

# Synthesis of Rare-Earth Metal Complexes with Chelating Anilido-Imine Ligands and Catalysis for Isoprene Polymerization

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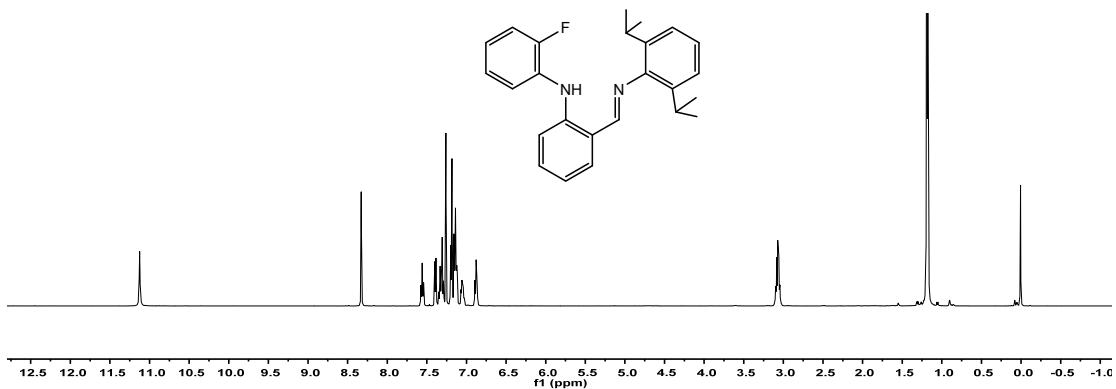
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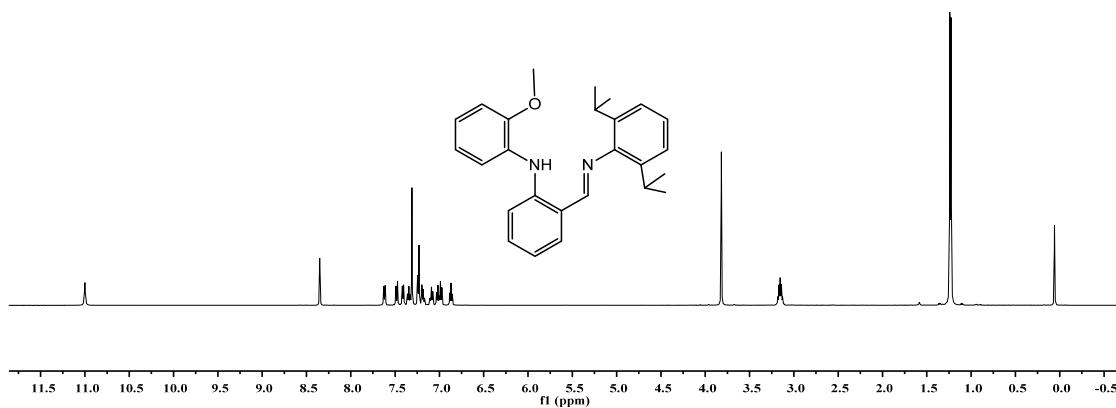
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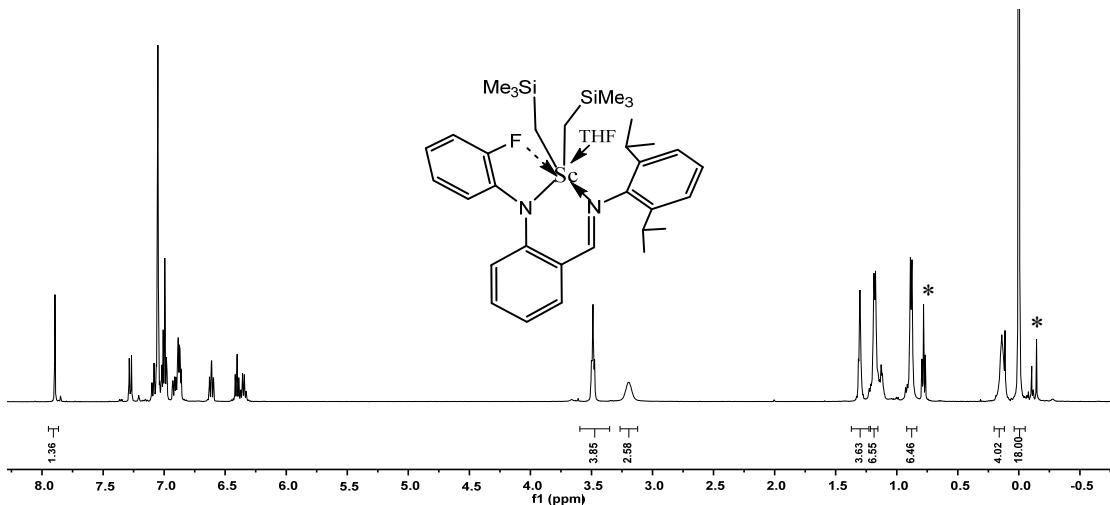
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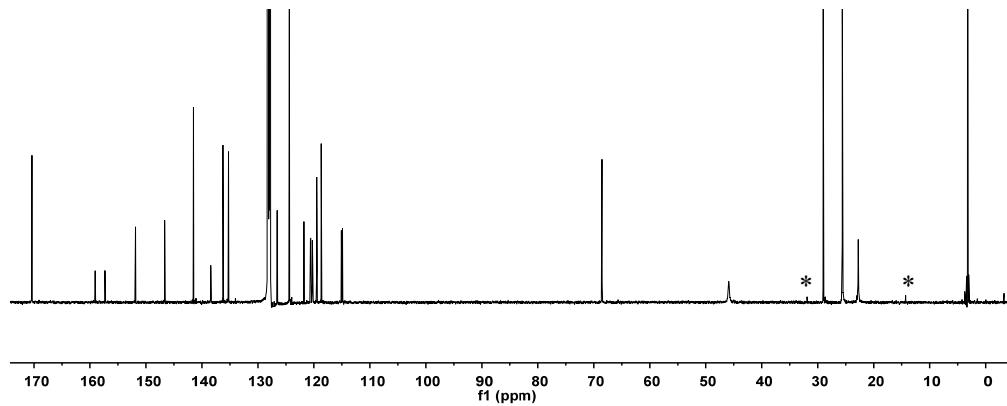
