

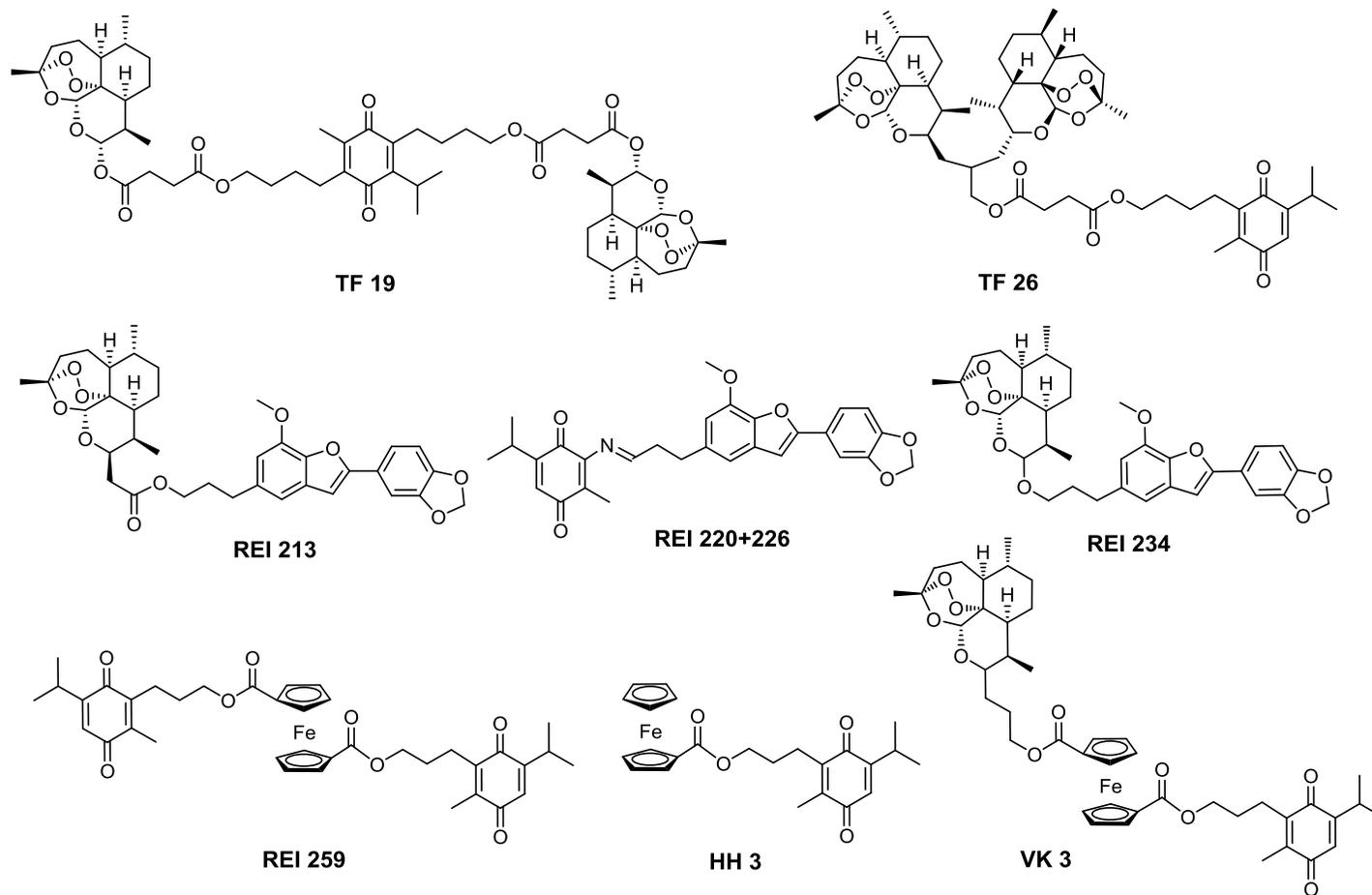
# Supporting Information

## Treatment of Multidrug-Resistant Leukemia Cells by Novel Artemisinin-, Egonol-, and Thymoquinone-Derived Hybrid Compounds

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**Figure S1:** Chemical structures of new artemisinin-based hybrids, dimers and trimers studied in this work.

## Purity Data

**TF 19:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 1064$   $[M+Na]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{56}H_{80}NaO_{18}]^+$ : 1063.5237, found: 1063.5244. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{56}H_{80}O_{18}$ : C, 64.60; H, 7.74; Found: C, 64.58; H, 7.84.

**TF 26:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 948$   $[M+Na]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{52}H_{76}NaO_{14}]^+$ : 947.5127, found: 947.5151. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{52}H_{76}O_{14}$ : C, 67.51; H, 8.28; Found: C, 67.34; H, 8.34.

**REI 213:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 657$   $[M+Na]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{36}H_{42}NaO_{10}]^+$  657.2670, found 657.2682. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{36}H_{42}O_{10}$ : C, 68.12; H, 6.67; Found: C, 68.20; H, 7.02.

**REI 220+226:** MS (MALDI-TOF, without matrix):  $m/z = 485$   $[M]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{29}H_{28}NO_6]^+$  486.1911, found 486.1897. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{29}H_{27}NO_6$ : C, 71.74; H, 5.61; N, 2.88; Found: C, 71.39; H, 5.57; N, 2.81.

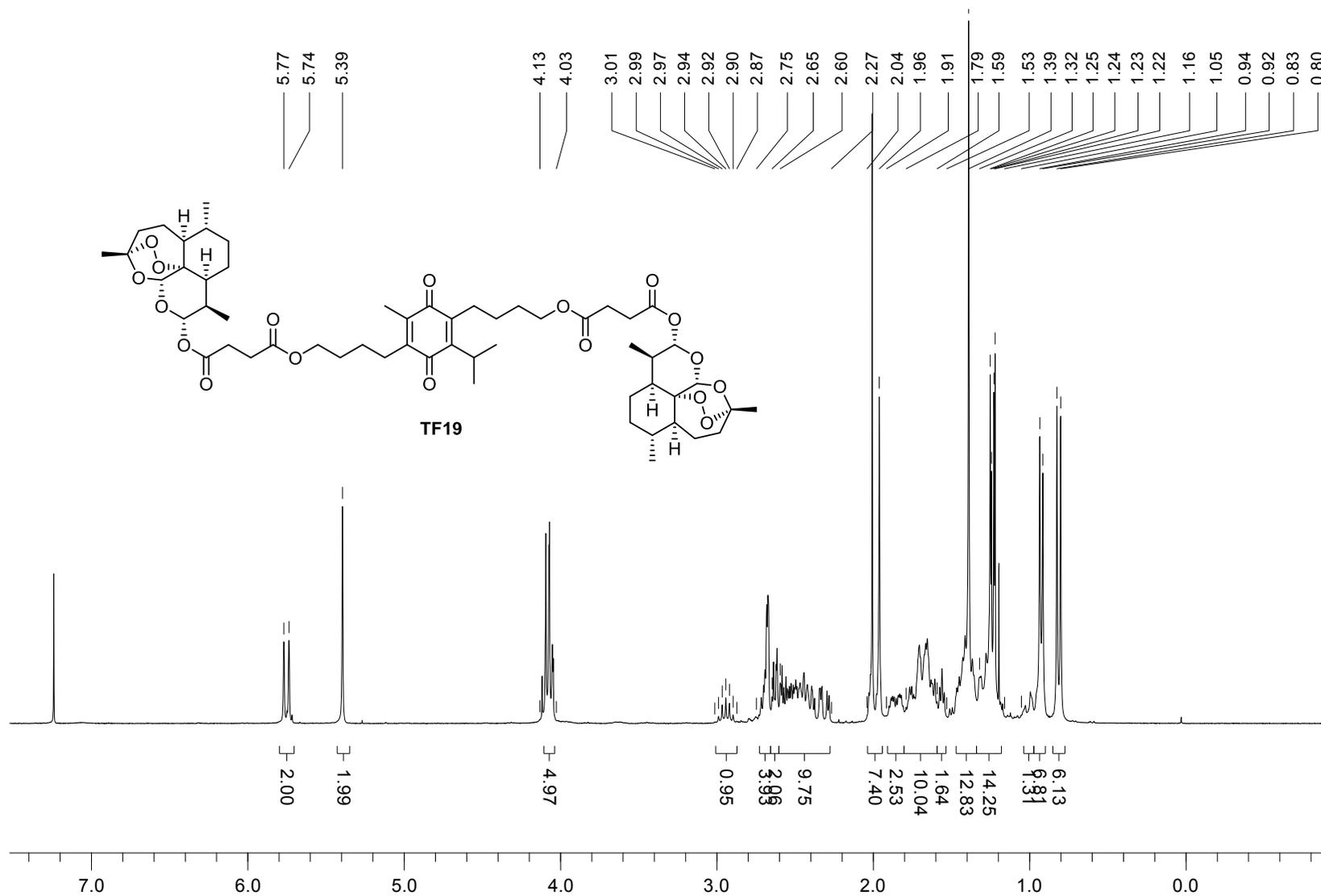
**REI 234:** MS (MALDI-TOF, without matrix):  $m/z = 592$   $[M]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{34}H_{40}NaO_9]^+$  615.2565, found 615.2588. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{34}H_{40}O_9$ : C, 68.90; H, 6.80; Found: C, 68.99; H, 6.97.

