

# The highly enantioselective Michael addition of ketones to nitrodienes catalyzed by the efficient organocatalyst system of pyrrolidinyl-thioimidazole and chiral thioureido acid

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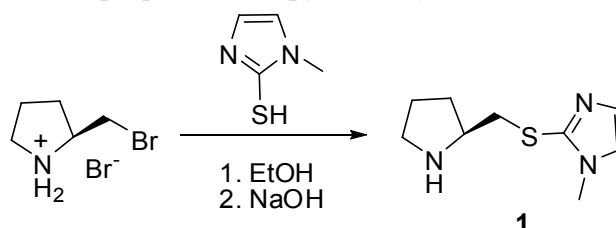
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### General Methods

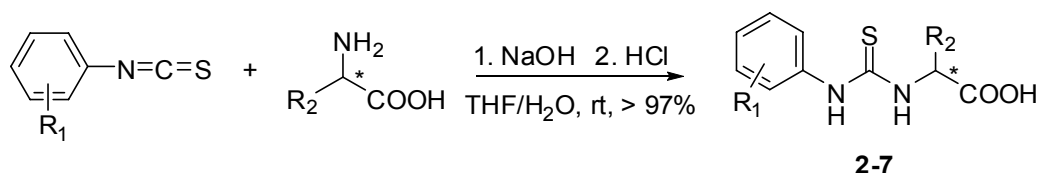
All reactions were carried out directly under an atmosphere of air.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded on an AVANCE III 500 MHz spectrometer using  $\text{CDCl}_3$  or  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$  as the solvent. Chemical shifts of  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  signals were given in  $\delta$  relative to the signal of tetramethylsilane (TMS). GC-MS experiments were performed on a Agilent 6890N gas chromatograph with a 5973N mass selective detector. HPLC experiments were carried out using a JASCO LC-2000 Plus system consisting of MD and CD detectors.

### General procedure for the preparation of pyrrolidinyl-thioimidazole 1



Pyrrolidinyl-thioimidazole **1** was synthesized by neutralizing its hydrobromide salt which was studied in our previous work in EtOH to pH 11-12 with NaOH.

### General procedures for the preparation of thioureido acids 2-7



To the solution of amino acids (20 mmol) in water (20 mL) and THF (40 mL), NaOH (20 mmol) was added and the resulting solution was stirred for 15 min. To this solution isothiocyanates (20 mmol) were added dropwise and the resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 24 h. After completion of the reaction, the pH value of the mixture was adjusted to 2-3 with aqueous 25% HCl, then all solvents were removed under vacuum. The remaining residue was recrystallized from MeOH/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to obtain the desired thioureido acids **2-7**.

### General procedures for the preparation of nitrodienes

Nitrodienes was synthesized with slight modifications to a known procedure\* (Use **9a** as an example):

A mixture of cinnamaldehyde (4.0g, 0.03mol), nitromethane (5.58g, 0.09mol) and methanol (20 mL) was cooled to  $-18^\circ\text{C}$ . Sodium hydroxide (1.26g, 0.03mol) was dissolved in 15 mL of methanol at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . The resulted sodium hydroxide solution was transferred to a dropping funnel and added dropwise under vigorous stirring over 20 min. The original clear solution turned to pale yellow and a suspension began to form 15 min after the initial addition. At the end of the addition, the suspension was light and yellow. The suspension was stirred for an additional 2 h and then filtered with a Büchner funnel. The filter cake was washed with methanol cooled to  $-20^\circ\text{C}$ . The resulted sodium salt is unstable and should be processed immediately.

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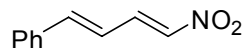
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The filter cake was suspended in ice water (100 mL) and 16 mL of 1N hydrochloric acid cooled to 0°C was added in a slow stream with stirring. Brilliant yellow suspension was formed immediately. The suspension was allowed to stand for a few minutes until the precipitation was completed and then was extracted with DCM (3×100 mL). The combined DCM solution was evaporated under reduced pressure to give the nitrodiene mixtures. After recrystallization in methanol-EtOAc mixtures pure nitrodiene **9a** was obtained (2.76g, yield 52%).

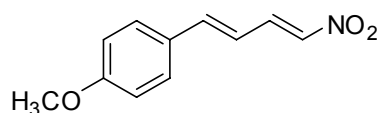
**Caution:** *The reaction mixture is slightly lachrymatory and has a persistent penetrating odor which quickly permeates clothing.*

#### **General procedures for the asymmetric Michael addition reactions**

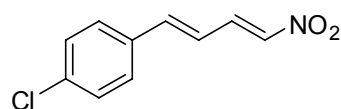
To the solution of the pyrrolidinyl-thioimidazole **1** (5 mol%) and chiral thioureido acid **6a** (5 mol%) in corresponding solvent at room temperature, *cyclo*-ketones (0.25mmol) and nitrodiene (0.25mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature until completion and its progress was monitored by GC. The resulting reaction solutions were directly purified by preparative TLC (petroleum ethers/EtOAc) to give the Michael adducts. Single crystal of **10m** was obtained by slow evaporation from an ethanol-dichloromethane solution.



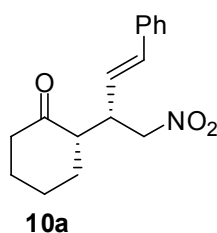
Brilliant yellow solid. mp 41-42°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.78-7.73 (t, *J*=12.5 Hz, 1H), 7.52-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.38 (m, 3H), 7.24-7.21 (d, *J*=13.5 Hz, 1H), 7.14-7.11 (d, *J*=15.5 Hz, 1H), 6.88-6.83 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 146.0, 139.2, 138.5, 135.0, 130.3, 129.0, 127.7, 120.5. IR (film) ν = 3101, 1622, 1514, 1494, 1331, 1151, 993, 822, 760, 690 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS(EI): 51(37), 63(21), 77(56), 91(69), 105(41), 115(45), 128(100), 146(17), 158(25), 175(36).



Orange crystal. mp 106-107°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.78-7.73 (t, *J*=12.0 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.45 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.19 (d, *J*=13.0 Hz, 1H), 7.10-7.07 (d, *J*=15.5 Hz, 1H), 6.93-6.91 (m, 2H), 6.75-6.70 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 161.4, 146.0, 139.9, 137.4, 129.4, 127.9, 118.3, 114.4, 55.4. IR (film) ν = 3095, 2962, 2839, 1619, 1593, 1512, 1491, 1315, 1248, 1203, 1156, 1024, 992, 973, 841, 812, 762, 741, 526 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS(EI): 51(29), 63(46), 77(22), 89(37), 103(15), 115(100), 131(14), 147(6), 160(6), 176(2), 189(2), 205(2).

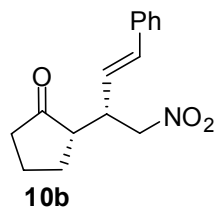


Brilliant yellow solid. mp 100-101°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, δ ppm): 7.88-7.84 (t, *J*=12.5 Hz, 1H), 7.63-7.60 (m, 3H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.38 (m, 1H), 7.22-7.16 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, δ ppm): 144.2, 139.5, 134.5, 134.3, 129.4, 129.1, 122.5. IR (film) ν = 3099, 1623, 1587, 1509, 1490, 1339, 1155, 1086, 989, 829, 806, 742, 505 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS(EI): 50(87), 63(70), 75(94), 89(39), 101(42), 115(100), 127(83), 139(22), 151(11), 162(22), 180(7), 192(8), 209(8).

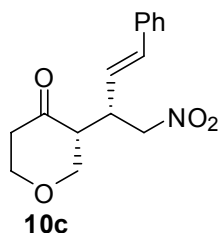


White crystal. mp 123-124°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.34-7.22 (m, 5H), 6.50-6.47

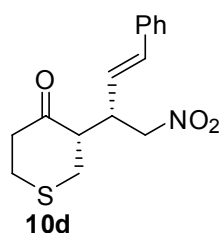
(d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.04-5.99 (m, 1H), 4.69-4.65 (m, 1H), 4.58-4.54 (m, 1H), 3.38-3.32 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.50 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.43 (m, 1H), 2.38-2.32 (m, 1H), 2.19-2.14 (m, 1H), 2.10-2.07 (m, 1H), 1.91-1.89 (m, 1H), 1.69-1.64 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.40 (m, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 211.2, 136.2, 134.3, 128.5, 127.8, 126.4, 125.6, 78.0, 51.6, 42.6, 41.8, 32.5, 28.0, 25.0. IR (film)  $\nu = 3024, 2953, 2870, 1699, 1551, 1493, 1446, 1385, 1315, 1232, 1194, 1124, 1063, 1016, 966, 899, 833, 742, 692\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(23), 65(14), 77(21), 91(56), 102(13), 115(52), 129(100), 142(19), 155(8), 169(3), 183(3), 197(6), 211(2), 226(4). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_3$ : 273.1365, found 273.1362.



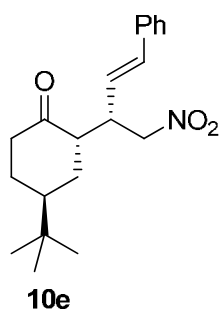
Light yellow solid. mp 86-87°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.31-7.26 (m, 5H), 6.49-6.46 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.91 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.92-4.88 (dd,  $J_1=5.5$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.55-4.51 (m, 1H), 3.42-3.36 (m, 1H), 2.36-2.01 (m, 5H), 1.83-1.68 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 218.2, 136.1, 134.6, 128.6, 128.0, 126.4, 124.5, 77.9, 49.7, 41.9, 38.4, 26.8, 20.4. IR (film)  $\nu = 3026, 2972, 2881, 1730, 1551, 1448, 1382, 1275, 1196, 1557, 1122, 1072, 965, 919, 822, 742, 692\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(11), 67(7), 77(10), 91(44), 105(4), 115(26), 129(100), 141(14), 156(7), 167(2), 184(2), 194(5), 212(3), 241(1), 259(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3$ : 259.1208, found 259.1209.



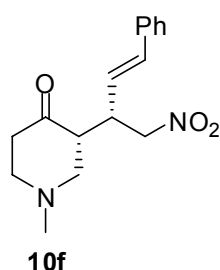
White solid. mp 92-93°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.34-7.24 (m, 5H), 6.54-6.51 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.91 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.71-4.68 (dd,  $J_1=4.0$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.53-4.49 (m, 1H), 4.19-4.15 (m, 2H), 3.79-3.73 (m, 1H), 3.54-3.50 (m, 1H), 3.45-3.38 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.70 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.62 (m, 1H), 2.51-2.47 (m, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 206.8, 135.8, 135.4, 128.6, 128.2, 126.5, 123.9, 78.0, 71.3, 68.8, 52.0, 42.9, 39.5. IR (film)  $\nu = 3026, 2924, 2858, 1704, 1554, 1493, 1448, 1385, 1232, 1153, 1105, 972, 901, 854, 746, 692, 548\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(20), 65(18), 77(25), 91(76), 102(15), 115(67), 128(100), 141(28), 155(16), 169(3), 183(5), 197(4), 213(1), 228(4), 275(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$ : 275.1158, found 275.1140.



Amber solid. mp 93-94°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.35-7.25 (m, 5H), 6.58-6.55 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.93 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.60-4.56 (dd,  $J_1=4.0$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.54-4.50 (m, 1H), 3.55-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.05-2.67 (m, 7H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 208.9, 135.8, 135.4, 128.6, 128.2, 126.5, 124.2, 77.8, 53.8, 44.7, 41.7, 34.9, 31.3. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2916, 1708, 1546, 1493, 1431, 1383, 1290, 1194, 1115, 1072, 972, 747, 694, 652$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 50(6), 60(100), 75(27), 91(77), 102(22), 115(54), 128(95), 141(17), 155(26), 167(6), 184(10), 197(12), 213(14), 226(8), 244(15). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ : 291.0929, found 291.0909.

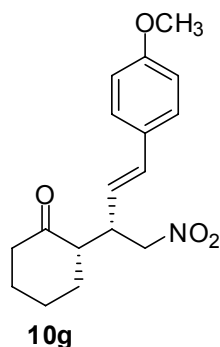


Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.34-7.21 (m, 5H), 6.60-6.56 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.85-5.80 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.68-4.62 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.36 (d,  $J=7.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.47-3.40 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.31 (m, 3H), 1.62-1.42 (m, 4H), 1.26-1.23 (m, 1H), 0.85 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 213.3, 135.7, 134.2, 128.6, 128.1, 126.4, 124.8, 78.2, 50.3, 47.1, 42.6, 40.9, 39.0, 32.4, 29.5, 27.3. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2960, 2870, 1712, 1552, 1448, 1379, 1227, 972, 746, 694$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 57(80), 67(7), 77(9), 91(38), 105(8), 115(25), 129(100), 139(21), 154(13), 171(4), 183(5), 197(15), 207(4), 225(13), 239(1), 253(2), 267(3), 282(9), 329(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}_3$ : 329.1991, found 329.1989.

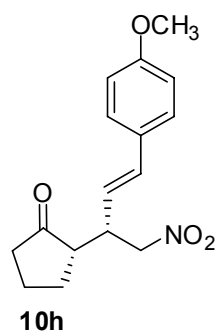


Yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.35-7.22 (m, 5H), 6.48-6.44 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.93 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.75-4.68 (m, 1H), 4.50-4.46 (dd,  $J_1=9.0$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.46-3.40 (m, 1H), 3.02-2.96 (m, 2H), 2.88-2.84 (m, 1H), 2.67-2.57 (m, 1H), 2.46-2.20 (m, 6H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 208.2, 136.1, 134.9, 128.6, 128.0, 126.6, 124.6,

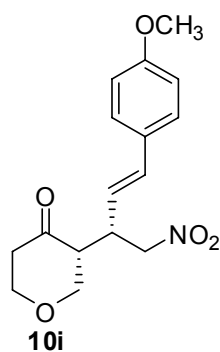
78.0, 59.3, 55.5, 50.6, 45.3, 41.4, 40.5. IR (film)  $\nu = 3023, 2940, 2785, 1712, 1551, 1448, 1381, 1317, 1227, 1230, 1145, 1061, 972, 887, 748, 694, 642 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(27), 70(15), 84(21), 96(34), 110(31), 128(11), 141(5), 157(4), 172(1), 186(100), 200(3), 212(1), 226(4), 240(3), 288(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ : 288.1474, found 288.1487.



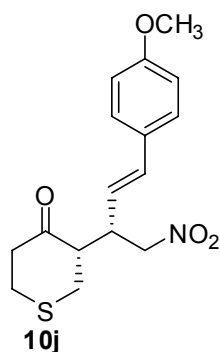
Pale yellow crystal. mp 144-145°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.28-7.26 (d,  $J=9.0$  Hz, 2H), 6.84-6.82 (d,  $J=8.5$  Hz, 2H), 6.44-6.41 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.88-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.68-4.64 (m, 1H), 4.56-4.52 (m, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.34-3.28 (m, 1H), 2.53-2.50 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.42 (m, 1H), 2.36-2.34 (m, 1H), 2.18-2.09 (m, 2H), 1.89 (s, 1H), 1.68-1.65 (m, 2H), 1.45-1.42 (m, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 211.5, 159.5, 133.9, 129.1, 127.7, 123.4, 114.0, 78.3, 55.4, 51.8, 42.7, 42.1, 32.7, 28.2, 25.1. IR (film)  $\nu = 2956, 2862, 1700, 1608, 1552, 1514, 1442, 1385, 1296, 1258, 1178, 1132, 1027, 972, 814, 648, 518 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(89), 67(34), 77(38), 91(55), 103(11), 115(94), 128(35), 144(34), 159(100), 173(9), 192(3), 205(4), 223(7), 256(6), 303(11). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_4$ : 303.1471, found 303.1473.



Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.27-7.24 (m, 2H), 6.83-6.81 (d,  $J=8.5$  Hz, 2H), 6.42-6.39 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.81-5.76 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.89-4.86 (dd,  $J_1=5.5$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.53-4.48 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.38-3.32 (m, 1H), 2.34-1.94 (m, 5H), 1.81-1.70 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 218.1, 159.5, 133.9, 128.9, 127.6, 122.2, 113.9, 78.0, 55.2, 49.7, 41.9, 38.4, 26.7, 20.4. IR (film)  $\nu = 3034, 2964, 2874, 1732, 1607, 1551, 1512, 1380, 1250, 1177, 1032, 972, 820, 764 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(24), 65(10), 77(16), 91(30), 102(7), 121(54), 131(4), 144(23), 159(100), 171(7), 186(10), 224(3), 242(7), 289(14). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_4$ : 289.1314, found 289.1305.

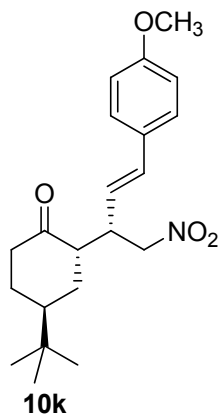


Yellow solid. mp 121-122°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.27-7.25 (d,  $J=8.5$  Hz, 2H), 6.84-6.83 (d,  $J=8.5$  Hz, 2H), 6.47-6.44 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.80-5.75 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.71-4.66 (m, 1H), 4.50-4.46 (m, 1H), 4.19-4.14 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.69-3.64 (m, 1H), 3.54-3.50 (m, 1H), 3.40-3.36 (m, 1H), 2.82-2.36 (m, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 206.9, 159.6, 134.8, 128.6, 127.7, 121.5, 114.0, 78.1, 71.3, 68.7, 55.3, 52.1, 42.9, 39.5. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2963, 2921, 2863, 1712, 1605, 1550, 1511, 1462, 1442, 1378, 1248, 1180, 1149, 1107, 1025, 972, 899, 856, 824, 760, 703, 638, 530\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(82), 65(48), 77(89), 91(76), 102(35), 115(100), 129(43), 145(31), 159(84), 172(21), 185(18), 216(23), 258(18), 305(7). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_5$ : 305.1263, found 305.1273.

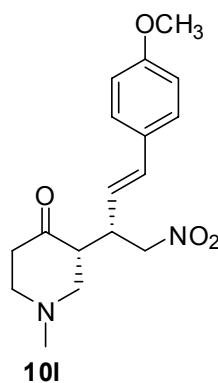


Yellow solid. mp 88-89°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.28-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.85-6.82 (m, 2H), 6.50-6.47 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.81-5.76 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.66-4.64 (d,  $J=7.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.50-4.46 (dd,  $J_1=8.5$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.51-3.46 (m, 1H), 3.04-2.70 (m, 7H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 209.0, 159.7, 135.1, 128.6, 127.7, 121.9, 114.0, 78.0, 55.3, 53.9, 44.6, 41.8, 34.9, 31.3. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2963, 2921, 2863, 1712, 1605, 1550, 1511, 1462, 1442, 1378, 1248, 1180, 1149, 1107, 1025, 973, 899, 856, 824, 760, 704, 638, 530\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 58(29), 78(43), 91(34), 108(6), 121(100), 134(17), 153(12), 173(7), 215(6), 244(2), 282(7), 320(4). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_4\text{S}$ : 321.1035, found 321.1042.

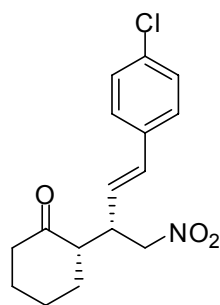




Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.27-7.25 (m, 2H), 6.84-6.82 (m, 2H), 6.53-6.50 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.69-5.64 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.69-4.61 (m, 1H), 4.36-4.64 (m, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.44-3.37 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.35 (m, 3H), 2.08-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.62-1.52 (m, 3H), 0.85 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 213.3, 159.7, 135.1, 128.8, 127.7, 122.6, 114.1, 78.4, 55.3, 50.6, 47.2, 42.7, 41.0, 39.1, 32.5, 29.7, 27.3. IR (film)  $\nu = 3034, 2957, 2869, 1715, 1608, 1553, 1512, 1466, 1368, 1300, 1250, 1177, 1107, 1035, 972, 818, 760, 652, 513\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 57(100), 67(8), 79(6), 91(8), 102(3), 121(23), 134(2), 145(6), 159(29), 175(3), 187(3), 201(2), 213(1), 227(1), 239(1), 265(1), 297(1), 312(4), 359(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_4$  359.2097, found 359.2099.

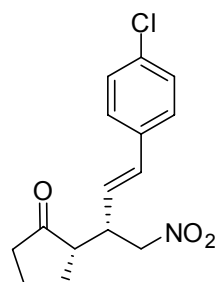


Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.84-6.82 (m, 2H), 6.41-6.38 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.82-5.77 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.72-4.66 (m, 1H), 4.47-4.43 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.41-3.38 (m, 1H), 3.01-2.96 (m, 2H), 2.86-2.83 (m, 1H), 2.63-2.57 (m, 1H), 2.41-2.32 (m, 6H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 208.6, 159.4, 134.1, 128.8, 127.6, 122.4, 113.9, 78.1, 59.5, 55.9, 55.1, 50.5, 45.0, 41.2, 40.4. IR (film)  $\nu = 3034, 2948, 2792, 1713, 1608, 1552, 1512, 1466, 1378, 1251, 1177, 1145, 1033, 973, 819, 762, 642, 525\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 57(100), 77(11), 91(5), 102(7), 115(6), 128(12), 145(6), 160(20), 173(11), 185(4), 196(2), 216(3), 228(1), 242(3), 259(5), 271(10), 296(4), 317(4). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  318.1580, found 318.1577.



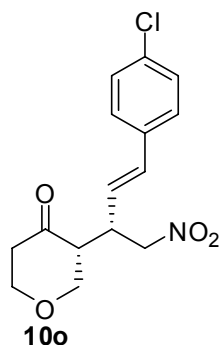
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Pale yellow crystal. mp 125-126°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.26 (s, 4H), 6.46-6.43 (d, *J*=15.5 Hz, 1H), 6.03-5.98 (m, 1H), 4.69-4.65 (m, 1H), 4.58-4.54 (m, 1H), 3.35-3.33 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.52 (m, 1H), 2.46-2.43 (m, 1H), 2.39-2.33 (m, 1H), 2.17-2.10 (m, 2H), 1.90 (s, 1H), 1.72-1.63 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.41 (m, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 211.2, 134.7, 133.5, 133.2, 128.7, 127.7, 126.5, 78.0, 51.6, 42.7, 42.0, 32.6, 28.1, 25.1. IR (film)  $\nu$  = 2943, 2864, 1699, 1553, 1493, 1435, 1385, 1311, 1190, 1132, 1093, 1010, 972, 814, 770, 648, 513 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS(EI): 55(80), 77(32), 98(43), 115(47), 129(100), 149(23), 163(36), 177(13), 191(2), 205(6), 218(1), 231(6), 244(3), 260(21). HRMS calc. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>18</sub>ClNO<sub>3</sub>: 307.0975, found 307.0989.

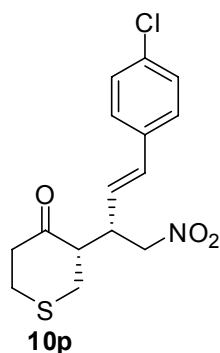


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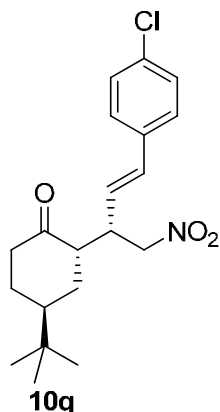
Amber oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.29-7.22 (m, 4H), 6.44-6.41 (d, *J*=16.0 Hz, 1H), 5.95-5.90 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub>=9.0 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub>=15.5 Hz, 1H), 4.92-4.89 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub>=5.5 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub>=12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.55-4.50 (m, 1H), 3.40-3.34 (m, 1H), 2.36-1.99 (m, 5H), 1.80-1.68 (m, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 218.0, 134.5, 133.3, 128.6, 127.6, 125.3, 124.7, 77.7, 49.6, 41.8, 38.3, 26.8, 20.3. IR (film)  $\nu$  = 3030, 2967, 2879, 1733, 1551, 1491, 1379, 1273, 1155, 1091, 972, 812, 685, 648 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS(EI): 55(56), 67(21), 84(34), 101(15), 115(53), 125(100), 141(39), 153(26), 163(97), 179(12), 193(13), 203(3), 218(7), 228(6), 246(11), 293(4). HRMS calc. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ClNO<sub>3</sub>: 293.0819, found 293.0809.



