

# Site-Selective and Stereoselective Functionalization of Non-Activated Tertiary C–H Bonds

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## 1 - General Considerations

### 1.1 Equipment and Methods

$^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded at either 500 MHz ( $^{13}\text{C}$  at 126 MHz) or 600 MHz ( $^{13}\text{C}$  at 151 MHz) on INOVA-500 or Bruker-600 spectrometer, as indicated. NMR spectra were run in solutions of deuterated chloroform ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ) with residual chloroform taken as an internal standard (7.26 ppm for  $^1\text{H}$ , and 77.16 ppm for  $^{13}\text{C}$ ), and were reported in parts per million (ppm).

Abbreviations for signal multiplicity are as follow: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, dd = doublet of doublet, etc. Coupling constants ( $J$  values) were calculated directly from the spectra. IR spectra were collected on a Nicolet iS10 FT-IR spectrometer. Mass spectra were taken on a Thermo Finnigan LTQ-FTMS spectrometer with APCI, ESI or NSI. Thin layer chromatographic (TLC) analysis was performed with glass-backed silica gel plates, visualizing with UV light (254 nm) and/or staining with aqueous  $\text{KMnO}_4$  stain.

### 1.2 Solvents for Reaction

The dichloromethane( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ) used for the carbenoid transformations was dried at reflux over calcium hydride in a 250-mL round bottom flask for 12 hours under argon, then distilled and stored under argon atmosphere and then used directly.

### 1.3 Substrates and Reagents

The substrates and reagents were purchased from the following suppliers and used without further purification:

Acros: 2-Methylbutane (1 LT, 99+ % purity);

Sigma-Aldrich: 3-Methylpentane (1 LT,  $\geq 99$  % purity); 2,5-Dimethylhexane (5 g, 99 % purity); 1-Bromo-3-methylbutane (100 g, 96 % purity); Cholesteryl acetate (100 g, 97 % purity); Cholesteryl pelargonate (100 g, 97 % purity); 2-Methylhexane (5g, 99% purity)

Alfa-Aesar: 2-Methylpentane (100 mL, 99+ % purity); 2,3-Dimethylbutane (100 g, 99 % purity)

TCI: 3-Ethyl-2-methylpentane (5 mL,  $>99$  % purity); D- $\alpha$ -Tocopherol Acetate (Vitamin E) (25 g,  $>96$  % purity)

The following substrates were prepared according to reported procedures<sup>1</sup>:

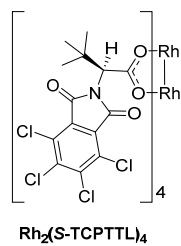
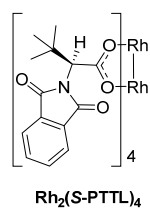
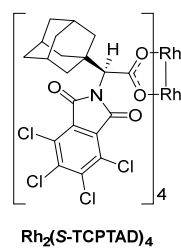
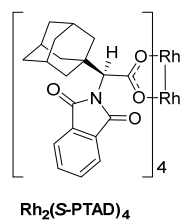
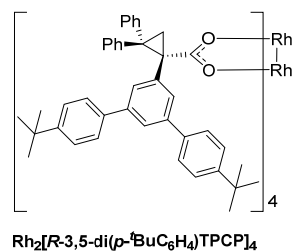
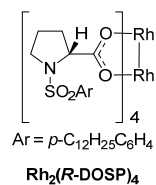
Butyl 5-methylhexanoate; pentyl 5-methylhexanoate; phytol pivalate.

The following reagents were prepared according to reported procedures<sup>2, 3, 4, 5</sup>:

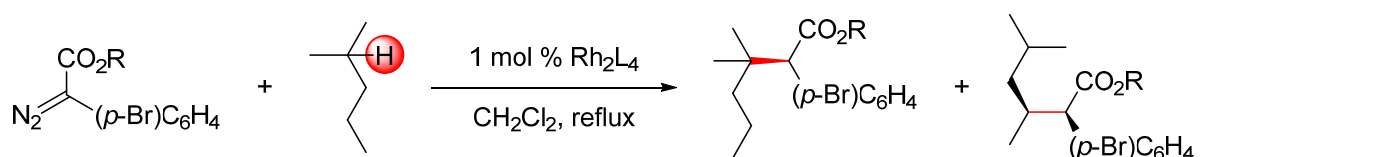
Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate; 2,2,2-trichloroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate; 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate; 2,2,2-tribromoethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate.

## 2 - C–H Functionalization Reactions

### 2.1 Catalysts Structures



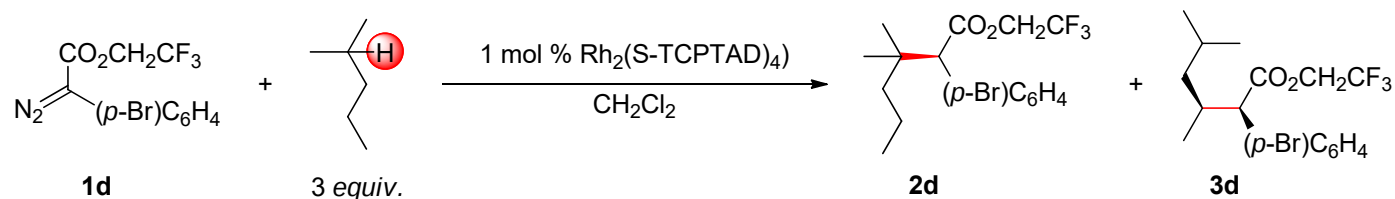
## 2.2 Data Summary for Catalyst and Diazo Screen



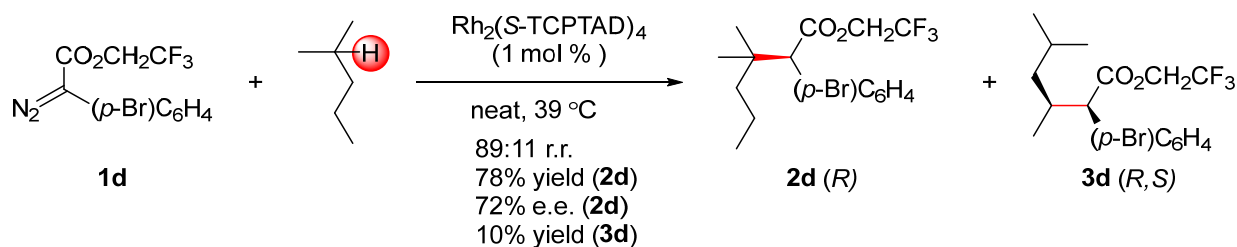
| <b>1a-e</b><br>Catalyst                                                                                         | <b>1</b>  | <b>R</b>                         | <b>2a-e</b><br>yield (%) <sup>a</sup> | <b>2a-e</b><br>r.r. ( <b>2:3</b> ) | <b>3a-e</b><br>e.e. ( <b>2</b> , %) | <b>3a-e</b><br>d.r. ( <b>3</b> ) | <b>3a-e</b><br>e.e. ( <b>3</b> , %) |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>R</i> -DOSP) <sub>4</sub>                                                                  | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 83                                    | 85:15                              | -43                                 | 3: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> [ <i>R</i> -3,5-di( <i>p</i> - <sup>t</sup> BuC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> )TPCP] <sub>4</sub> | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 23                                    | 35:65                              | -10                                 | 4: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -PTAD) <sub>4</sub>                                                                  | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 50                                    | 74:26                              | -34                                 | 2: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -PTTL) <sub>4</sub>                                                                  | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 80                                    | 74:26                              | -33                                 | 2: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -TCPTTL) <sub>4</sub>                                                                | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 86                                    | 86:14                              | 77                                  | 2: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -TCPTAD) <sub>4</sub>                                                                | <b>1a</b> | CH <sub>3</sub>                  | 89                                    | 87:13                              | 79                                  | 3: 1                             | -                                   |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -TCPTAD) <sub>4</sub>                                                                | <b>1b</b> | CH <sub>2</sub> CCl <sub>3</sub> | 84 (74) <sup>b</sup>                  | 89:11                              | 84                                  | 2: 1                             | 77                                  |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -TCPTAD) <sub>4</sub>                                                                | <b>1c</b> | CH <sub>2</sub> CBr <sub>3</sub> | 88 (77)                               | 87:13                              | 77                                  | 2: 1                             | 79                                  |
| Rh <sub>2</sub> ( <i>S</i> -TCPTAD) <sub>4</sub>                                                                | <b>1d</b> | CH <sub>2</sub> CF <sub>3</sub>  | 92 (83)                               | 90:10                              | 77                                  | 2: 1                             | 79                                  |

<sup>a</sup> Combined yield of **2** and **3**. <sup>b</sup> Isolated yield of **2** shown in parenthesis.

## 2.3 Reaction Condition Study



| # | Temperature (°C) | r.r. (%) | e.e. ( <b>2d</b> , %) | Yield ( <b>2d</b> , %) | d.r. ( <b>3d</b> , %) | Yield ( <b>3d</b> , %) |
|---|------------------|----------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 39 (reflux)      | 90:10    | 77                    | 83                     | 2:1                   | 9                      |
| 2 | <i>r.t.</i>      | 91:9     | 80                    | 77                     | 3:1                   | 8                      |
| 3 | 0                | 93:7     | 82                    | 79                     | 4:1                   | 6                      |
| 4 | -10              | 95:5     | 84                    | 78                     | 5:1                   | 4                      |
| 5 | -40              | 96:4     | 86                    | 77                     | 9:1                   | 3                      |
| 6 | -78              | 96:4     | 80                    | 65                     | 7:1                   | 0                      |



## 2.4 General Procedures for C–H Functionalization Reactions

A 5-mL flask was equipped with a reflux condenser and an octagonal magnetic stir bar. The flask was charged with Rh<sub>2</sub>L<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 1 mol%) and treated by vacuum/argon to replace the air in the flask to argon. Substrate (0.6 mmol, 3 *equiv.*) and distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (0.5 mL) were added, then the catalyst/substrate solution was heated to reflux (39 °C) under argon for 5 minutes [or the reaction was conducted at room temperature (24 °C), 0 °C, -10 °C, -40 °C, -78 °C]. Diazo (0.2 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*) was dissolved in 3 mL of distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> and then the diazo solution was added dropwise to the catalyst solution over 6h with a syringe pump under reflux condition [or the reaction was conducted at room temperature (24 °C), 0 °C, -10 °C, -40 °C, -78 °C] and argon atmosphere. After addition, 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> was used to dilute the left over diazo in the syringe needle and then the diazo solution was added dropwise to the reaction solution. Then the rest of the diazo solution in the syringe needle was further pushed into the reaction solution. Then the reaction mixture was allowed to stir for another 1 min, then the reaction mixture was transferred into a 25-mL round bottom flask with diethyl ether (5 mL x 3) and concentrated under vacuum, and crude <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum was obtained to analyze the reaction and measure the selectivity. Then the crude was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel to obtain the product.

### 3 - General Procedure of Data Analysis

#### 3.1 General Procedure for the Regioisomeric Ratios (r.r.) and Diastereomeric Ratios (d.r.) Determination

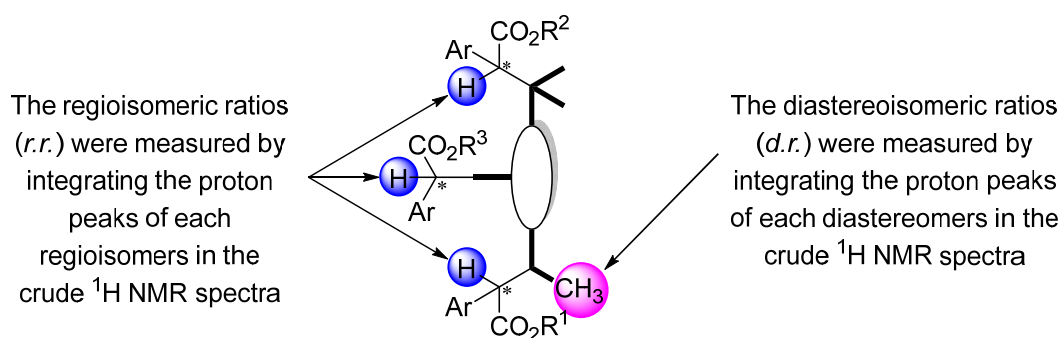
To measure the regioisomeric ratios and diastereomeric ratios, the mixtures obtained as described in section 2.1 were analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR using the following settings:

Instrument: 600 MHz Bruker equipped with a prodigy probe with sensitivity over 1500:1

Number of scans: 32

Relaxation time: 5 seconds

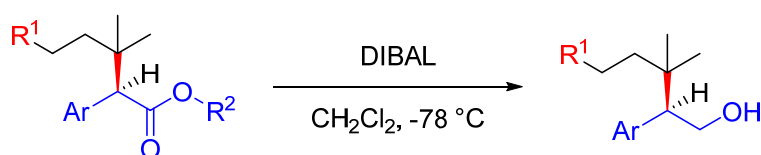
The crude  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra data was processed using MestReNova 11.0.2 (Mestrelab Research S.L.), applying an auto-phase correction as well as a Smooth Segment baseline correction. The baseline was manually inspected before integration. The ratios were measured by integrating the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR peaks resulting from the indicated hydrogens below.



In terms of the functionalization of cholesteryl acetate and Vitamin E, no other regioisomer was detected in the crude  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra, LC-MS technique was used to confirm the results.

#### 3.2 General Procedure for Enantiomeric Excess (e.e.) Determination on HPLC

As most of the enantiomers of the C–H functionalization products were difficult to be separated on the HPLC, they were reduced to the corresponding alcohol derivatives, which will have better separation on the HPLC, without changing the e.e. of the products. Therefore, the e.e. of the products were determined from the corresponding alcohol derivatives.<sup>5</sup>



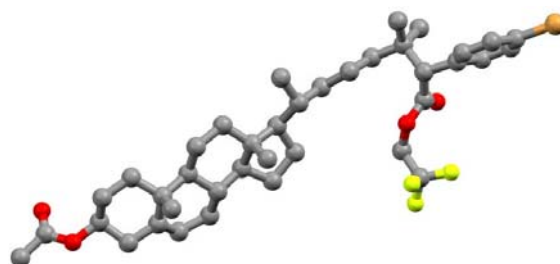
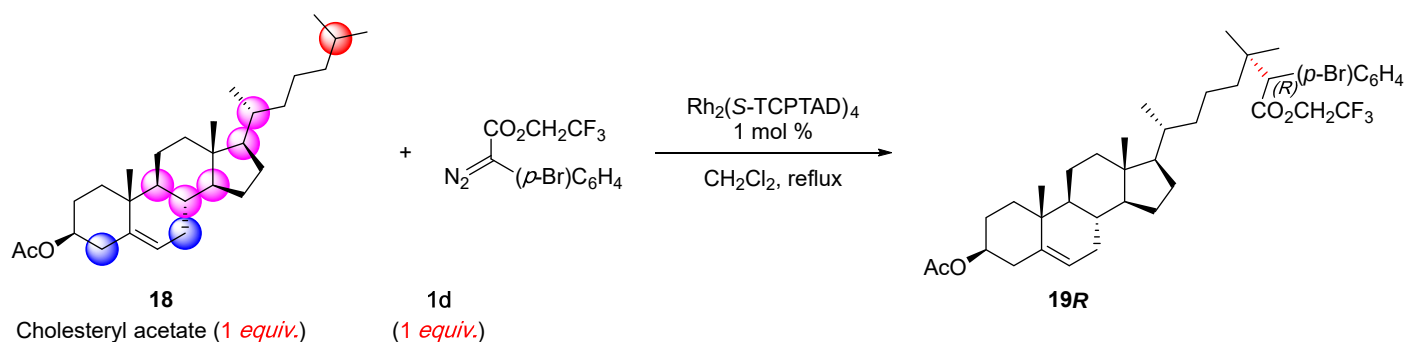
To a 25-mL round bottom flask with a stirred solution of the ester (0.1 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (3 mL) was added 1 M diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (0.5 mL, 0.5 mmol, 5 *equiv.*) slowly at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . The mixture was stirred overnight and allowed to warm up to room temperature. Once the starting material was fully consumed and confirmed by TLC, the solution was cooled down to  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , then methanol (0.5 mL) was added dropwise to quench the reaction and then stirred for 20 min. The reaction mixture was concentrated to dry solid mixture, then 10 mL of ethyl acetate (EA) was added into the flask to extract the organic compound. Then

mixture in the flask was poured onto and filtered through a silica plug (3 *cm* height, 2 *cm* wide), and the solid residue was further extracted and washed by EA (10 mL x 4). Then the filtrate was concentrated and purified by flash column chromatography to afford the corresponding alcohol derivatives as white solid or colorless oil. The sample was dissolved in hexanes/isopropanol (5~30 mg/mL) and the e.e. value of the corresponding alcohol derivatives were determined on the HPLC.

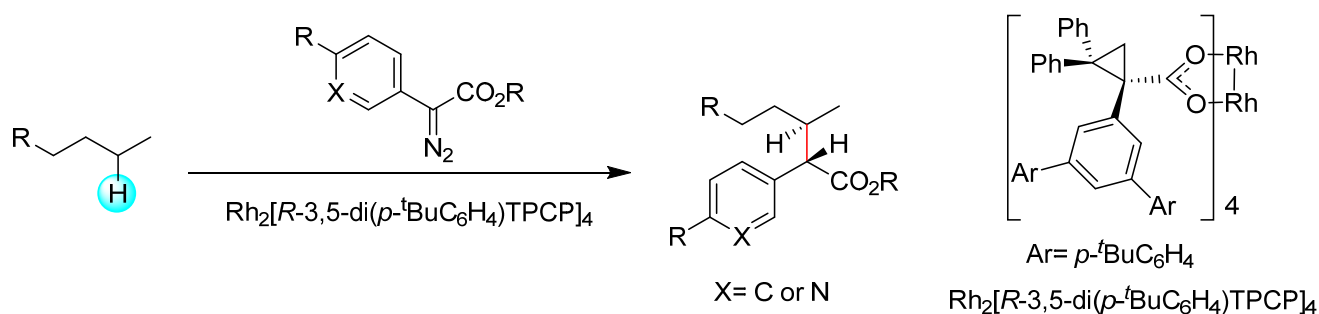
The e.e. of the C–H functionalization products were then obtained from the e.e. of the corresponding alcohol derivatives, in which the e.e. values were considered equal to each other.

## 4 - Determination of the Absolute Stereochemistry

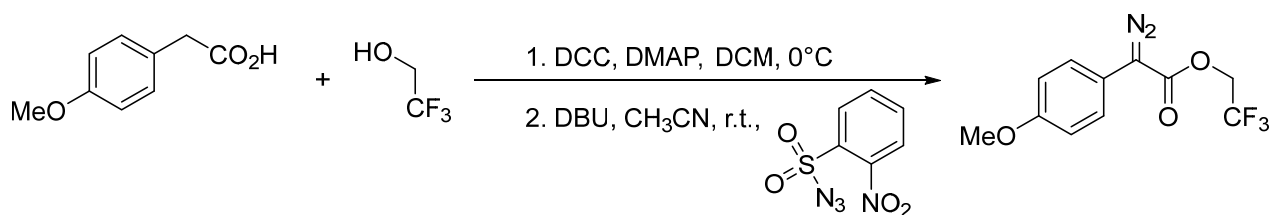
The absolute stereochemistry of  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  catalyzed tertiary C-H insertion reaction of substrate **17** was determined by the X-Ray single crystal structure analysis of product **18R** (see section 10 for detail), the absolute stereochemistry of the secondary C-H insertion products were determined by the known asymmetric induction of  $\text{Rh}_2[\text{R-3,5-di}(p\text{-}^t\text{BuC}_6\text{H}_4)\text{TPCP}]_4$ .<sup>5</sup> Based on these data, the absolute stereochemistry of the rest of the reactions were tentatively assigned accordingly.



The single crystal X-ray structure of **19R**

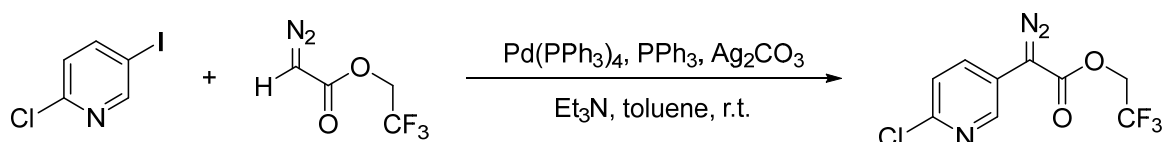


## 5 - Preparation of Diazo Compounds



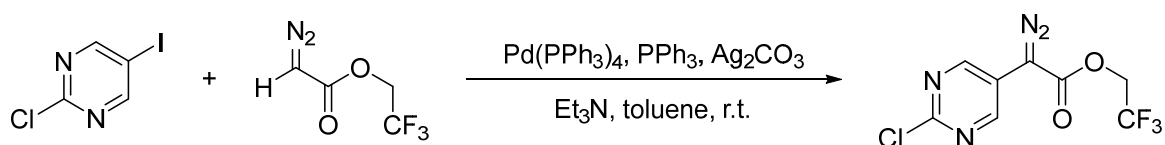
**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-diazo-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetate.**<sup>3</sup> A 250 mL flask was charged with 2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetic acid (1.7 g, 10 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*), N,N-dimethylpyridin-4-amine (DMAP) (0.1 g, 10 mmol, 0.1 *equiv.*), and 2,2,2-trifluoroethan-1-ol (1.2 g, 12 mmol, 1.2 *equiv.*) and CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (150 mL), then the solution was stirred and cooled to 0 °C. A solution of N,N'-Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC) (2.3 g, 11 mmol, 1.1 *equiv.*) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (50 mL) was poured slowly into the cold reaction mixture. The solution was allowed to stir overnight, at which point it had reached ambient temperature. The precipitate was removed by vacuum filtration on a silica plug (5 cm height, 5 cm wide), washing once with diethyl ether (50 mL). The filtrate was concentrated to give a crude oil. The crude was dissolved in acetonitrile (CH<sub>3</sub>CN) (40 mL) in a 250 mL three-necked flask equipped with a 50-mL dropping funnel, a rubber septum fitted with argon inlet needle, an egg shaped in magnetic stir bar and 2-nitrobenzenesulfonyl azide (3.4 g, 15 mmol, 1.5 *equiv.*). Then 1,8-Diazabicycloundec-7-ene (DBU) (3.4 g, 22 mmol, 2.2 *equiv.*) in acetonitrile (20 mL) was transferred to the dropping funnel and added dropwise into reaction mixture at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred over 4 h, and reaction progress was monitored by TLC analysis. The reaction mixture was cooled with an ice bath, and saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (50 mL) was then added to quench the reaction. The mixture was extracted with diethyl ether (3 x 30 mL), and the combined organic layer was washed with saturated NaCl aqueous solution (50 mL), dried over sodium sulfate (10 g) and filtered. Then the filtrate was concentrated by rotary evaporation to afford the crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 50/1) to give an orange solid in 47% overall yield (1.3 g).

TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:9 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.36 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.64 (q, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 163.76, 158.50, 126.18, 122.94 (q, *J* = 277.5 Hz), 115.82, 114.76, 60.27 (q, *J* = 36.8 Hz), 55.36; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>3</sub>F<sub>3</sub> ([M-N<sub>2</sub>+H]<sup>+</sup>):247.0577 found 247.0577; IR (neat):2976, 2089, 1709, 1610, 1514, 1281, 1255, 1138, 1076, 1032, 974, 828, 733.



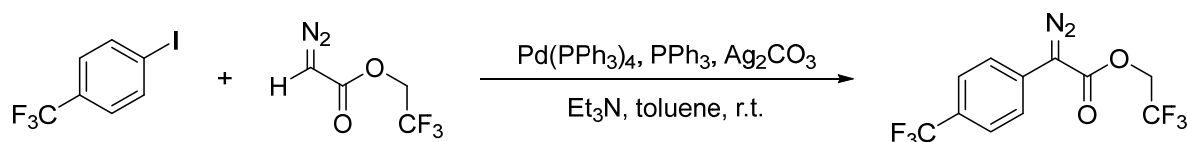
**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-2-diazoacetate.** <sup>6</sup> 2-Chloro-5-iodopyridine (718 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) [Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>] (173 mg, 0.15 mmol, 0.05 *equiv.*), triphenylphosphine (PPh<sub>3</sub>) (79 mg, 0.3 mmol, 0.1 *equiv.*), silver carbonate (Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>) (414 mg, 1.5 mmol, 0.5 *equiv.*) and triethylamine (Et<sub>3</sub>N) (395 mg, 3.9 mmol, 1.3 *equiv.*) were suspended in toluene (20 mL) in a round-bottomed flask under nitrogen. Then 2,2,2-trichloroethyl 2-diazoacetate (504 mg, 3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*) was added. After stirring at r.t. for 12 h, the mixture was filtered through a short silica plug (3 cm height, 2 cm wide), eluting with ethyl acetate. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with gradient diethyl ether/hexanes (1% to 10%) to give the diazo as a yellow solid in 61 % yield (512 mg).

TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:7 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.45 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.83 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (q, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 162.40, 149.16, 144.50, 133.95, 124.47, 122.71 (q, *J* = 277.4 Hz), 120.85, 60.62 (q, *J* = 37.1 Hz); HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O<sub>2</sub>N<sub>3</sub>ClF<sub>3</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>):280.0106 found 280.0098; IR (neat):2976, 2099, 1685, 1482, 1418, 1274, 1248, 1225, 1166, 1115, 1071, 1020, 959, 841, 725.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(2-chloropyrimidin-5-yl)-2-diazoacetate.** 2-Chloro-5-iodopyrimidine (721 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) [Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>] (173 mg, 0.15 mmol, 0.05 *equiv.*), triphenylphosphine (PPh<sub>3</sub>) (79 mg, 0.3 mmol, 0.1 *equiv.*), silver carbonate (Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>) (414 mg, 1.5 mmol, 0.5 *equiv.*) and triethylamine (Et<sub>3</sub>N) (395 mg, 3.9 mmol, 1.3 *equiv.*) were suspended in toluene (20 mL) in a round-bottomed flask under nitrogen. Then 2,2,2-trichloroethyl 2-diazoacetate (504 mg, 3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*) was added. After stirring at r.t. for 12 h, the mixture was filtered through a short silica plug (3 cm height, 2 cm wide), eluting with ethyl acetate. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with gradient diethyl ether/hexanes (1% to 20%) to give the diazo as a yellow solid in 25 % yield (210 mg).

TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:3 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.76 (s, 2H), 4.70 (q, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 161.76, 158.80, 153.83, 121.67 (q, *J* = 277.6 Hz), 119.83, 60.87 (q, *J* = 37.3 Hz); HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>N<sub>4</sub>ClF<sub>3</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>):281.0059 found 281.0048; IR (neat):2923, 2102, 1702, 1528, 1424, 1358, 1288, 1244, 1145, 1080, 972, 731.

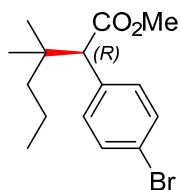


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-diazo-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)acetate.** 1-Iodo-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene (816 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) [ $\text{Pd(PPh}_3)_4$ ] (173 mg, 0.15 mmol, 0.05 *equiv.*), triphenylphosphine ( $\text{PPh}_3$ ) (79 mg, 0.3 mmol, 0.1 *equiv.*), silver carbonate ( $\text{Ag}_2\text{CO}_3$ ) (414 mg, 1.5 mmol, 0.5 *equiv.*) and triethylamine ( $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) (395 mg, 3.9 mmol, 1.3 *equiv.*) were suspended in toluene (20 mL) in a round-bottomed flask under nitrogen. Then 2,2,2-trichloroethyl 2-diazoacetate (504 mg, 3 mmol, 1.0 *equiv.*) was added. After stirring at r.t. for 12 h, the mixture was filtered through a short silica plug (3 cm height, 2 cm wide), eluting with ethyl acetate. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and the crude residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with gradient diethyl ether/hexanes (1% to 5%) to give the diazo as a yellow solid in 41 % yield (384 mg).

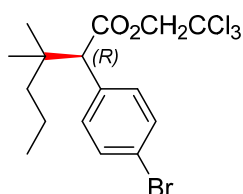
TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:9 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.63 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 4.67 (q,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  162.55, 129.17, 128.26 (q,  $J = 32.9$  Hz), 126.09 (q,  $J = 3.8$  Hz), 124.07 (q,  $J = 272.0$  Hz), 123.62, 122.92 (q,  $J = 277.5$  Hz), 60.54 (q,  $J = 36.9$  Hz); HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_6\text{O}_2\text{N}_2\text{ClF}_6$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Cl}]^-$ ): 347.0028 found 347.0030; IR (neat): 2979, 2098, 1717, 1618, 1411, 1356, 1325, 1280, 1240, 1115, 1074, 1016, 975, 840.

## 6 - Experimental Data for C–H Functionalization Products

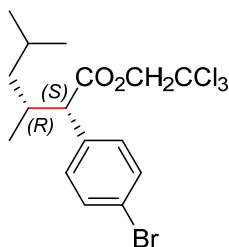
### 6.1 C–H Functionalization Products of 2-Methylpentane



**Methyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexanoate (2a).**  $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -12.1^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.42 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.48 (s, 1H), 1.29 (m, 3H), 1.14 (td,  $J = 9.9, 3.4$  Hz, 1H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.88 (s, 3H), 0.86 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.27, 135.01, 131.80, 130.89, 121.29, 59.60, 51.47, 42.99, 37.15, 24.47, 24.18, 17.03, 14.83; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrO}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):313.0798 found 313.0797; IR (neat):2957, 2930, 2872, 1734, 1457, 1434, 1195, 1168, 1143, 1076, 1011, 825.

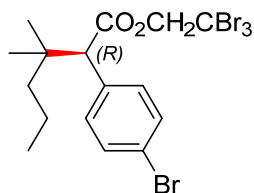


**2,2,2-Trichloroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexanoate (2b).**  $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -4.0^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.84 (d,  $J = 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d,  $J = 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 1H), 1.35 (tdd,  $J = 11.5, 8.9, 5.2$  Hz, 3H), 1.25 – 1.16 (m, 1H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.21, 134.32, 131.95, 131.16, 121.76, 94.89, 74.26, 59.78, 43.19, 37.53, 24.70, 24.37, 17.16, 14.92; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{BrCl}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ):426.9629 found 426.9633; IR (neat):2959, 2872, 1748, 1489, 1370, 1118, 1076, 1011, 826, 761, 716.

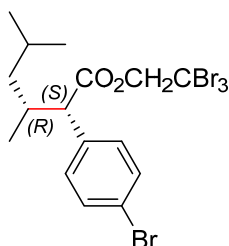


**2,2,2-Trichloroethyl (2S,3R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexanoate (3b).**  $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} +14^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.45 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 4.77 (d,  $J = 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.63 (d,  $J = 12.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.33 (d,  $J = 10.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.29 (dddd,  $J = 16.8, 10.4, 6.5, 3.6$  Hz, 1H), 1.03 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H), 0.93 – 0.81 (m, 3H), 0.79 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d,  $J = 6.5$

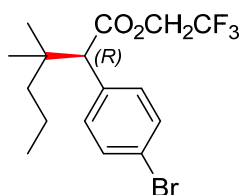
Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.97, 136.31, 131.83, 130.61, 121.70, 74.24, 58.79, 43.02, 34.25, 25.08, 24.18, 21.06, 18.04; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrCl}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):428.9785 found 428.9793; IR (neat):2956, 2928, 2869, 1750, 1488, 1368, 1142, 1118, 1074, 1011, 825, 805, 759, 719.



**2,2,2-Tribromoethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexanoate (2c).**  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -8.3^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.98 (d,  $J = 12.3$  Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d,  $J = 12.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 1H), 1.44 – 1.30 (m, 3H), 1.25 – 1.17 (m, 1H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.05, 134.41, 132.04, 131.16, 121.74, 60.04, 43.24, 37.54, 24.76, 24.46, 17.19, 14.97; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{Br}_4\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):560.8270 found 560.8276; IR (neat):2963, 2935, 2874, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1278, 1164, 1122, 1076, 1012, 980, 825.

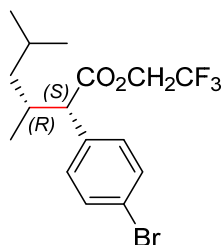


**2,2,2-Tribromoethyl (2S,3R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexanoate (3c).**  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} +12.7^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.45 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 3H), 4.92 (d,  $J = 12.3$  Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d,  $J = 12.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.35 (d,  $J = 10.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.41 – 2.25 (m, 1H), 1.06 (d,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 3H), 0.94 – 0.82 (m, 3H), 0.79 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.69, 136.37, 131.81, 130.72, 121.68, 58.98, 43.04, 34.17, 25.10, 24.20, 21.08, 18.19; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{Br}_4\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):560.8270 found 560.8280; IR (neat):2954, 2926, 2868, 1747, 1488, 1385, 1366, 1142, 1116, 1074, 1011, 821, 715.



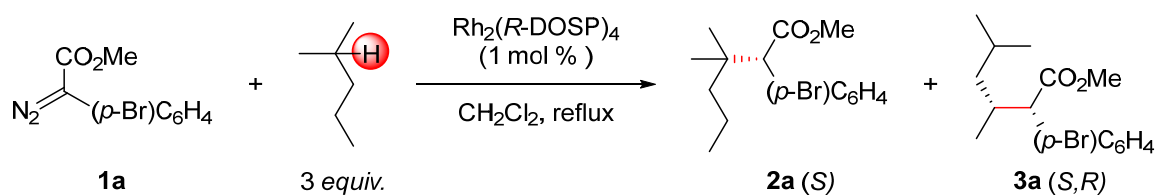
**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexanoate (2d).**  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -13.6^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.7$

Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 1.37 – 1.26 (m, 3H), 1.21 – 1.11 (m, 1H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.26, 134.13, 131.83, 131.20, 121.82, 60.16 (q,  $J = 36.5$  Hz), 59.31, 43.07, 37.55, 24.54, 24.24, 17.13, 14.81; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):381.0672 found 381.0673; IR (neat):2963, 2935, 2874, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1278, 1164, 1122, 1076, 1012, 980, 825.



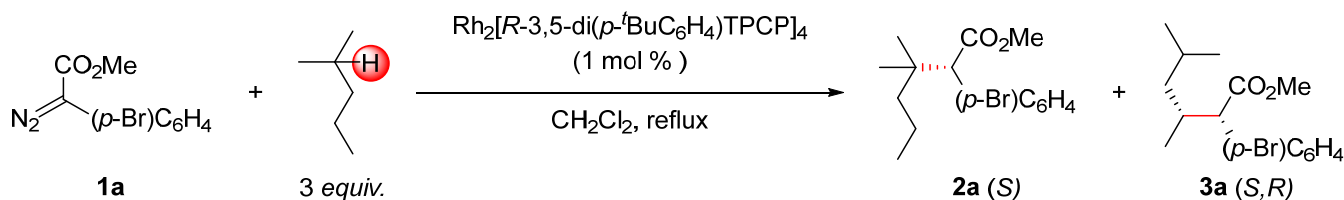
**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,3R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexanoate (3d).**  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} +30.7^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:20 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.46 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.55 (dd,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd,  $J = 12.7, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 3.30 (d,  $J = 10.4$  Hz, 1H), 2.23 (ddtd,  $J = 16.7, 10.2, 6.5, 3.9$  Hz, 1H), 0.99 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H), 0.93 – 0.81 (m, 3H), 0.79 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  172.11, 136.16, 131.89, 130.45, 121.77, 60.87, 60.58, 60.29, 60.00, 58.38, 43.00, 34.50, 25.07, 24.14, 21.02, 17.79; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):381.0672 found 381.0676; IR (neat):2958, 2931, 2872, 1753, 1489, 1407, 1280, 1165, 1141, 1123, 1074, 1012, 979, 818, 758.

## 6.2 Catalyst and Diazo Screen for the Functionalization of 2-Methylpentane



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-DOSP})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (52 mg, 83% yield).

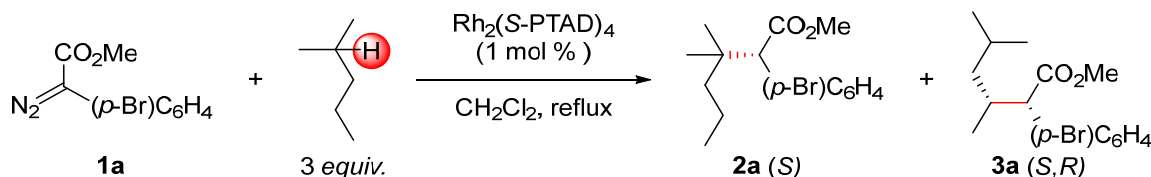
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 85:15 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 3:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2a** was -43 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 46.0 min (major) and 121.0 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2[\text{R-3,5-di}(p\text{-}^t\text{BuC}_6\text{H}_4)\text{TPCP}]_4$  (0.002 mmol, 5 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (14 mg, 23% yield).

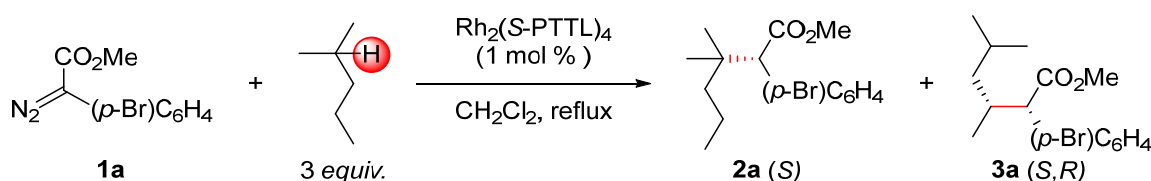
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, the major reason for the yield lost is the formation of carbene dimers. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 35:65 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 4:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2a** was -10 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-

dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.9 min (major) and 125.5 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-PTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (31 mg, 50% yield).

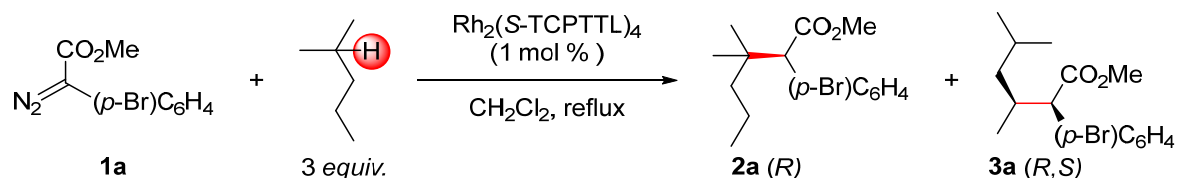
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, the major reason for the yield lost is the formation of carbene dimers. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 74:26 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2a** was -34 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 46.9 min (major) and 122.4 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-PTTL})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (50 mg, 80 % yield).

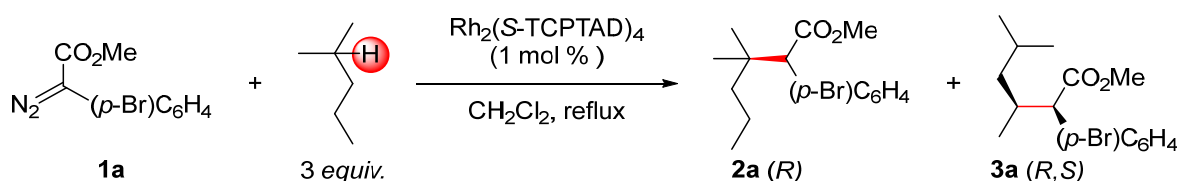
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 74:26 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for

compound **2a** was -33 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 46.4 min (major) and 120.7 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTTL})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (54 mg, 86 % yield).

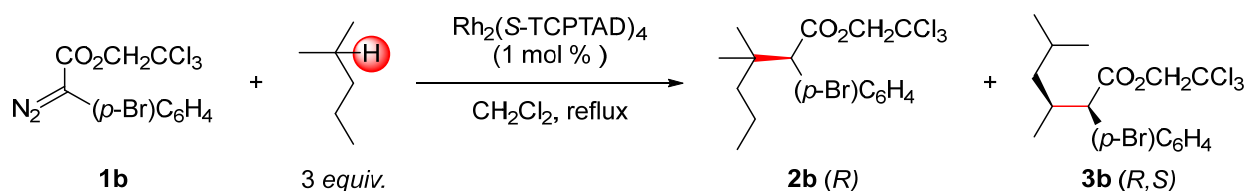
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 86:14 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2a** was 77 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.1 min (minor) and 117.1 min (major).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. Methyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1a** (0.2 mmol, 51 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford mixture of **2a** and **3a** as a colorless oil (56 mg, 89 % yield).

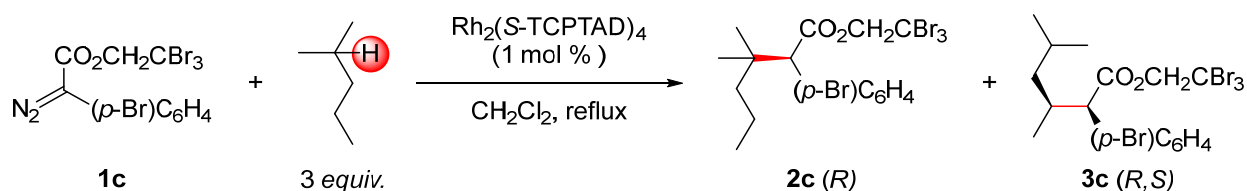
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2a** and **3a** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2a:3a**) of this reaction was 87:13 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3a** was 3:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for

compound **2a** was 79 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.5 min (minor) and 119.8 min (major).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trichloroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1b** (0.2 mmol, 74 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2b** as a colorless oil (64 mg, 74 % yield), and **3b** as a colorless oil (9 mg, 10 % yield).

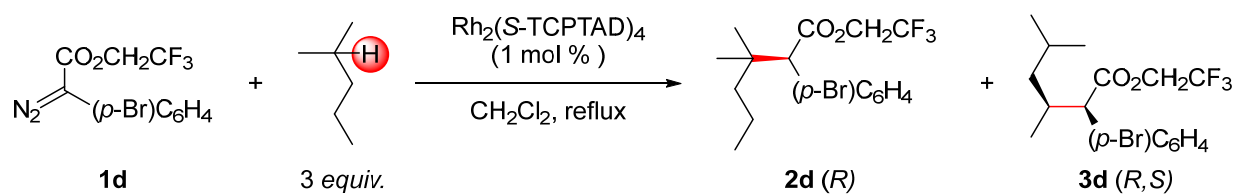
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2b** and **3b** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2b**:**3b**) of this reaction was 89:11 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3b** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2b** was 84 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.6 min (minor) and 91.9 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3b** was 77 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was ASH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 150 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 93.4 min (major) and 113.0 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Tribromoethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1c** (0.2 mmol, 101 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column

chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2c** as a colorless oil (87 mg, 77 % yield), and **3c** as a colorless oil (12 mg, 11 % yield).

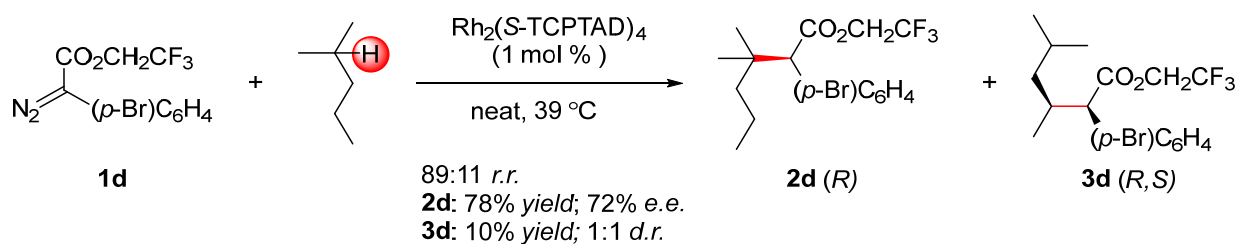
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2c** and **3c** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2c:3c**) of this reaction was 87:13 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3c** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2c** was 77 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.4 min (minor) and 122.6 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3c** was 79 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was ASH, 0.25 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 150 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 105.2 min (major) and 126.1 min (minor).



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (63 mg, 83 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (7 mg, 9 % yield).

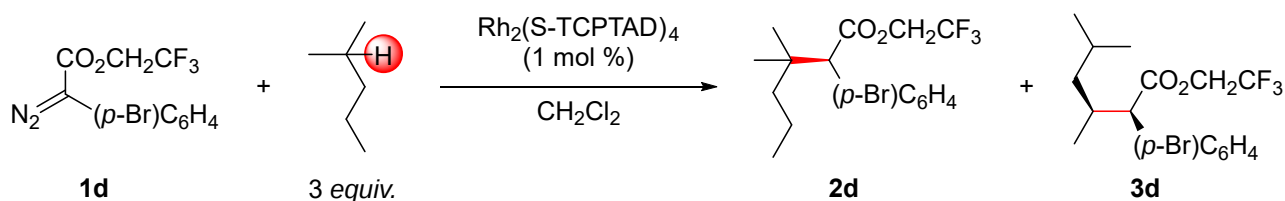
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2d:3d**) of this reaction was 90:10 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 2:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 77 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 47.3 min (minor) and 116.3 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was 79 % e.e.; the HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was ASH, 0.25 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 150 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 104.8 min (major) and 126.9 min (minor).

## 6.3 Reaction Condition Screen for the Functionalization of 2-Methylpentane

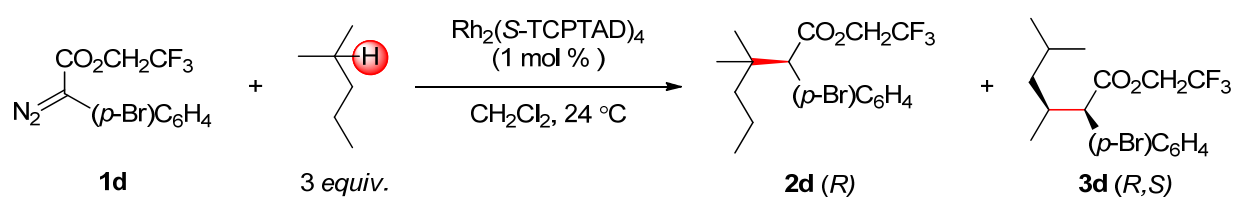


This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at 39 °C. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL 2-methylpentane,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (59 mg, 78 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (8 mg, 10 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected but **3d** wasn't isolated. The regioselectivity (**2d**:**3d**) of this reaction was 89:11 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 1:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 72 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis was conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$ . For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 25.8 min (minor) and 64.0 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.

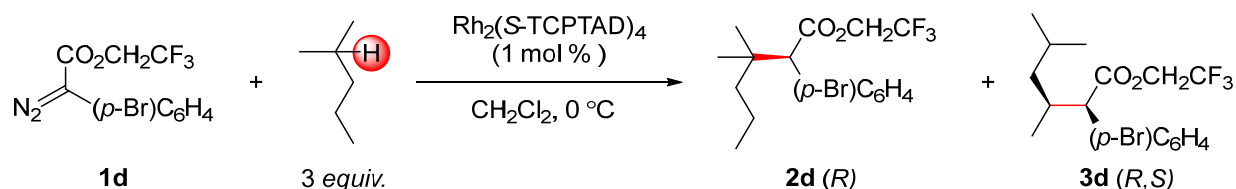


| # | Temperature (°C) | r.r. (%) | e.e. ( <b>2d</b> ,%) | Yield ( <b>2d</b> , %) | d.r. ( <b>3d</b> ,%) | Yield ( <b>3d</b> , %) |
|---|------------------|----------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 39 (reflux)      | 90:10    | 77                   | 83                     | 2:1                  | 9                      |
| 2 | r.t.             | 91:9     | 80                   | 77                     | 3:1                  | 8                      |
| 3 | 0                | 93:7     | 82                   | 79                     | 4:1                  | 6                      |
| 4 | -10              | 95:5     | 84                   | 78                     | 5:1                  | 4                      |
| 5 | -40              | 96:4     | 86                   | 77                     | 9:1                  | 3                      |
| 6 | -78              | 96:4     | 80                   | 65                     | 7:1                  | 0                      |



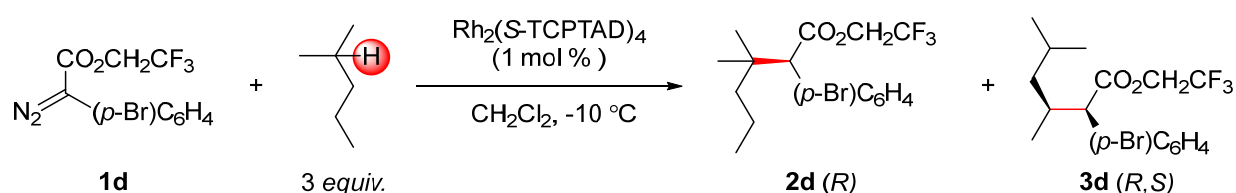
This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at room temperature (24 °C). 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (59 mg, 77 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (6 mg, 8 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2d:3d**) of this reaction was 91:9 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 3:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 80 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis for the temperature study were conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, both of the retention time of enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$ . For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 25.8 min (minor) and 64.0 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at 0 °C. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (60 mg, 79 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (5 mg, 6 % yield).

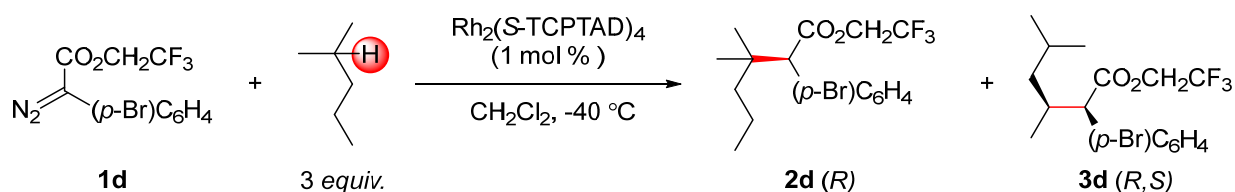
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2d:3d**) of this reaction was 91:9 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 4:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 82 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis was conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$ . For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 27.4 min (minor) and 68.5 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at -10 °C. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (59 mg, 78 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (3 mg, 4 % yield).

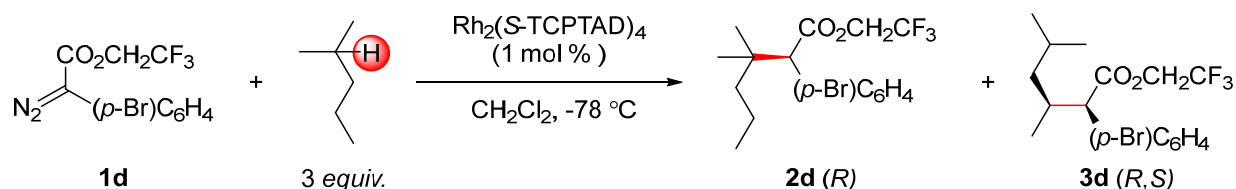
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2d:3d**) of this reaction

was 95:5 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 5:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 84 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis was conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> and Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>. For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 27.5 min (minor) and 69.0 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at -40 °C. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (59 mg, 77 % yield), and **3d** as a colorless oil (2 mg, 3 % yield).

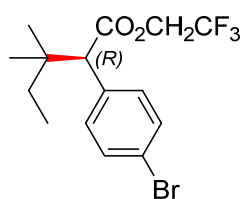
Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected. The regioselectivity (**2d**:**3d**) of this reaction was 96:4 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 9:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 86 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis was conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> and Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>. For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 27.6 min (minor) and 68.4 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.



This reaction was conducted according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions but the temperature was maintained at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **2d** as a colorless oil (50 mg, 65 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **2d** and **3d** were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected but **3d** wasn't isolated. The regioselectivity (**2d**:**3d**) of this reaction was 96:4 r.r. and the diastereoselectivity for **3d** was 7:1 d.r.. The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **2d** was 80 % e.e.. The enantioselectivity analysis was conducted in a different HPLC instrument with a different S,S-whelk chiral column, the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$ . For **2d** The HPLC (in order to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared by using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ ) condition was S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 210 nm, with the retention times at 28.8 min (minor) and 68.2 min (major). The enantioselectivity of this reaction for compound **3d** was not determined due to the low yielding.

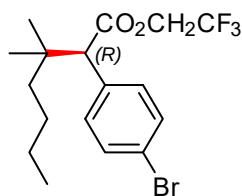
## 6.4 C–H Functionalization Products 4-27



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylpentanoate (4).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 43 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **4** as a colorless oil (63 mg, 86% yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **4** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

[α]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -12.1° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.61 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 1.42 – 1.34 (m, 1H), 1.25 (dq, *J* = 14.8, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.88 (s, 4H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 171.27, 134.13, 131.83, 131.20, 121.81, 60.18 (q, *J* = 36.7 Hz), 59.04, 37.58, 32.94, 23.88, 23.71, 8.27; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>19</sub>BrF<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>):367.0515 found 367.0522; IR (neat):2969, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1276, 1164, 1122, 1076, 1012, 979, 822; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylpentan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 45.2 min (minor) and 119.0 min (major), 81 % e.e..

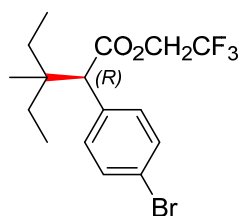


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylheptanoate (5).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure (at 39 °C and -40 °C) for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylhexane (0.6 mmol, 60 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL

distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **5** as a colorless oil (39 °C: 60 mg, 76% yield; -40 °C: 51 mg, 65% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **5** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 87:13 r.r. (39 °C) and 96:4 r.r. (-40 °C).

$[\alpha]_D^{20}$  -15.8° ( $c$  = 1.00,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J$  = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (dq,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 1.36 – 1.14 (m, 6H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.89 (t,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.28, 134.15, 131.84, 131.21, 121.82, 60.18 (q,  $J$  = 36.5 Hz), 59.23, 40.49, 37.45, 26.14, 24.61, 24.23, 23.52, 14.23; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ): 395.0828 found 395.0830; IR (neat): 2961, 2933, 2872, 1753, 1489, 1414, 1278, 1165, 1122, 1076, 1012, 980, 827; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylheptan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), at 39 °C, (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 45.5 min (minor) and 117.4 min (major), 77 % e.e.; at -40 °C, a different instrument was used, (S,S-Whelk, 1.5 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 130 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 40.8 min (minor) and 102.7 min (major), 87 % e.e..

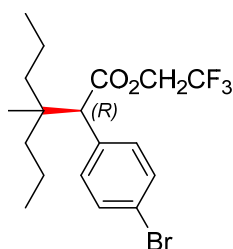


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-ethyl-3-methylpentanoate (6).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure (at 39 °C and -40 °C) for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 3-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **6** as a colorless oil (39 °C: 56 mg, 73% yield; -40 °C: 49 mg, 64% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **6** and the secondary C–H functionalization product, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl (2R,3S)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,4-

dimethylhexanoate, were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 92:8 r.r. (39 °) and 98:2 r.r. (-40 °C).

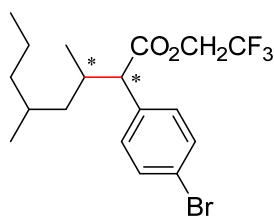
$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -10.2^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 1H), 1.48 (dq,  $J = 14.8, 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.34 (dq,  $J = 14.6, 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 1.17 (ddt,  $J = 26.7, 14.1, 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3H), 0.79 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.28, 134.04, 131.95, 131.17, 124.16, 121.78, 60.18 (q,  $J = 36.5$  Hz), 56.82, 40.02, 28.65, 28.38, 20.49, 7.88, 7.71; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):381.0672 found 381.0672; IR (neat):2969, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1383, 1275, 1161, 1121, 1077, 1012, 979, 828, 772, 717; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-ethyl-3-methylpentan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), at 39 °C, (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 32.7 min (minor) and 119.9 min (major), 82 % e.e.; at -40 °C, a different instrument was used, (S,S-Whelk, 1.5 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 130 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 29.7 min (minor) and 105.3 min (major), 92 % e.e..



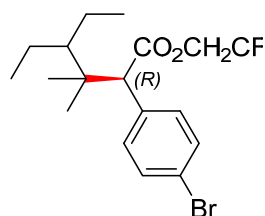
**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methyl-3-propylhexanoate (7).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 4-methylheptane (0.6 mmol, 69 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **7** as a colorless oil (7 mg, 9% yield), however, the major product of this reaction was 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethyloctanoate and the compound was also isolated as a colorless oil (64 mg, 79% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **7** and the secondary C–H functionalization product, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethyloctanoate, were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 11:89 r.r..

$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -14.9^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.63 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.23 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 1H), 1.43 – 1.14 (m, 6H), 1.14 – 1.01 (m, 2H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.89 (t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 3H), 0.83 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.31, 134.10, 131.96, 131.20, 125.67, 124.18, 121.81, 60.20 ( $q$ ,  $J = 36.6$  Hz), 57.53, 39.57, 39.24, 30.48, 21.49, 16.83, 16.62, 14.82, 14.79; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 407.0839 found 407.0839; IR (neat): 2964, 1489, 1420, 1379, 1278, 1151, 1123, 1079, 1013, 979, 828, 772, 717; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,6-trimethylheptan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), (S,S-Whelk, 1% isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 17.8 min (major) and 25.1 min (minor), 81 % e.e..



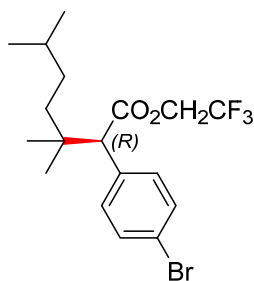
**2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,5-dimethyloctanoate.** TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); the isolated material was a mixture of diastereomers, please see the  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra on Page 131-132 for detail; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 407.0839 found 407.0839; IR (neat): 2969, 1485, 1425, 1376, 1279, 1156, 1123, 1077, 1012, 978, 829, 770, 719.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-ethyl-3,3-dimethylhexanoate (8).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 3-ethyl-2-methylpentane (0.6 mmol, 69 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **8** as a colorless oil (54 mg, 66% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **8** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as  $> 98:2$  r.r..

$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -13.4^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.57 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 1H), 1.59 (dpt,  $J = 17.9, 7.5, 3.3$  Hz, 3H), 1.15 (tp,  $J = 14.7, 7.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.93 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 3H), 0.90 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 4H), 0.80 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.42, 134.43, 132.14, 131.17, 121.79, 60.26 (q,  $J = 36.6$  Hz), 57.07, 48.97, 41.43, 23.44, 23.17, 21.75, 21.56, 14.49, 14.03; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 407.0828 found 407.0836; IR (neat): 2967, 2932, 2878, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1277, 1165, 1138, 1115, 1076, 1012, 980, 823; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-ethyl-3,3-dimethylhexan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 34.3 min (minor) and 109.6 min (major), 86 % e.e..

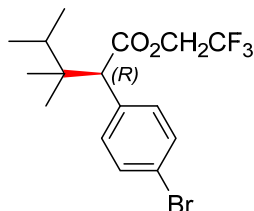


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,6-trimethylheptanoate (9).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2,5-dimethylhexane (0.6 mmol, 69 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **9** as a colorless oil (71 mg, 87% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **9** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -14.9^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.61 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.60 (s, 1H), 1.43 (dp,  $J = 12.8, 6.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.36 – 1.27 (m, 1H), 1.24 – 1.13 (m, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.88 (s, 4H), 0.86 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.26, 134.15, 131.83, 131.20, 124.17, 121.96, 121.82, 60.18 (q,  $J = 36.5$  Hz), 59.12, 38.52, 37.35, 32.87, 28.81, 24.66, 24.17, 22.76; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 407.0828 found 407.0840; IR (neat): 2960, 2871, 1753, 1489, 1469, 1414, 1369, 1278, 1165, 1124, 1077, 1012, 978, 825; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-

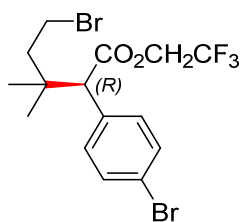
bromophenyl)-3,3,6-trimethylheptan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 1% isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 44.1 min (minor) and 108.8 min (major), 78 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,4-trimethylpentanoate (10).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2,3-dimethylbutane (0.6 mmol, 52 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **10** as a colorless oil (71 mg, 93% yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **10** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

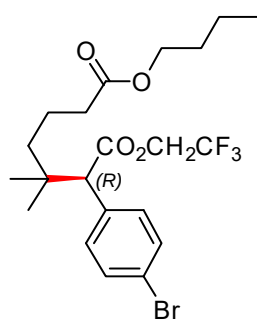
[α]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -11.4° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.61 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 1H), 1.54 (hept, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.92 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.89 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.78 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 171.34, 134.32, 132.04, 131.19, 124.16, 121.81, 60.17 (q, *J* = 36.7 Hz), 57.06, 40.13, 34.30, 20.48, 20.45, 17.99, 17.26; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>21</sub>BrF<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>):381.0672 found 381.0675; IR (neat):2970, 1752, 1489, 1277, 1166, 1146, 1117, 1076, 1012, 979, 834; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,4-trimethylpentan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 140 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 33.0 min (minor) and 109.6 min (major), 83 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-5-bromo-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylpentanoate (11).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and 1-bromo-3-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 91 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **11** as a colorless oil (62 mg, 70% yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **11** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

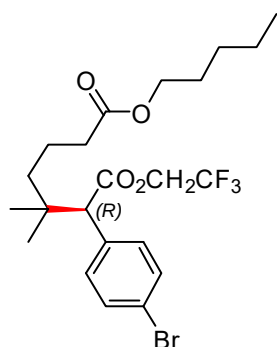
[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -17.6° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.47 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.61 (dq, *J* = 12.6, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (dq, *J* = 12.6, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (s, 1H), 3.42 – 3.32 (m, 2H), 2.07 – 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.89 – 1.80 (m, 1H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  170.63, 133.10, 131.70, 131.51, 124.01, 122.30, 60.33 (q, *J* = 36.7 Hz), 59.58, 43.54, 38.51, 28.06, 24.24, 24.07; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>18</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>F<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M-H]<sup>+</sup>):444.9620 found 444.9622; IR (neat):2970, 1752, 1489, 1414, 1277, 1166, 1126, 1076, 1055, 1012, 977, 826; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 5-bromo-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylpentan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 0.3 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.3 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 60 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 30.5 min (minor) and 34.7 min (major), 84 % e.e..



**7-Butyl 1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl) (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylheptanedioate (12).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and butyl 5-methylhexanoate (0.6 mmol, 112 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **12** as a colorless oil (87 mg, 90% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **12** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as  $> 98:2$  r.r..

$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -12.4^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.06 (t,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 2H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 2.35 – 2.19 (m, 2H), 1.68 – 1.62 (m, 2H), 1.62 – 1.56 (m, 2H), 1.41 – 1.31 (m, 3H), 1.24 – 1.16 (m, 1H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.93 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.62, 171.06, 133.82, 131.79, 131.25, 121.92, 121.90, 64.36, 60.17 (q,  $J = 36.5$  Hz), 59.19, 39.85, 37.38, 34.73, 30.78, 29.82, 24.42, 24.15, 19.54, 19.25, 13.82; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{29}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_4$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 481.1196 found 481.1201; IR (neat): 2962, 2874, 1732, 1489, 1415, 1277, 1165, 1119, 1076, 1012, 978, 827; HPLC (ODH, 0.5 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.5 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 17.4 min (minor) and 22.4 min (major), 77 % e.e..

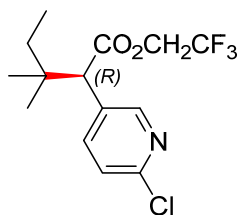


**7-Pentyl 1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl) (R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethylheptanedioate (13).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and pentyl 5-methylhexanoate (0.6 mmol, 120 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **13** as a colorless oil (72 mg, 73% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **13** and the most accessible secondary C–H insertion product, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methyl-6-((5-methylhexanoyl)oxy)hexanoate, were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as  $> 98:2$  r.r..

$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -11.9^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.05 (t,

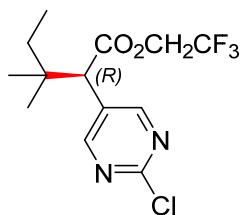
$J = 6.8$  Hz, 2H), 3.58 (s, 1H), 2.32 – 2.18 (m, 2H), 1.69 – 1.56 (m, 5H), 1.41 – 1.27 (m, 5H), 1.25 – 1.15 (m, 1H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H), 0.90 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.65, 171.08, 133.84, 131.80, 131.27, 121.95, 64.68, 60.19 (q,  $J = 36.7$  Hz), 59.20, 39.88, 37.41, 34.76, 28.45, 28.20, 24.44, 24.18, 22.46, 19.57, 14.10; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{31}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_4$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):495.1352 found 495.1354; IR (neat):2960, 2873, 1732, 1489, 1278, 1166, 1119, 1076, 1012, 978, 827; HPLC (ODH, 0.5 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.5 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 18.0 min (minor) and 22.7 min (major), 76 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-3,3-dimethylpentanoate (14).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-2-diazoacetate (0.2 mmol, 56 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 43 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **14** as a colorless oil (39 mg, 60% yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **14** the secondary C–H insertion product, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl 2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-3,4-dimethylpentanoate, were observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 96:4 r.r.

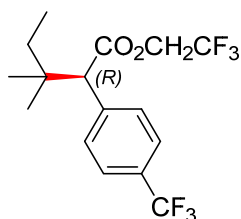
$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} +5.3^\circ$  ( $c = 0.50$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:4 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.31 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.61 (p,  $J = 9.4, 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 4.32 (p,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.63 (s, 1H), 1.37 (tt,  $J = 18.4, 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.93 – 0.76 (m, 7H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  170.65, 150.86, 150.81, 139.71, 129.92, 123.61, 122.79 (q,  $J = 277.2$  Hz), 60.29 (q,  $J = 36.7$  Hz), 56.20, 37.75, 32.77, 23.67, 23.58, 8.10; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClF}_3\text{NO}_2$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ):324.0983 found 324.0977; IR (neat):2967, 2926, 2855, 1753, 1460, 1279, 1170, 1130, 1107, 1024, 980; HPLC (ODH, 0.5 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.5 mL/min, 5 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 18.3 min (major) and 25.6 min (minor), 68 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(2-chloropyrimidin-5-yl)-3,3-dimethylpentanoate (15).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(2-chloropyrimidin-5-yl)-2-diazoacetate (0.2 mmol, 56 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and 2-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 43 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **15** as a colorless oil (53 mg, 81 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **15** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

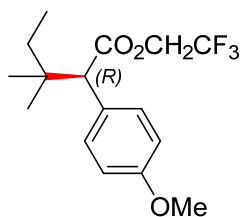
[α]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> +10.7° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:3 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.71 (s, 2H), 4.65 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 1H), 1.41 (dq, *J* = 14.9, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 1.27 (dq, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.94 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 169.98, 160.82, 160.18, 127.72, 122.69 (q, *J* = 277.4 Hz), 60.60 (q, *J* = 36.8 Hz), 54.61, 38.00, 32.75, 29.71, 23.65, 23.61, 8.07; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>17</sub>ClF<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>):325.0936 found 325.0930; IR (neat):2969, 2926, 1752, 1576, 1546, 1401, 1278, 1162, 1130, 980; HPLC (ODH, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 5 mg/mL, 20 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 9.4 min (minor) and 10.5 min (major), 75 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-3,3-dimethyl-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)pentanoate (16).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-diazo-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)acetate (0.2 mmol, 62 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and 2-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 43 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **16** as a colorless oil (63 mg, 89 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **16** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as  $> 98:2$  r.r..

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -2.0^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.58 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.53 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2H), 4.62 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.28 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 1H), 1.45 – 1.35 (dq,  $J = 14.8, 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.27 (dq,  $J = 14.8, 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 3H), 0.90 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  170.94, 139.08, 130.40, 129.78 (q,  $J = 32.5$  Hz), 124.84 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 124.12 (q,  $J = 272.1$  Hz), 122.90 (q,  $J = 277.4$  Hz), 60.15 (q,  $J = 36.7$  Hz), 59.33, 37.72, 32.88, 23.81, 23.65, 8.14; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}_6\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$ ): 355.1138 found 355.1137; IR (neat): 2972, 1753, 1620, 1325, 1277, 1163, 1122, 1112, 1070, 1020, 980, 839; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 3,3-dimethyl-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)pentan-1-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ ), (S,S-Whelk, 1 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 70 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 23.5 min (minor) and 58.5 min (major), 74 % e.e..

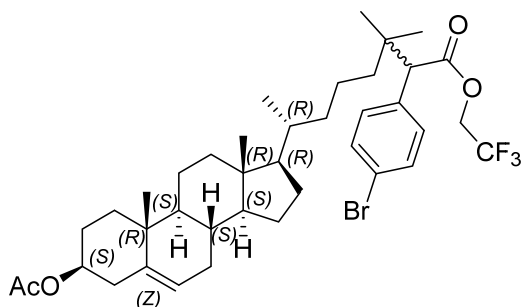


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (R)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3,3-dimethylpentanoate (17).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-diazo-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetate (0.2 mmol, 55 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and 2-methylbutane (0.6 mmol, 43 mg, 3.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **17** as a colorless oil (60 mg, 94 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **17** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as  $> 98:2$  r.r..

$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -17.2^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.30 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 4.61 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.57 (s, 1H), 1.38 (dq,  $J = 15.0, 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.26 (dq,  $J = 14.8, 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  171.71, 158.95, 131.09, 127.04, 123.04 (q,  $J = 277.4$

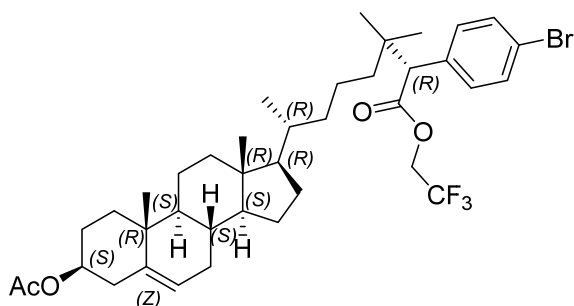
Hz), 113.31, 59.91 (q,  $J = 36.5$  Hz), 58.74, 55.21, 37.36, 32.81, 23.79, 23.62, 8.18; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $C_{16}H_{20}F_3O_3$  ( $[M-H]^-$ ): 317.1370 found 317.1366; IR (neat): 2969, 1752, 1611, 1512, 1277, 1249, 1166, 1123, 1037, 979, 832; HPLC (ODH, 0.3 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.5 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 50 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 11.7 min (major) and 45.6 min (minor), 63 % e.e..



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (7R)-7-((3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19)**

The diastereomers have no evident difference in the  $^1H$  NMR and  $^{13}C$  NMR spectra, presumably due to the fact that the newly generated chiral center is too far away from the existing chiral centers.

$^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 5.37 (d,  $J = 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.66 – 4.56 (m, 2H), 4.26 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 2.32 (d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 2H), 2.03 (s, 3H), 2.01 – 1.93 (m, 2H), 1.86 (d,  $J = 10.1$  Hz, 2H), 1.80 (ddt,  $J = 13.2, 9.5, 4.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.62 – 1.43 (m, 6H), 1.37 – 1.05 (m, 12H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 – 0.94 (m, 2H), 0.92 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.67 (s, 3H);  $^{13}C$  NMR (126 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  171.25, 170.65, 139.76, 134.14, 131.80, 131.20, 124.15, 122.75, 121.94, 121.81, 74.09, 60.17 (q,  $J = 36.6$  Hz), 59.21, 56.79, 56.14, 50.14, 42.45, 41.21, 39.85, 38.25, 37.56, 37.13, 36.71, 35.90, 32.01, 31.98, 28.32, 27.90, 24.64, 24.40, 24.30, 21.58, 21.15, 20.33, 19.44, 18.87, 11.96; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $C_{37}H_{51}BrF_3O_2$  ( $[M-C_2H_3O_2]^+$ ): 663.3019 found 663.3030.

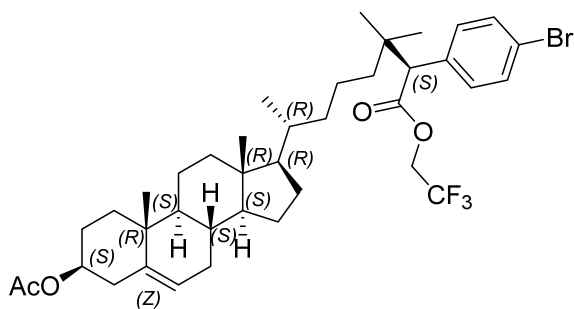


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2R,7R)-7-((3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19R).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure

for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-yl acetate (cholesteryl acetate) **18** (0.2 mmol, 86 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **19R** as a white solid (113 mg, 78 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **19R** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recorded as > 98:2 r.r..

m.p.: 143–145 °C; [ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -41.9° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat): 2941, 2869, 1752, 1732, 1489, 1467, 1373, 1278, 1242, 1167, 1123, 1033, 1012, 979, 831; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*S*)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (*S,S*-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 10.0 min (minor) and 21.3 min (major), 11:1 d.r.

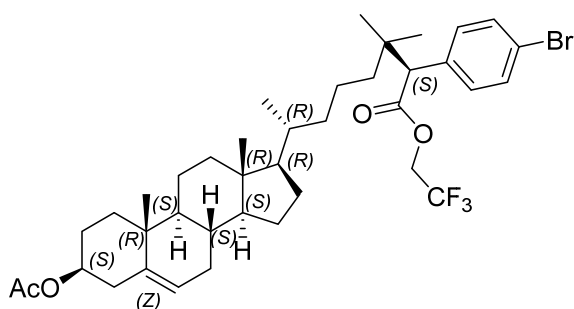


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2*S*,7*R*)-7-((3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19*S*).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-yl acetate (cholesteryl acetate) **18** (0.2 mmol, 86 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed

by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **19S** as a white solid (124 mg, 86 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **19S** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

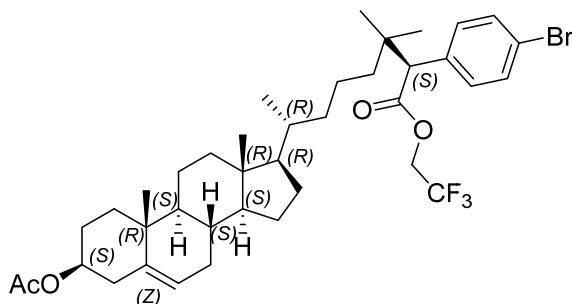
m.p.: 144–146 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{20}$  -9.2° ( $c$  = 1.00,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat): 2941, 2868, 1752, 1732, 1489, 1374, 1279, 1246, 1168, 1125, 1033, 1012, 979, 758; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-17-((2R,7R)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 9.9 min (major) and 21.5 min (minor), 11:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,7R)-7-((3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19S).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(R\text{-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.0002 mmol, 0.4 mg, 0.1 mol %) and (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((R)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl acetate (cholesteryl acetate) **18** (0.2 mmol, 86 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **19S** as a white solid (120 mg, 83 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **19S** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

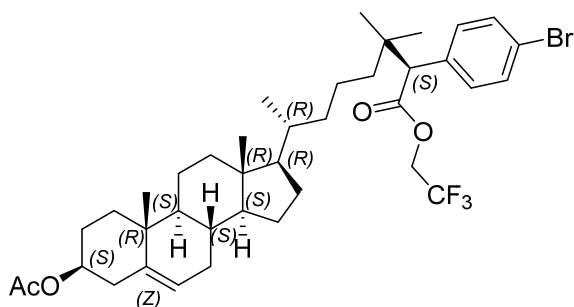
HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*R*)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 9.9 min (major) and 21.5 min (minor), 9:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2*S*,7*R*)-7-((3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19*S*).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at **room temperature (24 °C)**. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-yl acetate (cholesteryl acetate) **18** (0.2 mmol, 86 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **19S** as a white solid (117 mg, 80 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **19S** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recorded as > 98:2 r.r..

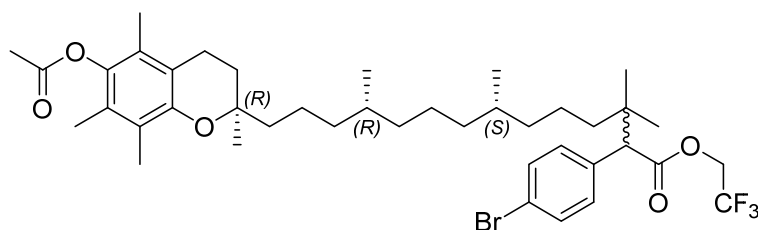
HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*R*)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 10.9 min (major) and 24.2 min (minor), 13:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2*S*,7*R*)-7-((3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-3-acetoxy-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-17-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-dimethyloctanoate (19*S*).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at **0 °C**. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-yl acetate (cholesteryl acetate) **18** (0.2 mmol, 86 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **19S** as a white solid (88 mg, 60 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **19S** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recorded as > 98:2 r.r..

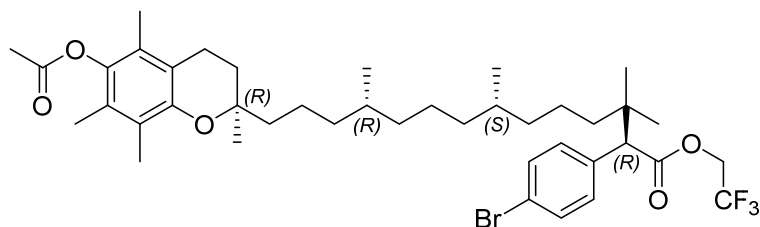
HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*R*)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 10.9 min (major) and 24.1 min (minor), 16:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (7*S*,11*R*)-14-((*R*)-6-acetoxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethylchroman-2-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11-tetramethyltetradecanoate (21)**

The diastereomers have no evident difference in the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra, presumably due to the fact that the newly generated chiral center is too far away from the existing chiral centers.

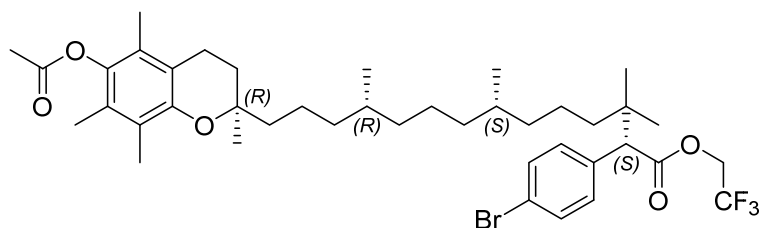
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 3H), 4.60 (dq,  $J = 12.7, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq,  $J = 12.8, 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 2.59 (t,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 1.81 (dt,  $J = 13.9, 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.70 (m, 1H), 1.55 (d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz, 2H), 1.44 (ddt,  $J = 25.1, 13.6, 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.40 – 1.35 (m, 2H), 1.35 – 1.26 (m, 7H), 1.23 (s, 5H), 1.15 – 1.02 (m, 4H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 3H), 0.86 (d,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 3H), 0.85 (d,  $J = 6.1$  Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  170.10, 168.74, 148.39, 139.49, 133.00, 130.66, 130.05, 125.63, 123.87, 122.00, 121.89 (q,  $J = 277.1$  Hz), 120.66, 116.33, 74.02, 59.03 (q,  $J = 36.6$  Hz), 58.14, 39.88, 36.67, 36.42, 36.39, 36.38, 31.78, 31.70, 30.91, 28.69, 28.35, 23.44, 23.14, 21.68, 20.18, 20.00, 19.57, 19.55, 18.70, 18.61, 13.11, 11.93, 11.08, 10.81, -1.02.; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{51}\text{BrF}_3\text{O}_2$  ( $[\text{M}-\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{O}_3]^+$ ): 663.3019 found 663.3019.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2R,7S,11R)-14-((R)-6-acetoxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethylchroman-2-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11-tetramethyltetradecanoate (21R).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (R)-2,5,7,8-tetramethyl-2-((4R,8R)-4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl acetate (D-alpha-tocopheryl acetate or Vitamin E) **20** (0.2 mmol, 95 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **21R** as a colorless oil (98 mg, 64 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **21R** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as > 98:2 r.r..

$[\alpha]_D^{20}$  -7.1° ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat): 2927, 2868, 1754, 1489, 1459, 1414, 1368, 1278, 1208, 1166, 1127, 1076, 1011, 979; HPLC (OJH, 0.25 % isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 254 nm) retention times of 25.7 min (major) and 37.9 min (minor), 11:1 d.r.

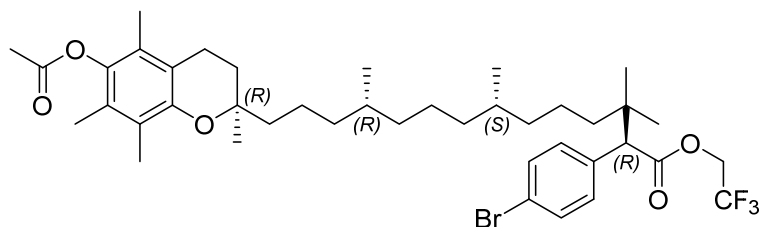


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,7S,11R)-14-((R)-6-acetoxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethylchroman-2-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11-tetramethyltetradecanoate (21S).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (*R*)-2,5,7,8-tetramethyl-2-((4*R*,8*R*)-4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl acetate (D- $\alpha$ -tocopheryl acetate or Vitamin E) **20** (0.2 mmol, 95 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **21S** as a colorless oil (126 mg, 82 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **21S** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recorded as > 98:2 r.r..

[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> +5.3° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat):2927, 2867, 1755, 1489, 1457, 1417, 1368, 1279, 1208, 1167, 1128, 1076, 1012, 979; HPLC (OJH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 254 nm) retention times of 26.9 min (minor) and 39.9 min (major), 11:1 d.r.

In the functionalization of compound **20** (Vitamin E acetate), even though Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> and Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> gave the same calculated d.r. at 39 °C (reflux CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>), actually in the HPLC spectra Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> gave slightly higher ratio, so we used Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> to conduct the temperature study.

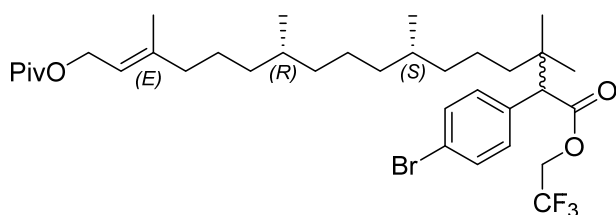


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2R,7S,11R)-14-((R)-6-acetoxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethylchroman-2-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11-tetramethyltetradecanoate (21R).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at **room temperature (24 °C)**. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (*R*)-2,5,7,8-tetramethyl-2-((4*R*,8*R*)-4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl acetate (D- $\alpha$ -tocopheryl acetate or Vitamin E) **20** (0.2 mmol, 95 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The

crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **21R** as a colorless oil (92 mg, 60 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **21R** was observed and no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recorded as > 98:2 r.r..

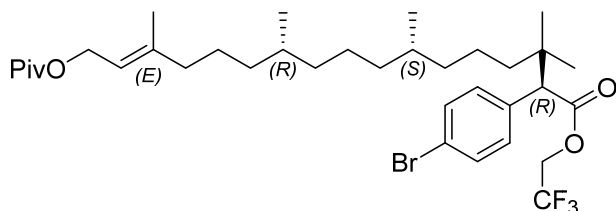
HPLC (OJH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 80 min, UV 254 nm) retention times of 24.5 min (minor) and 39.3 min (major), >20:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (7S,11R,E)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11,15-pentamethyl-17-(pivaloyloxy)heptadec-15-enoate (23).**

The diastereomers have no evident difference in the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra, presumably due to the fact that the newly generated chiral center is too far away from the existing chiral centers.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.44 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J$  = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (tq,  $J$  = 6.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (dq,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (d,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 4.26 (dq,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 2.00 (dp,  $J$  = 15.1, 7.7, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.68 (s, 3H), 1.40 – 1.21 (m, 12H), 1.19 (s, 9H), 1.15 – 1.01 (m, 4H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.85 (d,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.84 (d,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.85 – 0.83 (m, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (126 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  178.73, 171.26, 142.29, 134.13, 131.81, 131.20, 121.82, 118.62, 61.46, 60.17 (q,  $J$  = 36.7 Hz), 59.27, 41.02, 39.94, 38.87, 37.84, 37.53, 37.49, 36.68, 32.93, 32.82, 29.84, 27.35, 25.16, 24.62, 24.60, 24.28, 21.34, 19.86, 19.83, 16.48; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{58}\text{O}_4\text{BrF}_3\text{N}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$ ):692.3496 found 692.3516.

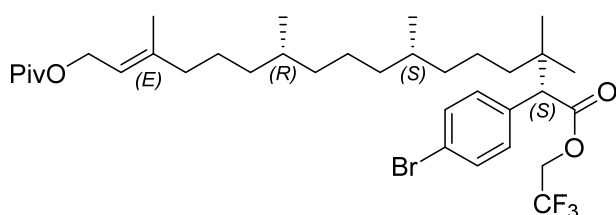


**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2R,7S,11R,E)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11,15-pentamethyl-17-(pivaloyloxy)heptadec-15-enoate (23R).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL

distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (7R,11R,E)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **23R** as a colorless oil (91 mg, 67 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **23R** and compound **24** were observed, no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 77:23 r.r..

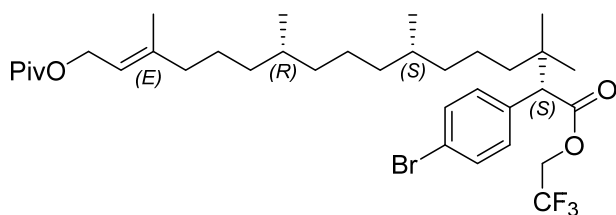
$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -10.0^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat):2929, 2869, 1754, 1725, 1489, 1480, 1461, 1279, 1152, 1125, 1076, 1032, 1012, 979, 830, 770; HPLC (OJH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 16.1 min (major) and 19.4 min (minor), 11:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,7S,11R,E)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11,15-pentamethyl-17-(pivaloyloxy)heptadec-15-enoate (23S)**. This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (7R,11R,E)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **23S** as a colorless oil (93 mg, 69 % yield).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **23S** and compound **24** were observed, no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 78:22 r.r..

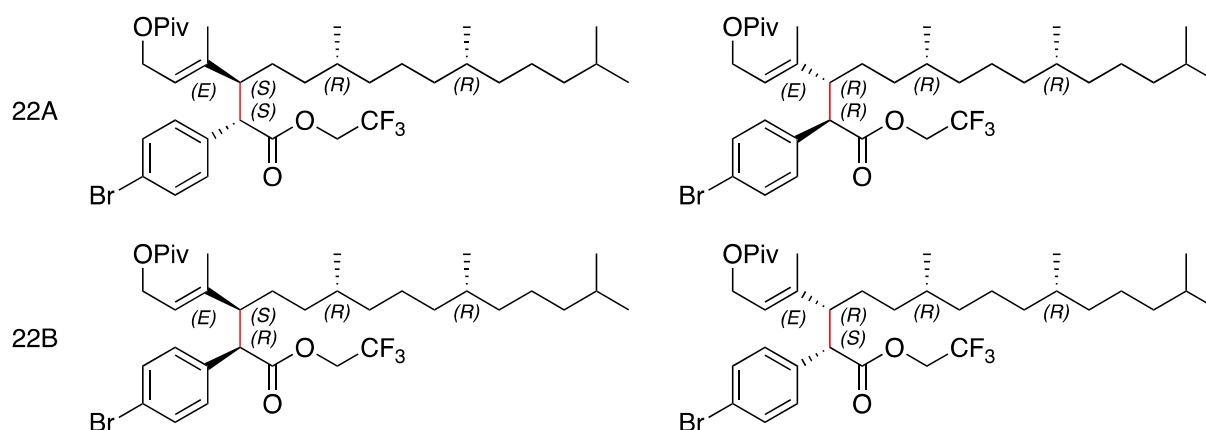
$[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} +11.6^\circ$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); IR (neat):2930, 2869, 1755, 1726, 1489, 1458, 1280, 1165, 1126, 1077, 1012, 980; HPLC (OJH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 16.1 min (major) and 19.2 min (minor), 12:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,7S,11R,E)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3,7,11,15-pentamethyl-17-(pivaloyloxy)heptadec-15-enoate (23S).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at room temperature (24 °C). 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and (7R,11R,E)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **23S** as a colorless oil (70 mg, 52 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that only compound **23S** and compound **24** were observed, no evident signal of other regioisomer was detected, so the regioselectivity of this reaction was recoded as 89:11 r.r..

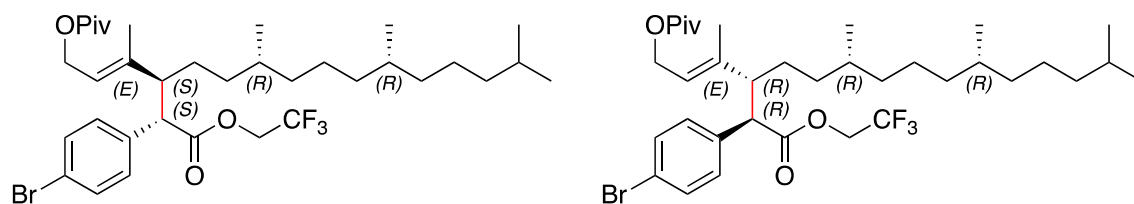
HPLC (OJH, 0.25% isopropanol in hexane, 0.25 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 16.1 min (major) and 19.2 min (minor), 12:1 d.r.



**2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (6R,10R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-6,10,14-trimethyl-3-(4-(pivaloyloxy)but-2-en-2-yl)pentadecanoate (24).** These compounds were prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> or Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and (7R,11R,E)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled

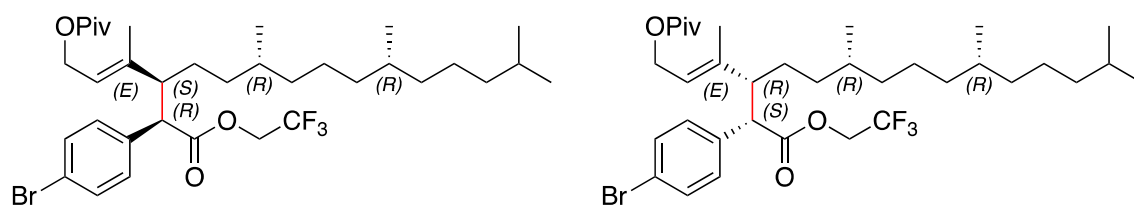
$\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **24** as a colorless oil (27 mg, 20 % yield for  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  and 28 mg, 21 % yield for  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$ ).

Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that the diastereomeric ratio (d.r.) between ( $\pm$ ) **24** (**S, S**) and ( $\pm$ ) **24** (**S, R**) was 2:1 for both  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$ .



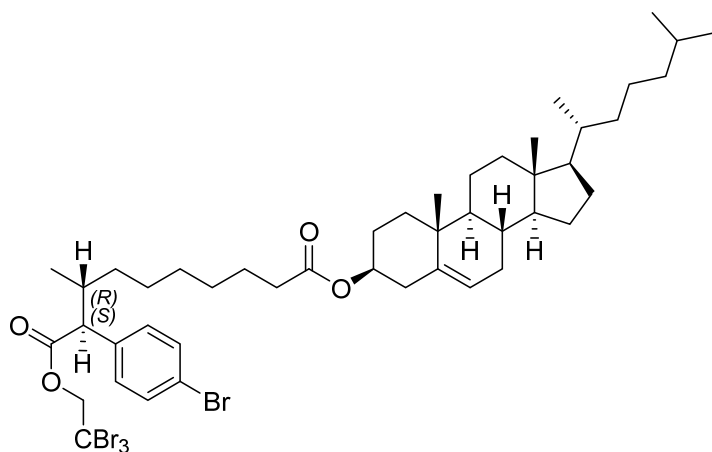
( $\pm$ )-2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (**2S,3S,6R,10R**)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-6,10,14-trimethyl-3-((*E*)-4-(pivaloyloxy)but-2-en-2-yl)pentadecanoate [( $\pm$ ) **24** (**S, S**)]. These compounds were prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 3 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  or  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (7*R*,11*R*,*E*)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 equiv.) in 0.5 mL distilled  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  were used. The crude residue was analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford ( $\pm$ ) **24** (**S, S**) as colorless oil (18 mg, 13 % yield for  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{S-TCPTAD})_4$  and 19 mg, 14 % yield for  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$ ).

TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.39 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.25 (t,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.56 (dq,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.39 – 4.26 (m, 3H), 3.60 (d,  $J$  = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (td,  $J$  = 11.3, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 1.54 (s, 3H), 1.58 – 1.47 (m, 1H), 1.42 (s, 3H), 1.36 (ddt,  $J$  = 9.8, 6.6, 3.2 Hz, 2H), 1.34 – 1.26 (m, 2H), 1.26 – 1.20 (m, 3H), 1.22 – 1.17 (m, 3H), 1.15 (dddt,  $J$  = 12.0, 9.2, 6.4, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 1.10 (s, 9H), 1.09 – 1.00 (m, 2H), 1.02 – 0.93 (m, 1H), 0.87 (d,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 6H), 0.84 (d,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.82 (d,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (151 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  178.20, 171.71, 138.98, 135.29, 131.56, 130.25, 124.26, 122.79 (q,  $J$  = 277.6 Hz), 121.70, 60.49 (q,  $J$  = 36.5 Hz), 60.12, 54.92, 51.78, 39.37, 38.66, 37.64, 37.38, 37.31, 34.36, 32.78, 32.41, 29.71, 28.45, 27.98, 27.11, 24.80, 24.53, 22.72, 22.62, 19.72, 19.28, 12.25; HRMS (NSI) calcd for  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{53}\text{BrO}_4\text{F}_3$  ( $[\text{M-H}]^-$ ): 673.3085 found 673.3091; IR (neat): 2954, 2925, 2854, 1756, 1727, 1489, 1462, 1281, 1168, 1147, 1075, 1012, 980.



**(±)2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl (2S,3R,6R,10R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-6,10,14-trimethyl-3-((E)-4-(pivaloyloxy)but-2-en-2-yl)pentadecanoate [(±) 24 (S, R)].** These compounds were prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> or Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and (7R,11R,*E*)-3,7,11,15-tetramethylhexadec-2-en-1-yl pivalate (phytyl pivalate) **22** (0.2 mmol, 76 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford **(±) 24 (S, R)** as colorless oil (9 mg, 7 % yield for both Rh<sub>2</sub>(*S*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> and Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>).

TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.47 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 5H), 5.49 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (qd, *J* = 12.7, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 4.44 (dq, *J* = 12.6, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 2.72 – 2.63 (m, 1H), 1.70 (s, 3H), 1.58 – 1.47 (m, 1H), 1.36 – 1.19 (m, 9H), 1.19 (s, 9H), 1.17 – 1.00 (m, 4H), 1.02 – 0.92 (m, 1H), 0.87 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 6H), 0.91 – 0.82 (m, 4H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.70 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 178.34, 170.86, 139.93, 135.17, 131.89, 130.34, 123.63, 122.89 (q, *J* = 277.3 Hz), 121.94, 60.69, 60.53 (q, *J* = 36.7 Hz), 55.11, 52.22, 39.37, 38.73, 37.40, 37.29, 36.43, 33.97, 32.75, 32.39, 29.71, 27.98, 27.18, 26.72, 24.80, 24.18, 22.73, 22.63, 19.95, 19.71, 14.13, 12.56; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>53</sub>BrO<sub>4</sub>F<sub>3</sub> ([M-H]<sup>+</sup>):673.3085 found 673.3074; IR (neat):2954, 2924, 2854, 1756, 1730, 1488, 1461, 1281, 1168, 1149, 1075, 1012.

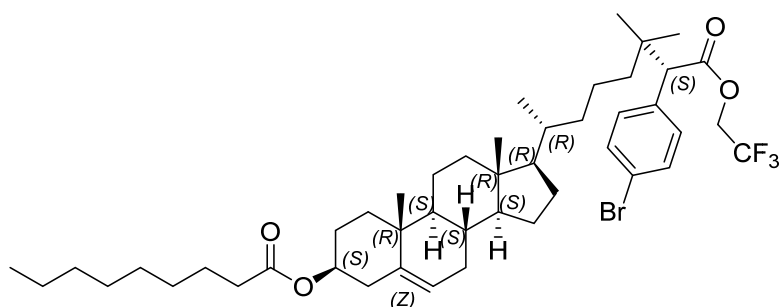


**10-((3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-10,13-Dimethyl-17-((R)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl) 1-(2,2,2-tribromoethyl) (2S,3R)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methyldecanedioate (26).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1c** (0.2 mmol, 101 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %.) and (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((R)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (cholesteryl

pelargonate) **25** (0.6 mmol, 105 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **26** as a colorless oil (137 mg, 68 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that the regioselectivity of this reaction was 3:87:10 r.r.. 3% of product was the C-H insertion at the most accessible primary position (the last primary carbon) of the *n*-alkyl chain, another 10% of the product was the C-H insertion at the most accessible tertiary position (the isopropyl tertiary carbon) of another alkyl chain. For this reaction, two new chiral centers will be generated, compound **26** is (*S,R*), other potential diastereomers are (*R,S*), (*S,S*) and (*R,R*), the ratio of [(*S,R*) + (*R,S*)] to [(*S,S*) + (*R,R*)] is 9.27:1.

[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -4.6° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.45 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.37 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz, 1H), 2.33 – 2.24 (m, 3H), 2.22 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.03 – 1.93 (m, 2H), 1.88 – 1.78 (m, 3H), 1.52 (dddd, *J* = 50.3, 26.9, 12.9, 5.1 Hz, 10H), 1.40 – 1.26 (m, 6H), 1.25 – 1.09 (m, 12H), 1.07 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 1.01 – 0.93 (m, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 4H), 0.87 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 3H), 0.86 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 3H), 0.68 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  173.15, 171.45, 139.66, 136.20, 131.68, 130.52, 122.59, 121.54, 77.06, 73.68, 58.19, 56.67, 56.11, 50.00, 42.30, 39.71, 39.50, 38.15, 36.98, 36.58, 36.17, 36.00, 35.78, 35.18, 34.58, 33.19, 31.89, 31.85, 29.69, 29.19, 28.95, 28.22, 28.00, 27.80, 26.06, 24.88, 24.27, 23.82, 22.82, 22.56, 21.02, 19.33, 18.71, 17.93, 14.12, 11.85; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>46</sub>H<sub>69</sub>Br<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 1003.1903 found 1003.1937; IR (neat): 2932, 2853, 2361, 1733, 1488, 1466, 1365, 1256, 1173, 1128, 1074, 1011, 756, 719; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to 3-methyl-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)decane-1,10-diol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (*S,S*-Whelk, 4 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 10 mg/mL, 90 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 47.5 min (major) and 78.8 min (minor), the ratio of (*S,R*) to (*R,S*) is 39:1. Combined with the ratio measured by crude <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum, the calculated d.r. of this reaction is 9:1.

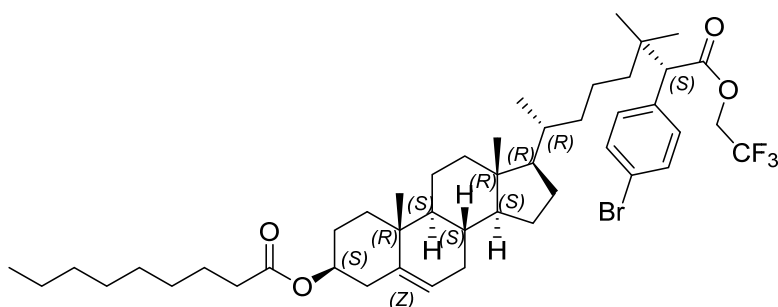


**(3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*S*)-7-(4-Bromophenyl)-6,6-dimethyl-8-oxo-8-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)octan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-**

**cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (27).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (cholesteryl pelargonate) **25** (0.6 mmol, 105 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **27** as a white solid (122 mg, 74 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that the regioselectivity of this reaction was 87:13 r.r., and the minor regioisomer was the C–H insertion at the most accessible secondary position (the second last secondary carbon) of the *n*-alkyl chain.

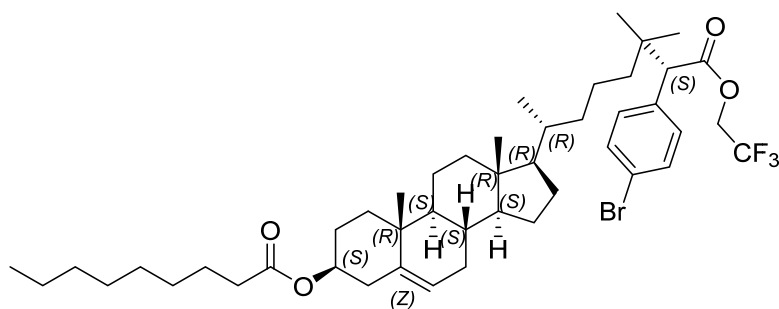
[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> -5.1° (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); TLC (diethyl ether:hexanes, 1:10 v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.44 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 5.37 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.66 – 4.55 (m, 2H), 4.27 (dq, *J* = 12.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 2.36 – 2.29 (m, 2H), 2.27 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.03 – 1.94 (m, 2H), 1.90 – 1.75 (m, 3H), 1.68 – 1.54 (m, 5H), 1.54 – 1.42 (m, 3H), 1.42 – 1.33 (m, 2H), 1.33 – 1.23 (m, 15H), 1.23 – 1.04 (m, 6H), 1.01 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz, 6H), 0.98 – 0.95 (m, 1H), 0.92 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.67 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  173.31, 171.12, 139.72, 134.03, 131.68, 131.07, 122.92 (q, *J* = 277.3 Hz), 122.55, 121.69, 73.66, 60.06 (q, *J* = 36.6 Hz), 59.12, 56.66, 56.07, 50.02, 42.33, 41.10, 39.72, 38.16, 37.44, 37.01, 36.60, 35.82, 34.73, 31.89, 31.86, 31.81, 29.71, 29.23, 29.13, 28.23, 27.82, 25.07, 24.47, 24.27, 24.21, 22.65, 21.03, 20.30, 19.33, 18.74, 14.10, 11.84; HRMS (NSI) calcd for C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>51</sub>BrF<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> ([M-C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup>): 663.3019 found 663.3037; IR (neat): 2930, 2853, 1751, 1734, 1489, 1457, 1279, 1168, 1124, 1012, 980; HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3*S*,8*S*,9*S*,10*R*,13*R*,14*S*,17*R*)-17-((2*R*,7*R*)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S)-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 9.9 min (major) and 21.3 min (minor), 6:1 d.r.



**(3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-17-((2R,7S)-7-(4-Bromophenyl)-6,6-dimethyl-8-oxo-8-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)octan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (27).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at **room temperature (24 °C)**. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (cholesteryl pelargonate) **25** (0.6 mmol, 105 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was analyzed by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **27** as a white solid (112 mg, 68 % yield).

Analysis of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that the regioselectivity of this reaction was 89:11 r.r., and the minor regioisomer was the C–H insertion at the most accessible secondary position (the second last secondary carbon) of the *n*-alkyl chain.

HPLC (to improve the separation, the product was converted to (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-17-((2R,7R)-7-(4-bromophenyl)-8-hydroxy-6,6-dimethyloctan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-ol prepared using DIBAL in DCM at -78 °C), (S,S-Whelk, 20 % isopropanol in hexane, 1 mL/min, 30 mg/mL, 30 min, UV 210 nm) retention times of 11.8 min (major) and 24.06 min (minor), >20:1 d.r.



**(3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-17-((2R,7S)-7-(4-Bromophenyl)-6,6-dimethyl-8-oxo-8-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)octan-2-yl)-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (27).** This compound was prepared according to the general procedure for C–H functionalization reactions at **0 °C**. 2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-diazoacetate **1d** (0.2 mmol, 65 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 3 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, Rh<sub>2</sub>(*R*-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub> (0.002 mmol, 4 mg, 1 mol %) and (3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-10,13-dimethyl-17-((*R*)-6-methylheptan-2-yl)-2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-tetradecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-yl nonanoate (cholesteryl pelargonate) **25** (0.6 mmol, 105 mg, 1.0 *equiv.*) in 0.5 mL distilled CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> were used. The crude residue was

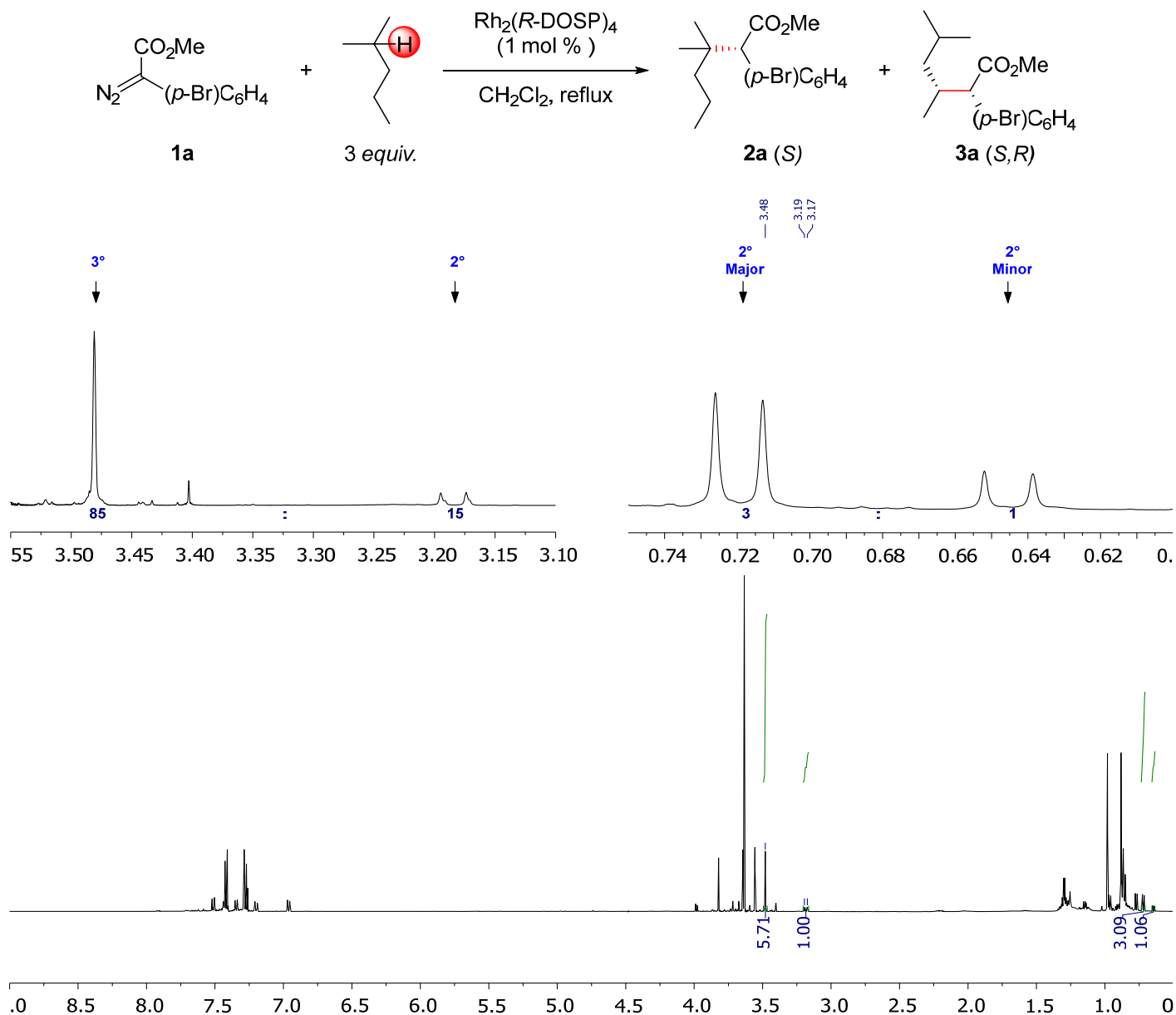
analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and then purified by flash column chromatography (hexanes/diethyl ether = 65/1) to afford compound **27** as a white solid (107 mg, 65 % yield).

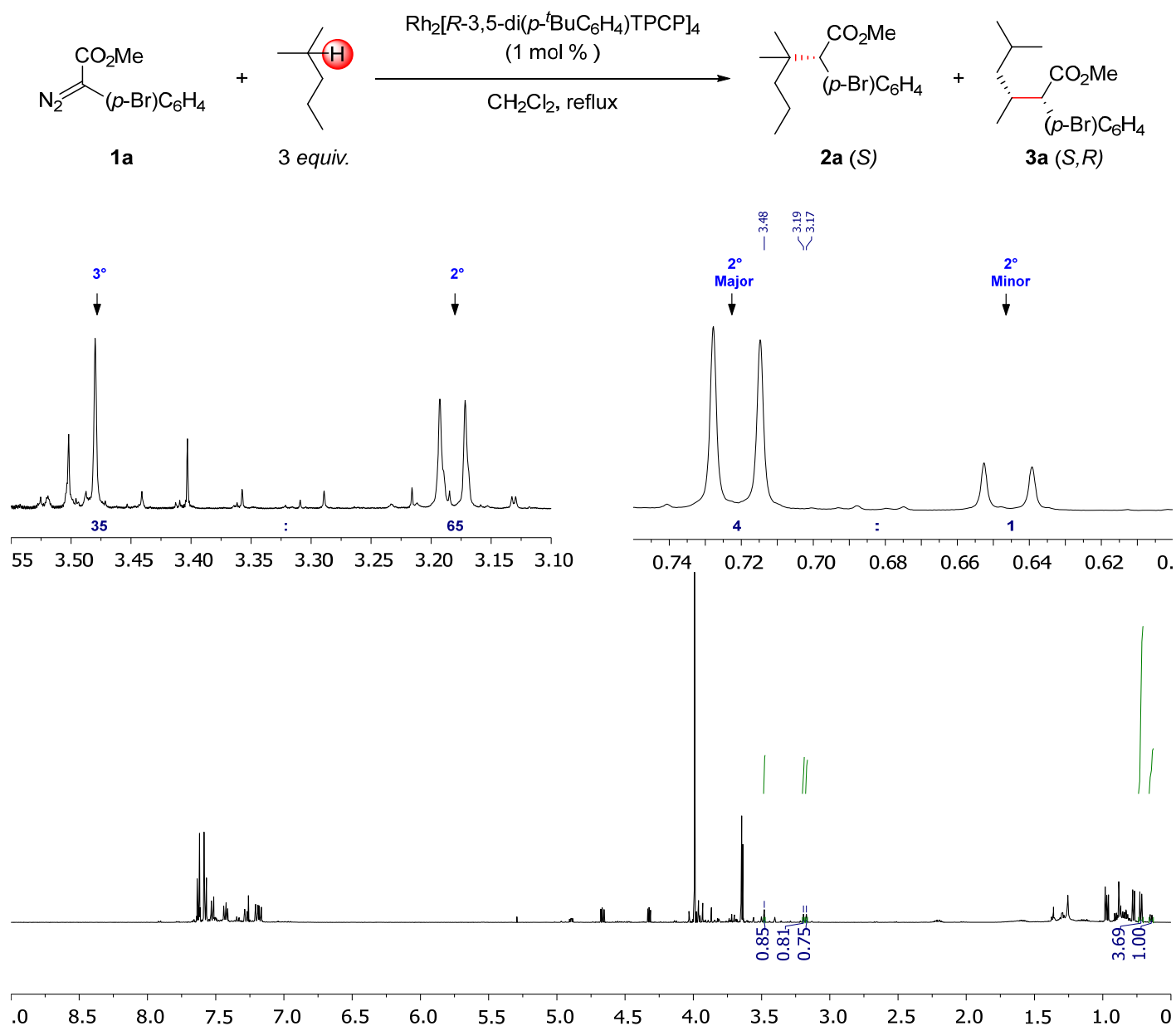
Analysis of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the crude reaction mixture revealed that the regioselectivity of this reaction was 92:8 r.r., and the minor regioisomer was the C-H insertion at the most accessible secondary position (the second last secondary carbon) of the *n*-alkyl chain.

