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Highly Regioselective Copper(II)-mediated Bromoamination of Unfunctionalized Olefins: An Efficient Route to N-Heterocyclic Compounds

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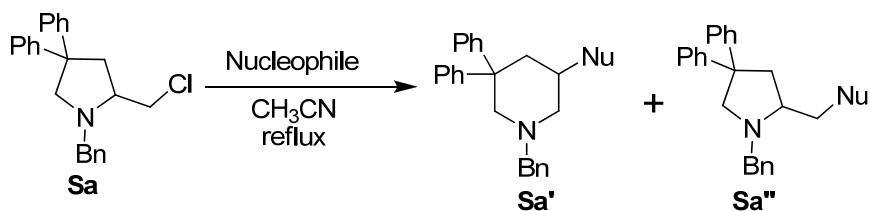
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1. General information

Reactions were carried out using commercially available reagents in oven-dried apparatus. ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DRX 400 spectrometer at 298 K using deuterated chloroform as solvent and TMS as the internal reference. Column chromatography was performed employing 200-300 mesh silica gel unless otherwise noted. Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on silica gel GF₂₅₄. High resolution mass spectral analyses (HRMS) analyses were carried out with Varian FTICR-MS 7.0T. Unless otherwise indicated, starting materials and reagents used in reactions were purchased from J&K Chemicals (Beijing) or Aladdin Reagents (Shanghai) and were used as received without further purification.

2. Derivatization of Chloramination Product

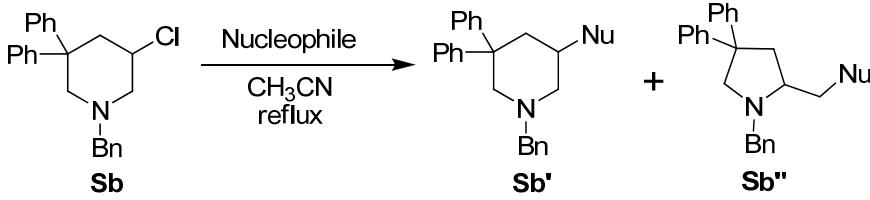
Table 1. Derivatization of N-benzyl-2-chloromethyl-4,4-diphenylpyrrolidine.



| Entry | Nucleophile | Sa'^a | Sa''^a |
|-------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | BnNH ₂ | 31 | 45 |
| 2 | KOAc | 43 | 32 |
| 3 | NaN ₃ | 36 | 32 |
| 4 | NaCN | 45 | 40 |
| 5 | PhSNa | 40 | 34 |

a: Isolated Yield.

Table 2. Derivatization of N-benzyl-3-chloro-5,5-diphenylpiperidine.

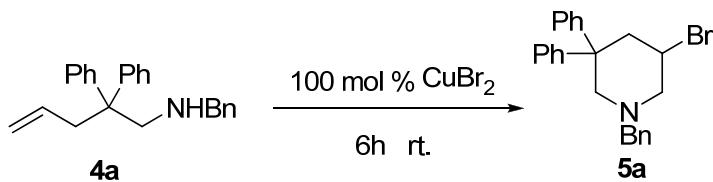


| Entry | Nucleophile | Sb'^a | Sb''^a |
|-------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | BnNH ₂ | 10 | 61 |
| 2 | KOAc | 14 | 68 |
| 3 | NaN ₃ | 13 | 78 |
| 4 | NaCN | 6 | 83 |
| 5 | PhSNa | 21 | 66 |

a: Isolated Yield.

3. Investigation of Solvent Effect

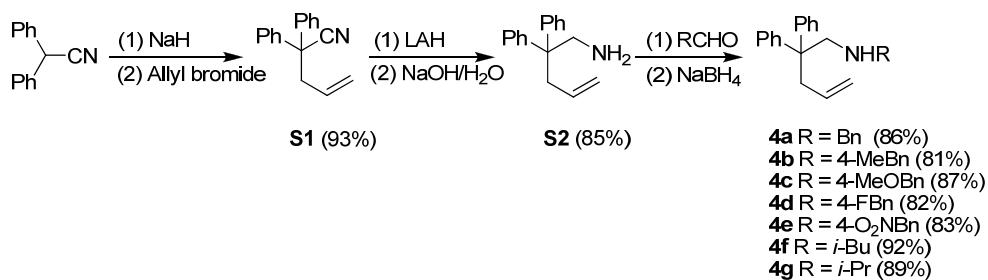
Table 3. Optimization of reaction conditions.



| Entry | solvent | Conversion ^a |
|-----------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Hexane | 52 |
| 2 | CH₃CN | >99 |
| 3 | Acetone | 56 |
| 4 | CHCl ₃ | 60 |
| 5 | THF | 79 |
| 6 | Benzene | 83 |
| 7 | Toluene | 80 |
| 8 | Dioxane | 87 |
| 9 | DCE | 88 |
| 10 | DMSO | 65 |
| 11 | DMF | 86 |
| 12 ^b | CH ₃ CN | >99 |
| 13 ^c | CH ₃ CN | >99 |
| 14 ^d | CH ₃ CN | >99 |
| 15 ^e | CH ₃ CN | 50 |
| 16 ^f | CH ₃ CN | 31% |
| 17 ^g | CH ₃ CN | Unresolved complex mixture |

a: Determined by crude NMR analysis. b: in the presence of 1 equiv. of K₂CO₃. c: in the presence of 1 equiv. of Cs₂CO₃. d: 50 mol% CuBr₂, 5 d, open air. e: 50 mol% CuBr₂, 5 d, under argon atmosphere. f: isolated yield, in the presence of 1 equiv. of TEMPO. g: N-benzyl-5-penten-1-amine was used as substrate.

4. Synthesis and Characterization of Aminoalkene Substrates ¹



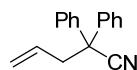
A solution of diphenylacetonitrile (9.65 g, 50 mmol) in DMF (20 mL) was added slowly to a suspension of NaH (1.32 g, 55 mmol) in DMF (50 mL) and the resulting

mixture was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour. The resulting bright yellow suspension was cooled to 0°C, treated with allyl bromide (6.66 g, 55 mmol), warmed to room temperature and stirred at room temperature for 12 hours. The resulting solution was poured into ice/water (200 mL) and was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (3×100 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with water (2×50 mL), dried with MgSO₄, and concentrated to give 2,2-diphenyl-4-pentenenitrile (**S1**) (10.83 g, 93%), which was used in the subsequent step without further purification.

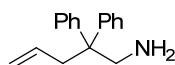
To a suspension of LiAlH₄ (1.52 g, 40 mmol) in THF (130 mL) was added **S1** (2.33 g, 10 mmol) at 0°C. The mixture was slowly warmed to room temperature and stirred overnight. The resulting suspension was cooled to 0°C and quenched by slow addition of 6 M NaOH (50 mL). The resulting mixture was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (4×100 mL) and the combined ether extracts were dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated to give 2,2-diphenyl-diphenyl-4-pentenylamine (**S2**) (2.01 g, 85%) as a pale yellow, viscous oil.

A solution of **S2** (1.19 g, 5 mmol) and benzaldehyde (0.54 g, 5.1 mmol) in MeOH (20 mL) was stirred at room temperature for 5 h, then treated with NaBH₄ (0.29 g, 7.5 mmol) and the mixture was stirred overnight. The resulting mixture was treated with water (50 mL), 1 M NaOH (20 mL) and then was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (3×100 mL). The combined organic layer was dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated. The resulting oily residue was chromatographed to give **4a** (1.32 g, 86%) as a viscous oil.

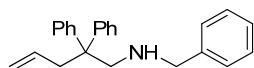
The N-substituted 4-penten-1-amines **4b-4g**, were synthesized via reductive amination of **S2** with the corresponding aldehydes or ketones via procedures similar to that used to synthesize **4a**.



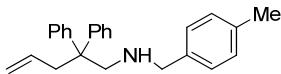
2,2-Diphenylpent-4-enenitrile (S1) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.46-7.19 (m, 10H), 5.70 (ddt, *J*=17.1, 10.2, 7.0, 1H), 5.31-5.05 (m, 2H), 3.12 (d, *J*=7.0, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 139.81, 131.84, 128.90, 127.99, 127.10, 121.94, 120.43, 51.85, 43.98. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹



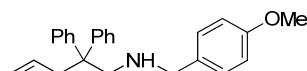
2,2-Diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (S2) ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.37-6.91 (m, 10H), 5.51-5.27 (m, 1H), 5.17-4.83 (m, 2H), 3.31 (s, 2H), 2.92 (d, *J*=7.0, 2H), 0.77 (s, 2H). ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 146.33, 134.69, 128.24, 128.11, 126.10, 117.72, 51.50, 48.62, 41.17. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹



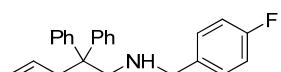
N-Benzyl-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4a) ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.21-7.07 (m, 15H), 5.40-5.12 (m, 1H), 4.86 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 3.12 (s, 2H), 2.96 (d, *J*=7.0, 2H), 0.91(brs, 1H). ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 147.05, 140.92, 135.07, 128.40, 128.27, 128.17, 128.12, 126.91, 126.18, 117.87, 55.45, 54.37, 50.34, 41.81. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹



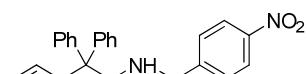
N-(4-Methylbenzyl)-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4b) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.26-7.05 (m, 14H), 5.39-5.23 (m, 1H), 5.03-4.83 (m, 2H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 3.19 (s, 2H), 3.03 (d, $J=7.1$, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 0.81 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 146.94, 137.76, 136.24, 135.00, 128.94, 128.15, 128.00, 127.91, 126.00, 118.23, 55.38, 53.99, 50.25, 41.72, 21.14. HRMS-ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}$: 342.2222; found: 342.2220.



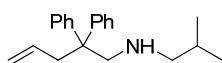
N-(4-Methoxybenzyl)-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4c) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.29-7.07 (m, 12H), 6.80 (d, $J=7.6$, 2H), 5.33 (m, 1H), 4.93 (m, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 2H), 3.02 (d, $J=7.0$, 2H), 0.98 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 158.58, 146.82, 134.95, 132.78, 129.08, 128.11, 127.97, 125.93, 117.70, 113.63, 55.28, 55.24, 53.61, 50.19, 41.69. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.²



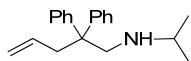
N-(4-Fluorobenzyl)-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4d) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.35-7.20 (m, 12H), 7.01 (t, $J=8.4$, 2H), 5.50-5.32 (m, 1H), 5.00 (m, 2H), 3.73 (s, 2H), 3.24 (s, 2H), 3.09 (d, $J=7.0$, 2H), 0.95 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 163.14, 160.73, 146.84, 134.89, 129.50, 129.42, 128.11, 128.04, 126.07, 117.67, 115.09, 114.88, 55.26, 53.47, 50.20, 41.68. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = -116.20. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.²



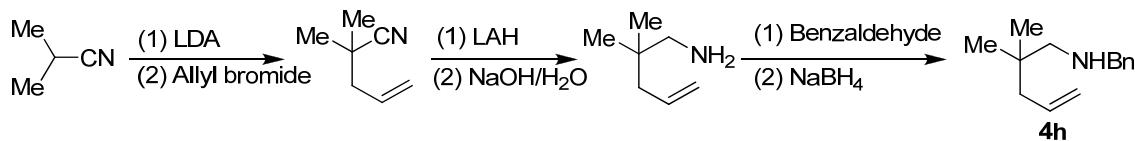
N-(4-Nitrobenzyl)-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4e) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.16 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 4H), 7.24 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 4H), 5.44-5.23 (m, 1H), 5.00 (dd, $J = 37.2, 13.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 3.22 (s, 2H), 3.09 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 0.96(brs,1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 148.57, 146.55, 134.73, 128.50, 128.10, 128.01, 126.57, 126.19, 123.49, 117.77, 55.38, 53.42, 50.14, 41.55. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹



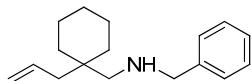
N-Isobutyl-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine(4f) ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.43-7.17 (m, 10H), 5.44 (dt, $J = 17.1, 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 5.05 (dd, $J = 37.5, 13.3$ Hz, 2H), 3.24 (s, 2H), 3.09 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.39 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2H), 1.79-1.63 (m, 1H), 0.83 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 6H), 0.47 (s, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.06, 135.14, 128.13, 127.97, 125.96, 117.58, 58.52, 55.96, 50.21, 41.68, 27.85, 20.56. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.²



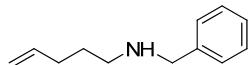
N-Isopropyl-2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (4g) ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.19-7.03 (m, 10H), 5.28 (ddt, $J=17.1, 10.0, 7.1, 1\text{H}$), 4.99-4.70 (m, 2H), 3.11 (s, 2H), 2.91 (d, $J=7.1, 2\text{H}$), 2.54 (hept, $J=6.2, 1\text{H}$), 0.84 (d, $J=6.3, 6\text{H}$), 0.26 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.07, 135.02, 128.11, 127.93, 125.90, 117.55, 53.64, 49.97, 49.26, 41.61, 23.13. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.³



N-Benzyl-2,2-dimethylpent-4-en-1-amine (4h) Isobutyronitrile (50 mmol) was added to a solution of LDA [generated in situ from *n*-BuLi and diisopropylamine (12.4 g, 123 mmol) in THF (300 mL)] at -78°C and the mixture was stirred at this temperature for 1h. To the resulting solution was added allyl bromide (21.5 mL, 248 mmol). The solution was warmed to room temperature and was stirred overnight. CH_2Cl_2 (75 mL) was added and the resulting biphasic mixture was washed with water (3×100 mL), dried (MgSO_4), and carefully concentrated, due to the volatility of the cyanide, to give 2,2-dimethyl-4-pentenenitrile. Conversion of 2,2-dimethyl-4-pentenenitrile to **4h** was accomplished in a manner similar to that employed for the conversion of **S2** to **4a-4g**. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.58-7.13 (m, 5H), 5.99-5.74 (m, 1H), 5.11 (d, $J = 13.6 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 3.88 (s, 2H), 2.47 (s, 2H), 2.13 (d, $J = 7.4 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 1.29 (s, 1H), 1.00 (d, $J = 1.0 \text{ Hz}$, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 141.10, 135.68, 128.36, 128.05, 126.83, 116.86, 59.76, 54.80, 44.73, 34.46, 25.64. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹

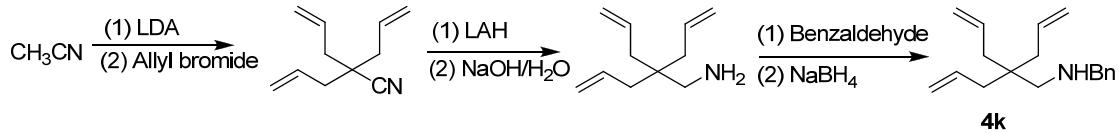


1-(1-Allylcyclohexyl)-N-benzylmethanamine (4i) Compound **4i** was synthesized employing procedure similar to that used to synthesize **4h** starting from cyclohexanenitrile. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.37-6.88 (m, 5H), 5.76 (ddd, $J = 17.6, 10.1, 5.1 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 5.08-4.87 (m, 2H), 3.76 (s, 2H), 2.41 (s, 2H), 2.11 (d, $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 1.44-1.20 (m, 10H), 0.91 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 141.18, 135.43, 128.33, 128.10, 126.82, 116.74, 55.96, 54.76, 40.79, 36.77, 34.15, 26.57, 21.73. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹



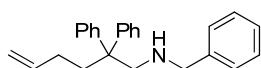
N-Benzylpent-4-en-1-amine (4j) To a solution of benzylamine (5 mmol) and 5-bromo-1-pentene (1 mmol) in ethanol (30 mL) was added NaI (0.1 mmol). The mixture was stirred overnight at 75 °C and the solvent was removed *in vacuo*. The resulting oily residue was chromatographed (Petroleum ether : Ethyl acetate = 5:1) to give **4j** (0.09g, 53%) as a clear oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.21-7.13 (m, 5H), 5.70 (m, 1H), 4.98-4.80 (m, 2H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 2.53 (t, $J=7.2, 2\text{H}$), 2.02 (brs, 1H), 2.01-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.58-1.43 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 140.24,

138.44, 128.41, 128.19, 126.97, 114.71, 53.93, 48.80, 31.56, 29.15. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.³

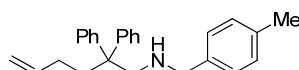


2,2-diallyl-N-benzylpent-4-en-1-amine (4k)⁴ A flask was charged with acetonitrile (30 mmol) and THF (50 mL). This solution was cooled to -78 °C. A solution of LDA (32 mmol) was added slowly to the acetonitrile solution. After 30 minutes of stirring at -78 °C, allyl bromide (32 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was warmed to room temperature with stirring for 1 hour before being cooled to -78 °C again. Another equivalent of LDA solution was added, followed by 30 minutes of stirring, followed by the addition of another equivalent of allyl bromide. The reaction was again warmed to room temperature with stirring for 1 hour before being cooled to -78 °C. The third LDA solution was added, followed by 30 minutes of stirring, followed by the addition of a third equivalent of allyl bromide. Then the reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature with stirring overnight. CH₂Cl₂ (75 mL) was added and the resulting biphasic mixture was washed with water (3×100 mL), dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give 2,2-diallylpent-4-enenitrile. Conversion of 2,2-diallylpent-4-enenitrile to **4k** was accomplished in a manner similar to that employed for the conversion of **S2** to **4a-4g**. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.44 – 6.93 (m, 5H), 6.06 – 5.52 (m, 3H), 4.96 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 6.9 Hz, 6H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 2H), 1.97 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 6H), 1.11 (brs, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 141.05, 134.82, 128.31, 128.08, 126.82, 117.42, 54.78, 54.70, 40.16, 39.81. HRMS-ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₅N, 256.2065; found: 256.2061.

Compounds **6a-6g** was synthesized via procedures similar to that used to synthesize **4a-4i** starting from 4-bromo-1-butene.

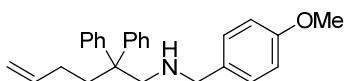


N-benzyl-2,2-diphenylhex-5-en-1-amine (6a) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.34 – 7.09 (m, 15H), 5.75 (tt, *J* = 16.5, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.97 – 4.83 (m, 2H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 2H), 2.32 (dd, *J* = 9.9, 6.1 Hz, 2H), 1.64 (dd, *J* = 15.5, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 1.64 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 2H), 0.84 (brs, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 147.27, 139.32, 129.35, 128.40, 128.21, 128.16, 128.04, 127.88, 126.12, 114.31, 55.28, 50.40, 42.70, 36.42, 28.83. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁵

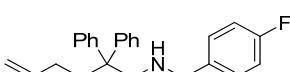


N-(4-methylbenzyl)-2,2-diphenylhex-5-en-1-amine (6b) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.34 – 7.03 (m, 14H), 5.76 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.1, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.21 – 4.58 (m, 2H), 3.89 – 3.37 (m, 2H), 3.19 (s, 2H), 2.52 – 2.12 (m, 5H), 1.66 (dd, *J* = 15.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.27 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 147.04, 139.18, 136.29, 128.92, 128.06, 127.97, 127.95, 127.84, 125.93, 114.04, 55.15, 53.75, 50.27, 36.33,

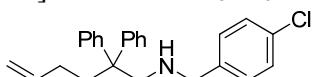
28.65, 21.07. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₂₉N, 356.2378; found: 356.2375.



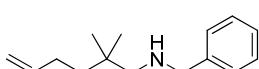
N-(4-methoxybenzyl)-2,2-diphenylhex-5-en-1-amine (6c) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 4H), 7.20 – 7.07 (m, 8H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 5.86 – 5.61 (m, 1H), 4.91 (dd, *J* = 23.7, 6.2 Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 2H), 2.37 – 2.25 (m, 2H), 1.72 – 1.60 (m, 2H), 1.31 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 147.08, 139.19, 129.01, 128.48, 128.05, 127.96, 126.55, 125.91, 114.04, 113.62, 55.25, 55.08, 53.42, 50.25, 36.32, 28.63. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₂₉NO, 372.2327; found: 372.2318.



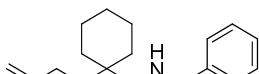
N-(4-fluorobenzyl)-2,2-diphenylhex-5-en-1-amine (6d) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.27 – 7.00 (m, 12H), 6.85 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 5.66 (tt, *J* = 10.5, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.10 – 4.50 (m, 2H), 3.57 (s, 2H), 3.08 (s, 2H), 2.21 (dd, *J* = 22.0, 13.7 Hz, 2H), 1.55 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 0.82 (brs, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 161.95, 159.53, 145.95, 138.03, 135.29, 135.26, 128.32, 128.25, 126.96, 126.94, 124.92, 114.01, 113.80, 113.06, 54.01, 52.18, 49.17, 35.16, 27.56. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = -116.33. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₅H₂₆FN, 360.2128; found: 360.2121.



N-(4-chlorobenzyl)-2,2-diphenylhex-5-en-1-amine (6e) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.37 – 6.90 (m, 14H), 5.66 (ddt, *J* = 13.2, 10.2, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 9.1 Hz, 2H), 3.57 (s, 2H), 3.07 (s, 2H), 2.22 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 6.4 Hz, 2H), 1.55 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 2H), 0.80 (brs, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 145.90, 138.14, 138.00, 131.30, 128.15, 127.27, 126.95, 124.94, 113.09, 54.05, 52.20, 49.18, 35.14, 27.57. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₅H₂₆ClN, 376.1832; found: 376.1828.

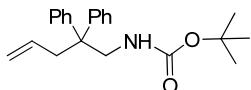


N-benzyl-2,2-dimethylhex-5-en-1-amine (6f). Compound **6f** was synthesized from isobutyronitrile and 4-bromobut-1-ene employing a procedure similar to that used to synthesize **4h**. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.39 – 7.05 (m, 5H), 5.81 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.1, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (dd, *J* = 23.2, 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 2H), 2.01 – 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.37 – 1.31 (m, 2H), 1.15 (brs, 1H), 0.89 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 141.06, 139.74, 128.27, 127.96, 126.74, 113.78, 59.72, 54.72, 39.34, 33.93, 28.49, 25.62. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁵

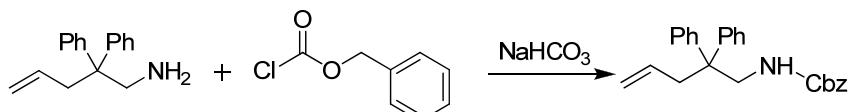


N-benzyl-1-(1-(but-3-enyl)cyclohexyl)methanamine (6g) Compound **6g** was synthesized from cyclohexanenitrile and 4-bromobut-1-ene employing a procedure similar to that used to synthesize **4i**. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.35 – 7.00 (m, 5H), 5.90 – 5.70 (m, 1H), 4.94 (dd, *J* = 30.9, 13.6 Hz, 2H), 3.74 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H),

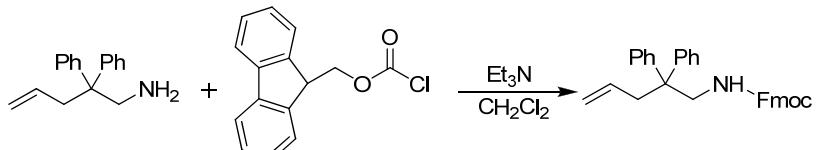
2.37 (dd, $J = 6.4, 4.0$ Hz, 2H), 1.85 (d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 1.48 – 1.19 (m, 12H), 0.88 (brs, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 141.07, 139.91, 128.34, 128.09, 126.84, 113.88, 55.48, 54.74, 36.02, 35.15, 34.34, 27.61, 26.60, 21.68$. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁵



tert-Butyl 2,2-diphenylpent-4-enylcarbamate To a solution of the 2,2-diphenylpent-4-en-1-amine (2 mmol) in THF (20 mL) at 0 °C was added Et_3N (12 mmol), followed by DMAP (about 0.01 g). To the reaction mixture was added di-*tert*-butyl dicarbonate (2.4 mmol) and the solution was stirred at this temperature for 6 h. At this time the reaction mixture was quenched with ice and water (30 mL) and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 (3×30 mL). The combined organic phases were washed with brine (20 mL), dried (MgSO_4), and concentrated. Chromatography afforded a white solid. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.31\text{--}7.16$ (m, 10H), 5.42 (td, $J = 16.4, 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.07–4.82 (m, 2H), 4.14 (s, 1H), 3.85 (d, $J = 5.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.86 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2H), 1.38 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 155.76, 145.50, 133.88, 128.24, 128.07, 126.40, 118.48, 79.01, 49.96, 47.18, 41.79, 28.83$. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁶

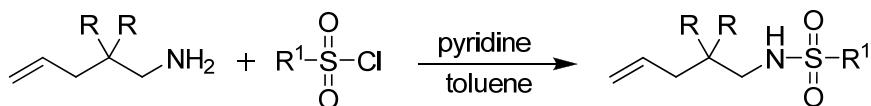


Benzyl 2,2-diphenylpent-4-enylcarbamate Benzyl chloroformate (2 mmol) was added slowly to a mixture of 2,2-diphenyl-4-pentenylamine (**S2**) (2 mmol) and NaHCO_3 (3 mmol) in ethanol/water (3:2, 20 mL) at room temperature. The resulting suspension was stirred for 1 h and treated with water (40 mL). The resulting mixture was extracted with CH_2Cl_2 (3×30 mL) and the combined CH_2Cl_2 extracts were dried (MgSO_4) and concentrated. Chromatography afforded the as a white solid. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.54\text{--}7.36$ (m, 9H), 7.34 – 7.26 (m, 6H), 5.69 – 5.53 (m, 1H), 5.17 (s, 2H), 5.14 – 5.10 (m, 2H), 4.59 (s, 1H), 4.09 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.01 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H). Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁷

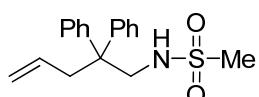


(9H-fluoren-9-yl)methyl 2,2-diphenylpent-4-enylcarbamate A solution of 9-fluorenylmethyl chloroformate (2 mmol), 2,2-diphenyl-4-pentenylamine (**S2**) (2.1 mmol), and Et_3N (3.5 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (20 mL) was stirred for 1 h at room temperature, treated with water (30 mL), and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 (3×30 mL). The combined CH_2Cl_2 extracts were dried (MgSO_4), and concentrated under vacuum. Chromatography afforded the a white solid. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.68$ (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.41 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.07 (m, 12H), 5.50 – 5.30 (m, 1H), 5.02 – 4.76 (m, 2H), 4.26 (d, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 3H), 4.09 (d,

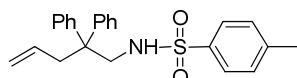
$J = 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.76 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 2H). Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁷



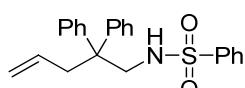
Compounds **8a-8k** were synthesized via reported procedures.⁸ To a solution of alkene amine (1.0 mmol) in 10 mL of dry toluene was added sulfonyl chloride (1.0 mmol) and pyridine (0.5 mL, 2 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 24 h, diluted with 5 mL of 1 N HCl and was extracted with Et₂O (3×30 mL). The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The resulting oily residue was chromatographed to give desired products.



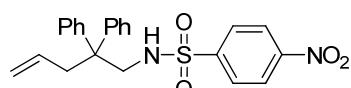
N-(2,2-diphenylpent-4-enyl)methanesulfonamide (8a) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.59 – 6.75 (m, 10H), 5.41 – 5.20 (m, 1H), 5.09 – 4.80 (m, 2H), 4.02 – 3.97 (d m, 1H), 3.69 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.86 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.51 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.91, 133.49, 128.48, 127.95, 126.81, 119.05, 49.73, 49.69, 41.21, 39.78. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁹



N-(2,2-Diphenylpent-4-enyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (8b) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.59 (d, $J=8.2$, 2H), 7.39-7.13 (m, 8H), 7.08-7.00 (m, 4H), 5.35-5.14 (m, 1H), 5.01-4.86 (m, 2H), 3.88 (t, $J=6.5$, 1H), 3.52 (d, $J=6.5$, 2H), 2.89 (d, $J=7.1$, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.54, 143.37, 136.33, 133.16, 129.68, 128.40, 127.71, 127.13, 126.70, 119.08, 49.45, 49.32, 41.27, 21.55. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁸

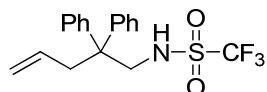


N-(2,2-diphenylpent-4-enyl)benzenesulfonamide (8c) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.41 (dd, $J = 15.4$, 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.35 – 7.09 (m, 8H), 7.06 – 6.81 (m, 5H), 5.36 – 5.02 (m, 1H), 4.84 (d, $J = 12.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 1H), 3.47 (d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.81 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.50, 139.25, 133.09, 132.66, 129.11, 128.46, 127.75, 127.10, 126.79, 119.10, 49.44, 49.32, 41.26. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁹



N-(2,2-diphenylpent-4-enyl)-4-nitrobenzenesulfonamide (8d) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.21 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.34 – 7.12 (m, 6H), 6.98 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 4H), 5.23 – 5.13 (m, 1H), 5.01 – 4.72 (m, 2H), 4.02 (t, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.53 (d, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 2H), 2.82 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ

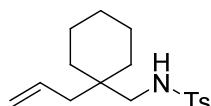
= 148.99, 144.16, 143.11, 131.89, 127.54, 127.26, 126.65, 125.97, 123.31, 118.24, 48.53, 48.47, 40.35. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹⁰



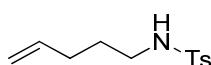
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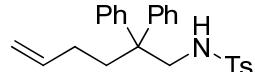
N-(2,2-dimethylpent-4-enyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (8f) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.65 (ddt, *J* = 17.6, 10.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 5.06 – 4.75 (m, 2H), 4.66 (s, 1H), 2.60 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.88 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.78 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 143.29, 137.05, 134.29, 129.69, 127.07, 117.87, 52.86, 44.04, 34.12, 24.85, 21.51. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁸



N-((1-allylcyclohexyl)methyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (8g) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.80 – 5.47 (m, 1H), 5.09 – 4.79 (m, 2H), 4.48 (s, 1H), 2.67 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 1.96 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.46 – 1.09 (m, 10H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 143.26, 136.97, 134.13, 129.67, 127.07, 117.82, 49.44, 40.49, 36.35, 33.30, 25.99, 21.51, 21.25. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁸

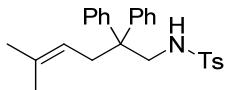


4-methyl-N-(pent-4-enyl)benzenesulfonamide (8h) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.61 (ddt, *J* = 16.9, 10.2, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 5.05 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 4.96 – 4.77 (m, 2H), 2.84 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 2H), 1.95 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.53 – 1.43 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 143.31, 137.30, 137.02, 129.69, 127.09, 115.43, 42.60, 30.62, 28.65, 21.49. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁸

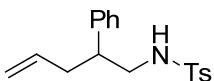


N-(2,2-diphenylhex-5-enyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (8i) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.18 – 6.86 (m, 12H), 5.64 – 5.46 (m, 1H), 4.78 (dd, *J* = 11.6, 6.3 Hz, 2H), 3.91 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.14 – 2.02 (m, 2H), 1.56 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 7.2 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.91, 143.46, 138.31, 129.79, 128.48, 127.80, 127.14, 126.72, 126.63, 114.63,

49.69, 49.49, 35.95, 28.33, 21.56. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.⁹



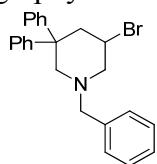
4-methyl-N-(5-methyl-2,2-diphenylhex-4-enyl)benzenesulfonamide (8j) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.08 (m, 8H), 6.98 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.3 Hz, 4H), 4.65 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (t, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 2.73 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.47 (s, 3H), 1.30 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.76, 143.37, 136.17, 135.50, 129.66, 128.31, 127.93, 127.16, 126.62, 118.51, 50.16, 49.73, 35.57, 25.95, 21.52, 17.89. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.¹¹



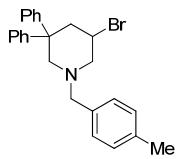
4-methyl-N-(2-phenylpent-4-enyl)benzenesulfonamide (8k) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.33 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 5.52 (ddt, *J* = 14.0, 10.2, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (dd, *J* = 26.8, 18.0 Hz, 2H), 4.20 (s, 1H), 3.33 – 3.12 (m, 1H), 3.04 – 2.84 (m, 1H), 2.78 – 2.62 (m, 1H), 2.39 – 2.30 (m, 3H), 2.30 – 2.17 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 143.39, 140.99, 136.93, 135.41, 129.70, 128.88, 127.72, 127.18, 127.09, 117.04, 47.76, 45.29, 38.03, 21.53. Spectral data was consistent with the known aminoalkene.³

5. General Procedures for Bromoamination

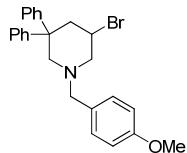
The reaction was carried out in open air system. To a 100 mL flask was added 1 mmol alkenylamine, 1 equiv. CuBr₂ and 20 mL of CH₃CN. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for a specified period. Then 30 mL of CH₂Cl₂ was added and the reaction mixture was washed with EDTA (25 mL × 3), dried over MgSO₄ and was concentrated to give an oil. In most of the reactions, the product obtained was NMR pure; further silica gel chromatography was not necessary.



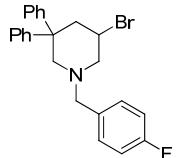
1-benzyl-5-bromo-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5a) Oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.26 – 6.98 (m, 15H), 3.87 (ddd, *J* = 15.3, 8.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (q, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 3H), 3.18 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (t, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.30-2.18 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 147.36, 144.80, 137.63, 129.37, 128.71, 128.45, 128.19, 127.54, 126.48, 126.06, 62.57, 62.00, 49.23, 46.80, 45.52. HRMS-ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₂₄BrN, 406.1170; found: 406.1161.



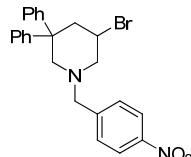
5-bromo-1-(4-methylbenzyl)-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5b) White solid. M.p. = 135-137°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.44 – 6.89 (m, 15H), 4.09 – 3.79 (m, 1H), 3.54 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (s, 2H), 3.20 (dd, J = 10.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.08 – 2.97 (m, 1H), 2.42 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 2.29 – 2.21 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.41, 144.87, 137.07, 134.50, 129.34, 129.11, 128.75, 128.44, 128.16, 126.48, 126.46, 126.02, 62.29, 61.98, 61.92, 49.22, 46.85, 45.59, 21.32. HRMS-ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}$, 420.1327; found: 420.1226.



5-bromo-1-(4-methoxybenzyl)-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5c) White solid. M.p. = 88-91°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.41 – 6.92 (m, 12H), 6.78 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 3.87 (t, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.51 (d, J = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 3.44 (s, 2H), 3.21 – 3.16 (m, 1H), 3.01 (d, J = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.30 – 2.14 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 159.00, 147.37, 144.80, 130.52, 129.27, 128.68, 128.41, 128.14, 127.80, 126.44, 125.99, 113.73, 61.97, 61.88, 61.74, 55.34, 49.17, 46.81, 45.59. HRMS-ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrNO}$, 436.1276; found: 436.1263.

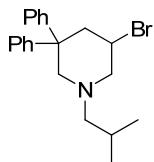


5-bromo-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5d) White solid. M.p. = 104-107°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.46 – 6.62 (m, 14H), 3.83 (dtt, J = 18.5, 10.8, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (t, J = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 3.44 (s, 2H), 3.14 (dd, J = 10.4, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (d, J = 12.6 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.30 – 2.19 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 163.50, 161.06, 147.27, 144.69, 133.37, 133.35, 130.88, 130.80, 128.60, 128.48, 128.23, 126.53, 126.45, 126.11, 115.39, 115.17, 61.98, 61.90, 61.71, 49.21, 46.75, 45.32. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = -114.95. HRMS-ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrFN}$, 424.1076; found: 424.1078.

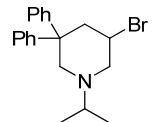


5-bromo-1-(4-nitrobenzyl)-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5e) White solid. M.p. = 149-151°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.10 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.29 – 7.06(m, 8H), 7.04(d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 3.92 (tt, J = 11.9, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66 – 3.50 (m, 3H), 3.12 (dd, J = 10.2, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.06 (d, J = 12.8 Hz, 1H), 2.43 –

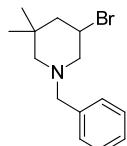
2.29 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 146.34, 145.82, 144.40, 143.27, 128.60, 127.39, 127.26, 127.20, 125.49, 125.23, 125.14, 122.59, 61.15, 60.80, 60.51, 48.11, 45.34, 43.56. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_2$, 451.1021; found: 451.1010.



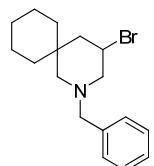
5-bromo-1-isobutyl-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5f) White solid. M.p. = 83–85°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.35 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.04 (m, 8H), 3.93 – 3.82 (m, 1H), 3.50 (d, J = 12.2 Hz, 1H), 3.23 – 3.18 (m, 1H), 3.00 – 2.92 (m, 1H), 2.41 (t, J = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.21 – 2.14 (m, 2H), 2.09 (dd, J = 5.1, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 1.86 – 1.70 (m, 1H), 0.86 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, 3H), 0.84 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.55, 145.17, 128.82, 128.38, 128.02, 126.46, 126.38, 125.91, 66.68, 63.58, 62.16, 49.26, 46.98, 45.86, 25.66, 21.19, 20.91. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}$, 372.1327; found: 372.1313.



5-bromo-1-isopropyl-3,3-diphenylpiperidine (5g) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.61 – 7.24 (m, 10H), 4.04 – 3.89 (m, 1H), 3.69 (d, J = 12.1, 1H), 3.32 (d, J = 6.3, 1H), 3.18 – 3.07 (m, 2H), 2.63 – 2.40 (m, 3H), 1.25 (d, J = 6.6, 3H), 1.22 (d, J = 6.6, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 146.7, 144.3, 127.5, 127.3, 127.0, 125.4, 125.3, 124.8, 56.7, 56.1, 53.6, 53.5, 47.0, 45.4, 16.8, 16.5. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrN}$, 358.1170; found: 358.1167.

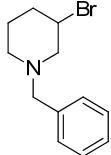


1-benzyl-5-bromo-3,3-dimethylpiperidine (5h) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.29 – 7.16 (m, 5H), 4.16 (ddd, J = 15.7, 10.0, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (t, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 1.99 – 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.70 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 1.46 (t, J = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.80 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 137.44, 127.61, 127.21, 126.01, 63.41, 61.37, 61.20, 48.23, 45.35, 33.36, 28.23, 23.83. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrN}$, 282.0857; found: 282.0854.

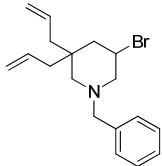


2-benzyl-4-bromo-2-azaspiro[5.5]undecane (5i) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.23 – 7.15 (m, 5H), 4.17 (tt, J = 12.0, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.35

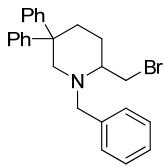
(dd, $J = 13.4, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.15 (dd, $J = 10.5, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.65 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.19 (dd, $J = 11.0, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.12 (t, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.57 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 2H), 1.36 – 1.08 (m, 10H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 137.56, 127.54, 127.18, 125.98, 62.11, 61.28, 45.29, 37.31, 36.07, 31.65, 25.56, 20.50, 20.47. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrN}$, 322.1170; found: 322.1168.



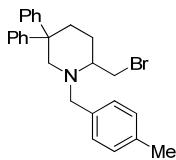
1-benzyl-3-bromopiperidine (5j) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.46 – 7.02 (m, 5H), 4.05 (ddd, $J = 13.7, 9.6, 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.46 (s, 2H), 3.01 (d, $J = 9.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.66 (d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.28 (t, $J = 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.22 – 2.11 (m, 1H), 2.04 (t, $J = 9.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.50 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 136.84, 127.95, 127.23, 126.10, 61.60, 60.76, 51.77, 47.34, 34.63, 24.85. Spectral data was consistent with the known compound.¹²



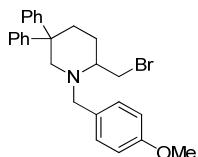
3,3-diallyl-1-benzyl-5-bromopiperidine (5k) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.52 – 6.91 (m, 5H), 5.74 – 5.56 (m, 2H), 5.12 – 4.87 (m, 4H), 3.49 – 3.34 (m, 2H), 3.11 (ddd, $J = 25.1, 10.5, 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.51 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.28 – 2.18 (m, 2H), 2.07 (dd, $J = 13.7, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.02 – 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.91 – 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.73 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.54 – 1.42 (m, 1H), 1.31 – 1.20 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 137.27, 133.10, 132.22, 127.78, 127.25, 126.12, 117.20, 116.93, 61.34, 61.29, 60.12, 44.77, 44.06, 41.82, 39.14, 36.95. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrN}$, 334.1170; found: 334.1165.



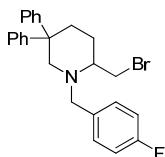
1-benzyl-2-(bromomethyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7a) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.67 – 7.13 (m, 15H), 4.09 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 – 3.58 (m, 2H), 3.35 (dd, $J = 17.1, 12.9$ Hz, 2H), 2.75 (s, 1H), 2.63 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.50 (d, $J = 13.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 – 2.18 (m, 1H), 1.86 – 1.67 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.79, 146.52, 138.41, 129.54, 129.25, 128.31, 128.27, 128.06, 127.79, 127.20, 125.88, 125.63, 60.46, 60.08, 58.95, 46.31, 34.66, 33.10, 26.32. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}$, 420.1327; found: 420.1225.



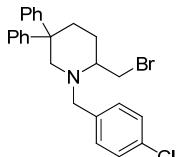
2-(bromomethyl)-1-(4-methylbenzyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7b) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.45 – 7.01 (m, 14H), 3.98 (d, J = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (d, J = 4.9 Hz, 2H), 3.30 (dd, J = 12.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (d, J = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (td, J = 8.9, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.47 – 2.38 (m, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.28 – 2.19 (m, 1H), 1.79 – 1.64 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.82, 146.59, 136.82, 135.21, 129.40, 128.91, 128.31, 127.99, 127.73, 127.21, 125.80, 125.56, 60.35, 59.97, 58.60, 46.29, 34.56, 33.07, 26.26, 21.18. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{28}\text{BrN}$, 434.1483; found: 4354.1478.



2-(bromomethyl)-1-(4-methoxybenzyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7c) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.22 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.18 – 7.08 (m, 6H), 7.06 – 6.96 (m, 4H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.90 (d, J = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.56 – 3.45 (m, 2H), 3.22 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 3.14 (d, J = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 2.65 – 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.47 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.41 – 2.31 (m, 1H), 2.22 – 2.10 (m, 1H), 1.70 – 1.60 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 158.88, 147.81, 146.56, 130.61, 130.32, 128.29, 128.00, 127.73, 127.19, 125.80, 125.55, 113.59, 60.32, 59.77, 58.13, 55.28, 46.27, 34.58, 33.08, 26.28. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{28}\text{BrNO}$, 450.1433; found: 450.1420.

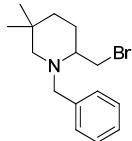


2-(bromomethyl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7d) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.41 (dd, J = 8.2, 5.8 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.22 (m, 6H), 7.20 – 7.05 (m, 6H), 4.06 (d, J = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (dd, J = 10.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd, J = 10.6, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, J = 12.3, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (d, J = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 2.80 – 2.68 (m, 1H), 2.60 (d, J = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (dt, J = 7.9, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 2.36 – 2.26 (m, 1H), 1.87 – 1.73 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 164.12, 161.68, 148.43, 147.09, 134.83, 134.80, 131.77, 131.70, 128.95, 128.81, 128.52, 127.82, 126.65, 126.38, 115.89, 115.68, 61.14, 60.67, 58.72, 46.98, 35.35, 33.83, 27.08. ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = -115.52. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{25}\text{BF}_2\text{N}$, 438.1233; found: 438.1227.

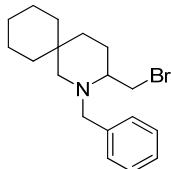


2-(bromomethyl)-1-(4-chlorobenzyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7e) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.32 (s, 4H), 7.24 – 7.15 (m, 6H), 7.14 – 7.06 (m, 4H), 3.99 (d, J = 13.3 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (dd, J = 10.6, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (dd, J = 10.6, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.29 (dd, J = 12.3, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (d, J = 13.3 Hz, 1H), 2.72 – 2.63 (m, 1H), 2.55 (d, J =

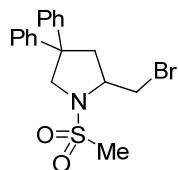
12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.49 – 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.31 – 2.20 (m, 1H), 1.79 – 1.69 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.63, 146.27, 136.97, 133.01, 130.75, 128.38, 128.19, 128.07, 127.79, 127.05, 125.91, 125.65, 60.50, 60.16, 58.14, 46.27, 34.51, 33.08, 26.36. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{25}\text{BrClN}$, 454.0937; found: 454.0934.



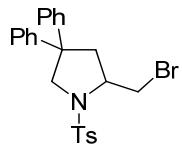
1-benzyl-2-(bromomethyl)-5,5-dimethylpiperidine (7f) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.36 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 3.97 (d, J = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (dd, J = 10.6, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, J = 10.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19 (d, J = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 2.49 (s, 1H), 2.32 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 1.91 (ddd, J = 13.2, 11.1, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 1.80 (d, J = 11.4 Hz, 1H), 1.72 – 1.62 (m, 1H), 1.46 – 1.36 (m, 1H), 1.28 – 1.17 (m, 1H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.83 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 139.61, 128.49, 128.13, 126.74, 62.38, 60.56, 57.96, 35.77, 35.29, 30.61, 28.07, 26.60, 25.50. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrN}$, 296.1014; found: 296.1013.



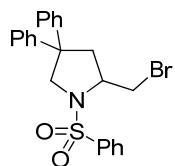
2-benzyl-3-(bromomethyl)-2-azaspiro[5.5]undecane (7g) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.49 – 7.09 (m, 5H), 3.97 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (dd, J = 10.6, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, J = 10.6, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 2H), 1.95 – 1.84 (m, 1H), 1.79 (d, J = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 1.69 – 1.49 (m, 2H), 1.47 – 1.11 (m, 11H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 139.73, 128.53, 128.10, 126.75, 61.23, 57.98, 36.85, 35.59, 33.68, 32.92, 26.81, 25.85, 21.58, 21.55. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}$, 336.1327; found: 336.1325.



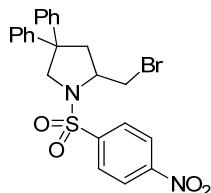
2-(bromomethyl)-1-(methylsulfonyl)-4,4-diphenylpyrrolidine (9a) White solid. M.p. = 143–145°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.41 – 6.91 (m, 10H), 4.22 (dd, J = 11.0, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 3.97 (ddd, J = 14.7, 7.9, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dd, J = 10.1, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, J = 10.1, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (ddd, J = 13.3, 6.9, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (dd, J = 13.4, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 144.60, 144.12, 129.01, 128.81, 127.22, 126.92, 126.84, 126.46, 59.85, 59.49, 53.25, 42.69, 36.72, 36.58. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 394.0476; found: 394.0468.



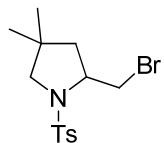
2-(bromomethyl)-4,4-diphenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (9b) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.53 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.25 – 6.85 (m, 12H), 4.33 (d, J = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 3.96 – 3.81 (m, 1H), 3.72 (dd, J = 9.7, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (d, J = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (t, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (qd, J = 13.2, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 144.70, 144.44, 143.76, 133.82, 129.85, 128.77, 128.70, 127.45, 126.84, 126.61, 126.56, 126.36, 60.08, 58.87, 52.29, 42.04, 35.90, 21.59. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 470.0789; found: 470.0789. Spectral data was consistent with the known compound.¹³



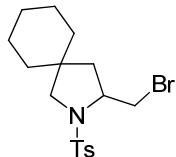
2-(bromomethyl)-4,4-diphenyl-1-(phenylsulfonyl)pyrrolidine (9c) White solid. M.p. = 162–163°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.70 – 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.46 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.25 – 7.17 (m, 4H), 7.16 – 6.98 (m, 6H), 4.32 (d, J = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 3.94 – 3.80 (m, 1H), 3.80 – 3.60 (m, 2H), 2.89 (t, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 2.78 – 2.57 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 144.55, 144.34, 137.10, 132.91, 129.18, 128.76, 128.71, 127.39, 126.86, 126.76, 126.59, 126.30, 60.03, 58.81, 52.30, 42.11, 35.69. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 456.0633; found: 456.0625.



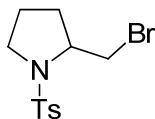
2-(bromomethyl)-1-(4-nitrophenylsulfonyl)-4,4-diphenylpyrrolidine (9d) White solid. M.p. = 165–167°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.04 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.29 – 6.91 (m, 10H), 4.26 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 4.04 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (ddd, J = 10.3, 7.9, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (dd, J = 10.1, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, J = 9.9, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dd, J = 13.4, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (dd, J = 13.5, 7.7 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 149.93, 144.50, 143.49, 143.30, 128.82, 128.76, 128.10, 126.99, 126.78, 126.41, 126.33, 124.20, 60.09, 59.99, 52.77, 42.48, 36.16. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}$, 501.0484; found: 501.0464.



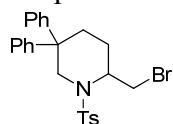
2-(bromomethyl)-4,4-dimethyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (9f) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.67 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.86 (dd, J = 9.6, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (ddd, J = 15.9, 8.3, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 3.45 (t, J = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 3.10 (q, J = 10.9 Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 1.81 (dd, J = 12.9, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.63 (dd, J = 12.9, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.46 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 143.73, 134.88, 129.73, 127.53, 61.88, 60.02, 45.86, 37.52, 37.47, 26.09, 25.79, 21.56. Spectral data was consistent with the known compound.¹⁴



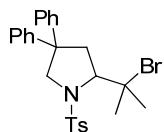
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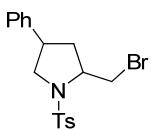
2-(bromomethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine (9h) ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.65 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.75 (ddd, J = 11.6, 7.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dd, J = 9.9, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.42 – 3.35 (m, 1H), 3.29 (t, J = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dt, J = 9.9, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 1.90 – 1.81 (m, 1H), 1.76 (dt, J = 18.7, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 1.67 (ddd, J = 12.4, 7.6, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 1.56 – 1.36 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 143.87, 133.98, 129.87, 127.51, 60.37, 49.83, 36.15, 30.26, 23.80, 21.55. Spectral data was consistent with the known compound.¹⁴



2-(bromomethyl)-5,5-diphenyl-1-tosylpiperidine (9i) White solid. M.p. = 134–135 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.49 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.06 (m, 10H), 4.54 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 4.03 – 3.94 (m, 1H), 3.45 (t, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, J = 9.9, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (dd, J = 14.1, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 2.17 (td, J = 14.0, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (dd, J = 14.2, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 1.59 (t, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 145.86, 142.76, 142.24, 135.54, 128.84, 127.54, 127.44, 126.77, 126.43, 125.61, 125.29, 125.10, 52.09, 47.55, 44.56, 27.61, 27.37, 20.74, 20.52. HRMS–ESI (m/z): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 484.0946; found: 484.0937.

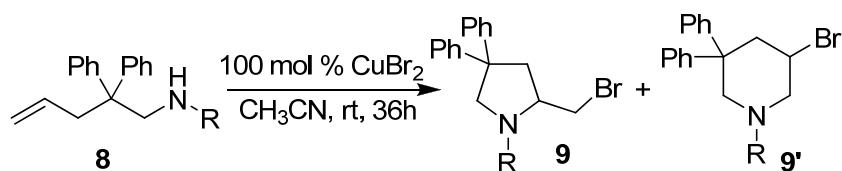


2-(2-bromopropan-2-yl)-4,4-diphenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (9j) White solid. M.p. = 89–90 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.46 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (dt, J = 12.3, 6.3 Hz, 3H), 7.17 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 7.01 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.16 (dd, J = 13.8, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (dd, J = 13.0, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (d, J = 13.8 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (dt, J = 14.0, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 2.65 (t, J = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 1.33 (s, 3H), 1.30 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 146.11, 143.12, 142.78, 140.10, 129.49, 129.02, 128.71, 127.93, 127.20, 126.79, 126.61, 125.96, 61.82, 58.17, 49.97, 48.80, 42.98, 27.87, 21.42, 16.29. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H]⁺ calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{28}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 498.1102; found: 498.1101.



2-(bromomethyl)-4-phenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (9k) White solid. M.p. = 114–116 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.70 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.23 – 7.10 (m, 3H), 7.06 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 3.90 (tt, J = 16.5, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.82 – 3.75 (m, 2H), 3.52 (dd, J = 9.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (t, J = 11.4 Hz, 1H), 2.57 (ddd, J = 18.4, 11.6, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.46 – 2.33 (m, 4H), 1.92 (td, J = 12.3, 9.0 Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 144.04, 138.83, 134.90, 130.03, 128.73, 127.52, 127.26, 127.01, 60.51, 55.66, 43.10, 39.09, 37.57, 21.62. S–ESI (m/z): [M+H]⁺ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrNO}_2\text{S}$, 393.0476; found: 394.0476.

Table 4. Bromoamination of carbamate substrates.

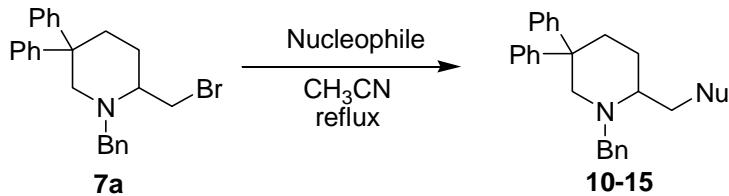


| Entry | R | Conversion ^a | Selectivity(9:9') ^a |
|-------|------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
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| 2 | Cbz | 90 | 1:0.8 |
| 3 | Fmoc | >99 | 1:1 |

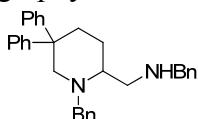
a: Determined by ^1H NMR analysis.

