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## Supporting Information

# Custom-made pyrene photocatalyst-promoted desulfonylation of arylethenyl sulfones using green light-emitting diodes

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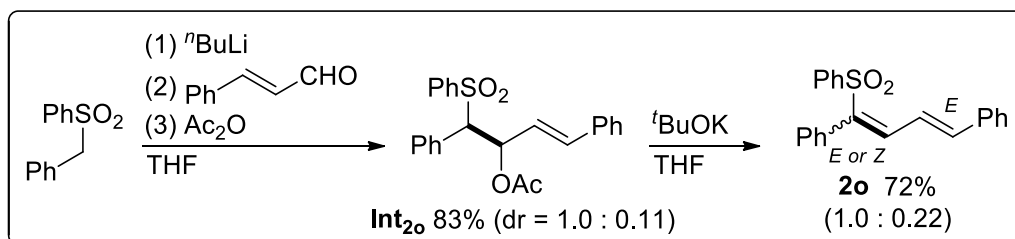
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## 1. Synthesis of **2o**



To a round-bottomed flask were added benzyl sulfone (465 mg, 2.0 mmol) and THF (20 mL). Butyllithium (1.59 M in hexane, 1.4 mL, 2.2 mmol) was dropwisely added at  $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and the mixture was stirred for 1 h. To the solution was added *trans*-cinnamaldehyde (529 mg, 4.0 mmol), and the mixture was stirred for 1 h. Acetic anhydride (265 mg, 2.6 mmol) was added, and the mixture was stirred at  $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 1 h and then  $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 1 h. To the reaction mixture was added saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (5 mL), and the organic and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine. The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and evaporated. The residue was subjected to filtration through a thin pad of silica gel (hexane/EtOAc, 7:3) to afford a crude acetate **Int<sub>2o</sub>** in an 83% yield (675 mg, dr = 1.0:0.11, a white solid).

To a round-bottomed flask were added the crude acetate **Int<sub>2o</sub>** (102 mg, 0.25 mmol) and THF (5 mL). Potassium *tert*-butoxide (34 mg, 0.3 mmol) was added at  $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and the mixture was stirred at  $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 2 h and then  $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 2 h. To the mixture was added saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (5 mL), and the organic layer and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The solvents were evaporated, and the crude product was subjected to flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc, 8:2) and then recrystallization from MeOH to afford the desired ethenyl sulfone **2o**. Yield: 72% (62 mg) ((1*E*,3*E*)/(1*Z*,3*E*) 1.0/0.22); white solid; mp 115–116  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

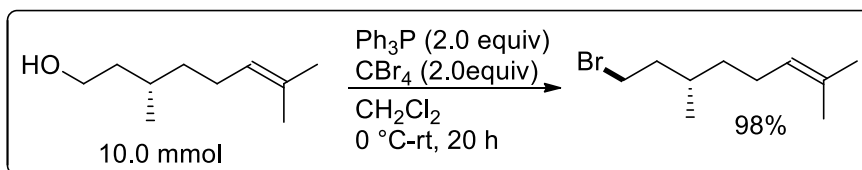
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz):  $\delta$  6.54–8.34 (dd, 1H,  $J = 15.6, 15.5, 10.8, 11.5$  Hz), 7.06–6.85 (d, 1H,  $J = 15.6, 15.5$  Hz), 7.13–7.58 (d, 2H,  $J = 6.8, 7.4$  Hz), 7.27–7.42 (m, 10H), 7.49–7.54 (m, 1H), 7.62–7.70 (d, 2H,  $J = 7.6, 7.4$  Hz), 7.74–6.77 (d, 1H,  $J = 10.8, 11.5$  Hz).

<sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 101 MHz):  $\delta$  122.8, 123.2, 127.5, 127.7, 127.9, 128.2, 128.4, 128.5, 128.78, 128.85, 128.87, 128.92, 129.0, 129.2, 129.48, 129.55, 130.2, 130.8, 131.1, 133.2, 135.76, 135.82, 136.2, 138.6, 139.5, 141.0, 141.1, 142.1, 142.9, 143.4.

HRMS (MALDI-TOF):  $m/z$  [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>18</sub>NaO<sub>2</sub>S 369.0925; Found 369.0918.

