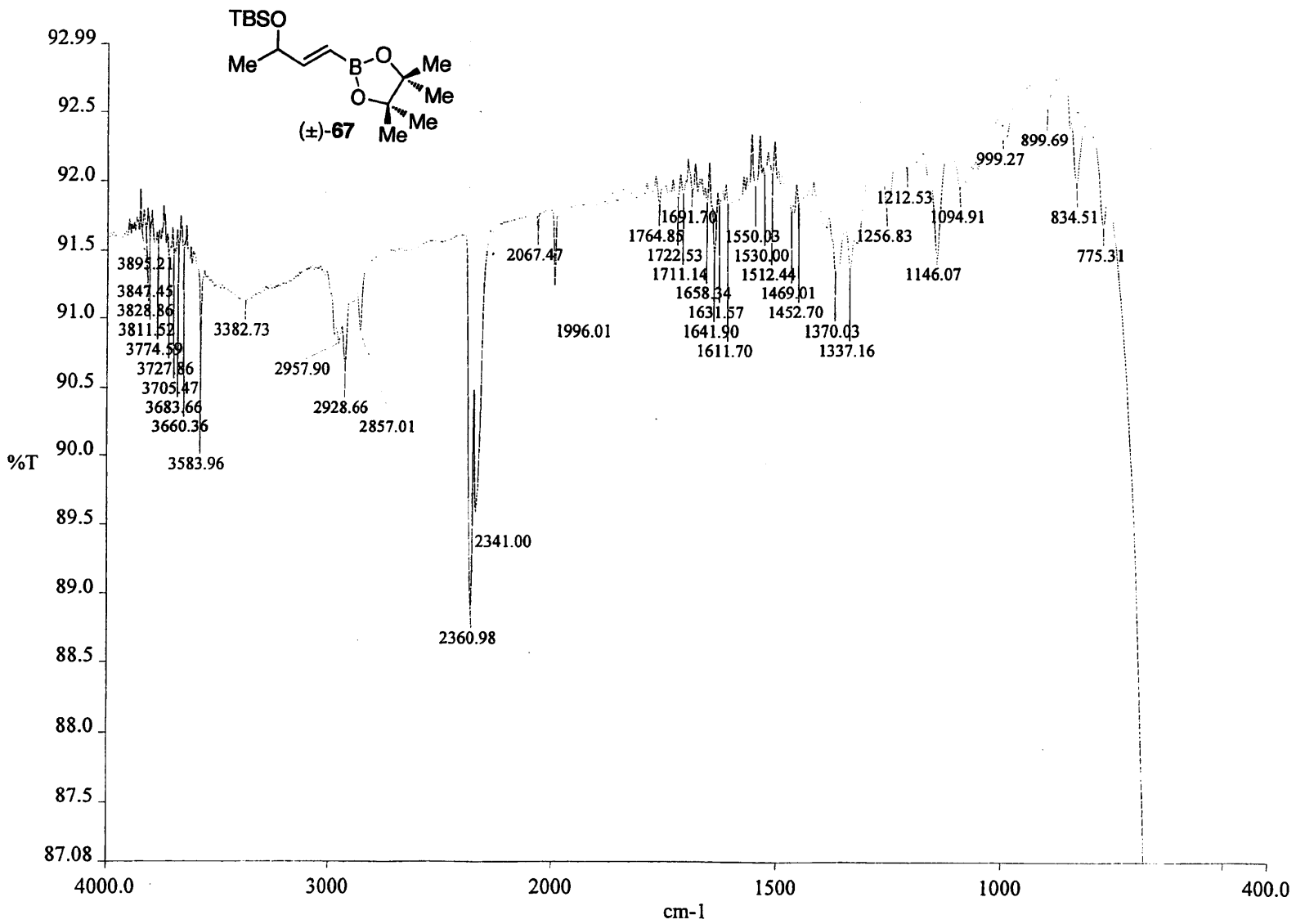
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dm              y
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at              1.736
np              131010
sw              37735.8
fb              not used
bs              8
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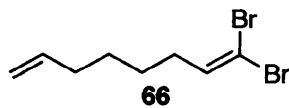
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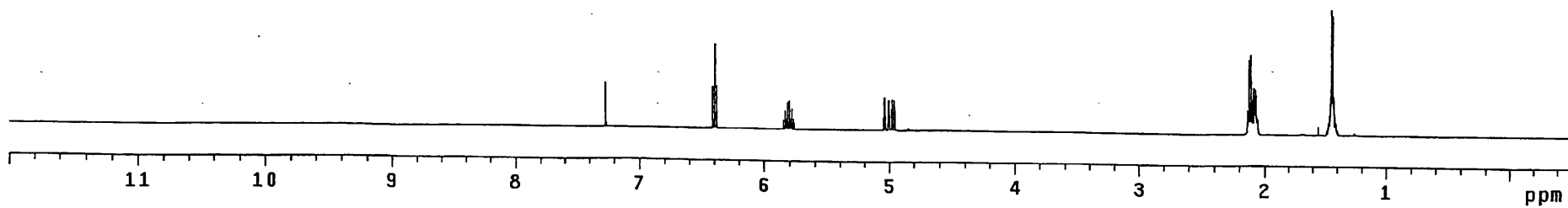
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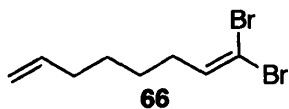




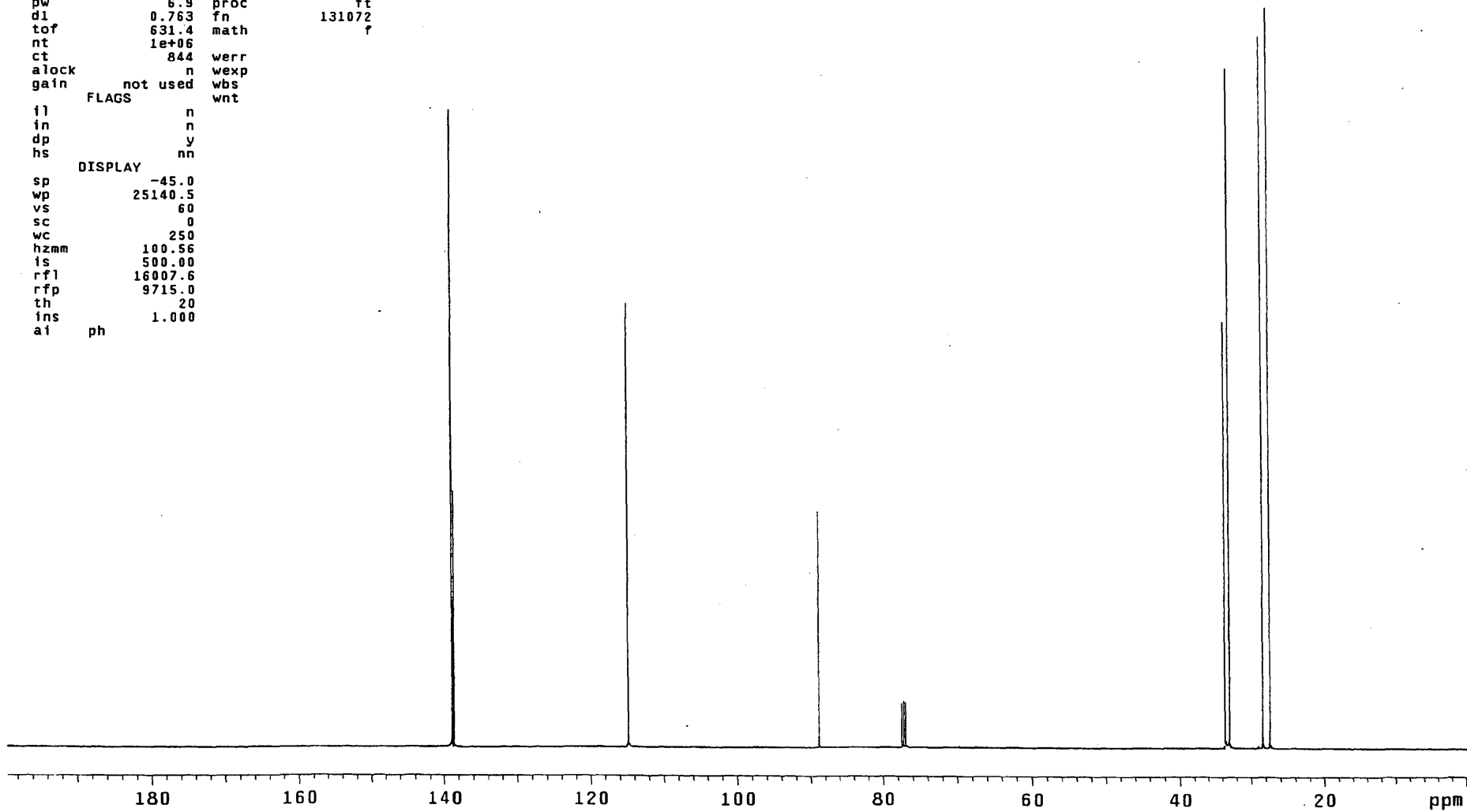


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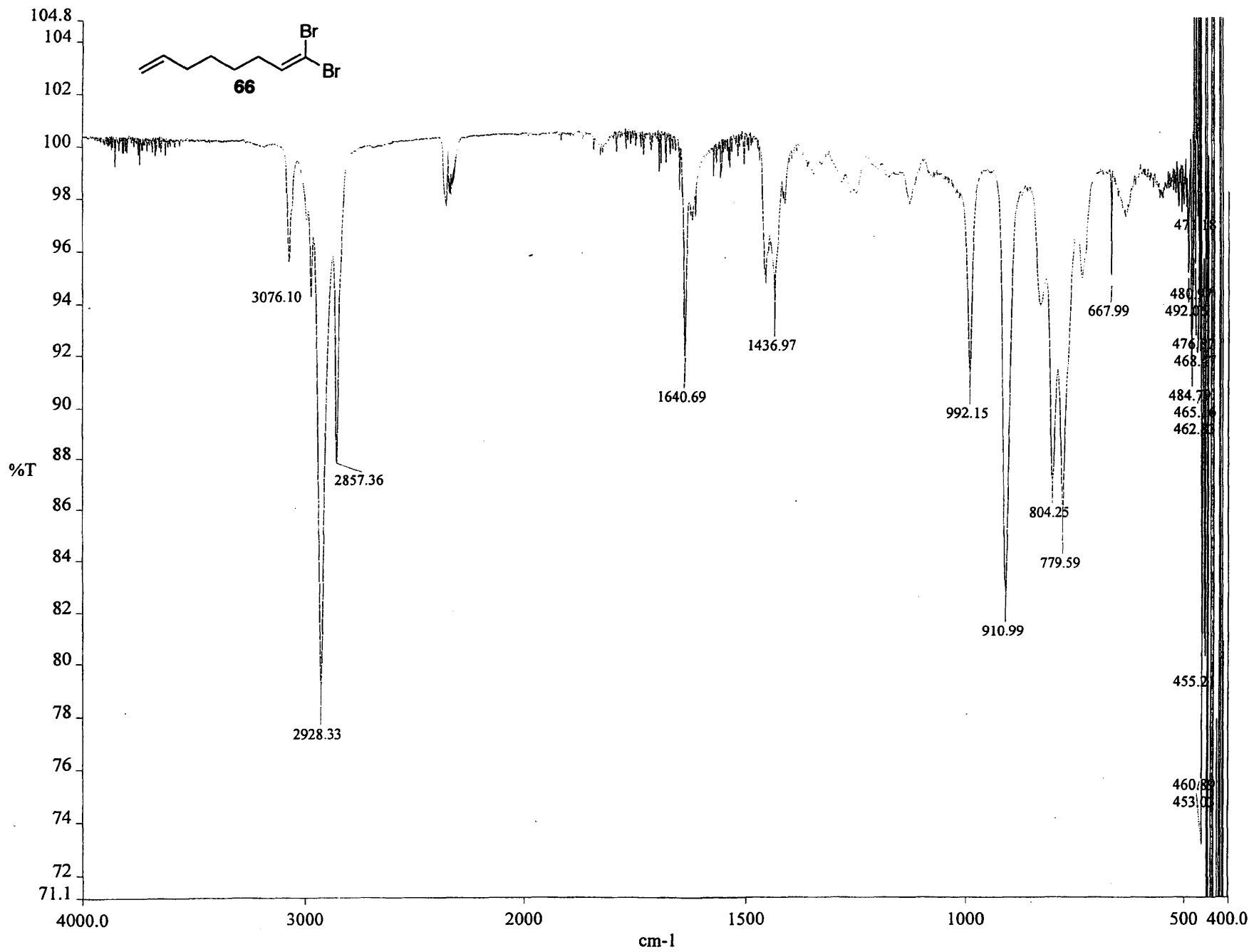




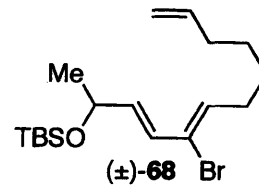
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tn	C13	dm	y
at	1.736	dmm	w
np	131010	dmf	10000
sw	37735.8	dseq	
fb	not used	dres	1.0
bs	4	homo	n
ss	1	PROCESSING	
tpwr	53	lb	0.30
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DEC. & VT

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ACQUISITION

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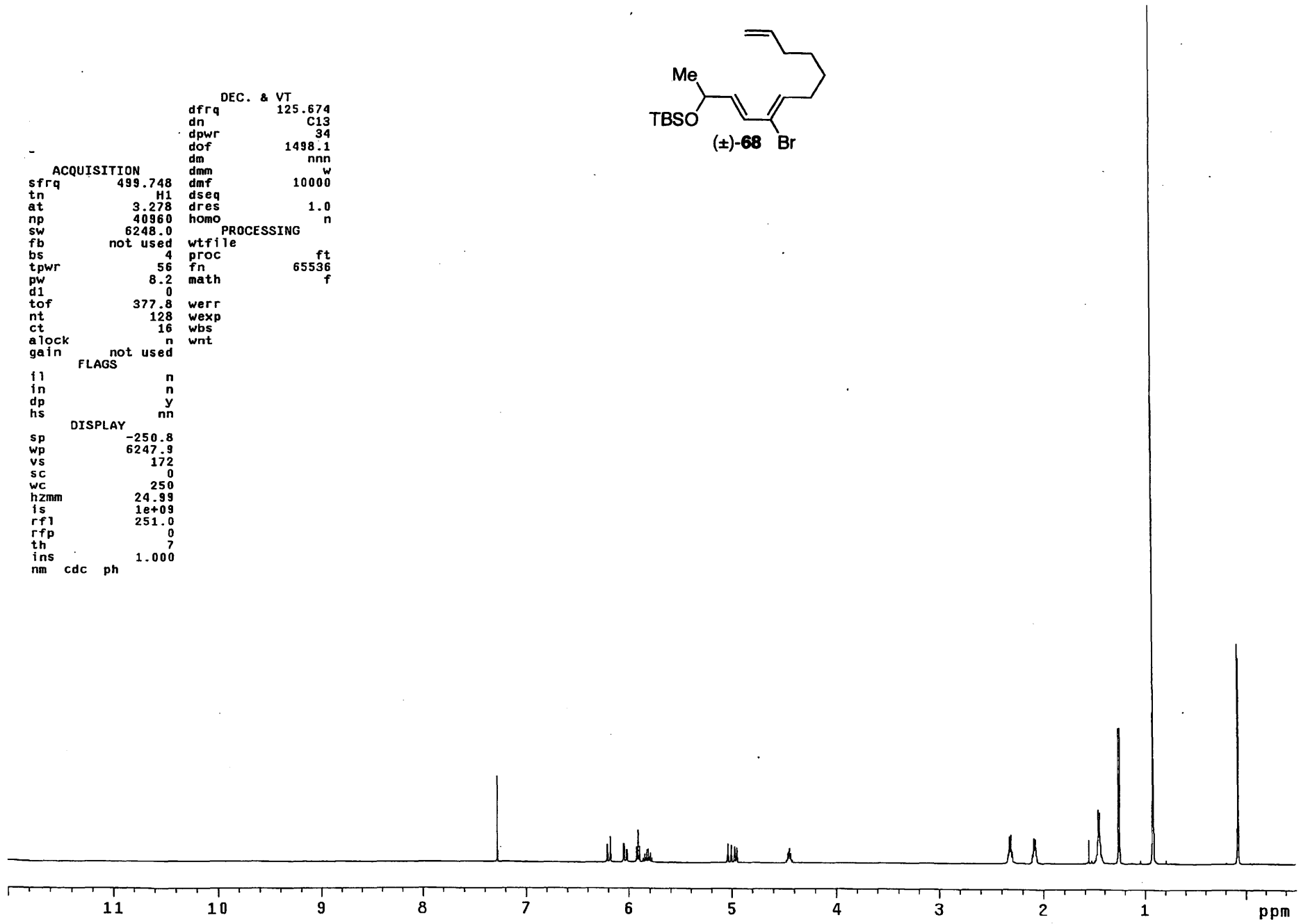
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SAMPLE

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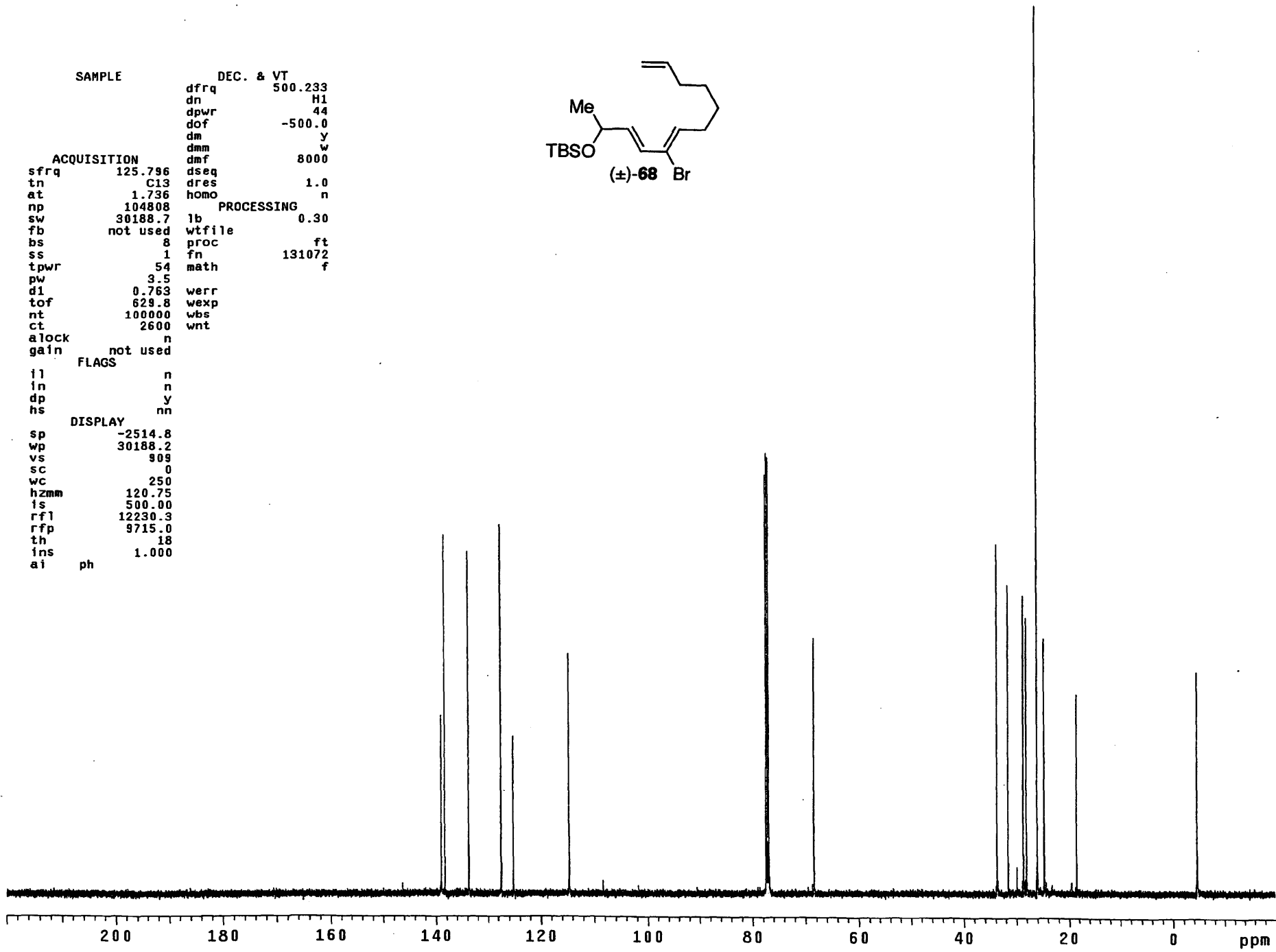
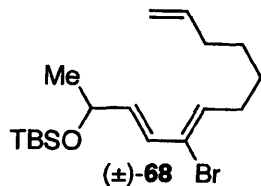
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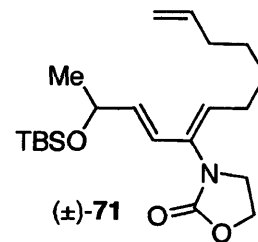
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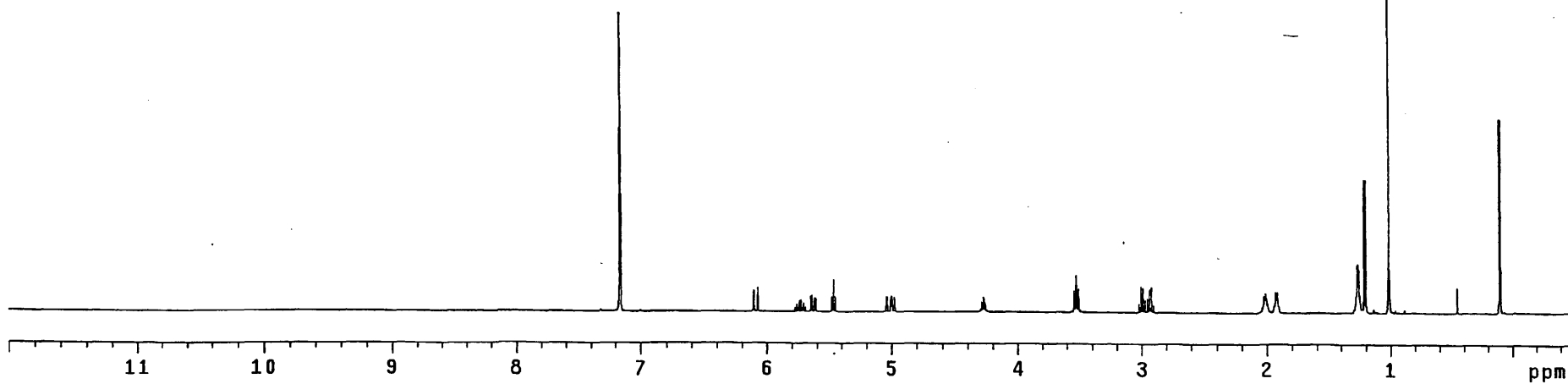
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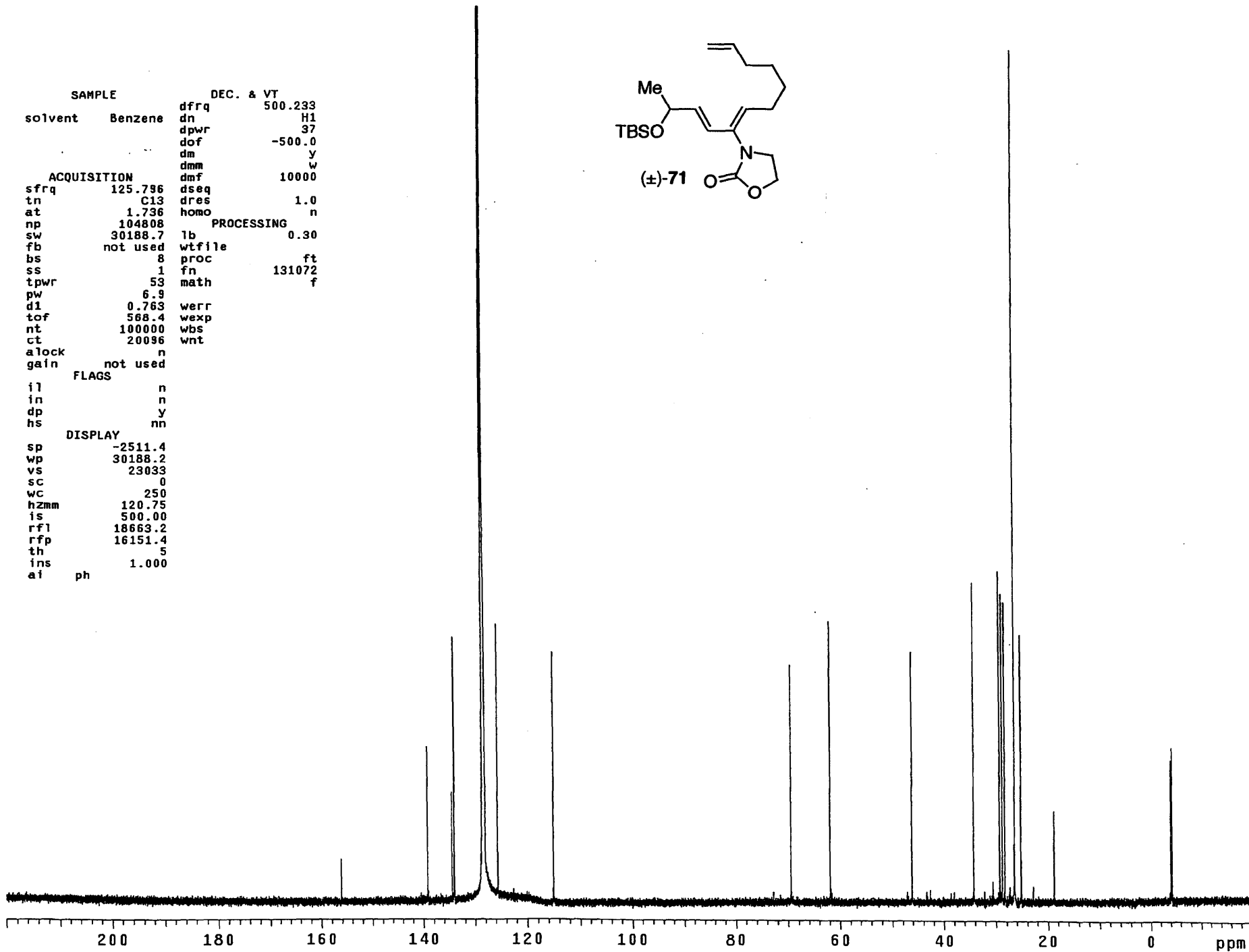
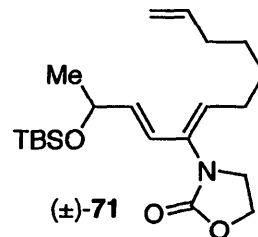


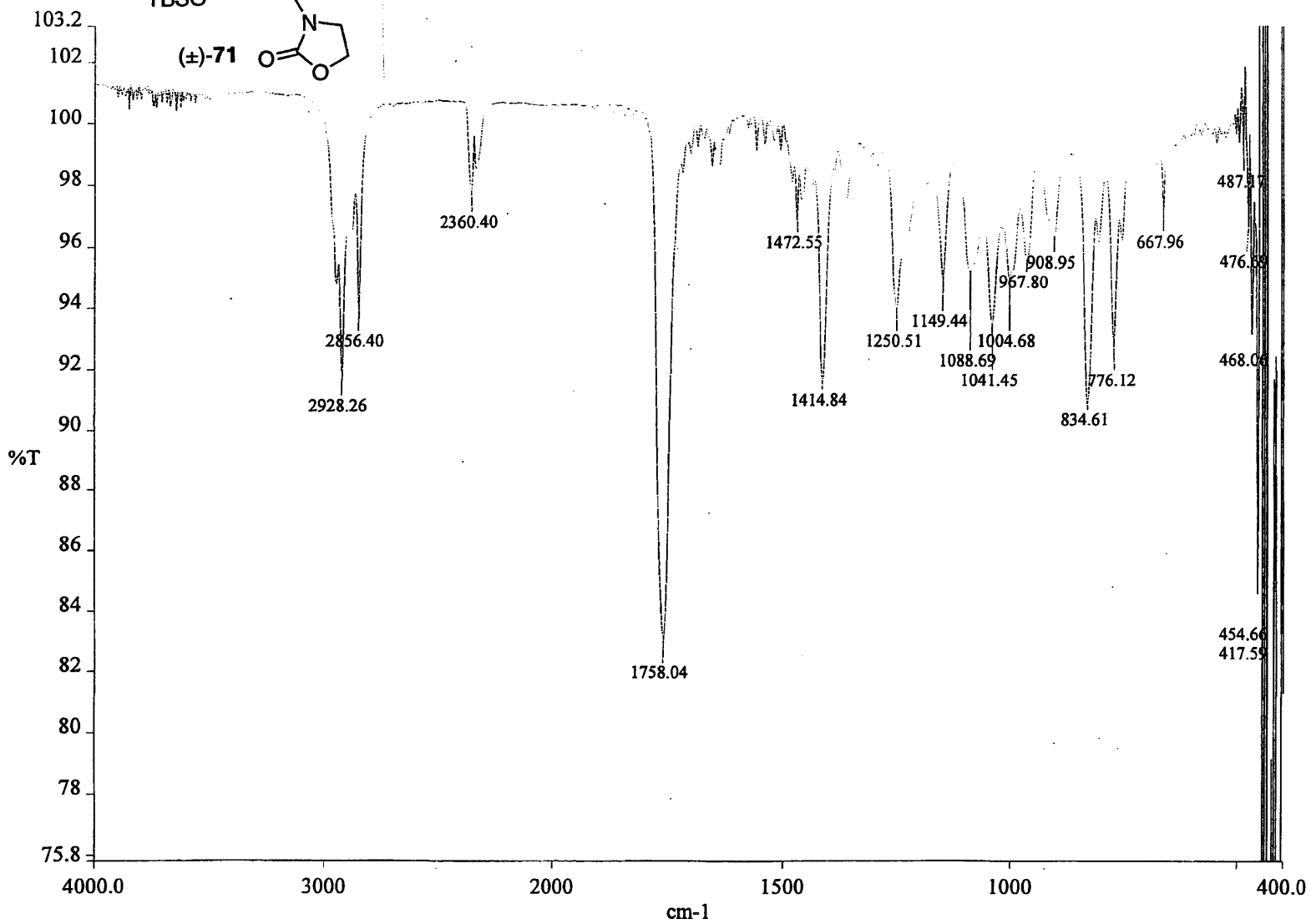
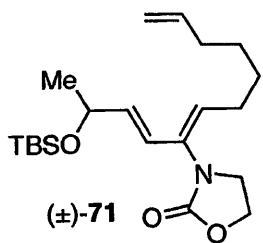


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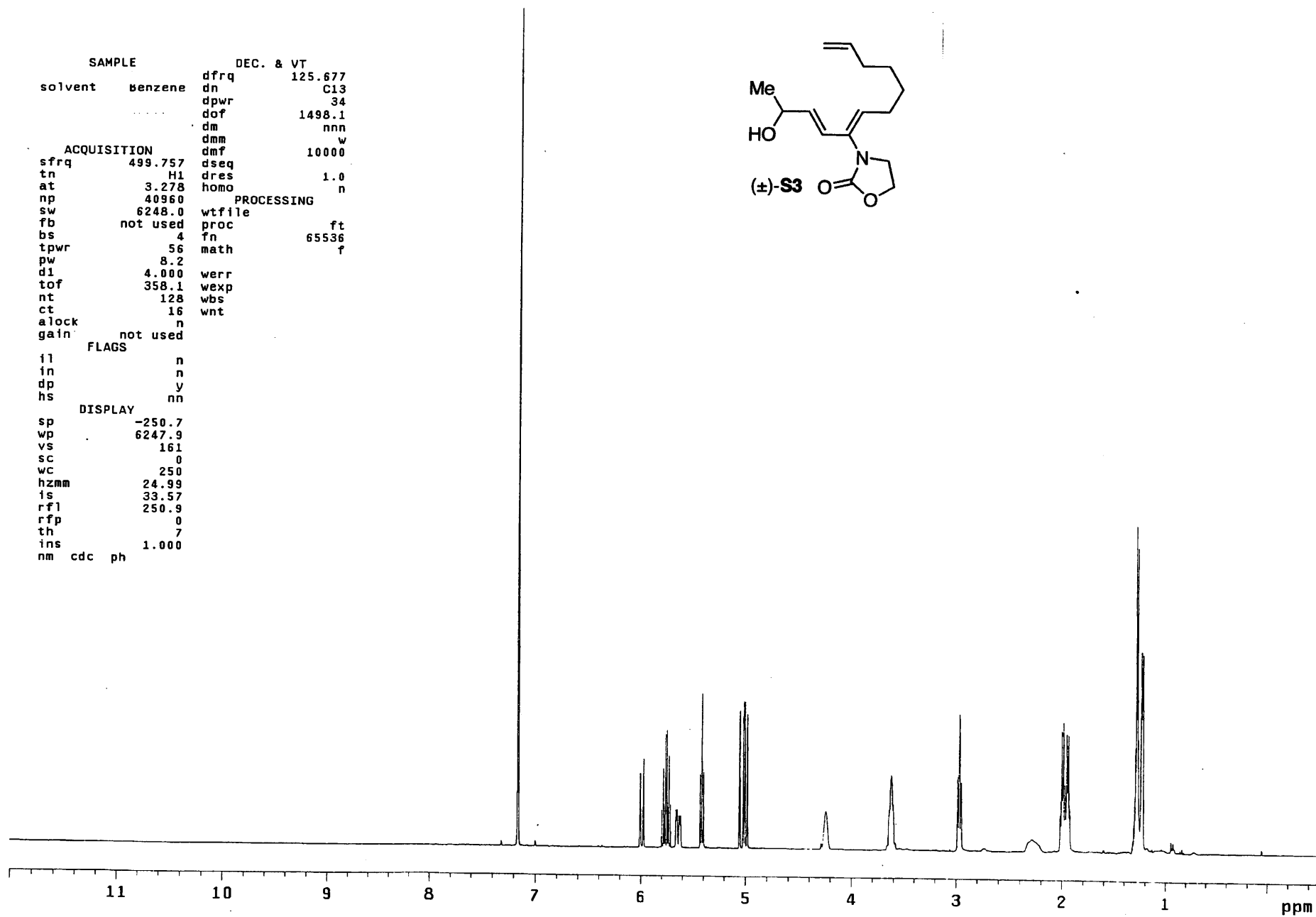
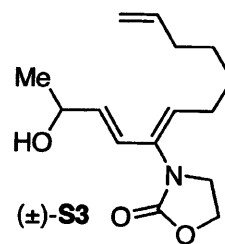


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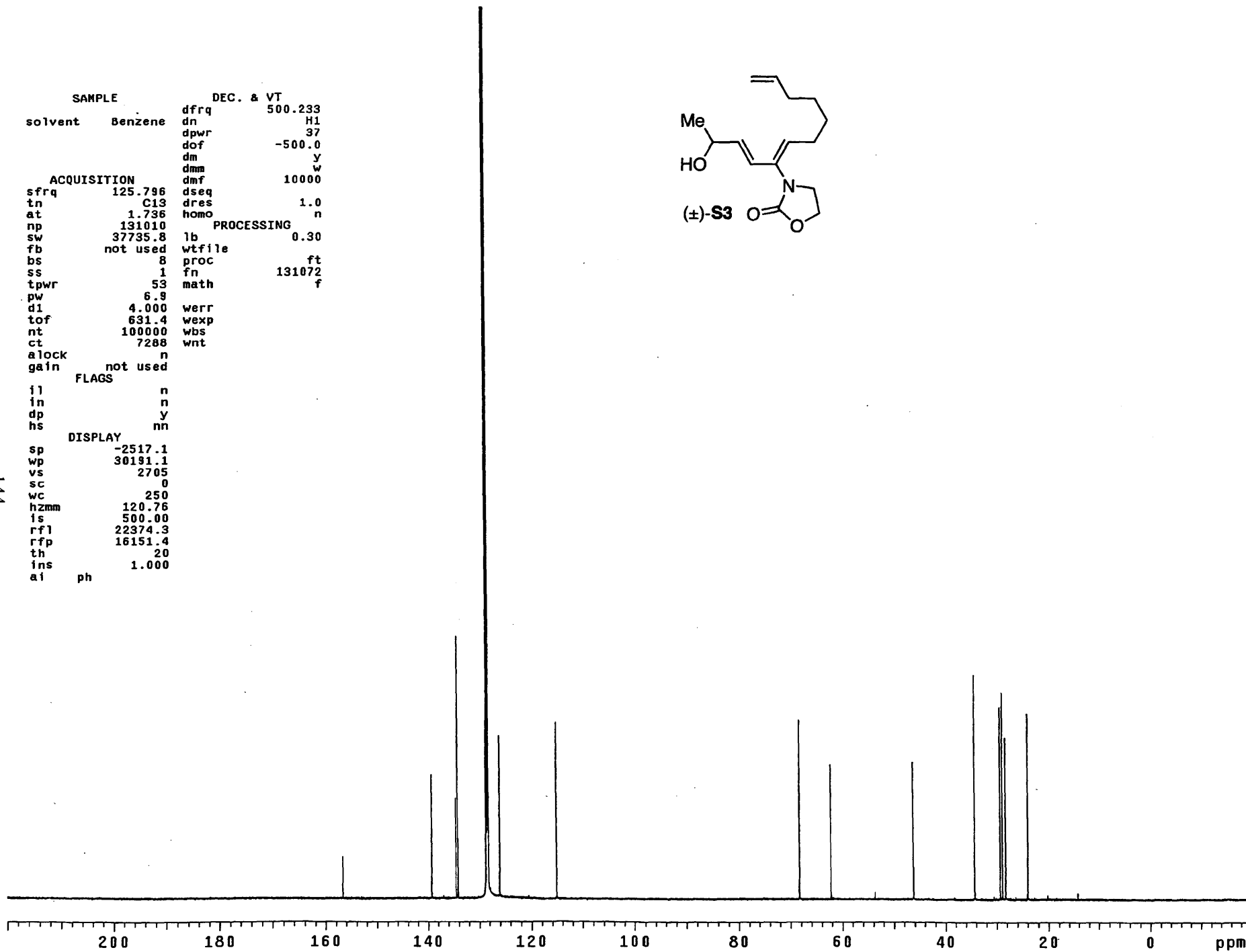
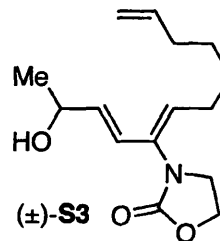




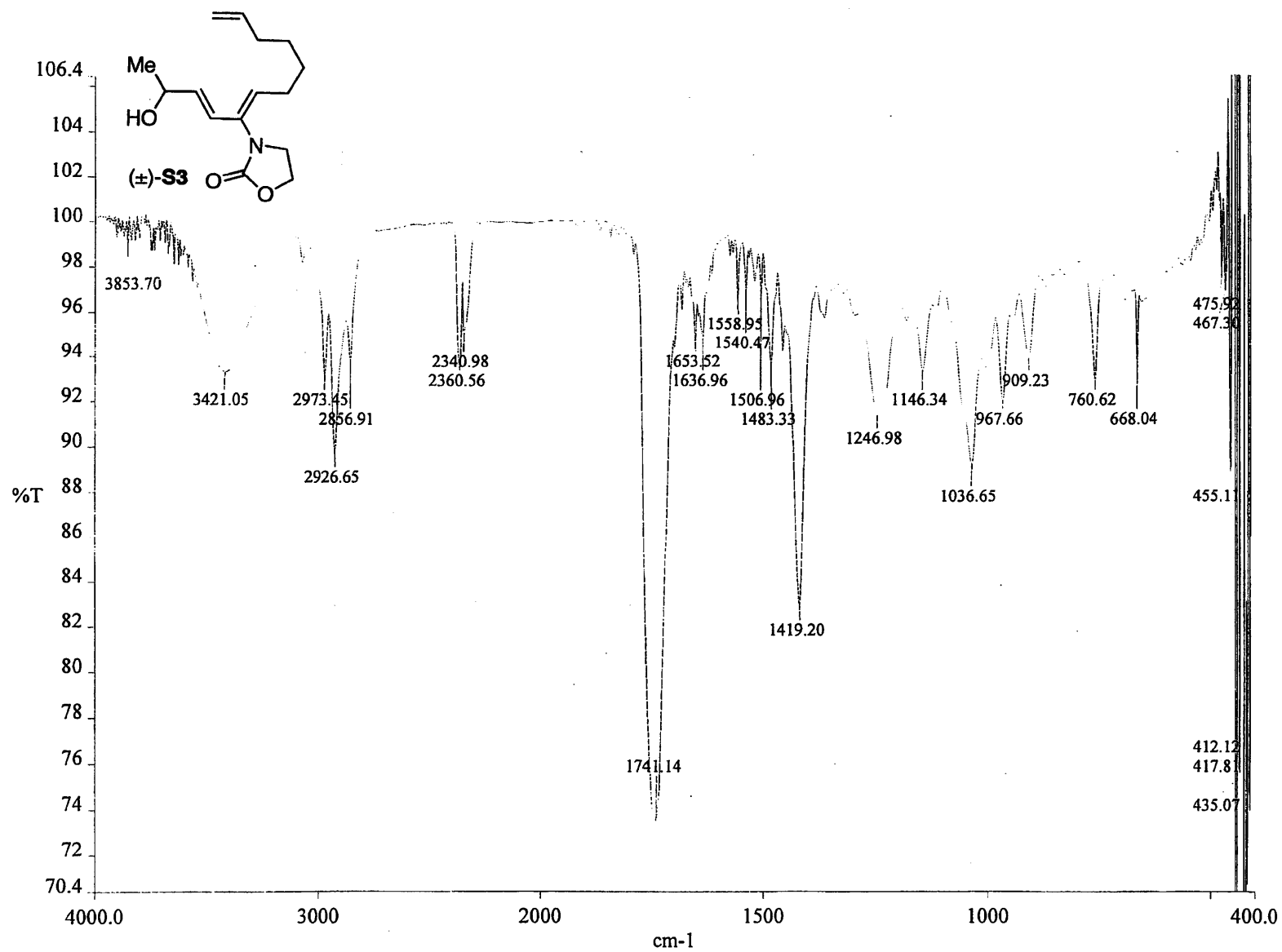
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		dmf	10000
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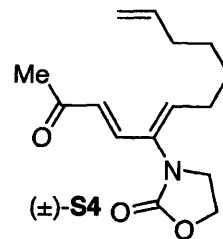


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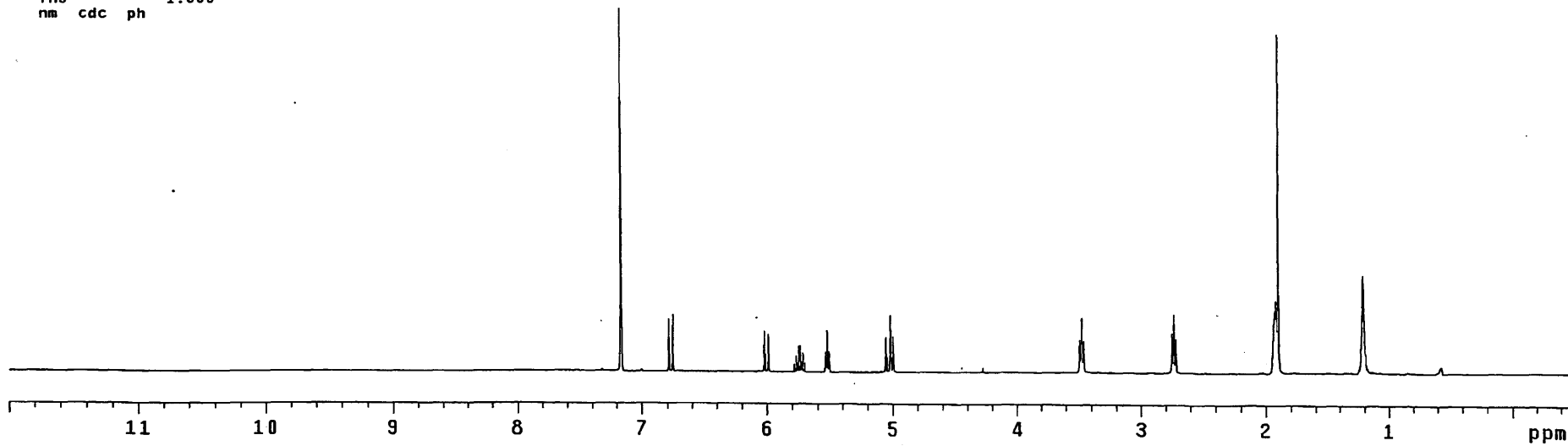




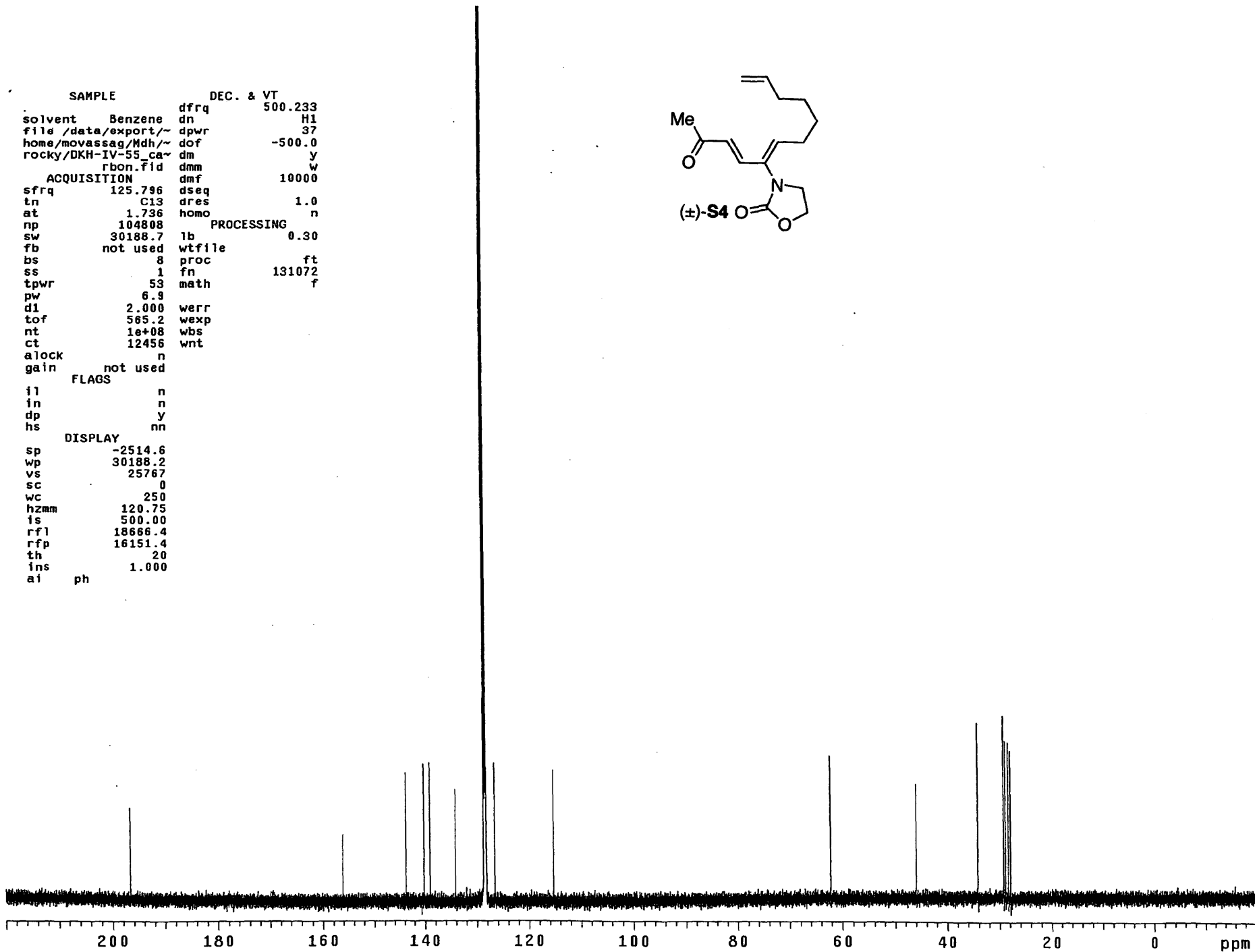
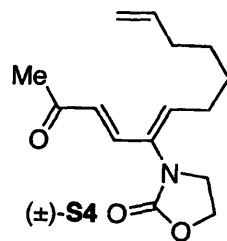


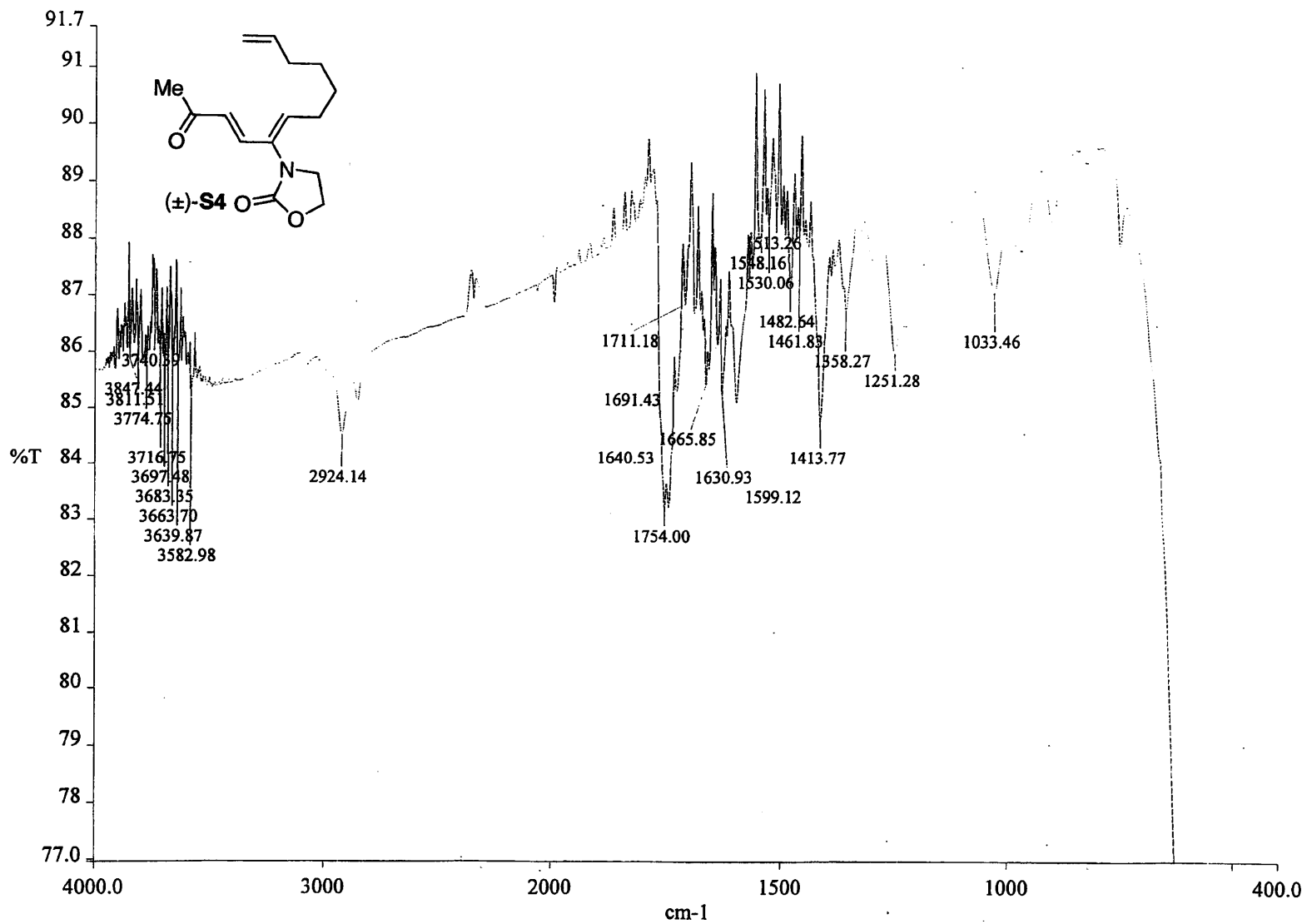


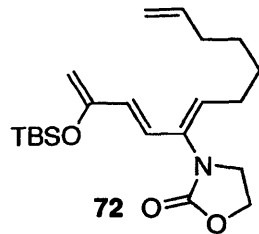
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gain	not used		
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il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
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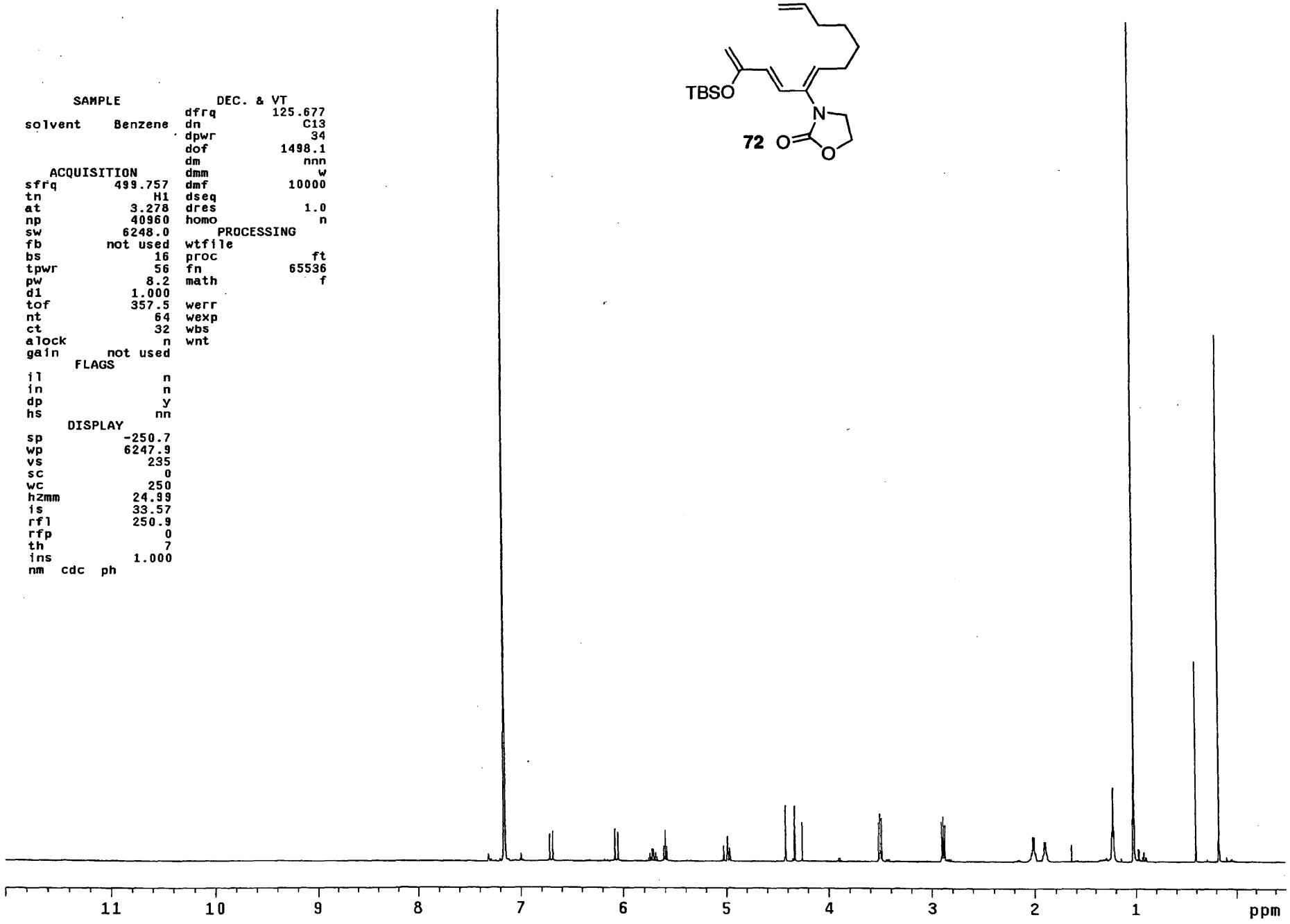
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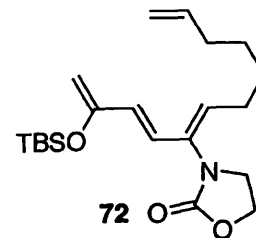




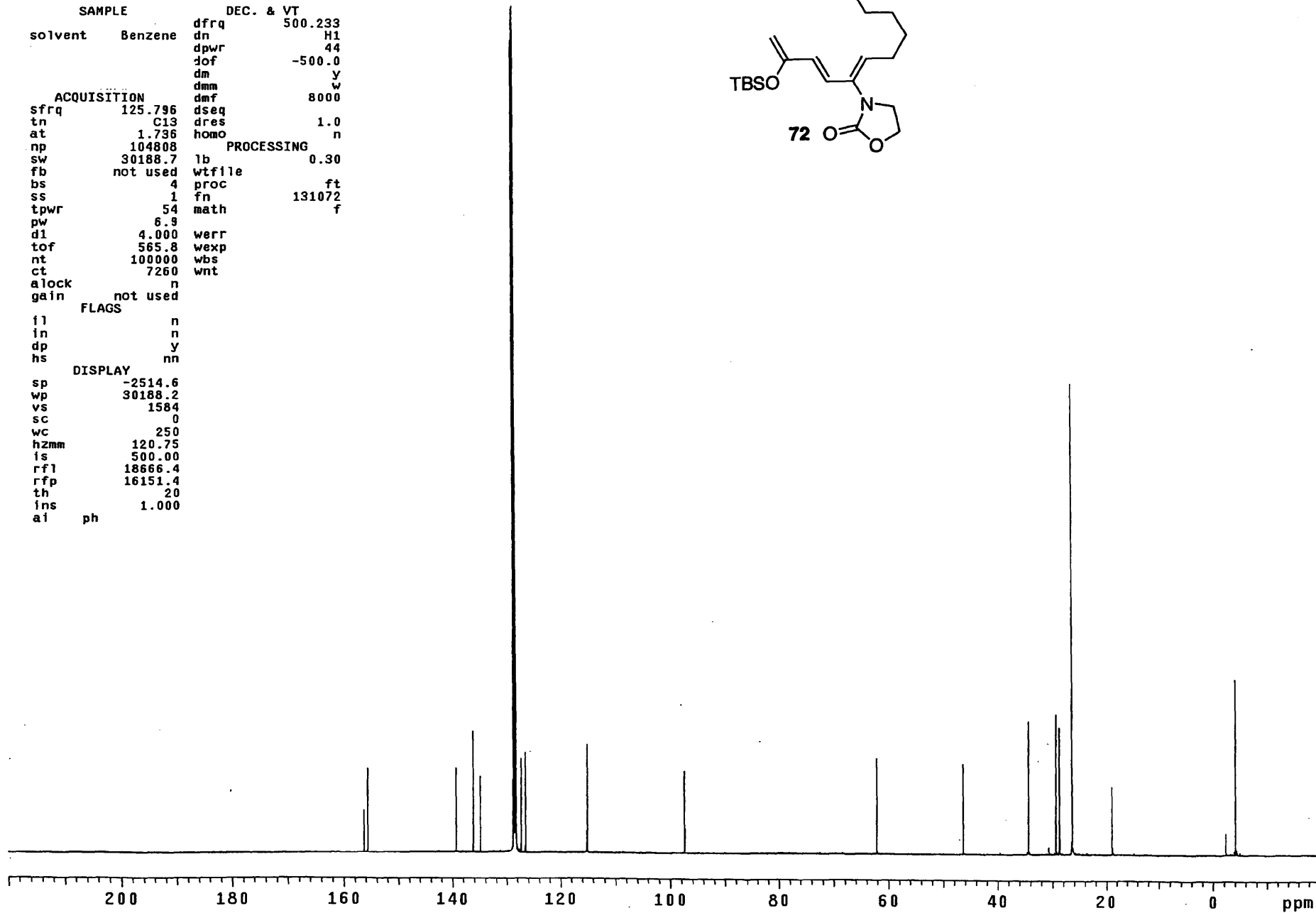
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 dres 1.0  
 homo n  
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 np 40960  
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 pw 8.2  
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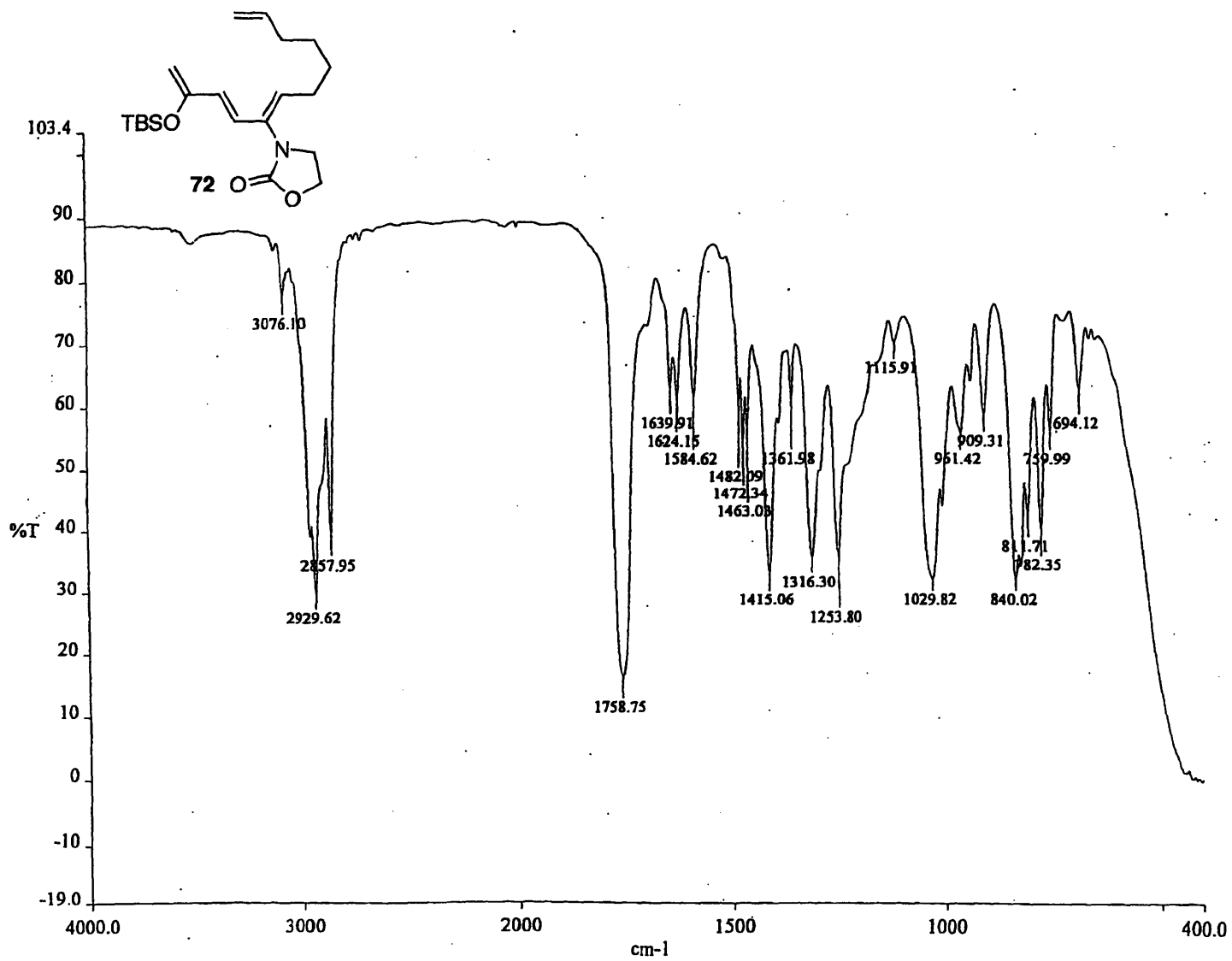
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tn	C13	homo	n
at	1.736	PROCESSING	
np	104808	lb	0.30
sw	30188.7	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
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ai	ph		



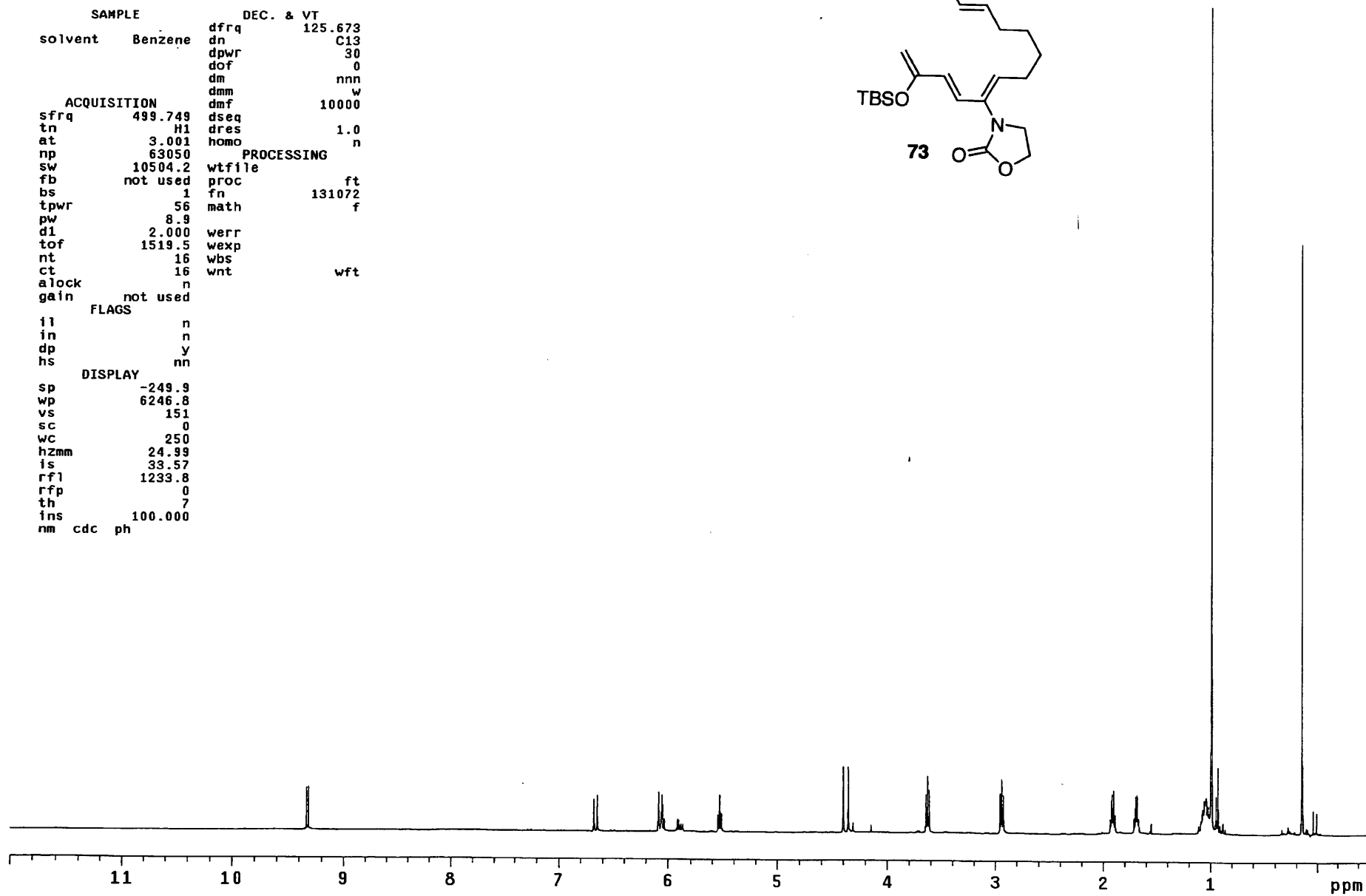
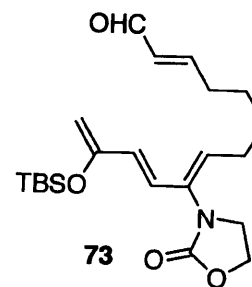
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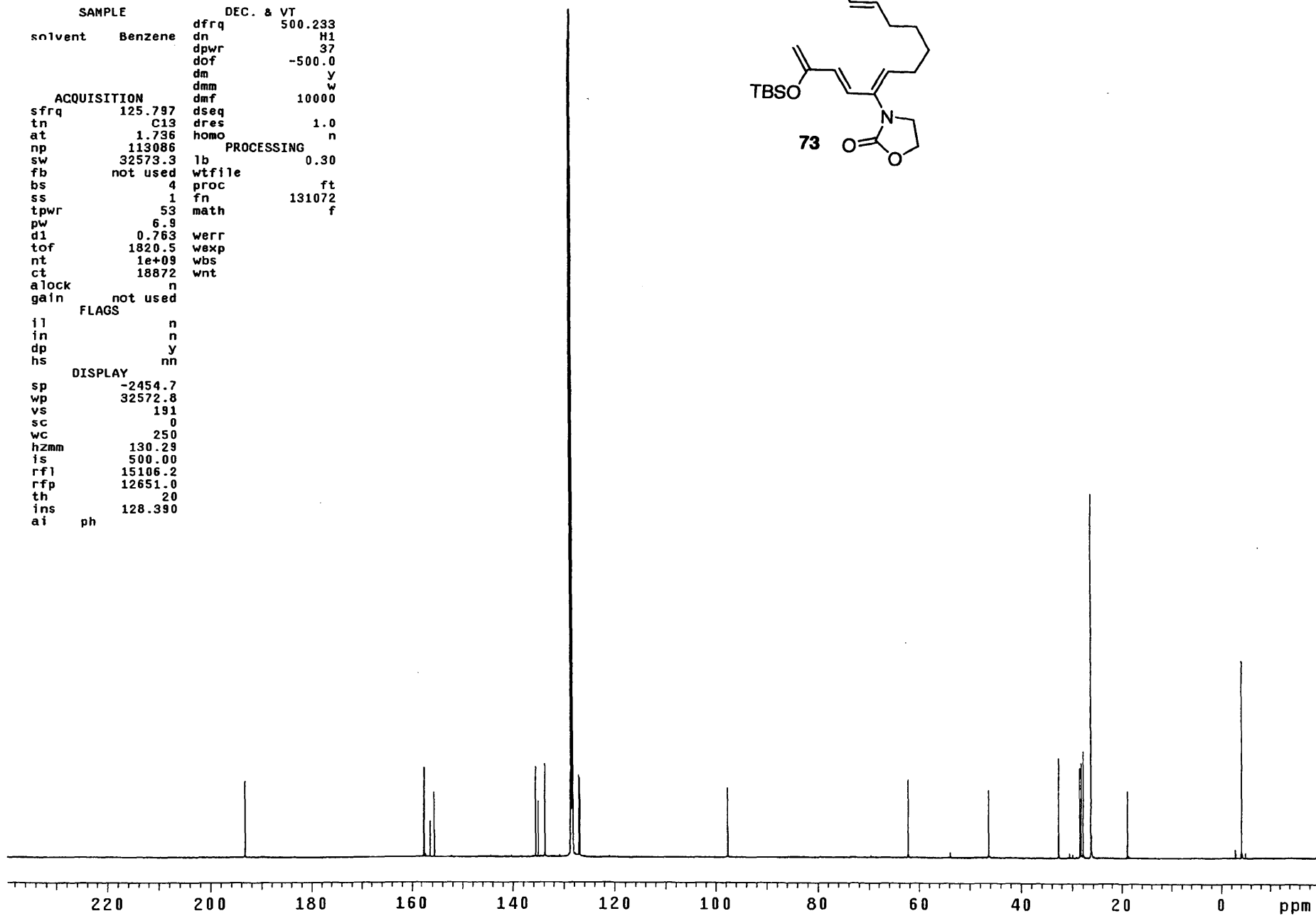
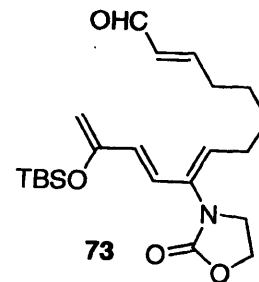


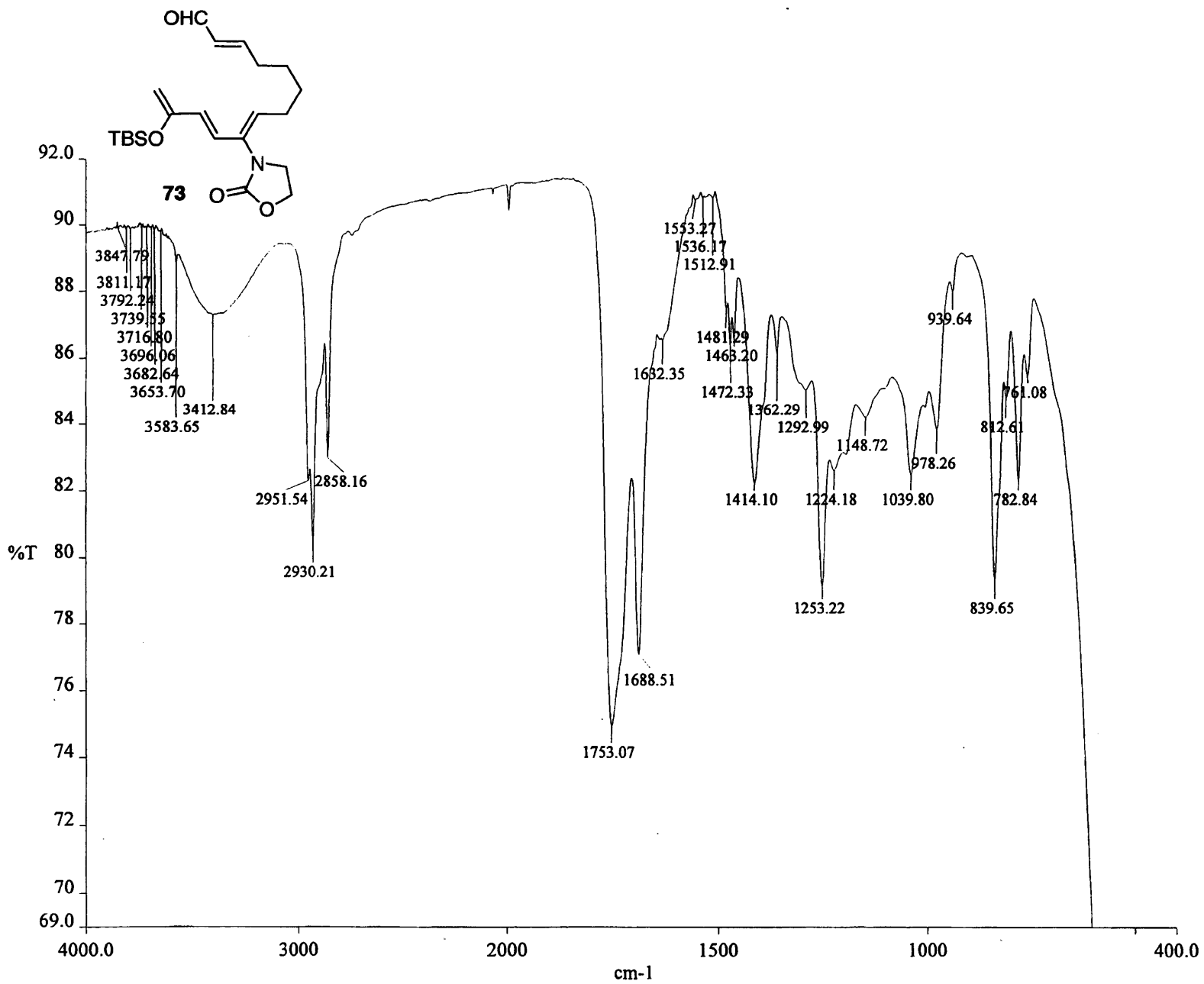
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FLAGS			
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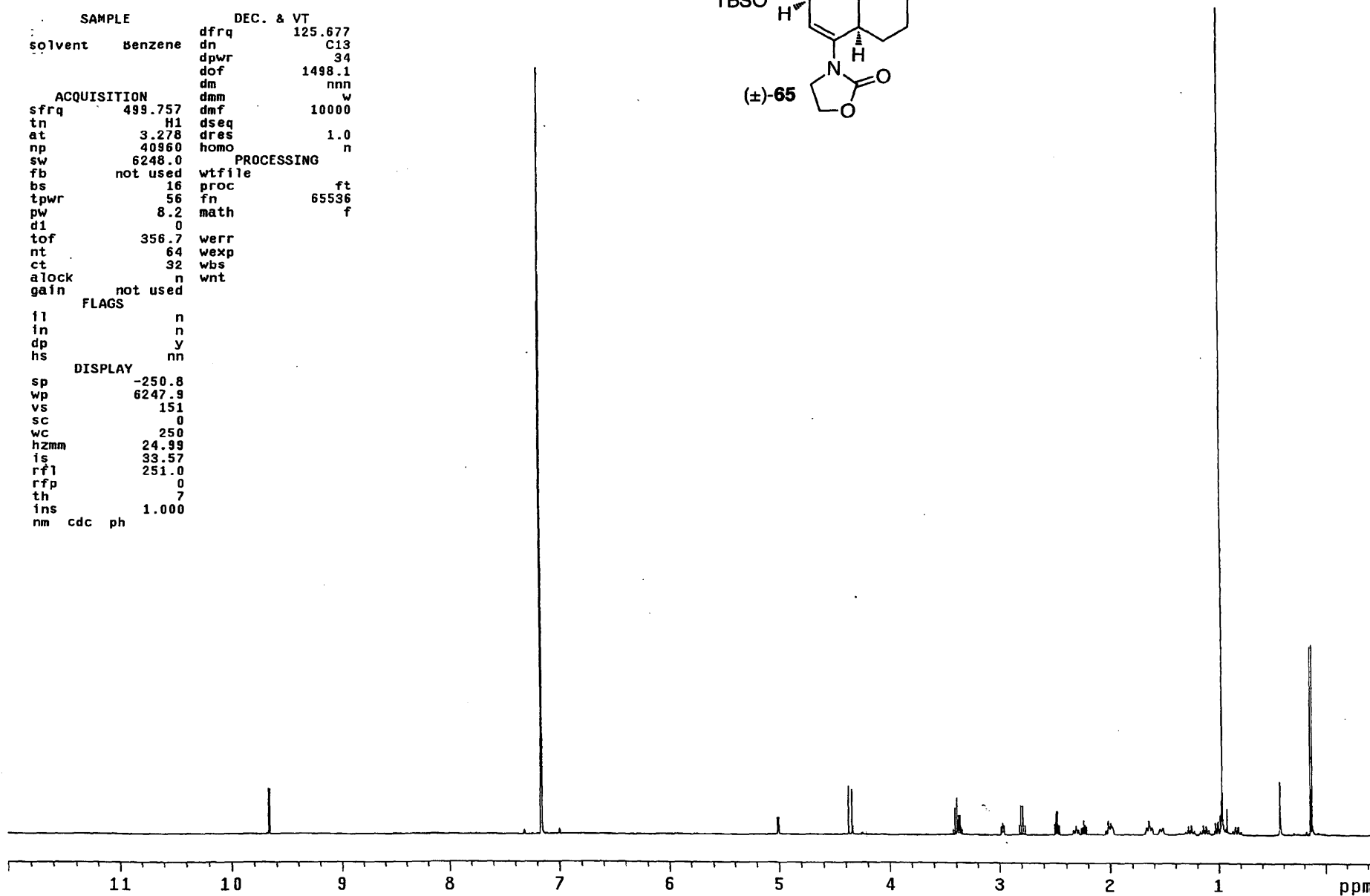
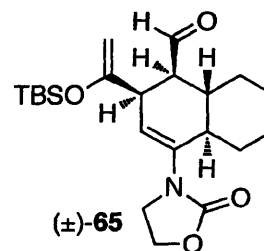