6. Derivatization of Bromoamination Product

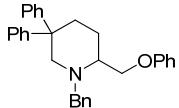
6.1 Nucleophilic substitution reaction of **7a**



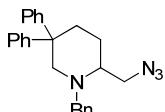
1-benzyl-2-(bromomethyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (7a**)** was dissolved in 20 ml of acetonitrile, the nucleophile of interest was added, and the reaction mixture was heated to reflux overnight. Then 30 mL of CH_2Cl_2 was added and reaction mixture was washed with water, dried over MgSO_4 , and concentrated. The resulting residue was isolated by silica gel chromatography.



N-benzyl-1-(1-benzyl-5,5-diphenylpiperidin-2-yl)methanamine (10**)** Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.39 – 6.72 (m, 20H), 3.98 (d, J = 13.3 Hz, 1H), 3.68 – 3.60 (m, 2H), 3.34 (dd, J = 12.2, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, J = 13.3 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (dd, J = 11.9, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.70 (dd, J = 11.9, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (d, J = 10.1 Hz, 2H), 2.33 (d, J = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.13 – 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.84 (brs, 1H), 1.71 – 1.56 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 148.50, 146.24, 140.26, 139.03, 129.40, 128.51, 128.35, 128.17, 128.05, 128.02, 127.77, 127.05, 126.92, 126.90, 125.80, 125.43, 61.48, 60.88, 58.94, 54.24, 46.28, 34.28, 29.74, 26.68. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_2$, 477.2800; found: 477.2797.

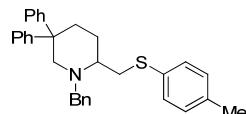


1-benzyl-2-(phenoxy)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (11**)** Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.86 – 7.64 (m, 3H), 7.39 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 7.23 – 6.97 (m, 12H), 6.75 (t, J = 9.1 Hz, 2H), 4.18 – 4.04 (m, 2H), 3.92 – 3.80 (m, 1H), 3.31 (t, J = 13.9 Hz, 2H), 2.81 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.43 (dd, J = 13.1, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.22 – 2.12 (m, 1H), 1.78 (ddd, J = 13.3, 6.0, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 1.53 – 1.41 (m, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 158.79, 148.11, 139.21, 132.43, 130.09, 129.46, 128.35, 128.31, 128.13, 128.05, 127.78, 127.09, 125.52, 120.75, 114.57, 70.34, 61.10, 60.15, 59.70, 46.28, 33.80, 26.38. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{31}\text{NO}$, 434.2484; found: 434.2477.

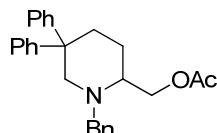


2-(azidomethyl)-1-benzyl-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (12**)** White solid. M.p. = 80–83°C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.71 – 6.48 (m, 15H), 4.00 (d, J = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.37

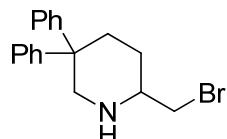
(d, $J = 5.1$ Hz, 2H), 3.29 (dd, $J = 12.4, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.20 (d, $J = 13.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.51 (td, $J = 8.9, 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.42 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 – 2.37 (m, 1H), 2.23 – 2.03 (m, 1H), 1.77 – 1.60 (m, 1H), 1.46 (ddd, $J = 16.5, 13.0, 3.3$ Hz, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.96, 146.20, 138.51, 129.31, 129.23, 128.35, 128.29, 128.08, 127.83, 127.77, 127.28, 127.03, 125.89, 125.61, 60.99, 60.33, 59.40, 52.81, 46.28, 33.58, 26.44. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_4$, 383.2236; found: 383.2233.



1-benzyl-5,5-diphenyl-2-(p-tolylthiomethyl)piperidine (13) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.58 – 6.57 (m, 19H), 3.97 (d, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.07 (m, 3H), 3.02 (dd, $J = 12.3, 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.64 (s, 1H), 2.50 (d, $J = 12.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 1H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.16 – 2.06 (m, 1H), 1.67 (ddd, $J = 21.7, 10.9, 7.1$ Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.96, 146.90, 138.86, 136.01, 133.61, 130.05, 129.73, 129.56, 128.25, 128.23, 128.04, 127.89, 127.39, 127.22, 125.81, 125.65, 60.20, 59.40, 59.10, 46.39, 36.05, 33.26, 26.78, 21.10. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{33}\text{NS}$, 464.2412; found: 464.2404.



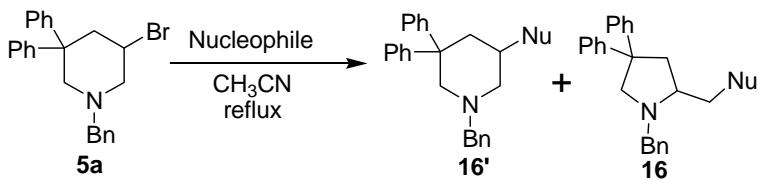
(1-benzyl-5,5-diphenylpiperidin-2-yl)methyl acetate (14) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.57 – 6.80 (m, 15H), 4.20 (dd, $J = 11.5, 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.12 (dd, $J = 11.5, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.02 (d, $J = 13.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.28 (d, $J = 12.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.22 (d, $J = 13.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.59 (dt, $J = 33.6, 16.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.45 (d, $J = 12.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.19 – 2.09 (m, 1H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.71 – 1.61 (m, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 170.97, 147.99, 146.43, 138.85, 135.96, 129.43, 129.23, 128.34, 128.28, 128.18, 128.06, 127.77, 127.12, 125.85, 125.55, 65.57, 60.80, 59.47, 46.26, 42.64, 33.56, 25.92, 21.01. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{29}\text{NO}_2$, 400.2277; found: 400.2276.



2-(Bromomethyl)-5,5-diphenylpiperidine (15) Oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.73 – 6.84 (m, 10H), 4.03 (dd, $J = 13.1, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, $J = 10.0, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, $J = 10.0, 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.18 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (ddd, $J = 14.3, 7.0, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.80 – 2.72 (m, 1H), 2.31 (td, $J = 13.3, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.81 – 1.73 (m, 1H), 1.41 (ddd, $J = 24.3, 13.2, 3.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.33 (s, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 148.24, 144.61, 128.50, 128.37, 128.30, 126.48, 126.05, 125.89, 57.18, 55.35, 45.39, 38.70, 34.97, 27.50. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H] $^+$ calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrN}$, 330.0857; found: 330.0850.

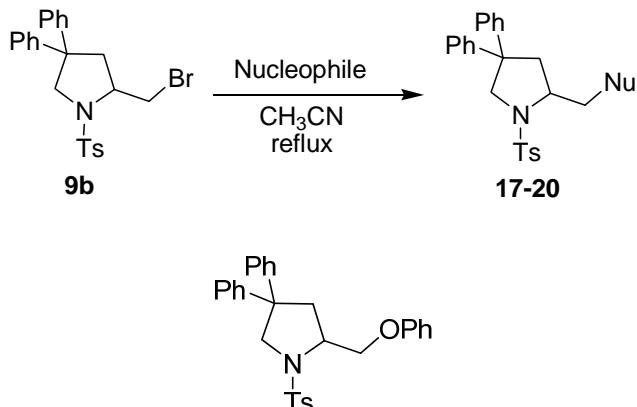
6.2 Nucleophilic substitution reaction of **5a**

Table 5. Nucleophilic substitution of **5a**.

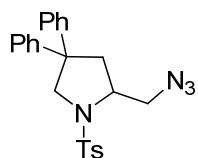


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|-------|-------------------|------------|-----------|
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| 2 | KOAc | 30 | 50 |
| 3 | NaN ₃ | 24 | 60 |
| 4 | NaCN | 17 | 65 |
| 5 | PhSNa | 37 | 45 |

6.3 Nucleophilic substitution reaction of **15b**

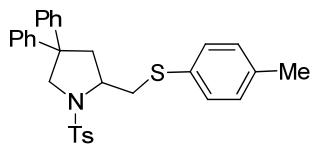


2-(Phenoxyethyl)-4,4-diphenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (17) Oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.54 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.00 (m, 15H), 6.67 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 4.27 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 4.21 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 3.98 – 3.90 (m, 1H), 3.73 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (t, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 2.73 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 2.27 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 158.27, 145.04, 144.83, 143.44, 134.24, 129.68, 129.39, 128.65, 128.62, 127.38, 126.73, 126.64, 126.49, 126.46, 120.88, 114.49, 68.96, 58.37, 57.93, 52.57, 40.84, 21.49. HRMS–ESI (*m/z*): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₃₀H₂₉NO₃S, 484.1946; found: 484.1935.

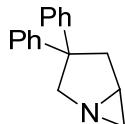


2-(Azidomethyl)-4,4-diphenyl-1-tosylpyrrolidine (18) White solid. M.p. = 171–172°C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.53 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 6.94 (m, 14H), 4.34 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.91 – 3.78 (m, 1H), 3.74 – 3.67 (m, 1H), 3.65 – 3.57 (m, 1H), 2.92 – 2.52 (m, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

δ =144.65, 144.46, 143.70, 129.80, 129.78, 128.74, 128.66, 127.44, 127.38, 126.81, 126.59, 126.33, 60.06, 58.82, 52.26, 42.05, 35.79, 21.53. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₂₄N₄O₂S, 433.1698; found: 433.1688.

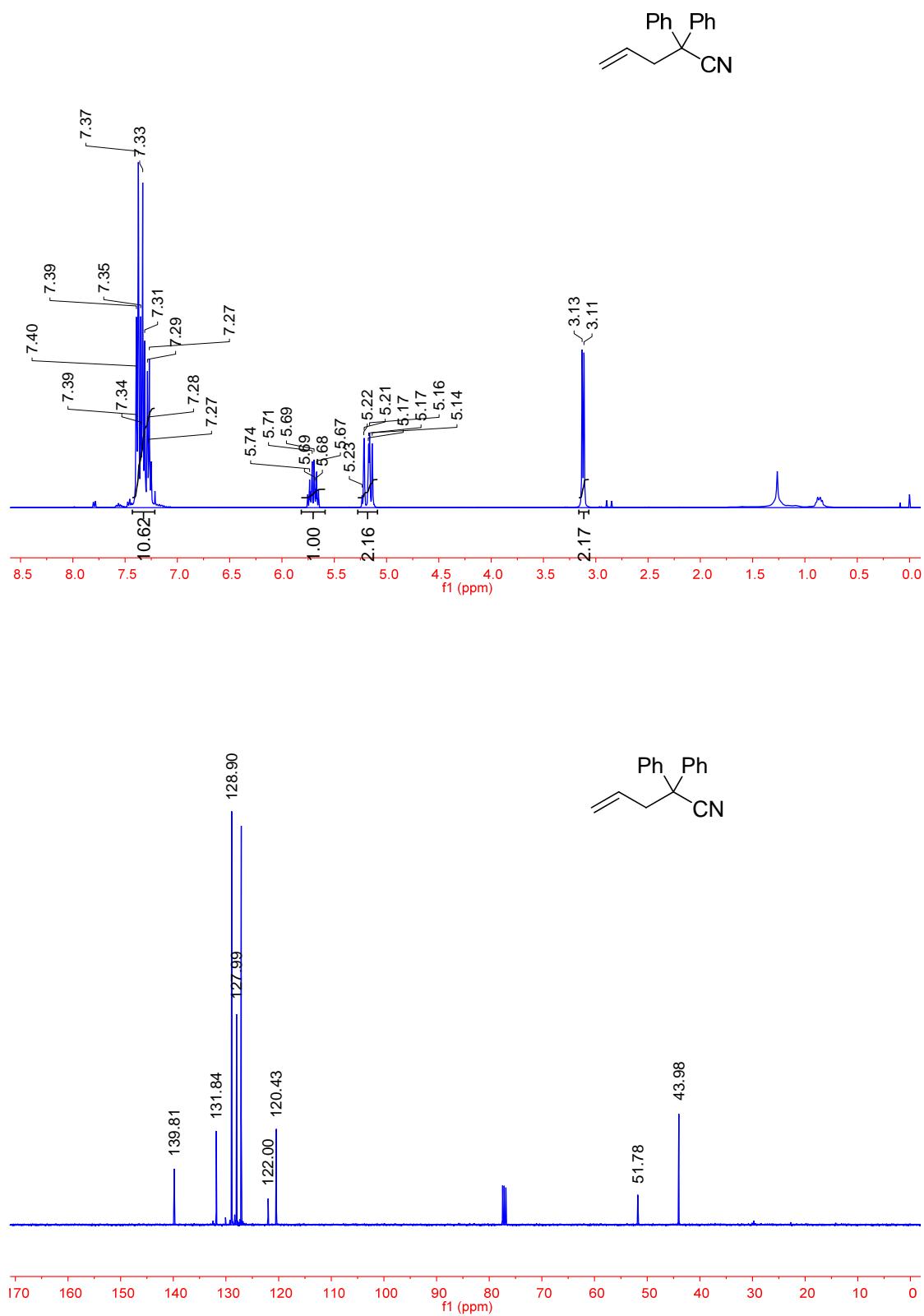


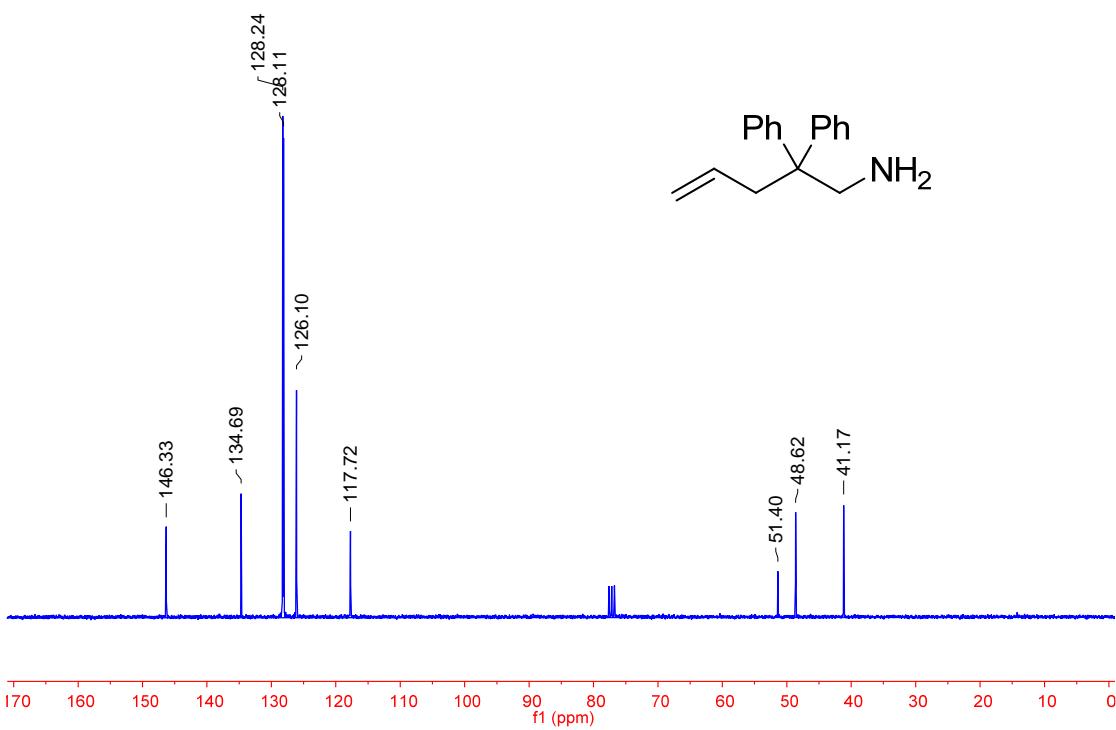
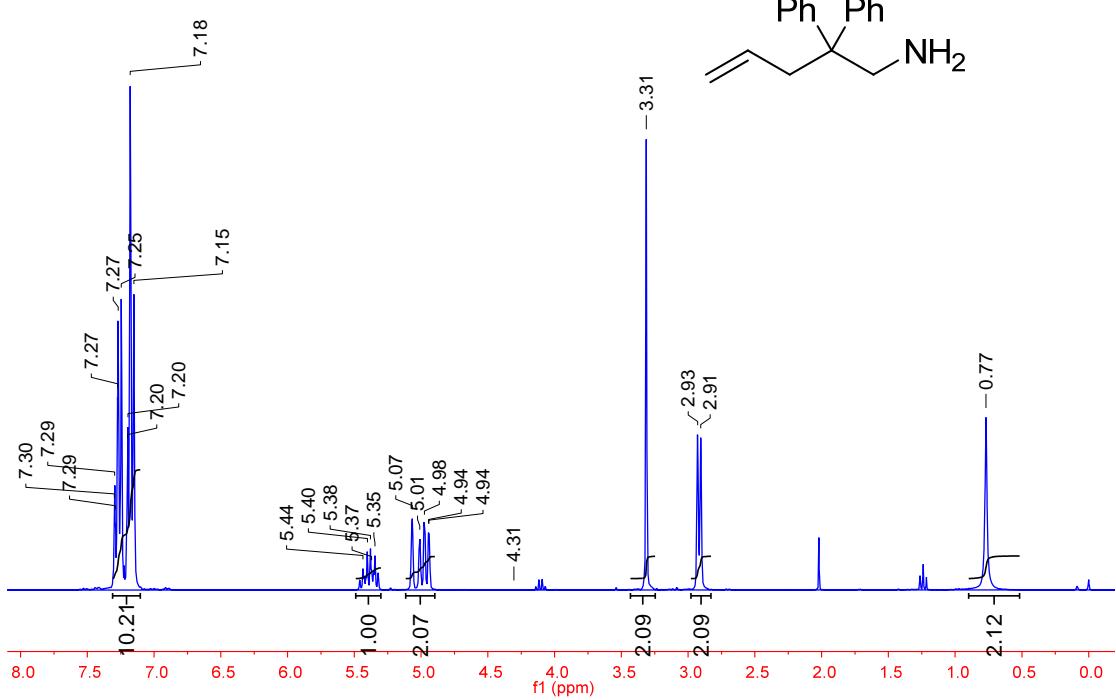
4,4-diphenyl-2-(p-tolylthiomethyl)-1-tosylpyrrolidine (19) White solid. M.p. = 134–136°C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.31 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.17 (m, 6H), 7.11 – 6.91 (m, 10H), 4.41 (d, J = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.67 – 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.37 (d, J = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (qd, J = 13.0, 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.14 (dd, J = 13.4, 11.1 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 144.97, 143.45, 136.49, 133.15, 131.27, 130.53, 129.87, 129.64, 128.69, 128.61, 127.59, 126.84, 126.67, 126.48, 126.40, 58.68, 52.19, 41.80, 38.65, 21.55, 21.14. HRMS–ESI (m/z): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₃₁H₃₁NO₂S₂, 514.1874; found: 514.1863.

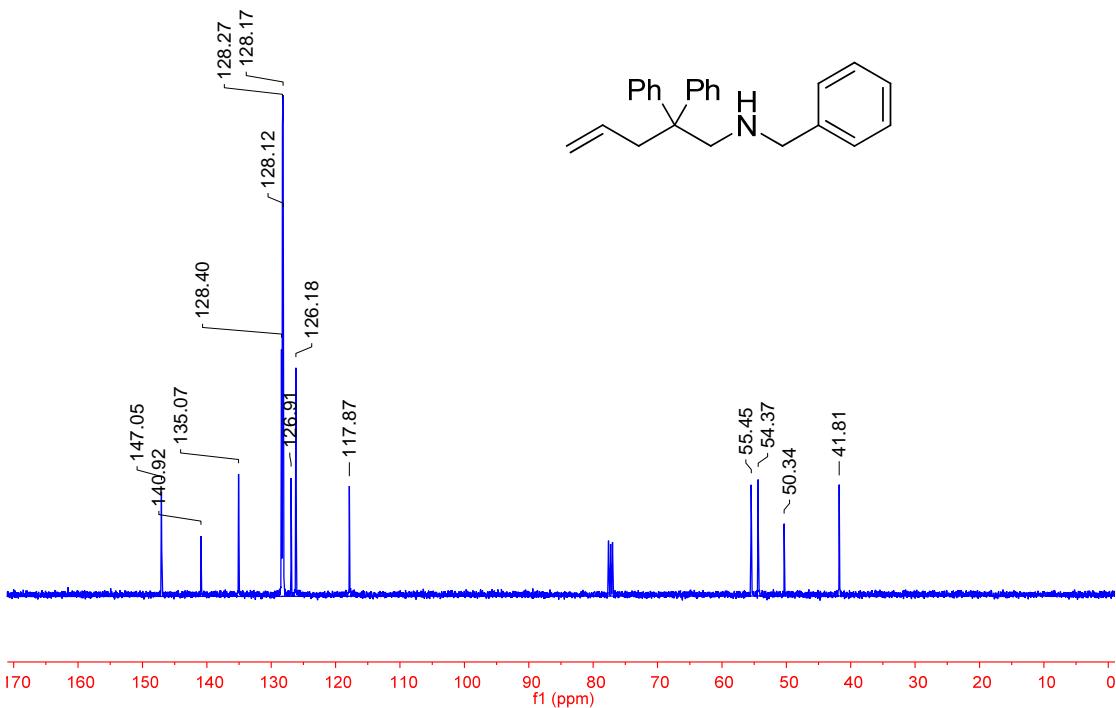
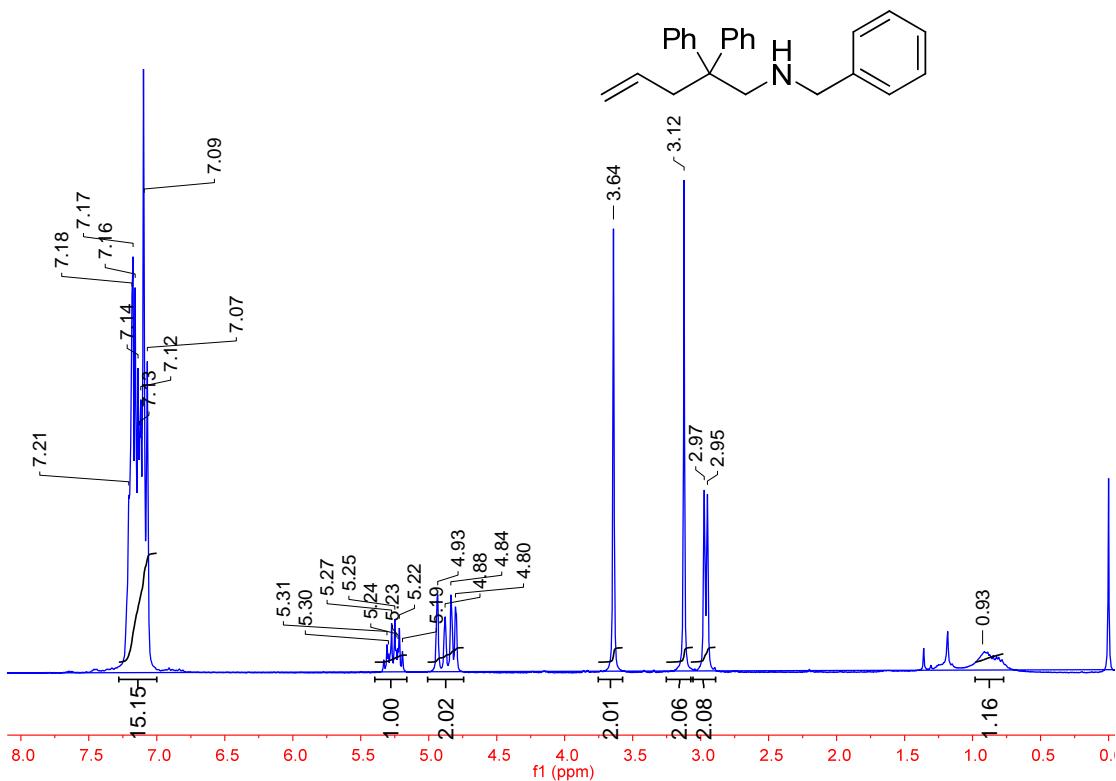


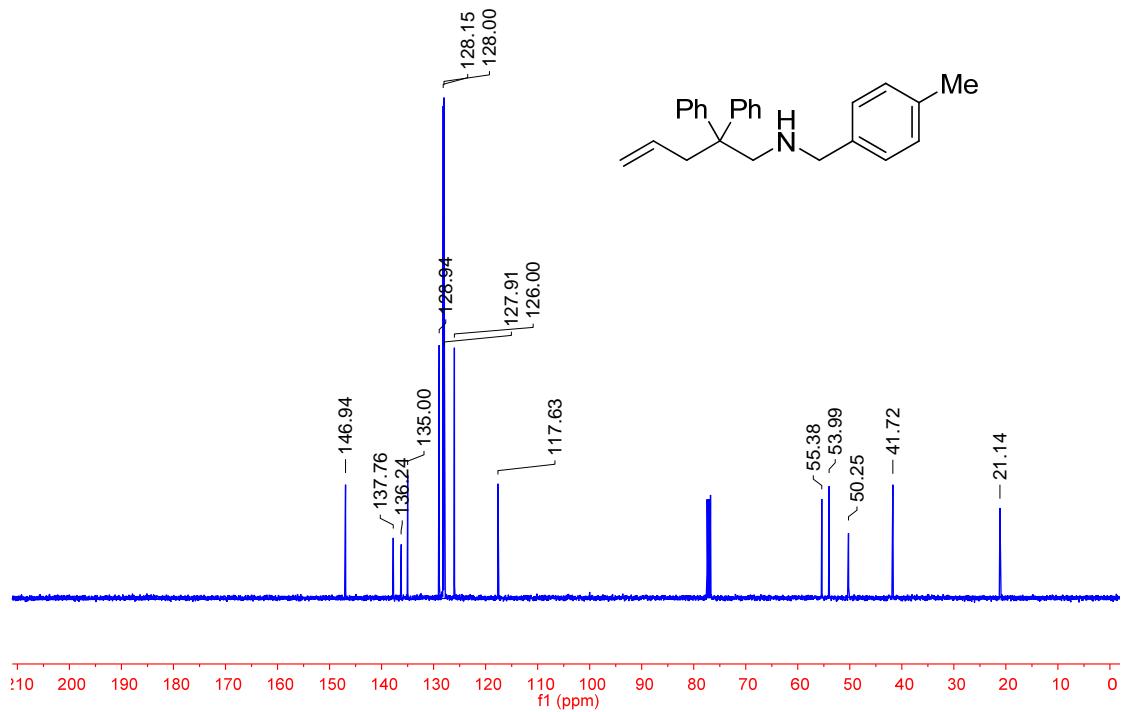
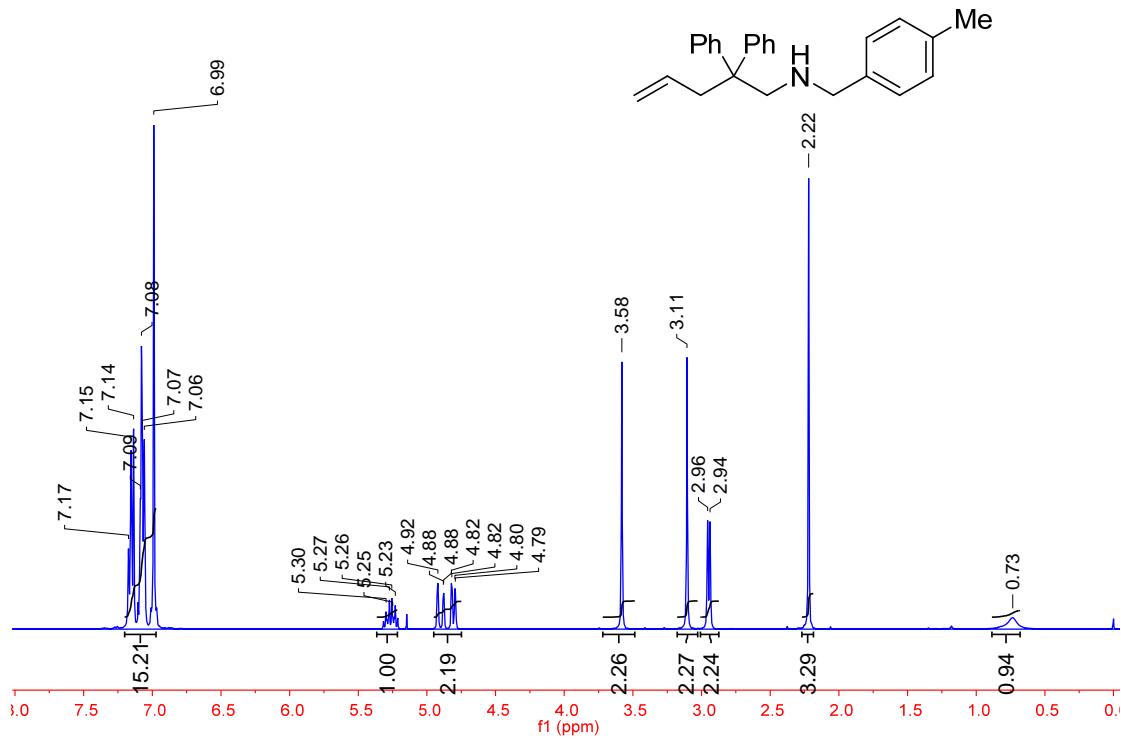
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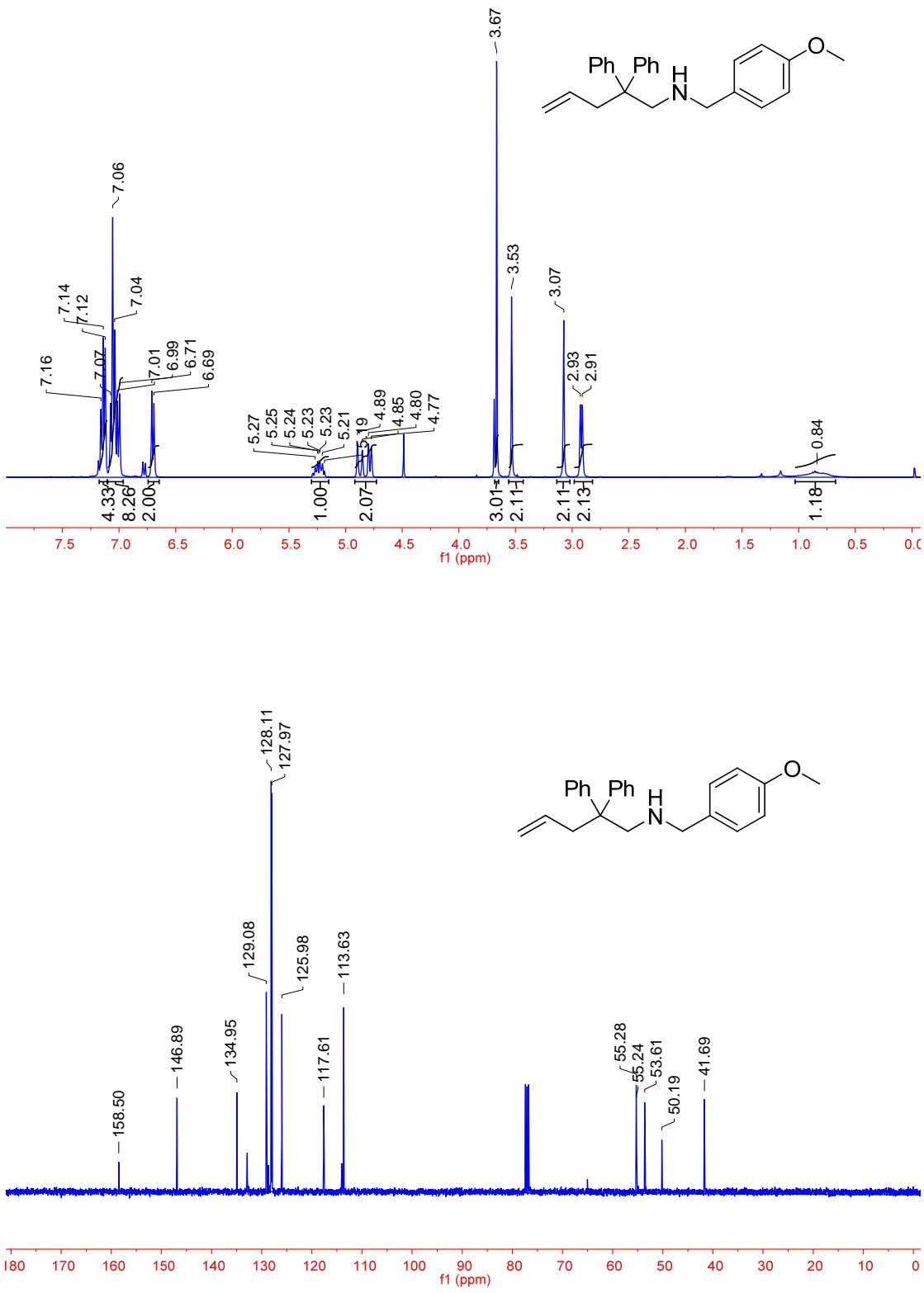
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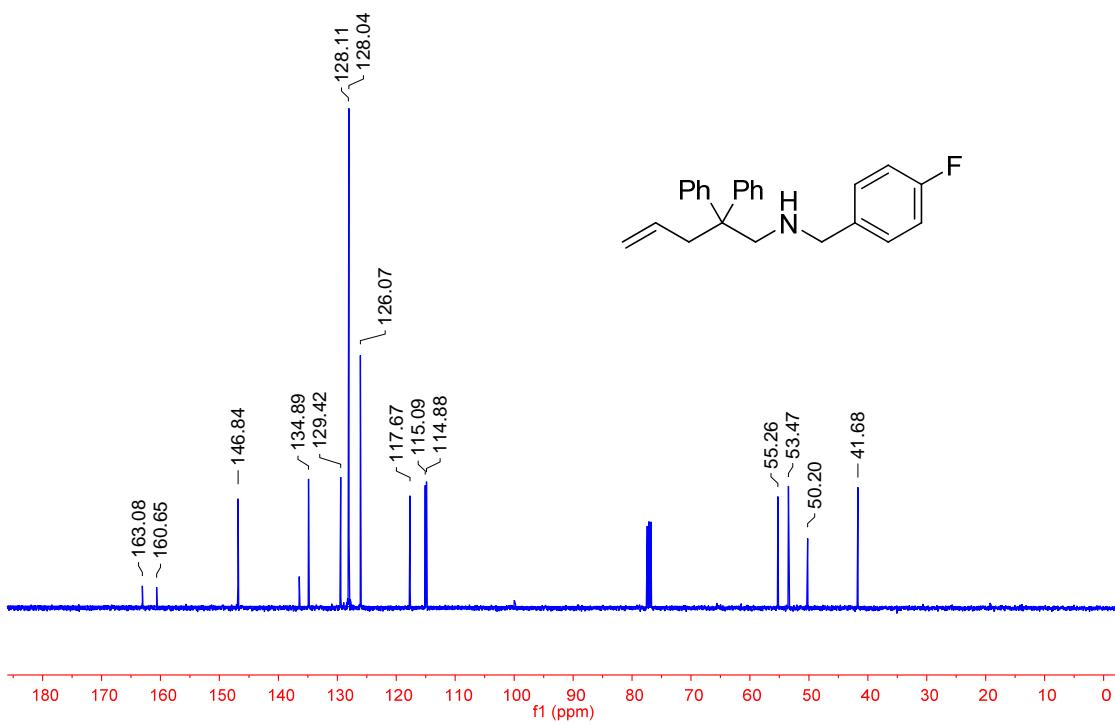
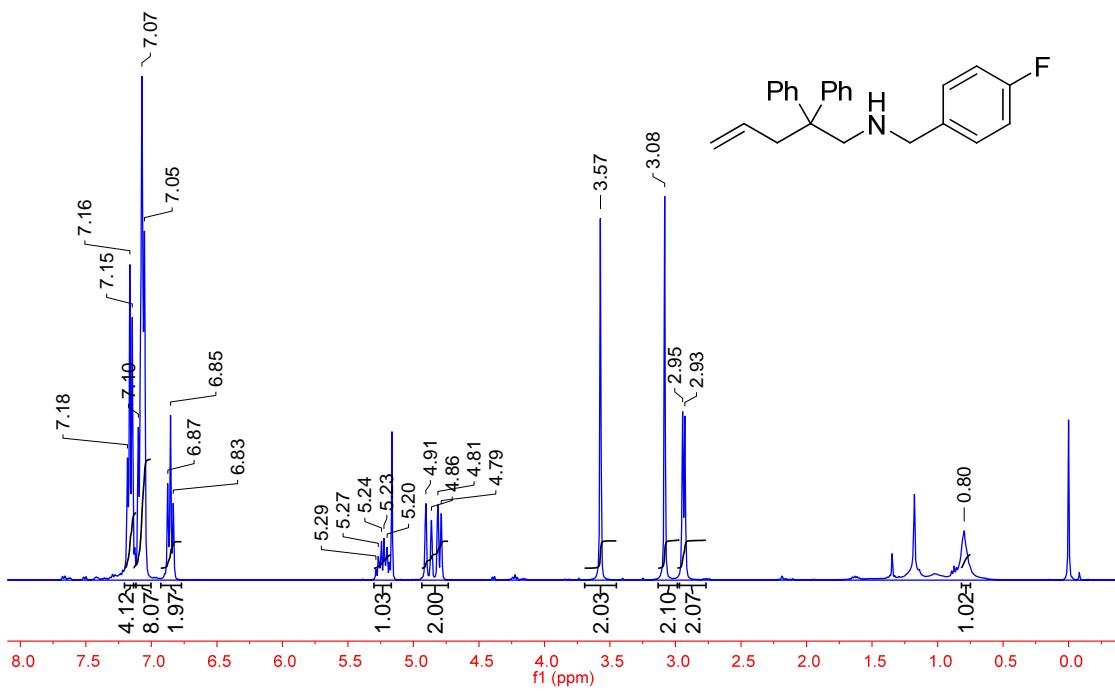


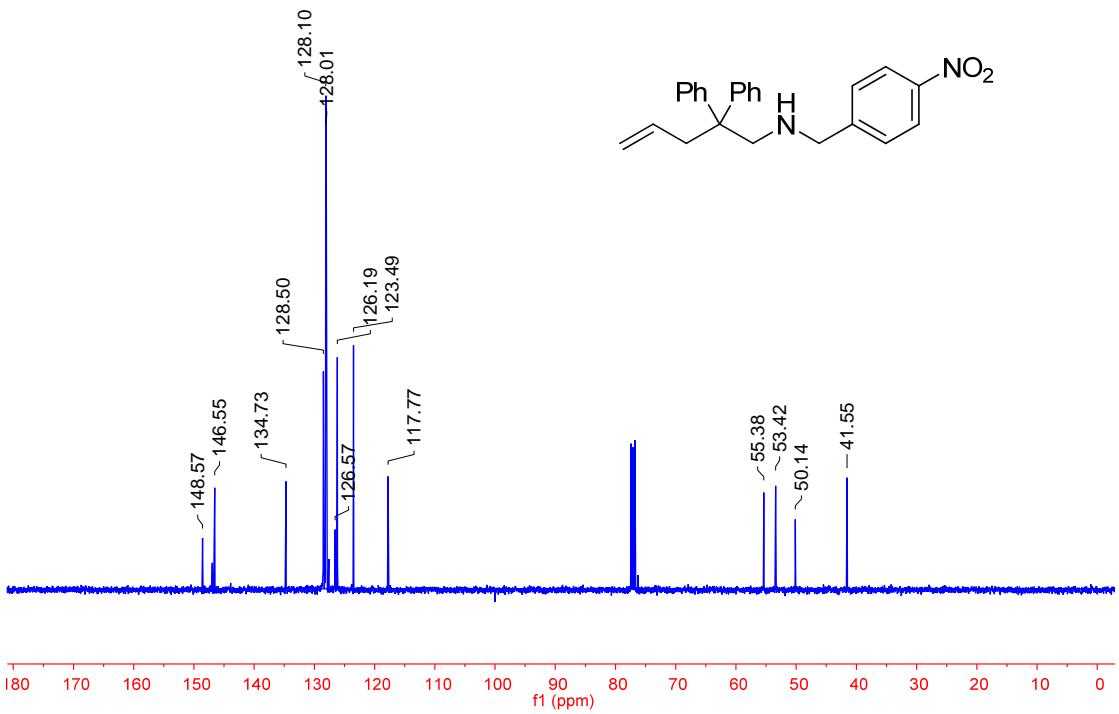
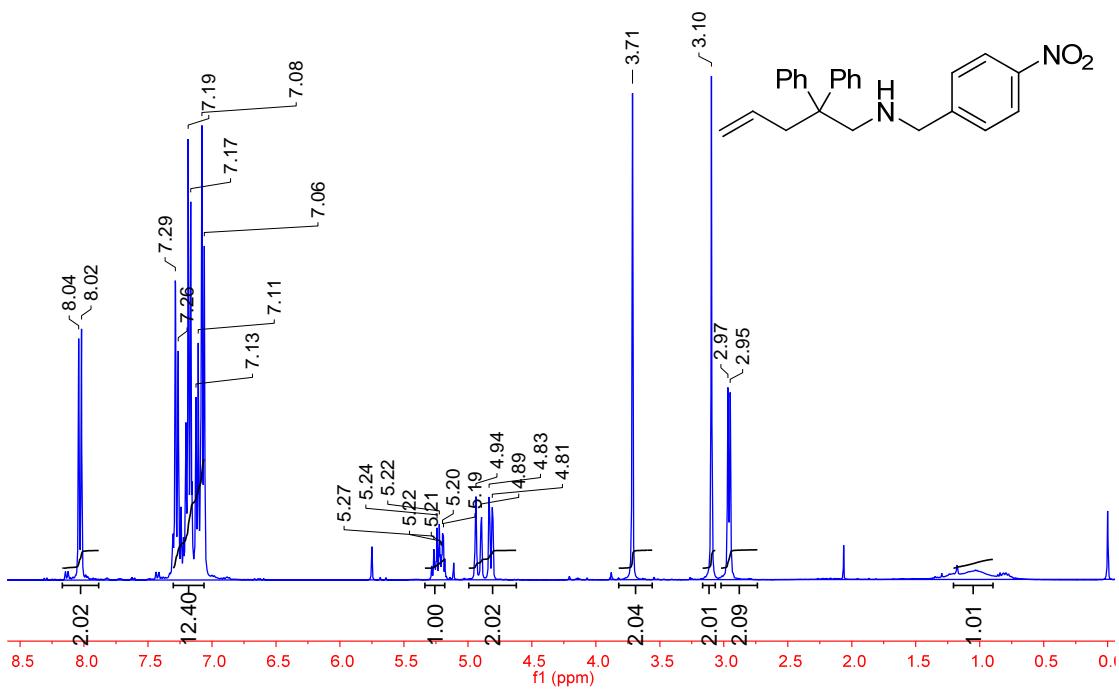


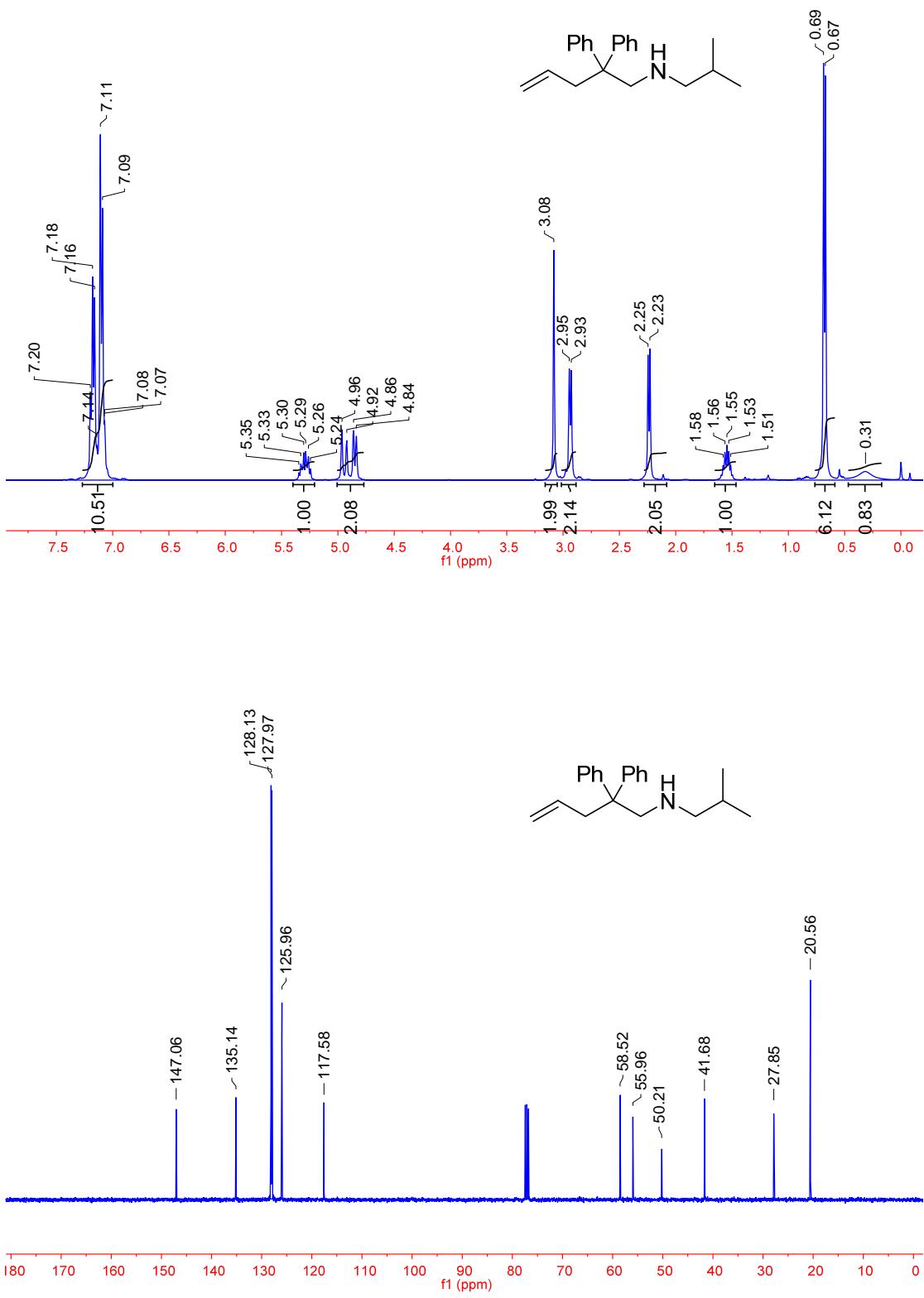


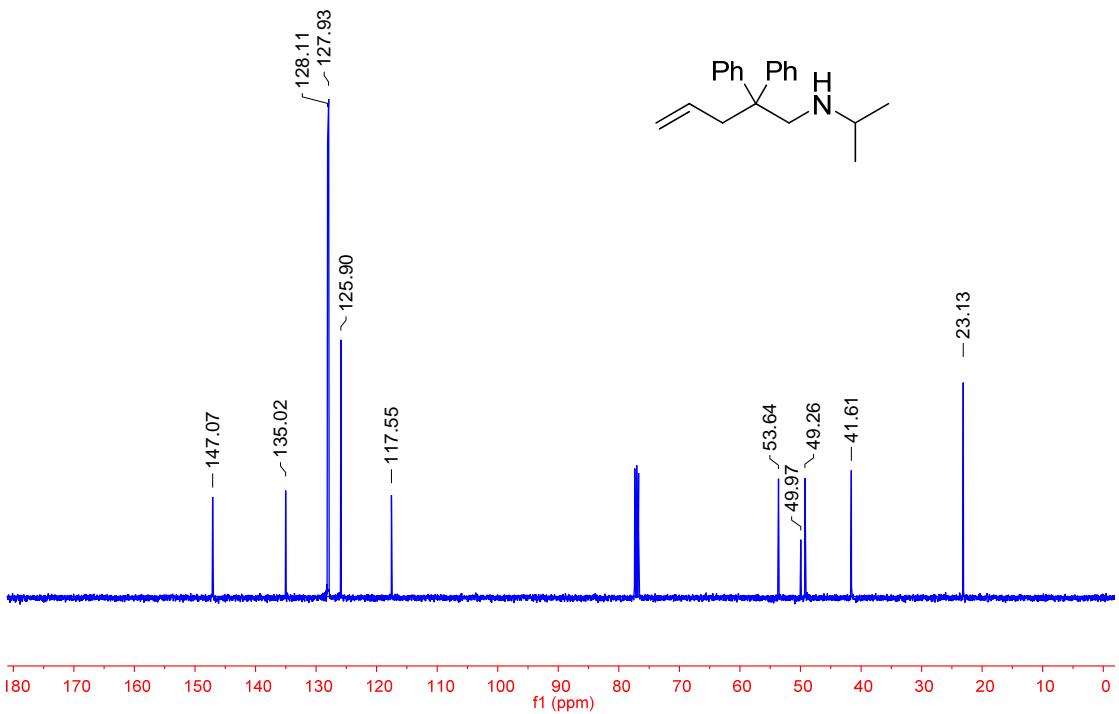
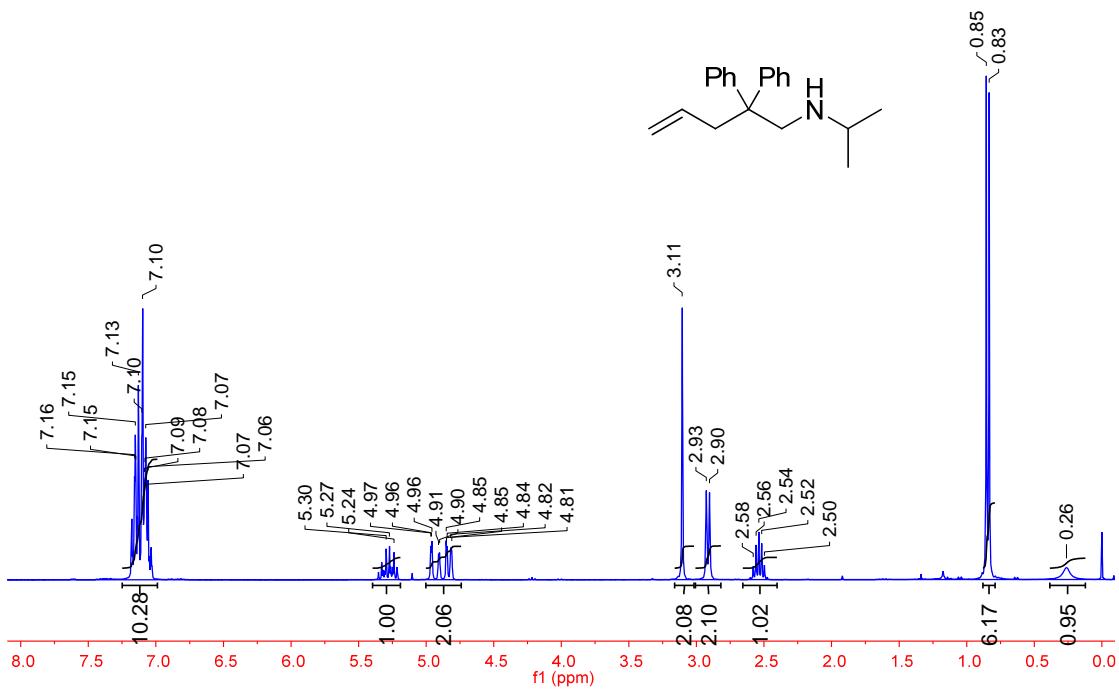


