

## Basic ionic liquid-catalyzed one-pot synthesis of the spiroacenaphthylene derivatives in water medium

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### General Information

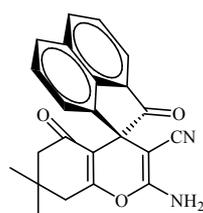
Melting points were measured on an Electrothermal X6 microscopy digital melting point apparatus. IR spectra were recorded on a Bruker Equinox-55 spectrometer in KBr pellets.  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$  on a Bruker AVANCE 300 and 75 MHz instrument with TMS at  $\delta=0.00$  ppm as an internal standard. Mass spectra were performed on a AB 4000 Q TRAP (USA). Pyrazolones was prepared according to the method reported in the literature.<sup>1</sup> All other chemicals were of commercial grade without further purification.

### General procedure for the synthesis of spiroacenaphthylene derivatives

An equimolar (1.0 mmol) mixture of acenaphthequinone **1**, malononitrile **2**,  $\alpha$ -methylenecarbonyl compounds **3** and ionic liquid [BDDMA]Cl (15.0 mol%) in 5.0 ml water was stirred at 80 °C for the specified time (Table 2). Upon completion (monitored by TLC), the solid was filtered off and washed with water (2×5 ml) and cold ethanol (2×2 ml) to obtain the product (TLC pure). Thus obtained substance was further purified by recrystallization from ethanol or ethanol–acetone. The catalyst contained in the filtrate can be used in the next run without further purification.

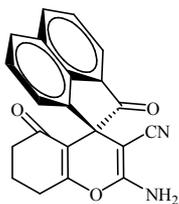
### Spectral data

#### 2'-Amino-7',7'-dimethyl-2,5'-dioxo-5',6',7',8'-tetrahydro-2H-spiro-(acenaphthylene-1,4'-chromene)-3'-carbonitrile **4a**<sup>2</sup>



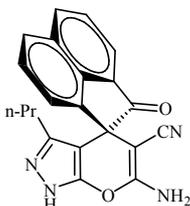
Yellow solid; mp 256–257 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ):  $\delta$  1.03 (3 H, s, Me), 1.04 (3 H, s, Me), 2.08 (2 H, q,  $J = 36.0$  Hz,  $\text{CH}_2$ ), 2.63 (2 H, s,  $\text{CH}_2$ ), 7.34 (2 H, s,  $\text{NH}_2$ ), 7.39–8.28 (6 H, m, ArH). IR (KBr): 3369, 3293, 3245, 3182, 2954, 2193, 1717, 1665, 1600, 1347  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .

**2'-Amino-2,5'-dioxo-5',6',7',8'-tetrahydro-2*H*-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,4'-chromene)-3'-carbonitrile 4b<sup>2</sup>**



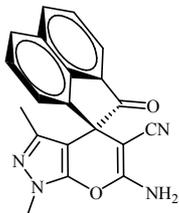
Yellow solid; mp 242–244 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 1.94 (2 H, q, *J* = 18.3 Hz, -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>-), 2.16 (3 H, m, -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>-), 2.72 (2 H, t, *J* = 11.7 Hz, -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>-), 7.32 (2 H, s, NH<sub>2</sub>), 7.40–8.27 (6 H, m, ArH). IR (KBr): 3373, 3314, 3242, 3199, 2194, 1717, 1668, 1599, 1348 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

**3'-Amino-7'-*n*-propyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonitrile 4e**



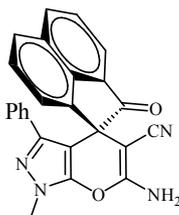
Yellow solid; mp 234–236 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 0.11 (3 H, t, *J* = 14.7 Hz, -CH<sub>2</sub>Me), 0.66 (2 H, m, -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>Me), 1.33 (2 H, m, -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>Me), 7.32 (2 H, s, NH<sub>2</sub>), 7.45–8.40 (6 H, m, ArH), 12.28 (1 H, s, NH). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 12.9, 21.1, 25.9, 51.7, 55.8, 96.0, 118.9, 121.3, 122.4, 124.9, 129.0, 129.4, 130.0, 130.7, 132.6, 139.1, 140.9, 141.5, 155.0, 162.4, 204.2. IR (KBr): 3420, 3298, 3157, 2200, 1708, 1641, 1594, 1487, 1404 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS, *m/z* (%): 479 (M<sup>+</sup>, 100), 457 (57), 301 (28).

**3'-Amino-5'-methyl-7'-methyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonitrile 4f**



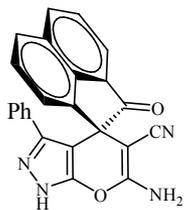
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**3'-Amino-5'-methyl-7'-phenyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonitrile 4g**



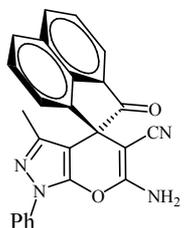
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**3'-Amino-7'-phenyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonite 4h**



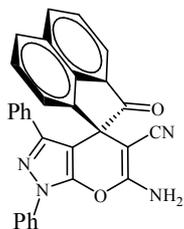
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**3'-Amino-5'-phenyl-7'-methyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonite 4i**



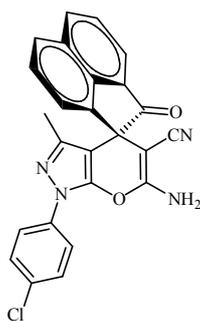
Yellow solid; mp 159–161 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 1.07 (3 H, s, Me), 7.69 (2 H, s, NH<sub>2</sub>), 7.34-8.45 (11 H, m, ArH). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 11.9, 52.0, 56.8, 97.1, 118.0, 120.1, 121.8, 122.8, 125.3, 126.6, 129.1, 129.4, 130.0, 130.4, 132.9, 137.1, 140.4, 141.1, 143.8, 144.9, 161.0, 203.5. IR (KBr): 3354, 3297, 3187, 2200, 1716, 1645, 1599, 1521, 1493, 1382 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS, *m/z* (%): 427 (M<sup>+</sup>, 100), 405 (70), 301 (10), 253 (10), 175 (35).