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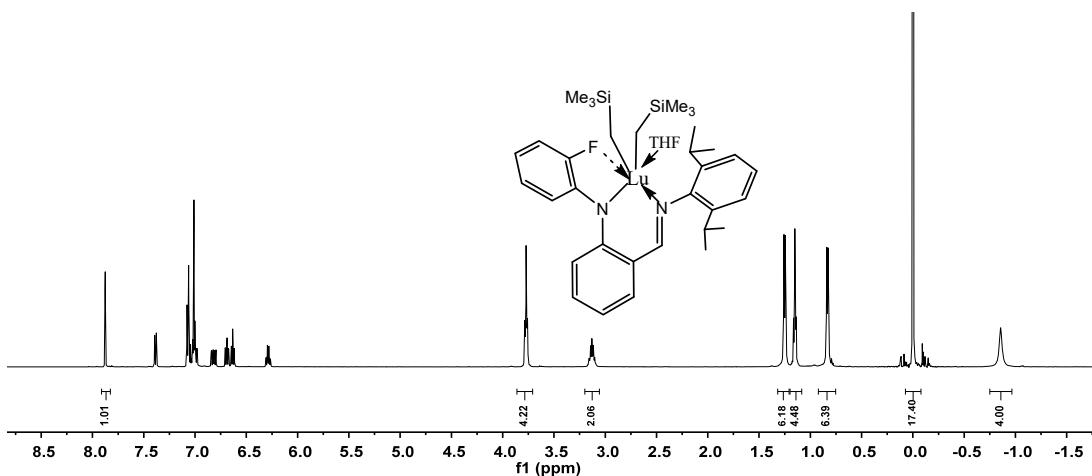
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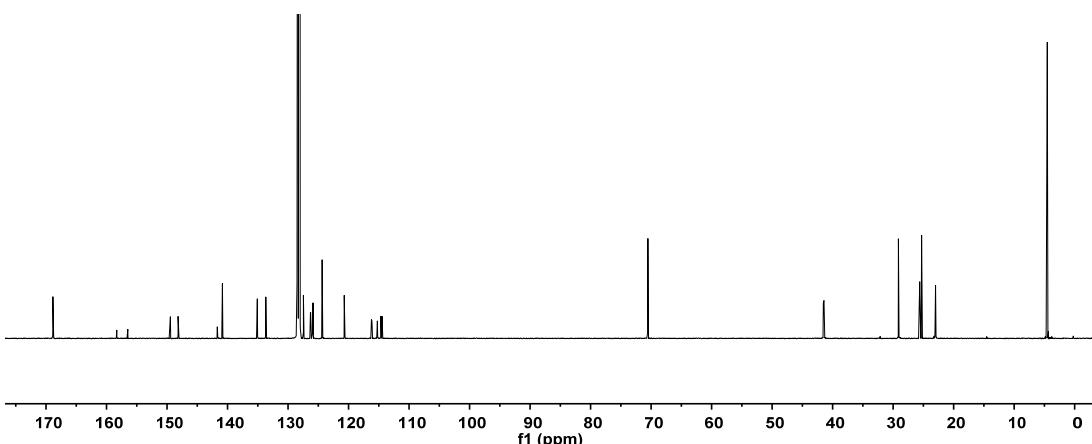
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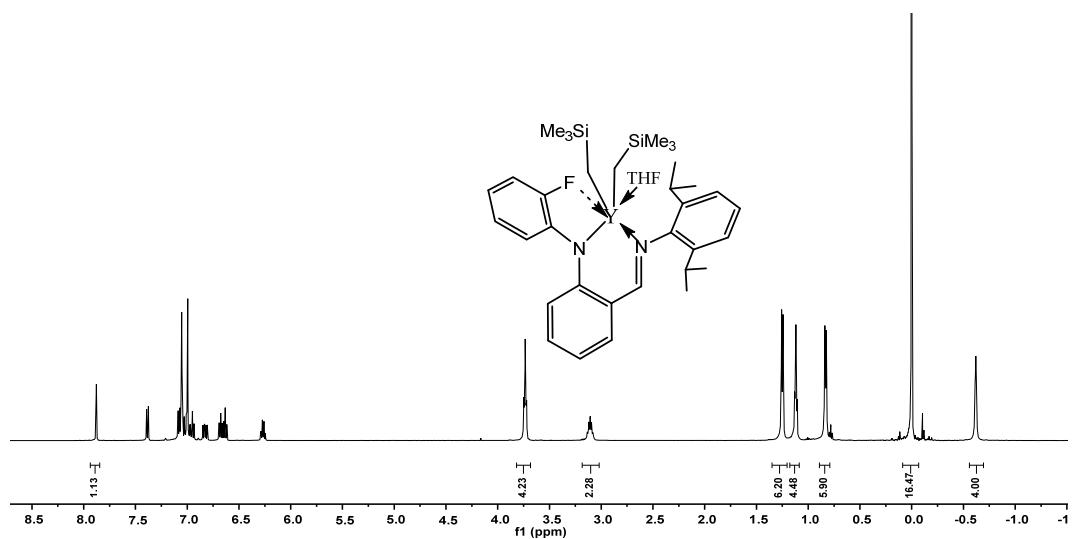
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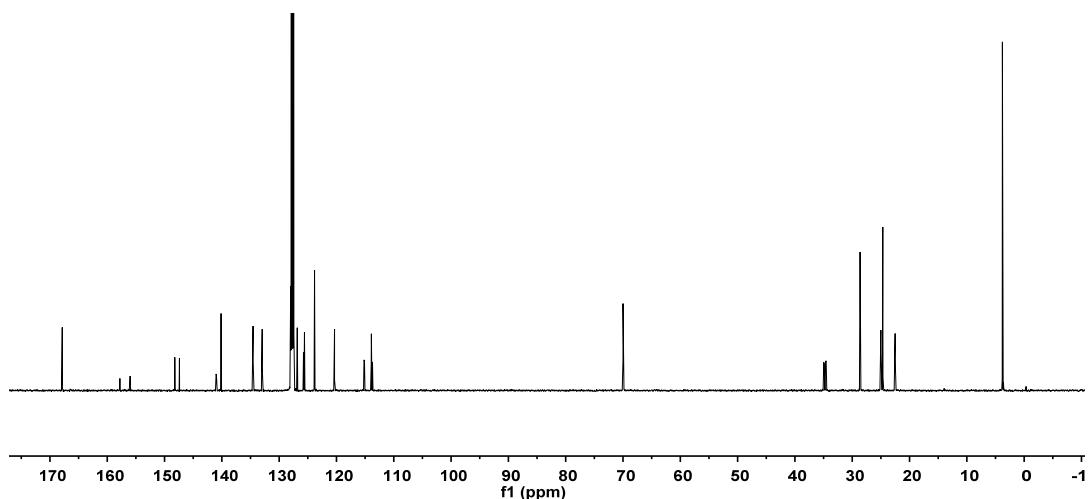
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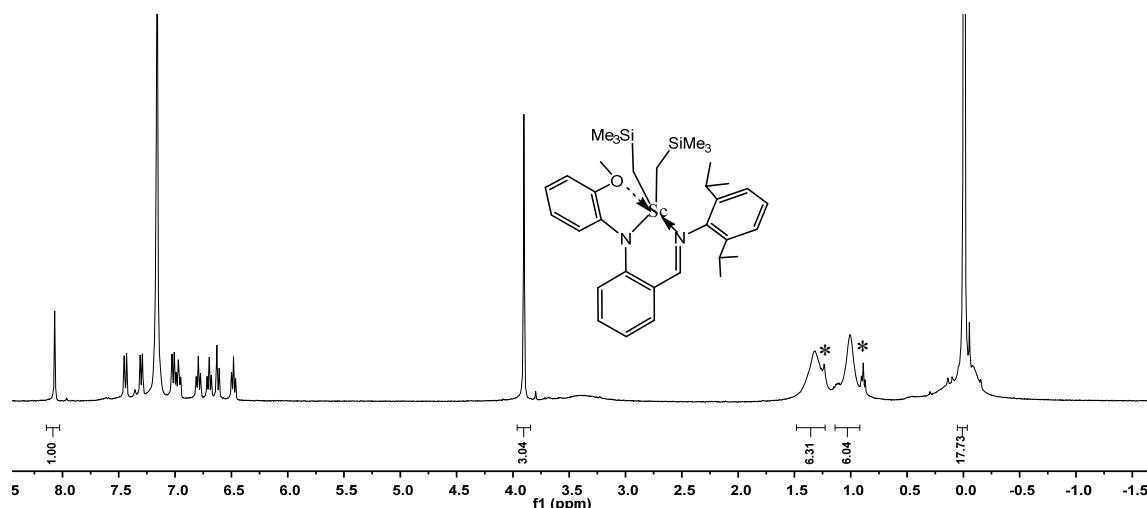