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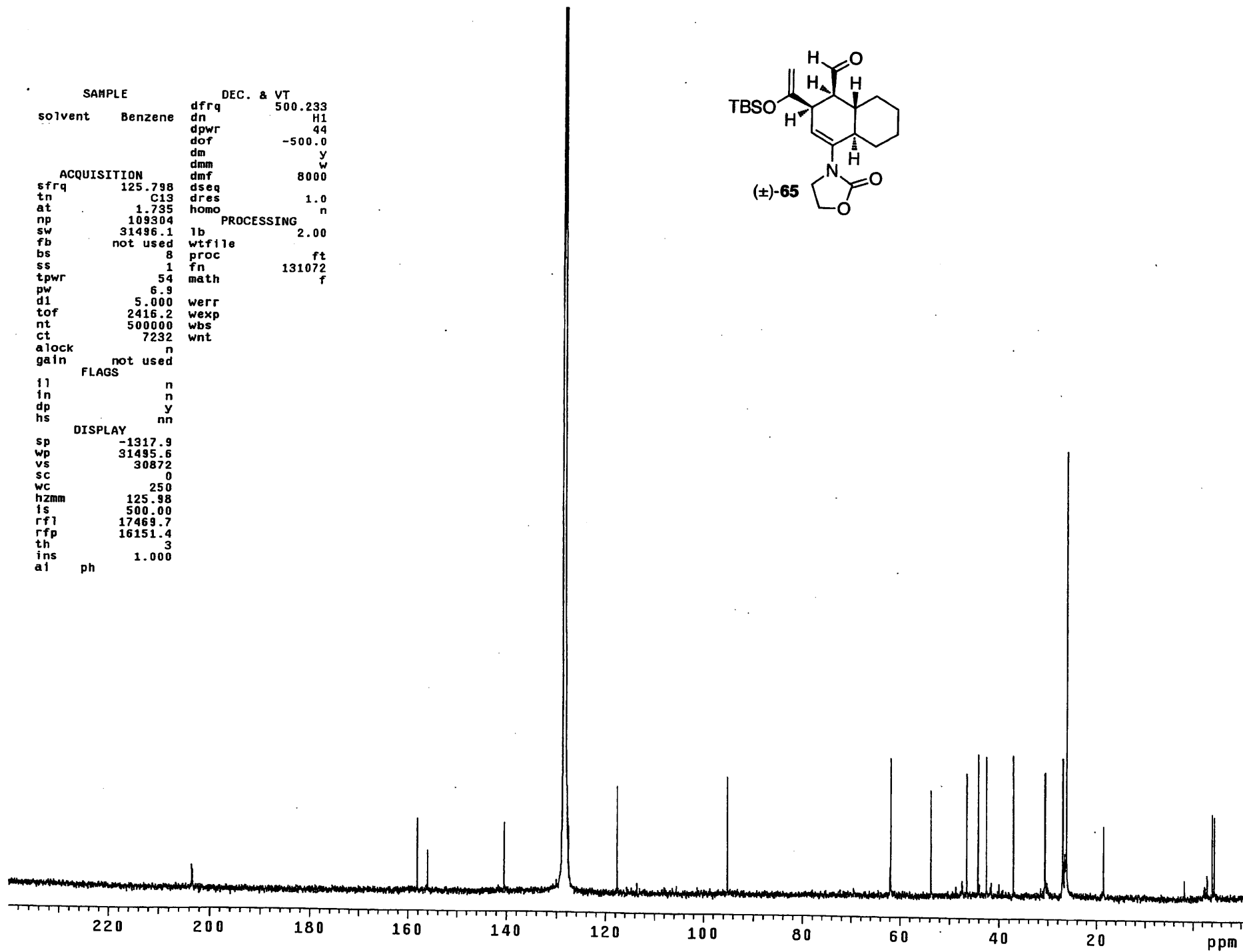
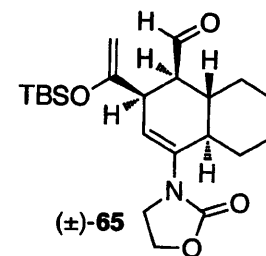


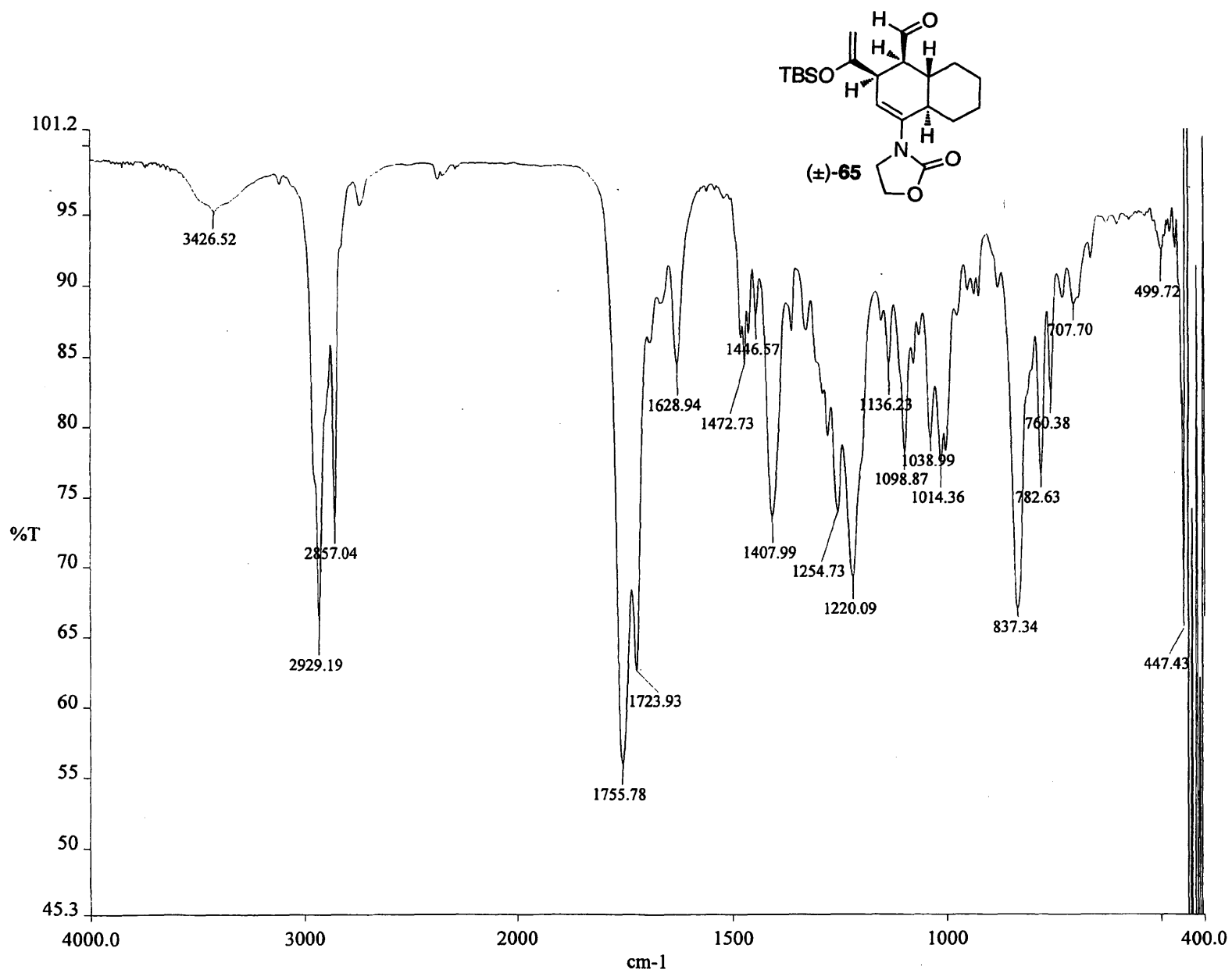


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		dmm	w
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dp	y		
hs	nn		
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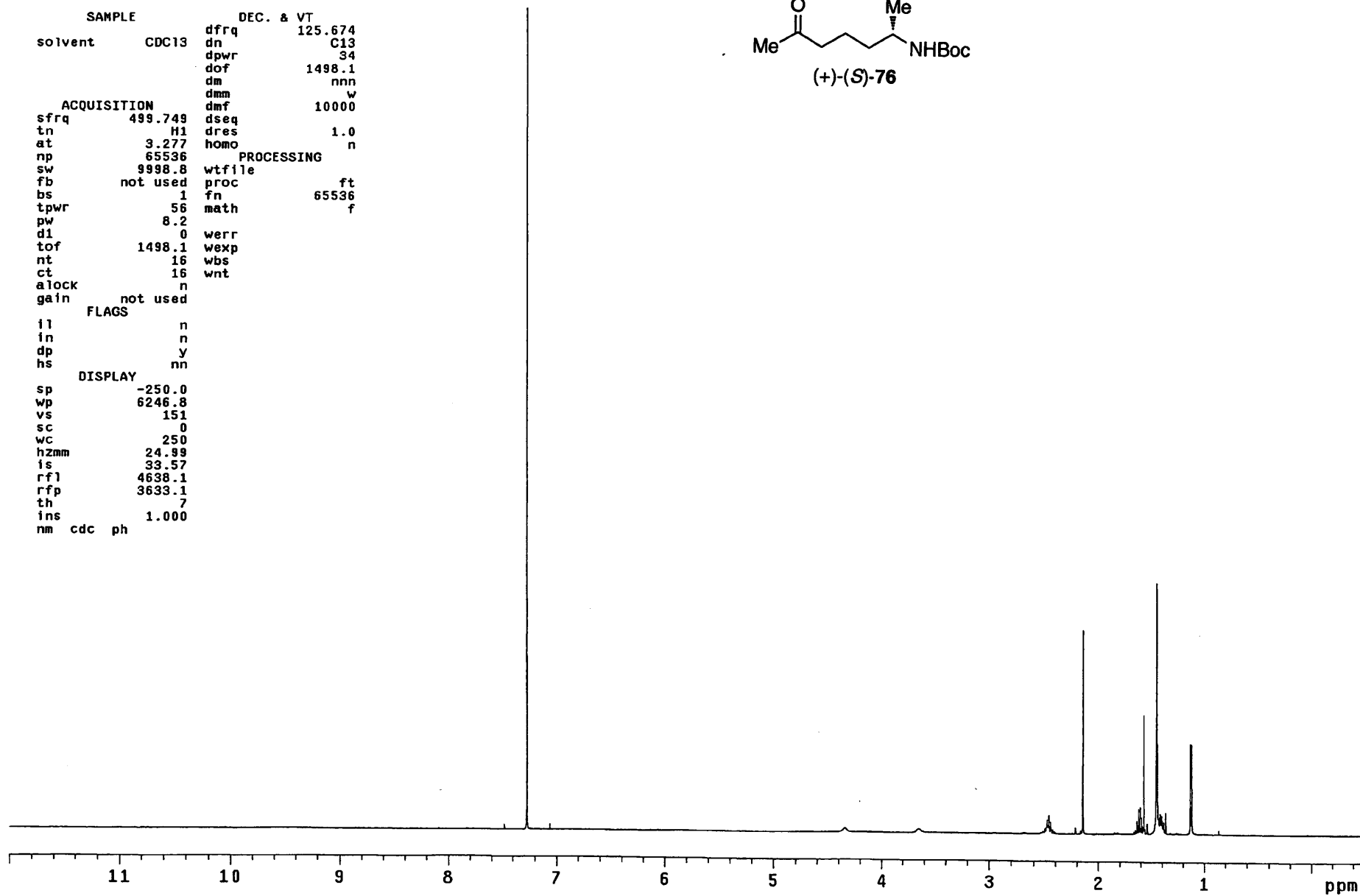
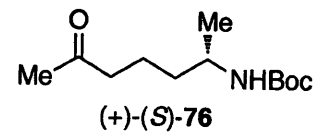


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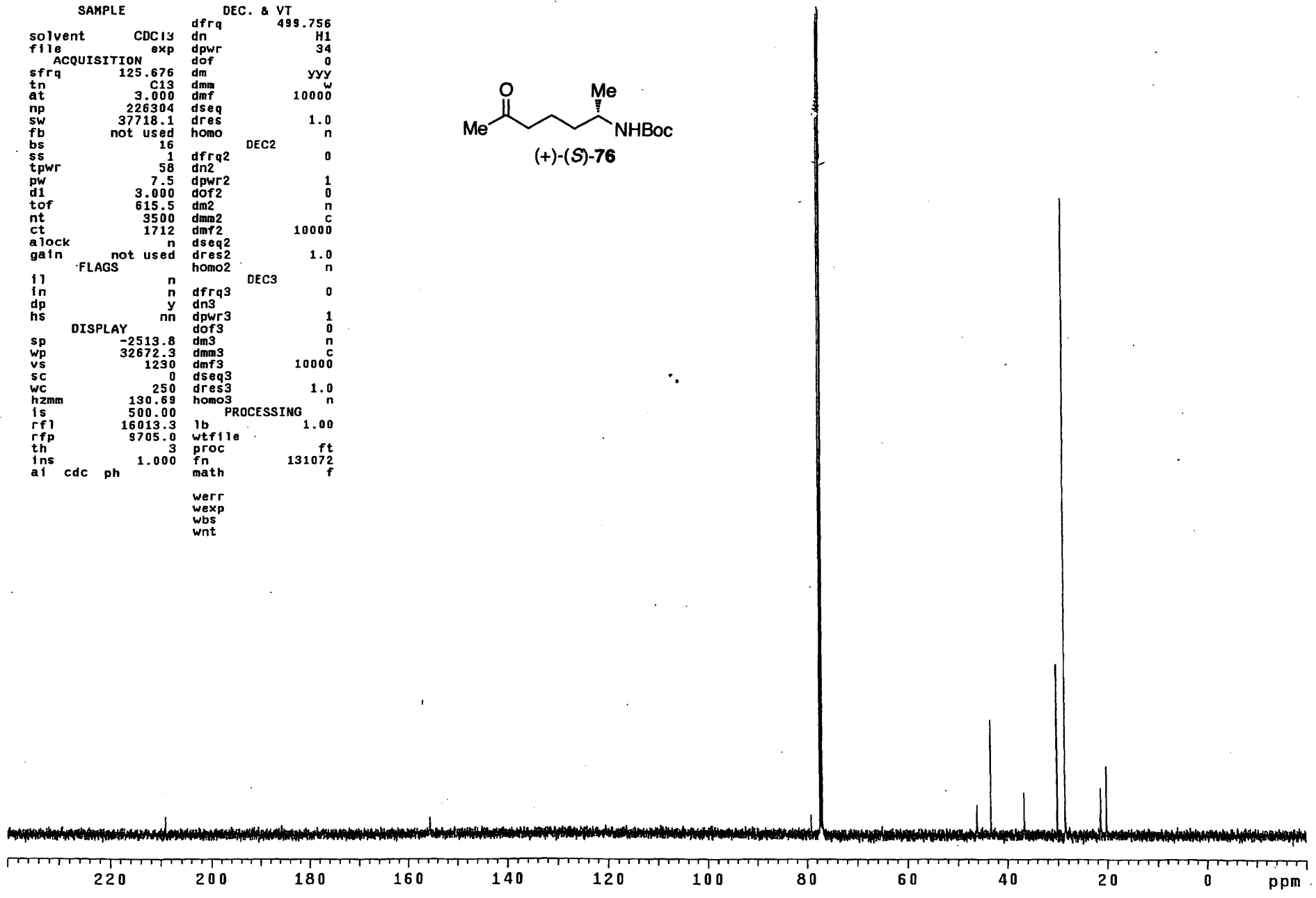
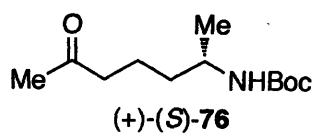


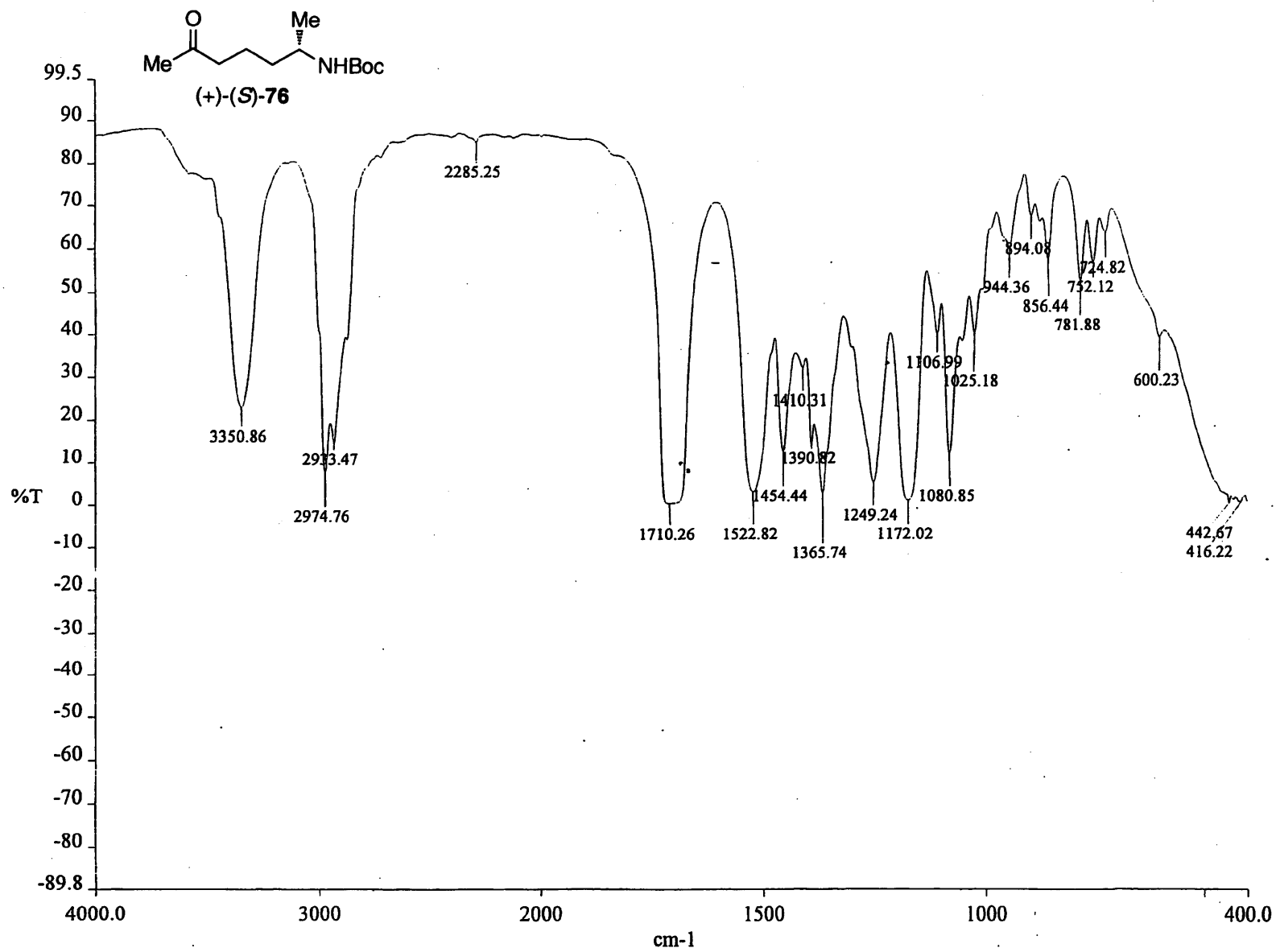
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gain not used  
FLAGS  
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in n  
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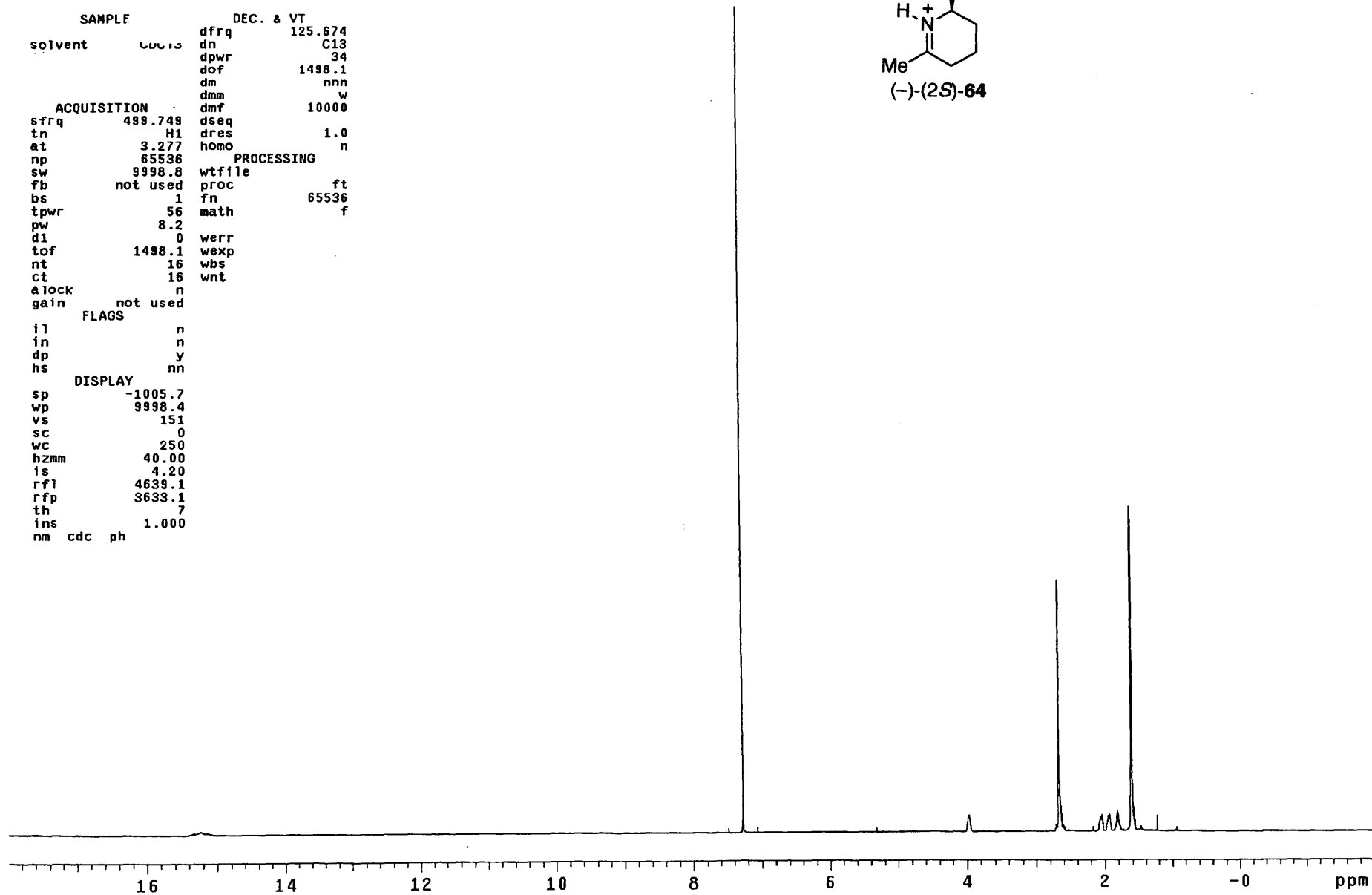
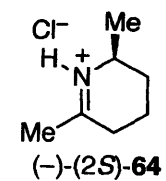
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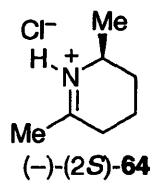




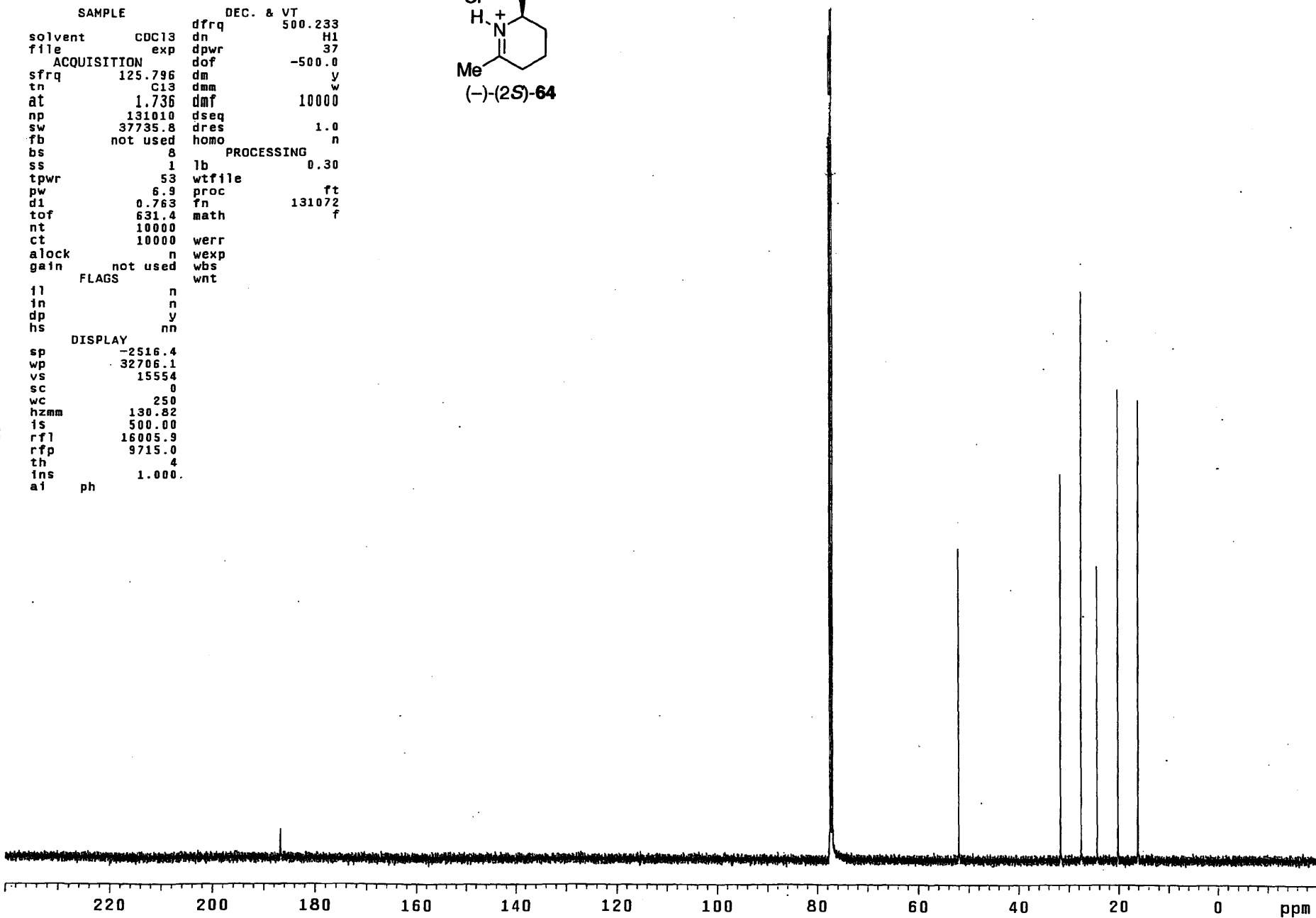


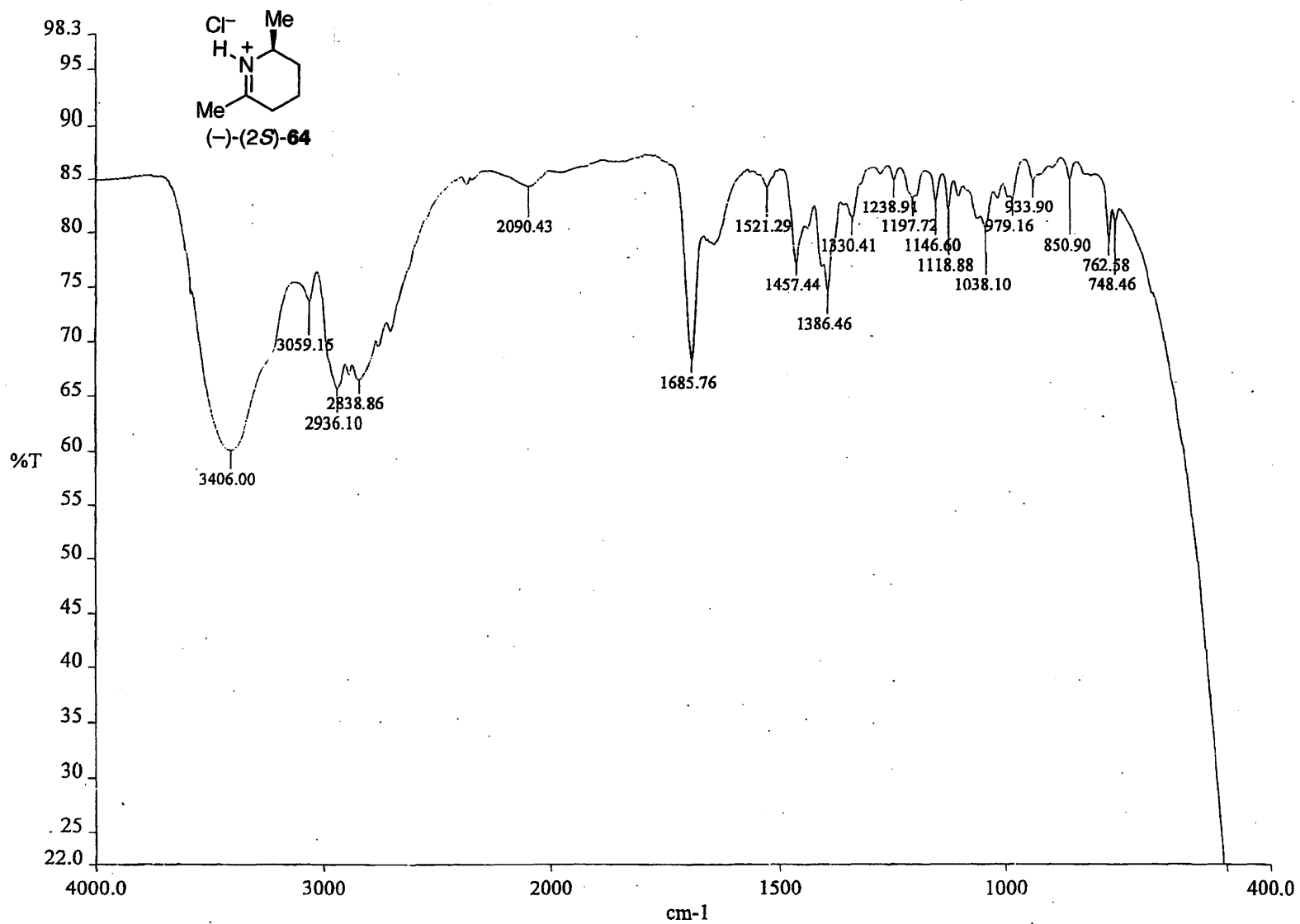
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		dmf	10000
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gain	not used		
FLAGS			
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ins	1.000		
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SAMPLE		DEC. & VT	
solvent	CDCl3	dfrq	500.233
file	exp	dn	H1
		dpwr	37
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tn	C13	dmm	w
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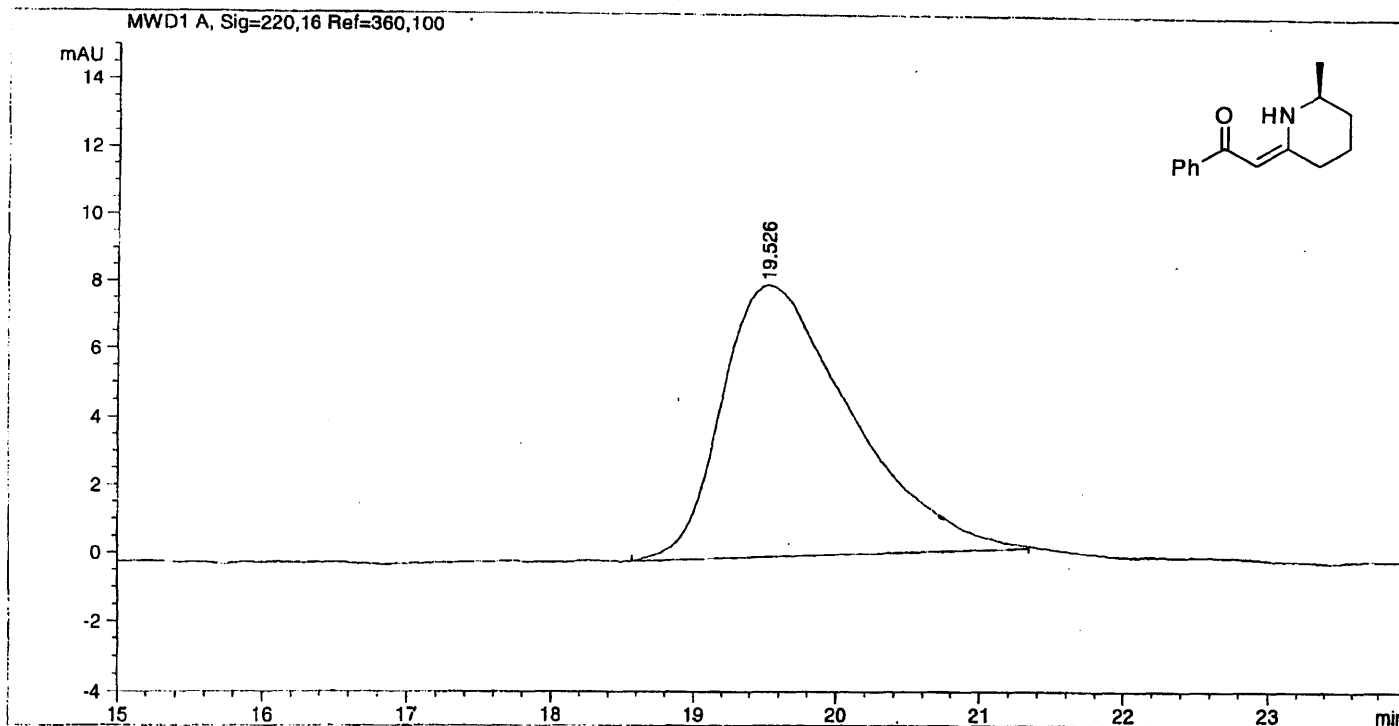


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Injection Date   :                               Seq. Line :    1
Sample Name     :                               Location  : Vial 51
Acq. Operator   :                               Inj       :    1
                                                    Inj Volume: 1 µl
Acq. Method     :
Last changed    :
Analysis Method :
Last changed    :
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S,S Whelk-O



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Area Percent Report  
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Sorted By      :      Signal
Multiplier    :      1.0000
Dilution      :      1.0000
Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

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Signal 1: MWD1 A, Sig=220,16 Ref=360,100

Peak #	RetTime [min]	Type	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	19.526	PB	0.7477	504.22922	8.01823	100.0000

Totals :                      504.22922      8.01823

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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\*\*\* End of Report \*\*\*

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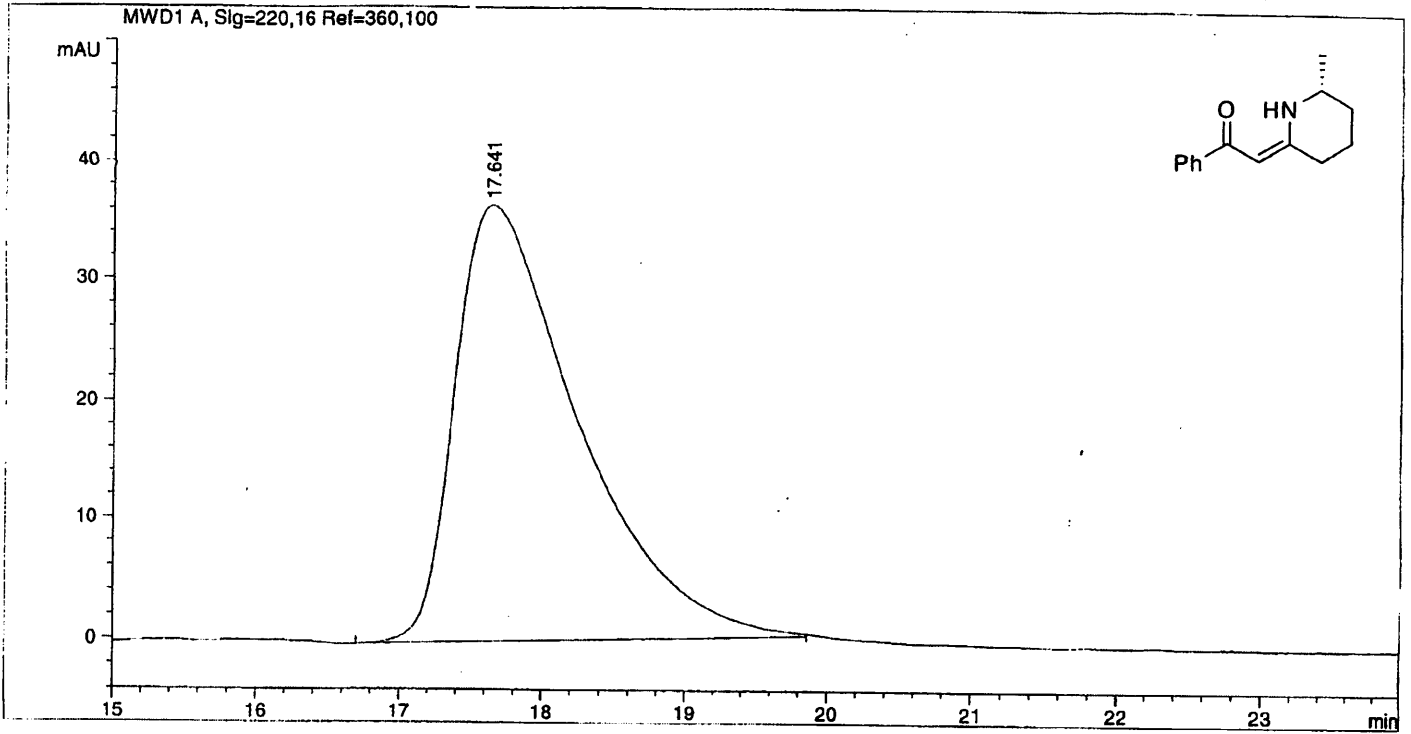
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Sample Name     :                               Location  : Vial 51
Acq. Operator   :                               Inj       :    1
                                           Inj Volume: 1 µl

Acq. Method    :
Last changed   :

Analysis Method :
Last changed   :

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S,S Whelk-O



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Area Percent Report  
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Sorted By      :      Signal
Multiplier    :      1.0000
Dilution      :      1.0000
Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

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Signal 1: MWD1 A, Sig=220,16 Ref=360,100

Peak #	RetTime [min]	Type	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	17.641	PB	0.8517	2181.38892	36.47622	100.0000

Totals :                    2181.38892    36.47622

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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\*\*\* End of Report \*\*\*

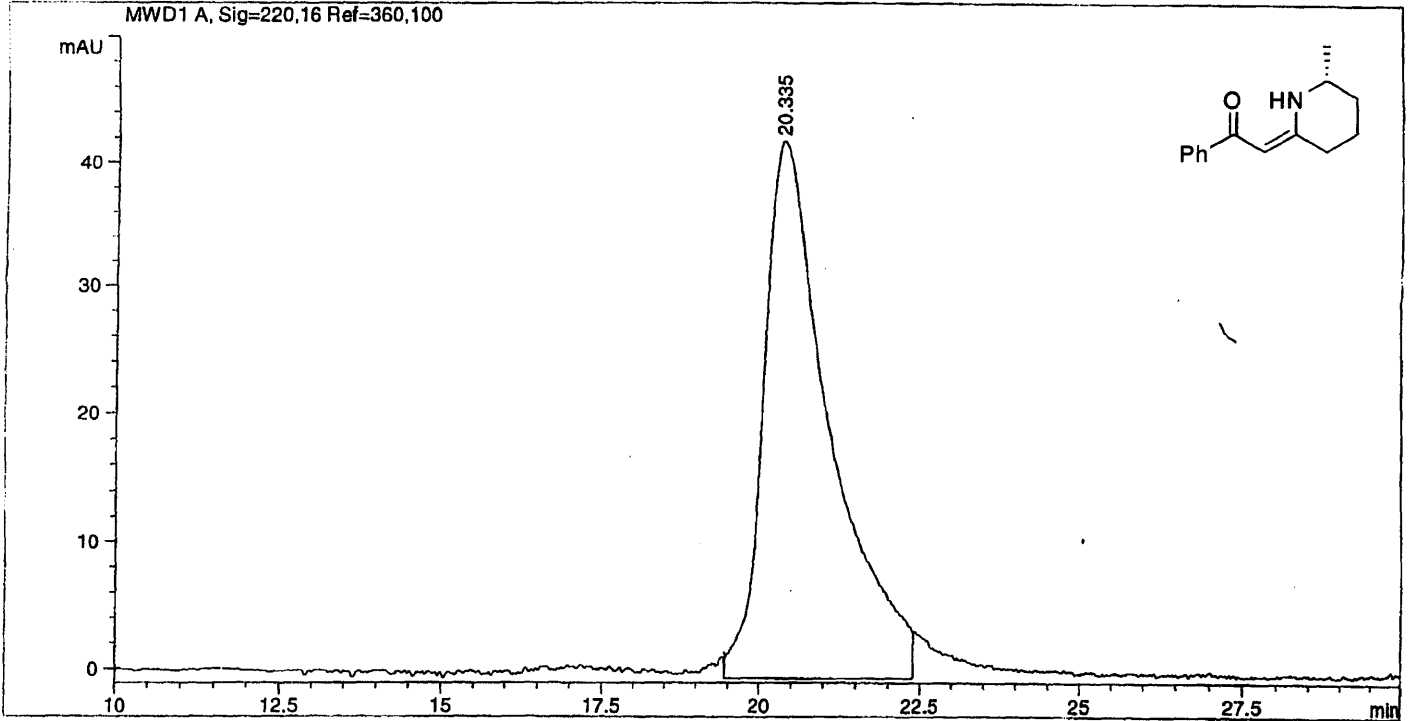
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Injection Date   :                               Seq. Line :    1
Sample Name     :                               Location  : Vial 51
Acq. Operator  :                               Inj       :    1
                                           Inj Volume:    1 µl

Acq. Method    :
Last changed   :
Analysis Method:
Last changed   :

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R,R Whelk-O



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Area Percent Report  
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Sorted By      :      Signal
Multiplier    :      1.0000
Dilution      :      1.0000
Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

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Signal 1: MWD1 A, Sig=220,16 Ref=360,100

Peak #	RetTime [min]	Type	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	20.335	VV	0.8630	3016.49365	42.44931	100.0000

Totals :                    3016.49365    42.44931

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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\*\*\* End of Report. \*\*\*

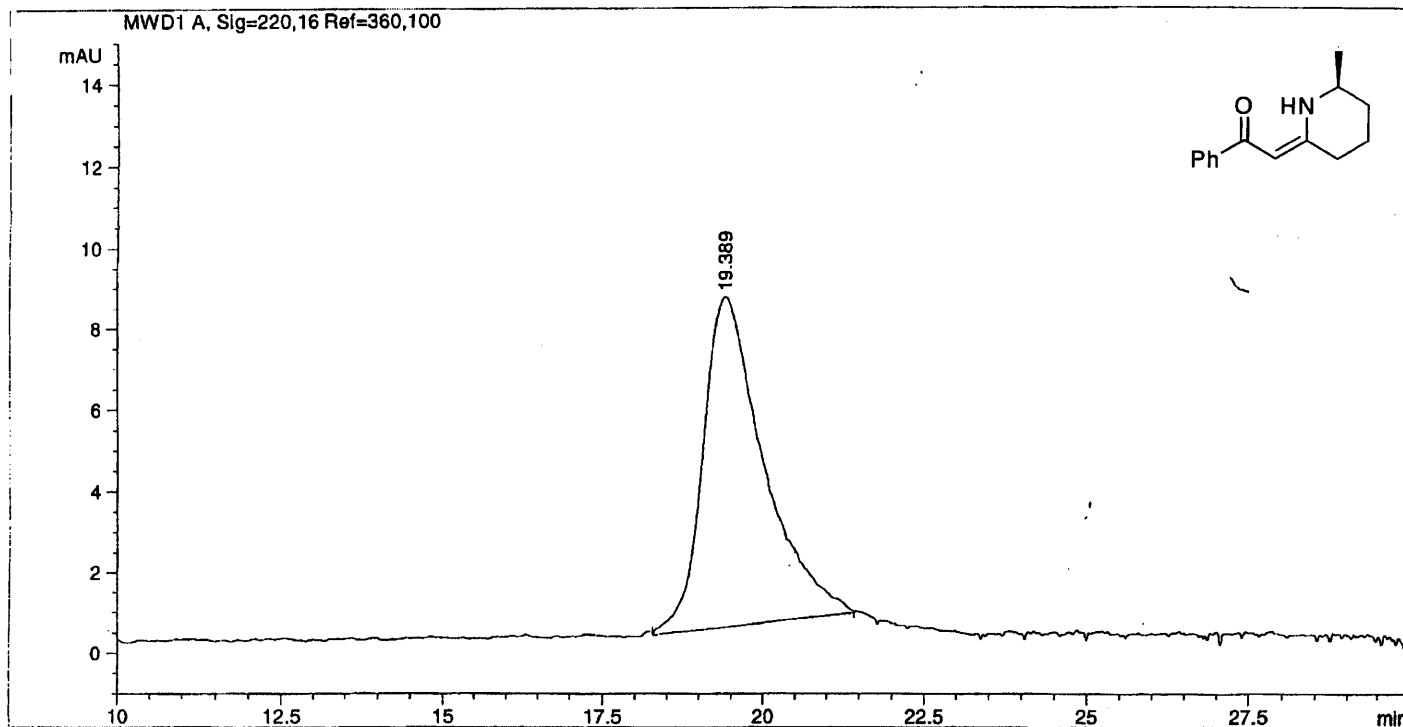
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Sample Name     :                               Location  : Vial 51
Acq. Operator  :                               Inj       :    1
                                           Inj Volume: 1 µl

Acq. Method    :
Last changed   :
Analysis Method:
Last changed   :
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R, R Wheelk-O



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Area Percent Report  
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Sorted By      :      Signal
Multiplier    :      1.0000
Dilution      :      1.0000
Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

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Signal 1: MWD1 A, Sig=220,16 Ref=360,100

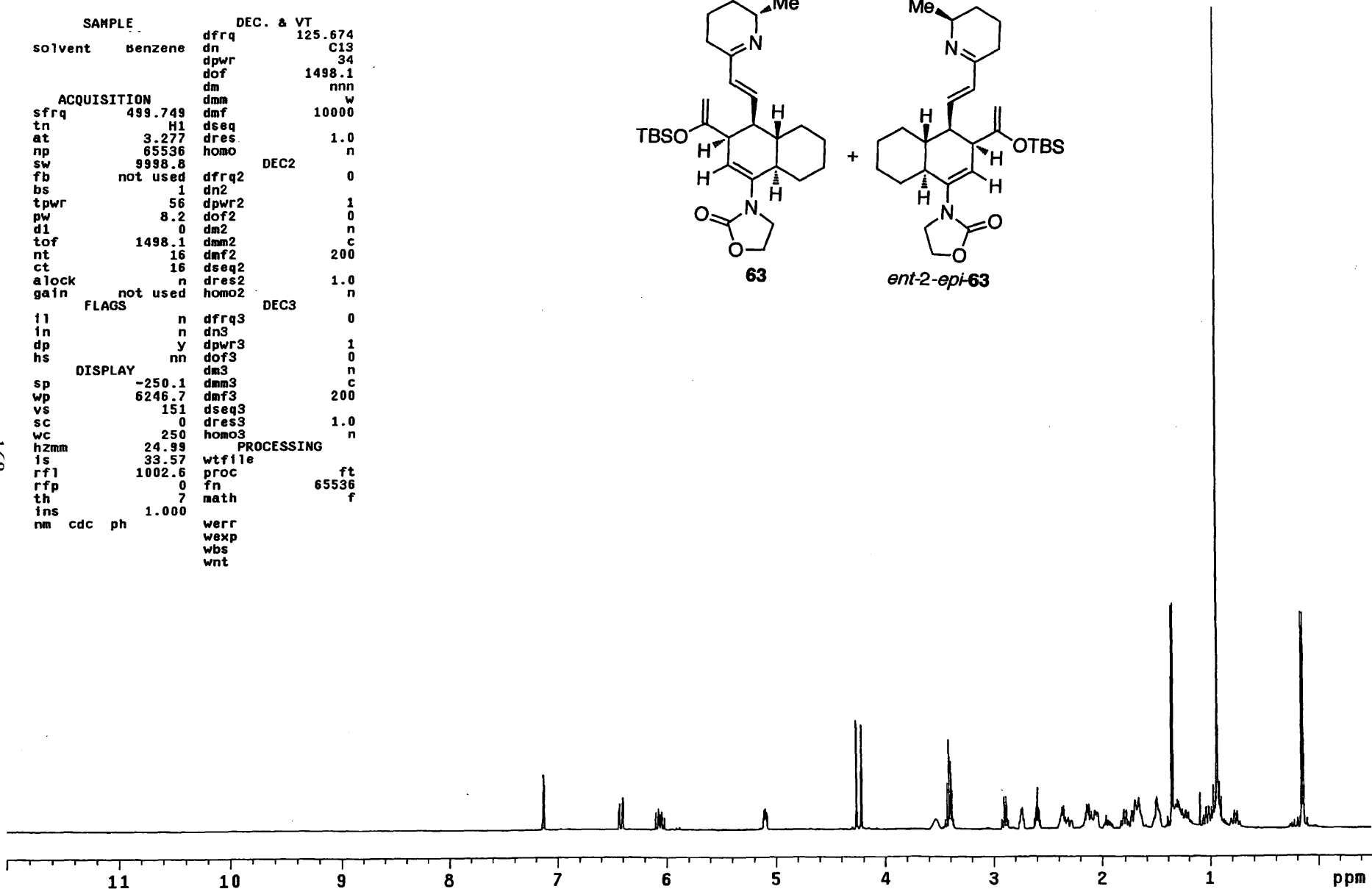
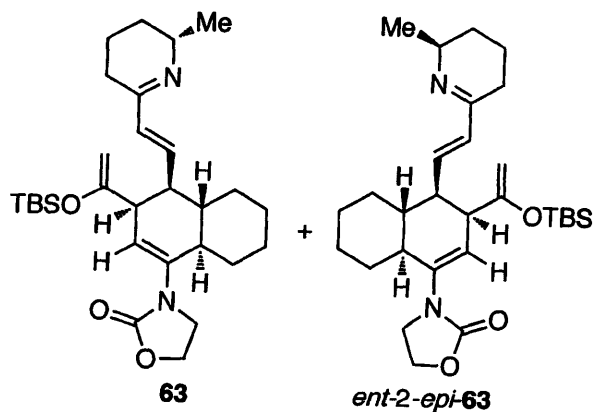
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1	19.389	VB	0.8069	537.40503	8.15439	100.0000

Totals :                      537.40503      8.15439

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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\*\*\* End of Report \*\*\*

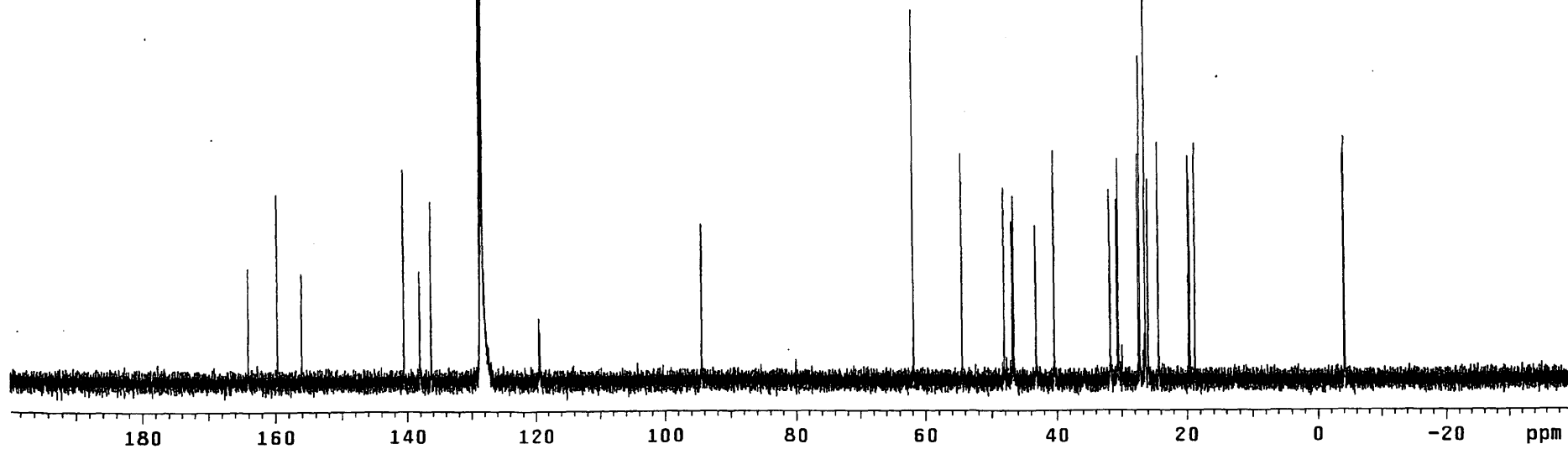
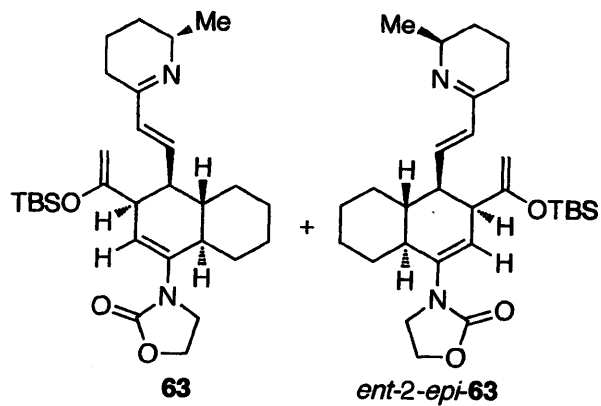
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solvent	Benzene	dfrq	125.674
		dn	C13
		dpwr	34
		dof	1498.1
		dm	nnn
		dmm	w
ACQUISITION		dmf	10000
sfrq	499.749	dseq	1.0
tn	H1	dres	1.0
at	3.277	homo	n
np	65536		
sw	9998.8	DEC2	0
fb	not used	dfrq2	0
bs	1	dn2	1
tpwr	56	dpwr2	0
pw	8.2	dof2	n
d1	0	dm2	c
tof	1498.1	dmm2	200
nt	16	dmf2	1.0
ct	16	dseq2	n
alock	not used	dres2	1.0
gain	not used	homo2	n
	FLAGS	DEC3	0
il	n	dfrq3	1
in	n	dn3	0
dp	y	dpwr3	n
hs	nn	dof3	c
	DISPLAY	dm3	200
sp	-250.1	dmm3	1.0
wp	6246.7	dmf3	n
vs	151	dseq3	c
sc	0	dres3	200
wc	250	homo3	1.0
hzmm	24.99		n
is	33.57	PROCESSING	
rfl	1002.6	wfile	ft
rpf	0	proc	fn
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nm	cdc ph	werr	
		wexp	
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		wnt	

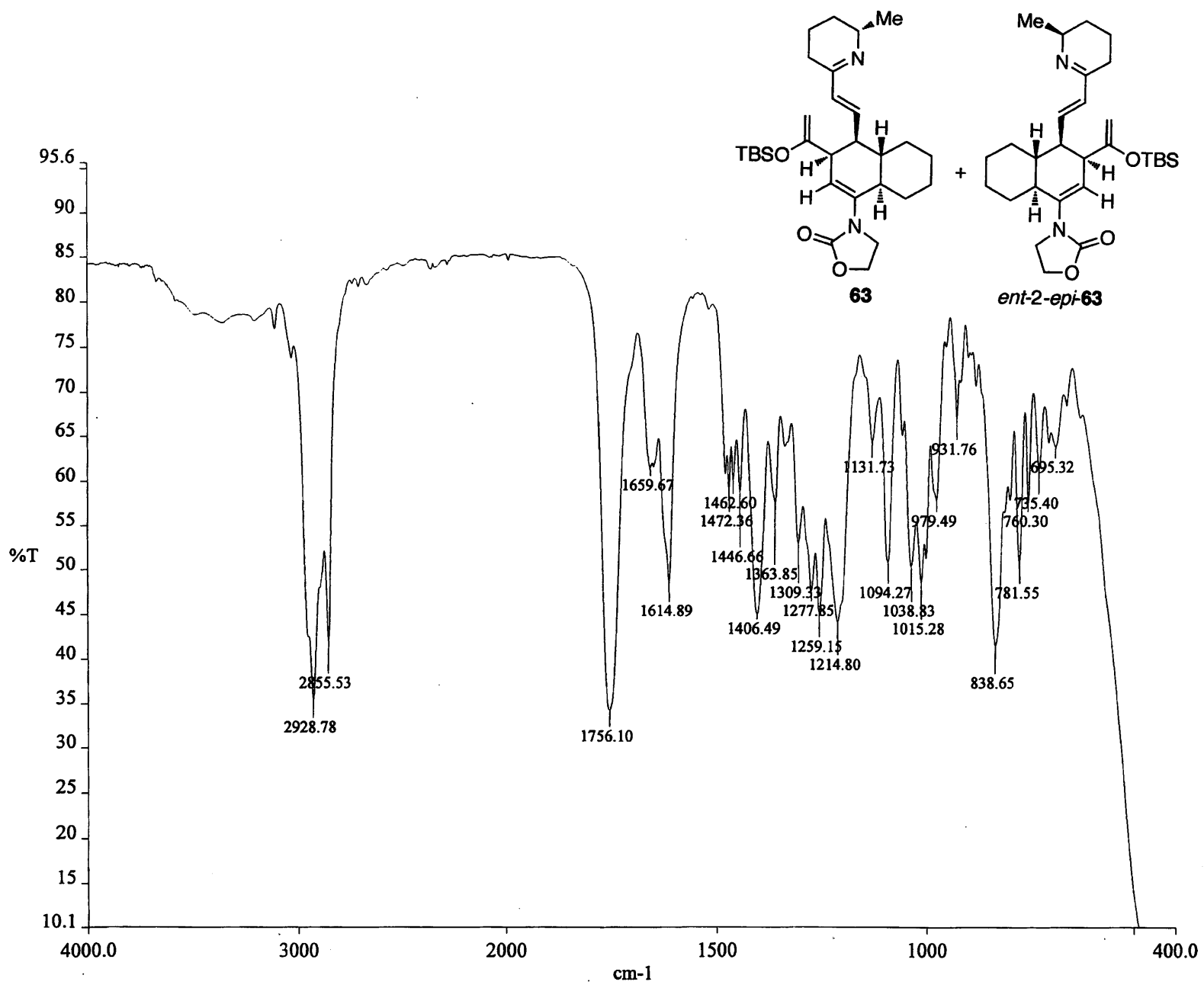




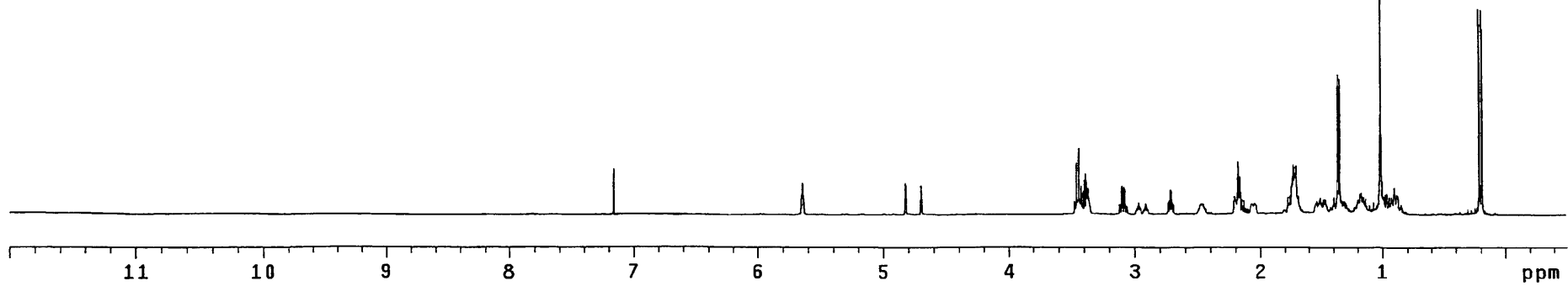
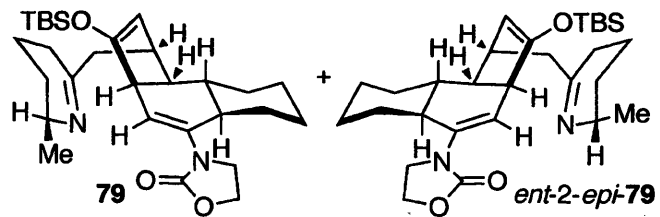
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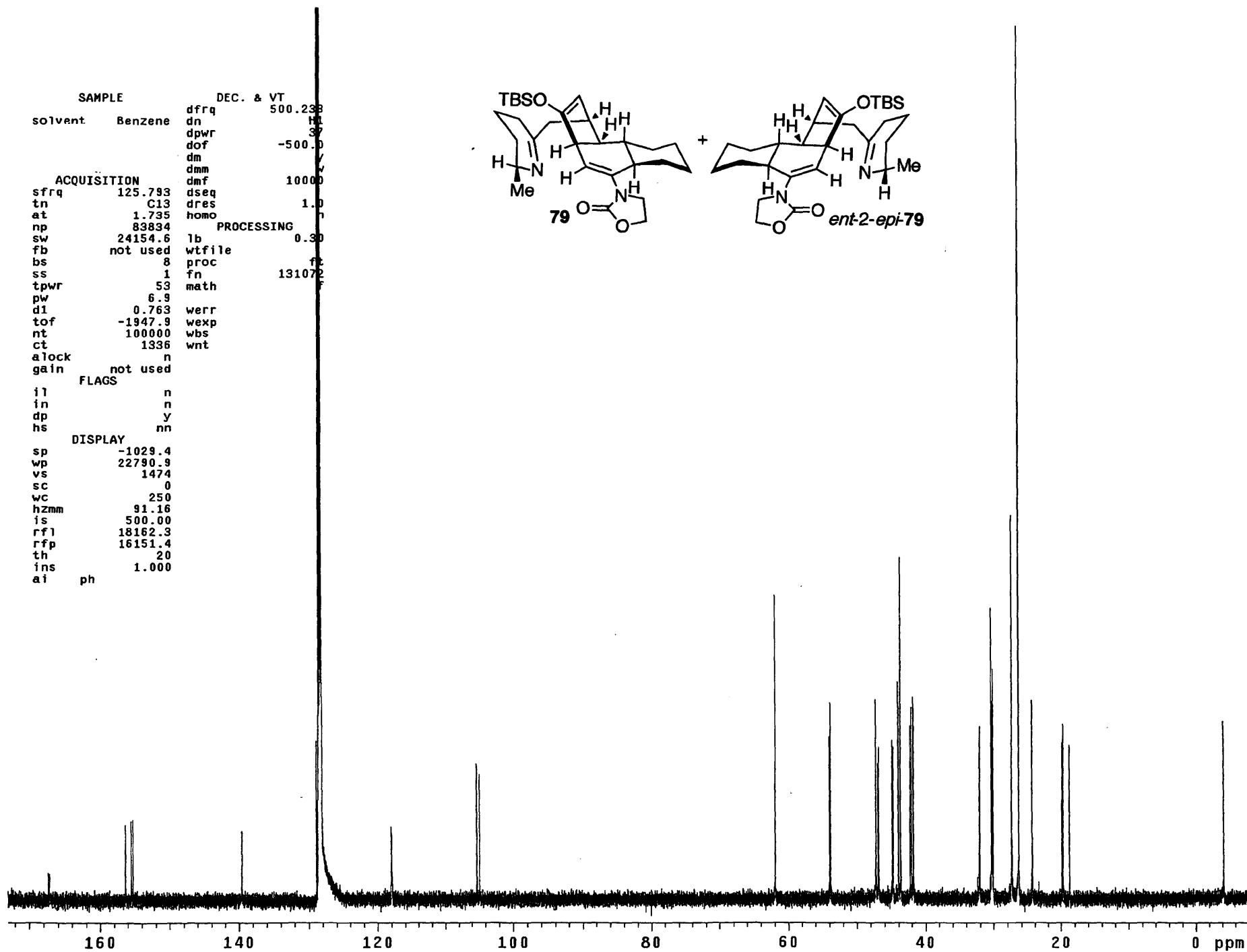
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solvent	Benzene	dfrq	500.233
file	exp	dn	H1
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tn	C13	dm	y
at	1.737	dmm	w
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sw	30075.2	dseq	
fb	not used	dres	1.0
bs	4	homo	n
ss	1	PROCESSING	
tpwr	53	lbr	0.30
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d1	0.763	proc	ft
tof	-1947.9	fn	131072
nt	1e+06	math	f
ct	2164	werr	
alock	n	wexp	
gain	not used	wbs	
FLAGS		wnt	
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-4970.9		
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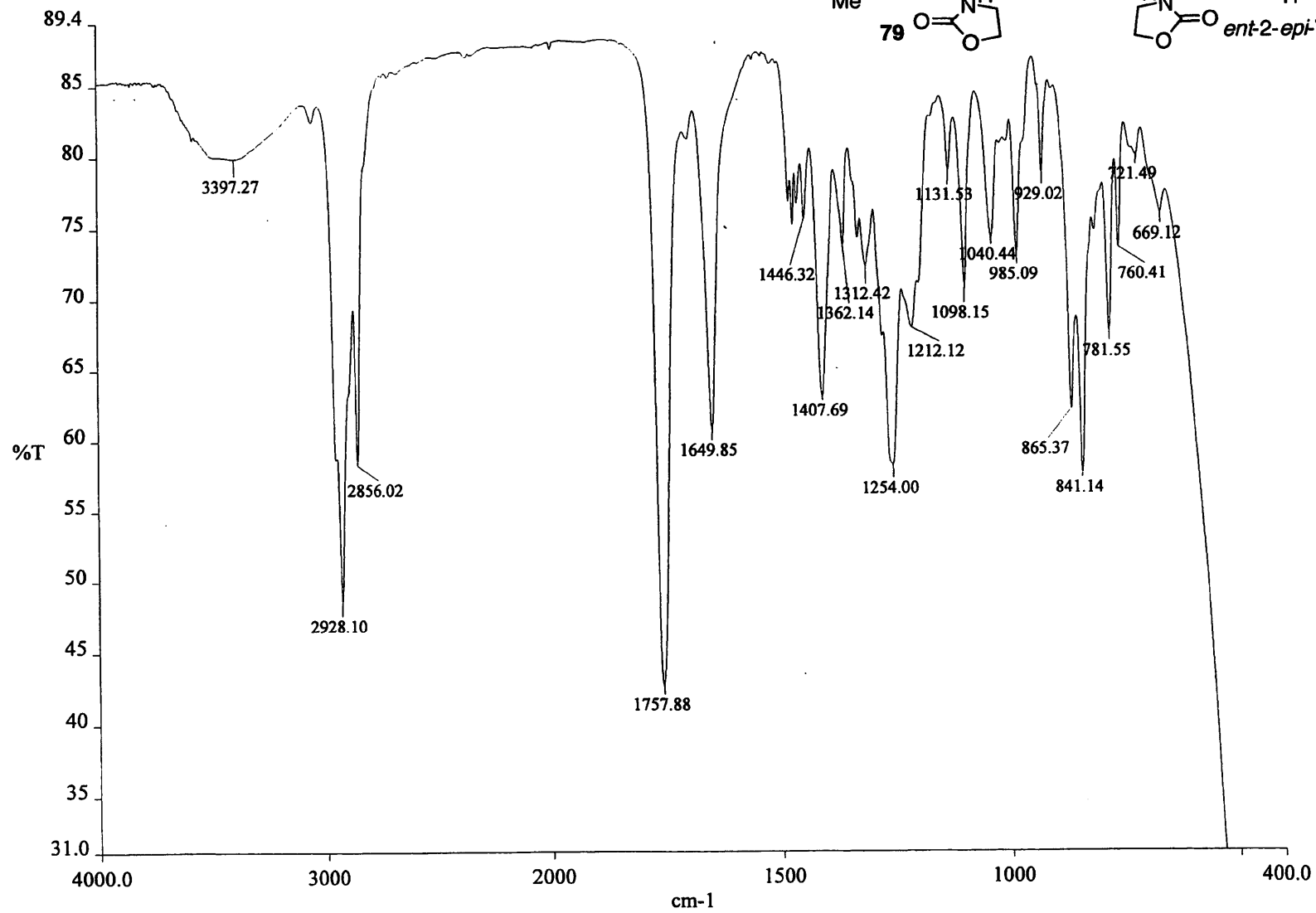




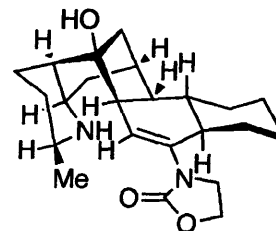
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		dn	C13
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		dm	nnn
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION			
sfrq	499.748	dseq	
tn	H1	dres	1.0
at	3.001	homo	n
np	37494	PROCESSING	
sw	6247.6	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	131072
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.9		
d1	2.000	werr	
tof	359.2	wexp	
nt	128	wbs	
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alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.3		
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nm	cdc	ph	



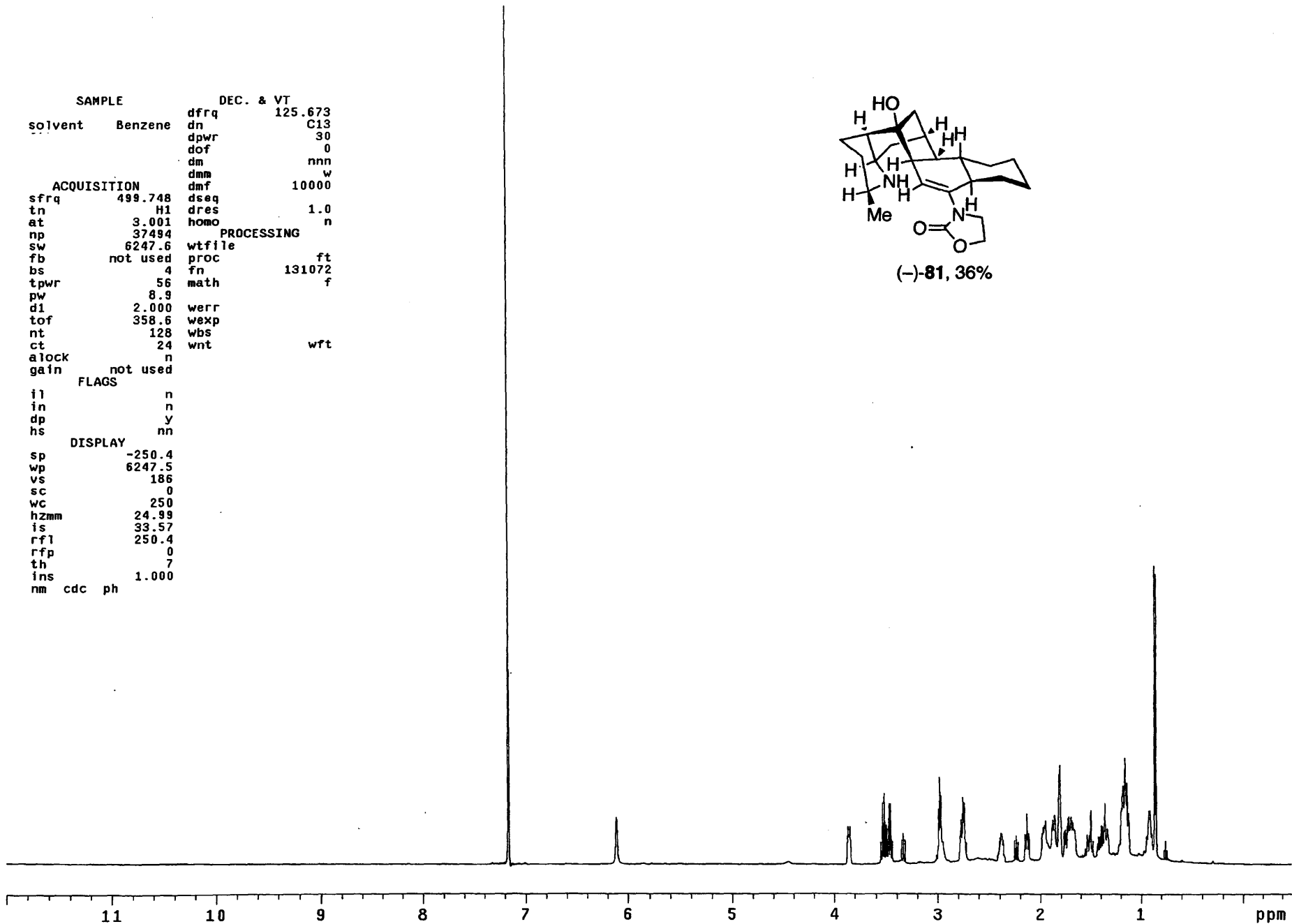




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solvent	Benzene	dfrq	125.673
		dn	C13
		dpwr	30
		dof	0
		dm	nnn
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	499.748	dres	1.0
tn	H1	homo	n
at	3.001	PROCESSING	
np	37494	wffile	ft
sw	6247.6	proc	131072
fb	not used	fn	f
bs	4	math	
tpwr	56	werr	
pw	8.9	wexp	
d1	2.000	wbs	wft
tof	358.6	wnt	
nt	128		
ct	24		
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.4		
wp	6247.5		
vs	186		
sc	0		
wc	250		
hzmm	24.99		
is	33.57		
rfl	250.4		
rfp	0		
th	7		
ins	1.000		
nm	cdc ph		



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Current Data Parameters  
EXPNO 1  
PROCNO 1

F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_ 20060131  
Time\_ 7.54  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5mm BBO BB-1  
PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 13187  
DS 4  
SWH 24875.621 Hz  
FIDRES 0.379572 Hz  
AQ 1.3173236 sec  
RG 8192  
DW 20.100 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 300.0 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
d11 0.03000000 sec  
d12 0.00002000 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 13C  
P1 15.25 usec  
PL1 3.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6237959 MHz

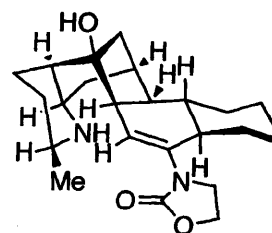
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CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
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PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 24.00 dB  
PL13 24.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

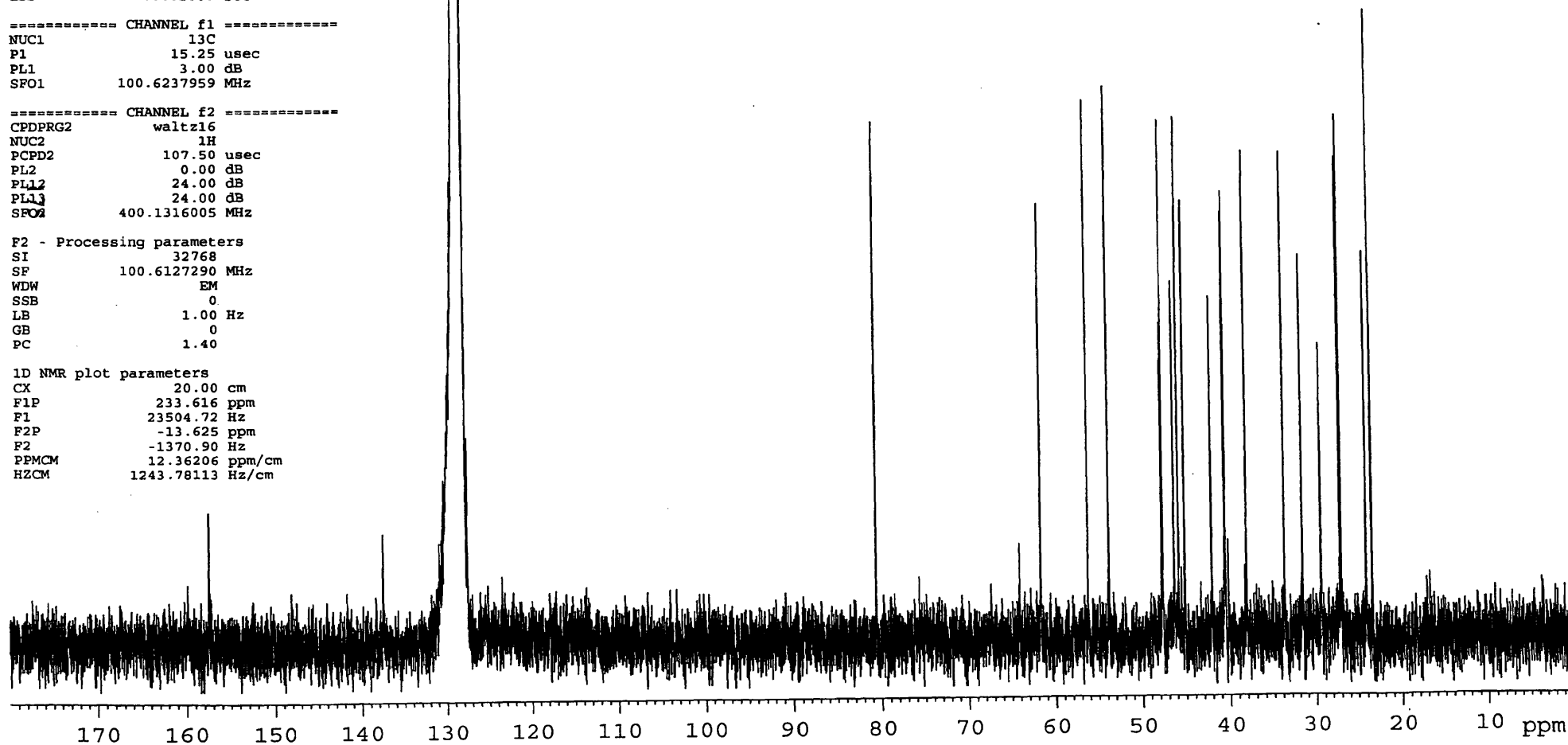
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WDW EM  
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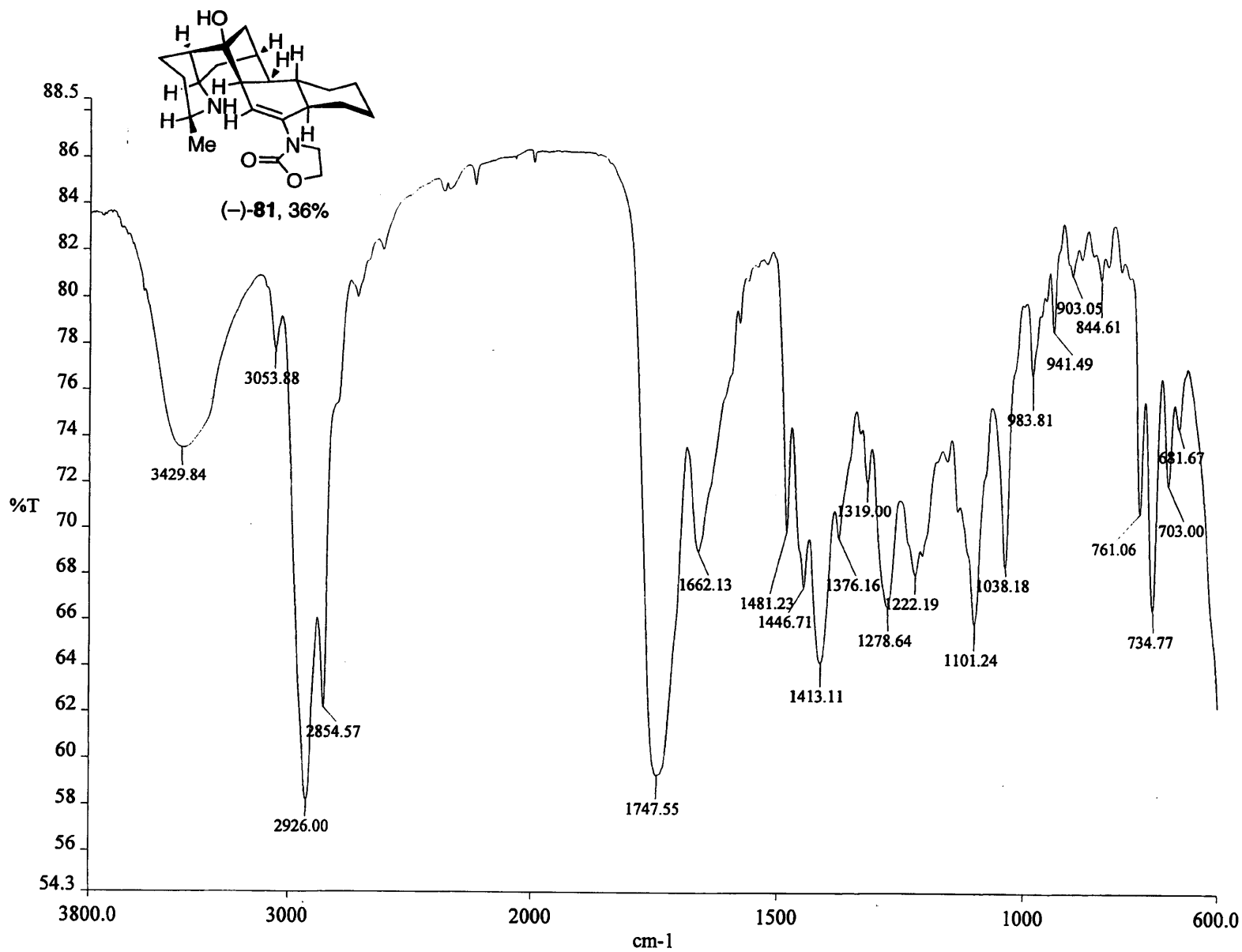
1D NMR plot parameters

