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The lateral metalation of isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazinones towards hit-to-lead development of selective positive modulators of metabotropic glutamate receptors

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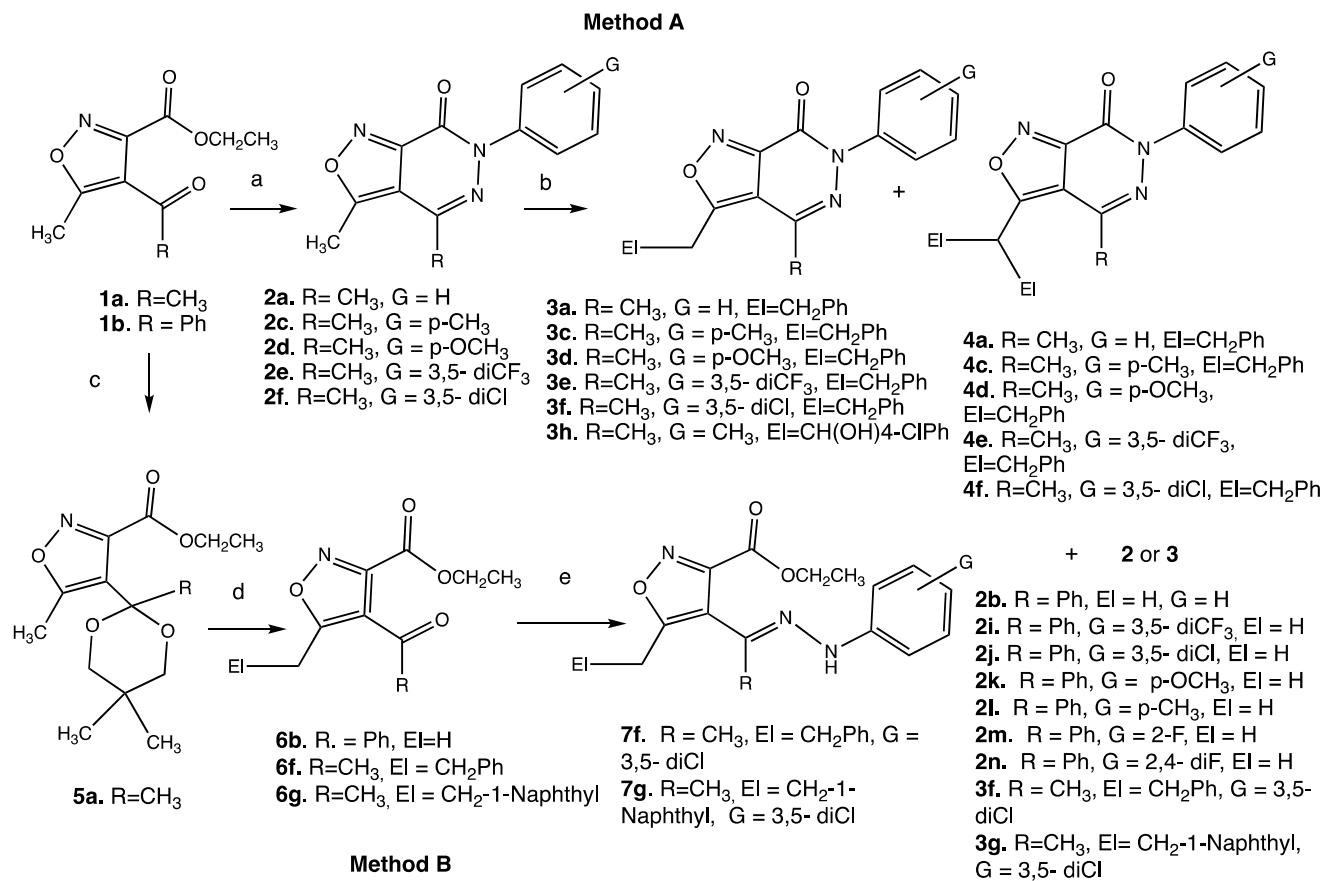
General Experimental

Starting materials and were prepared according to dal Piaz, The isoxazole acetal was prepared as we have previously described (Zhou, 1998; and Burkhardt, 2001)

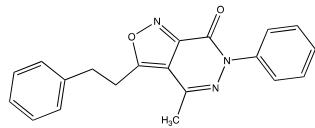
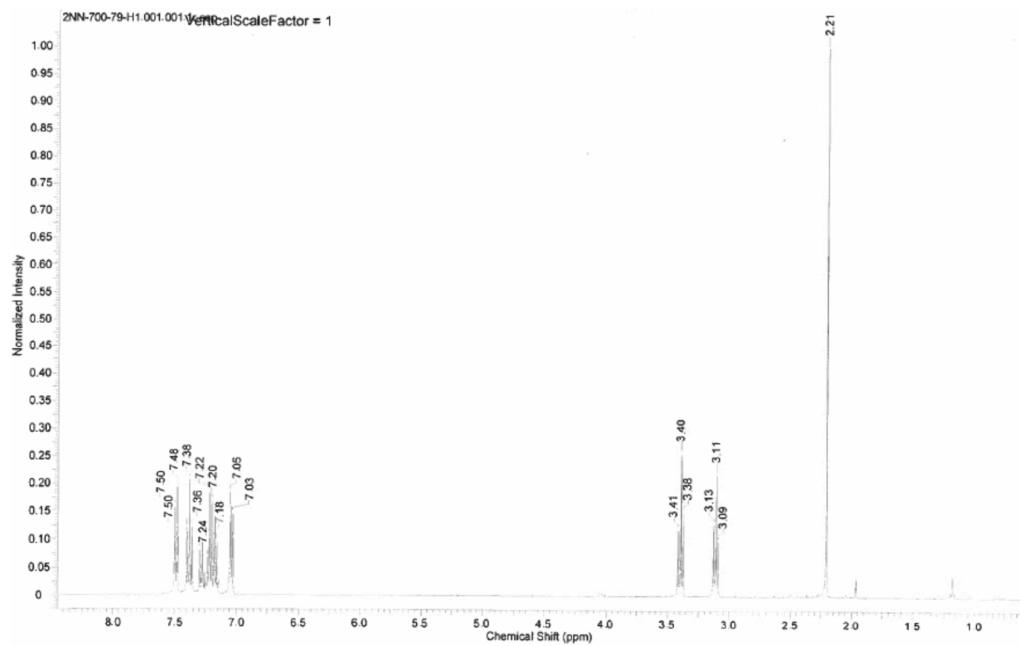
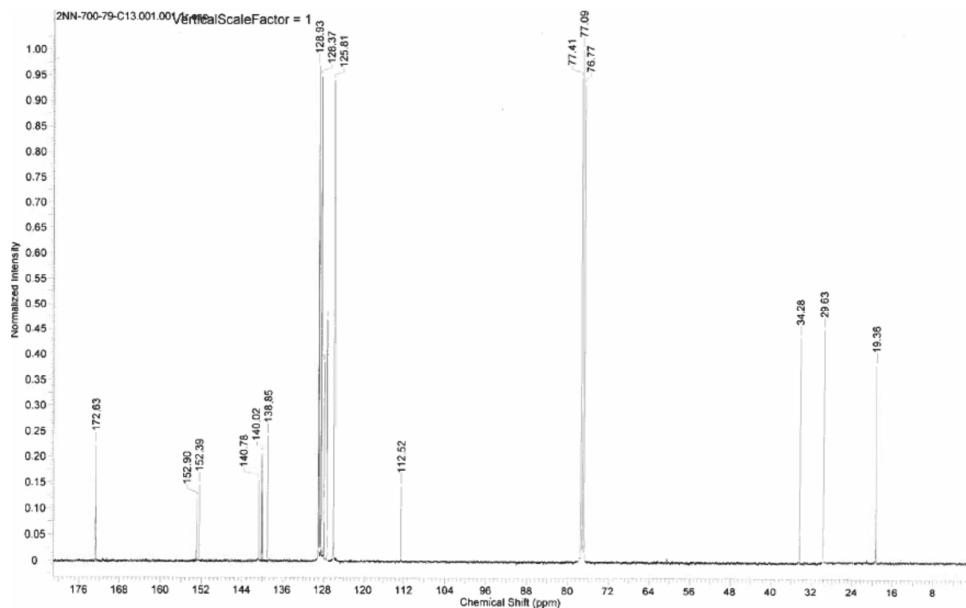
The regiochemistry of the [3,4-d]metalation was established by single crystal x-ray diffractometry (Campana, 2013)

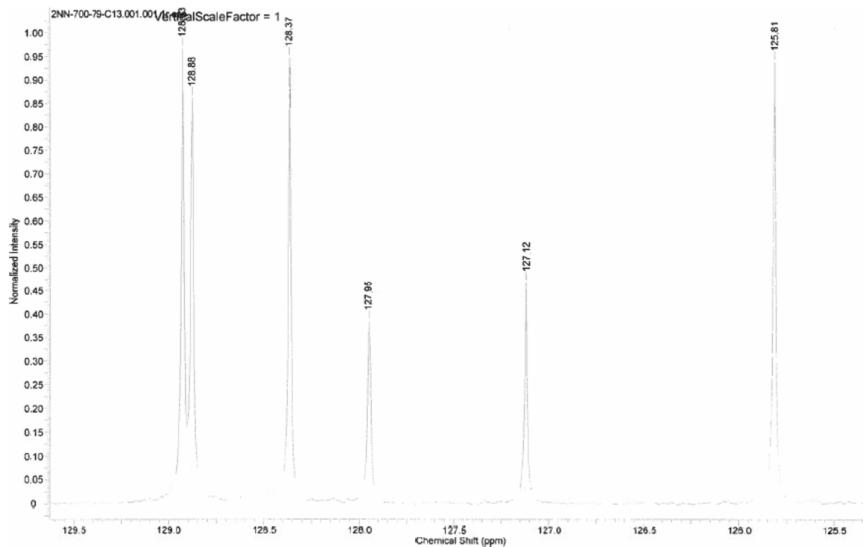
Tetrahydrofuran (THF) was dried over activated sieves then distilled from sodium and benzophenone. Argon gas was passed through tubes with indicator Drierite for reactions which required an inert atmosphere. NMR spectra were recorded at 400 MHz, unless otherwise specified, in CDCl_3 solution and are reported in ppm. The mass spectra were obtained using chemical ionization unless otherwise noted and are reported as m/Z (relative intensity). Starting materials for the lateral metalation was prepared via Dal Piaz's method for 4-phenyl and 4-methyl 3,4-ds (citation).

All steps were performed under inert atmosphere unless otherwise noted. To pre-dried round bottom cooled under argon the 3,4-d was added. After which dry THF was added in sufficient amount to reach a concentration of 50mM. The reaction was then placed and stirred in a cooling bath at the desired reaction temperature or based on solubility for 5min. Then 1 or 2 eq of the amine base was added via syringe dropwise over 5 min. The reaction mixture was then allowed to react for 30min, during which time the solution is usually observed to darken. Then add 1 or 2eq of a 1.7M solution of the electrophile in dry THF that has been cooled to 0°C or -78°C (done for 3,5-Cl₂) dropwise slowly. Allow to warm to room temperature, adding saturated ammonium chloride at about -20°C and allow to finish warming to room temperature. Concentration by rotary evaporator, dissolution in dichloromethane (DCM) and washed with water and brine was performed. The DCM layer was dried over sodium sulfate overnight. The Solution was then filtered and concentrated by rotary evaporator ,and purified by either PTLC or column with 6:1:1 hexanes, ethyl acetate, DCM.

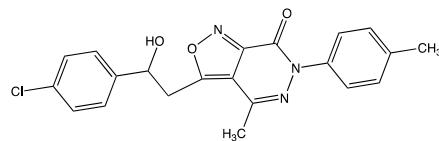


Scheme S1. Larger version of the Scheme

3-Phenylethyl, 4-methyl,6-phenylisoxazolo[3,4-*d*]pyridazin-7(6*H*)-one, 3a.**A. ¹H NMR****C. ¹³C NMR****D. ¹³C NMR zoom**