**REI 259:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 705$   $[M+Na]^+$ , 1387  $[2M+Na]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{38}H_{42}FeNaO_8]^+$  705.2122, found 705.2128. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{38}H_{42}FeO_8$ : C, 66.86; H, 6.20; Found: C, 66.86; H, 6.07; N, 0.08.

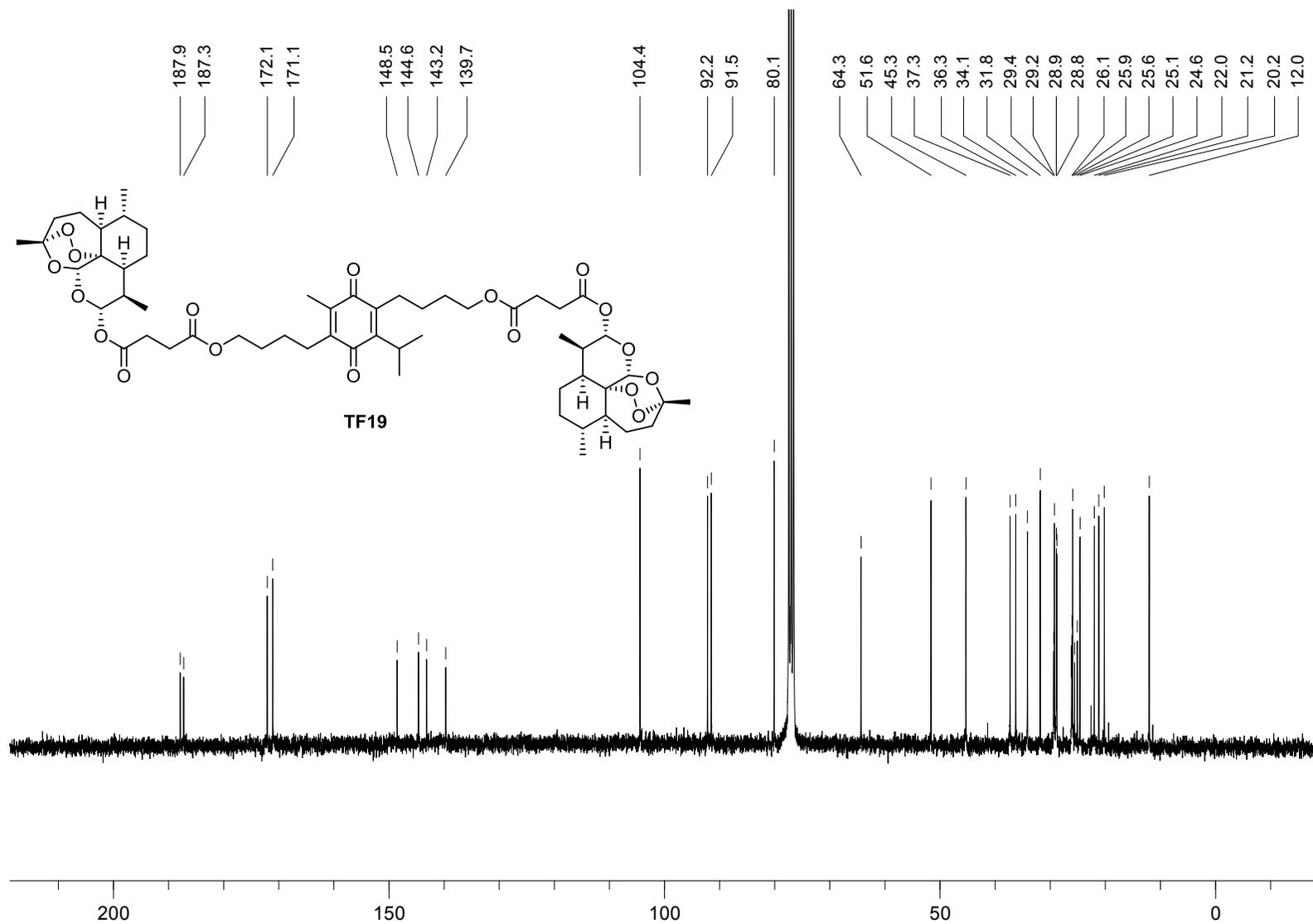
**HH 3:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 434$   $[M]$ . Anal. calcd. for:  $[C_{24}H_{26}FeO_4]$ : C, 66.37; H, 6.03. Found: C, 66.70; H, 6.23.

**VK 3:** MS (ESI):  $m/z = 809$   $[M+Na]^+$ . HRMS (ESI):  $m/z$  calcd. for  $[C_{43}H_{54}FeO_{10}Na]^+$ : 809.29536, found: 809.29594. Anal. calcd. for  $C_{43}H_{54}FeO_{10}$ : C, 65.65; H, 6.92, Found: C, 65.62.17; H, 7.18.

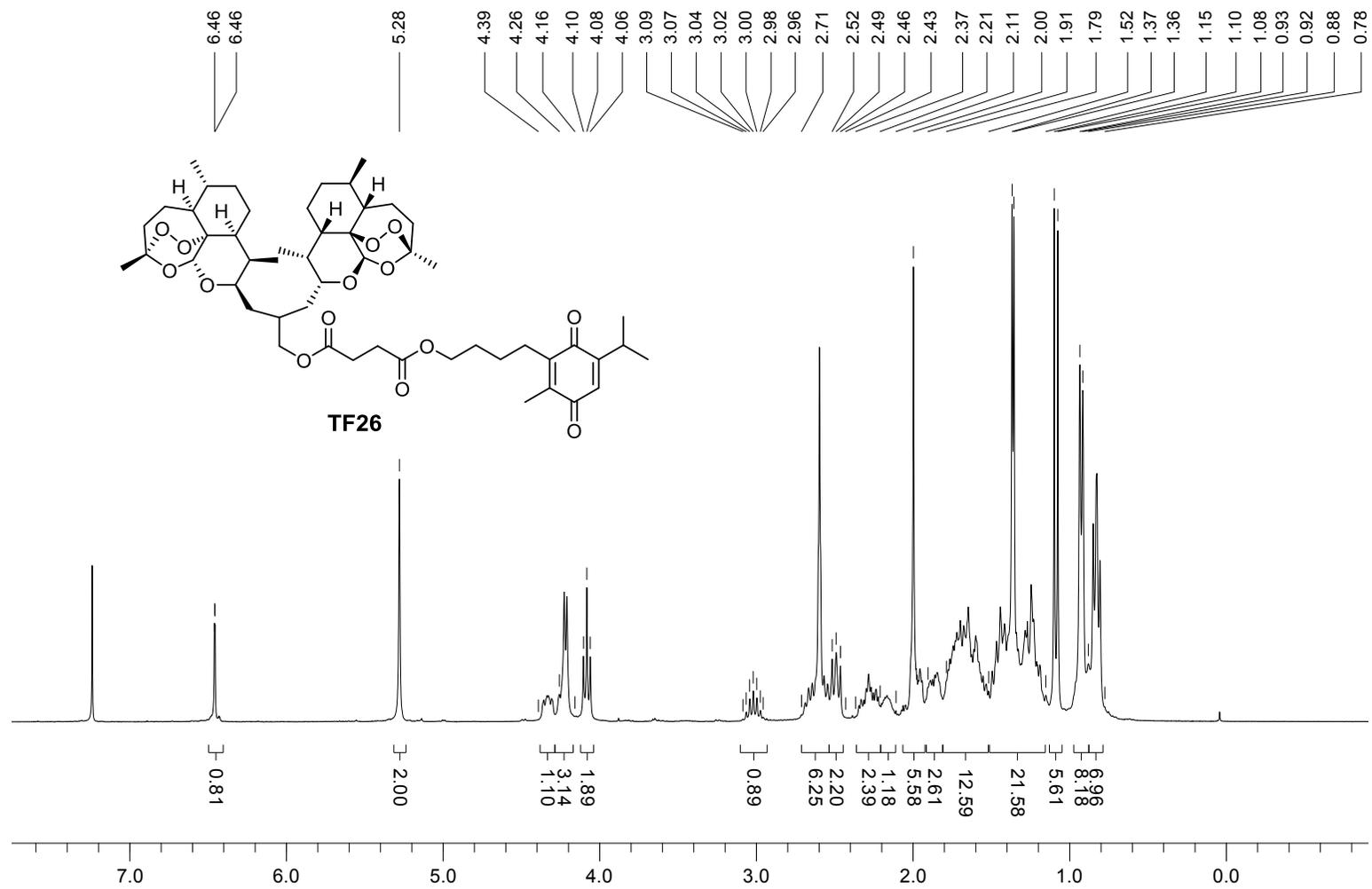
$^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum of hybrid **TF19** recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):



