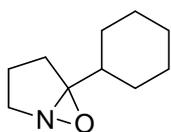


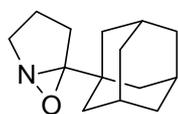
Transformation of cyclic ketimines to oxaziridines and nitrones

Natalia G. Voznesenskaia, Olga I. Shmatova and Valentine G. Nenajdenko



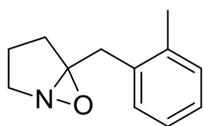
5-Cyclohexyl-6-oxa-1-azabicyclo[3.1.0]hexane (**2b**), 87 %, yellow liquid,

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.00-1.22 (5H, m), 1.49-1.76 (9H, m), 2.10-2.15 (1H, m), 2.72-2.80 (1H, m), 3.28-3.33 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 19.2, 25.6, 25.7, 25.8, 26.0, 27.8, 28.2, 40.4, 55.1 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 92.7 (C_q). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2928, 2853, 1450 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}^+$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$] $^+$ 168.1383, found 168.1381.



5-(Adamantan-1-yl)-6-oxa-1-azabicyclo[3.1.0]hexane (**2c**), 96 %,

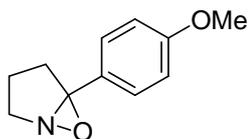
yellowish liquid, ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.50-1.66 (14H, m), 1.63-1.92 (4H, m), 2.08-2.13 (1H, m), 2.69-2.77 (1H, m), 3.30-3.36 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 19.0, 23.8, 27.9, 34.1, 36.7, 37.6, 55.2 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 94.8 (C_q). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2905, 2848, 1454, 1354 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}^+$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$] $^+$ 220.1696, found 220.1692.



5-(2-Methylbenzyl)-6-oxa-1-azabicyclo[3.1.0]hexane (**2d**), 82 %, brown

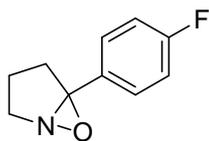
liquid, ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.54-1.79 (3H, m), 2.18 (1H, dd, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 14.0$ Hz, $^3J_{\text{H,H}} = 7.5$ Hz), 2.37 (3H, c), 2.87-2.95 (1H, m), 3.16 (1H, d, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 14.6$ Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{-Ar}$), 3.21 (1H, d, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 14.6$ Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{-Ar}$), 3.41-3.46 (1H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 7.16-7.24 (4H, m, Ar-H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 19.5, 19.9, 28.2, 36.3, 55.3 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 90.3 (C_q), 125.8 (Ar), 128.9 (Ar), 130.2

(Ar), 130.3 (Ar), 134.3 (C_q-Ar), 136.7 (C_q-Ar). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2962, 1496, 1459, 1362, 743 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₂H₁₆NO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 190.1227, found 190.1225.



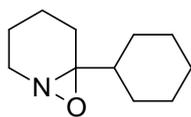
5-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-6-oxa-1-azabicyclo[3.1.0]hexane (**2f**), 76 %,

colorless liquid, ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.72-1.80 (2H, m), 2.27-2.35 (1H, m), 2.62 (1H, dd, ²J_{H,H} = 14.3 Hz, ³J_{H,H} = 7.6 Hz), 3.00-3.08 (1H, m), 3.48-3.53 (1H, m, CH₂-N), 3.78 (3H, s, OCH₃), 6.87-6.89 (2H, m, Ar-H), 7.41-7.44 (2H, m, Ar-H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 19.5, 27.7, 55.1, 55.5, 87.6 (C_q), 113.5 (Ar), 127.1 (C_q-Ar), 128.5, 160.2 (C_q-Ar). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2962, 1614, 1519, 1358, 1253, 1175, 1031 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₁H₁₄NO₂⁺ [M+H]⁺ 192.1020, found 192.1019.



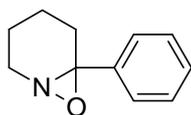
5-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6-oxa-1-azabicyclo[3.1.0]hexane (**2g**), 93 %, pink

liquid, ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.74-1.84 (2H, m), 2.27-2.35 (1H, m), 2.60-2.65 (1H, m), 3.04-3.10 (1H, m), 3.48-3.54 (1H, m, CH₂-N), 7.03 (2H, t, ³J_{H,H} = 8.70 Hz, Ar-H), 7.46-7.49 (2H, m, Ar-H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 19.6, 27.8, 55.6 (CH₂-N), 87.3 (C_q), 115.2 (d, ²J_{C,F} = 21.8 Hz, Ar), 129.2 (d, ³J_{C,F} = 8.5 Hz, Ar), 131.1 (d, ⁴J_{C,F} = 3.3 Hz, C_q-Ar), 163.2 (d, ¹J_{C,F} = 248.4 Hz, C_q-F). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -112.1-(-112.0) (Ar-F). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2965, 1610, 1515, 1357, 1226, 1158, 845 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₀H₁₁FNO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 180.0820, found 180.0819.



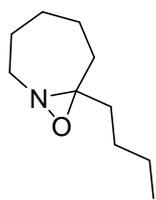
6-Cyclohexyl-7-oxa-1-azabicyclo[4.1.0]heptane (**2h**), 77 %, yellow

liquid, ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.97-1.24 (8H, m), 1.42-1.67 (7H, m), 1.87-2.00 (2H, m), 3.13-3.34 (2H, m, CH₂-N). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 17.3, 19.1, 23.0, 25.6, 25.7, 26.2, 26.6, 27.3, 46.3, 51.2 (CH₂-N), 83.6 (C_q). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2928, 2853, 1449 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₁H₂₀NO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 182.1540, found 182.1539.



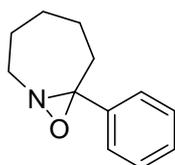
6-Phenyl-7-oxa-1-azabicyclo[4.1.0]heptane (2i), 76 %, yellow liquid, ^1H

NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.41-1.79 (4H, m), 2.46-2.58 (2H, m), 3.43-3.61 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 7.32-7.40 (3H, m, Ar-H), 7.49-7.51 (2H, m, Ar-H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 17.0, 19.4, 26.4, 50.9 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 79.8 (C_q), 125.9 (Ph), 128.1 (Ph), 128.5 (Ph), 140.0 ($\text{C}_q\text{-Ar}$). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2941, 1448, 1370, 758, 732, 697 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{14}\text{NO}^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 176.1070, found 176.1068.



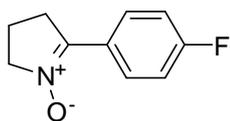
7-Butyl-8-oxa-1-azabicyclo[5.1.0]octane (2j), 77 %, yellow liquid, ^1H NMR

(400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 0.81-0.84 (3H, t, $^3J_{\text{H,H}} = 7.0$ Hz, CH_3), 1.19-1.33 (5H, m), 1.42-1.52 (3H, m), 1.67-1.81 (5H, m), 2.13 (1H, dd, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 14.4$ Hz, $^3J_{\text{H,H}} = 7.8$ Hz), 2.64 (1H, t, $J_{\text{H,H}} = 11.5$ Hz), 3.46 (1H, dd, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 11.6$ Hz, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 7.1$ Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 13.8, 22.7, 24.1, 24.6, 25.5, 29.8, 30.5, 36.0, 55.6 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 85.1 (C_q). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2930, 1455, 1385 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 170.1540, found 170.1541.



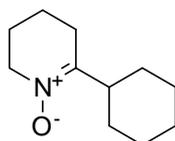
7-Phenyl-8-oxa-1-azabicyclo[5.1.0]octane (2k), 85 %, yellow liquid, ^1H

NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.39-1.48 (1H, m), 1.57-1.74 (2H, m), 1.86-1.90 (3H, m), 2.08-2.14 (1H, m), 2.76-2.92 (2H, m), 3.74 (1H, dd, $^2J_{\text{H,H}} = 11.6$ Hz, $^3J_{\text{H,H}} = 6.8$ Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$) 7.32-7.40 (3H, m, Ar-H), 7.53-7.55 (2H, m, Ar-H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 24.0, 24.7, 29.9, 30.6, 56.0 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 83.4 (C_q), 126.9 (Ph), 128.0 (Ph), 128.3 (Ph), 139.1 ($\text{C}_q\text{-Ar}$). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2928, 1447, 1329, 753, 694 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 190.1227, found 190.1224.



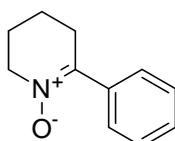
5-(4-Fluorophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyrrole 1-oxide (**3g**), 99 %,

yellowish solid, m.p. 92-93°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.03-2.11 (2H, m), 2.99-3.02 (2H, m), 4.08 (2H, t, *J*_{H,H} = 8.0 Hz, CH₂-N), 6.95-7.00 (2H, m, Ar-H), 8.23-8.27 (2H, m, Ar-H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 16.1, 30.5, 64.5 (CH₂-N), 115.0 (d, ²*J*_{C,F} = 21.4 Hz, Ar), 125.4 (d, ⁴*J*_{C,F} = 3.0 Hz, C_q-Ar), 129.1 (d, ³*J*_{C,F} = 8.1 Hz, Ar), 138.9 (C=N⁺), 162.8 (d, ¹*J*_{C,F} = 252.1 Hz, C_q-Ar). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -108.6-(-108.5) (Ar-F). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2959, 1560, 1500, 1373, 1211, 835 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₀H₁₁FNO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 180.0820, found 162.0819.



