

# **Design and Synthesis of Pyrrolidinyl Ferrocene-containing Ligands and Their Application in Highly Enantioselective Rhodium-catalyzed Olefin Hydrogenation**

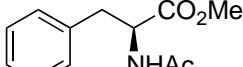
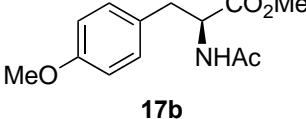
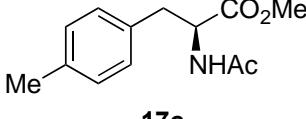
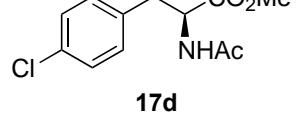
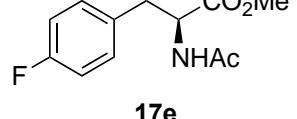
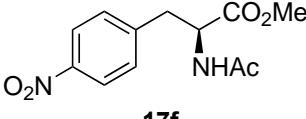
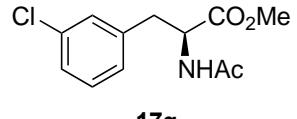
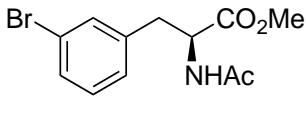
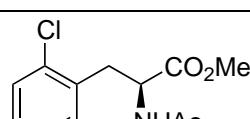
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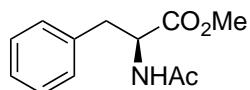
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**Methods for the Determination of Enantiomeric Excess (Table S1)**

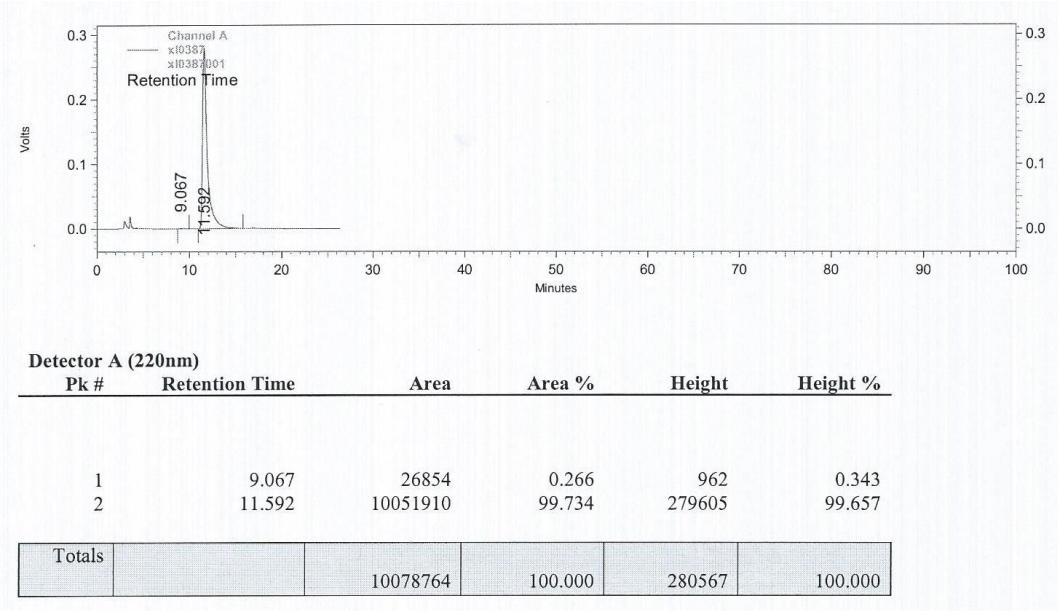
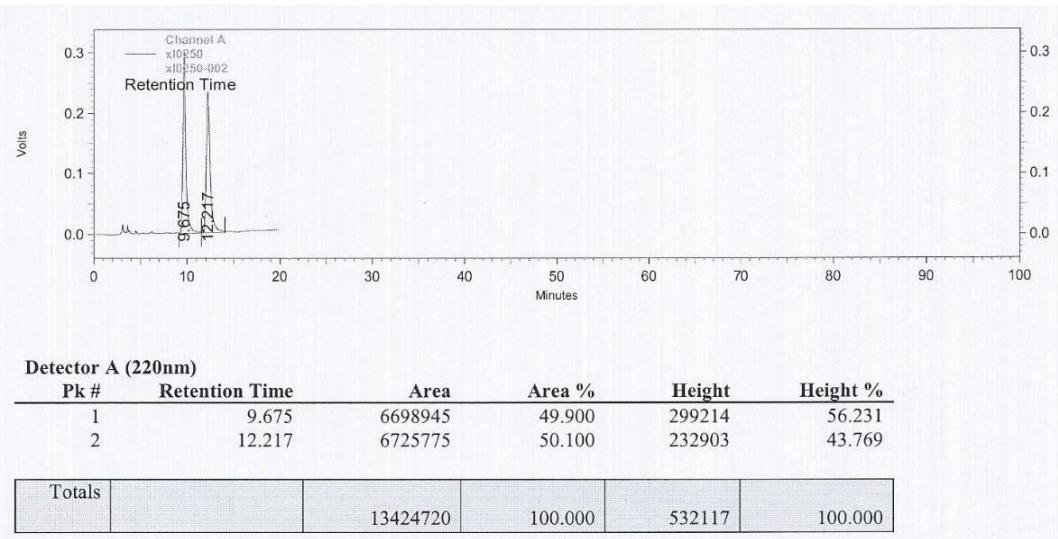
Entry	Product	Assay Conditions	Retention time (min) of major enantiomer	Retention time (min) of minor enantiomer
1		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	11.59	9.07
2		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 85/15 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	10.47	8.14
3		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	11.68	9.07
4		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	12.44	10.47
5		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	12.58	10.88
6		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 254nm	29.97	27.33
7		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	10.42	8.89
8		HPLC, Chiralcel OD column, Isocratic 95/5 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	24.03	21.02
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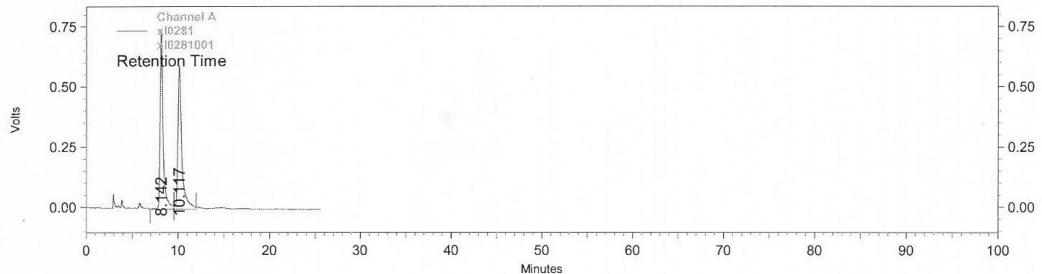
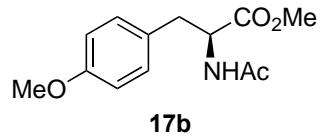
10		HPLC, Chiralcel OD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	13.25	10.53
11		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 93/7 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 210nm	10.83	9.45
12		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 94/6 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	11.63	9.72
13		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 254nm	9.95	7.63
14		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 254nm	11.13	9.28
15		HPLC, Chiralcel AD column, Isocratic 93/7 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	15.18	12.57
16		HPLC, Chiralcel OD column, Isocratic 90/10 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 210nm	9.50	12.83
17		HPLC, Chiralcel OD column, Isocratic 95/5 IPA/n-hex, 25 °C oven, 1 mL/min flow, 220nm	30.91	25.78

## SFC Chromatograms of Racemic and Enantioenriched Compounds



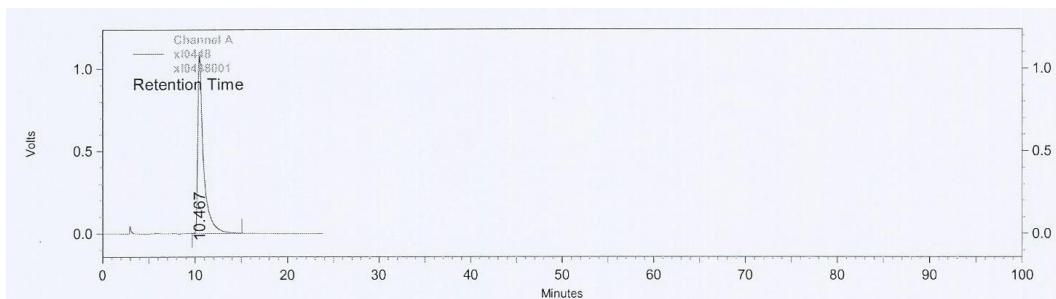
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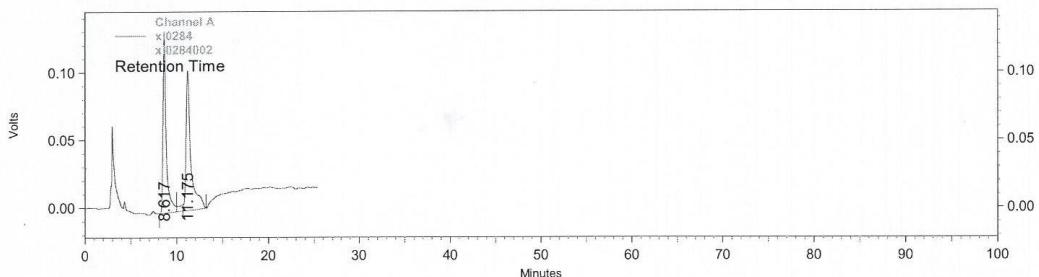
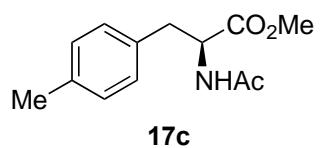
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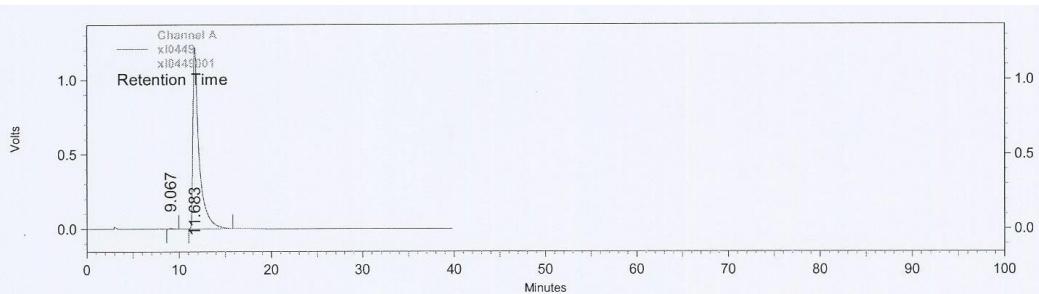
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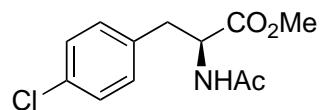
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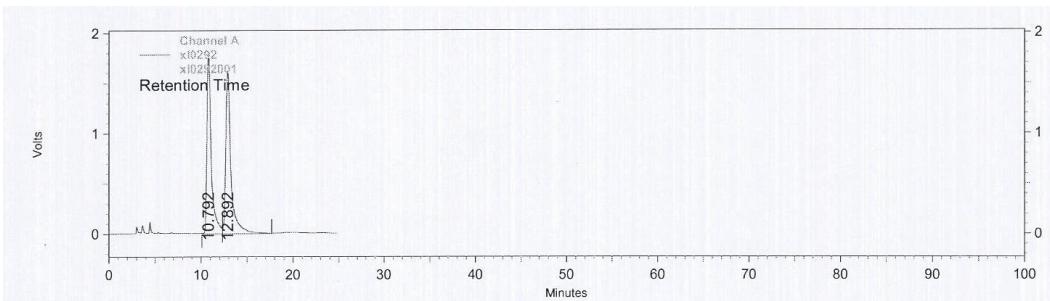


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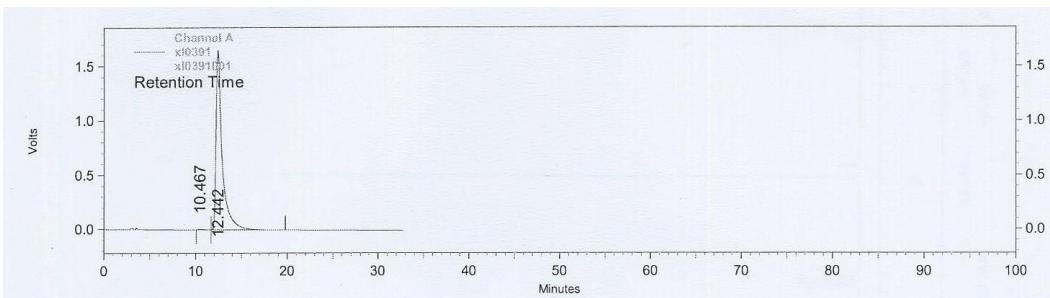


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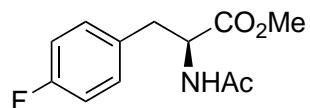
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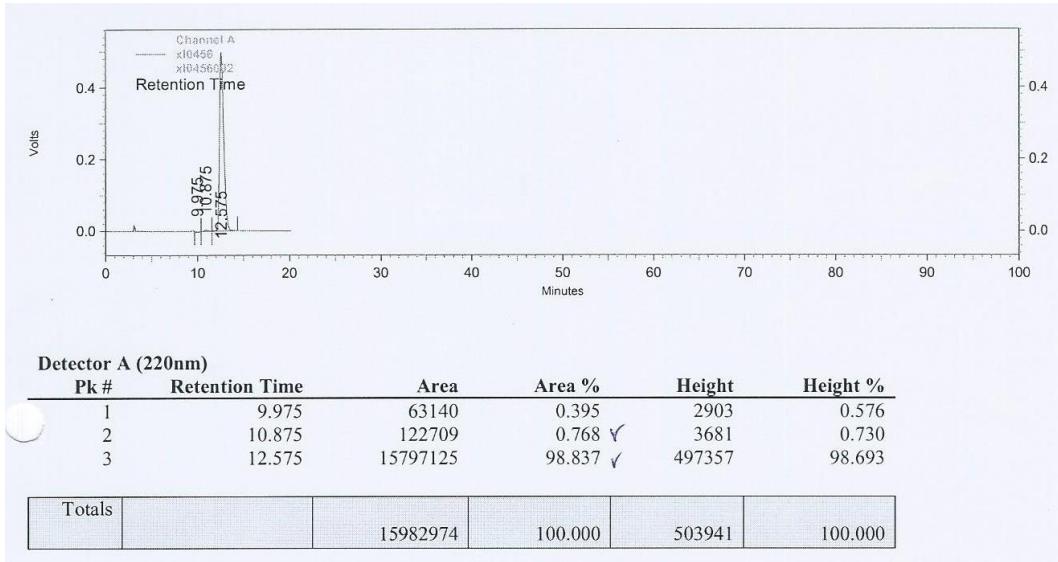
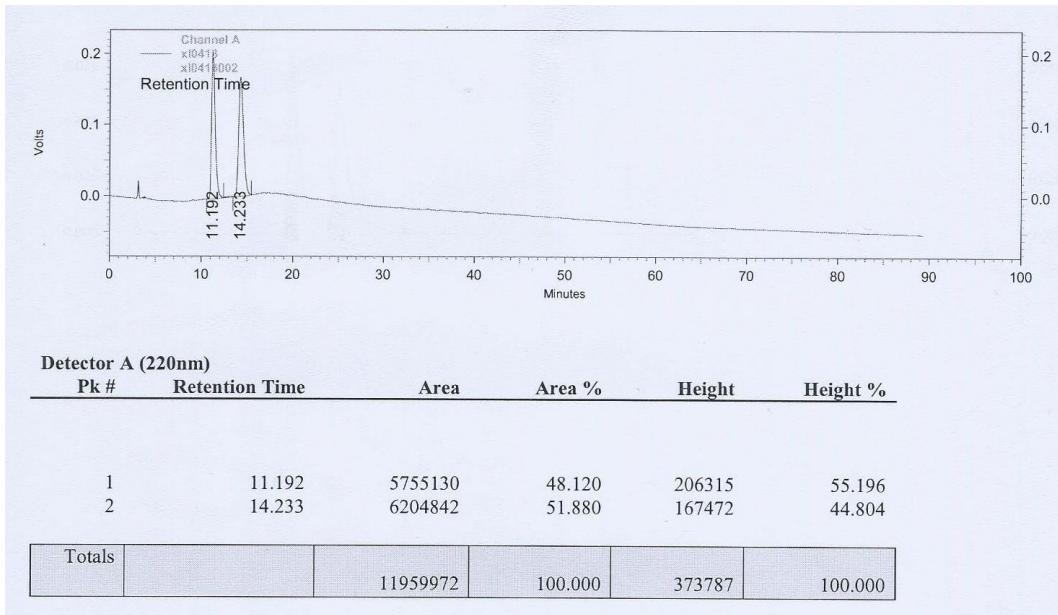


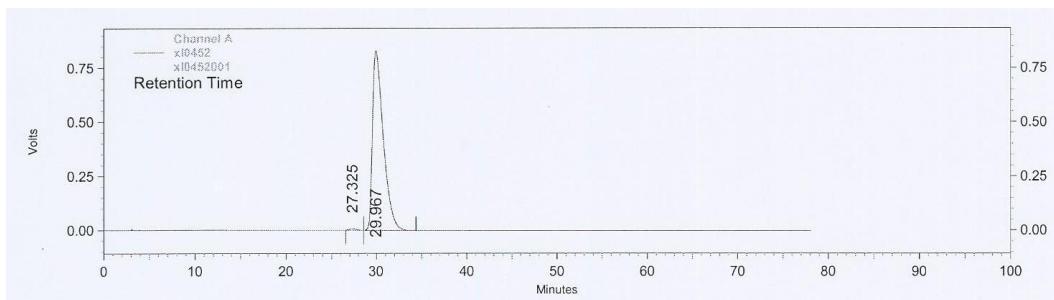
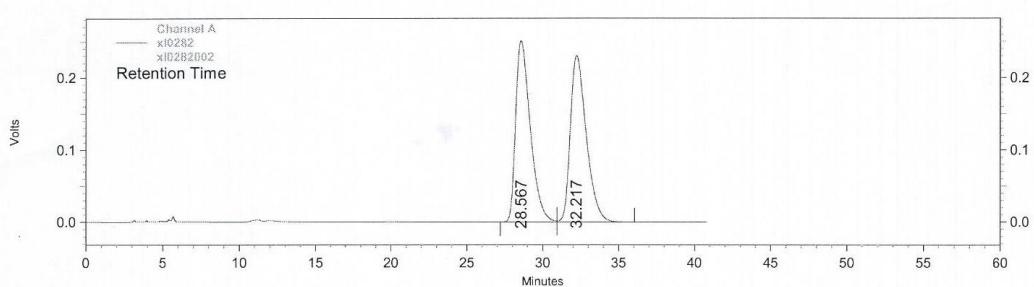
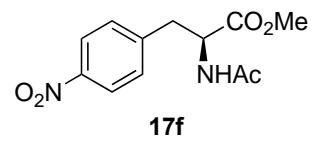
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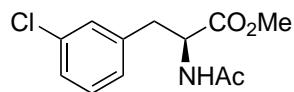
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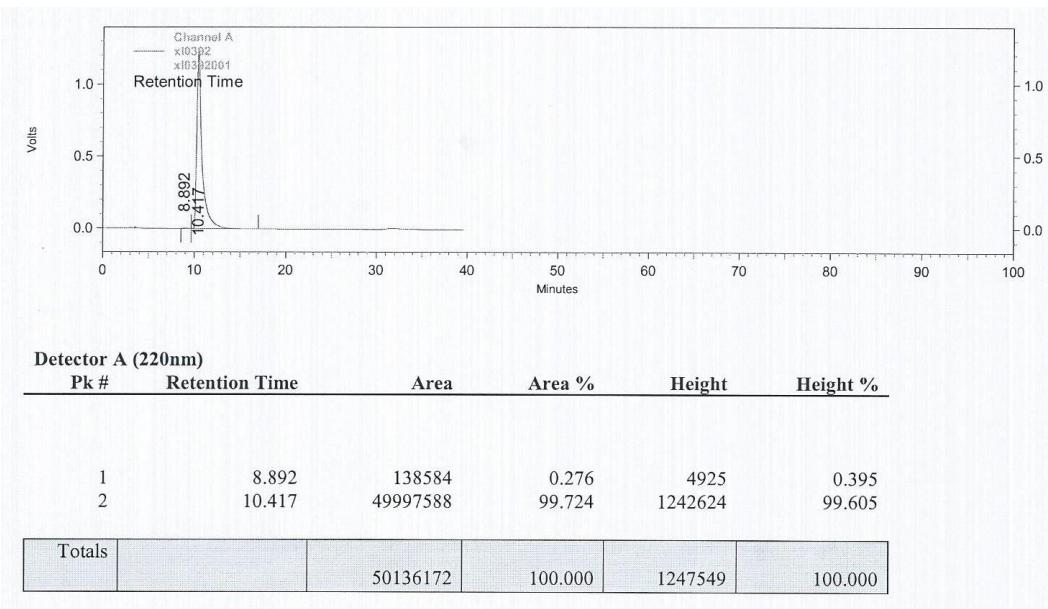
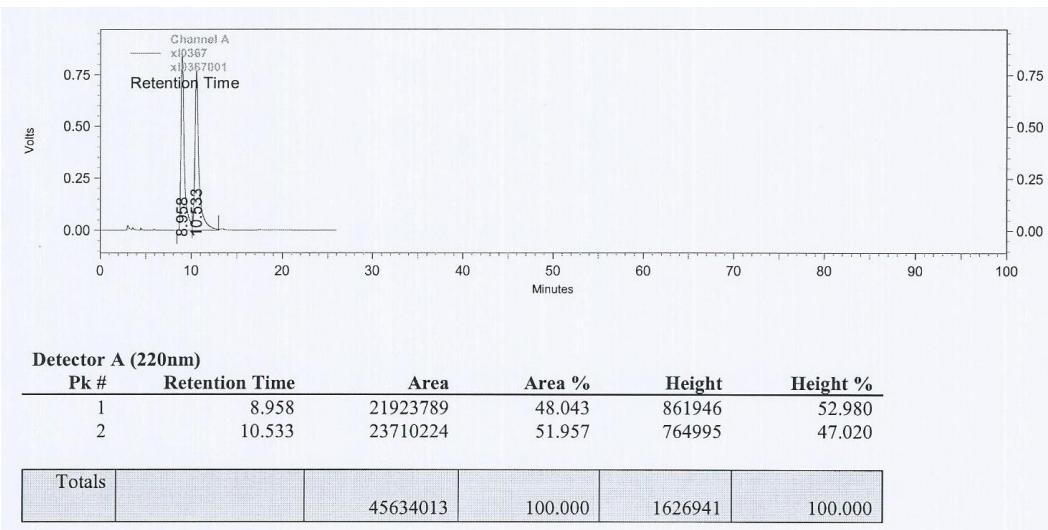
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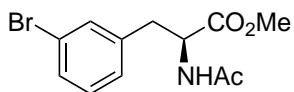




