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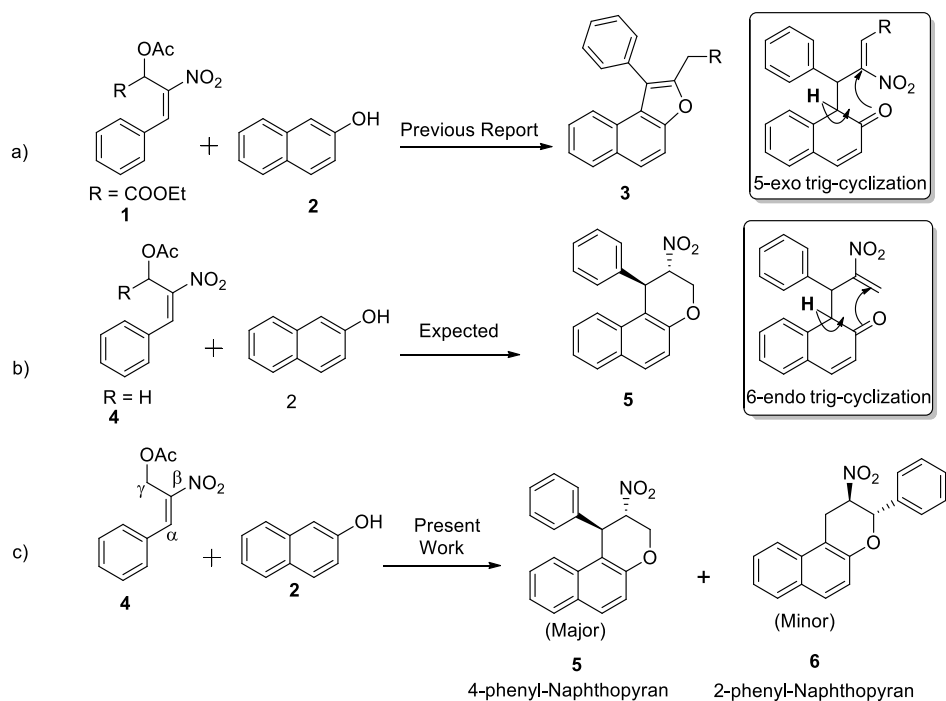
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ABSTRACT

The reaction of β -naphthol with β -nitrostyrene derived MBH primary acetates in presence of Cs_2CO_3 as base resulted in the formation of 4-phenyl-naphthopyran as the major isomer. The reaction followed a Friedel-Crafts type alkylation with an initial α -attack on MBH acetate *via* $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2'$ process followed by Oxa-Michael ring closure. Due to bis-electrophilic nature of MBH acetates, the minor product 2-phenyl naphthopyran was also obtained presumably due to $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ process with γ - attack on MBH acetates. The state of the art density functional theory (DFT) calculations have also been carried out to account for these competitive pathways towards the formation of major Vs minor product

Scheme-1:



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GENERAL REMARKS

- ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectra are recorded on Varian Gemini 200 or Varian Unity 400 or Varian Inova 500 or Bruker Avance 300 MHz. Making a solution of samples in CDCl_3 solvent using Tetramethylsilane (TMS) as the internal standard unless otherwise mentioned, and are given in the δ scale. The standard abbreviations s, d, t, m, dd refer to singlet, doublet, triplet, multiplet and doublet of a doublet respectively.
- Infrared (IR) spectra are recorded on Perkin-Elmer Infrared-683 or 1310 with NaCl optics. Spectra were calibrated against the polystyrene absorption at 1610cm^{-1} . Samples were scanned neat, KBr wafers or in chloroform as a thin film.
- Mass spectra recorded on CEC-21-110B, Finnegan Mat 1210 or MICROMASS-7070 spectrometers operating at 70eV using a direct inlet system. If necessary, FABMS is recorded.
- The optical rotations are measured on Jasco Dip 360 digital polarimeter.
- Melting points are determined on an Electro thermal melting point apparatus and are uncorrected.
- All reactions are monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) carried out on 0.25 mm E. Merck silica gel plates (60- F₂₅₄) with UV light, iodine as probing agents. Acme (India) silica gel (finer than 200 mesh) is used for flash chromatography.
- Column chromatography was performed by using silica gel 60-120, 100-200 mesh
- The reactions wherever anhydrous conditions needed are carried out under the positive pressure of nitrogen atmosphere using dry and freshly distilled solvents.
- All solvents and reagents were purified by standard techniques. All evaporation of solvents was carried out under reduced pressure on Heidolph rotary evaporator below 45 °C.
- Yield reported are isolated yields of material judged homogeneous by TLC and NMR spectroscopy.
- The names of all compounds given in the experimental section were taken from Chem. ultra, version 11.0

ABBREVIATIONS

MBH	:	Morita Baylis Hillman
SN ^{2'}	:	Substitution Nucleophilic bi molecular prime reaction
SN ²	:	Substitution Nucleophilic bi molecular reaction
OAc	:	Acetate ion
NHC-catalyzed	:	N-Heterocyclic Carbene-Catalyzed
CCDC	:	Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre code
DFT	:	Density Functional Theory
IRC	:	Intrinsic Reaction Coordinate
DABCO	:	1,4-Di Aza Bi cyclo [2.2.2]Octane
TEA	:	Tri Ethyl Amine
CH ₂ Cl ₂	:	Di Chloro Methane (DCM)
CHCl ₃	:	Chloroform (Tri Chloro Methane (TCM))
NaK ₂ PO ₄	:	Sodium Potassium Phosphate
CH ₃ OH	:	Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)
CsCO ₃	:	Cesium Carbonate
THF	:	Tetra Hydro Furan
DMF	:	Di Methyl Formamide
CCl ₄	:	Carbon Tetra Chloride
1,2-DCE	:	1,2- Di Chloro Ethane
CDCl ₃	:	Carbon tri Chloride (Deuterated)
CHCl ₃	:	Chloroform
CH ₂ Cl ₂	:	Dichloromethane (DCM)
CH ₃ OH/MeOH	:	Methanol
DMSO	:	Dimethyl sulphoxide
Et ₃ N	:	Tri Ethyl Amine(TEA)

Eq	:	Equivalent(s)
AcOH	:	Acetic acid
4-Br-	:	Para-Bromo Substituent
2,4-Cl ₂ -:		Ortho,Para-Di Chloro substituents
4-F-	:	Para-Fluoro-
4-CH ₃ -	:	Para Methyl-
4-OBn-	:	Para Benzyloxy-
3-OCH ₃ -	:	Meta Methoxy-
4-OCH ₃ -	:	Para Methoxy-
2,4-(OCH ₃) ₂ -	:	Ortho,Para-Di Methoxy-
FTIR	:	Fourier Transform Infra Red
HRMS	:	High Resolution Mass Spectroscopy
MHz	:	Mega hertz
m/z	:	Mass to charge ratio (in mass spectroscopy)
NCE	:	New Chemical Entities
NMR	:	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectroscopy
¹ HNMR	:	Proton Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectroscopy
¹³ CNMR	:	¹³ Carbon Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectroscopy
HPLC	:	High-Performance Liquid Chromatography
HRMS	:	High Resolution Mass Spectrometry
LCMS	:	Liquid Chromatography coupled to Mass Spectrometry
ESI	:	Electronic Supplementary Information
PI	:	Principal Investigator
TS	:	Transition State
R _f	:	Retention factor (in chromatography)
r.t	:	Room temperature
hr	:	Hour
°C	:	Degree Centigrade

K.Cal/Mol	:	Kilo Calories/ Mole
TMS	:	Tri Methyl Silane
THF	:	Tetra hydro furan
TLC	:	Thin layer chromatography
µg	:	Microgram
µM	:	Micro molar
nM	:	Nano molar

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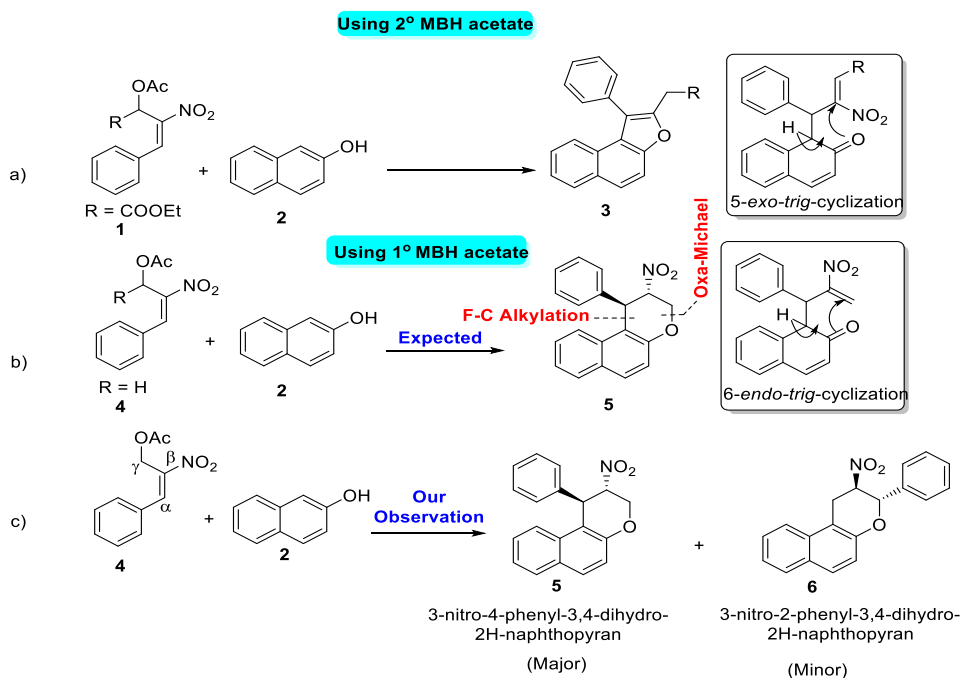


Chapter 1

Introduction

1. Introduction

The efficient construction of multiple bond formation with the control of stereocenters in one-pot operation is a fundamental goal in cascade reaction. The Morita-Baylis-Hillman (MBH) reaction¹ is one of the atom economy protocols for constructing a new C-C bond between an activated olefin and electrophiles in the presence of a tertiary amine/phosphine. MBH adducts are very interesting synthetic targets² due to their potential applications as valuable synthons in allylic alkylation,³ dienamine catalysis⁴ as well as construction of various bicyclic skeletons,⁵ pyranocoumarins,⁶ pyronaphthoquinones⁷ and tetrahydro-pyranoquinolinones.⁸ Presence of different functional groups in MBH adducts are useful in various regio- and stereoselective transformations through appropriate tuning. The MBH acetate **4** derived from nitrostyrene have been widely employed as starting materials in construction of fused heterocycles⁹ and asymmetric reactions.¹⁰ Variuos MBH adducts were used as synthons in organocatalysis and heterocyclic synthesis.¹¹ Recently, Enders group reported a NHC-catalyzed Michael/Michael/esterification domino reaction of cyclopentane using MBH acetate **4**.¹² Very recently Jin Yu Liu *et al*, established the cascade reactions of 4-hydroxy indole and (*E*)-2-nitro allylic acetates with different electronic and steric properties.¹³ Previously, kinetic resolution^{14a,b} and synthesis of naphthofuran derivatives (Eqn. a, Scheme-1).^{14c-e} were studied extensively using MBH acetates. With our ongoing interest in the exploration of MBH adducts,¹⁵ we were interested in cascade reaction of β -naphthol and MBH acetate **4**. We envisioned that reaction would exclusively yield substituted naphthopyran **5** via *6-endo trig* cyclization (Eqn. b, **Scheme-1**).



Scheme 1. Annulation reactions of nitrostyrene derived MBH acetates

Interestingly, to our observation apart from expected product **5** via S_N2' we also obtained **6** as a minor product through S_N2 reaction of nitroallylic acetate **4** with naphthol **2** using Cs_2CO_3 (Eqn. c, Scheme-1). The structures of both the products were further confirmed by X-ray crystallography (Fig.1).

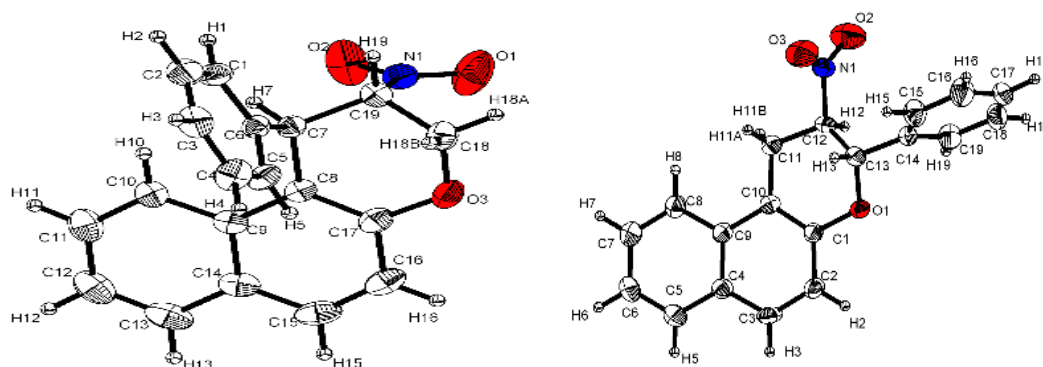


Fig.1. Crystal structure of **5a** (CCDC1860474) and Crystal structure of **6a** (CCDC1863074)

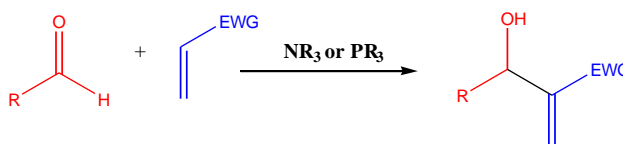


Chapter 2

Origin of the Research Problem

2. Origin of the Research Problem

The **Baylis–Hillman reaction** is a carbon-carbon bond forming reaction between the α -position of an activated alkene and an aldehyde, or generally a carbon electrophile. Employing a nucleophilic catalyst, such as tertiary amine and phosphine, this reaction provides a densely functionalized product (e.g. functionalized allyl alcohol in the case of aldehyde as the electrophile) This reaction is also known as the **Morita–Baylis–Hillman reaction** or **MBH reaction** (Scheme 1) .



Scheme 1

MBH reaction has several advantages as a useful synthetic method: 1) It is an atom-economic coupling of easily prepared starting materials. 2) Reaction of a pro-chiral electrophile generates a chiral center, therefore an asymmetric synthesis is possible. 3) Reaction products usually contain multiple functionalities in a proximity so that a variety of further transformations are possible. 4) It can employ a nucleophilic organo-catalytic system without the use of heavy metal under mild conditions. Because the two components of MBH reaction are a general activated alkene and an electrophile, an enormous number of combinations of reaction partners can be generated. Especially, [aza-Baylis–Hillman reaction](#) is an important variant of MBH reaction using imines as electrophiles. Although in most cases aldehydes, ketones, or imines are employed as electrophiles, a few reports on the use of allyl halides, alkyl halides, and epoxides have been documented.



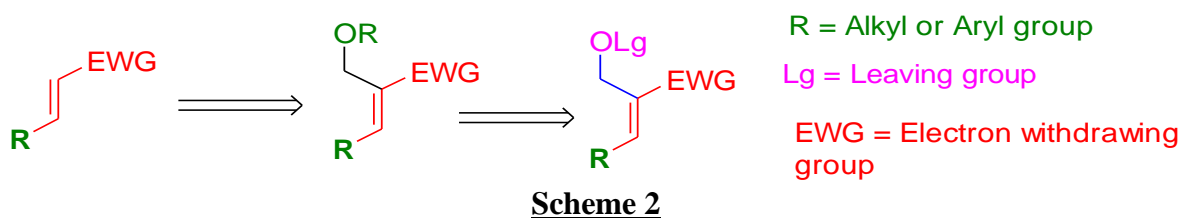
Chapter 3

Review and Development on the Topic

3. Review and Development on the topic

The Baylis–Hillman adducts and their derivatives have been extensively utilized for the generation of [heterocycles](#) and other cyclic frameworks.

In light of this, the PI is keen to pursue his research towards synthesis of naphthopyrans and 1,3-oxazines using Baylis-Hillman (B-H) adducts. These Baylis-Hillman (B-H) adducts can be readily accessible by reaction of available bench top chemicals and can be easily prepared by standard protocols. The substrates being prochiral with varied functionality can be synthetically exploited under the appropriate catalytic systems (Scheme 2).





Chapter 4

Objectives

4. Objectives

The main objective of the proposed program is to utilize Baylis-Hillman adducts (acetates) in various organic transformations. The above main objective is associated with the following sub objectives.

1. To develop cascade reactions for converting simple starting precursors to value added products such as biologically synthetic targets.
2. Avoid use of heavy metals for greener ecosystem.
3. Mild reaction conditions
4. Synthesize a new set of Baylis-Hilman substrates and study their reactivity.
5. To carry out various multicomponent reactions.
6. Synthesis of heterocyclic compounds.
7. To investigate the biological activity as a future plan.



Chapter 5

Experimental Work

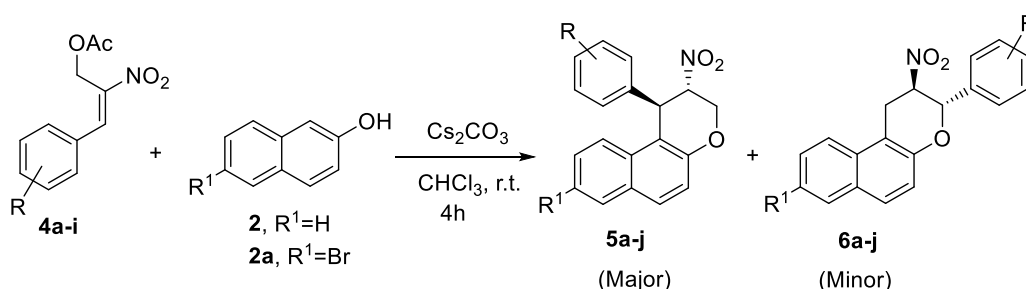
5. Experimental Work

5.1. Materials and methods

All reactions were carried out with dry, freshly distilled solvents in anhydrous conditions. THF was distilled from sodium, while dichloromethane was distilled from CaH₂ immediately prior to use. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on silica gel plates (60F-254) using UV-light (254 and 365 nm). Flash chromatography was performed on silica gel (230–400 mesh). NMR (400 MHz for ¹H NMR, and ¹³C NMR) spectra were recorded in CDCl₃ with TMS as the internal standard. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm and coupling constants are given in Hz. Data for ¹H NMR are recorded as follows: chemical shift (ppm), multiplicity (s, singlet; d, doublet; t, triplet; q, quartet; m, multiplet, dd, doublet of doublet), coupling constant (Hz), integration. Data for ¹³C NMR are reported in terms of chemical shift (δ, ppm). High resolution mass spectral (HRMS) analyses were measured using ESI techniques. A variety of (E)-2-nitro-3-phenylallyl acetate were prepared according to the reported procedure^{1,2}

5.2. Understanding the Mechanism of S_N2' vs S_N2 in Cascade Reaction of β-Naphthol and Nitrostyrene Derived MBH Acetates :

General Procedure for the synthesis of 3-nitro-4-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5) and 3-nitro-2-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6):



To a solution of β-naphthol (1.08 mmol) and cesium carbonate (1.35 mmol) in chloroform (5 mL) MBH acetate (0.90 mmol) at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for the given time (i.e. Table 2). The reaction was monitored by using TLC till the completion of starting materials. After the completion of reaction, organic

layer was extracted with dichloromethane, washed with brine solution and dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure. Crude was subjected to flash column chromatography on silica gel by eluting ethylacetate in hexane (0-1%) to afford the desired products.

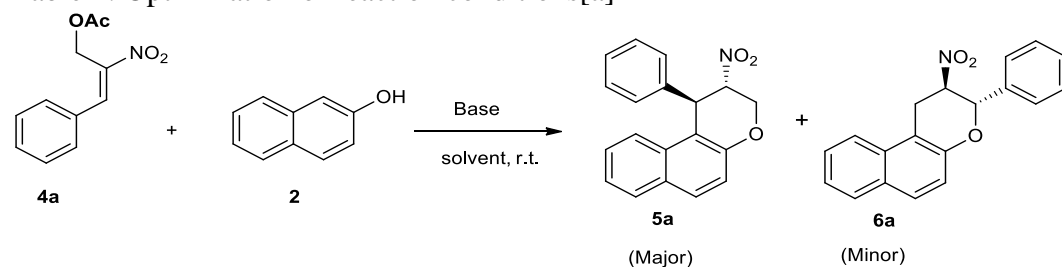
Gram scale preparation of 3-nitro-4-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5a) and 3-nitro-2-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6a):

To a solution of β - naphthol (0.86 g, 6 mmol) and cesium carbonate (2.44 g, 7.5 mmol) in chloroform (15 mL) MBH acetate (1.11 g, 5 mmol) at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for the given time (i.e. Table 2). The reaction was monitored by using TLC till the completion of starting materials. After the completion of reaction, organic layer was extracted with dichloromethane, washed with brine solution and dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure. Crude was subjected to flash column chromatography on silica gel by eluting ethylacetate in hexane (0-1%) to afford the desired products.

5.2.1. Results and discussion:

Intrigued by this observation, we started exploring the optimized condition towards formation of **5** as exclusive product using various bases (Table 1). The initial reaction carried out using DABCO in DCM gave regioisomers **5a** and **6a** in a ratio of 2:1 with 58 and 29% yield (entry 1, Table 1). Use of triethylamine didn't alter the regioselectivity but decrease in yield for formation of product **5a** and **6a**(entry 2 & 3, Table 1). A shift to inorganic bases such as NaKPO₄ retained the yield and regioselectivity (entry 4, Table 1). Change of base i.e., Cs₂CO₃ in THF retained the overall yield with the drop in regioselectivity (entry 5, Table 1). Change of solvent to methanol also couldn't increase the yield and regioselectivity (entry 6, Table 1). Use of acetonitrile as solvent improved the regioselectivity for the formation of product **5a** and **6a** in 3:1 ratio (entry 7, Table 1). Use of polar aprotic solvent also couldn't lead to improving the regioselectivity (entry 8, Table 1). Among chlorinated solvents, chloroform was the ultimate choice leading to the completion of reaction within 4 hours towards formation of **5a** and **6a** in 65 and 23% yield (entries 9-12, Table 1). Several attempts to further improvise the regioselectivity or exclusive formation of the single product failed. A background reaction was carried out in the absence of base, resulting in <5% of **5a** even after 12 hours.