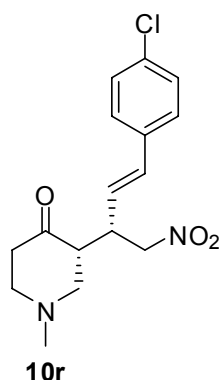
Yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.28-7.24 (m, 4H), 6.49-6.46 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.96-5.91 (dd,  $J_1=10.0$  Hz,  $J_2=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.72-4.65 (m, 1H), 4.52-4.48 (m, 1H), 4.20-4.13 (m, 2H), 3.78-3.73 (m, 1H), 3.53-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.42-3.39 (m, 1H), 2.85-2.62 (m, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 206.6, 134.2, 133.9, 133.7, 128.7, 127.6, 124.7, 77.7, 71.1, 67.6, 51.8, 42.7, 39.3. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2978, 2866, 1720, 1549, 1492, 1380, 1231, 1144, 1091, 983, 897, 819, 706, 646, 516\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(39), 66(21), 77(25), 89(27), 102(19), 115(49), 125(100), 141(44), 151(15), 162(50), 179(8), 191(19), 203(7), 217(5), 232(19), 262(13). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClNO}_4$ : 309.0768, found 309.0769.



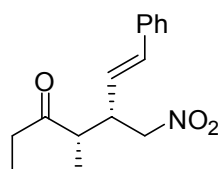
Light yellow solid. mp 108-109°C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.27-7.25 (m, 4H), 6.52-6.49 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.97-5.91 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.59-4.48 (m, 2H), 3.52-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.01-2.70 (m, 7H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 208.7, 134.4, 134.0, 133.8, 128.7, 127.7, 125.0, 77.7, 53.8, 44.6, 41.7, 34.7, 31.2. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2960, 2916, 1713, 1546, 1490, 1431, 1381, 1292, 1194, 1092, 982, 818, 777, 644, 500\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 59(3), 87(8), 101(4), 129(46), 141(19), 155(39), 163(18), 191(26), 203(1), 217(11), 222(22), 231(15), 250(81), 278(100), 295(1), 325(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClNO}_3\text{S}$ : 325.0539, found 325.0541.



Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.29-7.25 (m, 4H), 6.45-6.42 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.30-6.25 (dd,  $J_1=9.0$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.74-4.70 (dd,  $J_1=8.5$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.67-4.64 (dd,  $J_1=5.5$  Hz,  $J_2=12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.19-3.14 (m, 1H), 2.65-2.61 (m, 1H), 2.43-2.39 (m, 1H), 2.36-2.29 (m, 1H), 2.10-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.64-1.58 (m, 1H), 1.45-1.33 (m, 2H), 0.90 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 211.0, 134.8, 133.6, 133.4, 128.6, 127.7, 125.7, 78.2, 50.9, 47.0, 44.1, 41.8, 32.9, 32.5, 28.0, 27.6. IR (film)  $\nu = 3032, 2960, 2870, 1710, 1552, 1491, 1433, 1376, 1229, 1092, 1013, 973, 810, 689, 646$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 57(100), 67(2), 77(11), 97(10), 111(5), 125(22), 139(7), 151(7), 165(3), 178(6), 190(2), 205(3), 217(2), 231(10), 255(2), 300(2), 316(6), 364(2). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{26}\text{ClNO}_3$ : 363.1601, found 363.1603.

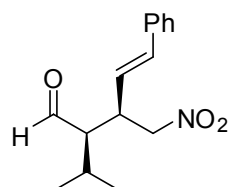


Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.26 (s, 4H), 6.48-6.45 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.93 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.75-4.66 (m, 1H), 4.51-4.46 (m, 1H), 3.44-3.41 (m, 1H), 3.01-3.00 (m, 2H), 2.88-2.86 (m, 1H), 2.65-2.59 (m, 1H), 2.47-2.21 (m, 6H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 208.5, 134.5, 133.6, 128.7, 127.6, 125.5, 125.3, 77.9, 59.5, 55.9, 50.2, 45.1, 41.3, 40.4. IR (film)  $\nu = 3028, 2946, 2850, 2791, 1713, 1595, 1552, 1492, 1378, 1239, 1144, 1091, 974, 812, 771, 644, 509, 471$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 55(100), 65(5), 83(15), 101(5), 111(29), 129(25), 142(25), 153(2), 164(7), 177(16), 193(9), 207(1), 220(2), 275(3). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}_3$ : 322.1084, found 322.1079.



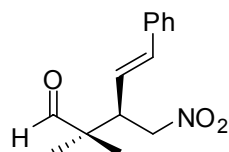
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Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 7.34-7.29 (m, 4H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 1H), 6.54-6.51 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.99-5.93 ((dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.53-4.47 (m, 2H), 3.32-3.26 (m, 1H), 2.79-2.76 (m, 1H), 2.63-2.58 (m, 1H), 2.51-2.44 (m, 1H), 1.17-1.15 (d,  $J=7.0$  Hz, 3H), 1.09-1.06 (t,  $J=7.5$  Hz, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 213.1, 136.2, 134.7, 128.6, 128.0, 126.5, 125.1, 78.0, 47.1, 43.8, 35.2, 15.3, 7.6. IR (film)  $\nu = 3031, 2976, 2932, 2854, 1711, 1552, 1494, 1454, 1379, 1281, 1202, 1103, 1028, 971, 750, 695\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 41(4), 57(100), 65(5), 77(8), 91(16), 102(4), 115(19), 129(56), 143(18), 157(9), 167(1), 185(14), 199(3), 207(8), 214(5), 261(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_3$ :261.1365, found 261.1379.



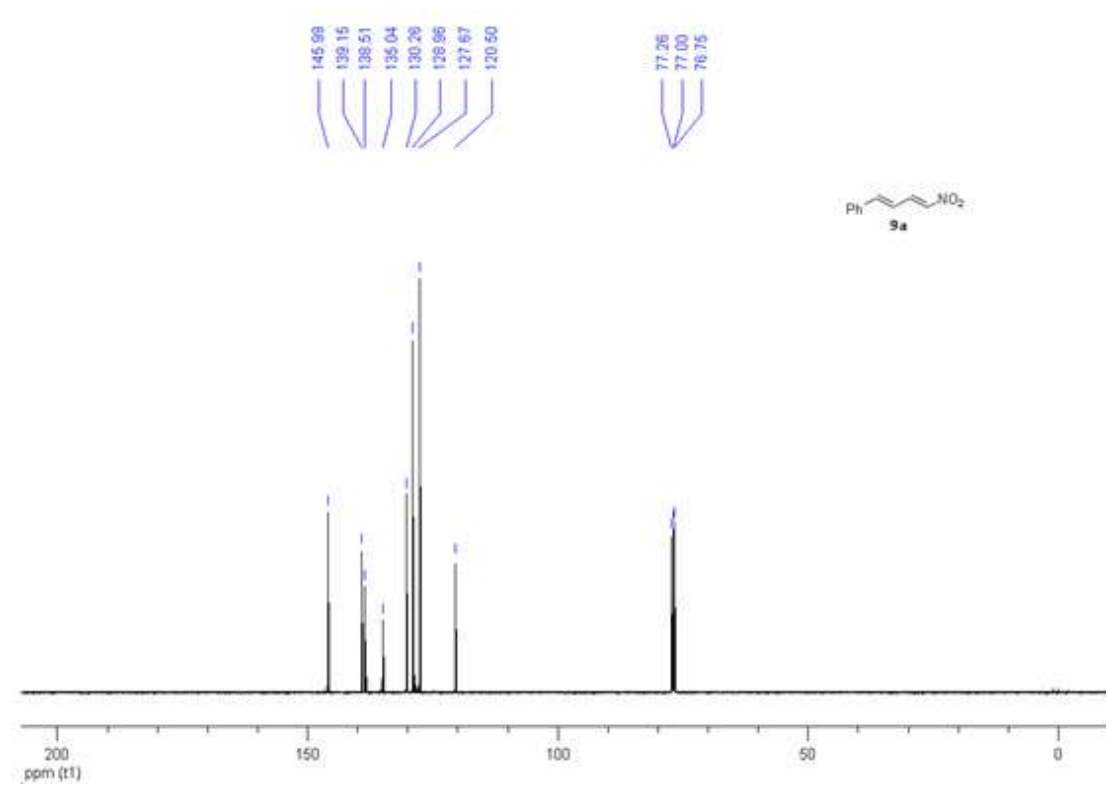
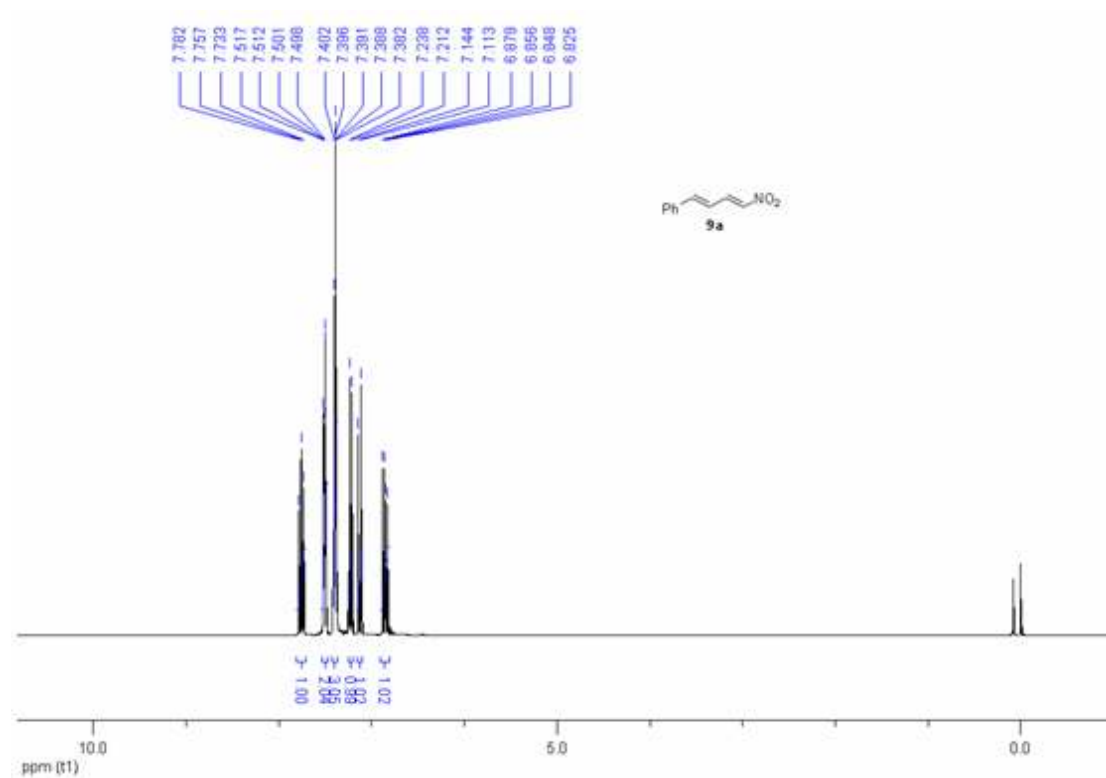
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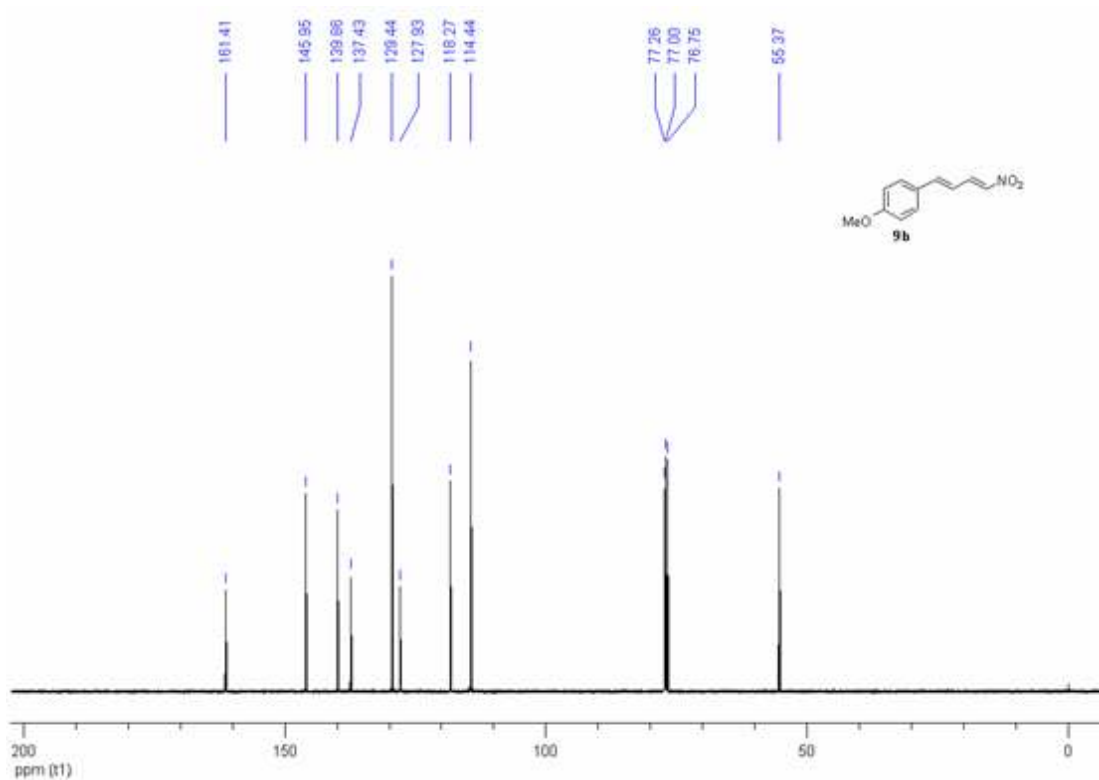
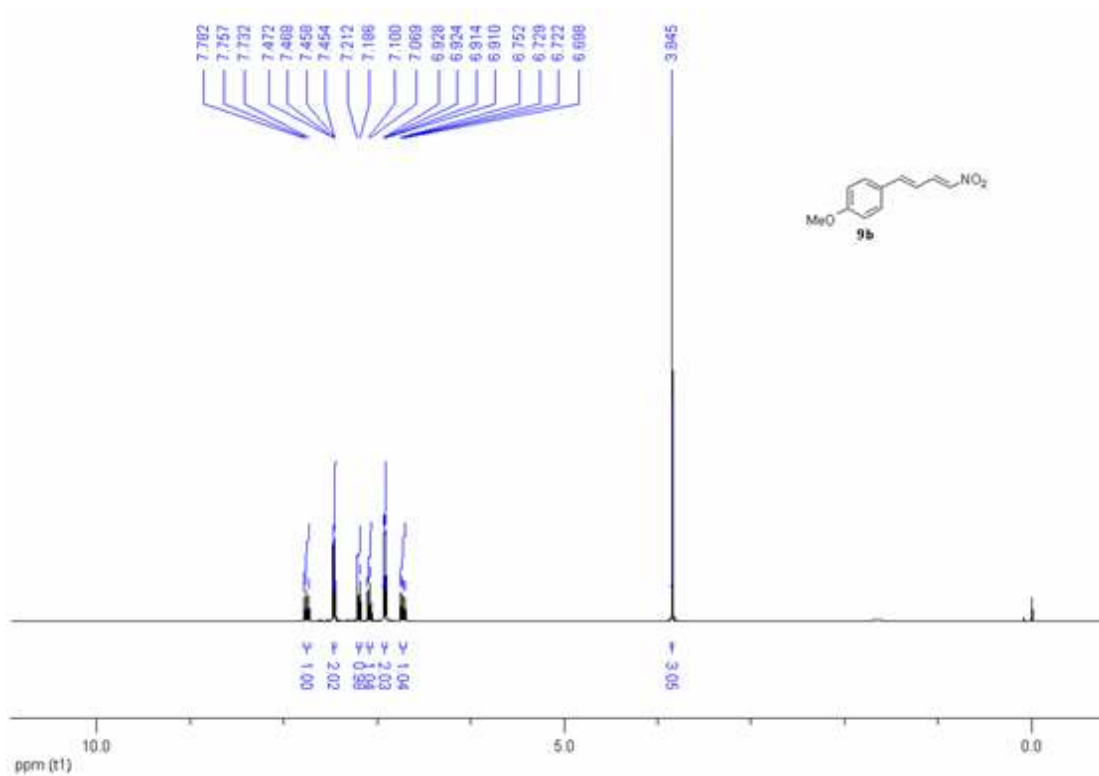
Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 9.88 (d,  $J=2.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 4H), 7.27-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.57-6.54 (d,  $J=16.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.98-5.92 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.56-4.53 (m, 1H), 4.45-4.41 (m, 1H), 3.47-3.45 (m, 1H), 2.55-2.54 (m, 1H), 2.14-2.10 (m, 1H), 1.19-1.17 (d,  $J=7.0$  Hz, 3H), 1.10-1.09 (d,  $J=7.0$  Hz, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 204.1, 136.0, 134.8, 128.6, 128.1, 126.5, 125.0, 78.1, 58.2, 40.3, 28.2, 21.7, 17.6. IR (film)  $\nu = 2961, 2931, 2873, 1718, 1555, 1467, 1380, 1302, 1169, 1120, 971, 750, 694\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 41(52), 55(26), 69(15), 77(23), 91(97), 104(33), 115(59), 129(100), 143(27), 153(10), 171(70), 183(2), 191(4), 207(34), 214(3), 261(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_3$ :261.1365, found 261.1375.

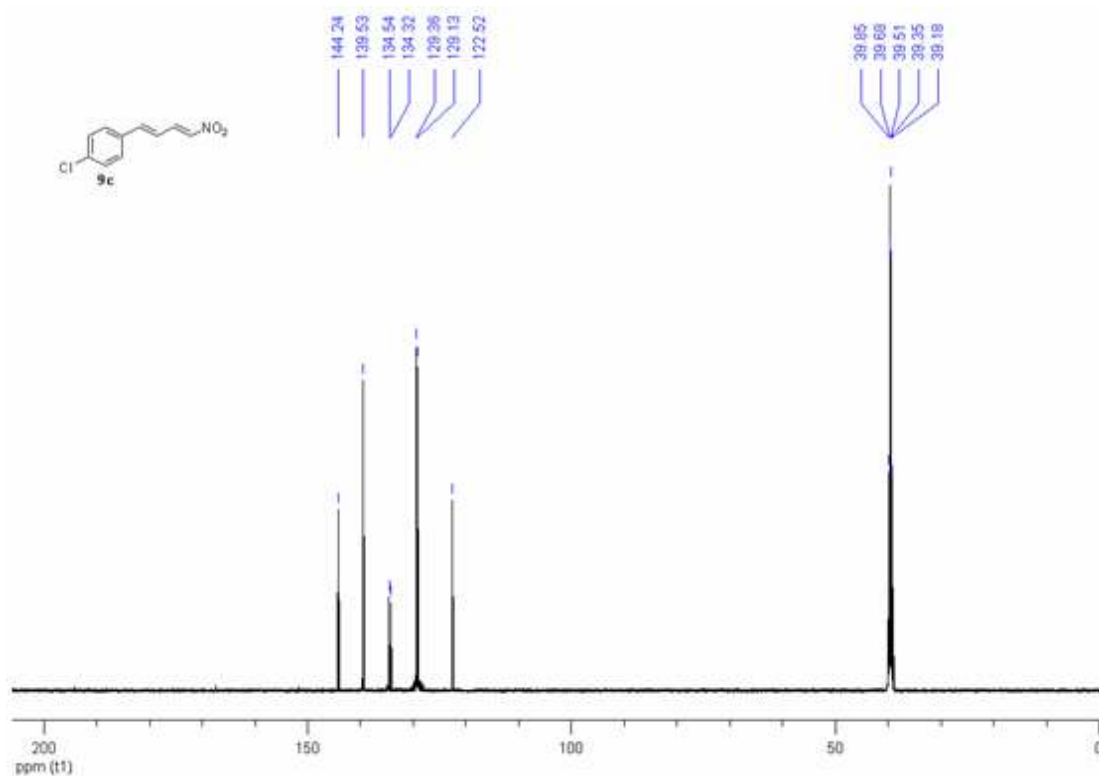
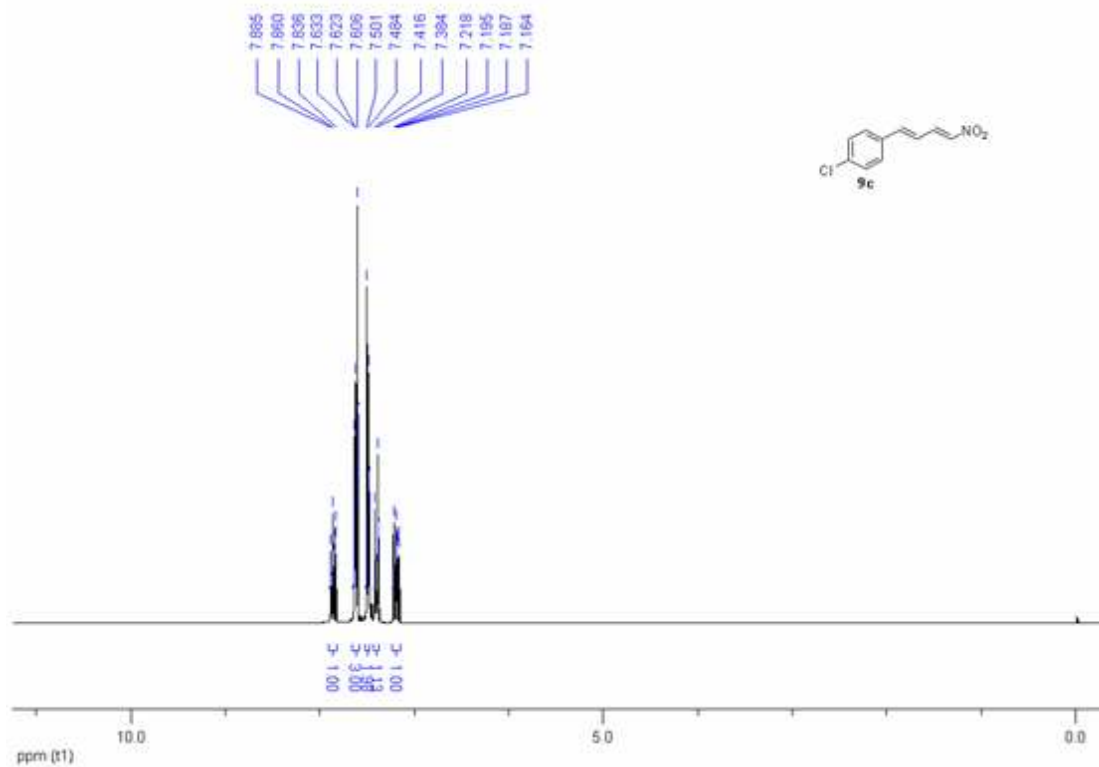