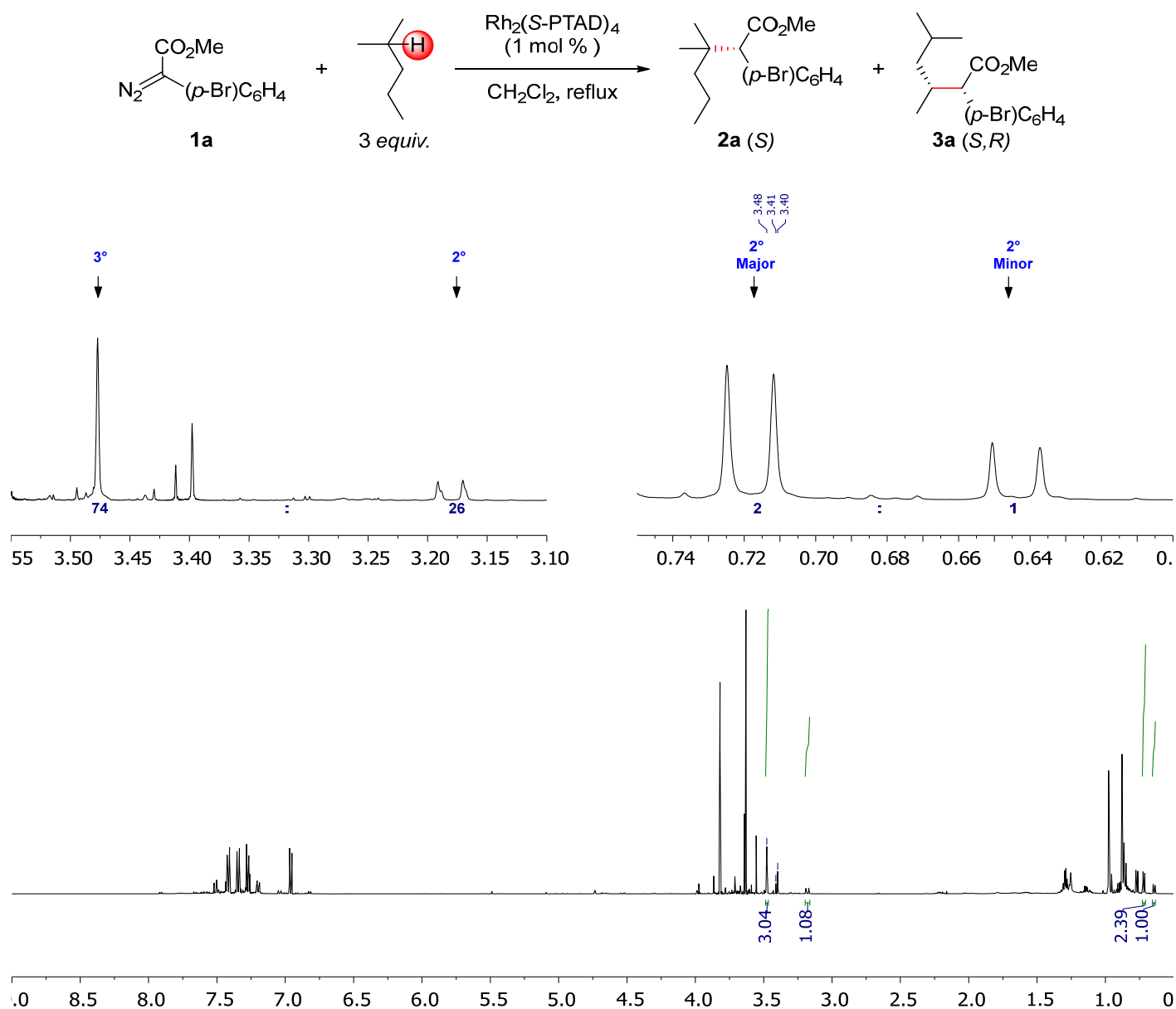
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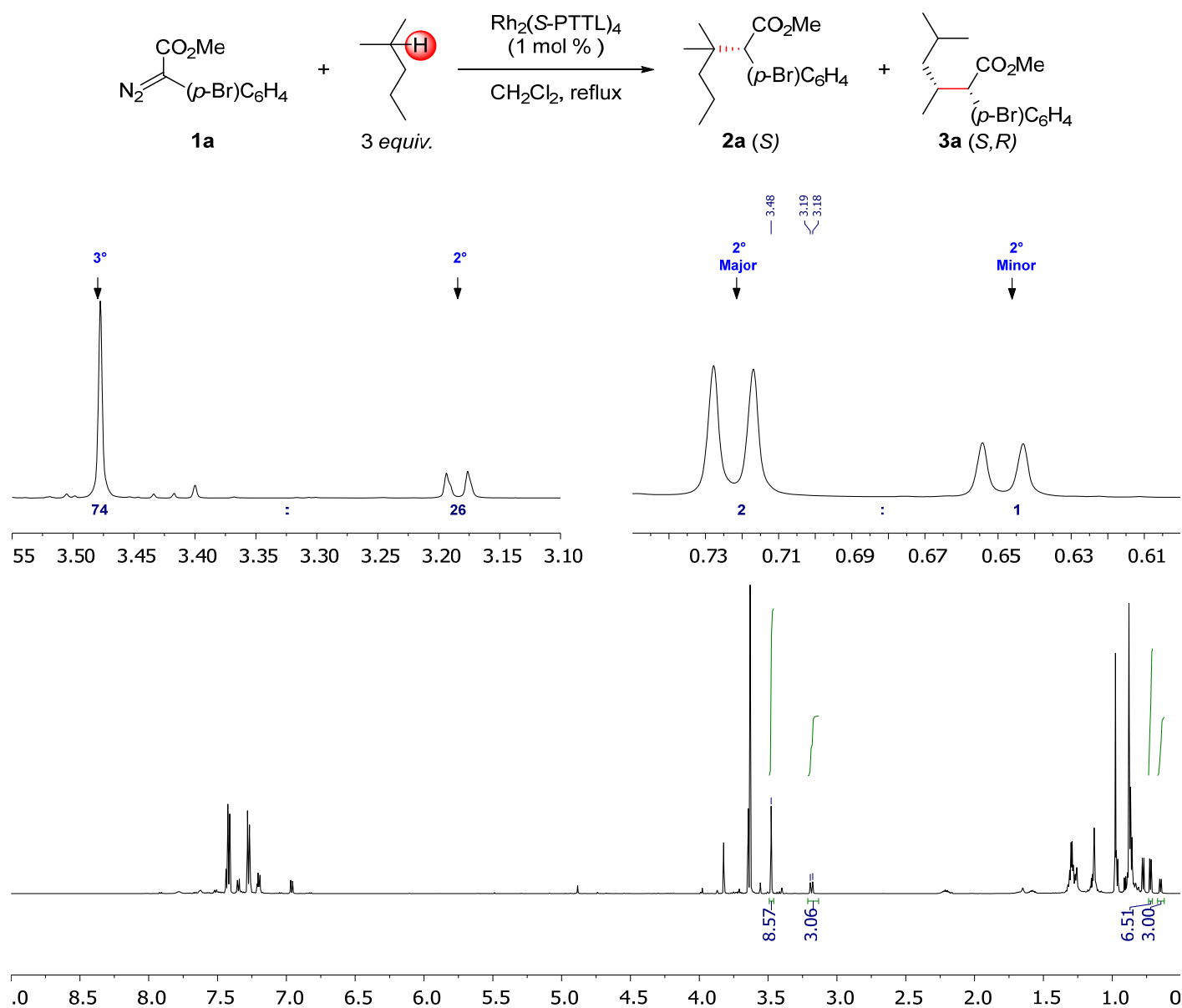
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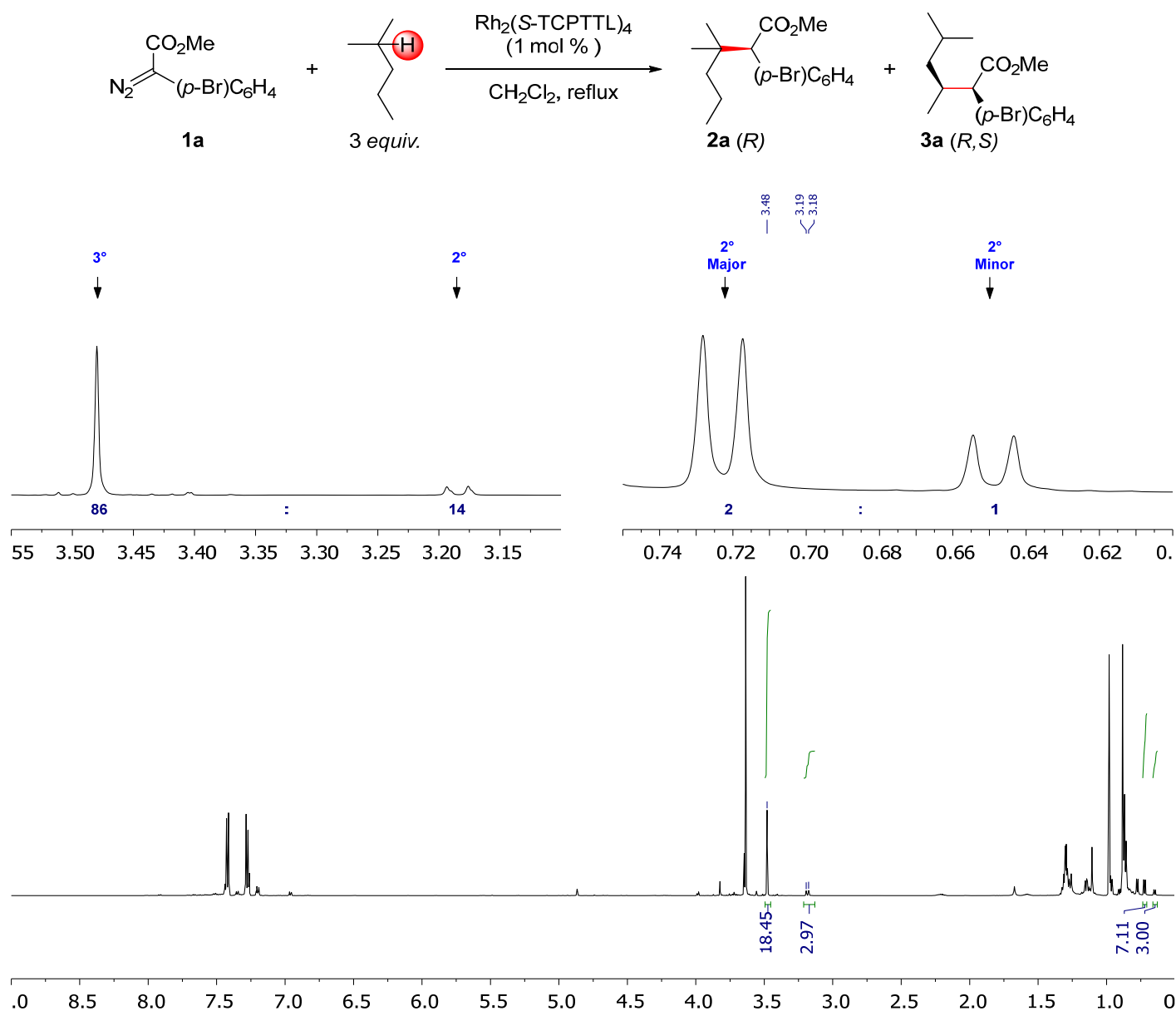
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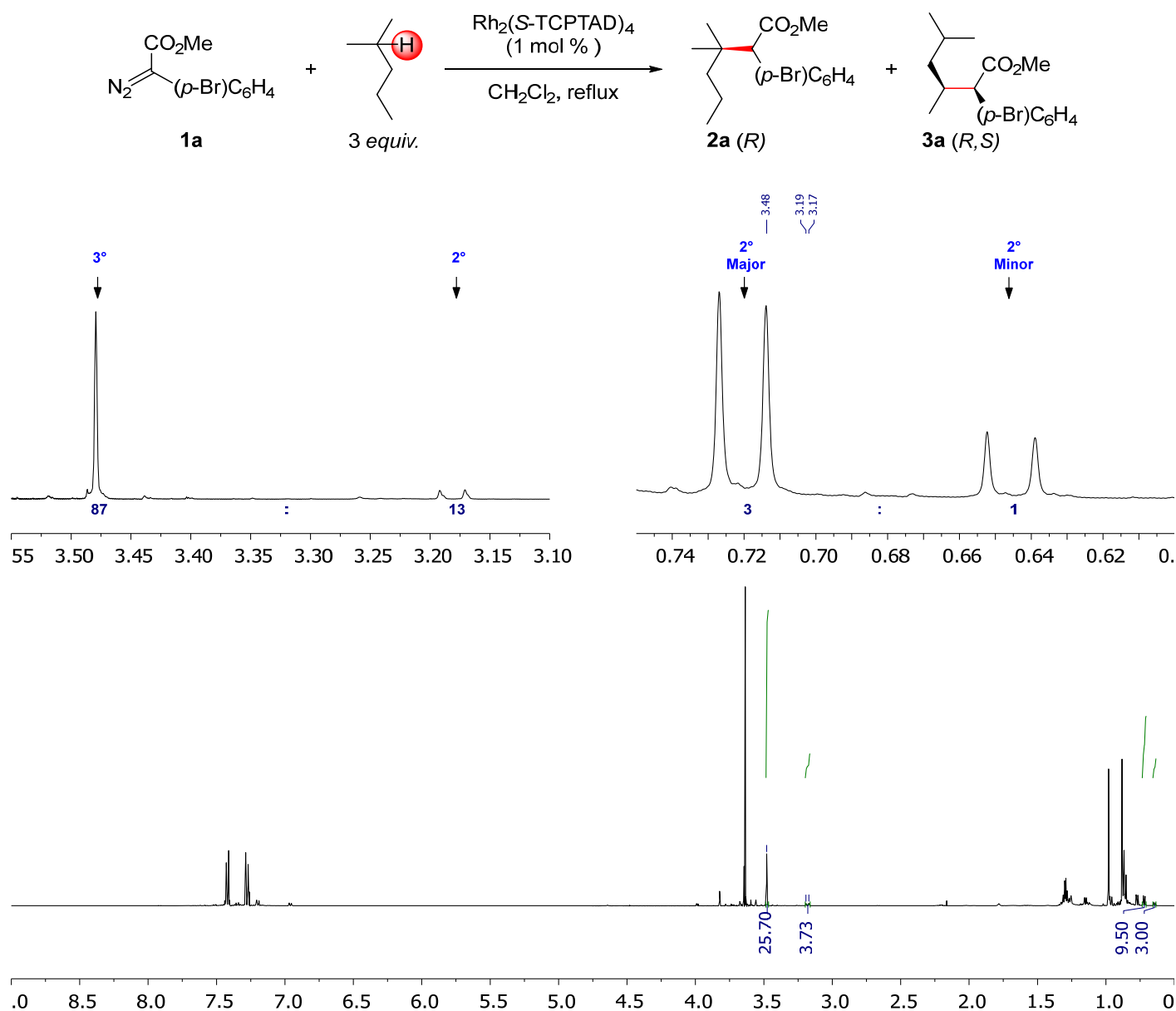


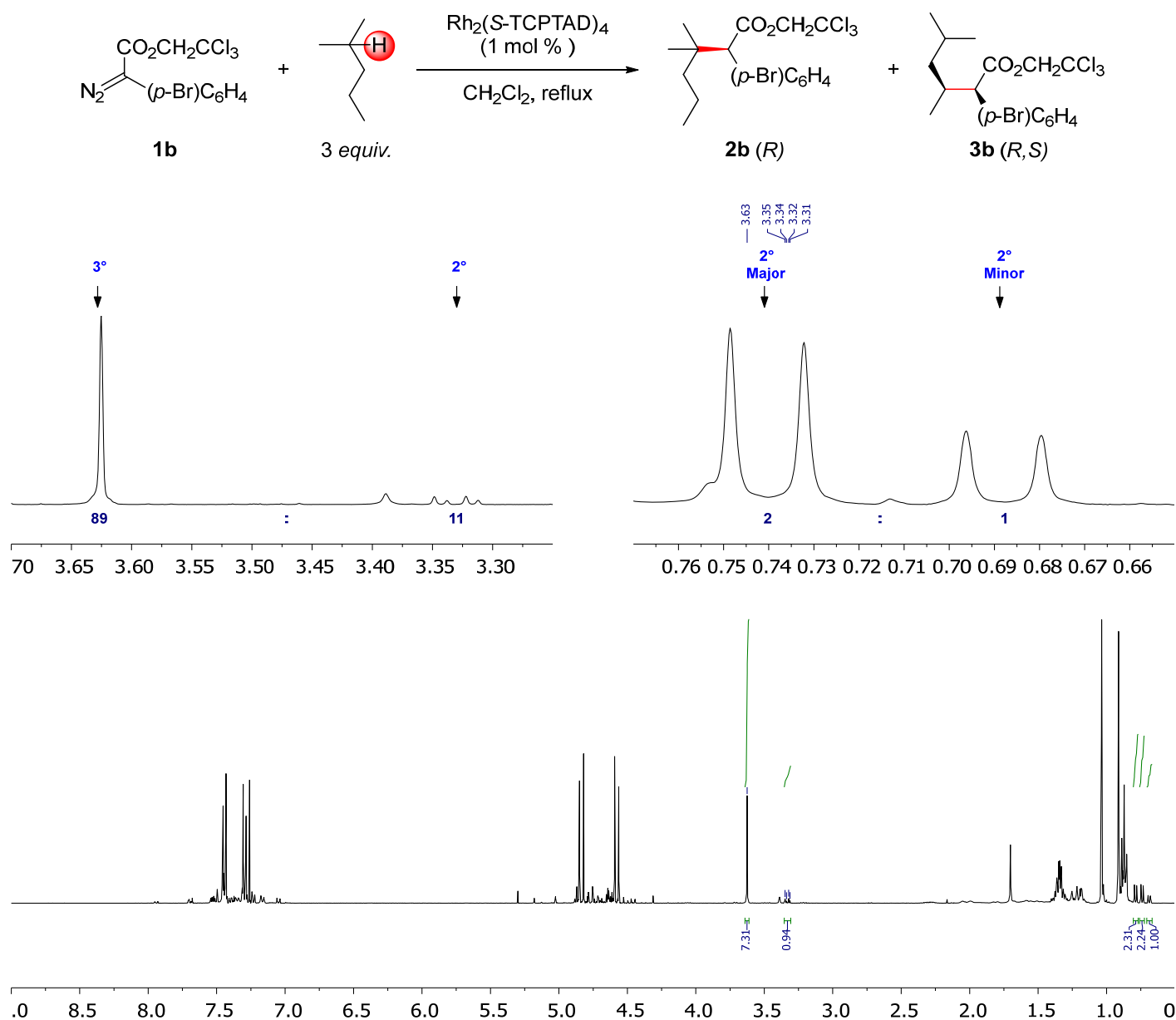


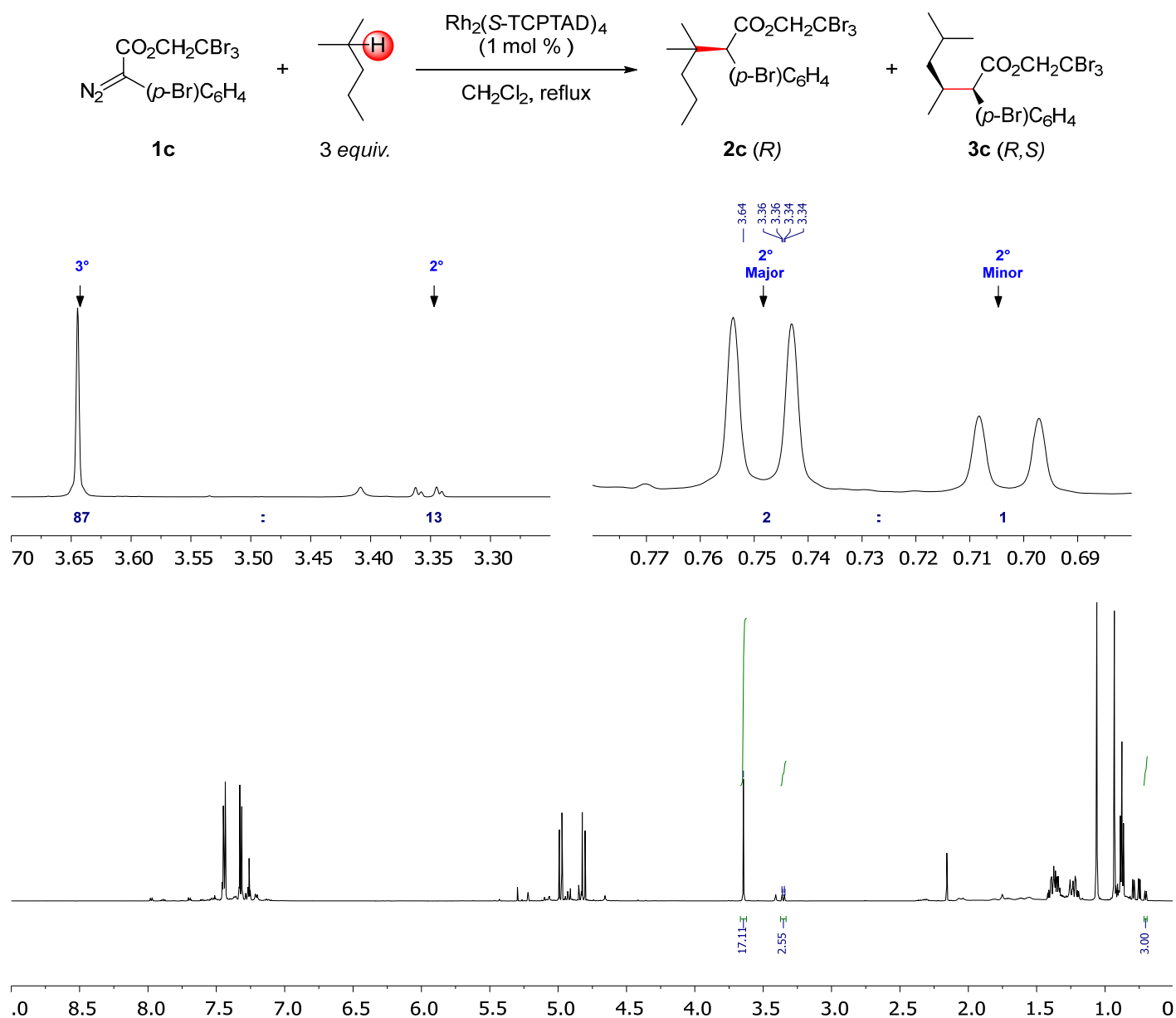


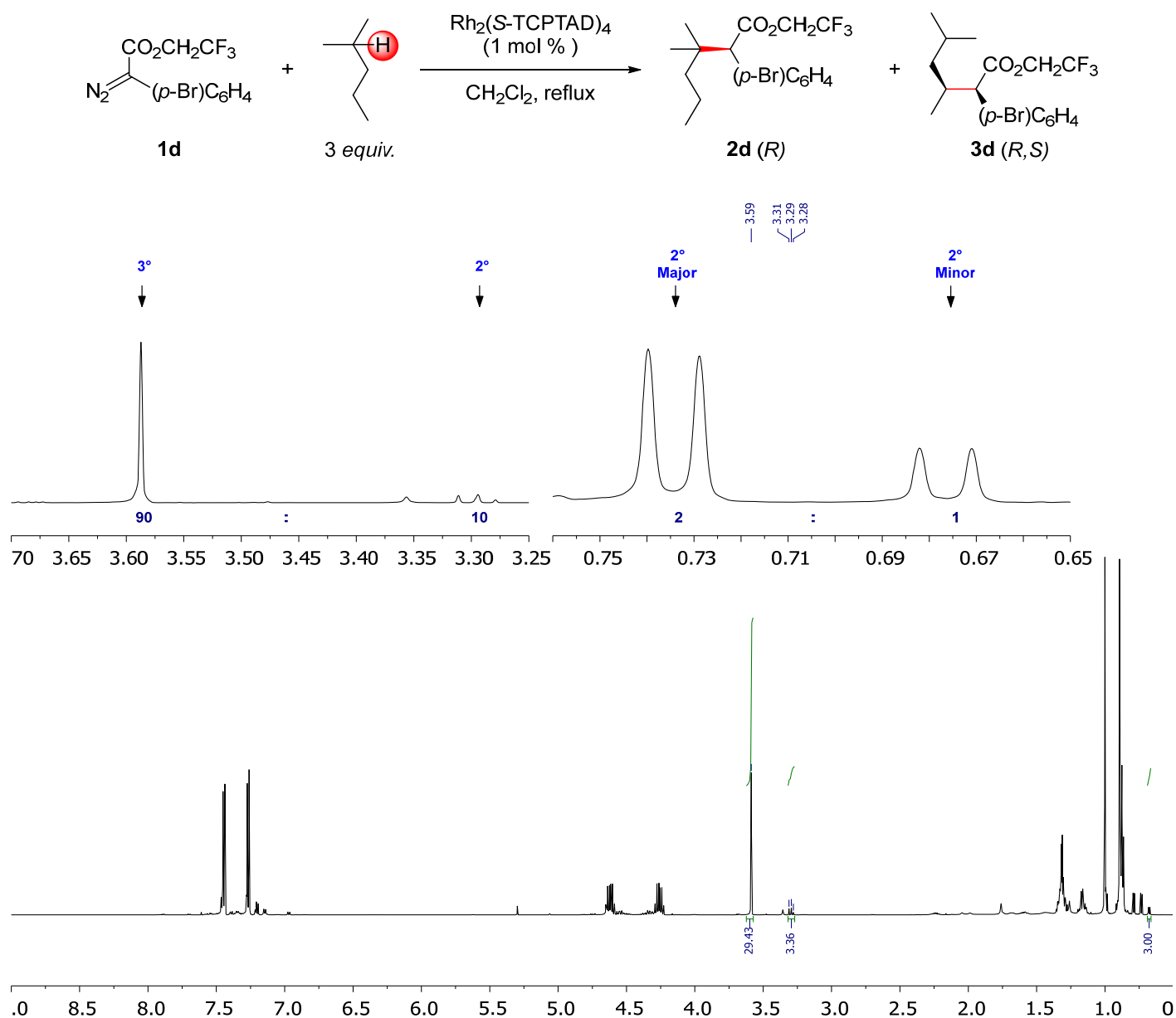




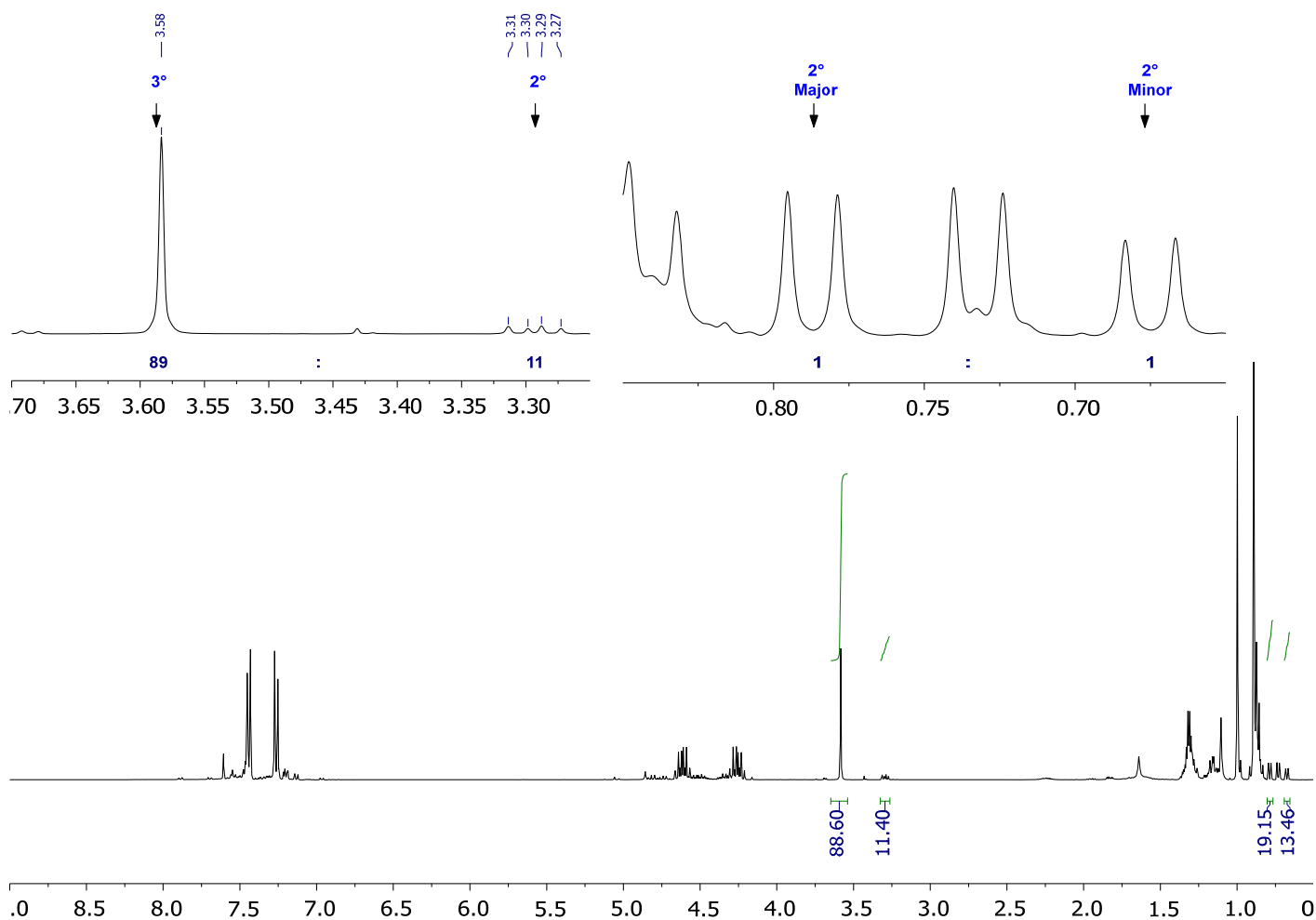
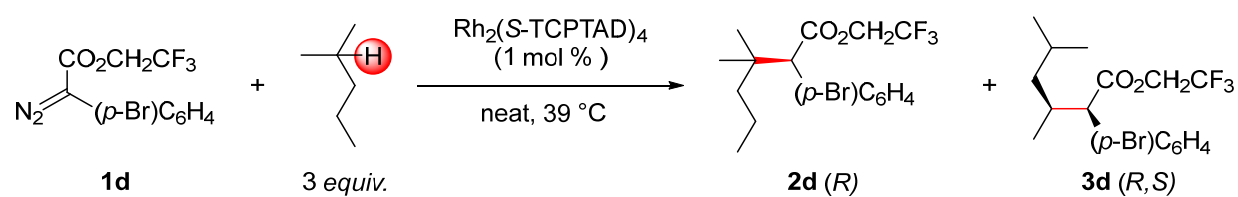


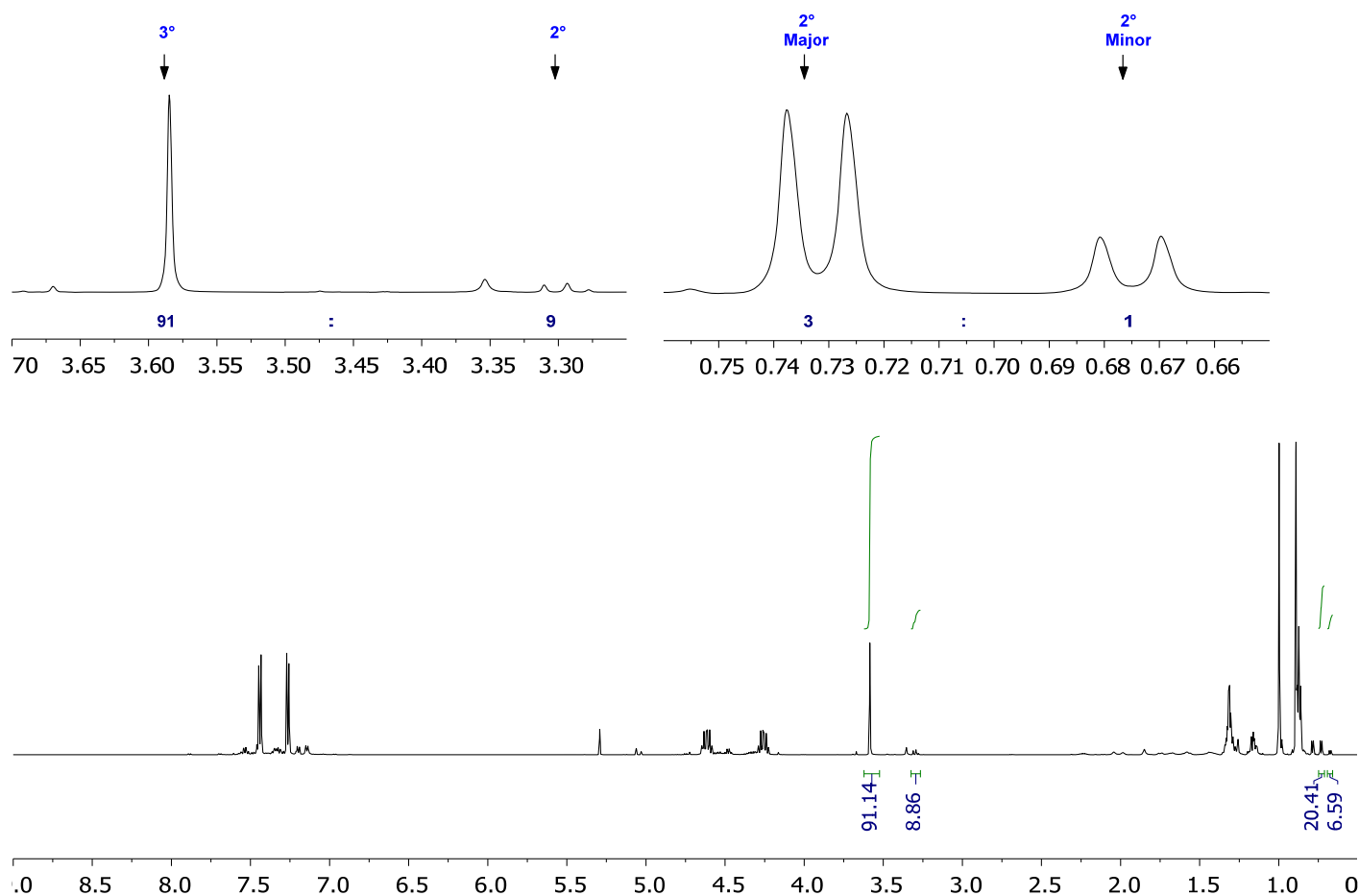
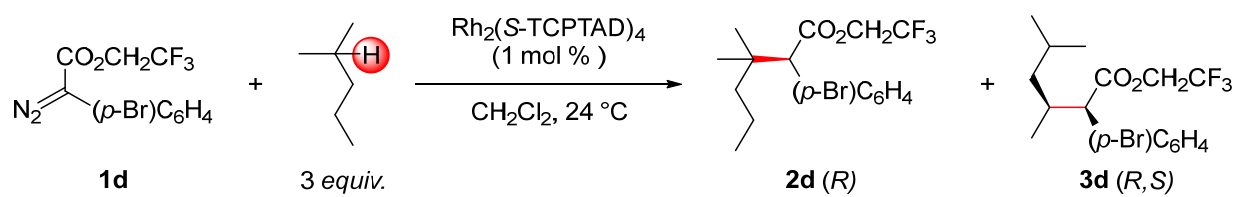


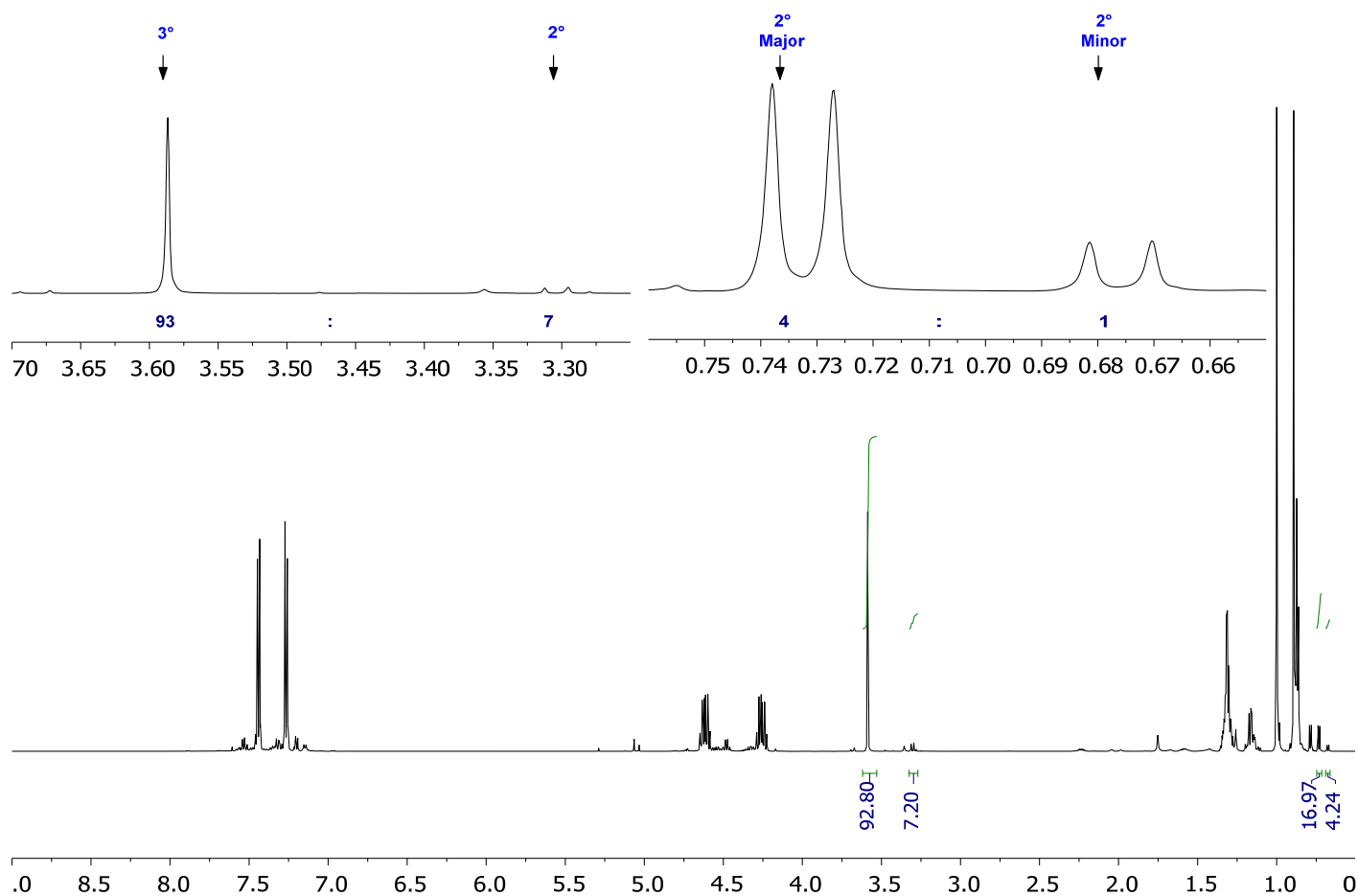
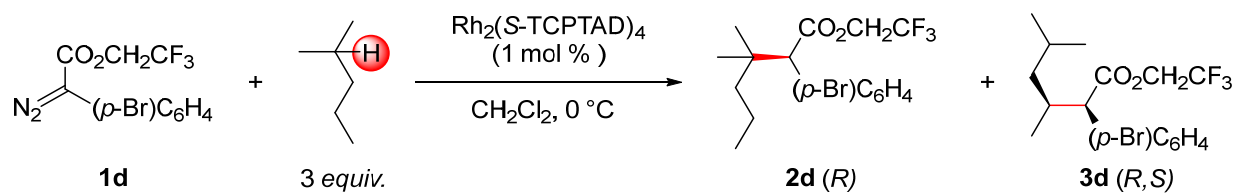


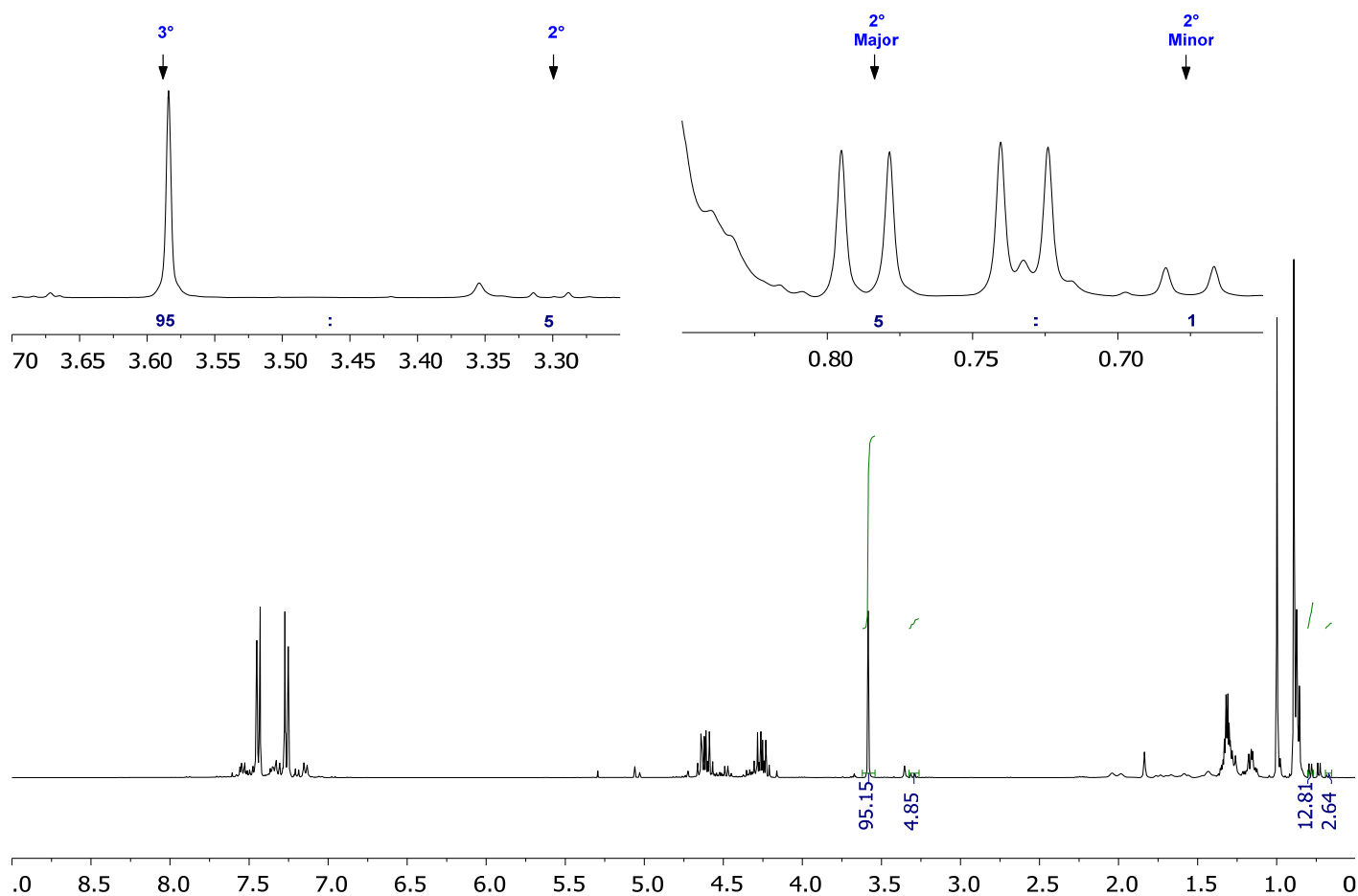
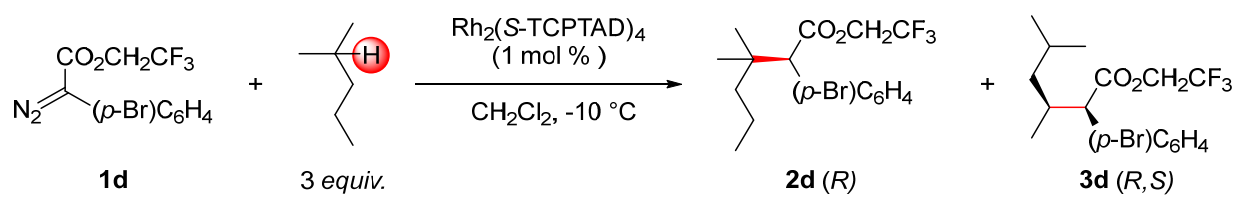


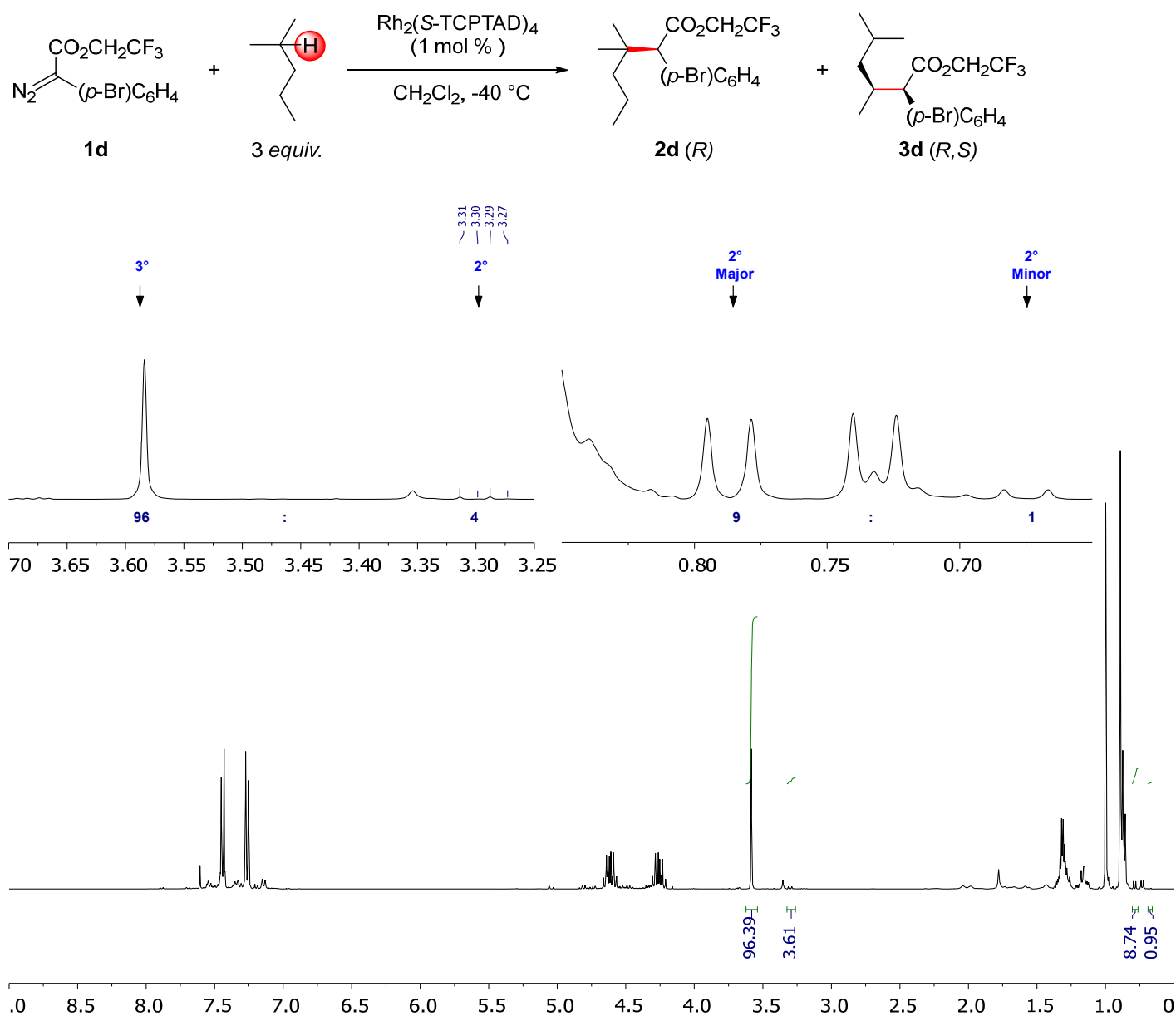
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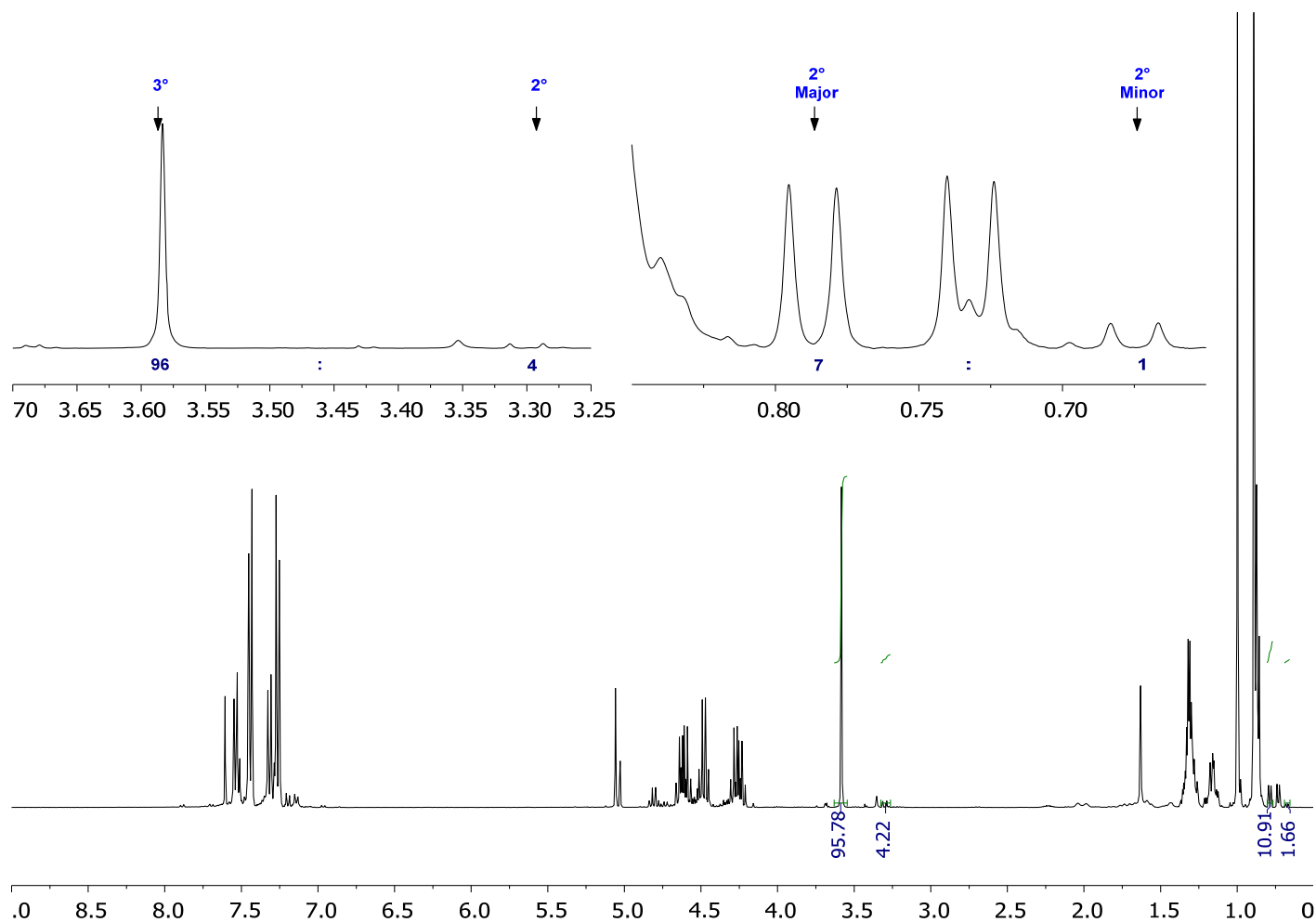
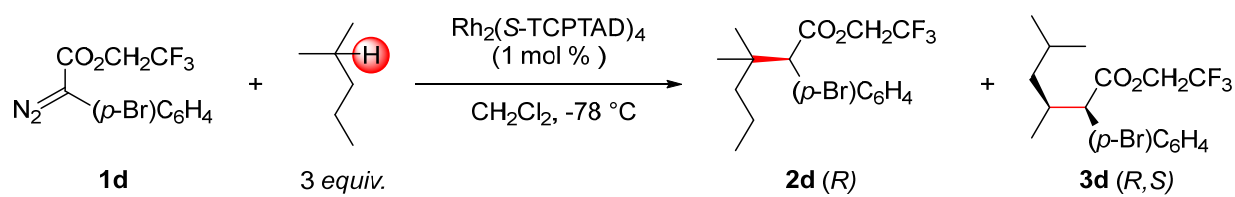




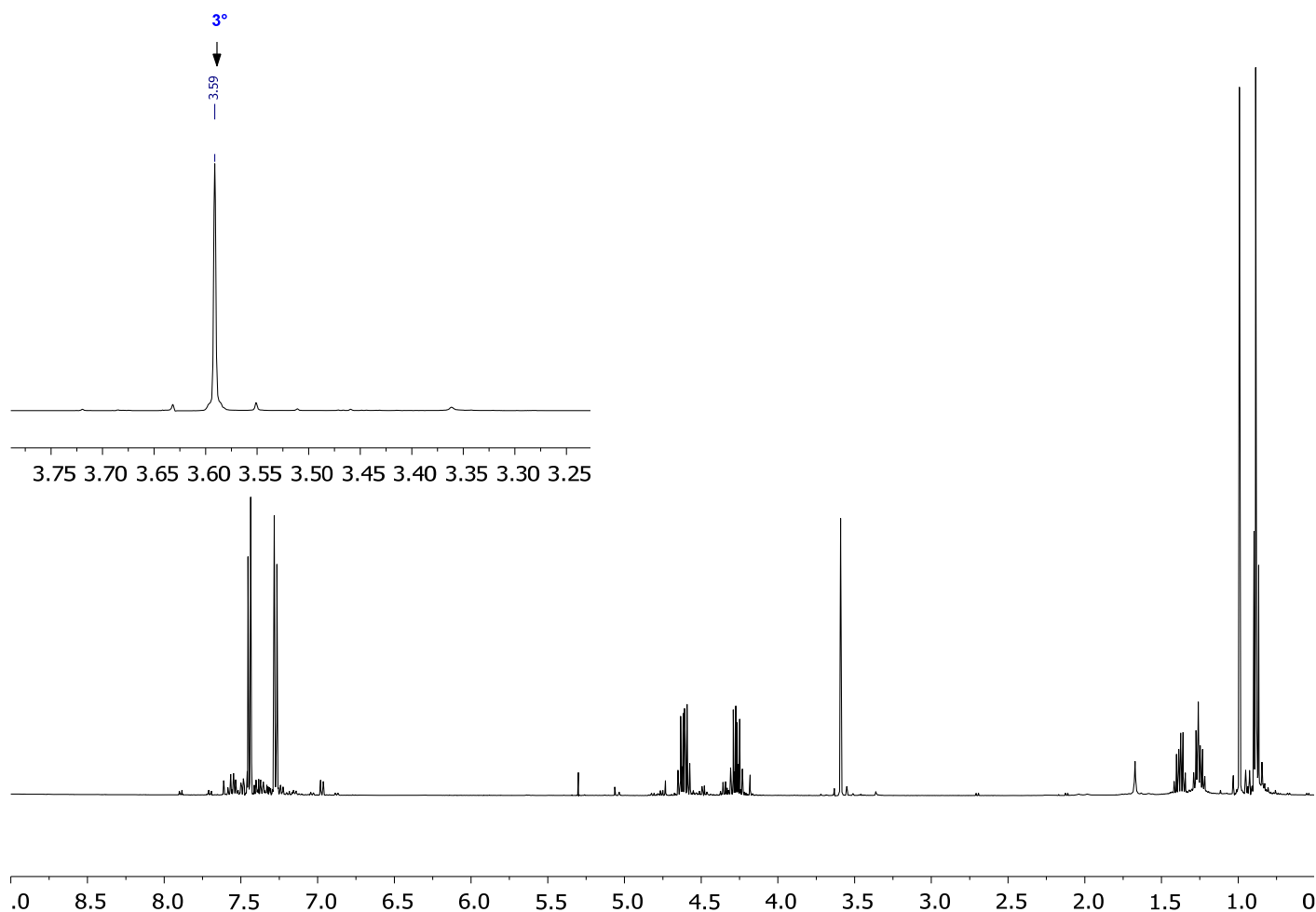
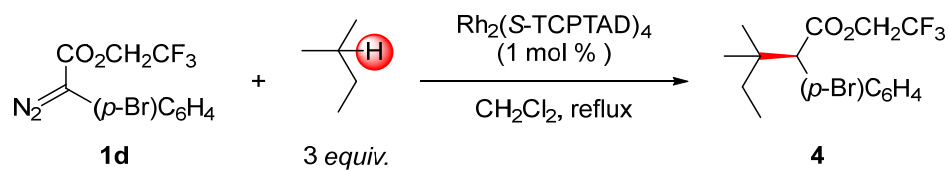


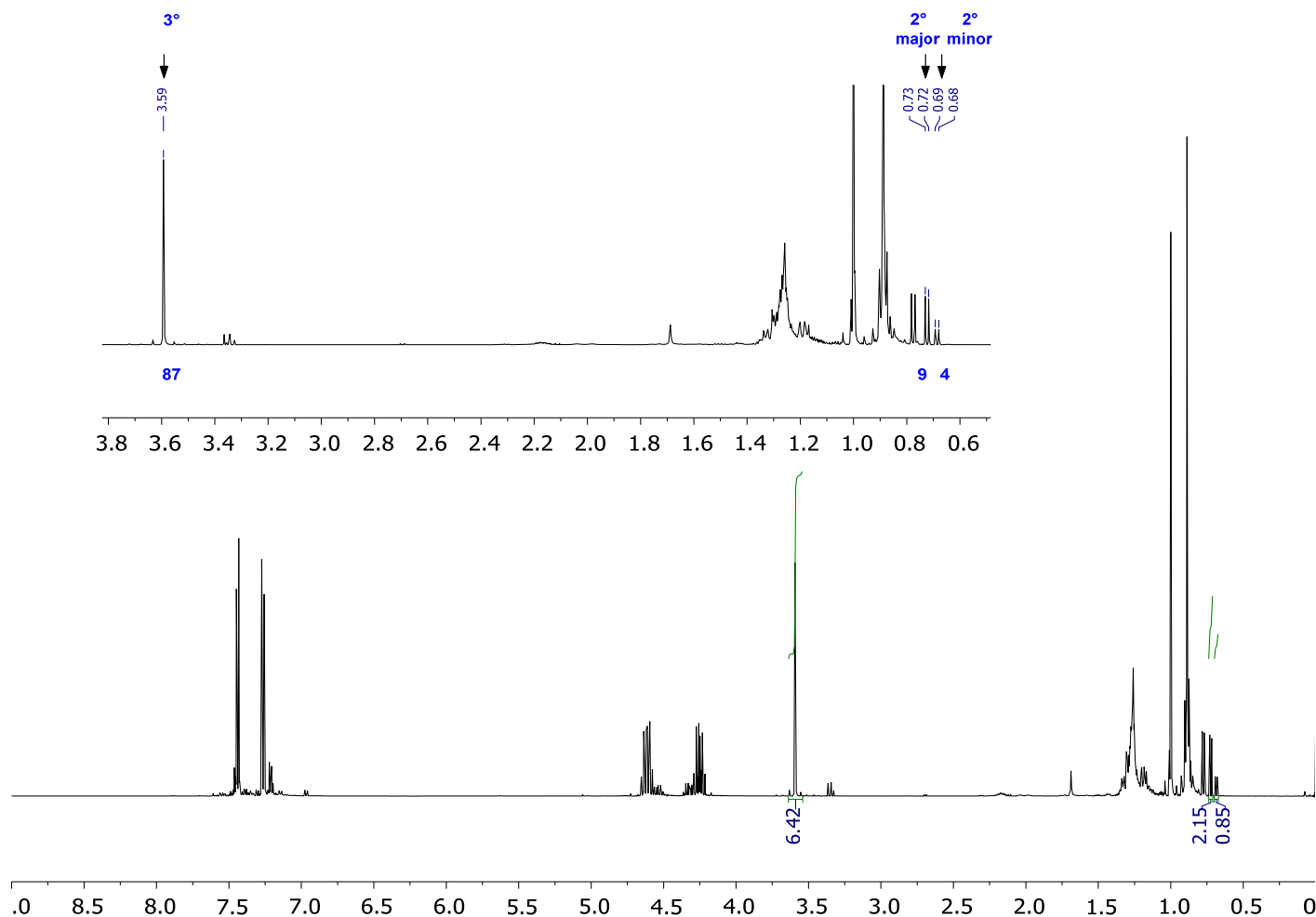
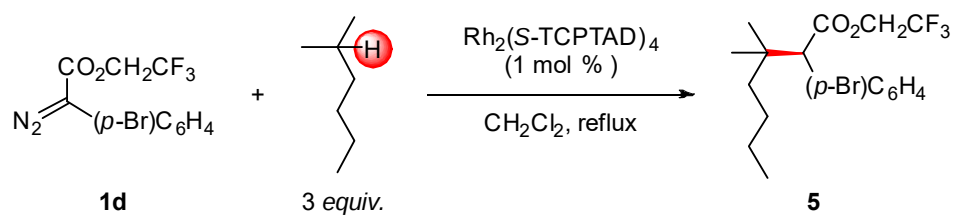


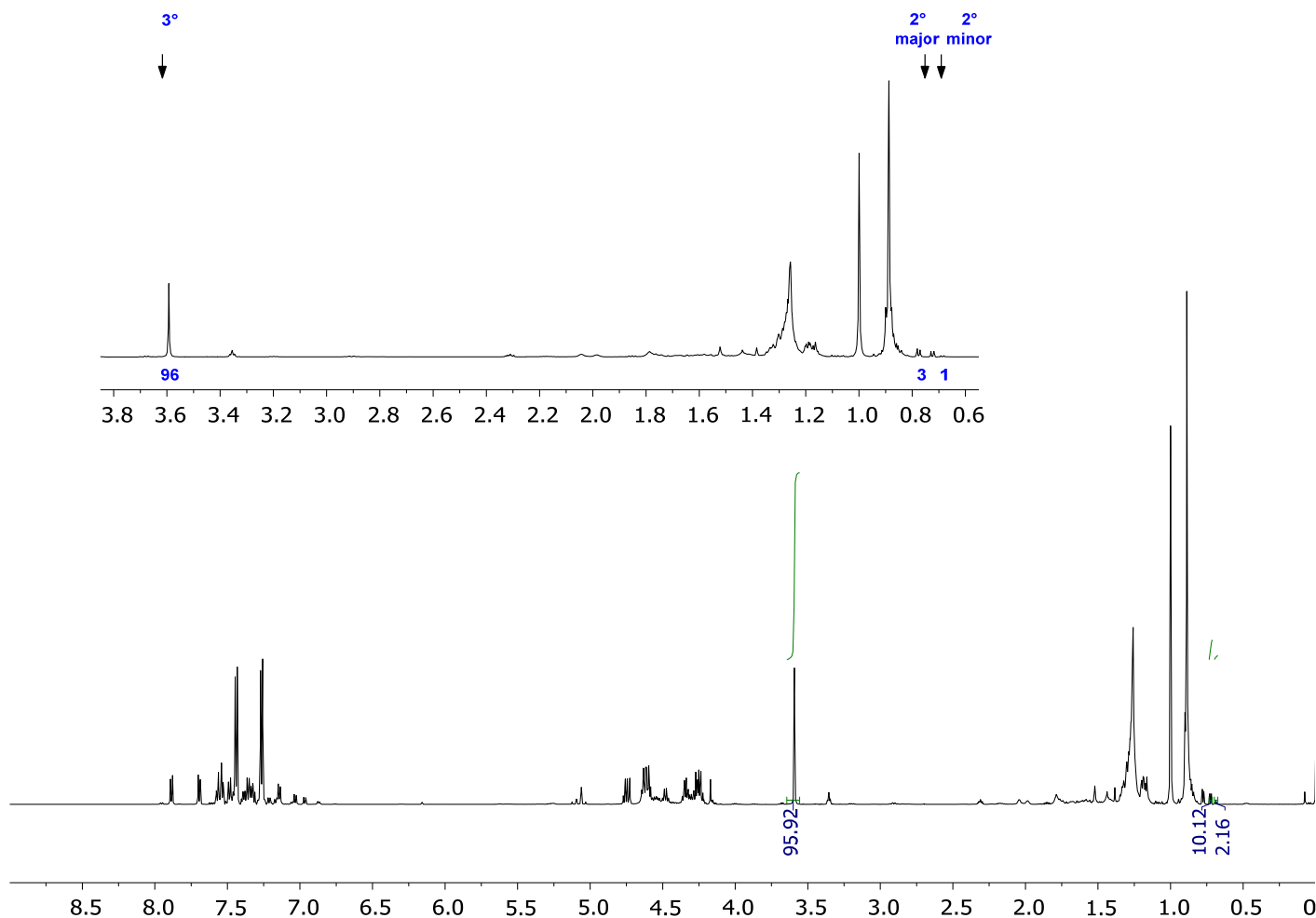
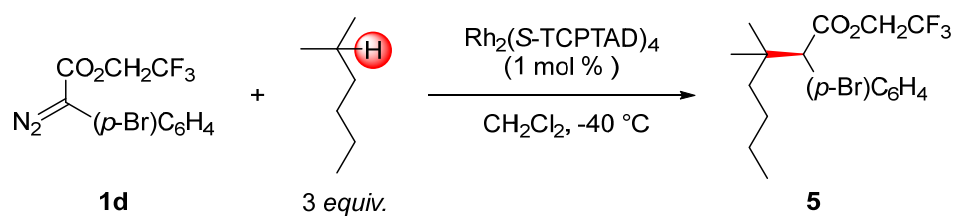


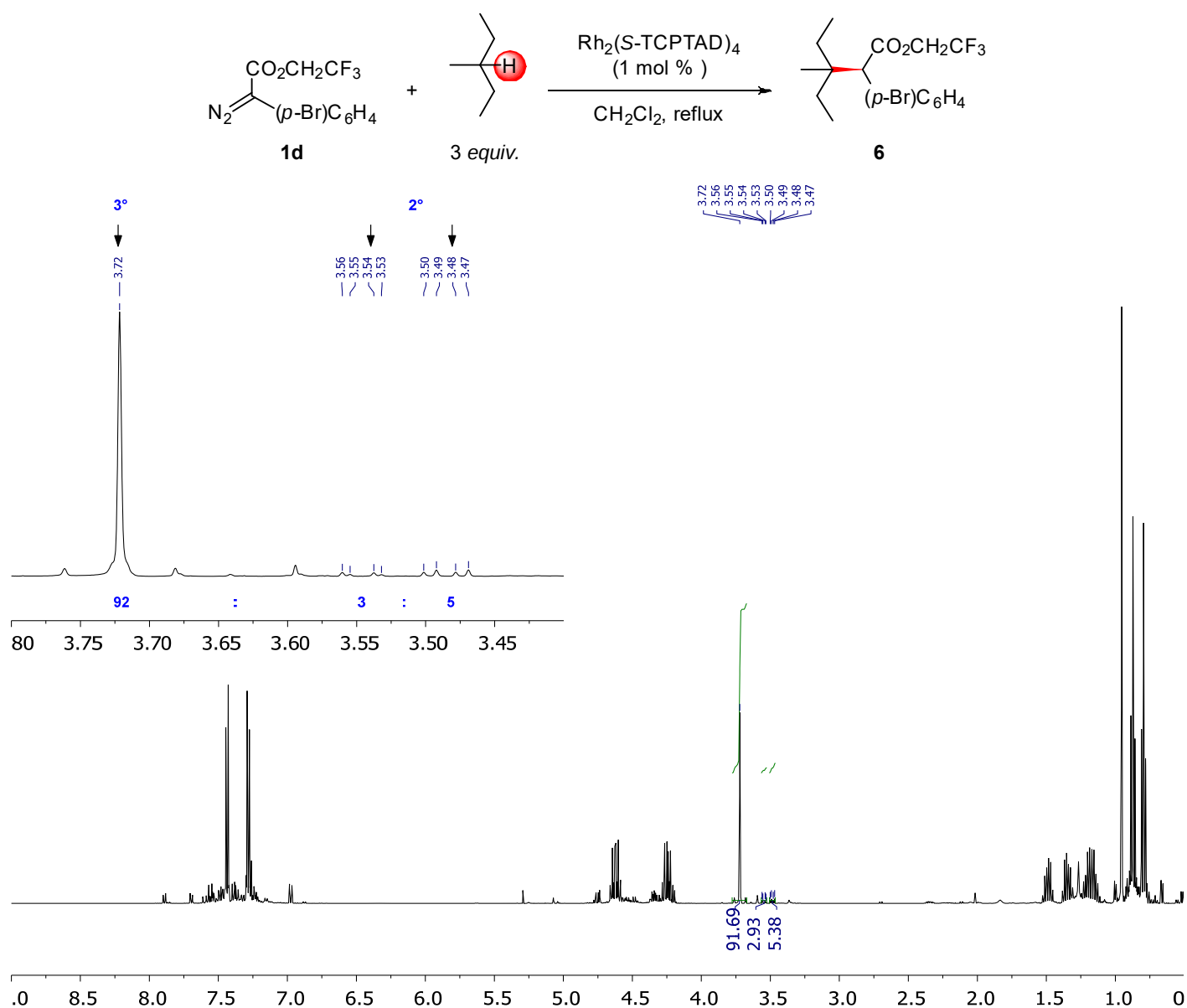


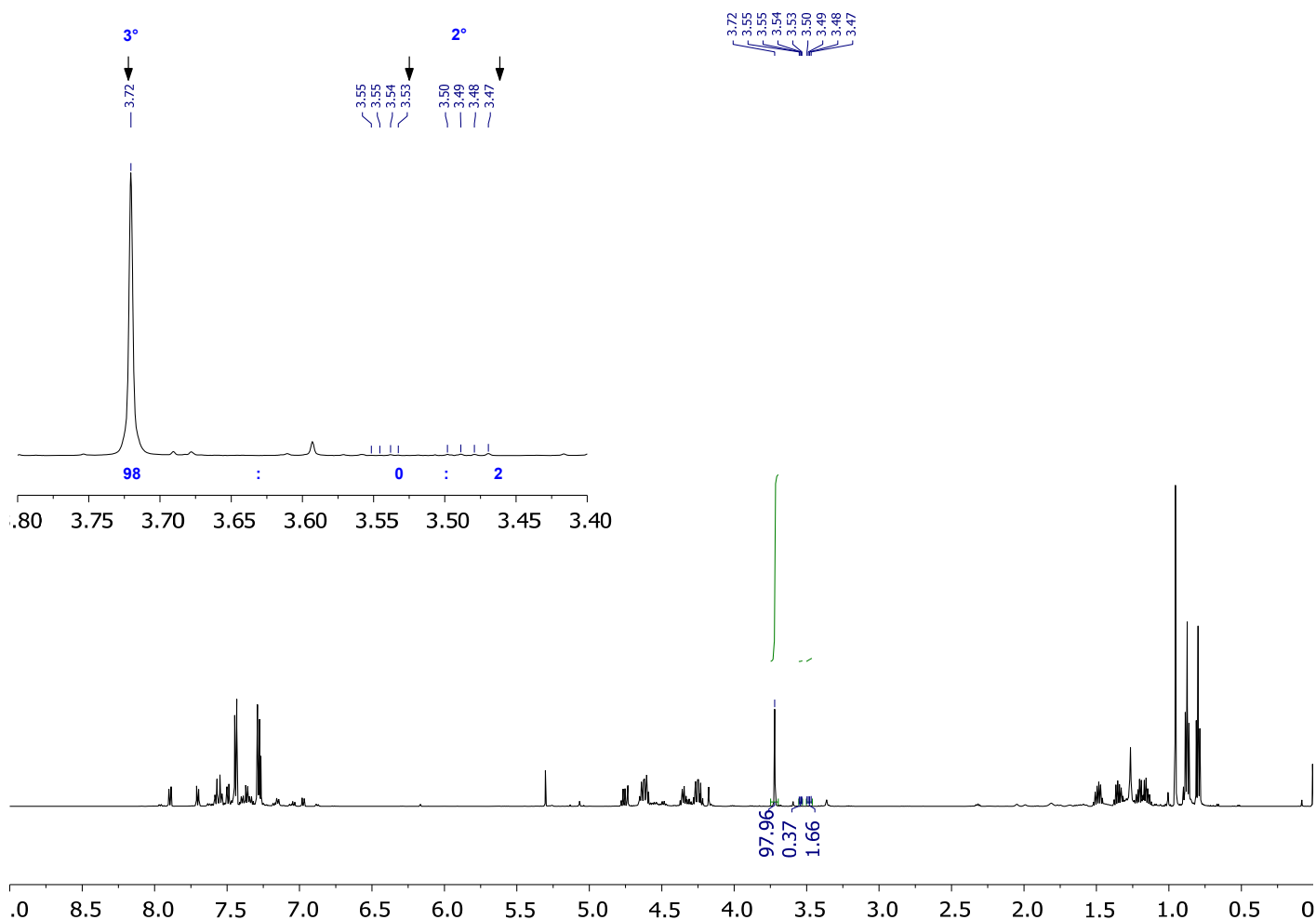
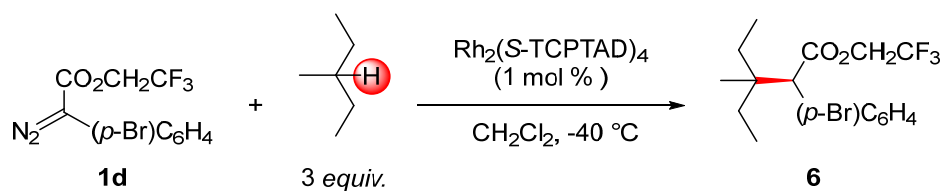
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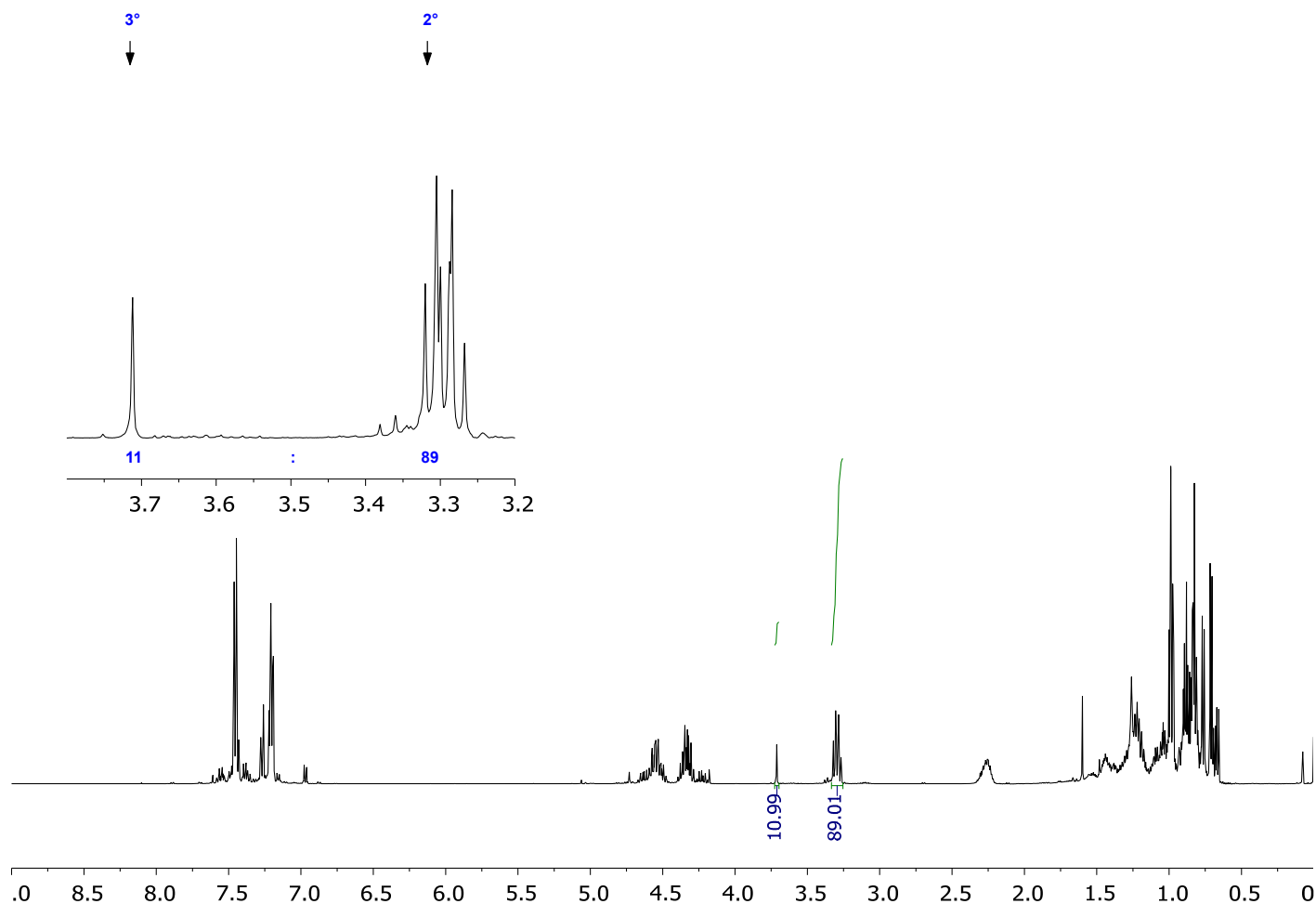
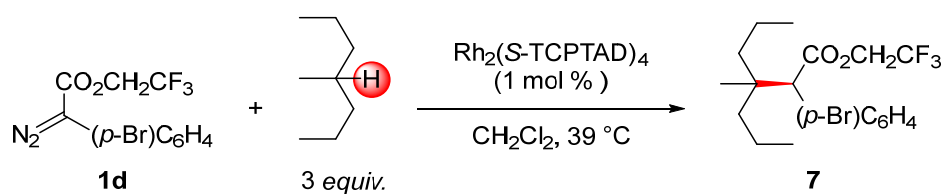


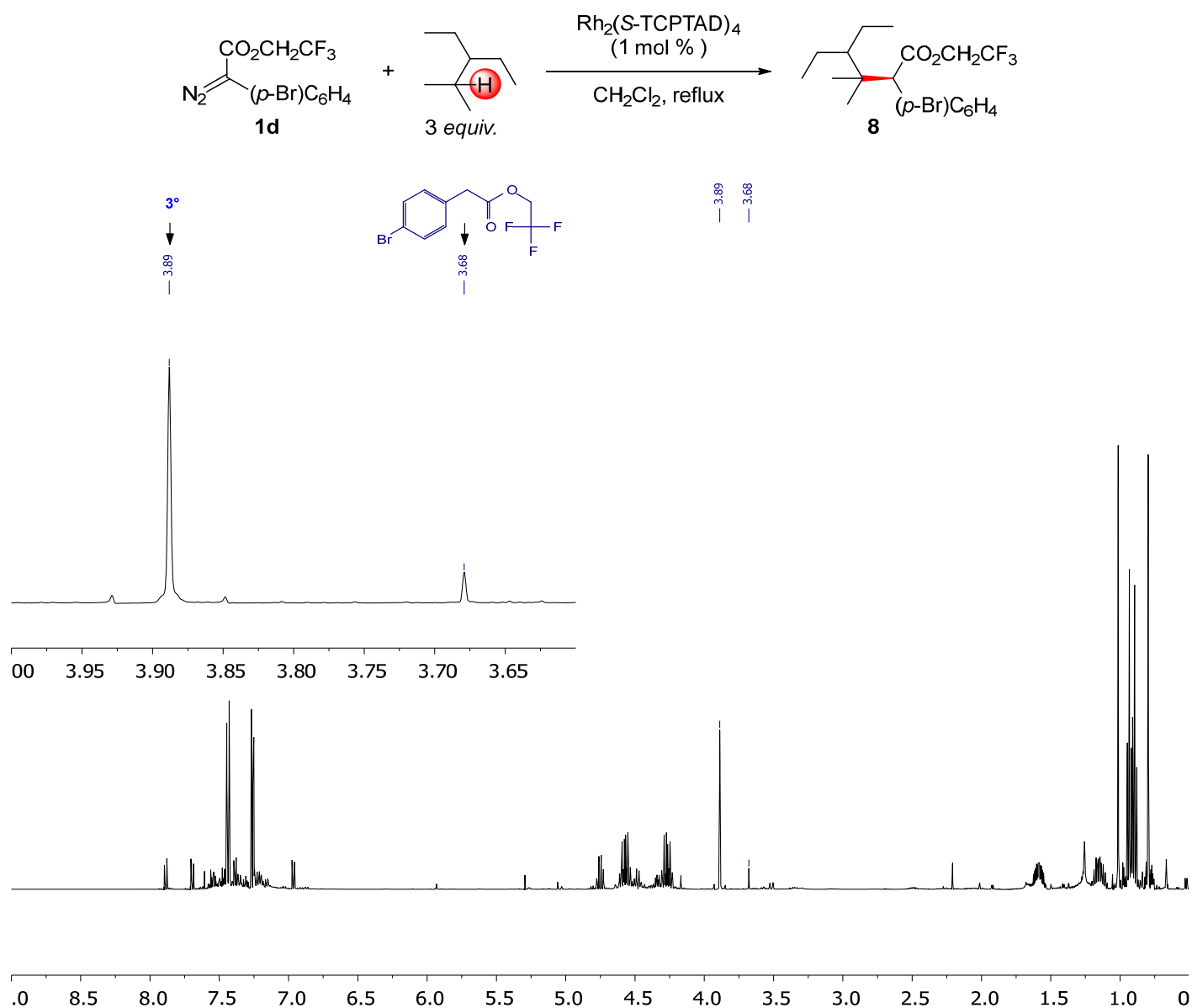


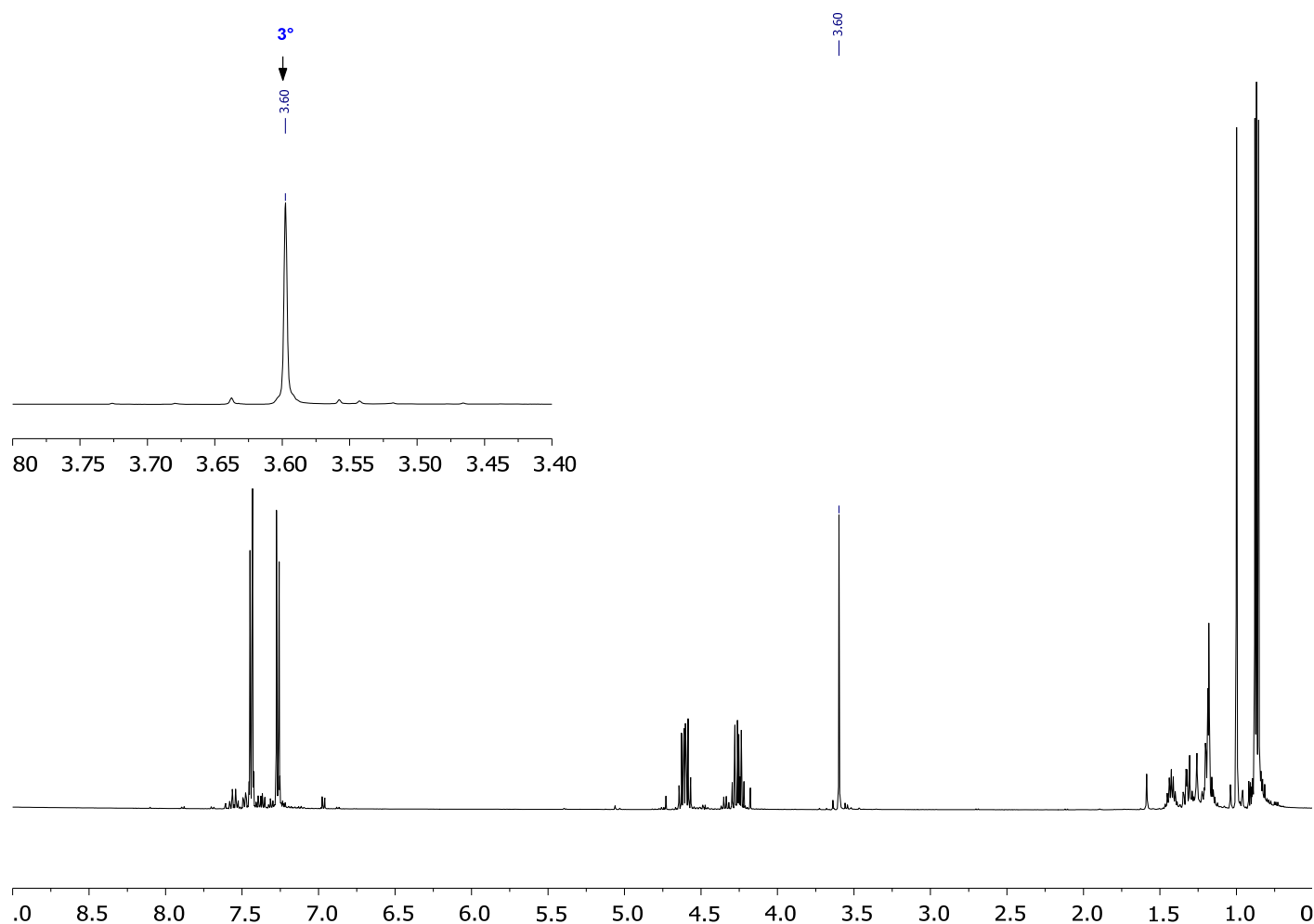
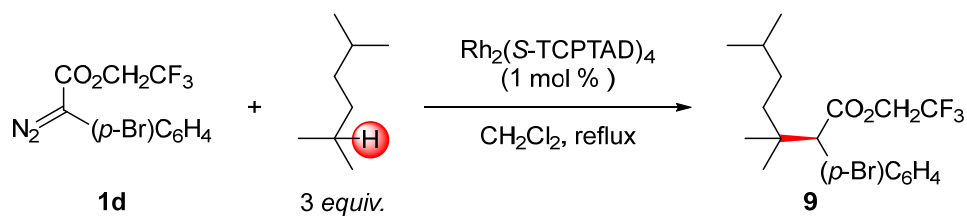


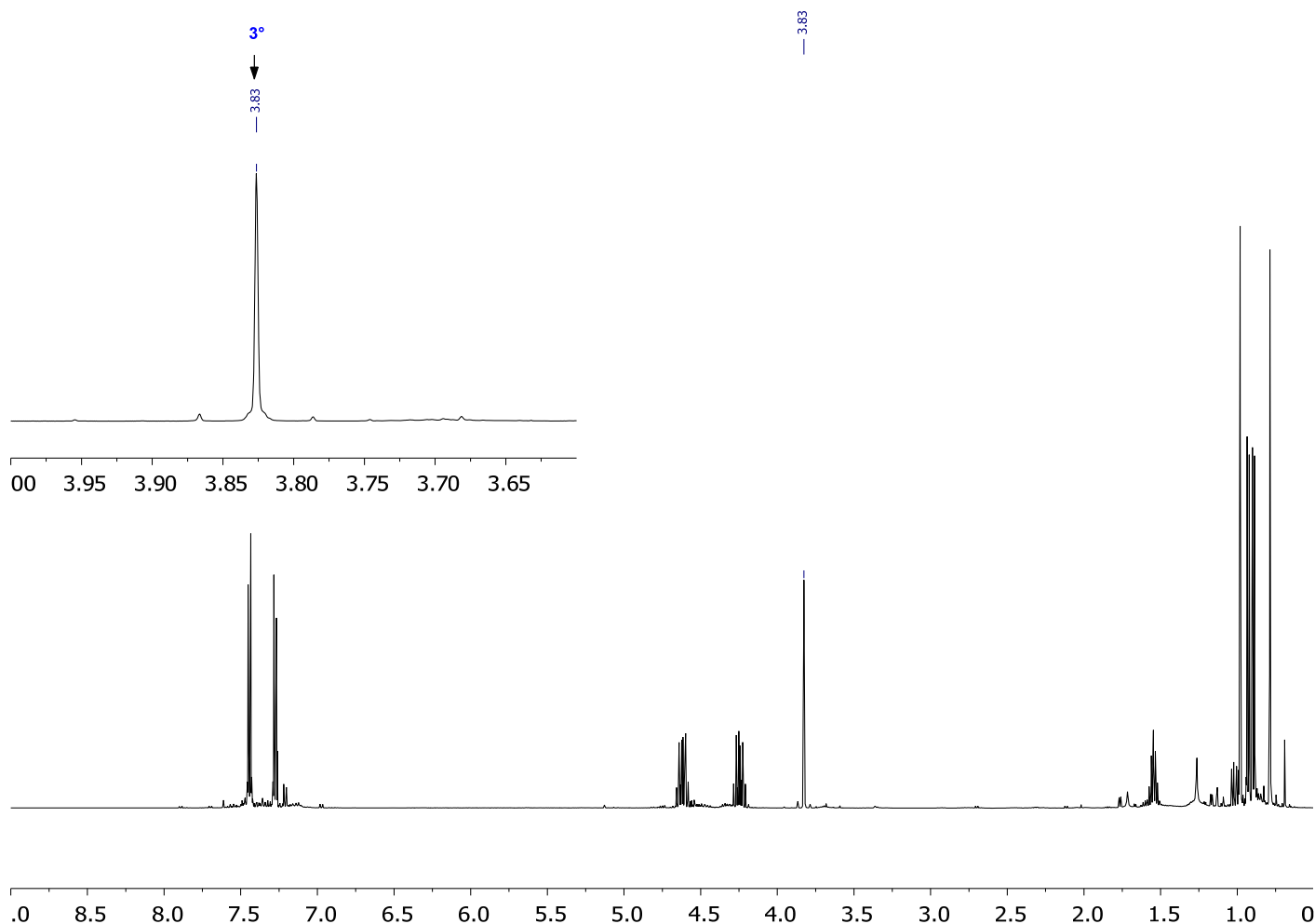
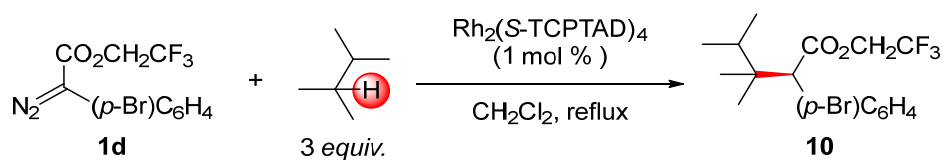


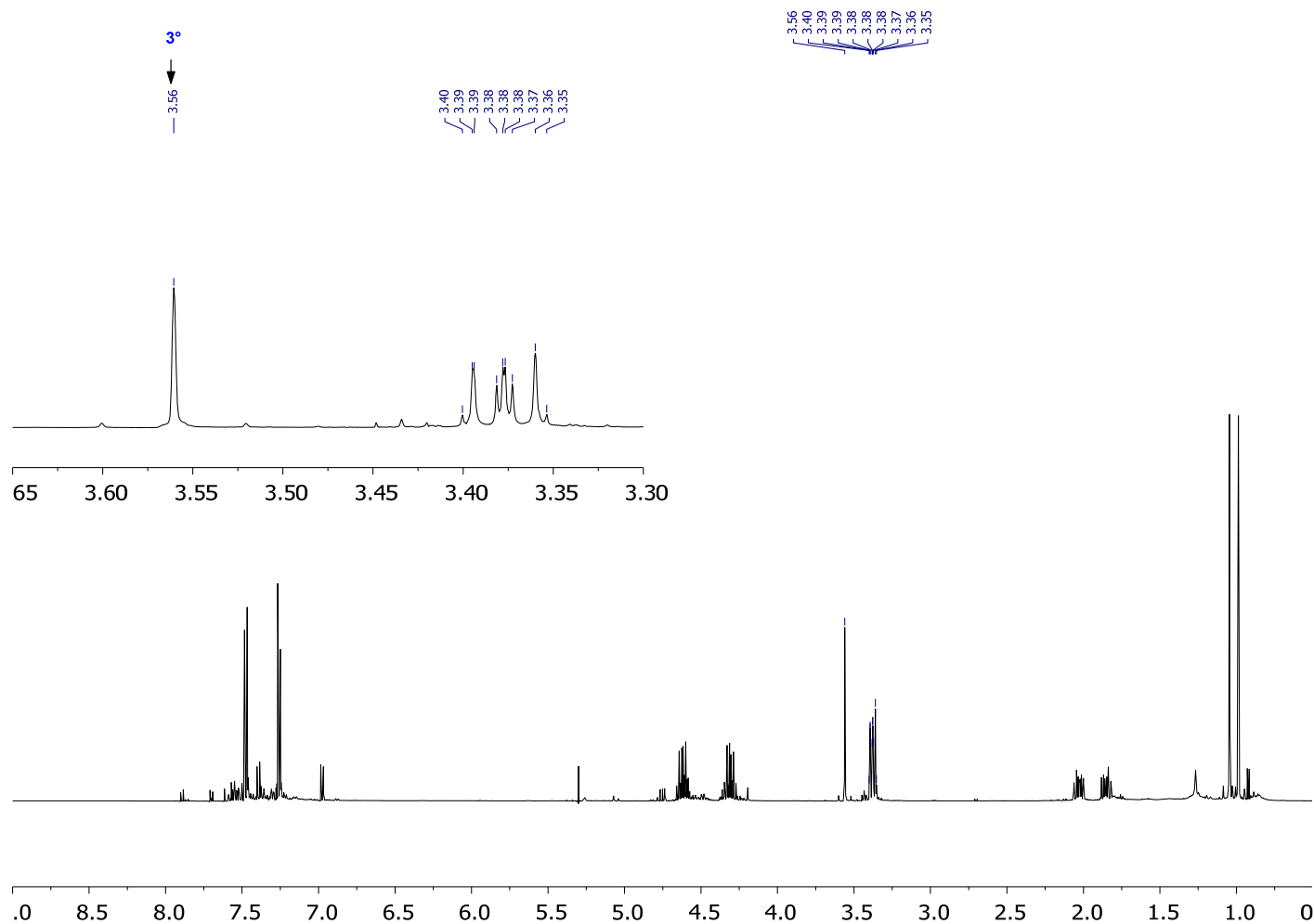
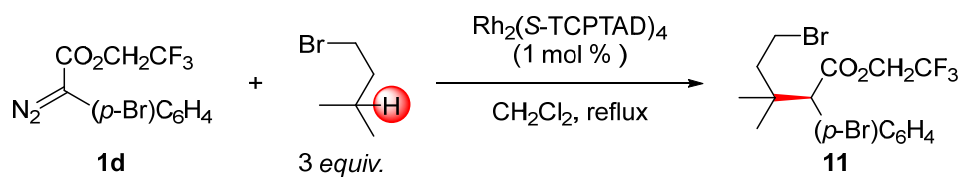


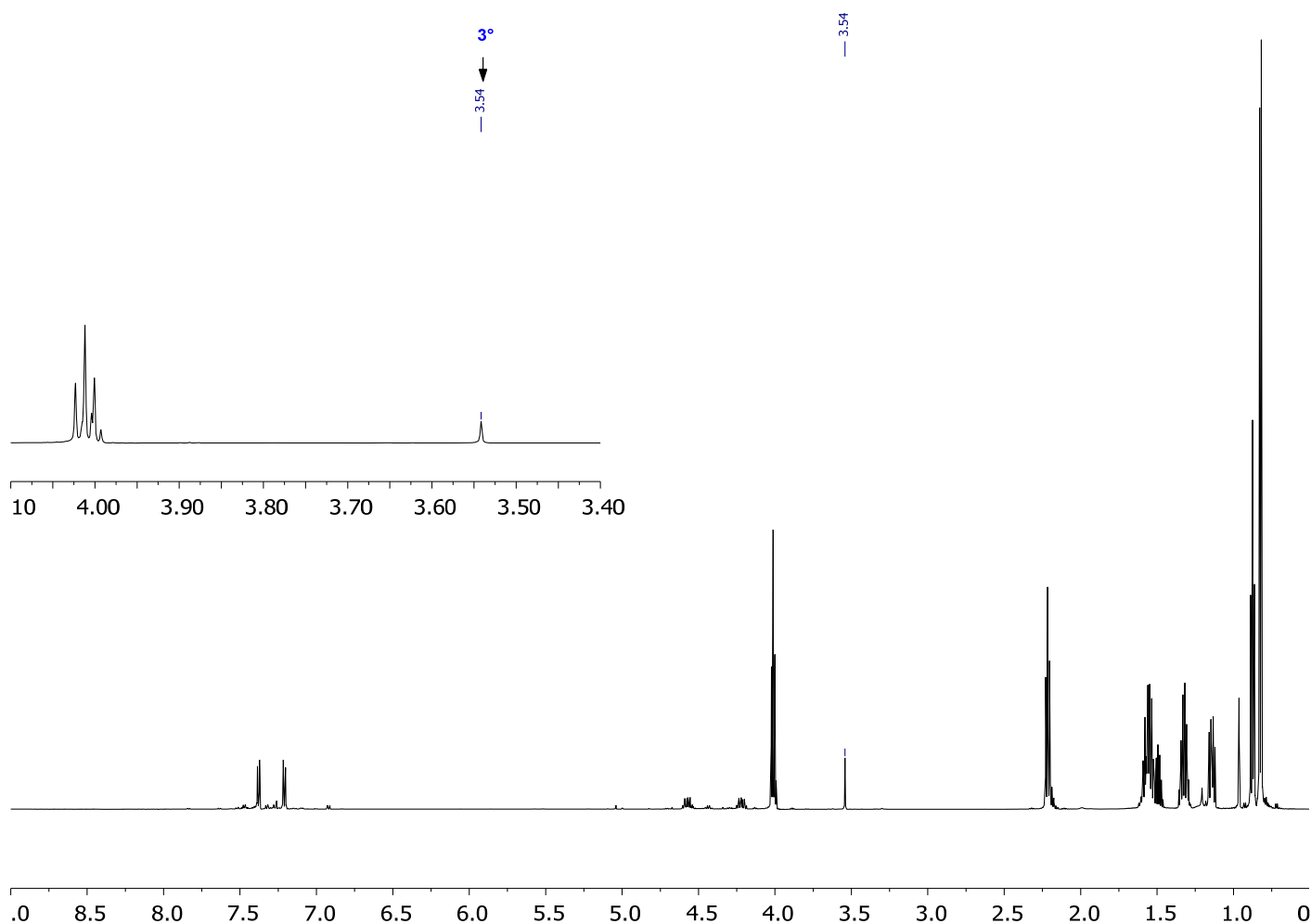
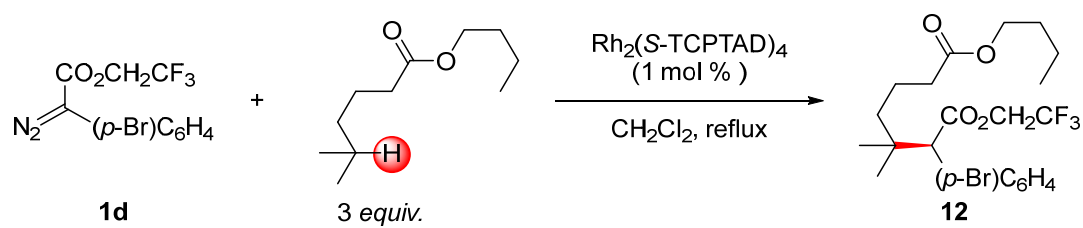


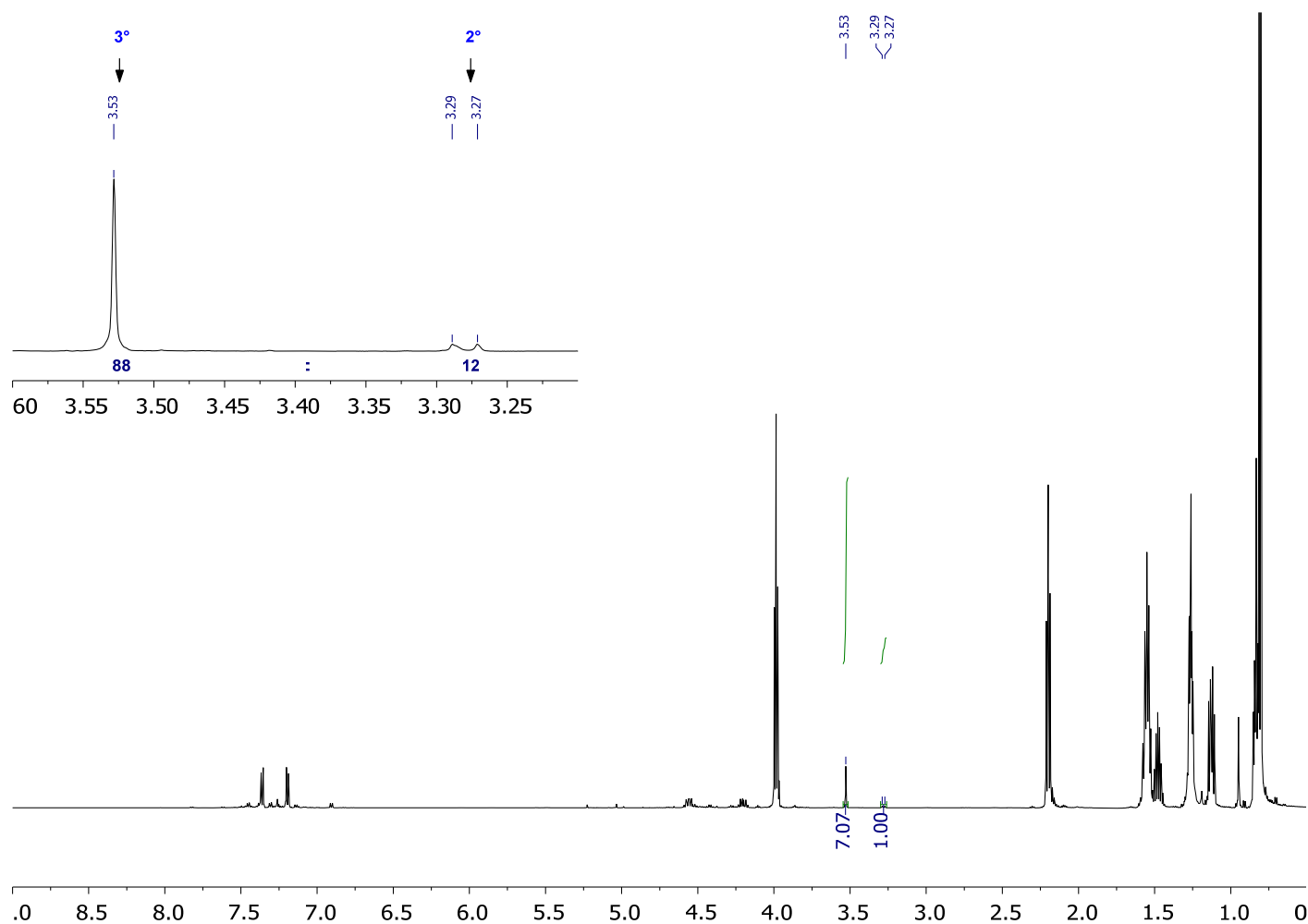
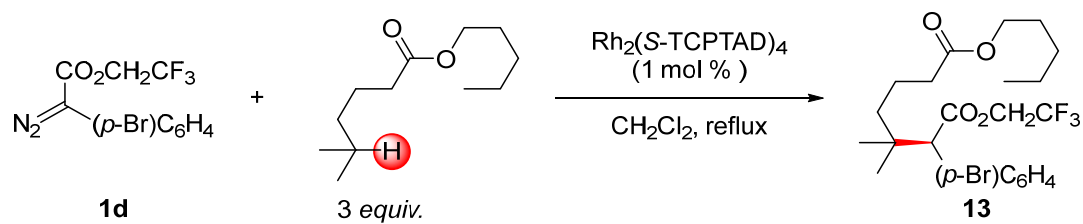


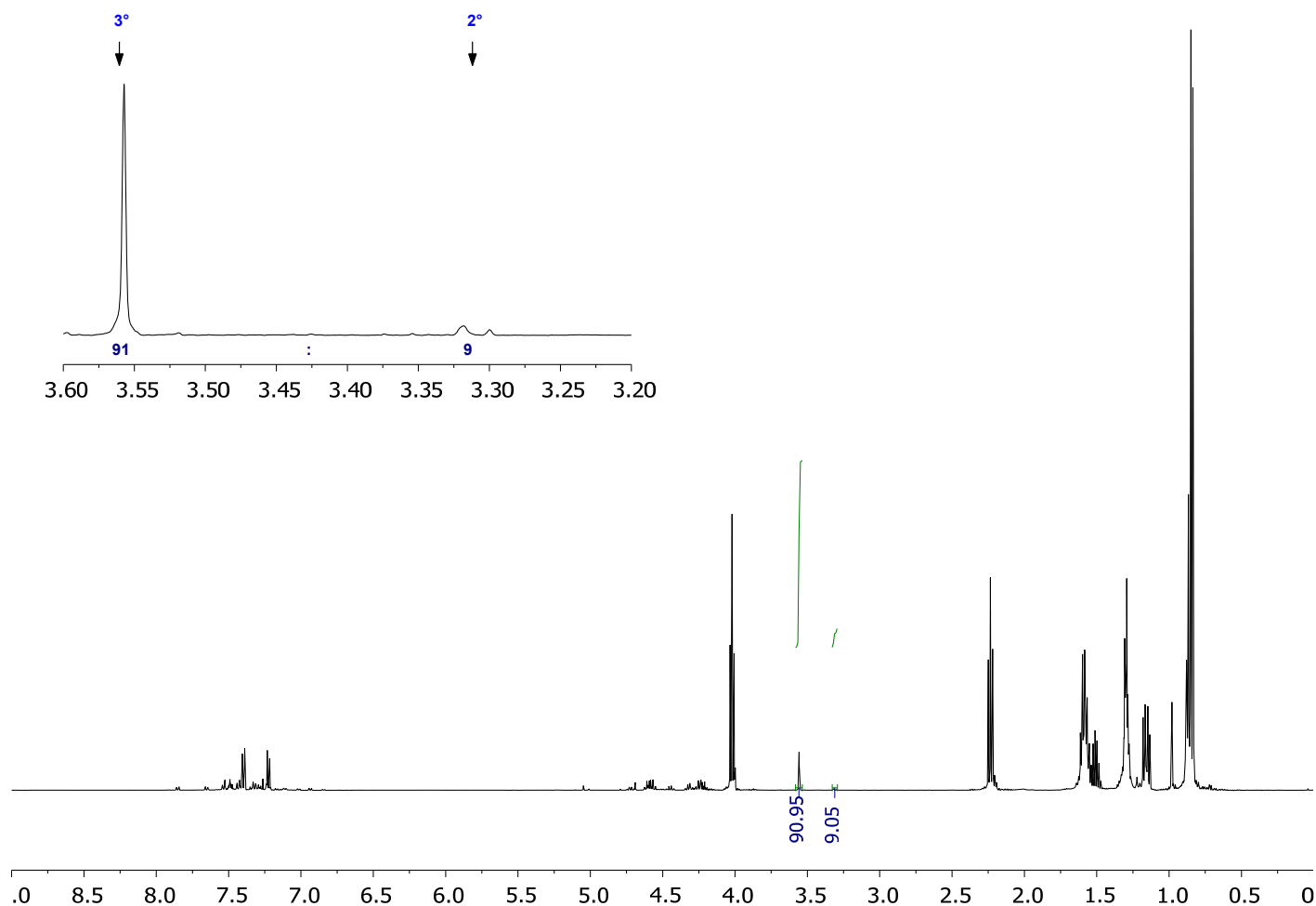
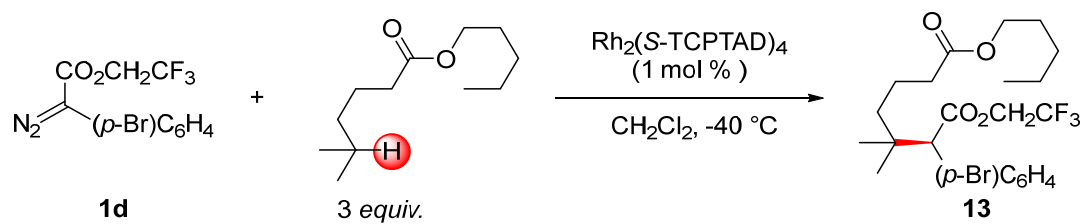




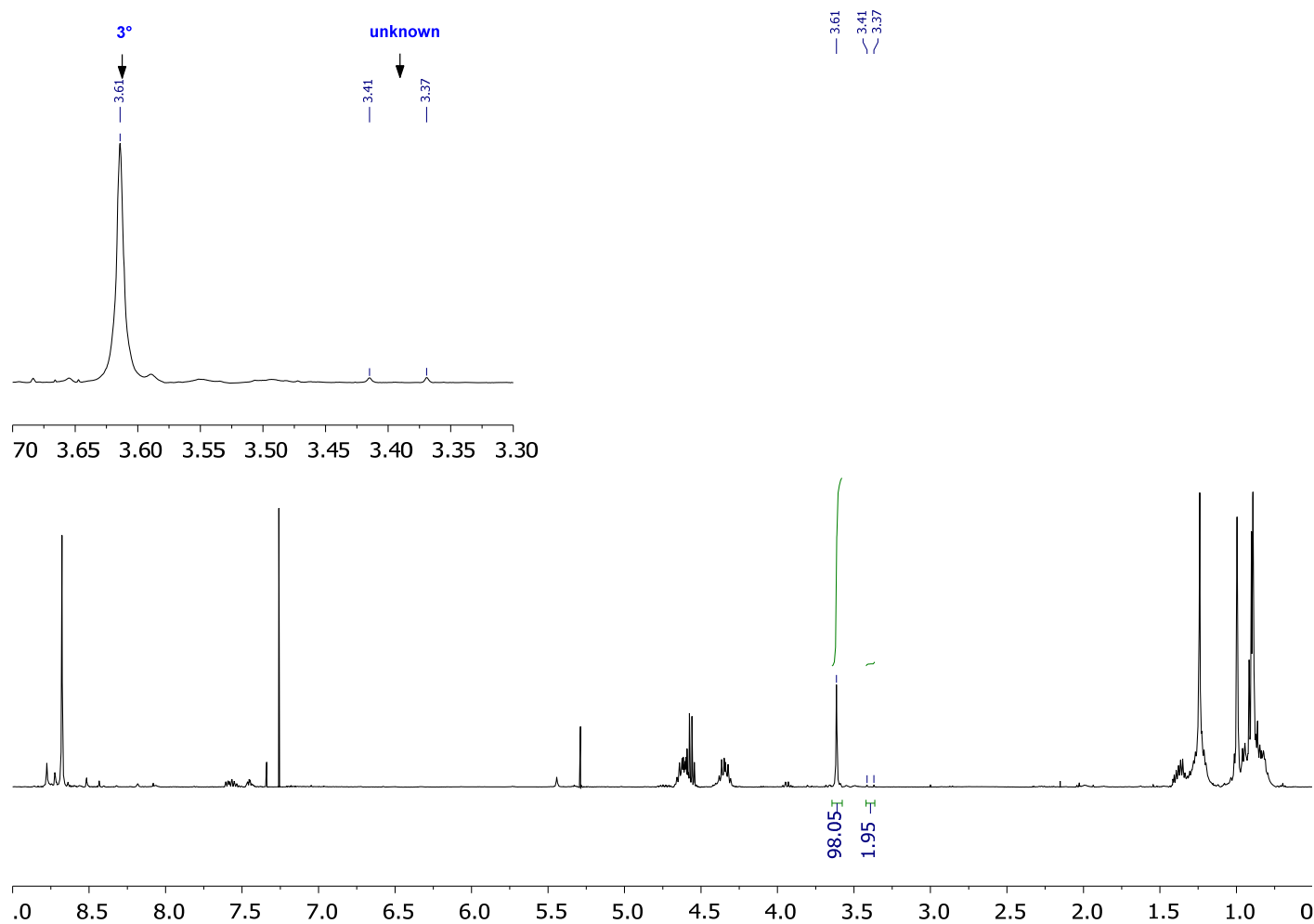
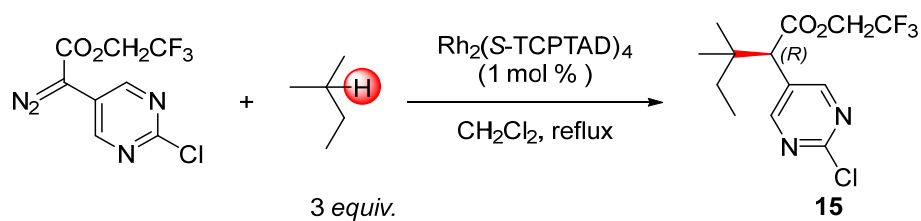


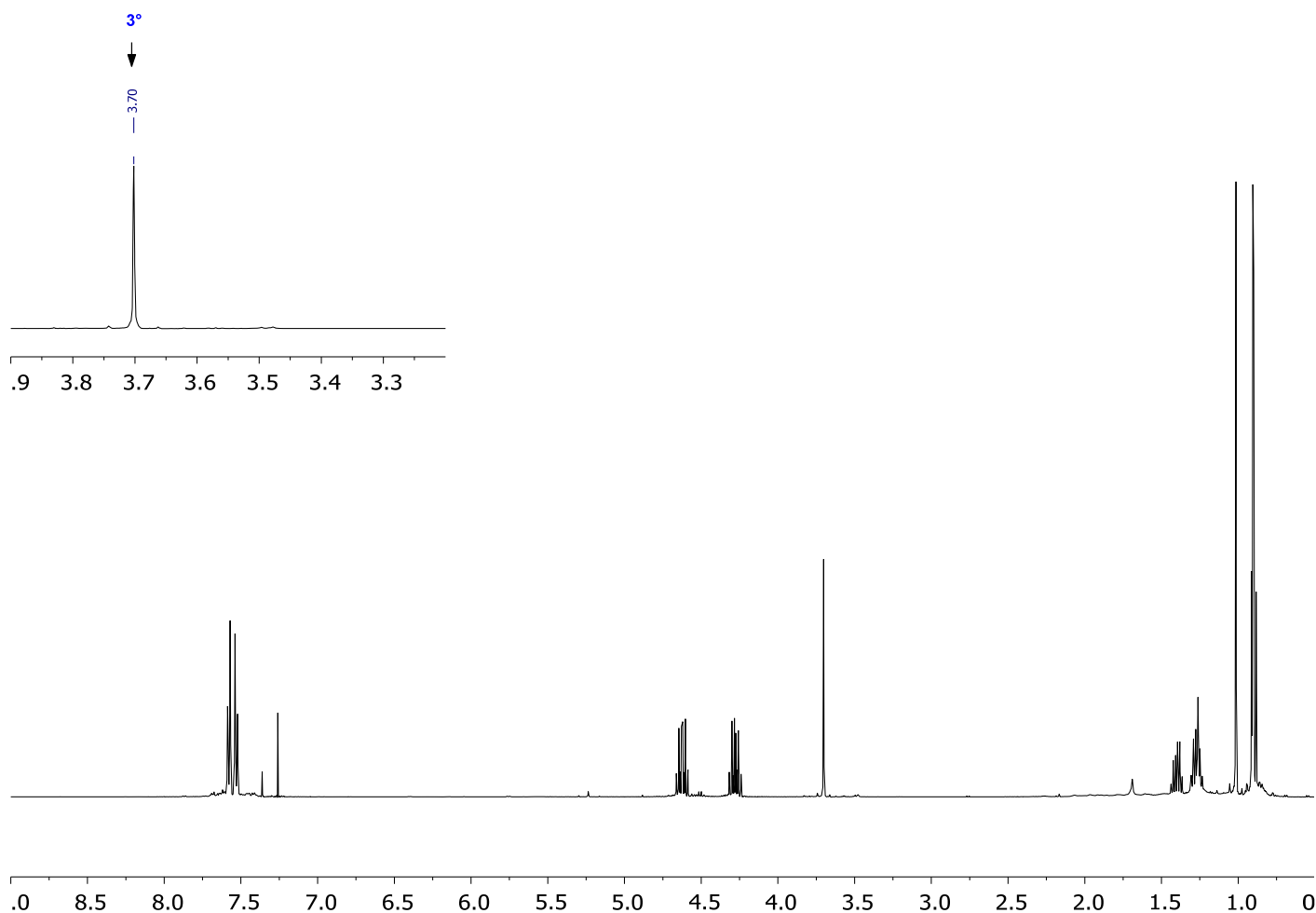
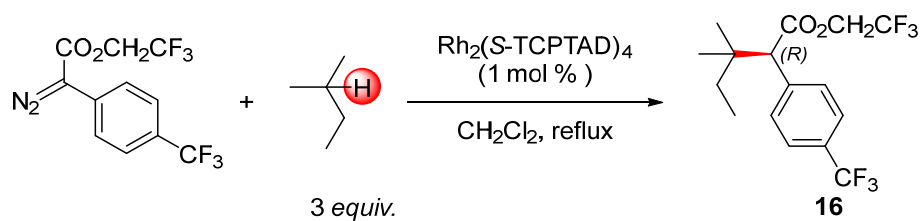


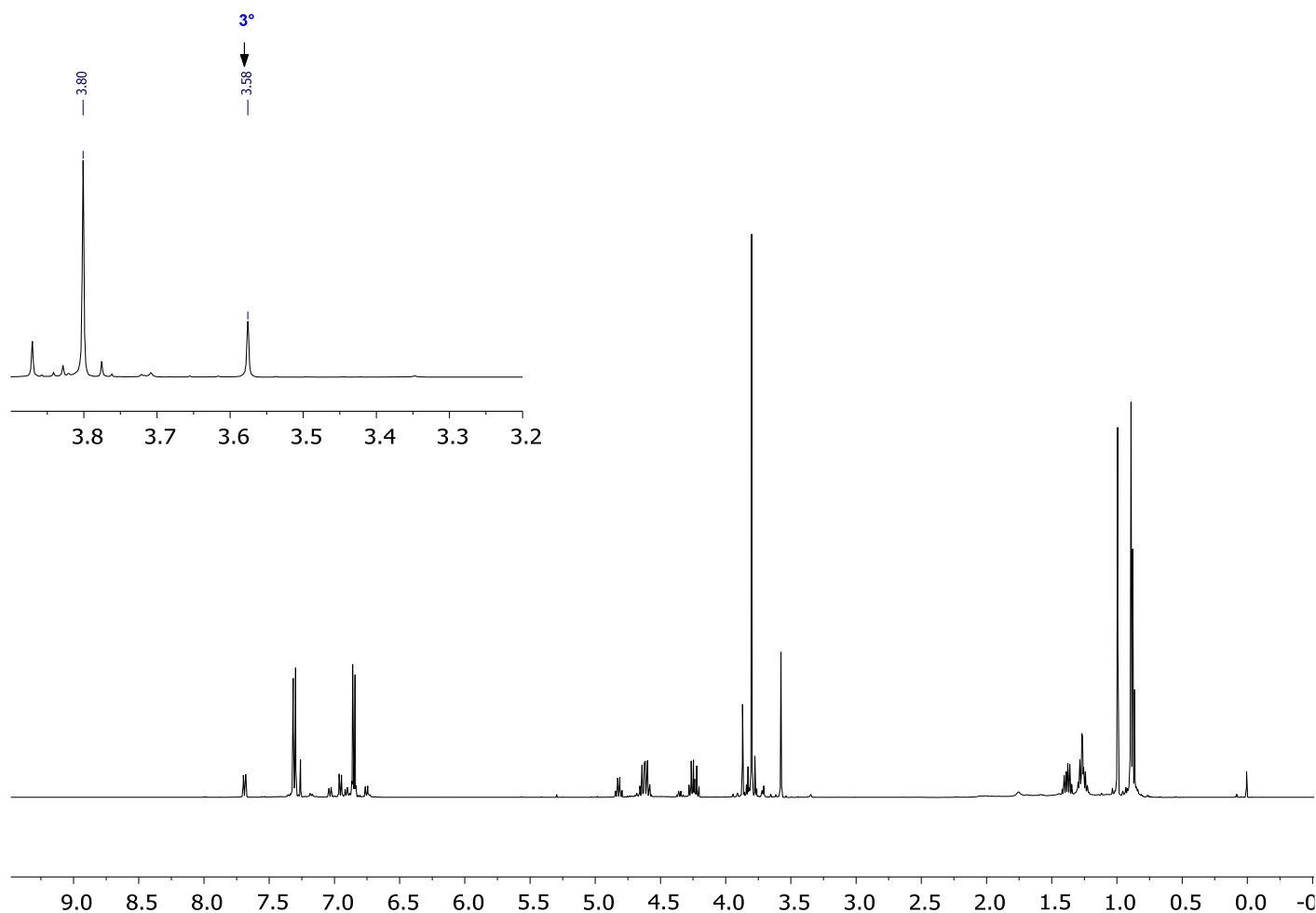
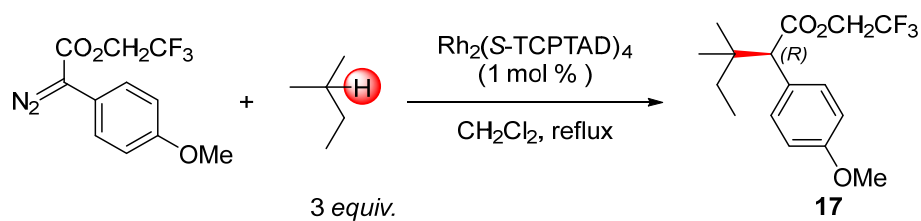


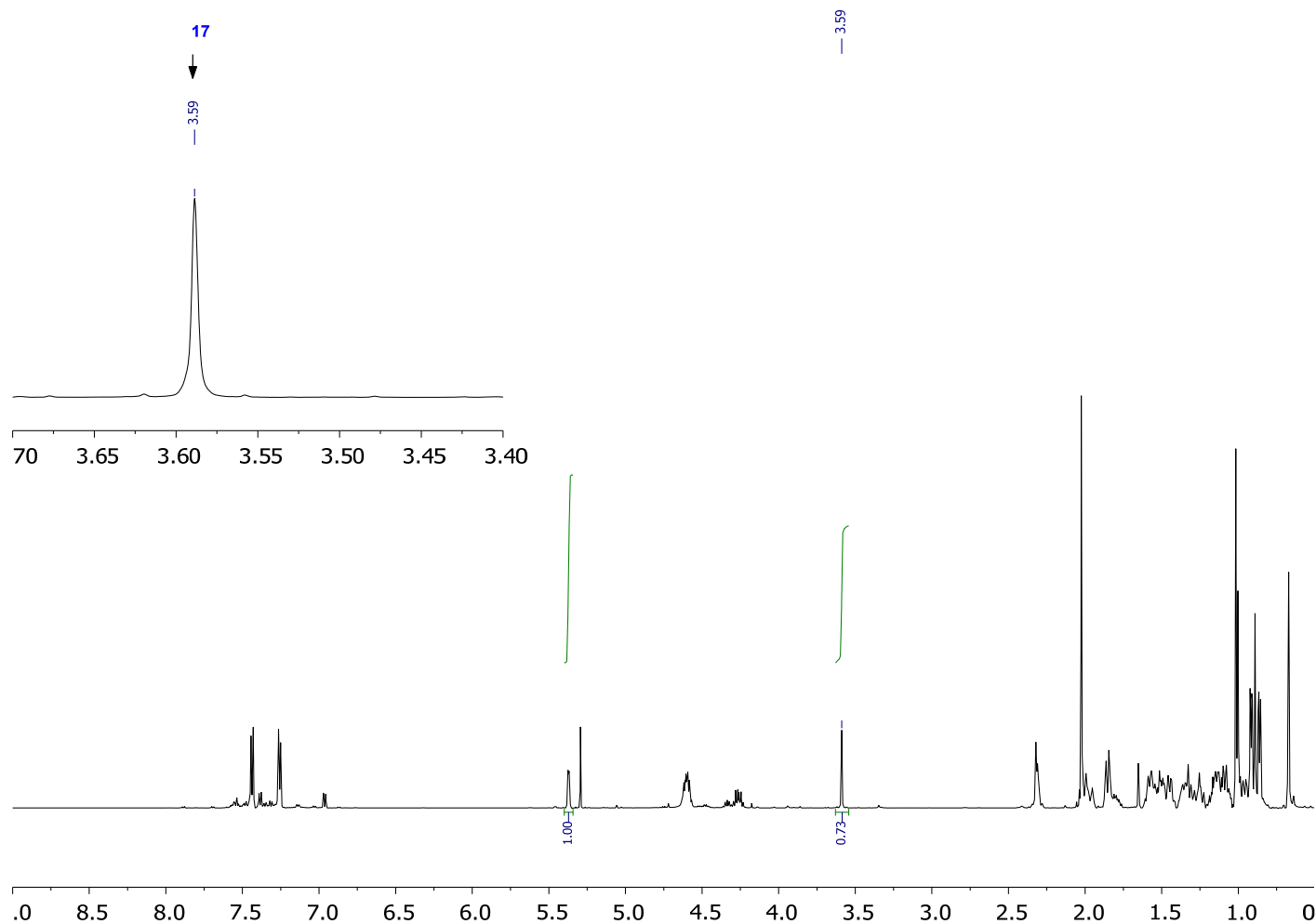
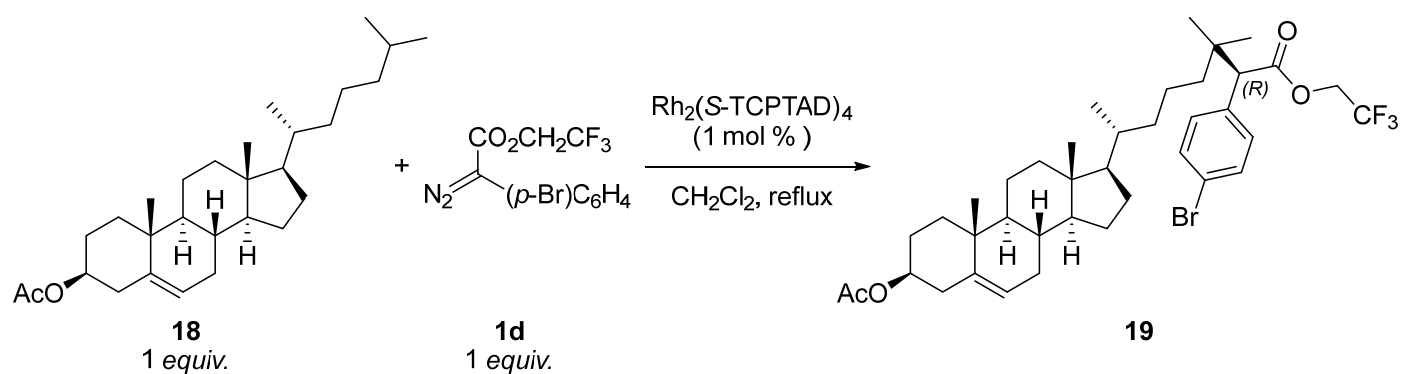