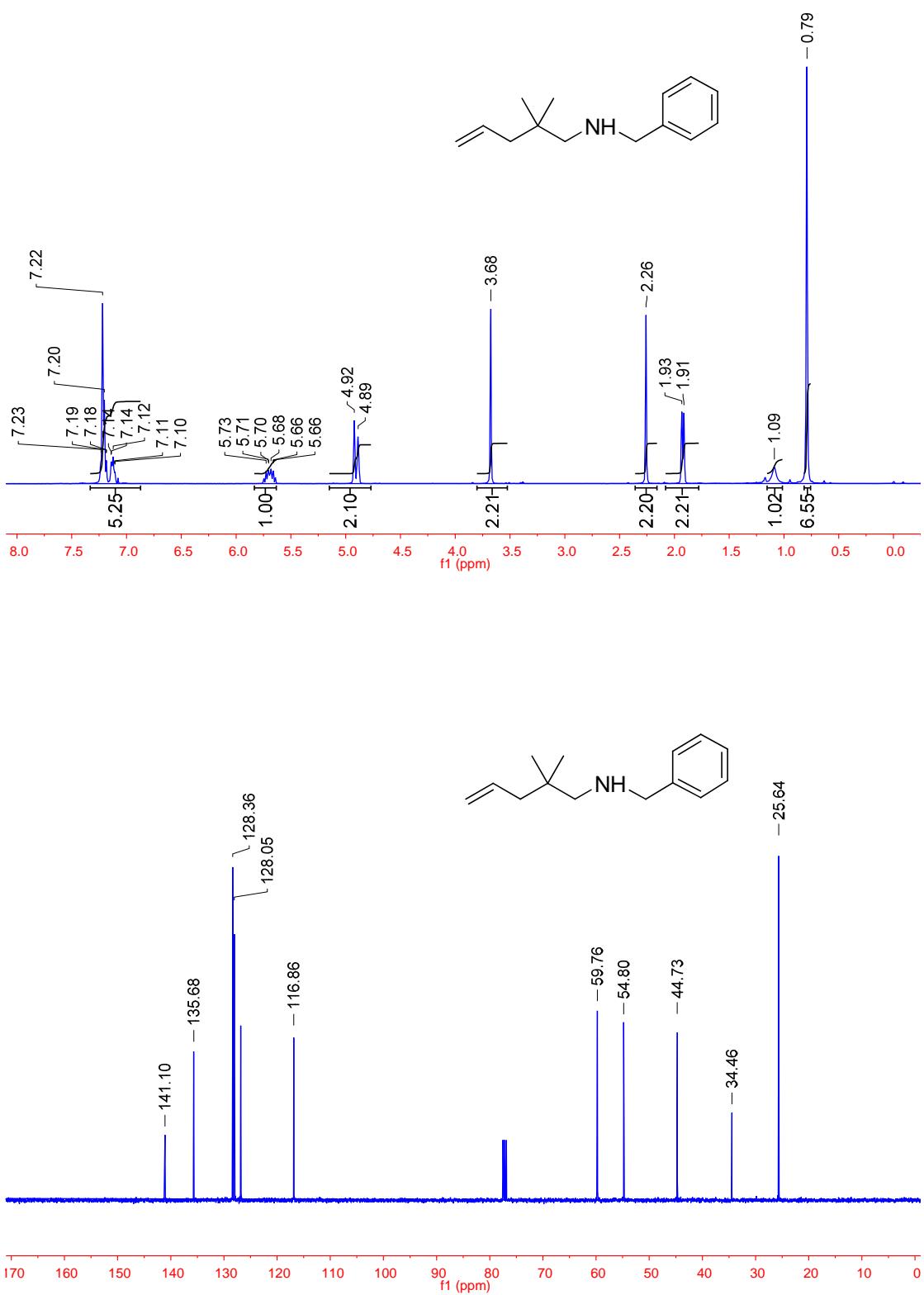


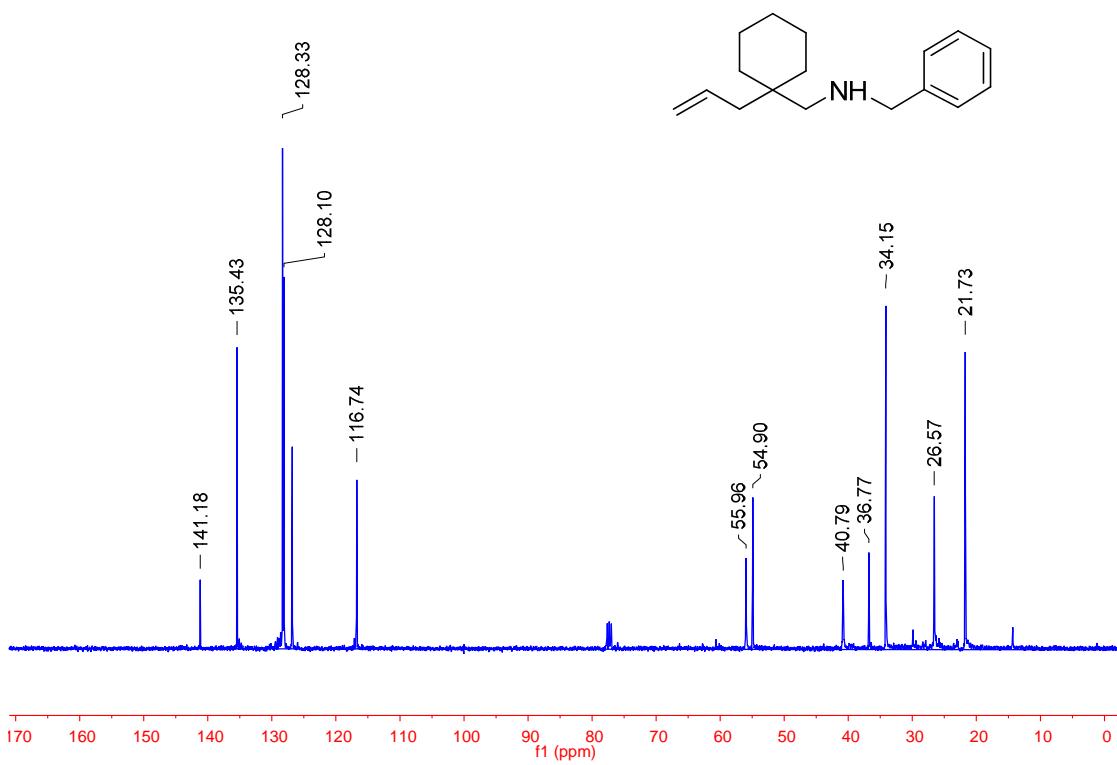
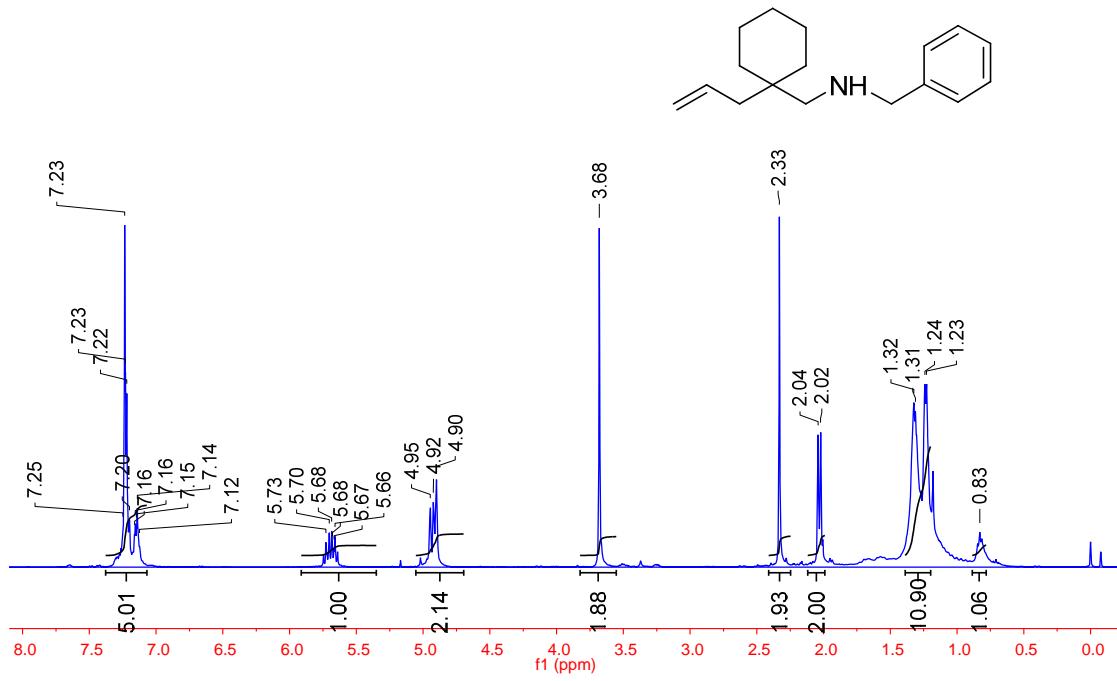


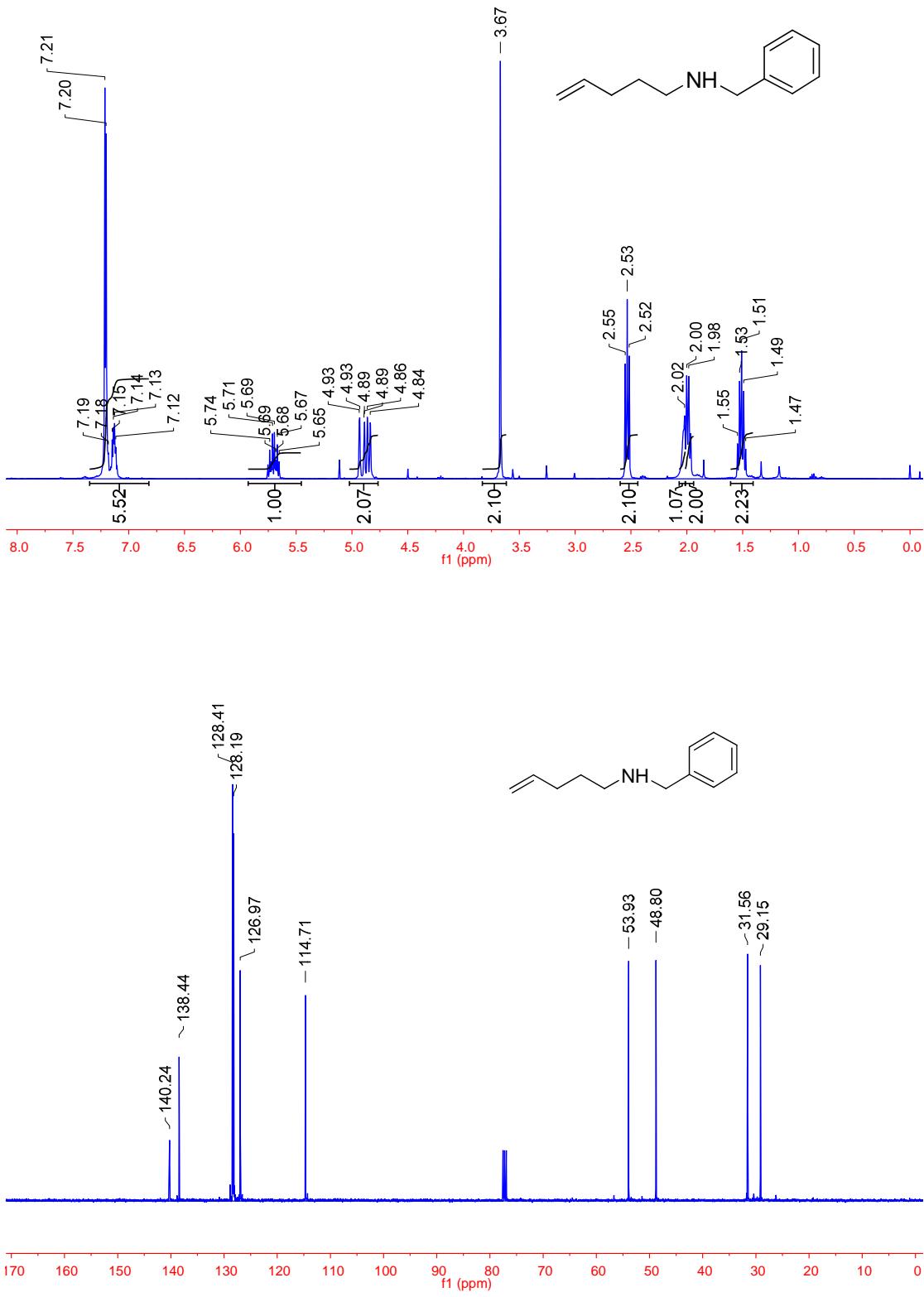


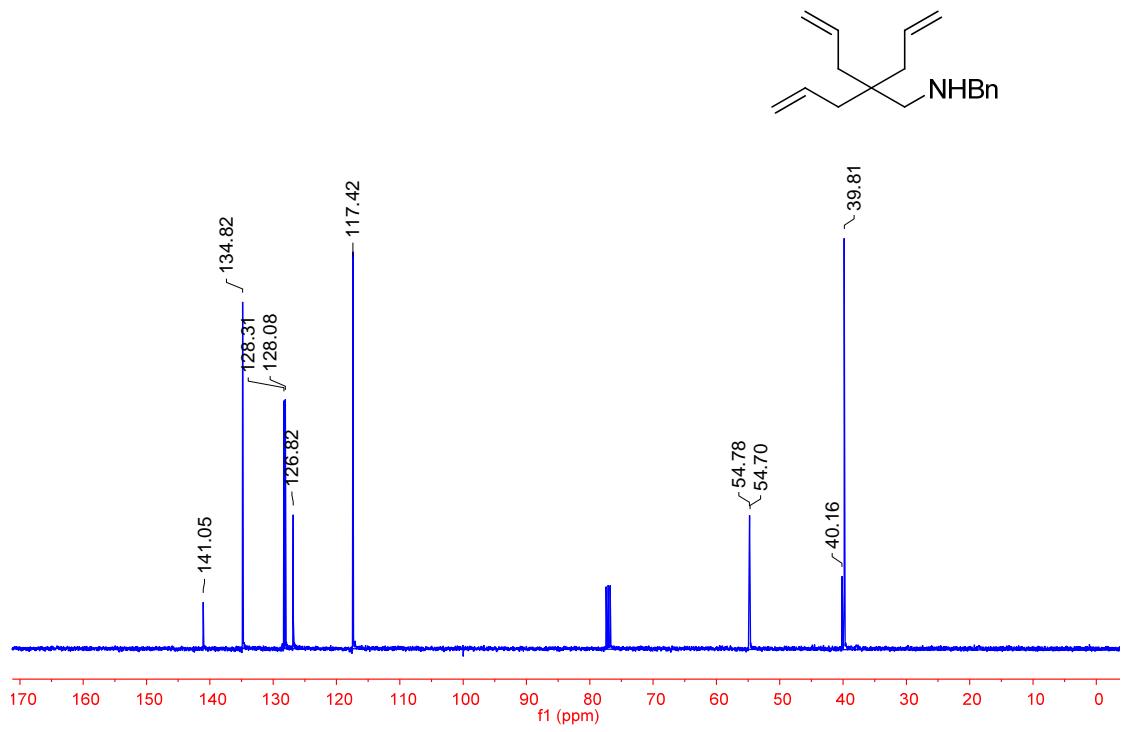
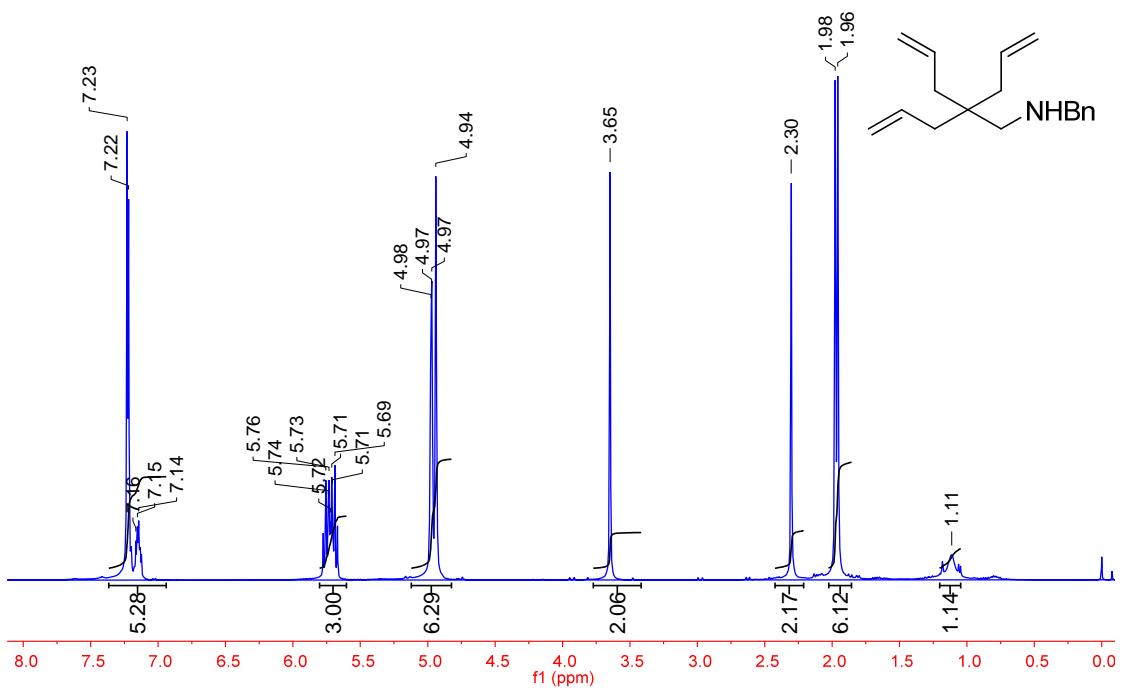


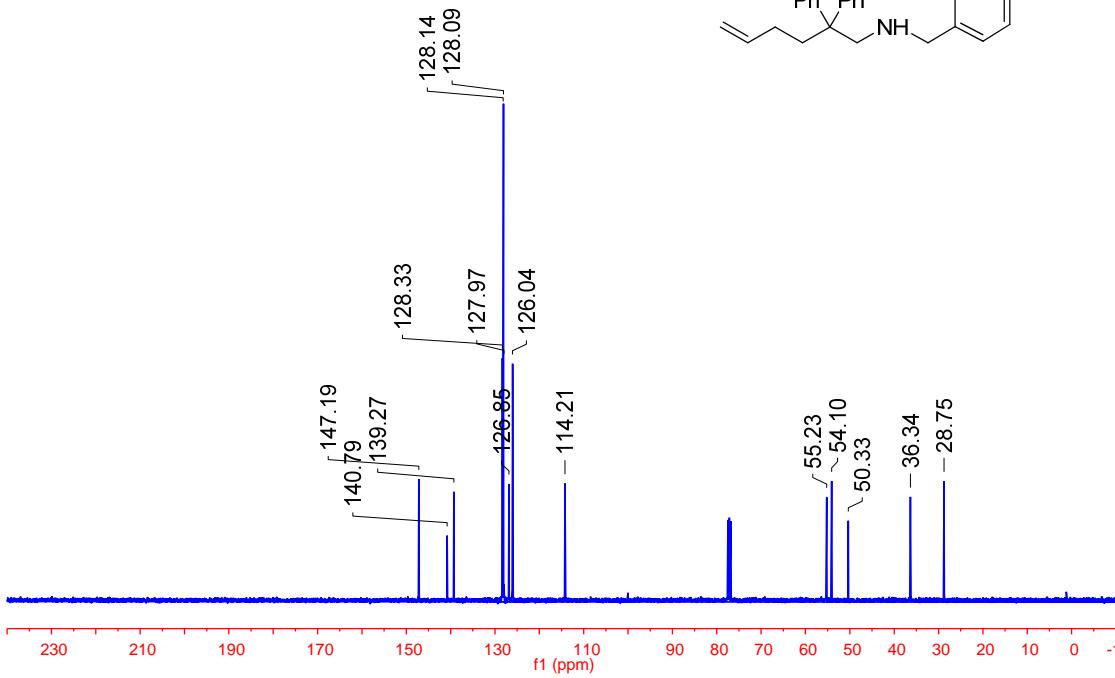
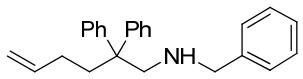
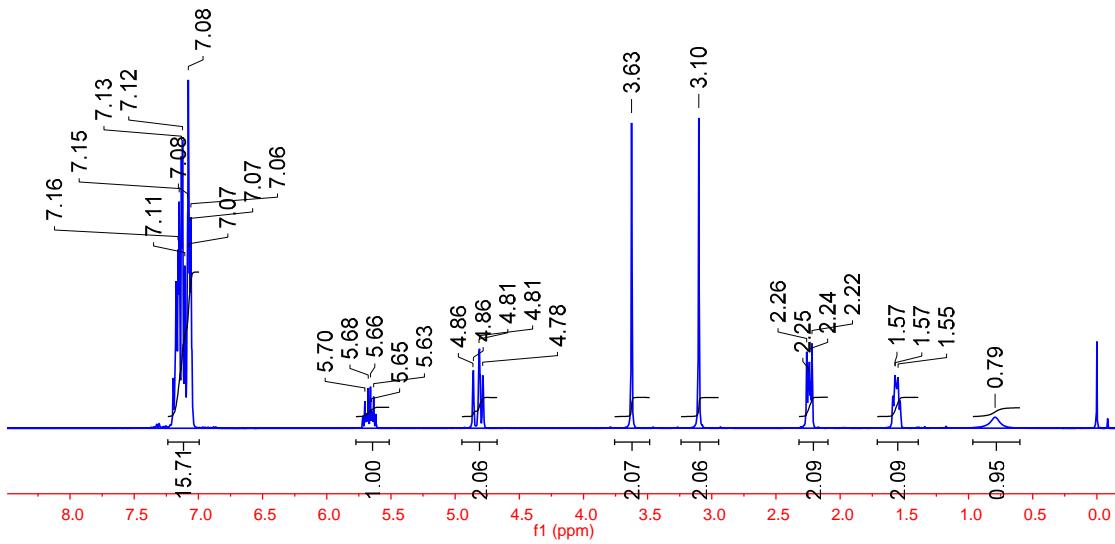
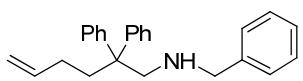


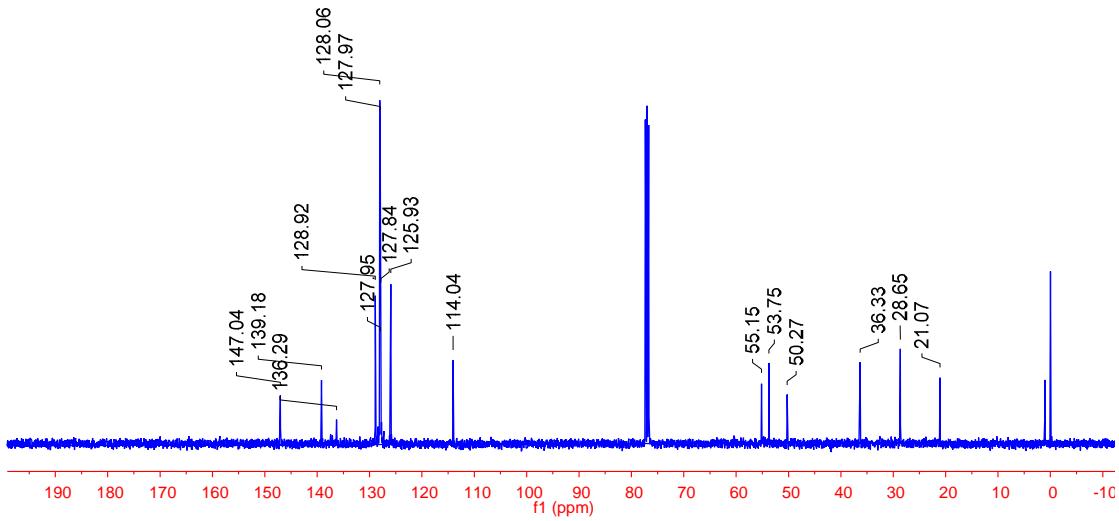
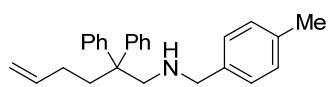
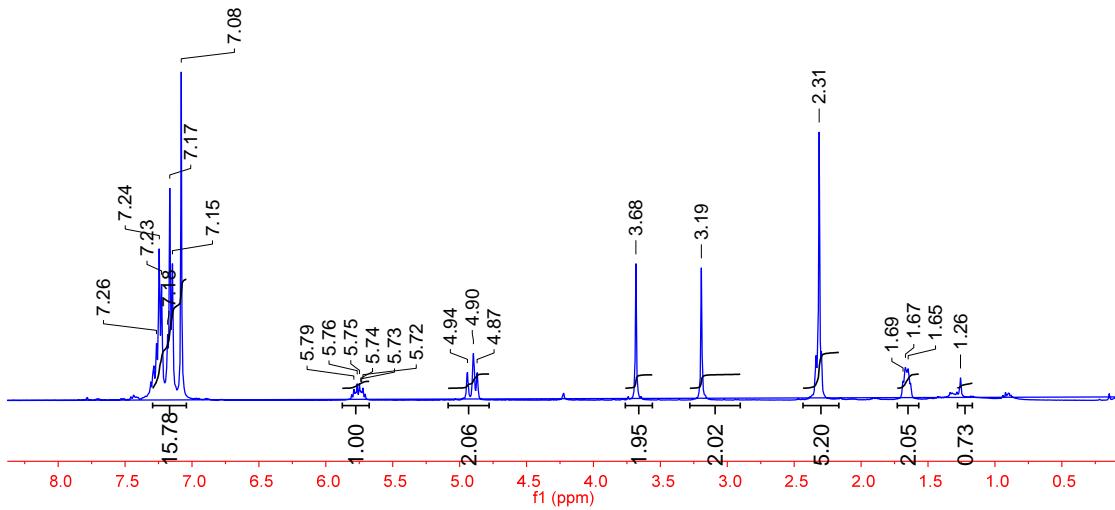
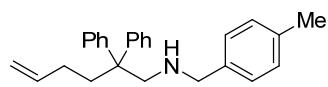


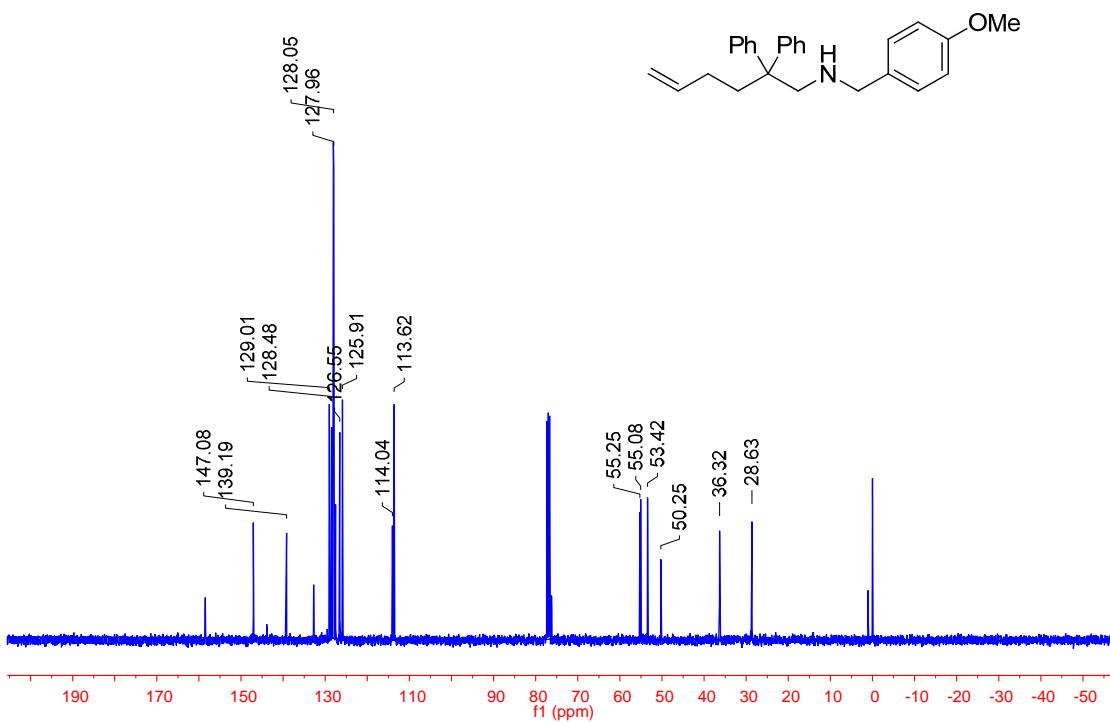
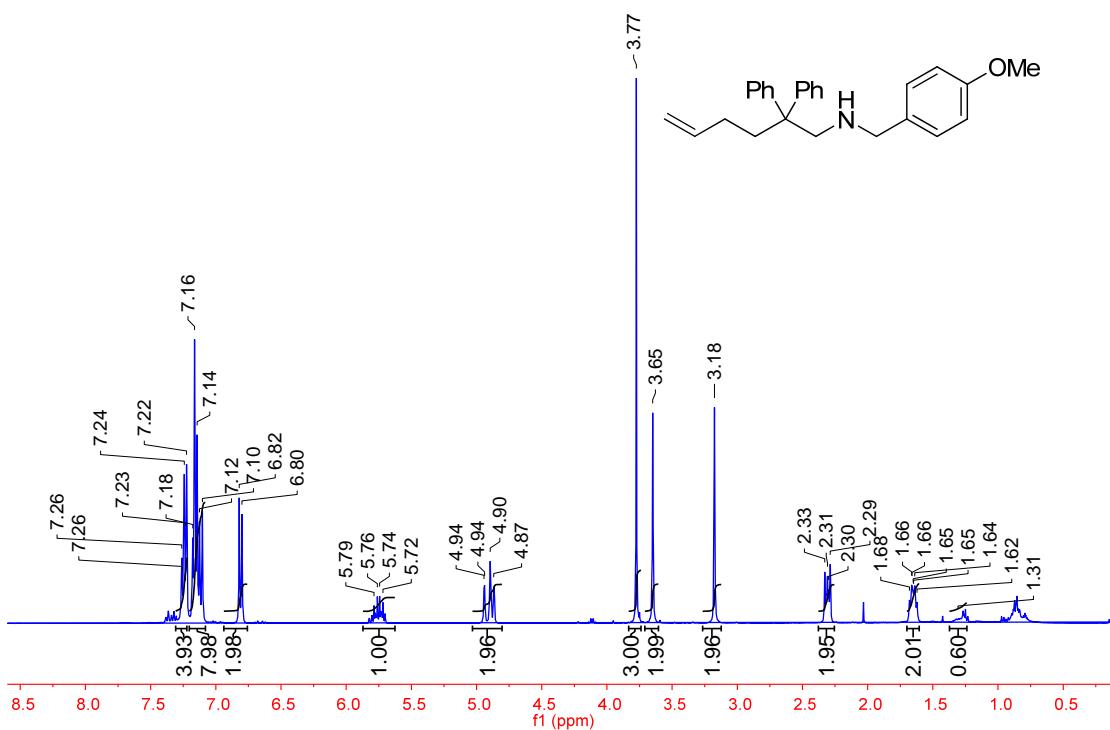


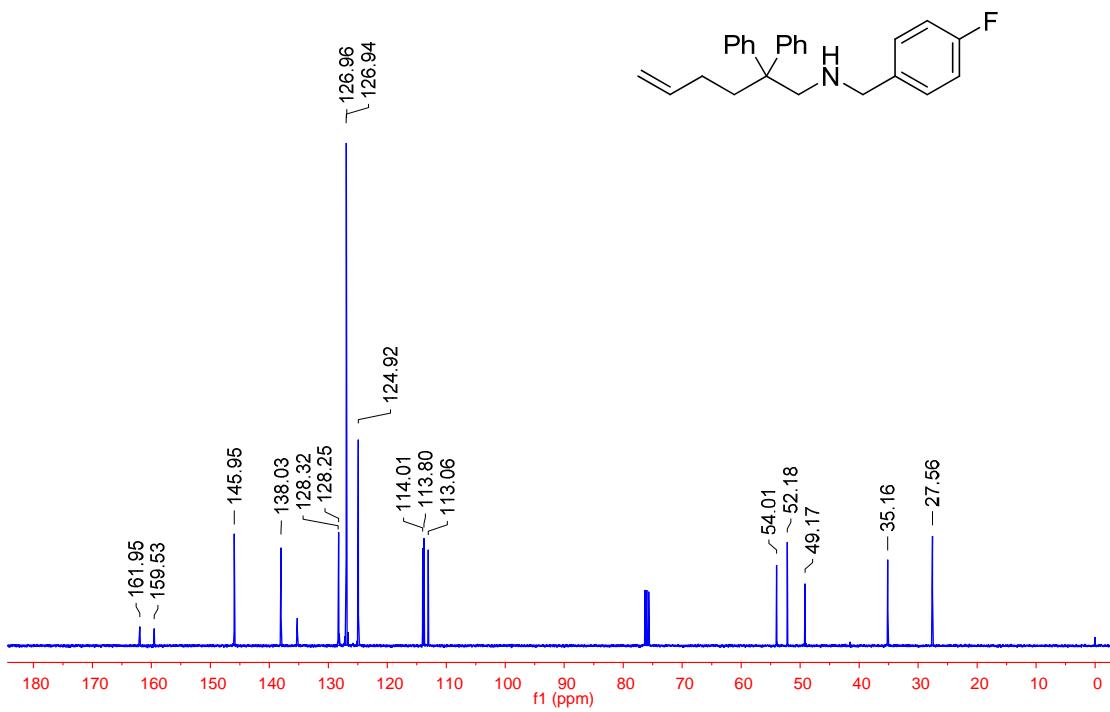
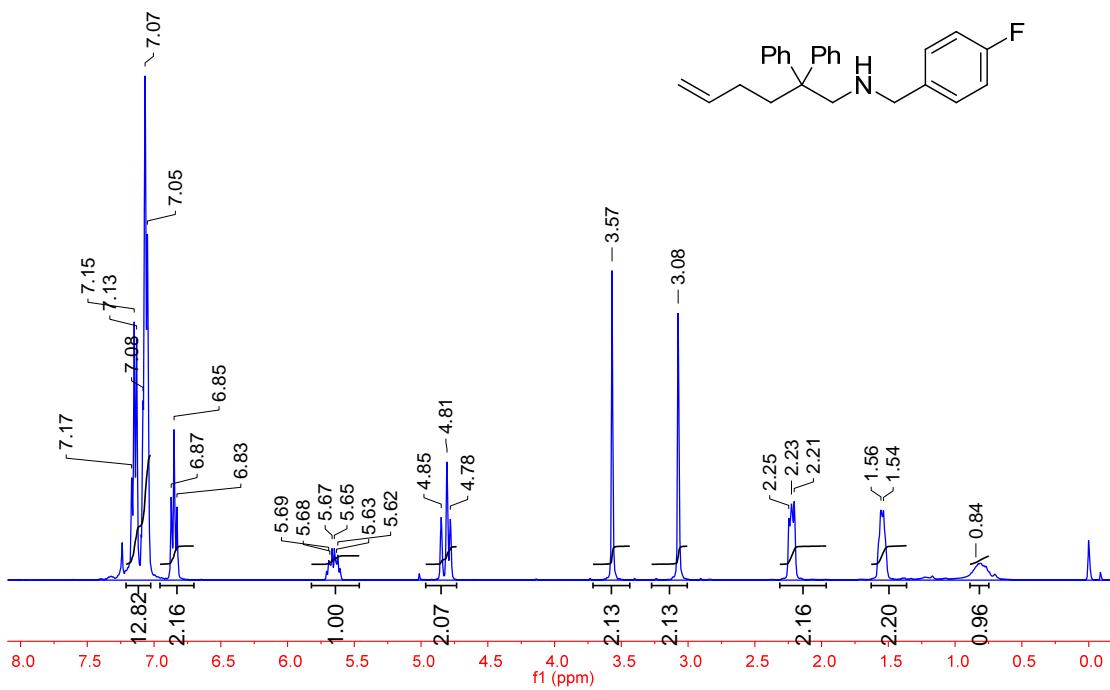


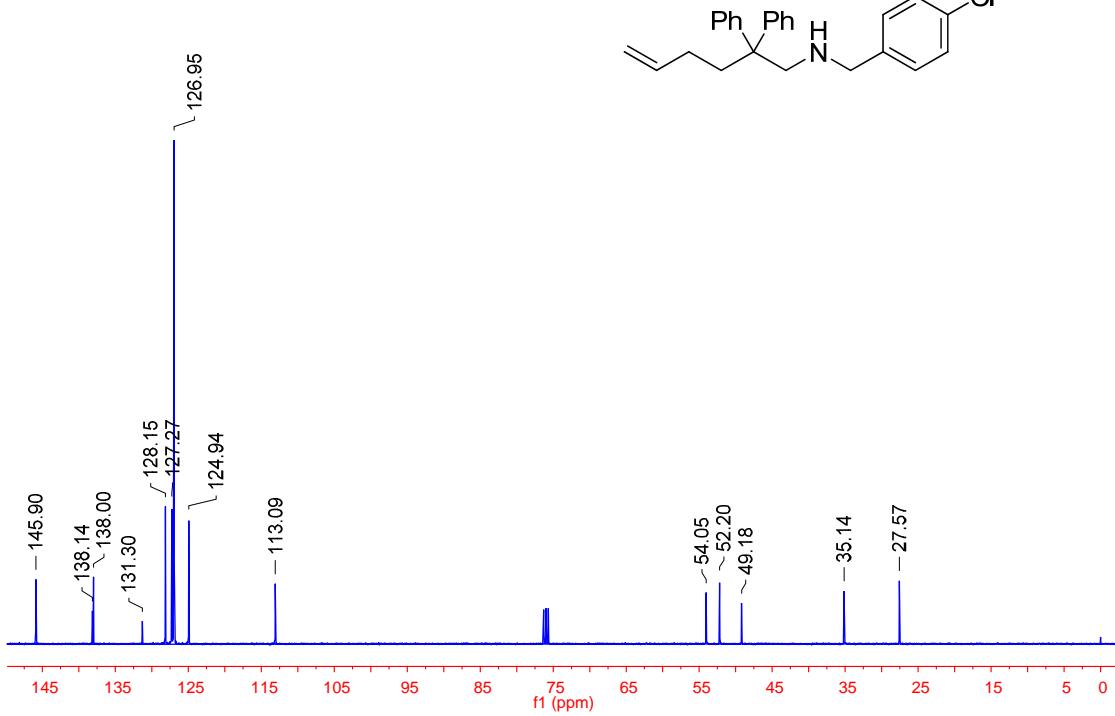
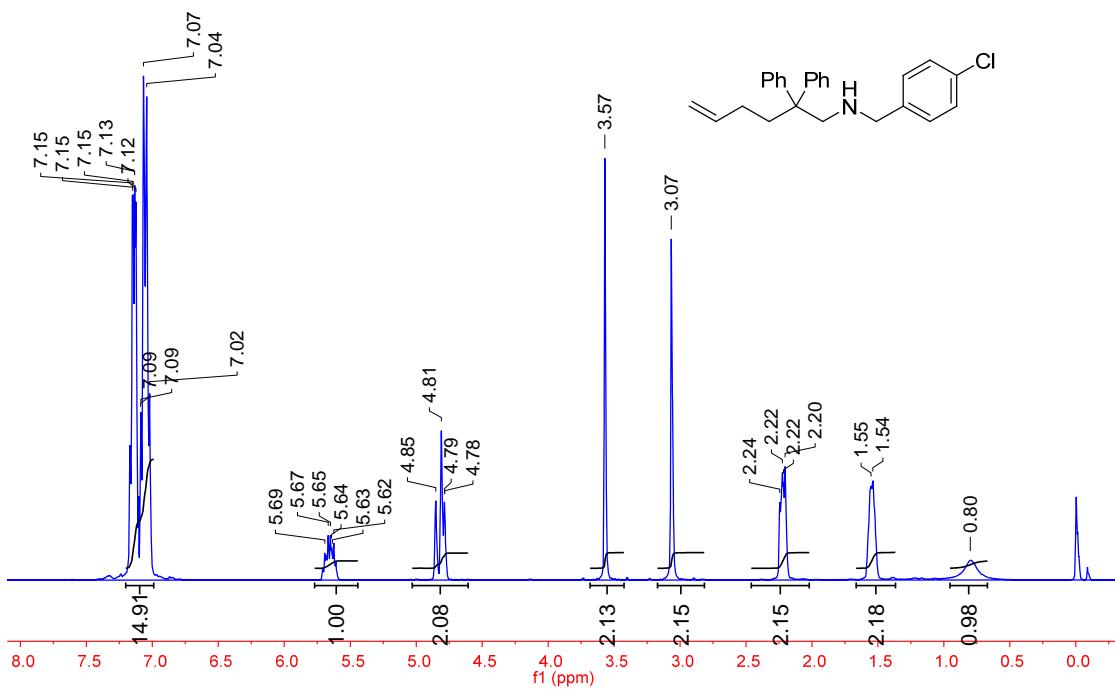


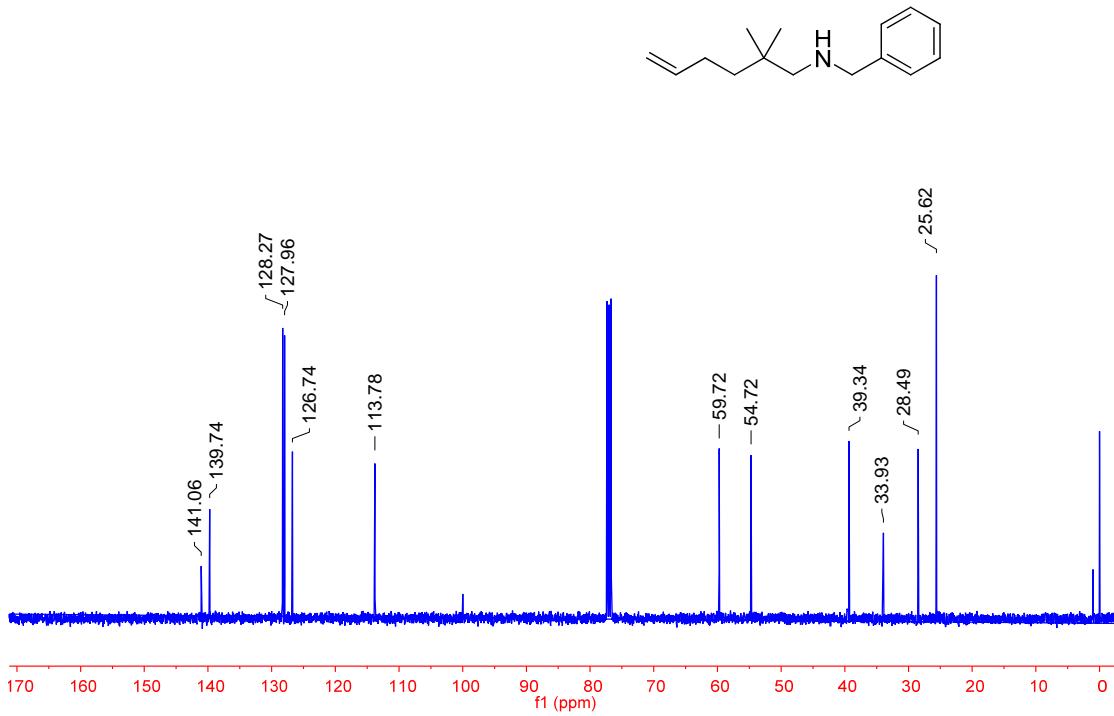
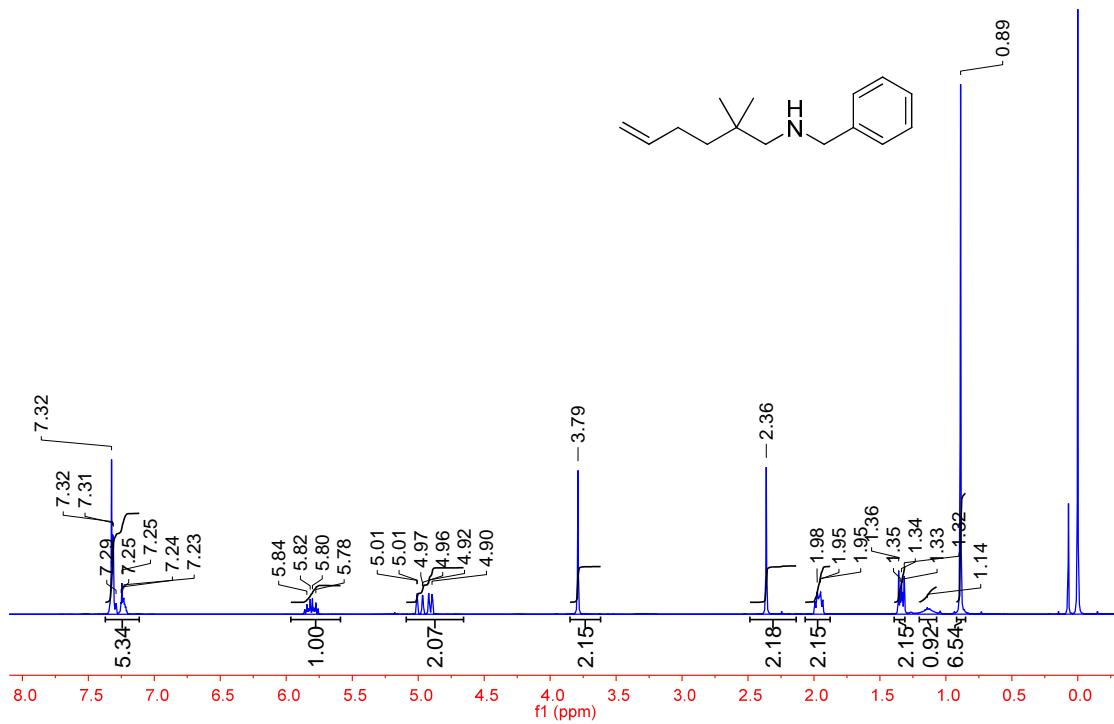


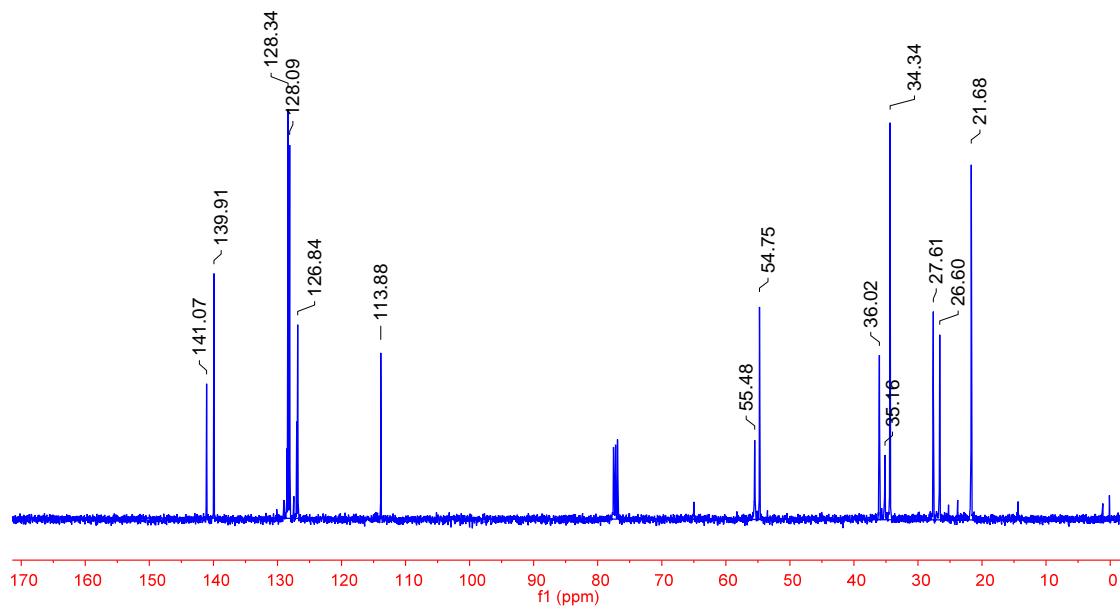
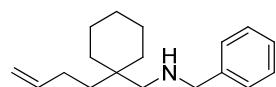
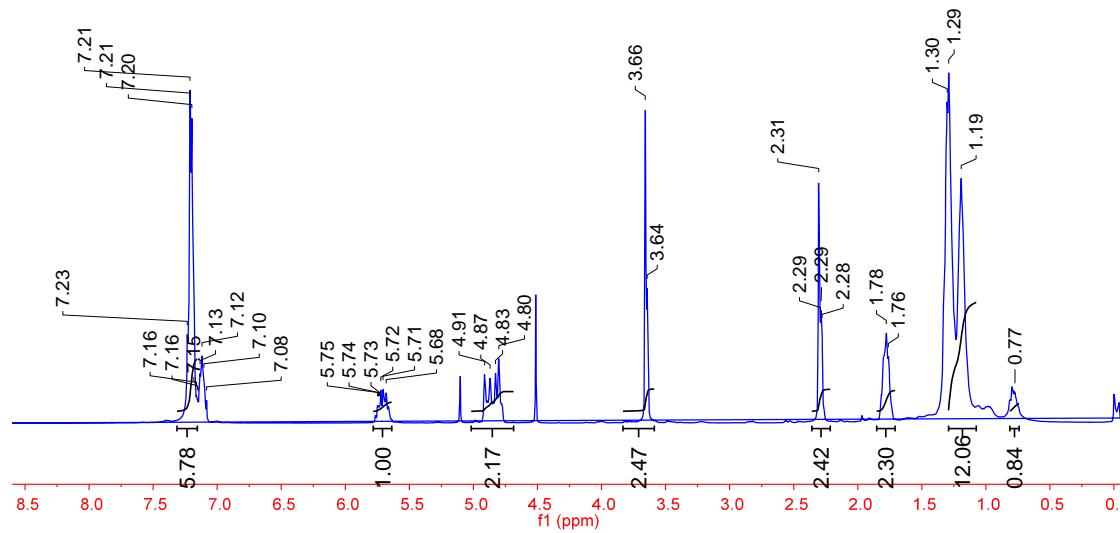
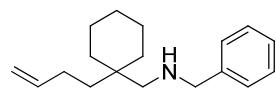


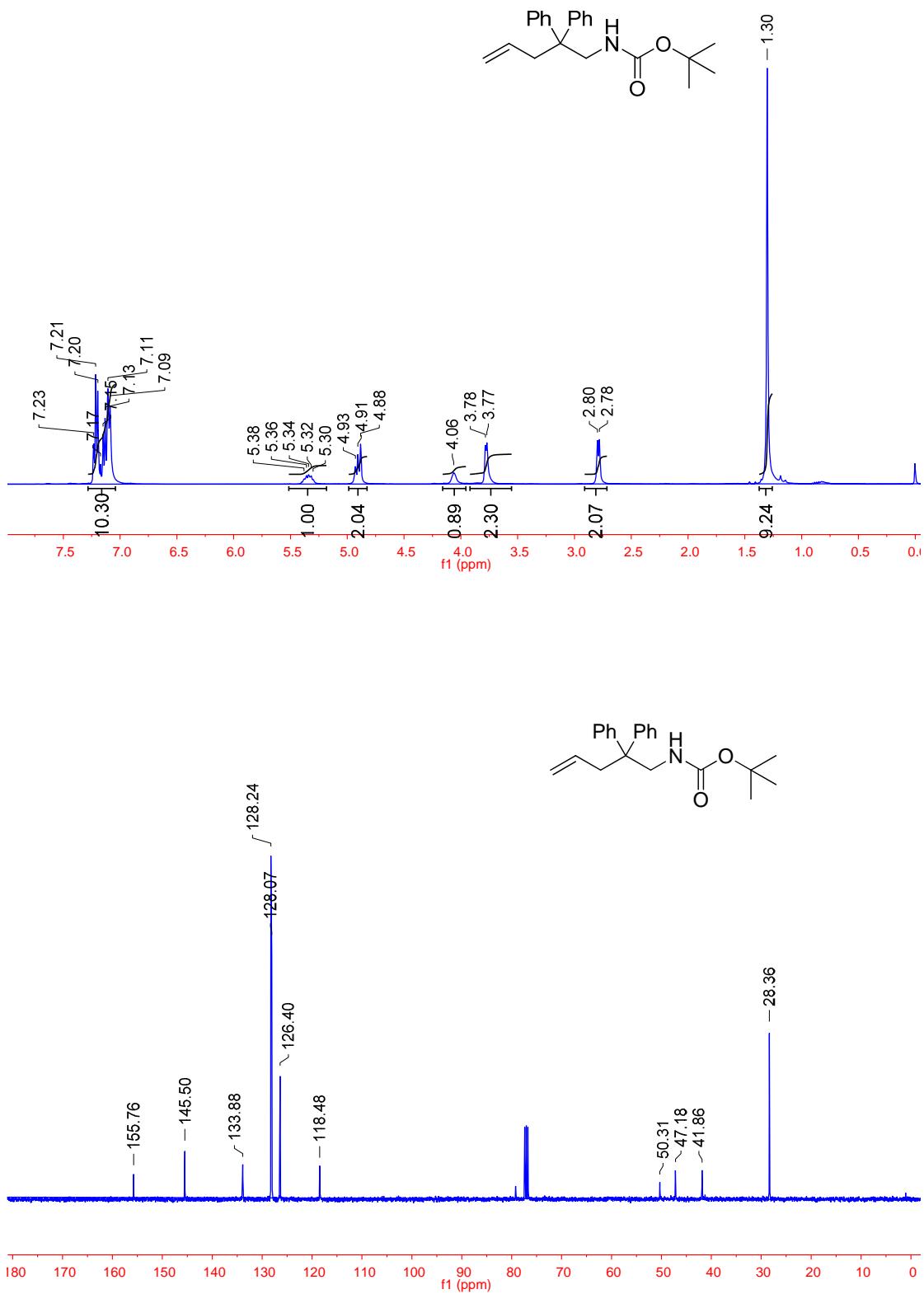


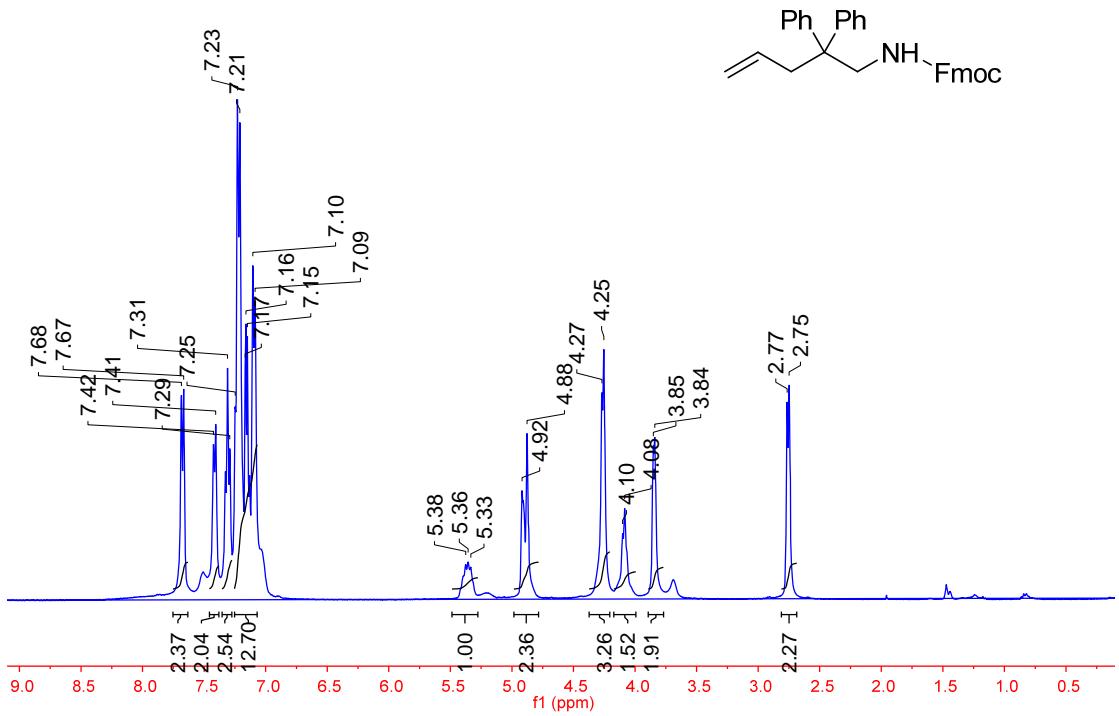
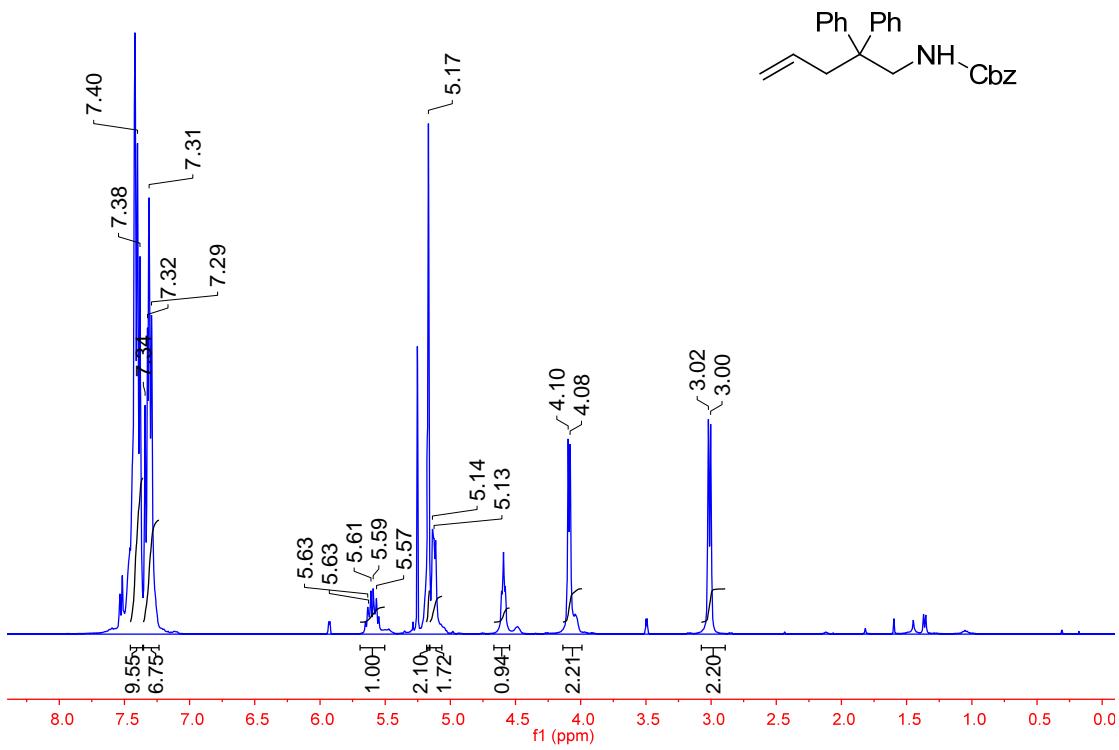


