

Supplementary Information

Synthetic Exploration of Bis(phenolate) aza-BODIPYs and Heavier Group 13 Chelates

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Cartesian Coordinates

1a

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-1649.987899	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.495678	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.526563	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.527508	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.431019	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-1649.492221	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-1649.461335	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-1649.460391	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-1649.556880	Hartree
E (Thermal)	330.424	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	124.980	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	203.077	cal/mol-kelvin

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1b

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-1800.426880	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.506095	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.538360	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.539304	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.441511	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-1799.920786	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-1799.888521	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-1799.887576	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-1799.985369	Hartree
E (Thermal)	337.826	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	131.279	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	205.823	cal/mol-kelvin

B	2.358032	-0.000000	-0.000000
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2a

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
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Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
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Thermal Correction to Energy	0.715441	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.716385	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.587331	Hartree
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EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-2363.598053	Hartree
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E (Thermal)	448.946	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	171.962	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	271.617	cal/mol-kelvin

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2b

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-2514.752698	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.681941	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.727221	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.728166	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.598381	Hartree
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EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-2514.024533	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-2514.154317	Hartree
E (Thermal)	456.338	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	178.257	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	273.155	cal/mol-kelvin

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N	0.826105	1.391940	0.018500
N	0.826105	-1.391940	-0.018500
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C	-5.461865	3.262600	0.274954
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O	-6.810739	-3.441465	-0.392474
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C	-3.224446	3.874660	-0.410436
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C	-4.590167	-4.165485	0.352436
H	-4.955692	-5.086098	0.802690
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C	2.327767	3.375491	0.004072
C	1.020462	2.738970	0.025397
C	-0.240199	3.412201	0.065761
H	-0.384313	4.485883	0.110535
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H	-5.630284	1.386083	1.322051
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H	4.362774	0.024765	2.106200
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H	-6.965282	-5.530393	-0.335502

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Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-4046.646586	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.669446	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.714323	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.715267	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.582304	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-4045.977139	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-4045.932263	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-4045.931318	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-4046.064282	Hartree
E (Thermal)	448.244	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	173.375	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	279.845	cal/mol-kelvin

Ga	-1.832979	0.000000	0.000000
C	7.386492	3.533959	-0.344098
O	-3.229624	-1.346860	-0.033122

N	1.576754	-0.000000	-0.000000
N	-0.402449	1.414593	0.017391
N	-0.402450	-1.414593	-0.017391
O	-3.229623	1.346861	0.033122
C	5.905371	3.247686	-0.279923
N	-1.926884	0.042989	-2.220100
C	3.984798	-1.831027	0.804553
H	3.586183	-0.941617	1.287980
C	7.386491	-3.533960	0.344098
N	-1.926884	-0.042989	2.220100
C	-1.904728	-3.397440	-0.077397
C	-0.598278	-2.757615	-0.034413
C	0.972461	-1.180151	0.028467
C	5.352031	-2.108466	0.883376
H	6.002089	-1.424286	1.433395
C	-1.970860	-4.814013	-0.125332
H	-1.042411	-5.383522	-0.133542
C	1.662322	-2.454585	0.052338
C	0.670531	-3.421905	0.004472
H	0.826161	-4.494469	0.032162
C	0.972461	1.180151	-0.028467
C	3.110362	-2.694262	0.117283
C	5.905371	-3.247687	0.279922
C	5.032740	4.109769	0.406977
H	5.430388	5.004830	0.890883
C	3.110363	2.694262	-0.117283
C	-3.137252	-2.660181	-0.072819
C	3.667160	3.841164	0.487080
H	3.020870	4.523364	1.041438
C	5.032739	-4.109770	-0.406977
H	5.430387	-5.004830	-0.890883
C	1.662322	2.454585	-0.052338
C	-1.904728	3.397440	0.077397
C	-0.598277	2.757615	0.034413
C	0.670532	3.421905	-0.004472
H	0.826162	4.494469	-0.032162
C	5.352032	2.108465	-0.883376
H	6.002089	1.424285	-1.433395
C	-1.970859	4.814014	0.125332
H	-1.042410	5.383523	0.133542
C	-0.827587	0.031973	2.989562
H	0.125733	0.111066	2.470654
C	-3.172087	-5.506092	-0.165362
H	-3.178634	-6.595653	-0.202679
C	-4.354325	-3.392715	-0.112226
H	-5.281926	-2.818138	-0.106593

C	3.667159	-3.841164	-0.487080
H	3.020870	-4.523365	-1.041438
C	3.984798	1.831026	-0.804553
H	3.586184	0.941616	-1.287980
C	-2.127652	0.088319	-5.004006
H	-2.206207	0.105928	-6.091645
C	-4.377599	4.779078	0.157514
H	-5.334924	5.303449	0.187969
C	-3.137251	2.660181	0.072819
C	-4.354325	3.392715	0.112226
H	-5.281925	2.818139	0.106594
C	-0.827587	-0.031971	-2.989562
H	0.125733	-0.111063	-2.470654
C	-3.126778	-0.140710	2.819496
H	-3.986057	-0.202211	2.155201
C	-3.172086	5.506092	0.165362
H	-3.178633	6.595654	0.202679
C	-2.127651	-0.088319	5.004006
H	-2.206206	-0.105928	6.091645
C	-3.271256	0.166086	-4.205612
H	-4.264791	0.245863	-4.645203
C	-3.271255	-0.166087	4.205613
H	-4.264790	-0.245865	4.645204
C	-0.881067	-0.012218	-4.382147
H	0.039509	-0.075367	-4.961057
C	-4.377600	-4.779078	-0.157514
H	-5.334925	-5.303448	-0.187969
C	-0.881067	0.012220	4.382147
H	0.039509	0.075370	4.961057
C	-3.126779	0.140709	-2.819495
H	-3.986057	0.202208	-2.155200
H	7.578959	-4.594986	0.557890
H	7.875814	-3.303951	-0.615442
H	7.875291	-2.929749	1.119861
H	7.578959	4.594985	-0.557889
H	7.875291	2.929748	-1.119862
H	7.875814	3.303949	0.615441

3b

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-4197.084828	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.679741	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.726045	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.726989	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.592356	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-4196.405087	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-4196.358783	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-4196.357839	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-4196.492472	Hartree
E (Thermal)	455.600	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	179.724	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	283.359	cal/mol-kelvin

Ga	2.140625	-0.000001	0.000001
O	-6.931023	-3.415960	-0.400335
O	3.538409	1.346295	0.029011
N	-1.267770	0.000000	-0.000002
N	0.711317	-1.414325	-0.025632
N	0.711318	1.414325	0.025630
O	3.538408	-1.346297	-0.029007
C	-5.581231	-3.244178	-0.283250
N	2.235618	0.043677	-2.221085
C	-3.696917	1.795329	0.772585
H	-3.311441	0.877917	1.211665
O	-6.931020	3.415966	0.400333
N	2.235612	-0.043678	2.221086
C	2.214497	3.397861	0.017996
C	0.907069	2.757801	0.037597
C	-0.664208	1.179731	0.054333
C	-5.059330	2.064494	0.841118
H	-5.739862	1.367819	1.332168
C	2.281649	4.814967	0.001007
H	1.353454	5.384977	-0.001776
C	-1.354880	2.453925	0.098649
C	-0.360682	3.421372	0.080310
H	-0.514910	4.493324	0.129896
C	-0.664209	-1.179731	-0.054336
C	-2.802134	2.693679	0.149711
C	-5.581229	3.244183	0.283247
C	-4.714333	-4.150984	0.345133
H	-5.084766	-5.069049	0.796570
C	-2.802135	-2.693678	-0.149715

C	3.446658	2.660229	0.015613
C	-3.347058	-3.867432	0.402734
H	-2.691381	-4.575630	0.911081
C	-4.714329	4.150989	-0.345135
H	-5.084761	5.069054	-0.796571
C	-1.354882	-2.453924	-0.098652
C	2.214495	-3.397863	-0.017996
C	0.907067	-2.757802	-0.037598
C	-0.360685	-3.421372	-0.080312
H	-0.514913	-4.493324	-0.129898
C	-5.059331	-2.064490	-0.841122
H	-5.739862	-1.367815	-1.332172
C	2.281646	-4.814969	-0.001007
H	1.353450	-5.384978	0.001774
C	1.133129	-0.079374	2.988768
H	0.177322	-0.087295	2.468445
C	3.483444	5.507368	-0.015146
H	3.490524	6.597508	-0.028926
C	4.664285	3.392825	0.001003
H	5.591529	2.817609	0.001099
C	-3.347055	3.867435	-0.402737
H	-2.691378	4.575633	-0.911083
C	-3.696918	-1.795326	-0.772589
H	-3.311441	-0.877915	-1.211670
C	2.436142	0.094601	-5.004891
H	2.514603	0.114379	-6.092506
C	-7.511041	-4.606243	0.142601
H	-7.096816	-5.503948	-0.340145
H	-8.582953	-4.536952	-0.069825
H	-7.354215	-4.662542	1.230155
C	4.688587	-4.779898	0.014068
H	5.646331	-5.304298	0.026111
C	3.446656	-2.660232	-0.015610
C	4.664283	-3.392829	-0.000999
H	5.591527	-2.817613	-0.001093
C	1.133136	0.079352	-2.988769
H	0.177328	0.087257	-2.468449
C	3.438522	-0.033297	2.822132
H	4.300558	-0.003072	2.159279
C	3.483441	-5.507370	0.015147
H	3.490520	-6.597511	0.028926
C	2.436129	-0.094603	5.004894
H	2.514587	-0.114382	6.092509
C	3.583047	0.058160	-4.208270
H	4.579131	0.048667	-4.649233
C	3.583036	-0.058140	4.208275

H	4.579118	-0.048630	4.649242
C	1.186393	0.105228	-4.381306
H	0.263212	0.133330	-4.958844
C	4.688590	4.779895	-0.014065
H	5.646334	5.304294	-0.026106
C	-7.511037	4.606250	-0.142601
H	-7.354212	4.662550	-1.230156
C	1.186383	-0.105251	4.381305
H	0.263201	-0.133371	4.958840
C	3.438529	0.033317	-2.822126
H	4.300564	0.003109	-2.159271
H	-8.582949	4.536961	0.069825
H	-7.096811	5.503954	0.340145

4a

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-2123.677773	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.668011	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.713478	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.714423	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.580827	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-2123.009762	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-2122.964295	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-2122.963350	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-2123.096946	Hartree
E (Thermal)	447.714	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	174.185	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	281.175	cal/mol-kelvin

In	1.870064	-0.000000	0.000001
C	-7.528220	3.381782	0.514950
O	3.206026	-1.520672	-0.002893
N	-1.650367	0.000000	-0.000000
N	0.303449	1.461927	-0.002767
N	0.303449	-1.461927	0.002768
O	3.206026	1.520672	0.002895
C	-6.042668	3.129788	0.416172
N	1.967006	-0.002528	2.354899
C	-4.068044	-1.789066	-0.938496
H	-3.630408	-0.930920	-1.444936
C	-7.528220	-3.381782	-0.514953
N	1.967008	0.002528	-2.354898
C	1.756745	-3.495333	0.055207
C	0.466185	-2.809255	0.003901

C	-1.065086	-1.190431	-0.050744
C	-5.440667	-2.030152	-1.045145
H	-6.055817	-1.348396	-1.636692
C	1.752906	-4.913962	0.114843
H	0.796737	-5.434651	0.128701
C	-1.786145	-2.447820	-0.103450
C	-0.821062	-3.441111	-0.057959
H	-1.009040	-4.507841	-0.106079
C	-1.065086	1.190431	0.050744
C	-3.238484	-2.650416	-0.196628
C	-6.042669	-3.129787	-0.416175
C	-5.214196	3.990756	-0.325190
H	-5.651132	4.855039	-0.830828
C	-3.238484	2.650416	0.196626
C	3.033533	-2.827964	0.047673
C	-3.843786	3.758707	-0.432476
H	-3.231240	4.437660	-1.027842
C	-5.214196	-3.990756	0.325188
H	-5.651132	-4.855039	0.830826
C	-1.786145	2.447820	0.103449
C	1.756746	3.495333	-0.055207
C	0.466185	2.809255	-0.003900
C	-0.821062	3.441111	0.057959
H	-1.009040	4.507841	0.106079
C	-5.440667	2.030153	1.045143
H	-6.055817	1.348396	1.636690
C	1.752906	4.913961	-0.114843
H	0.796738	5.434651	-0.128701
C	0.856059	0.020452	-3.113137
H	-0.094925	0.036417	-2.582642
C	2.913501	-5.672050	0.162257
H	2.857792	-6.759892	0.209407
C	4.206306	-3.629043	0.093261
H	5.163496	-3.105030	0.084117
C	-3.843786	-3.758706	0.432474
H	-3.231241	-4.437659	1.027841
C	-4.068044	1.789066	0.938494
H	-3.630408	0.930921	1.444934
C	2.137620	0.001459	5.142945
H	2.204177	0.003172	6.231508
C	4.156770	5.014268	-0.149500
H	5.084469	5.589106	-0.185204
C	3.033533	2.827963	-0.047671
C	4.206307	3.629043	-0.093258
H	5.163496	3.105029	-0.084114
C	0.856058	-0.020448	3.113138

H	-0.094927	-0.036411	2.582643
C	3.163081	-0.016901	-2.971347
H	4.038965	-0.031019	-2.323976
C	2.913502	5.672049	-0.162256
H	2.857793	6.759892	-0.209406
C	2.137622	-0.001458	-5.142944
H	2.204180	-0.003172	-6.231506
C	3.293703	0.019272	4.359005
H	4.285084	0.035127	4.810200
C	3.293705	-0.019275	-4.359003
H	4.285087	-0.035133	-4.810197
C	0.894504	-0.018701	4.506427
H	-0.034720	-0.033198	5.074690
C	4.156769	-5.014268	0.149502
H	5.084468	-5.589106	0.185207
C	0.894506	0.018705	-4.506426
H	-0.034718	0.033204	-5.074689
C	3.163079	0.016898	2.971349
H	4.038964	0.031013	2.323979
H	-7.737642	-4.418875	-0.815063
H	-8.022729	-3.221825	0.455707
H	-7.997862	-2.710099	-1.245635
H	-7.737642	4.418876	0.815058
H	-7.997862	2.710101	1.245632
H	-8.022729	3.221823	-0.455710

4b

Imaginary Freq	0	
Temperature	298.150	Kelvin
Pressure	1.00000	atm
Frequencies scaled by	1.0000	
Electronic Energy (EE)	-2274.115932	Hartree
Zero-point Energy Correction	0.678338	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Energy	0.725240	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Enthalpy	0.726185	Hartree
Thermal Correction to Free Energy	0.590678	Hartree
EE + Zero-point Energy	-2273.437595	Hartree
EE + Thermal Energy Correction	-2273.390692	Hartree
EE + Thermal Enthalpy Correction	-2273.389748	Hartree
EE + Thermal Free Energy Correction	-2273.525254	Hartree
E (Thermal)	455.095	kcal/mol
Heat Capacity (Cv)	180.512	cal/mol-kelvin
Entropy (S)	285.198	cal/mol-kelvin

In	-2.287835	0.000005	0.000003
O	6.959919	-3.270370	0.574065
O	-3.626027	1.518222	-0.048641

N	1.230054	-0.000001	-0.000006
N	-0.723071	-1.461298	0.044851
N	-0.723066	1.461303	-0.044852
O	-3.626032	-1.518208	0.048653
C	5.608674	-3.131520	0.429209
N	-2.385802	0.073950	2.354747
C	3.680432	1.727293	-0.875118
H	3.263893	0.818127	-1.303024
O	6.959927	3.270347	-0.574112
N	-2.385813	-0.073940	-2.354740
C	-2.177950	3.494772	-0.066539
C	-0.886005	2.808413	-0.085569
C	0.646110	1.189466	-0.080274
C	5.047384	1.963240	-0.972426
H	5.700903	1.248654	-1.474318
C	-2.175691	4.914539	-0.064732
H	-1.220042	5.436294	-0.070857
C	1.368426	2.445647	-0.161705
C	0.400000	3.438660	-0.156310
H	0.585659	4.503876	-0.234971
C	0.646106	-1.189467	0.080265
C	2.820349	2.649221	-0.238201
C	5.608682	3.131502	-0.429248
C	4.776929	-4.060990	-0.213250
H	5.178669	-4.971166	-0.653818
C	2.820341	-2.649229	0.238179
C	-3.454189	2.826701	-0.050523
C	3.404424	-3.810994	-0.299109
H	2.775899	-4.536580	-0.817244
C	4.776945	4.060975	0.213217
H	5.178690	4.971149	0.653784
C	1.368418	-2.445650	0.161691
C	-2.177962	-3.494762	0.066547
C	-0.886015	-2.808408	0.085569
C	0.399989	-3.438660	0.156303
H	0.585644	-4.503876	0.234963
C	5.047383	-1.963255	0.972390
H	5.700907	-1.248672	1.474278
C	-2.175708	-4.914530	0.064741
H	-1.220061	-5.436288	0.070862
C	-1.275642	-0.132357	-3.112019
H	-0.324751	-0.145093	-2.581203
C	-3.337014	5.673134	-0.051111
H	-3.282111	6.762060	-0.048840
C	-4.627713	3.627970	-0.039314
H	-5.584396	3.102998	-0.029245

C	3.404439	3.810983	0.299084
H	2.775920	4.536571	0.817224
C	3.680431	-1.727304	0.875090
H	3.263898	-0.818136	1.302998
C	-2.557766	0.157633	5.141465
H	-2.624858	0.190275	6.229510
C	7.578864	-4.447818	0.046748
H	7.176748	-5.353941	0.524040
H	8.644415	-4.352335	0.280094
H	7.445140	-4.511133	-1.043543
C	-4.579709	-5.014417	0.039347
H	-5.508002	-5.589335	0.029076
C	-3.454198	-2.826687	0.050536
C	-4.627726	-3.627952	0.039335
H	-5.584407	-3.102977	0.029270
C	-1.275627	0.132365	3.112020
H	-0.324738	0.145099	2.581200
C	-3.581747	-0.056867	-2.971430
H	-4.456798	-0.008095	-2.324599
C	-3.337033	-5.673121	0.051127
H	-3.282135	-6.762047	0.048857
C	-2.557790	-0.157623	-5.141458
H	-2.624887	-0.190264	-6.229503
C	-3.713071	0.097541	4.358468
H	-4.704342	0.081773	4.809926
C	-3.713092	-0.097528	-4.358456
H	-4.704365	-0.081759	-4.809909
C	-1.314741	0.175148	4.504668
H	-0.386120	0.221476	5.072225
C	-4.579692	5.014435	-0.039325
H	-5.507983	5.589356	-0.029049
C	7.578879	4.447793	-0.046797
H	7.445162	4.511107	1.043494
C	-1.314762	-0.175140	-4.504667
H	-0.386144	-0.221470	-5.072228
C	-3.581733	0.056879	2.971442
H	-4.456787	0.008108	2.324615
H	8.644428	4.352307	-0.280150
H	7.176763	5.353917	-0.524087

UV-Vis Calculations with TD-DFT²

Theory Level: **1a-b, 2a-b and 3a-b:** TD-DFT (B3LYP/jul-cc-pvDz) // DFT(B3LYP/jul-cc-pvDz)
4a-b: TD-DFT (B3LYP/LANL2DZ) // DFT (B3LYP/LANL2DZ)

Structure	Solvent	λ_{\max} (nm)	Excitation Energy (eV)	Oscillator Strength
1a	Methanol	651.99	1.9016	0.5438
1a	Methanol	664.42	1.8661	0.5858
2a	Methanol	689.14	1.7991	0.5213
2b	Methanol	689.19	1.7990	0.552
3a	Methanol	687.73	1.8028	0.5241
3b	Methanol	688.02	1.8021	0.5539
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4b	Methanol	664.89	1.8647	0.646

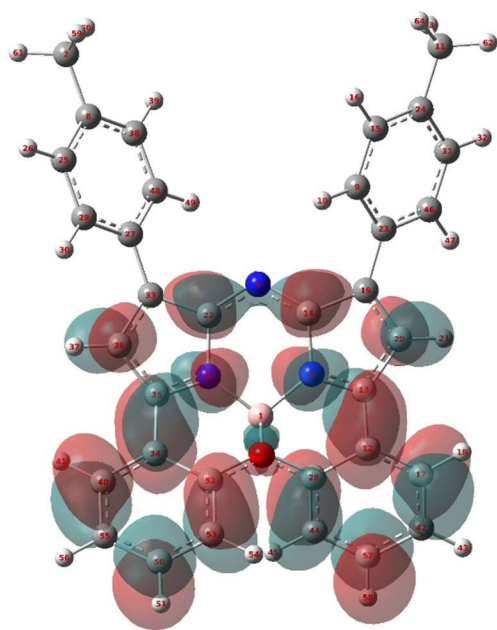
Table S1. UV-Vis of **1a-b, 2a-b, 3a-b,** and **4a-b** in MeOH as implicit solvent.