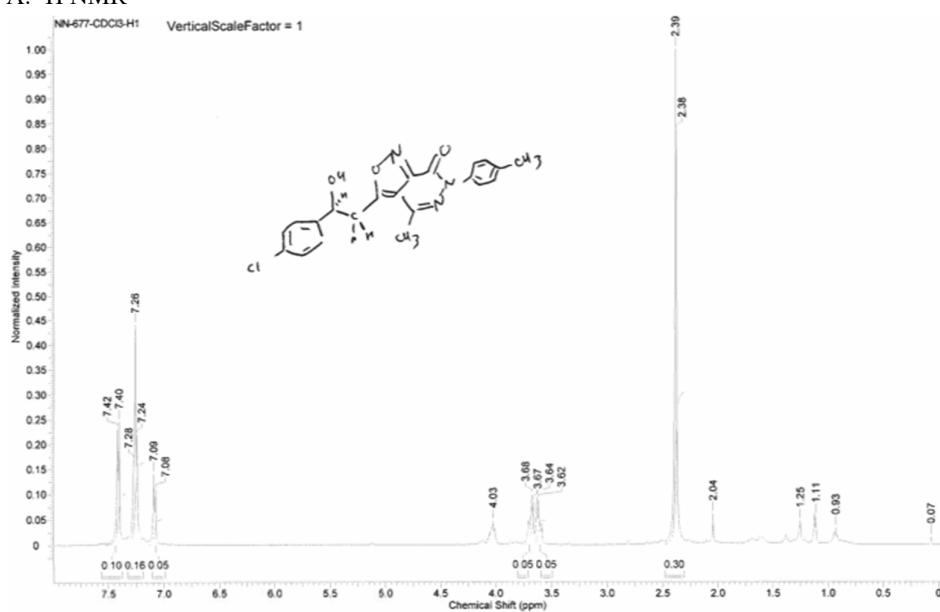


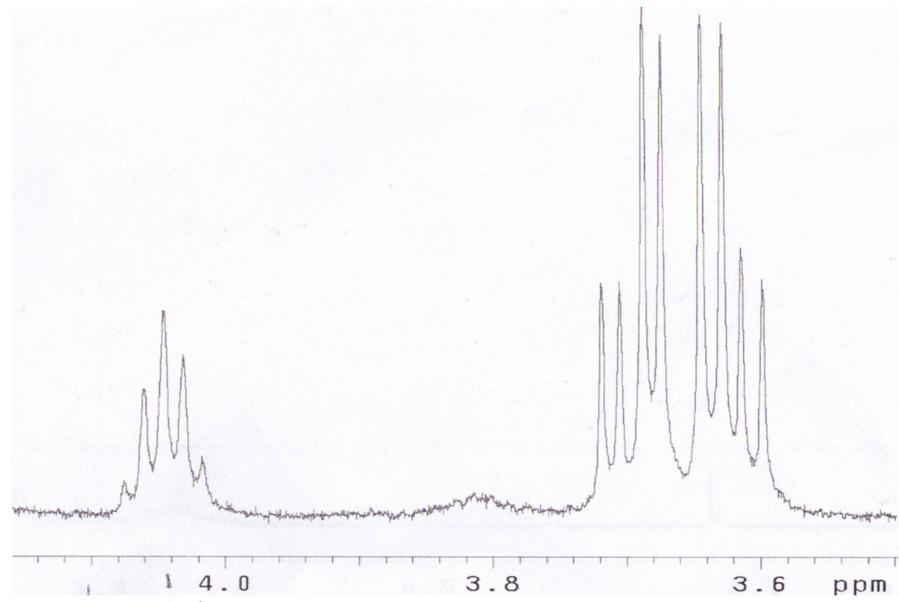
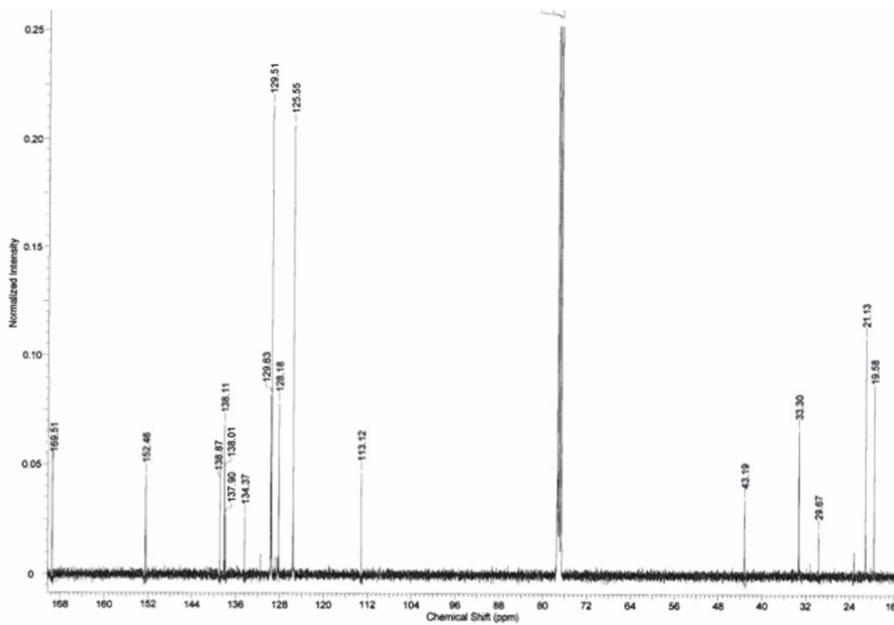
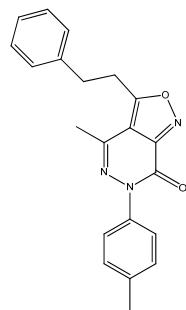
3-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methyl-6-(p-tolyl)isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one. 3h.



TLC (SiO_2 4:4:1 hexane-EtOAc-DCM) R_f 0.16. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.42 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H); 7.259 (m, 4H); 7.08 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H); 5.1 (br. m., 1H); 4.04 (dd, $J = 7$ Hz); 3.69 (dd, $J = 15$, 7 Hz, 1H); 3.62 (dd, $J = 7$, 15 Hz); 2.40 (s, 3H); 2.386 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR: 169.51, 152.46, 138.87, 138.11, 138.01, 137.90, 134.37, 129.63, 129.51, 128.18, 125.55, 113.12, 43.19, 33.30, 21.13, 19.58. $C_{21}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3$ MW 395.1; ESI-MS m/z 378.0079 (^{35}Cl , M-OH $^+$, 47% rel. I.), 379.9991 (^{37}Cl , M-OH $^+$, 15% rel. I.).

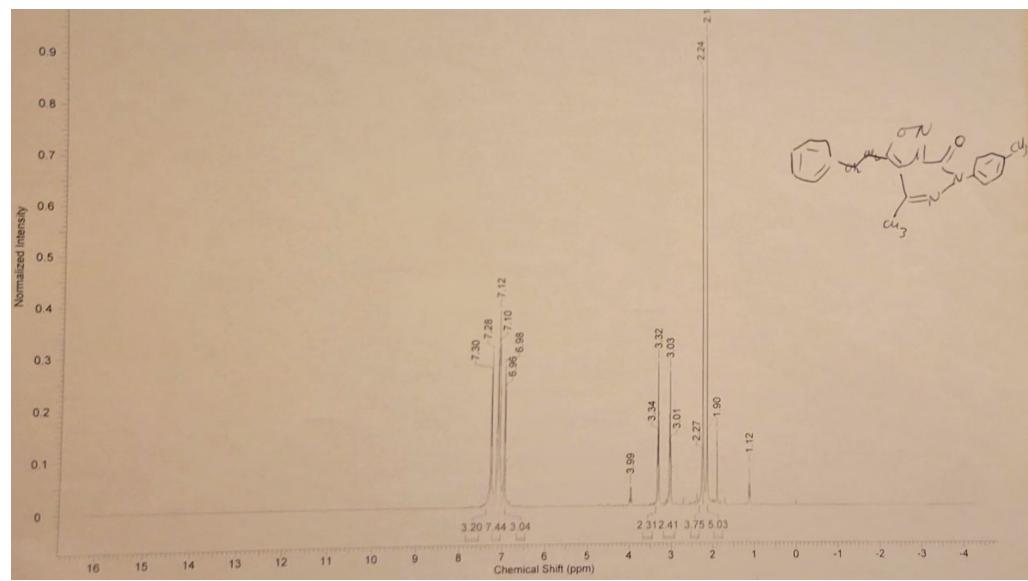
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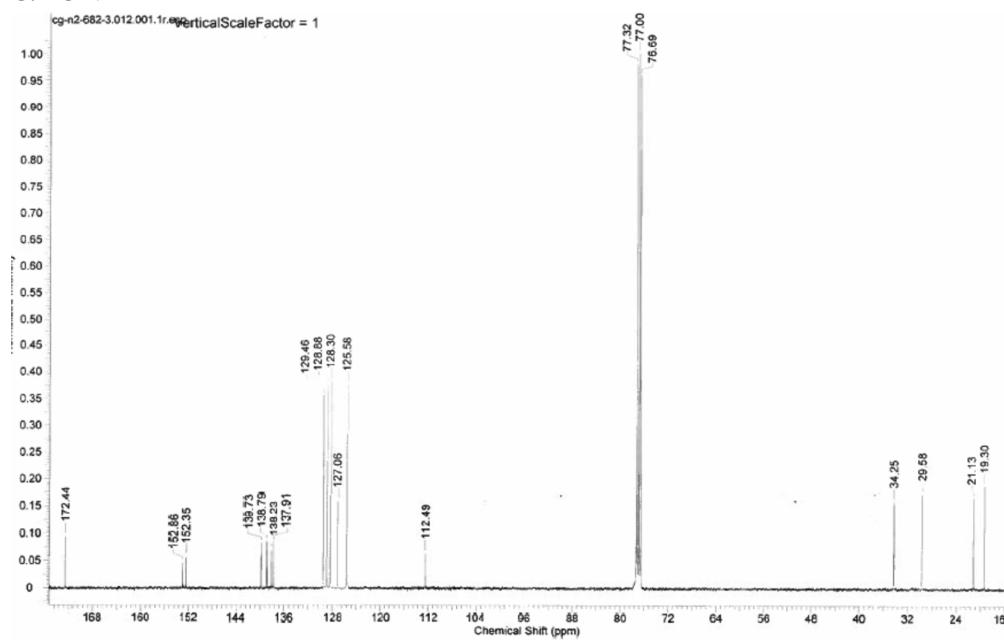
B. Expansion of ^1H NMR of hydroxy ethylene moiety of **3h.****C. ^{13}C NMR of **3.h**.****3. 4-methyl-3-phenethyl-6-(p-tolyl)isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one **3c**.**

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.29 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H); 7.12 (m, 5H); 6.97 (d, J=8Hz, 2H); 3.32 (t, J=8Hz, 2H); 3.03 (t, J=8Hz, 2H); 2.24 (s, 3H); 2.14 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR: 172.44, 152.86, 152.35, 139.73, 138.79, 138.23, 137.91, 129.46, 128.88, 128.30, 127.06, 125.58, 112.49, 34.25, 29.58, 21.13, 19.30. C₂₁H₂₀N₃O₂ MW 345.39; ESI-MS m/z 346.1176 (M+1+, 100% rel. I.). HRMS: calc'd for C₂₁H₂₀N₃O₂ (M+H⁺): 346.1556, found: 346.1558. 0.6 ppm.

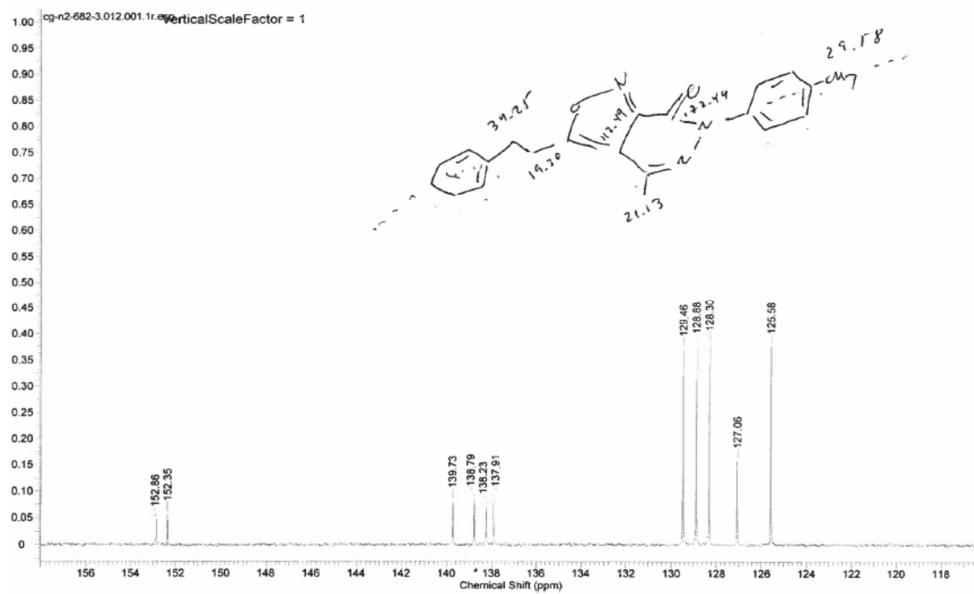
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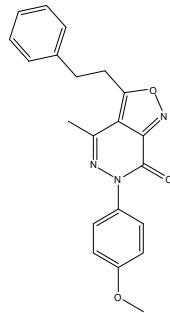
C. ¹³C NMR



D. ¹³C NMR zoom

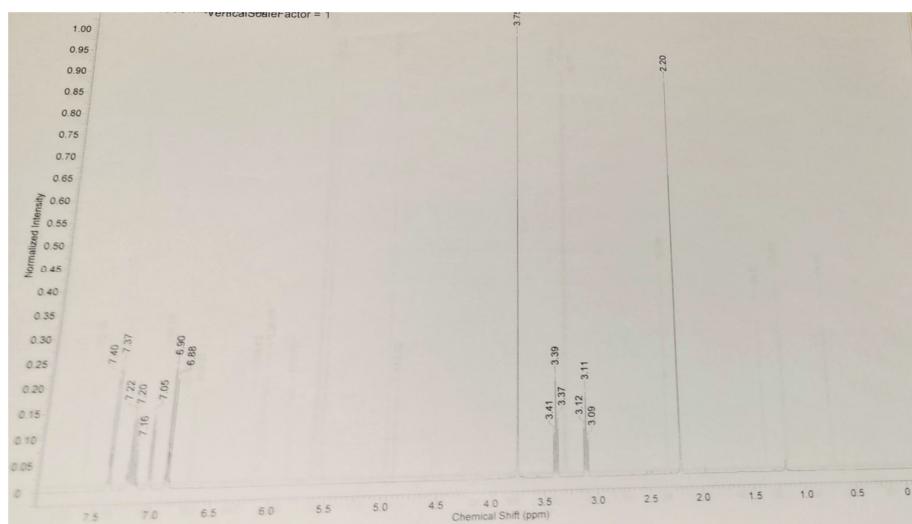


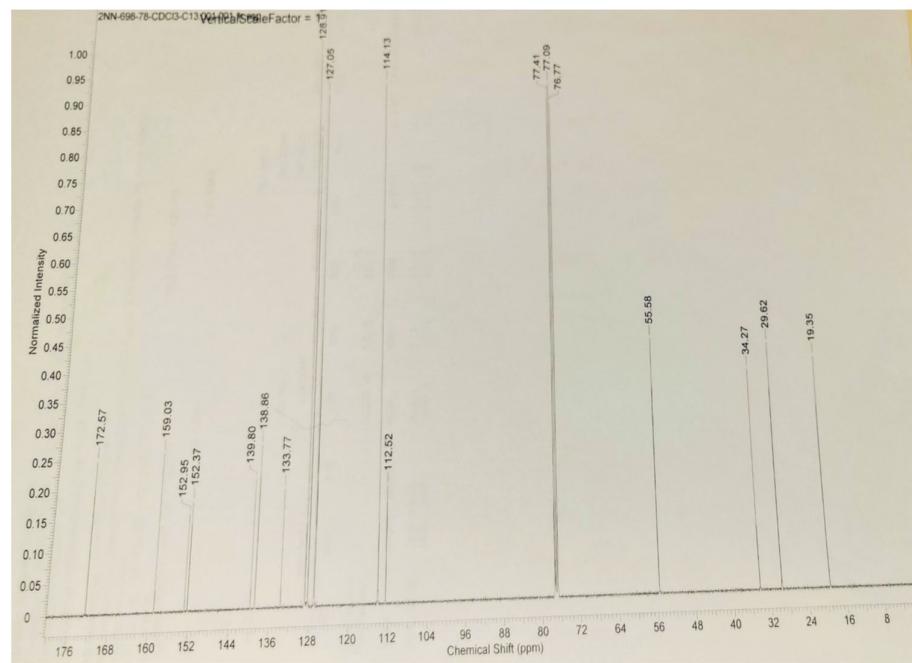
4. 6-(p-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-3-phenethyl-isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 3d.



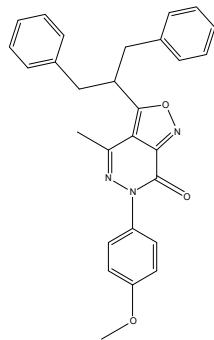
3.d. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.385 (d, $J = 8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 7.16-7.22 (m, 3H); 7.765 (d, $J=8\text{Hz}$, d); 6.89 (d, $J = 8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 3.73 (s, 3H); 3.38 (t, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 3.11 (t, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 2.20 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR: 172.57, 159.03, 152.95, 152.37, 139.80, 138.86, 133.77, 128.91, 127.05, 114.13, 55.58, 34.27, 29.62, 19.35. C₂₁H₁₉N₃O₃ MW: 361.3. HRMS calc'd for C₂₁H₂₀N₃O₃ ($M+\text{H}^+$): 362.1505, found: 362.1506. 0.3 ppm.