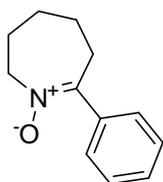
6-Cyclohexyl-2,3,4,5-tetrahydropyridine 1-oxide (**3h**), 47 %, yellowish

liquid, ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.03-1.17 (3H, m), 1.27-1.37 (2H, m), 1.61-1.71 (7H, m), 2.27 (2H, t, ³*J* = 6.3 Hz), 3.35 (1H, t, ²*J* = 12.3 Hz), 3.72 (2H, t, ³*J*_{H,H} = 6.2 Hz, CH₂-N). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 18.4, 22.6, 24.6, 25.6, 25.8, 27.6, 37.9, 58.0 (CH₂-N), 153.0 (C=N⁺). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 3389 (bs), 2927, 2852, 1660, 1448, 1154 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₁H₂₀NO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 182.1539, found 182.1539.



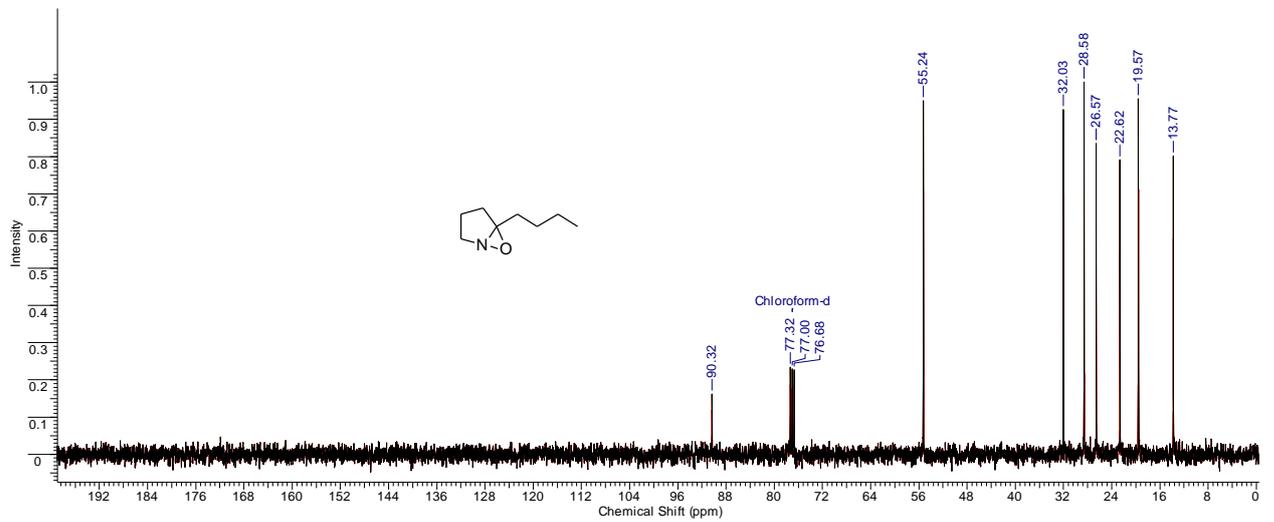
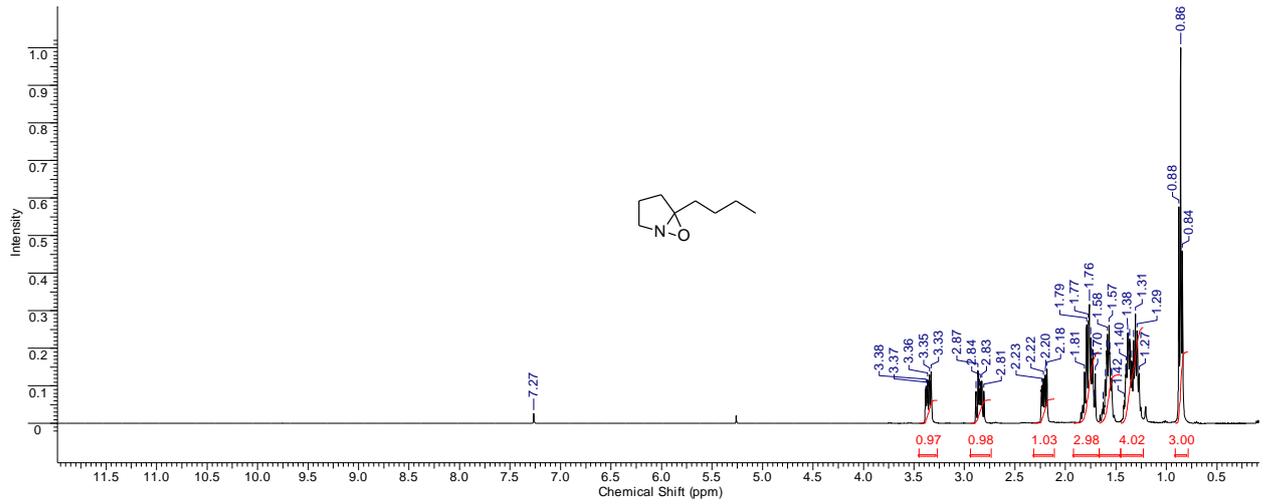
6-Phenyl-2,3,4,5-tetrahydropyridine 1-oxide (**3i**), 99 %, colorless liquid,

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.71-1.77 (2H, m), 1.87-1.93 (2H, m), 2.67 (2H, t, *J*_{H,H} = 6.4 Hz), 3.88 (2H, t, ³*J*_{H,H} = 6.2 Hz, CH₂-N), 7.22-7.32 (3H, Ar-H), 7.91-7.93 (2H, Ar-H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 18.7, 22.7, 28.8, 59.9 (CH₂-N), 127.5 (Ar), 127.6 (Ar), 128.9 (Ar), 133.5 (C_q-Ar), 141.8 (C=N⁺). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 3387 (bs), 2947, 2866, 1681, 1576, 1441, 1194, 1165, 762, 693 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI): calcd. for C₁₁H₁₄NO⁺ [M+H]⁺ 176.1070, found 176.1069.

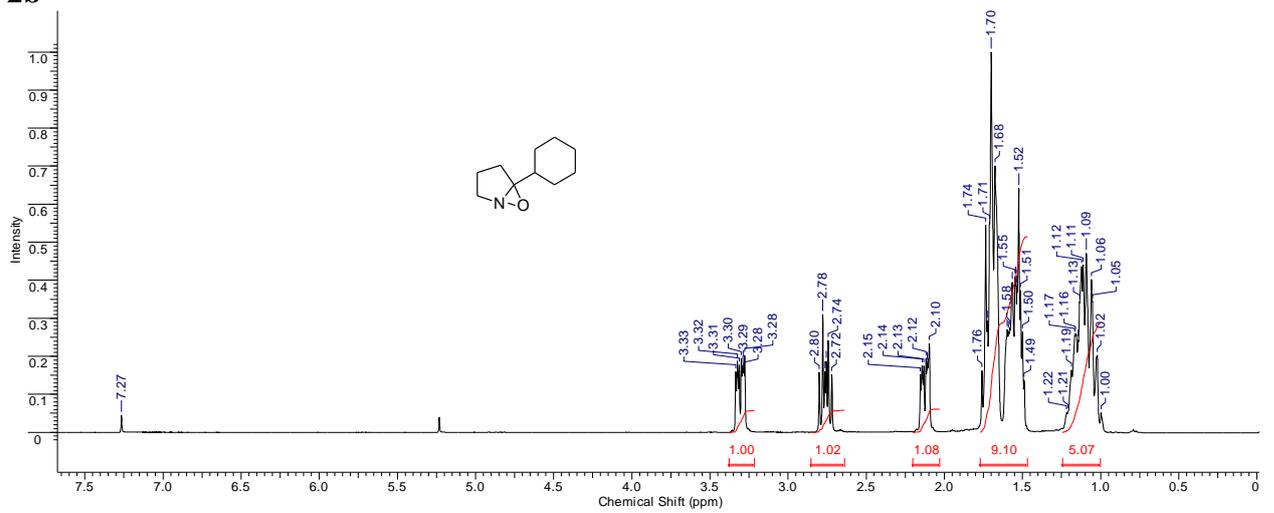


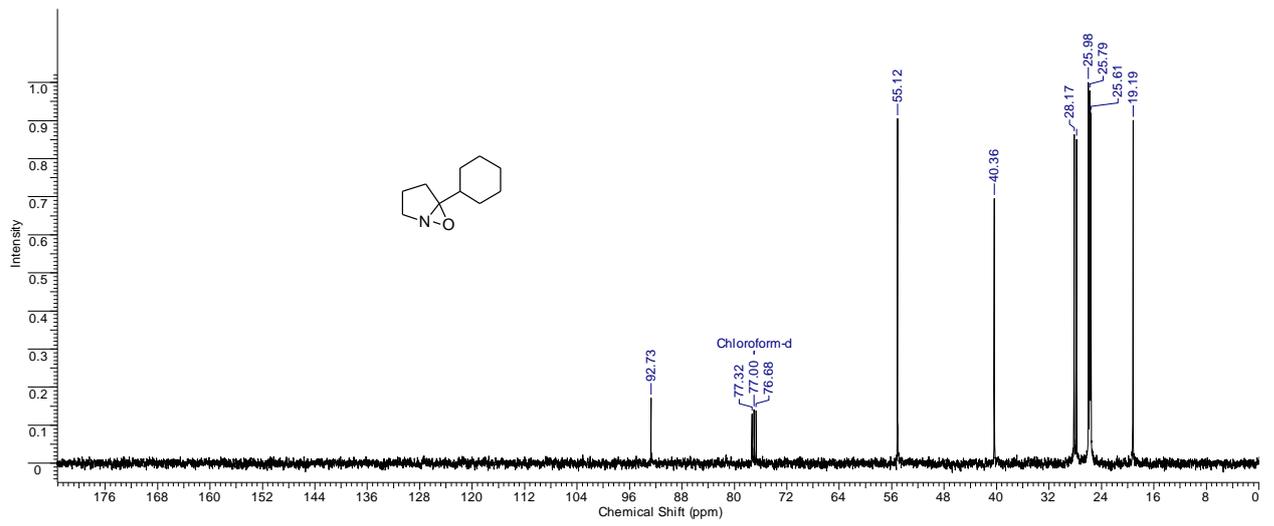
7-Phenyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-2H-azepine 1-oxide (3k), 99 %, yellow oil liquid, ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 1.80-1.97 (6H, m), 2.84-2.86 (2H, m), 4.29-4.32 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 7.30-7.41 (3H, m, Ar-H), 7.87-7.89 (2H, m, Ar-H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 24.6, 25.1, 29.5, 32.5, 67.5 ($\text{CH}_2\text{-N}$), 127.9 (Ph), 128.2 (Ph), 128.9 (Ph), 134.6 ($\text{C}_q\text{-Ar}$), 144.8 ($\text{C}=\text{N}^+$). IR (ATR, ZnSe): 2929, 2855, 1738, 1545, 1442, 1181, 764, 694 cm^{-1} . HRMS (ESI): calcd. for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 190.1227, found 190.1227.