Table 1. Optimization of reaction conditions[a]



Entry	Base	Solvent	Time (h)	(5a:6a)[b]	Yield (5a)[c]	Yield (6a)[c]
1	DABCO	CH ₂ Cl ₂	4	2:1	58	29
2	TEA	CHCl ₃	4	2:1	52	22
3	TEA	CH ₂ Cl ₂	4	2:1	52	21
4	NaK ₂ PO ₄	CH ₃ OH	6	2:1	58	29
5	Cs ₂ CO ₃	THF	24	1:1	45	44
6	Cs ₂ CO ₃	CH ₃ OH	24	1:1	44	44
7	Cs ₂ CO ₃	CH ₃ CN	6	3:1	65	22
8	Cs ₂ CO ₃	DMF	6	1:1	43	43
9	Cs ₂ CO ₃	CH ₂ Cl ₂	4	2:1	58	29
10	Cs ₂ CO ₃	CCl ₄	8	3:1	65	22
11	Cs ₂ CO ₃	1,2-DCE	6	2:1	59	30
12	Cs ₂ CO ₃	CHCl ₃	4	4:1	65	23
13	---	CHCl ₃	12	ND	<5	trace

[a] Unless otherwise noted, reactions were carried out with (0.1 mmol) of **4a** with (0.12 mmol) of **2** using (0.15 mmol) of a base in 4 mL CHCl₃.

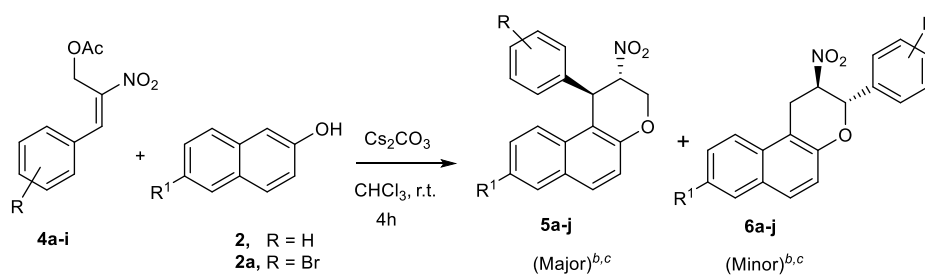
[b] Determined by HPLC & ¹H-NMR analysis of the crude products.

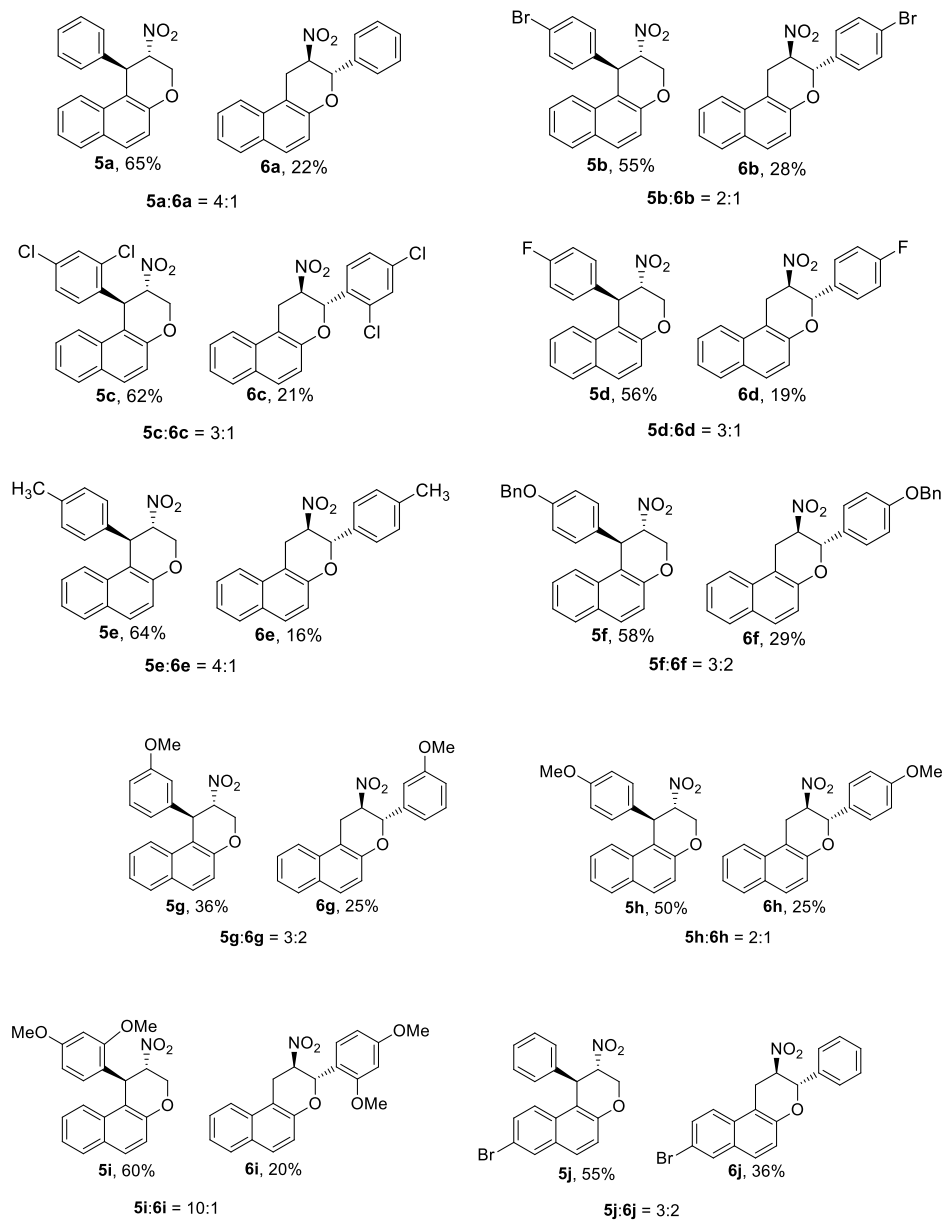
[c] Isolated yield.

Using the current optimized reaction conditions, we carried out the generalization of the present protocol using substituted MBH acetates **4a-i** with β-naphthol **2&2a**. The reaction of 4-Bromo substituted acetate **4b** resulted in product **5b** and **6b** in 2:1 in 55 and 28% yield (entry 2, Table 2). Reaction of 2,4-dichloro substituted acetate **4c**

gave corresponding **5c** and **6c** with regioselectivity of 3:1 in 62 and 21% yield (entry 3, Table 2). *p*-Fluoro substituted MBH acetate **4d** gave products **5d** and **6d** in 56 and 19% yield retaining the same regioselectivity (entry 4, Table 2). Electron donating substituents at the *para* position decreased the regioselectivity in the order of Me>OBn>OMe towards the formation of products **5e/6e**, **5f/6f**, **5g/6g** and **5h/6h** (entries 5-8, Table 2). Interestingly, the presence of 2,4-(OMe)₂ drastically increased the regioselectivity to 10:1 towards formation of products **5i/6i** (entry 9, Table 2). Finally, 6-Bromo substituted naphthol on reaction with **4a** gave 55 and 36% yield for formation of **5j** and **6j** (entry 10, Table 2).

Table 2. Substrate Scope towards Cascade Reaction^[a]





[a] Unless otherwise noted, reactions were carried out with (0.1 mmol) of **4** with (0.12 mmol) of **2** using (0.15 mmol) of a base in 4 mL CHCl₃.

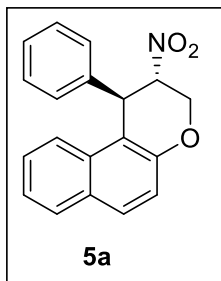
[b] Determined by ¹H-NMR analysis of the crude products.

[c] Isolated yield

In order to get a detailed understanding of possible competitive pathways i.e. S_N2' vs S_N2,¹⁶ we have undertaken a comprehensive computational study¹⁷ to analyse the formation of products **5a** and **6a**.

5.2.2. Spectral data:

3-nitro-4-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5a)



White solid; Yield: 65% (18.0 mg); mp 93-95 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2921 (w), 2856 (m), 1625 (s), 1542 (s), 1468 (s), 1225 (s), 890 (m), 815 (s), 746 (s)

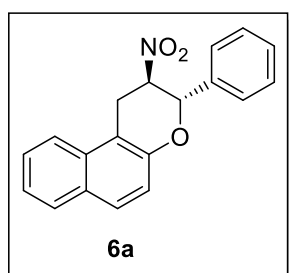
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.77-7.72 (m, 2H), 7.48- 7.45 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.25 (m, 5H), 7.21 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 4.90-4.87 (m, 2H), 4.35 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.4, 141.4, 132.1, 129.9, 129.8, 129.3, 128.6, 128.5, 127.7, 126.8, 123.8, 122.8, 118.3, 110.5, 83.7, 61.4, 40.2.

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3$: C, 74.74; H, 4.95; N, 4.59; Found: C, 75.12; H, 5.42; N, 4.34.

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$, 323.1158; found 323.1272 [$\text{M} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$]

3-nitro-2-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6a):



White solid; Yield: 22% (6.0 mg); mp 97-99 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2936 (w), 2864 (w), 1625 (m), 1542 (s), 1468 (s), 1360 (m), 1225 (m), 741 (s), 697 (s)

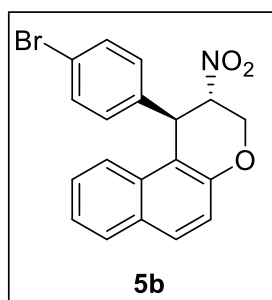
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.73 (t, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.55 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 6H), 7.16 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.47 (d, J

= 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.22-5.16 (m, 1H), 3.87 (dd, $J = 16.4, 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, $J = 16.4, 6.0$ Hz, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.0, 135.4, 132.1, 129.5, 129.4, 129.0, 128.9, 128.6, 127.1, 126.8, 124.2, 121.6, 118.2, 109.8, 84.3, 77.8, 26.9;

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3$: C, 74.74; H, 4.95; N, 4.59; Found: C, 74.68; H, 4.91; N, 4.65.

3-nitro-4-(4-bromophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5b):



White solid; Yield: 55% (20.9 mg); mp 97-98 °C

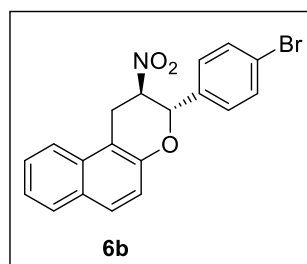
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.79-7.74 (m, 2H), 7.47-7.38 (m, 3H), 7.35-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.08 (m, 3H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 4.93-4.88 (m, 1H), 4.83-4.82 (m, 1H), 4.32-4.29 (m, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.5, 140.4, 132.5, 131.8, 130.8, 130.1, 130.0, 129.9, 128.7, 127.0, 124.0, 122.6, 118.3, 83.4, 61.3, 39.7

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrNO}_3$, 384.0235; found 384.0058 [M + H]

3-nitro-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6b):



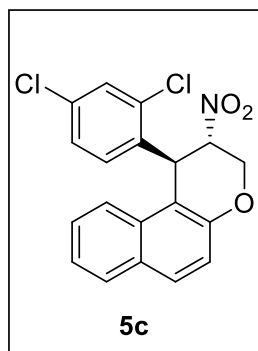
White solid; Yield: 28% (10.6 mg); mp 101-103 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2956 (w), 2921 (w), 1600 (m), 1546 (s), 1228 (m), 741 (s), 697 (s)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.72 (m, 2H), 7.58-7.54 (m, 3H), 7.46-7.42 (m, 1H), 7.32 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 5.42 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.17-5.11 (m, 1H), 3.87 (dd, *J* = 16.4, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dd, *J* = 16.4, 6 Hz, 1H)

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.8, 134.5, 132.1, 130.0, 129.5, 129.1, 128.7, 128.6, 127.2, 124.4, 123.7, 121.6, 118.1, 109.8, 84.3, 77.3, 27.1.

3-nitro-4-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5c):



White solid; Yield: 62% (16 mg); mp 85-86 °C;

IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2936 (w), 1141 (m), 1159 (s), 1225 (s), 1001(s), 1048 (s), 1095 (s), 868 (s), 750 (s)

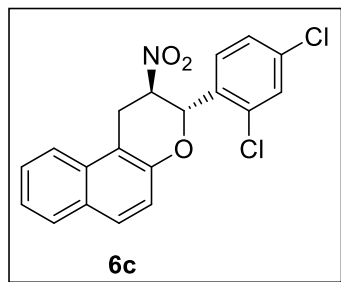
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.79-7.74 (m, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.36-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H), 4.96 (dt, *J* = 12.8 Hz, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.87-4.85 (m, 1H), 4.24 (dd, *J* = 12.8, 1.6 Hz, 1H)

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.8, 136.7, 134.6, 133.7, 132.0, 131.6, 130.2, 130.0, 129.9, 128.8, 127.9, 127.3, 124.1, 122.2, 118.3, 109.5, 80.5, 61.6, 36.8

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₉H₁₃Cl₂NO₃: C, 60.98%; H, 3.50%; N, 3.74%; O, 11.22% Found: C, 60.85%; H, 3.45%; N, 3.68.

HRMS calcd. C₁₉H₁₄Cl₂NO₃, 374.0351; found 374.0179 [M + H]

3-nitro-2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6c):



Pale red solid; Yield: 21% (5.5 mg); mp 83-85 °C

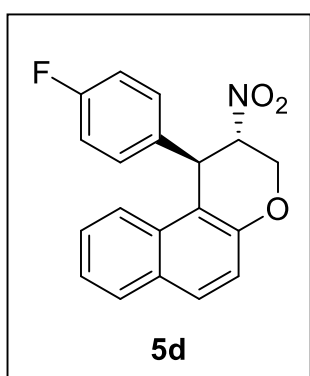
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$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) 7.83 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 7.76 (t, $J = 10.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.56 (td, $J = 8.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H) 7.23 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.15 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.11(d, $J = 6$ Hz, 1H), 5.35 (q, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.98 (dd, $J = 16.8, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd, $J = 17.2, 6.0$ Hz, 1H)

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 152.2, 135.8, 133.5, 132.2, 130.1, 129.5, 129.3, 128.9, 128.7, 127.9, 127.2, 124.3, 121.5, 117.9, 109.2, 80.8, 73.7, 29.7

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{13}\text{Cl}_2\text{NO}_3$: C, 60.98.; H, 3.50; N, 3.74 5; O, 11.222 Found: C, 60.86; H, 3.56; N, 3.71.

3-nitro-4-(4-fluorophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5d)



White solid; Yield: 56% (15.1 mg); mp 63-65 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2921 (s), 1623 (m), 1545 (s), 1508 (s), 1320 (w), 1223 (s), 1158 (m), 1075 (s), 810 (s), 833 (s), 744 (s), 767 (s)

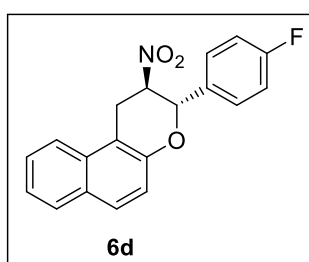
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.77-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.03-6.99 (m, 2H), 5.48 (s, 1H) 4.92-4.89 (m, 1H), 4.84-4.83 (m, 1H), 4.34-4.31 (m, 1H)

¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 163.8, 151.4, 137.1, 131.9, 130.1, 130.0, 129.9, 129.9, 128.7, 126.9, 123.9, 122.6, 118.3, 116.4, 116.2, 110.3, 83.6, 61.3, 39.5.

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₉H₁₄FNO₃: C, 70.58; H, 4.36; N, 4.33; Found: C, 70.45; H, 4.40; N, 4.38.

HRMS calcd. C₁₉H₁₆FNO₃, 325.1114; found 325.1842 [M + 2H]

3-nitro-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6d):



Pale pink solid; Yield: 19% (5.1 mg); mp 77-78 °C

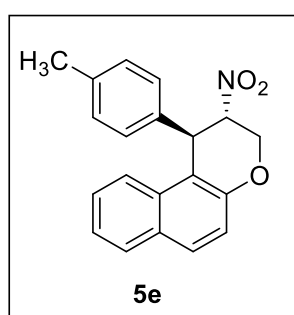
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¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃), 7.83 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.587.54(m,1H), 7.467.42 (m, 3H), 7.16-7.08(m, 3H), 5.41 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 5.18-5.12 (m, 1H), 3.88 (dd, *J* = 16 Hz, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (dd, *J* = 16 Hz, 6.0 Hz, 1H)

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.0, 151.0, 132.1, 131.2, 129.5, 129.1, 129.0, 128.9, 128.7, 127.2, 124.3, 121.6, 118.1, 116.1, 115.9, 109.9, 106.9, 84.5, 77.3, 27.4

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₉H₁₄FNO₃: C, 70.58; H, 4.36; N, 4.33; Found: C, 70.48; H, 4.31; N, 4.38.

3-nitro-4-(*p*-tolyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(5e):



White solid; Yield: 64% (20.4 mg); mp 58-59 °C

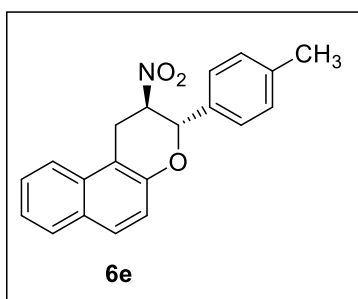
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.78-7.72 (m, 2H), 7.49-7.47 (m, 1H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.08 (m, 5H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 4.90-4.85 (m, 2H), 4.37-4.33 (m, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.4, 138.5, 129.9, 129.7, 128.6, 128.3, 126.8, 123.8, 122.8, 118.3, 110.8, 83.8, 61.4, 39.9, 20.9.

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3$, 317.1052; found 317.1161 [M - 2H]

3-nitro-2-(*p*-tolyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6e):



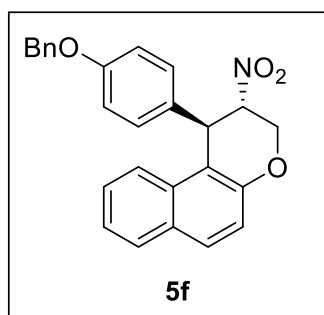
White solid; Yield: 16% (5.1 mg); mp 102-103 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2994 (w), 2920 (w), 1627 (s), 1545 (s), 1462 (s), 1356 (m), 1227 (s), 1204 (s), 1036 (s), 815 (s), 741 (s)

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.82 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.76- 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.55 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.45-7.41 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.14 (m, 3 H), 5.43 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.21-5.19 (m, 1H), 3.90-3.84 (m, 1H), 3.70-3.65 (m, 1 H), 2.36 (s, 3)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.1, 139.4, 132.3, 132.1, 129.6, 129.4, 128.9, 128.6, 127.1, 126.8, 124.2, 121.6, 118.3, 109.9, 84.3, 77.8, 27.1, 21.2.

3-nitro-4-(4-(benzyloxy)-phenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5f)



White solid; Yield: 58% (23.7 mg); mp 81-82 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2921 (w), 1625 (m), 1600 (m), 1547 (s), 1466 (s), 1364 (m), 1216 (s), 1002 (s), 859 (m), 823 (s), 790 (s), 740 (s)

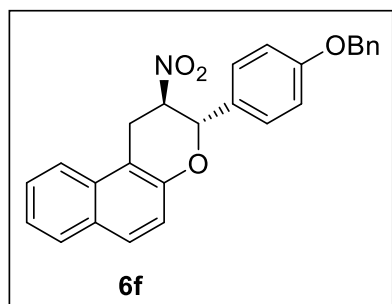
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.77-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.52-7.48 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.28 (m, 7H), 7.16-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.92-6.90 (m, 2H), 5.43 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 2H), 4.90-4.83 (m, 2H), 4.36-4.33(m, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 158.2, 151.4, 136.6, 133.6, 132.1, 130.3, 129.9, 129.7, 129.6, 128.6, 128.0, 127.5, 127.4, 127.1, 126.8, 123.8, 122.8, 118.3, 115.5, 115.0, 110.8, 83.8, 70.0, 61.4, 39.5

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_4$: C, 75.90; H, 5.14; N, 3.40 Found: C, 75.82; H, 5.18; N, 3.36

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_5$, 429.1576; found 429.1290 [M + H_2O]

3-nitro-2-(4-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6f):



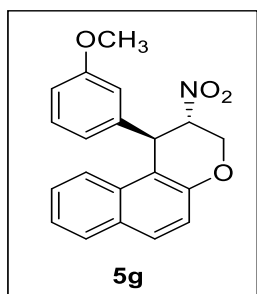
Pale Red solid; Yield: 29% (11.9 mg); mp 85-86 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2920 (w), 1624 (m), 1548 (s), 1467 (s), 1353 (m), 1225 (s), 1177 (s), 842 (s), 740 (s)

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.70 (m, 2H), 7.55 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.31 (m, 8H), 7.14 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.38 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.21-5.15 (m, 1H), 5.07 (s, 2H), 3.90-3.83 (m, 1H), 3.73-3.68 (m, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 159.6, 151.2, 136.6, 132.1, 129.4, 129.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.4, 128.0, 127.5, 127.4, 127.1, 124.2, 121.6, 118.3, 115.2, 109.9, 84.5, 77.7, 70.0, 27.5.

3-nitro-4-(3-methoxyphenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5g)



White solid; Yield: 36% (9.9 mg); mp 71-73 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2965 (w), 1624 (m), 1547 (s), 1465(m), 1539 (s), 1261 (s), 1157 (s), 1030 (s), 868 (s), 806 (s), 764 (s)

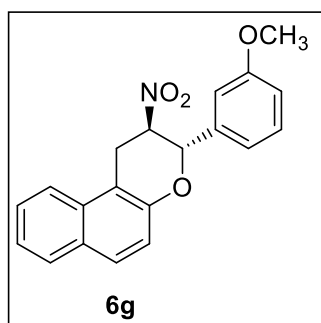
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^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 160.2, 151.4, 143.1, 132.2, 130.3, 129.9, 129.8, 128.6, 126.9, 123.8, 122.7, 120.8, 118.3, 114.8, 112.5, 110.5, 83.7, 61.6, 55.2, 40.3.

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$: C, 71.63; H, 5.11; N, 4.18; Found: C, 71.52; H, 5.18; N, 4.09.