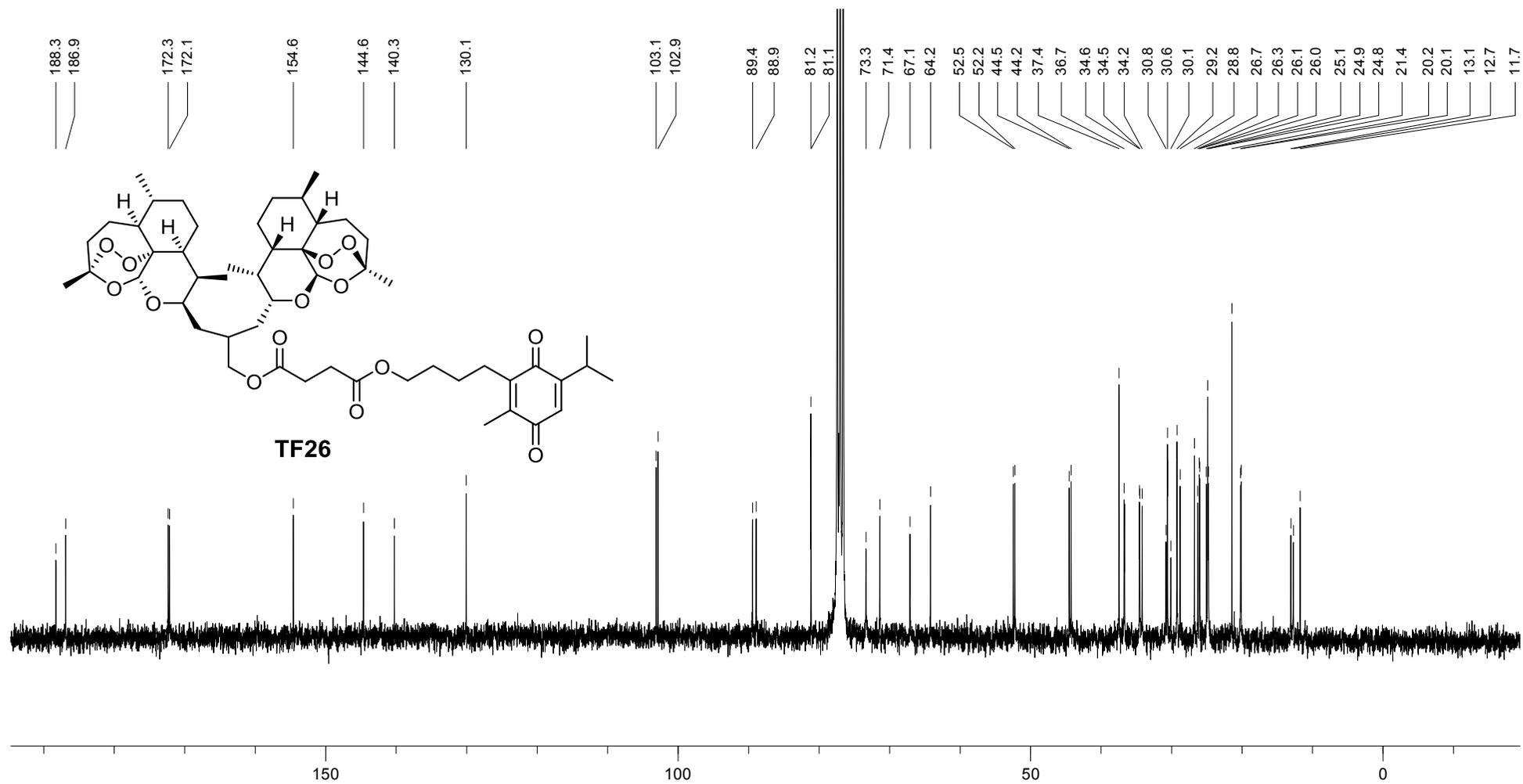
<sup>13</sup>C-NMR spectrum of hybrid **TF19** recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):