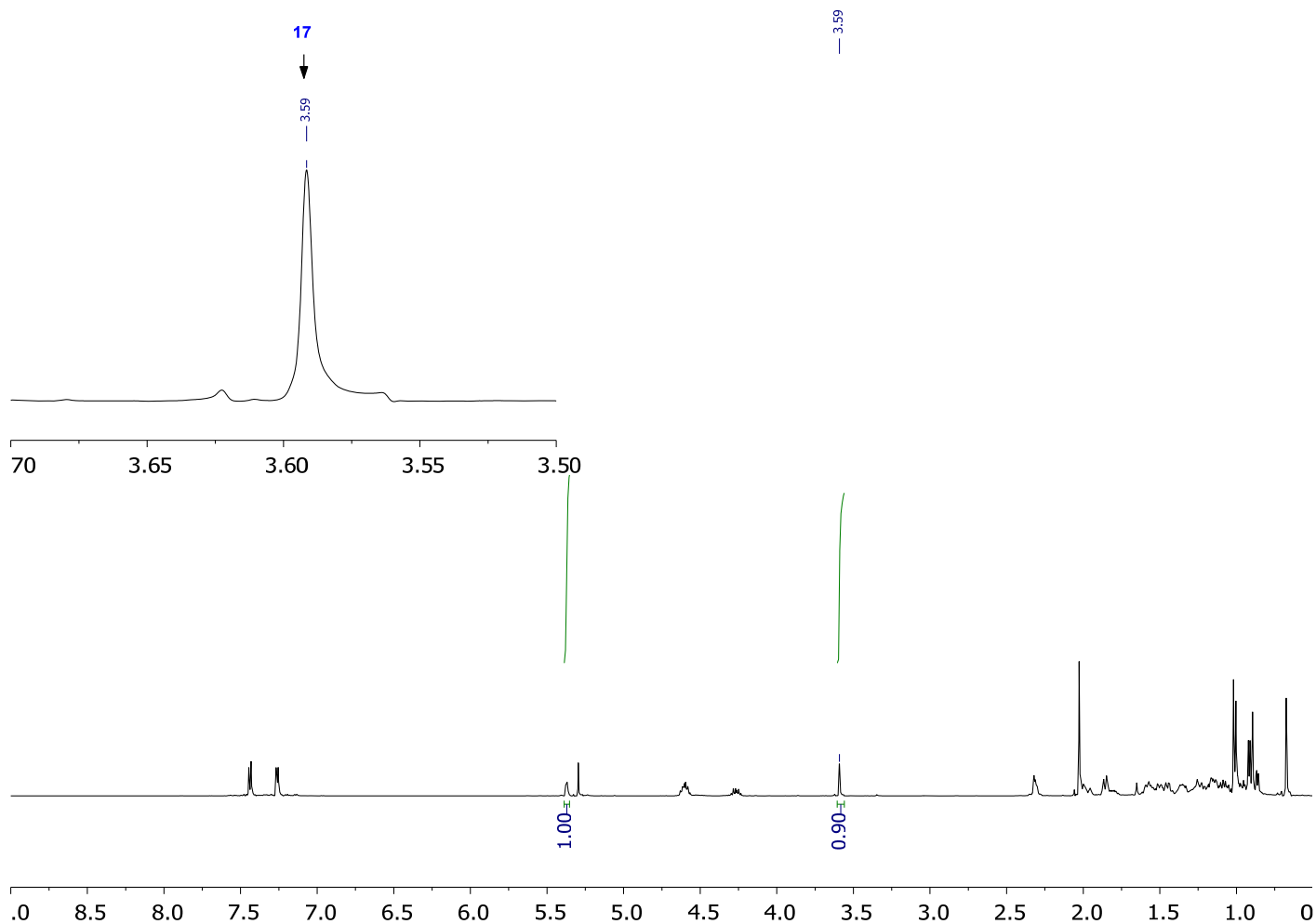
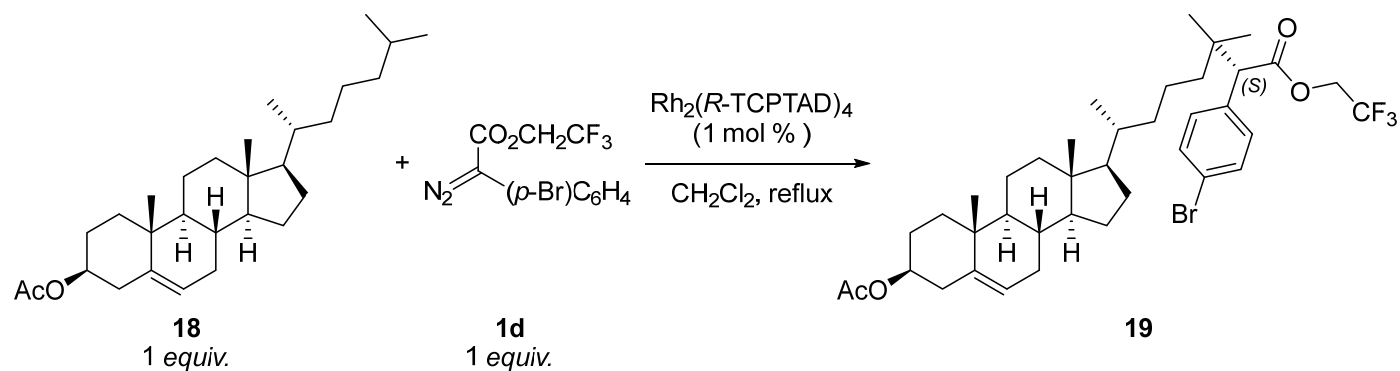


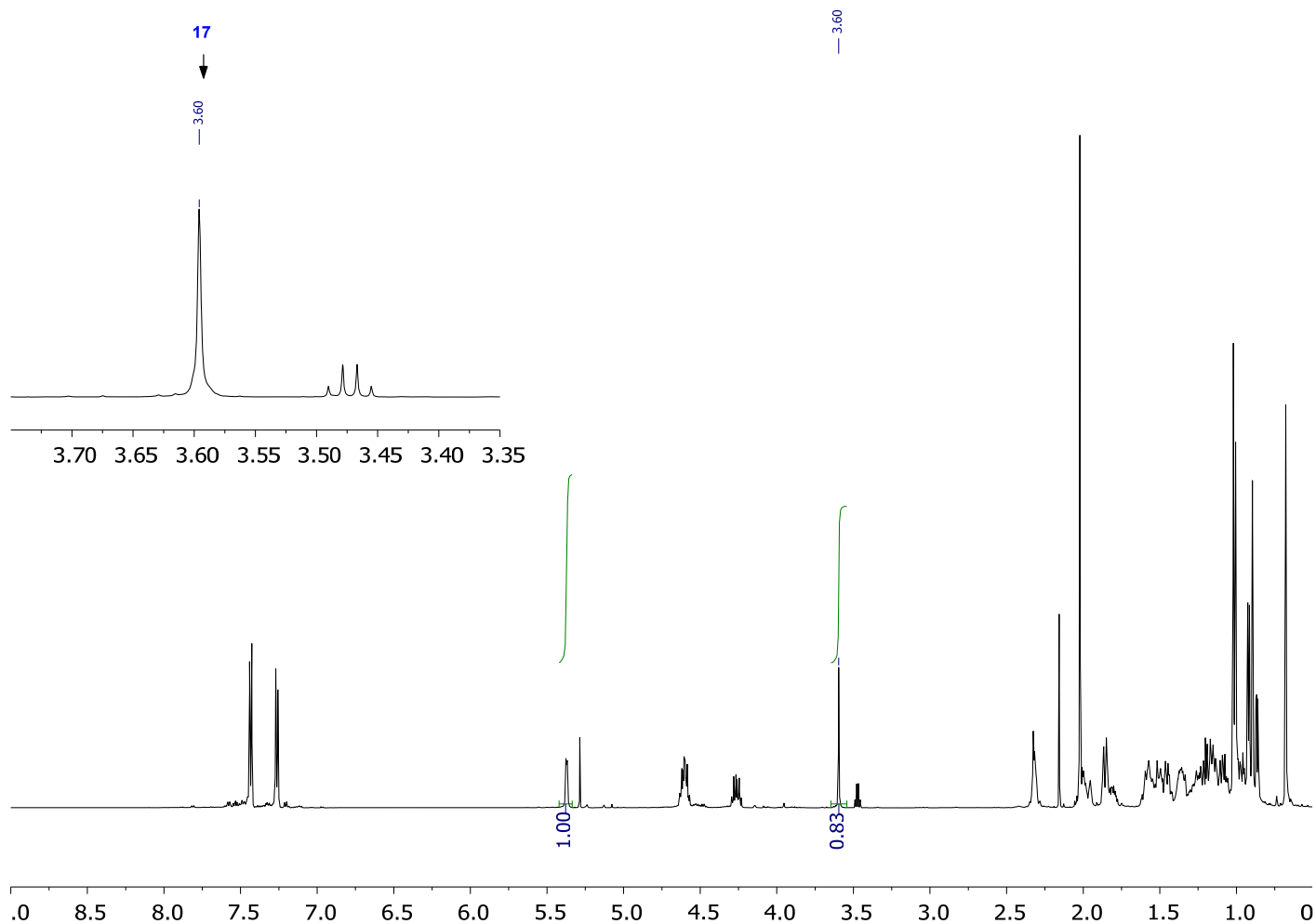
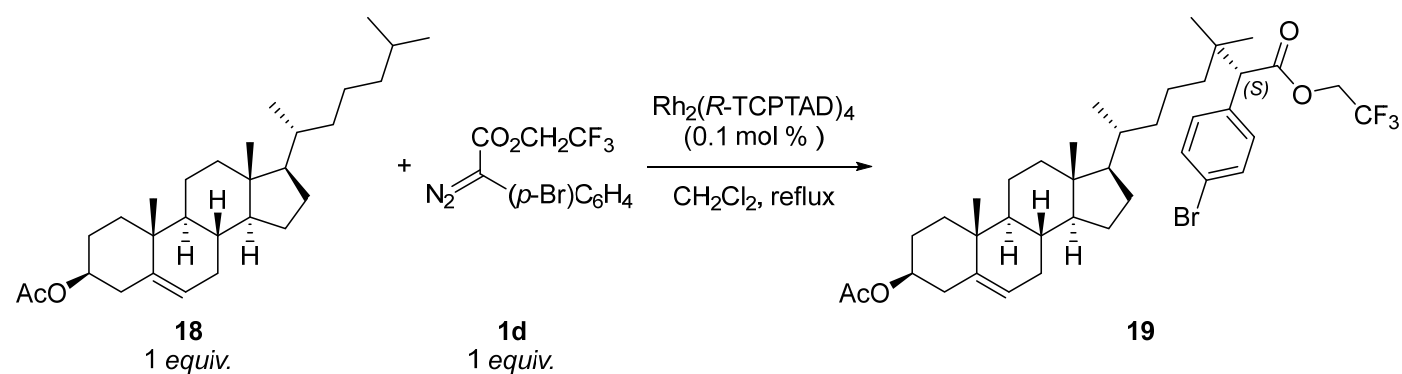


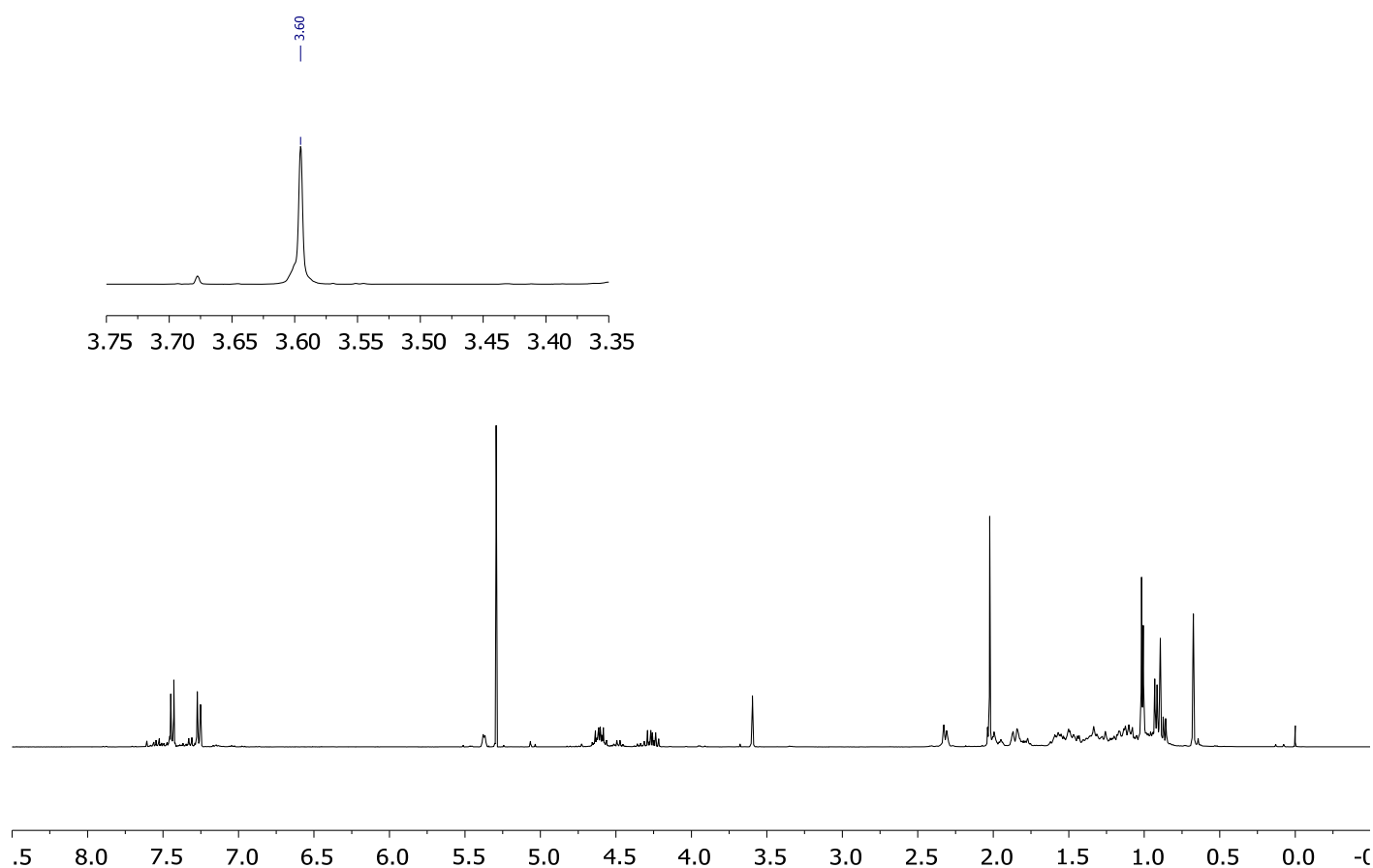
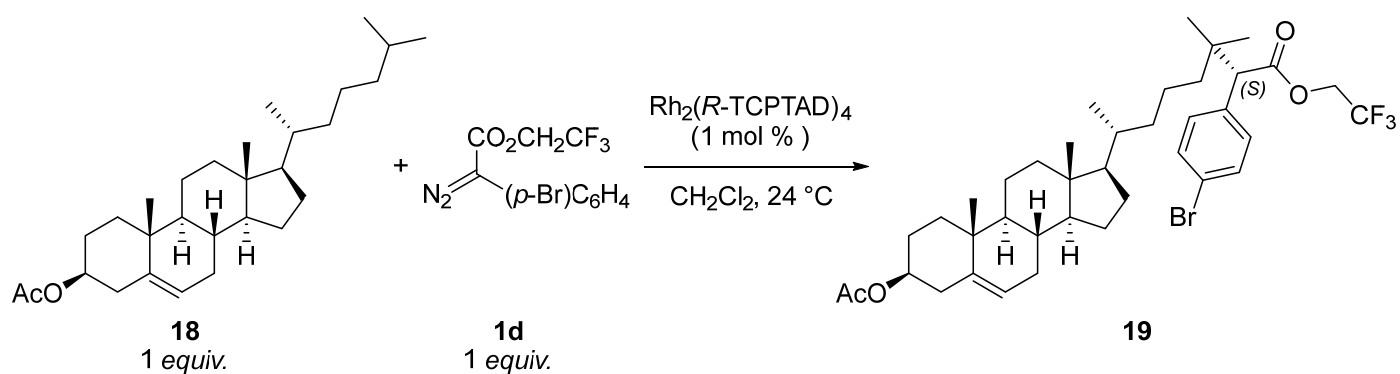


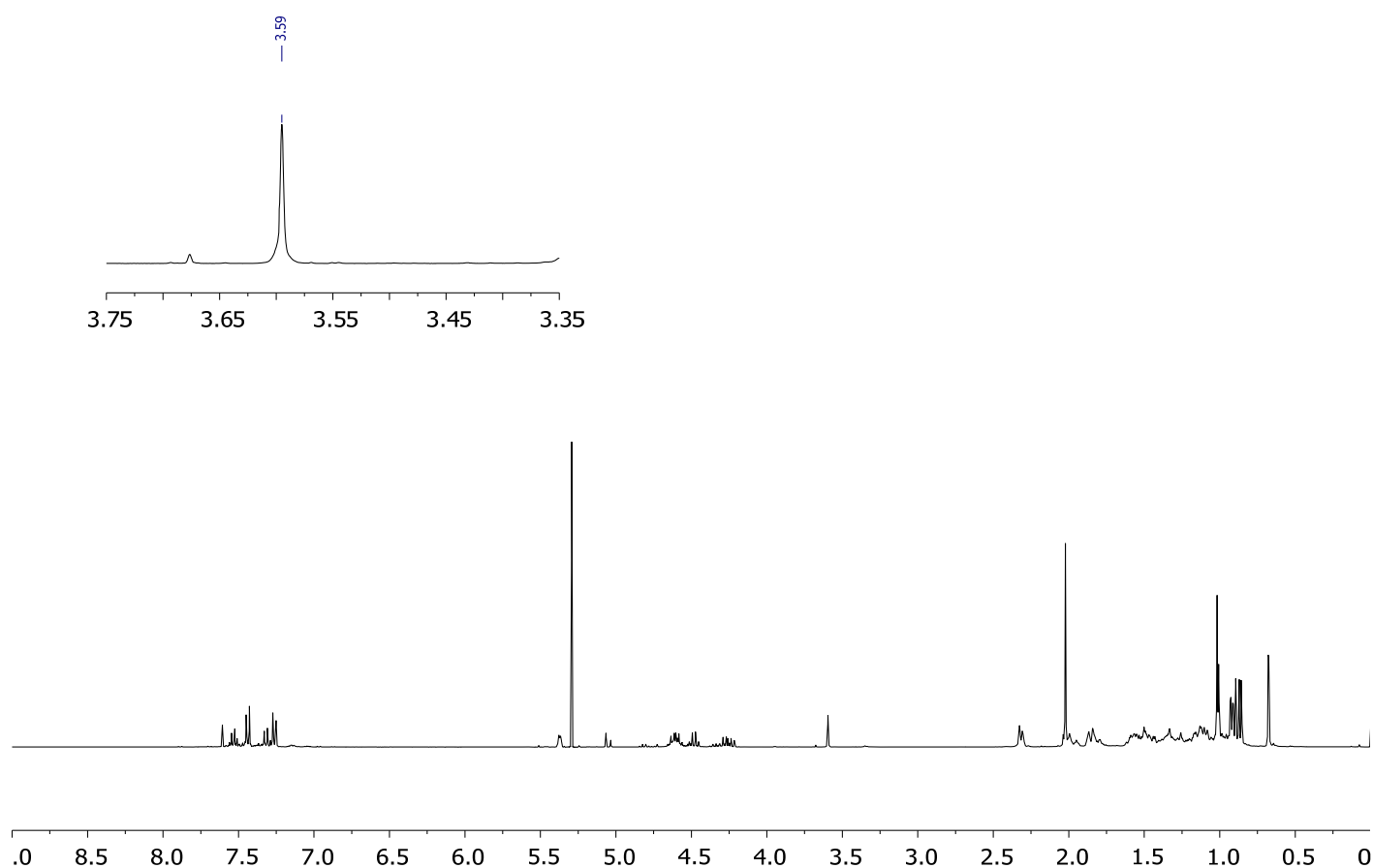
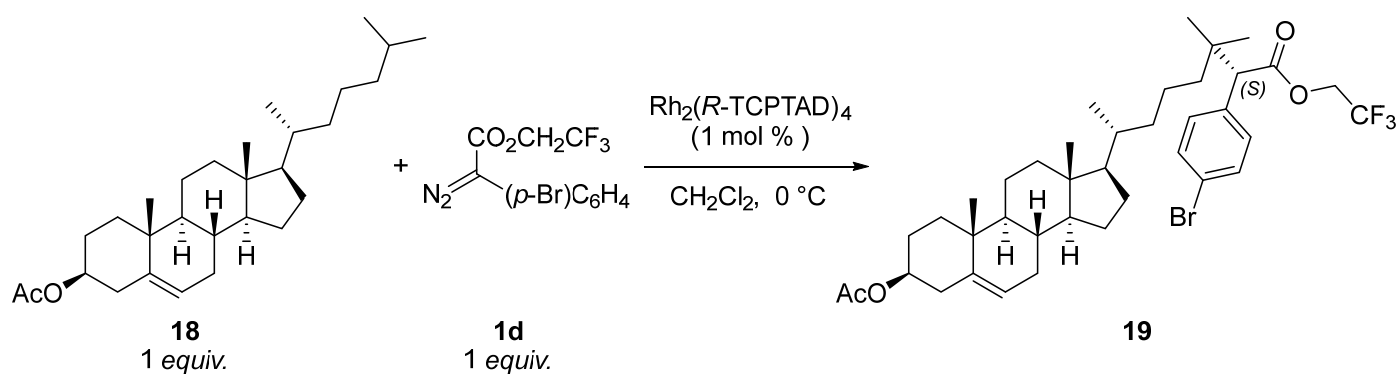


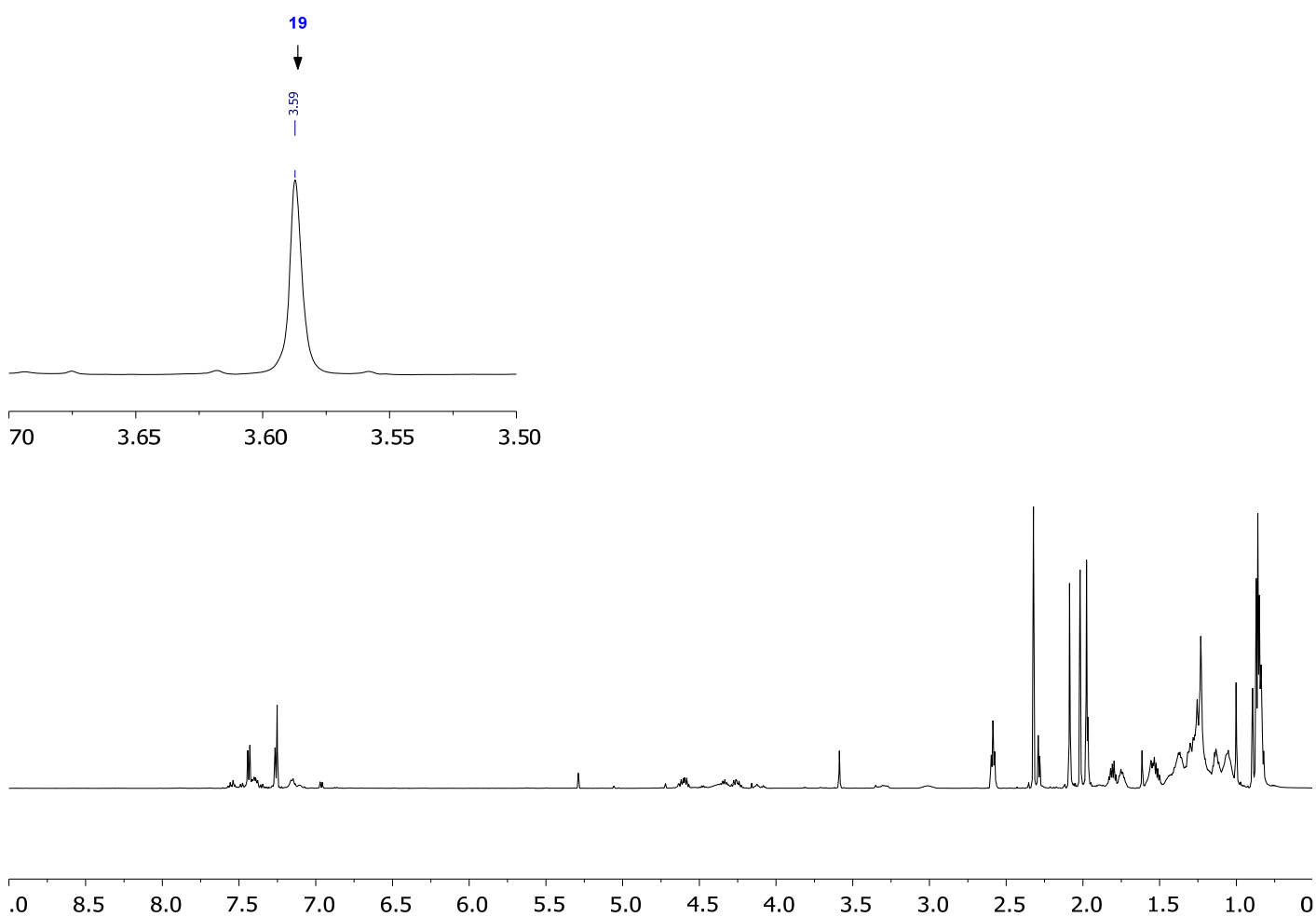
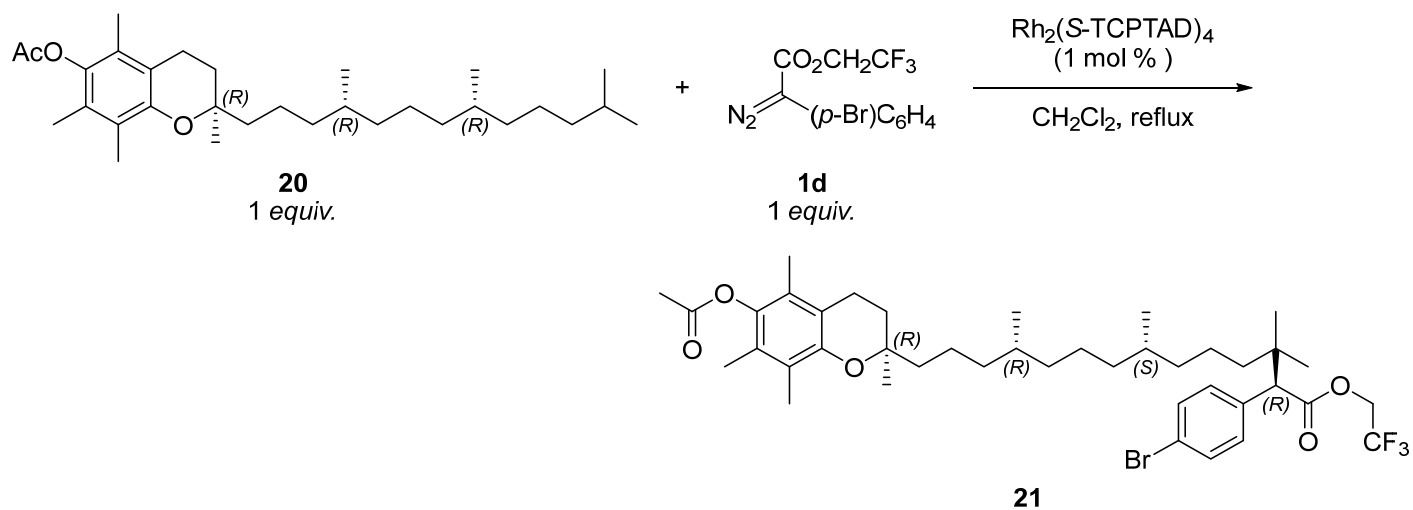


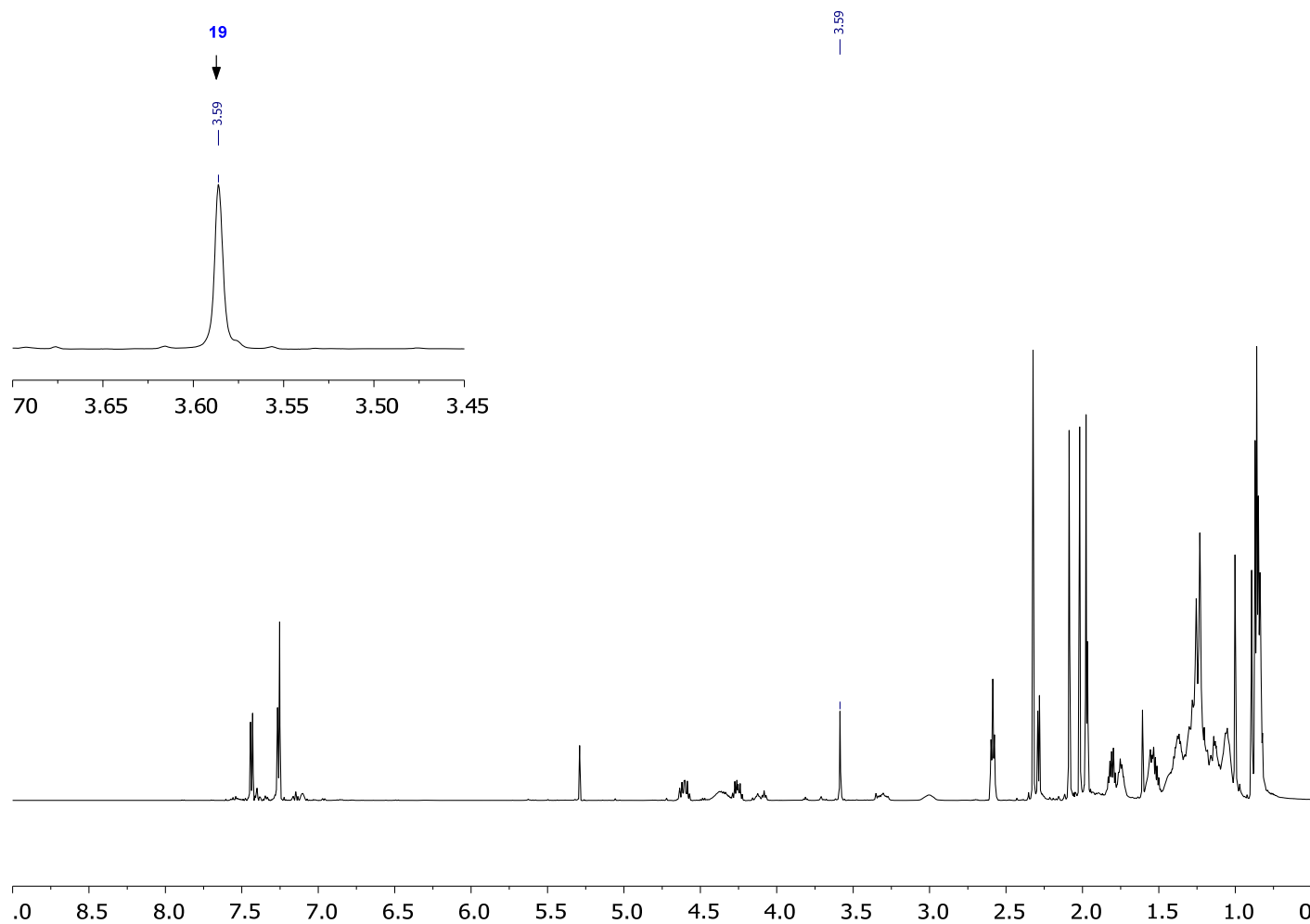
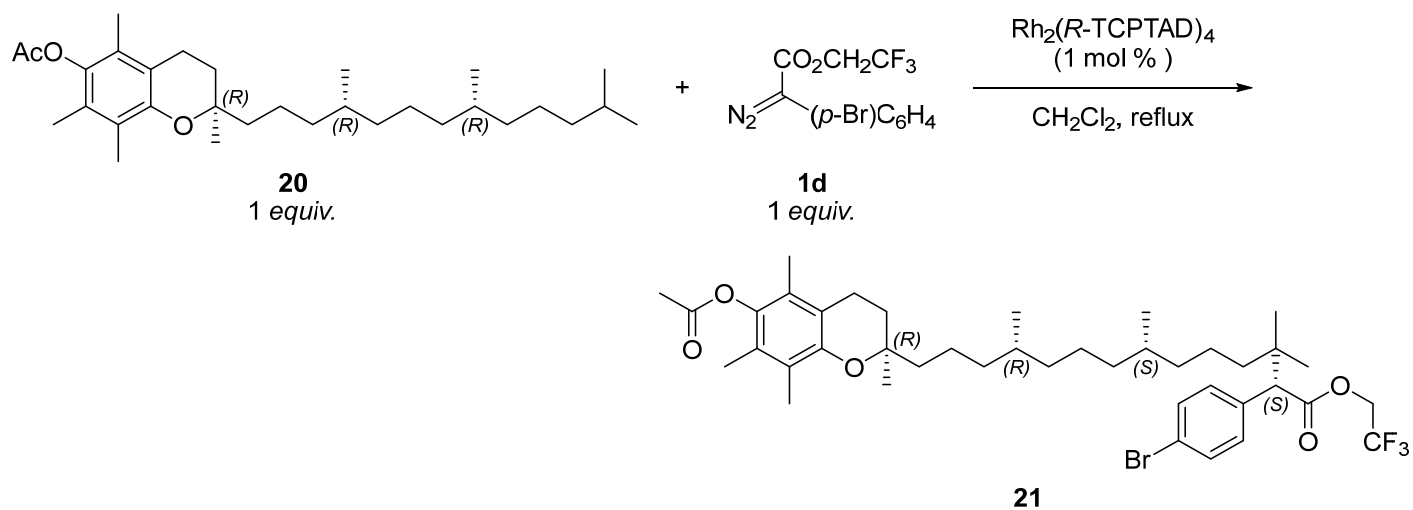


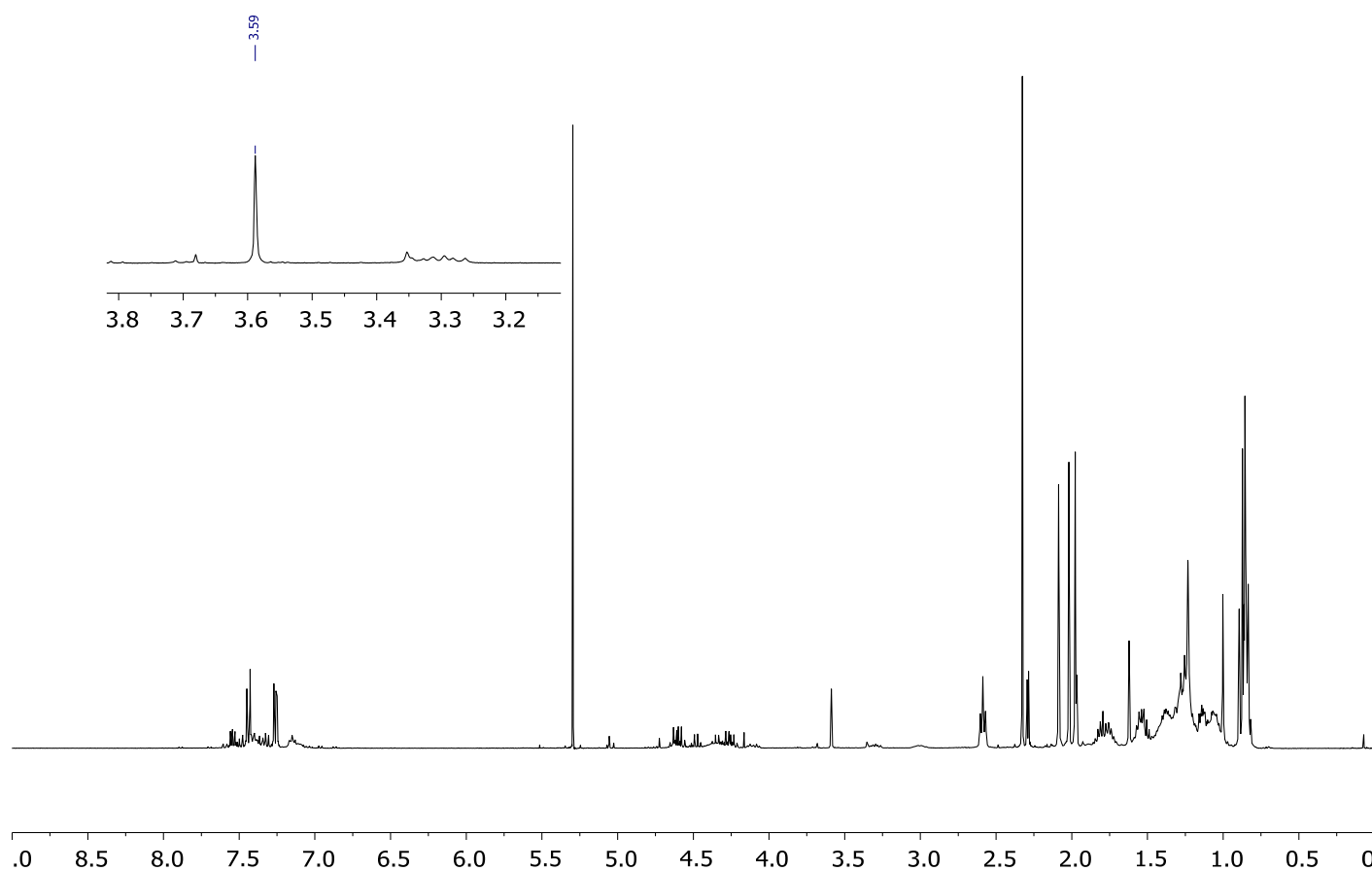
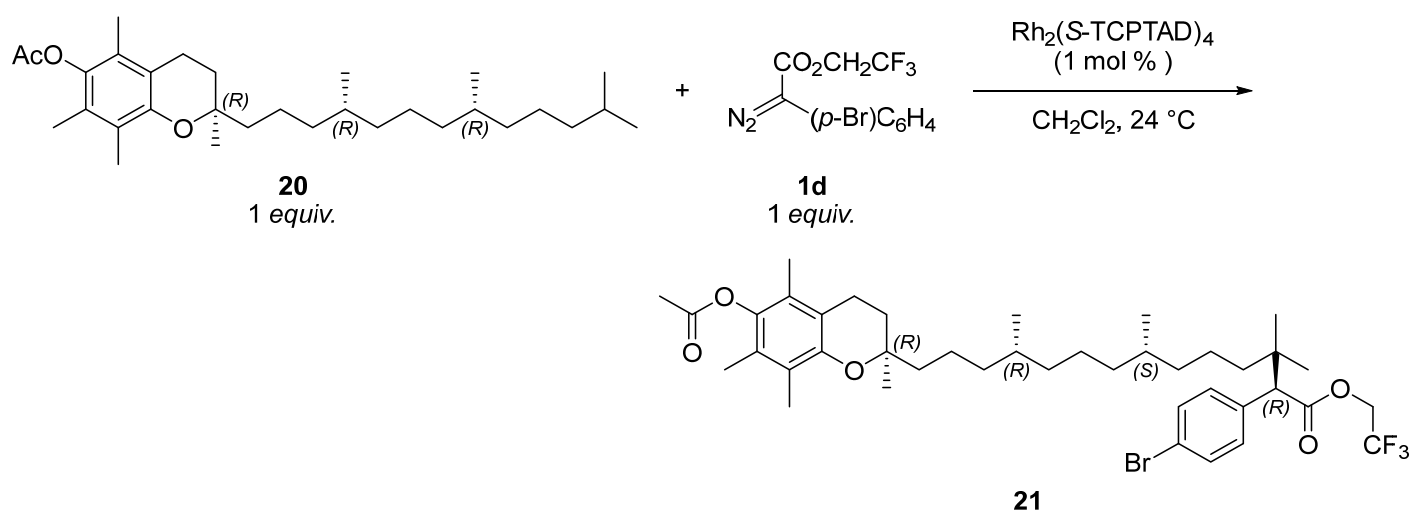


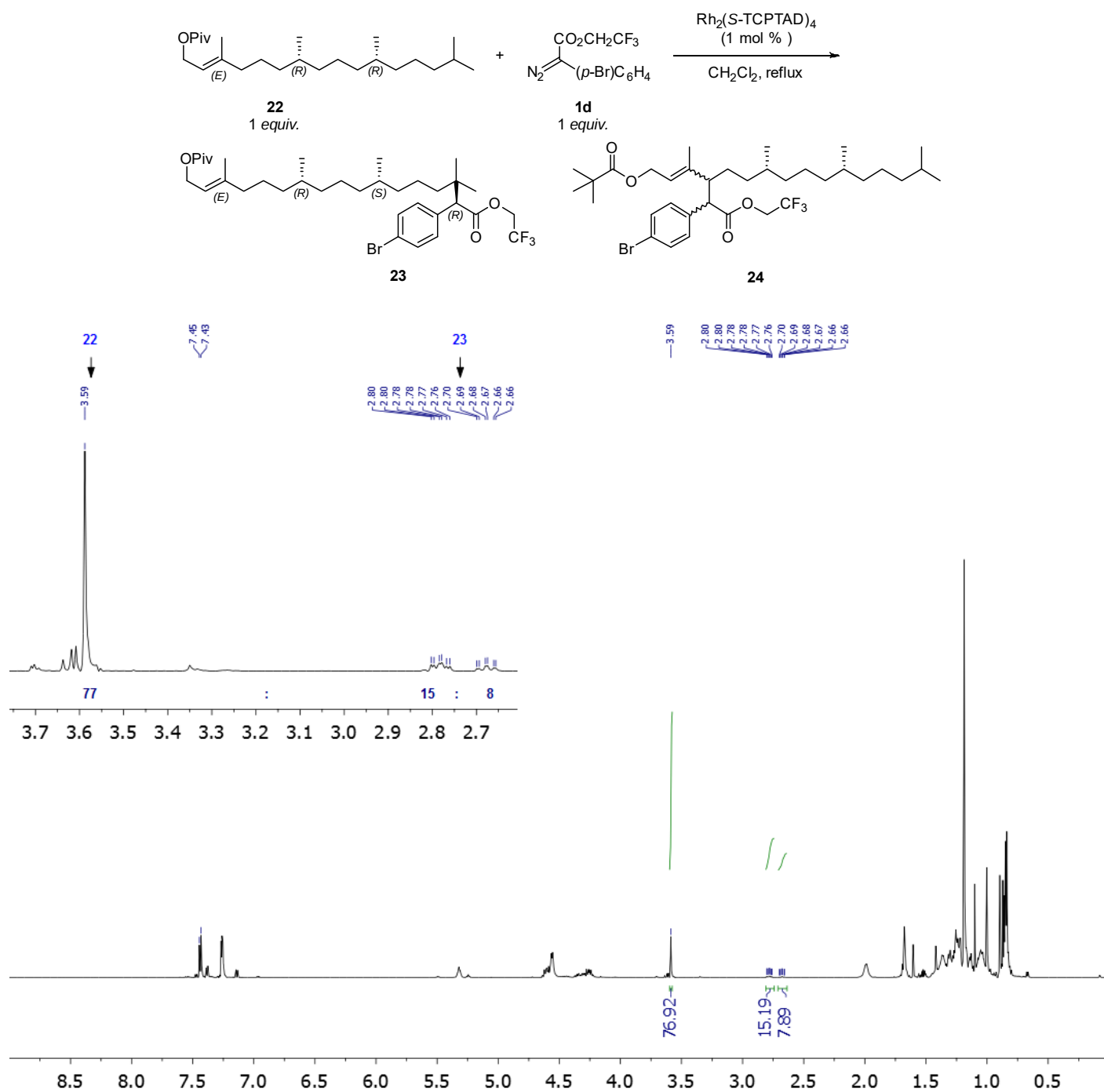


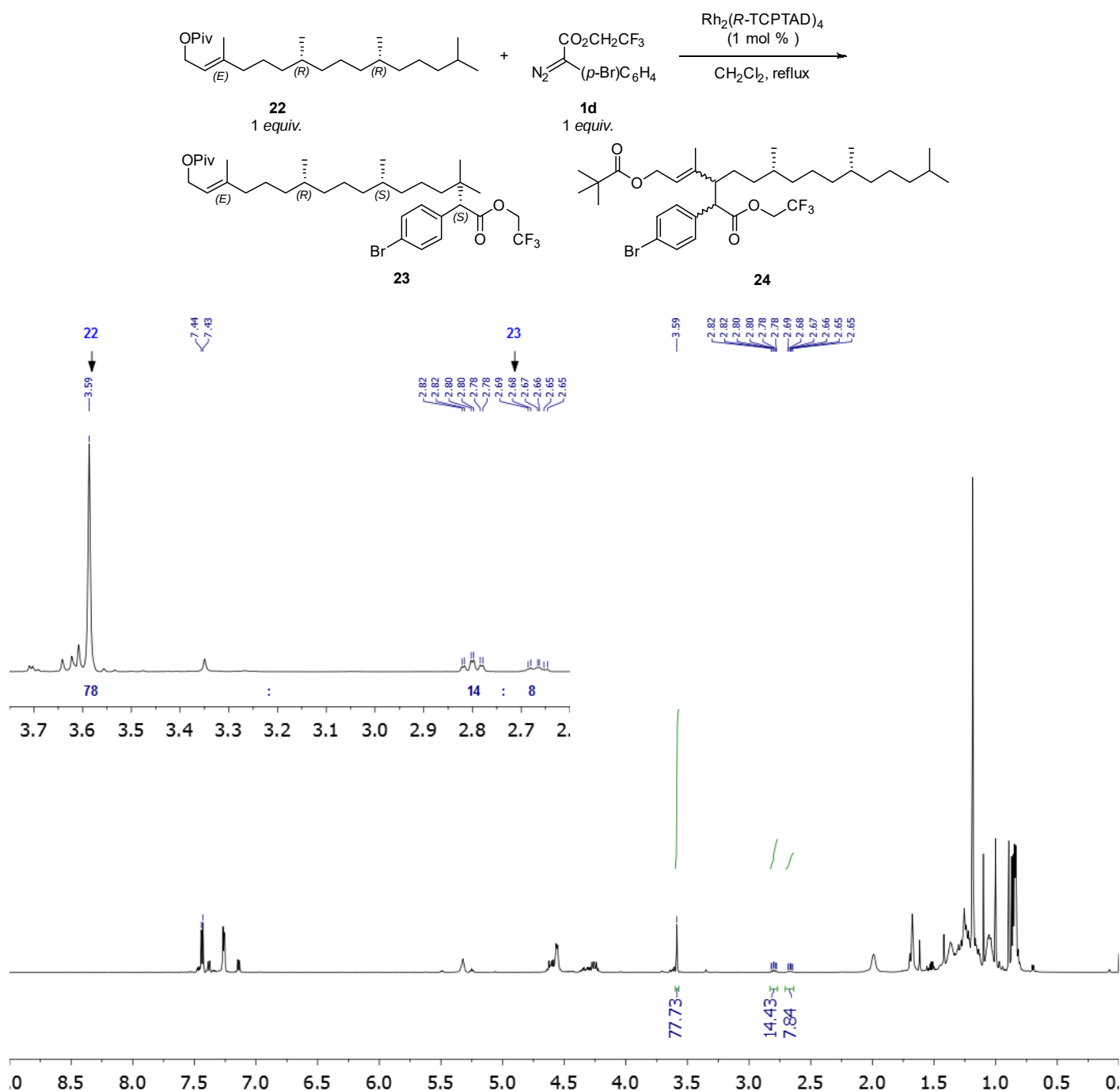


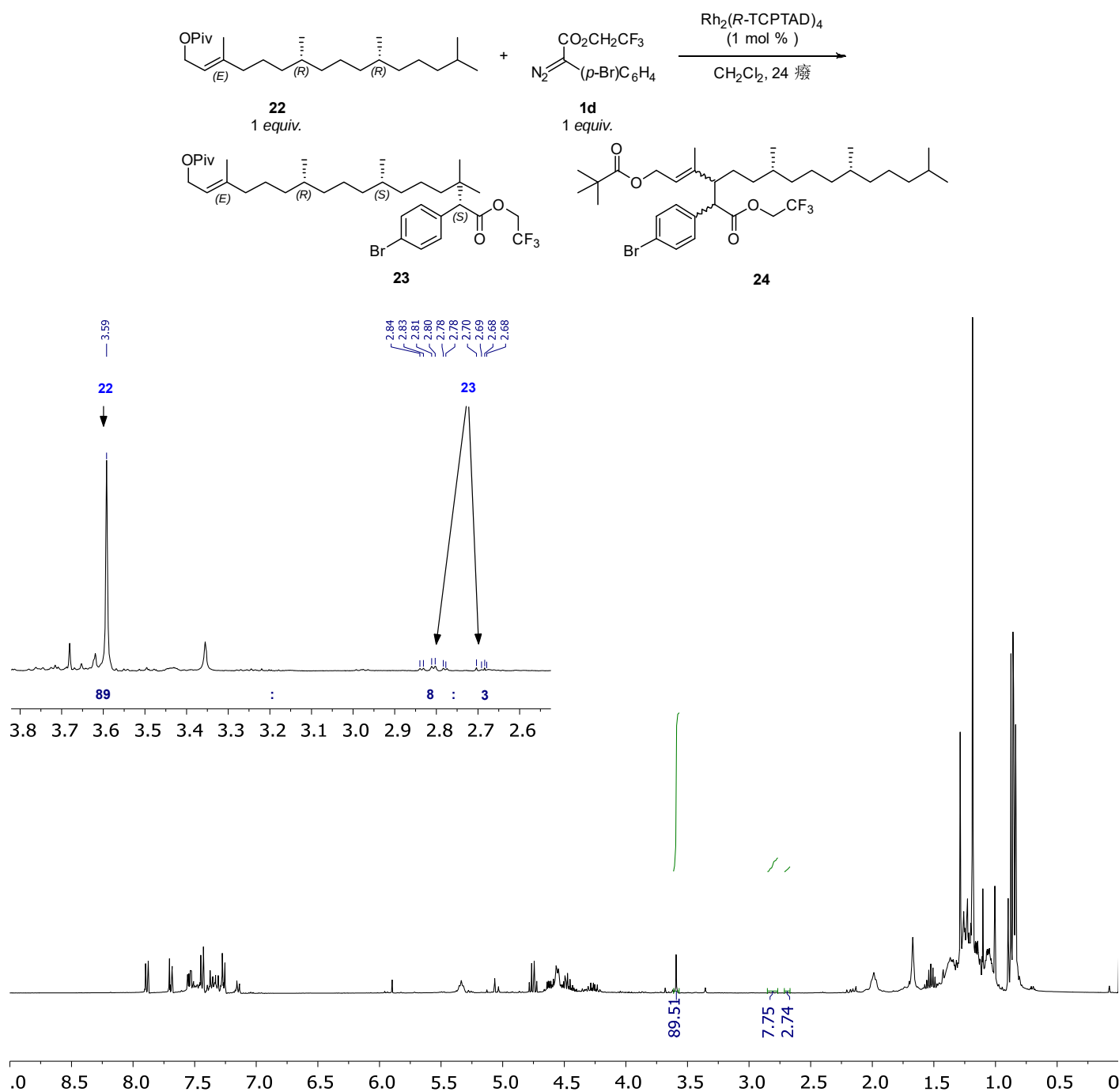


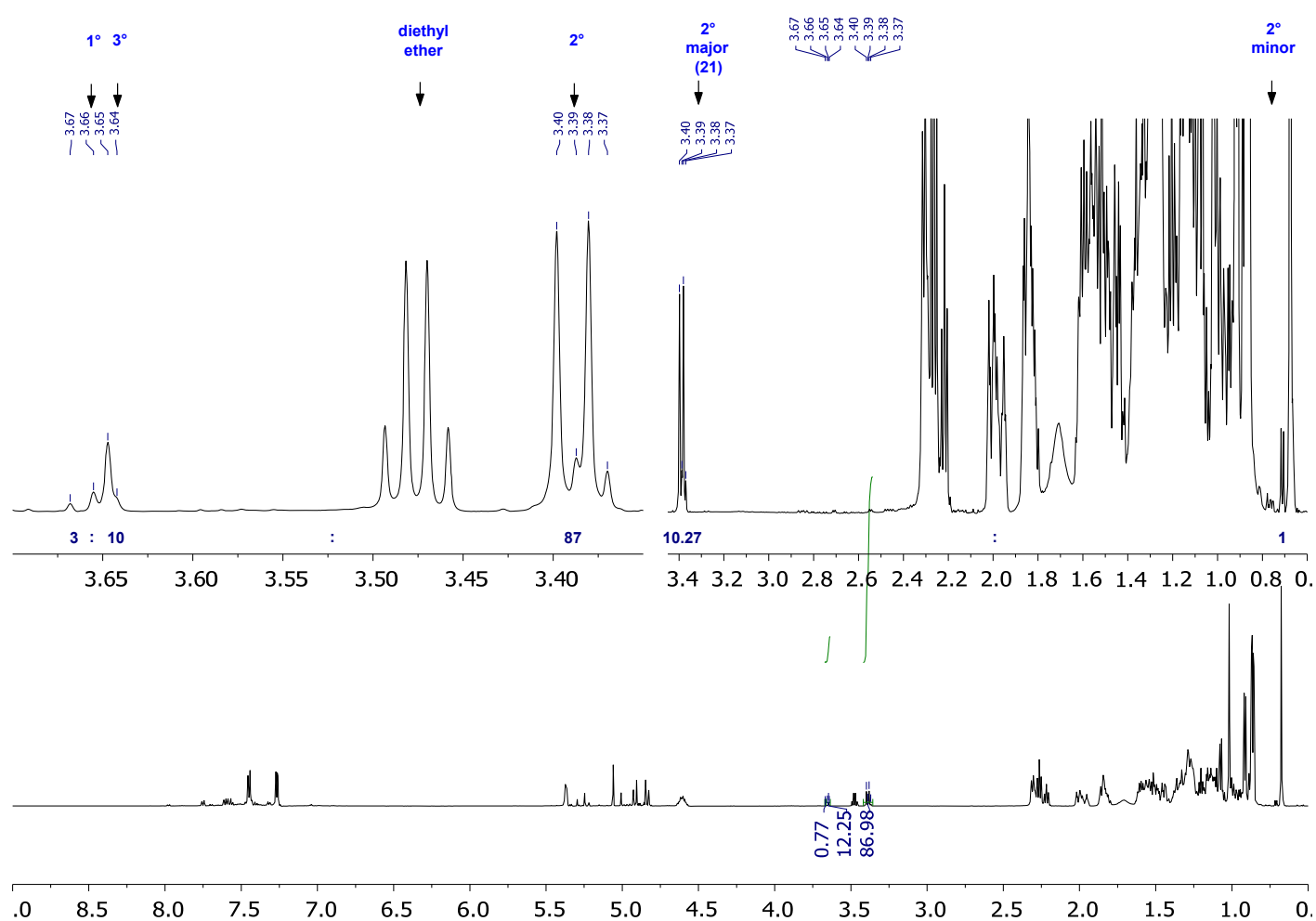
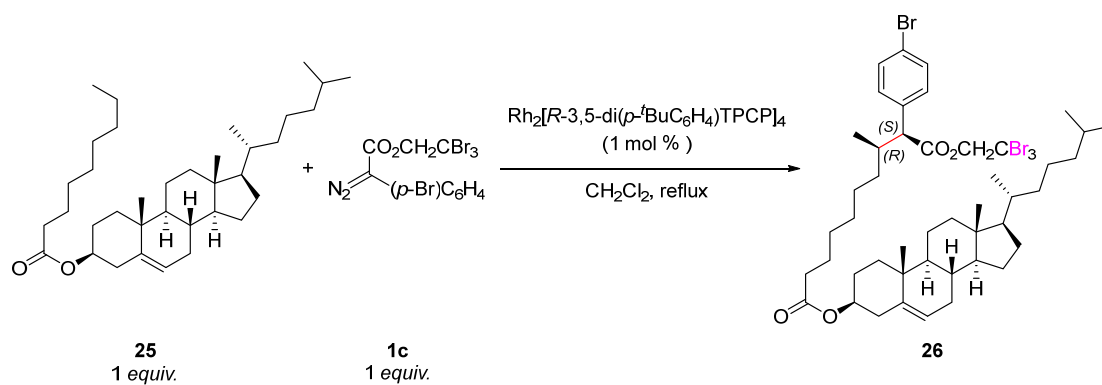


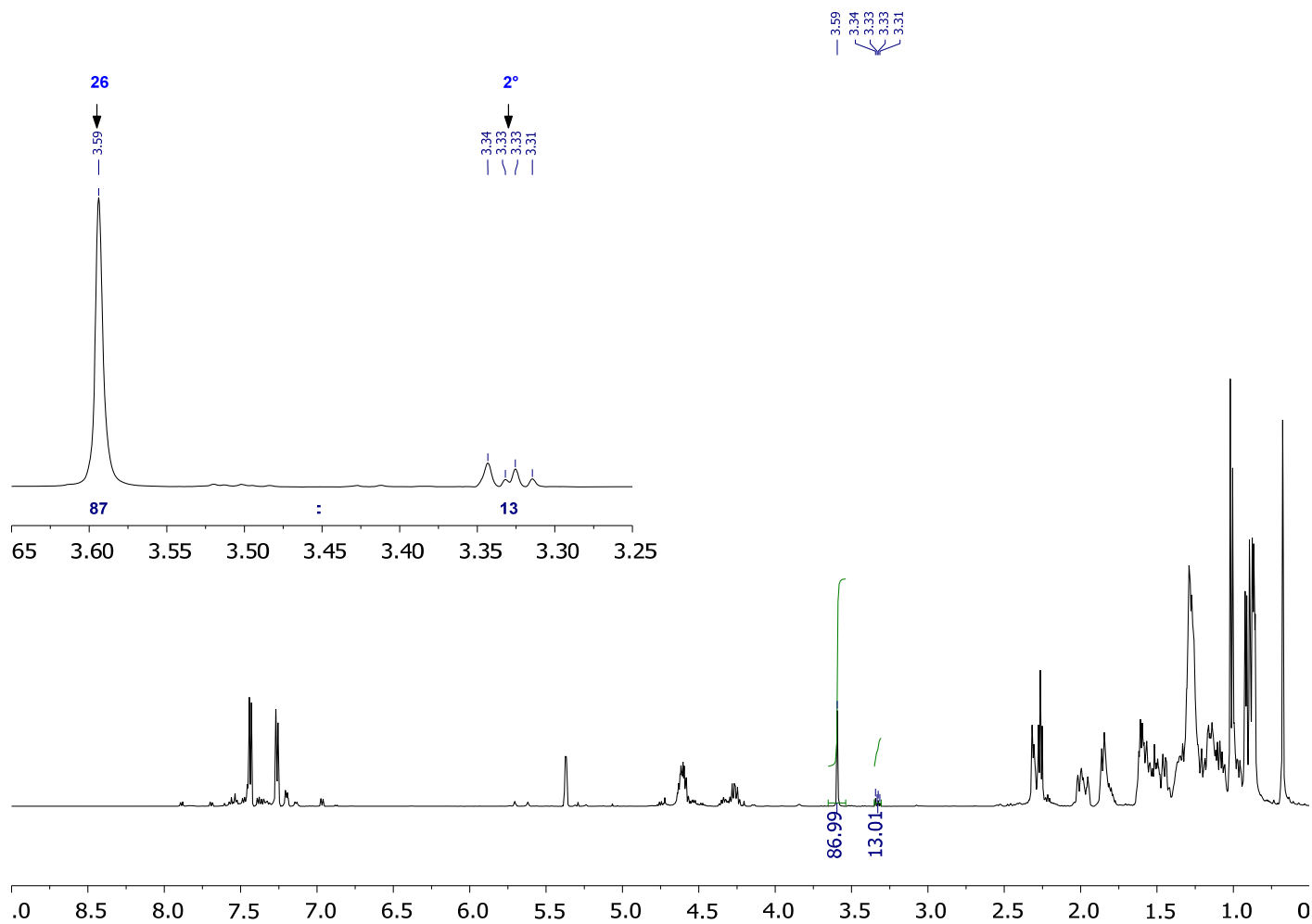
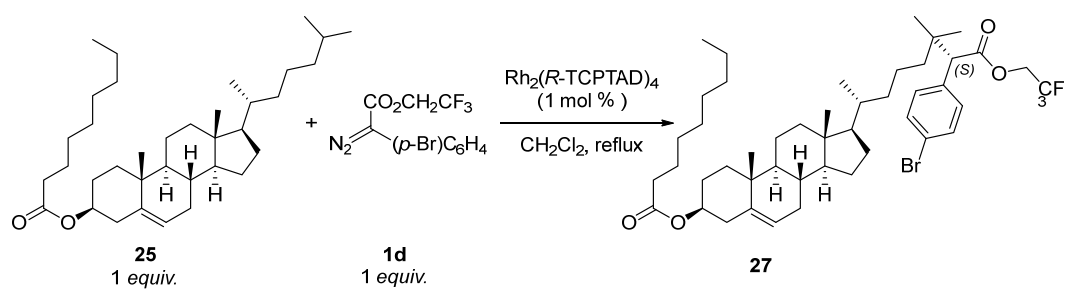


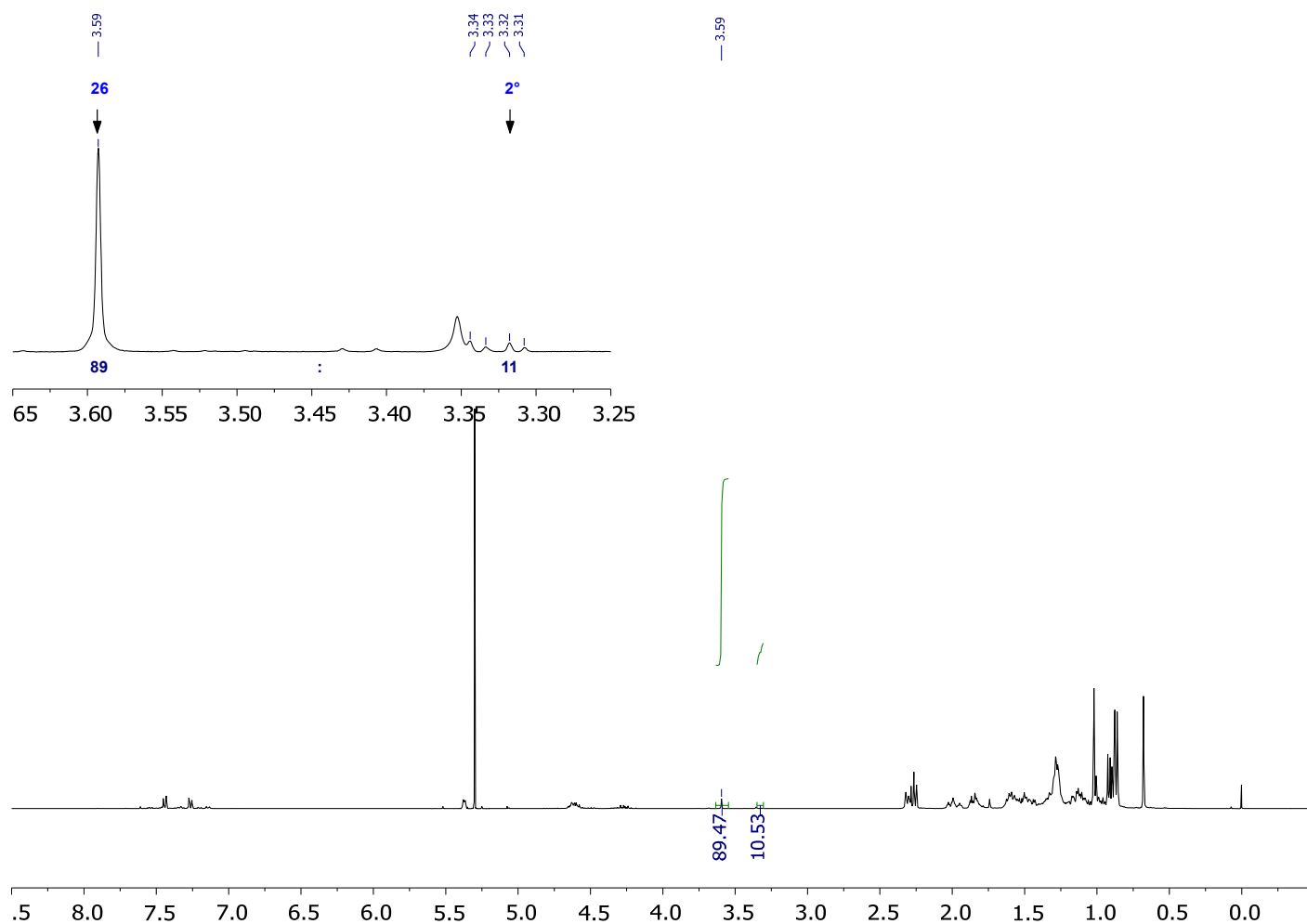
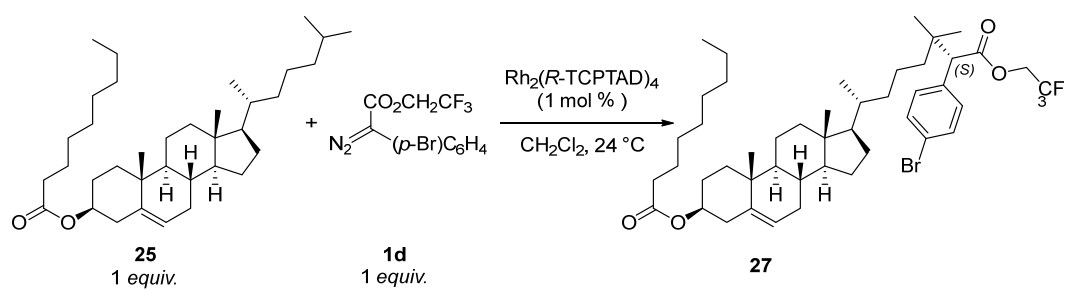


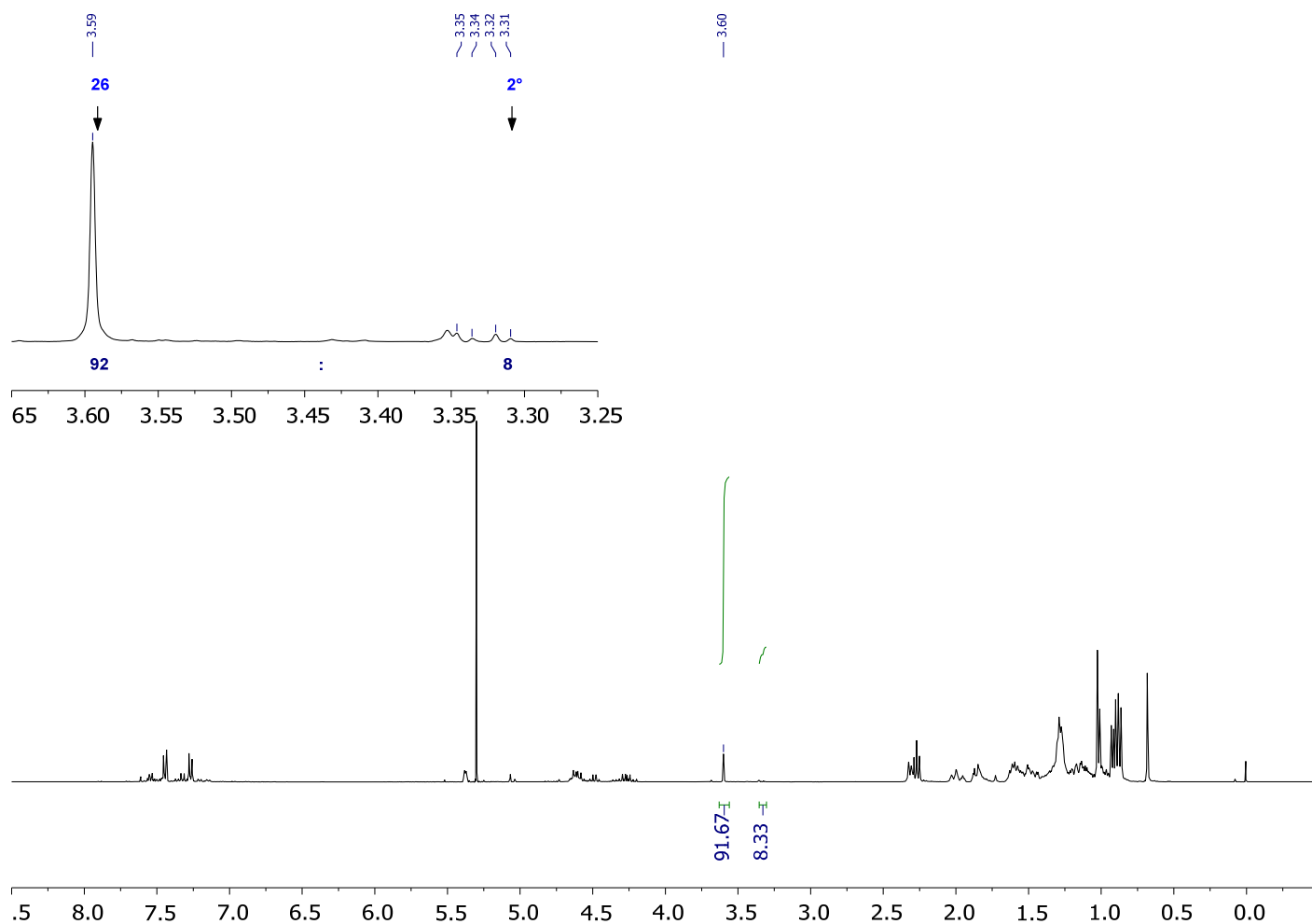
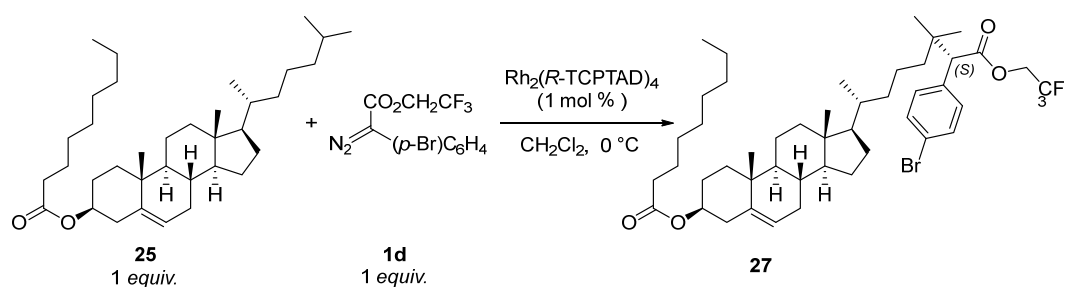






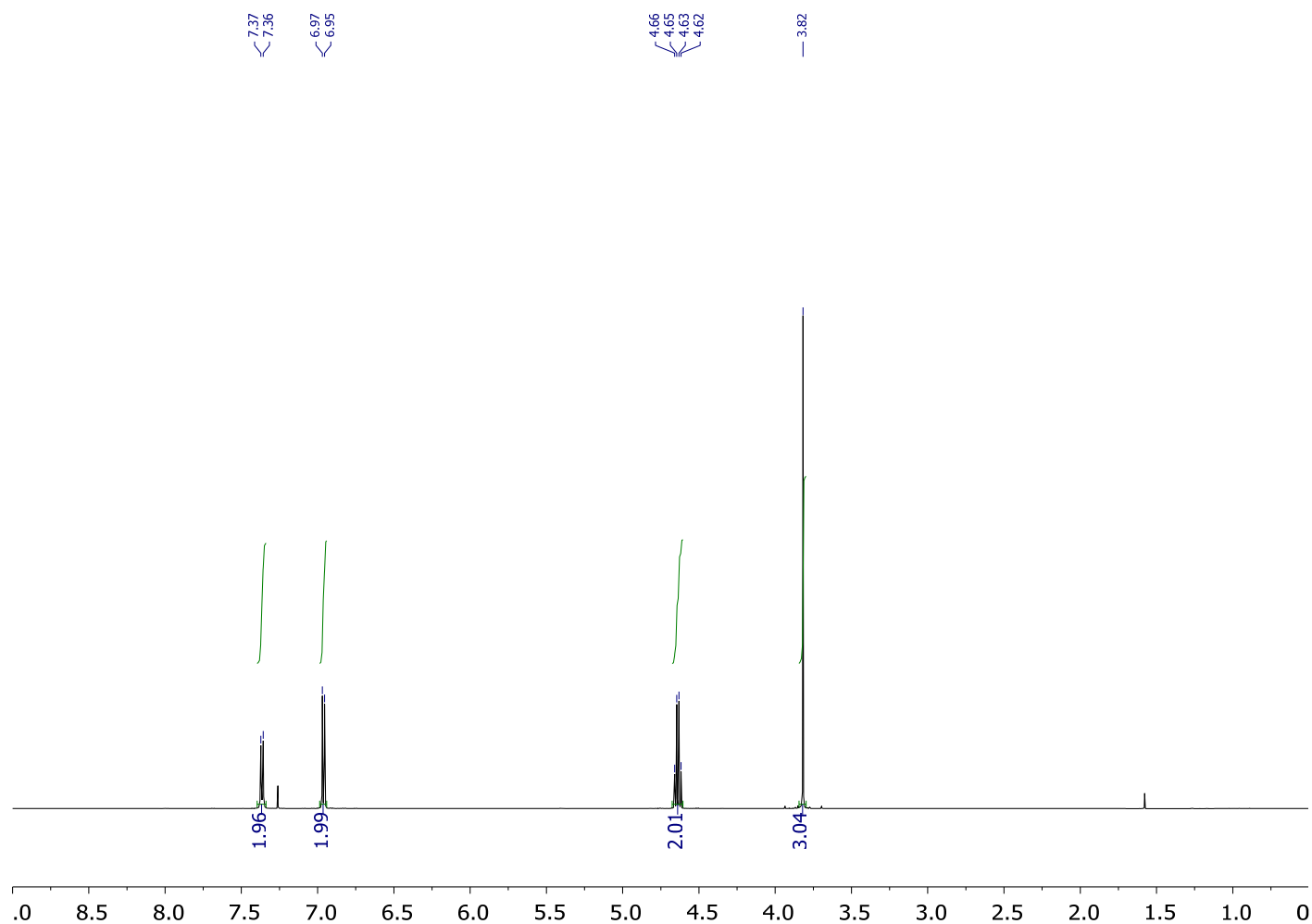
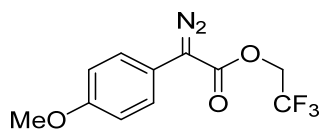


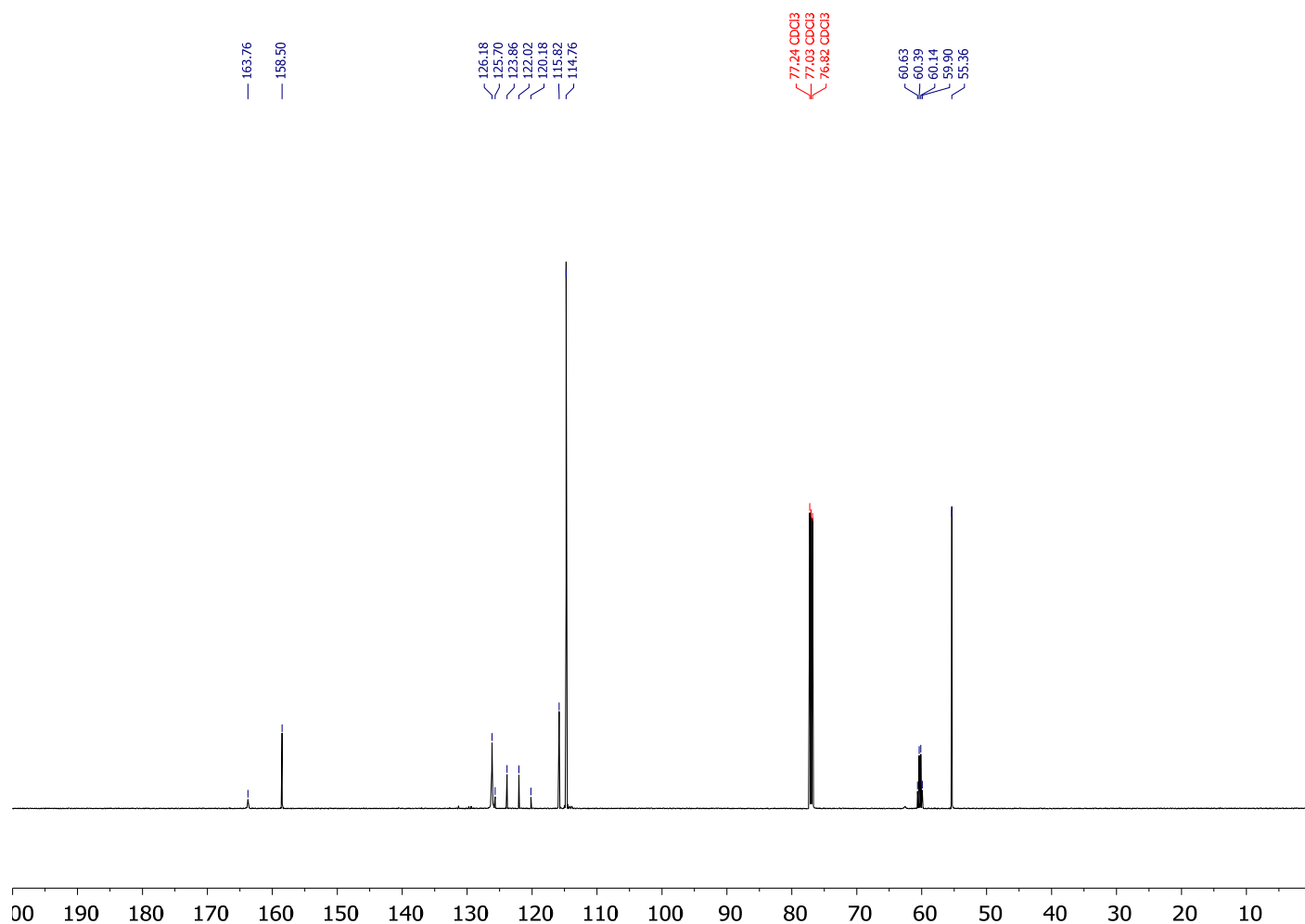
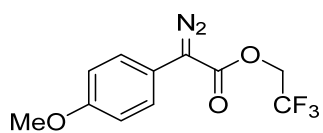


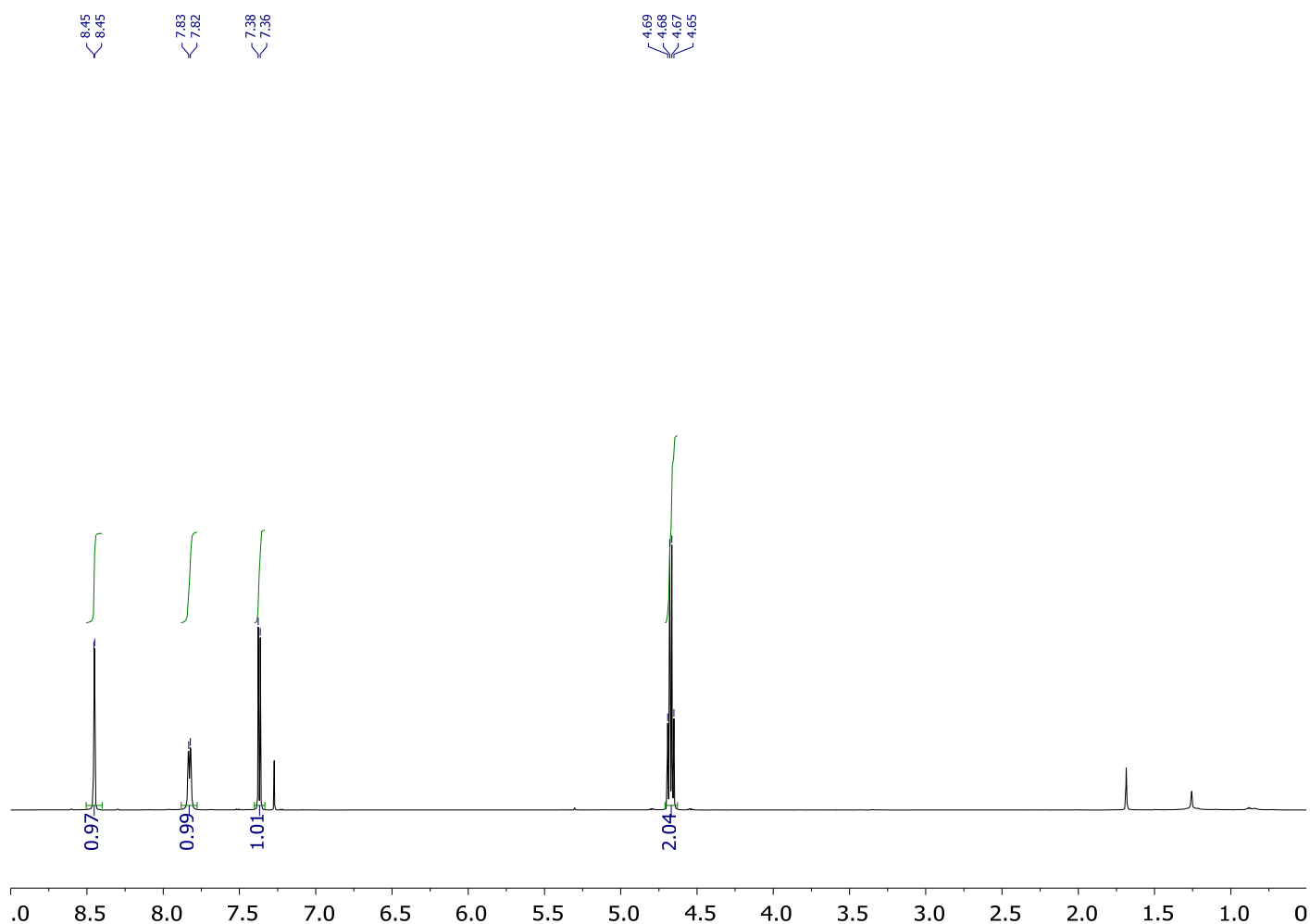
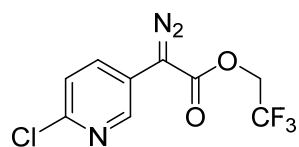


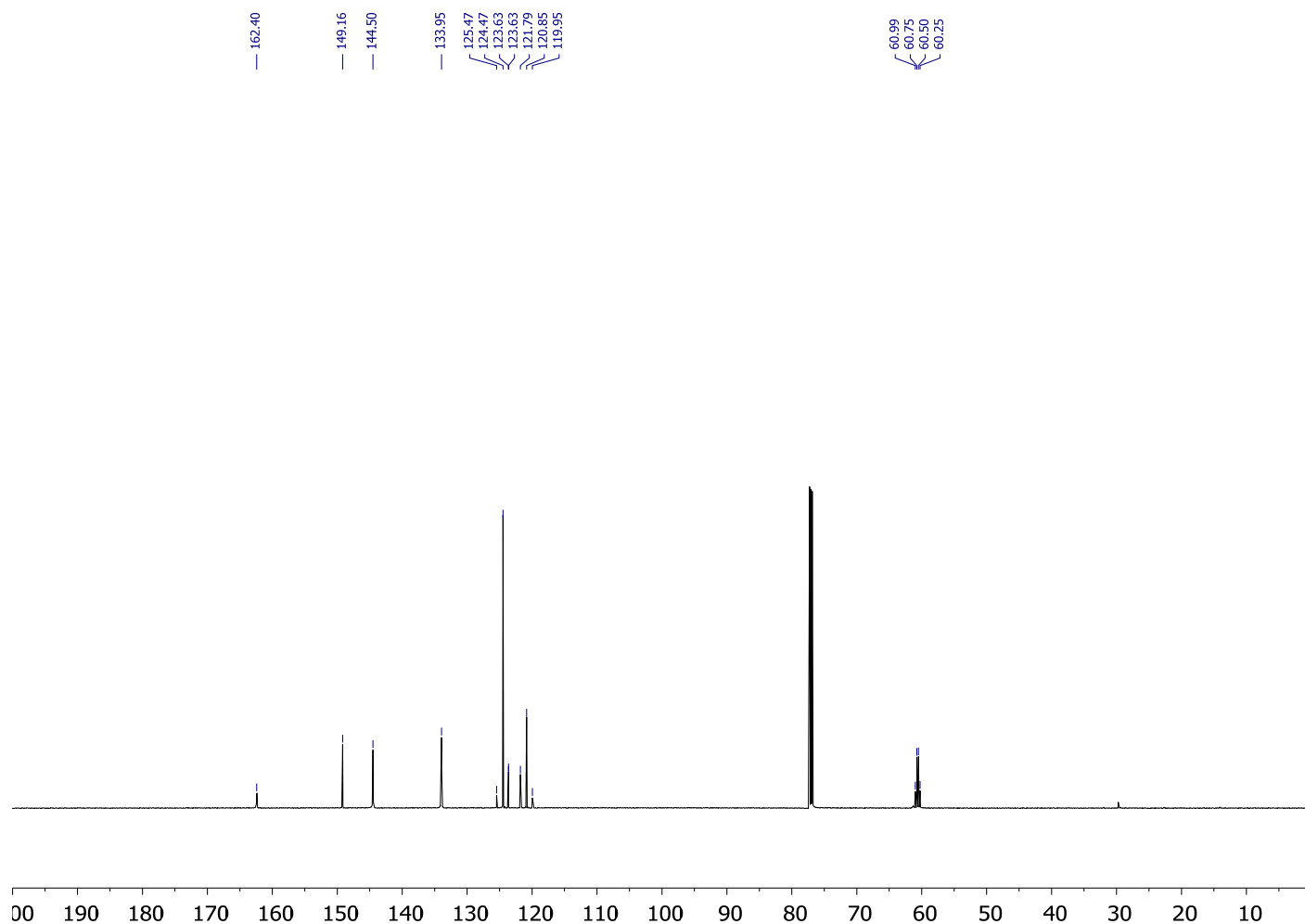
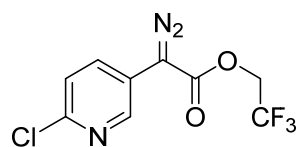
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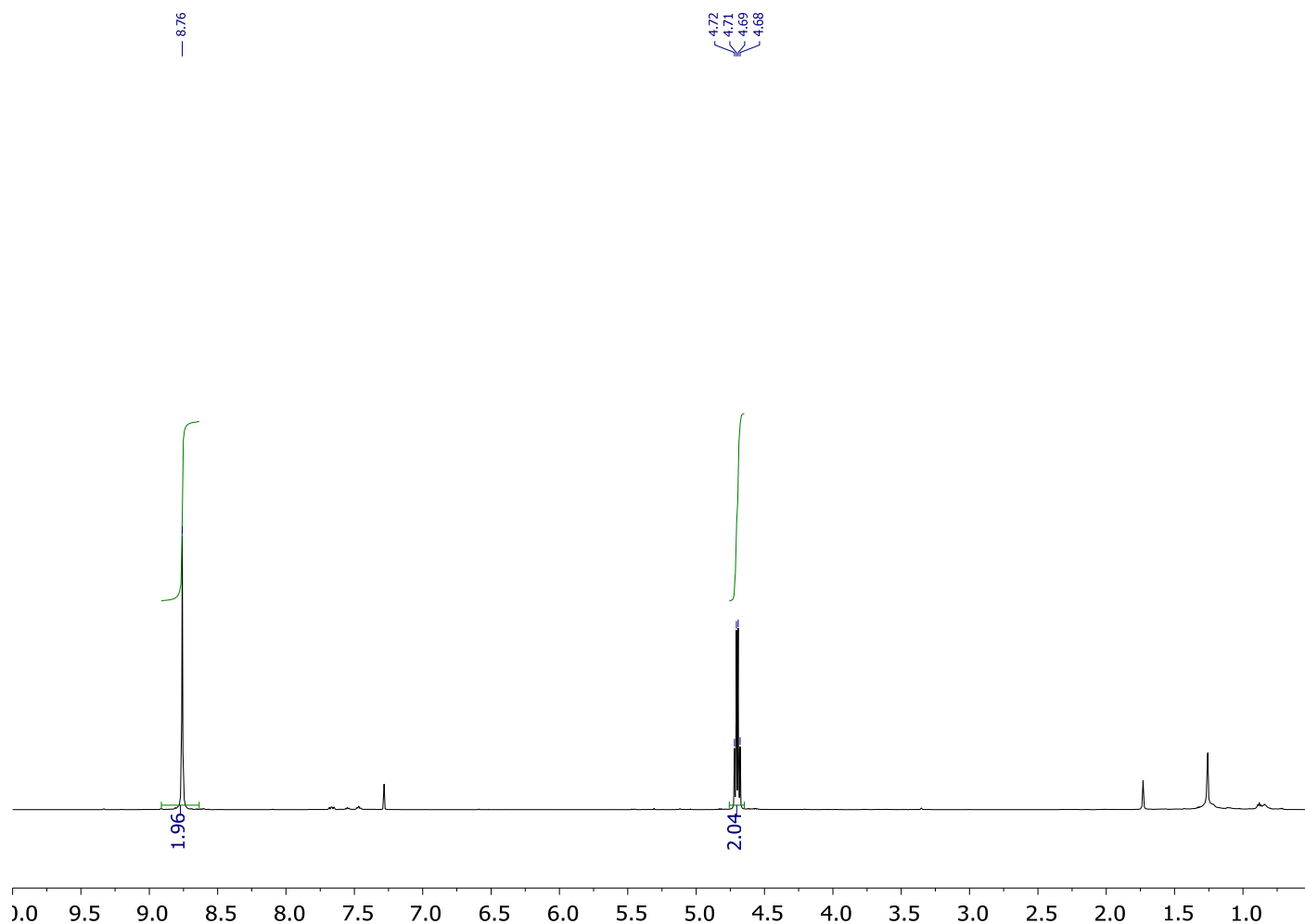
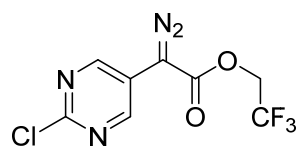
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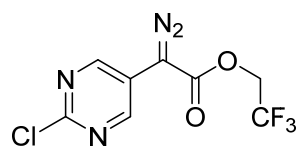








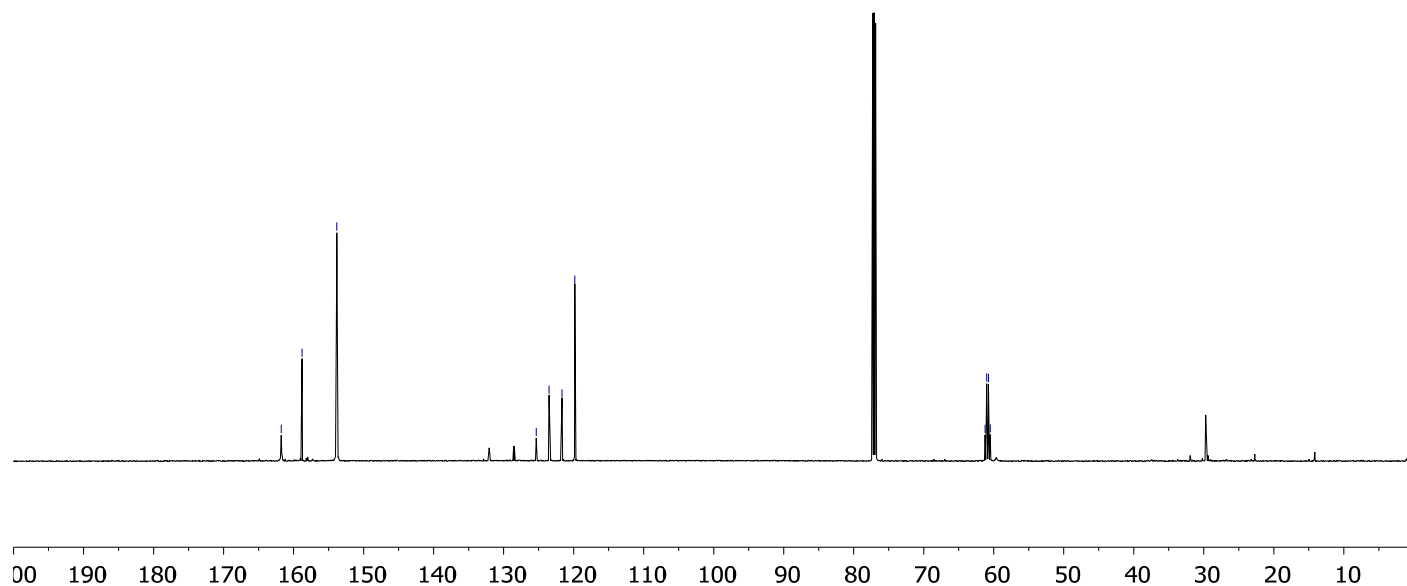


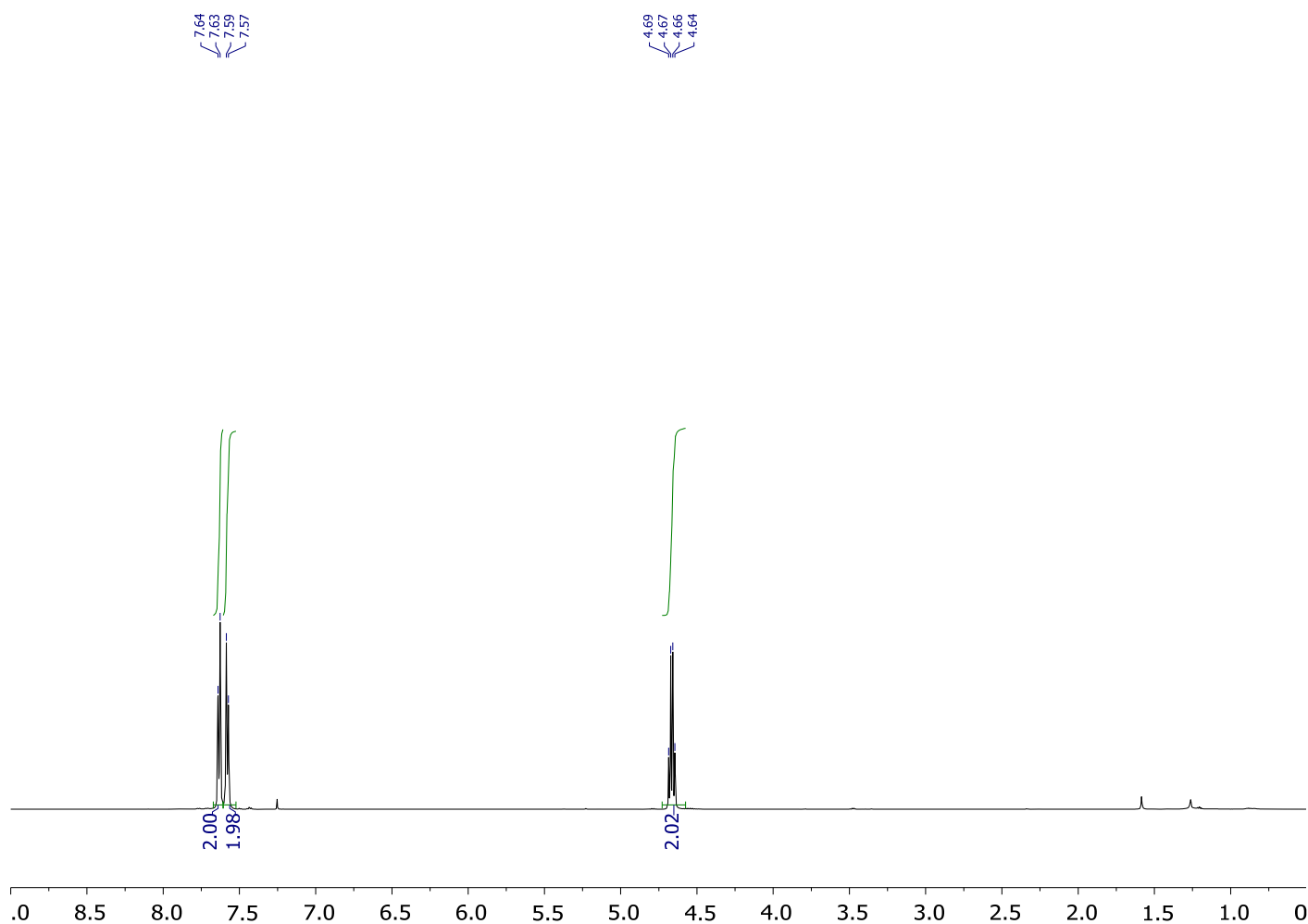
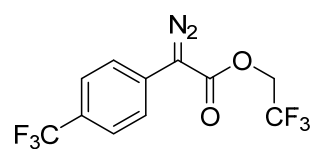


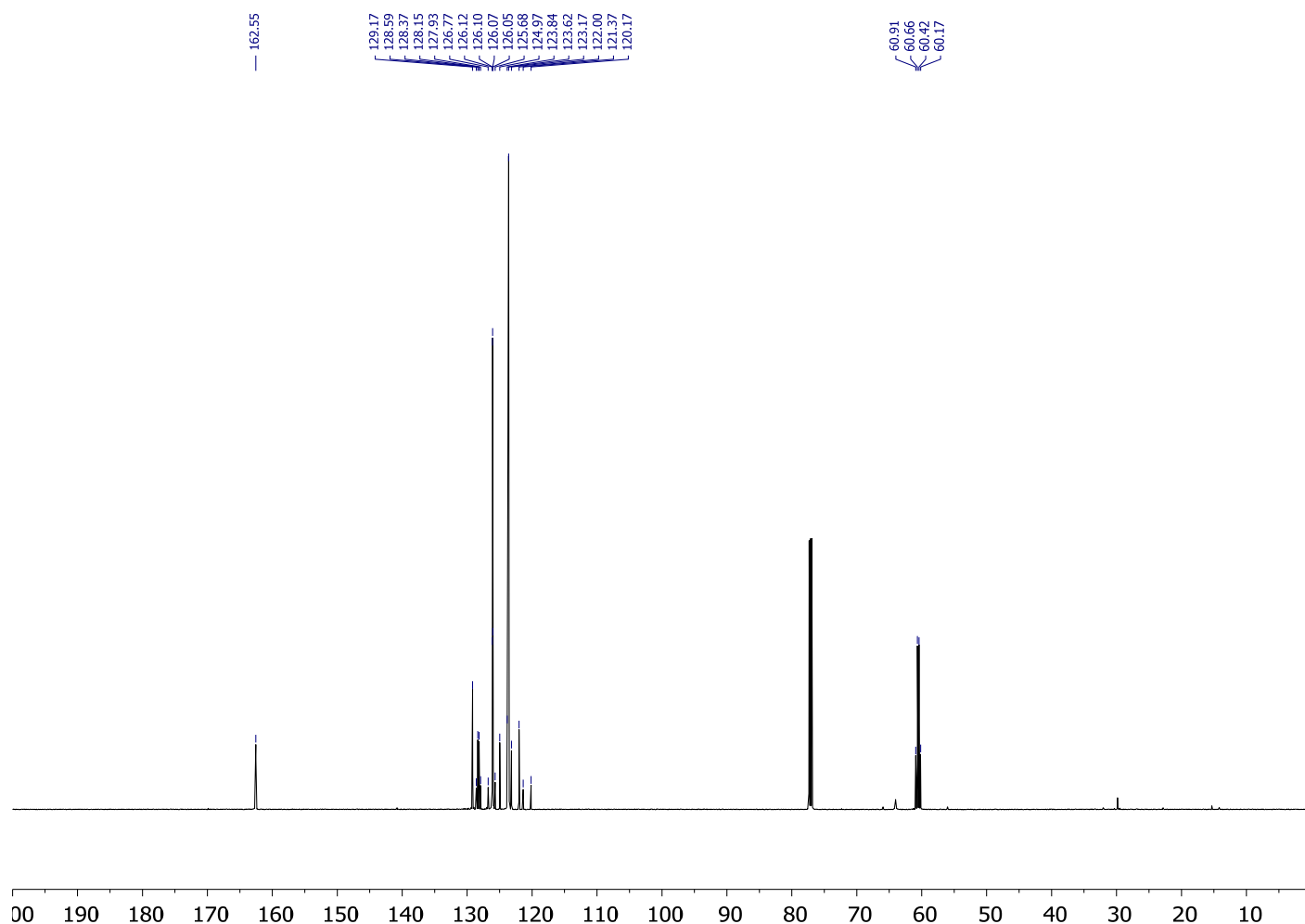
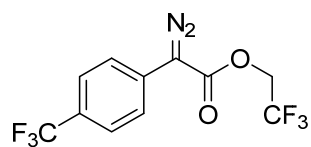
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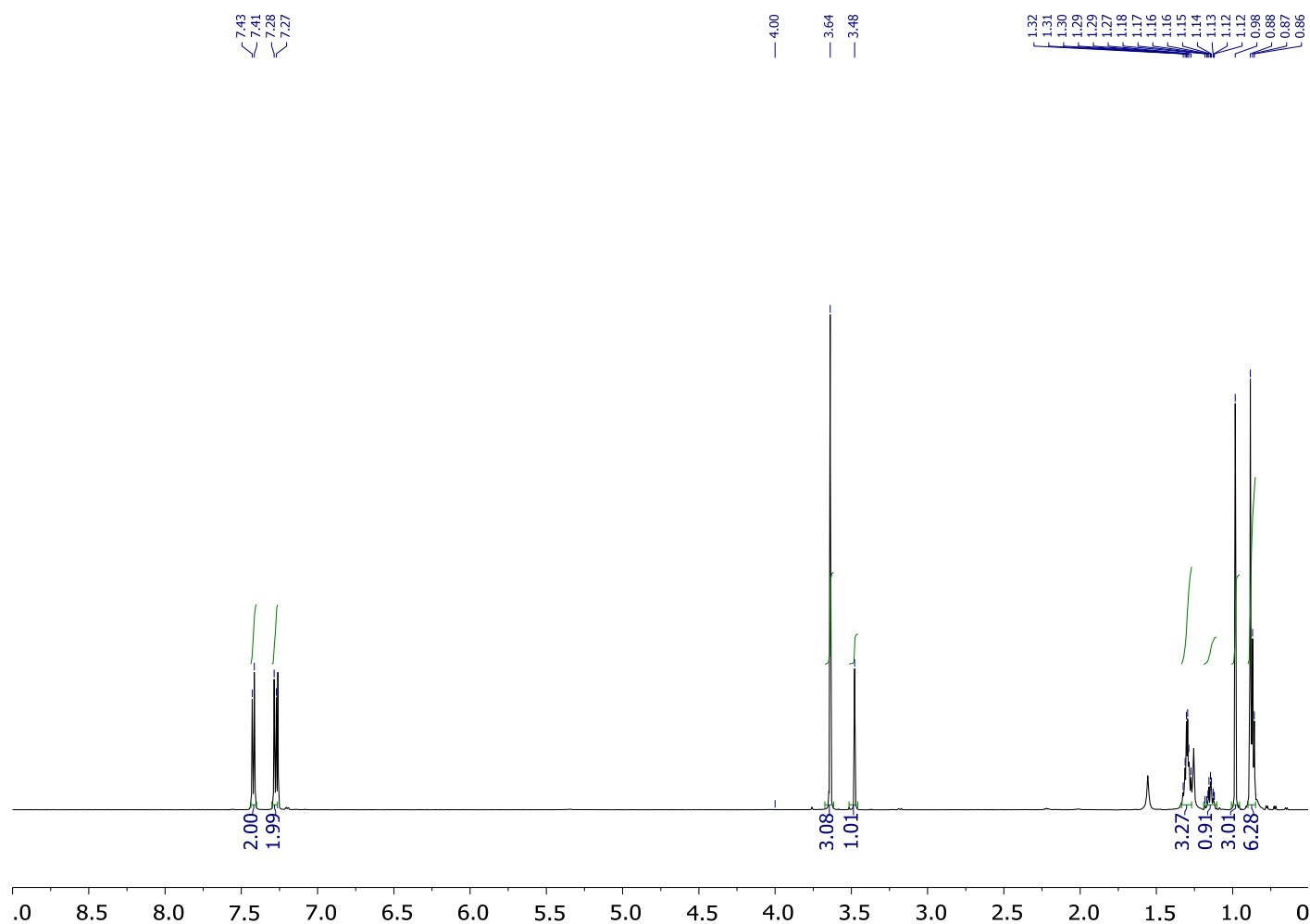
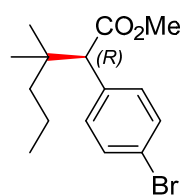
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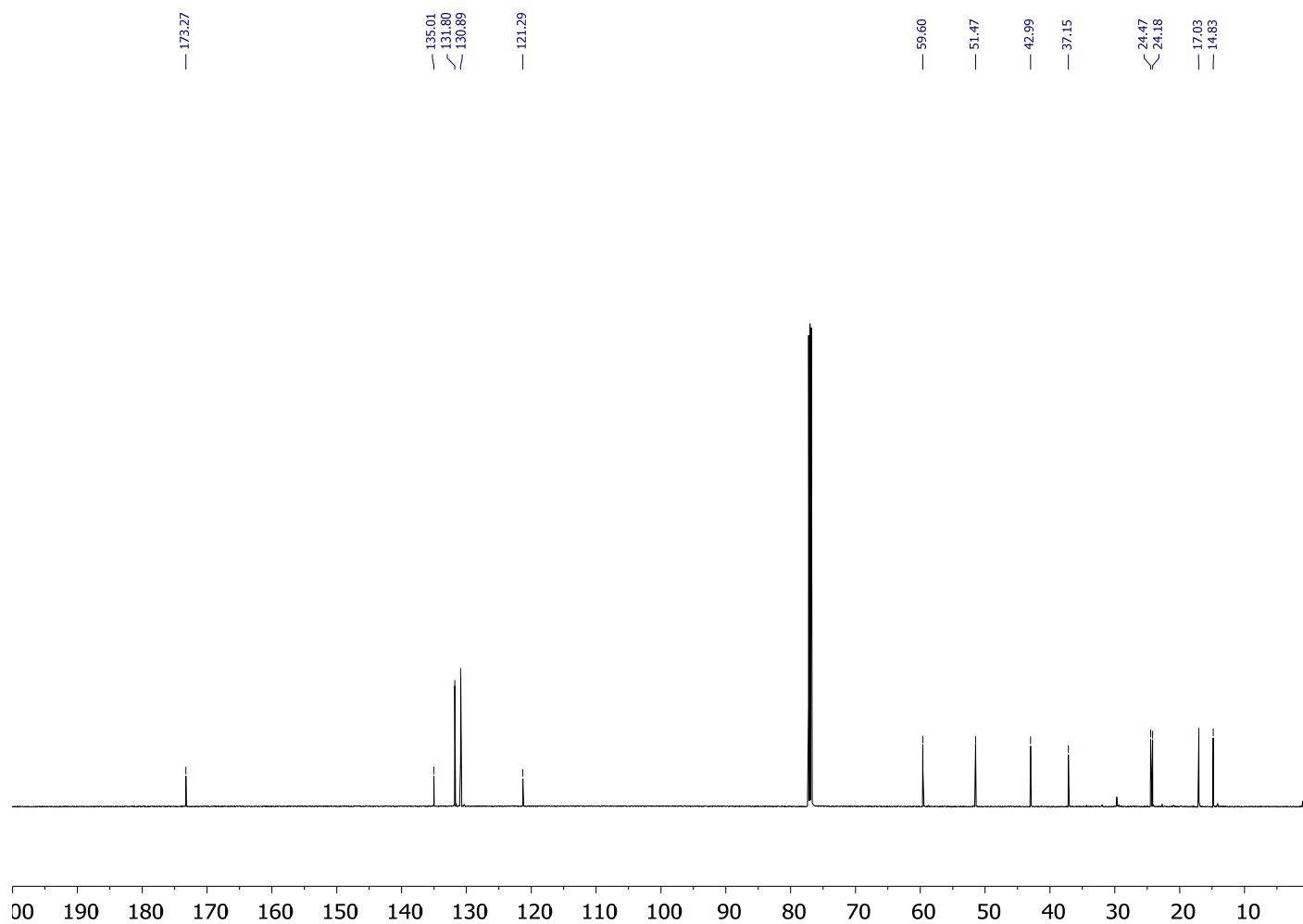
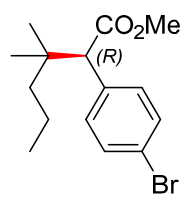


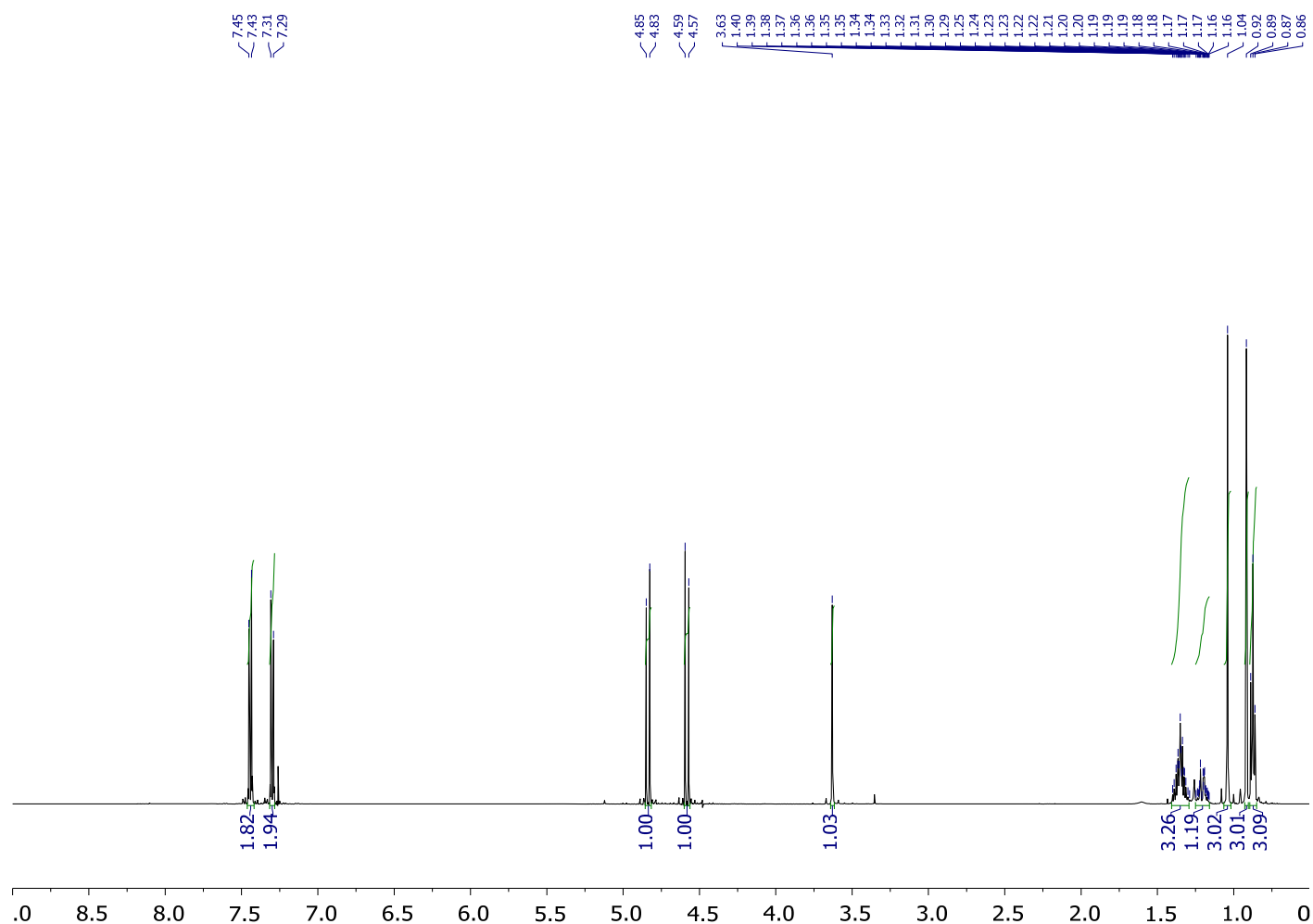
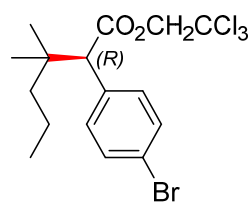


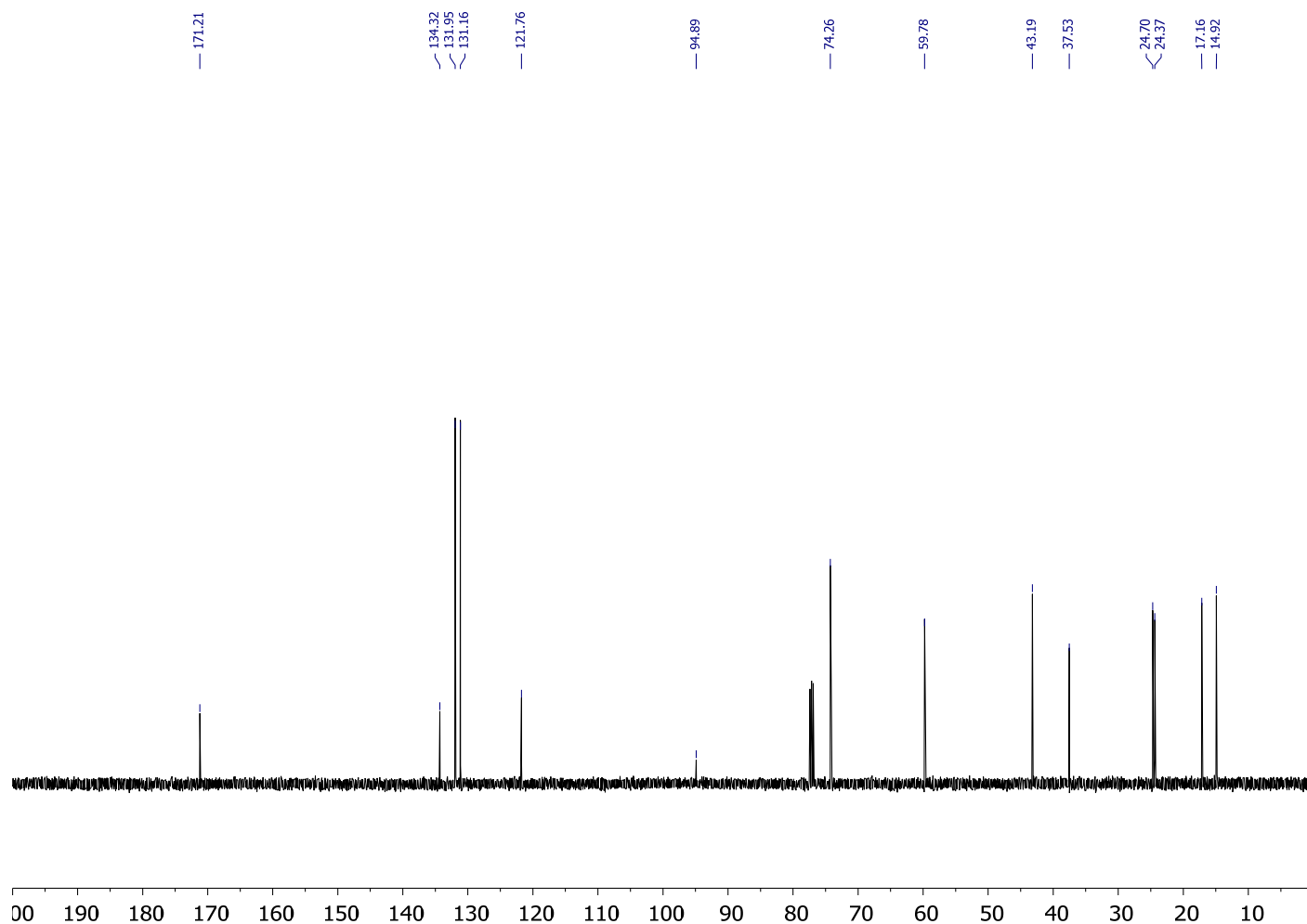
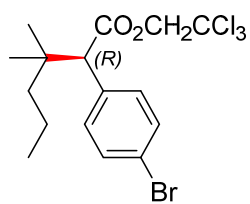


