

# Supplementary Material

## Synthesis of 3-(*R*)- and 3-(*S*)-Hydroxyeicosapentaenoic Acid

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**Iodolactone 6:**

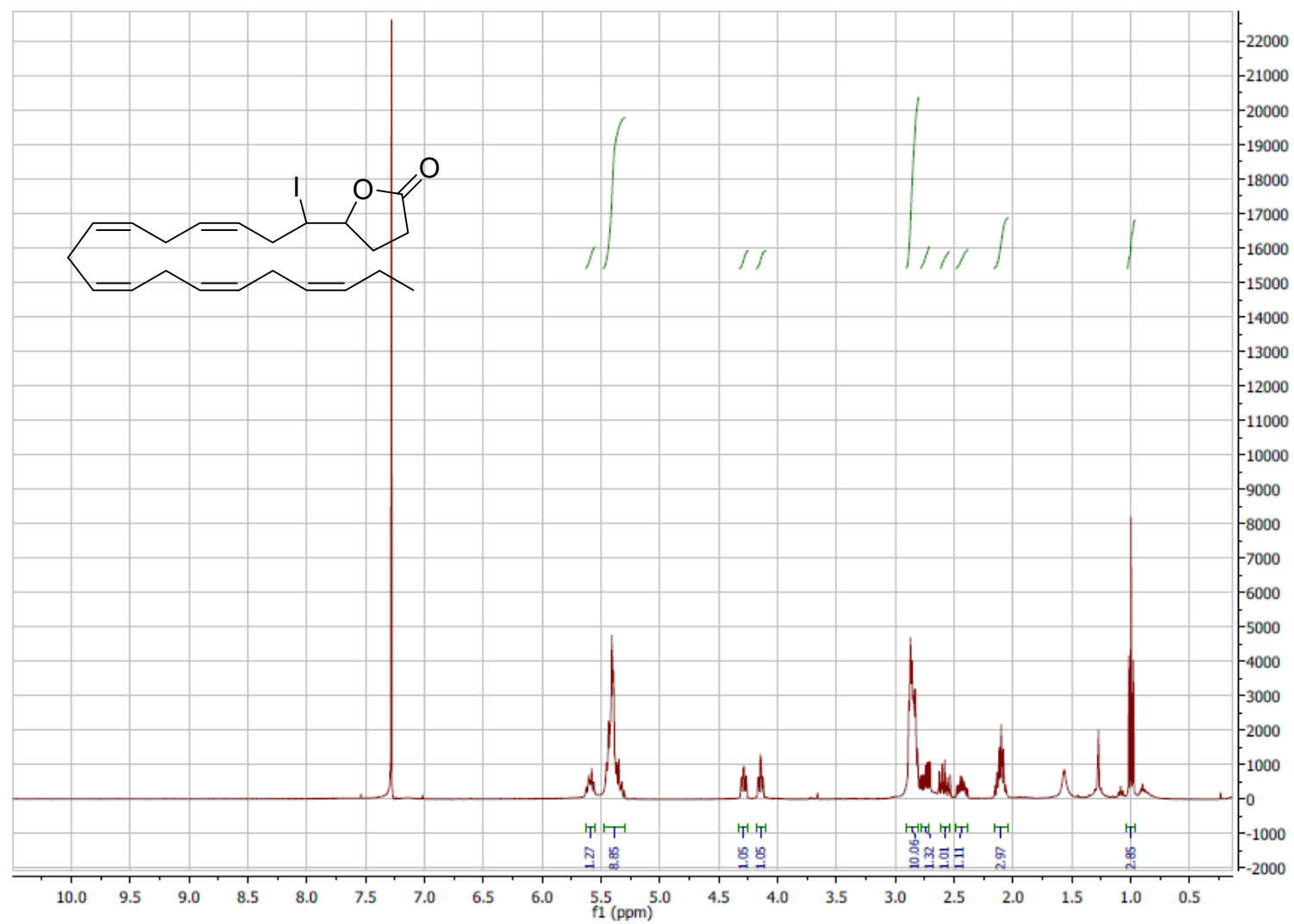


Figure S1  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of iodolactone 6.

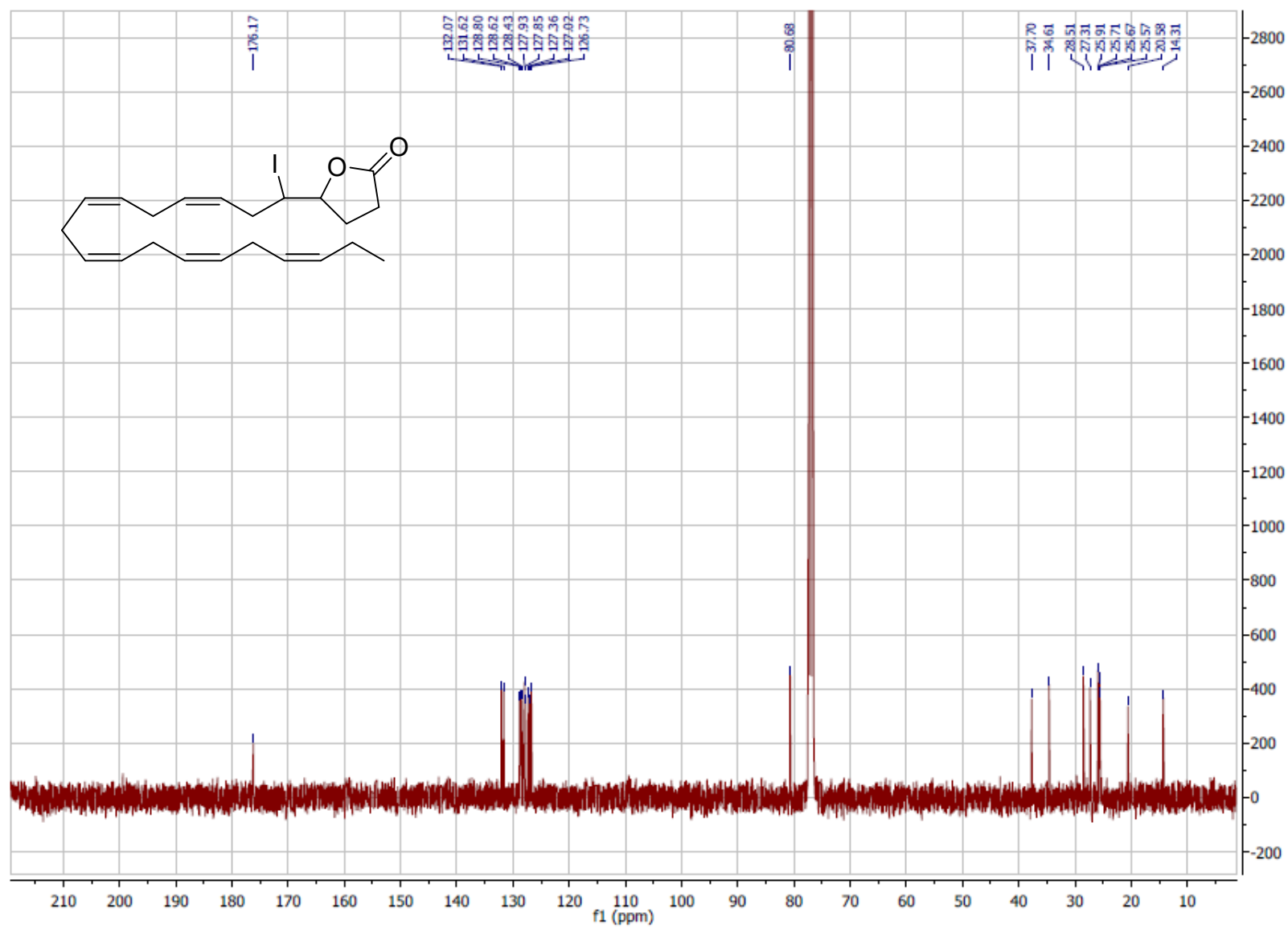


Figure S2  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of iodolactone 6.

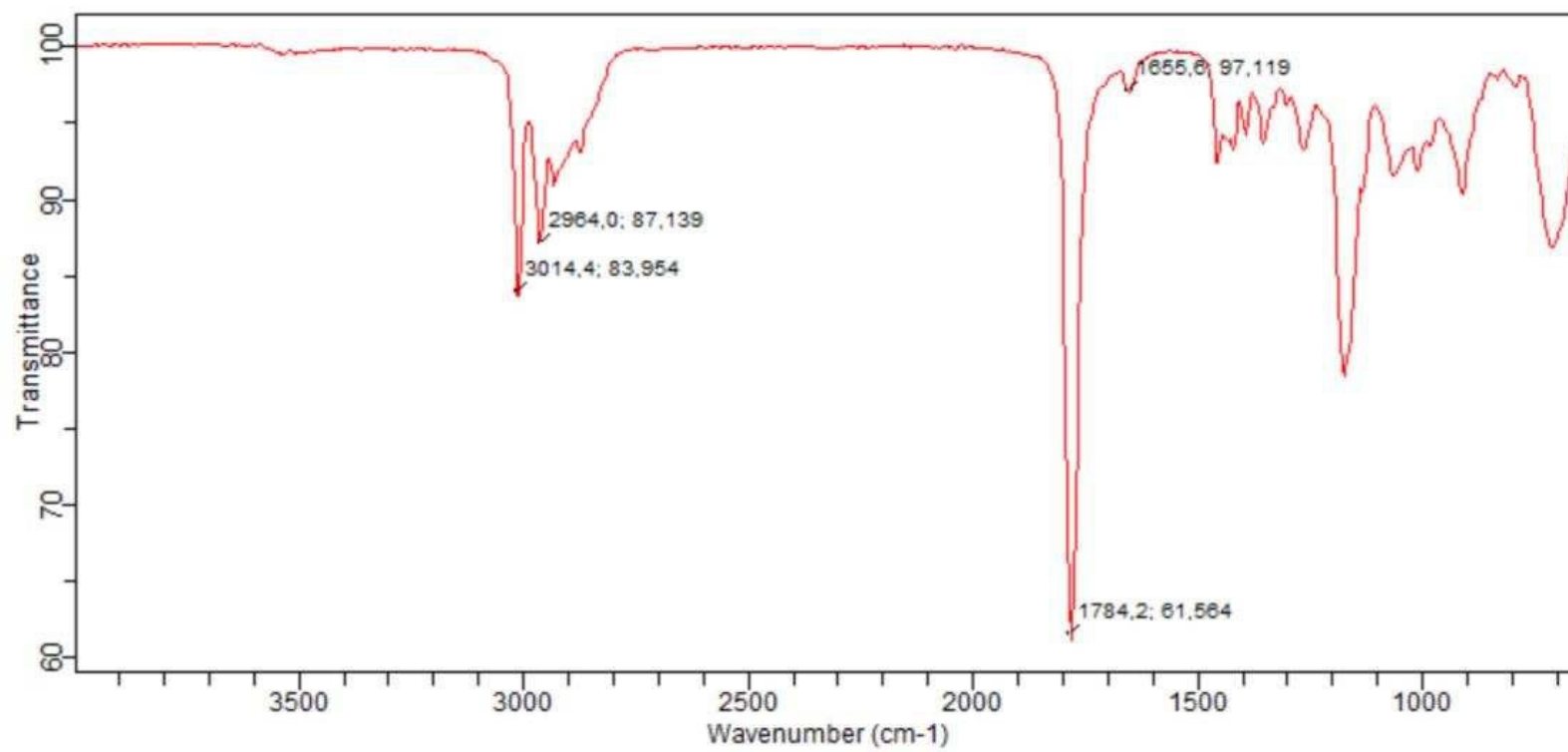


Figure S3 IR of iodolactone 6.

**Epoxide 7:**

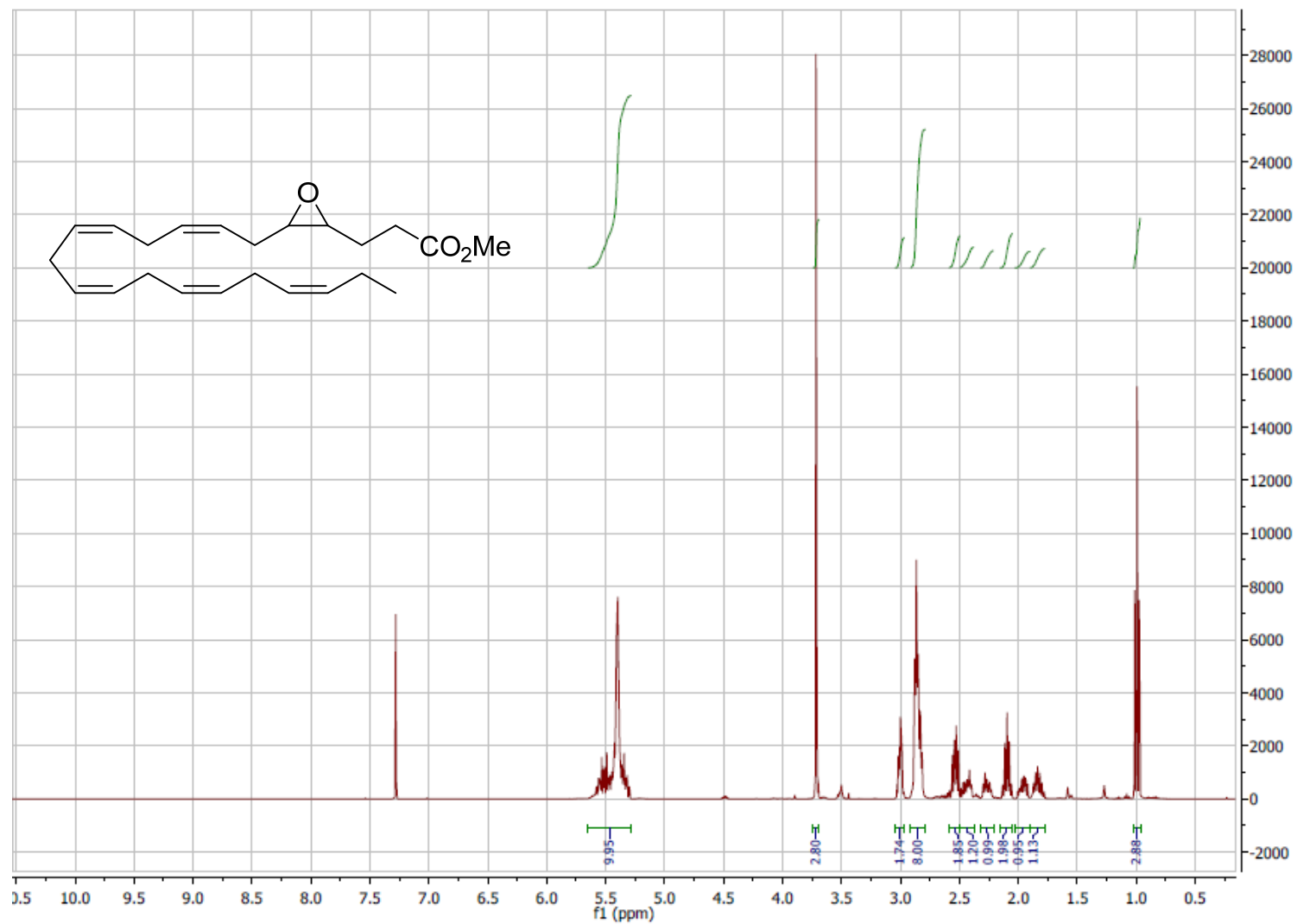


Figure S4  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of epoxide 7.

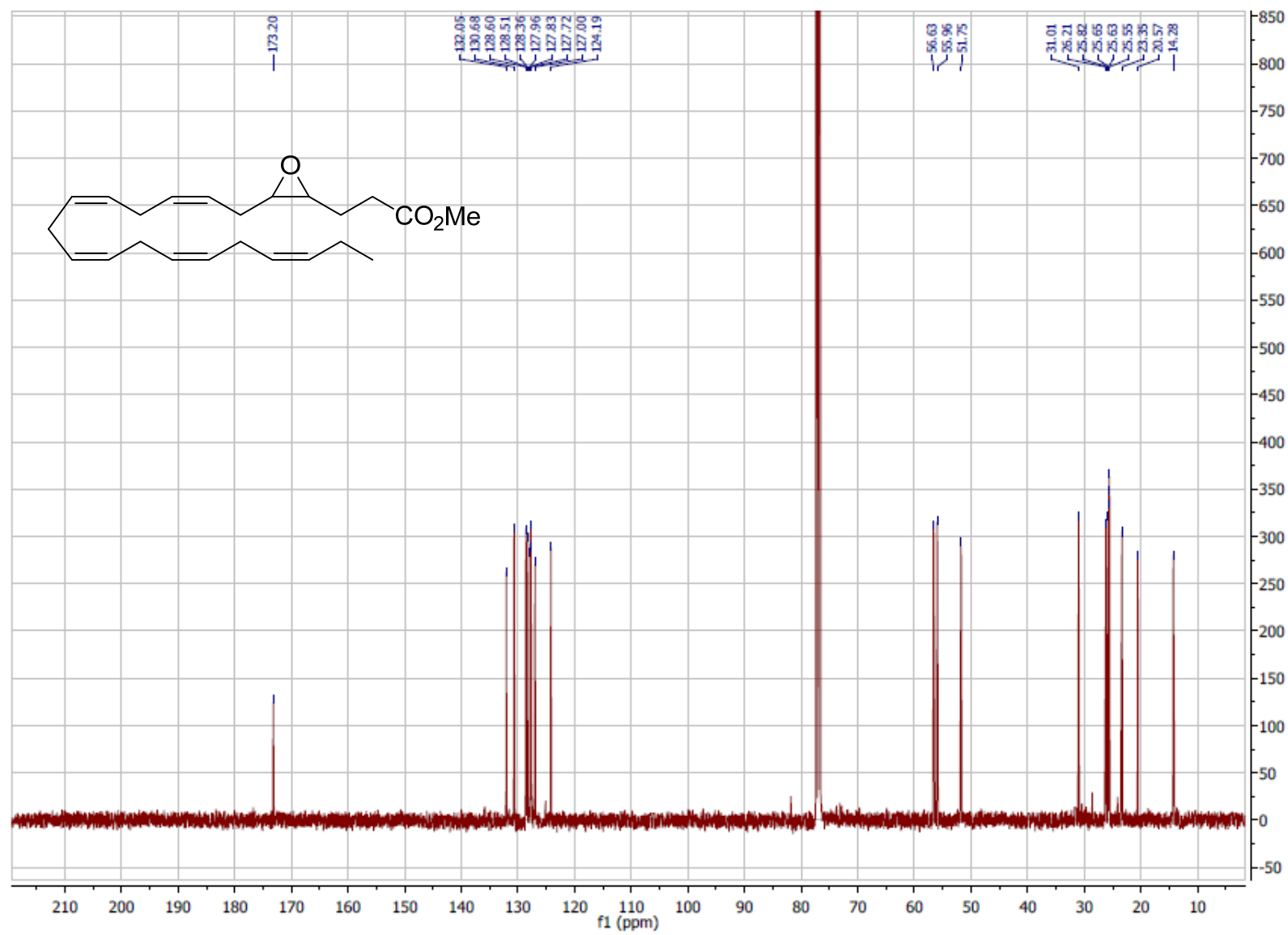


Figure S5  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of epoxide 7.

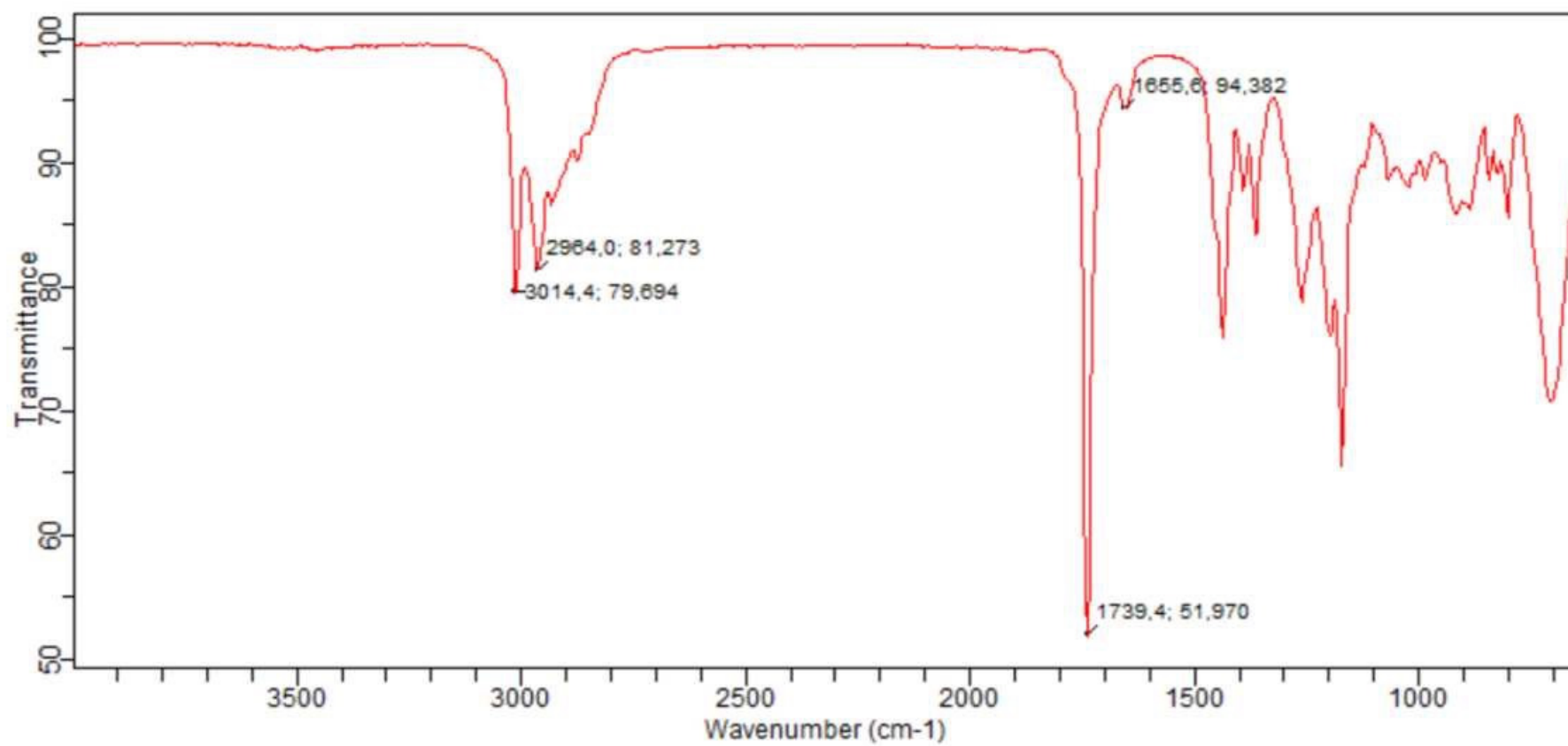


Figure S6 IR spectrum of epoxide 7

Acetal 8:

