

Enantioselective Synthesis of α -Stereogenic γ -Keto Esters via Formal Umpolung

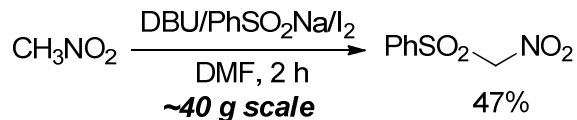
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General

Unless otherwise mentioned, all the chemicals were purchased from commercial sources. Tetra-*n*-butylammonium Oxone (TBA-Oxone) was prepared according to a known procedure [1]. Silica gel chromatography was performed to isolate the products using 60-200 mesh silica gel (from silicycle) and using suitable solvent systems as eluent. ^1H , ^{13}C , and ^{19}F spectra were recorded on 400 MHz or 500 MHz Varian NMR spectrometers. ^1H NMR chemical shifts were determined relative to CDCl_3 as the internal standard (δ 7.26). ^{13}C NMR shifts were determined relative to CDCl_3 δ 77.16. ^{19}F NMR chemical shifts were determined relative to internal standard CFCl_3 at δ 0.00. Mass spectra were recorded on a high resolution mass spectrometer in the ESI mode. The high resolution X-ray crystal structures were derived from the Mo data, while the absolute configurations were determined with Cu data structures. Therefore, the high resolution absolute configurations were obtained from a Cu data set to refine the Mo data structures. The reliability of the absolute configurations thus obtained can be assessed by the Flack x parameter, which is between 0 and 1. $X = 0$ means the absolute configuration is correct, $x = 1$ means it is inverse, and $x = 0.5$ means the crystal is a racemic twin. The Hooft y parameter is similar to Flack x but is more sensitive for light atom structures. The Bayesian Statistics P2 value describes the likelihood that the absolute configuration is correct. $P2 = 1$ means 100% confidence.

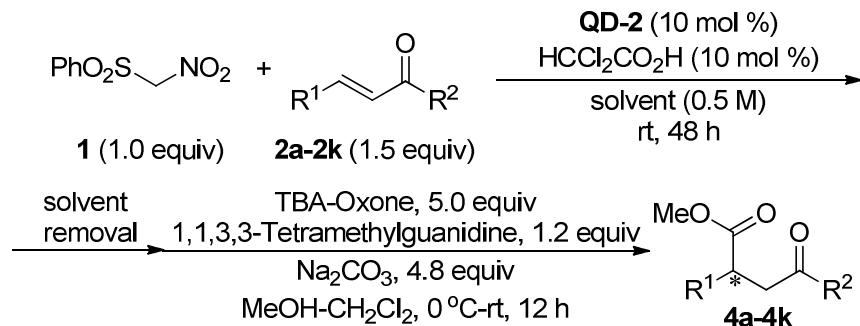
Large-Scale preparation of nitro(phenylsulfonyl)methane (NSM, 1)



purified via extraction and recrystallization

At 0 °C, to a solution of nitromethane (30.5 g, 0.5 mol) in DMF (600 mL) was added 1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene (DBU, 76.1 g, 0.5 mol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 10 min. After the addition of sodium phenylsulfinate (68.9 g, 0.42 mol) and iodine (96.4 g, 0.38 mmol), the solution was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for another 1 h. Subsequently, saturated sodium sulfite aq. solution was added until the mixture turned to bright yellow. The pH was adjusted to 1 with concentrated HCl aq. solution. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with CH₂Cl₂. The combined CH₂Cl₂ solution was then extracted with NaOH aq. solution (2 M) four times [sodium nitro(phenylsulfonyl)methide dissolves in NaOH aq. solution rather than in CH₂Cl₂]. The combined aq. layers were further washed with CH₂Cl₂ twice and acidified to pH = 1 using HCl aq. solution with ice (ca. 2 M). A large amount of white precipitate (NSM) was observed. This aqueous mixture was then extracted with CH₂Cl₂ three times, and the combined organic layers were dried over MgSO₄ before the removal of the solvents under vacuum. The crude product was recrystallized in EtOH to afford white crystalline solid as NSM (39.6 g, 47%, based on sodium phenylsulfinate). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99-7.96 (m, 2H), 7.78-7.82 (m, 1H), 7.68-7.64 (m, 2H), 5.60 (s, 2H).

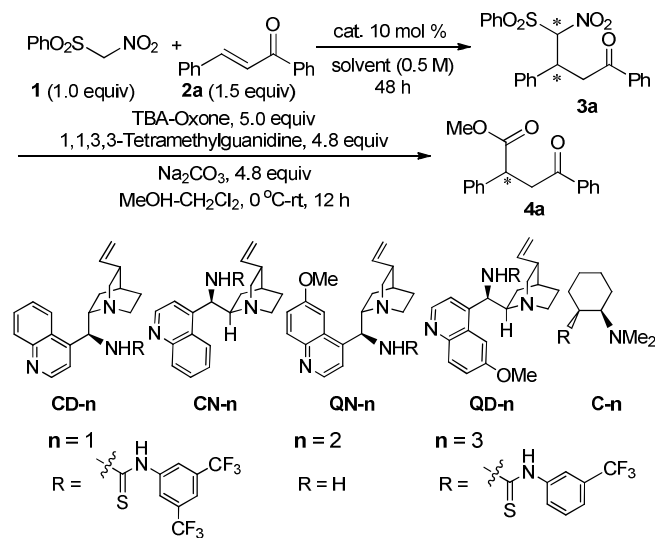
Typical procedure for one-pot enantioselective synthesis of α -stereogenic γ -keto esters



To a solution of enone (0.6 mmol, 1.5 equiv) in the indicated solvent (0.8 mL), **QD-2** (12.9 mg, 0.04 mmol, 10 mol %) and $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$ (5.2 mg, 0.04 mmol, 10 mol %) were added sequentially. **NSM** (80 mg, 0.4 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was added to the above mentioned solution. The reaction mixture was stirred for 48 h at room temperature before the removal of the reaction solvent under vacuum.

The chunk of the crude Michael adduct was then broken by a spatula and suspended in MeOH (4.4 mL) at 0 °C. To this suspension, 1,1,3,3-tetramethylguanidine (60 μL , 0.48 mmol, 1.2 equiv) was added dropwise. Upon the completion of the addition, a clear solution was formed, which was stirred at 0 °C for 10 min. TBA-Oxone (1.92 g, ca. 2 mmol active oxidizing agent Bu_4NHSO_5 , ca. 5.0 equiv) was added in one load, followed by the addition of Na_2CO_3 (204 mg, 1.92 mmol, 4.8 equiv) and CH_2Cl_2 (6 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 12 h and the solvent was then removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was passed through a short column (packed with ca. 50 mL silica gel) using CH_2Cl_2 -Hexanes (1:1) as eluent to remove tetra-*n*-butyl ammonium salts and other inorganic salts. The organic solution was evaporated on a rotavap and the mixture was purified on column chromatography to afford the titled product.

Table S1. Thiourea-Catalyzed Synthesis of α -Stereogenic γ -Keto Esters.



Entry	Catalyst	Temp (°C)	Solvent	Yield (%)	er of 4a ^e
1	QN-1	20 °C	CDCl_3	6 ^a	-
2	C-1	20 °C	CDCl_3	5 ^a	-
3	QN-1	20 °C	Toluene	5 ^a	-
4	C-1	20 °C	Toluene	4 ^a	-
5	QN-1	20 °C	Toluene ^c	90 ^b	93:7
6	C-1	20 °C	Toluene ^c	94 ^b	86:14
7	QN-1	0 °C ^d	Toluene ^c	0 ^a	-
8	QN-1	-20 °C ^d	Toluene ^c	0 ^a	-
9	QN-3	20 °C	Toluene ^c	15 ^a	-
10	QD-1	20 °C	Toluene ^c	99 ^b	10:90
11	CN-1	20 °C	Toluene ^c	99 ^b	10:90
12	CD-1	20 °C	Toluene ^c	98 ^b	86:14
13	QN-1	20 °C	CH_2Cl_2 ^c	87 ^b	89:11
14	QN-1	20 °C	Xylenes ^c	95 ^b	94:6
15	QN-1	-5 °C	CH_2Cl_2 ^{c,d}	0 ^a	-

^a Conversions to **3a**, determined by ^1H NMR; ^b isolated yields of **3a**; ^c performed with **1** at 2 M conc.; ^d performed without stirring; ^e measured by chiral HPLC.

Table S2. One-Pot Synthesis of α -Stereogenic γ -Keto Esters Catalyzed by Primary Amines.

One-Pot Procedure^a

$\text{PhO}_2\text{S}-\text{CH}_2-\text{NO}_2$ + $\text{Ph}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{Ph}$ $\xrightarrow[\text{solvent (0.5 M), 48 h}]{\text{cat. 10 mol \%}}$ $\text{PhO}_2\text{S}-\text{CH}(\text{Ph})-\text{CH}(\text{NO}_2)-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{Ph}$
1 (1.0 equiv) **2a** (1.5 equiv) **3a**

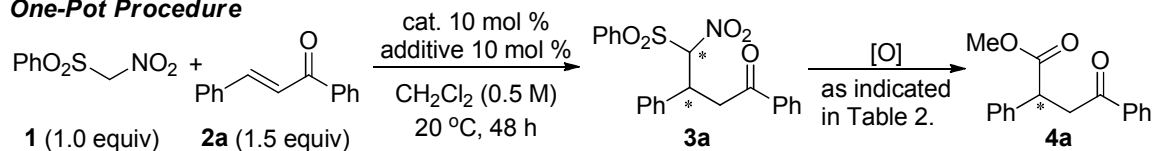
$\xrightarrow[\text{MeOH-CH}_2\text{Cl}_2, 0^\circ\text{C-rt, 12 h}]{\text{TBA-Oxone, 5.0 equiv; 1,1,3,3-Tetramethylguanidine, 1.2 equiv; Na}_2\text{CO}_3, 4.8 \text{ equiv}}$ $\text{MeO}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{CH}(\text{Ph})-\text{CH}(\text{NO}_2)-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{Ph}$
4a

Entry	Catalyst	Solvent	Yield (%) of 4a ^b	er of 4a ^c
1	CD-2	CH ₂ Cl ₂	46	20:80
2	CN-2	CH ₂ Cl ₂	46	83:17
3	QN-2	CH ₂ Cl ₂	52	18:82
4	QD-2	CH ₂ Cl ₂	40	81:19
5	CN-2	CHCl ₃	55	83:17
6	CN-2	MeOH	61	63:37
7	CN-2	EtOH	57	81:19
8	CN-2	ClC ₂ H ₄ Cl	53	81:19
9	CN-2	THF	54	60:40
10	CN-2	Et ₂ O	53	52:48
11	CN-2	<i>t</i> BuOMe	65	58:42

^aThe oxidative methanolysis was performed after the completion of the Michael addition. Crude **3a** was subjected to the oxidation without purification; ^b isolated yields; ^c measured by chiral HPLC.

Table S3. Employment of Phenols as Brønsted Acid Additives.

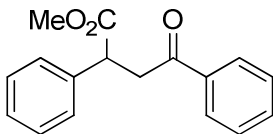
One-Pot Procedure



entry	catalyst	additive	yield (%) ^a	er of 4a ^b
1	CN-2	PhOH	52	81:19
2	CN-2	4-F-PhOH	65	82:18
3	CN-2	4-Cl-PhOH	61	83:17
4	CN-2	4-Br-PhOH	63	81:19
5	CN-2	4- <i>t</i> BuPhOH	63	81:19
6	CN-2	4-MeOPhOH	61	81:19
7	CN-2	2,4,6-Tri- <i>t</i> BuPhOH	67	79:21
8	CN-2	2,4-DiPh-PhOH	59	79:21
9	CN-2	3-NO ₂ PhOH	39	81:19
10	CN-2	3,5-DiF-PhOH	55	82:18
11	CN-2	3,5-DiMe-PhOH	59	79:21
12	CN-2	2-NO ₂ PhOH	58	83:17
13	CN-2	2-OH-PhOH	59	81:19
14	CN-2	PhOH (20 mol%)	55	80:20
15	CN-2	PhOH (30 mol%)	51	80:20
16	CN-2	CF ₃ CH ₂ OH	63	81:19
17	CN-2	(CF ₃) ₂ CHOH	58	79:21
18	CN-2	(CF ₃) ₃ COH	52	79:21

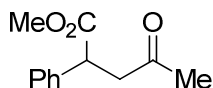
^a Isolated yields of **4a**; ^b measured by chiral HPLC.

Methyl 4-oxo-2,4-diphenylbutanoate (4a)



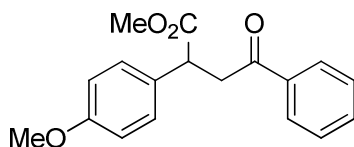
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (55 mg, 51%) was obtained with 96:4 *er*. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 3.28 (dd, $J = 18.1, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.96 (dd, $J = 18.1, 10.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.30 (dd, $J = 10.3, 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.36 (m, 5H), 7.45-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.55-7.58 (m, 1H), 7.97-7.98 (m, 2H).² HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 280 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 14.3$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 16.1$ min.

Methyl 4-oxo-2-phenylpentanoate (4b)



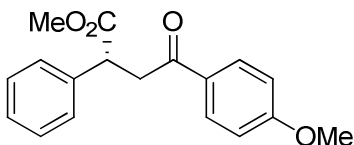
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (37 mg, 45%) was obtained with 73:27 *er*. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.34-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.29-7.24 (m, 3H), 4.11 (dd, $J = 10.4, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 18.0, 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.72 (dd, $J = 18.0, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.18 (s, 3H).³ HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 93/7, flow 0.5 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 27.8$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 30.5$ min.

Methyl 2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-oxo-4-phenylbutanoate (4d)



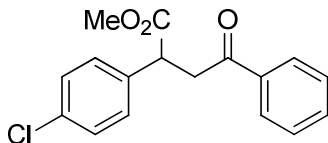
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (63 mg, 53%) was obtained with 94:6 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.99-7.95 (m, 2H), 7.59-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.48-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.25 (m, 2H), 4.25 (dd, $J = 10.2, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (dd, $J = 18.0, 10.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 3.26 (dd, $J = 18.0, 4.2$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 197.9, 174.3, 159.2, 136.6, 133.4, 130.5, 129.0, 128.7, 128.2, 114.4, 55.4, 52.5, 45.6, 43.0. MS (EI): 298, 238, 207, 161, 133, 105, 91, 77, 51. HRMS: Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_4$ (MH^+): 299.1278; Found: 299.1276. HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 18.5$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 25.6$ min.

(*R*)-Methyl 4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-oxo-2-phenylbutanoate (4e)



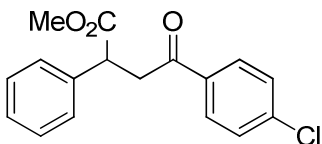
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (66 mg, 55%) was obtained with 97:3 *er*. The single crystal of **4e** was obtained via crystallization from acetonitrile. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.97-7.92 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.32 (m, 4H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.96 – 6.88 (m, 2H), 4.29 (dd, $J = 10.3, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.90 (dd, $J = 17.8, 10.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 1H), 3.69 (s, 1H), 3.23 (dd, $J = 10.3, 4.1$ Hz, 1H).² HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 40.2$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 48.4$ min.

Methyl 2-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-oxo-4-phenylbutanoate (4f)



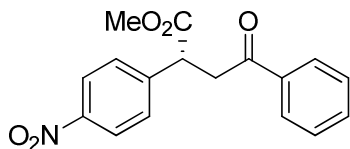
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (67 mg, 55%) was obtained with 96:4 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.99 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.57 (m, 1H), 7.49–7.43 (m, 2H), 7.33–7.28 (m, 4H), 4.28 (dd, J = 9.9, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (dd, J = 18.0, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.27 (dd, J = 18.0, 4.5 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 197.4, 173.7, 137.0, 136.4, 133.7, 133.6, 129.4, 129.2, 128.8, 128.2, 52.6, 45.9, 42.7. MS (EI): 272, 270, 209, 207, 167, 165, 105, 77, 50. HRMS: Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNaO}_3$ (MNa^+): 325.0605; Found: 325.0602. HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 220 nm): $t_{\text{R}1}$ = 11.9 min, $t_{\text{R}2}$ = 15.7 min.

Methyl 4-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-oxo-2-phenylbutanoate (4g)



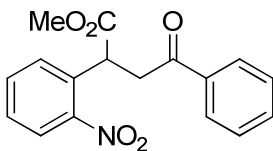
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (80 mg, 66%) was obtained with 94:6 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.95– 7.86 (m, 2H), 7.47– 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.38–7.27 (m, 5H), 4.29 (dd, J = 10.3, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (dd, J = 18.0, 10.3 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.22 (dd, J = 10.3, 4.0 Hz, 1H).² HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1}$ = 20.1 min, $t_{\text{R}2}$ = 24.1 min.

(R)-Methyl 2-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-oxo-4-phenylbutanoate (4h)



Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (71 mg, 57%) was obtained with 94:6 *er*. The single crystal of **4h** was obtained via crystallization from ethanol-water solution. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.24-8.16 (m, 2H), 7.99-7.92 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.56-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.50-7.44 (m, 2H), 4.44 (dd, $J = 9.3, 5.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 (dd, $J = 18.0, 9.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 4.44 (dd, $J = 18.0, 5.0$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 196.8, 172.8, 147.6, 145.8, 136.2, 133.8, 129.1, 128.9, 128.2, 124.2, 52.9, 46.4, 42.3. MS (EI): 313, 281, 207, 105, 77, 51. HRMS: Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_5$ (MH^+): 314.1023; Found: 314.1021. HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 50.3$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 58.7$ min.

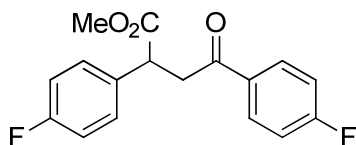
Methyl 2-(2-nitrophenyl)-4-oxo-4-phenylbutanoate (4i)



Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (81 mg, 65%) was obtained with 97:3 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.02-7.94 (m, 3H), 7.62-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.49-7.42 (m, 3H), 4.91 (dd, $J = 7.9, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.03 (dd, $J = 18.1, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 18.1, 5.1$ Hz, 1H).⁴ HPLC

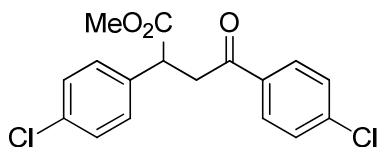
(DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 92/8, flow 0.5 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R1} = 38.8 min, t_{R2} = 40.8 min.

Methyl 2,4-bis(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutanoate (4j)



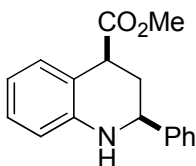
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (73 mg, 60%) was obtained with 94:6 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 3.23 (dd, J = 17.9, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.89 (dd, J = 17.9, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (dd, J = 10.0, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (m, 2H), 7.14 (m, 2H), 7.33 (m, 2H), 8.01 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 42.8, 45.7, 52.6, 115.9 (d, J = 22.0 Hz, 1C), 116.0 (d, J = 21.4 Hz, 1C), 129.6 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1C), 130.9 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 1C), 132.9 (d, J = 3.1 Hz, 1C), 134.1 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1C), 162.4 (d, J = 246.5 Hz, 1C), 166.1 (d, J = 225.3 Hz, 1C), 173.8, 196.0. ^{19}F NMR (470 MHz, CDCl_3) δ -105.1 (m, 1F), -115.3 (m, 1F). MS (EI): 304, 272, 149, 123, 95, 75. HRMS: Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_2\text{NaO}_3$ (MNa^+): 327.0803; Found: 327.0799. HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R1} = 14.4 min, t_{R2} = 23.9 min.