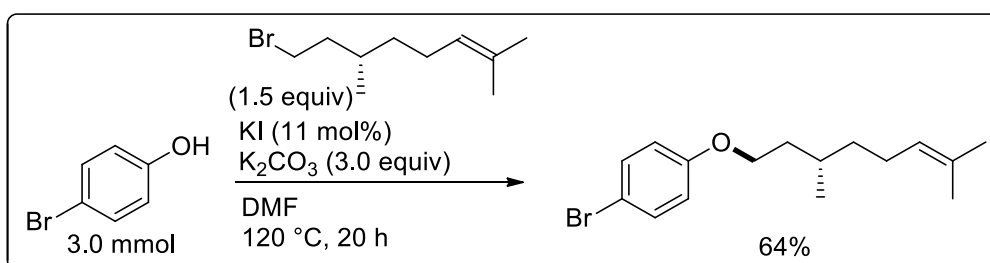
## 2. Synthesis of 1

### (i) Synthesis of (*S*)-(+)-citronellyl bromide:<sup>S1</sup>



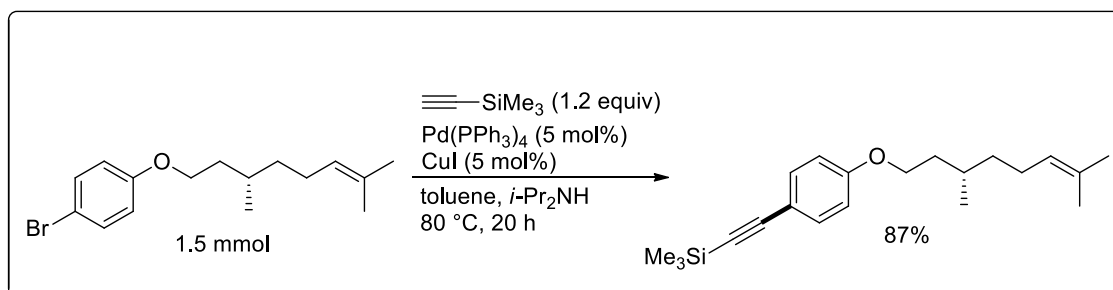
To a round-bottomed flask were added  $\text{Ph}_3\text{P}$  (5.2 g, 20.0 mmol),  $\text{CBr}_4$  (6.6 g, 20.0 mmol), (*S*)-(-)-citronellol (1.6 g, 10.0 mmol), and  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (50 mL) at 0 °C, and the mixture was stirred at rt for 20 h. The mixture was filtered by a thin pad of silica gel with hexane. The filtrate was evaporated, and the crude citronellyl bromide was used in subsequent etherification without further purification. Yield: 98% (1.07 g, colorless liquid).  $^1\text{H}$ NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz):  $\delta$  0.90–0.91 (m, 3H), 1.14–1.26 (m, 1H), 1.30–1.39 (m, 1H), 1.61–1.72 (m, 8H), 1.84–2.06 (m, 3H), 3.37–3.50 (m, 2H), 5.07–5.12 (m, 1H).

### (ii) Synthesis of 4-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)phenyl bromide:<sup>S2</sup>



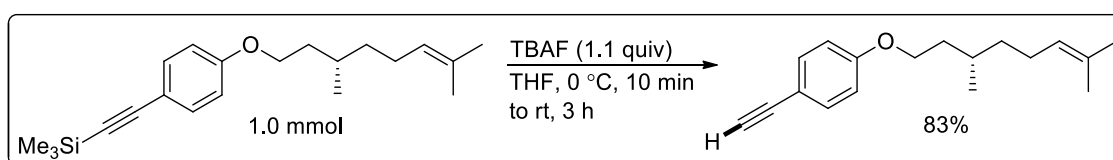
To a round-bottomed flask were added (*S*)-(+)-citronellyl bromide (986 mg, 4.5 mmol), 4-bromophenol (519 mg, 3.0 mmol), KI (55 mg, 0.33 mmol),  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (331 mg, 2.4 mmol), and DMF (10 mL), and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 20 h. To the mixture was added water (10 mL), and the organic and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine. The organic layer was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and evaporated. The crude product was subjected to flash chromatography (hexane) to afford the desired ether in a 64% yield (399 mg, colorless liquid).  $^1\text{H}$ NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz):  $\delta$  0.94–0.95 (m, 3H), 1.17–1.26 (m, 1H), 1.34–1.45 (m, 1H), 1.55–1.71 (m, 8H), 1.76–1.86 (m, 1H), 1.92–2.08 (m, 2H), 3.91–4.00 (m, 2H), 5.08–5.12 (m, 1H), 6.77 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.0$  Hz), 7.36 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.0$  Hz);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 101 MHz):  $\delta$  17.8, 19.7, 25.6, 25.9, 29.6, 36.1, 37.2, 66.6, 112.7, 116.4, 124.7, 131.4, 132.3, 158.3.

### (iii) Synthesis of 1-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)-4-((trimethylsilyl)ethynyl)benzene:



To a round-bottomed flask were added 4-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)phenyl bromide (467 mg, 1.5 mmol), Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub> (87 mg, 0.08 mmol), CuI (14 mg, 0.08 mmol), trimethylsilylacetylene (177 mg, 1.8 mmol), *i*-Pr<sub>2</sub>NH (1.0 mL, 7.0 mmol), and toluene (10.0 mL), and the mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 20 h. To the mixture was added saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (10 mL), and the organic and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine. The organic layer was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and evaporated. The crude product was subjected to flash chromatography (hexane/CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 95:5) to afford the desired silylethynyl-coupling product in an 87% yield (429 mg, colorless liquid). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz): δ 0.24 (s, 9H), 0.94–0.96 (m, 3H), 1.17–1.26 (m, 1H), 1.34–1.43 (m, 1H), 1.57–1.71 (m, 8H), 1.76–1.87 (m, 1H), 1.92–2.08 (m, 2H), 3.94–4.03 (m, 2H), 5.08–5.12 (m, 1H), 6.80 (d, 2H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.39 (d, 2H, *J* = 8.8 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 101 MHz): δ 0.2, 17.8, 19.7, 25.6, 25.9, 29.6, 36.2, 37.2, 66.4, 92.4, 105.5, 114.5, 115.1, 124.7, 131.5, 133.6, 159.4. HRMS (MALDI-TOF): *m/z* [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>32</sub>NaOSi 351.2121; Found: 351.2124.