2a

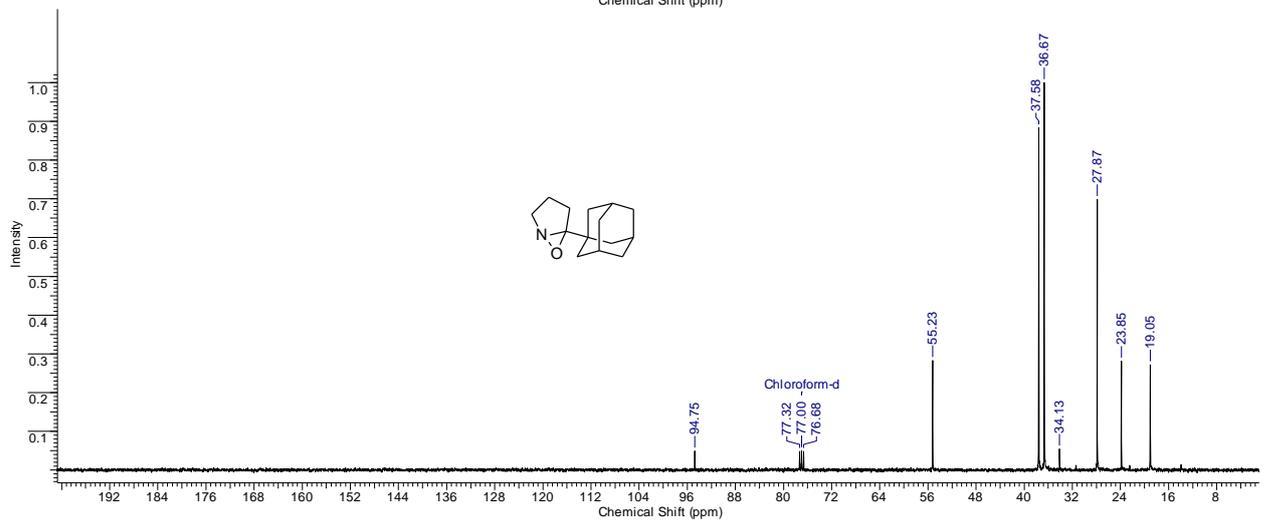
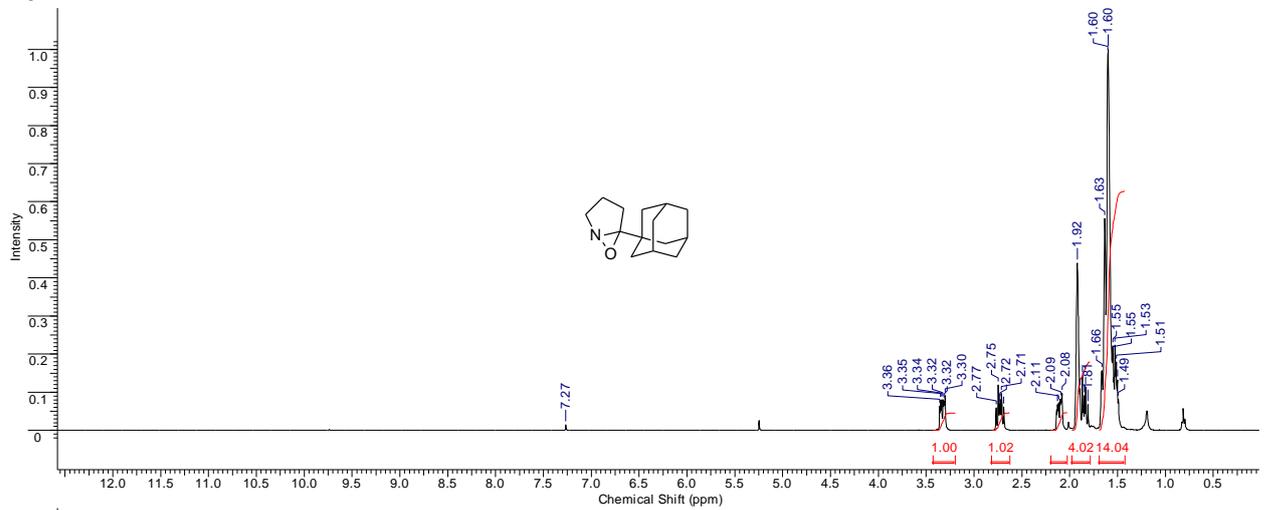


2b

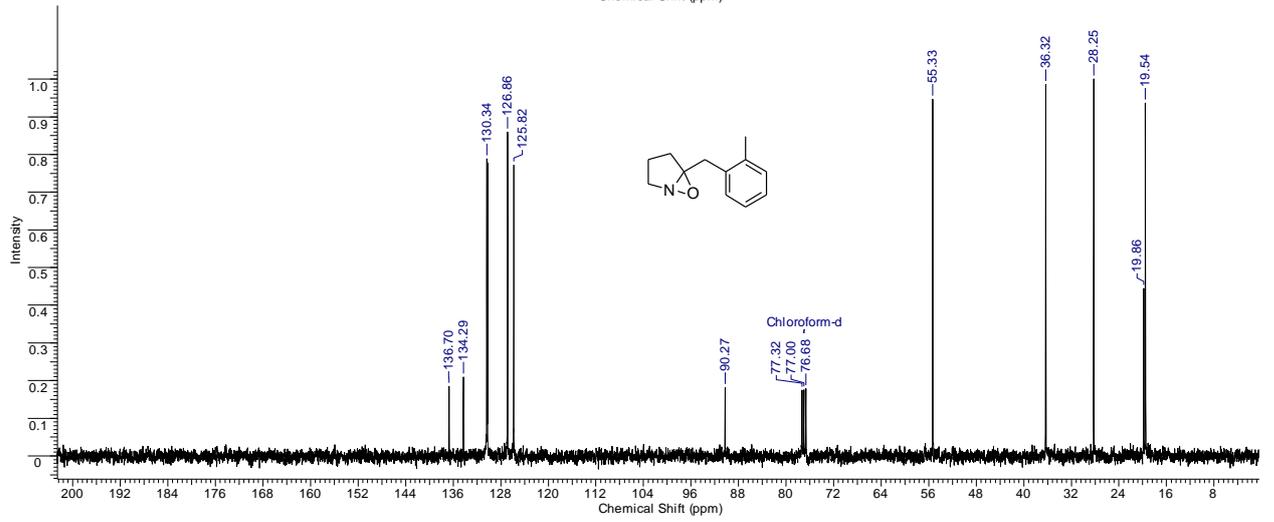
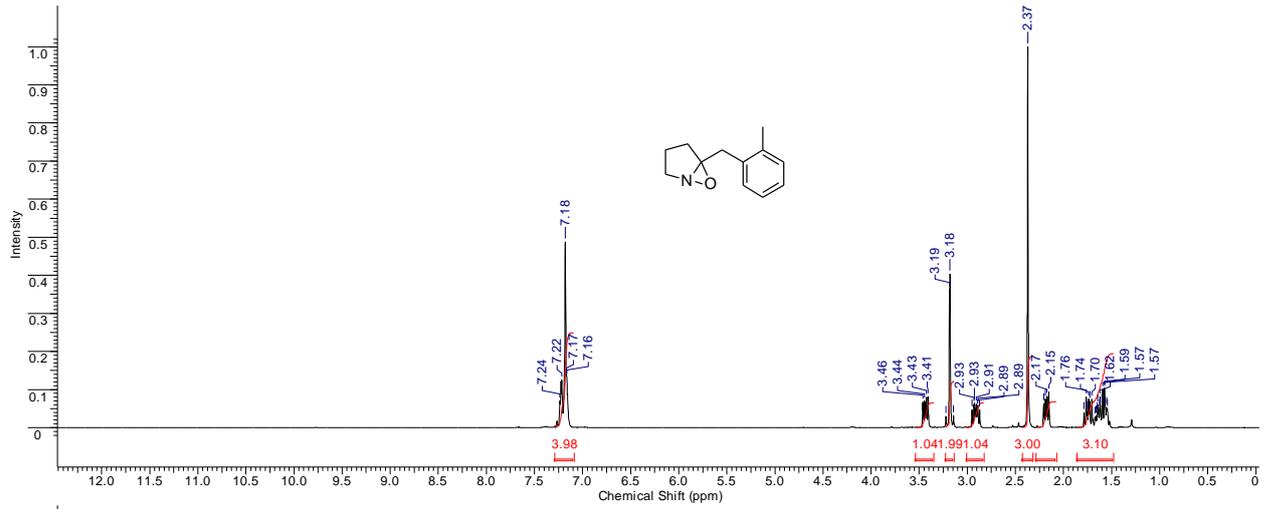