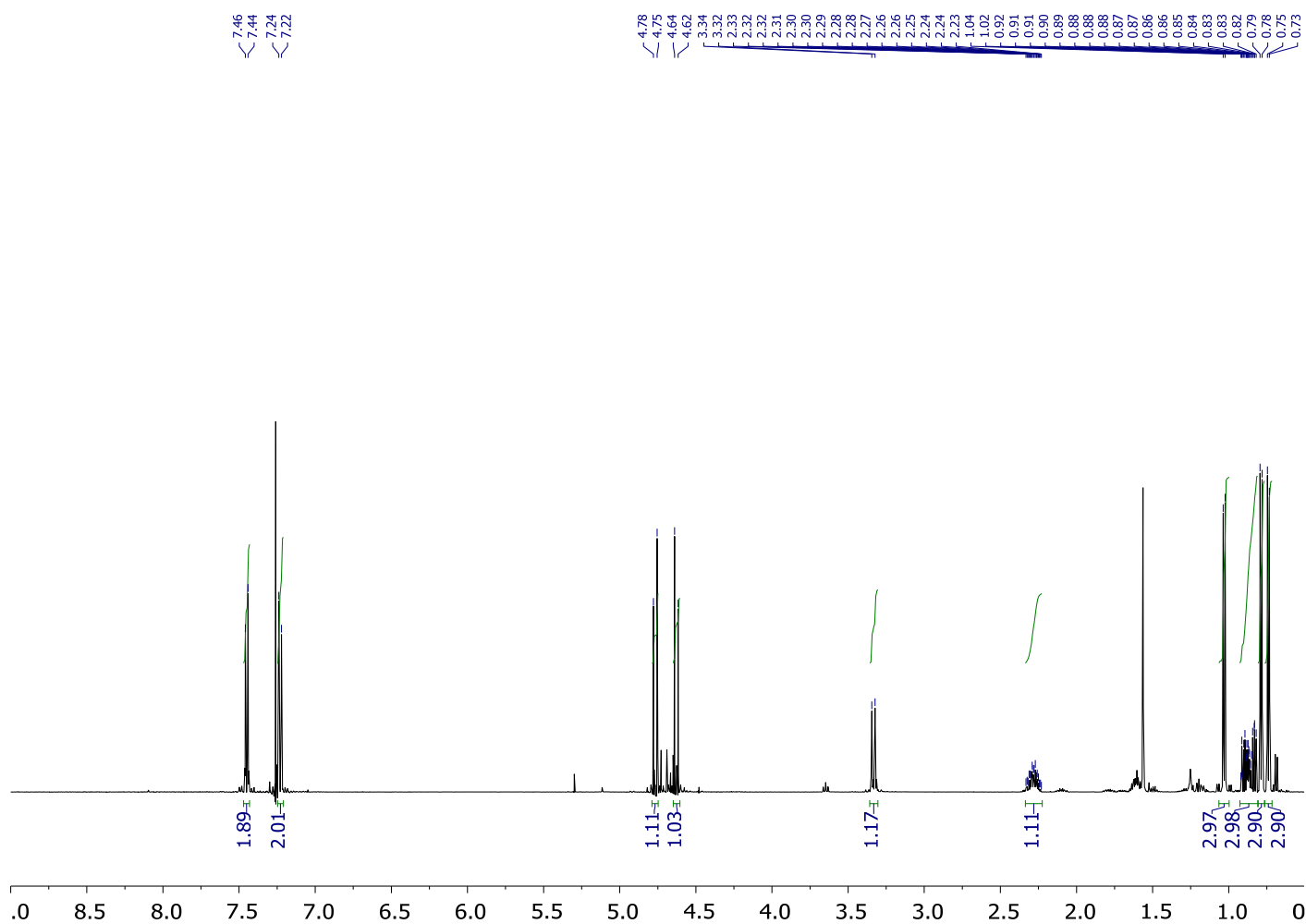
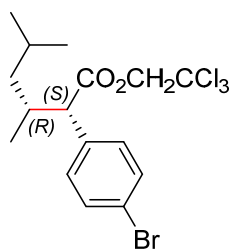
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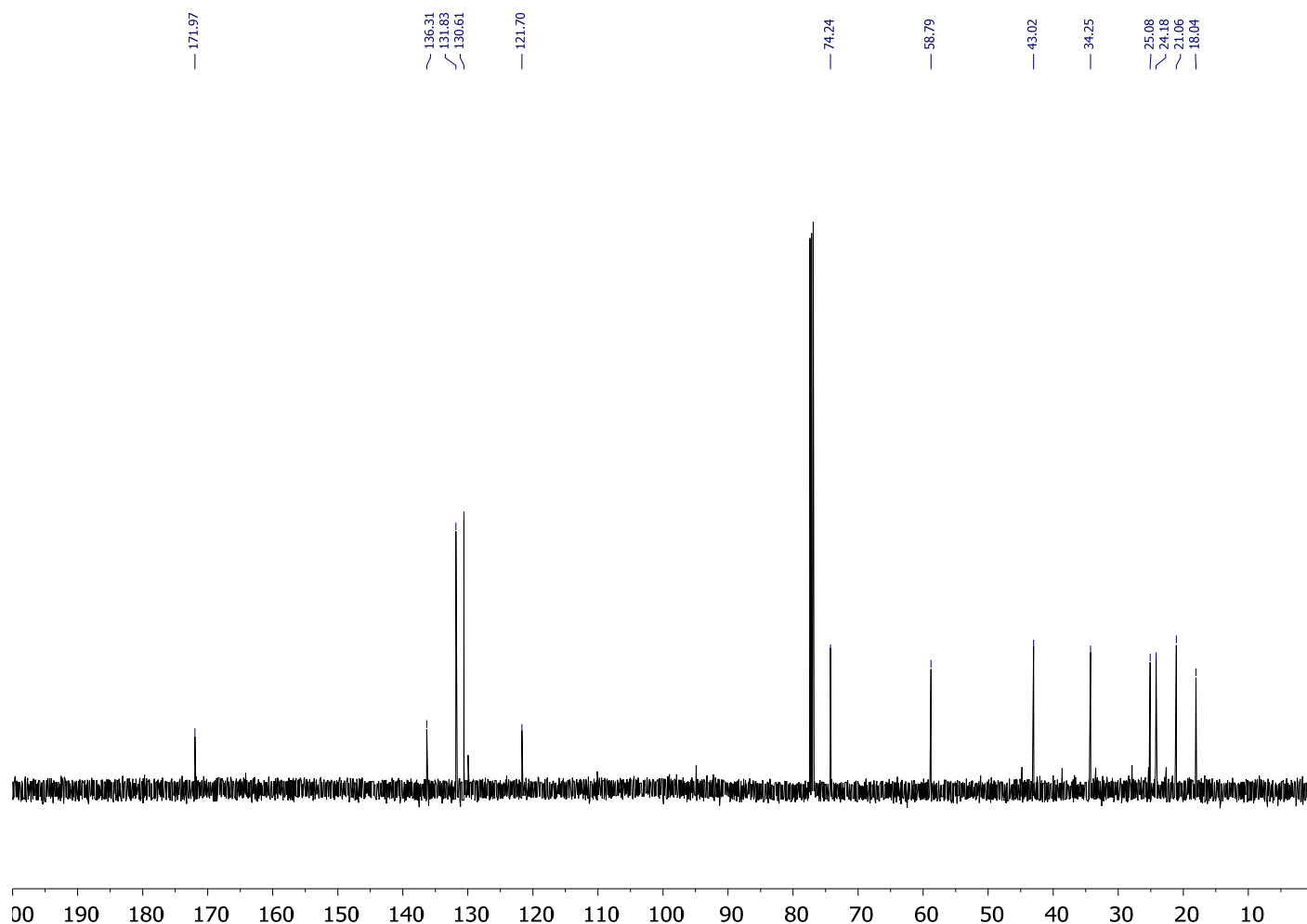
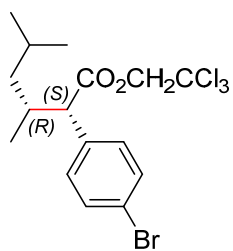


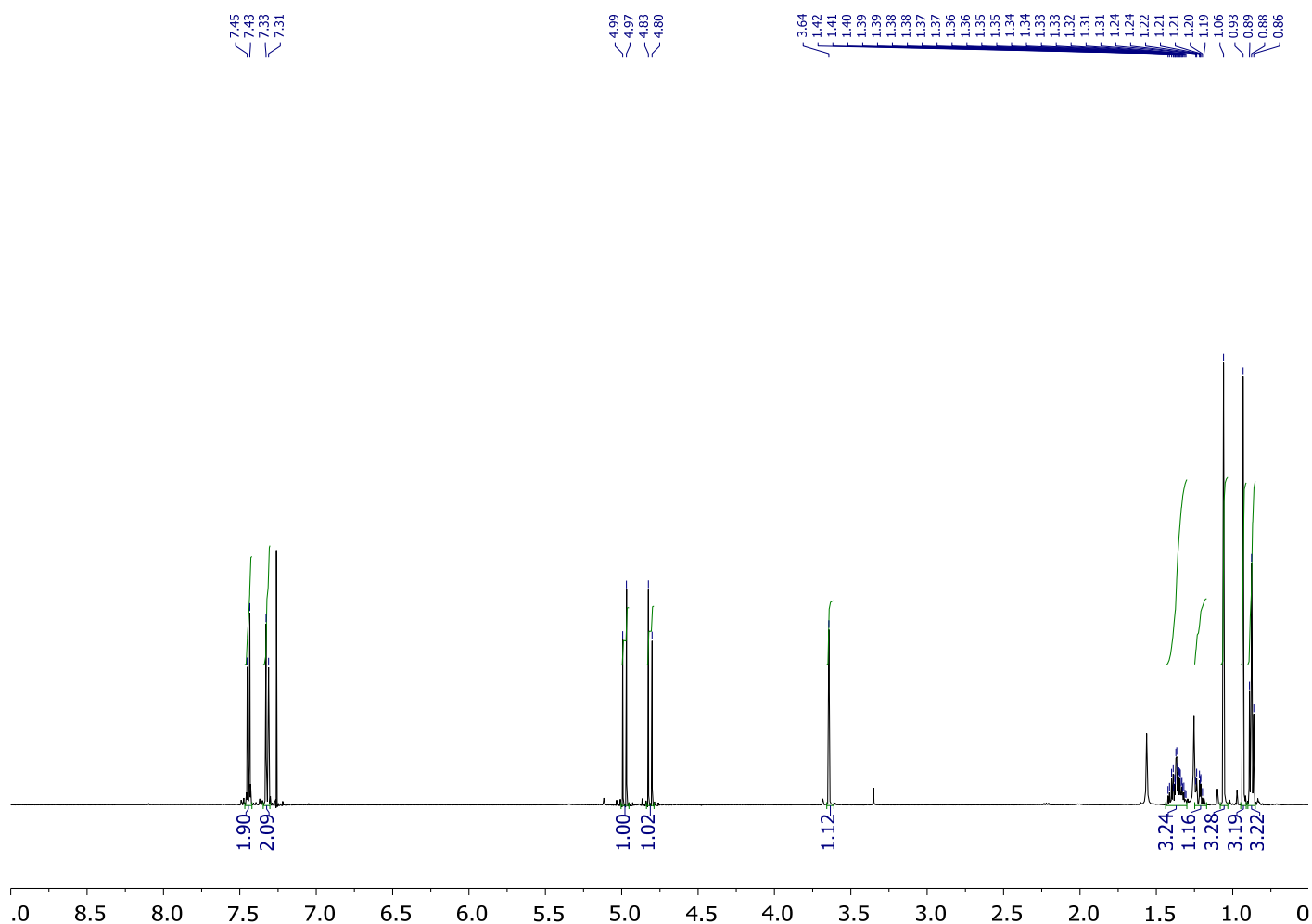
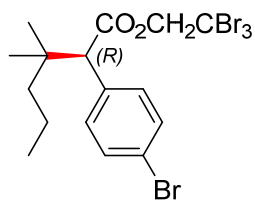


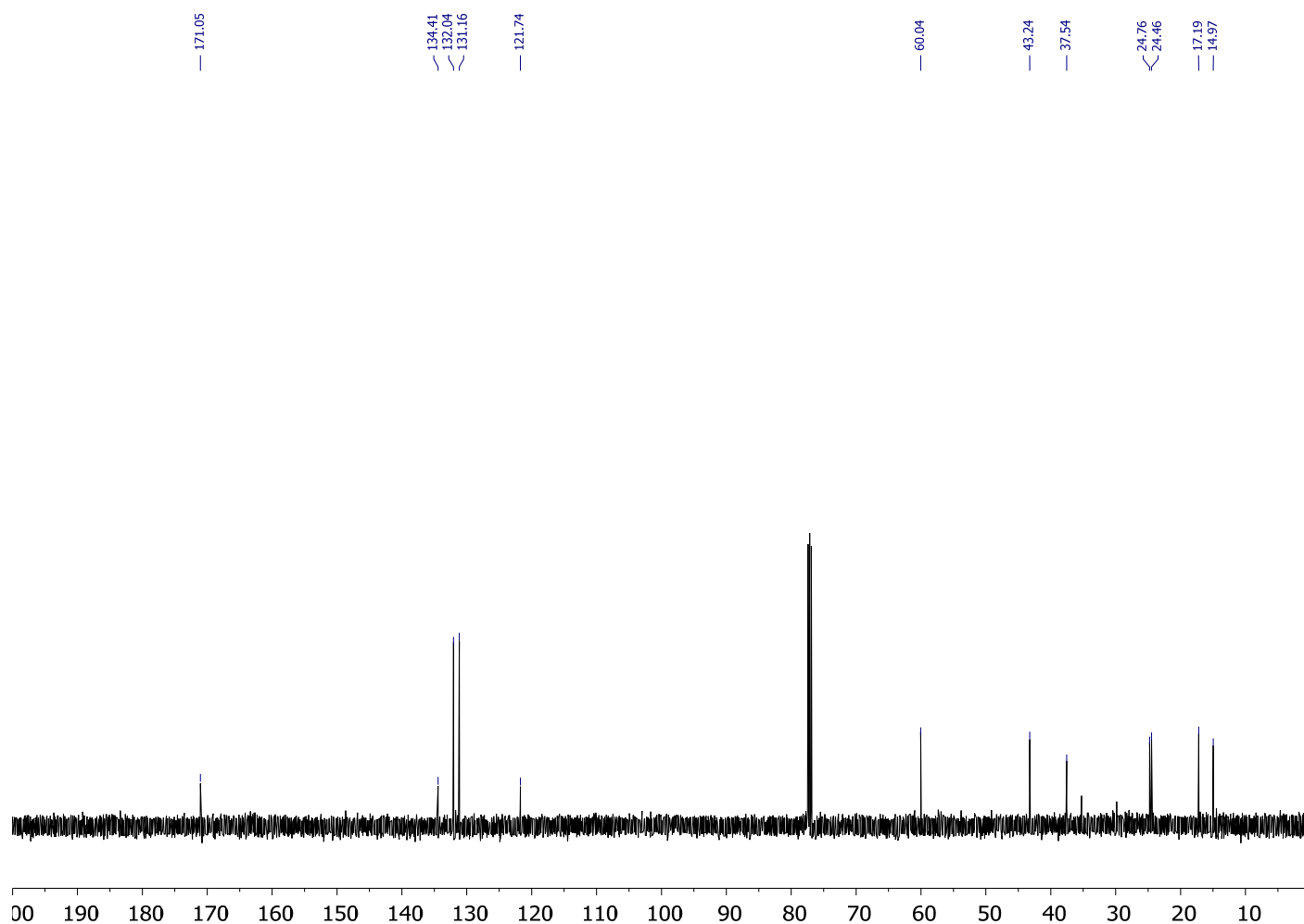
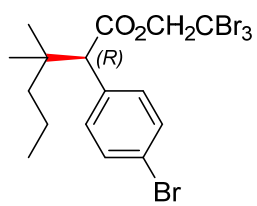


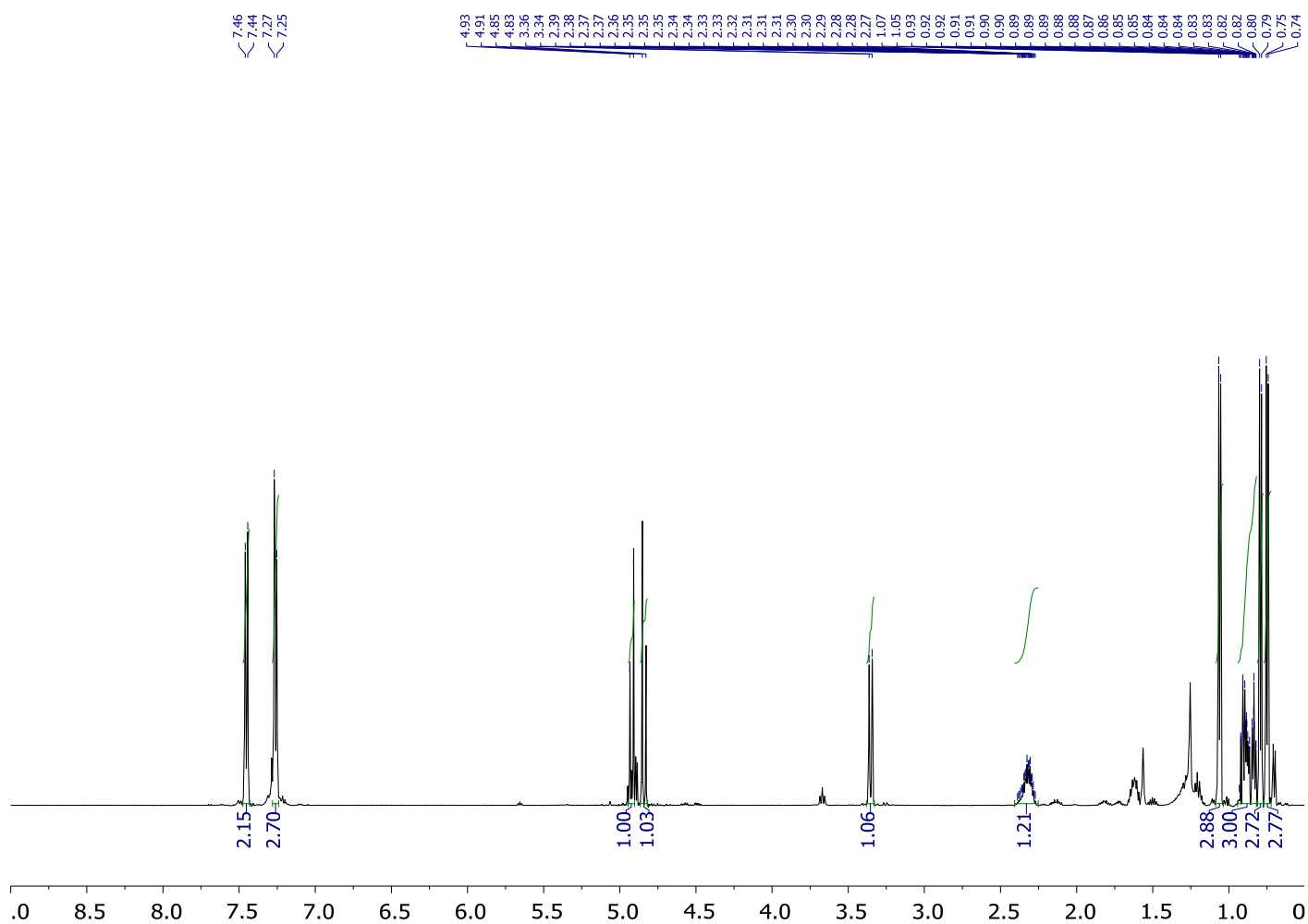
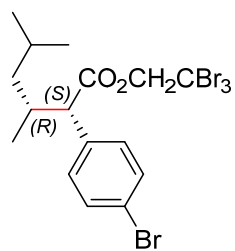


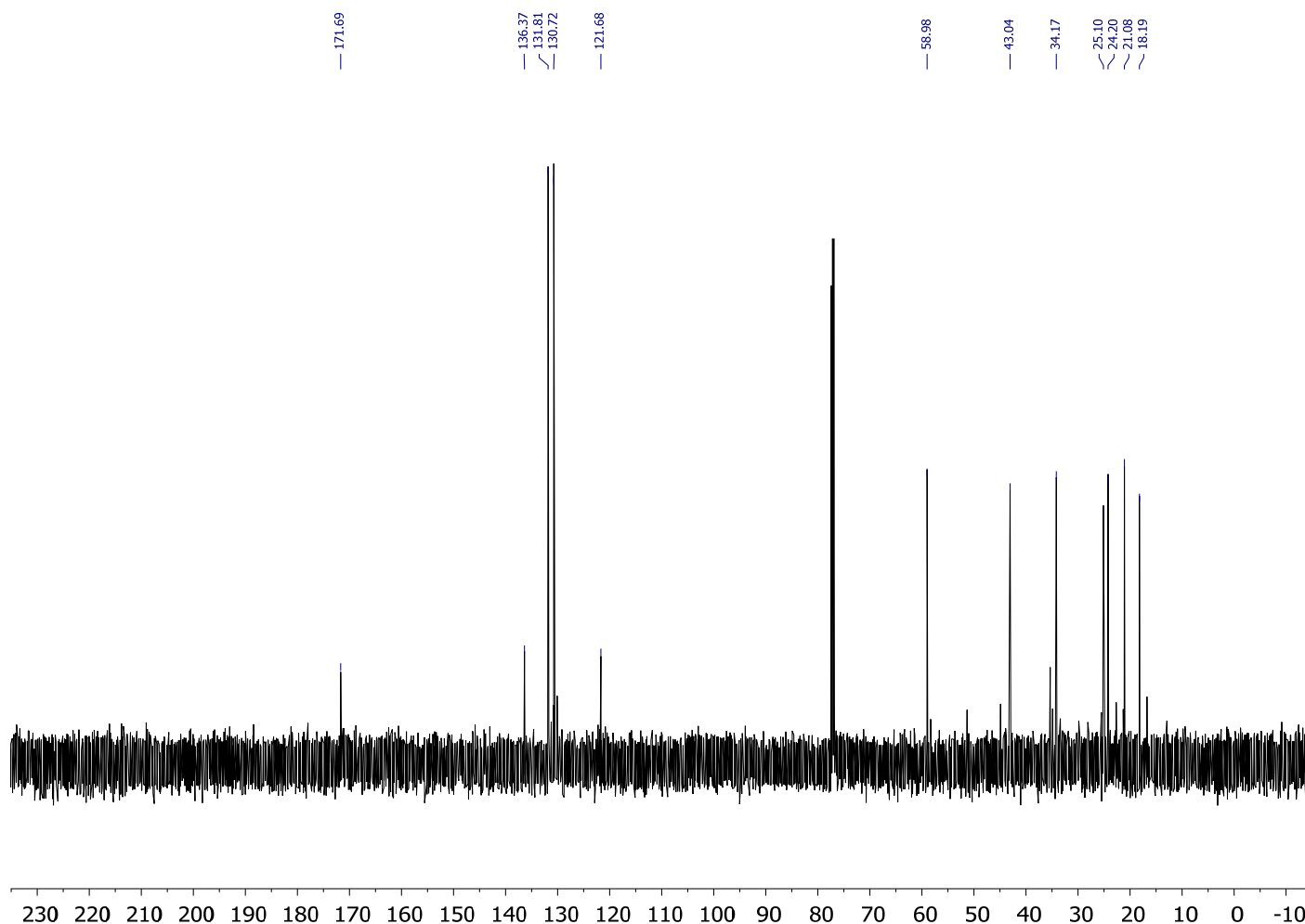
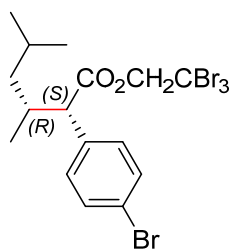


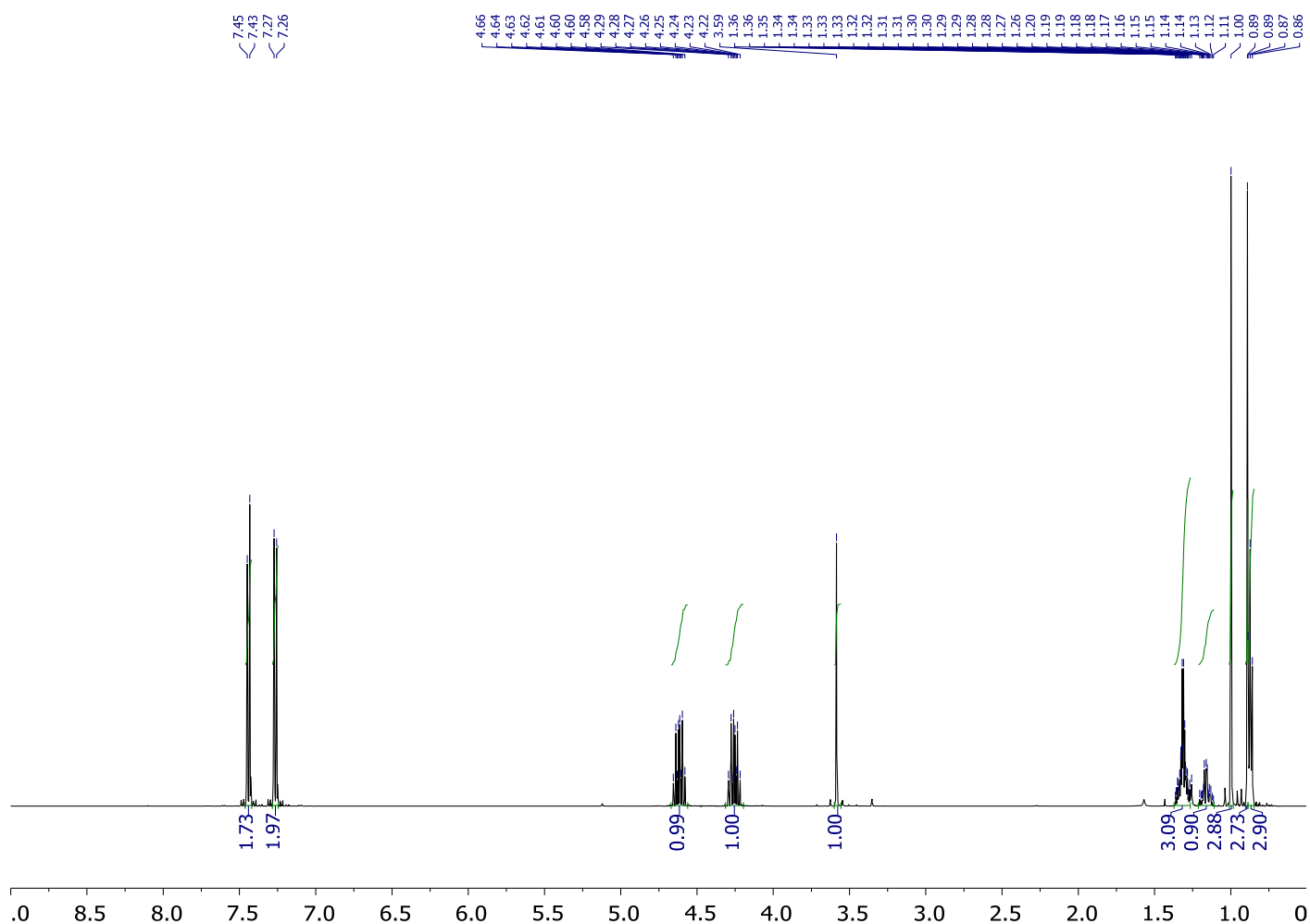
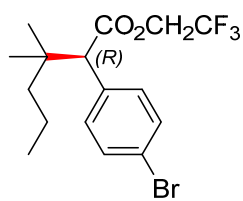


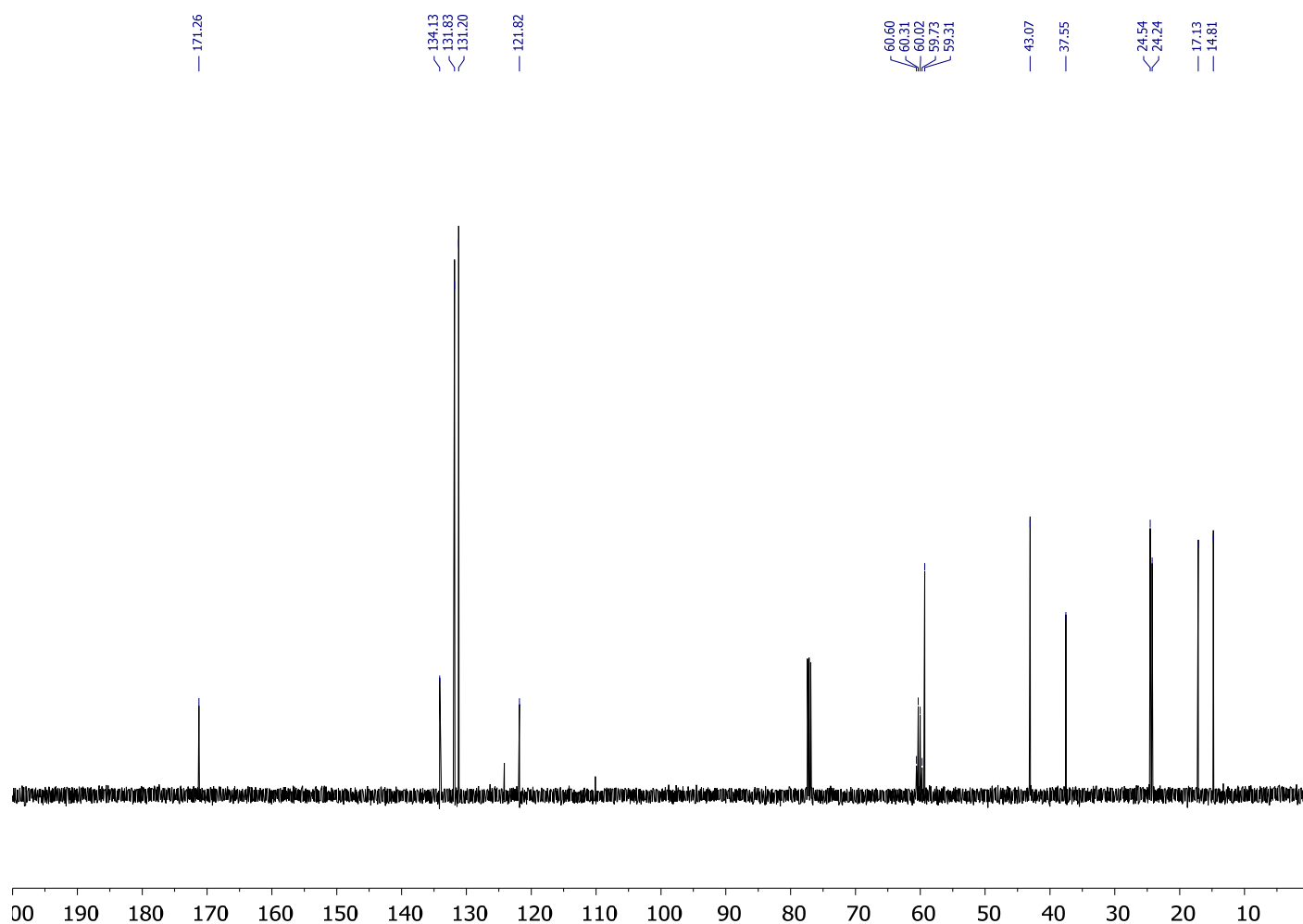
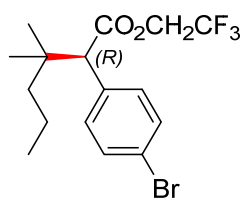


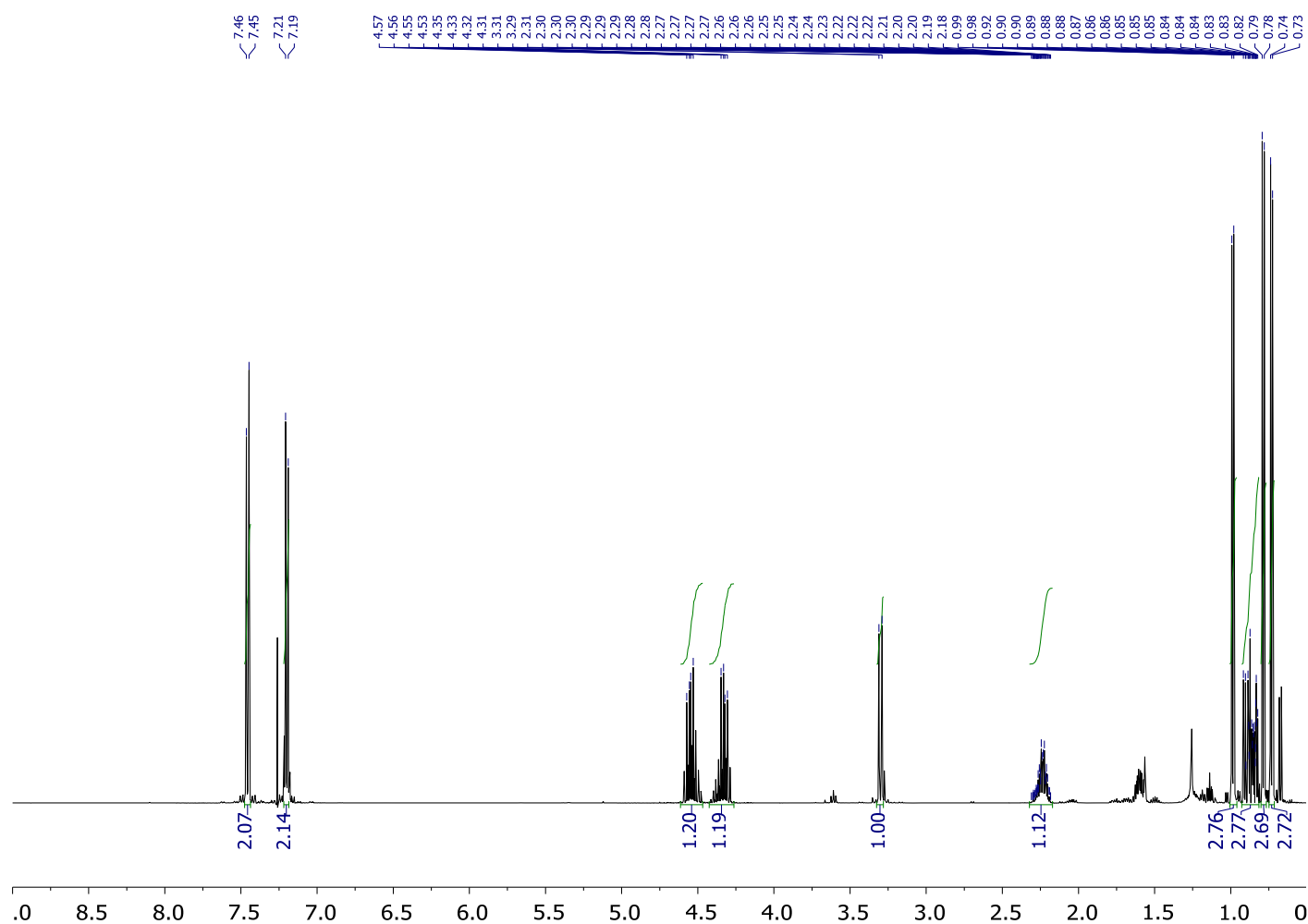
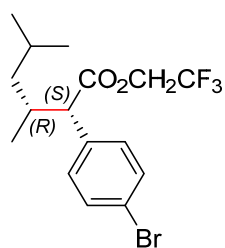


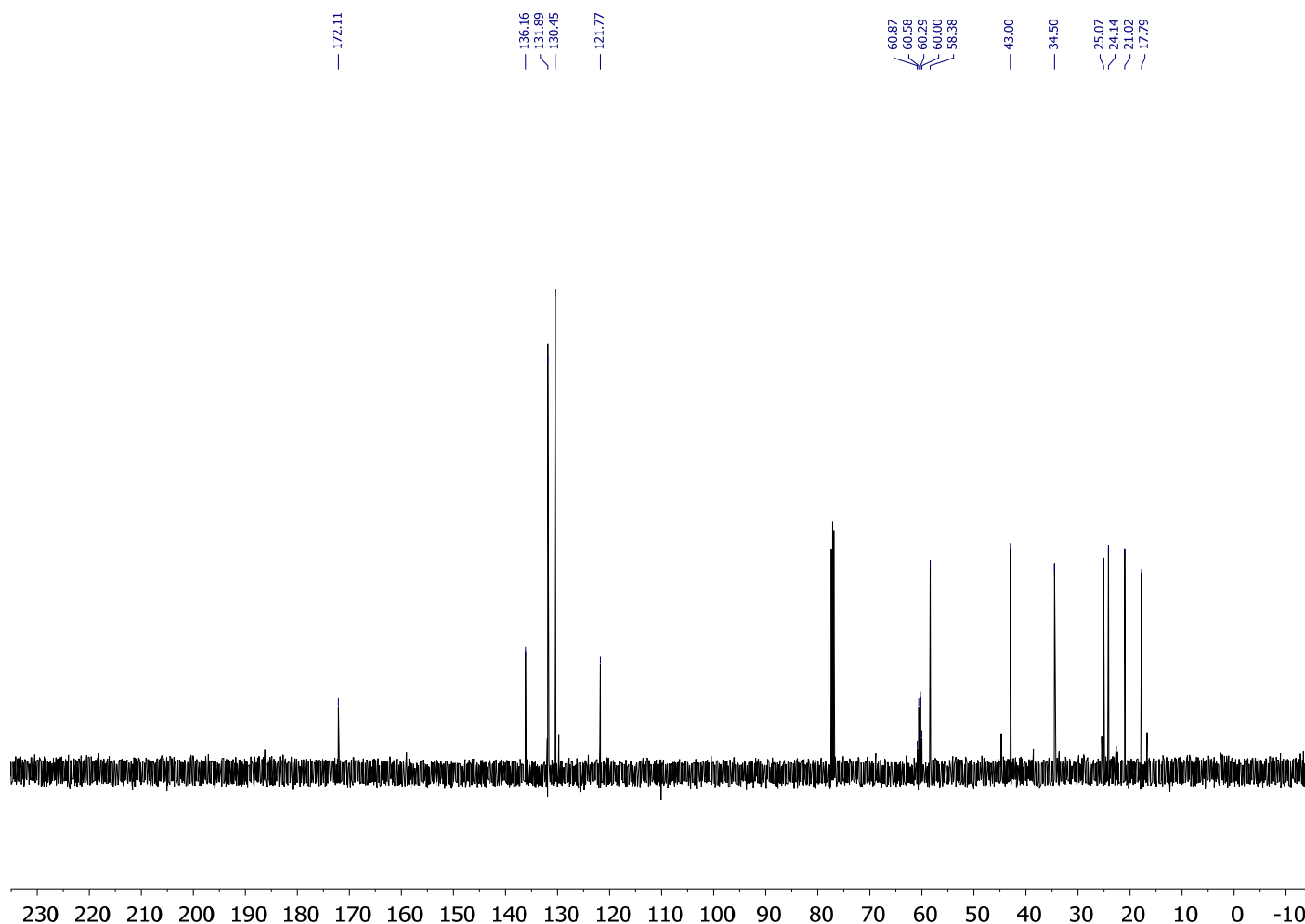
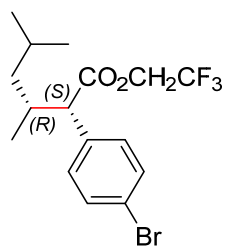




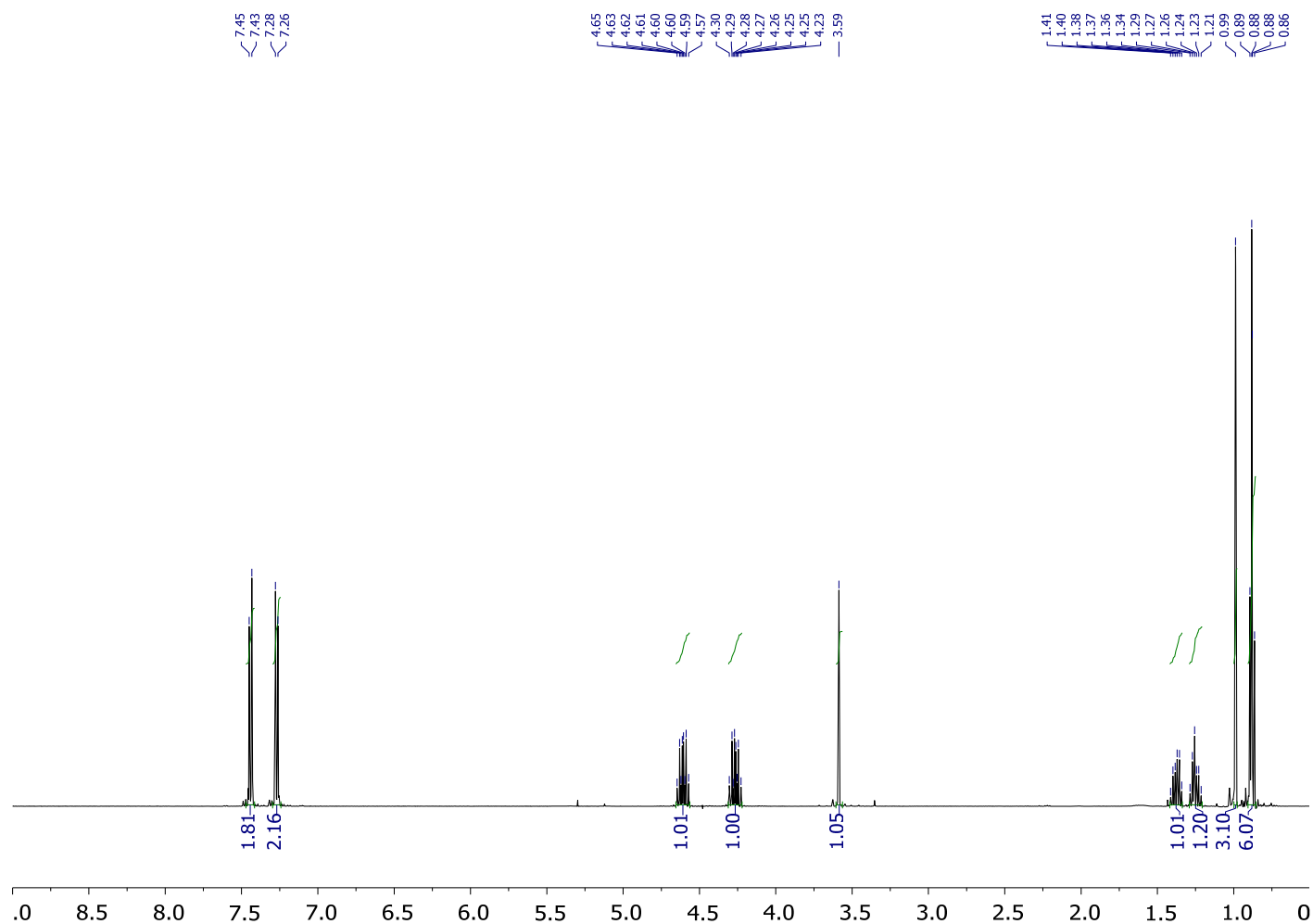
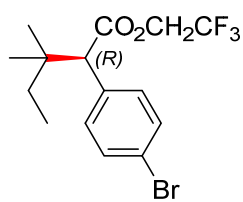


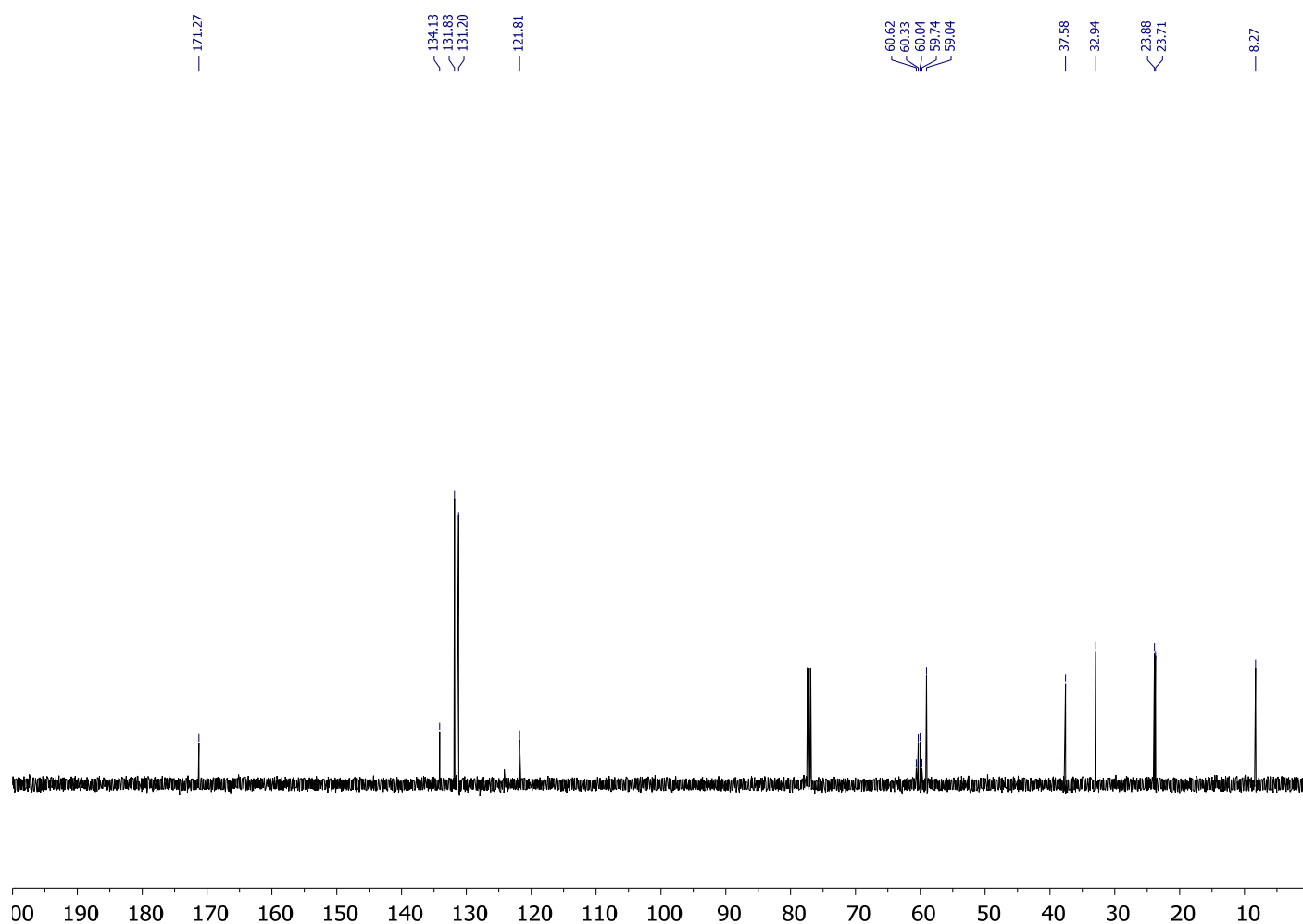
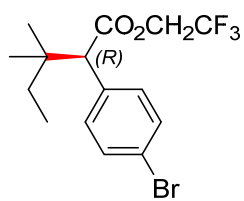


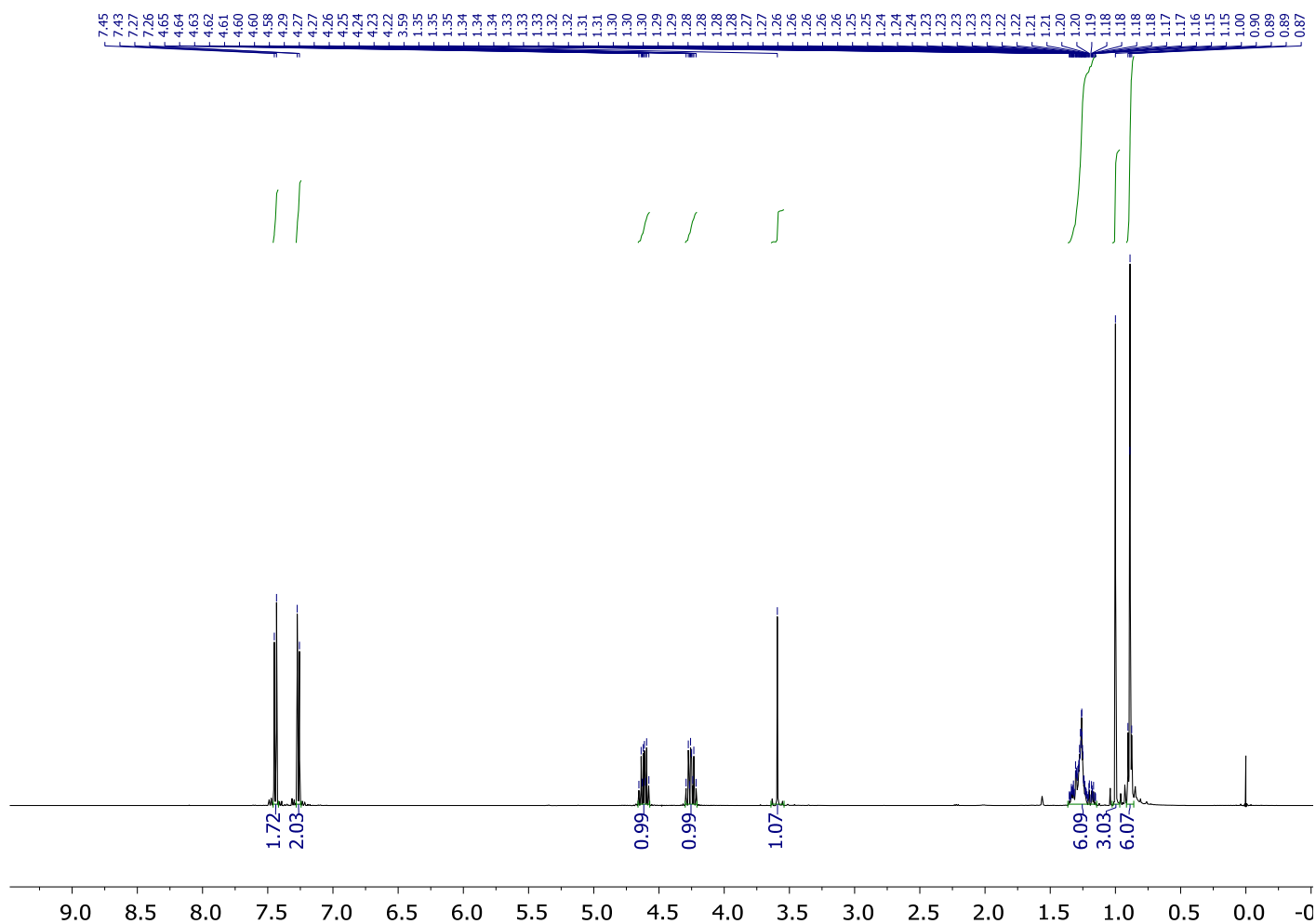
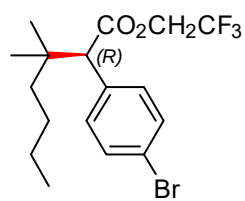


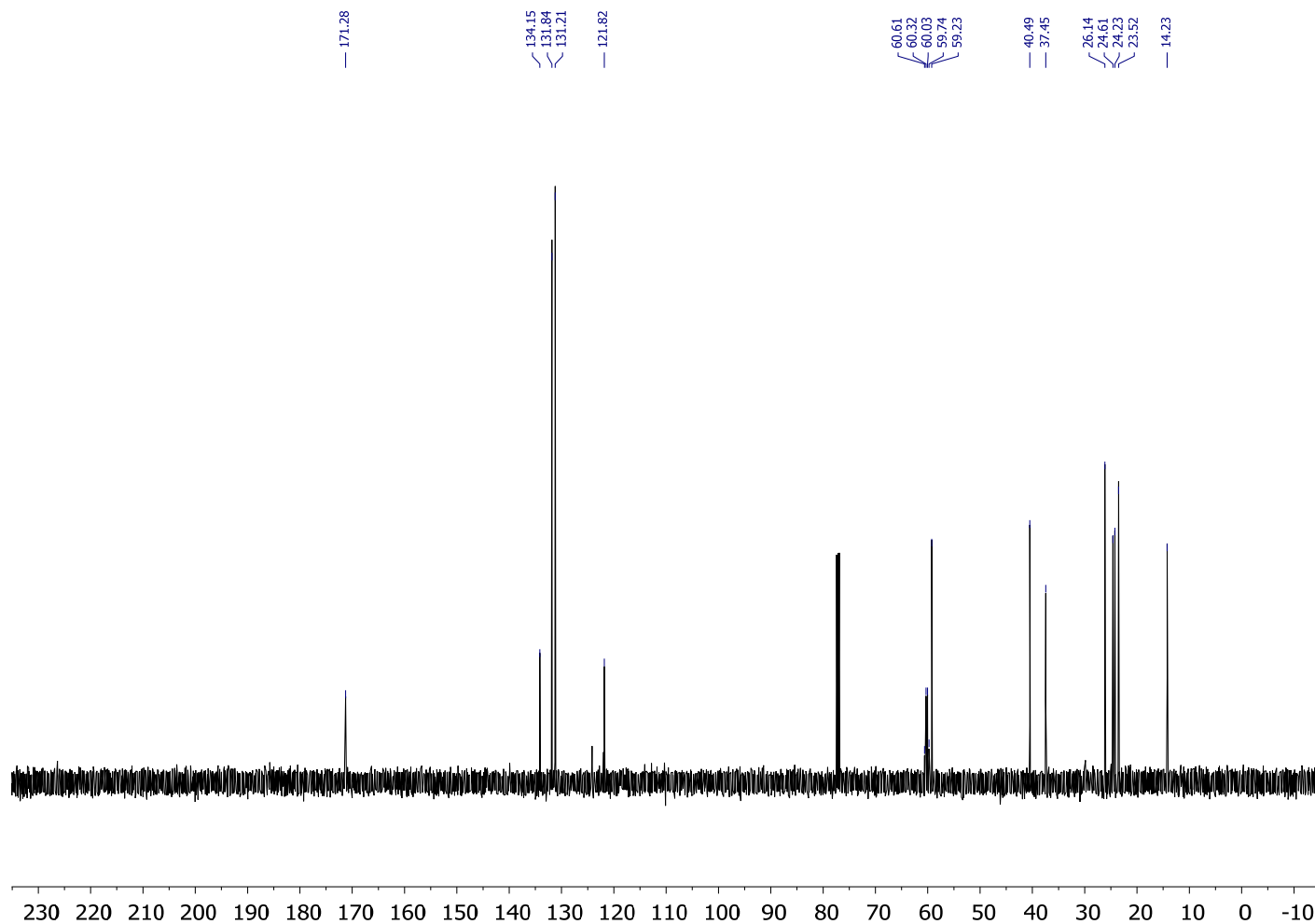
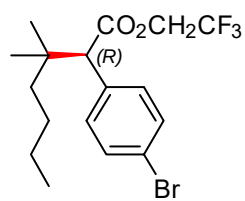


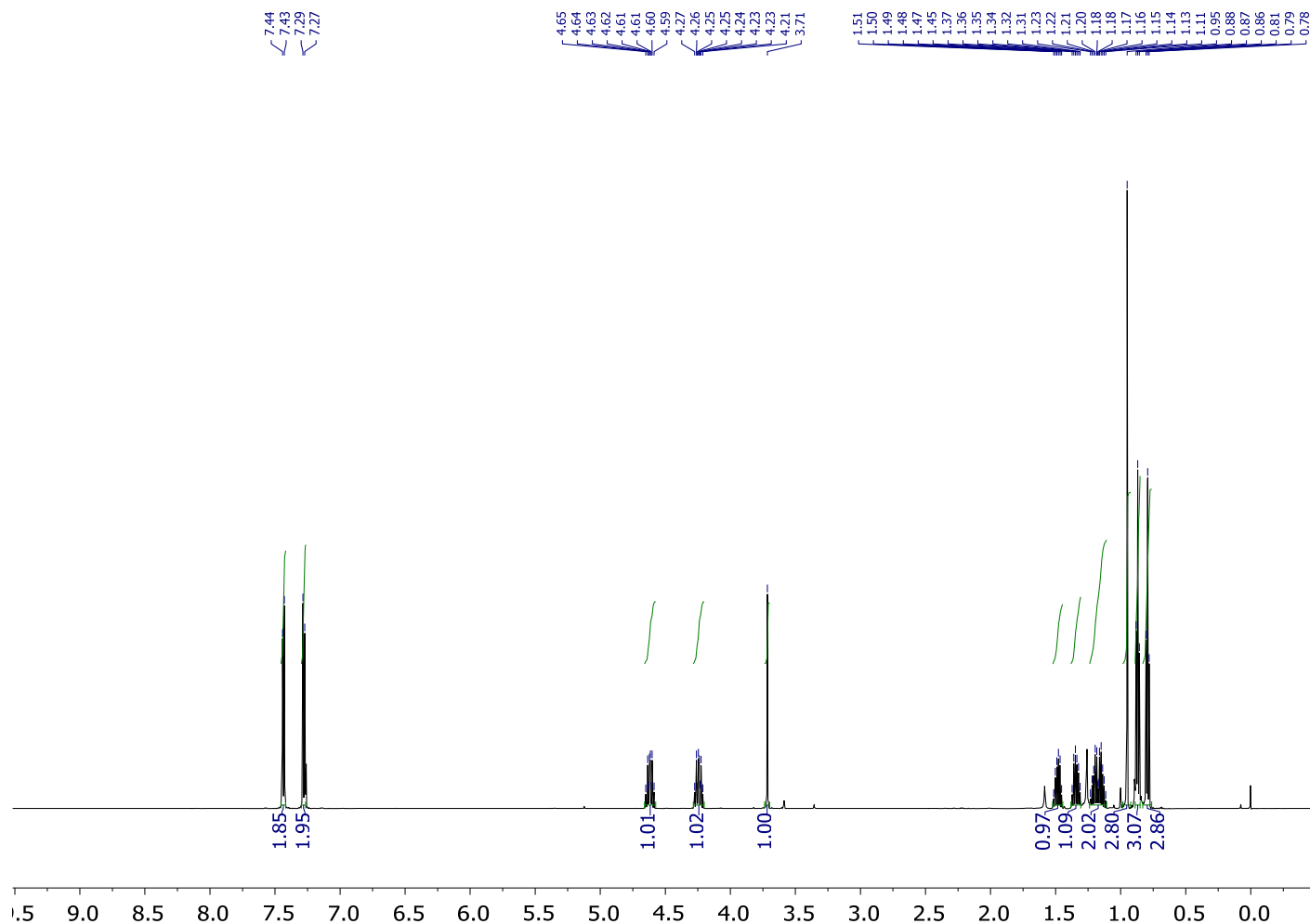
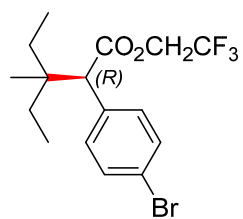
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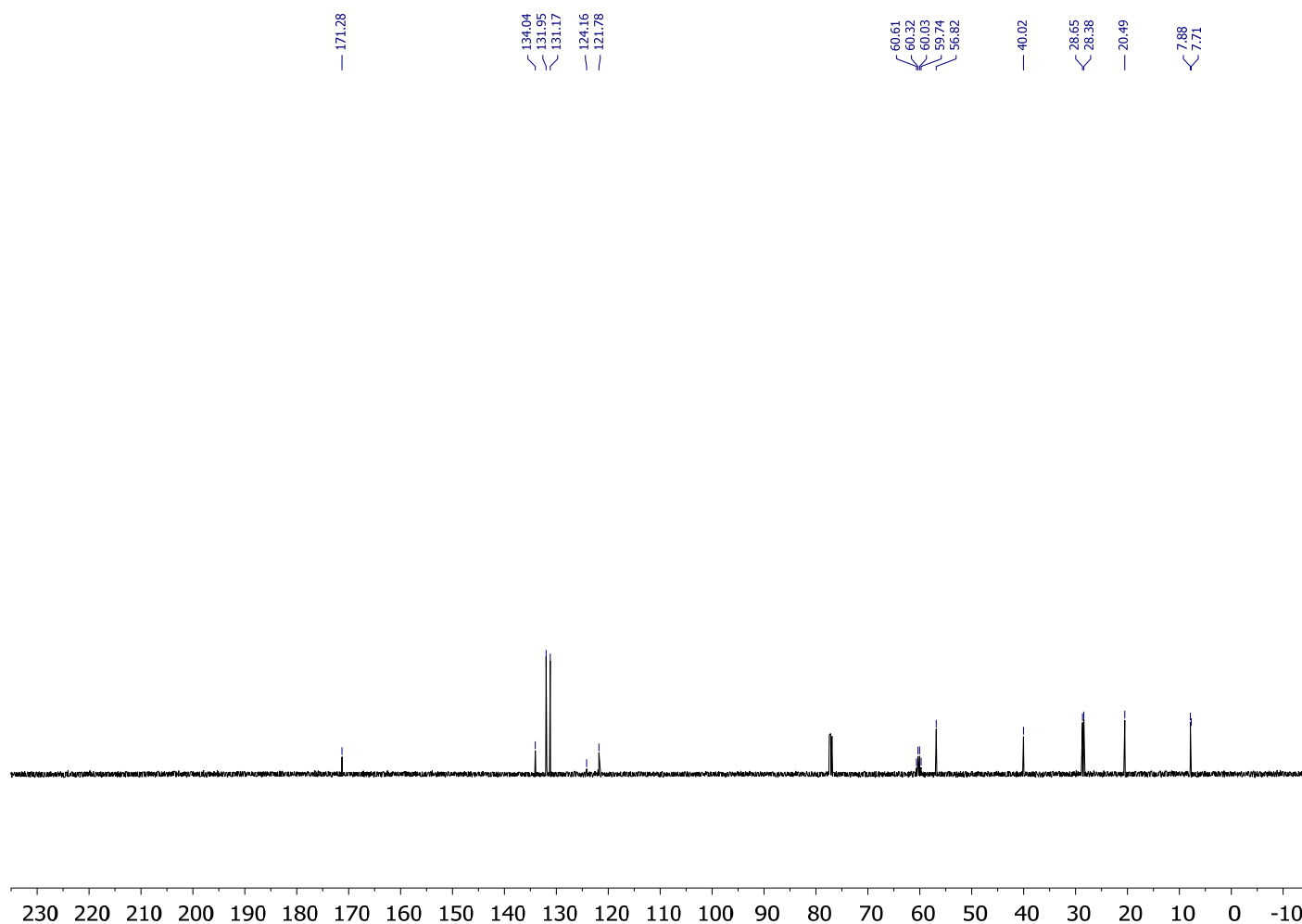
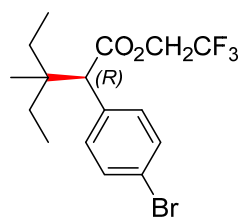




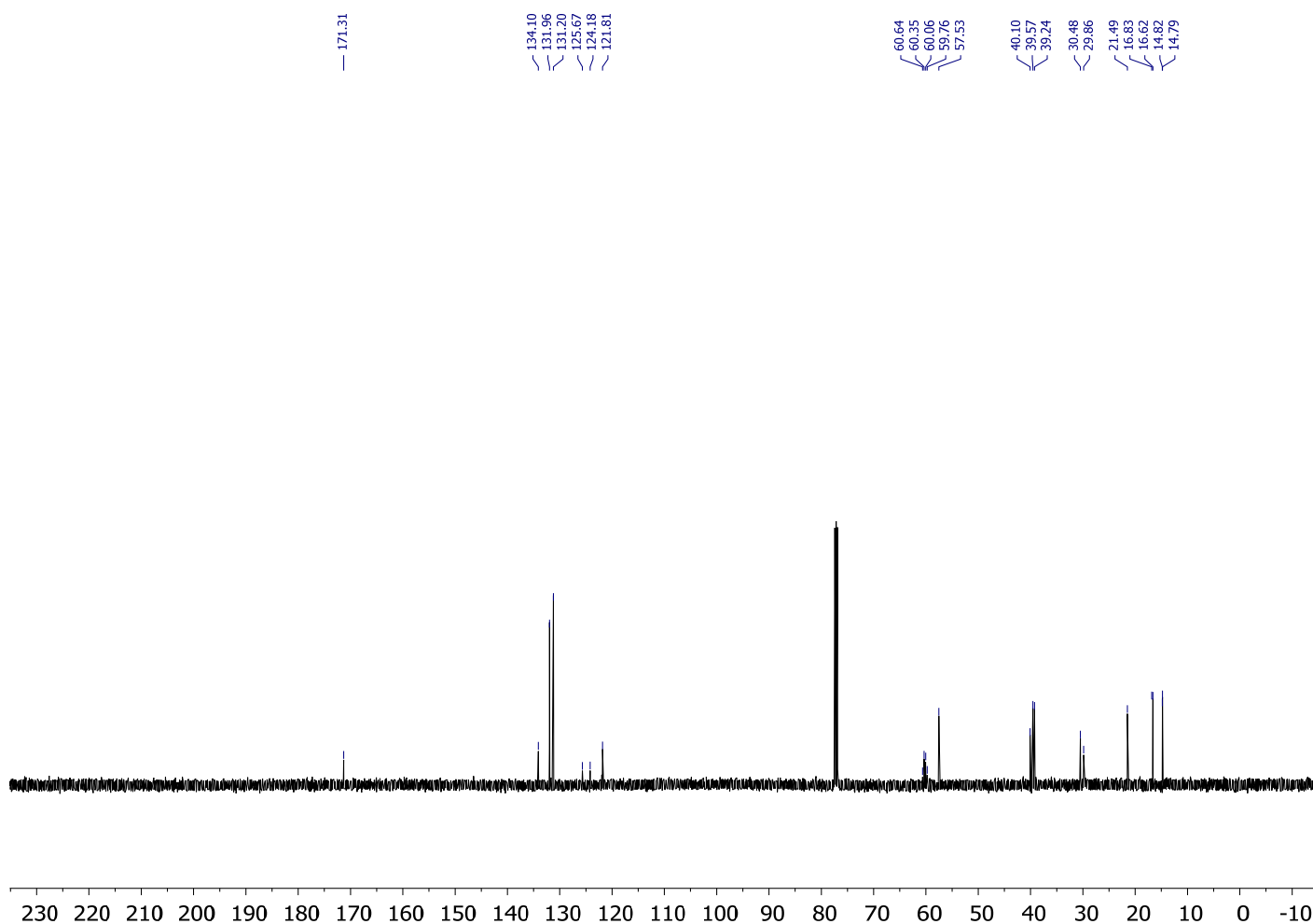
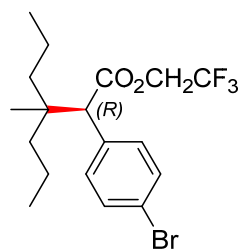


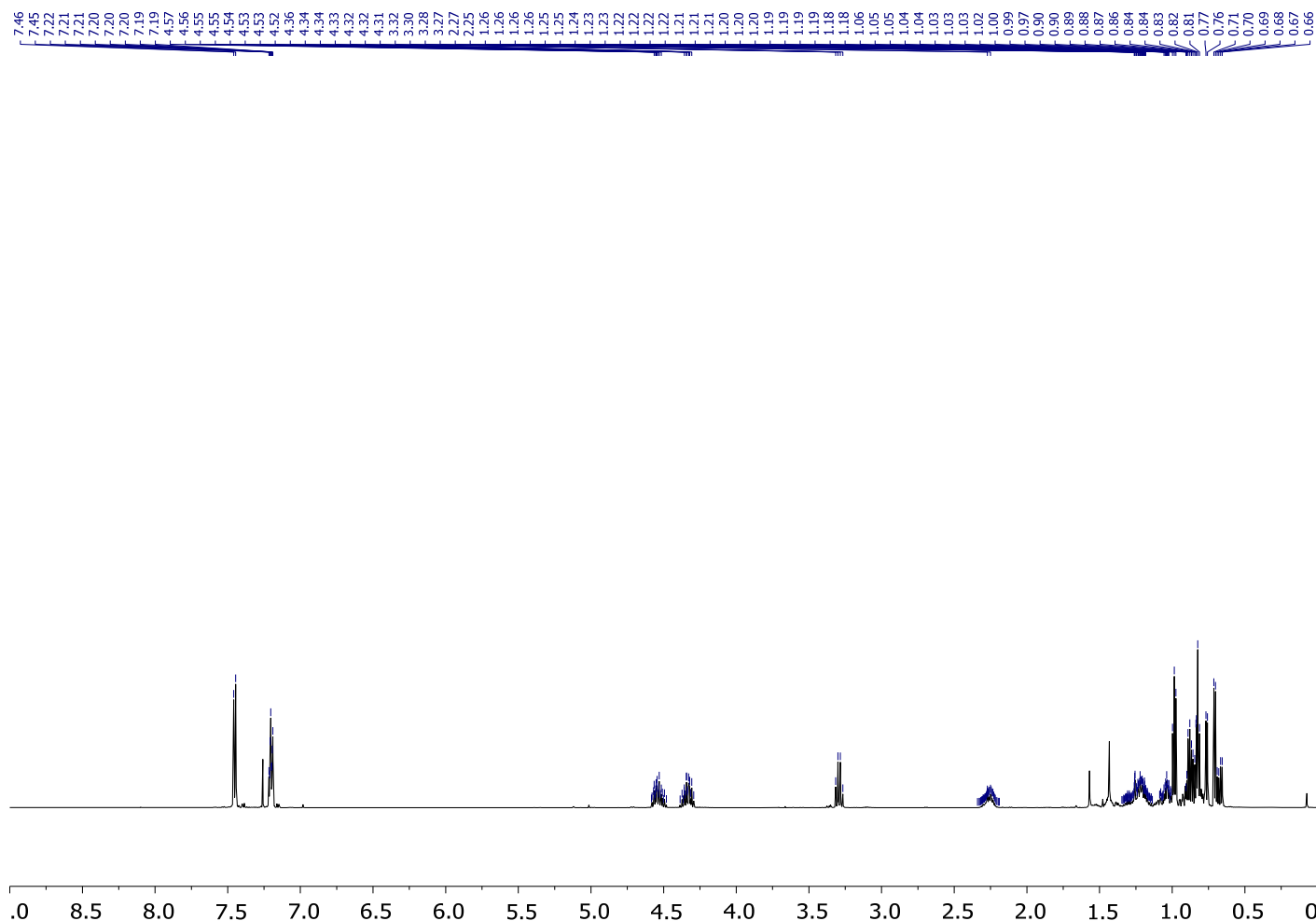
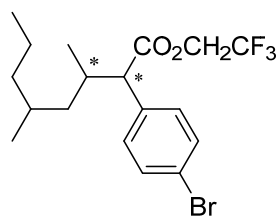


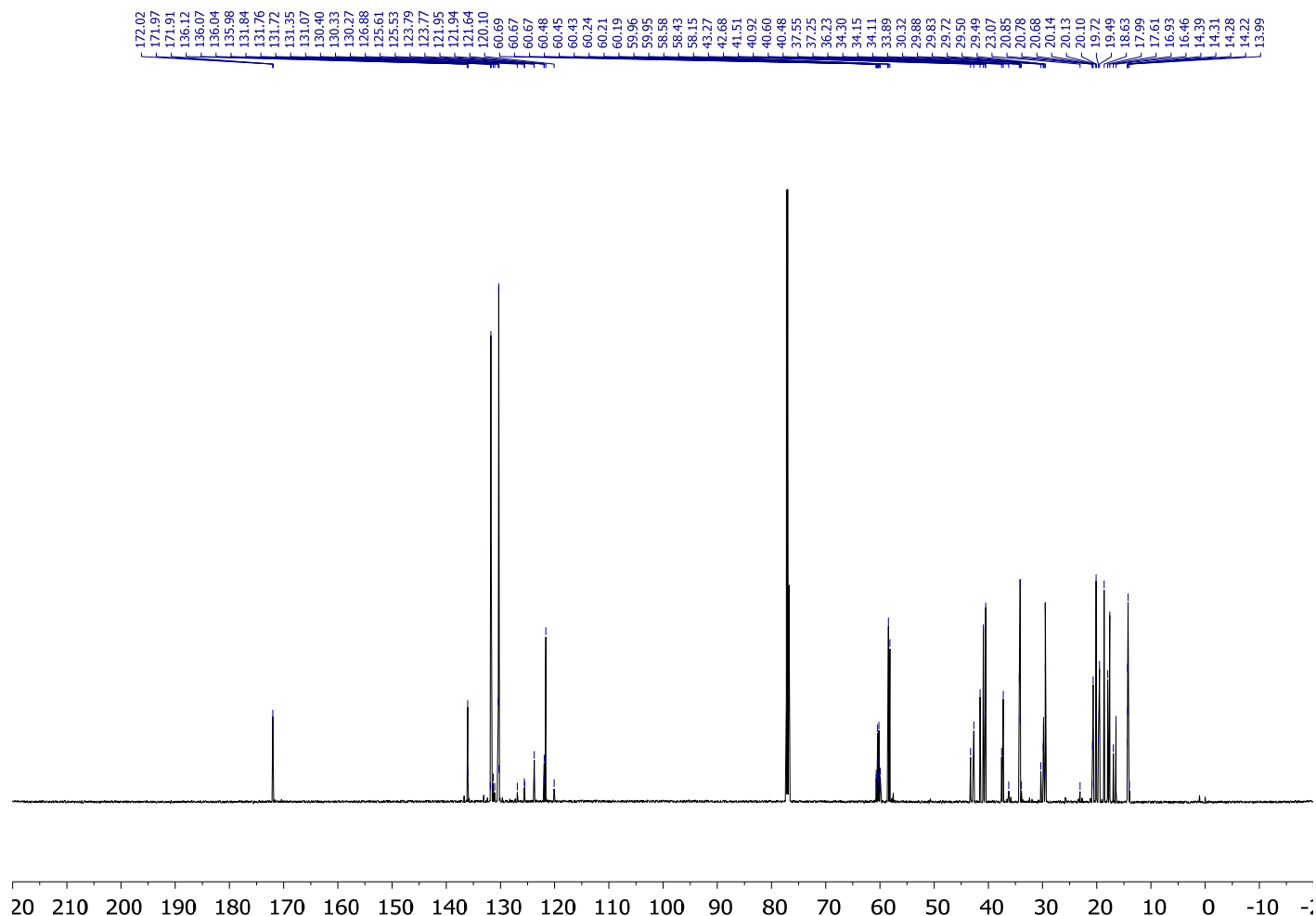
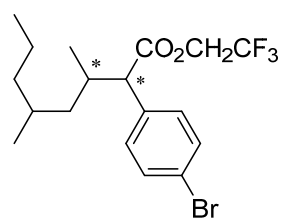


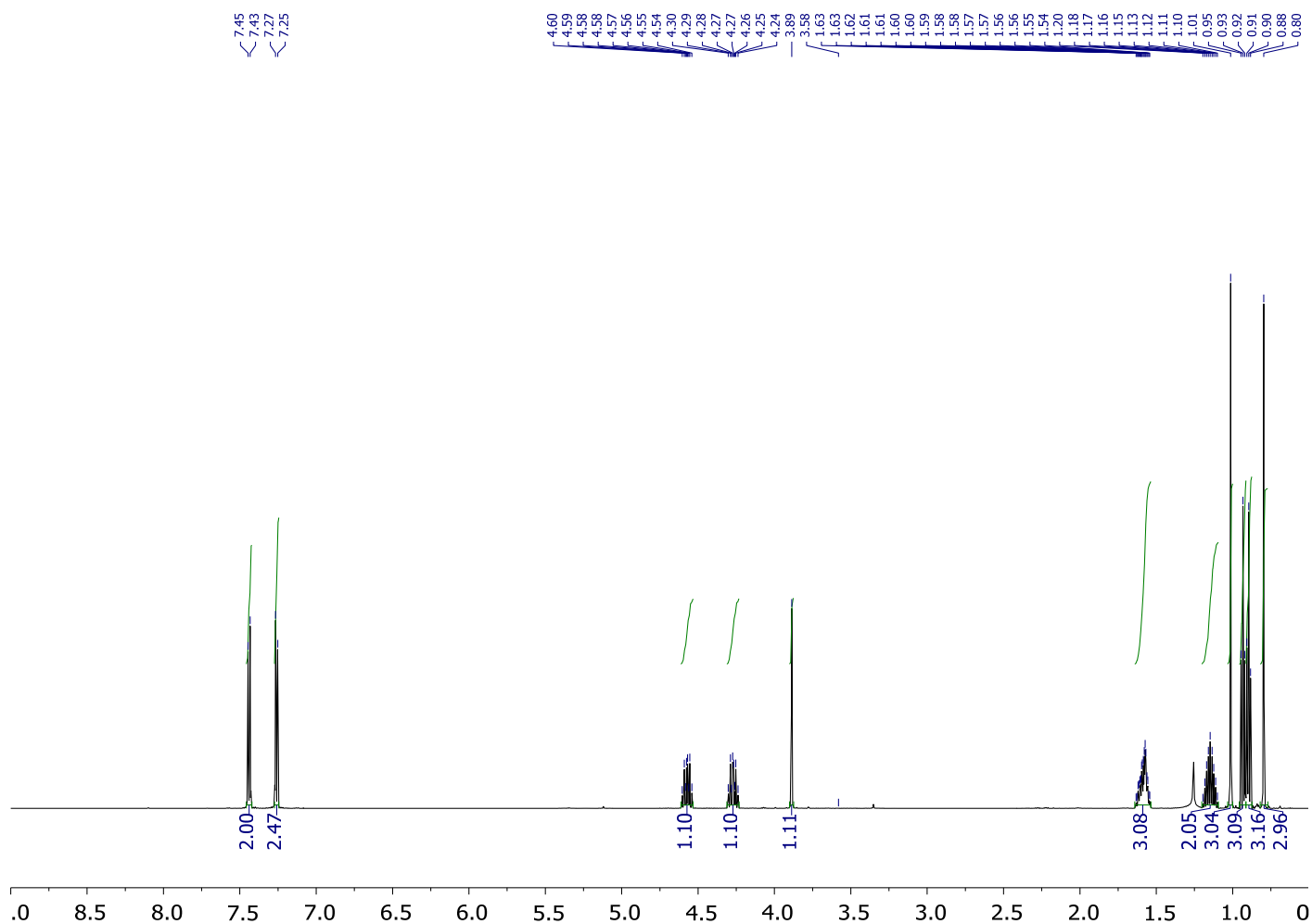
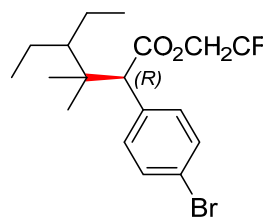


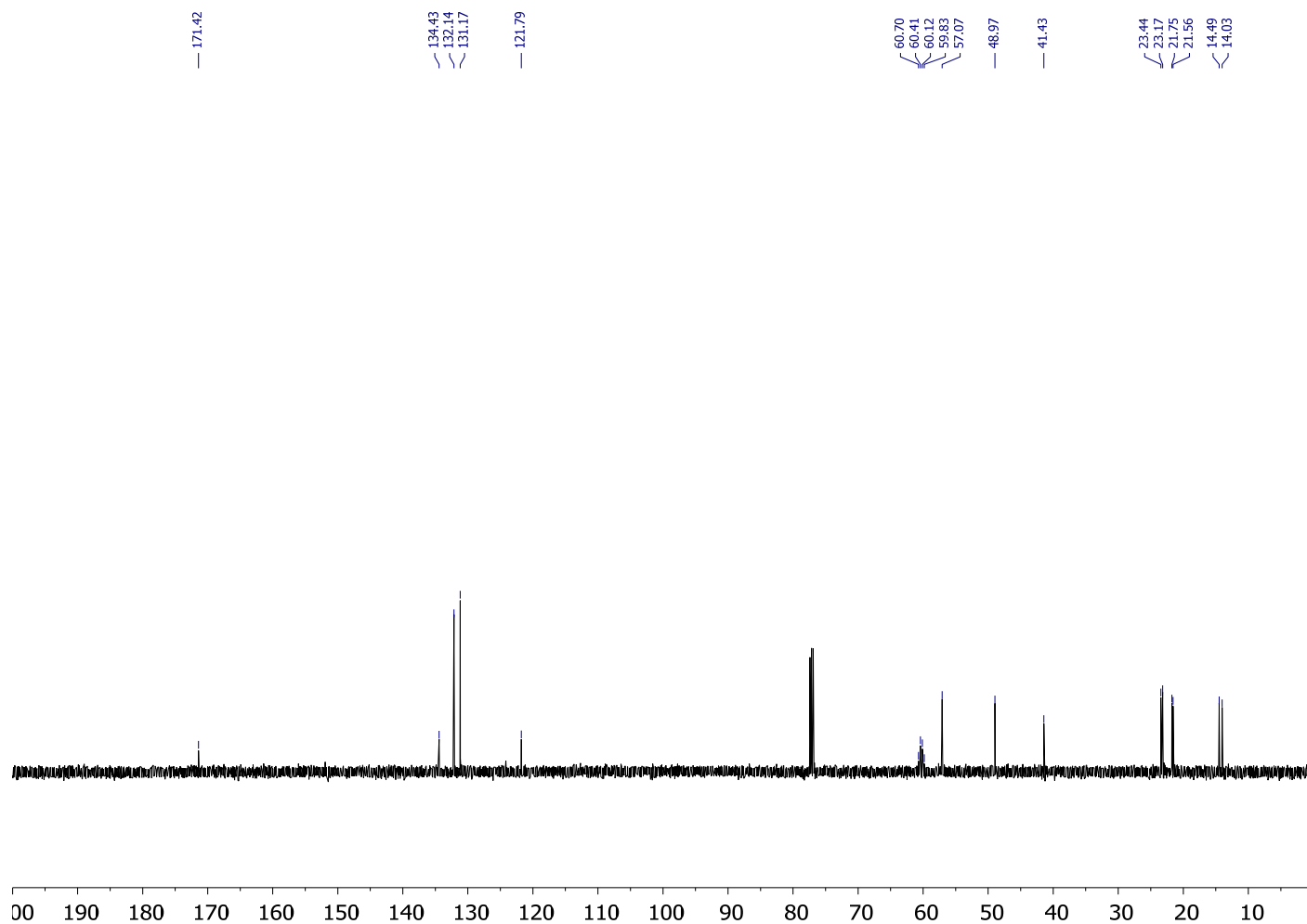
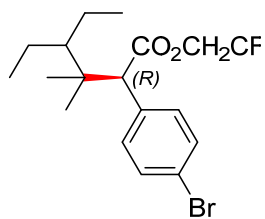


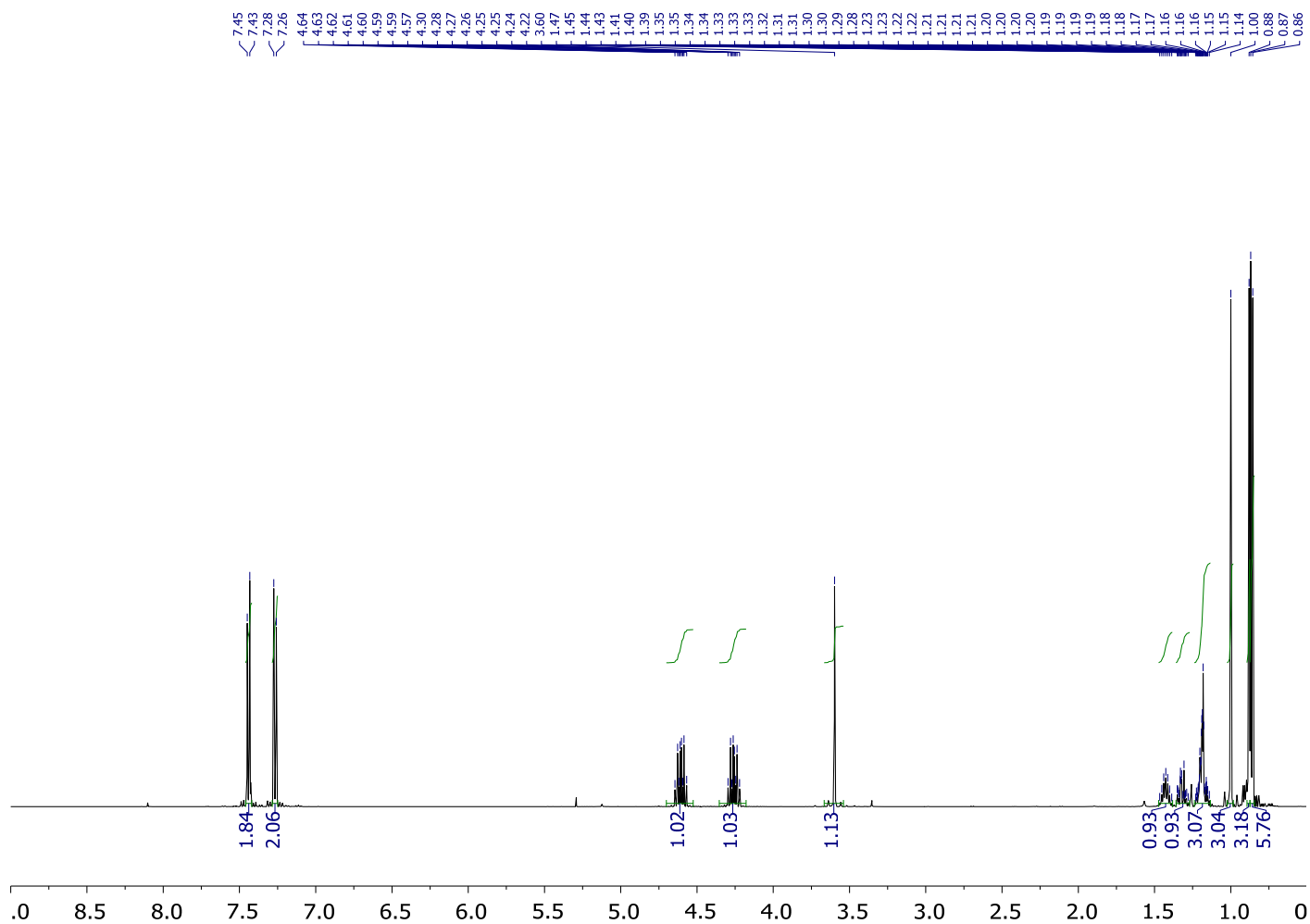
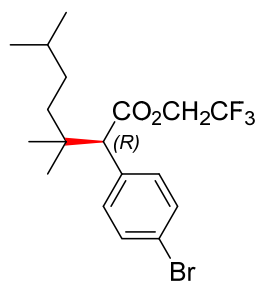


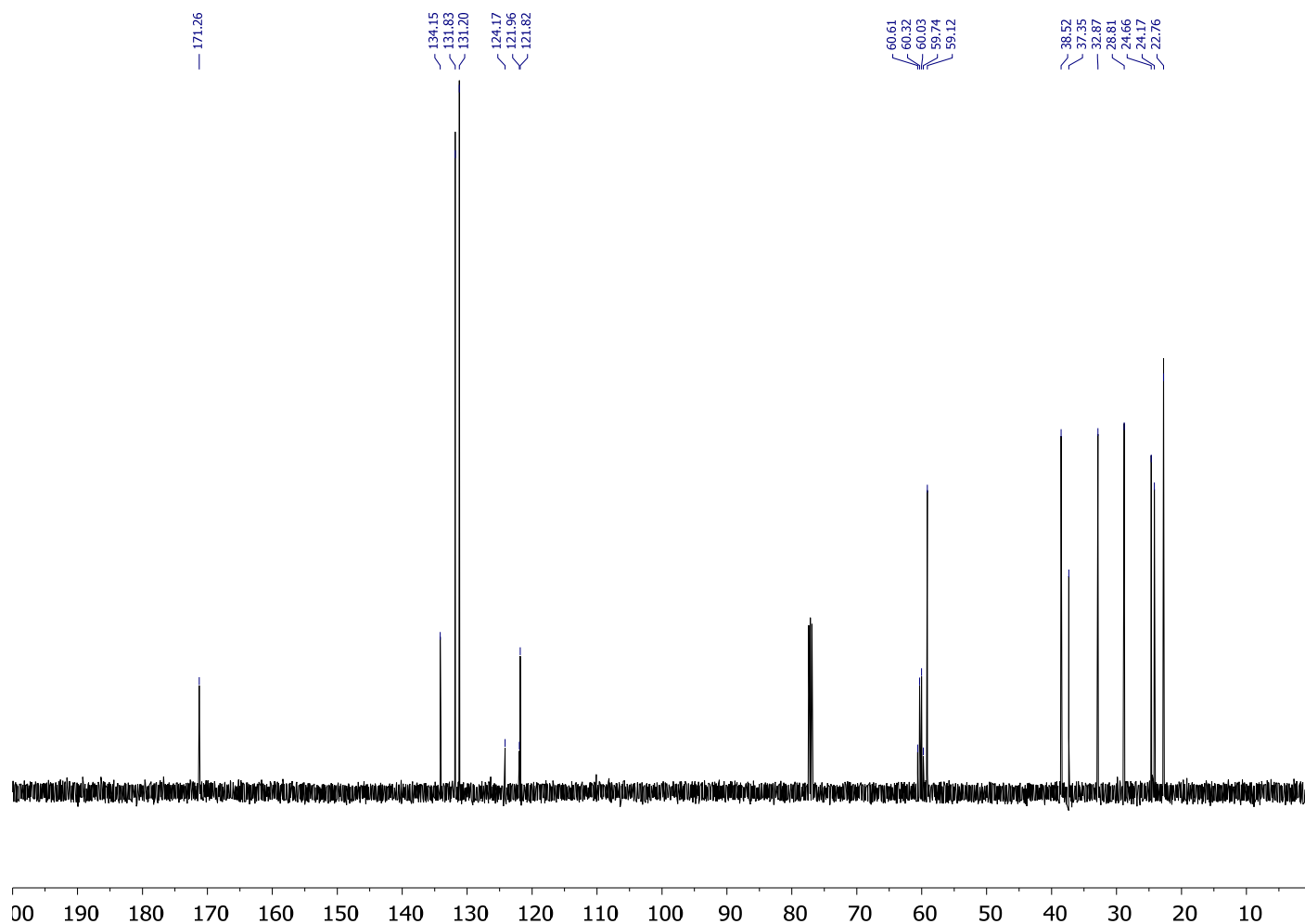
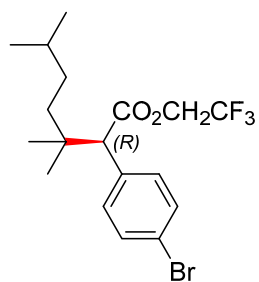


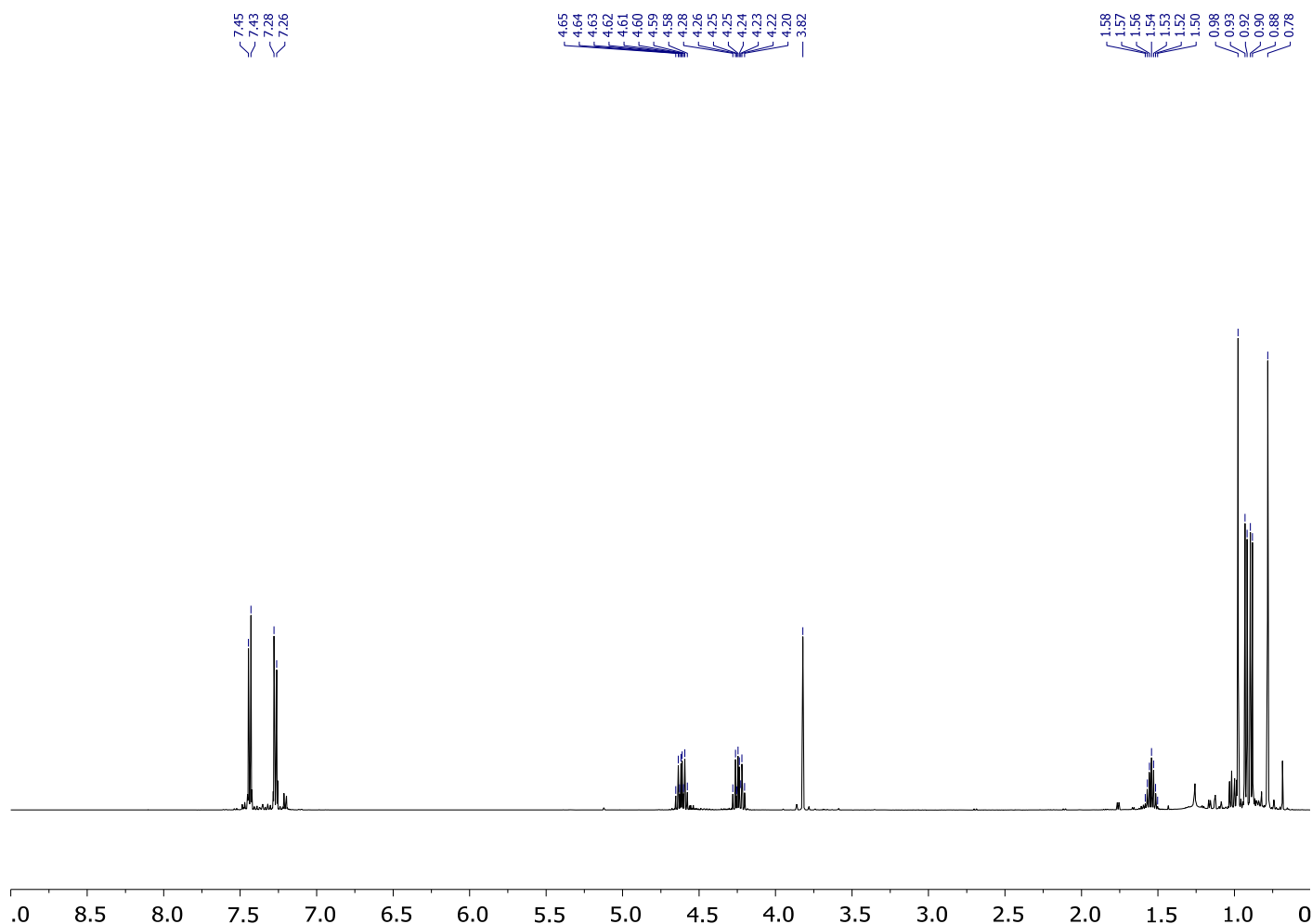
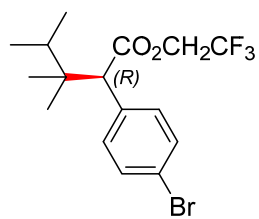


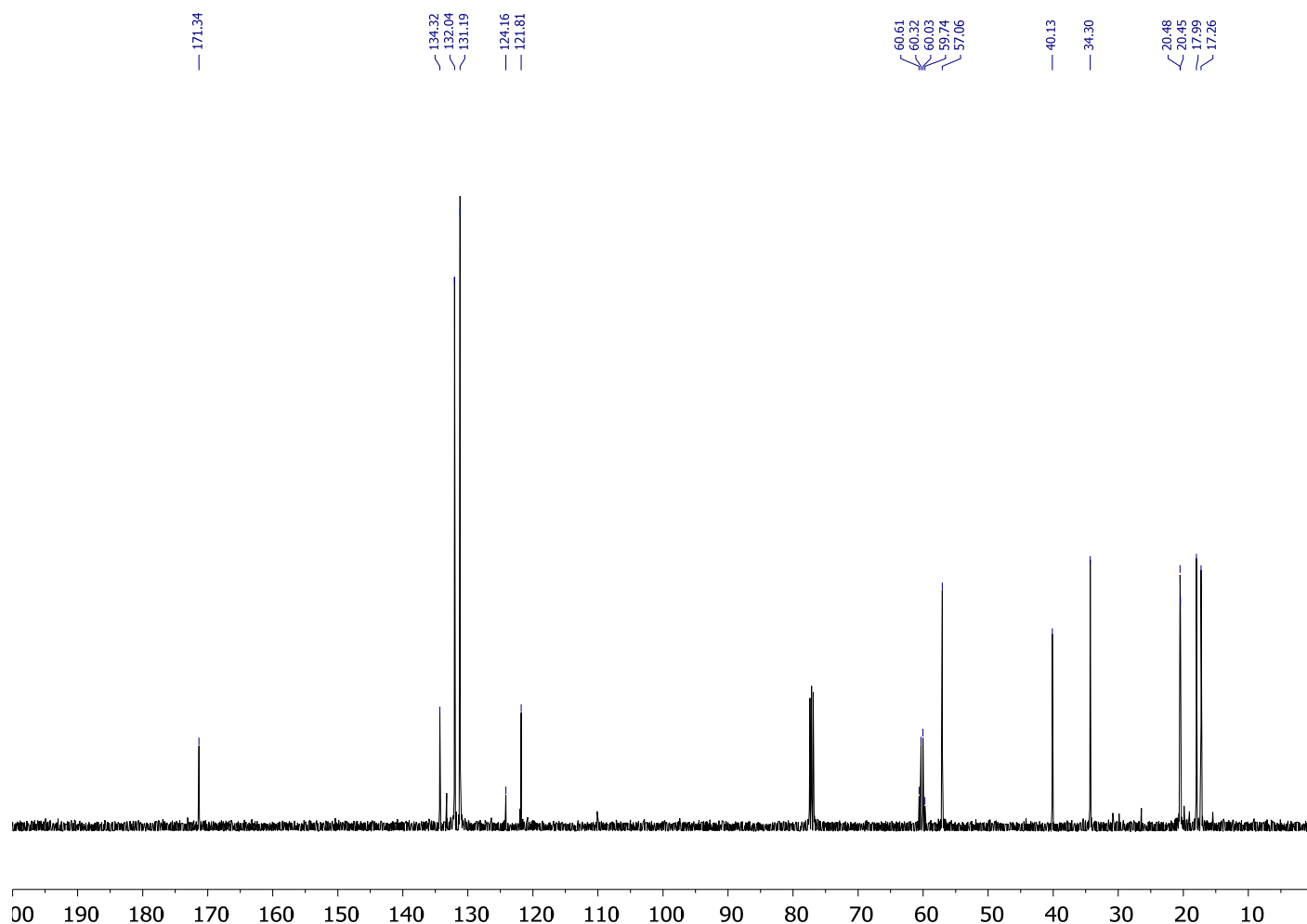
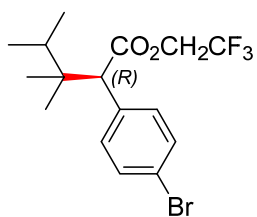


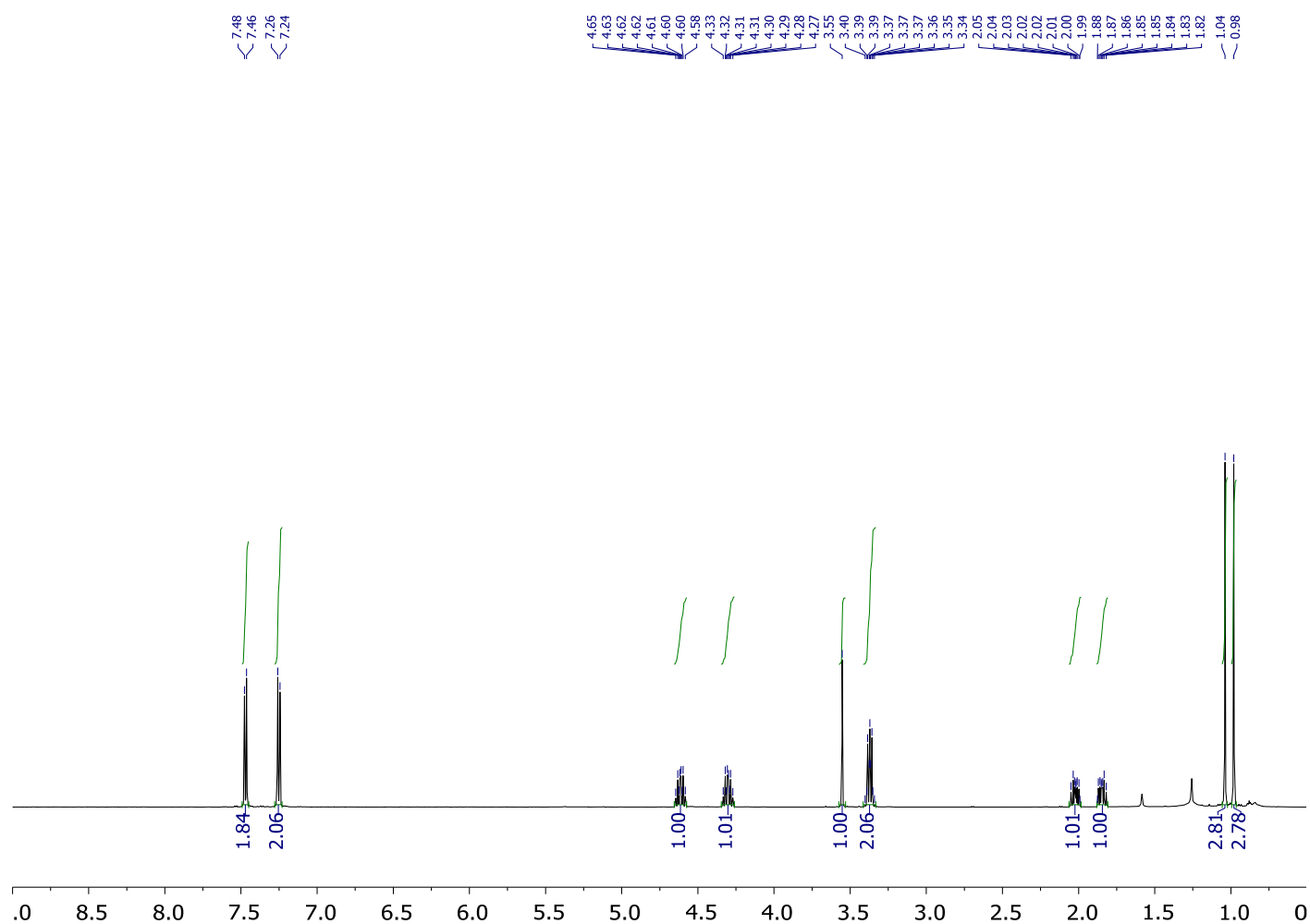
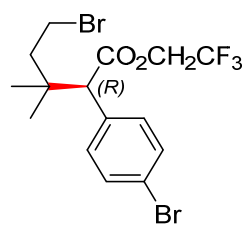


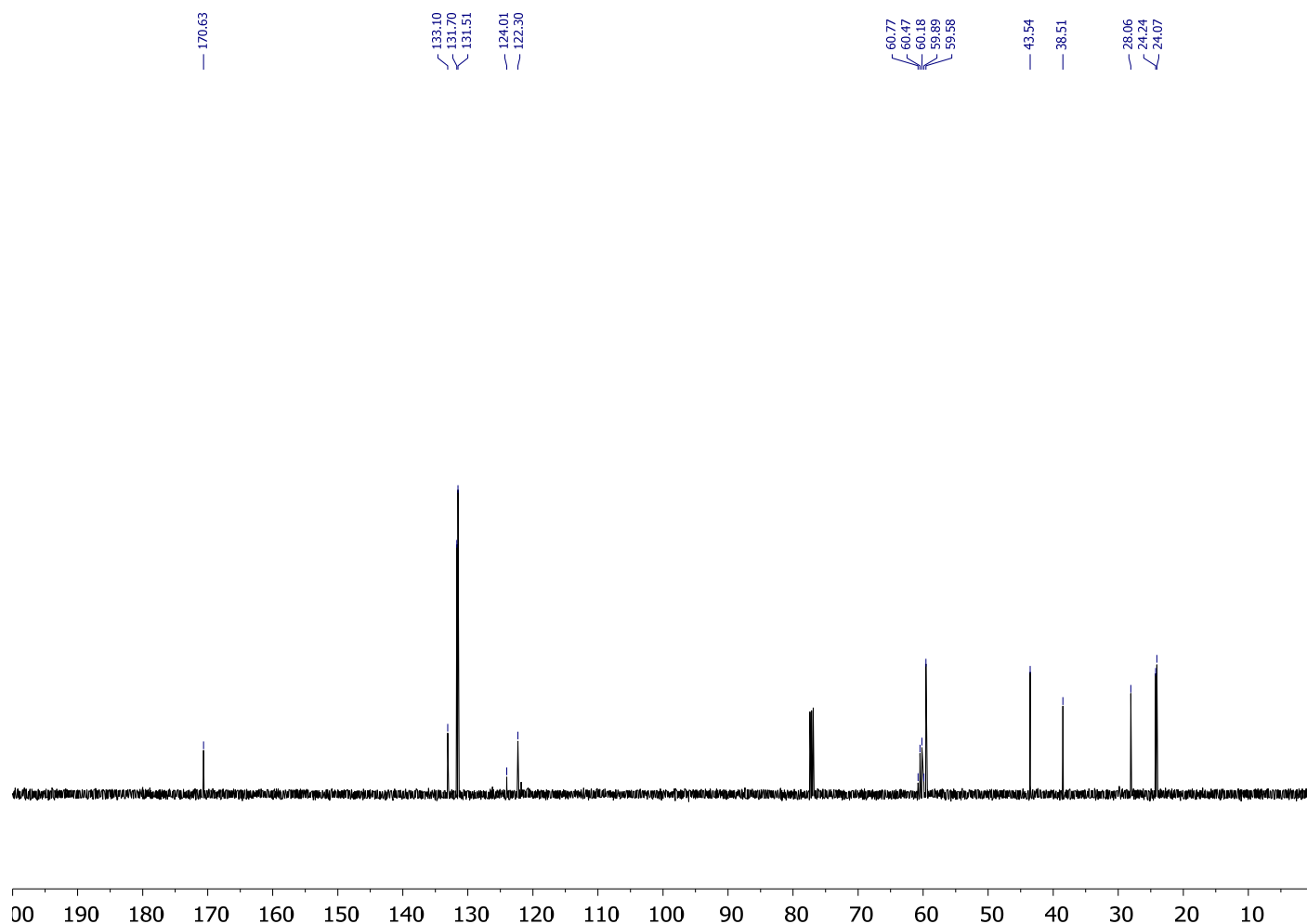
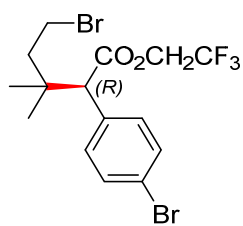


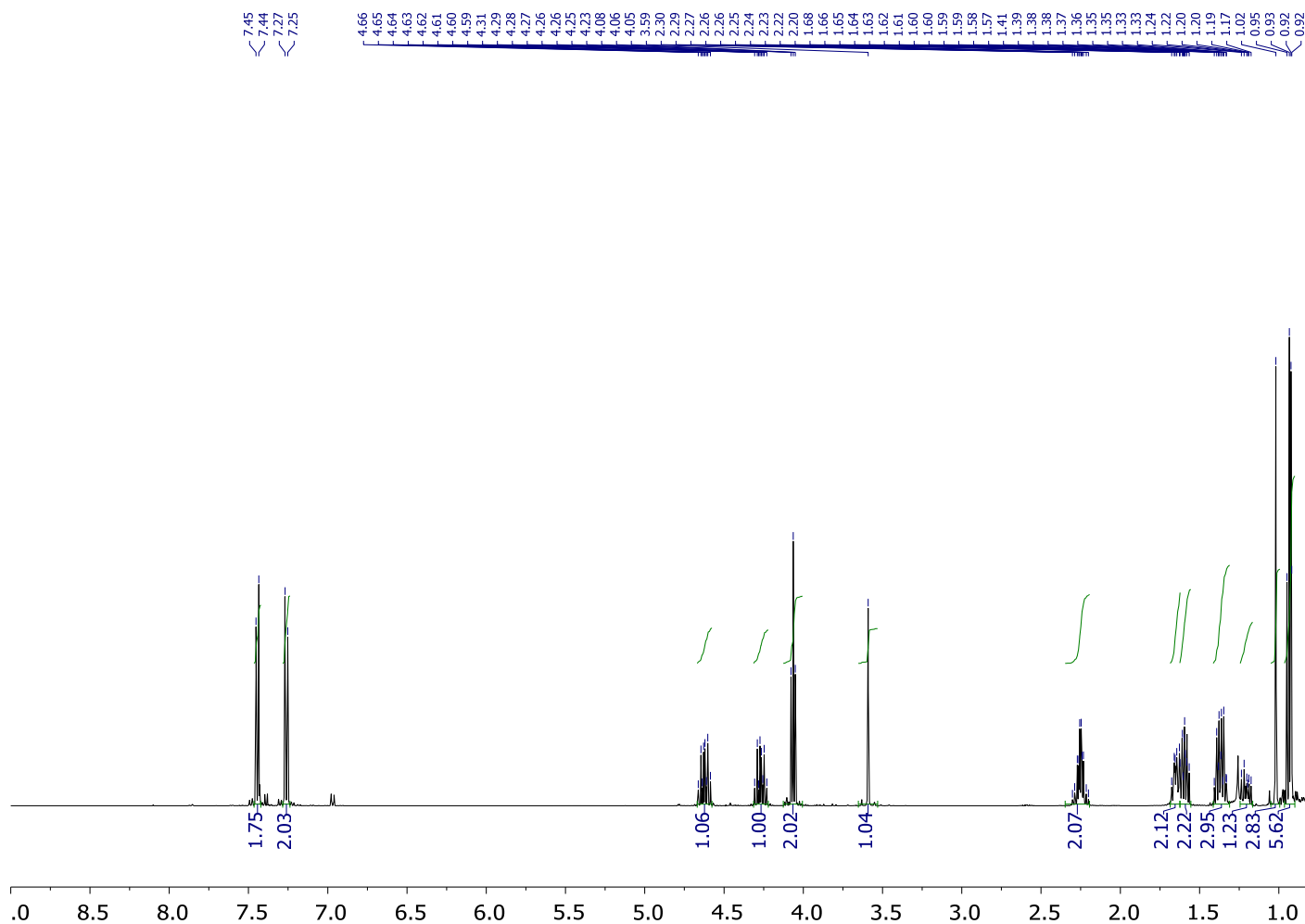
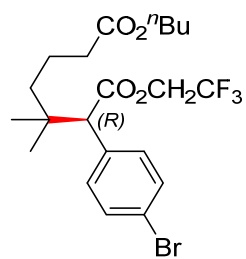


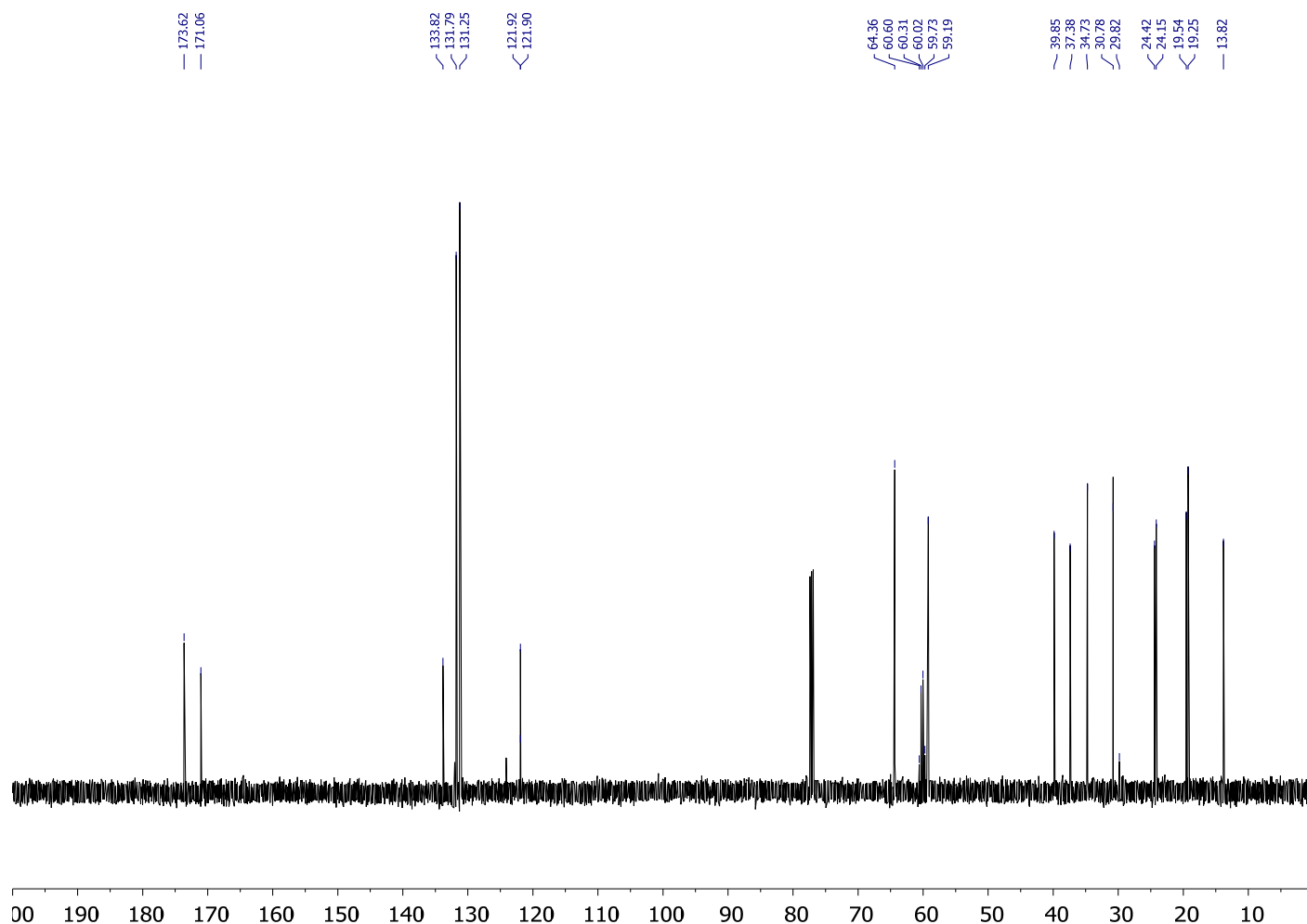
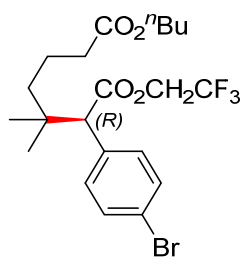


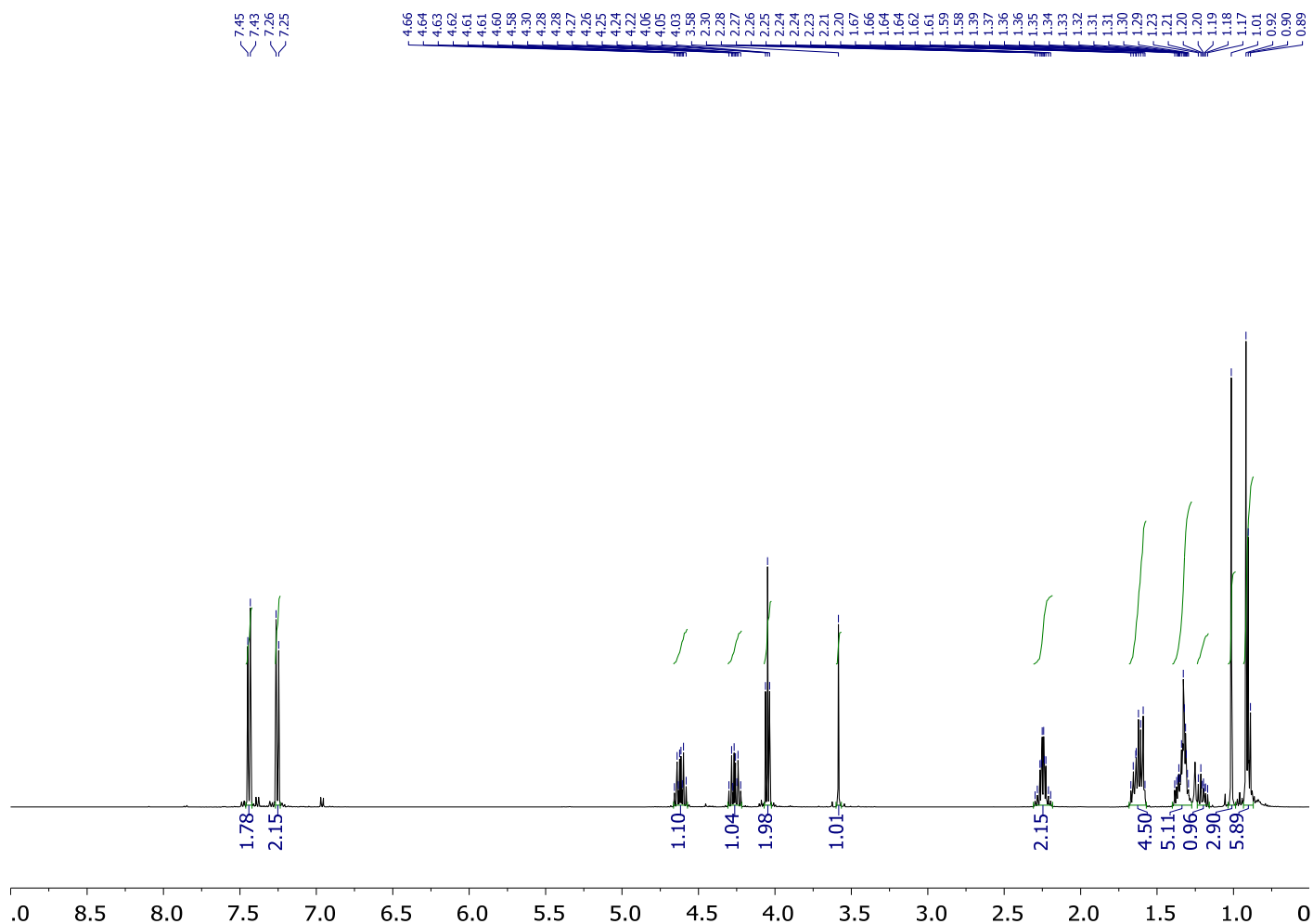
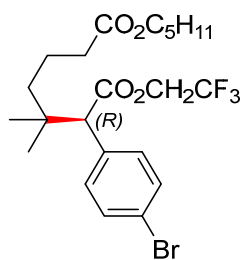


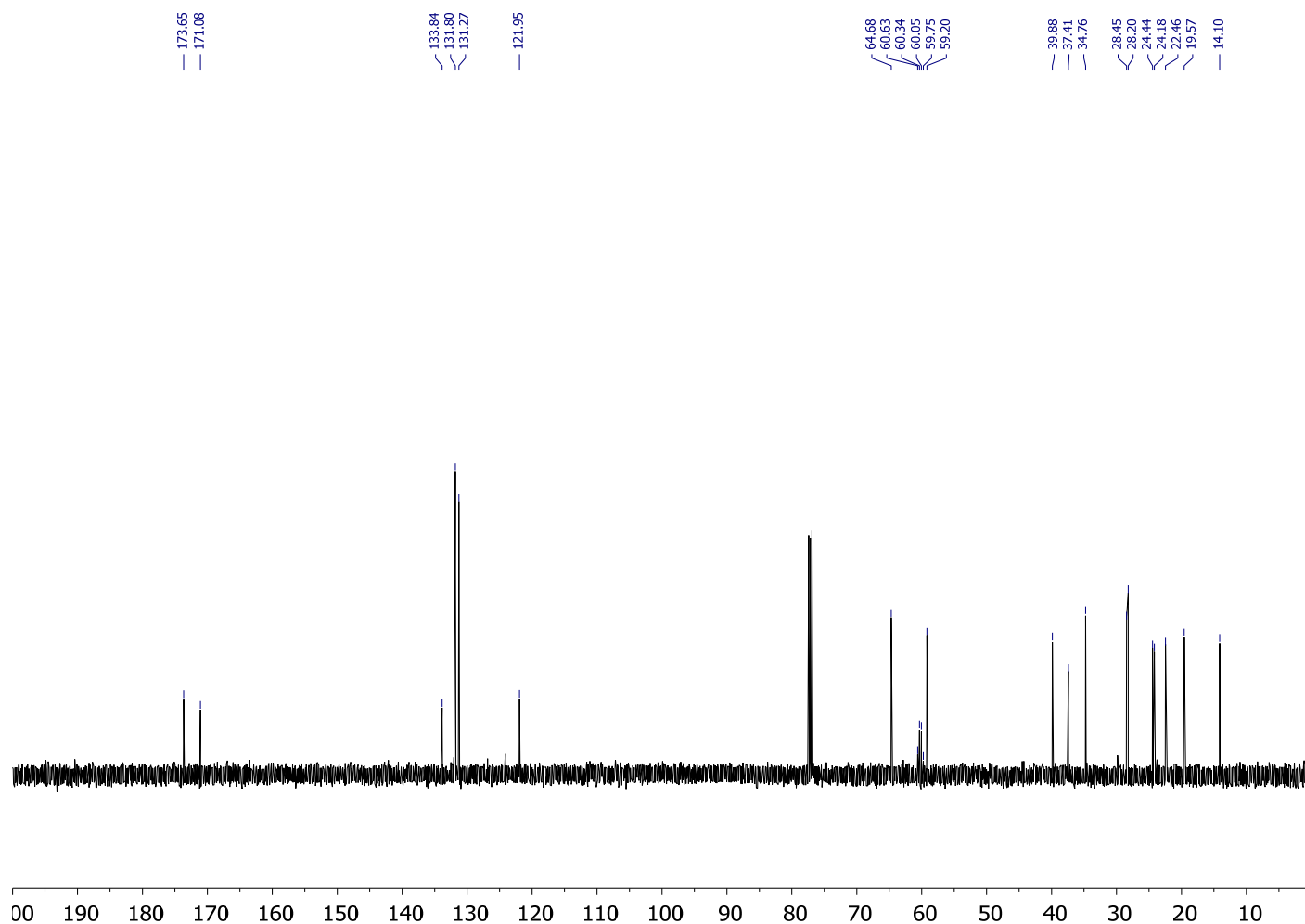
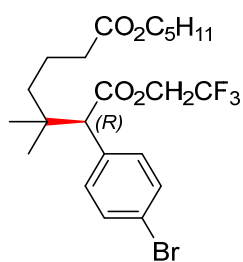