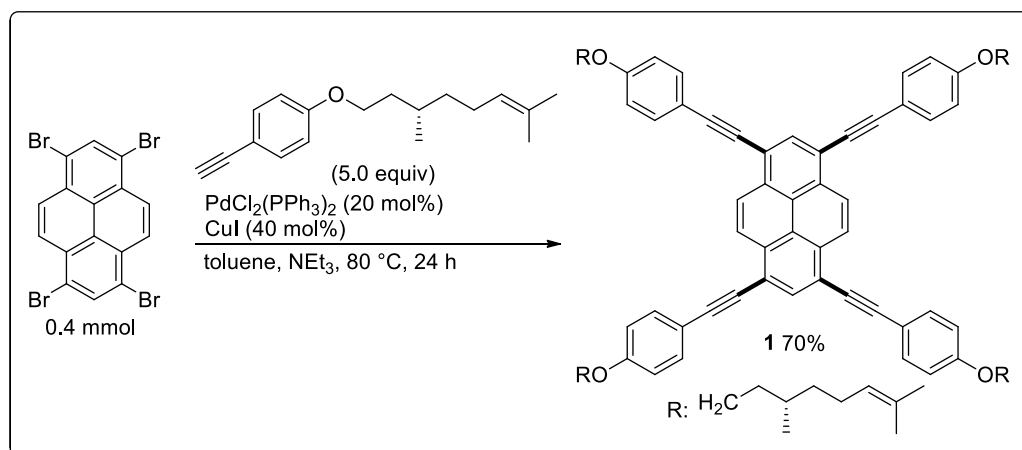
#### (iv) Synthesis of 1-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)-4-ethynylbenzene:



To a round-bottomed flask were added 1-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)-4-((trimethylsilyl)ethynyl)benzene (329 mg, 1.0 mmol) and THF (5 mL). To the mixture was dropwisely added a THF solution of TBAF (1.0 M, 1.1 mL, 1.1 mmol of TBAF) at 0 °C, and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 10 min and then at rt 3 h. To the mixture was added water (5 mL), and the organic and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine. The organic layer was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and evaporated. The crude product was subjected to flash chromatography (hexane/CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 9:1) to afford the desired terminal ethyne in an 83% yield (213 mg, colorless liquid). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz): δ 0.94–0.96 (m, 3H), 1.17–1.27 (m, 1H), 1.34–1.43 (m, 1H), 1.56–1.76 (m, 8H), 1.79–1.87 (m, 1H), 1.92–2.09 (m, 2H), 2.99 (s, 1H), 3.94–4.04

(m, 2H), 5.08–5.12 (m, 1H), 6.83 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.0$  Hz), 7.41 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.0$  Hz);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 101 MHz):  $\delta$  17.8, 19.7, 25.6, 25.9, 29.6, 36.1, 37.2, 66.4, 75.8, 83.9, 114.0, 114.6, 124.7, 131.4, 133.7, 159.6. HRMS (MALDI-TOF):  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{NaO}$  279.1725; Found: 279.1690.

(v) **1,3,6,8-Tetra(4-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)phenylethynyl)pyrene (1):**