**3'-Amino-5'-phenyl-7'-phenyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonite 4j**



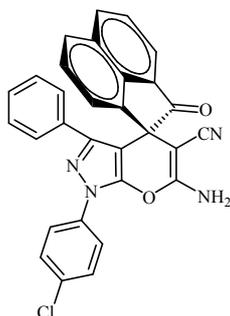
Yellow solid; mp 215–217 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 6.44-8.32 (18 H, m, ArH and NH<sub>2</sub>). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 52.2, 57.7, 96.8, 117.9, 120.9, 121.6, 122.5, 125.1, 127.1, 127.2, 145.5, 147.6, 160.4, 203.6. IR (KBr): 3465, 3315, 2194, 1704, 1651, 1593, 1519, 1456, 1390 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS, *m/z* (%): 489 (M<sup>+</sup>, 100), 467 (50), 301 (25), 253 (25), 237 (65), 139 (55), 113 (35).

**3'-Amino-5'-(4-chlorophenyl)-7'-methyl-2-oxo-2*H*,5*H*'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole)-2'-carbonite 4k<sup>3</sup>**



Yellow solid; mp 172–174 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>): δ 1.07 (3 H, s, Me), 7.71 (2 H, s, NH<sub>2</sub>), 7.56-8.45 (10 H, m, ArH). IR (KBr): 3460, 3310, 2191, 1708, 1651, 1581, 1515, 1490, 1386 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

**3'-Amino-5'-(4-chlorophenyl)-7'-phenyl -2-oxo-2H,5H'-spiro(acenaphthylene-1,1'-pyrano[2,3-c]pyrazole)-2'-carbonite 4l**



Yellow solid; mp 194–196 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>): δ 6.45–8.32 (17 H, m, ArH and NH<sub>2</sub>). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>): δ 52.2, 57.7, 97.1, 117.9, 121.6, 122.3, 122.6, 125.2, 127.1, 127.2, 128.0, 128.8, 129.2, 129.4, 130.0, 130.9, 131.2, 131.3, 132.5, 135.9, 141.2, 141.5, 145.6, 147.9, 160.3, 203.4. IR (KBr): 3393, 3320, 3197, 2201, 1712, 1654, 1614, 1517, 1482, 1395cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS, m/z (%): 523 (M<sup>+</sup>, 100), 501 (26), 379 (24), 301 (53), 271 (76), 253 (40).

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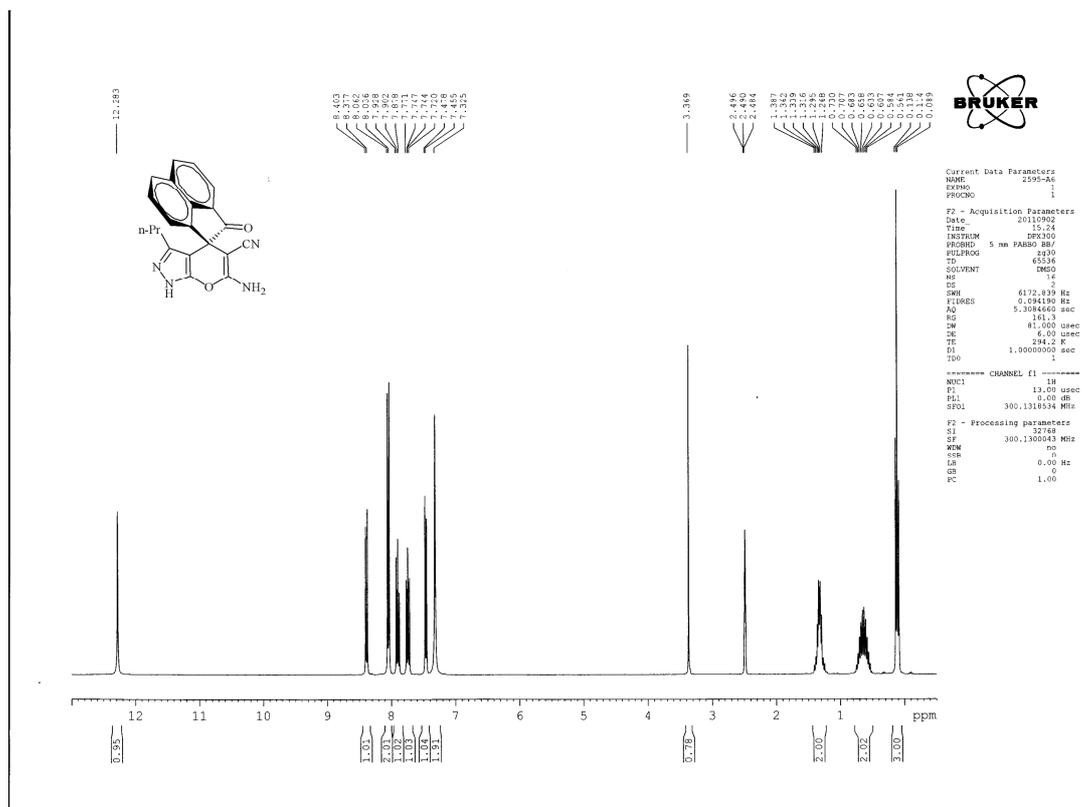
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**Spectra (<sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR, IR, MS) of compounds**