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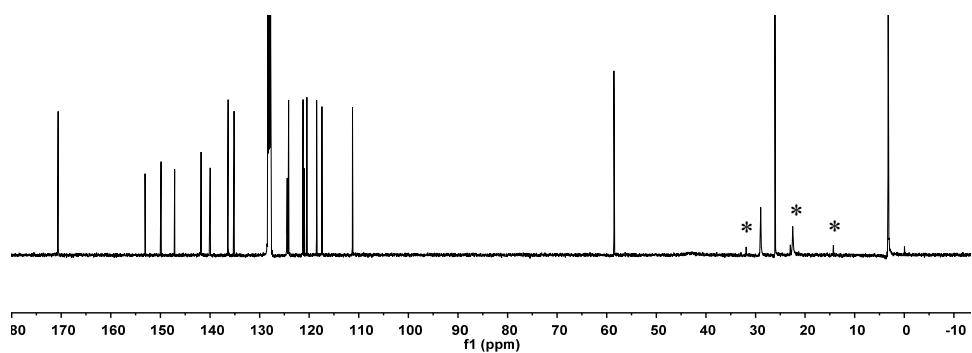
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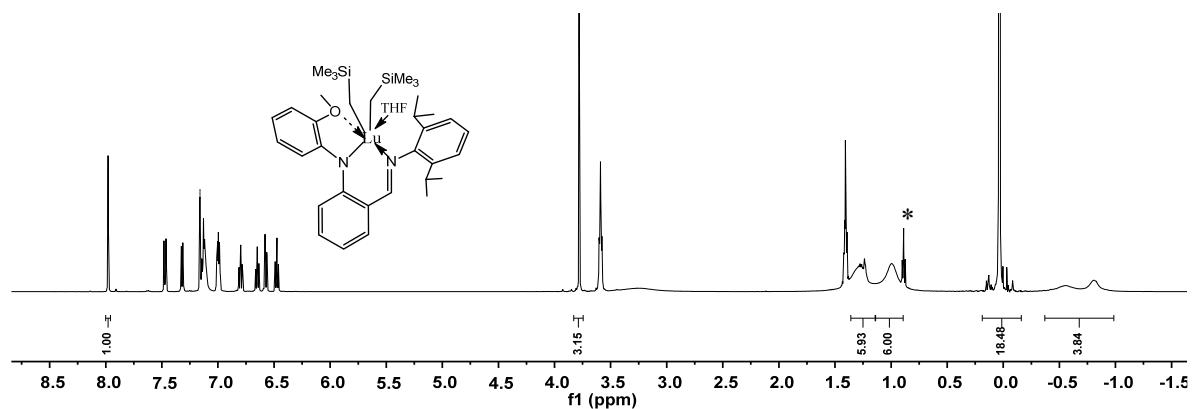
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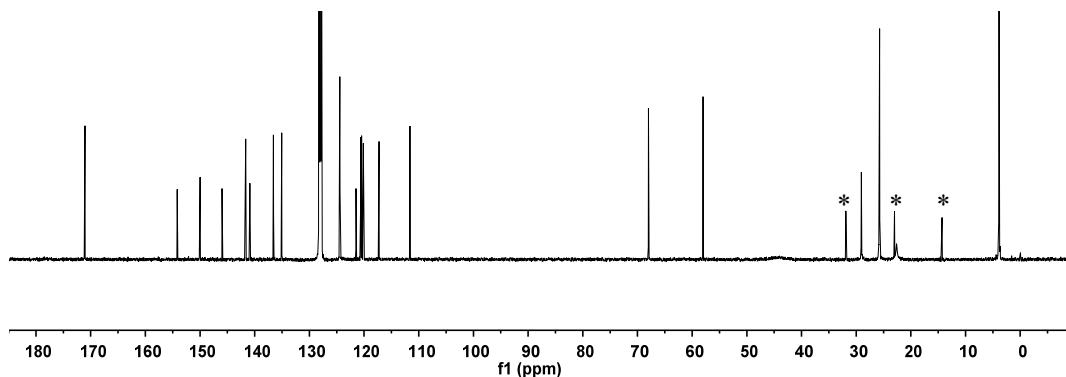
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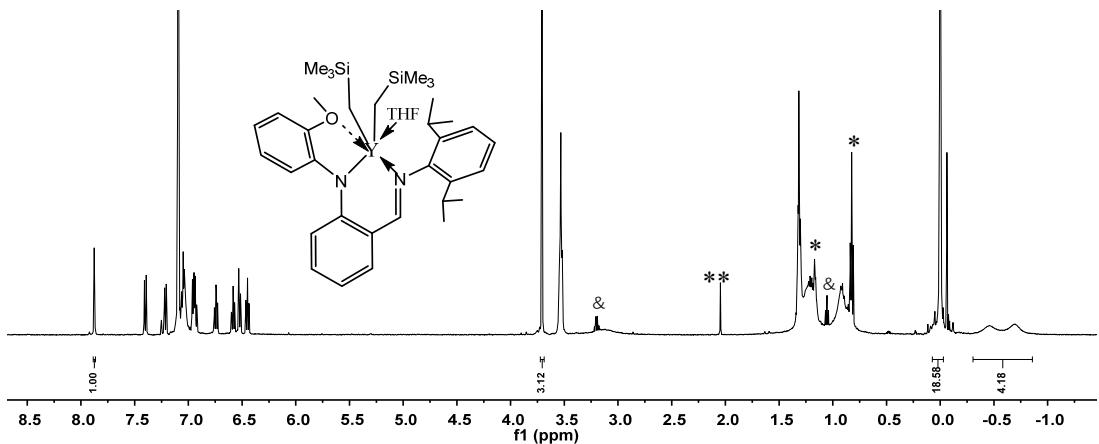
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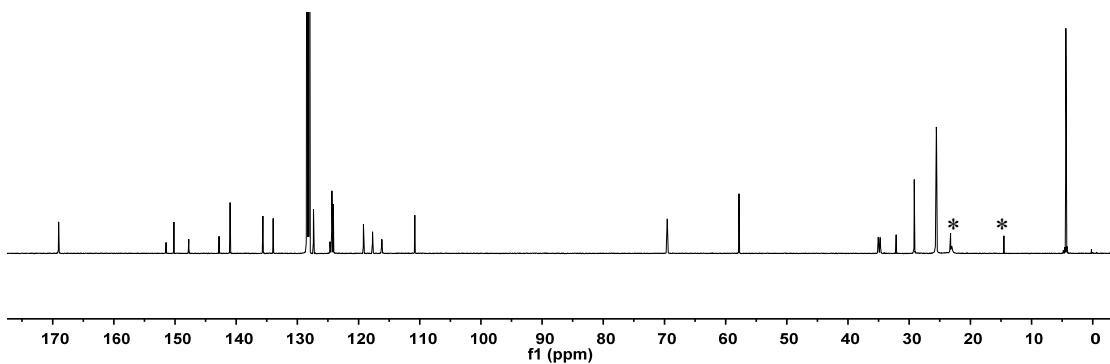