Methyl 2,4-bis(4-chlorophenyl)-4-oxobutanoate (4k)

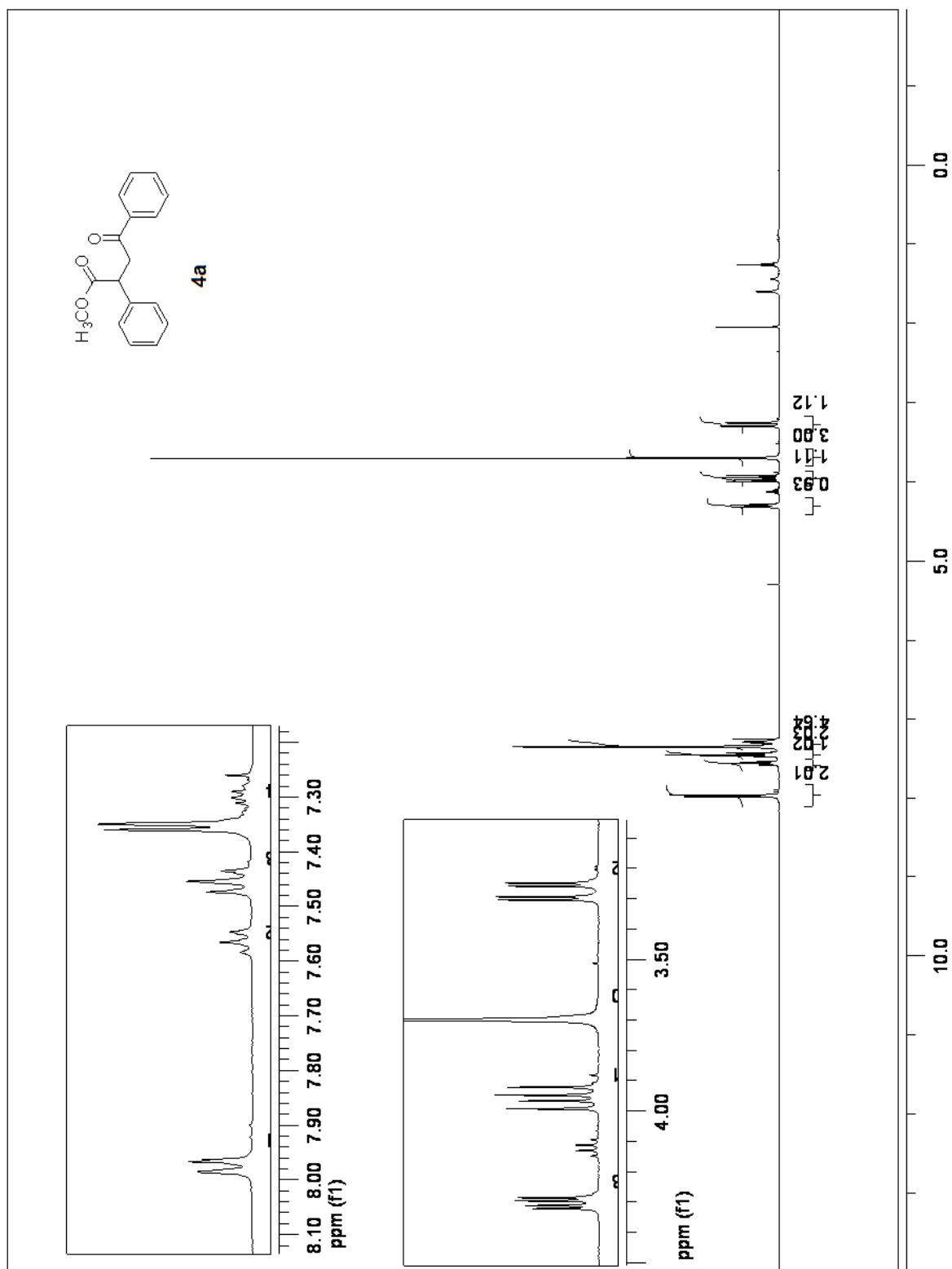


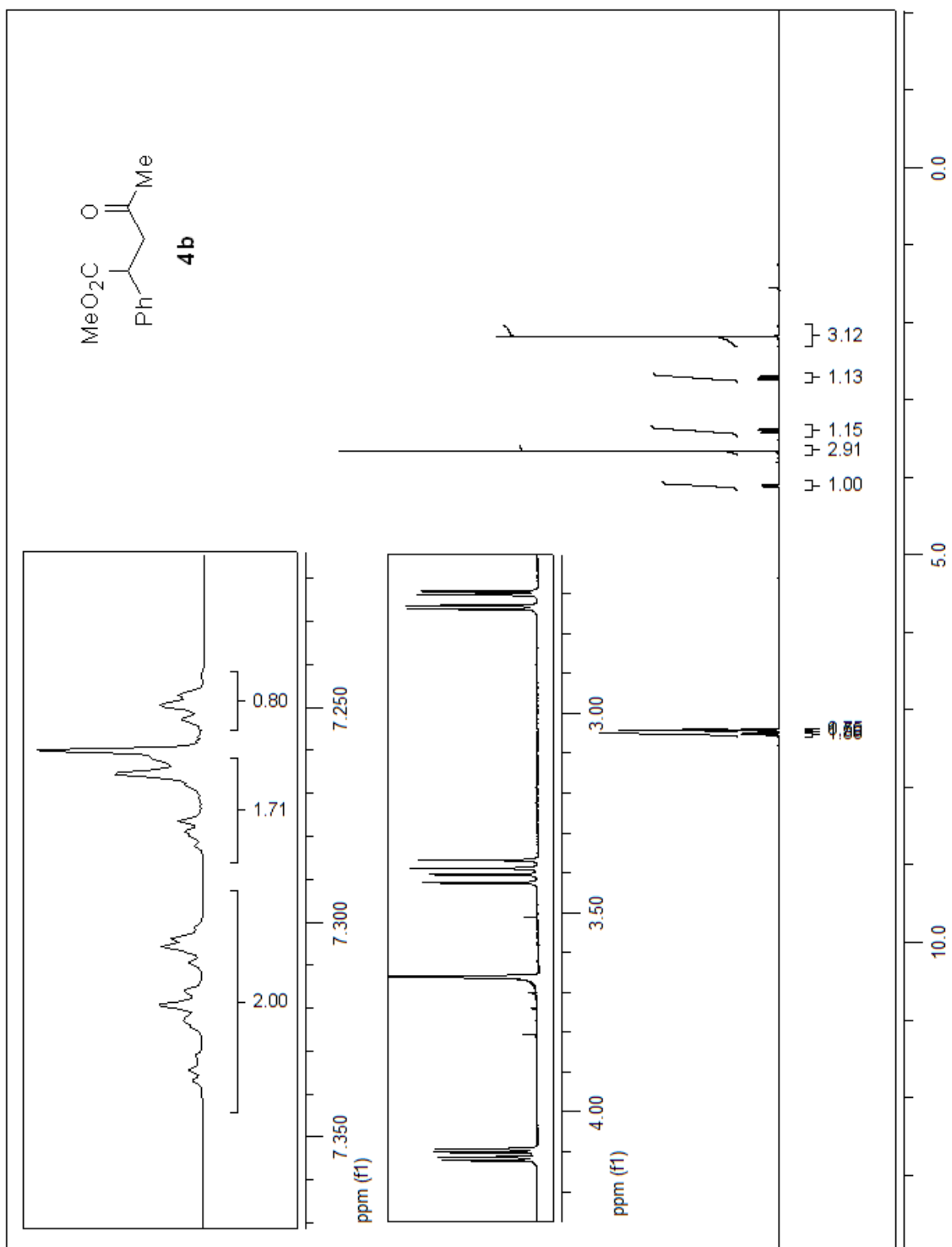
Prepared according to the typical procedure on a 0.4 mmol scale (based on NSM). A colorless oil (65 mg, 48%) was obtained with 93:7 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.92-7.88 (m, 2H), 7.45- 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.34- 7.26 (m, 4H), 4.27 (dd, $J = 9.9, 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.87 (dd, $J = 18.0, 9.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.21 (dd, $J = 18.0, 4.4$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 200.0, 196.2, 173.6, 140.1, 136.8, 134.7, 133.8, 129.6, 129.4, 129.3, 129.2, 52.7, 45.8, 42.6. MS (EI): 306, 304, 241, 167, 165, 141, 139, 113, 111, 77, 51. HRMS: Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2\text{NaO}_3$ (MNa^+): 359.0212; Found: 259.0213. HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 17.2$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 20.8$ min.

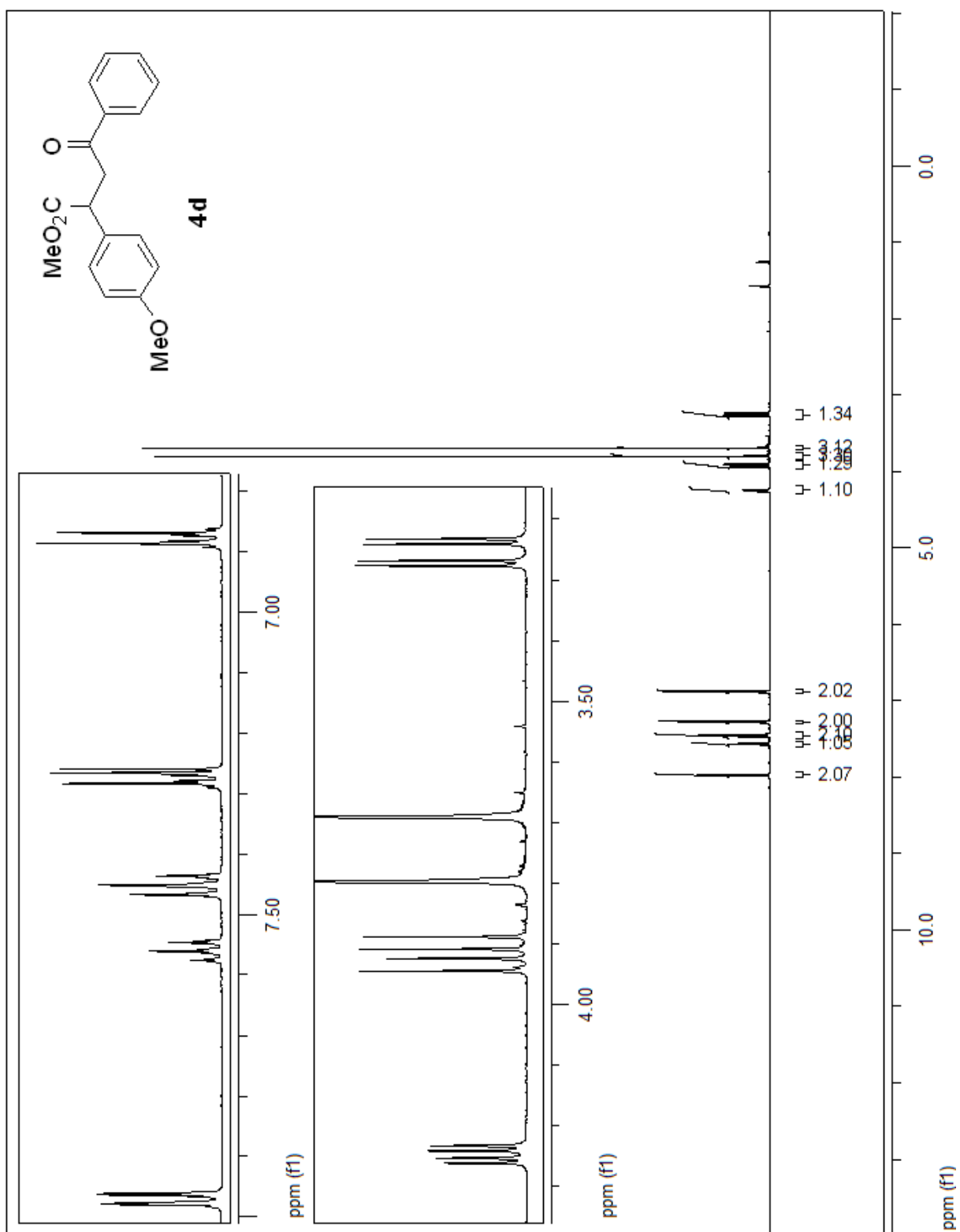
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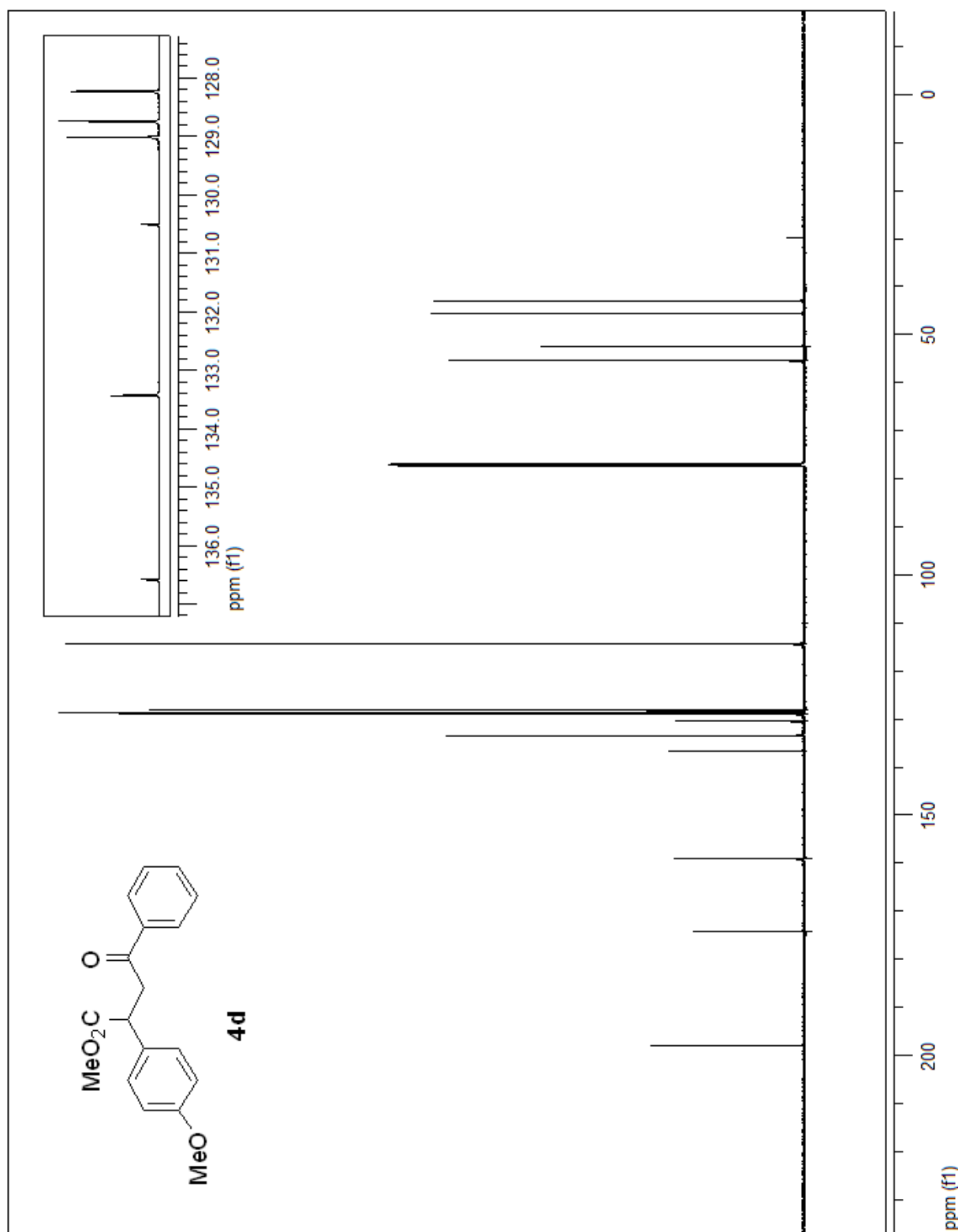


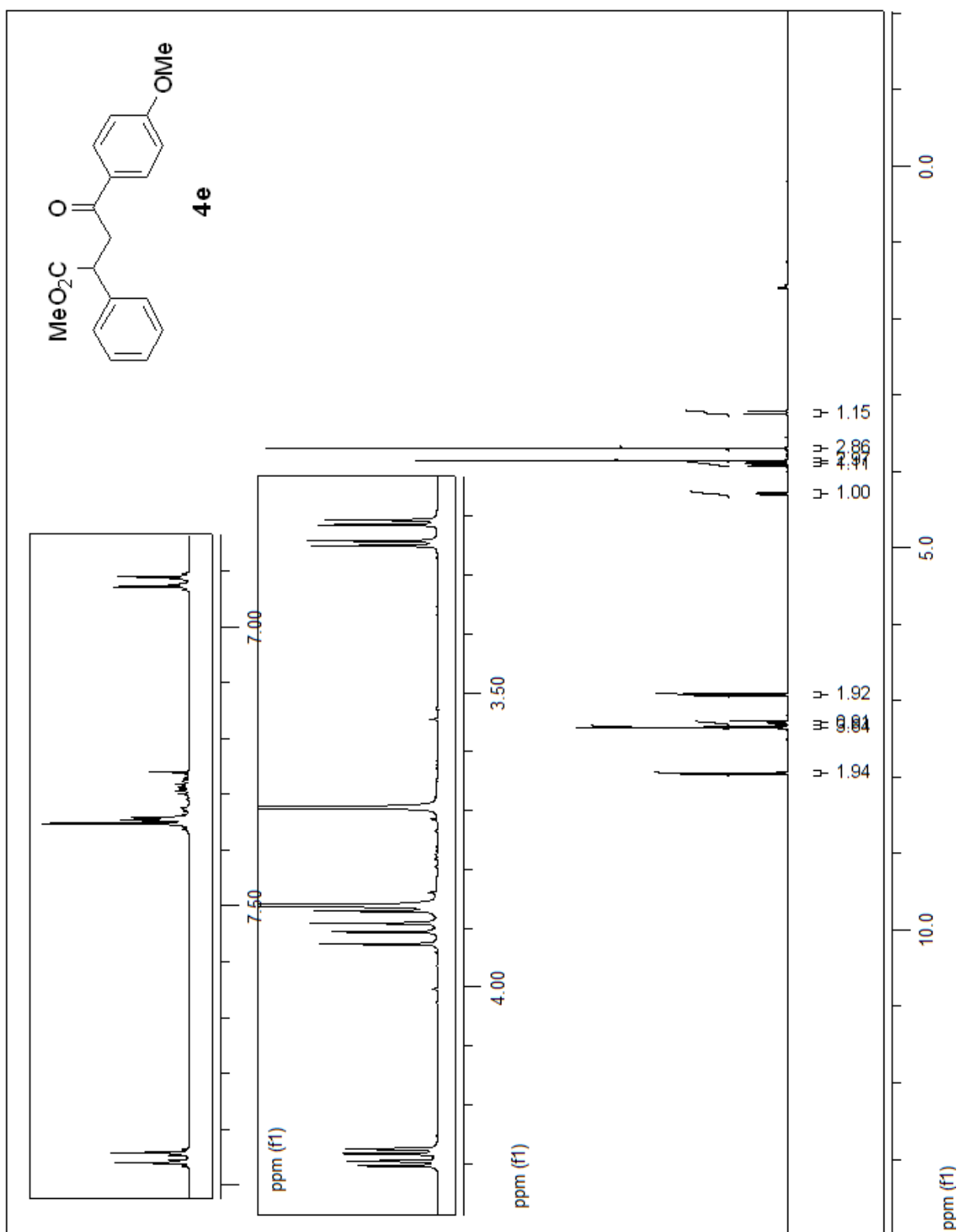
Prepared according to a known procedure⁴ with **4i** on a 0.25 mmol scale. To avoid undesired demethylcarboxylation reaction, the reaction time was shortened to 1 h. A light yellow oil (54 mg, 81%) was obtained with 97:3 *er*. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.45-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.32 (ddt, $J = 8.0, 7.1, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.12-7.02 (m, 2H), 6.74-6.68 (m, 1H), 6.58 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.43 (dd, $J = 10.7, 3.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.12 (dd, $J = 11.4, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.00 (br, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.27 (m, 2H). HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow 0.5 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): $t_{\text{R}1} = 32.0$ min, $t_{\text{R}2} = 35.3$ min.