A. ^1H NMR



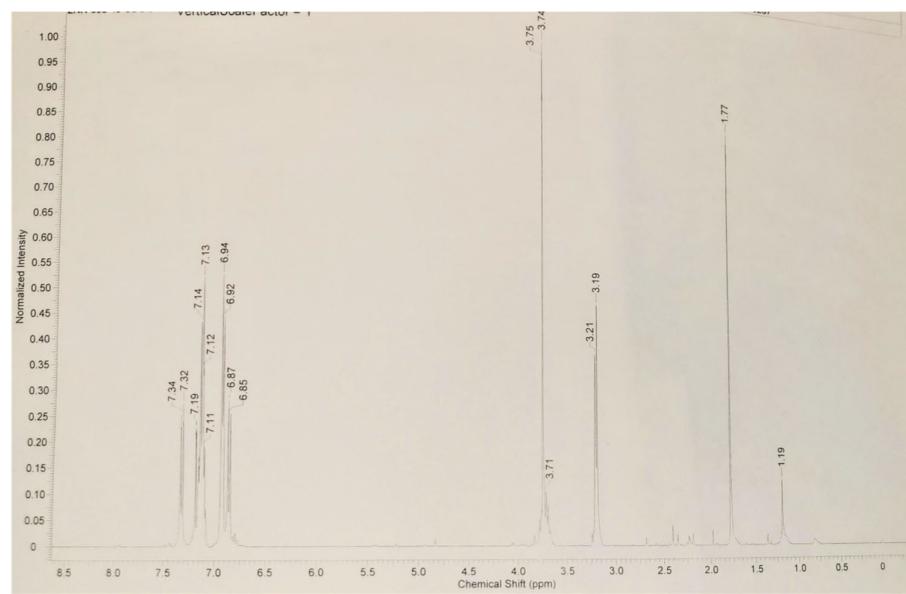
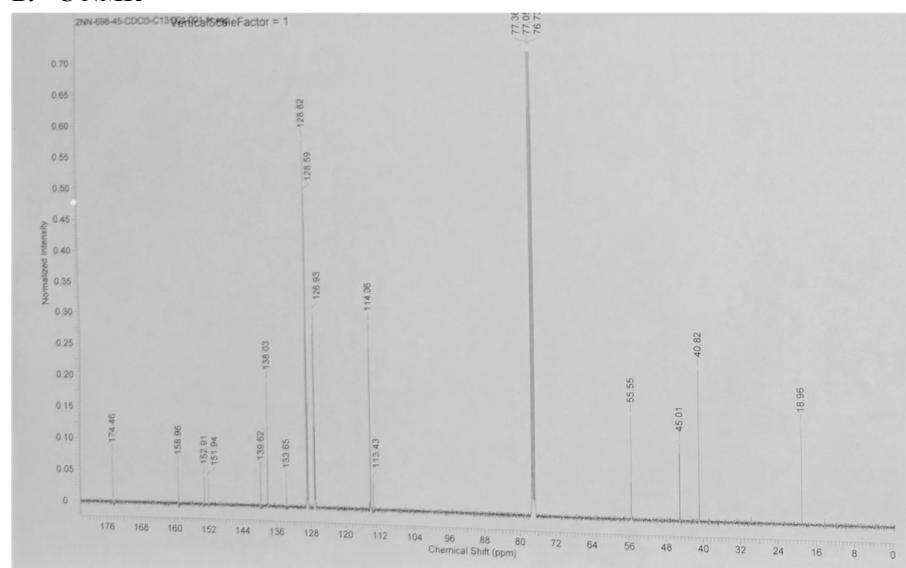
B. ^{13}C NMR

6. 6-(p-methoxyphenyl)-3-(1,3-diphenylpropan-2-yl)-4-methyl-isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 4d.

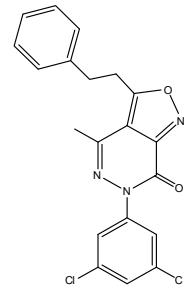


4.d. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.41 (d, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 7.19–7.25 (m, 6H); 7.19 (d, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 4H); 6.94 (d, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 2H); 3.83 (s, 3H); 3.81 (pentet, $J = 8\text{Hz}$, 1H); 3.28 (d, $J=8\text{Hz}$, 4H); 1.85 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR: 174.46, 158.96, 152.91, 151.94, 139.62, 138.03, 133.65, 128.82, 128.59, 126.93, 114.06, 113.43, 55.55, 45.01, 40.82, 18.96. C₂₈H₂₅N₃O₃ MW: 451.5. HRMS calc'd for C₂₈H₂₆N₃O₃ ($M+\text{H}^+$): 452.1974, Found: 452.1975. 0.2 ppm.

A. ^1H NMR

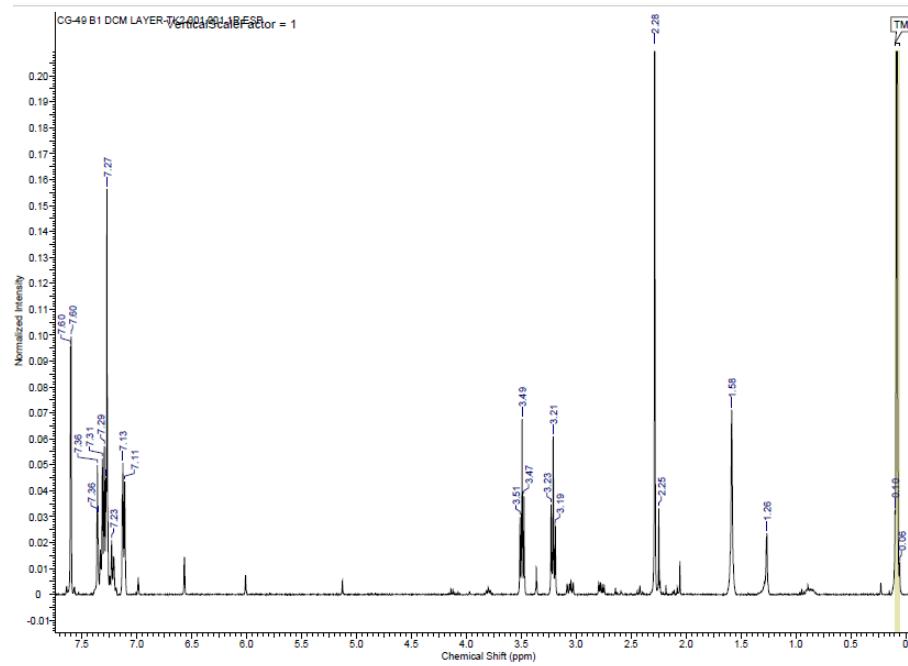
B. ^{13}C NMR

7. 6-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-3-phenethylisoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 3f.

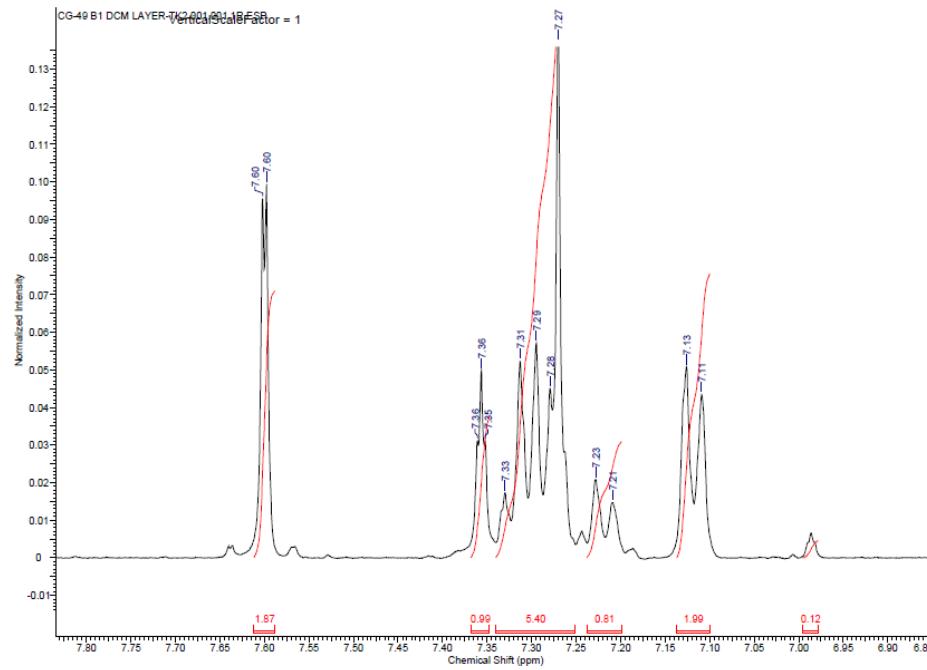


^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.515 (d, $J = 4$ Hz, 2H); 7.18–7.27 (m, 5H); 7.04 (d, 1H); 3.41 (t, 3 $J = 8$ Hz, 2H); 3.12 (t, 3 $J = 8$ Hz, 2H); 2.2 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR: 173.01, 152.72; 151.99; 142.12; 140.88; 138.62; 134.81; 128.91; 128.28; 127.15; 124.20; 112.29; 34.20; 29.61; 19.26. $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$ MW: 400.26; ESI-MS m/z 400 ($\text{M}+\text{H}$, 100% rel. I.); 402 ($\text{M}+\text{H}+2$, 67.7); 404 ($\text{M}+\text{H}+4$, 12.2). HRMS Calc'd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$ 400.0620, Found: 400.0622. 0.5 ppm.

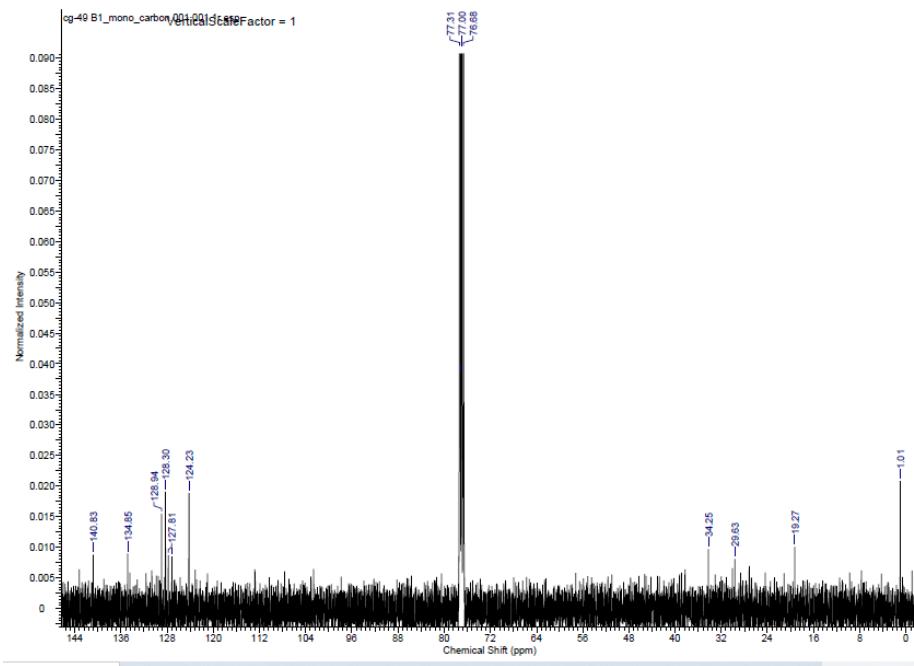
A. ^1H NMR



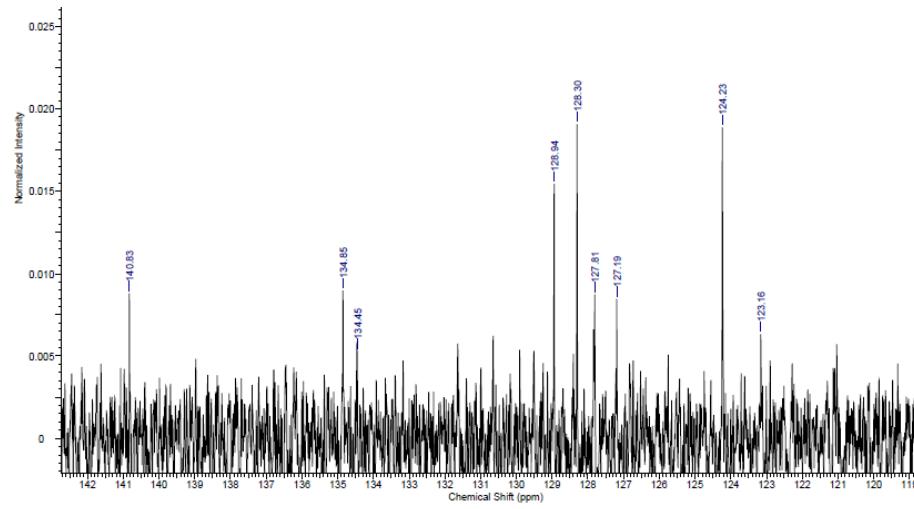
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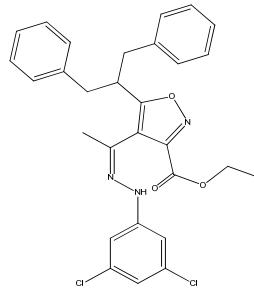
C. ^{13}C NMR



D. ^{13}C NMR zoom

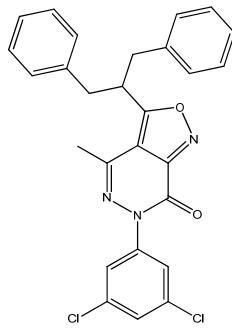


13. (*E*)-ethyl-4-(1-(2-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)hydrazono)ethyl)-5-phenethylisoxazole-3-carboxylate, open precursor to 4f.