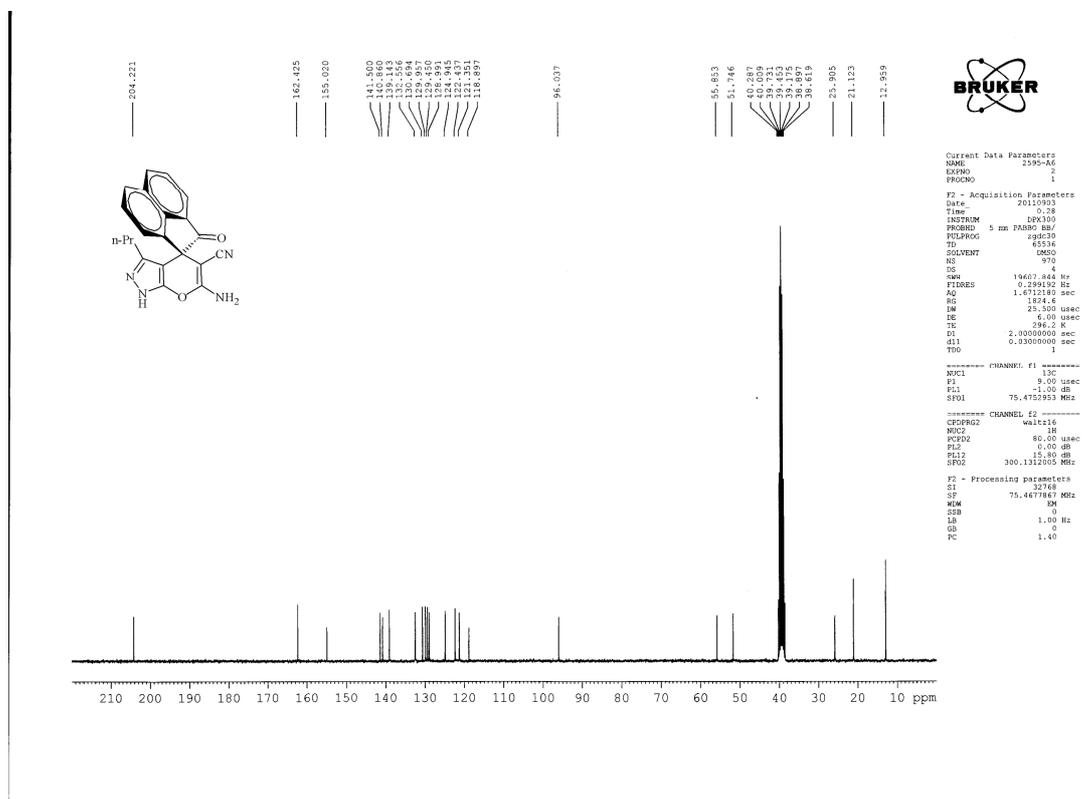




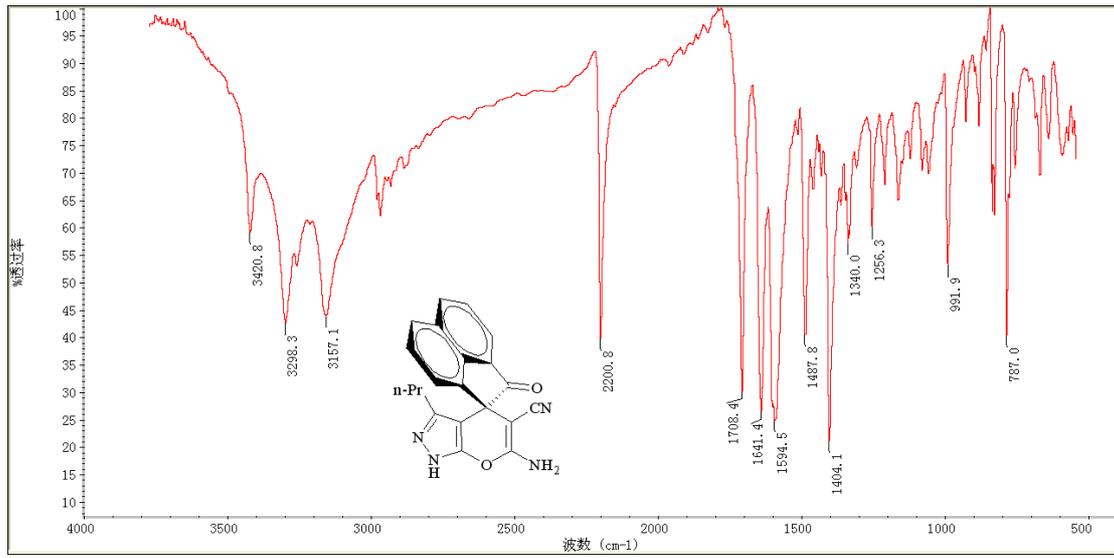
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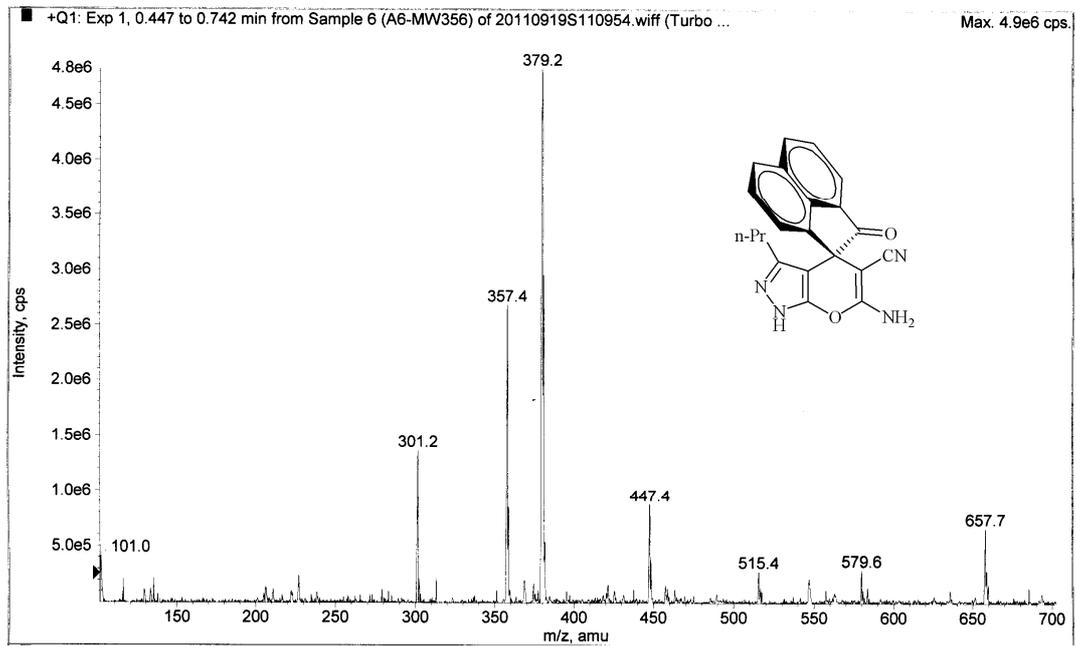
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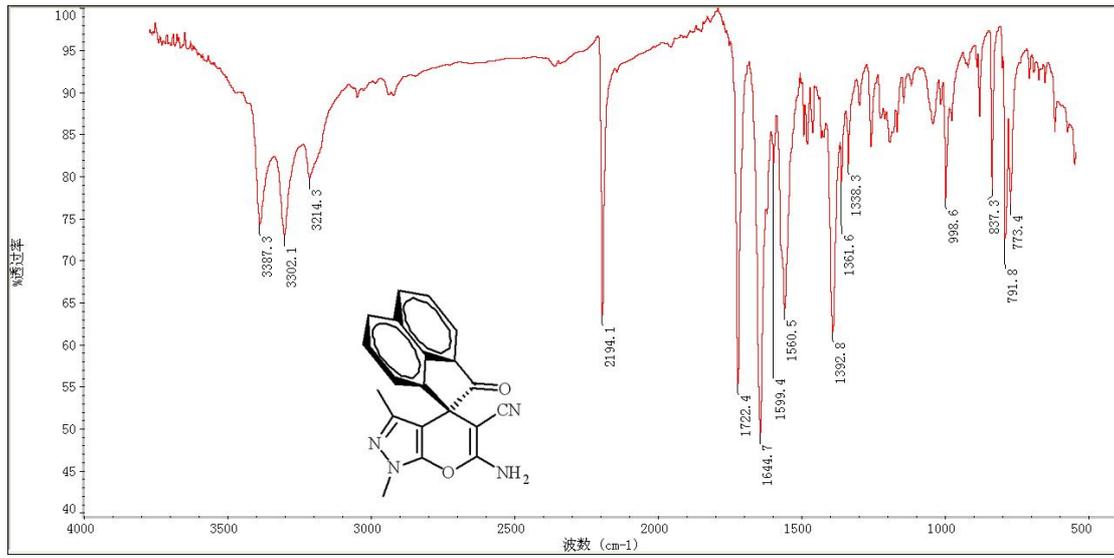