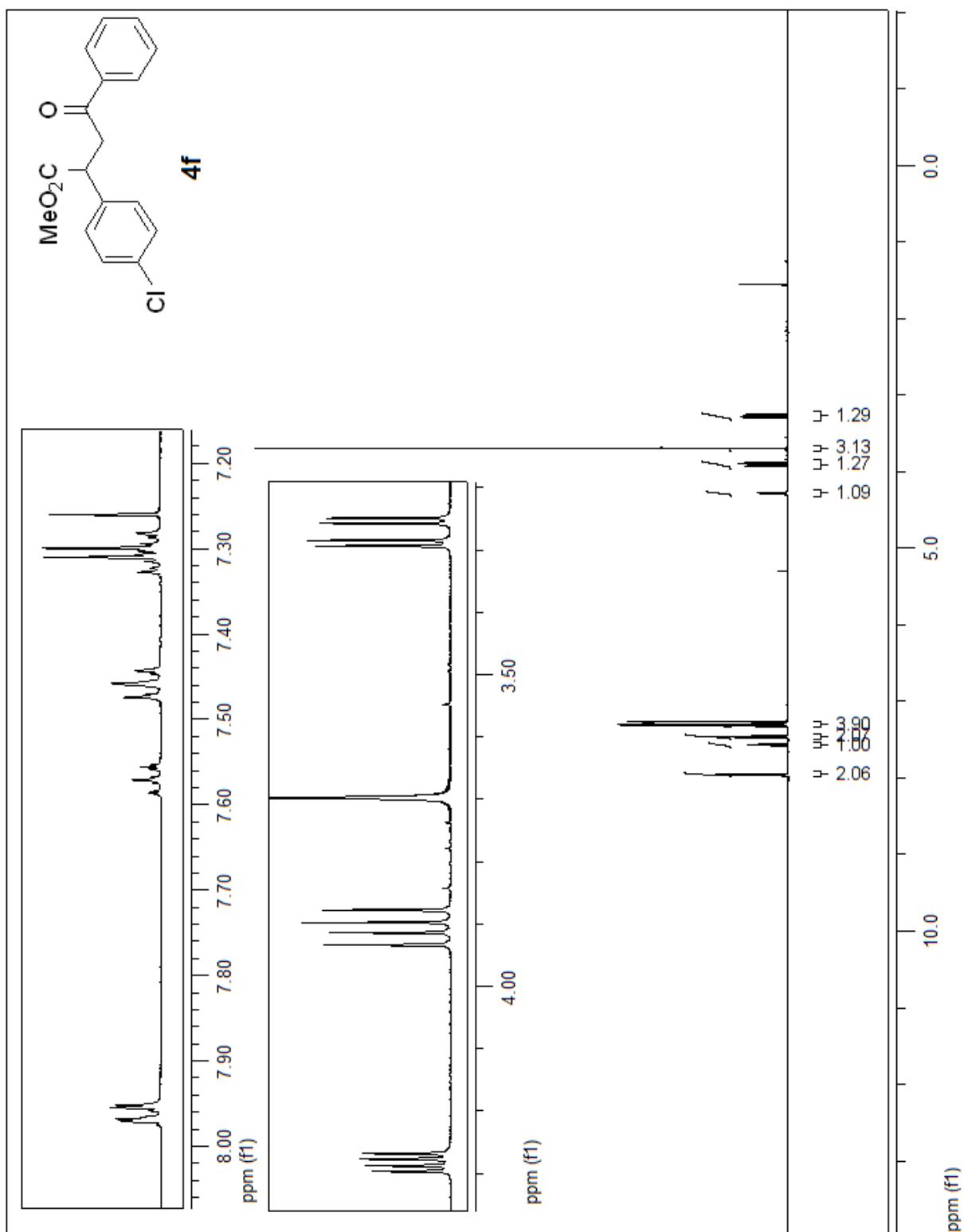


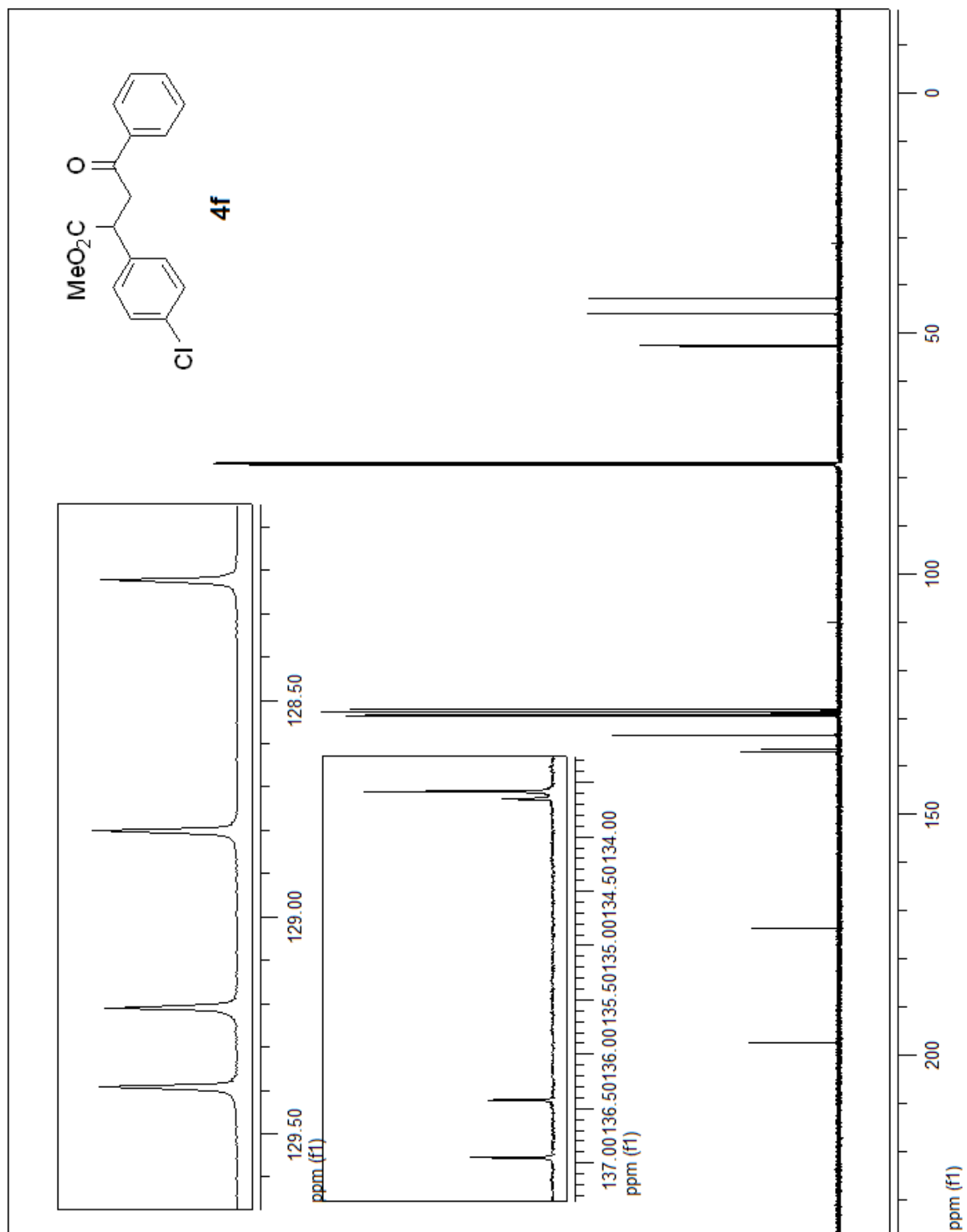


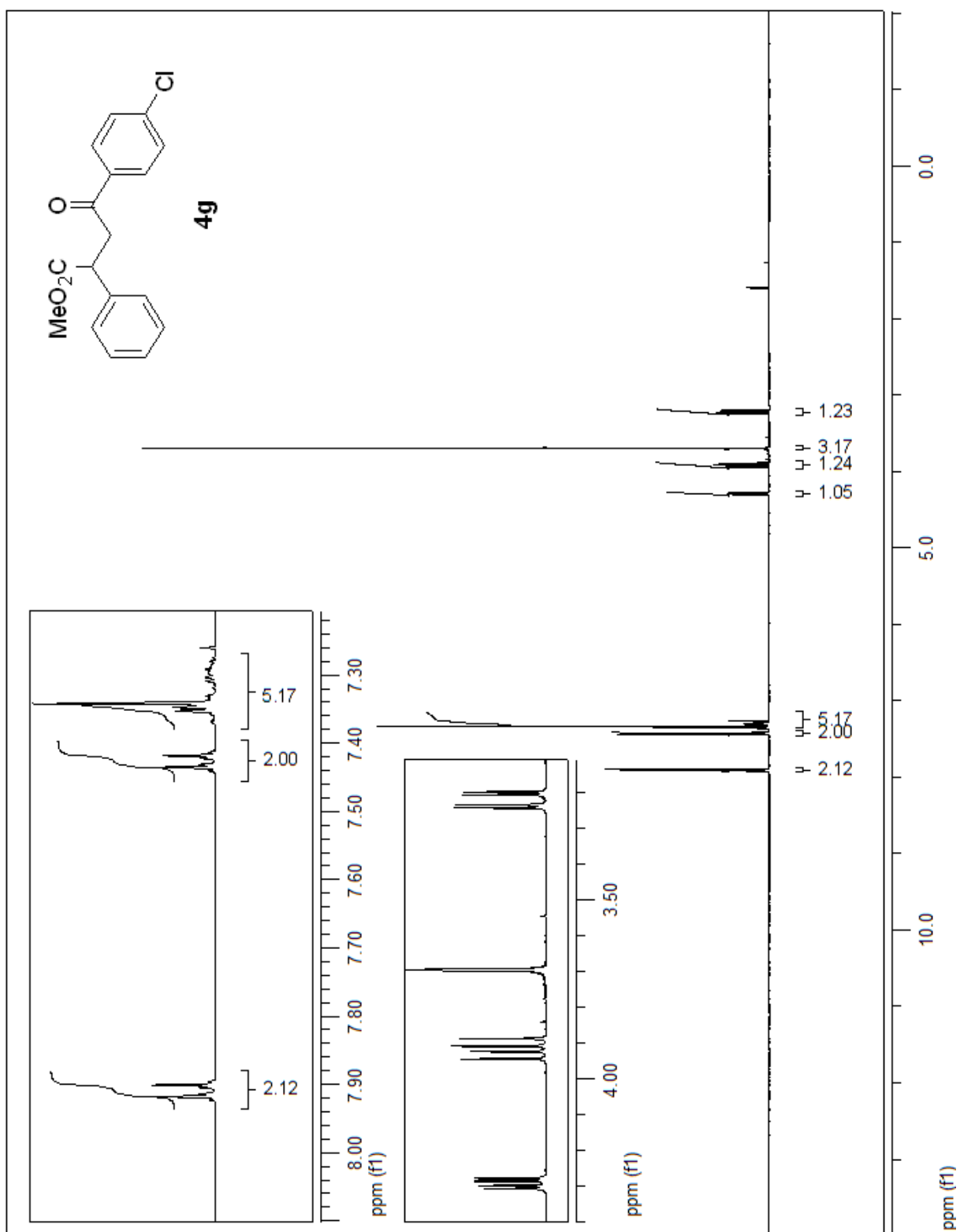


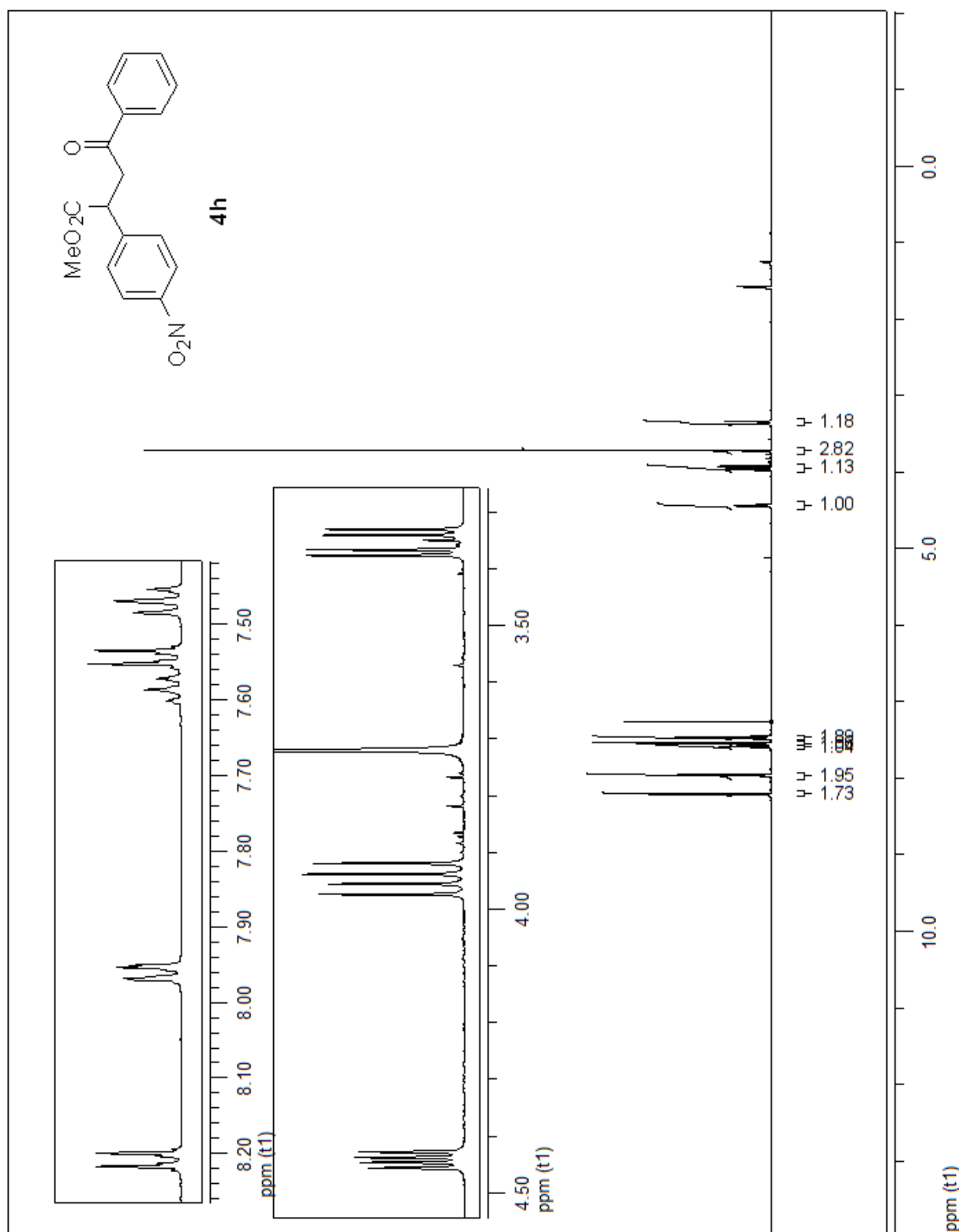


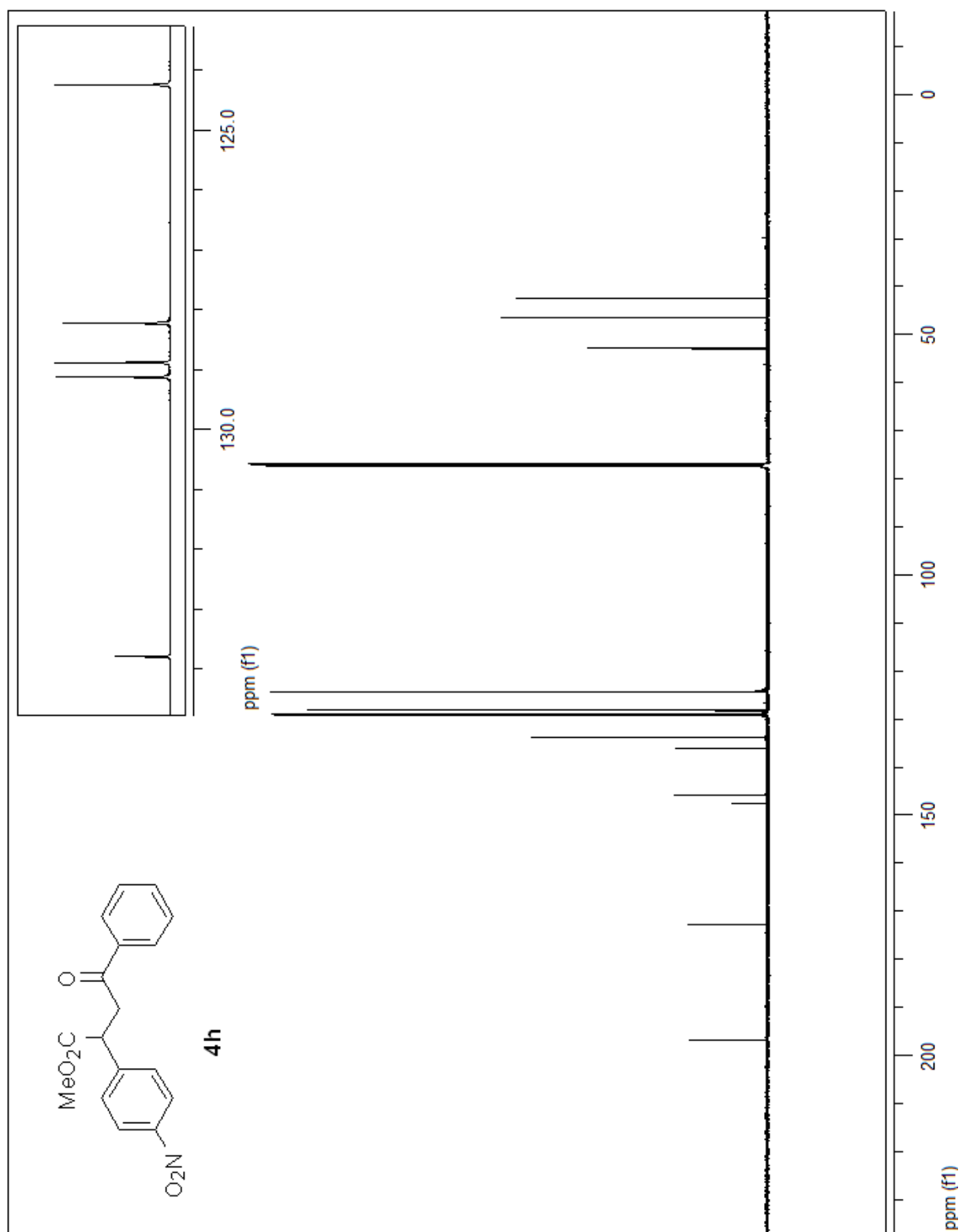


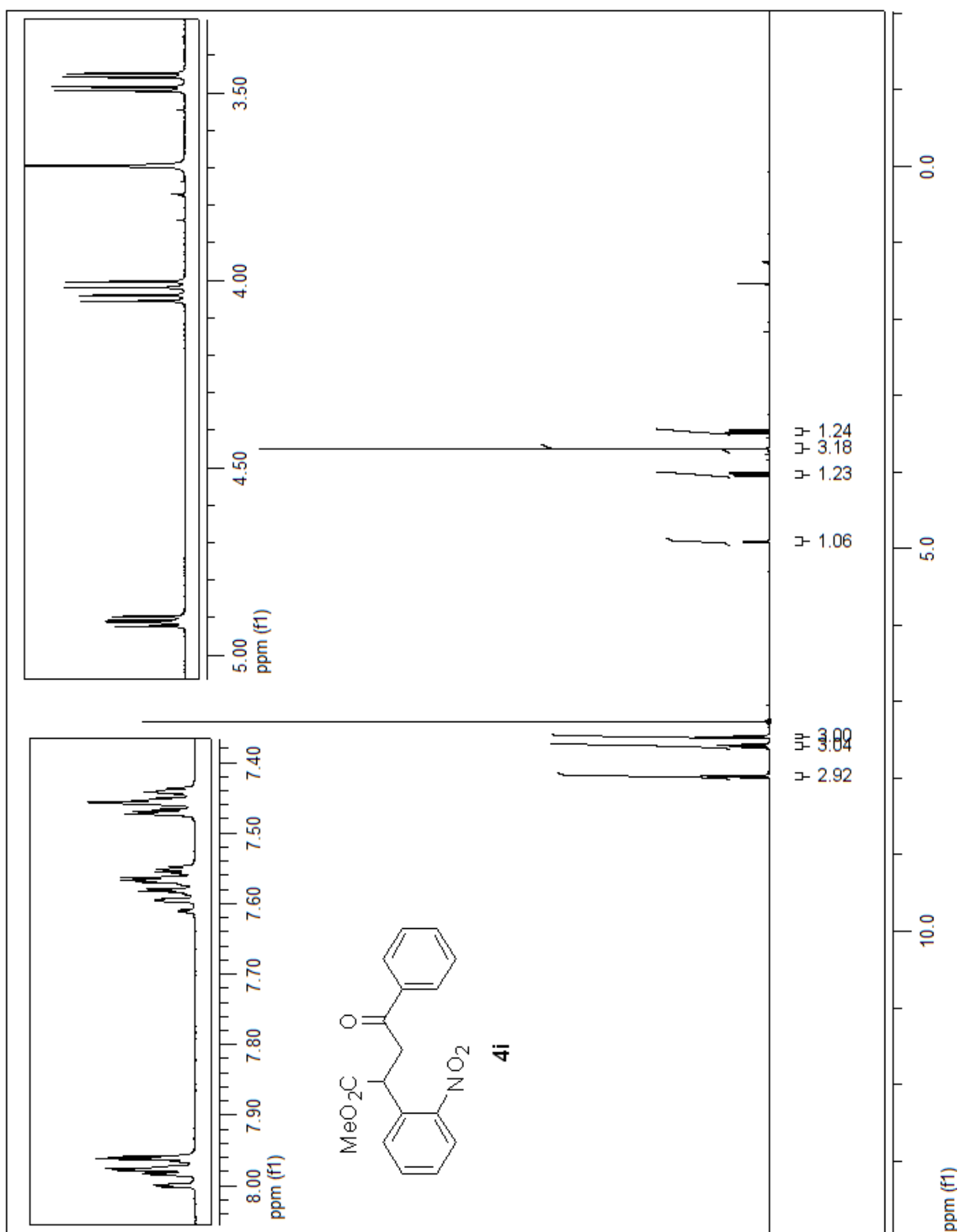


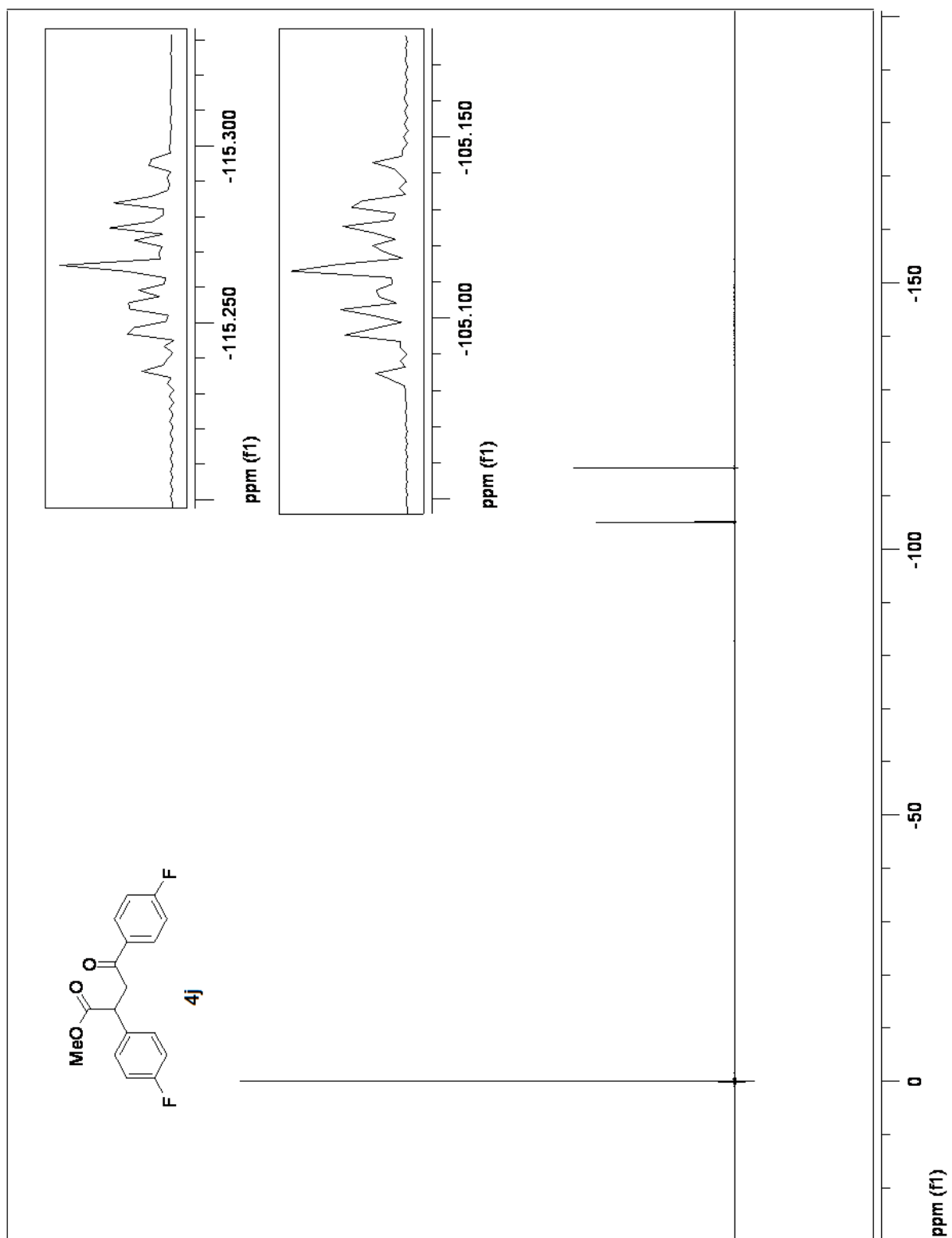