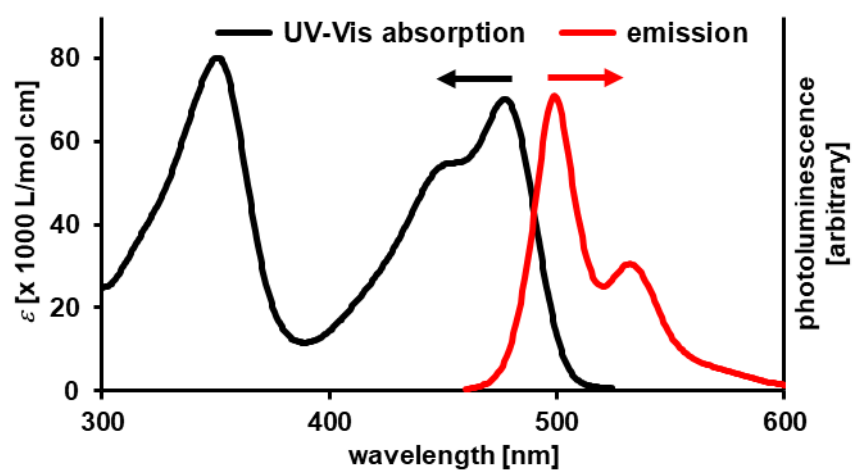
To a round-bottomed flask were added 1,3,6,8-tetrabromopyrene (231 mg, 0.4 mmol),  $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$  (58 mg, 0.08 mmol),  $\text{CuI}$  (30 mg, 0.16 mmol),  $\text{Ph}_3\text{P}$  (15 mg, 0.16 mmol), 1-((*S*)-citronellyloxy)-4-ethynylbenzene (513 mg, 2.0 mmol), and triethylamine (8 mL, 57 mmol), and toluene (4 mL), and the mixture was stirred at  $80^\circ\text{C}$  for 24 h. To the mixture was added saturated aqueous  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (5 mL), and the organic and aqueous layers were separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc, and combined organic layer was washed with water and brine. The organic layer was dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$  and evaporated. The crude product was subjected to flash chromatography (hexane/ $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 7:3) to afford the desired substituted pyrene **1** in a 70% yield (342 mg, an orange solid). Mp:  $106\text{--}107^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz):  $\delta$  0.98–1.00 (m, 12H), 1.21–1.30 (m, 4H), 1.39–1.47 (m, 4H), 1.59–1.79 (m, 32H), 1.84–1.93 (m, 4H), 1.98–2.10 (m, 8H), 4.02–4.09 (m, 8H), 5.11–5.15 (m, 4H), 6.96 (d, 8H,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 7.65 (d, 8H,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 8.40 (s, 2H), 8.73 (s, 4H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 101 MHz):  $\delta$  17.8, 19.7, 25.6, 25.9, 29.7, 36.2, 37.3, 66.5, 86.9, 96.2, 114.8, 115.4, 119.0, 123.9, 124.8, 126.5, 131.3, 131.5, 133.2, 133.4, 159.5. HRMS (MALDI-TOF):  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{88}\text{H}_{98}\text{O}_4$  1218.7465; Found: 1218.7421.

3. Solubility of 1 in common organic solvents (Table S1)

solvent	At rt (20 °C)	At heating (~reflux)
CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	soluble	soluble
AcOEt	soluble	soluble
CHCl <sub>3</sub>	soluble	soluble
Toluene	soluble	soluble
Benzene	soluble	soluble
Hexane	insoluble	partially soluble
MeCN	insoluble	insoluble
Acetone	soluble	soluble
THF	soluble	soluble
Dioxane	soluble	soluble
MeOH	insoluble	insoluble
EtOH	insoluble	partially soluble

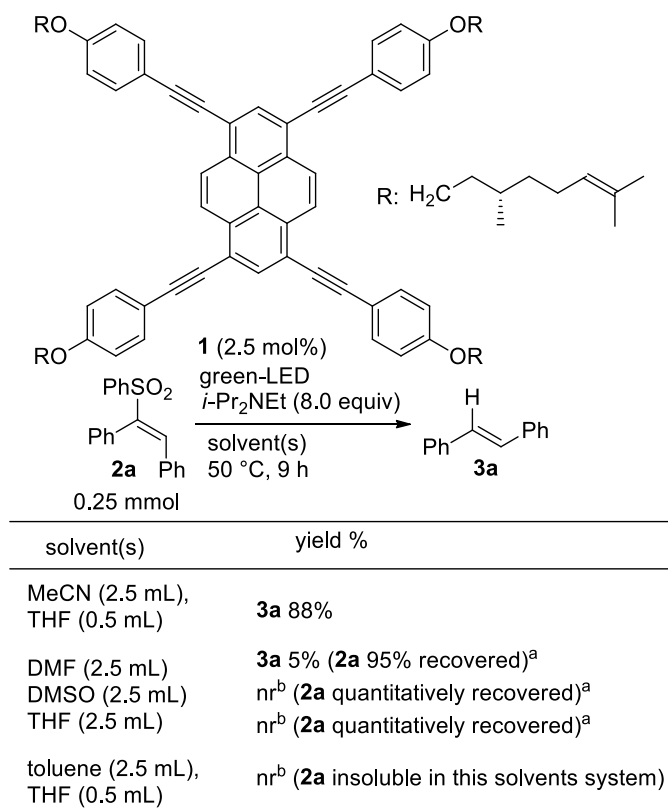
4. UV-vis absorption and photoluminescence spectra of 1 in CHCl<sub>3</sub> (Figure S1)

**Figure S1.** UV-vis absorption ( $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  M) and photoluminescence spectra ( $1.0 \times 10^{-7}$  M) of 1



5. Solvent effect in **1**/green-LED-promoted reductive desulfonylation (Scheme S1)

**Scheme S1**



<sup>a</sup>Obtained by using 1,4-dioxane as an internal standard.

<sup>b</sup>No reaction occurred.



6. Reaction apparatus: photoreactor for the reductive desulfonylation.

Green-light irradiation was conducted in a glass water-bath which was surrounded by ca. 2 meters of LED strip lightning (30 W,  $\lambda = 514 \text{ nm} \pm 70 \text{ nm}$ ).