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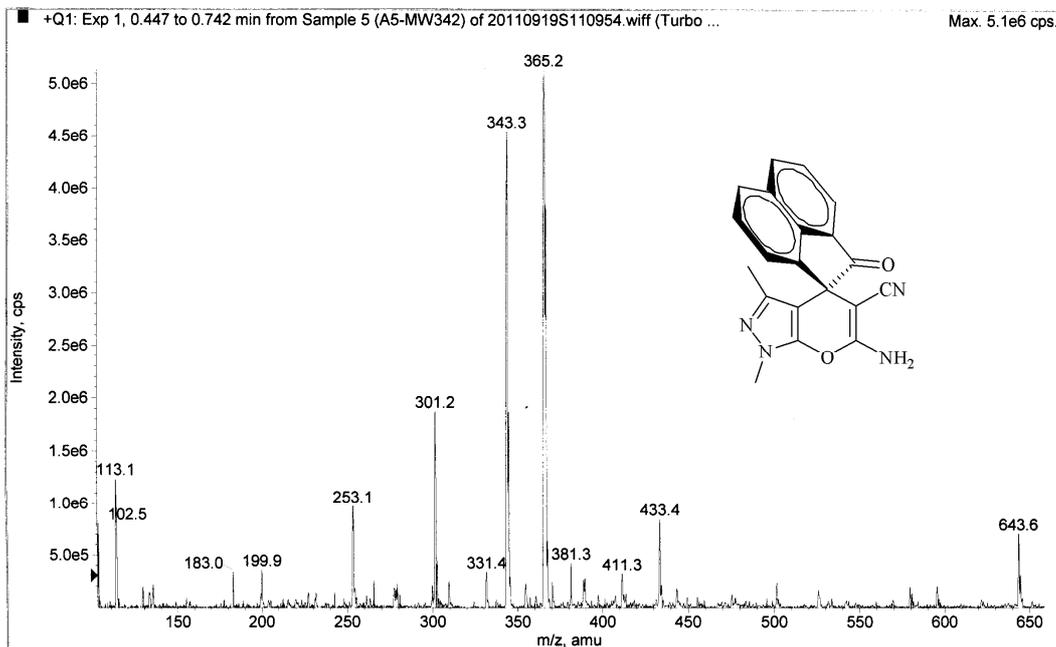




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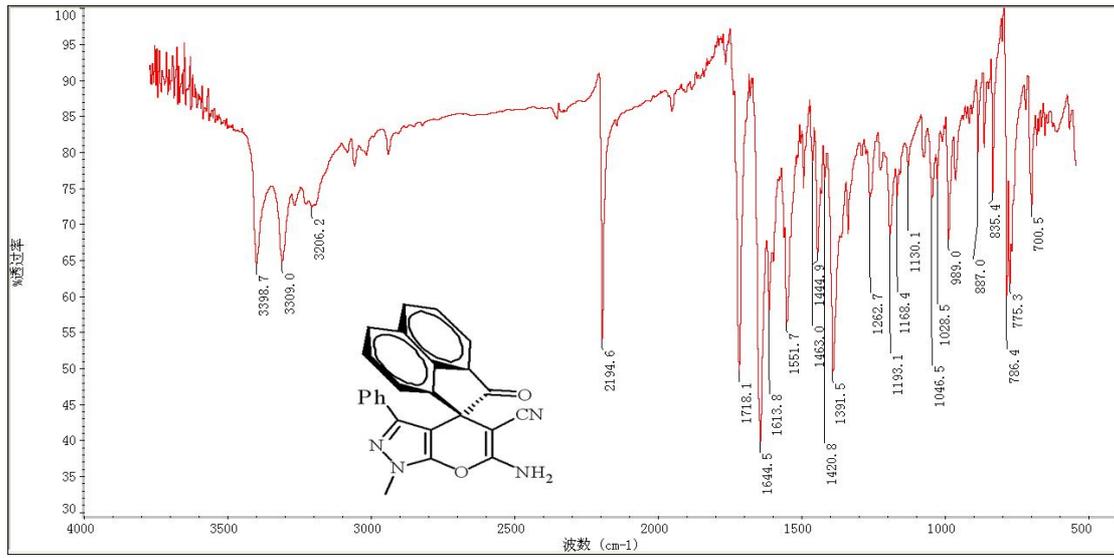