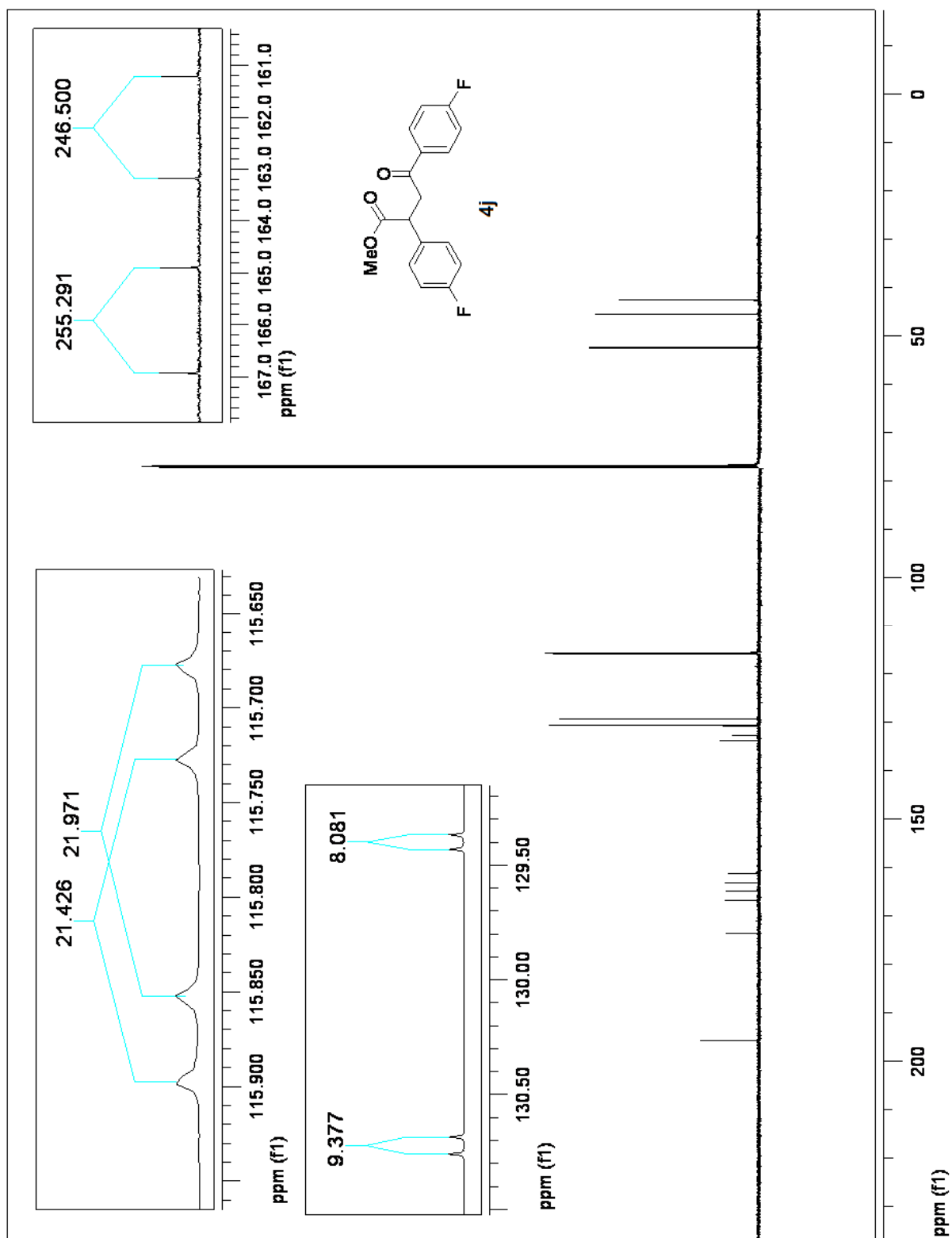


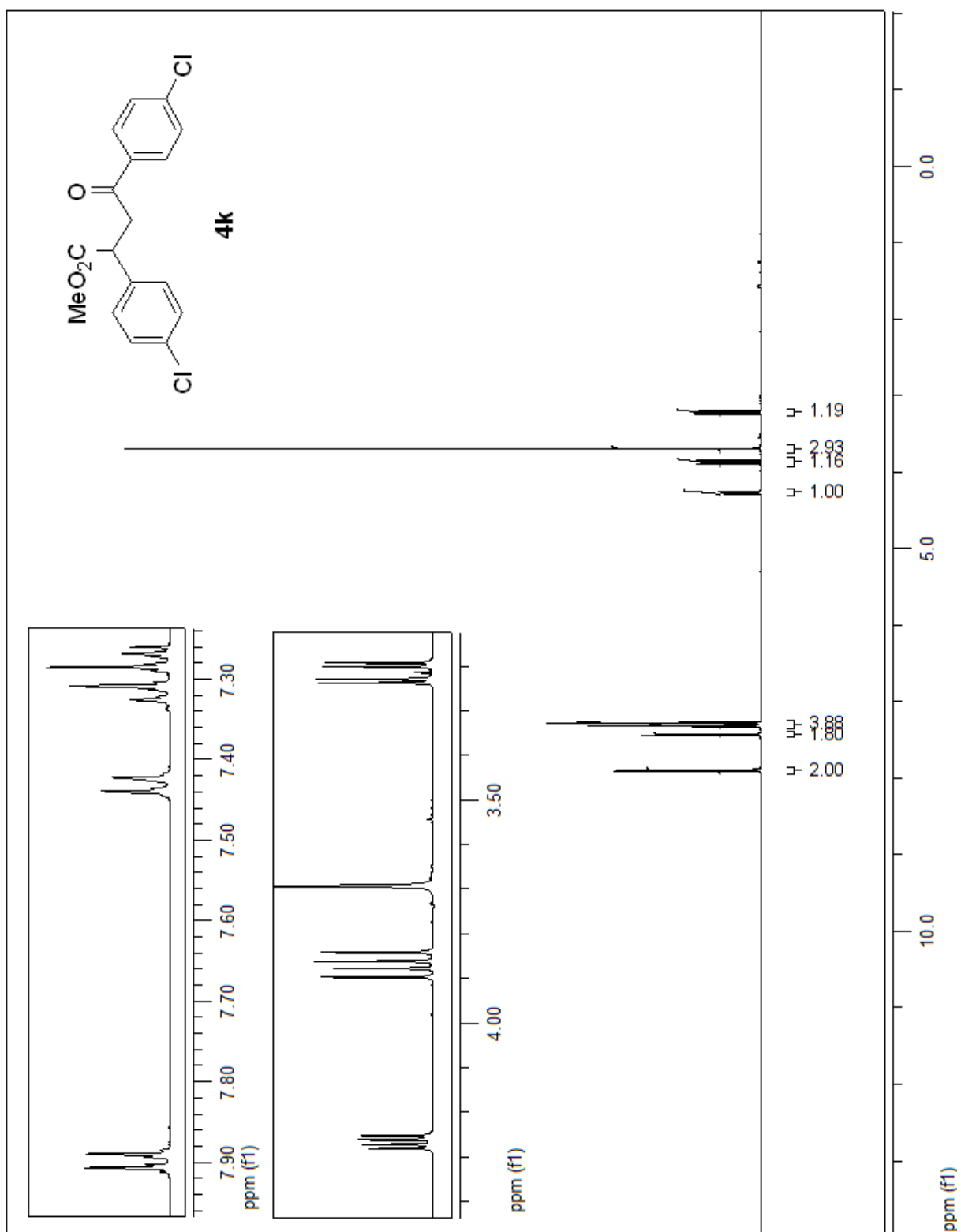


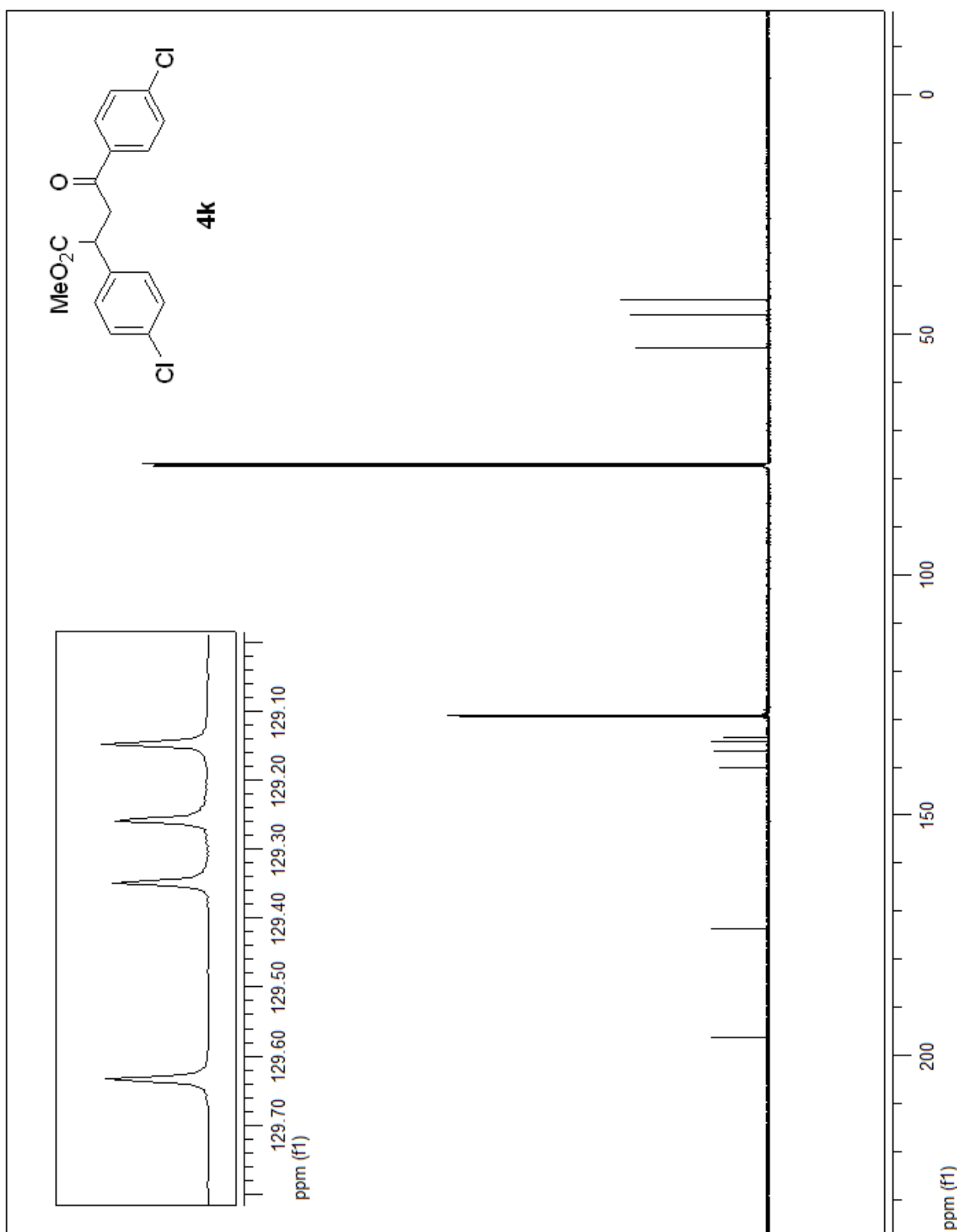


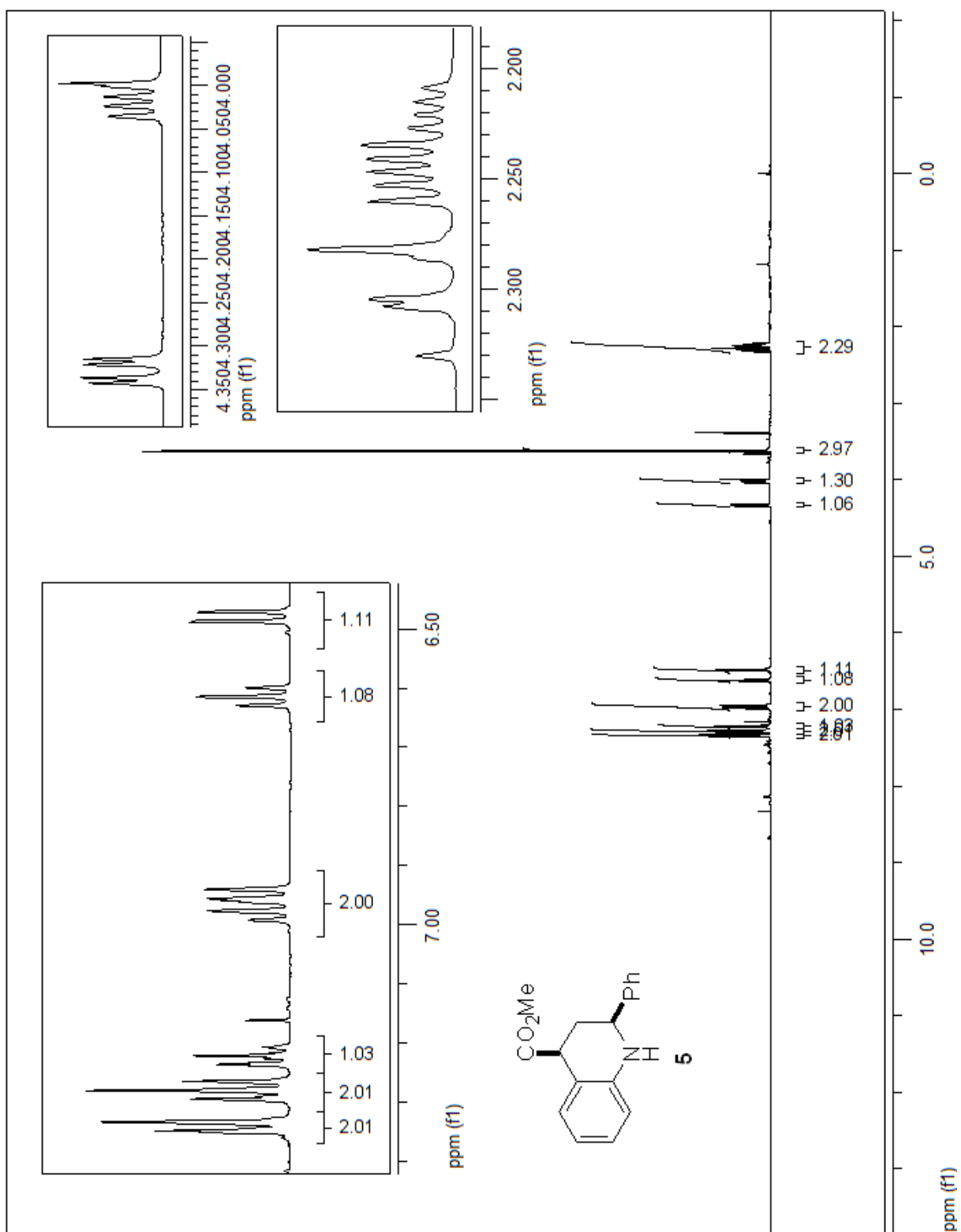


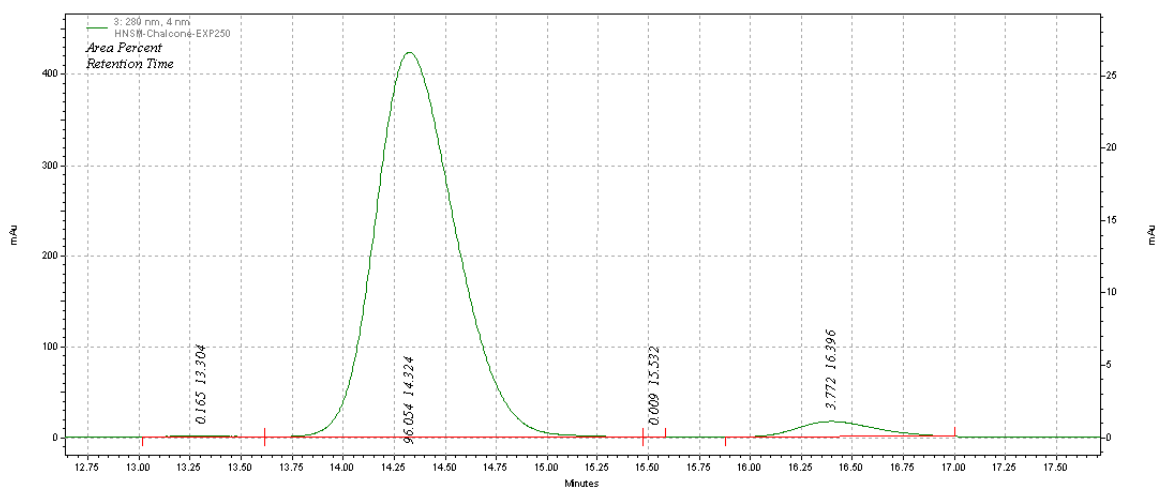
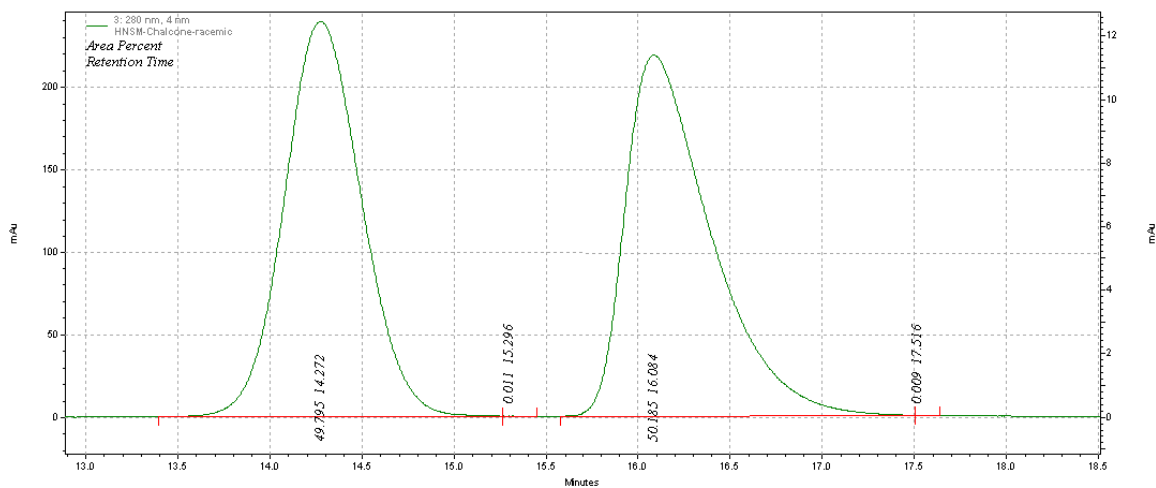
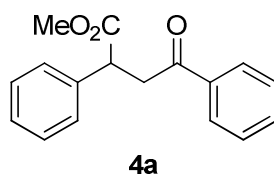