CX 20.00 cm  
F1P 233.616 ppm  
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F2P -13.625 ppm  
F2 -1370.90 Hz  
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HZCM 1243.78113 Hz/cm



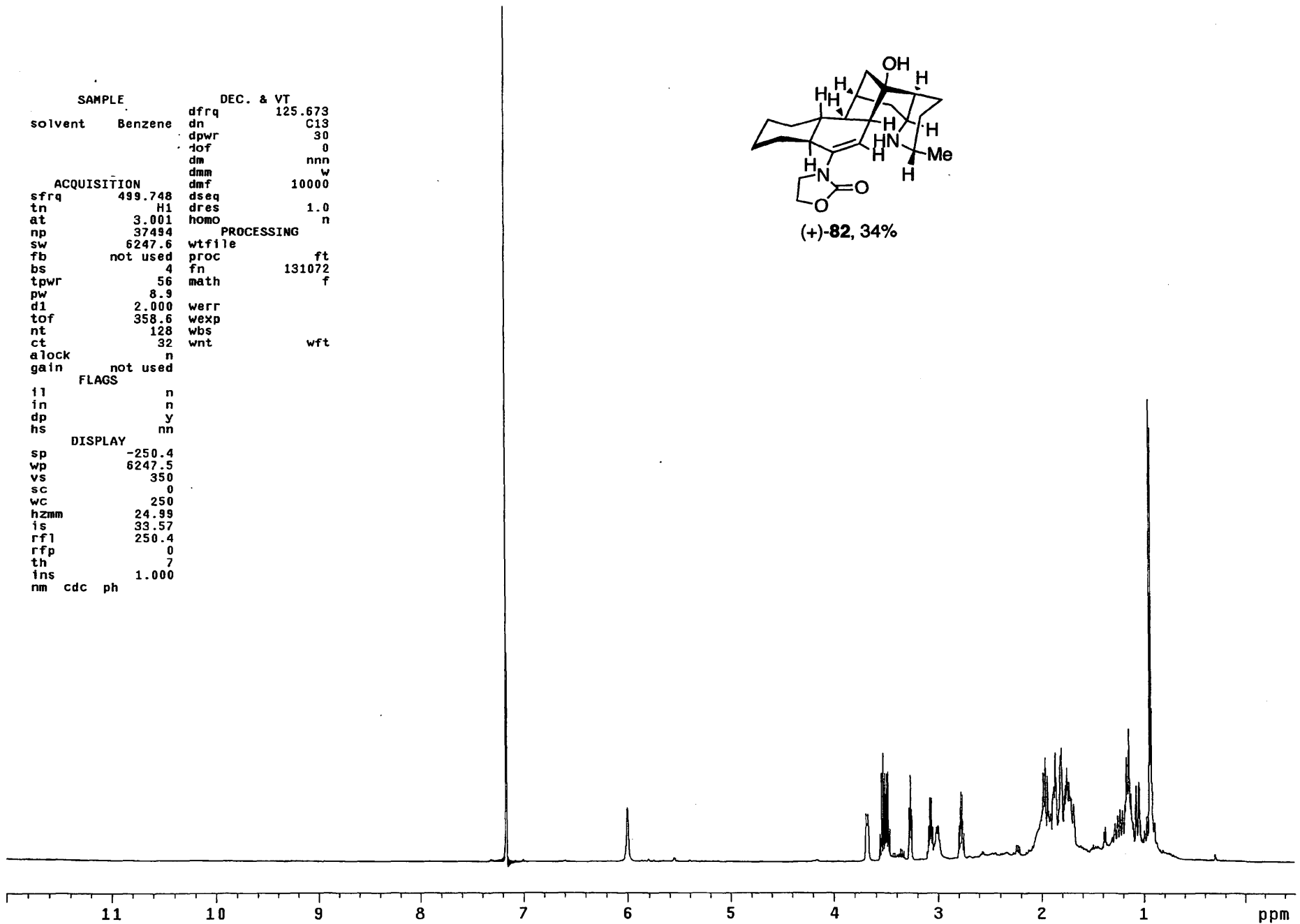
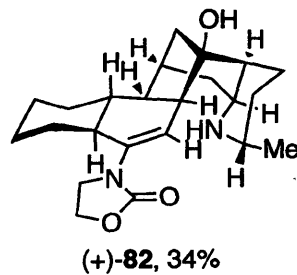
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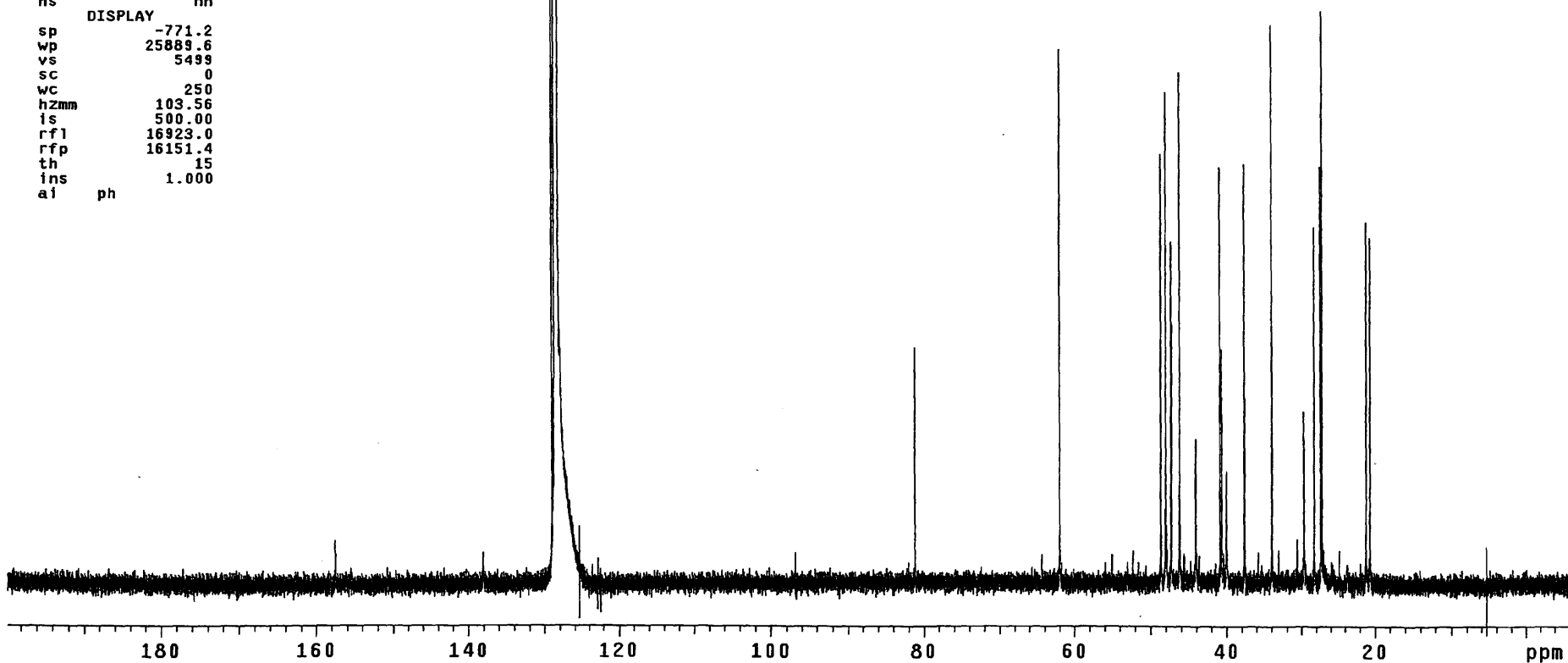
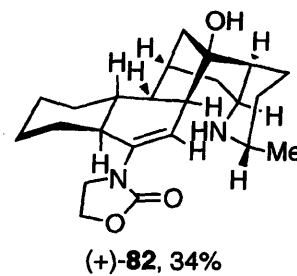


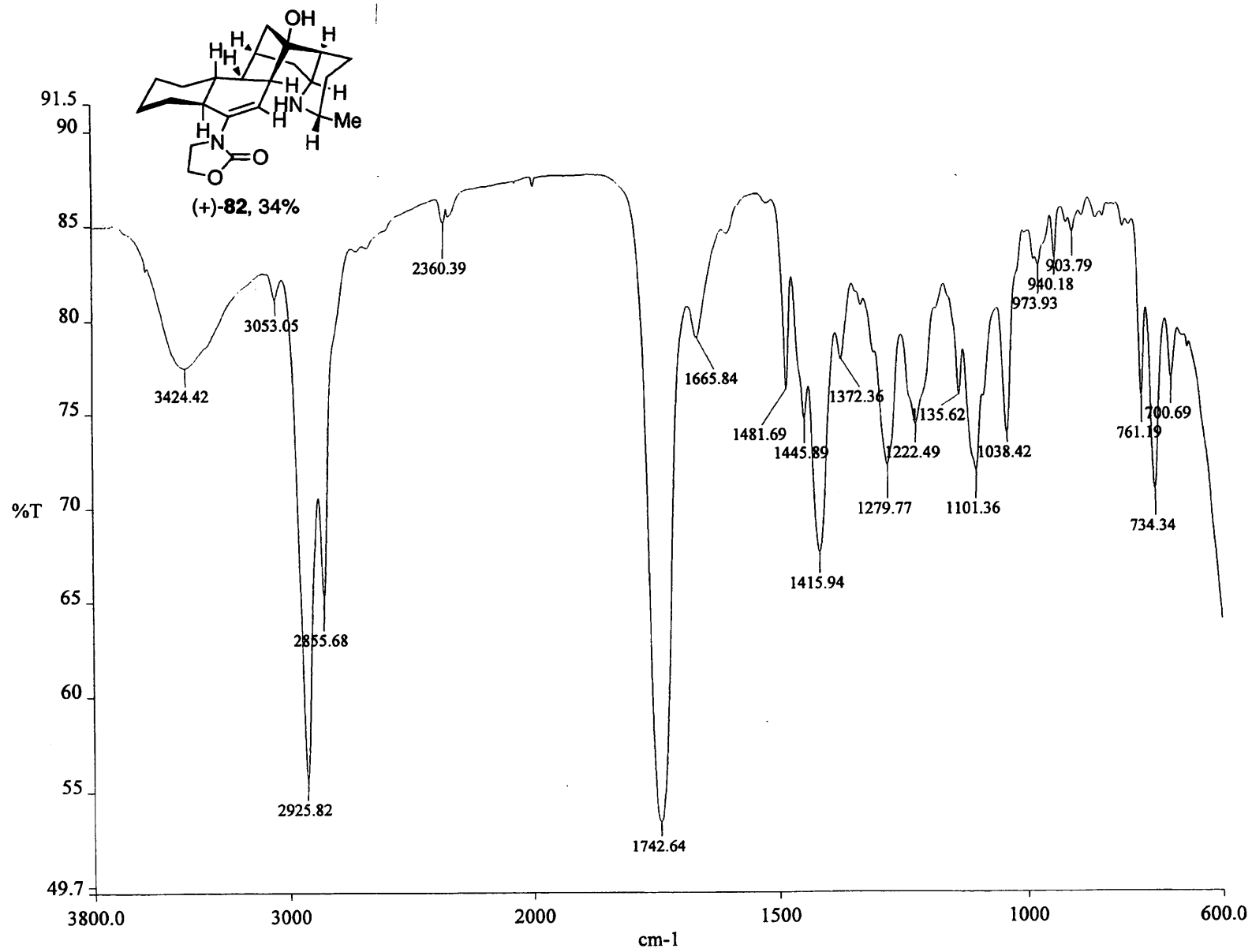


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		iof	0
		dm	nnn
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	499.748	dres	1.0
tn	H1	homo	n
at	3.001		
np	37494	PROCESSING	
sw	6247.6	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	131072
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.9		
d1	2.000	werr	
tof	358.6	wexp	
nt	128	wbs	
ct	32	wnt	wft
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
ll	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.4		
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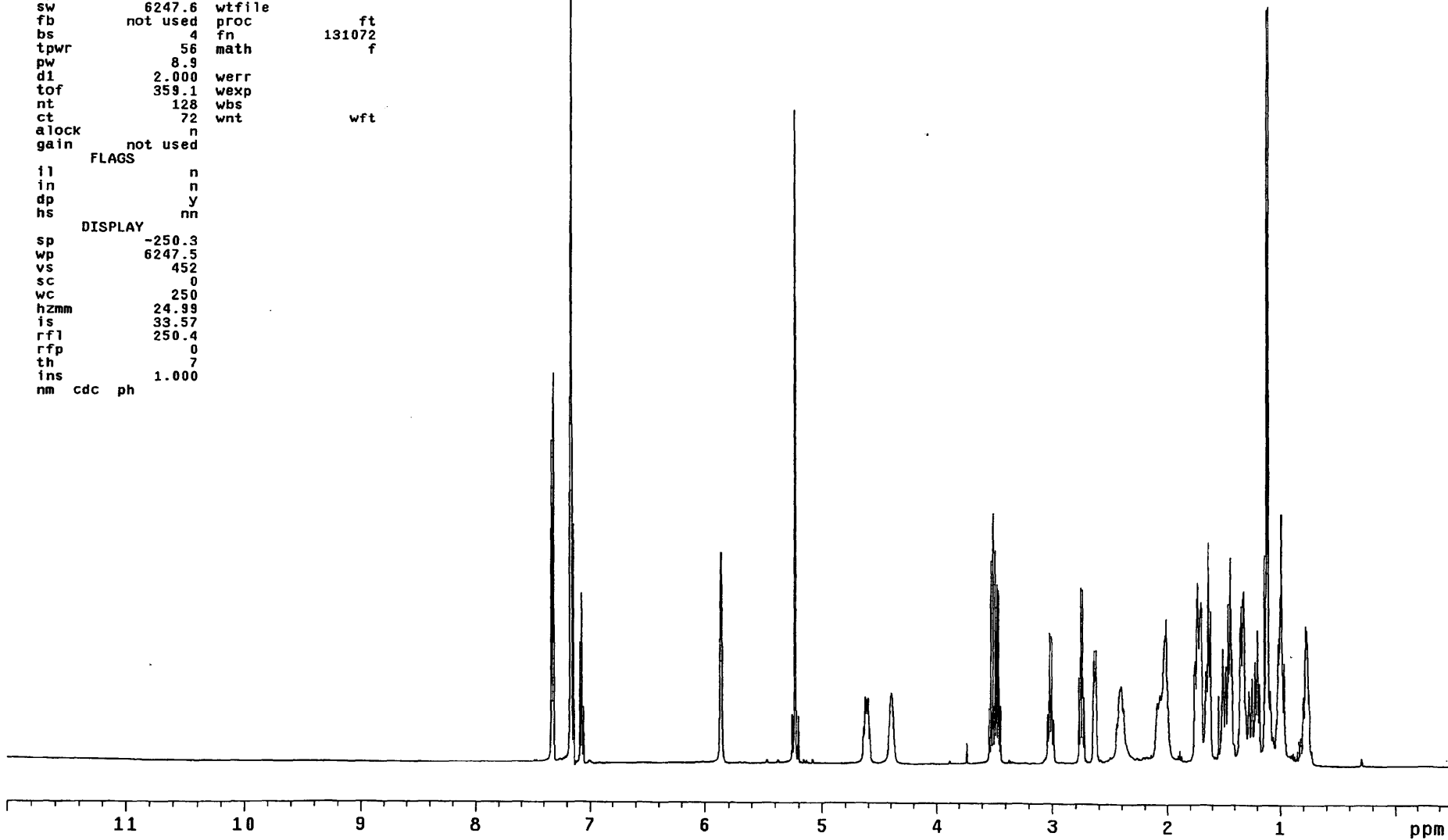
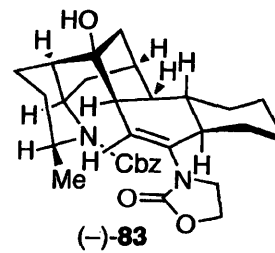


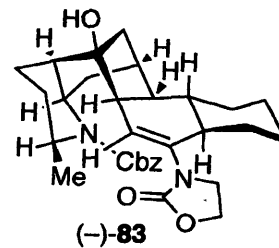
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		dn	H1
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		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
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tn	C13	homo	n
at	1.735	PROCESSING	
np	89854	lb	0.30
sw	25890.0	wtfile	
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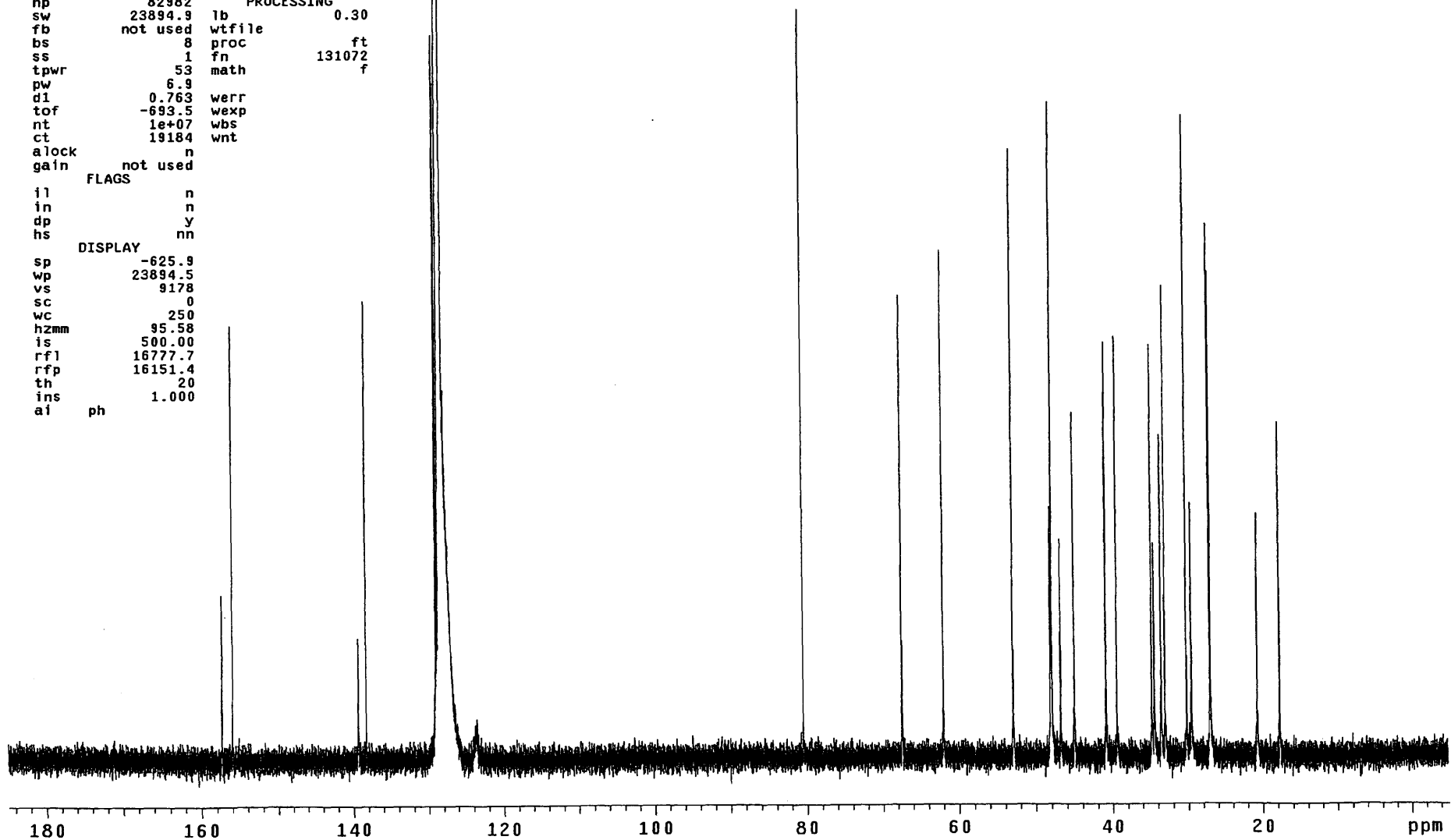


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		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	499.748	dres	1.0
tn	H1	homo	n
at	3.001	PROCESSING	
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gain	not used		
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ins	1.000		
nm	cdc ph		





SAMPLE		DEC. & VT	
solvent	Benzene	dfrq	500.233
		dn	H1
		dpwr	37
		tof	-500.0
		lm	y
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION			
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tn	C13	dres	1.0
at	1.736	homo	n
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sw	23894.9	lb	0.30
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bs	8	proc	ft
ss	1	fn	131072
tpwr	53	math	f
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FLAGS			
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hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
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hzmm	95.58		
is	500.00		
rfl	16777.7		
rfp	16151.4		
th	20		
ins	1.000		
ai	ph		



Pulse Sequence: gCOSY  
Solvent: Benzene  
Ambient temperature

INOVA-500

PULSE SEQUENCE: gCOSY  
Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
Acq. time 0.238 sec  
Width 4293.7 Hz  
2D Width 4293.7 Hz  
26 repetitions  
128 increments

OBSERVE H1, 499.7446815 MHz

DATA PROCESSING

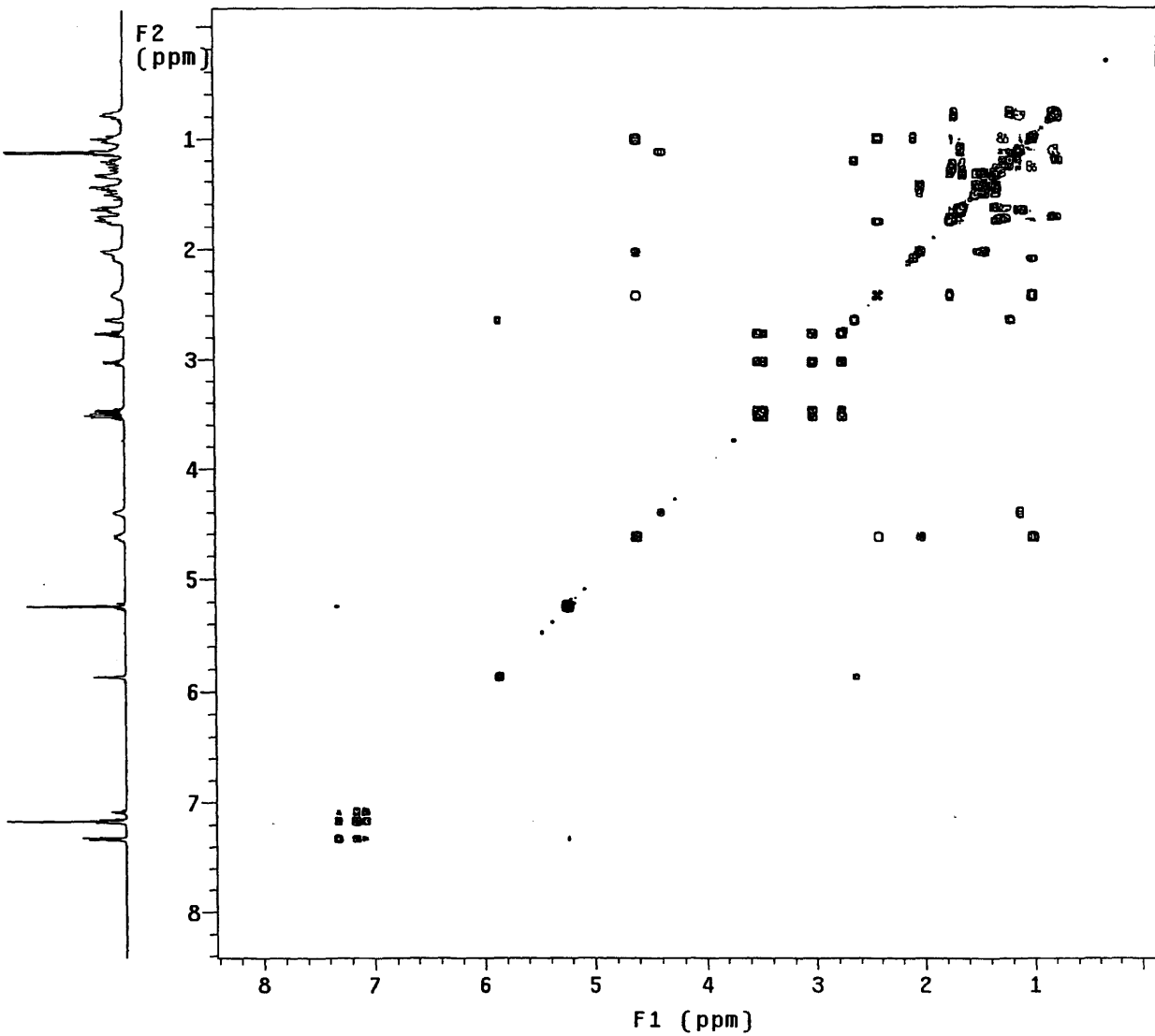
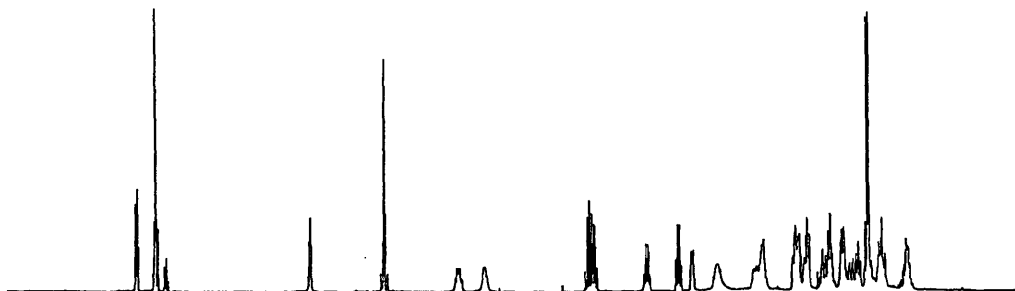
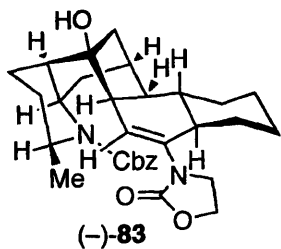
Sq. sine bell 0.119 sec

F1 DATA PROCESSING

Sq. sine bell 0.030 sec

FT size 2048 x 2048

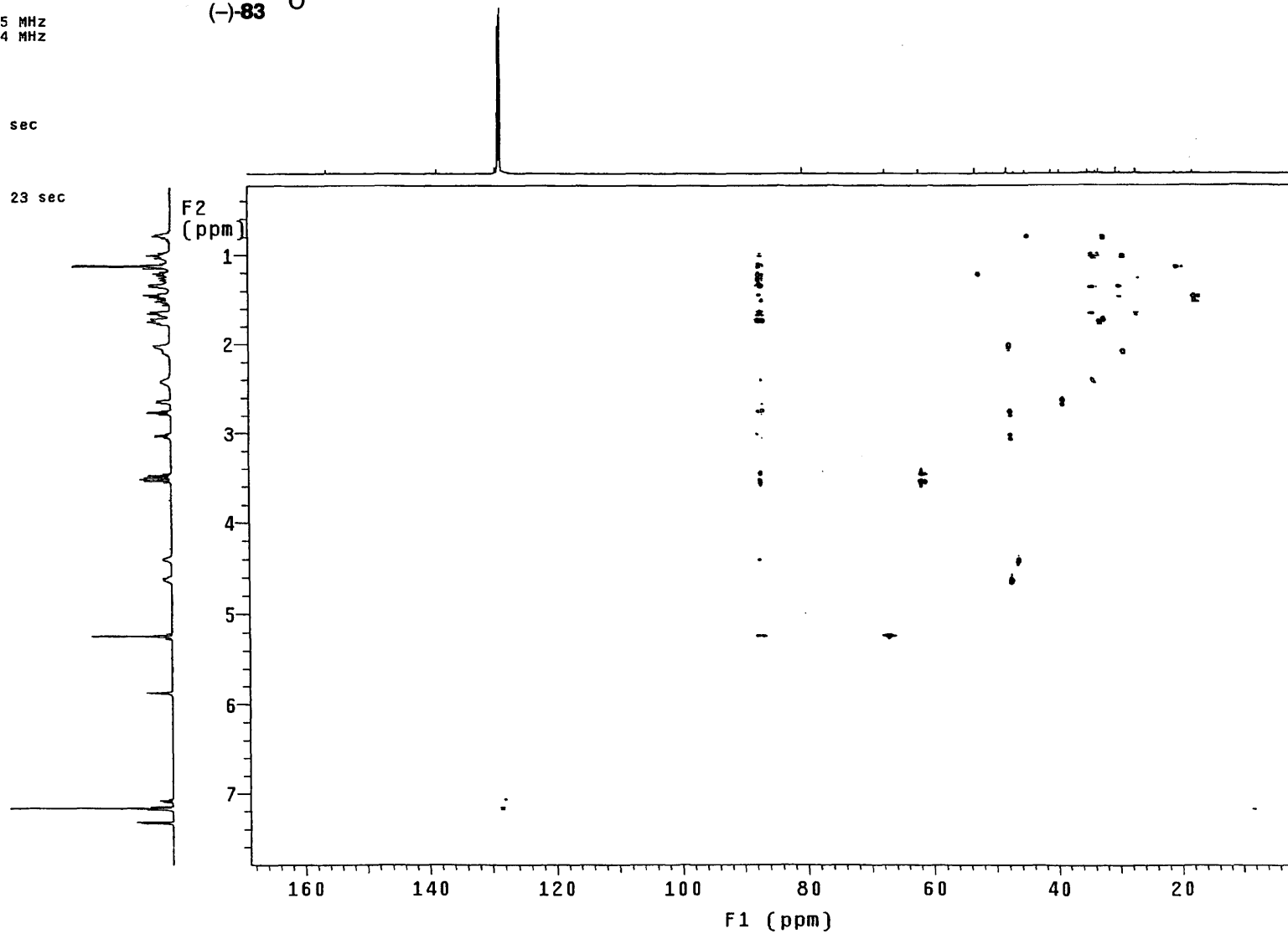
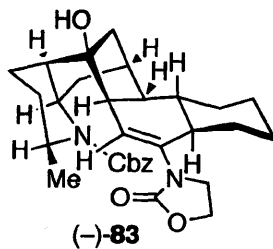
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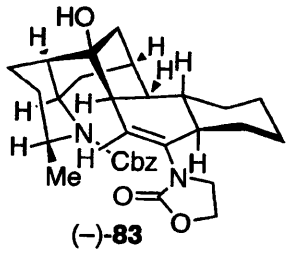
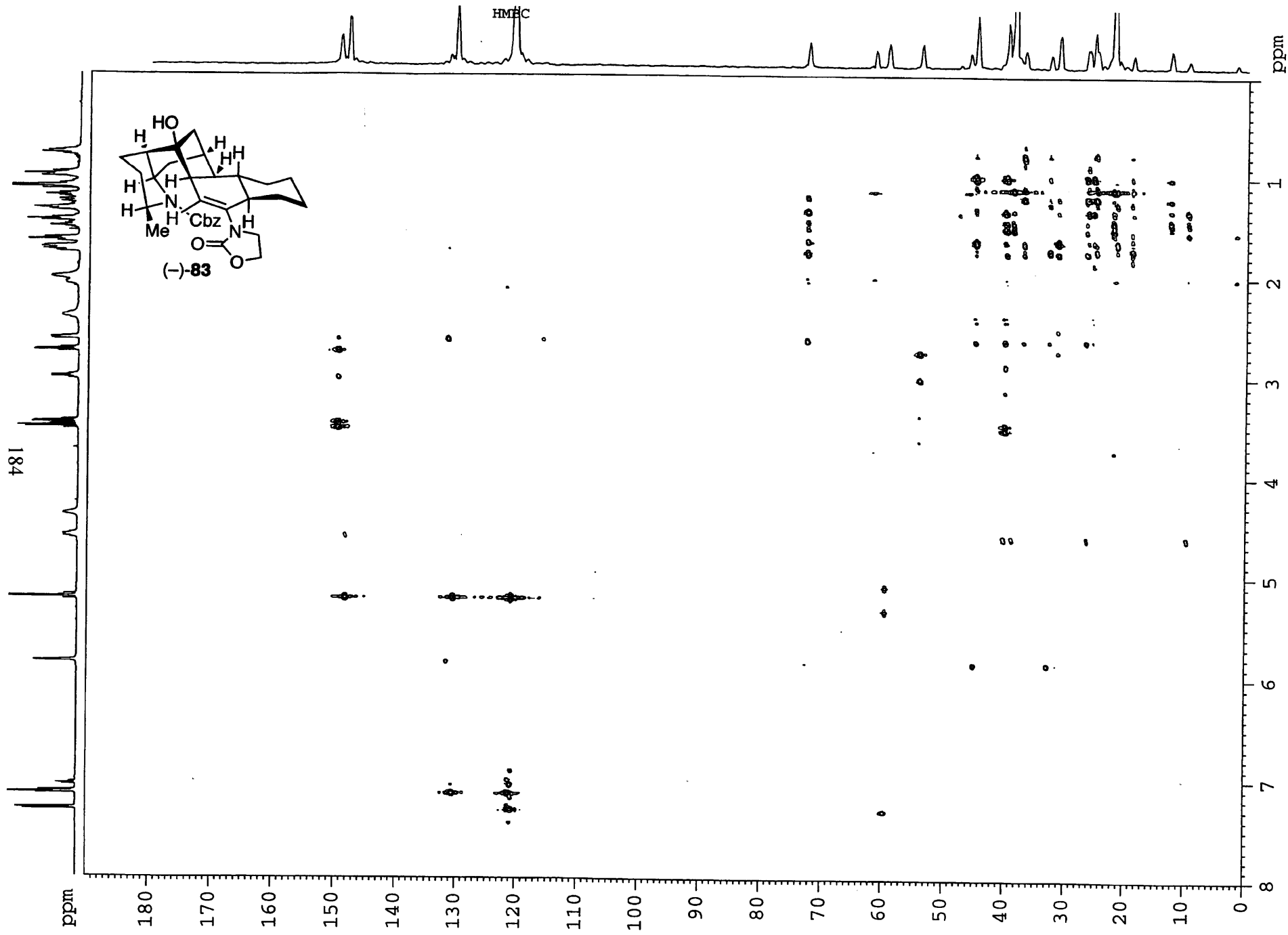


Pulse Sequence: HSQC  
Solvent: Benzene  
Ambient temperature  
User:

INOVA-500

PULSE SEQUENCE: HSQC  
Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
Acq. time 0.099 sec  
Width 4186.7 Hz  
2D Width 23255.8 Hz  
32 repetitions  
2 x 256 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446815 MHz  
DECOUPLE C13, 125.6718434 MHz  
Power 52 dB  
on during acquisition  
off during delay  
GARP-1 modulated  
DATA PROCESSING  
Gauss apodization 0.113 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.022 sec  
Shifted by -0.022 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 6 hr, 52 min, 23 sec





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ppm

ppm

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6

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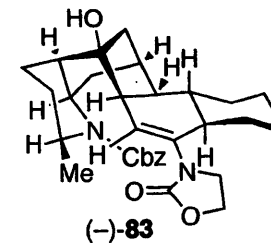
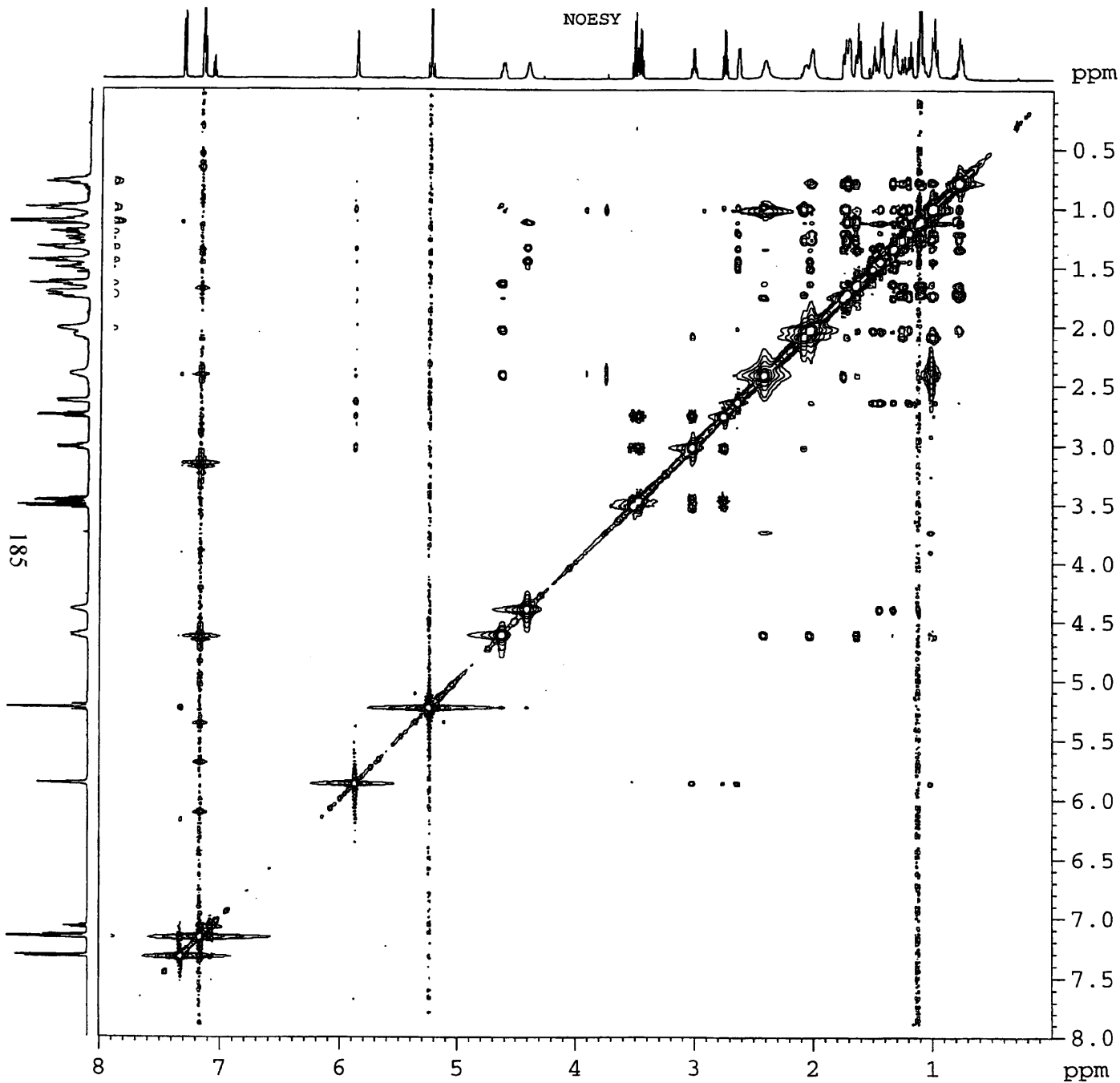
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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date_	20060124
Time	11.39
INSTRUM	spect
PROBHD	5 mm CPTXI Z-G
PULPROG	noesyph
TD	1024
SOLVENT	C6D6
NS	32
DS	16
SWH	4807.692 Hz
FIDRES	4.695012 Hz
AQ	0.1066500 sec
RG	64
DW	104.000 usec
DE	6.00 usec
TE	295.0 K
d0	0.00009267 sec
D1	0.80000001 sec
D8	0.40000001 sec
IN0	0.00020800 sec
MCREST	0.00000000 sec
MCWRK	0.80000001 sec

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1	1H
P1	8.90 usec
PL1	-6.00 dB
SFO1	600.4674019 MHz

F1 - Acquisition parameters

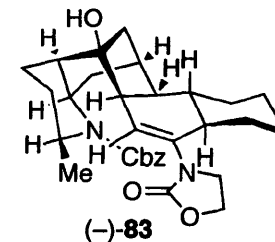
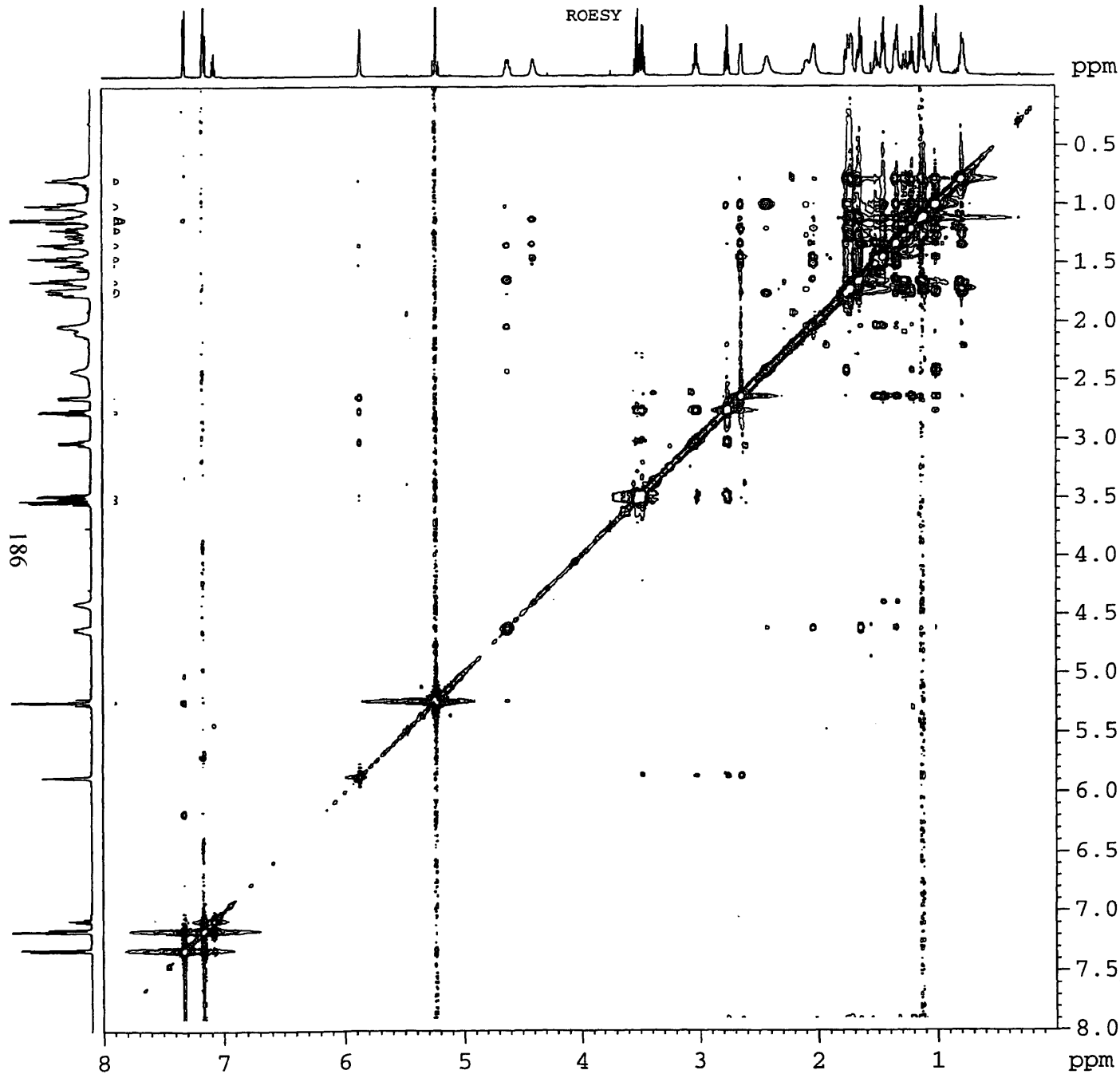
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TD	512
SFO1	600.4674 MHz
FIDRES	9.390024 Hz
SW	8.007 ppm
FnMODE	TPPI

F2 - Processing parameters

SI	2048
SF	600.4650000 MHz
WDW	SINE
SSB	2
LB	0.00 Hz
GB	0
PC	1.00

F1 - Processing parameters

SI	1024
MC2	TPPI
SF	600.4650000 MHz
WDW	SINE
SSB	2
LB	0.00 Hz
GB	0



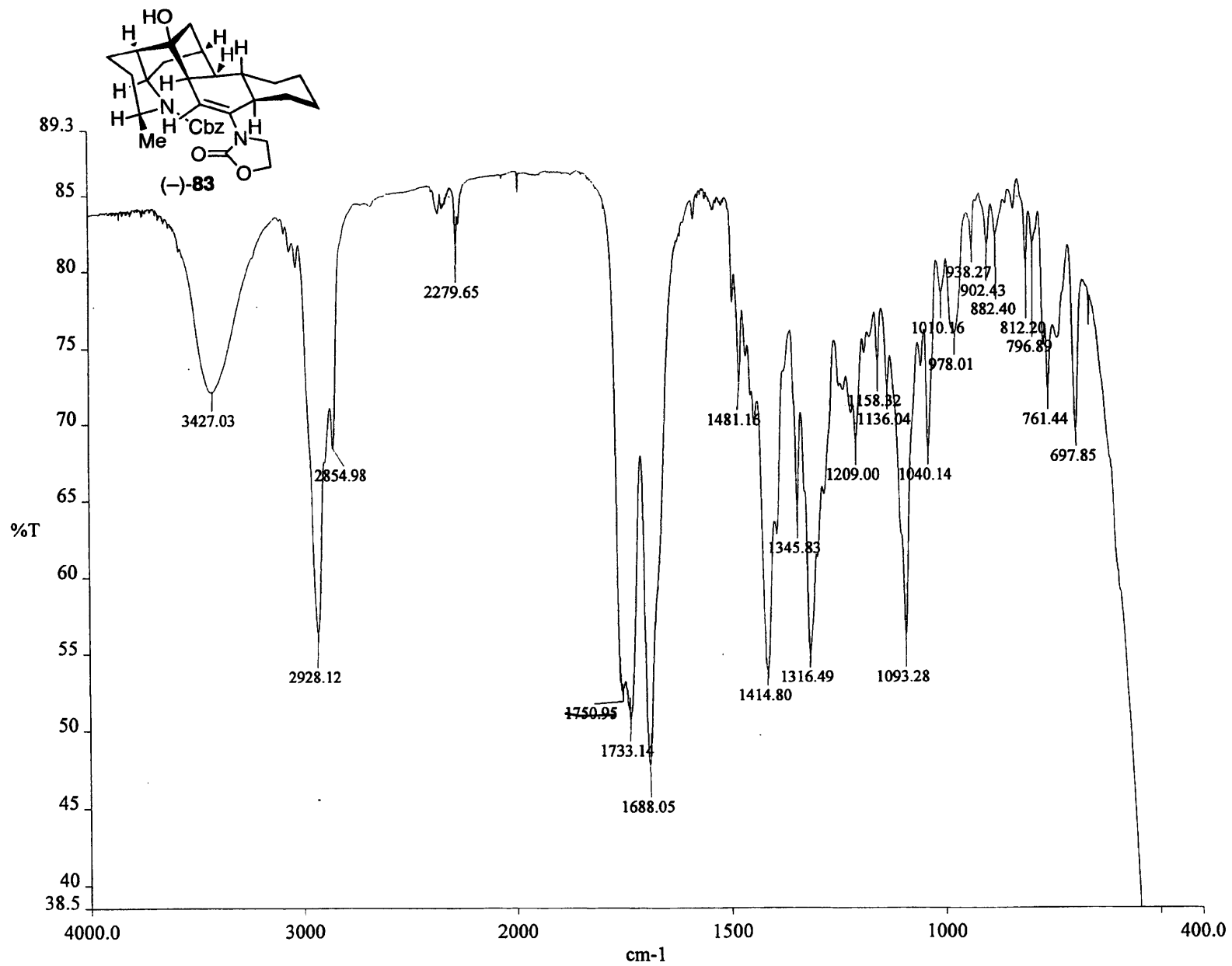
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 Time 17.45  
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 PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI Z-G  
 PULPROG roesyph  
 TD 1024  
 SOLVENT C6D6  
 NS 32  
 DS 16  
 SWH 4807.692 Hz  
 FIDRES 4.695012 Hz  
 AQ 0.1066500 sec  
 RG 64  
 DW 104.000 usec  
 DE 6.00 usec  
 TE 295.0 K  
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 D1 0.80000001 sec  
 d12 0.00002000 sec  
 IN0 0.00020800 sec  
 MCREST 0.00000000 sec  
 MCWRK 0.80000001 sec

===== CHANNEL f1 =====  
 NUC1 1H  
 P1 8.90 usec  
 P15 400000.00 usec  
 PL1 -6.00 dB  
 PL11 15.20 dB  
 SFO1 600.4674019 MHz

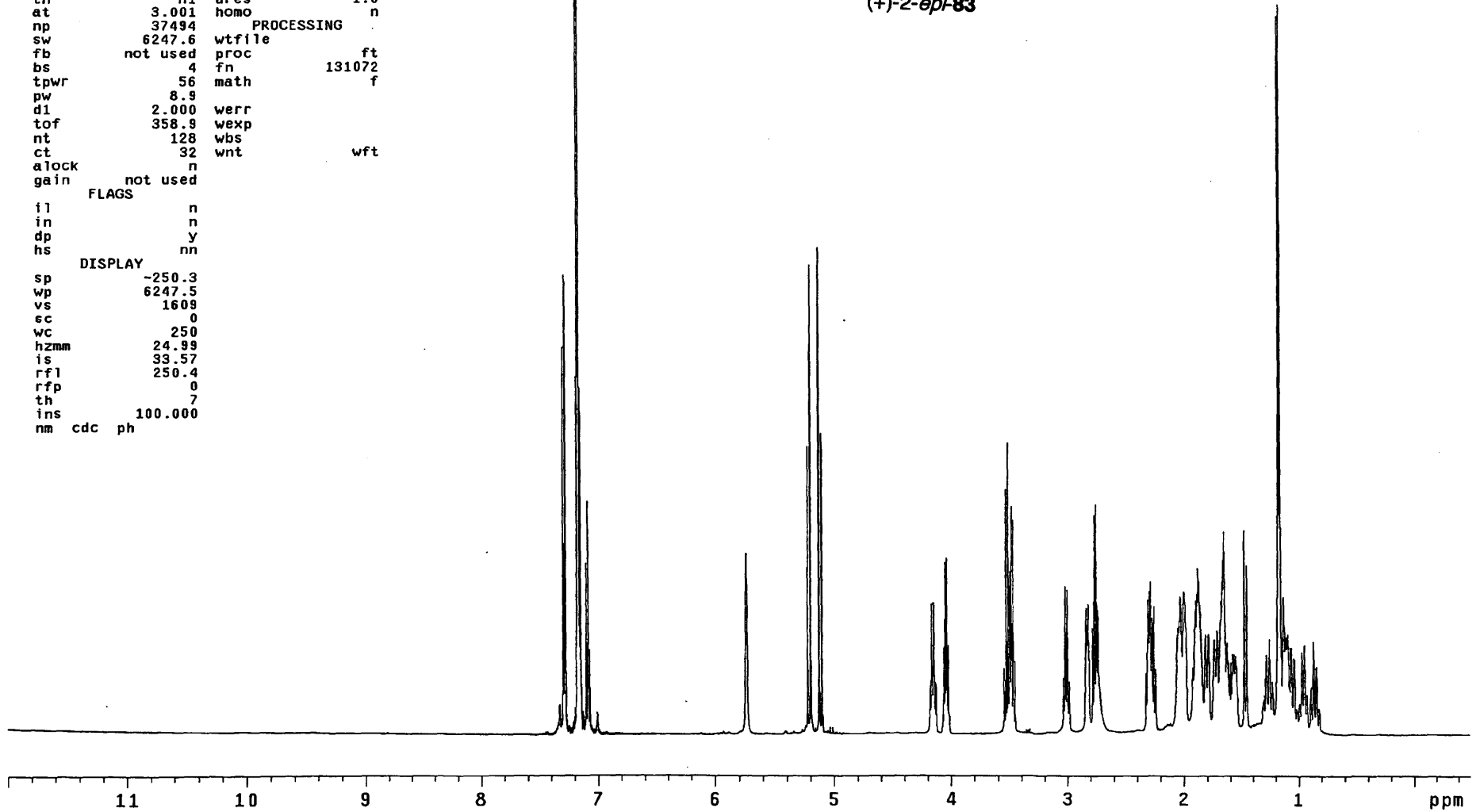
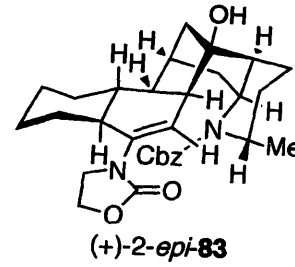
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 FnmODE TPPI

F2 - Processing parameters  
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 SF 600.4650000 MHz  
 WDW SINE  
 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0  
 PC 1.00

F1 - Processing parameters  
 SI 1024  
 MC2 TPPI  
 SF 600.4650000 MHz  
 WDW SINE  
 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0



SAMPLE		DEC. & VT	
solvent	Benzene	dfrq	125.673
		dn	C13
		dpwr	30
		dof	0
		dm	nnn
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		PROCESSING	
sfrq	499.748	dseq	
tn	H1	dres	1.0
at	3.001	homo	n
np	37494		
sw	6247.6	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	131072
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.9		
d1	2.000	werr	
tof	358.9	wexp	
nt	128	wbs	
ct	32	wnt	wft
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.3		
wp	6247.5		
vs	1608		
sc	0		
wc	250		
hzmm	24.99		
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th	7		
ins	100.000		
nm	cdc ph		



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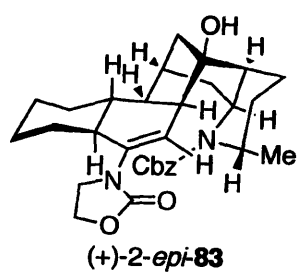
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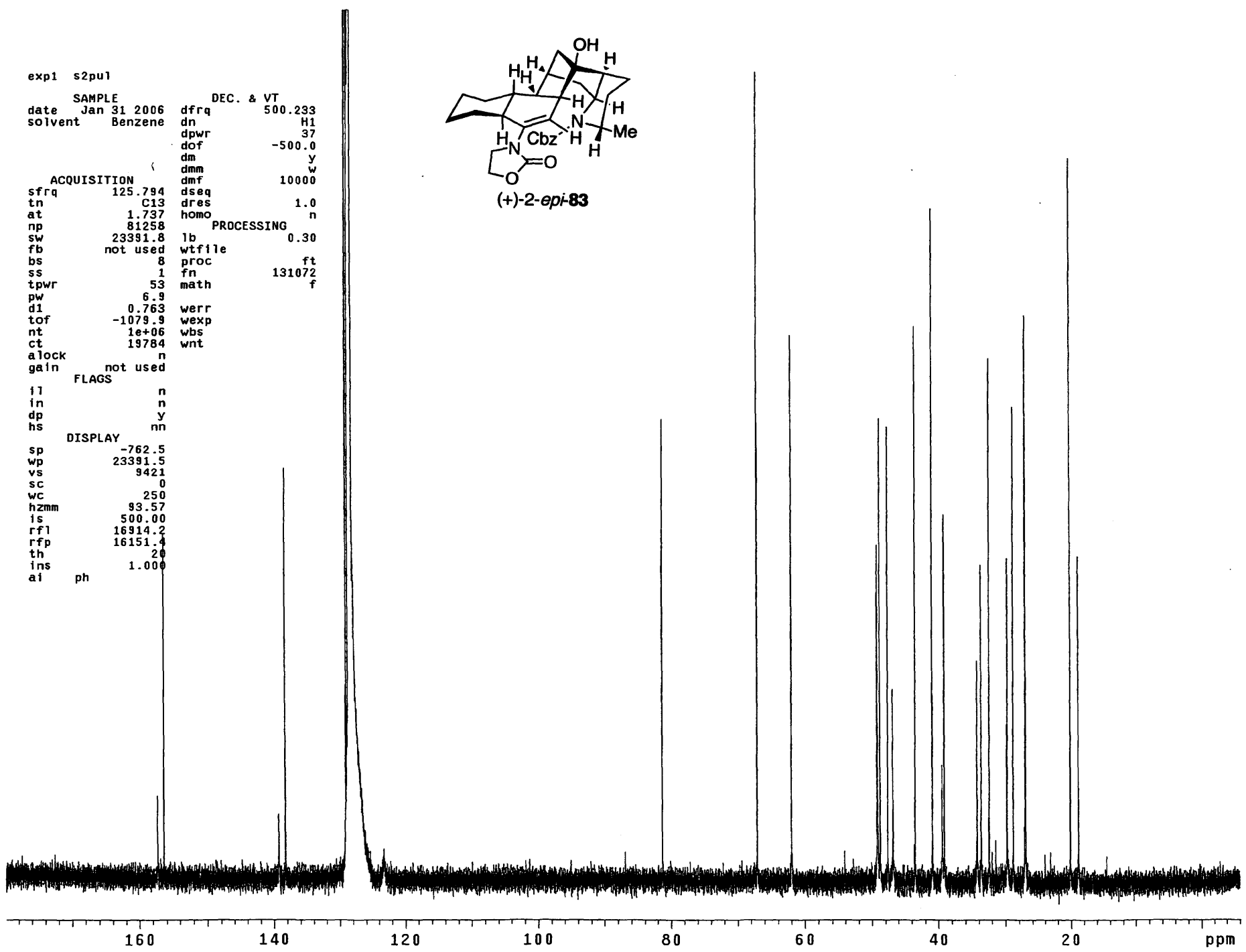
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pw 6.9  
d1 0.763  
tof -1079.9  
nt 1e+06  
ct 19784  
alock n  
gain not used

PROCESSING  
lb 0.30  
wtfile  
proc ft  
fn 131072  
math f

FLAGS  
il n  
in n  
dp y  
hs nn  
DISPLAY  
sp -762.5  
wp 23391.5  
vs 9421  
sc 0  
wc 250  
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th 20  
ins 1.000  
ai ph



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Pulse Sequence: gCOSY

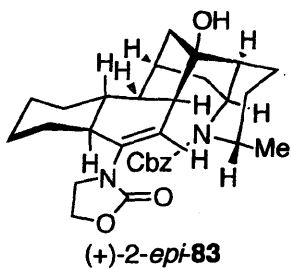
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Ambient temperature

INOVA-500

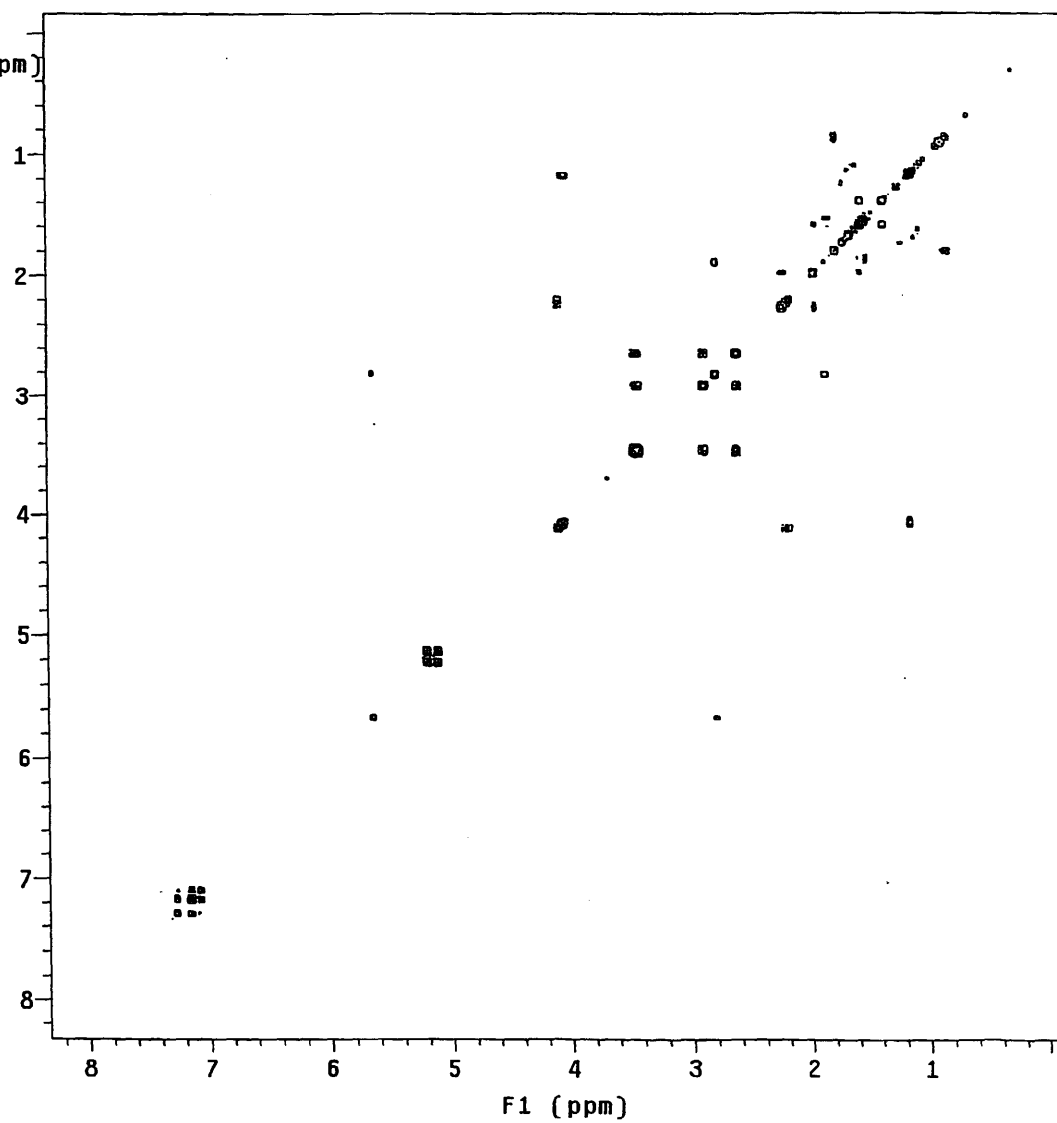
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Width 4247.2 Hz  
2D Width 4247.2 Hz  
24 repetitions  
128 increments

OBSERVE H1, 499.7446814 MHz

DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.120 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.030 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 0 min, -1 sec



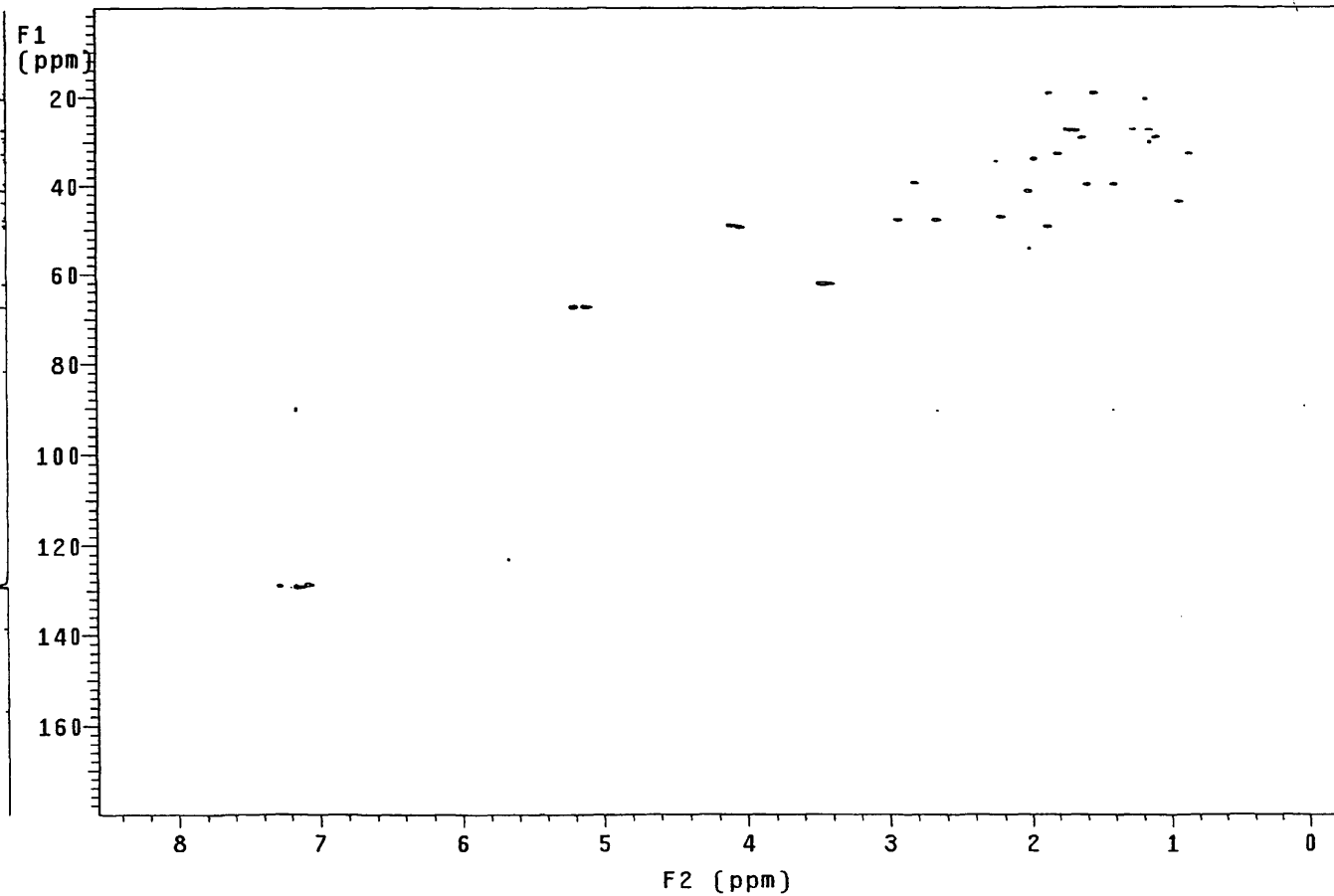
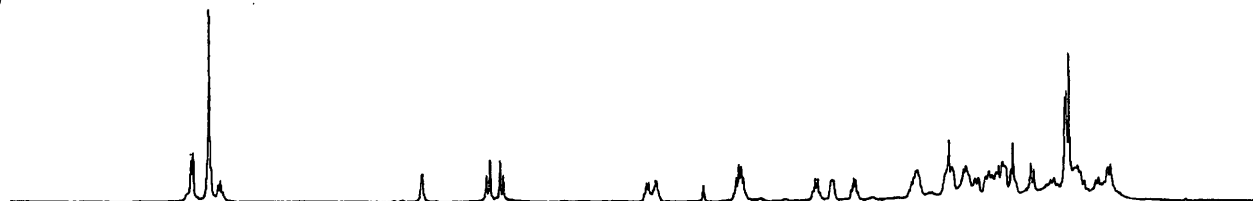
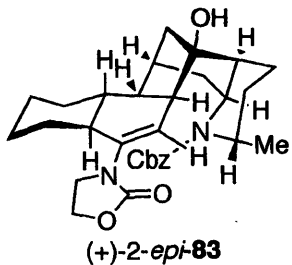
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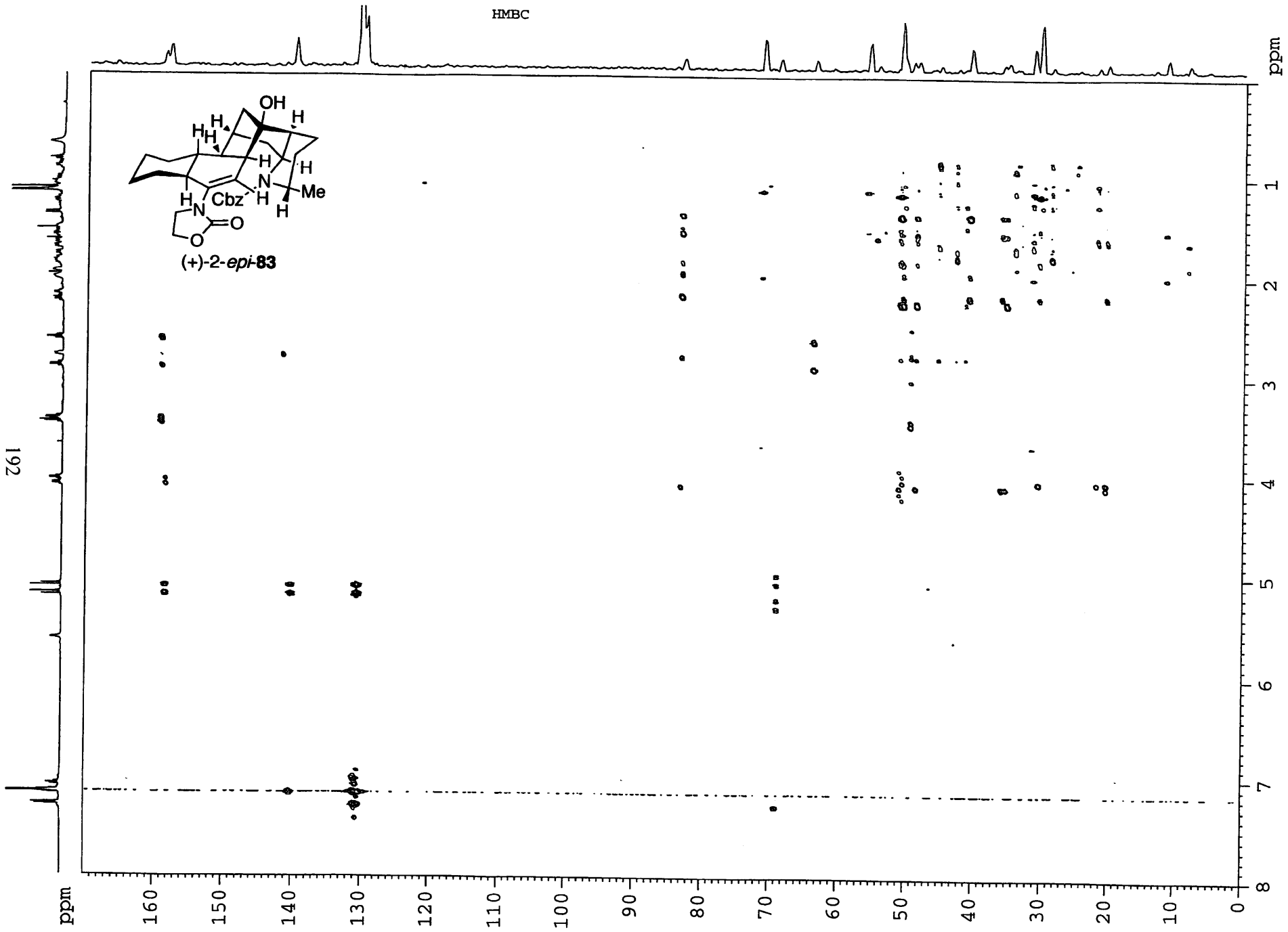


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Ambient temperature  
User:

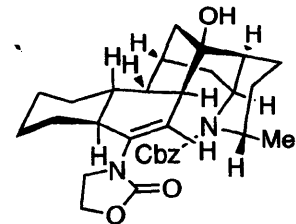
INOVA-500

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Acq. time 0.099 sec  
Width 4406.3 Hz  
2D Width 22598.9 Hz  
32 repetitions  
2 x 256 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446817 MHz  
DECOUPLE C13, 125.6721325 MHz  
Power 52 dB  
On during acquisition  
off during delay  
GARP-1 modulated  
DATA PROCESSING  
Gauss apodization 0.107 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.023 sec  
Shifted by -0.023 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 6 hr, 52 min, 27 sec









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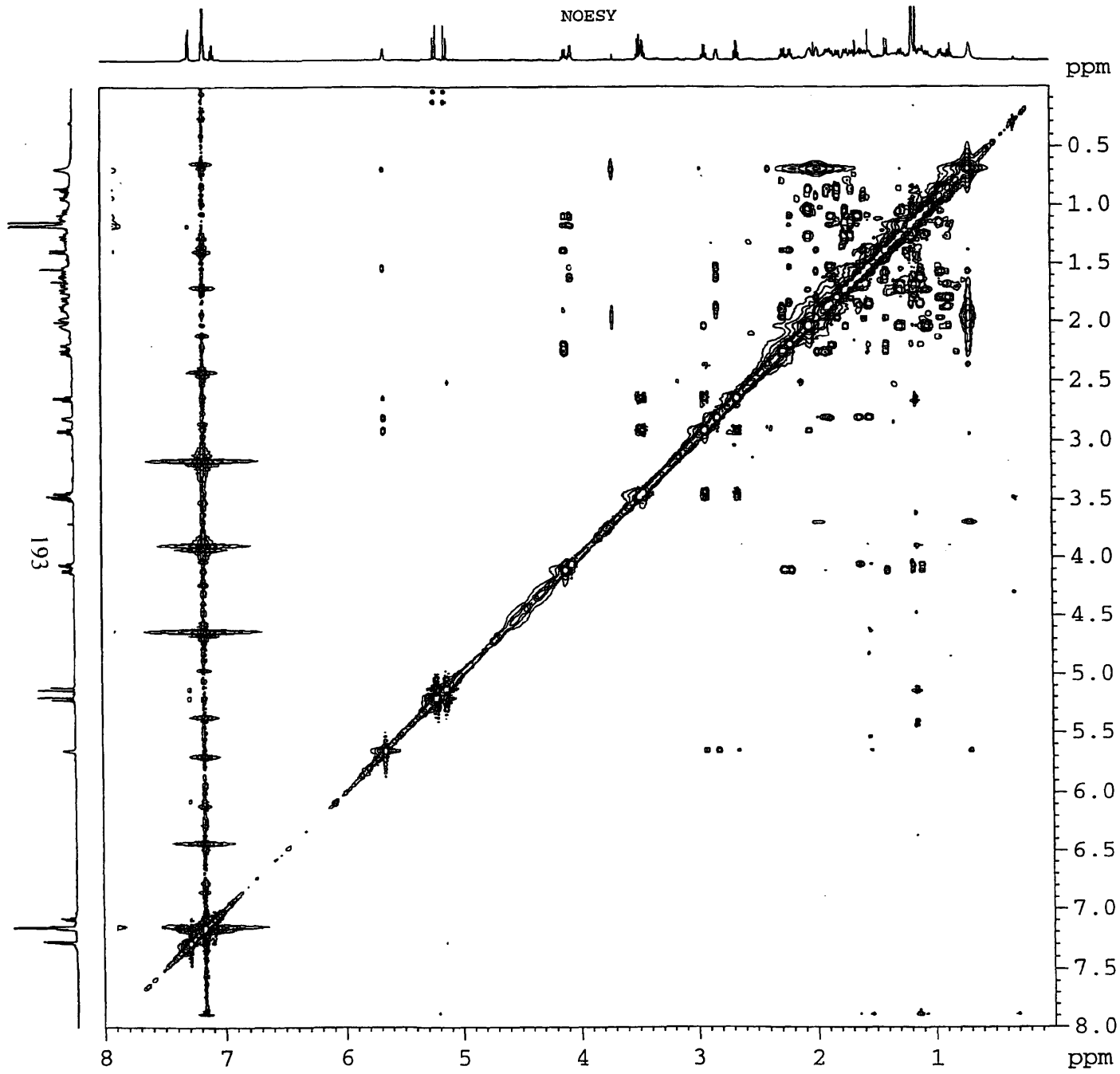
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 SOLVENT D2O  
 NS 24  
 DS 16  
 SWH 4807.692 Hz  
 FIDRES 4.695012 Hz  
 AQ 0.1066500 sec  
 RG 128  
 DW 104.000 usec  
 DE 6.00 usec  
 TE 295.0 K  
 d0 0.00009267 sec  
 D1 0.69999999 sec  
 D8 0.40000001 sec  
 INO 0.00020800 sec  
 MCREST 0.00000000 sec  
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==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
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 SFO1 600.4674019 MHz

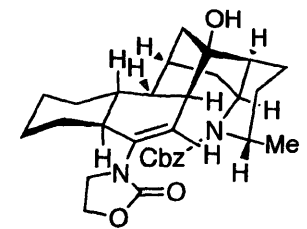
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 TD 480  
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 FIDRES 10.016026 Hz  
 SW 8.007 ppm  
 FnMODE TPPI

F2 - Processing parameters  
 SI 2048  
 SF 600.4650000 MHz  
 WDW SINE  
 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0  
 PC 1.00

F1 - Processing parameters  
 SI 1024  
 MC2 TPPI  
 SF 600.4650000 MHz  
 WDW SINE  
 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0