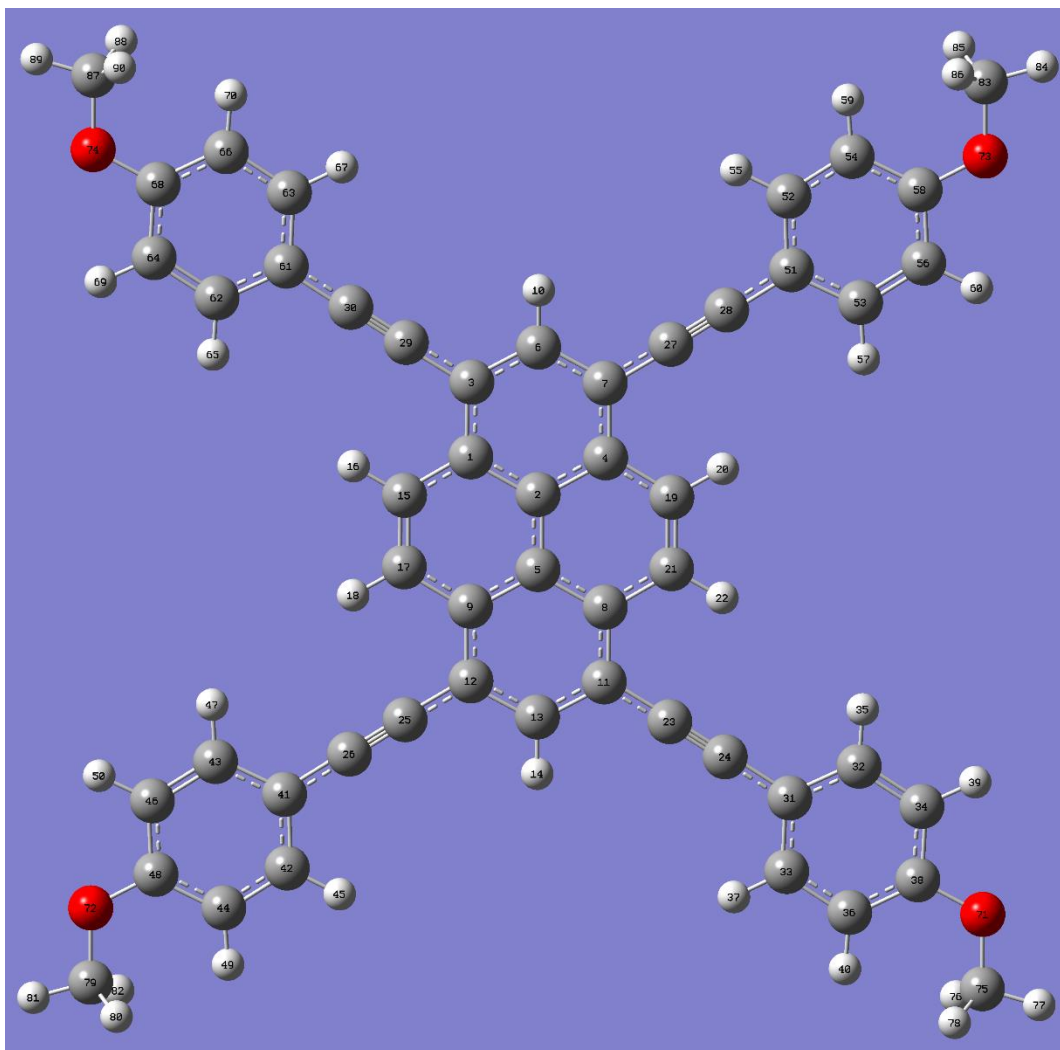
7. DFT calculations for **1**, **1 radical anion**, **2a**, **2d**, and **2e** (Tables S2 and S3)

DFT calculations of **1**, **1 radical anion**, **2a**, **2d**, and **2e** were performed at the B3LYP/6-31G(d) level by using Gaussian09 program package.<sup>S3</sup>

**Table S2.** Potential energies of the frontier orbitals of **1**, **1 radical anion**, and (*E*)-**2a**.

	<b>1</b> [eV]	<b>1 radical anion</b> <sup>a</sup> [eV]	( <i>E</i> )- <b>2a</b> [eV]
LUMO	-2.13	-1.35	-1.64
SOMO		-0.44	
HOMO	-4.60		-6.31
<sup>a</sup> $\alpha$ spin			

Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **1** (ground state).



Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	1.426821	1.238030	-0.001242
2	6	0	0.717064	-0.000882	-0.001397
3	6	0	2.853274	1.222422	-0.001107
4	6	0	1.424003	-1.241402	-0.001497
5	6	0	-0.717241	0.000742	-0.001334
6	6	0	3.530501	-0.004074	-0.001108
7	6	0	2.850498	-1.229021	-0.001348

8	6	0	-1.426996	-1.238173	-0.001353
9	6	0	-1.424183	1.241260	-0.001143
10	1	0	4.614946	-0.005300	-0.001017
11	6	0	-2.853448	-1.222565	-0.001119
12	6	0	-2.850687	1.228875	-0.000906
13	6	0	-3.530680	0.003929	-0.000895
14	1	0	-4.615126	0.005147	-0.000695
15	6	0	0.685226	2.457431	-0.001143
16	1	0	1.235342	3.392761	-0.001052
17	6	0	-0.679827	2.458975	-0.001093
18	1	0	-1.227827	3.395544	-0.000960
19	6	0	0.679652	-2.459119	-0.001567
20	1	0	1.227656	-3.395687	-0.001584
21	6	0	-0.685401	-2.457577	-0.001507
22	1	0	-1.235518	-3.392906	-0.001509
23	6	0	-3.604641	-2.428921	-0.001024
24	6	0	-4.268969	-3.450116	-0.000867
25	6	0	-3.599059	2.436984	-0.000568
26	6	0	-4.260801	3.459857	-0.000159
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28	6	0	4.260722	-3.459935	-0.001249
29	6	0	3.604471	2.428775	-0.001010
30	6	0	4.268800	3.449969	-0.000975
31	6	0	-5.048021	-4.639973	-0.000626
32	6	0	-4.433813	-5.912864	-0.001168
33	6	0	-6.453408	-4.584757	0.000201
34	6	0	-5.193817	-7.070162	-0.000885
35	1	0	-3.350153	-5.978070	-0.001807
36	6	0	-7.224597	-5.745141	0.000498
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38	6	0	-6.596471	-6.997612	-0.000039
39	1	0	-4.726303	-8.049763	-0.001293
40	1	0	-8.305368	-5.662391	0.001149
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42	6	0	-6.442014	4.600862	0.003497
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44	6	0	-7.209758	5.763538	0.004208
45	1	0	-6.935590	3.633877	0.005395
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54	6	0	7.210034	-5.763104	0.010446
55	1	0	6.935406	-3.633506	0.017823
56	6	0	5.175658	-7.082444	-0.010666
57	1	0	3.335067	-5.985198	-0.019579
58	6	0	6.578469	-7.013803	0.000213
59	1	0	8.290997	-5.683394	0.018944
60	1	0	4.705455	-8.060724	-0.018563
61	6	0	5.047829	4.639842	-0.000943
62	6	0	4.433598	5.912722	-0.002279
63	6	0	6.453216	4.584651	0.000414
64	6	0	5.193581	7.070033	-0.002253
65	1	0	3.349936	5.977907	-0.003348
66	6	0	7.224384	5.745049	0.000458
67	1	0	6.943916	3.616204	0.001455
68	6	0	6.596236	6.997509	-0.000878
69	1	0	4.726050	8.049625	-0.003286
70	1	0	8.305156	5.662319	0.001527
71	8	0	-7.249082	-8.193562	0.000201
72	8	0	-7.226968	8.212017	0.002270
73	8	0	7.227723	-8.211584	-0.000078
74	8	0	7.248825	8.193470	-0.000968
75	6	0	-8.668729	-8.188177	0.001101
76	1	0	-9.070609	-7.694779	-0.893541
77	1	0	-8.971023	-9.236849	0.001168
78	1	0	-9.069468	-7.694990	0.896371
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83	6	0	8.647357	-8.210272	0.011259
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85	1	0	9.057216	-7.714506	-0.878439
86	1	0	9.042874	-7.721770	0.911402
87	6	0	8.668472	8.188111	0.000422
88	1	0	9.070667	7.694328	-0.893867
89	1	0	8.970748	9.236788	0.000135
90	1	0	9.068913	7.695321	0.896045

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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **1 radical anion**  
Numbered similar to **1** (ground state).

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	-1.428066	-1.245210	-0.000119
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3	6	0	-2.875093	-1.228036	-0.000003
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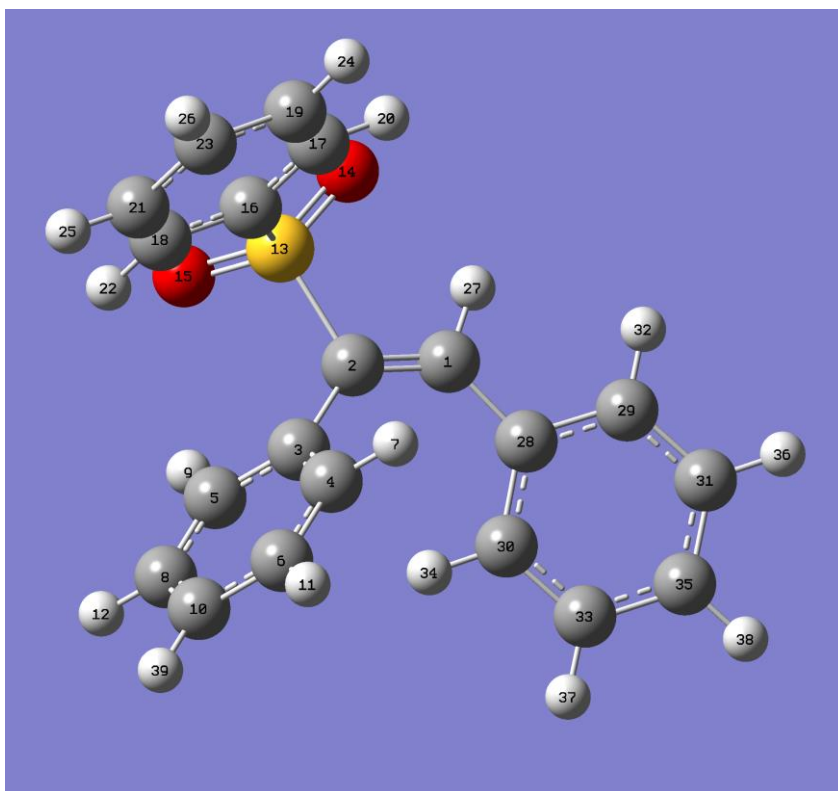
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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of (*E*)-**2a**