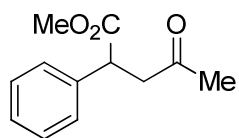




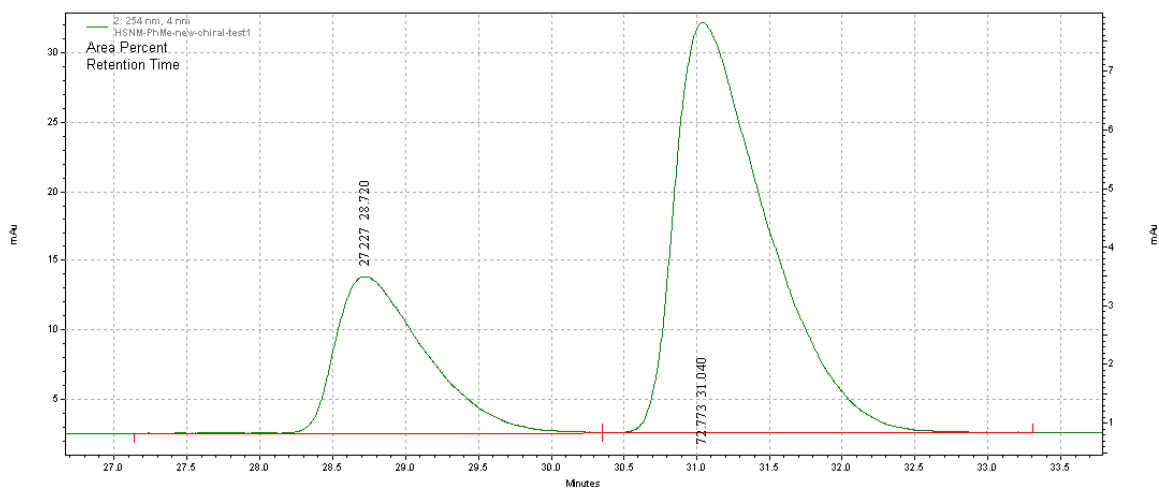
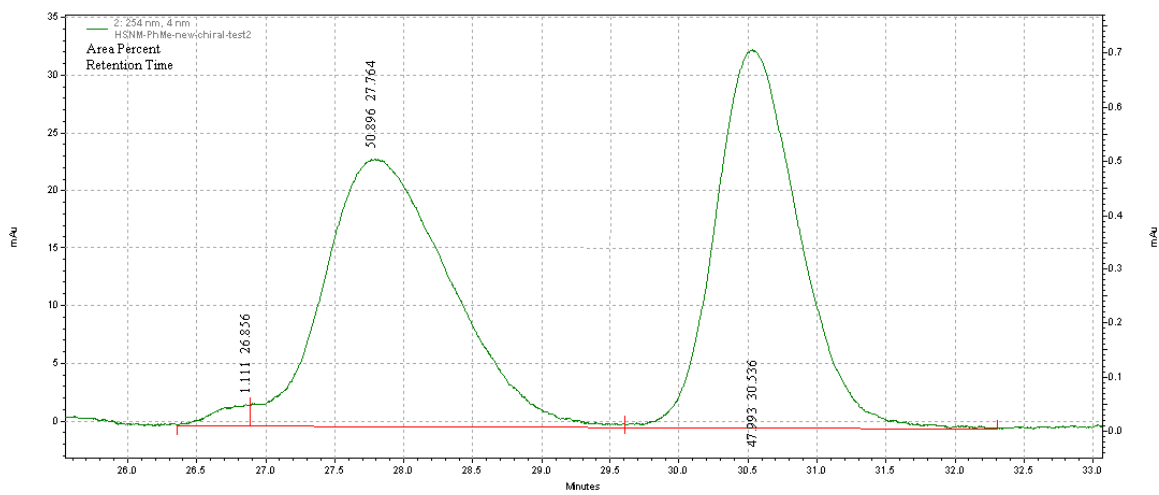


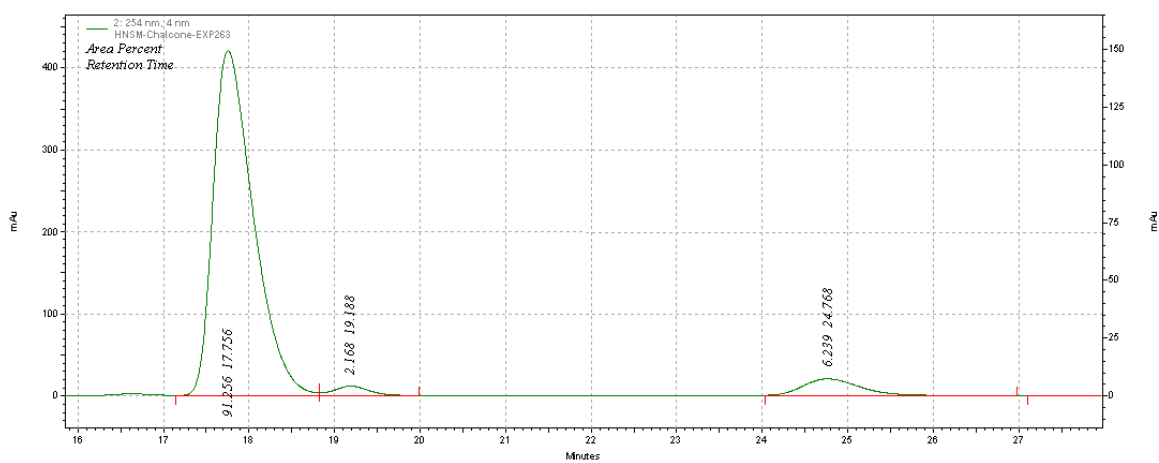
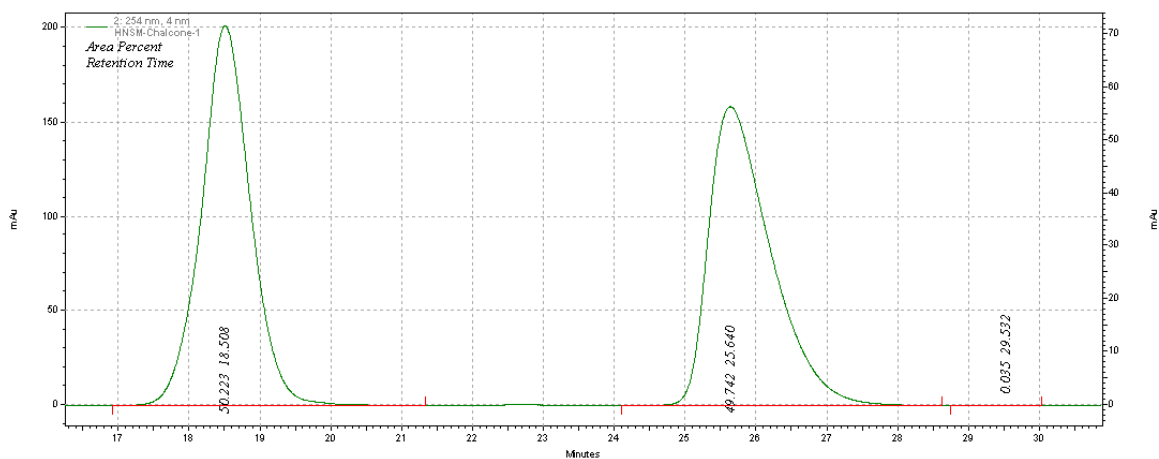
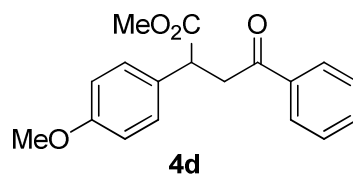


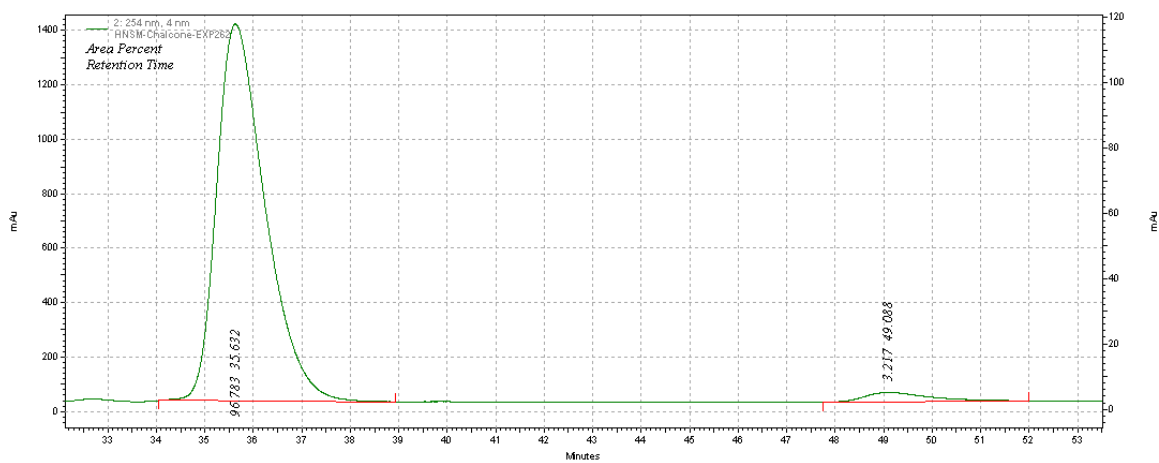
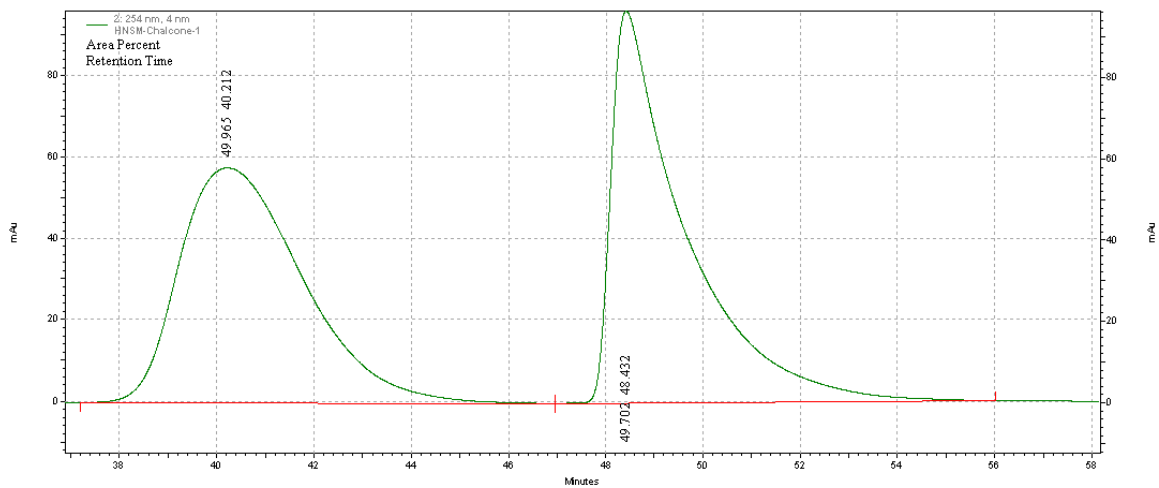
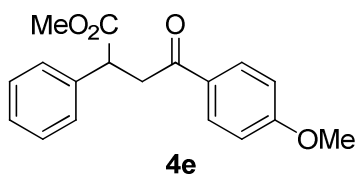


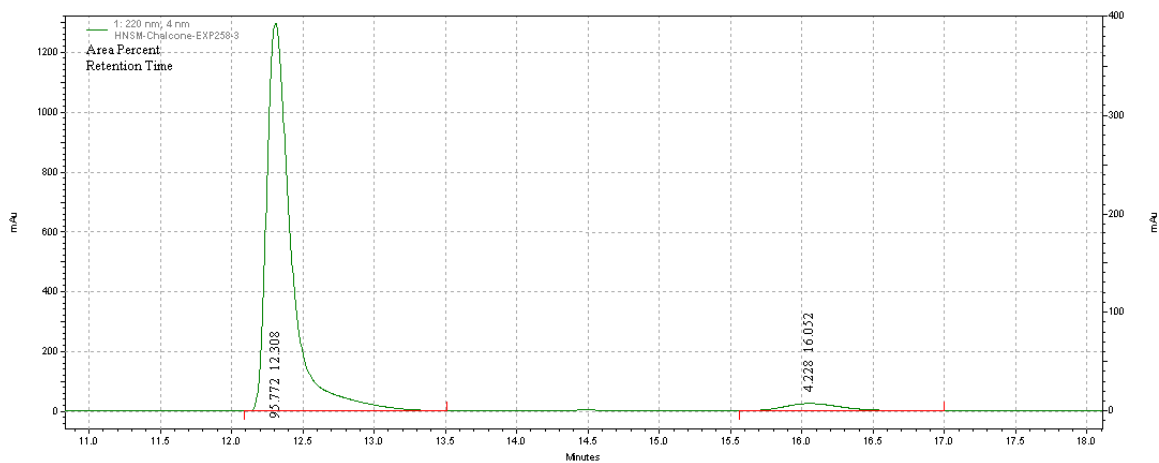
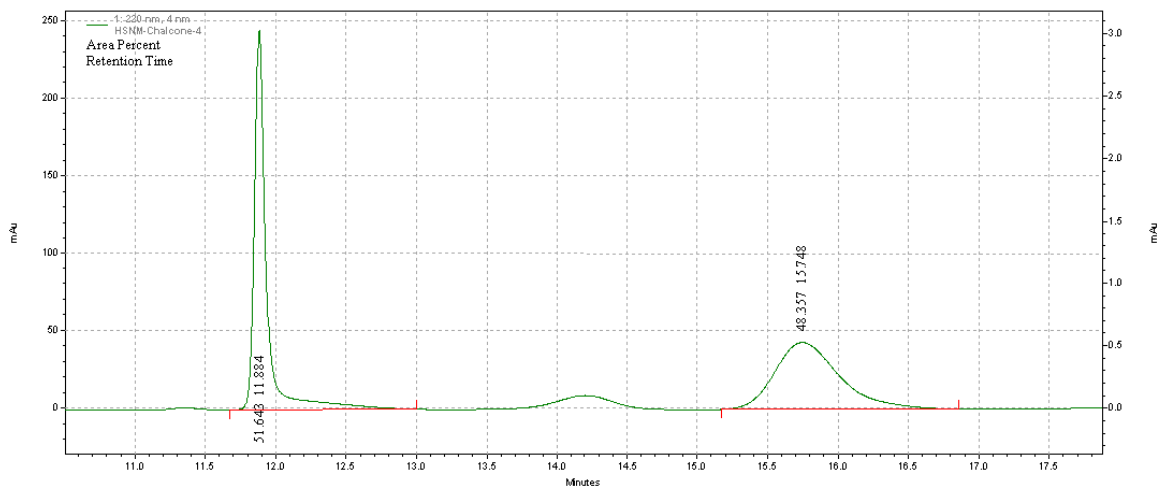
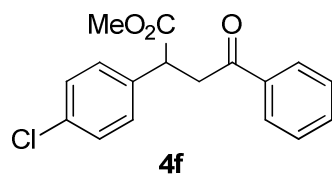


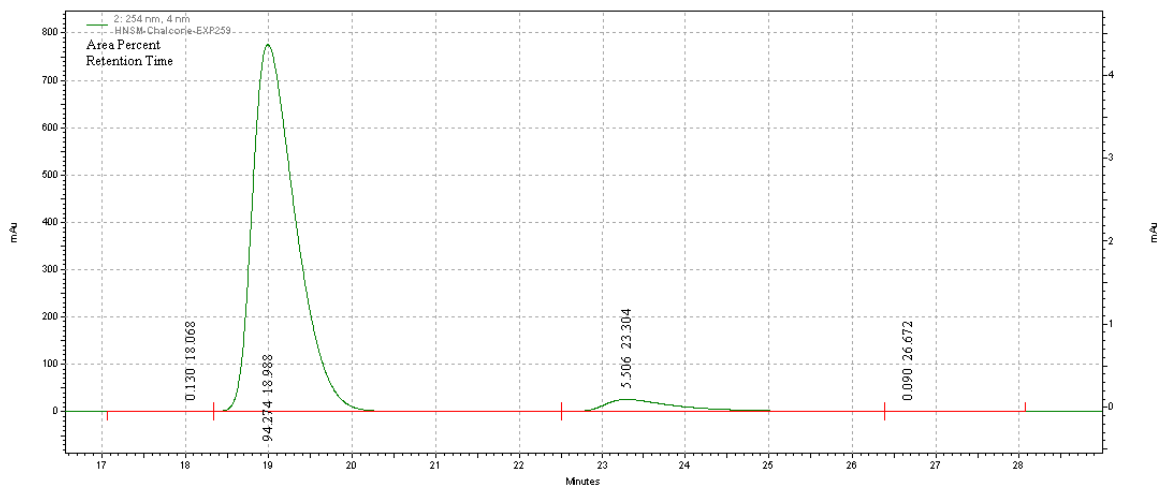
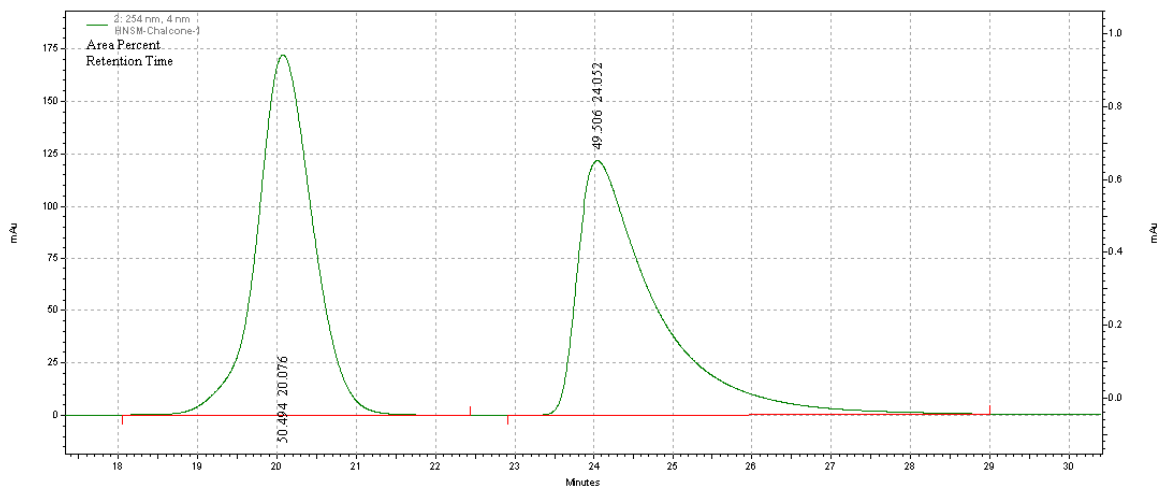
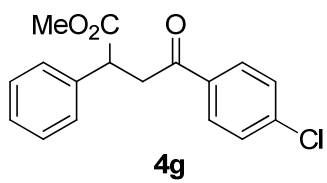
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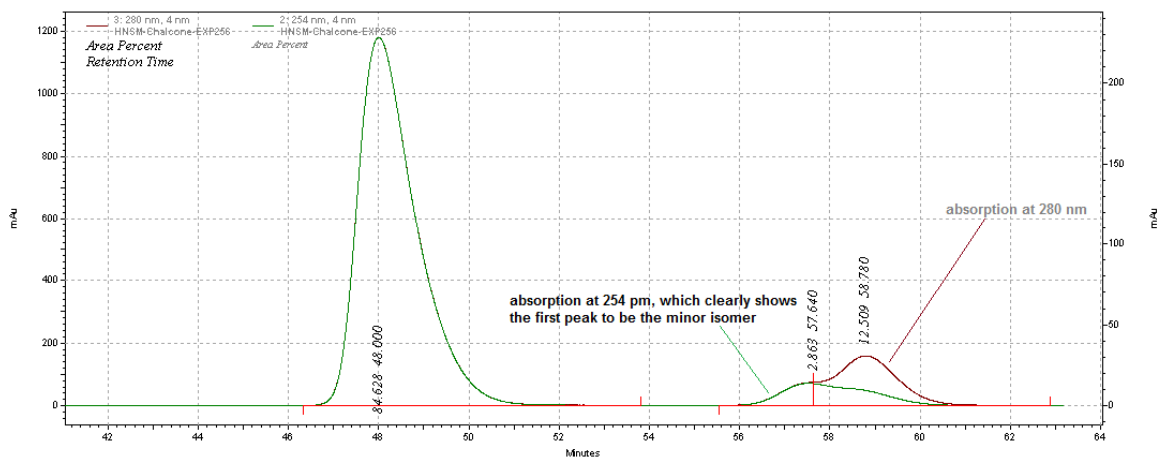
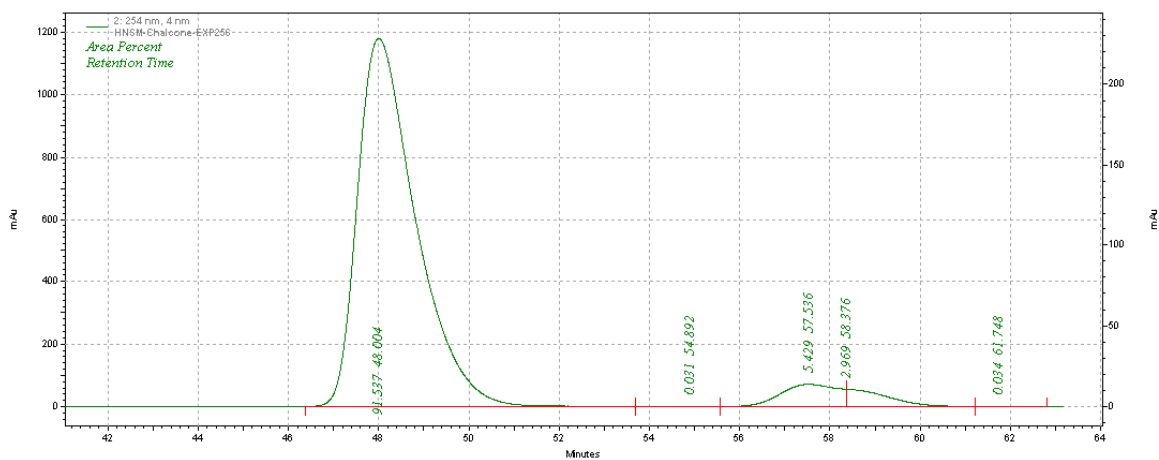
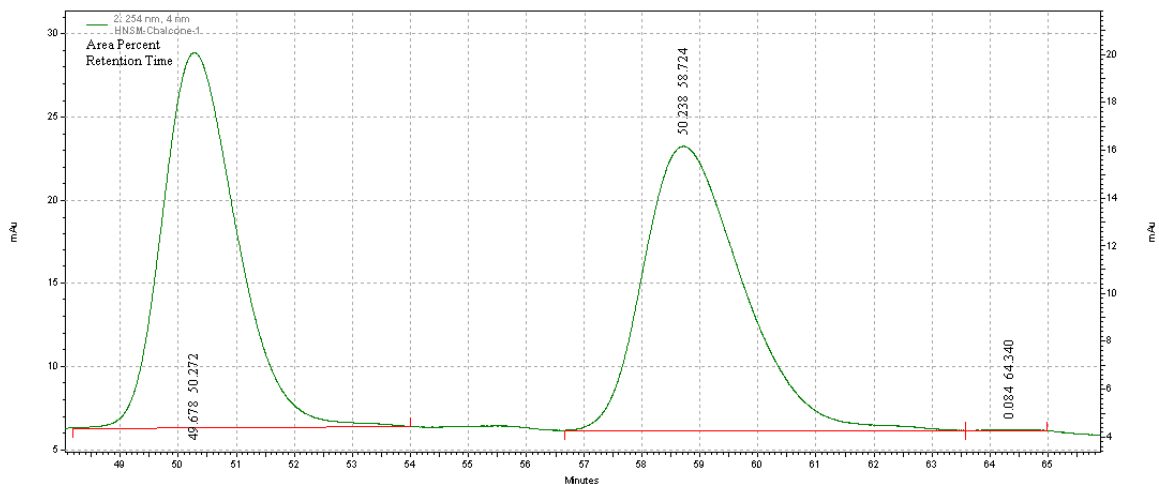
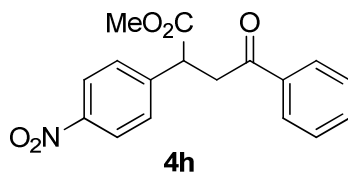