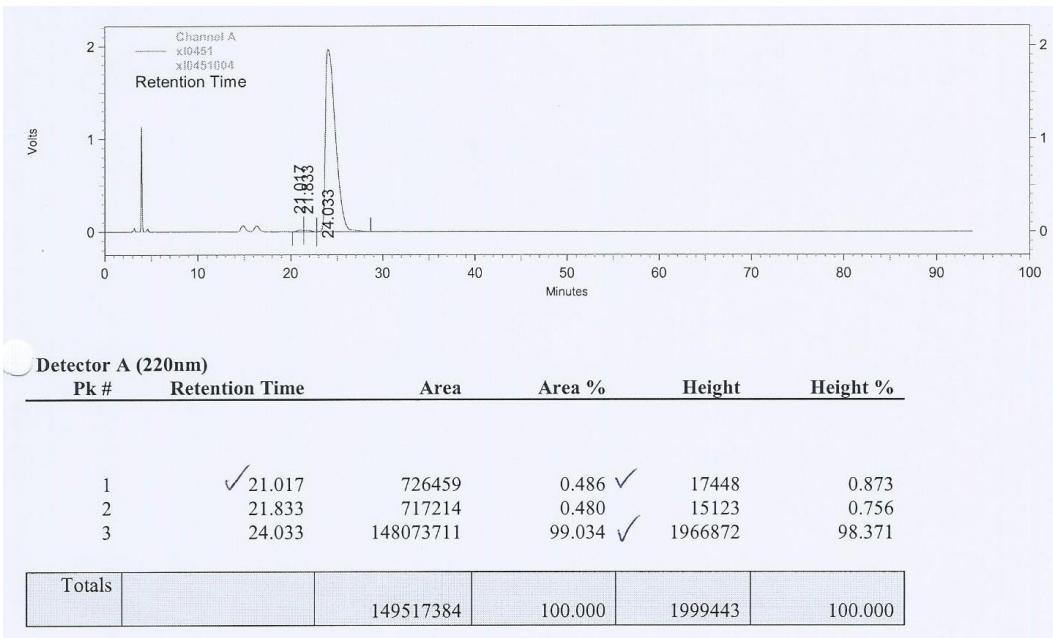
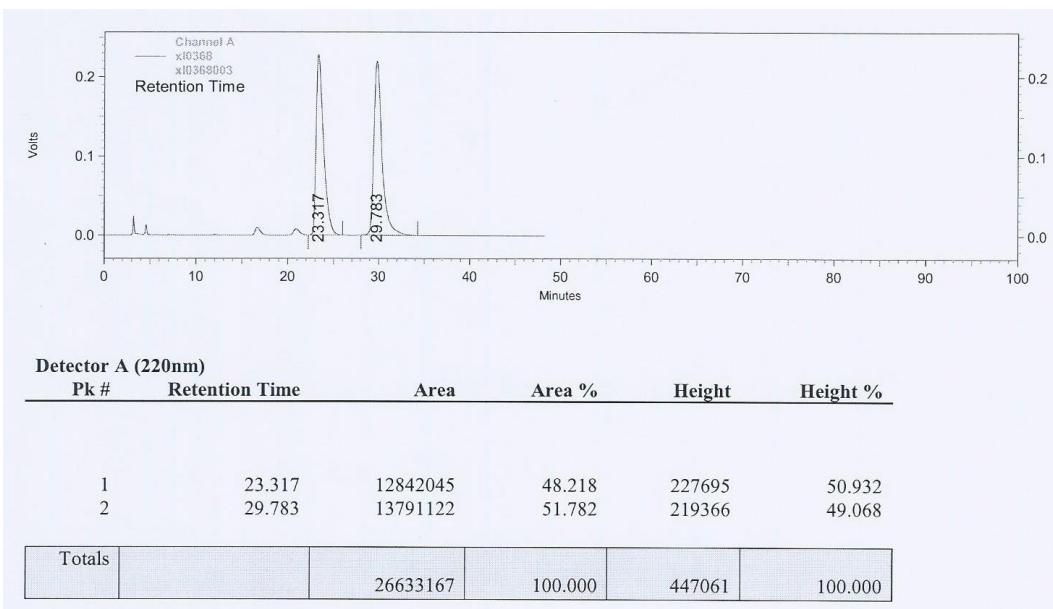


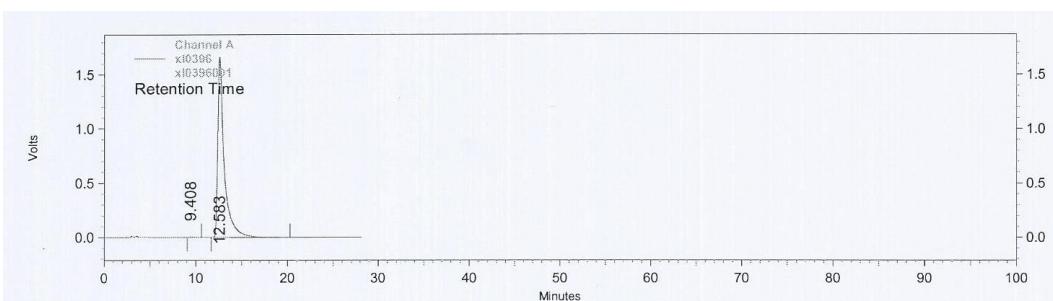
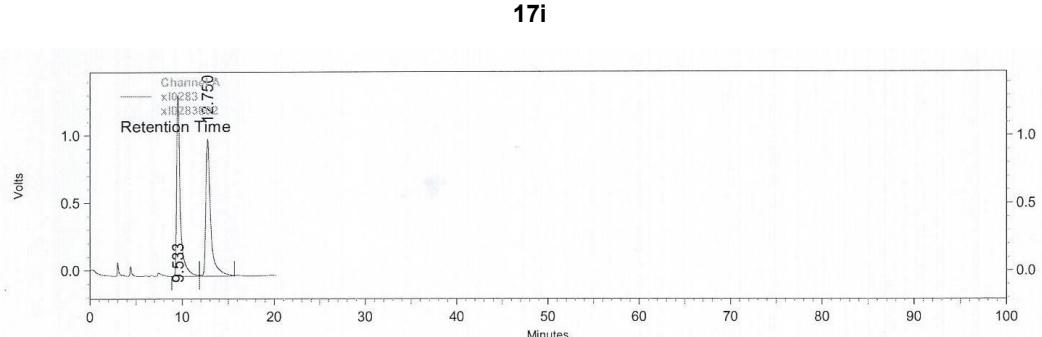
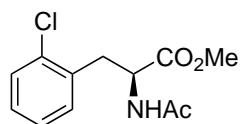
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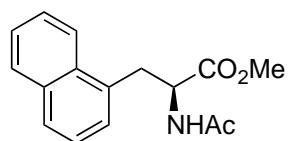




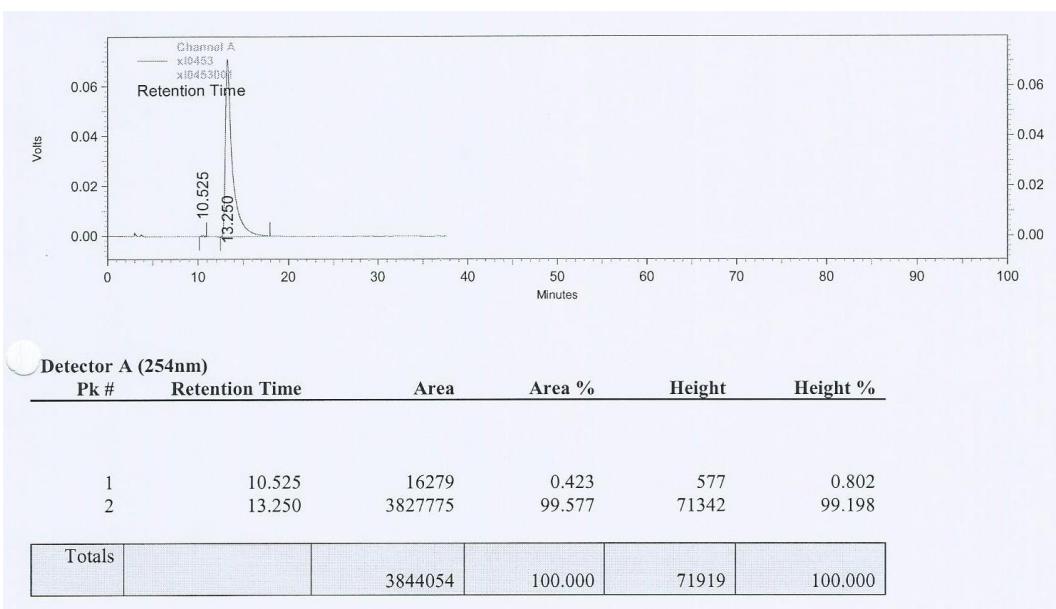
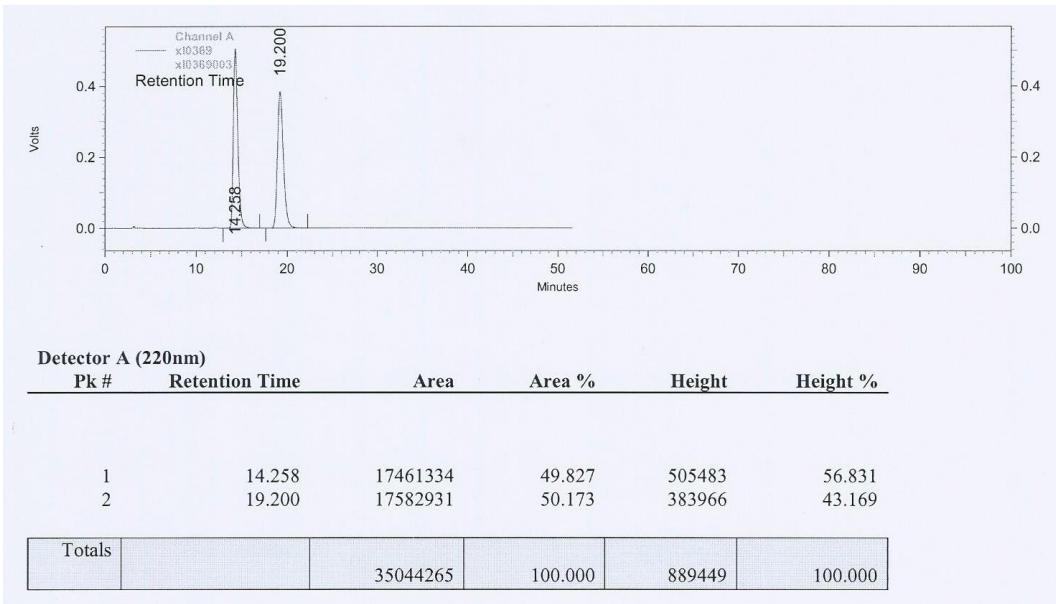
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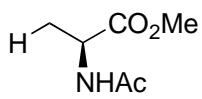




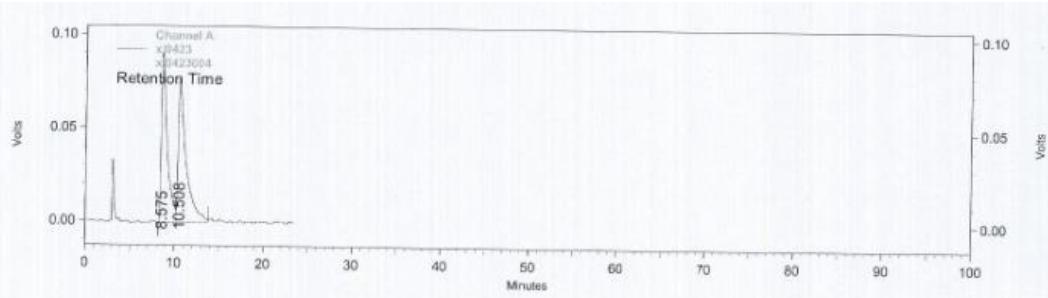


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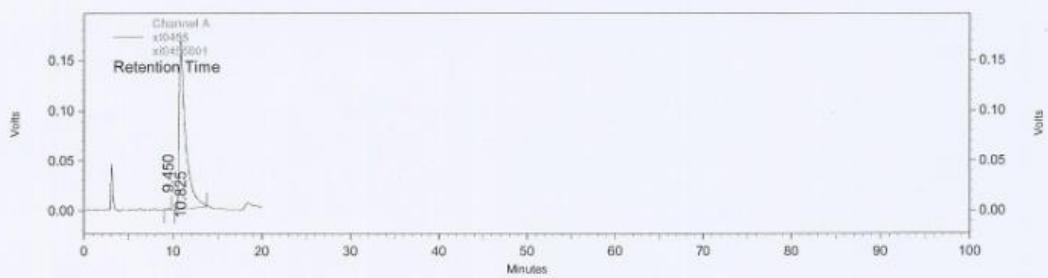


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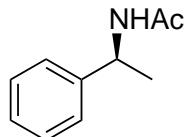
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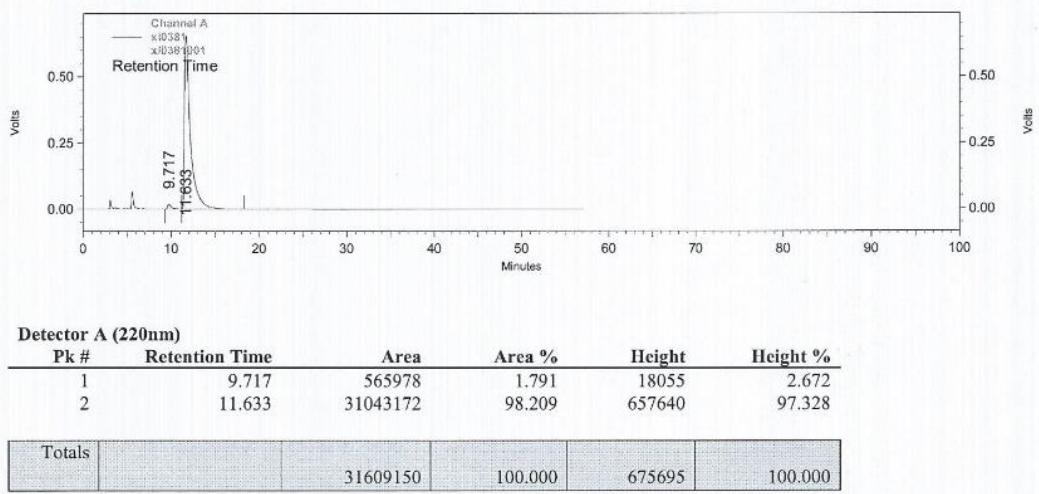
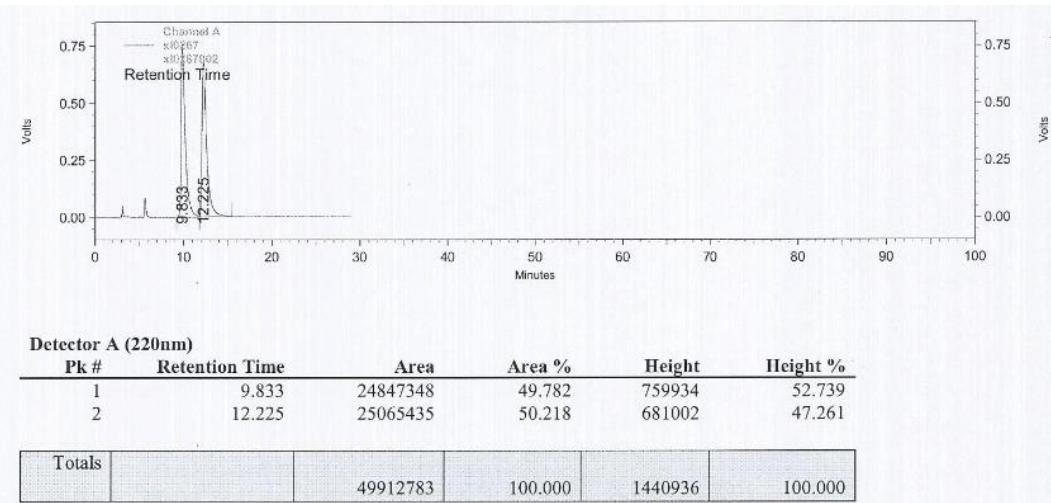


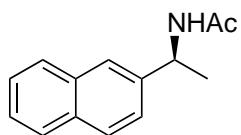
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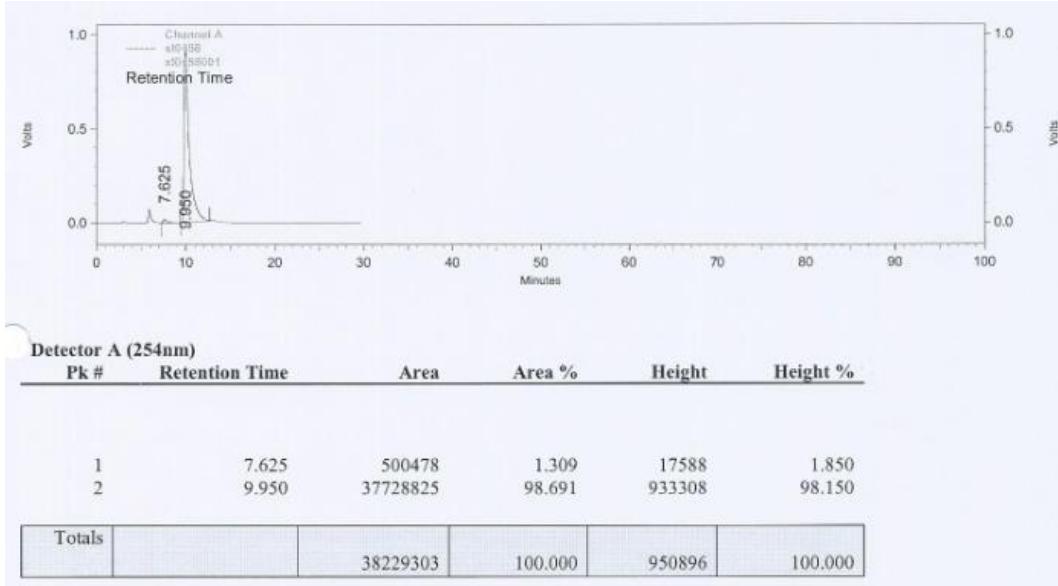
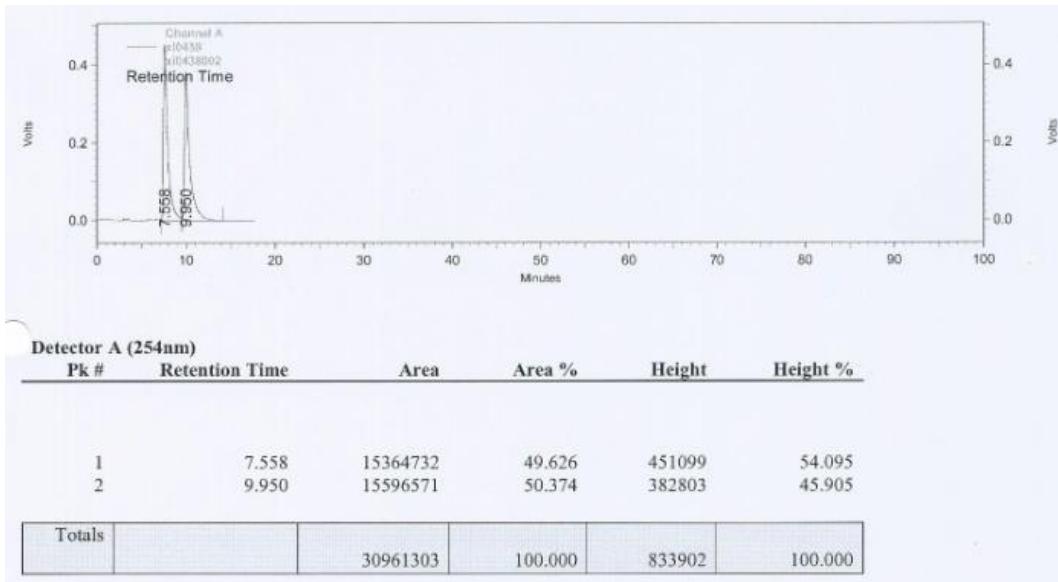


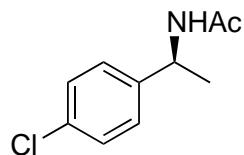
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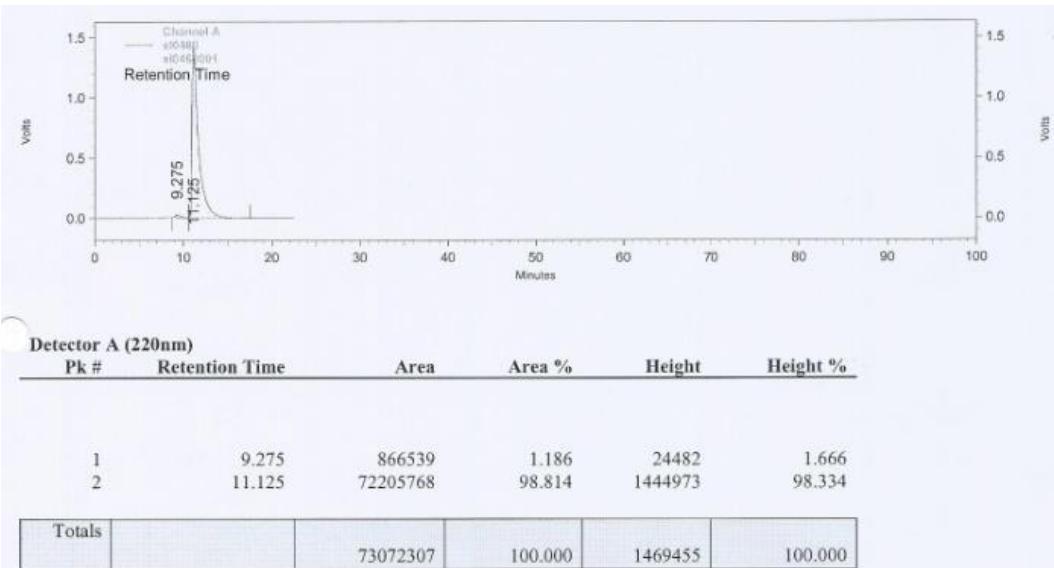
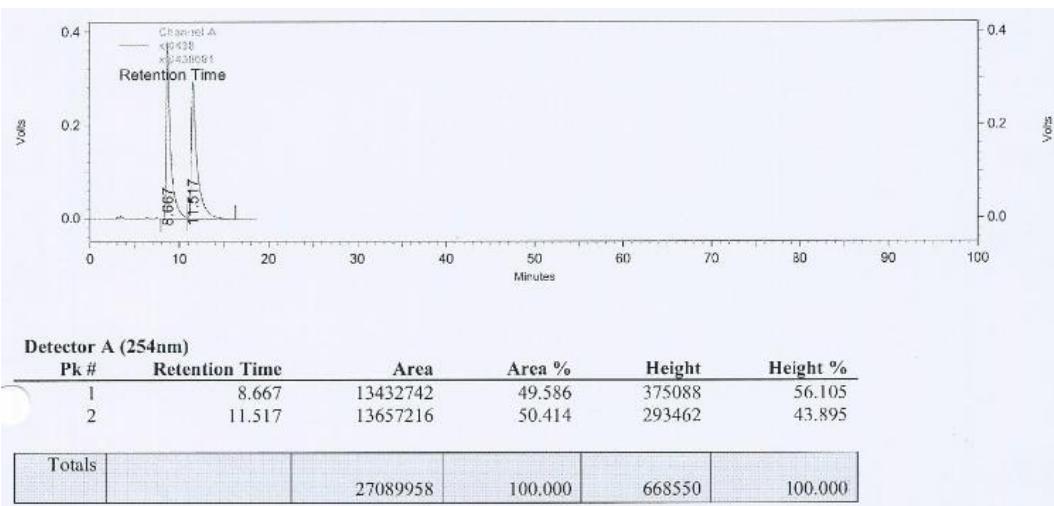