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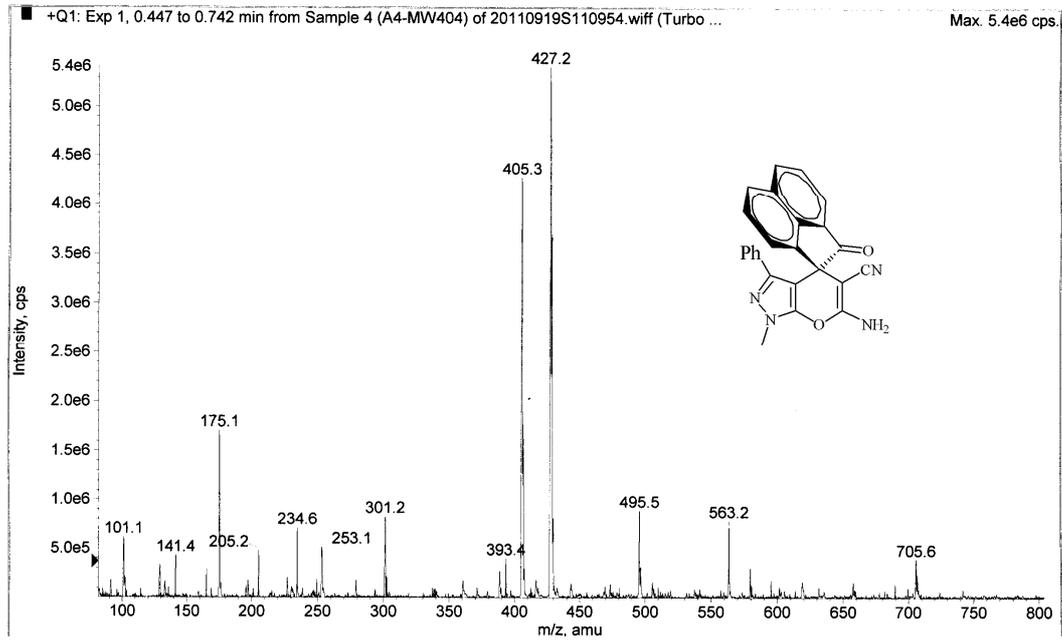




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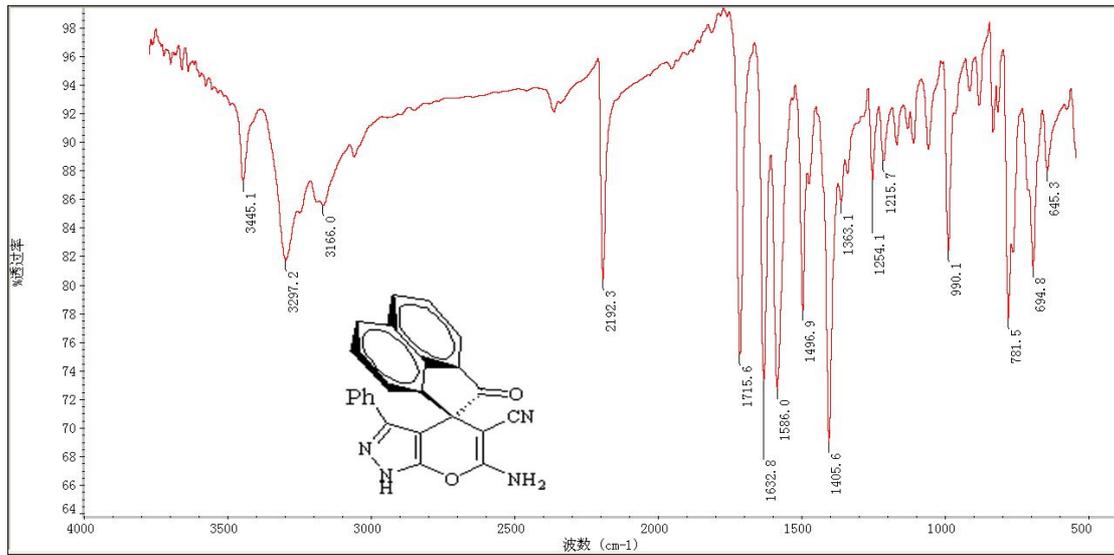


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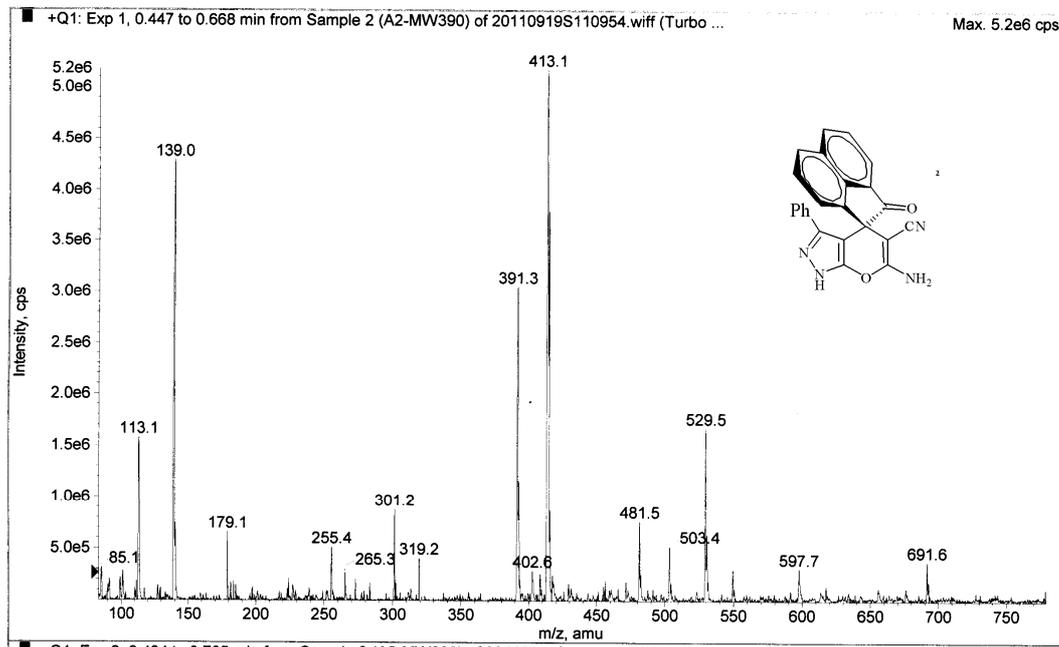