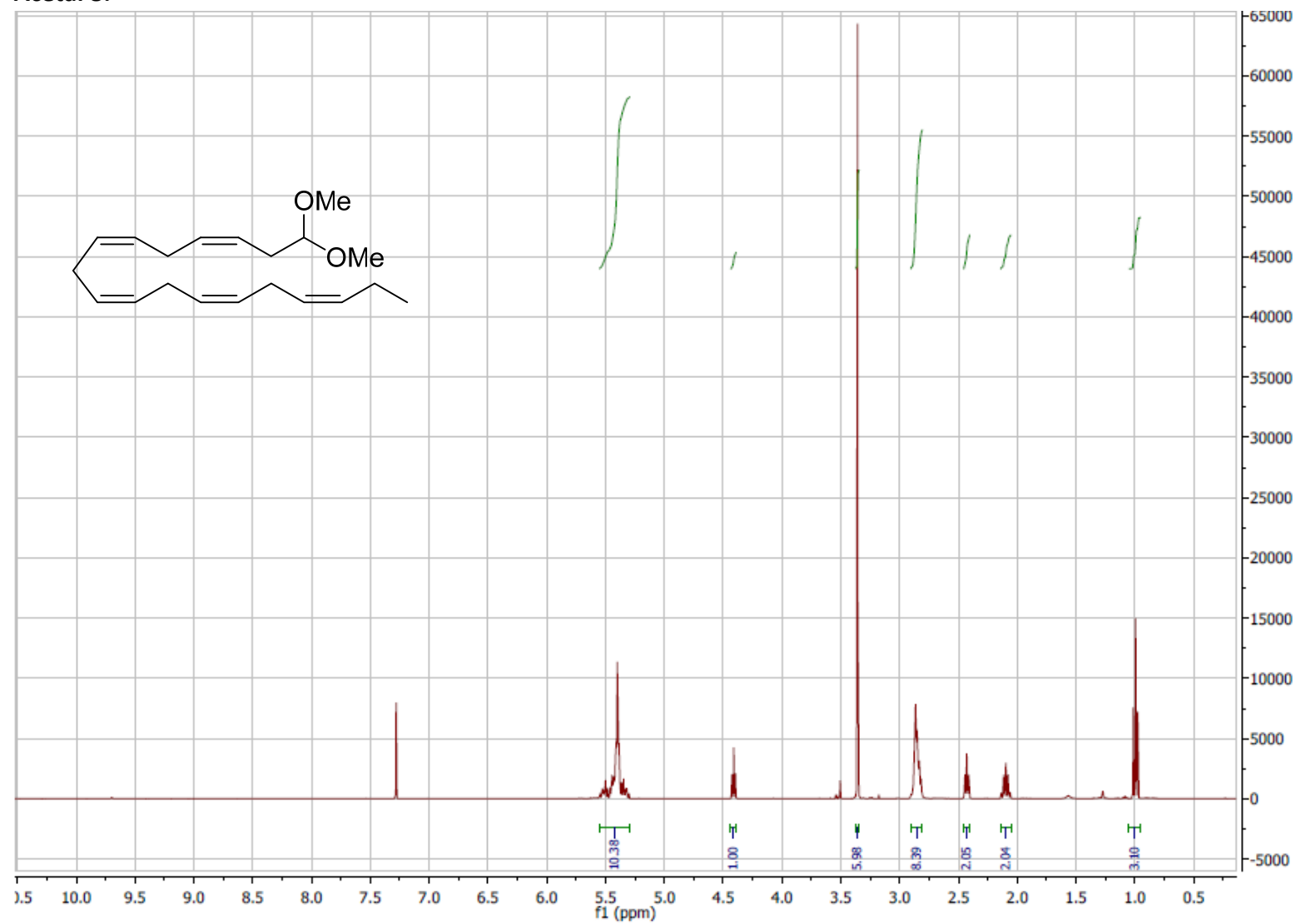


Figure S7  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of acetal 8.

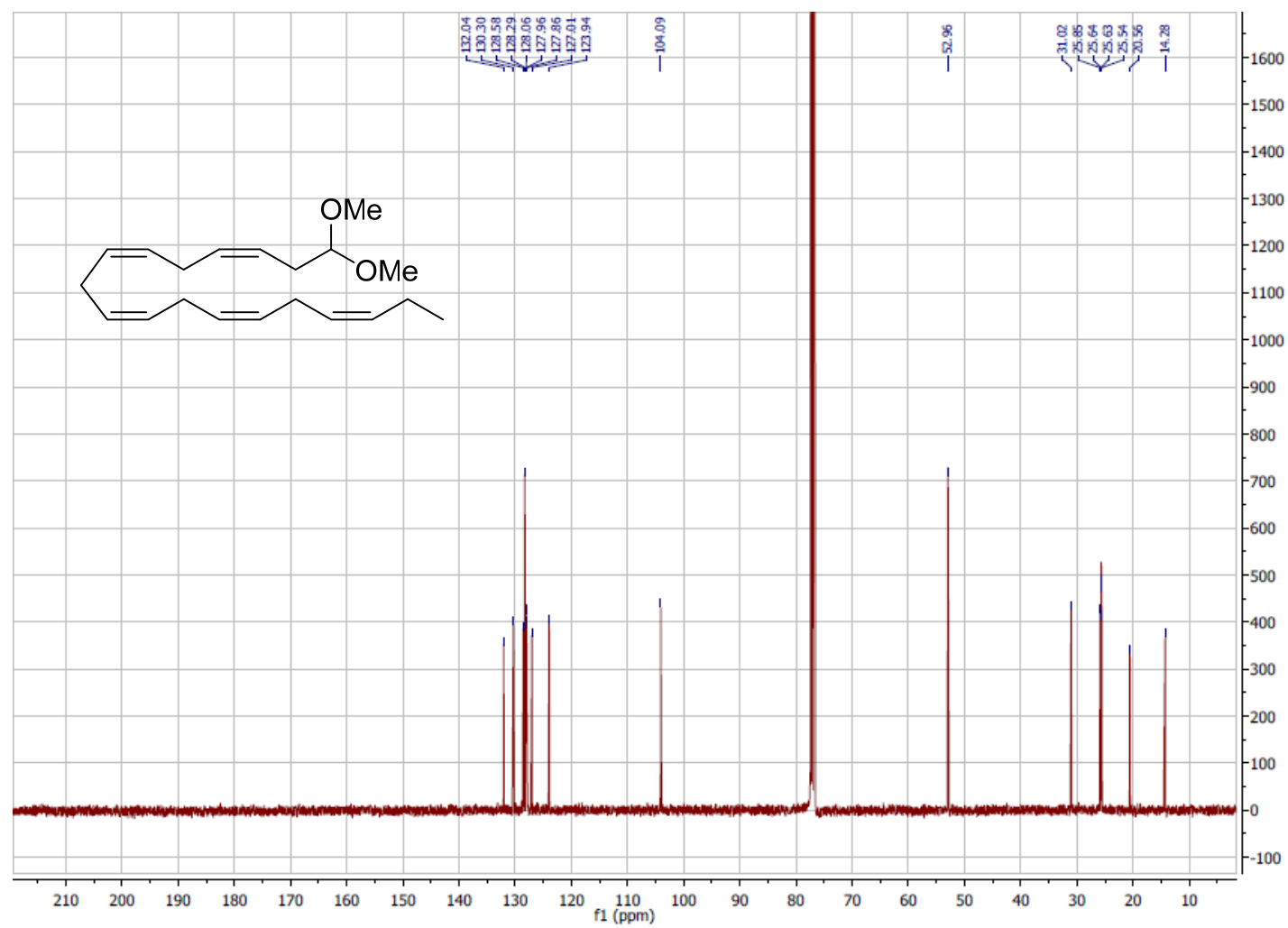


Figure S8 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of acetal 8.

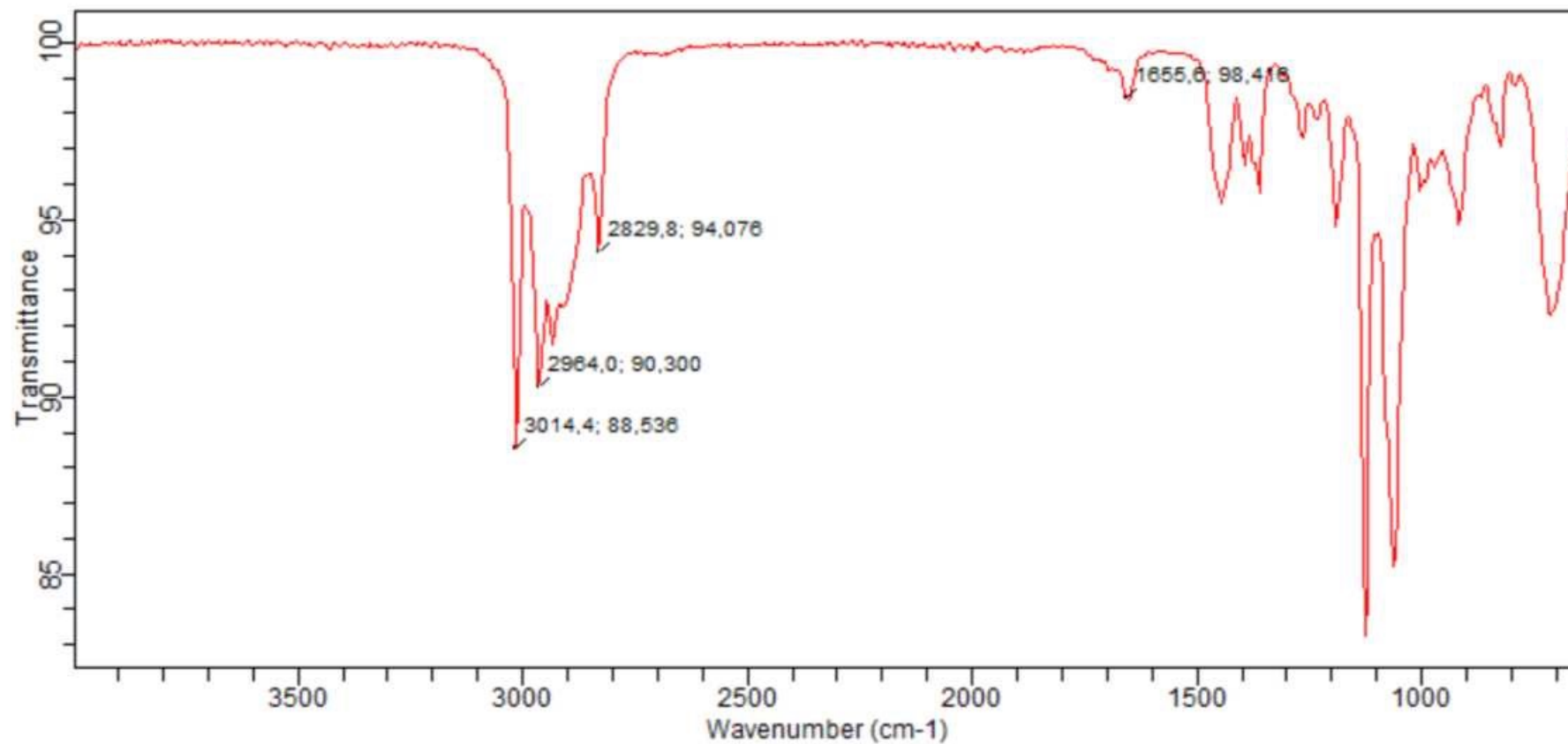


Figure S9 IR spectrum of acetal 8.

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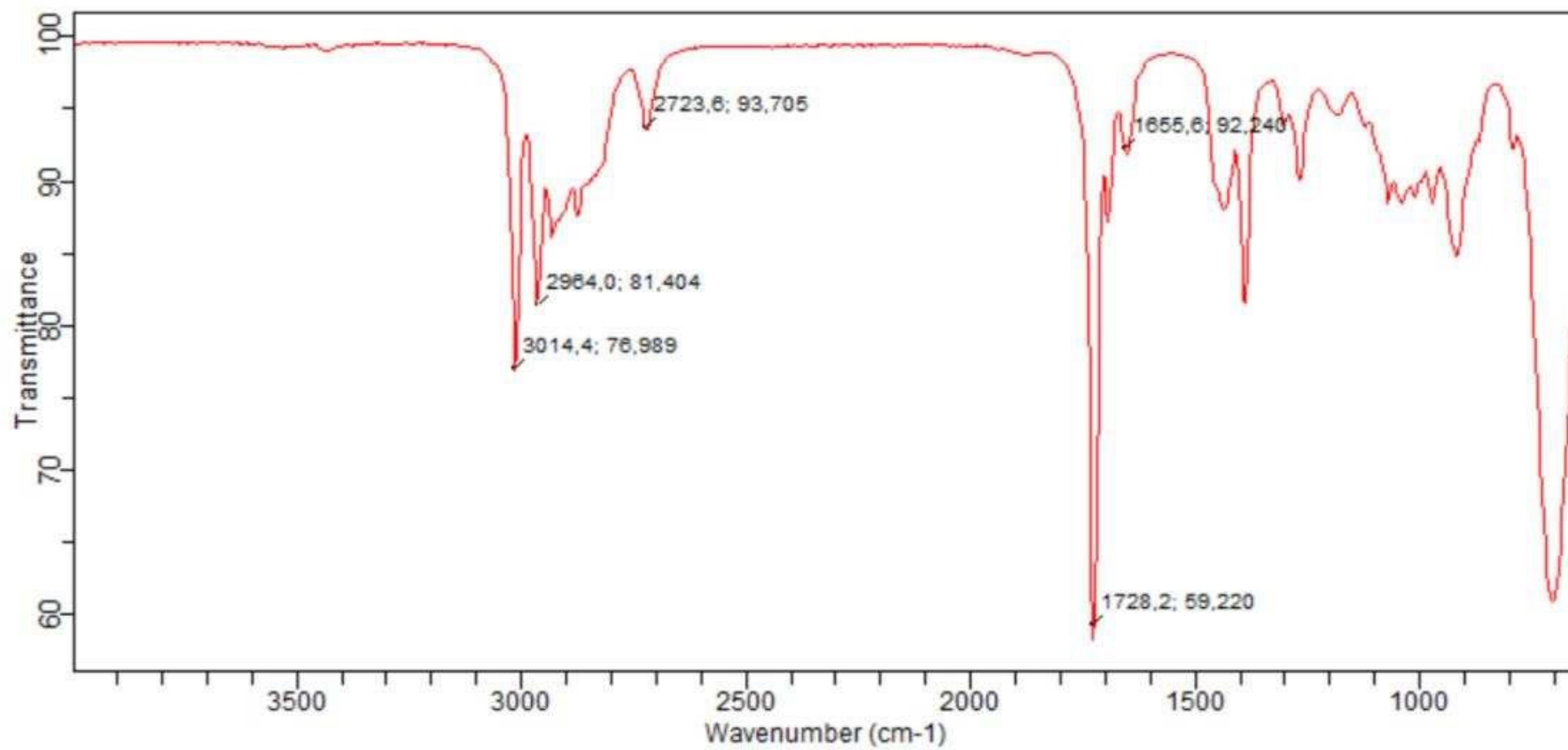


Figure S12 IR spectrum of aldehyde 27

**Auxiliary 5b:**

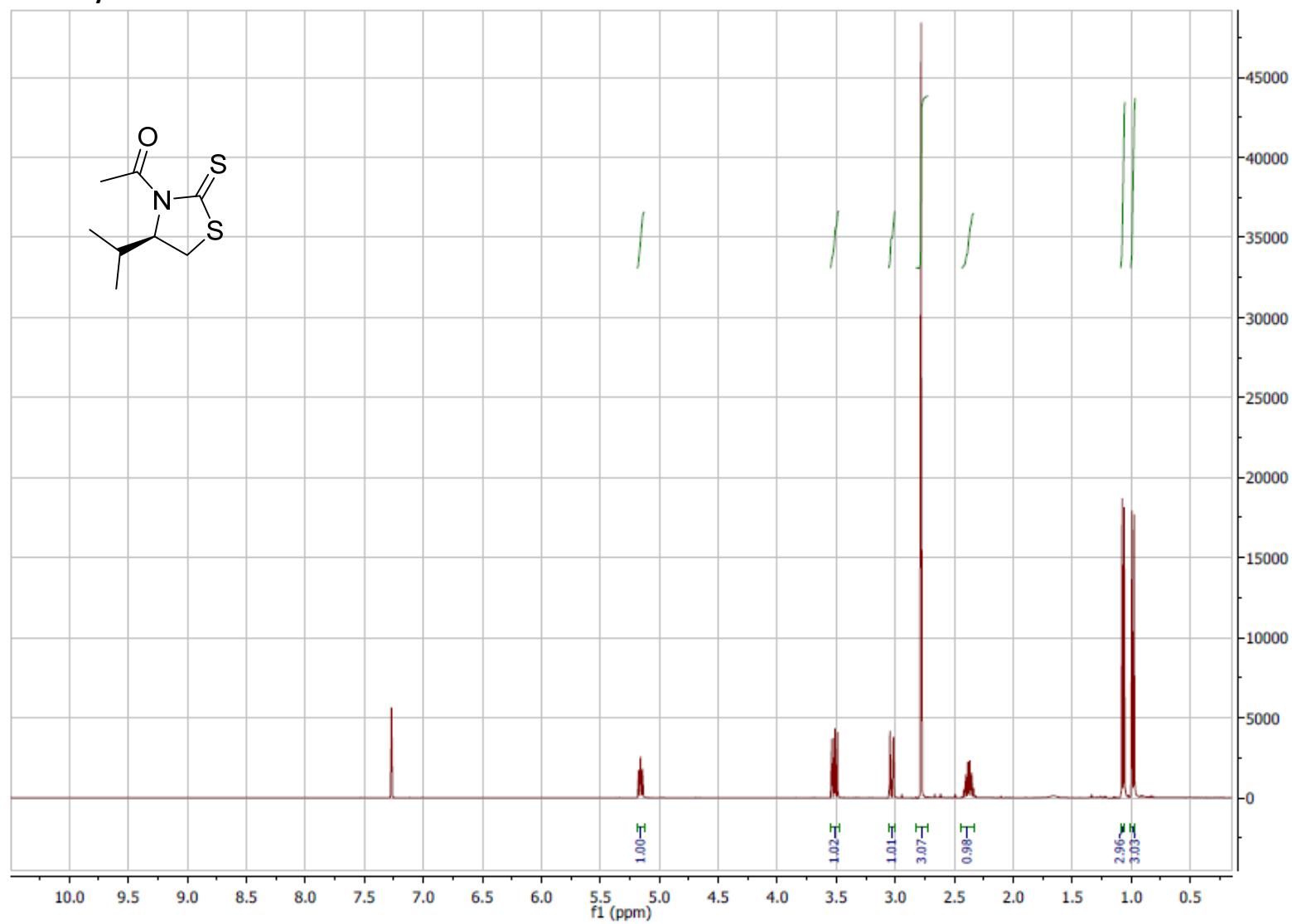


Figure S13 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of auxiliary 5b.

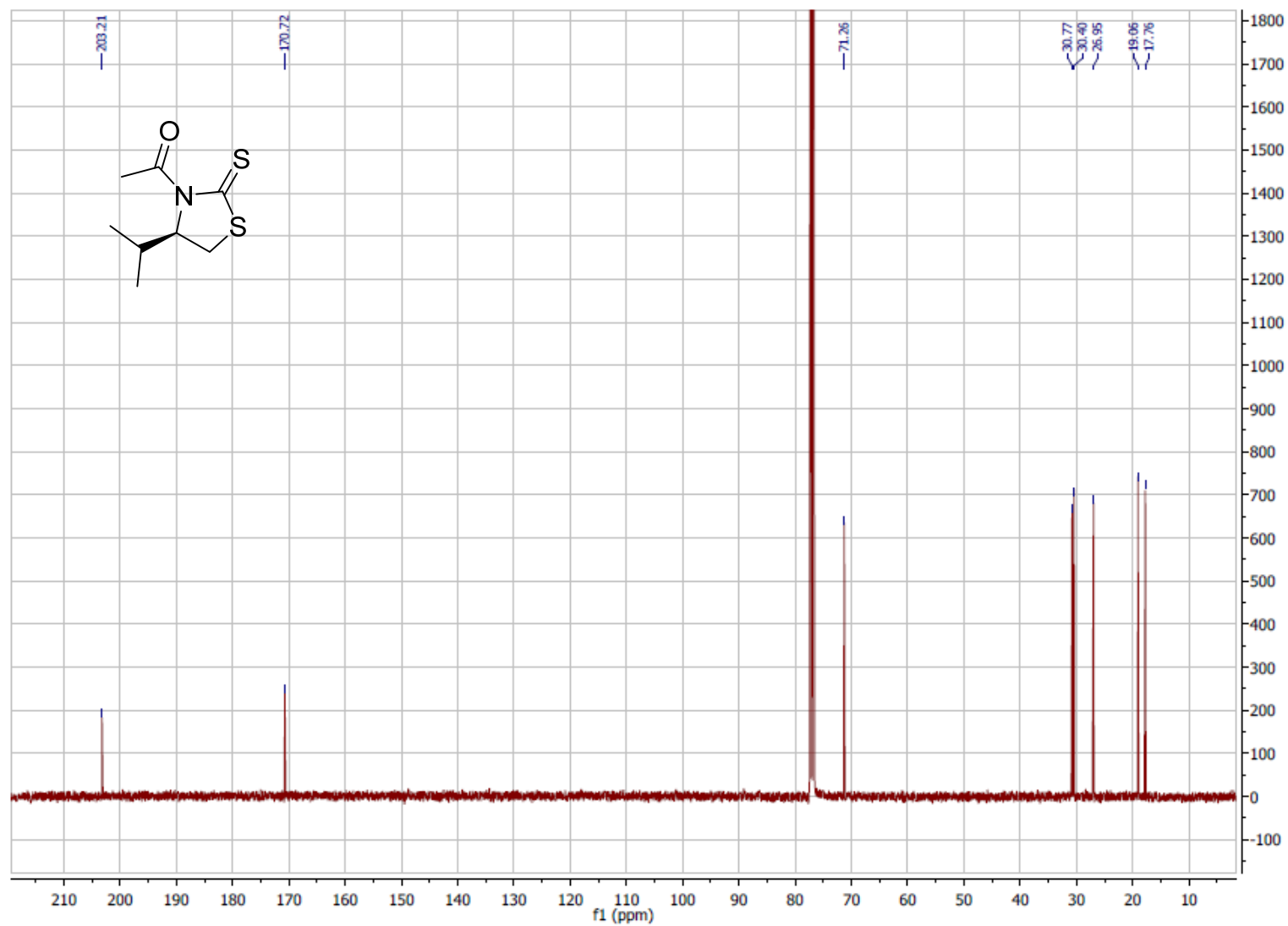


Figure S14 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of auxiliary 5b.