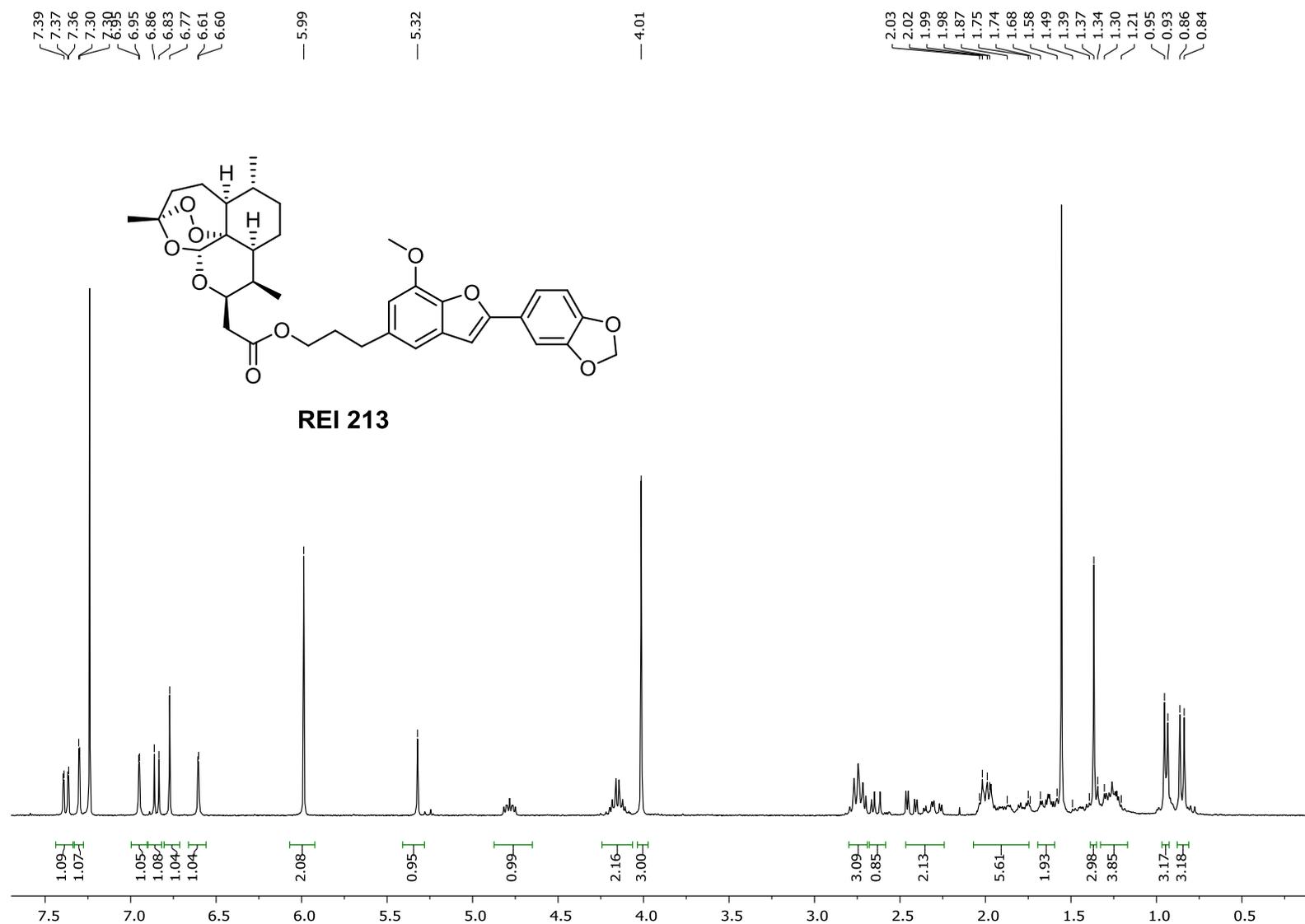
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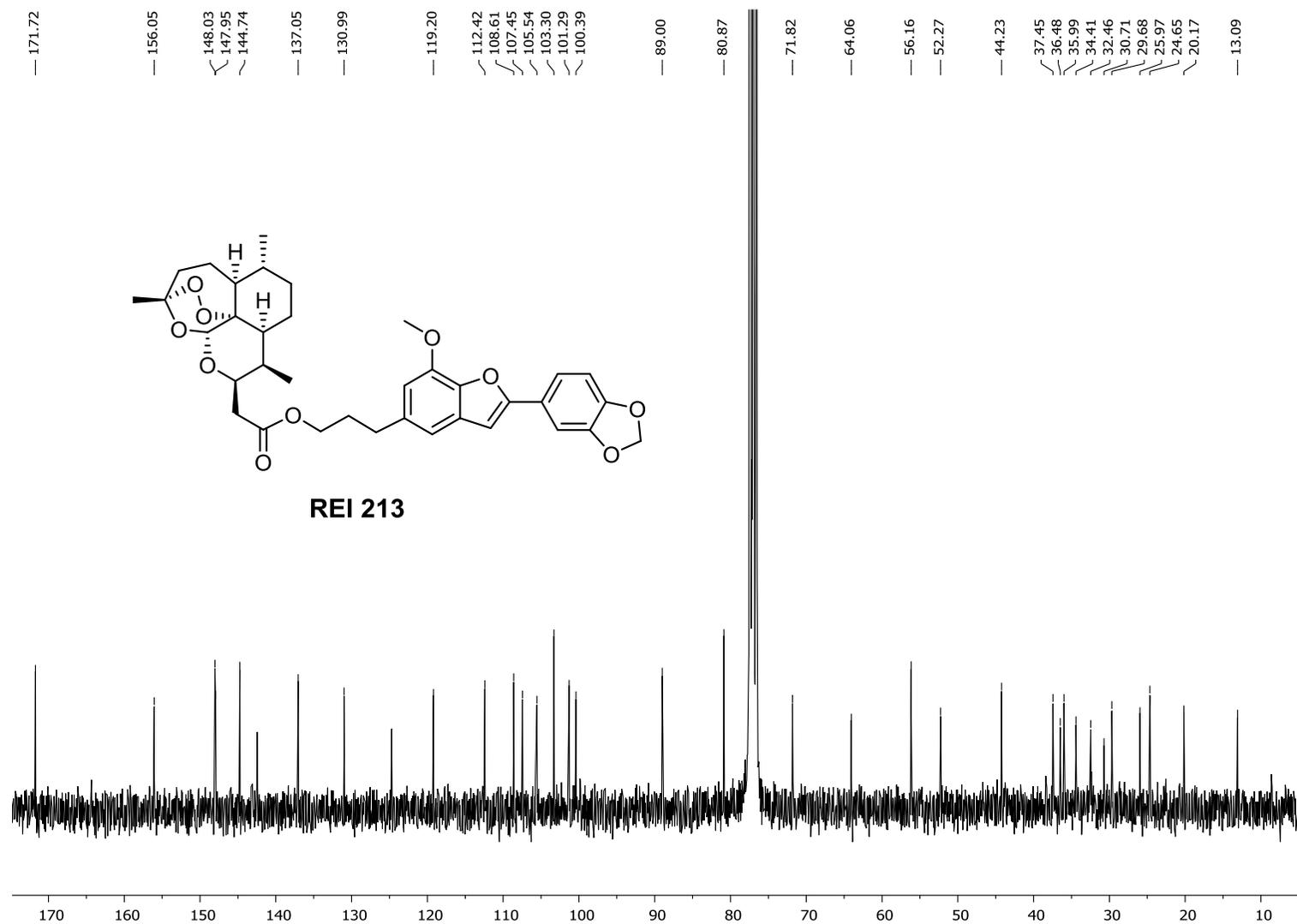
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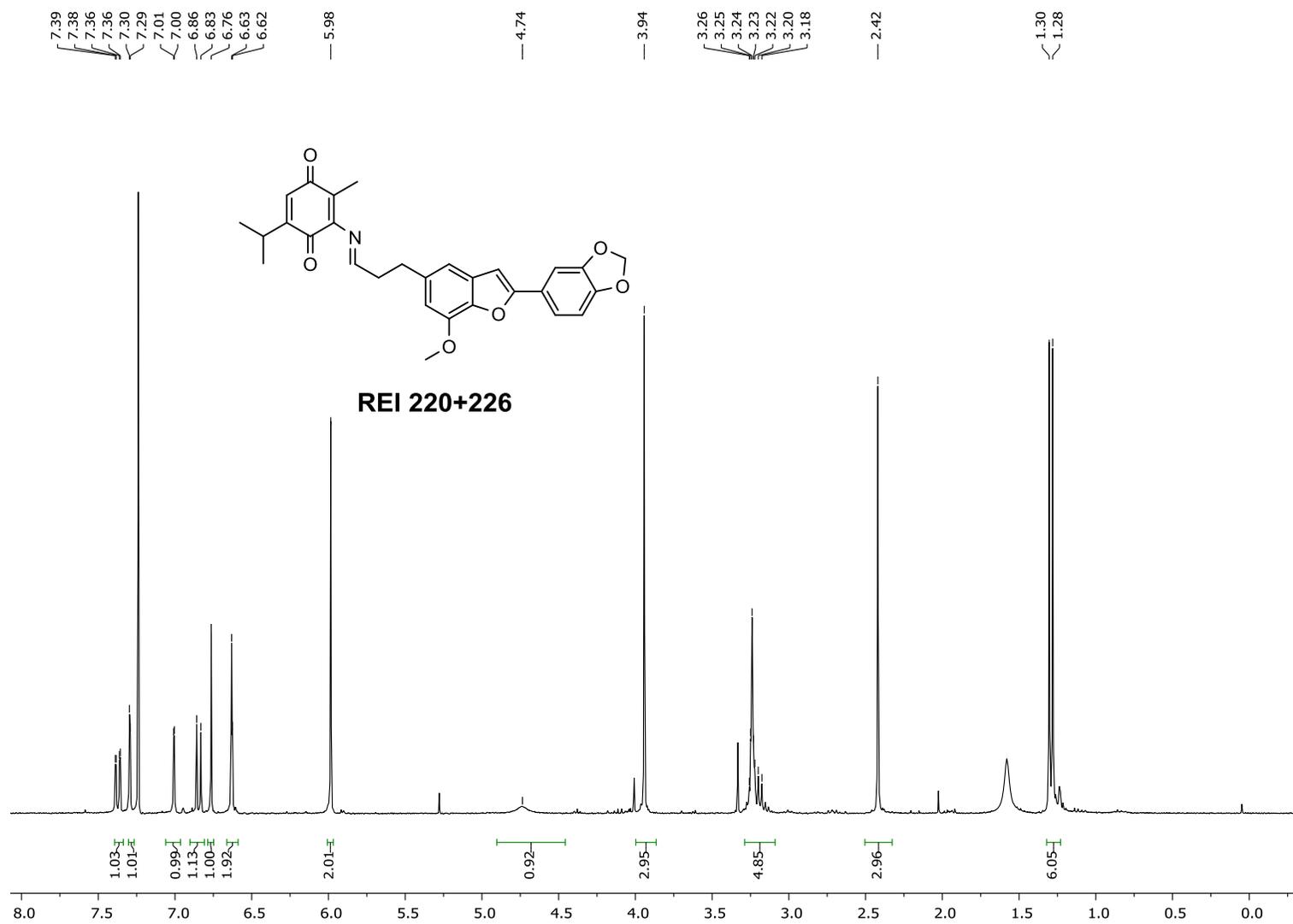
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