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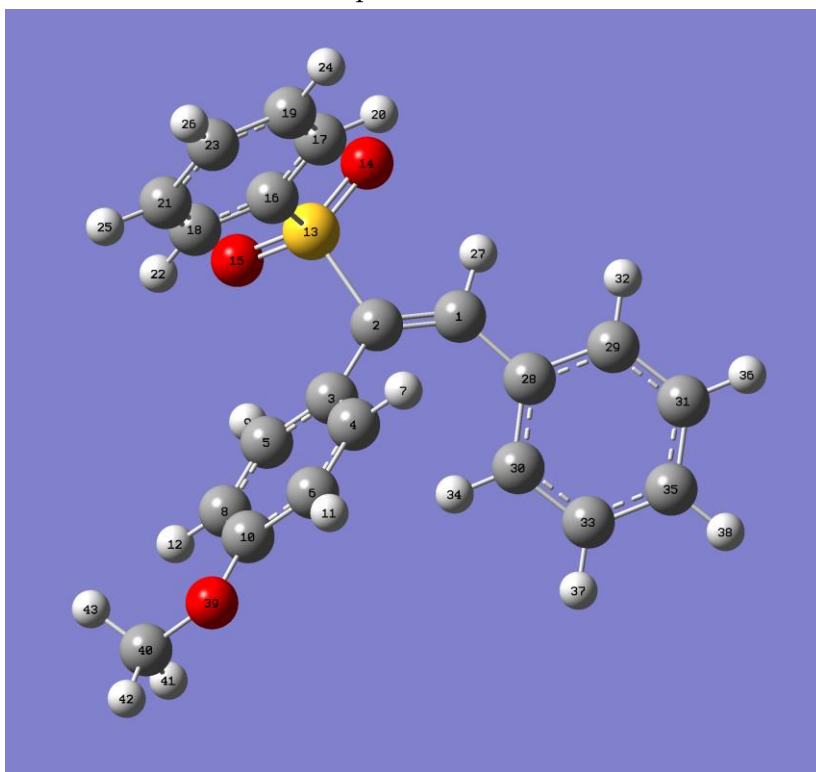
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**Table S3.** Potential energies of the frontier orbitals of (*E*)-**2d** and (*E*)-**2e**.

	( <i>E</i> )- <b>2d</b> [eV]	( <i>E</i> )- <b>2e</b> [eV]
LUMO	-1.57	-1.87
HOMO	-5.93	-6.53

Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of (*E*)-**2d**

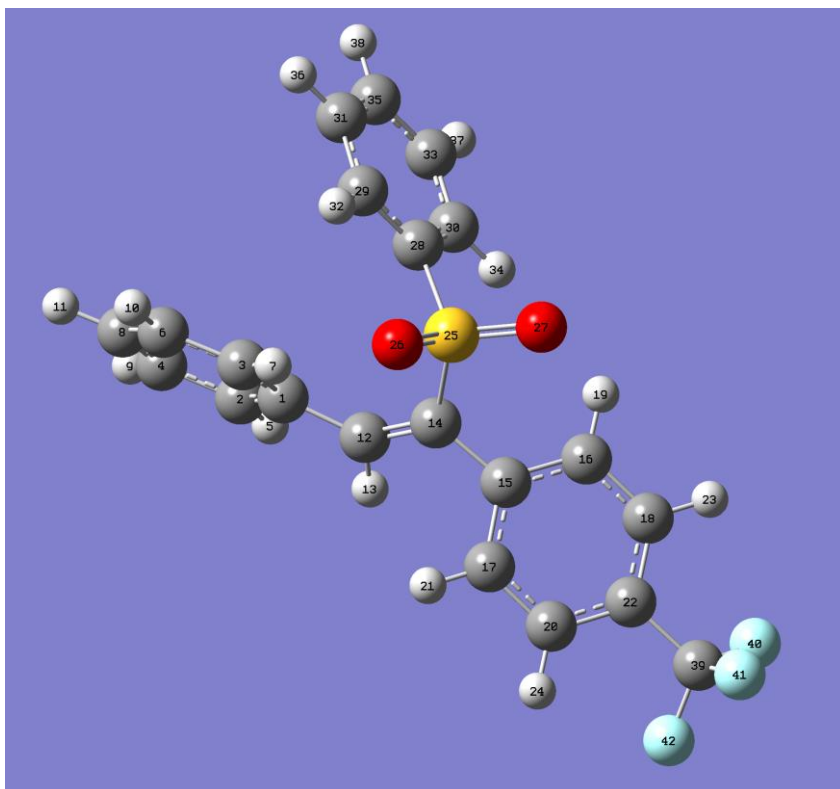


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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of (*E*)-**2e**