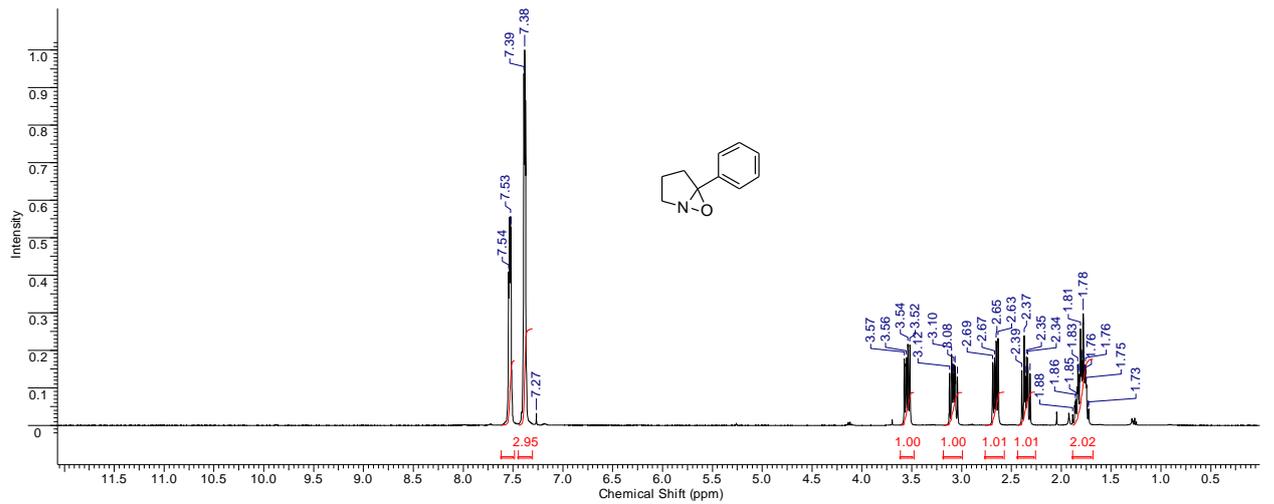
2c

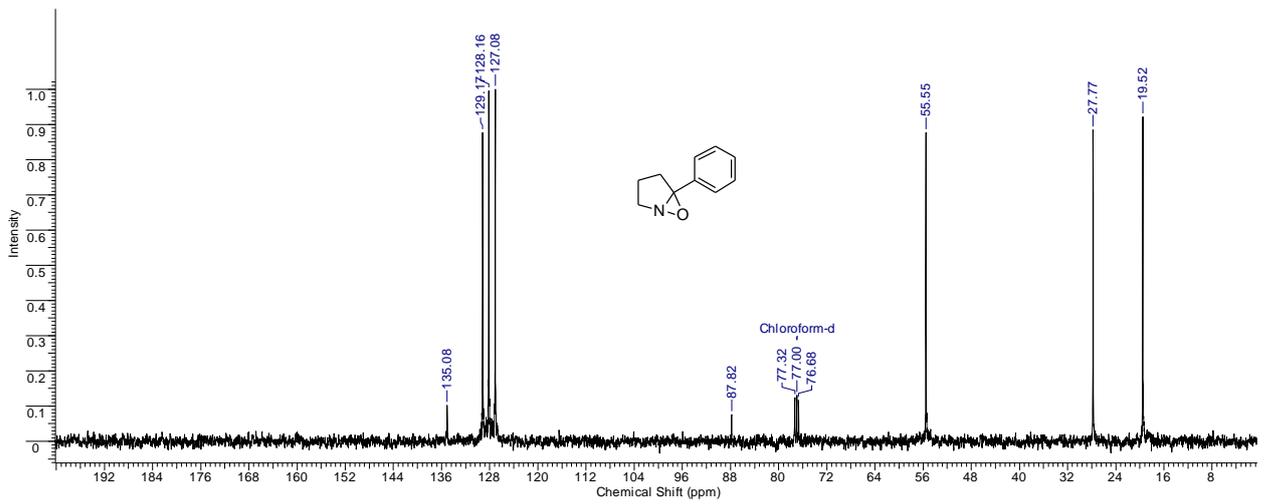


2d

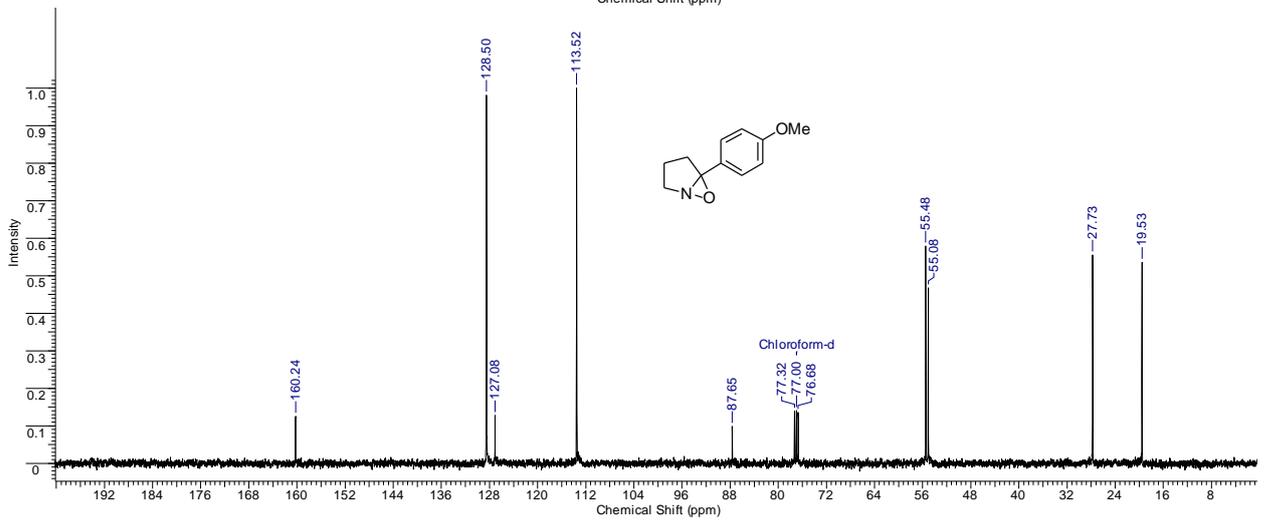
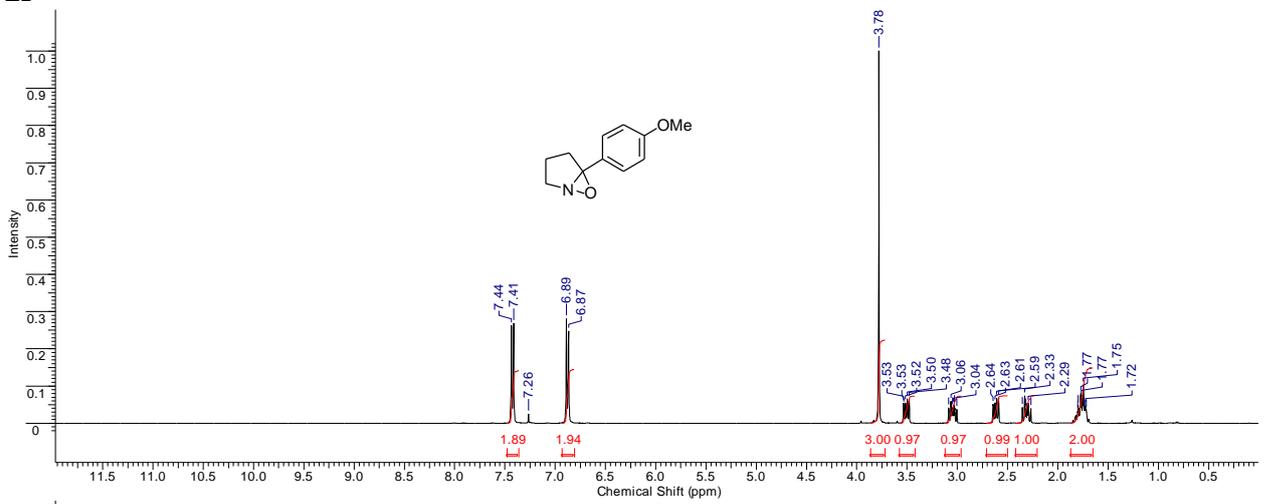