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_4$, 334.1080; found 334.1079 [M - H]

3-nitro-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6g):



Pale red solid; Yield: 25% (6.7 mg); mp 65-66 °C

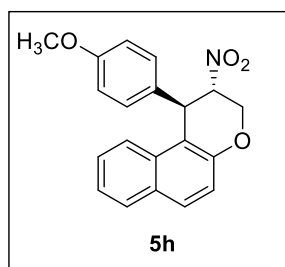
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.57-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.41 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.29 (m, 1H), 7.17 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.01-6.97 (m, 2H), 6.93-6.91 (m, 1H), 5.47 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.22-5.17 (m, 1H), 3.87 (dd, $J = 16.4, 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.65 (dd, $J = 16.0, 5.6$ Hz, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ : 159.9, 150.9, 137.0, 132.1, 130.0, 129.4, 129.0, 128.7, 127.1, 124.2, 121.6, 119.0, 118.2, 114.8, 112.5, 109.9, 84.2, 77.6, 55.2, 26.8

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$: C, 71.63; H, 5.11; N, 4.18; Found: C, 71.76; H, 5.09; N, 4.15.

3-nitro-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5h)



White solid; Yield: 50% (13.3 mg); mp 71-72 °C

IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2998 (w), 2836 (w), 1624 (m), 1552 (s), 1466 (m), 1380 (s), 1235 (s), 852 (m), 838 (s), 805 (s), 765 (s), 745 (s)

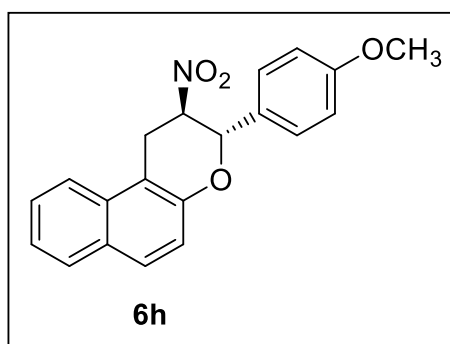
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ : 7.77-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.50-7.47 (m, 1H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.84-6.82 (m, 2H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 4.90-4.83 (m, 2H), 4.35 (dd, $J = 12.4, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ : 159.0, 151.4, 133.4, 132.1, 129.9, 129.6, 129.5, 128.6, 126.8, 123.8, 122.8, 118.3, 114.6, 110.9, 83.9, 61.4, 55.2, 39.5

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$: C, 71.63; H, 5.11; N, 4.18; Found: C, 71.52; H, 5.14; N, 4

HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_5$, 353.1263; found 353.1406

3-nitro-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran(6h):



White solid; Yield: 25% (6.7 mg); mp 82-83 °C

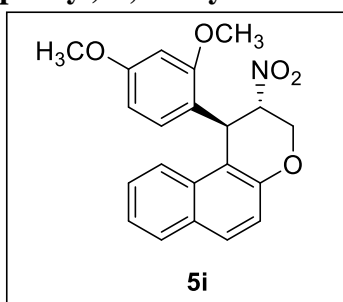
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.82 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.76-7.70 (m, 2H), 7.57-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.36 (m, 3H), 7.15 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.95-6.91 (m, 2H), 5.37 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.21-5.15 (m, 1H), 3.89-3.83 (m, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.70 (dd, $J = 16.0, 6.0$ Hz, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ : 160.4, 151.2, 132.1, 129.4, 128.9, 128.6, 128.4, 127.2, 127.1, 124.2, 121.6, 118.3, 114.3, 109.9, 84.5, 77.7, 55.3, 27.5

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$: C, 71.63; H, 5.11; N, 4.18; Found: C, 71.52; H, 5.16; N, 4.23.

3-nitro-4-(2,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-naphthopyran (5i)



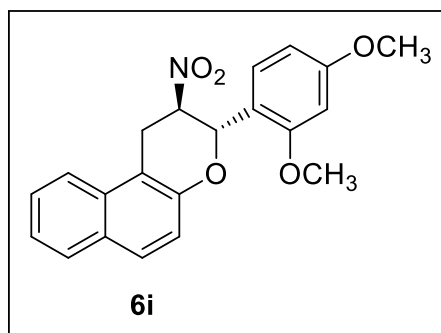
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IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2929 (w), 2853 (w), 1633 (m), 1600 (s), 1560 (s), 1453 (s), 1367 (m), 1262 (s), 881 (s), 793(s)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.90 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz 1H), 7.68-7.65 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 2H), 6.65-6.62 (m, 2H), 5.35 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (s, 3H); 3.65 (s, 3H)

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 170.4, 161.3, 158.9, 152.2, 148.7, 132.5, 130.6, 128.6, 126.0, 125.8, 124.1, 123.0, 122.2, 119.6, 113.8, 112.5, 104.3, 98.9, 88.1, 62.1, 55.47, 55.42, 20.9

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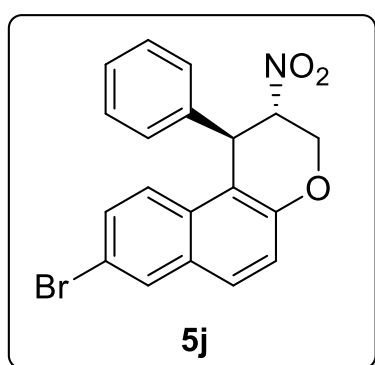
Pale Brown solid; Yield; 20% (7.3mg); mp 117-118 °C

IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2944 (w), 2838 (w), 1636 (m), 1542 (s), 1459 (s), 1366 (m), 1237 (s), 867 (s), 792 (s)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.77-7.75 (m, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.8Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 2H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H) 5.67 (s, 1H), 4.90-4.84 (m, 2H), 4.31-4.28 (m, 1H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 3H)

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 170.3, 160.4, 156.8, 151.7, 132.2, 131.1, 129.8, 129.3, 128.5, 126.7, 123.7, 122.9, 121.1, 118.2, 111.1, 104.3, 98.5, 81.3, 62.2, 55.6, 55.3, 33.7

3-nitro-4-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-8-bromo-naphthopyran (5j)



White solid; Yield; 55% (19 mg); mp 76-78 °C

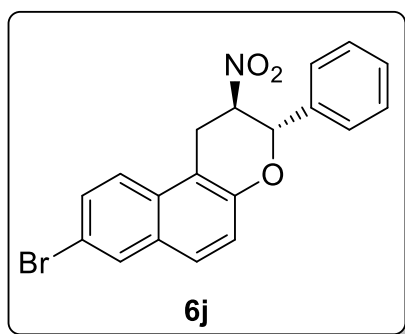
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.92 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.28 (m, 5 H), 7.19-7.17 (m, 3H), 5.44 (s, 1H), 4.92-4.86 (m, 2H), 4.34 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H)

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 151.7, 141.0, 131.1, 130.7, 130.6, 130.1, 129.4, 128.8, 128.4, 127.9, 124.5, 119.5, 117.6, 111.0, 83.6, 61.5, 40.2

Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrNO}_3$: C, 59.39; H, 3.67; N, 3.65; Found: C, 59.45; H, 3.62; N, 3.71
HRMS calcd. $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrNO}_4$, 401.0263; found 401.0167

3-nitro-2-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-8-bromo-naphthopyran(6j):



Pale Brown solid; Yield; 36% (12.6 mg); mp 81-82 °C

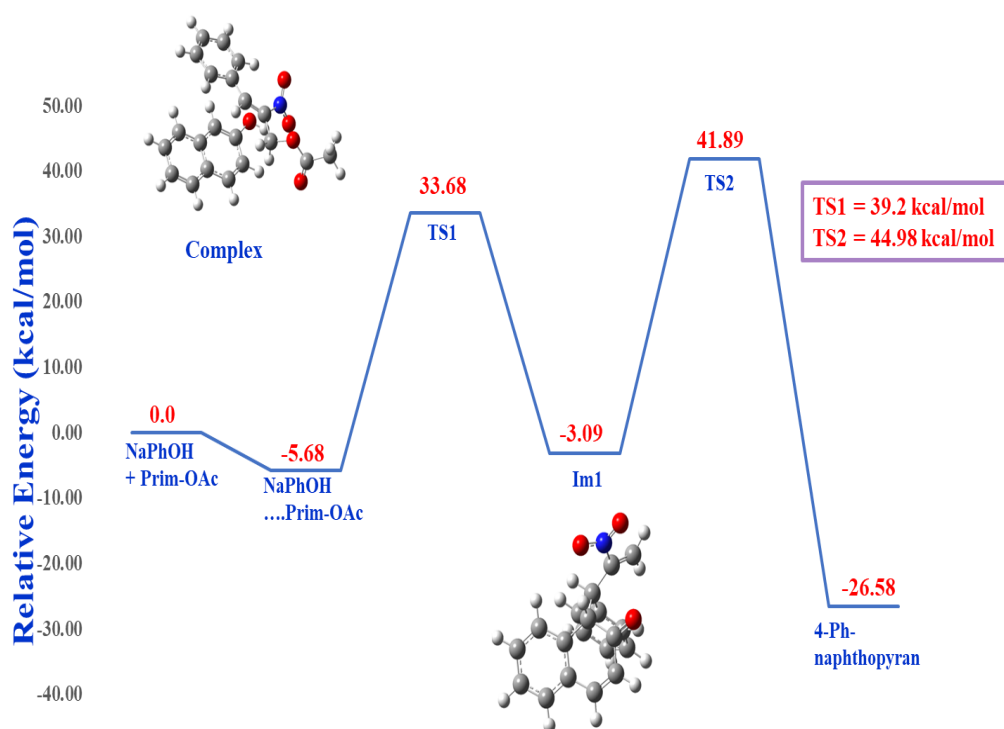
IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2851 (w), 1624 (m), 1597 (m), 1545 (s), 1350 (m), 1226 (m), 973 (s), 745 (s), 697 (s)

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.97 (s, 1H), 7.64-7.61 (m, 3H), 7.43-7.39 (m, 5H), 7.17 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.49 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.22-5.16 (m, 1H), 3.85 (dd, $J = 16.4, 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.61 (dd, $J = 16.4, 6.0$ Hz, 1H)

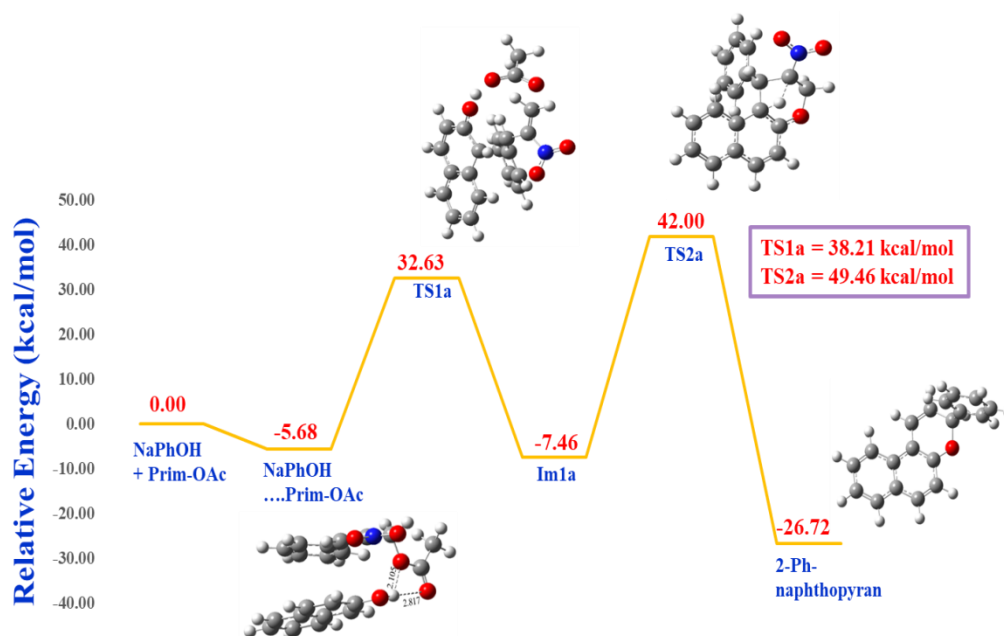
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Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrNO}_3$: C, 59.39; H, 3.67; N, 3.65; Found: C, 59.28; H, 3.72; N, 3.61.

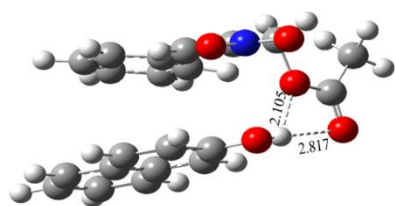
Energy profile diagrams for the formation of 5a



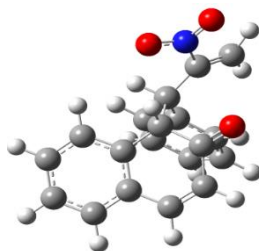
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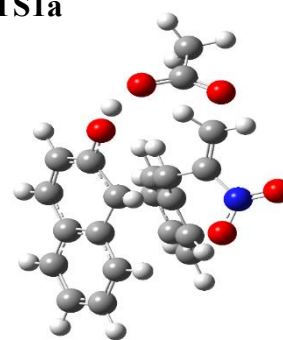
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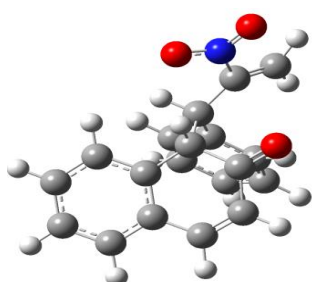
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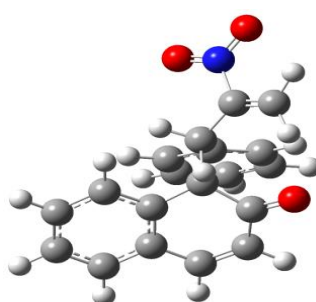
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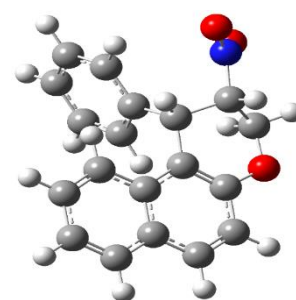
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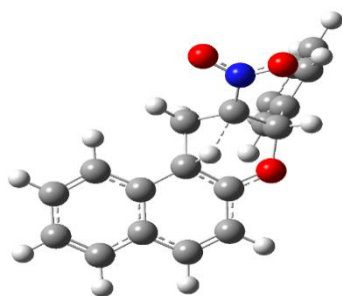
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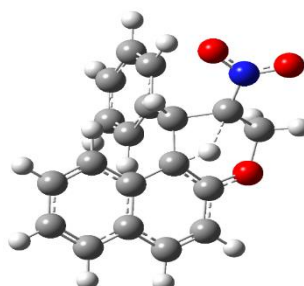
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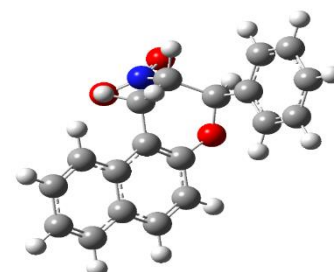
TS2



TS2a



Pyran-2



SF-1: The optimized structure of complex, Intermediate, transition state and products.

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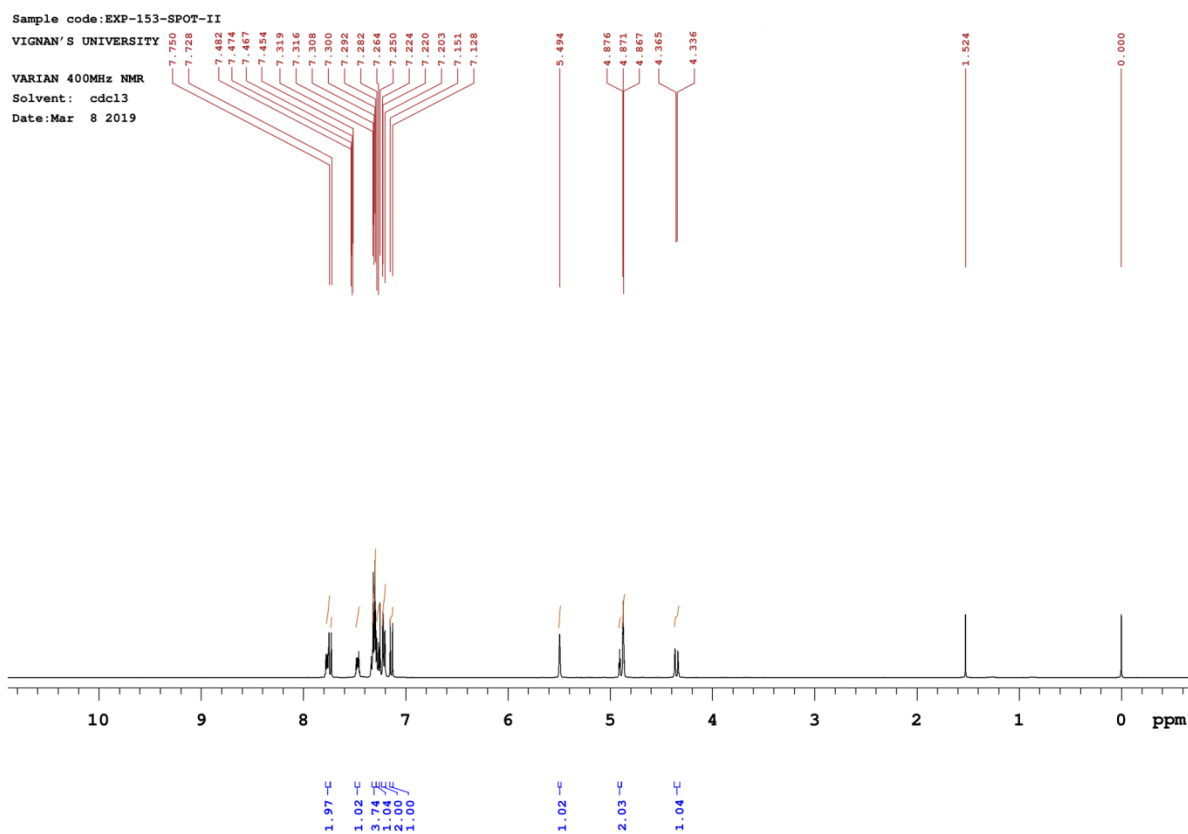
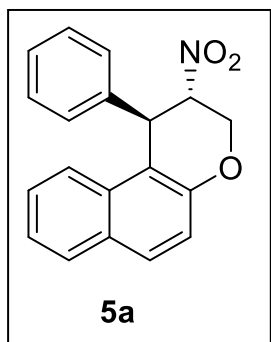


CHAPTER 6.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

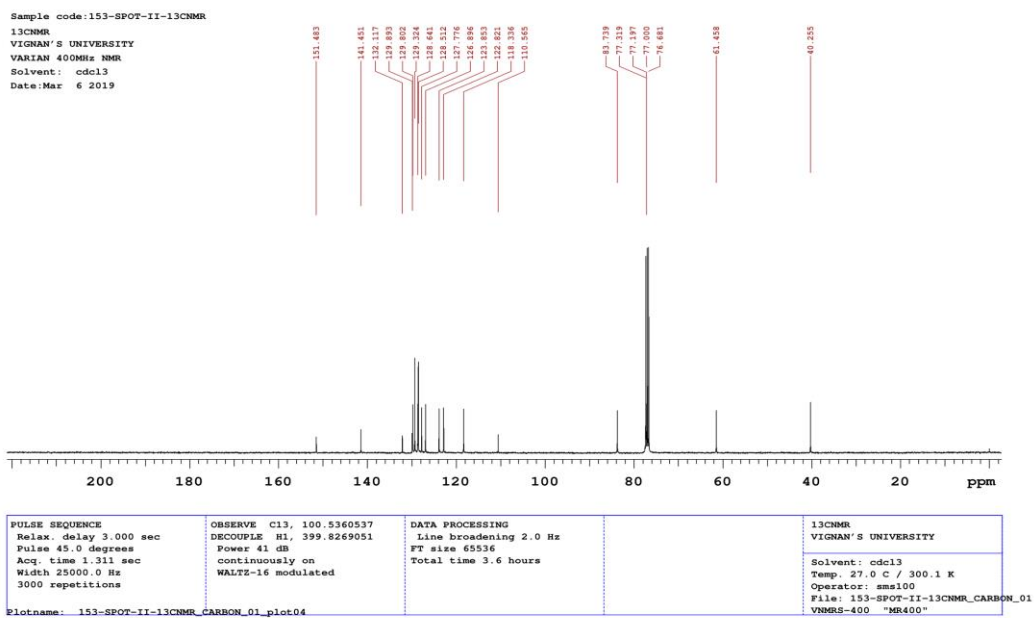
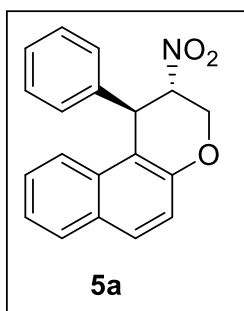
(SPECTRA's & GRAPHICAL DIAGRAMS)

6.Spectral Dat

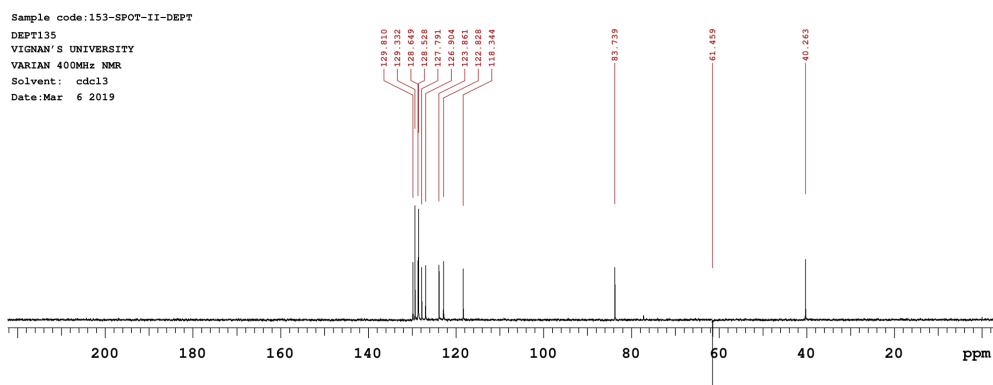
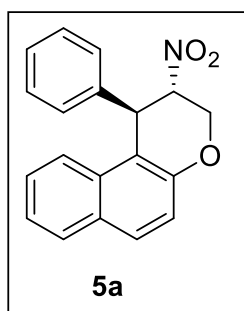