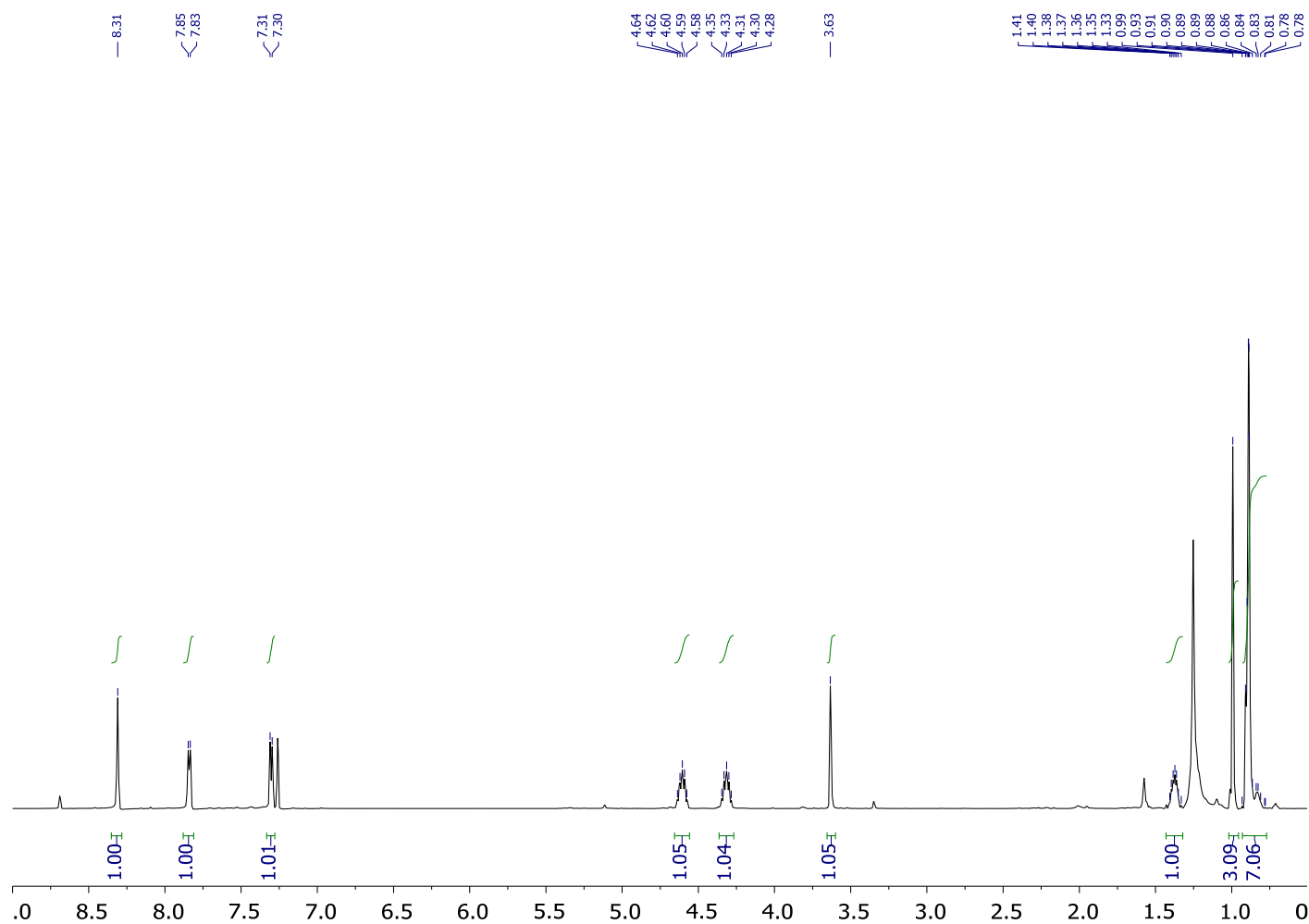
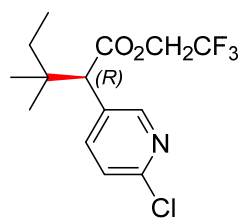


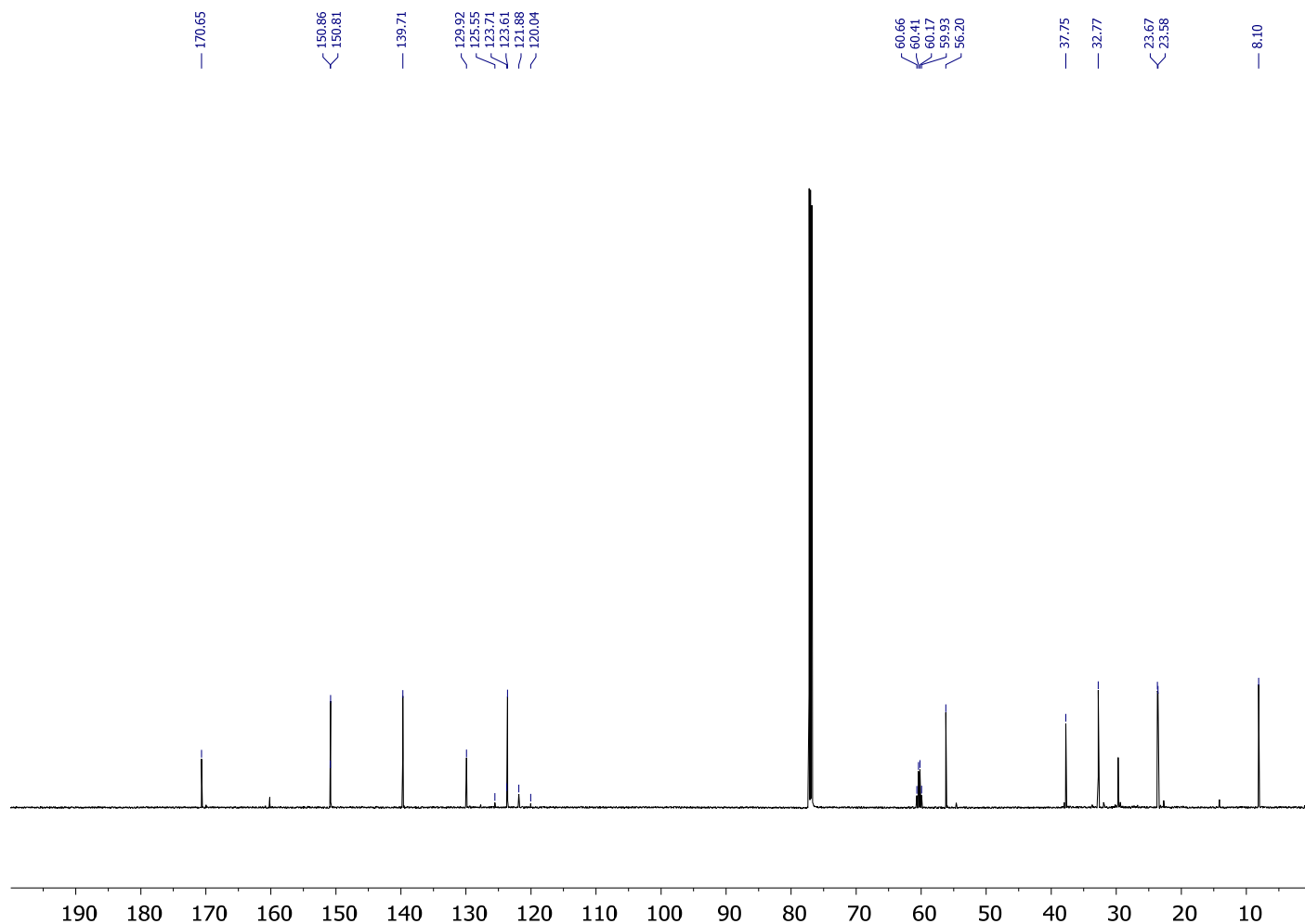
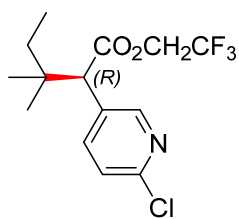


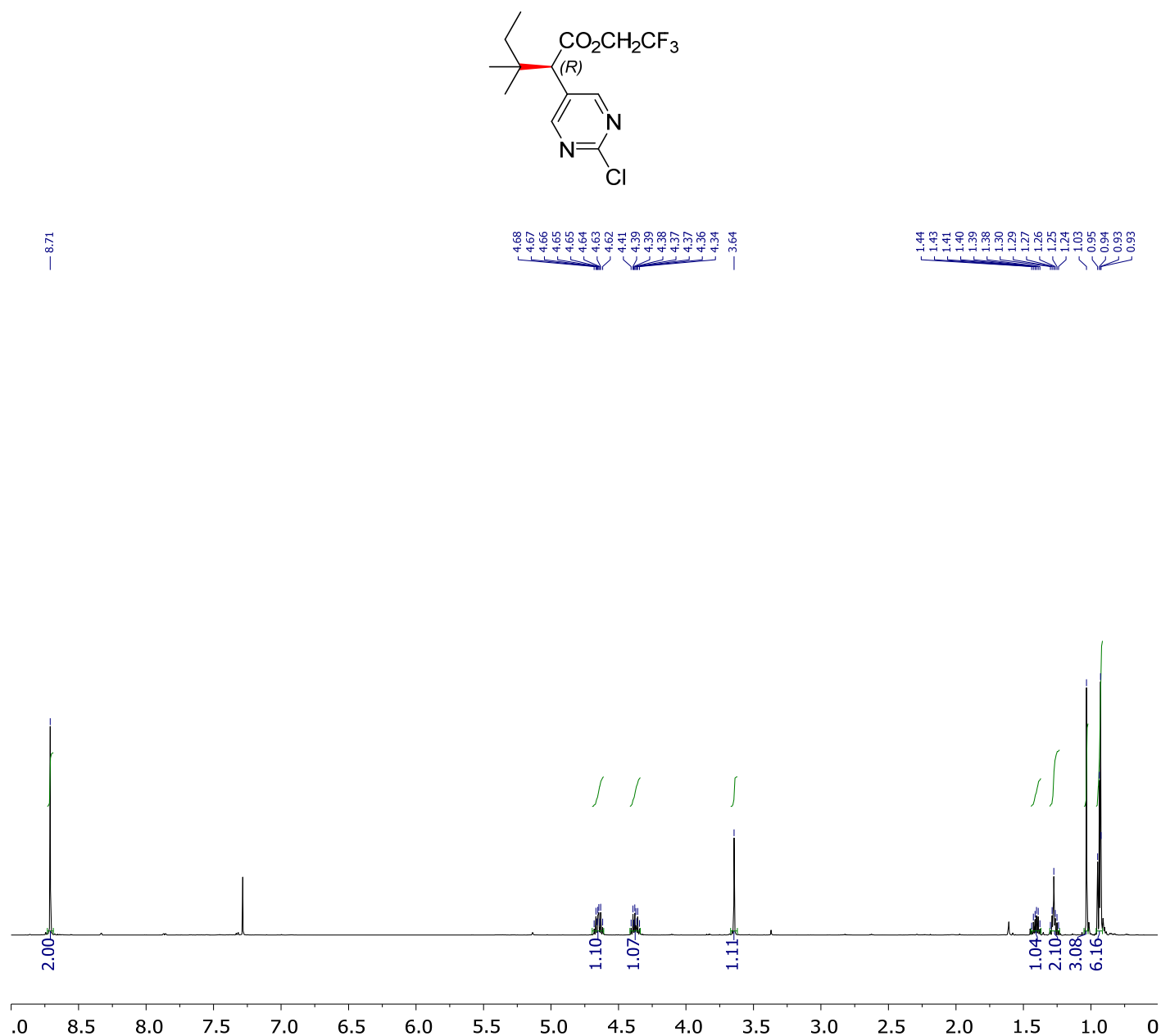


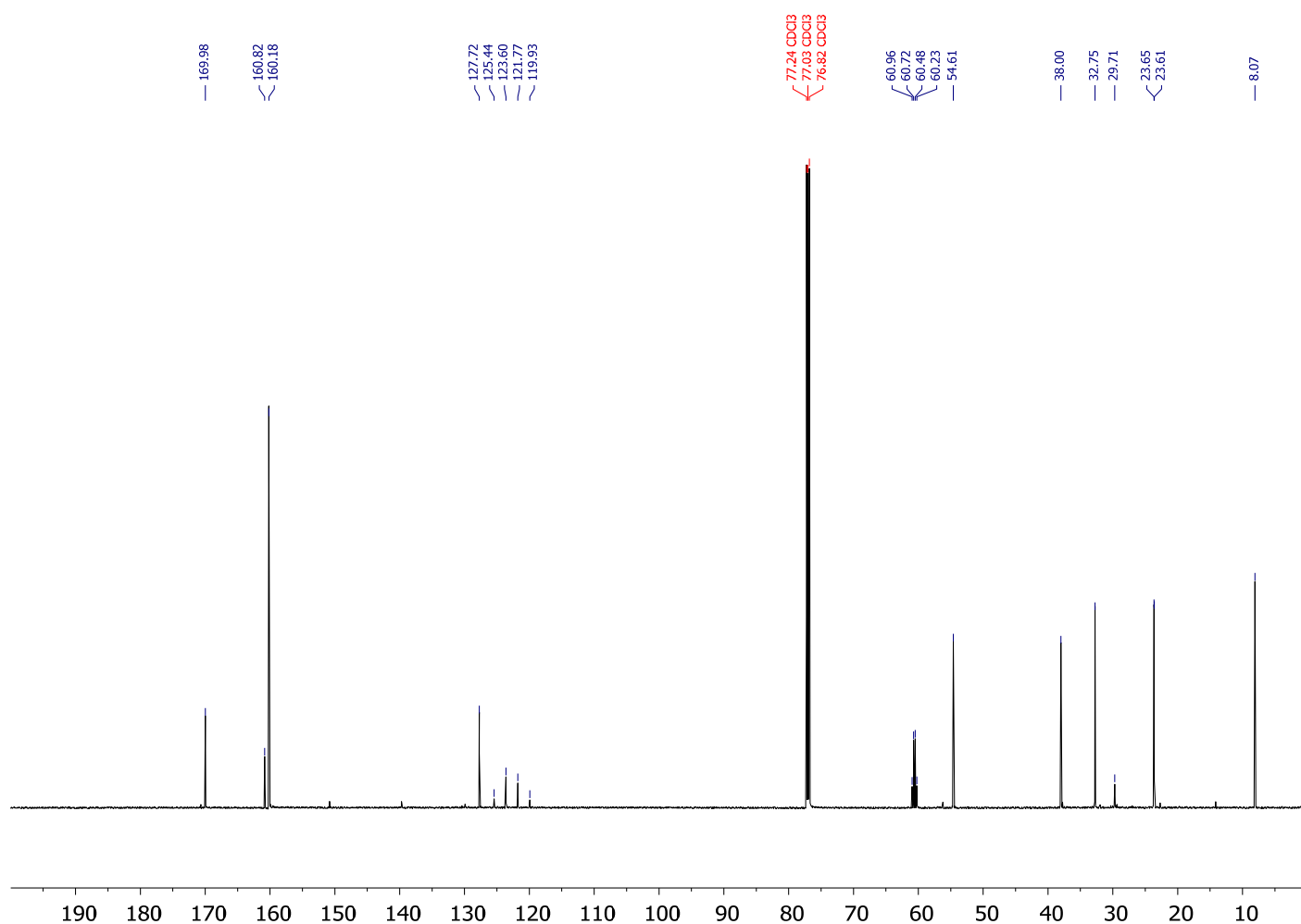
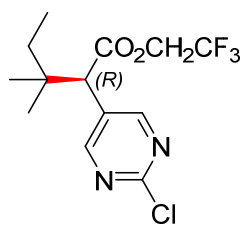


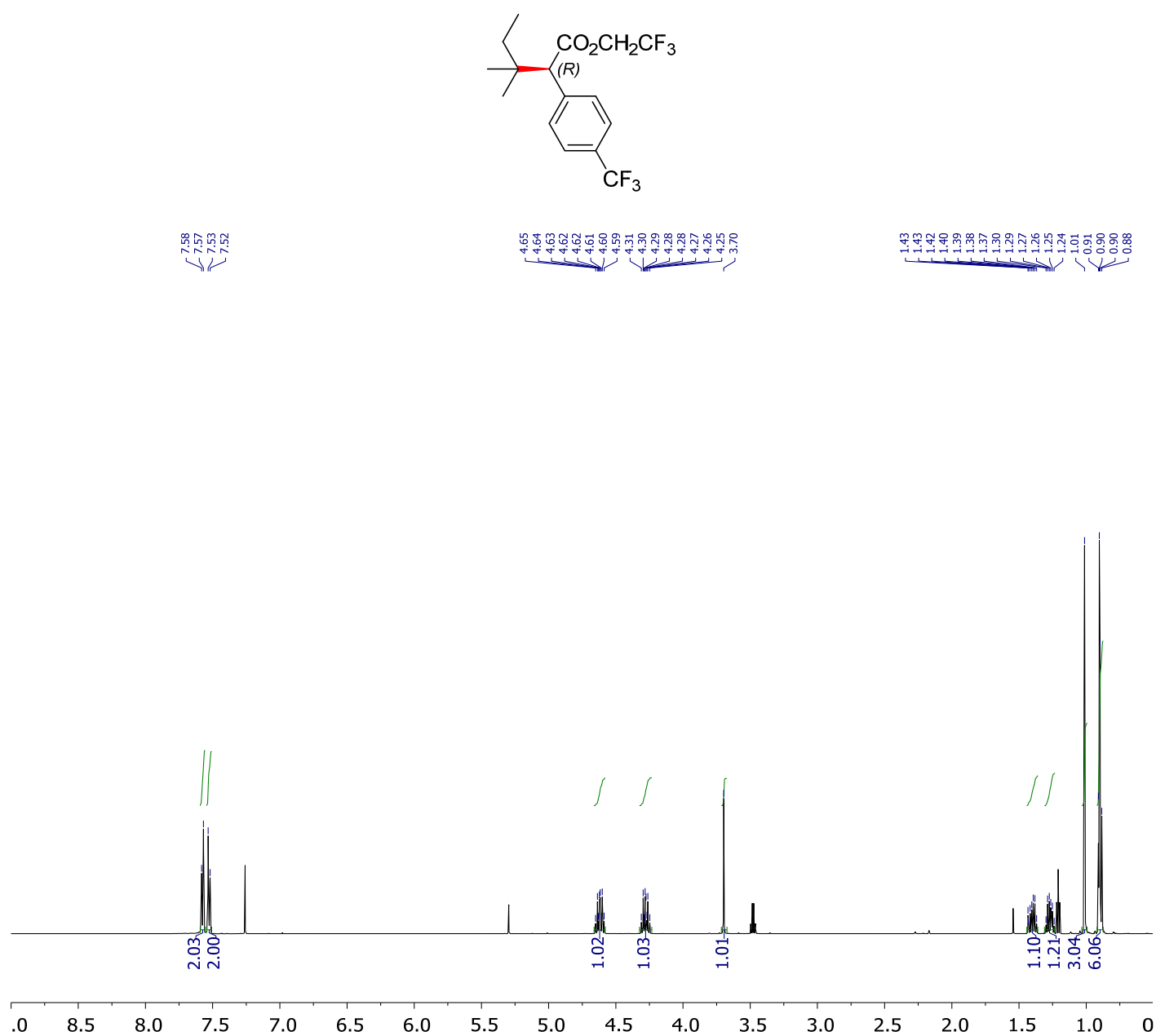


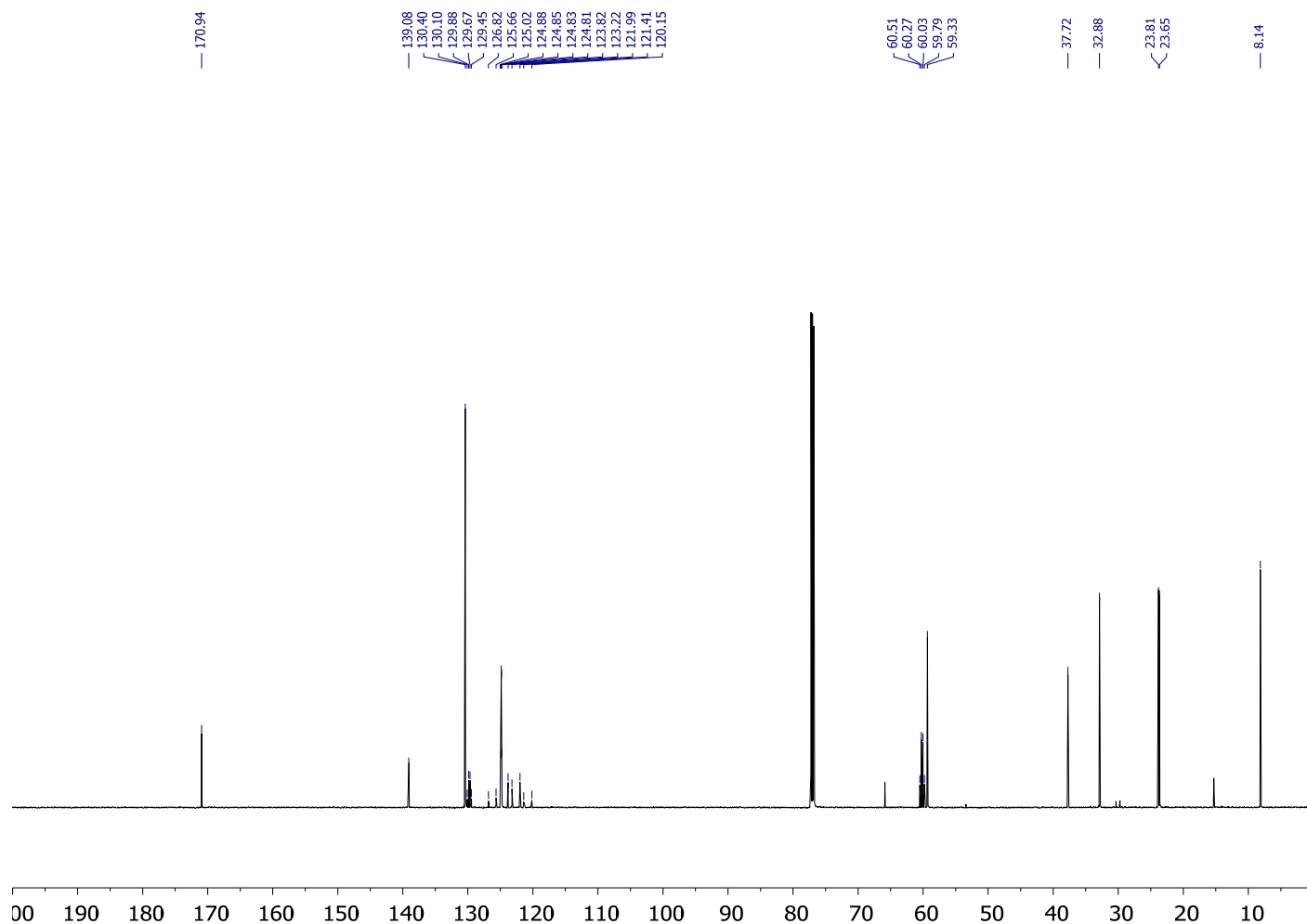
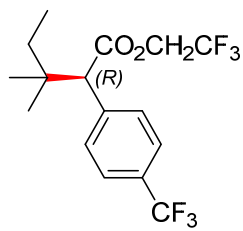


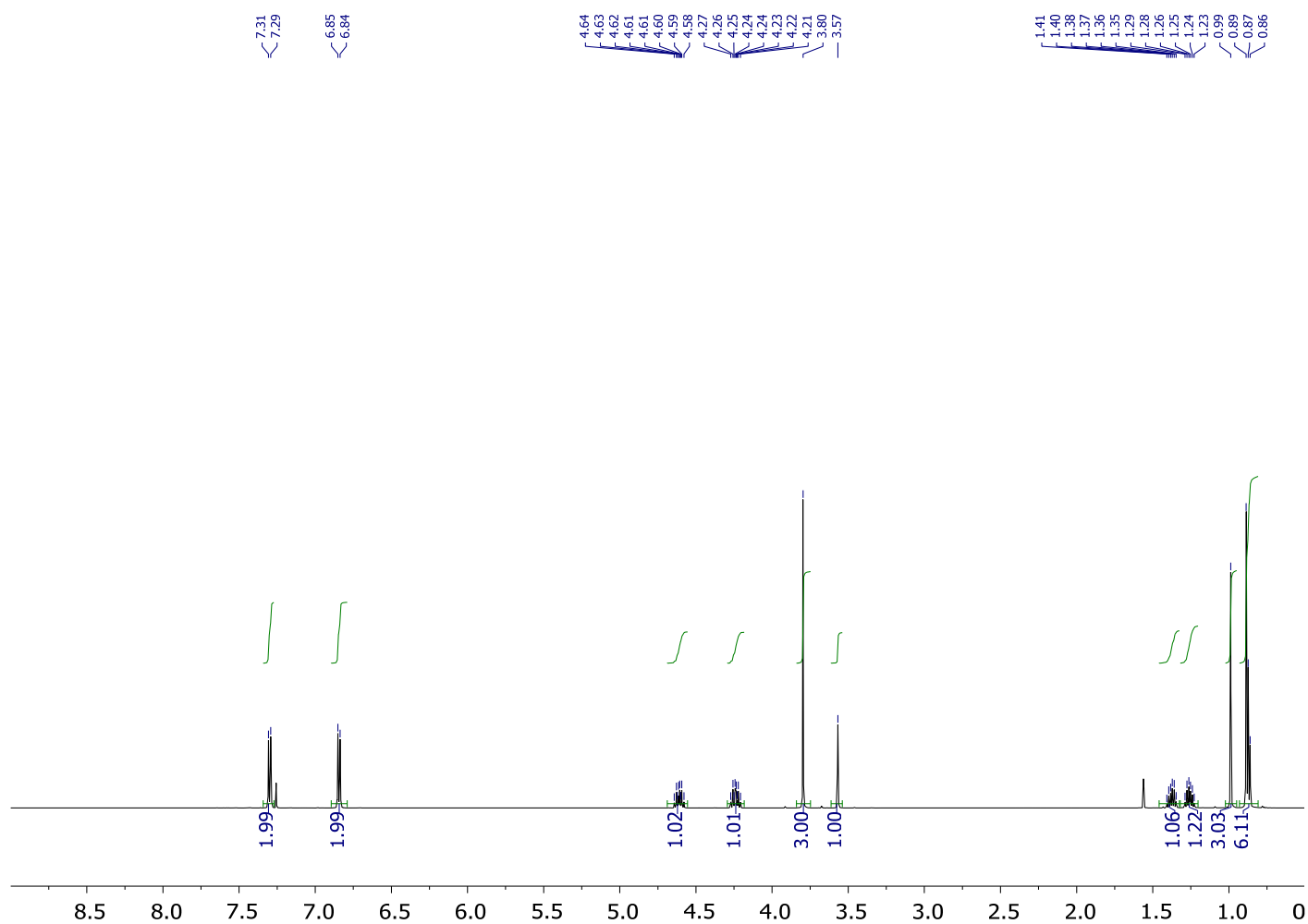
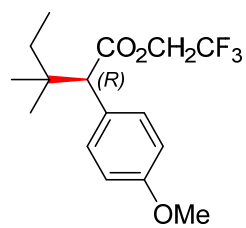


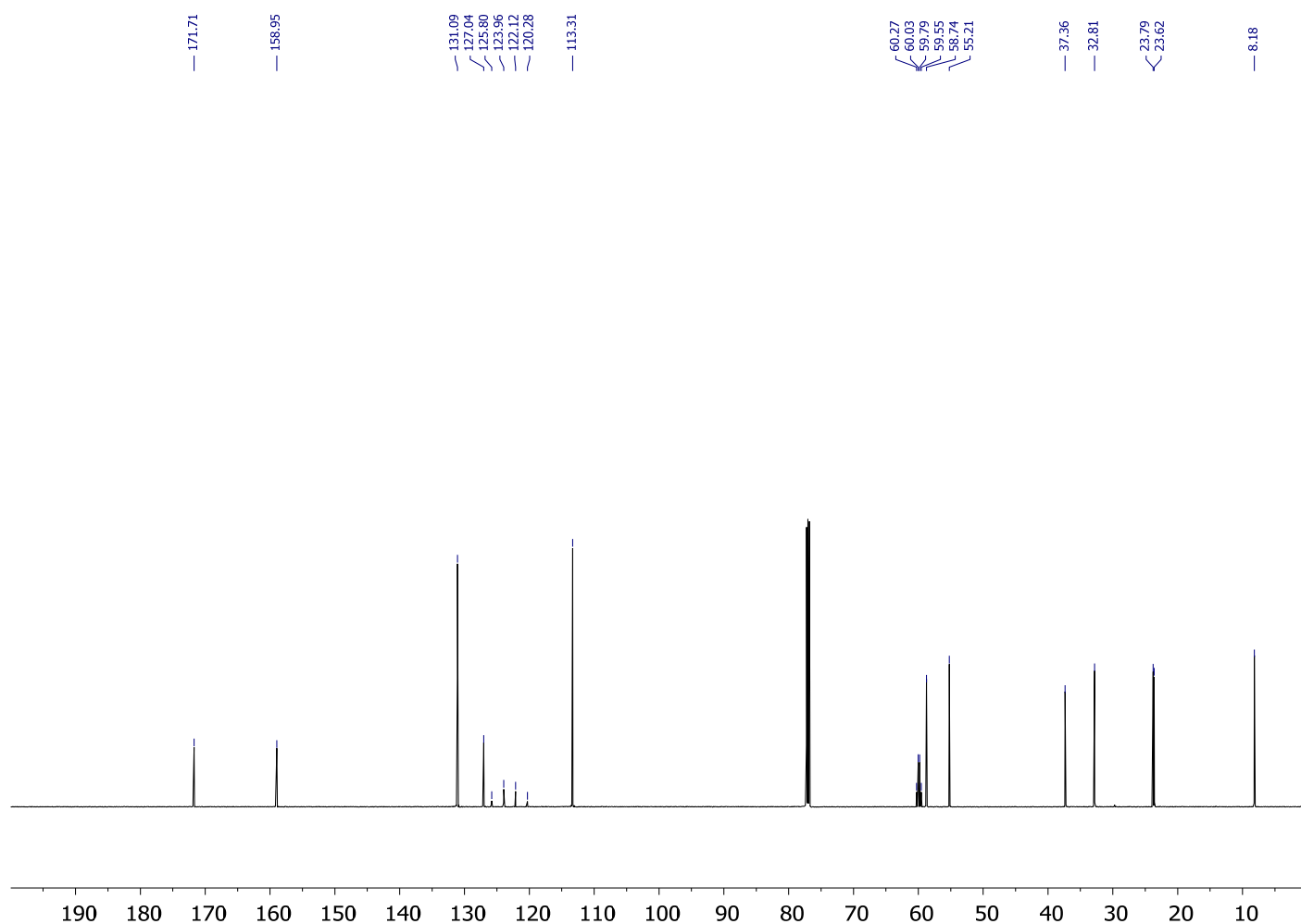
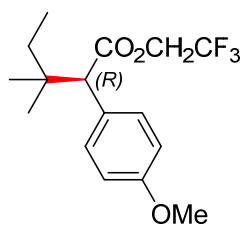


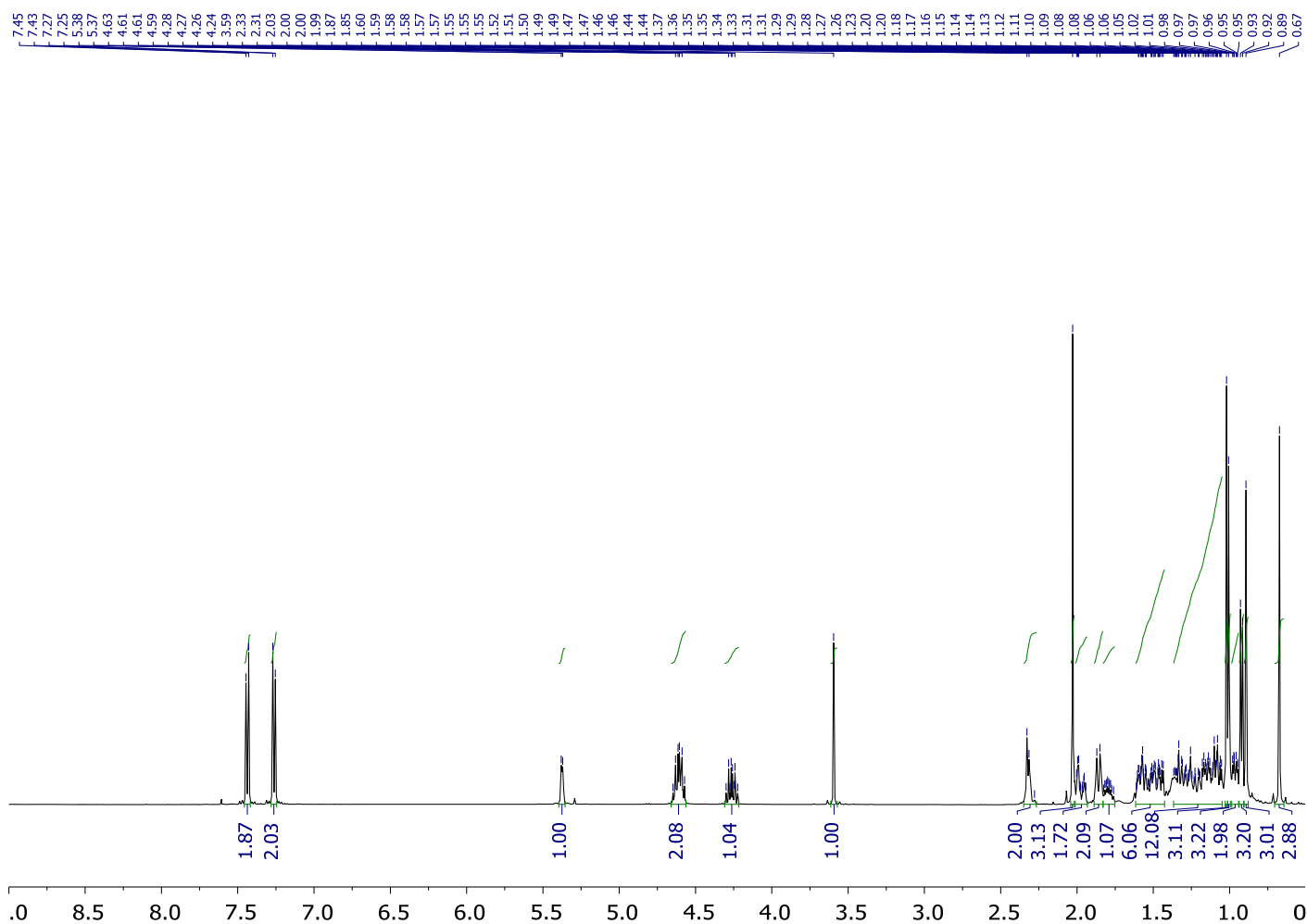
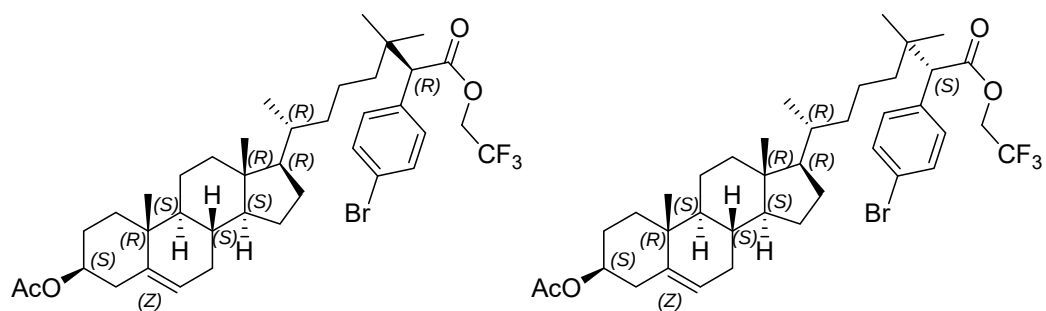


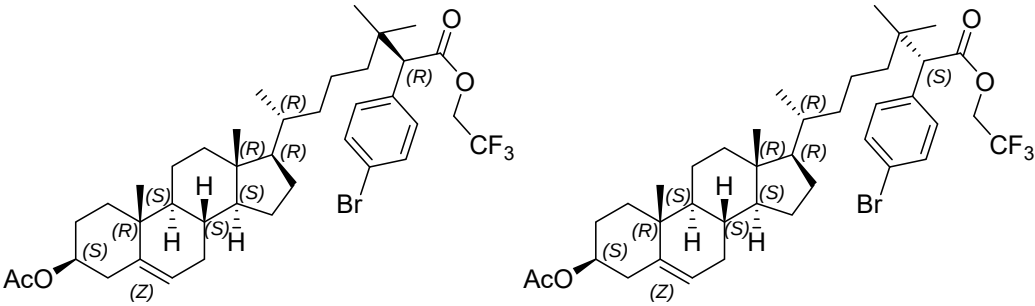








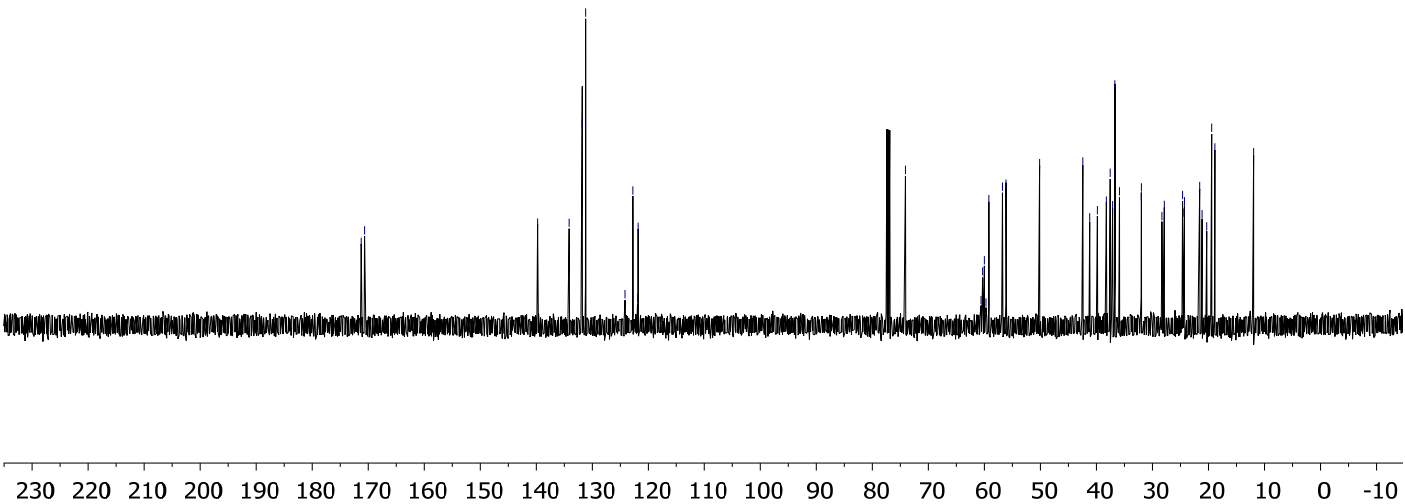


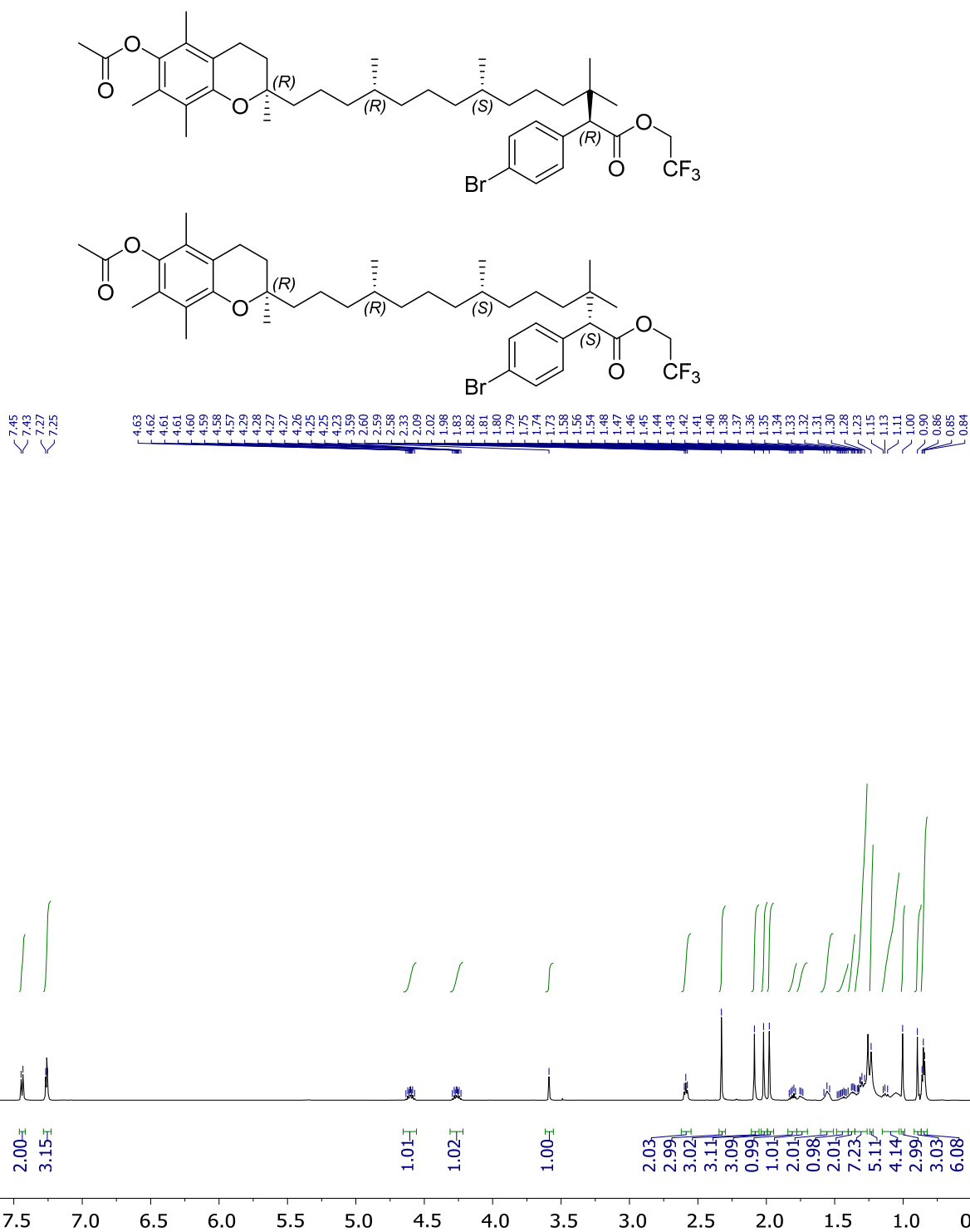


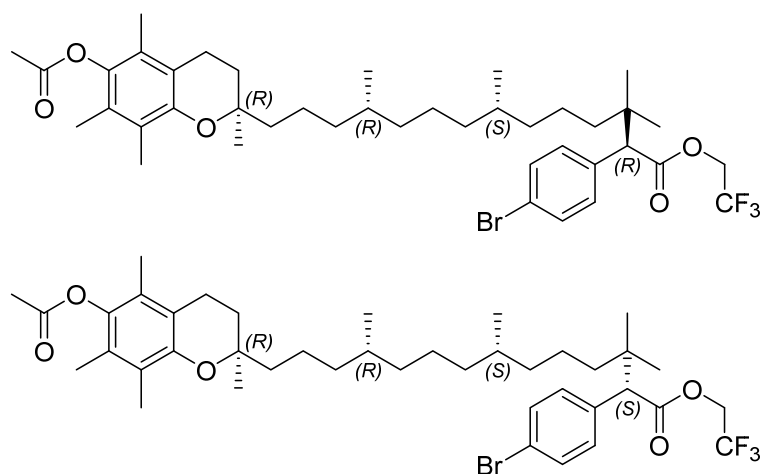
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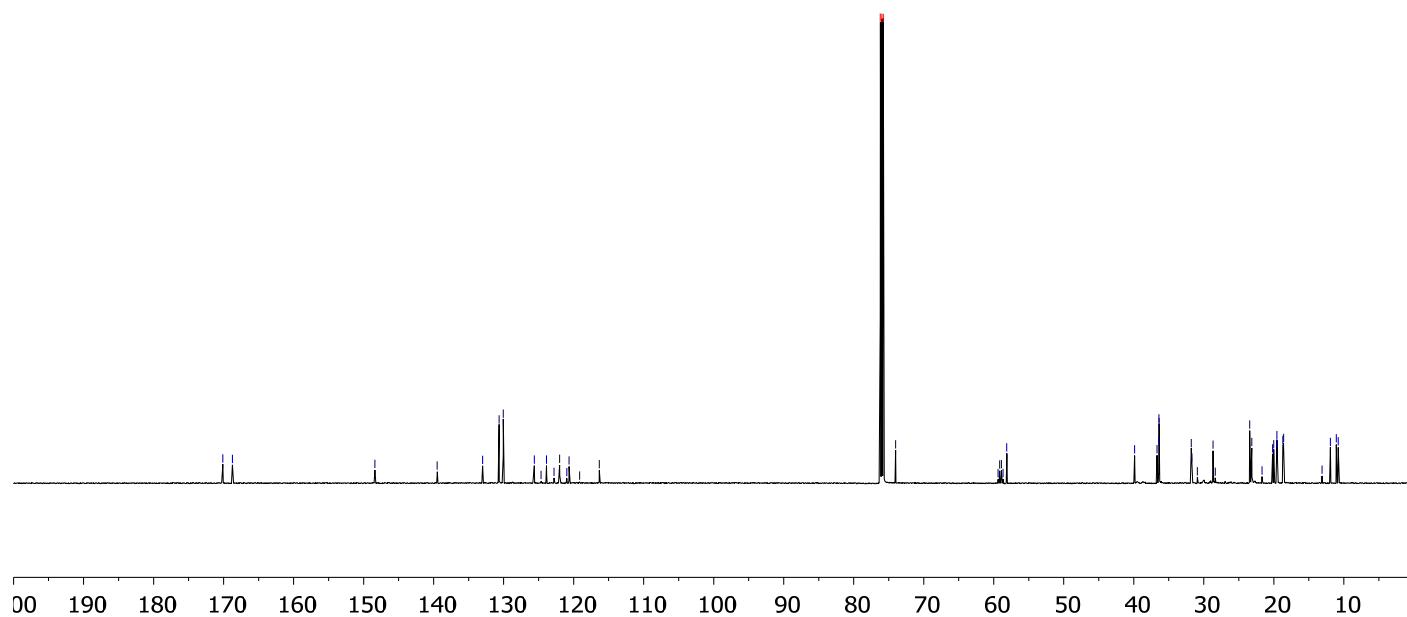
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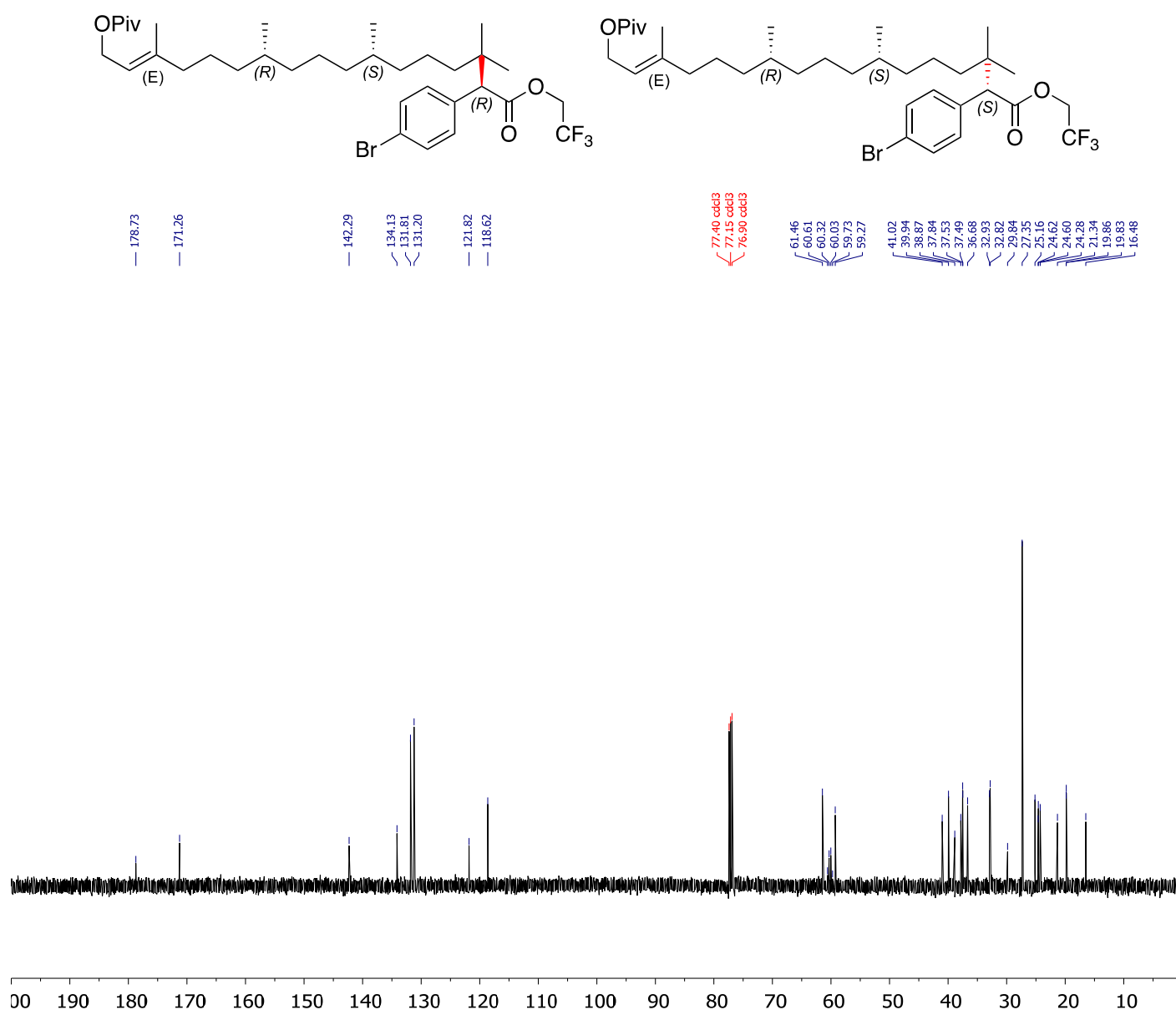
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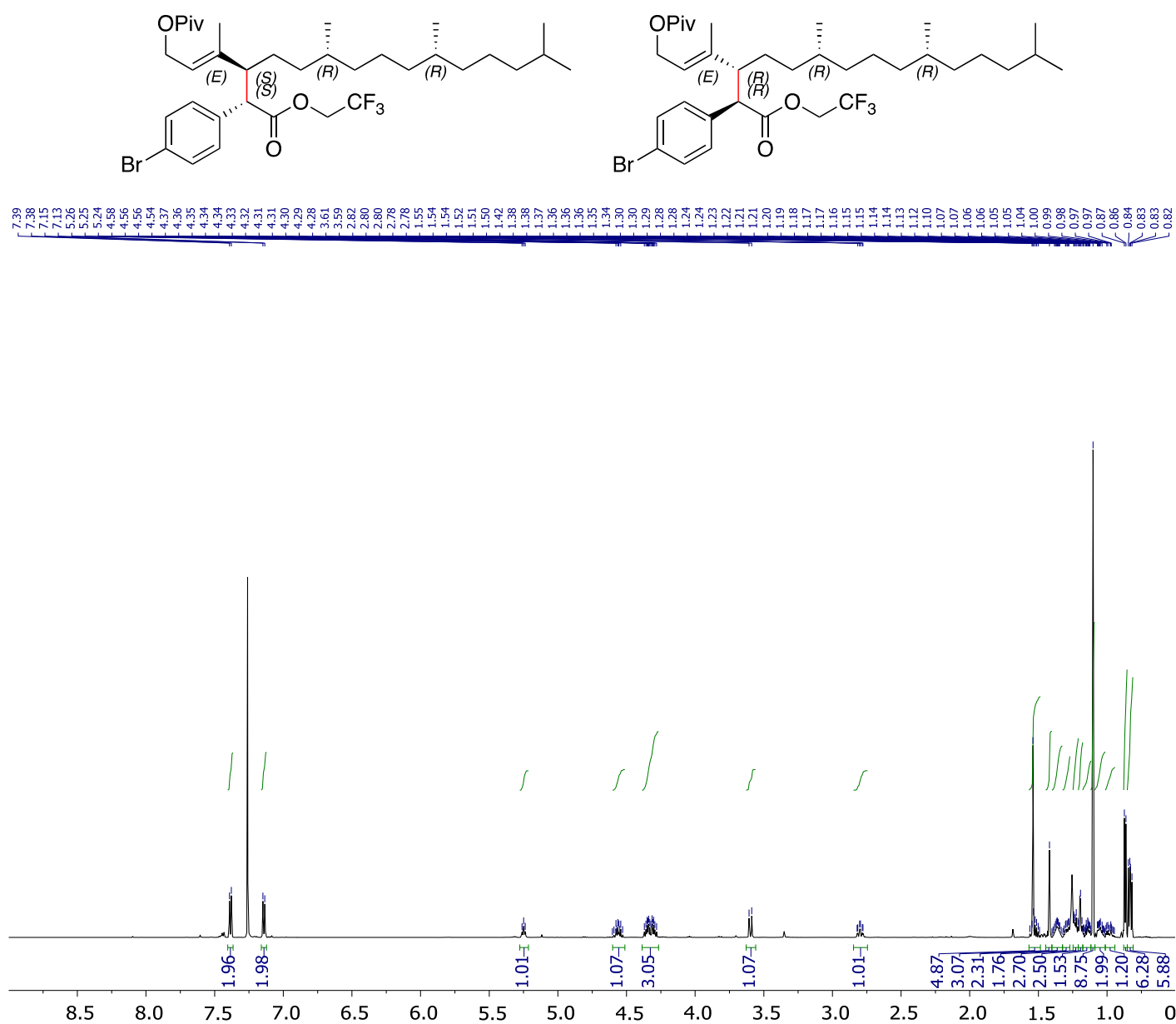
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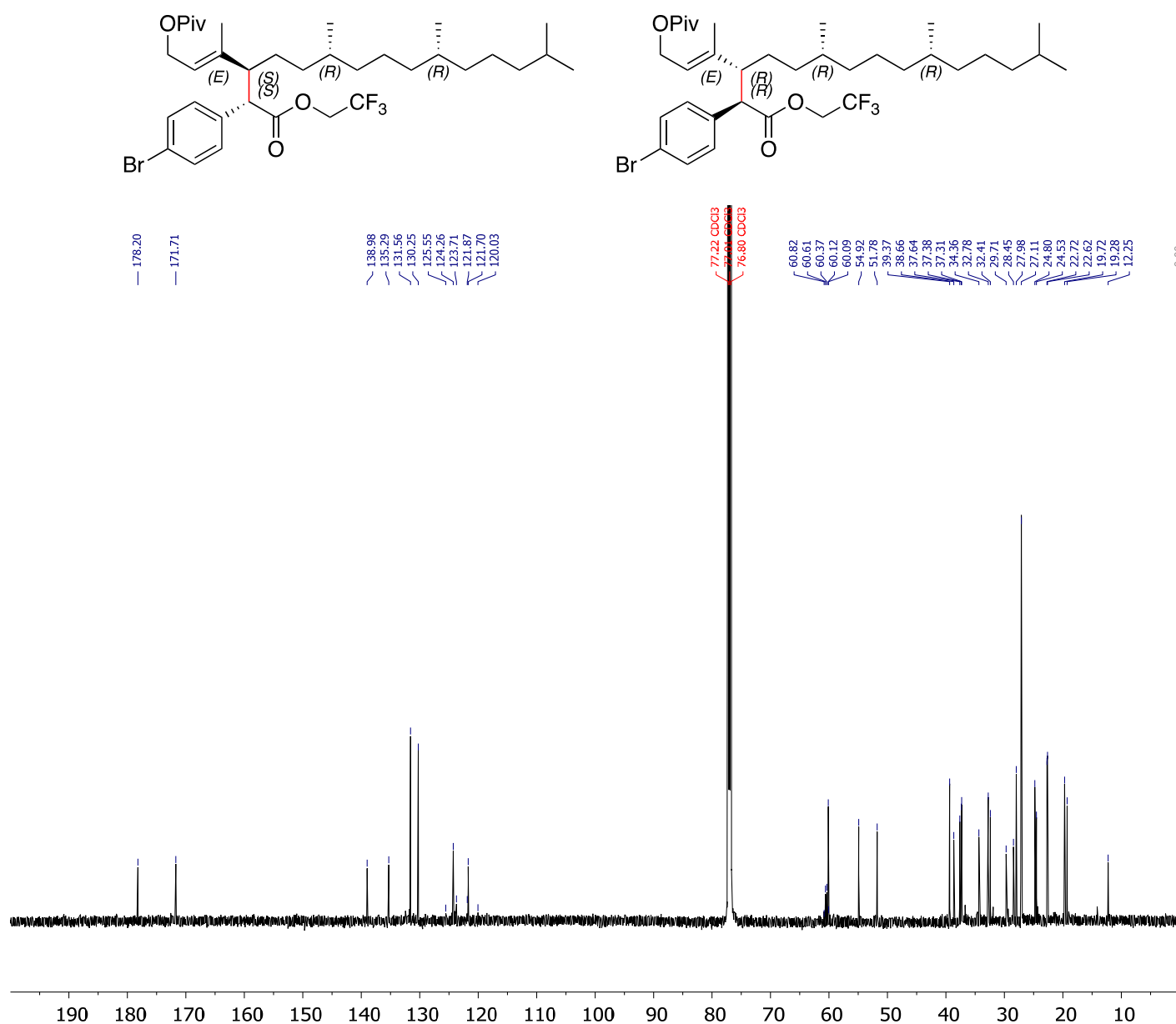
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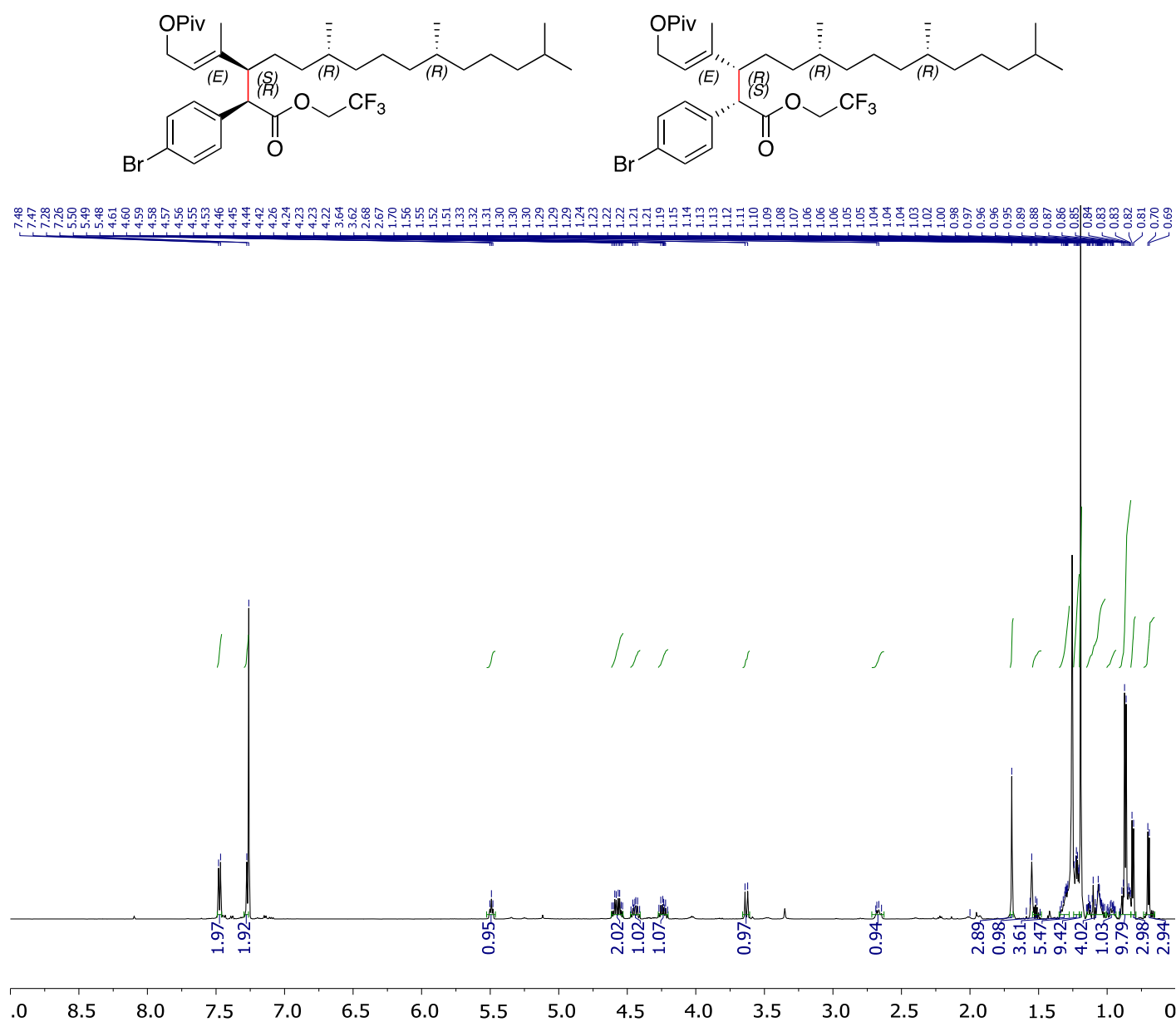


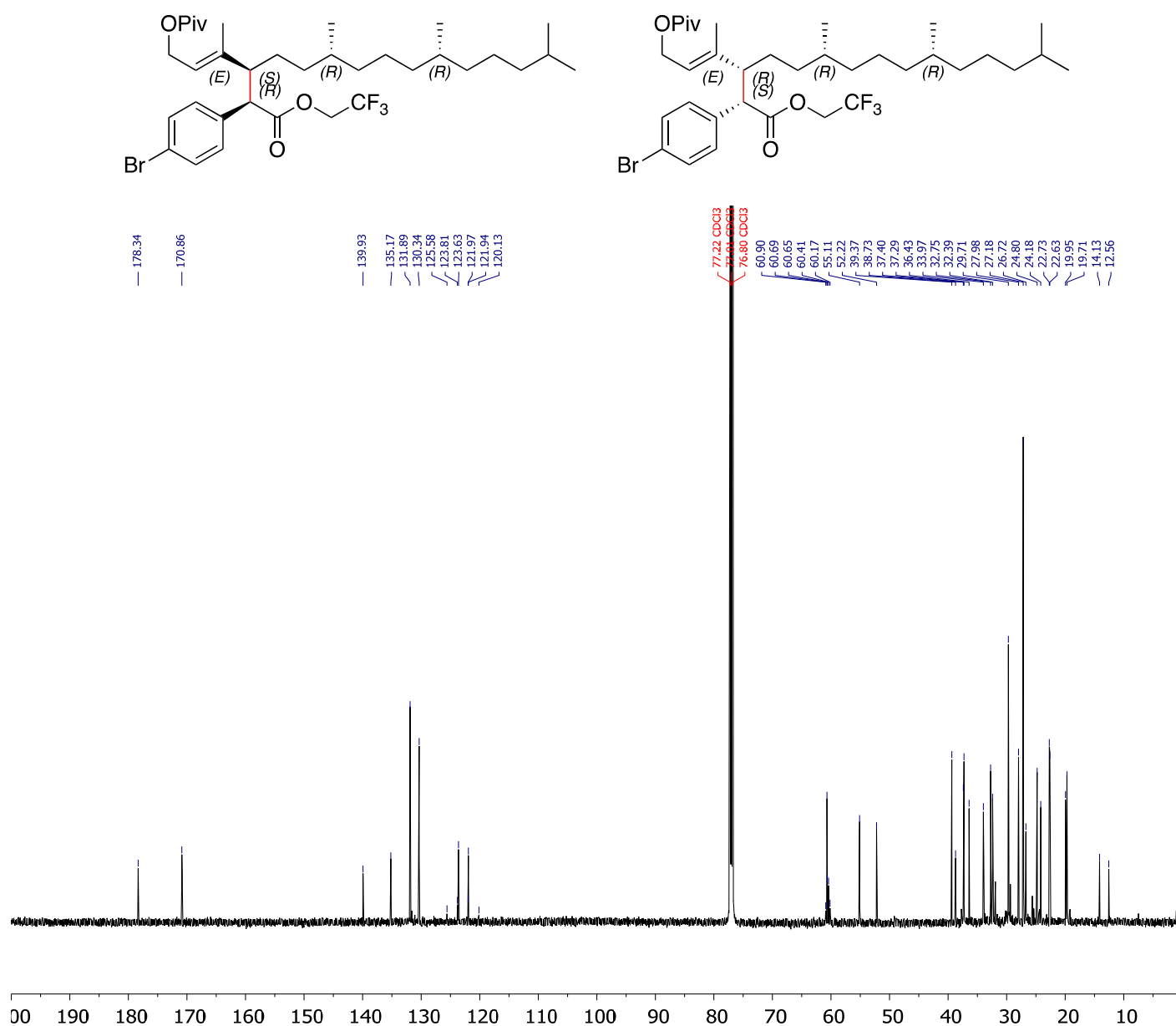


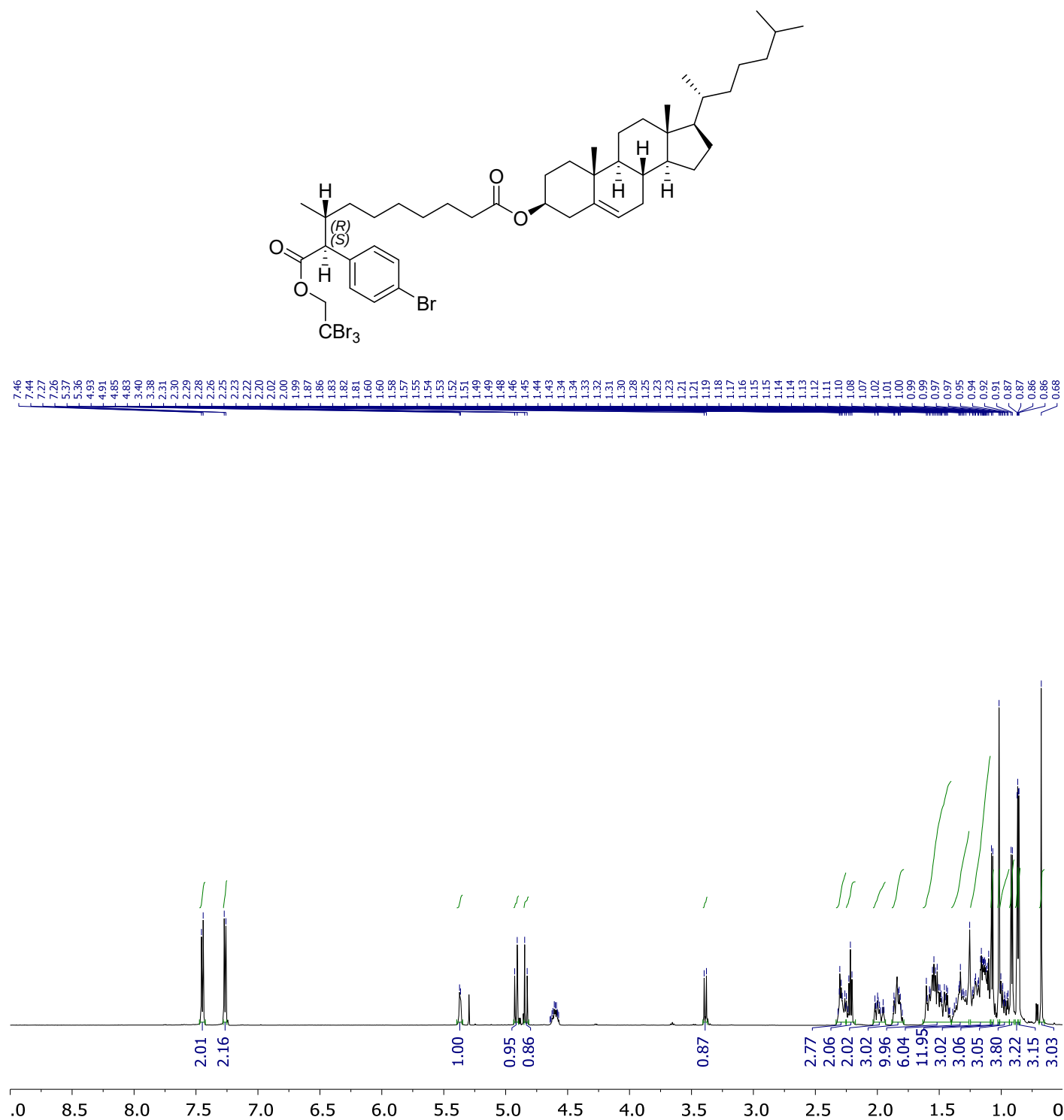


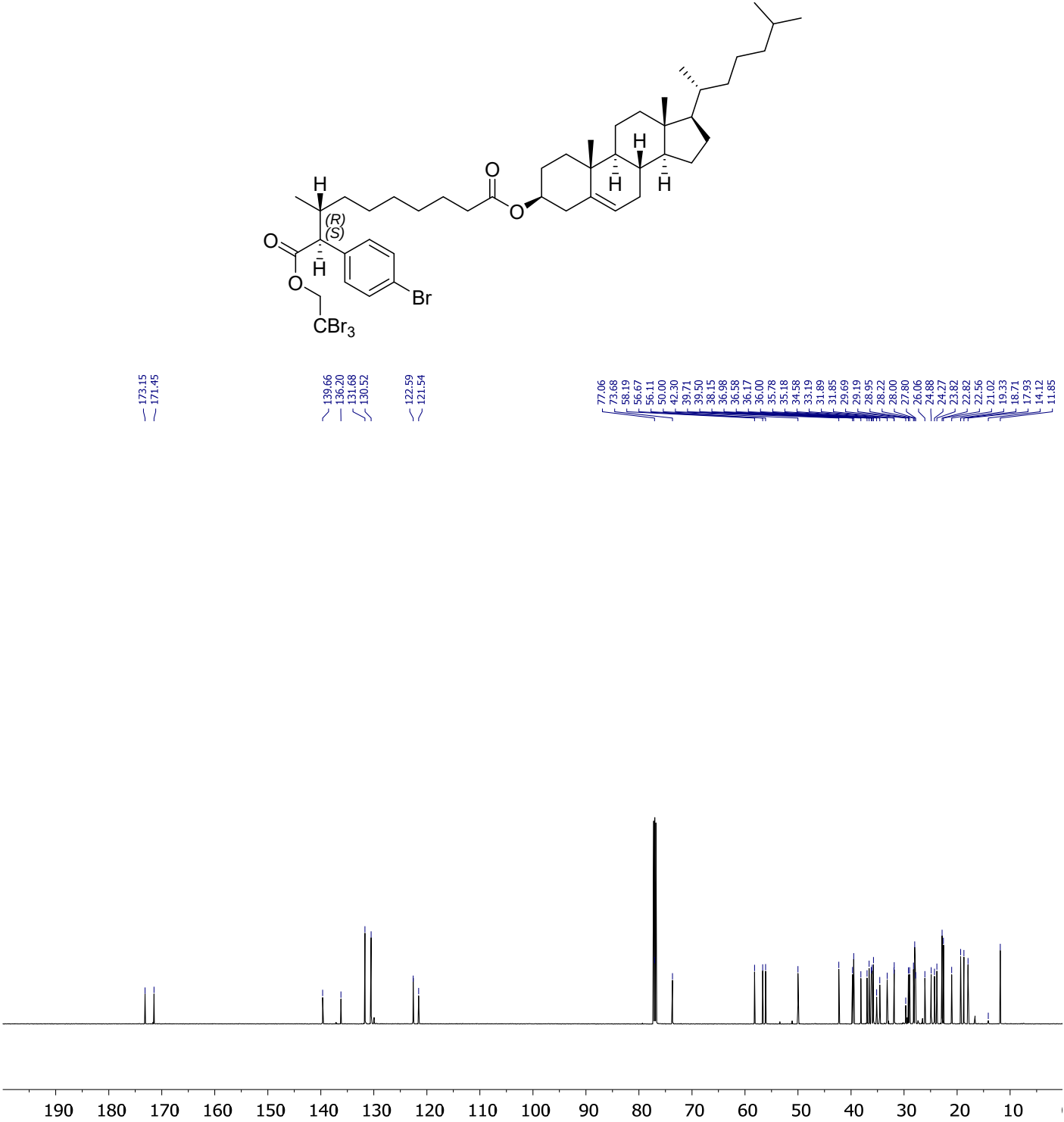


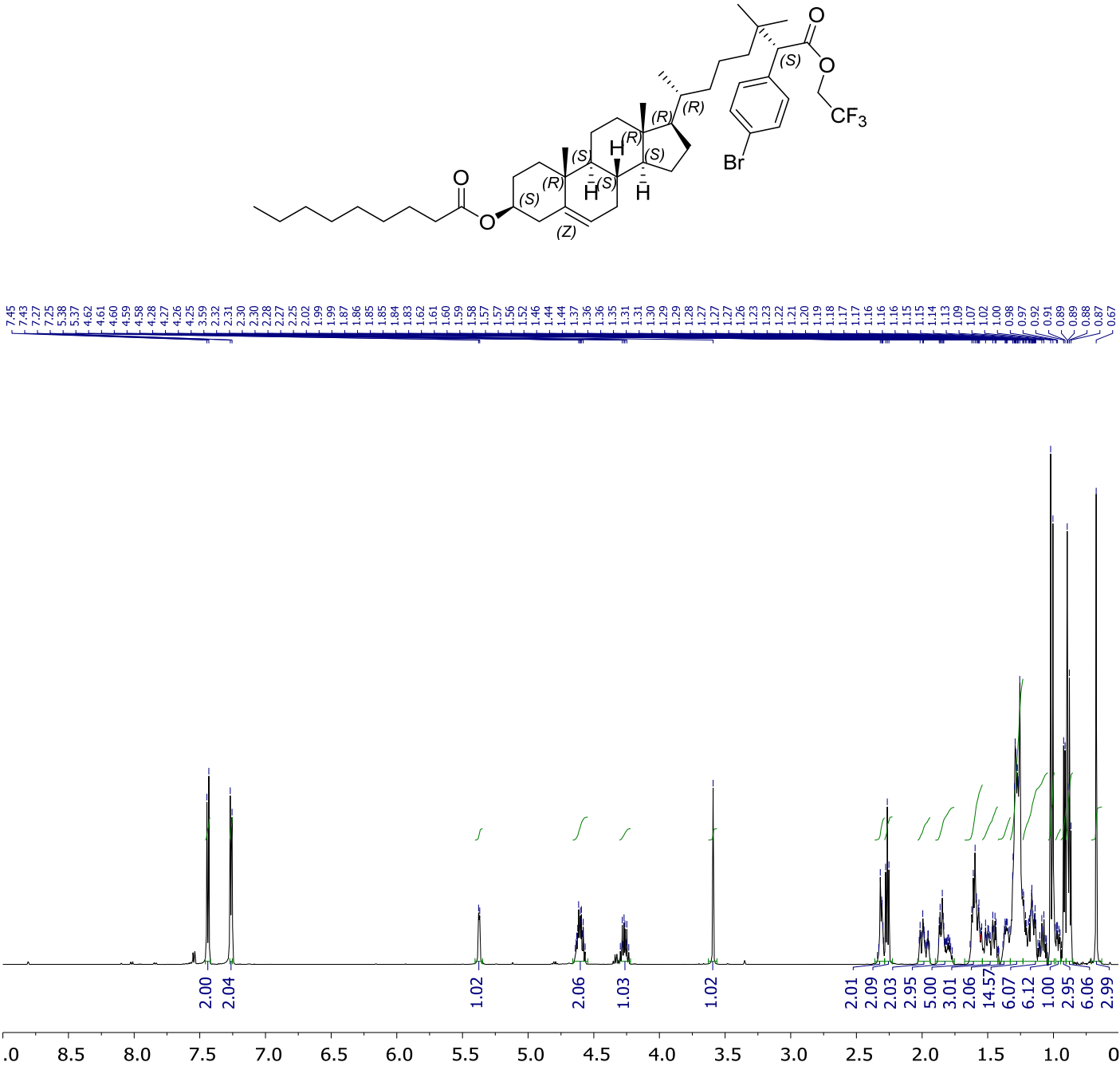


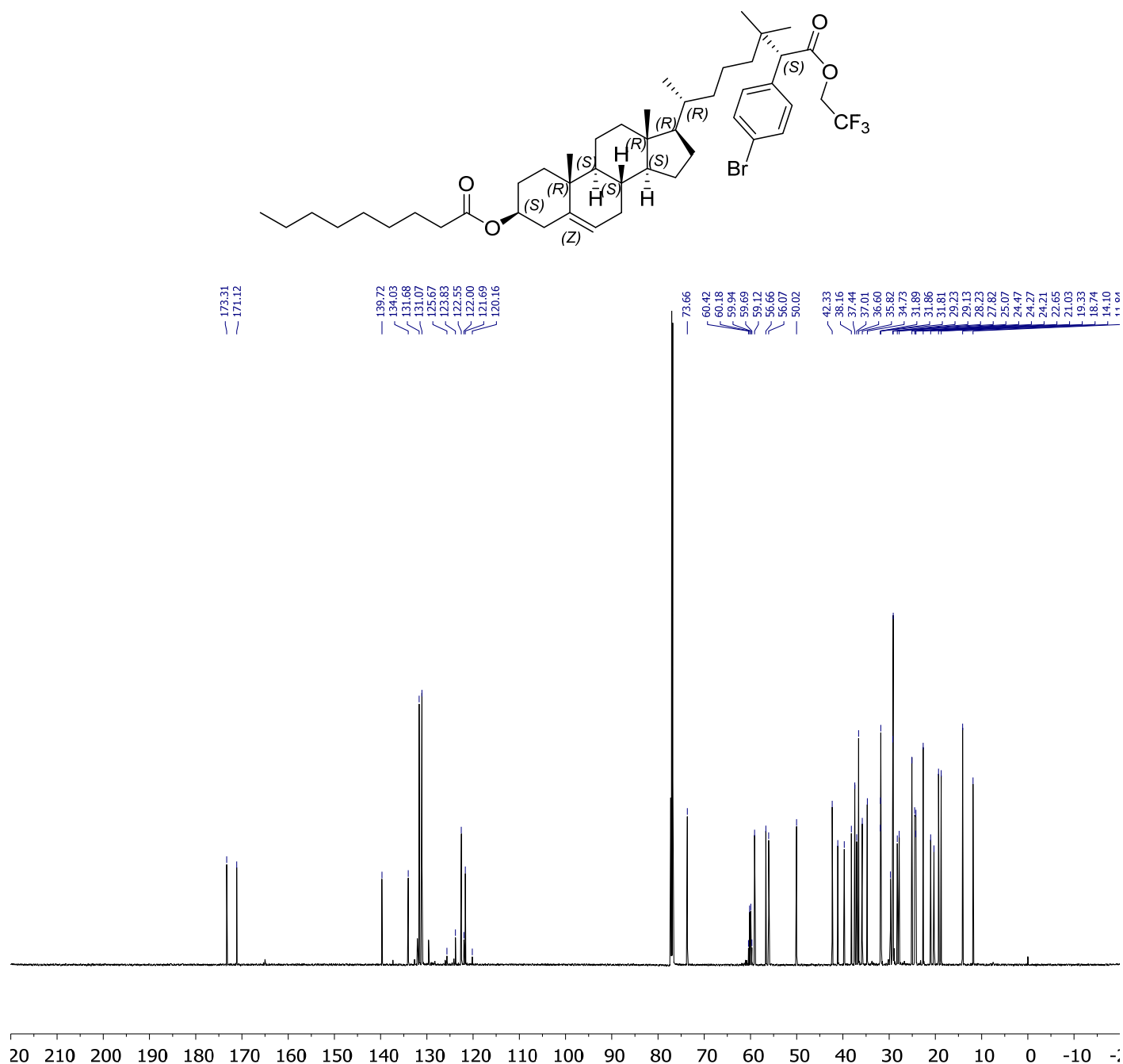






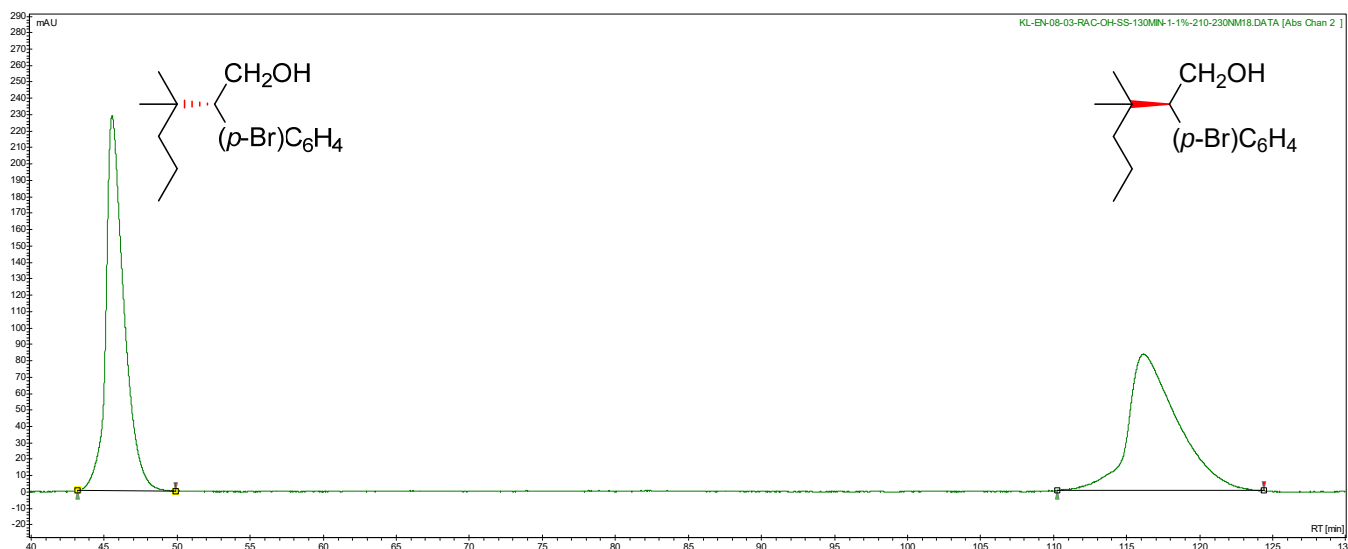
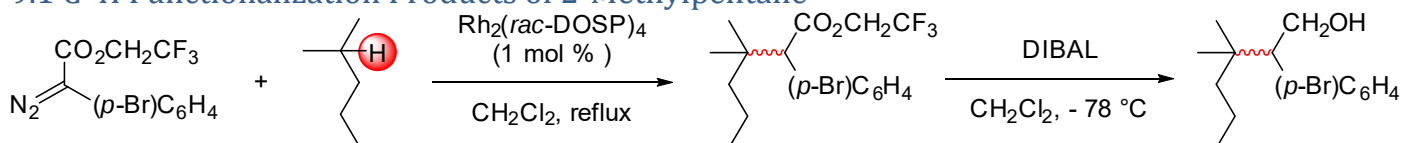




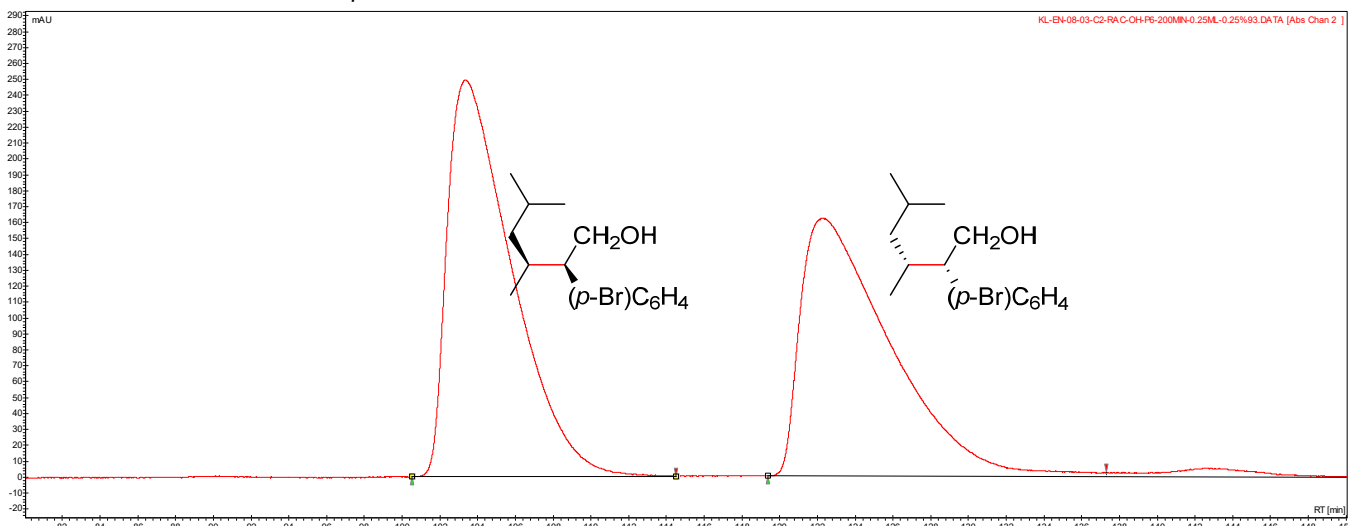
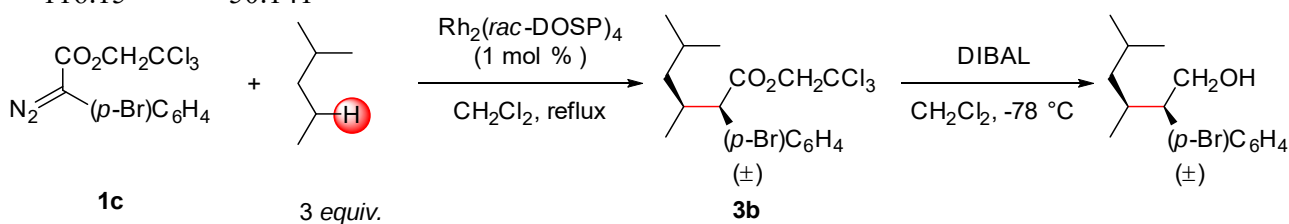


## 9 - HPLC

## 9.1 C-H Functionalization Products of 2-Methylpentane

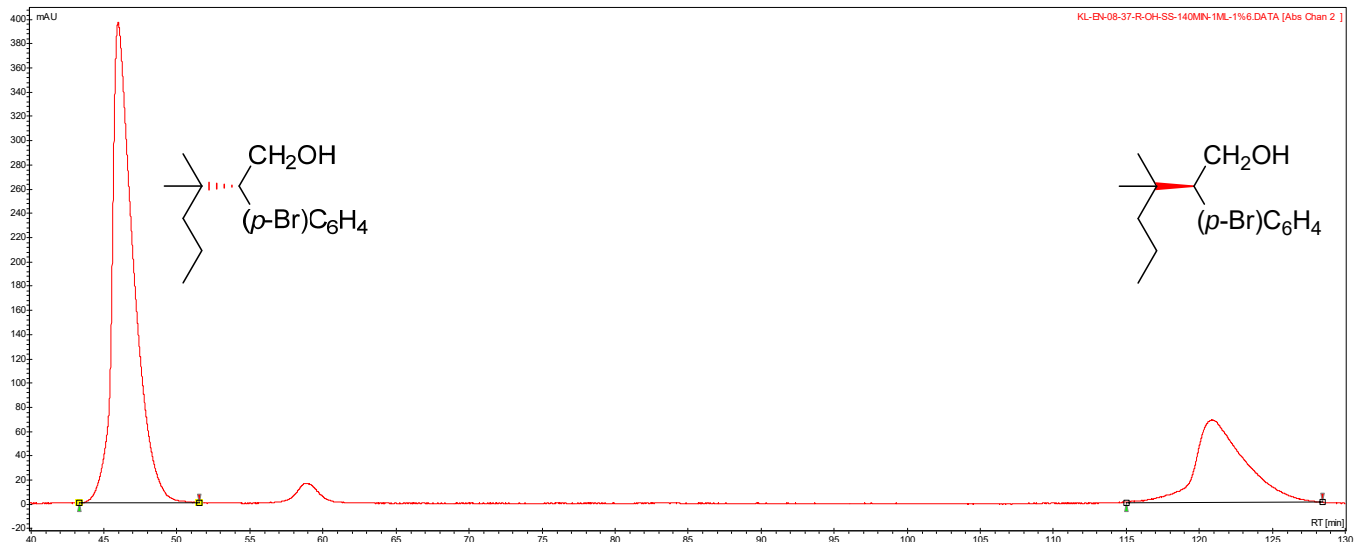
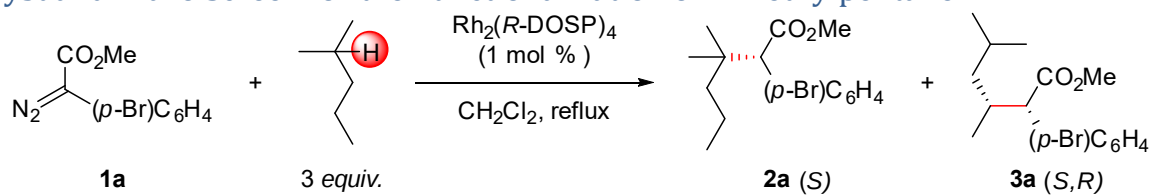


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 45.54      | 49.859     |
| 2 | 116.15     | 50.141     |



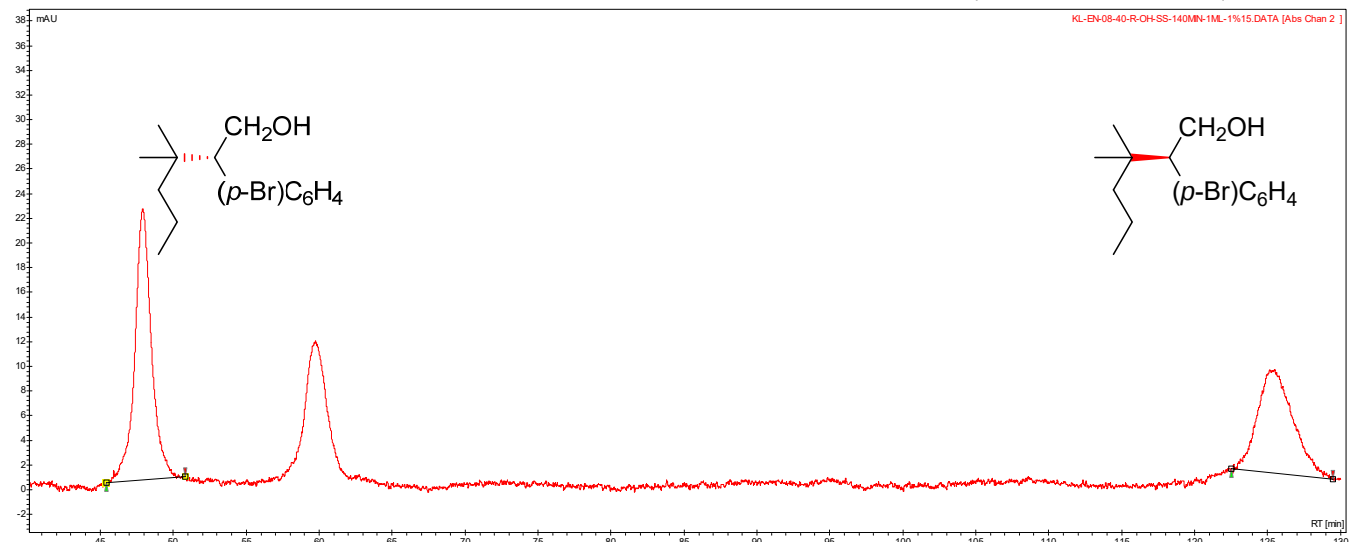
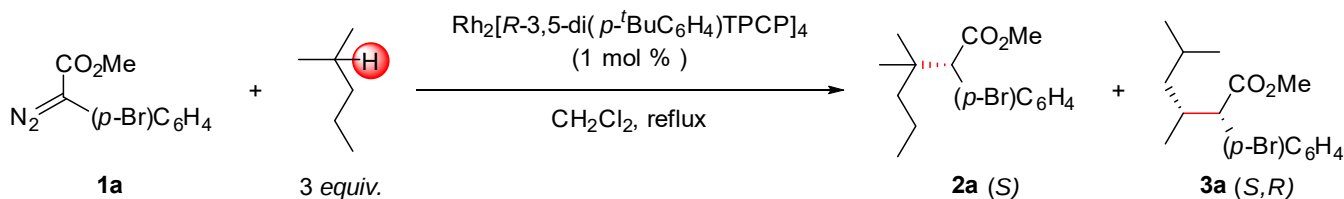
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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 103.34     | 52.556     |
| 2 | 122.27     | 47.444     |

## 9.2 Catalyst and Diazo Screen for the Functionalization of 2-Methylpentane



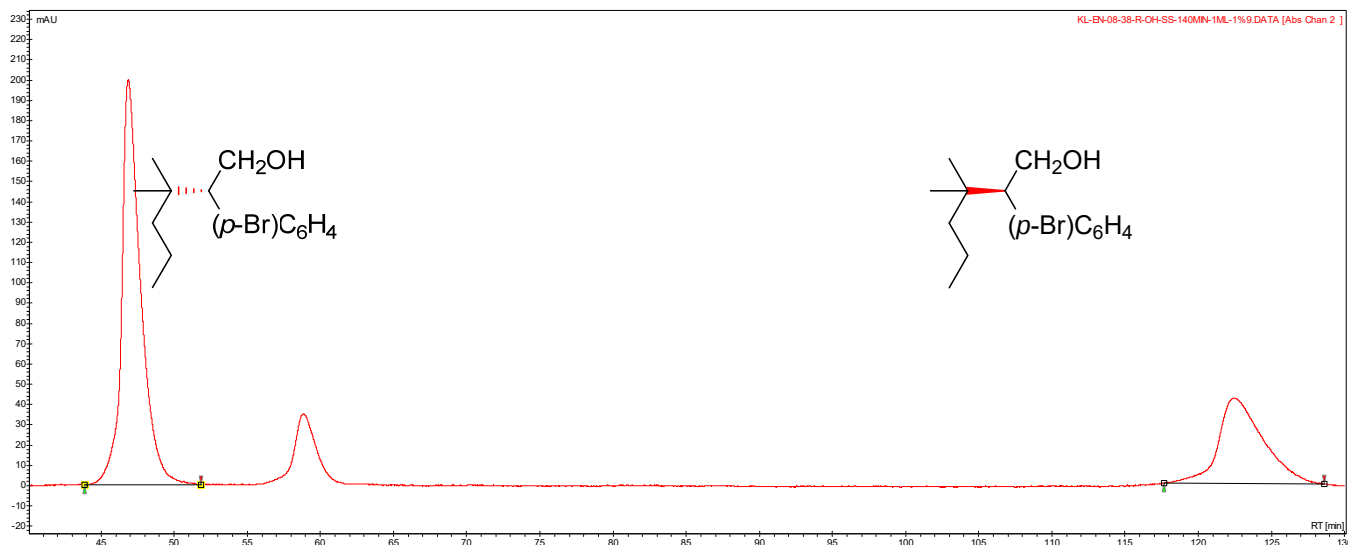
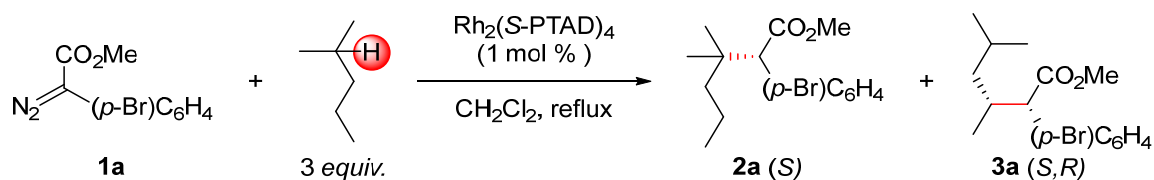
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| 1 | 45.98      | 71.449     |
| 2 | 120.82     | 28.551     |

-43 % e.e.



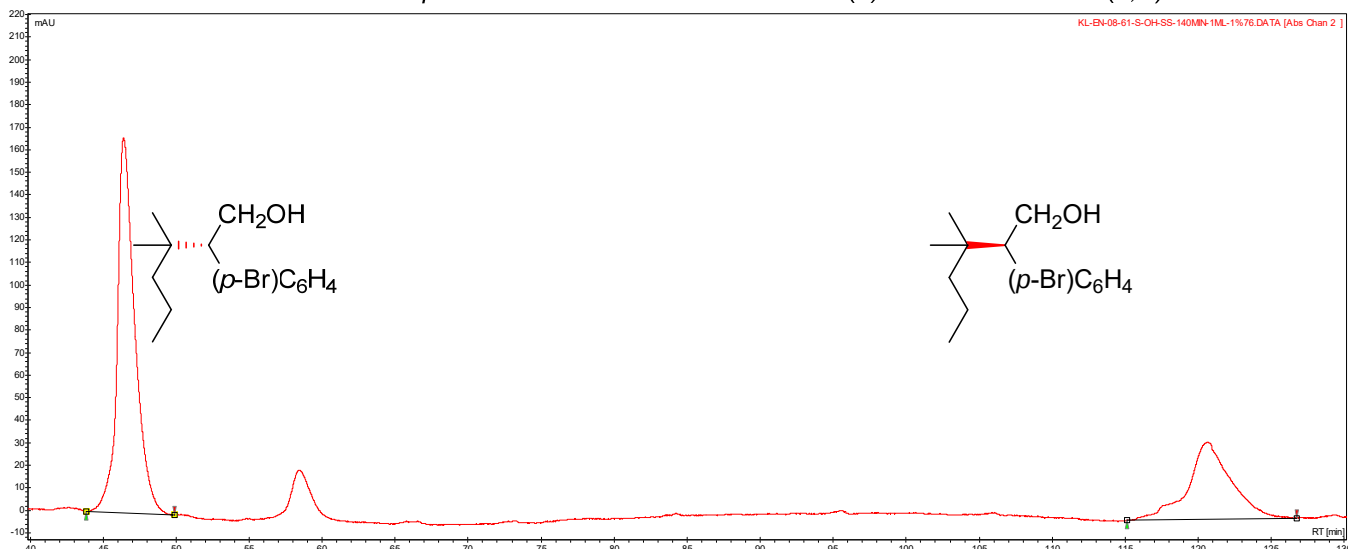
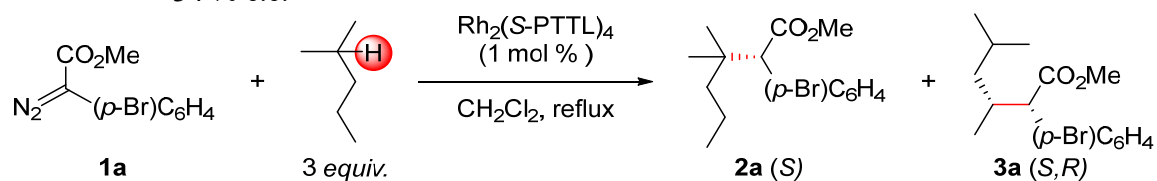
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| 1 | 47.91      | 54.986     |
| 2 | 125.47     | 45.014     |

-10 % e.e.



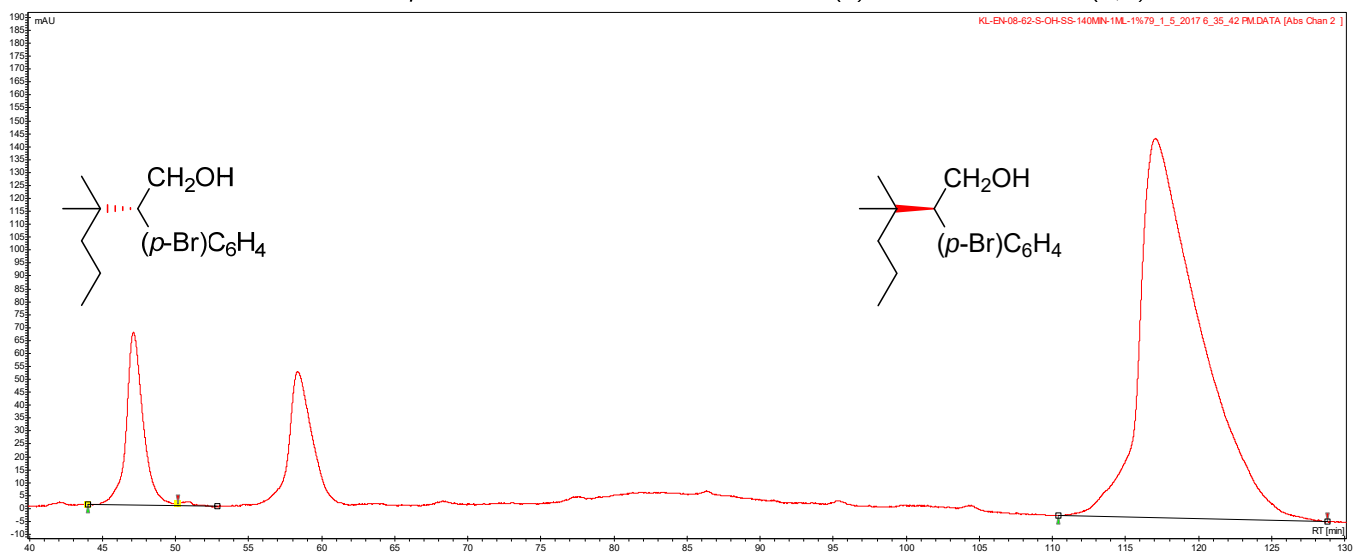
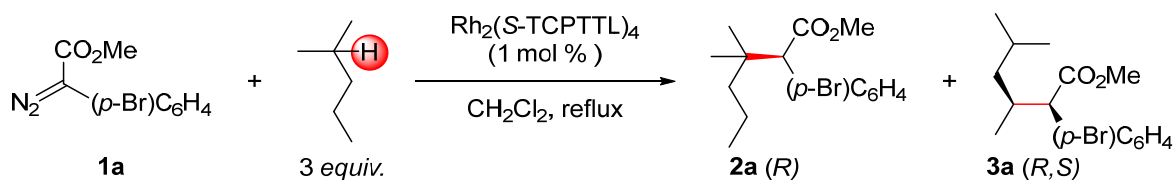
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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 46.86      | 66.765     |
| 2 | 122.38     | 33.235     |

-34 % e.e.



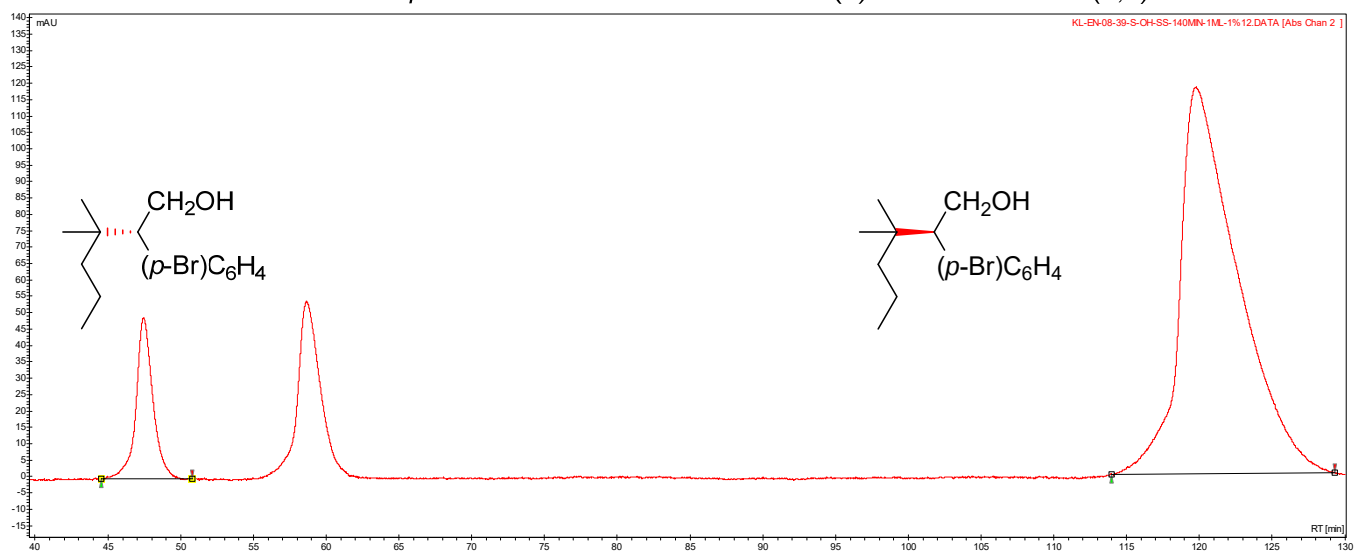
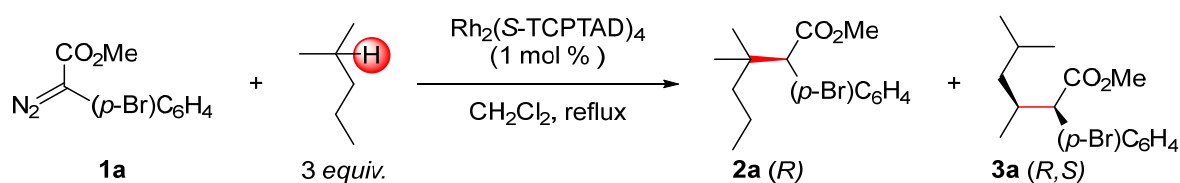
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| 1 | 46.40      | 66.565     |
| 2 | 120.66     | 33.435     |

-33 % e.e.



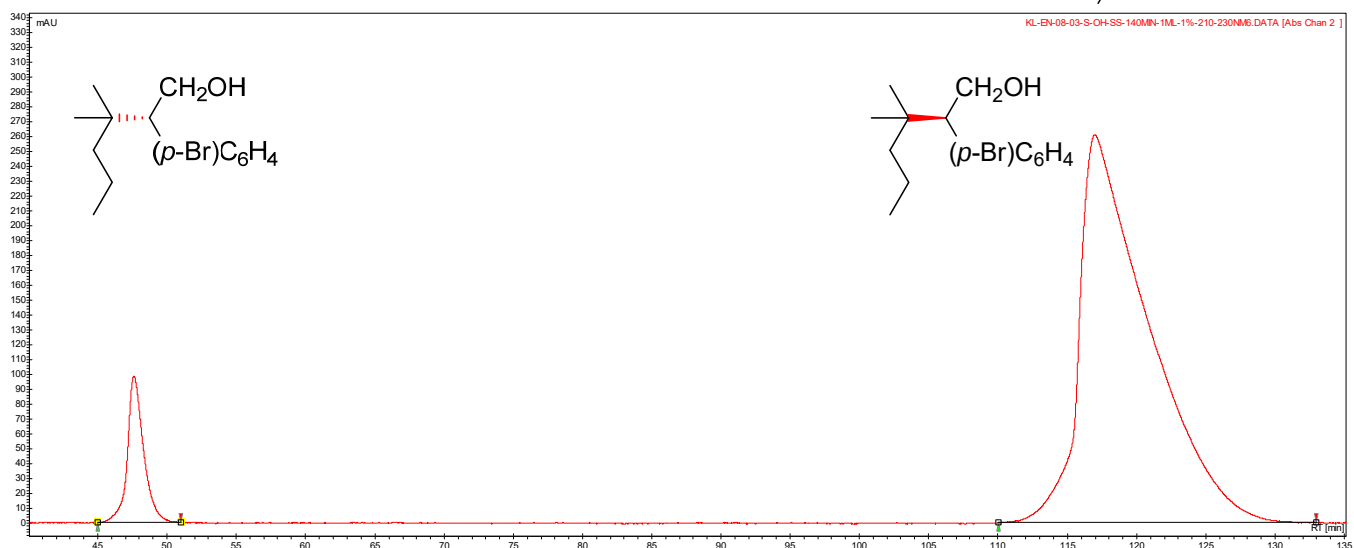
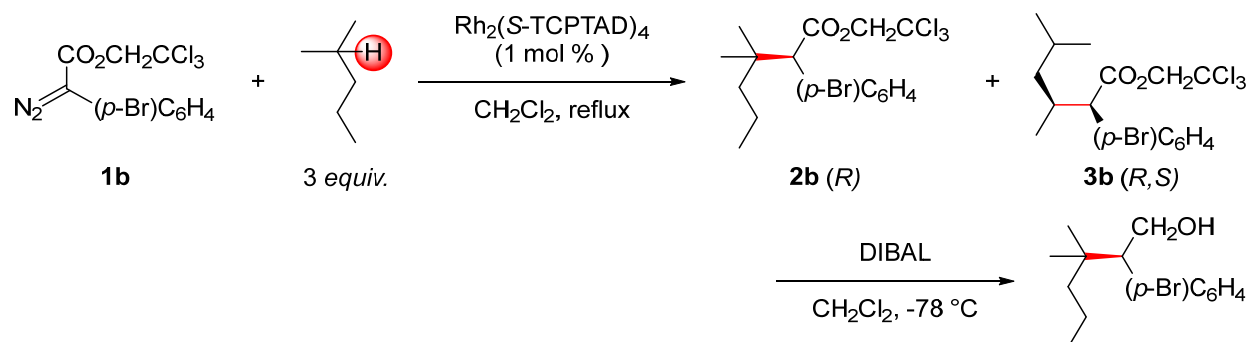
| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 47.13      | 11.286     |
| 2 | 117.05     | 88.714     |

77 % e.e.

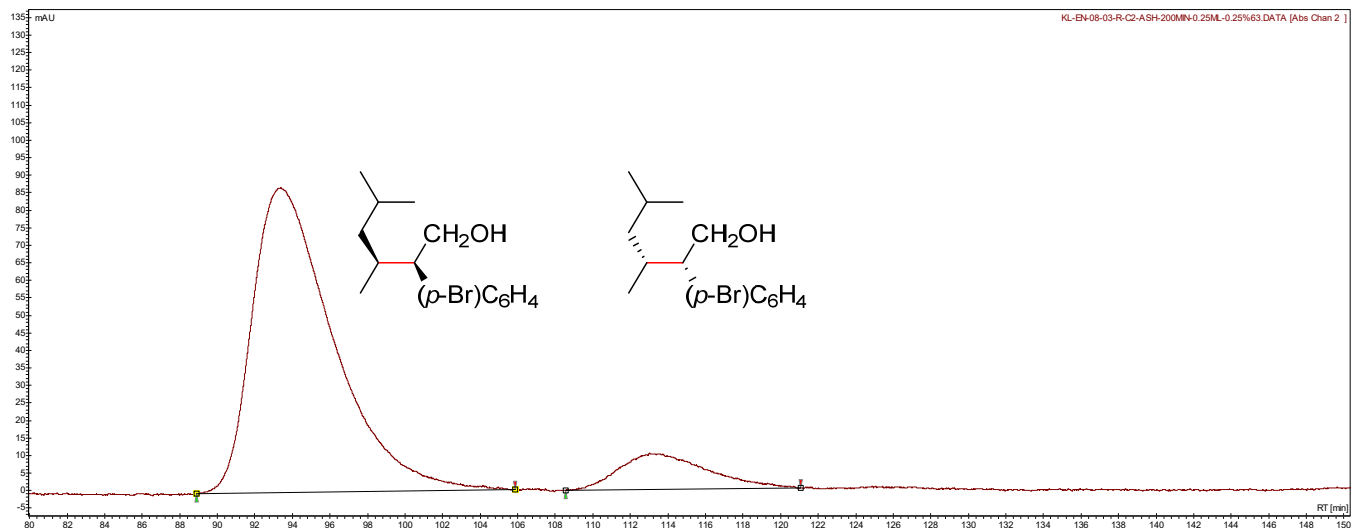
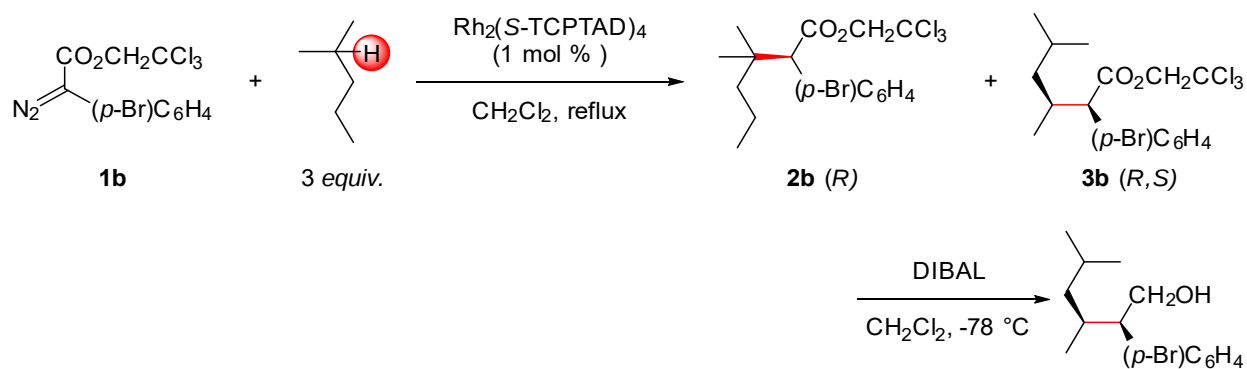


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 47.46      | 10.742     |
| 2 | 119.78     | 89.258     |

79 % e.e.

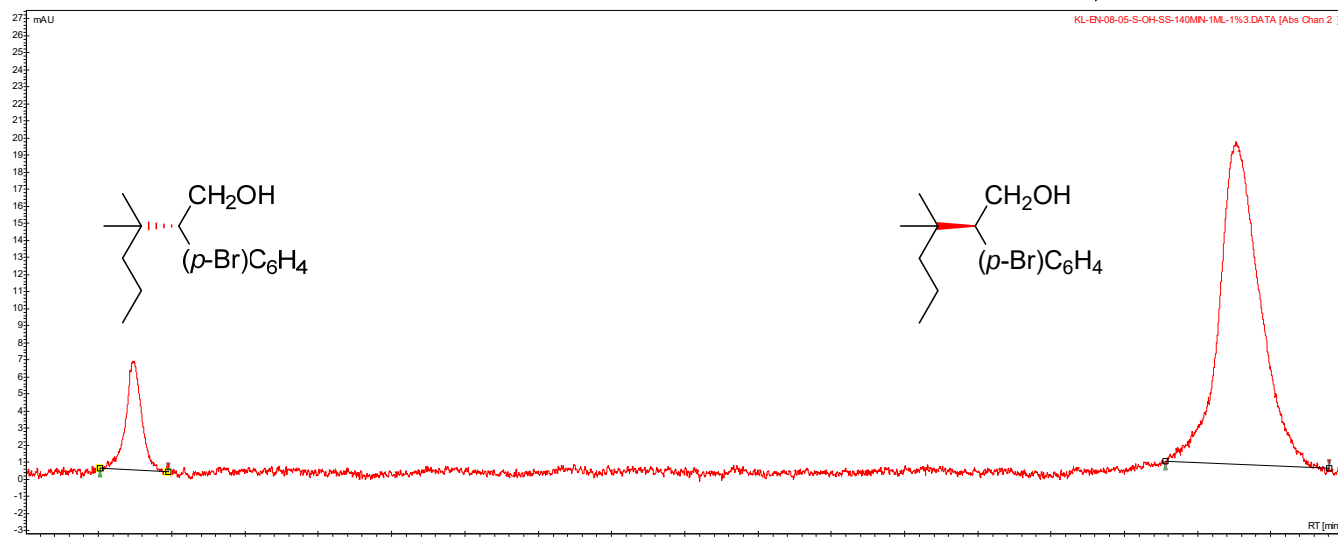
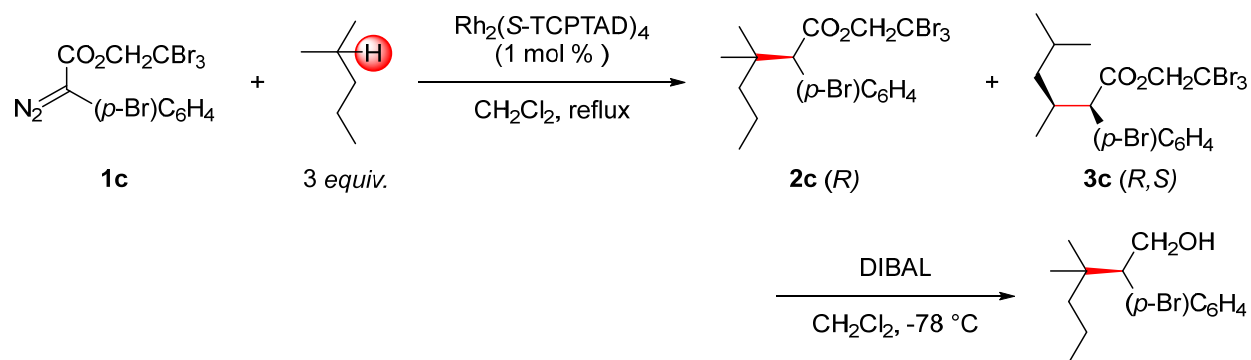


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 47.61      | 8.069      |
| 2 | 91.93      | 91.931     |
|   |            | 84 % e.e.  |

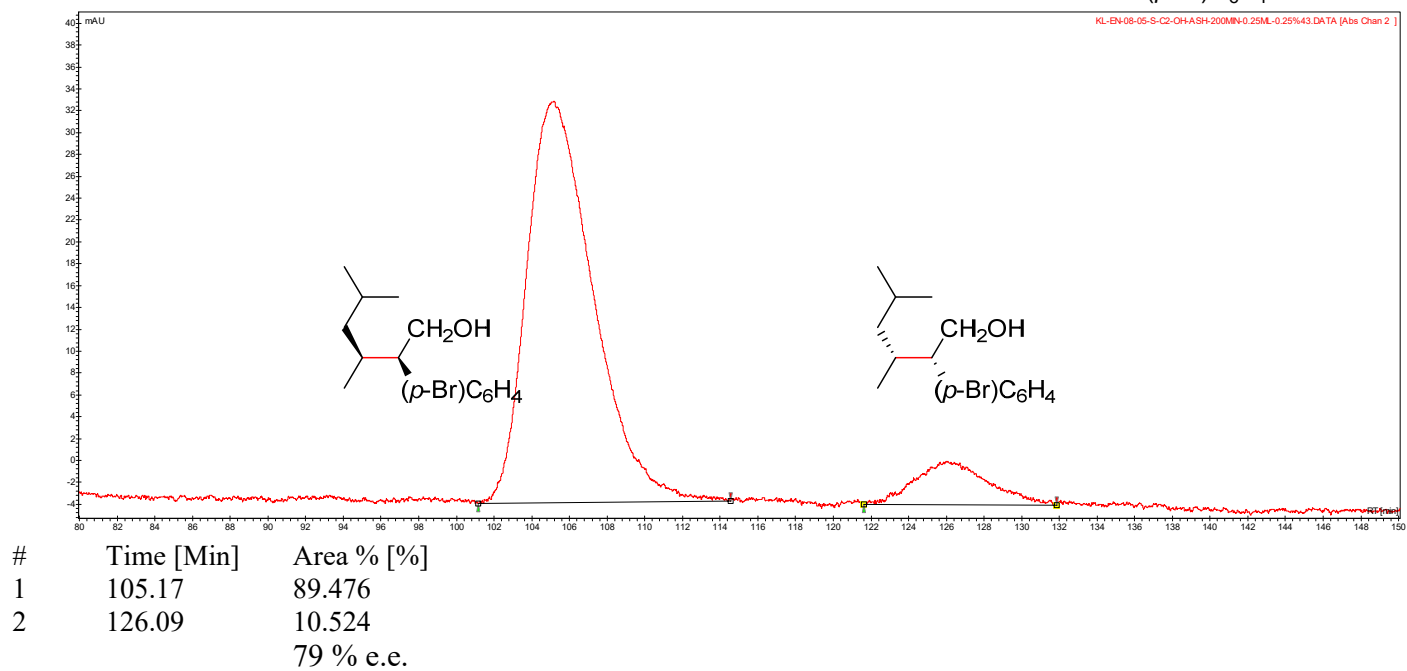
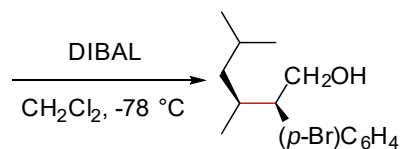
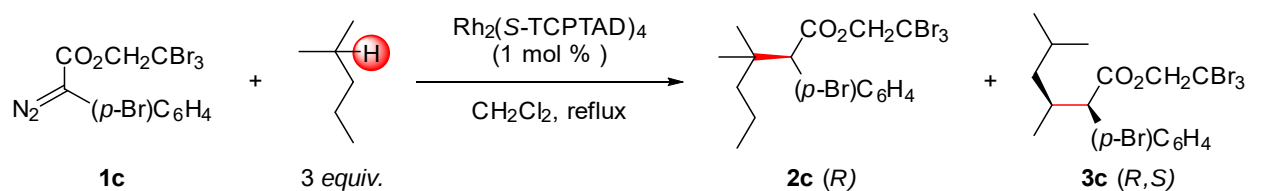


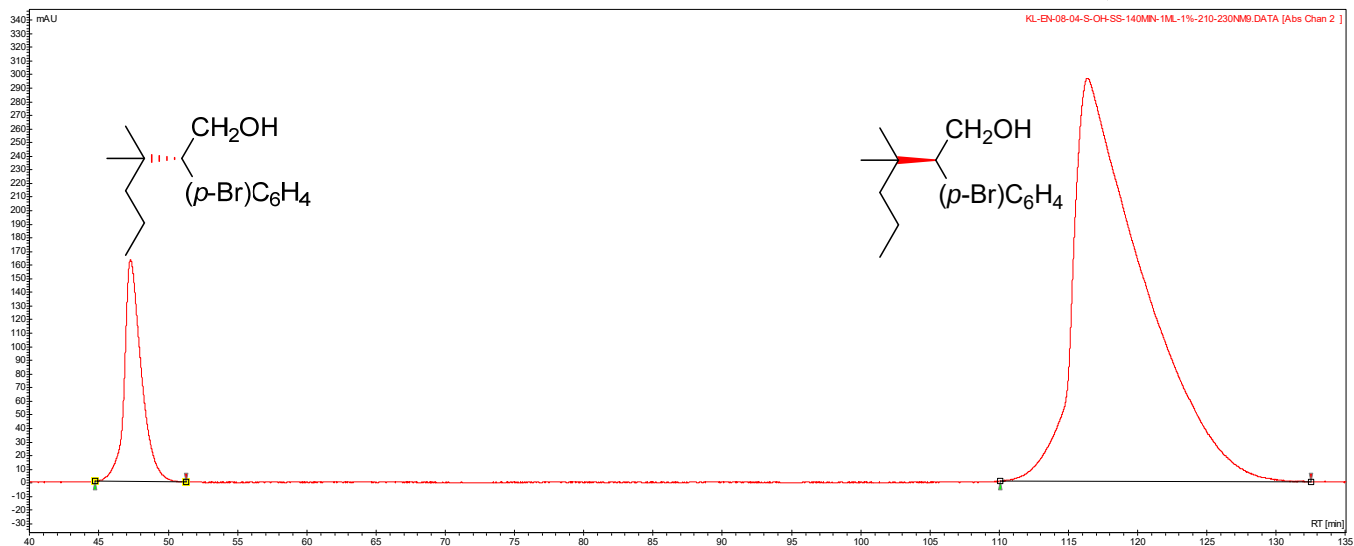
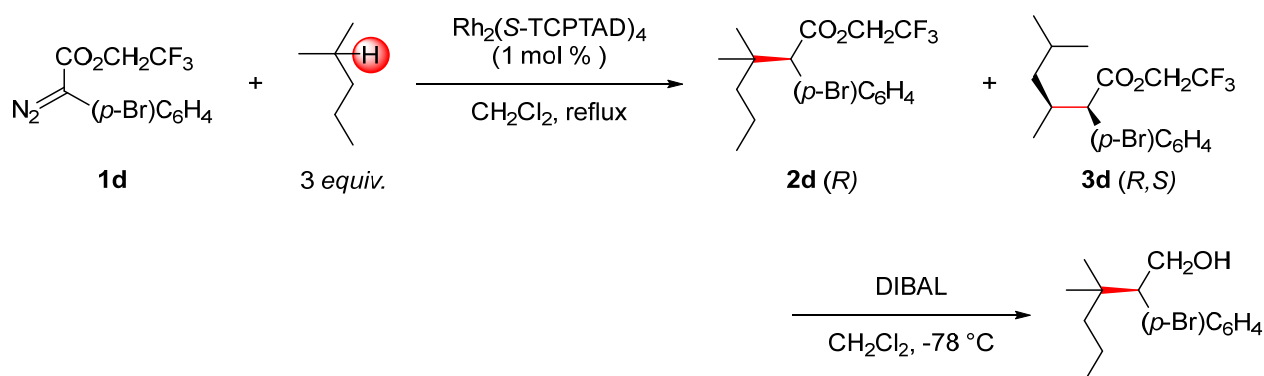
| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 93.38      | 88.720     |
| 2 | 113.03     | 11.280     |

77 % e.e.