Structure	HOMO (eV)	LUMO (eV)
1a	-5.56	-3.66
1b	-5.21	-3.43
2a	-5.00	-3.20
2b	-4.97	-3.17
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3b	-4.98	-3.17
4a	-5.01	-3.14
4b	-4.98	-3.11

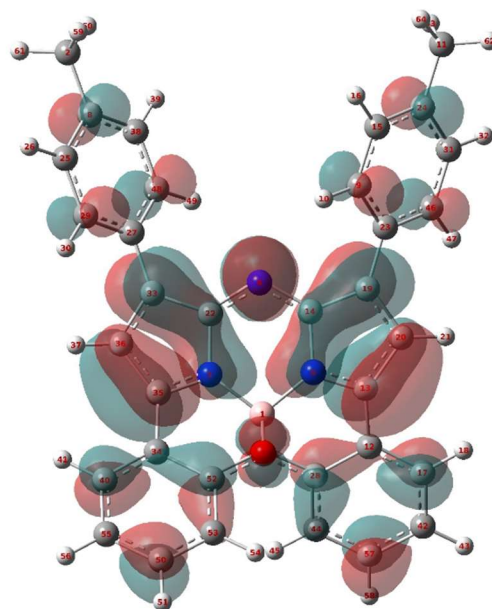
Table S2. HOMO and LUMO energies of **1a-b, 2a-b, 3a-b,** and **4a-b** in MeOH as implicit solvent.
Molecular Orbital Diagrams

Theory Level: **1a-b, 2a-b,** and **3a-b:** TD-DFT (B3LYP/jul-cc-pvDz) // DFT(B3LYP/jul-cc-pvDz)
4a-b: TD-DFT (B3LYP/LANL2DZ) // DFT (B3LYP/LANL2DZ)

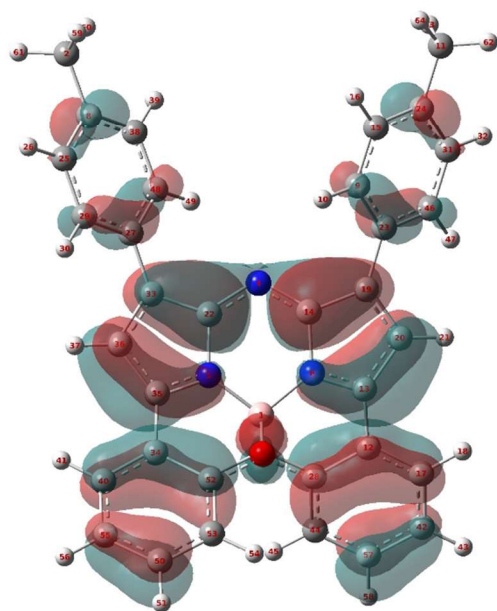
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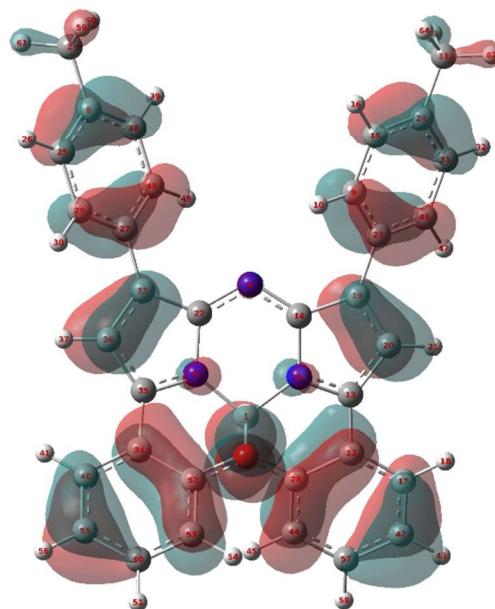
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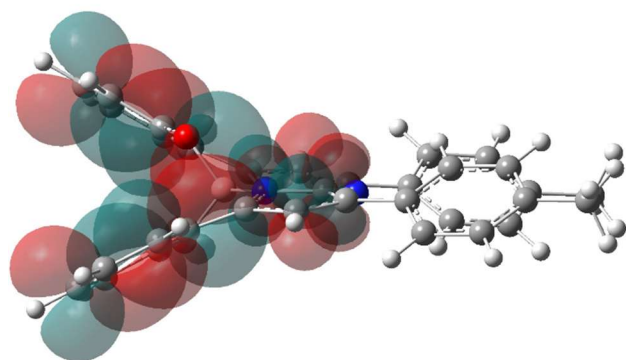


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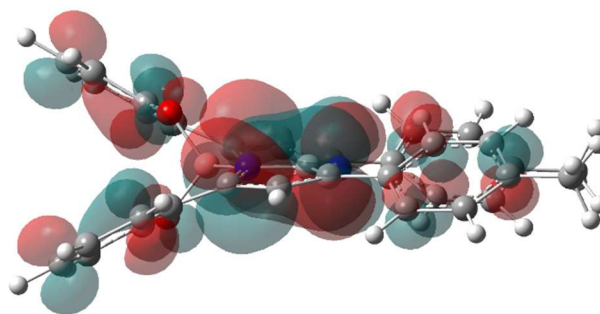


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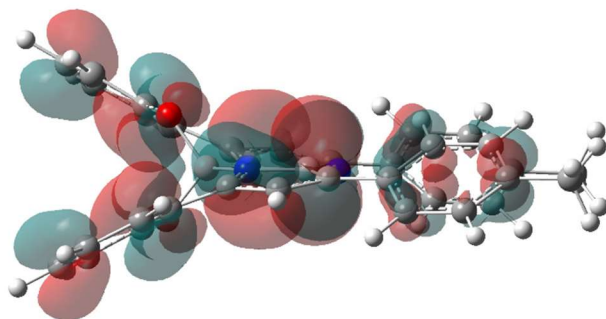
Figure S1. Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **1a**.



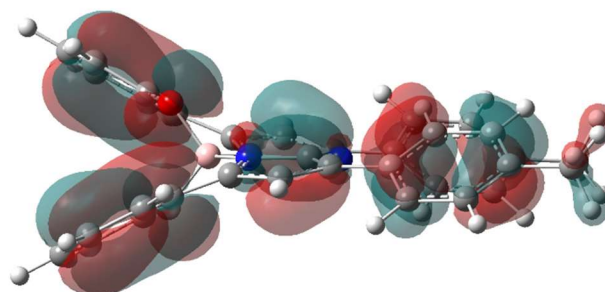
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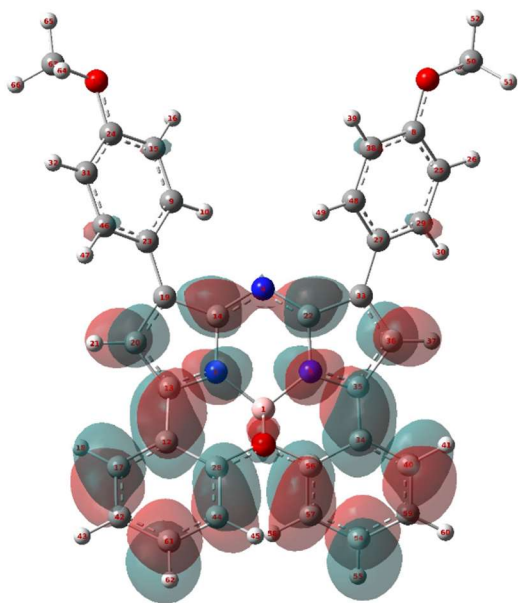


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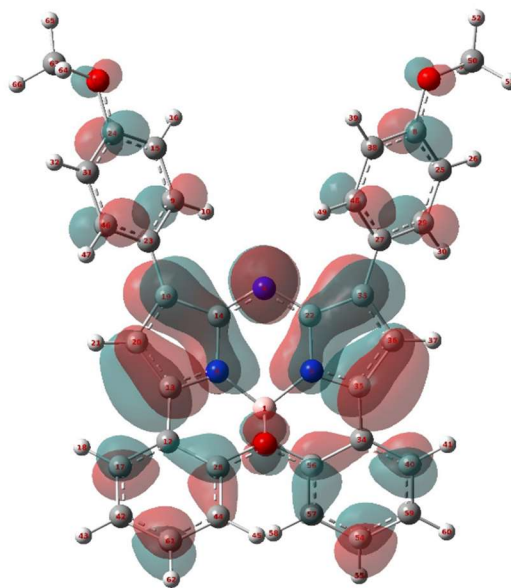


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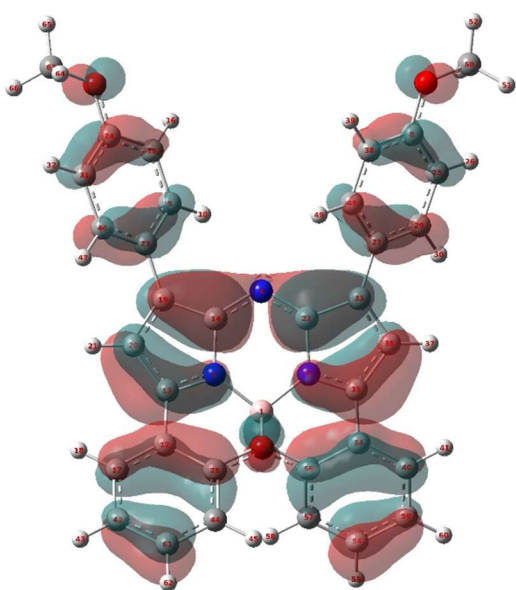
Figure S2. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **1a**.



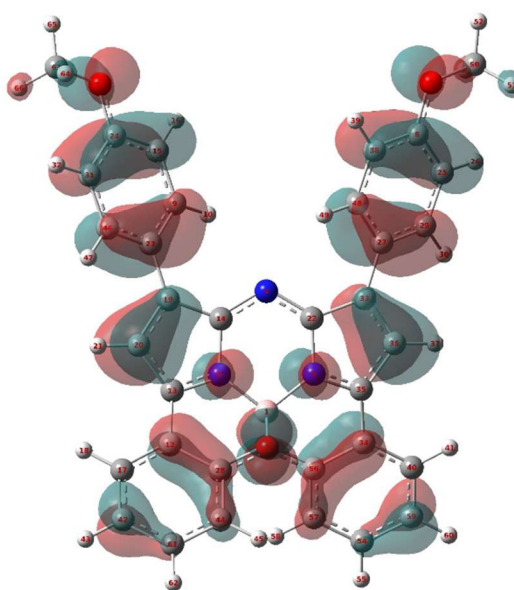
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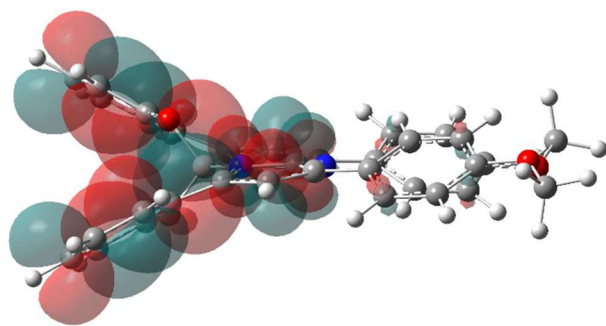


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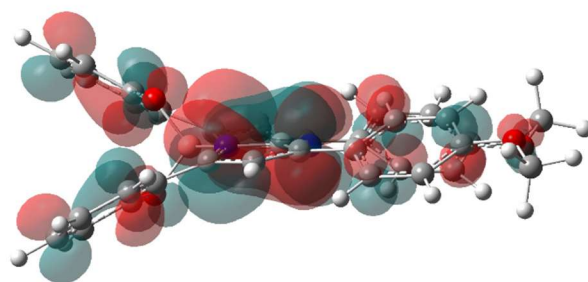


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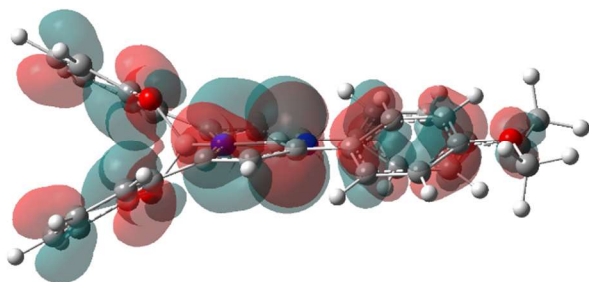
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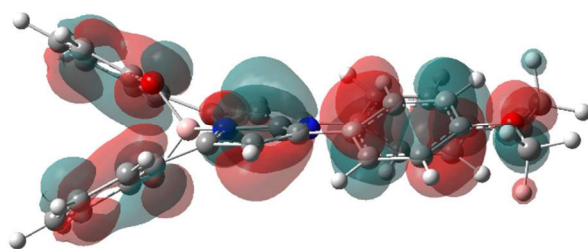
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Figure S4. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **1b**.

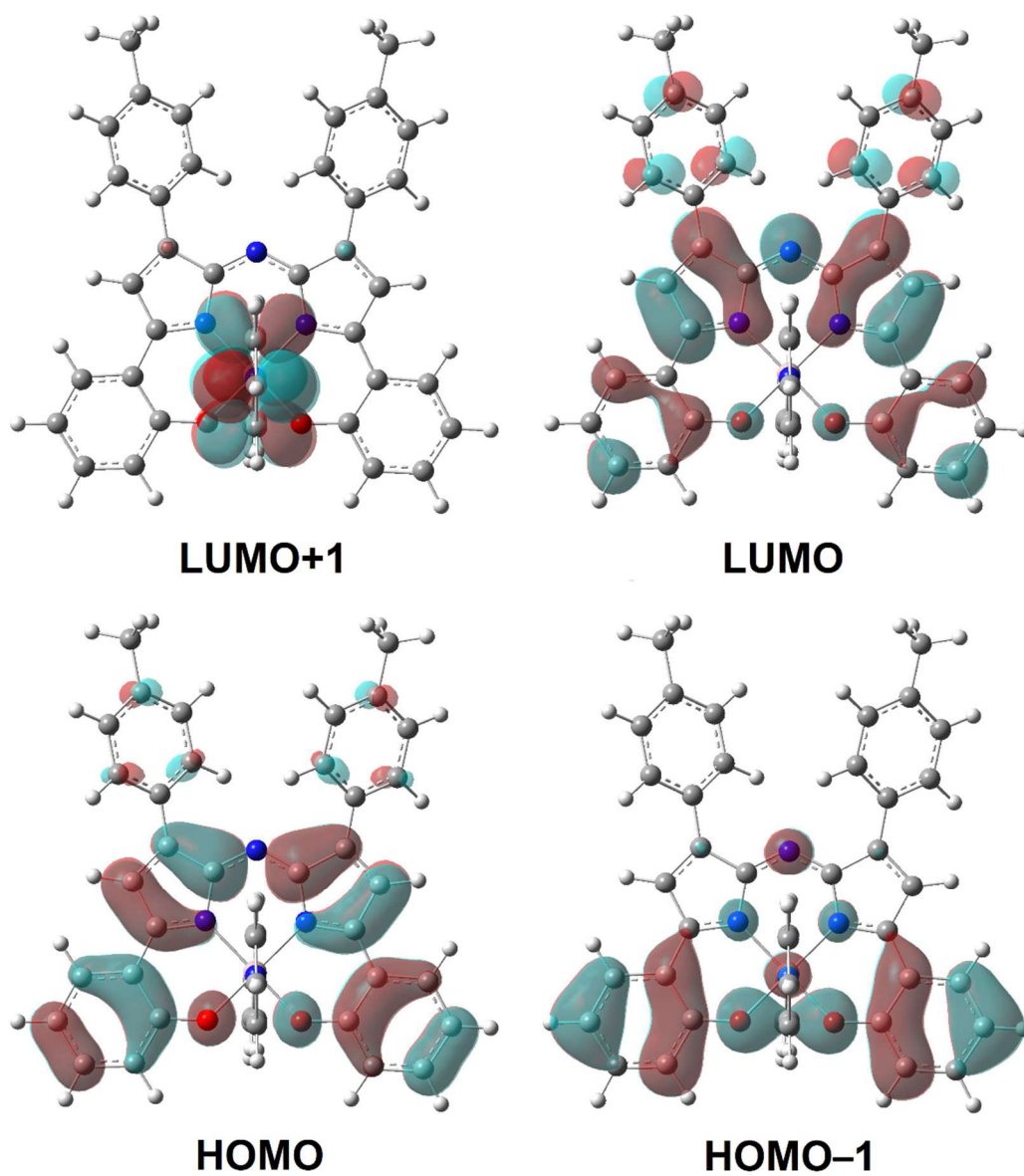
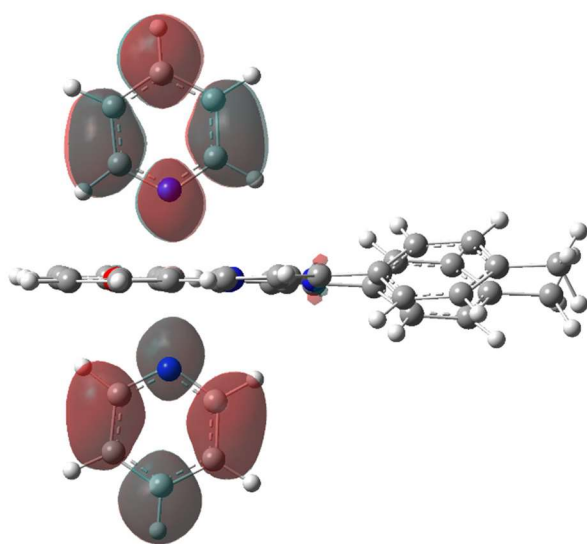
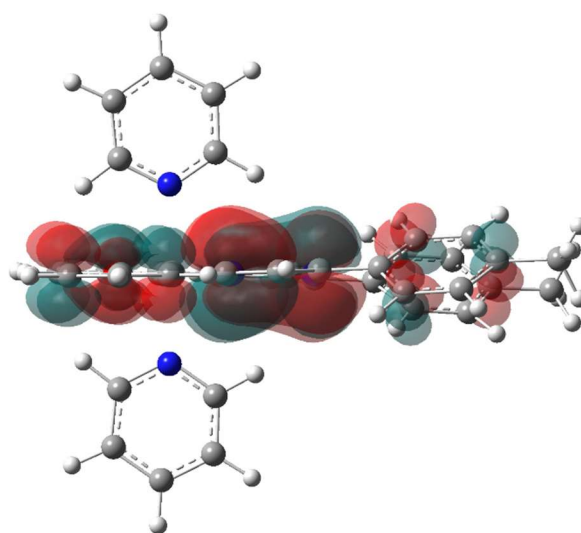


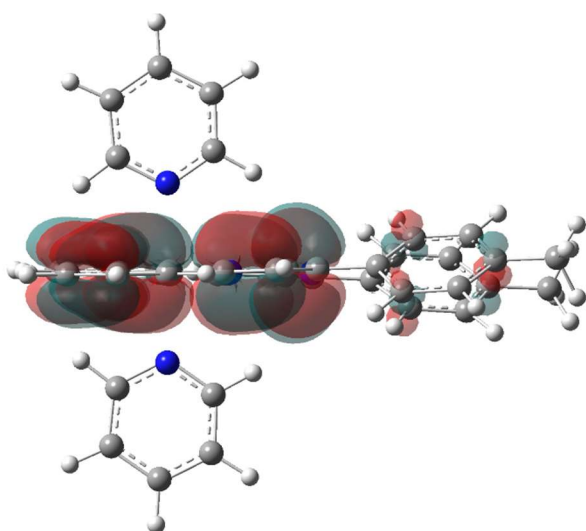
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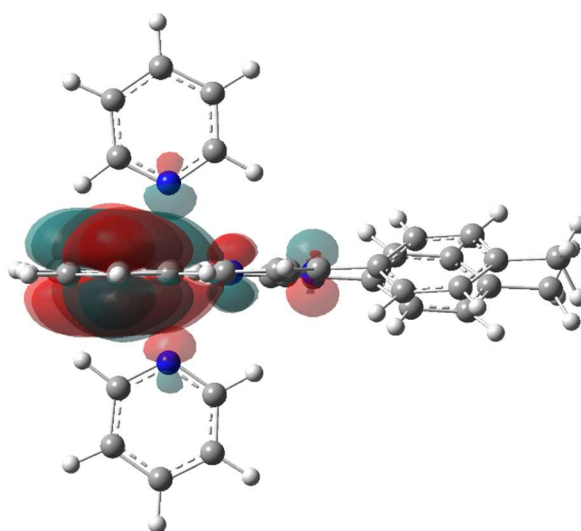
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HOMO-1

Figure S6. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **2a**.