2e

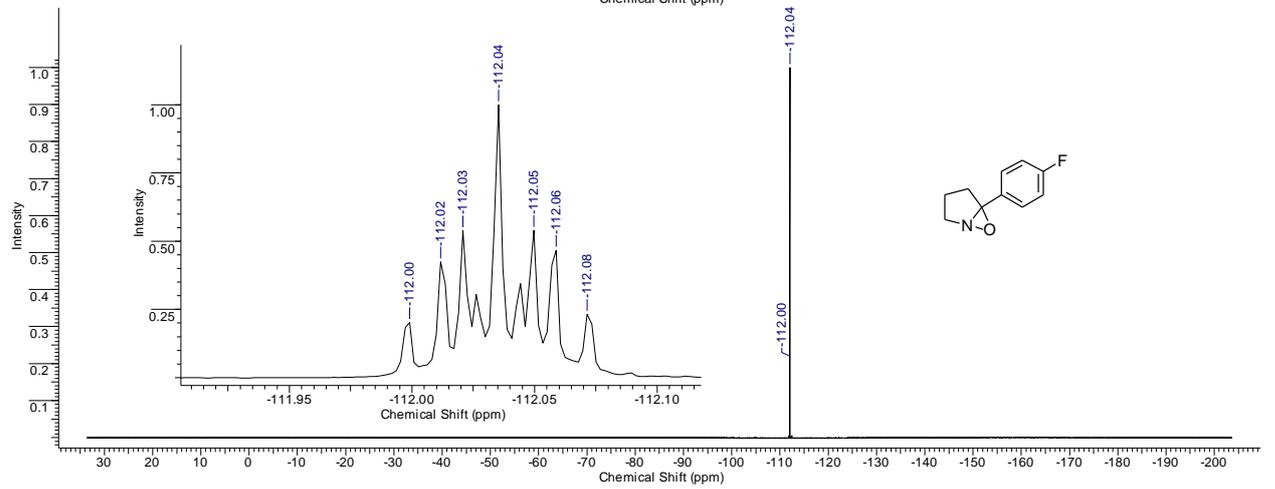
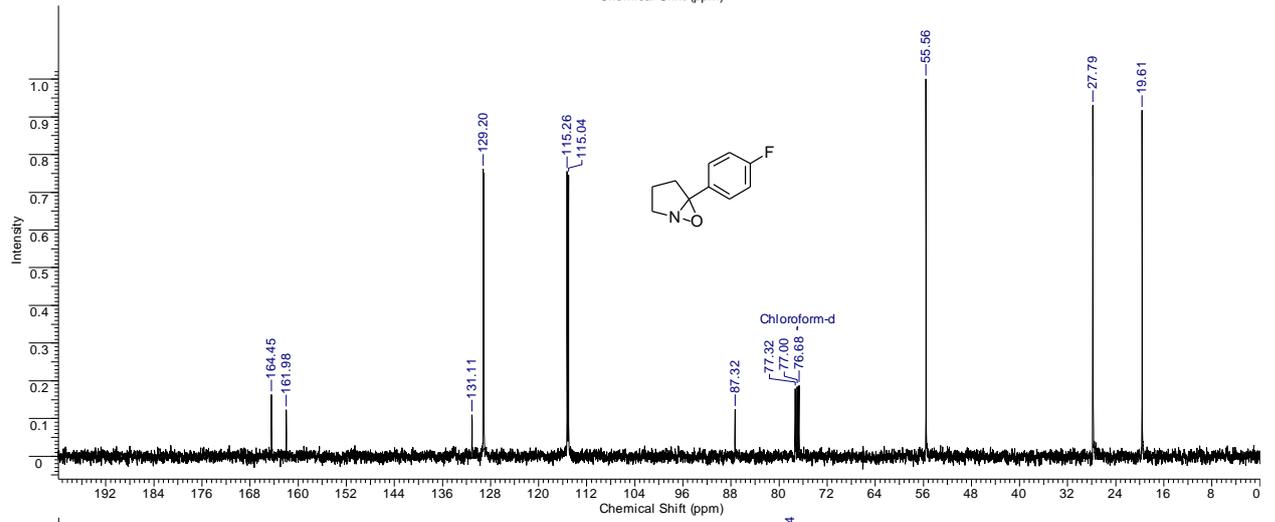
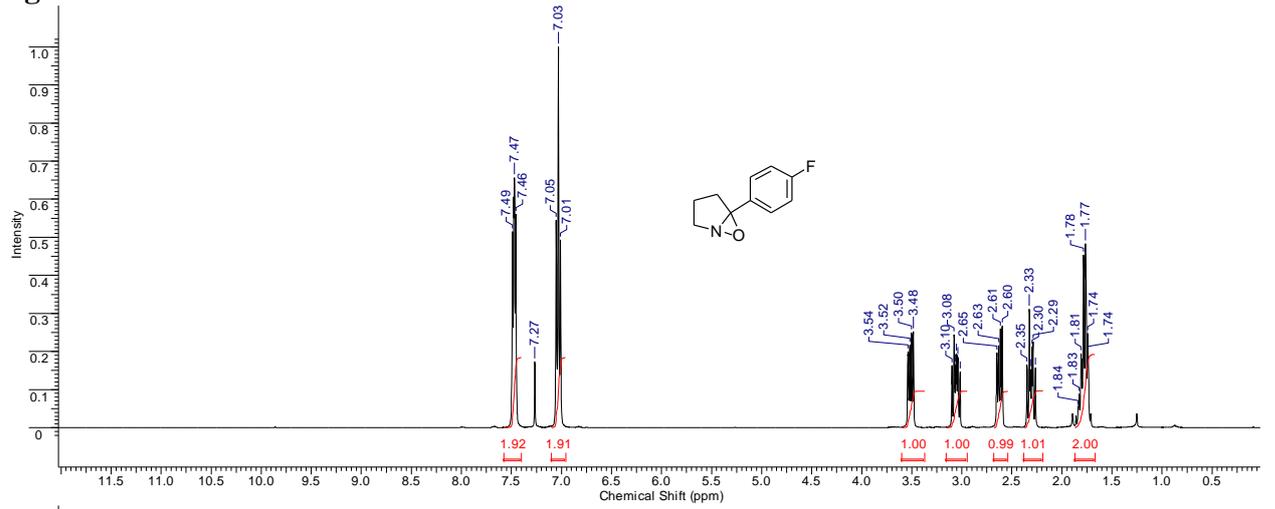




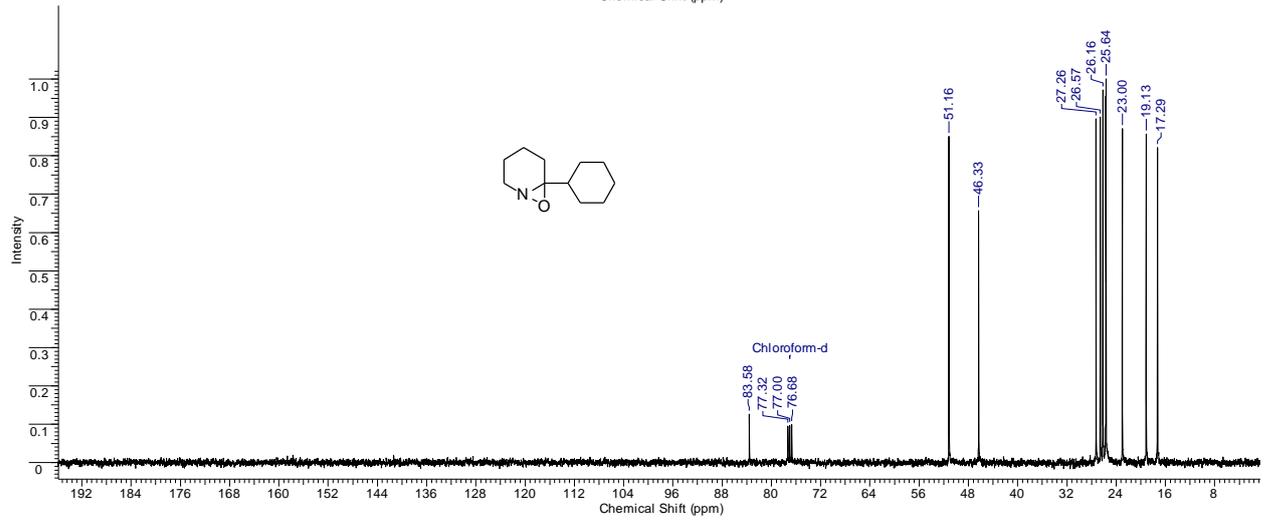
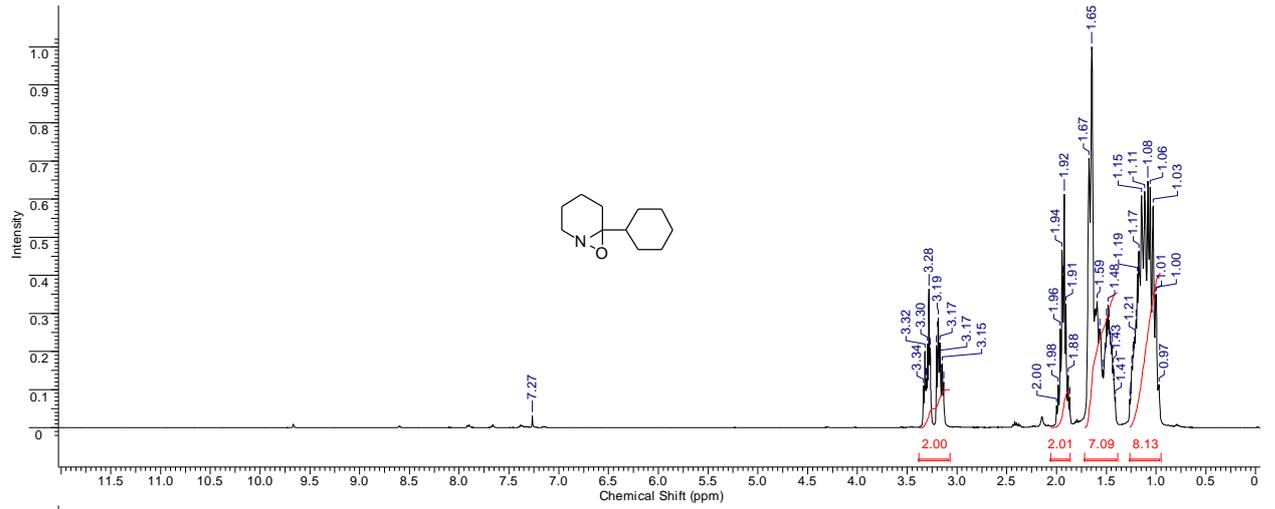
2f