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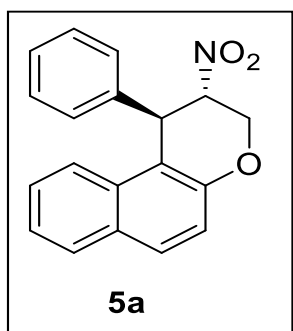
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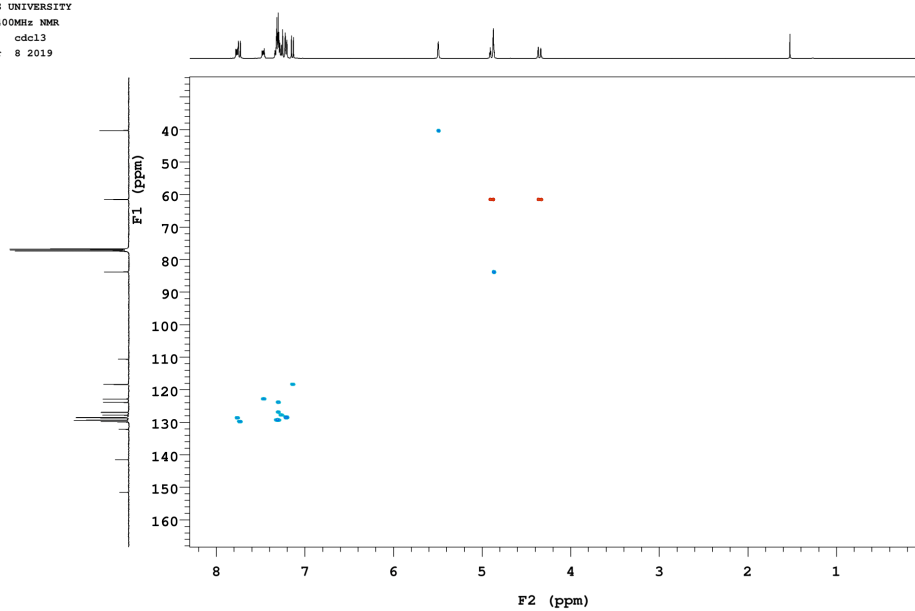
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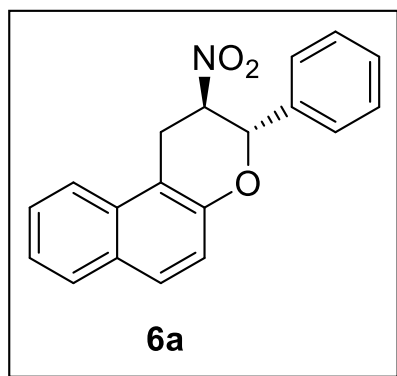


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Solvent: cdcl3
Date: Mar 8 2019

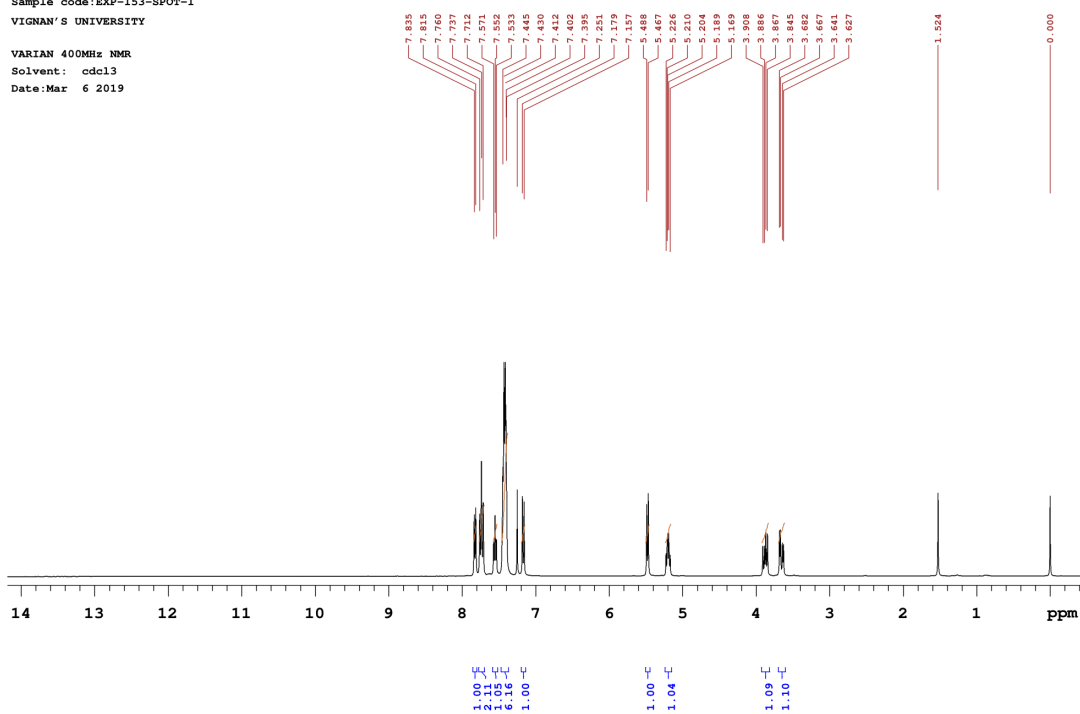


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HSQC Spectra for compound **5a**

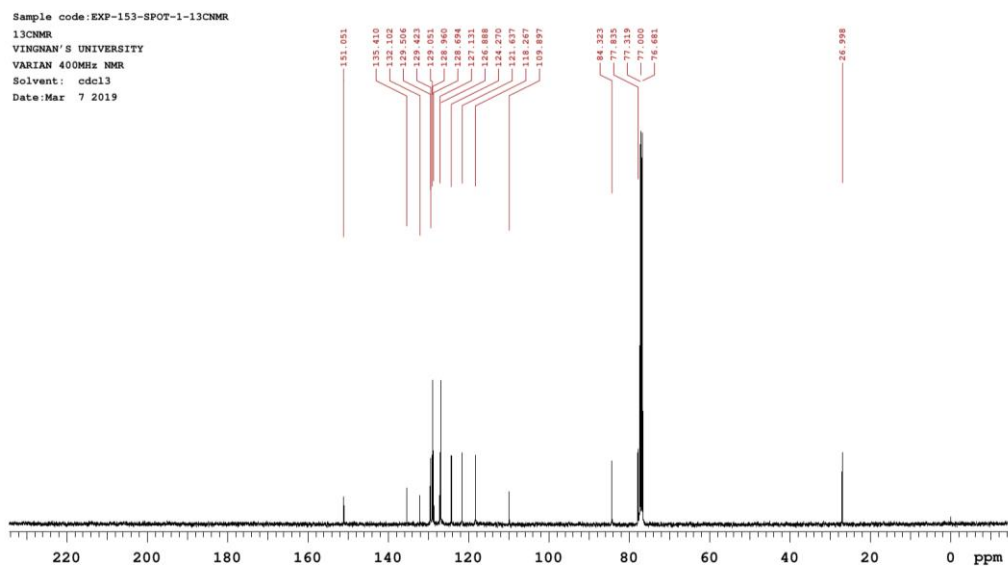
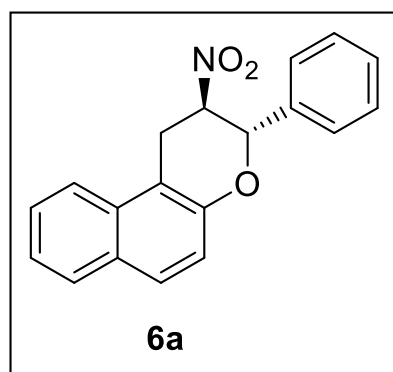


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 Solvent: cdcl3
 Date:Mar 6 2019



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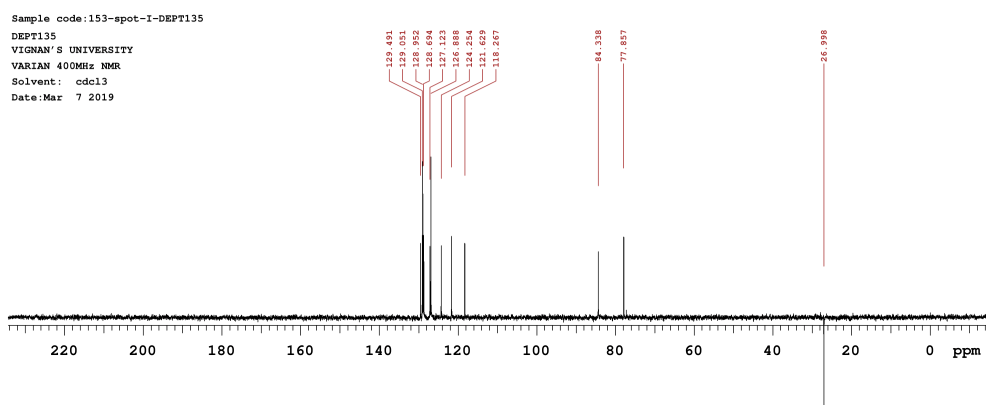
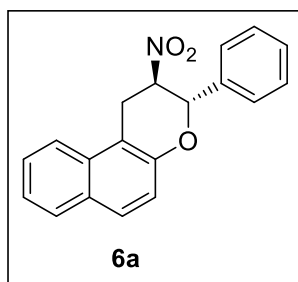
^1H NMR Spectra for compound **6a**



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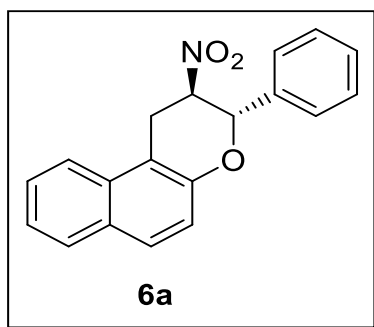
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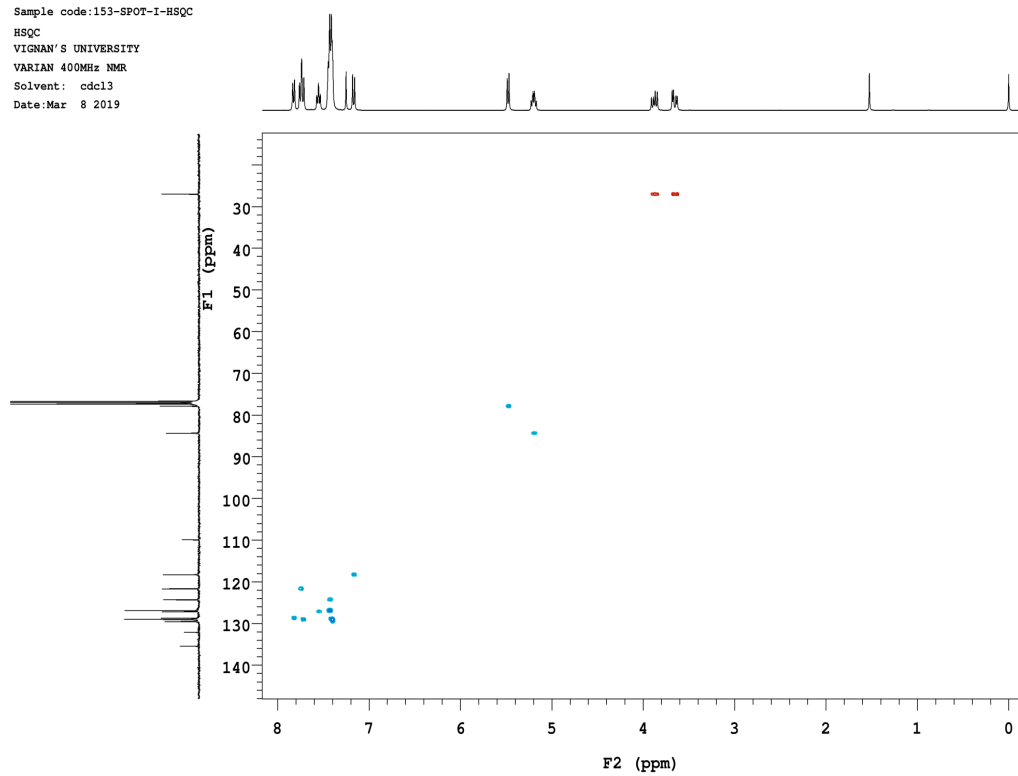
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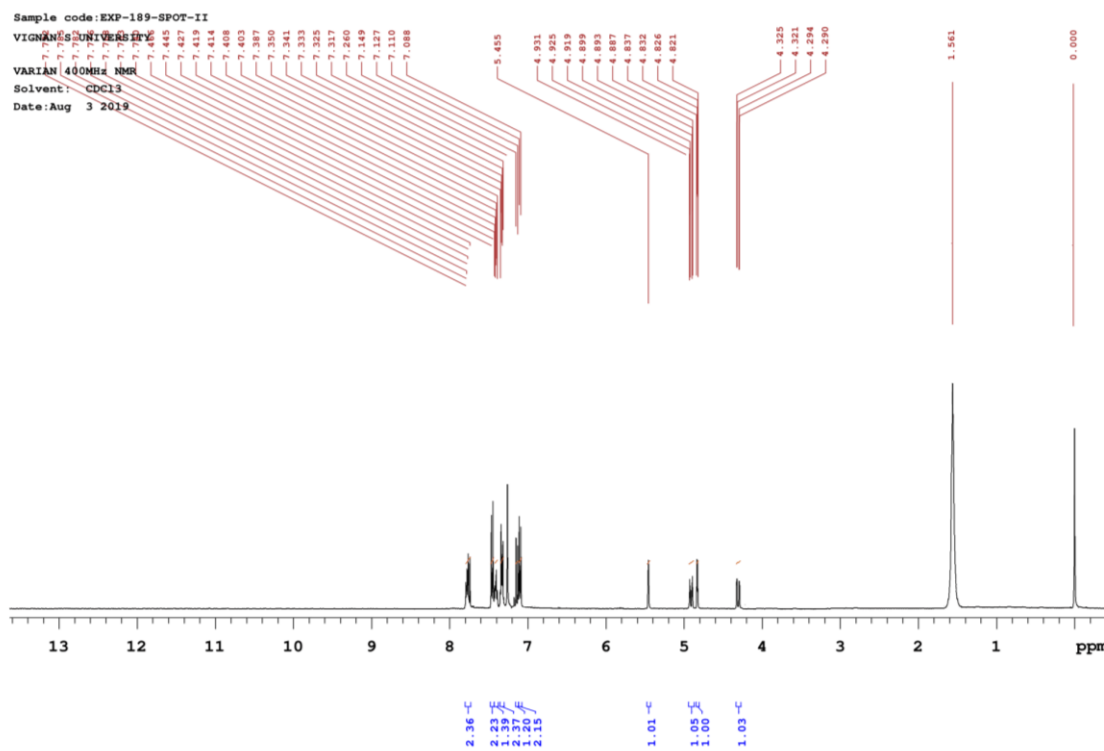
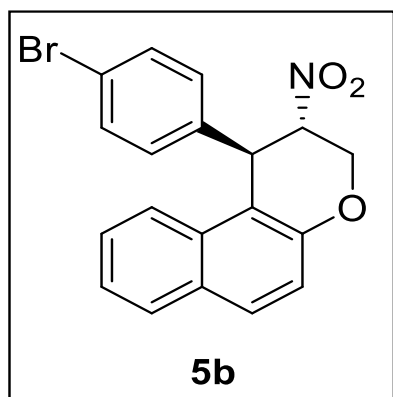


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 VIGNAN'S UNIVERSITY
 VARIAN 400MHz NMR
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 Date:Mar 8 2019



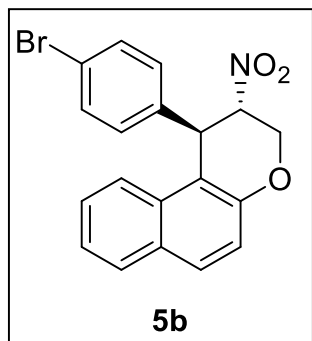
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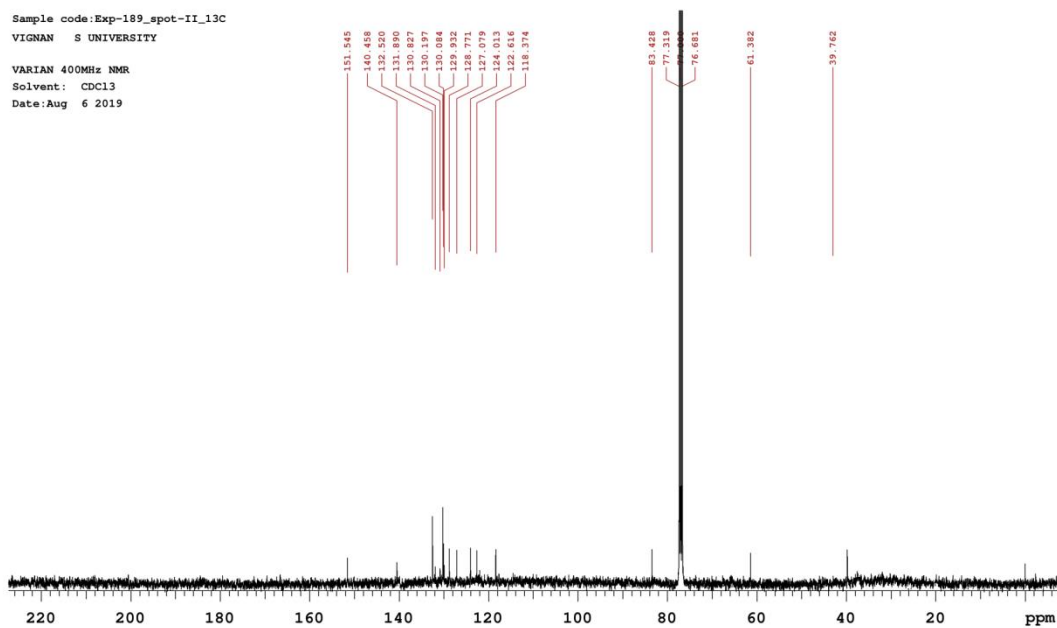


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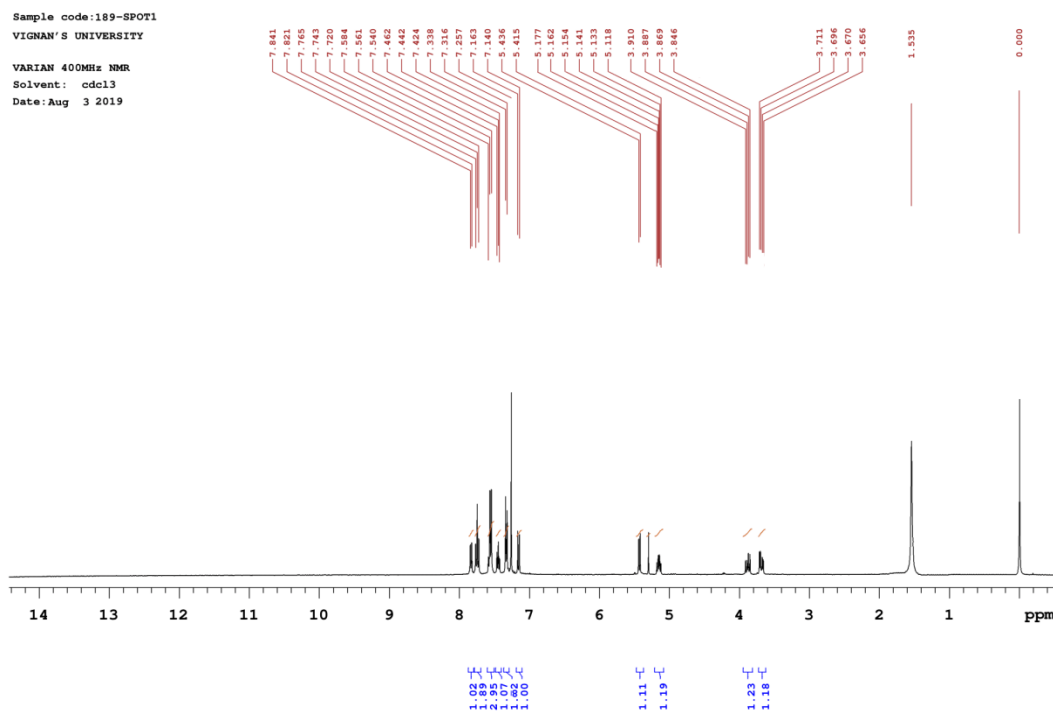
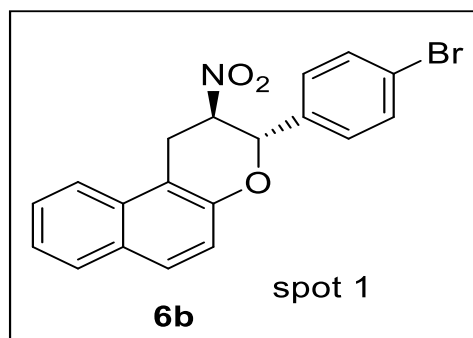


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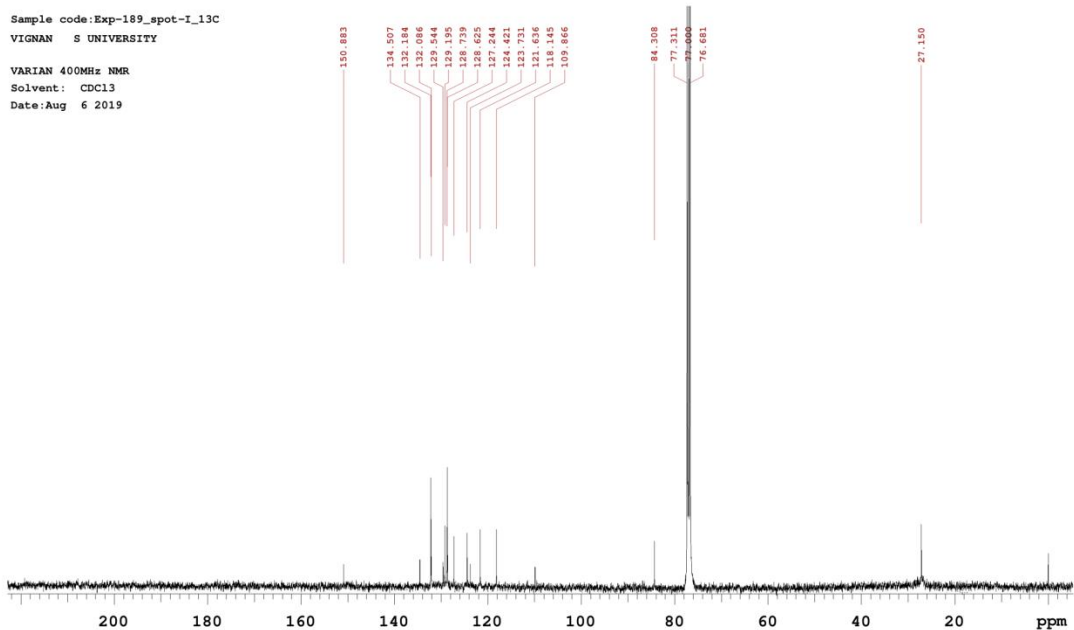
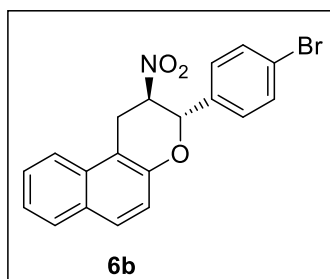