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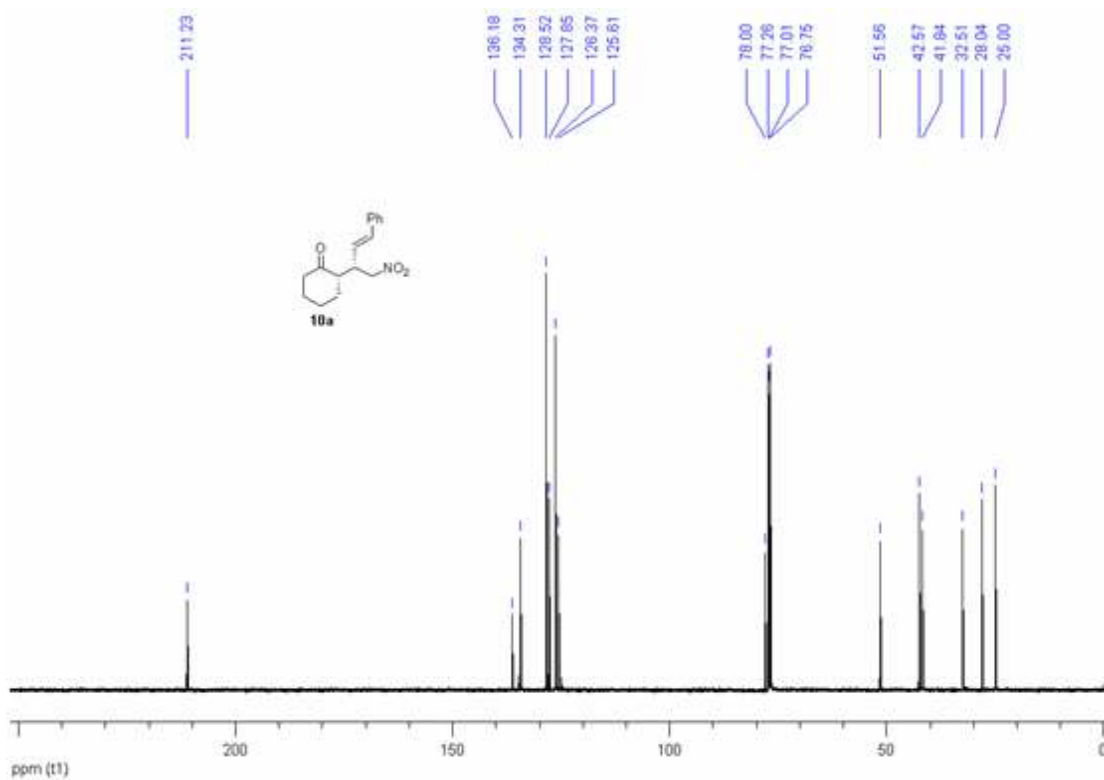
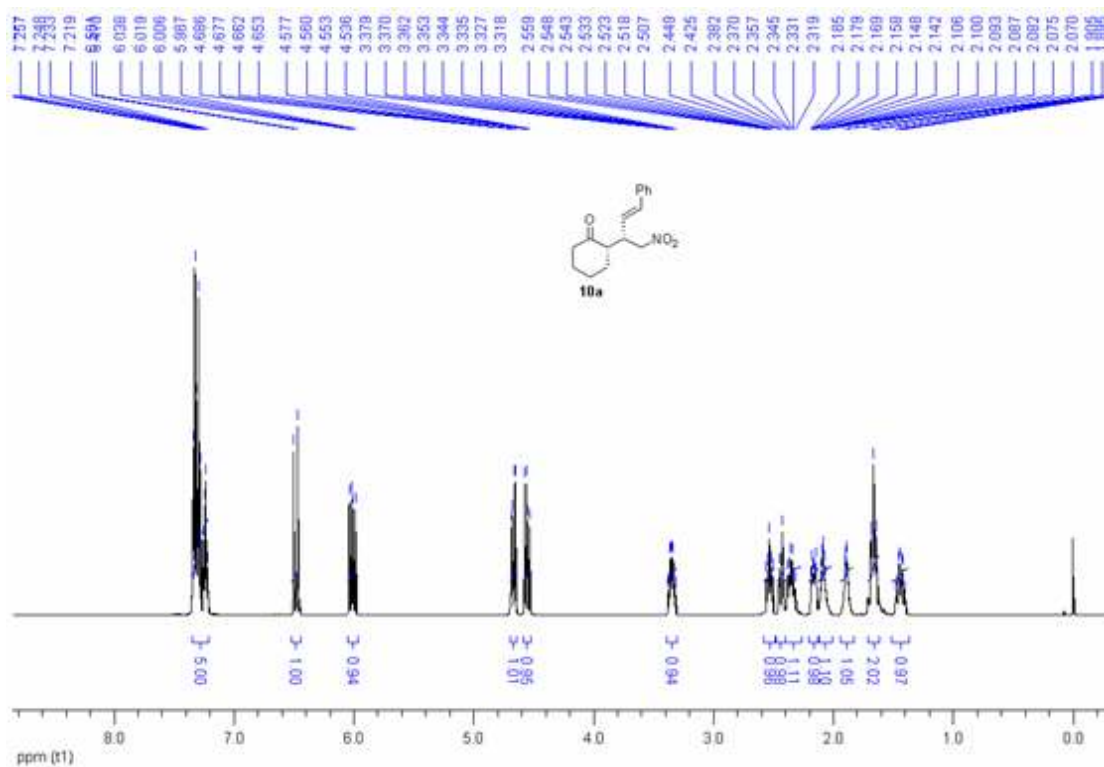
Amber oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 9.51 (s, 1H), 7.33-7.26 (m, 5H), 6.54-6.51 (d,  $J=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.04-5.99 (dd,  $J_1=9.5$  Hz,  $J_2=15.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.54-4.45 (m, 2H), 3.30-3.26 (m, 1H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.15 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 203.9, 136.3, 136.0, 128.6, 128.2, 126.6, 122.9, 76.7, 47.7, 47.2, 20.9, 19.1. IR (film)  $\nu = 2971, 2932, 2876, 1724, 1556, 1472, 1380, 1200, 1160, 1099, 1026, 970, 886, 748, 694\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . MS(EI): 41(29), 51(14), 65(9), 77(18), 91(47), 104(41), 115(45), 129(100), 143(7), 157(7), 171(2), 185(2), 193(1), 200(1), 207(15), 247(1). HRMS calc. for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3$ :247.1208, found 247.1209.

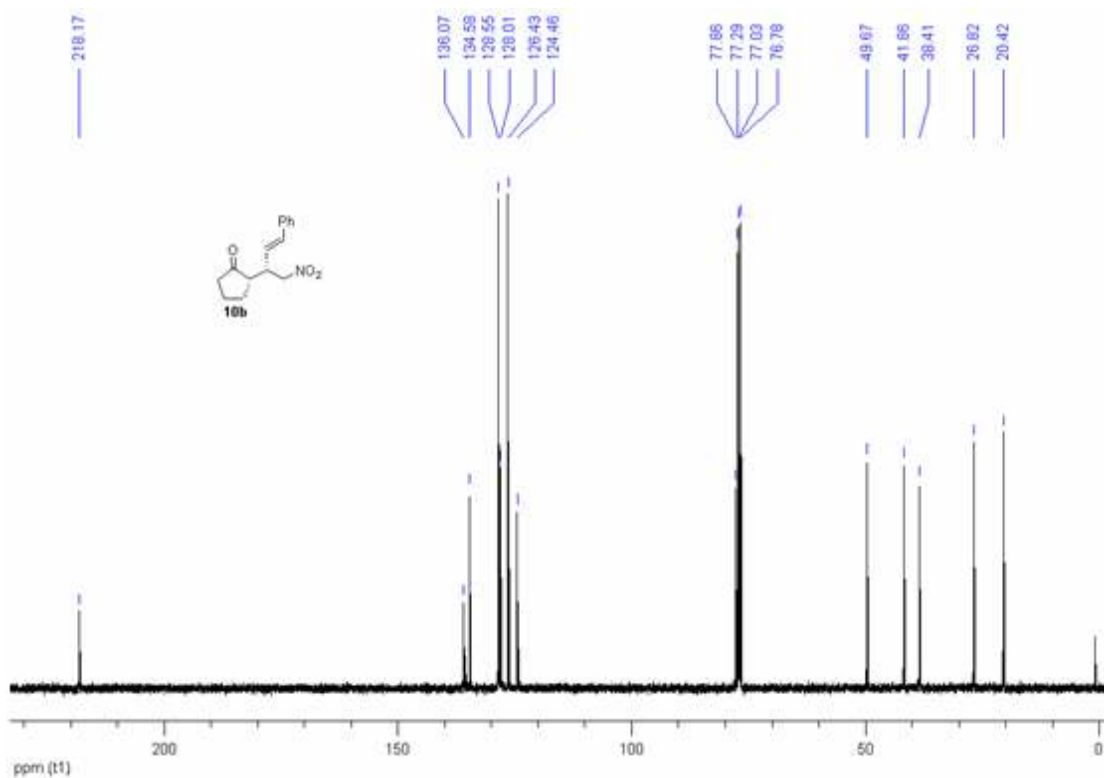
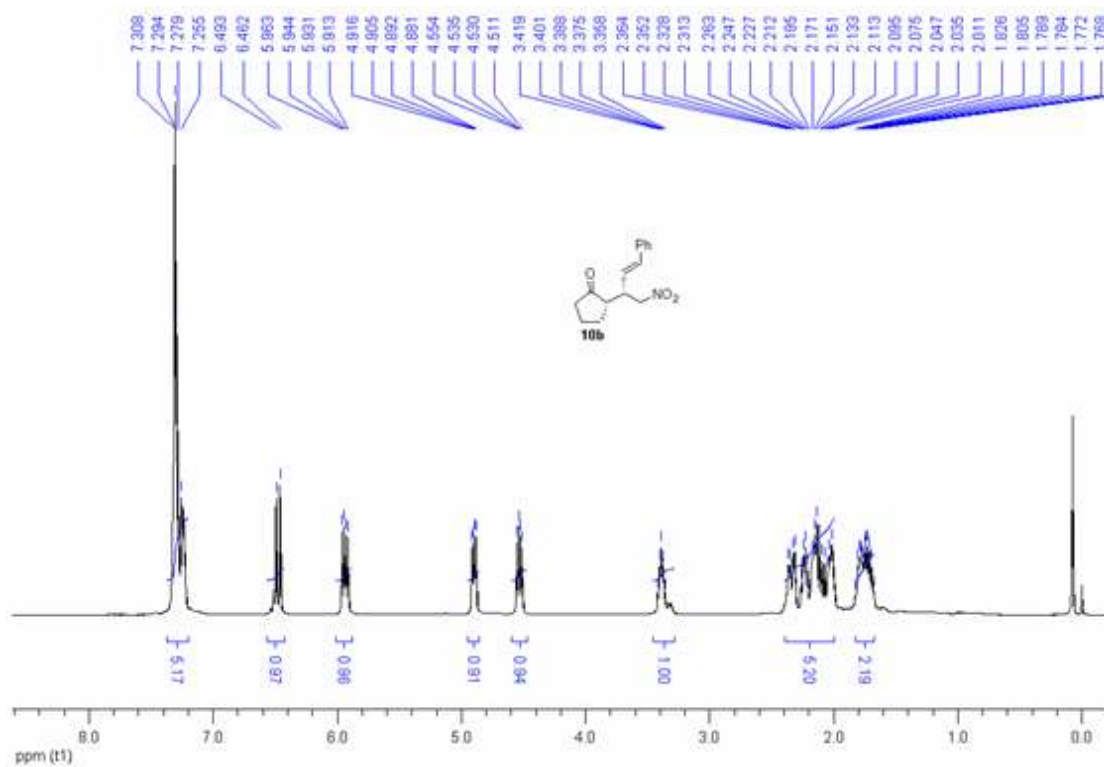


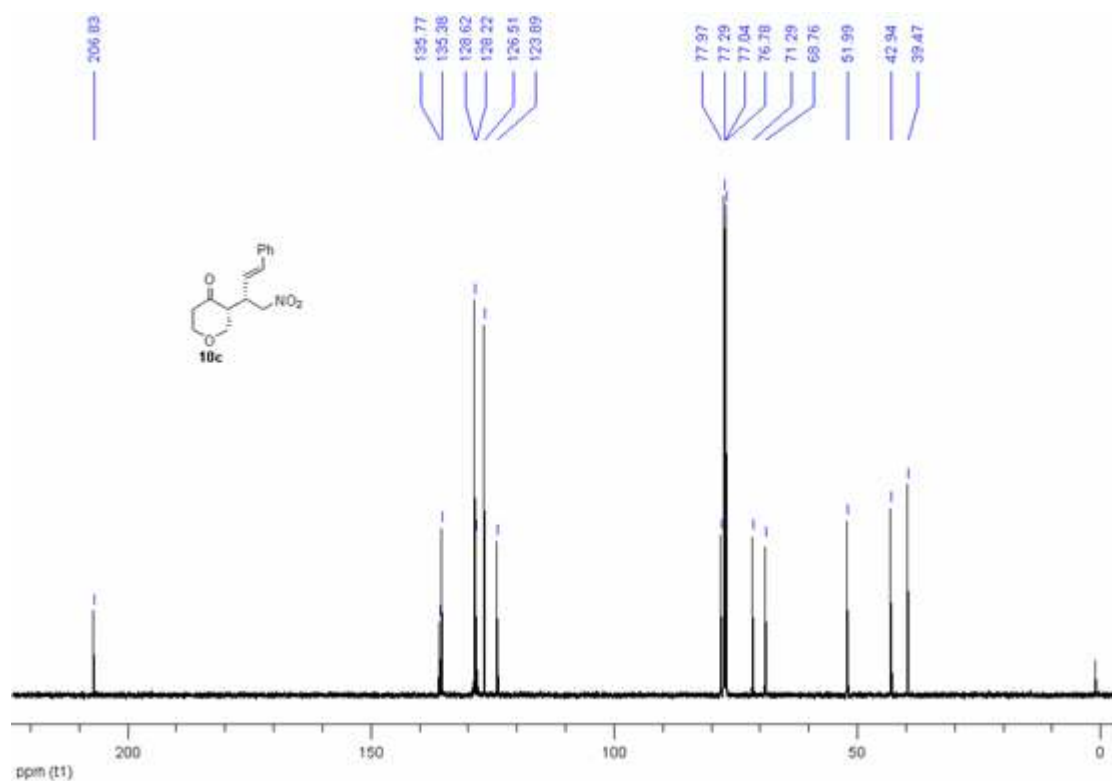
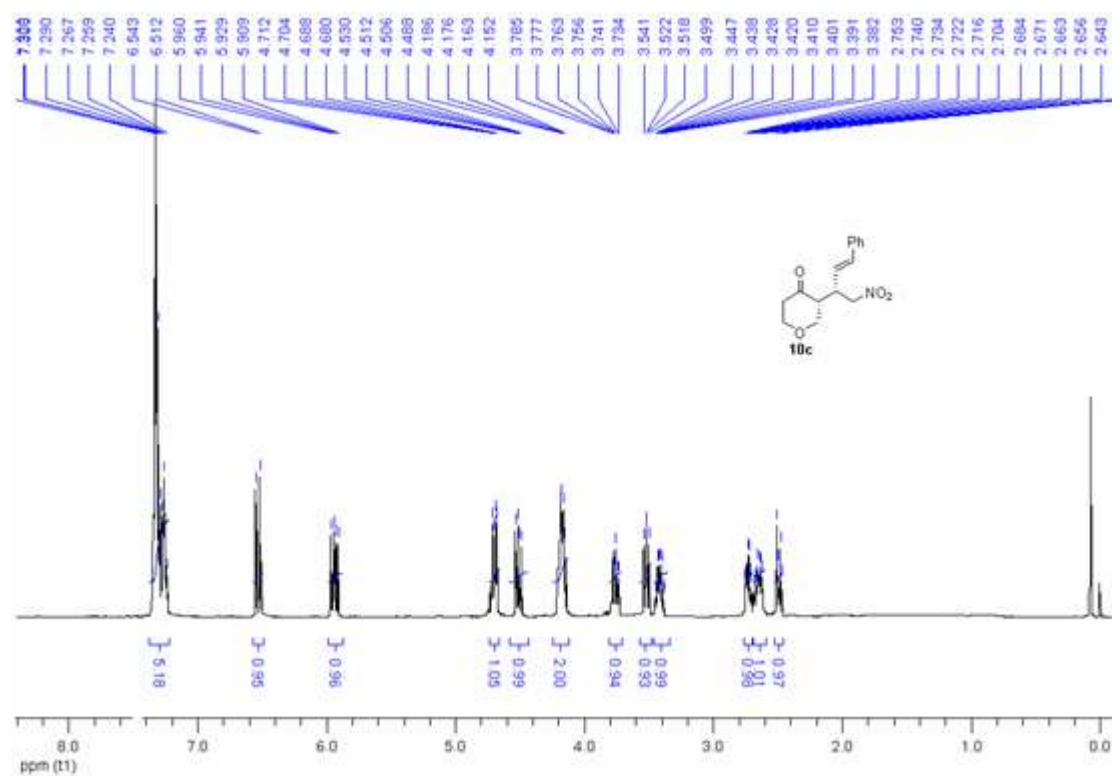


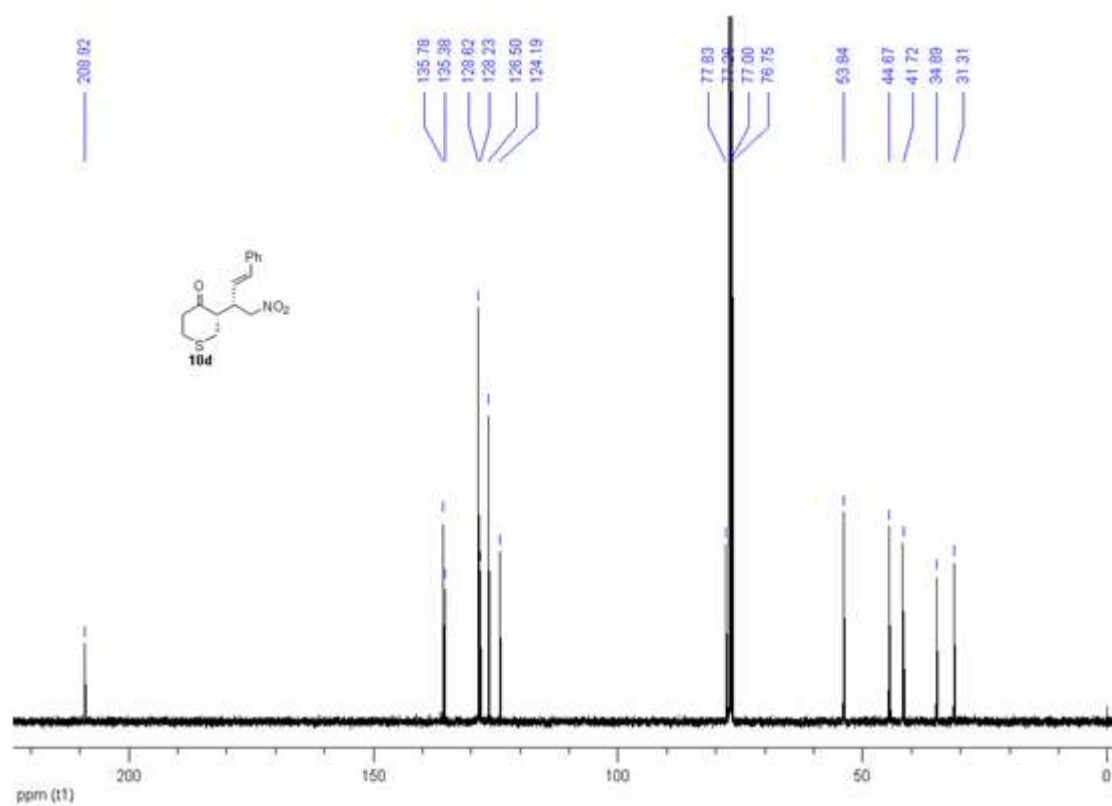
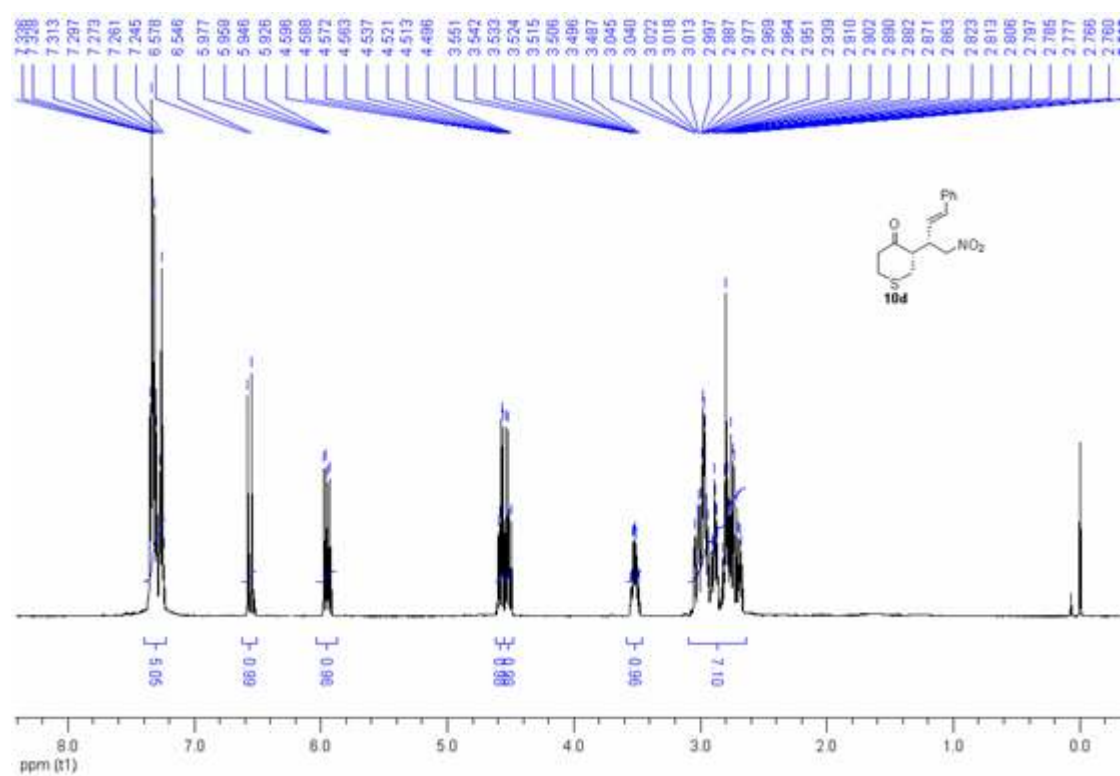