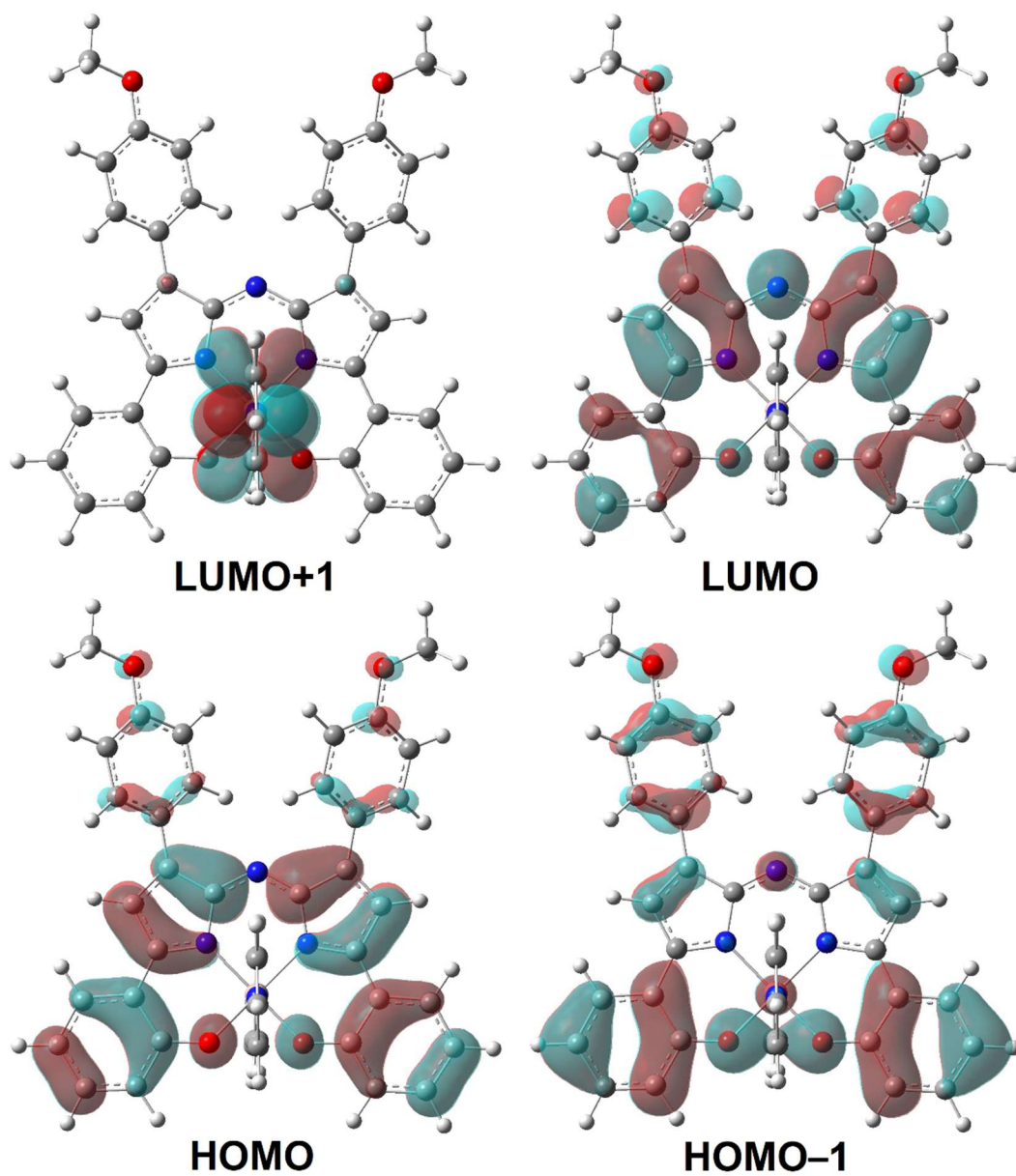
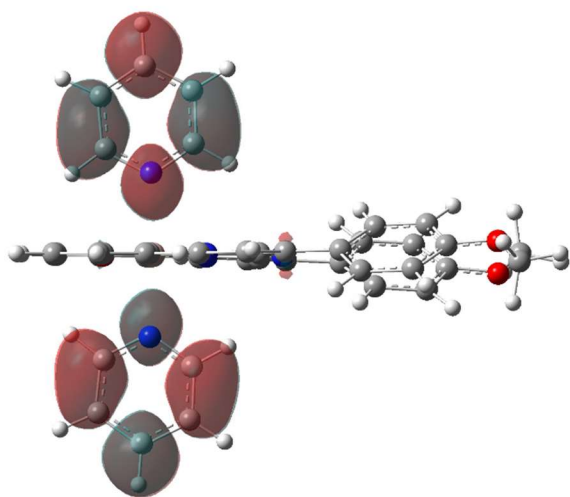
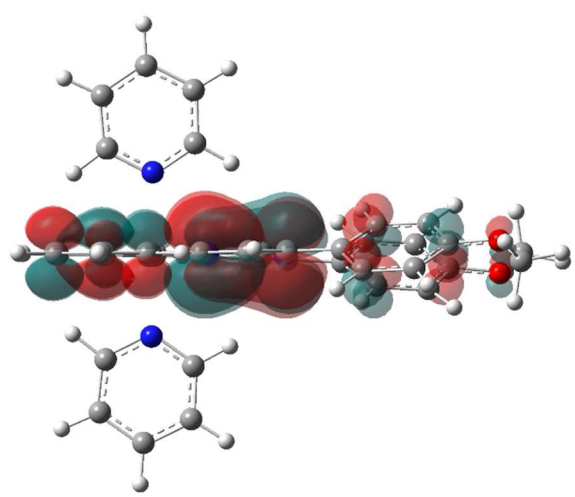


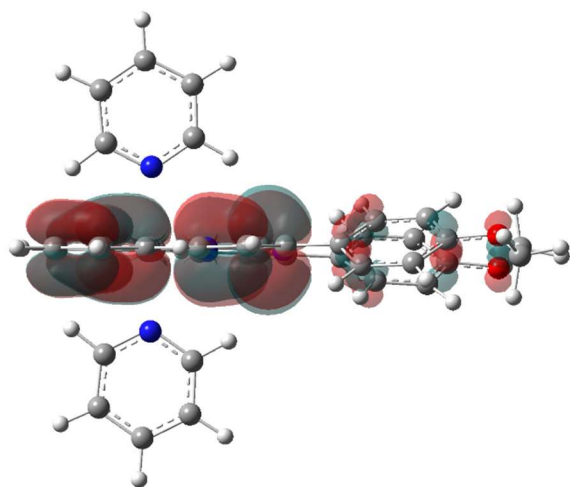
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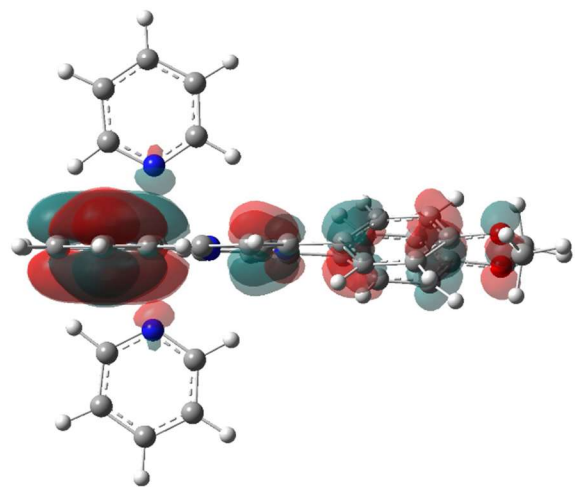
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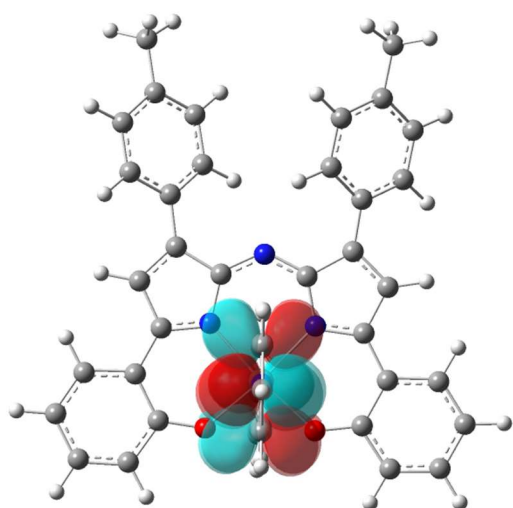


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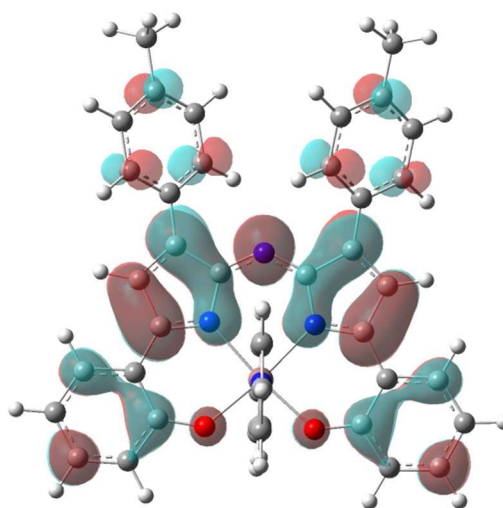


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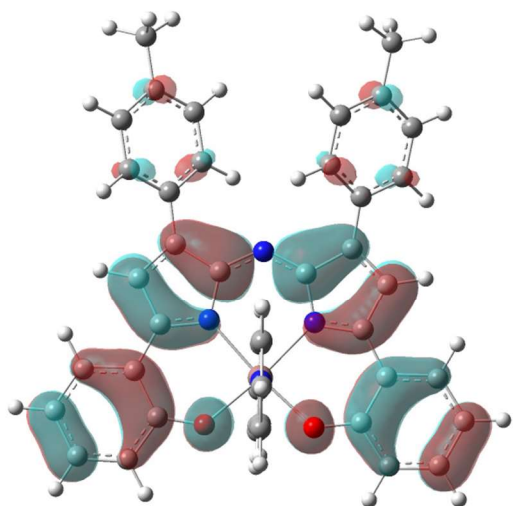
Figure S8. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **2b**.



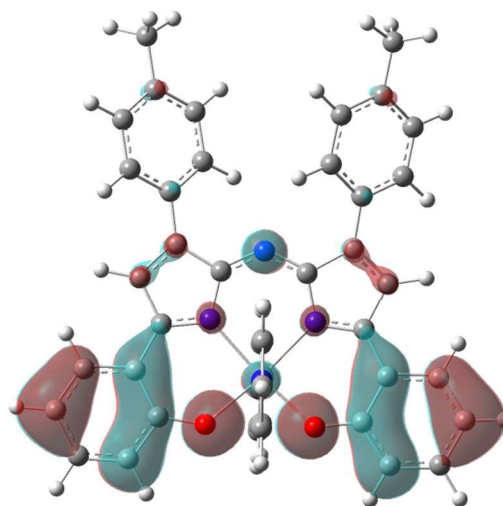
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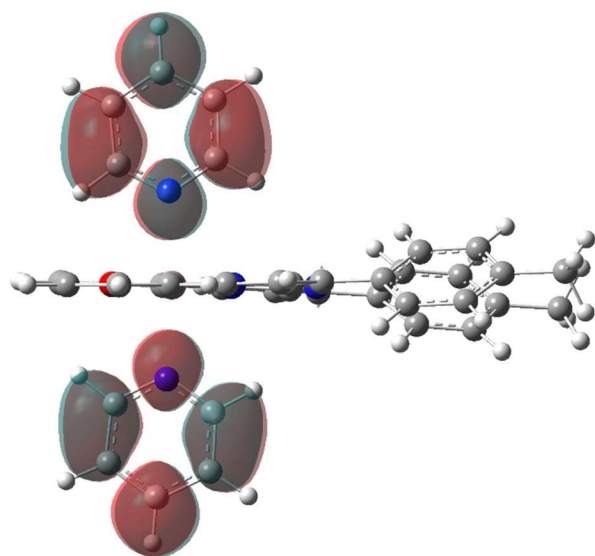


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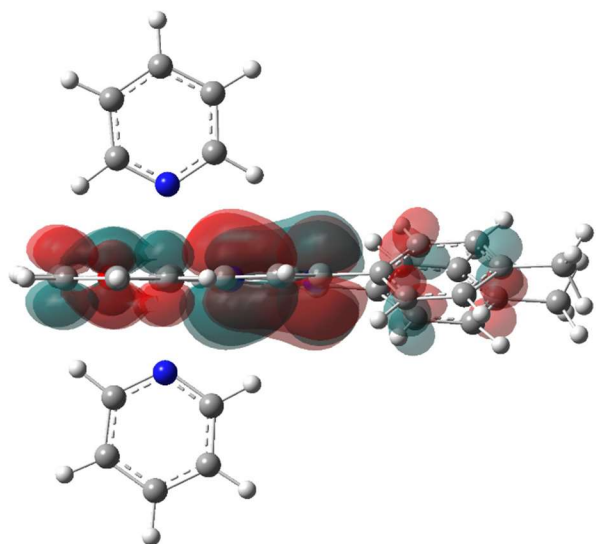


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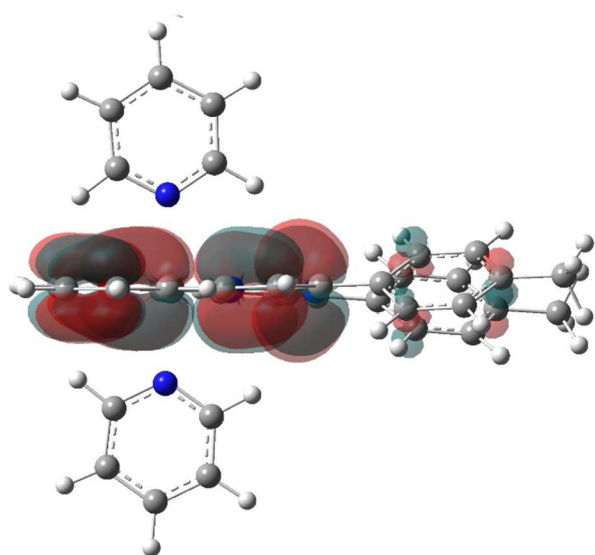
Figure S9. Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **3a**.



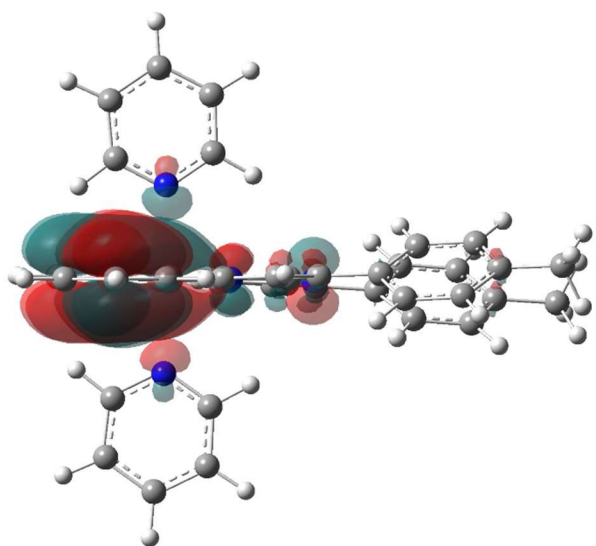
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Figure S10. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **3a**.

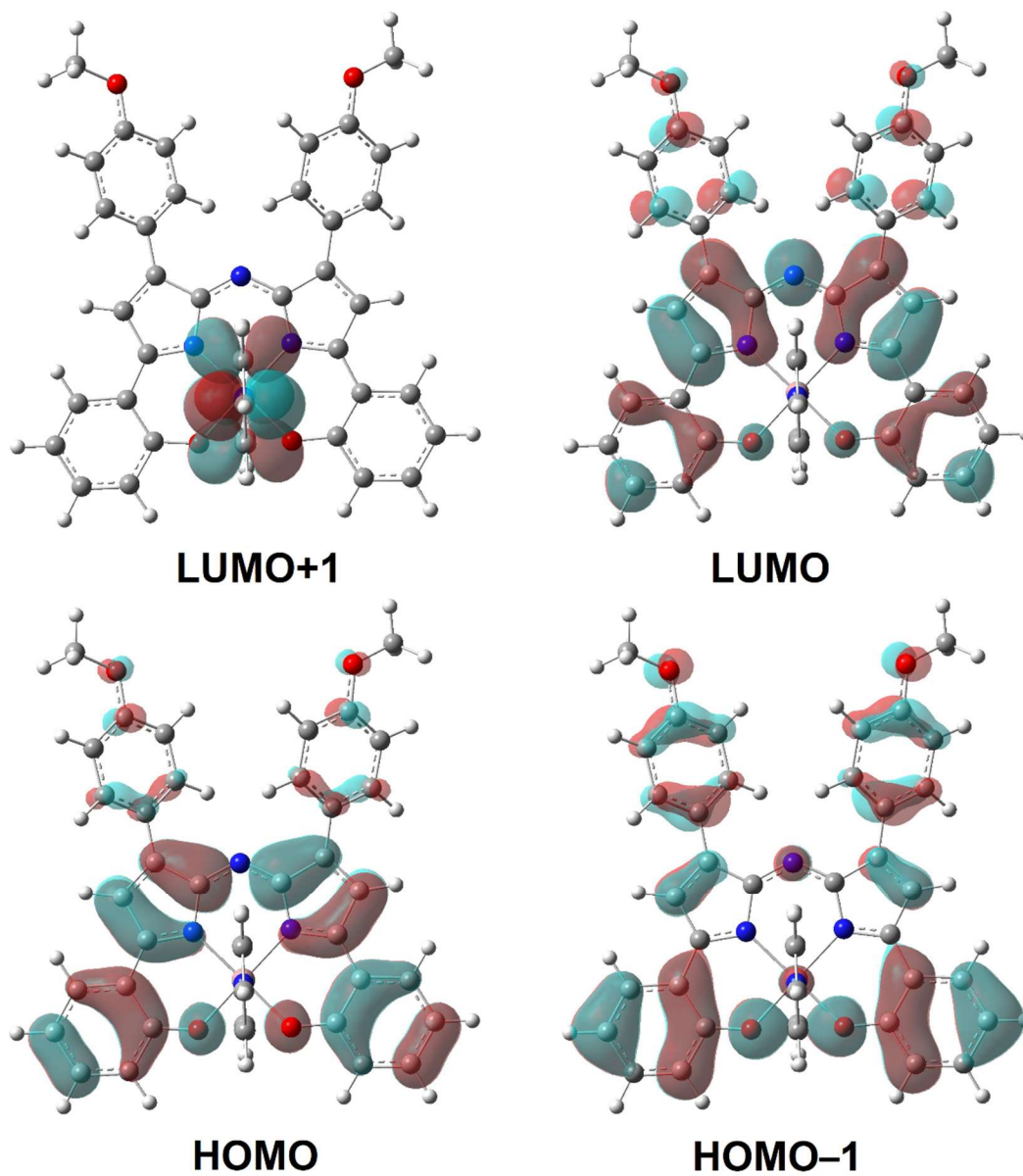
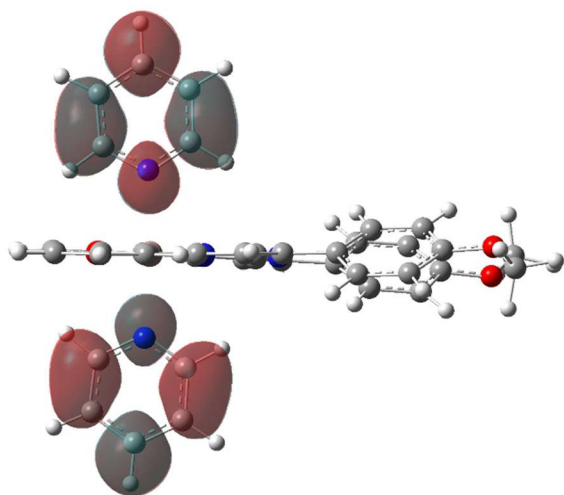
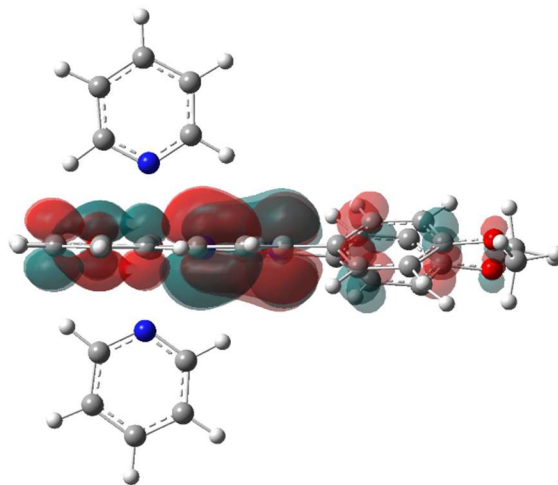


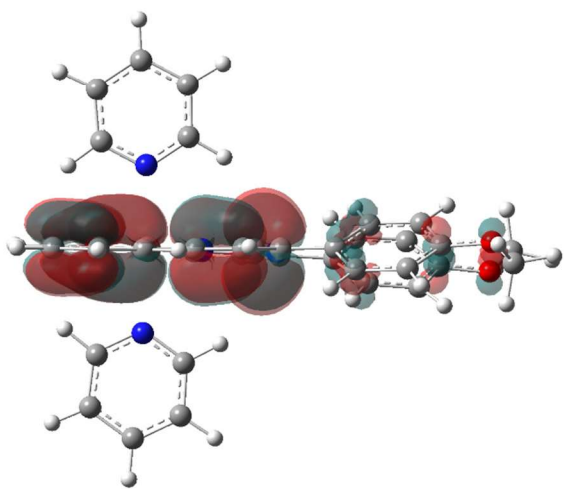
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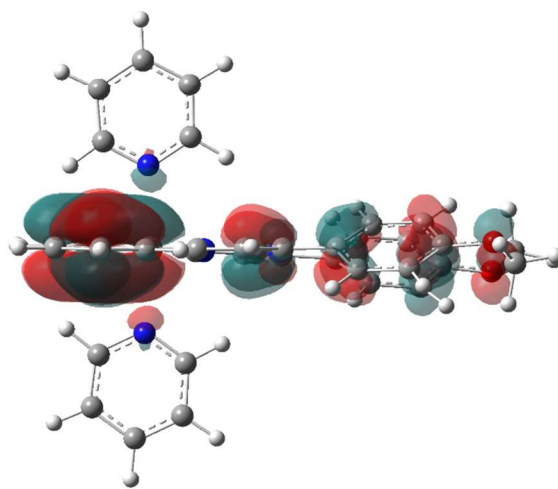
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Figure S12. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **3b**.