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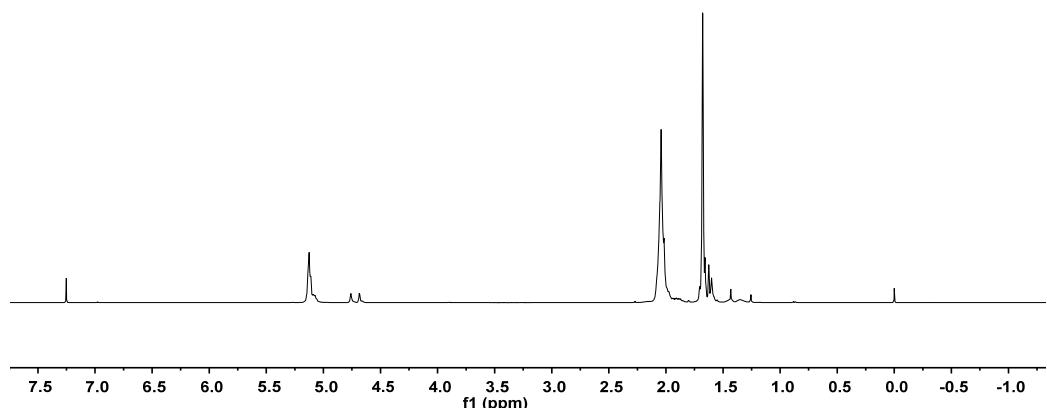
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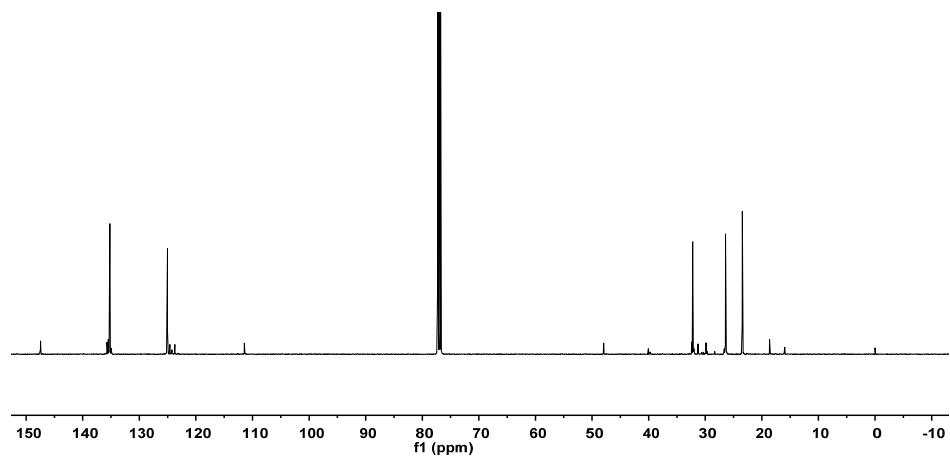
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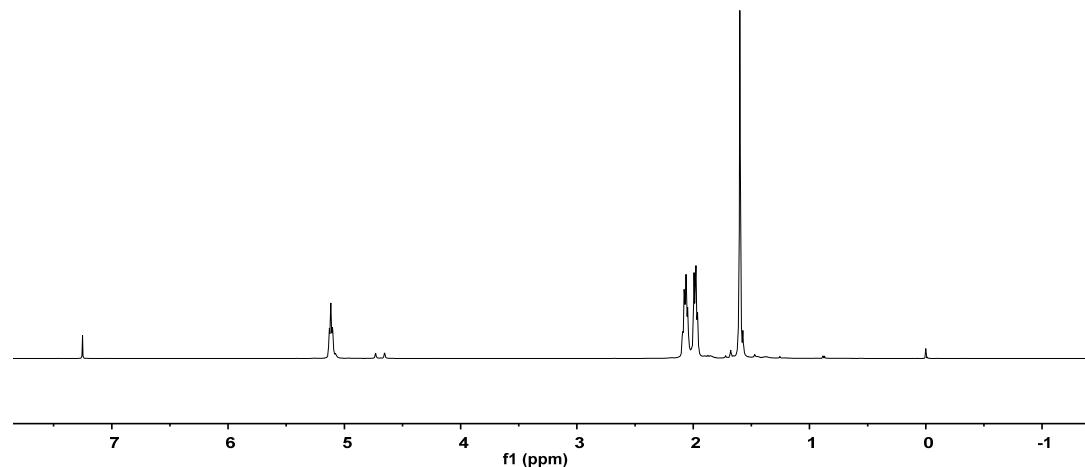
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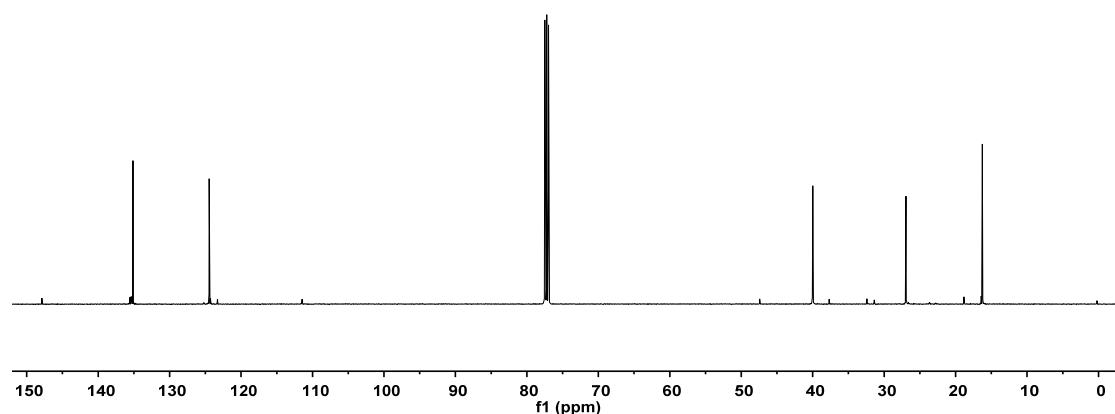
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Identification code	<b>1a</b>	<b>1c</b>	<b>2a</b>	<b>2c</b>