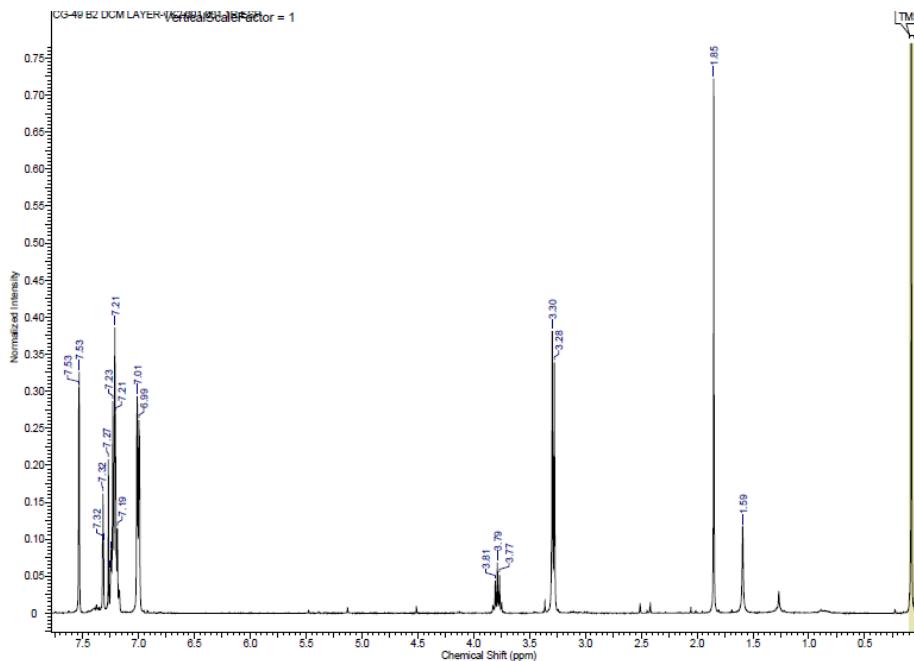
. 7.f. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 4.34 (q, $J = 8$ Hz, 2H); 3.17 (t, 2H); 2.98 (t, 2H); 1.80 (s, 3H); 1.32 (t, $J = 8$ Hz, 3H). C₂₂H₂₁Cl₂N₃O₃ MW: 446.3; ESI-MS m/z 446 ($M+1+$, 100% rel. I.), 448 ($M+3+$, 67.4).

8. 6-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-3-(1,3-diphenylpropan-2-yl)-isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 4f.

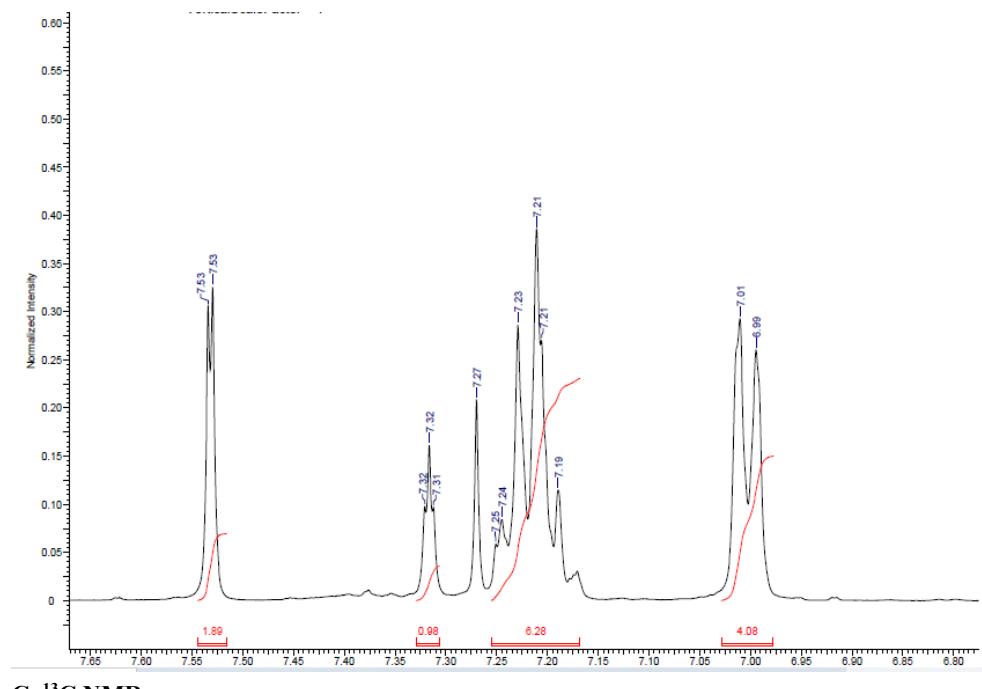


4.f. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.532 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 2H); 7.32 (t, $J=1.7(x2),1\text{H}$); 7.25-7.19 (m, 6H); 7.01-6.99 (d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 4H); 3.81-3.77 (t, 3 $J = 8$ Hz (x2), 1H); 3.30 (s, 2H); 3.28 (s, 2H); 1.85 (s, 3H); 1.59 (s, 1H). ^{13}C NMR: 174.99; 140.68; 137.87; 134.75; 128.84; 128.50; 127.16; 124.11; 45.15; 40.83; 18.88 C₂₇H₂₁Cl₂N₃O₂ MW: 490.39; HRMS 489 ($M-\text{H}$, 100% rel. I.); 491 ($M+\text{H}$). Calc'd for C₂₇H₂₁Cl₂N₃O₂ 490.3805, Found: 490.1226.

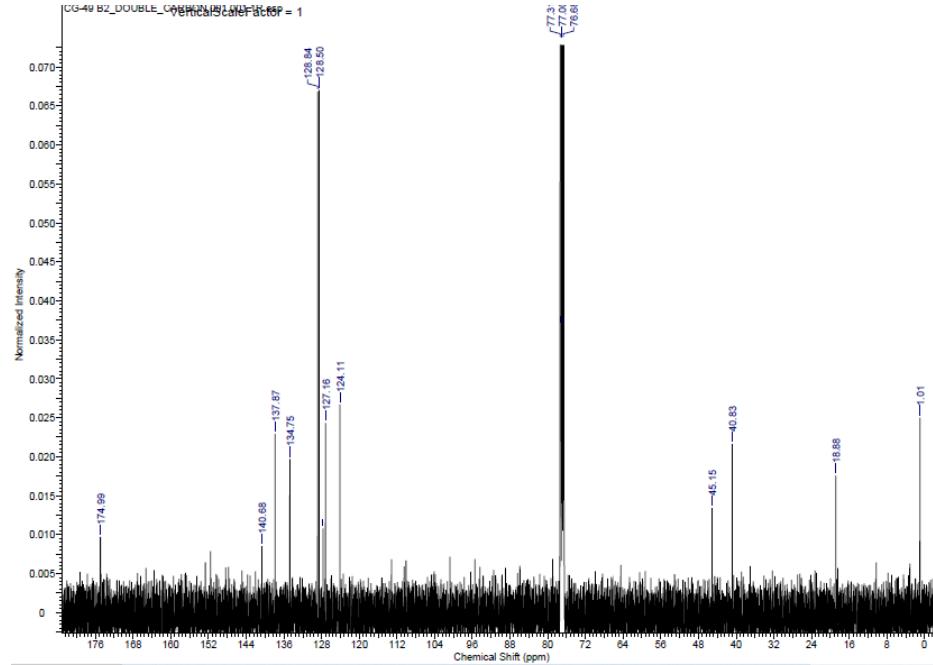
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B. ^1H NMR Aromatic expanded

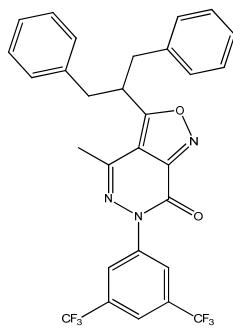


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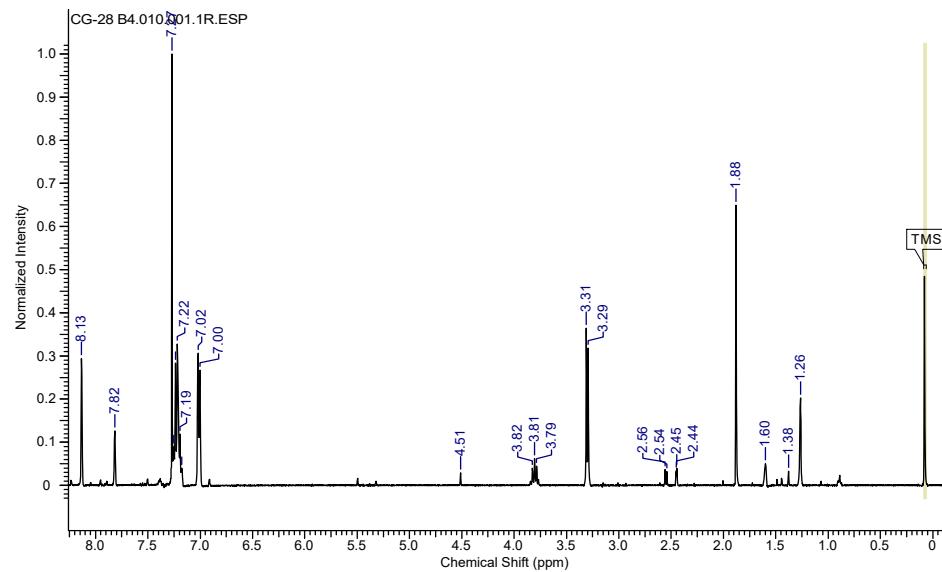
D. ¹³C NMR zoom

10. 6-(3,5-bistrifluoromethylphenyl)-4-methyl-3-(1,3-diphenylpropan-2-yl)-isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 4e.

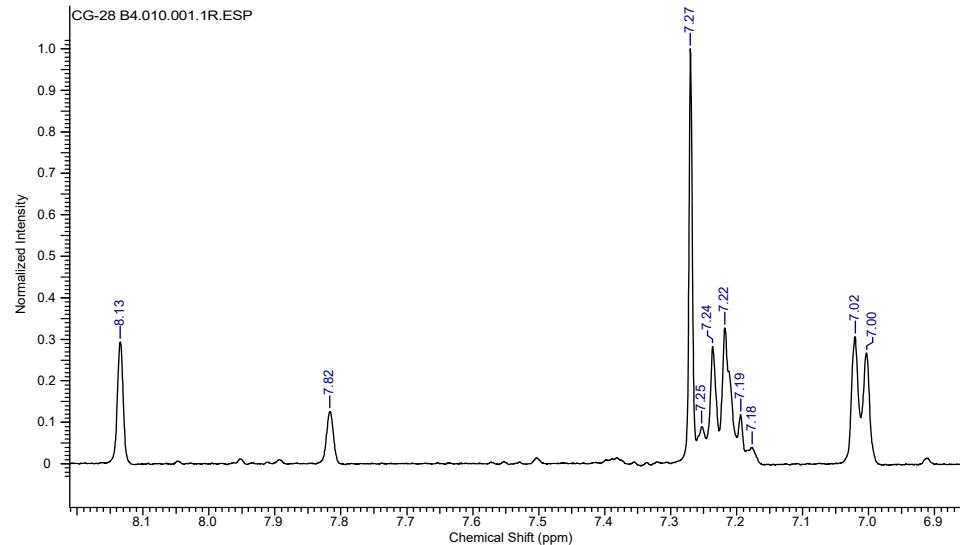


4.e. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.13 (s, 2H); 7.82 (s, 1H); 7.04 (d, 1H); 7.25–7.18 (m, $J = 8\text{Hz}$, 6H); 7.02–7.00 (d, $J = 8\text{Hz}$, 4H); 3.82–3.79 (m, 1H); 3.31 (s, 2H); 3.29 (s, 2H); 1.88 (s, 3H); 1.6 (s, 1H). ^{13}C NMR 175.27, 137.82, 128.86, 128.48, 127.17, 113.23, 45.23, 18.90, C₂₉H₂₁F₆N₃O₂ MW: 557.49; HRMS m/z 558 ($\text{M}+\text{H}$, 100% rel. I.); 559 ($\text{M}+\text{H}+2$); Calc'd for C₂₉H₂₁F₆N₃O₂ 557.49, Found: 557.1153.

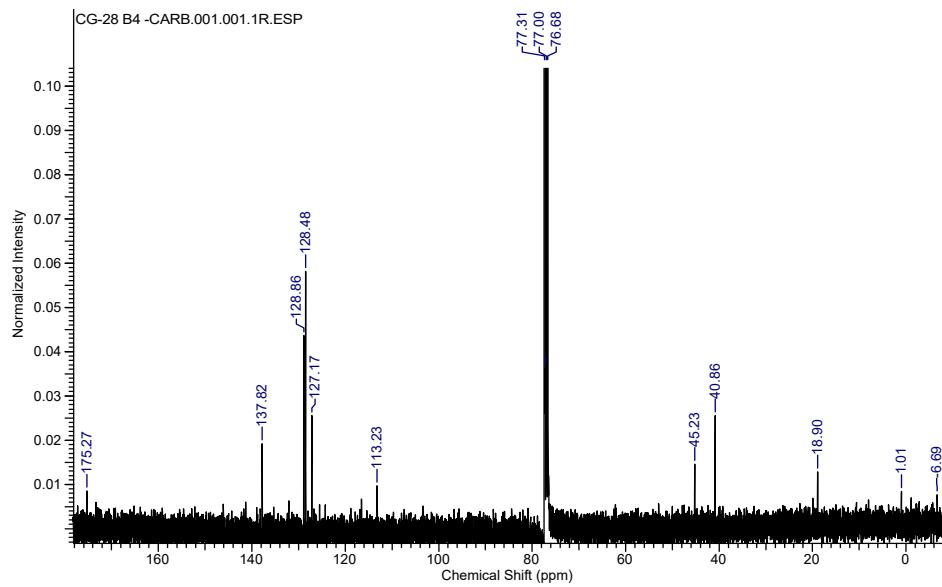
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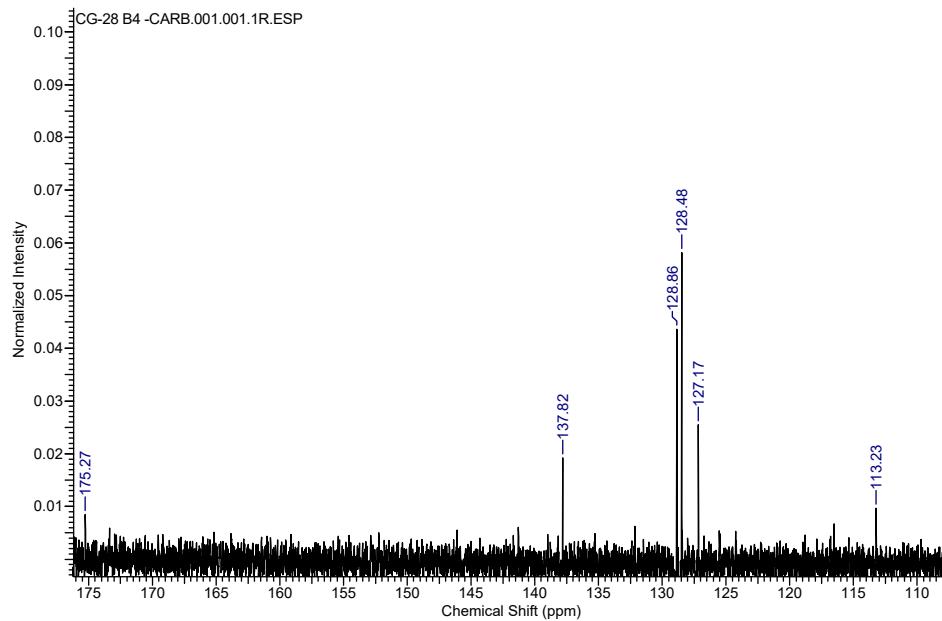
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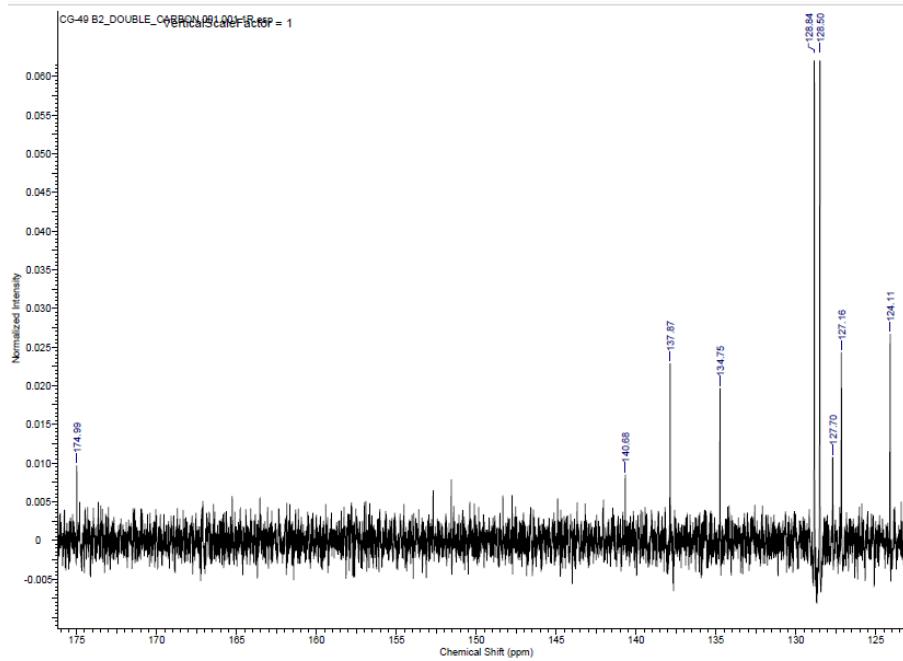