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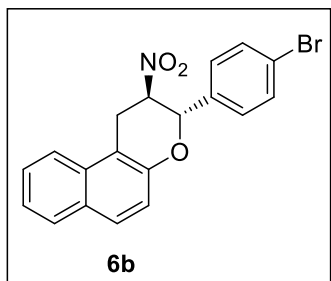


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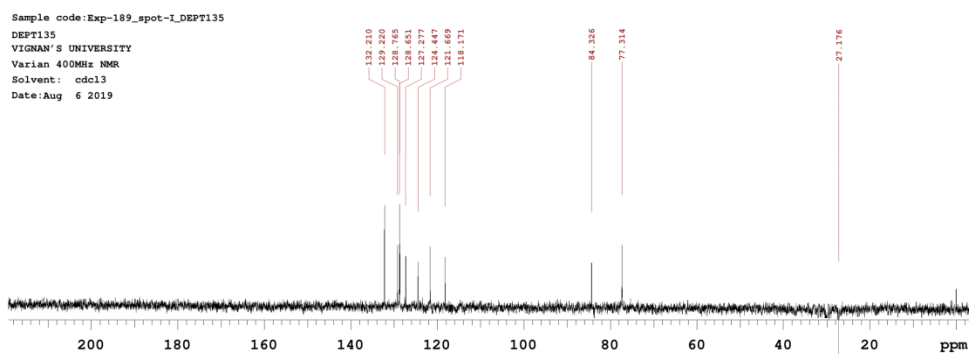


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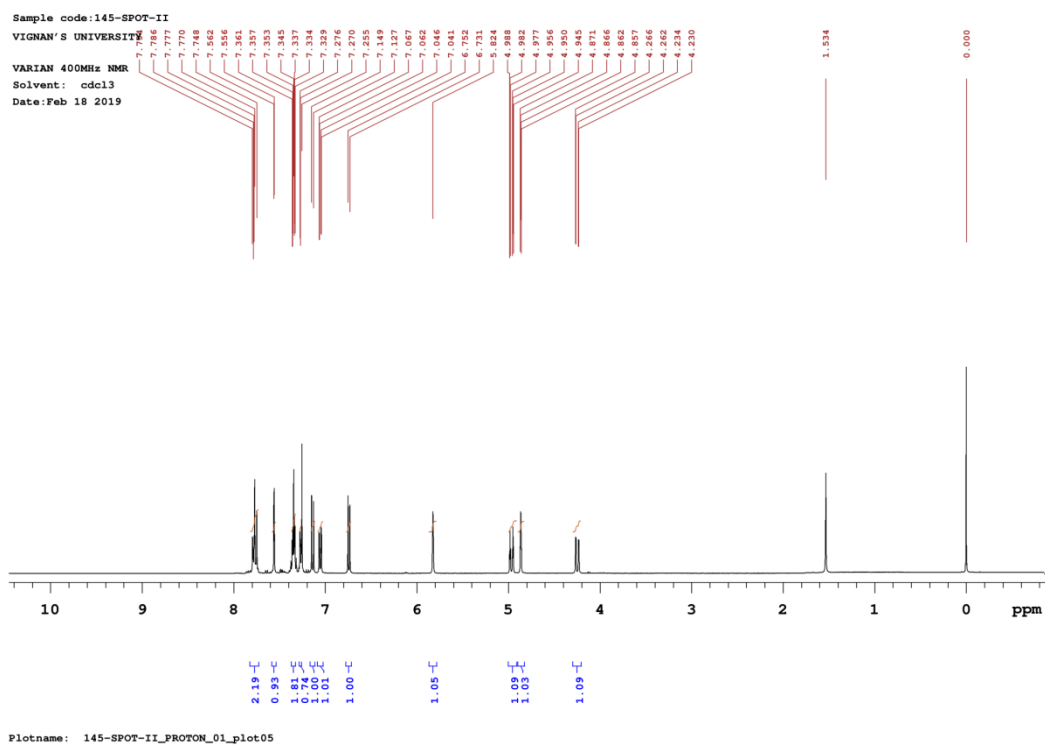
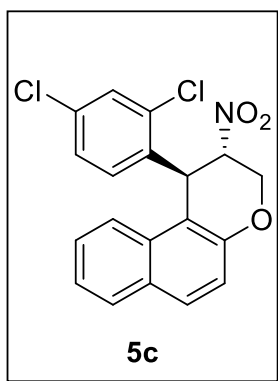


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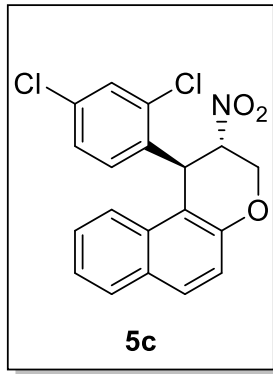


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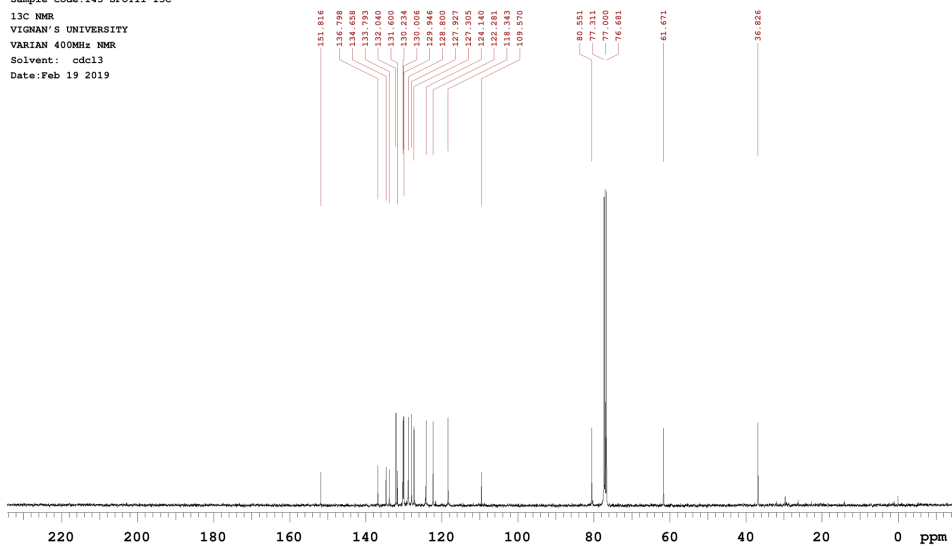
DEPT-135 Spectra for compound **5c**



¹H NMR Spectra for compound **5c**

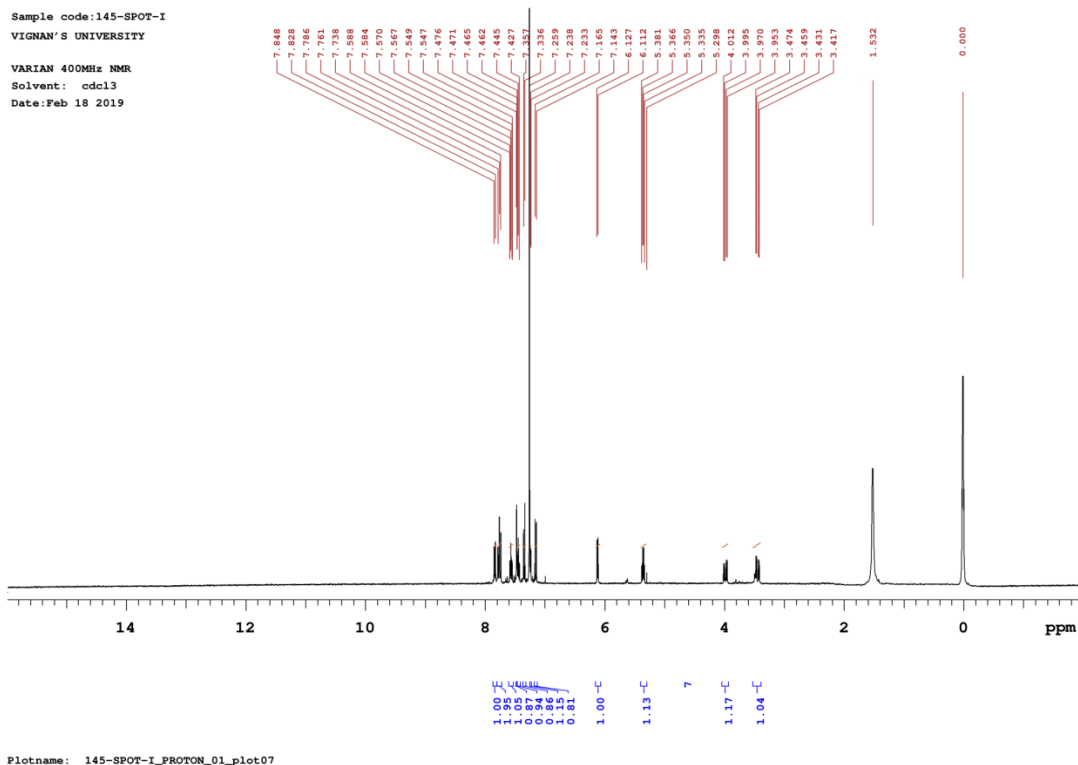
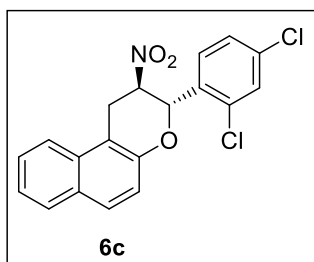


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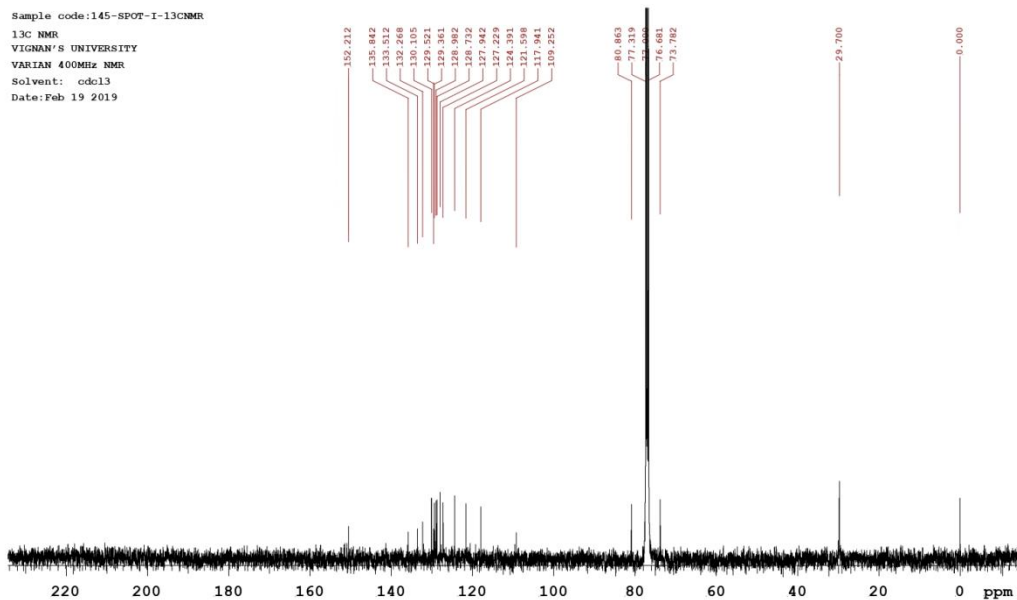
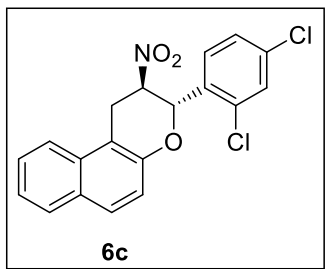


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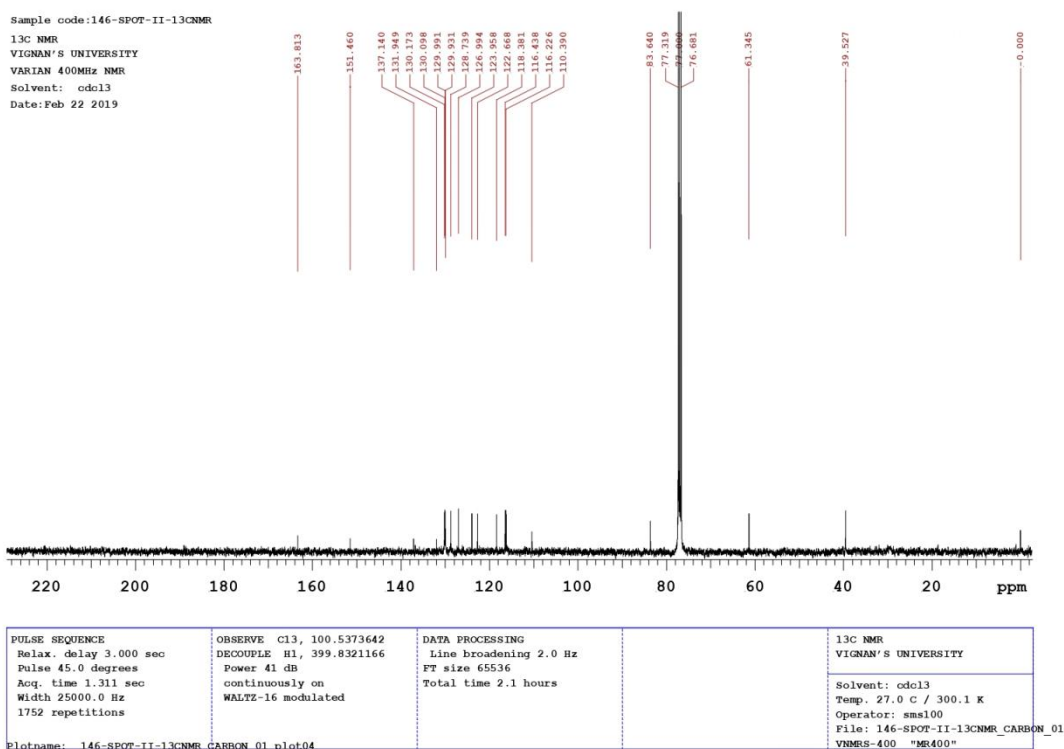
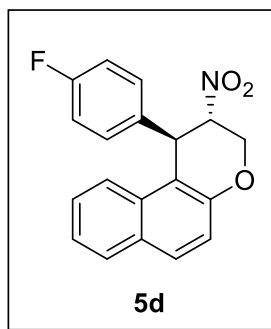


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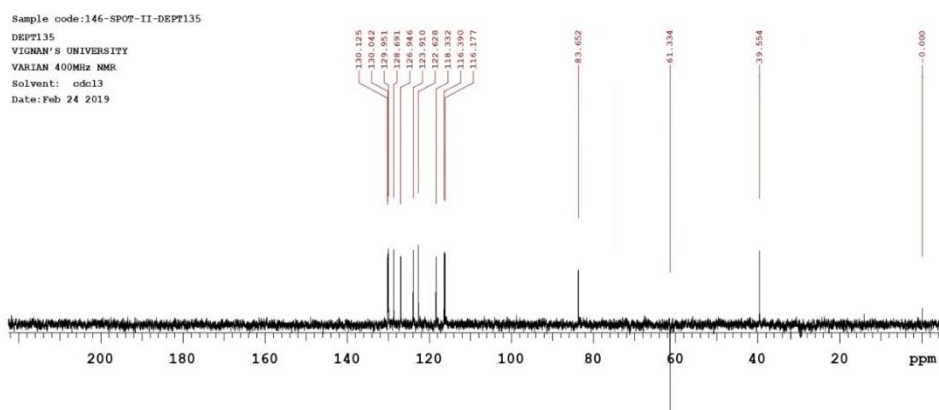
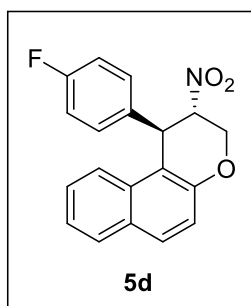


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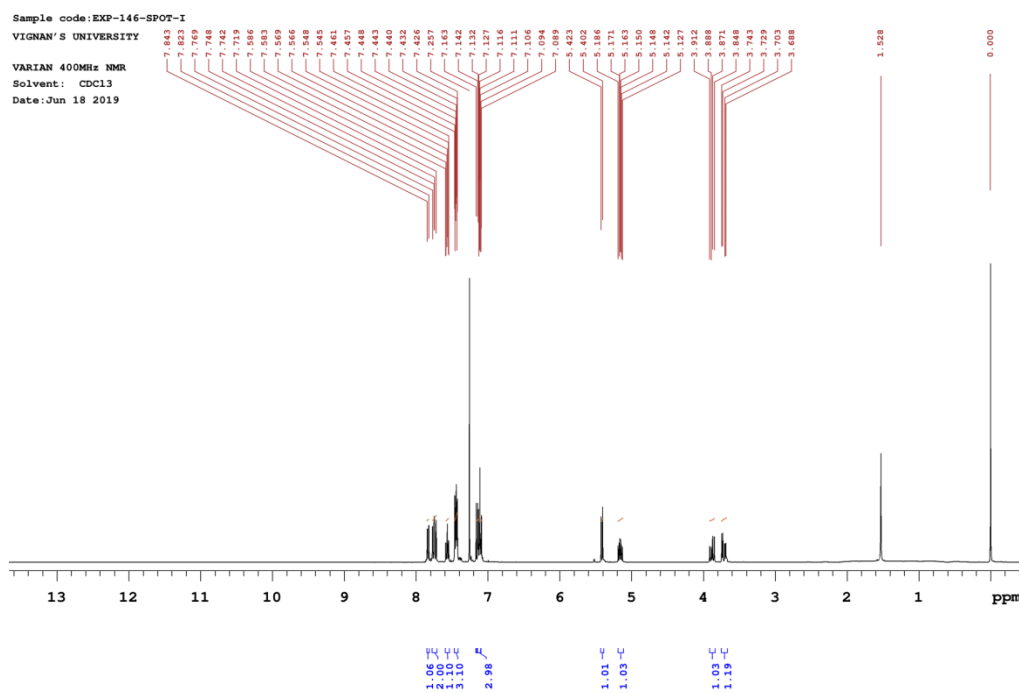
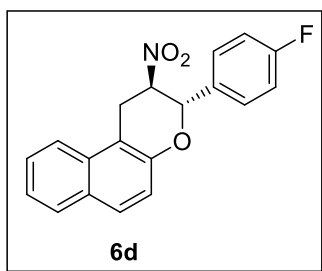


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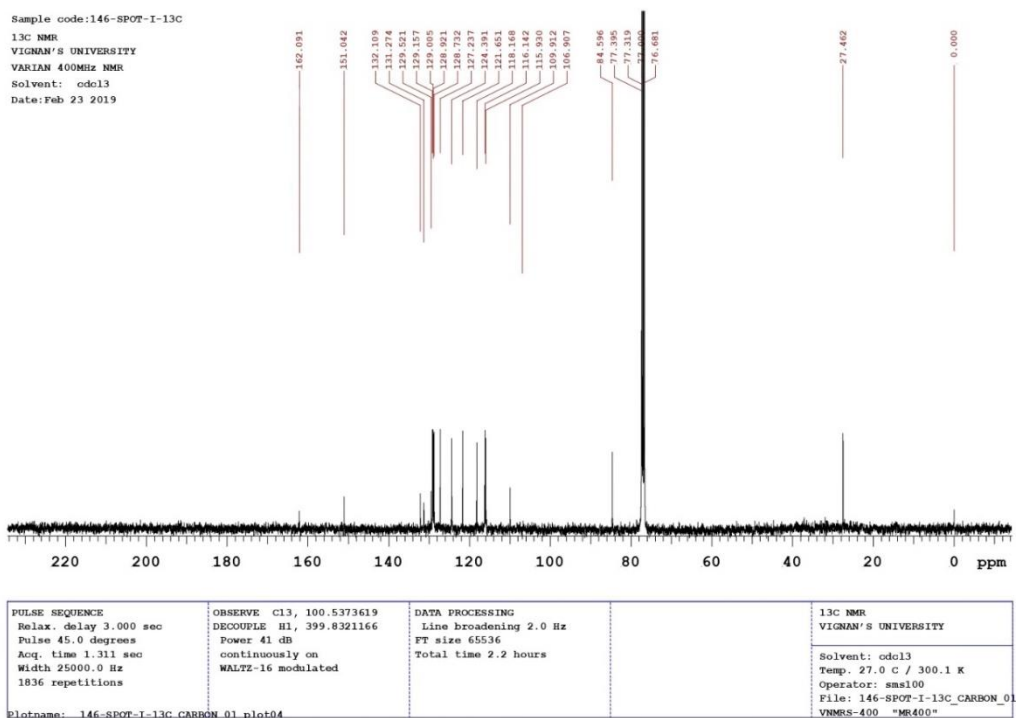
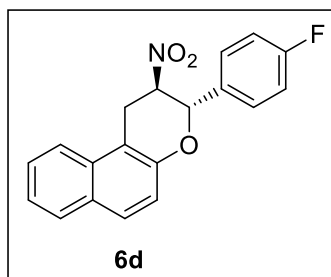
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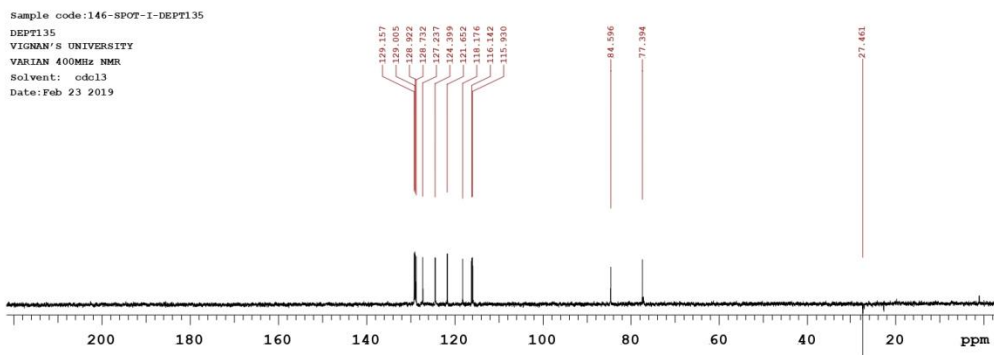
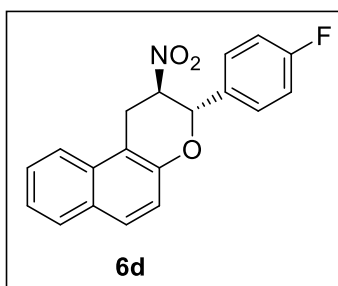