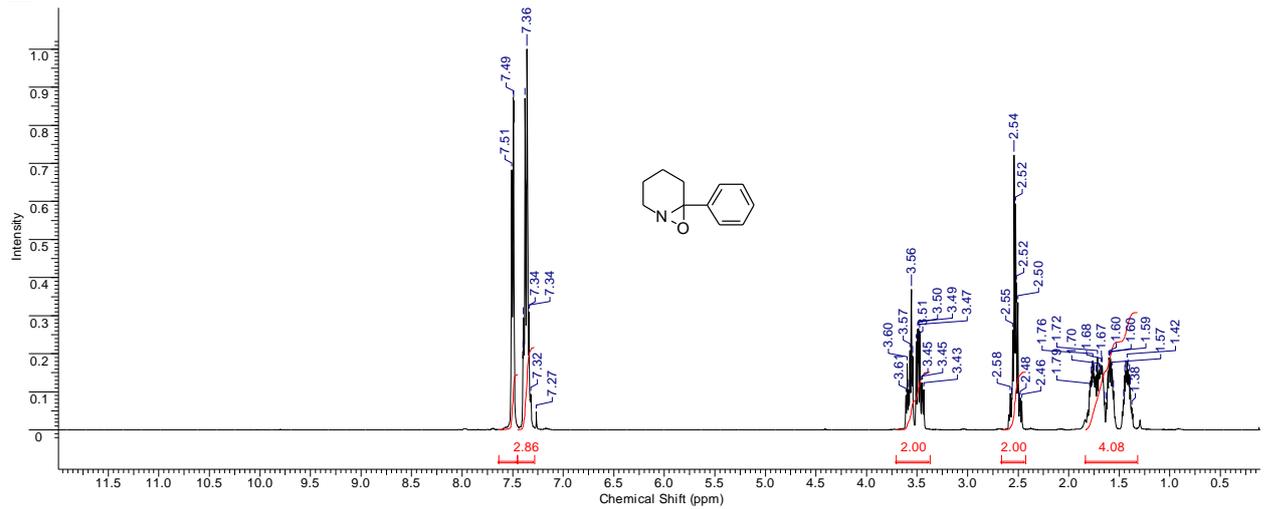
2g

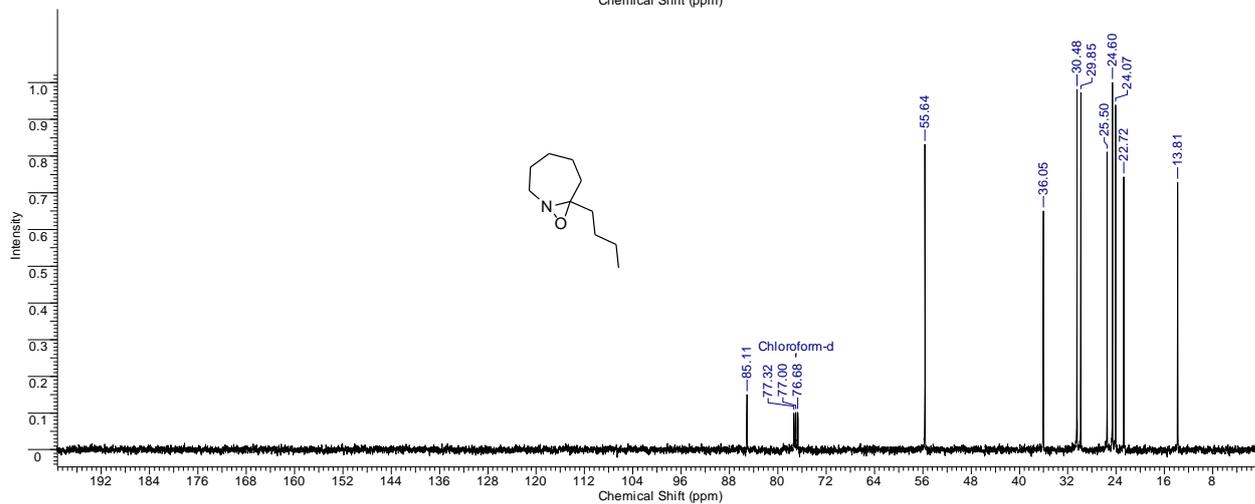
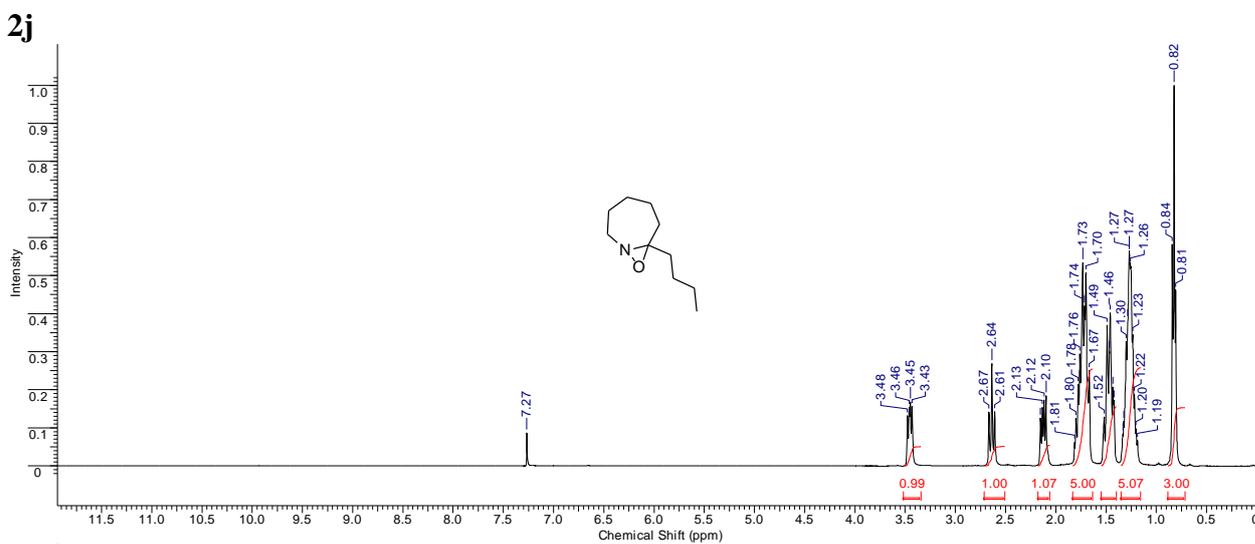
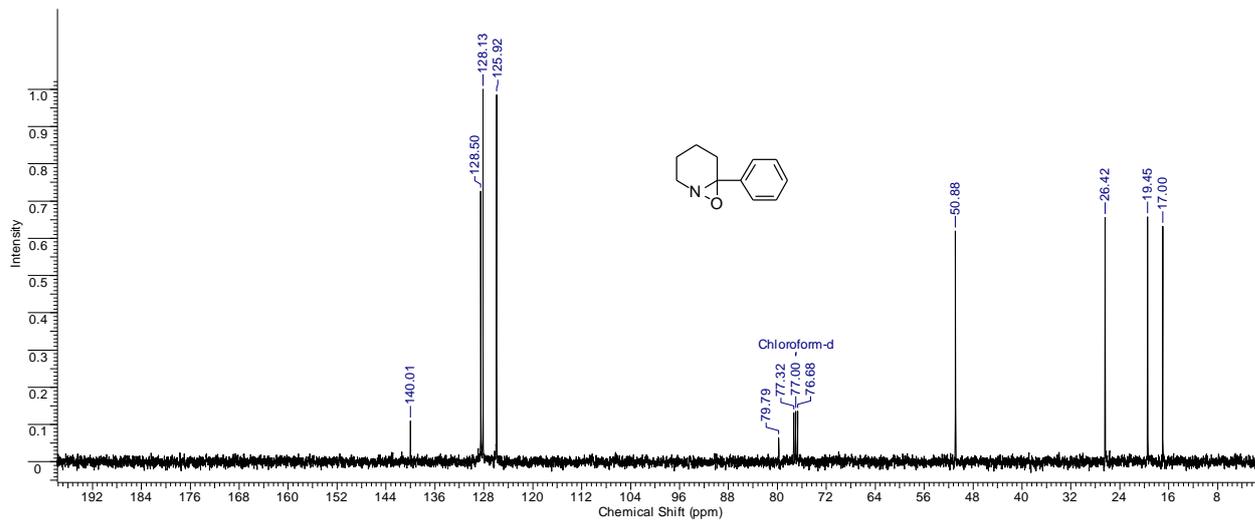