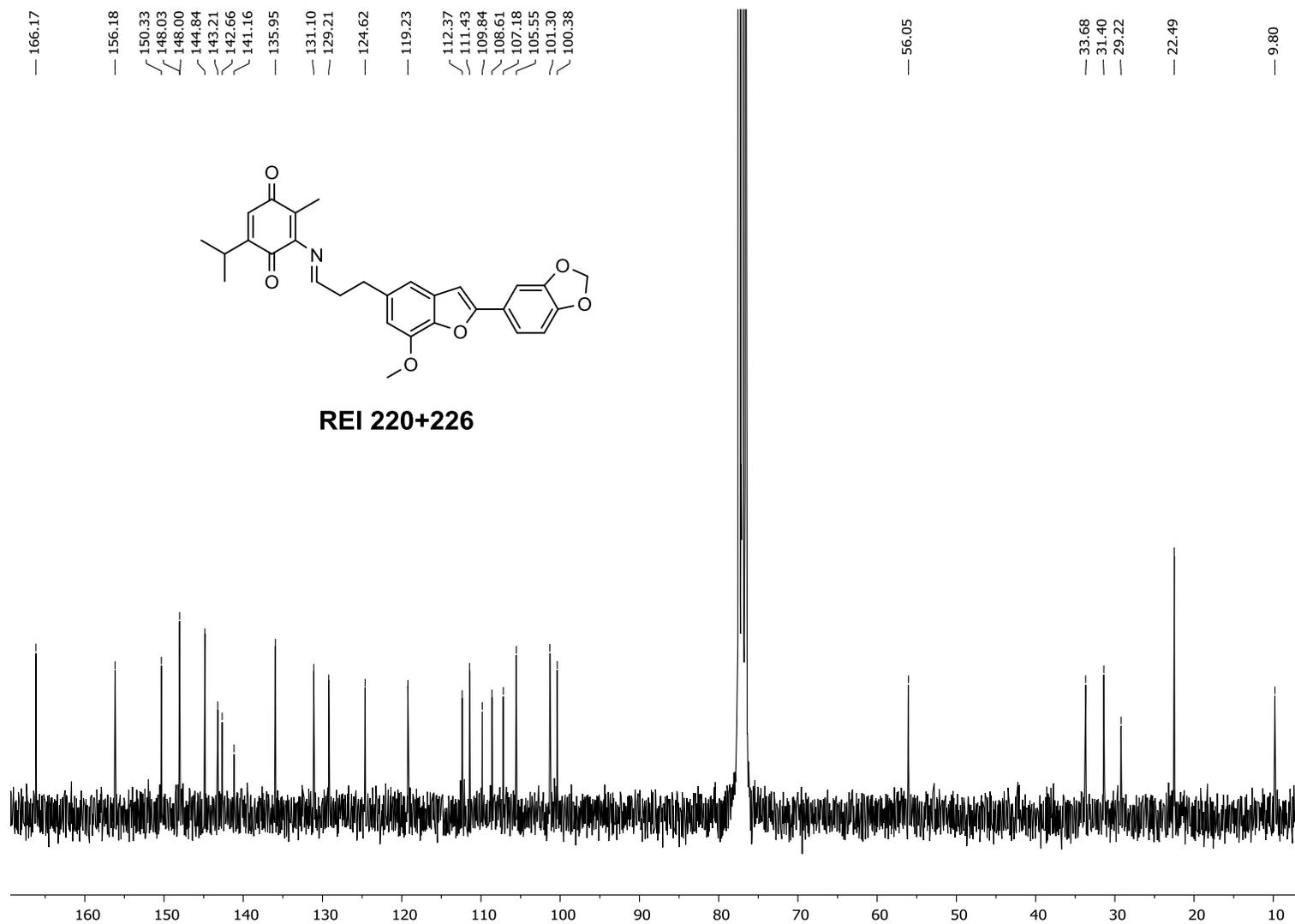
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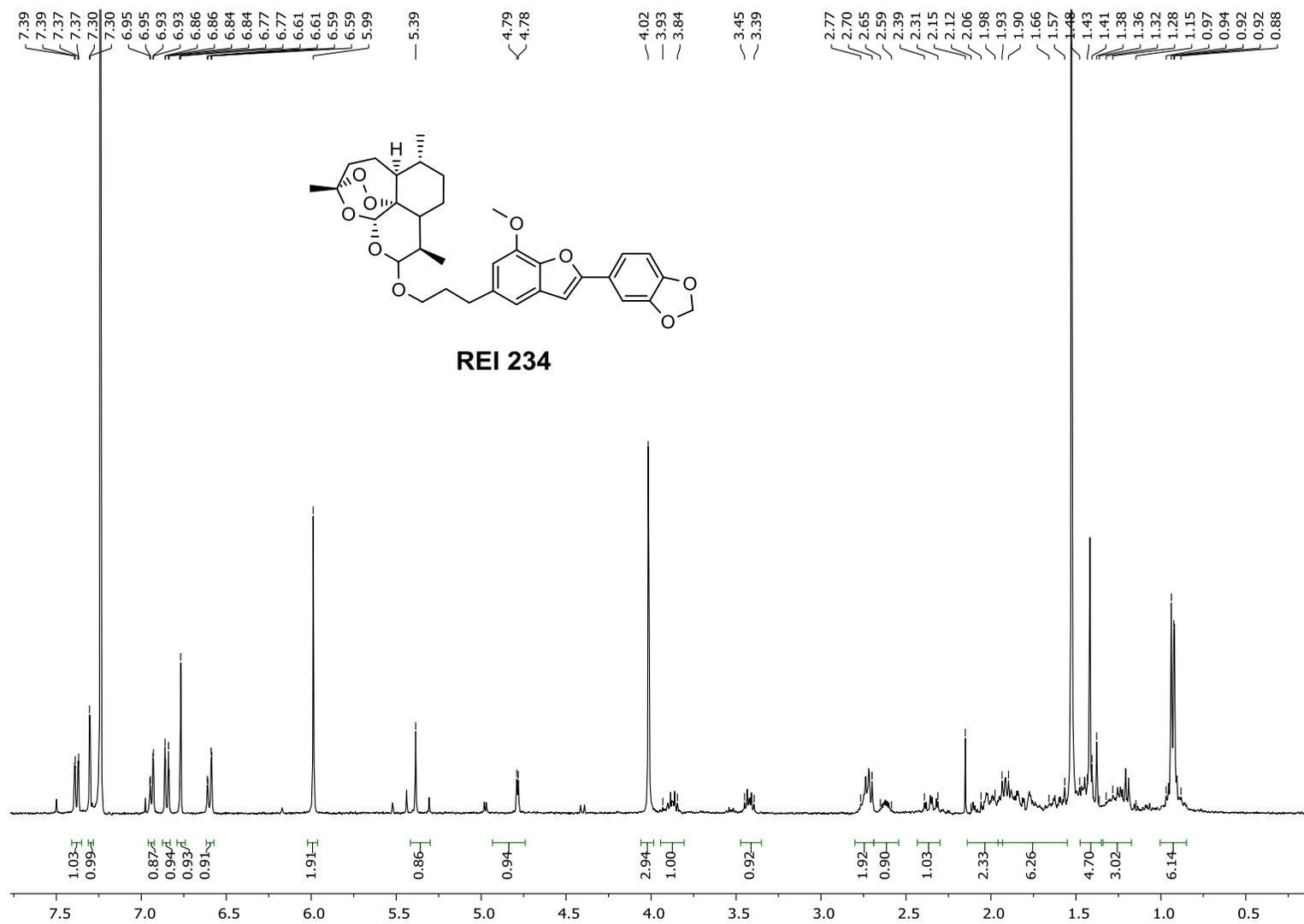
<sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of hybrid **REI 220+216** recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):