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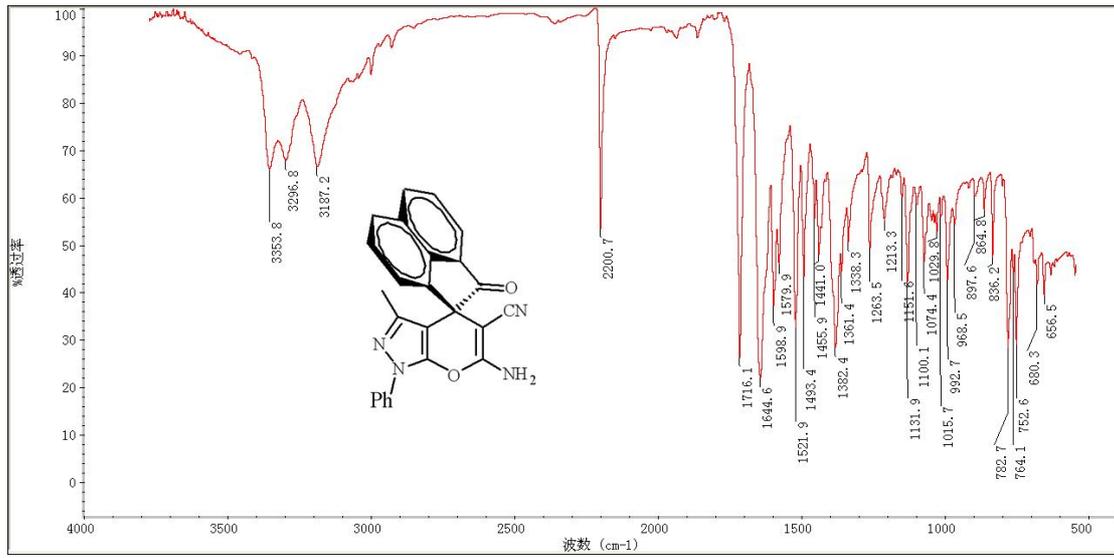


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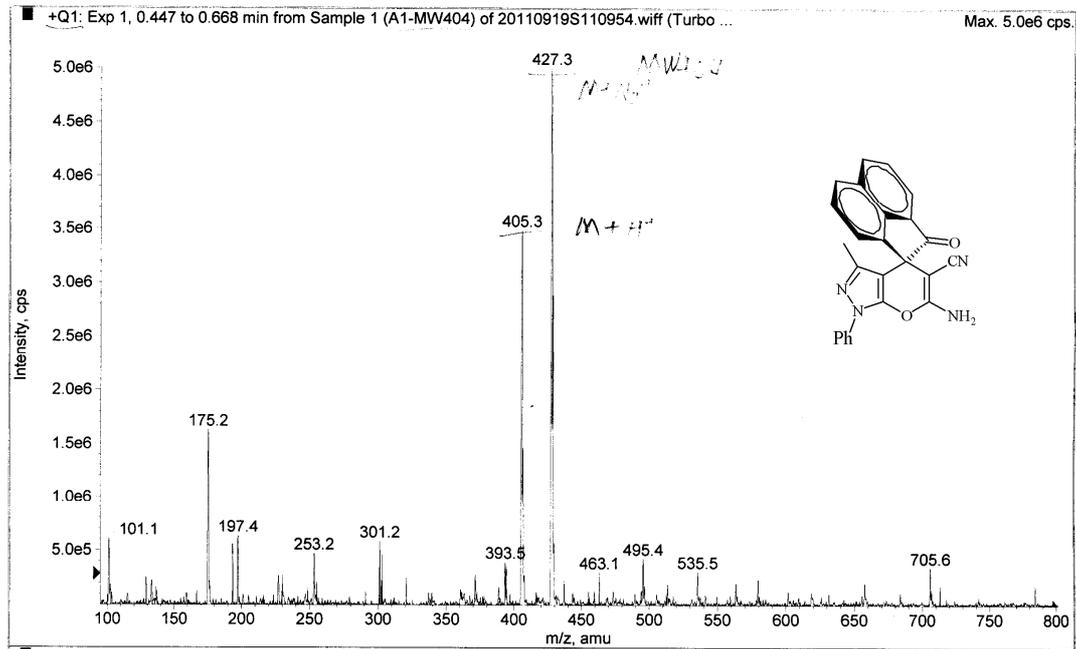




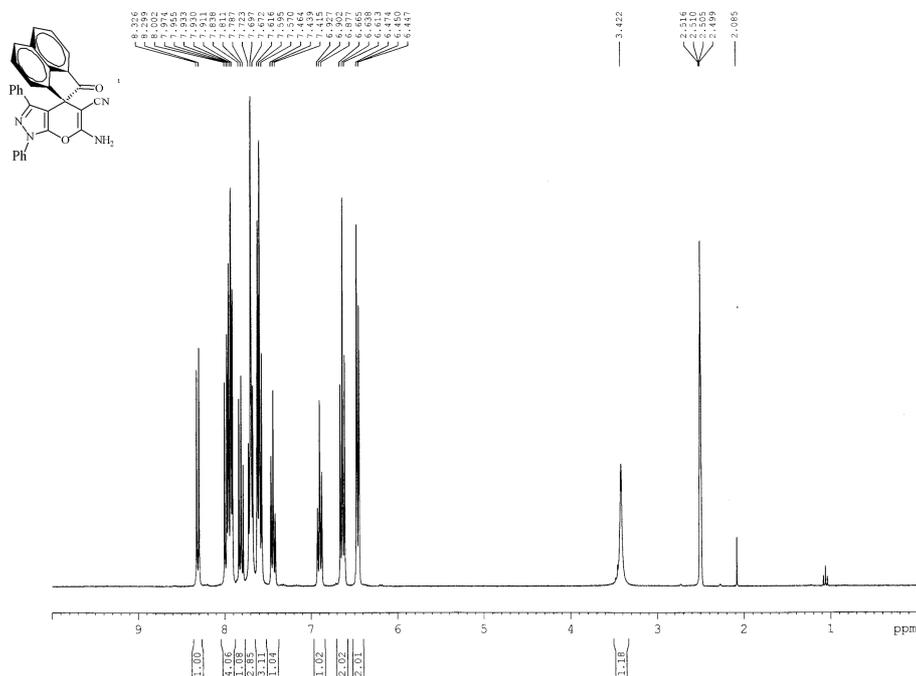
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### MS of 4i