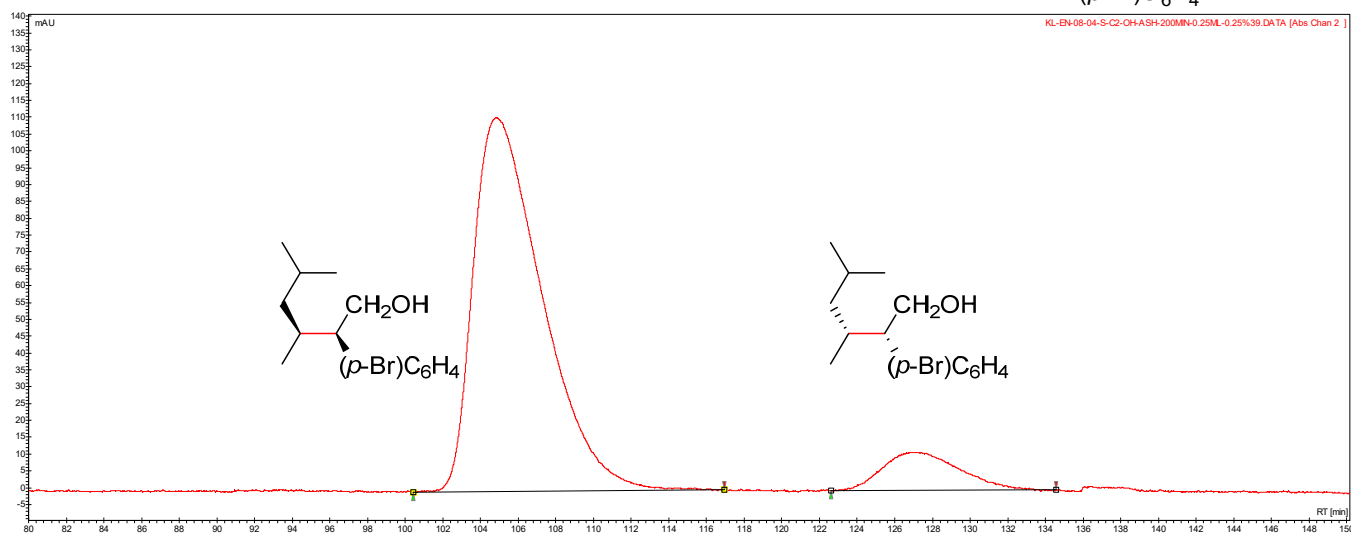
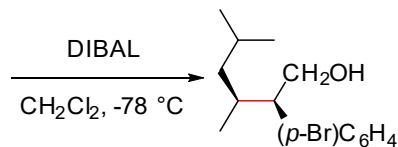
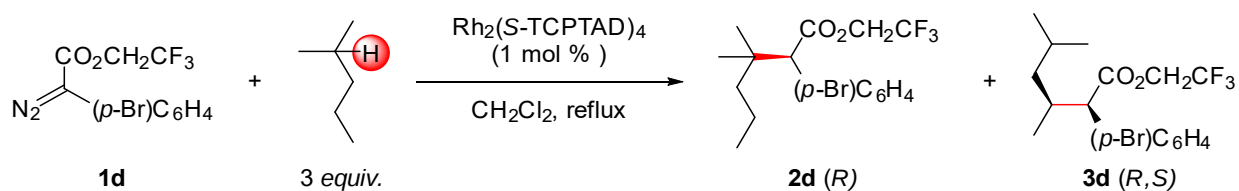


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 47.39      | 11.589     |
| 2 | 122.62     | 88.411     |
|   |            | 77 % e.e.  |





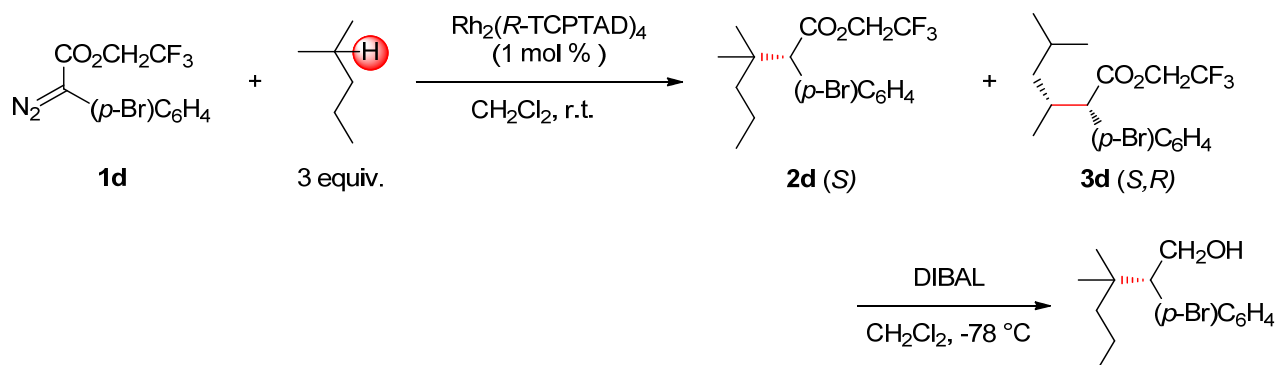
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| 2 | 116.33     | 88.306     |
|   |            | 77 % e.e.  |



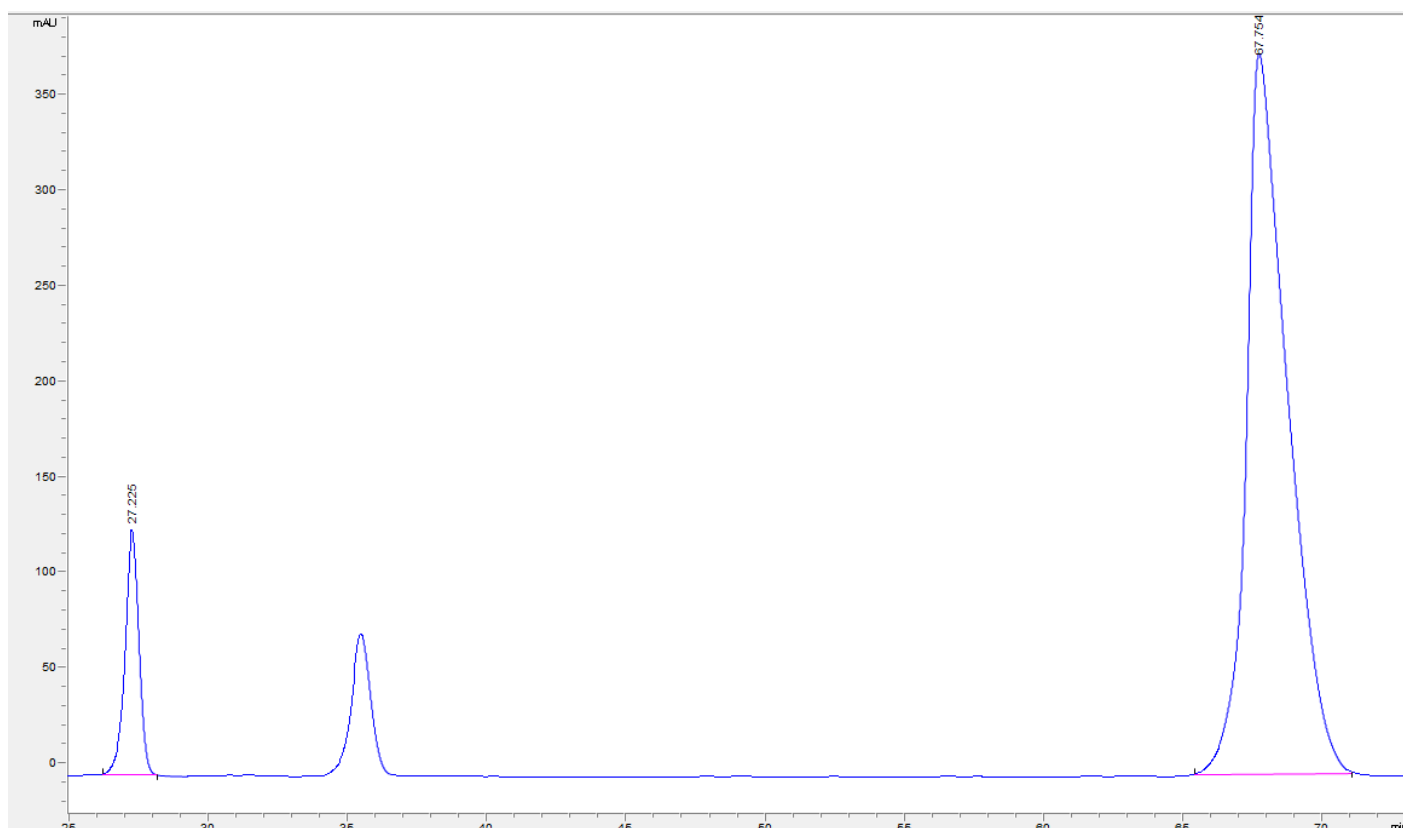
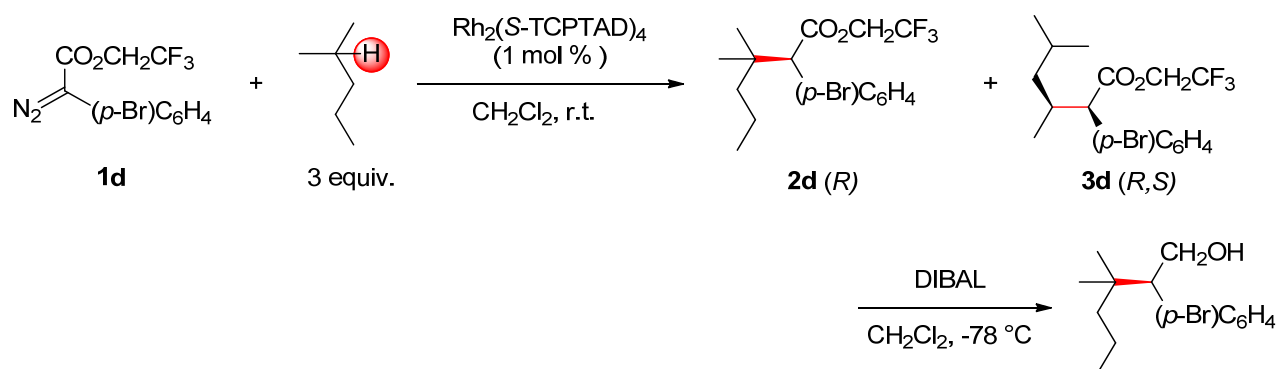
| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 104.83     | 89.640     |
| 2 | 126.85     | 10.360     |
|   |            | 79 % e.e.  |

### 9.3 Reaction Condition Screen for the Functionalization of 2-Methylpentane

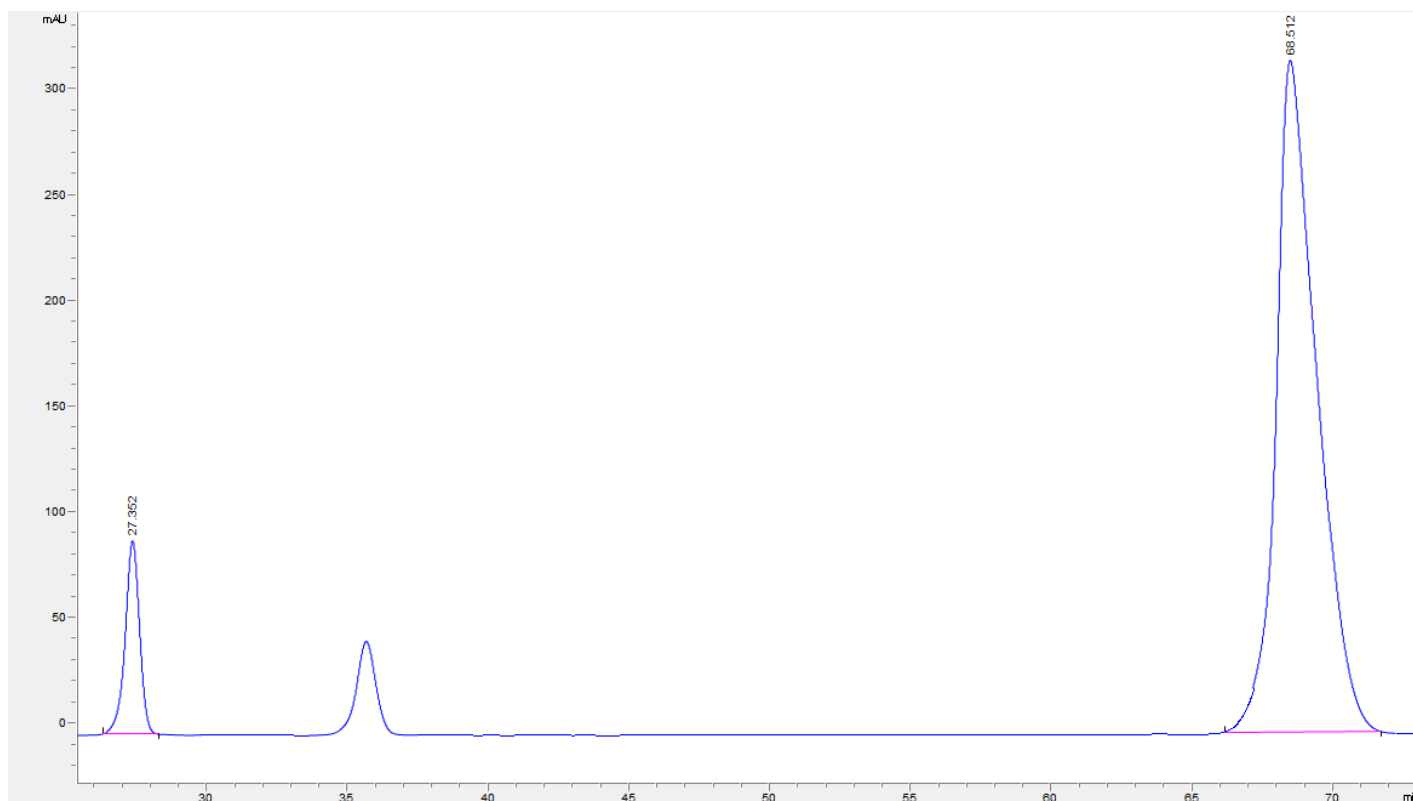
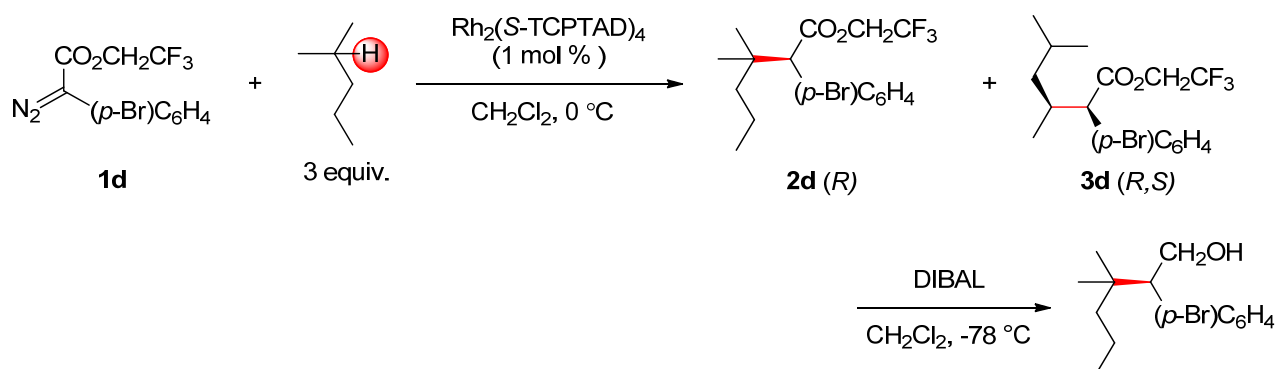
A different HPLC machine with a different S,S-whelk chiral column was used, so the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(R\text{-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(S\text{-TCPTAD})_4$ .



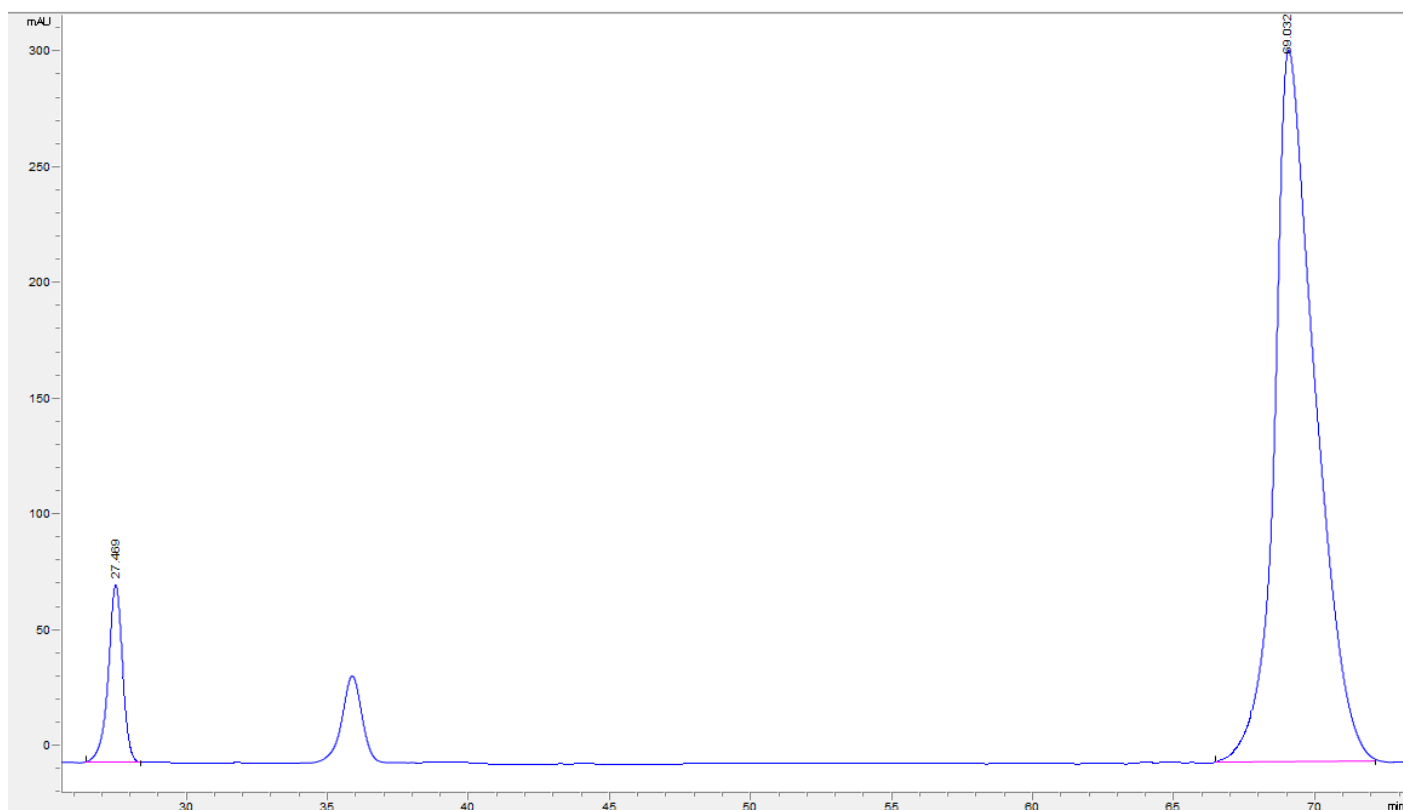
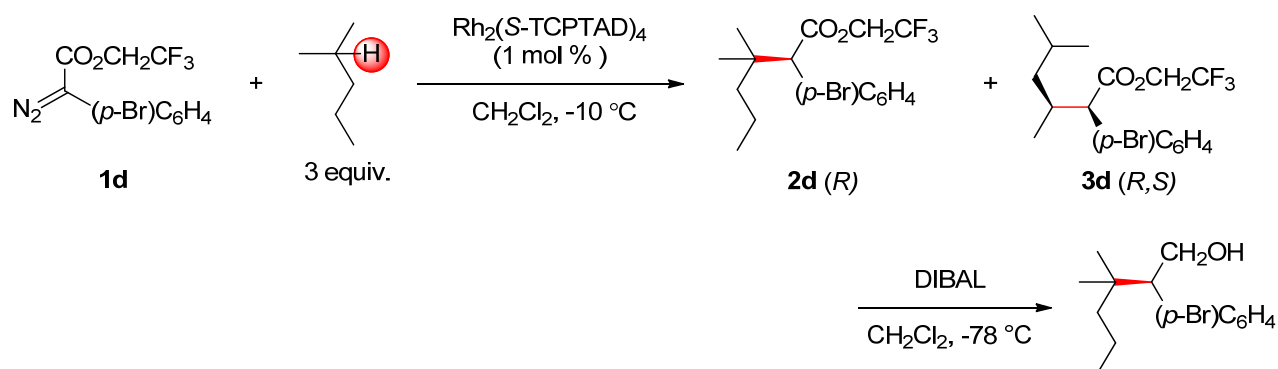
| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 27.283     | 90.308    |
| 2 | 69.848     | 9.692 n   |
|   |            | -80% e.e. |



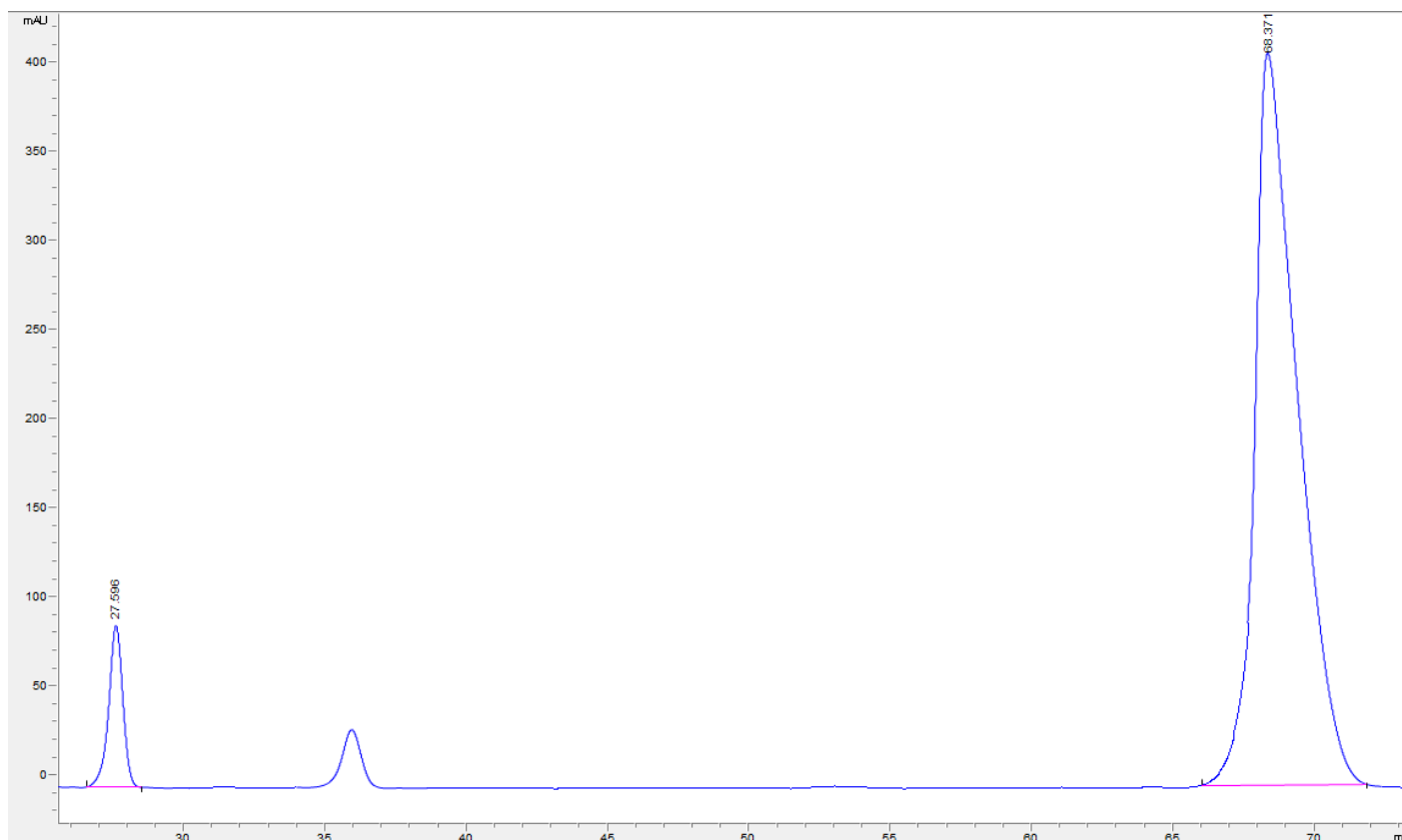
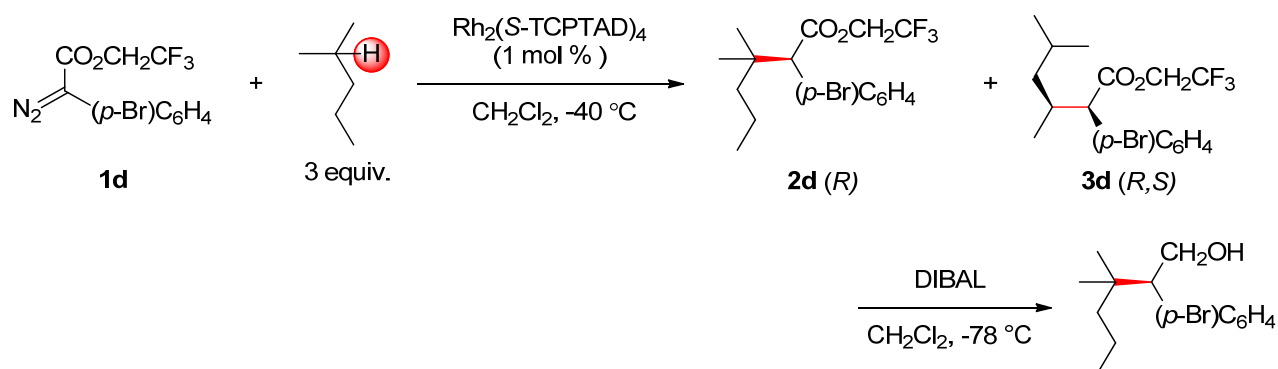
| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 25.830     | 10.208    |
| 2 | 63.988     | 89.794    |
|   |            | 80% e.e.  |



| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 27.352     | 9.261     |
| 2 | 68.512     | 90.739    |
|   |            | 82% e.e.  |

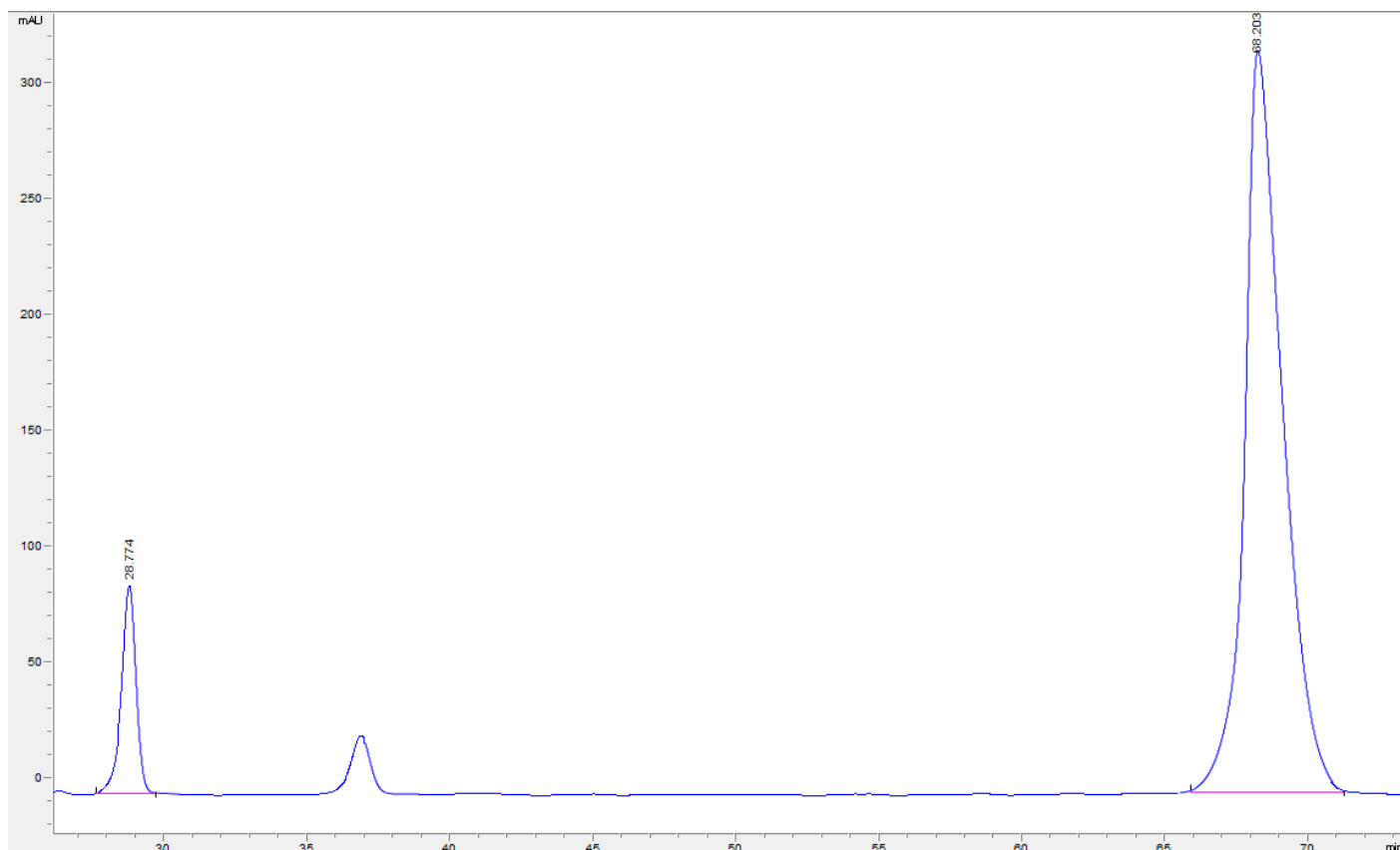
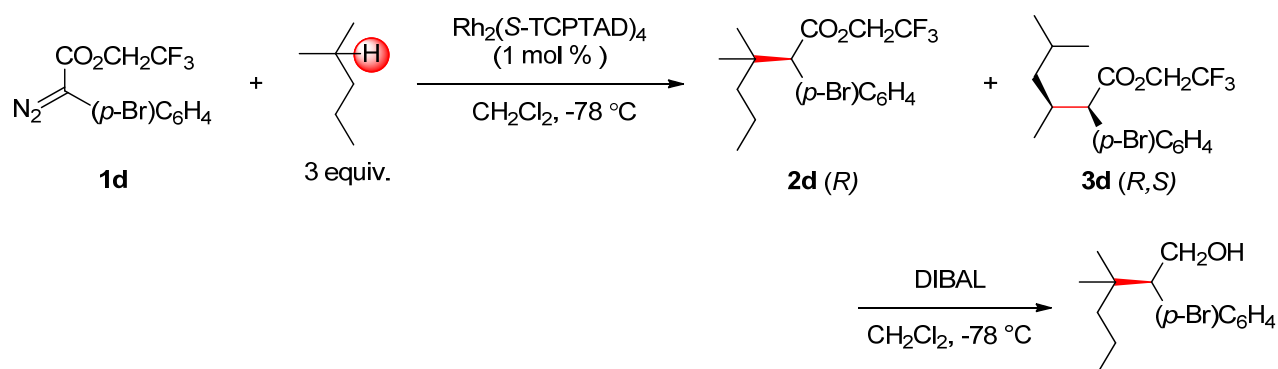


| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 27.469     | 8.071     |
| 2 | 69.032     | 91.929    |
|   |            | 84% e.e.  |

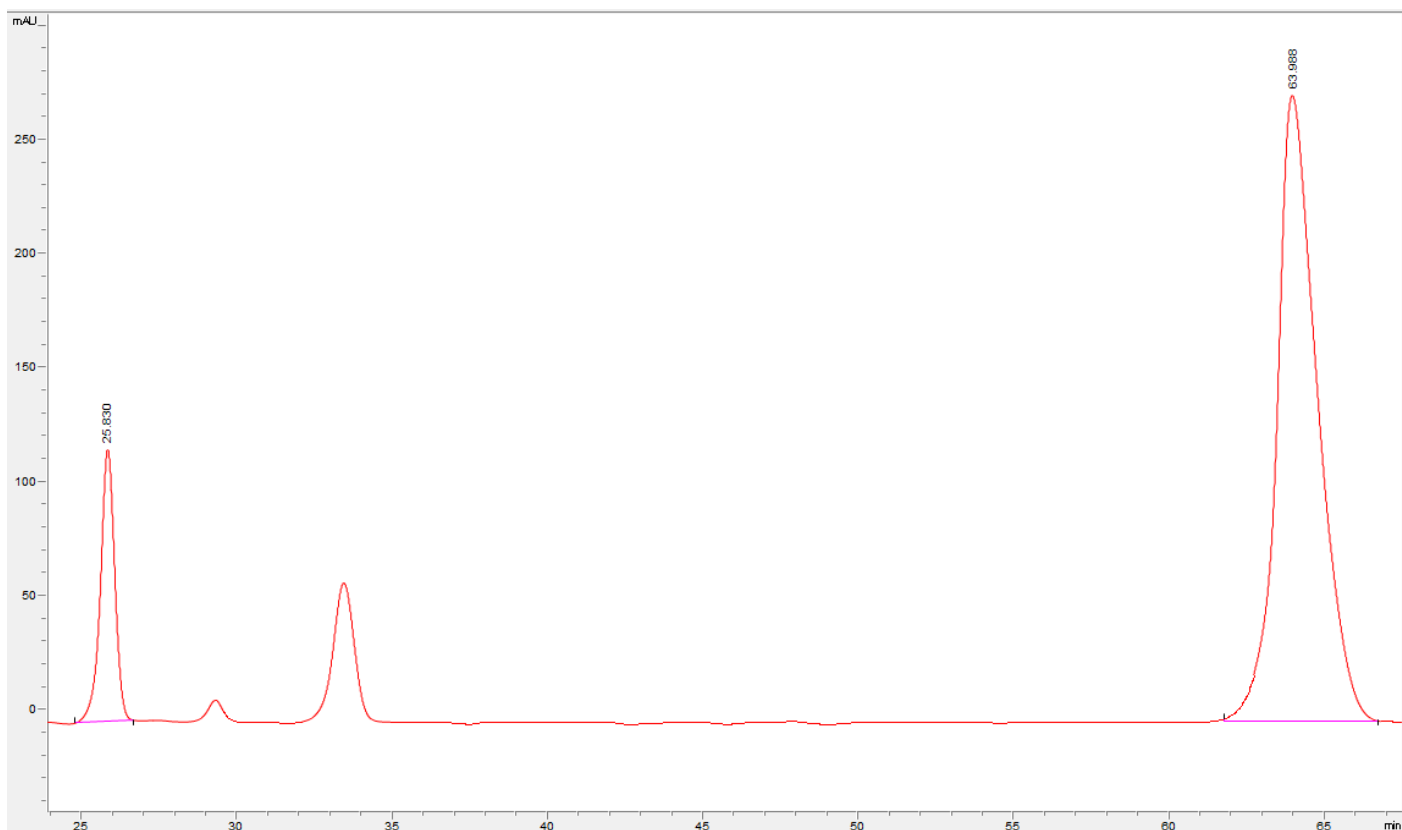
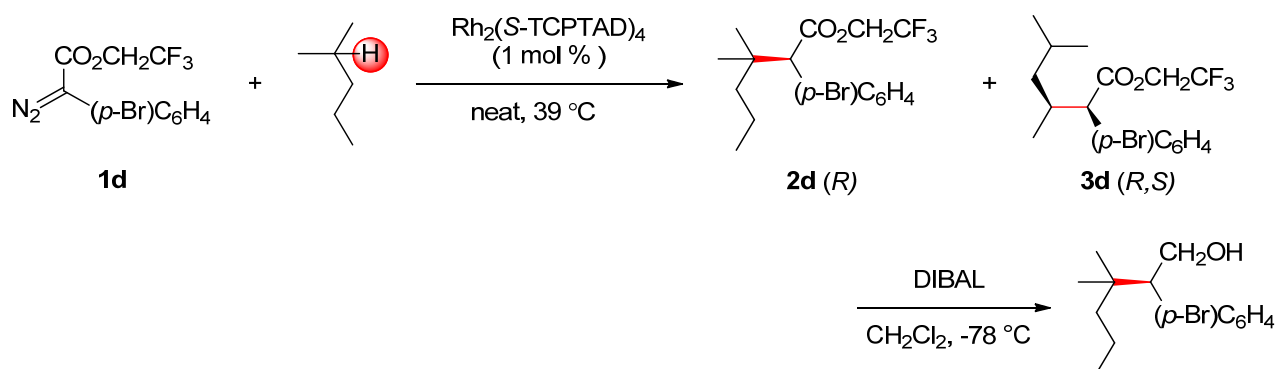


| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 27.596     | 6.745     |
| 2 | 68.371     | 93.255    |

86% e.e.

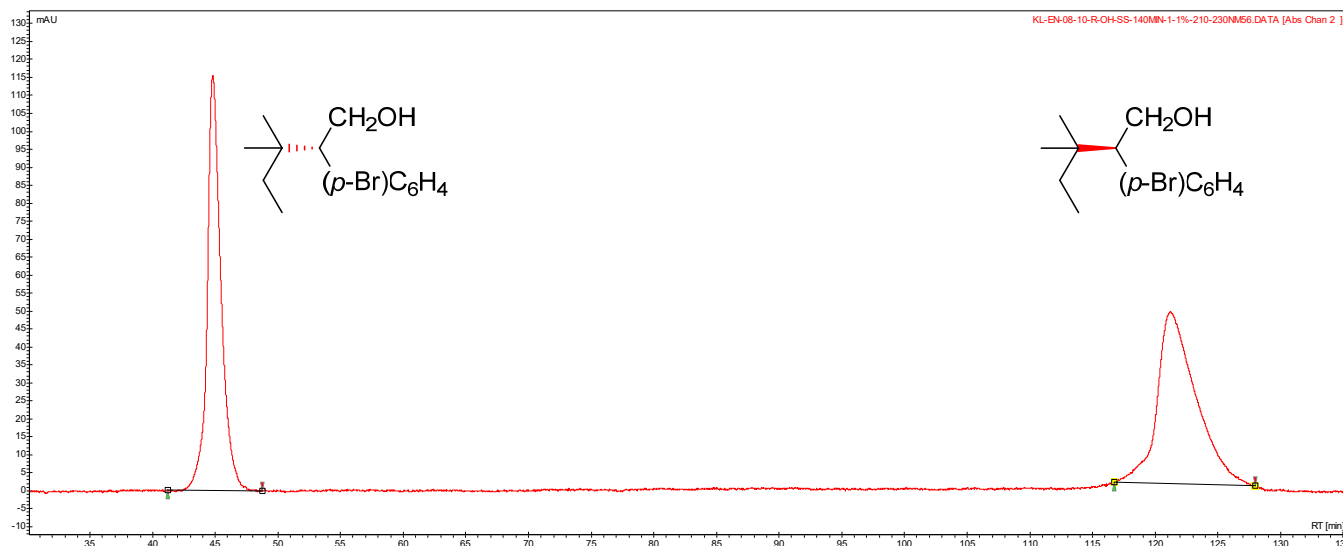
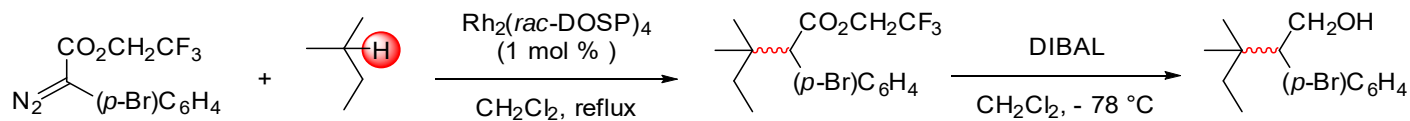


| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 28.774     | 9.729     |
| 2 | 68.203     | 90.271    |
|   |            | 80% e.e.  |

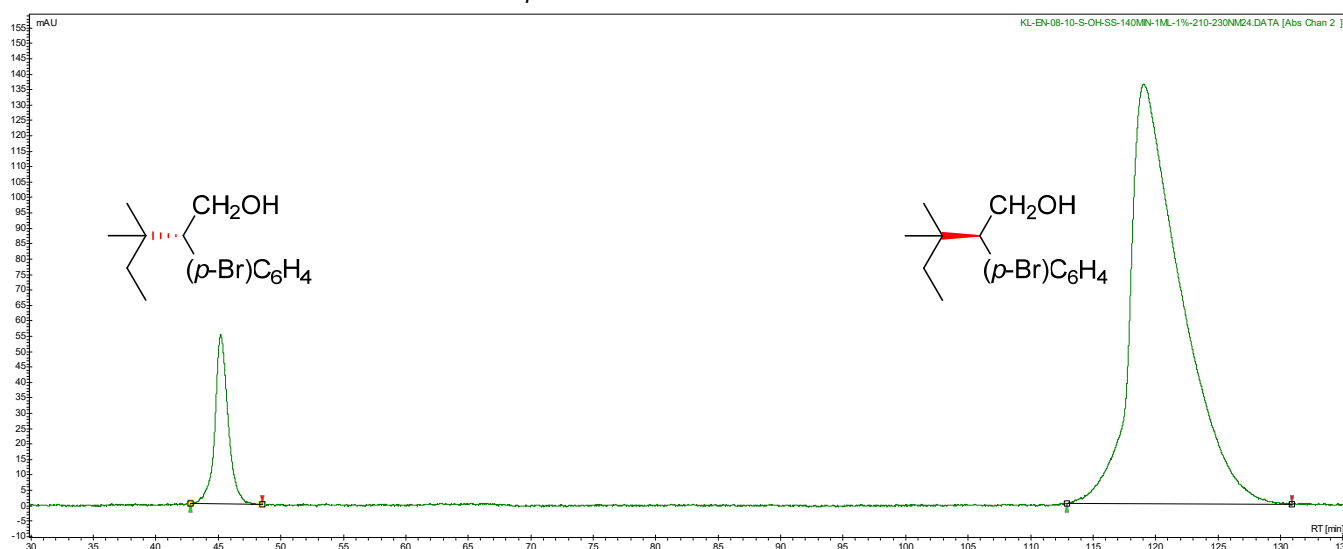
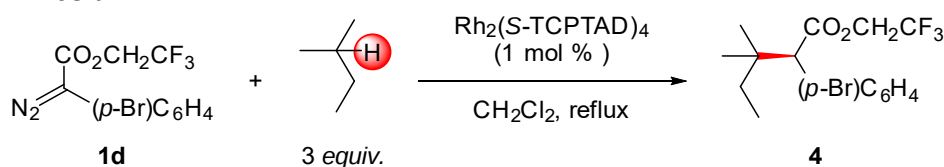


| # | Time [Min] | Area% [%] |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | 25.830     | 13.436    |
| 2 | 63.988     | 86.564    |
|   |            | 73% e.e.  |

## 9.3 C–H Functionalization Products 4-26

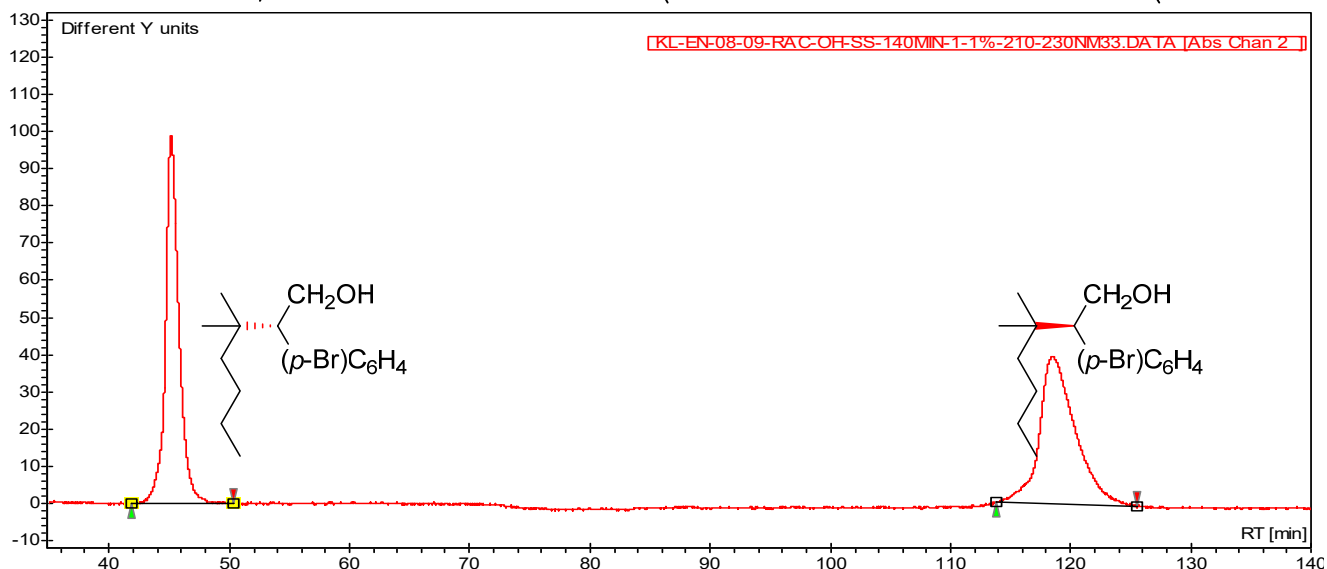
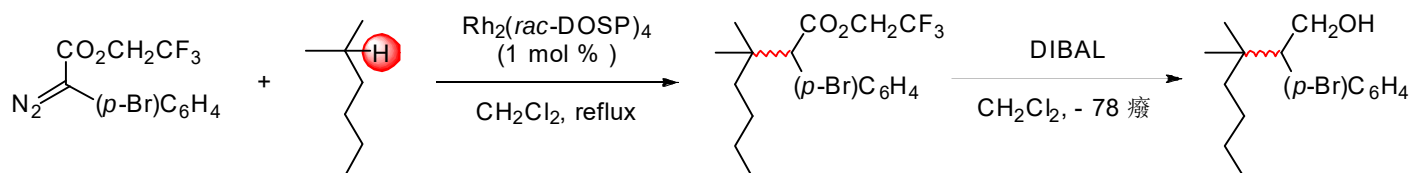


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 44.81      | 46.077     |
| 2 | 121.22     | 53.92      |

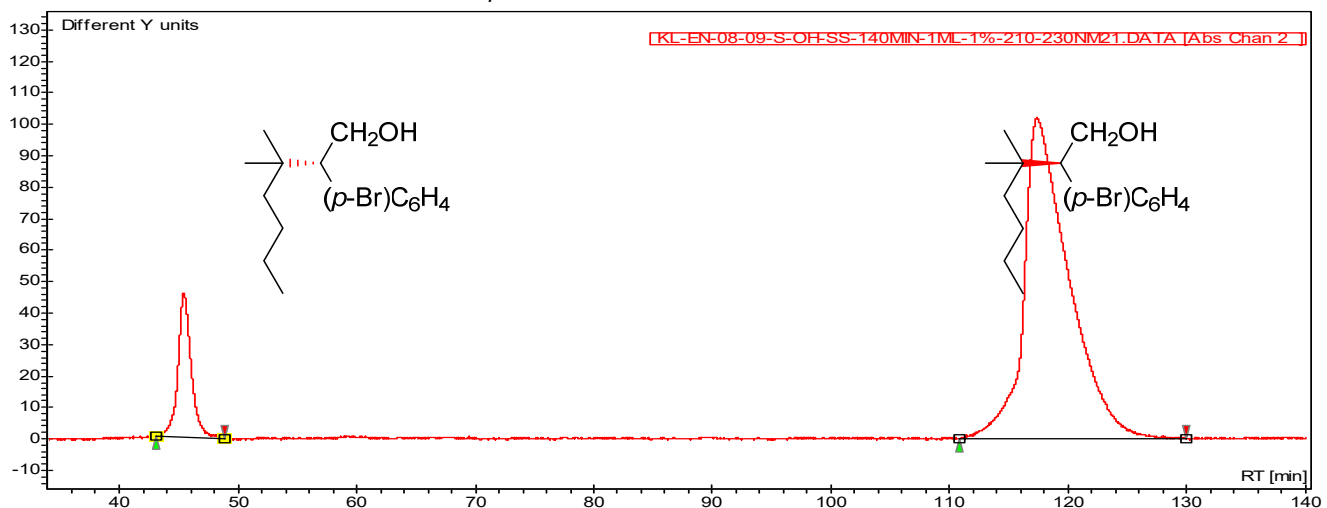
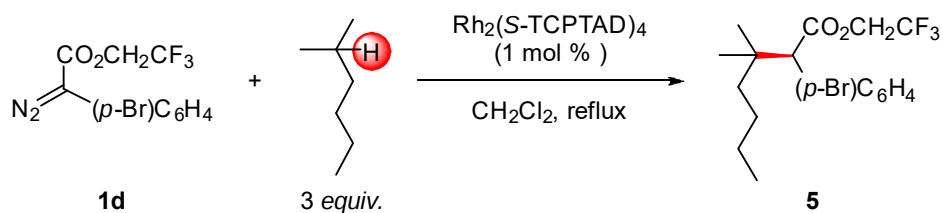


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 45.20      | 9.435      |
| 2 | 119.00     | 90.565     |

81 % e.e.

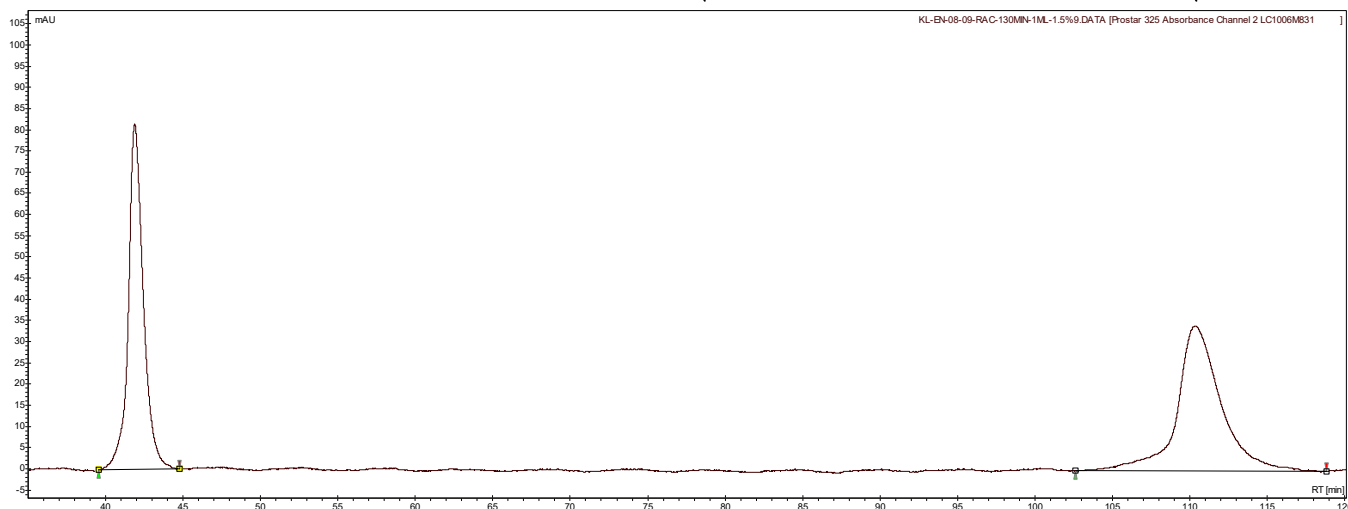
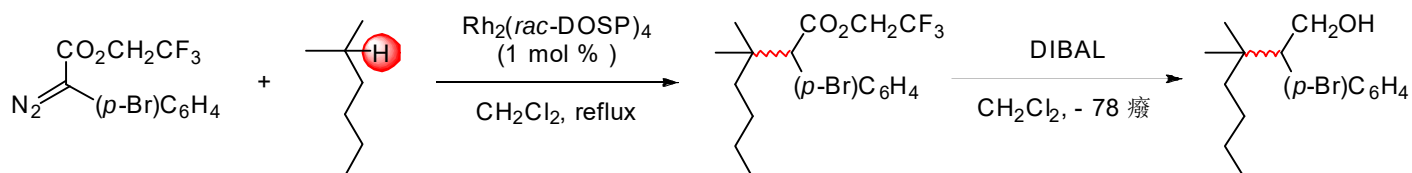


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| 1 | 45.15      | 48.468     |
| 2 | 118.51     | 51.532     |

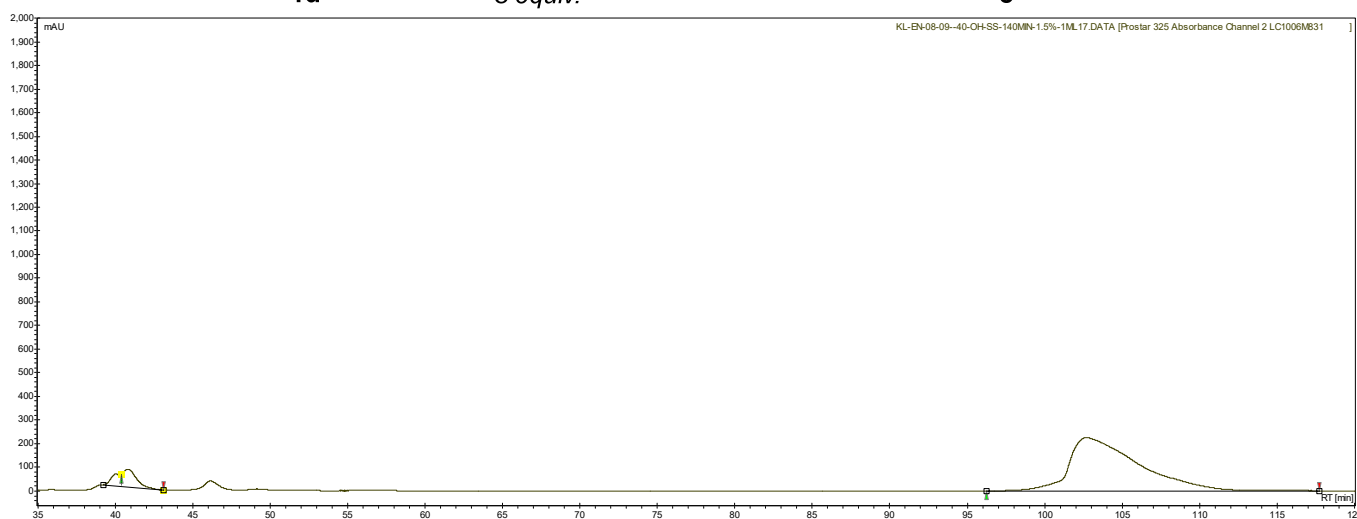
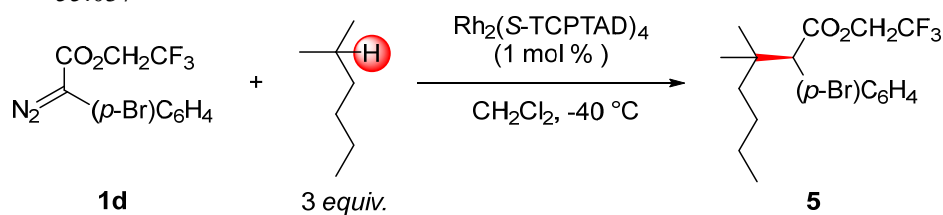


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 45.48      | 11.597     |
| 2 | 117.39     | 88.403     |

77 % e.e.

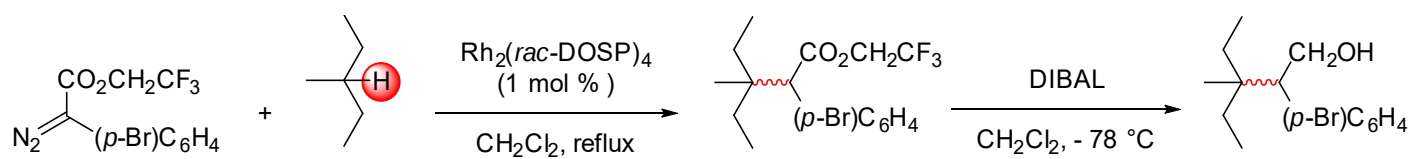


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
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| 1 | 41.88      | 44.963     |
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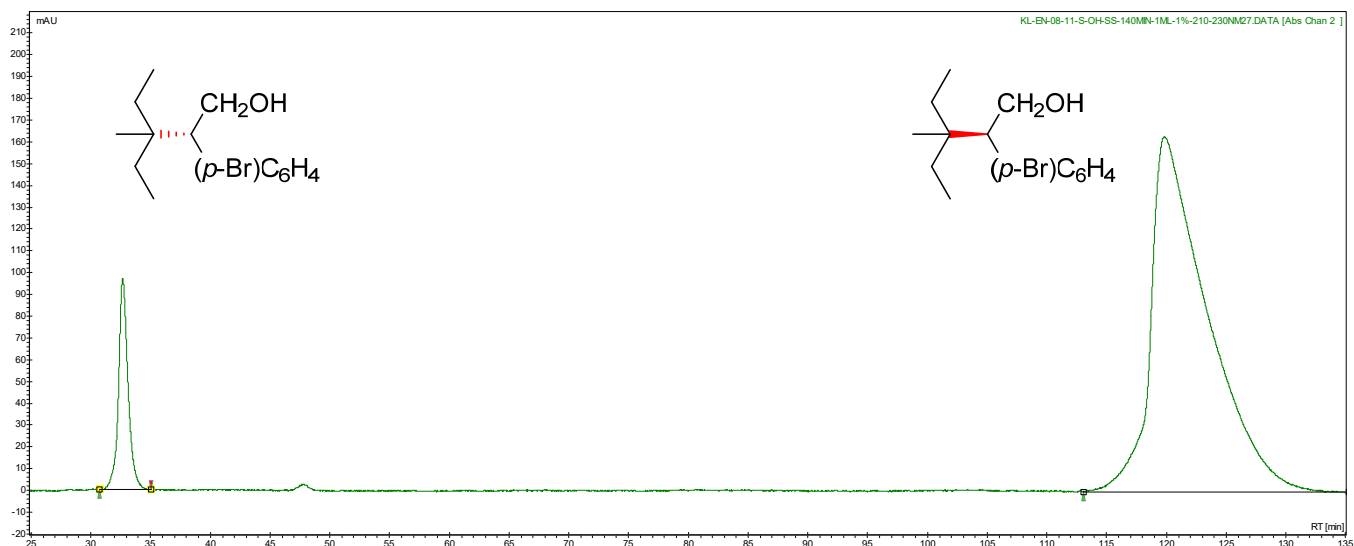
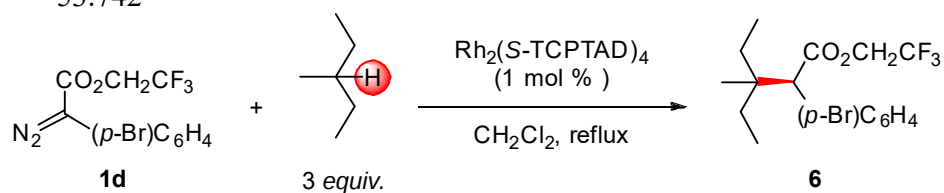


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 40.81      | 6.286      |
| 2 | 102.67     | 93.714     |

87 % e.e.

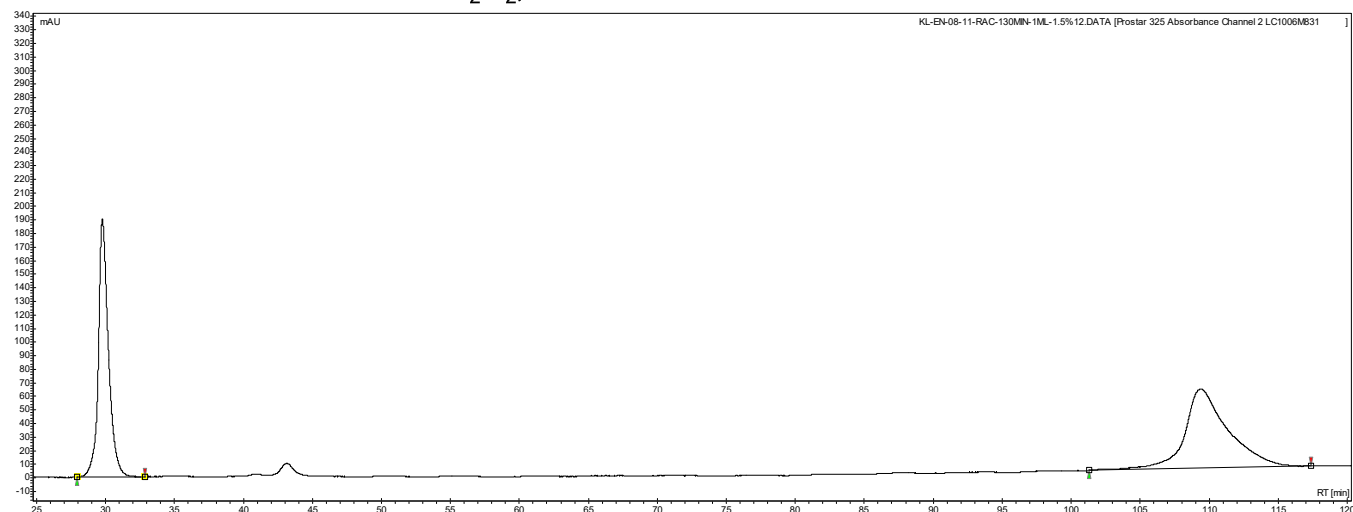
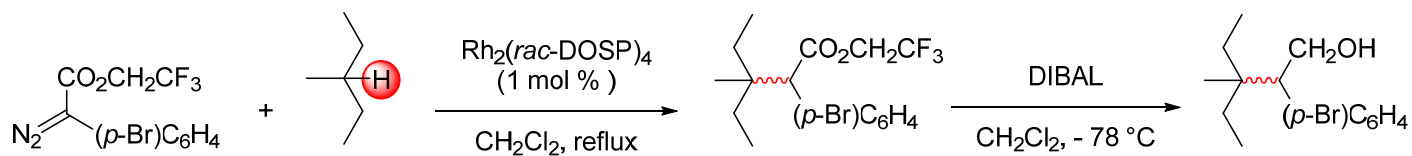


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 32.73      | 46.258     |
| 2 | 124.52     | 53.742     |

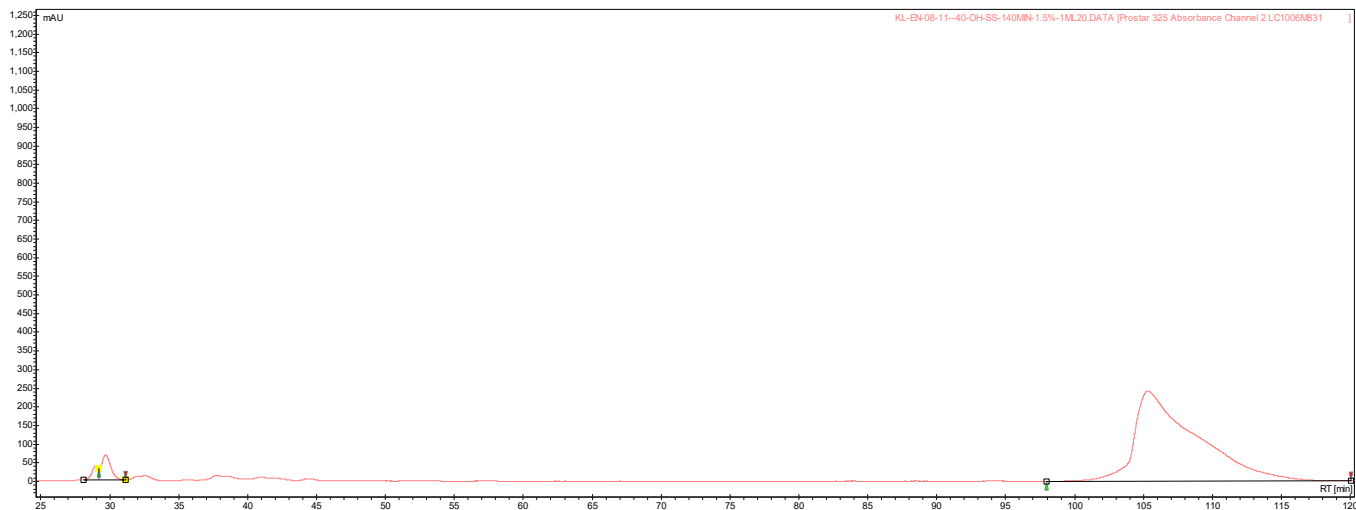
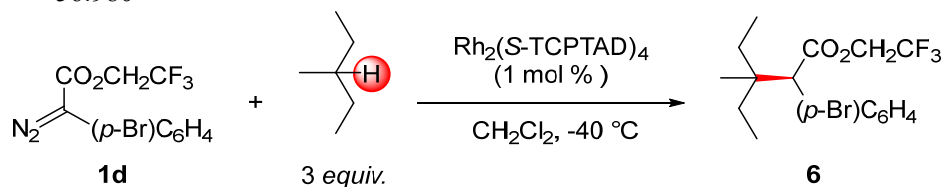


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 32.67      | 9.096      |
| 2 | 119.86     | 90.904     |

82 % e.e.

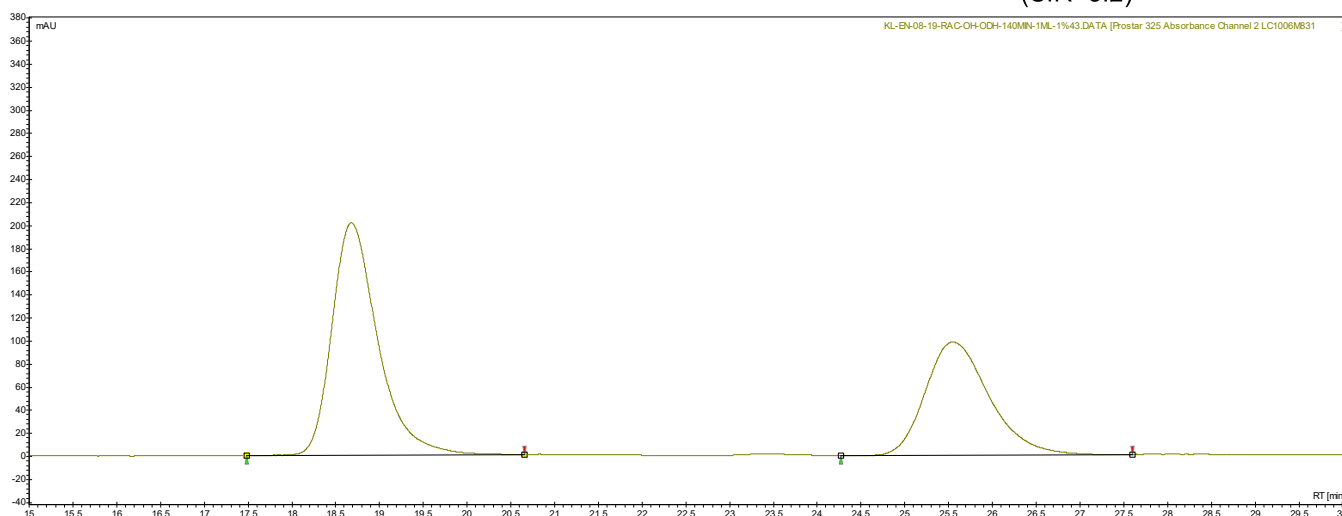
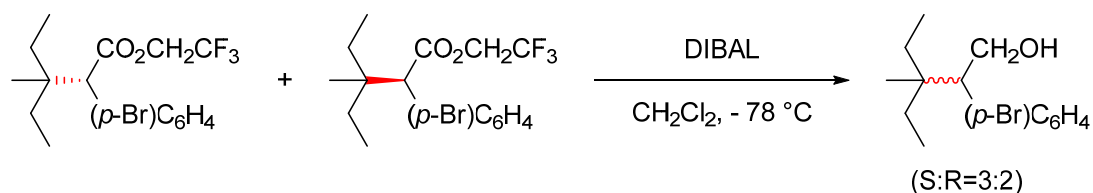


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 29.77      | 43.020     |
| 2 | 109.43     | 56.980     |

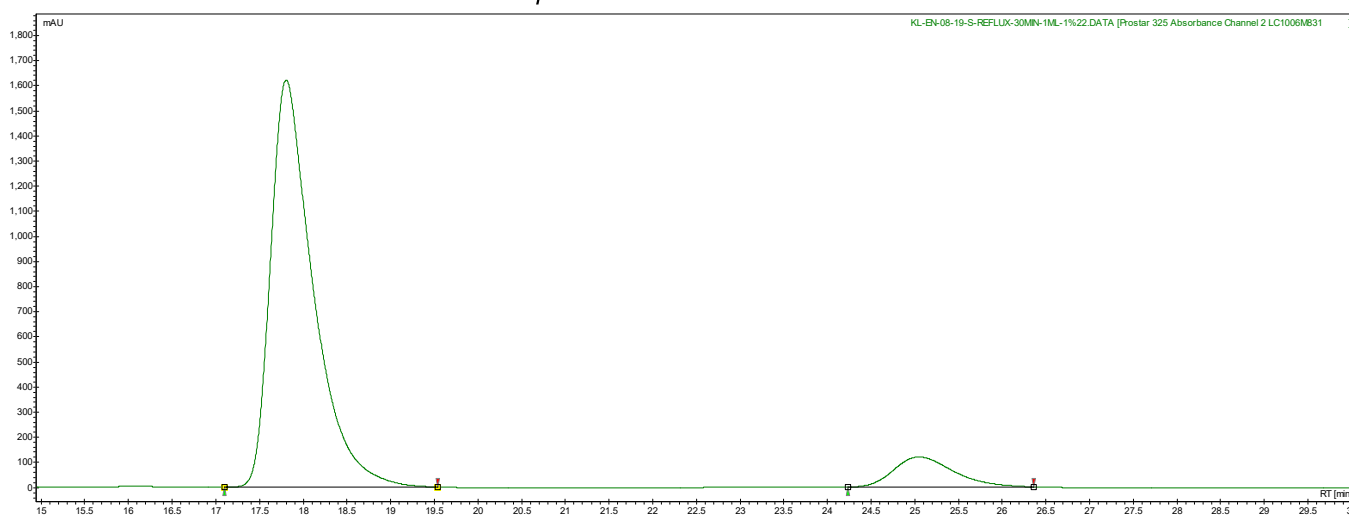
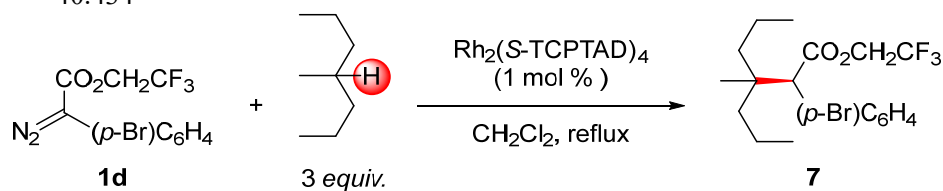


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 29.70      | 3.977      |
| 2 | 105.31     | 96.023     |

92 % e.e.

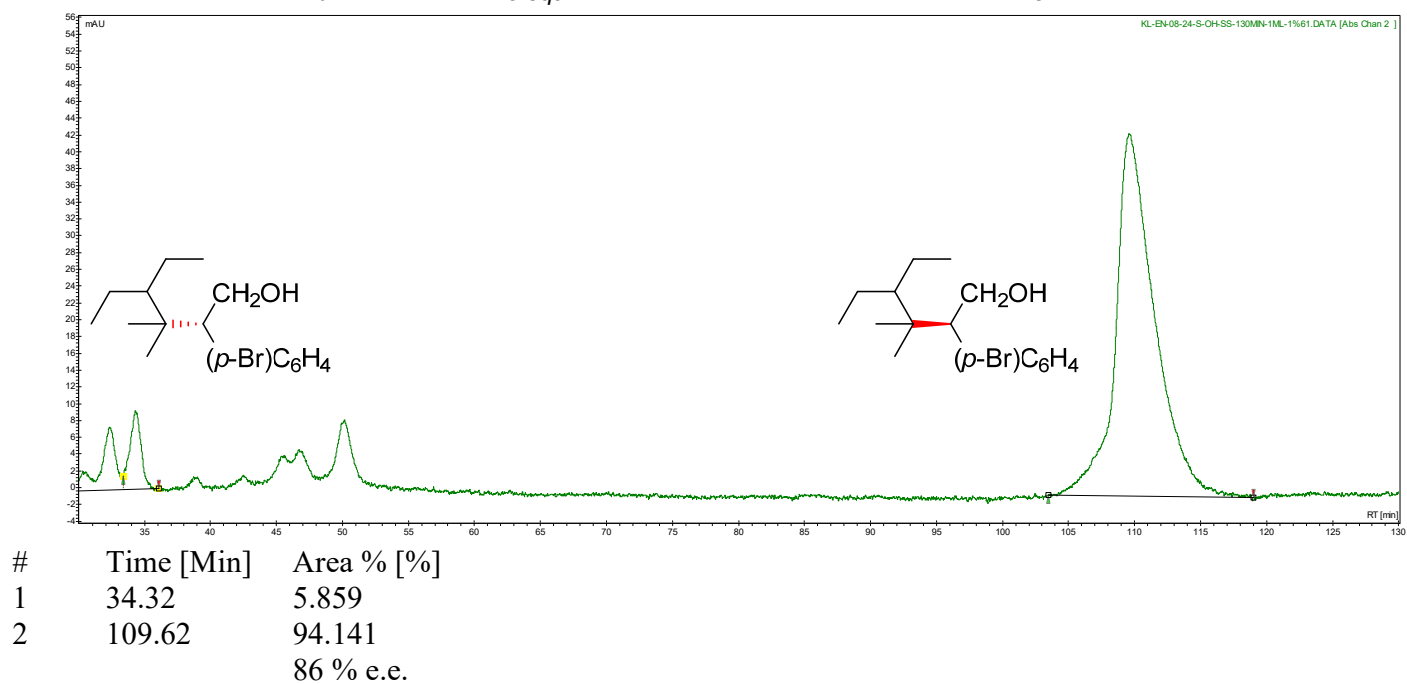
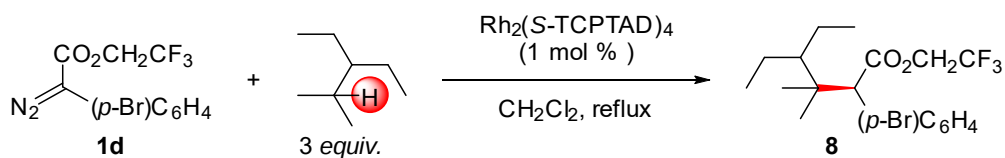
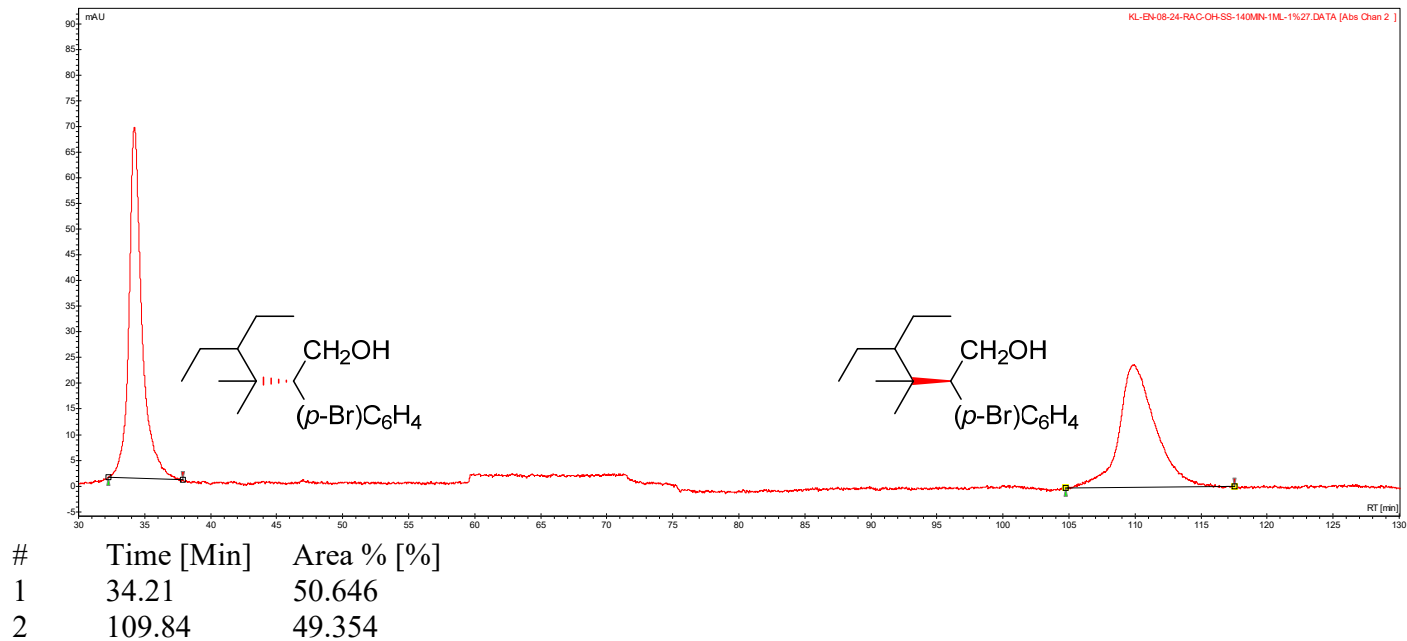
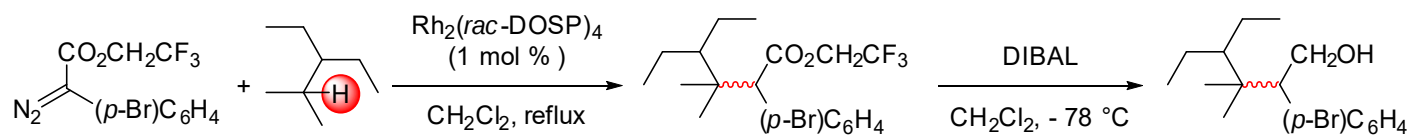


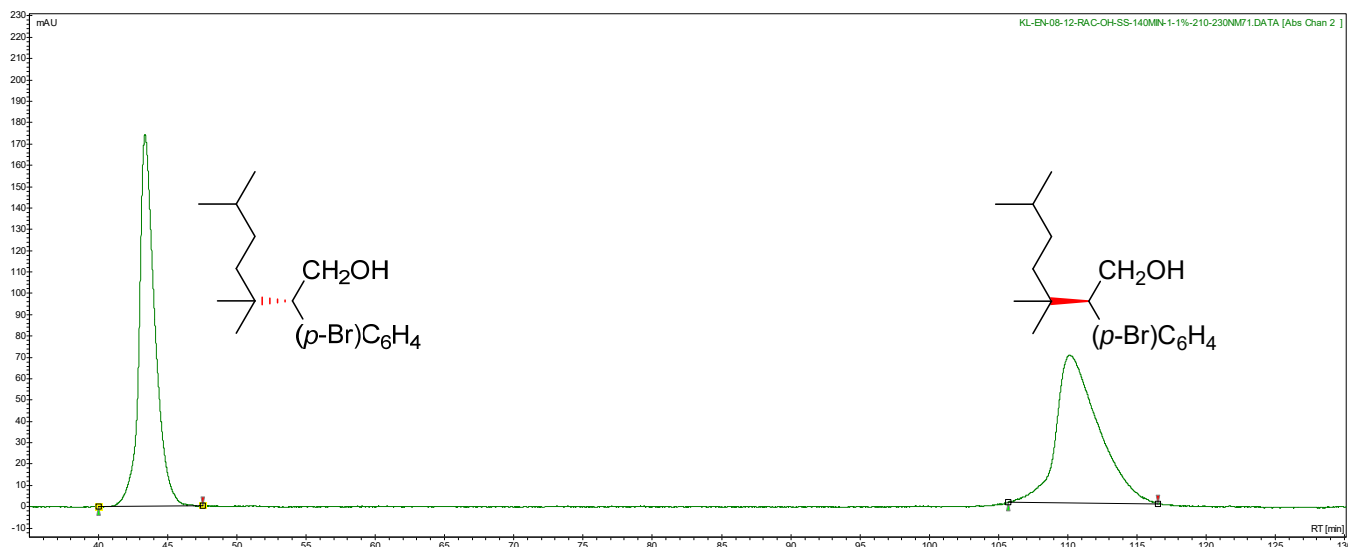
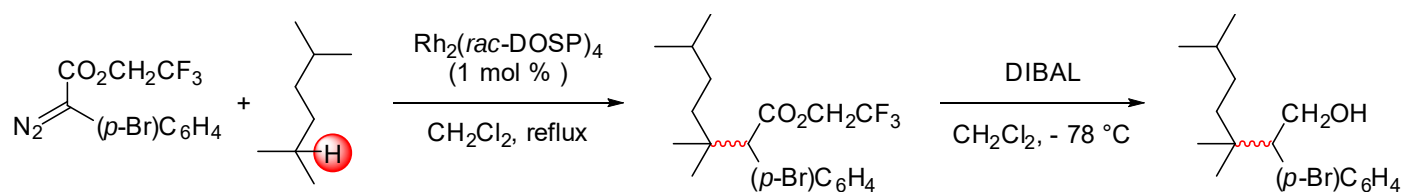
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| 1 | 18.68      | 59.566     |
| 2 | 25.55      | 40.434     |



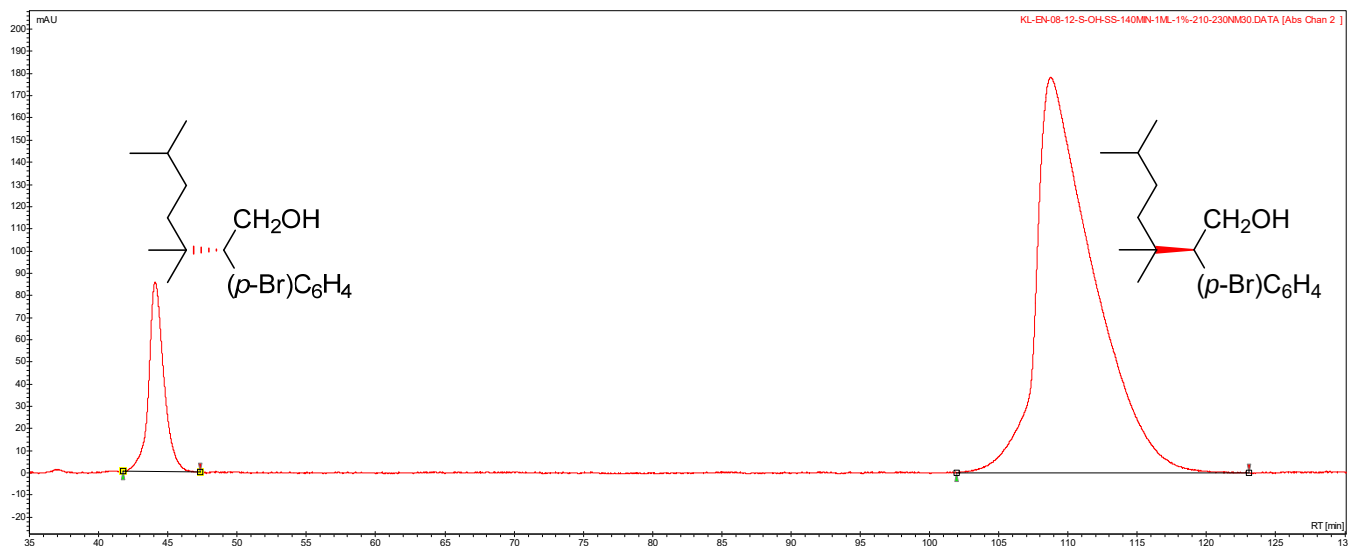
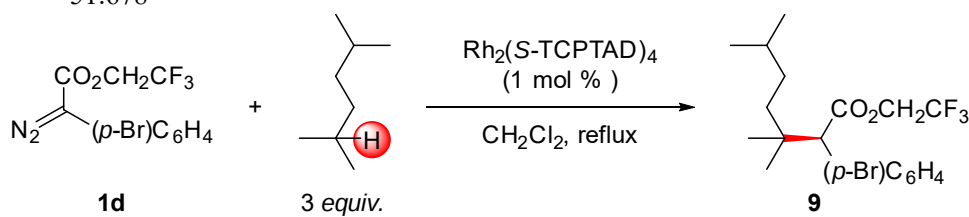
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| 1 | 17.81      | 90.547     |
| 2 | 25.05      | 9.453      |

81% e.e.



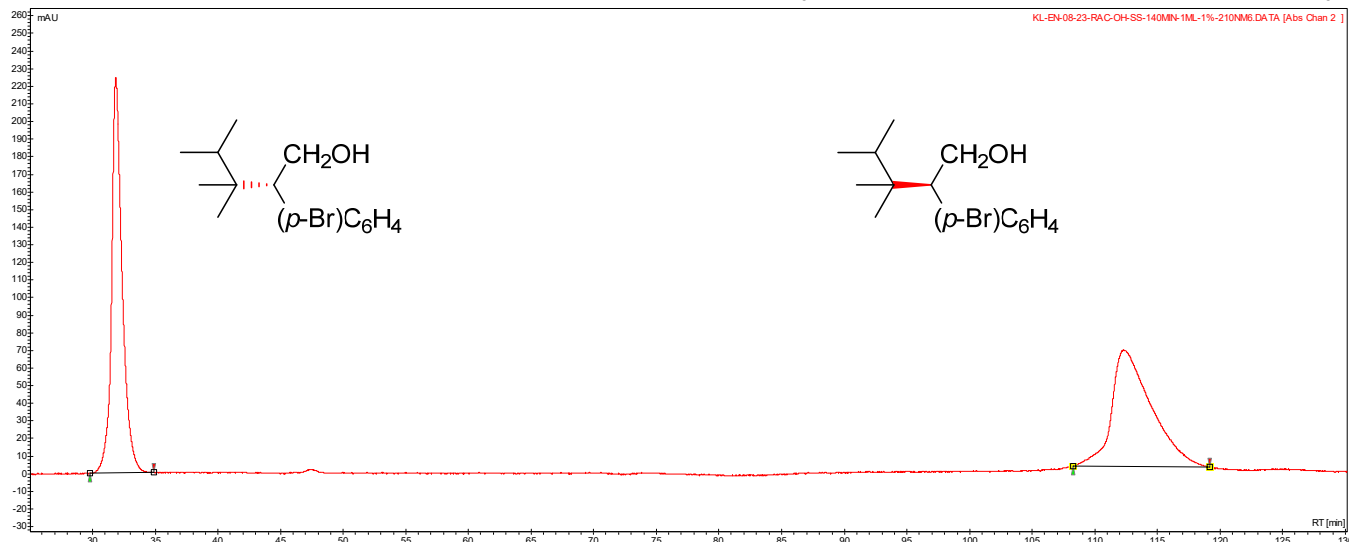
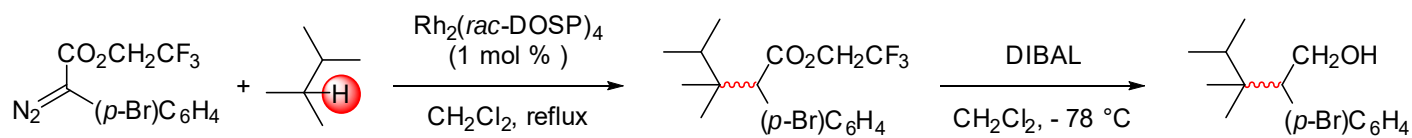


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| 1 | 43.35      | 48.322     |
| 2 | 110.12     | 51.678     |

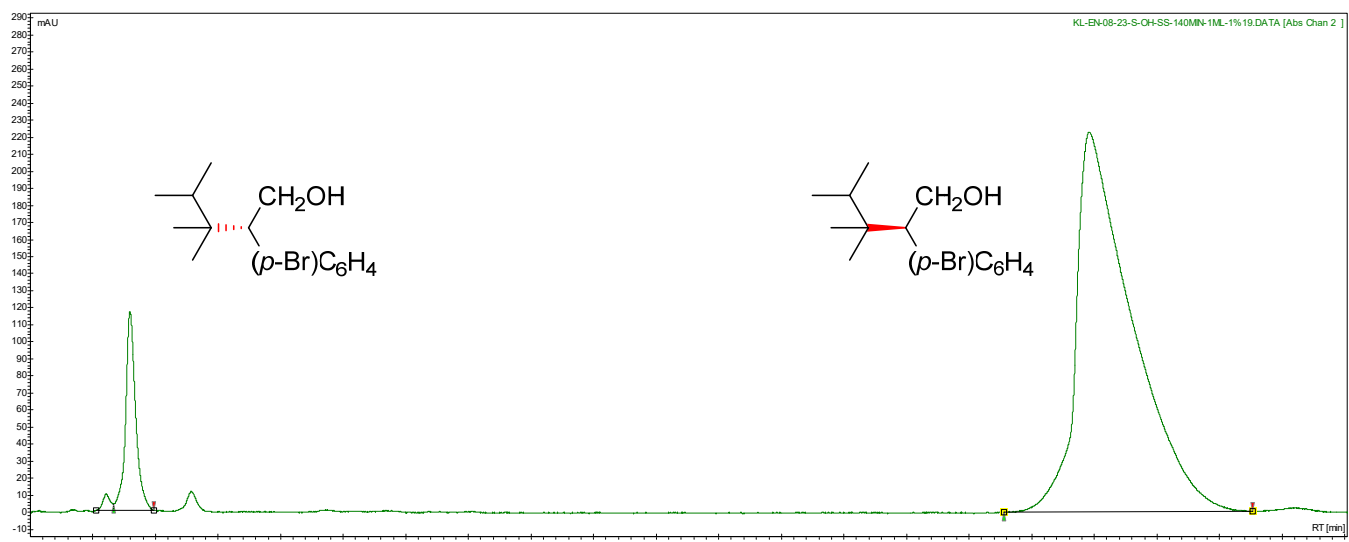


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 44.08      | 11.204     |
| 2 | 108.78     | 88.796     |

78 % e.e.

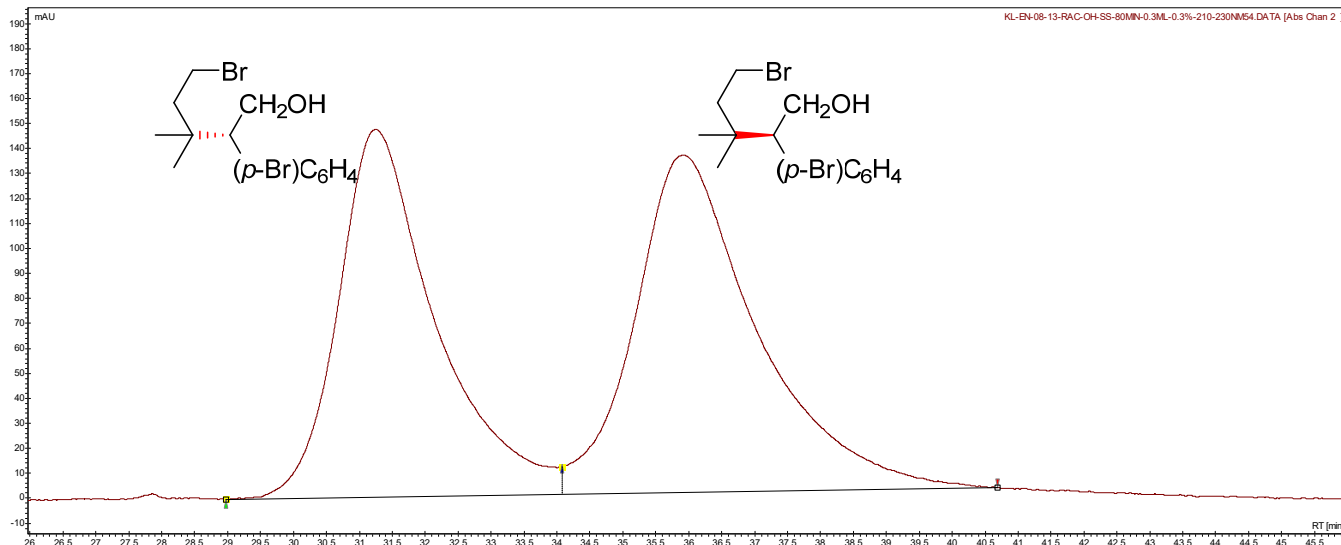
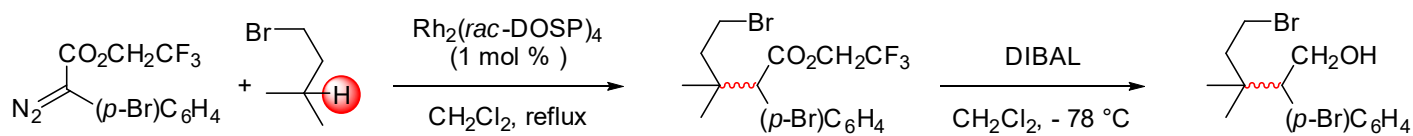


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 31.84      | 47.542     |
| 2 | 112.29     | 52.458     |

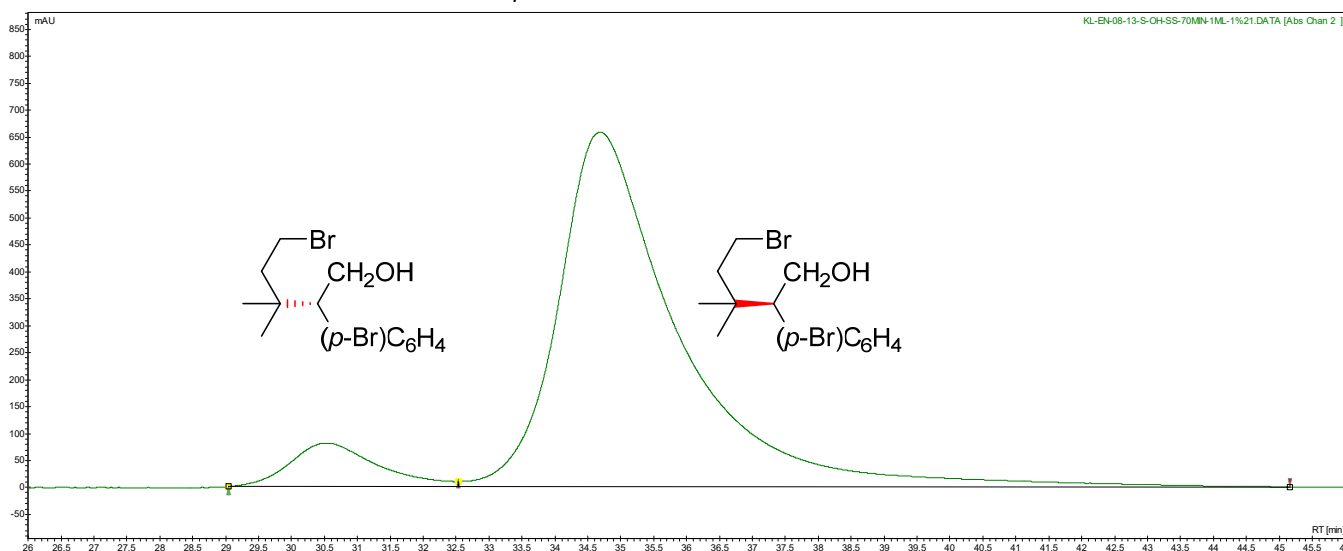
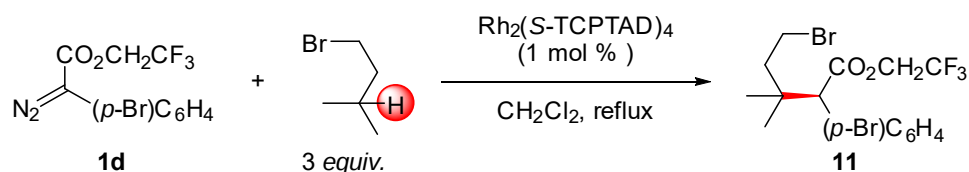


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 32.97      | 8.688      |
| 2 | 109.63     | 91.312     |

83 % e.e.

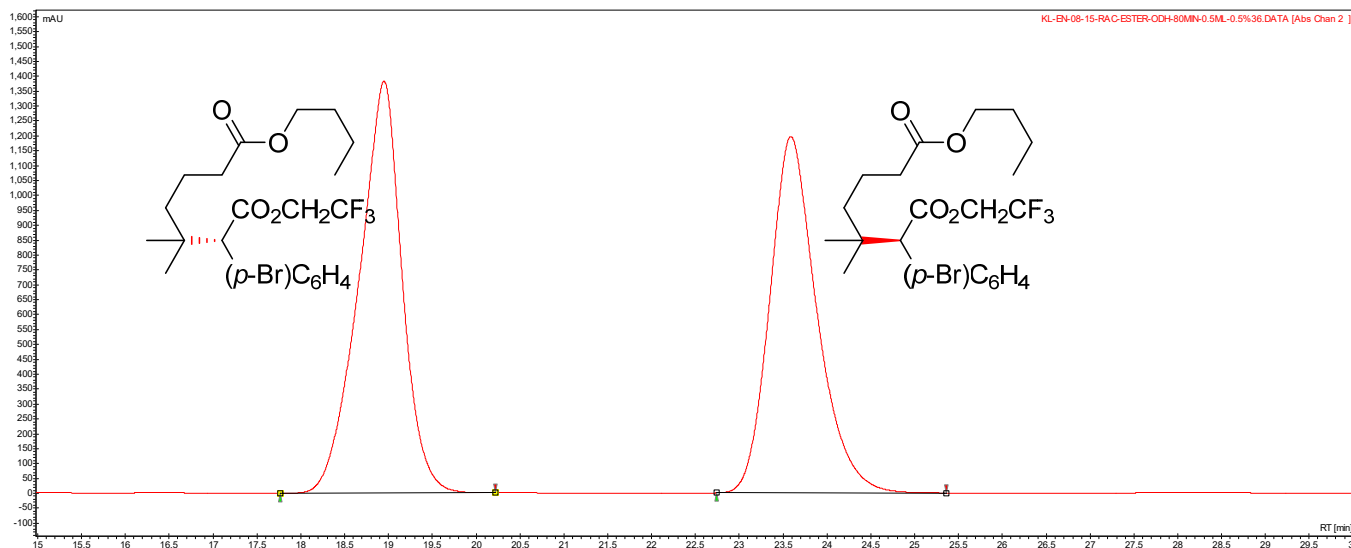
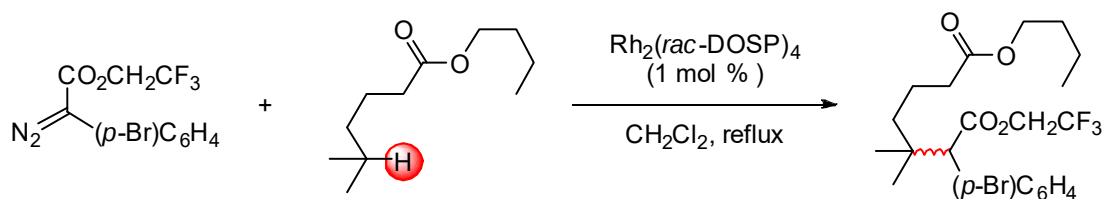


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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 31.25      | 46.375     |
| 2 | 35.92      | 53.625     |

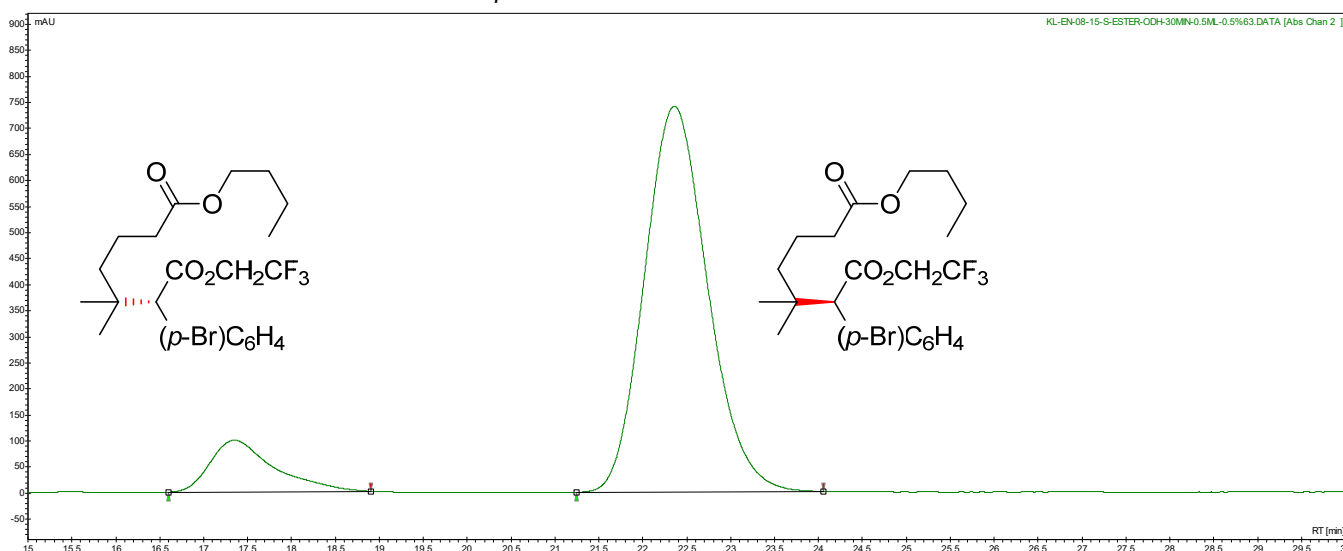
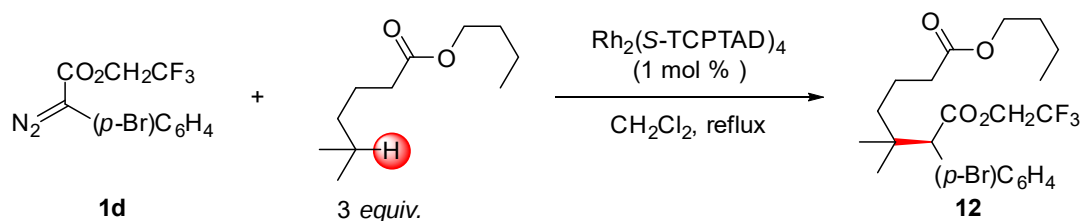


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 30.53      | 8.153      |
| 2 | 34.69      | 91.847     |

84 % e.e.

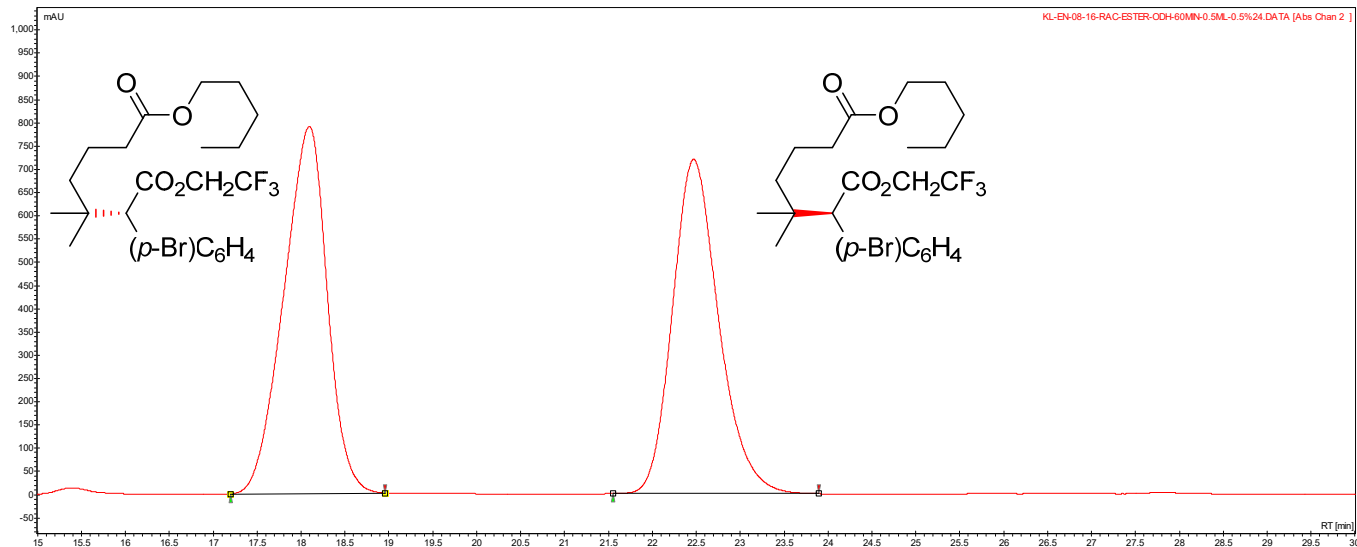
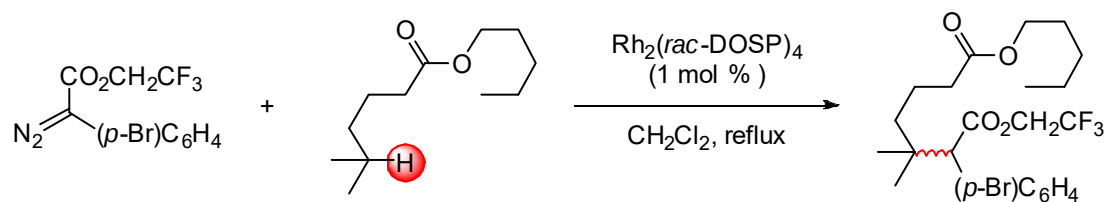


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 18.95      | 51.328     |
| 2 | 23.59      | 48.672     |

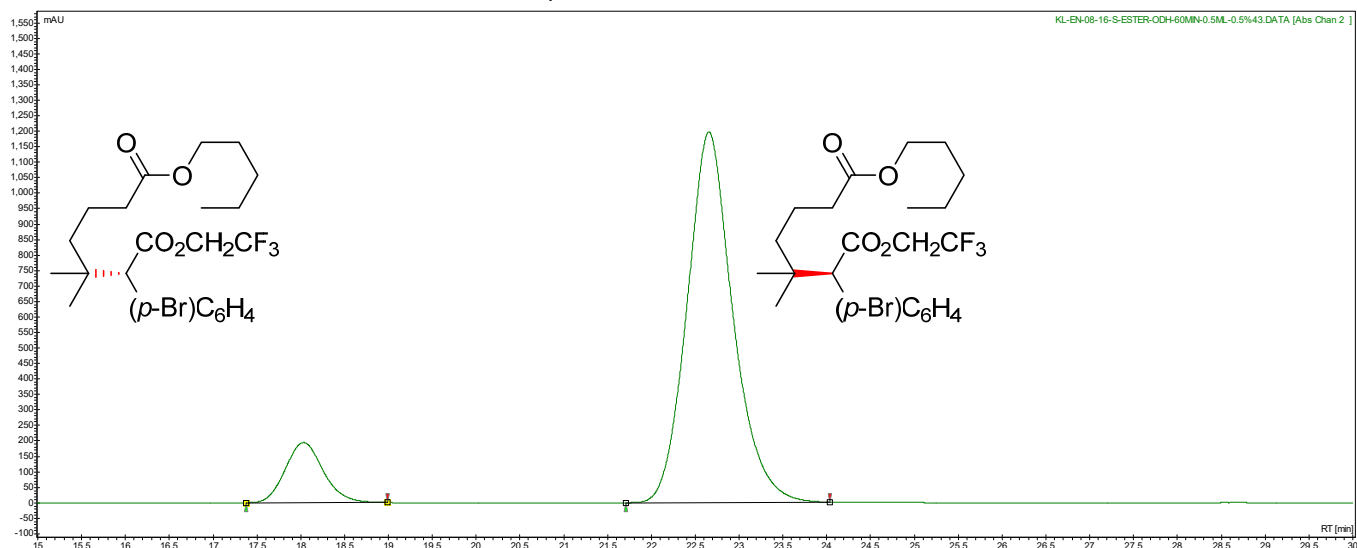
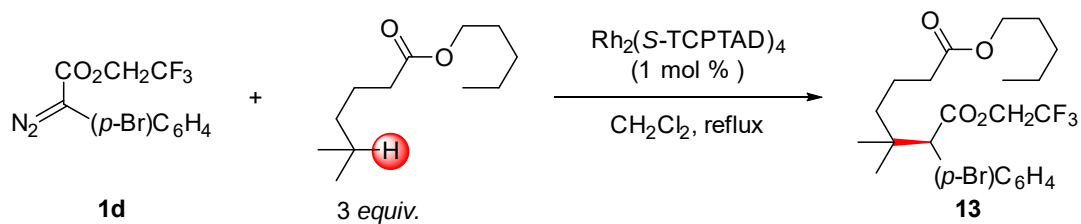


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 17.35      | 11.928     |
| 2 | 22.36      | 88.072     |

77 % e.e.

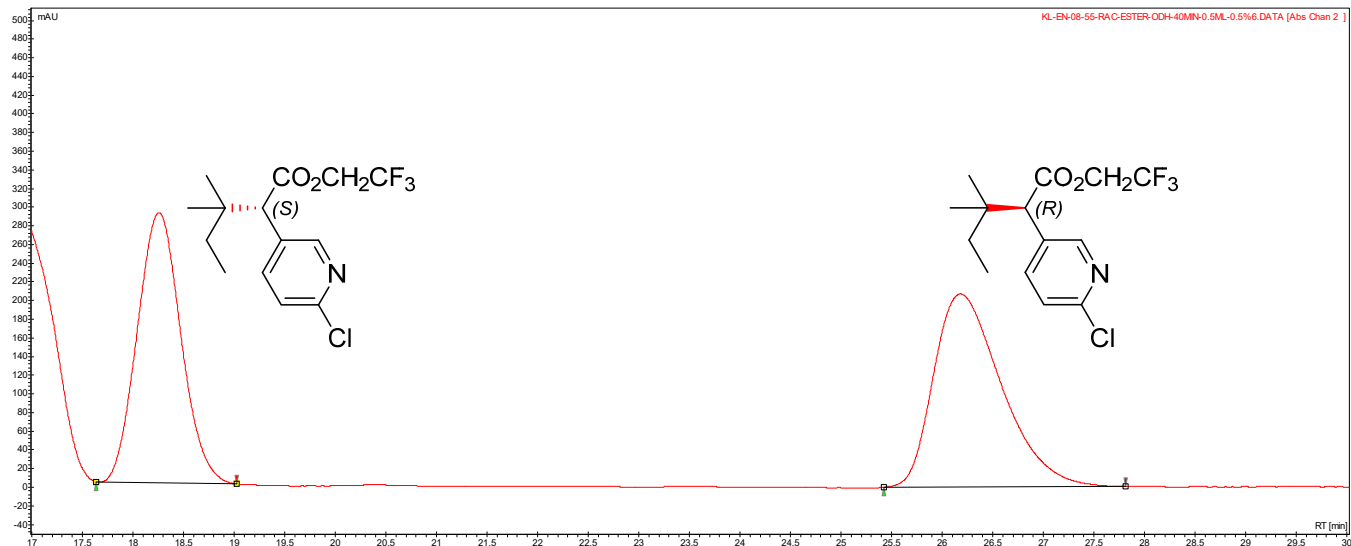
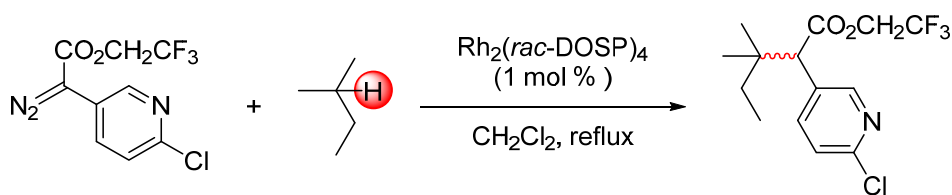


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 18.09      | 50.801     |
| 2 | 22.47      | 49.199     |

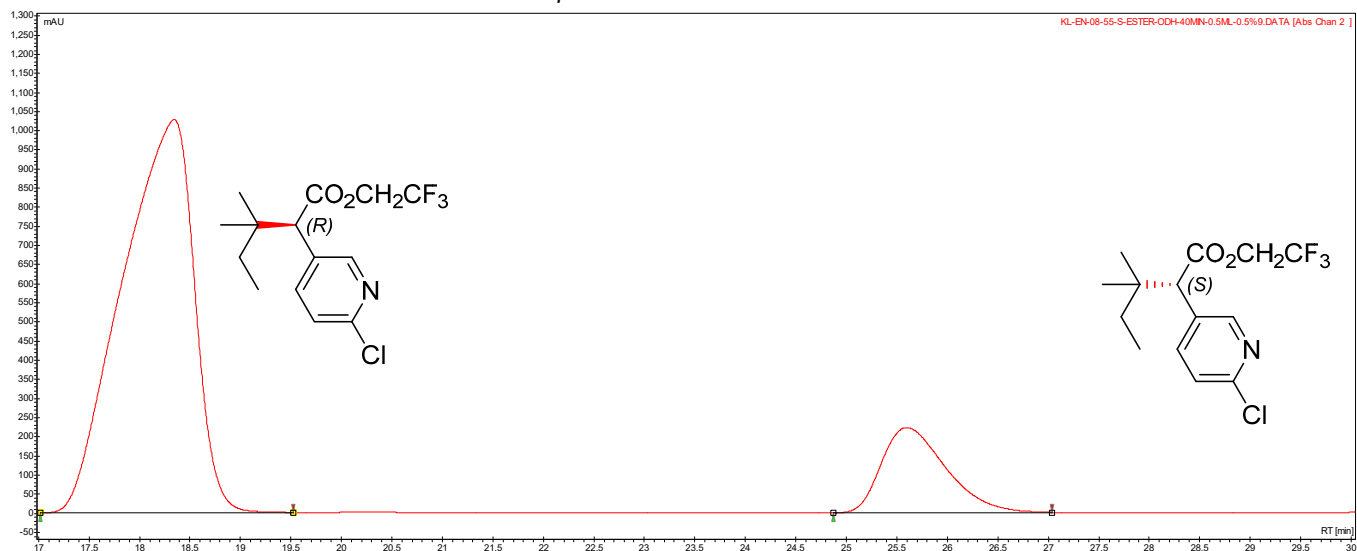
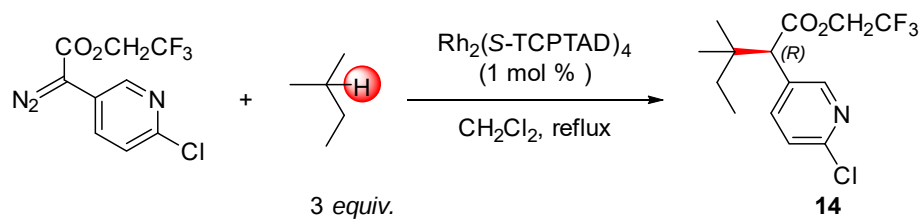


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 18.03      | 11.871     |
| 2 | 22.66      | 88.129     |

76 % e.e.