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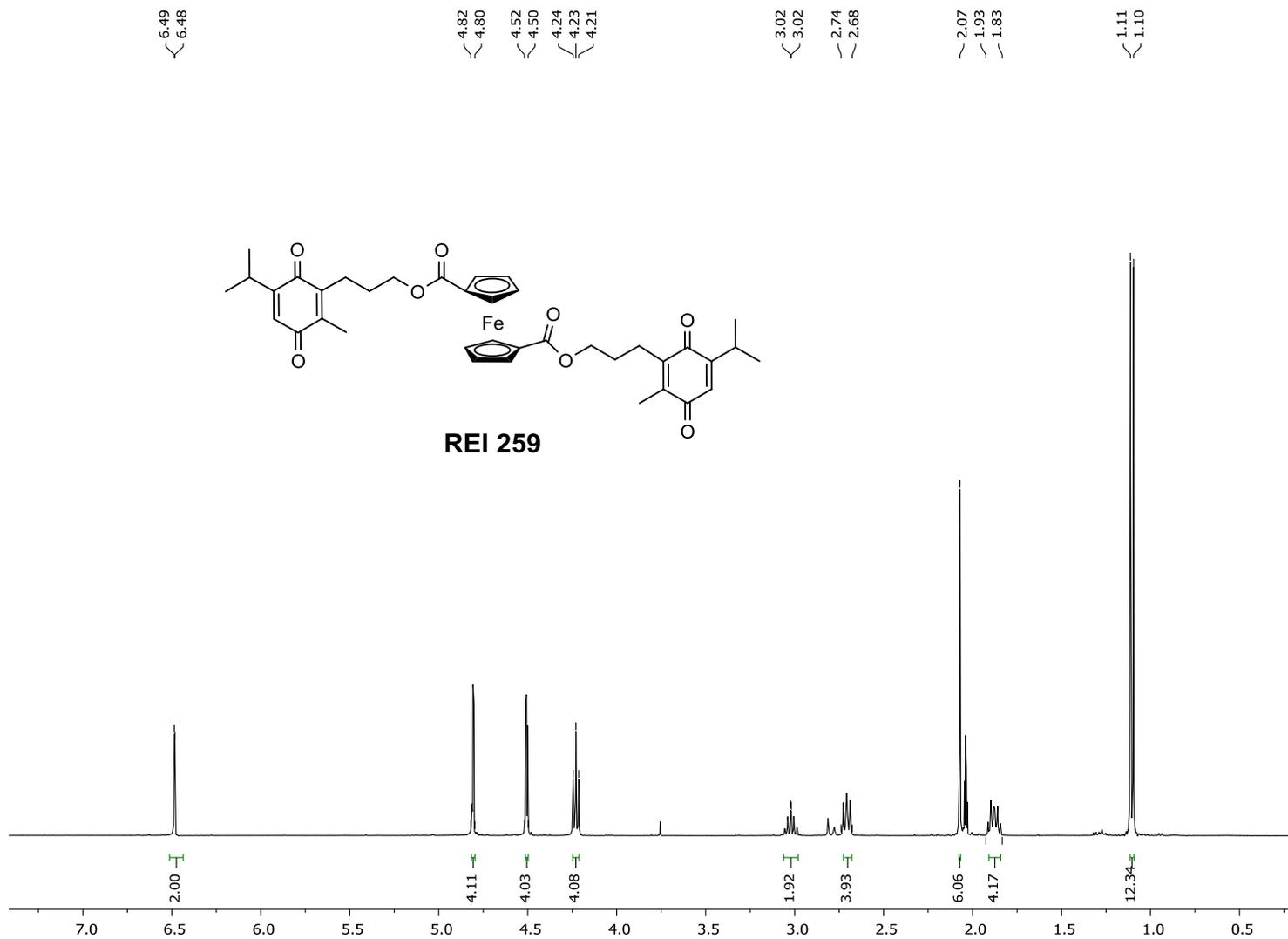