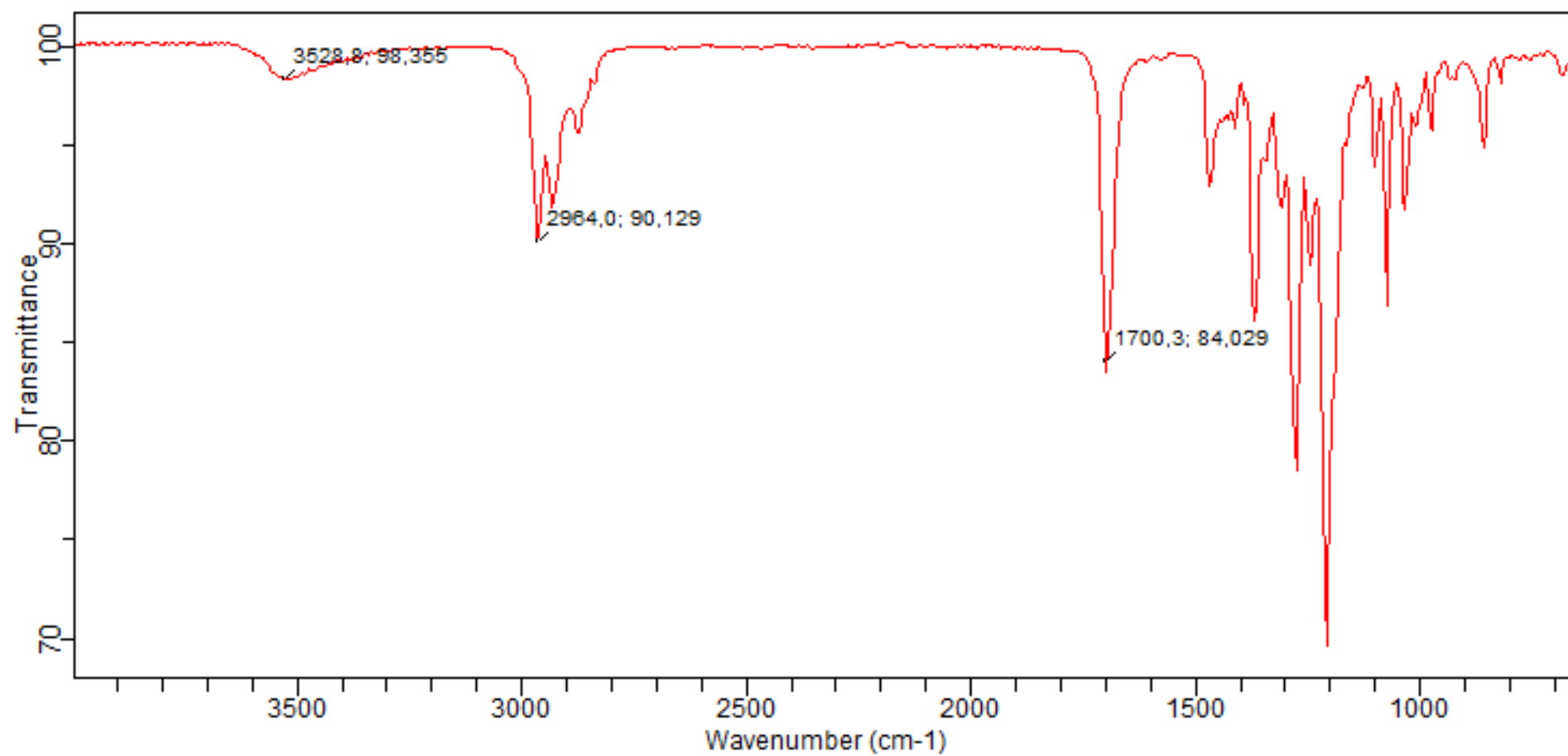


Figure S15 IR spectrum of auxiliary 5b.

**Aldol products 9b:**

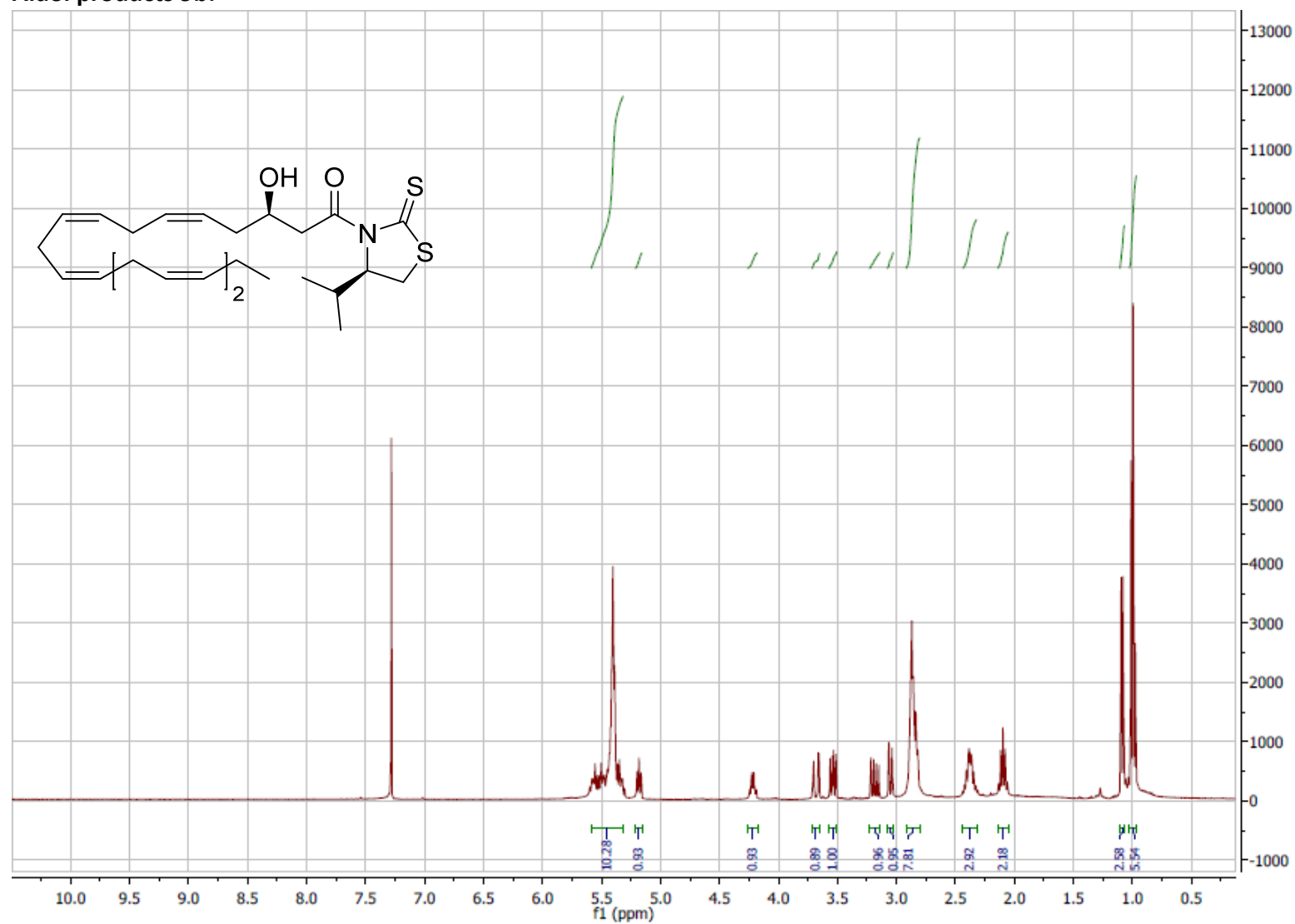


Figure S16  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of major aldol product (R)-9b

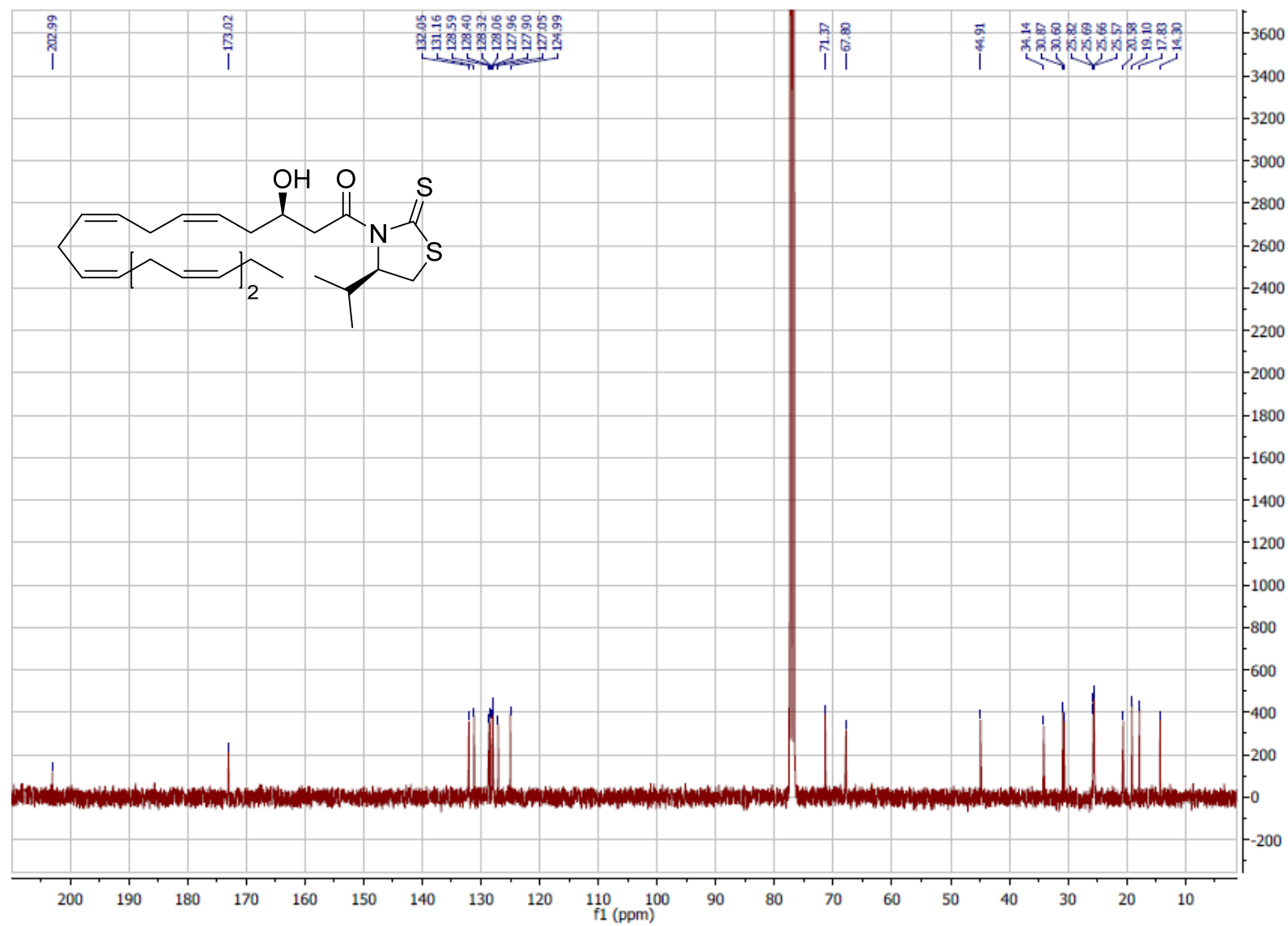


Figure S17 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of major aldol product (R)-9b.

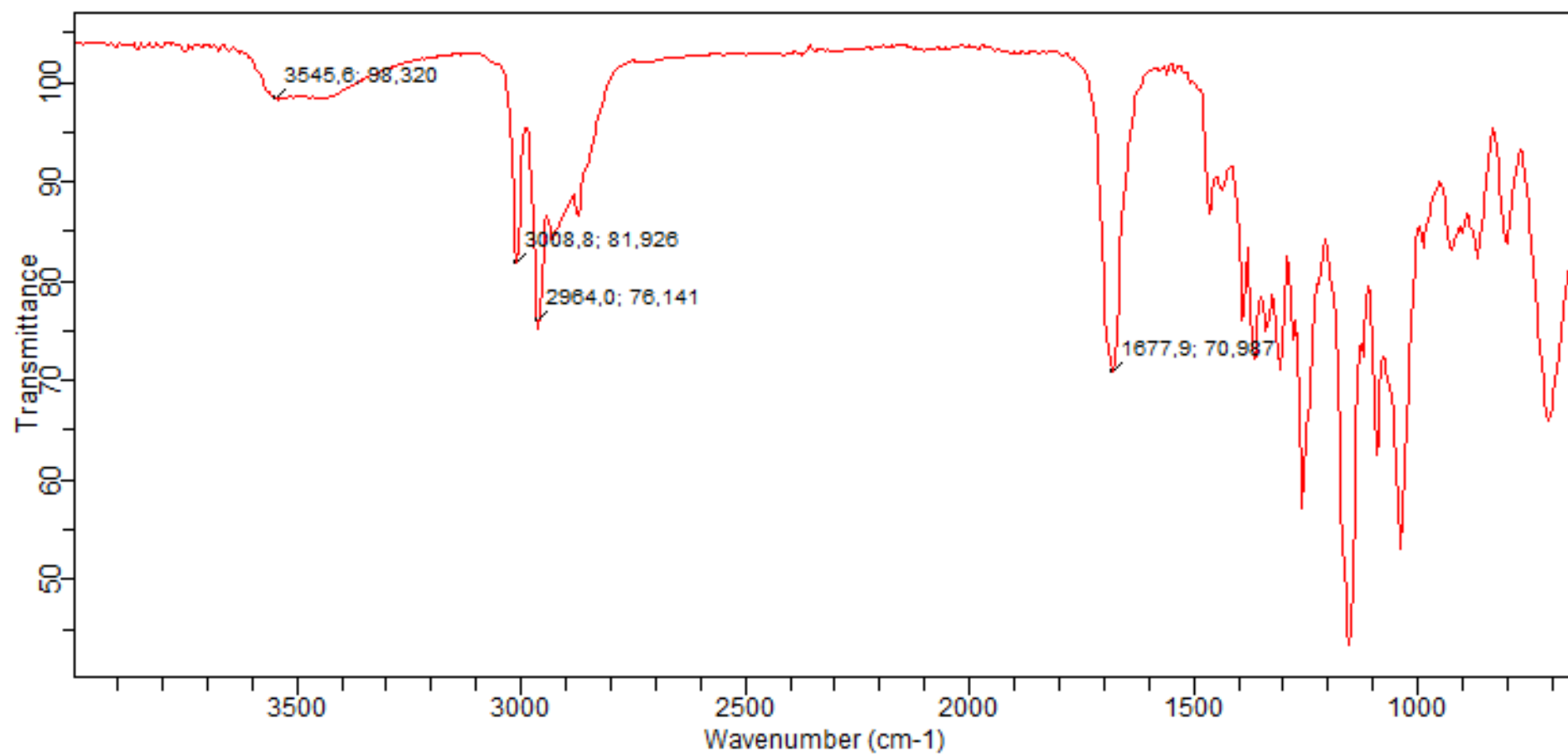


Figure S18 IR spectrum of major aldol product (R)-9b.

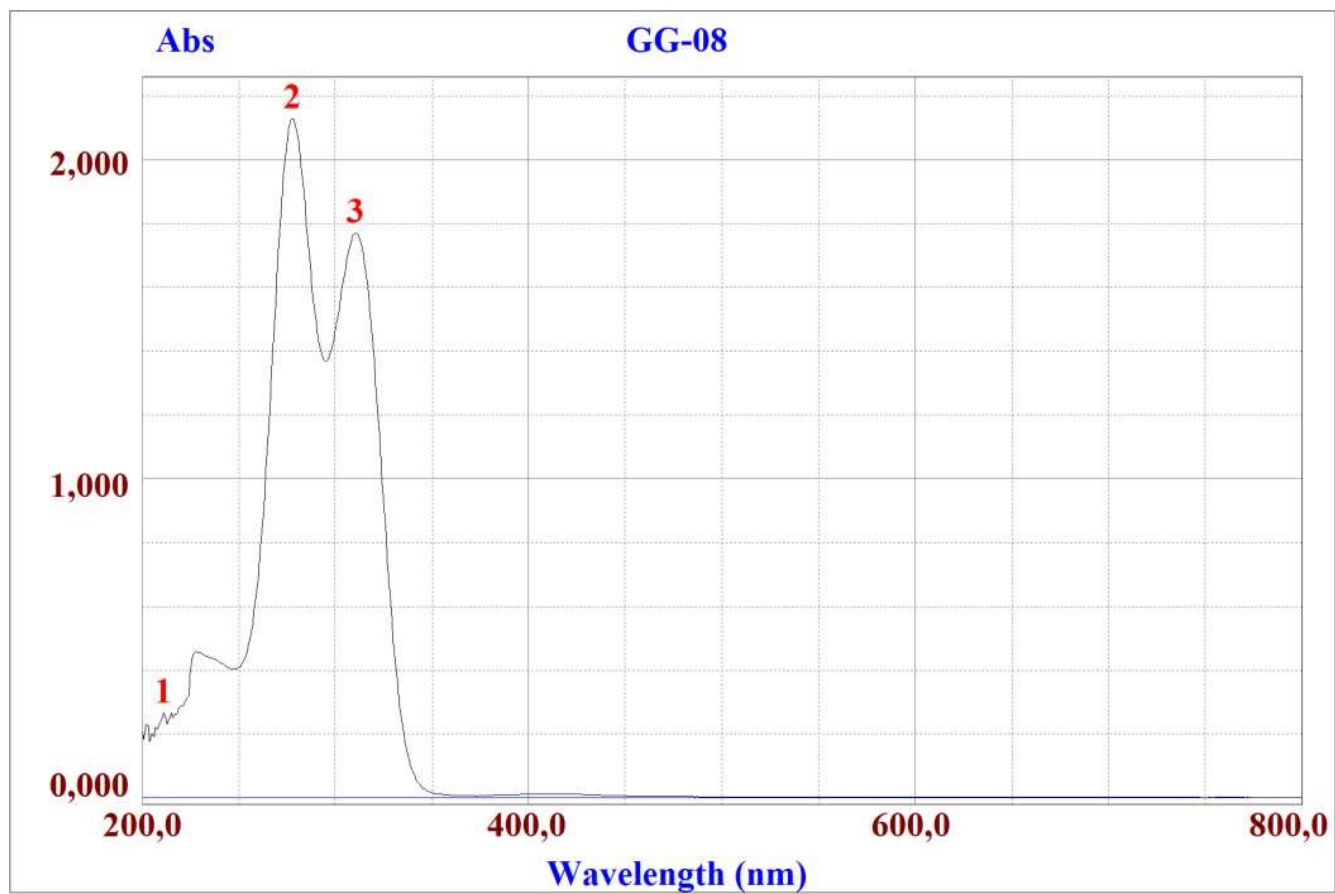


Figure S19 UV spectrum of major aldol product (R)-9b.

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### Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 10.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0

Isotope cluster parameters: Separation = 1.0 Abundance = 1.0%

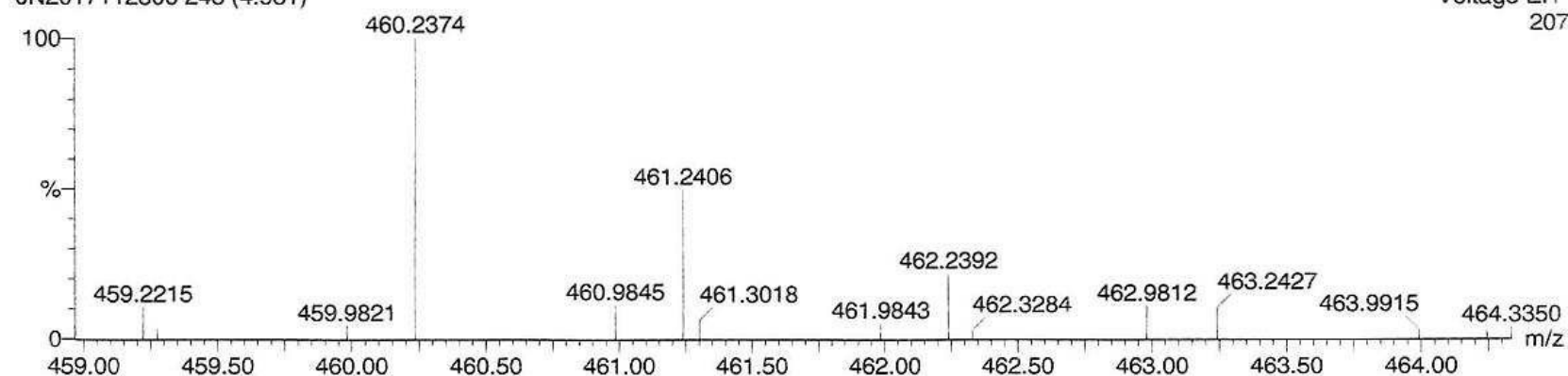
Monoisotopic Mass, Odd and Even Electron Ions

32 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 50 closest results for each mass)

GG-Ma 461,24

JN2017112806 248 (4.981)

Voltage EI+  
207



Minimum: -1.5  
Maximum: 200.0 10.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
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Figure S20 MS of major aldol product (R)-9b.



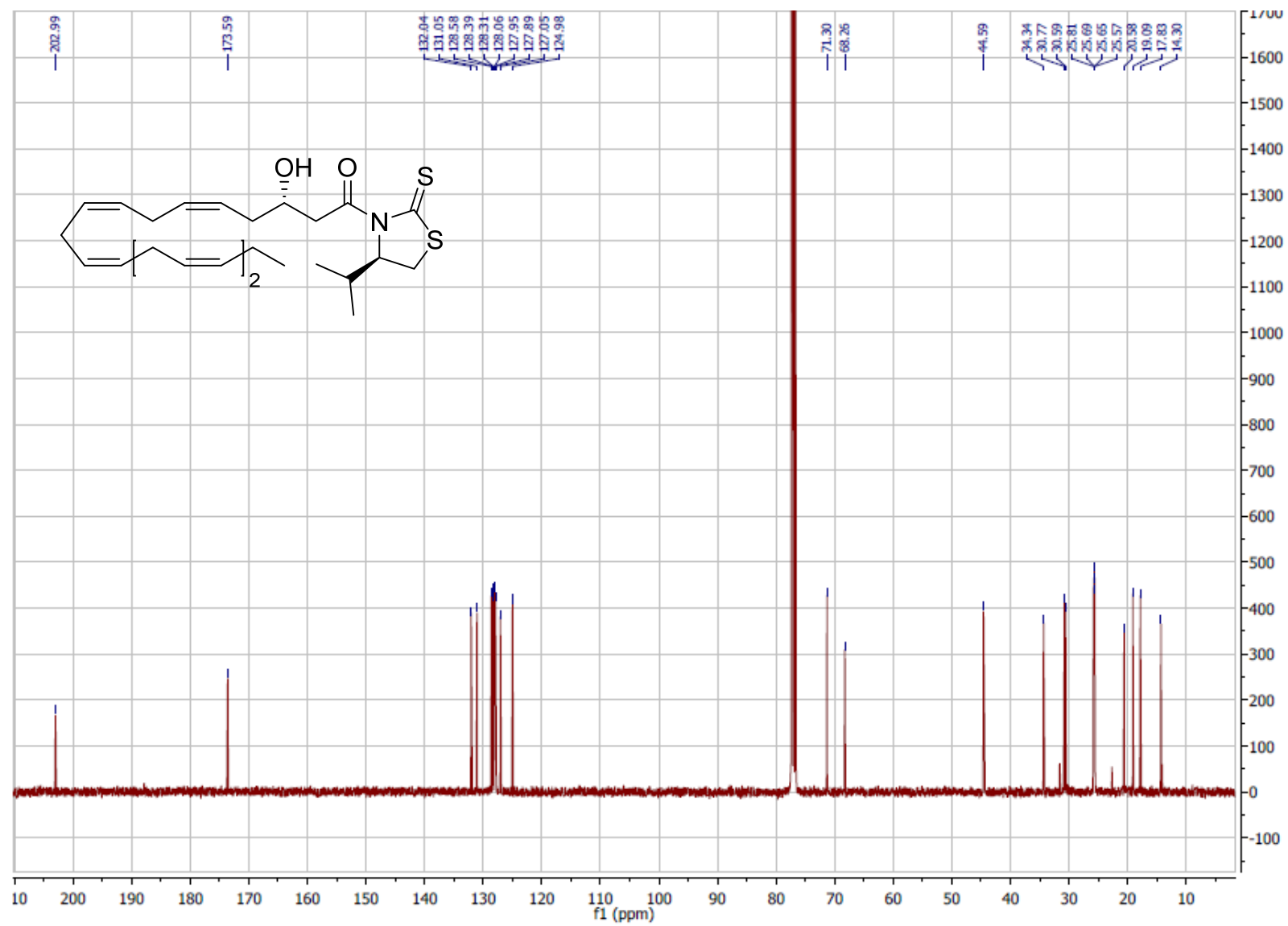


Figure S22 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of minor aldol product (S)-9b.