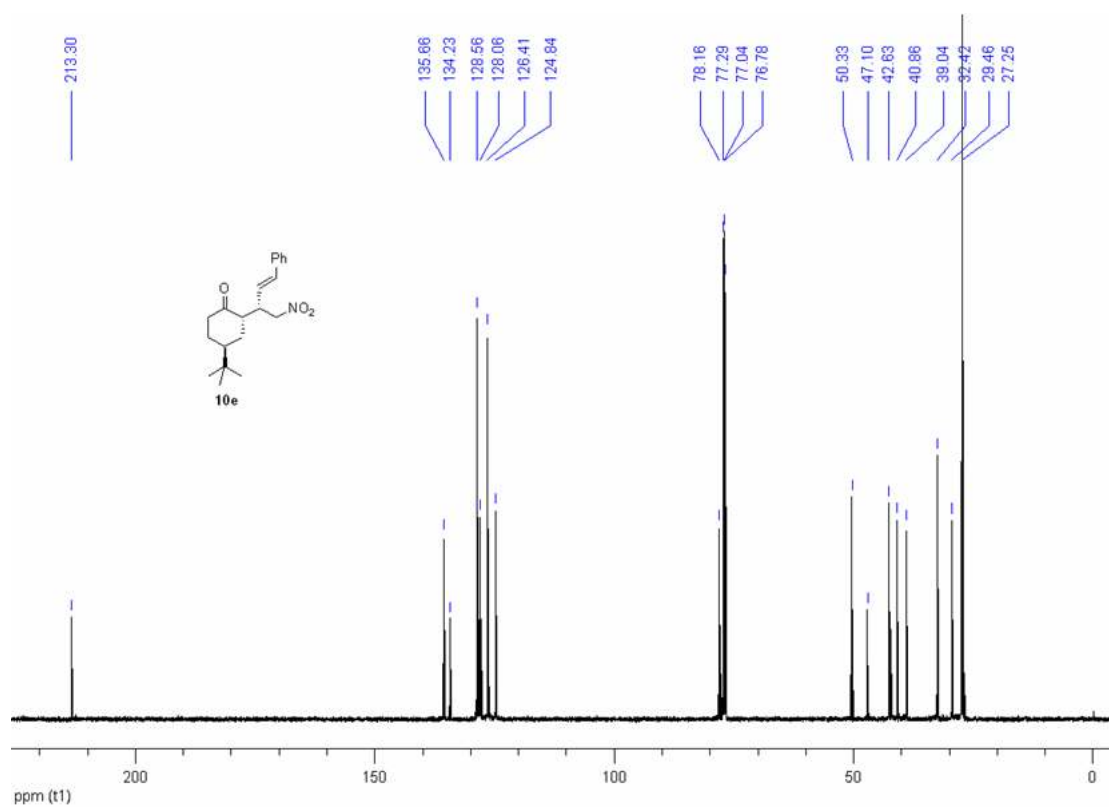
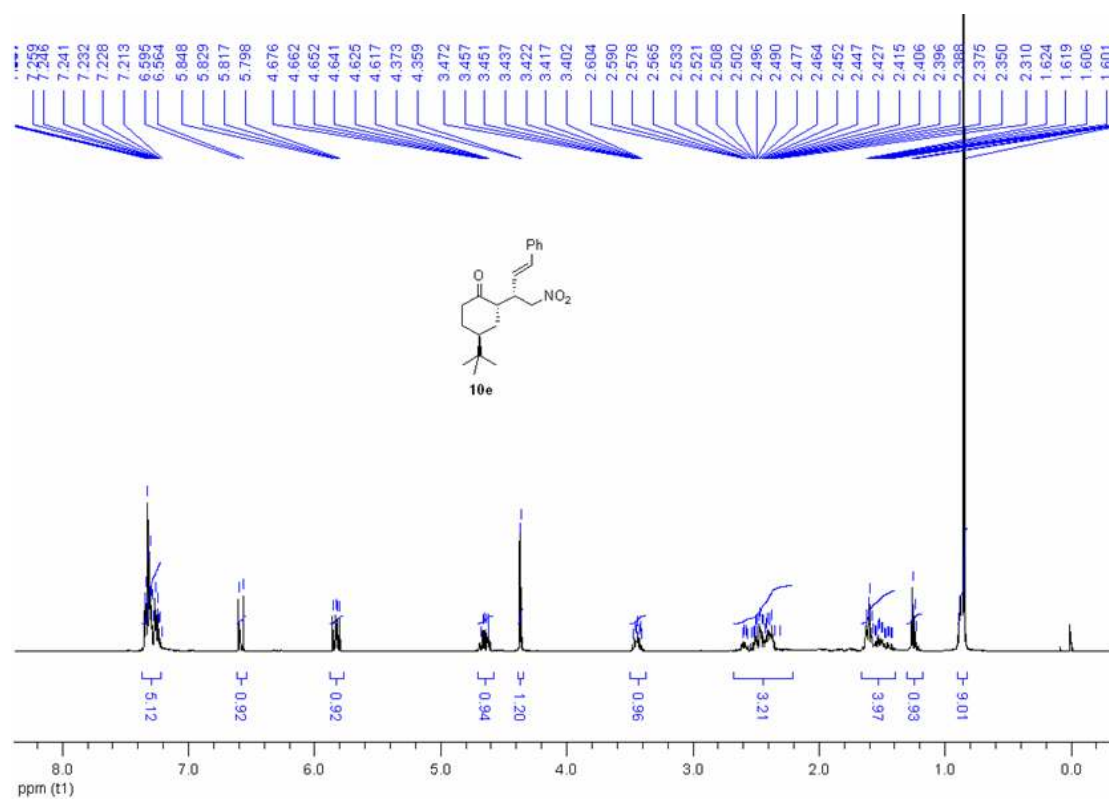


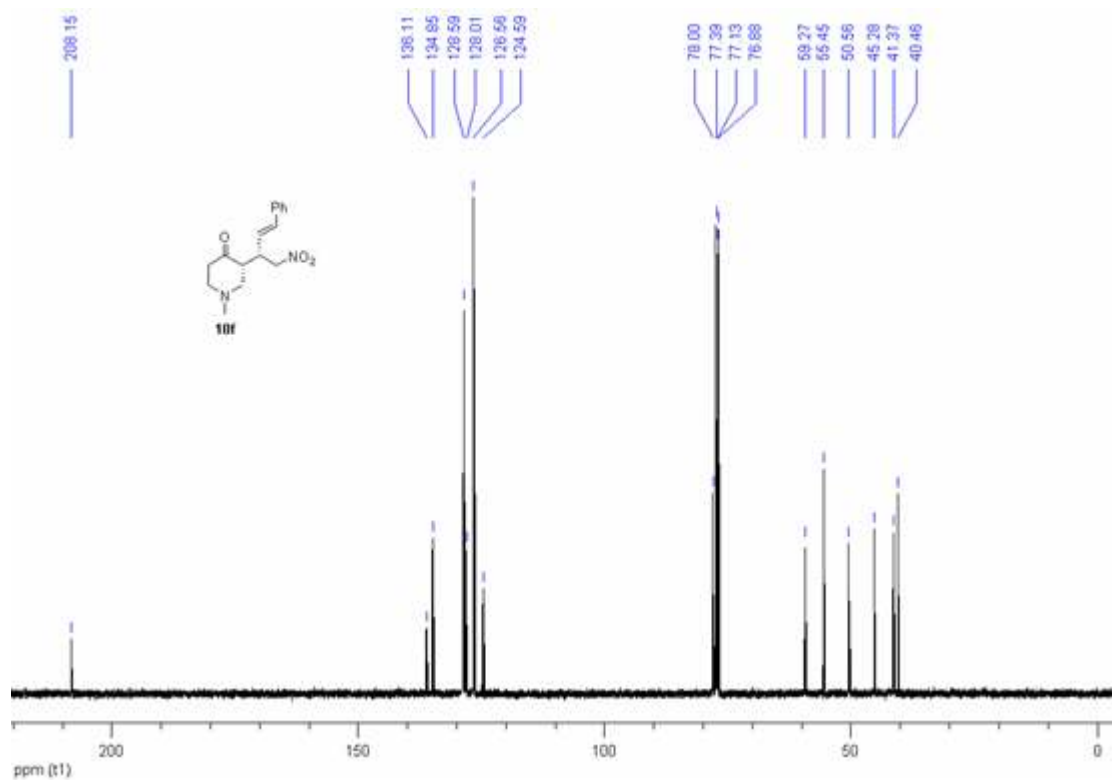
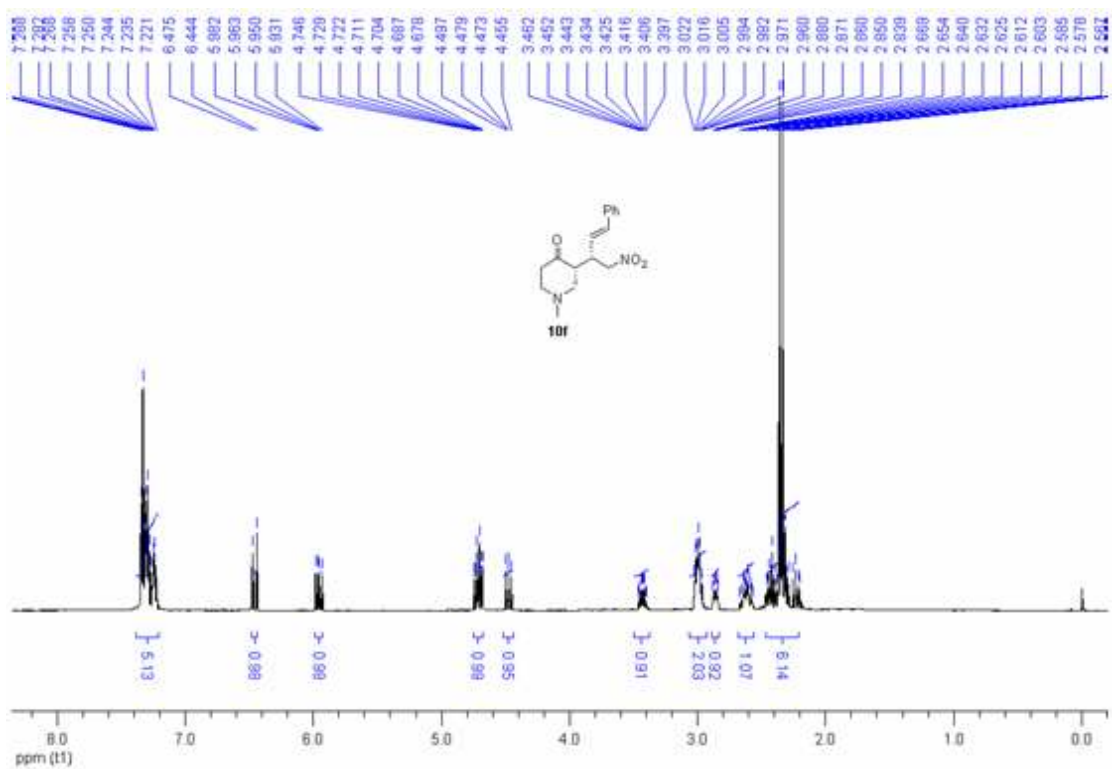


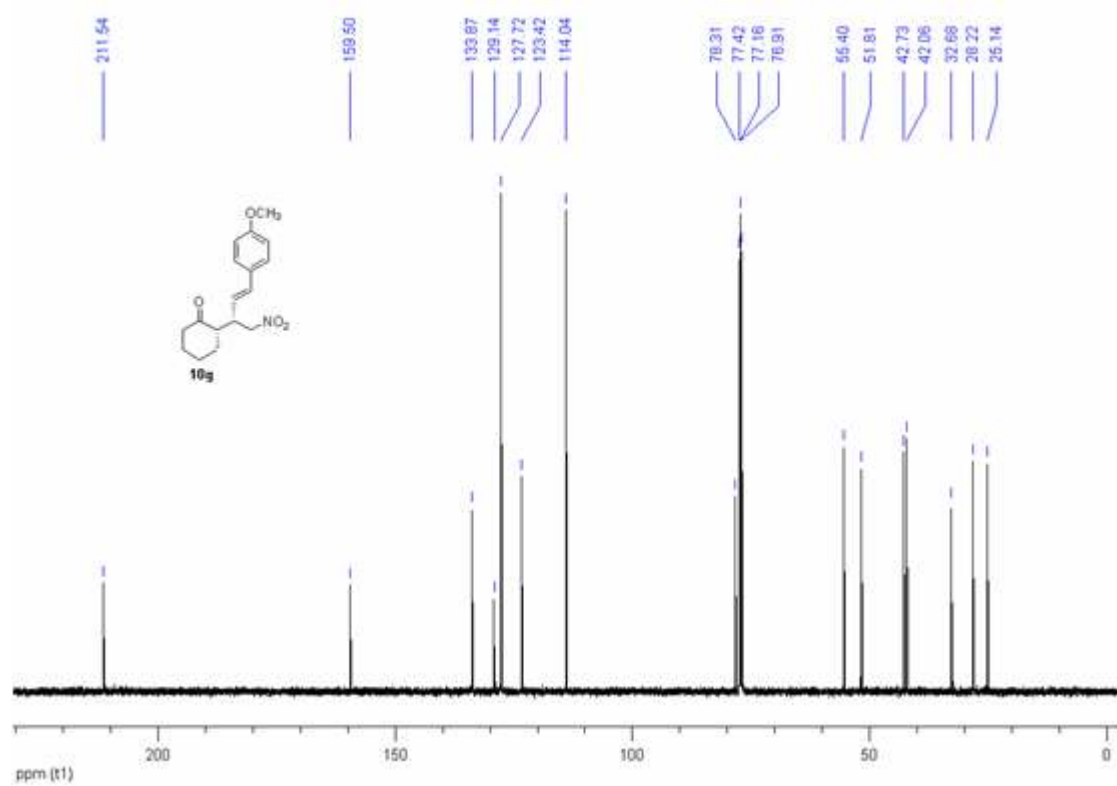
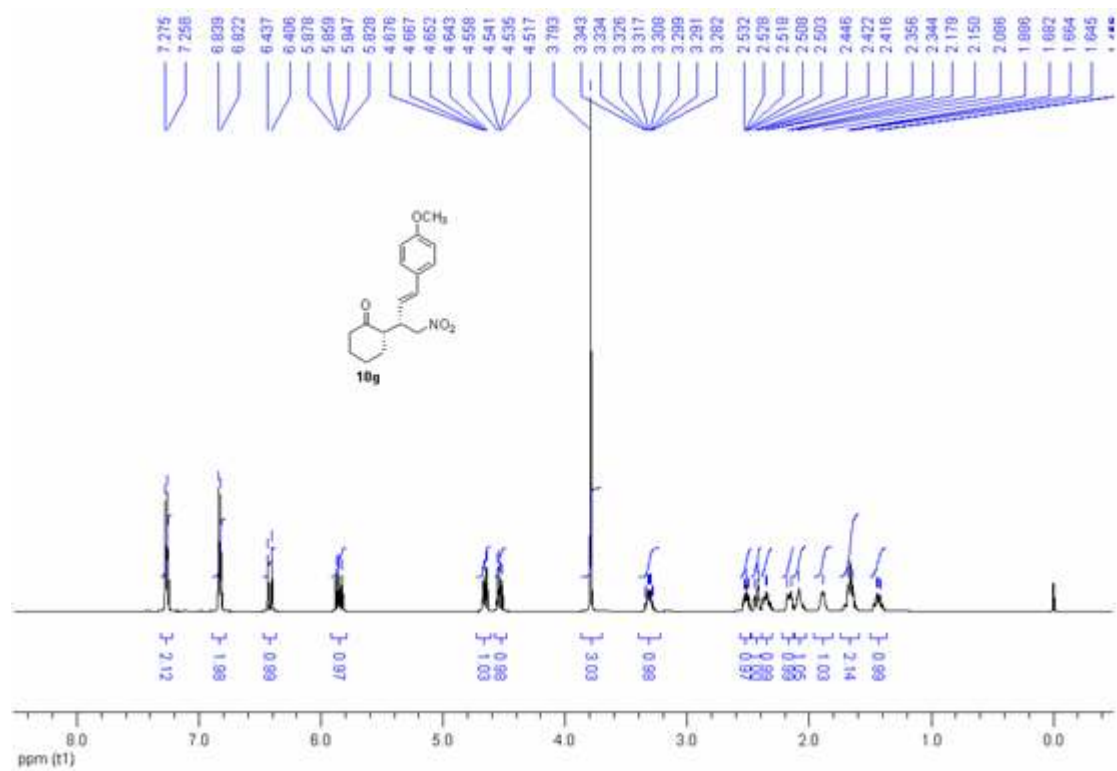




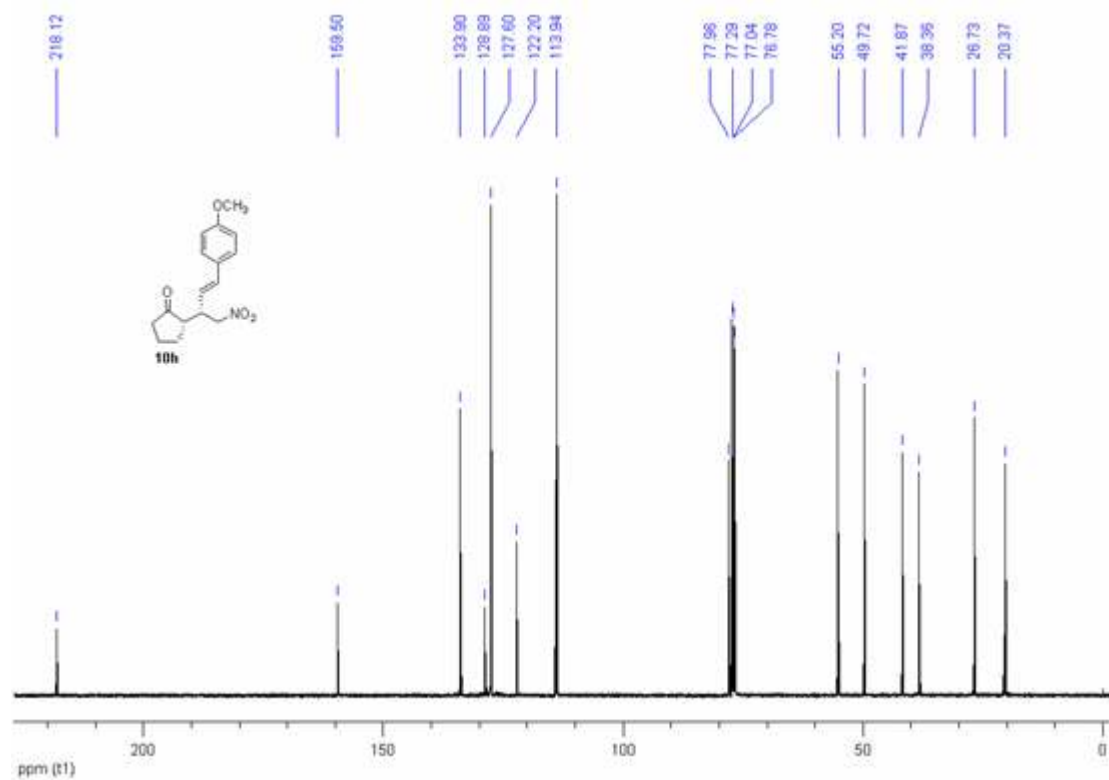
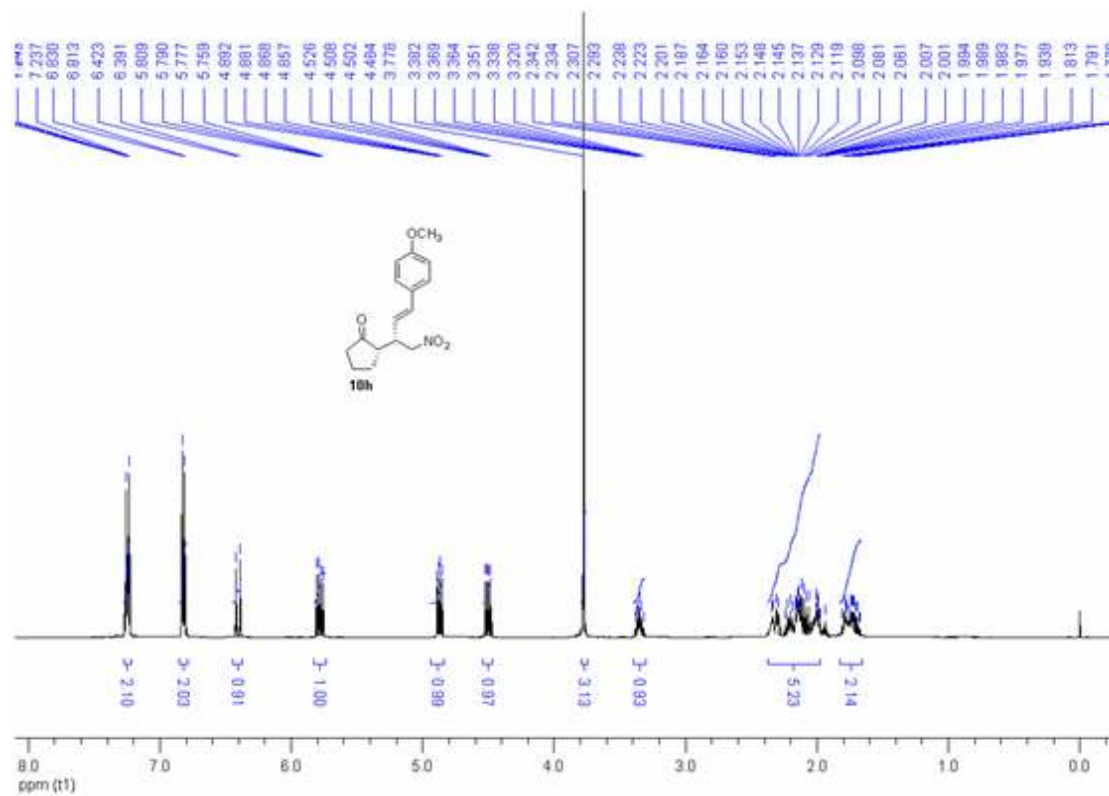




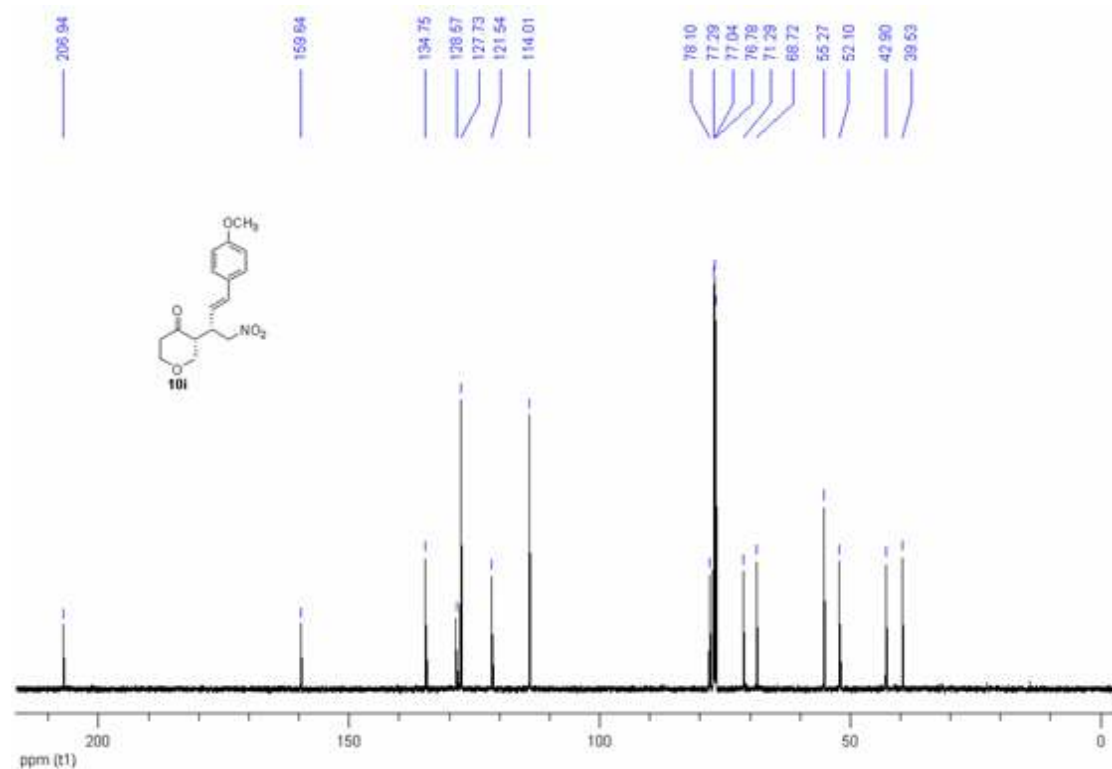
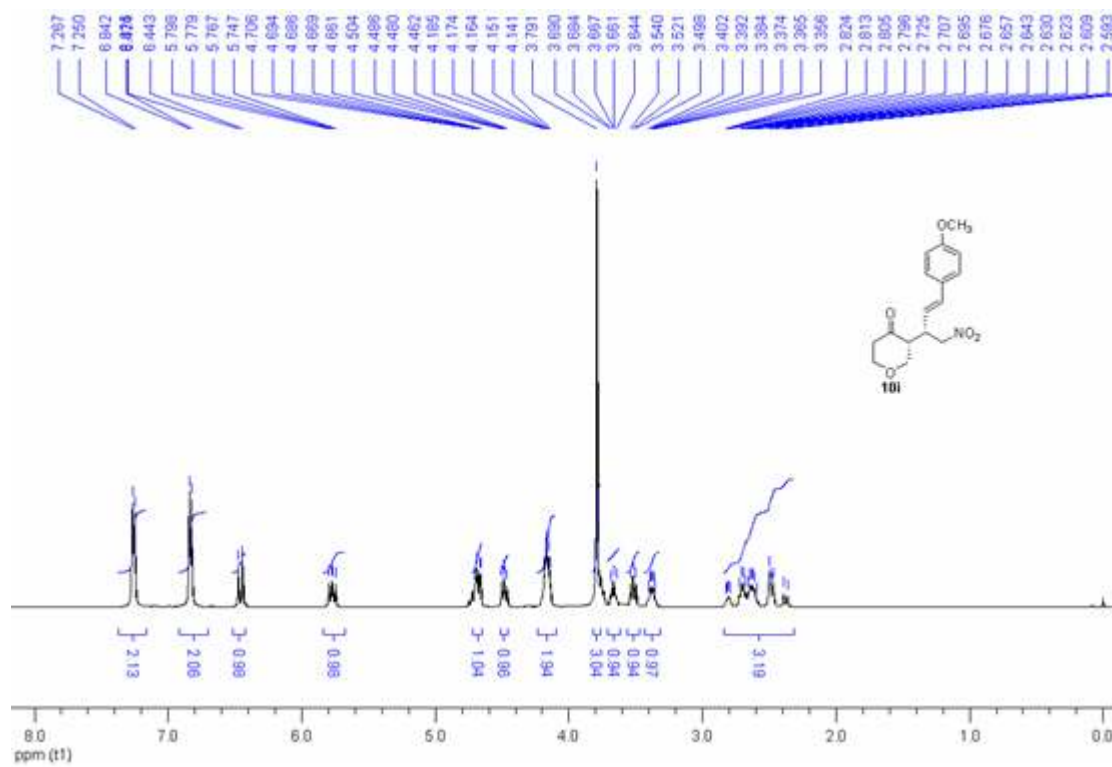