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h2 - Acquisition Parameters  
 Date\_ 20060127  
 Time 19.54  
 INSTRUM spect  
 PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI Z-G  
 PULPROG roesyph  
 TD 1024  
 SOLVENT C6D6  
 NS 24  
 DS 16  
 SWH 4807.692 Hz  
 FIDRES 4.695012 Hz  
 AQ 0.1066500 sec  
 RG 128  
 DW 104.000 usec  
 DE 6.00 usec  
 TE 295.0 K  
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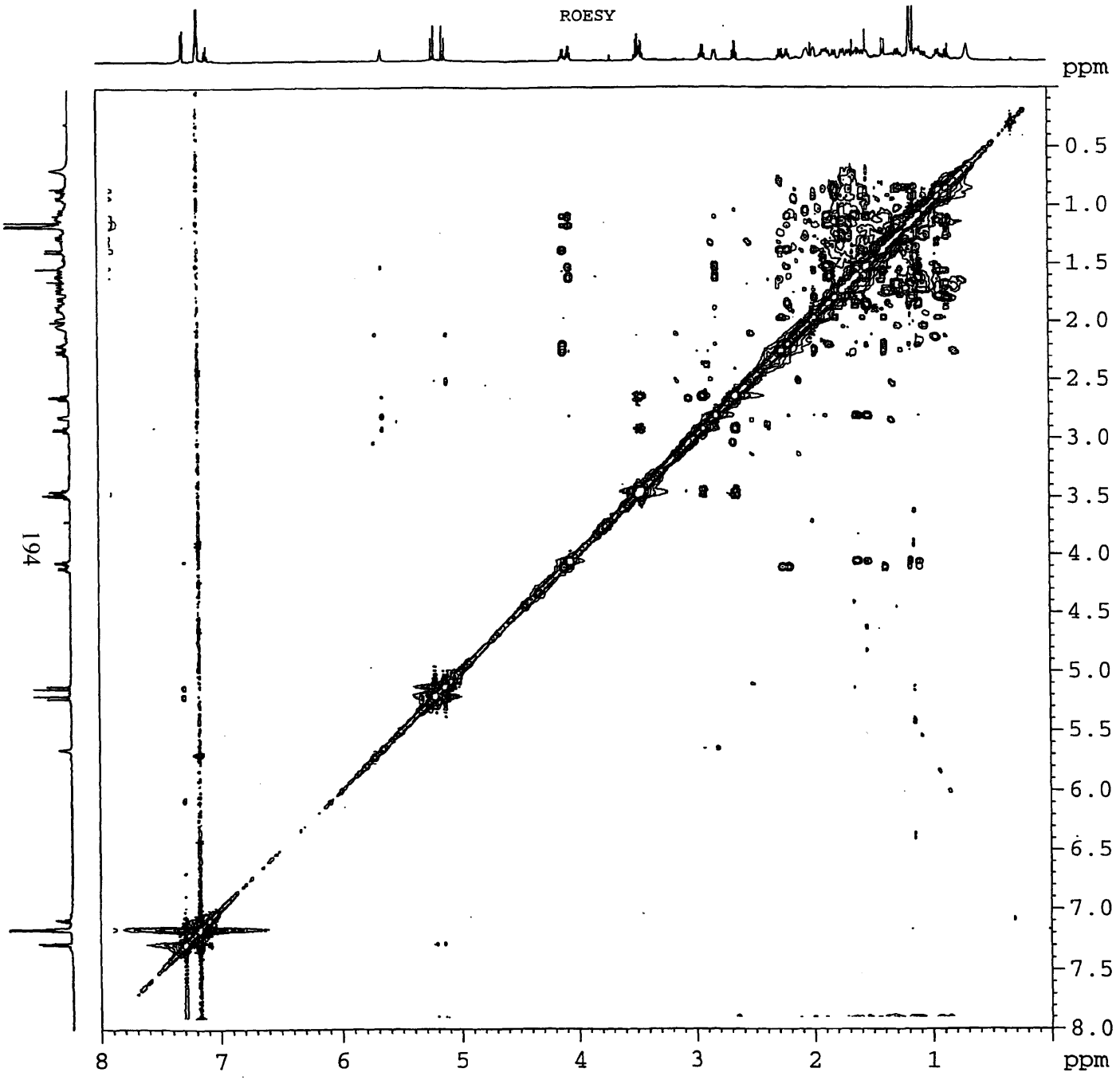
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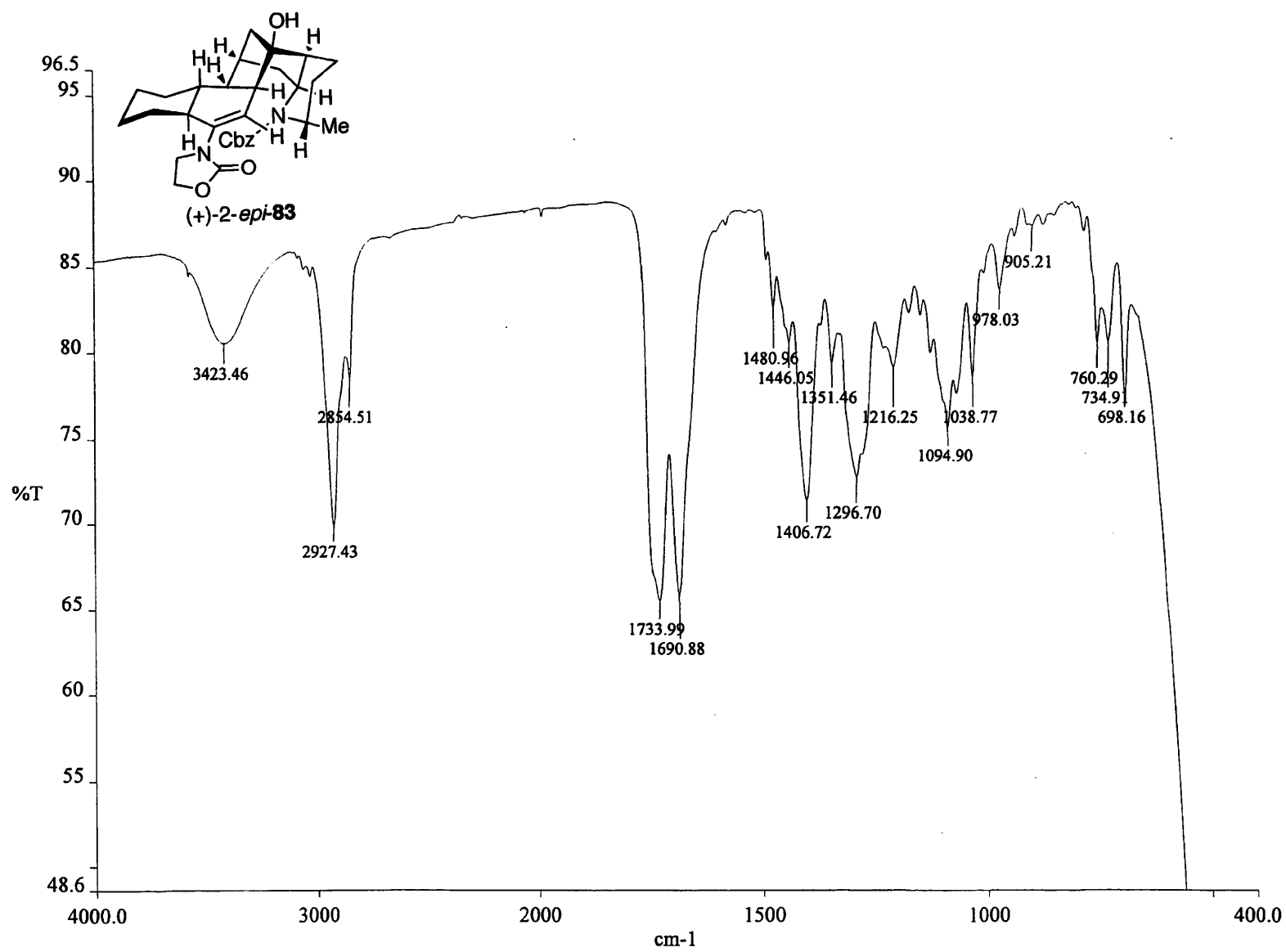
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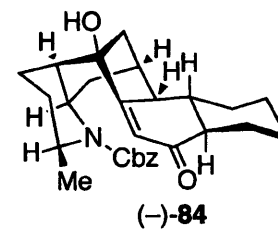
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 WDW SINE  
 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0  
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 MC2 TPPI  
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 SSB 2  
 LB 0.00 Hz  
 GB 0

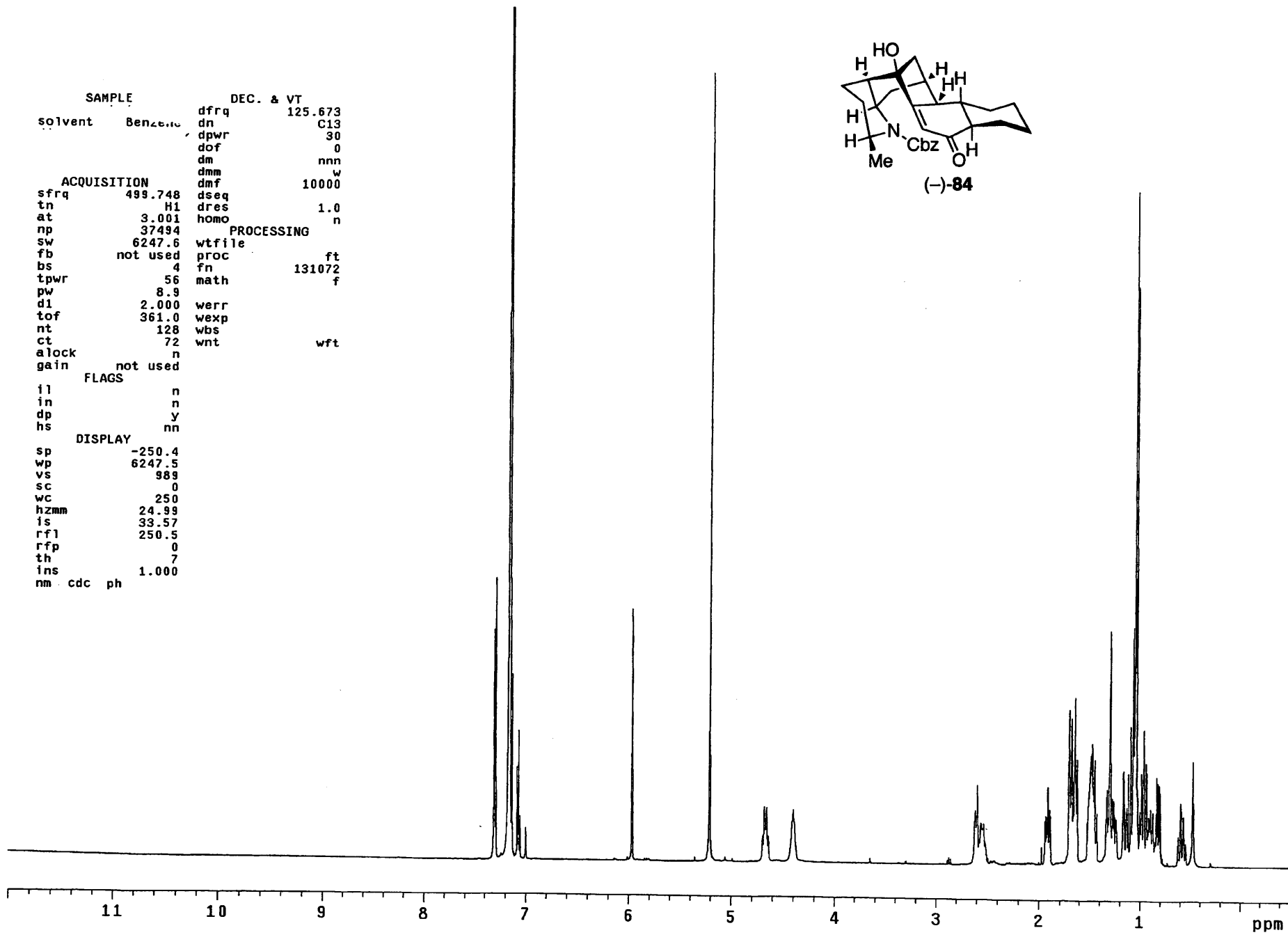
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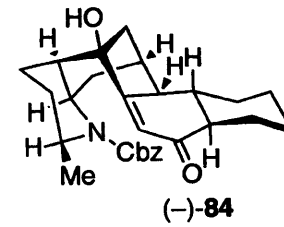




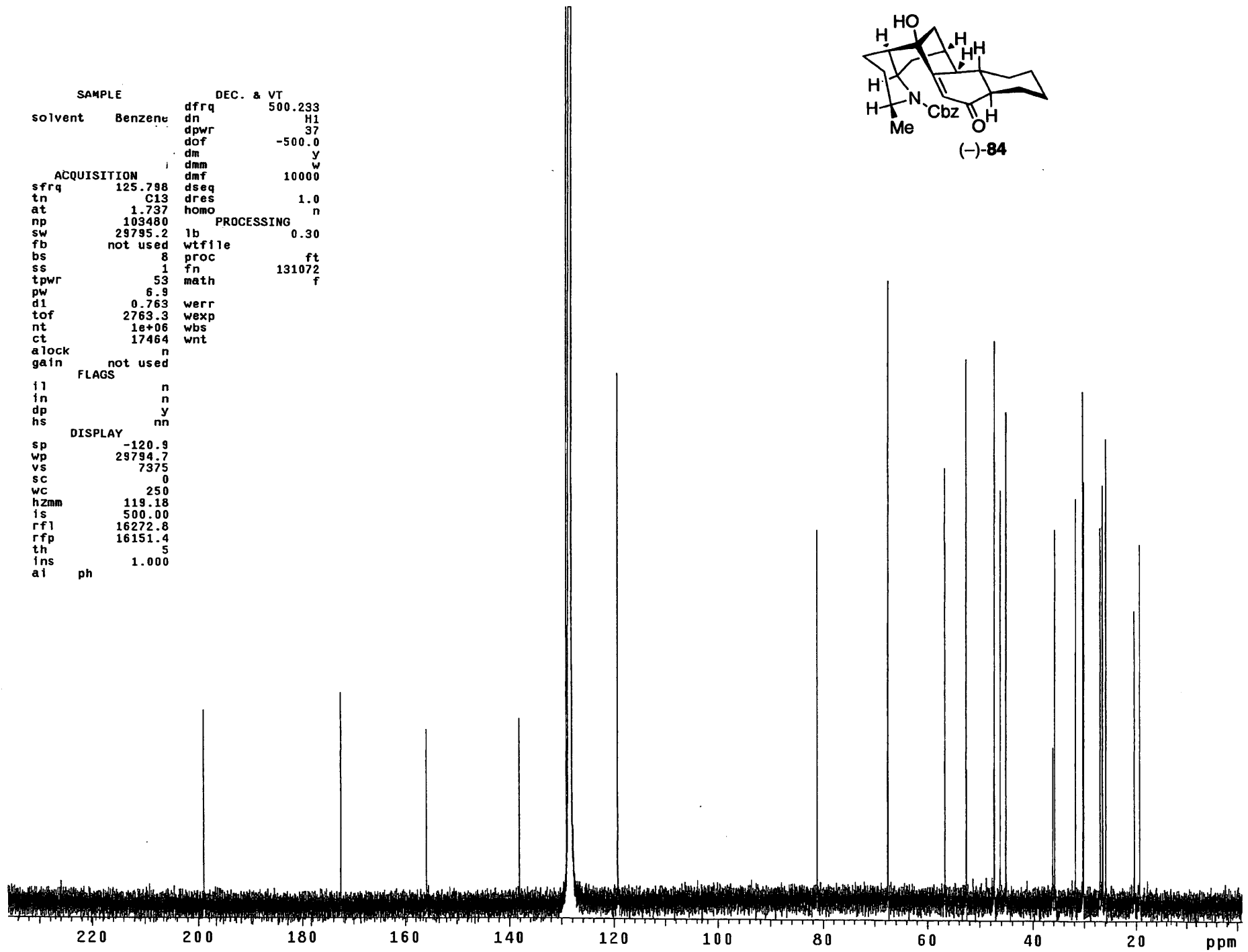


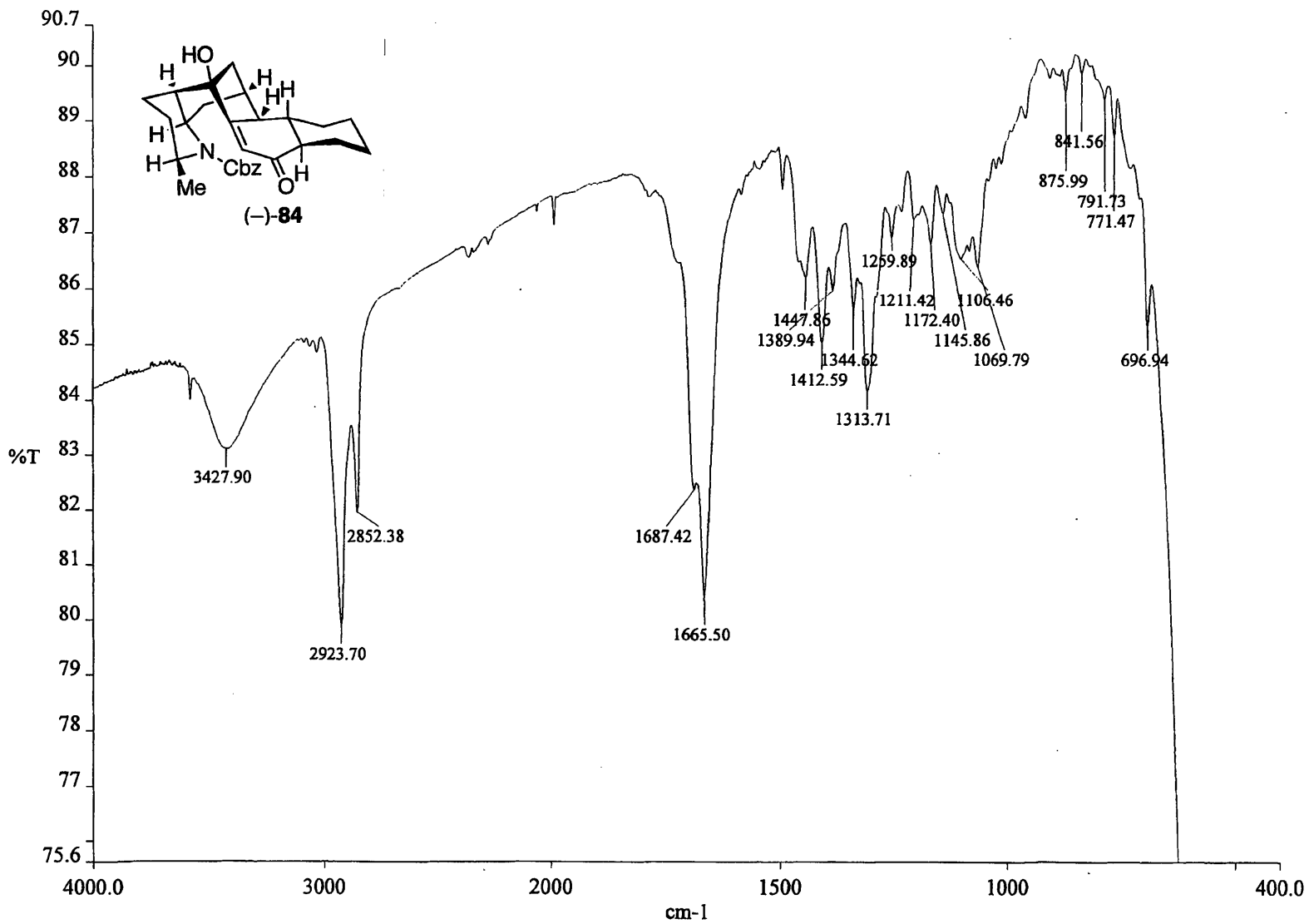
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		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
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tn	H1	homo	n
at	3.001		
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sw	6247.6	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	131072
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.9		
d1	2.000	werr	
tof	361.0	wexp	
nt	128	wbs	
ct	72	wnt	wft
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
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in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
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sc	0		
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nm	cdc ph		



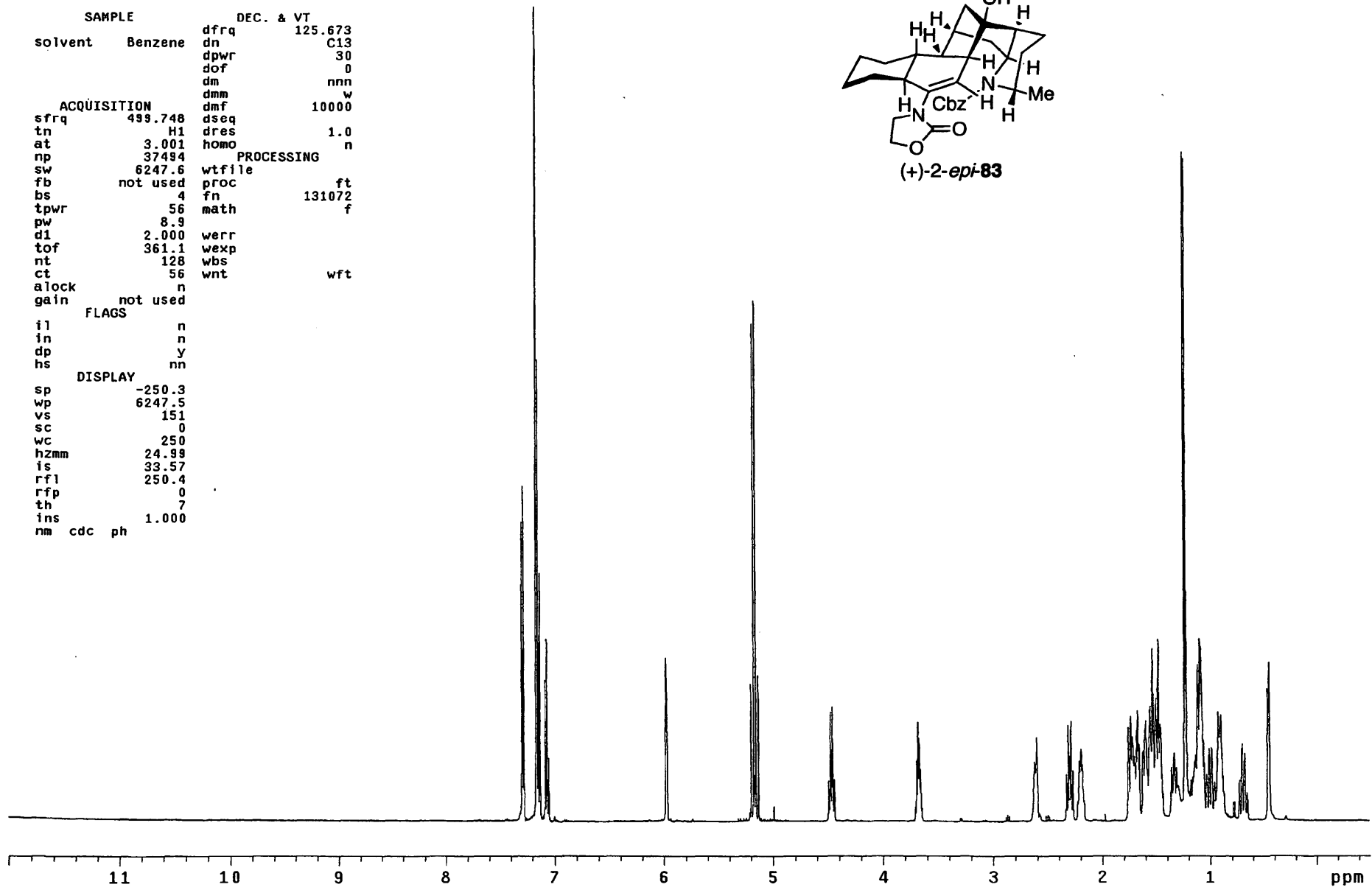
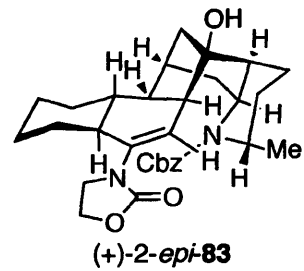


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		dm	y
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
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np	103480		
sw	29795.2	1b	0.30
fb	not used	wtfile	
bs	8	proc	ft
ss	1	fn	131072
tpwr	53	math	f
pw	6.9		
d1	0.763	werr	
tof	2763.3	wexp	
nt	1e+06	wbs	
ct	17464	wnt	
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FLAGS			
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dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
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sc	0		
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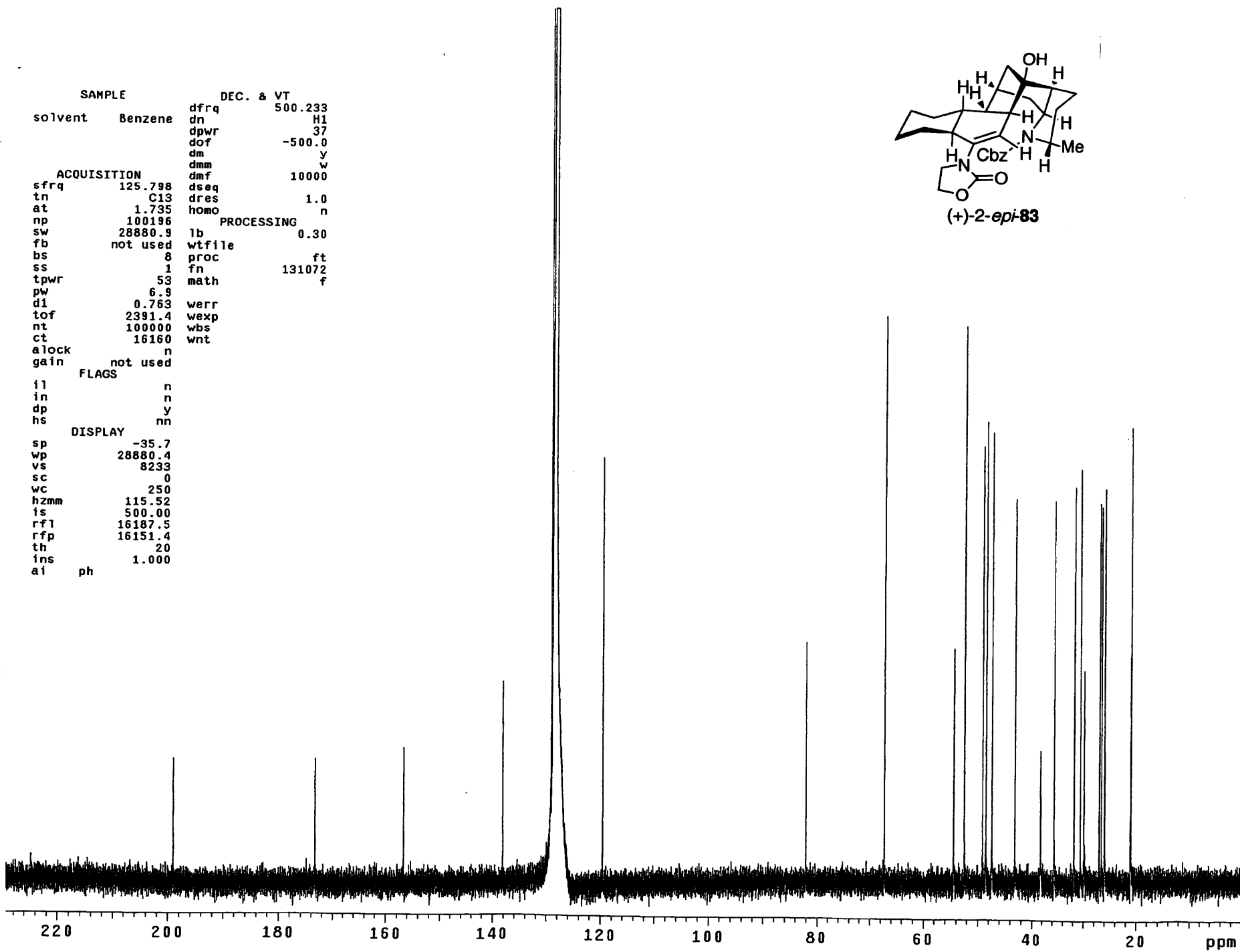




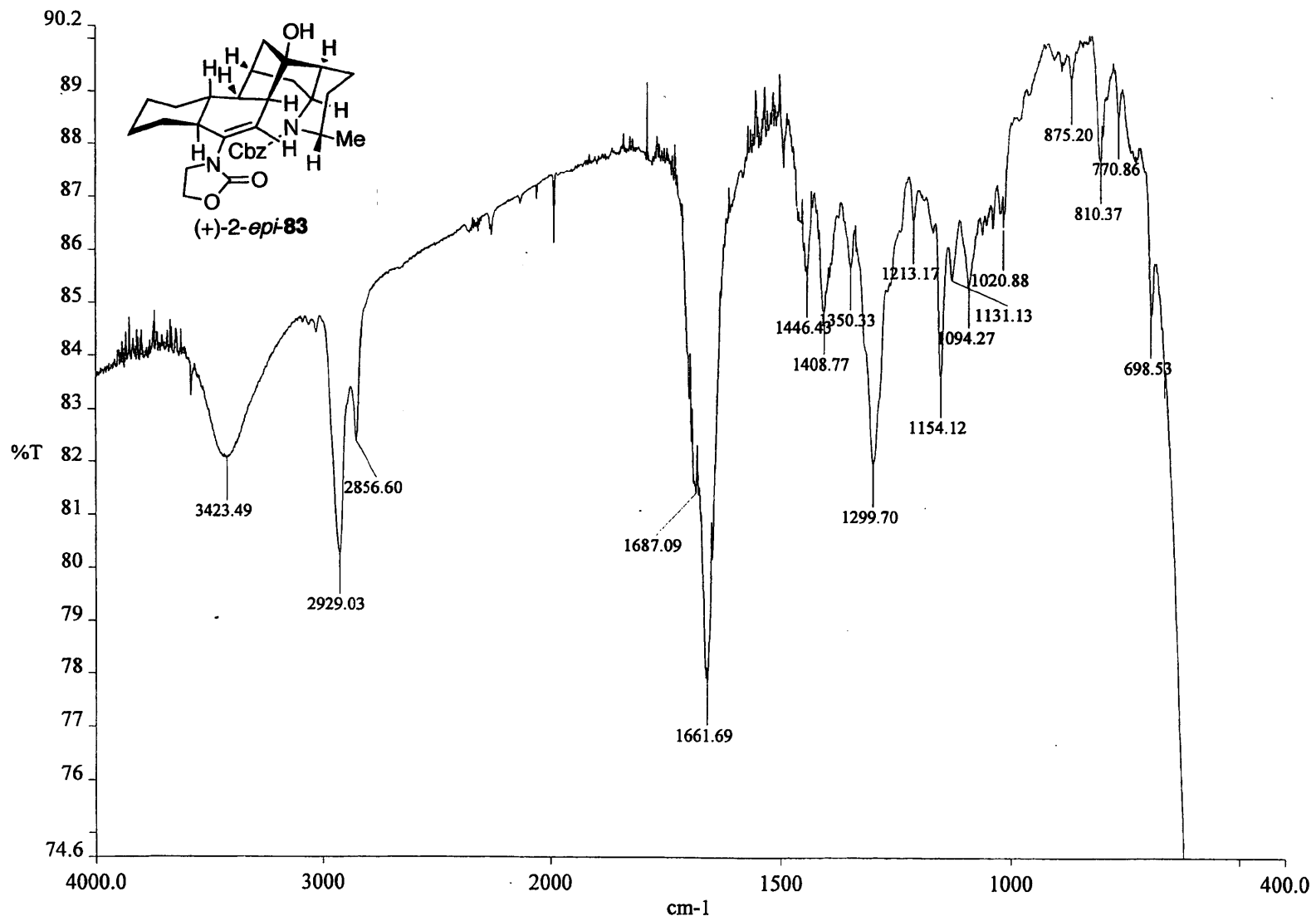
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		dmm	w
ACQUISITION		dmf	10000
sfrq	499.748	dseq	
tn	H1	dres	1.0
at	3.001	homo	n
np	37494	PROCESSING	
sw	6247.6	wf file	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	131072
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.9		
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tof	361.1	wexp	
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alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.3		
wp	6247.5		
vs	151		
sc	0		
wc	250		
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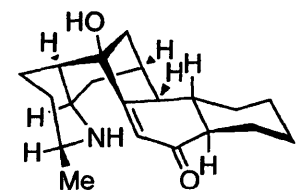




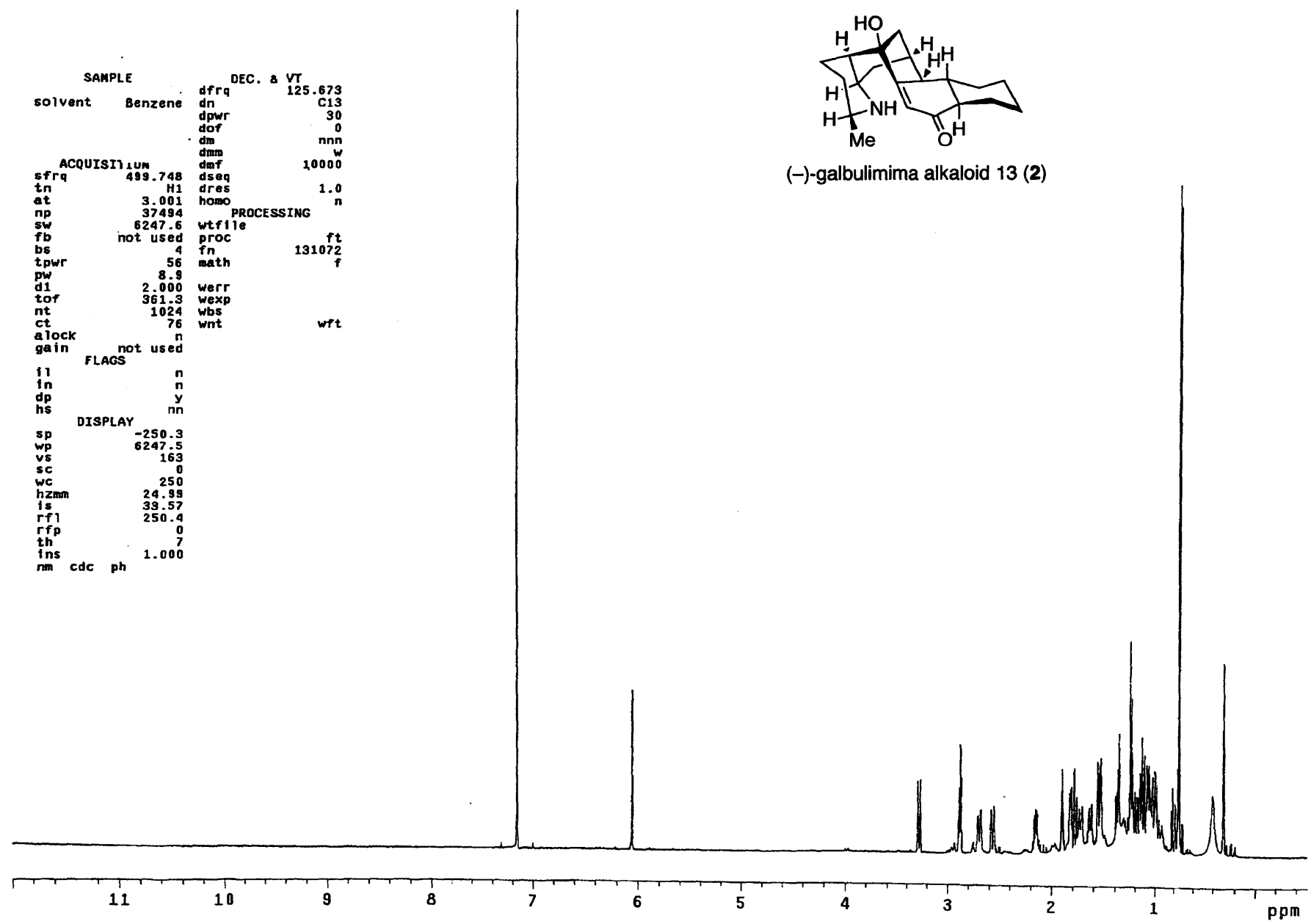


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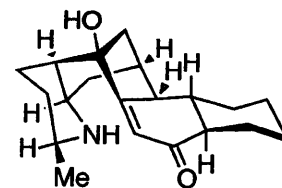
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                        dn      C13
                        dpwr     30
                        dof       0
                        dm      nnn
                        dmm      w
ACQUISITION     dmf      10000
sfrq      499.748  dseq
tn         3.001  dres      1.0
at         37494  homo      n
np         6247.6  PROCESSING
sw         not used  wtfile
fb         4      proc      ft
bs         56     fn      131072
tpwr      8.9    math     f
pw        2.000  werr
d1        361.3  wexp
tof       1024  wbs
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alock     not used
gain     not used
FLAGS
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fn        n
dp        y
hs        nn
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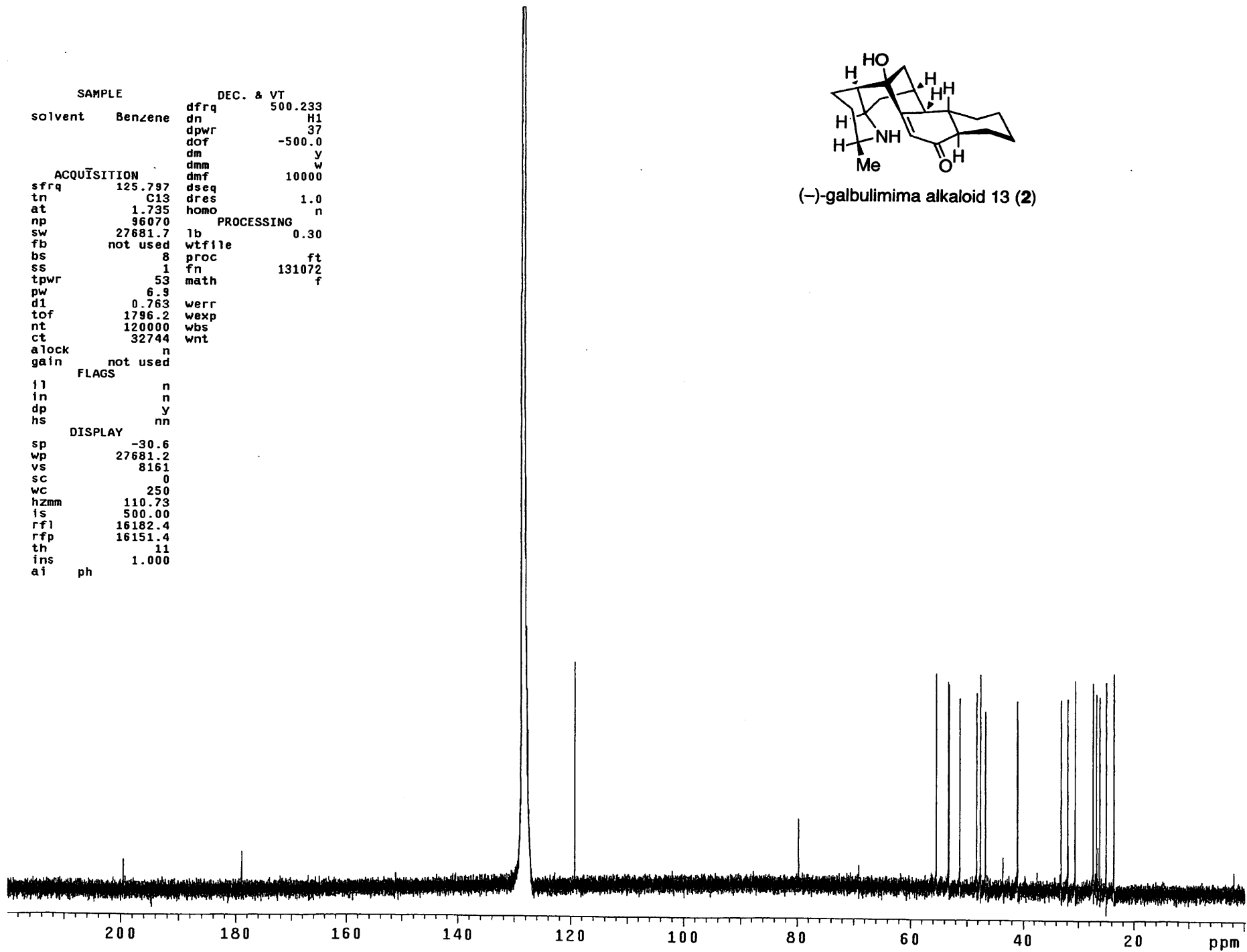
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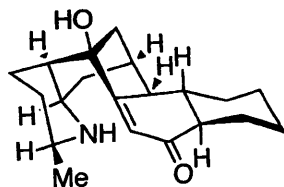
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		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	125.797	dres	1.0
tn	C13	homo	n
at	1.735	PROCESSING	
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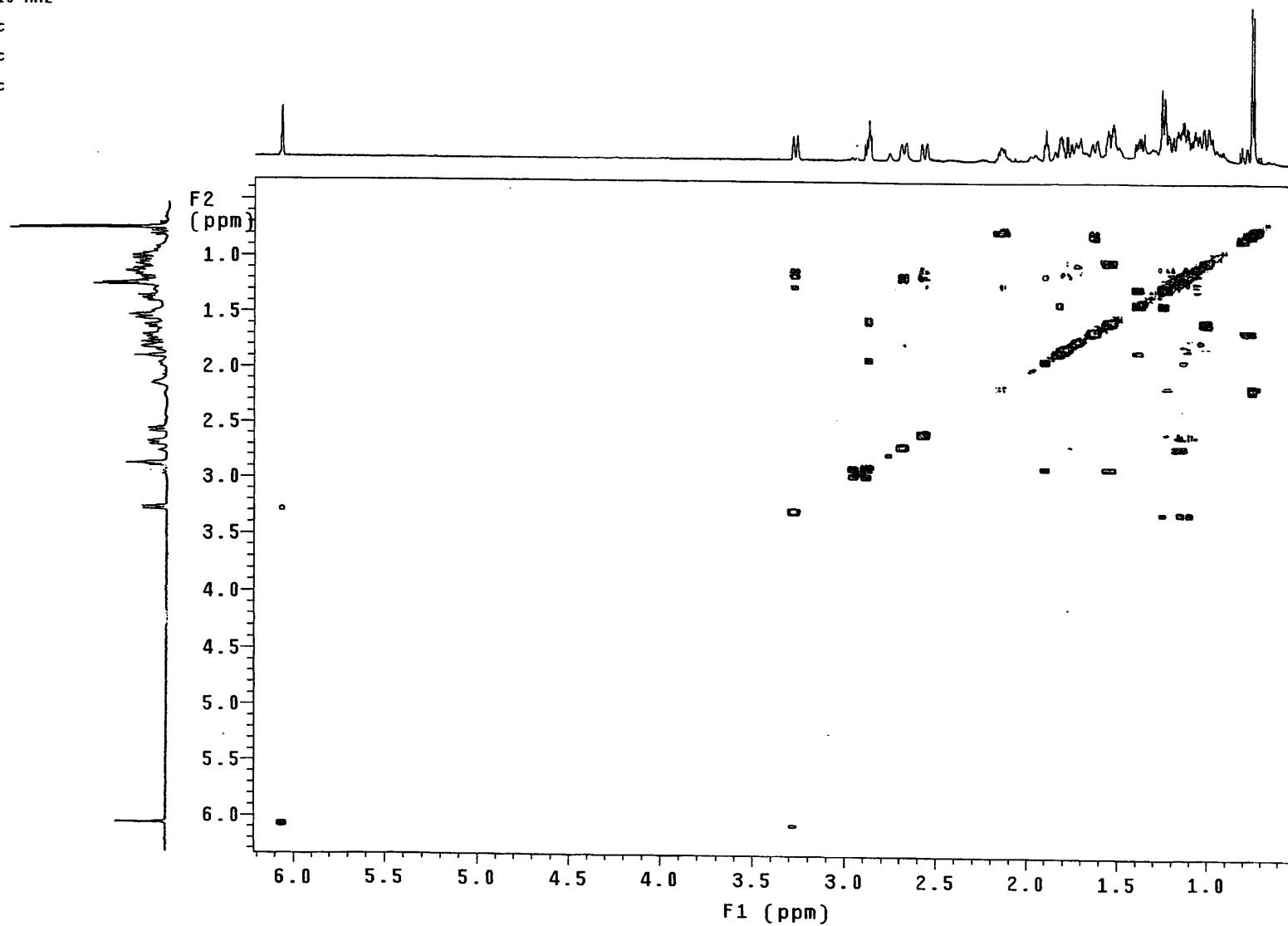


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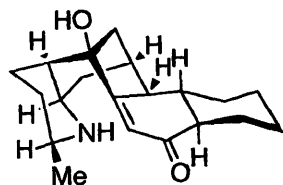


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PULSE SEQUENCE: gCOSY  
Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
Acq. time 0.213 sec  
Width 4801.9 Hz  
2D Width 4801.9 Hz  
16 repetitions  
128 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446819 MHz  
DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.107 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.027 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 0 min, -1 sec

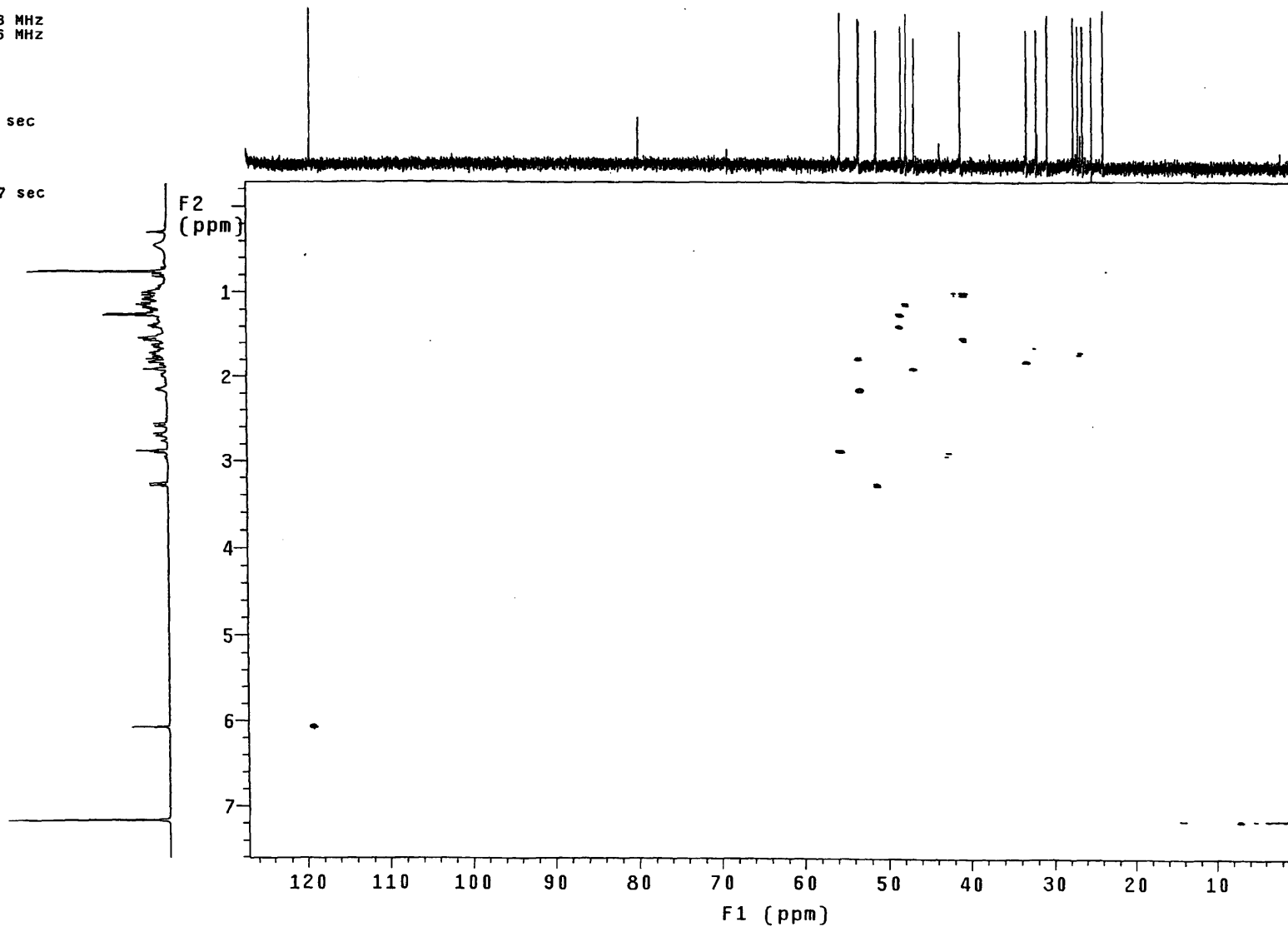


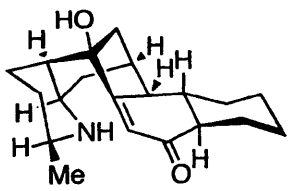
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Ambient temperature  
User: 1-14-87



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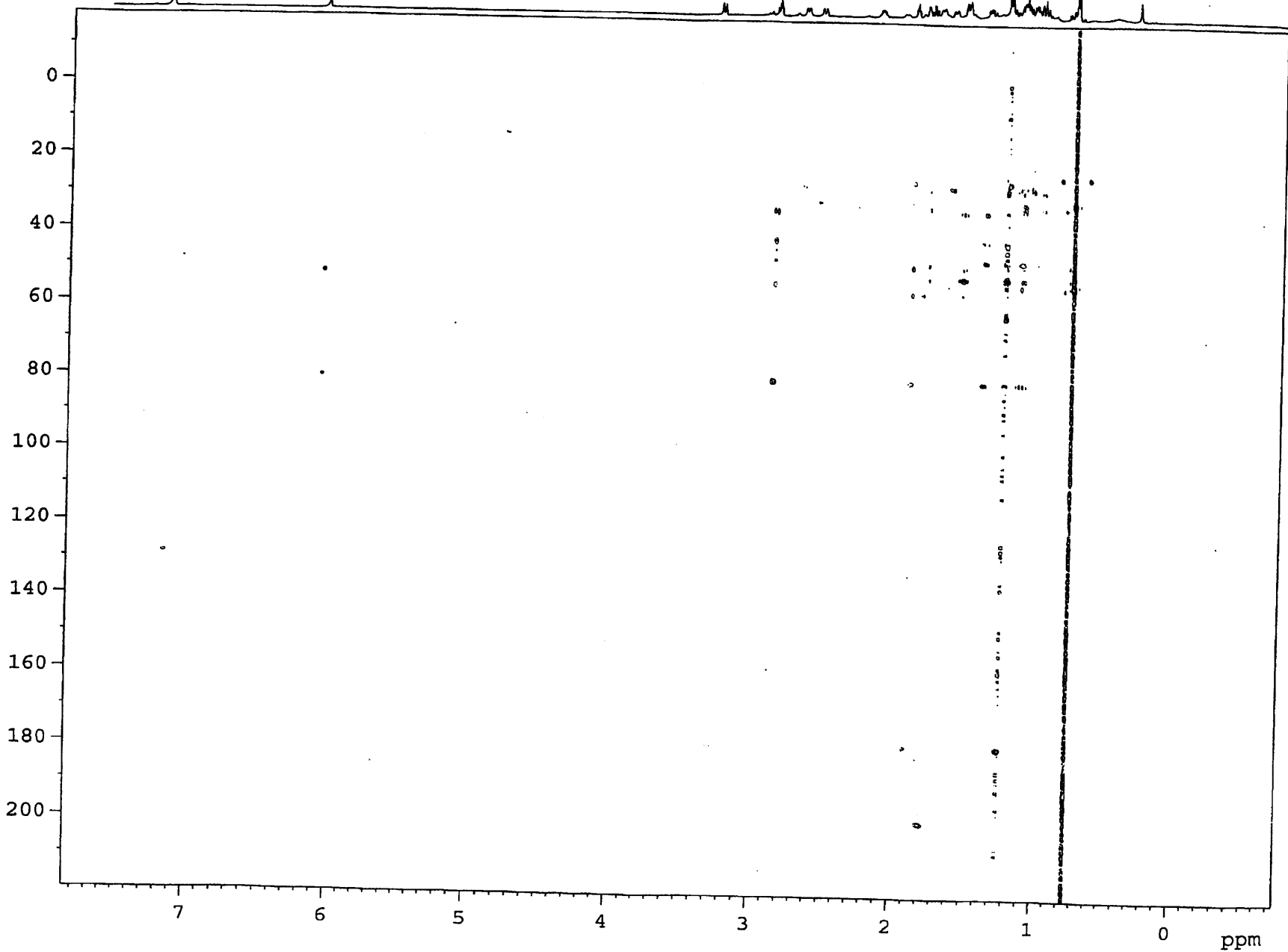
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Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
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Width 4542.4 Hz  
2D Width 26490.1 Hz  
36 repetitions  
2 x 300 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446838 MHz  
DECOUPLE C13, 125.6740716 MHz  
Power 52 dB  
on during acquisition  
off during delay  
GARP-1 modulated  
DATA PROCESSING  
Gauss apodization 0.104 sec  
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Sq. sine bell 0.019 sec  
Shifted by -0.019 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 9 hr, 2 min, 7 sec



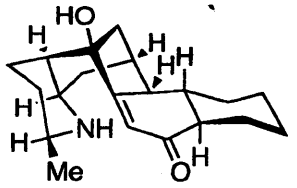


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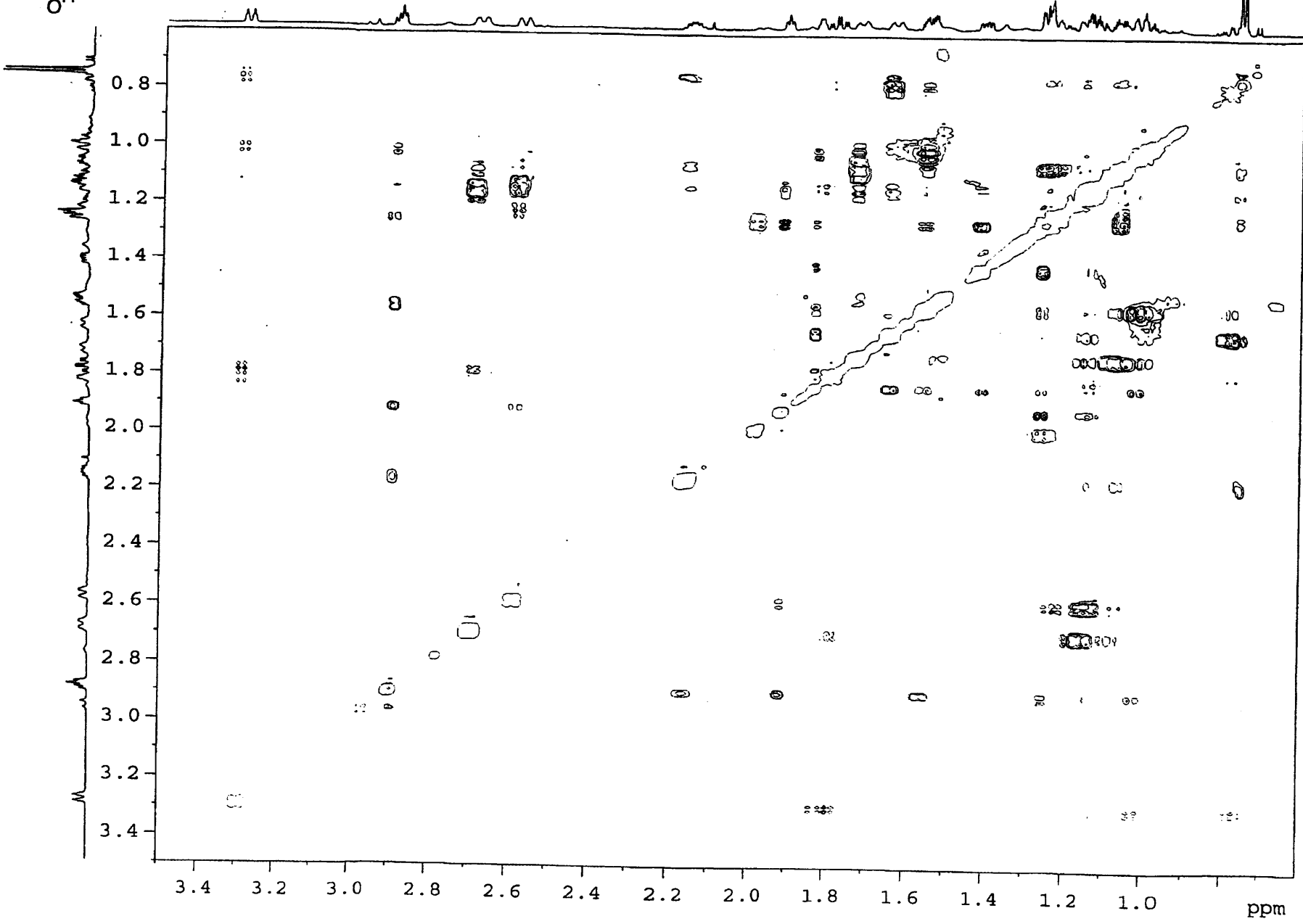
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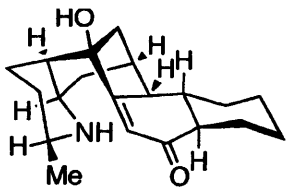


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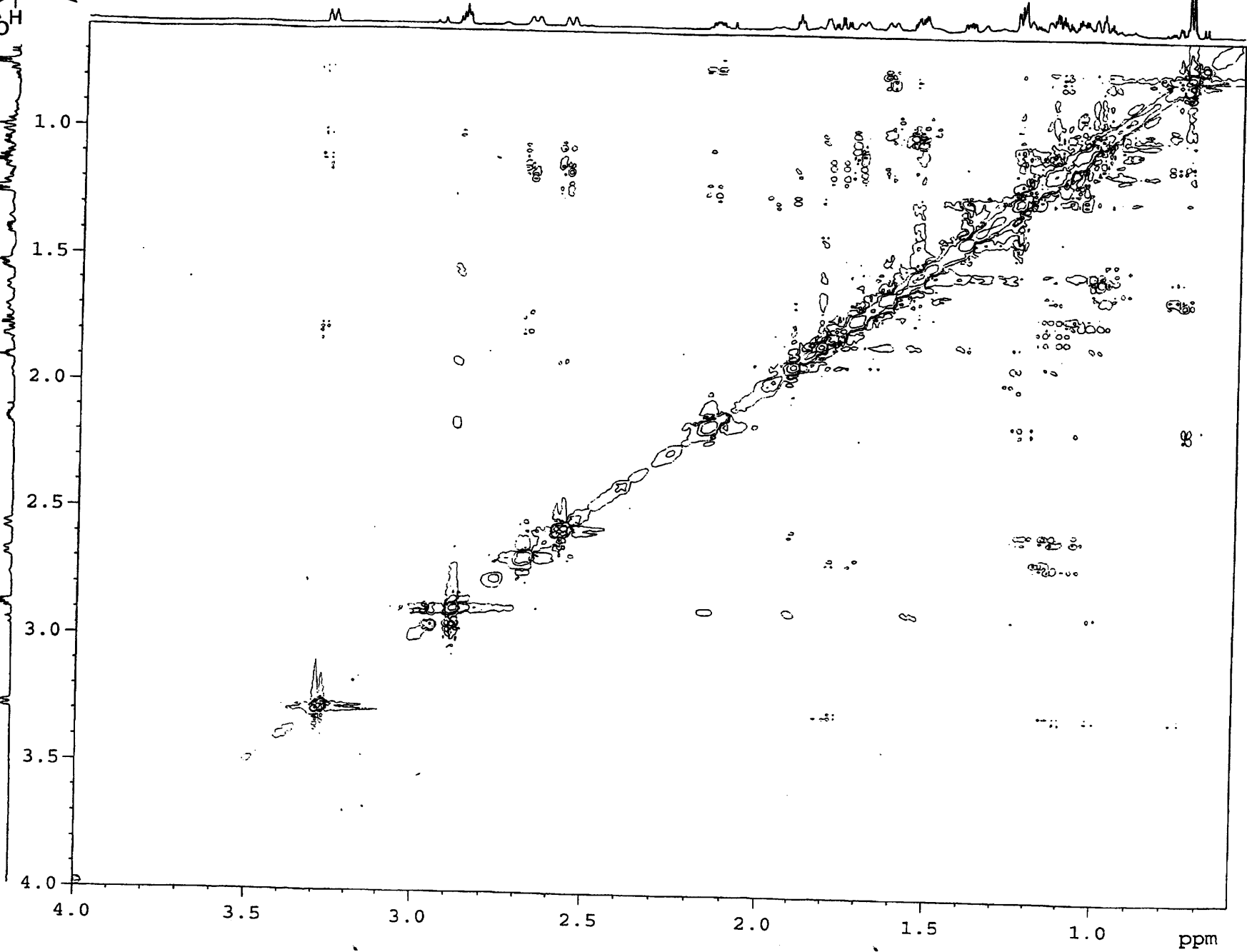
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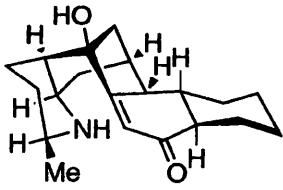


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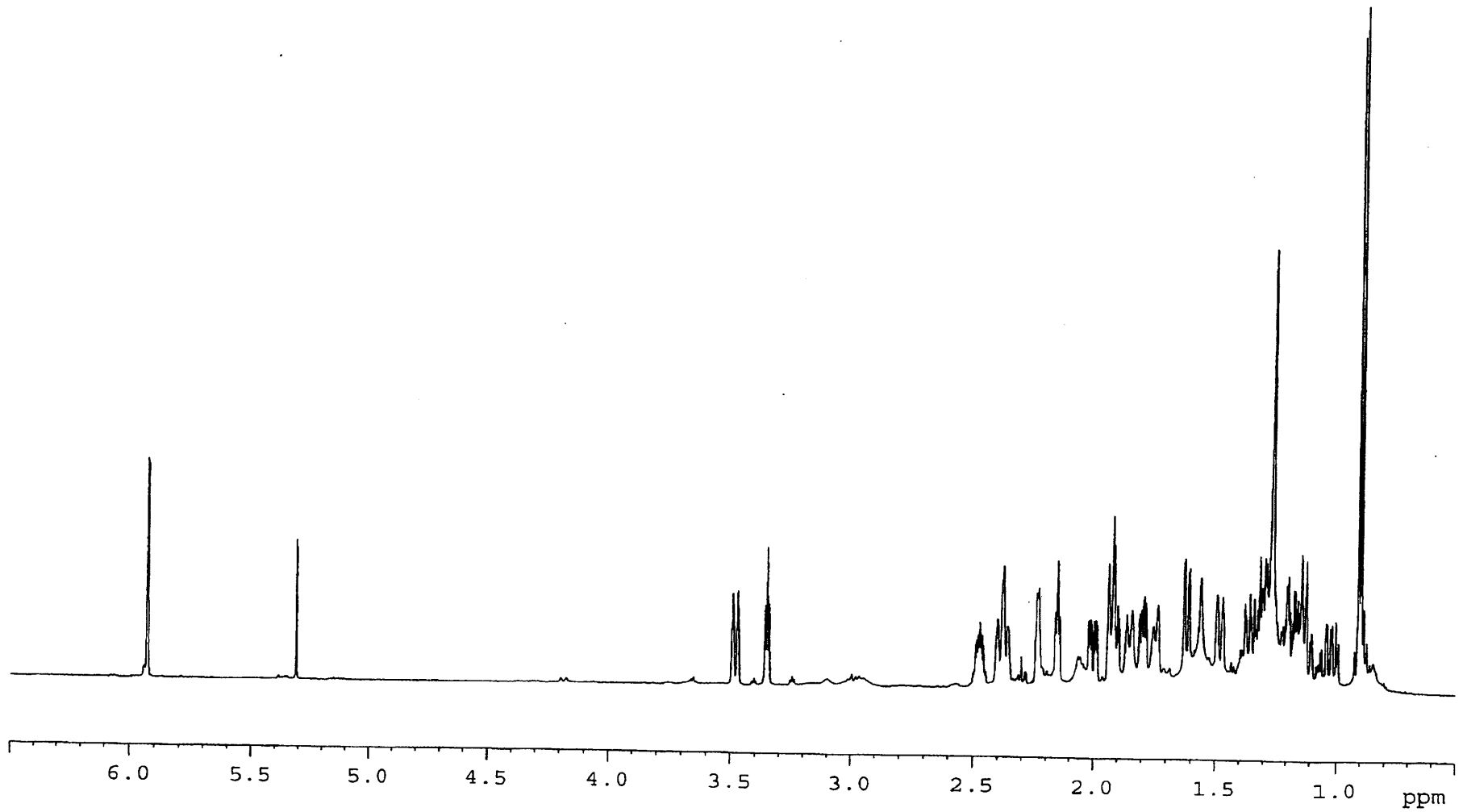
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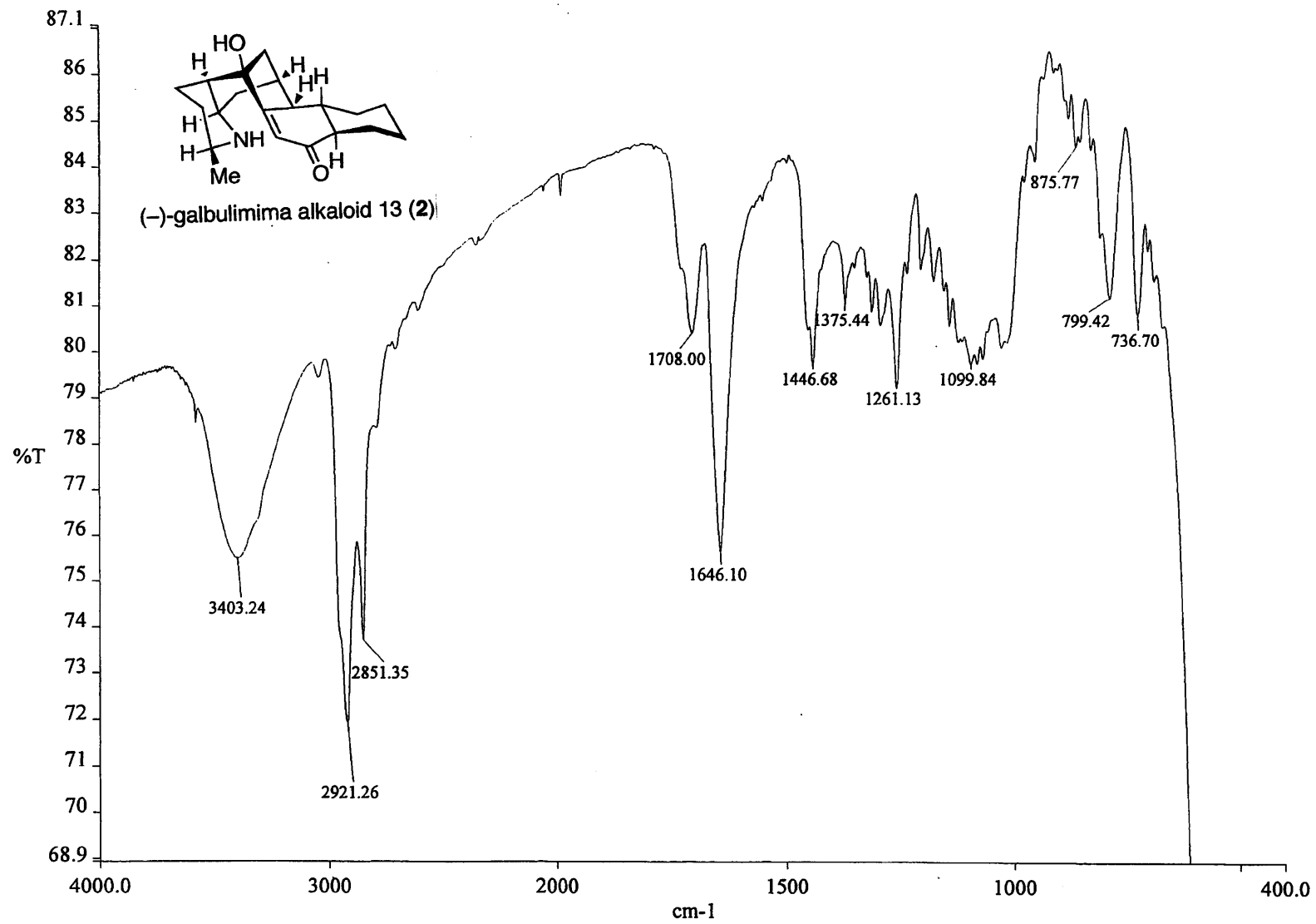




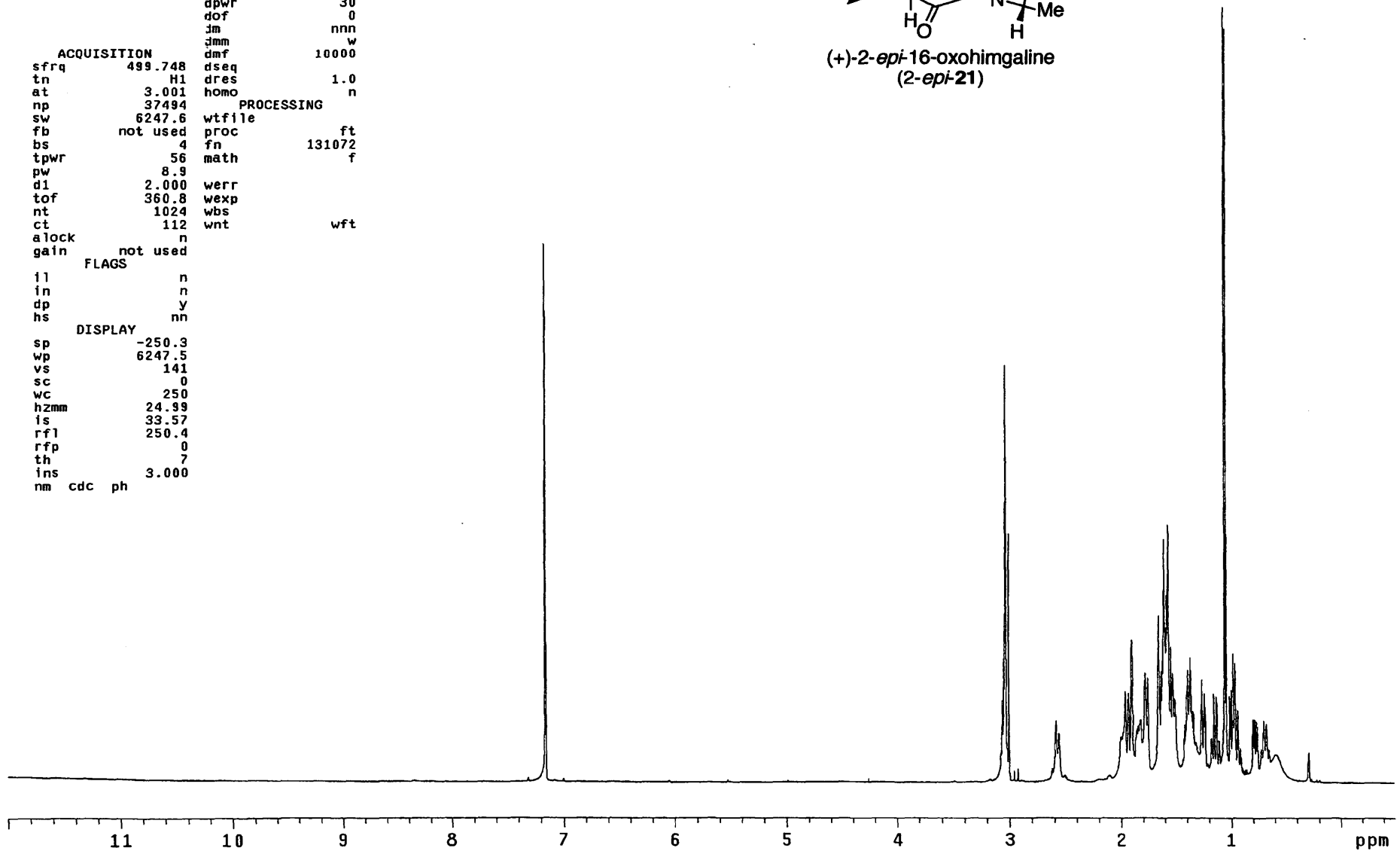
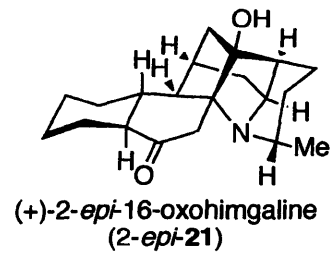


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in CDCl<sub>3</sub>

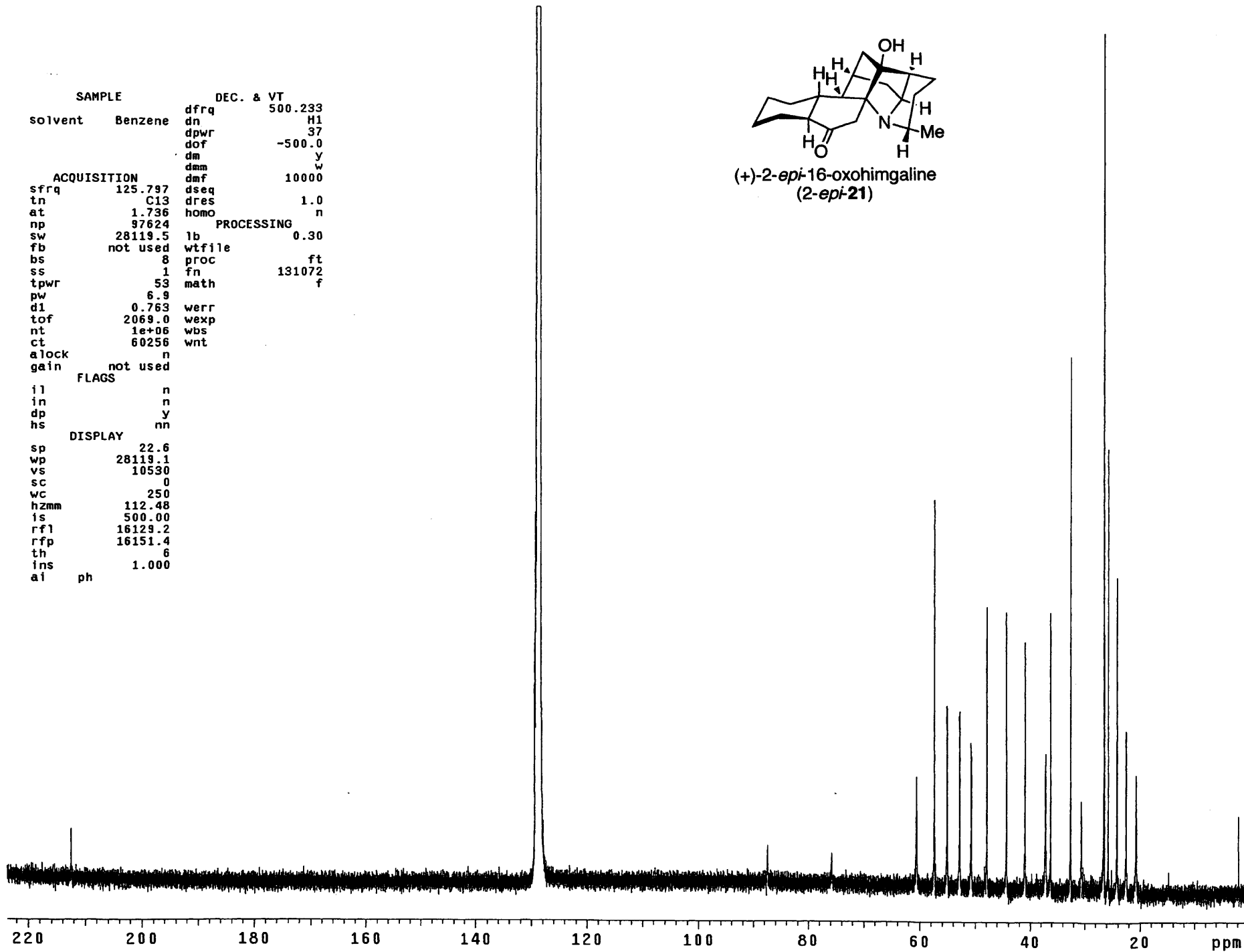
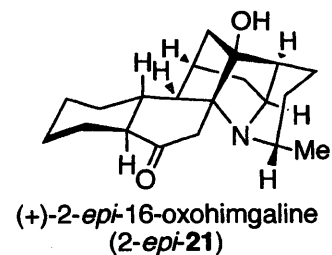




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solvent	Benzene	dfrq	125.673
		dn	C13
		dpwr	30
		dof	0
		jm	nnn
		jmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	499.748	dres	1.0
tn	H1	homo	n
at	3.001	PROCESSING	
np	37494	wtfile	ft
sw	6247.6	proc	131072
fb	not used	fn	f
bs	4	math	
tpwr	56	werr	
pw	8.9	wexp	
d1	2.000	wbs	
tof	360.8	wnt	wft
nt	1024		
ct	112		
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	-250.3		
wp	6247.5		
vs	141		
sc	0		
wc	250		
hzmm	24.99		
is	33.57		
rfl	250.4		
rff	0		
th	7		
ins	3.000		
nm	cdc ph		

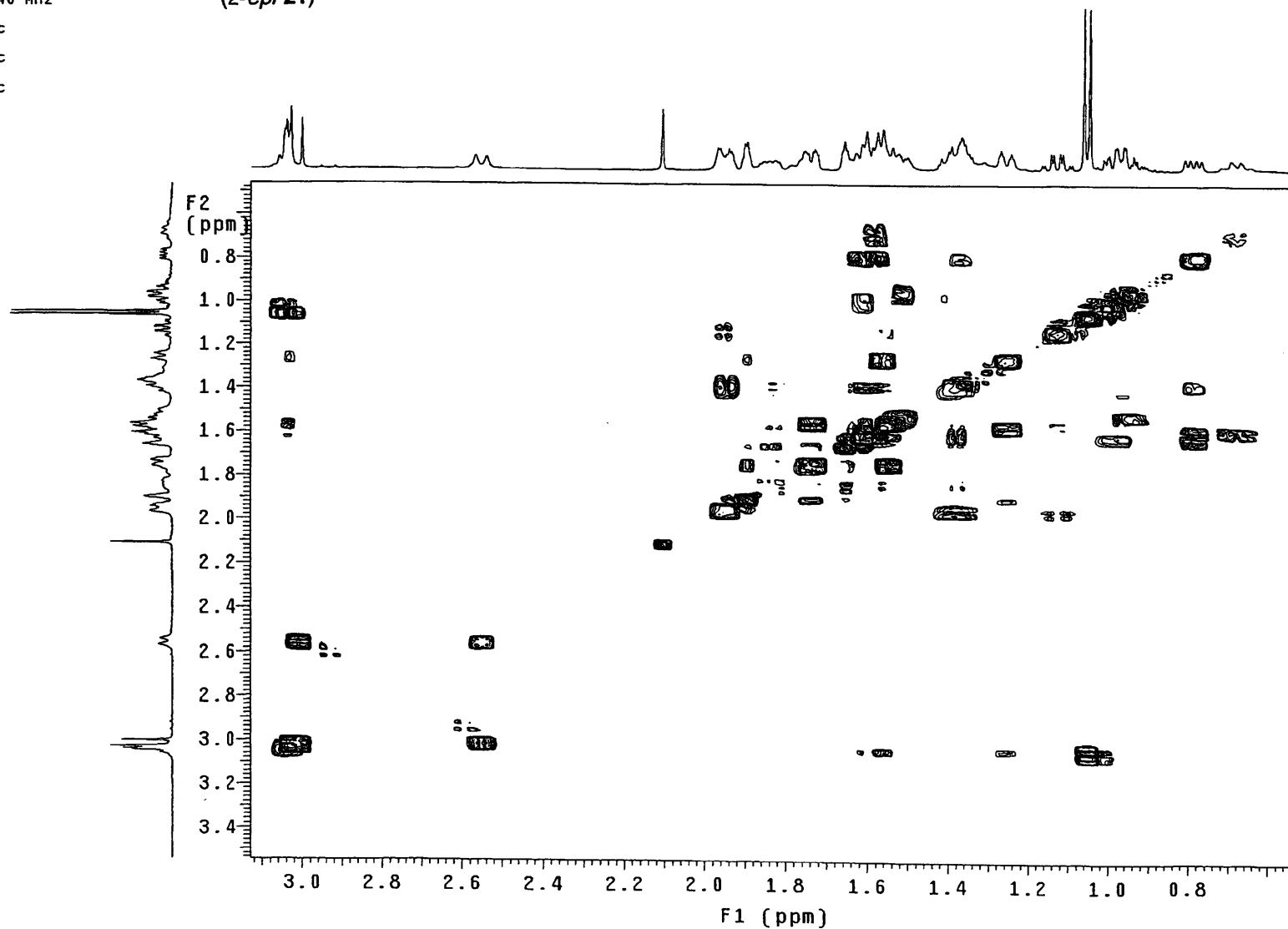
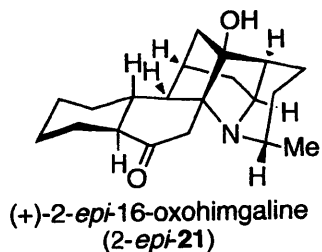