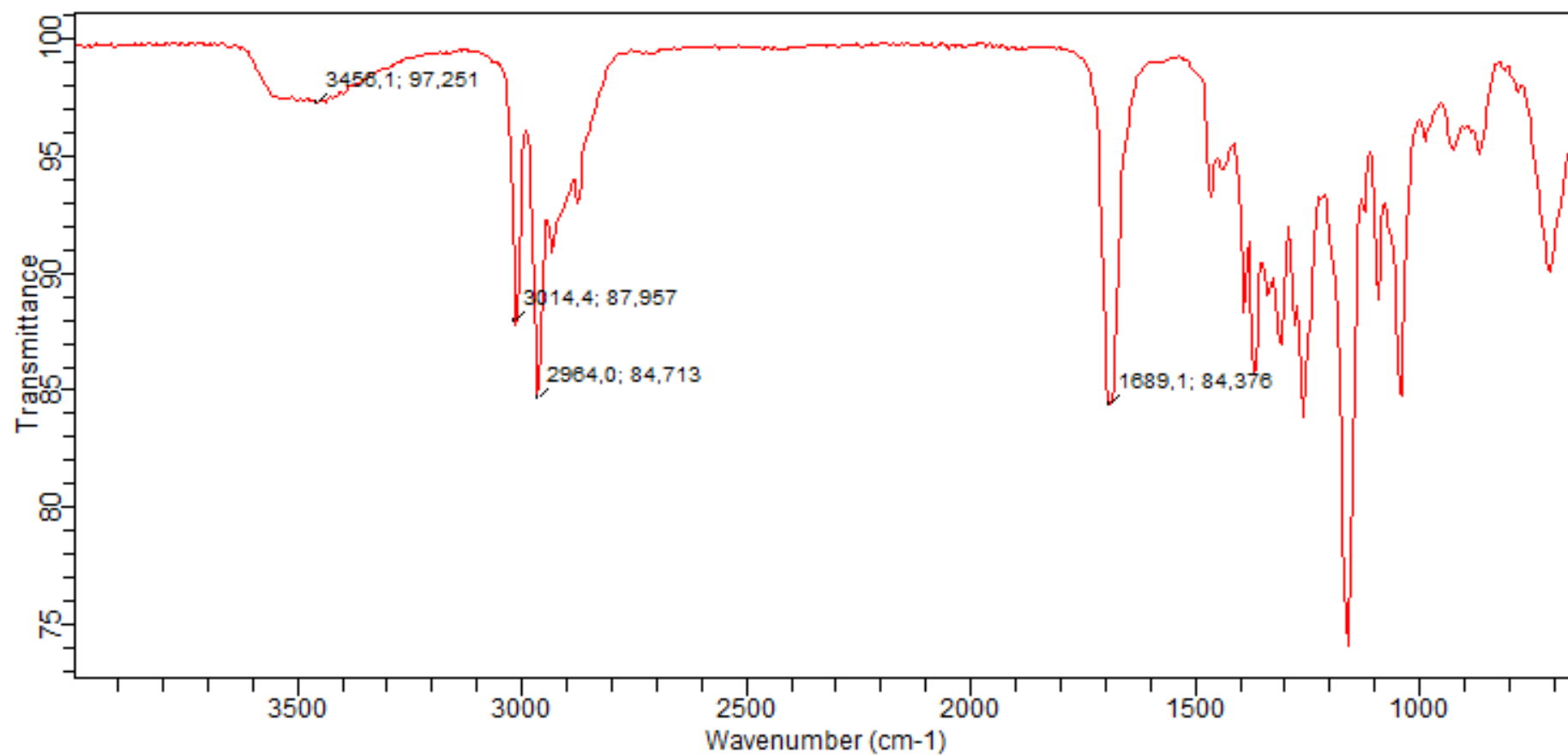


Figure S23 IR spectrum of minor aldol product (S)-9b.

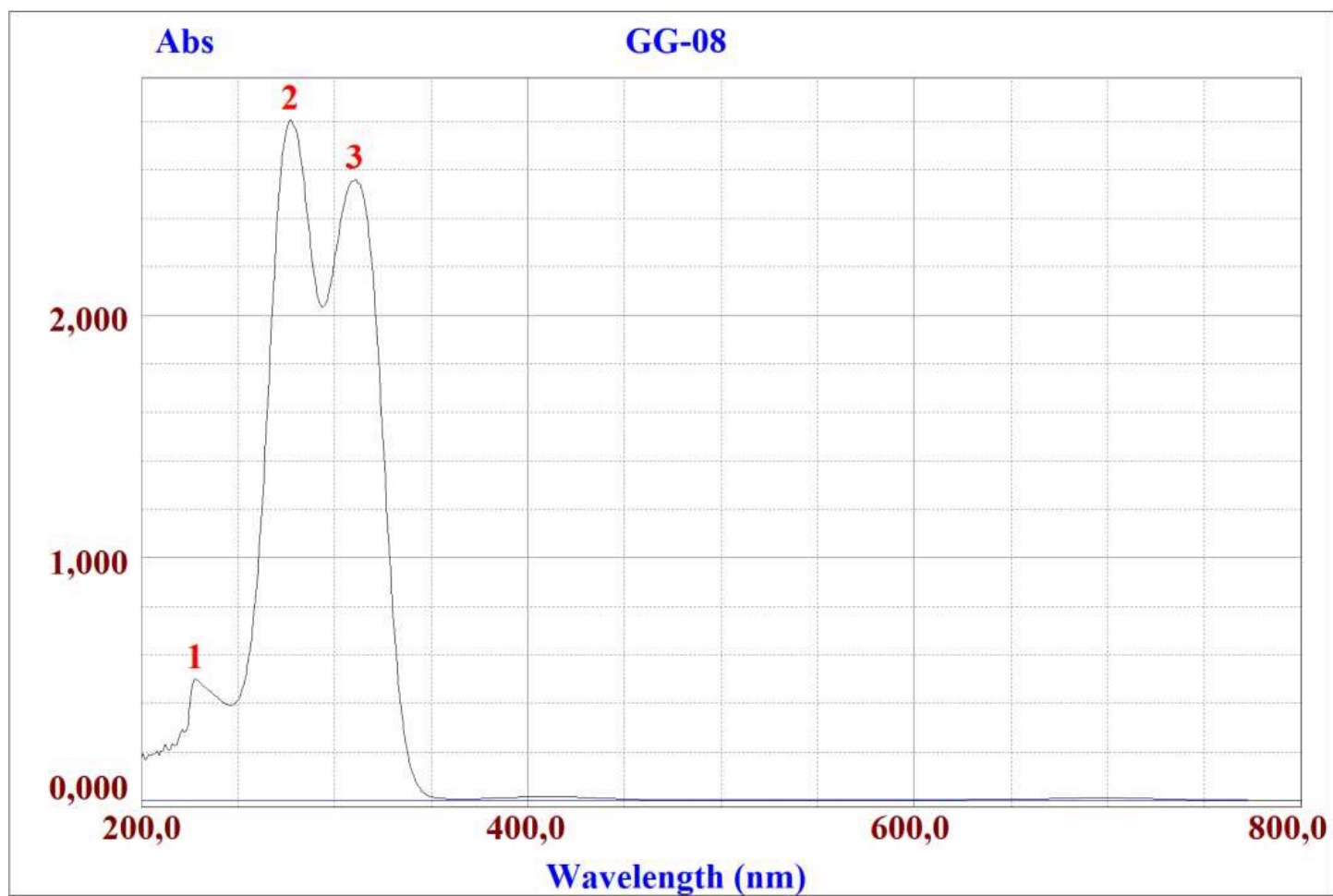


Figure S24 UV spectrum of minor aldol product (S)-9b.

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### Single Mass Analysis

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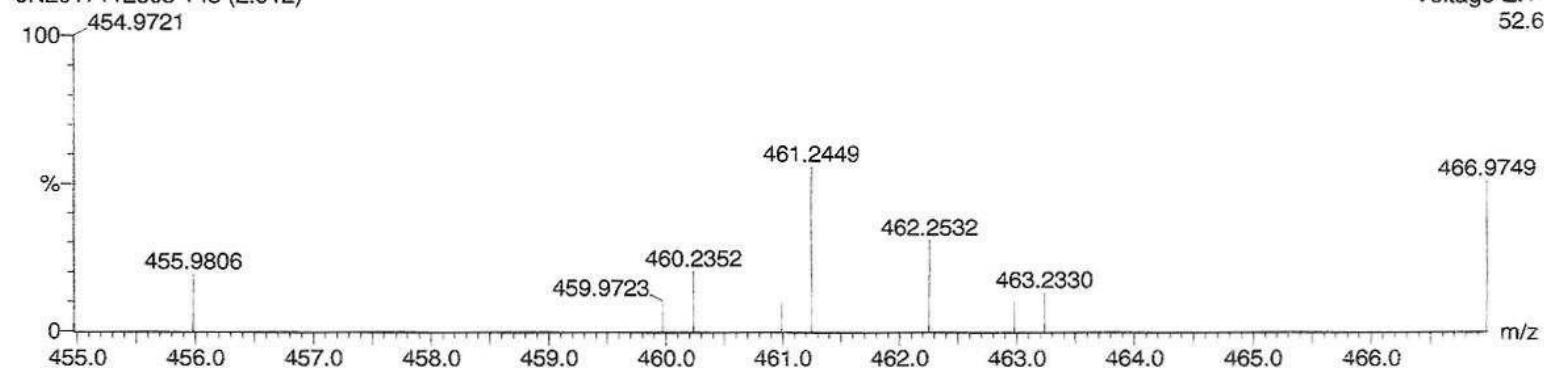
Isotope cluster parameters: Separation = 1.0 Abundance = 1.0%

Monoisotopic Mass, Odd and Even Electron Ions

32 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 50 closest results for each mass)

GG-Mi 461.24

JN2017112805 145 (2.912)



Voltage EI+  
52.6

Minimum: -1.5  
Maximum: 200.0 10.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
461.2449	461.2422	2.7	5.8	8.0	1	C26 H39 N O2 S2

Figure S25 HRMS of minor aldol product (S)-9b.

**TBS protected aldol product 10:**

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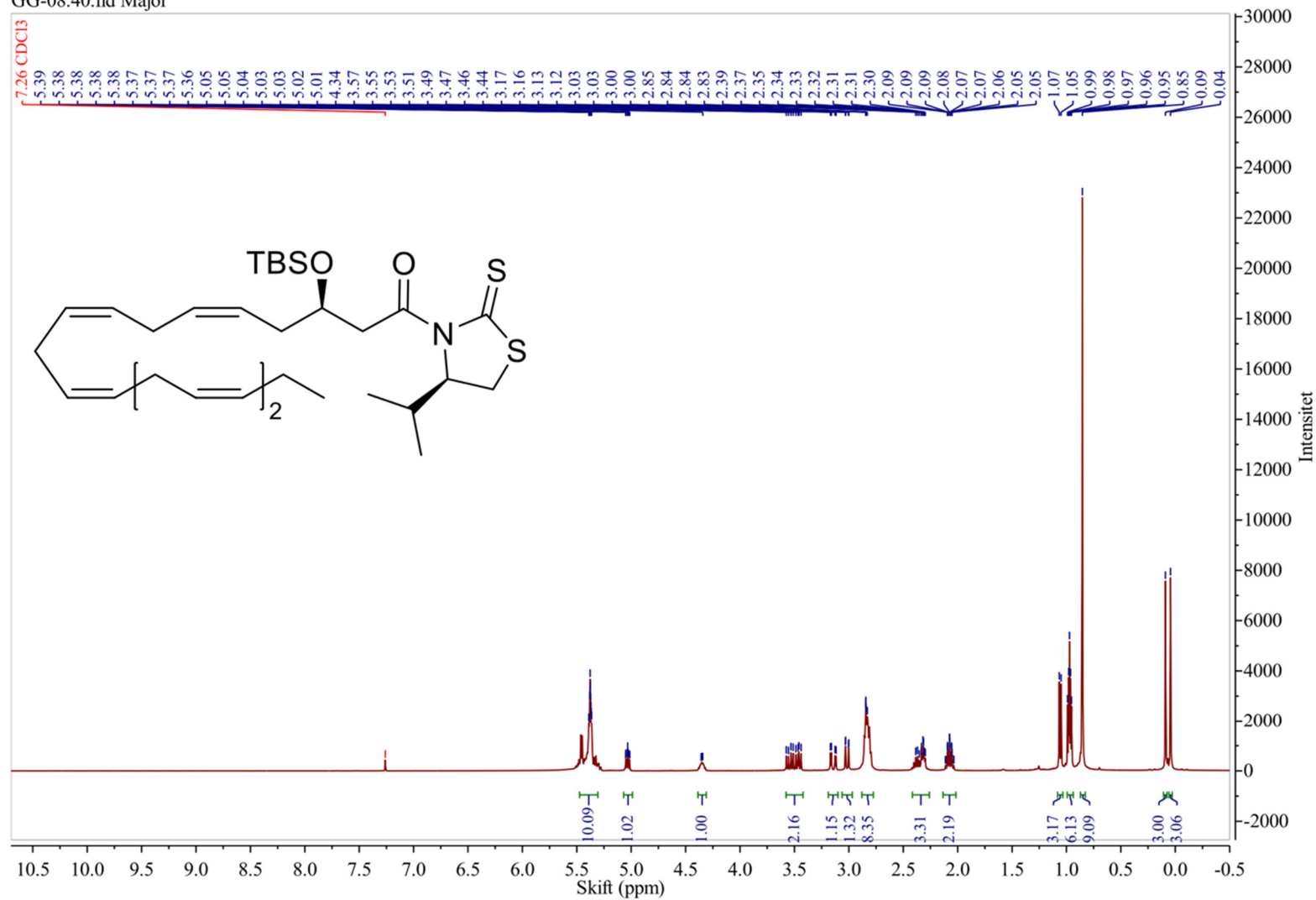


Figure S26 1H NMR spectrum of TBS protected aldol product

GG-08.41.fid Major

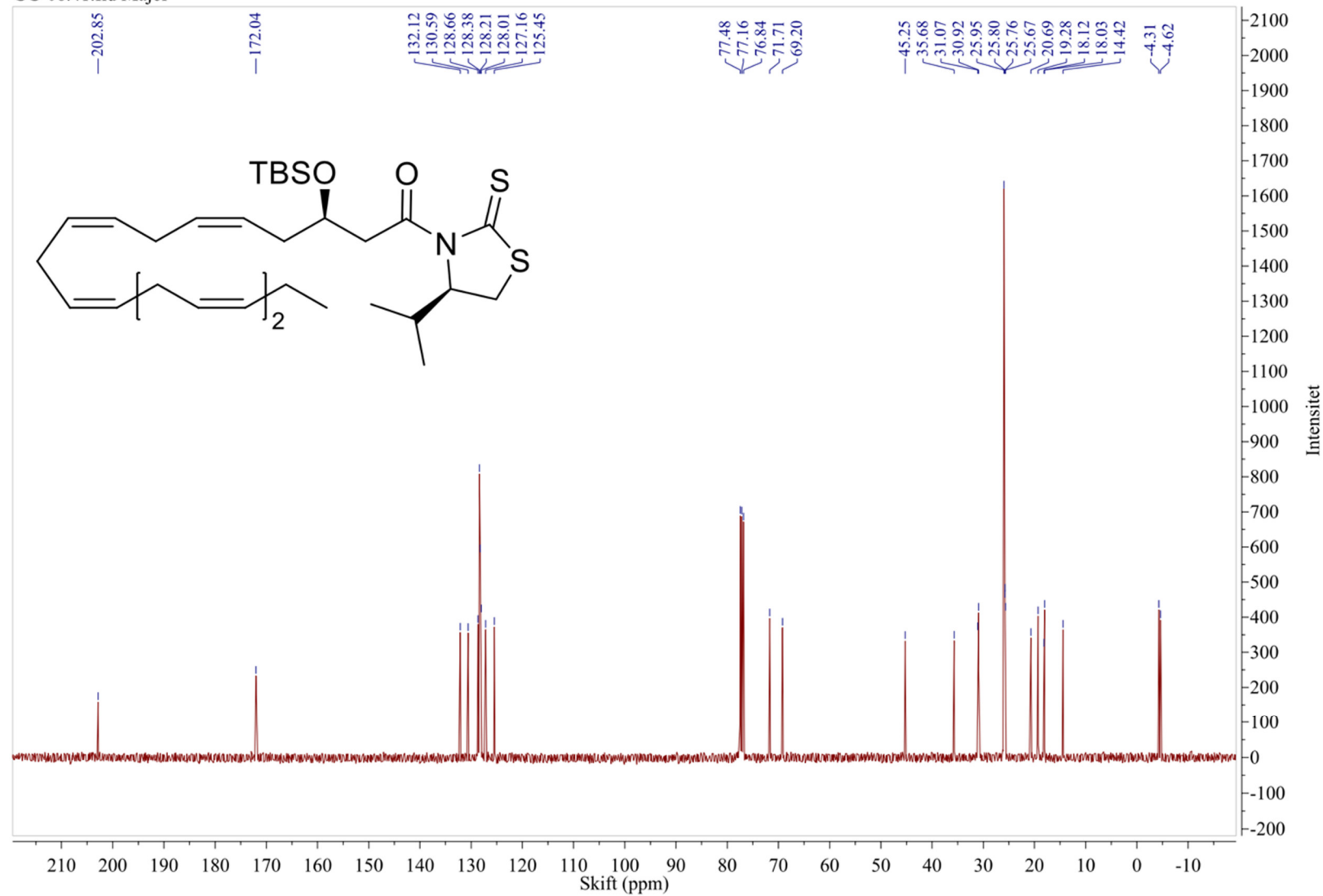


Figure S27 13C NMR spectrum of TBS protected aldol product

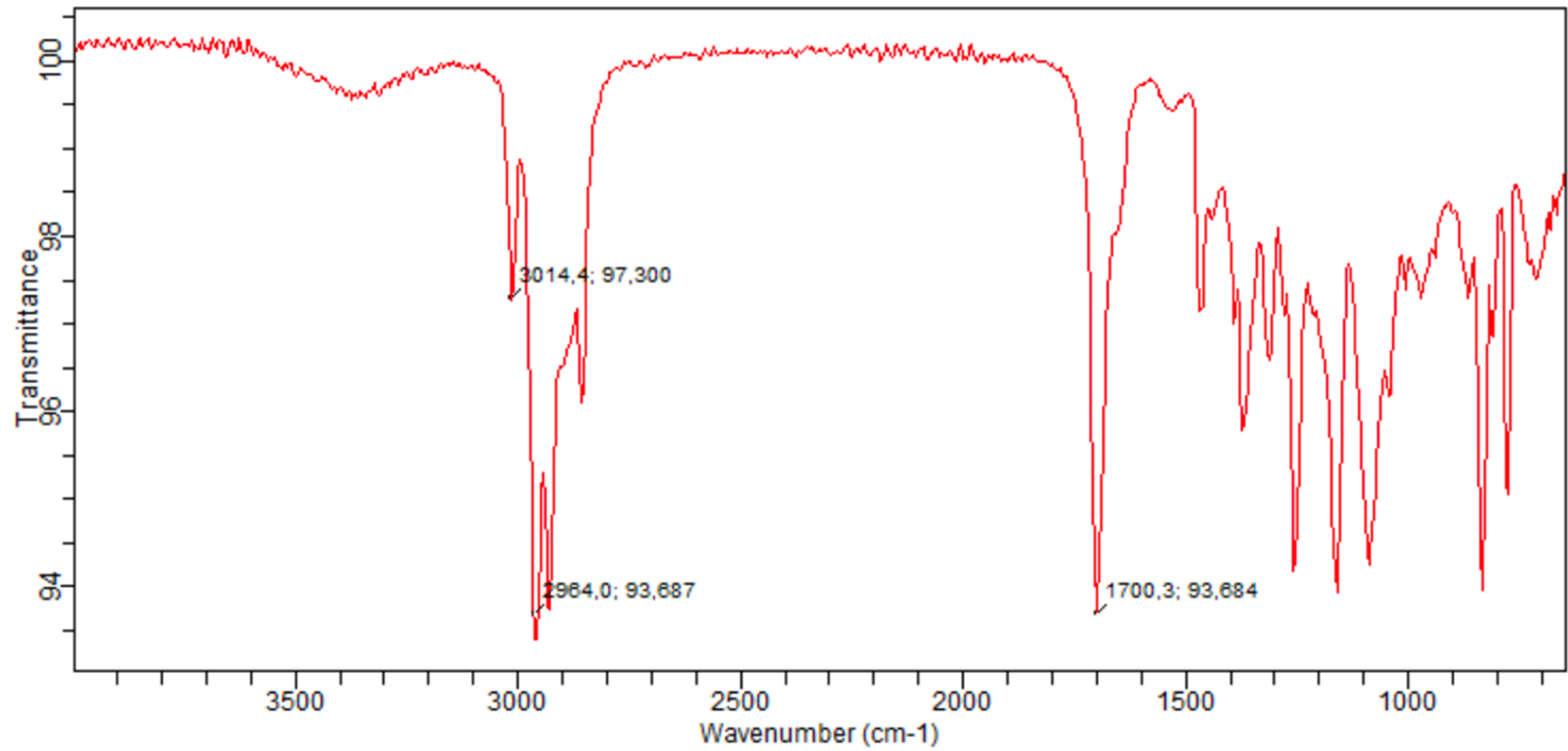
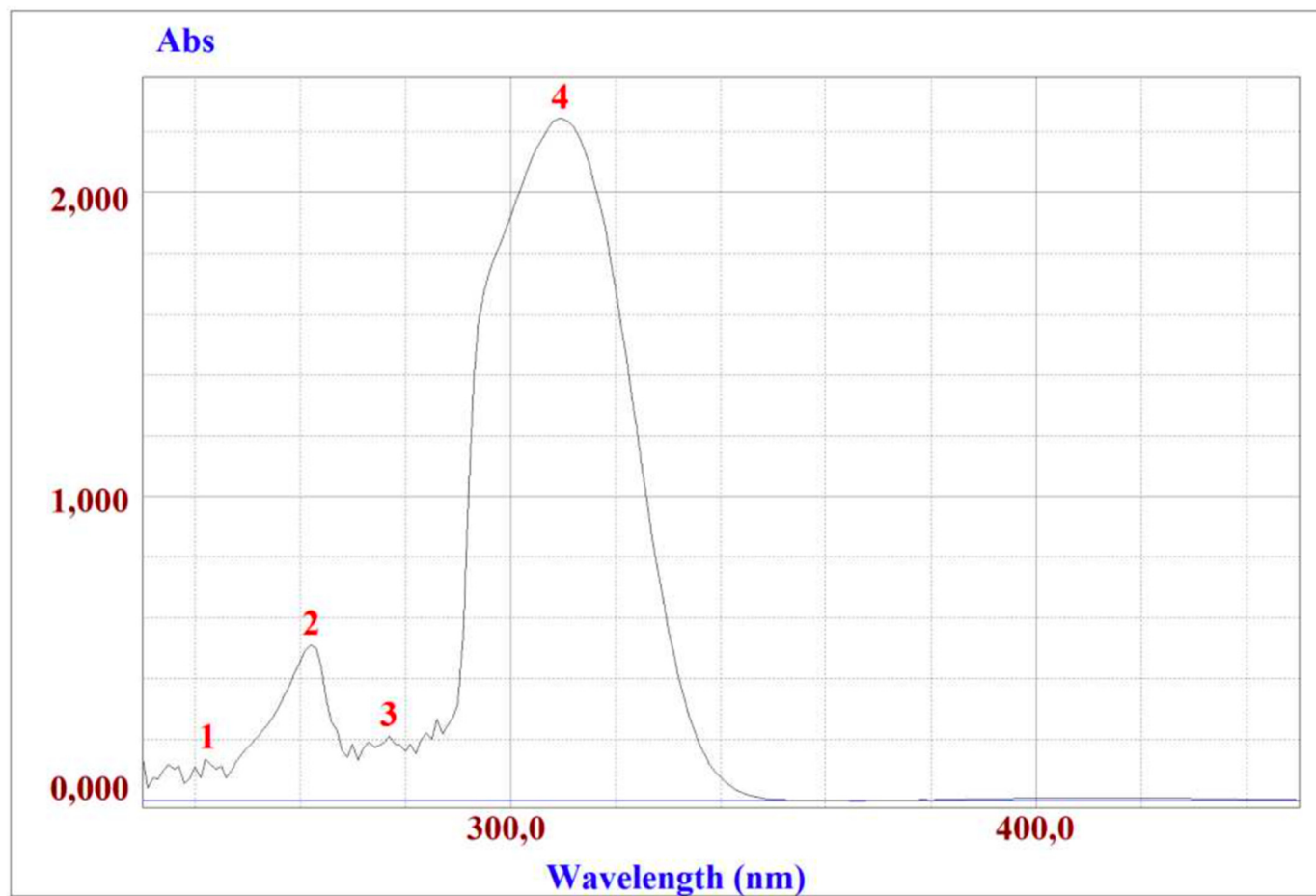