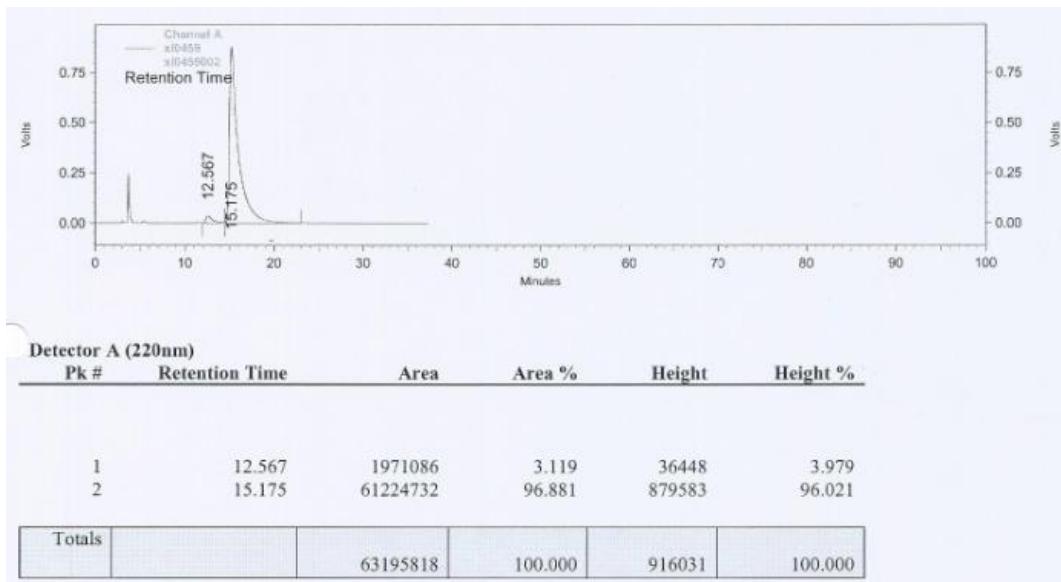
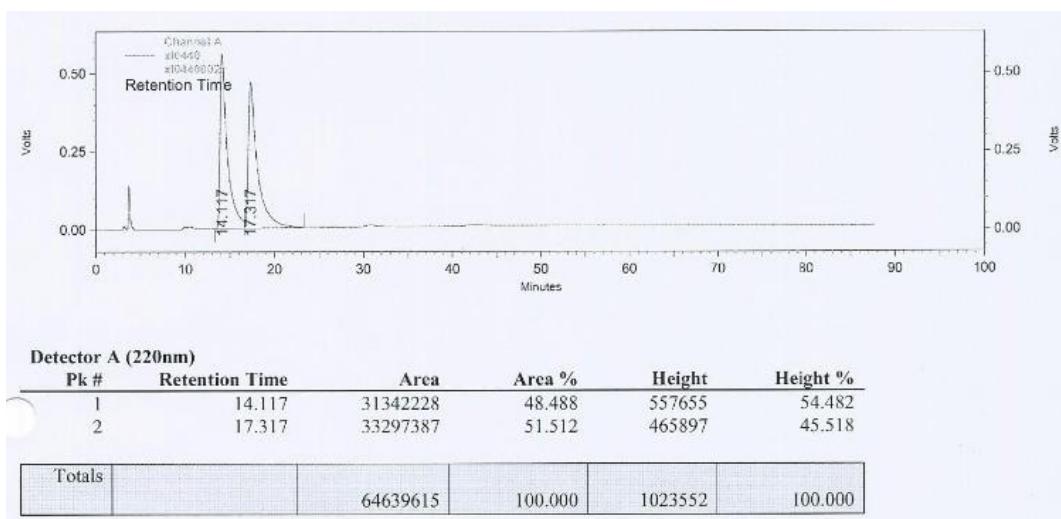
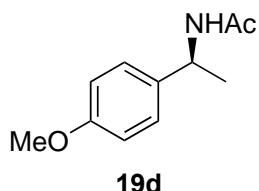
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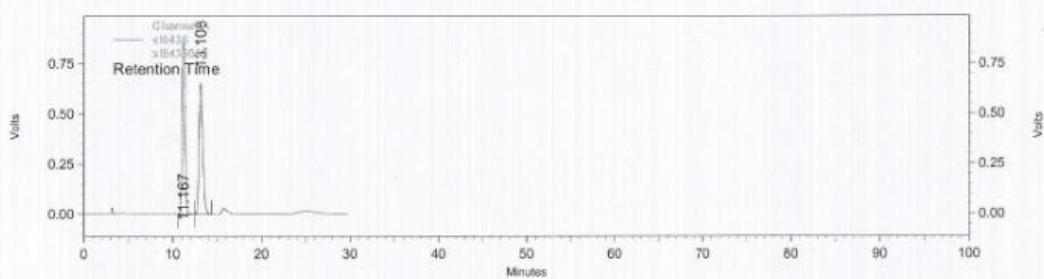
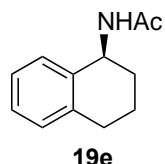




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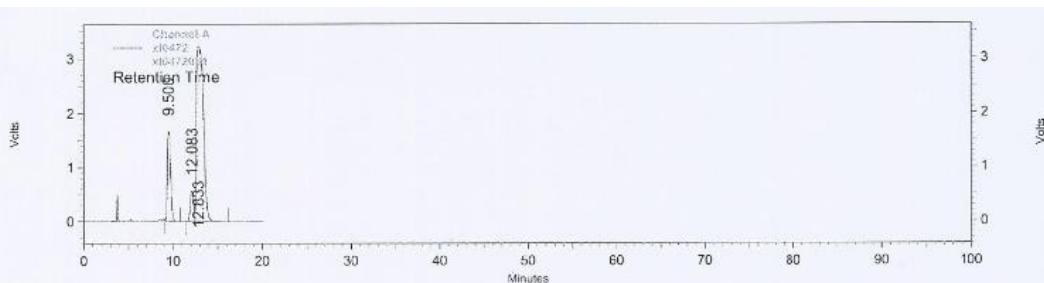






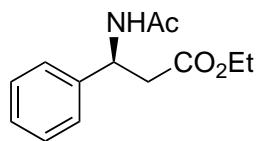
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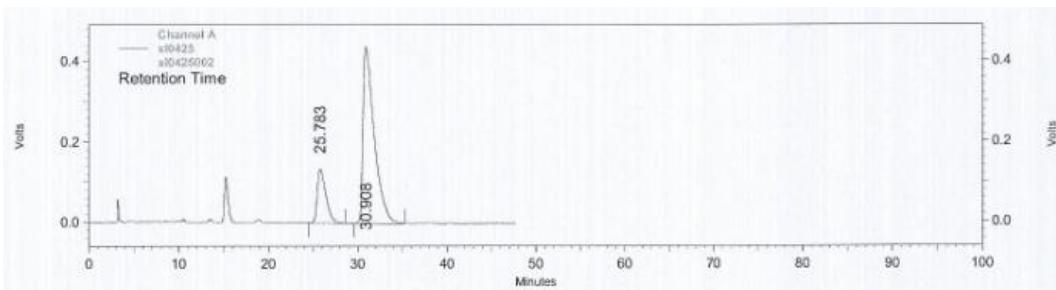
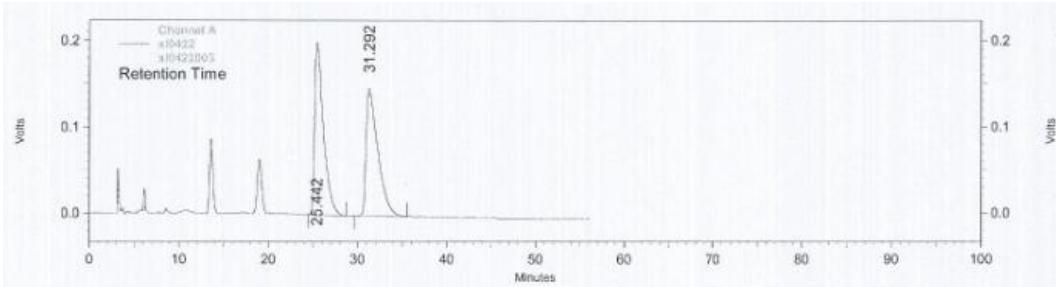


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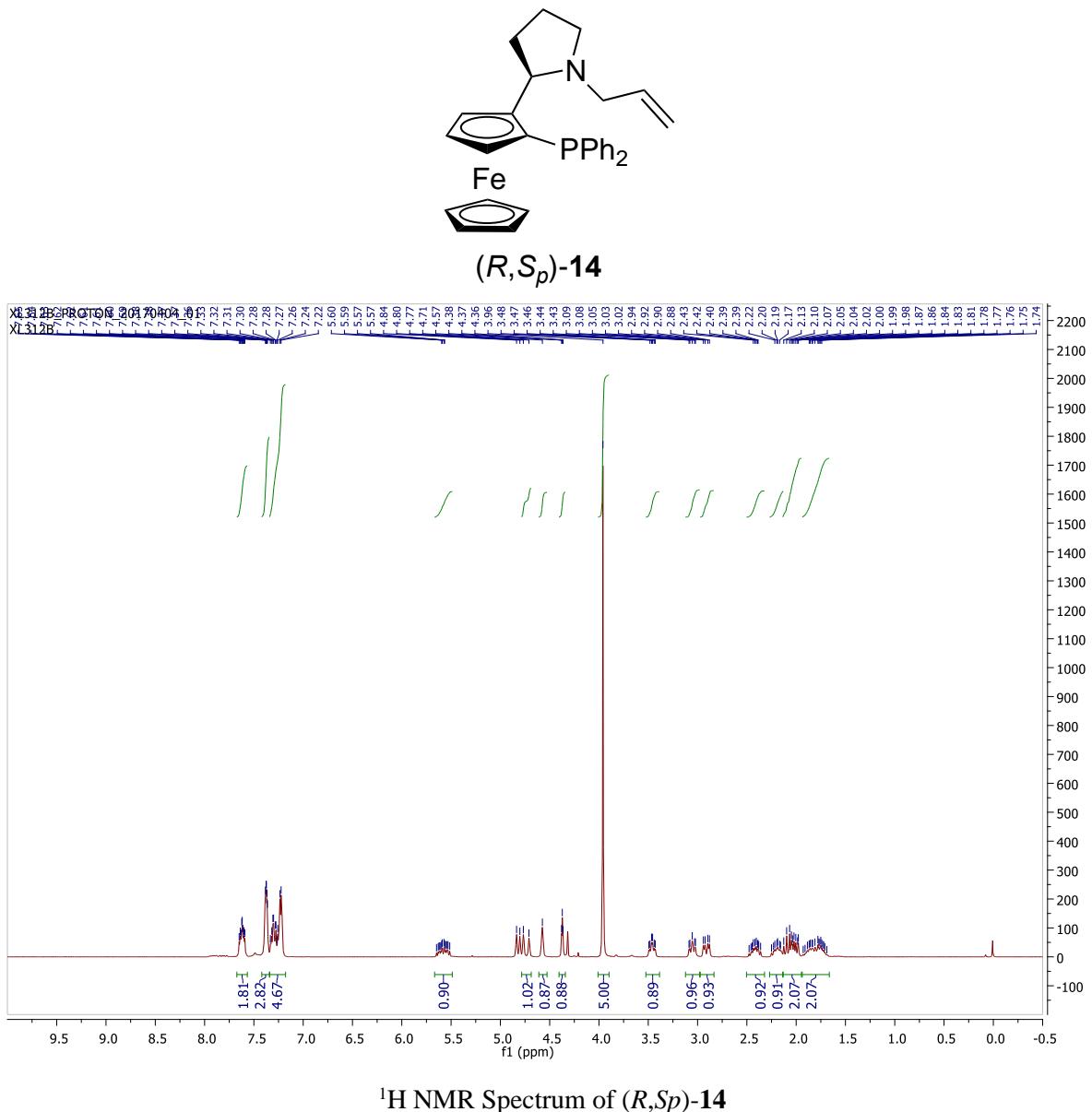
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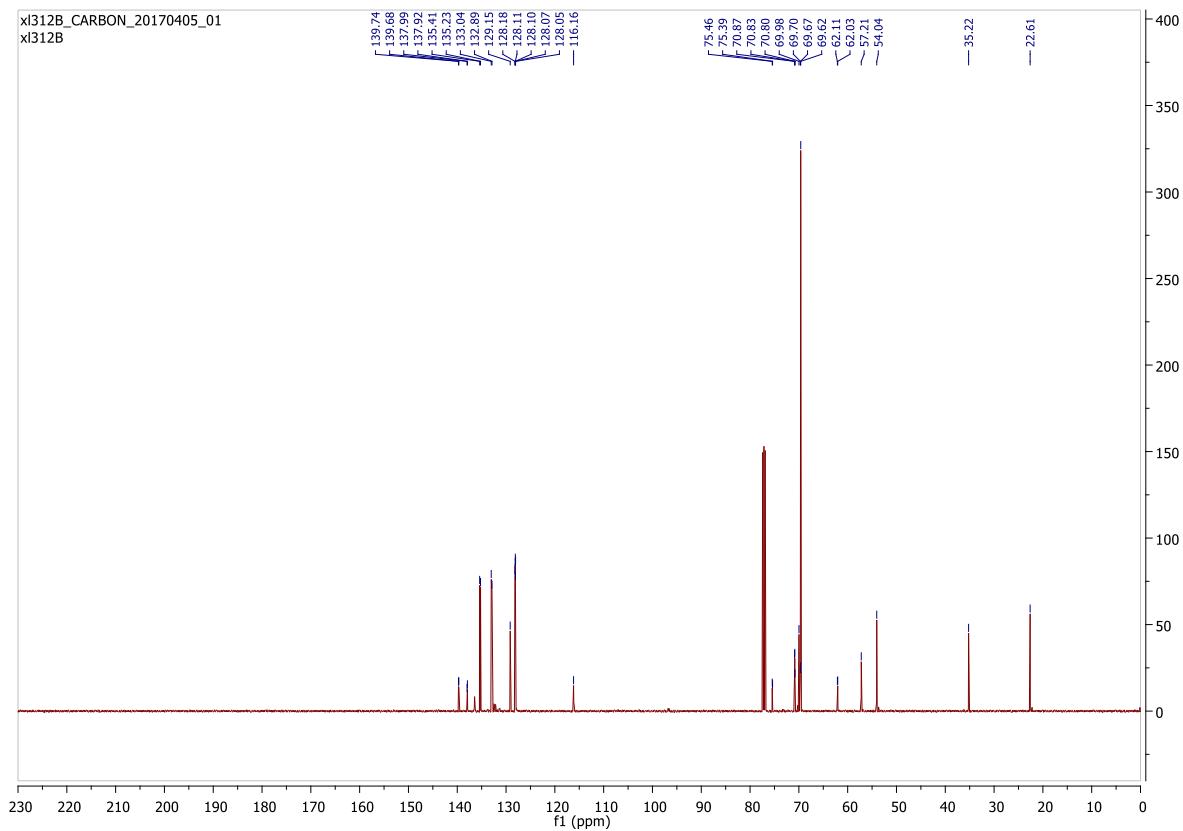


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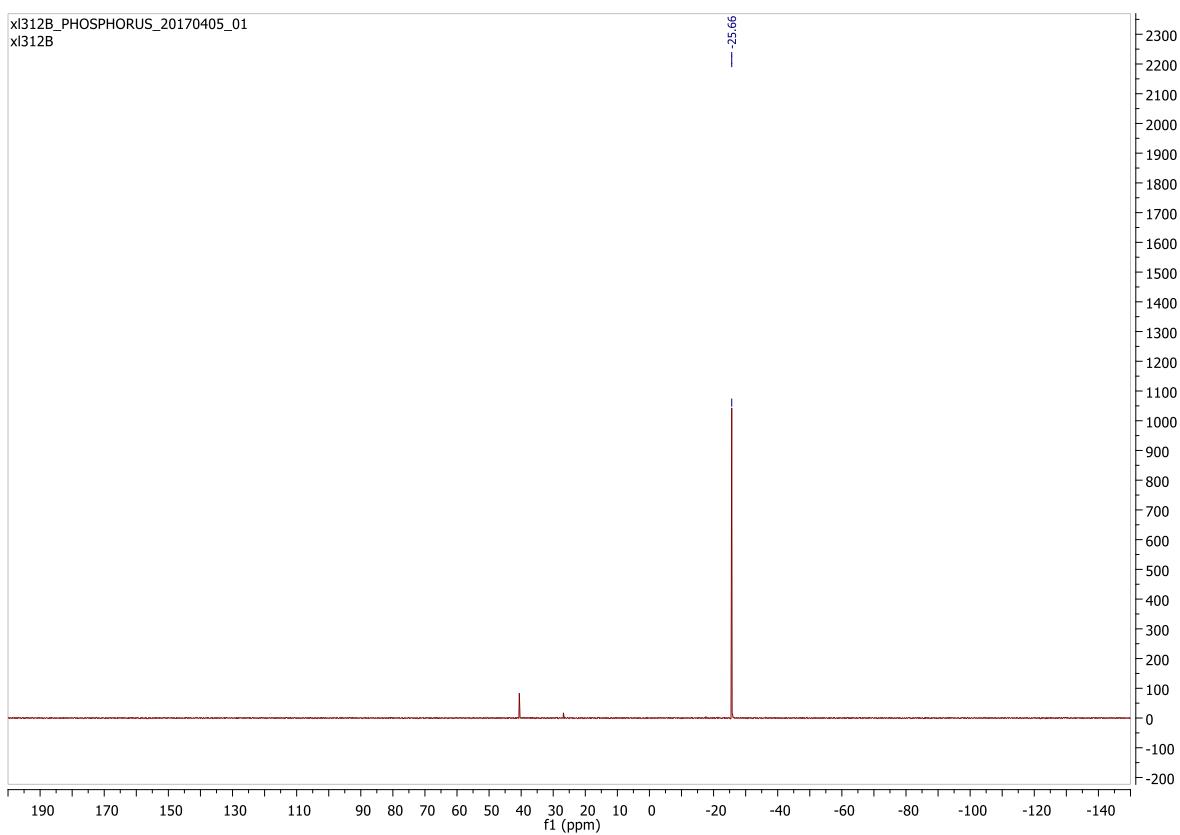


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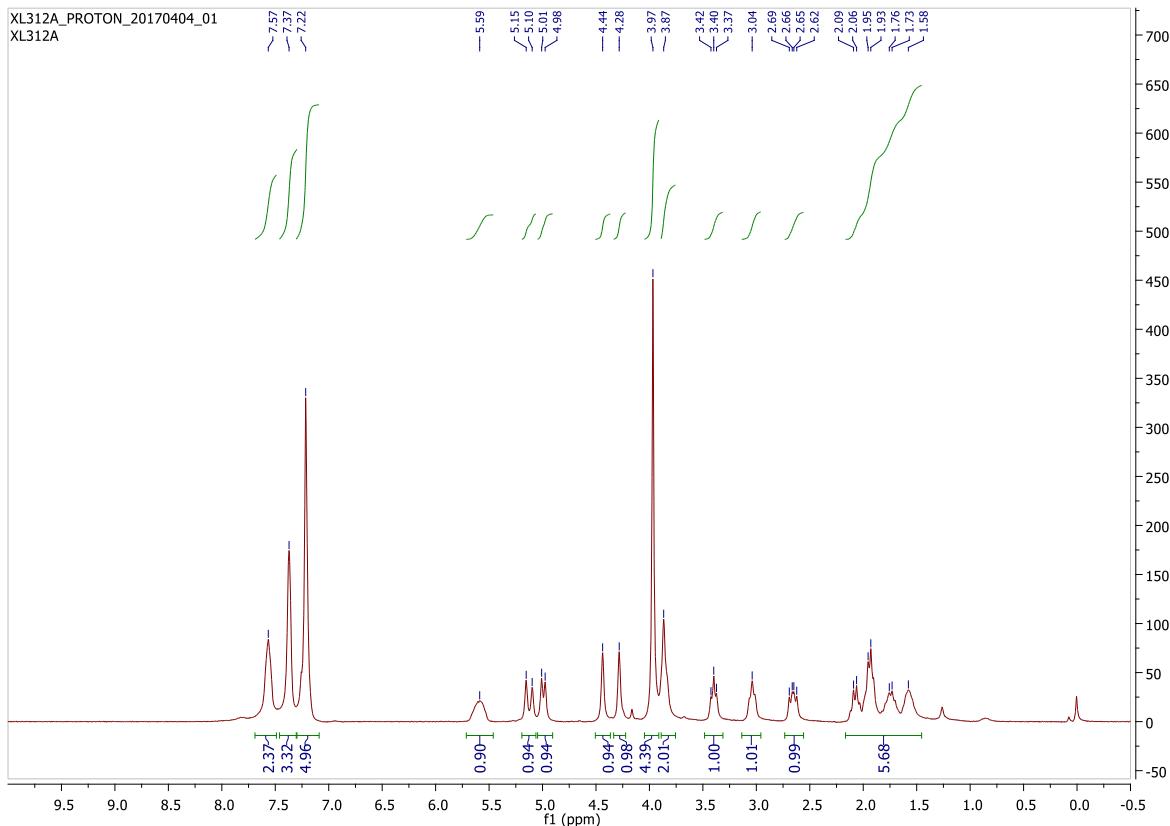
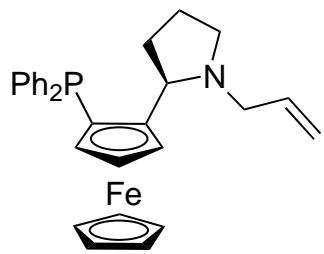