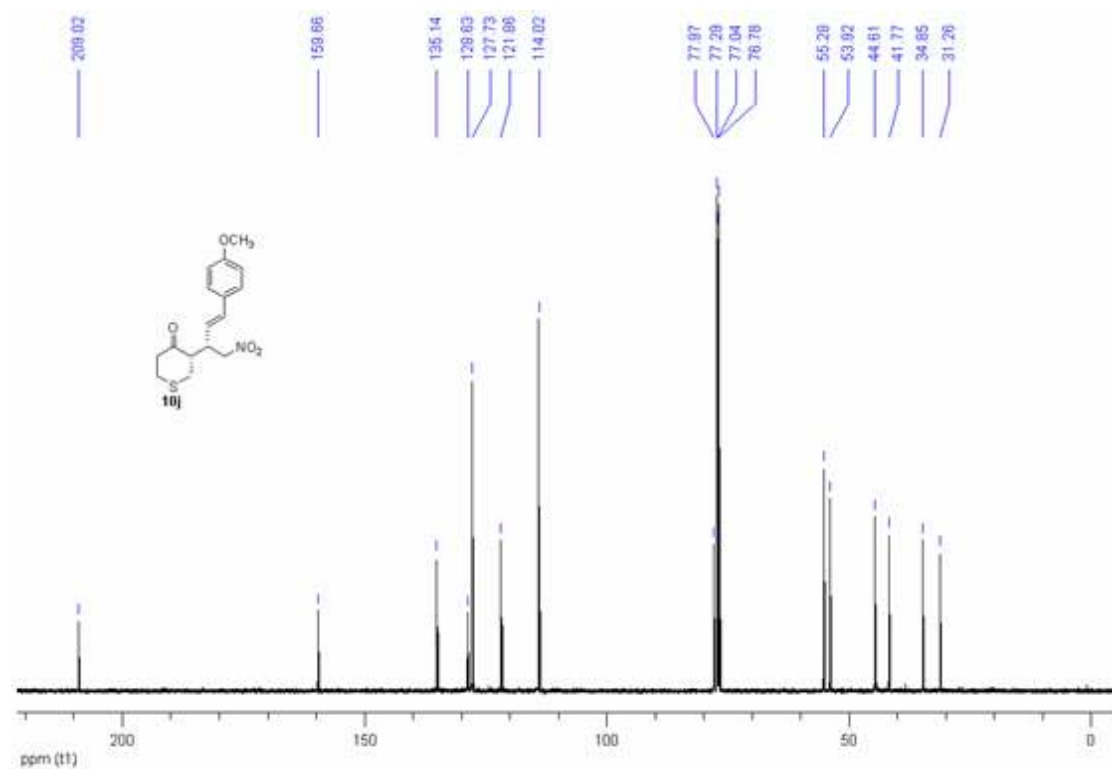
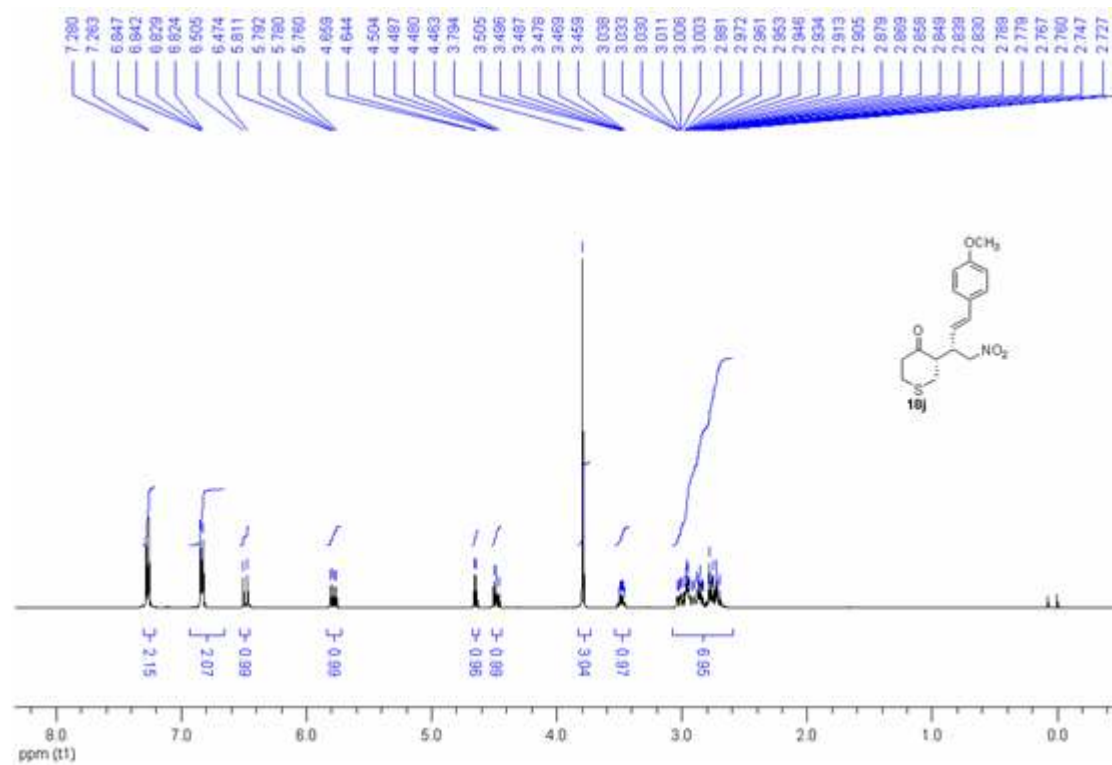


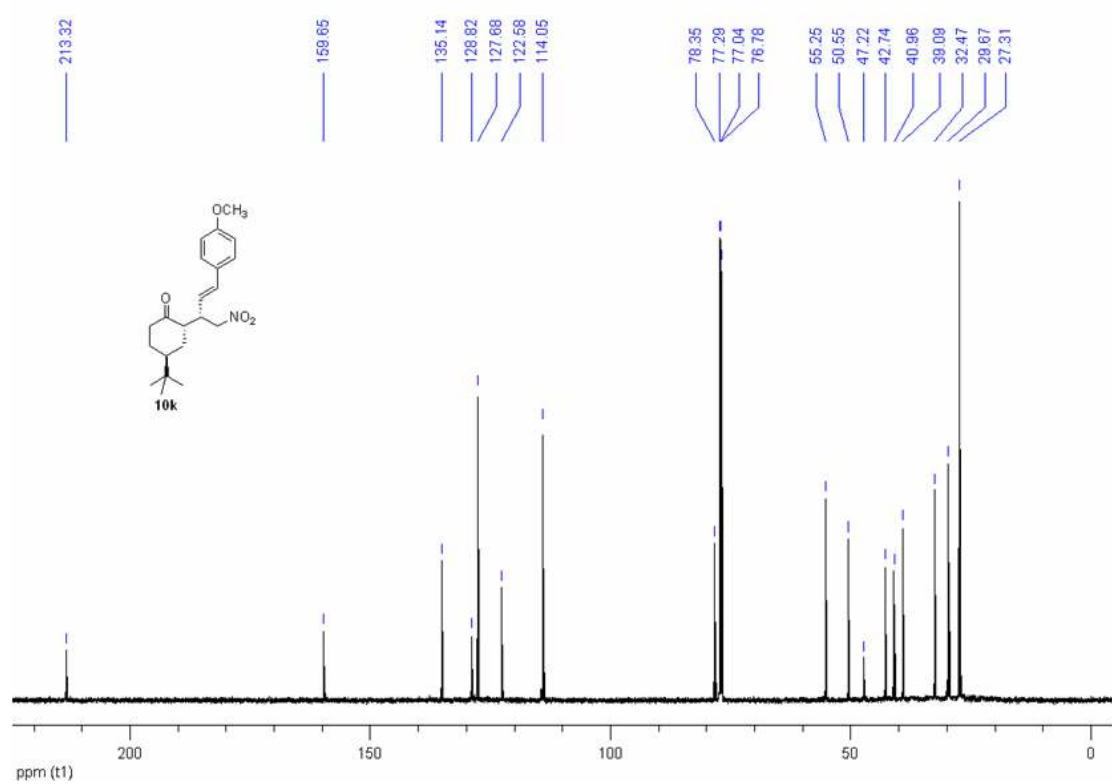
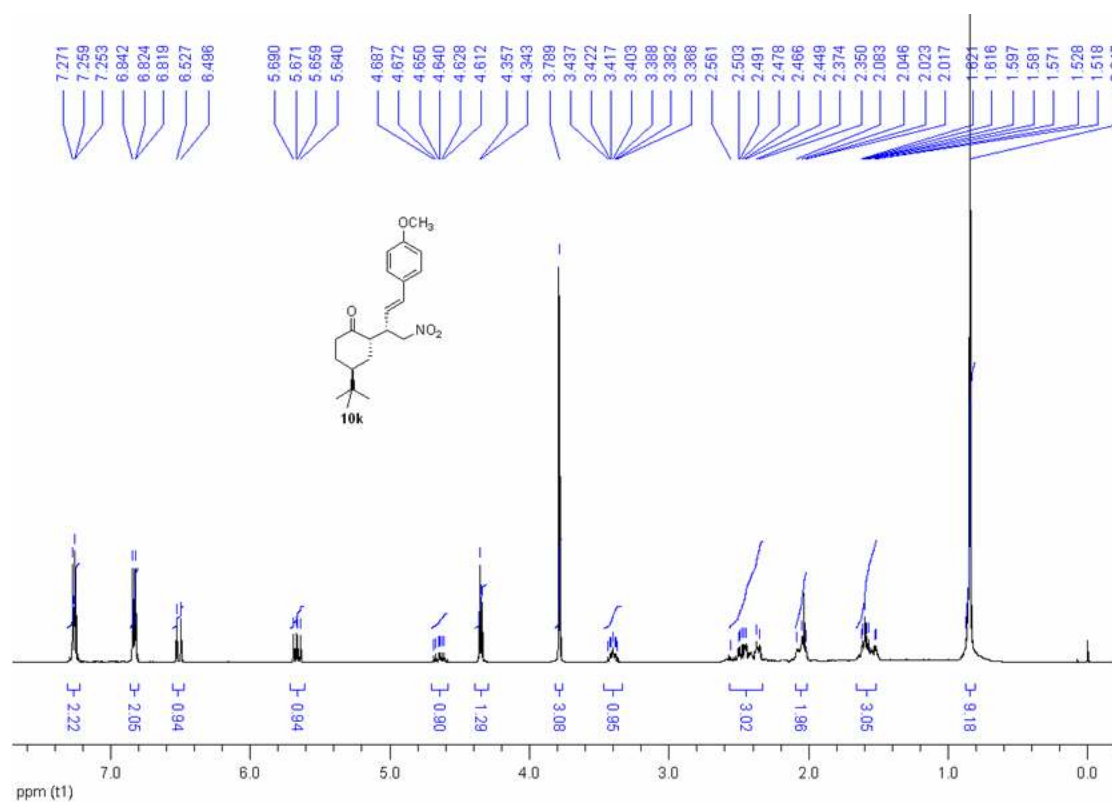


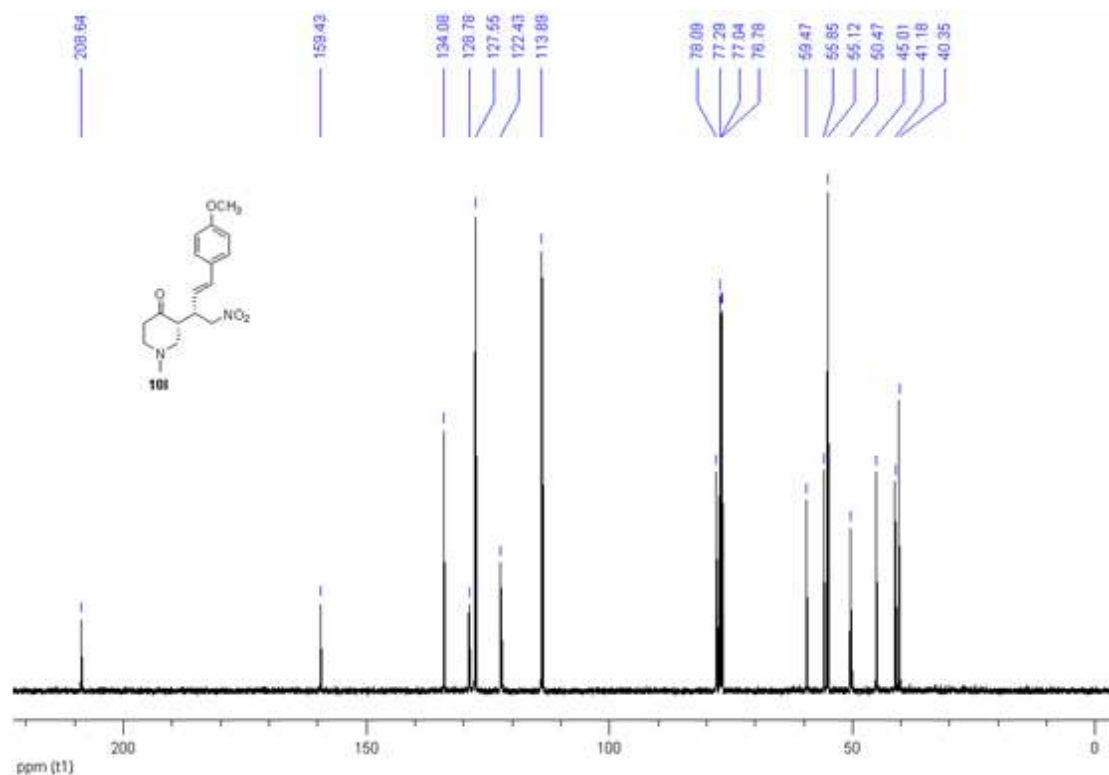
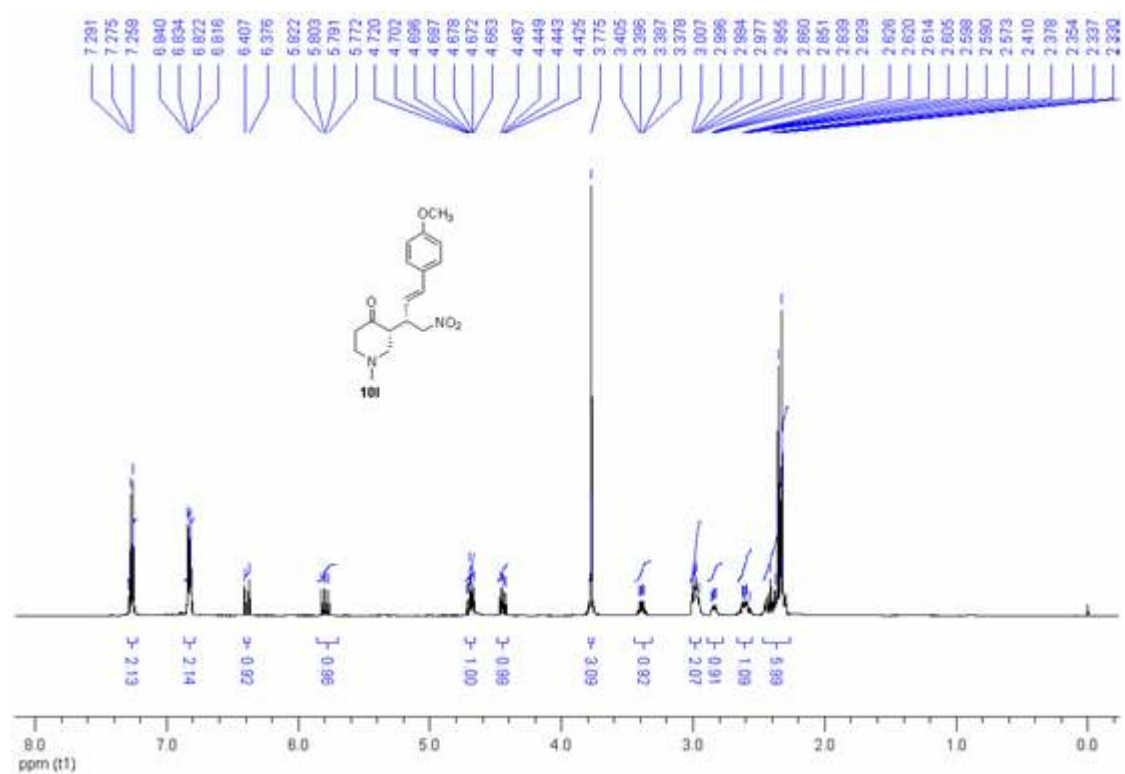


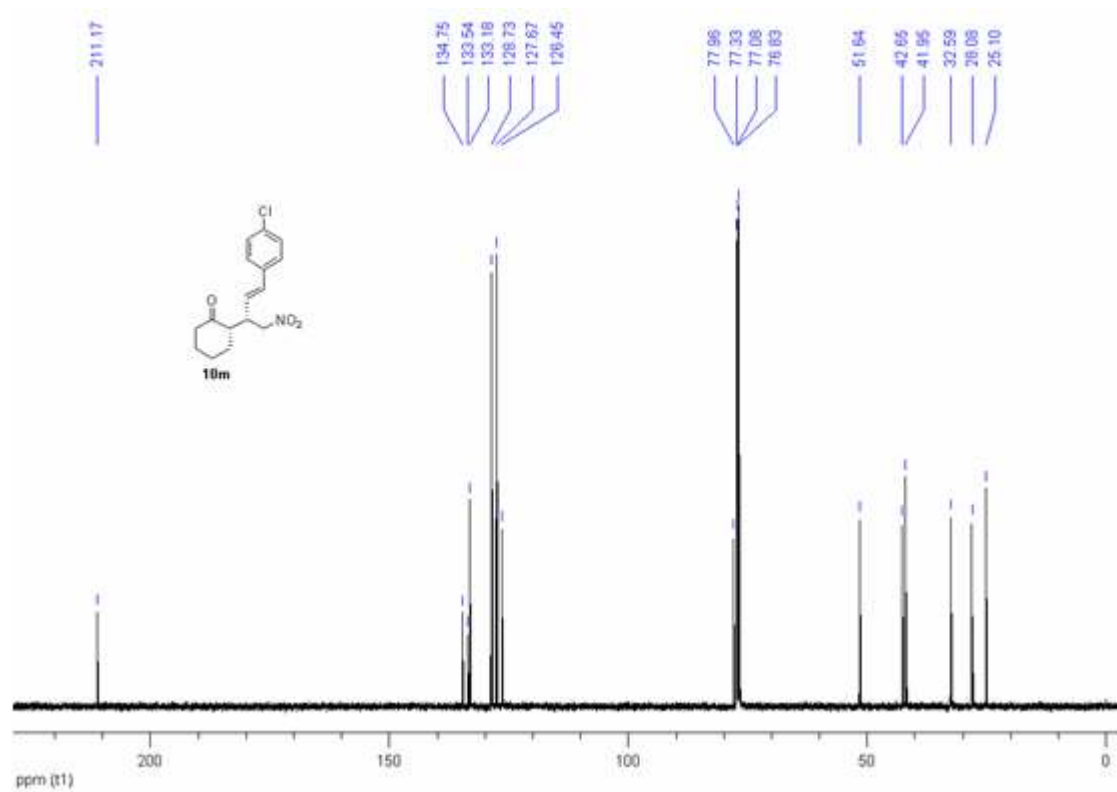
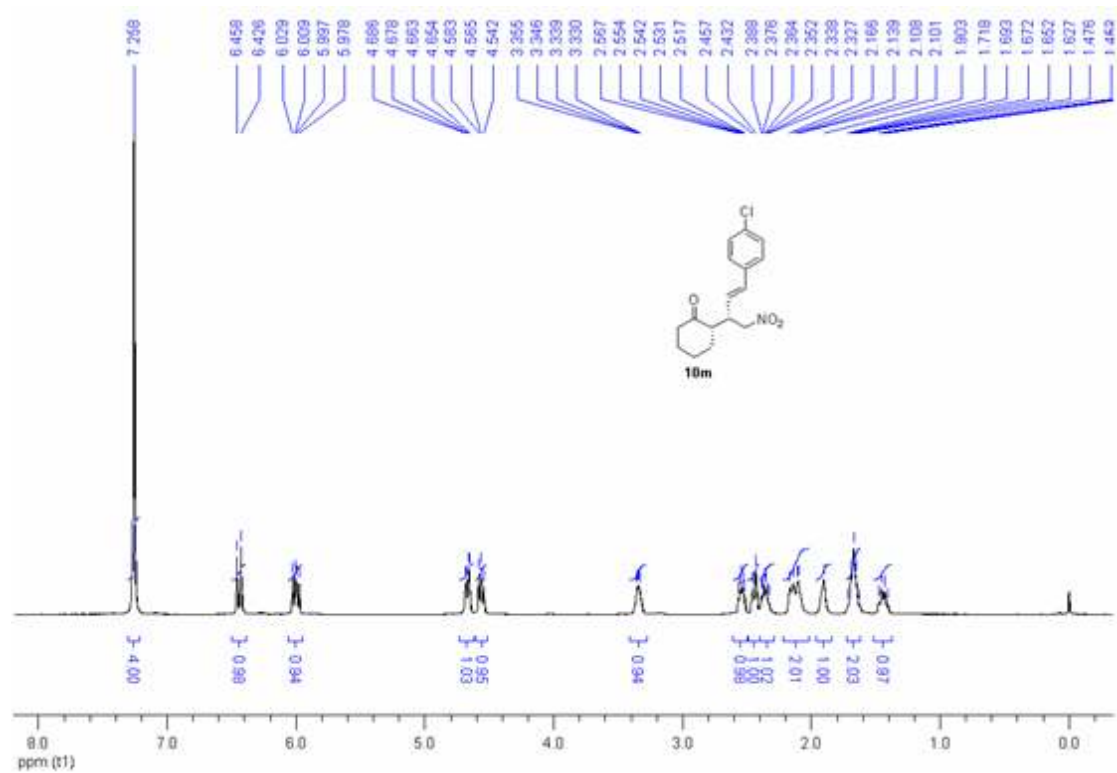