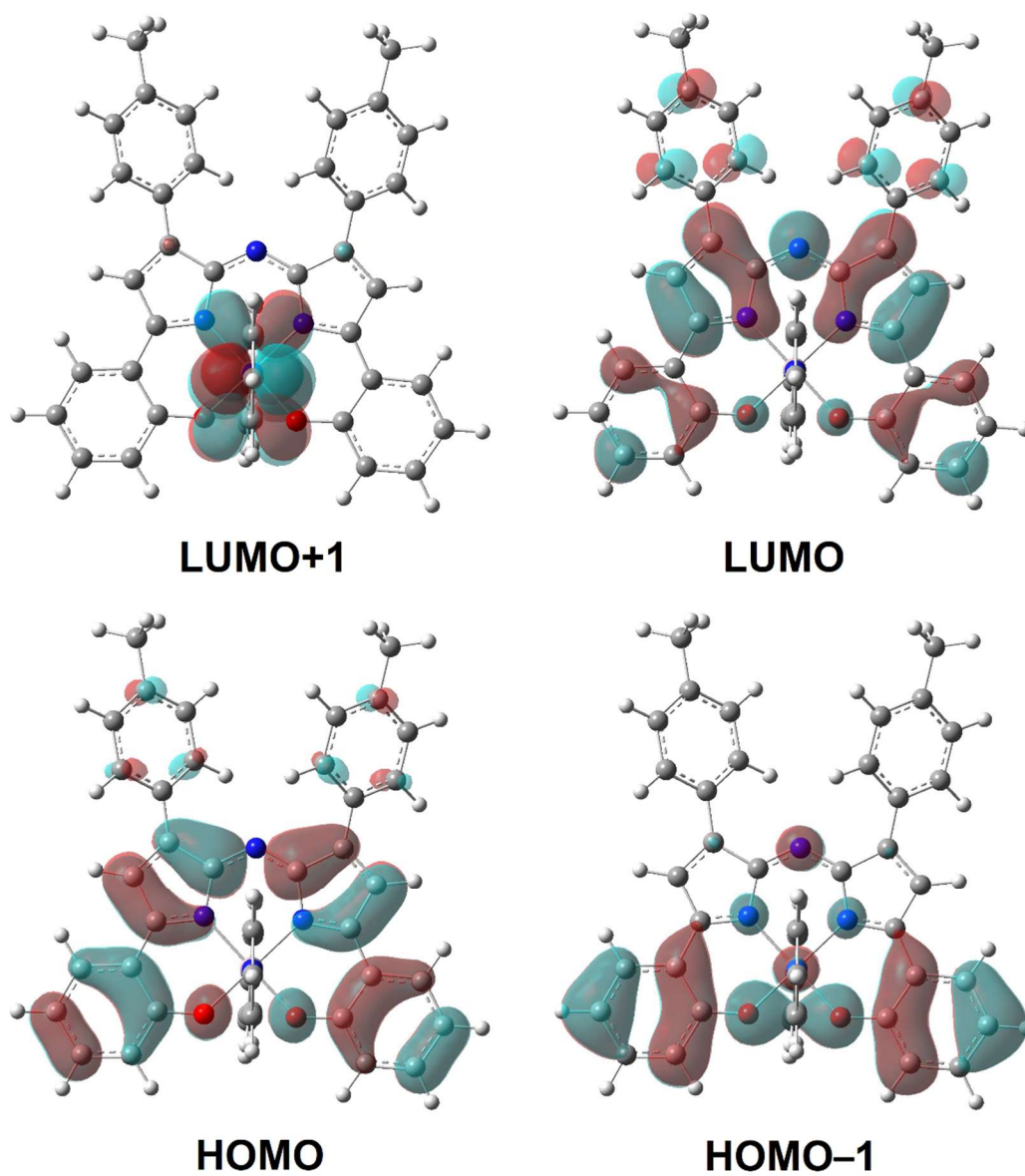
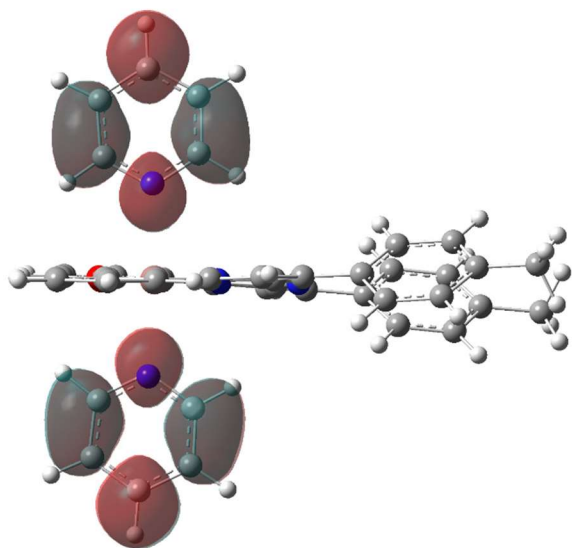
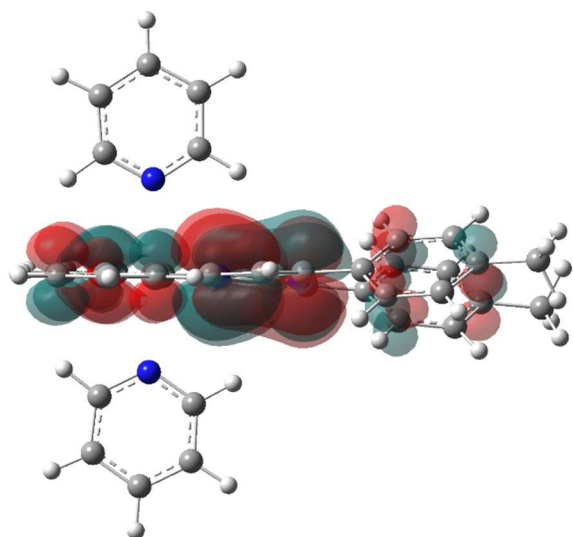


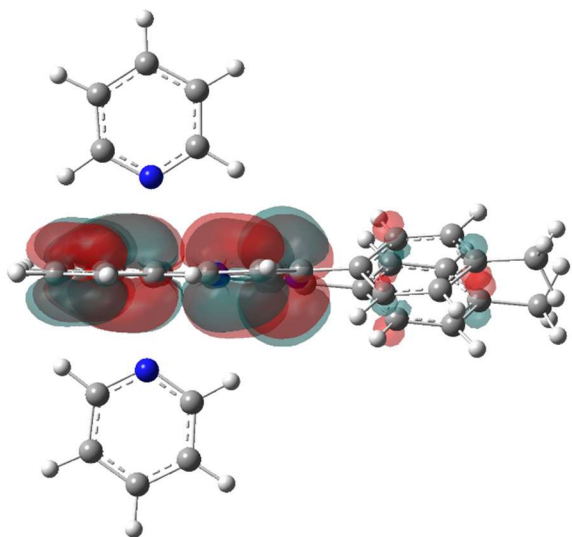
Figure S13. Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **4a**.



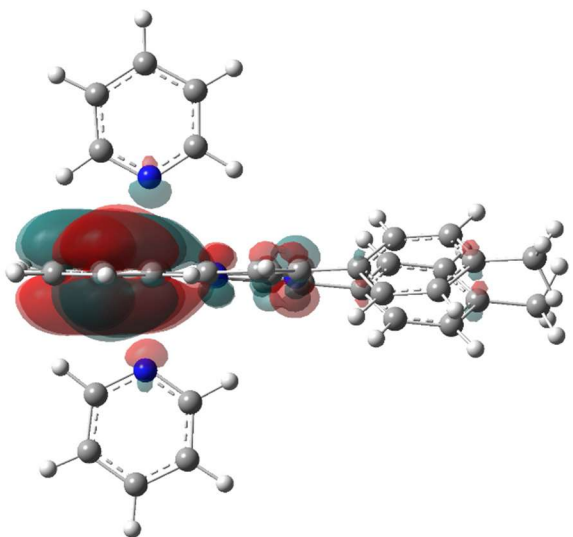
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Figure S14. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **4a**.

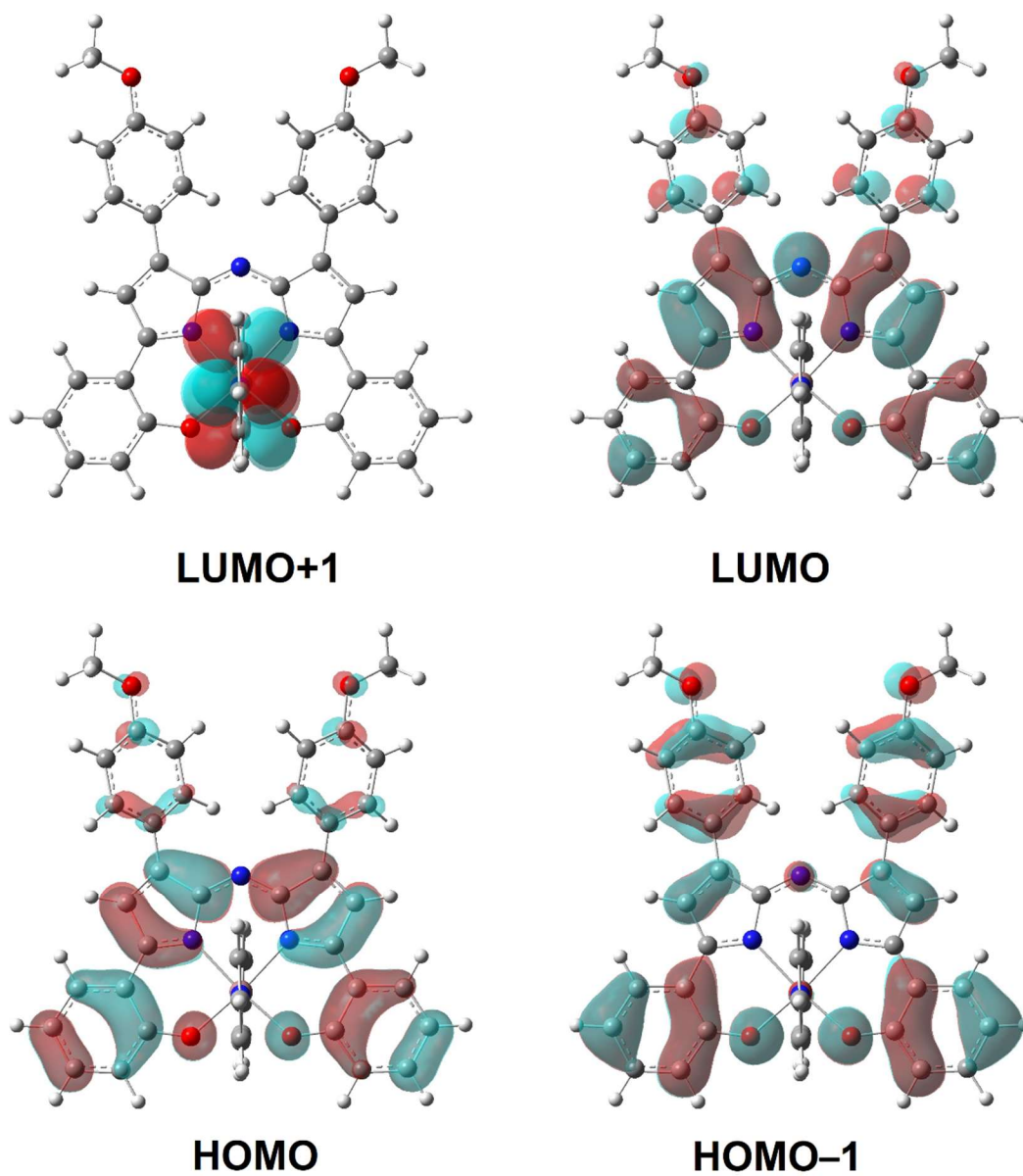
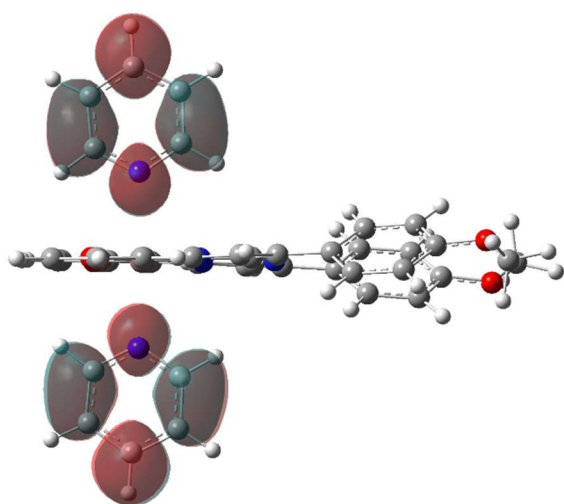
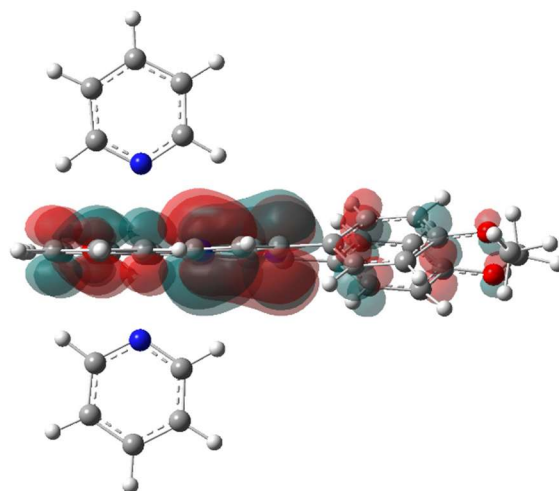


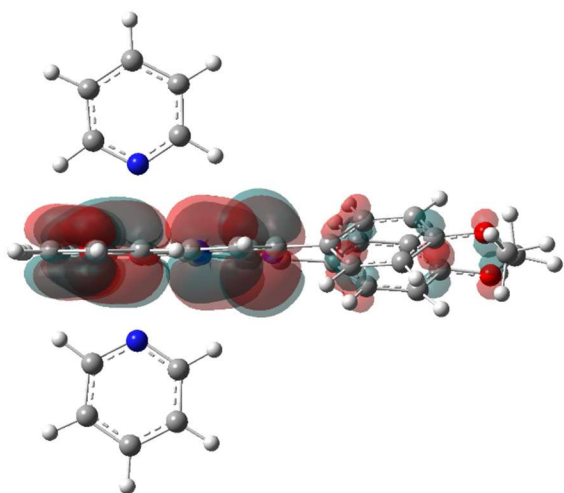
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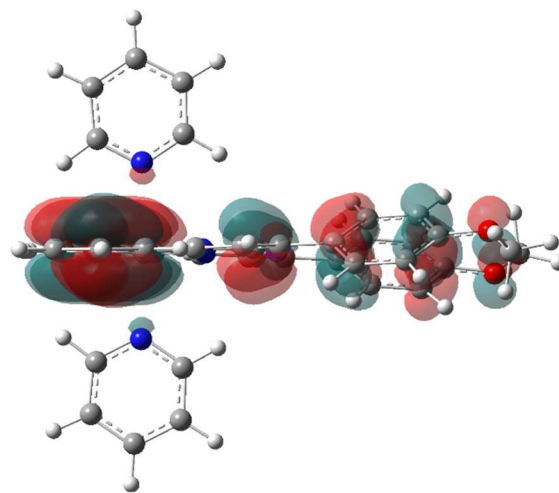
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Figure S16. Horizontal view of Frontier Molecular Orbital Plots of **4b**.

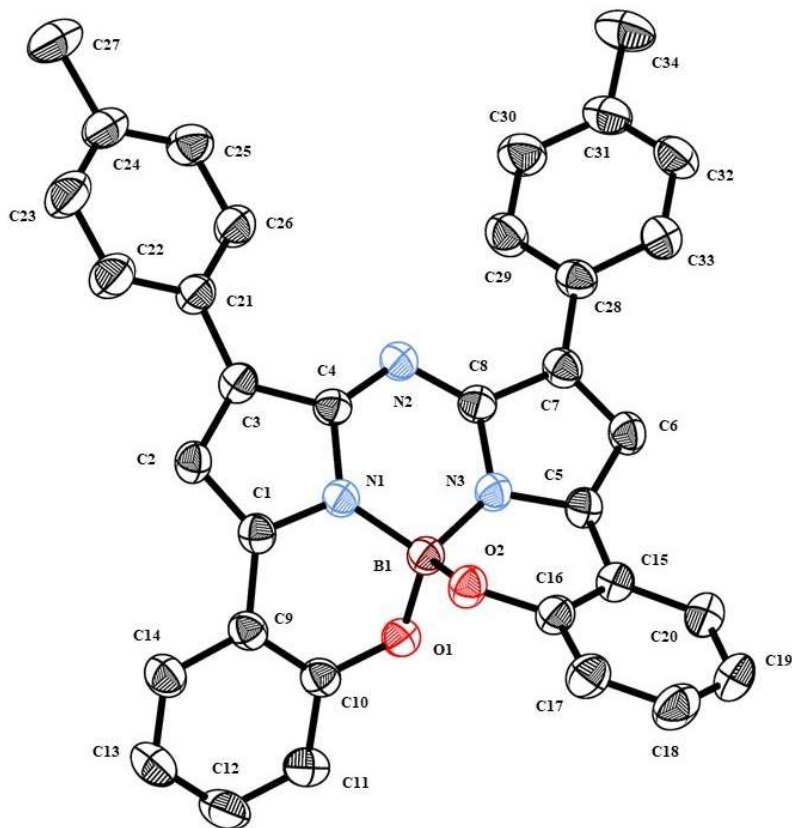


Figure S17. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **1a**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