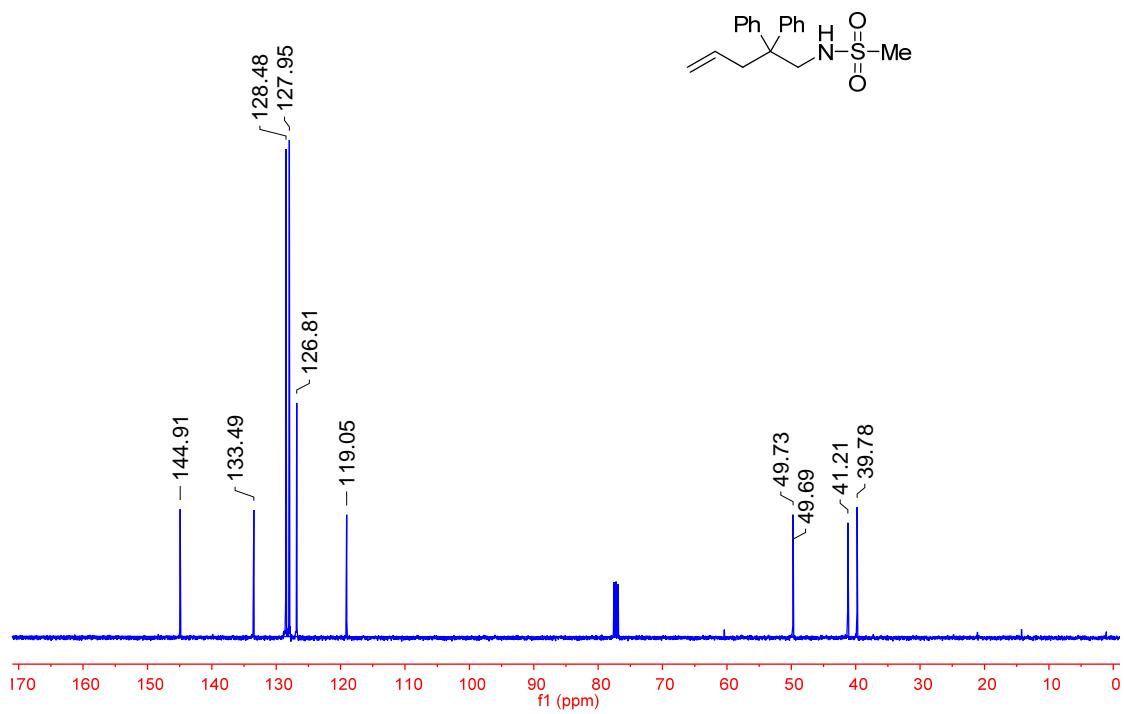
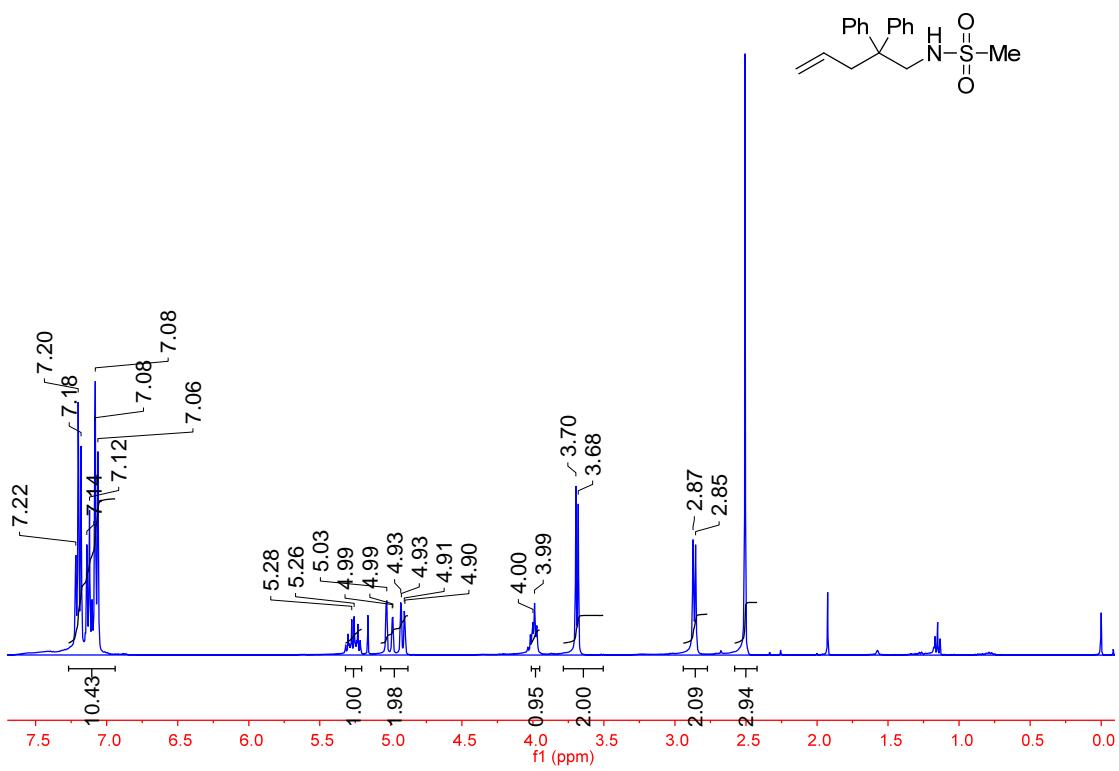


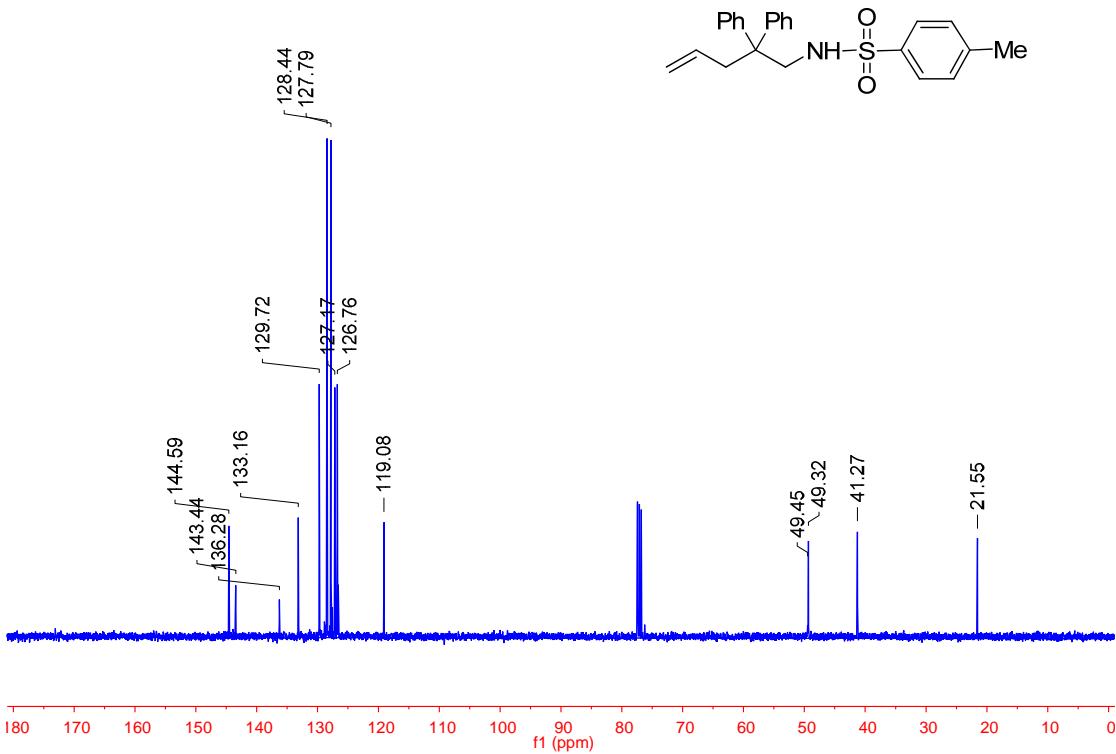
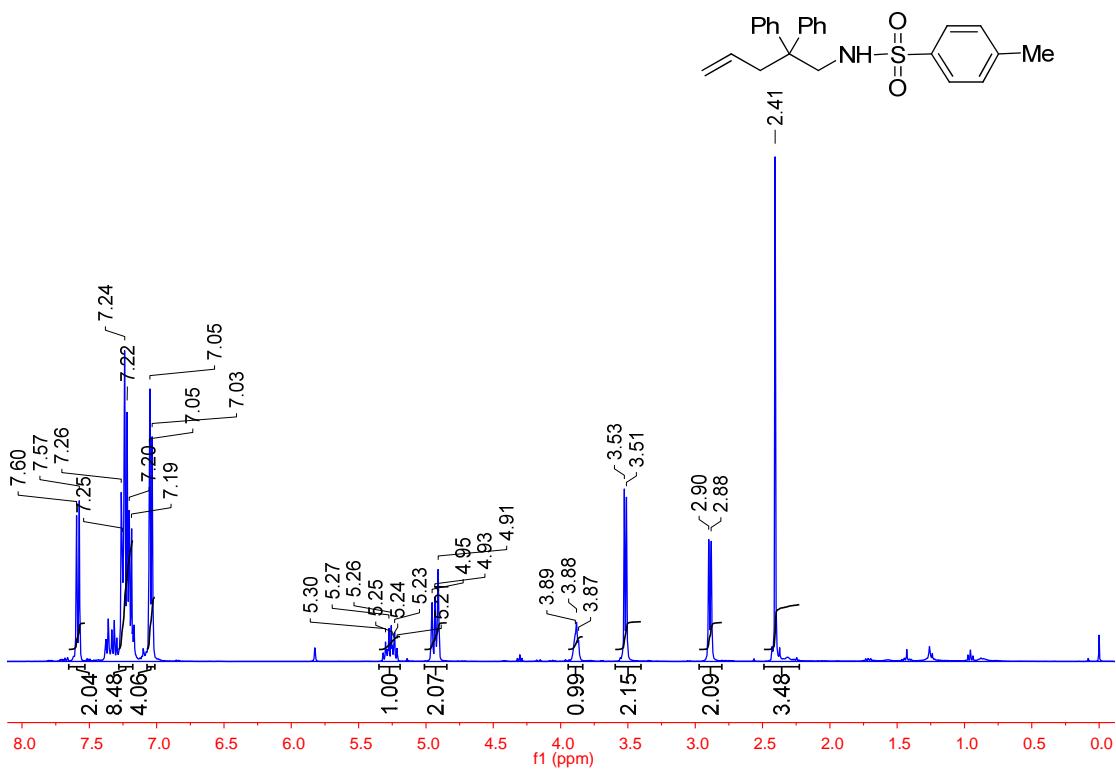


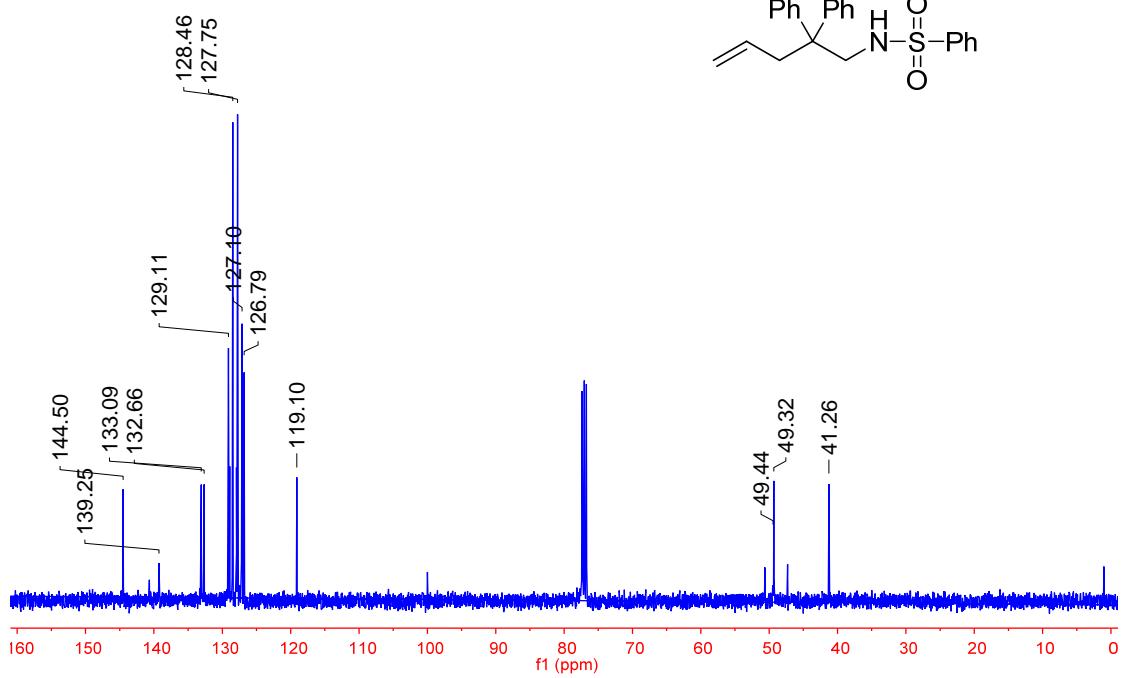
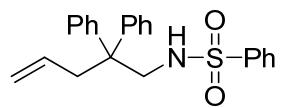
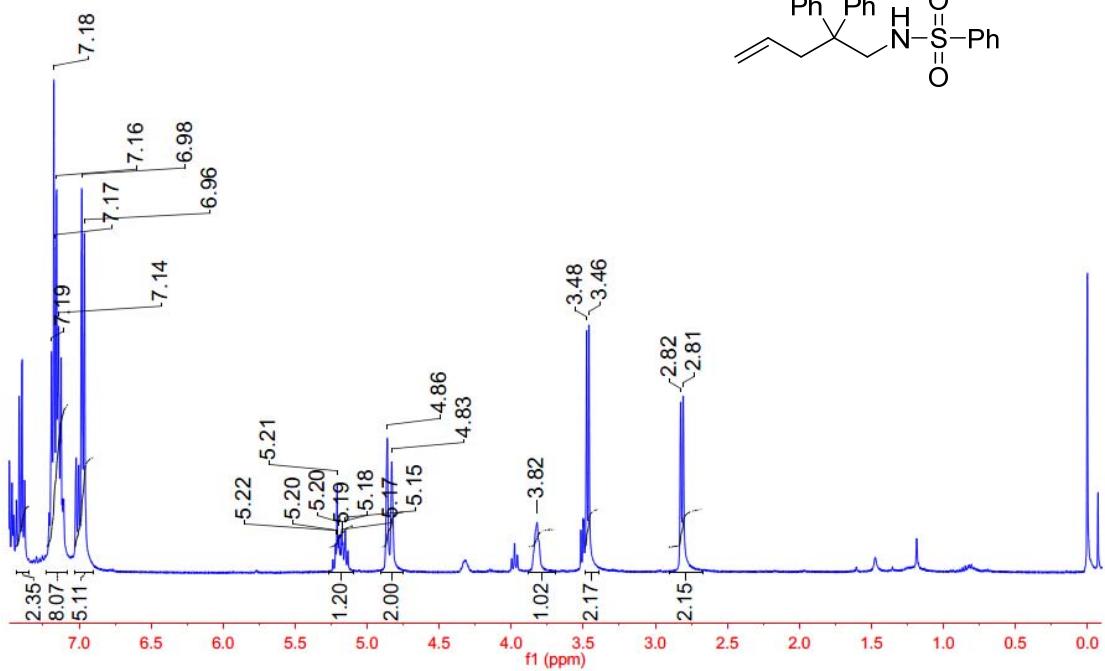
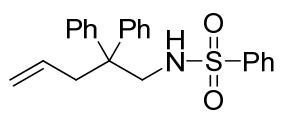


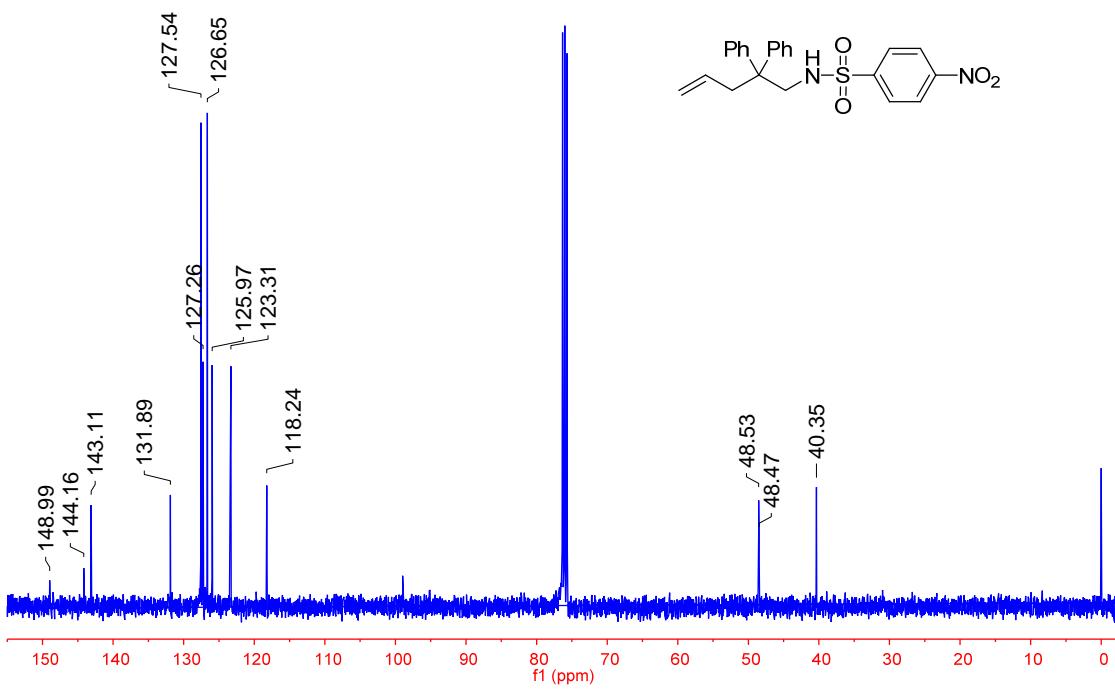
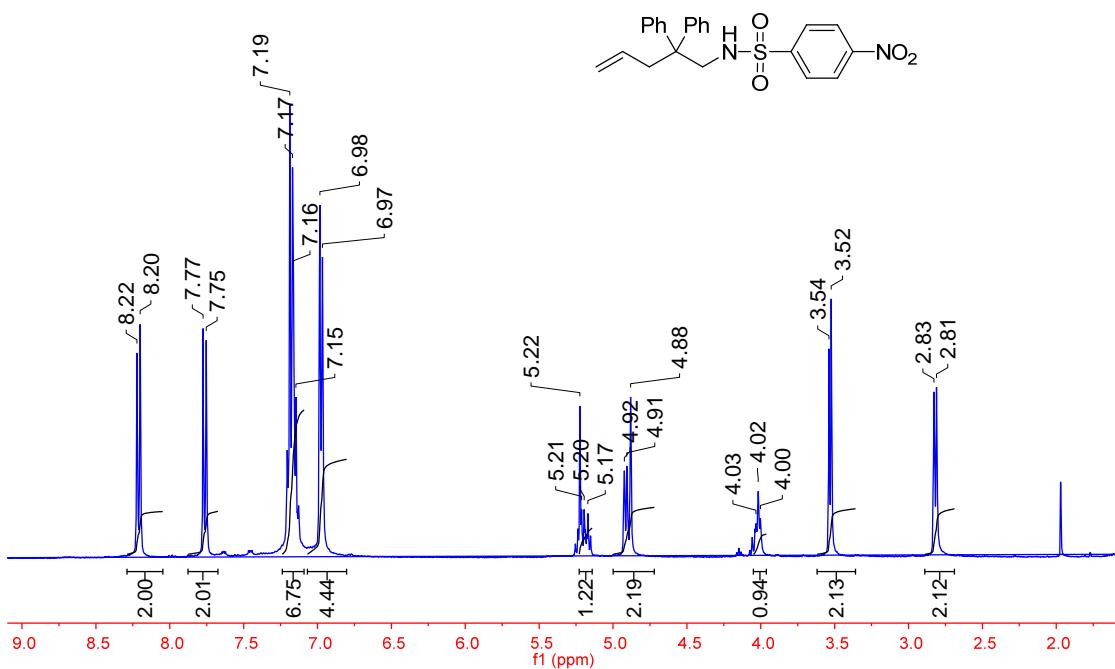


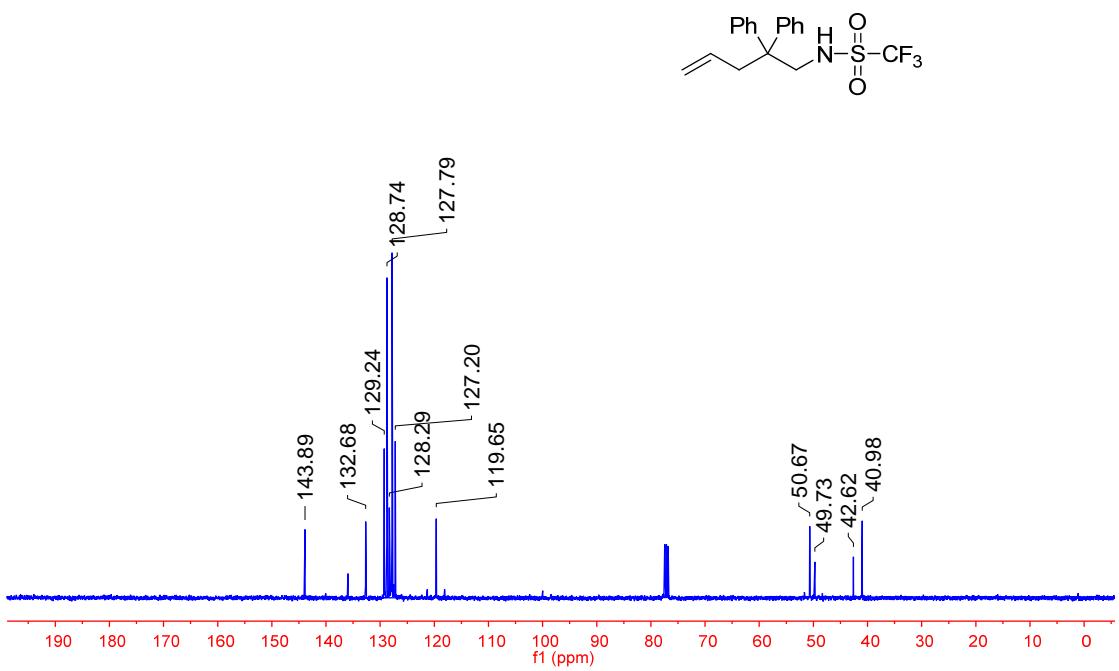
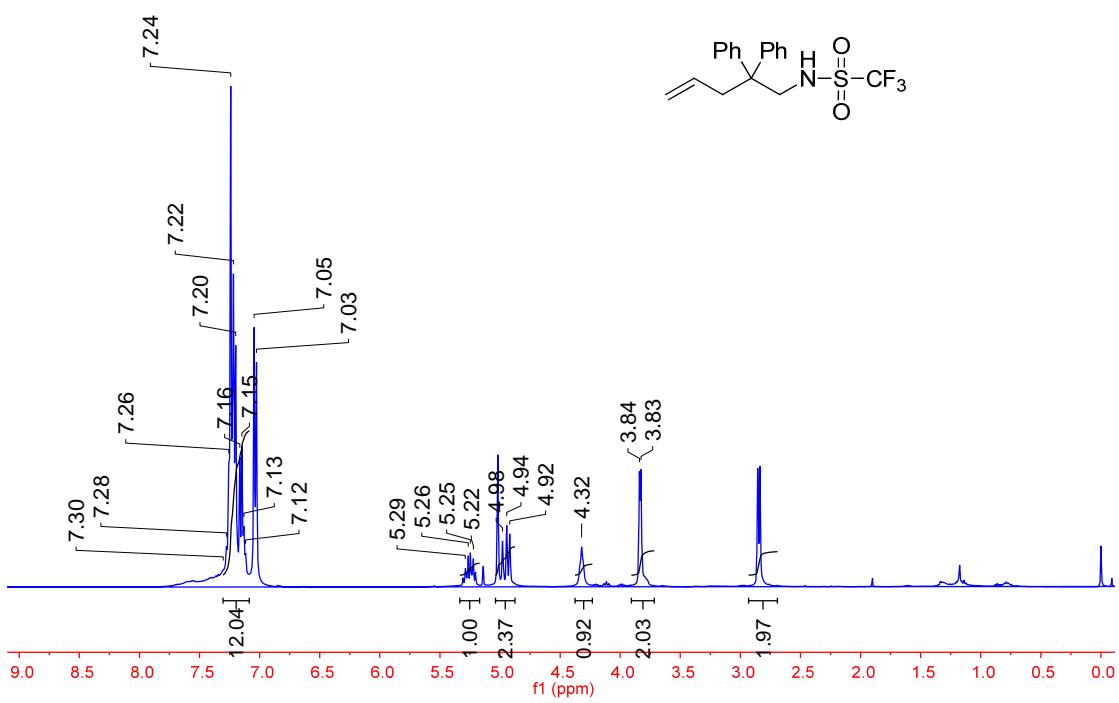


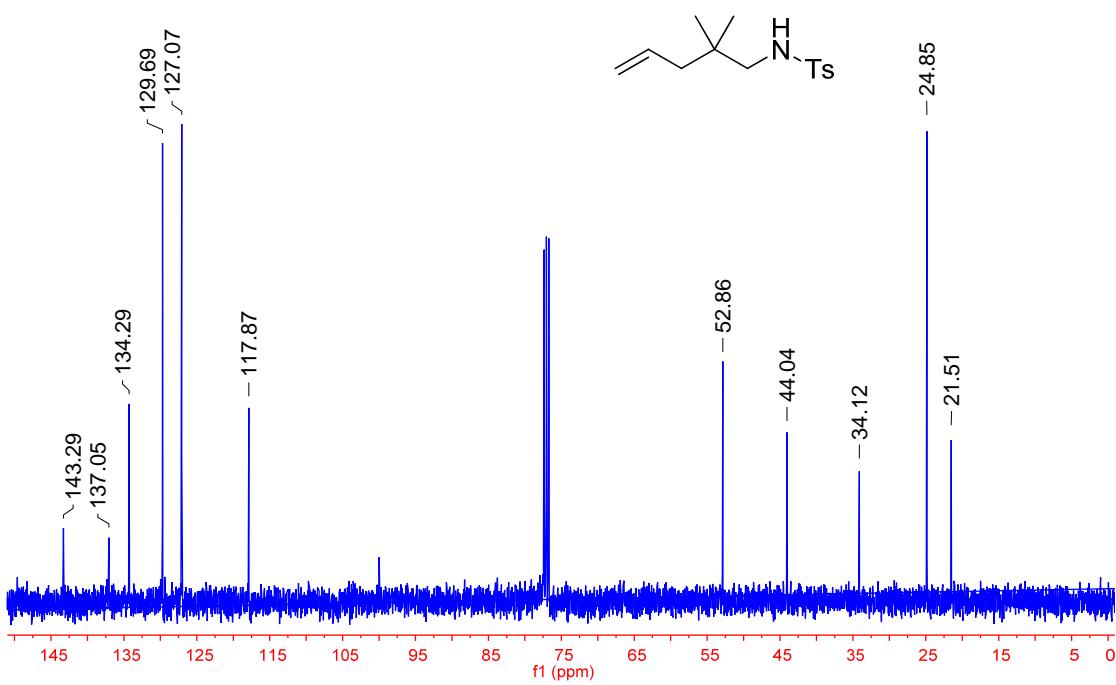
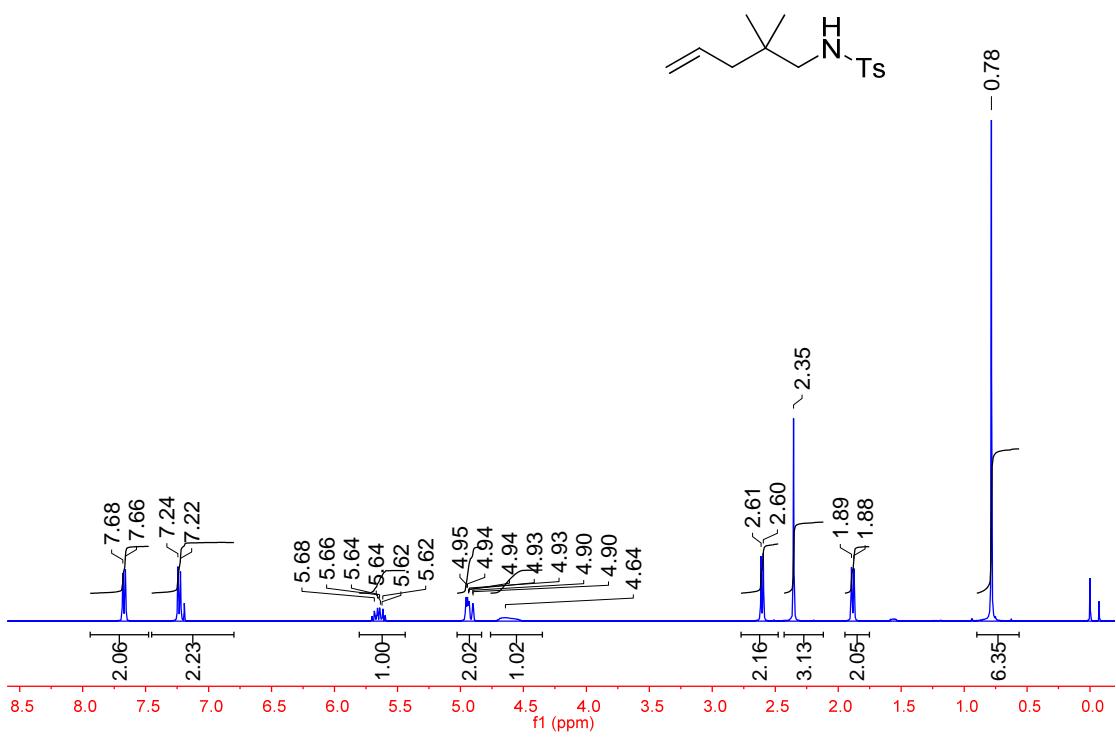


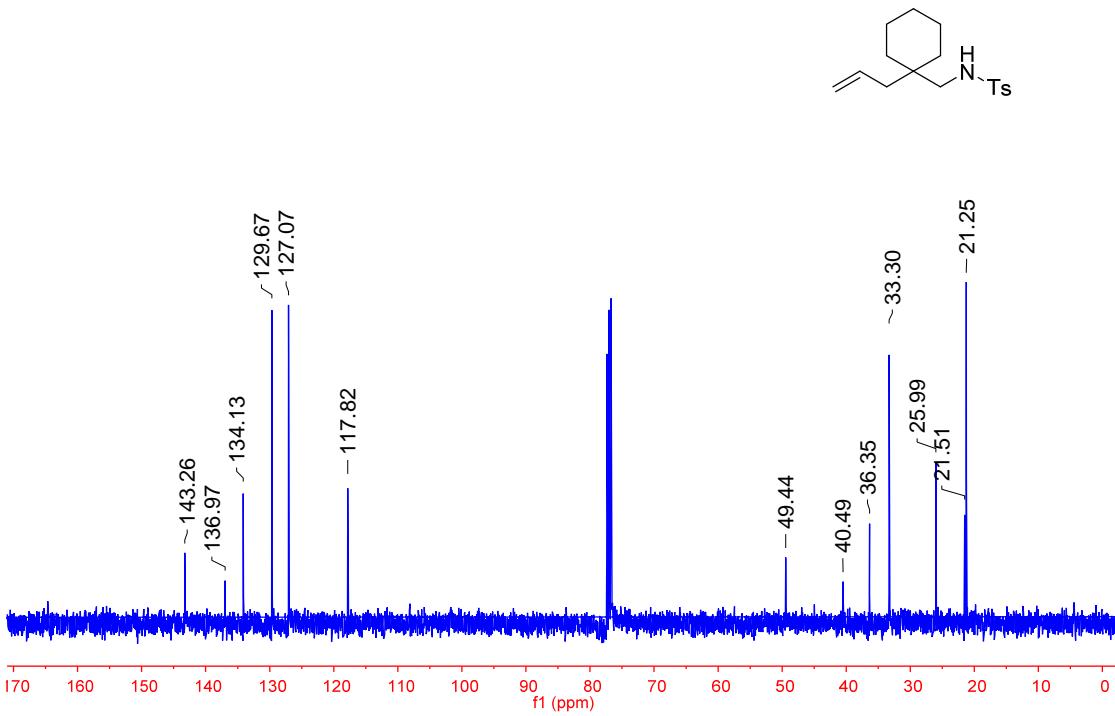
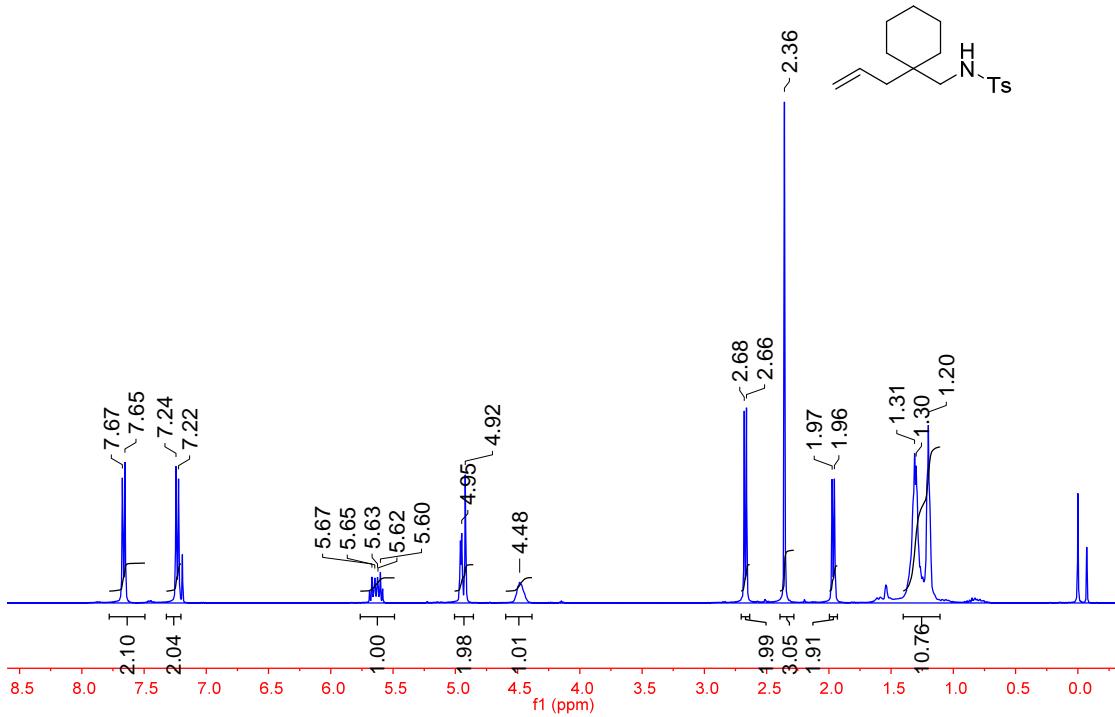


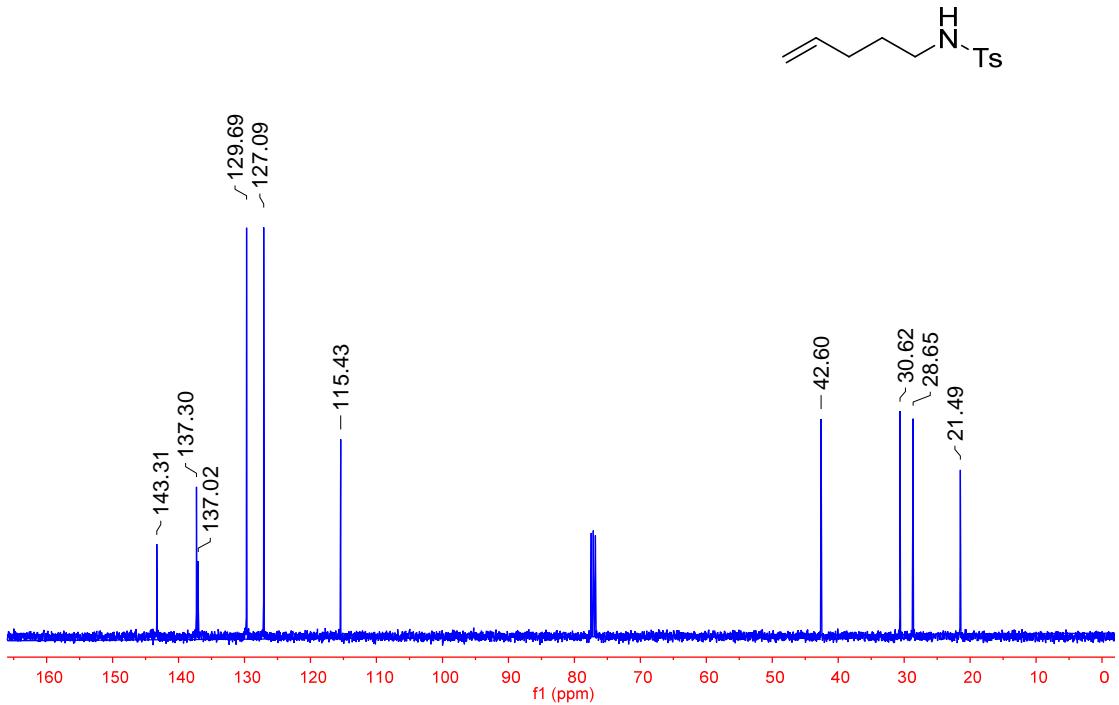
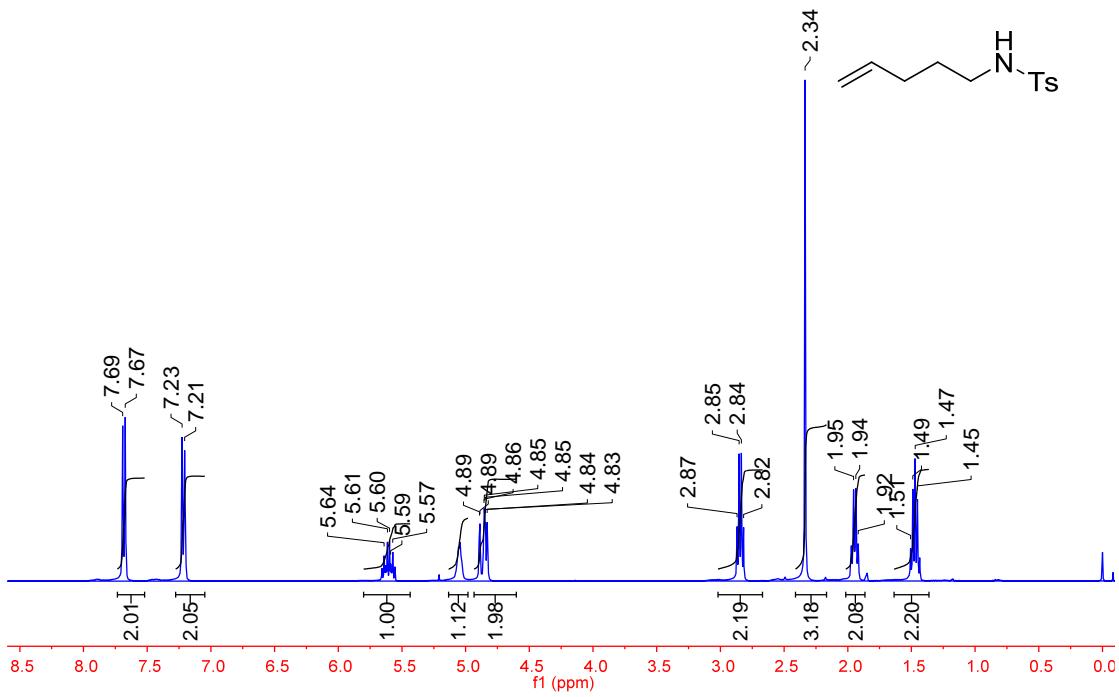


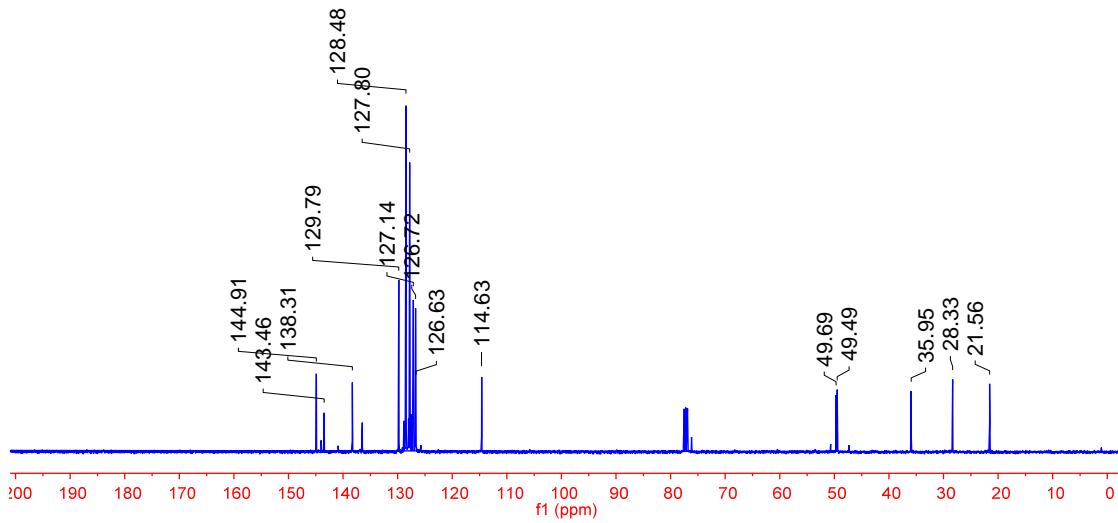
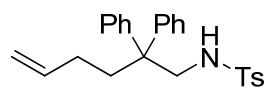
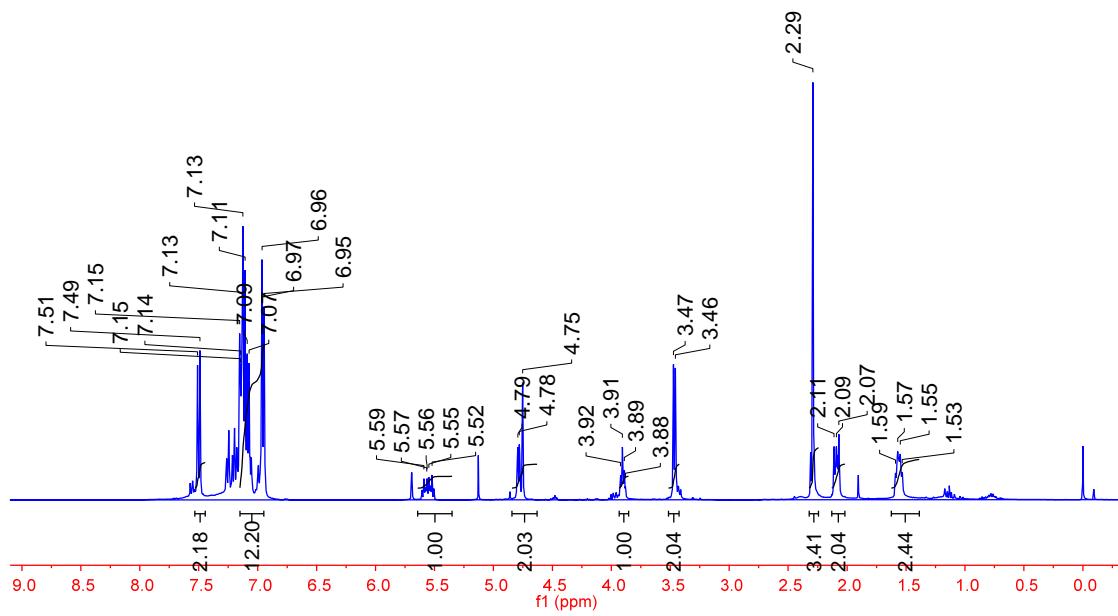
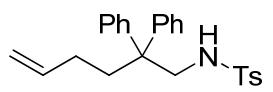


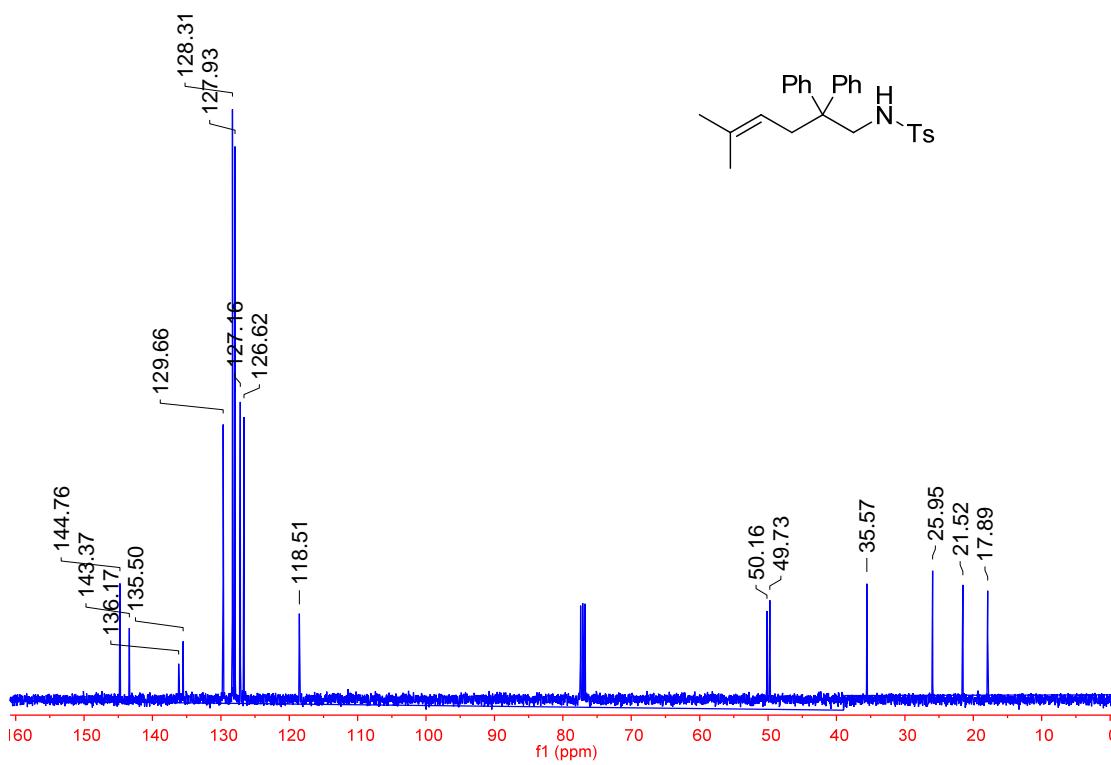
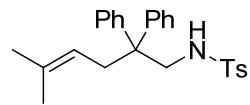
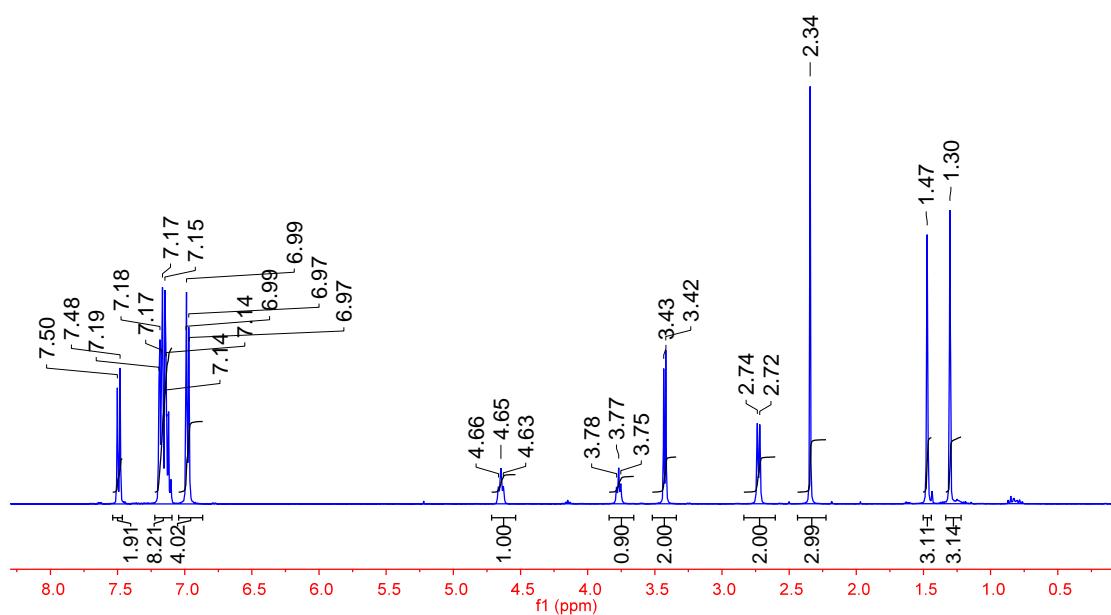
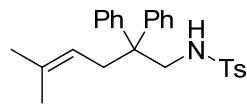