Figure S28 IR spectrum of TBS protected aldol product



<u>No.</u>	<u>Peak Type</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Height</u>
1	Peak	242,3	0,136
2	Peak	262,2	0,513
3	Peak	276,9	0,212
4	Peak	309,5	2,244

Figure S29 UV spectrum of TBS protected aldol product

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### Single Mass Analysis

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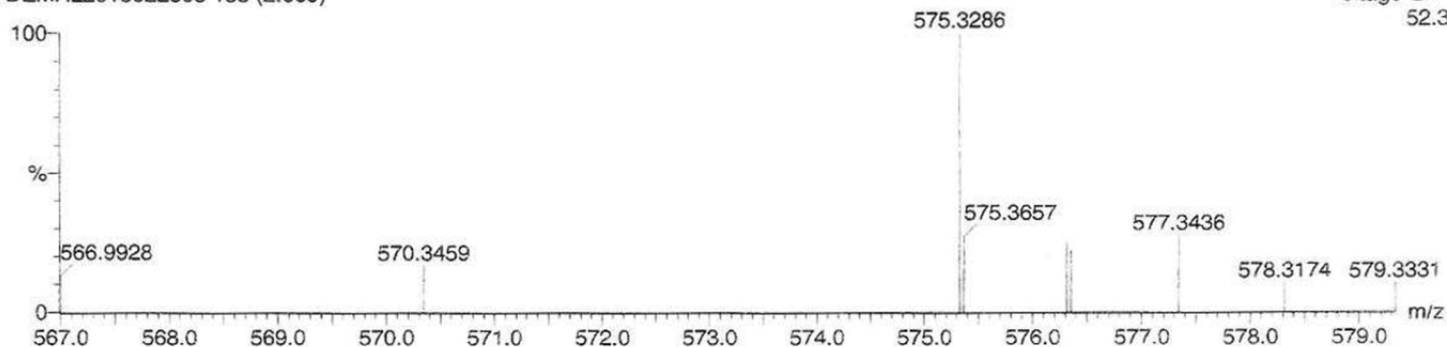
Monoisotopic Mass, Odd and Even Electron Ions

572 formula(e) evaluated with 9 results within limits (up to 50 closest results for each mass)

GG-15

DEMHL2018022808 133 (2.669)

Voltage EI+  
52.3



Minimum: -1.5  
Maximum: 200.0 10.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
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	575.3281	0.5	0.9	9.0	6	C32 H49 N O6 S
	575.3260	2.6	4.5	3.5	2	C29 H55 O5 S2 Si
	575.3314	-2.8	-4.9	22.5	9	C43 H43 O
	575.3314	-2.8	-4.9	4.0	1	C29 H53 N O6 S2
	575.3256	3.0	5.3	13.0	5	C36 H49 N O S2
	575.3253	3.3	5.7	13.0	7	C35 H49 N O2 S Si
	575.3247	3.9	6.8	14.0	8	C35 H45 N O6
	575.3229	5.7	9.9	8.5	4	C33 H51 O4 S2

Figure S30 MS of TBS protected aldol product

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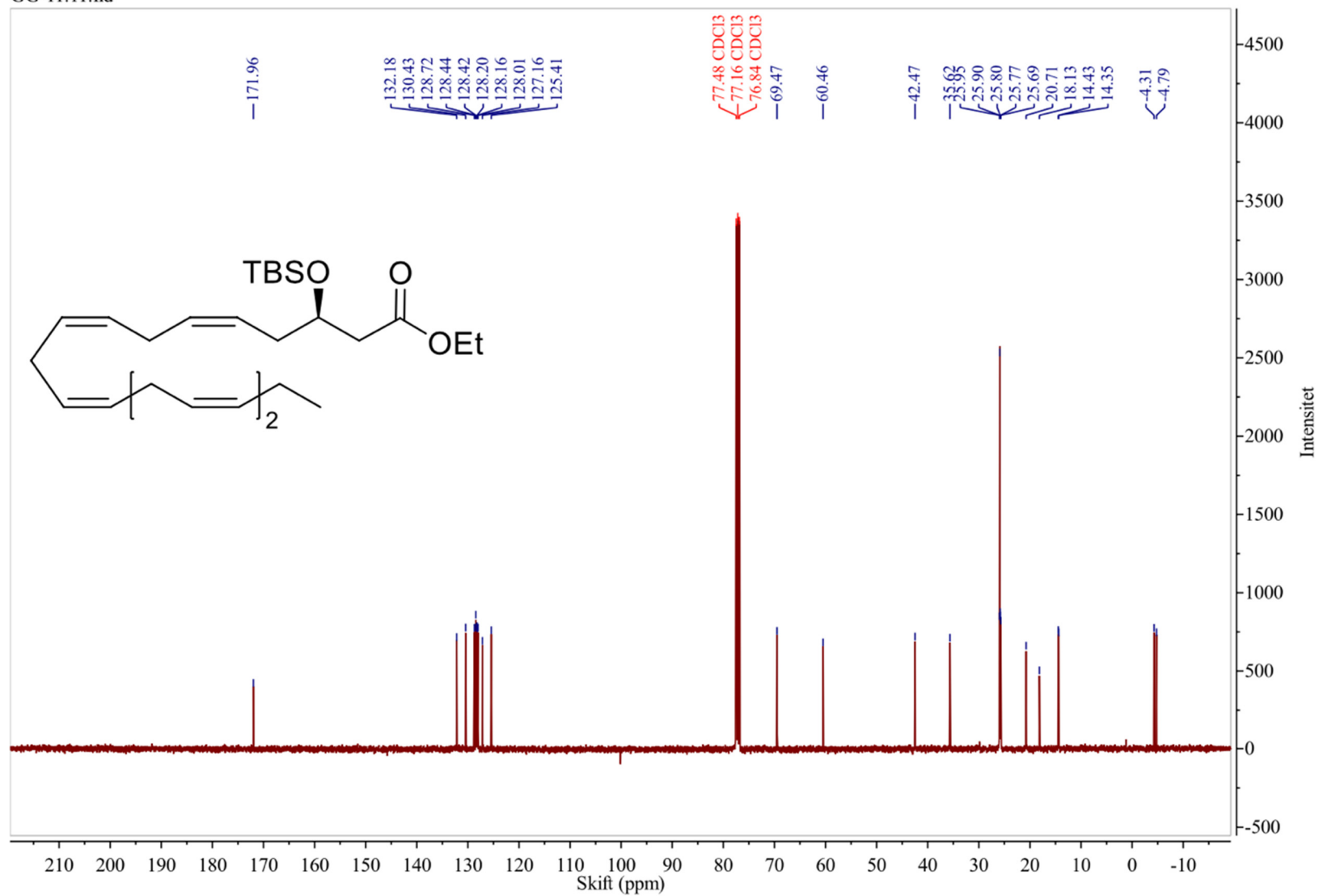


Figure S32 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of TBS protected ethyl ester.

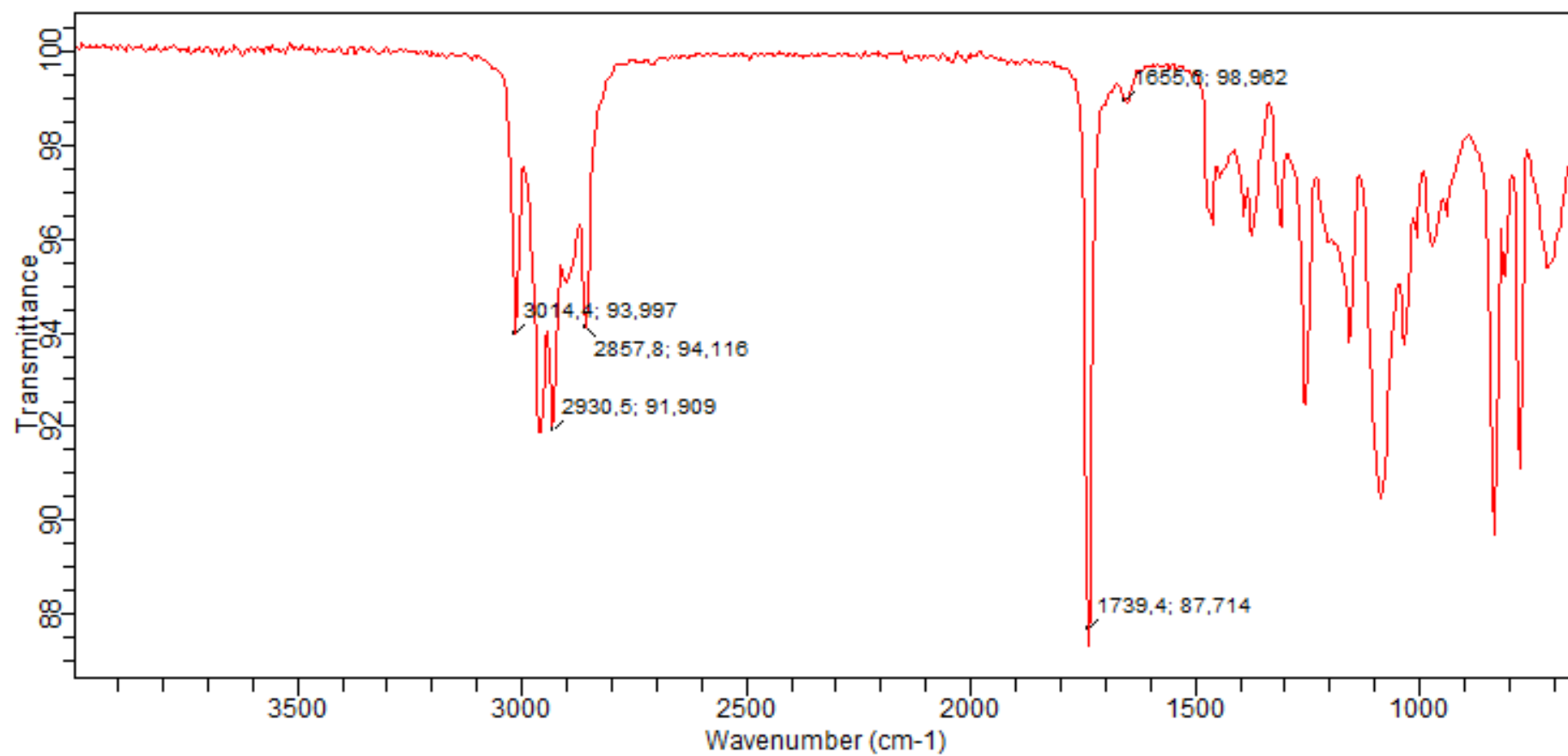
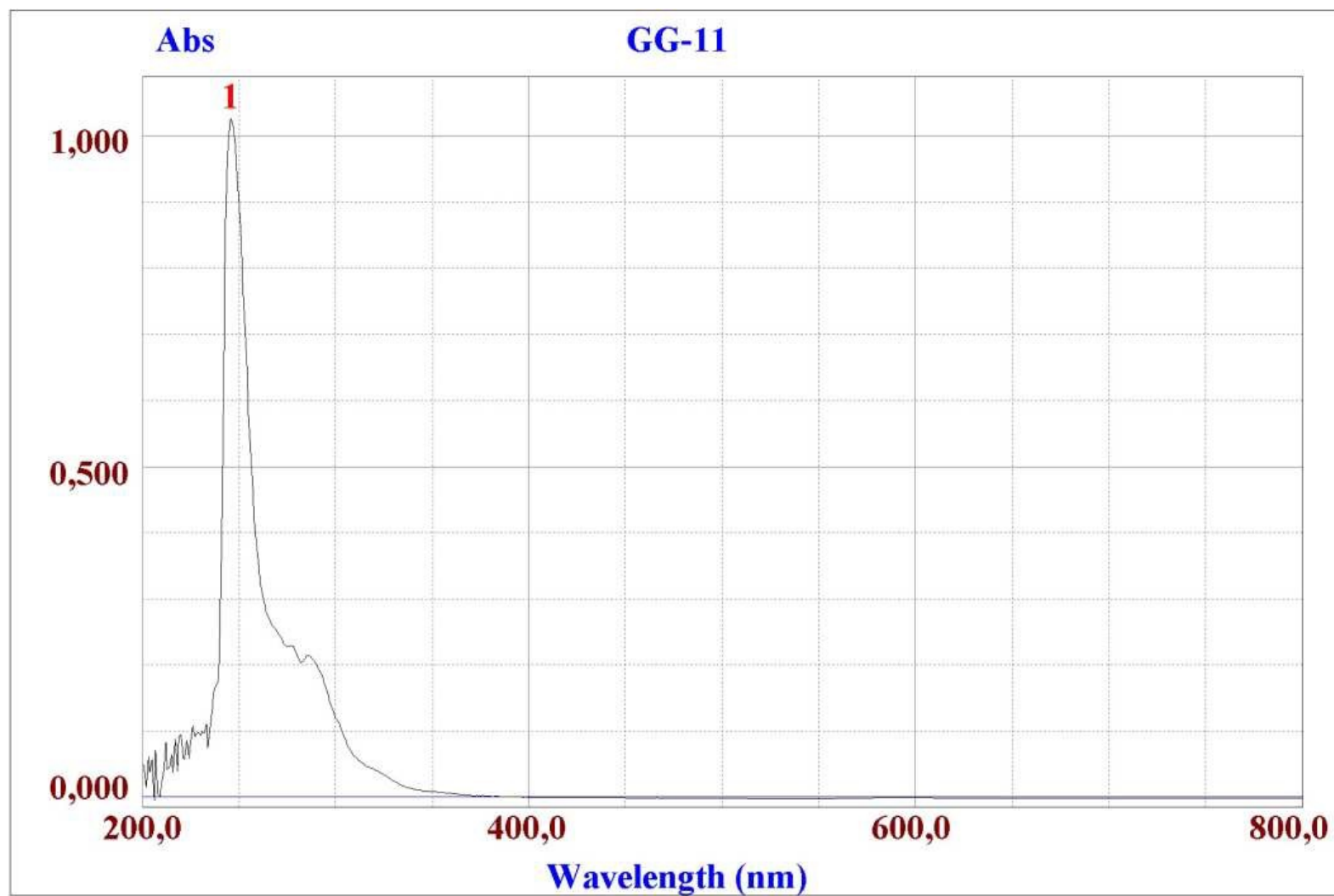


Figure S33 IR spectrum of TBS protected ethyl ester.



<u>No.</u>	<u>Peak Type</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Height</u>
1	Peak	245,8	1,027

Figure S34 UV spectrum of TBS protected ethyl ester.

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### Single Mass Analysis

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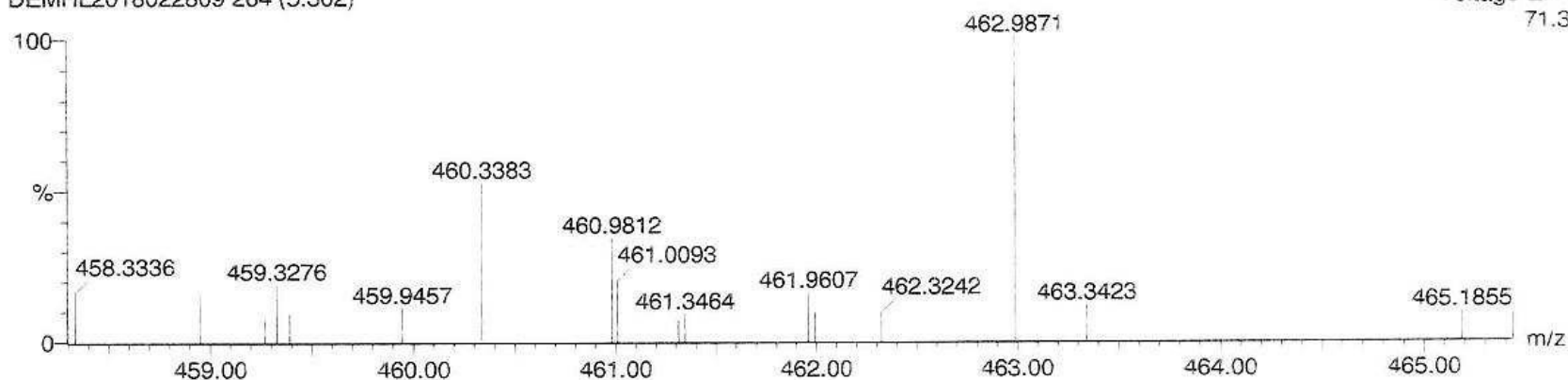
Monoisotopic Mass, Odd and Even Electron Ions

83 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (up to 50 closest results for each mass)

GG-17

DEMHL2018022809 264 (5.302)

Voltage EI+  
71.3



Minimum: -1.5  
Maximum: 200.0 10.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula			
460.3383	460.3373	1.0	2.2	6.0	2	C28	H48	O3	Si
	460.3341	4.2	9.1	11.0	1	C32	H44	O2	