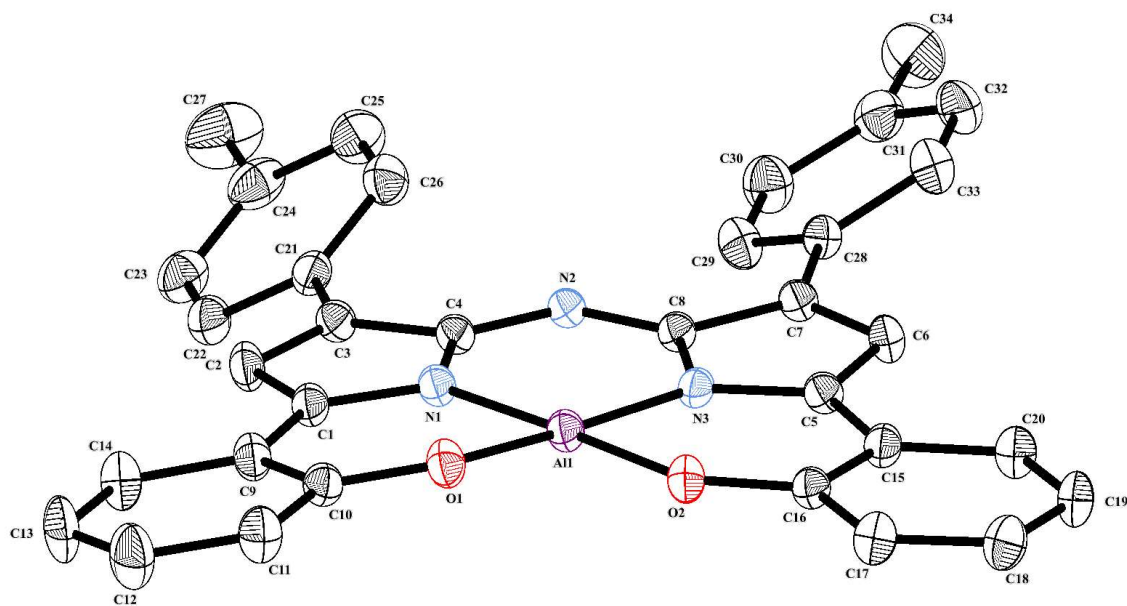


Figure S18. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **2a**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Axial bound pyridine ligands and hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

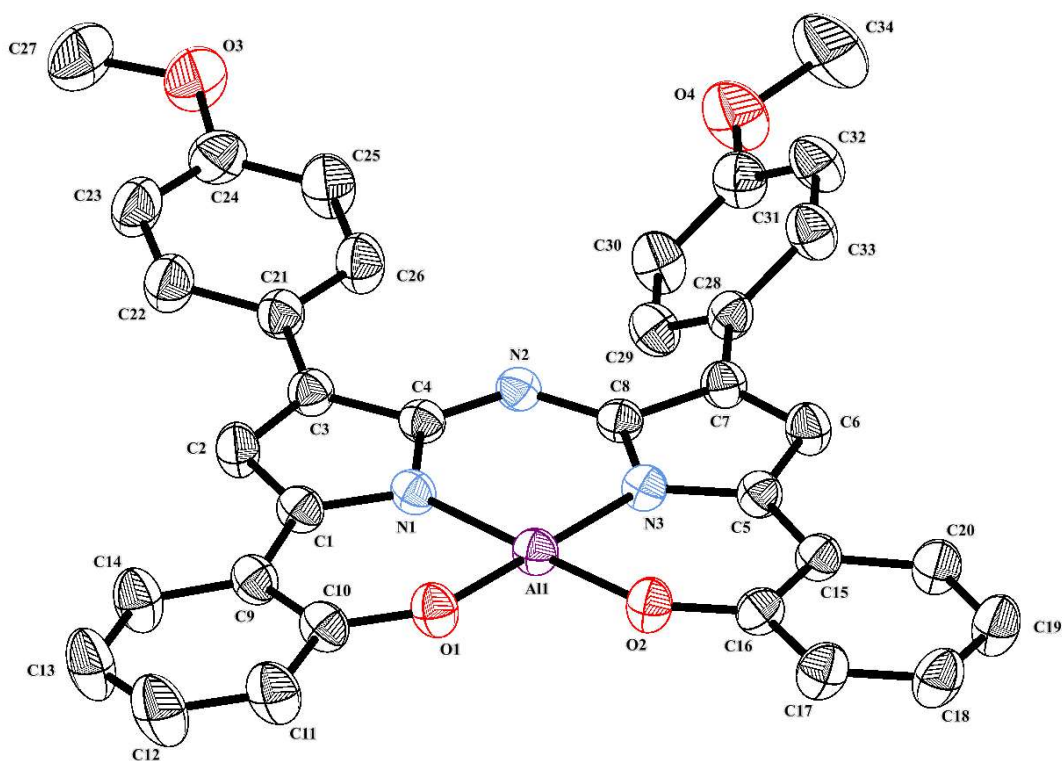


Figure S19. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **2b**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Axial bound pyridine ligands and hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

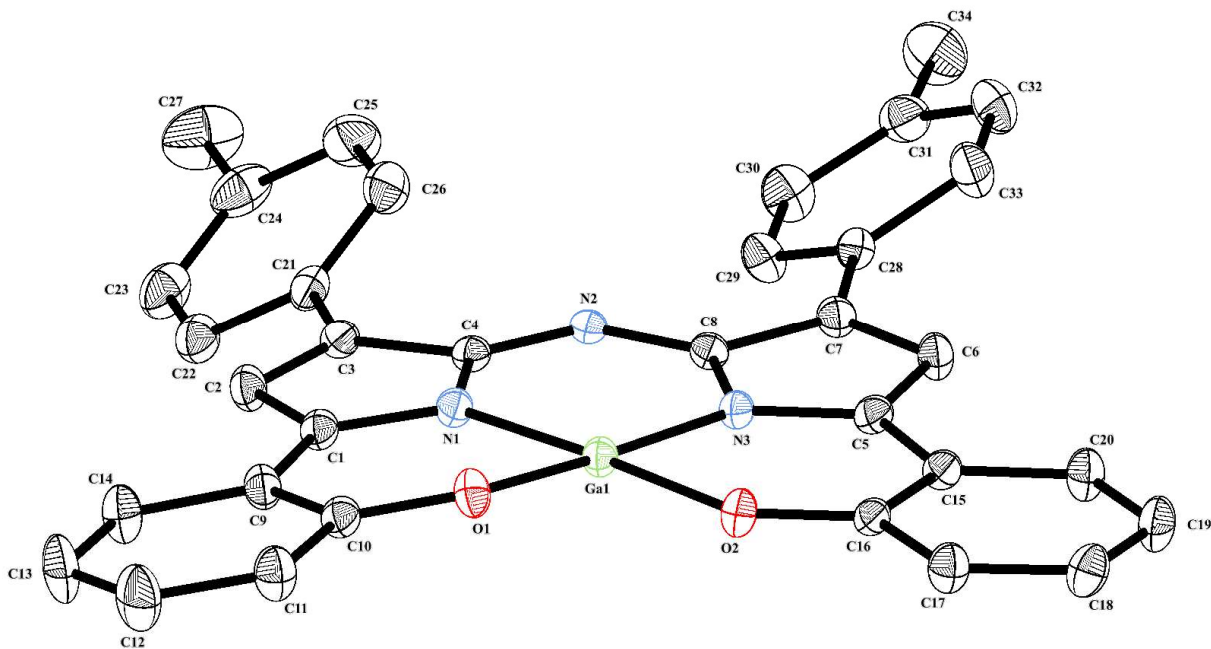


Figure S20. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **3a**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Axial bound pyridine ligands and hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

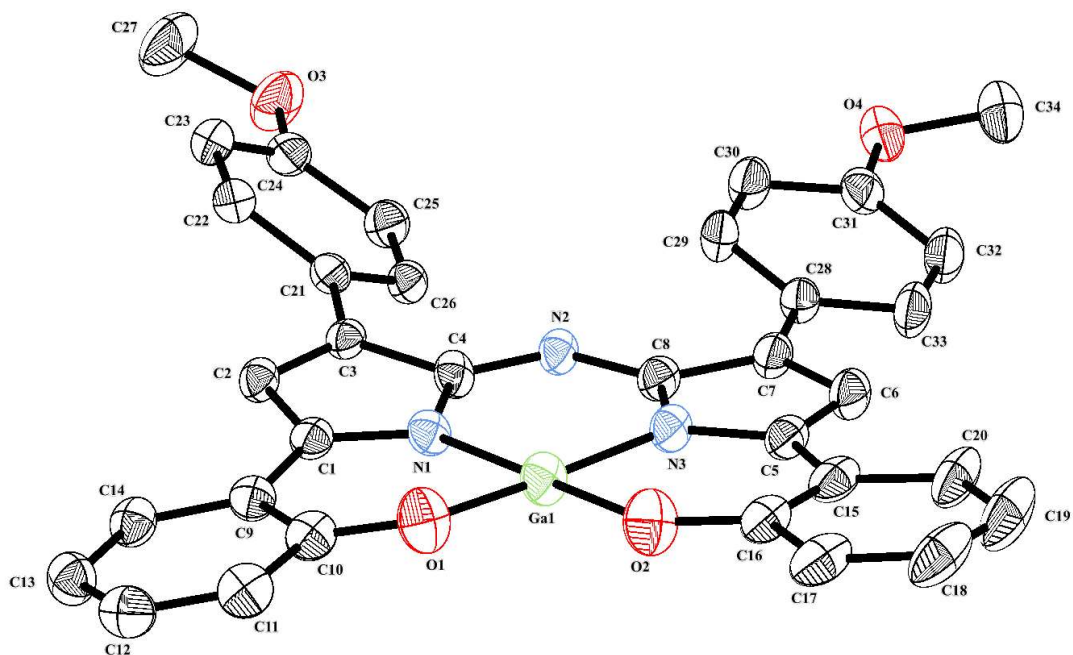


Figure S21. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **3b**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Axial bound pyridine ligands and hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

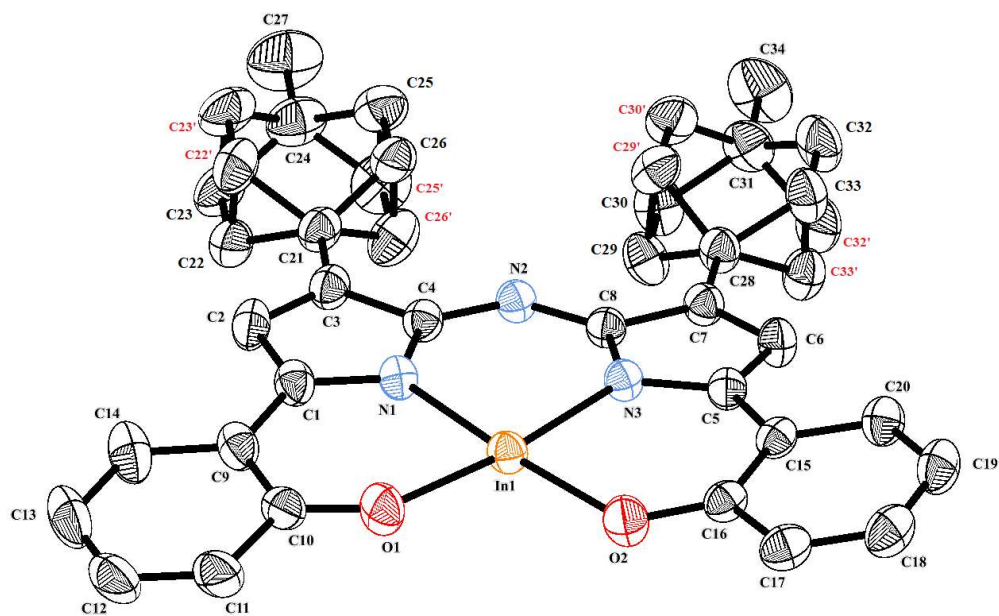


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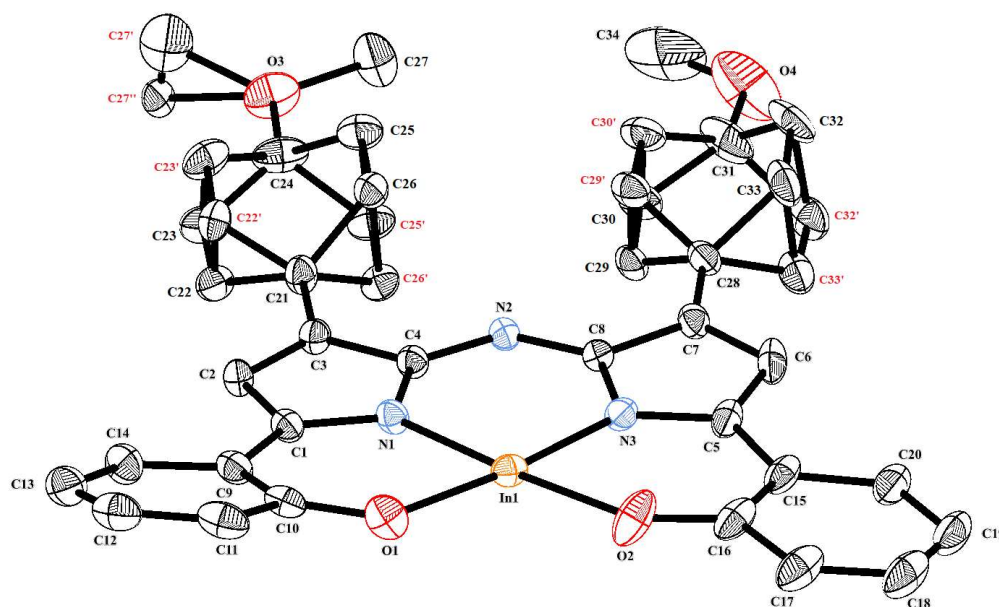


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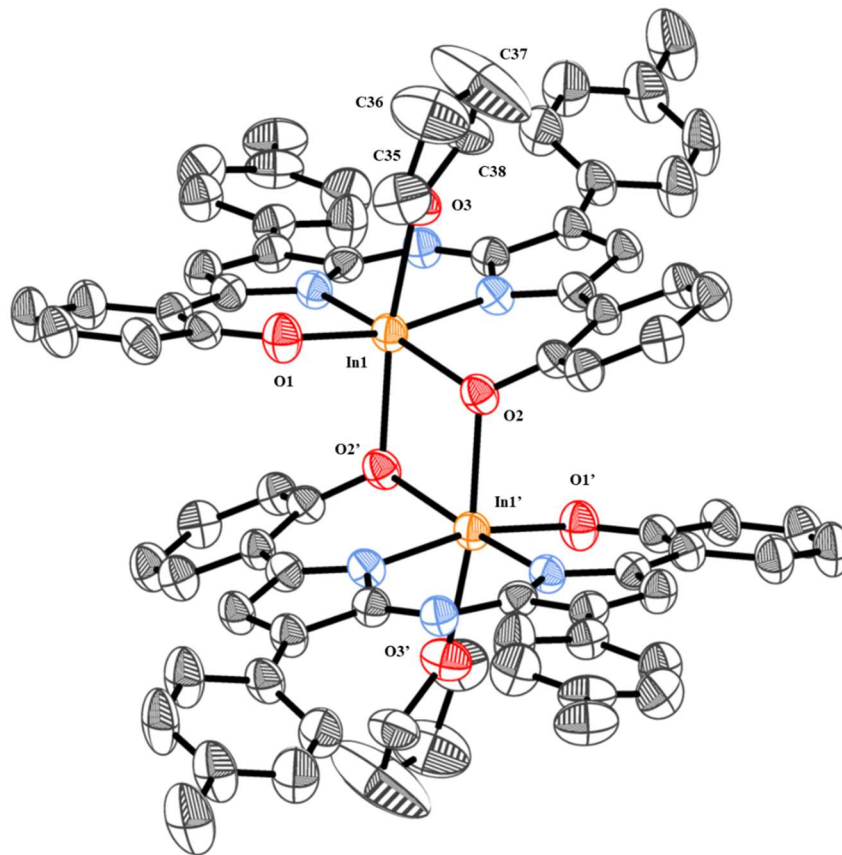


Figure S24. Single crystal X-ray diffraction structure of **4a'**; ellipsoids are drawn at the 40% probability level. Axial bound tetrahydrofuran ligands and hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity.

Description	1a (B-Me)	2a (Al-Me)	2b (Al-OMe)	3a (Ga-Me)
Empirical Formula	C ₃₄ H ₂₄ N ₃ O ₂ B	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₂ Al	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₄ Al	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₂ Ga
Formula Weight	517.37	691.74	723.74	734.48
Wavelength (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
Temperature (K)	293(2)	150(2)	293(2)	150(2)
Crystal system	Monoclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
Space Group	<i>C</i> 2/ <i>c</i>	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1
<i>a</i> (Å)	17.8773(13)	9.5375(13)	9.4422(3)	9.5457(2)
<i>b</i> (Å)	17.6426(12)	13.824(2)	13.9608(4)	13.7422(3)
<i>c</i> (Å)	16.5701(12)	16.997(2)	16.9362(5)	17.0769(4)
α (°)	90	71.126(2)	105.914(2)	71.253(2)
β (°)	91.625(5)	89.184(2)	100.571(2)	89.086(2)
γ (°)	90	69.963(2)	106.290(2)	70.313(2)
<i>V</i> (Å ³)	5224.1(6)	1980.2(5)	1977.11(11)	1986.55(8)
<i>Z</i>	8	2	2	2
Density (g/cm ³)	1.316	1.160	1.216	1.228
μ (mm ⁻¹)	0.082	0.093	0.100	0.734
<i>F</i> (000)	2160	724	756	760
Θ min., max. (°)	1.622, 27.908	2.2865, 23.8961	1.619, 27.407	1.266, 27.515
Crystal size (mm)	0.117 x 0.145 x 0.227	0.09 x 0.13 x 0.22	0.12 x 0.13 x 0.28	0.08 x 0.08 x 0.30
Index ranges	-23 < <i>h</i> < 23; -22 < <i>k</i> < 23; -21 < <i>l</i> < 21	-12 < <i>h</i> < 12; -17 < <i>k</i> < 17; -22 < <i>l</i> < 22	-12 < <i>h</i> < 12; -18 < <i>k</i> < 18; -21 < <i>l</i> < 21	-12 < <i>h</i> < 12; -17 < <i>k</i> < 17; -22 < <i>l</i> < 22
Reflections collected	35641	19176	27131	26145
<i>R</i> _{int} (%)	0.0317	0.0432	0.0420	0.0382
Data/restraints/parameters	6163/0/364	9025/0/471	8924/0/489	9069/0/471
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.036	0.999	1.024	1.053
<i>R</i> ₁ [<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>)]	0.0441	0.0476	0.0485	0.0378
<i>wR</i> ₂ [<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>)]	0.1226	0.1245	0.1480	0.0930
Largest diff. peak/hole (e Å ⁻³)	0.285 and -0.225	0.263 and -0.255	0.211 and -0.328	0.470 and -0.572
Observed data [<i>I</i> > 2.0 σ (<i>I</i>)]	4163	5574	5045	7000

Table S3. Crystallographic data and refinement parameters for **1a**, **2a-b** and **3a-b**.

Description	3b (Ga-OMe)	4a (In-Me)	4b (In-OMe)	4a' (In-Me-Dimer)
Empirical Formula	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₄ Ga	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₂ In	C ₄₄ H ₃₄ N ₅ O ₄ In	C ₇₆ H ₆₄ N ₆ O ₆ In ₂
Formula Weight	766.48	779.58	811.58	1386.97
Wavelength (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
Temperature (K)	215(2)	293(2)	150(2)	293(2)
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	Triclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
Space Group	<i>Fdd2</i>	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1
a (Å)	20.9391(10)	9.7402(16)	9.7573(4)	8.7943(8)
b (Å)	25.3066(13)	9.9876(16)	9.8180(4)	11.7579(10)
c (Å)	29.4364(15)	19.774(3)	19.3367(9)	14.8580(13)
α (°)	90	104.509(8)	103.7920(10)	98.225(6)
β (°)	90	100.981(8)	98.2980(10)	90.613(6)
γ (°)	90	96.196(9)	95.5750(10)	90.271(6)
V (Å ³)	15598.3(14)	1803.5(5)	1763.40(13)	1520.4(2)
Z	16	2	2	1
Density (g/cm ³)	1.306	1.436	1.528	1.515
μ (mm ⁻¹)	0.754	0.701	0.724	0.821
F (000)	6336	796	828	708
Θ min., max. (°)	2.123, 27.526	2.111, 27.749	2.129, 27.489	1.750, 28.332
Crystal size (mm)	0.26 x 0.26 x 0.28	0.08 x 0.24 x 0.55	0.07 x 0.19 x 0.24	0.038 x 0.082 x 0.085
Index ranges	-27 < h < 27; -32 < k < 32; -38 < l < 38	-12 < h < 12; -13 < k < 12; -25 < l < 25	-14 < h < 14; -15 < k < 15; -29 < l < 29	-11 < h < 11; -15 < k < 15; -19 < l < 19
Reflections collected	36867	23828	17040	20853
R _{int} (%)	0.0494	0.0247	0.0266	0.0781
Data/restraints/parameters	8973/1/490	8295/0/544	8022/1/631	7503/0/409
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.020	1.038	1.032	0.934
R ₁ [I > 2σ(I)]	0.0359	0.0268	0.0295	0.0529
wR ₂ [I > 2σ(I)]	0.0816	0.0721	0.0732	0.1379
Largest diff. peak/hole (e Å ⁻³)	0.215 and -0.304	0.520 and -0.297	0.700 and -0.605	0.763 and -0.865
Observed data [I > 2.0σ(I)]	7160	7473	7290	4065

Table S4. Crystallographic data and refinement parameters for **3b**, **4a-b** and **4a'**.