SAMPLE		DEC. & VT	
solvent	Benzene	dfrq	500.233
		dn	H1
		dpwr	37
		dof	-500.0
		dm	y
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	125.797	dres	1.0
tn	C13	homo	n
at	1.736	PROCESSING	
np	97624	lb	0.30
sw	28119.5	wfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	8	fn	131072
ss	1	math	f
tpwr	53		
pw	6.9		
d1	0.763	werr	
tof	2069.0	wexp	
nt	1e+06	wbs	
ct	60256	wnt	
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	22.6		
wp	28119.1		
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wc	250		
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ai	ph		

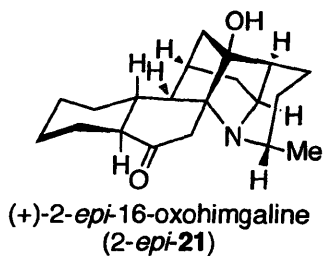


Pulse Sequence: gCOSY  
Solvent: Benzene  
Ambient temperature

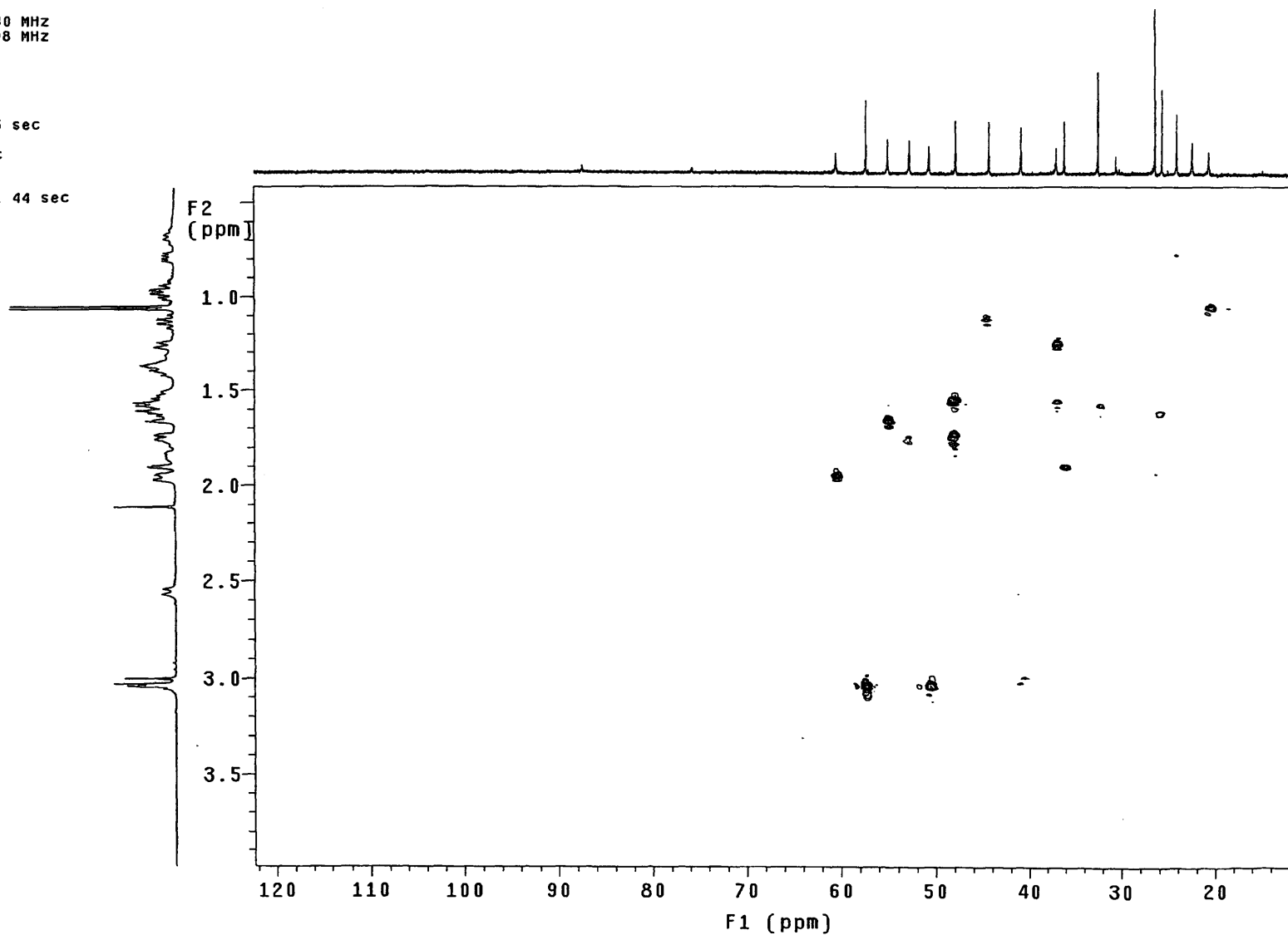
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Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
Acq. time 0.227 sec  
Width 4507.6 Hz  
2D Width 4507.6 Hz  
64 repetitions  
128 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446840 MHz  
DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.113 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.028 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 0 min, -1 sec



Pulse Sequence: HSQC  
Solvent: Benzene  
Ambient temperature

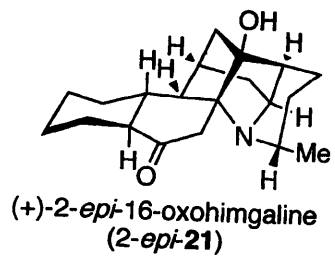


PULSE SEQUENCE: HSQC  
Relax. delay 1.000 sec  
Acq. time 0.227 sec  
Width 4507.6 Hz  
2D Width 27662.5 Hz  
32 repetitions  
2 x 256 increments  
OBSERVE H1, 499.7446840 MHz  
DECOUPLE C13, 125.6746698 MHz  
Power 52 dB  
on during acquisition  
off during delay  
GARP-1 modulated  
DATA PROCESSING  
Gauss apodization 0.105 sec  
F1 DATA PROCESSING  
Sq. sine bell 0.019 sec  
Shifted by -0.019 sec  
FT size 2048 x 2048  
Total time 7 hr, 27 min, 44 sec



HMBC

ppm



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120

140

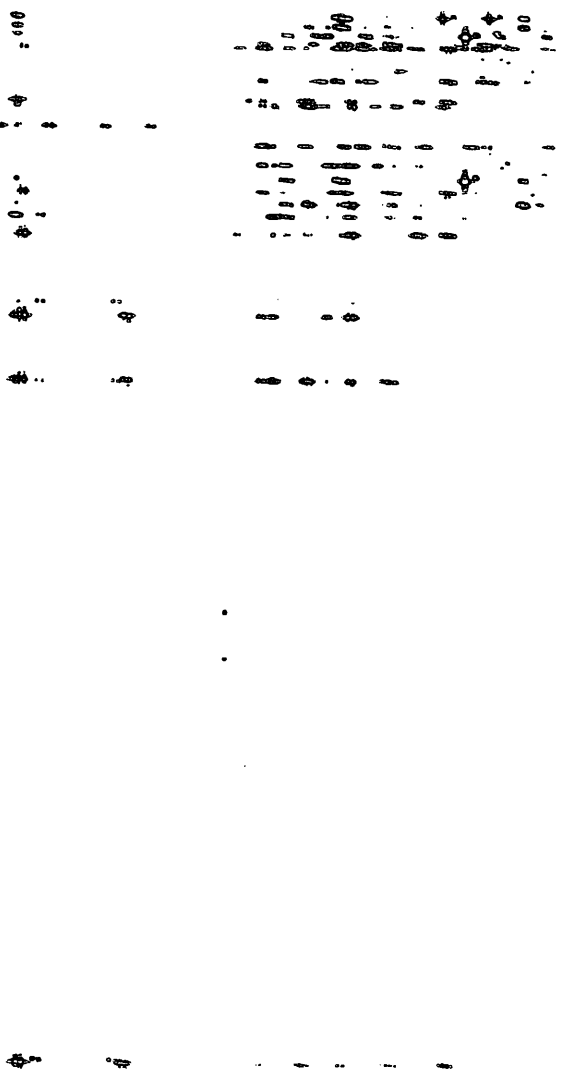
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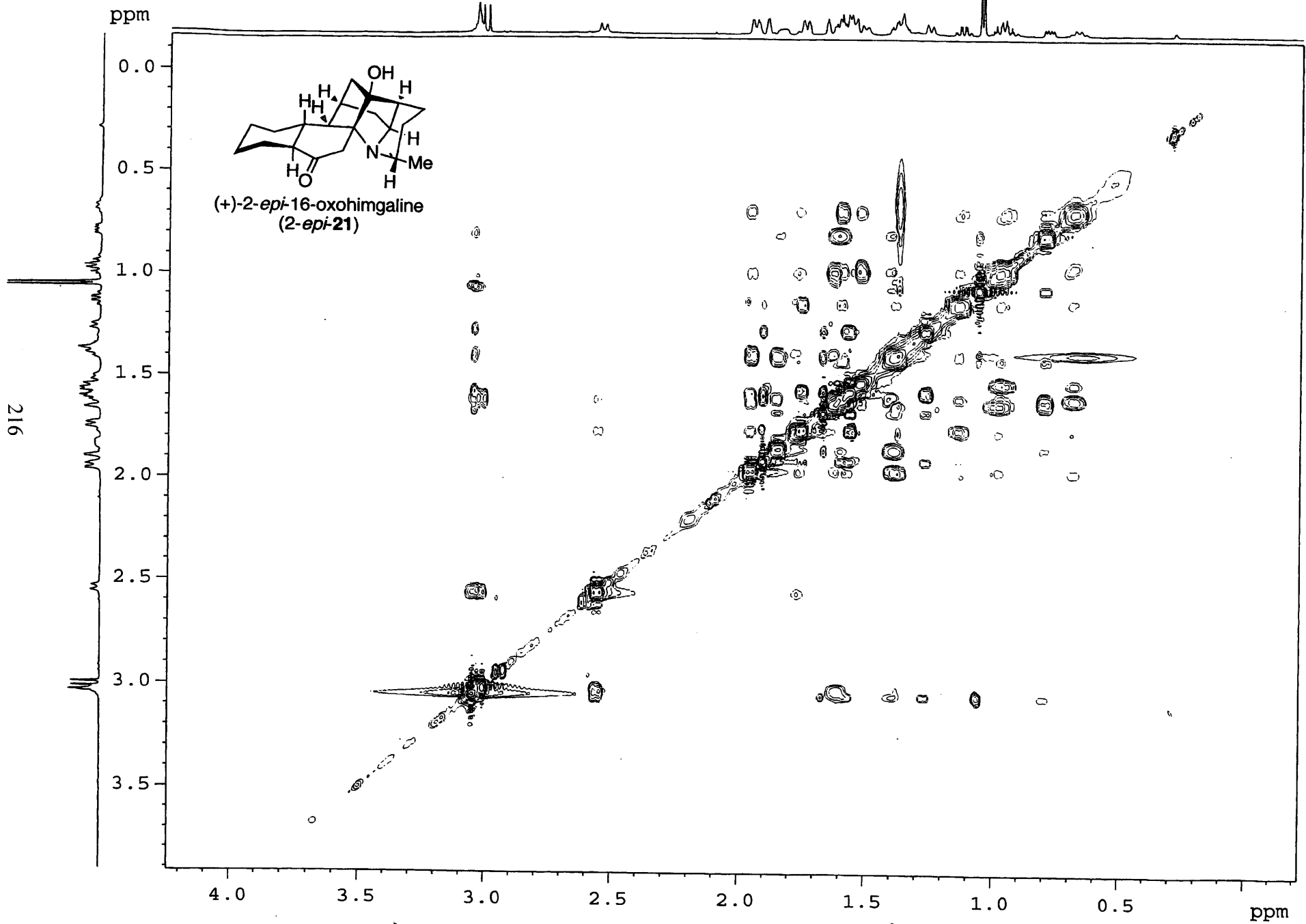
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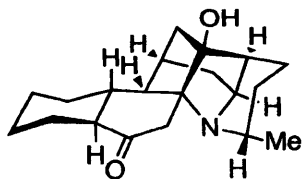
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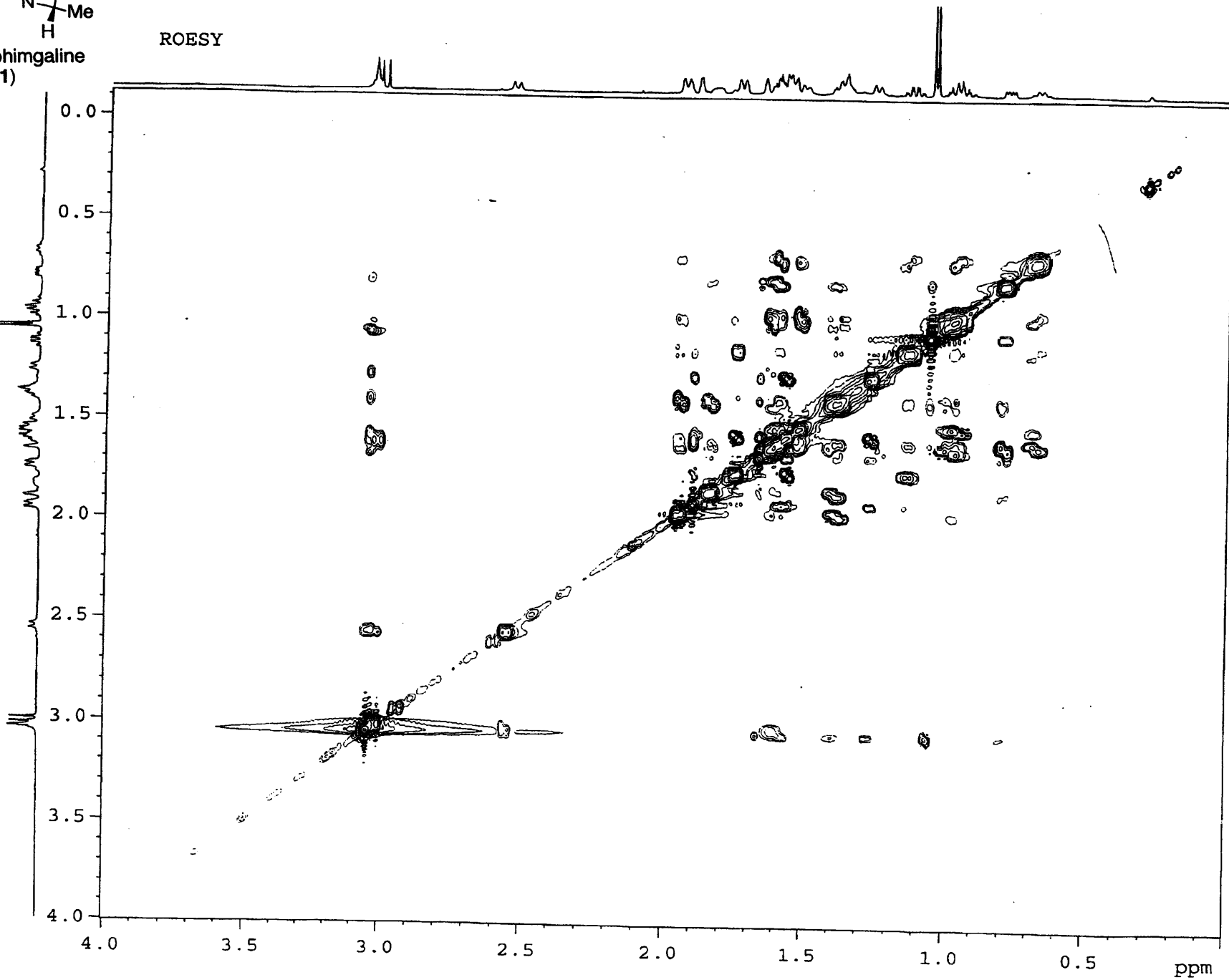


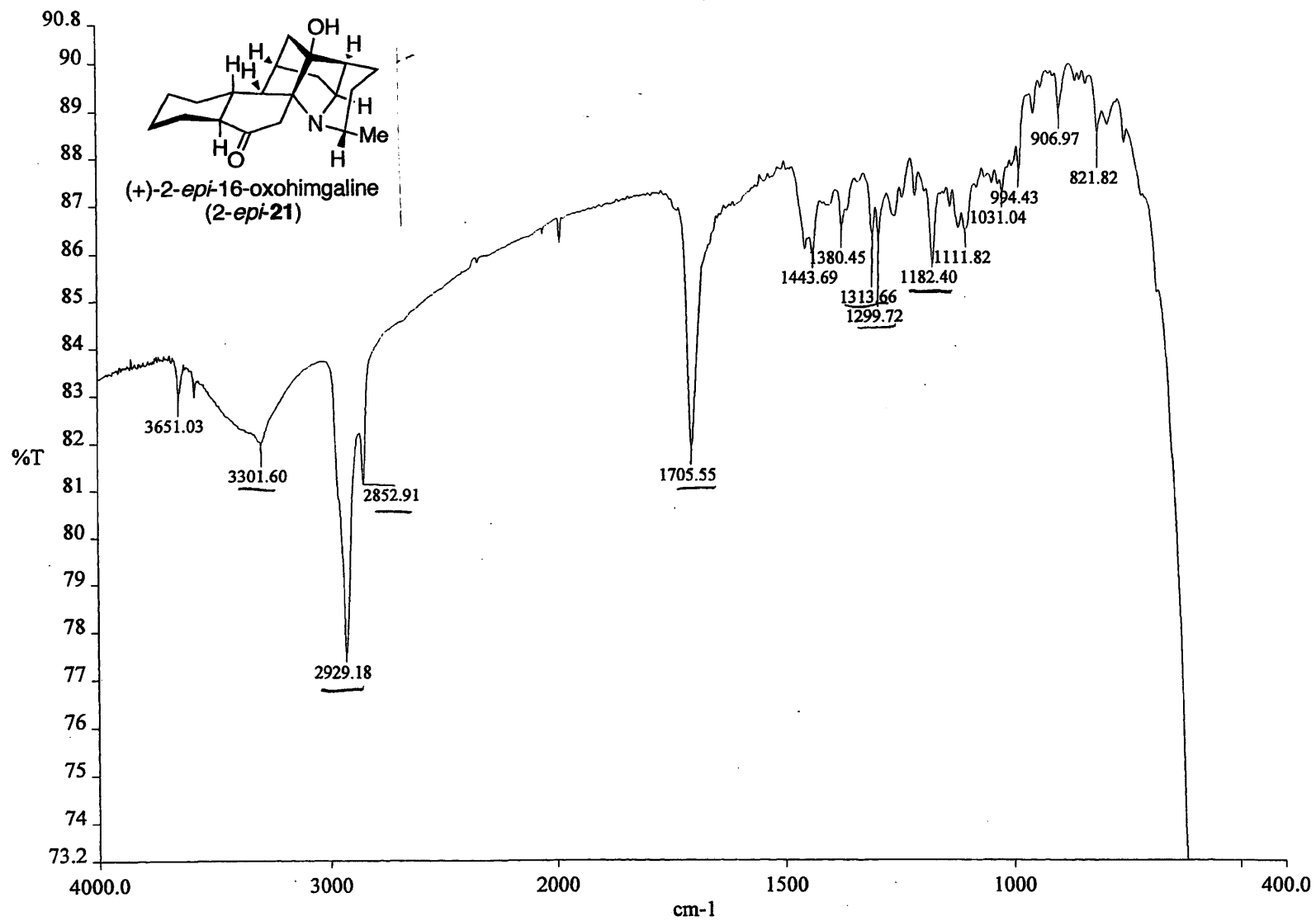


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ROESY

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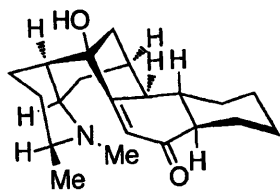




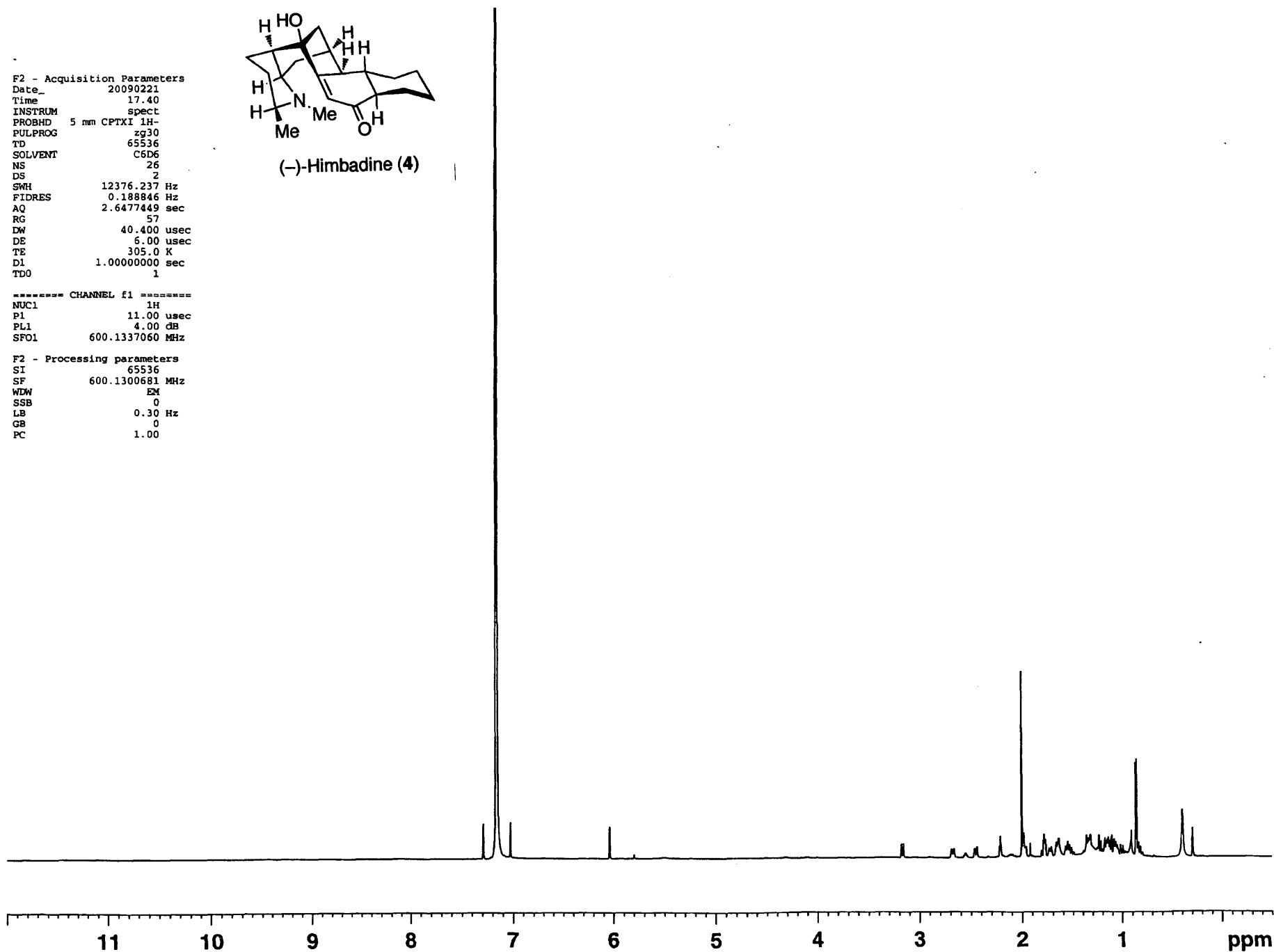
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Time\_ 17.40  
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 26  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477449 sec  
RG 57  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 305.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

----- CHANNEL f1 -----  
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
SI 65536  
SF 600.1300681 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
CB 0  
PC 1.00



(-)-Himbadine (4)

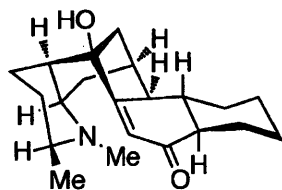


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PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 37286  
DS 2  
SWH 20964.361 Hz  
FIDRES 0.319891 Hz  
AQ 1.5630836 sec  
RG 2048  
DW 23.850 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.2 K  
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d11 0.0300000 sec  
DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TDO 1

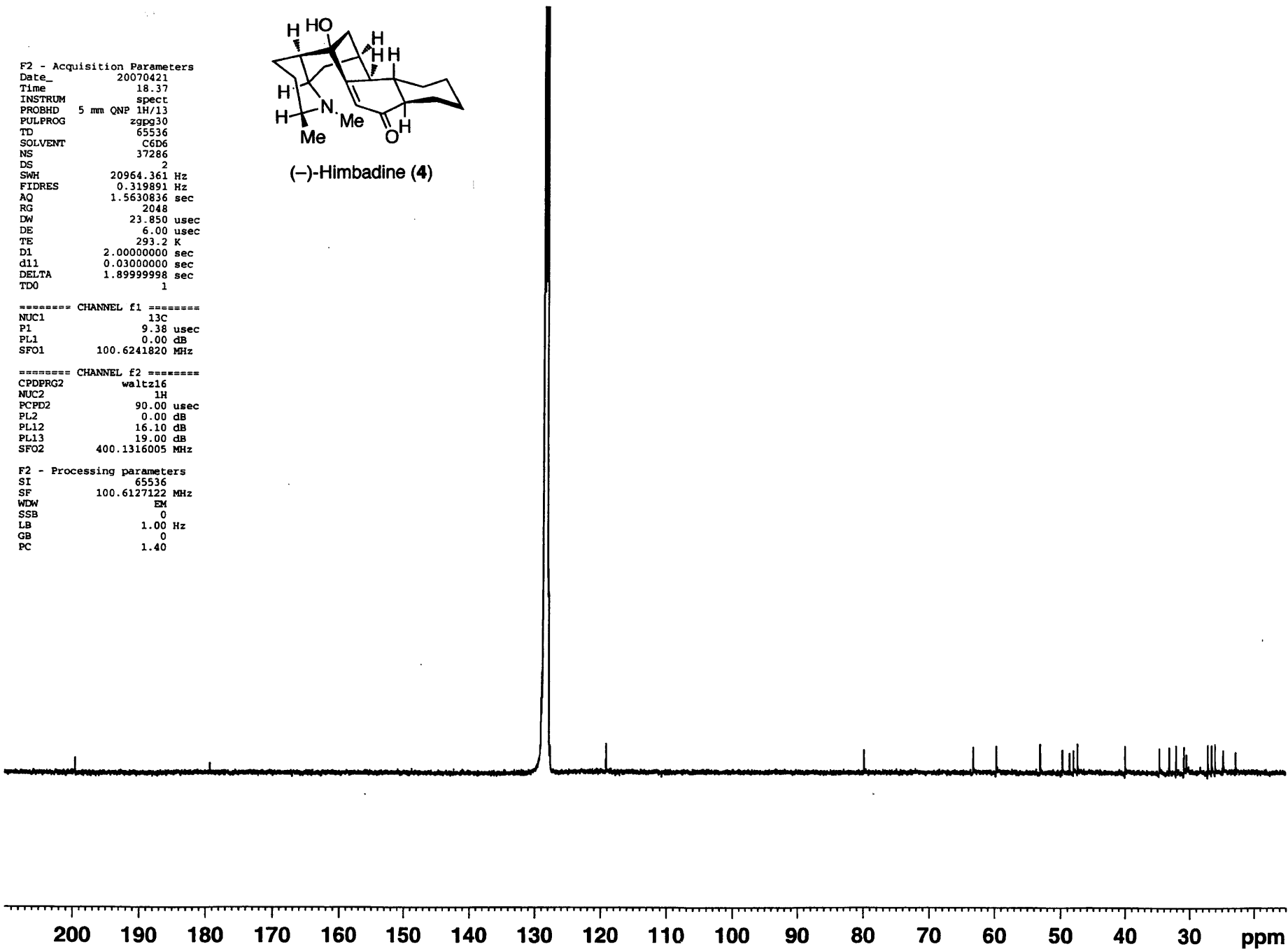
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NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6241820 MHz

===== CHANNEL f2 =====  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

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SI 65536  
SF 100.6127122 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 1.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.40



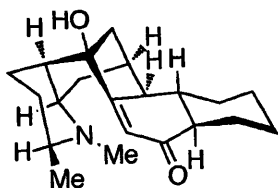
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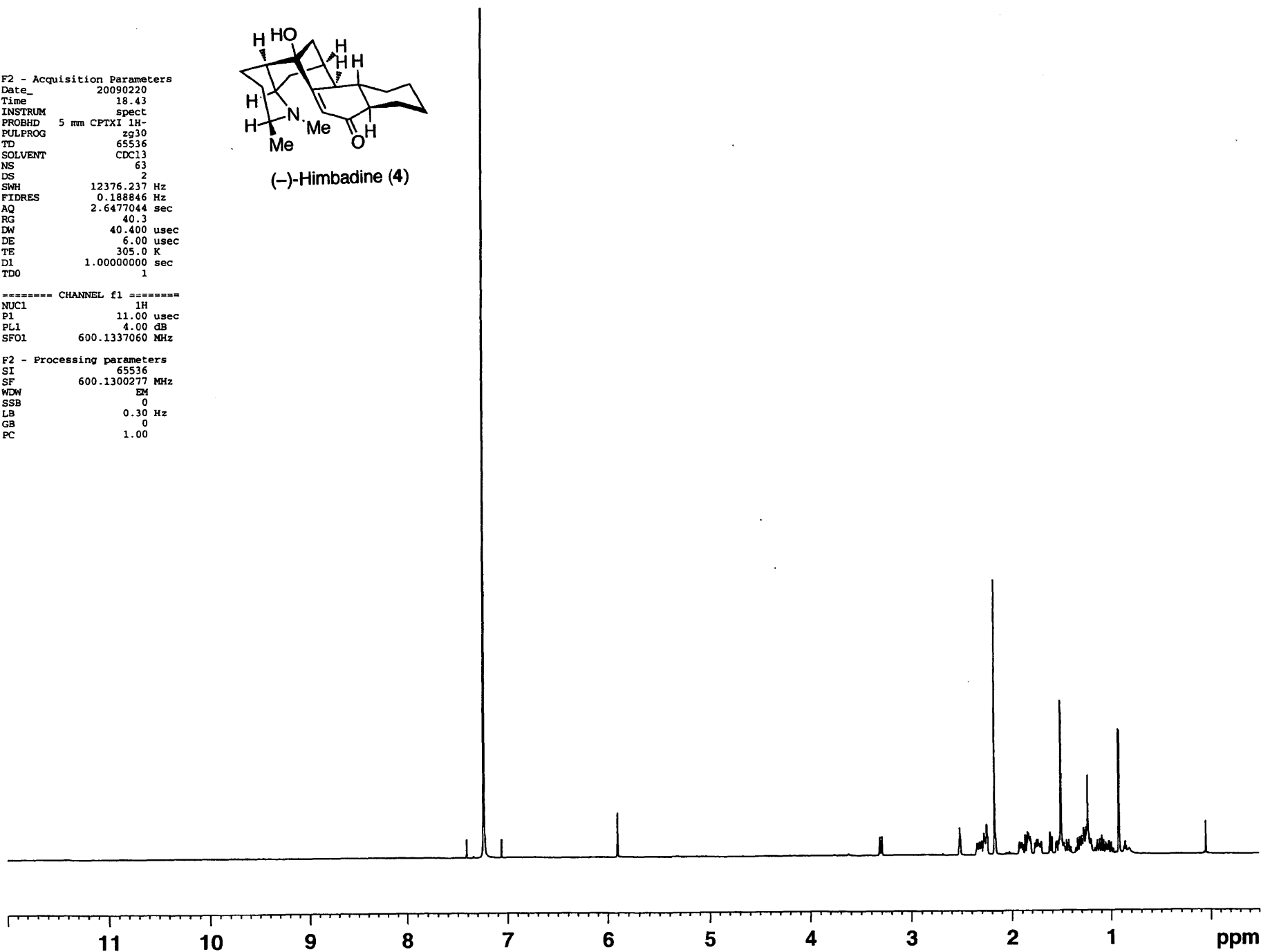
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Time 18.43  
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 63  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
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RG 40.3  
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DE 6.00 usec  
TE 305.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

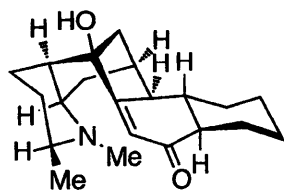
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NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
SI 65536  
SF 600.1300277 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

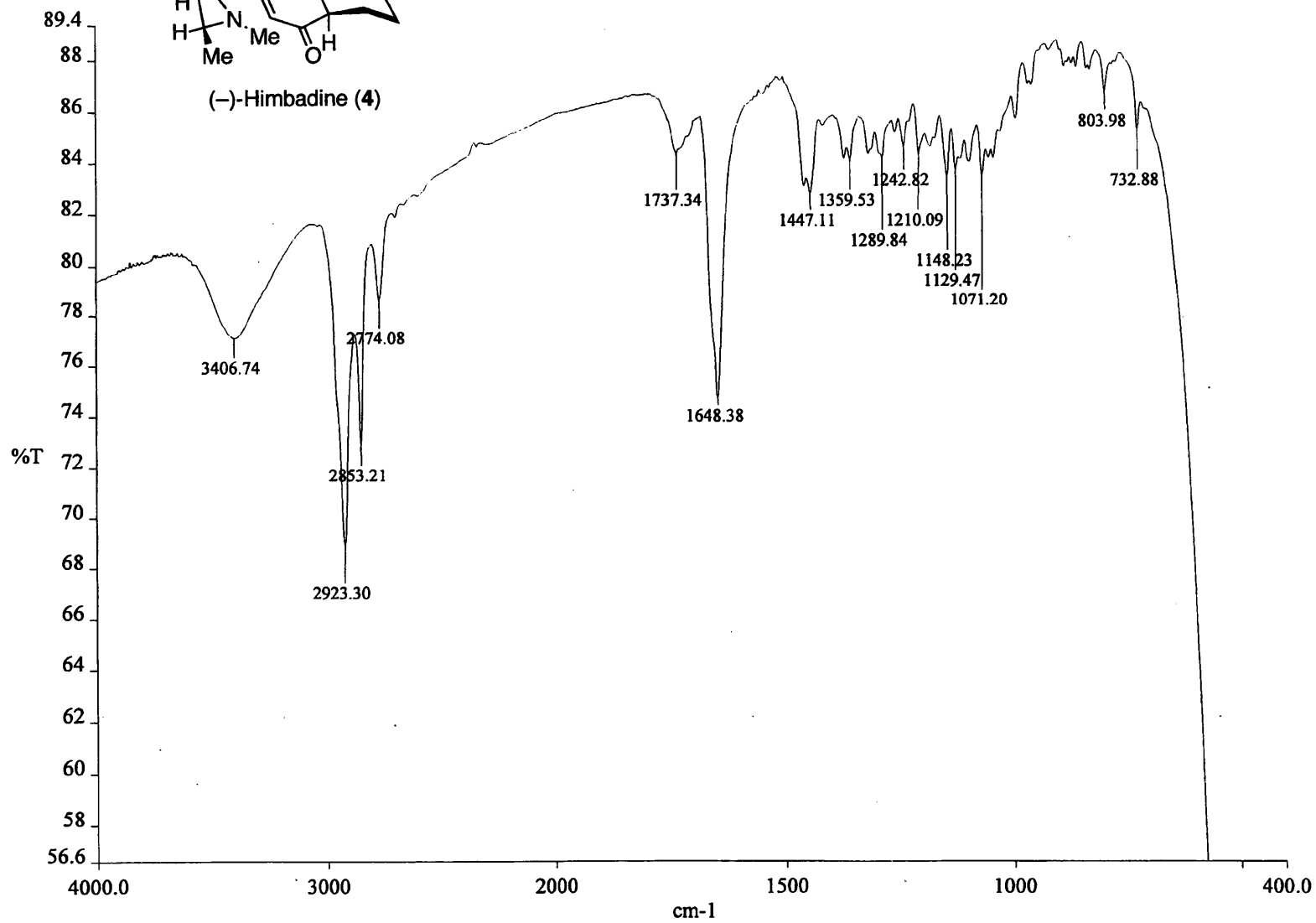


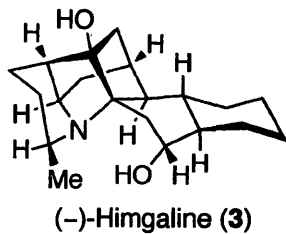
(-)-Himbadine (4)





(-)-Himbadine (4)





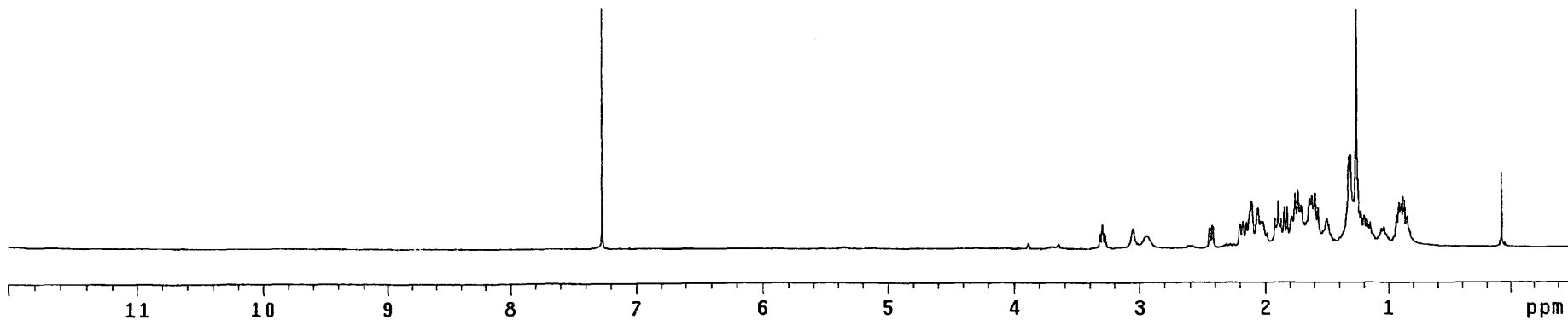
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DEC. & VT
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dn C13
dpwr 30
dof 0
dm nnn
dmm w
dmf 10000
sfrq 499.745
dseq
tn H1
at 3.001 dres 1.0
np 37494 homo n
sw 6247.6 wfile
fb not used proc ft
bs 4 fn 262144
tpwr 56 math f
pw 8.6
d1 2.000 werr
tof 374.6 wexp
nt 1000 wbs
ct 420 wnt wft
alock n
gain not used

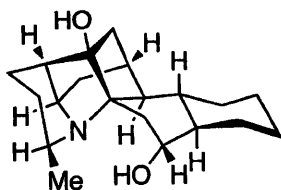
FLAGS
il n
in n
dp y
hs nn

DISPLAY
sp -250.4
wp 6247.5
vs 113
sc 0
wc 250
hzmm 24.99
is 33.57
rfl 250.4
rfp 0
th 7
ins 100.000
ai cdc ph

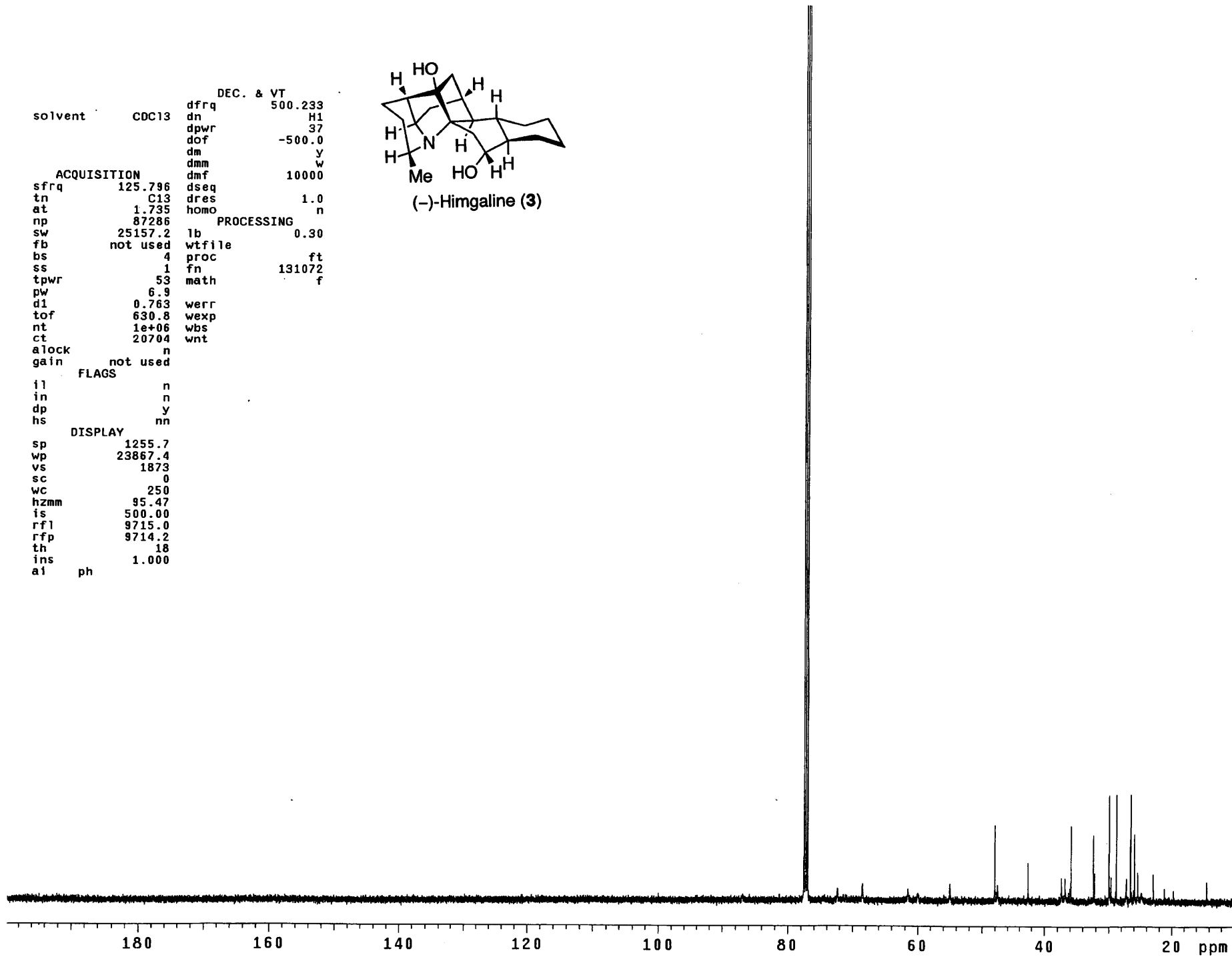
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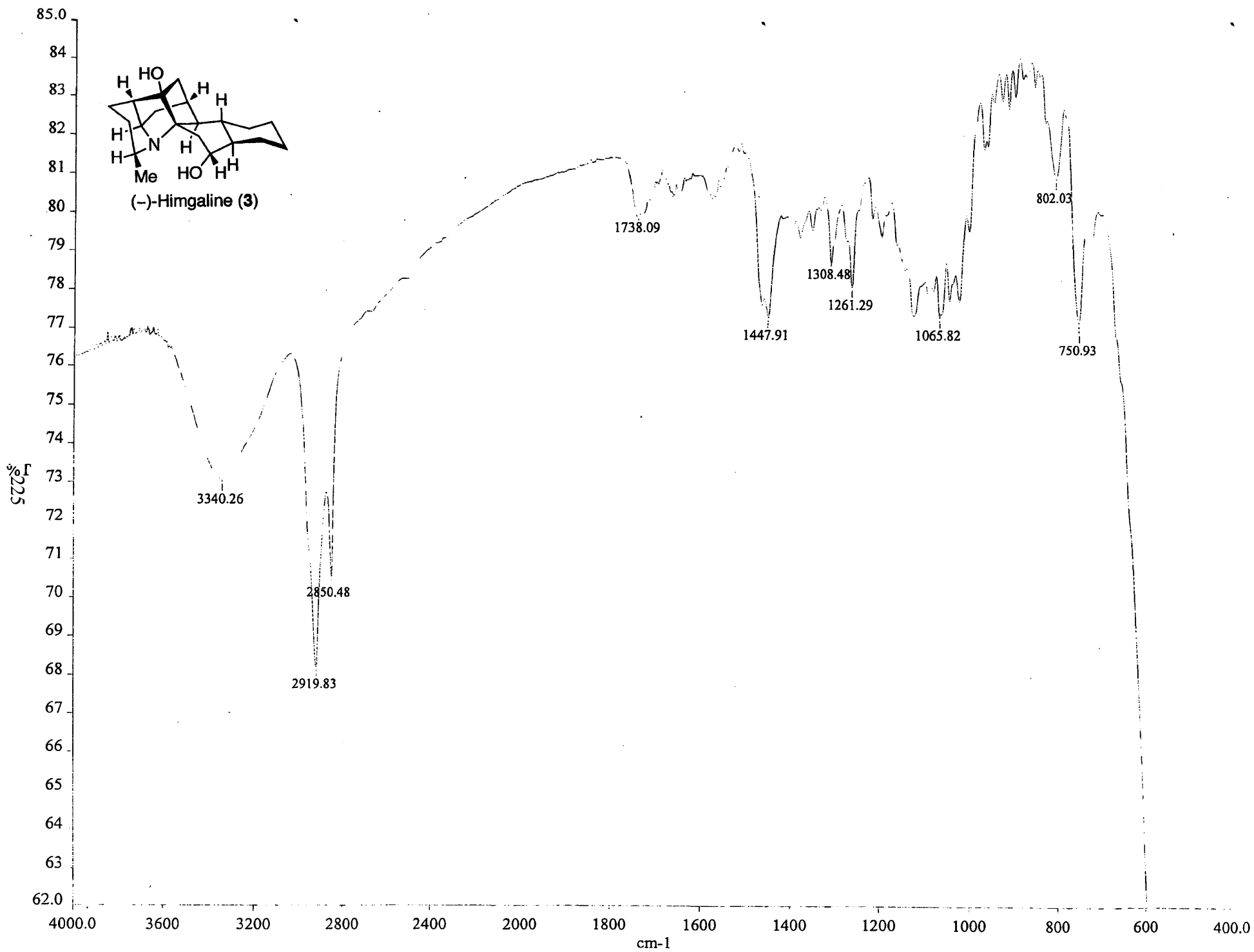
solvent	CDC13	dfrq	500.233
		dn	H1
		dpwr	37
		dof	-500.0
		dm	y
		dmm	w
		dmf	10000
ACQUISITION		dseq	
sfrq	125.796	dres	1.0
tn	C13	homo	n
at	1.735		
np	87286	PROCESSING	
sw	25157.2	lb	0.30
fb	not used	wfile	
bs	4	proc	ft
ss	1	fn	131072
tpwr	53	math	f
pw	6.9		
d1	0.763	werr	
tof	630.8	wexp	
nt	1e+06	wbs	
ct	20704	wnt	
alock	n		
gain	not used		
FLAGS			
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
DISPLAY			
sp	1255.7		
wp	23867.4		
vs	1873		
sc	0		
wc	250		
hzmm	95.47		
is	500.00		
rfl	9715.0		
rfp	9714.2		
th	18		
ins	1.000		
ai	ph		



(-)-Himgaline (3)







## **Appendix B.**

### **Spectra for Chapter II**

Current Data Parameters  
NAME  
EXPNO  
PROCNO

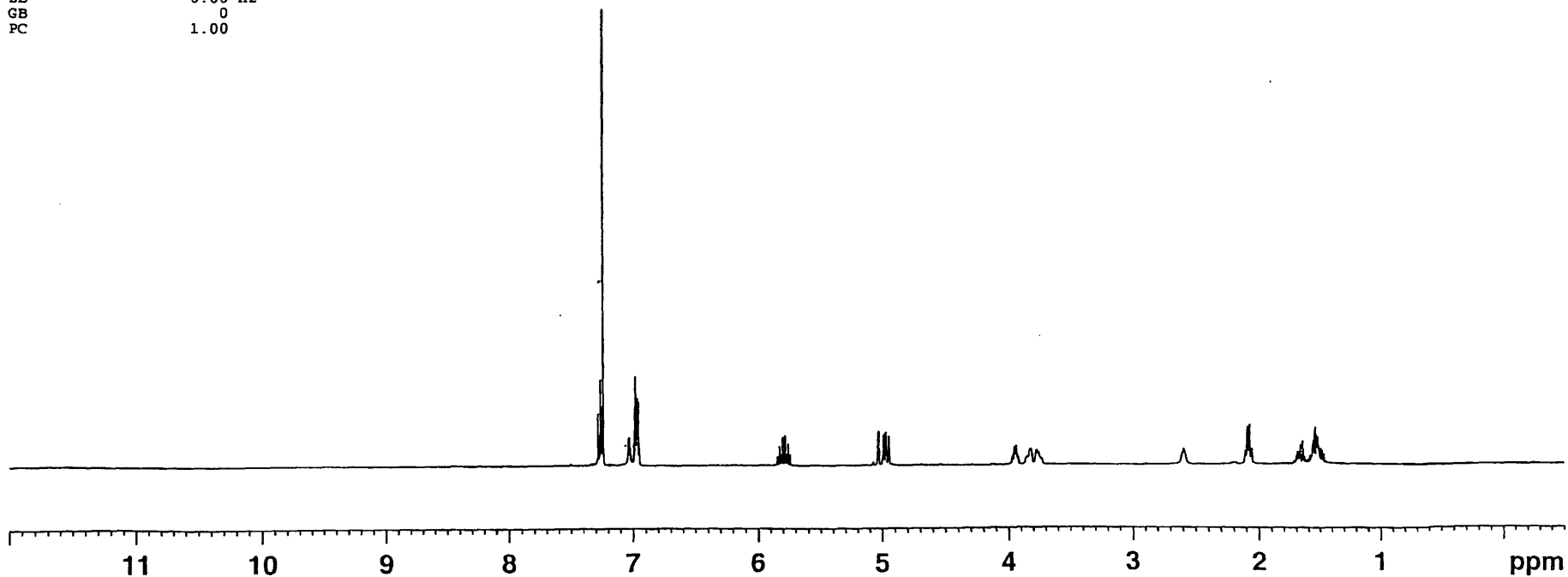
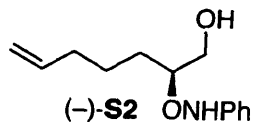
F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm QNP 1H/13  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 8278.146 Hz  
FIDRES 0.126314 Hz  
AQ 3.9584243 sec  
RG 203.2  
DW 60.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.2 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

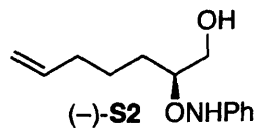
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CHANNEL f1  
NUC1 1H  
P1 14.00 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
SF 400.1300178 MHz  
WDW no  
SSB 0  
LB 0.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



Current Data Parameters  
NAME  
EXPNO  
PROCNO



F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm QNP 1H/13  
PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 128  
DS 2  
SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 2580.3  
DW 20.850 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 294.2 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
d11 0.03000000 sec  
DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

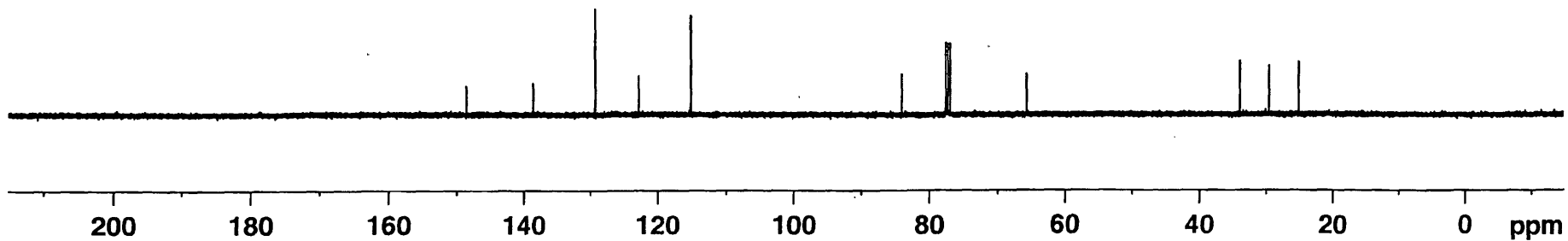
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

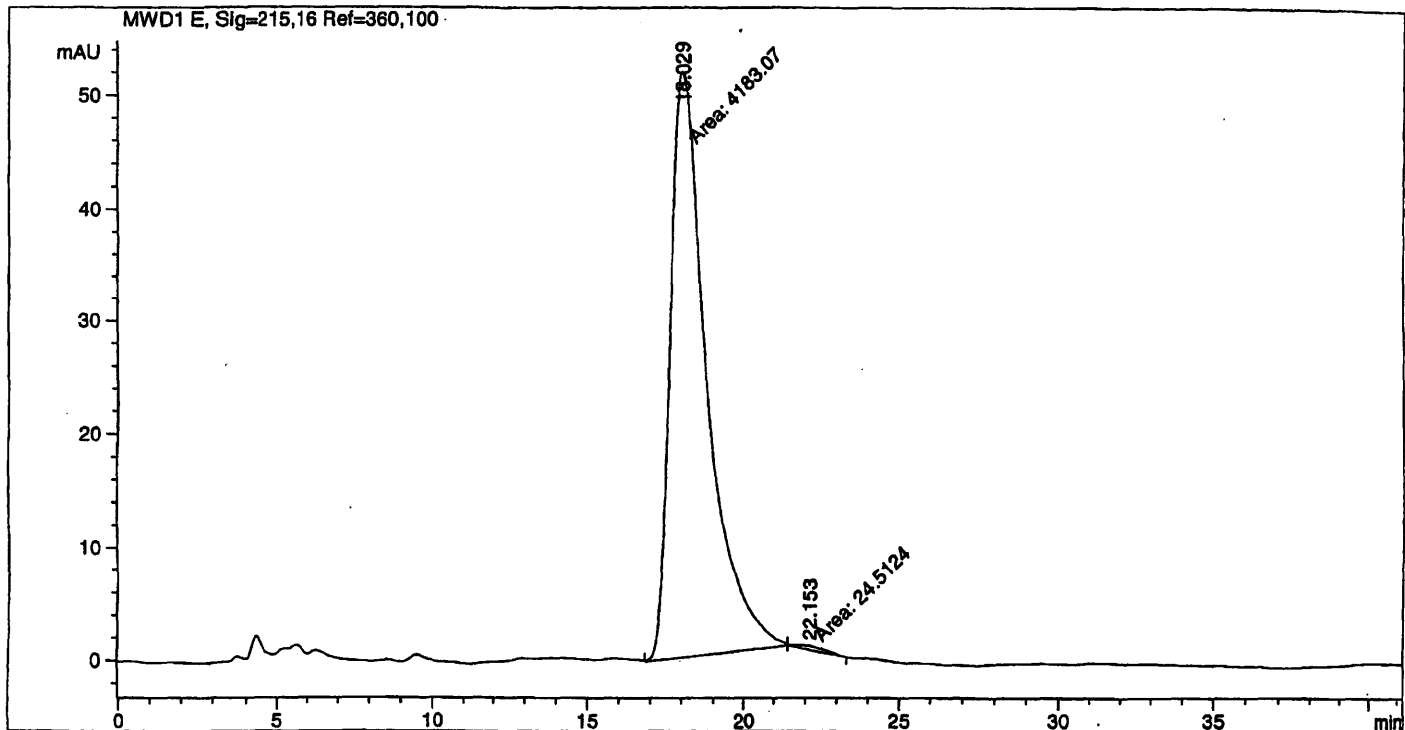
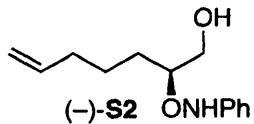
==== CHANNEL f2 =====

CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
SF 100.6127509 MHz  
WDW no  
SSB 0  
LB 0.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.40





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 Area Percent Report  
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Sorted By : Signal  
 Multiplier : 1.0000  
 Dilution : 1.0000  
 Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

Signal 1: MWD1 E, Sig=215,16 Ref=360,100

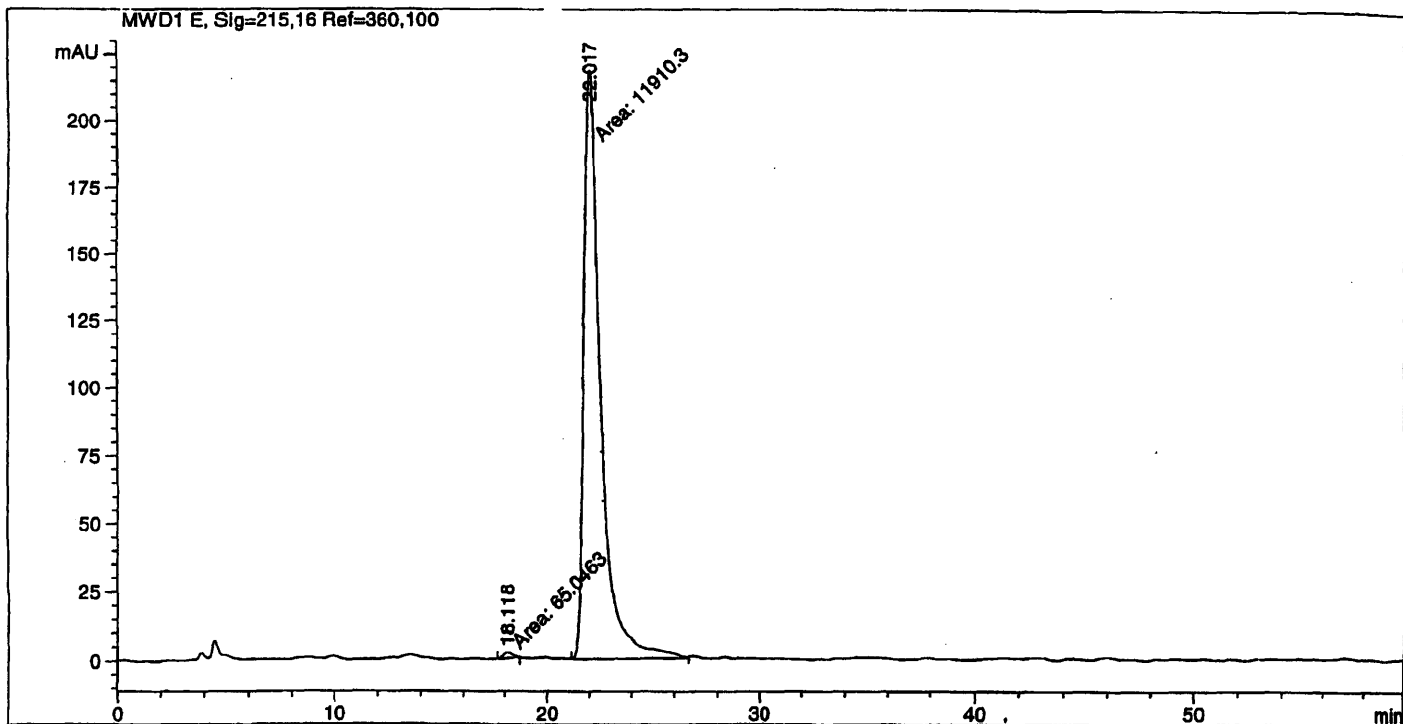
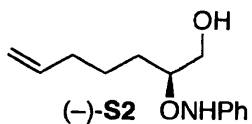
Peak #	RetTime [min]	Type	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	18.029	MM	1.3433	4183.07324	51.89904	99.4174
2	22.153	MM	1.0577	24.51239	3.86262e-1	0.5826

Totals : 4207.58564 52.28530

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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 Summed Peaks Report  
 =====

Signal 1: MWD1 E, Sig=215,16 Ref=360,100



=====  
 Area Percent Report  
 =====

Sorted By : Signal  
 Multiplier : 1.0000  
 Dilution : 1.0000  
 Use Multiplier & Dilution Factor with ISTDs

Signal 1: MWD1 E, Sig=215,16 Ref=360,100

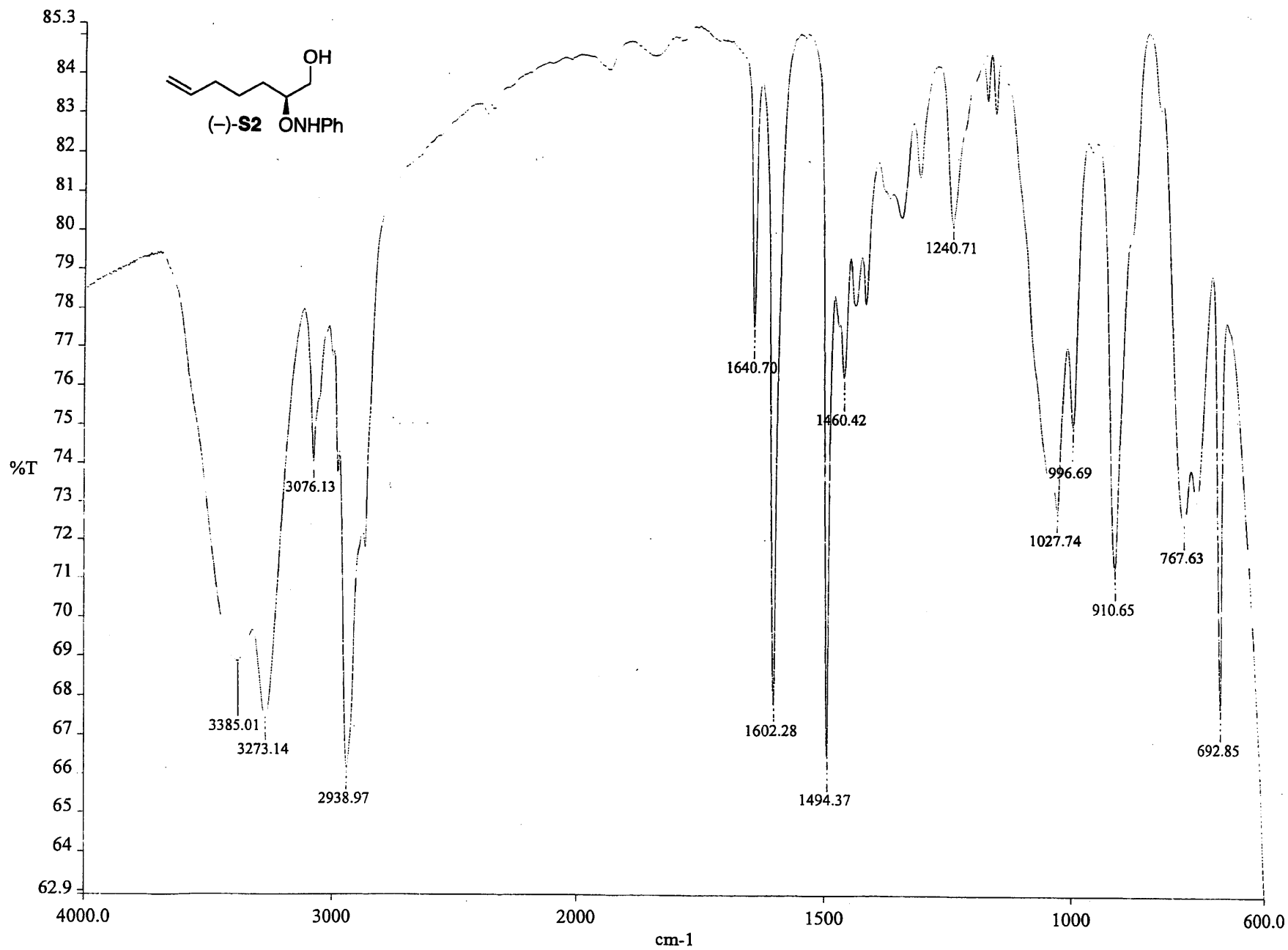
Peak #	RetTime [min]	Type	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	18.118	MM	0.5225	65.04629	2.07490	0.5432
2	22.017	MM	0.9094	1.19103e4	218.27008	99.4568

Totals : 1.19753e4 220.34498

Results obtained with enhanced integrator!

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 Summed Peaks Report  
 =====

Signal 1: MWD1 E, Sig=215,16 Ref=360,100



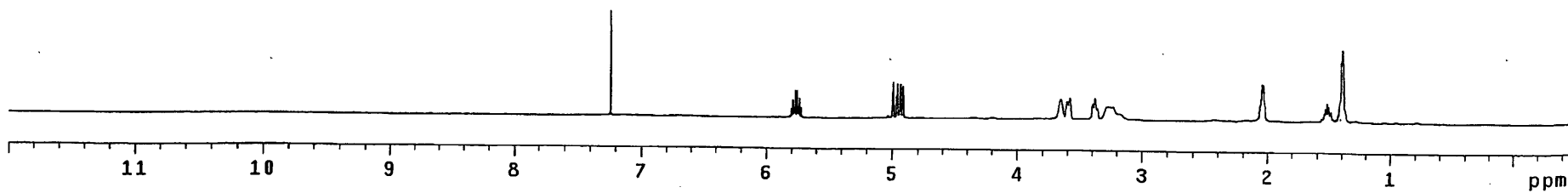
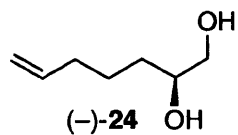
exp1 s2pu1

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              dpwr      C13
              dof       30
              dm        0
              dmm       nnn
              dmf       c
              dmf       200

ACQUISITION
sfrq         500.435  dseq
tn           H1      dres       1.0
at           4.999   homo
np           120102  PROCESSING
sw           12012.0 wtfile
fb           not used proc          ft
bs           2      fn          262144
tpwr        56     math
pw           8.0
d1           0.100  werr
tof          3003.2 wexp
nt           16    wbs
ct           10    wnt          wft
alock        n
gain         not used

FLAGS
il           n
in           n
dp           y
hs          nn

DISPLAY
sp          -250.2
wp          6255.3
vs          16
sc          0
wc          250
hzmm        25.02
is          33.57
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rfp         3623.1
th          7
ins         100.000
ai cdc ph
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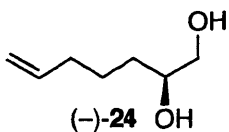


Current Data Parameters

NAME  
EXPNO  
PROCNO

F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_ Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm QNP 1H/13  
PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 64  
DS 4  
SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 1824.6  
DW 20.850 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 292.2 K  
D1 2.0000000 sec  
d11 0.0300000 sec  
DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TD0 1

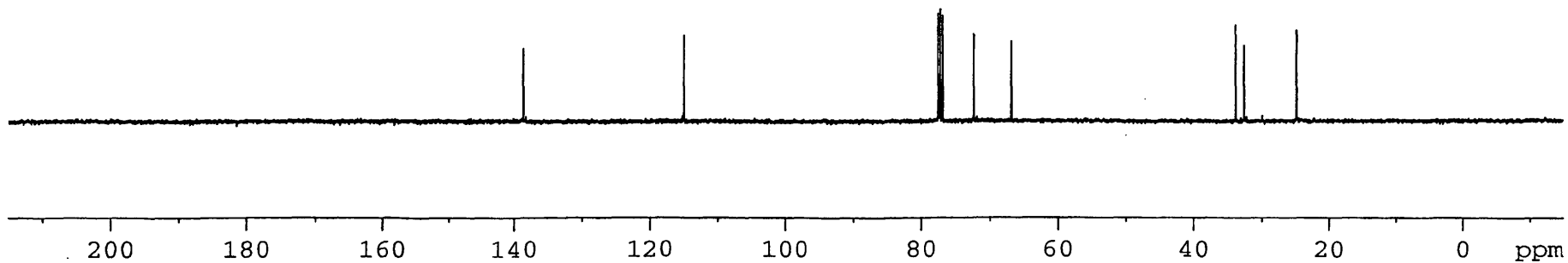


==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

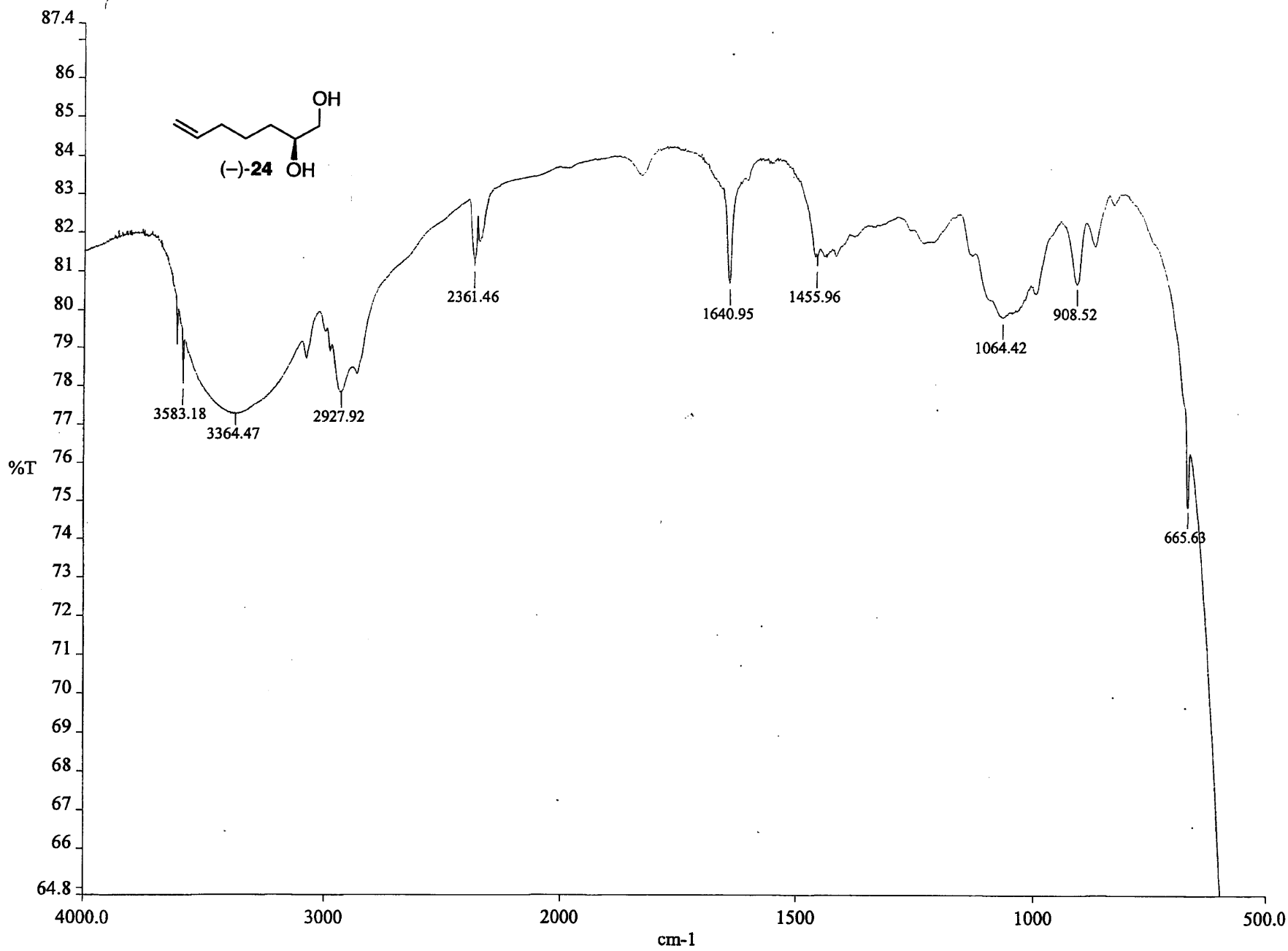
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CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
SI 32768  
SF 100.6127520 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 1.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

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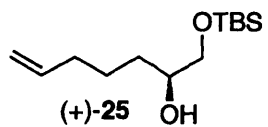


Current Data Parameters

NAME  
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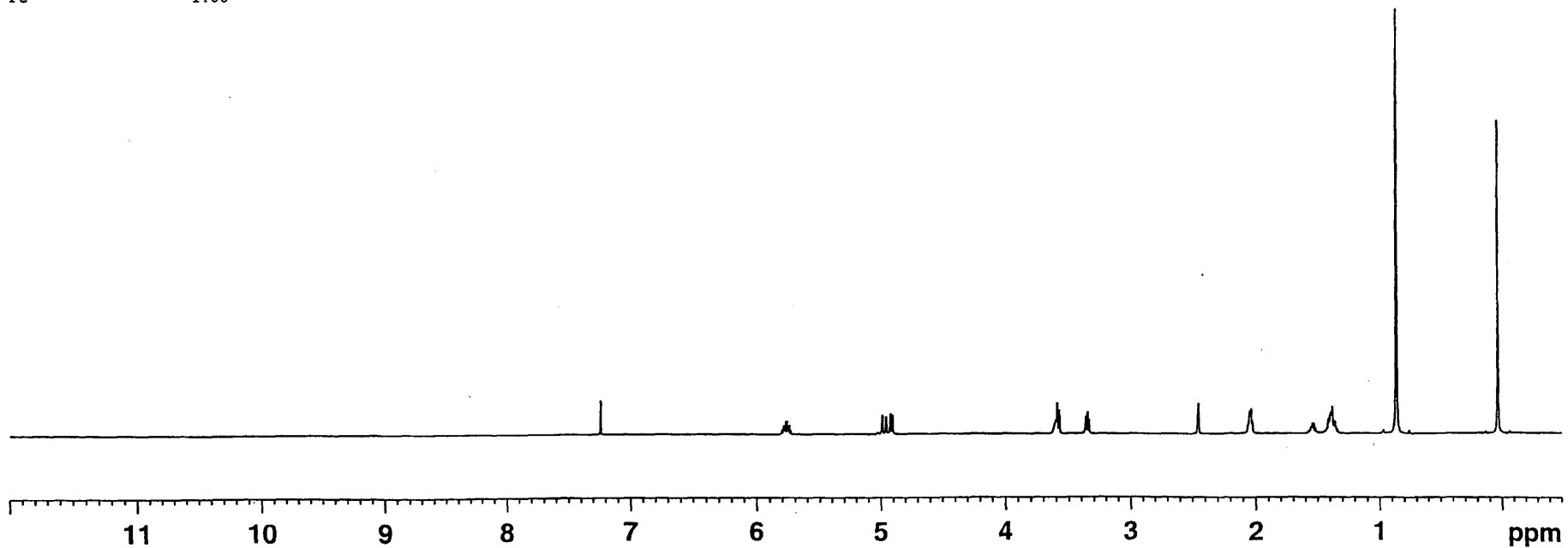
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Time   
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PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-   
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TD 65536   
SOLVENT CDCl3   
NS 16   
DS 2   
SWH 12376.237 Hz   
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz   
AQ 2.6477044 sec   
RG 4   
DW 40.400 usec   
DE 6.00 usec   
TE 293.0 K   
D1 1.0000000 sec   
TDO 1



==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

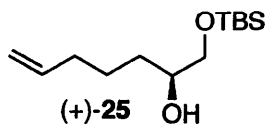
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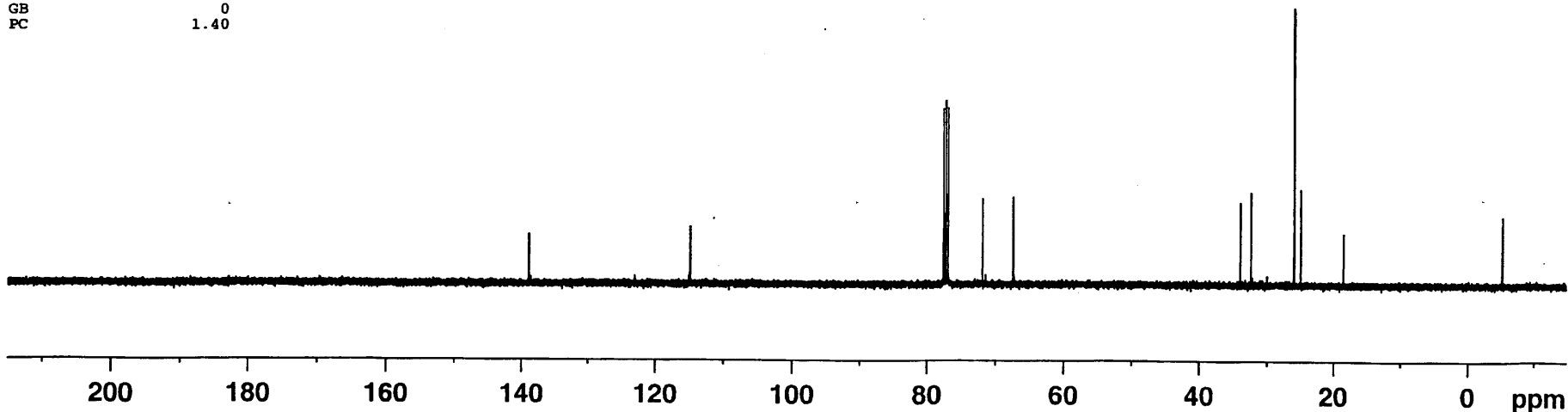
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SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 18390.4  
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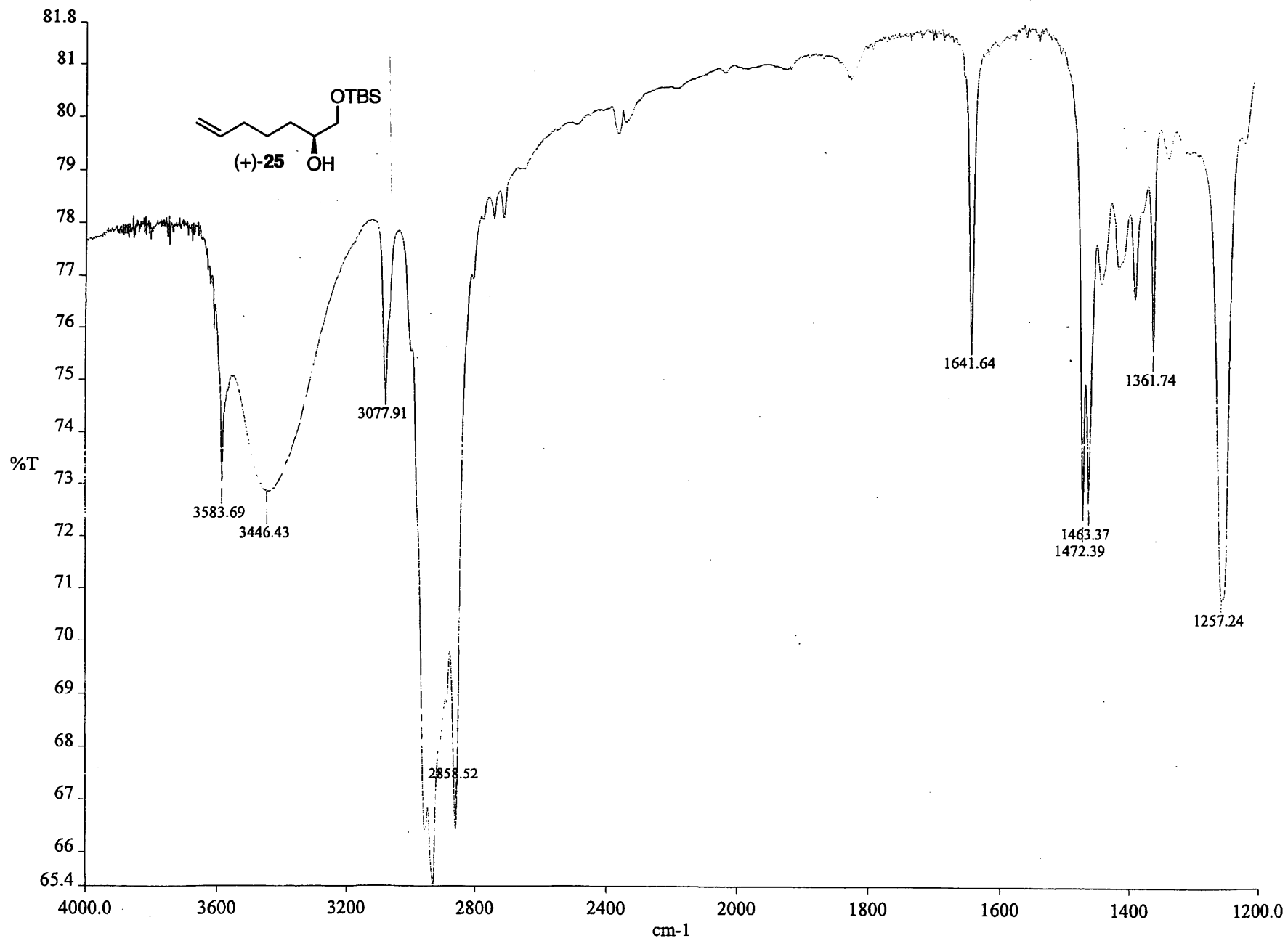
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P1 8.75 usec  
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==== CHANNEL f2 =====  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 -1.00 dB  
PL12 14.52 dB  
PL13 18.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