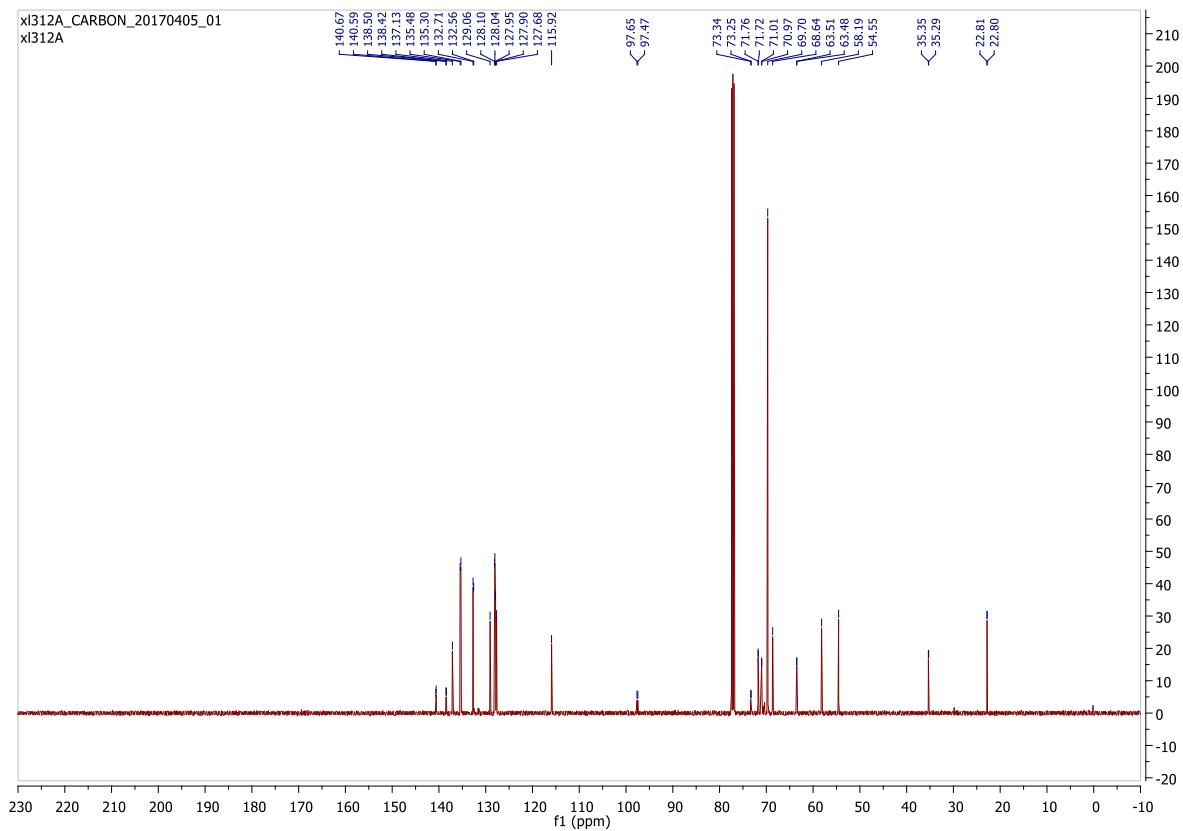
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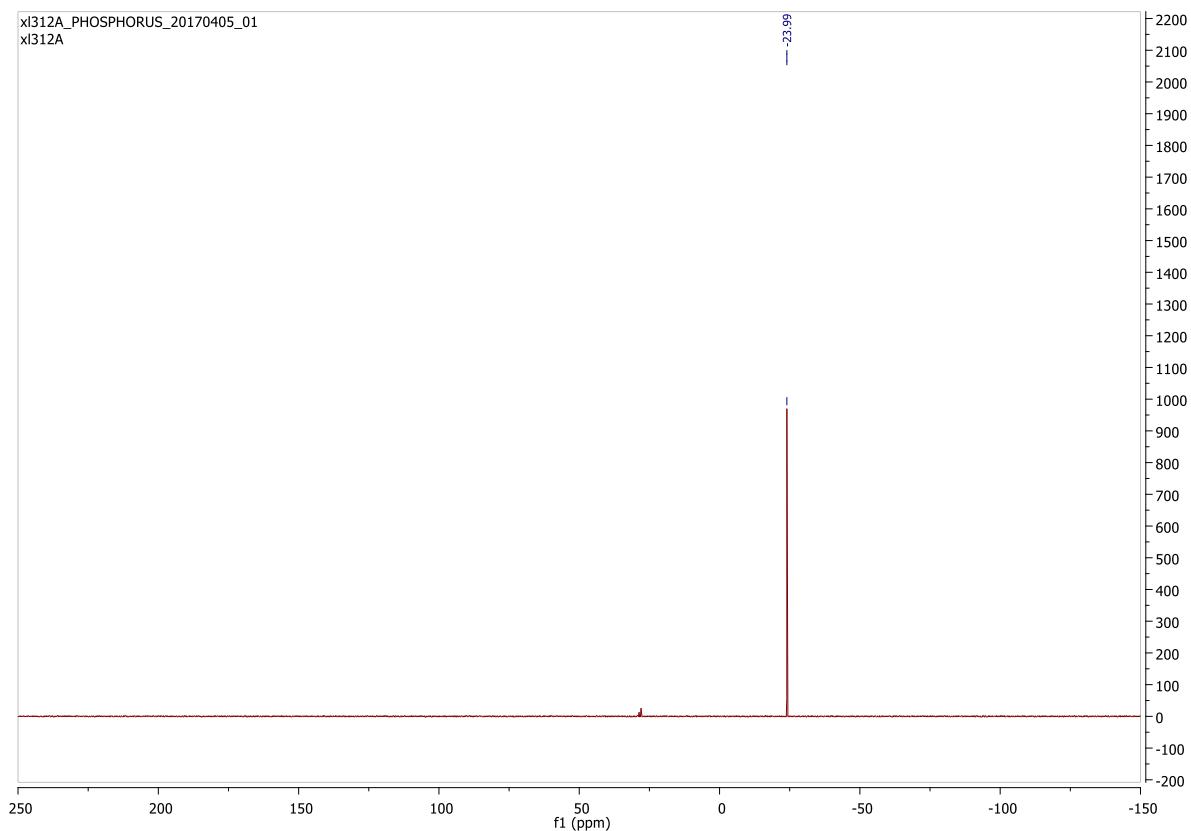
<sup>31</sup>P NMR Spectrum of (*R,Sp*)-**14**



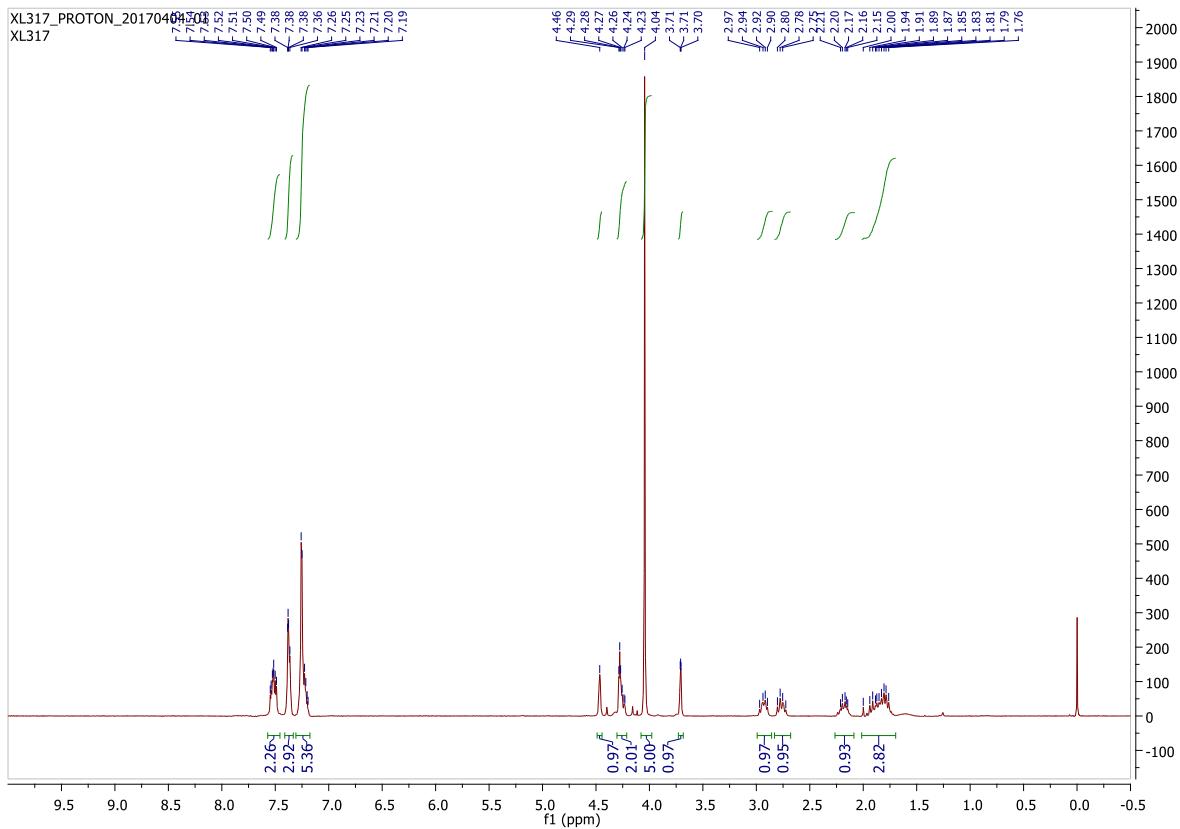
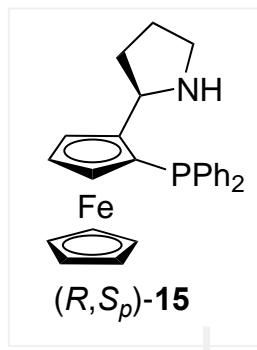
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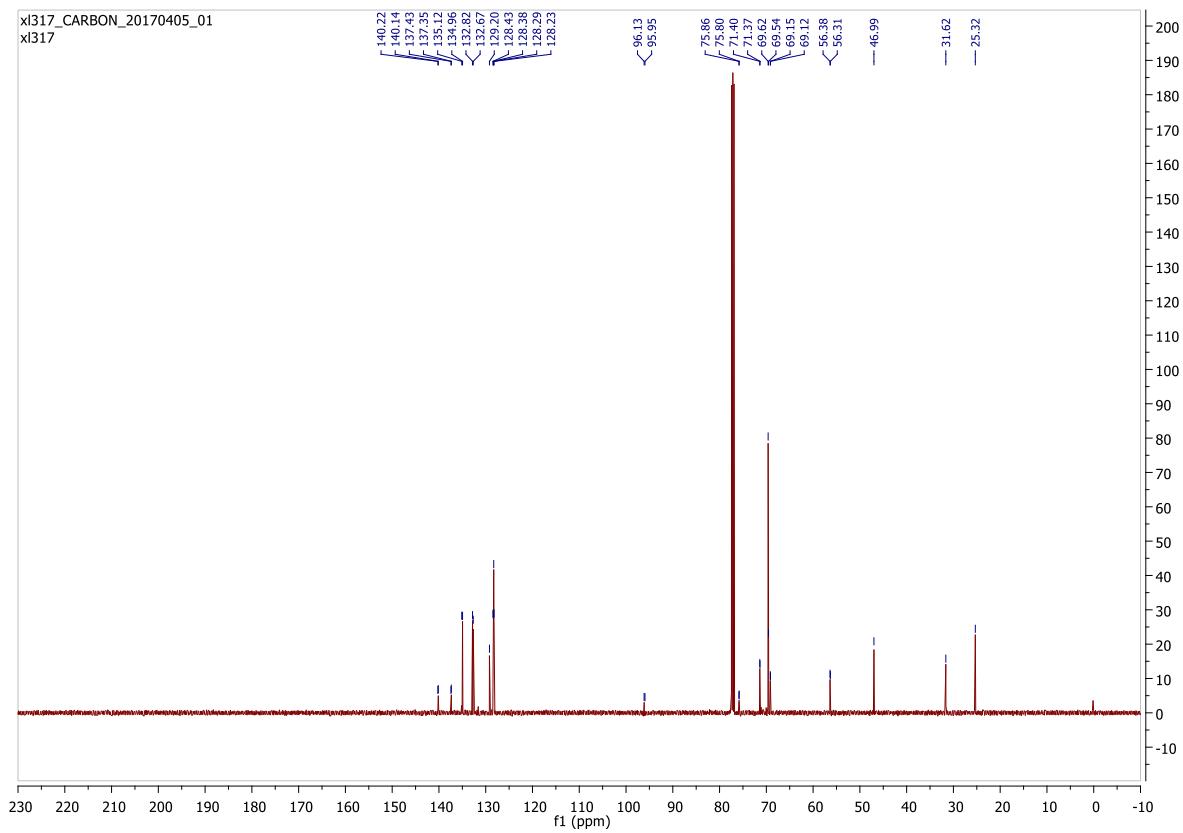


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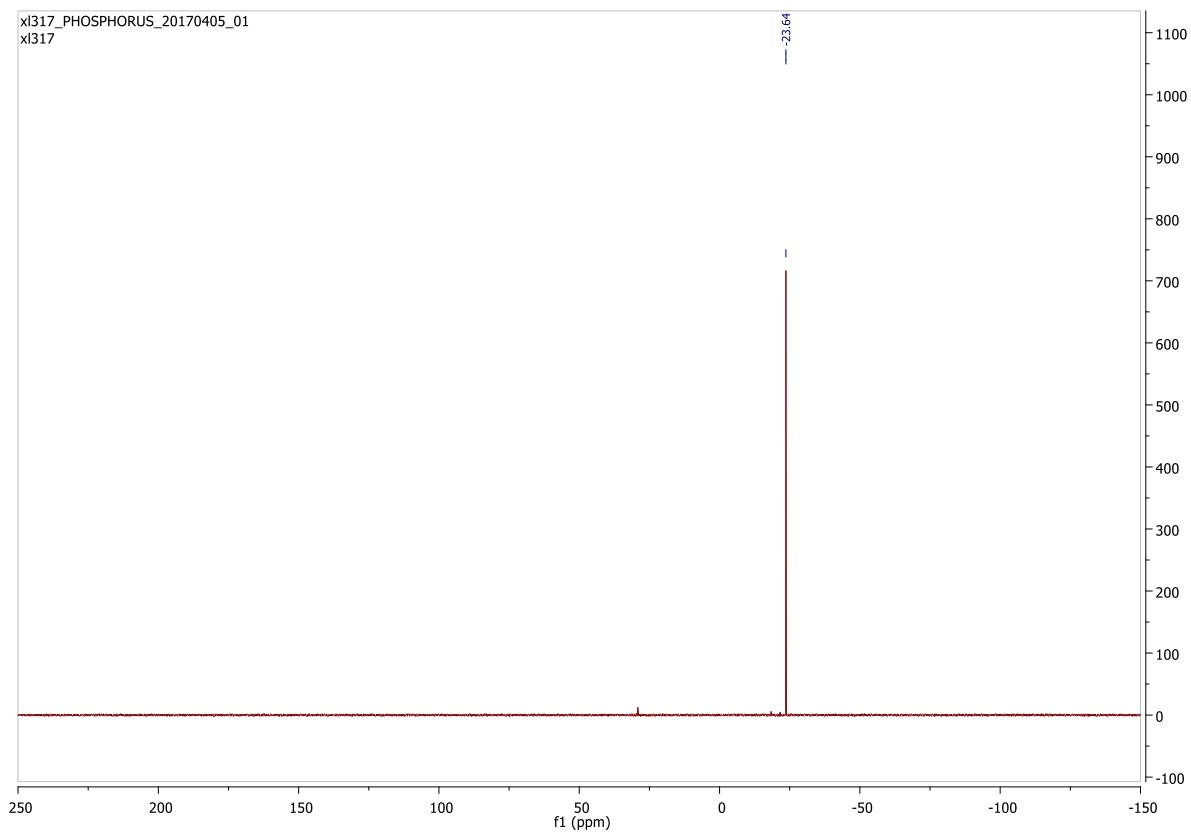


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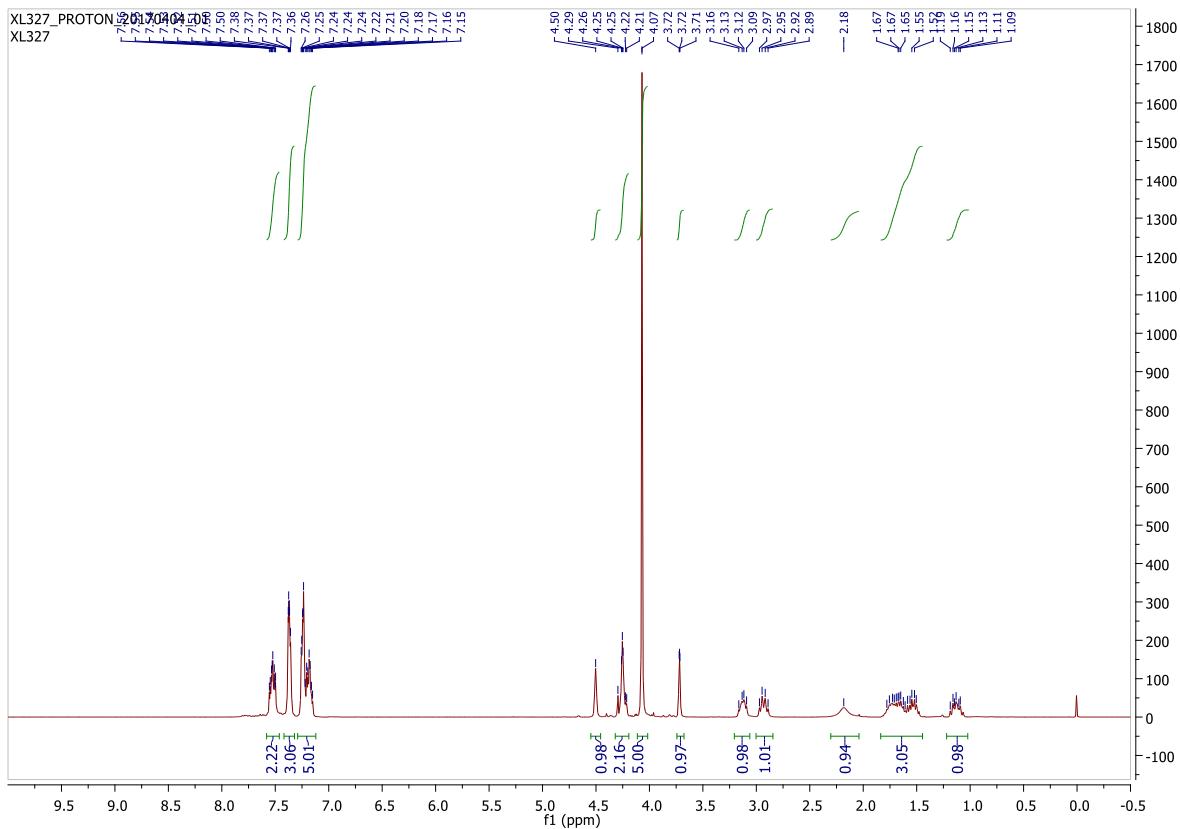
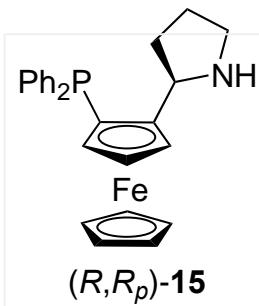