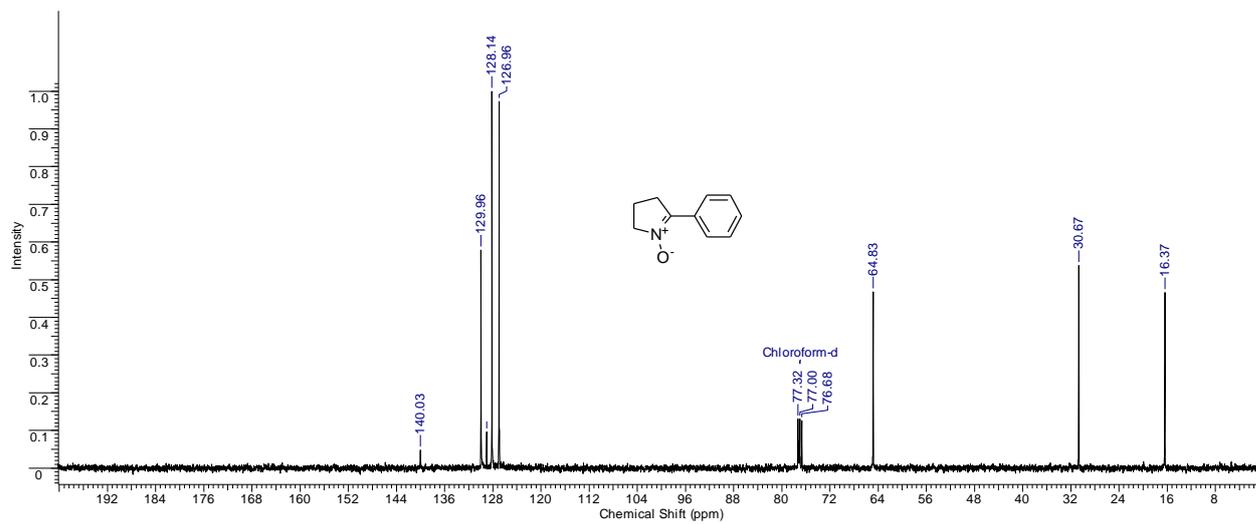
2h



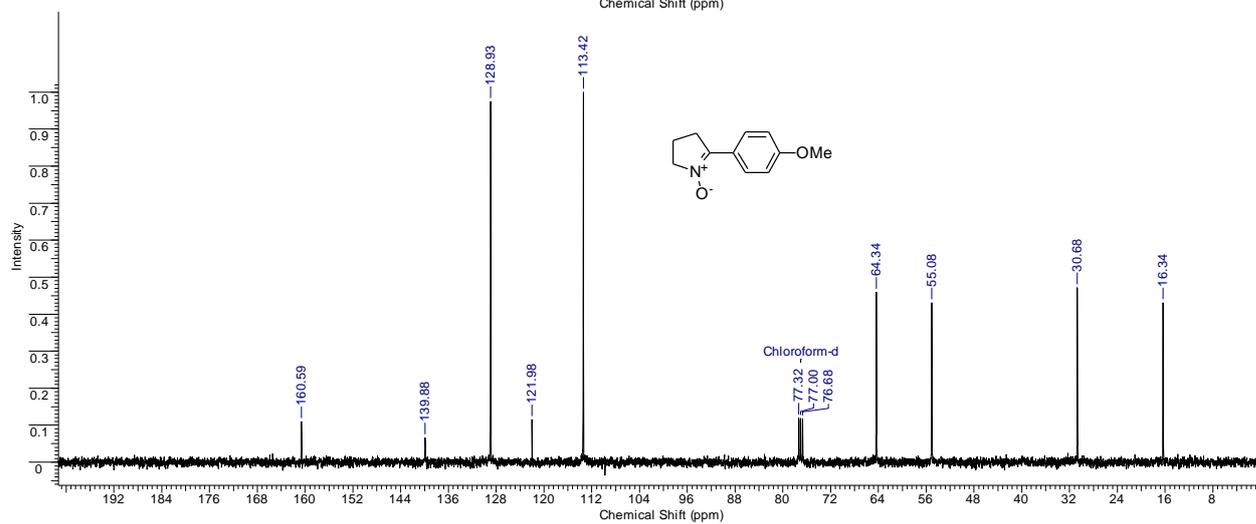
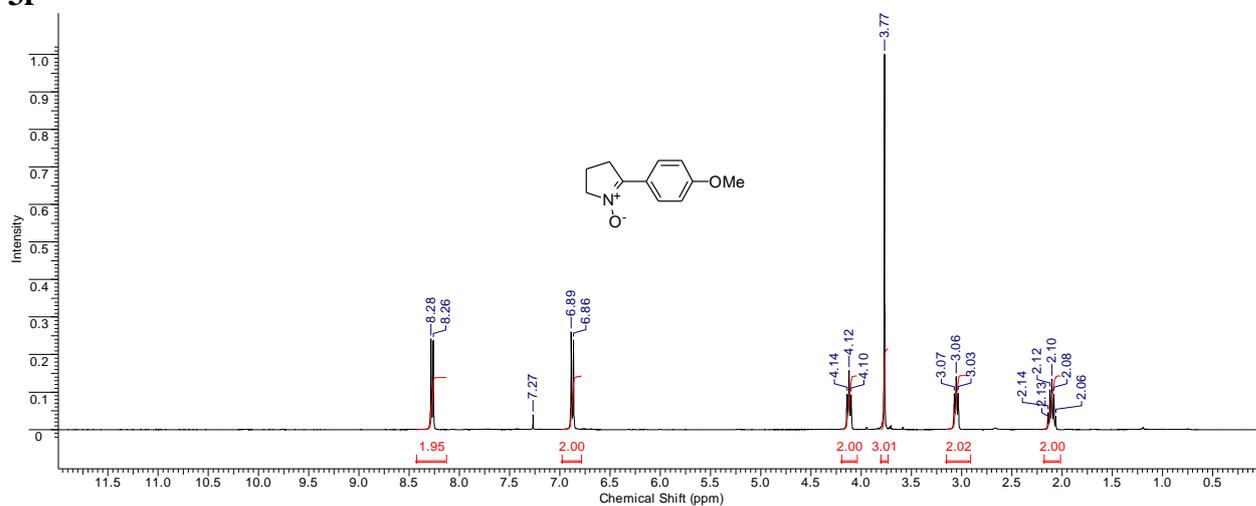
2i

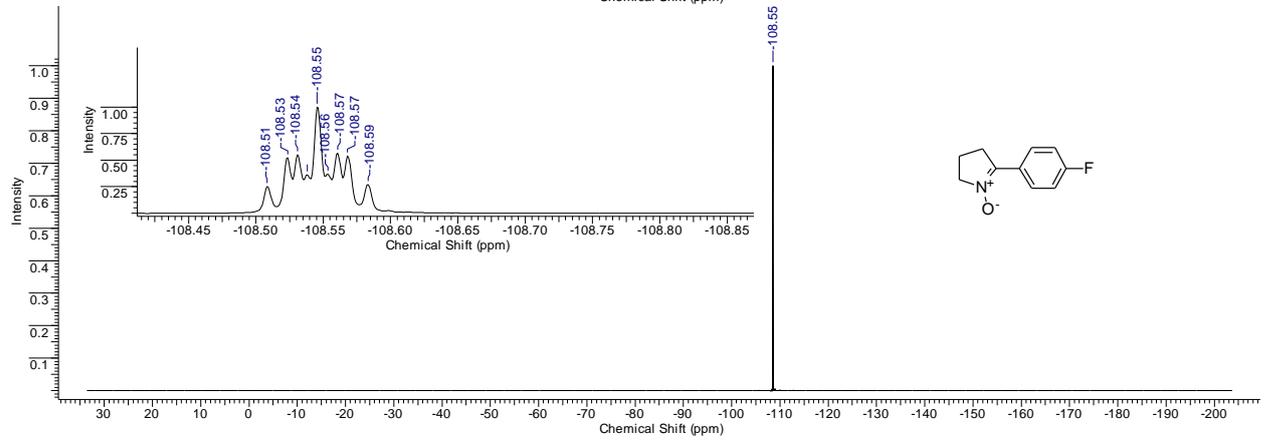
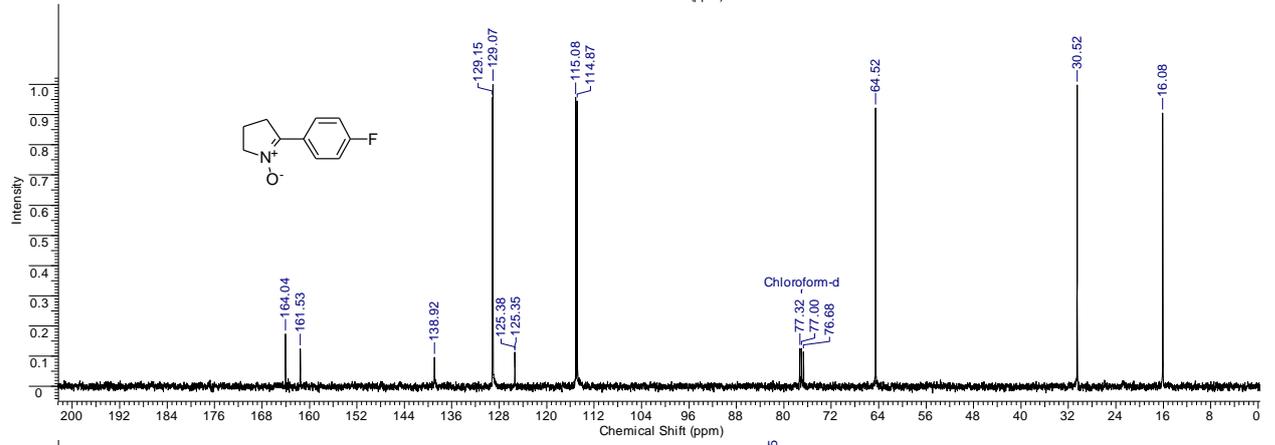
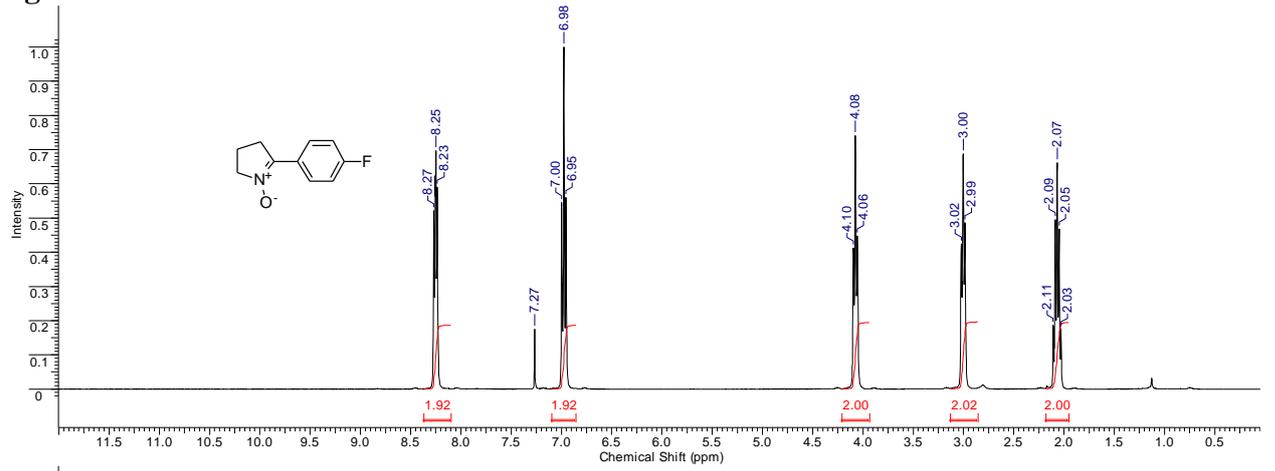
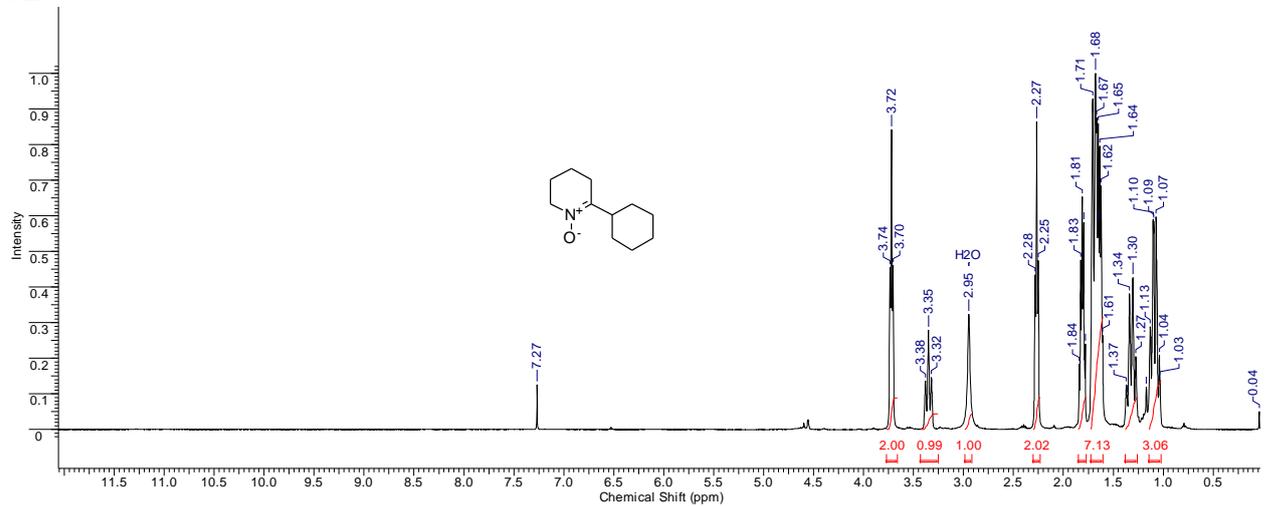