Figure S35 HRMS of TBS-protected ethyl ester 11

**3(R)-HEPE (2):**

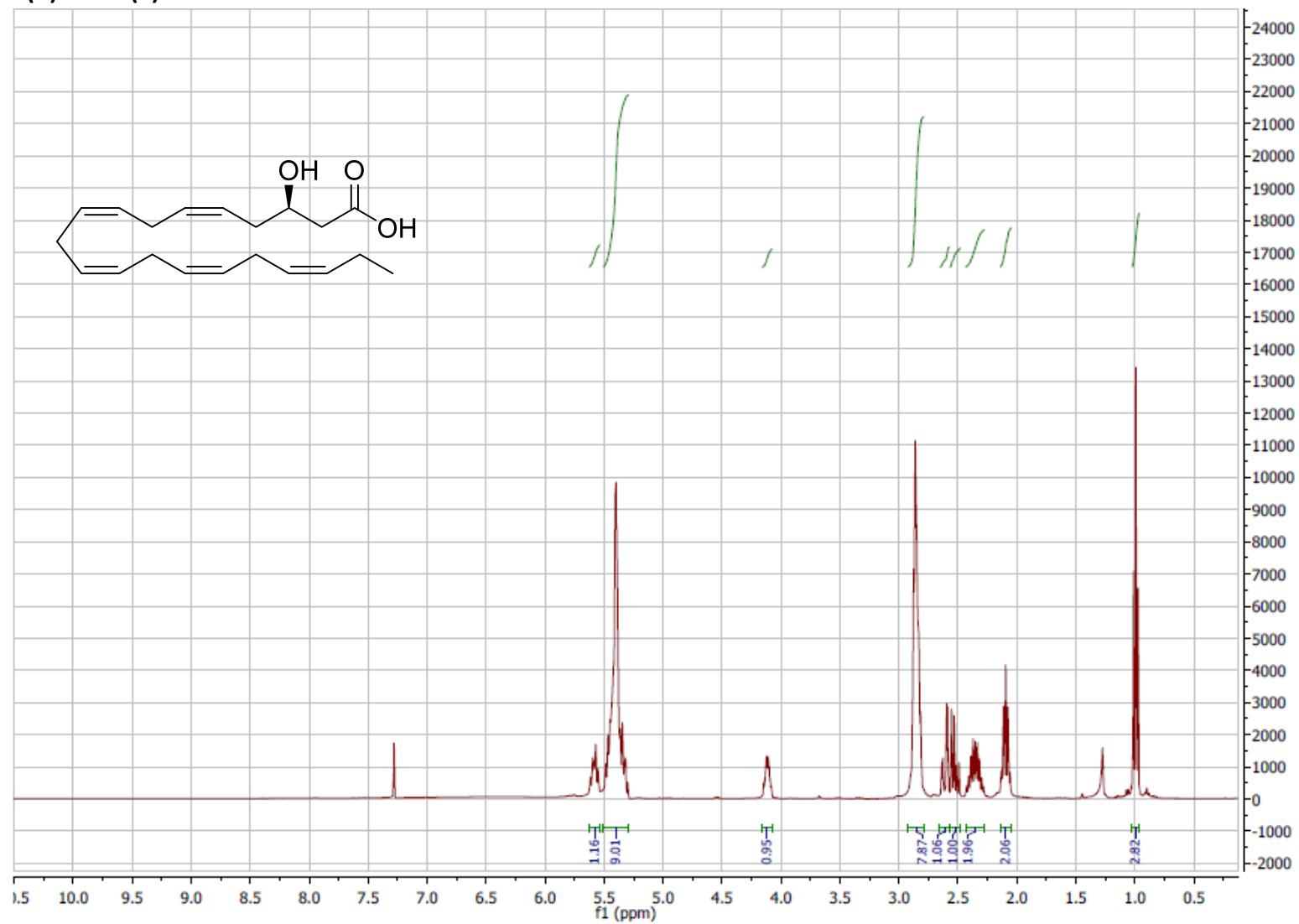


Figure S36  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

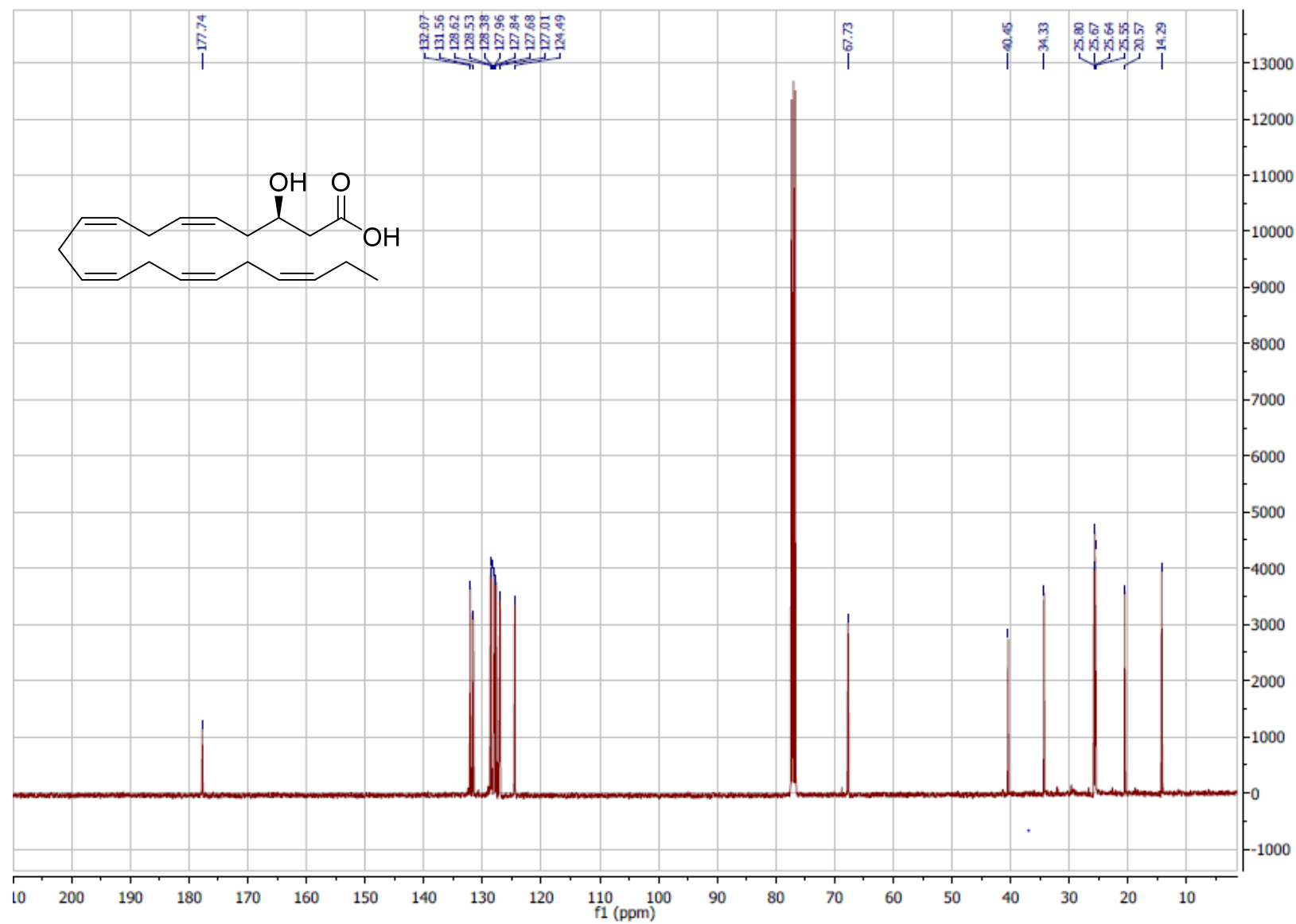


Figure S37  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

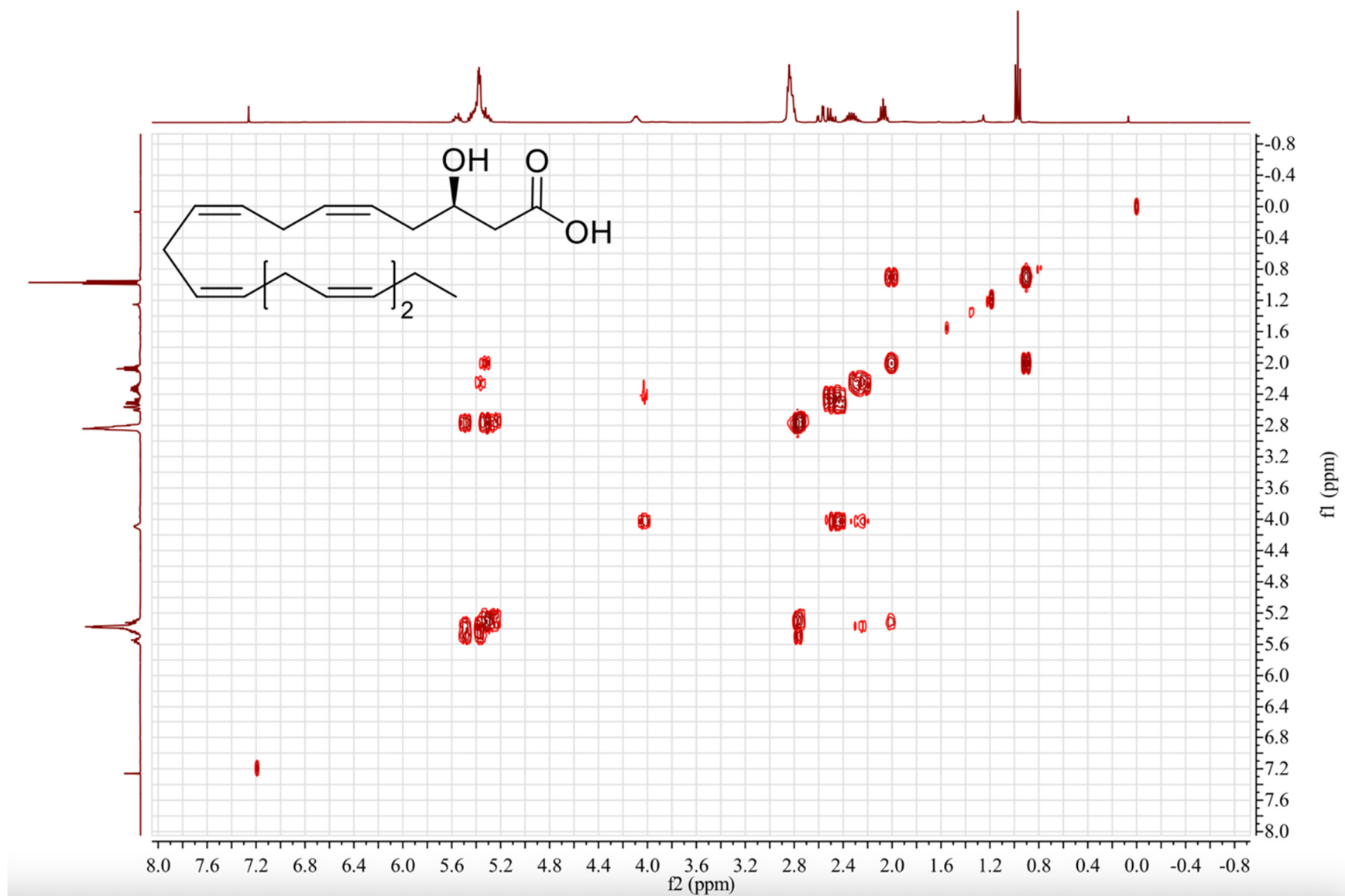


Figure S38 COSY spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

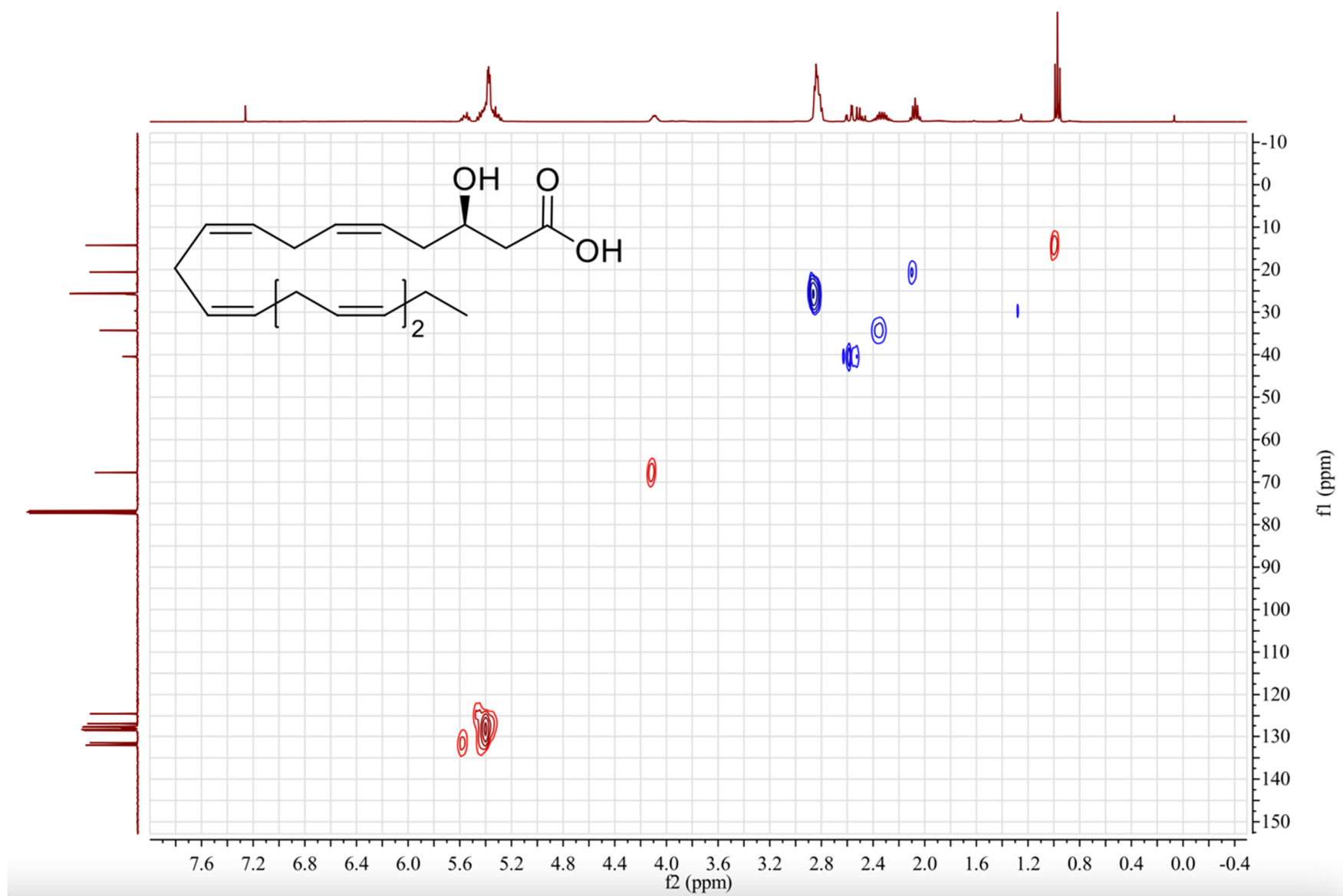


Figure S39 HMBC spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

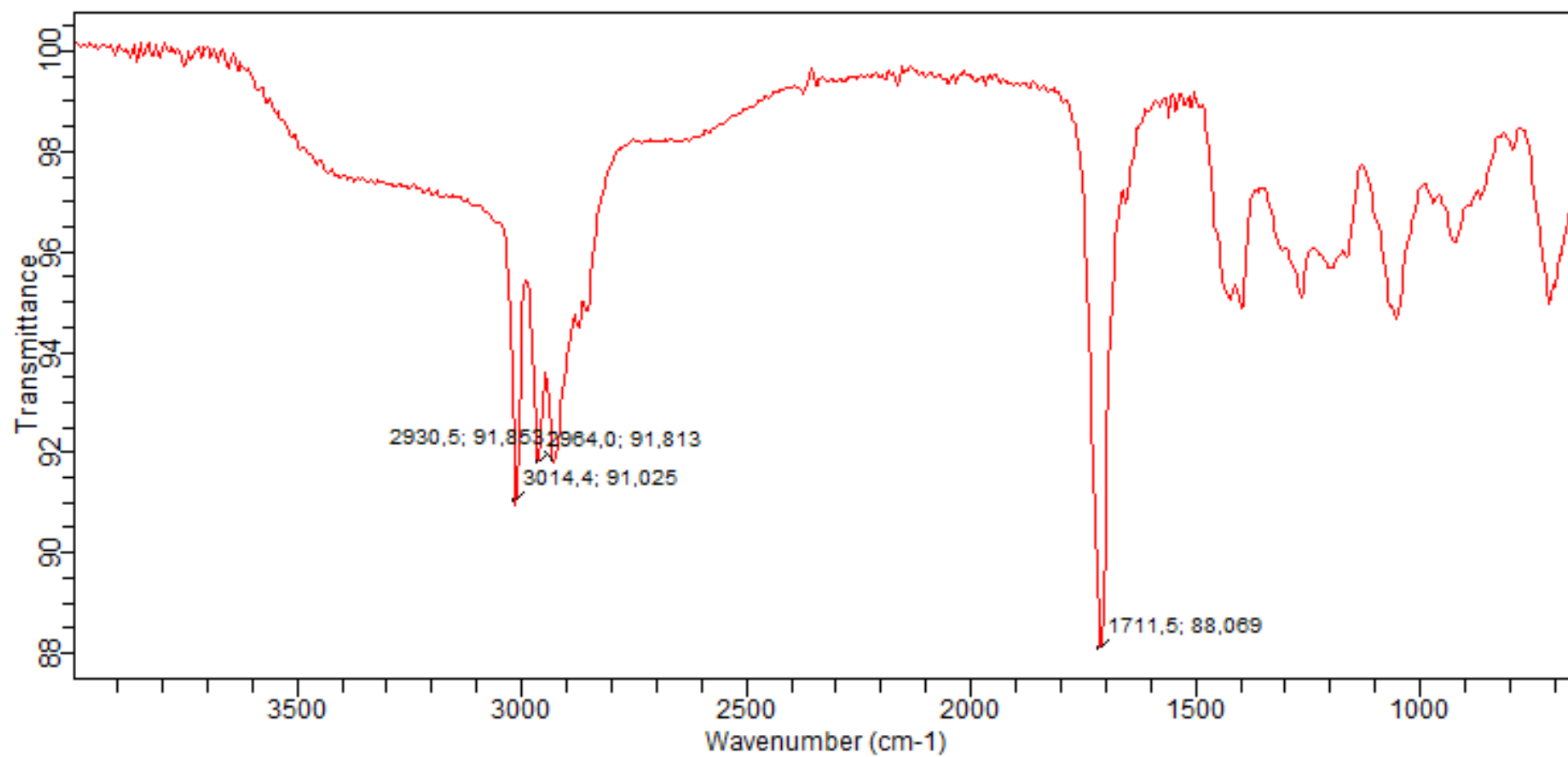
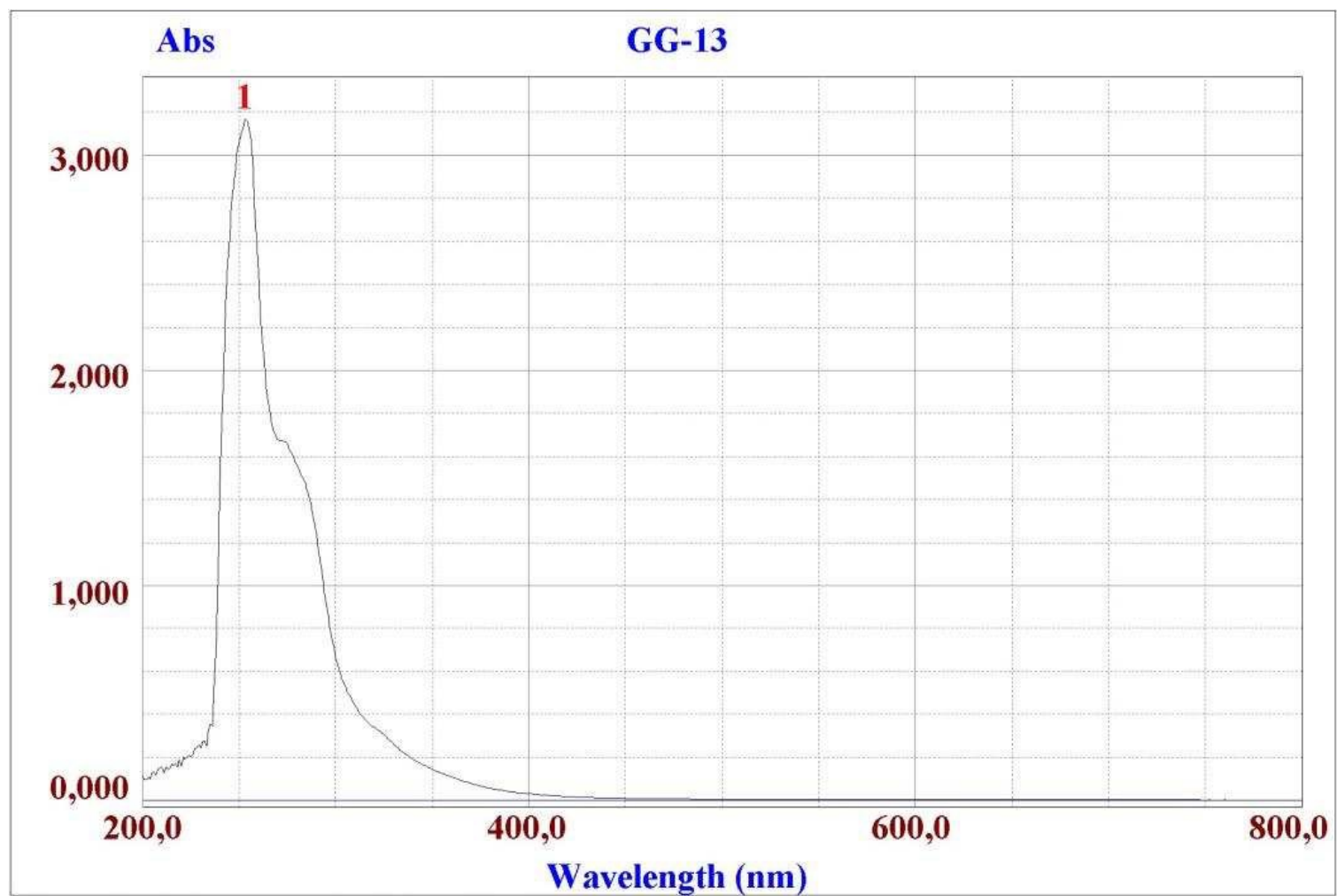


Figure S40 IR spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

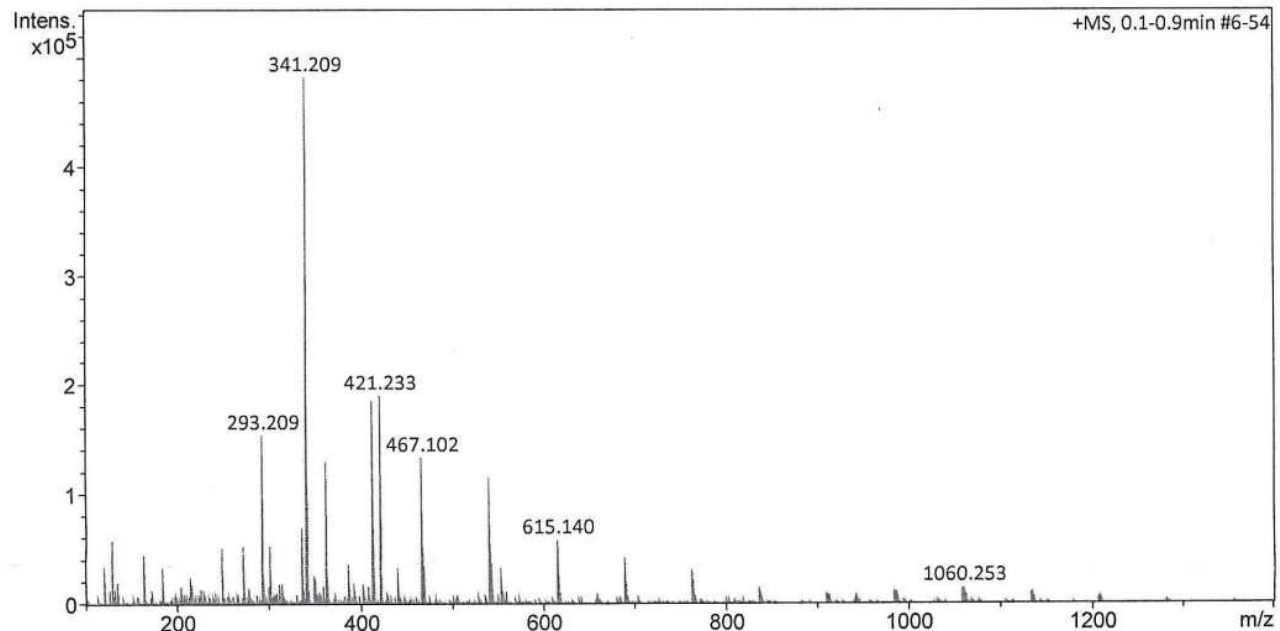


<u>No.</u>	<u>Peak Type</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Height</u>
1	Peak	253,4	3,169

Figure S41 UV spectrum of 3(R)-HEPE (2).