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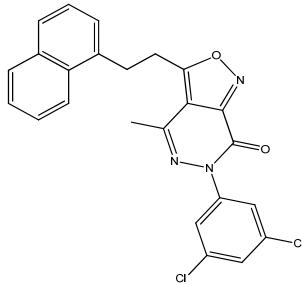


D. ^{13}C NMR zoom



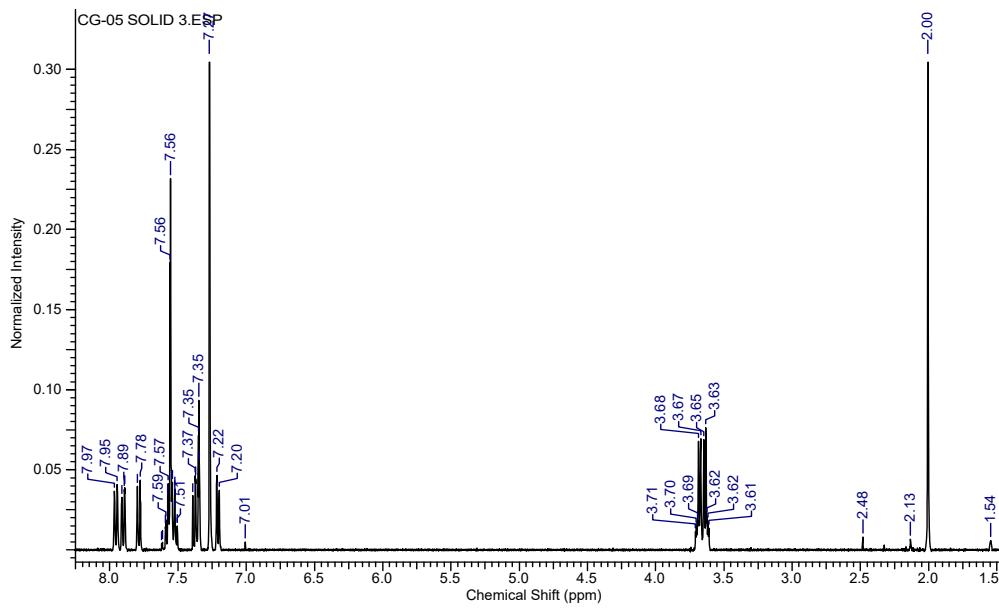


14. 6-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-3-(2-(naphthalen-1-yl)ethyl)isoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one, 3g.

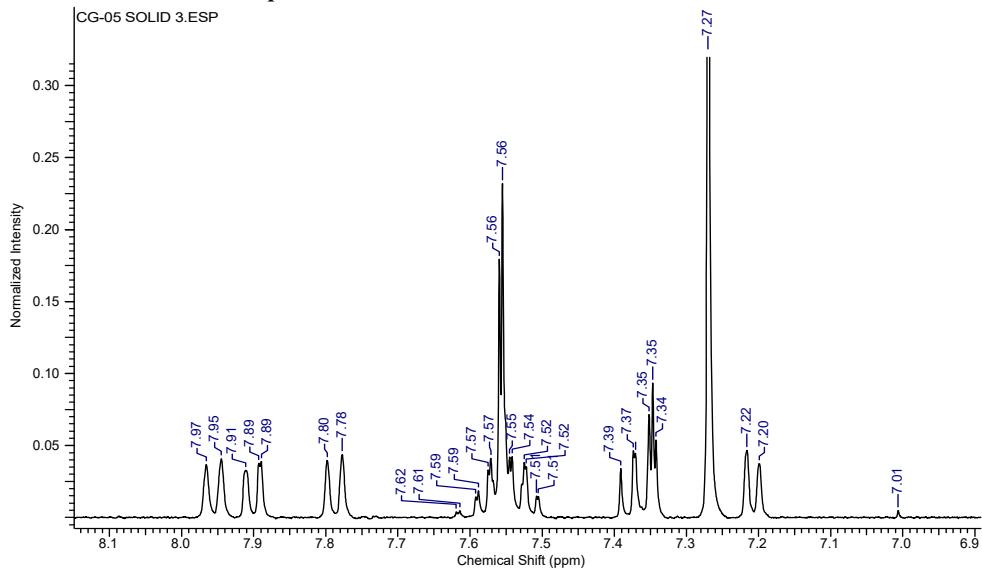


. 3.g. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.96 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H); 7.90 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H); 7.79 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H); 7.37-7.61 (m, 1H); 7.56 (d, $J = 2$ Hz, 2H); 7.35 (t, 1H); 7.35 (d, $J = 2$ Hz, 1H); 7.21 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 3.675 (dd, 2H); 3.64 (dd, 2H); 2.00 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR: δ 172.98, 152.67, 152.0, 142.11, 140.73, 134.83, 134.57, 131.20; 129.26, 127.0, 126.65, 125.57, 124.22, 122.62, 112.46, 31.42, 28.65, 18.92. C₂₄H₁₇Cl₂N₃O₂ MW: 450.32; ESI-MS m/z 450 ($M+\text{H}$, 100% rel. I.); 452 ($M+\text{H}+2$, 68.9); 452 ($M+\text{H}+4$, 13.1). HRMS Calc'd for C₂₄H₁₈Cl₂N₃O₂ 450.0776, Found: 450.0775. -0.2 ppm.

A. ^1H NMR



B. ¹H NMR Aromatic expanded



C. ¹³C NMR

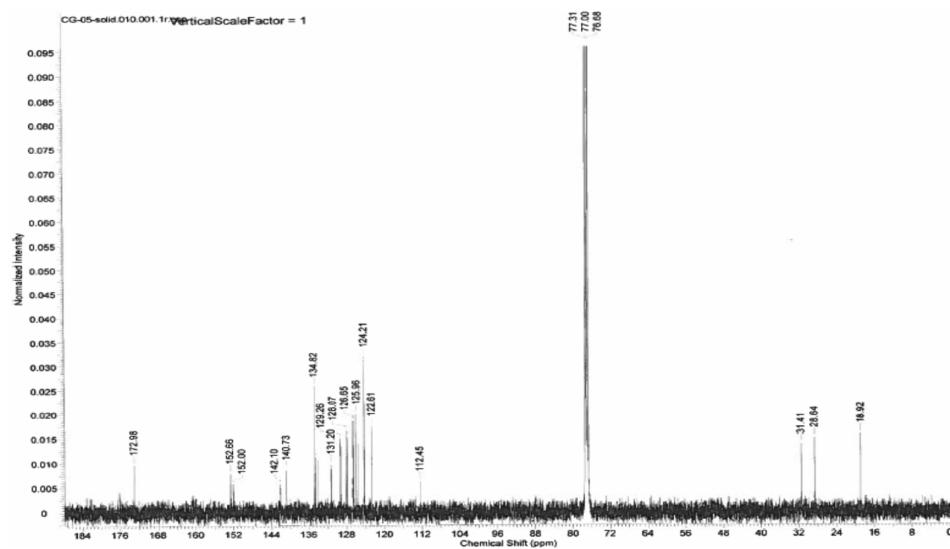
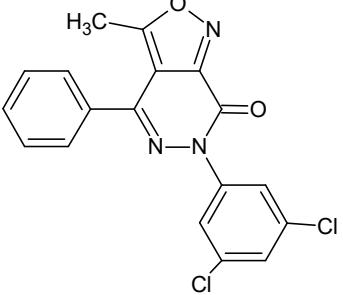
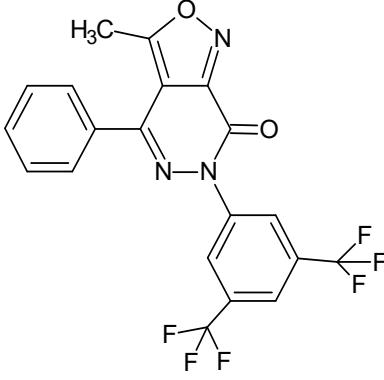
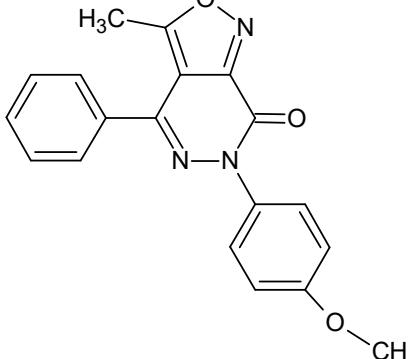
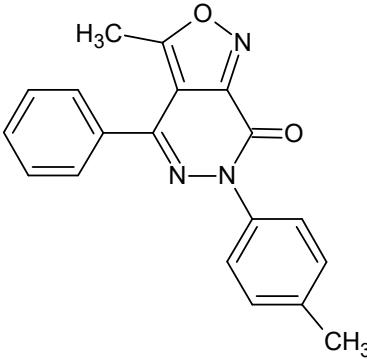
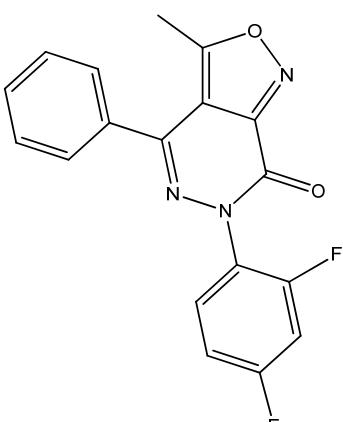
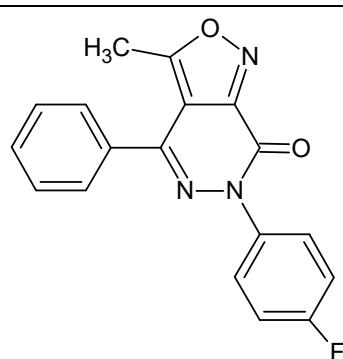
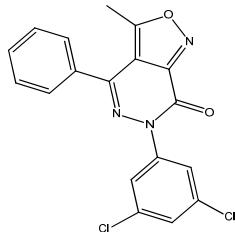


Table S1. 4-phenyl series of [3,4-d] analogs

2j cg-15;17;25;33;36		212.5 Molecular Formula = C ₁₈ H ₁₁ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ Formula Weight = 372.20484
2i cg-19;34;35		205 Molecular Formula = C ₂₀ H ₁₁ F ₆ N ₃ O ₂ Formula Weight = 439.3106592
2k cg-22;24		40 Molecular Formula = C ₁₉ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₃ Formula Weight = 333.3407
2l cg-32		119 Molecular Formula = C ₁₉ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₂ Formula Weight = 317.3413