Compound	Planarity of M Center (°)				
	N1-M-N3	N1-M-O1	O1-M-O2	N3-M-O2	Planarity vs 360°
1a (B-Me)	103.41(11)	106.91(11)	107.20(11)	106.18(11)	63.70
2a (Al-Me)	88.44(6)	91.70(6)	89.23(6)	90.74(6)	0.13
2b (Al-OMe)	88.72(7)	91.16(7)	89.45(7)	90.66(7)	0.02
3a (Ga-Me)	88.97(6)	91.89(6)	88.10(6)	91.18(6)	0.16
3b (Ga-OMe)	88.71(11)	92.01(12)	86.65(12)	92.59(12)	-0.04
4a (In-Me)	85.47(6)	87.32(6)	99.75(6)	87.53(6)	0.09
4b (In-OMe)	85.84(6)	86.75(6)	99.81(7)	87.60(7)	0.03
4a' (In-Me-Dimer)	86.64(3)	87.73(5)	102.66(4)	85.20(1)	2.24

Table S5. Crystallographic structure bond angles of metal center in **1a**, **2a-b**, **3a-b**, **4a-b**, and **4a'**.

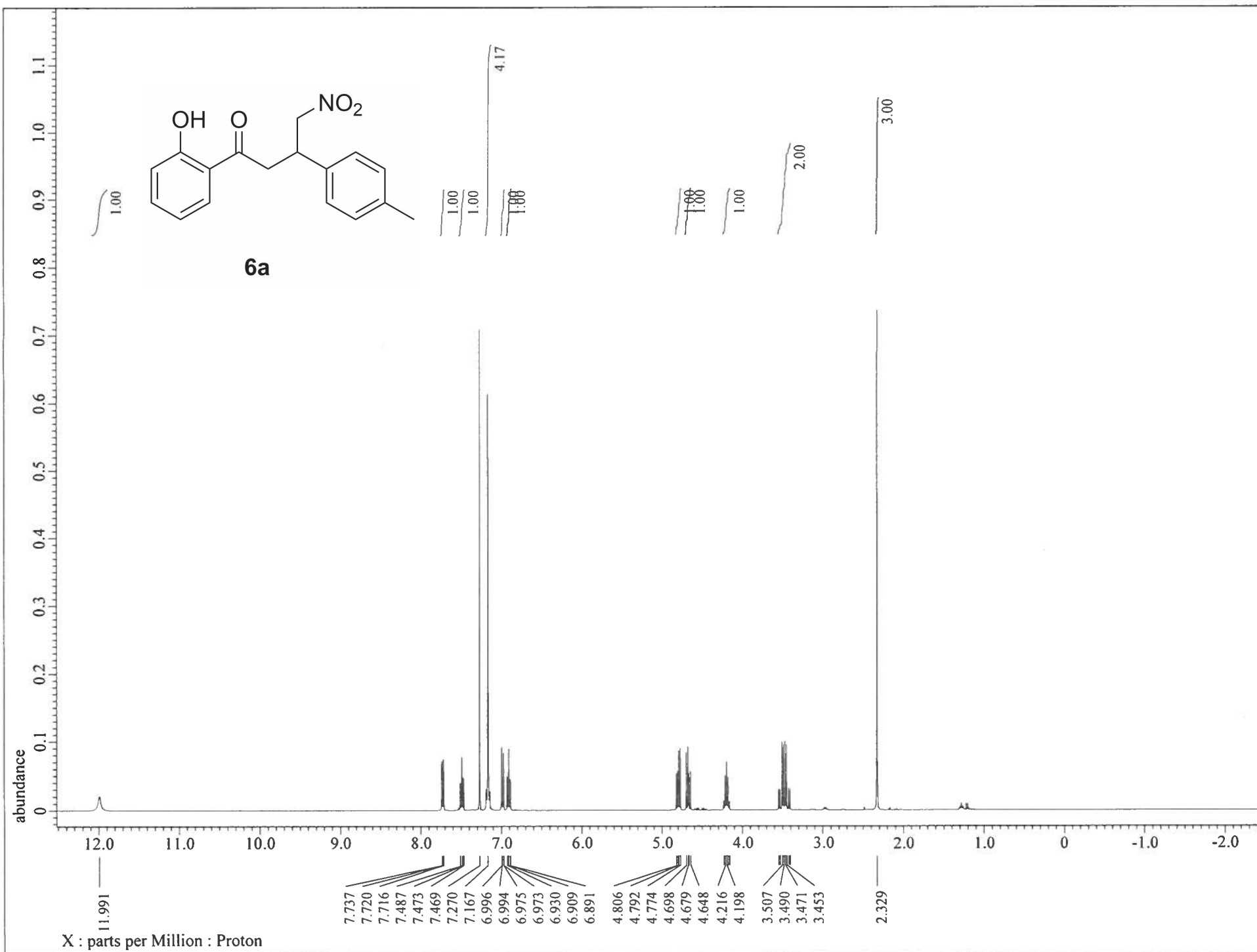
Compound	Axial Pyridine Ligands (°)	Proximal Dihedral Angles (°)		Phenolic Puckering (°)
	N4-M-N5	C2-C1-C9-C14	C6-C5-C15-C20	O1-N1-N3-O2
1a (B-Me)	--	-22.23(9)	-24.41(4)	-66.02(5)
2a (Al-Me)	176.55(7)	4.44(5)	-3.62(1)	3.31(8)
2b (Al-OMe)	179.07(7)	5.20(1)	-5.11(7)	-0.23(4)
3a (Ga-Me)	175.39(6)	4.35(5)	-3.32(8)	3.84(1)
3b (Ga-OMe)	175.3(3)	12.18(2)	0.51(1)	1.31(8)
4a (In-Me)	171.50(9)	1.34(1)	12.69(9)	2.89(6)
4b (In-OMe)	170.26(8)	2.17(4)	-8.81(5)	0.88(3)
4a' (In-Me-Dimer)	163.81(12)*	-5.23(9)	6.05(6)	17.44(3)

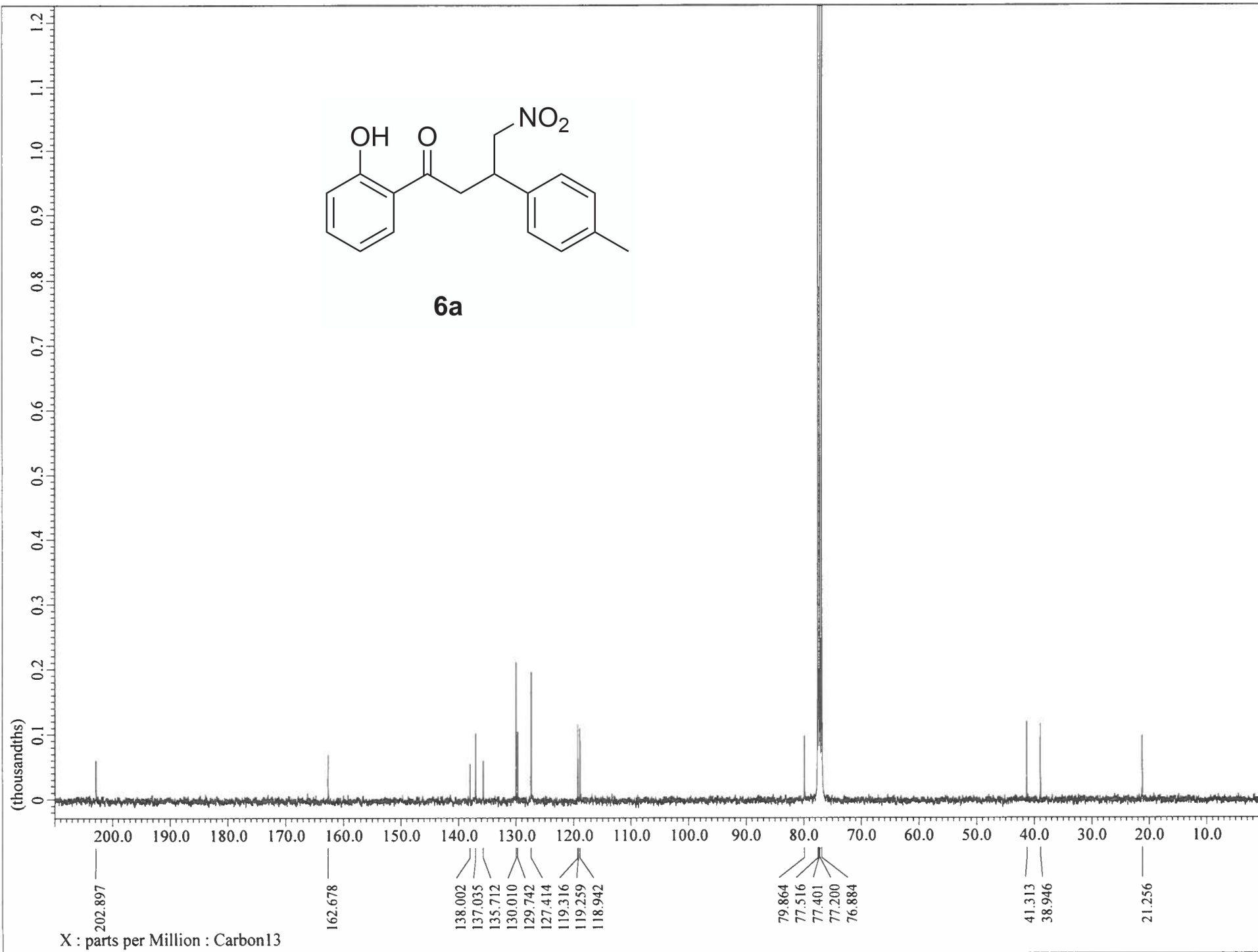
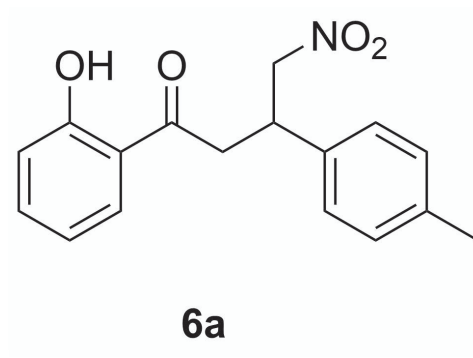
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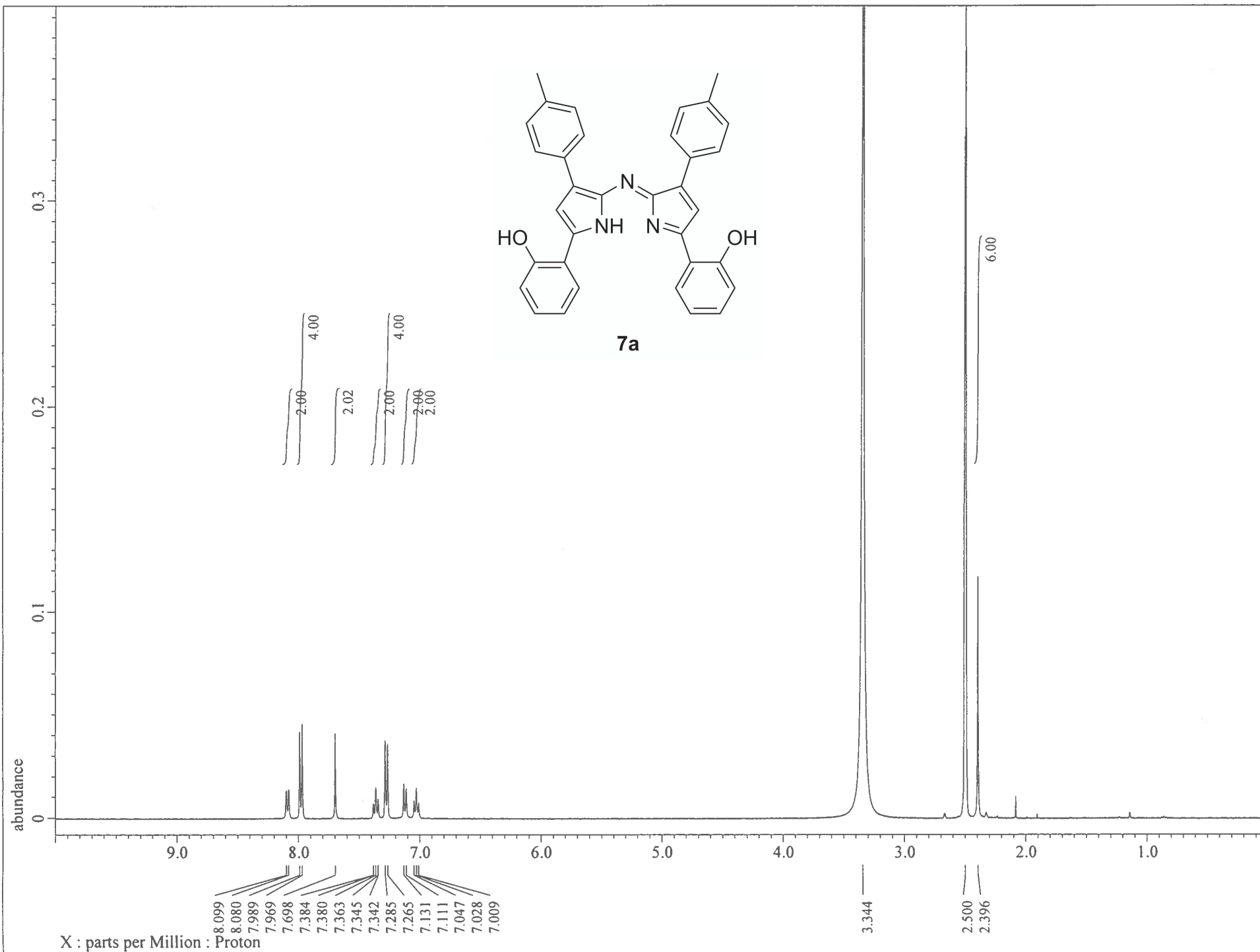
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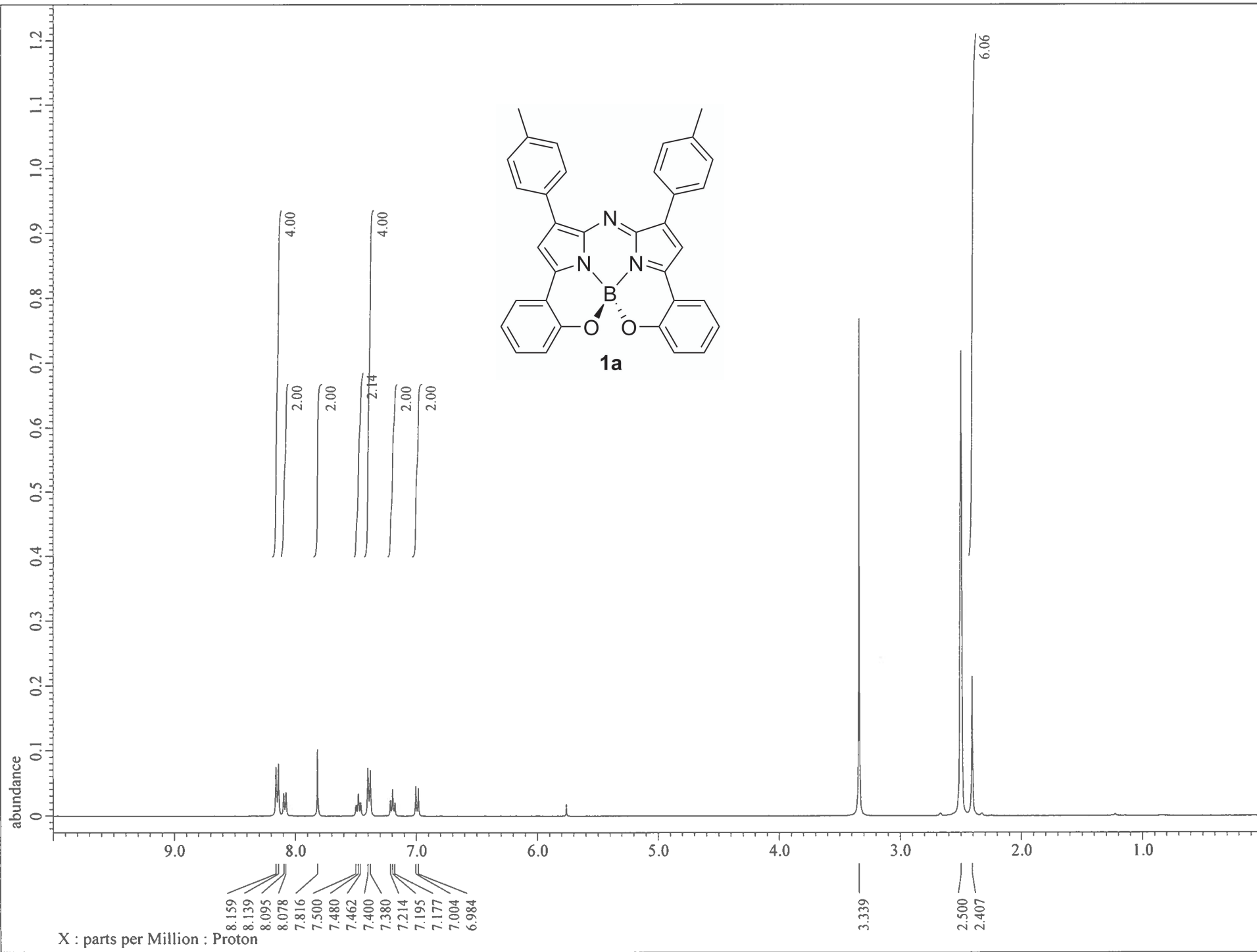
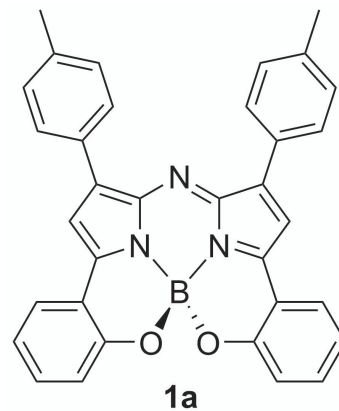
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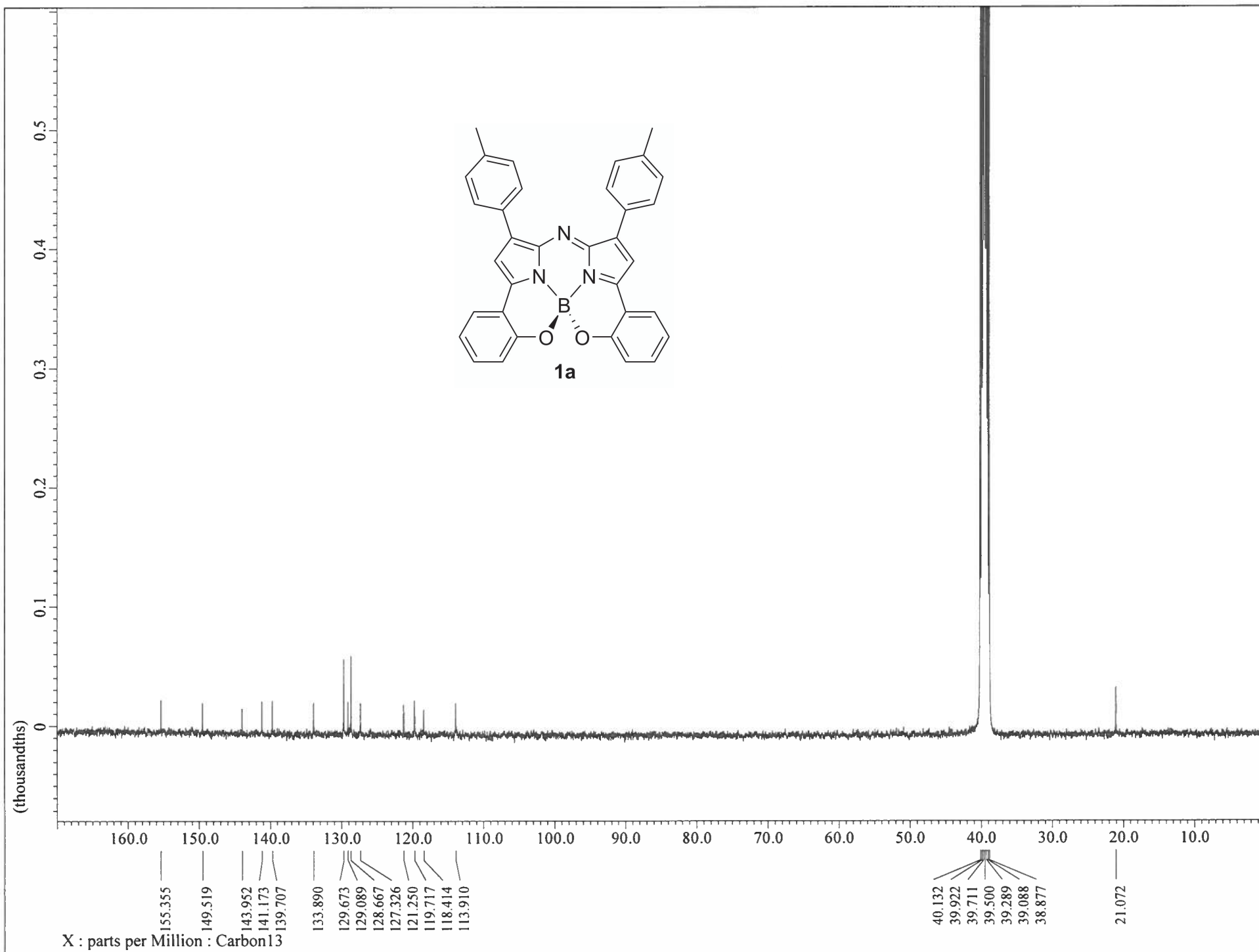
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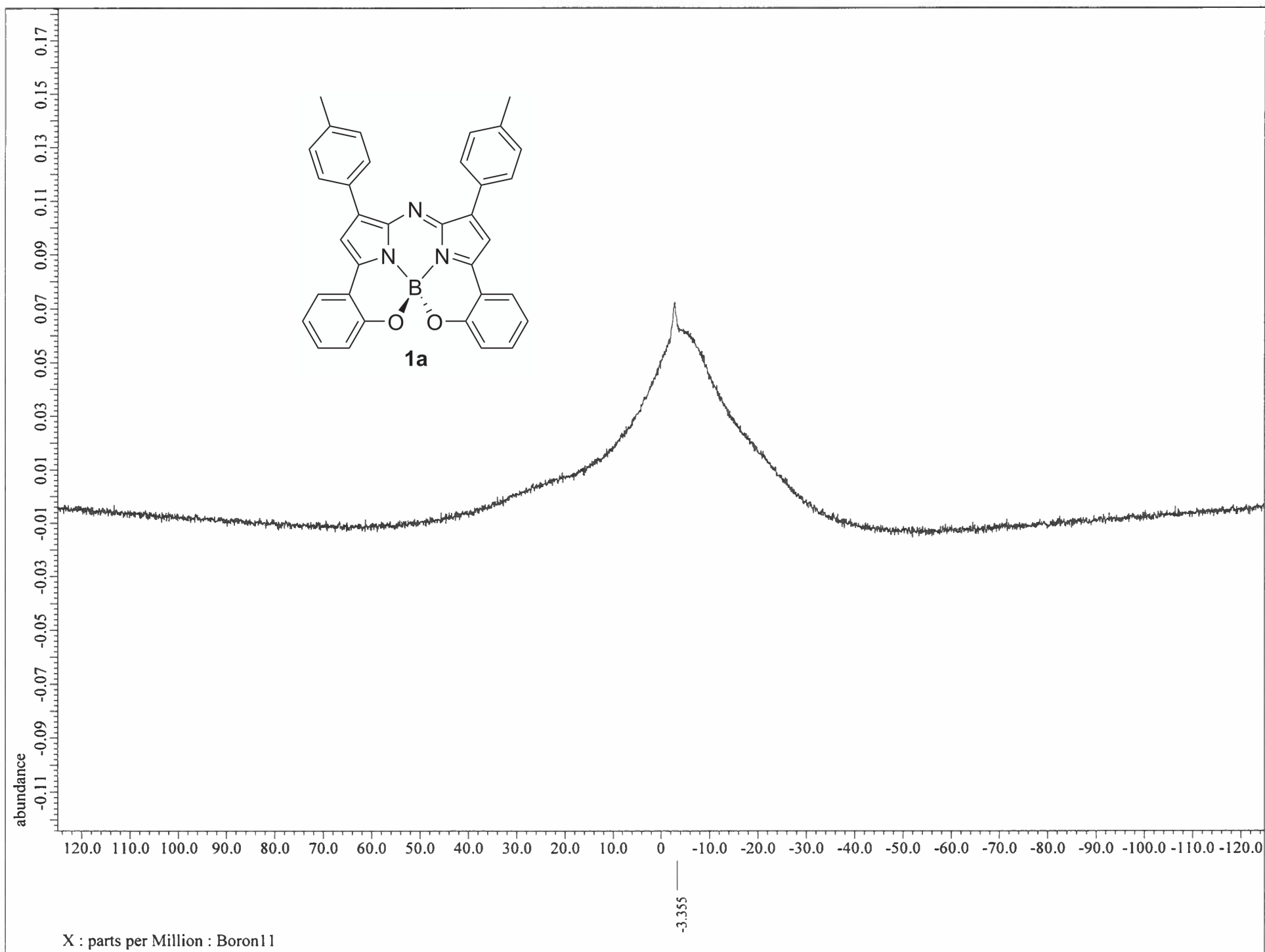