Formula	C <sub>37</sub> H <sub>55</sub> FN <sub>2</sub> OSi <sub>2</sub> Sc	C <sub>37</sub> H <sub>56</sub> FN <sub>2</sub> OSi <sub>2</sub> Y	C <sub>34</sub> H <sub>51</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OScSi <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>38</sub> H <sub>59</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> Si <sub>2</sub> Y
Formula weight	664.47	708.92	604.93	716.93
Crystal dimensions (mm <sup>3</sup> )	0.2×0.18×0.15	0.3×0.2×0.1	0.3×0.1×0.1	0.3×0.1×0.1
Crystal system	monoclinic	orthorhombic	triclinic	monoclinic
Space group	P 1 21/c 1	P 21 21 21	P -1	P 1 21/n 1
a(Å)	10.5934(13)	12.4186(7)	10.1127(3)	11.3439(4)
b(Å)	38.048(5)	13.5705(7)	10.5747(4)	19.8521(7)
c(Å)	19.364(2)	24.0659(13)	17.8379(6)	18.1172(7)
α(°)	90	90	92.8500(10)	90
β(°)	93.539(3)	90	91.9980(10)	97.7780(10)
γ(°)	90	90	110.4620(10)	90
Volume (Å <sup>3</sup> )	7790.0(16)	4055.7(4)	1782.21(11)	4042.5(3)