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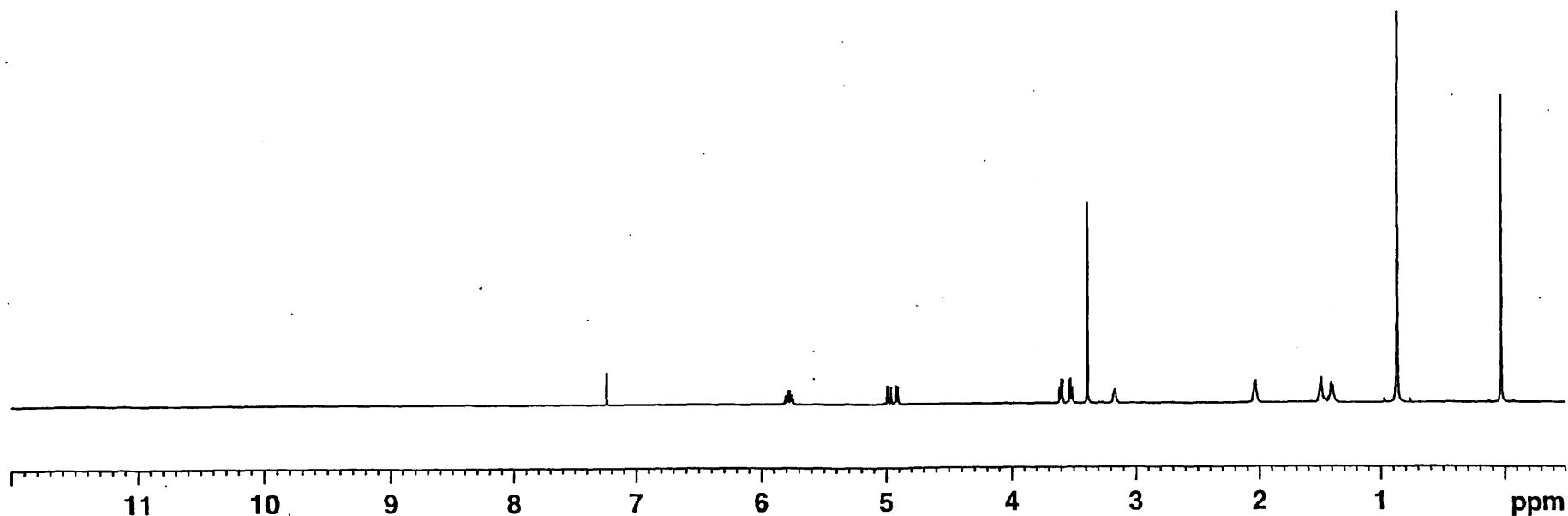
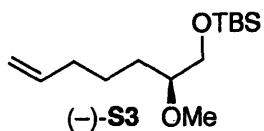
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Time  
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 13  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 5.7  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 304.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

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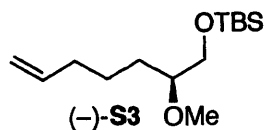


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TD 65536   
SOLVENT CDC13   
NS 30   
DS 4   
SWH 23980.814 Hz   
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz   
AQ 1.3664756 sec   
RG 2580.3   
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DE 6.00 usec   
TE 291.2 K   
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d11 0.03000000 sec   
DELTA 1.89999998 sec   
TD0 1

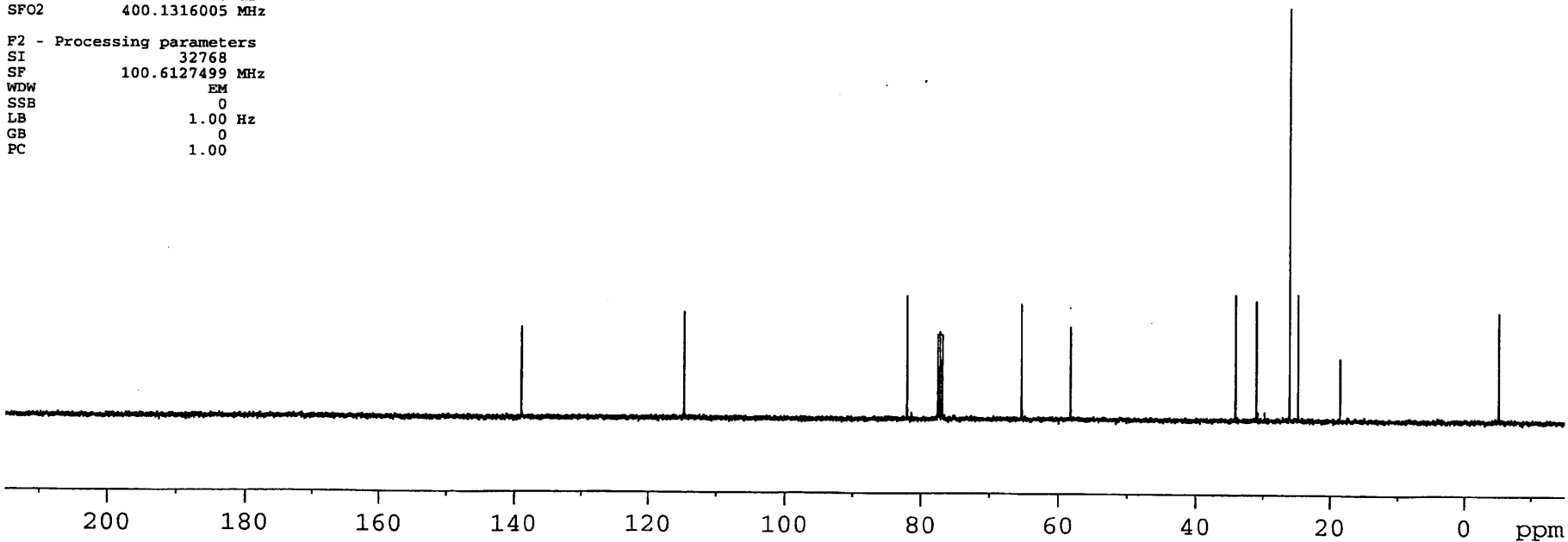


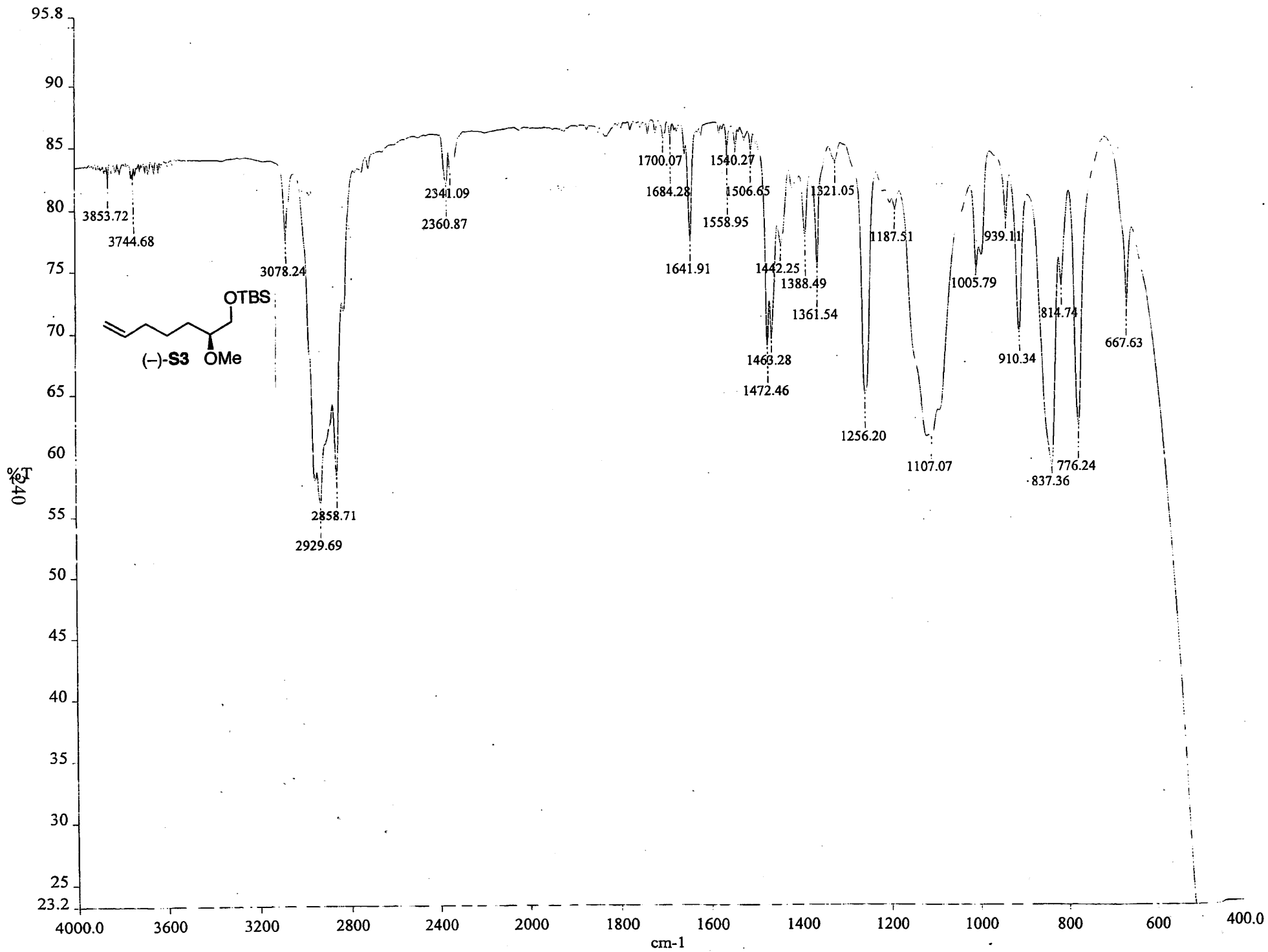
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P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

==== CHANNEL f2 =====  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
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PL2 0.00 dB  
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PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

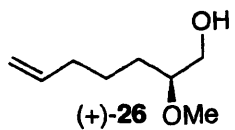
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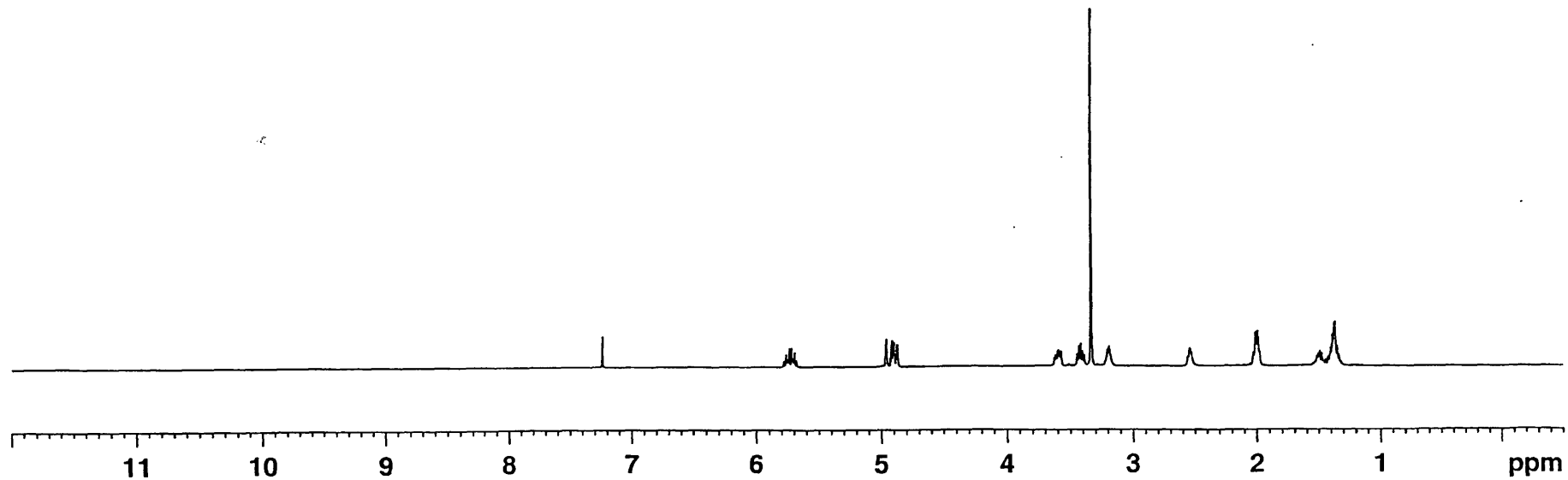
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 13  
DS 2  
SWH 8278.146 Hz  
FIDRES 0.126314 Hz  
AQ 3.9584243 sec  
RG 45.3  
DW 60.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 291.2 K  
D1 1.0000000 sec  
TD0 1

===== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 1H  
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PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 400.1324710 MHz

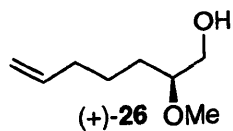
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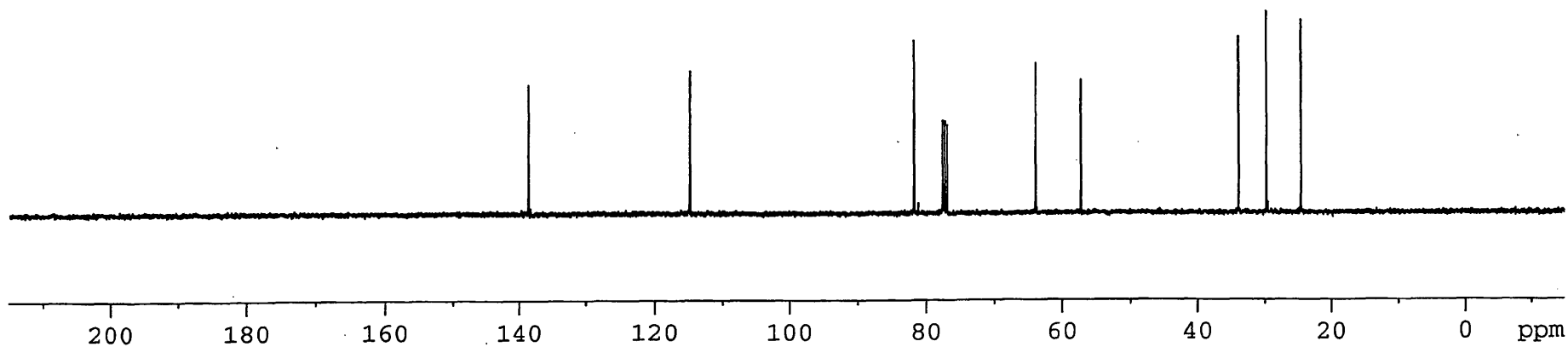
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TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 21  
DS 4  
SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 1824.6  
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TE 291.2 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
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DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TDO 1

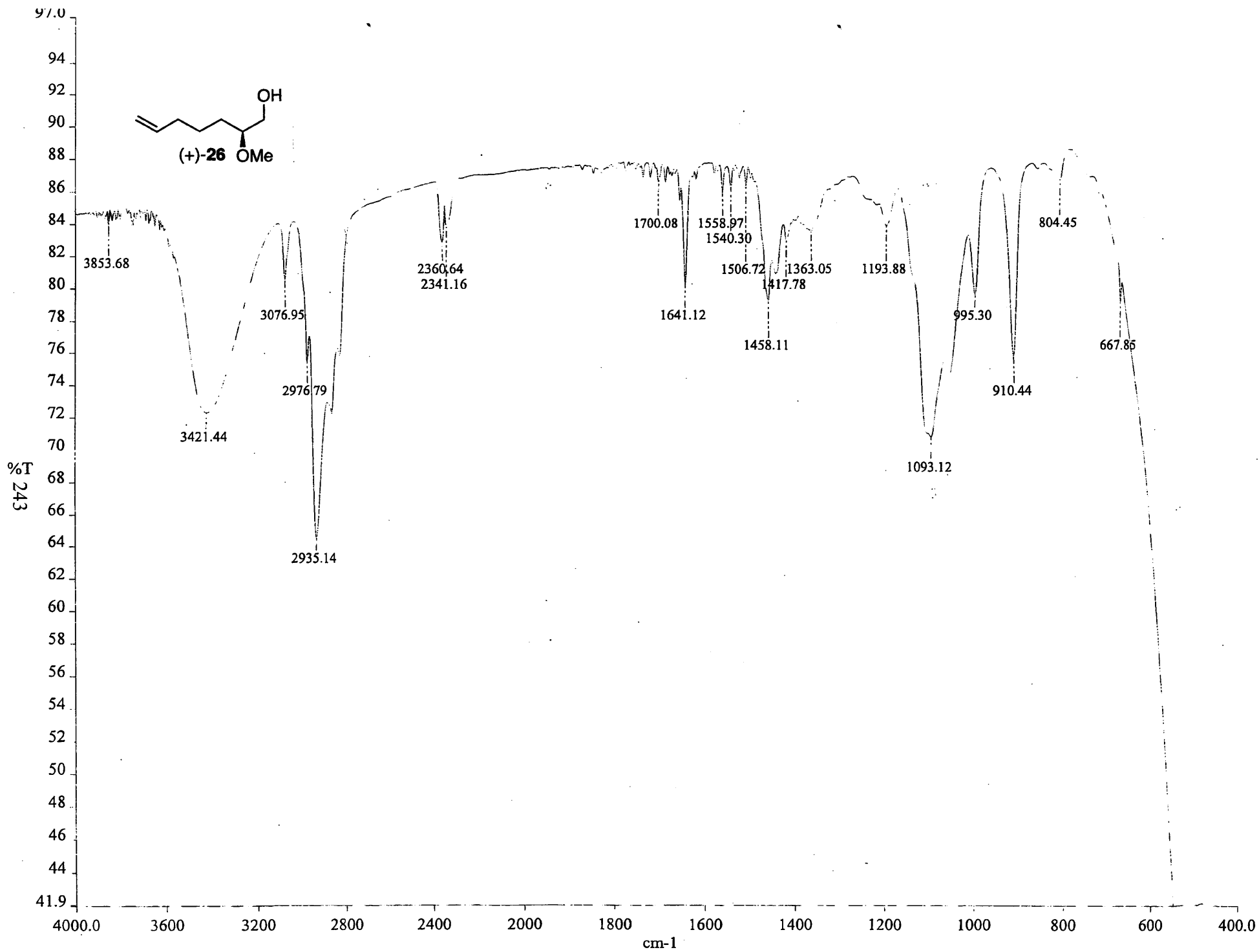


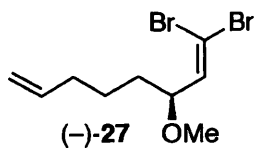
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CHANNEL f1  
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

=====  
CHANNEL f2  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
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SSB 0  
LB 1.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

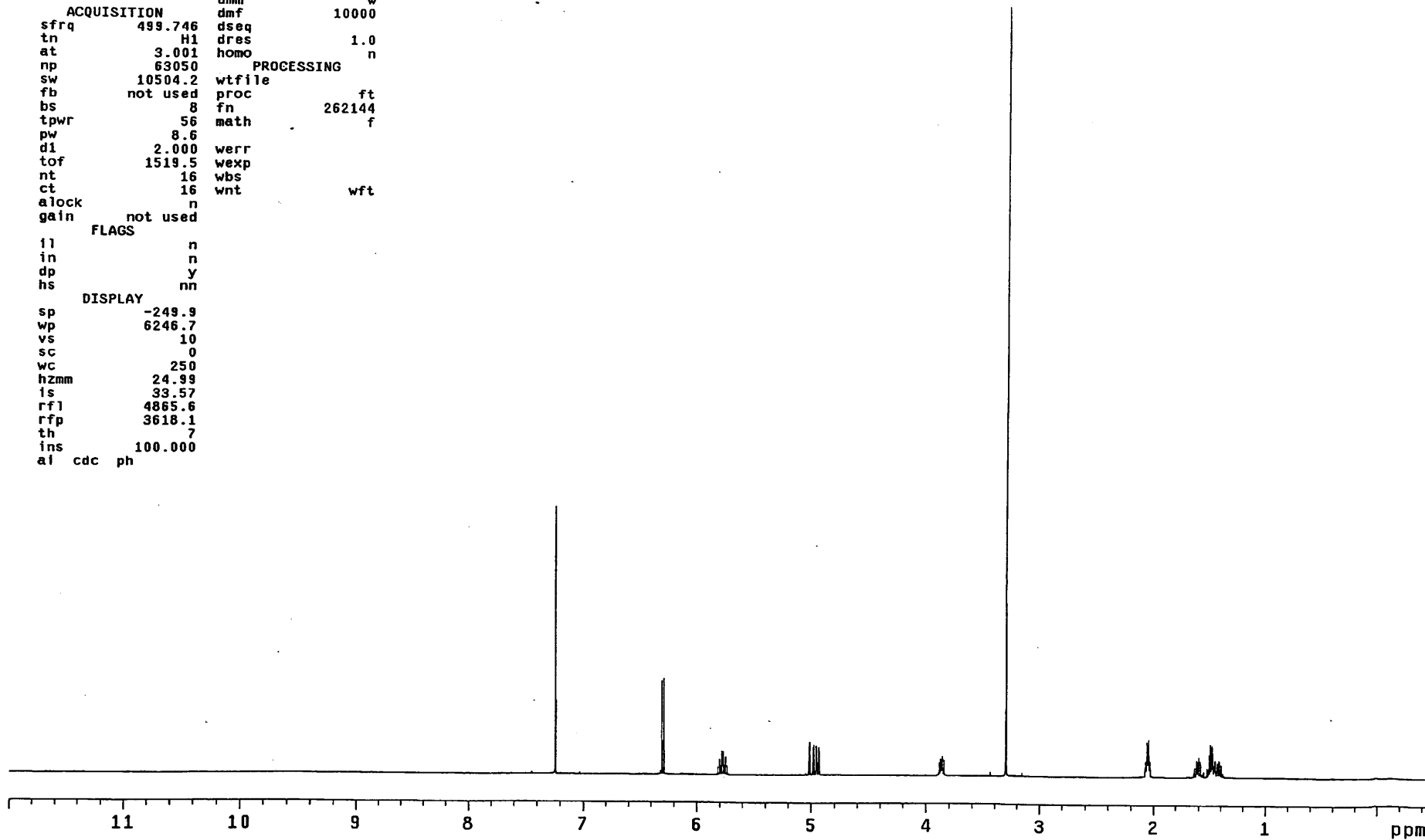


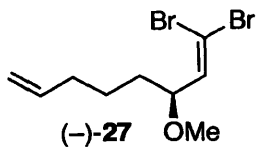




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DEC. & VT
solvent CDC13 dfrq 125.672
dn C13
dpwr 30
dof 0
dm nnn
dmm w
dmf 10000
ACQUISITION
sfrq 499.746 dseq
tn H1 dres 1.0
at 3.001 homo n
np 63050
sw 10504.2 wfile
fb not used proc ft
bs 8 fn 262144
tpwr 56 math f
pw 8.6
d1 2.000 werr
tof 1519.5 wexp
nt 16 wbs
ct 16 wnt wft
alock n
gain not used
FLAGS
il n
in n
dp y
hs nn
DISPLAY
sp -249.9
wp 6246.7
vs 10
sc 0
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hzmm 24.99
is 33.57
rf1 4865.6
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th 7
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ai cdc ph
  
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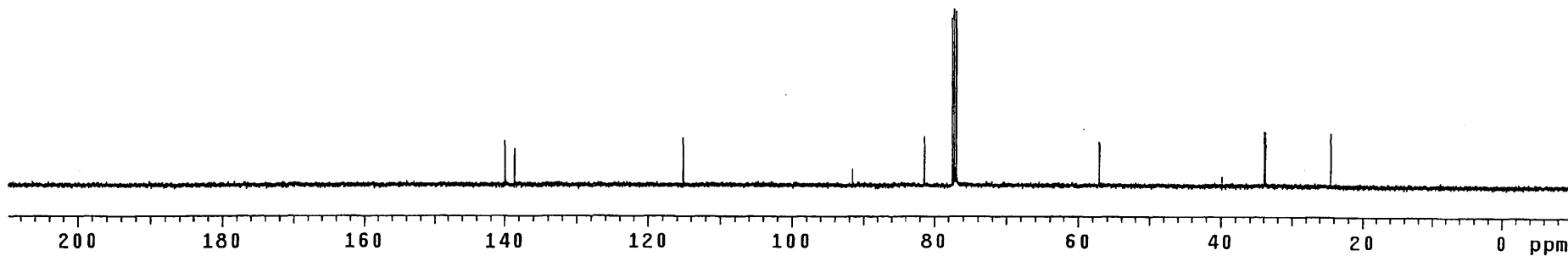


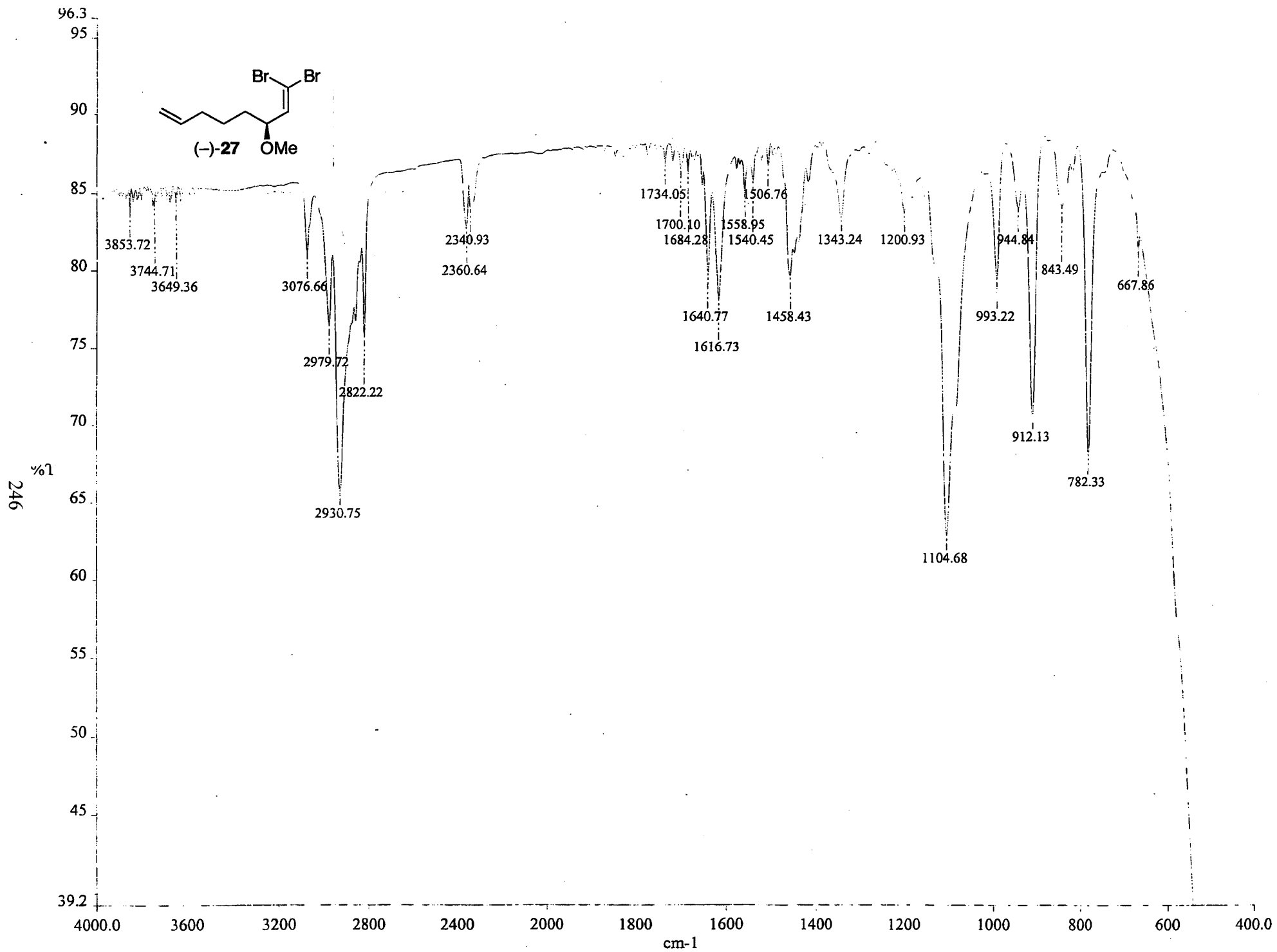


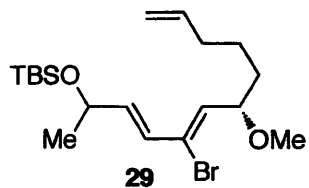
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solvent       CDC13      dn             H1
                                     dpwr          34
                                     dof           0
                                     dm            YYY
                                     dmm          w
ACQUISITION   dmf         10000
sfrq         125.672    dseq
tn           C13      dres         1.0
at           2.000    homo        n
np           125588    PROCESSING
sw           31397.2   lb           1.00
fb           not used  wtfile
bs           8        proc         ft
tpwr        58       fn          131072
pw           6.7     math        f
d1           3.000
tof          0       werr
nt           256    wexp
ct           160    wbs
alock       not used  wnt
gain        not used
          FLAGS
il          n
in          n
dp          y
hs          nn
          DISPLAY
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wp         27683.3
vs         172
sc         0
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th         68
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al cdc ph

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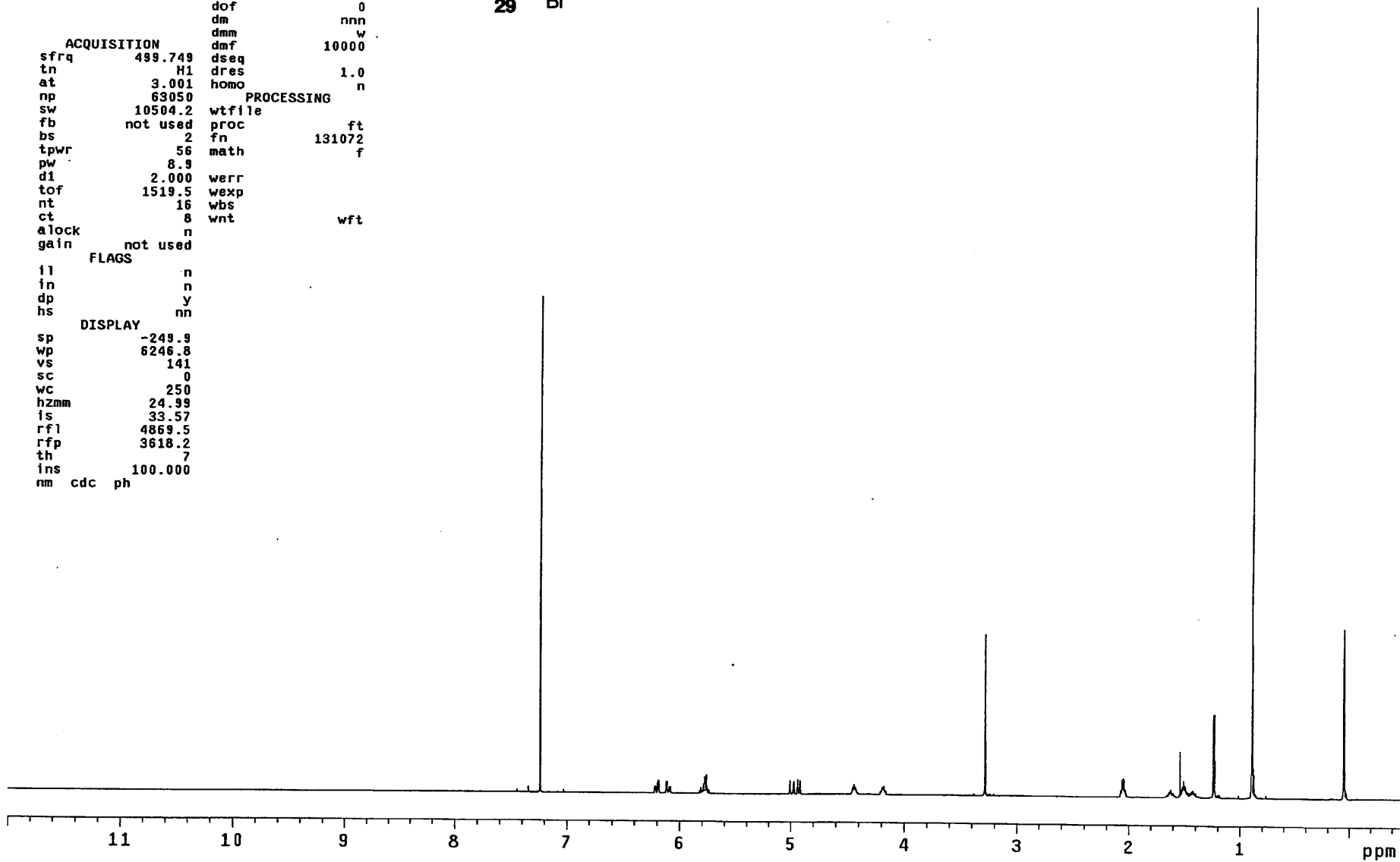




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DEC. & VT 125.673
solvent CDC13 dfrq 499.749 dn C13 dpwr 30 dof 0 dm nnn dmm w dmf 10000
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FLAGS
il n in n dp y hs nn
DISPLAY
sp -249.9 wp 6246.8 vs 141 sc 0 wc 250 hzmm 24.99 is 33.57 rfl 4869.5 rfp 3618.2 th 7 ins 100.000 nm cdc ph

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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_ Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm BBO BB-1H  
PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 1024  
DS 2  
SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 8192  
DW 20.850 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.2 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
d11 0.03000000 sec  
DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

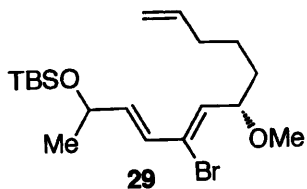
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P1 8.75 usec  
PL1 -3.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

==== CHANNEL f2 =====

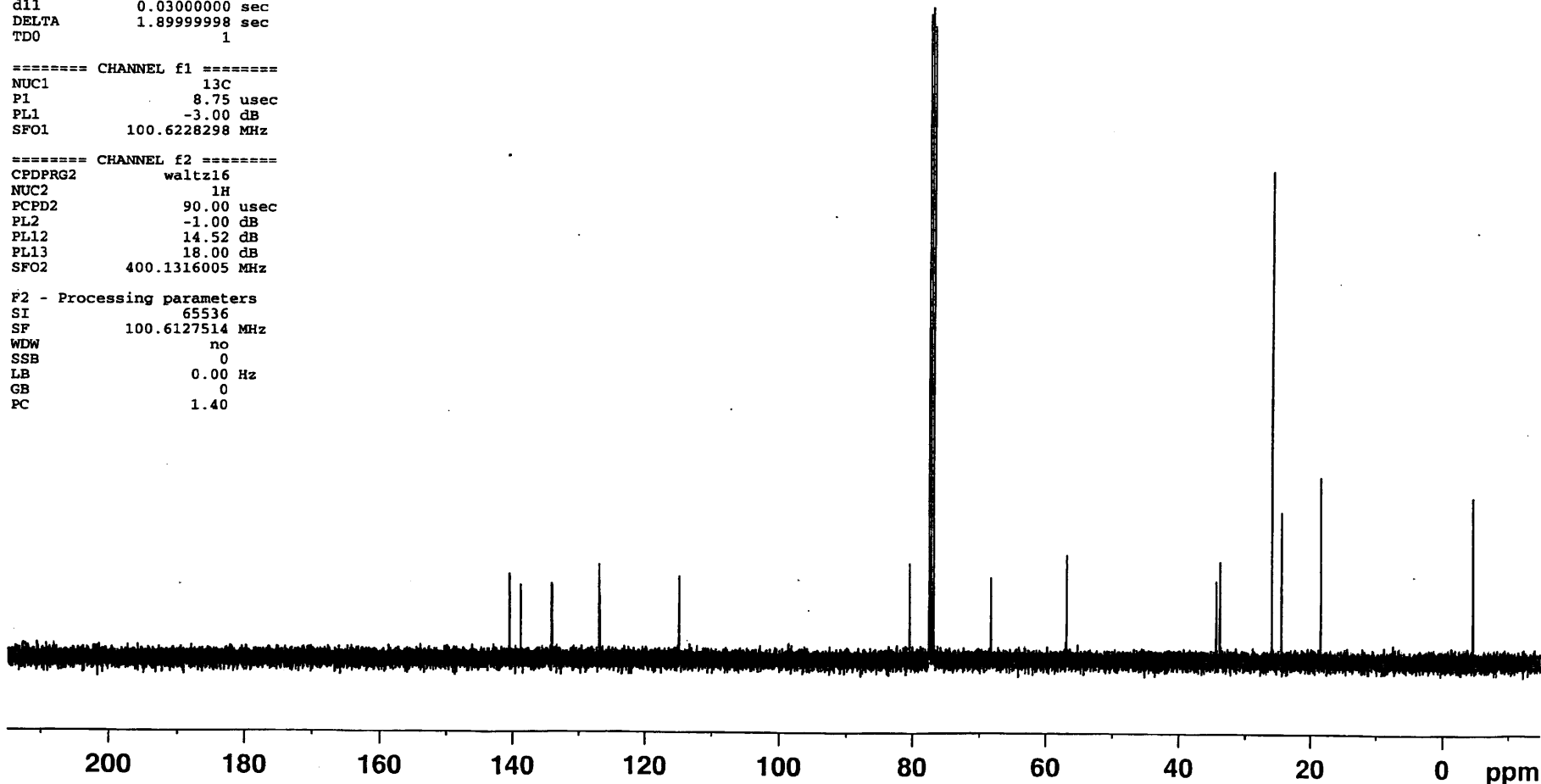
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
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PL12 14.52 dB  
PL13 18.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

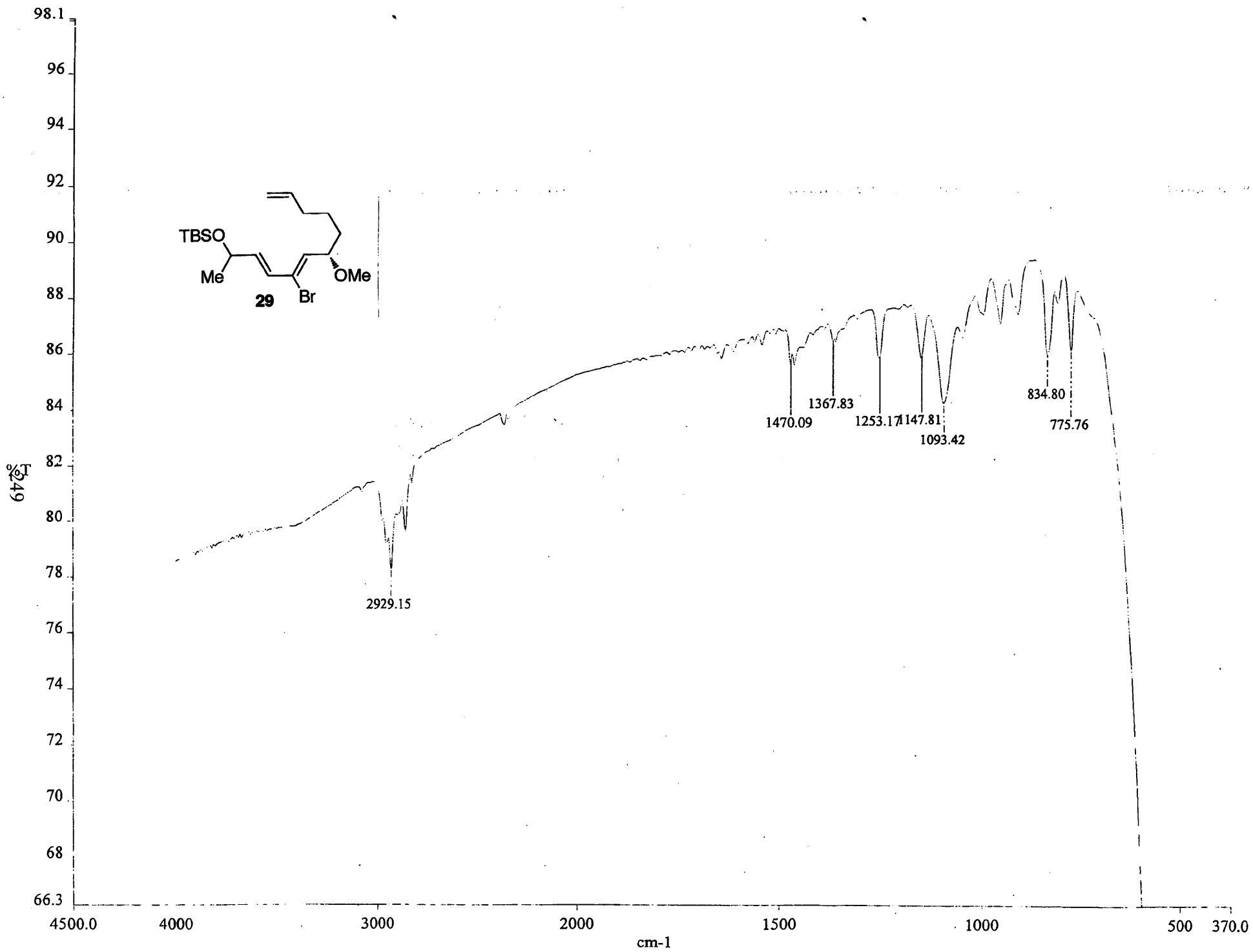
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SF 100.6127514 MHz  
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GB 0  
PC 1.40



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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

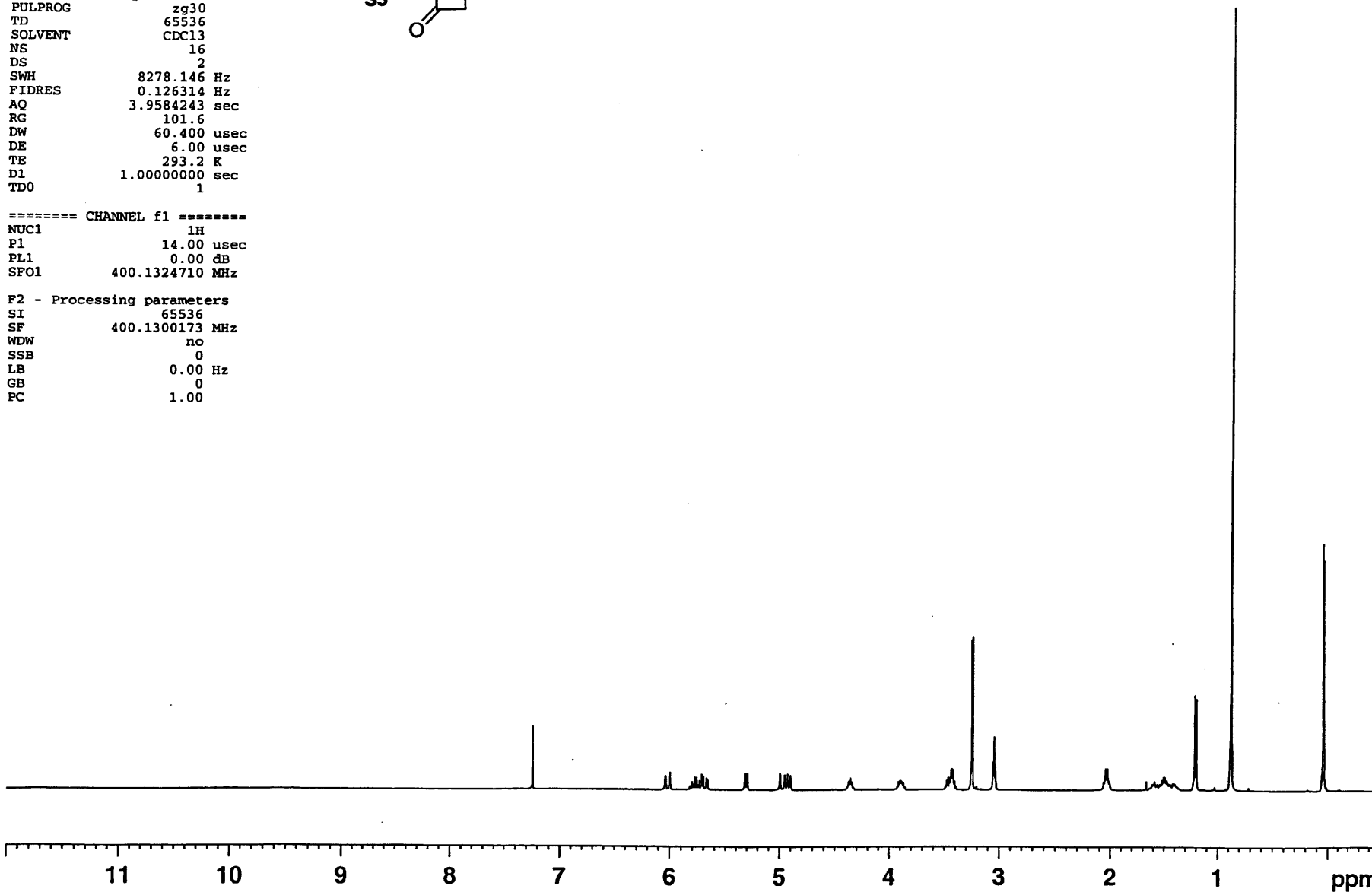
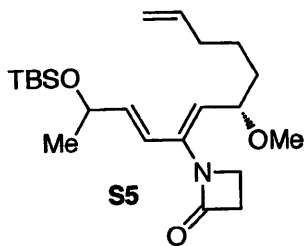
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 8278.146 Hz  
FIDRES 0.126314 Hz  
AQ 3.9584243 sec  
RG 101.6  
DW 60.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.2 K  
D1 1.0000000 sec  
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 14.00 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

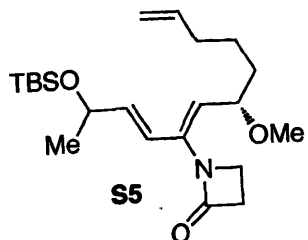
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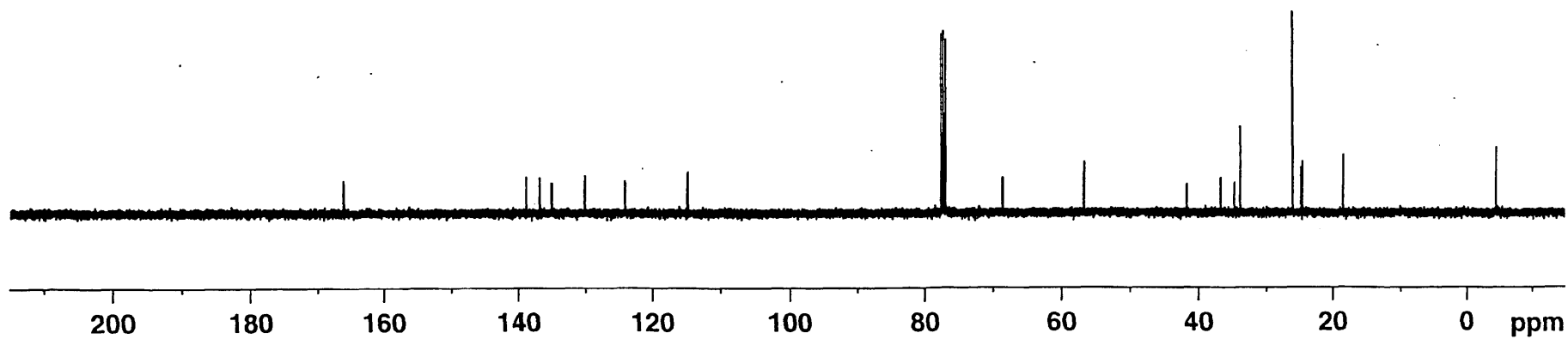
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FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 8192  
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TE 293.2 K  
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TDO 1

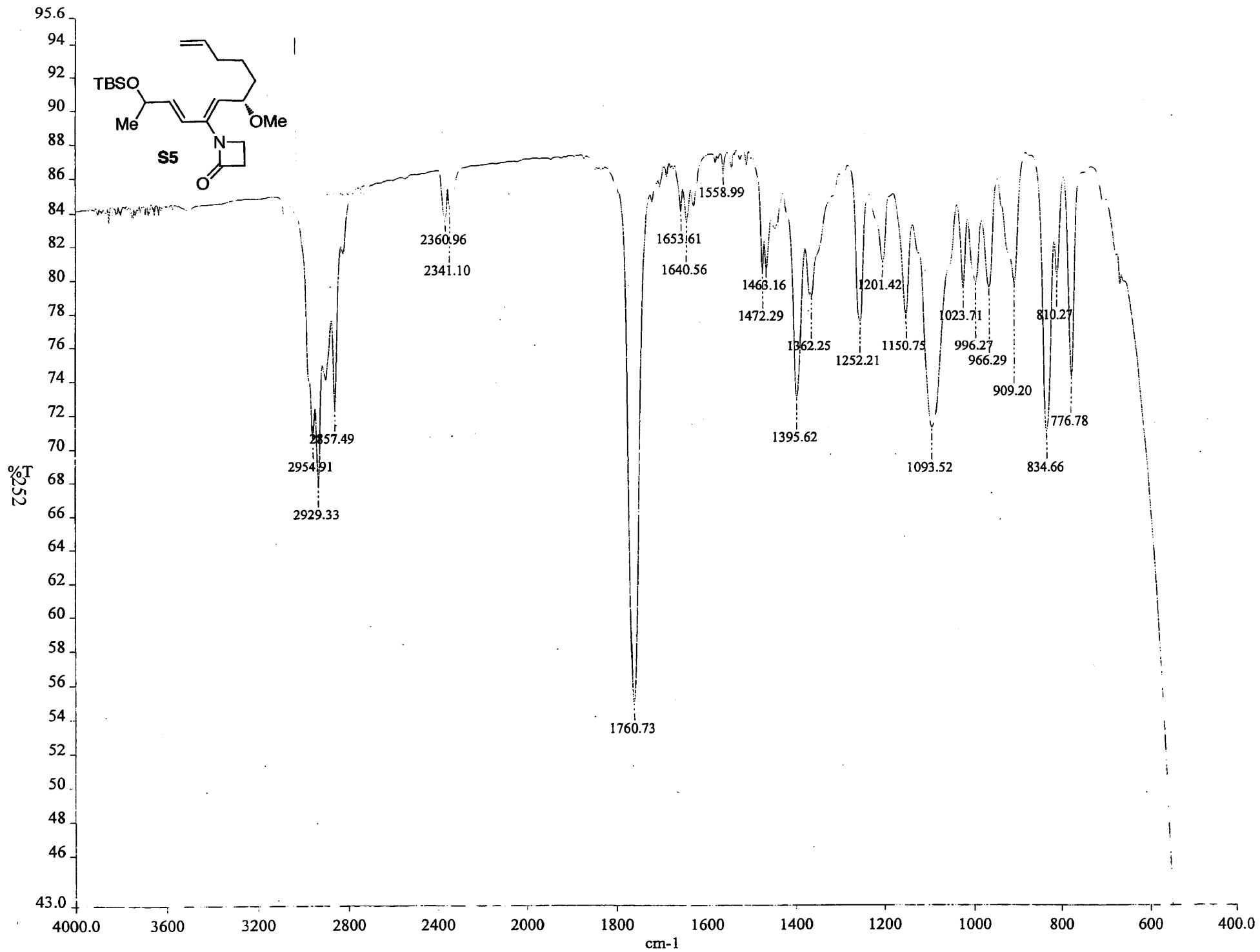


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CHANNEL f1  
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

=====  
CHANNEL f2  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
SI 65536  
SF 100.6127511 MHz  
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LB 0.00 Hz  
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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

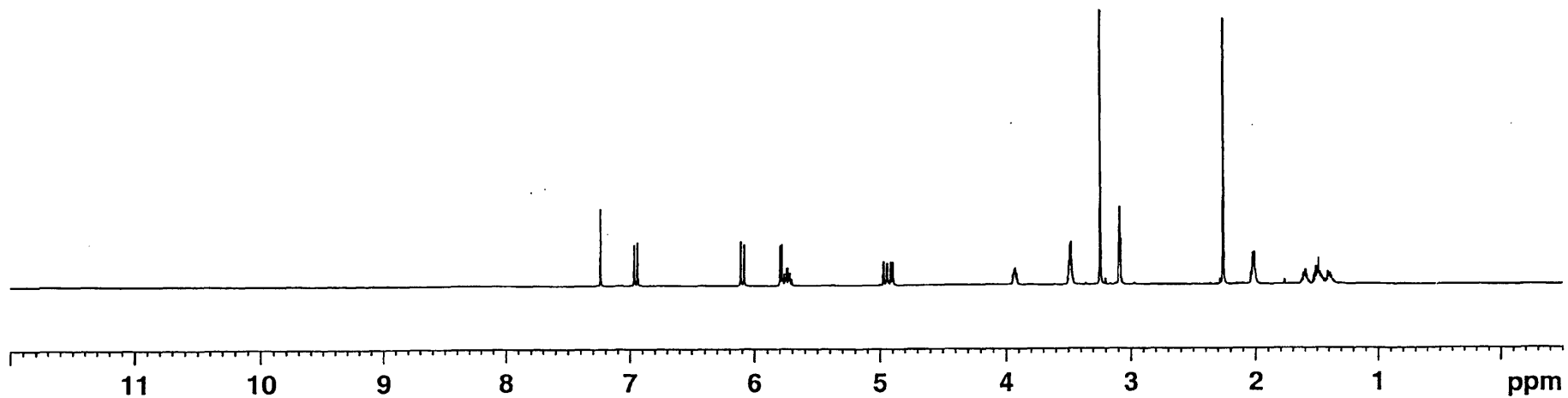
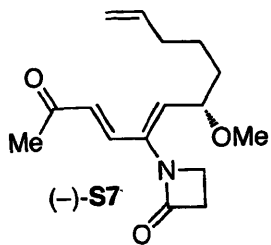
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PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
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TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 11  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 12.7  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 304.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
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PC 1.00

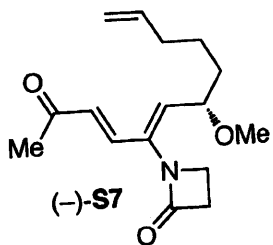


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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time  
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TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 85  
DS 4  
SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 1824.6  
DW 20.850 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 291.2 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
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TD0 1



==== CHANNEL f1 =====

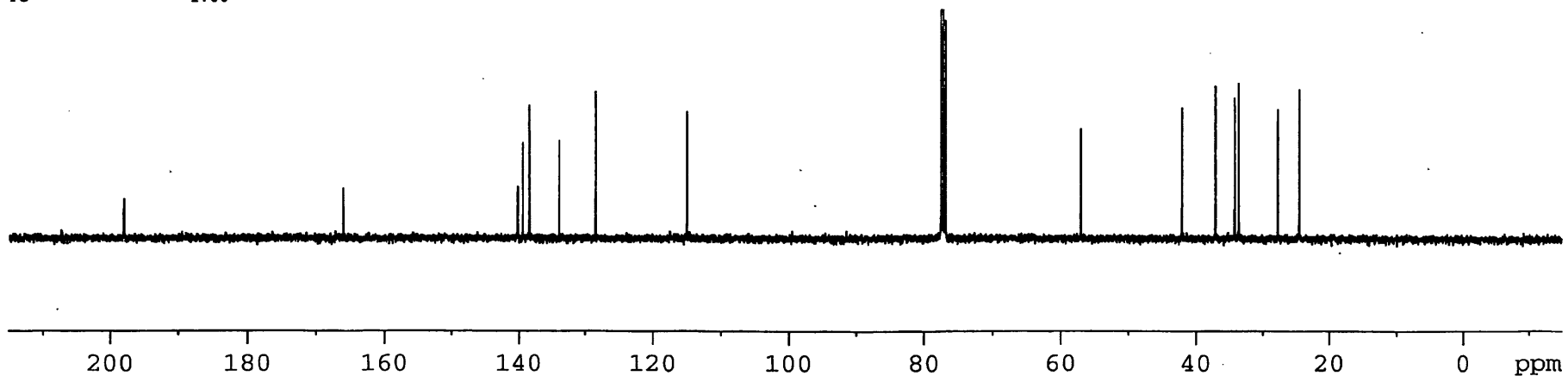
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

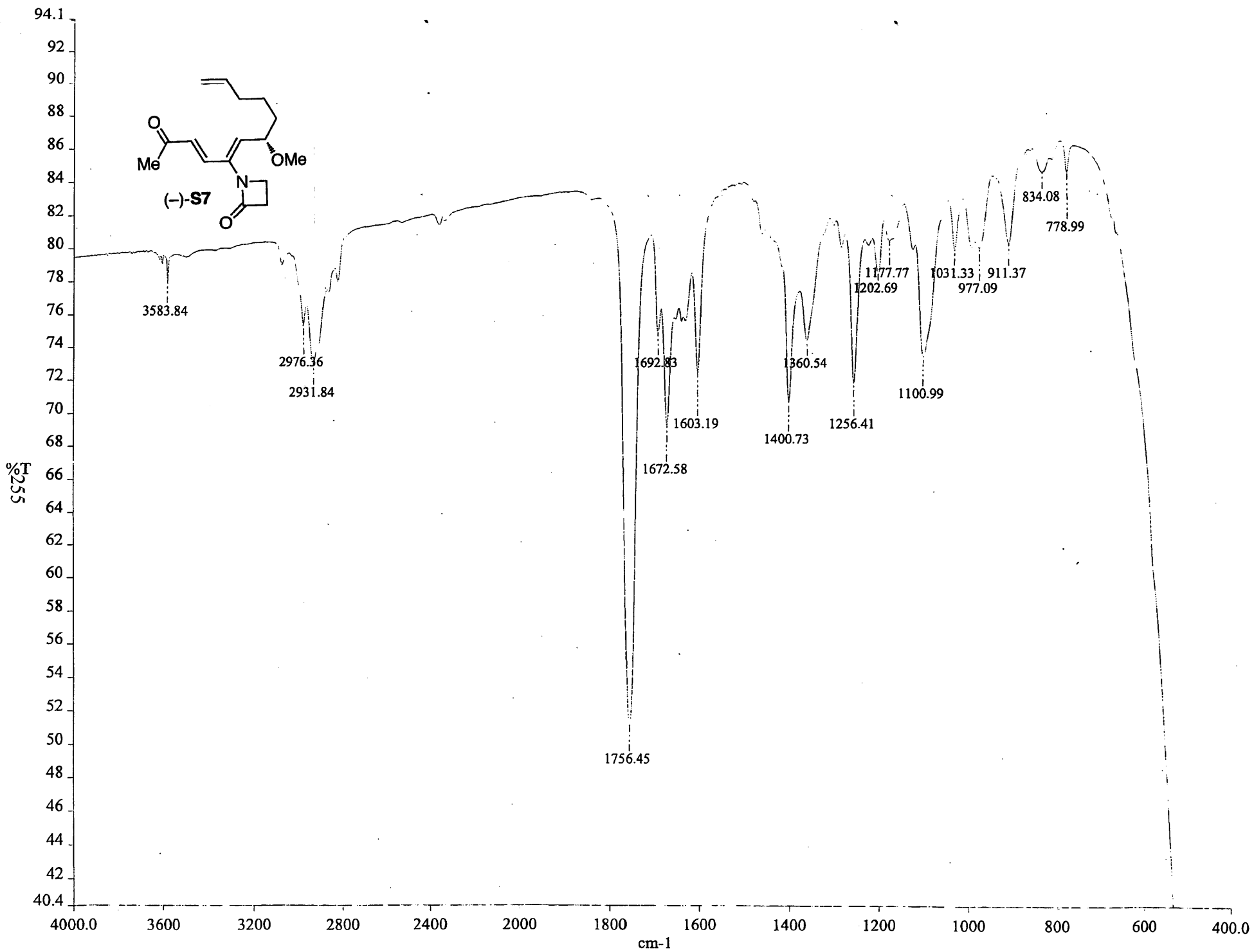
==== CHANNEL f2 =====

CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

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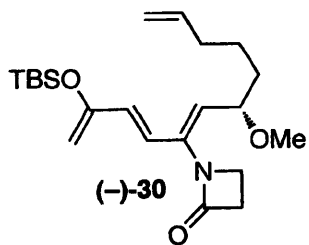




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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

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Time  
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PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 15  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 6.3  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1



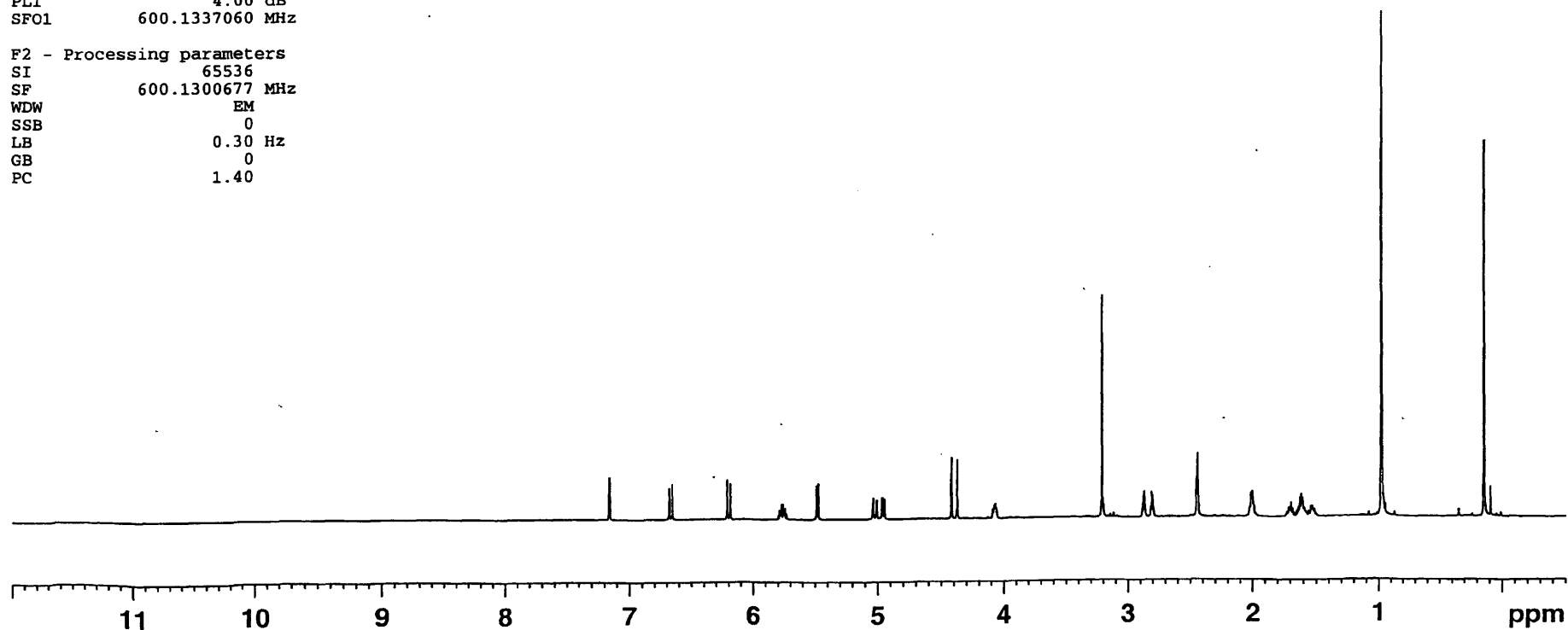
==== CHANNEL f1 =====

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PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

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LB 0.30 Hz  
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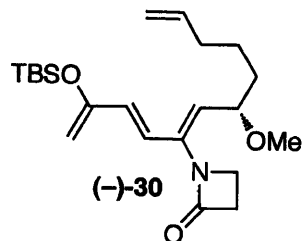


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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

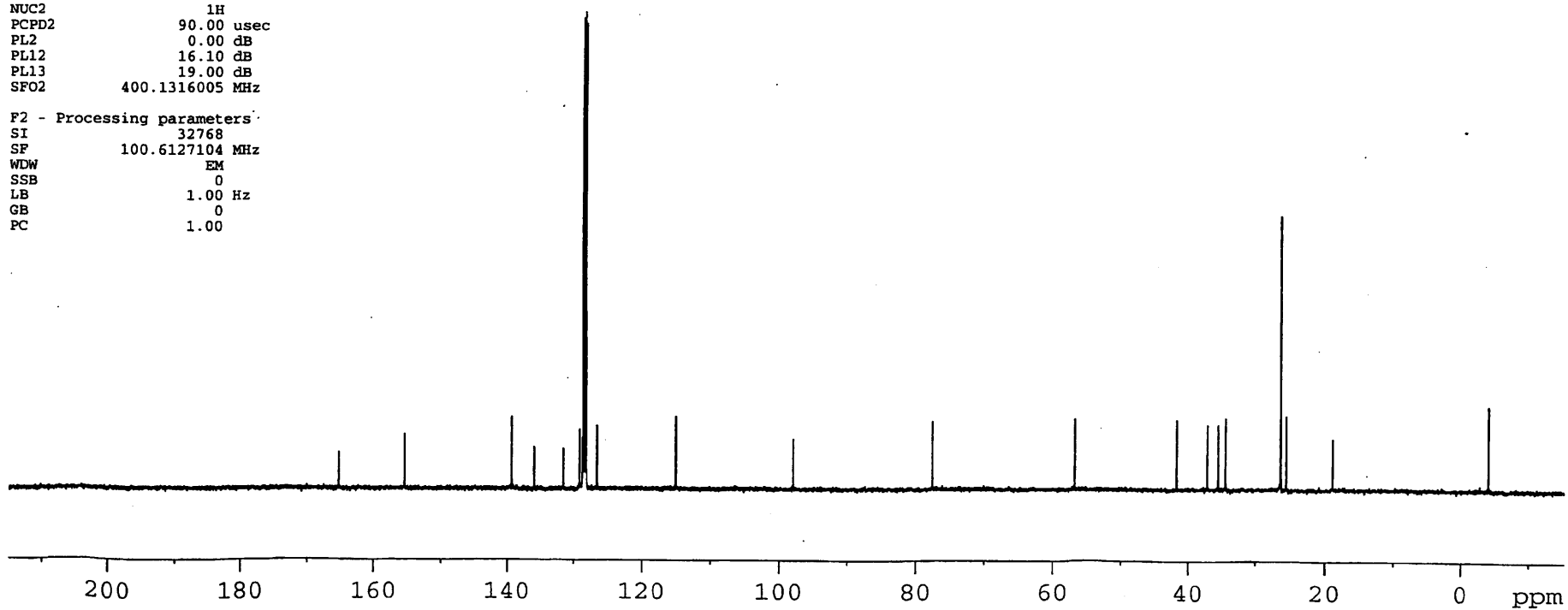
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PULPROG zgpg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDCl3  
NS 40  
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SWH 23980.814 Hz  
FIDRES 0.365918 Hz  
AQ 1.3664756 sec  
RG 1625.5  
DW 20.850 usec  
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TE 291.2 K  
D1 2.00000000 sec  
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DELTA 1.89999998 sec  
TD0 1



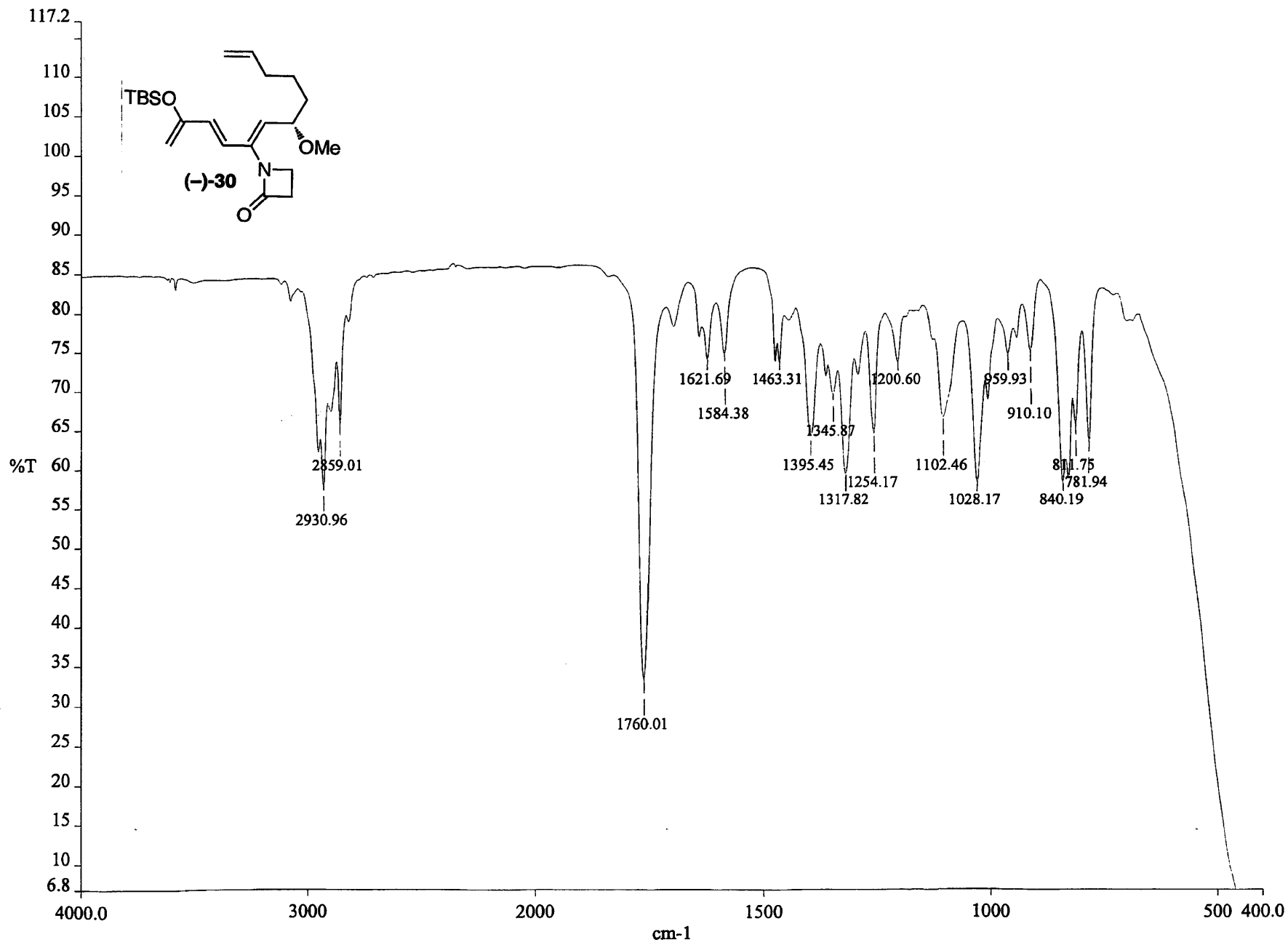
==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 13C  
P1 9.38 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SFO1 100.6228298 MHz

==== CHANNEL f2 =====  
CPDPRG2 waltz16  
NUC2 1H  
PCPD2 90.00 usec  
PL2 0.00 dB  
PL12 16.10 dB  
PL13 19.00 dB  
SFO2 400.1316005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters  
SI 32768  
SF 100.6127104 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 1.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



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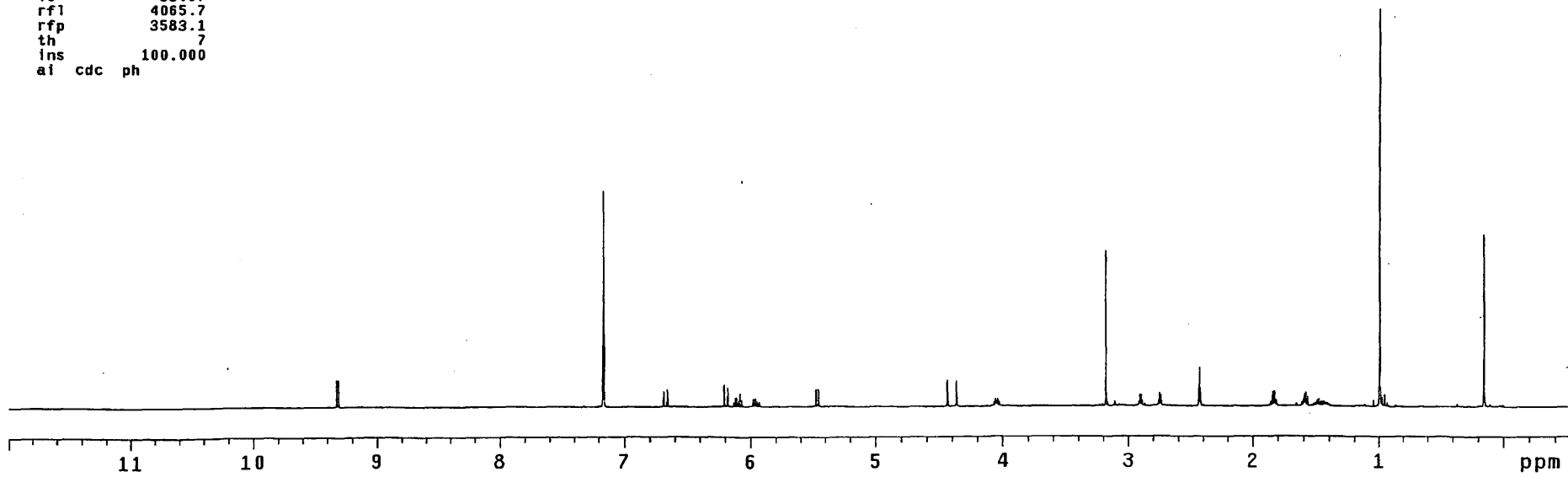
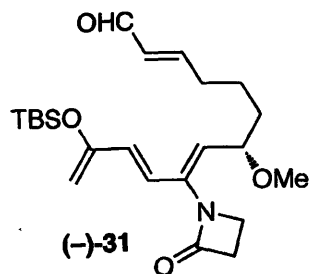
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date          DEC. & VT
solvent       Benzene  dfrq      125.845
              dn       C13
              dpwr     30
              dof      0
              dm       nnn
              dmm      c
              dmf      200
ACQUISITION  sfrq     500.435
              tn      H1
              at      4.999
              np      120102
              sw      12012.0
              fb      not used
              bs      8
              tpwr    56
              pw      8.0
              d1      0.100
              tof     3003.2
              nt      16
              ct      16
alock         n
gain          not used
              FLAGS
il            n
in            n
dp            y
hs            nn
              DISPLAY
sp            -250.2
wp            6255.3
vs            14
sc            0
wc            250
hzmm         25.02
is            33.57
rfl          4065.7
rfp          3583.1
th            7
ins          100.000
al cdc ph

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## DEC. &amp; VT

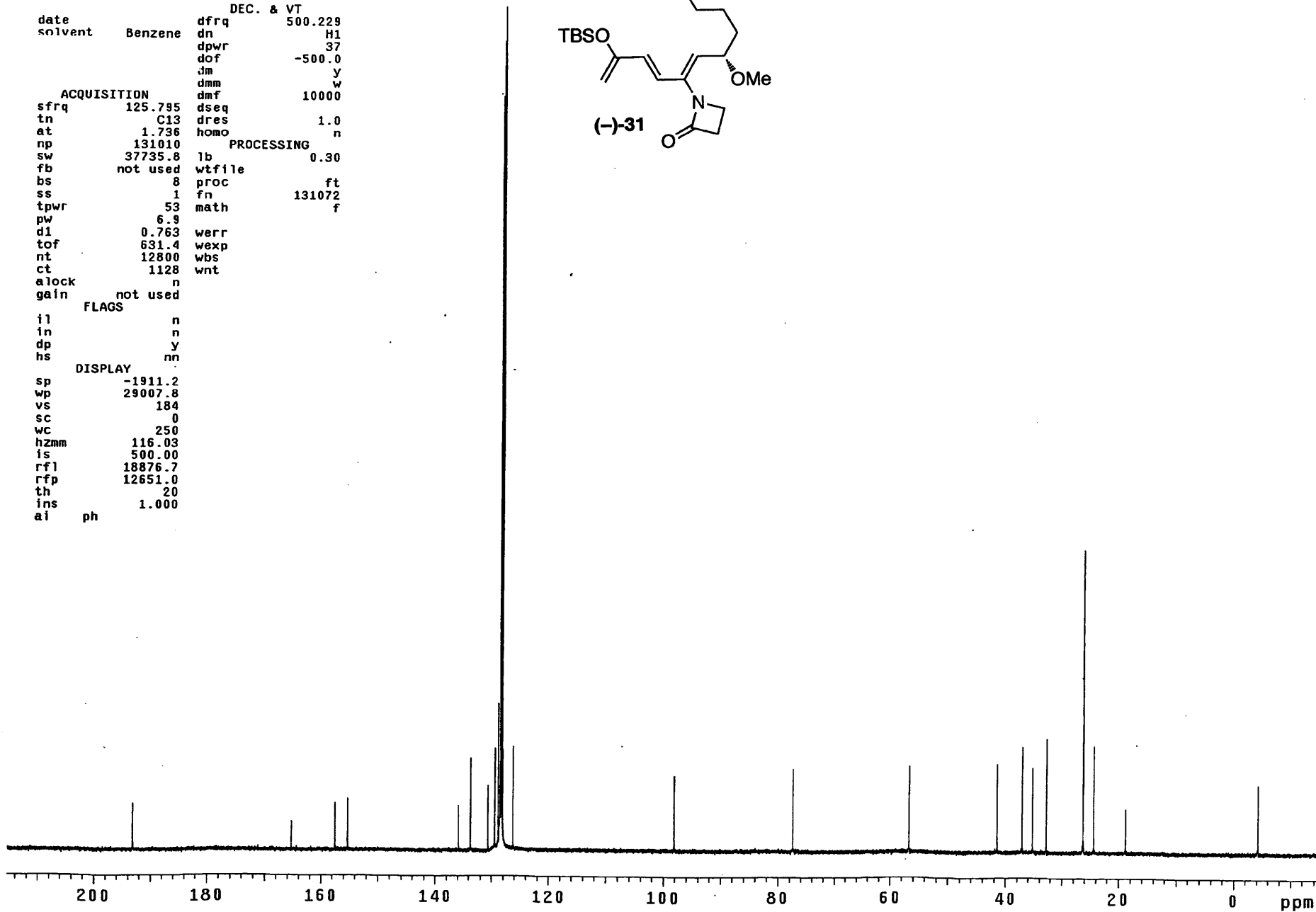
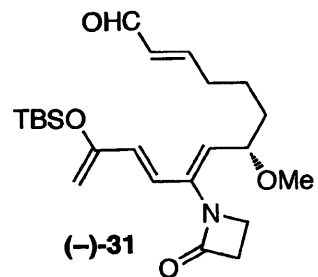
## PROCESSING