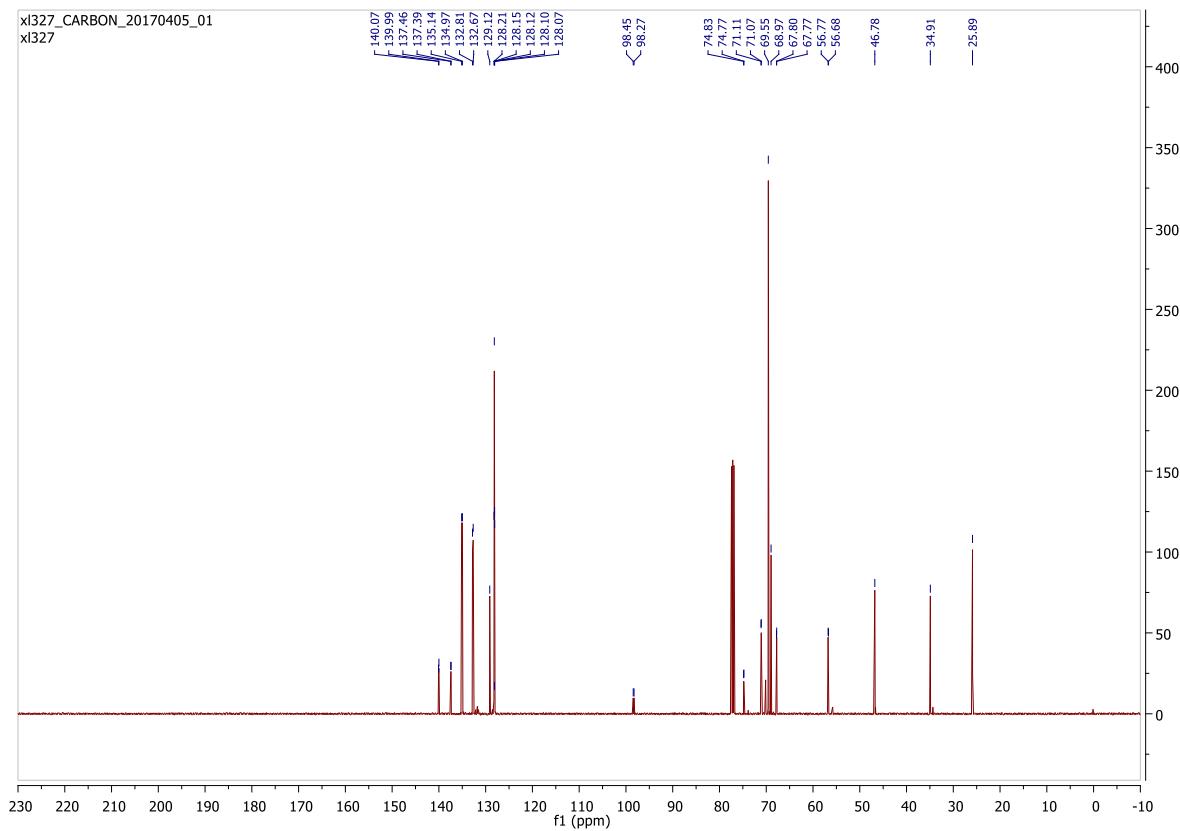
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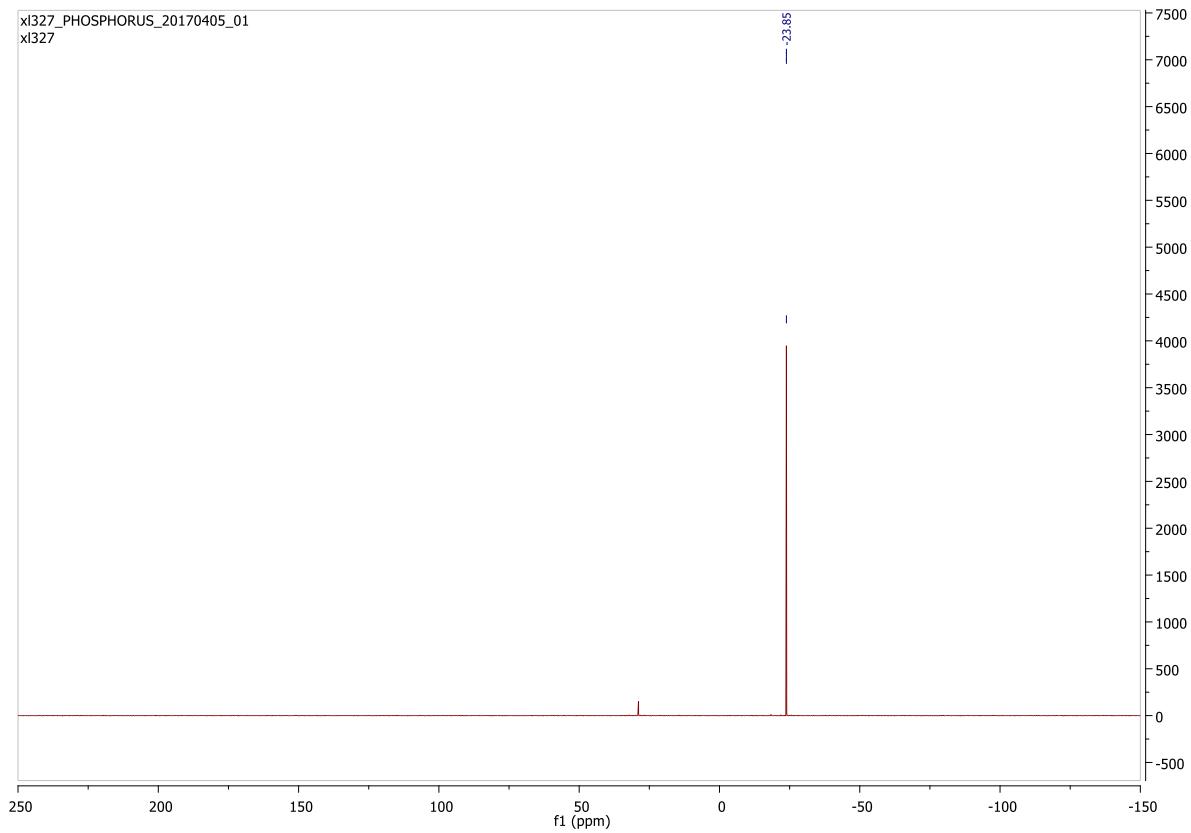
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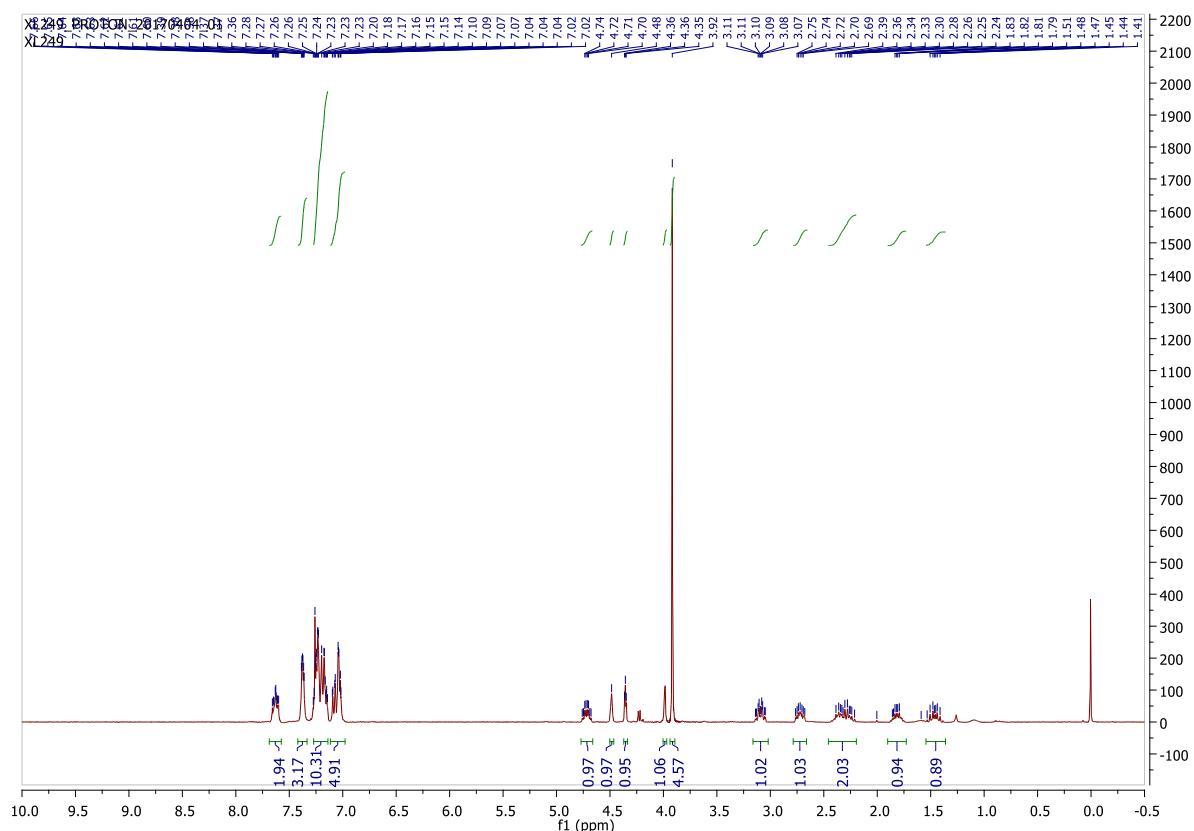
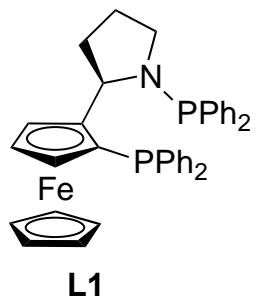
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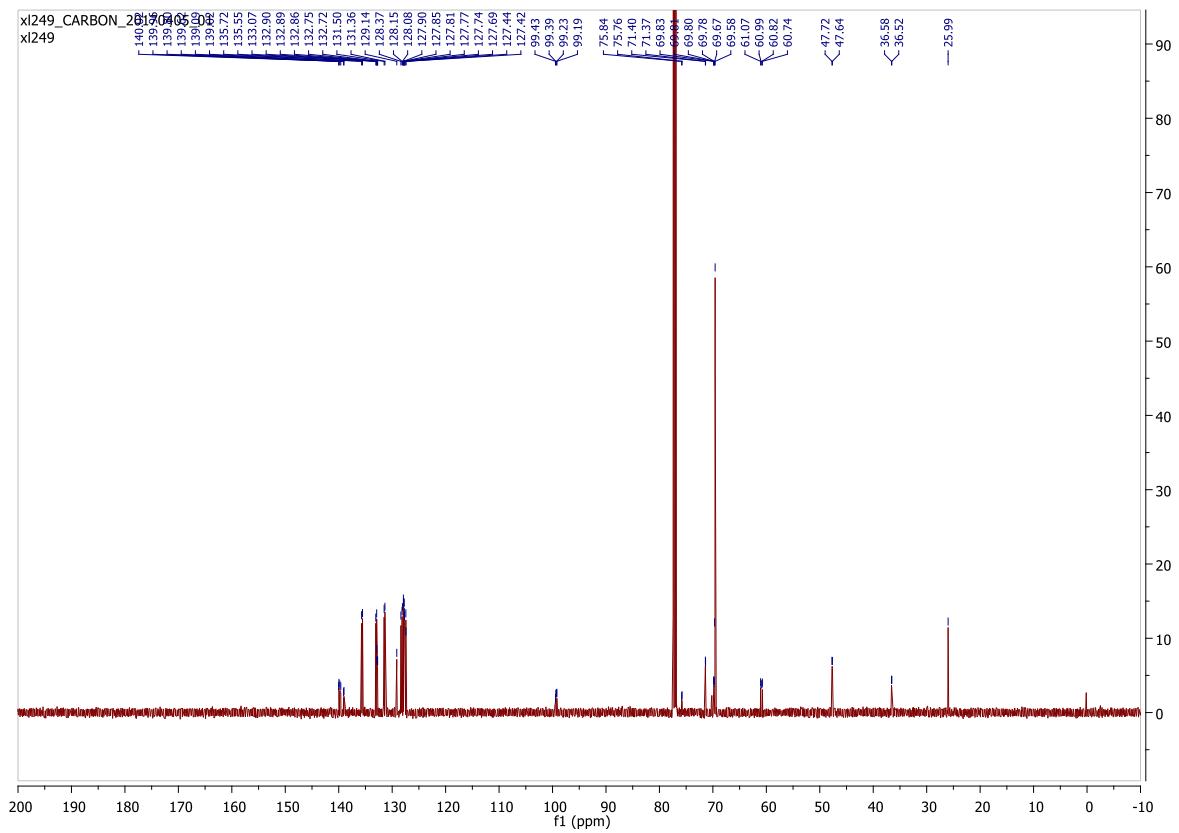
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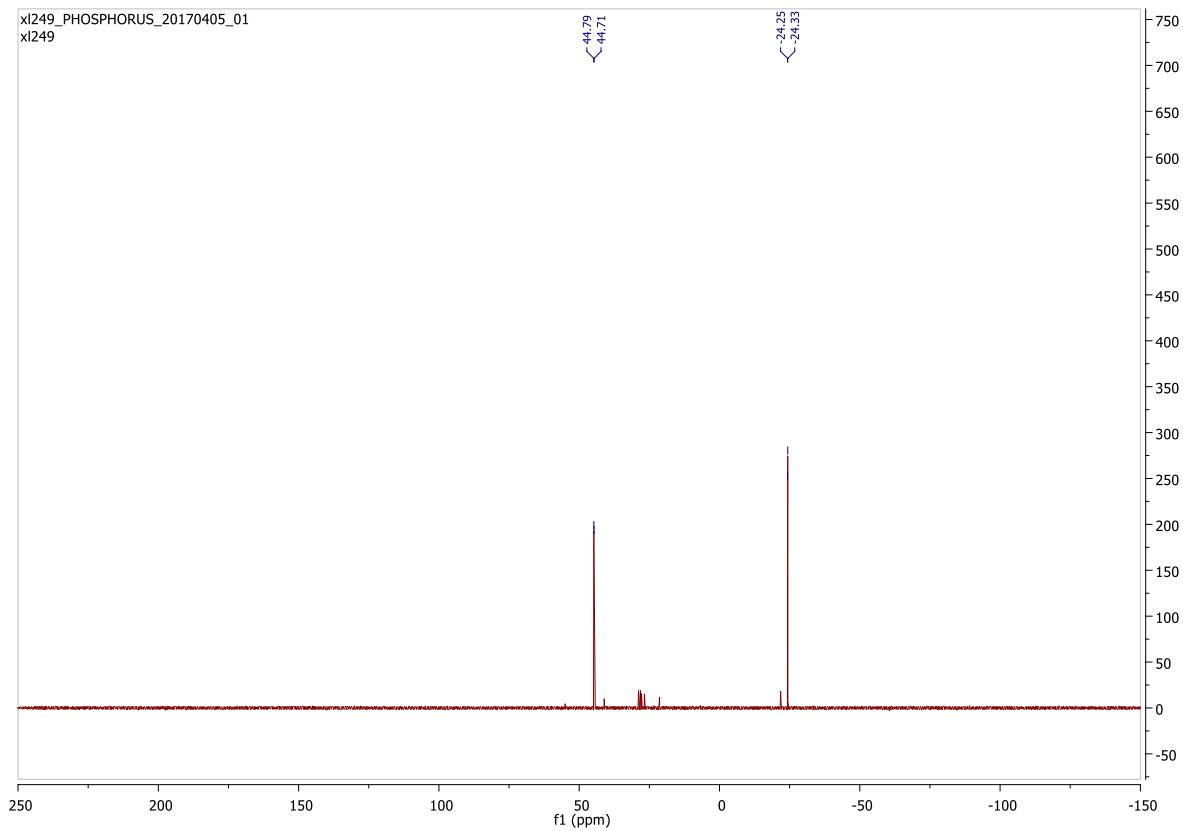
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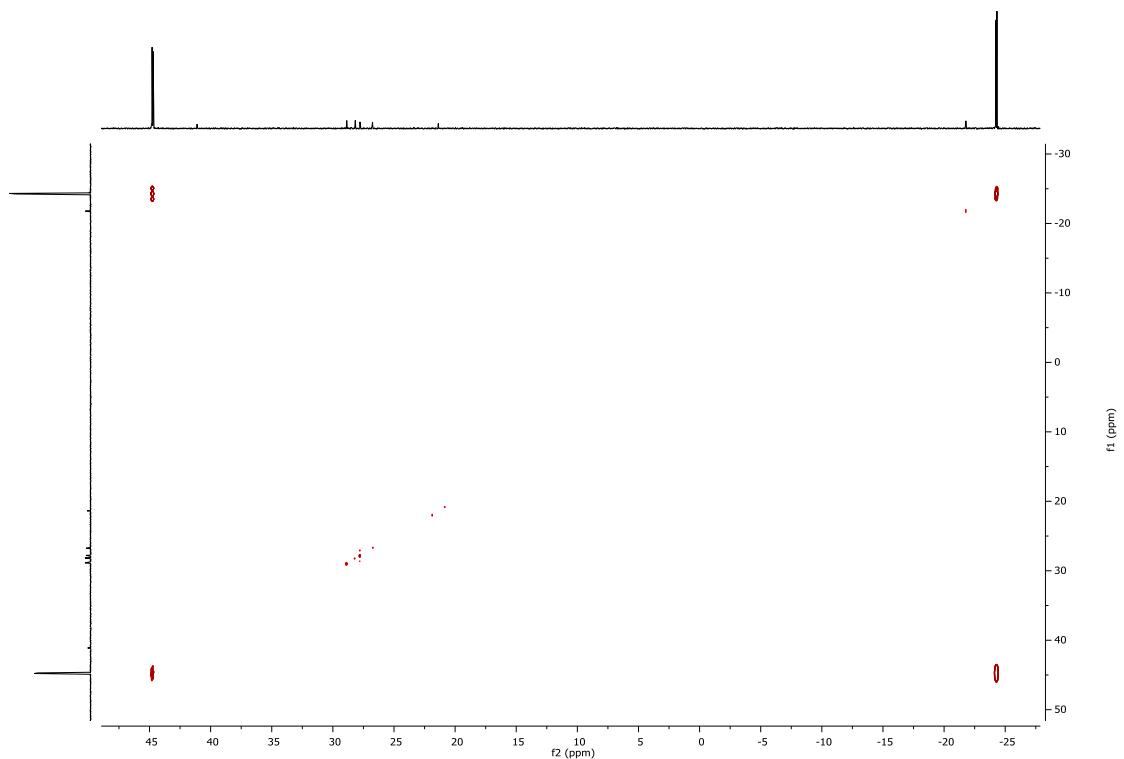
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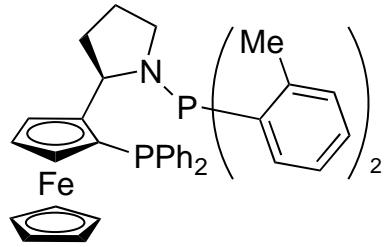
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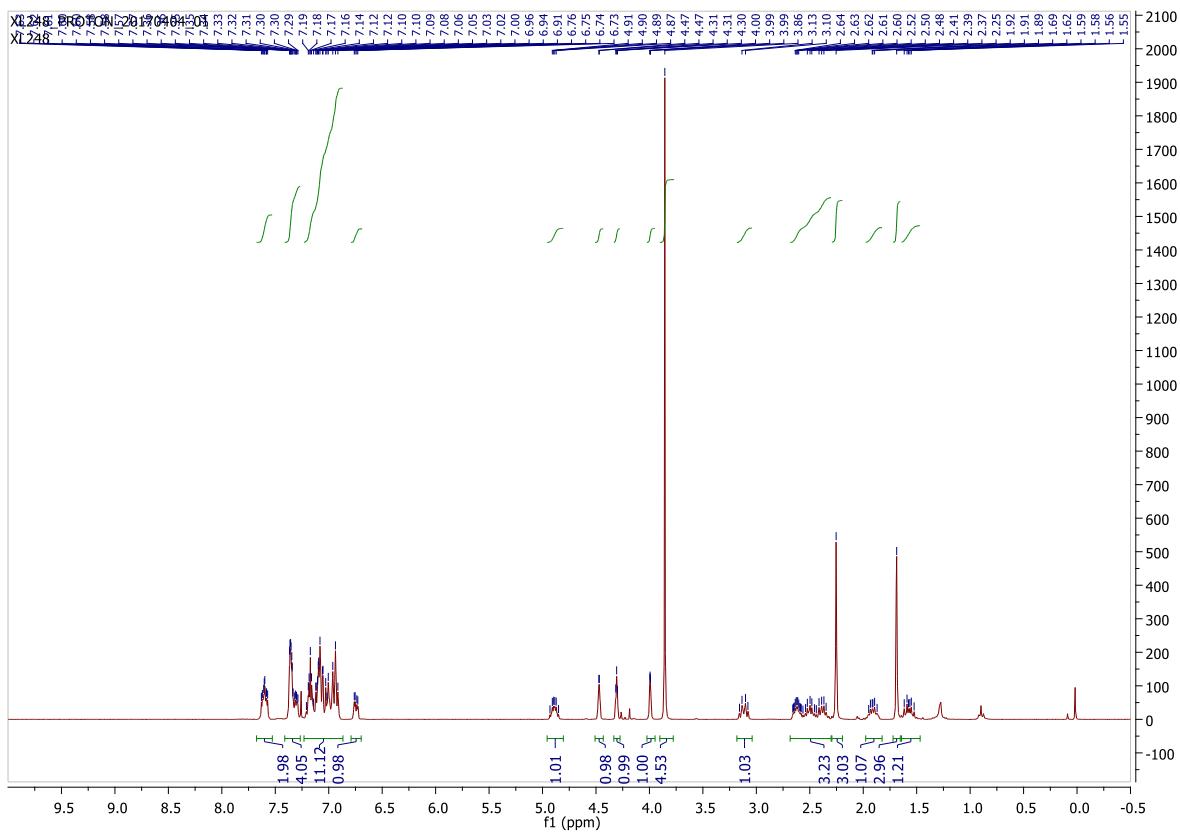
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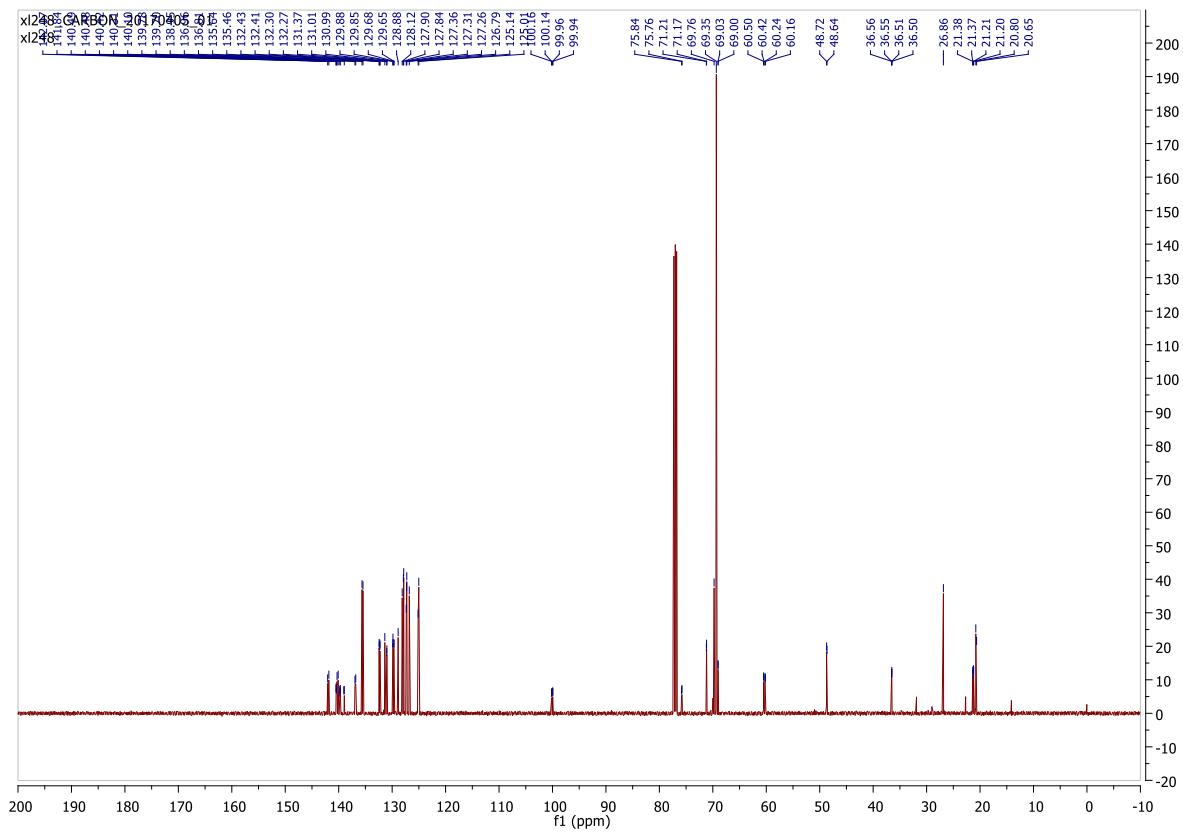
$^{31}\text{P}$ - $^{31}\text{P}$  COSY of Ligand **L1**