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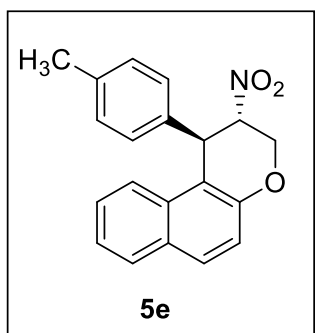
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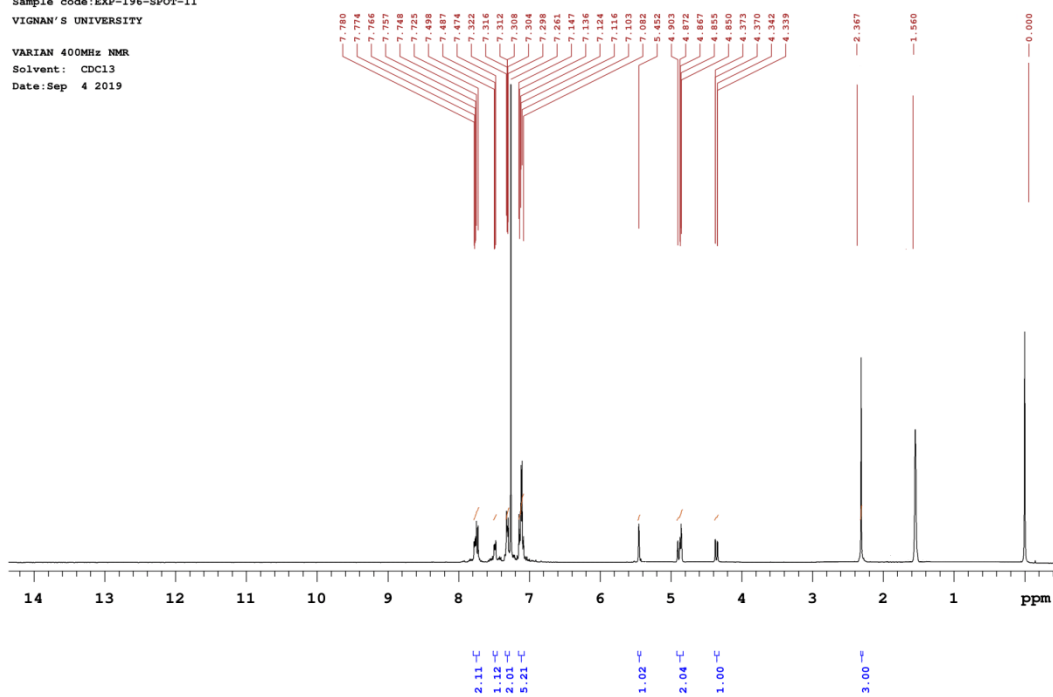
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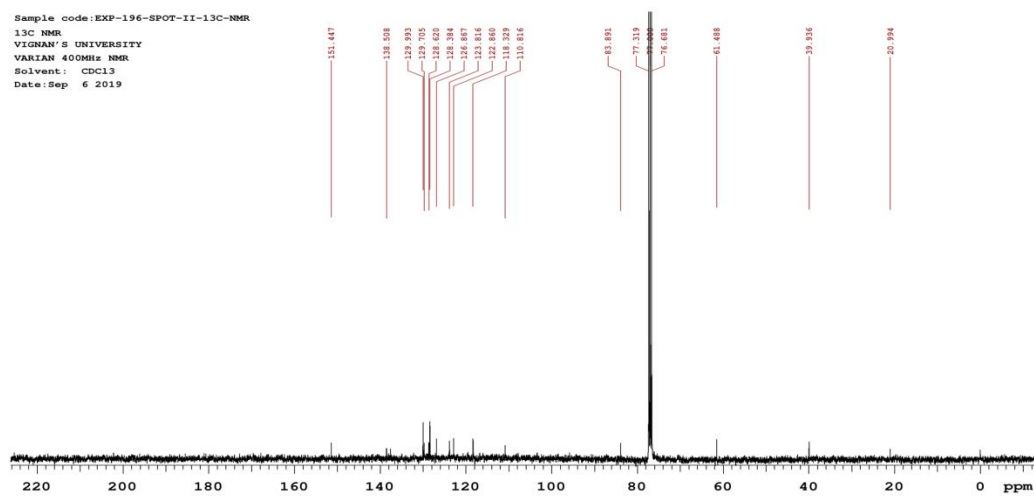
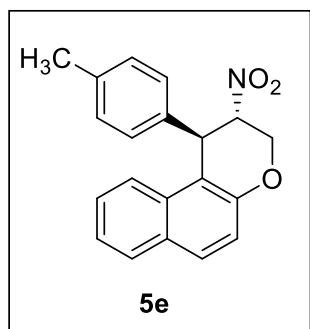


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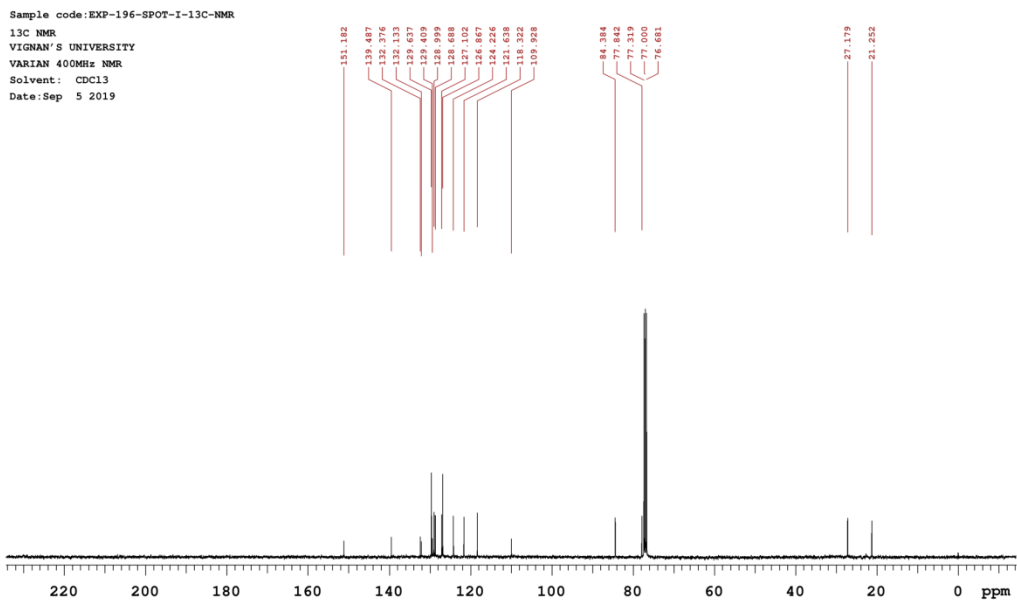
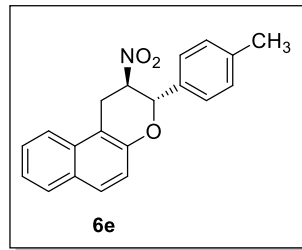
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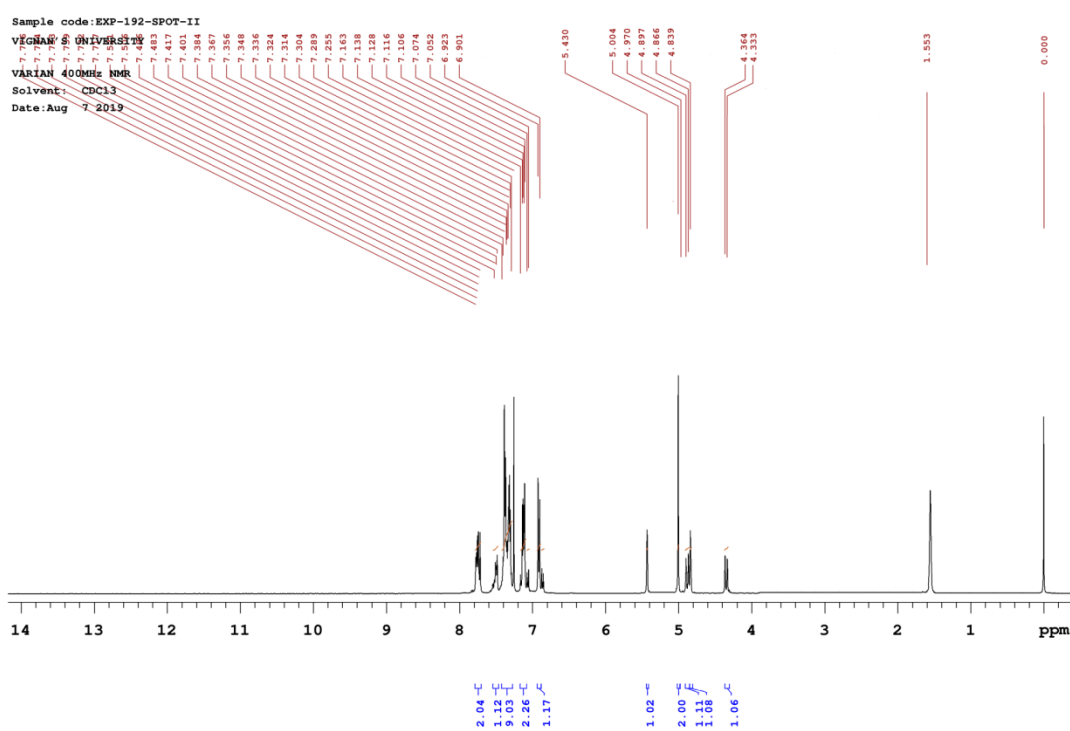
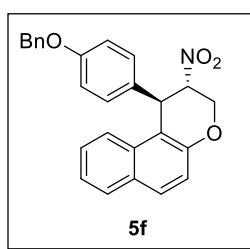
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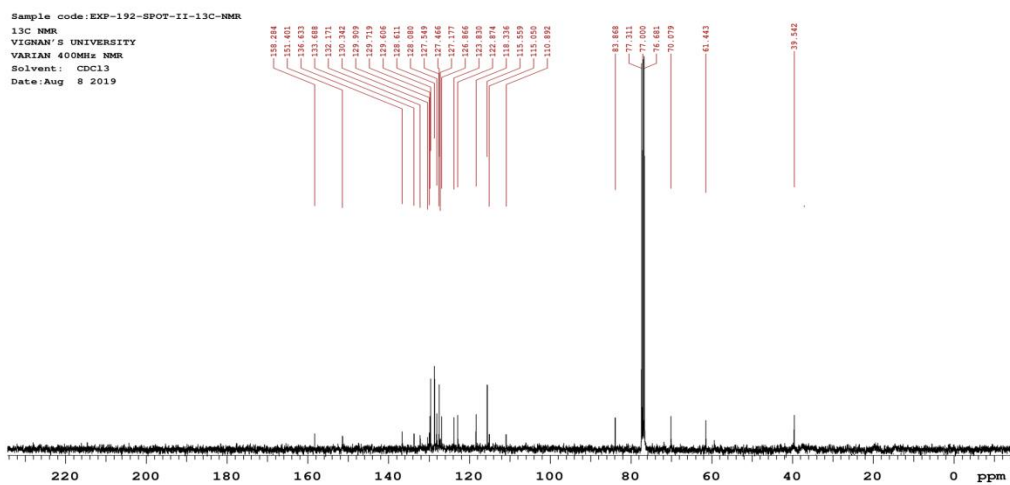
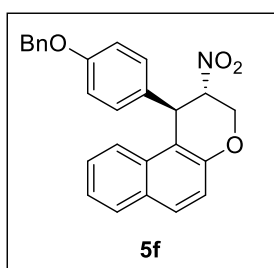
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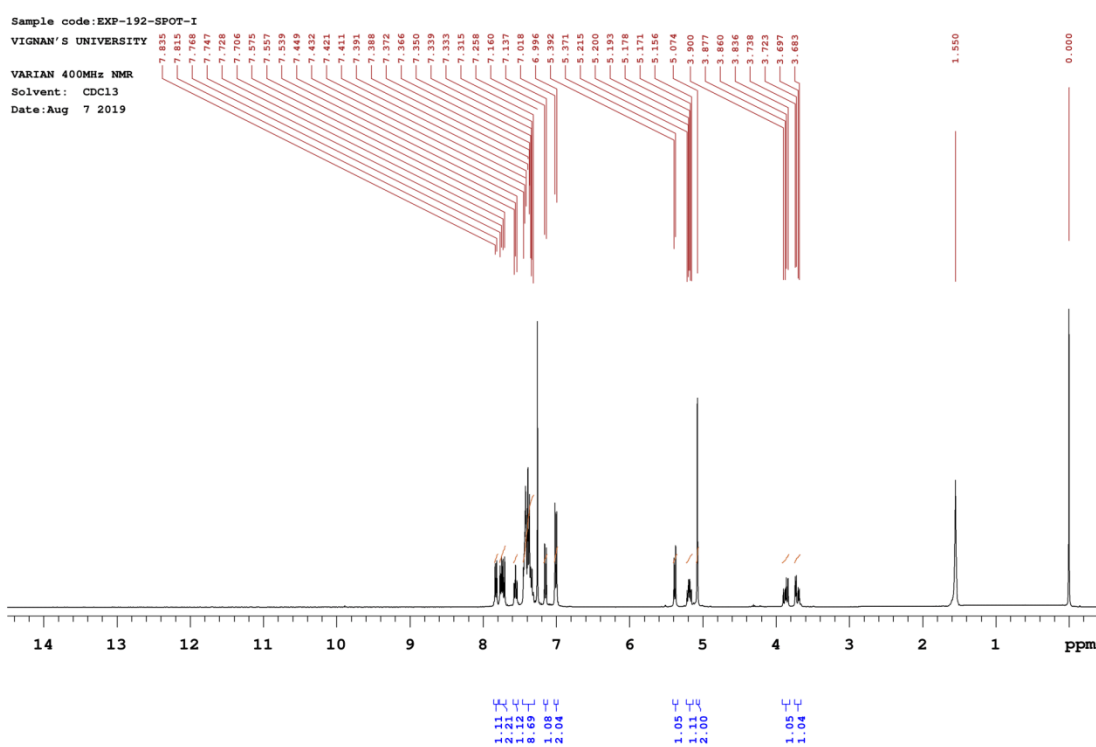
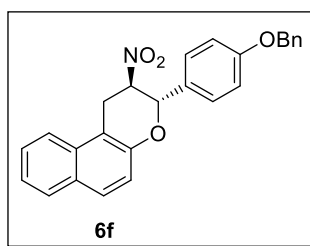
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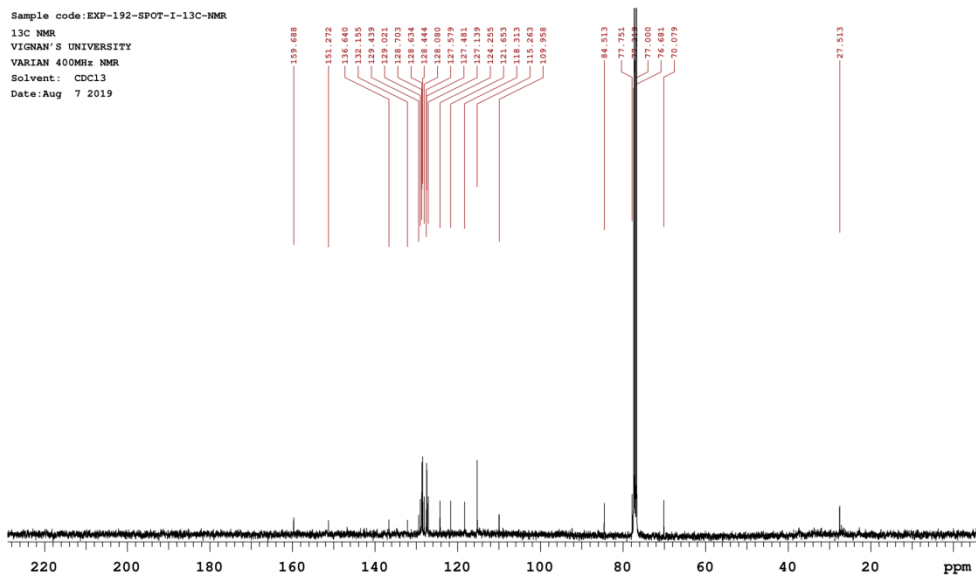
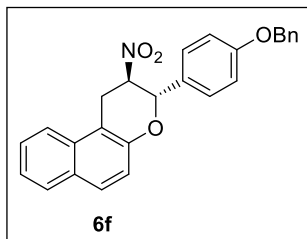
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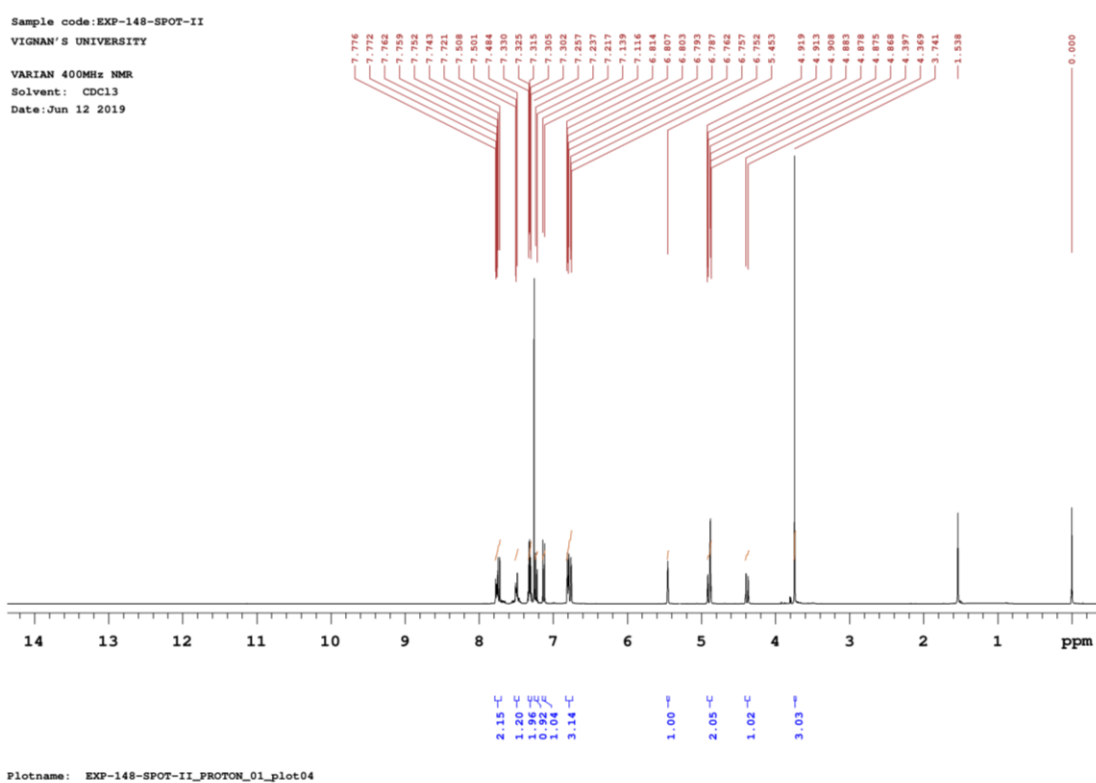
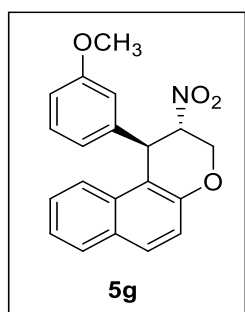
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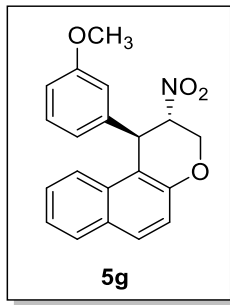


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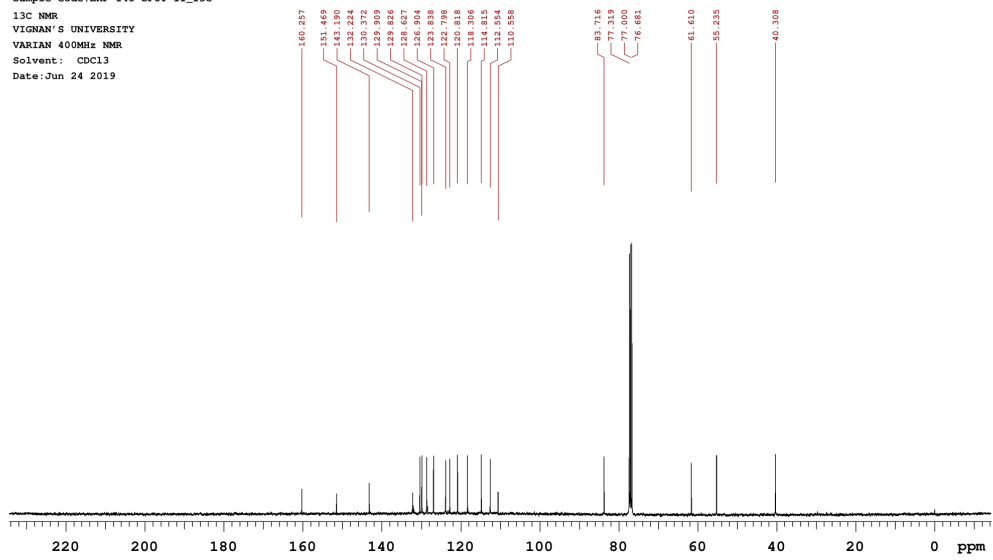
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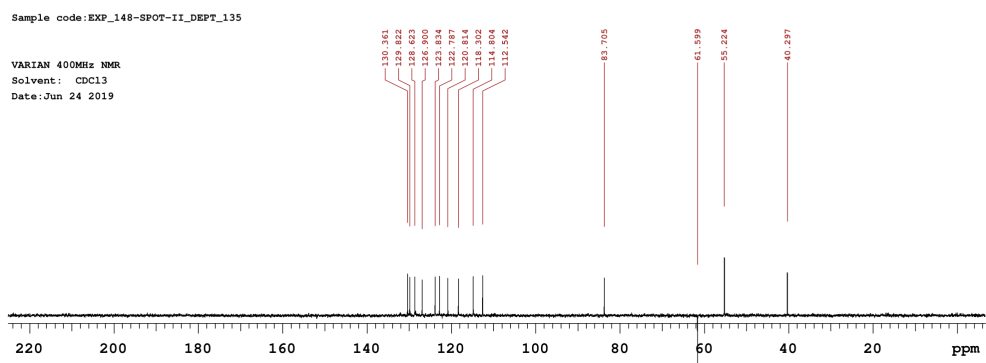
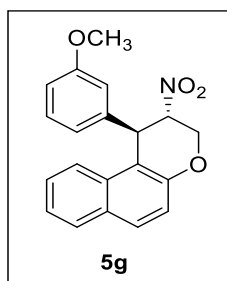