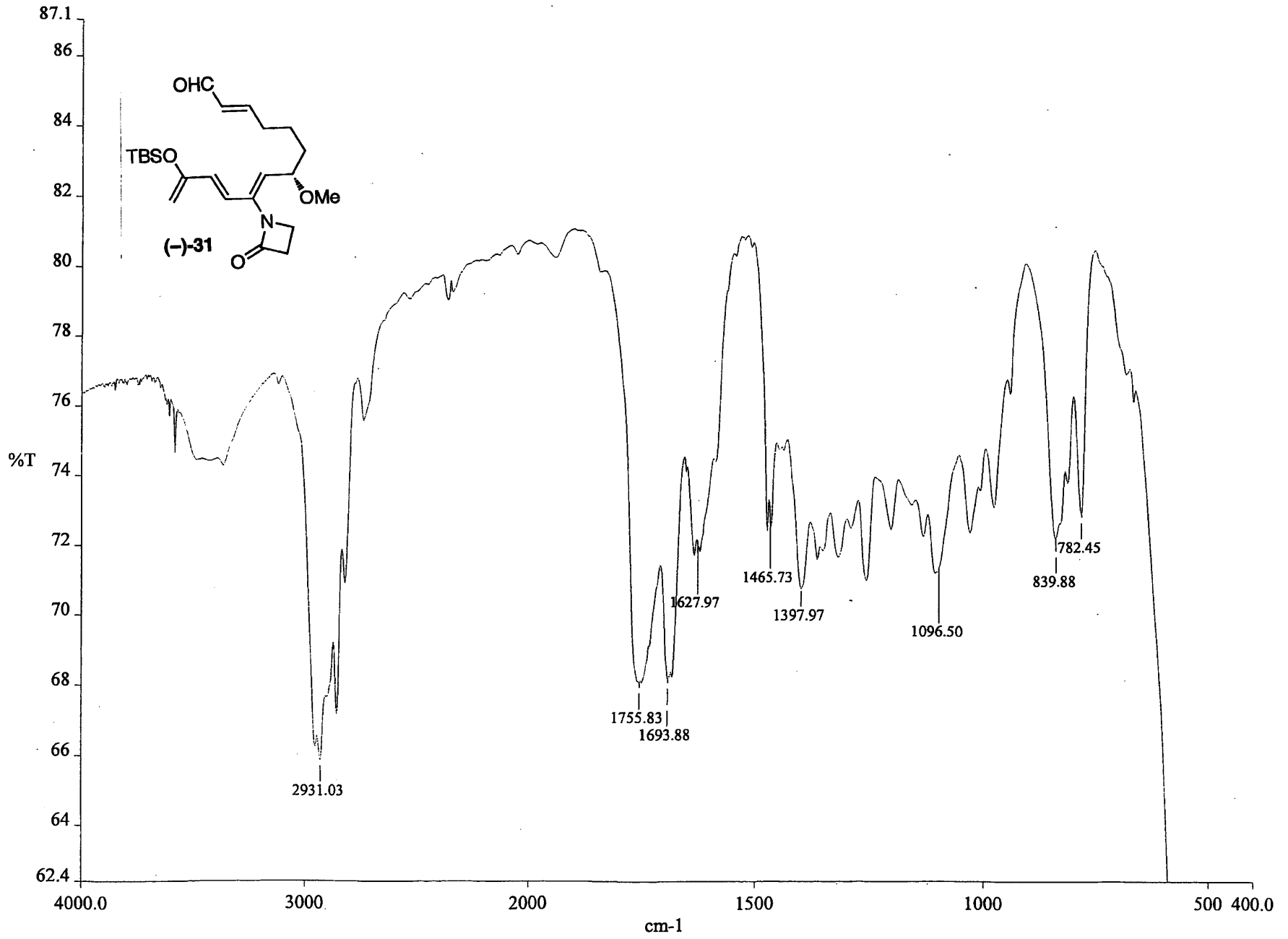
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date          dfrq      DEC. & VT
solvent       Benzene   dfrq      500.229
              dn        dn        H1
              dpwr      dpwr      37
              dof       dof       -500.0
              jm        jm        y
              dmm       dmm       10000
              dmf       dmf
ACQUISITION   dseq      dseq
sfrq         125.795   dseq      1.0
tn           C13      dres      dres
at           1.736    homo      homo
np           131010   lb        lb
sw           37735.8  wtfile    wtfile
fb           not used proc        ft
bs           8        fn        fn
ss           1        math       math
tpwr         53
pw           6.9
d1           0.763   werr      werr
tof          631.4   wexp      wexp
nt           12800  wbs       wbs
ct           1128   wnt       wnt
alock        n
gain         not used
              FLAGS
il           n
in           n
dp           y
hs           nn
DISPLAY
sp          -1911.2
wp          29007.8
vs          184
sc          0
wc          250
hzmm       116.03
is          500.00
rf1        18876.7
rfp        12651.0
th         20
ins        1.000
ai         ph

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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

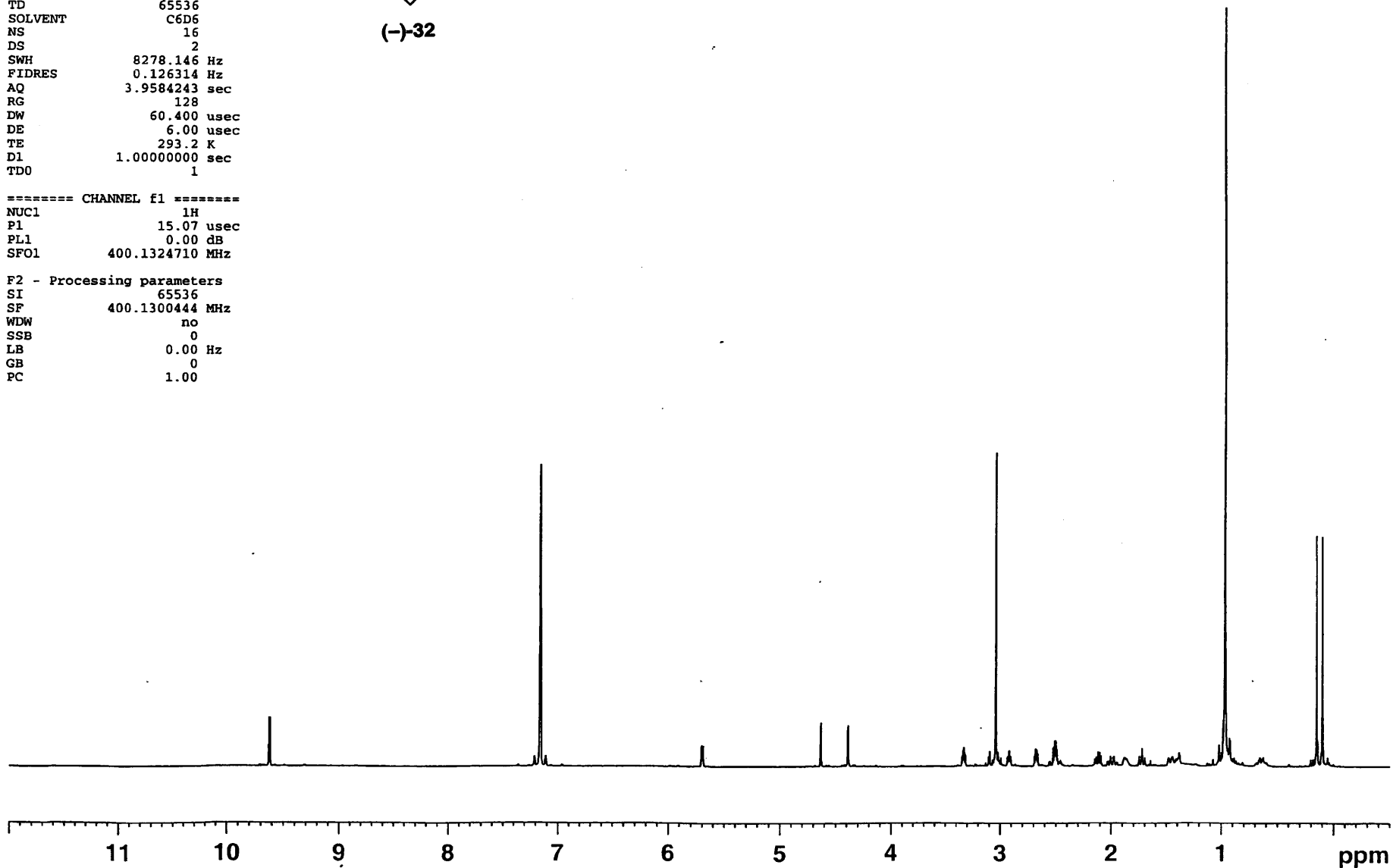
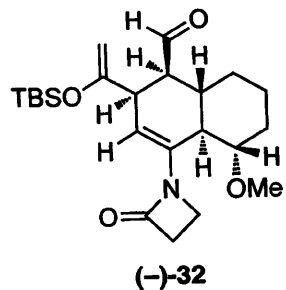
Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm BBO BB-1H  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 8278.146 Hz  
FIDRES 0.126314 Hz  
AQ 3.9584243 sec  
RG 128  
DW 60.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.2 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

===== CHANNEL f1 =====

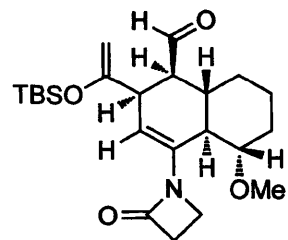
NUC1 1H  
P1 15.07 usec  
PL1 0.00 dB  
SF01 400.1324710 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

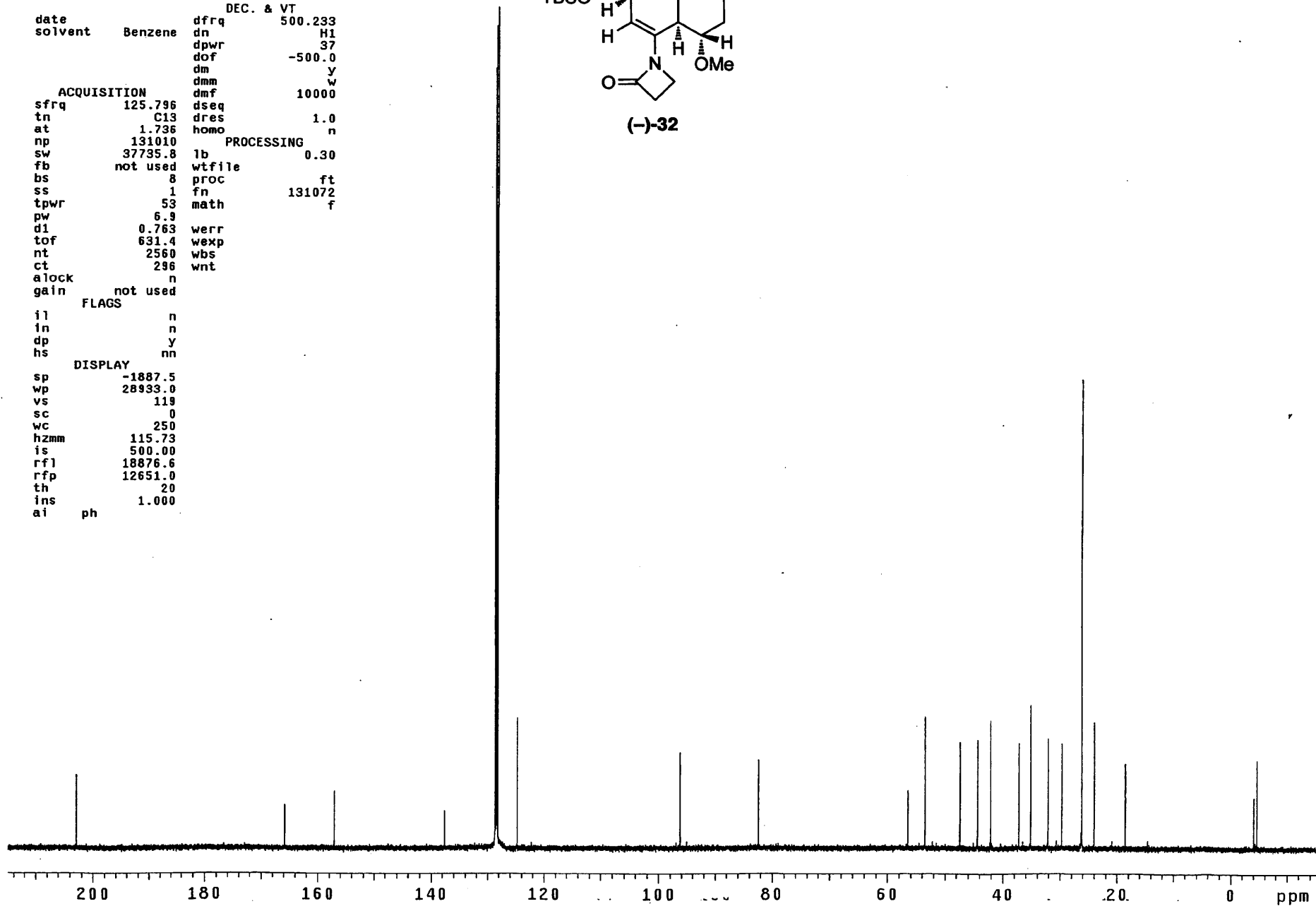
SI 65536  
SF 400.1300444 MHz  
WDW no  
SSB 0  
LB 0.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

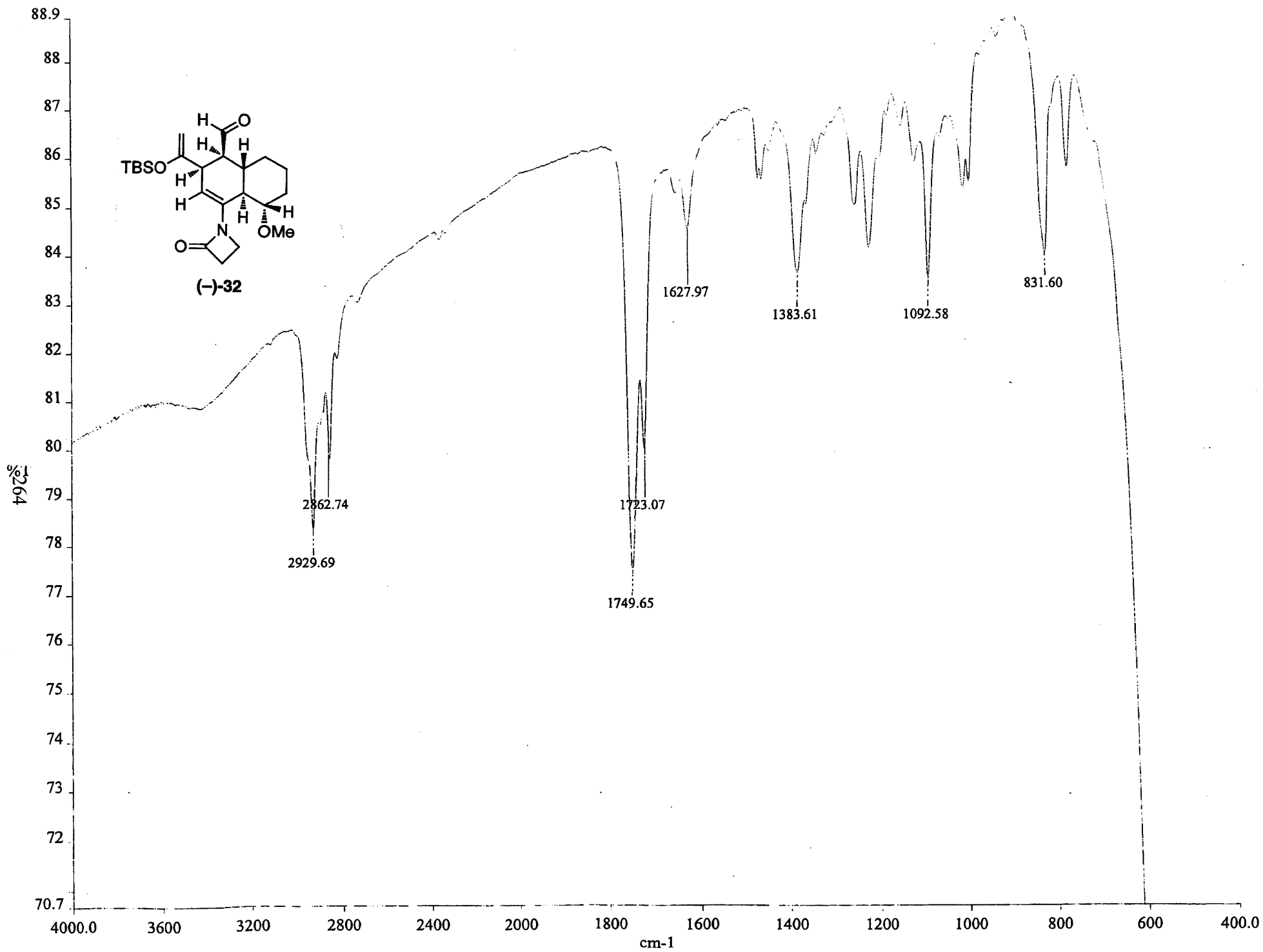


date		DEC. & VT	dfrq	500.233
solvent	Benzene		dn	H1
			dpwr	37
			dof	-500.0
			dm	y
			dmm	w
			dmf	10000
ACQUISITION				
sfrq	125.796		dseq	
tn	C13		dres	1.0
at	1.736		homo	n
np	131010		PROCESSING	
sw	37735.8		lb	0.30
fb	not used		wfile	
bs	8		proc	ft
ss	1		fn	131072
tpwr	53		math	f
pw	6.9			
d1	0.763		werr	
tof	631.4		wexp	
nt	2560		wbs	
ct	296		wnt	
alock	n			
gain	not used			
FLAGS				
il			n	
in			n	
dp			y	
hs			nn	
DISPLAY				
sp	-1887.5			
wp	28933.0			
vs	119			
sc	0			
wc	250			
hzmm	115.73			
is	500.00			
rfl	18876.6			
rfp	12651.0			
th	20			
ins	1.000			
ai	ph			



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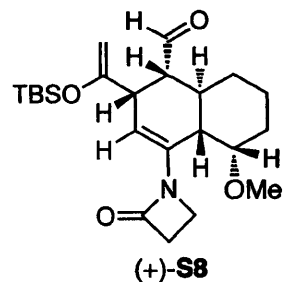


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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 18  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 304.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

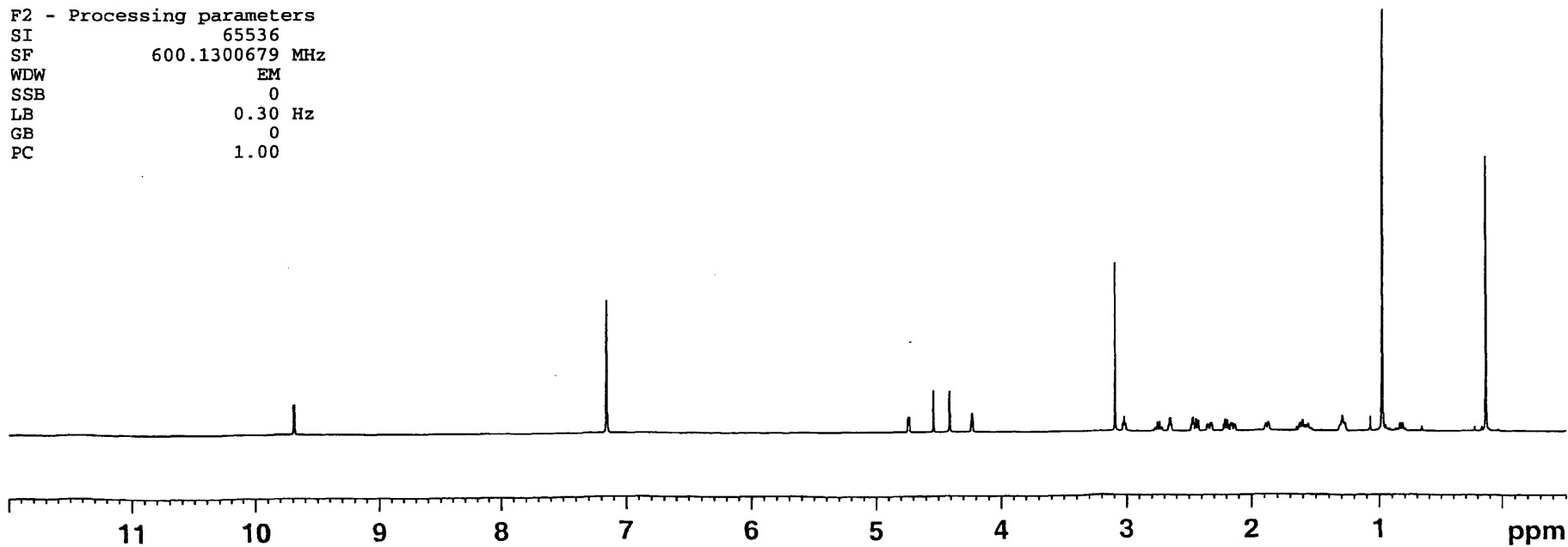


==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

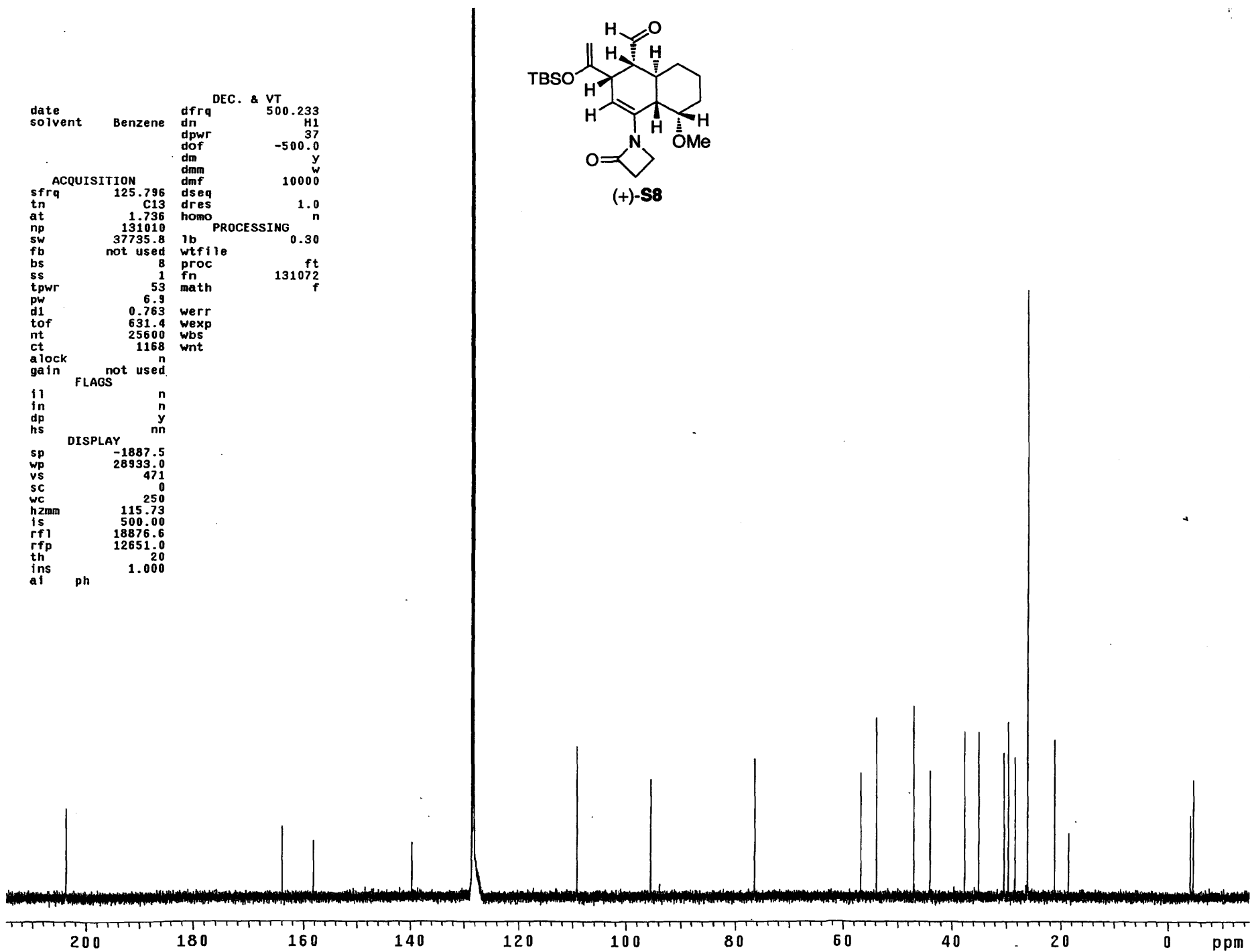
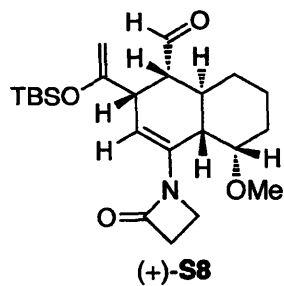
SI 65536  
SF 600.1300679 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

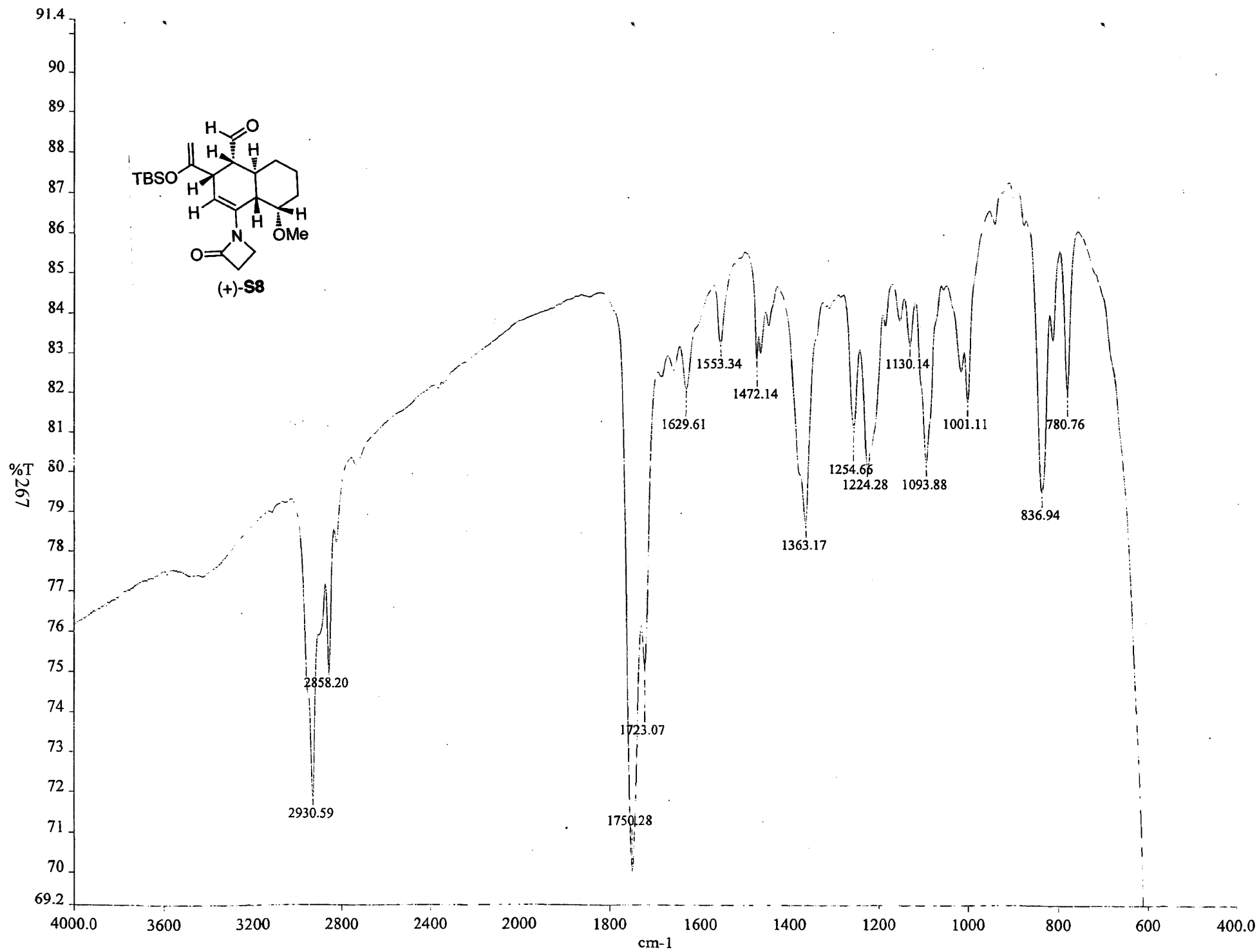


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date          DEC. & VT
solvent       Benzene  dfrq      500.233
                                dn         H1
                                dpwr        37
                                dof        -500.0
                                dm          y
                                dmm         10000
ACQUISITION  dmf          10000
sfrq         125.796  dseq
tn           C13      dres      1.0
at           1.736    homo       n
np           131010   wtfile
sw           37735.8  lb         0.30
fb           not used wfile
bs           8        proc        ft
ss           1        fn         131072
tpwr         53      math        f
pw           6.9
d1           0.763   werr
tof          631.4   wexp
nt           25600   wbs
ct           1168    wnt
alock        n
gain         not used
                FLAGS
il           n
in           n
dp           y
hs           nn
                DISPLAY
sp          -1887.5
wp          28933.0
vs          471
sc          0
vc          250
hzmm        115.73
is          500.00
rf1         18876.6
rfp         12651.0
th          20
ins         1.000
ai          ph

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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

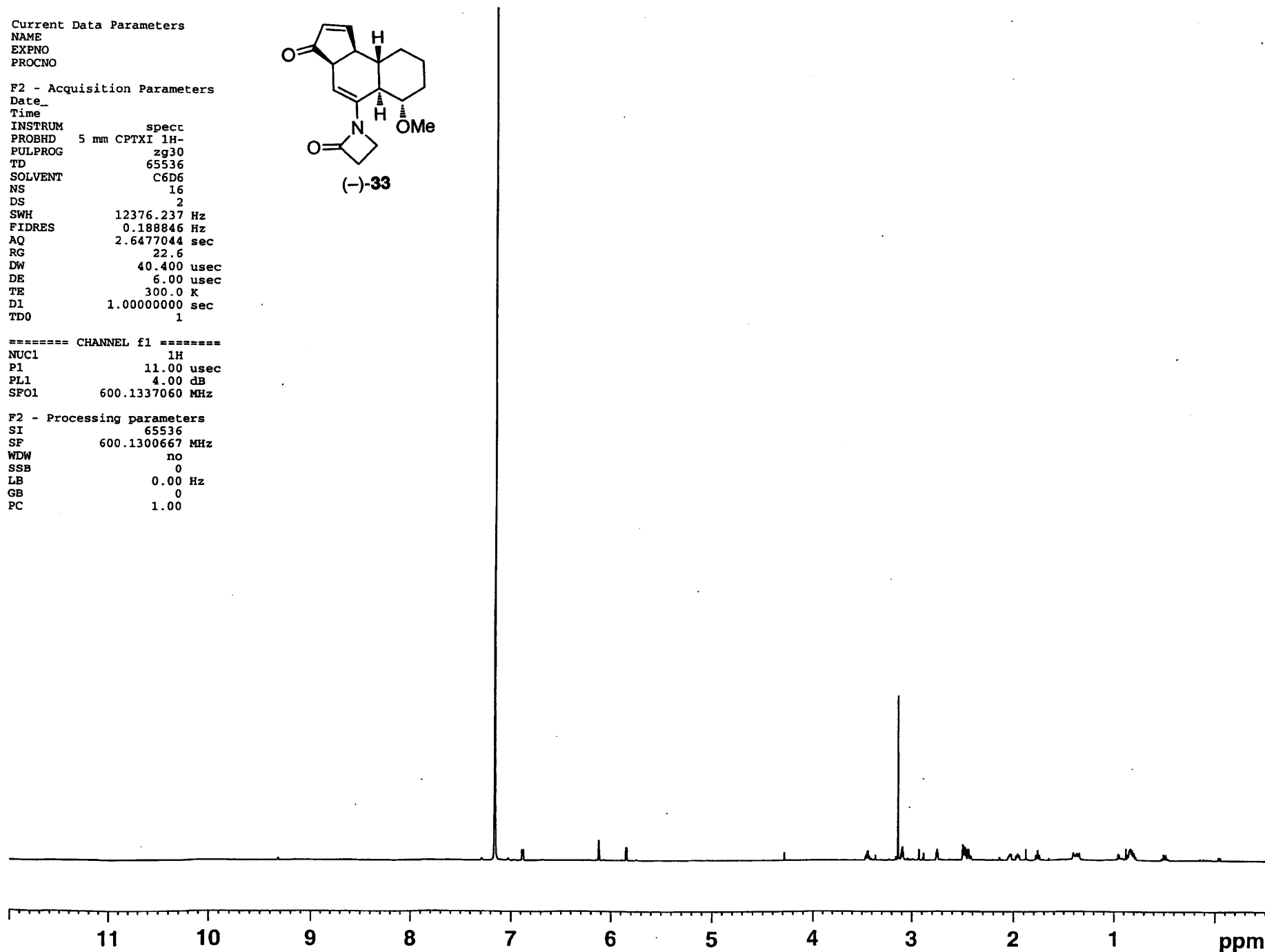
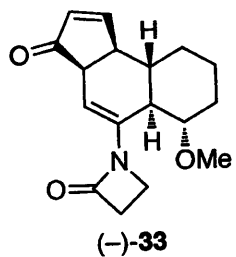
Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 22.6  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 300.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
SF 600.1300667 MHz  
WDW no  
SSB 0  
LB 0.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

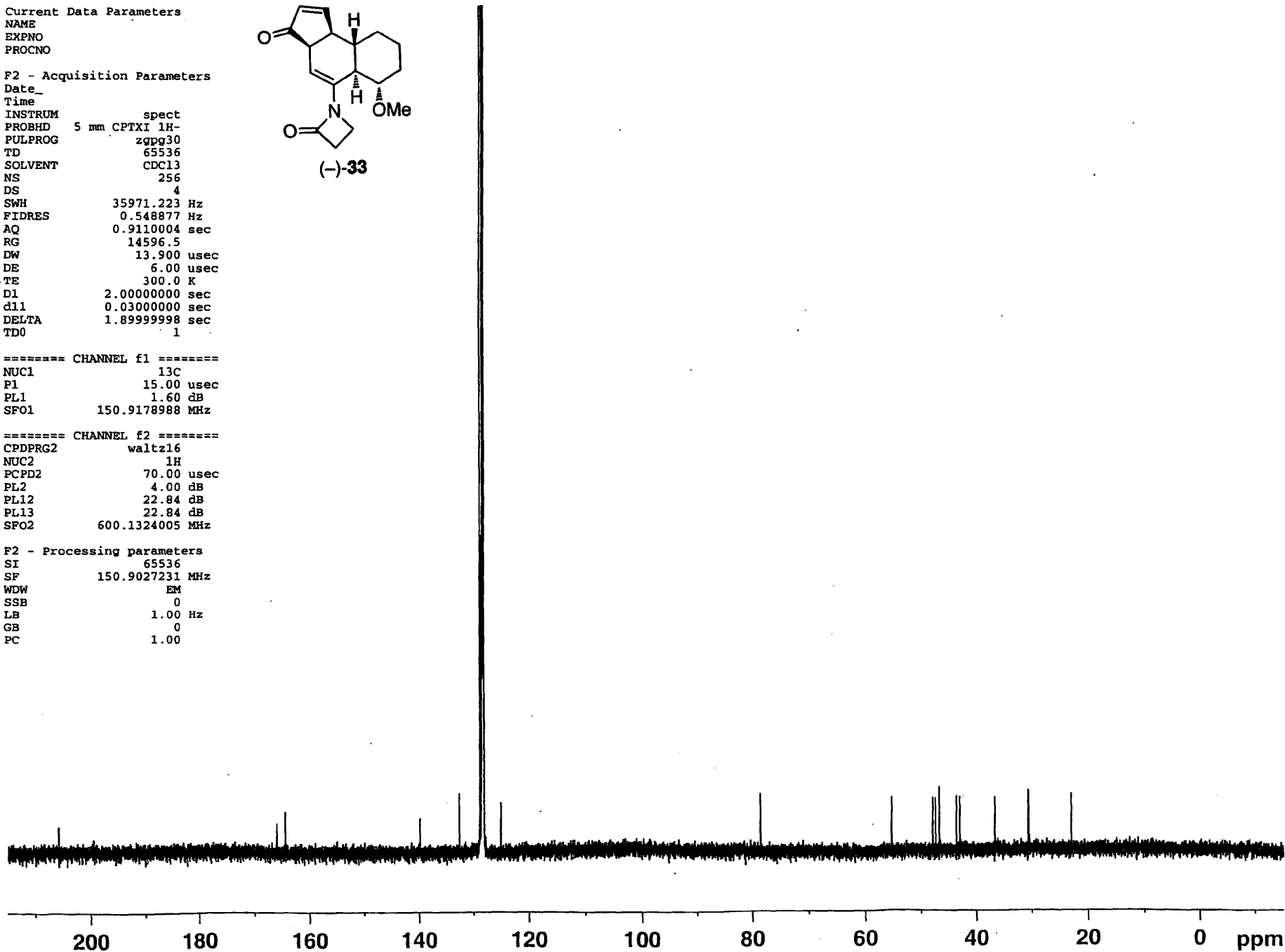
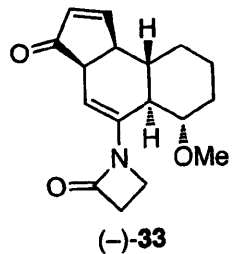
Date\_   
Time   
INSTRUM spect   
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-   
PULPROG zgpg30   
TD 65536   
SOLVENT CDCl3   
NS 256   
DS 4   
SWH 35971.223 Hz   
FIDRES 0.548877 Hz   
AQ 0.9110004 sec   
RG 14596.5   
DW 13.900 usec   
DE 6.00 usec   
TE 300.0 K   
D1 2.00000000 sec   
d11 0.03000000 sec   
DELTA 1.89999998 sec   
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 13C   
P1 15.00 usec   
PL1 1.60 dB   
SFO1 150.9178988 MHz

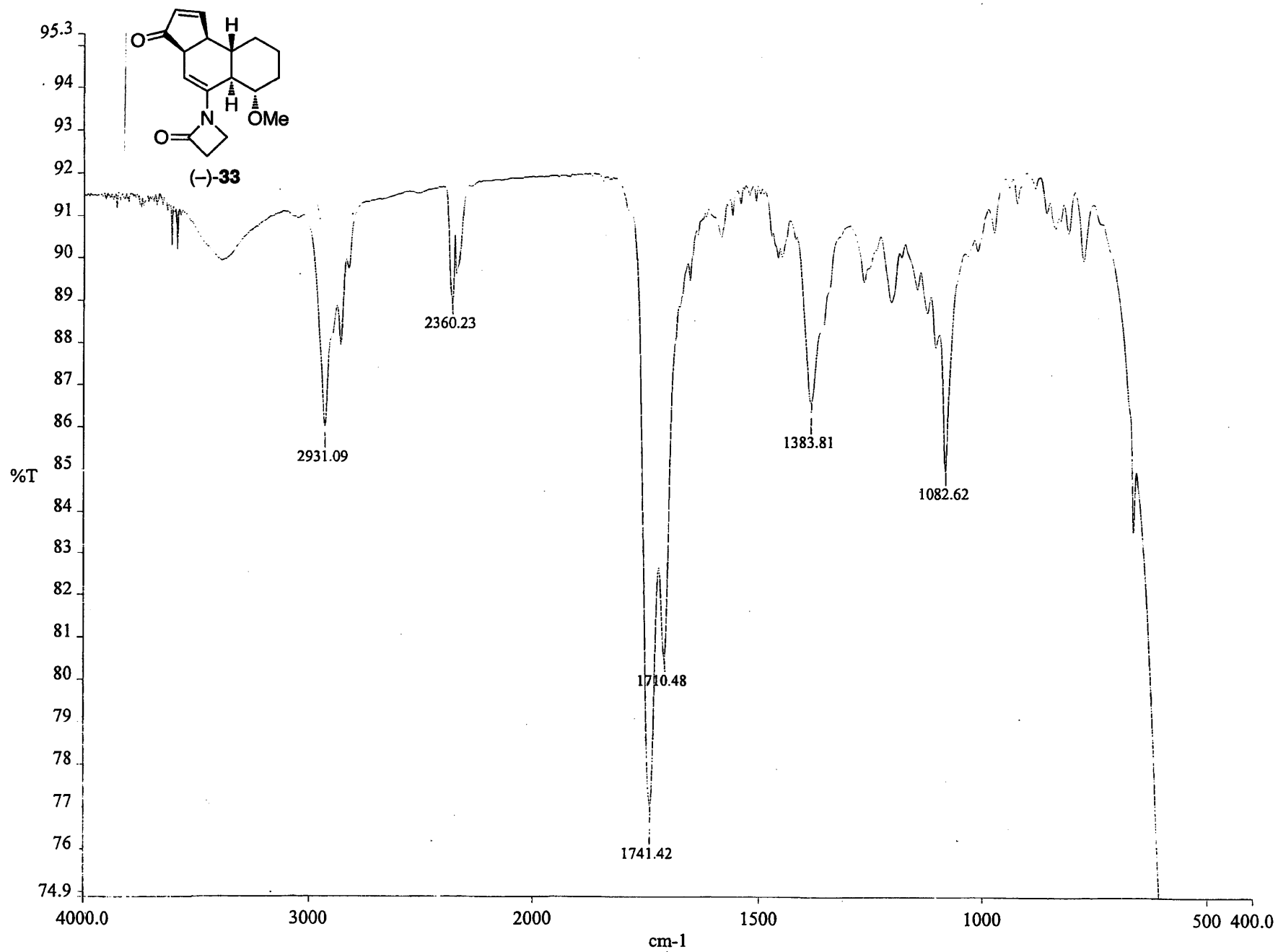
==== CHANNEL f2 =====  
CPDPRG2 waltz16   
NUC2 1H   
PCPD2 70.00 usec   
PL2 4.00 dB   
PL12 22.84 dB   
PL13 22.84 dB   
SFO2 600.1324005 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536   
SF 150.9027231 MHz   
WDW EM   
SSB 0   
LB 1.00 Hz   
GB 0   
PC 1.00



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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

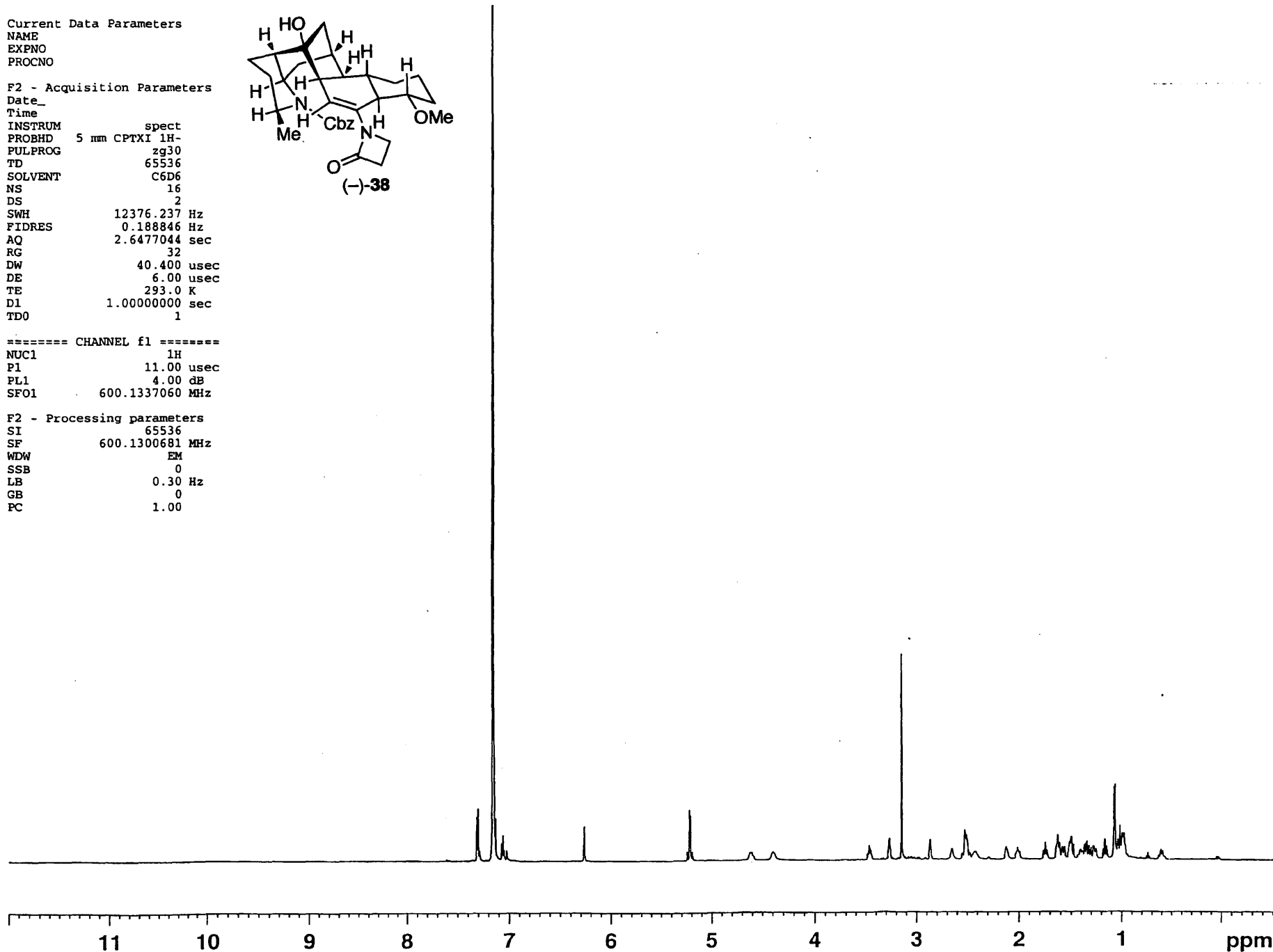
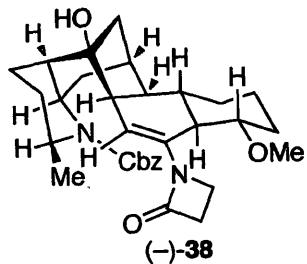
Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 32  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

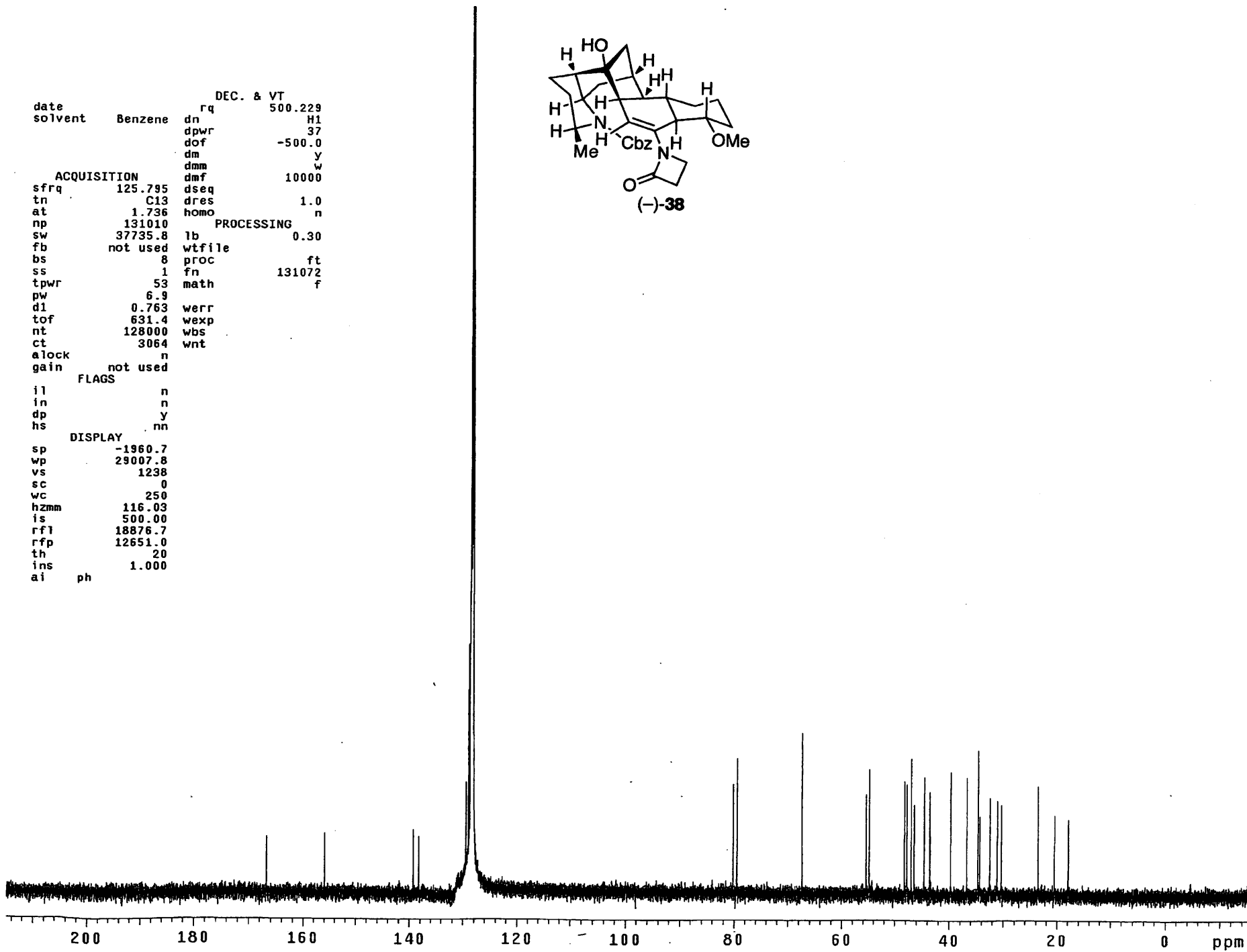
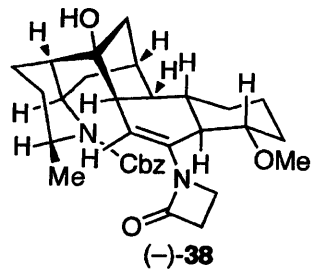
SI 65536  
SF 600.1300681 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



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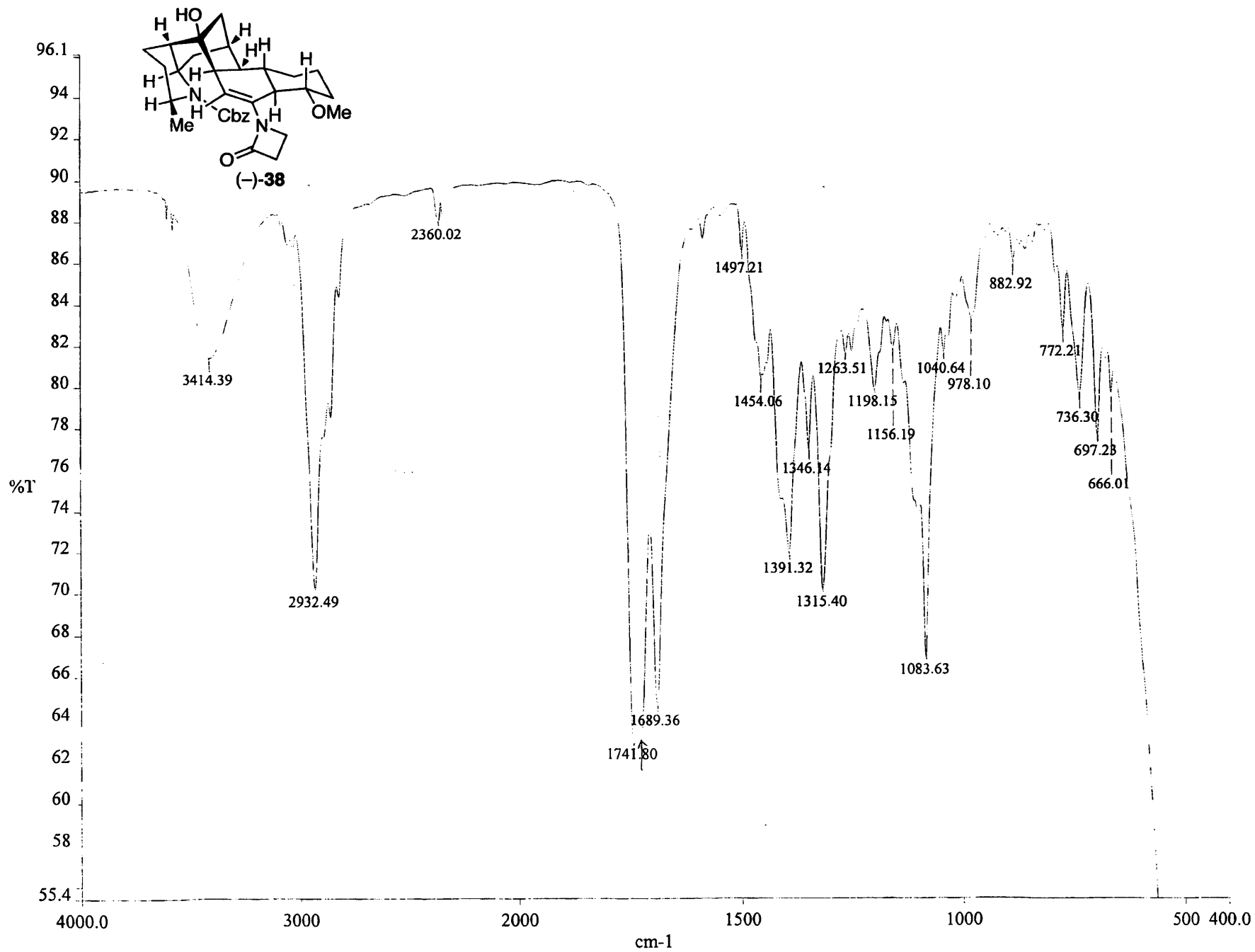
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solvent       Benzene        dn      H1
                                     dpwr    37
                                     dof     -500.0
                                     dm       y
                                     dmm      w
ACQUISITION   dmf          10000
sfrq         125.795        dseq
tn           C13            dres    1.0
at          1.736          homo    n
np          131010         PROCESSING
sw          37735.8        lb       0.30
fb          not used      wtfile
bs          8             proc     ft
ss          1             fn       131072
tpwr        53           math     f
pw          6.9
d1          0.763        werr
tof         631.4        wexp
nt          128000       wbs
ct          3064        wnt
alock       n
gain        not used
          FLAGS
il          n
in          n
dp          y
hs          nn
DISPLAY
sp          -1960.7
wp          29007.8
vs          1238
sc          0
wc          250
h2mm       116.03
is          500.00
rf1         18876.7
rfp         12651.0
th          20
ins         1.000
ai          ph

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F2 - Acquisition Parameters  
Date\_

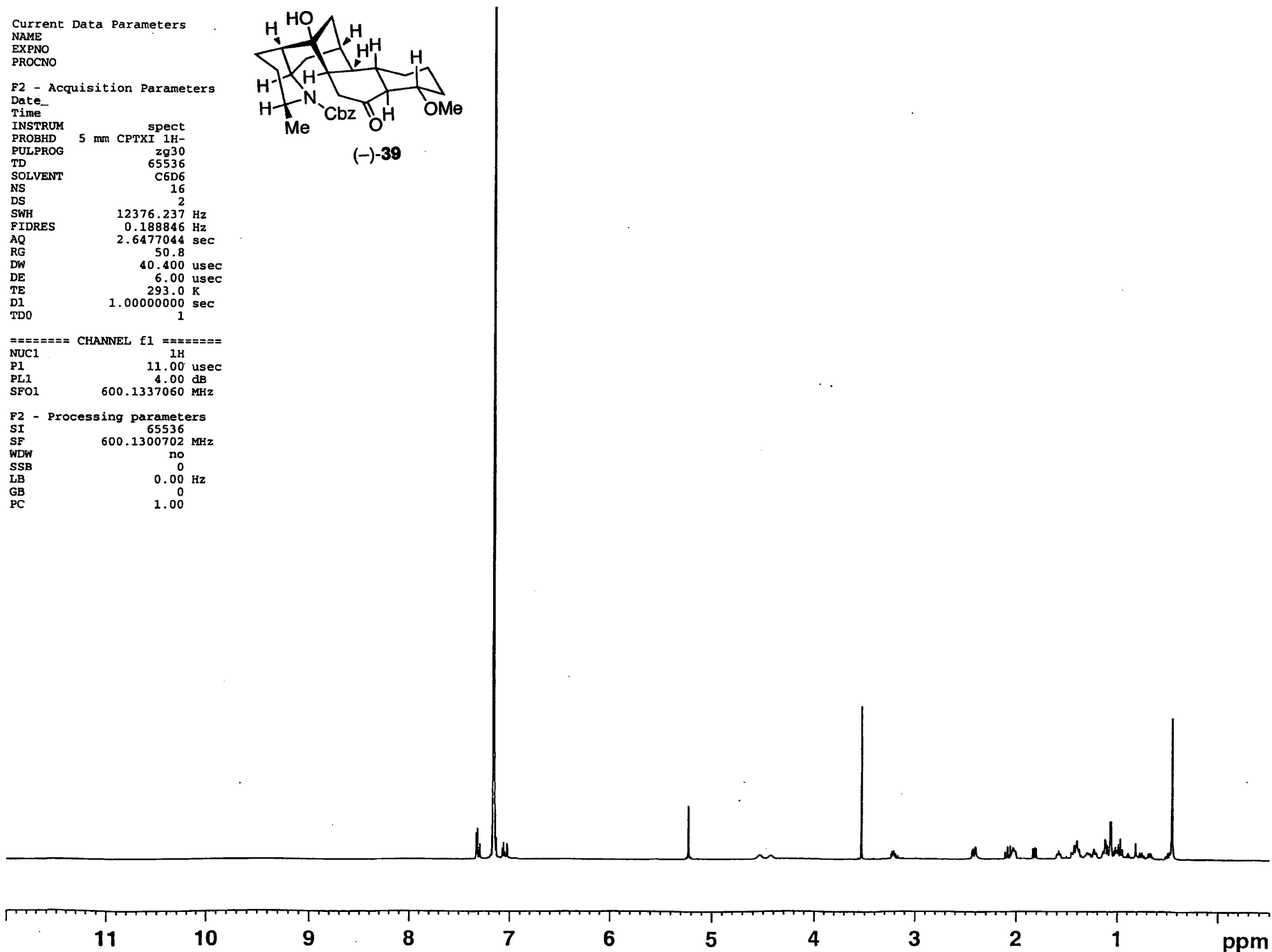
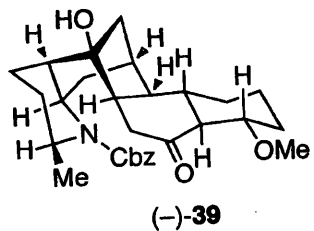
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 50.8  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

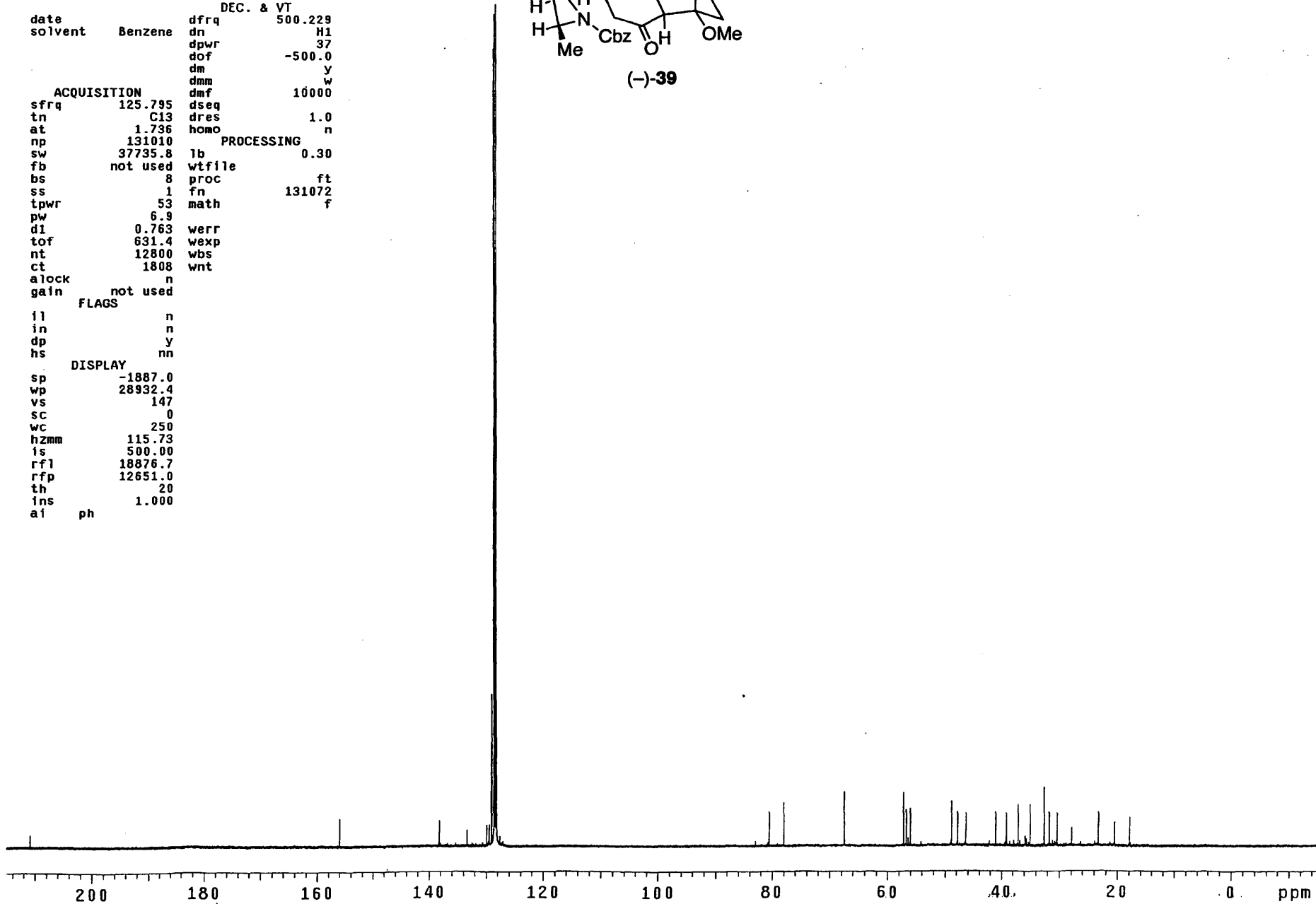
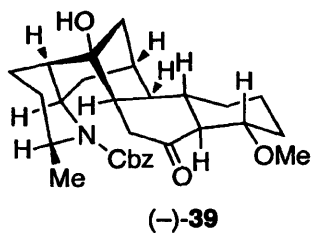
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

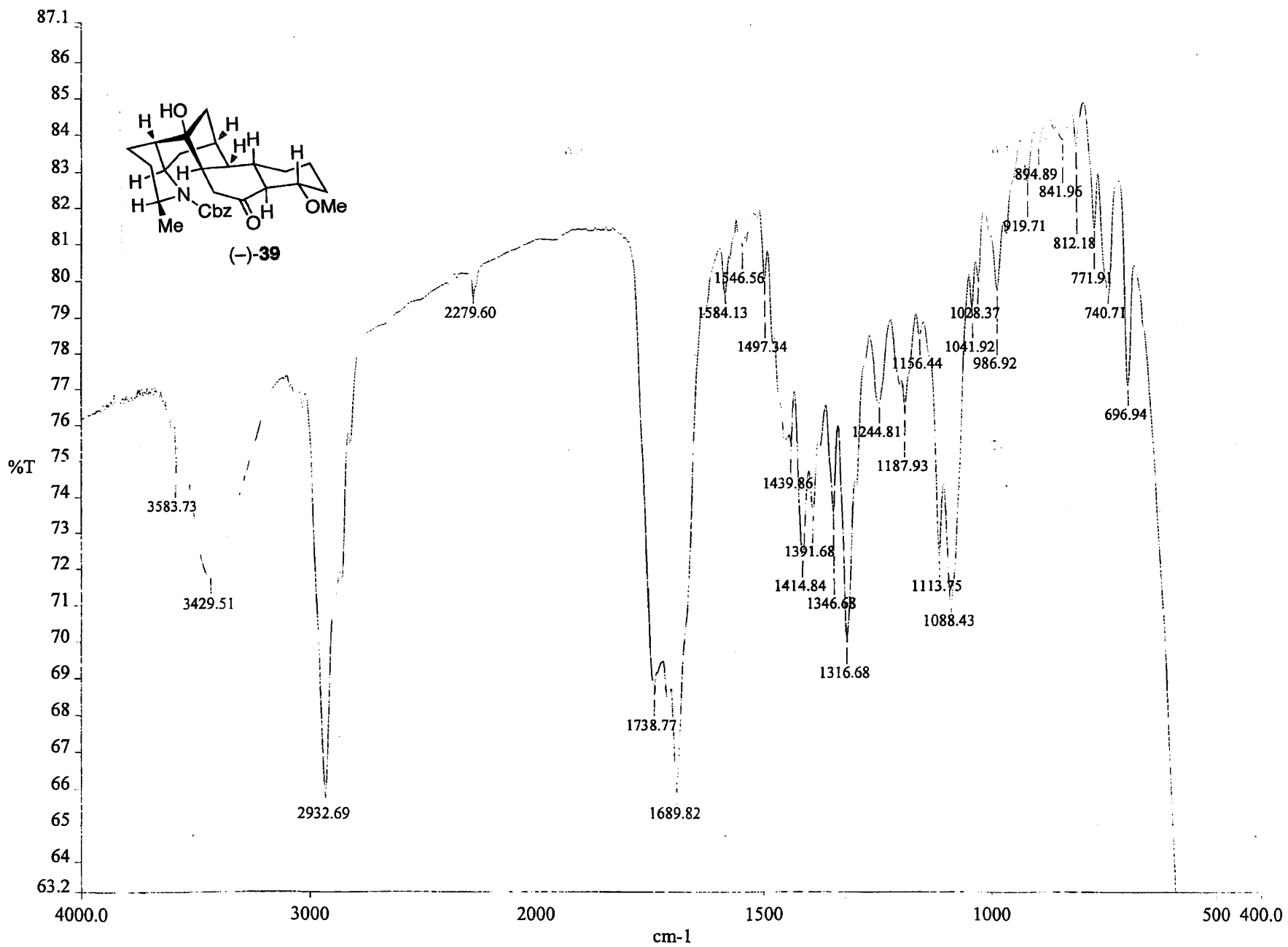
F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
SF 600.1300702 MHz  
WDW no  
SSB 0  
LB 0.00 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



date		DEC. & VT	dfrq	500.229
solvent	Benzene		dn	H1
			dpwr	37
			dof	-500.0
			dm	y
			dmm	w
			dmf	10000
ACQUISITION				
sfrq	125.795		dseq	
tn	C13		dres	1.0
at	1.736		homo	n
np	131010		PROCESSING	
sw	37735.8		lb	0.30
fb	not used		wfile	
bs	8		proc	ft
ss	1		fn	131072
tpwr	53		math	f
pw	6.9			
d1	0.763		werr	
tof	631.4		wexp	
nt	12800		wbs	
ct	1808		wnt	
alock	n			
gain	not used			
FLAGS				
il			n	
in			n	
dp			y	
hs			nn	
DISPLAY				
sp	-1887.0			
wp	28932.4			
vs	147			
sc	0			
wc	250			
hzmm	115.73			
is	500.00			
rfl	18876.7			
rfp	12651.0			
th	20			
ins	1.000			
ai	ph			





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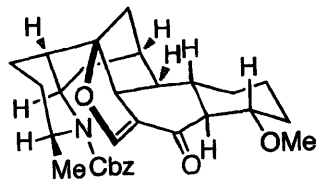
F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 28.5  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

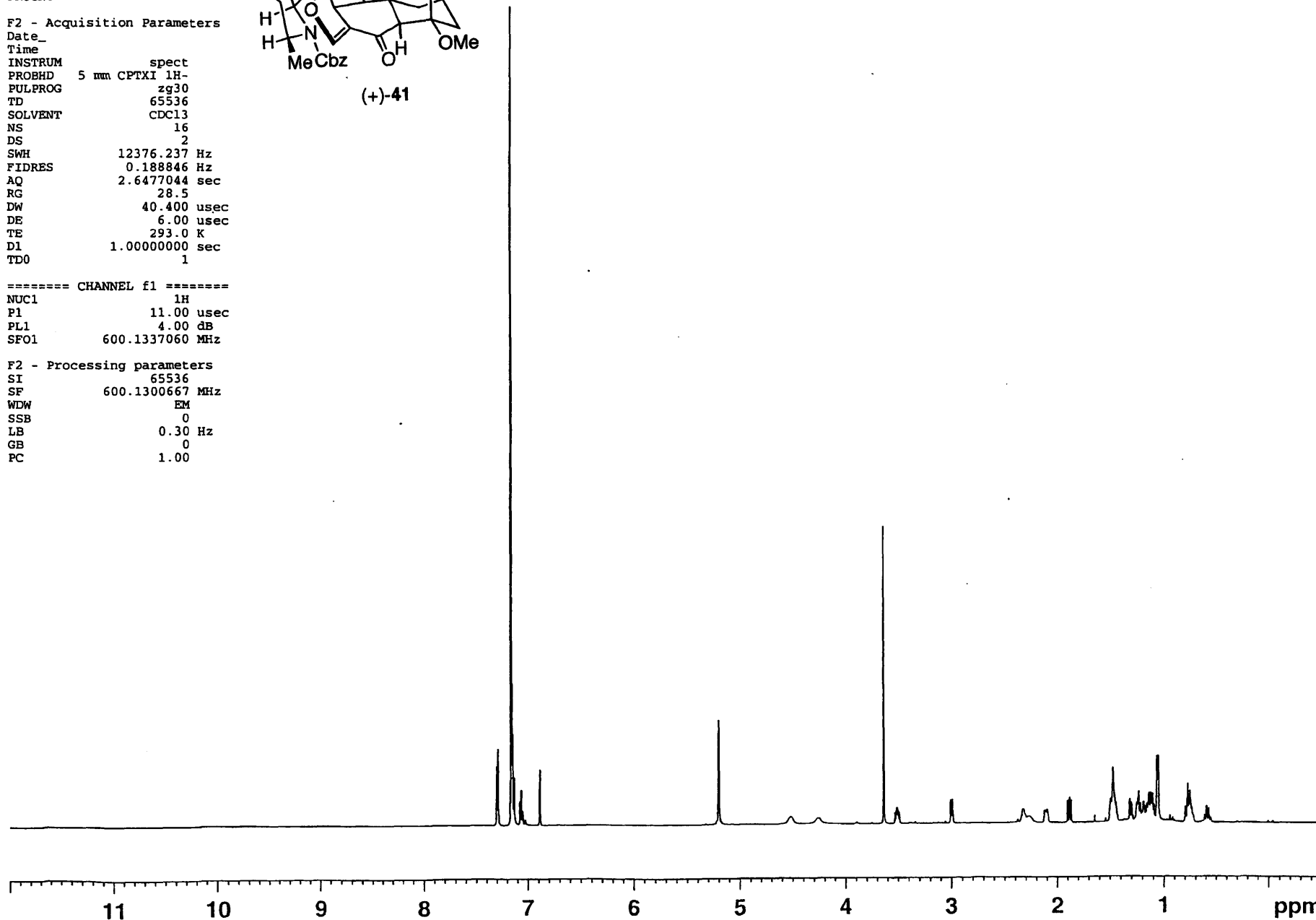
==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

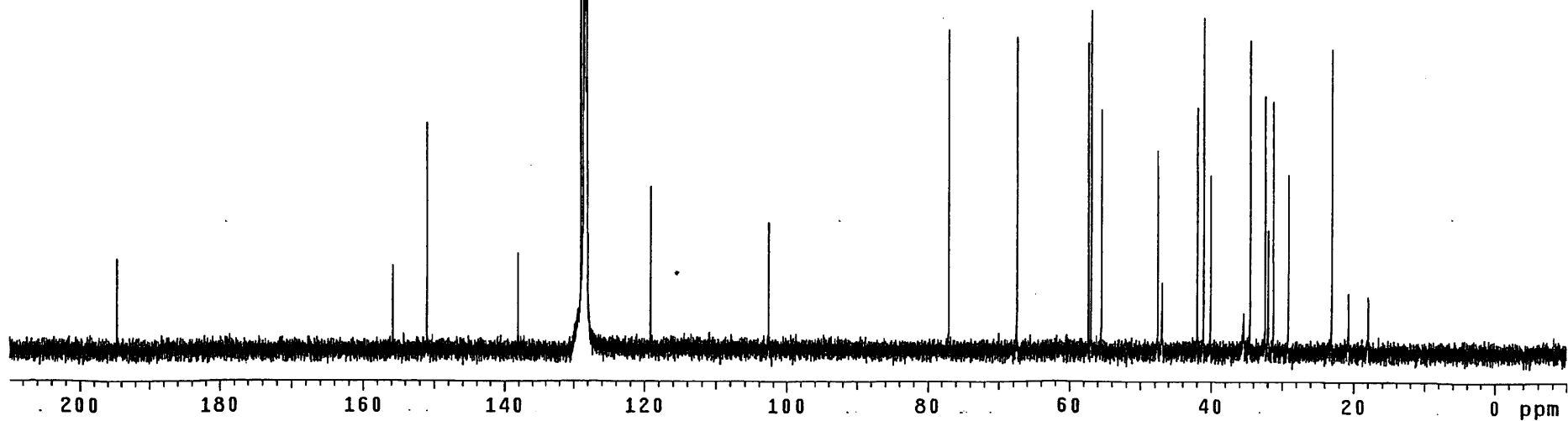
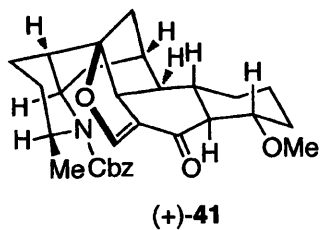
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SF 600.1300667 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00

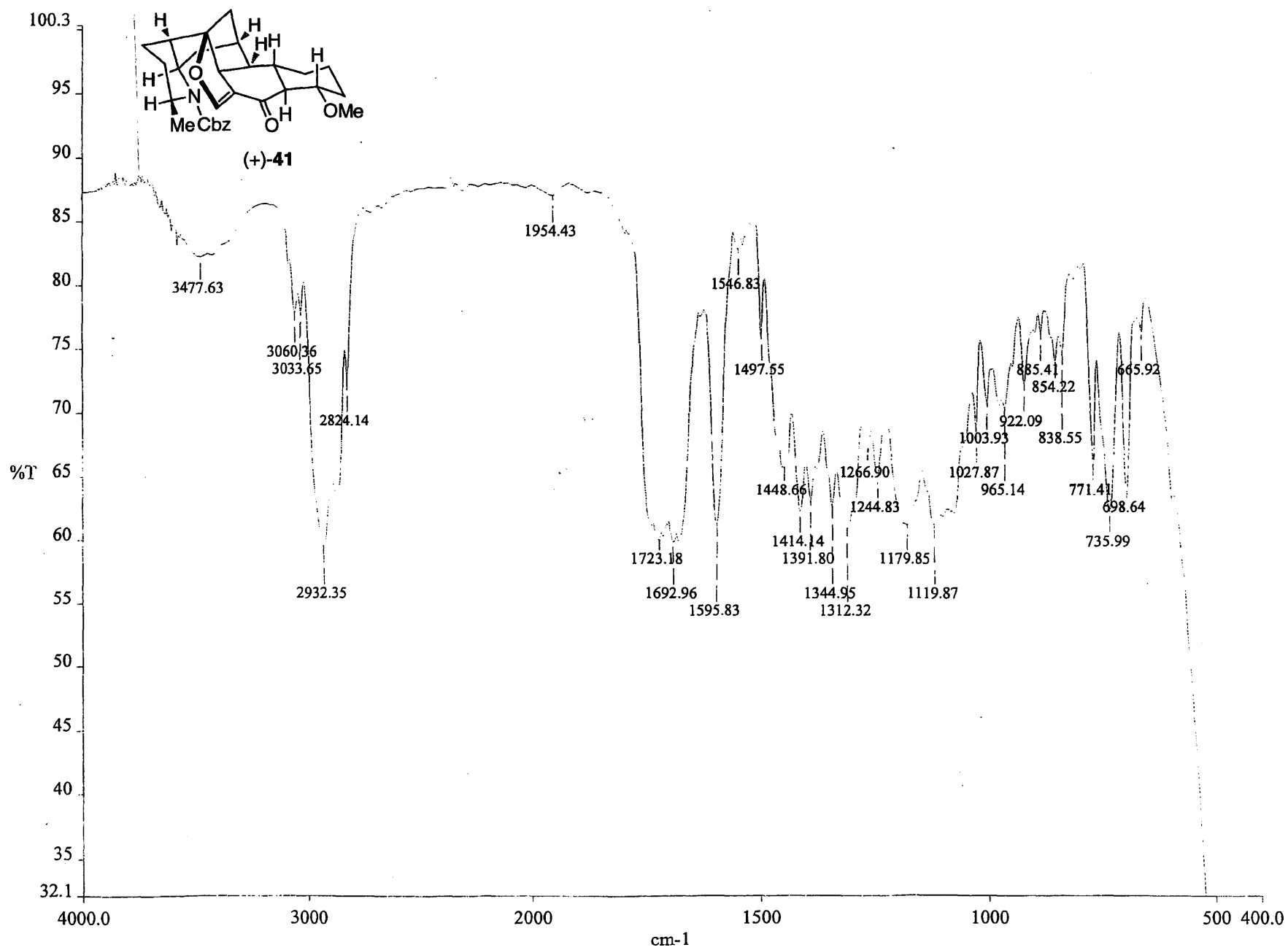


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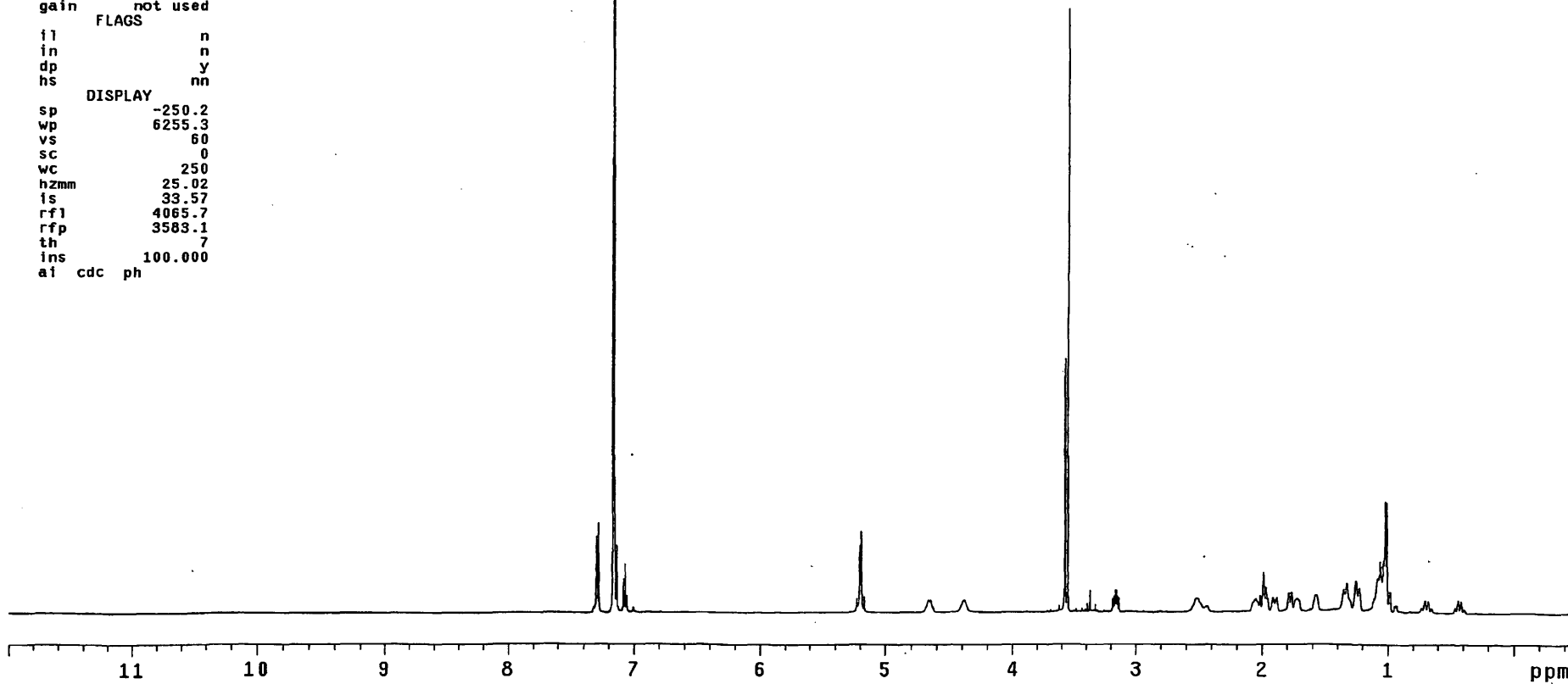
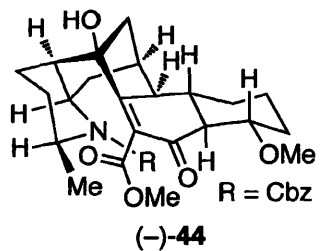


date		DEC. & VT	dfrq	500.229
solvent	Benzene		dn	H1
			dpwr	37
			dof	-500.0
			dm	y
			dmm	w
			dmf	10000
ACQUISITION				
sfrq	125.795		dseq	
tn	C13		dres	1.0
at	1.736		homo	n
np	131010		PROCESSING	
sw	37735.8		lb	0.30
fb	not used		wtfile	
bs	8		proc	ft
ss	1		fn	131072
tpwr	53		math	f
pw	6.9			
d1	0.763		werr	
tof	631.4		wexp	
nt	128000		wbs	
ct	1768		wnt	
alock	n			
gain	not used			
FLAGS				
il	n			
in	n			
dp	y			
hs	nn			
DISPLAY				
sp	-1264.3			
wp	27669.1			
vs	983			
sc	0			
wc	250			
hzmm	110.68			
is	500.00			
rfl	22374.3			
rfp	16151.2			
th	20			
ins	1.000			
ai	ph			