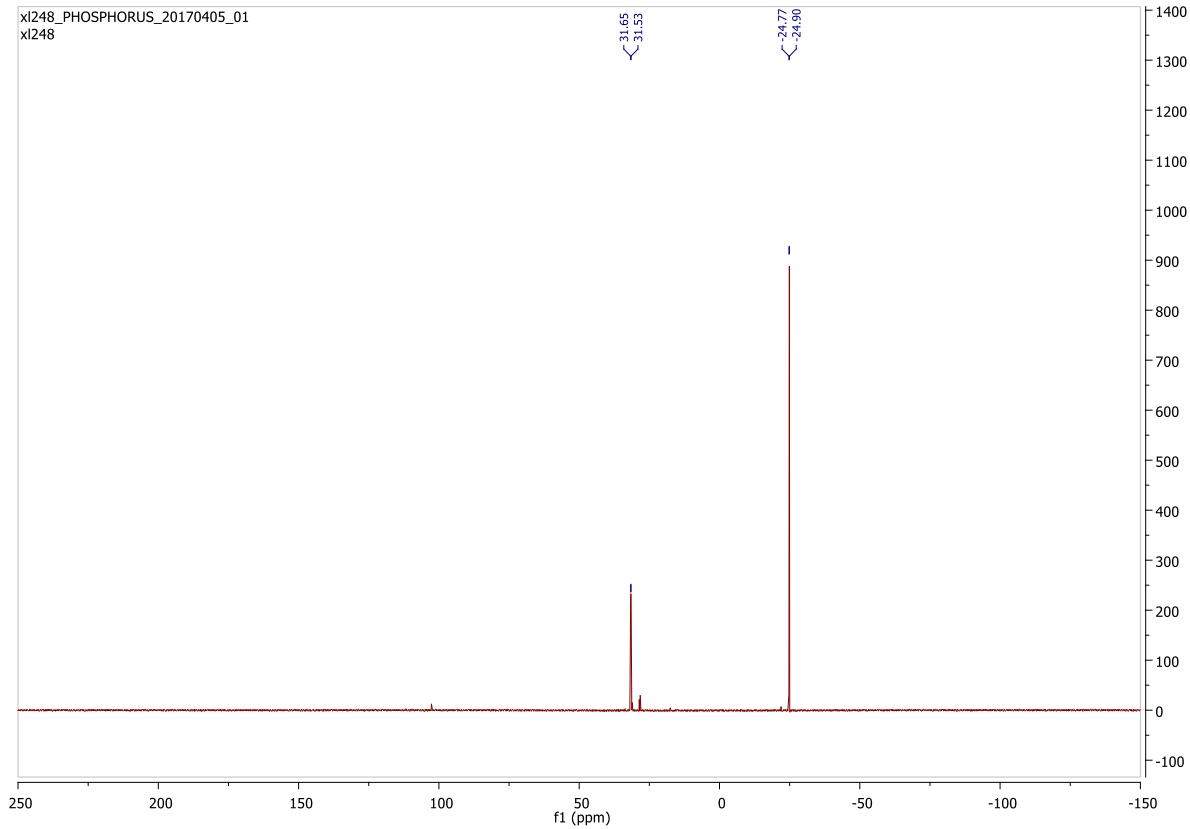
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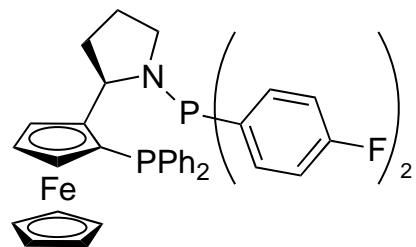
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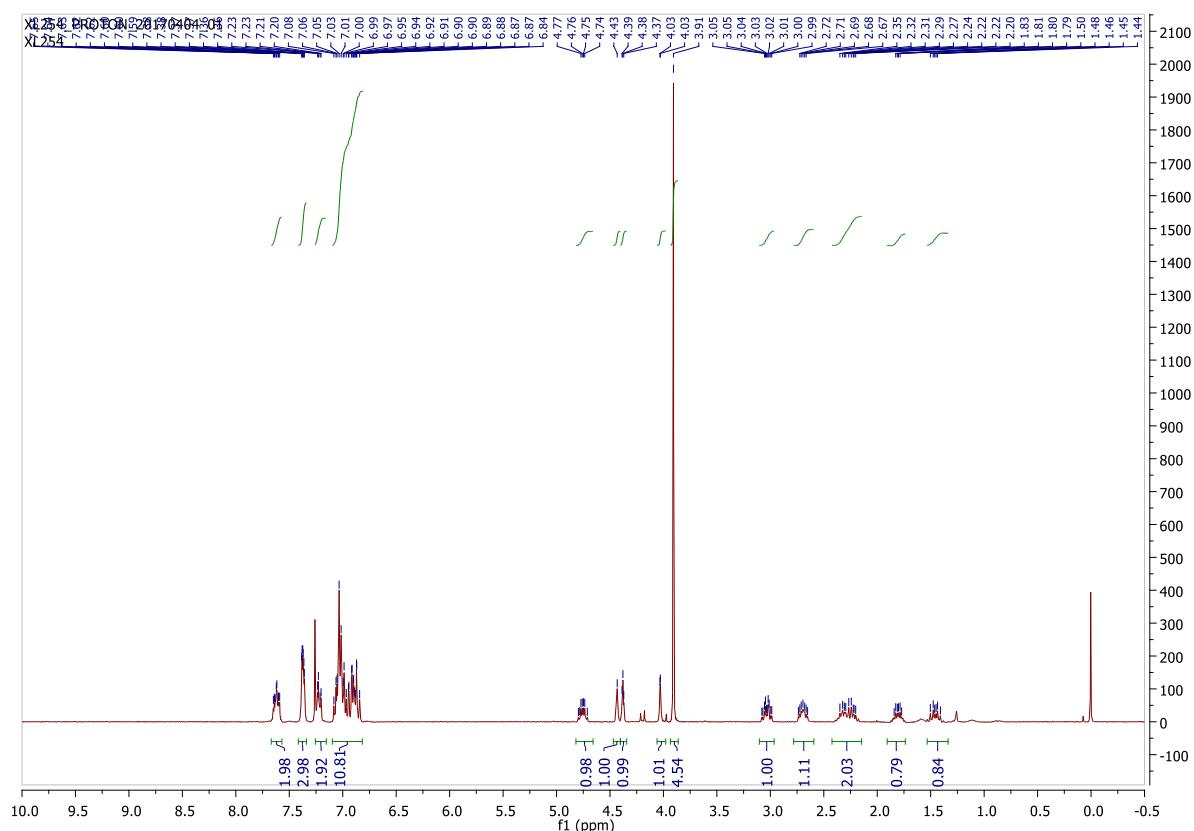
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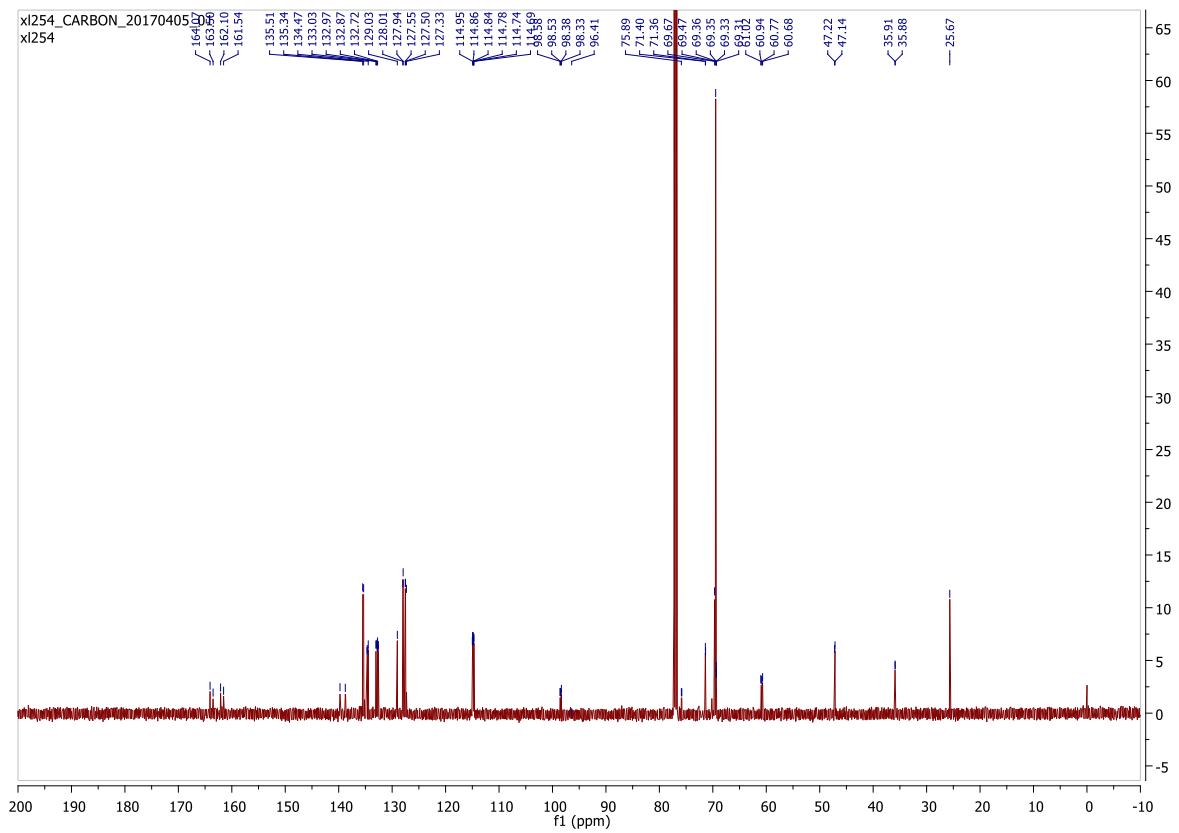
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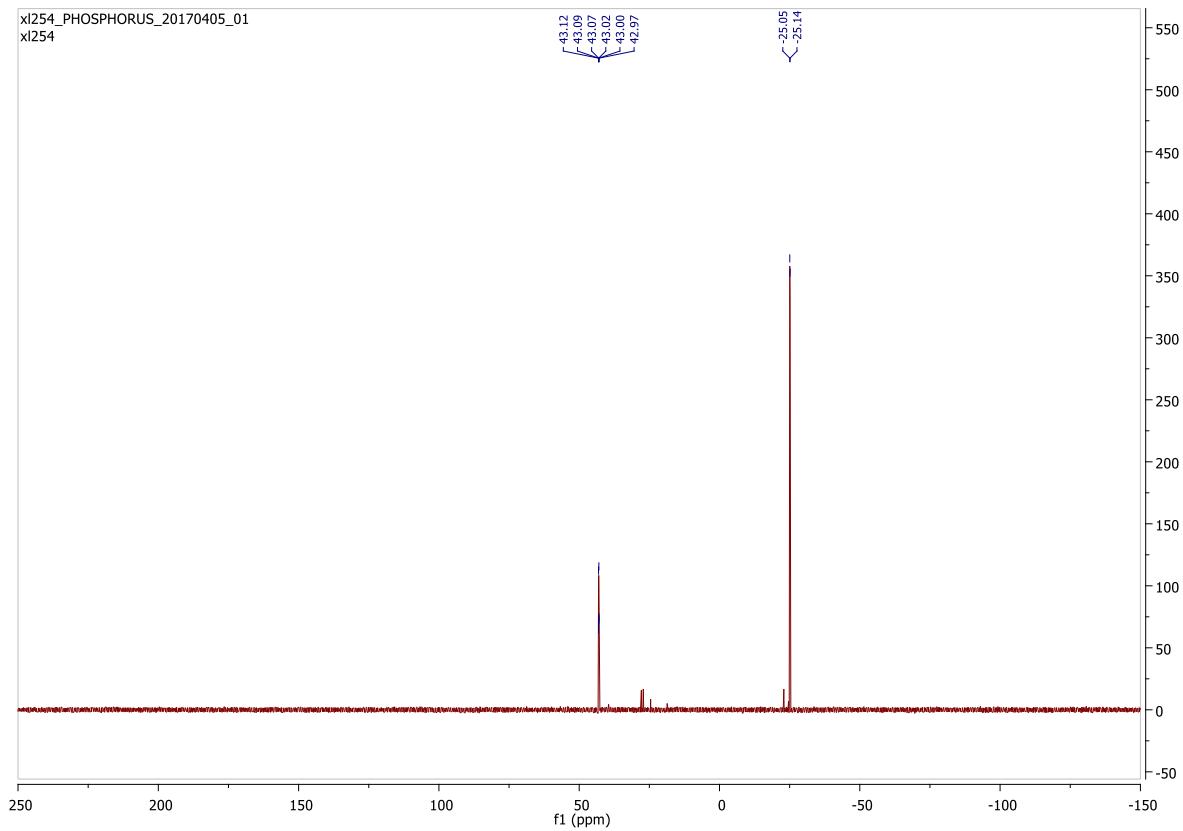
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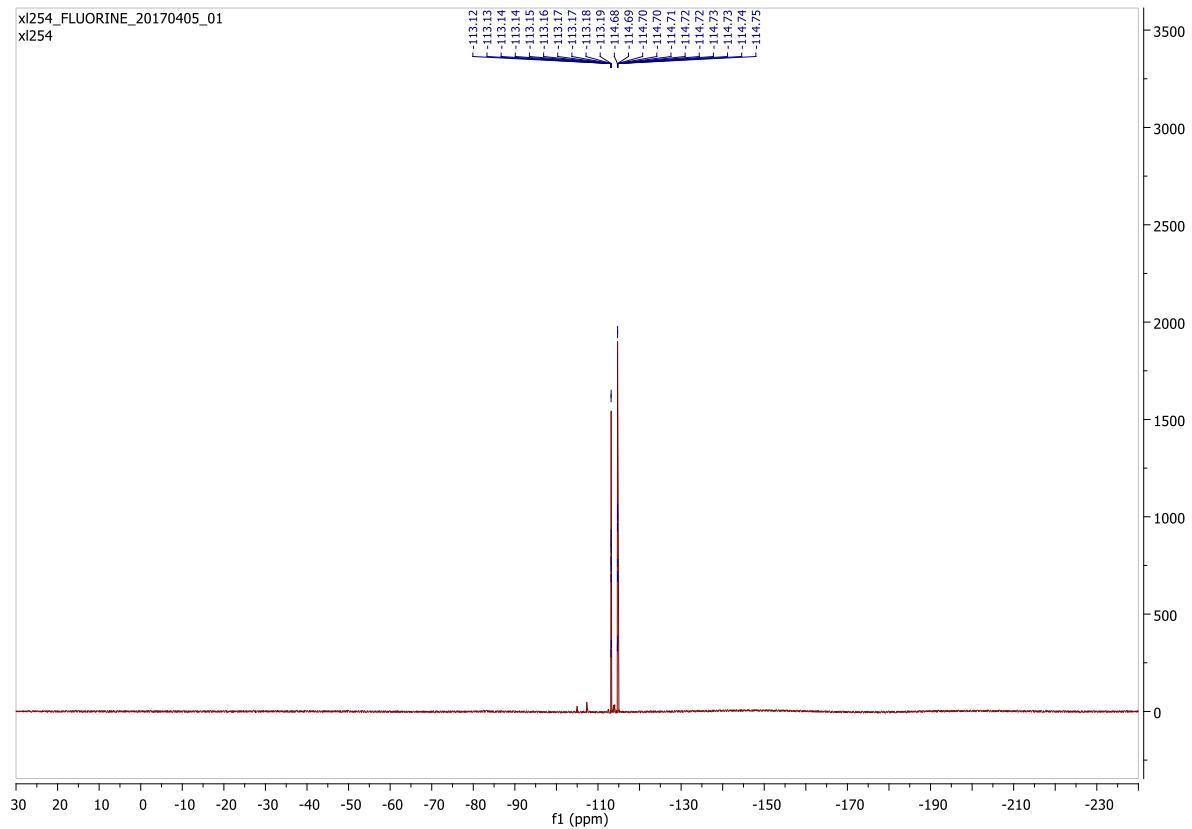
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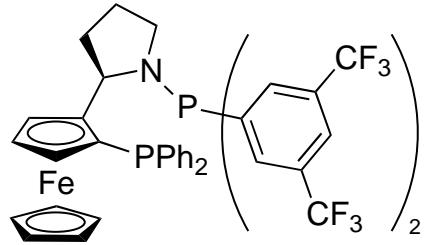
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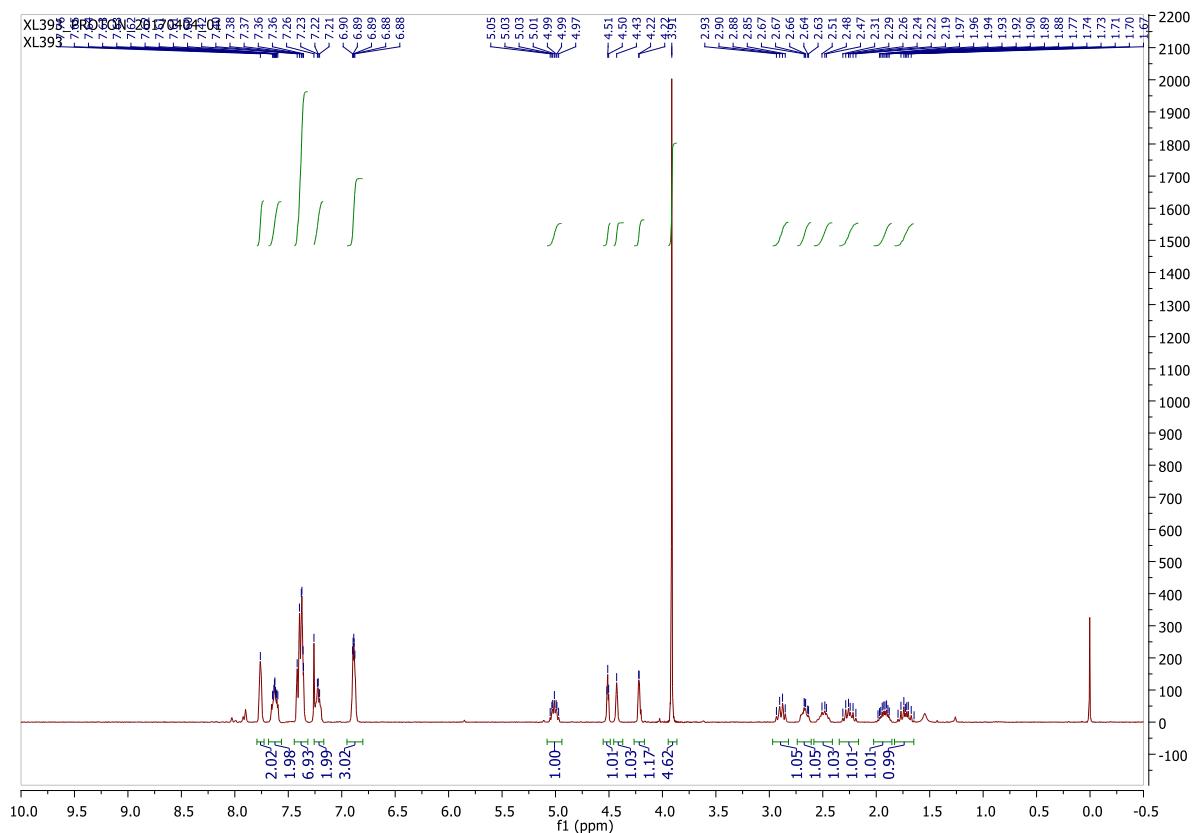
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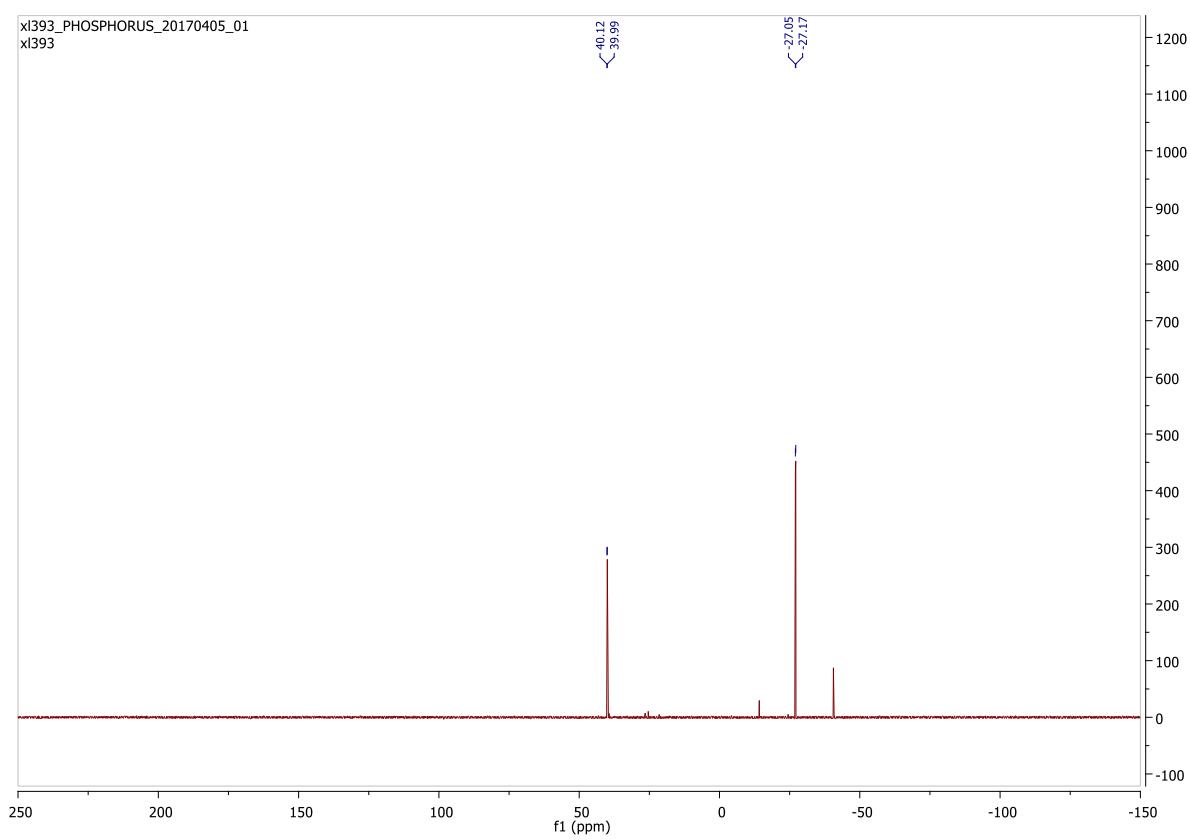
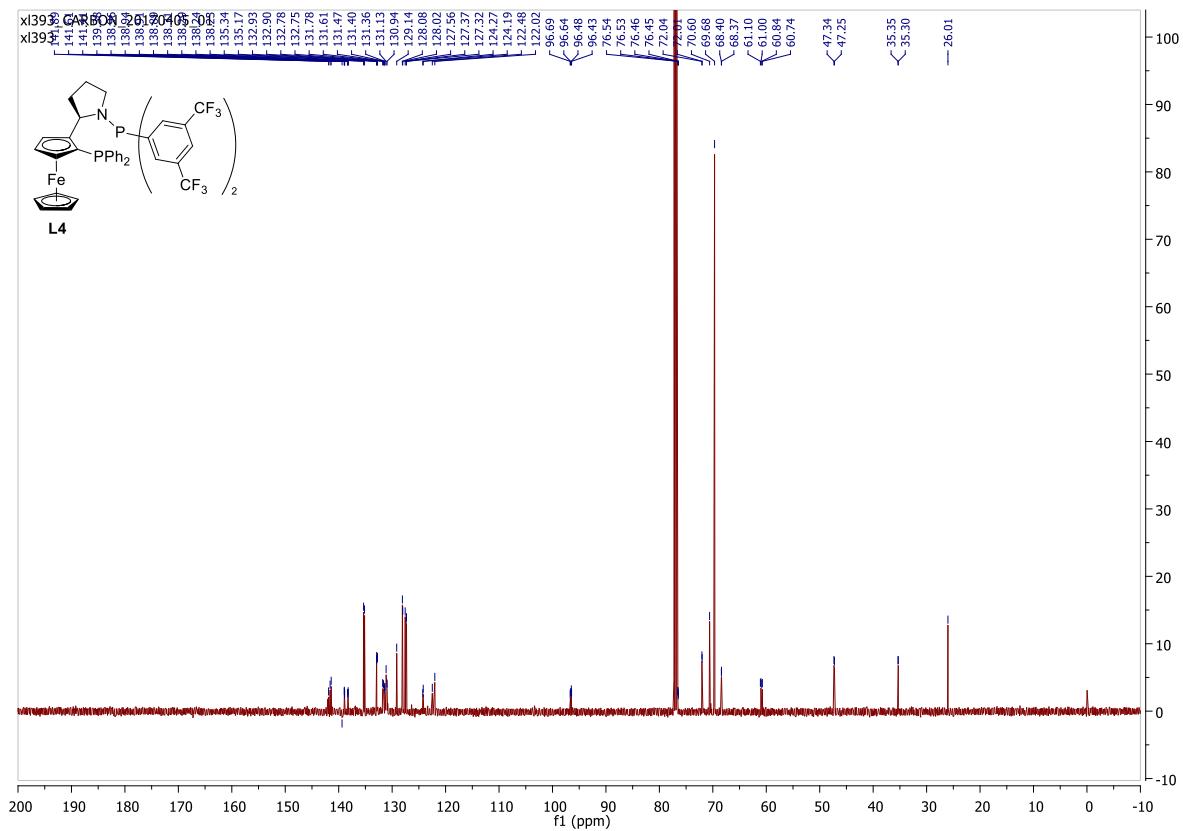
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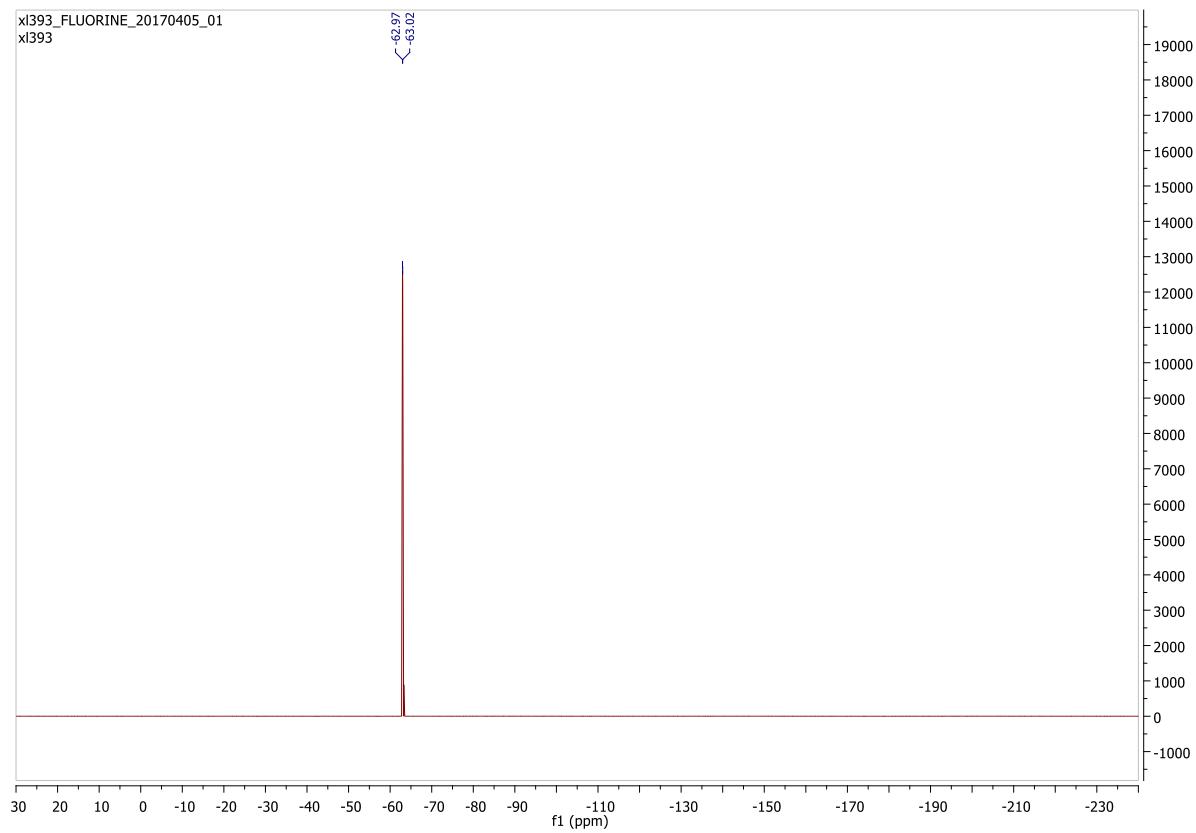