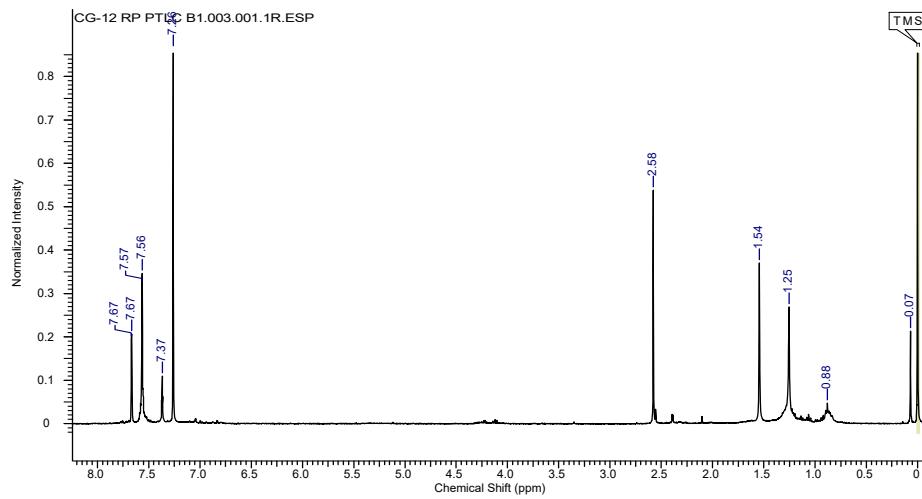
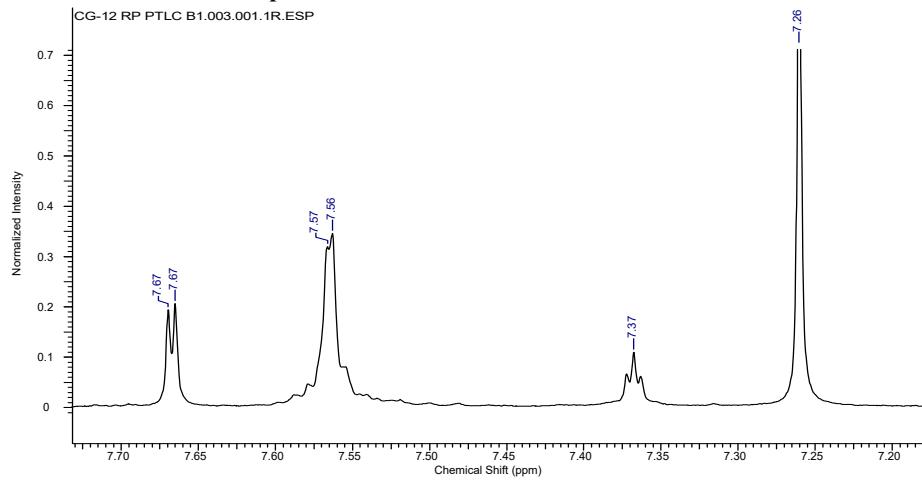
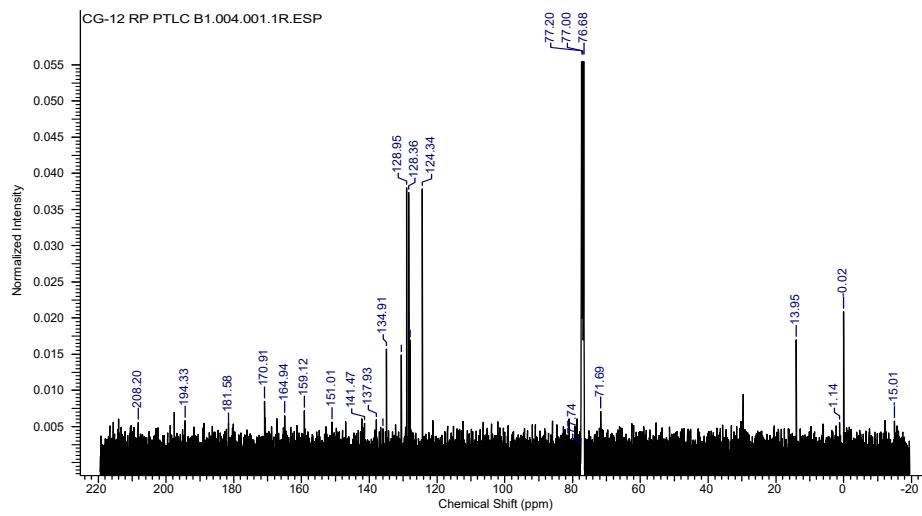
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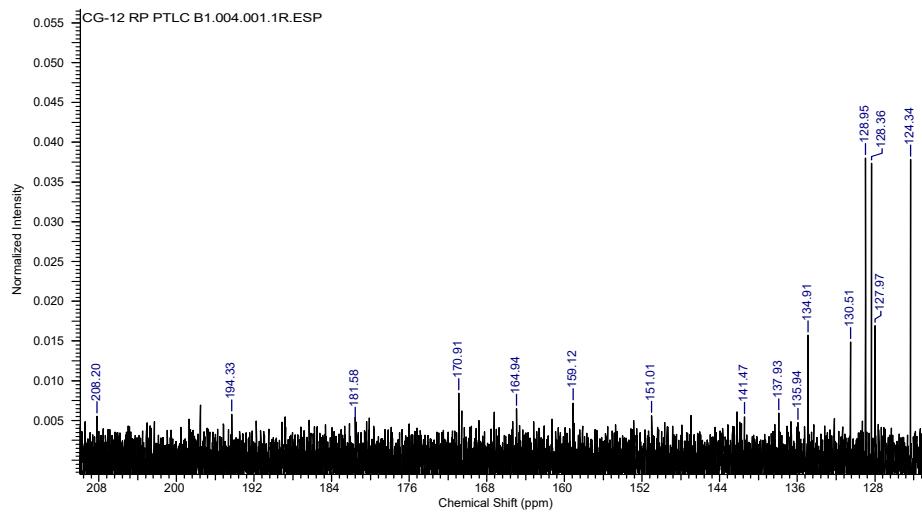
9. 6-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-3-methyl-4-phenylisoxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one. 2j.



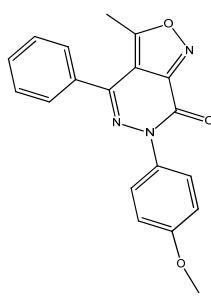
1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.68 (2H); 7.57 (5H); 7.38 (1H); 5.59 (s, 3H). 13C NMR: δ 208.20, 194.33, 181.58, 170.91, 164.94, 152.67, 152.0, 142.11, 140.73, 134.83, 134.57, 131.20; 129.26, 127.0, 126.65, 125.57, 124.22, 122.62, 112.46, 31.42, 28.65, 18.92. HRMS Calc'd for C₁₈H₁₁Cl₂N₃O₂+H 372.0307, Found: 372.0309. 0.5 ppm.

A. ¹H NMR

**B. ^1H NMR Aromatic expanded****C. ^{13}C NMR****D. ^{13}C NMR zoom**

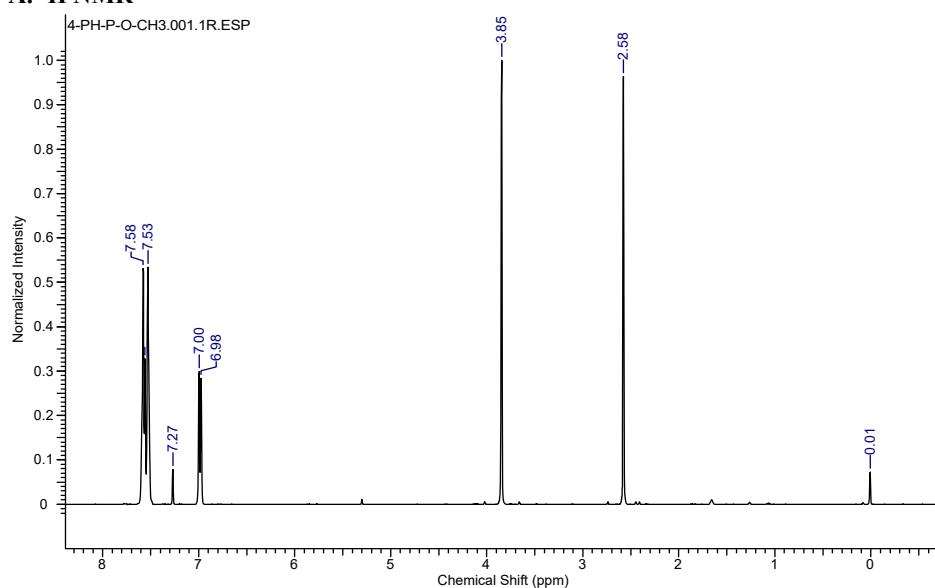


11. 6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-methyl-4-phenyl-6H,7H-[1,2]oxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7-one, 2k.

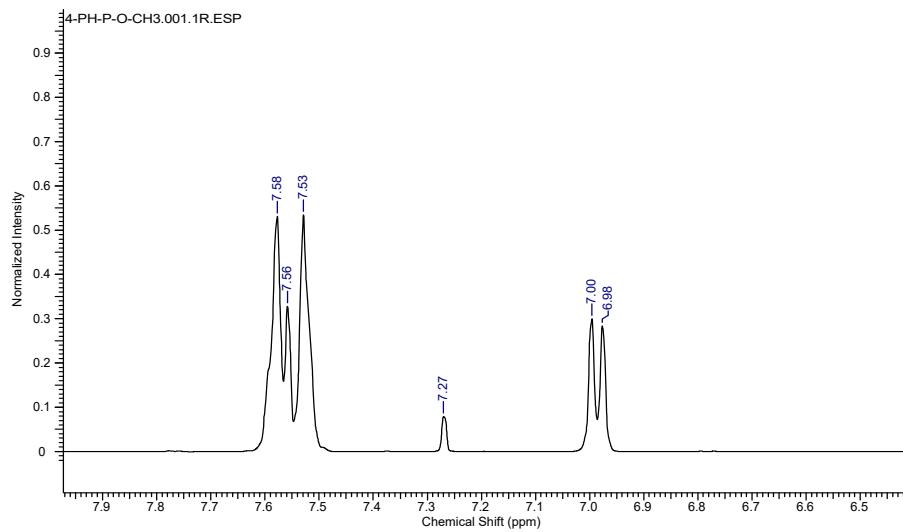


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.58-7.53 (t, J=8,7H); 7.00-6.98(d, J=8,2H); 3.85(s,3H); 2.58 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR 170.38; 159.0; 152.82; 152.73; 142.63; 133.77; 130.11; 28.76; 128.40; 127.02; 114.03; 111.37; 55.52; 13.92 C19H15N3O3 MW: 333.35; HRMS m/z: 333.1113 (100.0%), 334.1147 (20.5%), 335.1181 (2.0%), 334.1084 (1.1%); Calc'd for C19H15N3O3 333.3407, Found: 333.1113.

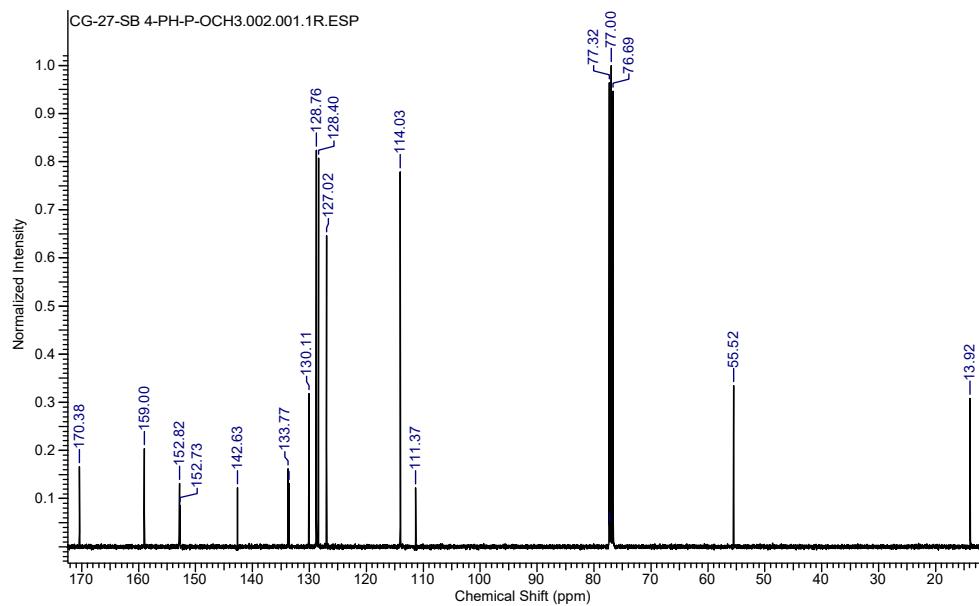
A. ¹H NMR



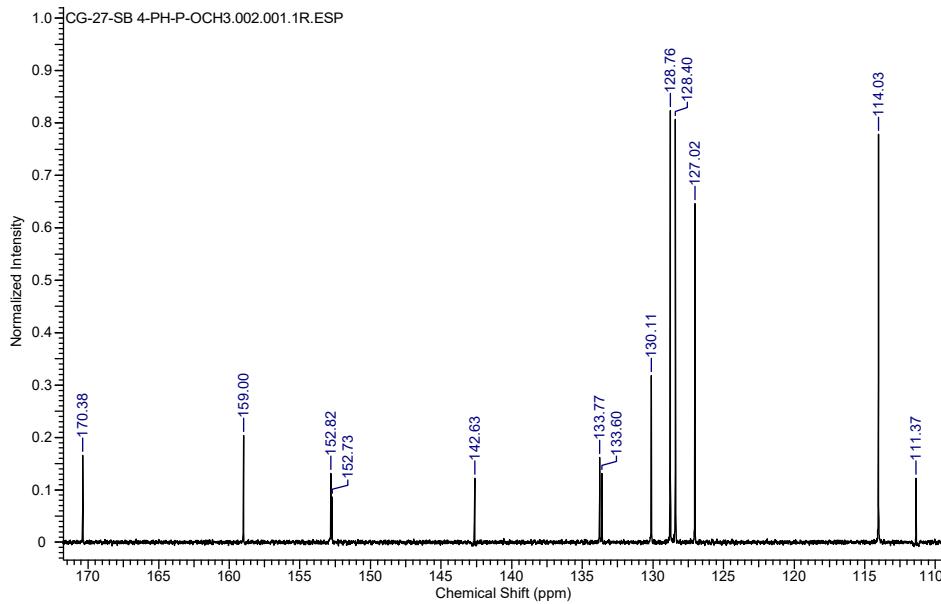
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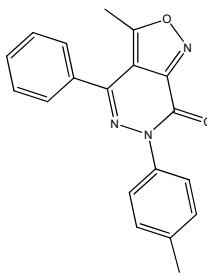
C. ¹³C NMR



D. ¹³C NMR zoom

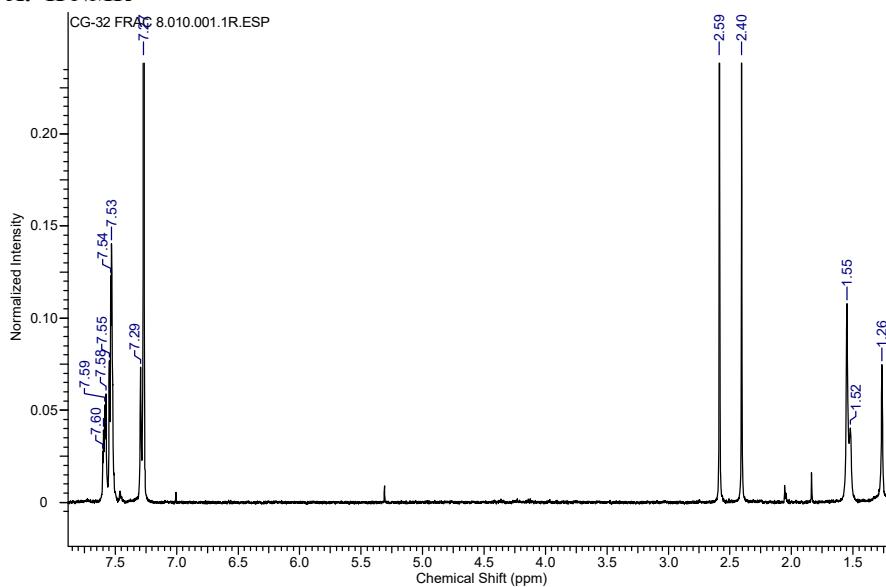


12. 3-methyl-6-(4-methylphenyl)-4-phenyl-6H,7H-[1,2]oxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7-one, 2l.