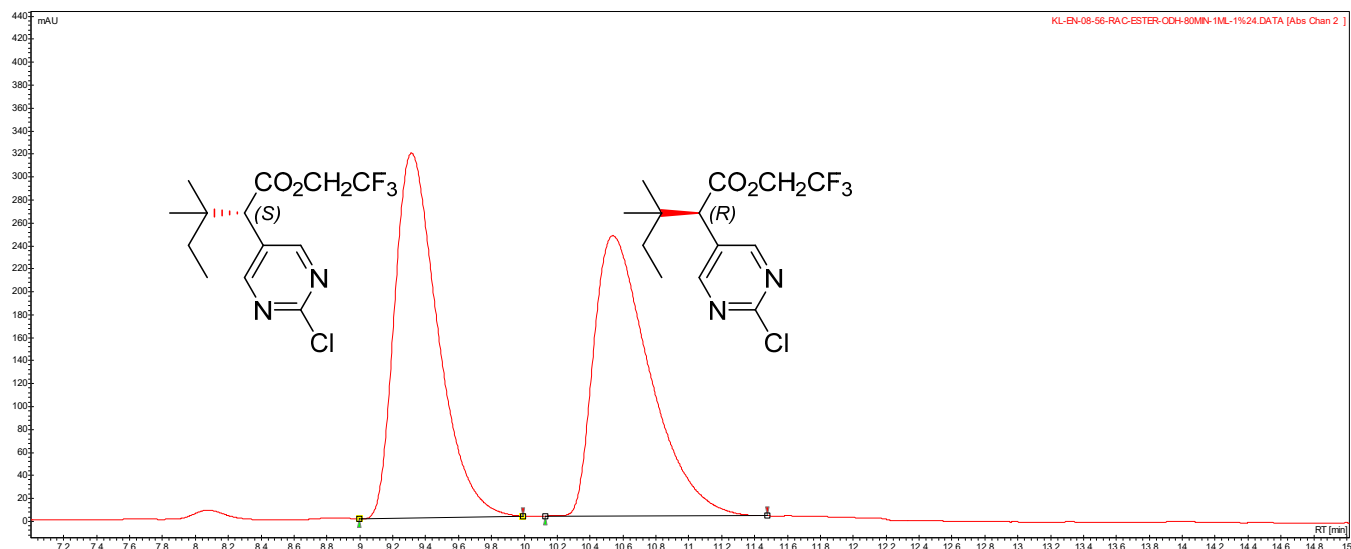
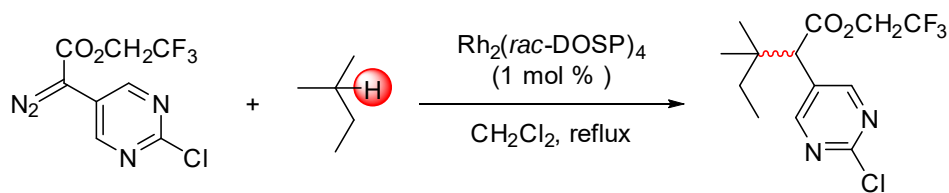


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|---|------------|------------|
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| 2 | 26.18      | 52.582     |

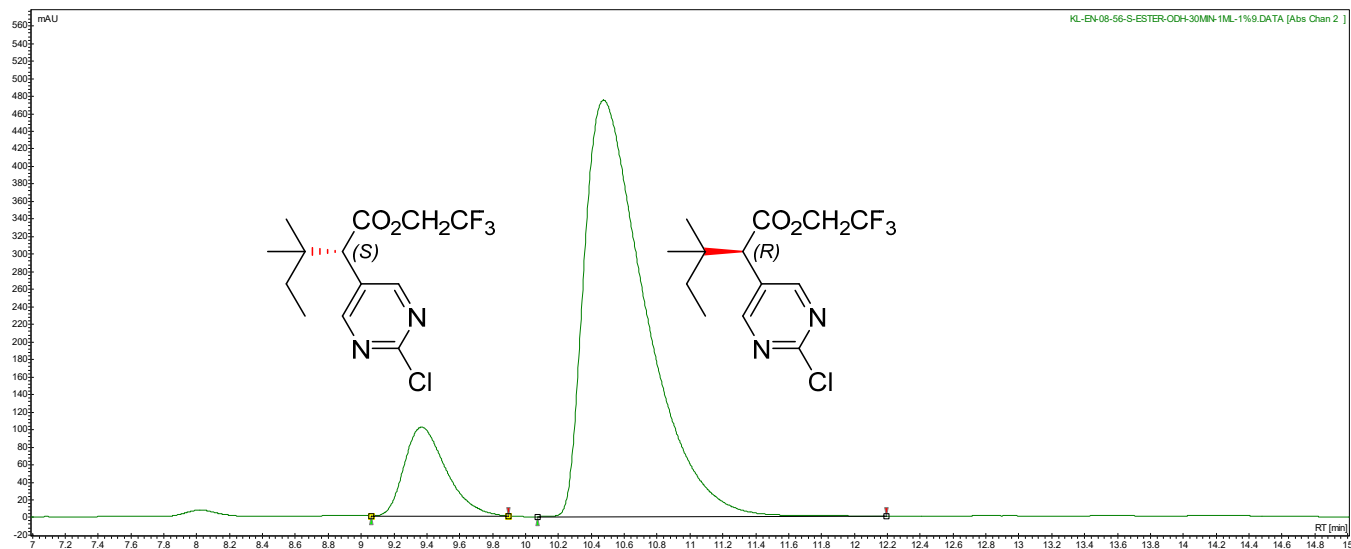
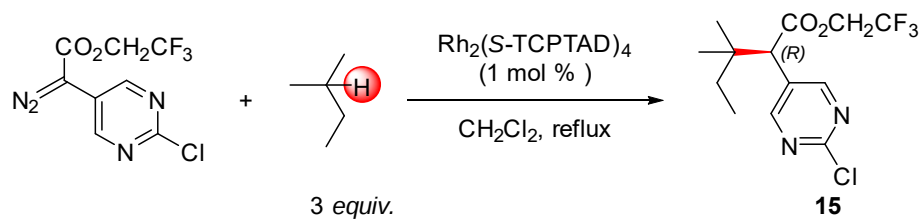


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 18.34      | 83.806     |
| 2 | 25.60      | 16.194     |

68 % e.e.

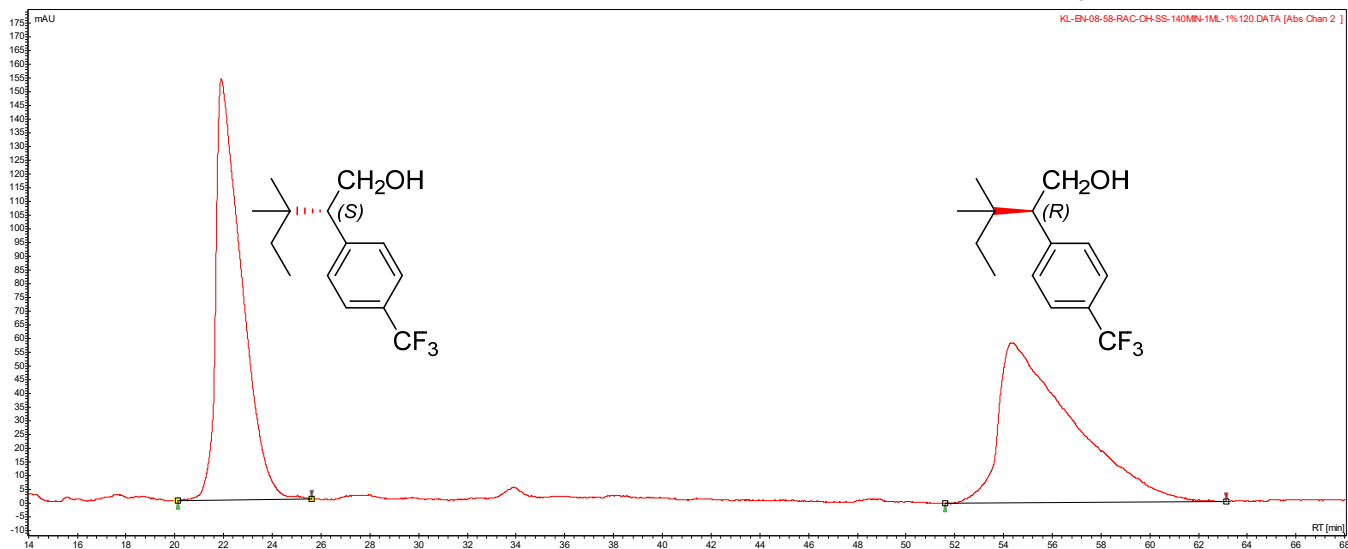
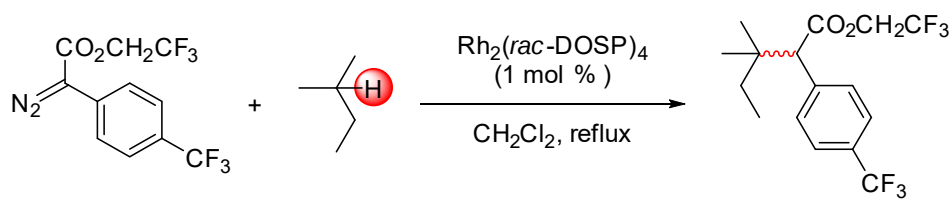


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 9.31       | 50.138     |
| 2 | 10.54      | 49.862     |

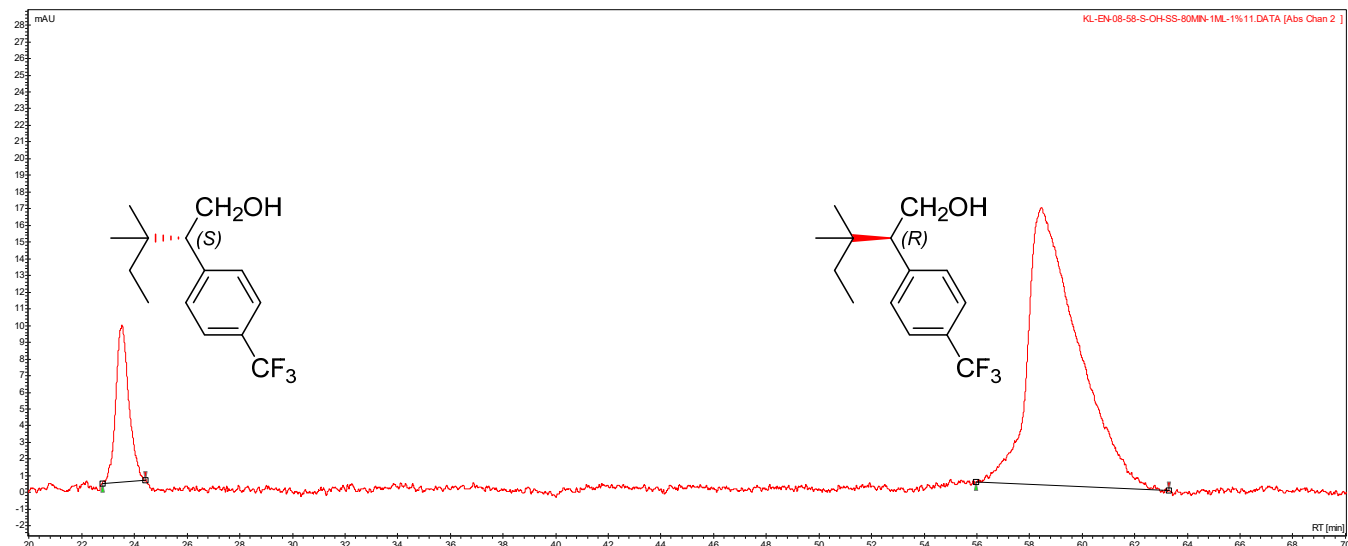
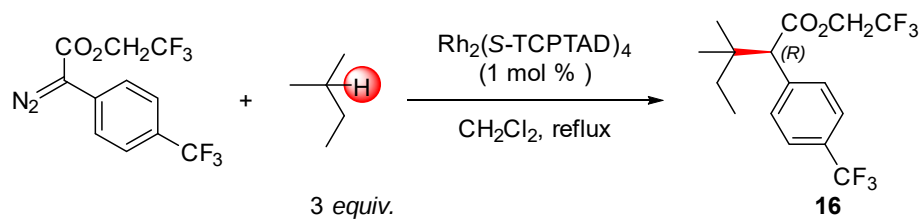


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 9.37       | 12.701     |
| 2 | 10.47      | 87.299     |

75 % e.e.

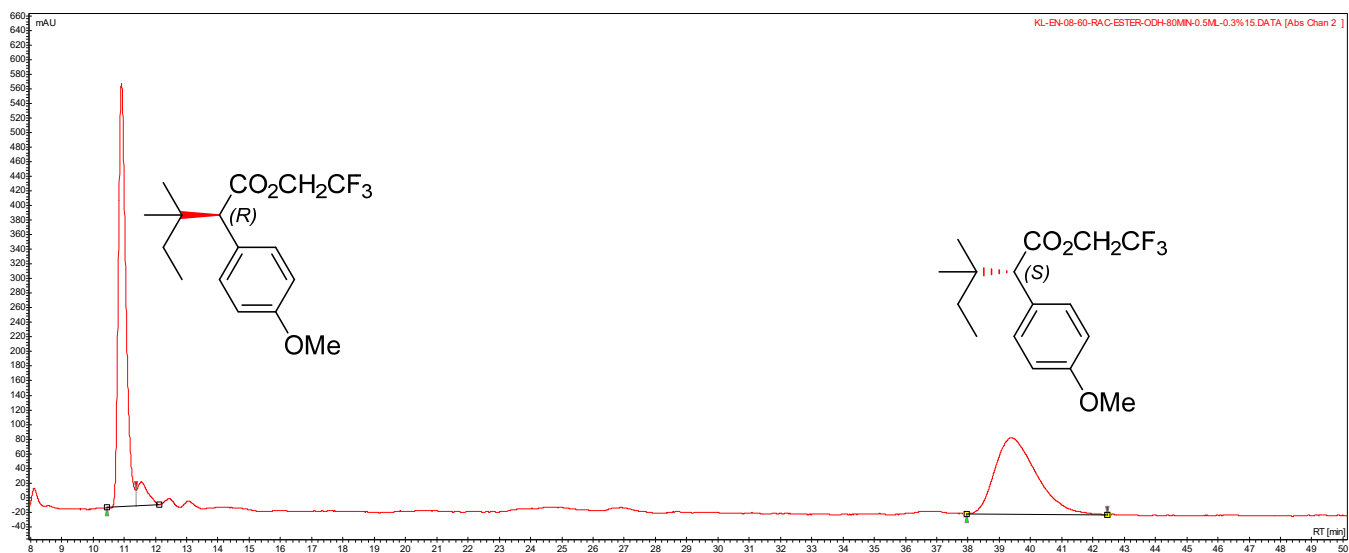
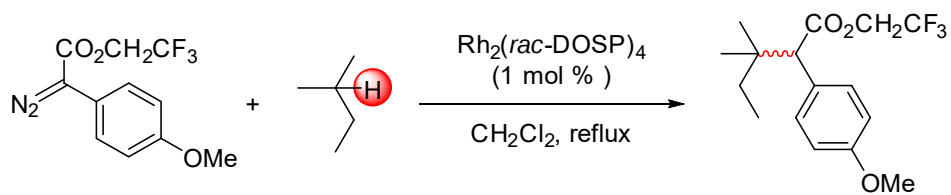


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 21.91      | 47.862     |
| 2 | 54.41      | 52.138     |

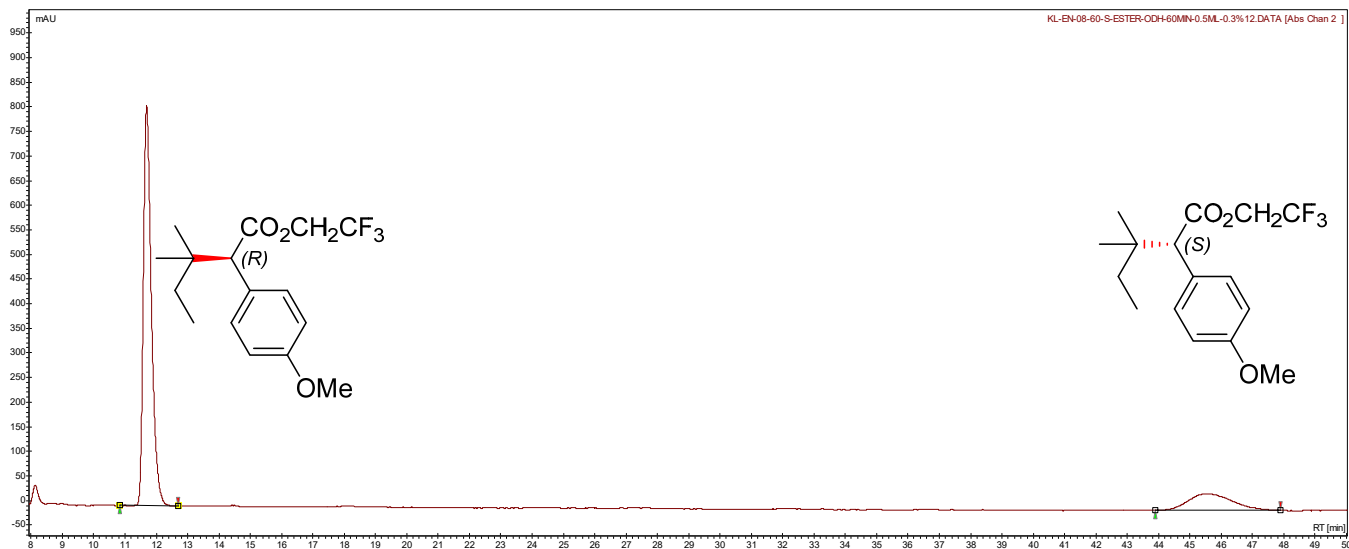
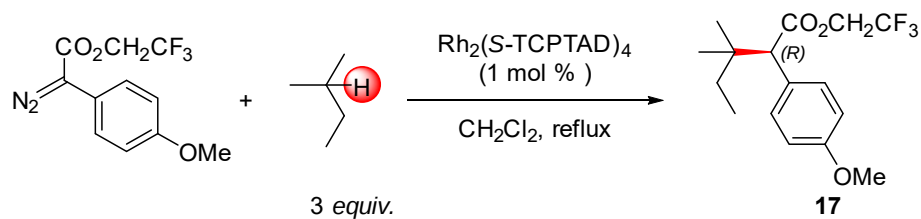


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 2 | 23.53      | 12.822     |
| 1 | 58.45      | 87.178     |

74 % e.e.

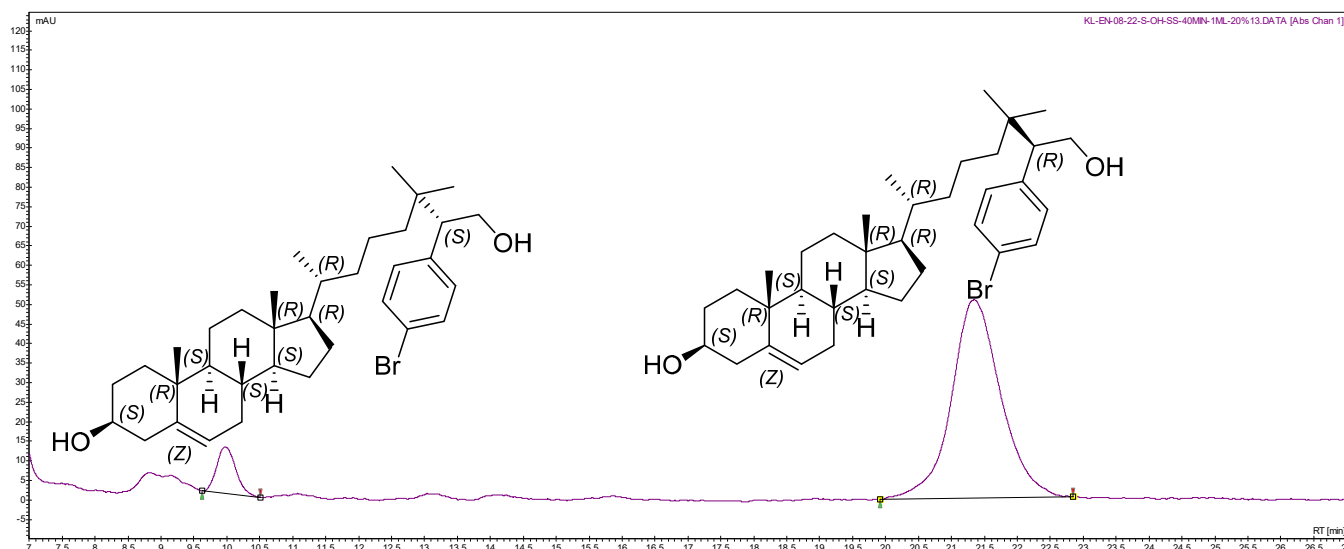
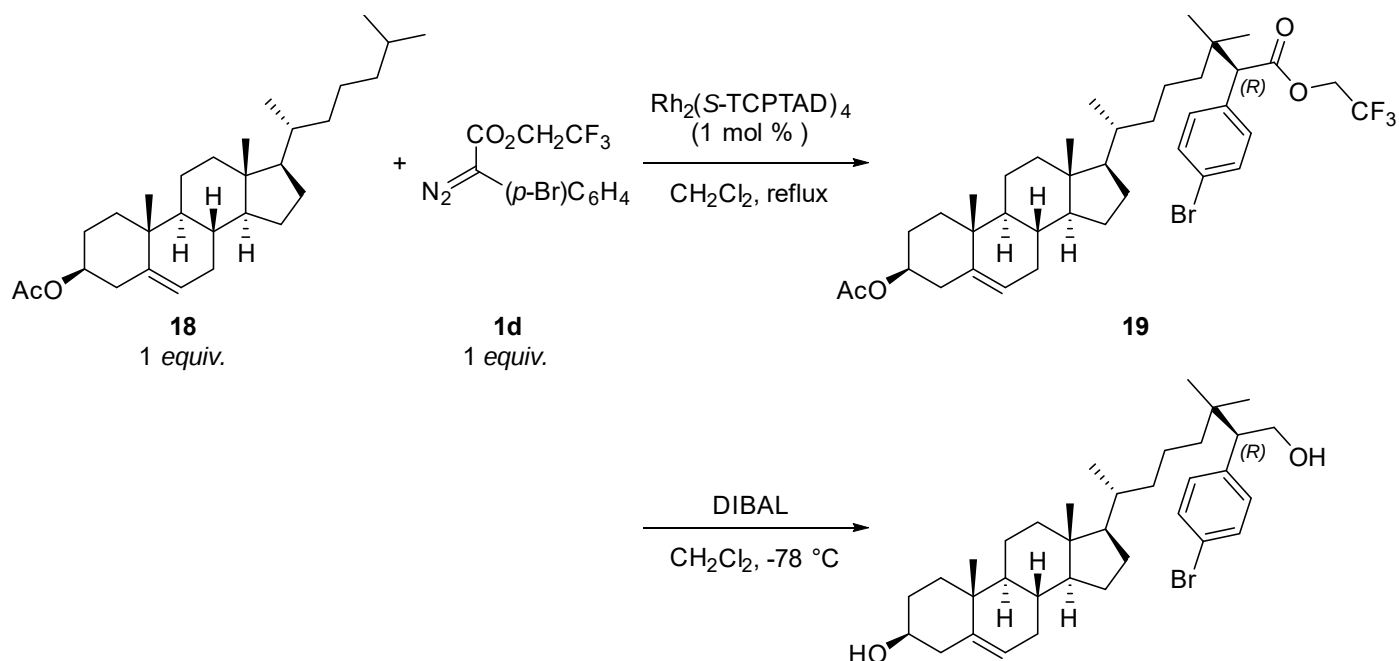


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 21.91      | 47.862     |
| 2 | 54.41      | 52.138     |

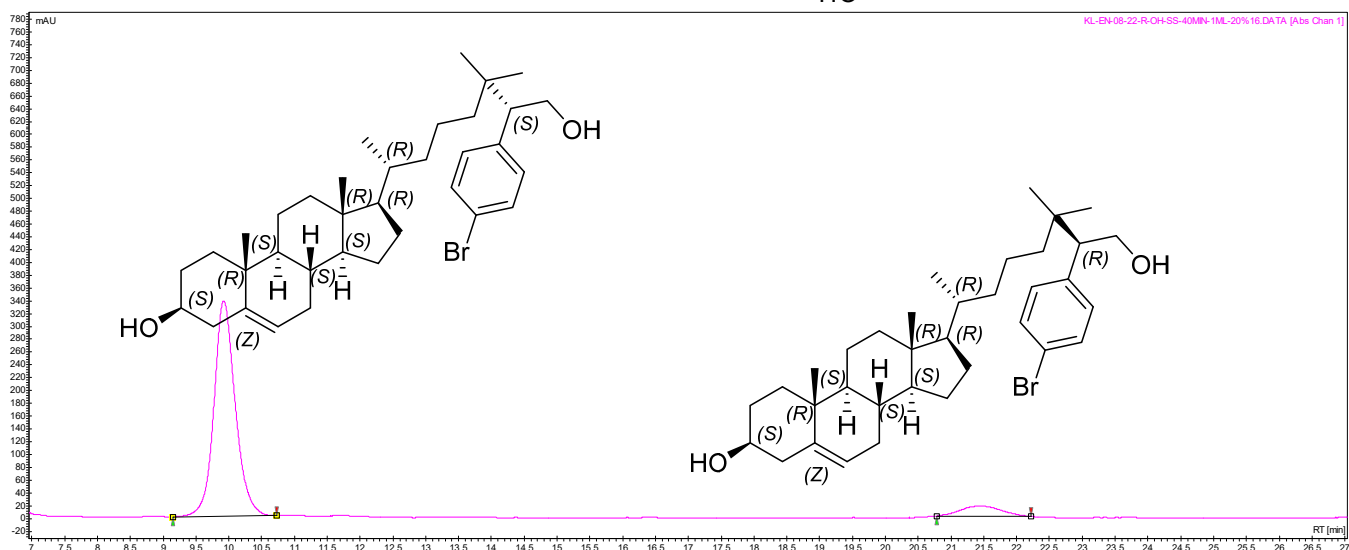
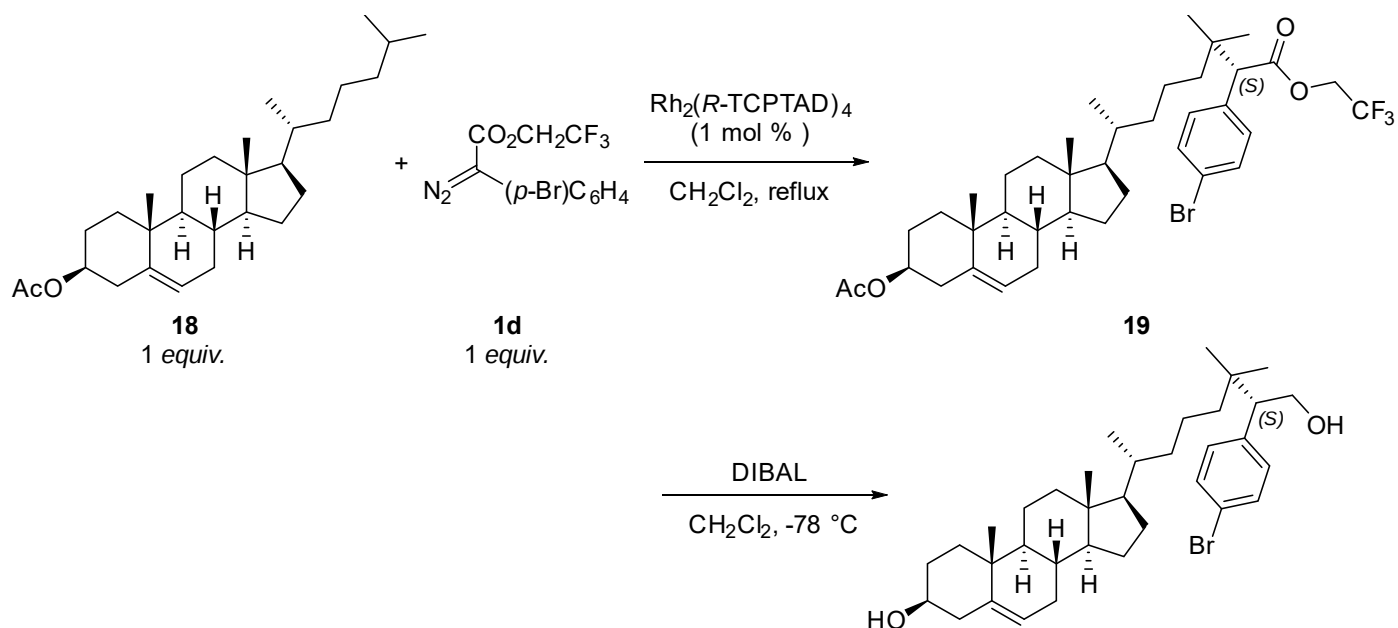


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 11.69      | 81.477     |
| 2 | 45.61      | 18.523     |

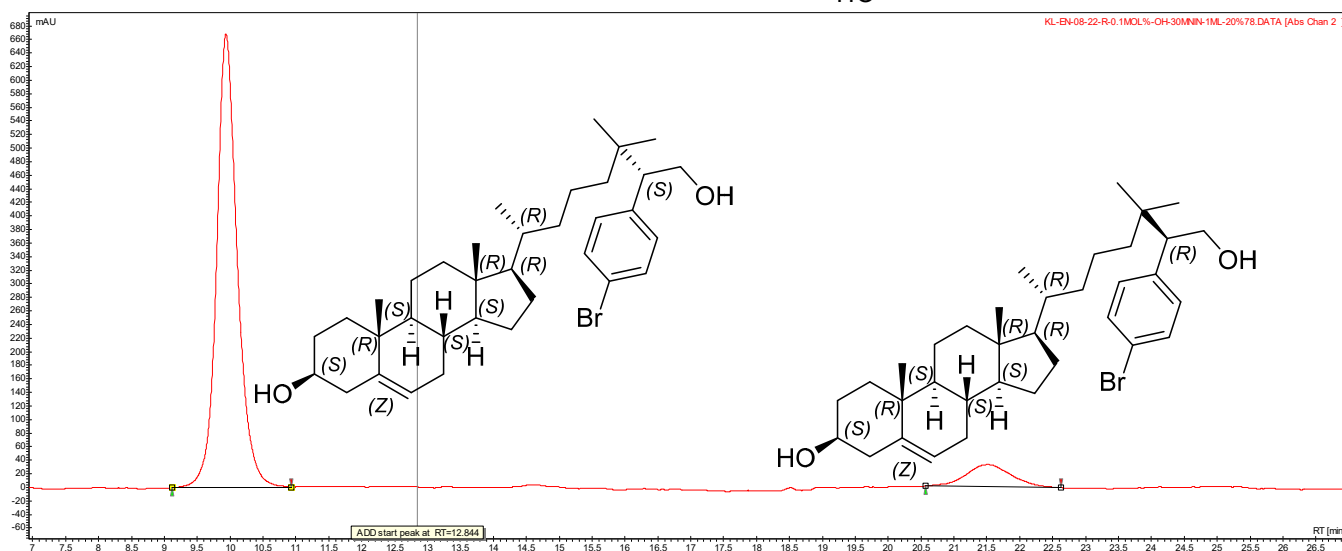
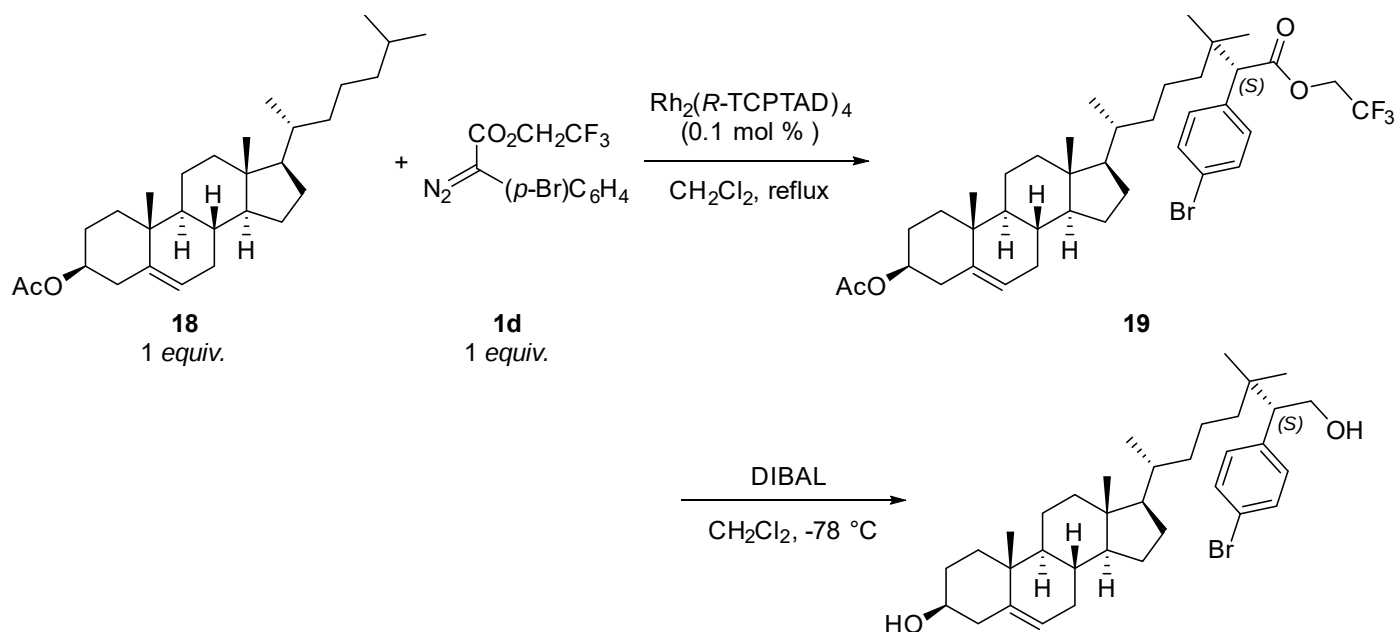
63 % e.e.



| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 9.97       | 8.250      |
| 2 | 21.34      | 91.750     |
|   |            | 11:1 d.r.  |

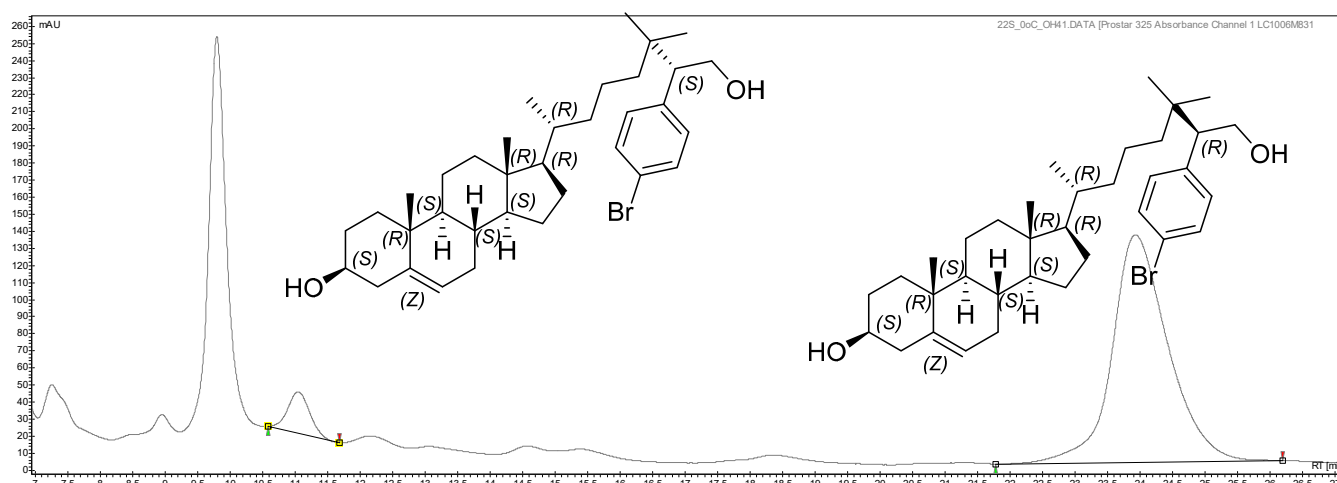
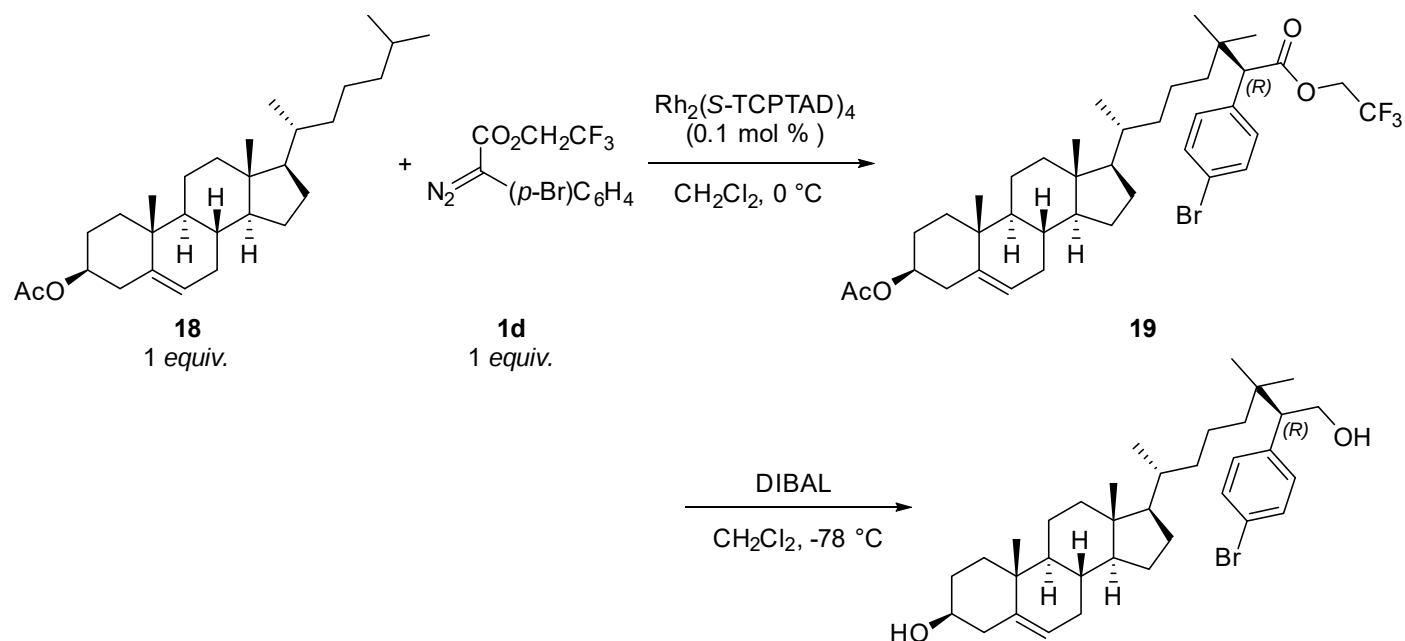


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| 2 | 21.46      | 8.238      |
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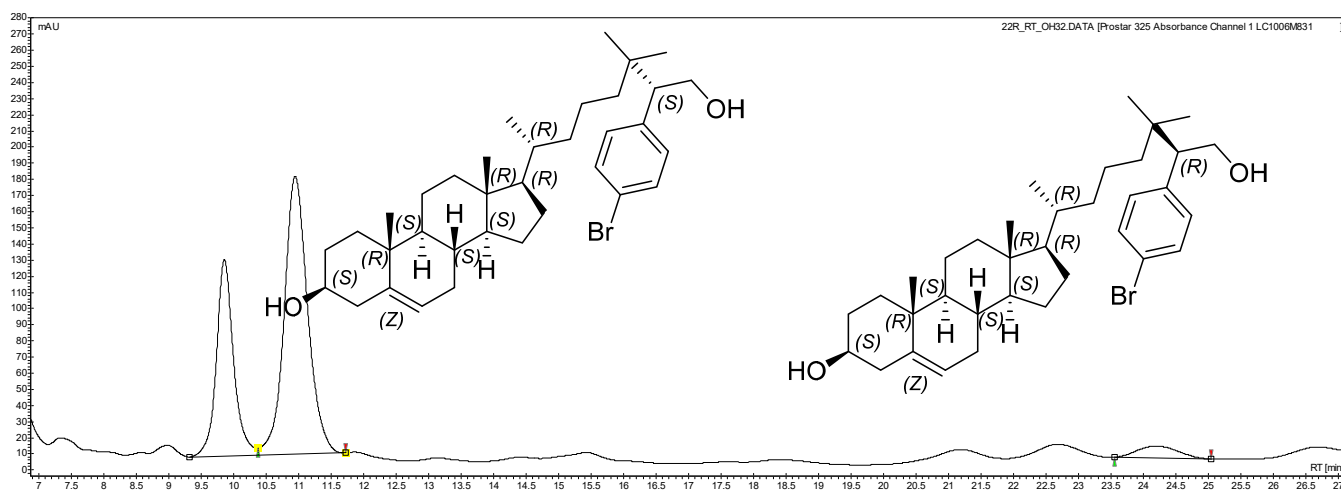
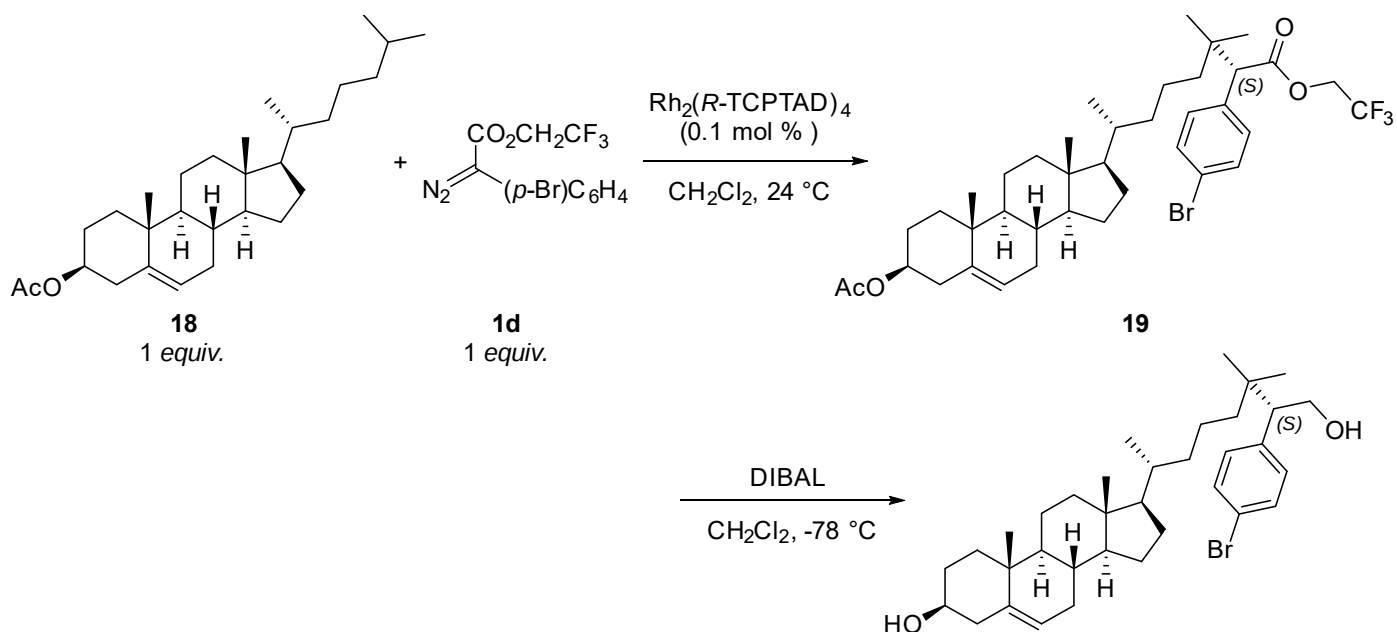


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| 2 | 21.51      | 9.689      |
|   |            | 9:1 d.r.   |

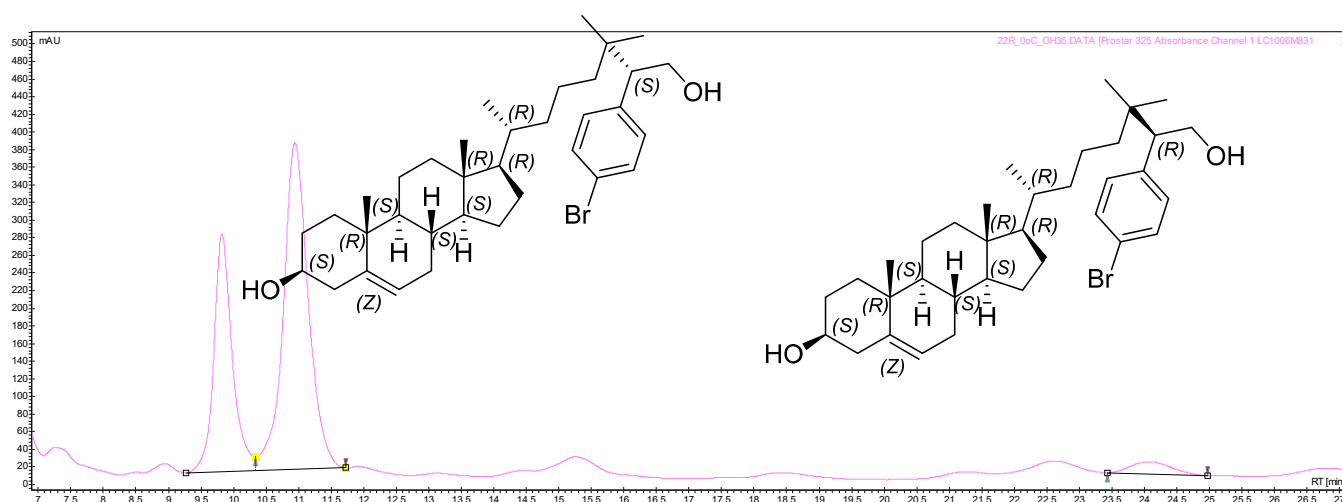
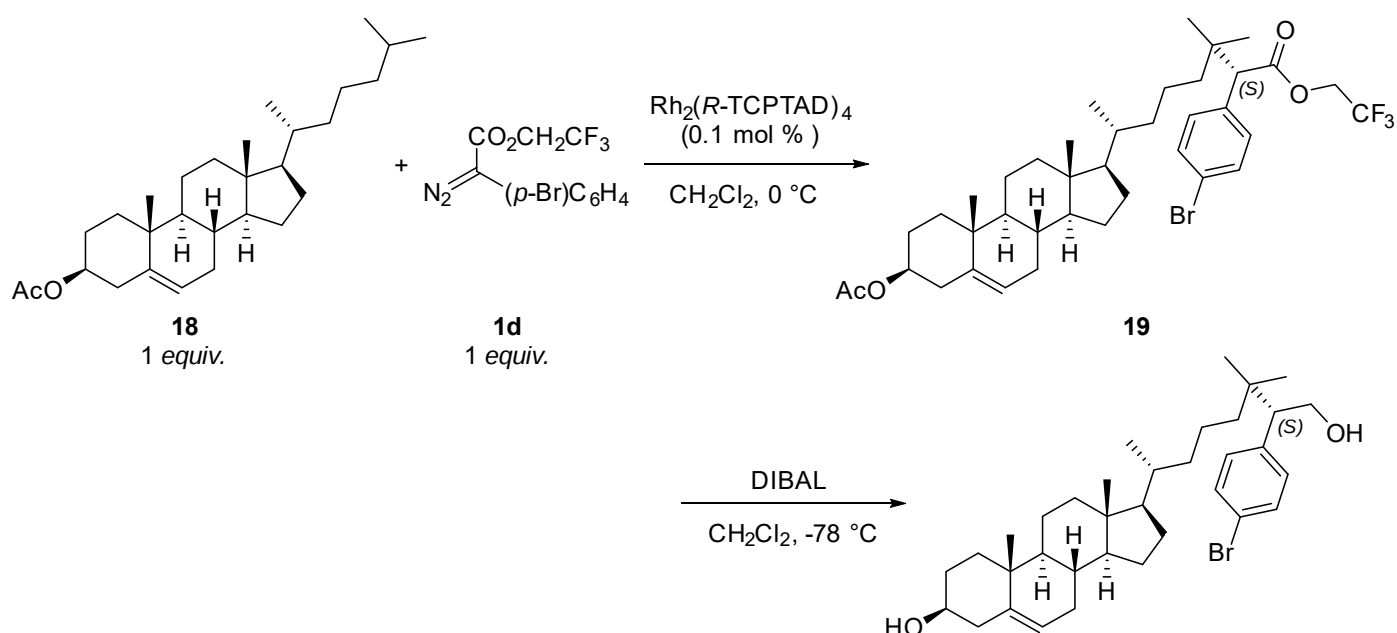
A different HPLC machine with a different S,S-whelk chiral column was used, so the enantiomers' peaks were re-determined with the products generated by  $\text{Rh}_2(R\text{-TCPTAD})_4$  and  $\text{Rh}_2(S\text{-TCPTAD})_4$ .



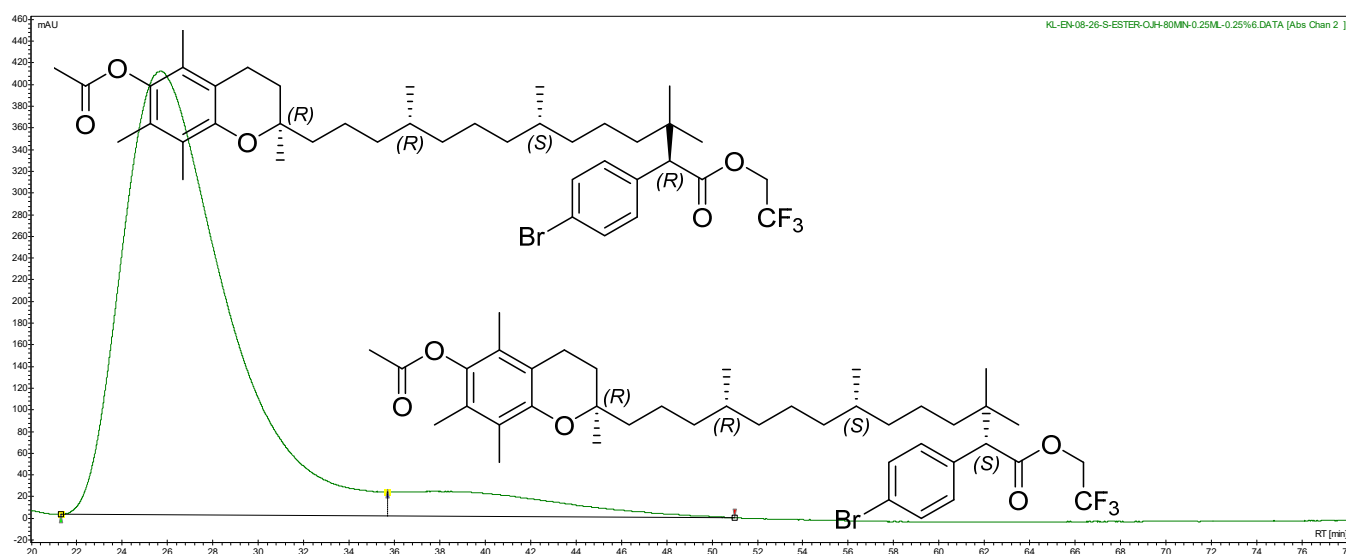
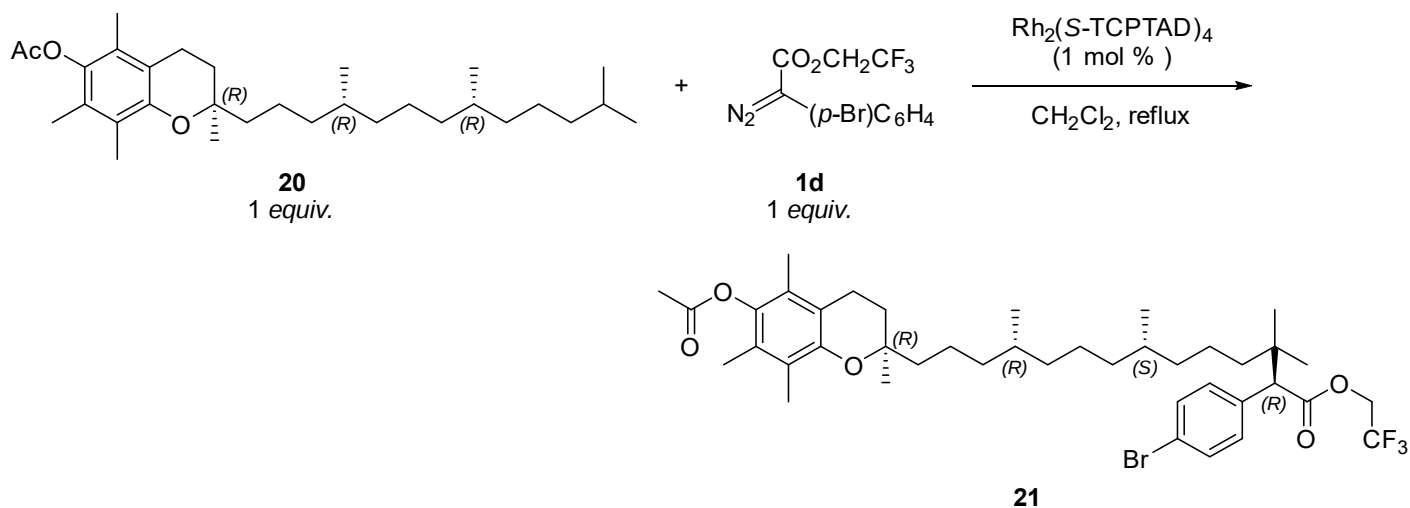
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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 11.05      | 6.709      |
| 2 | 23.92      | 93.291     |
|   |            | 14:1 d.r.  |



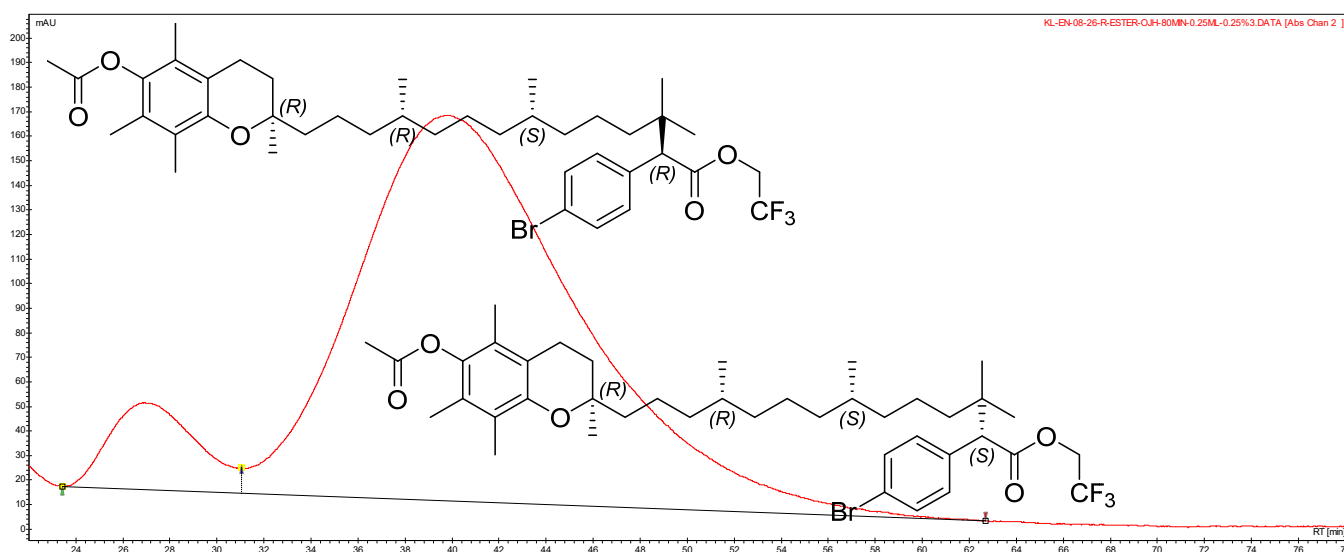
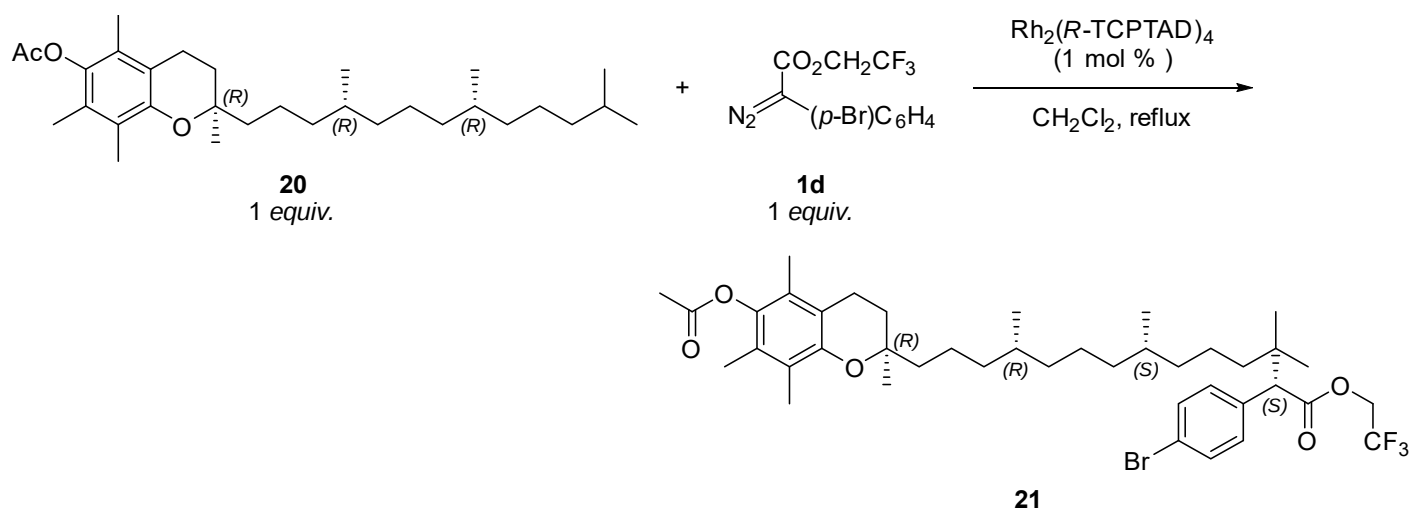
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|-----------|------------|------------|
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| 2         | 24.19      | 7.074      |
| 13:1 d.r. |            |            |



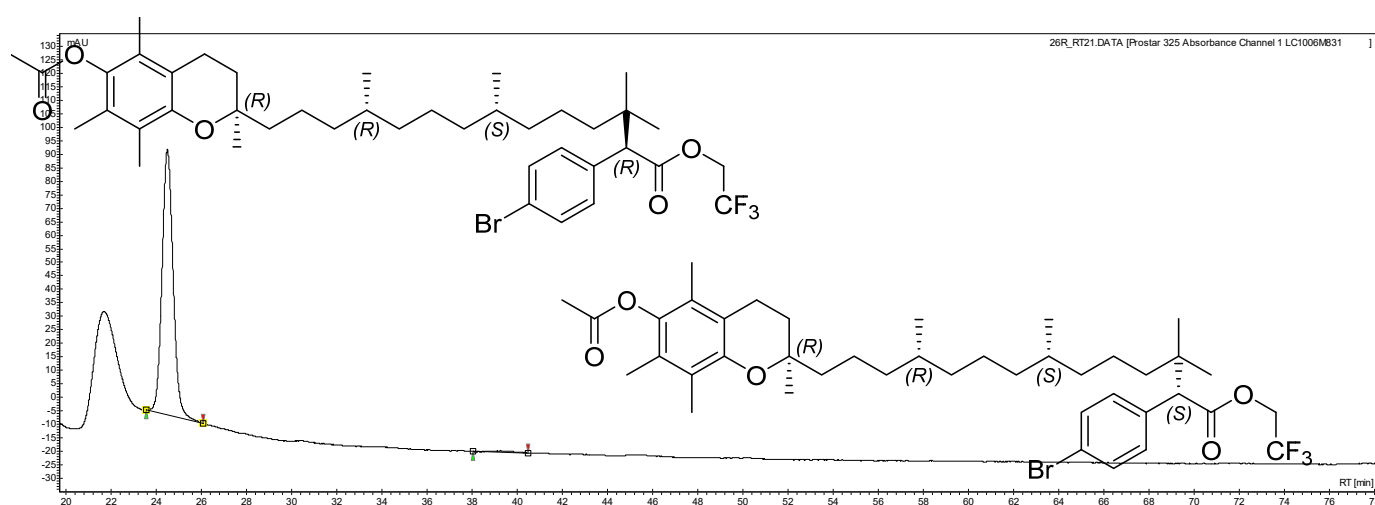
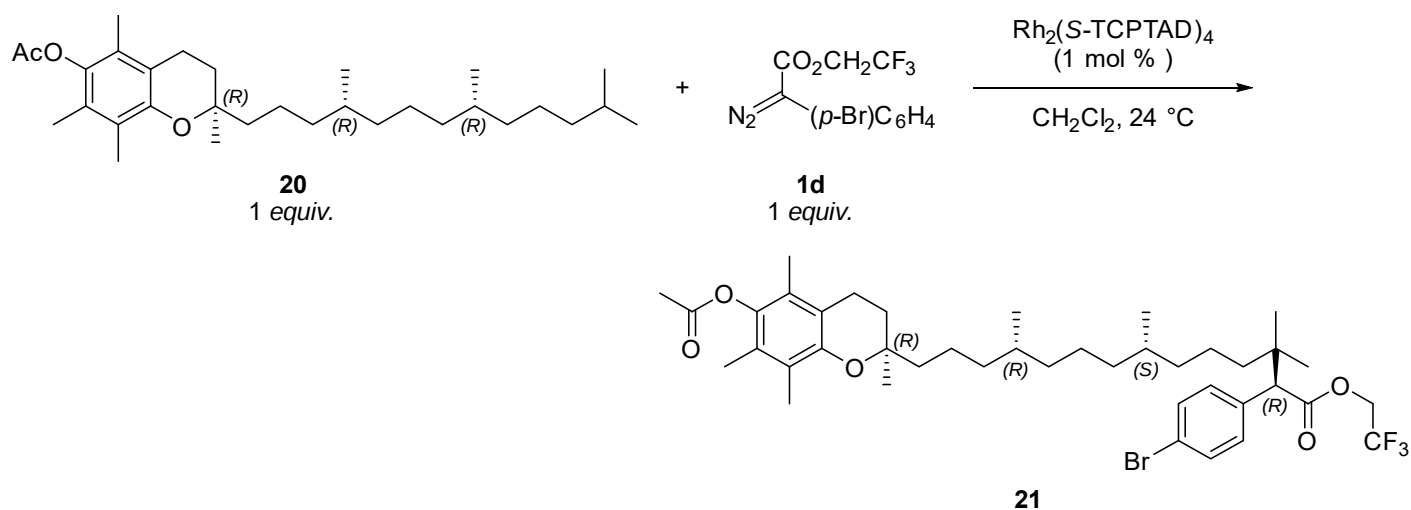
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|-----------|------------|------------|
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| 2         | 24.08      | 5.733      |
| 16:1 d.r. |            |            |



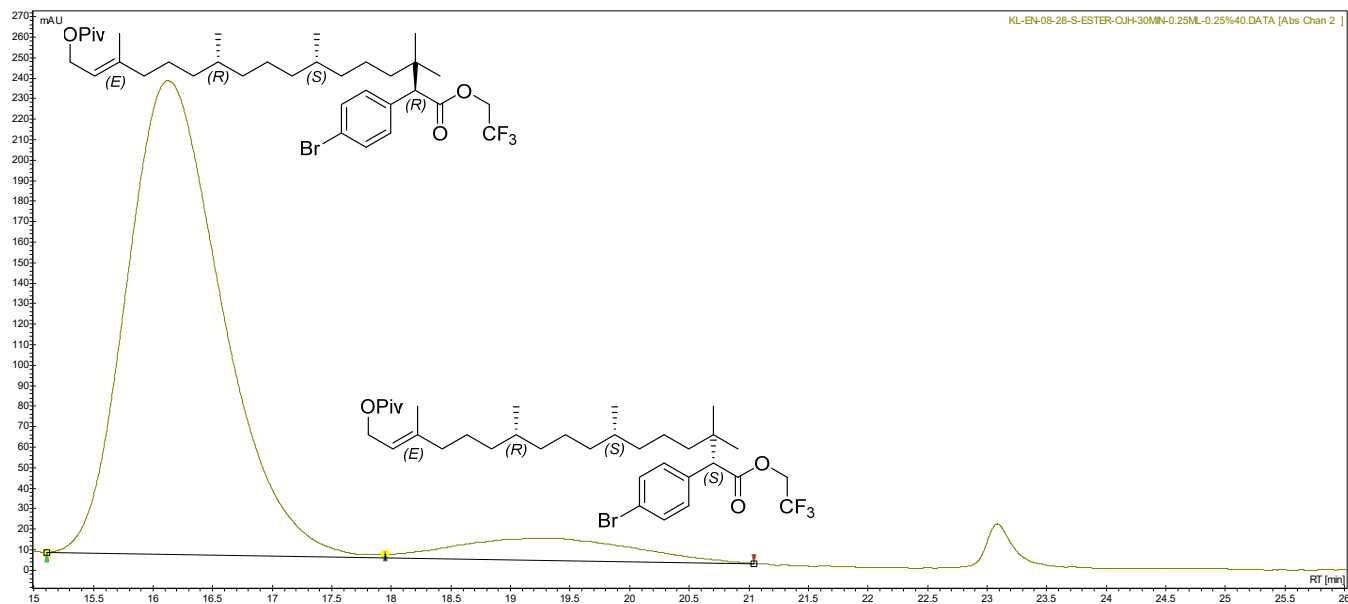
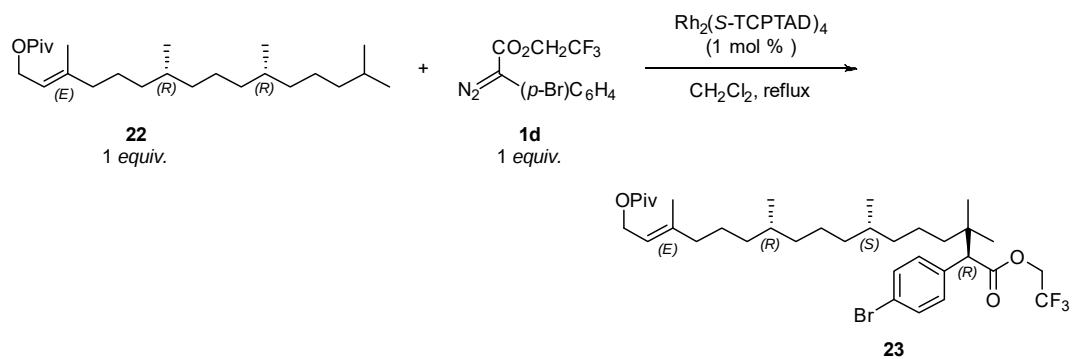
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|---|------------|------------|
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| 2 | 37.89      | 8.154      |
|   |            | 11:1 d.r.  |



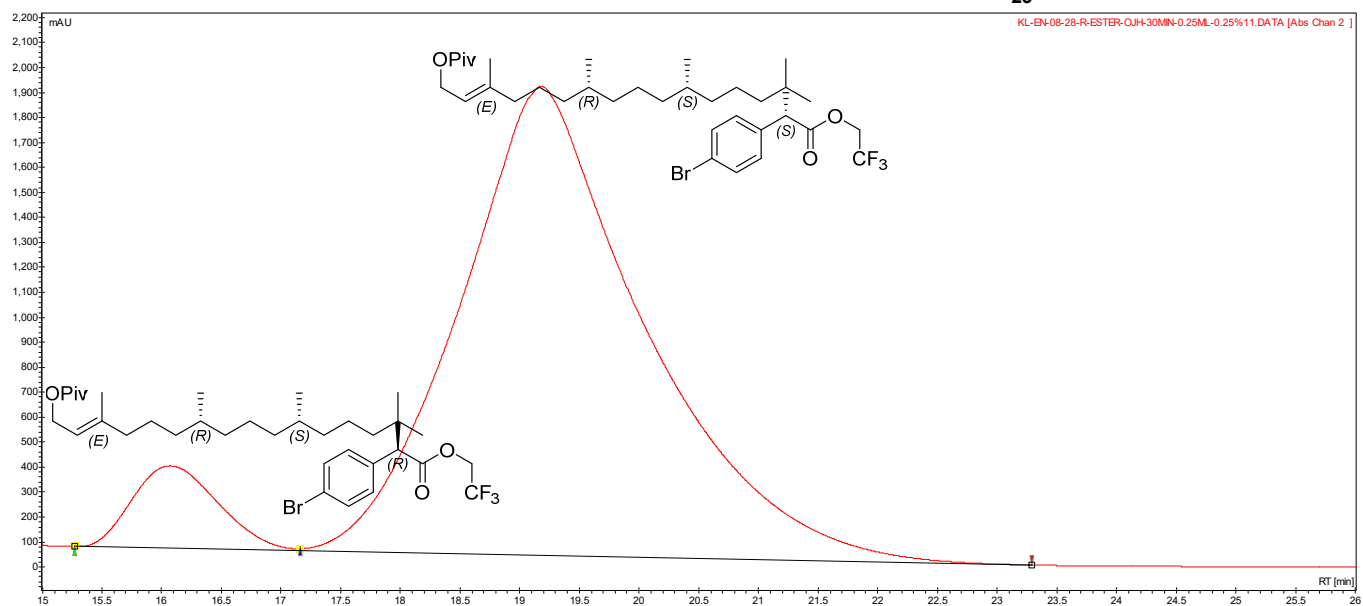
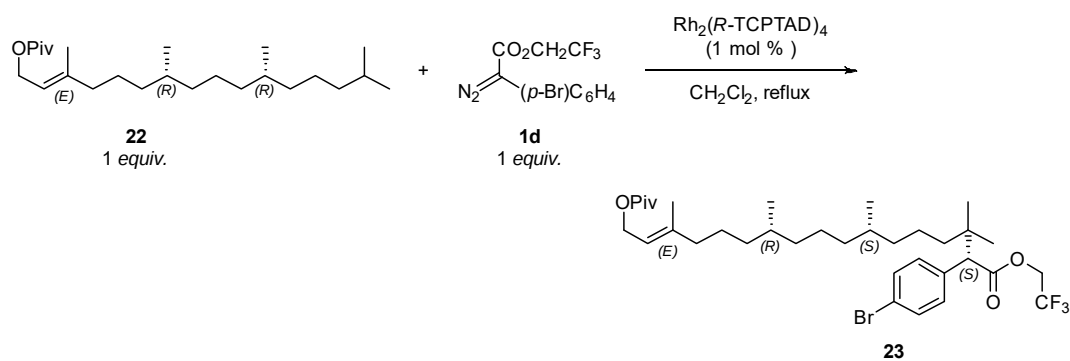
| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 26.94      | 8.220      |
| 2 | 39.92      | 91.780     |
|   |            | 11:1 d.r.  |



| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 24.49      | 99.363     |
| 2 | 39.25      | 0.637      |
|   |            | >20:1 d.r. |

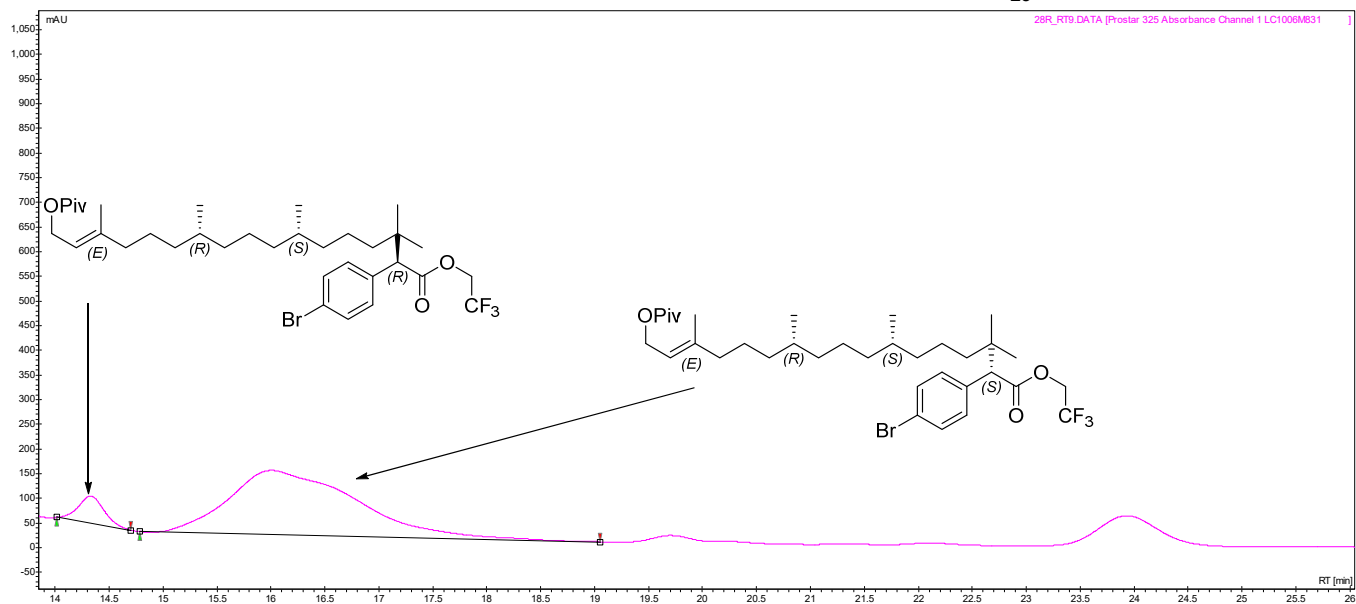
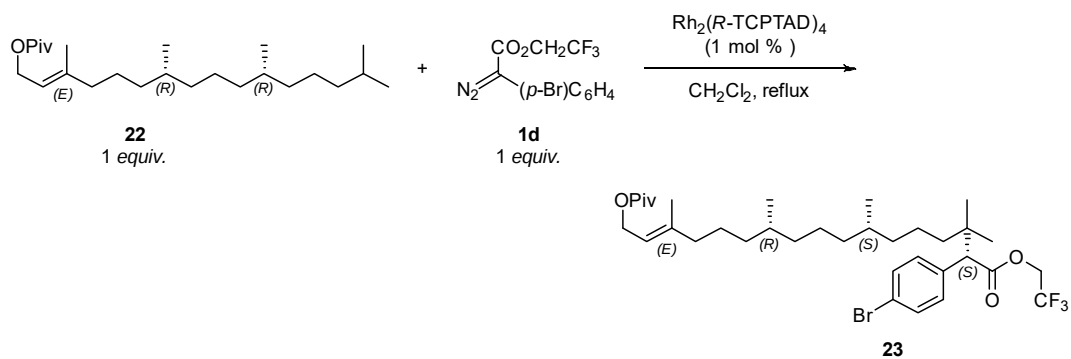


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 16.12      | 91.930     |
| 2 | 19.36      | 8.070      |
|   |            | 11:1 d.r.  |



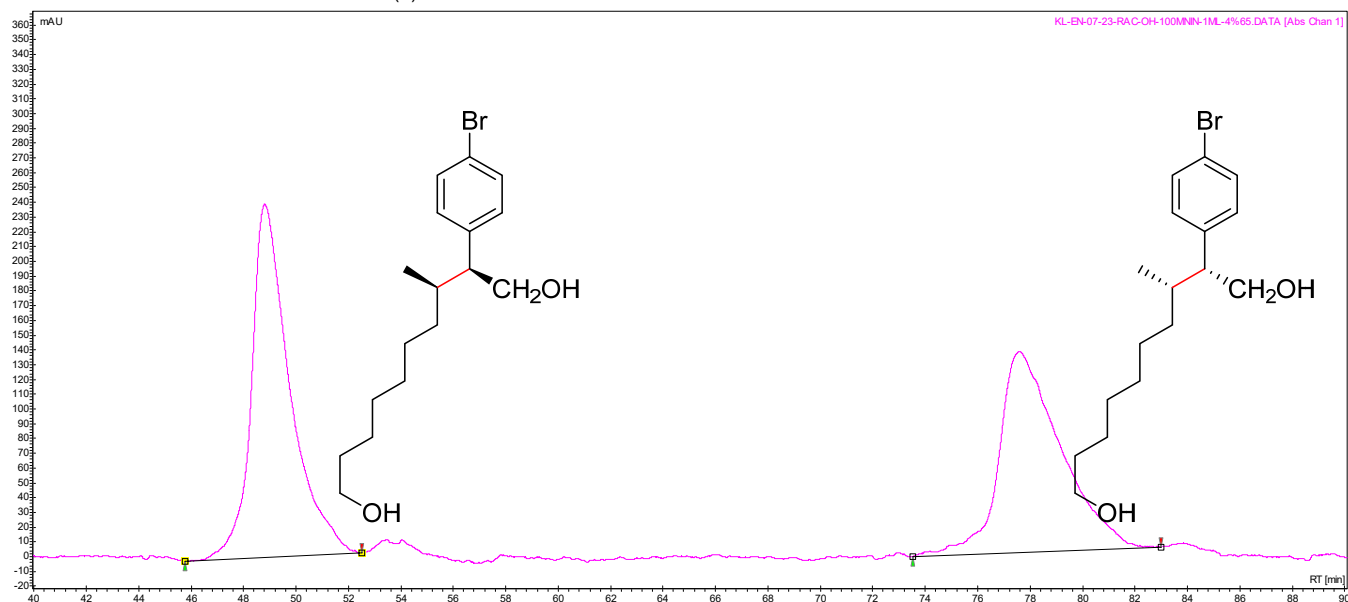
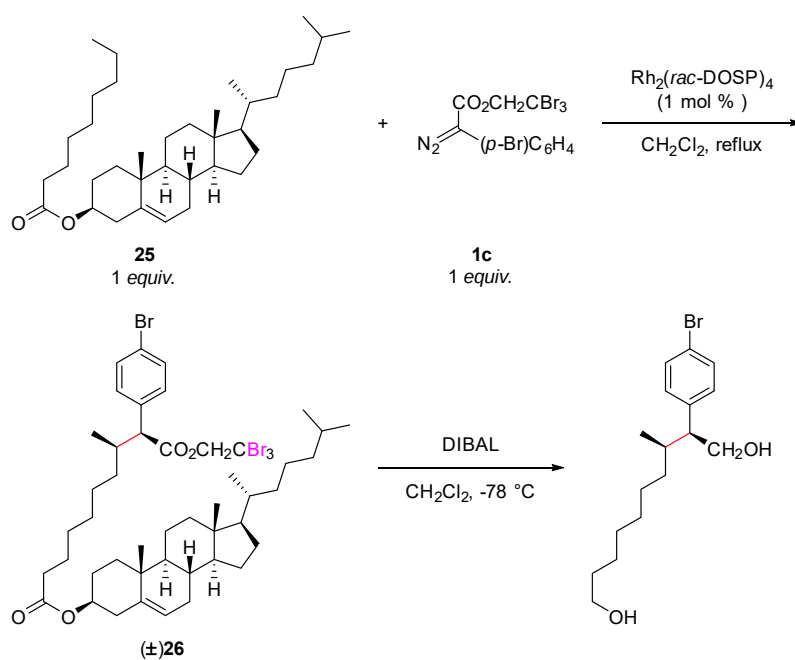
| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 16.07      | 7.550      |
| 2 | 19.18      | 92.450     |

12:1 d.r.

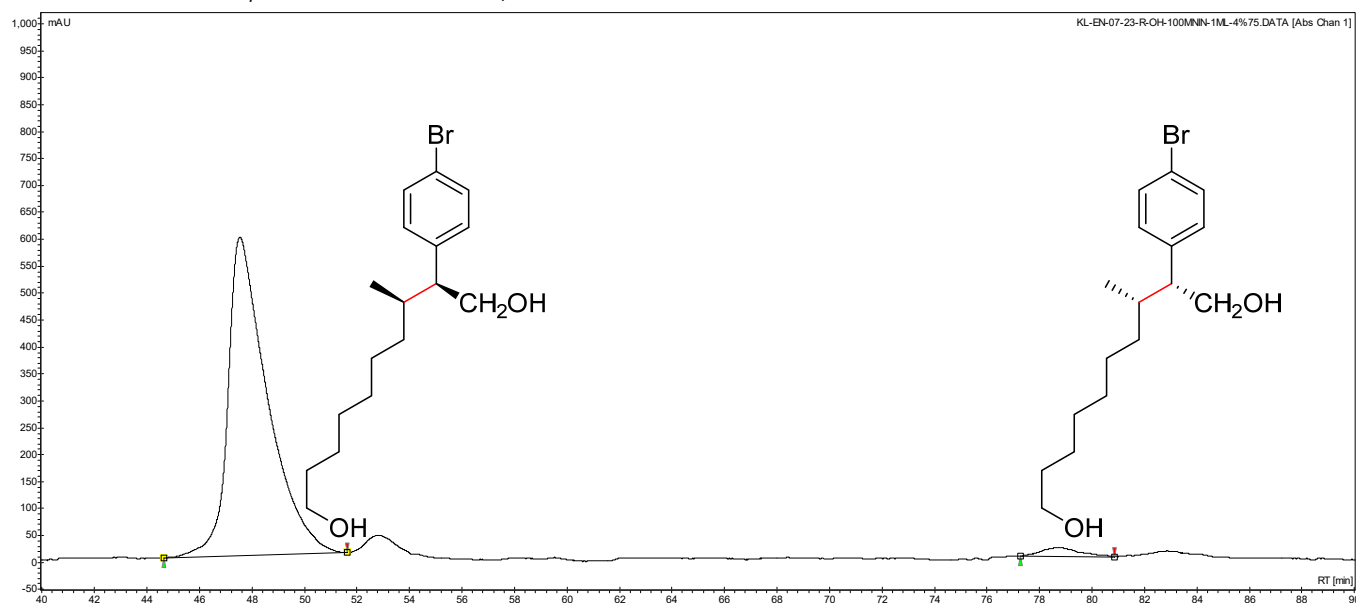
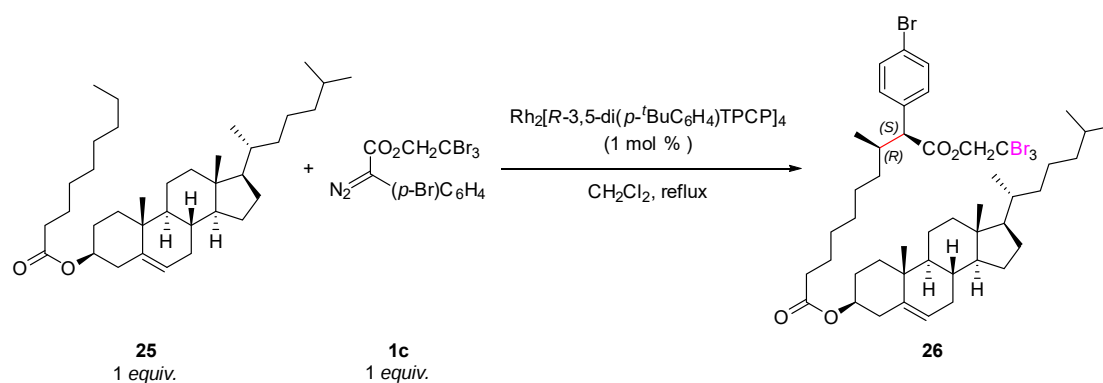


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 14.34      | 7.905      |
| 2 | 16.01      | 92.096     |

12:1 d.r.



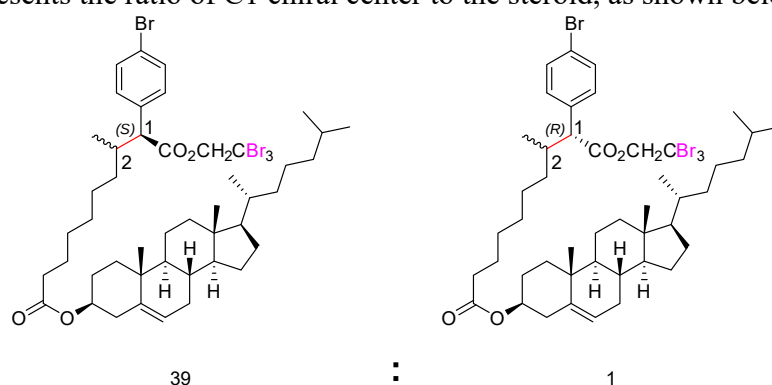
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|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 48.80      | 52.343     |
| 2 | 77.61      | 47.657     |

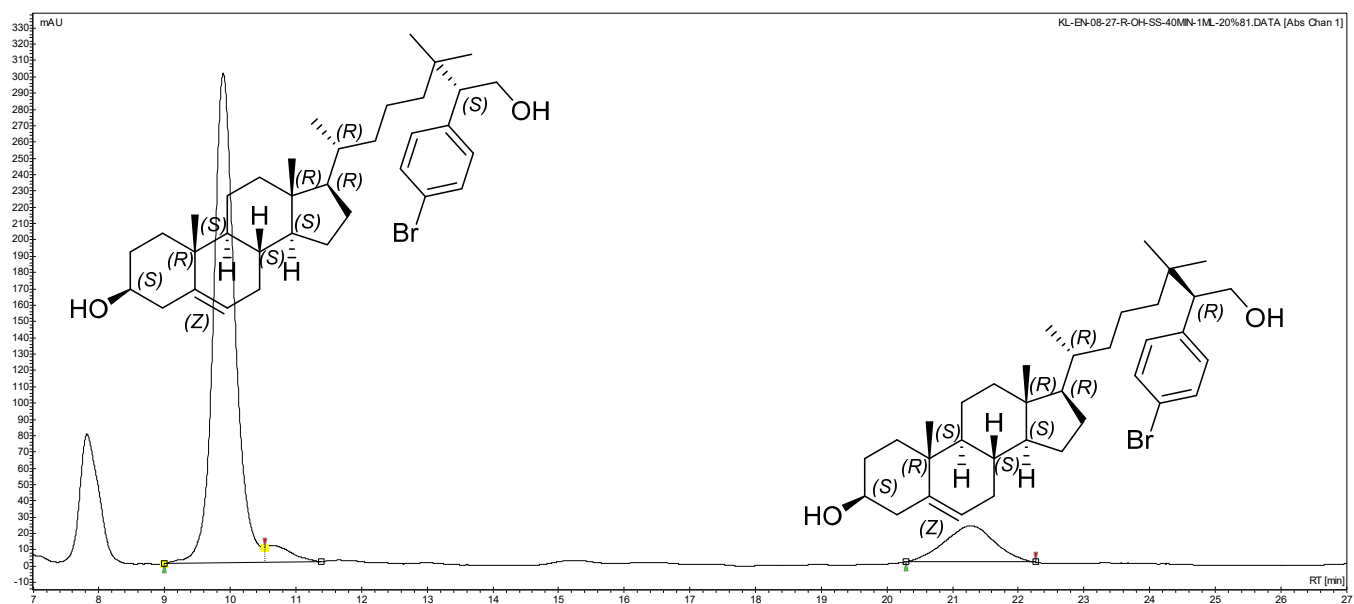
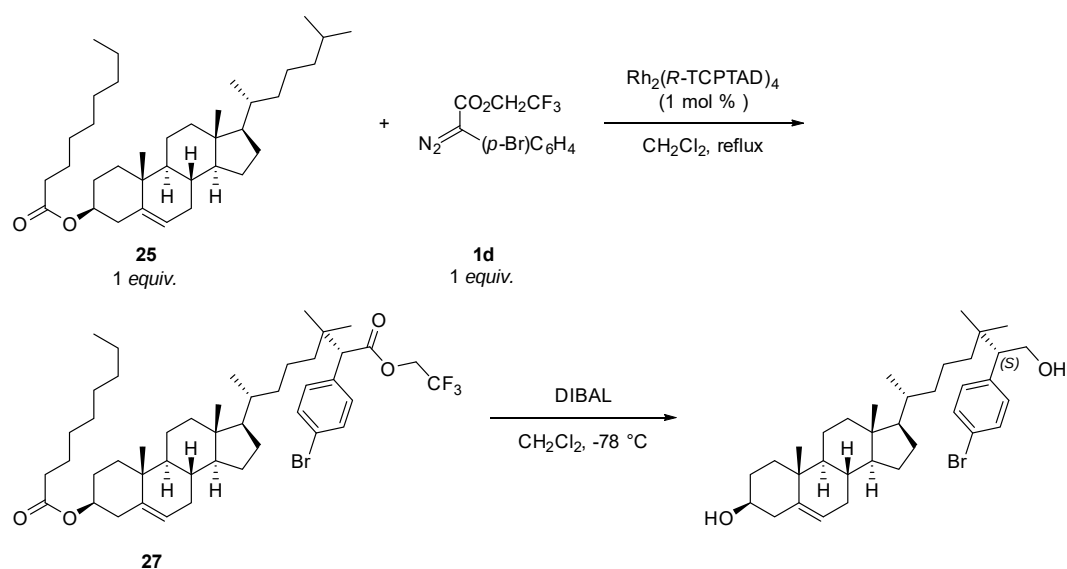


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 47.53      | 97.512     |
| 2 | 78.83      | 2.488      |

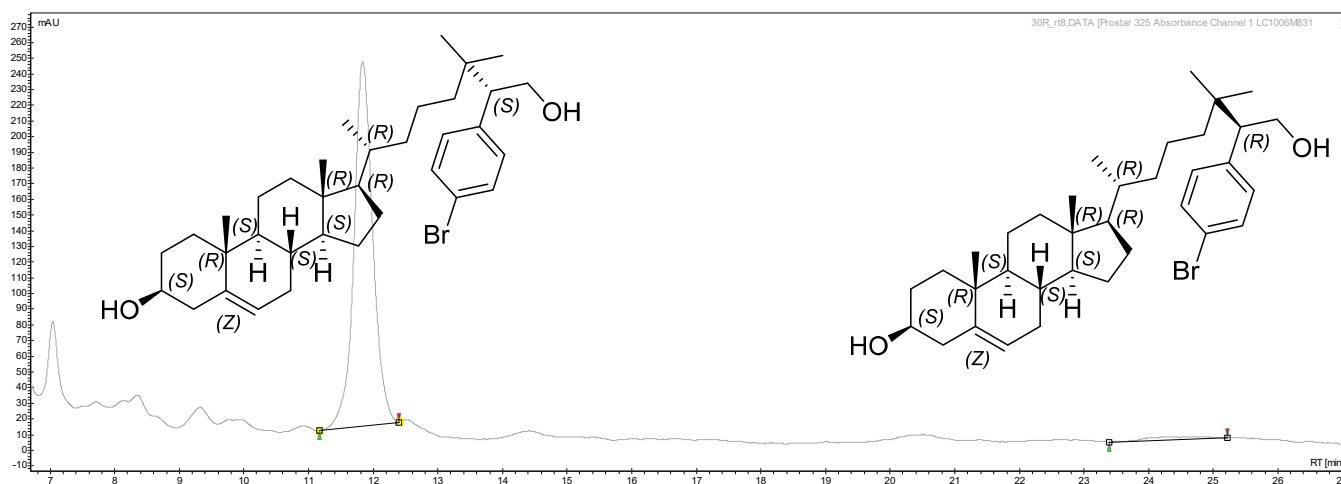
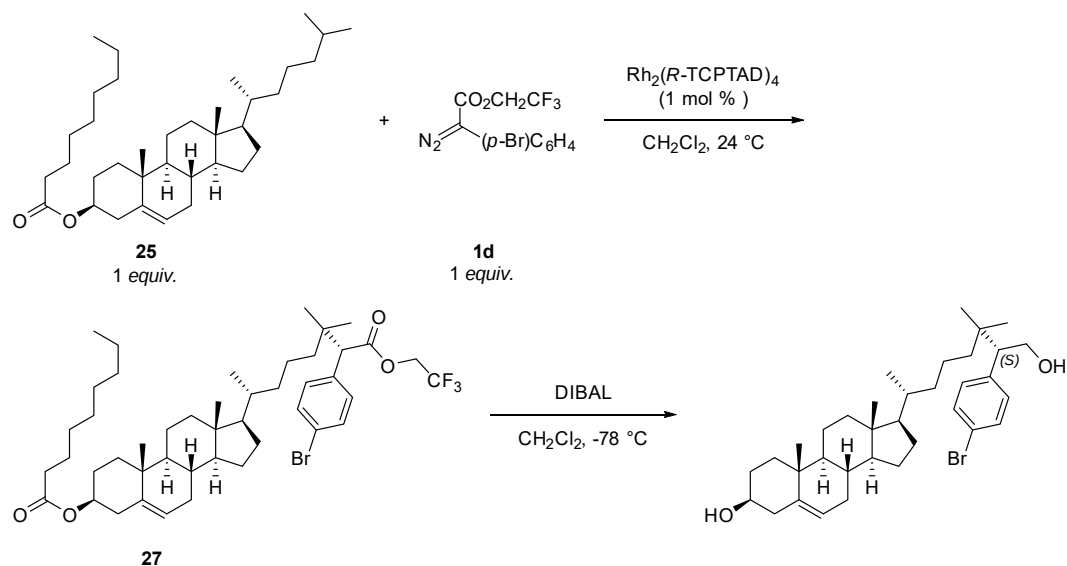
39:1 d.r.

The 39:1 d.r. represents the ratio of C1 chiral center to the steroid, as shown below:



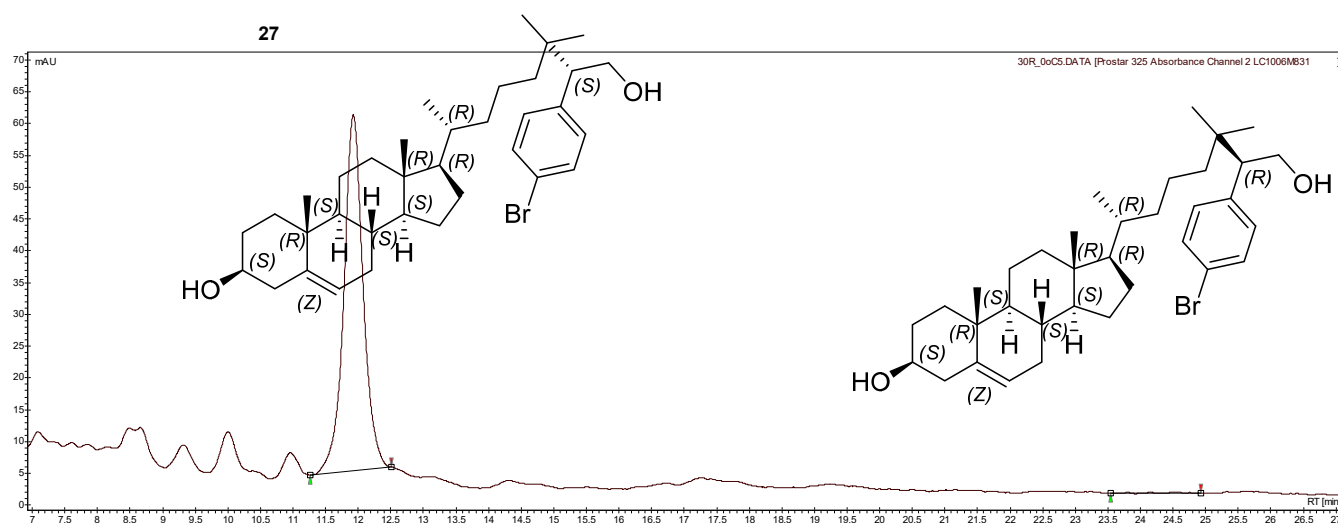


| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 9.89       | 85.363     |
| 2 | 21.30      | 14.637     |
|   |            | 6:1 d.r.   |



| # | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|---|------------|------------|
| 1 | 11.84      | 97.333     |
| 2 | 24.06      | 2.667      |

>20:1 d.r.



| #          | Time [Min] | Area % [%] |
|------------|------------|------------|
| 1          | 11.92      | 99.457     |
| 2          | 24.47      | 0.543      |
| >20:1 d.r. |            |            |

10 - X-Ray Crystallographic Data for 19R

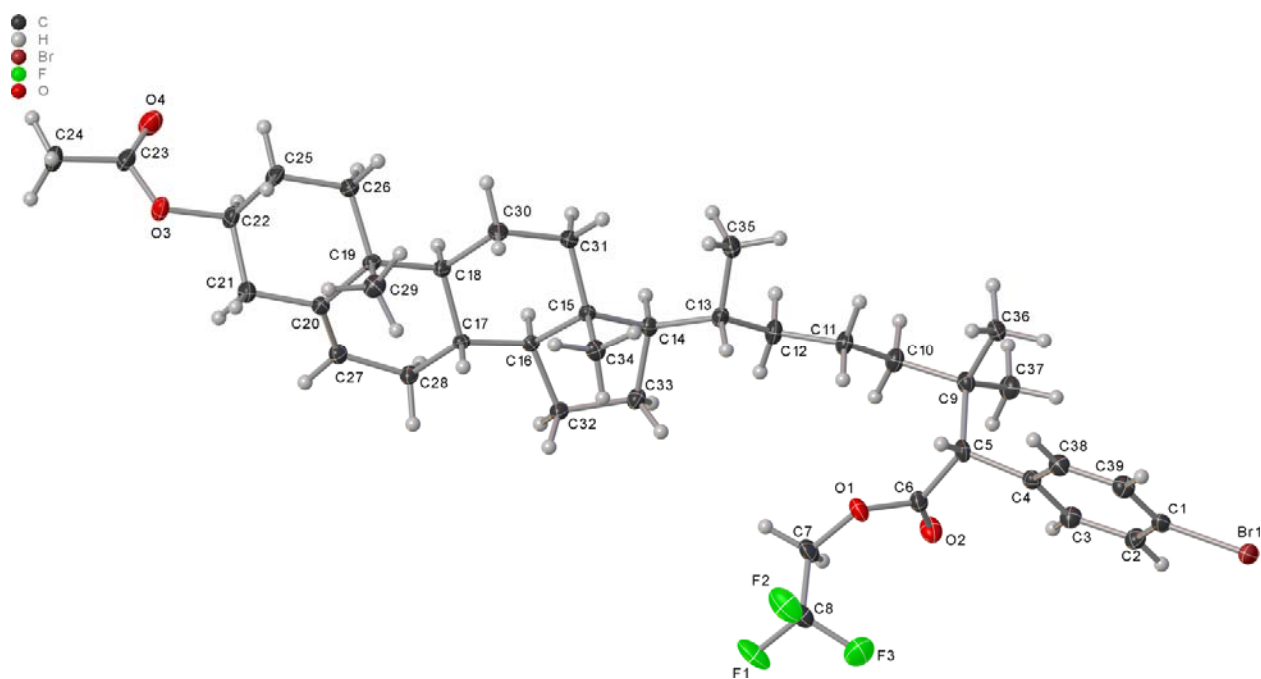


Table 1 Crystal data and structure refinement for 19R.

|                     |                                                                 |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Identification code | 19R                                                             |
| Empirical formula   | C <sub>39</sub> H <sub>54</sub> BrF <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> |
| Formula weight      | 723.72                                                          |
| Temperature/K       | 100(2)                                                          |
| Crystal system      | orthorhombic                                                    |
| Space group         | P2 <sub>1</sub> 2 <sub>1</sub> 2 <sub>1</sub>                   |
| a/Å                 | 7.8637(16)                                                      |
| b/Å                 | 15.308(4)                                                       |
| c/Å                 | 30.278(7)                                                       |
| α/°                 | 90                                                              |
| β/°                 | 90                                                              |
| γ/°                 | 90                                                              |

|                                             |                                                                 |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>                       | 3644.8(15)                                                      |
| Z                                           | 4                                                               |
| $\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{g}/\text{cm}^3$   | 1.319                                                           |
| $\mu/\text{mm}^{-1}$                        | 1.182                                                           |
| F(000)                                      | 1528.0                                                          |
| Crystal size/mm <sup>3</sup>                | 1.165 × 0.591 × 0.296                                           |
| Radiation                                   | MoK $\alpha$ ( $\lambda$ = 0.71073)                             |
| 2 $\Theta$ range for data collection/°      | 2.69 to 61.016                                                  |
| Index ranges                                | -11 ≤ h ≤ 11, -21 ≤ k ≤ 21, -43 ≤ l ≤ 38                        |
| Reflections collected                       | 48851                                                           |
| Independent reflections                     | 11132 [ $R_{\text{int}}$ = 0.0465, $R_{\text{sigma}}$ = 0.0280] |
| Data/restraints/parameters                  | 11132/2/440                                                     |
| Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>           | 1.036                                                           |
| Final R indexes [ $I \geq 2\sigma(I)$ ]     | $R_1$ = 0.0377, $wR_2$ = 0.0903                                 |
| Final R indexes [all data]                  | $R_1$ = 0.0442, $wR_2$ = 0.0941                                 |
| Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å <sup>-3</sup> | 0.74/-0.22                                                      |
| Flack parameter                             | -0.013(3)                                                       |

**Table 2 Fractional Atomic Coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and Equivalent Isotropic Displacement Parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for 19R.  $U_{\text{eq}}$  is defined as 1/3 of the trace of the orthogonalised  $U_{ij}$  tensor.**

| Atom | x         | y         | z          | $U(\text{eq})$ |
|------|-----------|-----------|------------|----------------|
| Br1  | 7538.3(3) | 1662.9(2) | 10528.5(2) | 23.74(7)       |

|     |         |            |           |         |
|-----|---------|------------|-----------|---------|
| F1  | 1005(2) | 3514.1(13) | 7763.3(7) | 40.8(5) |
| F2  | 3364(3) | 4127.9(12) | 7955.9(8) | 42.1(5) |
| F3  | 2072(3) | 3277.1(14) | 8410.0(6) | 43.5(5) |
| O3  | 7622(3) | 5249.5(11) | 3254.1(5) | 21.2(3) |
| O1  | 4985(2) | 2514.2(12) | 8024.4(6) | 21.4(4) |
| O2  | 3982(2) | 1302.8(13) | 8366.9(7) | 25.2(4) |
| O4  | 8464(3) | 4073.4(13) | 2861.8(7) | 29.3(4) |
| C6  | 5133(3) | 1802.9(16) | 8299.4(8) | 18.0(4) |
| C27 | 4866(3) | 4318.7(16) | 4574.3(8) | 16.8(4) |
| C28 | 4698(3) | 3896.7(16) | 5020.3(8) | 15.8(4) |
| C1  | 7333(3) | 1684.8(15) | 9902.6(7) | 17.5(4) |
| C2  | 6065(3) | 1193.9(17) | 9699.7(8) | 19.6(5) |
| C20 | 6310(3) | 4647.4(14) | 4407.8(8) | 15.2(4) |
| C32 | 4783(3) | 3220.2(16) | 5975.7(8) | 16.1(4) |
| C23 | 8036(3) | 4829.5(17) | 2879.0(8) | 20.3(5) |
| C15 | 7878(3) | 3351.5(15) | 5979.7(7) | 13.0(4) |
| C18 | 7928(3) | 3901.1(15) | 5021.4(7) | 14.0(4) |
| C19 | 8022(3) | 4605.0(14) | 4649.0(8) | 14.3(4) |
| C22 | 7694(3) | 4747.0(15) | 3662.8(7) | 17.8(4) |
| C39 | 8423(3) | 2206.0(17) | 9656.9(9) | 20.3(5) |
| C14 | 7437(3) | 2600.1(13) | 6307.3(6) | 14.2(3) |
| C34 | 7949(3) | 4228.6(15) | 6227.4(8) | 16.6(4) |
| C13 | 8458(3) | 2525.9(16) | 6741.1(7) | 16.4(4) |

|     |          |            |           |         |
|-----|----------|------------|-----------|---------|
| C17 | 6306(3)  | 3985.8(14) | 5305.1(7) | 12.4(4) |
| C25 | 9428(3)  | 4846.8(18) | 3880.4(8) | 19.9(5) |
| C10 | 7672(4)  | 973.7(15)  | 7750.4(7) | 19.2(4) |
| C11 | 8398(3)  | 1757.0(17) | 7494.2(8) | 19.4(4) |
| C16 | 6332(3)  | 3294.1(14) | 5666.5(7) | 12.4(4) |
| C35 | 10392(3) | 2465.4(19) | 6663.5(9) | 23.7(5) |
| C9  | 7936(3)  | 972.1(15)  | 8257.4(8) | 16.7(4) |
| C4  | 6995(3)  | 1735.4(15) | 8982.4(7) | 15.6(4) |
| C33 | 5487(3)  | 2723.8(16) | 6384.4(8) | 18.0(4) |
| C36 | 9836(3)  | 1092.7(17) | 8367.2(9) | 20.2(5) |
| C38 | 8243(3)  | 2224.0(16) | 9199.2(8) | 18.7(4) |
| C26 | 9433(3)  | 4331.8(17) | 4316.5(8) | 18.8(4) |
| C31 | 9490(3)  | 3228.2(17) | 5697.3(8) | 18.3(4) |
| C12 | 7830(3)  | 1737.0(16) | 7010.0(8) | 19.8(5) |
| C21 | 6292(3)  | 5100.5(17) | 3961.8(8) | 19.7(5) |
| C7  | 3409(3)  | 2613.3(18) | 7794.4(9) | 22.1(5) |
| C3  | 5893(3)  | 1224.7(16) | 9241.1(8) | 19.0(5) |
| C8  | 2464(4)  | 3388.3(16) | 7983.2(9) | 24.4(5) |
| C37 | 7337(4)  | 82.4(15)   | 8429.8(8) | 20.9(4) |
| C24 | 7861(4)  | 5426(2)    | 2487.1(9) | 27.5(6) |
| C30 | 9553(3)  | 3874.5(17) | 5307.6(8) | 19.4(5) |
| C29 | 8438(3)  | 5522.3(16) | 4837.7(9) | 20.5(5) |
| C5  | 6942(3)  | 1753.8(15) | 8477.5(8) | 15.5(4) |

**Table 3 Anisotropic Displacement Parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for 19R. The Anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2\pi^2[h^2a^{*2}U_{11}+2hka^*b^*U_{12}+\dots]$ .**

| Atom | U <sub>11</sub> | U <sub>22</sub> | U <sub>33</sub> | U <sub>23</sub> | U <sub>13</sub> | U <sub>12</sub> |
|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Br1  | 22.33(11)       | 33.72(13)       | 15.17(10)       | -1.42(9)        | -0.75(10)       | 7.24(12)        |
| F1   | 25.0(9)         | 37.5(10)        | 59.8(13)        | -1.1(9)         | -17.8(9)        | 10.1(7)         |
| F2   | 37.9(10)        | 21.5(8)         | 67.0(14)        | 5.7(8)          | -14.3(10)       | -2.4(7)         |
| F3   | 50.1(12)        | 49.9(11)        | 30.4(9)         | -4.9(8)         | 5.9(8)          | 9.7(10)         |
| O3   | 29.7(9)         | 19.5(7)         | 14.3(7)         | 3.6(6)          | 1.2(8)          | 1.7(8)          |
| O1   | 17.9(8)         | 22.0(8)         | 24.4(9)         | 6.7(7)          | -5.4(7)         | 1.3(7)          |
| O2   | 16.8(8)         | 30.4(10)        | 28.4(10)        | 8.9(8)          | -3.6(7)         | -5.8(7)         |
| O4   | 40.0(12)        | 26.9(10)        | 20.9(9)         | -0.1(7)         | 7.1(8)          | 5.3(9)          |
| C6   | 16.7(10)        | 21.1(11)        | 16.2(10)        | 2.8(8)          | -1.8(8)         | 0.4(8)          |
| C27  | 15.9(10)        | 19.5(10)        | 15(1)           | 0.4(8)          | -1.7(8)         | -0.2(8)         |
| C28  | 12.4(9)         | 19.7(10)        | 15.1(10)        | 2.1(8)          | 0.7(8)          | -2.4(8)         |
| C1   | 17.6(10)        | 18.7(9)         | 16.1(9)         | -1.4(8)         | -0.3(8)         | 4.9(10)         |
| C2   | 18.4(11)        | 22.0(11)        | 18.4(11)        | 2.0(9)          | 2.1(9)          | -2.0(9)         |
| C20  | 15.6(10)        | 15.3(9)         | 14.5(11)        | 0.4(8)          | 0.3(8)          | 1.5(8)          |
| C32  | 13.5(9)         | 20.1(11)        | 14.8(10)        | 1.3(8)          | 1.3(8)          | 0.1(8)          |
| C23  | 21.0(11)        | 26.2(12)        | 13.8(10)        | 1.8(9)          | 2.0(8)          | -0.5(9)         |
| C15  | 13.8(9)         | 12.4(8)         | 12.8(9)         | 0.0(7)          | 0.5(7)          | 1.0(7)          |
| C18  | 12.4(9)         | 15.8(9)         | 13.8(9)         | 0.2(7)          | 0.6(7)          | -0.2(7)         |
| C19  | 13.5(9)         | 15.4(9)         | 14.1(10)        | 0.1(8)          | 2.0(8)          | 0.0(8)          |

|     |          |          |          |         |          |          |
|-----|----------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|
| C22 | 23.1(12) | 17.2(9)  | 13.0(9)  | 3.5(7)  | 1.8(9)   | -0.4(9)  |
| C39 | 18.1(11) | 20.7(11) | 22.2(12) | -1.6(9) | -2.2(9)  | -2.6(9)  |
| C14 | 15.7(8)  | 14.2(8)  | 12.6(8)  | 0.0(7)  | -1.1(9)  | -0.3(9)  |
| C34 | 17.8(10) | 15.0(9)  | 16.8(10) | -2.4(8) | -3.1(8)  | -2.1(8)  |
| C13 | 19.4(10) | 17.2(10) | 12.5(10) | 1.0(8)  | 0.0(8)   | 0.9(8)   |
| C17 | 11.8(9)  | 13.2(9)  | 12.1(9)  | -0.7(7) | 0.3(7)   | -0.1(8)  |
| C25 | 19.4(11) | 25.7(12) | 14.5(11) | 4.2(9)  | 4.1(9)   | -2.0(9)  |
| C10 | 24.3(12) | 17.4(10) | 15.8(9)  | 2.7(7)  | -0.6(10) | -3.5(10) |
| C11 | 23.8(11) | 19.9(11) | 14.5(10) | 4.3(8)  | -1.3(8)  | -4.6(10) |
| C16 | 13.4(9)  | 12.1(9)  | 11.9(9)  | -1.2(7) | 0.8(7)   | -0.7(8)  |
| C35 | 19.0(11) | 32.2(13) | 19.8(12) | 7.8(10) | -0.4(9)  | 3.5(10)  |
| C9  | 17.2(10) | 15.6(10) | 17.2(10) | 4.2(8)  | -1.0(8)  | -1.3(8)  |
| C4  | 15.8(9)  | 14.6(10) | 16.5(10) | 1.7(8)  | 0.1(7)   | 0.6(8)   |
| C33 | 17.9(10) | 21.3(11) | 14.9(10) | 2.1(8)  | 0.4(8)   | -3.0(9)  |
| C36 | 17.6(11) | 23.7(12) | 19.2(11) | 4.9(9)  | -1.2(9)  | 2.4(9)   |
| C38 | 17.7(10) | 17.2(10) | 21.1(11) | 1.6(8)  | -0.4(9)  | -1.9(9)  |
| C26 | 16.3(10) | 23.4(11) | 16.9(11) | 3.4(9)  | 3.2(9)   | 2.8(9)   |
| C31 | 15.1(9)  | 24.0(12) | 15.7(10) | 1.7(9)  | 0.9(8)   | 4.4(9)   |
| C12 | 25.8(12) | 19(1)    | 14.6(9)  | 3.3(8)  | -1.8(8)  | -2.1(9)  |
| C21 | 20.2(11) | 21.8(11) | 17.2(11) | 4.9(9)  | 0.9(9)   | 2.6(9)   |
| C7  | 18.3(11) | 25.9(12) | 22.1(12) | 1.6(10) | -6.9(9)  | 3.9(9)   |
| C3  | 17.1(10) | 19.3(11) | 20.7(12) | 1.2(9)  | 0.4(9)   | -4.4(9)  |
| C8  | 20.3(10) | 23.5(11) | 29.3(12) | 0.3(9)  | -6.4(11) | 2.5(13)  |

|     |          |          |          |         |         |          |
|-----|----------|----------|----------|---------|---------|----------|
| C37 | 24.8(12) | 16.0(9)  | 21.8(10) | 5.3(8)  | 1.1(10) | -2.8(10) |
| C24 | 32.1(16) | 34.9(14) | 15.5(11) | 8.1(10) | 1.1(10) | 3.6(11)  |
| C30 | 11.5(10) | 27.2(12) | 19.5(12) | 4.6(9)  | 1.7(9)  | 0.5(9)   |
| C29 | 20.5(11) | 18.8(11) | 22.1(12) | -0.1(9) | 1.1(9)  | -5.1(9)  |
| C5  | 15.4(8)  | 15.2(10) | 16(1)    | 4.6(8)  | -4.0(7) | -3.5(8)  |

Table 4 Bond Lengths for 19R.

| Atom Atom |     | Length/Å | Atom Atom |     | Length/Å |
|-----------|-----|----------|-----------|-----|----------|
| Br1       | C1  | 1.902(2) | C18       | C19 | 1.562(3) |
| F1        | C8  | 1.340(3) | C18       | C17 | 1.544(3) |
| F2        | C8  | 1.338(3) | C18       | C30 | 1.544(3) |
| F3        | C8  | 1.339(3) | C19       | C26 | 1.556(3) |
| O3        | C23 | 1.345(3) | C19       | C29 | 1.551(3) |
| O3        | C22 | 1.458(3) | C22       | C25 | 1.522(4) |
| O1        | C6  | 1.376(3) | C22       | C21 | 1.526(3) |
| O1        | C7  | 1.429(3) | C39       | C38 | 1.393(4) |
| O2        | C6  | 1.203(3) | C14       | C13 | 1.543(3) |
| O4        | C23 | 1.206(3) | C14       | C33 | 1.563(4) |
| C6        | C5  | 1.523(3) | C13       | C35 | 1.542(4) |
| C27       | C28 | 1.503(3) | C13       | C12 | 1.538(3) |
| C27       | C20 | 1.340(3) | C17       | C16 | 1.523(3) |
| C28       | C17 | 1.536(3) | C25       | C26 | 1.538(3) |
| C1        | C2  | 1.391(3) | C10       | C11 | 1.538(3) |

|     |     |          |     |     |          |
|-----|-----|----------|-----|-----|----------|
| C1  | C39 | 1.387(3) | C10 | C9  | 1.549(3) |
| C2  | C3  | 1.396(4) | C11 | C12 | 1.533(3) |
| C20 | C19 | 1.533(3) | C9  | C36 | 1.542(3) |
| C20 | C21 | 1.518(3) | C9  | C37 | 1.533(3) |
| C32 | C16 | 1.540(3) | C9  | C5  | 1.577(3) |
| C32 | C33 | 1.554(3) | C4  | C38 | 1.398(3) |
| C23 | C24 | 1.503(4) | C4  | C3  | 1.405(3) |
| C15 | C14 | 1.558(3) | C4  | C5  | 1.530(3) |
| C15 | C34 | 1.539(3) | C31 | C30 | 1.541(3) |
| C15 | C16 | 1.544(3) | C7  | C8  | 1.512(4) |
| C15 | C31 | 1.541(3) |     |     |          |

Table 5 Bond Angles for 19R.

| Atom Atom Atom |     |     | Angle/°    | Atom Atom Atom |     |     | Angle/°    |
|----------------|-----|-----|------------|----------------|-----|-----|------------|
| C23            | O3  | C22 | 117.06(19) | C35            | C13 | C14 | 112.8(2)   |
| C6             | O1  | C7  | 116.9(2)   | C12            | C13 | C14 | 109.97(19) |
| O1             | C6  | C5  | 109.4(2)   | C12            | C13 | C35 | 110.5(2)   |
| O2             | C6  | O1  | 122.9(2)   | C28            | C17 | C18 | 111.13(18) |
| O2             | C6  | C5  | 127.7(2)   | C16            | C17 | C28 | 110.66(18) |
| C20            | C27 | C28 | 125.0(2)   | C16            | C17 | C18 | 109.27(18) |
| C27            | C28 | C17 | 113.19(19) | C22            | C25 | C26 | 108.8(2)   |
| C2             | C1  | Br1 | 119.42(18) | C11            | C10 | C9  | 116.8(2)   |
| C39            | C1  | Br1 | 119.47(18) | C12            | C11 | C10 | 111.0(2)   |

|     |     |     |            |     |     |     |            |
|-----|-----|-----|------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| C39 | C1  | C2  | 121.1(2)   | C32 | C16 | C15 | 104.69(17) |
| C1  | C2  | C3  | 119.4(2)   | C17 | C16 | C32 | 118.49(18) |
| C27 | C20 | C19 | 123.3(2)   | C17 | C16 | C15 | 114.36(18) |
| C27 | C20 | C21 | 119.9(2)   | C10 | C9  | C5  | 110.55(19) |
| C21 | C20 | C19 | 116.8(2)   | C36 | C9  | C10 | 110.1(2)   |
| C16 | C32 | C33 | 103.78(18) | C36 | C9  | C5  | 107.35(19) |
| O3  | C23 | C24 | 110.7(2)   | C37 | C9  | C10 | 107.31(19) |
| O4  | C23 | O3  | 124.2(2)   | C37 | C9  | C36 | 109.3(2)   |
| O4  | C23 | C24 | 125.0(2)   | C37 | C9  | C5  | 112.22(19) |
| C34 | C15 | C14 | 110.00(18) | C38 | C4  | C3  | 118.0(2)   |
| C34 | C15 | C16 | 112.20(18) | C38 | C4  | C5  | 118.6(2)   |
| C34 | C15 | C31 | 110.30(19) | C3  | C4  | C5  | 123.4(2)   |
| C16 | C15 | C14 | 100.02(17) | C32 | C33 | C14 | 106.85(18) |
| C31 | C15 | C14 | 116.47(19) | C39 | C38 | C4  | 121.9(2)   |
| C31 | C15 | C16 | 107.47(18) | C25 | C26 | C19 | 114.6(2)   |
| C17 | C18 | C19 | 112.51(18) | C30 | C31 | C15 | 111.88(19) |
| C17 | C18 | C30 | 111.96(18) | C11 | C12 | C13 | 113.4(2)   |
| C30 | C18 | C19 | 112.60(18) | C20 | C21 | C22 | 111.0(2)   |
| C20 | C19 | C18 | 109.37(18) | O1  | C7  | C8  | 109.0(2)   |
| C20 | C19 | C26 | 109.26(19) | C2  | C3  | C4  | 120.9(2)   |
| C20 | C19 | C29 | 108.81(19) | F1  | C8  | C7  | 110.2(2)   |
| C26 | C19 | C18 | 108.39(18) | F2  | C8  | F1  | 107.5(2)   |
| C29 | C19 | C18 | 111.63(19) | F2  | C8  | F3  | 106.8(2)   |

|     |     |     |            |     |     |     |            |
|-----|-----|-----|------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| C29 | C19 | C26 | 109.3(2)   | F2  | C8  | C7  | 112.4(2)   |
| O3  | C22 | C25 | 110.5(2)   | F3  | C8  | F1  | 107.5(2)   |
| O3  | C22 | C21 | 106.74(19) | F3  | C8  | C7  | 112.2(2)   |
| C25 | C22 | C21 | 110.8(2)   | C31 | C30 | C18 | 114.8(2)   |
| C1  | C39 | C38 | 118.8(2)   | C6  | C5  | C9  | 110.52(19) |
| C15 | C14 | C33 | 102.92(18) | C6  | C5  | C4  | 112.3(2)   |
| C13 | C14 | C15 | 118.73(19) | C4  | C5  | C9  | 113.26(19) |
| C13 | C14 | C33 | 113.07(18) |     |     |     |            |

Table 6 Torsion Angles for 19R.

| A   | B   | C   | D   | Angle/°     | A   | B   | C   | D   | Angle/°     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------|
| Br1 | C1  | C2  | C3  | 178.68(19)  | C34 | C15 | C31 | C30 | -68.6(2)    |
| Br1 | C1  | C39 | C38 | -179.19(19) | C13 | C14 | C33 | C32 | 153.10(19)  |
| O3  | C22 | C25 | C26 | 178.24(19)  | C17 | C18 | C19 | C20 | -47.2(2)    |
| O3  | C22 | C21 | C20 | -177.34(19) | C17 | C18 | C19 | C26 | -166.28(19) |
| O1  | C6  | C5  | C9  | -107.8(2)   | C17 | C18 | C19 | C29 | 73.2(2)     |
| O1  | C6  | C5  | C4  | 124.6(2)    | C17 | C18 | C30 | C31 | 48.7(3)     |
| O1  | C7  | C8  | F1  | 177.9(2)    | C25 | C22 | C21 | C20 | -57.0(3)    |
| O1  | C7  | C8  | F2  | 58.1(3)     | C10 | C11 | C12 | C13 | 177.6(2)    |
| O1  | C7  | C8  | F3  | -62.3(3)    | C10 | C9  | C5  | C6  | 46.9(3)     |
| O2  | C6  | C5  | C9  | 70.1(3)     | C10 | C9  | C5  | C4  | 173.94(19)  |
| O2  | C6  | C5  | C4  | -57.5(4)    | C11 | C10 | C9  | C36 | -53.4(3)    |
| C6  | O1  | C7  | C8  | 109.9(2)    | C11 | C10 | C9  | C37 | -172.3(2)   |

|              |             |              |             |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| C27C28C17C18 | -37.7(3)    | C11C10C9 C5  | 65.0(3)     |
| C27C28C17C16 | -159.28(19) | C16C32C33C14 | 4.3(2)      |
| C27C20C19C18 | 17.3(3)     | C16C15C14C13 | -167.80(19) |
| C27C20C19C26 | 135.8(2)    | C16C15C14C33 | -42.0(2)    |
| C27C20C19C29 | -104.9(3)   | C16C15C31C30 | 54.0(3)     |
| C27C20C21C22 | -130.3(2)   | C35C13C12C11 | 71.0(3)     |
| C28C27C20C19 | 2.3(4)      | C9 C10C11C12 | -172.0(2)   |
| C28C27C20C21 | -176.8(2)   | C33C32C16C15 | -31.4(2)    |
| C28C17C16C32 | -53.9(3)    | C33C32C16C17 | -160.26(19) |
| C28C17C16C15 | -178.12(18) | C33C14C13C35 | -176.2(2)   |
| C1 C2 C3 C4  | 0.8(4)      | C33C14C13C12 | 60.0(2)     |
| C1 C39C38C4  | 0.3(4)      | C36C9 C5 C6  | 166.98(19)  |
| C2 C1 C39C38 | -0.8(4)     | C36C9 C5 C4  | -66.0(2)    |
| C20C27C28C17 | 8.1(3)      | C38C4 C3 C2  | -1.2(4)     |
| C20C19C26C25 | 48.4(3)     | C38C4 C5 C6  | -139.1(2)   |
| C23O3 C22C25 | 92.6(3)     | C38C4 C5 C9  | 94.8(3)     |
| C23O3 C22C21 | -146.9(2)   | C31C15C14C13 | 76.8(3)     |
| C15C14C13C35 | -55.5(3)    | C31C15C14C33 | -157.42(19) |
| C15C14C13C12 | -179.30(19) | C31C15C16C32 | 168.07(19)  |
| C15C14C33C32 | 23.8(2)     | C31C15C16C17 | -60.6(2)    |
| C15C31C30C18 | -51.0(3)    | C21C20C19C18 | -163.58(19) |
| C18C19C26C25 | 167.5(2)    | C21C20C19C26 | -45.1(3)    |
| C18C17C16C32 | -176.59(19) | C21C20C19C29 | 74.2(2)     |

|                 |             |                 |             |
|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| C18C17C16C15    | 59.2(2)     | C21 C22 C25 C26 | 60.2(3)     |
| C19C20C21C22    | 50.6(3)     | C7 O1 C6 O2     | -3.8(4)     |
| C19C18C17C28    | 59.0(2)     | C7 O1 C6 C5     | 174.3(2)    |
| C19C18C17C16    | -178.55(18) | C3 C4 C38C39    | 0.7(4)      |
| C19C18C30C31    | 176.6(2)    | C3 C4 C5 C6     | 43.5(3)     |
| C22 O3 C23 O4   | -0.2(4)     | C3 C4 C5 C9     | -82.6(3)    |
| C22 O3 C23 C24  | 178.7(2)    | C37C9 C5 C6     | -72.9(2)    |
| C22 C25 C26 C19 | -57.2(3)    | C37C9 C5 C4     | 54.2(3)     |
| C39C1 C2 C3     | 0.2(4)      | C30C18C19C20    | -174.91(19) |
| C14C15C16C32    | 46.1(2)     | C30C18C19C26    | 66.0(2)     |
| C14C15C16C17    | 177.35(17)  | C30C18C19C29    | -54.4(3)    |
| C14C15C31C30    | 165.1(2)    | C30C18C17C28    | -172.96(19) |
| C14C13C12C11    | -163.8(2)   | C30C18C17C16    | -50.6(2)    |
| C34C15C14C13    | -49.6(3)    | C29C19C26C25    | -70.6(3)    |
| C34C15C14C33    | 76.2(2)     | C5 C4 C38C39    | -176.8(2)   |
| C34C15C16C32    | -70.5(2)    | C5 C4 C3 C2     | 176.2(2)    |
| C34C15C16C17    | 60.8(2)     |                 |             |

Table 7 Hydrogen Atom Coordinates (Å×10<sup>4</sup>) and Isotropic Displacement Parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>×10<sup>3</sup>) for 19R.

| Atom | x    | y    | z    | U(eq) |
|------|------|------|------|-------|
| H28A | 4439 | 3269 | 4980 | 19    |
| H28B | 3729 | 4165 | 5179 | 19    |
| H2   | 5324 | 841  | 9872 | 24    |

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|------|-------|------|------|----|
| H32A | 3852  | 2888 | 5834 | 19 |
| H32B | 4356  | 3805 | 6060 | 19 |
| H18  | 7855  | 3322 | 4870 | 17 |
| H39  | 9276  | 2545 | 9798 | 24 |
| H14  | 7589  | 2037 | 6144 | 17 |
| H34A | 6871  | 4326 | 6382 | 25 |
| H34B | 8141  | 4703 | 6016 | 25 |
| H34C | 8882  | 4216 | 6442 | 25 |
| H13  | 8233  | 3064 | 6919 | 20 |
| H17  | 6301  | 4575 | 5447 | 15 |
| H25A | 9661  | 5472 | 3939 | 24 |
| H25B | 10326 | 4621 | 3682 | 24 |
| H10A | 8188  | 435  | 7629 | 23 |
| H10B | 6435  | 943  | 7691 | 23 |
| H11A | 8007  | 2307 | 7633 | 23 |
| H11B | 9656  | 1744 | 7509 | 23 |
| H16  | 6427  | 2718 | 5512 | 15 |
| H35A | 10620 | 2061 | 6420 | 36 |
| H35B | 10947 | 2252 | 6932 | 36 |
| H35C | 10837 | 3045 | 6589 | 36 |
| H33A | 4921  | 2149 | 6415 | 22 |
| H33B | 5283  | 3065 | 6657 | 22 |
| H36A | 10511 | 671  | 8198 | 30 |

|      |       |      |      |    |
|------|-------|------|------|----|
| H36B | 10017 | 997  | 8684 | 30 |
| H36C | 10188 | 1687 | 8289 | 30 |
| H38  | 8990  | 2578 | 9030 | 22 |
| H26A | 10555 | 4408 | 4460 | 23 |
| H26B | 9298  | 3703 | 4248 | 23 |
| H31A | 10507 | 3314 | 5885 | 22 |
| H31B | 9520  | 2623 | 5582 | 22 |
| H12A | 6573  | 1720 | 6999 | 24 |
| H12B | 8260  | 1195 | 6871 | 24 |
| H21A | 6454  | 5736 | 4004 | 24 |
| H21B | 5174  | 5009 | 3819 | 24 |
| H7A  | 2715  | 2078 | 7828 | 27 |
| H7B  | 3626  | 2706 | 7476 | 27 |
| H3   | 5020  | 896  | 9102 | 23 |
| H37A | 6108  | 25   | 8383 | 31 |
| H37B | 7589  | 37   | 8746 | 31 |
| H37C | 7930  | -384 | 8270 | 31 |
| H24A | 6654  | 5534 | 2429 | 41 |
| H24B | 8382  | 5151 | 2228 | 41 |
| H24C | 8434  | 5981 | 2549 | 41 |
| H30A | 10528 | 3718 | 5116 | 23 |
| H30B | 9766  | 4468 | 5426 | 23 |
| H29A | 8285  | 5963 | 4606 | 31 |

|      |          |          |          |       |
|------|----------|----------|----------|-------|
| H29B | 9619     | 5533     | 4941     | 31    |
| H29C | 7674     | 5650     | 5085     | 31    |
| H22  | 7490(40) | 4123(7)  | 3590(9)  | 19    |
| H5   | 7460(50) | 2290(20) | 8398(10) | 19    |
| H27  | 3770(20) | 4370(20) | 4420(10) | 26(8) |

## Experimental

Single crystals of  $C_{39}H_{54}BrF_3O_4$  [18R] were [The material was recrystallised from --- by as supplied]. A suitable crystal was selected and [The crystal was mounted on a loop with paratone oil] on a Saxon-CrysAlisPro-abstract goniometer imported SAXI images diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 100(2) K during data collection. Using Olex2 [1], the structure was solved with the XT [2] structure solution program using Intrinsic Phasing and refined with the XL [3] refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

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## Crystal structure determination of [19R]

**Crystal Data** for  $C_{39}H_{54}BrF_3O_4$  ( $M=723.72$  g/mol): orthorhombic, space group  $P2_12_12_1$  (no. 19),  $a = 7.8637(16)$  Å,  $b = 15.308(4)$  Å,  $c = 30.278(7)$  Å,  $V = 3644.8(15)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 4$ ,  $T = 100(2)$  K,  $\mu(\text{MoK}\alpha) = 1.182$  mm<sup>-1</sup>,  $D_{\text{calc}} = 1.319$  g/cm<sup>3</sup>, 48851 reflections measured ( $2.69^\circ \leq 2\theta \leq 61.016^\circ$ ), 11132 unique ( $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0465$ ,  $R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0280$ ) which were used in all calculations. The final  $R_1$  was 0.0377 ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ) and  $wR_2$  was 0.0941 (all data).