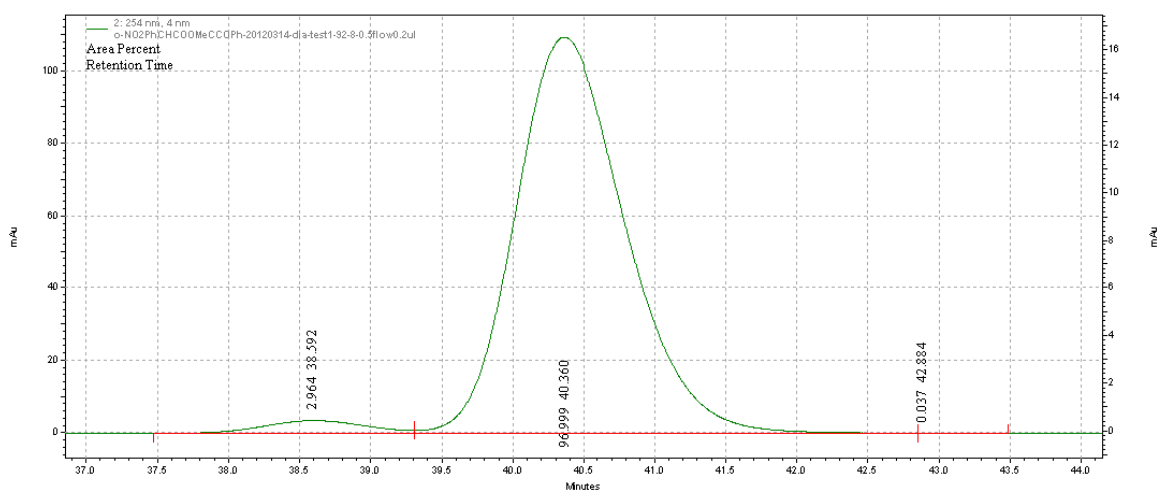
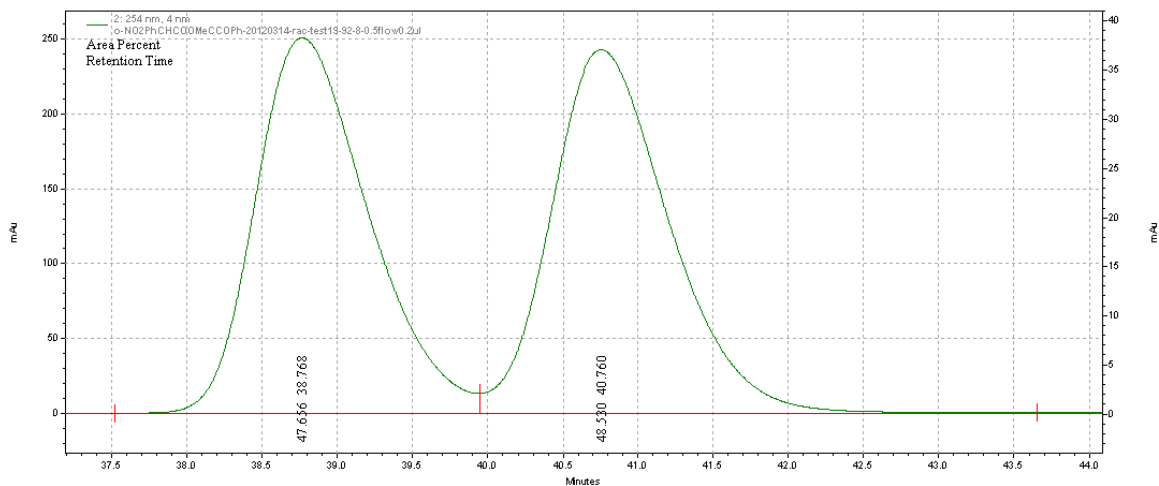
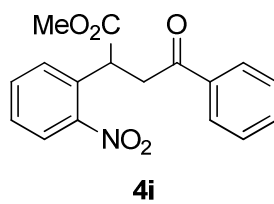


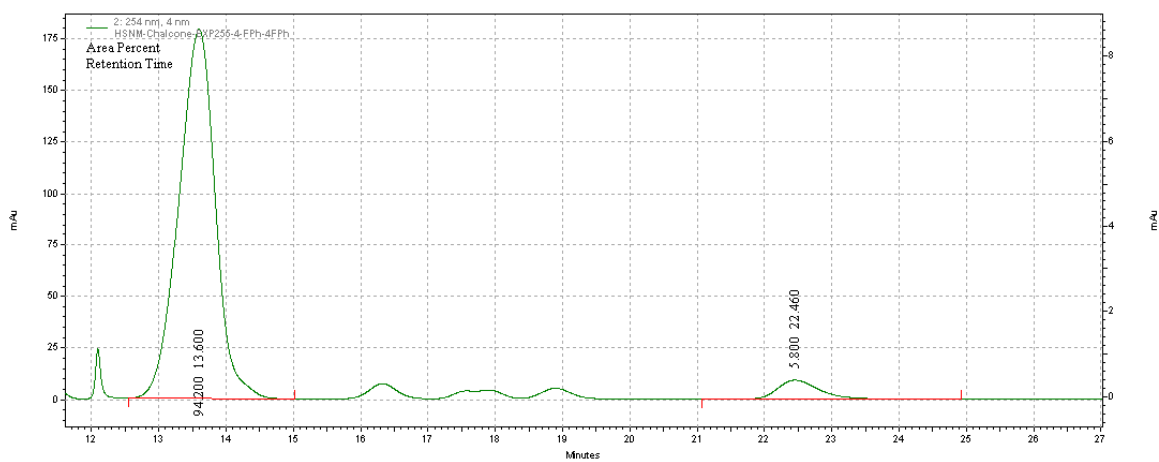
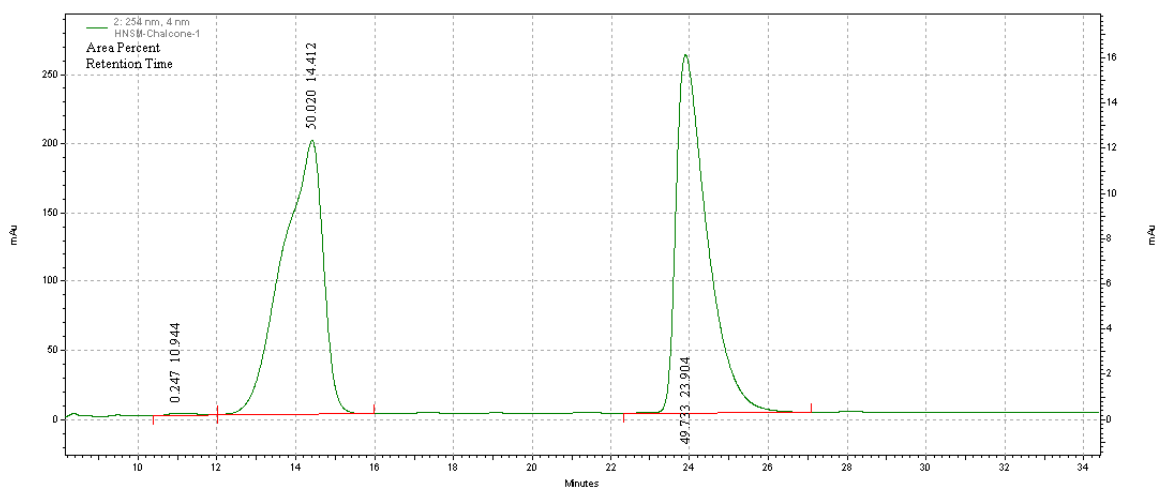
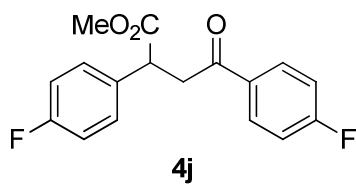


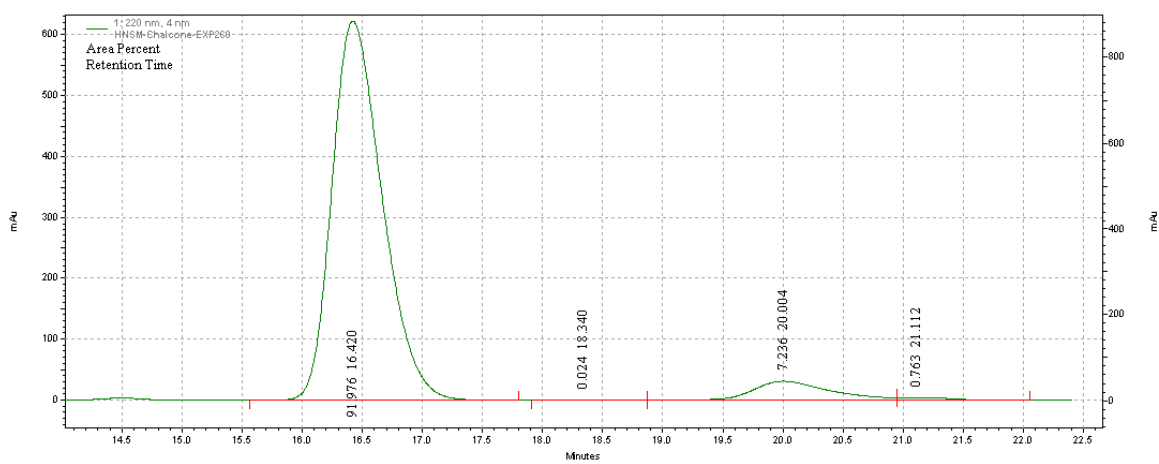
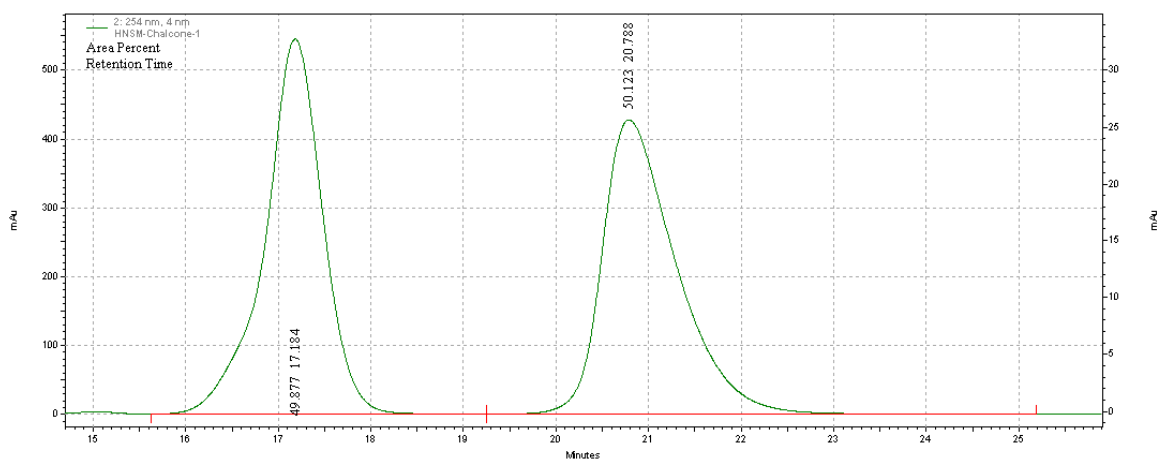
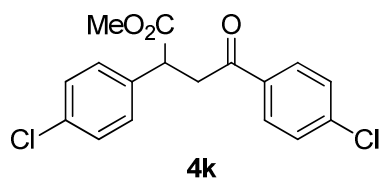


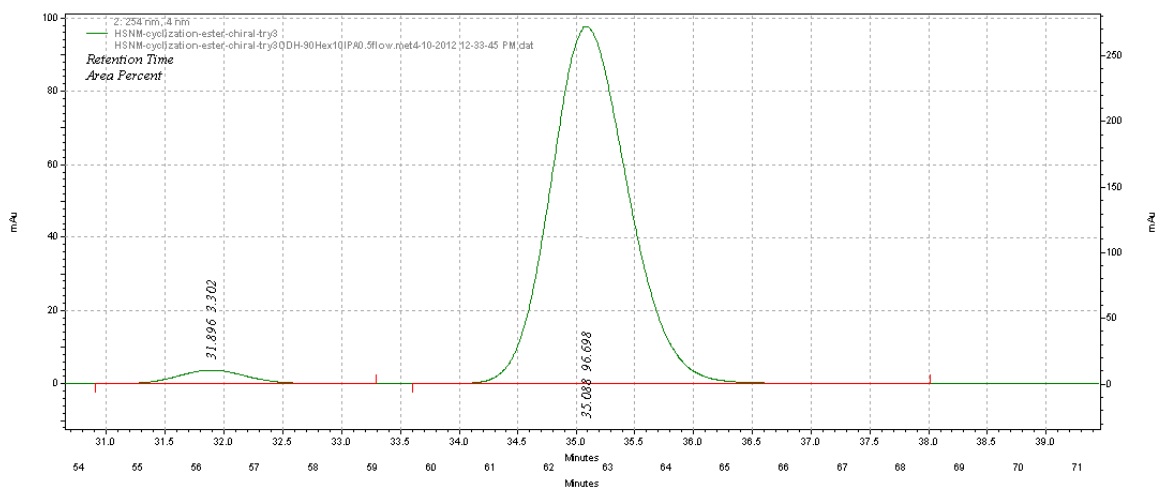
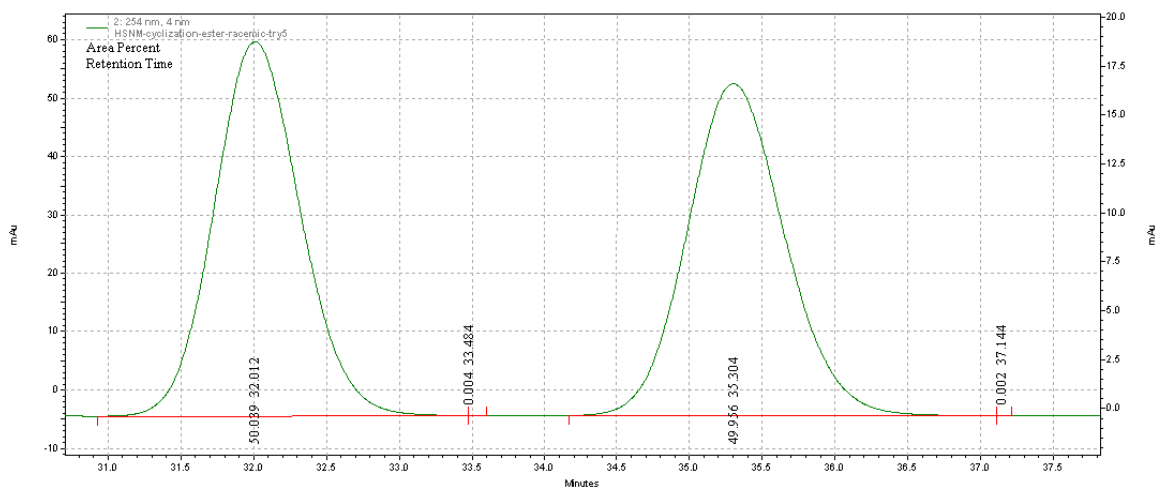
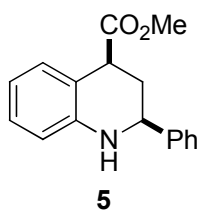


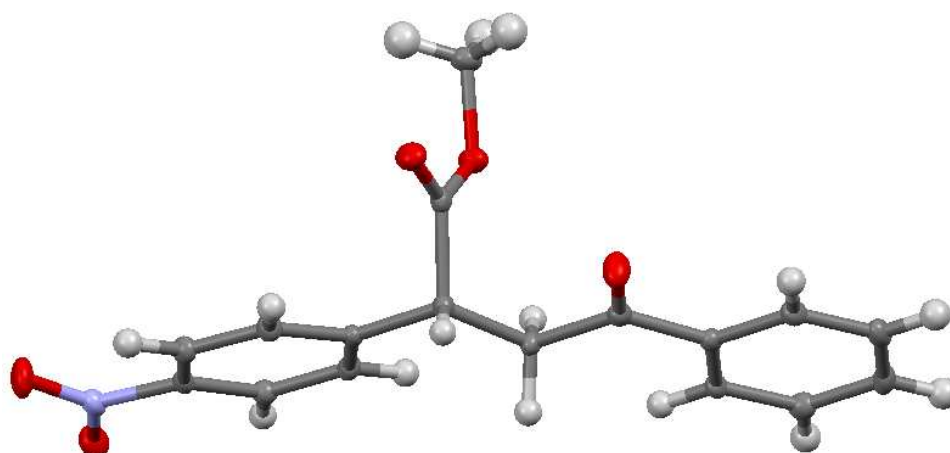




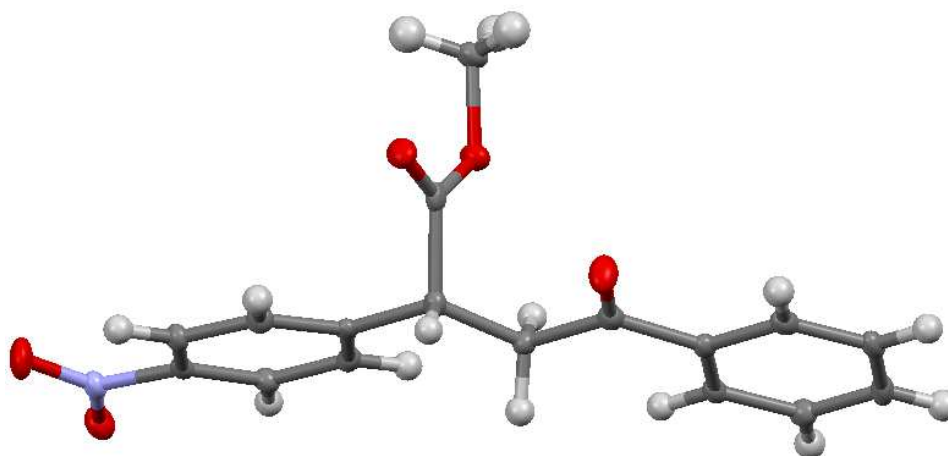








Crystal Structure of **4h** derived from Mo data



Crystal Structure of **4h** derived from Cu data

CCDC deposition numbers: CCDC 885740, CCDD 885741

Critical Parameters

$C_{17}H_{15}NO_5$:
 Flack x: 0.2(2)
 Hooft y: 0.2 (0.1)
 Bayesian Statistics: P2(true) 1.000