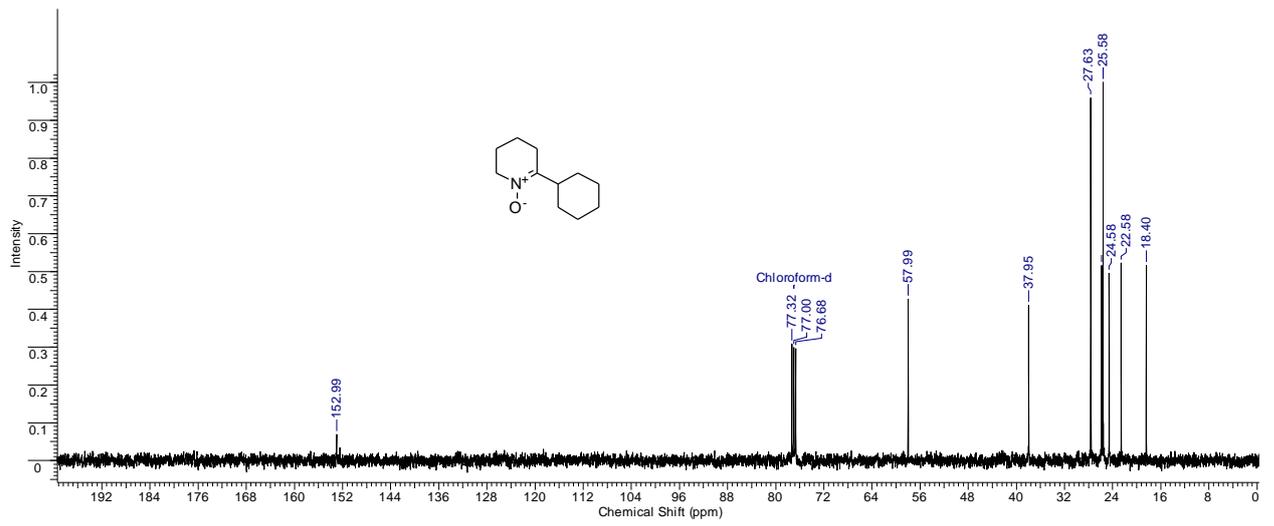




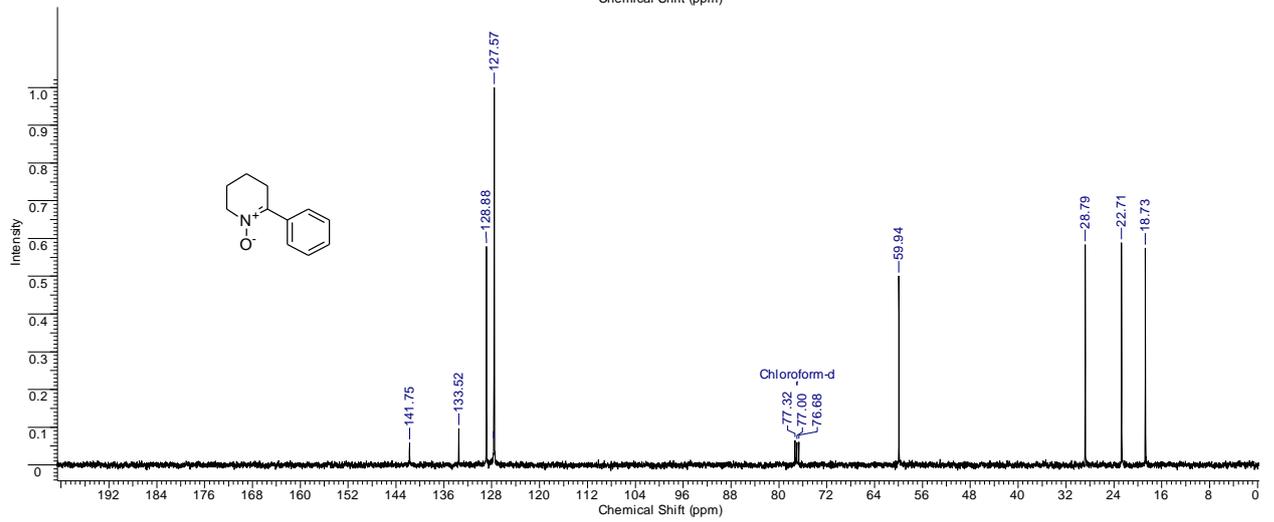
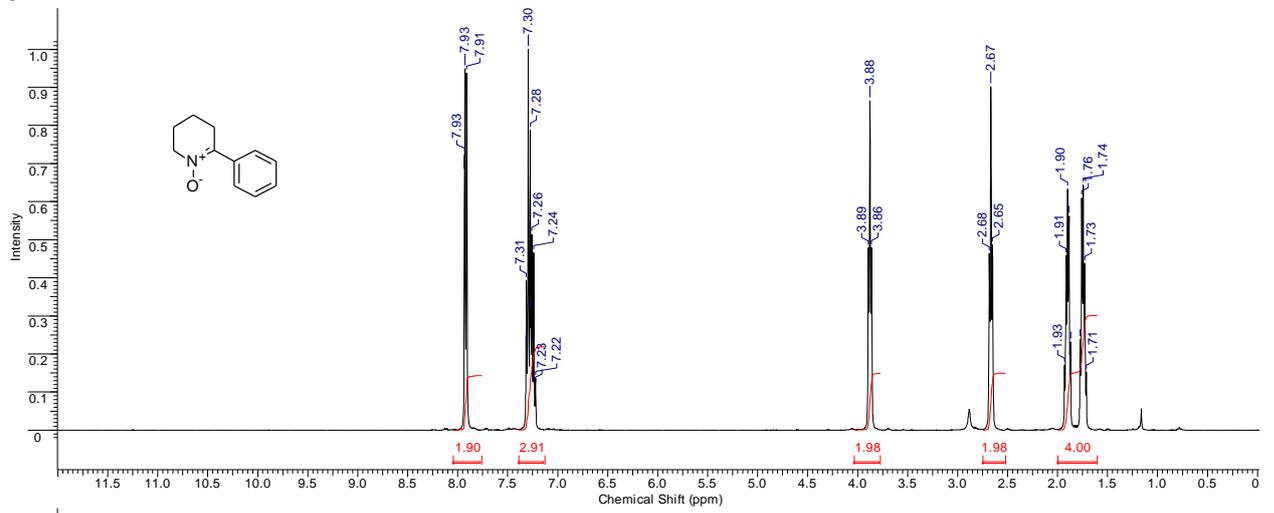
3f



3g**3h**



3i



3k