# <sup>1</sup>H NMR of 4j



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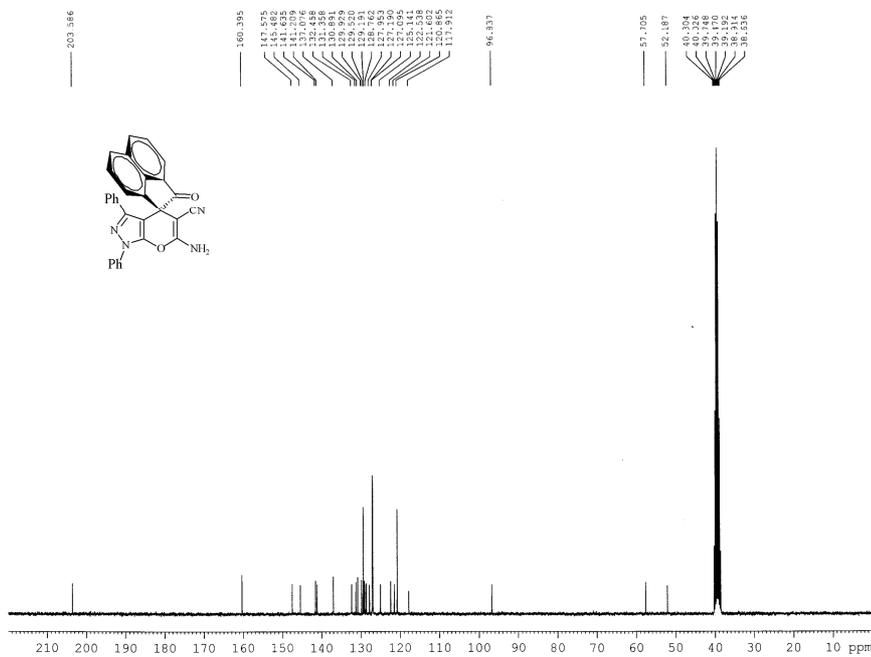
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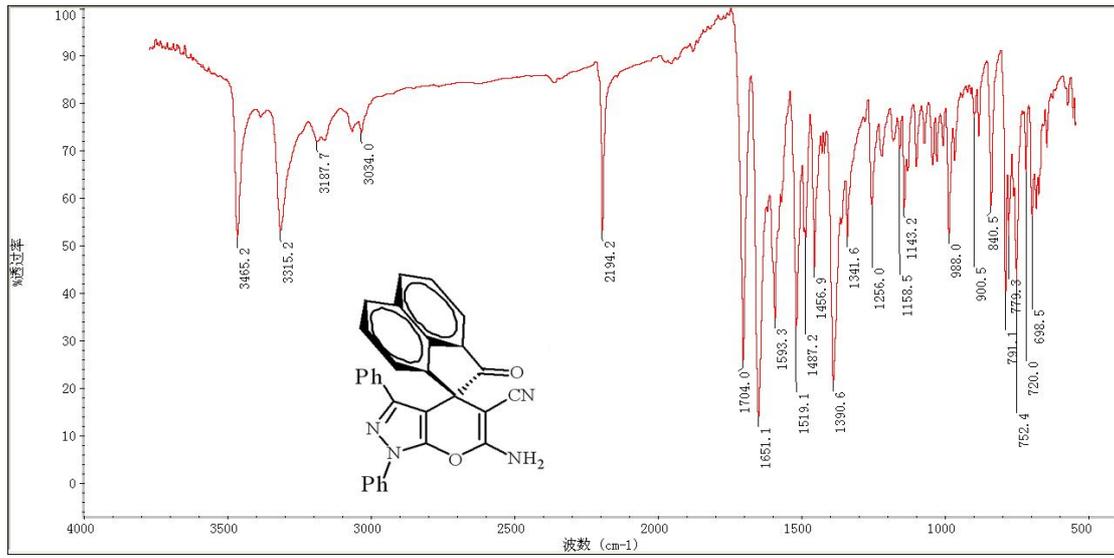
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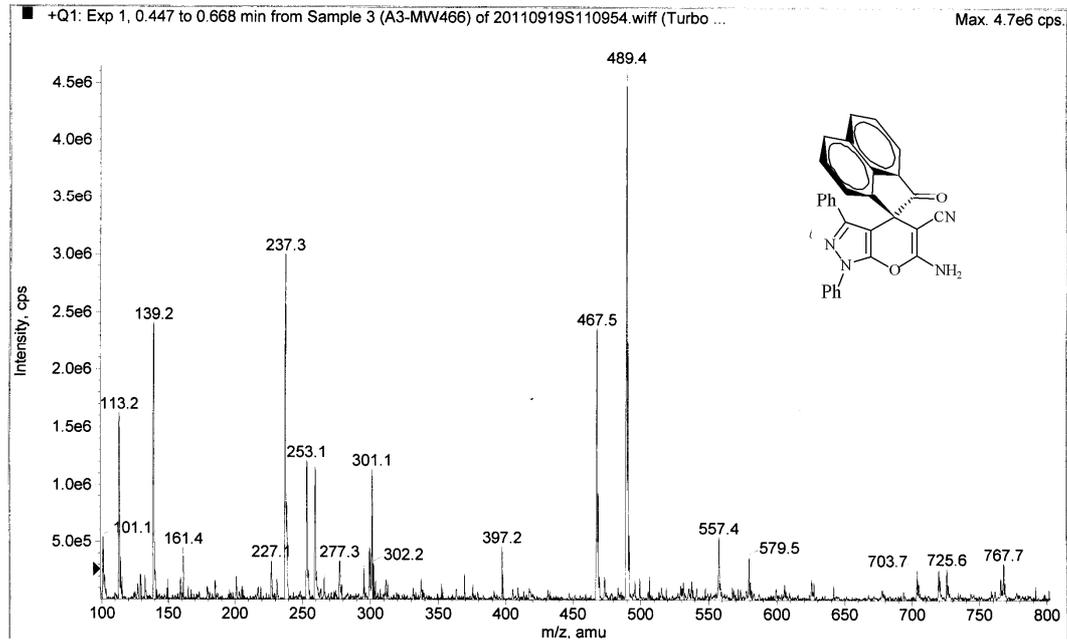