Z	4	4	1	4
T (K)	273(2)	273(2)	273(2)	273(2)
D <sub>calcd</sub> (g cm <sup>-3</sup> )	1.133	1.161	1.1272	1.178
μ (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	0.28	1.53	0.300	1.533
F (000)	2860	1504	653.0590	1520
Rflns.collected	45057	23187	65918	71899
Indep.rflns./R <sub>int</sub>	15784/0.1413	8170/0.0625	5593/0.0611	11780/0.0722
Obsd.rflns.[I <sub>0</sub> >2σ(I <sub>0</sub> )]	6770	5615	4836	7764

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Data/restraints/parameters	15784/0/813	8170/6/395	5593/0/372	11780/0/418
$R_I / wR_2 [I_o > 2\sigma(I_o)]$	0.0777/0.1335	0.0549/0.1245	0.0336/0.0772	0.0519/0.1135
$R_I / wR_2$ (all data)	0.1981/0.1776	0.0894/0.1394	0.0425/0.0850	0.0954/0.1298
GOF (on $F^2$ )	0.952	0.969	1.0888	1.026
dihedral angel	49.625	53.3	44.392	50.21
Largest diff. peak and hole (e Å <sup>-3</sup> )	0.369/-0.308	0.870/-0.578	0.2358/-0.3123	1.060/-0.567

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