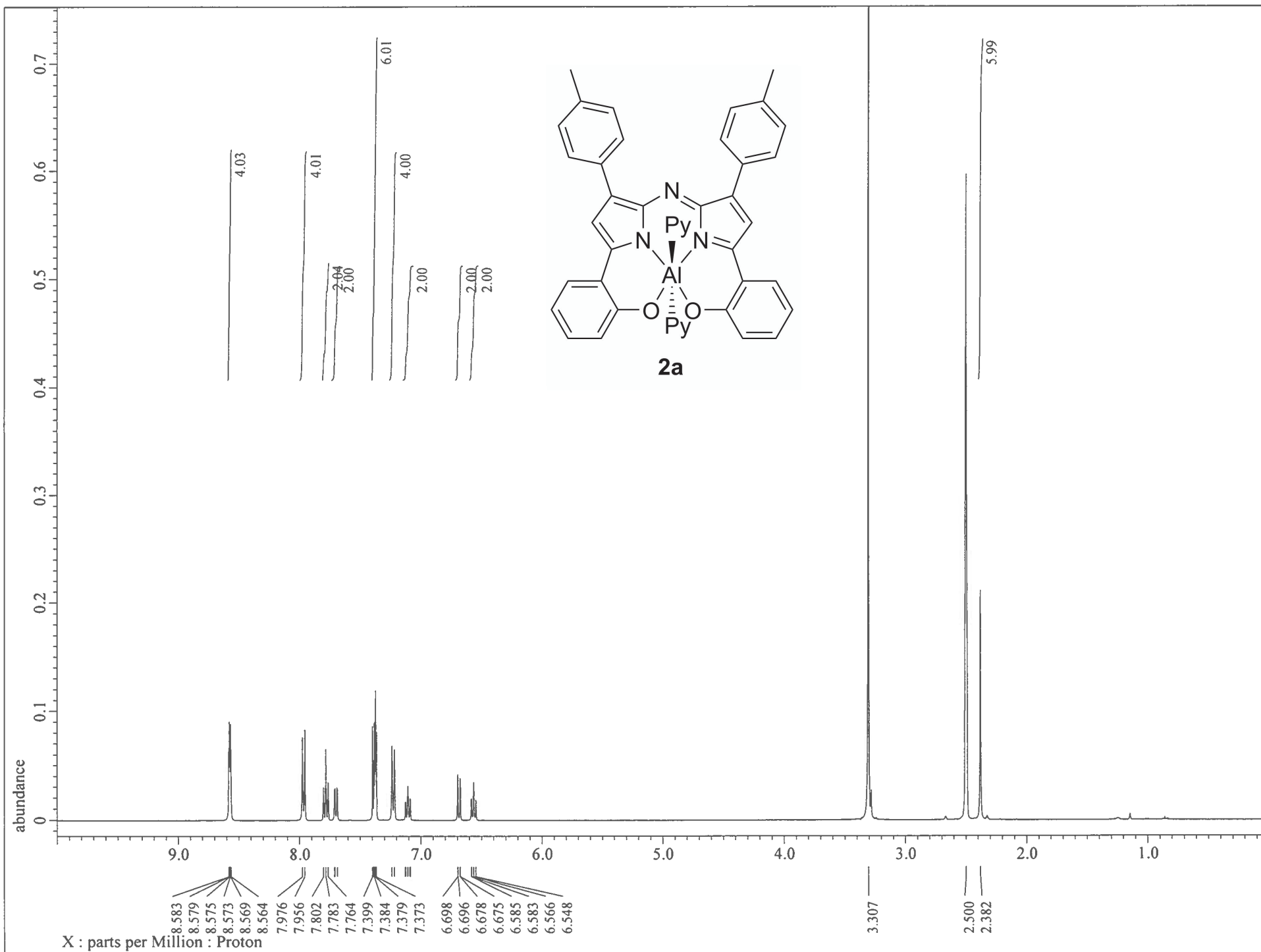


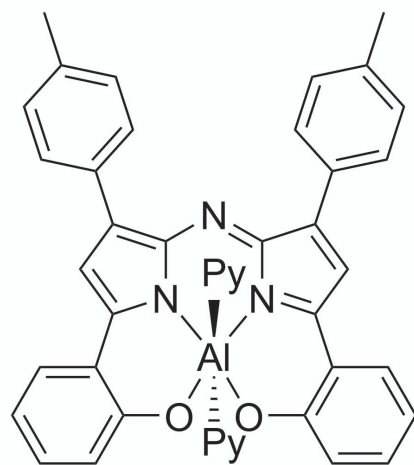




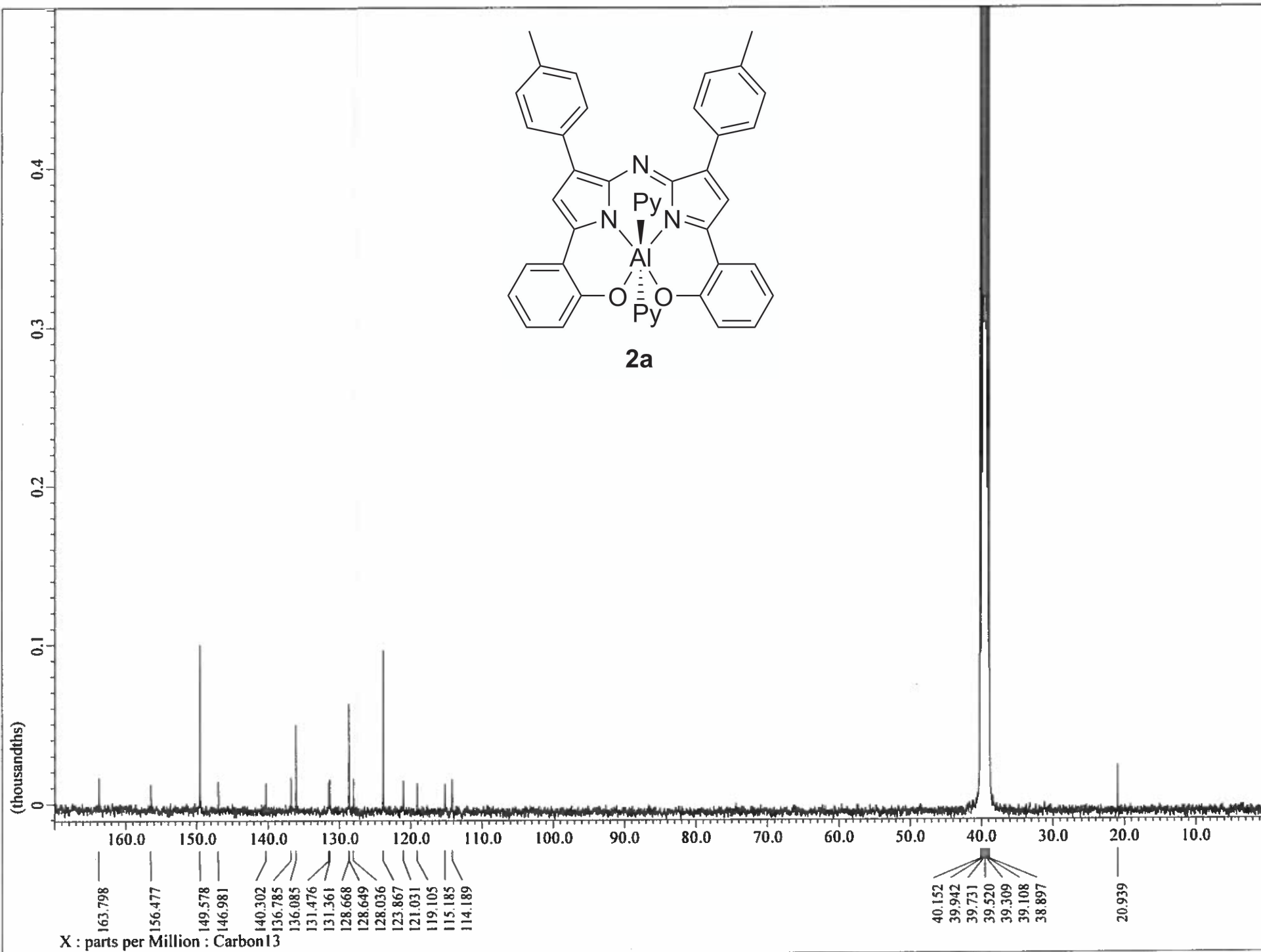


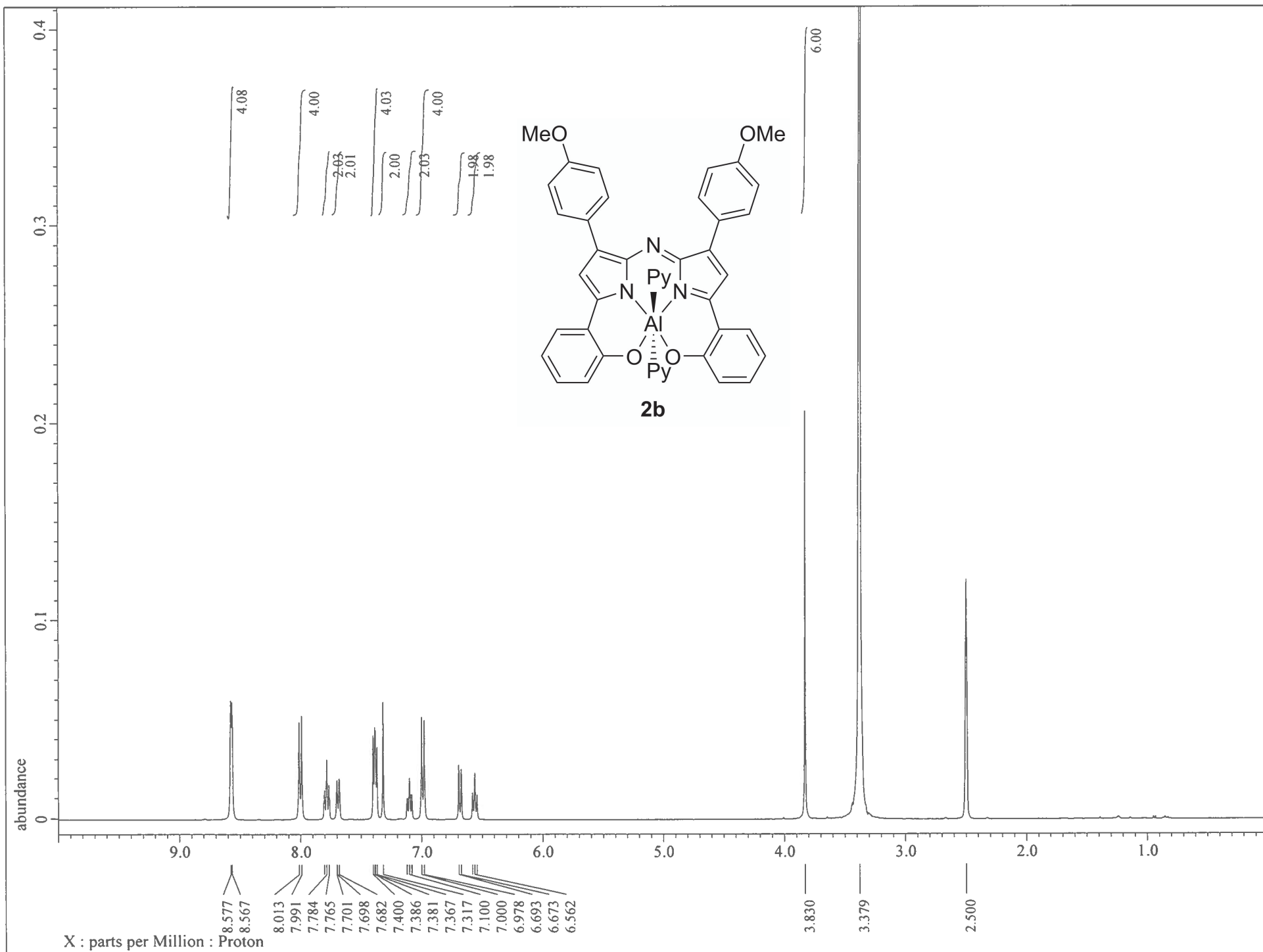


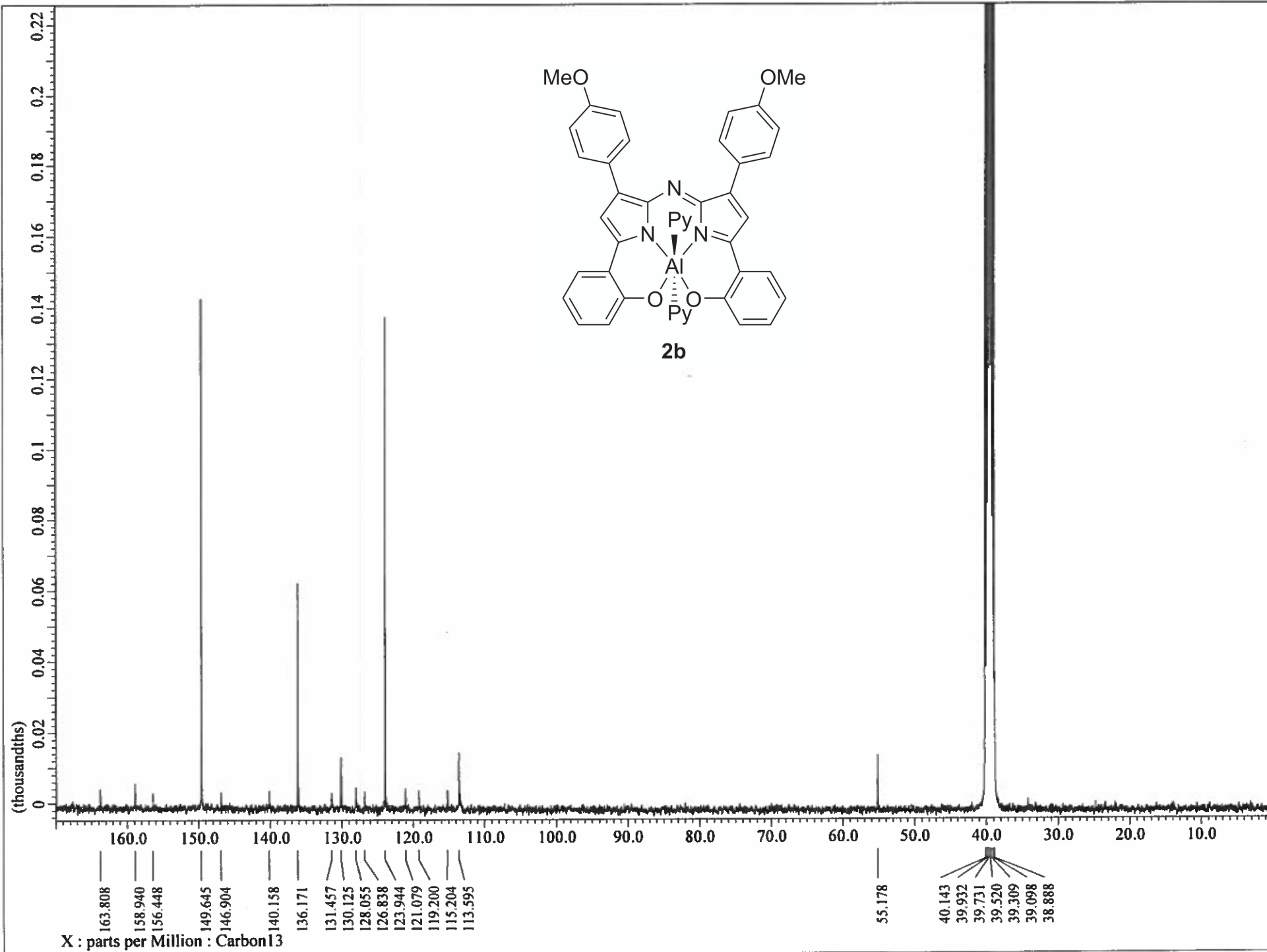
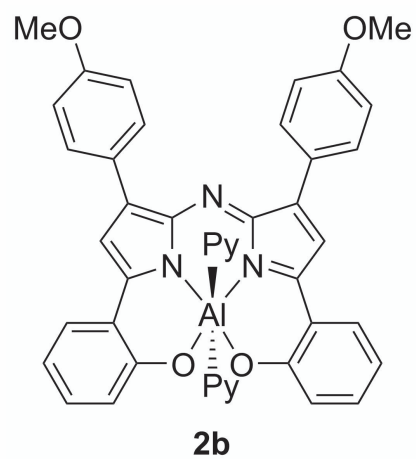