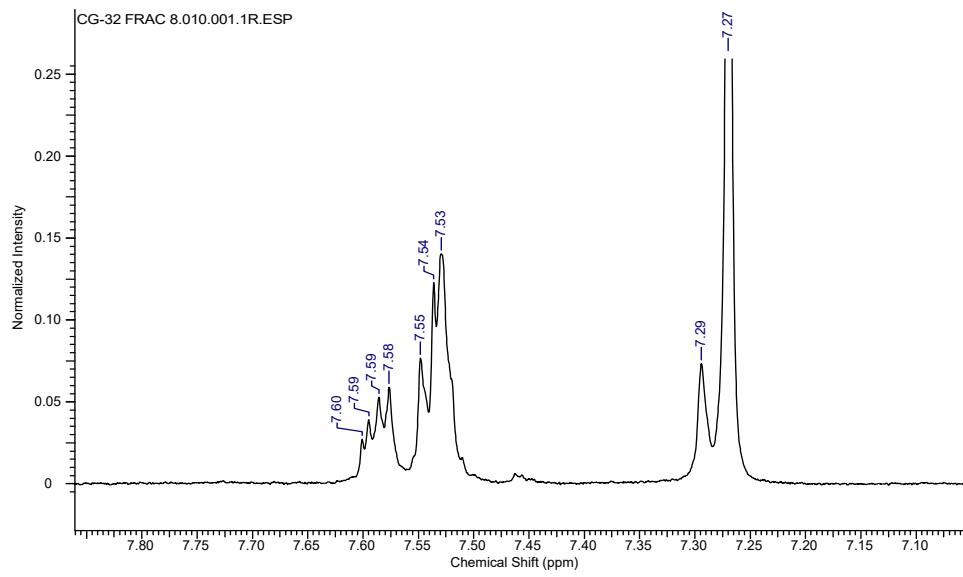


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.60-7.58 (m, J=4.2Hz); 7.55-7.53(t, J=4.5Hz); 2.59 (s, 3H); 2.40(s,3H). ¹³C NMR 170.58; 152.75; 133.48; 130.30; 128.87; 128.38; 127.68; 115.82; 115.60; 111.40; 13.95 C19H15N3O2 MW: 317.34; HRMS m/z Calc'd for C19H15N3O2 317.3413, Found: 317.1164.

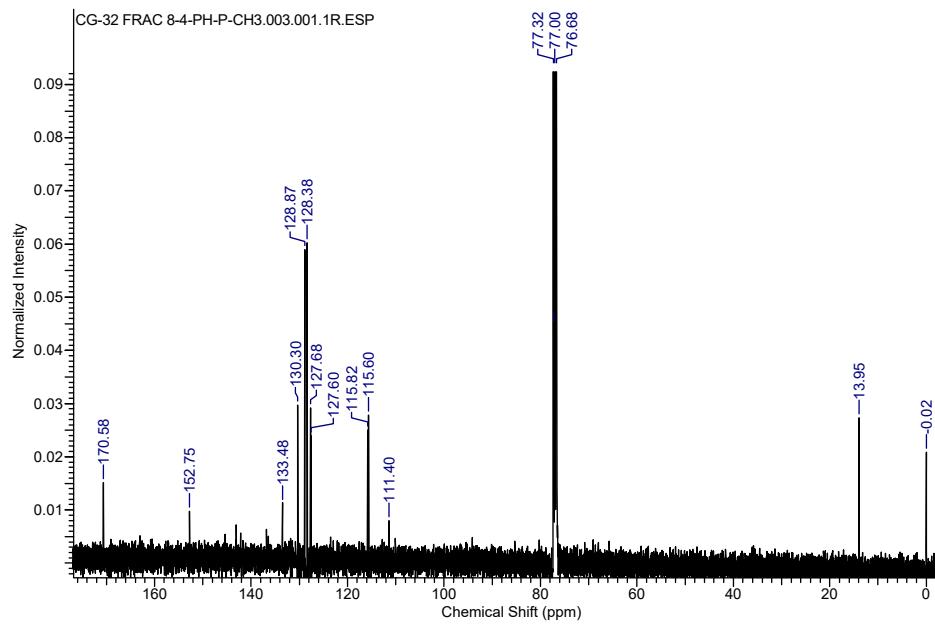
A. ¹H NMR



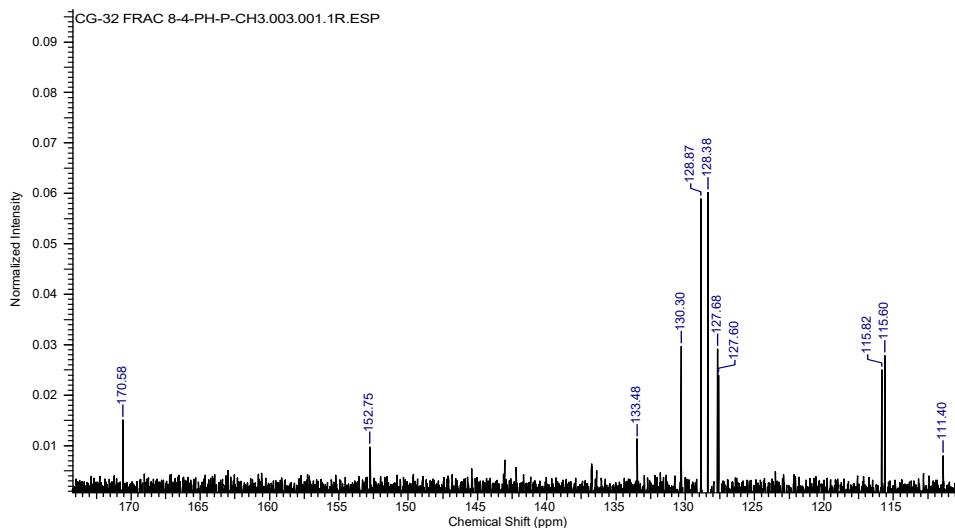
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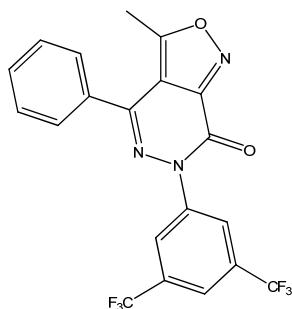
C. ^{13}C NMR



D. ^{13}C NMR zoom

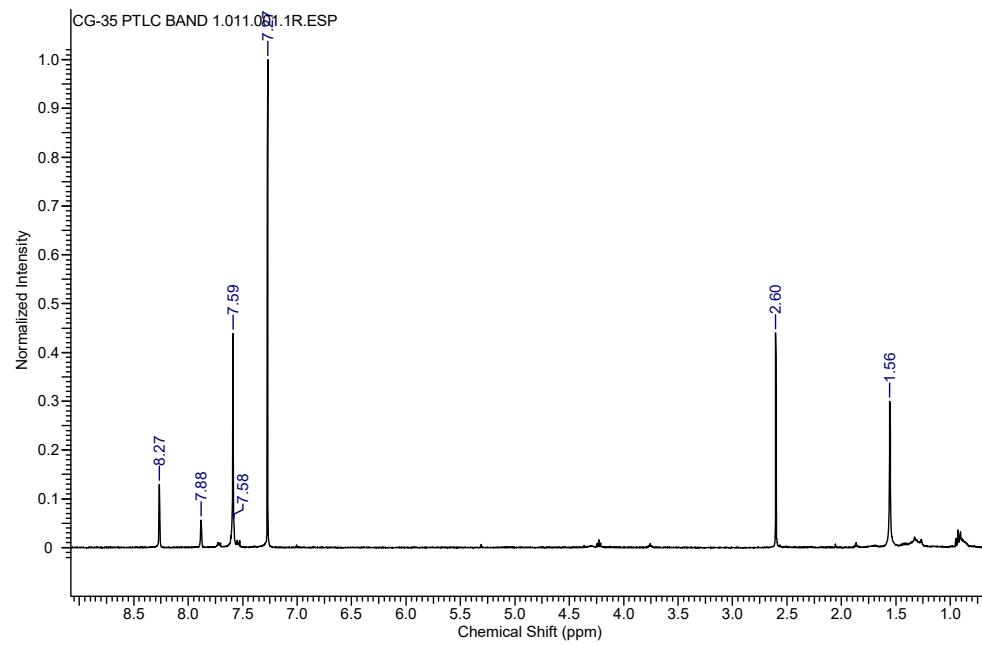


15. 6-[3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-3-methyl-4-phenyl[1,2]oxazolo[3,4-d]pyridazin-7(6H)-one,
j.

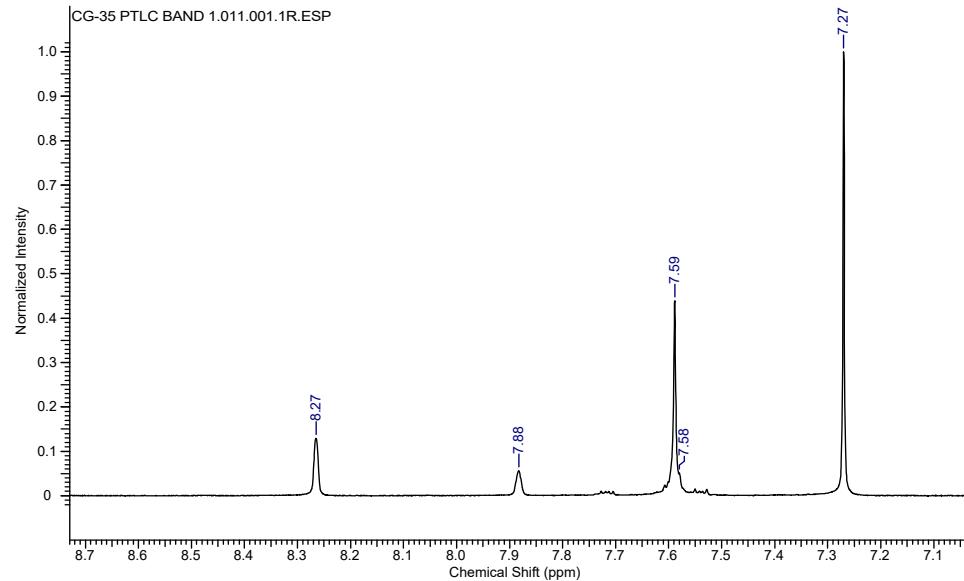


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) d ppm 8.25 - 8.26 (m, 2 H) 7.87 - 7.88 (m, 1 H) 7.59 (s, 5 H) 2.60 - 2.60 (m, 3 H); ¹³C NMR: δ 171.23, 152.78, 152.43, 144.33, 144.91, 132.96, 132.37, 132.03, 130.96, 129.01, 128.35, 125.82, 121.35, 111.29, 13.96. Chemical Formula: C₂₀H₁₁F₆N₃O₂; Exact Mass: 439.0755; Molecular Weight: 439.3107; m/z: 439.0755 (100.0%), 440.0789 (21.6%), 441.0823 (2.2%), 440.0726 (1.1%) Found: 439.08

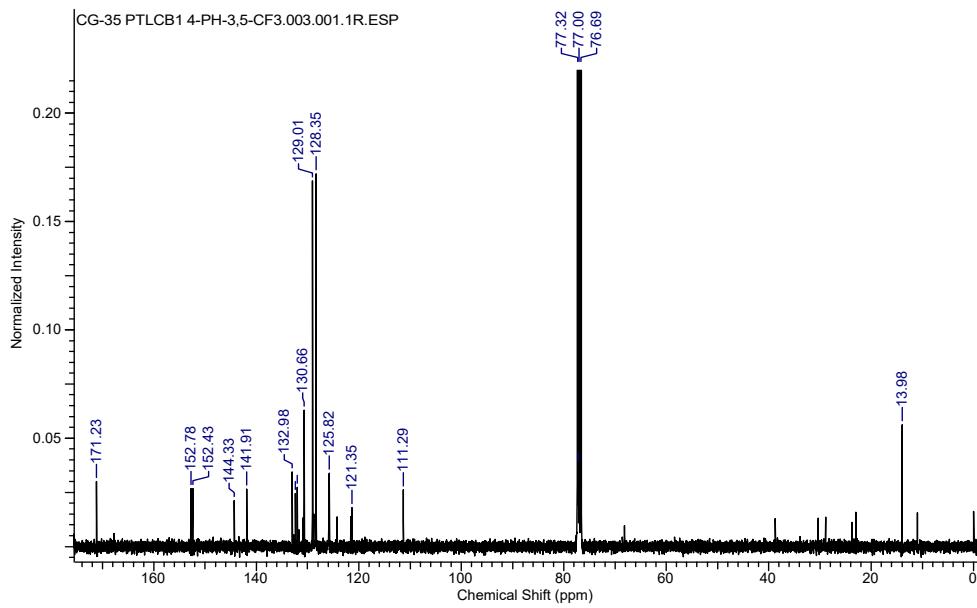
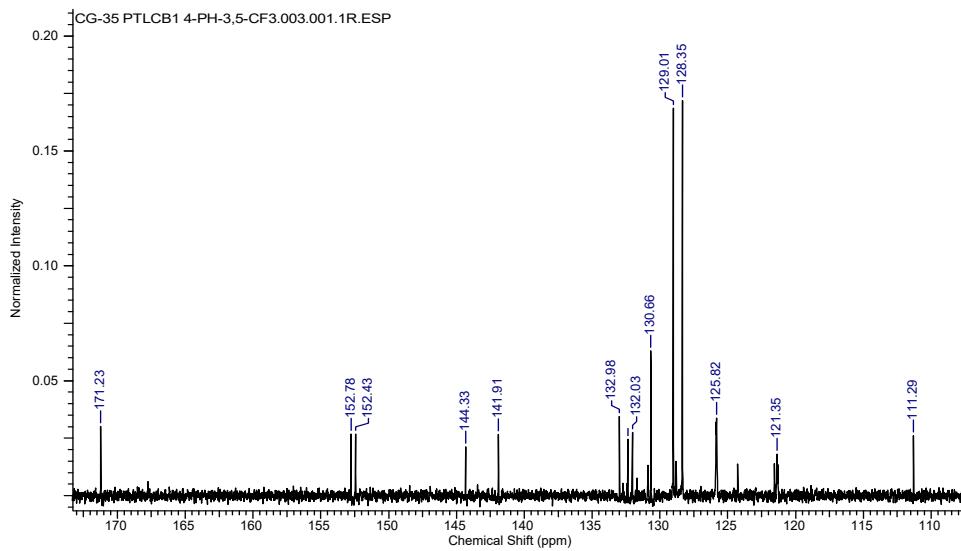
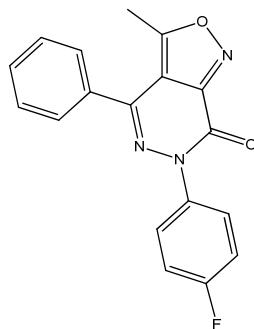
A. ¹H NMR