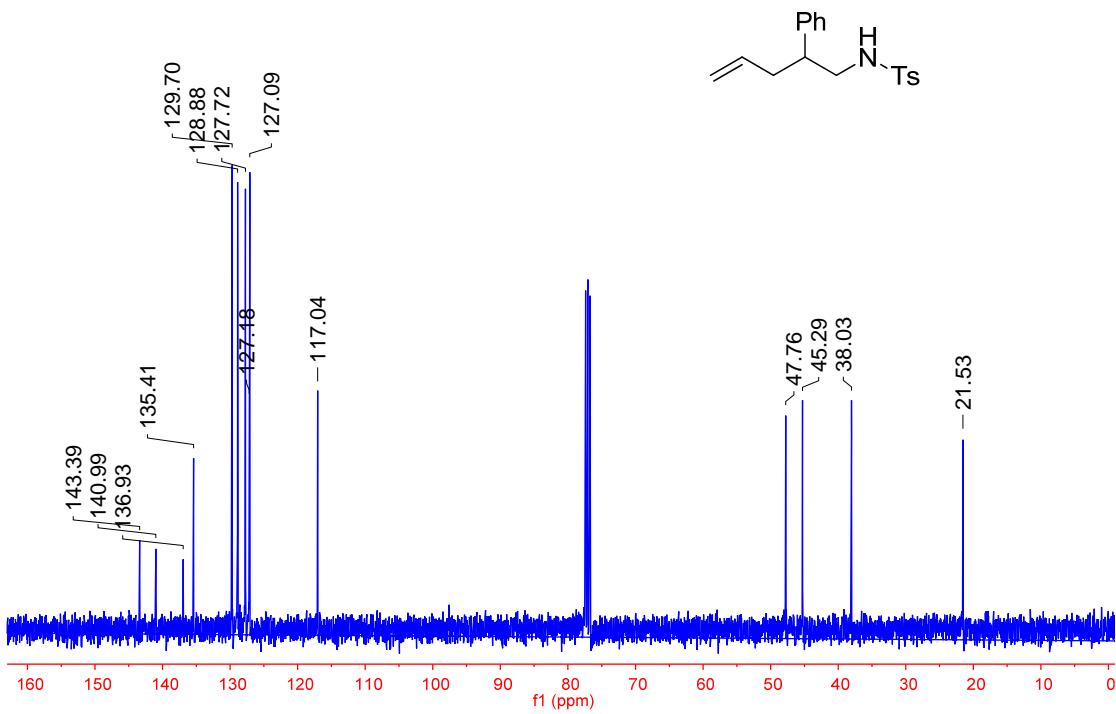
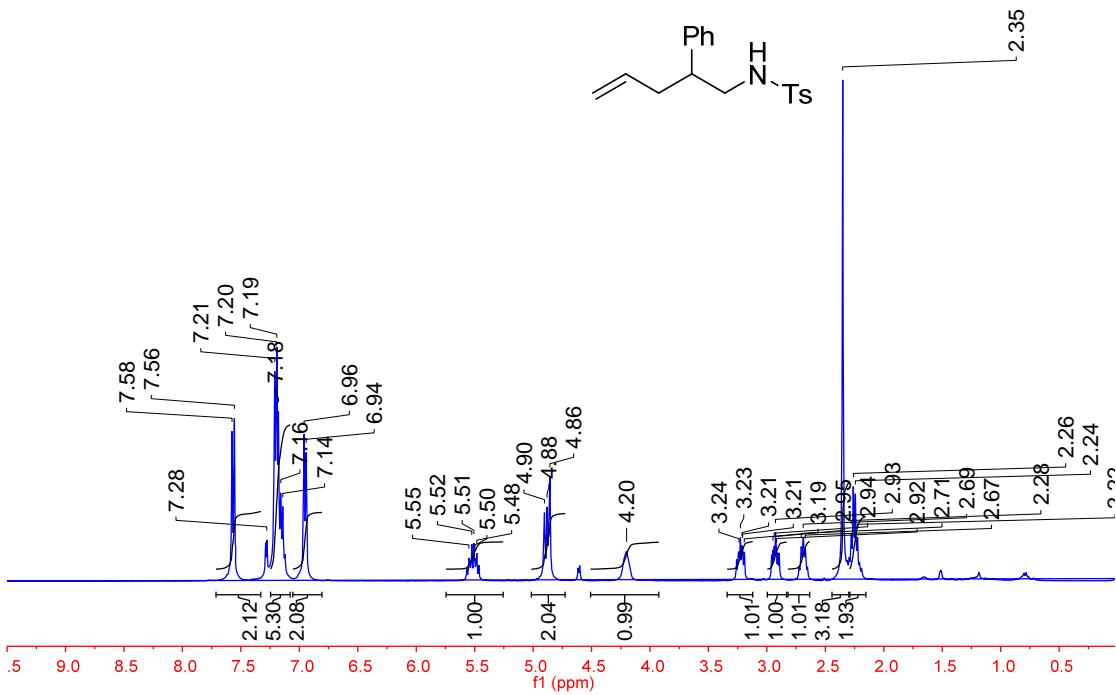


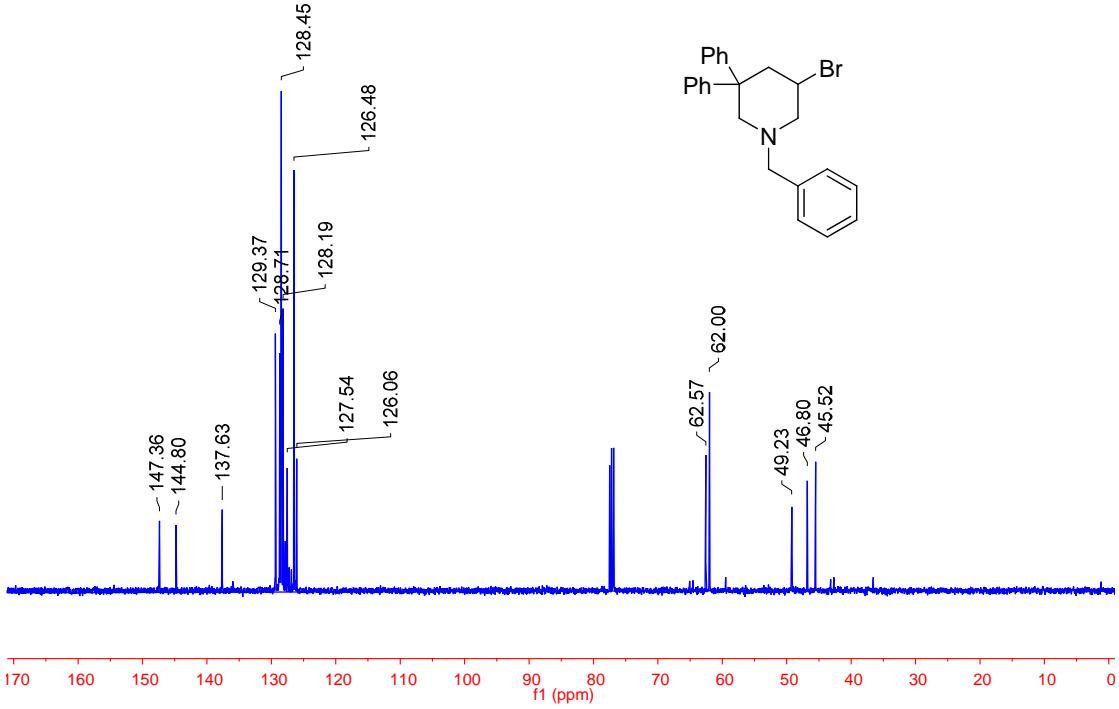
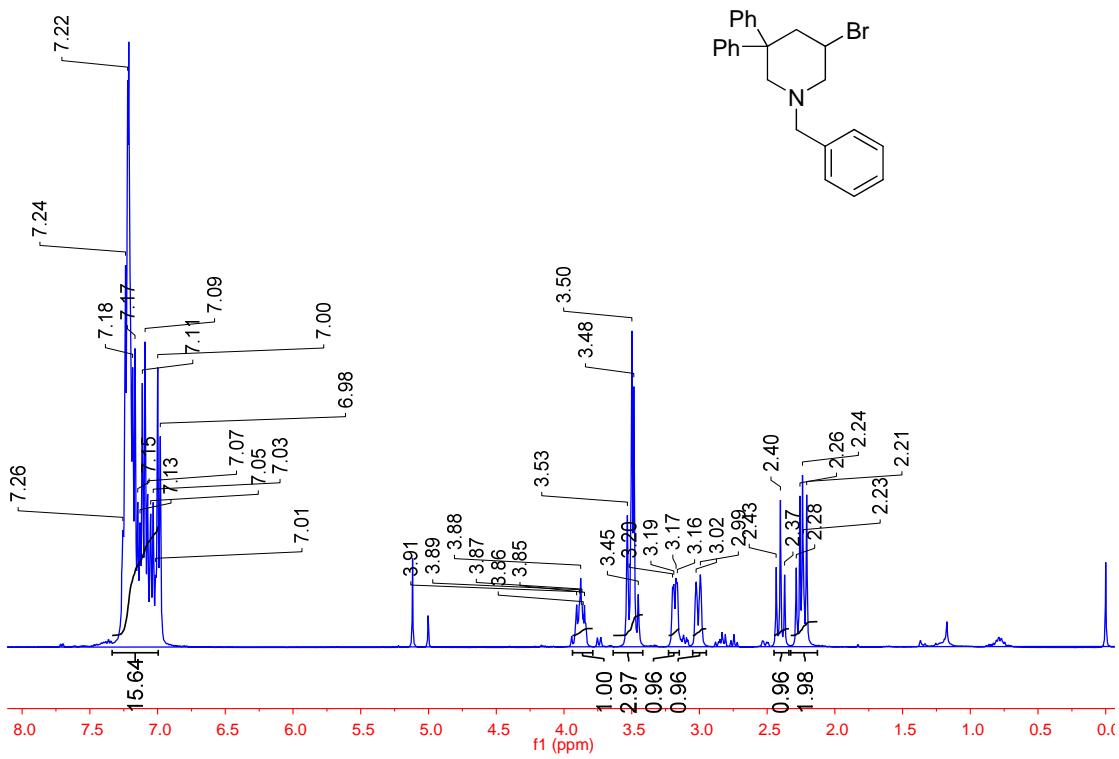


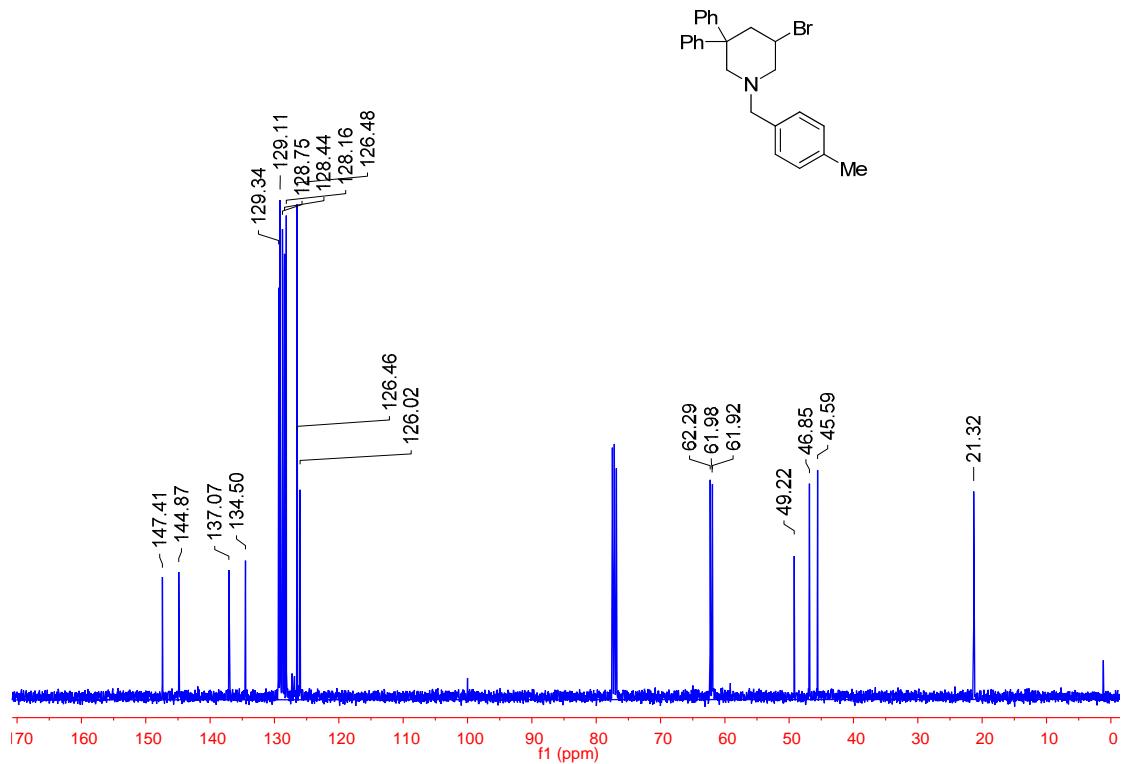
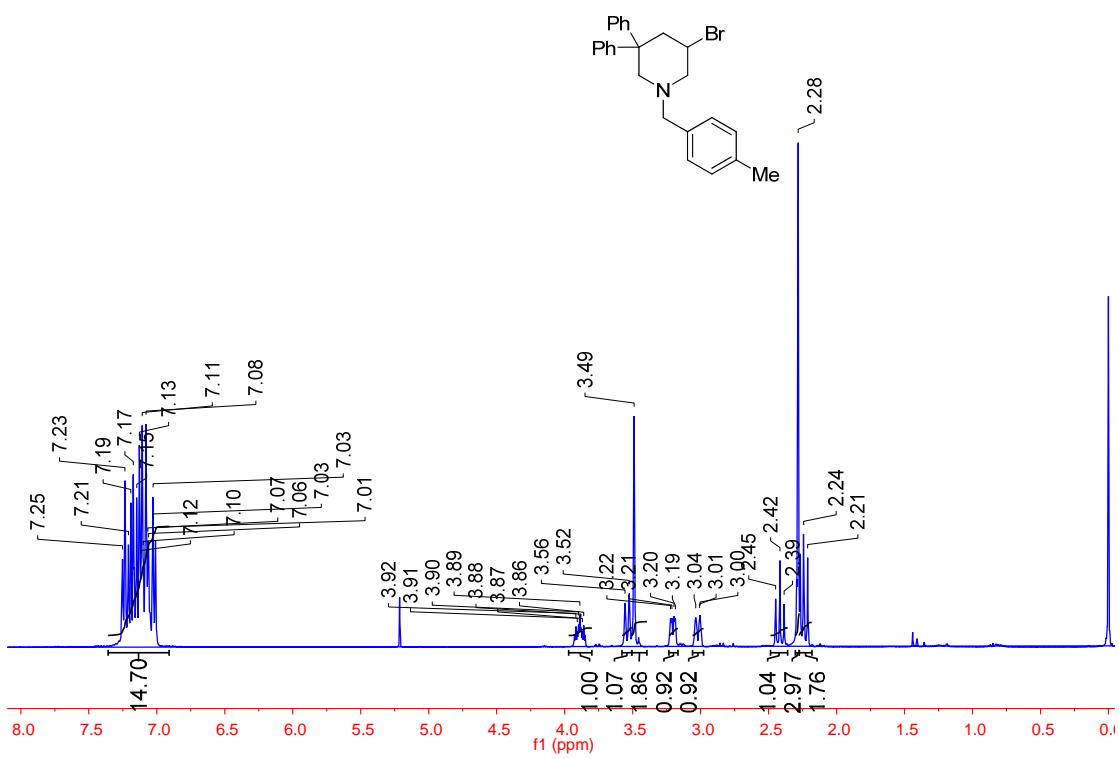


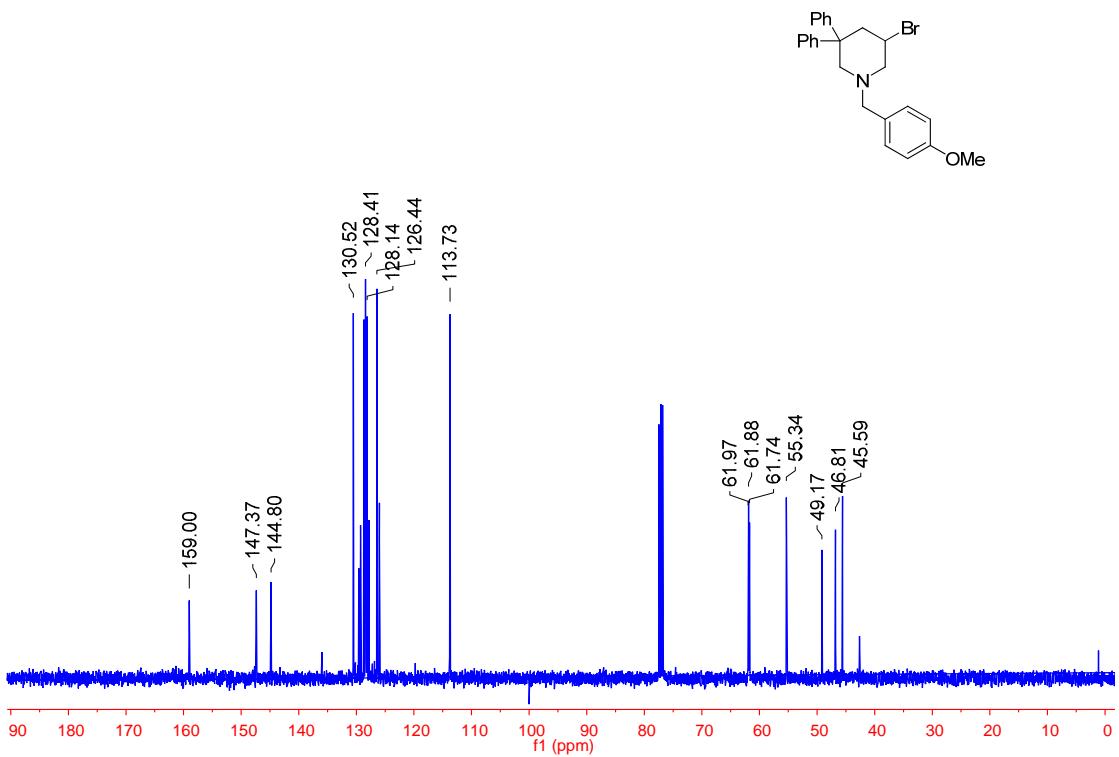
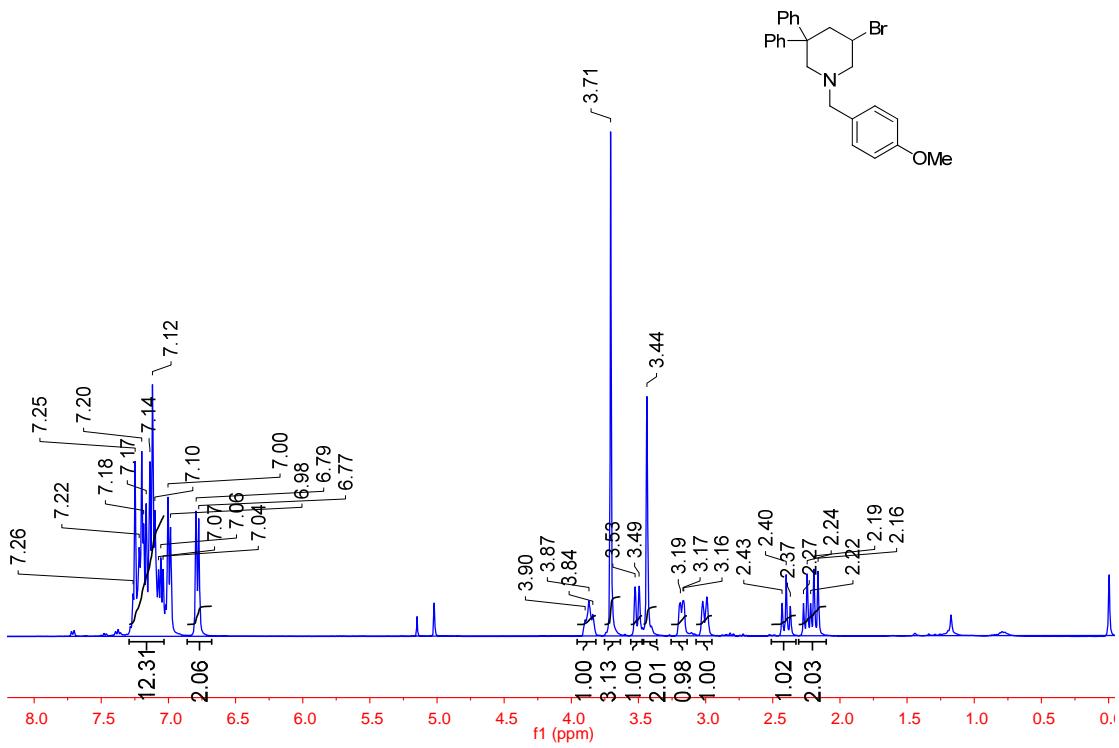


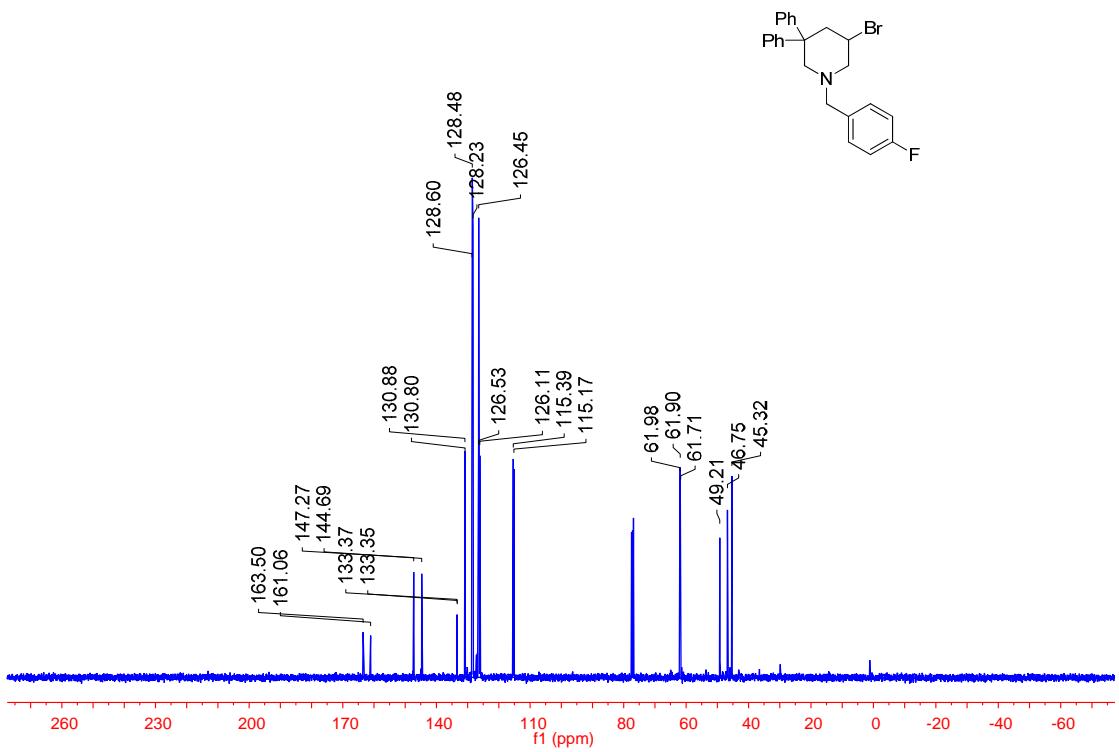
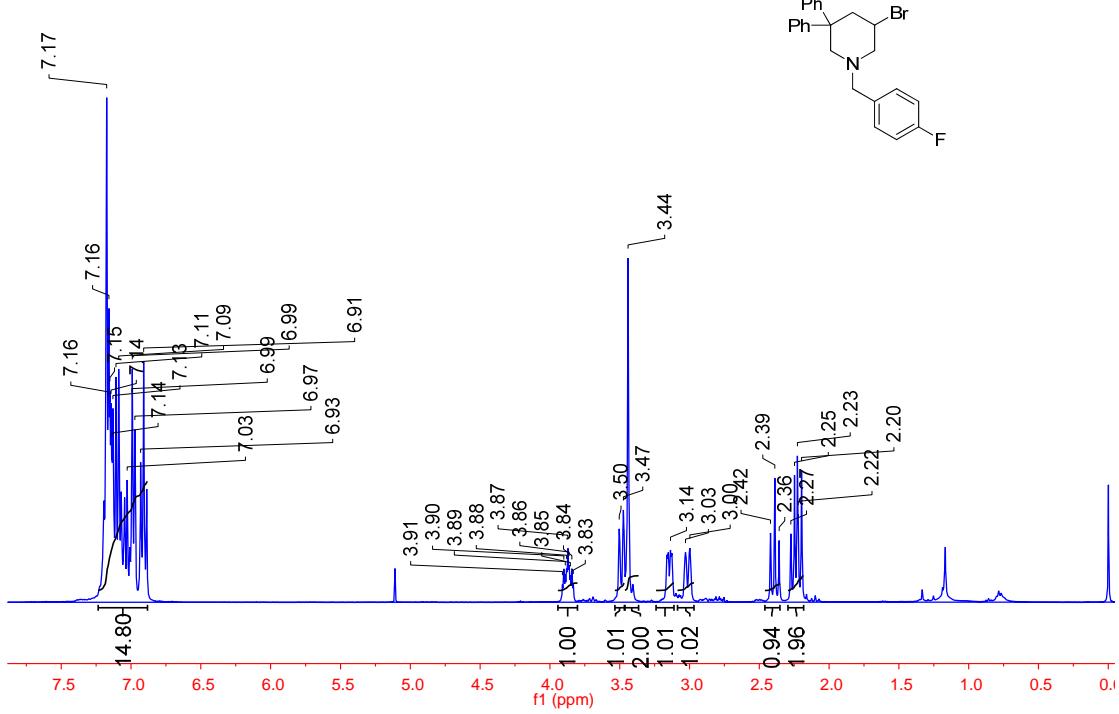


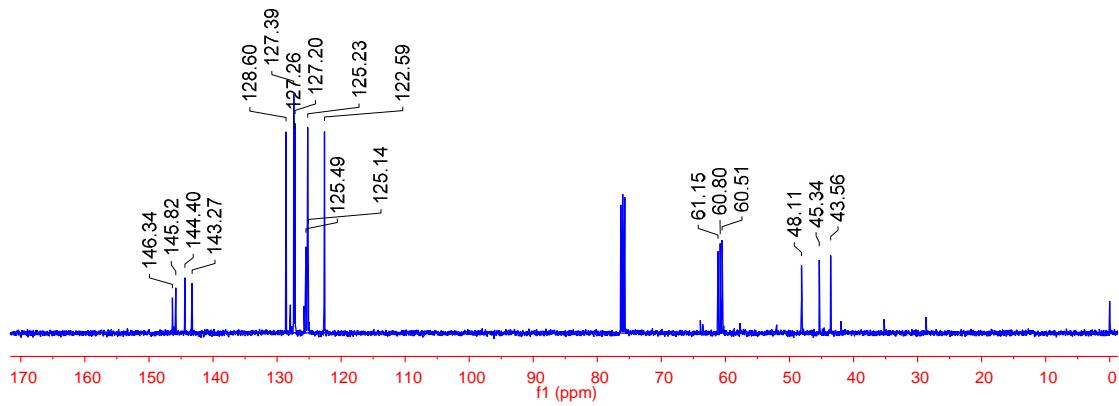
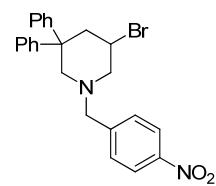
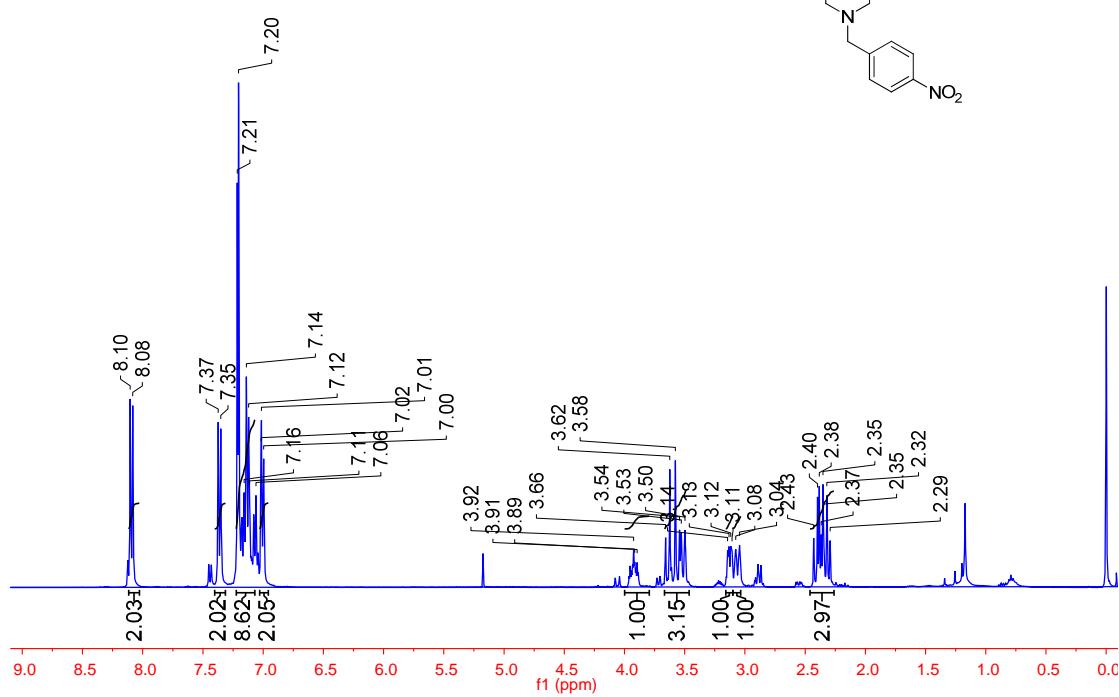
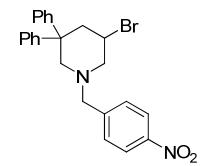


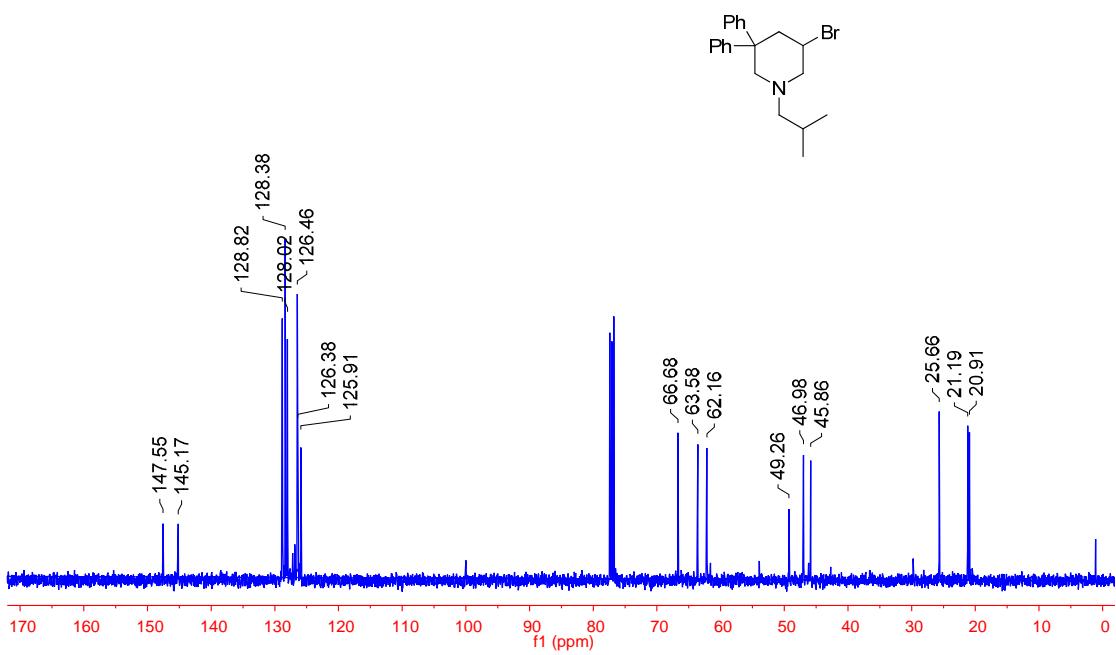
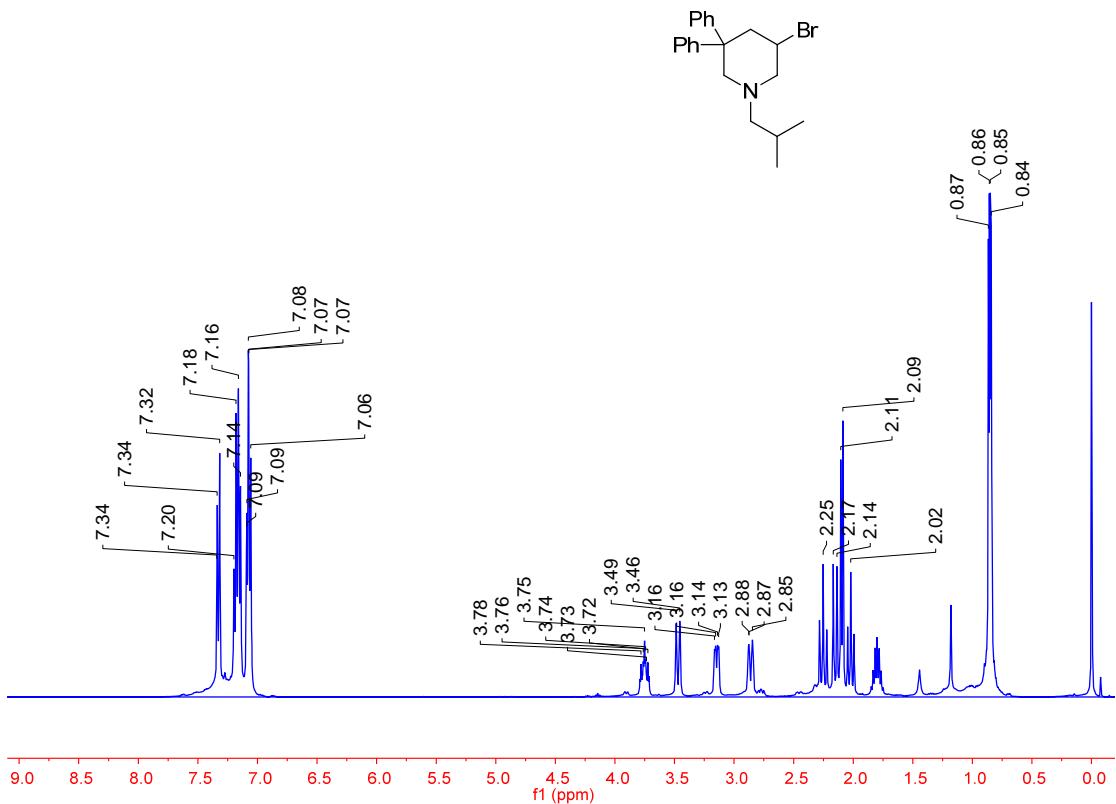


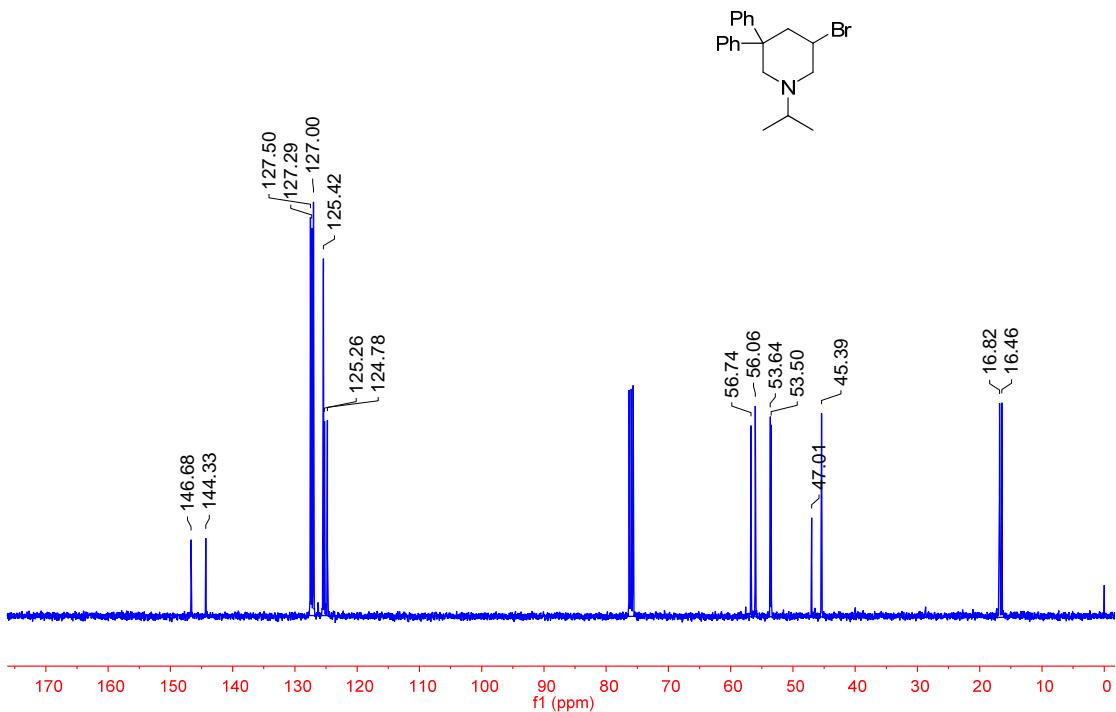
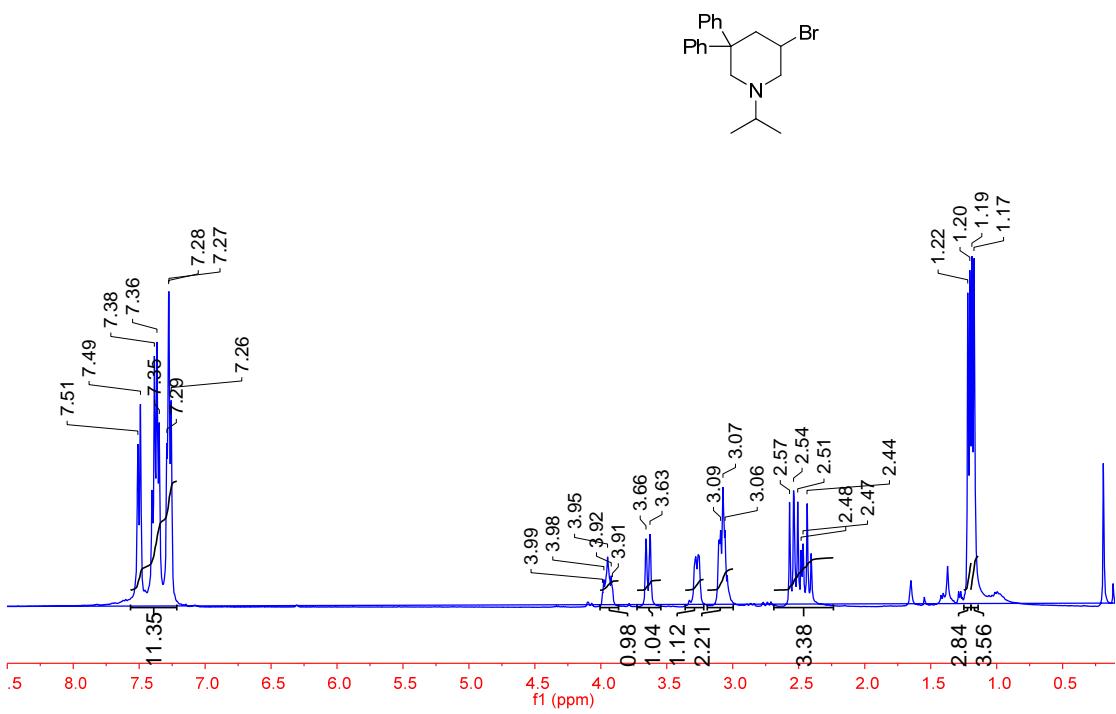


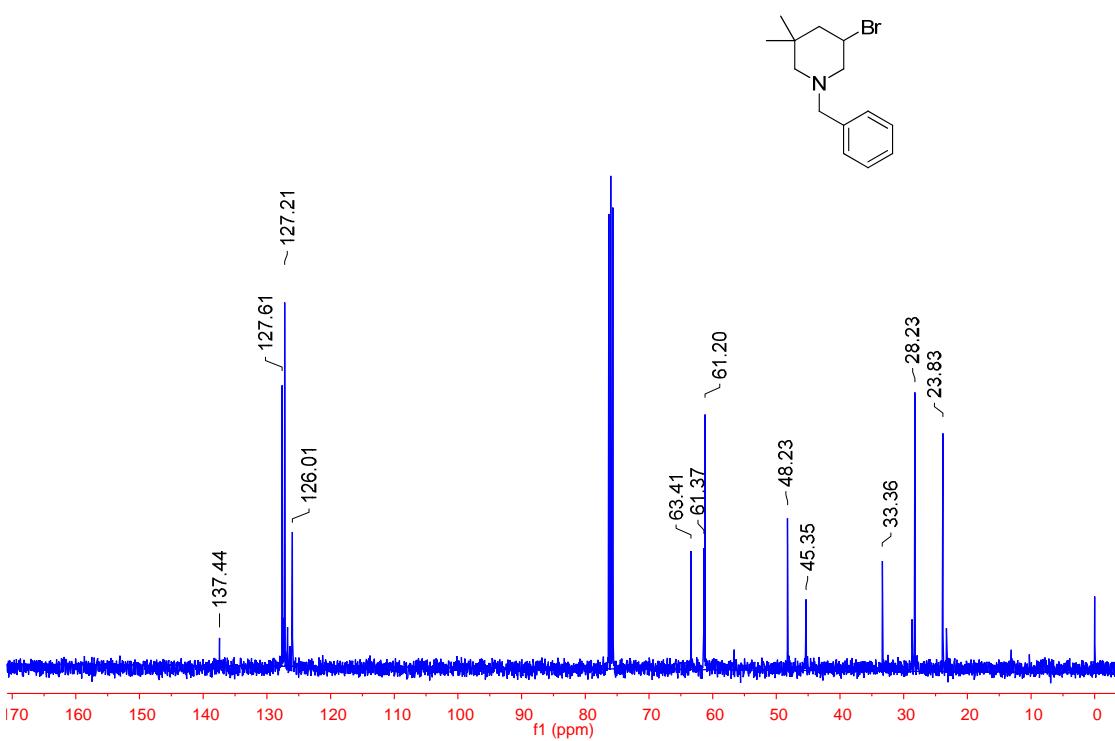
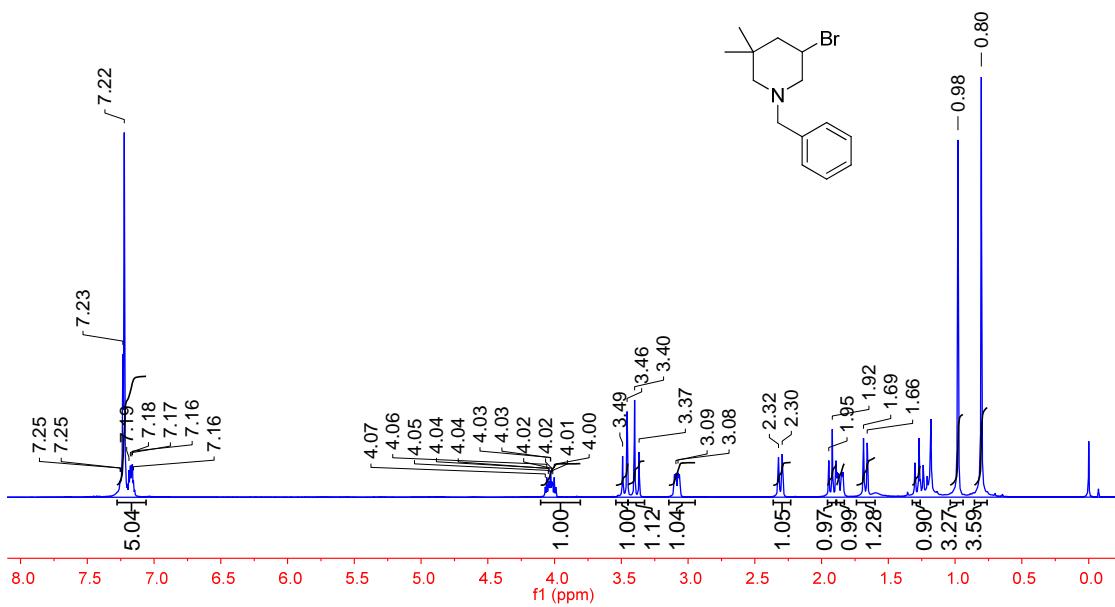


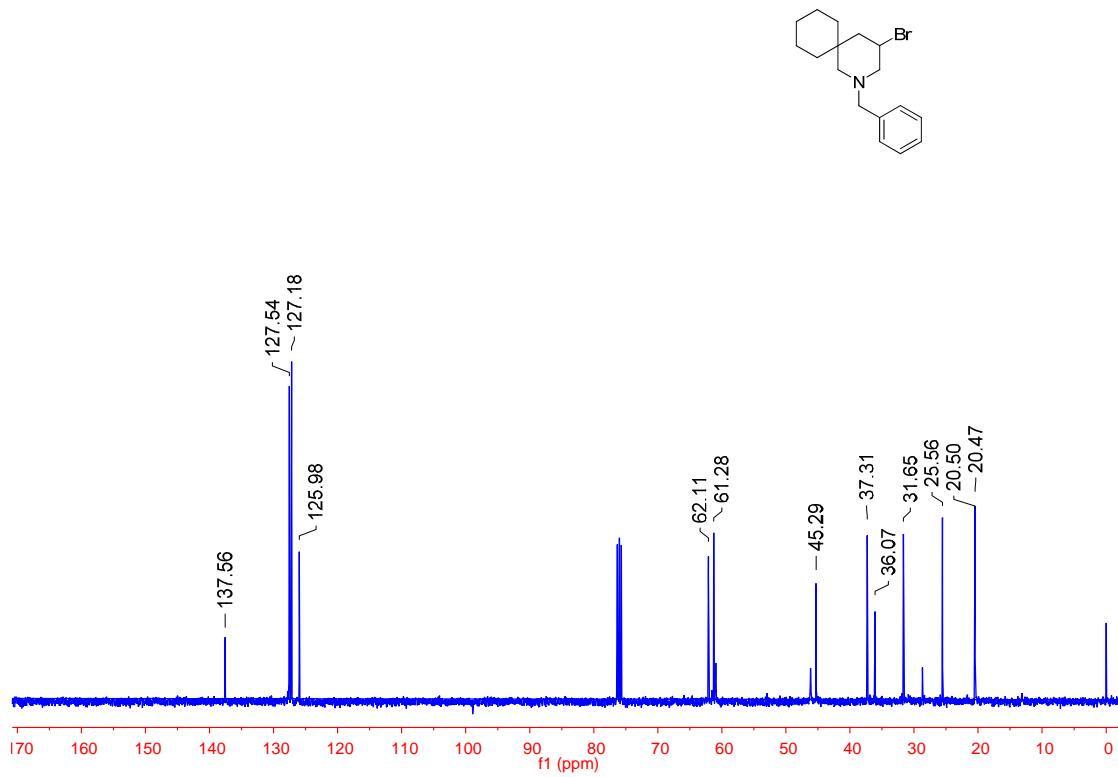
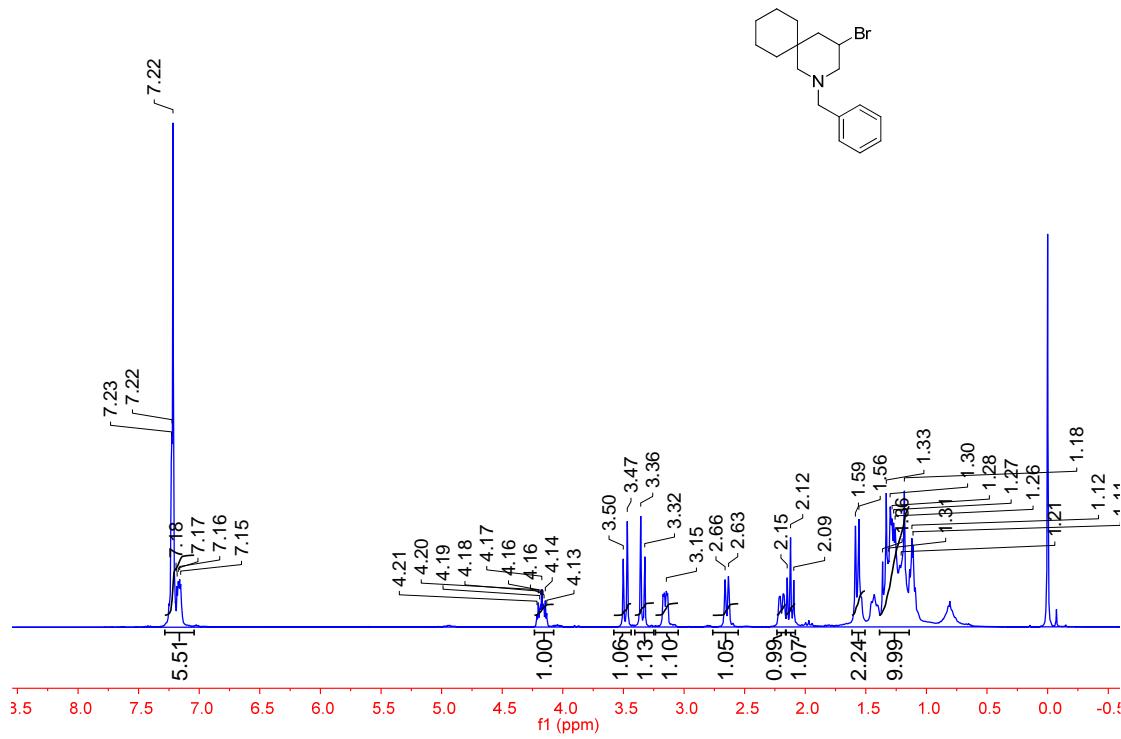


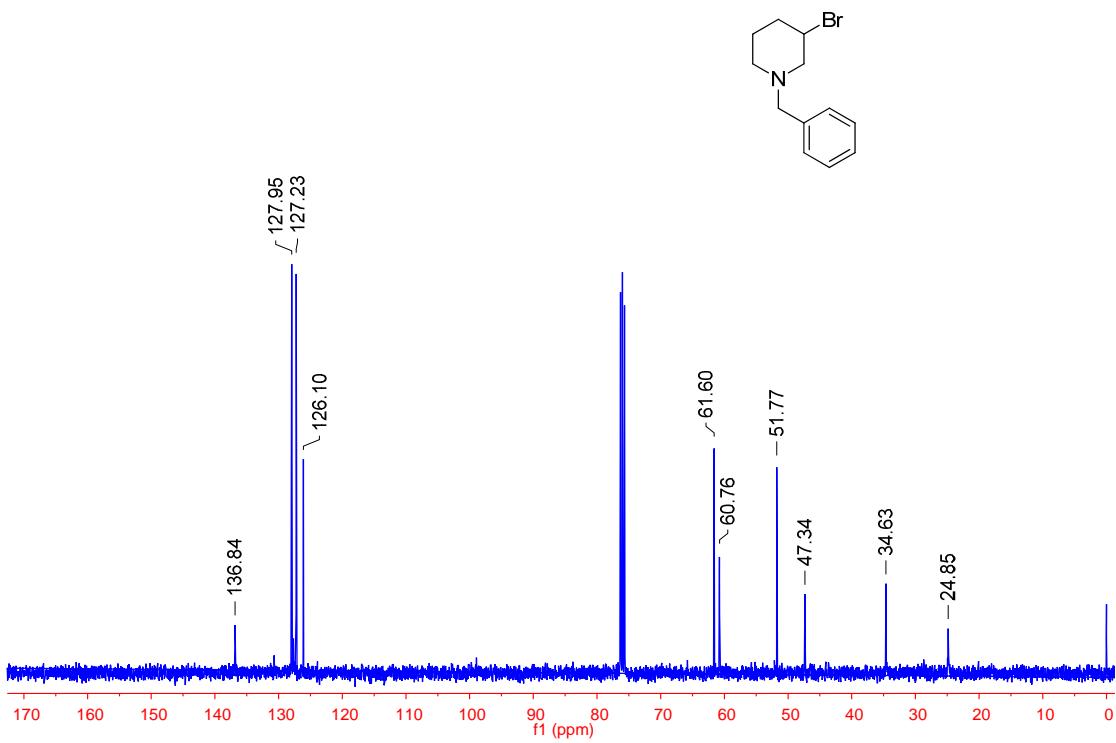
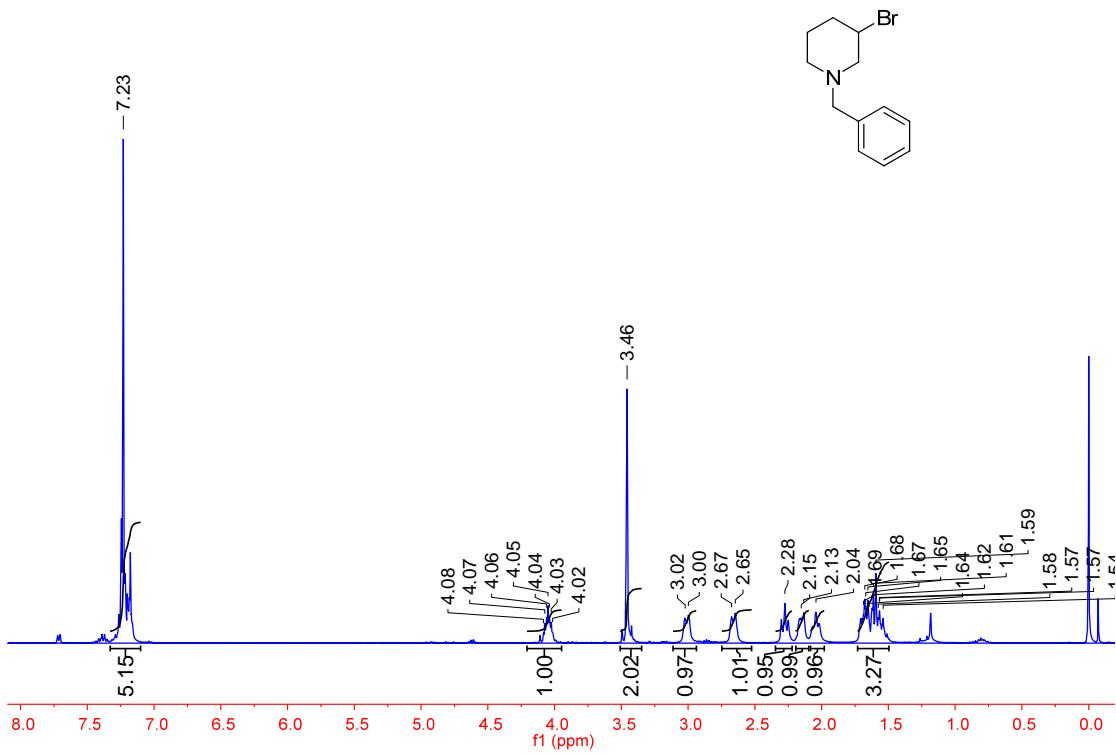