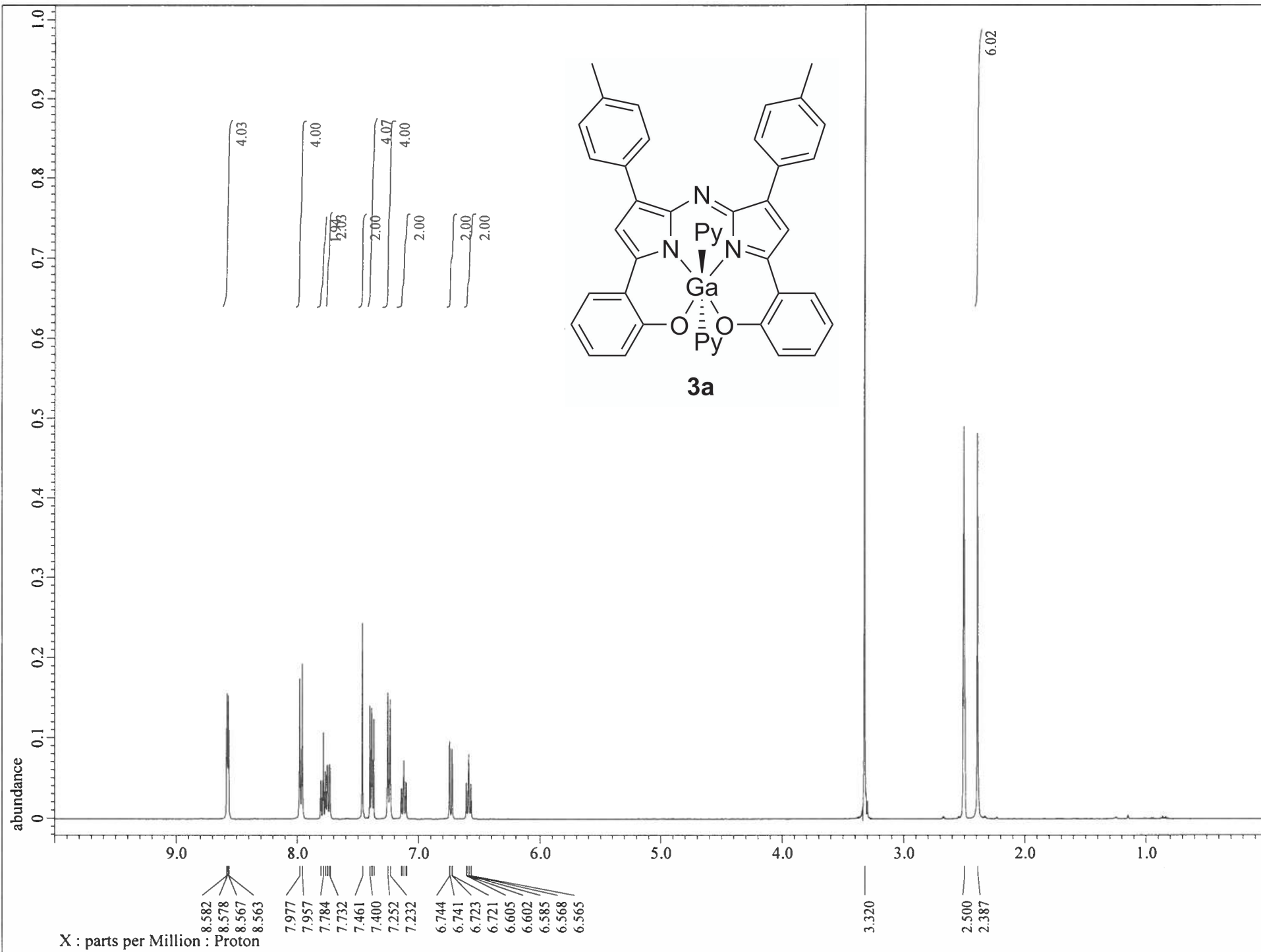


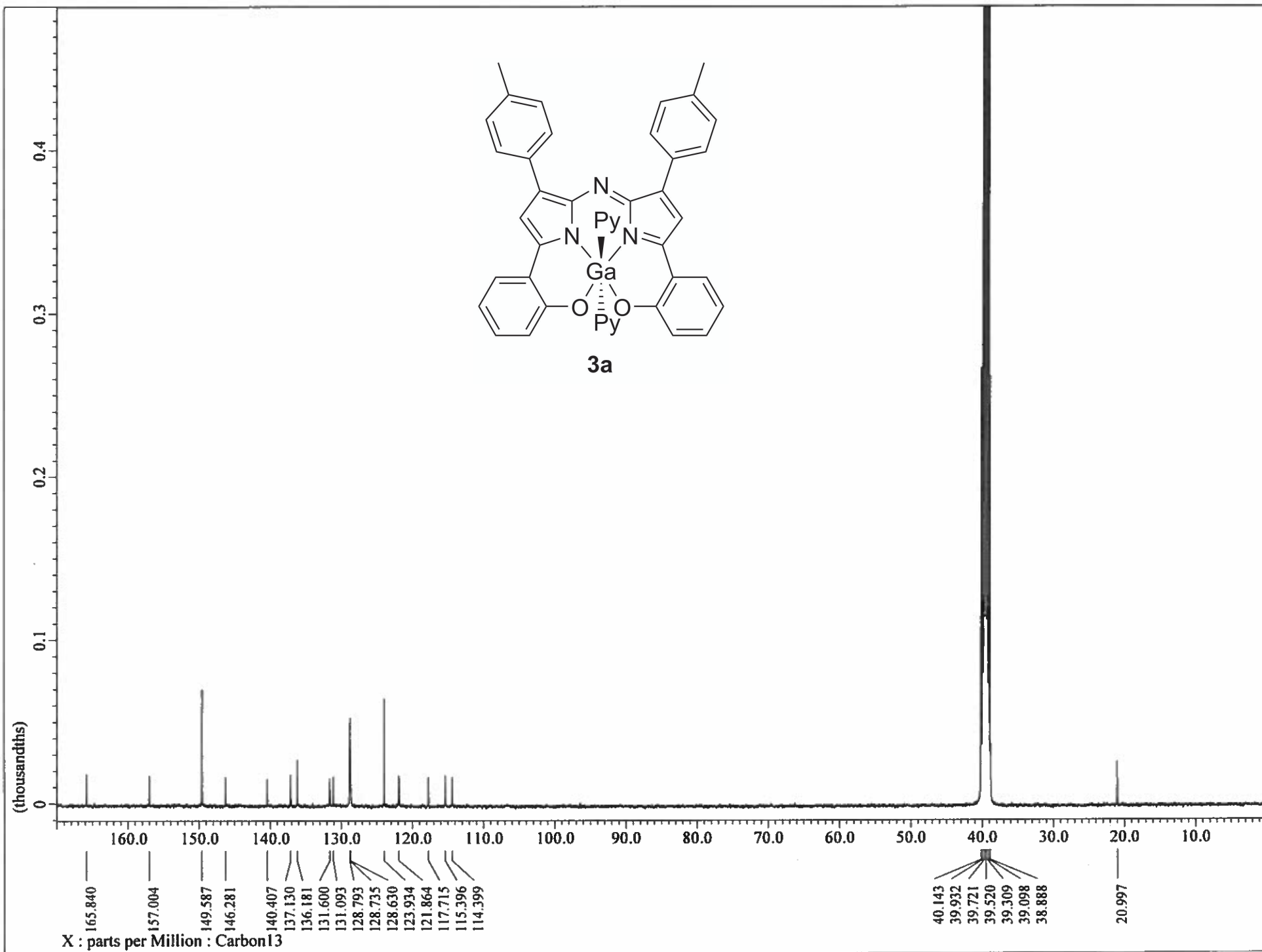
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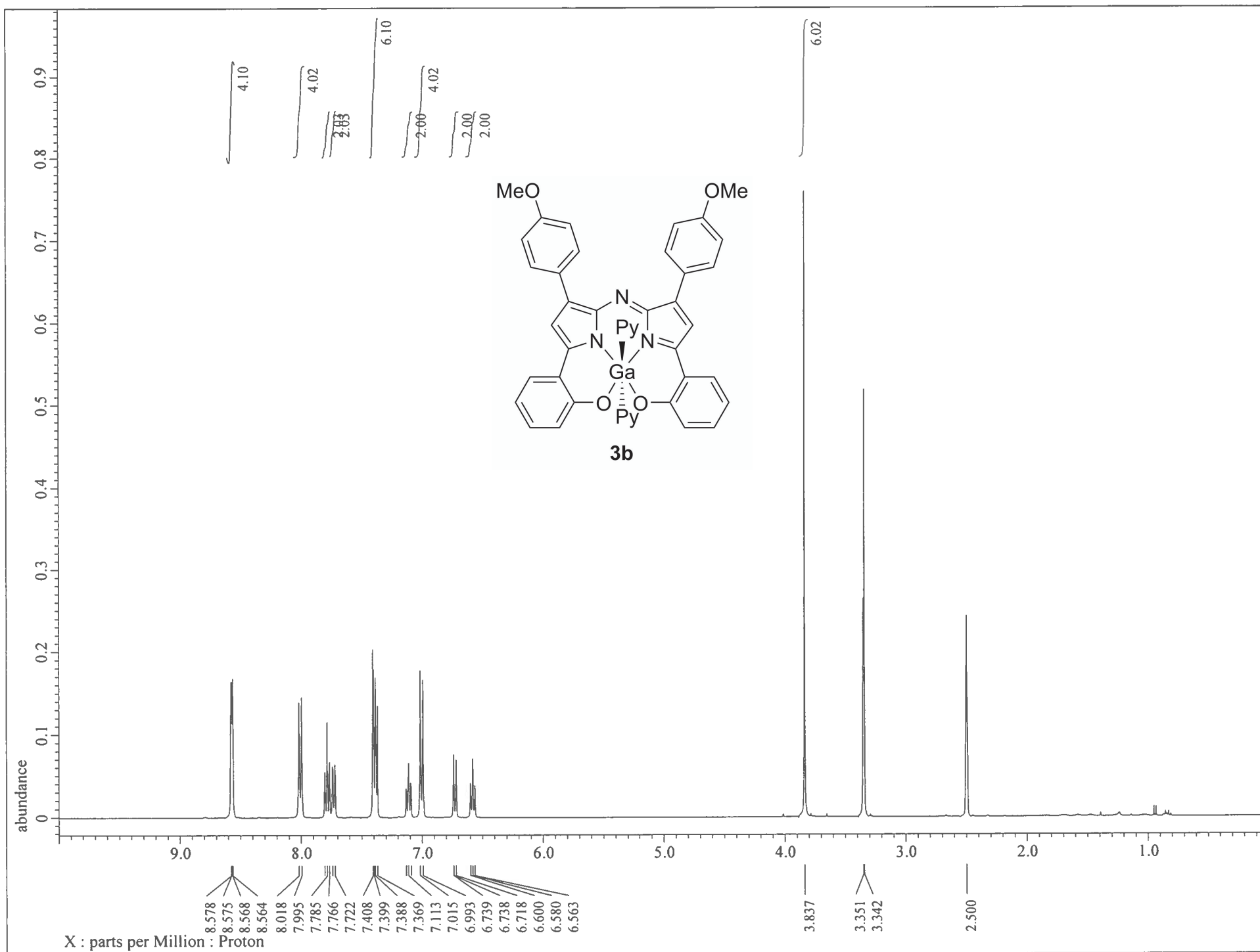


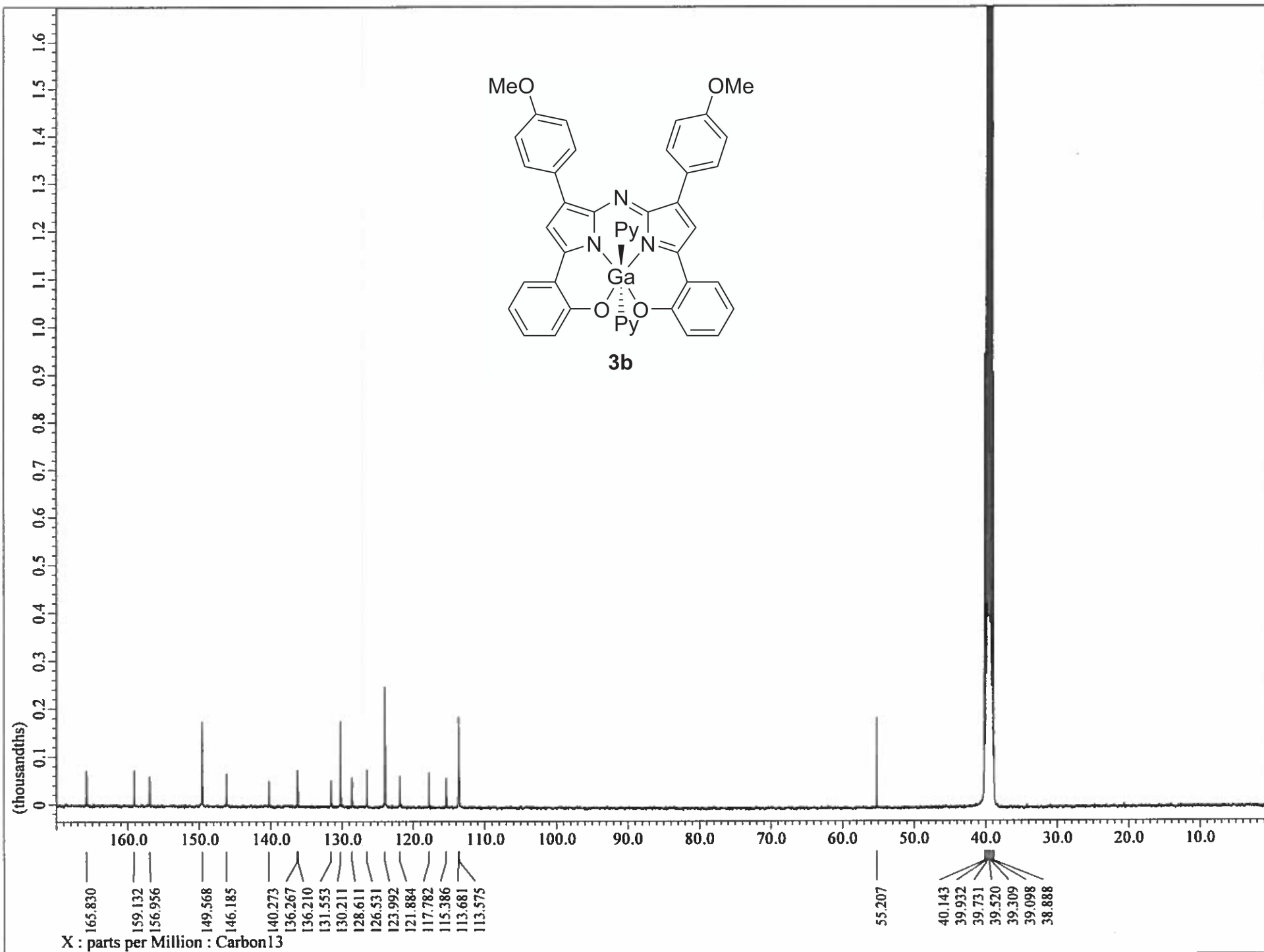


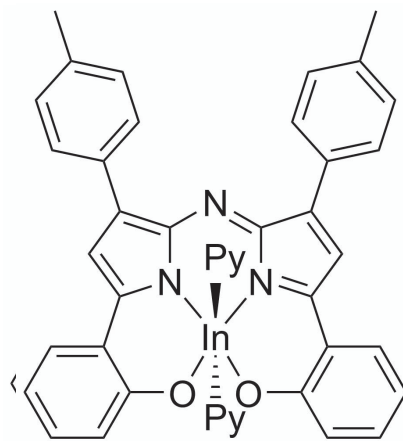




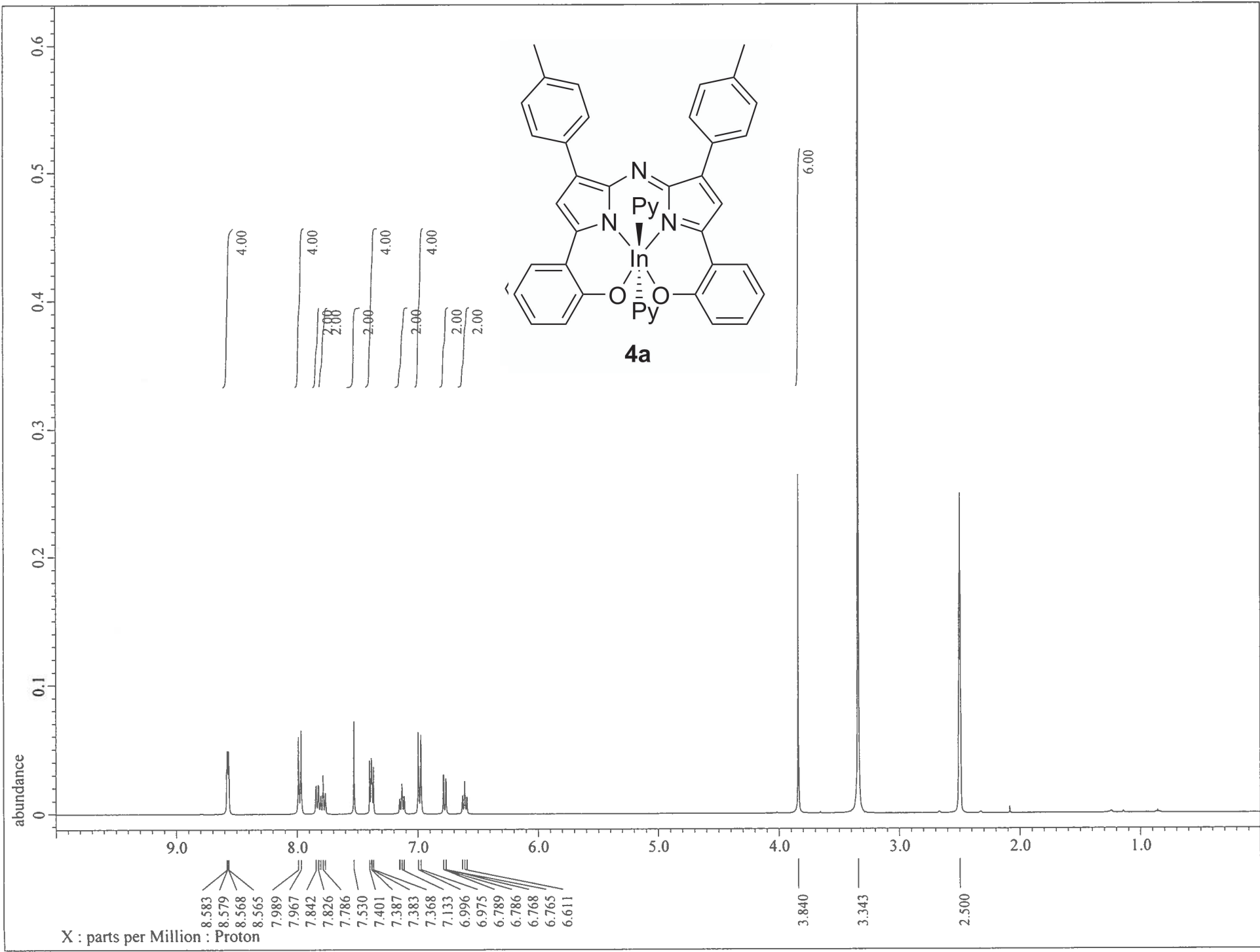


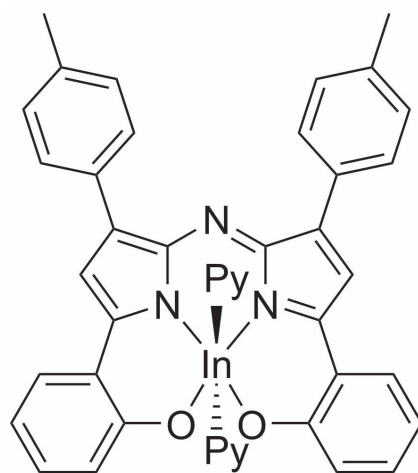






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