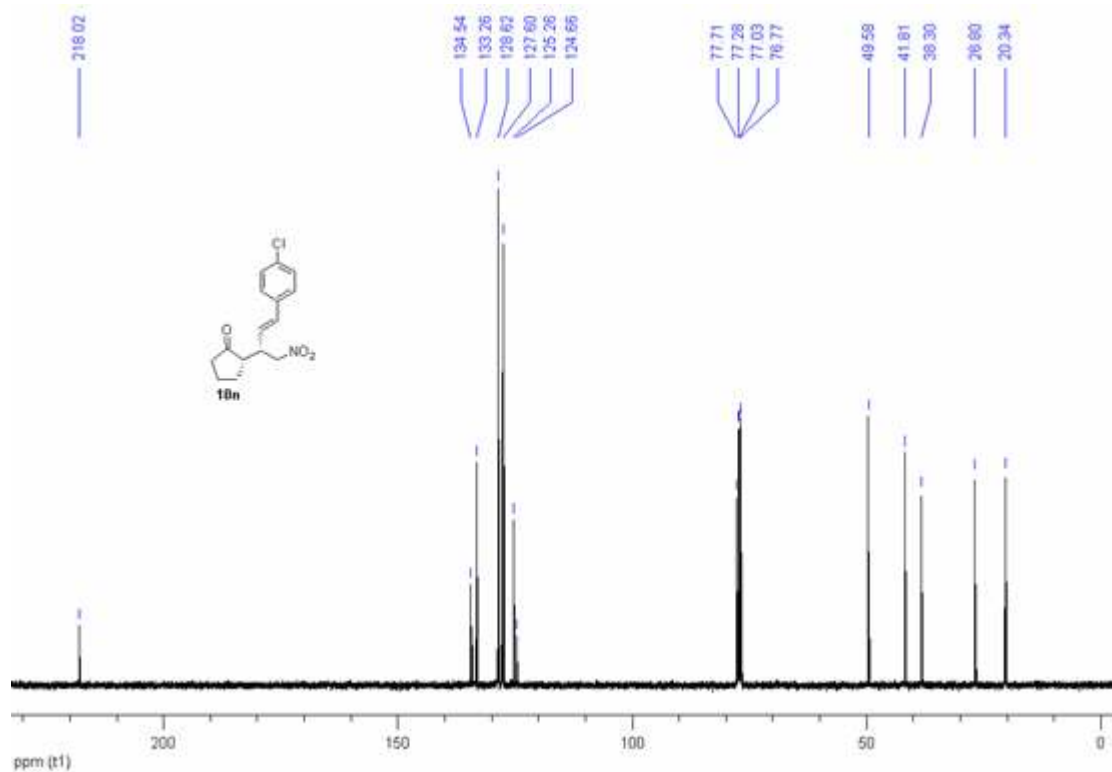
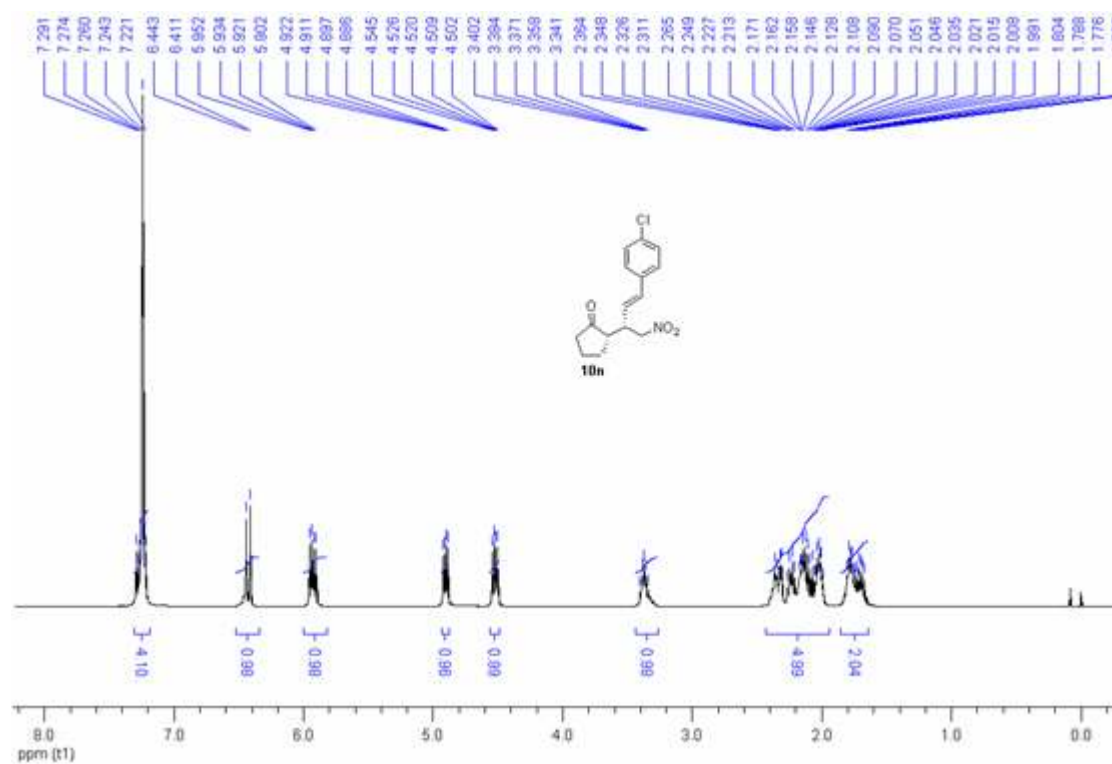


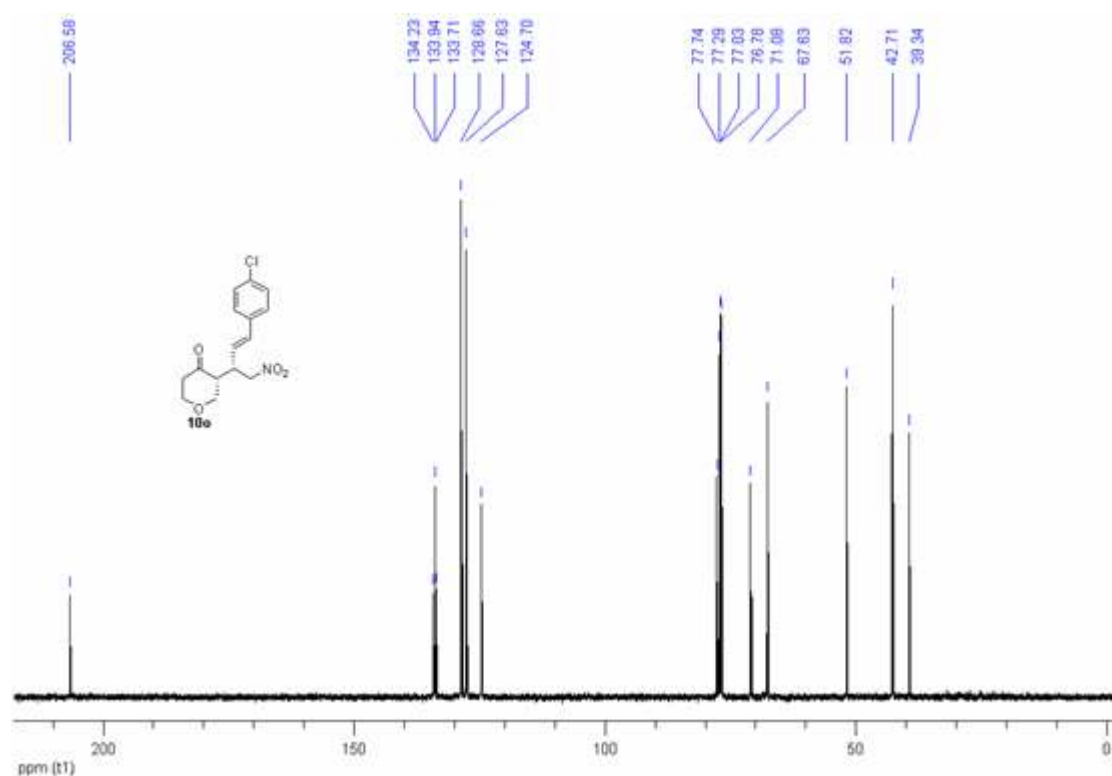
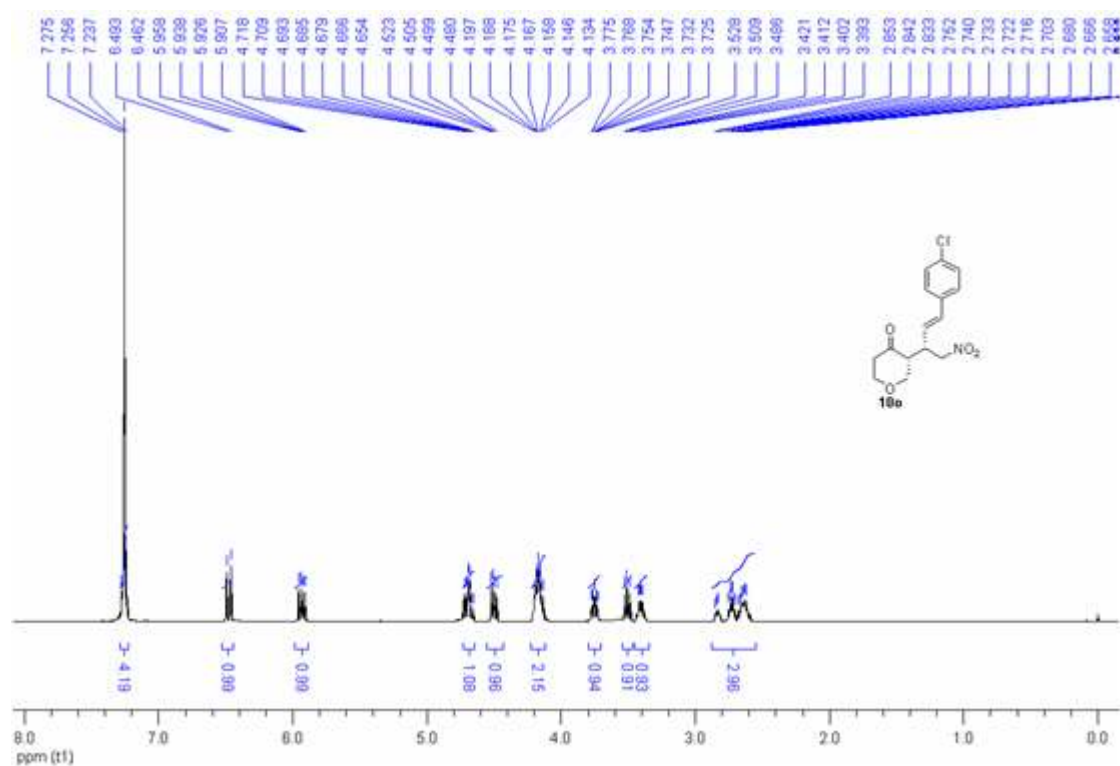




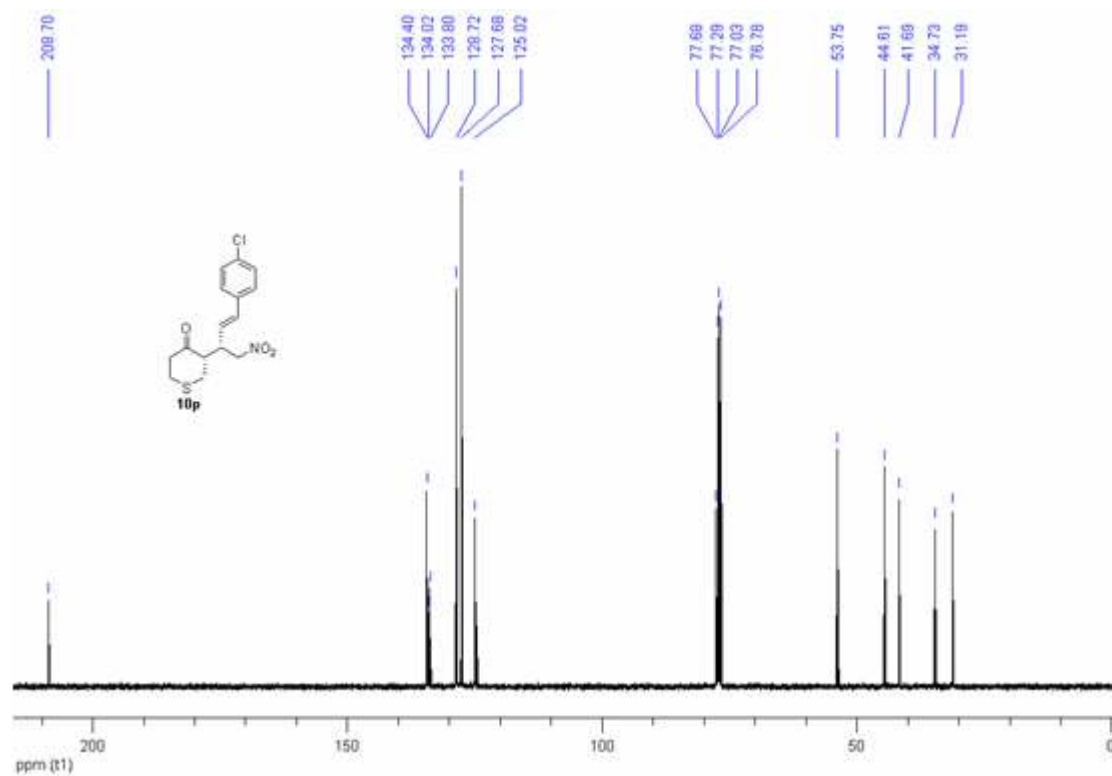
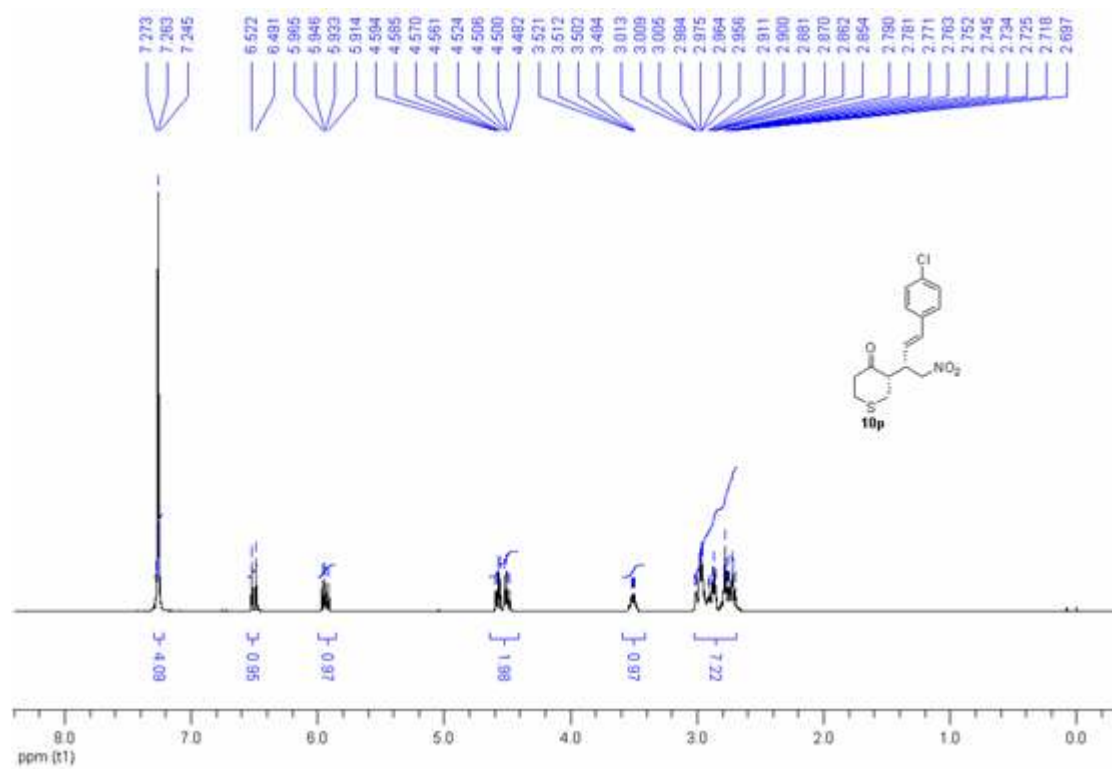




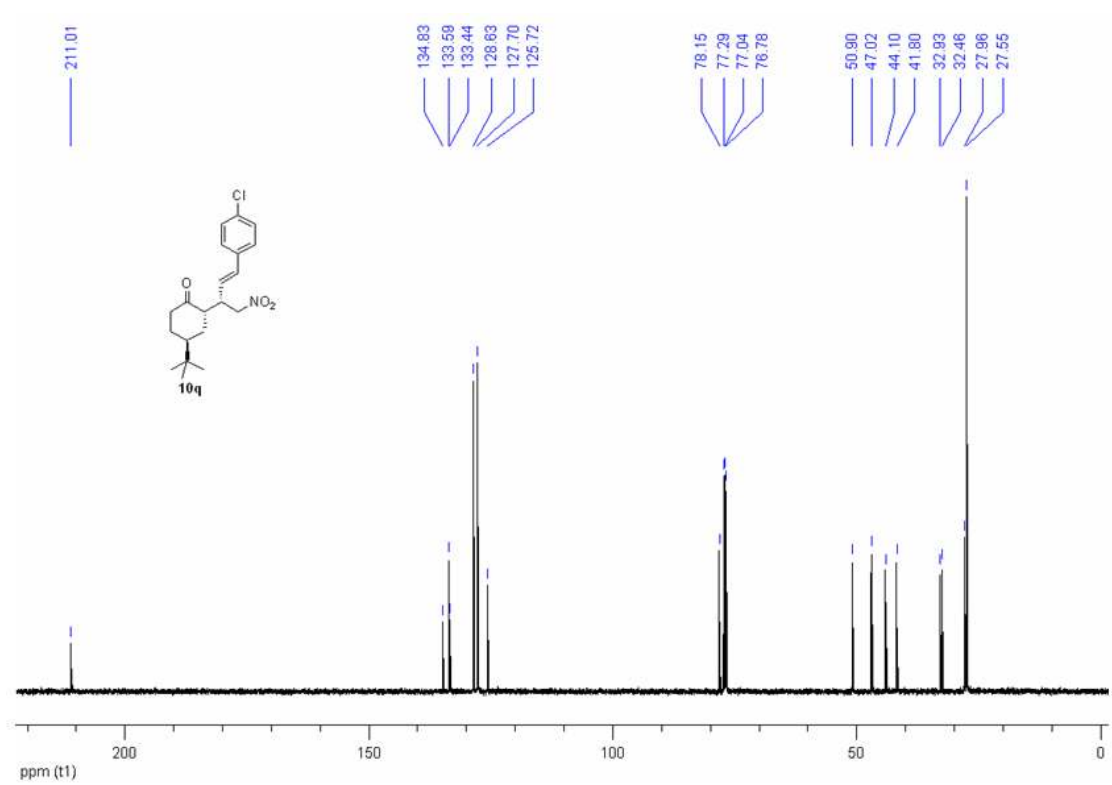
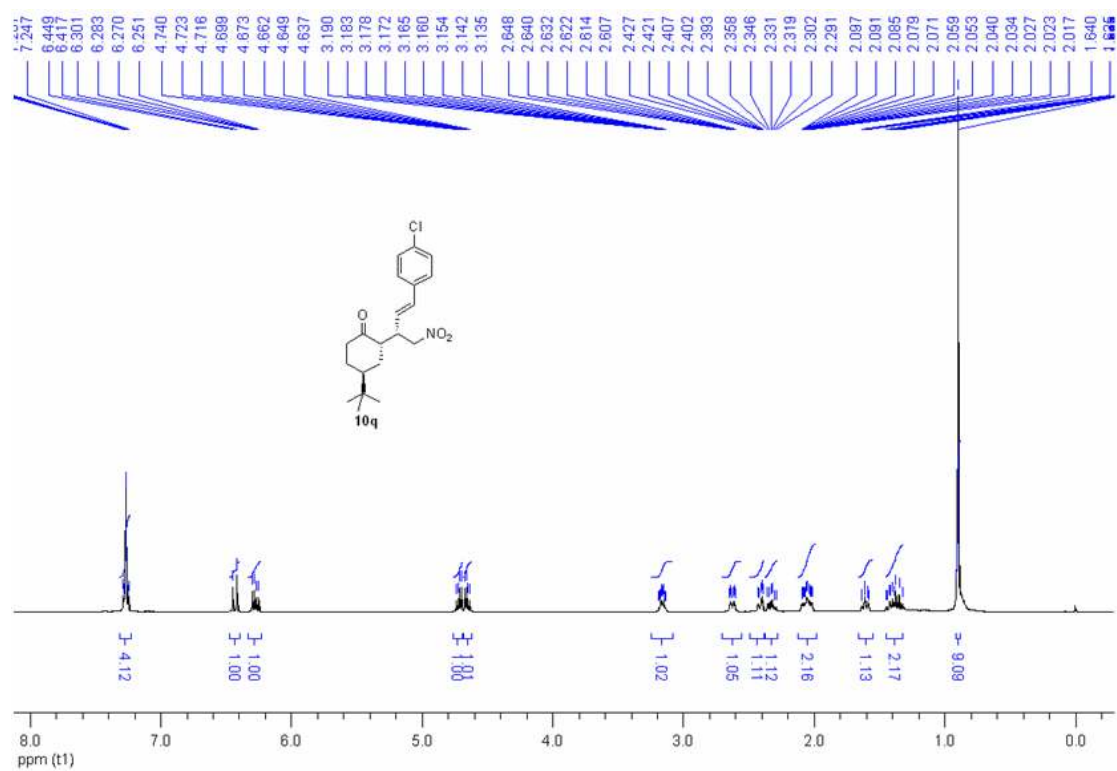


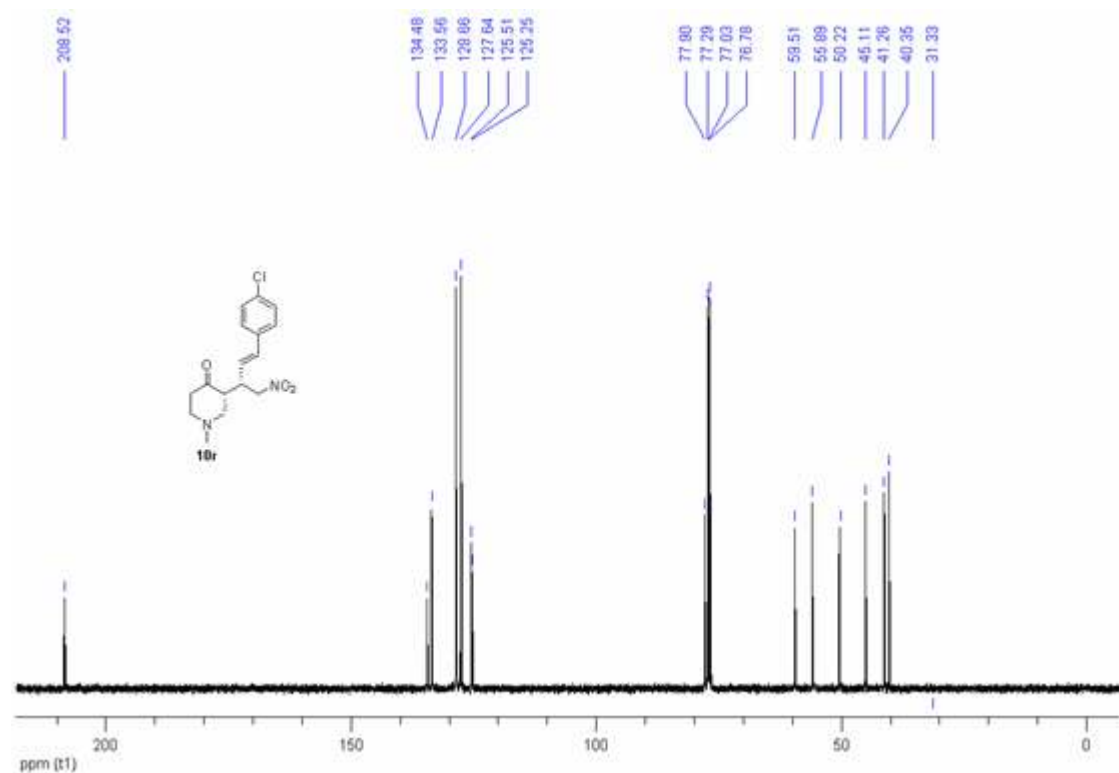
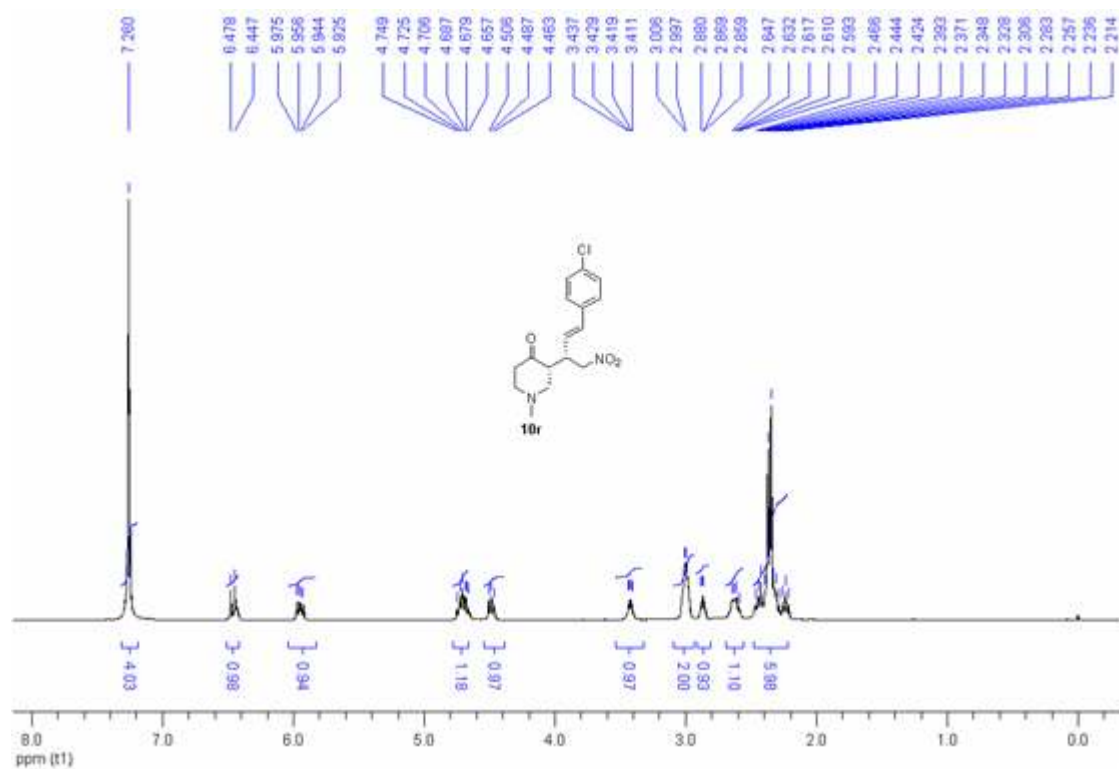