**L4**

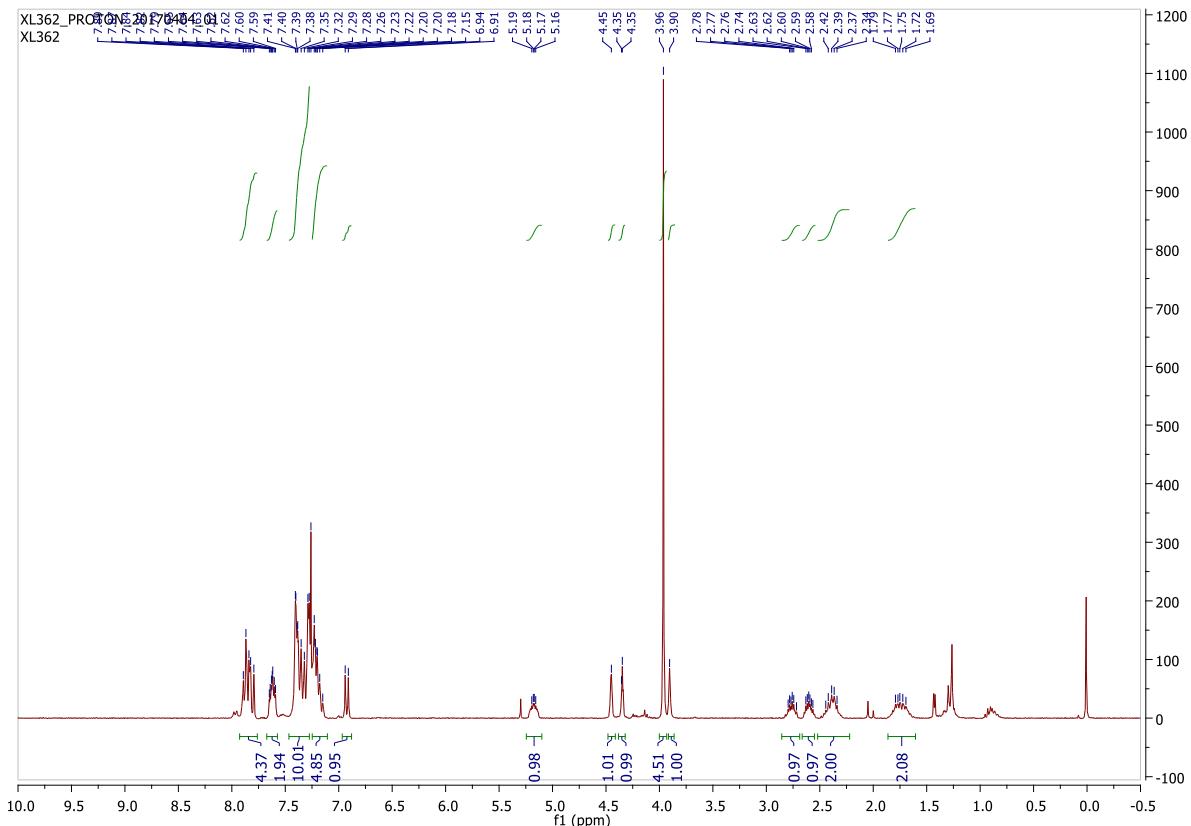
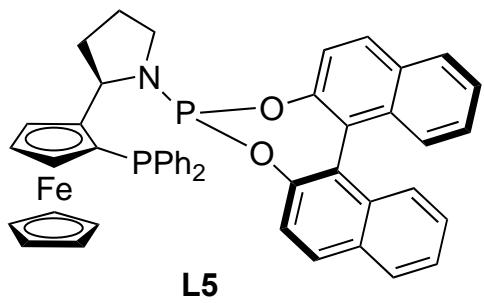


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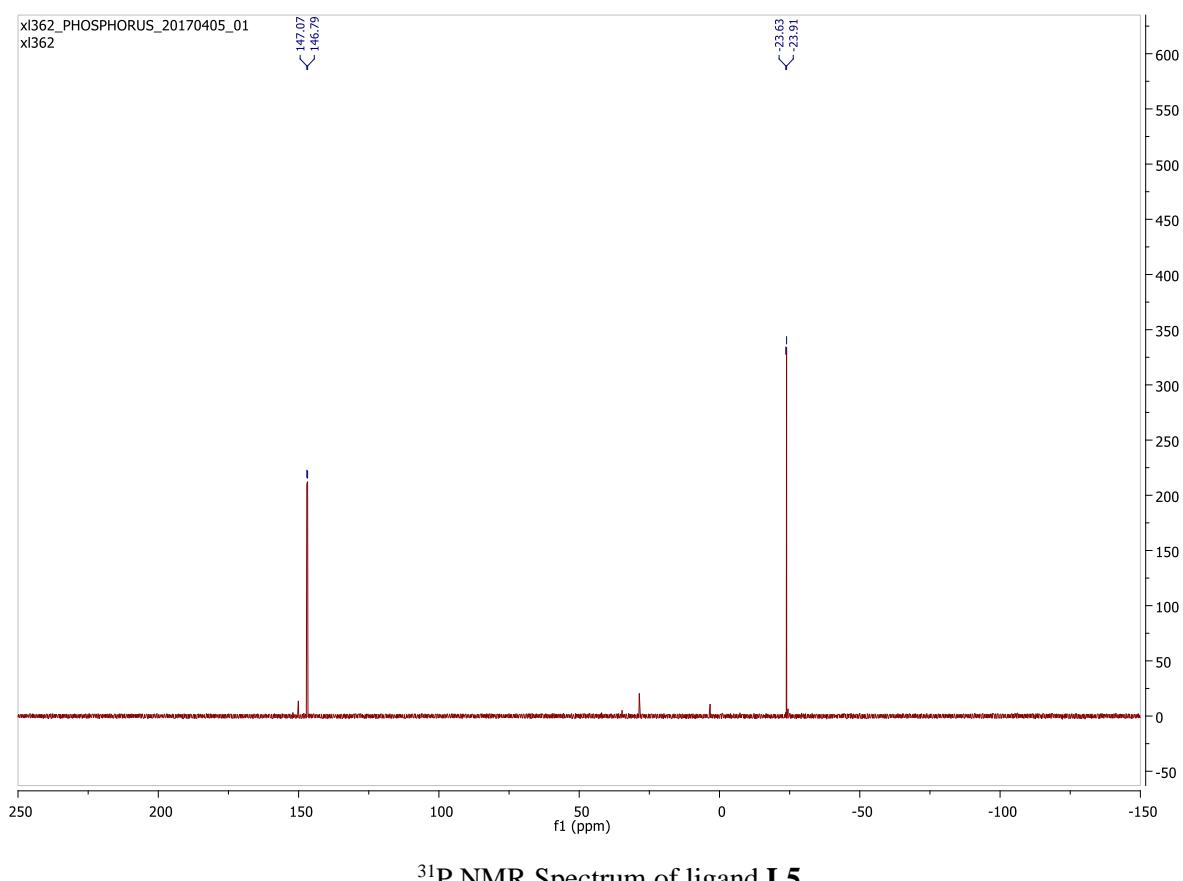
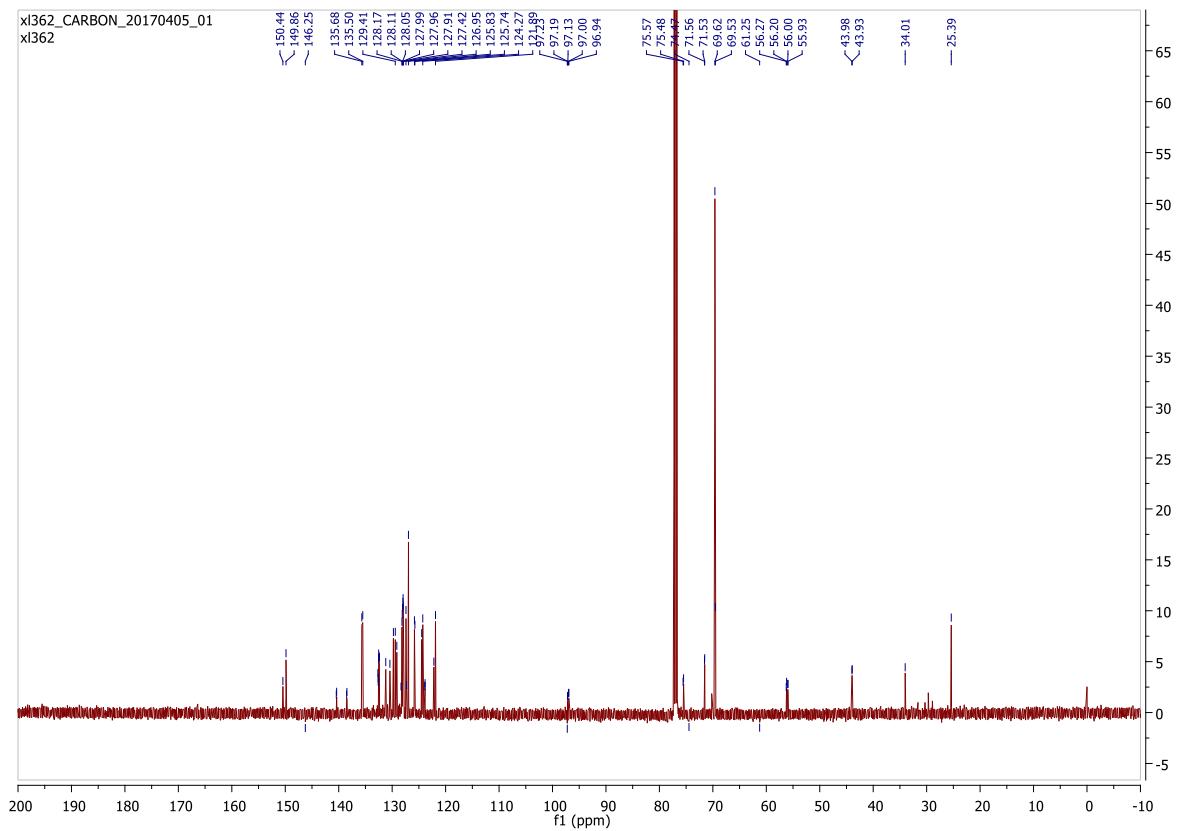


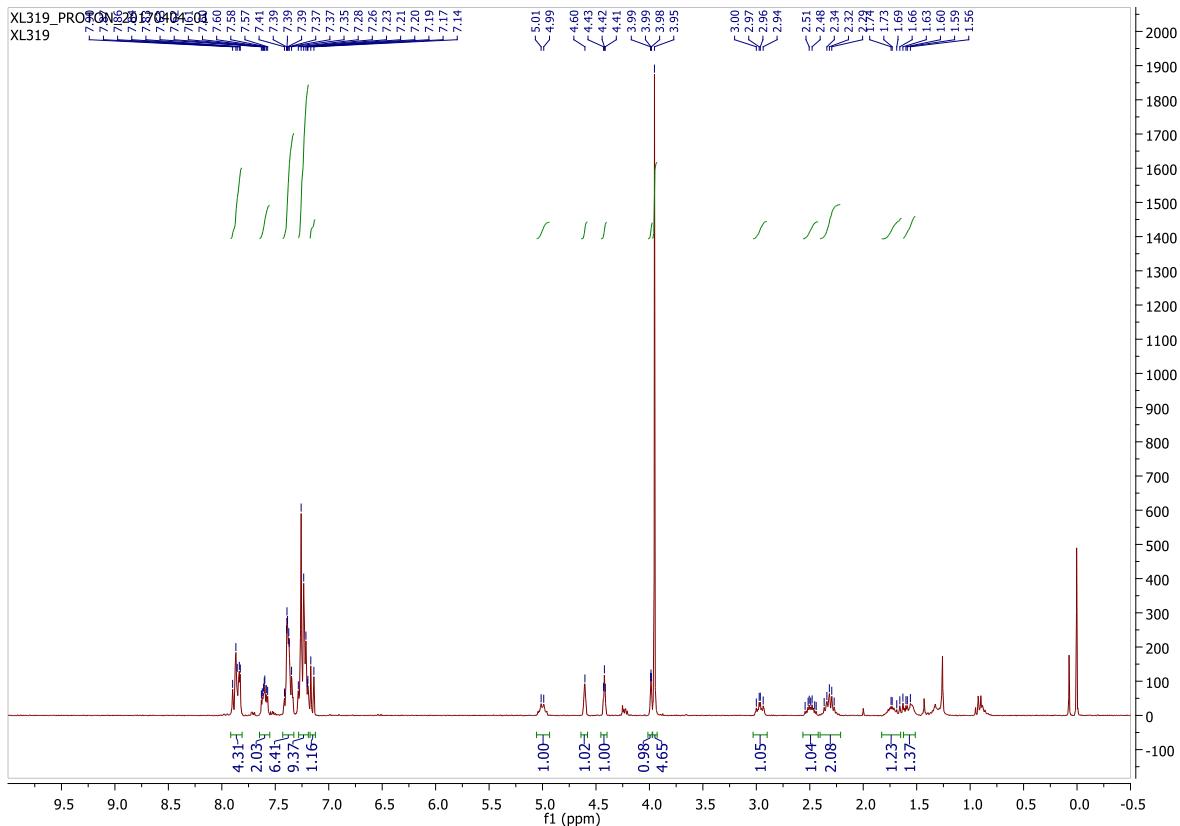
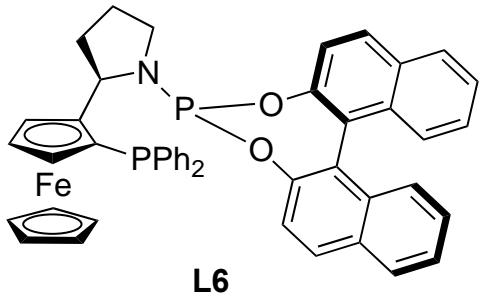


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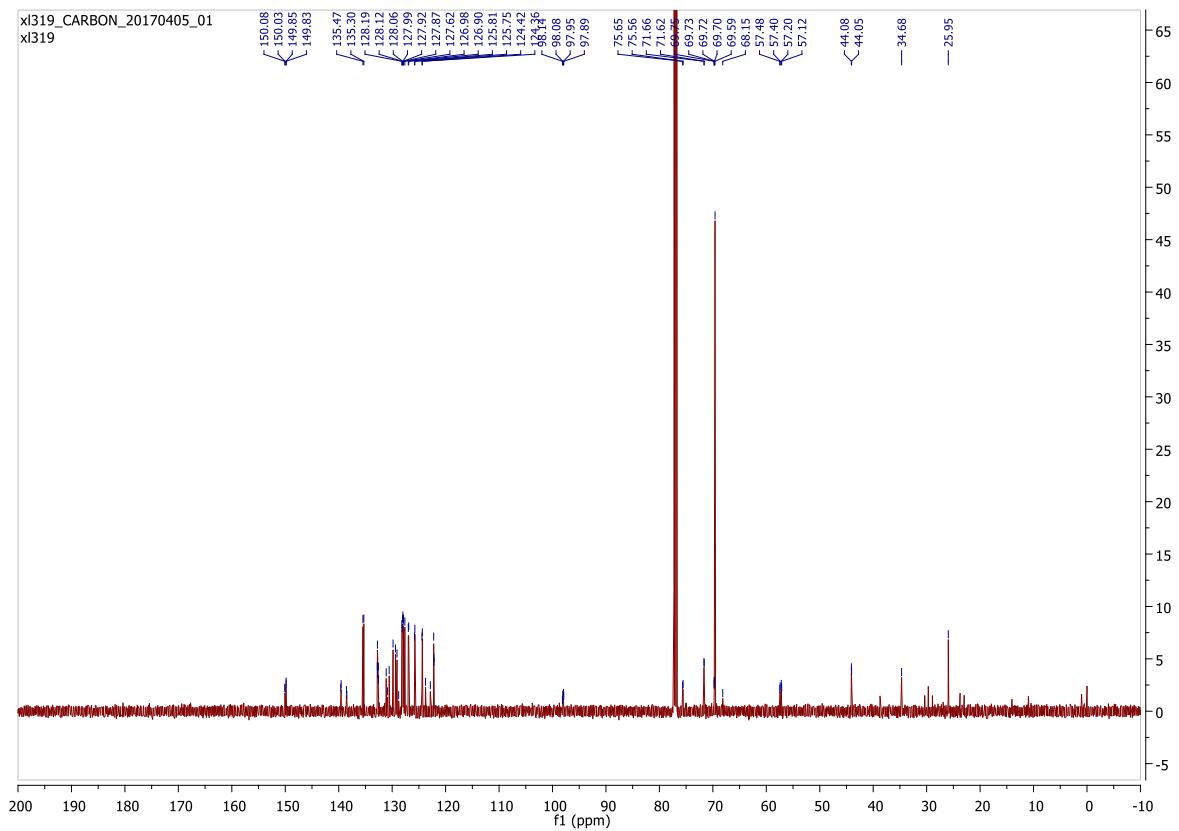


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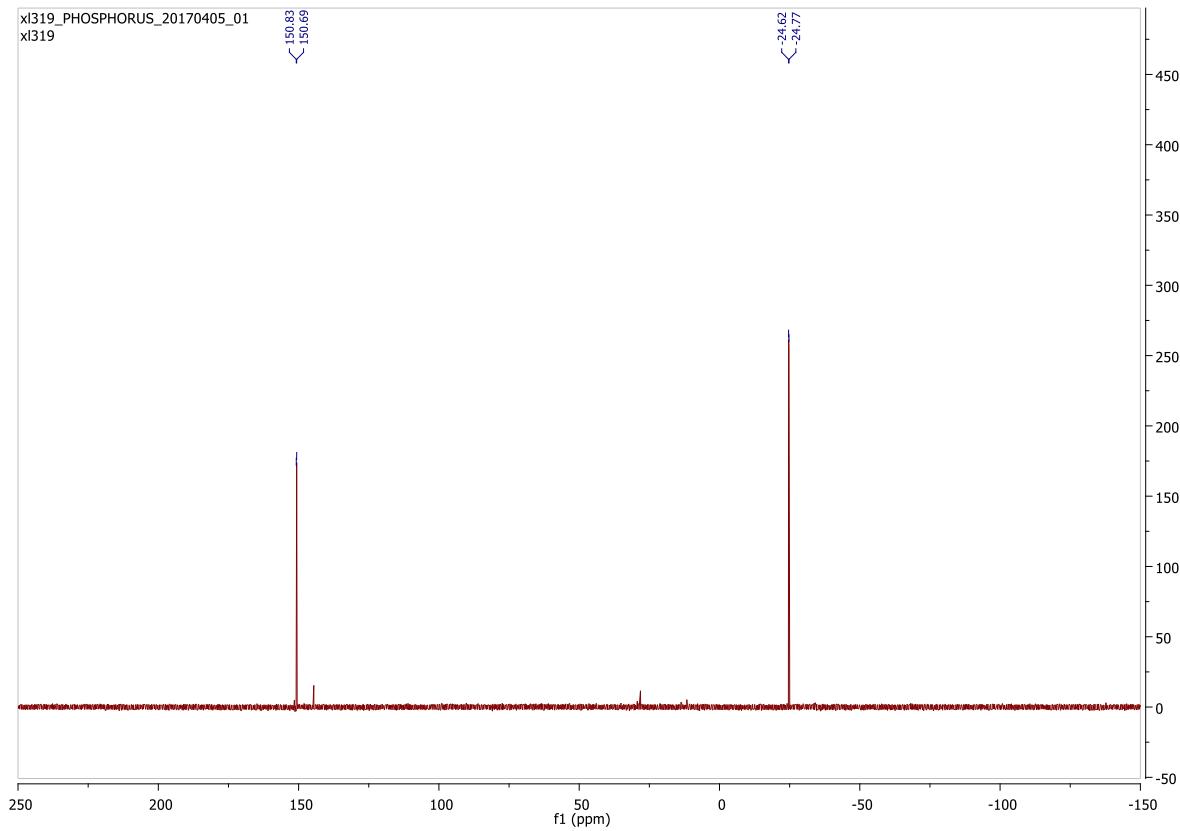