$^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum of hybrid **REI 234** recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):

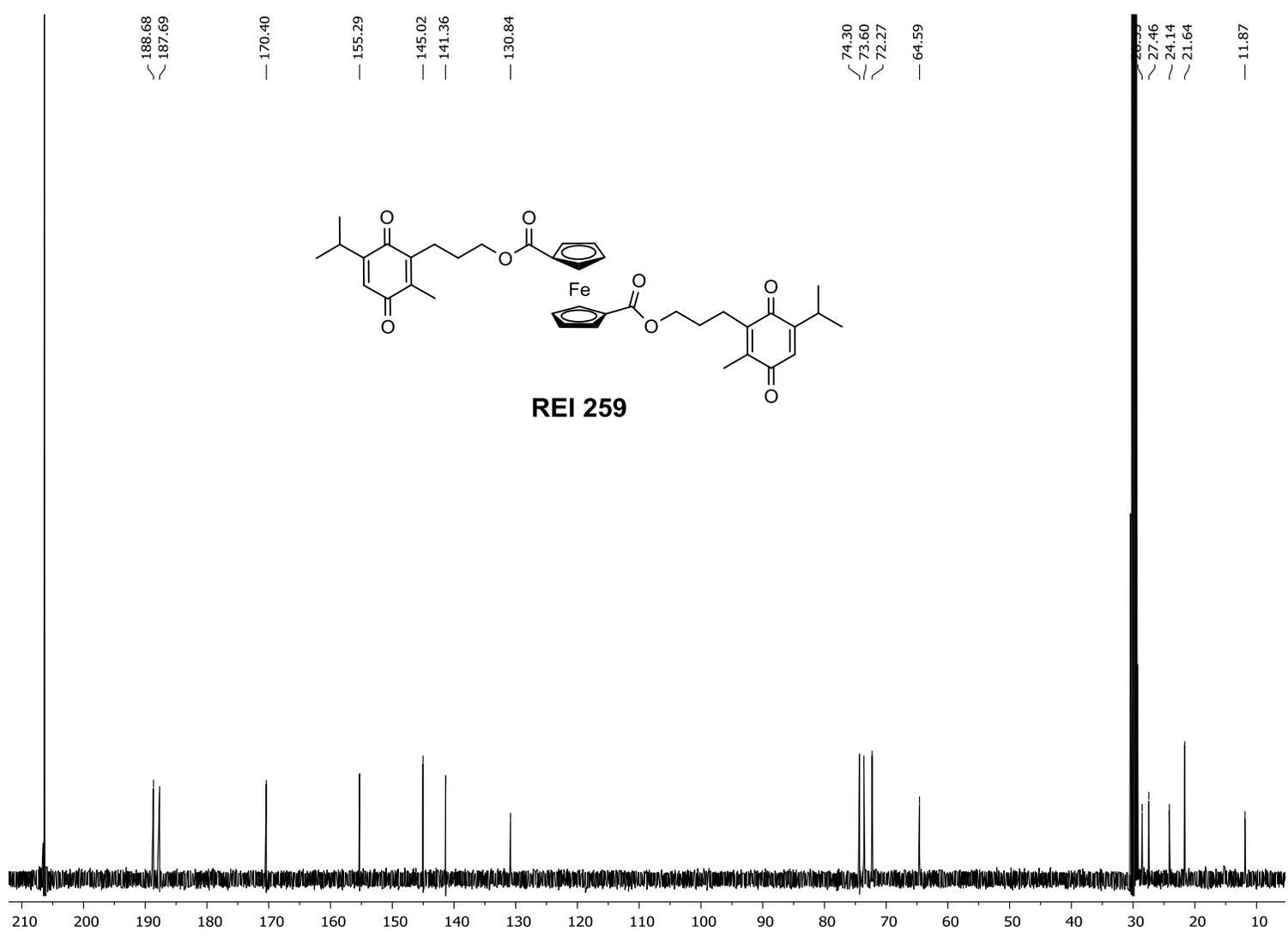




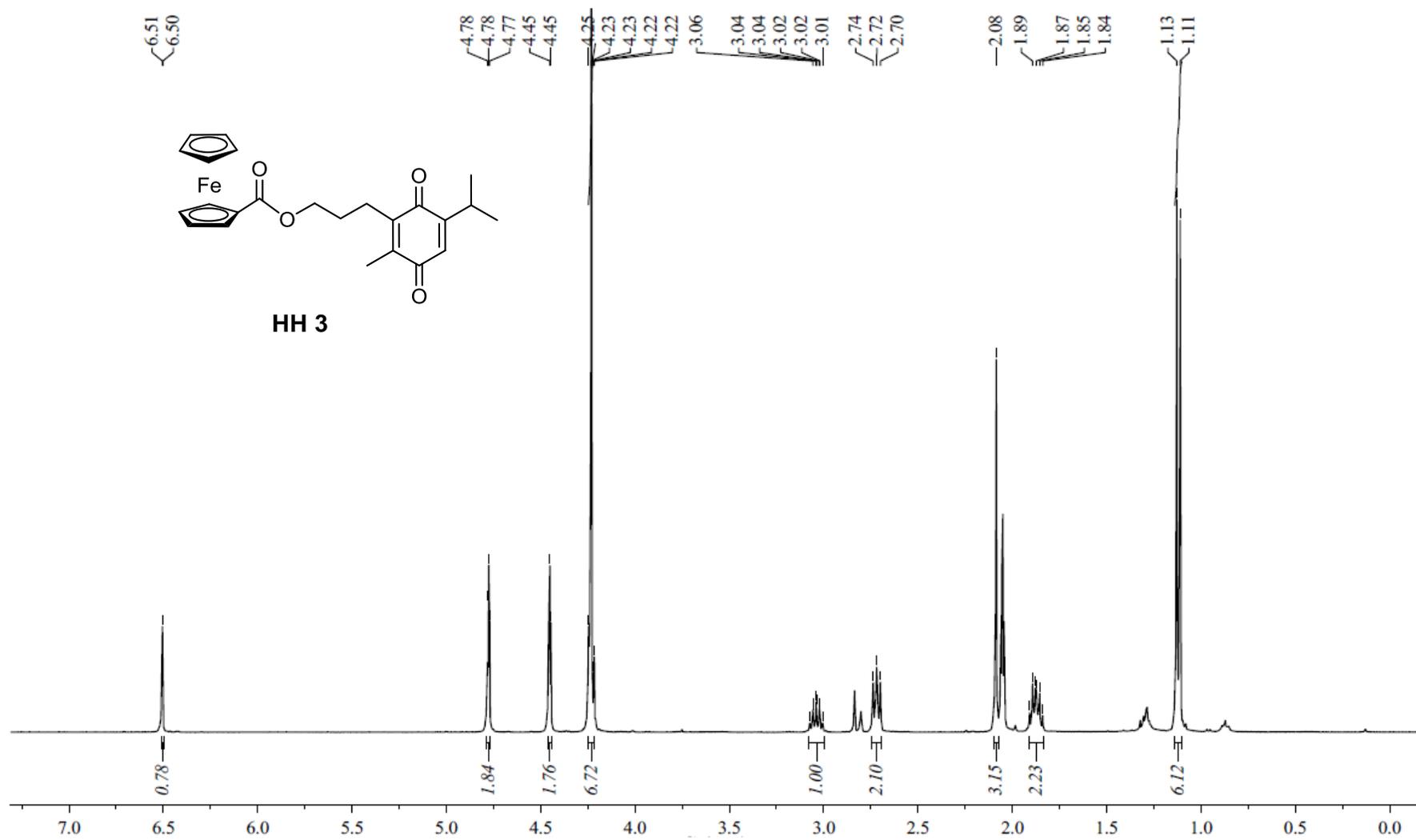
$^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum of hybrid **REI 259** recorded on a JEOL JNM GX 400 spectrometer (400 MHz, Acetone- $d_6$ ):



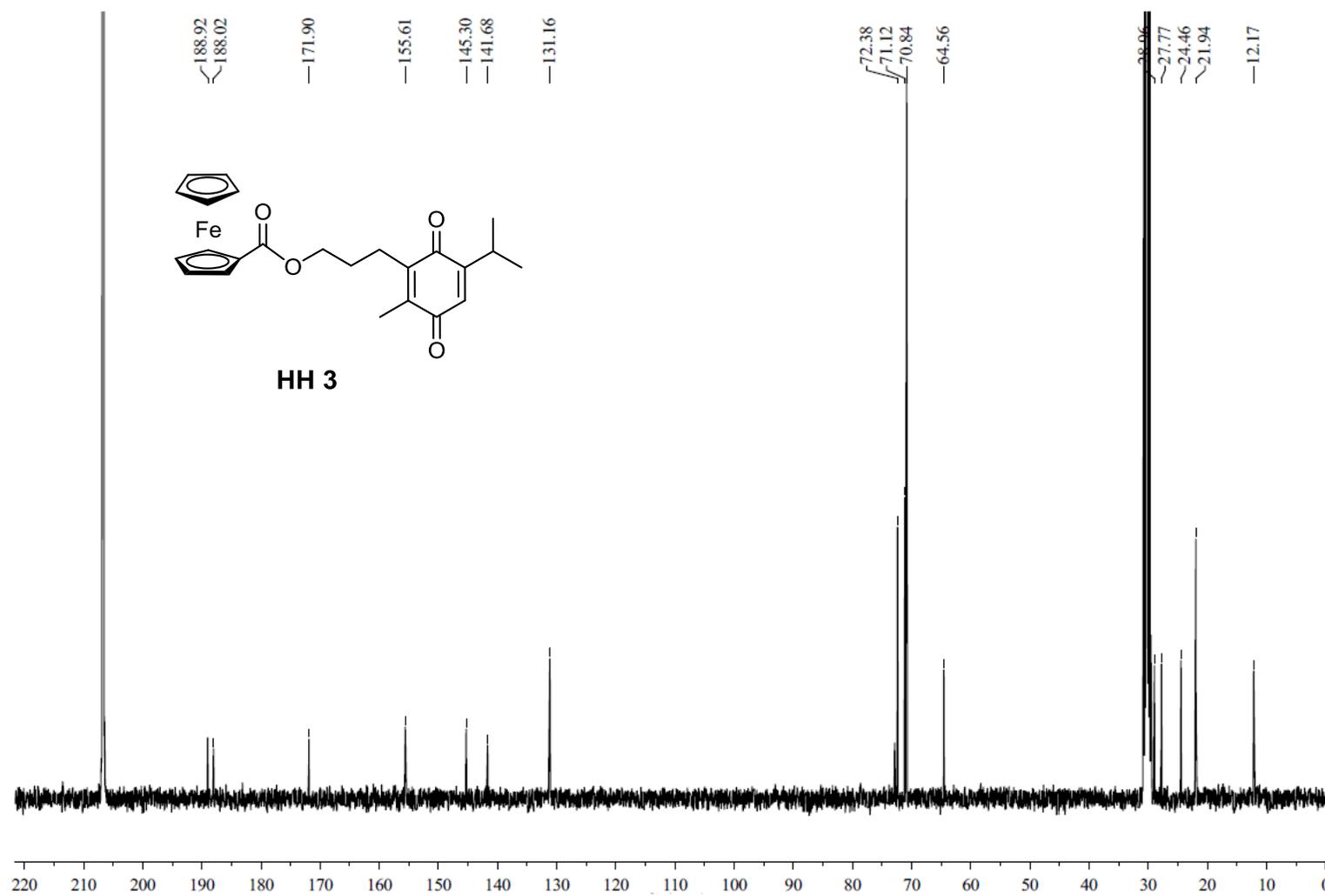
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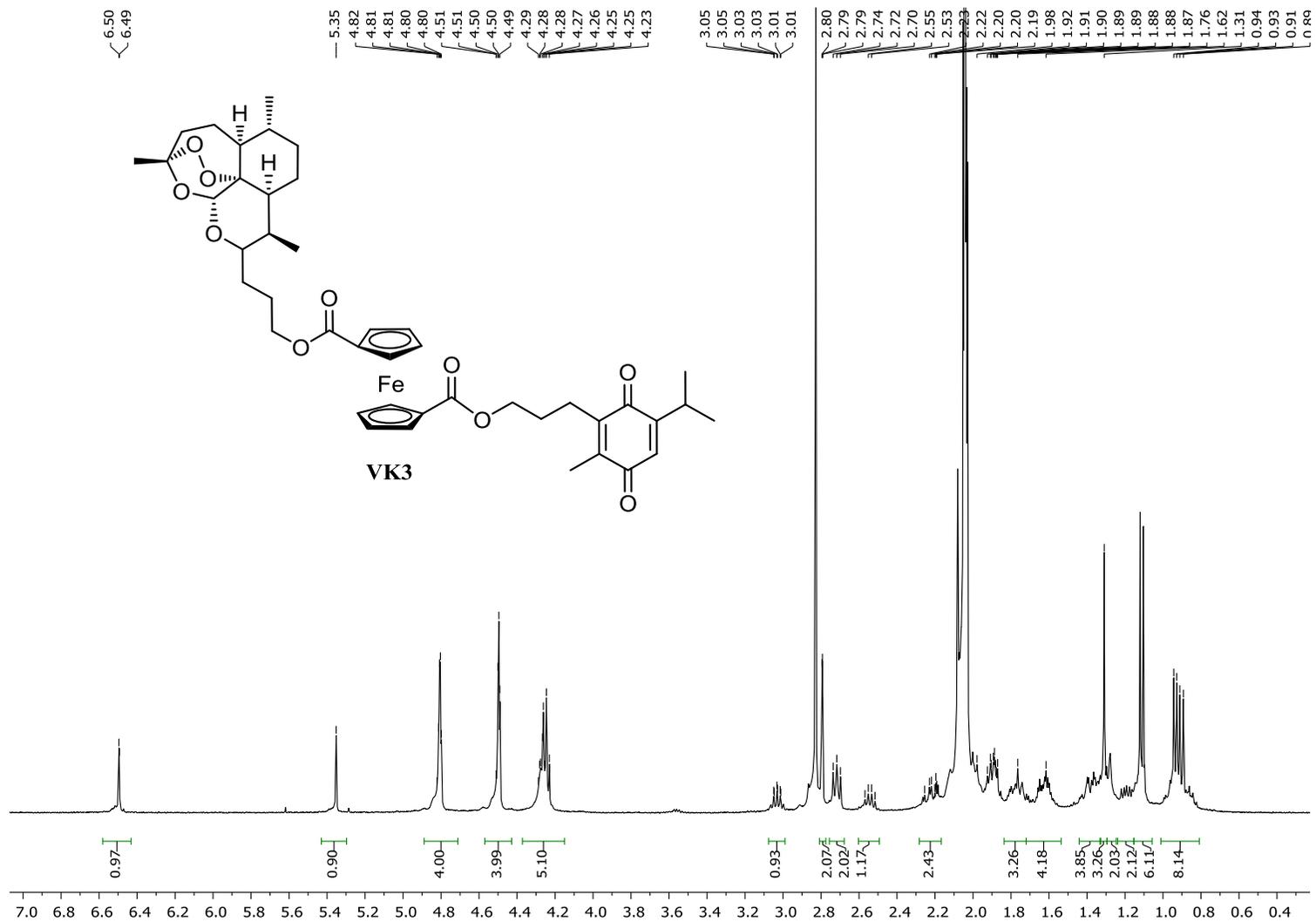
$^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectrum of hybrid **HH3** recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer (300 MHz, Acetone- $d_6$ ):