## Refinement model description

Number of restraints - 2, number of constraints - unknown.

Details:

1. Fixed Uiso

At 1.2 times of:

All C(H) groups, All C(H,H) groups

At 1.5 times of:

All C(H,H,H) groups

2. Restrained distances

C27-H27

0.99 with sigma of 0.005

C22-H22

0.995 with sigma of 0.005

3.a Ternary CH refined with riding coordinates:

C18(H18), C14(H14), C13(H13), C17(H17), C16(H16)

3.b Secondary CH2 refined with riding coordinates:

C28(H28A,H28B), C32(H32A,H32B), C25(H25A,H25B), C10(H10A,H10B), C11(H11A,H11B), C33(H33A,H33B), C26(H26A,H26B), C31(H31A,H31B), C12(H12A,H12B),

C21(H21A,H21B), C7(H7A,H7B), C30(H30A,H30B)

3.c Aromatic/amide H refined with riding coordinates:

C2(H2), C39(H39), C38(H38), C3(H3)

3.d Idealised Me refined as rotating group:

C34(H34A,H34B,H34C), C35(H35A,H35B,H35C), C36(H36A,H36B,H36C), C37(H37A,H37B,  
H37C), C24(H24A,H24B,H24C), C29(H29A,H29B,H29C)

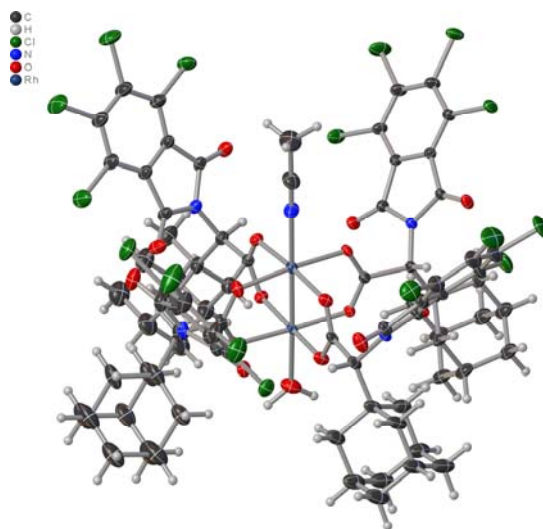
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11 - X-Ray Crystallographic Data for  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$  $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$ EMORY  
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## Crystal Data and Experimental



**Experimental.** Single violet needle-shaped crystals of  $[\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4]$  were crystallised by vapour diffusion. The major component was MeCN and ethyl ether; the minor methylene chloride and MeOH. A suitable crystal ( $0.70 \times 0.50 \times 0.40 \text{ mm}^3$ ) was selected and mounted on a loop with paratone oil on a Bruker APEX-II CCD diffractometer. The crystal was cooled to  $T = 100(2) \text{ K}$  during data collection. The structure was solved with the **XT** (Sheldrick, 2015) structure solution program using the Intrinsic Phasing solution method and by using **Olex2** (Dolomanov et al., 2009) as the graphical interface. The model was refined with version 2014/7 of **XL** (Sheldrick, 2008) using Least Squares minimisation.

**Crystal Data.**  $\text{C}_{86}\text{H}_{77}\text{Cl}_{24}\text{N}_5\text{O}_{17}\text{Rh}_2$ ,  $M_r = 2509.14$ , monoclinic,  $P2_1$  (No. 4),  $a = 13.9309(2) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $b = 23.4777(4) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $c = 19.4295(4) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\alpha = 90.0^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 97.9250(17)^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 90.0^\circ$ ,  $V = 6294.0(2) \text{ \AA}^3$ ,  $T = 100(2) \text{ K}$ ,  $Z = 2$ ,  $Z' = 1$ ,  $(\text{MoK } \alpha) = 0.824 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ , 157466 reflections measured, 38220 unique ( $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0523$ ) which were used in all calculations. The final  $wR_2$  was 0.1590 (all data) and  $R_1$  was 0.0641 ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ).

| Compound                            | $\text{Rh}_2(\text{R-TCPTAD})_4$                                             |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Formula                             | $\text{C}_{86}\text{H}_{77}\text{Cl}_{24}\text{N}_5\text{O}_{17}\text{Rh}_2$ |
| $D_{\text{calc.}}/\text{g cm}^{-3}$ | 1.324                                                                        |
| $/\text{mm}^{-1}$                   | 0.824                                                                        |
| Formula Weight                      | 2509.14                                                                      |
| Colour                              | violet                                                                       |
| Shape                               | needle                                                                       |
| Size/ $\text{mm}^3$                 | $0.70 \times 0.50 \times 0.40$                                               |
| $T/\text{K}$                        | 100(2)                                                                       |
| Crystal System                      | monoclinic                                                                   |
| Flack Parameter                     | -0.007(8)                                                                    |
| Hoofit Parameter                    | -0.005(5)                                                                    |
| Space Group                         | $\text{P2}_1$                                                                |
| $a/\text{\AA}$                      | 13.9309(2)                                                                   |
| $b/\text{\AA}$                      | 23.4777(4)                                                                   |
| $c/\text{\AA}$                      | 19.4295(4)                                                                   |
| $\angle^\circ$                      | 90.0                                                                         |
| $\angle^\circ$                      | 97.9250(17)                                                                  |
| $\angle^\circ$                      | 90.0                                                                         |
| $V/\text{\AA}^3$                    | 6294.0(2)                                                                    |
| $Z$                                 | 2                                                                            |
| $Z'$                                | 1                                                                            |
| Wavelength/ $\text{\AA}$            | 0.710730                                                                     |
| Radiation type                      | MoK                                                                          |
| $\min^\circ$                        | 1.693                                                                        |
| $\max^\circ$                        | 30.508                                                                       |
| Measured Refl.                      | 157466                                                                       |
| Independent Refl.                   | 38220                                                                        |
| Reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$   | 32915                                                                        |
| $R_{\text{int}}$                    | 0.0523                                                                       |
| Parameters                          | 1203                                                                         |
| Restraints                          | 1130                                                                         |
| Largest Peak                        | 1.919                                                                        |
| Deepest Hole                        | -1.069                                                                       |
| GooF                                | 1.043                                                                        |
| $wR_2$ (all data)                   | 0.1590                                                                       |
| $wR_2$                              | 0.1513                                                                       |
| $R_I$ (all data)                    | 0.0770                                                                       |

$R_I$  0.0641

## Structure Quality Indicators

|              |           |       |          |      |                  |       |          |       |           |
|--------------|-----------|-------|----------|------|------------------|-------|----------|-------|-----------|
| Reflections: | d min (Å) | 0.70  | I/σ      | 22.9 | R <sub>int</sub> | 5.23% | complete | 100%  |           |
| Refinement:  | Shift     | 0.000 | Max Peak | 1.9  | Min Peak         | -1.1  | GoF      | 1.043 | -0.007(8) |

A violet needle-shaped crystal with dimensions 0.70×0.50×0.40 mm<sup>3</sup> was mounted on a loop with paratone oil. Data were collected using a APEX2 Mo source diffractometer equipped with an Oxford Cryosystems low-temperature device, operating at  $T = 100(2)$  K.

Data were measured using scans of 0.5° per frame for 20.0 s using MoK $\alpha$  radiation (fine-focus sealed tube, 45 kV, 35 mA). The total number of runs and images was based on the strategy calculation from the program CrysAlisPro (Agilent). The maximum resolution that was achieved was  $\theta = 30.508^\circ$ .

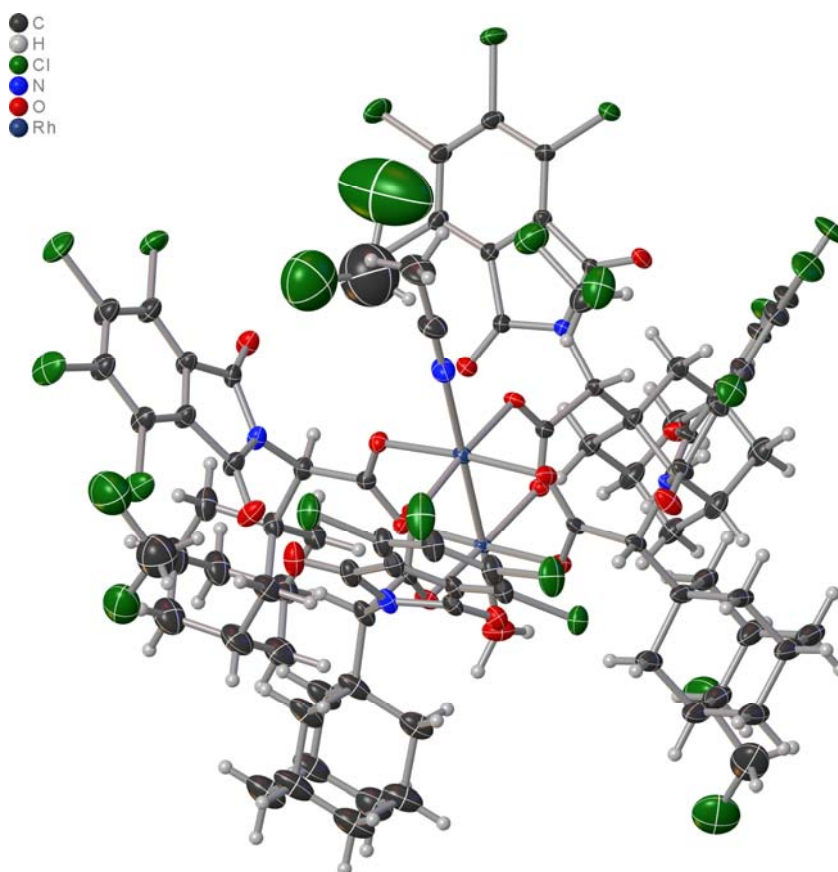
The diffraction patterns were indexed using CrysAlisPro (Agilent) and the unit cells were refined using CrysAlisPro (Agilent) on 65720 reflections, 42 % of the observed reflections. Data reduction, scaling and absorption corrections were performed using CrysAlisPro (Agilent) and CrysAlisPro 1.171.39.9g (Rigaku Oxford Diffraction, 2015). An empirical absorption correction using spherical harmonics, implemented in the SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling algorithm was used. The final completeness is 99.8% out to 30.508° in  $\theta$ . The absorption coefficient of this material is 0.824 mm<sup>-1</sup> at this wavelength ( $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å) and the minimum and maximum transmissions are 0.72898 and 1.00.

The structure was solved and the space group P2<sub>1</sub> (# 4) determined by the **XT** (Sheldrick, 2015) structure solution program using Intrinsic Phasing and refined by Least Squares using version 2014/7 of **XL** (Sheldrick, 2008). All non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically. Hydrogen atom positions were calculated geometrically and refined using the riding model.

There is a single molecule in the asymmetric unit, which is represented by the reported sum formula. In other words: Z is 2 and Z' is 1.

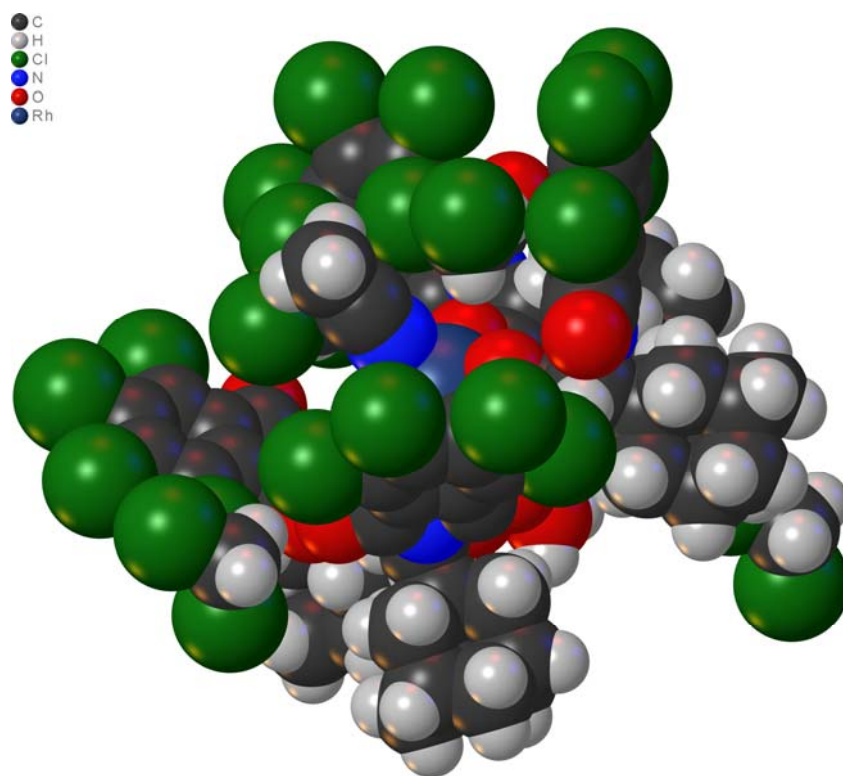
The structure contains regions of diffuse and disordered solvent. These volumes were treated using Platon SQUEEZE (Spek, 2015).

The Flack parameter was refined to -0.007(8). Determination of absolute structure using Bayesian statistics on Bijvoet differences using the Olex2 results in -0.005(5). Note: The Flack parameter is used to determine chirality of the crystal studied, the value should be near 0, a value of 1 means that the stereochemistry is wrong and the model should be inverted. A value of 0.5 means that the crystal consists of a racemic mixture of the two enantiomers.



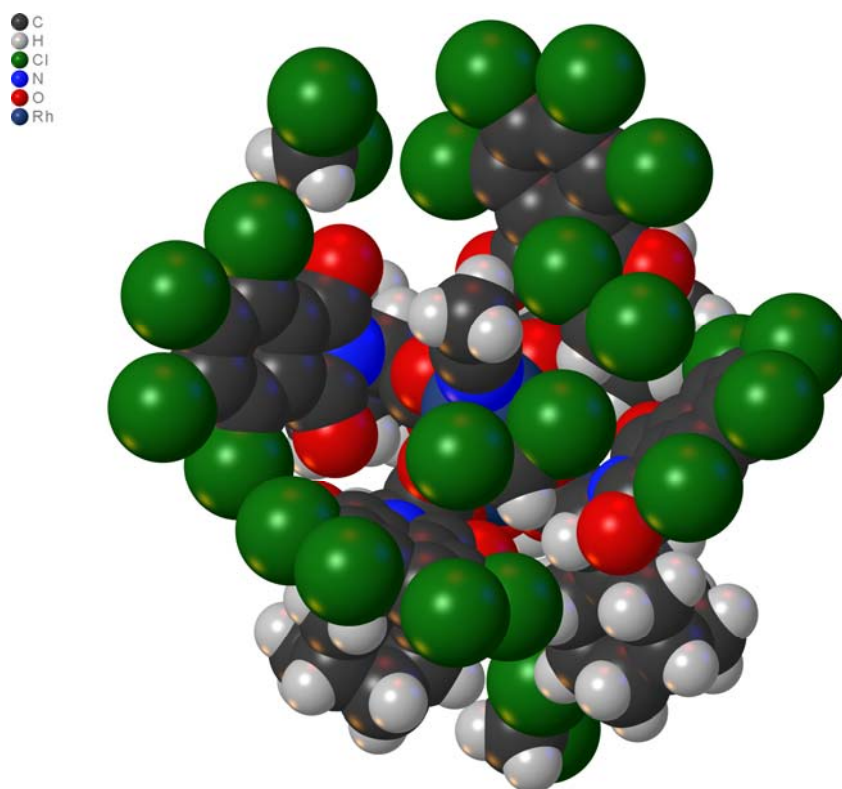
**Figure 1:**

Plot of the asymmetric unit with solvent molecules.



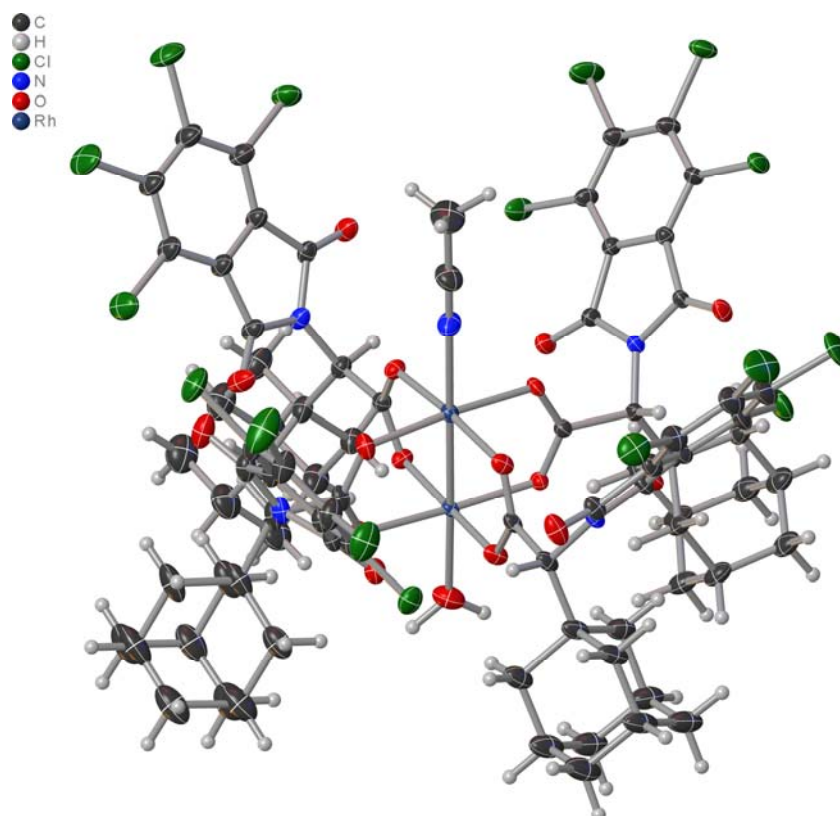
**Figure 2:**

Space filling plot of the asymmetric unit with solvent molecules.



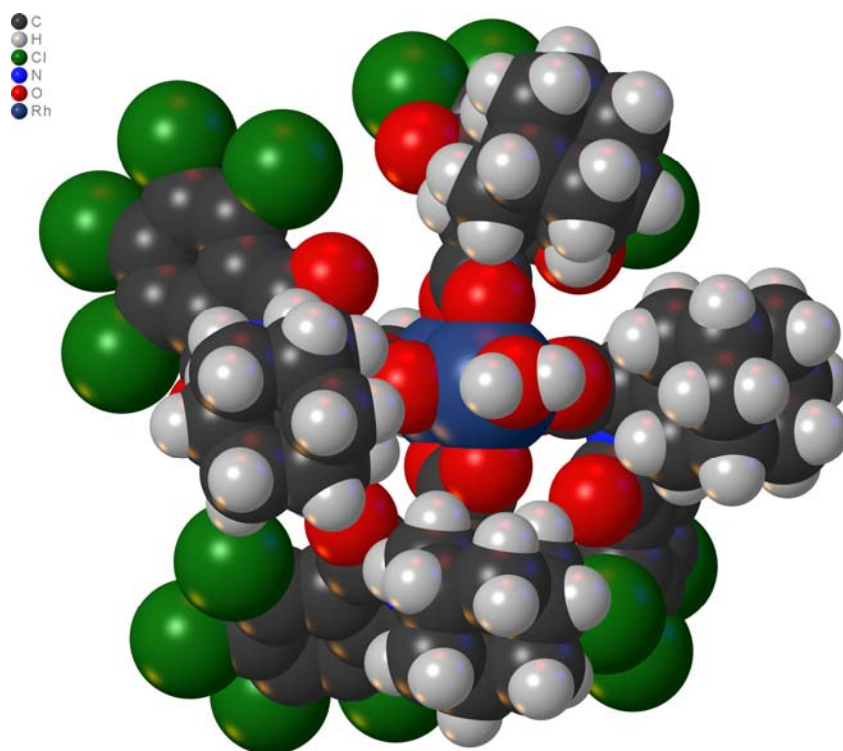
**Figure 3:**

Space filling plot of the asymmetric unit showing how the cup shaped cavity encapsulates solvent molecules.



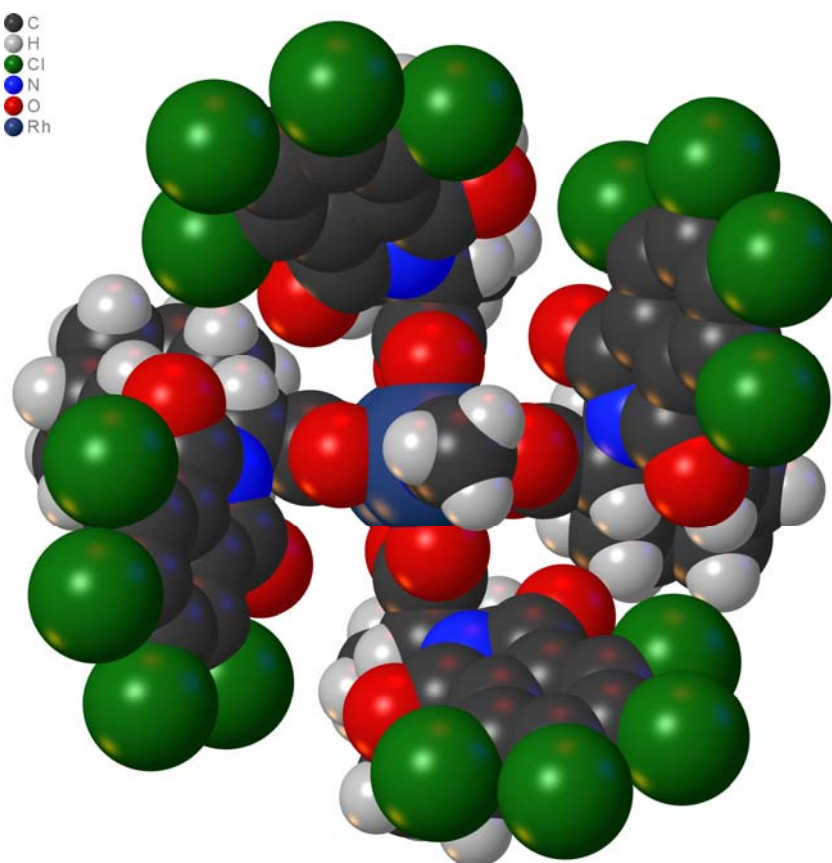
**Figure 4:**

Thermal ellipsoid plot of the asymmetric unit without solvent molecules for clarity.



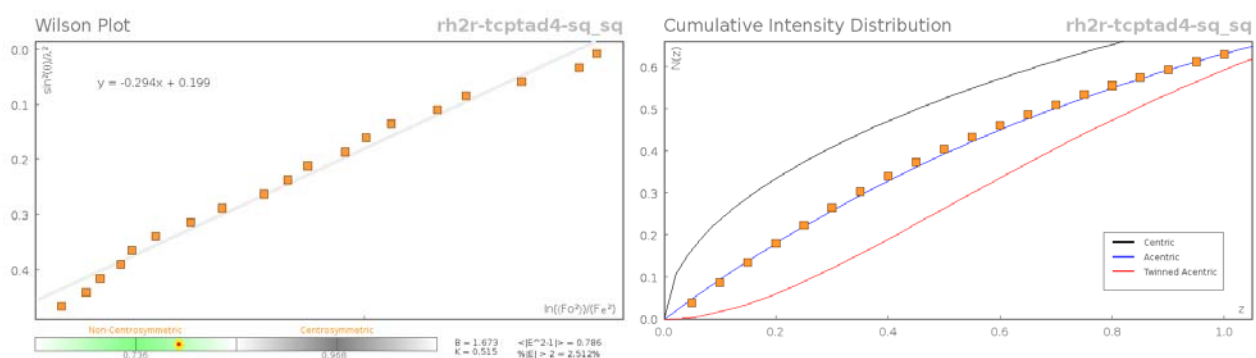
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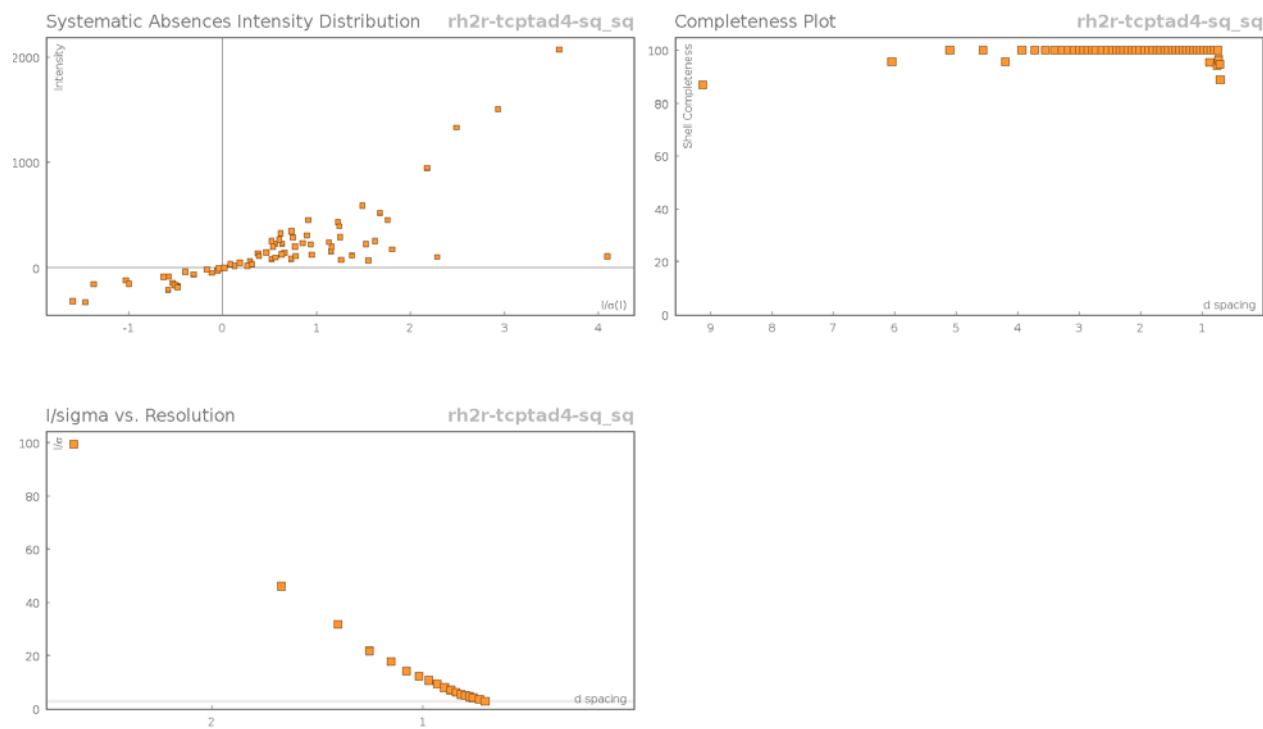
Space filling plot of the asymmetric unit without solvent molecules for clarity.

**Figure 6:**

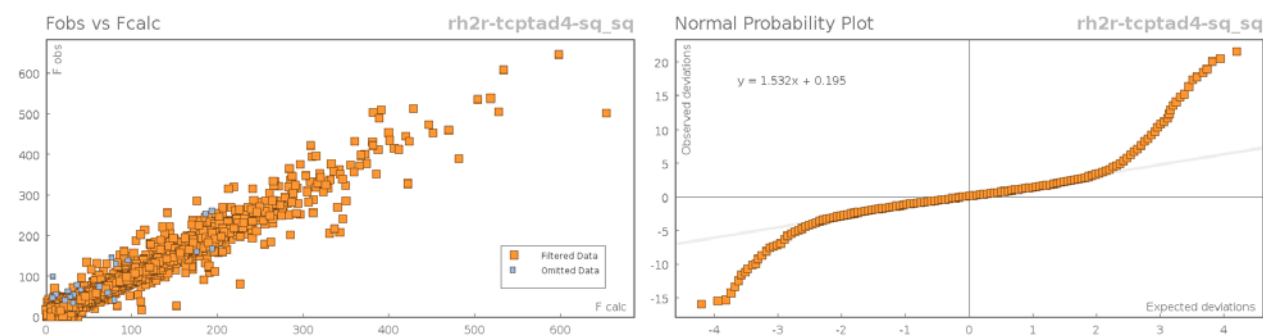
Space filling plot of the asymmetric unit showing the large cup shaped cavity.

### Data Plots: Diffraction Data





Data Plots: Refinement and Data

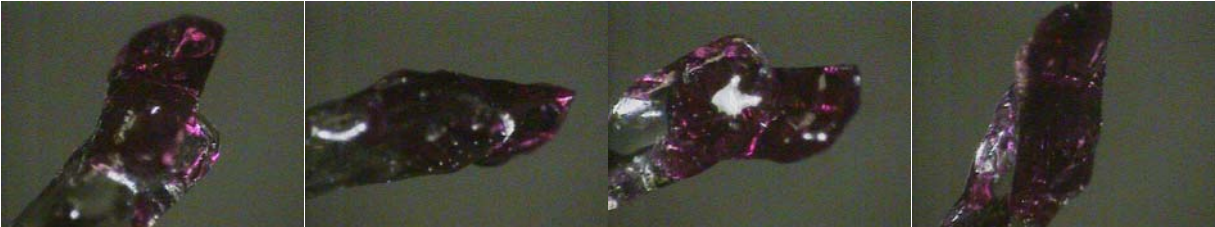


Reflection Statistics

|                                     |              |                                |                 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Total reflections (after filtering) | 157727       | Unique reflections             | 38220           |
| Completeness                        | 0.996        | Mean I/                        | 22.86           |
| hkl <sub>max</sub> collected        | (19, 33, 27) | hkl <sub>min</sub> collected   | (-19, -33, -27) |
| hkl <sub>max</sub> used             | (19, 33, 27) | hkl <sub>min</sub> used        | (-19, -33, 0)   |
| Lim d <sub>max</sub> collected      | 20.0         | Lim d <sub>min</sub> collected | 0.7             |
| d <sub>max</sub> used               | 12.03        | d <sub>min</sub> used          | 0.7             |
| Friedel pairs                       | 35805        | Friedel pairs merged           | 0               |
| Inconsistent equivalents            | 308          | R <sub>int</sub>               | 0.0523          |
| R <sub>sigma</sub>                  | 0.0449       | Intensity transformed          | 0               |
| Omitted reflections                 | 0            | Omitted by user (OMIT hkl)     | 189             |

|                             |                                       |                          |    |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|----|
| Multiplicity                | (16366, 38122, 14845, 3422, 438, 784) | Maximum multiplicity     | 10 |
| Removed systematic absences | 72                                    | Filtered off (Shel/OMIT) | 0  |

Images of the Crystal on the Diffractometer



**Table 1:** Fractional Atomic Coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and Equivalent Isotropic Displacement Parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for **Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>**.  $U_{eq}$  is defined as 1/3 of the trace of the orthogonalised  $U_{ij}$ .

| Atom | x           | y          | z           | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| Rh1  | 4977        | 5309       | 3544        | 13.18(8) |
| Rh2  | 6309        | 5341       | 2883        | 14.90(8) |
| Cl1  | 7410.8(18)  | 9029.2(9)  | 2023.6(12)  | 45.3(5)  |
| Cl1B | 12155.2(15) | 6127.1(14) | 5584.3(15)  | 62.5(7)  |
| Cl1C | 8754.6(14)  | 1748.9(9)  | 2735.7(12)  | 41.0(5)  |
| Cl1D | 5147(2)     | 4648.7(12) | -1780.8(11) | 53.3(6)  |
| Cl3  | 6342.1(13)  | 8281.6(8)  | 3010.9(9)   | 30.9(3)  |
| Cl3B | 10161.4(15) | 5515.1(10) | 5626.6(13)  | 45.2(5)  |
| Cl3C | 6871.5(12)  | 2441.4(8)  | 2885.4(10)  | 31.1(4)  |
| Cl3D | 4152.6(17)  | 5232.9(9)  | -617.2(10)  | 42.9(5)  |
| Cl4  | 7453(2)     | 8657.0(12) | 499.4(12)   | 57.7(7)  |
| Cl4B | 12251.6(13) | 7245.7(12) | 4741.7(15)  | 55.2(6)  |
| Cl4C | 10751.8(12) | 2153.2(8)  | 3466(1)     | 30.7(3)  |
| Cl4D | 6304.0(18)  | 3527.6(10) | -1479.1(11) | 43.8(5)  |
| Cl7  | 6245.2(17)  | 7596.8(10) | -110.9(10)  | 39.9(5)  |
| Cl7B | 10348.5(14) | 7829.6(9)  | 4039.1(12)  | 40.1(4)  |
| Cl7C | 10911.4(10) | 3235.8(7)  | 4415.5(9)   | 25.4(3)  |
| Cl7D | 6439.3(15)  | 2947.0(8)  | -20.7(10)   | 34.2(4)  |
| O1   | 5515(3)     | 5896(2)    | 2231(3)     | 23.4(9)  |
| O1B  | 6863(3)     | 6003.3(19) | 3500(3)     | 19.9(8)  |
| O1C  | 7027(3)     | 4789.6(19) | 3599(2)     | 17.1(8)  |
| O1D  | 5644(3)     | 4690(2)    | 2295(2)     | 19.0(8)  |
| O1W  | 3695(4)     | 5247(3)    | 4141(3)     | 38.1(13) |
| O2   | 4219(3)     | 5821.2(19) | 2807(3)     | 21.4(9)  |

| Atom | x        | y          | z       | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|----------|------------|---------|----------|
| O2B  | 5547(3)  | 6004.6(19) | 4057(3) | 21.5(9)  |
| O2C  | 5817(3)  | 4817.4(19) | 4253(2) | 16.8(8)  |
| O2D  | 4452(3)  | 4631.3(19) | 2973(2) | 18.6(8)  |
| O3   | 5180(3)  | 7130(2)    | 2824(3) | 25.9(9)  |
| O3B  | 8020(3)  | 5782(2)    | 4943(3) | 24.4(9)  |
| O3C  | 6447(3)  | 3542(2)    | 3725(2) | 22.9(9)  |
| O3D  | 4106(4)  | 4960(2)    | 977(3)  | 31.6(11) |
| O4   | 4831(4)  | 6734(2)    | 506(3)  | 35.4(11) |
| O4B  | 8131(3)  | 7556(2)    | 3992(3) | 30.3(11) |
| O4C  | 9388(3)  | 4105(2)    | 4871(3) | 22.6(9)  |
| O4D  | 5515(4)  | 3206(2)    | 1331(2) | 26.1(9)  |
| N1   | 4732(4)  | 6877(2)    | 1670(3) | 22.9(9)  |
| N1B  | 7817(4)  | 6686(2)    | 4479(3) | 17.6(8)  |
| N1C  | 7779(4)  | 3903(2)    | 4413(3) | 17.0(8)  |
| N1D  | 4675(4)  | 4059(2)    | 1299(3) | 20.3(8)  |
| N2   | 7545(4)  | 5366(4)    | 2271(3) | 29.6(12) |
| C1   | 5215(4)  | 7202(3)    | 2221(3) | 20.6(9)  |
| C1B  | 8342(4)  | 6227(3)    | 4793(3) | 19.5(10) |
| C1C  | 7292(4)  | 3530(3)    | 3940(3) | 17.7(9)  |
| C1D  | 4482(5)  | 4519(3)    | 847(3)  | 22.7(11) |
| C2   | 5796(4)  | 7629(3)    | 1878(3) | 21.4(9)  |
| C2B  | 9376(4)  | 6420(3)    | 4868(4) | 21(1)    |
| C2C  | 8055(4)  | 3119(3)    | 3750(3) | 16.8(9)  |
| C2D  | 4852(5)  | 4342(3)    | 194(3)  | 23.5(11) |
| C3   | 6309(5)  | 8099(3)    | 2150(3) | 23.7(10) |
| C3B  | 10224(5) | 6151(3)    | 5204(4) | 30.3(12) |
| C3C  | 7973(4)  | 2646(3)    | 3329(3) | 20.9(10) |
| C3D  | 4777(6)  | 4607(3)    | -445(4) | 28.7(13) |
| C4   | 6802(5)  | 8425(3)    | 1712(4) | 30.5(13) |
| C4B  | 11109(5) | 6428(4)    | 5166(4) | 35.7(13) |
| C4C  | 8820(5)  | 2352(3)    | 3249(4) | 24.2(11) |
| C4D  | 5218(6)  | 4341(3)    | -967(4) | 31.7(13) |
| C5   | 6788(6)  | 8273(3)    | 1024(4) | 32.1(13) |
| C5B  | 11149(5) | 6937(4)    | 4798(5) | 36.6(14) |
| C5C  | 9716(4)  | 2530(3)    | 3580(4) | 22.4(11) |
| C5D  | 5748(6)  | 3833(3)    | -835(4) | 33.0(14) |
| C6   | 6263(5)  | 7794(3)    | 751(4)  | 28.3(12) |
| C6B  | 10293(5) | 7204(3)    | 4483(4) | 29.9(12) |
| C6C  | 9800(4)  | 3011(2)    | 4010(3) | 17.8(9)  |

| Atom | x       | y       | z       | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| C6D  | 5803(5) | 3574(3) | -182(4) | 27.6(12) |
| C7   | 5755(5) | 7485(3) | 1179(3) | 23.5(10) |
| C7B  | 9423(4) | 6937(3) | 4547(4) | 22.2(10) |
| C7C  | 8954(4) | 3294(2) | 4092(3) | 16.2(9)  |
| C7D  | 5330(5) | 3821(3) | 315(3)  | 23.1(11) |
| C8   | 5067(5) | 6992(3) | 1045(4) | 26.0(11) |
| C8B  | 8405(4) | 7126(3) | 4293(4) | 21.6(11) |
| C8C  | 8805(4) | 3817(2) | 4516(3) | 15.3(9)  |
| C8D  | 5219(5) | 3631(3) | 1028(3) | 19.5(10) |
| C9   | 4095(5) | 6396(3) | 1775(4) | 24.5(9)  |
| C9B  | 6745(4) | 6721(3) | 4355(4) | 20.5(9)  |
| C9C  | 7337(4) | 4390(2) | 4724(3) | 16.5(8)  |
| C9D  | 4393(5) | 4005(3) | 2002(3) | 20.5(9)  |
| C10  | 4658(4) | 6007(3) | 2338(4) | 21.3(10) |
| C10B | 6361(4) | 6192(3) | 3940(3) | 17.6(9)  |
| C10C | 6658(4) | 4693(2) | 4138(3) | 15.3(9)  |
| C10D | 4858(4) | 4491(3) | 2455(3) | 16.8(9)  |
| C11  | 3039(5) | 6592(3) | 1862(5) | 34.5(11) |
| C11B | 6290(4) | 6880(3) | 5009(4) | 26.3(10) |
| C11C | 6927(5) | 4230(3) | 5405(3) | 19.9(9)  |
| C11D | 3288(5) | 3894(3) | 1984(4) | 25.8(10) |
| C12  | 2982(6) | 6957(3) | 2508(5) | 37.9(13) |
| C12B | 6286(5) | 6392(3) | 5529(4) | 30.9(11) |
| C12C | 6039(5) | 3833(3) | 5291(3) | 22.3(10) |
| C12D | 2636(5) | 4417(4) | 1855(5) | 36.8(13) |
| C13  | 1921(6) | 7142(4) | 2551(6) | 50.9(15) |
| C13B | 5819(6) | 6588(4) | 6164(5) | 41.8(13) |
| C13C | 5681(6) | 3704(3) | 5994(4) | 28.8(11) |
| C13D | 1580(6) | 4256(5) | 1845(5) | 47.5(14) |
| C14  | 1527(7) | 7477(4) | 1886(6) | 54.2(16) |
| C14B | 6418(6) | 7089(4) | 6520(5) | 44.4(14) |
| C14C | 6482(6) | 3398(3) | 6473(4) | 34.4(12) |
| C14D | 1291(7) | 3799(5) | 1264(6) | 53.4(16) |
| C15  | 1570(6) | 7123(4) | 1263(6) | 52.1(15) |
| C15B | 6432(5) | 7579(4) | 6010(5) | 40.7(13) |
| C15C | 7363(6) | 3788(3) | 6593(4) | 33.3(12) |
| C15D | 1896(7) | 3284(5) | 1397(5) | 46.8(14) |
| C16  | 2622(6) | 6926(4) | 1211(5) | 42.3(14) |
| C16B | 6863(5) | 7382(3) | 5368(4) | 31.8(12) |

| Atom | x        | y          | z           | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|----------|------------|-------------|----------|
| C16C | 7718(5)  | 3921(3)    | 5899(3)     | 25.8(11) |
| C16D | 2977(6)  | 3446(4)    | 1418(4)     | 37.4(13) |
| C17  | 2389(6)  | 6055(4)    | 1905(5)     | 41.1(14) |
| C17B | 5238(5)  | 7100(3)    | 4783(4)     | 33.0(12) |
| C17C | 6672(5)  | 4784(3)    | 5767(3)     | 22.6(10) |
| C17D | 3119(5)  | 3621(3)    | 2692(4)     | 27.4(11) |
| C18  | 1324(6)  | 6251(4)    | 1962(5)     | 47.7(14) |
| C18B | 4800(5)  | 7285(4)    | 5439(5)     | 42.2(13) |
| C18C | 6297(6)  | 4649(3)    | 6465(4)     | 29.2(11) |
| C18D | 2050(5)  | 3464(4)    | 2683(4)     | 36.4(13) |
| C19  | 957(7)   | 6583(5)    | 1328(6)     | 54.8(17) |
| C19B | 5394(6)  | 7790(4)    | 5769(6)     | 46.6(15) |
| C19C | 7120(6)  | 4338(3)    | 6939(4)     | 33.3(12) |
| C19D | 1739(7)  | 3029(4)    | 2108(5)     | 44.1(15) |
| C20  | 1321(8)  | 6620(4)    | 2598(6)     | 53.2(16) |
| C20B | 4782(6)  | 6787(4)    | 5930(5)     | 44.5(14) |
| C20C | 5408(6)  | 4266(3)    | 6324(4)     | 30.6(12) |
| C20D | 1422(6)  | 4006(5)    | 2560(6)     | 46.5(15) |
| C21  | 8180(5)  | 5364(4)    | 1951(4)     | 34.9(15) |
| C22  | 8970(5)  | 5344(6)    | 1538(5)     | 55(2)    |
| Cl1S | 1944(3)  | 5333.5(16) | 7402(2)     | 85.7(9)  |
| Cl2S | 3702(3)  | 5287(2)    | 6749.3(18)  | 94.7(12) |
| Cl3S | 3111(10) | 5606(5)    | 7374(7)     | 71(2)    |
| Cl3S | 4878(3)  | 6611(2)    | -1818(2)    | 98.4(12) |
| Cl4S | 3146(3)  | 6530.0(14) | -1132.4(17) | 71.7(8)  |
| C2S  | 4275(11) | 6832(7)    | -1143(8)    | 83(3)    |
| Cl5S | 7457(6)  | 4169(3)    | 1120(4)     | 157(2)   |
| Cl6S | 8720(8)  | 3456(7)    | 2070(7)     | 291(7)   |
| C3S  | 7605(13) | 3833(12)   | 2004(12)    | 174(5)   |
| Cl7S | 9462(2)  | 4546.6(11) | 3228.9(14)  | 53.3(6)  |
| Cl8S | 9864(2)  | 5753.3(13) | 3424.6(14)  | 60.5(7)  |
| C4S  | 9245(7)  | 5166(4)    | 3694(5)     | 43(2)    |

**Table 2:** Anisotropic Displacement Parameters ( $\times 10^4$ ) **Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>**. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2 \pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} \times U_{11} + \dots + 2hka^* \times b^* \times U_{12}]$

| Atom | $U_{11}$  | $U_{22}$  | $U_{33}$  | $U_{23}$  | $U_{13}$ | $U_{12}$  |
|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Rh1  | 9.56(14)  | 12.57(16) | 17.47(18) | -0.52(18) | 2.04(12) | -0.41(16) |
| Rh2  | 11.81(15) | 16.48(18) | 16.62(18) | 2.20(19)  | 2.70(13) | -0.96(18) |

| Atom | $U_{11}$ | $U_{22}$ | $U_{33}$ | $U_{23}$  | $U_{13}$ | $U_{12}$  |
|------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Cl1  | 56.0(12) | 37.3(10) | 40.1(11) | 0.2(8)    | -2.1(9)  | -25.8(9)  |
| Cl1B | 21.9(8)  | 89.4(19) | 69.1(16) | -7.0(14)  | -18.2(9) | 18.6(10)  |
| Cl1C | 36.4(9)  | 31.2(9)  | 56.1(12) | -26.4(9)  | 9.1(8)   | -1.8(7)   |
| Cl1D | 78.0(16) | 62.3(14) | 22.4(9)  | 15.2(9)   | 17.4(9)  | 17.4(12)  |
| Cl3  | 36.8(9)  | 29.2(8)  | 25.4(8)  | -5.5(6)   | -0.4(6)  | -6.7(7)   |
| Cl3B | 35.4(9)  | 45.9(10) | 51.7(12) | 14.0(9)   | -3.0(8)  | 17.3(8)   |
| Cl3C | 22.9(7)  | 33.8(8)  | 36.5(9)  | -16.8(7)  | 4.3(6)   | -7.7(6)   |
| Cl3D | 63.1(12) | 38.0(11) | 29.4(8)  | 15.1(7)   | 12.6(8)  | 18.1(9)   |
| Cl4  | 72.7(16) | 66.7(15) | 34(1)    | 7.4(10)   | 8.1(10)  | -43.5(13) |
| Cl4B | 15.4(7)  | 76.6(16) | 73.3(16) | -19.7(13) | 5.1(8)   | -17.4(8)  |
| Cl4C | 24.4(7)  | 29.4(8)  | 39.2(9)  | -8.6(7)   | 7.4(6)   | 8.9(6)    |
| Cl4D | 61.5(13) | 45.6(11) | 29.4(9)  | -3.7(8)   | 24.4(9)  | 4.4(9)    |
| Cl7  | 54.6(12) | 45.8(11) | 18.8(8)  | 3.4(7)    | 3.5(7)   | -14.1(9)  |
| Cl7B | 34.2(9)  | 37.8(9)  | 49.4(11) | -1.8(8)   | 9.7(8)   | -18.6(7)  |
| Cl7C | 14.8(6)  | 30.7(8)  | 29.6(8)  | -6.4(6)   | -0.6(5)  | 3.8(5)    |
| Cl7D | 45.1(10) | 26.6(8)  | 32.8(9)  | -3.3(7)   | 12.7(8)  | 9.5(7)    |
| O1   | 18.3(15) | 24(2)    | 26(2)    | 8.2(18)   | -2.0(14) | -1.5(14)  |
| O1B  | 14.4(17) | 17.3(19) | 28(2)    | -3.3(15)  | 2.0(14)  | -3.5(14)  |
| O1C  | 12.5(16) | 21(2)    | 18.0(16) | 5.1(14)   | 3.0(13)  | 4.8(14)   |
| O1D  | 19.9(16) | 22(2)    | 16.2(19) | -1.1(15)  | 5.1(14)  | -2.4(14)  |
| O1W  | 30(2)    | 37(3)    | 50(3)    | -1(3)     | 14(2)    | 6(2)      |
| O2   | 17.4(17) | 17(2)    | 28.4(19) | 7.4(15)   | -0.4(14) | 2.5(14)   |
| O2B  | 15.2(15) | 17.1(19) | 32(2)    | -6.6(17)  | 2.8(14)  | -3.5(13)  |
| O2C  | 15.3(14) | 19.8(19) | 15.7(19) | 2.5(15)   | 3.2(12)  | 2.1(13)   |
| O2D  | 16.8(17) | 21(2)    | 18.9(17) | -3.1(14)  | 4.5(14)  | -5.4(15)  |
| O3   | 24(2)    | 27(2)    | 24.8(16) | 2.3(14)   | -0.3(13) | -0.4(17)  |
| O3B  | 20.1(18) | 18.7(15) | 35(2)    | 1.7(15)   | 6.3(17)  | 2.6(13)   |
| O3C  | 16.9(14) | 27(2)    | 24(2)    | -2.9(17)  | 0.6(13)  | 0.9(13)   |
| O3D  | 53(3)    | 20.6(17) | 24(2)    | 4.7(15)   | 13(2)    | 9.9(17)   |
| O4   | 49(3)    | 31(2)    | 24.0(18) | 2.3(16)   | -5.5(17) | -10(2)    |
| O4B  | 22(2)    | 21.6(17) | 44(3)    | 6.3(17)   | -5.7(19) | -4.5(14)  |
| O4C  | 17.1(16) | 20.9(18) | 28(2)    | -3.7(16)  | -4.2(15) | 1.7(14)   |
| O4D  | 38(2)    | 19.6(17) | 21(2)    | 2.4(14)   | 3.9(17)  | 3.7(16)   |
| N1   | 22.5(17) | 19.6(17) | 24.1(16) | 4.6(12)   | -4.9(13) | -2.7(14)  |
| N1B  | 12.5(12) | 15.0(14) | 24.6(19) | -1.5(12)  | -0.5(11) | 0.2(10)   |
| N1C  | 15.0(14) | 17.9(16) | 17.5(18) | -1.7(14)  | 0.1(12)  | 2.6(11)   |
| N1D  | 29(2)    | 15.2(15) | 16.5(15) | 0.8(11)   | 2.4(13)  | -0.6(14)  |
| N2   | 22(2)    | 44(4)    | 23(3)    | 1(3)      | 6.1(19)  | -3(3)     |
| C1   | 17(2)    | 19.4(19) | 23.8(15) | 3.4(13)   | -3.4(13) | 0.4(16)   |

| Atom | $U_{11}$ | $U_{22}$ | $U_{33}$ | $U_{23}$ | $U_{13}$ | $U_{12}$ |
|------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| C1B  | 13.0(15) | 19.1(15) | 26(3)    | 0.3(15)  | 0.0(14)  | 2.2(11)  |
| C1C  | 16.6(14) | 18.7(18) | 18(2)    | -2.3(16) | 1.5(12)  | 0.4(12)  |
| C1D  | 34(3)    | 17.8(16) | 17.0(17) | 1.5(13)  | 5.7(16)  | 2.3(16)  |
| C2   | 19(2)    | 21.2(17) | 22.0(16) | 3.0(12)  | -3.4(13) | -1.0(15) |
| C2B  | 14.3(13) | 24.1(16) | 24(2)    | -2.3(14) | 0.8(12)  | 1.1(11)  |
| C2C  | 17.1(15) | 17.5(16) | 16(2)    | -0.6(15) | 2.7(13)  | 0.2(11)  |
| C2D  | 32(3)    | 21.3(18) | 17.1(15) | 1.6(12)  | 4.9(15)  | 3.7(17)  |
| C3   | 25(2)    | 22.2(19) | 22.1(17) | 1.4(13)  | -3.7(14) | -3.6(17) |
| C3B  | 17.2(16) | 38(2)    | 34(3)    | -2(2)    | -4.9(15) | 8.1(13)  |
| C3C  | 20.3(16) | 19.6(18) | 24(2)    | -6.6(17) | 5.9(14)  | -2.5(13) |
| C3D  | 40(3)    | 28(2)    | 18.3(17) | 6.2(14)  | 6.3(17)  | 5(2)     |
| C4   | 33(3)    | 31(2)    | 26.3(17) | 3.4(14)  | -2.4(16) | -12(2)   |
| C4B  | 15.5(16) | 50(2)    | 40(3)    | -9(2)    | -2.8(16) | 1.7(14)  |
| C4C  | 21.9(15) | 20.7(19) | 31(3)    | -8.1(19) | 6.1(14)  | -0.3(13) |
| C4D  | 44(3)    | 34(2)    | 19.4(18) | 2.8(15)  | 9.2(18)  | 4(2)     |
| C5   | 38(3)    | 31(2)    | 25.5(18) | 5.1(15)  | -1.6(16) | -12(2)   |
| C5B  | 15.5(16) | 50(2)    | 43(3)    | -10(2)   | -1.8(16) | -3.6(14) |
| C5C  | 20.1(16) | 18.6(18) | 29(2)    | -6.3(18) | 5.4(14)  | 2.0(13)  |
| C5D  | 46(3)    | 34(2)    | 21.1(18) | 1.0(15)  | 10.5(18) | 6(2)     |
| C6   | 33(3)    | 31(2)    | 19.8(17) | 4.6(14)  | -0.7(15) | -10(2)   |
| C6B  | 15.9(16) | 36(2)    | 38(3)    | -6.4(19) | 3.2(15)  | -9.7(13) |
| C6C  | 16.8(15) | 16.8(17) | 20(2)    | -0.2(16) | 2.8(13)  | 3.2(12)  |
| C6D  | 37(3)    | 25(2)    | 21.7(17) | -1.0(14) | 7.9(17)  | 3.5(19)  |
| C7   | 26(2)    | 22.5(19) | 20.1(16) | 3.8(13)  | -2.8(13) | -3.6(17) |
| C7B  | 13.7(14) | 24.4(17) | 27(3)    | -2.5(16) | -1.0(13) | -2.5(11) |
| C7C  | 16.4(14) | 14.7(16) | 17(2)    | 0.5(15)  | 1.8(12)  | 0.9(11)  |
| C7D  | 32(3)    | 20.5(18) | 16.9(16) | 1.4(13)  | 4.3(15)  | 3.4(17)  |
| C8   | 28(2)    | 24(2)    | 23.8(16) | 5.1(13)  | -4.2(14) | -5.4(19) |
| C8B  | 14.6(15) | 18.9(16) | 30(3)    | -0.1(16) | -0.9(14) | -4.0(12) |
| C8C  | 13.5(14) | 15.4(17) | 16(2)    | 0.1(15)  | 0.2(12)  | 2.0(11)  |
| C8D  | 25(2)    | 16.5(16) | 15.9(16) | -1.1(12) | 0.4(15)  | -2.0(15) |
| C9   | 22.0(14) | 21.0(16) | 27.7(18) | 6.9(13)  | -6.8(12) | -3.5(11) |
| C9B  | 12.9(13) | 16.8(16) | 30.6(17) | -4.4(13) | -0.5(11) | 0.3(11)  |
| C9C  | 17.9(17) | 16.7(17) | 14.8(15) | 0.4(12)  | 2.3(12)  | 3.7(13)  |
| C9D  | 24.9(17) | 19.5(19) | 17.2(16) | 0.9(13)  | 2.4(12)  | -1.9(14) |
| C10  | 16.4(16) | 21(2)    | 25(2)    | 4.6(17)  | -4.7(14) | -3.9(14) |
| C10B | 11.9(15) | 15.1(18) | 25(2)    | -1.0(16) | -1.5(14) | 0.4(13)  |
| C10C | 14.8(16) | 15(2)    | 15.8(17) | 0.9(14)  | 2.5(12)  | 0.5(14)  |
| C10D | 17.5(17) | 16(2)    | 17.0(18) | 2.1(15)  | 2.6(14)  | 0.9(15)  |

| Atom | $U_{11}$ | $U_{22}$ | $U_{33}$ | $U_{23}$  | $U_{13}$ | $U_{12}$  |
|------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| C11  | 19.7(16) | 27(2)    | 54(3)    | 16.3(18)  | -3.1(15) | -1.1(14)  |
| C11B | 15.6(17) | 24(2)    | 39.7(19) | -12.5(15) | 5.0(14)  | -2.1(14)  |
| C11C | 27.7(19) | 17.9(18) | 14.8(15) | 0.5(12)   | 5.8(13)  | 2.5(14)   |
| C11D | 23.7(17) | 34(2)    | 19(2)    | 2.3(16)   | 1.2(13)  | -6.8(14)  |
| C12  | 29(2)    | 29(3)    | 55(3)    | 14(2)     | 1.6(18)  | -0.5(17)  |
| C12B | 27(2)    | 28(2)    | 39(2)    | -11.1(17) | 9.1(18)  | -1.0(17)  |
| C12C | 30(2)    | 19(2)    | 19.5(19) | 0.5(15)   | 8.3(15)  | 1.0(16)   |
| C12D | 25(2)    | 40(2)    | 45(3)    | 5(2)      | 0.9(18)  | -3.0(16)  |
| C13  | 30(2)    | 44(3)    | 78(3)    | 16(2)     | 6(2)     | 4.4(19)   |
| C13B | 34(2)    | 48(3)    | 47(3)    | -20.3(19) | 15.5(19) | -5.1(19)  |
| C13C | 43(2)    | 25(2)    | 22(2)    | -0.1(16)  | 14.9(17) | -1.5(17)  |
| C13D | 26(2)    | 61(3)    | 55(3)    | 7(2)      | 0.6(19)  | -7.8(19)  |
| C14  | 30(3)    | 48(3)    | 82(3)    | 22(2)     | 2(2)     | 1(2)      |
| C14B | 31(3)    | 47(3)    | 57(3)    | -26(2)    | 14(2)    | -1(2)     |
| C14C | 50(3)    | 30(2)    | 25(2)    | 3.5(18)   | 12.2(19) | 3.1(18)   |
| C14D | 41(3)    | 66(3)    | 53(3)    | 6(2)      | 4(2)     | -17(2)    |
| C15  | 27(2)    | 47(3)    | 79(3)    | 24(2)     | -4(2)    | 2.7(19)   |
| C15B | 22(2)    | 44(3)    | 58(3)    | -28(2)    | 9.8(18)  | -3.5(18)  |
| C15C | 49(3)    | 33(2)    | 20(2)    | 4.1(16)   | 9.7(17)  | 3.7(18)   |
| C15D | 40(3)    | 61(3)    | 37(3)    | 1(2)      | 1.5(19)  | -20(2)    |
| C16  | 27(2)    | 37(3)    | 58(3)    | 21(2)     | -8.7(18) | -0.5(19)  |
| C16B | 17(2)    | 27(2)    | 51(3)    | -19.2(19) | 4.1(17)  | -1.2(16)  |
| C16C | 35(2)    | 25(2)    | 16.8(18) | 2.6(16)   | 2.8(15)  | 5.6(17)   |
| C16D | 40(2)    | 45(3)    | 27(2)    | -4(2)     | 3.7(17)  | -16.0(19) |
| C17  | 26(2)    | 32(2)    | 62(4)    | 15(2)     | -3.8(19) | -6.8(16)  |
| C17B | 20.8(16) | 31(2)    | 47(2)    | -11.0(16) | 3.6(14)  | 1.1(14)   |
| C17C | 32(2)    | 20.1(18) | 16.4(19) | -0.2(14)  | 6.7(16)  | 3.0(16)   |
| C17D | 24(2)    | 35(3)    | 23(2)    | 3.0(18)   | 4.2(15)  | -4.8(17)  |
| C18  | 25(2)    | 44(3)    | 71(3)    | 17(2)     | -1.1(19) | -3.6(18)  |
| C18B | 21(2)    | 48(3)    | 59(3)    | -23(2)    | 9.6(18)  | -4.0(18)  |
| C18C | 45(2)    | 27(2)    | 18(2)    | 0.3(16)   | 11.7(17) | -0.6(17)  |
| C18D | 23(2)    | 53(3)    | 34(3)    | 2(2)      | 3.8(17)  | -10.6(18) |
| C19  | 34(3)    | 51(3)    | 76(3)    | 21(2)     | -4(2)    | -1(2)     |
| C19B | 23(2)    | 46(3)    | 71(4)    | -28(2)    | 8(2)     | -0.7(18)  |
| C19C | 49(3)    | 34(2)    | 19(2)    | 2.4(17)   | 10.4(18) | 2.8(19)   |
| C19D | 38(3)    | 57(3)    | 37(3)    | 0(2)      | 3(2)     | -16(2)    |
| C20  | 42(2)    | 49(2)    | 67(3)    | 13.4(18)  | 4.4(18)  | -2.3(18)  |
| C20B | 32(2)    | 48(3)    | 56(3)    | -24(2)    | 14(2)    | -4.8(19)  |
| C20C | 45(2)    | 26(2)    | 24(3)    | -2.0(18)  | 15.1(19) | -0.7(17)  |

| Atom | $U_{11}$ | $U_{22}$ | $U_{33}$ | $U_{23}$ | $U_{13}$ | $U_{12}$  |
|------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| C20D | 26(3)    | 57(3)    | 56(3)    | 4(2)     | 4(2)     | -7(2)     |
| C21  | 21(3)    | 44(4)    | 40(4)    | 5(4)     | 8(2)     | -1(3)     |
| C22  | 25(3)    | 91(7)    | 53(5)    | 6(6)     | 19(3)    | -7(5)     |
| Cl1S | 98(2)    | 52.6(14) | 105(2)   | 13.9(18) | 9.8(17)  | 23.1(17)  |
| Cl2S | 105(2)   | 111(3)   | 64.6(18) | 4(2)     | 0.4(16)  | 50(2)     |
| C1S  | 92(4)    | 57(5)    | 61(4)    | 10(4)    | 0(3)     | 26(3)     |
| Cl3S | 88(2)    | 122(3)   | 83(2)    | 5(2)     | 2.2(18)  | 15(2)     |
| Cl4S | 84.3(19) | 61.1(16) | 65.1(18) | 5.6(13)  | -5.5(14) | 14.1(14)  |
| C2S  | 87(3)    | 80(4)    | 80(3)    | 3(2)     | 4(2)     | 0(2)      |
| Cl5S | 165(6)   | 137(5)   | 167(5)   | -16(4)   | 19(4)    | -19(4)    |
| Cl6S | 237(7)   | 368(15)  | 284(11)  | 155(11)  | 94(7)    | 82(10)    |
| C3S  | 174(6)   | 174(6)   | 172(5)   | 3(3)     | 18(3)    | -10(3)    |
| Cl7S | 61.6(14) | 48.2(13) | 51.7(14) | -3.6(10) | 13.4(11) | 9.9(11)   |
| Cl8S | 71.9(17) | 60.9(15) | 50.4(14) | -2.2(12) | 14.7(12) | -24.8(13) |
| C4S  | 47(5)    | 46(5)    | 39(5)    | -5(3)    | 18(4)    | -7(3)     |

Table 3: Bond Lengths in Å for Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>.

| Atom | Atom | Length/Å   |
|------|------|------------|
| Rh1  | Rh2  | 2.39913(4) |
| Rh1  | O1W  | 2.265(5)   |
| Rh1  | O2   | 2.048(4)   |
| Rh1  | O2B  | 2.018(4)   |
| Rh1  | O2C  | 2.038(4)   |
| Rh1  | O2D  | 2.018(4)   |
| Rh2  | O1   | 2.036(5)   |
| Rh2  | O1B  | 2.049(4)   |
| Rh2  | O1C  | 2.055(4)   |
| Rh2  | O1D  | 2.051(5)   |
| Rh2  | N2   | 2.224(5)   |
| Cl1  | C4   | 1.720(7)   |
| Cl1B | C4B  | 1.719(8)   |
| Cl1C | C4C  | 1.728(7)   |
| Cl1D | C4D  | 1.729(7)   |
| Cl3  | C3   | 1.721(7)   |
| Cl3B | C3B  | 1.711(8)   |
| Cl3C | C3C  | 1.721(6)   |
| Cl3D | C3D  | 1.716(7)   |
| Cl4  | C5   | 1.723(8)   |

| Atom | Atom | Length/Å  |
|------|------|-----------|
| C14B | C5B  | 1.716(8)  |
| C14C | C5C  | 1.733(6)  |
| C14D | C5D  | 1.716(8)  |
| C17  | C6   | 1.734(7)  |
| C17B | C6B  | 1.710(8)  |
| C17C | C6C  | 1.720(6)  |
| C17D | C6D  | 1.724(7)  |
| O1   | C10  | 1.268(8)  |
| O1B  | C10B | 1.256(8)  |
| O1C  | C10C | 1.250(7)  |
| O1D  | C10D | 1.268(7)  |
| O2   | C10  | 1.243(8)  |
| O2B  | C10B | 1.266(7)  |
| O2C  | C10C | 1.258(7)  |
| O2D  | C10D | 1.265(7)  |
| O3   | C1   | 1.192(8)  |
| O3B  | C1B  | 1.188(8)  |
| O3C  | C1C  | 1.193(7)  |
| O3D  | C1D  | 1.203(8)  |
| O4   | C8   | 1.214(9)  |
| O4B  | C8B  | 1.202(8)  |
| O4C  | C8C  | 1.199(7)  |
| O4D  | C8D  | 1.201(8)  |
| N1   | C1   | 1.408(8)  |
| N1   | C8   | 1.385(10) |
| N1   | C9   | 1.469(8)  |
| N1B  | C1B  | 1.395(8)  |
| N1B  | C8B  | 1.397(8)  |
| N1B  | C9B  | 1.483(7)  |
| N1C  | C1C  | 1.379(8)  |
| N1C  | C8C  | 1.430(7)  |
| N1C  | C9C  | 1.468(8)  |
| N1D  | C1D  | 1.395(8)  |
| N1D  | C8D  | 1.403(8)  |
| N1D  | C9D  | 1.479(8)  |
| N2   | C21  | 1.150(9)  |
| C1   | C2   | 1.501(9)  |
| C1B  | C2B  | 1.499(8)  |
| C1C  | C2C  | 1.519(8)  |

| Atom | Atom | Length/Å  |
|------|------|-----------|
| C1D  | C2D  | 1.493(9)  |
| C2   | C3   | 1.380(9)  |
| C2   | C7   | 1.393(9)  |
| C2B  | C3B  | 1.418(9)  |
| C2B  | C7B  | 1.369(9)  |
| C2C  | C3C  | 1.374(8)  |
| C2C  | C7C  | 1.396(8)  |
| C2D  | C3D  | 1.380(9)  |
| C2D  | C7D  | 1.396(9)  |
| C3   | C4   | 1.393(10) |
| C3B  | C4B  | 1.405(10) |
| C3C  | C4C  | 1.394(9)  |
| C3D  | C4D  | 1.404(10) |
| C4   | C5   | 1.382(11) |
| C4B  | C5B  | 1.397(13) |
| C4C  | C5C  | 1.388(9)  |
| C4D  | C5D  | 1.407(11) |
| C5   | C6   | 1.405(10) |
| C5B  | C6B  | 1.410(10) |
| C5C  | C6C  | 1.400(8)  |
| C5D  | C6D  | 1.400(10) |
| C6   | C7   | 1.371(10) |
| C6B  | C7B  | 1.386(9)  |
| C6C  | C7C  | 1.380(8)  |
| C6D  | C7D  | 1.371(9)  |
| C7   | C8   | 1.503(9)  |
| C7B  | C8B  | 1.504(8)  |
| C7C  | C8C  | 1.509(8)  |
| C7D  | C8D  | 1.485(9)  |
| C9   | C10  | 1.552(9)  |
| C9   | C11  | 1.573(10) |
| C9B  | C10B | 1.536(8)  |
| C9B  | C11B | 1.542(10) |
| C9C  | C10C | 1.548(8)  |
| C9C  | C11C | 1.558(8)  |
| C9D  | C10D | 1.530(9)  |
| C9D  | C11D | 1.557(9)  |
| C11  | C12  | 1.531(13) |
| C11  | C16  | 1.532(11) |

| Atom | Atom | Length/Å  |
|------|------|-----------|
| C11  | C17  | 1.562(10) |
| C11B | C12B | 1.528(11) |
| C11B | C16B | 1.536(9)  |
| C11B | C17B | 1.559(9)  |
| C11C | C12C | 1.540(9)  |
| C11C | C16C | 1.539(9)  |
| C11C | C17C | 1.543(9)  |
| C11D | C12D | 1.527(11) |
| C11D | C16D | 1.539(10) |
| C11D | C17D | 1.563(10) |
| C12  | C13  | 1.555(12) |
| C12B | C13B | 1.544(11) |
| C12C | C13C | 1.546(9)  |
| C12D | C13D | 1.517(11) |
| C13  | C14  | 1.548(14) |
| C13  | C20  | 1.494(14) |
| C13B | C14B | 1.548(12) |
| C13B | C20B | 1.527(12) |
| C13C | C14C | 1.530(11) |
| C13C | C20C | 1.539(10) |
| C13D | C14D | 1.569(15) |
| C13D | C20D | 1.550(14) |
| C14  | C15  | 1.476(17) |
| C14B | C15B | 1.520(15) |
| C14C | C15C | 1.522(12) |
| C14D | C15D | 1.476(16) |
| C15  | C16  | 1.553(12) |
| C15  | C19  | 1.542(14) |
| C15B | C16B | 1.529(11) |
| C15B | C19B | 1.539(11) |
| C15C | C16C | 1.531(10) |
| C15C | C19C | 1.516(11) |
| C15D | C16D | 1.548(12) |
| C15D | C19D | 1.549(13) |
| C17  | C18  | 1.572(12) |
| C17B | C18B | 1.549(12) |
| C17C | C18C | 1.553(9)  |
| C17D | C18D | 1.531(10) |
| C18  | C19  | 1.489(14) |

| Atom | Atom | Length/Å  |
|------|------|-----------|
| C18  | C20  | 1.510(11) |
| C18B | C19B | 1.534(11) |
| C18B | C20B | 1.513(10) |
| C18C | C19C | 1.551(11) |
| C18C | C20C | 1.523(11) |
| C18D | C19D | 1.533(12) |
| C18D | C20D | 1.543(14) |
| C21  | C22  | 1.449(10) |
| Cl1S | C1S  | 1.755(16) |
| Cl2S | C1S  | 1.729(14) |
| Cl3S | C2S  | 1.731(16) |
| Cl4S | C2S  | 1.728(16) |
| Cl5S | C3S  | 1.88(2)   |
| Cl6S | C3S  | 1.778(3)  |
| Cl7S | C4S  | 1.761(9)  |
| Cl8S | C4S  | 1.744(9)  |

Table 4: Bond Angles in ° for Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>.

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle/°    |
|------|------|------|------------|
| O1W  | Rh1  | Rh2  | 177.58(16) |
| O2   | Rh1  | Rh2  | 88.25(13)  |
| O2   | Rh1  | O1W  | 91.7(2)    |
| O2B  | Rh1  | Rh2  | 87.60(13)  |
| O2B  | Rh1  | O1W  | 94.8(2)    |
| O2B  | Rh1  | O2   | 90.01(19)  |
| O2B  | Rh1  | O2C  | 88.5(2)    |
| O2C  | Rh1  | Rh2  | 87.99(12)  |
| O2C  | Rh1  | O1W  | 92.1(2)    |
| O2C  | Rh1  | O2   | 176.01(18) |
| O2D  | Rh1  | Rh2  | 88.79(12)  |
| O2D  | Rh1  | O1W  | 88.8(2)    |
| O2D  | Rh1  | O2   | 88.0(2)    |
| O2D  | Rh1  | O2B  | 175.95(19) |
| O2D  | Rh1  | O2C  | 93.21(18)  |
| O1   | Rh2  | Rh1  | 87.66(15)  |
| O1   | Rh2  | O1B  | 90.4(2)    |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| O1   | Rh2  | O1C  | 175.2(2)           |
| O1   | Rh2  | O1D  | 87.97(18)          |
| O1   | Rh2  | N2   | 92.5(2)            |
| O1B  | Rh2  | Rh1  | 88.11(13)          |
| O1B  | Rh2  | O1C  | 88.49(19)          |
| O1B  | Rh2  | O1D  | 175.12(19)         |
| O1B  | Rh2  | N2   | 92.1(2)            |
| O1C  | Rh2  | Rh1  | 87.64(12)          |
| O1C  | Rh2  | N2   | 92.2(2)            |
| O1D  | Rh2  | Rh1  | 87.24(13)          |
| O1D  | Rh2  | O1C  | 92.80(18)          |
| O1D  | Rh2  | N2   | 92.6(2)            |
| N2   | Rh2  | Rh1  | 179.7(2)           |
| C10  | O1   | Rh2  | 118.2(4)           |
| C10B | O1B  | Rh2  | 117.7(4)           |
| C10C | O1C  | Rh2  | 117.6(4)           |
| C10D | O1D  | Rh2  | 118.5(4)           |
| C10  | O2   | Rh1  | 117.4(4)           |
| C10B | O2B  | Rh1  | 119.6(4)           |
| C10C | O2C  | Rh1  | 118.3(4)           |
| C10D | O2D  | Rh1  | 118.3(4)           |
| C1   | N1   | C9   | 123.1(6)           |
| C8   | N1   | C1   | 112.2(5)           |
| C8   | N1   | C9   | 123.7(6)           |
| C1B  | N1B  | C8B  | 113.3(5)           |
| C1B  | N1B  | C9B  | 124.7(5)           |
| C8B  | N1B  | C9B  | 122.0(5)           |
| C1C  | N1C  | C8C  | 113.2(5)           |
| C1C  | N1C  | C9C  | 125.0(5)           |
| C8C  | N1C  | C9C  | 121.4(5)           |
| C1D  | N1D  | C8D  | 112.7(5)           |
| C1D  | N1D  | C9D  | 126.5(5)           |
| C8D  | N1D  | C9D  | 120.8(5)           |
| C21  | N2   | Rh2  | 178.2(8)           |
| O3   | C1   | N1   | 126.3(6)           |
| O3   | C1   | C2   | 129.0(6)           |
| N1   | C1   | C2   | 104.7(5)           |
| O3B  | C1B  | N1B  | 126.4(5)           |
| O3B  | C1B  | C2B  | 129.3(6)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| N1B  | C1B  | C2B  | 104.2(5)           |
| O3C  | C1C  | N1C  | 126.2(6)           |
| O3C  | C1C  | C2C  | 128.2(6)           |
| N1C  | C1C  | C2C  | 105.6(5)           |
| O3D  | C1D  | N1D  | 125.9(6)           |
| O3D  | C1D  | C2D  | 129.1(6)           |
| N1D  | C1D  | C2D  | 105.1(5)           |
| C3   | C2   | C1   | 130.3(6)           |
| C3   | C2   | C7   | 121.1(6)           |
| C7   | C2   | C1   | 108.7(5)           |
| C3B  | C2B  | C1B  | 129.6(6)           |
| C7B  | C2B  | C1B  | 109.3(5)           |
| C7B  | C2B  | C3B  | 121.1(6)           |
| C3C  | C2C  | C1C  | 130.8(5)           |
| C3C  | C2C  | C7C  | 121.1(5)           |
| C7C  | C2C  | C1C  | 108.0(5)           |
| C3D  | C2D  | C1D  | 130.2(6)           |
| C3D  | C2D  | C7D  | 121.5(6)           |
| C7D  | C2D  | C1D  | 108.3(6)           |
| C2   | C3   | C13  | 121.0(5)           |
| C2   | C3   | C4   | 118.6(6)           |
| C4   | C3   | C13  | 120.5(5)           |
| C2B  | C3B  | C13B | 121.1(6)           |
| C4B  | C3B  | C13B | 122.2(5)           |
| C4B  | C3B  | C2B  | 116.8(7)           |
| C2C  | C3C  | C13C | 121.3(5)           |
| C2C  | C3C  | C4C  | 117.6(6)           |
| C4C  | C3C  | C13C | 121.0(5)           |
| C2D  | C3D  | C13D | 122.4(6)           |
| C2D  | C3D  | C4D  | 117.5(6)           |
| C4D  | C3D  | C13D | 120.1(5)           |
| C3   | C4   | C11  | 119.9(6)           |
| C5   | C4   | C11  | 119.6(6)           |
| C5   | C4   | C3   | 120.5(6)           |
| C3B  | C4B  | C11B | 118.5(7)           |
| C5B  | C4B  | C11B | 120.2(6)           |
| C5B  | C4B  | C3B  | 121.3(7)           |
| C3C  | C4C  | C11C | 119.5(5)           |
| C5C  | C4C  | C11C | 119.1(5)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| C5C  | C4C  | C3C  | 121.4(6)           |
| C3D  | C4D  | C11D | 119.9(6)           |
| C3D  | C4D  | C5D  | 121.2(7)           |
| C5D  | C4D  | C11D | 118.9(6)           |
| C4   | C5   | C14  | 120.0(6)           |
| C4   | C5   | C6   | 120.6(7)           |
| C6   | C5   | C14  | 119.4(6)           |
| C4B  | C5B  | C14B | 119.5(6)           |
| C4B  | C5B  | C6B  | 120.8(7)           |
| C6B  | C5B  | C14B | 119.7(7)           |
| C4C  | C5C  | C14C | 119.9(5)           |
| C4C  | C5C  | C6C  | 121.0(6)           |
| C6C  | C5C  | C14C | 119.1(5)           |
| C4D  | C5D  | C14D | 119.9(6)           |
| C6D  | C5D  | C14D | 120.4(6)           |
| C6D  | C5D  | C4D  | 119.7(7)           |
| C5   | C6   | C17  | 121.0(6)           |
| C7   | C6   | C17  | 120.3(5)           |
| C7   | C6   | C5   | 118.7(7)           |
| C5B  | C6B  | C17B | 120.4(6)           |
| C7B  | C6B  | C17B | 122.3(6)           |
| C7B  | C6B  | C5B  | 117.2(7)           |
| C5C  | C6C  | C17C | 121.1(4)           |
| C7C  | C6C  | C17C | 121.9(5)           |
| C7C  | C6C  | C5C  | 117.0(5)           |
| C5D  | C6D  | C17D | 119.9(6)           |
| C7D  | C6D  | C17D | 121.3(5)           |
| C7D  | C6D  | C5D  | 118.8(7)           |
| C2   | C7   | C8   | 107.1(6)           |
| C6   | C7   | C2   | 120.6(6)           |
| C6   | C7   | C8   | 132.2(6)           |
| C2B  | C7B  | C6B  | 122.6(6)           |
| C2B  | C7B  | C8B  | 108.0(5)           |
| C6B  | C7B  | C8B  | 129.3(6)           |
| C2C  | C7C  | C8C  | 108.5(5)           |
| C6C  | C7C  | C2C  | 121.9(5)           |
| C6C  | C7C  | C8C  | 129.6(5)           |
| C2D  | C7D  | C8D  | 108.2(6)           |
| C6D  | C7D  | C2D  | 121.1(6)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| C6D  | C7D  | C8D  | 130.7(6)           |
| O4   | C8   | N1   | 125.0(6)           |
| O4   | C8   | C7   | 128.6(7)           |
| N1   | C8   | C7   | 106.4(6)           |
| O4B  | C8B  | N1B  | 126.2(6)           |
| O4B  | C8B  | C7B  | 129.0(6)           |
| N1B  | C8B  | C7B  | 104.8(5)           |
| O4C  | C8C  | N1C  | 125.8(5)           |
| O4C  | C8C  | C7C  | 129.8(5)           |
| N1C  | C8C  | C7C  | 104.4(5)           |
| O4D  | C8D  | N1D  | 125.3(6)           |
| O4D  | C8D  | C7D  | 129.3(6)           |
| N1D  | C8D  | C7D  | 105.4(5)           |
| N1   | C9   | C10  | 107.1(5)           |
| N1   | C9   | C11  | 112.4(5)           |
| C10  | C9   | C11  | 119.0(6)           |
| N1B  | C9B  | C10B | 108.1(5)           |
| N1B  | C9B  | C11B | 113.4(5)           |
| C10B | C9B  | C11B | 118.4(5)           |
| N1C  | C9C  | C10C | 107.6(5)           |
| N1C  | C9C  | C11C | 112.6(5)           |
| C10C | C9C  | C11C | 118.5(5)           |
| N1D  | C9D  | C10D | 108.8(5)           |
| N1D  | C9D  | C11D | 112.5(5)           |
| C10D | C9D  | C11D | 118.5(5)           |
| O1   | C10  | C9   | 113.6(6)           |
| O2   | C10  | O1   | 128.2(6)           |
| O2   | C10  | C9   | 118.2(6)           |
| O1B  | C10B | O2B  | 126.6(6)           |
| O1B  | C10B | C9B  | 117.1(5)           |
| O2B  | C10B | C9B  | 116.2(5)           |
| O1C  | C10C | O2C  | 127.4(5)           |
| O1C  | C10C | C9C  | 114.9(5)           |
| O2C  | C10C | C9C  | 117.7(5)           |
| O1D  | C10D | C9D  | 116.5(5)           |
| O2D  | C10D | O1D  | 126.6(6)           |
| O2D  | C10D | C9D  | 116.8(5)           |
| C12  | C11  | C9   | 114.0(6)           |
| C12  | C11  | C16  | 109.6(7)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| C12  | C11  | C17  | 108.2(7)           |
| C16  | C11  | C9   | 108.4(7)           |
| C16  | C11  | C17  | 107.5(6)           |
| C17  | C11  | C9   | 109.1(6)           |
| C9B  | C11B | C17B | 109.0(6)           |
| C12B | C11B | C9B  | 113.7(5)           |
| C12B | C11B | C16B | 108.9(6)           |
| C12B | C11B | C17B | 110.2(6)           |
| C16B | C11B | C9B  | 108.3(5)           |
| C16B | C11B | C17B | 106.4(5)           |
| C12C | C11C | C9C  | 113.9(5)           |
| C12C | C11C | C17C | 110.1(5)           |
| C16C | C11C | C9C  | 109.2(5)           |
| C16C | C11C | C12C | 107.2(5)           |
| C16C | C11C | C17C | 107.7(5)           |
| C17C | C11C | C9C  | 108.5(5)           |
| C9D  | C11D | C17D | 108.5(5)           |
| C12D | C11D | C9D  | 115.6(6)           |
| C12D | C11D | C16D | 109.2(6)           |
| C12D | C11D | C17D | 108.4(6)           |
| C16D | C11D | C9D  | 108.0(6)           |
| C16D | C11D | C17D | 106.7(6)           |
| C11  | C12  | C13  | 111.0(7)           |
| C11B | C12B | C13B | 110.2(6)           |
| C11C | C12C | C13C | 110.0(5)           |
| C13D | C12D | C11D | 110.9(7)           |
| C14  | C13  | C12  | 109.1(9)           |
| C20  | C13  | C12  | 108.5(8)           |
| C20  | C13  | C14  | 109.3(9)           |
| C12B | C13B | C14B | 108.9(7)           |
| C20B | C13B | C12B | 109.8(7)           |
| C20B | C13B | C14B | 109.3(7)           |
| C14C | C13C | C12C | 109.4(6)           |
| C14C | C13C | C20C | 110.5(6)           |
| C20C | C13C | C12C | 109.2(6)           |
| C12D | C13D | C14D | 109.3(8)           |
| C12D | C13D | C20D | 109.9(7)           |
| C20D | C13D | C14D | 109.3(8)           |
| C15  | C14  | C13  | 110.4(9)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| C15B | C14B | C13B | 109.8(8)           |
| C15C | C14C | C13C | 108.4(6)           |
| C15D | C14D | C13D | 110.6(8)           |
| C14  | C15  | C16  | 111.5(8)           |
| C14  | C15  | C19  | 108.1(9)           |
| C19  | C15  | C16  | 107.4(8)           |
| C14B | C15B | C16B | 110.2(7)           |
| C14B | C15B | C19B | 110.2(7)           |
| C16B | C15B | C19B | 107.9(7)           |
| C14C | C15C | C16C | 109.8(6)           |
| C19C | C15C | C14C | 110.8(7)           |
| C19C | C15C | C16C | 109.6(6)           |
| C14D | C15D | C16D | 109.5(8)           |
| C14D | C15D | C19D | 108.9(9)           |
| C16D | C15D | C19D | 109.1(7)           |
| C11  | C16  | C15  | 110.6(8)           |
| C15B | C16B | C11B | 111.4(6)           |
| C15C | C16C | C11C | 110.8(6)           |
| C11D | C16D | C15D | 111.3(7)           |
| C11  | C17  | C18  | 109.2(7)           |
| C18B | C17B | C11B | 108.9(6)           |
| C11C | C17C | C18C | 110.7(5)           |
| C18D | C17D | C11D | 110.6(6)           |
| C19  | C18  | C17  | 108.3(8)           |
| C19  | C18  | C20  | 109.7(9)           |
| C20  | C18  | C17  | 109.5(8)           |
| C19B | C18B | C17B | 108.1(7)           |
| C20B | C18B | C17B | 110.2(7)           |
| C20B | C18B | C19B | 112.9(8)           |
| C19C | C18C | C17C | 107.6(6)           |
| C20C | C18C | C17C | 109.0(6)           |
| C20C | C18C | C19C | 110.2(6)           |
| C17D | C18D | C19D | 110.2(7)           |
| C17D | C18D | C20D | 109.5(7)           |
| C19D | C18D | C20D | 109.8(7)           |
| C18  | C19  | C15  | 111.6(8)           |
| C18B | C19B | C15B | 108.0(7)           |
| C15C | C19C | C18C | 109.3(6)           |
| C18D | C19D | C15D | 109.4(8)           |

| Atom | Atom | Atom | Angle <sup>°</sup> |
|------|------|------|--------------------|
| C13  | C20  | C18  | 111.0(9)           |
| C18B | C20B | C13B | 109.0(7)           |
| C18C | C20C | C13C | 109.9(6)           |
| C18D | C20D | C13D | 107.7(8)           |
| N2   | C21  | C22  | 178.2(12)          |
| Cl2S | C1S  | Cl1S | 113.4(8)           |
| Cl4S | C2S  | Cl3S | 115.0(9)           |
| Cl6S | C3S  | Cl5S | 105.0(9)           |
| Cl8S | C4S  | Cl7S | 111.8(5)           |

**Table 5:** Hydrogen Fractional Atomic Coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and Equivalent Isotropic Displacement Parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for **Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)**<sup>4</sup>.  $U_{eq}$  is defined as 1/3 of the trace of the orthogonalised  $U_{ij}$ .

| Atom | x    | y    | z    | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|------|------|------|----------|
| H1WA | 3689 | 5075 | 4594 | 57       |
| H1WB | 3056 | 5399 | 3990 | 57       |
| H9   | 4030 | 6171 | 1333 | 29       |
| H9B  | 6596 | 7049 | 4028 | 25       |
| H9C  | 7878 | 4664 | 4867 | 20       |
| H9D  | 4719 | 3650 | 2201 | 25       |
| H12A | 3394 | 7299 | 2492 | 45       |
| H12B | 3234 | 6736 | 2929 | 45       |
| H12C | 6959 | 6264 | 5682 | 37       |
| H12D | 5917 | 6066 | 5303 | 37       |
| H12E | 6214 | 3473 | 5075 | 27       |
| H12F | 5513 | 4017 | 4973 | 27       |
| H12G | 2822 | 4701 | 2225 | 44       |
| H12H | 2727 | 4591 | 1404 | 44       |
| H13  | 1899 | 7387 | 2970 | 61       |
| H13B | 5816 | 6265 | 6500 | 50       |
| H13C | 5096 | 3453 | 5912 | 35       |
| H13D | 1166 | 4603 | 1745 | 57       |
| H14A | 848  | 7593 | 1907 | 65       |
| H14B | 1917 | 7827 | 1856 | 65       |
| H14C | 6129 | 7218 | 6931 | 53       |
| H14D | 7089 | 6961 | 6679 | 53       |
| H14E | 6255 | 3308 | 6922 | 41       |
| H14F | 6653 | 3037 | 6257 | 41       |
| H14G | 600  | 3696 | 1253 | 64       |
| H14H | 1376 | 3960 | 806  | 64       |
| H15  | 1305 | 7340 | 836  | 62       |
| H15B | 6830 | 7899 | 6239 | 49       |
| H15C | 7892 | 3589 | 6902 | 40       |
| H15D | 1710 | 2998 | 1020 | 56       |
| H16A | 2624 | 6682 | 795  | 51       |
| H16B | 3034 | 7262 | 1158 | 51       |
| H16C | 7545 | 7266 | 5506 | 38       |
| H16D | 6857 | 7703 | 5036 | 38       |

| Atom | x    | y    | z     | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|------|------|-------|----------|
| H16E | 7895 | 3562 | 5681  | 31       |
| H16F | 8304 | 4163 | 5982  | 31       |
| H16G | 3383 | 3101 | 1511  | 45       |
| H16H | 3085 | 3600 | 960   | 45       |
| H17A | 2643 | 5824 | 2316  | 49       |
| H17B | 2396 | 5817 | 1484  | 49       |
| H17C | 5247 | 7427 | 4463  | 40       |
| H17D | 4837 | 6795 | 4538  | 40       |
| H17E | 6168 | 4994 | 5459  | 27       |
| H17F | 7255 | 5029 | 5855  | 27       |
| H17G | 3523 | 3274 | 2778  | 33       |
| H17H | 3317 | 3893 | 3074  | 33       |
| H18  | 903  | 5909 | 1996  | 57       |
| H18B | 4119 | 7416 | 5293  | 51       |
| H18C | 6124 | 5011 | 6691  | 35       |
| H18D | 1959 | 3295 | 3142  | 44       |
| H19A | 276  | 6695 | 1346  | 66       |
| H19B | 972  | 6341 | 912   | 66       |
| H19C | 5102 | 7938 | 6170  | 56       |
| H19D | 5403 | 8101 | 5426  | 56       |
| H19E | 7702 | 4585 | 7017  | 40       |
| H19F | 6911 | 4255 | 7395  | 40       |
| H19G | 1046 | 2931 | 2103  | 53       |
| H19H | 2125 | 2676 | 2197  | 53       |
| H20A | 648  | 6732 | 2642  | 64       |
| H20B | 1581 | 6401 | 3017  | 64       |
| H20C | 4397 | 6471 | 5693  | 53       |
| H20D | 4475 | 6902 | 6339  | 53       |
| H20E | 4895 | 4462 | 6007  | 37       |
| H20F | 5153 | 4186 | 6765  | 37       |
| H20G | 1616 | 4288 | 2933  | 56       |
| H20H | 730  | 3911 | 2560  | 56       |
| H22A | 8756 | 5147 | 1099  | 82       |
| H22B | 9520 | 5140 | 1795  | 82       |
| H22C | 9169 | 5733 | 1440  | 82       |
| H1SA | 3063 | 6021 | 7281  | 85       |
| H1SB | 3504 | 5554 | 7835  | 85       |
| H2SA | 4684 | 6743 | -698  | 99       |
| H2SB | 4199 | 7251 | -1170 | 99       |

| Atom | x    | y    | z    | $U_{eq}$ |
|------|------|------|------|----------|
| H3SA | 7629 | 4127 | 2371 | 209      |
| H3SB | 7062 | 3570 | 2049 | 209      |
| H4SA | 8541 | 5248 | 3628 | 51       |
| H4SB | 9452 | 5101 | 4196 | 51       |

**Table 6:** Solvent masking (PLATON/SQUEEZE) information for **Rh<sub>2</sub>(R-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>**.

| No | x     | y      | z     | V    | e   | Content |
|----|-------|--------|-------|------|-----|---------|
| 1  | 0.000 | -0.008 | 0.000 | 1738 | 410 |         |

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# PLATON/CHECK-( 70414) versus check.def version of 310314 for Entry: rh2r-tcp
# Data: rh2r-tcptad4-sq_sq.cif - Type: CIF Bond Precision C-C = 0.0109 Å
# Refl: rh2r-tcptad4-sq_sq.fcf - Type: LIST4 Temp = 100 K
# X-Ray Nref/Npar = 16.3
# Cell 13.9309(2) 23.4777(4) 19.4295(4) 90 97.9250(17) 90
# Wavelength 0.71073 Volume Reported 6294.0(2) Calculated 6294.03(19)
# SpaceGroup from Symmetry P 21 Hall: P 2yb monoclinic
# Reported P 1 21 1 P 2yb monoclinic
# MoietyFormula C82 H69 Cl16 N5 O17 Rh2, 4(C H2 Cl2)
# Reported C82 H69 Cl16 N5 O17 Rh2, 4(C H2 Cl2)
# SumFormula C86 H77 Cl24 N5 O17 Rh2
# Reported C86 H77 Cl24 N5 O17 Rh2
# Mr = 2509.15[Calc], 2509.14[Rep]
# Dx,gcm-3 = 1.324[Calc], 1.324[Rep]
# Z = 2[Calc], 2[Rep]
# Mu (mm-1) = 0.824[Calc], 0.824[Rep]
# F000 = 2524.0[Calc], 2524.0[Rep] or F000' = 2527.46[Calc]
# Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.729 Tmax=1.000 AbsCorr=MULTI-SCAN
# Calculated T Limits: Tmin=0.616 Tmin'=0.556 Tmax=0.719
# Reported Hmax= 19, Kmax= 33, Lmax= 27, Nref= 38220 , Th(max)= 30.508
# Obs in FCF Hmax= 19, Kmax= 33, Lmax= 27, Nref= 38220[ 19594], Th(max)= 30.508
# Calculated Hmax= 19, Kmax= 33, Lmax= 27, Nref= 38391[ 19624], Ratio=1.95/1.00
# PLATON/Squeeze: 1738.0 Ang**3, Total El.Count = 410.0 e-
# Reported Rho(min) = -1.07, Rho(max) = 1.92 e/Ang**3 (From CIF)
# w=1/[sigma**2(Fo**2)+(0.0808P)**2+ 14.7866P], P=(Fo**2+2*Fc**2)/3
# R= 0.0641( 32914), wR2= 0.1590( 38220), S = 1.040 (From FCF data only)
# R= 0.0641( 32915), wR2= 0.1590( 38220), S = 1.043, Npar= 1203, Flack -0.007(8)
# Number Bijvoet Pairs=18626 ( 99%) (13732 Selected for: Parsons 0.040(4)
# P2(tr) 1.000, P3(tr) 1.000, P3(tw) 0.000, Student-T Nu 9.28, Hooft -0.013(6)
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For Documentation: http://http://www.platonsoft.nl/CIF-VALIDATION.pdf
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>>> The Following Improvement and Query ALERTS were generated - (Acta-Mode) <<<
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420_ALERT_2_B D-H Without Acceptor O1W - H1WB ... Please Check
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161_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on x-coordinate for ... RH1

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161_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on x-coordinate for ... RH2
162_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on y-coordinate for ... RH1
162_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on y-coordinate for ... RH2
163_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on z-coordinate for ... RH1
163_ALERT_4_C Missing or Zero su (esd) on z-coordinate for ... RH2
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222_ALERT_3_C Large Non-Solvent H Uiso(max)/Uiso(min) .. 4.1 Ratio
244_ALERT_4_C Low 'Solvent' Ueq as Compared to Neighbors of C1S Check
244_ALERT_4_C Low 'Solvent' Ueq as Compared to Neighbors of C3S Check
342_ALERT_3_C Low Bond Precision on C-C Bonds ..... 0.0109 Ang.
411_ALERT_2_C Short Inter H...H Contact H15B .. H18D .. 2.14 Ang.
731_ALERT_1_C Bond Calc 2.39910(10), Rep 2.39913(4) ..... 3 su-Rat
RH1 -RH2 1.555 1.555 # 1
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003_ALERT_2_G Number of Uiso or Uij Restrained non-H Atoms ... 125 Why ?
007_ALERT_5_G Number of Unrefined Donor-H Atoms ..... 2 Why ?
008_ALERT_5_G No _iucr_refine_reflections_details in the CIF Please Do !
063_ALERT_4_G Crystal Size Likely too Large for Beam Size .... 0.70 mm
083_ALERT_2_G SHELXL Second Parameter in WGHT Unusually Large. 14.79 Why ?
232_ALERT_2_G Hirshfeld Test Diff (M-X) Rh1 -- O1W .. 5.3 su
434_ALERT_2_G Short Inter HL..HL Contact C11 .. C11S . 3.34 Ang.
606_ALERT_4_G VERY LARGE Solvent Accessible VOID(S) in Structure ! Info
720_ALERT_4_G Number of Unusual/Non-Standard Labels ..... 10 Note
760_ALERT_1_G CIF Contains no Torsion Angles ..... ? Info
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C H2 Cl2
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791_ALERT_4_G The Model has Chirality at C9B ..... R Verify
791_ALERT_4_G The Model has Chirality at C9C ..... R Verify
791_ALERT_4_G The Model has Chirality at C9D ..... R Verify
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791_ALERT_4_G The Model has Chirality at C18C ..... R Verify
791_ALERT_4_G The Model has Chirality at C18D ..... R Verify
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## ALERT\_Level and ALERT\_Type Summary

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2 ALERT\_Level\_B = A Potentially Serious Problem - Consider Carefully

15 ALERT\_Level\_C = Check. Ensure it is Not caused by an Omission or Oversight

25 ALERT\_Level\_G = General Info/Check that it is not Something Unexpected

2 ALERT\_Type\_1 CIF Construction/Syntax Error, Inconsistent or Missing Data.

9 ALERT\_Type\_2 Indicator that the Structure Model may be Wrong or Deficient.

6 ALERT\_Type\_3 Indicator that the Structure Quality may be Low.

23 ALERT\_Type\_4 Improvement, Methodology, Query or Suggestion.

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1 Missing Experimental Info Issue(s) (Out of 54 Tests) - 98 % Satisfied

0 Experimental Data Related Issue(s) (Out of 28 Tests) - 100 % Satisfied

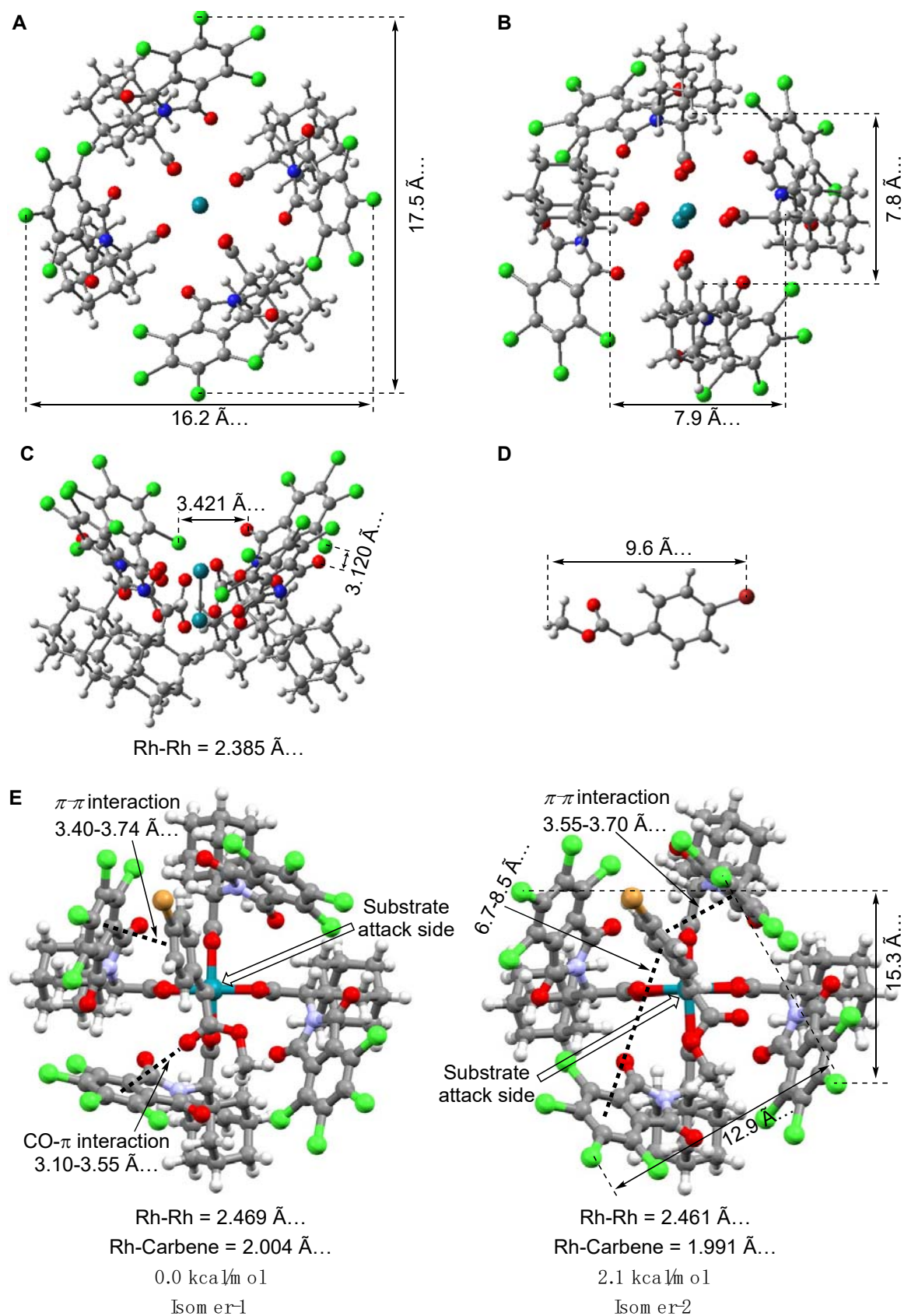
11 Structural Model Related Issue(s) (Out of 117 Tests) - 91 % Satisfied

30 Unresolved or to be Checked Issue(s) (Out of 223 Tests) - 87 % Satisfied

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## 12 - Computational study of $\text{Rh}_2(S\text{-TCPTAD})_4$

**Computational Procedure.** Geometry of the  $\text{Rh}_2(S\text{-TCPTAD})_4$ , and their carbenes,  $[(p\text{-Br-C}_6\text{H}_4)\text{C}(\text{COOMe})]$ , complexes were optimized in the gas phase with no geometry constraints. Vibrational analyses were performed to ensure that all reported structures are true minima. In these calculations we used the Density Functional Theory with M06L-functional<sup>7</sup> in conjunction with the 6-31G(d) basis sets for all atoms, except Rh: For Rh we used the lanl2dz basis set with the associated Hay-Wadt ECPs.<sup>8-9</sup> Previously,<sup>10</sup> we have shown that this approach describes both geometries and relative energies of the transition metal systems with reasonable accuracy. All calculations were carried out with the Gaussian 09 software package.<sup>11</sup>



**Triplet Carbene: CCOOMe\_PhBr**

|    |             |             |             |
|----|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C  | 0.09888200  | 1.59108200  | 0.48702400  |
| C  | -1.19936900 | 1.11870200  | 0.25213300  |
| C  | -2.29189900 | 1.70156200  | 0.94602600  |
| C  | -1.47617100 | 0.06568200  | -0.66399700 |
| C  | -3.58585900 | 1.26158200  | 0.74345100  |
| H  | -2.09693800 | 2.50878400  | 1.64957200  |
| C  | -2.77210200 | -0.37149600 | -0.86425100 |
| H  | -0.64815200 | -0.38867000 | -1.20114600 |
| C  | -3.82315300 | 0.22366400  | -0.16140200 |
| H  | -4.41566900 | 1.71479500  | 1.27919500  |
| H  | -2.97837400 | -1.17571600 | -1.56598600 |
| Br | -5.58917700 | -0.38613200 | -0.43193800 |
| C  | 1.38810300  | 1.23879100  | -0.03553700 |
| O  | 1.58247300  | 0.36261300  | -0.86955900 |
| O  | 2.37263700  | 1.99203000  | 0.50272800  |
| C  | 3.67899900  | 1.67808100  | 0.01910700  |
| H  | 3.73035000  | 1.80478500  | -1.06682100 |
| H  | 4.35239800  | 2.37384000  | 0.52056500  |
| H  | 3.94297500  | 0.64370800  | 0.26246000  |

**Rh<sub>2</sub>(S-TCPTAD)<sub>4</sub>**

|    |             |             |             |
|----|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Rh | 0.06610900  | 0.31393900  | -1.87950400 |
| O  | -2.00557500 | 0.31054000  | -1.93610000 |
| O  | 2.12384900  | 0.31139600  | -1.71101900 |
| O  | -2.12498200 | 0.20319800  | 0.32587200  |
| O  | 2.01489300  | 0.02460400  | 0.53587700  |
| O  | 0.09178300  | 2.36133600  | -1.64949700 |
| O  | 0.02944400  | -1.74718600 | -2.00870200 |
| O  | -0.11778800 | -1.95914600 | 0.24301300  |
| O  | -0.01359000 | 2.18256000  | 0.60785500  |
| C  | -0.10541600 | -2.41456500 | -0.94346000 |
| C  | 0.09578600  | 2.83497600  | -0.47667700 |
| C  | -2.62970700 | 0.29434400  | -0.83656700 |
| C  | 2.63519600  | 0.13721400  | -0.56644700 |
| Rh | -0.06461500 | 0.10326000  | 0.49244900  |
| C  | 0.21350500  | 4.35193000  | -0.30570200 |
| C  | 0.42735200  | 5.20811800  | -1.57356600 |
| N  | 1.21455800  | 4.59256400  | 0.73416800  |
| C  | -0.79459200 | 5.06423200  | -2.50328100 |
| C  | 0.51823300  | 6.69290700  | -1.16195000 |
| C  | 1.71503700  | 4.84494100  | -2.33091900 |
| C  | 2.39740500  | 3.86380900  | 0.87478000  |
| C  | 0.98571200  | 5.45468500  | 1.81398400  |
| H  | -0.92817500 | 4.01936400  | -2.80292000 |

|   |             |            |             |
|---|-------------|------------|-------------|
| H | -1.70462300 | 5.35011700 | -1.95112800 |
| C | -0.62474800 | 5.94733100 | -3.74232100 |
| C | 0.68081300  | 7.58865400 | -2.39349500 |
| H | -0.38154800 | 6.97778500 | -0.59430200 |
| H | 1.37472000  | 6.84462300 | -0.48685000 |
| C | 1.86492100  | 5.73123400 | -3.57147900 |
| H | 2.58556500  | 4.98317800 | -1.67071900 |
| H | 1.70040200  | 3.78651400 | -2.61669400 |
| O | 2.79420600  | 3.01737500 | 0.09791600  |
| C | 3.01822900  | 4.34843300 | 2.13675300  |
| O | -0.00432800 | 6.13757100 | 1.96477000  |
| C | 2.18248200  | 5.32177700 | 2.68552100  |
| C | -0.52547200 | 7.41325300 | -3.31779700 |
| C | 0.65131000  | 5.54053800 | -4.48562600 |
| H | -1.49526600 | 5.80920800 | -4.39967800 |
| H | 0.74848100  | 8.63577800 | -2.06465200 |
| C | 1.95630400  | 7.19771000 | -3.14330500 |
| H | 2.78107900  | 5.44306900 | -4.10777200 |
| C | 4.20089200  | 3.97896300 | 2.75727500  |
| C | 2.50297100  | 5.97656700 | 3.86215400  |
| H | -0.42168600 | 8.06190400 | -4.20088100 |
| H | -1.44731600 | 7.72062000 | -2.80075900 |
| H | 0.58260000  | 4.49011500 | -4.80672400 |
| H | 0.76603600  | 6.14711600 | -5.39684600 |

|    |             |             |             |
|----|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H  | 2.08894600  | 7.84512400  | -4.02333300 |
| H  | 2.83670400  | 7.34941600  | -2.49992200 |
| Cl | 5.19999600  | 2.73675700  | 2.12042800  |
| C  | 4.54803800  | 4.63559100  | 3.95859000  |
| C  | 3.71030600  | 5.62740900  | 4.50331200  |
| Cl | 1.47232100  | 7.18034300  | 4.51970500  |
| Cl | 6.00596400  | 4.21660800  | 4.76097400  |
| Cl | 4.15606500  | 6.41623200  | 5.96154500  |
| C  | -4.15763700 | 0.36122900  | -0.85176500 |
| C  | -4.87427300 | 0.33514400  | -2.21771900 |
| N  | -4.55896600 | 1.47796700  | 0.00668100  |
| C  | -4.51709100 | -0.97853800 | -2.94063100 |
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