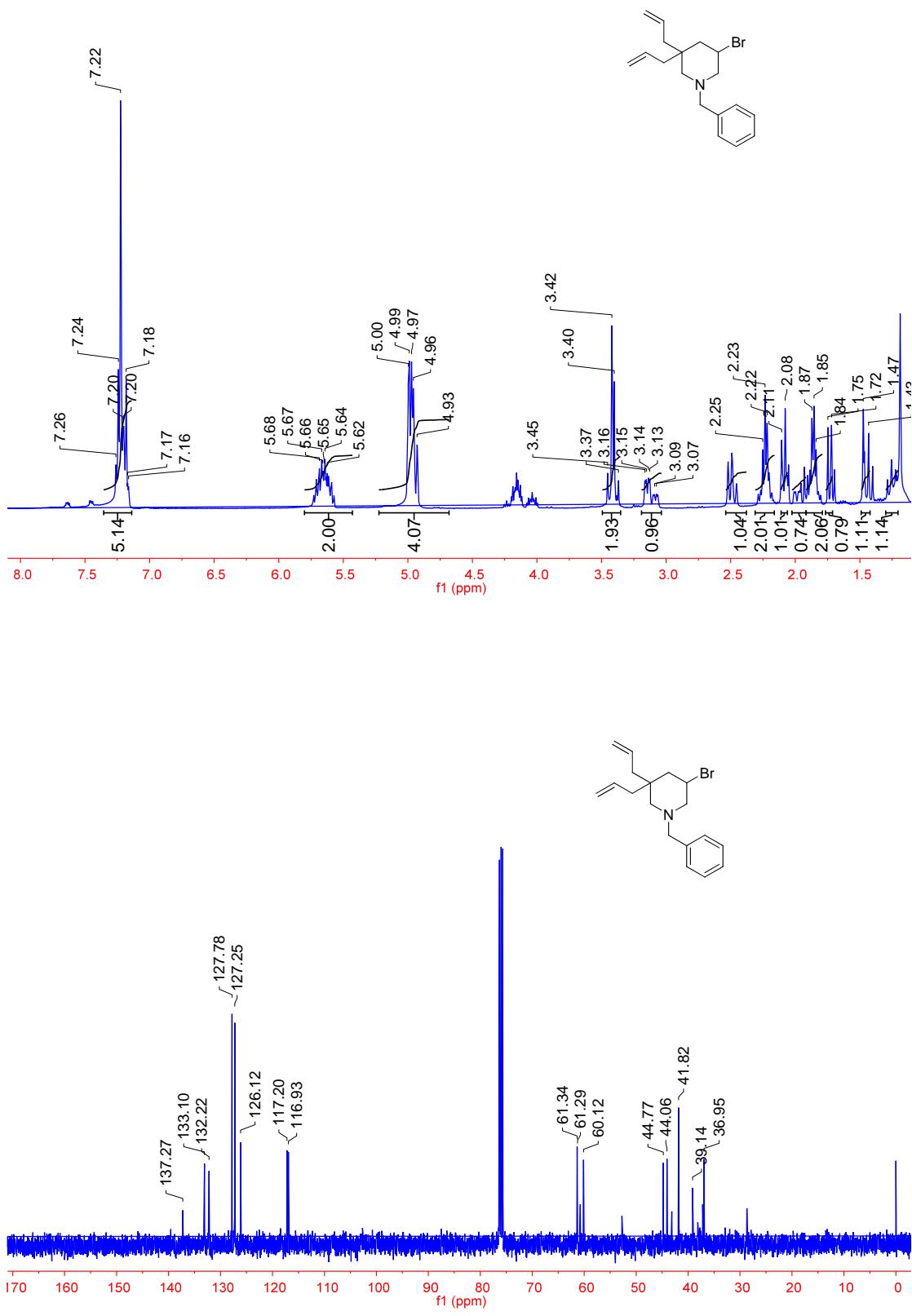


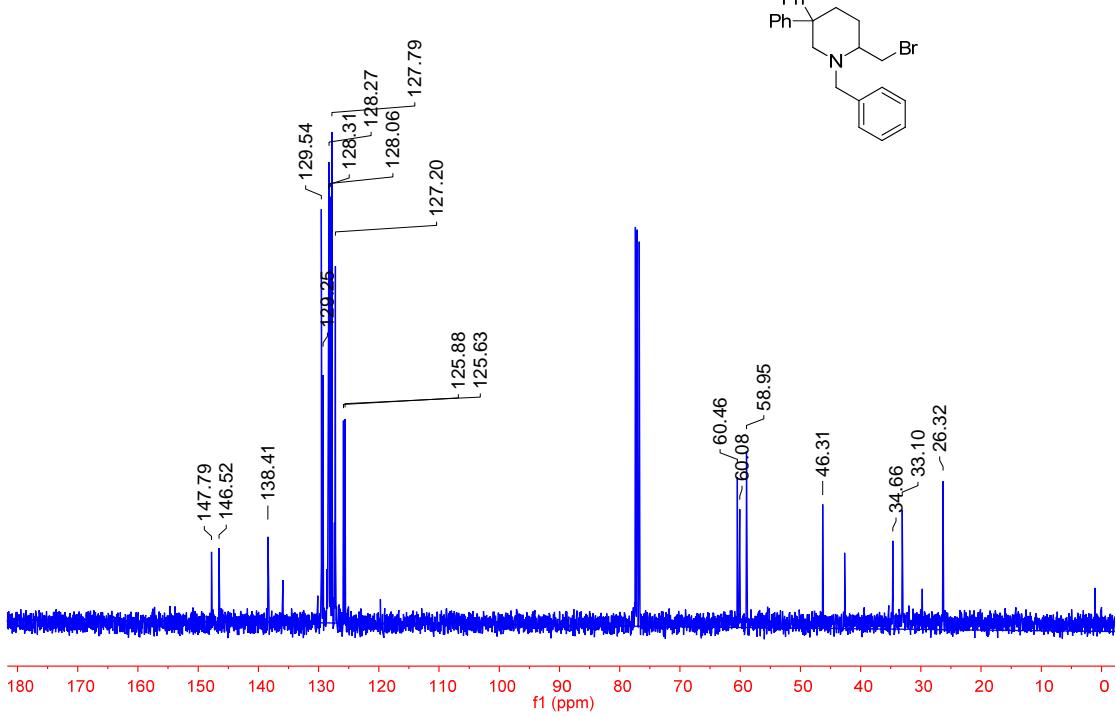
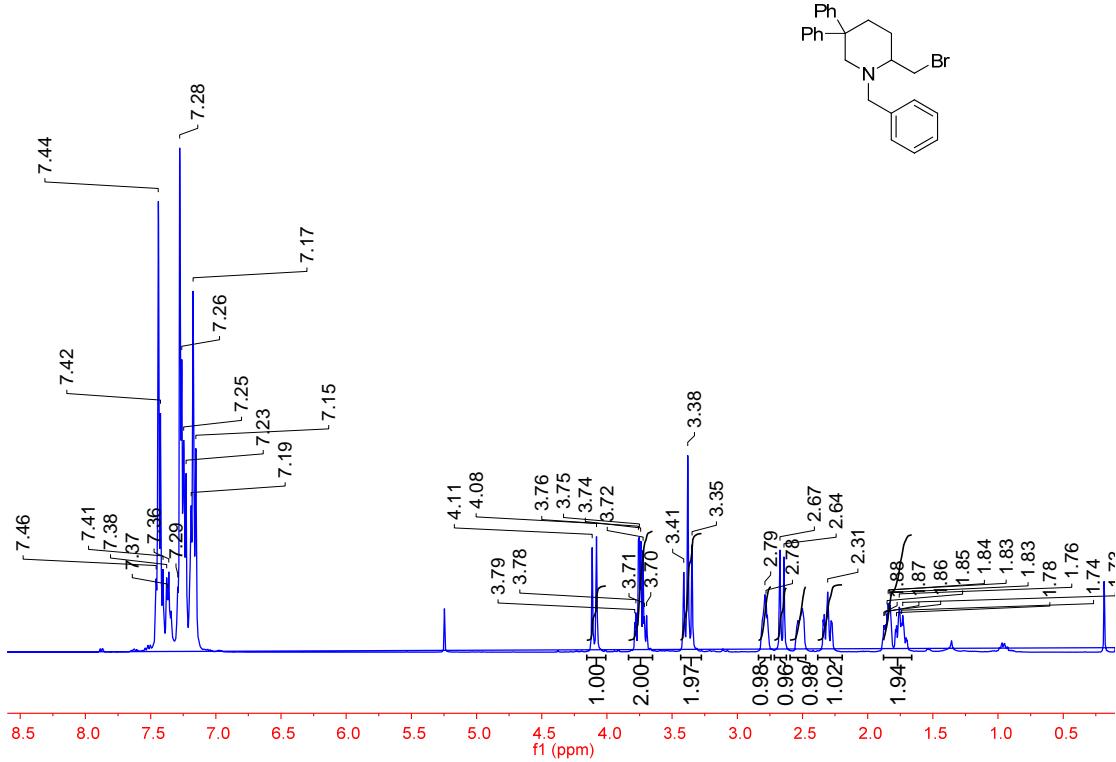


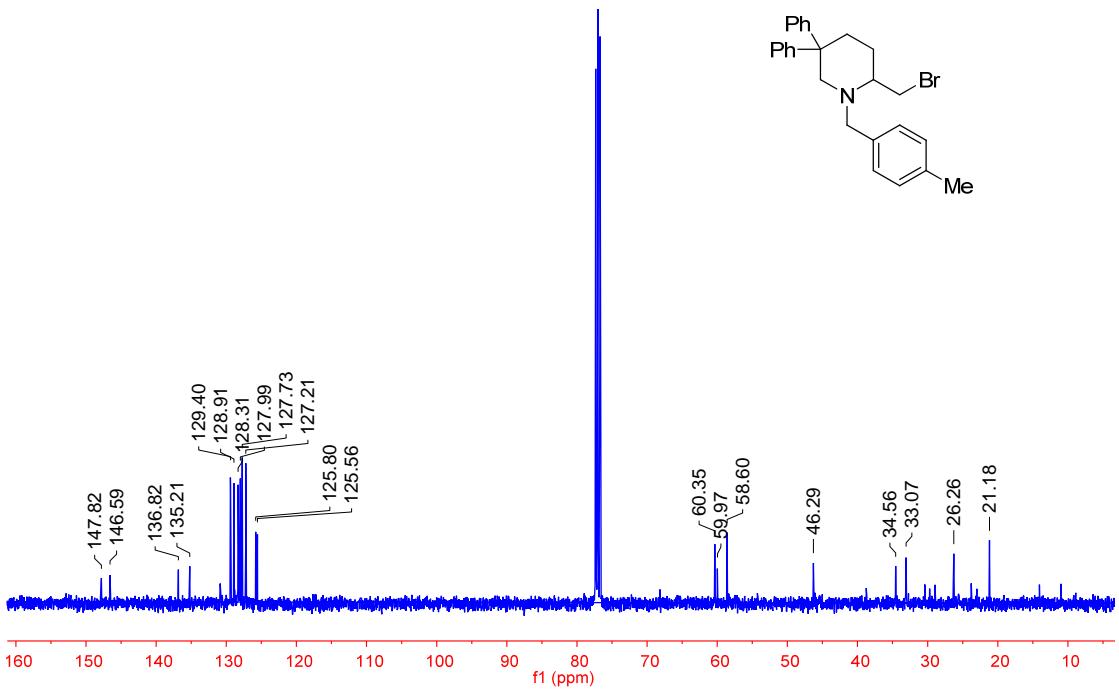
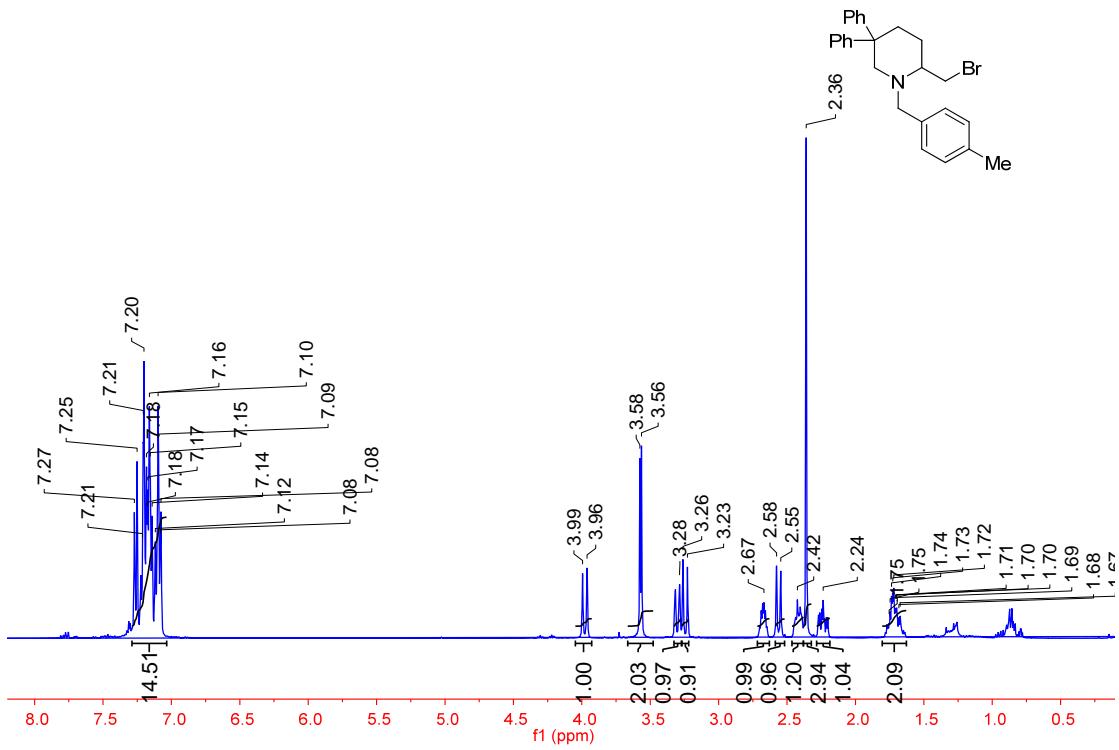


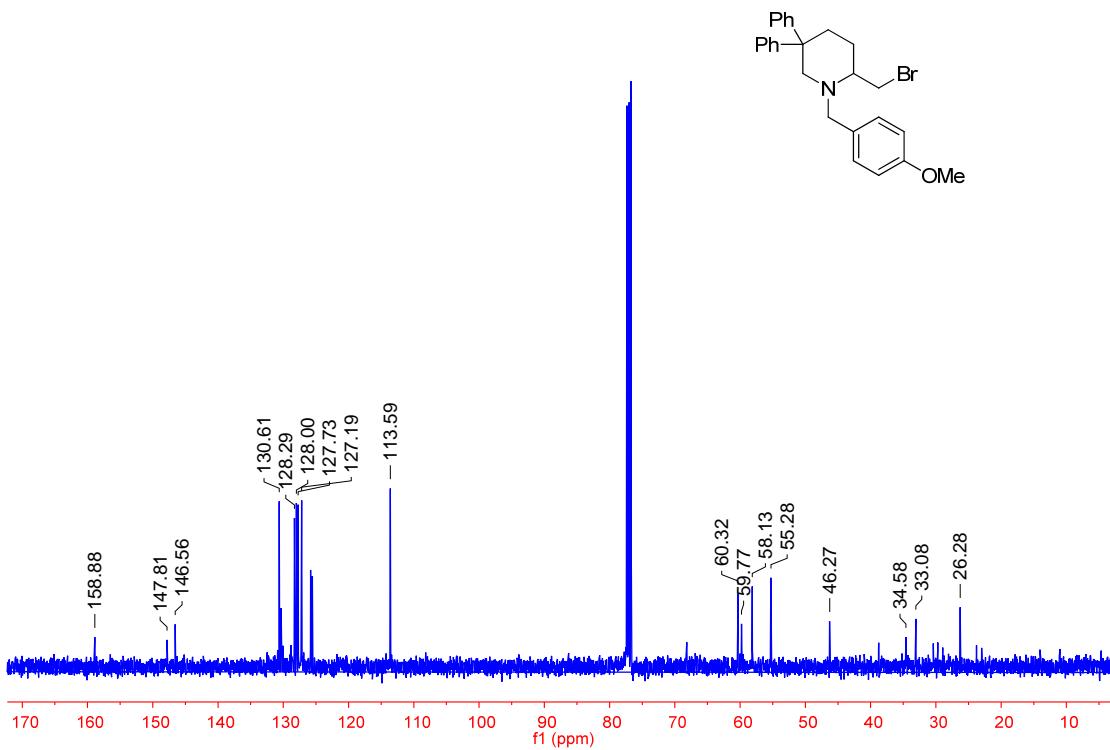
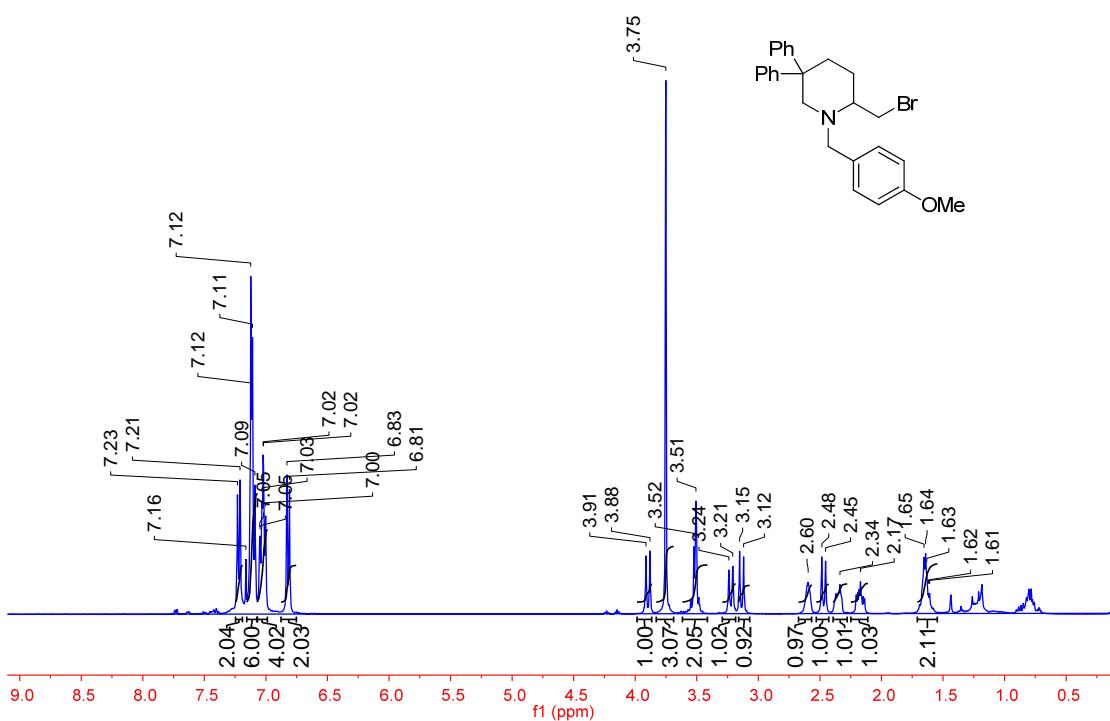


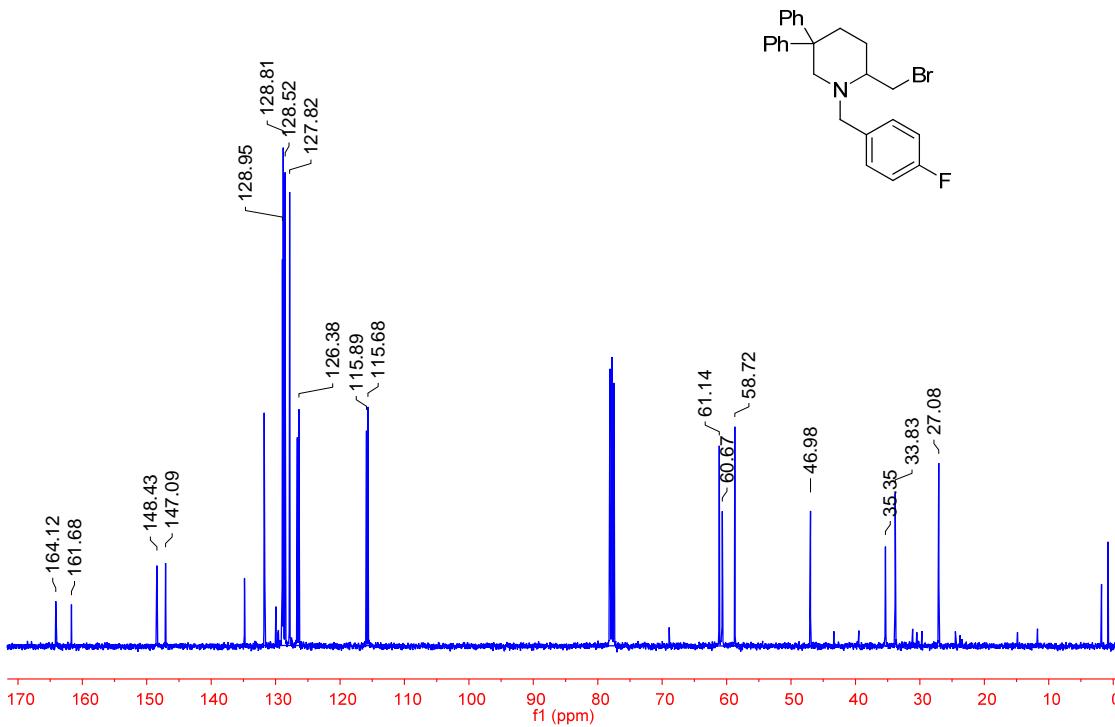
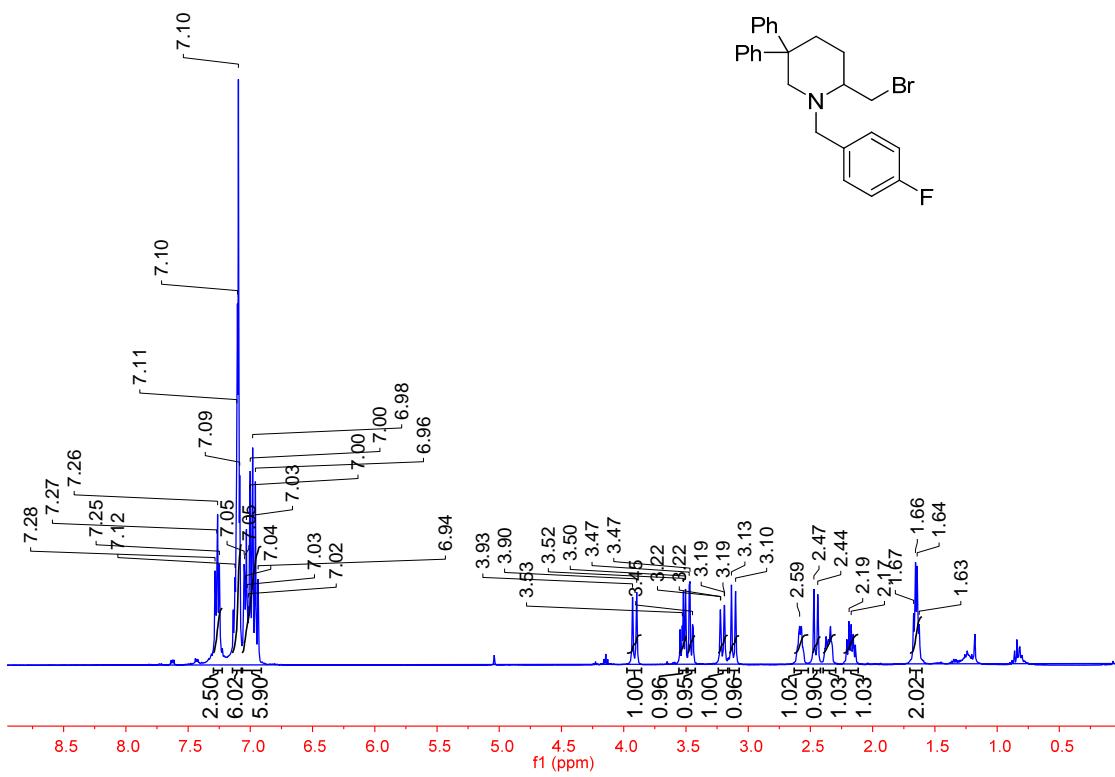


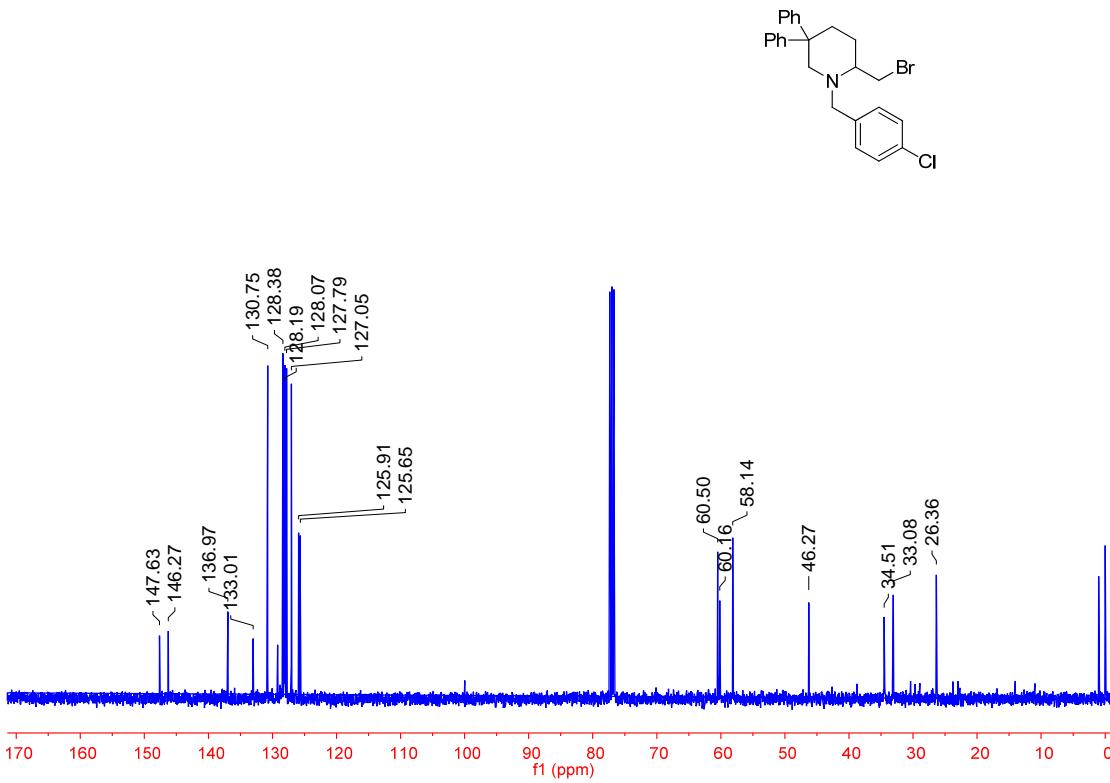
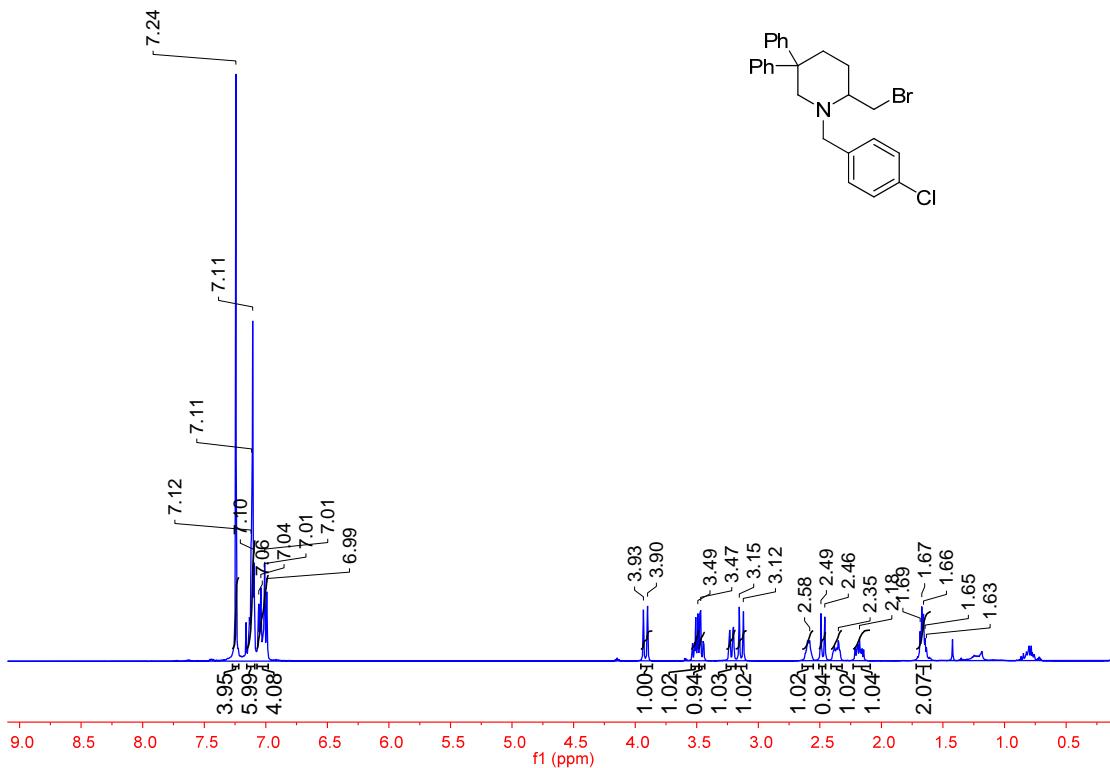


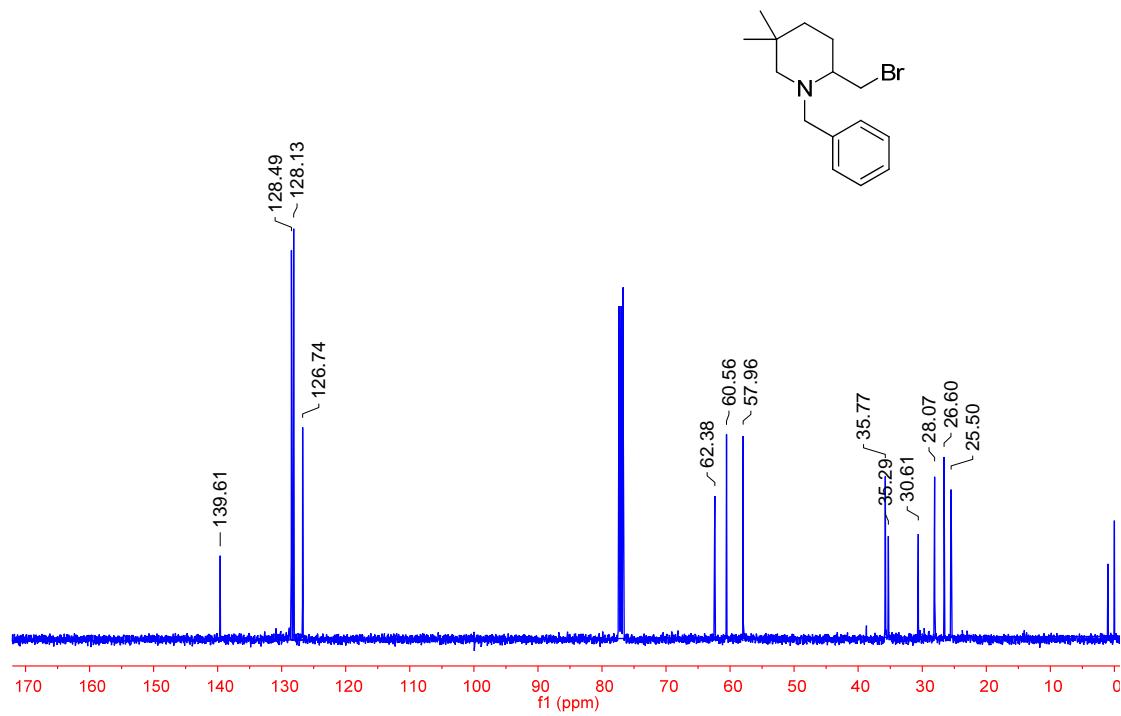
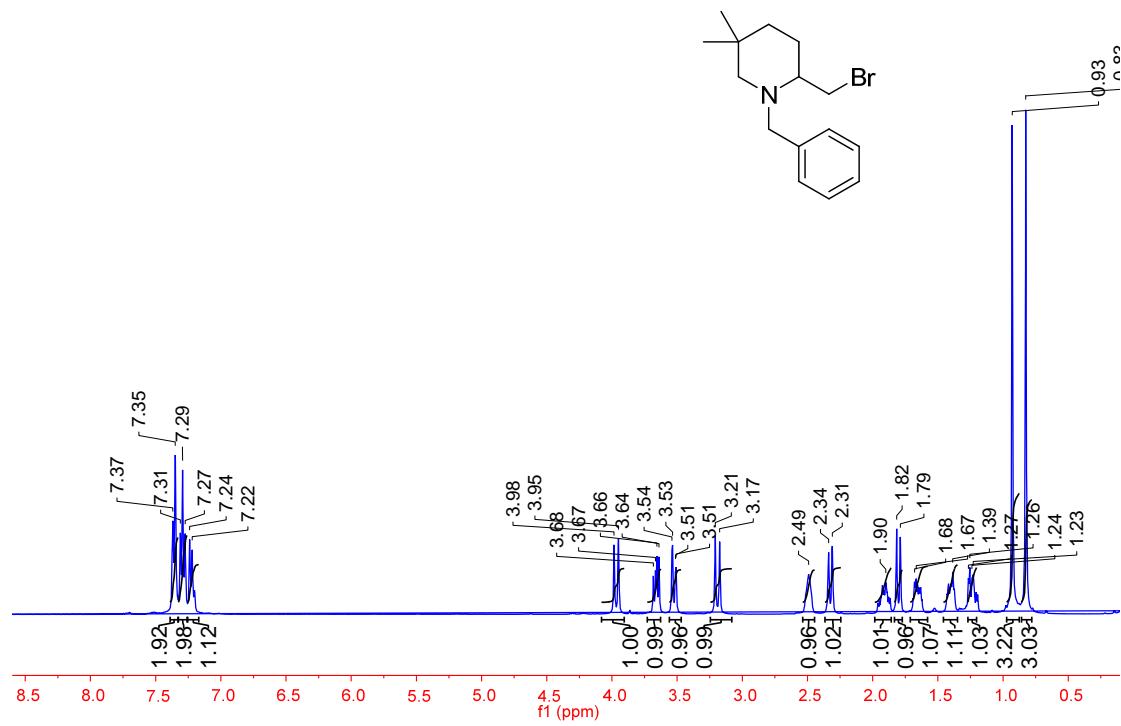


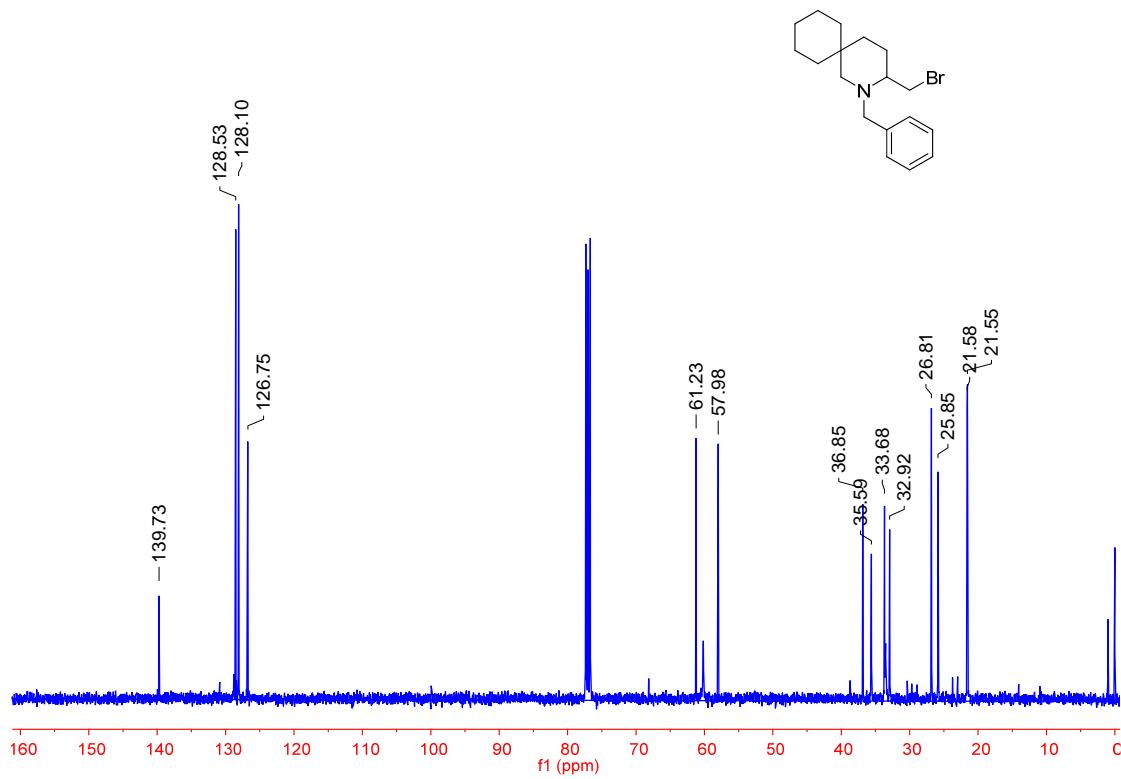
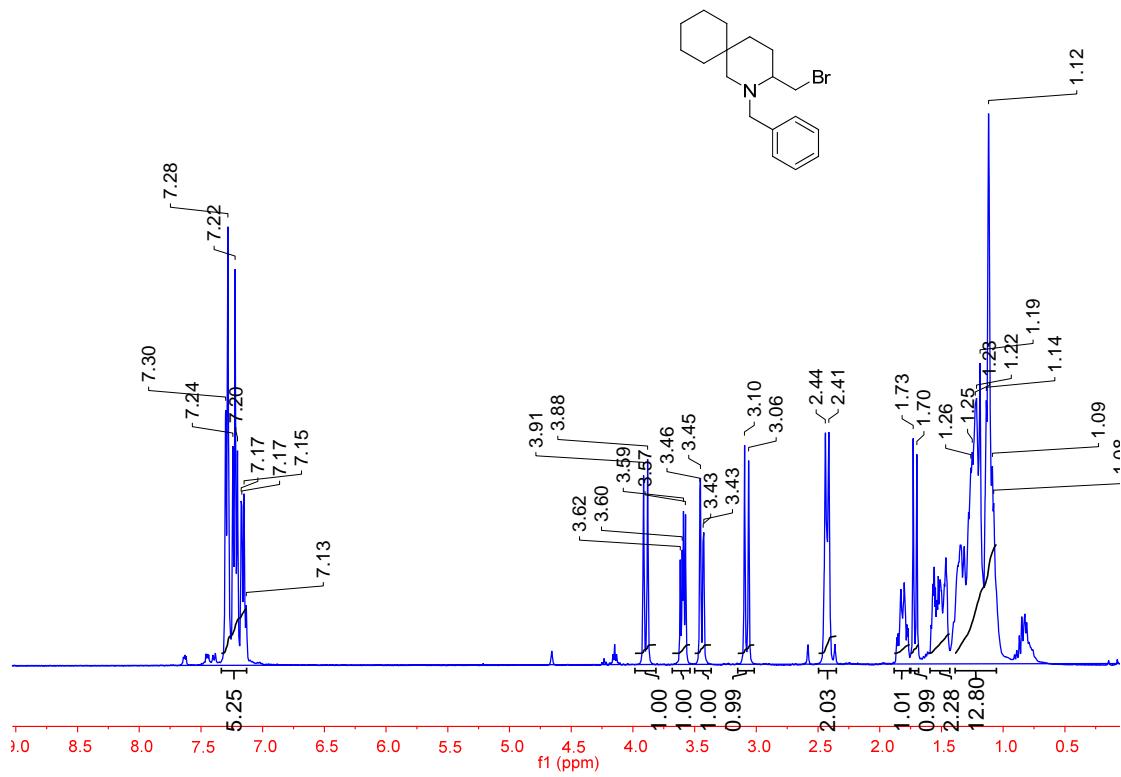


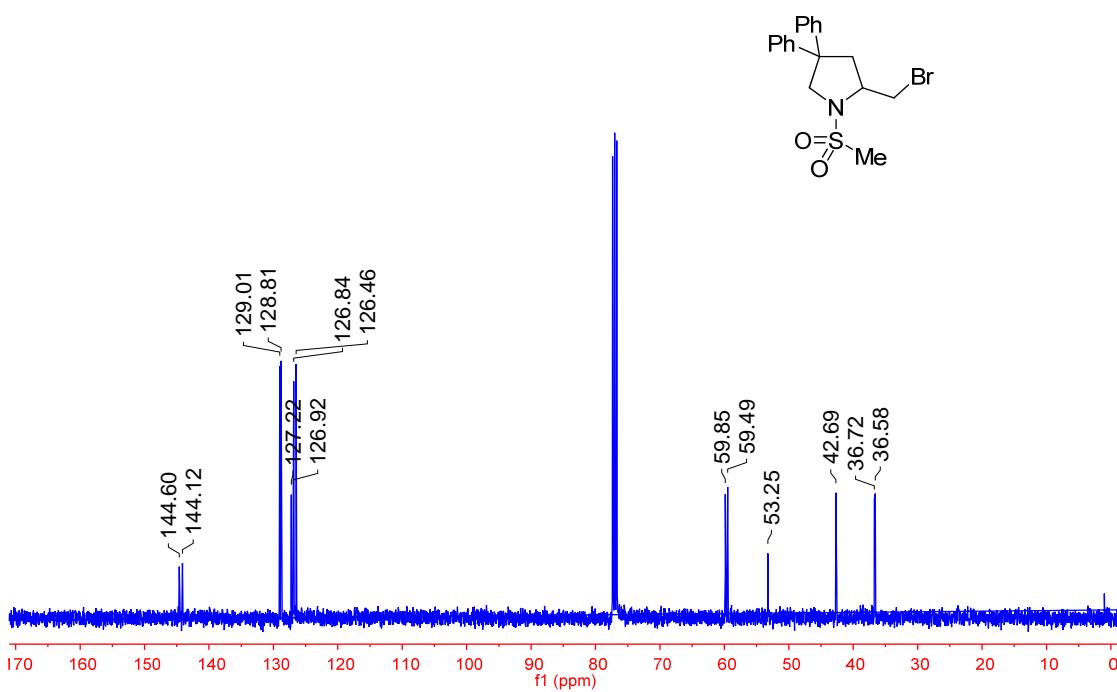
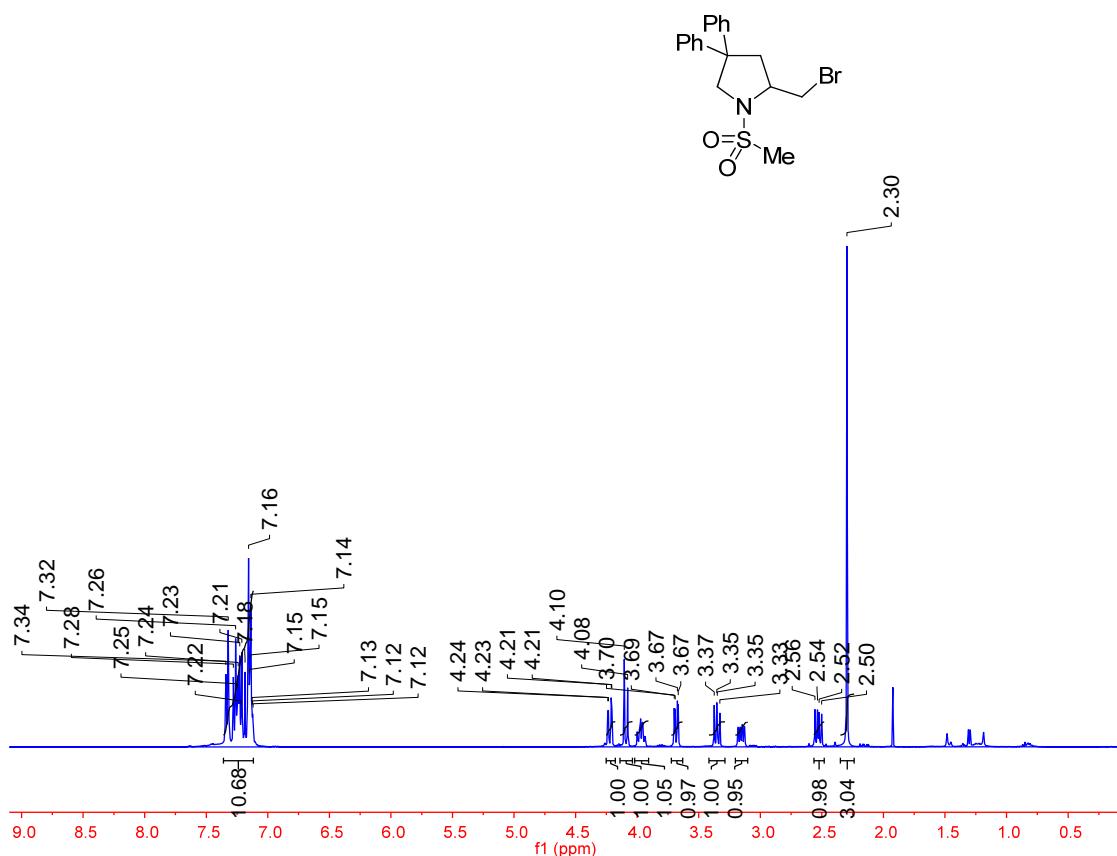


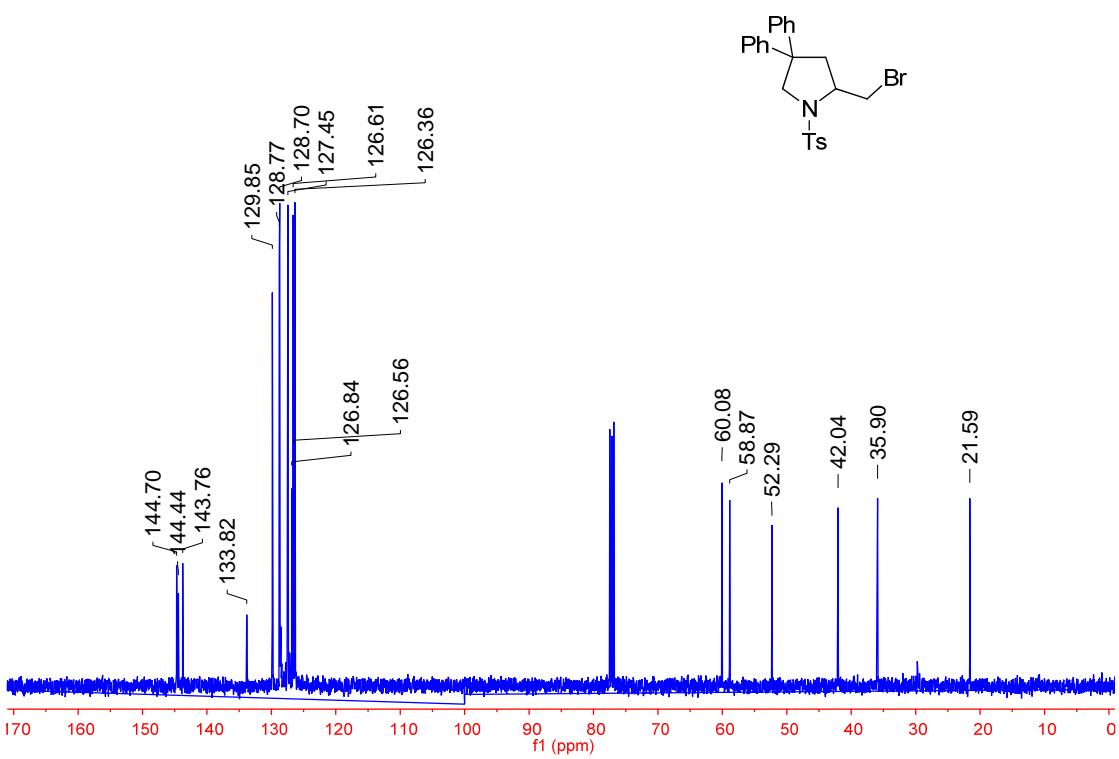
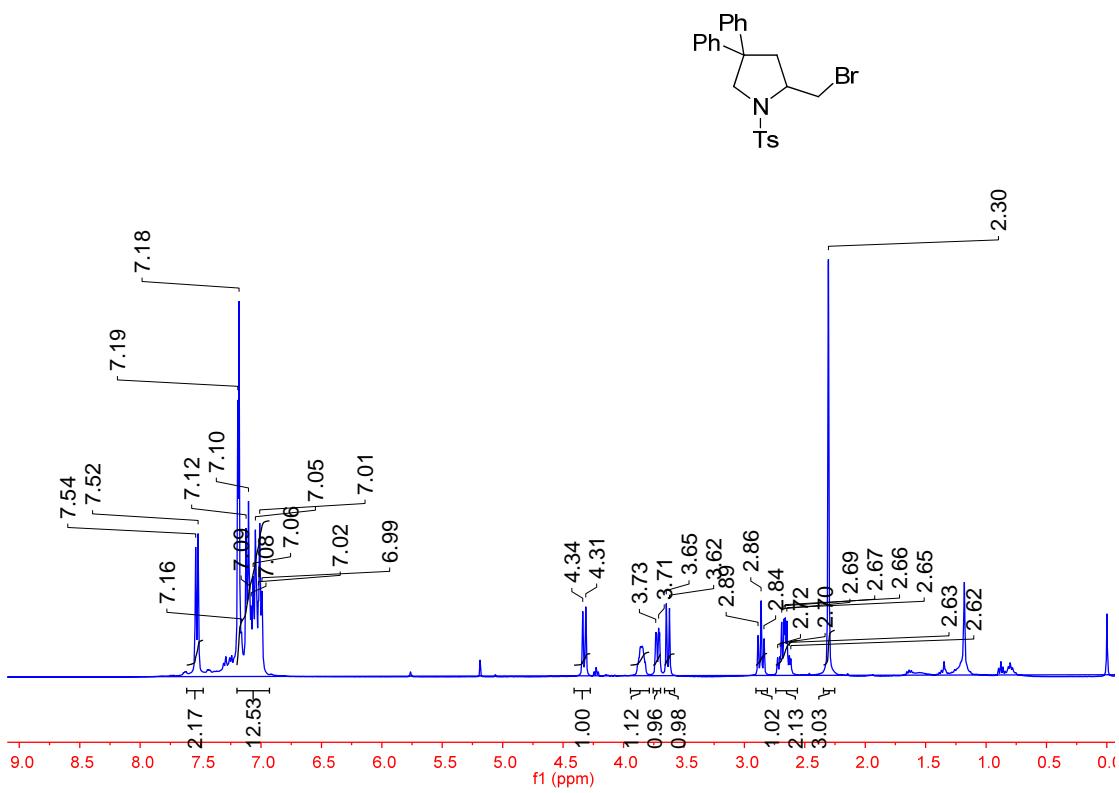