# Acquisition Parameter

Source Type	ESI	Ion Polarity	Positive	Set Nebulizer	0.4 Bar
Focus	Not active	Set Capillary	3500 V	Set Dry Heater	200 °C
Scan Begin	50 m/z	Set End Plate Offset	-500 V	Set Dry Gas	4.0 l/min
Scan End	1500 m/z	Set Charging Voltage	2000 V	Set Divert Valve	Waste
		Set Corona	0 nA	Set APCI Heater	0 °C

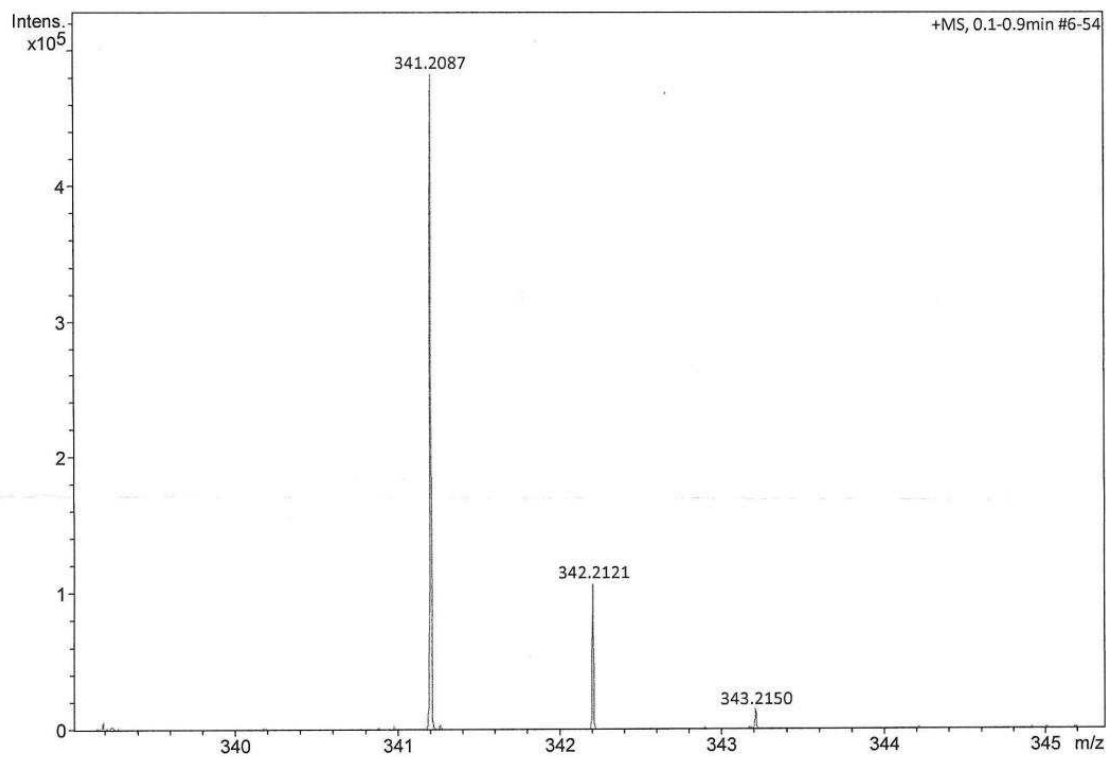


#	m/z	I %			
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2	164.920	9.4	12	414.270	10.6
3	249.182	10.5	13	421.233	39.3
4	273.167	11.1	14	422.236	8.2
5	293.209	31.9	15	467.102	27.6
6	301.141	11.0	16	468.103	11.1
7	337.235	14.5	17	541.121	24.0
8	341.209	100.0	18	542.121	11.6
9	342.212	22.2	19	615.140	12.2
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Figure S42 MS of 3(R)-HEPE (2)

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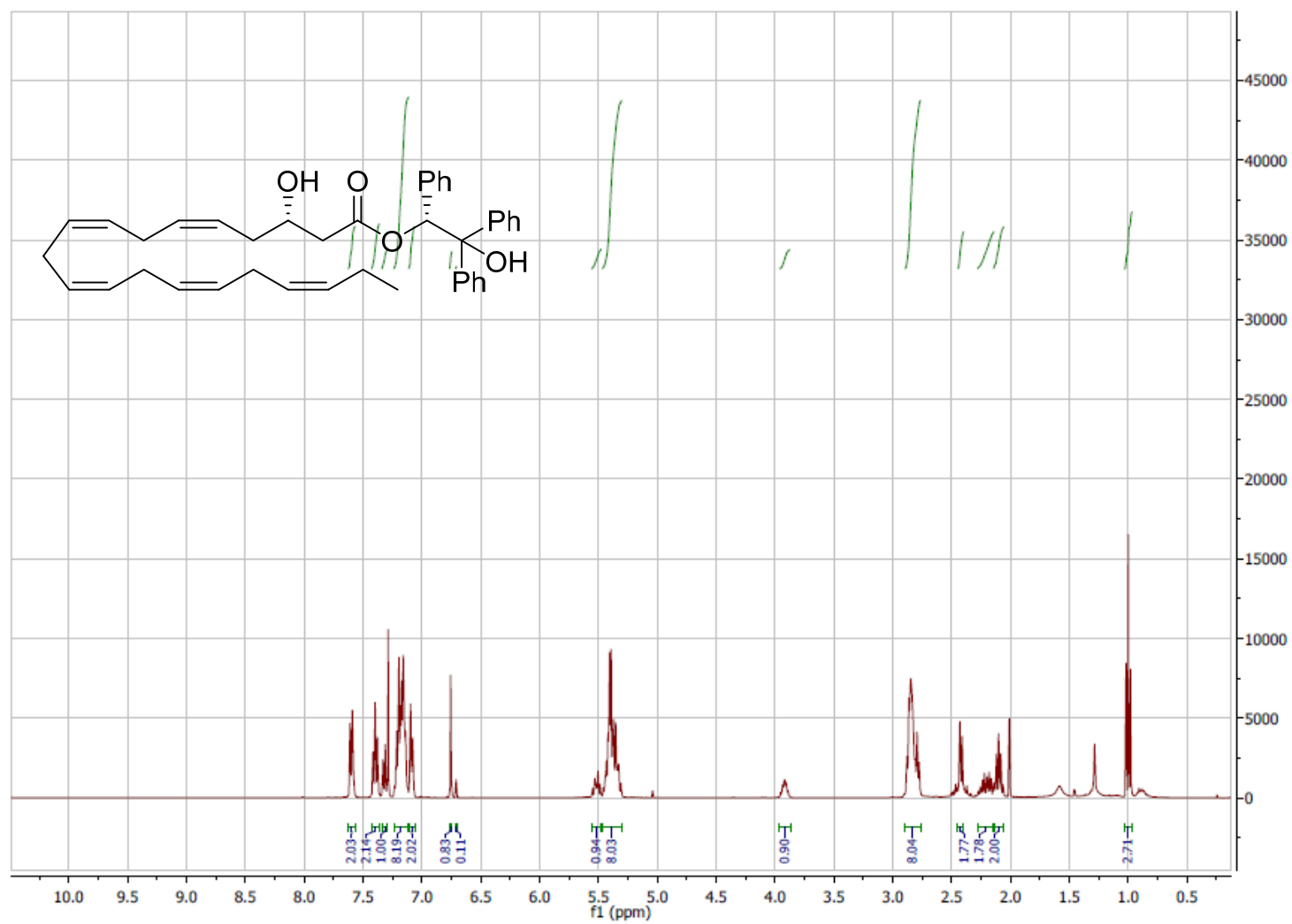
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Scan Begin	50 m/z	Set End Plate Offset	-500 V	Set Dry Gas	4.0 l/min
Scan End	1500 m/z	Set Charging Voltage	2000 V	Set Divert Valve	Waste
		Set Corona	0 nA	Set APCI Heater	0 °C



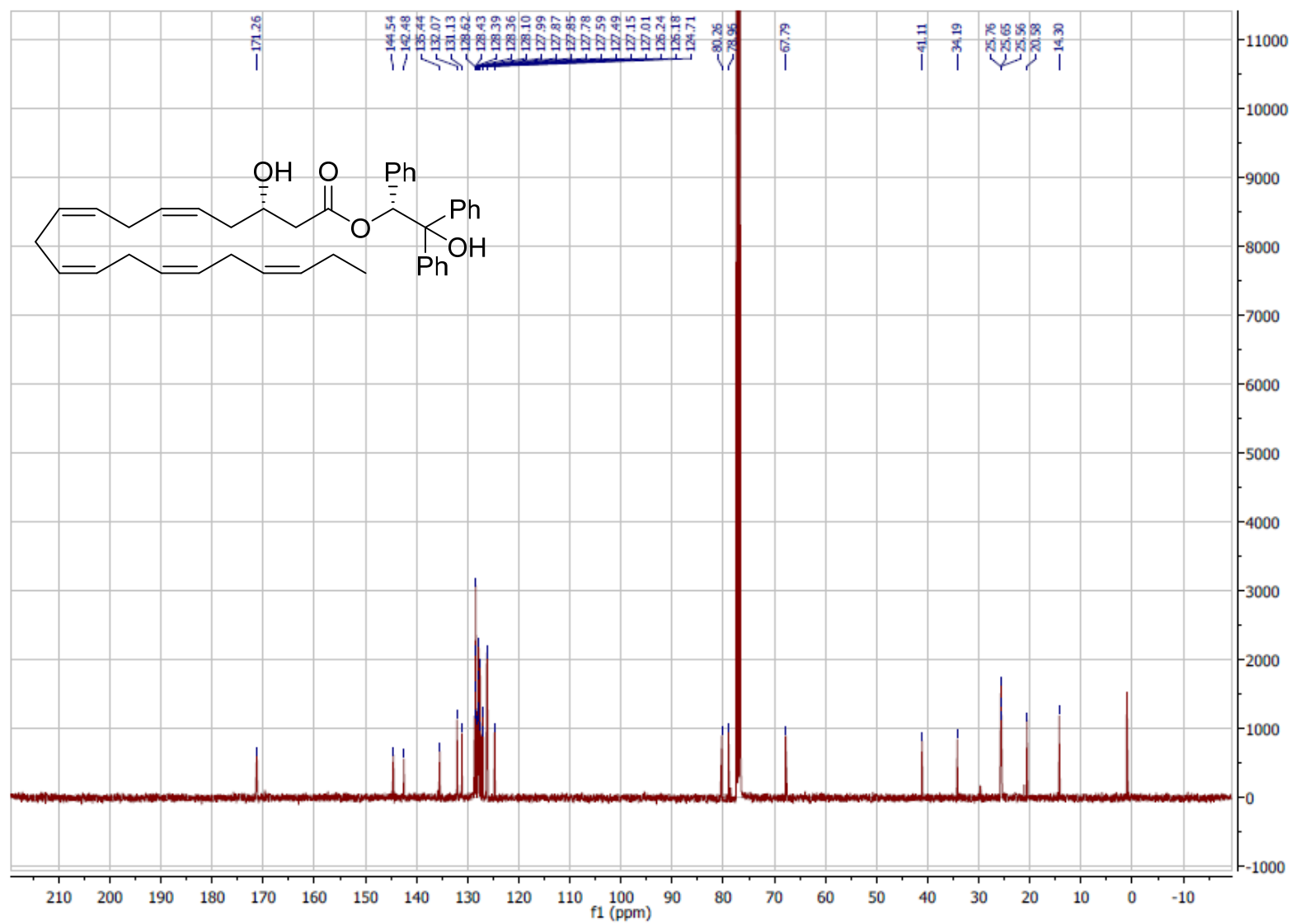
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	C <sub>22</sub> H <sub>29</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	341.2111	7.1
	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>26</sub> N <sub>6</sub> NaO	341.2060	-7.8
	C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>29</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	341.2071	-4.7

Figure S43 HRMS of 3(R)-HEPE (**2**) (C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)

**Aldol product 13:**



**Figure S44.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **14**.



**Figure S45.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **14**.

(R)-4-isopropylthiazolidinone-2-thione **15**:

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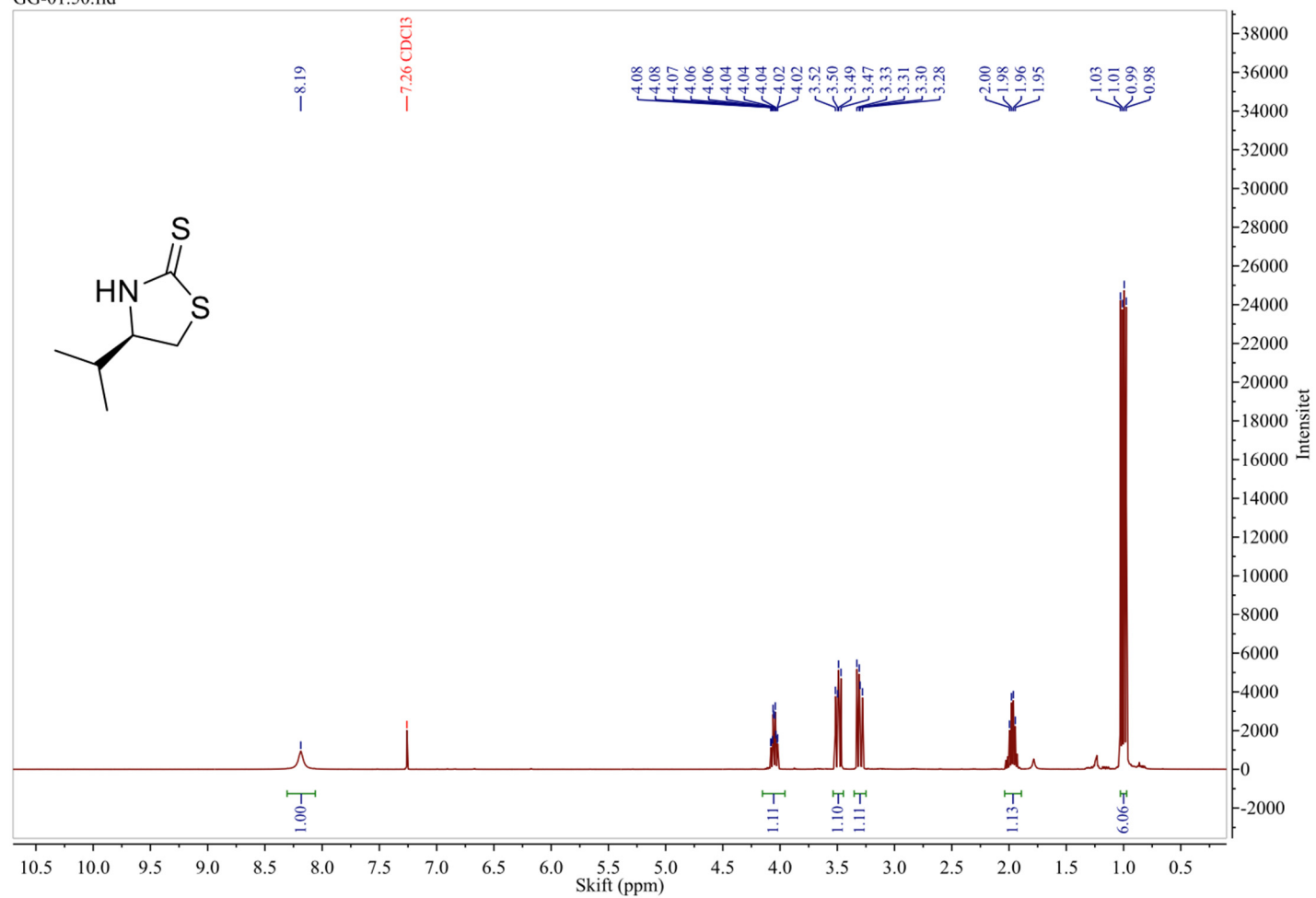


Figure S46 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of (R)-4-isopropylthiazolidinone-2-thione (**15**)

GG-01.51.fid

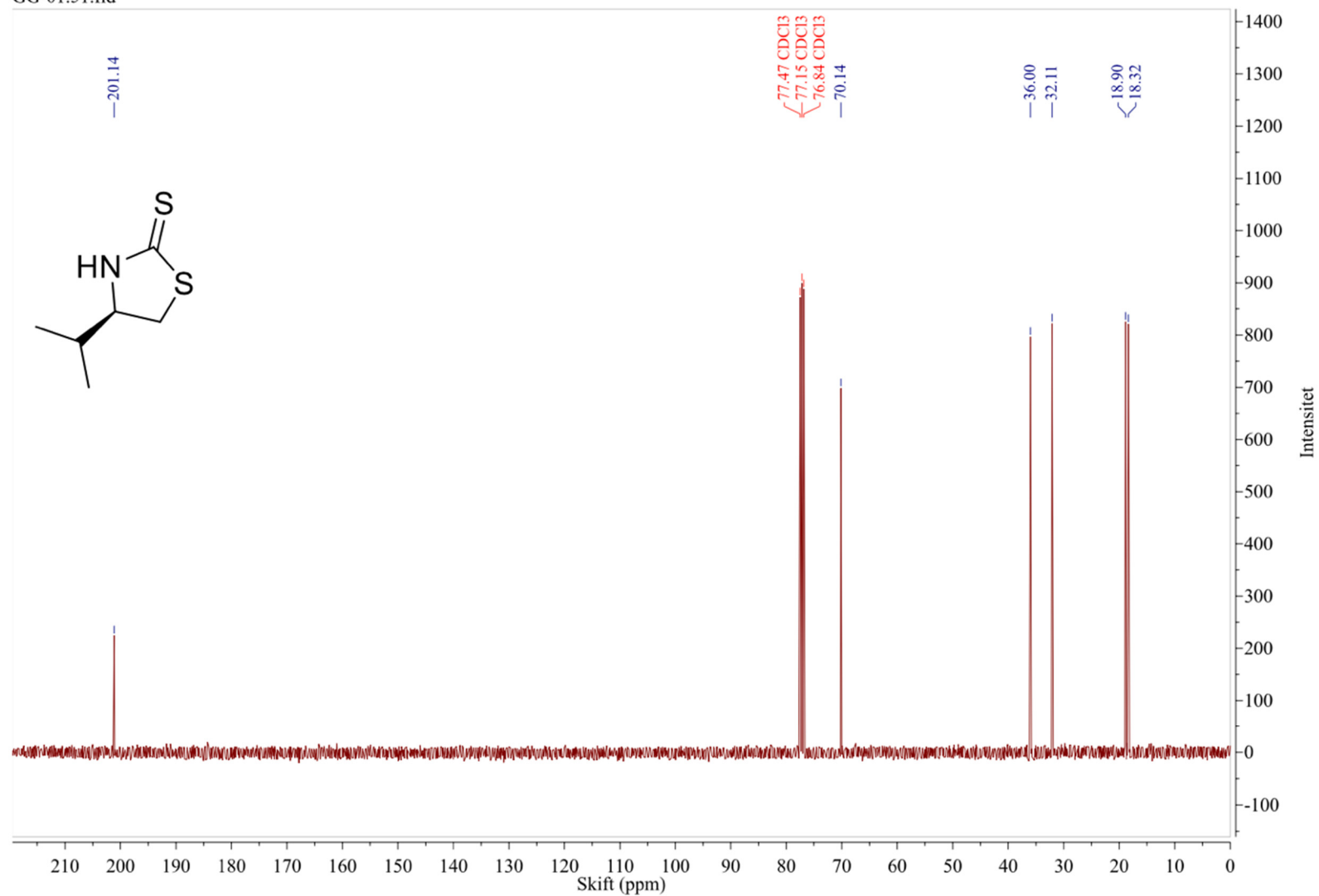


Figure S47 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of (R)-4-isopropylthiazolidinone-2-thione (15)

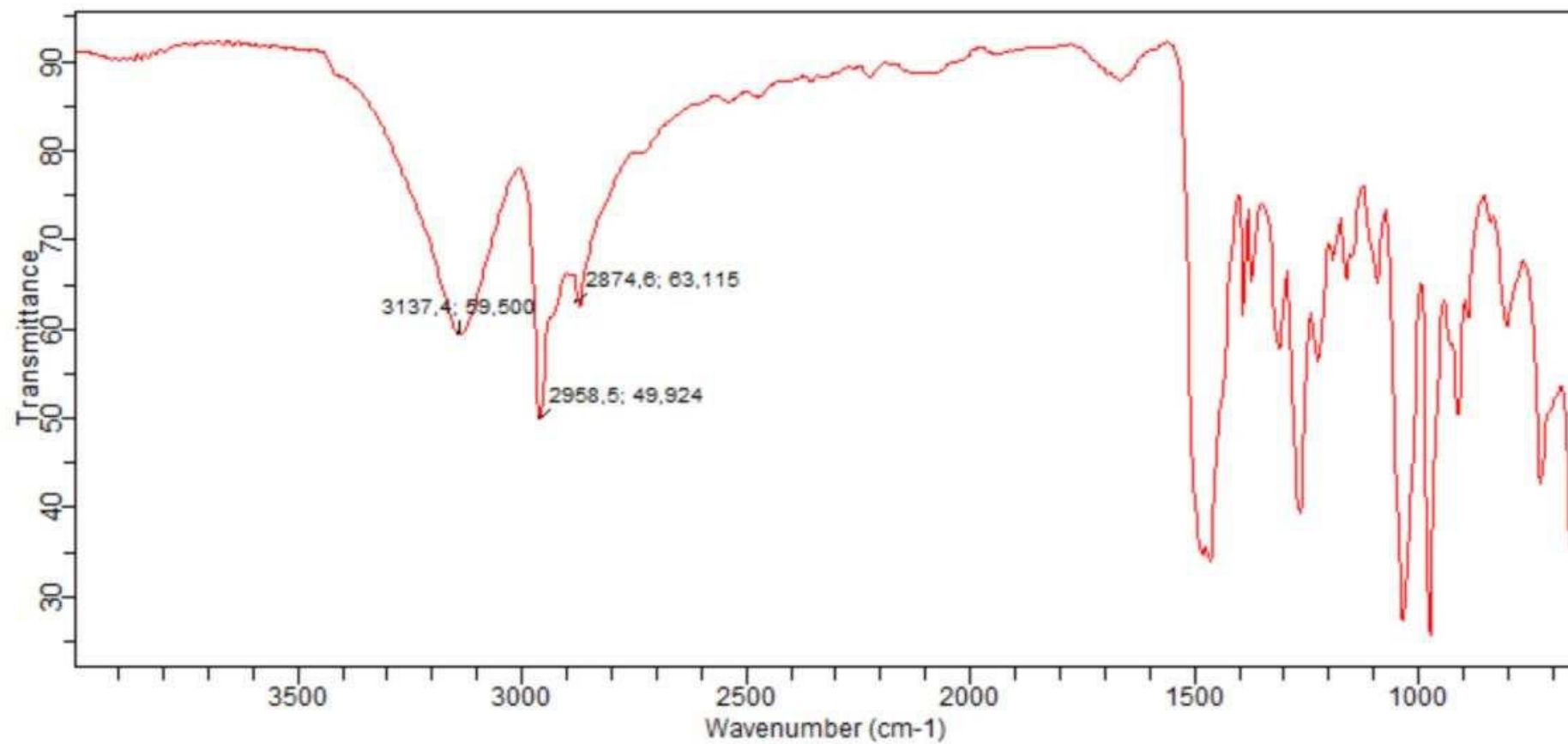


Figure S48 IR spectrum of (R)-4-isopropylthiazolidine-2-thione (15)