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₁₇H₁₅NO₅. (**Cu data**)

Identification code	cu_fang053112_0m	
Empirical formula	C ₁₇ H ₁₅ N O ₅	
Formula weight	313.30	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.41820(10) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 12.6302(2) Å	β = 104.4550(10)°.
	c = 7.90890(10) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	717.554(17) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.450 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.901 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	328	
Crystal size	0.46 x 0.16 x 0.14 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	5.78 to 50.42°.	
Index ranges	-7 ≤ h ≤ 6, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -7 ≤ l ≤ 7	
Reflections collected	3689	
Independent reflections	1443 [R(int) = 0.0256]	
Completeness to theta = 50.42°	97.0 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.99 and 0.85	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	1443 / 1 / 210	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.098	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0260, wR ₂ = 0.0650	
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0263, wR ₂ = 0.0652	
Absolute structure parameter	0.2(2)	
Extinction coefficient	0.0069(9)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.152 and -0.150 e.Å ⁻³	

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C₁₇H₁₅NO₅. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
C(1)	5557(3)	6691(2)	4569(3)	16(1)
C(2)	5028(3)	7206(2)	2980(3)	18(1)
C(3)	5447(3)	8269(2)	2854(3)	18(1)
C(4)	6401(3)	8813(2)	4321(3)	17(1)
C(5)	6930(3)	8299(2)	5905(3)	15(1)
C(6)	6518(3)	7234(2)	6059(3)	13(1)
C(7)	7132(3)	6650(2)	7738(3)	16(1)
C(8)	8182(3)	7240(2)	9340(3)	15(1)
C(9)	8838(3)	6532(2)	10926(3)	14(1)
C(10)	9875(3)	7117(2)	12576(3)	13(1)
C(11)	10634(3)	8120(2)	12534(3)	15(1)
C(12)	11595(3)	8618(2)	14055(3)	15(1)
C(13)	11813(3)	8089(2)	15614(3)	13(1)
C(14)	11087(3)	7087(2)	15702(3)	16(1)
C(15)	10104(3)	6611(2)	14178(3)	15(1)
C(16)	10130(3)	5648(2)	10623(3)	16(1)
C(17)	12734(3)	5258(2)	9499(3)	21(1)
N(1)	12915(2)	8580(2)	17223(2)	18(1)
O(1)	6826(2)	5700(1)	7822(2)	24(1)
O(2)	13361(2)	9517(1)	17168(2)	23(1)
O(3)	13376(2)	8033(1)	18536(2)	28(1)
O(4)	11325(2)	6006(1)	9721(2)	19(1)
O(5)	10159(2)	4761(1)	11187(2)	21(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [$\text{\AA}$] and angles [$^\circ$] for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_5$.

C(1)-C(2)	1.382(3)
C(1)-C(6)	1.395(3)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9500
C(2)-C(3)	1.388(3)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.382(3)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.379(3)
C(4)-H(4)	0.9500
C(5)-C(6)	1.392(3)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-C(7)	1.487(3)
C(7)-O(1)	1.226(3)
C(7)-C(8)	1.508(3)
C(8)-C(9)	1.518(3)
C(8)-H(8A)	0.9900
C(8)-H(8B)	0.9900
C(9)-C(16)	1.528(3)
C(9)-C(10)	1.530(3)
C(9)-H(9)	1.0000
C(10)-C(11)	1.390(3)
C(10)-C(15)	1.391(3)
C(11)-C(12)	1.387(3)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-C(13)	1.376(3)
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-C(14)	1.384(3)
C(13)-N(1)	1.467(3)
C(14)-C(15)	1.381(3)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500
C(16)-O(5)	1.205(3)
C(16)-O(4)	1.347(3)
C(17)-O(4)	1.452(3)

C(17)-H(17A)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17B)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17C)	0.9800
N(1)-O(3)	1.223(2)
N(1)-O(2)	1.232(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)	120.5(2)
C(2)-C(1)-H(1)	119.8
C(6)-C(1)-H(1)	119.8
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	120.1(2)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	119.9(2)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	120.1
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	120.1
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	119.9(2)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	121.0(2)
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.5
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.5
C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	118.5(2)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	122.13(19)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	119.3(2)
O(1)-C(7)-C(6)	120.9(2)
O(1)-C(7)-C(8)	120.1(2)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	119.0(2)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	113.28(19)
C(7)-C(8)-H(8A)	108.9
C(9)-C(8)-H(8A)	108.9
C(7)-C(8)-H(8B)	108.9
C(9)-C(8)-H(8B)	108.9
H(8A)-C(8)-H(8B)	107.7
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)	112.60(18)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	114.18(17)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)	106.52(16)

C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(16)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)	118.83(18)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	122.70(18)
C(15)-C(10)-C(9)	118.46(19)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	121.05(19)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	119.5
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	119.5
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	118.5(2)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	120.7
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	120.7
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	121.94(19)
C(12)-C(13)-N(1)	119.1(2)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)	118.86(19)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	118.77(19)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.6
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	120.6
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	120.9(2)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	119.6
C(10)-C(15)-H(15)	119.6
O(5)-C(16)-O(4)	123.7(2)
O(5)-C(16)-C(9)	125.1(2)
O(4)-C(16)-C(9)	111.09(19)
O(4)-C(17)-H(17A)	109.5
O(4)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
O(4)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
O(3)-N(1)-O(2)	123.49(18)
O(3)-N(1)-C(13)	118.31(19)
O(2)-N(1)-C(13)	118.17(18)
C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	115.76(17)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C17H15NO5. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2}U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

	U ¹¹	U ²²	U ³³	U ²³	U ¹³	U ¹²
C(1)	13(1)	16(1)	19(1)	-2(1)	3(1)	-1(1)
C(2)	12(1)	27(2)	16(2)	-8(1)	4(1)	-3(1)
C(3)	14(1)	28(2)	11(1)	2(1)	2(1)	1(1)
C(4)	16(1)	17(1)	20(1)	1(1)	8(1)	1(1)
C(5)	11(1)	22(2)	12(1)	-5(1)	2(1)	0(1)
C(6)	11(1)	12(2)	16(1)	-2(1)	4(1)	-1(1)
C(7)	12(1)	16(2)	21(1)	-2(1)	5(1)	1(1)
C(8)	15(1)	14(1)	16(1)	0(1)	3(1)	2(1)
C(9)	11(1)	16(1)	16(1)	0(1)	4(1)	1(1)
C(10)	8(1)	17(1)	13(1)	-1(1)	4(1)	4(1)
C(11)	14(1)	18(1)	14(1)	3(1)	4(1)	3(1)
C(12)	14(1)	14(1)	17(1)	-4(1)	5(1)	-1(1)
C(13)	12(1)	16(2)	11(1)	-3(1)	2(1)	2(1)
C(14)	16(1)	18(1)	15(1)	3(1)	6(1)	3(1)
C(15)	15(1)	14(1)	17(1)	-1(1)	4(1)	-2(1)
C(16)	17(1)	21(2)	8(1)	-1(1)	-1(1)	-4(1)
C(17)	20(1)	21(1)	26(1)	-3(1)	10(1)	4(1)
N(1)	17(1)	22(2)	14(1)	-1(1)	4(1)	1(1)
O(1)	35(1)	15(1)	20(1)	-1(1)	0(1)	-4(1)
O(2)	24(1)	21(1)	23(1)	-4(1)	6(1)	-6(1)
O(3)	36(1)	30(1)	13(1)	4(1)	-2(1)	-2(1)
O(4)	20(1)	17(1)	22(1)	1(1)	10(1)	1(1)
O(5)	26(1)	15(1)	22(1)	6(1)	7(1)	1(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$) for C17H15NO5.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	5265	5964	4647	19
H(2)	4374	6831	1971	22
H(3)	5079	8622	1762	21
H(4)	6692	9541	4238	21
H(5)	7586	8678	6909	18
H(8A)	7369	7800	9619	18
H(8B)	9277	7589	9080	18
H(9)	7714	6193	11176	17
H(11)	10492	8470	11445	18
H(12)	12092	9309	14022	18
H(14)	11262	6733	16790	19
H(15)	9577	5930	14224	19
H(17A)	13393	4977	10641	32
H(17B)	13622	5617	8962	32
H(17C)	12139	4676	8746	32

Table 6. Torsion angles [°] for C17H15NO5.

C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-0.1(3)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	0.2(3)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	-0.1(3)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	0.0(3)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	0.1(3)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	177.8(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	-0.1(3)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	-177.8(2)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-O(1)	-176.6(2)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-O(1)	1.0(3)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	1.9(3)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	179.54(18)
O(1)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	2.6(3)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-175.96(19)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(16)	59.5(2)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	-178.91(17)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-18.0(3)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	106.9(2)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	163.5(2)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	-71.6(2)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-0.4(3)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-178.85(18)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	1.1(3)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	-0.7(3)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-N(1)	176.61(17)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-0.5(3)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-177.83(19)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	1.3(3)
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	-0.9(3)
C(9)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	177.66(18)
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)-O(5)	-143.3(2)
C(10)-C(9)-C(16)-O(5)	90.9(2)
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)-O(4)	40.4(2)
C(10)-C(9)-C(16)-O(4)	-85.50(19)

C(12)-C(13)-N(1)-O(3)	-167.15(19)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)-O(3)	10.2(3)
C(12)-C(13)-N(1)-O(2)	11.3(3)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)-O(2)	-171.34(18)
O(5)-C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	-1.9(3)
C(9)-C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	174.47(16)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₁₇H₁₅NO₅ (**Mo data**).

Identification code	mo_fang053112_0m	
Empirical formula	C ₁₇ H ₁₅ N O ₅	
Formula weight	313.30	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.4205(4) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 12.6395(7) Å	β = 104.4190(10)°.
	c = 7.9161(5) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	719.08(7) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.447 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.108 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	328	
Crystal size	0.46 x 0.16 x 0.14 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	2.66 to 30.64°.	
Index ranges	-10 ≤ h ≤ 10, -18 ≤ k ≤ 17, -11 ≤ l ≤ 11	
Reflections collected	17872	
Independent reflections	4367 [R(int) = 0.0444]	
Completeness to theta = 30.64°	99.0 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.99 and 0.84	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	4367 / 1 / 209	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.055	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0408, wR ₂ = 0.0910	
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0543, wR ₂ = 0.0969	
Absolute structure parameter	0.6(8)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.301 and -0.254 e.Å ⁻³	

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C₁₇H₁₅NO₅. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
C(1)	9446(2)	1473(1)	15435(2)	16(1)
C(2)	9974(2)	1993(1)	17027(2)	18(1)
C(3)	9559(2)	3057(1)	17155(2)	18(1)
C(4)	8596(2)	3607(1)	15683(2)	17(1)
C(5)	8063(2)	3092(1)	14082(2)	14(1)
C(6)	8484(2)	2024(1)	13942(2)	13(1)
C(7)	7870(2)	1431(1)	12259(2)	14(1)
C(8)	6823(2)	2032(1)	10661(2)	14(1)
C(9)	6163(2)	1317(1)	9073(2)	13(1)
C(10)	5127(2)	1906(1)	7427(2)	13(1)
C(11)	4368(2)	2910(1)	7473(2)	14(1)
C(12)	3406(2)	3412(1)	5948(2)	14(1)
C(13)	3182(2)	2876(1)	4386(2)	14(1)
C(14)	3911(2)	1870(1)	4290(2)	16(1)
C(15)	4899(2)	1395(1)	5817(2)	15(1)
C(16)	4870(2)	437(1)	9376(2)	14(1)
C(17)	2267(2)	42(1)	10500(2)	20(1)
N(1)	2082(2)	3371(1)	2778(2)	17(1)
O(1)	8174(2)	486(1)	12179(1)	23(1)
O(2)	1638(2)	4305(1)	2831(1)	21(1)
O(3)	1618(2)	2818(1)	1462(2)	27(1)
O(4)	3673(1)	793(1)	10278(1)	17(1)
O(5)	4842(2)	-452(1)	8819(1)	20(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [$\text{\AA}$] and angles [$^\circ$] for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_5$.

C(1)-C(2)	1.389(2)
C(1)-C(6)	1.404(2)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9500
C(2)-C(3)	1.389(2)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.392(2)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.392(2)
C(4)-H(4)	0.9500
C(5)-C(6)	1.396(2)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-C(7)	1.498(2)
C(7)-O(1)	1.220(2)
C(7)-C(8)	1.513(2)
C(8)-C(9)	1.526(2)
C(8)-H(8A)	0.9900
C(8)-H(8B)	0.9900
C(9)-C(16)	1.527(2)
C(9)-C(10)	1.5310(19)
C(9)-H(9)	1.0000
C(10)-C(11)	1.393(2)
C(10)-C(15)	1.400(2)
C(11)-C(12)	1.393(2)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-C(13)	1.384(2)
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-C(14)	1.391(2)
C(13)-N(1)	1.4696(18)
C(14)-C(15)	1.384(2)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500
C(16)-O(5)	1.2058(18)
C(16)-O(4)	1.3480(18)
C(17)-O(4)	1.4536(18)

C(17)-H(17A)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17B)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17C)	0.9800
N(1)-O(3)	1.2299(17)
N(1)-O(2)	1.2302(17)

C(2)-C(1)-C(6)	119.91(14)
C(2)-C(1)-H(1)	120.0
C(6)-C(1)-H(1)	120.0
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	120.43(14)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.8
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.8
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	119.98(14)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	120.0
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	120.0
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	119.92(15)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.40(14)
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.8
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.8
C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	119.36(14)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	121.98(13)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	118.60(14)
O(1)-C(7)-C(6)	121.13(13)
O(1)-C(7)-C(8)	120.70(13)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	118.15(13)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	112.60(12)
C(7)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.1
C(9)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.1
C(7)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.1
C(9)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.1
H(8A)-C(8)-H(8B)	107.8
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)	112.77(12)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	113.81(12)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)	106.60(11)

C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(16)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	107.8
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)	119.06(13)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	122.78(12)
C(15)-C(10)-C(9)	118.14(13)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	121.05(13)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	119.5
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	119.5
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	118.24(14)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	120.9
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	120.9
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	122.30(13)
C(12)-C(13)-N(1)	118.86(14)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)	118.81(13)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	118.50(13)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.7
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	120.7
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	120.82(14)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	119.6
C(10)-C(15)-H(15)	119.6
O(5)-C(16)-O(4)	123.49(14)
O(5)-C(16)-C(9)	125.16(14)
O(4)-C(16)-C(9)	111.26(12)
O(4)-C(17)-H(17A)	109.5
O(4)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
O(4)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
O(3)-N(1)-O(2)	123.61(13)
O(3)-N(1)-C(13)	118.00(13)
O(2)-N(1)-C(13)	118.36(13)
C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	115.70(12)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C17H15NO5. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2}U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{23}	U^{13}	U^{12}
C(1)	15(1)	16(1)	17(1)	4(1)	3(1)	0(1)
C(2)	14(1)	25(1)	14(1)	5(1)	2(1)	0(1)
C(3)	16(1)	25(1)	12(1)	-2(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
C(4)	18(1)	17(1)	18(1)	-2(1)	6(1)	-1(1)
C(5)	14(1)	14(1)	13(1)	3(1)	1(1)	0(1)
C(6)	11(1)	15(1)	13(1)	1(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
C(7)	13(1)	15(1)	15(1)	2(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
C(8)	16(1)	13(1)	12(1)	1(1)	-1(1)	-2(1)
C(9)	14(1)	14(1)	11(1)	0(1)	2(1)	0(1)
C(10)	12(1)	15(1)	11(1)	1(1)	2(1)	-2(1)
C(11)	15(1)	15(1)	14(1)	-2(1)	2(1)	-2(1)
C(12)	14(1)	14(1)	15(1)	0(1)	4(1)	0(1)
C(13)	13(1)	16(1)	12(1)	3(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
C(14)	18(1)	17(1)	13(1)	-2(1)	5(1)	-1(1)
C(15)	16(1)	14(1)	15(1)	0(1)	4(1)	2(1)
C(16)	15(1)	16(1)	11(1)	1(1)	0(1)	0(1)
C(17)	18(1)	19(1)	24(1)	2(1)	7(1)	-3(1)
N(1)	16(1)	20(1)	14(1)	3(1)	4(1)	0(1)
O(1)	33(1)	15(1)	19(1)	0(1)	0(1)	3(1)
O(2)	22(1)	20(1)	21(1)	4(1)	4(1)	5(1)
O(3)	35(1)	30(1)	13(1)	-1(1)	-3(1)	2(1)
O(4)	18(1)	16(1)	20(1)	-2(1)	7(1)	-2(1)
O(5)	23(1)	15(1)	21(1)	-3(1)	6(1)	-3(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$) for C17H15NO5.

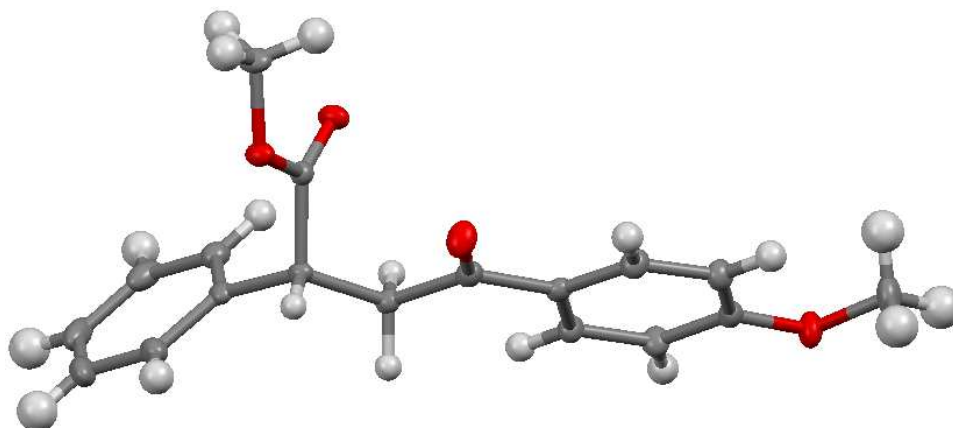
	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	9735	745	15356	19
H(2)	10624	1618	18036	22
H(3)	9933	3409	18246	22
H(4)	8303	4333	15770	21
H(5)	7408	3469	13078	17
H(8A)	7642	2589	10384	17
H(8B)	5732	2384	10923	17
H(9)	7286	978	8821	16
H(11)	4508	3258	8561	17
H(12)	2917	4104	5980	17
H(14)	3735	1516	3202	19
H(15)	5429	715	5773	18
H(17A)	1619	-246	9361	30
H(17B)	1369	401	11026	30
H(17C)	2863	-535	11264	30

Table 6. Torsion angles [°] for C17H15NO5.