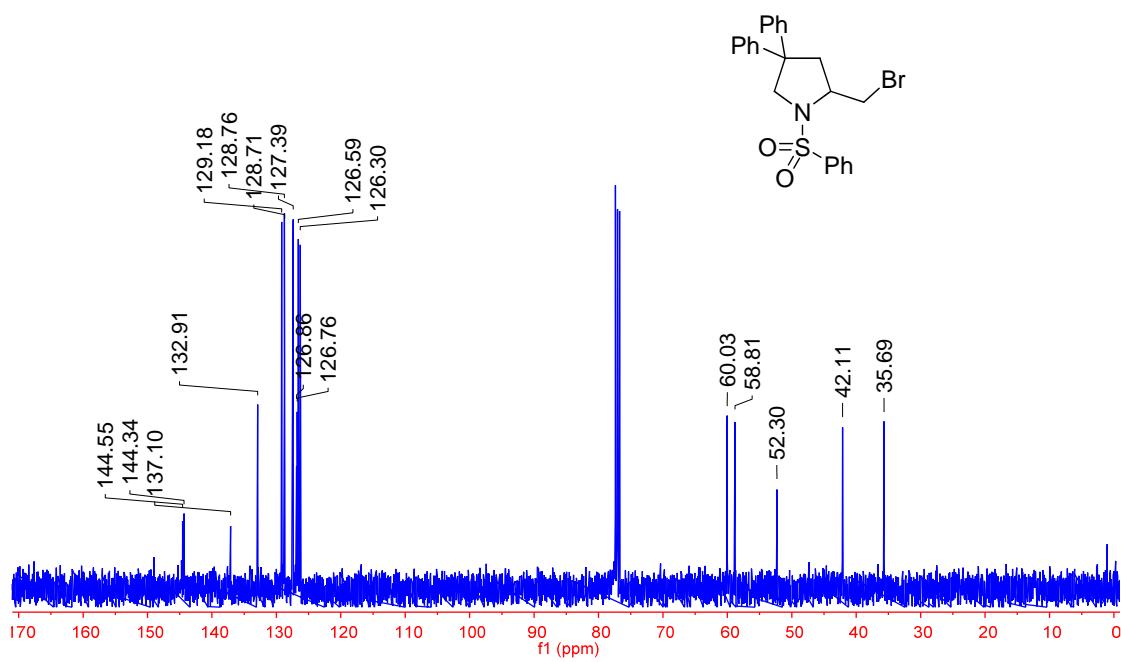
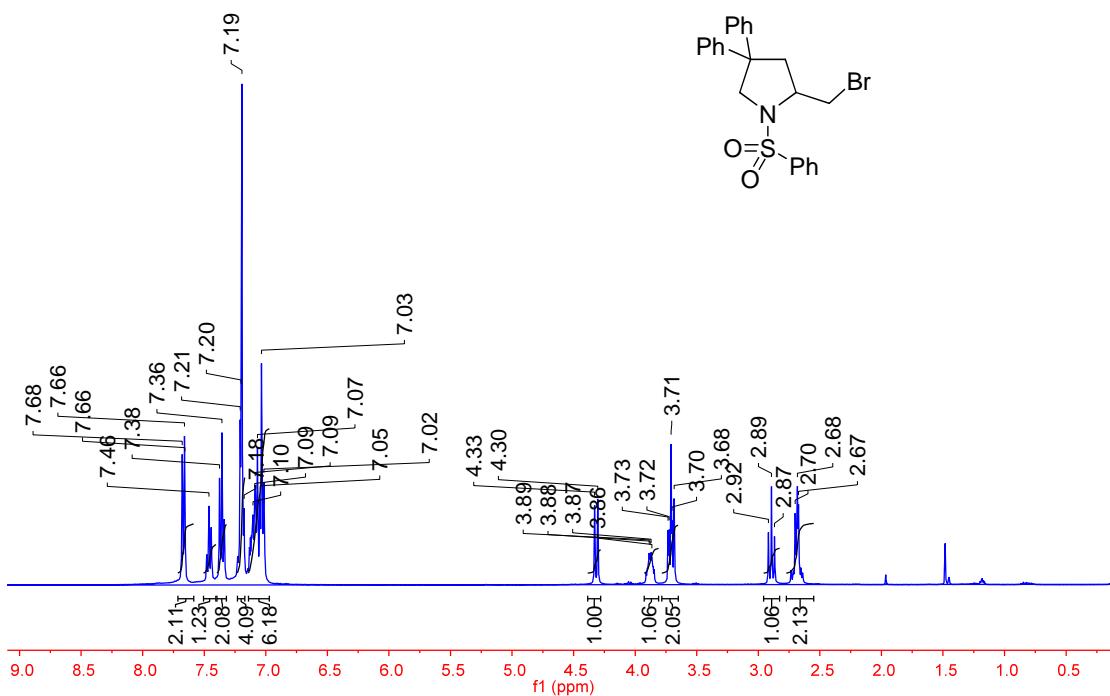


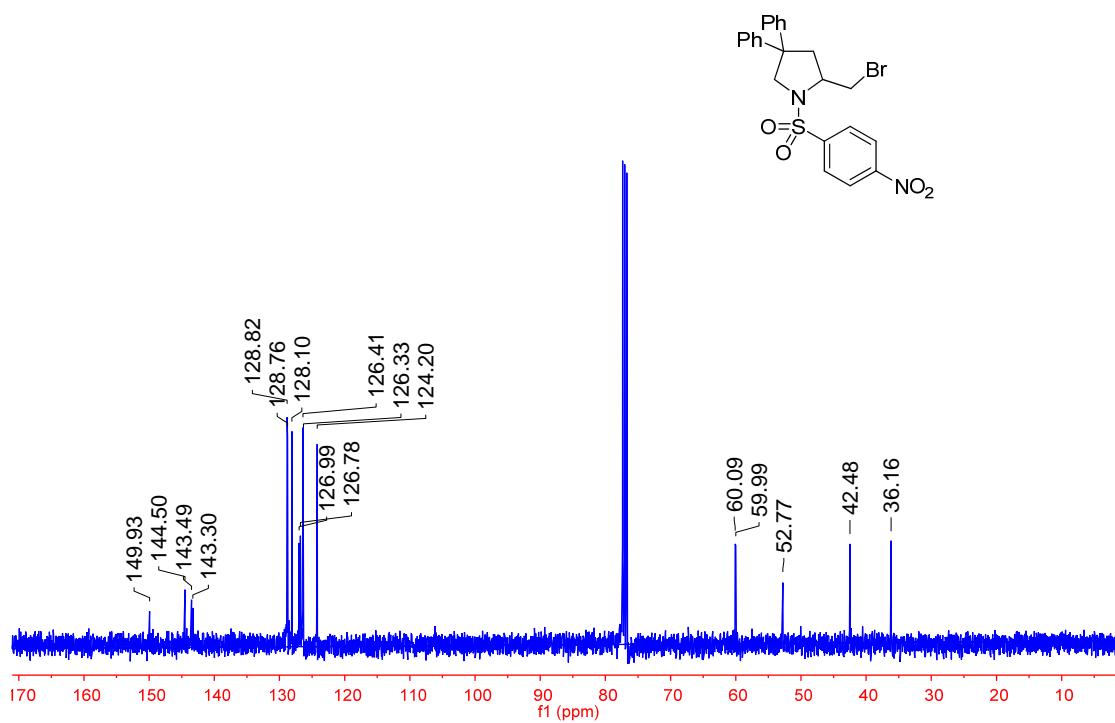
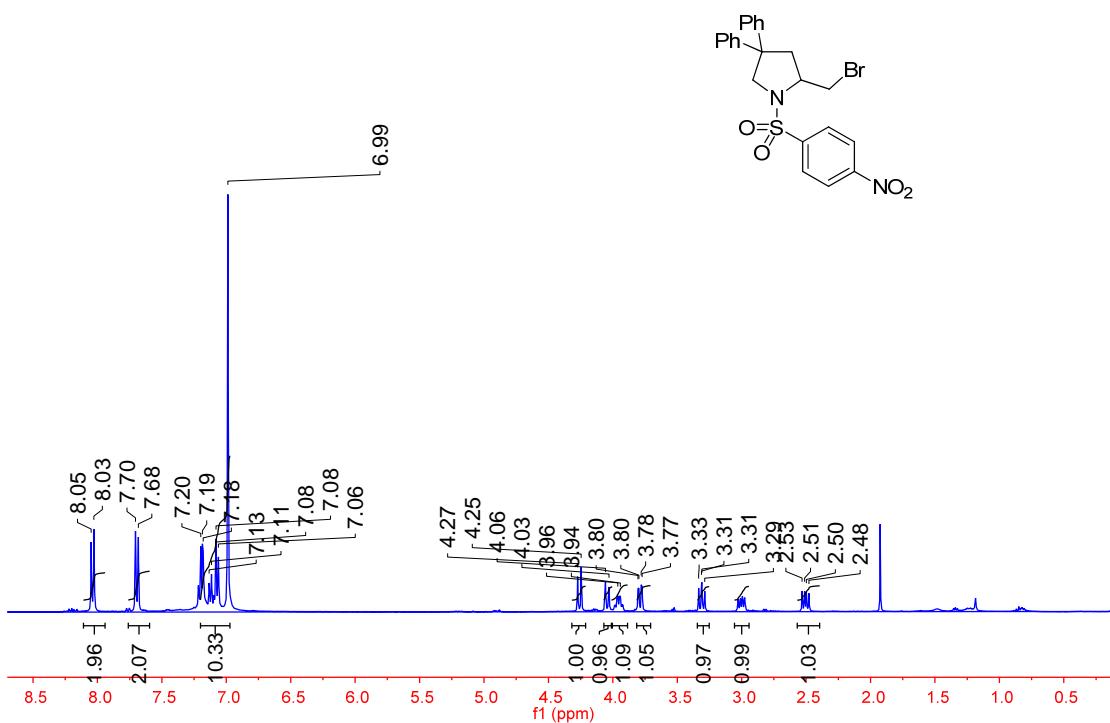


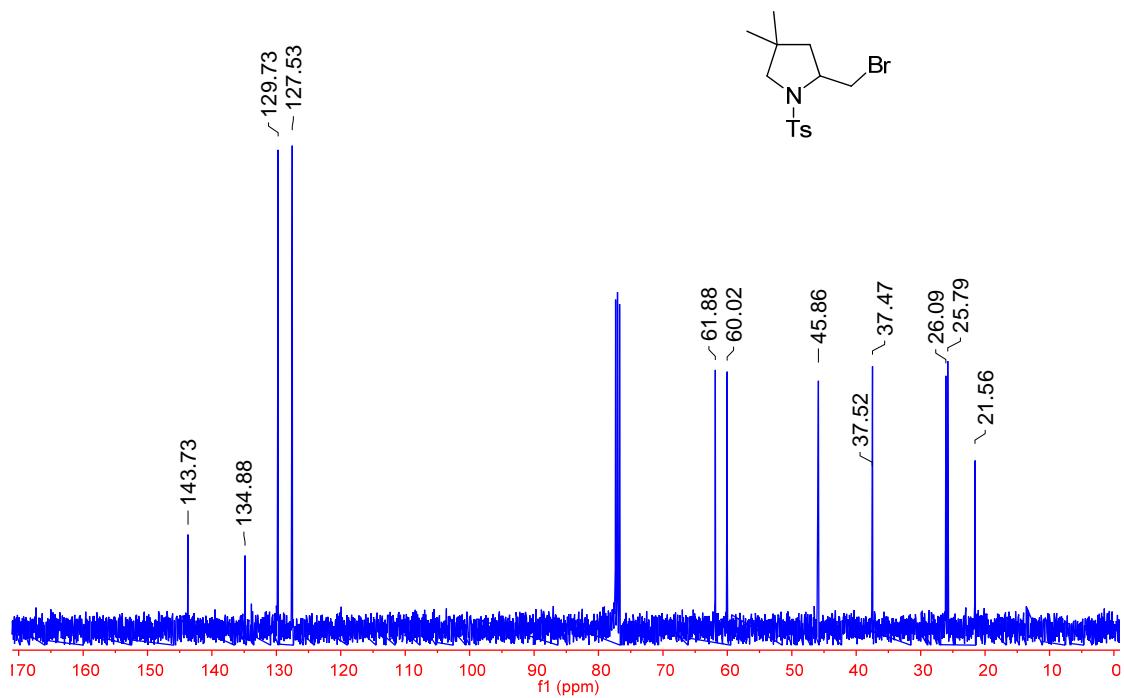
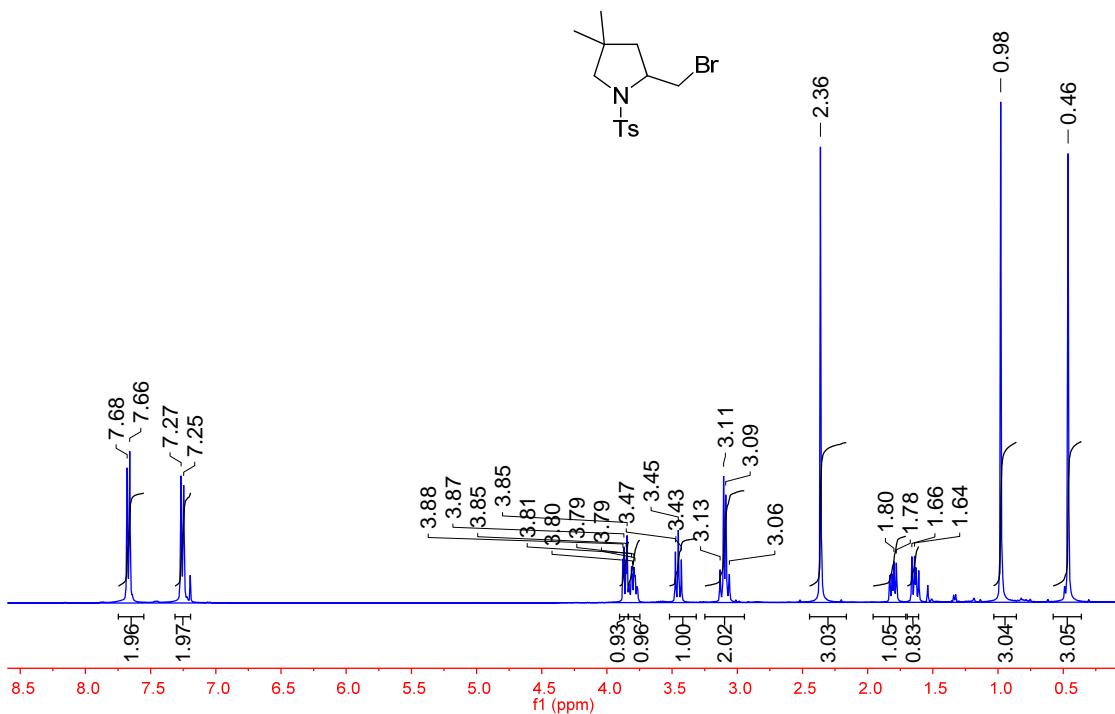


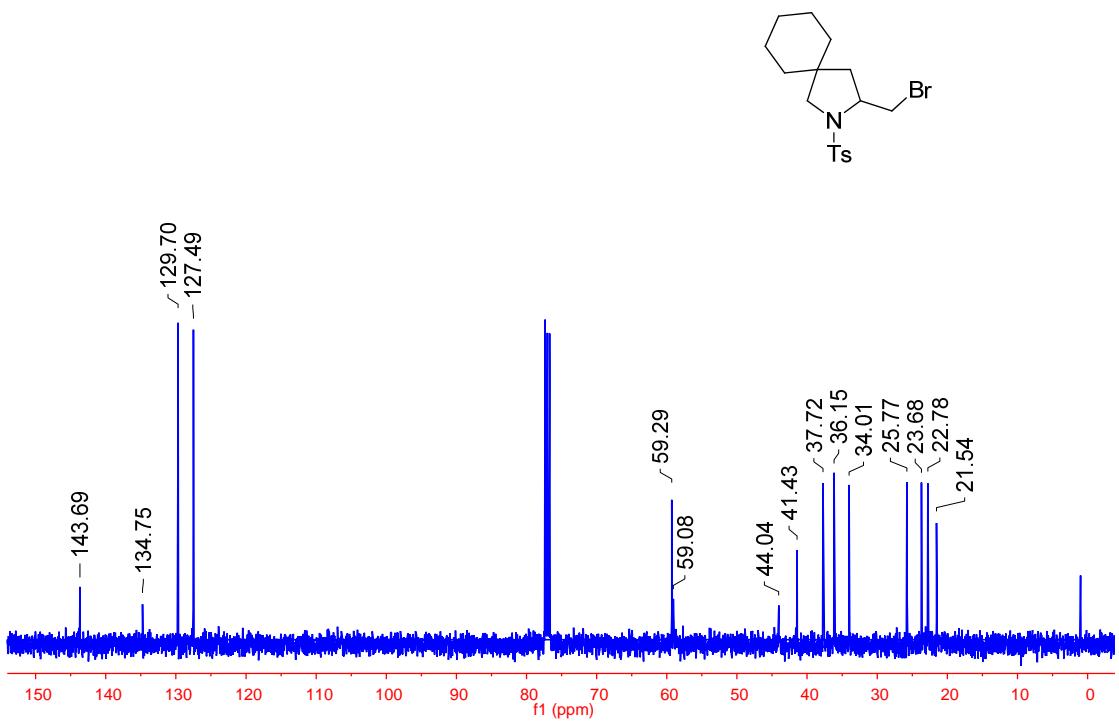
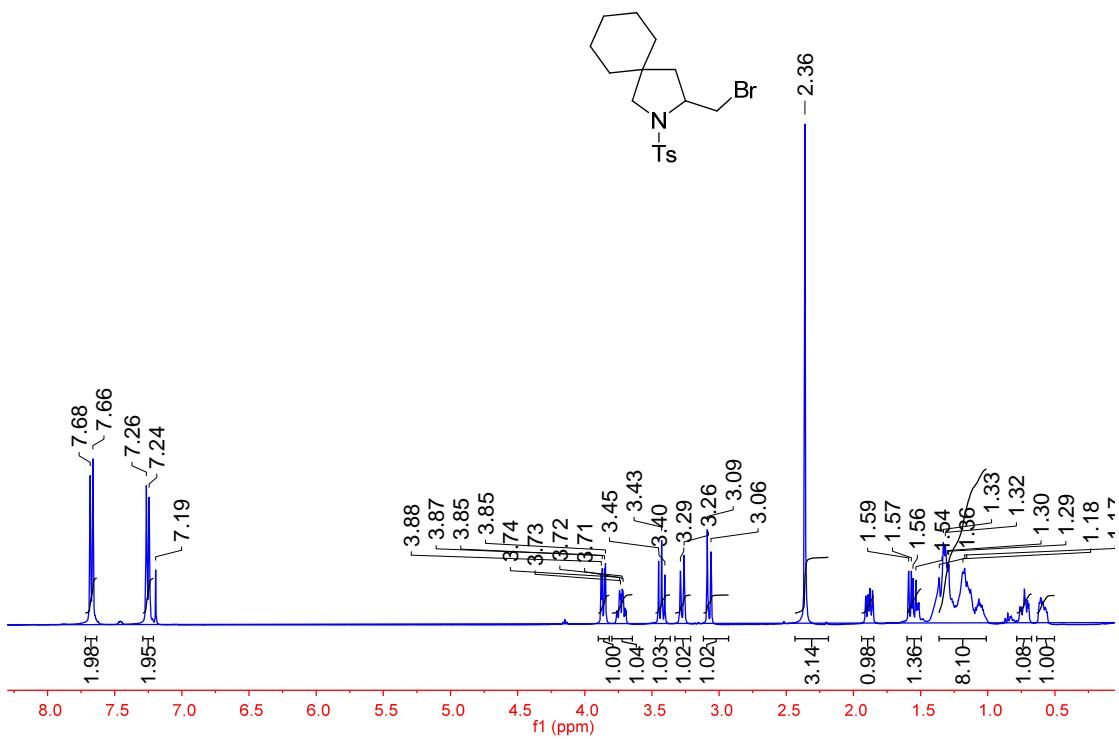


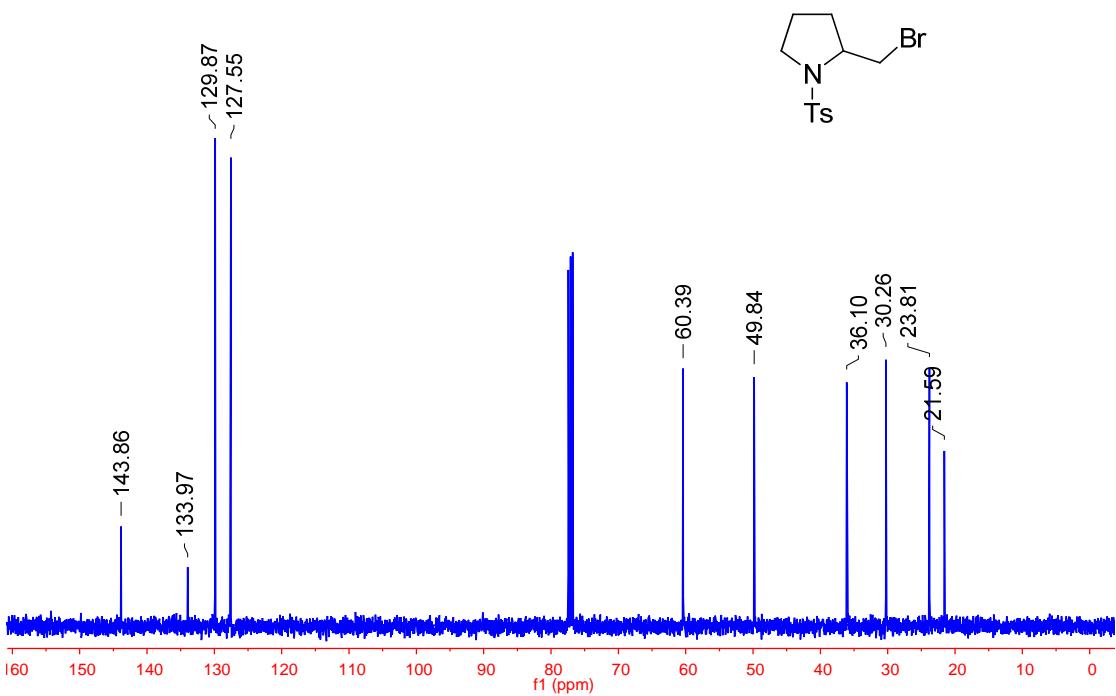
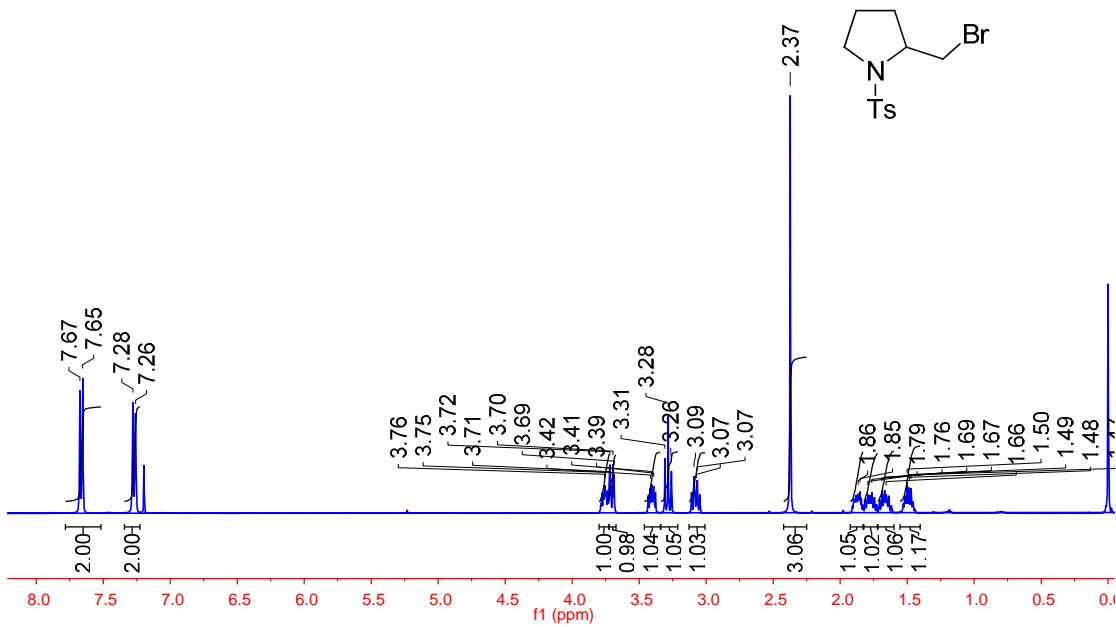


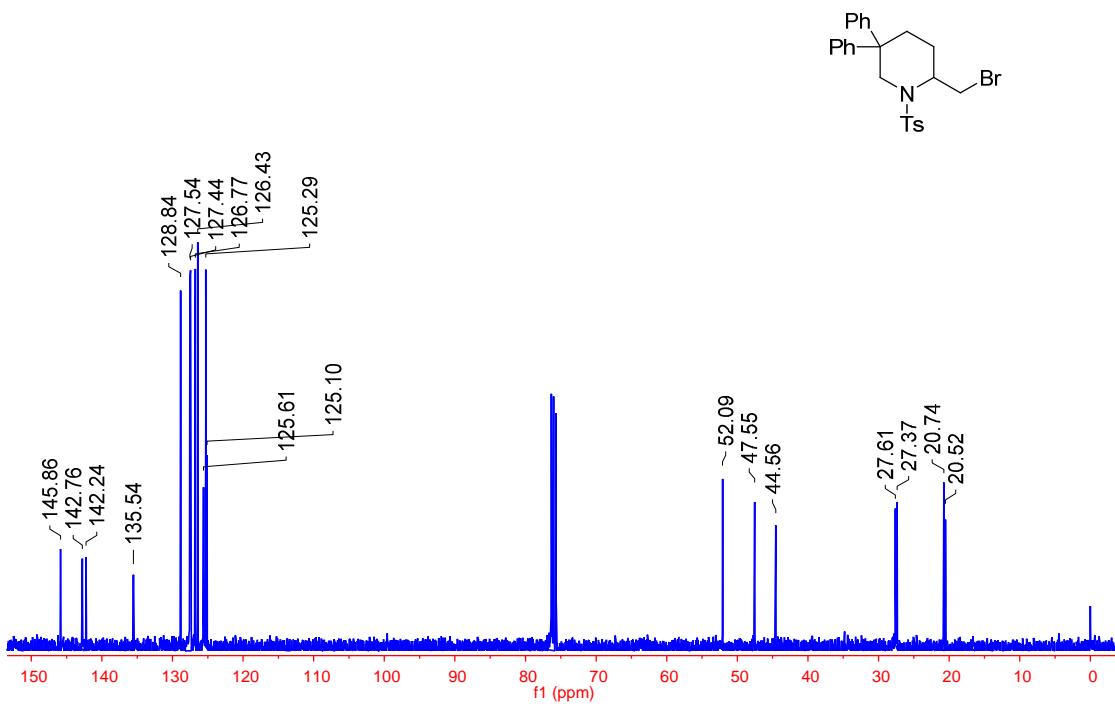
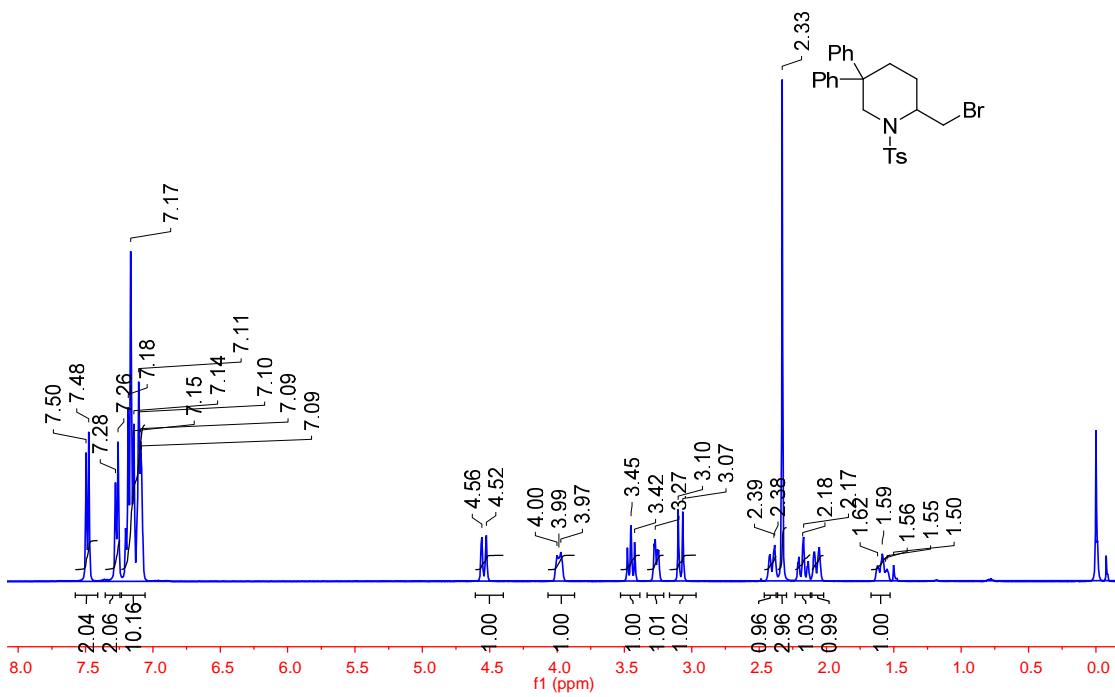


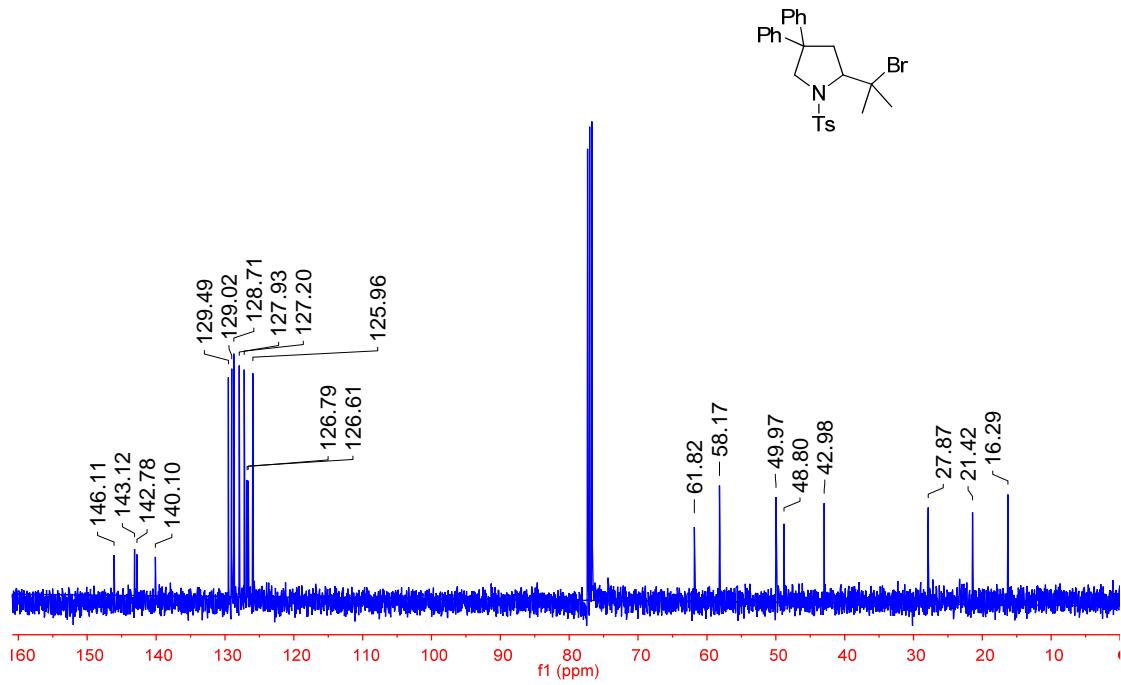
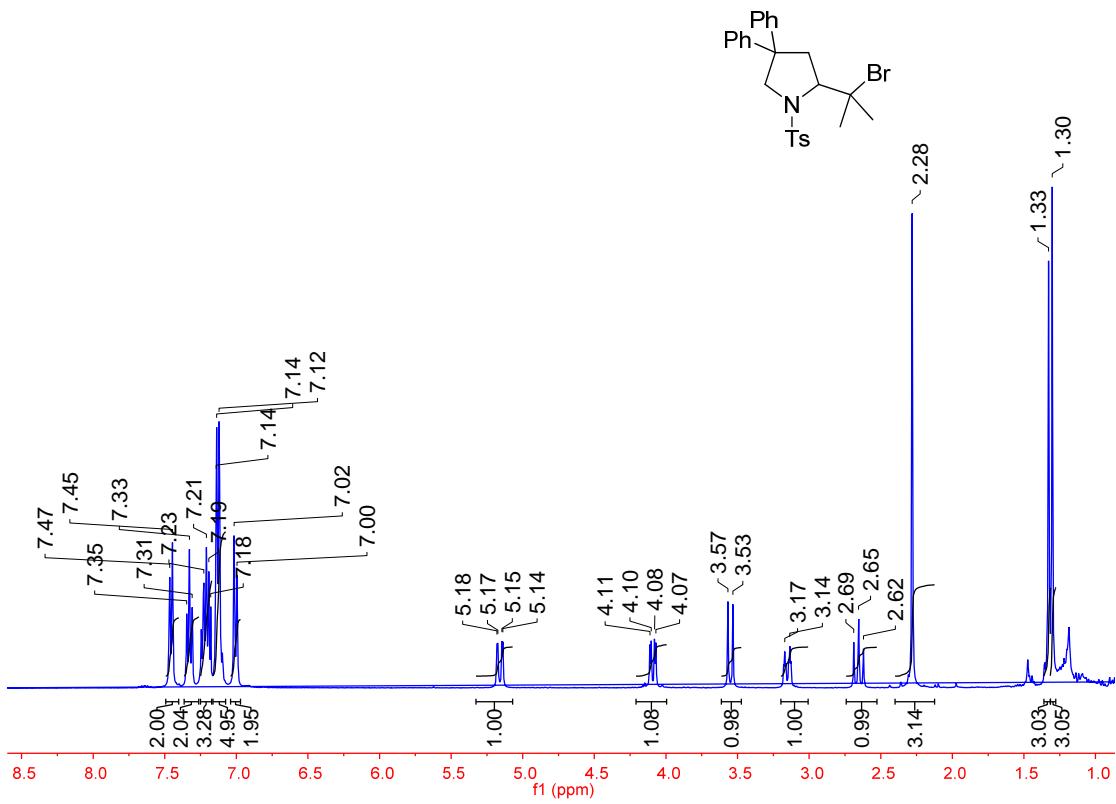


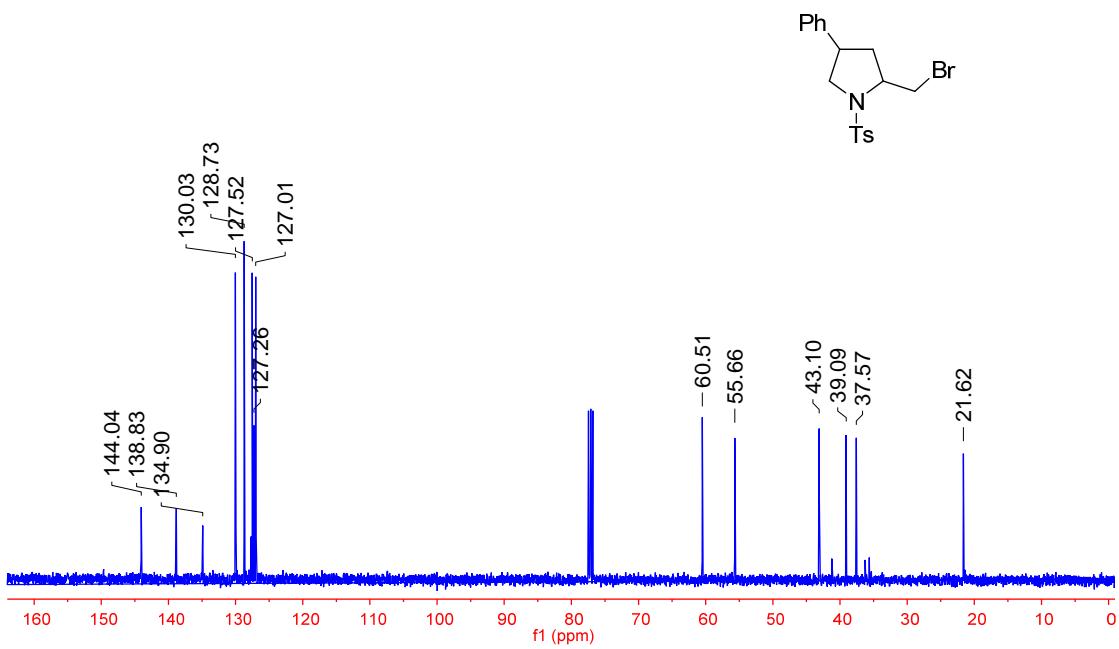
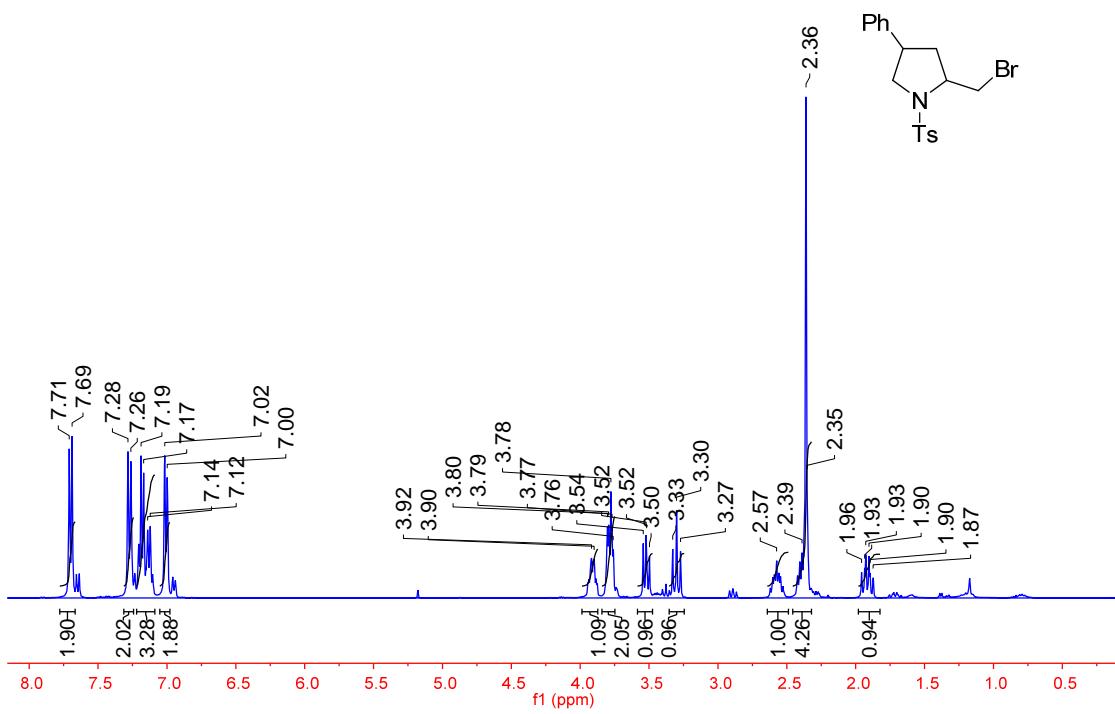


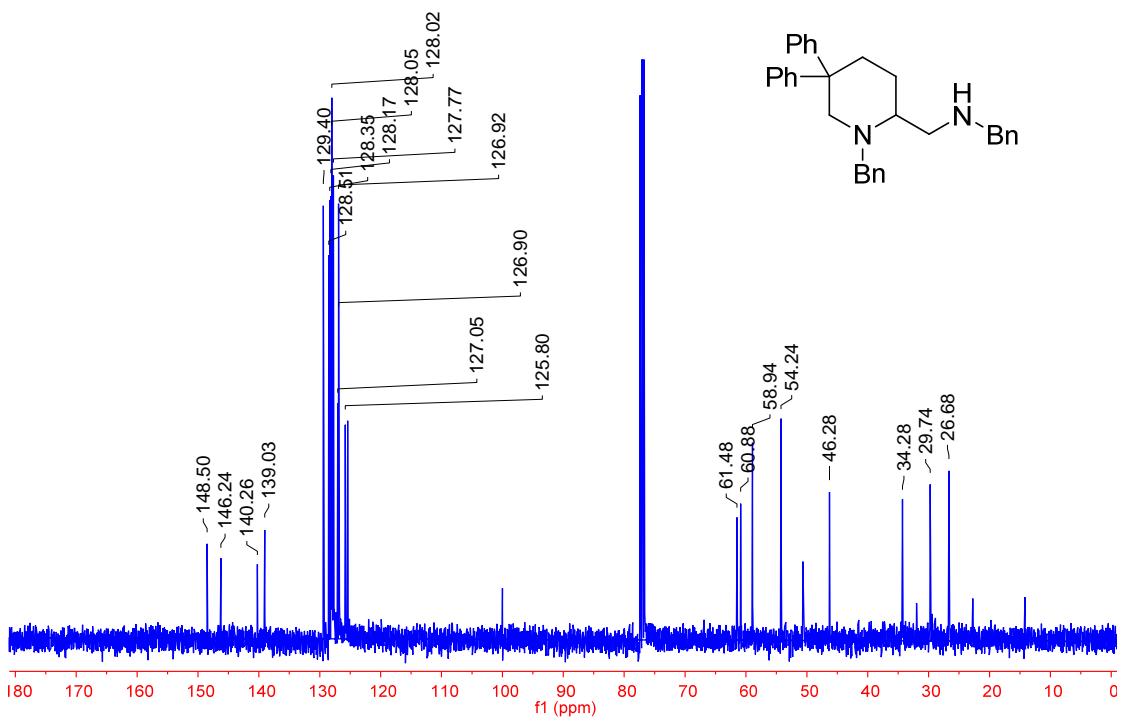
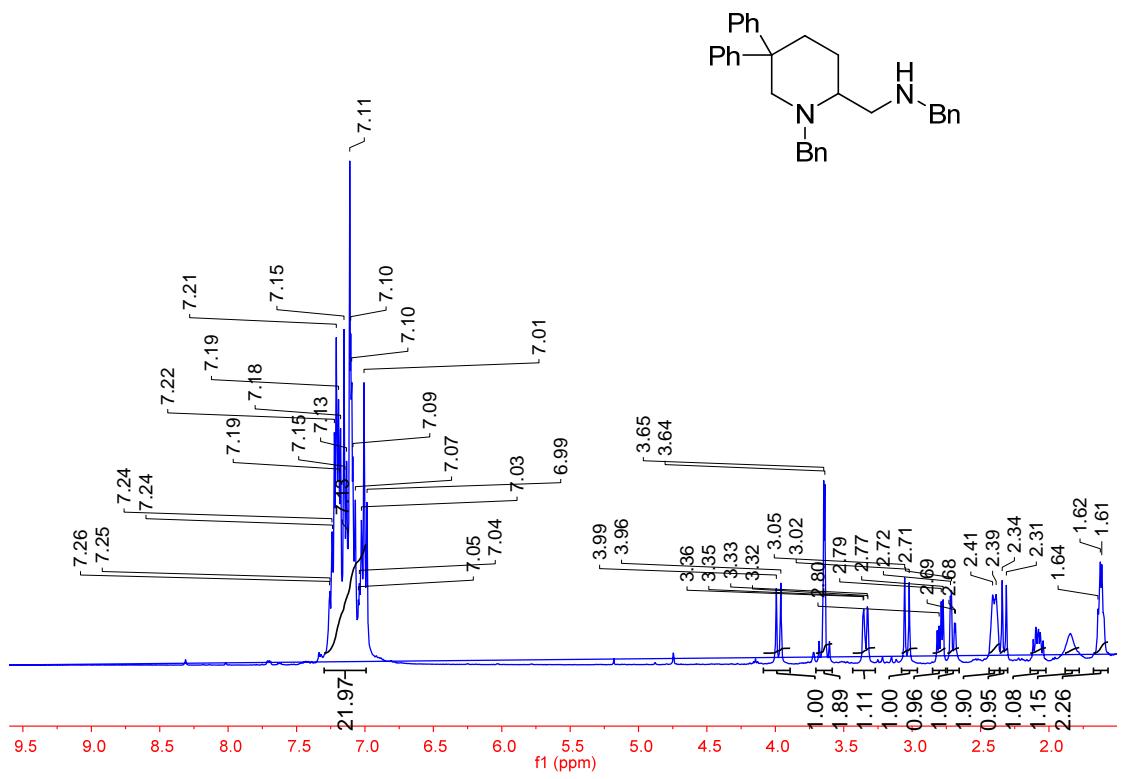


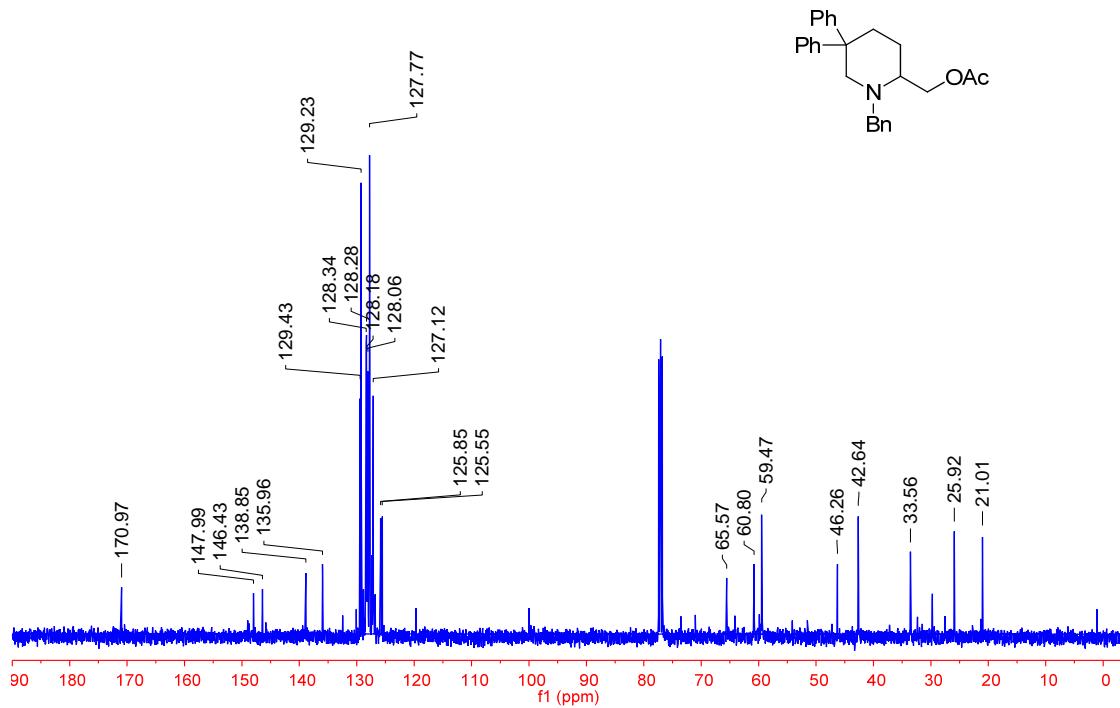
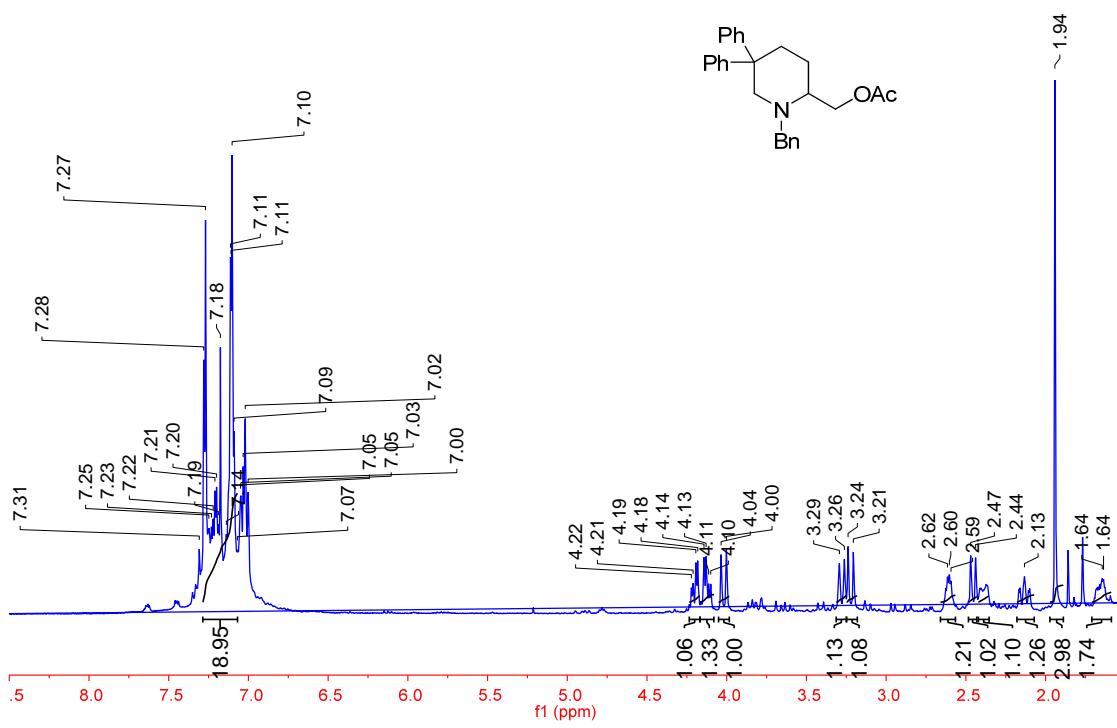


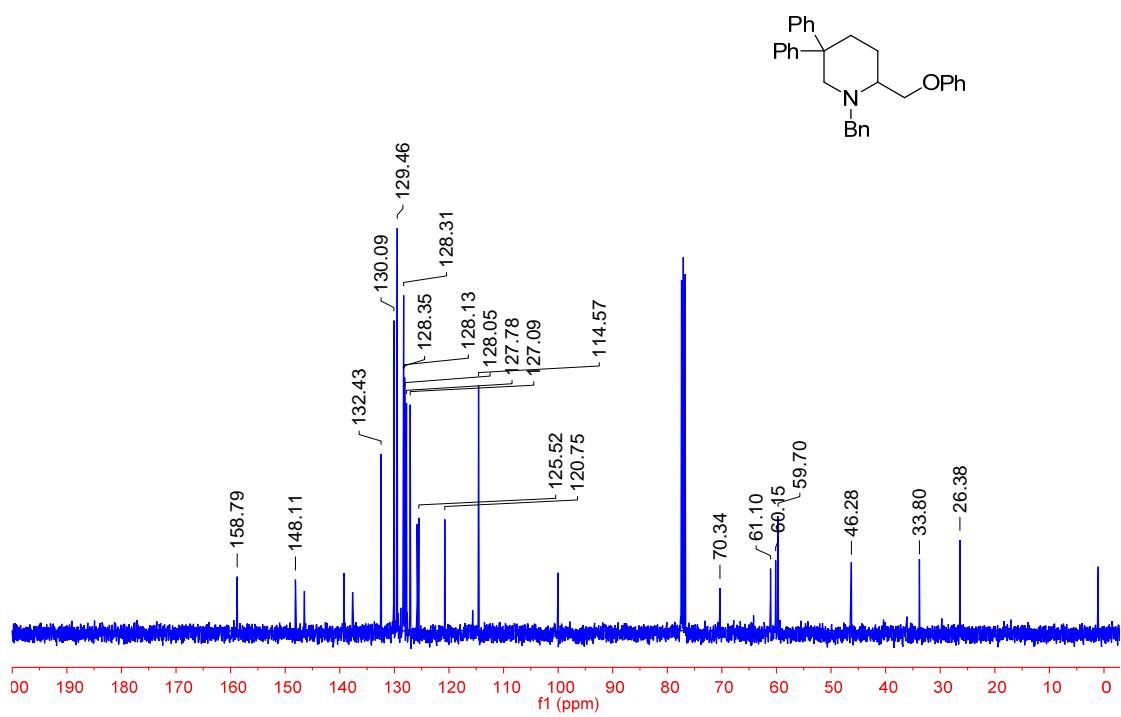
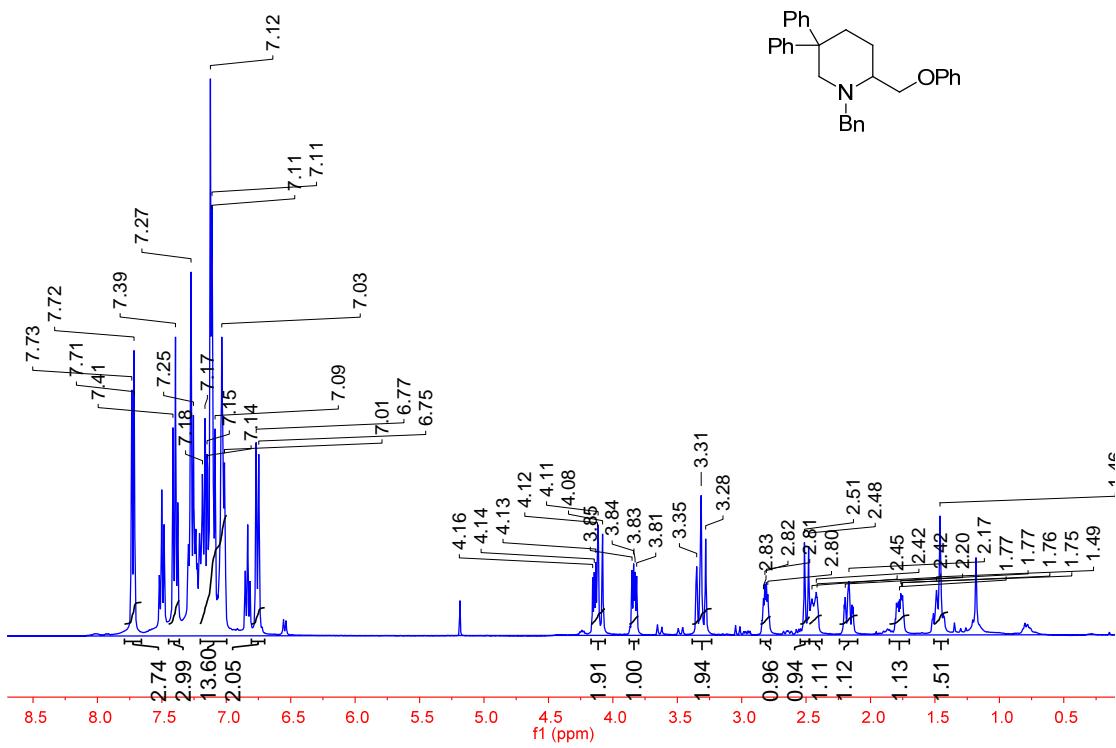