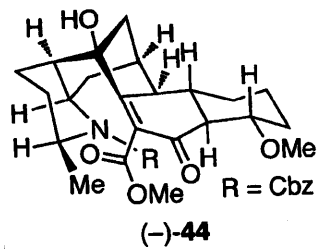




date		DEC. & VT	
solvent	Benzene	dfrq	125.845
		dn	C13
		dpwr	30
		dof	0
		dm	nnn
		dmm	c
		dmf	200
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at	4.999		
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sw	12012.0	wtfile	
fb	not used	proc	ft
bs	4	fn	262144
tpwr	56	math	f
pw	8.0		
d1	0.100	werr	
tof	3003.2	wexp	
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ct	20	wnt	wft
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gain	not used		
	FLAGS		
il	n		
in	n		
dp	y		
hs	nn		
	DISPLAY		
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wp	6255.3		
vs	60		
sc	0		
wc	250		
hzmm	25.02		
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rfl	4065.7		
rfp	3583.1		
th	7		
ins	100.000		
ai	cdc ph		



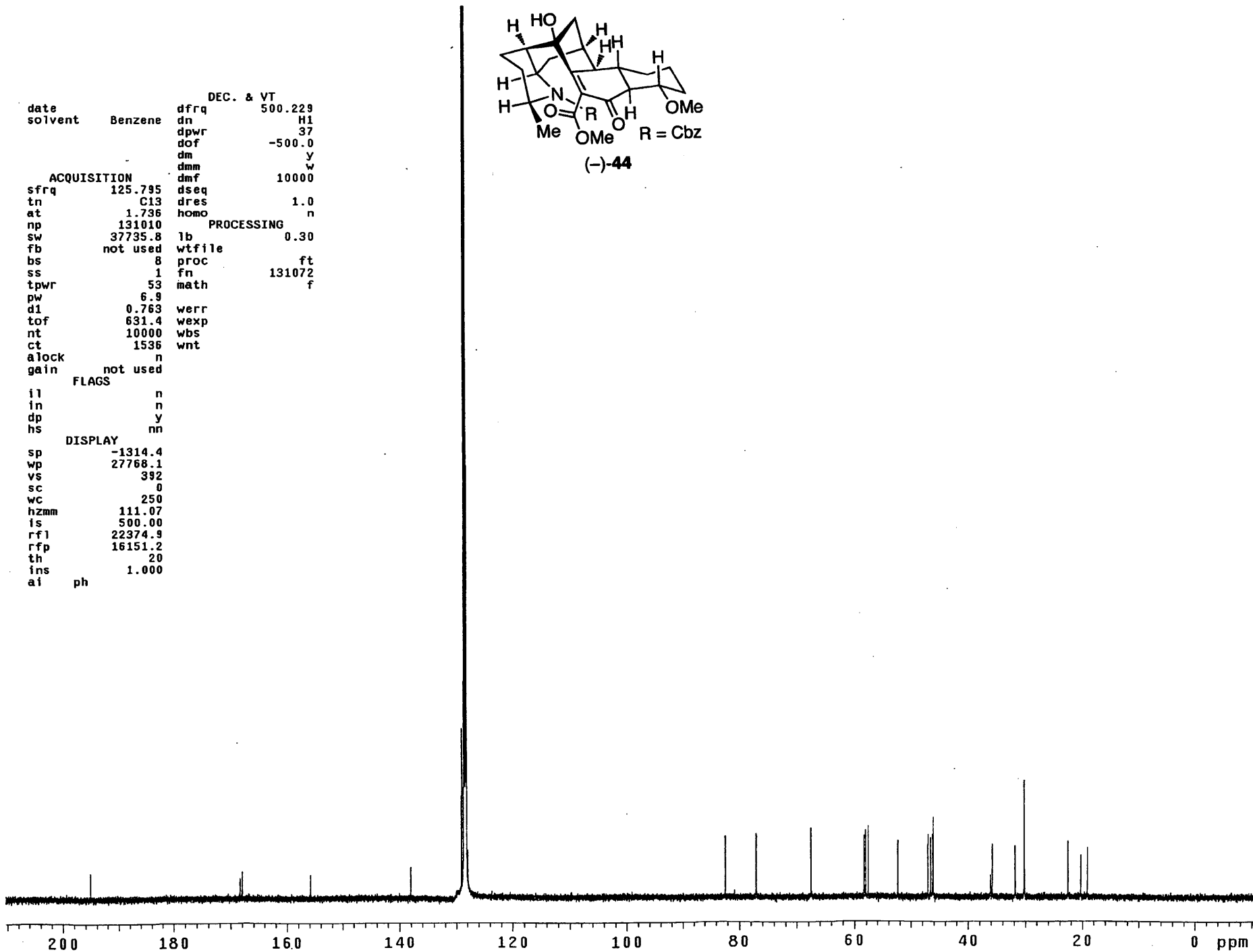


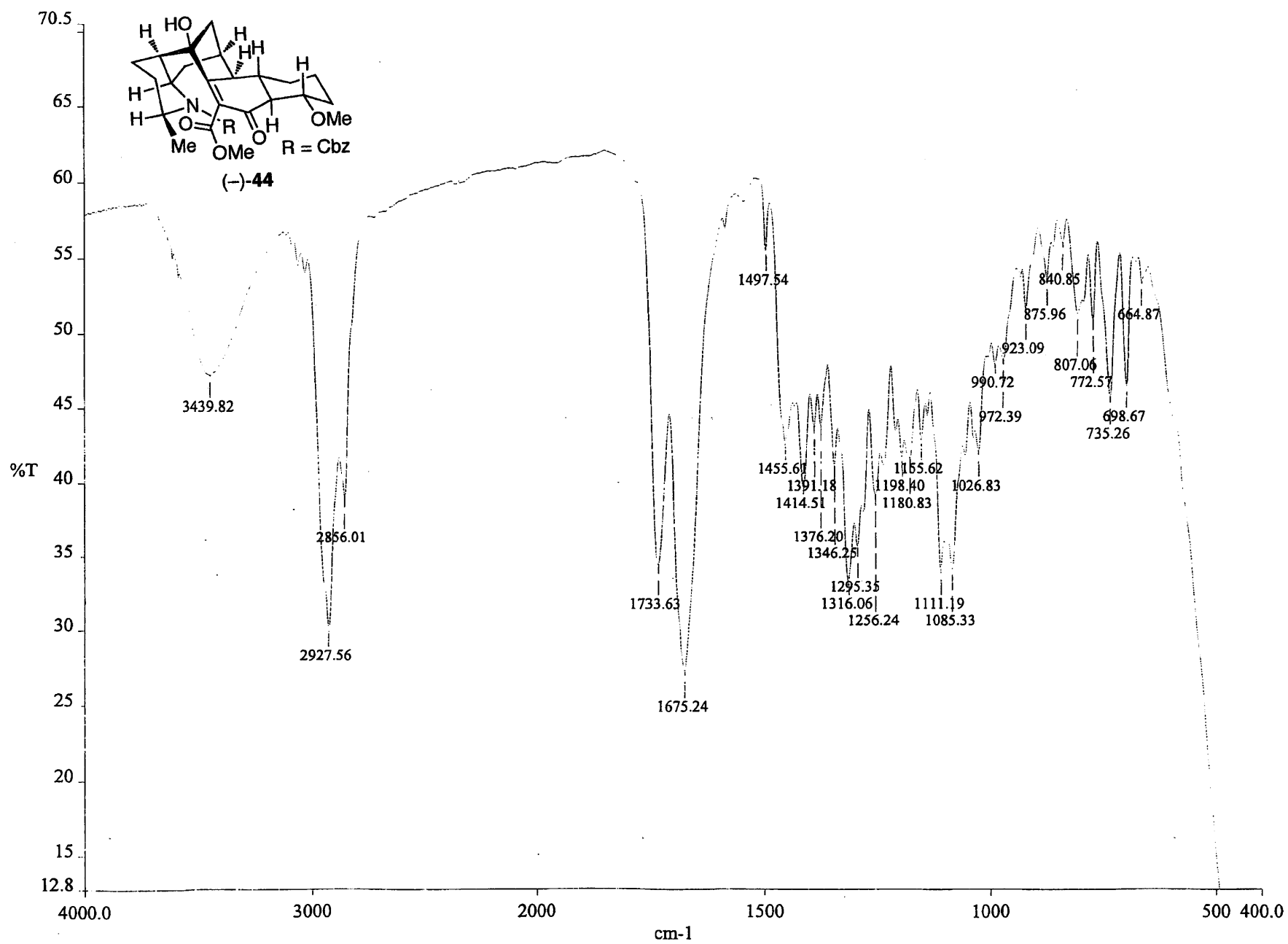


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solvent Benzene  dn          H1
              dpwr      37
              dof       -500.0
              dm        y
              dmm       w
ACQUISITION  dmf        10000
sfrq        125.795  dseq
tn          C13     dres      1.0
at         1.736   homo      n
np         131010  PROCESSING
sw         37735.8 lb        0.30
fb         not used wtfile
bs         8      proc      f
ss         1      fn        131072
tpwr       53    math      f
pw         6.9
d1         0.763  werr
tof        631.4  wexp
nt         10000 wbs
ct         1536  wnt
alock      n
gain       not used
          FLAGS
il         n
in         n
dp         y
hs         nn
          DISPLAY
sp        -1314.4
wp        27768.1
vs        392
sc         0
wc         250
hzmm      111.07
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rfp       16151.2
th         20
ins       1.000
ai        ph

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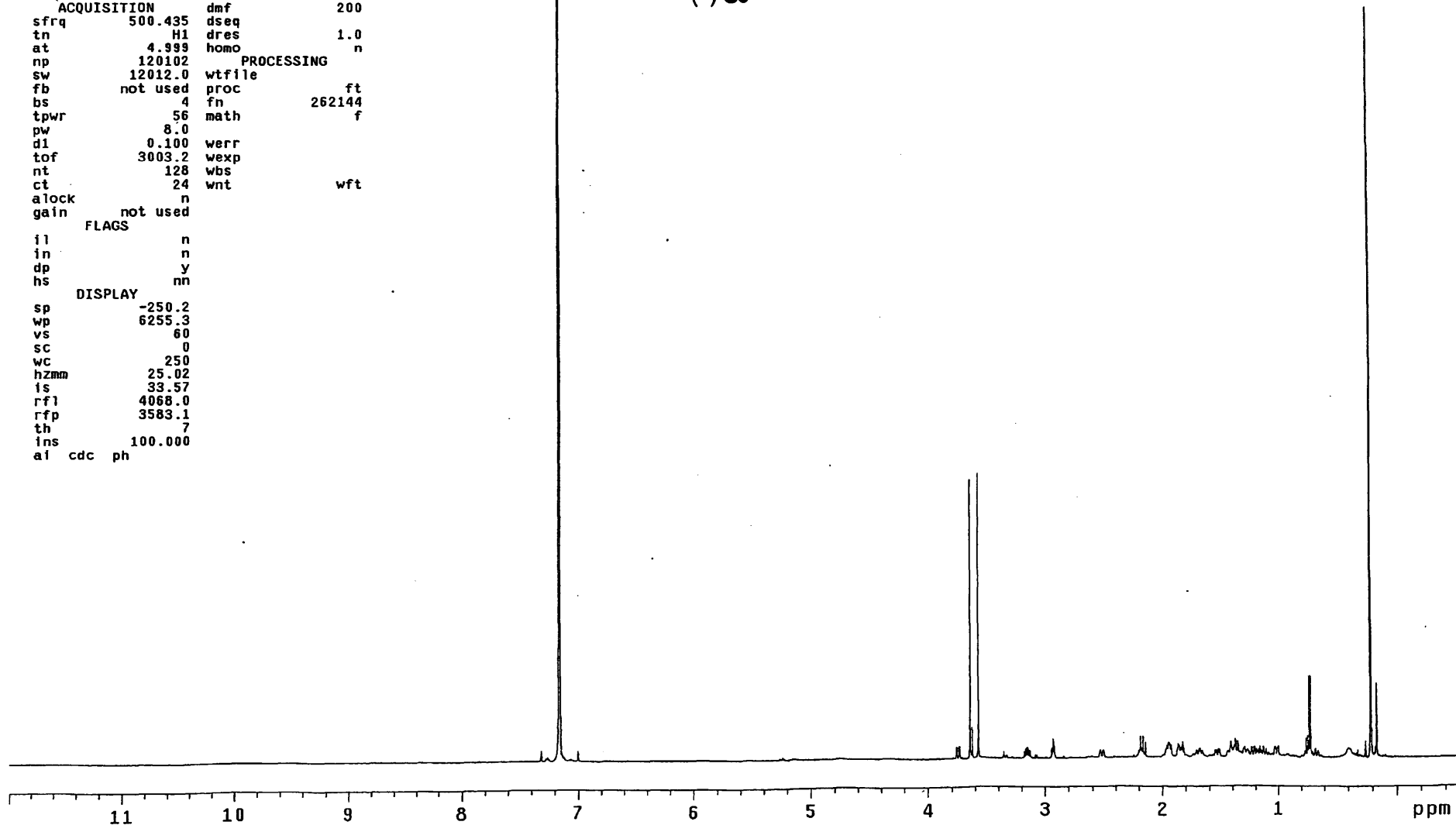
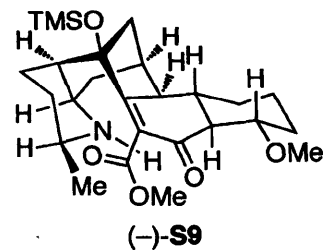
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              dn       C13
              dpwr     30
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              dm       nnn
              dmm      c
              dmf      200

ACQUISITION
sfrq         500.435  dseq
tn           H1      dres      1.0
at          4.999    homo      n
np          120102   wtfile
sw          12012.0  proc
fb          not used  fn       262144
bs          4       math
tpwr        56
pw          8.0
d1          0.100   werr
tof         3003.2  wexp
nt          128    wbs
ct          24     wnt
alock       n
gain        not used

FLAGS
il          n
in          n
dp          y
hs          nn

DISPLAY
sp          -250.2
wp          6255.3
vs          60
sc          0
wc          250
hzmm       25.02
is          33.57
rfl        4068.0
rfp        3583.1
th         7
ins        100.000
ai cdc ph

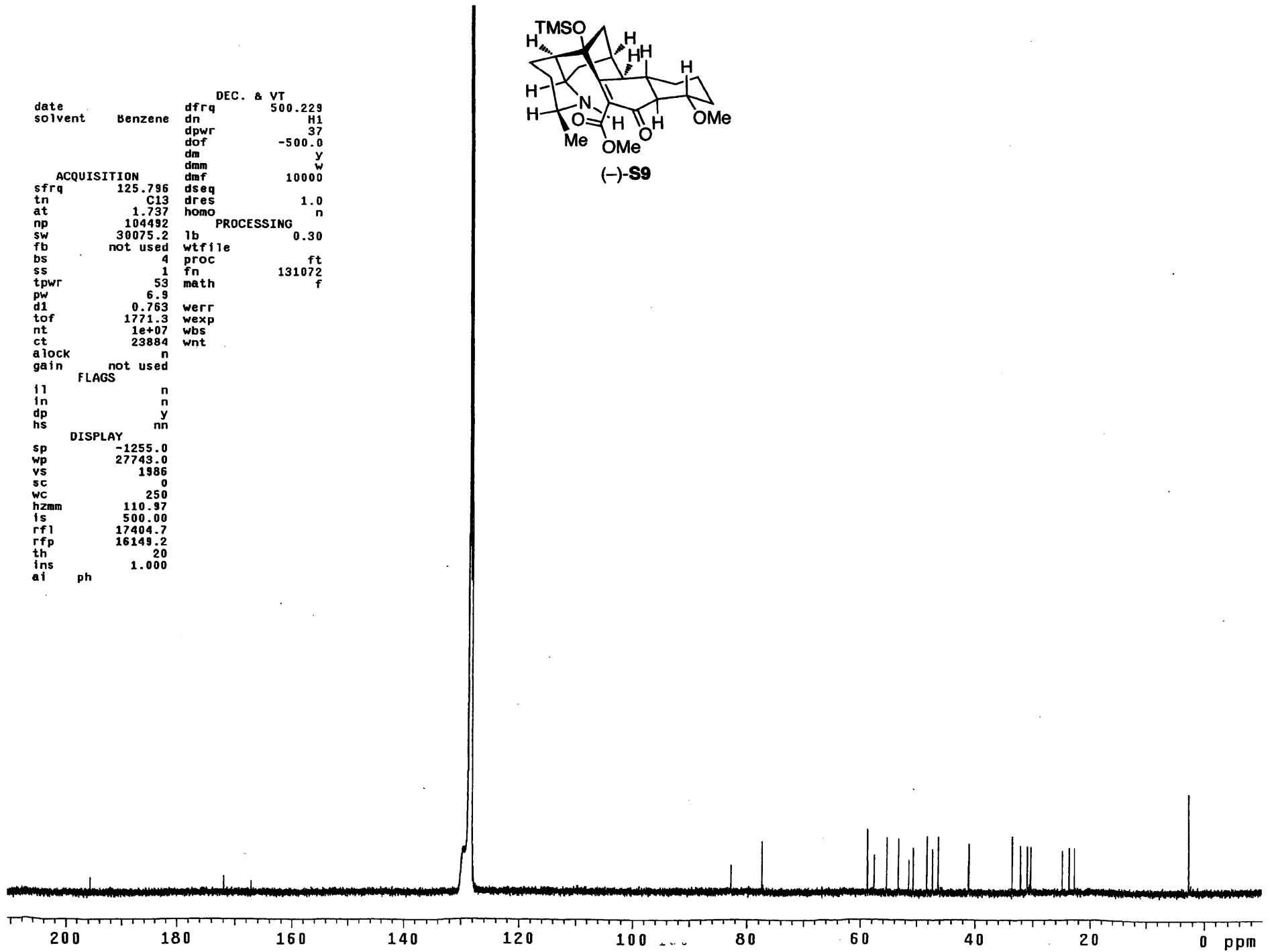
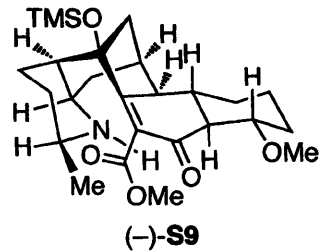
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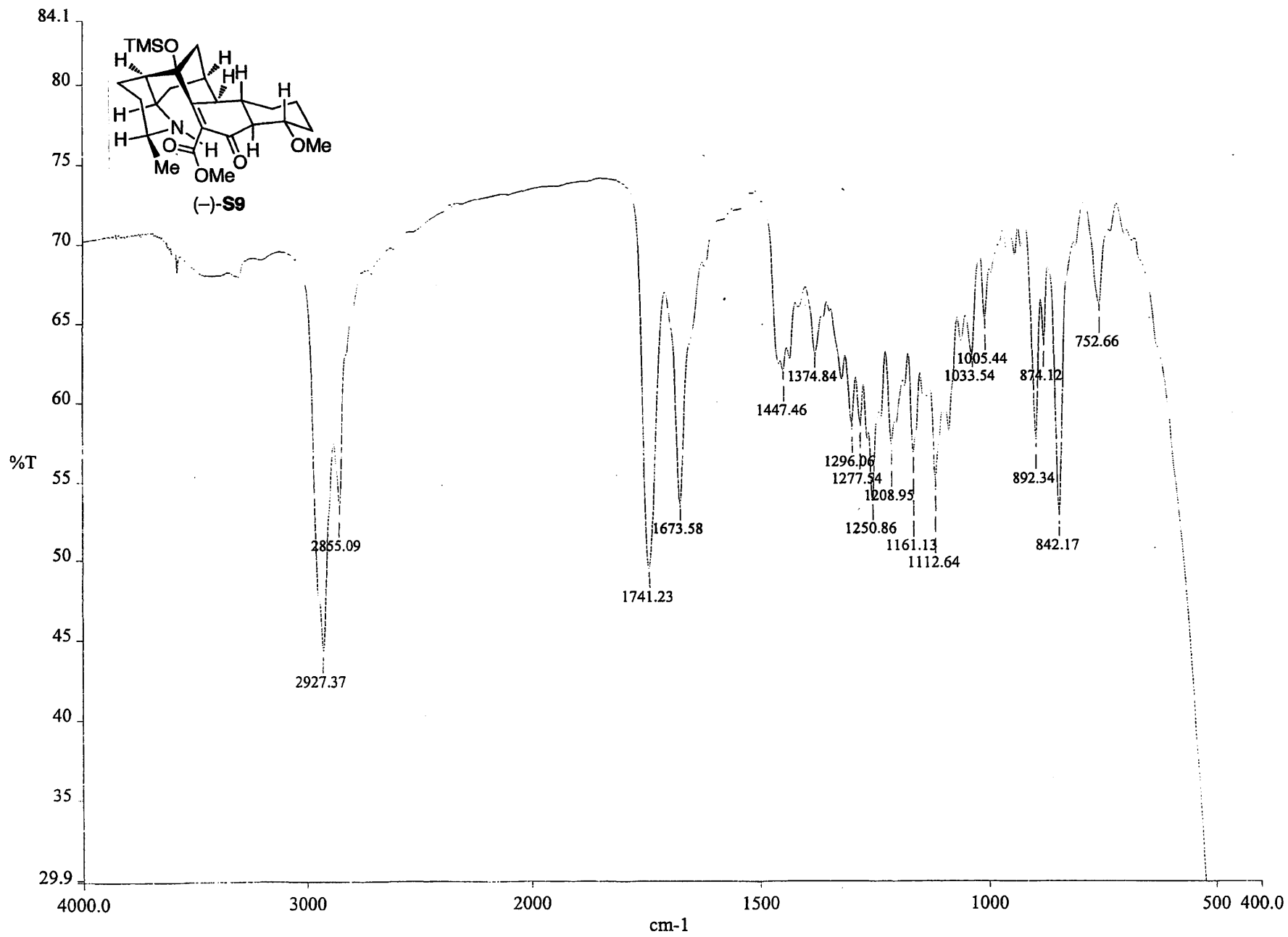


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date          DEC. & VT
solvent       Benzene    dfrq      500.229
                                dn         H1
                                dpwr        37
                                dof       -500.0
                                dm          y
                                dmm        w
ACQUISITION   dmf      10000
sfrq      125.796  dseq
tn         C13     dres      1.0
at         1.737   homo       n
np         104492  PROCESSING
sw         30075.2 lb         0.30
fb         not used wtfle
bs         4       proc
ss         1       fn      131072
tpwr      53      math
pw         6.9
d1         0.763  werr
tof        1771.3 wexp
nt         1e+07  wbs
ct         23884  wnt
alock      n
gain       not used
          FLAGS
il         n
in         n
dp         y
hs         nn
          DISPLAY
sp        -1255.0
wp        27743.0
vs         1986
sc         0
wc         250
hzmm      110.97
is         500.00
rfl       17404.7
rfp       16149.2
th         20
ins       1.000
ai        ph

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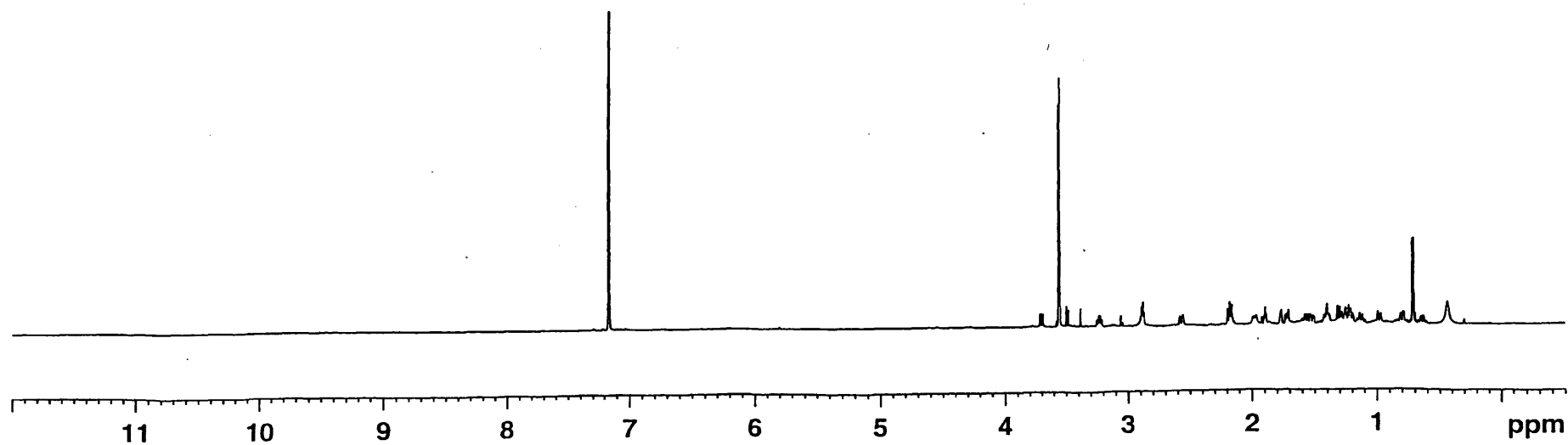
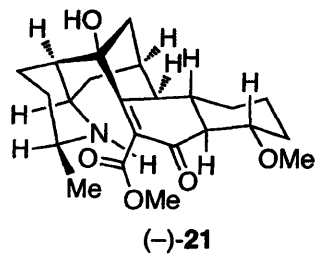
F2 - Acquisition Parameters

Date\_  
Time\_  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT C6D6  
NS 8  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 50.8  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 304.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

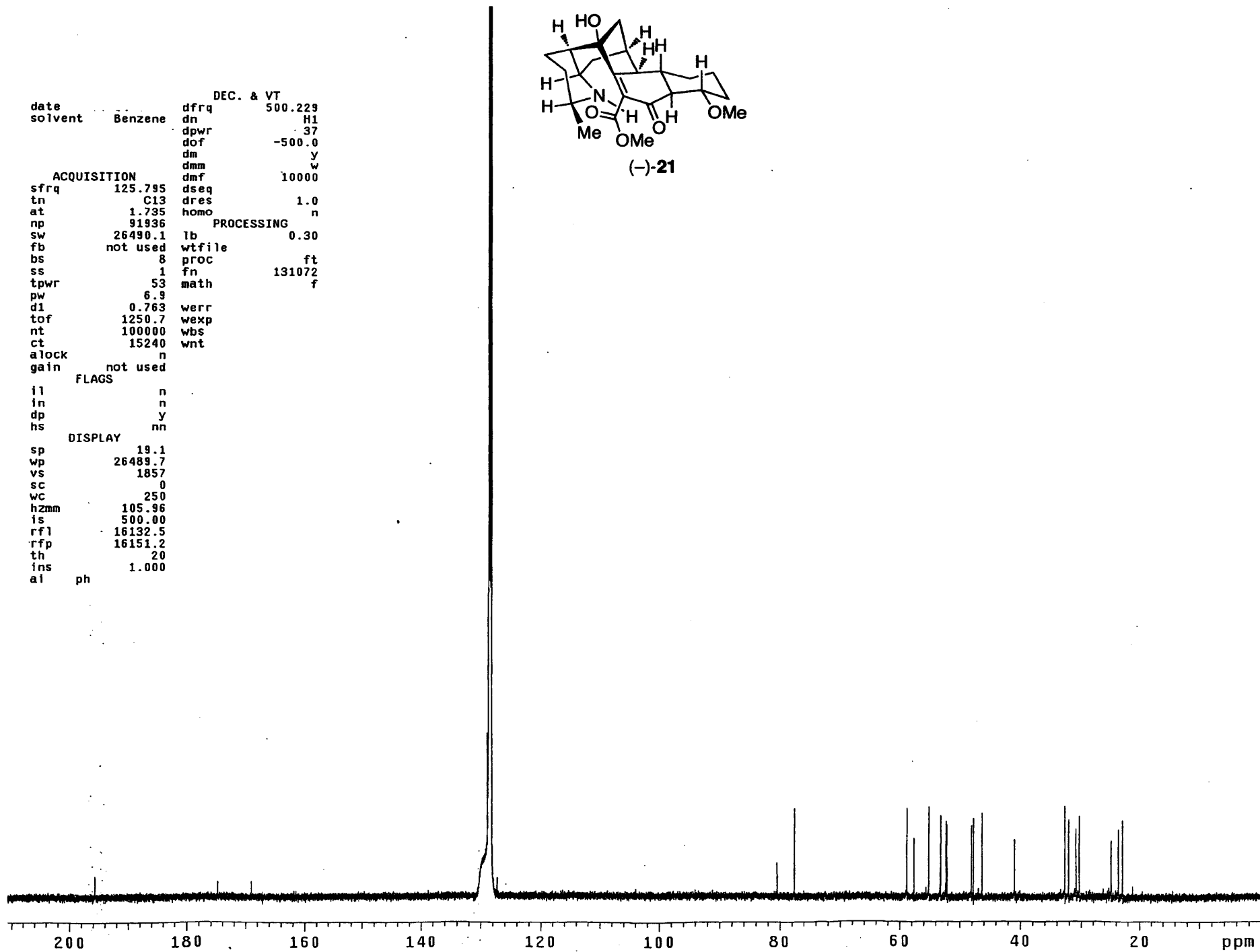
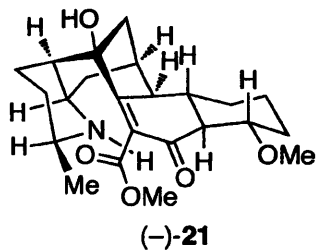
==== CHANNEL f1 =====  
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

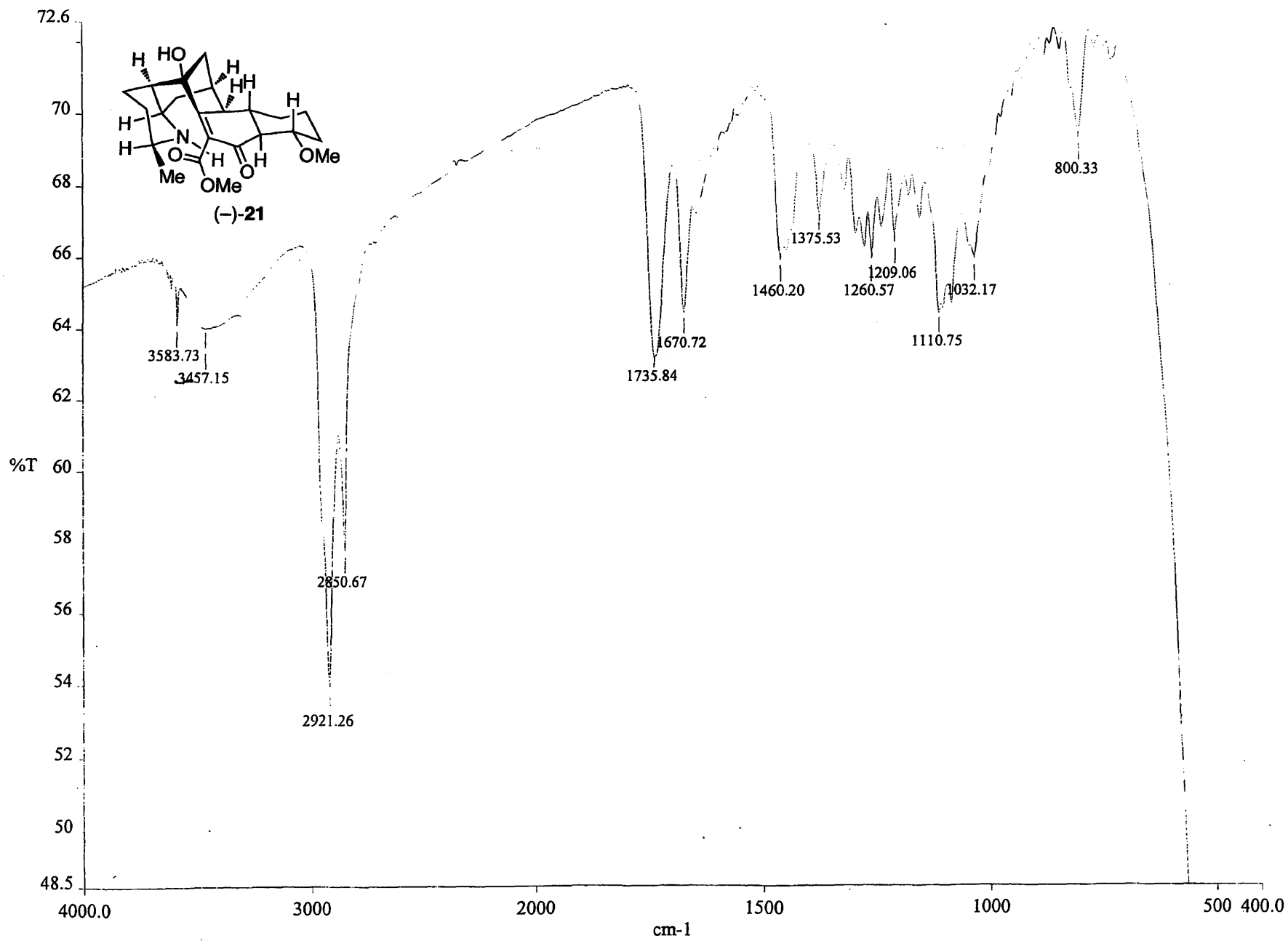
F2 - Processing parameters

SI 65536  
SF 600.1300659 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



date ..... DEC. & VT  
solvent Benzene dfrq 500.229  
dn H1  
dpwr 37  
dof -500.0  
dm y  
dmm w  
dmf 10000  
ACQUISITION  
sfrq 125.795 dseq  
tn C13 dres 1.0  
at 1.795 homo n  
np 91936 PROCESSING  
sw 26490.1 lb 0.30  
fb not used wtfile  
bs 8 proc ft  
ss 1 fn 131072  
tpwr 53 math f  
pw 6.9  
d1 0.763 werr  
tof 1250.7 wexp  
nt 100000 wbs  
ct 15240 wnt  
alock n  
gain not used  
FLAGS  
il n  
in n  
dp y  
hs nn  
DISPLAY  
sp 19.1  
wp 26489.7  
vs 1857  
sc 0  
wc 250  
hzmm 105.96  
is 500.00  
rfl 16132.5  
rfp 16151.2  
th 20  
ins 1.000  
ai ph







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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

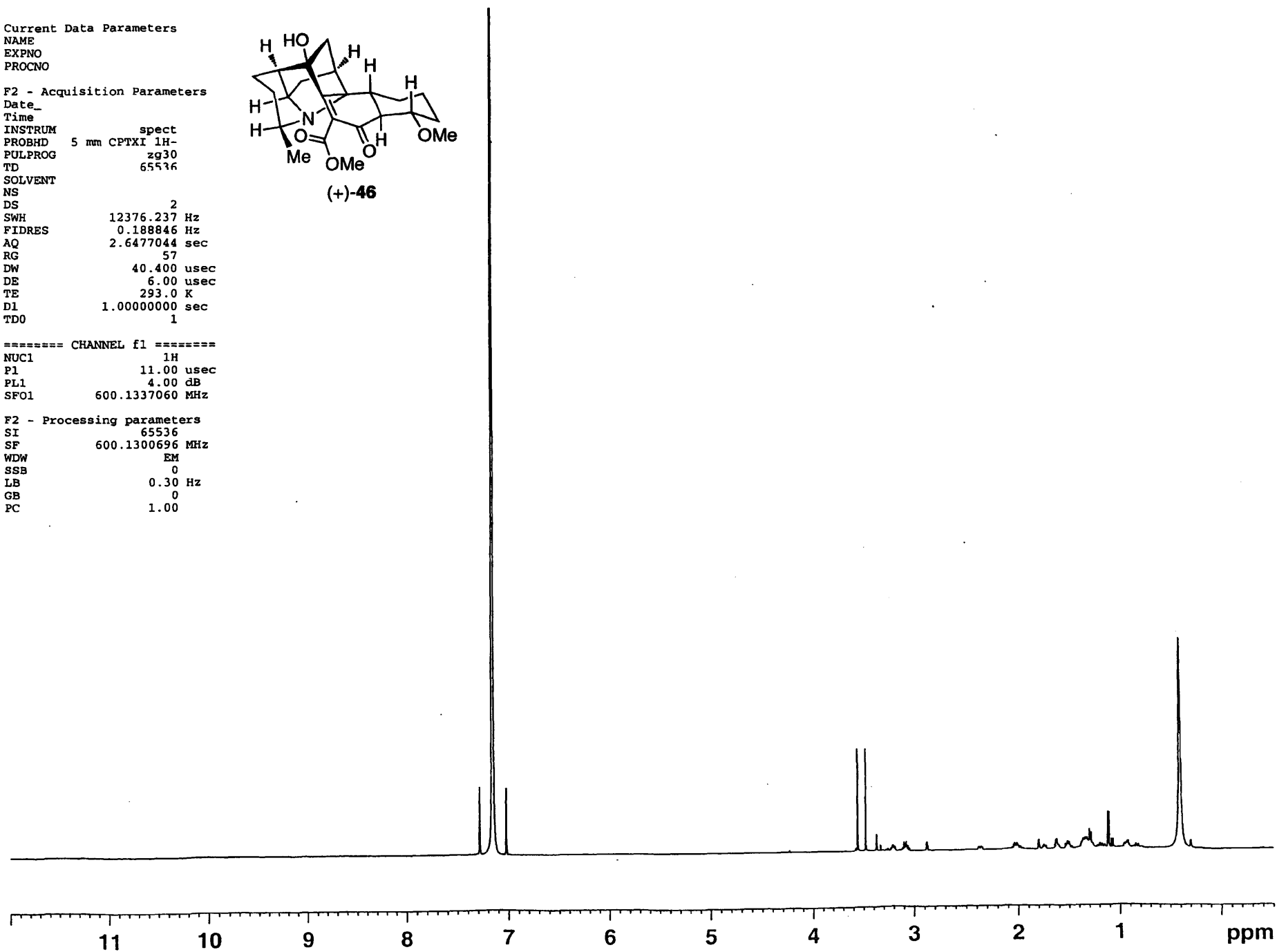
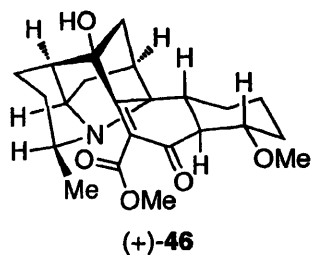
Date\_  
Time\_  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT  
NS  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 57  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TD0 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SF01 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

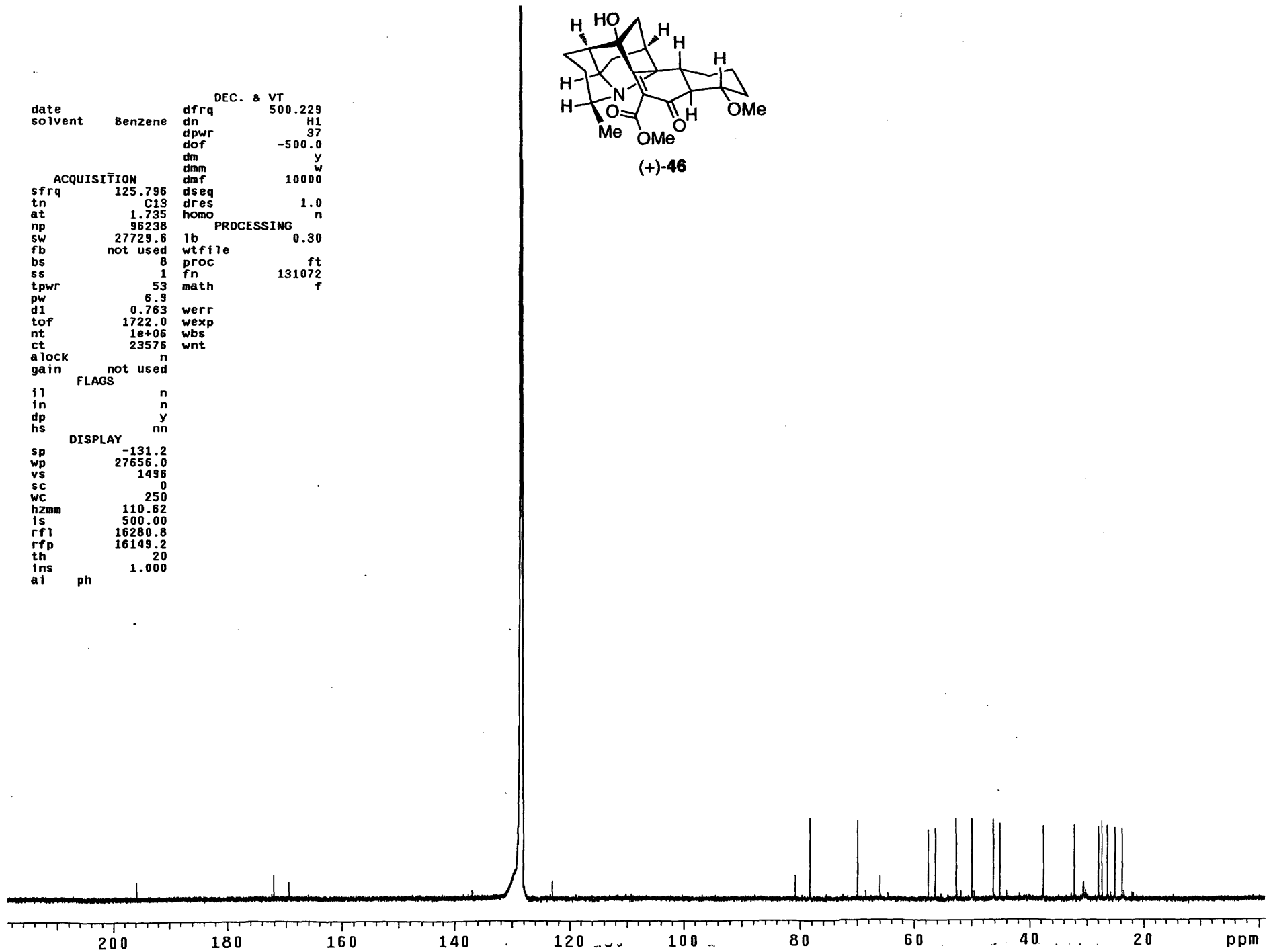
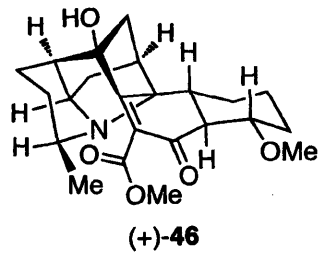
SI 65536  
SF 600.1300696 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



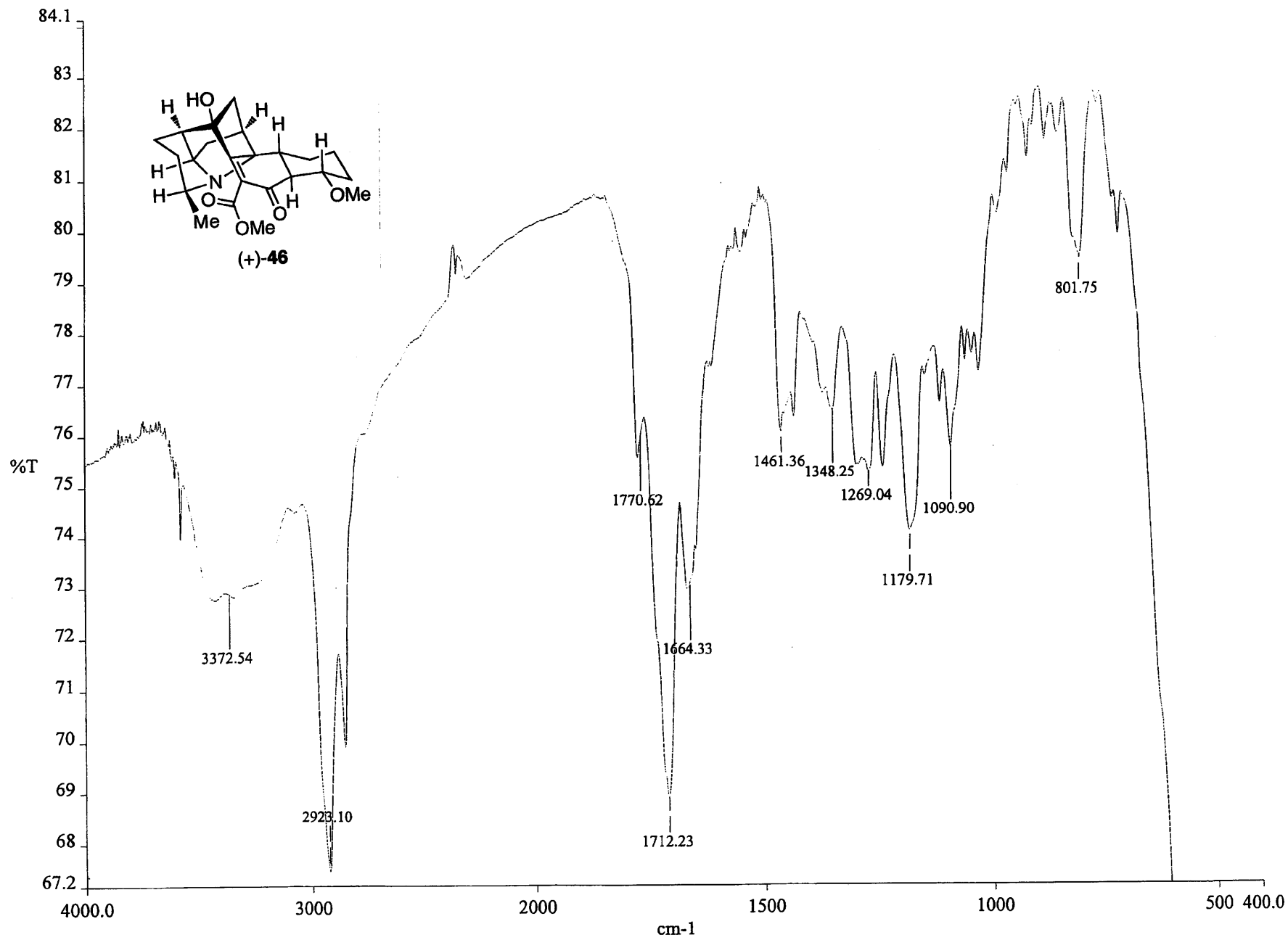
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solvent       Benzene   dn          500.229
              dprw      dn          H1
              dof       dn          37
              dm        dof       -500.0
              dmm       dm        y
              dmf       dmm       w
              dseq      dmf       10000
sfrq         125.796   dseq       1.0
tn           C13      dres       n
at           1.735    homo
np           96238    wtfile
sw           27729.6  lb         0.30
fb           not used wfile
bs           8        proc       ft
ss           1        fn         131072
tpwr        53       math      f
pw           6.9
d1           0.763   werr
tof         1722.0   wexp
nt          1e+06    wbs
ct          23576    wnt
alock       n
gain        not used
              FLAGS
il          n
in          n
dp          y
hs          nn
              DISPLAY
sp          -131.2
wp          27656.0
vs          1496
sc          0
wc          250
hzmm       110.62
ls          500.00
rf1        16280.8
rfp        16149.2
th         20
ins        1.000
ai         ph

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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

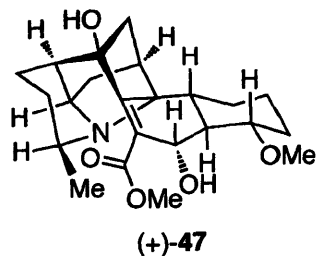
Date\_  
Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 24  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 40.3  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 293.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

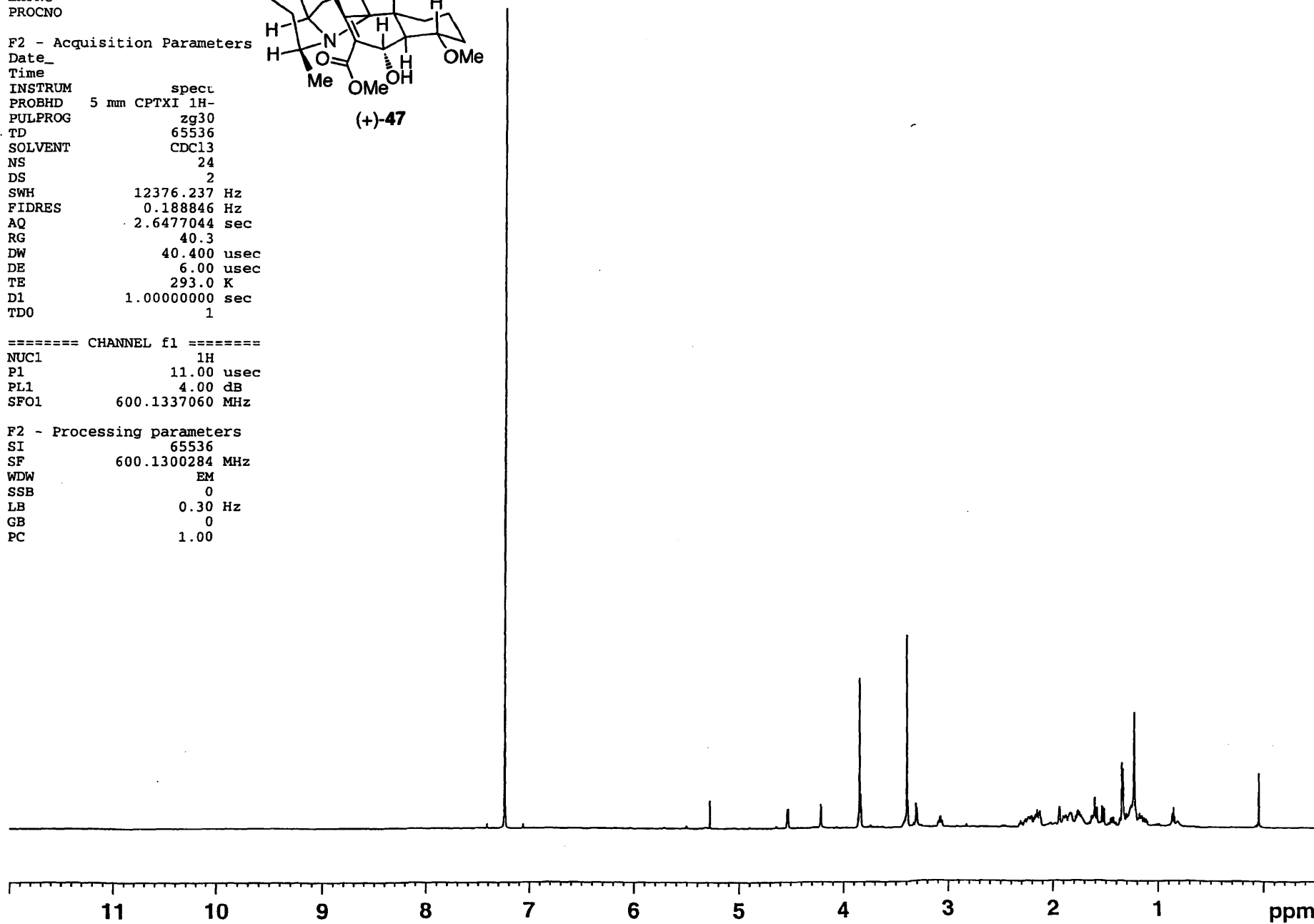
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PL1 4.00 dB  
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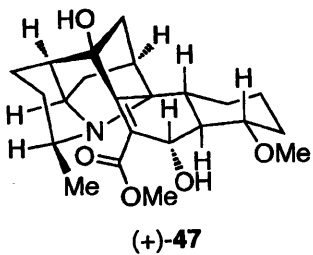
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SF 600.1300284 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



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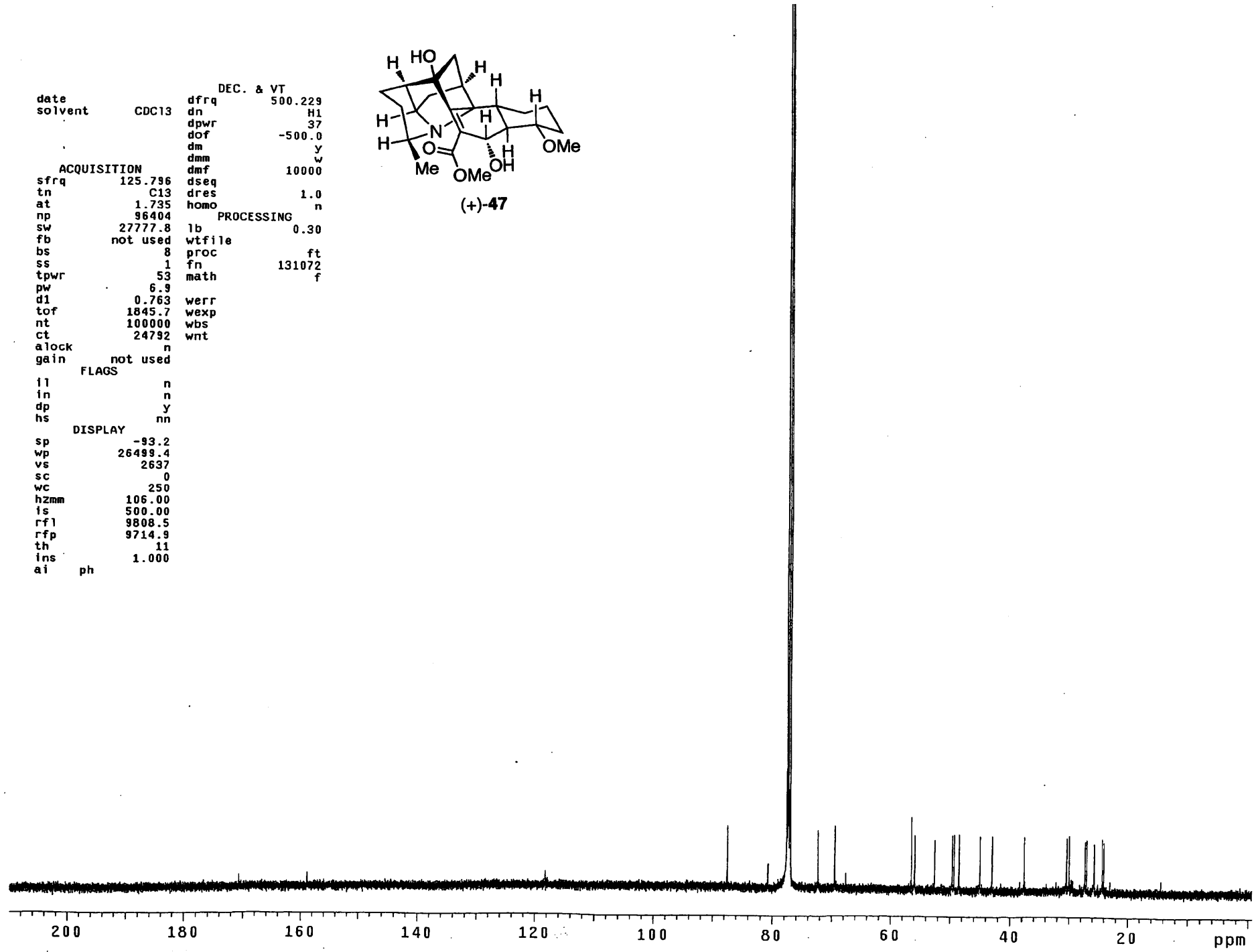


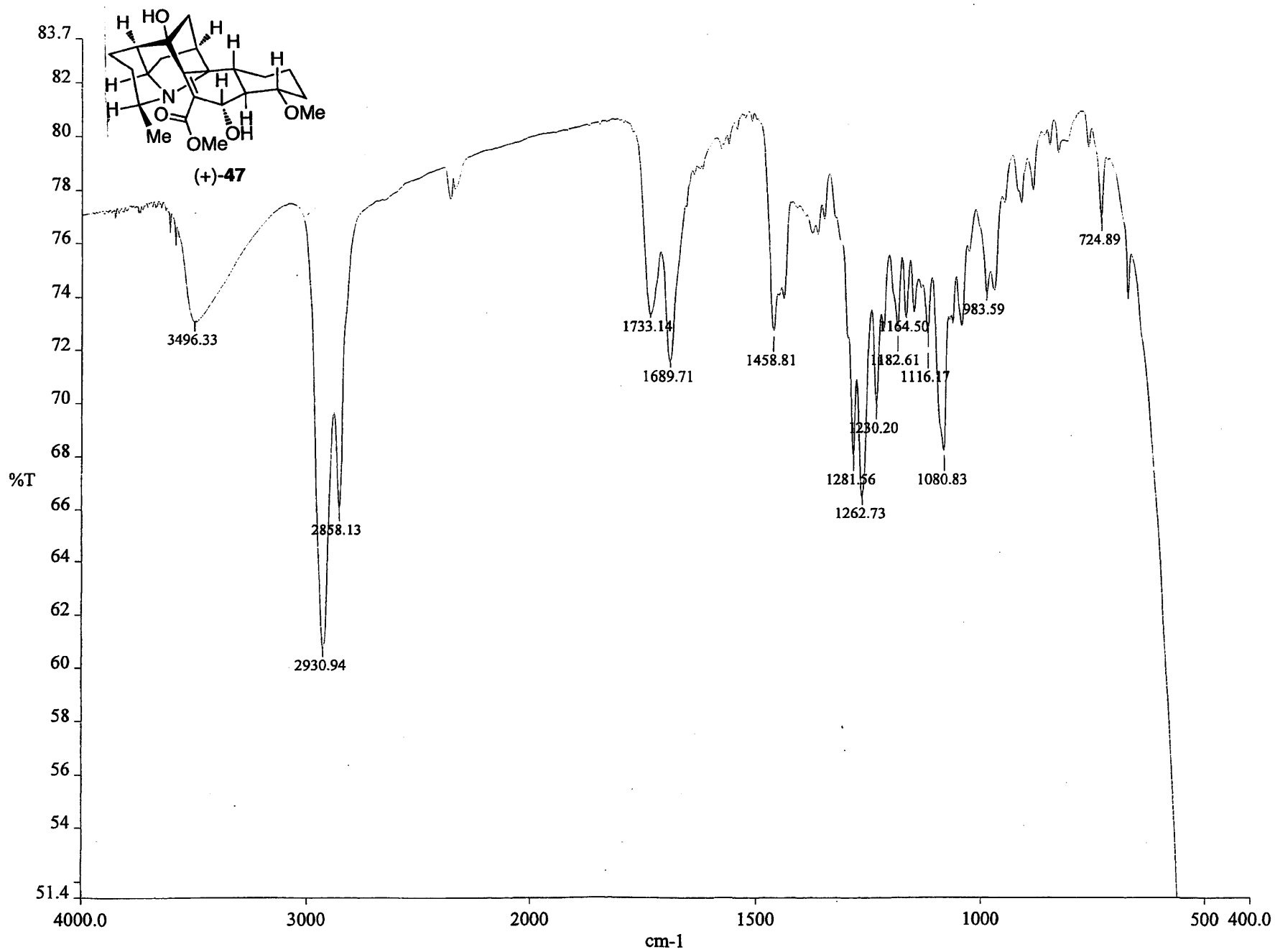
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solvent       CDC13
DEC. & VT    dfrq 500.229
              dn   H1
              dpwr 37
              dof  -500.0
              dm   y
              dmm  w
              dmf  10000
ACQUISITION  sfrq 125.796
              tn   C13
              at   1.735
              np   96404
              sw   27777.8
              fb   not used
              bs   8
              ss   1
              tpwr 53
              pw   6.9
              d1   0.763
              tof  1845.7
              nt   100000
              ct   24792
alock        n
gain         not used
              FLAGS
il           n
in           n
dp           y
hs          nn
DISPLAY      sp   -93.2
              wp   26498.4
              vs   2637
              sc   0
              wc   250
              hzmm 106.00
              fs   500.00
              rfl  9808.5
              rfp  9714.9
              th   11
              ins  1.000
ai          ph
  
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PROCESSING   lb 0.30
              wtfile
              proc ft
              fn 131072
              math f
  
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F2 - Acquisition Parameters

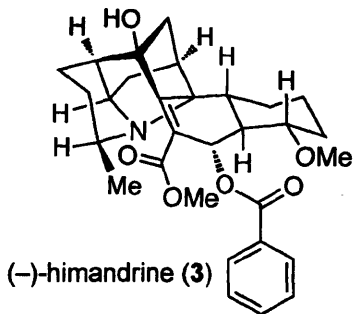
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Time  
INSTRUM spect  
PROBHD 5 mm CPTXI 1H-  
PULPROG zg30  
TD 65536  
SOLVENT CDC13  
NS 16  
DS 2  
SWH 12376.237 Hz  
FIDRES 0.188846 Hz  
AQ 2.6477044 sec  
RG 45.3  
DW 40.400 usec  
DE 6.00 usec  
TE 305.0 K  
D1 1.00000000 sec  
TDO 1

==== CHANNEL f1 =====

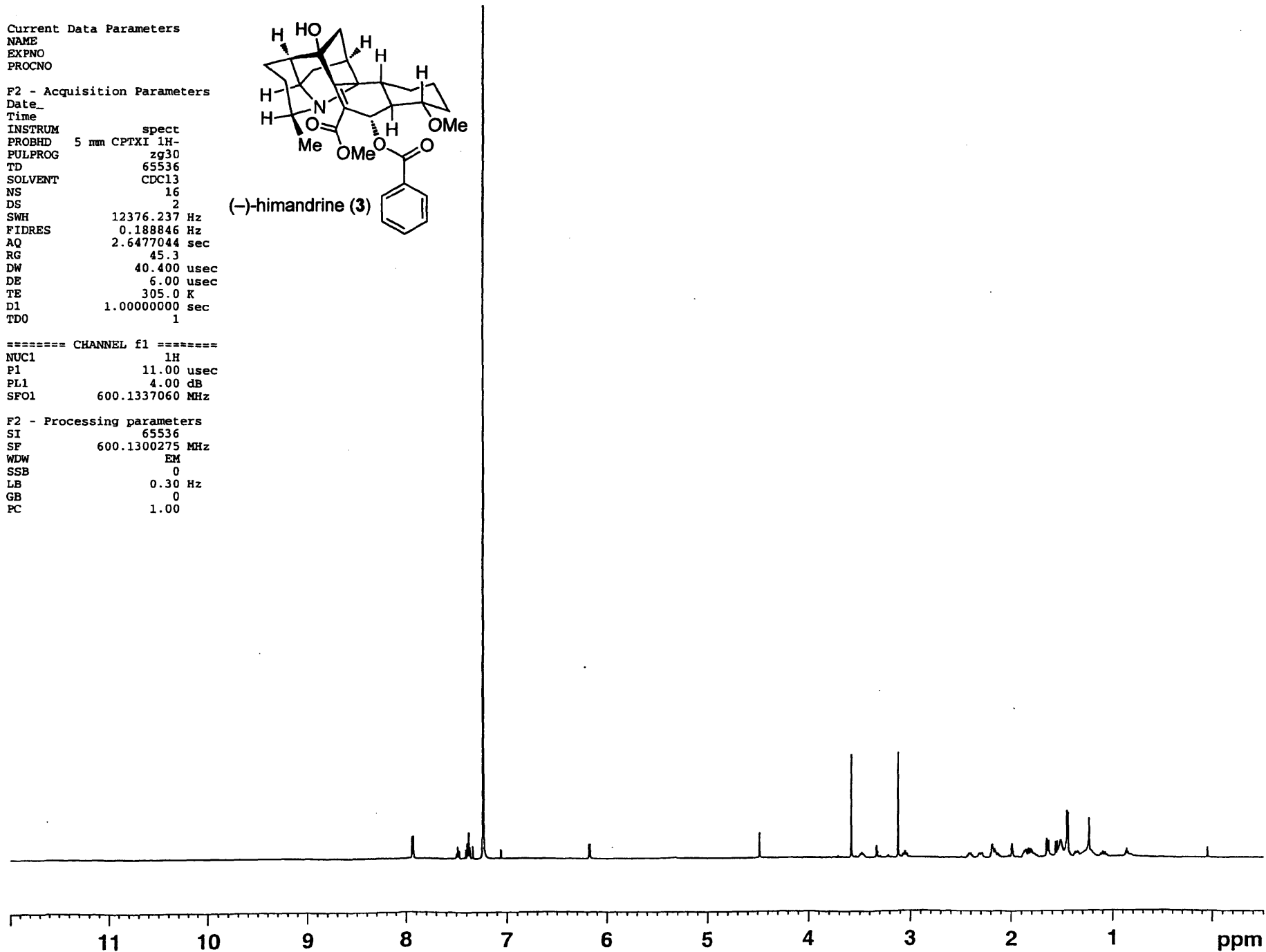
NUC1 1H  
P1 11.00 usec  
PL1 4.00 dB  
SFO1 600.1337060 MHz

F2 - Processing parameters

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SF 600.1300275 MHz  
WDW EM  
SSB 0  
LB 0.30 Hz  
GB 0  
PC 1.00



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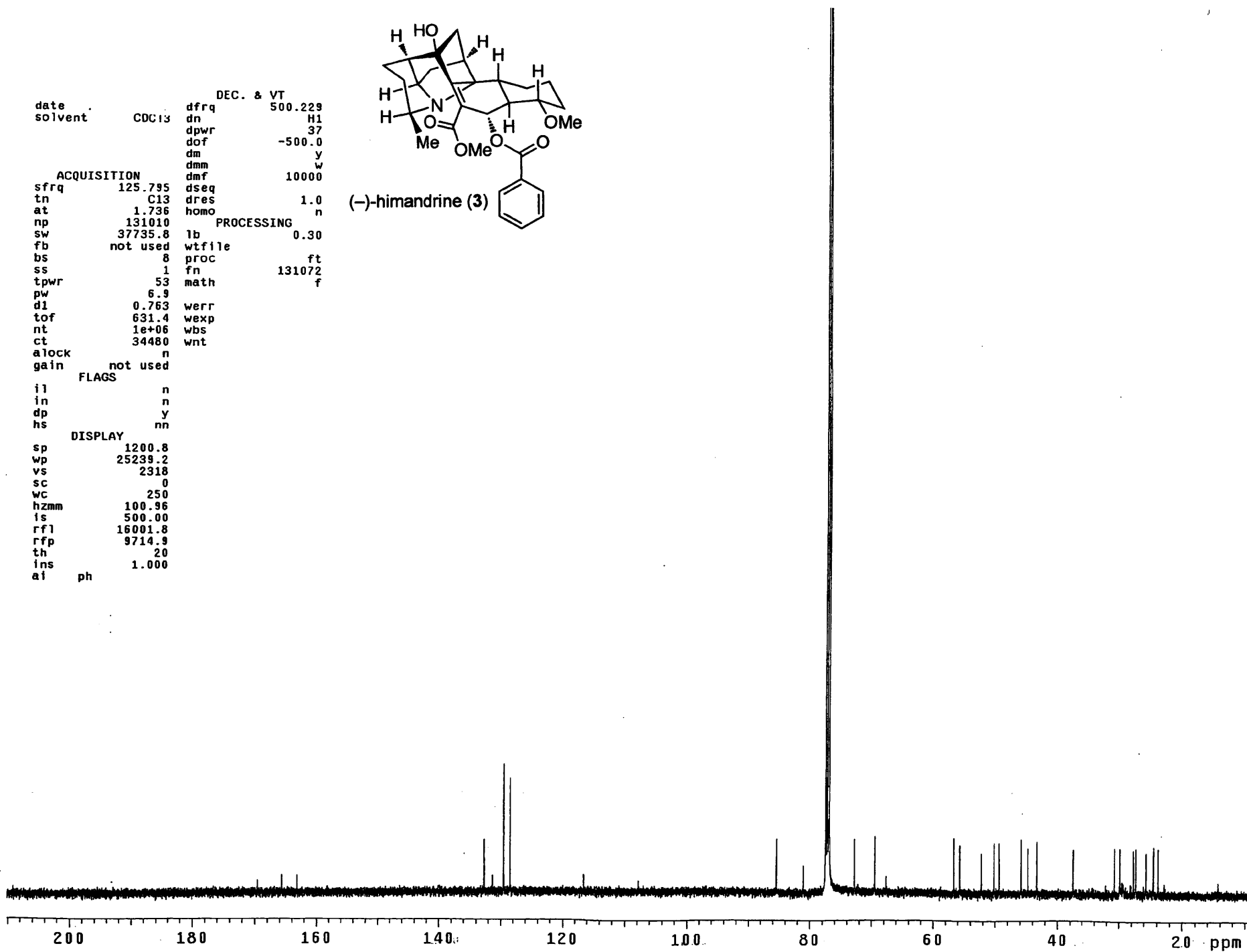
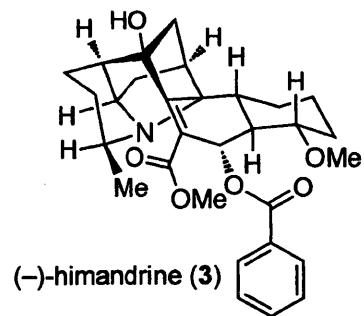
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solvent       CDC13     dn             H1
              dpwr      37
              dof       -500.0
              dm        y
              dmm       w
              dmf       10000

ACQUISITION
sfrq          125.795  dseq
tn            C13     dres          1.0
at            1.736   homo          n
np            131010  PROCESSING
sw            37735.8 lb           0.30
fb            not used wtfile
bs            8       proc          ft
ss            1       fn           131072
tpwr          53     math         f
pw            6.9
d1            0.763  werr
tof           631.4  wexp
nt            1e+06  wbs
ct            34480  wnt
alock         n
gain          not used

FLAGS
il            n
in            n
dp            y
hs            nn

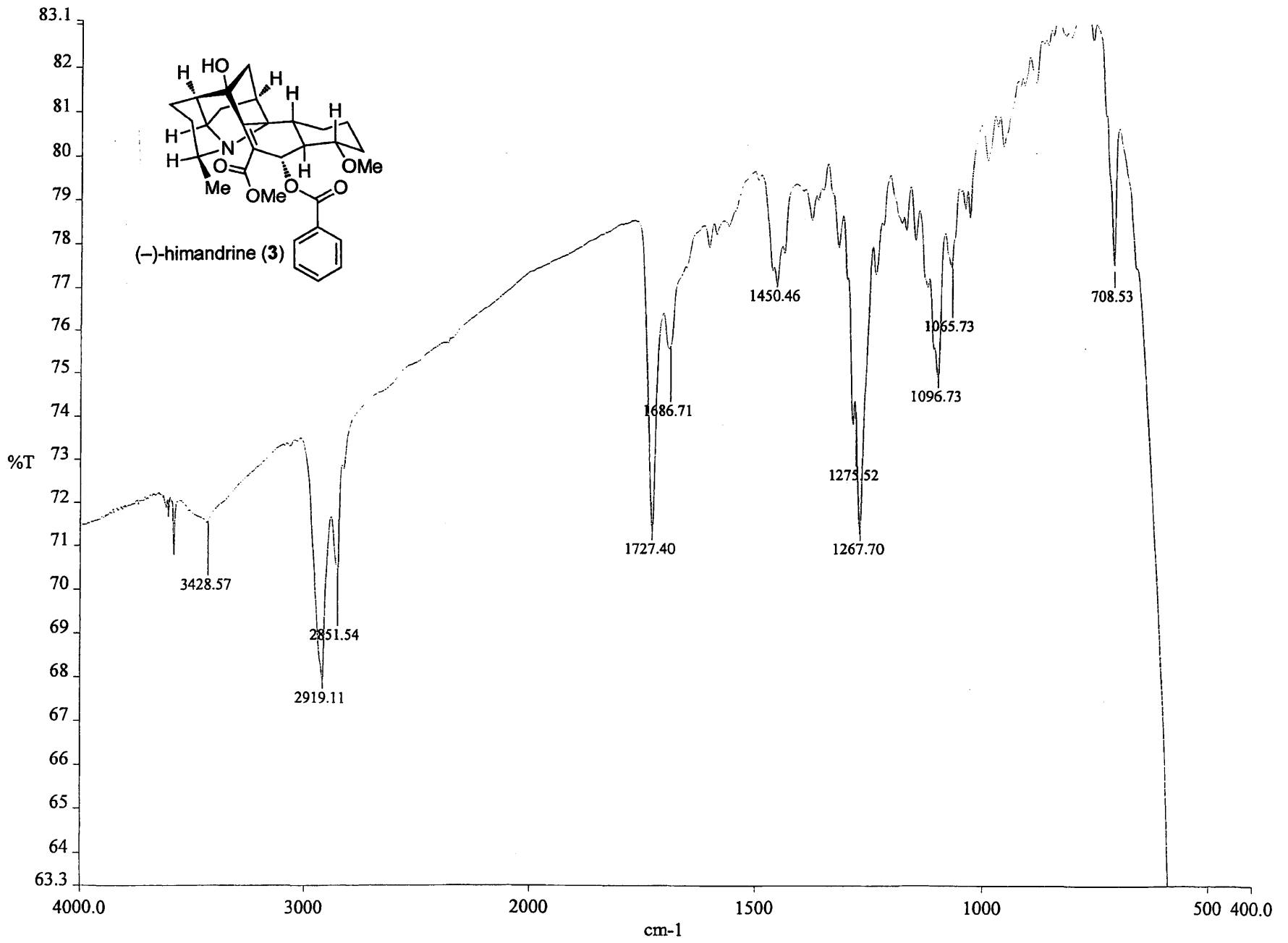
DISPLAY
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wp            25239.2
vs            2318
sc            0
wc            250
hzmm          100.96
ls            500.00
rf1           16001.8
rfp           9714.9
th            20
ins           1.000
ai            ph

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# Meiliana Tjandra

## *Curriculum Vitae*

### EDUCATION

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**, Cambridge, MA  
Ph.D. Candidate, Organic Chemistry. Graduation: June 2010  
Thesis title: "Total Synthesis of Class II and Class III Galbulimima Alkaloids."  
Advisor: Professor Mohammad Movassaghi

**University of California, Berkeley**, Berkeley, CA  
BS Chemistry, 2003

### EXPERIENCE

2004-present

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**  
Department of Chemistry, Advisor: Professor Mohammad Movassaghi  
*Graduate Research Assistant*

- Completed the enantioselective total synthesis of all class III galbulimima alkaloids: galbulimima alkaloid 13, himbadine, and himgaline.
- Completed the enantioselective total synthesis of himandrine (class II).

2003-2004

**CHIRON, Research and Development**  
Dr. Ronald Zuckermann and Dr. Deborah Charych  
*Research Associate*

- Performed a solid phase peptoid/peptide synthesis and combinatorial chemistry.
- Developed methods for on-bead high-throughput screening in a biological assay.

2002-2003

**University of California, Berkeley**  
Department of Chemistry, Advisor: Professor Andrew Streitwieser  
*Undergraduate Research Assistant*

- Performed a multistep synthesis of a chiral metal complex.

Department of Chemistry, Advisor: Dr. Ahamindra Jain  
*June 2002-August 2002*

- Performed a multistep organic synthesis to prepare fluorobenzyl ether analogs of *Tamiflu*®.

### AWARDS & HONORS

2009 Roche Excellence in Chemistry Awards (MIT, 2009).  
2008 Bristol-Myers Squibb Graduate Fellowship in Organic Chemistry (MIT).  
2006 Novartis Graduate Fellowship in Organic Chemistry (MIT).  
2003 Merck Index Award (UC Berkeley).  
2001 International Student Scholarship Award (2001).

2000 The National Dean's List.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Movassaghi, M.; Tjandra, M.; Qi, Jun. "Total Synthesis of (-)-Himandrine." *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2009**, *131*, 9648–9650.
- Movassaghi, M.; Hunt, D. K.; Tjandra, M. "Total Synthesis and Absolute Stereochemical Assignment of (+)- and (-)-Galbulimima Alkaloid 13." *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2006**, *128*, 8126.
- Paulick, M. G.; Hart, K. M.; Brinner, K. M.; Tjandra, M.; Charych, D. H.; Zuckermann, R. N. "Cleavable Hydrophilic Linker for One-Bead-One-Compound Sequencing of Oligomer Libraries by Tandem Mass Spectrometry." *J. Comb. Chem.* **2006**, *8*, 417.

## PRESENTATIONS

- "Total Synthesis of Galbulimima Alkaloids" Oral presentation, Roche award symposium, Nutley, NJ, 2009.
- "Total Synthesis of Galbulimima Alkaloids" Oral presentation, Bristol-Myers Squibb award symposium, Lawrenceville, NJ, 2009.
- "Total Synthesis of Galbulimima Alkaloids" Oral presentation, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Graduate research symposium, Cambridge, MA, 2008.
- Movassaghi, M.; Tjandra, M.; Hunt, D. K. "Total Synthesis of Galbulimima Alkaloids" Oral presentation, ACS 234<sup>th</sup> National Meeting, Boston, MA, 2007.
- Tjandra, M.; Hunt, D. K.; Movassaghi, M. "Total Synthesis of Galbulimima Alkaloids" Poster presentation, Novartis, Cambridge, MA, 2007.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE & SKILLS

2009 Teaching assistant for an undergraduate level second semester organic chemistry course (MIT, Professor Mohammad Movassaghi).

2009 Teaching assistant for a graduate level second semester organic synthesis course (MIT, Professor Mohammad Movassaghi).

2004 Teaching assistant for an undergraduate level first semester organic chemistry course (MIT, Professor Sarah E. O'Connor and Dr. Kimberly Berkowski).

2004 Teaching assistant for an undergraduate level organic chemistry laboratory (MIT, Dr. Janet Schrenk).

2006 Graduate student mentor for undergraduate and visiting graduate student (MIT).

Fluent in English and Indonesian.