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 VARIAN 400MHz NMR
 Solvent: CDCl₃
 Date: Jun 24 2019



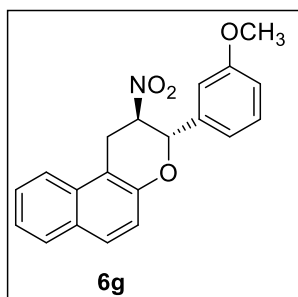
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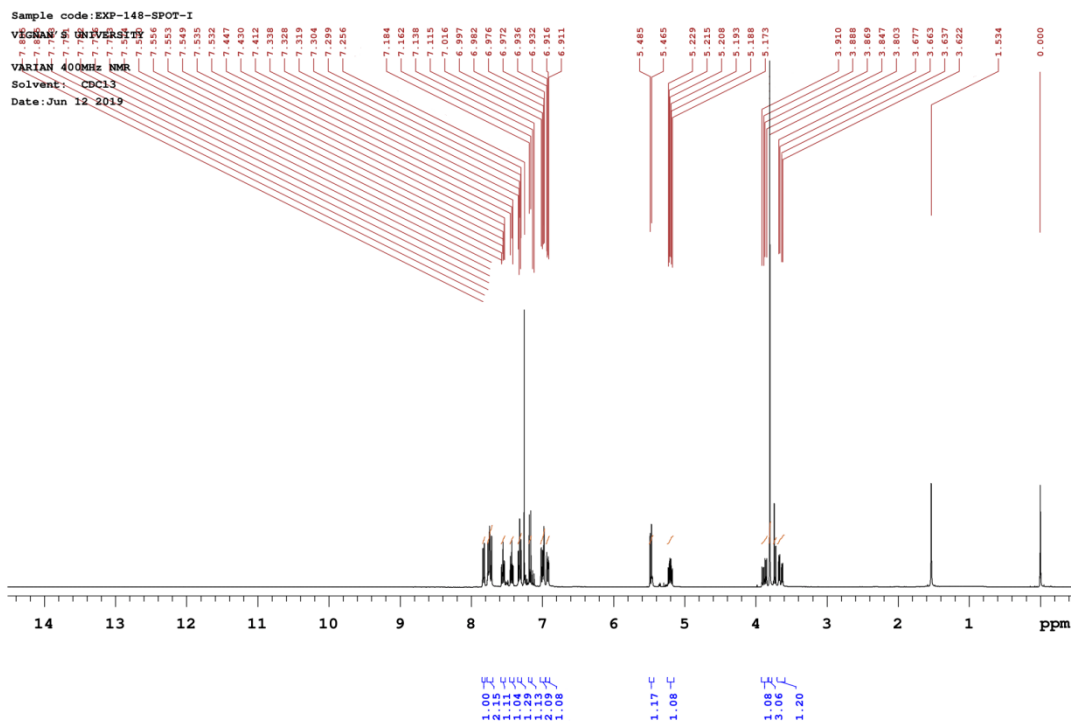


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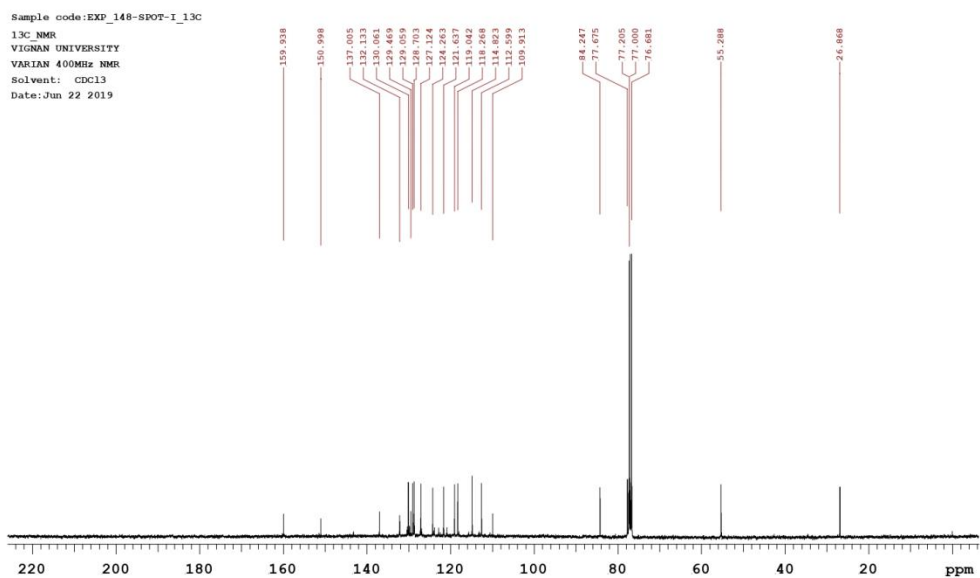
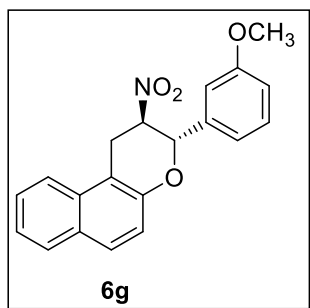


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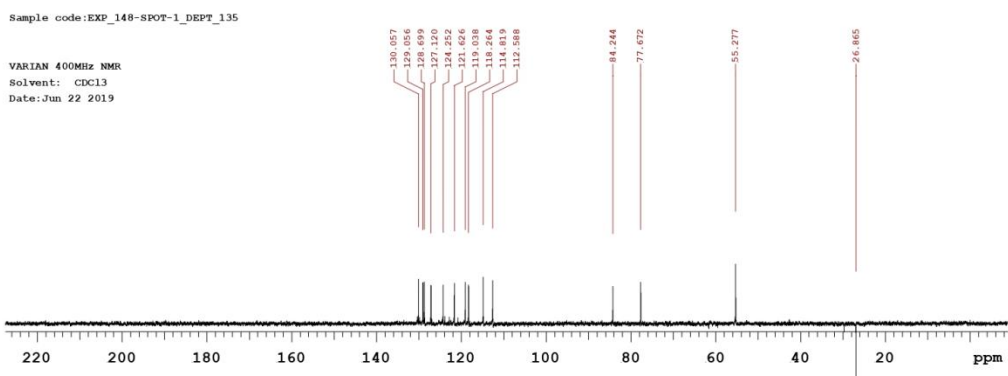
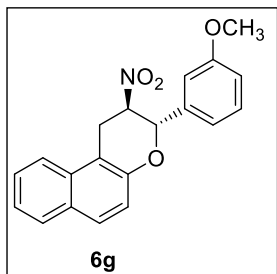
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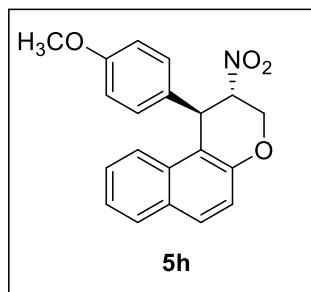
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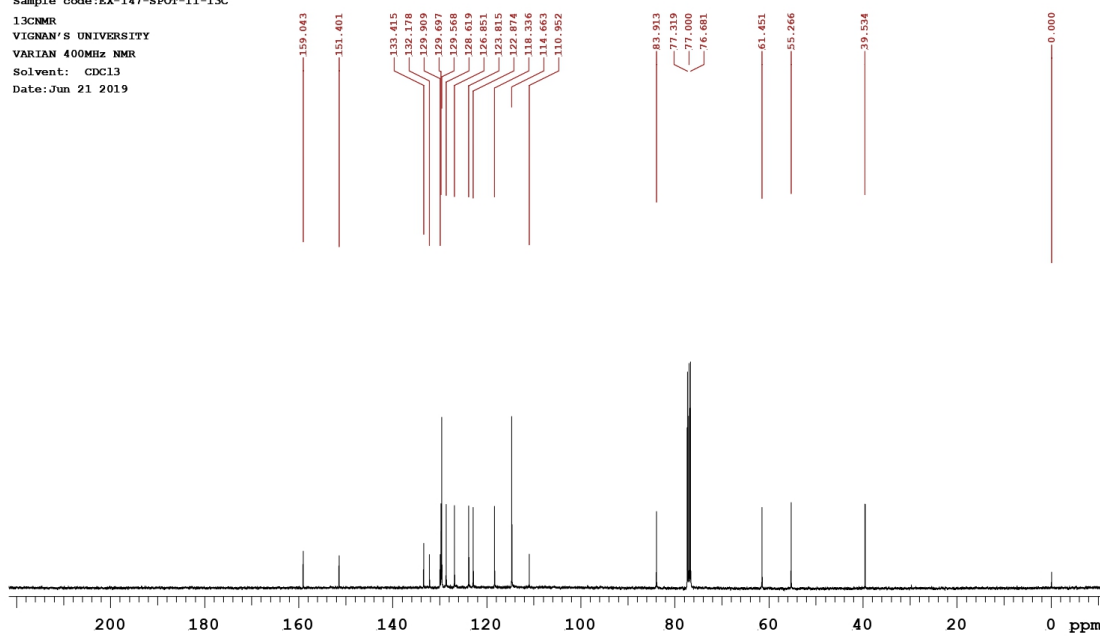


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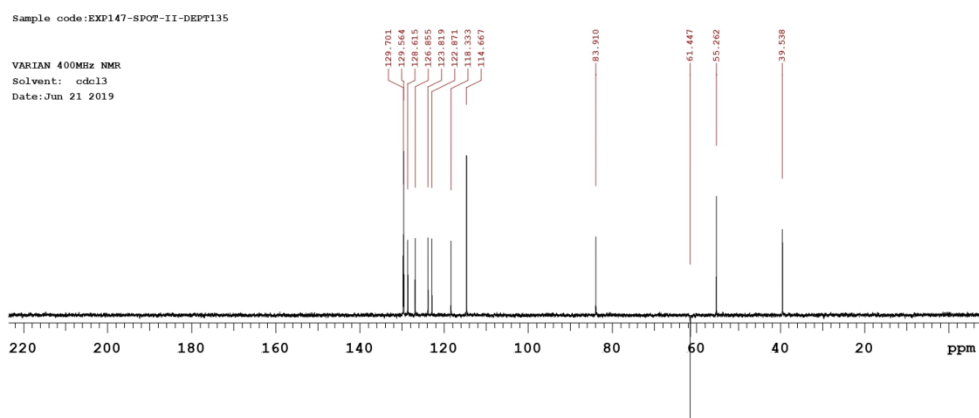
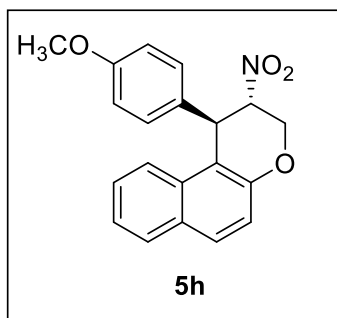


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 Date: Jun 21 2019



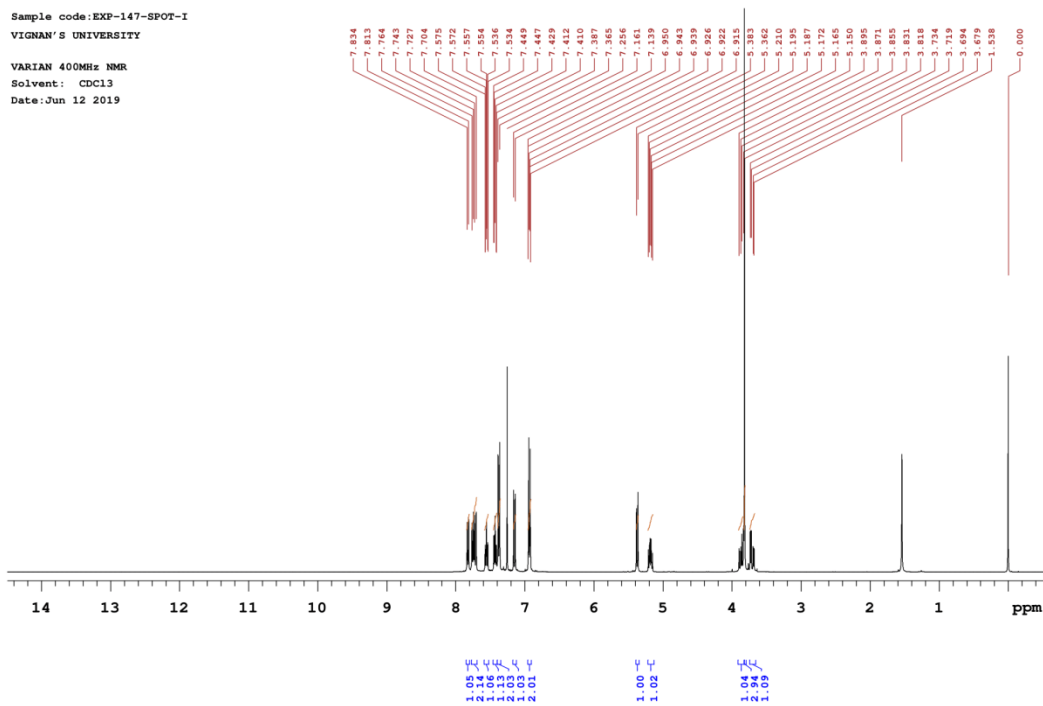
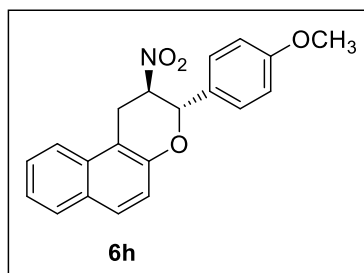
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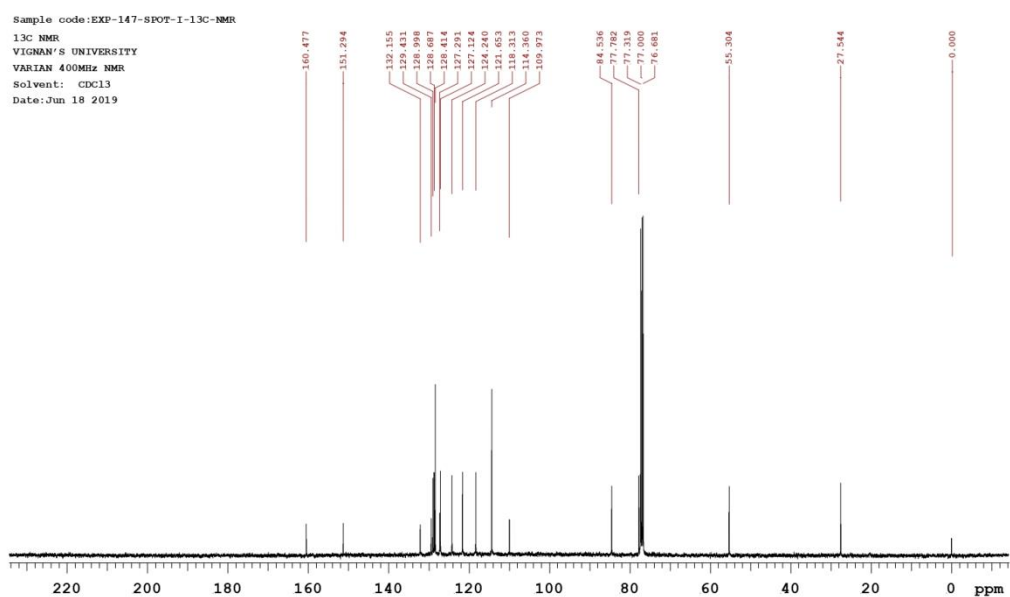
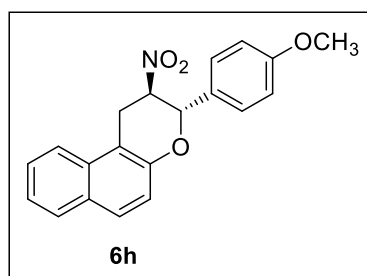


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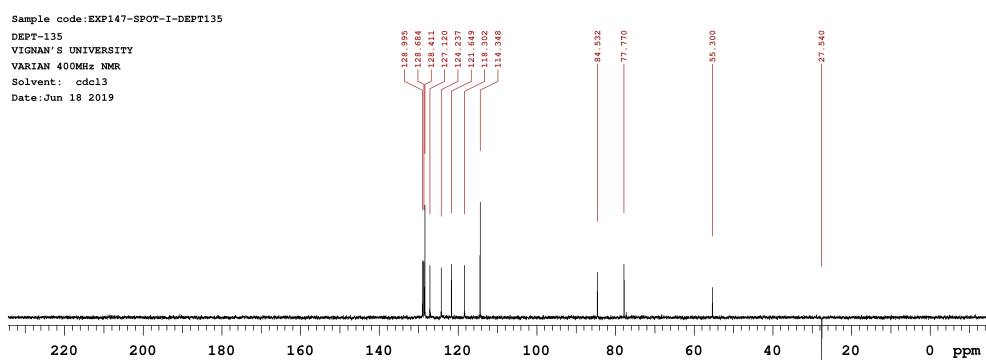
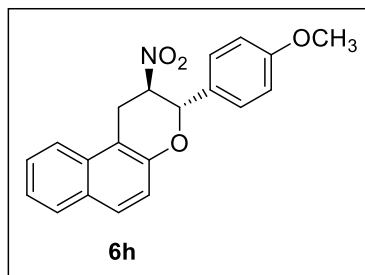


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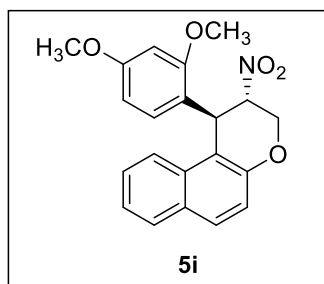
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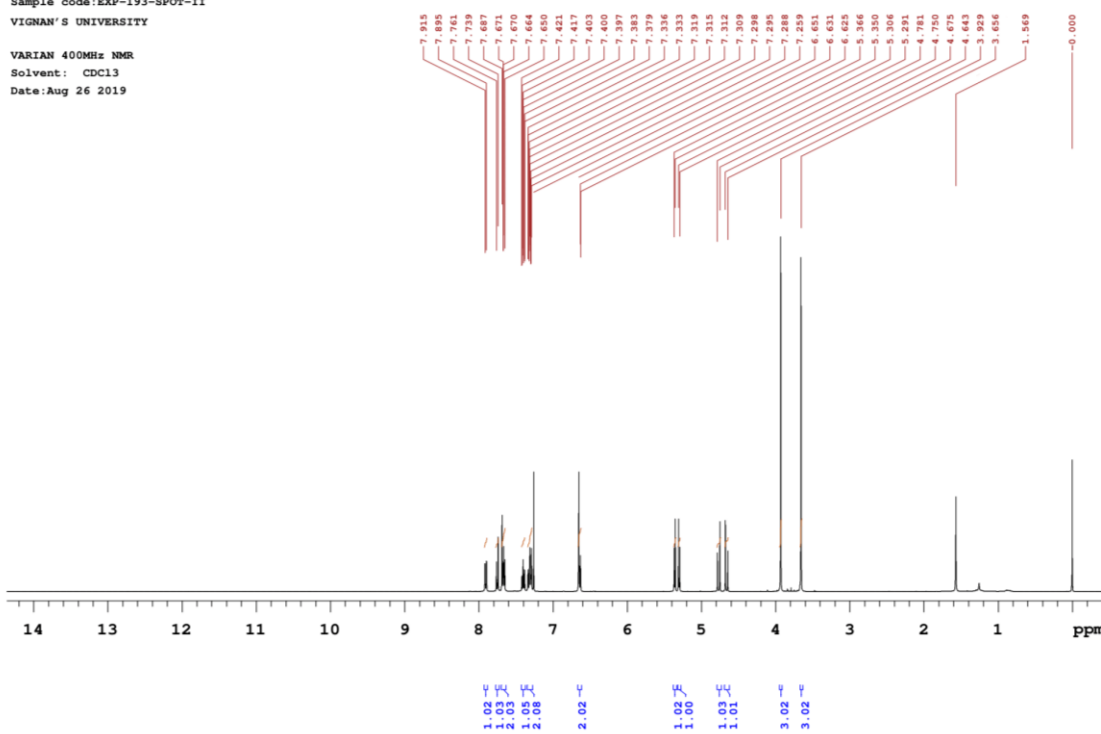


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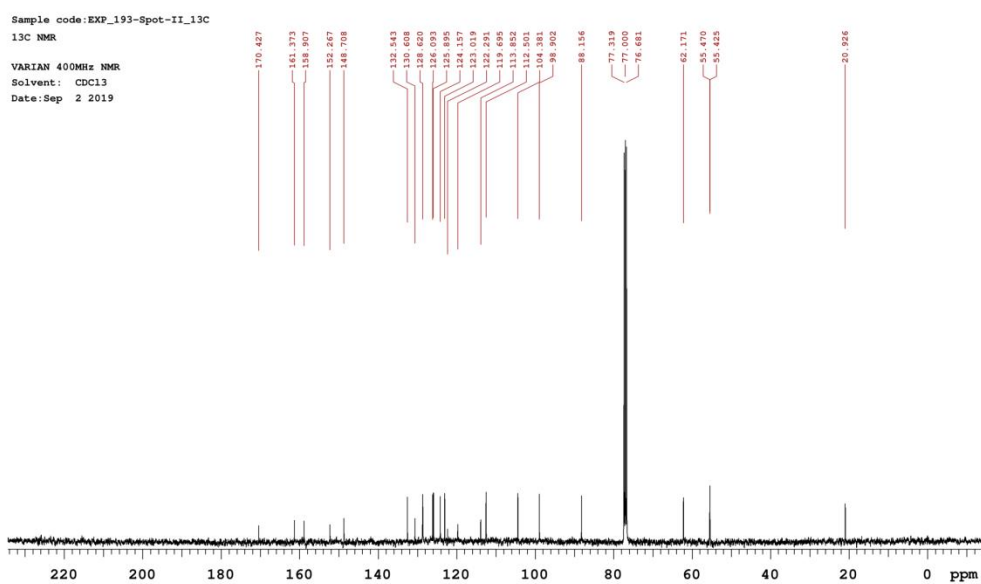
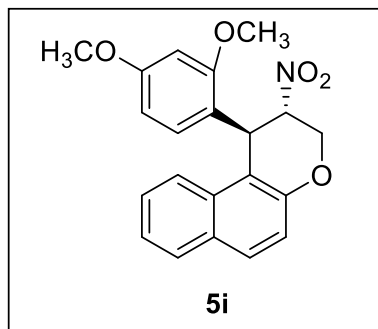