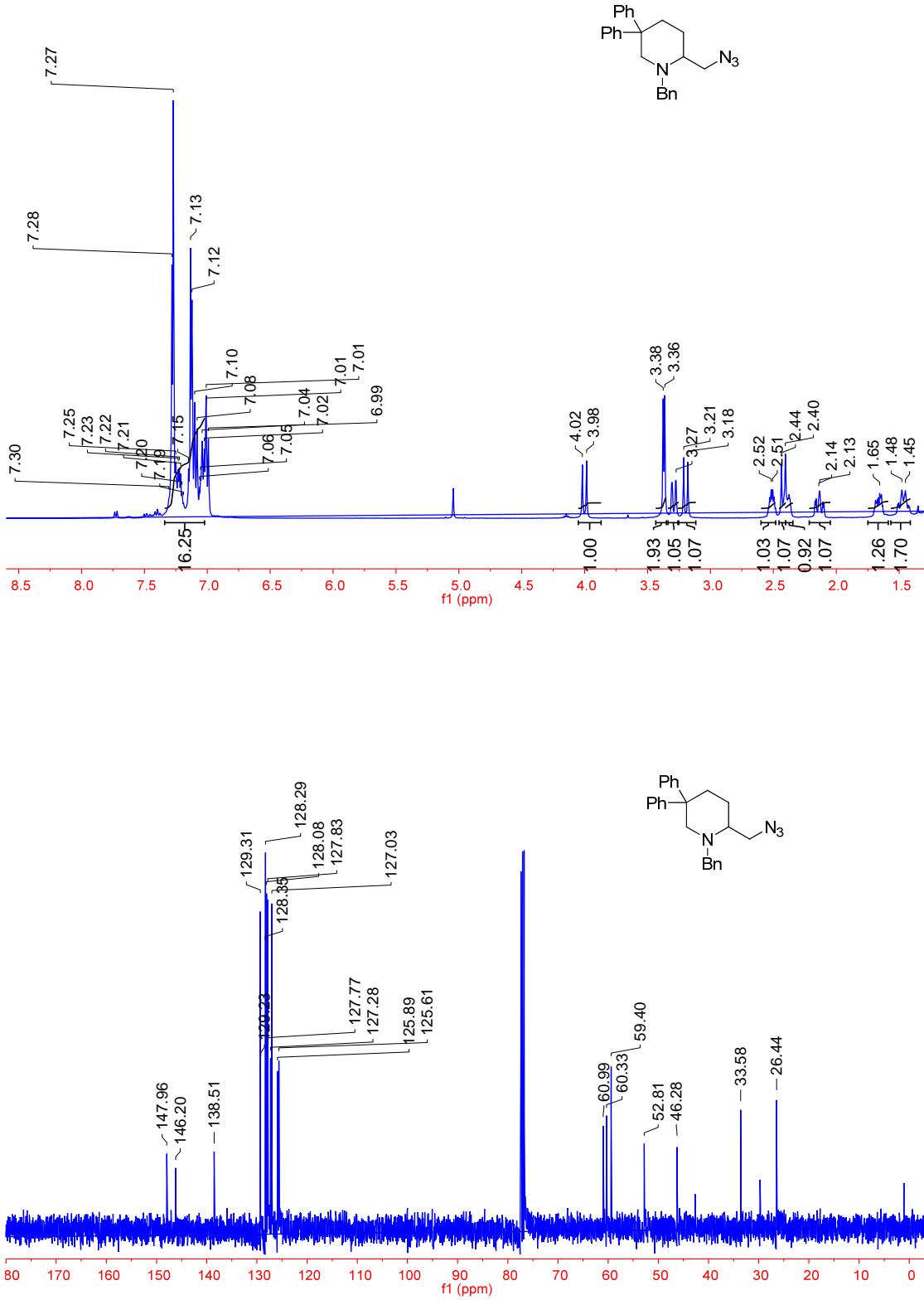


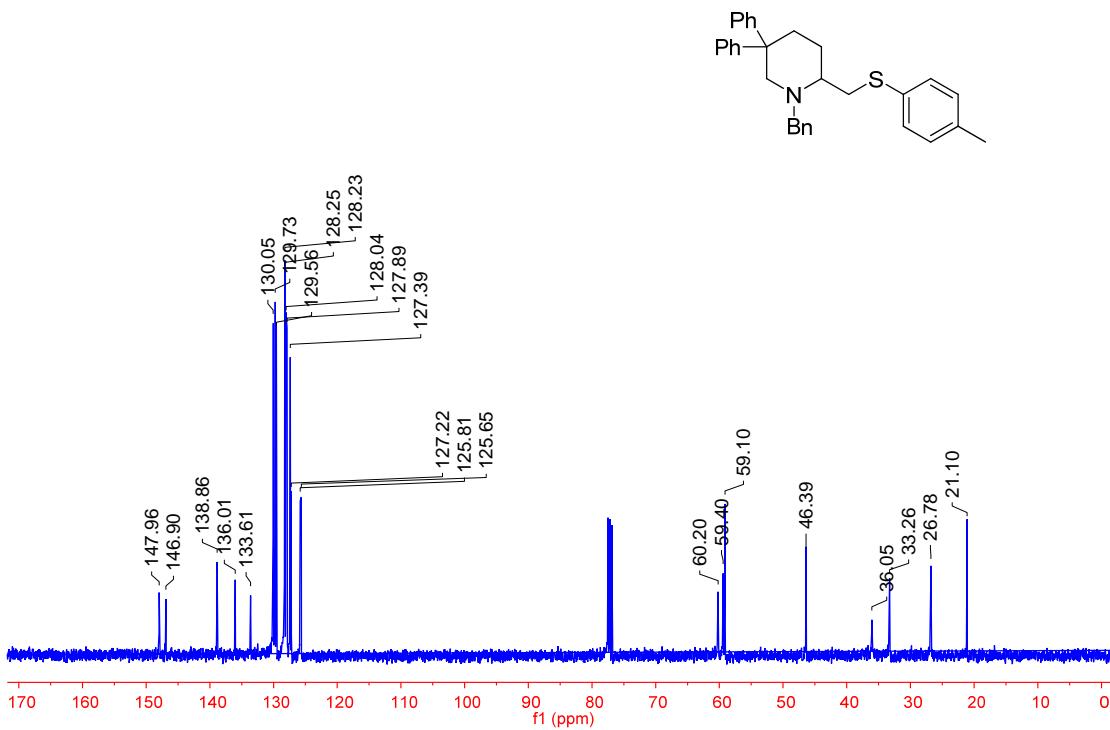
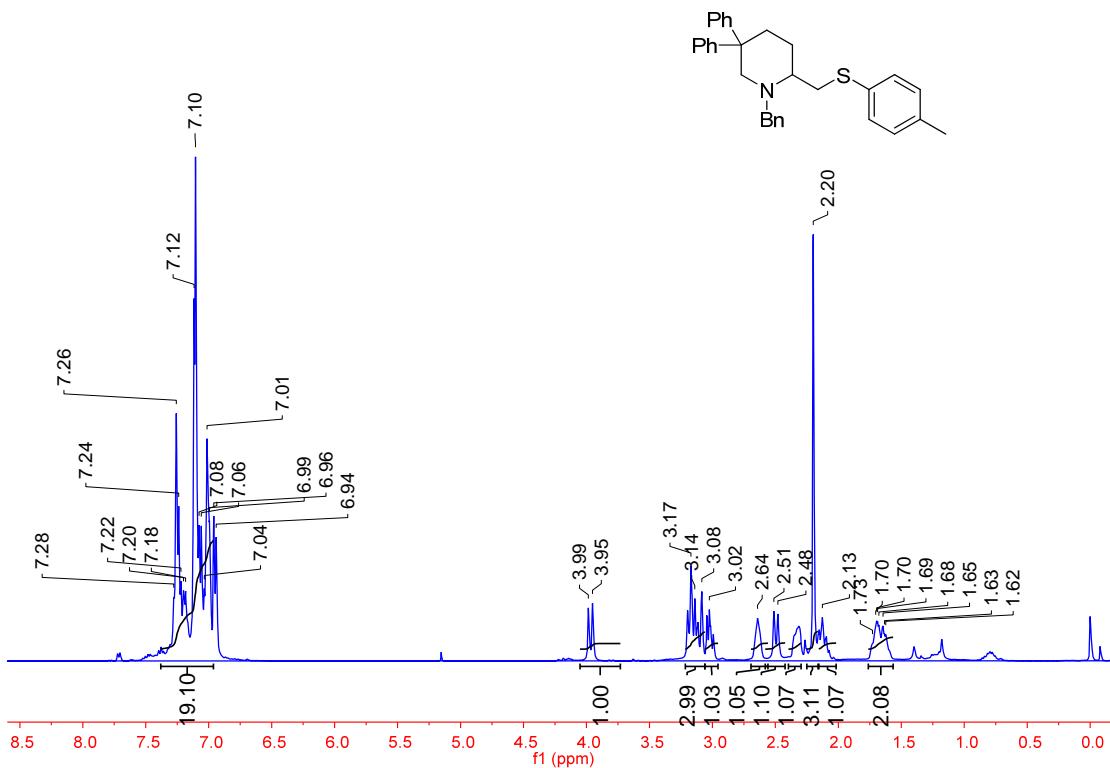


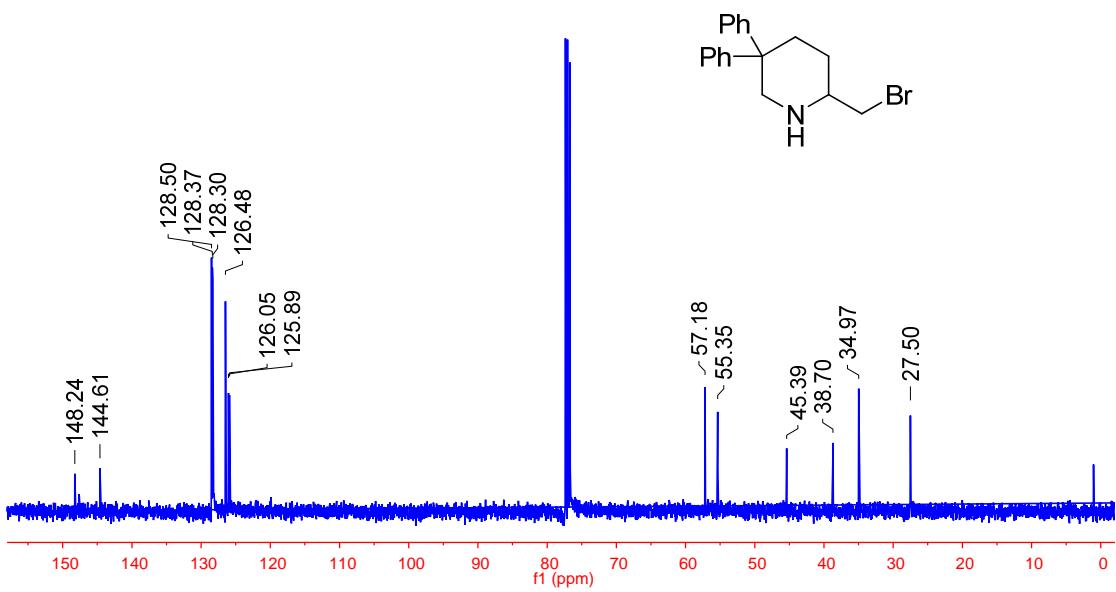
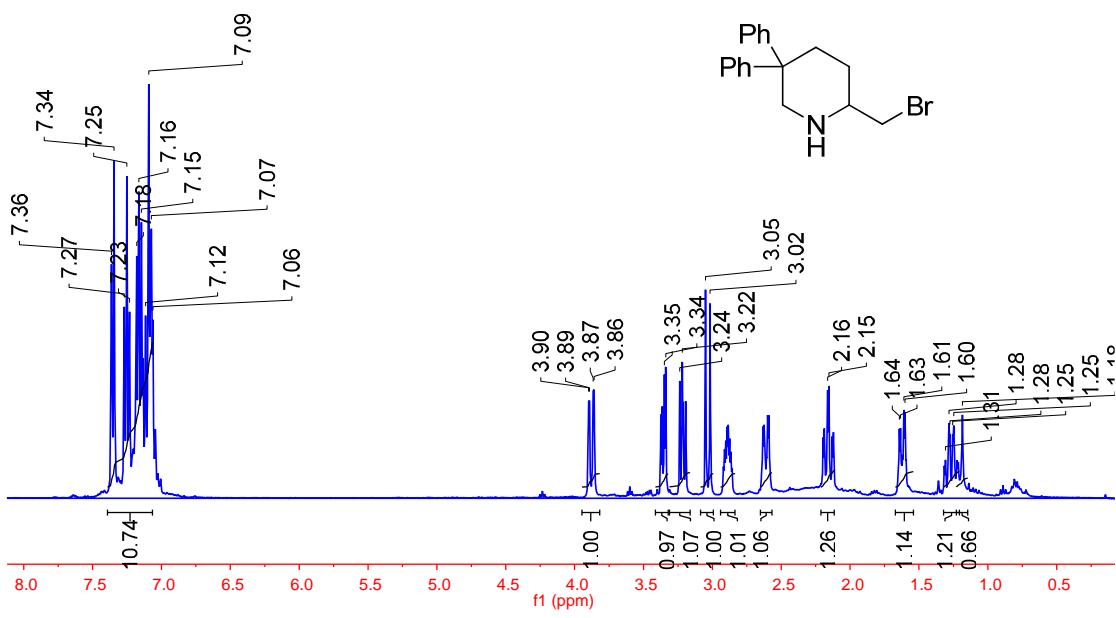


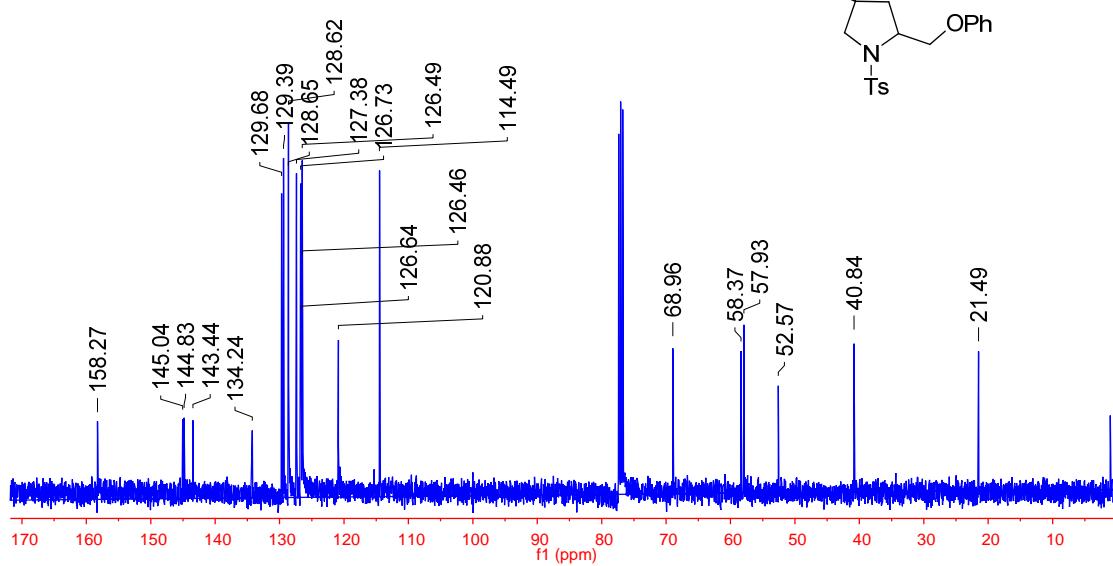
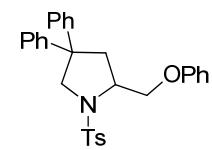
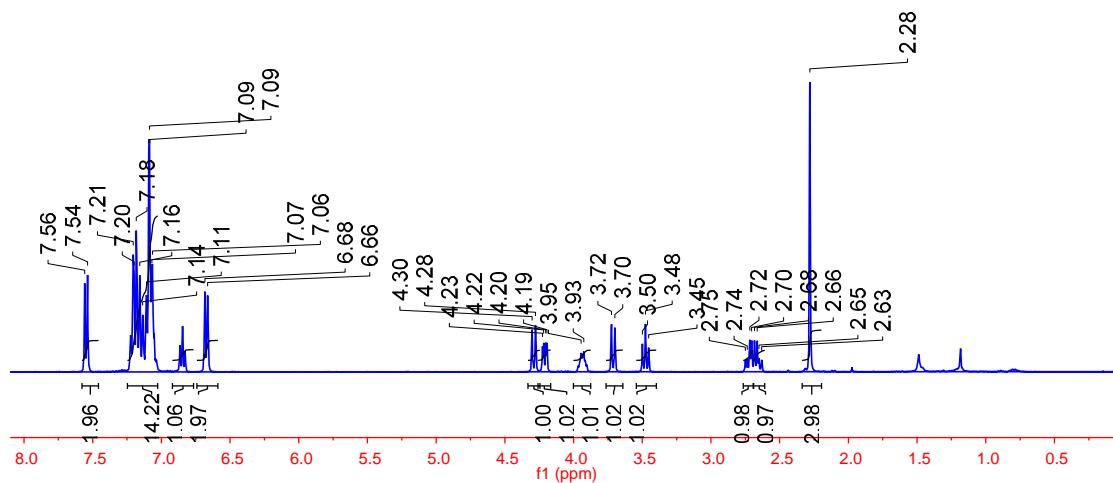
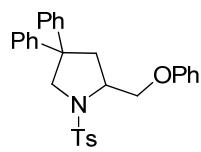


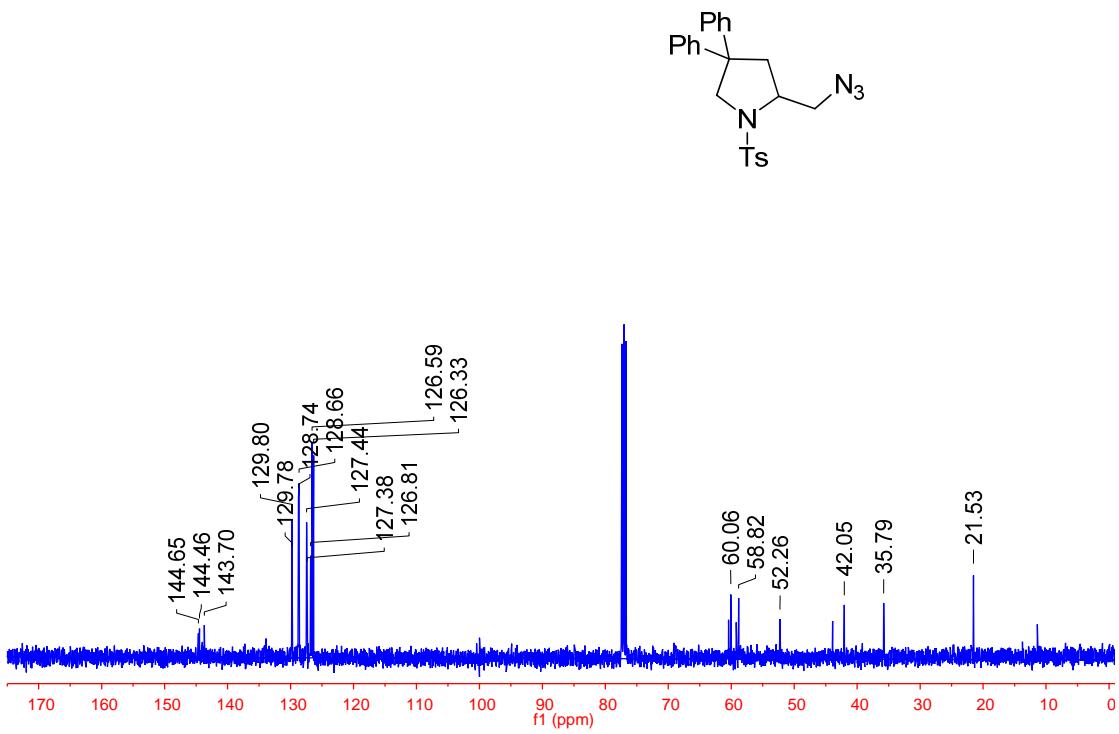
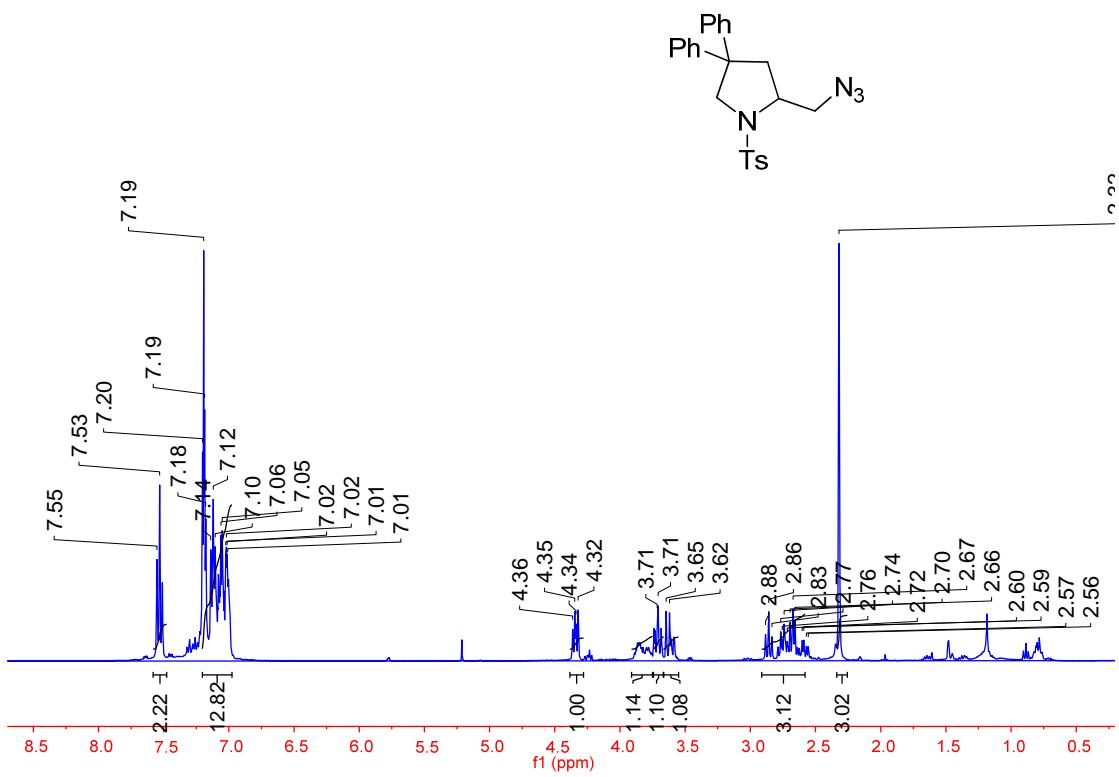


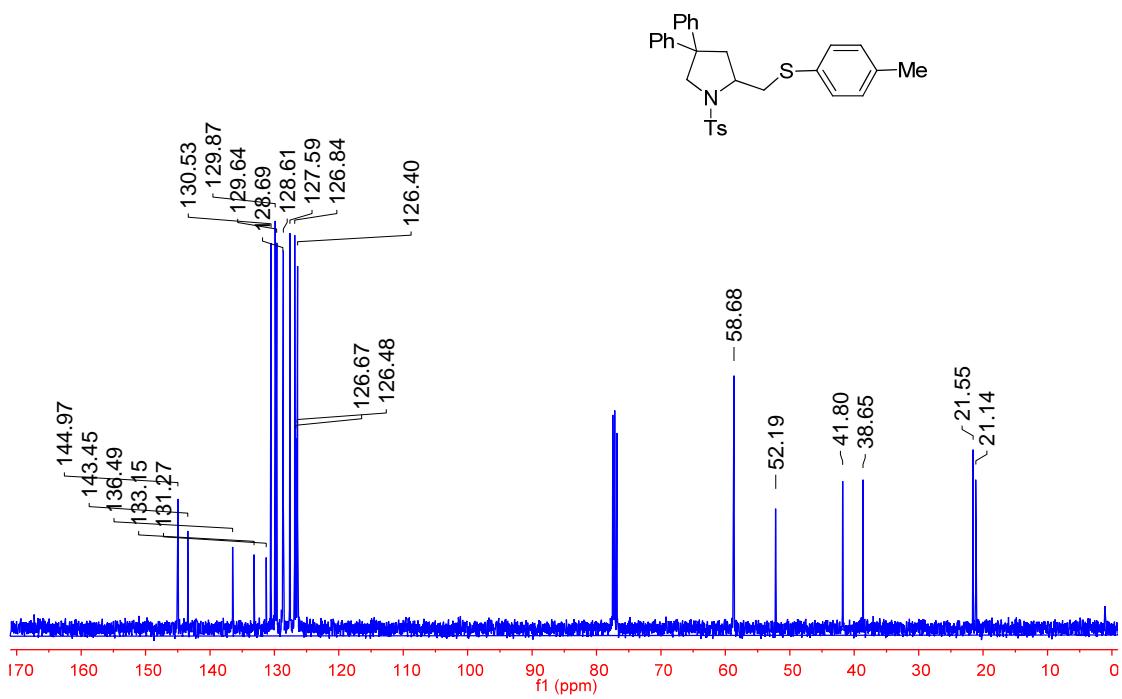
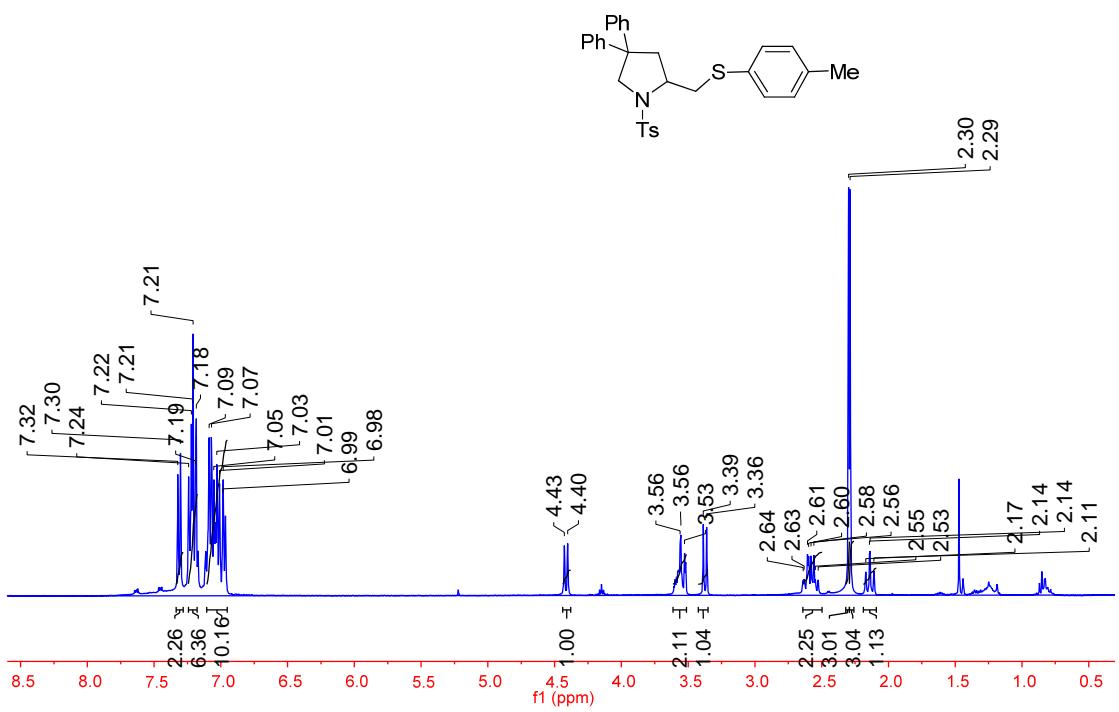


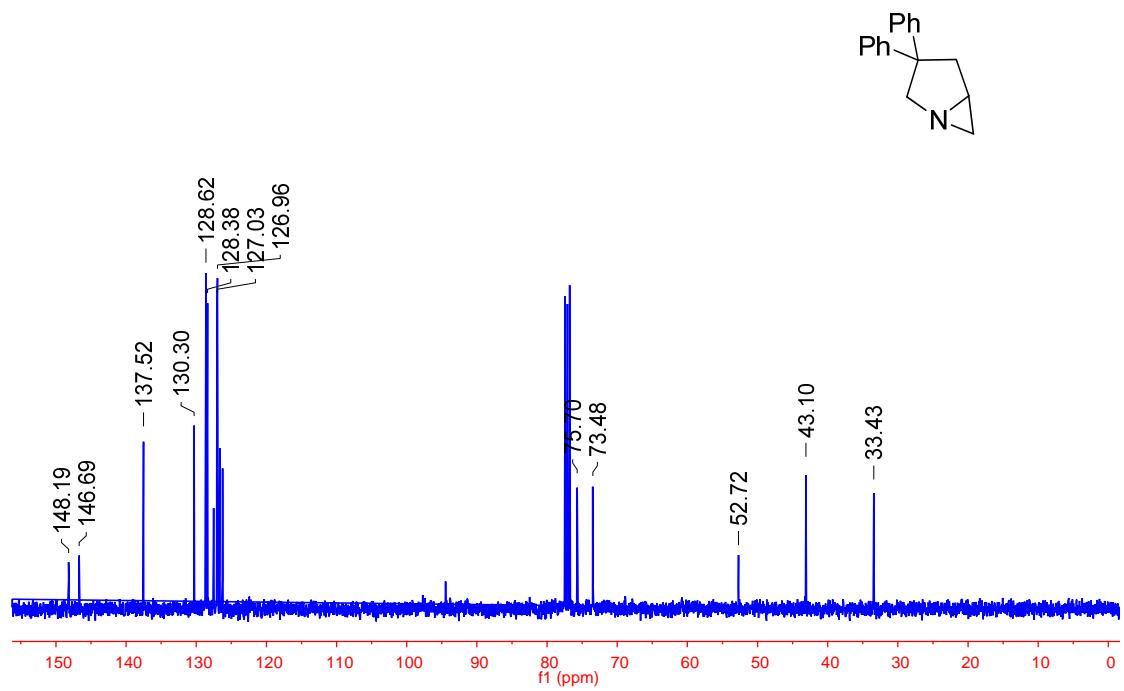
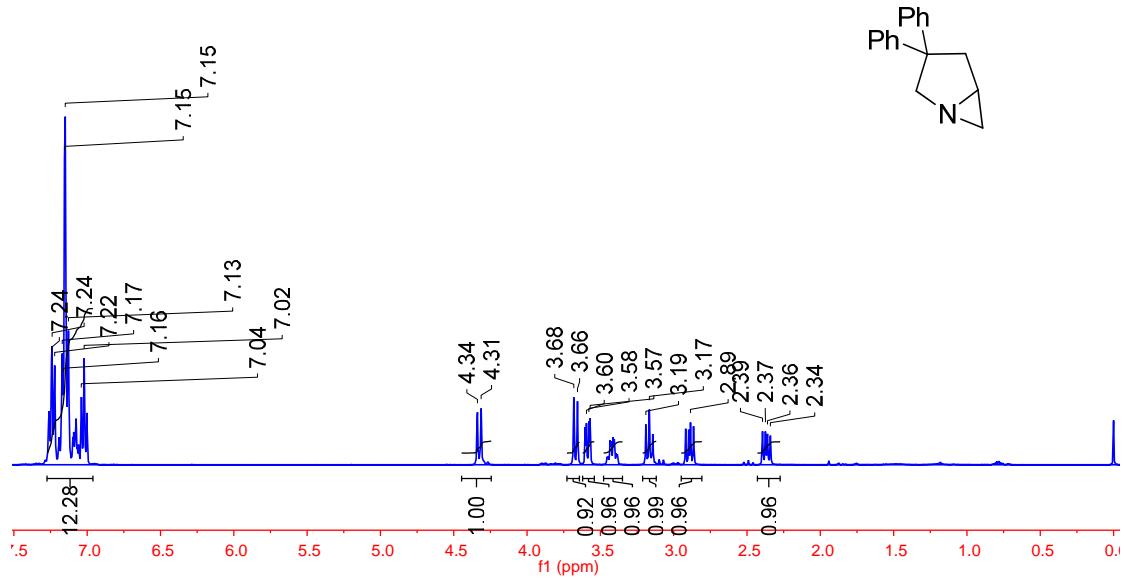












8. X-ray Crystal Structure and Data of 5b

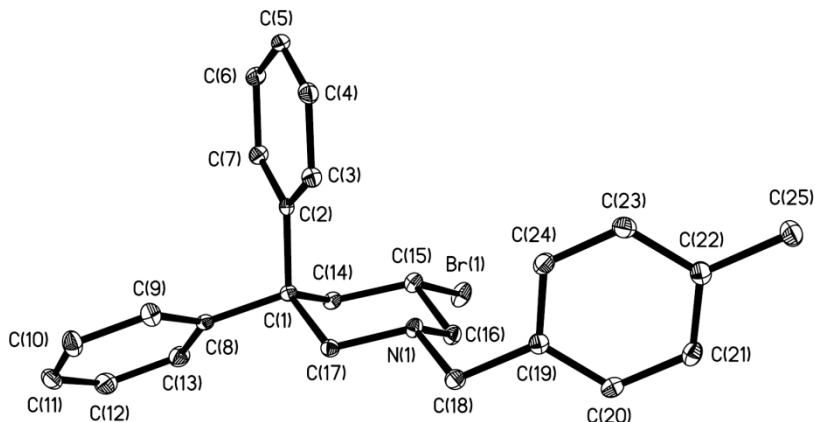


Figure 1. ORTEP drawing of **5b**

Table 6. Crystal data and structure refinement

| Properties | Data |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Empirical | C ₂₅ H ₂₆ BrN |
| Formula weight | 420.38 |
| Temperature | 113(2) |
| Wave length | 0.71073 Å |
| Cell length a | 12.021(3) Å |
| Cell length b | 10.387(3) Å |
| Cell length c | 16.401(4) Å |
| Cell angle alpha | 90.00 |
| Cell angle beta | 92.093(4) |
| Cell angle gamma | 90.00 |
| Cell volume | 2046.5(9) |
| Cell formula units Z | 4 |
| Crystal Size | 0.20 x 0.18 x 0.12 |

Table 7. Atomic coordination and equivalent isotropic displacement parameter

| | X | Y | Z | U(eq) |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Br(1) | 221(1) | 7543(1) | 592(1) | 27(1) |
| N(1) | 2099(1) | 5211(1) | 2179(1) | 16(1) |
| C(1) | 2622(1) | 7460(1) | 2573(1) | 14(1) |
| C(2) | 3726(1) | 7479(1) | 2127(1) | 14(1) |
| C(3) | 4416(1) | 6408(1) | 2072(1) | 18(1) |

| | | | | |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| C(4) | 5414(1) | 6476(2) | 1667(1) | 20(1) |
| C(5) | 5730(1) | 7610(1) | 1299(1) | 20(1) |
| C(6) | 5058(1) | 8692(2) | 1362(1) | 21(1) |
| C(7) | 4070(1) | 8630(1) | 1776(1) | 19(1) |
| C(8) | 2763(1) | 8287(1) | 3349(1) | 16(1) |
| C(9) | 3647(1) | 8012(2) | 3899(1) | 21(1) |
| C(10) | 3800(2) | 8681(1) | 4626(1) | 26(1) |
| C(11) | 3064(2) | 9655(2) | 4819(1) | 26(1) |
| C(12) | 2196(1) | 9955(2) | 4279(1) | 29(1) |
| C(13) | 2043(1) | 9277(1) | 3550(1) | 24(1) |
| C(14) | 1664(1) | 7936(2) | 1997(1) | 17(1) |
| C(15) | 1466(1) | 6972(2) | 1313(1) | 18(1) |
| C(16) | 1182(1) | 5649(1) | 1638(1) | 19(1) |
| C(17) | 2292(1) | 6100(1) | 2858(1) | 16(1) |
| C(18) | 1896(1) | 3900(1) | 2477(1) | 19(1) |
| C(19) | 2035(1) | 2900(1) | 1823(1) | 17(1) |
| C(20) | 1161(1) | 2106(2) | 1566(1) | 20(1) |
| C(21) | 1312(1) | 1167(1) | 971(1) | 21(1) |
| C(22) | 2330(1) | 1012(1) | 615(1) | 20(1) |
| C(23) | 3208(1) | 1815(1) | 877(1) | 22(1) |
| C(24) | 3066(1) | 2736(1) | 1476(1) | 20(1) |
| C(25) | 2486(2) | 10(2) | -37(1) | 29(1) |

Table 8. Bond lengths

| | | | |
|-------------|------------|--------------|----------|
| Br(1)-C(15) | 1.9646(14) | C(6)-C(7) | 1.391(2) |
| N(1)-C(17) | 1.4583(17) | C(6)-H(6) | 0.9500 |
| N(1)-C(16) | 1.4621(18) | C(7)-H(7) | 0.9500 |
| N(1)-C(18) | 1.4696(17) | C(8)-C(13) | 1.392(2) |
| C(1)-C(2) | 1.539(2) | C(8)-C(9) | 1.397(2) |
| C(1)-C(8) | 1.5393(19) | C(9)-C(10) | 1.386(2) |
| C(1)-C(17) | 1.5444(18) | C(9)-H(9) | 0.9500 |
| C(1)-C(14) | 1.5445(19) | C(10)-C(11) | 1.388(2) |
| C(2)-C(3) | 1.3928(19) | C(10)-H(10) | 0.9500 |
| C(2)-C(7) | 1.3965(19) | C(11)-C(12) | 1.379(2) |
| C(3)-C(4) | 1.394(2) | C(11)-H(11) | 0.9500 |
| C(3)-H(3) | 0.9500 | C(12)-C(13) | 1.394(2) |
| C(4)-C(5) | 1.383(2) | C(12)-H(12) | 0.9500 |
| C(4)-H(4) | 0.9500 | C(13)-H(13) | 0.9500 |
| C(5)-C(6) | 1.391(2) | C(14)-C(15) | 1.516(2) |
| C(5)-H(5) | 0.9500 | C(14)-H(14A) | 0.9900 |

| | |
|------------------|------------|
| C(14)-H(14B) | 0.9900 |
| C(15)-C(16) | 1.517(2) |
| C(15)-H(15) | 1.0000 |
| C(16)-H(16A) | 0.9900 |
| C(16)-H(16B) | 0.9900 |
| C(17)-H(17A) | 0.9900 |
| C(17)-H(17B) | 0.9900 |
| C(18)-C(19) | 1.507(2) |
| C(18)-H(18A) | 0.9900 |
| C(18)-H(18B) | 0.9900 |
| C(19)-C(20) | 1.389(2) |
| C(19)-C(24) | 1.393(2) |
| C(20)-C(21) | 1.396(2) |
| C(20)-H(20) | 0.9500 |
| C(21)-C(22) | 1.385(2) |
| C(21)-H(21) | 0.9500 |
| C(22)-C(23) | 1.400(2) |
| C(22)-C(25) | 1.509(2) |
| C(23)-C(24) | 1.387(2) |
| C(23)-H(23) | 0.9500 |
| C(24)-H(24) | 0.9500 |
| C(25)-H(25A) | 0.9800 |
| C(25)-H(25B) | 0.9800 |
| C(25)-H(25C) | 0.9800 |
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| C(17)-N(1)-C(16) | 111.15(11) |
| C(17)-N(1)-C(18) | 110.89(11) |
| C(16)-N(1)-C(18) | 111.05(11) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(8) | 108.35(11) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(17) | 113.00(11) |
| C(8)-C(1)-C(17) | 106.42(11) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(14) | 110.00(12) |
| C(8)-C(1)-C(14) | 112.63(11) |
| C(17)-C(1)-C(14) | 106.47(11) |
| C(3)-C(2)-C(7) | 118.12(14) |
| C(3)-C(2)-C(1) | 123.14(12) |
| C(7)-C(2)-C(1) | 118.73(12) |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4) | 120.98(14) |
| C(2)-C(3)-H(3) | 119.5 |
| C(4)-C(3)-H(3) | 119.5 |
| C(5)-C(4)-C(3) | 120.44(14) |
| C(5)-C(4)-H(4) | 119.8 |
| C(3)-C(4)-H(4) | 119.8 |

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| C(4)-C(5)-C(6) | 119.10(15) |
| C(4)-C(5)-H(5) | 120.5 |
| C(6)-C(5)-H(5) | 120.5 |
| C(5)-C(6)-C(7) | 120.50(14) |
| C(5)-C(6)-H(6) | 119.7 |
| C(7)-C(6)-H(6) | 119.7 |
| C(6)-C(7)-C(2) | 120.82(14) |
| C(6)-C(7)-H(7) | 119.6 |
| C(2)-C(7)-H(7) | 119.6 |
| C(13)-C(8)-C(9) | 117.59(14) |
| C(13)-C(8)-C(1) | 123.85(13) |
| C(9)-C(8)-C(1) | 118.54(13) |
| C(10)-C(9)-C(8) | 121.77(15) |
| C(10)-C(9)-H(9) | 119.1 |
| C(8)-C(9)-H(9) | 119.1 |
| C(9)-C(10)-C(11) | 119.77(16) |
| C(9)-C(10)-H(10) | 120.1 |
| C(11)-C(10)-H(10) | 120.1 |
| C(12)-C(11)-C(10) | 119.37(15) |
| C(12)-C(11)-H(11) | 120.3 |
| C(10)-C(11)-H(11) | 120.3 |
| C(11)-C(12)-C(13) | 120.71(15) |
| C(11)-C(12)-H(12) | 119.6 |
| C(13)-C(12)-H(12) | 119.6 |
| C(8)-C(13)-C(12) | 120.78(15) |
| C(8)-C(13)-H(13) | 119.6 |
| C(12)-C(13)-H(13) | 119.6 |
| C(15)-C(14)-C(1) | 109.55(12) |
| C(15)-C(14)-H(14A) | 109.8 |
| C(1)-C(14)-H(14A) | 109.8 |
| C(15)-C(14)-H(14B) | 109.8 |
| C(1)-C(14)-H(14B) | 109.8 |
| H(14A)-C(14)-H(14B) | 108.2 |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(16) | 111.70(12) |
| C(14)-C(15)-Br(1) | 109.95(10) |
| C(16)-C(15)-Br(1) | 108.02(10) |
| C(14)-C(15)-H(15) | 109.0 |
| C(16)-C(15)-H(15) | 109.0 |
| Br(1)-C(15)-H(15) | 109.0 |
| N(1)-C(16)-C(15) | 108.73(11) |
| N(1)-C(16)-H(16A) | 109.9 |
| C(15)-C(16)-H(16A) | 109.9 |
| N(1)-C(16)-H(16B) | 109.9 |

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|---------------------|------------|
| C(15)-C(16)-H(16B) | 109.9 |
| H(16A)-C(16)-H(16B) | 108.3 |
| N(1)-C(17)-C(1) | 112.61(11) |
| N(1)-C(17)-H(17A) | 109.1 |
| C(1)-C(17)-H(17A) | 109.1 |
| N(1)-C(17)-H(17B) | 109.1 |
| C(1)-C(17)-H(17B) | 109.1 |
| H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B) | 107.8 |
| N(1)-C(18)-C(19) | 112.19(12) |
| N(1)-C(18)-H(18A) | 109.2 |
| C(19)-C(18)-H(18A) | 109.2 |
| N(1)-C(18)-H(18B) | 109.2 |
| C(19)-C(18)-H(18B) | 109.2 |
| H(18A)-C(18)-H(18B) | 107.9 |
| C(20)-C(19)-C(24) | 118.56(14) |
| C(20)-C(19)-C(18) | 121.54(14) |
| C(24)-C(19)-C(18) | 119.88(14) |
| C(19)-C(20)-C(21) | 120.69(15) |
| C(19)-C(20)-H(20) | 119.7 |
| C(21)-C(20)-H(20) | 119.7 |
| C(22)-C(21)-C(20) | 121.04(14) |
| C(22)-C(21)-H(21) | 119.5 |
| C(20)-C(21)-H(21) | 119.5 |
| C(21)-C(22)-C(23) | 118.01(13) |
| C(21)-C(22)-C(25) | 120.90(14) |
| C(23)-C(22)-C(25) | 121.09(14) |
| C(24)-C(23)-C(22) | 121.12(14) |
| C(24)-C(23)-H(23) | 119.4 |
| C(22)-C(23)-H(23) | 119.4 |
| C(23)-C(24)-C(19) | 120.57(14) |
| C(23)-C(24)-H(24) | 119.7 |
| C(19)-C(24)-H(24) | 119.7 |
| C(22)-C(25)-H(25A) | 109.5 |
| C(22)-C(25)-H(25B) | 109.5 |
| H(25A)-C(25)-H(25B) | 109.5 |
| C(22)-C(25)-H(25C) | 109.5 |
| H(25A)-C(25)-H(25C) | 109.5 |
| H(25B)-C(25)-H(25C) | 109.5 |

Table 9. Anisotropic displacement parameters

| | U11 | U22 | U33 | U23 | U13 | U12 |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| Br(1) | 24(1) | 24(1) | 30(1) | 6(1) | -13(1) | -2(1) |
| N(1) | 18(1) | 12(1) | 17(1) | 2(1) | -2(1) | -2(1) |
| C(1) | 12(1) | 14(1) | 15(1) | 1(1) | 0(1) | 1(1) |
| C(2) | 14(1) | 16(1) | 12(1) | -1(1) | -1(1) | -1(1) |
| C(3) | 18(1) | 18(1) | 19(1) | 0(1) | 0(1) | 1(1) |
| C(4) | 17(1) | 24(1) | 20(1) | -4(1) | 0(1) | 3(1) |
| C(5) | 14(1) | 29(1) | 18(1) | -5(1) | 2(1) | -4(1) |
| C(6) | 23(1) | 21(1) | 21(1) | 2(1) | 3(1) | -6(1) |
| C(7) | 17(1) | 17(1) | 22(1) | 0(1) | 1(1) | 0(1) |
| C(8) | 17(1) | 14(1) | 16(1) | 1(1) | 3(1) | -3(1) |
| C(9) | 26(1) | 17(1) | 19(1) | 1(1) | -1(1) | 3(1) |
| C(10) | 37(1) | 23(1) | 19(1) | 1(1) | -4(1) | -3(1) |
| C(11) | 39(1) | 23(1) | 18(1) | -3(1) | 8(1) | -8(1) |
| C(12) | 27(1) | 25(1) | 35(1) | -11(1) | 11(1) | 0(1) |
| C(13) | 19(1) | 22(1) | 30(1) | -3(1) | 3(1) | 0(1) |
| C(14) | 14(1) | 16(1) | 19(1) | 2(1) | -1(1) | 0(1) |
| C(15) | 15(1) | 19(1) | 19(1) | 3(1) | -5(1) | 1(1) |
| C(16) | 17(1) | 20(1) | 19(1) | 0(1) | -2(1) | -2(1) |
| C(17) | 16(1) | 16(1) | 15(1) | 1(1) | 1(1) | 0(1) |
| C(18) | 24(1) | 14(1) | 19(1) | 2(1) | 3(1) | -2(1) |

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| C(19) | 21(1) | 13(1) | 16(1) | 3(1) | 0(1) | 1(1) |
| C(20) | 19(1) | 19(1) | 23(1) | 3(1) | 2(1) | -2(1) |
| C(21) | 23(1) | 16(1) | 22(1) | 2(1) | -4(1) | -3(1) |
| C(22) | 27(1) | 16(1) | 16(1) | 3(1) | 0(1) | 0(1) |
| C(23) | 22(1) | 21(1) | 22(1) | 1(1) | 5(1) | 1(1) |
| C(24) | 20(1) | 20(1) | 21(1) | 1(1) | 0(1) | -4(1) |
| C(25) | 39(1) | 26(1) | 22(1) | -5(1) | 6(1) | -5(1) |

Table 10. Hydrogen coordinates and isotropic displacement parameters

| | X | Y | Z | U(eq) |
|--------|------|-------|------|-------|
| H(3) | 4203 | 5618 | 2314 | 21 |
| H(4) | 5879 | 5739 | 1643 | 24 |
| H(5) | 6398 | 7648 | 1007 | 24 |
| H(6) | 5276 | 9480 | 1122 | 26 |
| H(7) | 3623 | 9379 | 1819 | 22 |
| H(9) | 4156 | 7350 | 3771 | 25 |
| H(10) | 4406 | 8473 | 4990 | 32 |
| H(11) | 3158 | 10112 | 5319 | 32 |
| H(12) | 1698 | 10629 | 4406 | 35 |
| H(13) | 1439 | 9495 | 3185 | 29 |
| H(14A) | 977 | 8038 | 2306 | 20 |
| H(14B) | 1858 | 8784 | 1766 | 20 |
| H(15) | 2153 | 6907 | 990 | 21 |
| H(16A) | 486 | 5692 | 1942 | 22 |
| H(16B) | 1068 | 5037 | 1180 | 22 |
| H(17A) | 2891 | 5754 | 3225 | 19 |
| H(17B) | 1607 | 6161 | 3172 | 19 |
| H(18A) | 1131 | 3849 | 2678 | 23 |
| H(18B) | 2421 | 3713 | 2941 | 23 |
| H(20) | 453 | 2203 | 1797 | 24 |
| H(21) | 707 | 626 | 808 | 25 |
| H(23) | 3914 | 1727 | 640 | 26 |
| H(24) | 3677 | 3259 | 1651 | 24 |
| H(25A) | 2030 | -747 | 77 | 43 |
| H(25B) | 3272 | -242 | -41 | 43 |
| H(25C) | 2257 | 366 | -571 | 43 |

Table 11. Torsion angles

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|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|------------|
| C(8)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | 110.58(15) | C(8)-C(1)-C(2)-C(7) | -67.92(16) |
| C(17)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | -7.1(2) | C(17)-C(1)-C(2)-C(7) | 174.42(12) |
| C(14)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3) | -125.91(14) | C(14)-C(1)-C(2)-C(7) | 55.59(17) |

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| C(7)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4) | -0.9(2) |
| C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4) | -179.43(14) |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5) | -1.0(2) |
| C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6) | 2.2(2) |
| C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7) | -1.3(2) |
| C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(2) | -0.7(2) |
| C(3)-C(2)-C(7)-C(6) | 1.8(2) |
| C(1)-C(2)-C(7)-C(6) | -179.65(13) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(8)-C(13) | 127.76(14) |
| C(17)-C(1)-C(8)-C(13) | -110.44(15) |
| C(14)-C(1)-C(8)-C(13) | 5.85(19) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(8)-C(9) | -54.04(16) |
| C(17)-C(1)-C(8)-C(9) | 67.75(16) |
| C(14)-C(1)-C(8)-C(9) | -175.95(12) |
| C(13)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10) | 1.0(2) |
| C(1)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10) | -177.33(14) |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11) | -0.2(2) |
| C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12) | -0.7(2) |
| C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13) | 0.9(2) |
| C(9)-C(8)-C(13)-C(12) | -0.8(2) |
| C(1)-C(8)-C(13)-C(12) | 177.44(14) |
| C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(8) | -0.2(2) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(14)-C(15) | 67.22(14) |
| C(8)-C(1)-C(14)-C(15) | -171.80(12) |
| C(17)-C(1)-C(14)-C(15) | -55.54(15) |

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| C(1)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16) | 58.56(15) |
| C(1)-C(14)-C(15)-Br(1) | 178.47(9) |
| C(17)-N(1)-C(16)-C(15) | 59.17(15) |
| C(18)-N(1)-C(16)-C(15) | -176.87(11) |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-N(1) | -58.78(16) |
| Br(1)-C(15)-C(16)-N(1) | -179.82(9) |
| C(16)-N(1)-C(17)-C(1) | -61.54(15) |
| C(18)-N(1)-C(17)-C(1) | 174.42(11) |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(17)-N(1) | -62.72(16) |
| C(8)-C(1)-C(17)-N(1) | 178.48(11) |
| C(14)-C(1)-C(17)-N(1) | 58.13(15) |
| C(17)-N(1)-C(18)-C(19) | -162.87(12) |
| C(16)-N(1)-C(18)-C(19) | 73.03(15) |
| N(1)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20) | -119.17(15) |
| N(1)-C(18)-C(19)-C(24) | 62.41(18) |
| C(24)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21) | -0.2(2) |
| C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21) | -178.66(13) |
| C(19)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22) | -0.8(2) |
| C(20)-C(21)-C(22)-C(23) | 0.8(2) |
| C(20)-C(21)-C(22)-C(25) | -179.10(14) |
| C(21)-C(22)-C(23)-C(24) | 0.1(2) |
| C(25)-C(22)-C(23)-C(24) | -179.94(14) |
| C(22)-C(23)-C(24)-C(19) | -1.1(2) |
| C(20)-C(19)-C(24)-C(23) | 1.2(2) |
| C(18)-C(19)-C(24)-C(23) | 179.64(14) |

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