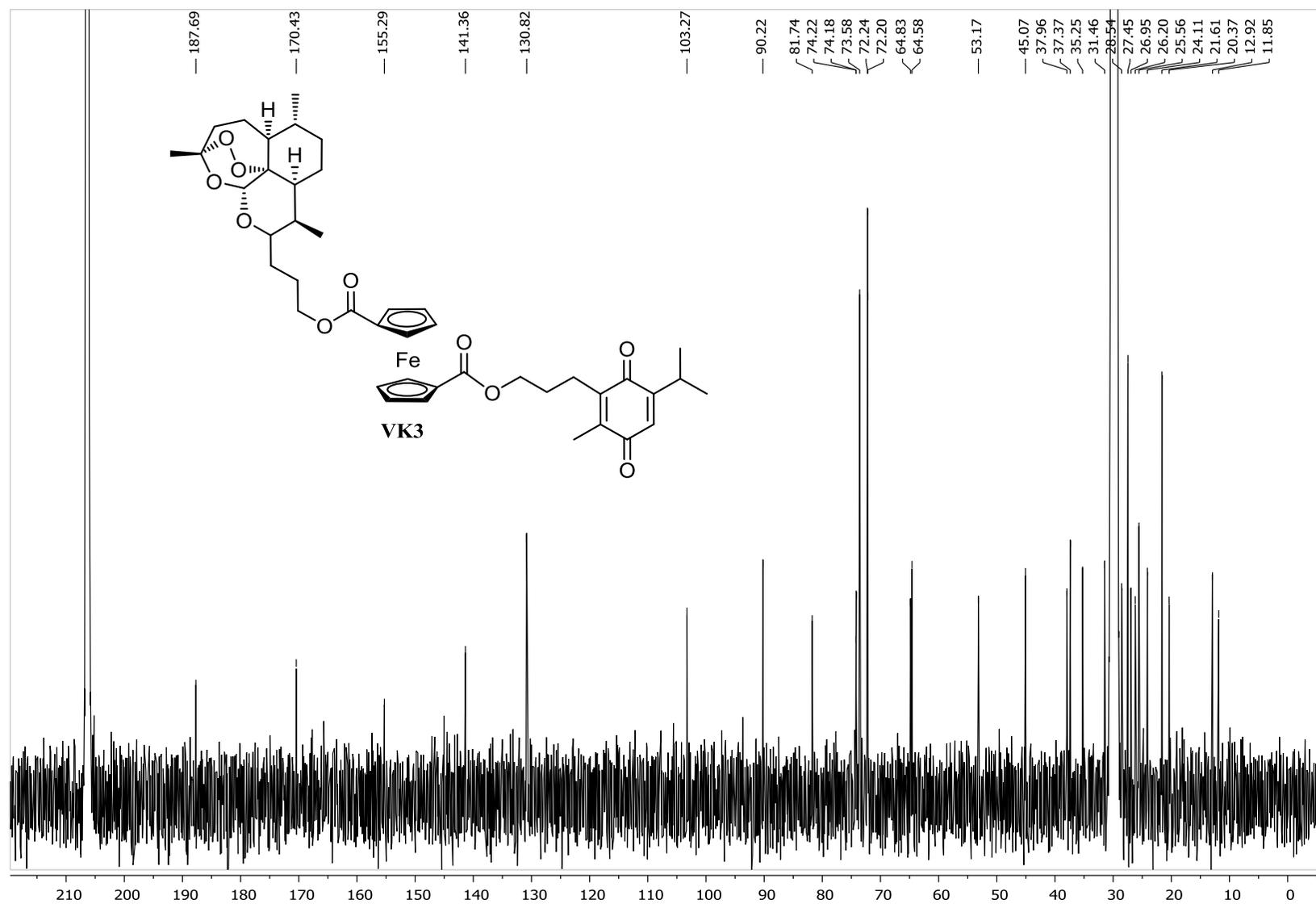
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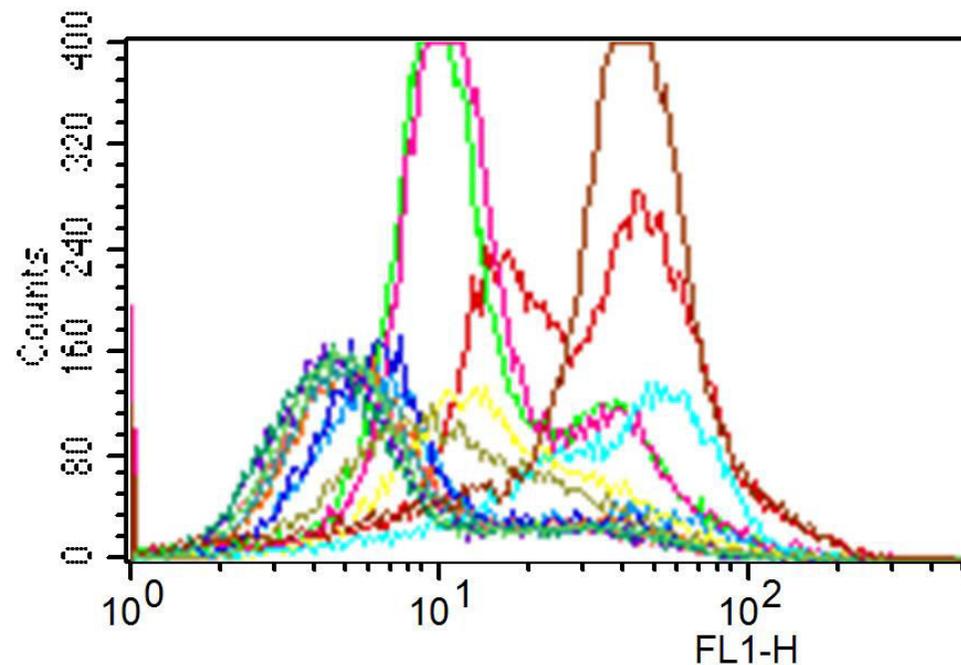


<sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of hybrid **VK3** recorded on a JEOL JNM GX 400 spectrometer (400 MHz, Acetone-d<sub>6</sub>):



$^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum of hybrid **VK3** recorded on a JEOL JNM GX 400 spectrometer (100 MHz, Acetone- $\text{d}_6$ ):





Purple	Doxorubicin alone
Dark green	DOX + TF26
Orange	DOX + REI213
Light blue	DOX + REI220+26
Rosy	DOX + VK3
Dark blue	DOX + TF27
Grey	DOX + REI230
Middle blue	DOX + HH3
Dark brown	DOX + REI234
Pink	DOX + DHA
Light green	DOX + TF29
Yellow	DOX + TF19
Cyan blue	DOX + REI259
Red	DOX + REI235
Brown	DOX + Verapamil

**Figure S2:** Representative flow cytometric histograms of doxorubicin uptake in CEM/ADR5000 cells. Cells were incubated for 24 h with doxorubicin alone (purple curve on the left), doxorubicin (DOX) plus ART derivatives (from left to right: TF26, REI213, REI220+26, VK3, TF27, REI230, HH3, REI234, DHA, TF29, TF19, REI259, REI235), or doxorubicin plus verapamil (brown curve on the right). Shown are the fluorescence intensities (x-axis) and cell counts (y-axis).