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 VIGNAN'S UNIVERSITY
 VARIAN 400MHz NMR
 Solvent: CDCl3
 Date: Aug 26 2019



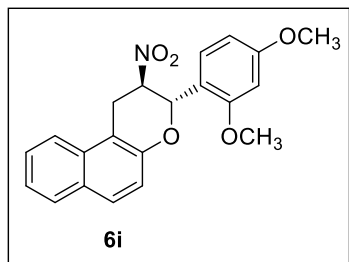
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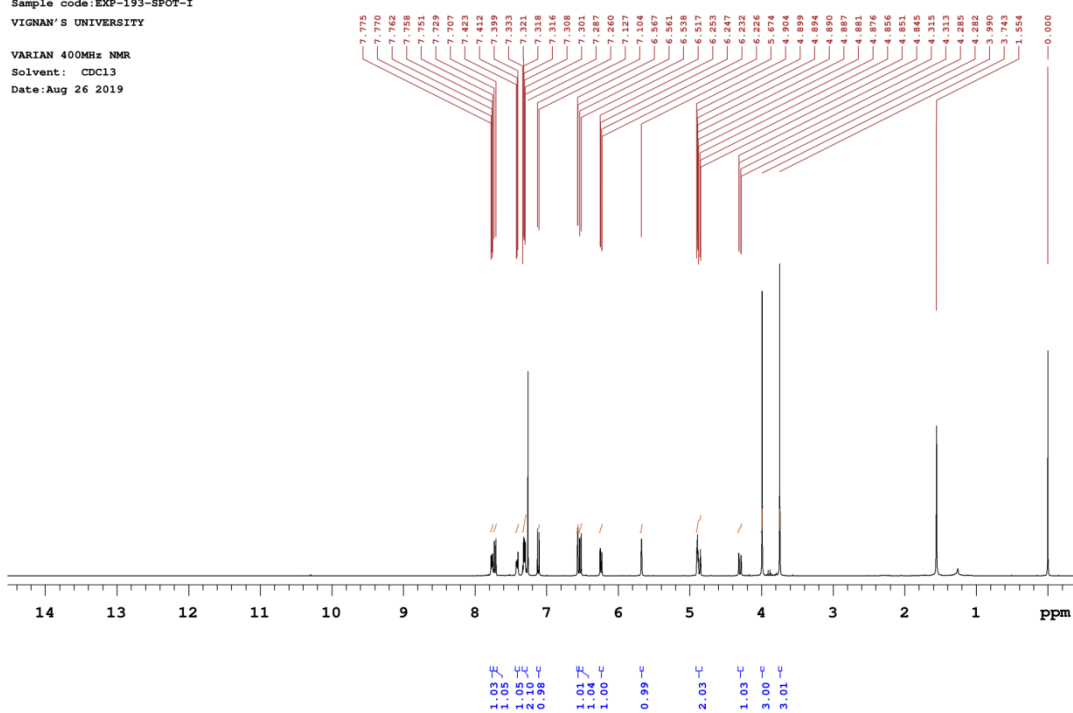


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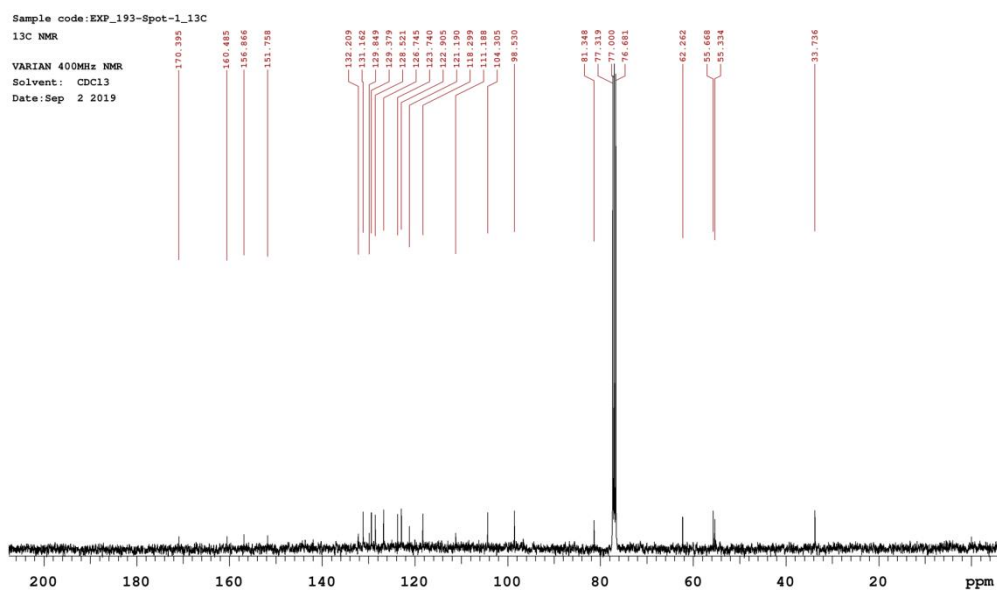
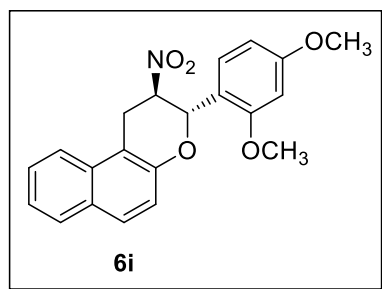


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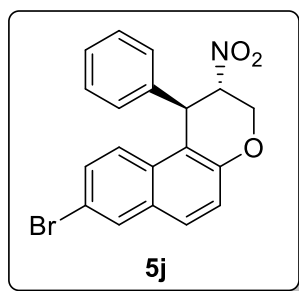
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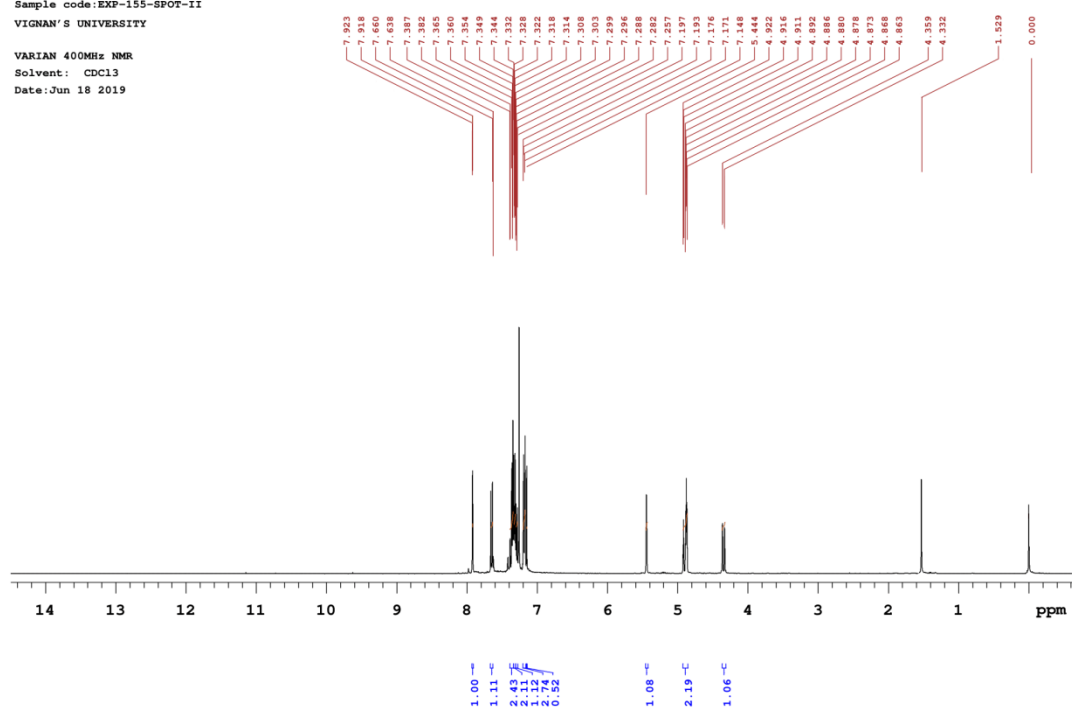


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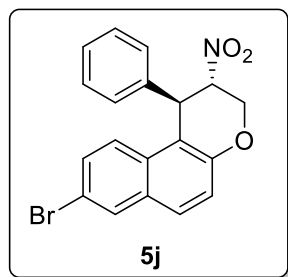


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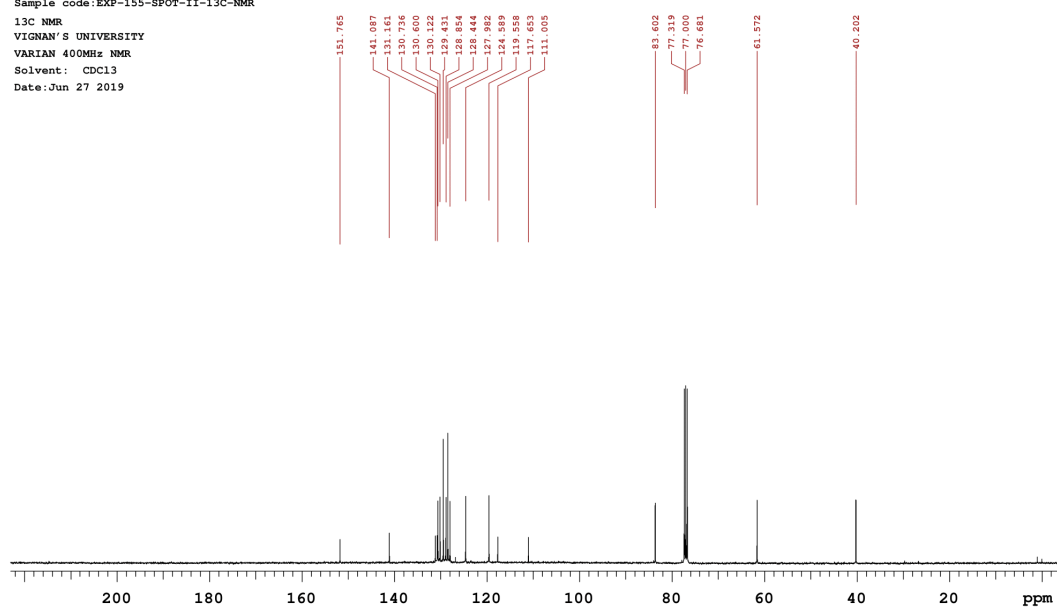


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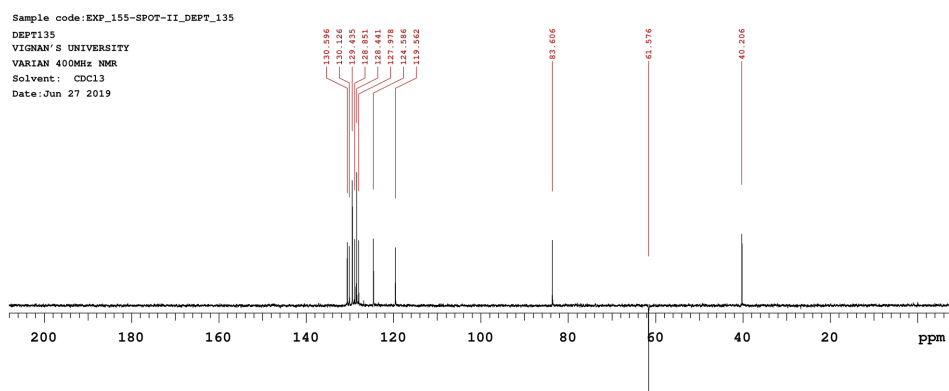
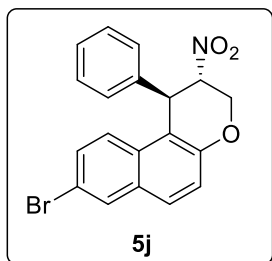


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 Date:Jun 27 2019



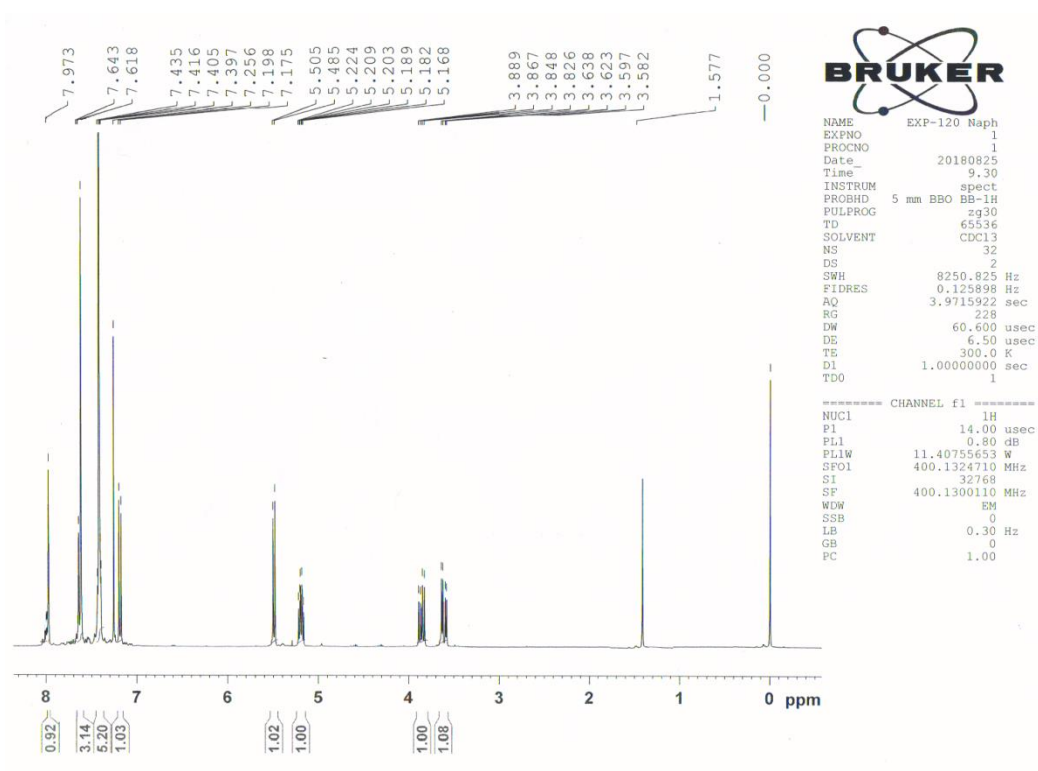
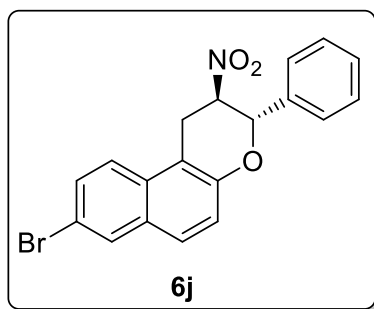
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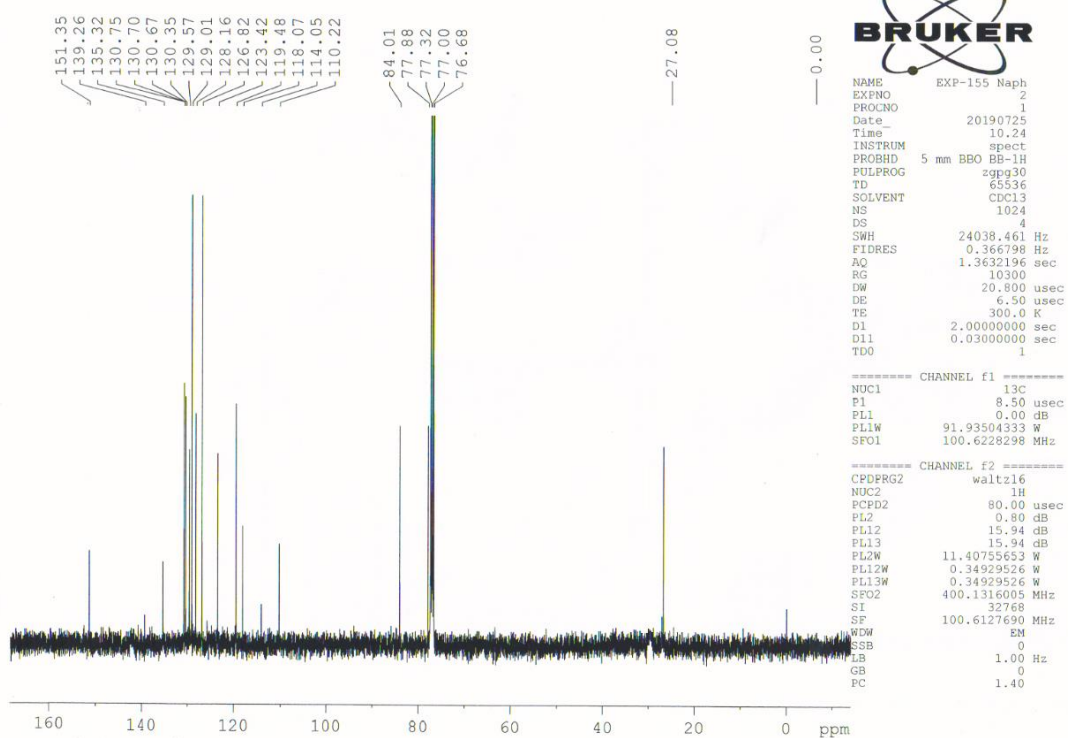
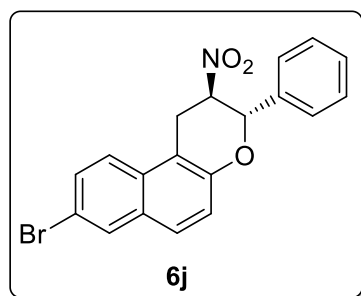


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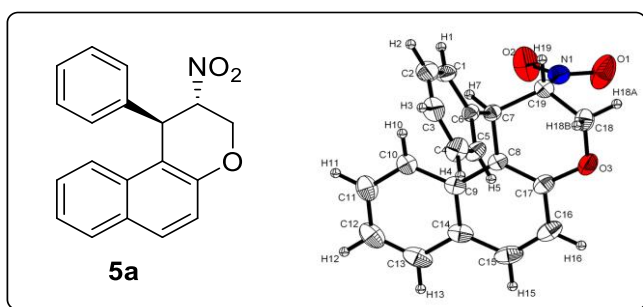


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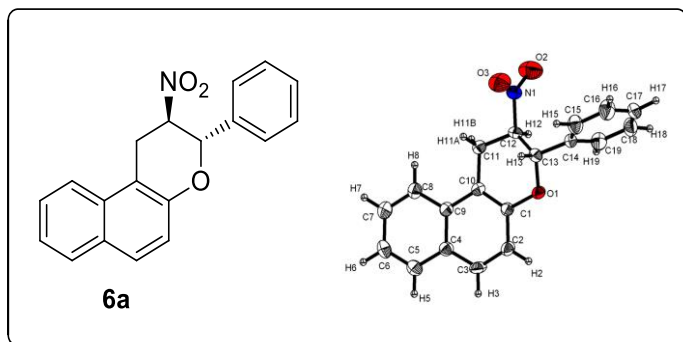
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Crystal Data and structure refinement for product 5a



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➤ 3. Chemical formula sum	$C_{19}H_{15}NO_3$
➤ 4. Chemical Formula weight	305.32
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➤ 33. Largest diff. peak and hole [e.Å ⁻³]	0.15 and -0.17

Crystal Data and structure refinement for product 6a



➤ 1. Identification code	6a
➤ 2. Chemical formula moiety	$C_{19}H_{15}NO_3$
➤ 3. Chemical formula sum	$C_{19}H_{15}NO_3$
➤ 4. Chemical Formula weight	305.32
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➤ 13. Cell Length <i>c</i> [Å]	12.428(4)
➤ 14. Cell Angle α [°]	107.145(16)
➤ 15. Cell Angle β [°]	96.128(18)
➤ 16. Cell Angle γ [°]	102.496(18)
➤ 17. Cell Volume <i>V</i> [Å ³]	744.7(5)
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➤ 28. Diffn reflns limit <i>l</i> max	14
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➤ 30. Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.013
➤ 31. R_1/wR_2 [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]	0.0647/ 0.1322
➤ 32. R_1/wR_2 (all data)	0.1378/ 0.1720
➤ 33. Largest diff. peak and hole [e.Å ⁻³]	0.21 and -0.23



Chapter 7

*Summary and
Achievements of the Project*

7. Summary and achievements of the project

In summary, we have demonstrated the utility of primary MBH acetate towards the formation of substituted naphthopyran derivatives. The formation of major product **5a** is accompanied by nucleophilic attack by 2-naphthol **2** on to α -position of MBH acetate **4a** resulting in C-C bond formation between sp^2 - sp^2 carbon atoms. The unusual C-C bond formation between sp^2 - sp^3 carbon atoms was also observed leading to formation of minor product **6a**. This is the first of this kind of study where the cascade process of C-C and O-C bond formation *via* δ -endo-trig cyclization resulting in two possible products has been reasonably justified. Substituted naphthopyrans were synthesized at room temperature using a variety of primary MBH acetates derived from β -nitrostyrene. DFT calculations was carried out to account for formation of major product **5a** and minor product **6a**.

1. we developed cascade reactions for converting simple starting precursors to value added products such as biologically synthetic targets.
2. We Avoid the use of heavy metals for greener ecosystem.
3. We developed Mild reaction conditions
4. We synthesized a new set of Baylis-Hilman substrates and study their reactivity.
5. we carried out various multicomponent reactions.
6. We synthesized heterocyclic compounds.
7. We investigate the biological activity as a future plan.



Chapter 8

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