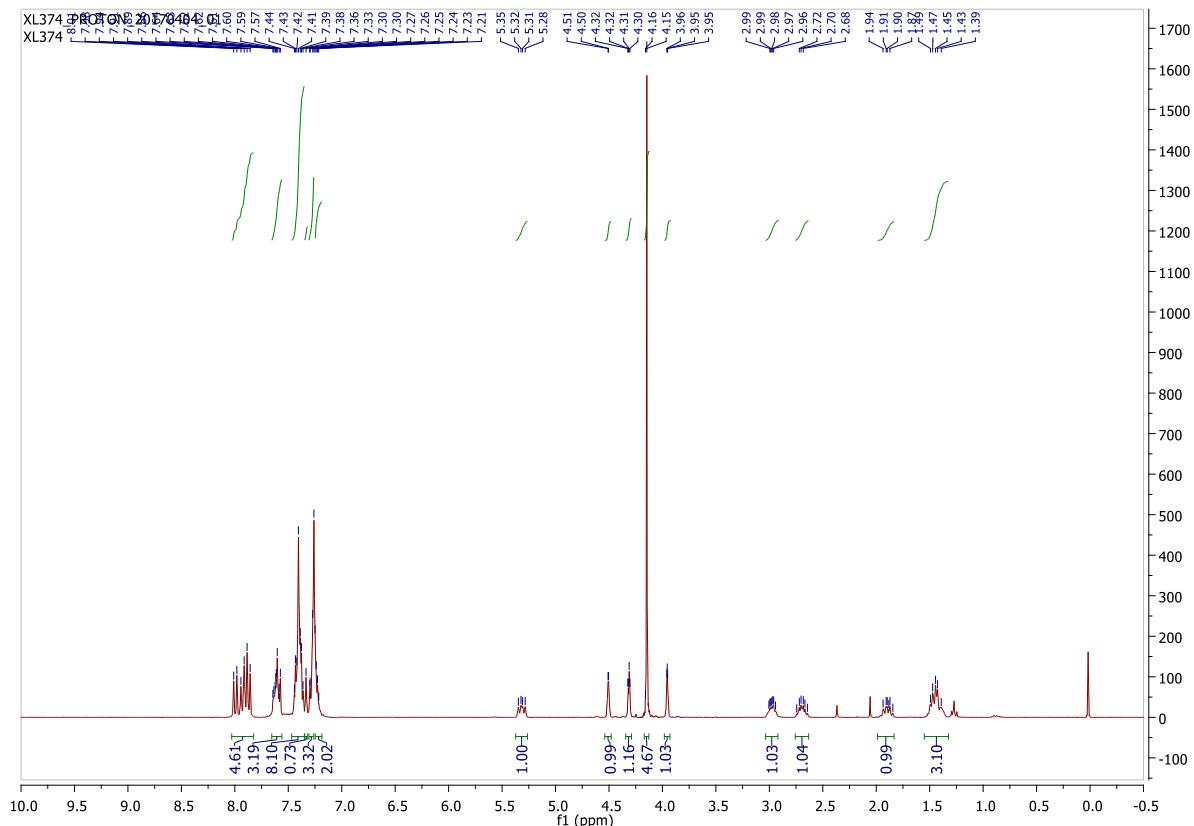
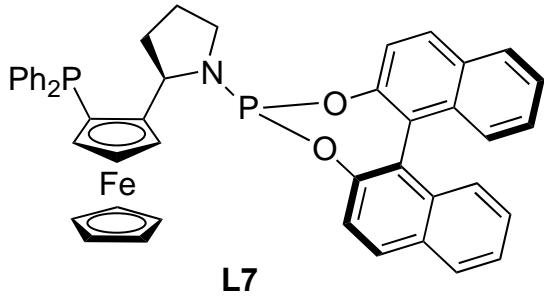
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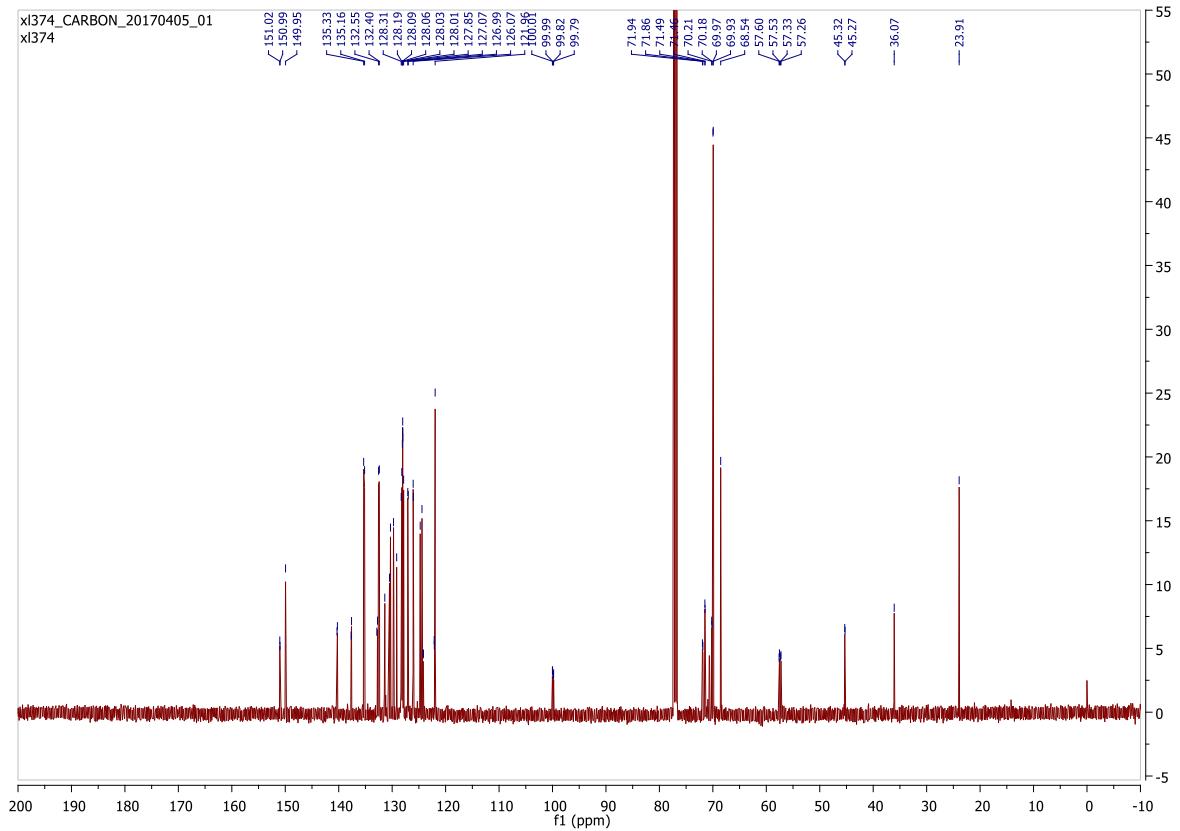
<sup>13</sup>C NMR Spectrum of ligand **L6**



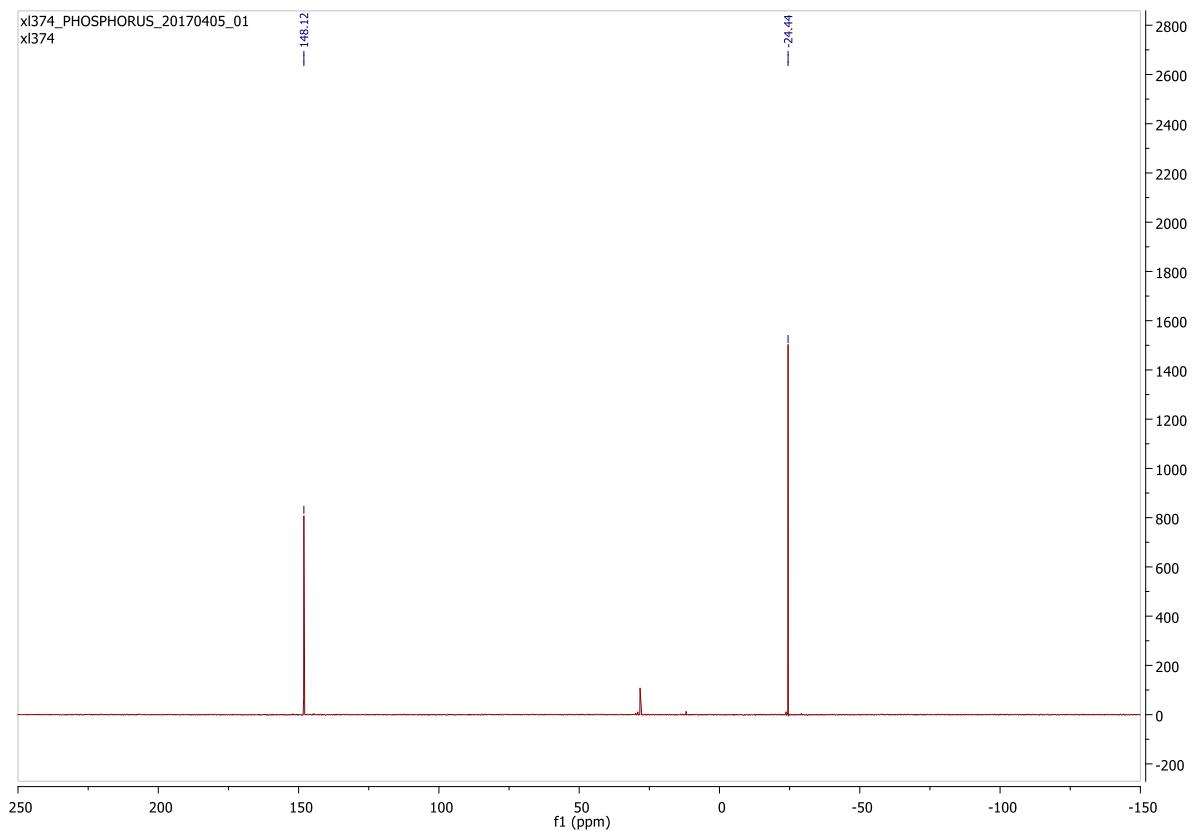
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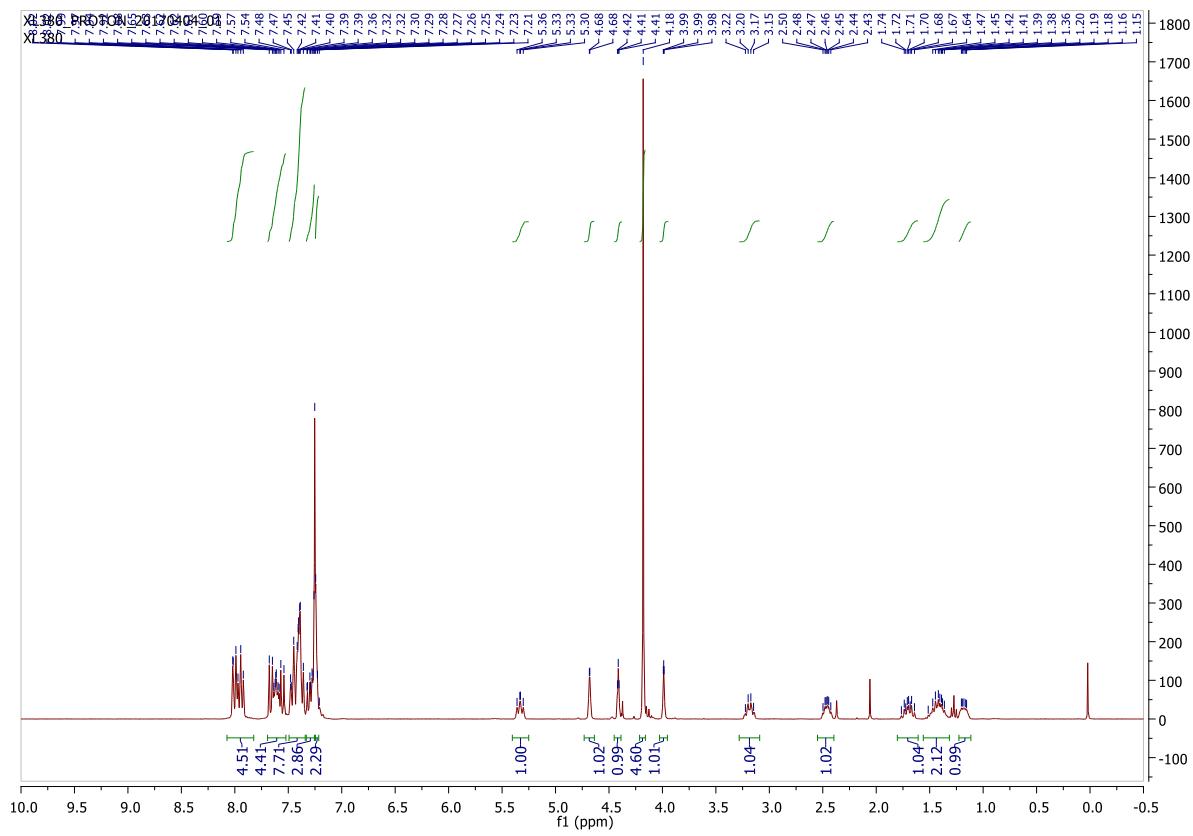
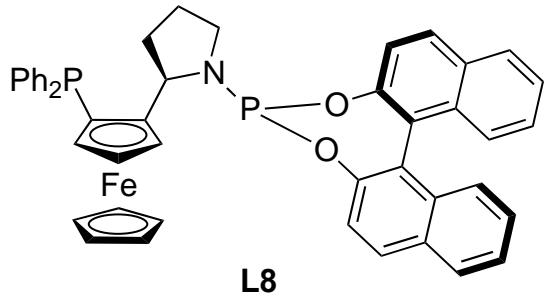
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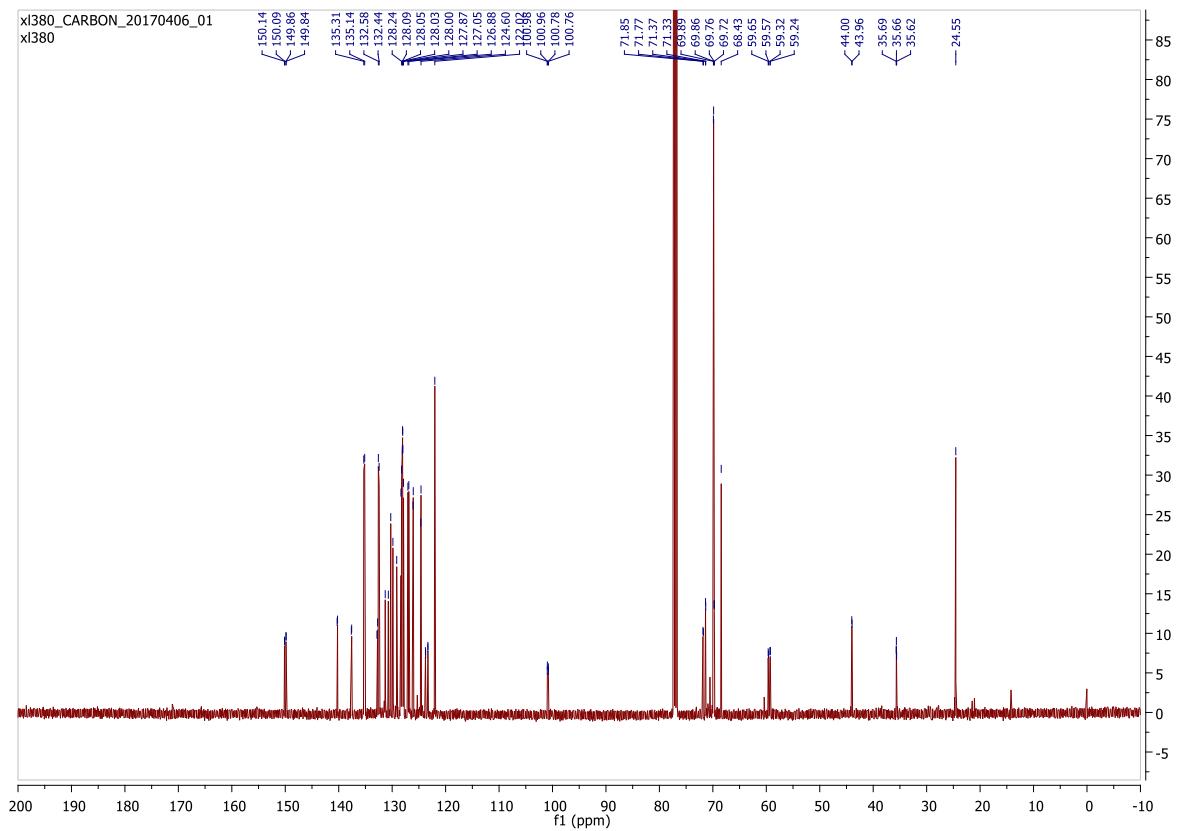


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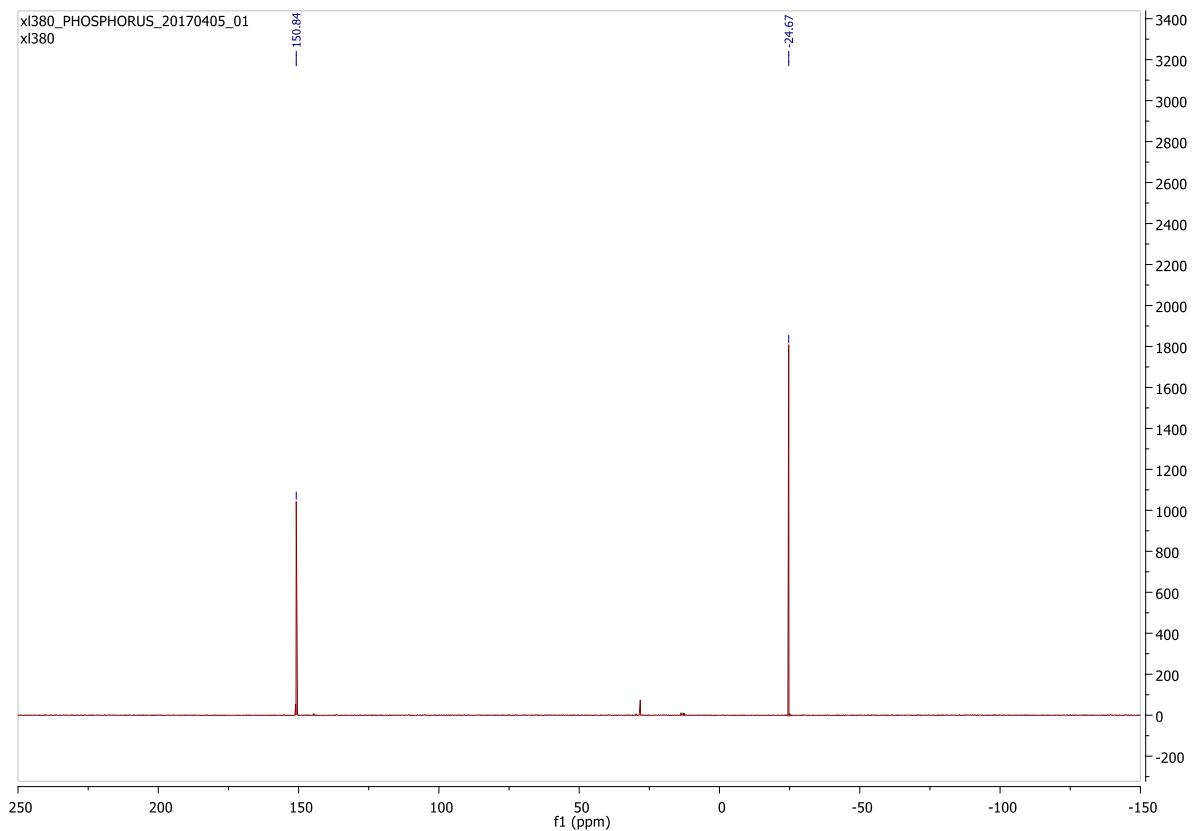


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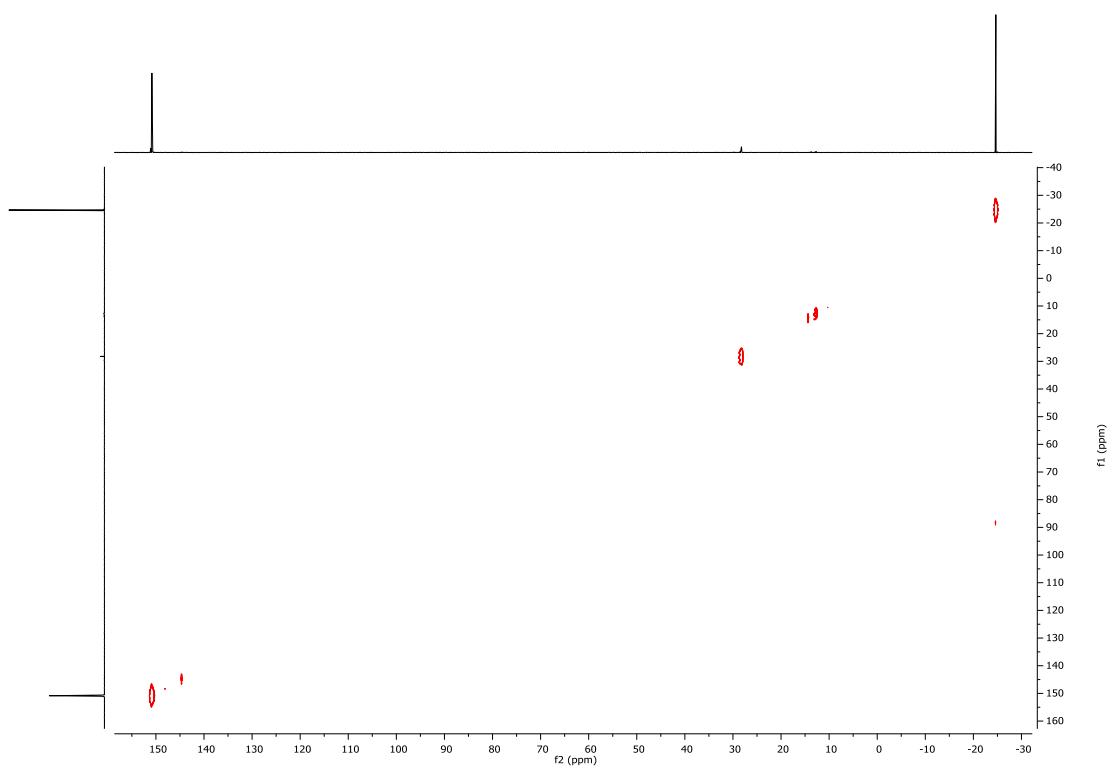




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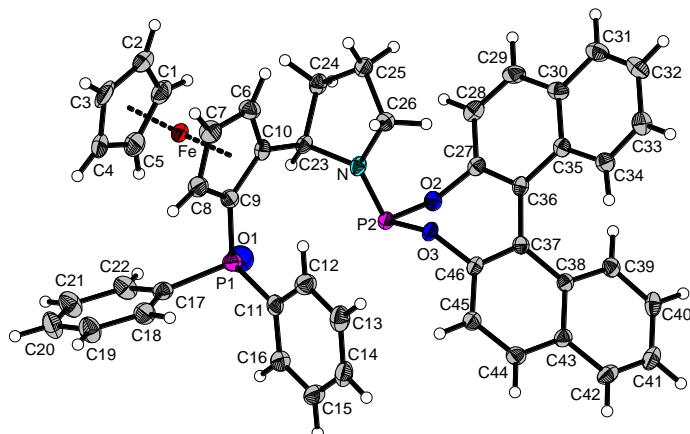


<sup>31</sup>P NMR Spectrum of ligand L8



$^{31}\text{P}$ - $^{31}\text{P}$  COSY of ligand **L8**

### X-Ray Crystallographic Structure of L5



**L5** (molecule; thermal ellipsoids are drawn on the 50% probability level; O1 15% occupied)

Crystal data and structure refinement for **L5**.

Identification code	gui53
Empirical formula	C <sub>46</sub> H <sub>37</sub> FeN O <sub>2.15</sub> P <sub>2</sub>
Formula weight	755.91
Temperature	100(2) K
Wavelength	1.54184 Å
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	P 21
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.0501(1) Å b = 15.2402(3) Å c = 14.8419(2) Å
Volume	1806.83(5) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	2
Density (calculated)	1.389 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	4.510 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	786.4
Crystal size	0.3073 x 0.2633 x 0.0342 mm <sup>3</sup>
Theta range for data collection	4.17 to 65.19°.
Index ranges	-9<=h<=9, -17<=k<=17, -17<=l<=17
Reflections collected	14880
Independent reflections	6156 [R(int) = 0.0345]
Completeness to theta = 65.19°	99.8 %
Absorption correction	Analytical
Max. and min. transmission	0.860 and 0.397
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	6156 / 1 / 474
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.066
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0355, wR2 = 0.0891
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0386, wR2 = 0.0906
Absolute structure parameter	-0.017(3)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.247 and -0.340 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>