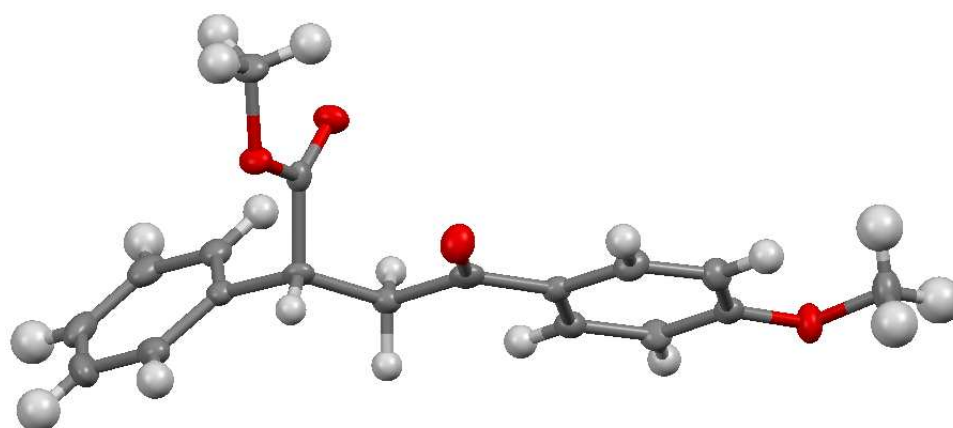
C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-0.1(2)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	0.5(2)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	-0.5(2)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	0.1(2)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	0.3(2)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	177.55(14)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	-0.3(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	-177.67(14)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-O(1)	-176.49(14)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-O(1)	0.8(2)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	2.3(2)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	179.60(13)
O(1)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	2.9(2)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-175.94(12)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(16)	59.36(16)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	-179.05(11)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-18.26(19)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	106.70(15)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	163.37(13)
C(16)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	-71.68(16)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-0.5(2)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-178.87(13)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	1.6(2)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	-1.3(2)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-N(1)	176.65(13)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-0.2(2)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-178.11(13)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	1.3(2)
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	-1.0(2)
C(9)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	177.44(13)
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)-O(5)	-143.12(15)
C(10)-C(9)-C(16)-O(5)	91.28(17)
C(8)-C(9)-C(16)-O(4)	40.28(16)
C(10)-C(9)-C(16)-O(4)	-85.31(14)

C(12)-C(13)-N(1)-O(3)	-167.41(14)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)-O(3)	10.6(2)
C(12)-C(13)-N(1)-O(2)	10.9(2)
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)-O(2)	-171.15(13)
O(5)-C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	-2.0(2)
C(9)-C(16)-O(4)-C(17)	174.61(12)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:



Crystal Structure of **4e** derived from Mo data



Crystal Structure of **4e** derived from Cu data

CCDC deposition numbers: CCDC 885742, CCDD 885743

Critical Parameters

$C_{18}H_{18}O_4$

Flack x: 0.0(2)

Hooft y: -0.02(0.07)

Bayesian Statistics: P2(true) 1.000

structure refinement for C₁₈H₁₈O₄ (**Cu data**).

Identification code	cu_fang060212_0m	
Empirical formula	C ₁₈ H ₁₈ O ₄	
Formula weight	298.32	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P2(1)2(1)2(1)	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.7671(2) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 7.9627(2) Å	β = 90°.
	c = 24.9339(5) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	1542.09(6) Å ³	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.285 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.738 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	632	
Crystal size	0.44 x 0.44 x 0.16 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	3.55 to 44.38°.	
Index ranges	-7 ≤ h ≤ 7, -7 ≤ k ≤ 7, -21 ≤ l ≤ 22	
Reflections collected	10685	
Independent reflections	1194 [R(int) = 0.0374]	
Completeness to theta = 44.38°	99.3 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.89 and 0.72	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	1194 / 0 / 202	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.073	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0245, wR2 = 0.0604	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0245, wR2 = 0.0606	
Absolute structure parameter	0.0(2)	
Extinction coefficient	0.0114(7)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.189 and -0.172 e.Å ⁻³	

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C₁₈H₁₈O₄. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
C(1)	1463(3)	6442(3)	8902(1)	28(1)
C(2)	2068(3)	7326(3)	9343(1)	38(1)
C(3)	3751(4)	7890(3)	9357(1)	38(1)
C(4)	4826(3)	7564(3)	8931(1)	33(1)
C(5)	4219(3)	6679(3)	8491(1)	25(1)
C(6)	2532(3)	6112(2)	8469(1)	20(1)
C(7)	1872(3)	5183(2)	7975(1)	20(1)
C(8)	2019(2)	6276(2)	7474(1)	20(1)
C(9)	1547(3)	5375(3)	6967(1)	22(1)
C(10)	1797(2)	6227(3)	6445(1)	18(1)
C(11)	2454(2)	7851(3)	6406(1)	23(1)
C(12)	2679(2)	8590(2)	5908(1)	23(1)
C(13)	2270(2)	7735(3)	5445(1)	21(1)
C(14)	1626(2)	6115(3)	5477(1)	25(1)
C(15)	1389(2)	5394(3)	5973(1)	25(1)
C(16)	2885(3)	3581(3)	7906(1)	19(1)
C(17)	3029(3)	694(3)	8107(1)	28(1)
C(18)	2306(3)	7701(3)	4486(1)	35(1)
O(1)	4273(2)	3498(2)	7687(1)	25(1)
O(2)	2112(2)	2270(2)	8138(1)	22(1)
O(3)	973(2)	3931(2)	6985(1)	30(1)
O(4)	2554(2)	8581(2)	4979(1)	29(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [$\text{\AA}$] and angles [$^\circ$] for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{18}\text{O}_4$.

C(1)-C(2)	1.386(3)
C(1)-C(6)	1.387(3)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9500
C(2)-C(3)	1.383(3)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.375(3)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.387(3)
C(4)-H(4)	0.9500
C(5)-C(6)	1.387(3)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-C(7)	1.526(3)
C(7)-C(16)	1.509(3)
C(7)-C(8)	1.528(2)
C(7)-H(7)	1.0000
C(8)-C(9)	1.499(3)
C(8)-H(8A)	0.9900
C(8)-H(8B)	0.9900
C(9)-O(3)	1.234(2)
C(9)-C(10)	1.480(3)
C(10)-C(15)	1.388(3)
C(10)-C(11)	1.393(3)
C(11)-C(12)	1.384(3)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-C(13)	1.378(3)
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-O(4)	1.361(2)
C(13)-C(14)	1.386(3)
C(14)-C(15)	1.377(3)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500
C(16)-O(1)	1.210(2)
C(16)-O(2)	1.335(2)
C(17)-O(2)	1.445(2)

C(17)-H(17A)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17B)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17C)	0.9800
C(18)-O(4)	1.428(2)
C(18)-H(18A)	0.9800
C(18)-H(18B)	0.9800
C(18)-H(18C)	0.9800
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)	120.65(19)
C(2)-C(1)-H(1)	119.7
C(6)-C(1)-H(1)	119.7
C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	120.4(2)
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.8
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.8
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	119.5(2)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	120.2
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	120.2
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	120.0(2)
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	120.0
C(6)-C(5)-C(4)	121.1(2)
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.4
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.4
C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	118.28(18)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	121.28(18)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	120.43(18)
C(16)-C(7)-C(6)	109.12(15)
C(16)-C(7)-C(8)	110.44(15)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	111.05(16)
C(16)-C(7)-H(7)	108.7
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	108.7
C(8)-C(7)-H(7)	108.7
C(9)-C(8)-C(7)	113.54(17)
C(9)-C(8)-H(8A)	108.9
C(7)-C(8)-H(8A)	108.9
C(9)-C(8)-H(8B)	108.9

C(7)-C(8)-H(8B)	108.9
H(8A)-C(8)-H(8B)	107.7
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)	120.43(18)
O(3)-C(9)-C(8)	120.25(19)
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	119.3(2)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)	117.85(19)
C(15)-C(10)-C(9)	119.73(19)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	122.41(19)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	120.29(18)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	119.9
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	119.9
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	120.81(18)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	119.6
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	119.6
O(4)-C(13)-C(12)	115.72(18)
O(4)-C(13)-C(14)	124.62(18)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	119.66(19)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	119.20(19)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.4
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	120.4
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	122.19(19)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	118.9
C(10)-C(15)-H(15)	118.9
O(1)-C(16)-O(2)	123.61(19)
O(1)-C(16)-C(7)	124.2(2)
O(2)-C(16)-C(7)	112.13(19)
O(2)-C(17)-H(17A)	109.5
O(2)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
O(2)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18A)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18B)	109.5
H(18A)-C(18)-H(18B)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5

H(18A)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5
H(18B)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5
C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	115.72(15)
C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	118.07(15)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C18H18O4. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2}U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

	U ¹¹	U ²²	U ³³	U ²³	U ¹³	U ¹²
C(1)	29(1)	26(1)	28(1)	5(1)	4(1)	7(1)
C(2)	55(2)	38(1)	22(1)	-3(1)	2(1)	17(2)
C(3)	56(2)	28(1)	31(2)	-1(1)	-18(2)	13(1)
C(4)	39(1)	22(1)	38(2)	0(1)	-12(2)	6(1)
C(5)	31(2)	19(1)	26(1)	0(1)	-3(1)	6(1)
C(6)	23(1)	17(1)	21(1)	1(1)	-2(1)	4(1)
C(7)	12(1)	21(1)	26(1)	1(1)	2(1)	2(1)
C(8)	18(1)	18(1)	22(1)	0(1)	1(1)	1(1)
C(9)	13(1)	21(2)	32(2)	0(1)	0(1)	2(1)
C(10)	16(1)	18(2)	22(2)	1(1)	-1(1)	1(1)
C(11)	21(1)	22(2)	26(1)	-2(1)	0(1)	3(1)
C(12)	26(1)	16(1)	27(2)	0(1)	0(1)	-4(1)
C(13)	18(1)	22(2)	23(2)	2(1)	0(1)	2(1)
C(14)	26(1)	27(2)	22(2)	-4(1)	-4(1)	-1(1)
C(15)	24(1)	19(1)	32(2)	2(1)	-4(1)	-3(1)
C(16)	19(1)	23(2)	16(1)	1(1)	-2(1)	-3(1)
C(17)	29(1)	18(1)	36(1)	2(1)	3(1)	3(1)
C(18)	44(2)	42(1)	20(1)	-1(1)	-2(1)	-7(1)
O(1)	20(1)	24(1)	31(1)	0(1)	5(1)	1(1)
O(2)	22(1)	16(1)	28(1)	4(1)	3(1)	0(1)
O(3)	32(1)	27(1)	30(1)	2(1)	-4(1)	-8(1)
O(4)	39(1)	29(1)	18(1)	2(1)	0(1)	-5(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$) for C18H18O4.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	305	6059	8897	34
H(2)	1322	7545	9636	46
H(3)	4162	8498	9659	46
H(4)	5985	7946	8939	40
H(5)	4972	6456	8199	30
H(7)	634	4890	8032	23
H(8A)	1259	7265	7516	23
H(8B)	3217	6689	7443	23
H(11)	2749	8453	6721	27
H(12)	3121	9700	5886	27
H(14)	1352	5508	5160	30
H(15)	930	4290	5993	30
H(17A)	3219	399	7730	41
H(17B)	2348	-189	8281	41
H(17C)	4141	802	8289	41
H(18A)	3006	6678	4485	53
H(18B)	2652	8421	4186	53
H(18C)	1088	7402	4448	53

Table 6. Torsion angles [$^{\circ}$] for C18H18O4.

C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-0.1(3)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	-0.2(3)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	0.1(3)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	0.2(3)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	0.4(3)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	-178.36(17)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	-0.5(3)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	178.31(17)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(16)	-119.0(2)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(16)	62.3(2)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	119.1(2)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	-59.7(2)
C(16)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	53.3(2)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	174.54(15)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-O(3)	5.3(3)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	-173.87(16)
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	-0.2(3)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	179.02(17)
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-179.45(17)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-0.3(3)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	0.1(3)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	179.44(17)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	-0.4(3)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-O(4)	-179.62(15)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	0.0(3)
O(4)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-179.75(17)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	0.7(3)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	-1.0(3)
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	0.6(3)
C(9)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	-178.76(17)
C(6)-C(7)-C(16)-O(1)	-83.2(2)
C(8)-C(7)-C(16)-O(1)	39.2(2)
C(6)-C(7)-C(16)-O(2)	93.80(18)
C(8)-C(7)-C(16)-O(2)	-143.87(16)

O(1)-C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	-0.9(2)
C(7)-C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	-177.86(15)
C(12)-C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	174.27(16)
C(14)-C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	-5.3(3)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₁₈H₁₈O₄ (**Mo data**).

Identification code	mo_fang060212_0m	
Empirical formula	C ₁₈ H ₁₈ O ₄	
Formula weight	298.32	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P2(1)2(1)2(1)	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.7714(4) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 7.9651(4) Å	β = 90°.
	c = 24.9654(14) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	1545.36(14) Å ³	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.282 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.090 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	632	
Crystal size	0.44 x 0.44 x 0.16 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	1.63 to 30.50°.	
Index ranges	-10 ≤ h ≤ 11, -11 ≤ k ≤ 11, -35 ≤ l ≤ 35	
Reflections collected	38337	
Independent reflections	4667 [R(int) = 0.0328]	
Completeness to theta = 29.00°	100.0 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.9855 and 0.9614	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	4667 / 0 / 201	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.043	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0319, wR ₂ = 0.0816	
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0355, wR ₂ = 0.0838	
Absolute structure parameter	-0.5(6)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.277 and -0.216 e.Å ⁻³	

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C₁₈H₁₈O₄. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
C(1)	1458(2)	6438(1)	3902(1)	24(1)
C(2)	2063(2)	7327(2)	4345(1)	33(1)
C(3)	3748(2)	7895(2)	4359(1)	34(1)
C(4)	4832(2)	7566(1)	3933(1)	28(1)
C(5)	4235(1)	6678(1)	3488(1)	21(1)
C(6)	2535(1)	6112(1)	3469(1)	17(1)
C(7)	1862(1)	5188(1)	2976(1)	14(1)
C(8)	2022(1)	6284(1)	2474(1)	15(1)
C(9)	1539(1)	5359(1)	1968(1)	17(1)
C(10)	1797(1)	6226(1)	1445(1)	15(1)
C(11)	2455(1)	7859(1)	1407(1)	18(1)
C(12)	2682(1)	8607(1)	911(1)	20(1)
C(13)	2268(1)	7732(1)	443(1)	18(1)
C(14)	1618(1)	6103(1)	473(1)	20(1)
C(15)	1383(1)	5379(1)	973(1)	20(1)
C(16)	2891(1)	3582(1)	2905(1)	14(1)
C(17)	3034(1)	698(1)	3107(1)	22(1)
C(18)	2303(2)	7704(2)	-515(1)	29(1)
O(1)	4276(1)	3496(1)	2687(1)	19(1)
O(2)	2108(1)	2271(1)	3138(1)	17(1)
O(3)	970(1)	3929(1)	1985(1)	24(1)
O(4)	2554(1)	8587(1)	-21(1)	25(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [$\text{\AA}$] and angles [$^\circ$] for C₁₈H₁₈O₄.

C(1)-C(6)	1.3918(14)
C(1)-C(2)	1.3940(16)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9500
C(2)-C(3)	1.386(2)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.3818(19)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.3952(14)
C(4)-H(4)	0.9500
C(5)-C(6)	1.3976(15)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-C(7)	1.5262(13)
C(7)-C(16)	1.5191(13)
C(7)-C(8)	1.5307(12)
C(7)-H(7)	1.0000
C(8)-C(9)	1.5107(13)
C(8)-H(8A)	0.9900
C(8)-H(8B)	0.9900
C(9)-O(3)	1.2227(12)
C(9)-C(10)	1.4899(13)
C(10)-C(15)	1.3950(13)
C(10)-C(11)	1.4008(13)
C(11)-C(12)	1.3851(13)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-C(13)	1.3980(13)
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-O(4)	1.3613(11)
C(13)-C(14)	1.3945(14)
C(14)-C(15)	1.3869(14)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500
C(16)-O(1)	1.2083(12)
C(16)-O(2)	1.3399(11)
C(17)-O(2)	1.4466(11)

C(17)-H(17A)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17B)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17C)	0.9800
C(18)-O(4)	1.4330(12)
C(18)-H(18A)	0.9800
C(18)-H(18B)	0.9800
C(18)-H(18C)	0.9800

C(6)-C(1)-C(2)	120.57(11)
C(6)-C(1)-H(1)	119.7
C(2)-C(1)-H(1)	119.7
C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	120.30(11)
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	119.63(11)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	120.2
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	120.2
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	120.37(11)
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	119.8
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	119.8
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.40(10)
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.8
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.8
C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	118.72(9)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	120.74(9)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	120.52(8)
C(16)-C(7)-C(6)	108.61(7)
C(16)-C(7)-C(8)	110.05(7)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	110.94(7)
C(16)-C(7)-H(7)	109.1
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	109.1
C(8)-C(7)-H(7)	109.1
C(9)-C(8)-C(7)	112.76(8)
C(9)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.0
C(7)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.0
C(9)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.0

C(7)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.0
H(8A)-C(8)-H(8B)	107.8
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)	120.77(9)
O(3)-C(9)-C(8)	120.93(9)
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	118.30(8)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)	118.39(9)
C(15)-C(10)-C(9)	118.98(8)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	122.62(8)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	120.46(9)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	119.8
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	119.8
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	120.21(8)
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	119.9
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	119.9
O(4)-C(13)-C(14)	124.82(9)
O(4)-C(13)-C(12)	115.07(8)
C(14)-C(13)-C(12)	120.11(9)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	118.92(9)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.5
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	120.5
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	121.90(9)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	119.1
C(10)-C(15)-H(15)	119.1
O(1)-C(16)-O(2)	123.74(8)
O(1)-C(16)-C(7)	124.63(8)
O(2)-C(16)-C(7)	111.56(7)
O(2)-C(17)-H(17A)	109.5
O(2)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
O(2)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18A)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18B)	109.5
H(18A)-C(18)-H(18B)	109.5
O(4)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5

H(18A)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5
H(18B)-C(18)-H(18C)	109.5
C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	115.22(7)
C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	117.66(8)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C18H18O4. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{23}	U^{13}	U^{12}
C(1)	30(1)	24(1)	20(1)	2(1)	4(1)	8(1)
C(2)	50(1)	32(1)	17(1)	-2(1)	1(1)	17(1)
C(3)	55(1)	23(1)	23(1)	-5(1)	-16(1)	13(1)
C(4)	34(1)	17(1)	34(1)	-1(1)	-15(1)	4(1)
C(5)	24(1)	16(1)	22(1)	0(1)	-3(1)	2(1)
C(6)	22(1)	12(1)	16(1)	2(1)	0(1)	4(1)
C(7)	13(1)	14(1)	16(1)	2(1)	2(1)	2(1)
C(8)	17(1)	14(1)	16(1)	2(1)	0(1)	0(1)
C(9)	14(1)	17(1)	19(1)	2(1)	0(1)	-1(1)
C(10)	13(1)	15(1)	17(1)	1(1)	-1(1)	0(1)
C(11)	21(1)	15(1)	17(1)	-1(1)	-2(1)	-1(1)
C(12)	25(1)	14(1)	20(1)	1(1)	0(1)	-3(1)
C(13)	18(1)	19(1)	16(1)	1(1)	0(1)	1(1)
C(14)	23(1)	20(1)	18(1)	-2(1)	-3(1)	-3(1)
C(15)	21(1)	17(1)	22(1)	0(1)	-3(1)	-3(1)
C(16)	16(1)	14(1)	14(1)	0(1)	0(1)	0(1)
C(17)	24(1)	13(1)	28(1)	3(1)	3(1)	2(1)
C(18)	38(1)	34(1)	15(1)	-1(1)	-2(1)	-7(1)
O(1)	17(1)	17(1)	24(1)	2(1)	5(1)	1(1)
O(2)	18(1)	13(1)	21(1)	3(1)	4(1)	1(1)
O(3)	29(1)	19(1)	24(1)	3(1)	-4(1)	-9(1)
O(4)	37(1)	22(1)	15(1)	2(1)	0(1)	-4(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$) for C18H18O4.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	302	6053	3896	29
H(2)	1316	7544	4638	40
H(3)	4155	8507	4660	41
H(4)	5990	7947	3943	34
H(5)	4990	6458	3198	25
H(7)	624	4896	3033	17
H(8A)	1267	7277	2514	18
H(8B)	3222	6687	2443	18
H(11)	2747	8457	1723	21
H(12)	3120	9718	889	24
H(14)	1339	5499	157	24
H(15)	928	4274	995	24
H(17A)	3230	407	2731	32
H(17B)	2356	-188	3279	32
H(17C)	4143	811	3291	32
H(18A)	3014	6688	-517	44
H(18B)	2634	8429	-815	44
H(18C)	1088	7392	-550	44

Table 6. Torsion angles [°] for C18H18O4.

C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-0.06(17)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	-0.46(17)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	0.48(17)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	0.01(16)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	0.54(15)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(7)	-178.03(9)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	-0.52(14)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	178.06(9)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(16)	-119.46(9)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(16)	61.99(11)
C(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	119.46(10)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	-59.09(11)
C(16)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	53.98(10)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	174.21(7)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-O(3)	4.93(13)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	-174.19(8)
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	-0.13(14)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15)	178.99(9)
O(3)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-179.62(10)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-0.50(13)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	0.10(14)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	179.60(9)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	-0.49(15)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-O(4)	-179.62(9)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	0.29(15)
O(4)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-179.80(10)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	0.30(15)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	-0.70(15)
C(11)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	0.50(15)
C(9)-C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	-179.01(9)
C(6)-C(7)-C(16)-O(1)	-82.93(11)
C(8)-C(7)-C(16)-O(1)	38.69(12)
C(6)-C(7)-C(16)-O(2)	94.16(9)
C(8)-C(7)-C(16)-O(2)	-144.21(8)

O(1)-C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	-0.66(13)
C(7)-C(16)-O(2)-C(17)	-177.79(8)
C(14)-C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	-5.41(15)
C(12)-C(13)-O(4)-C(18)	174.49(9)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

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