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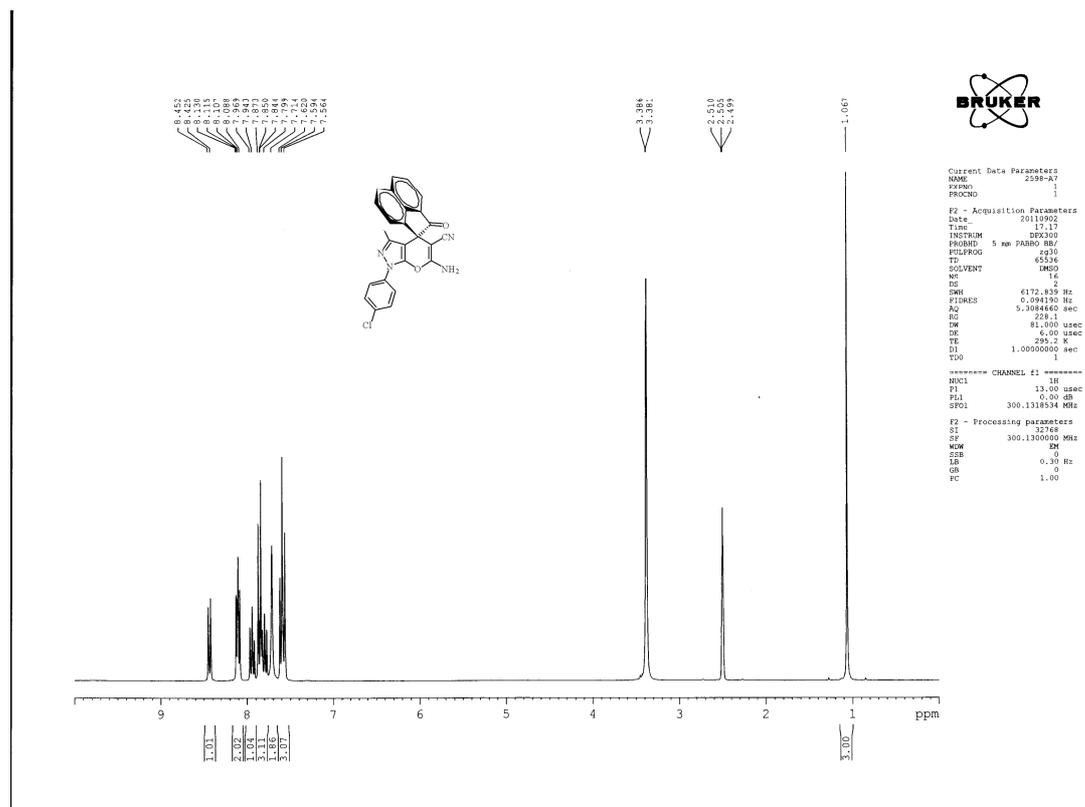
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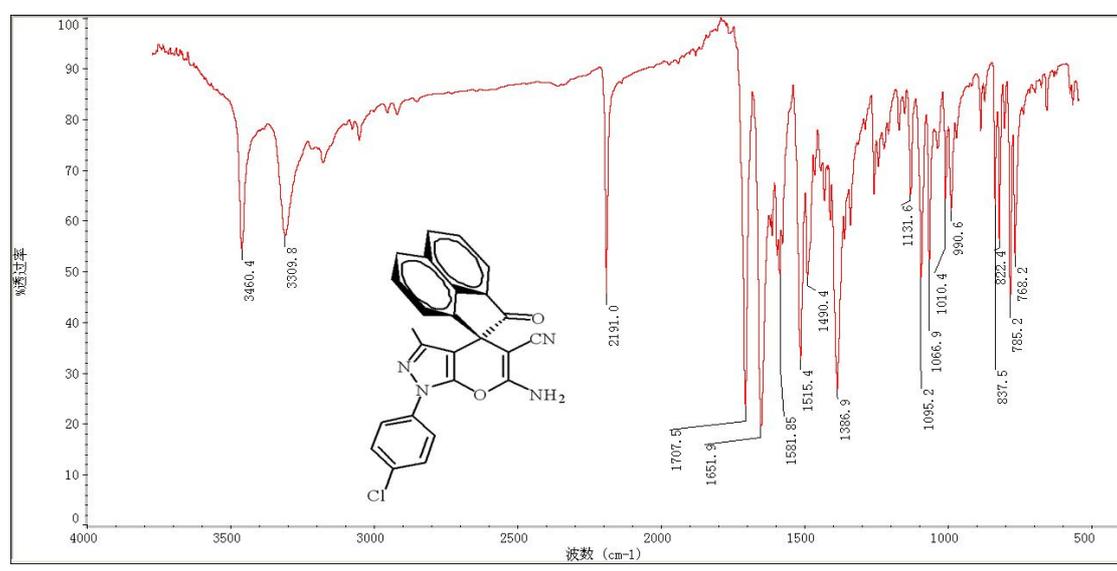
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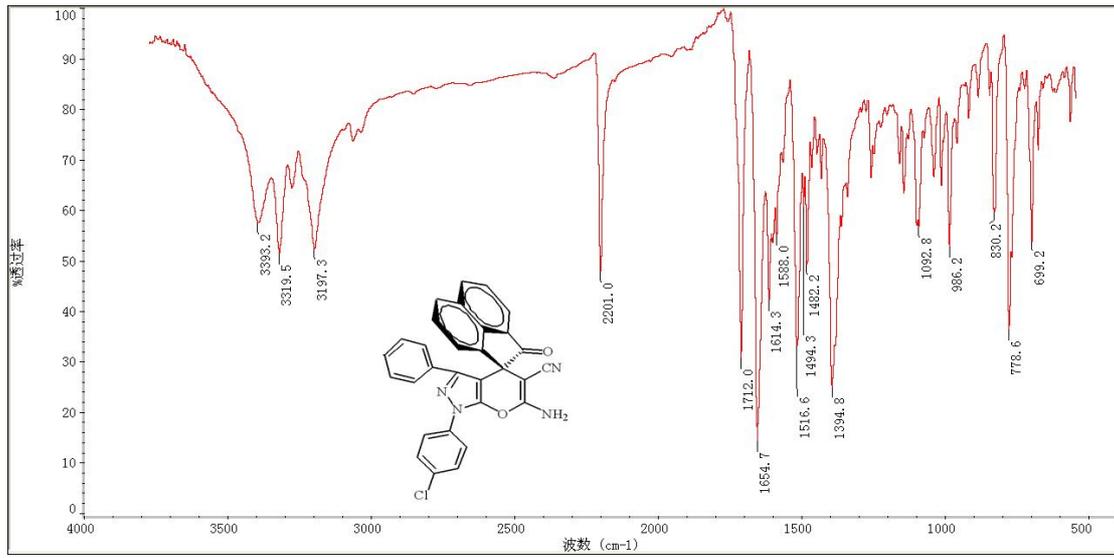


# IR of 4k





## IR of 4I



## MS of 4I