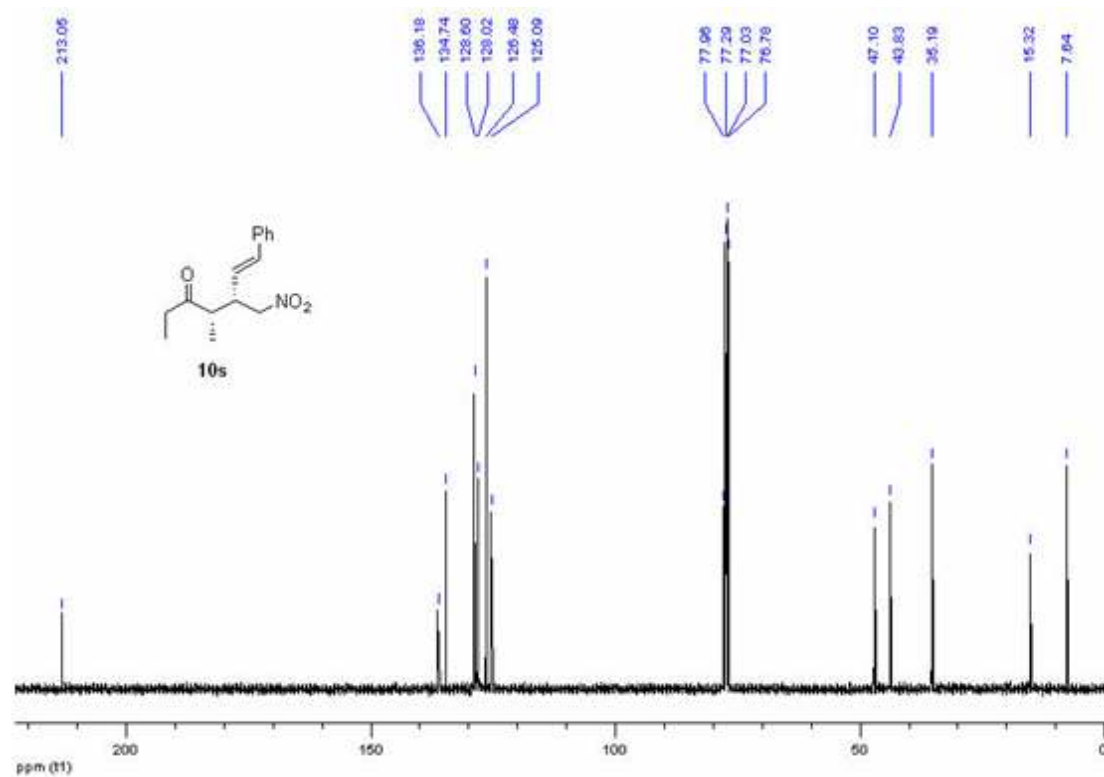
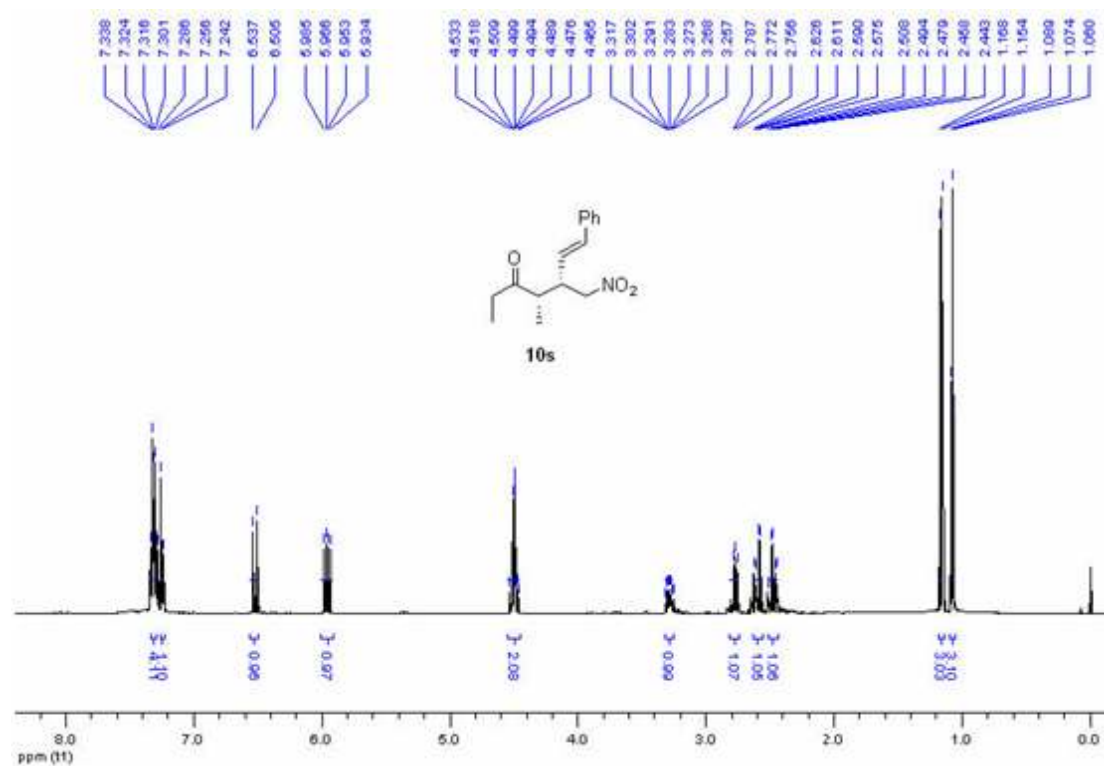


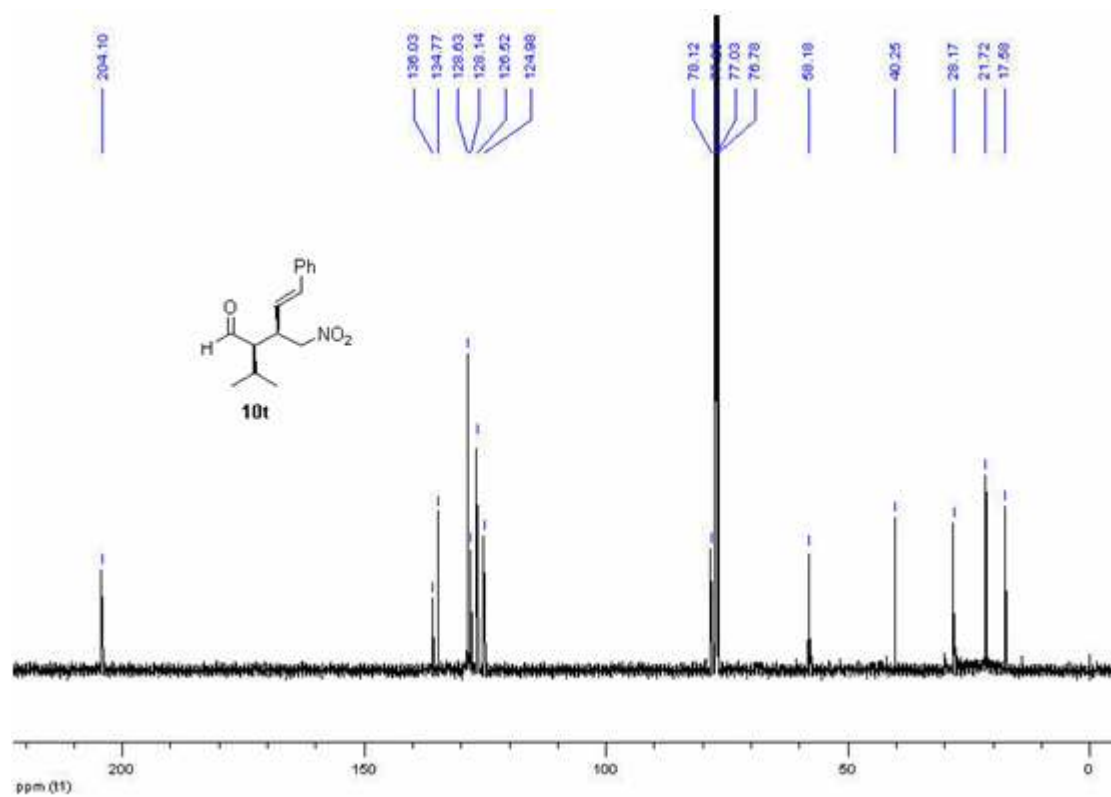
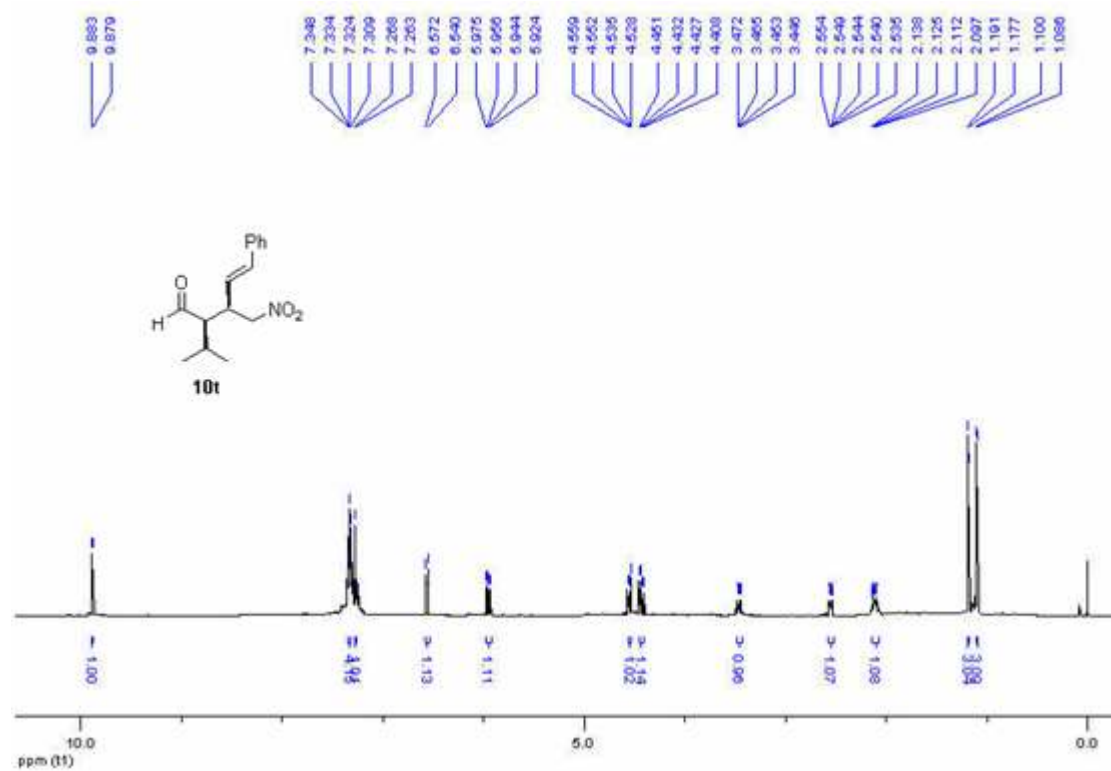


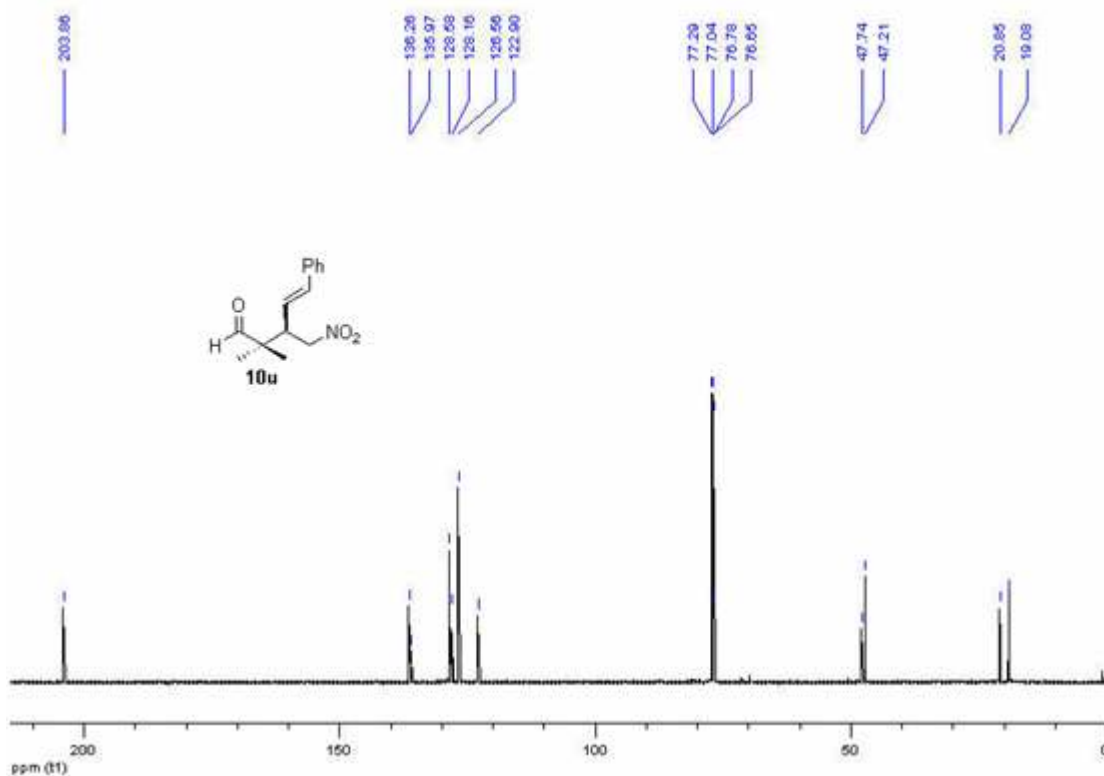
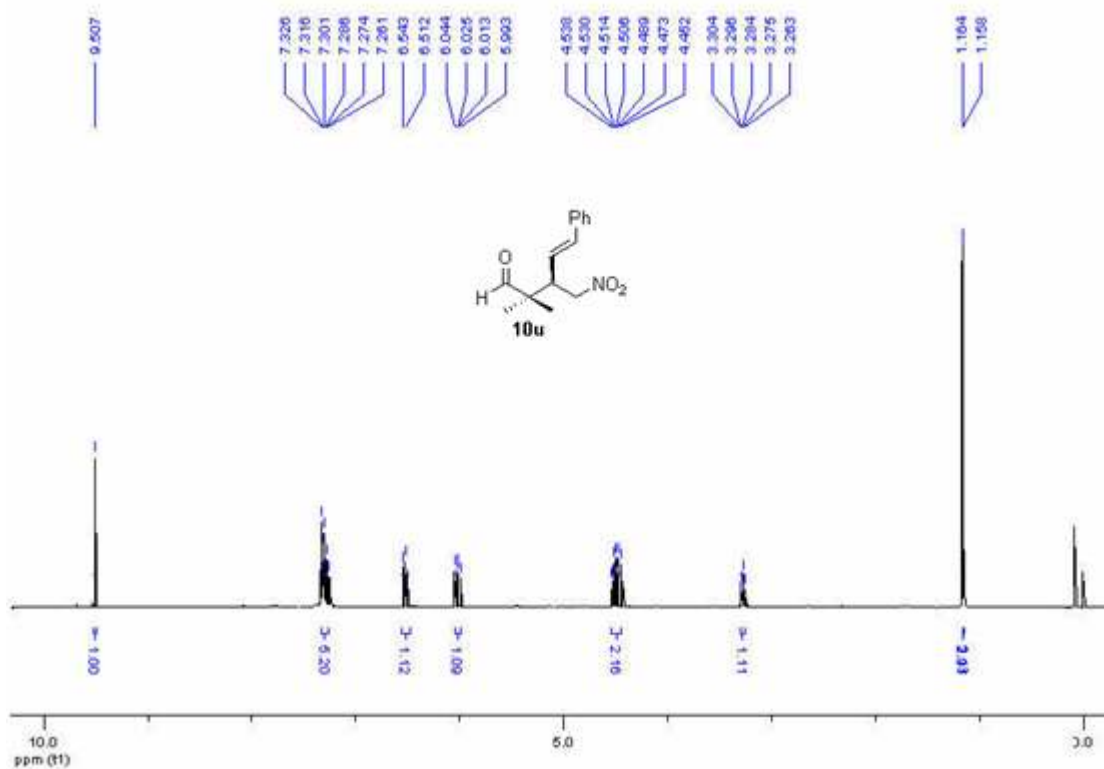




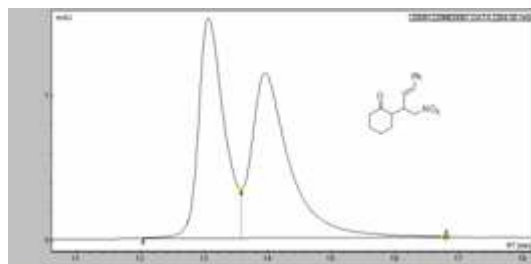




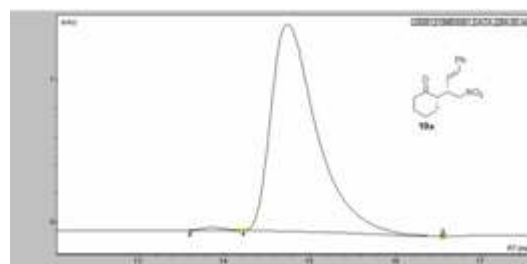




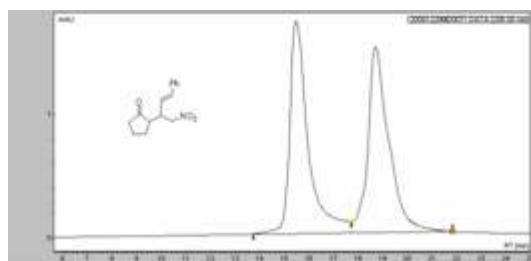
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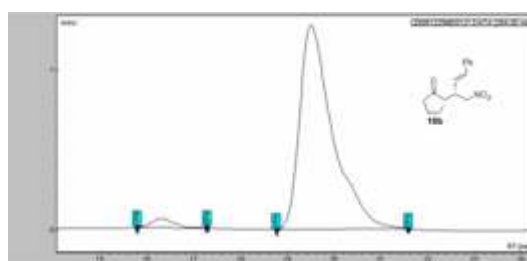
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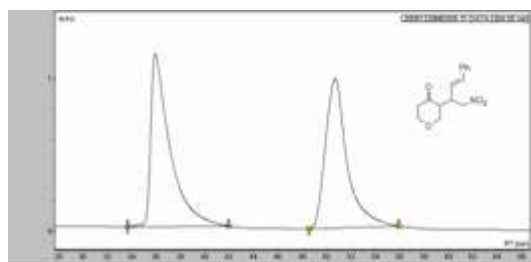
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| 1     | 13.599     | 13.866    | 14.226   | 0.547   |
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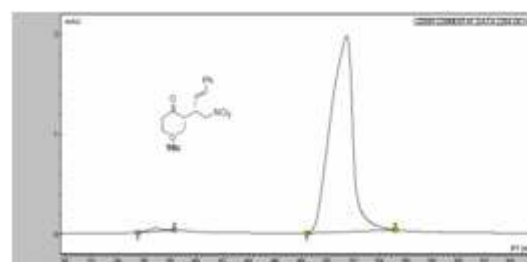
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| 1     | 13.701     | 15.466    | 17.705   | 51.771  |
| 2     | 17.705     | 18.679    | 21.798   | 48.229  |
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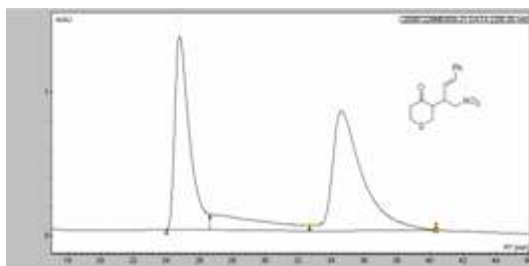
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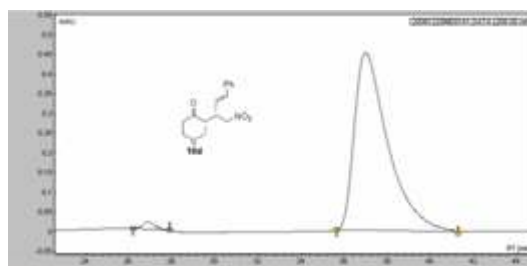
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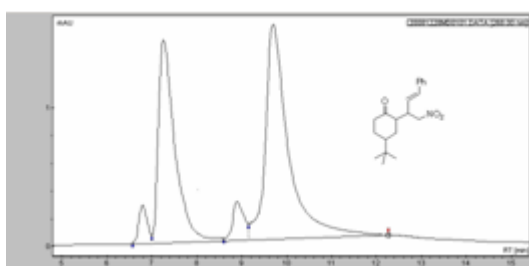
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| 2     | 48.396     | 51.448    | 55.167   | 98.566  |
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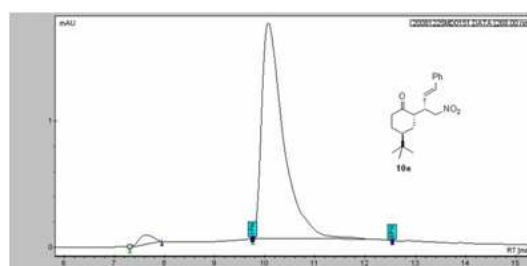
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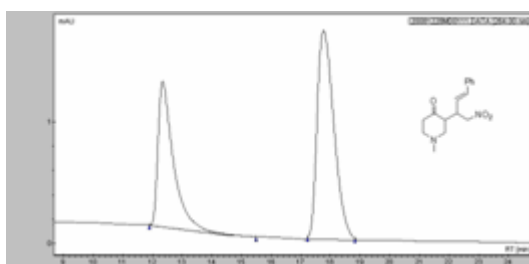
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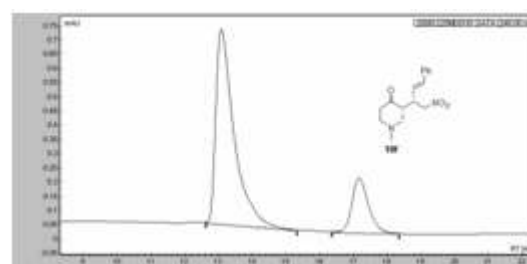
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| 1     | 6.573      | 6.786     | 6.999    | 6.441   |
| 2     | 6.999      | 7.253     | 8.599    | 41.839  |
| 3     | 8.599      | 8.893     | 9.146    | 7.743   |
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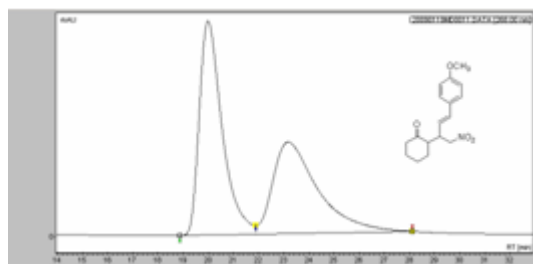
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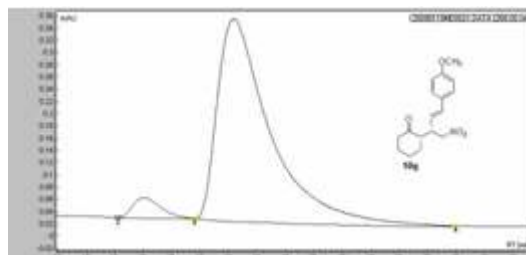
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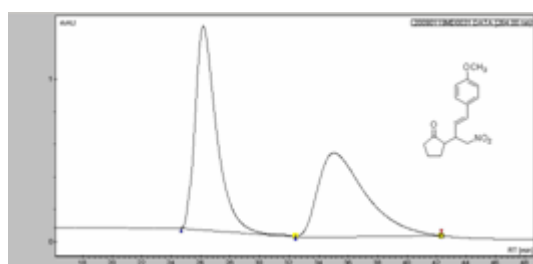
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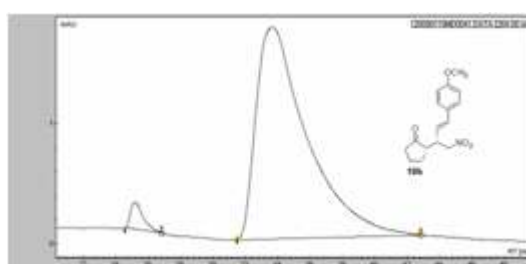
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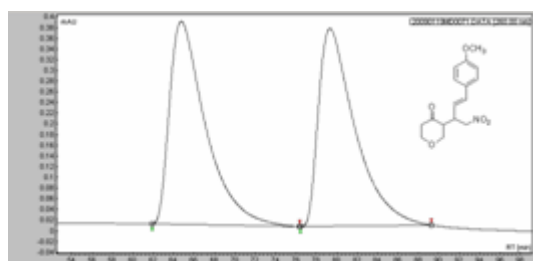
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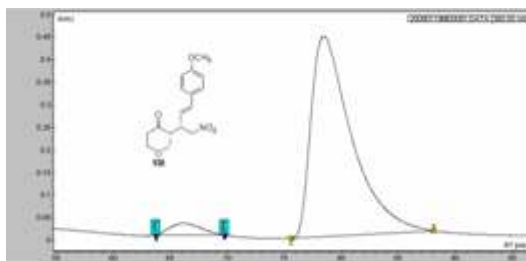
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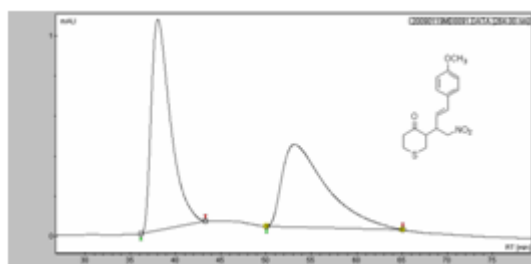