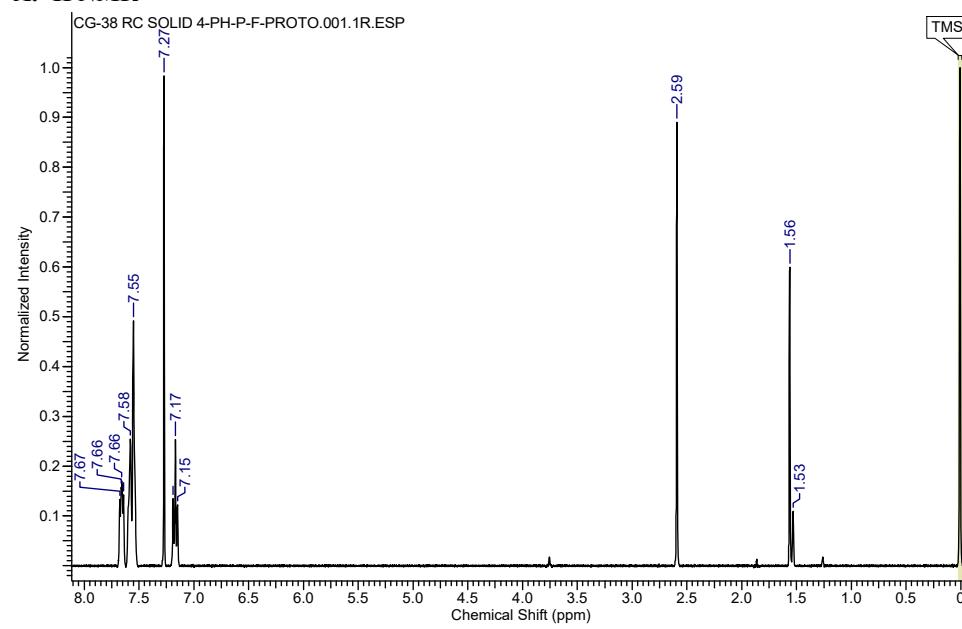
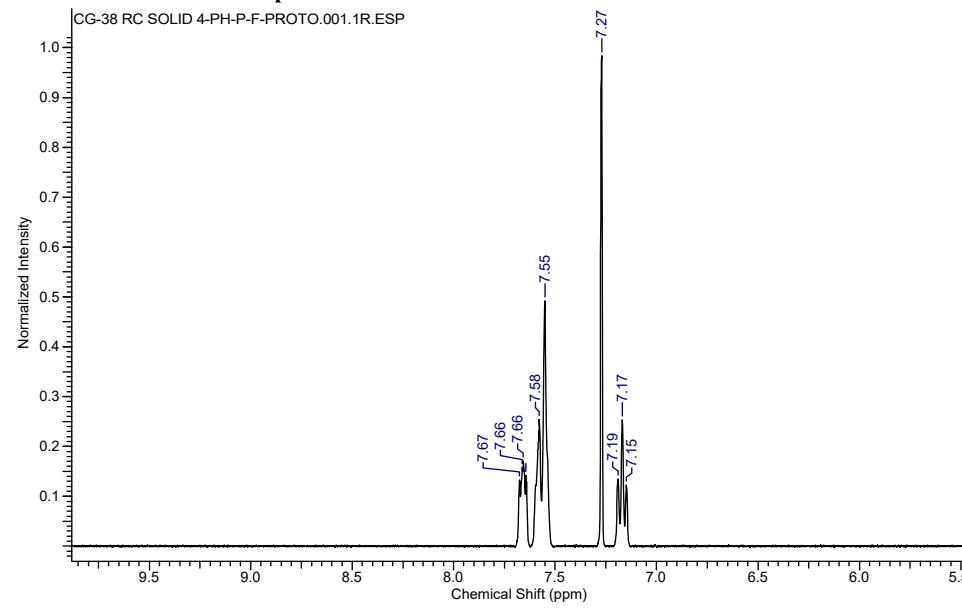
B. ¹H NMR Aromatic expanded

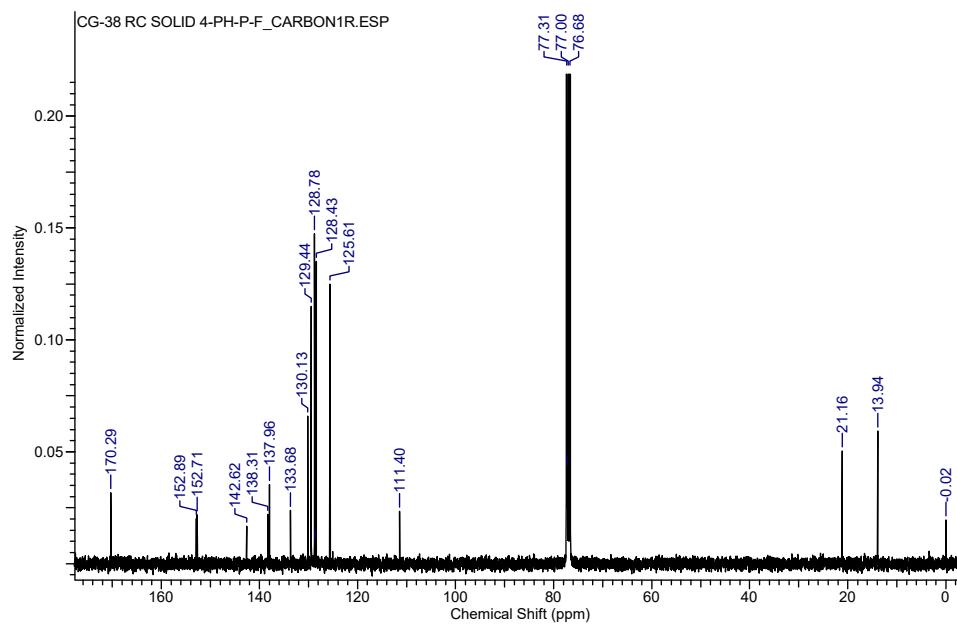
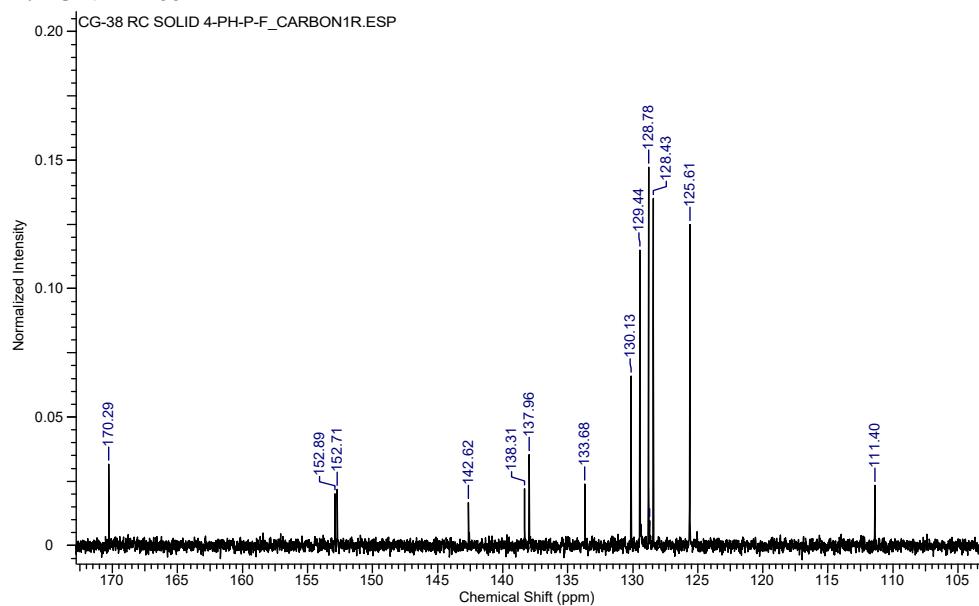


C. ¹³C NMR

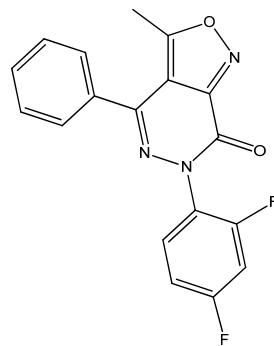
**D. ^{13}C NMR zoom****16. 6-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-methyl-4-phenyl[1,2]oxazolo[3,4-*a*]pyridazin-7(6*H*)-one, 2m.**

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) d ppm 7.66 (dd, $J=7.34, 5.26$ Hz, 2H) 7.58 (br. s., 2 H) 7.55 (m, 3 H) 7.17 (t, $J=8.01$ Hz, 2 H) 2.59 (s, 1 H), ^{13}C NMR: δ 170.29, 152.89, 152.71, 142.62, 138.31, 137.96, 133.68, 130.13, 129.44, 128.78, 128.43; 125.61, 111.40, 21.16, 13.94, C18H12FN3O2, Exact Mass: 321.0914, Molecular Weight: 321.3052, m/z: 321.0914 (100.0%), 322.0947 (19.5%), 323.0981 (1.8%), 322.0884 (1.1%), Found: 322.0970

A. ^1H NMR**B. ^1H NMR Aromatic expanded****C. ^{13}C NMR**

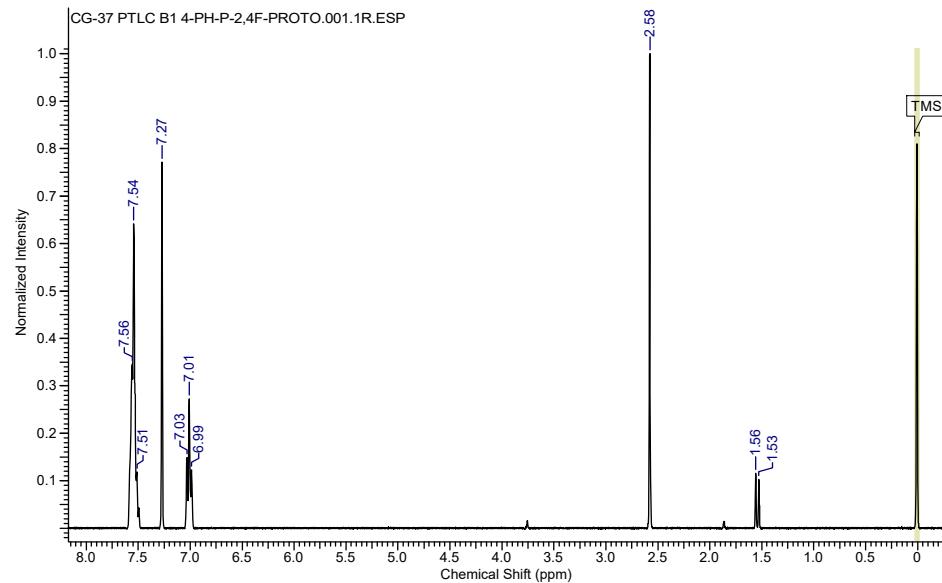
**D. ^{13}C NMR zoom**

17. 6-(2,4-difluorophenyl)-3-methyl-4-phenyl[1,2]oxazolo[3,4-*d*]pyridazin-7(6*H*)-one, **2n**.

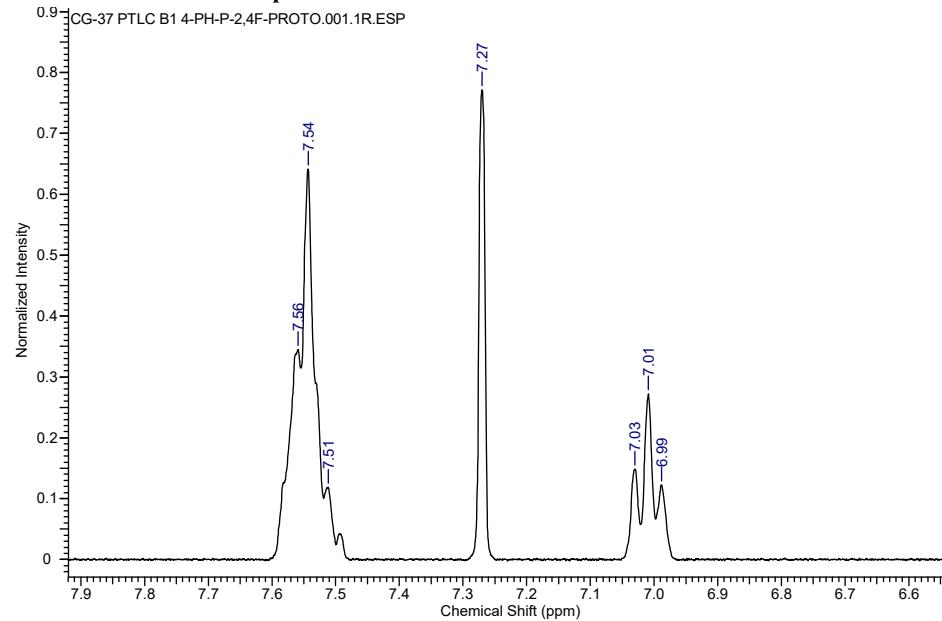


¹H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.54 (br. s., 6 H) 7.01 (t, *J*=8.38 Hz, 2H) 2.58 (s.3 H), ¹³C NMR: δ 170.82, 164.06, 163.95, 161.45, 158.99, 158.87, 156.46, 156.33, 152.48, 152.27, 143.60, 133.21, 130.35, 128.88, 128.39, 124.99, 124.86, 124.82, 111.96, 111.74, 111.53, 105.35, 105.12, 105.09, 104.86, 13.89. C18H11F2N3O2Exact Mass: 339.0819Molecular Weight: 339.2956m/z: 339.0819 (100.0%), 340.0853 (19.5%), 341.0886 (1.8%), 340.0790 (1.1%), Found:340.0895

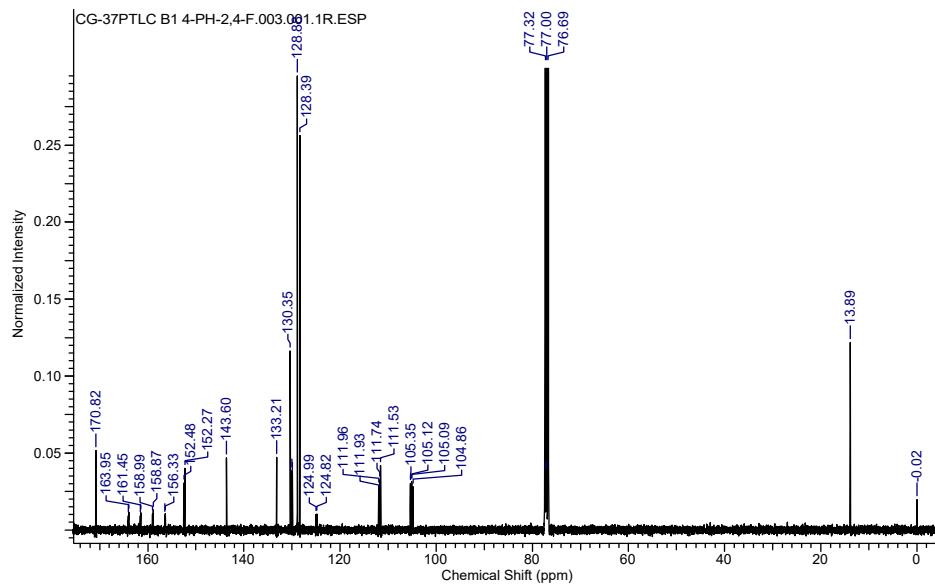
A. ¹H NMR



B. ¹H NMR Aromatic expanded



C. ¹³C NMR

**D. ^{13}C NMR zoom**