# Ethyl ester 16:

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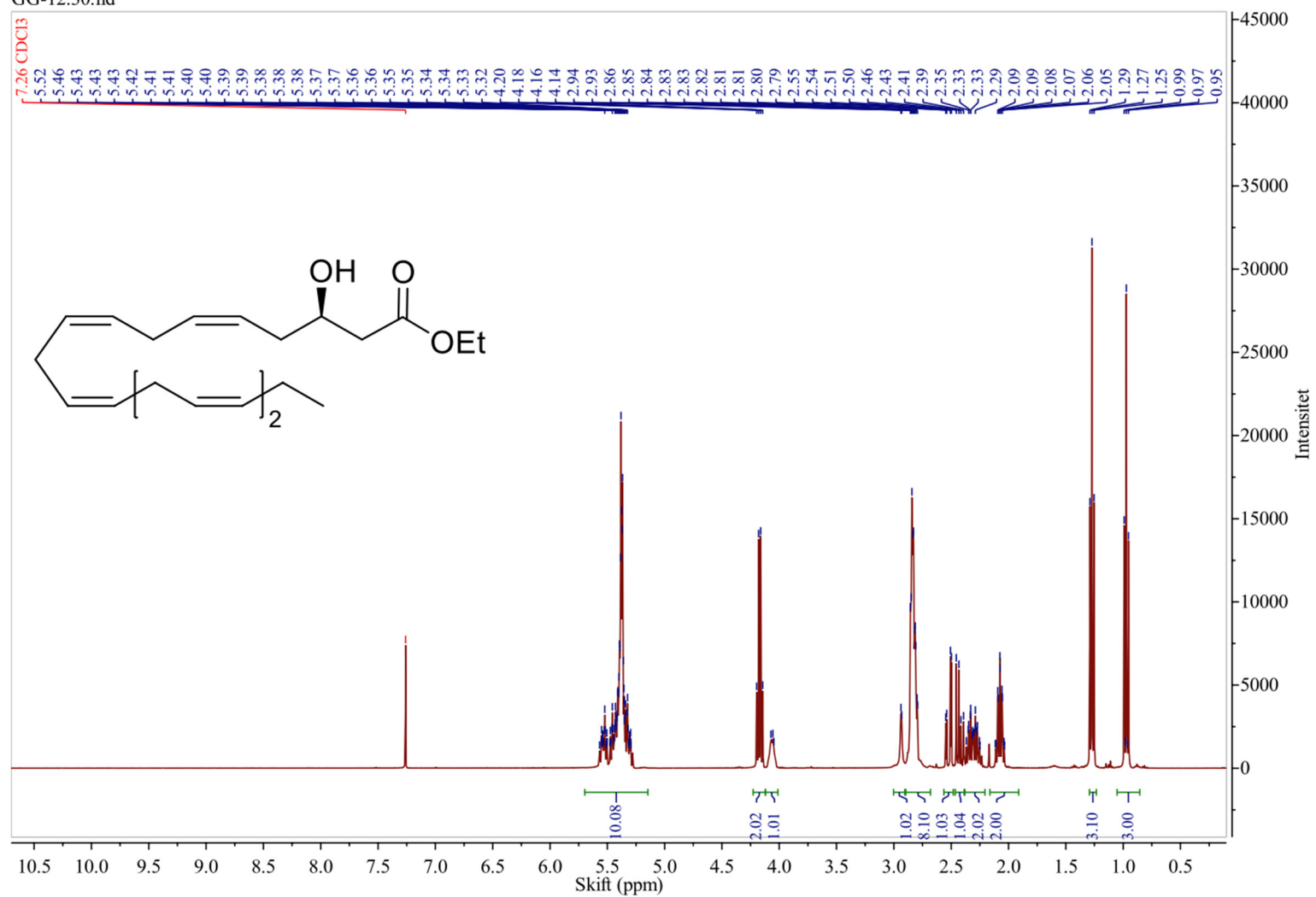


Figure S49 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of ethyl ester 16

GG-12.31.fid

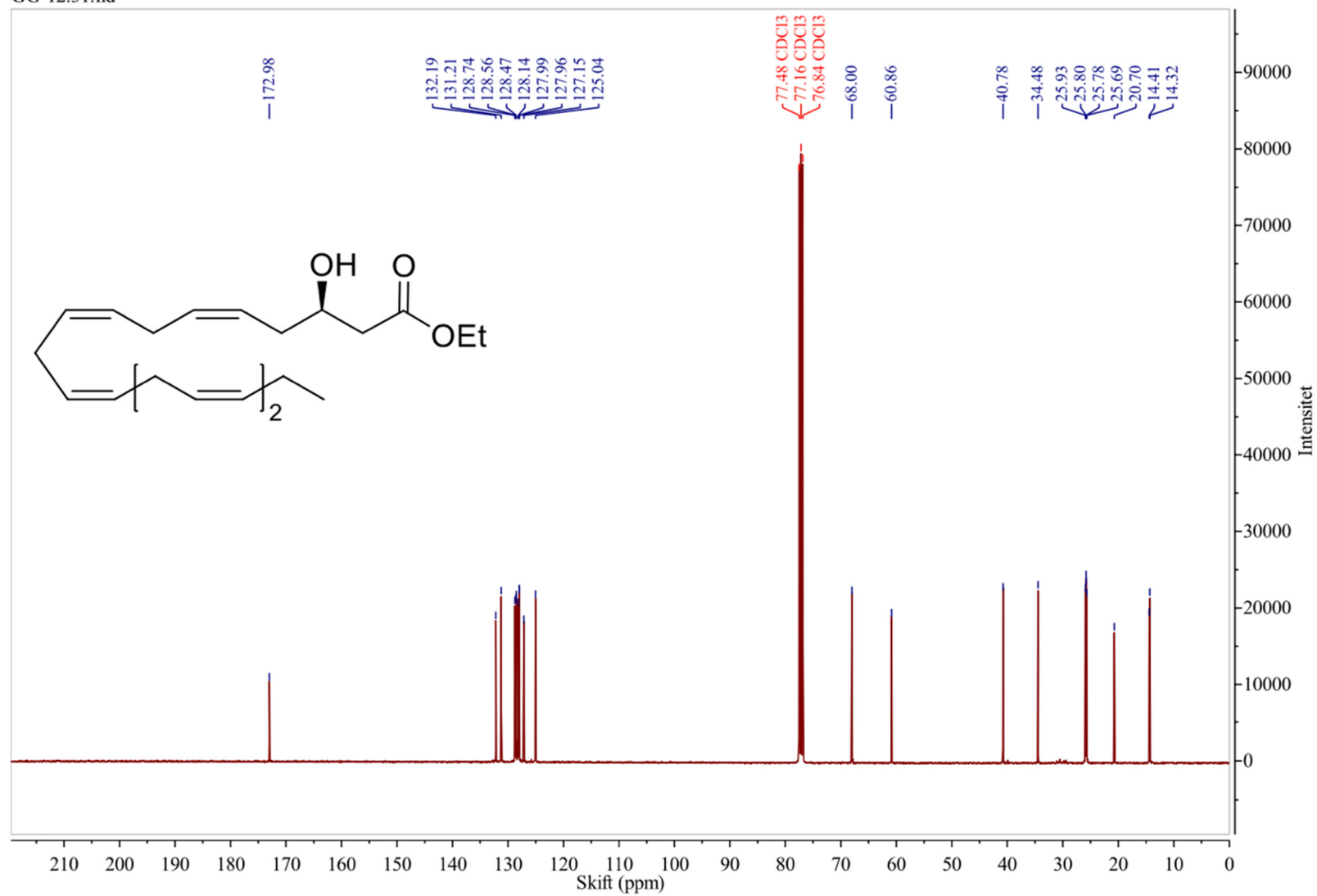


Figure S50 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of ethyl ester 16

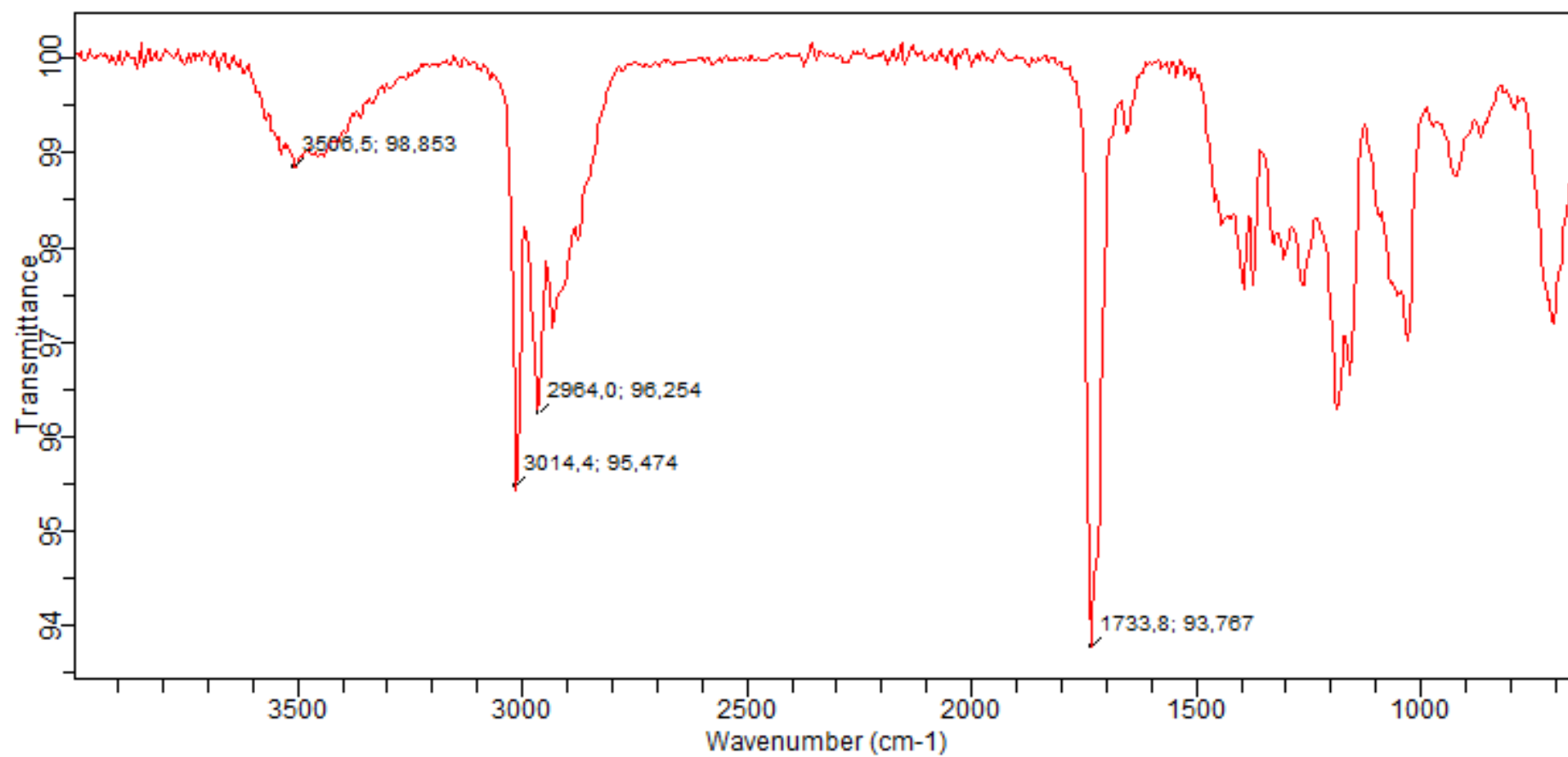
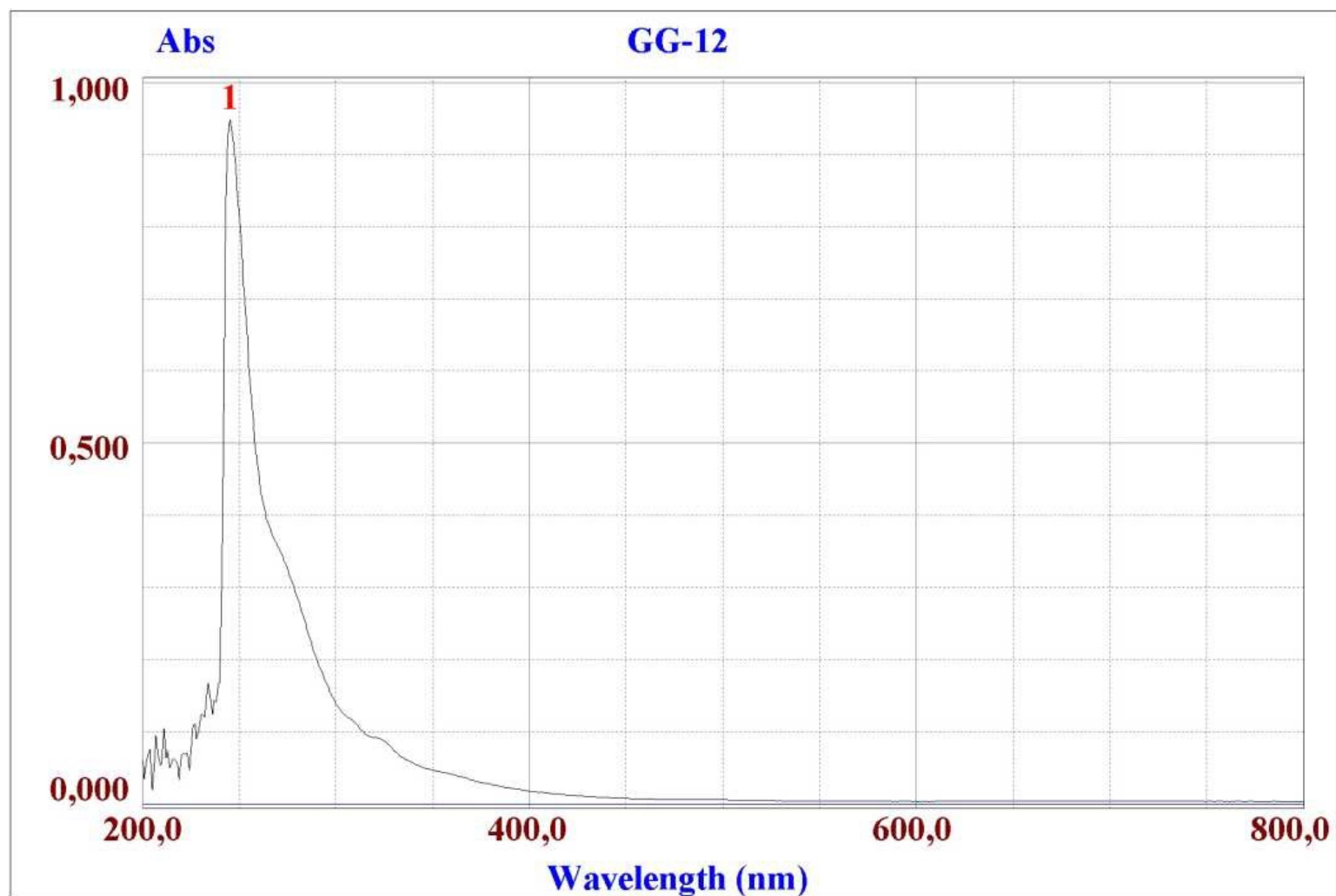


Figure S51 IR spectrum of ethyl ester 16.



<u>No.</u>	<u>Peak Type</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Height</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>End</u>
1	Peak	245,3	0,949			

Figure S52 UV spectrum of ethyl ester 16.

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### Single Mass Analysis

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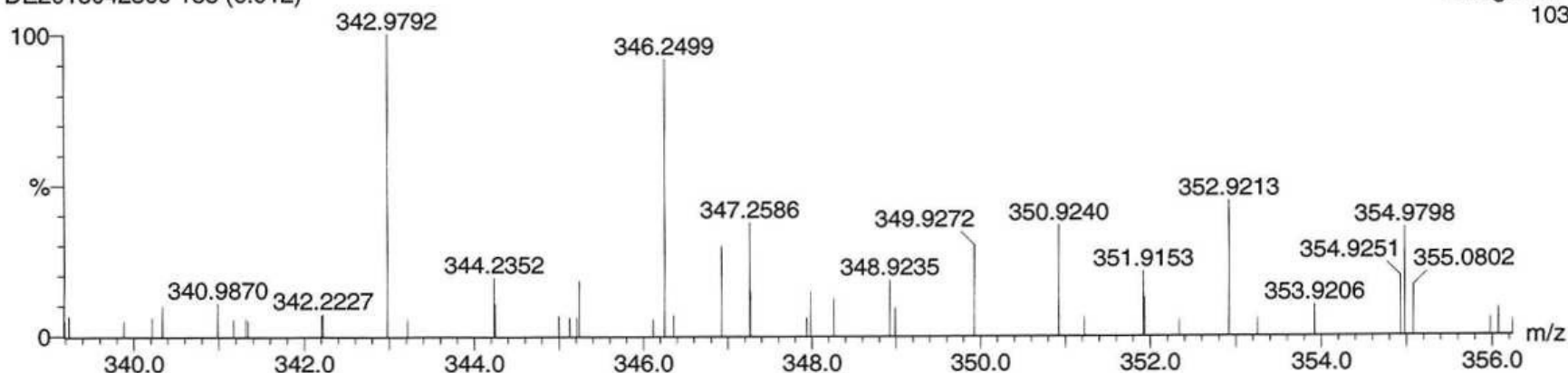
Monoisotopic Mass, Odd and Even Electron Ions

31 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 50 closest results for each mass)

DHA-13

DE2018042309 188 (6.912)

Voltage EI+  
103



Minimum: -1.5  
Maximum: 200.0 10.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
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Figure S53 HRMS of ethyl ester 16.

## Mosher esters:

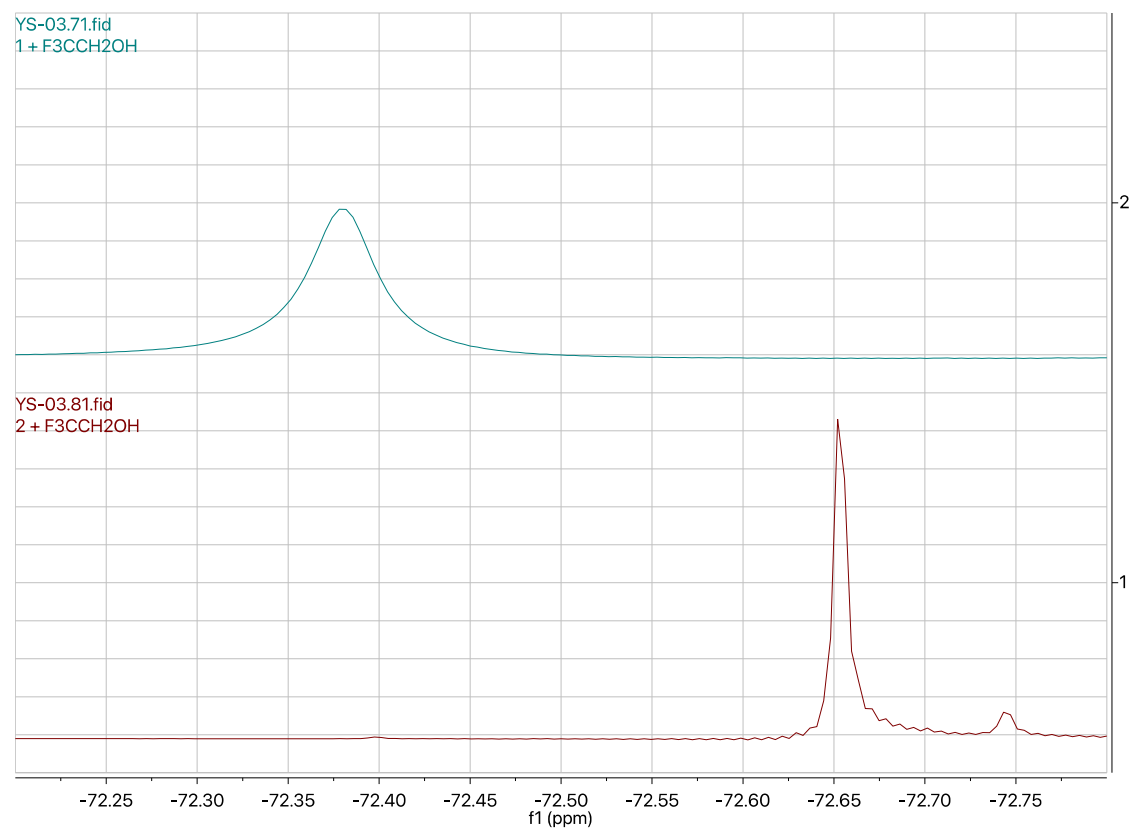


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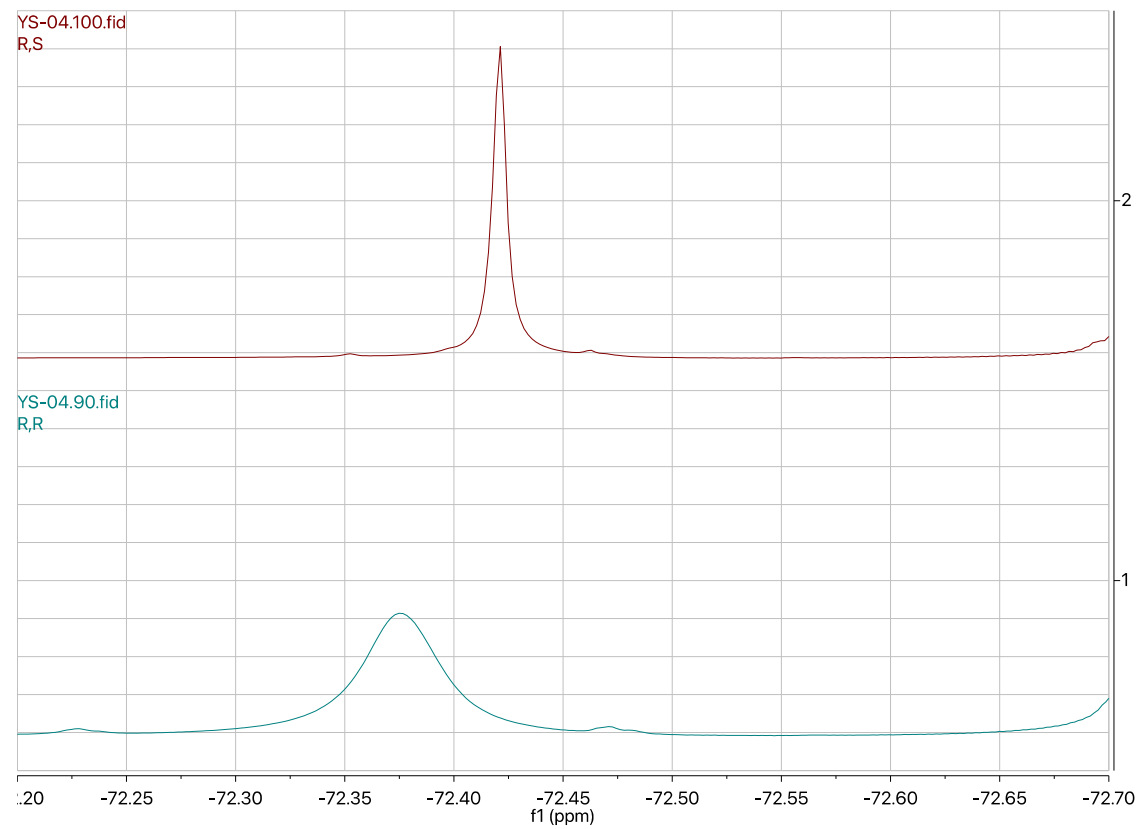


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