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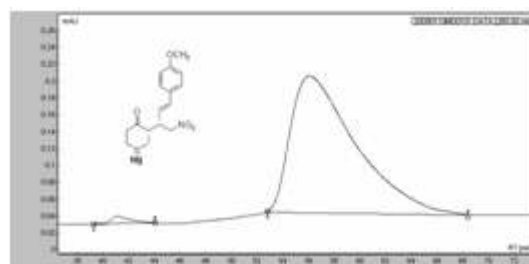


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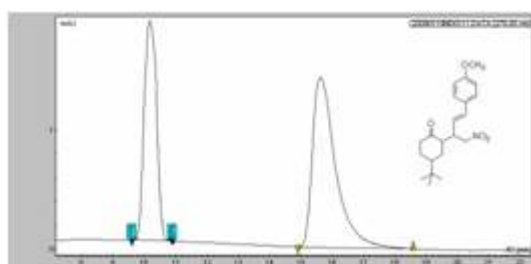




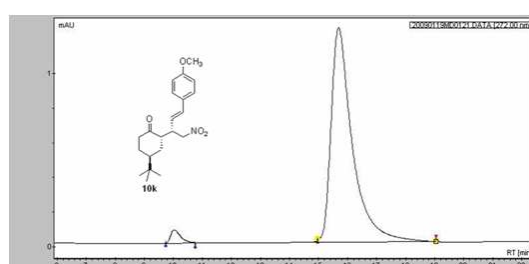
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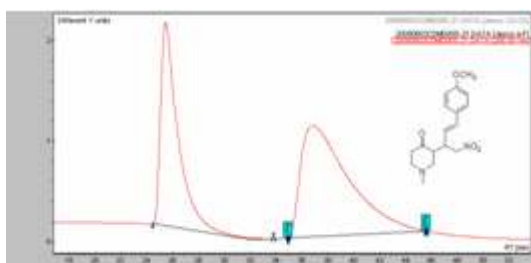
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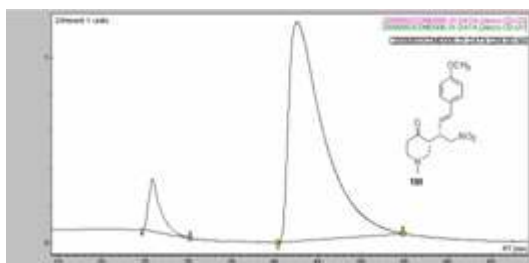
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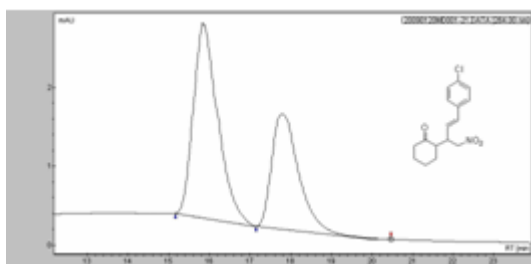
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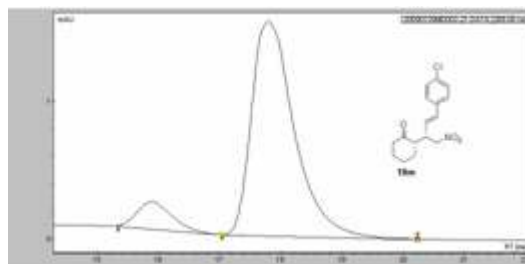
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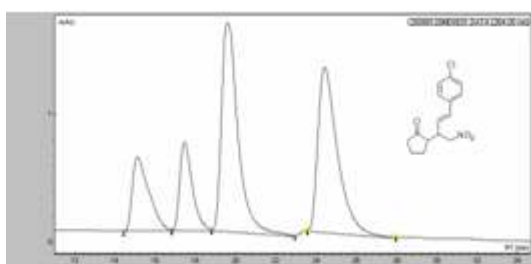
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| 2     | 40.319     | 42.491    | 54.727   | 11.351  |
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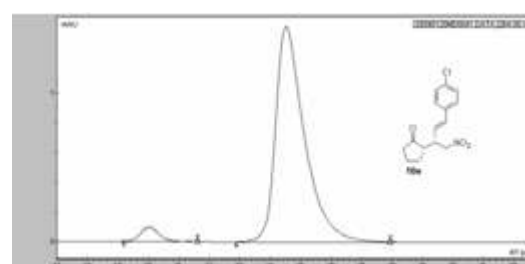
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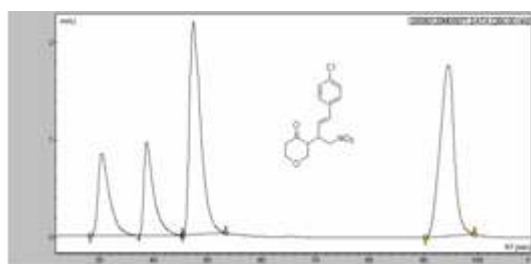
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| 2     | 17.039     | 17.799    | 20.239   | 93.293  |
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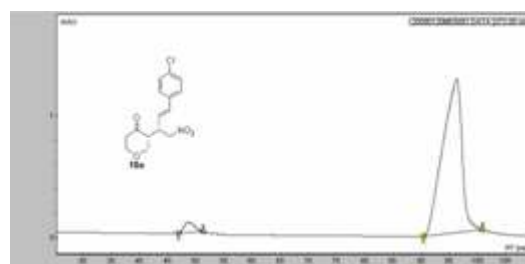
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| 2     | 16.807     | 17.434    | 18.780   | 13.646  |
| 3     | 18.780     | 19.580    | 22.925   | 36.726  |
| 4     | 23.552     | 24.405    | 27.923   | 34.211  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



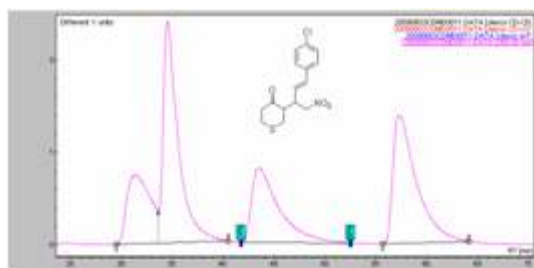
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| 2     | 22.892     | 24.518    | 27.931   | 95.482  |
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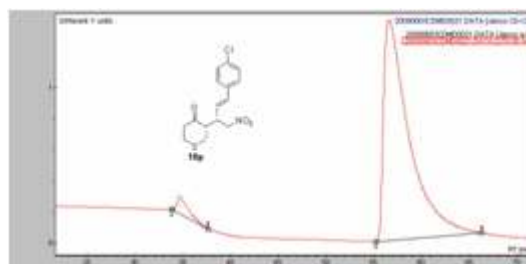
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| 2     | 37.160     | 38.706    | 45.344   | 13.844  |
| 3     | 45.370     | 47.343    | 53.274   | 35.824  |
| 4     | 90.301     | 94.539    | 99.284   | 36.167  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



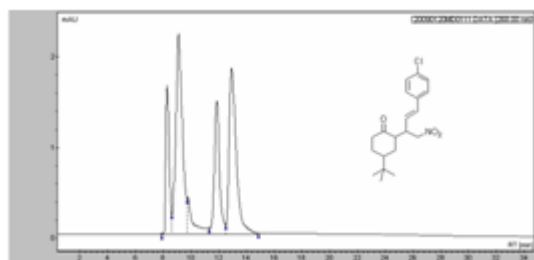
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| 2     | 90.341     | 96.299    | 100.897  | 96.574  |
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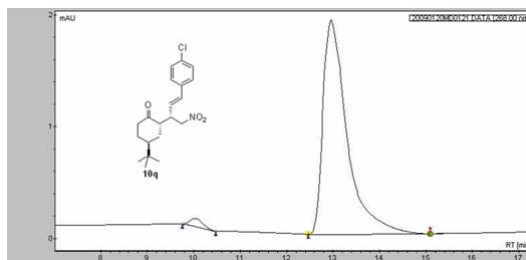
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| 2     | 33.601     | 34.548    | 40.519   | 34.983  |
| 3     | 41.774     | 43.607    | 52.502   | 20.190  |
| 4     | 55.660     | 57.286    | 64.137   | 30.017  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



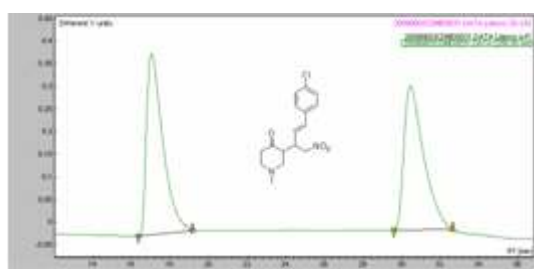
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| 2     | 55.180     | 56.566    | 66.243   | 96.758  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



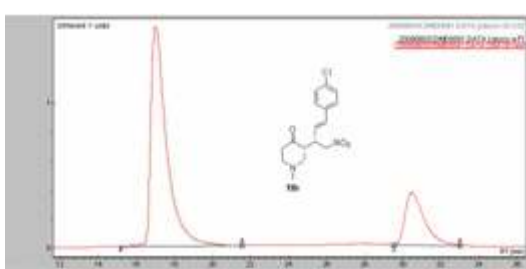
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| 1     | 7.899      | 8.164     | 8.610    | 16.814  |
| 2     | 8.610      | 9.090     | 9.717    | 34.497  |
| 3     | 11.316     | 11.849    | 12.489   | 18.196  |
| 4     | 12.489     | 12.915    | 14.848   | 30.493  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



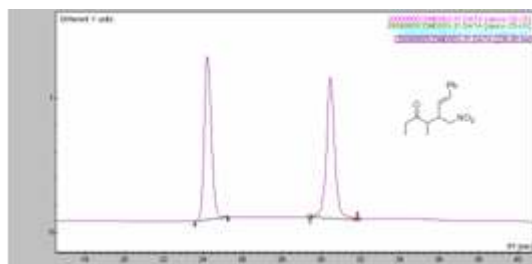
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| 1     | 9.759      | 10.026    | 10.481   | 3.339   |
| 2     | 12.466     | 12.959    | 15.092   | 96.661  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



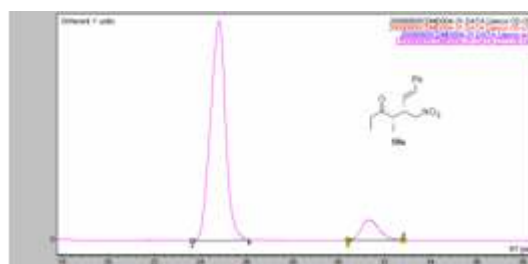
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| 1     | 16.354     | 17.047    | 19.193   | 51.086  |
| 2     | 29.603     | 30.469    | 32.655   | 48.914  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



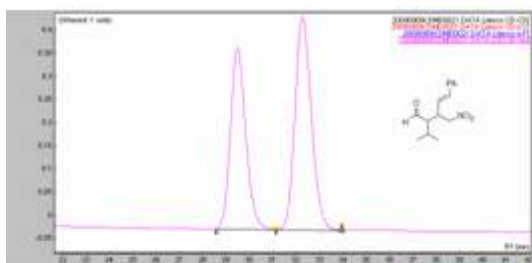
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| 1     | 15.159     | 16.985    | 21.532   | 86.714  |
| 2     | 29.531     | 30.491    | 32.998   | 13.286  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



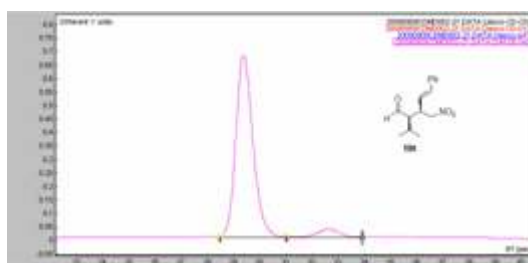
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| 1     | 23.545     | 24.218    | 25.536   | 49.014  |
| 2     | 29.483     | 30.479    | 31.929   | 50.986  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



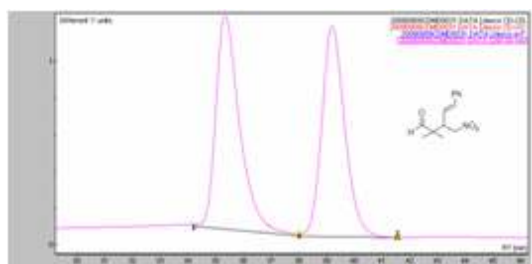
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| 1     | 23.632     | 24.791    | 26.224   | 90.017  |
| 2     | 30.389     | 31.349    | 32.815   | 9.983   |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



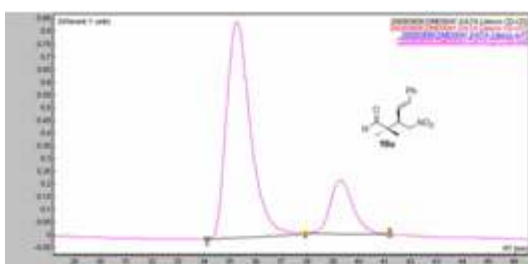
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| 1     | 28.616     | 29.469    | 31.135   | 47.790  |
| 2     | 31.135     | 32.268    | 33.961   | 52.210  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



| #     | Start[min] | Time[min] | End[min] | Area[%] |
|-------|------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| 1     | 28.531     | 29.371    | 31.011   | 91.446  |
| 2     | 31.011     | 32.571    | 33.918   | 8.554   |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



| #     | Start[min] | Time[min] | End[min] | Area[%] |
|-------|------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| 1     | 34.188     | 35.321    | 37.986   | 50.339  |
| 2     | 37.986     | 39.199    | 41.532   | 49.661  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |



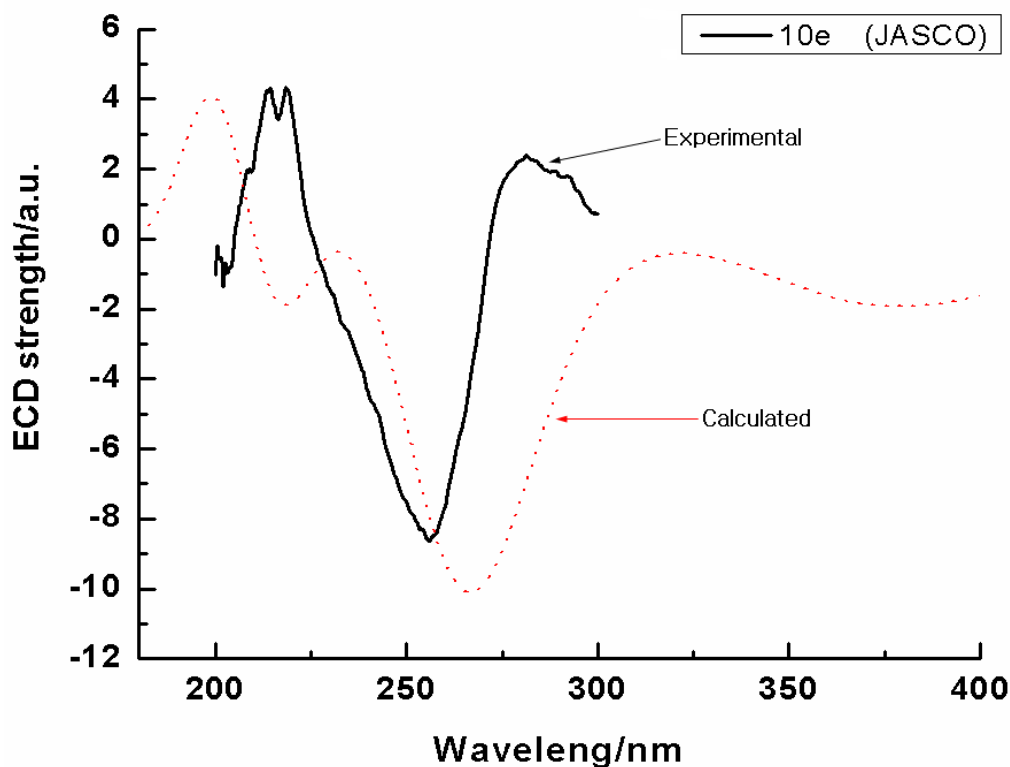
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|-------|------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| 1     | 34.104     | 35.264    | 37.904   | 84.179  |
| 2     | 37.904     | 39.237    | 41.170   | 15.821  |
| Total |            |           |          | 100.000 |

## CD spectrum

The absolute configuration of some enantioselective products has been recently assigned by means of TDDFT CD computations. To investigate the chirality of some products (**10e**, **10k**, **10q**), the two ground-state geometries of **10e** was selected and have been optimized at the DT-DFT/6-311++G\*\*//DFT-B3LYP/6-31+G\* levels by employing Gaussian 03W Pack. As shown in Figure 1, the selected data in the 200-300 nm UV region of the theoretical calculated spectrum matched with the experimental data very well (Table 1), strongly supporting that the configuration of the 4-position of cyclohexanone of **10e** was *S* (Figure 2). The configurations of **10k** and **10q** were assumed by analogy to **10e**.

Table 1

| Wavelength/nm                     | 200   | 210  | 220   | 230   | 240   | 250   | 260   | 275   | 290   | 300   |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ECD/a.u./ <b>10e</b> ( <i>S</i> ) | 3.97  | 0    | -1.86 | -0.49 | -1.20 | -5.86 | -9.42 | -8.88 | -4.27 | -1.99 |
| ECD/a.u./exp.                     | -1.03 | 2.20 | 3.64  | -1.48 | -4.41 | -7.51 | -7.63 | 1.58  | 1.78  | 0.72  |



**Figure 1** The theoretical simulated ECD spectrum (dotted trace) for the product **10e** with *S*-configuration in the 4-position of cyclohexanone by the means of the TD-DFT/B3LYP/6-31+G\* method, compared to the experimental spectrum (full trace).

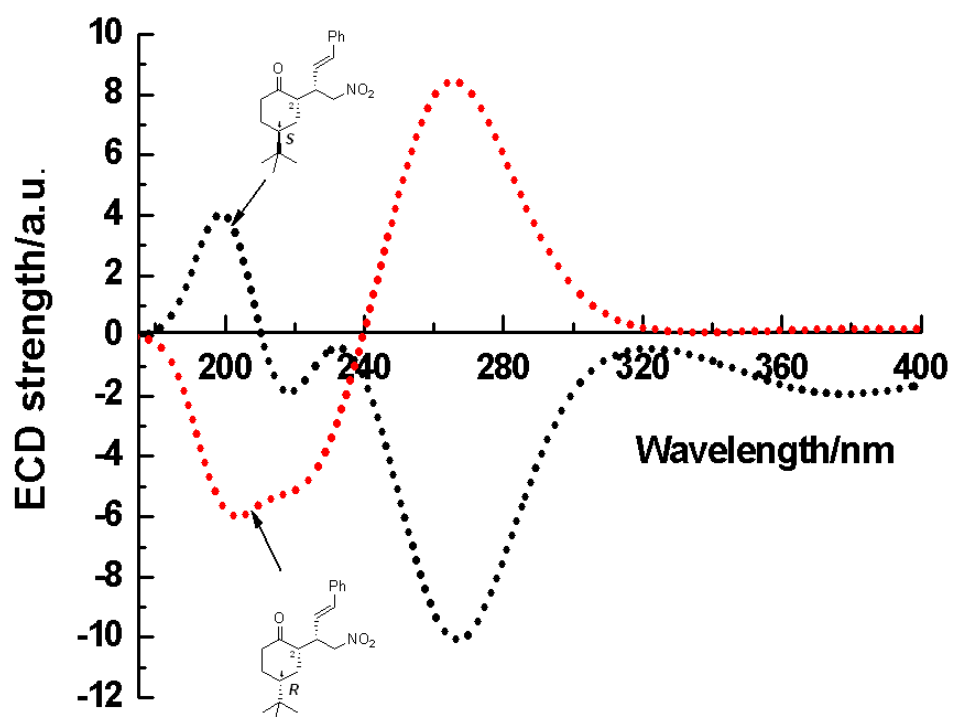


Figure 2