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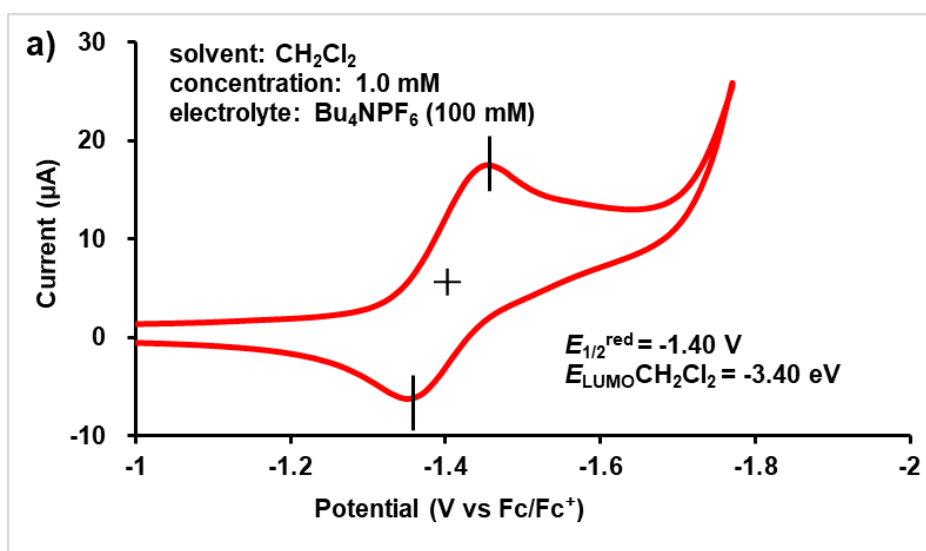
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8. Cyclic voltammograms of **1** (Figure S2) and **2a** (Figures S3 and S4)

The reduction potentials (vs Fc/Fc<sup>+</sup>) were measured in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> and MeCN (1.0 x 10<sup>-4</sup> M, 100 mV/s scan rate, 0.1 M Bu<sub>4</sub>NPF<sub>6</sub>) by use of a glassy carbon as the working electrode, a Pt counter electrode, and an Ag/Ag<sup>+</sup> reference electrode (0.01 M AgNO<sub>3</sub> and 0.1 M tetrabutylammonium perchlorate in acetonitrile) in 0.1 M LiClO<sub>4</sub>/acetonitrile.  $E_{\text{LUMO}}$  was calculated by the following equation.<sup>S4</sup>

$$E_{\text{LUMO}} = -4.80 - E_{1/2}^{\text{red}} \text{ [eV]}$$

**Figure S2.** The CV profile of **1** in reduction (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)



**Figure S3.** The CV profile of **2a** in reduction (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)

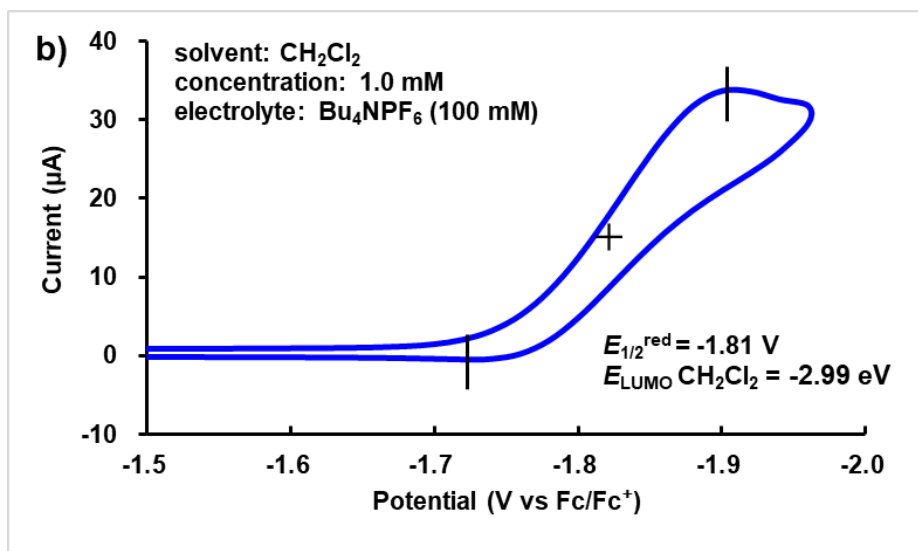
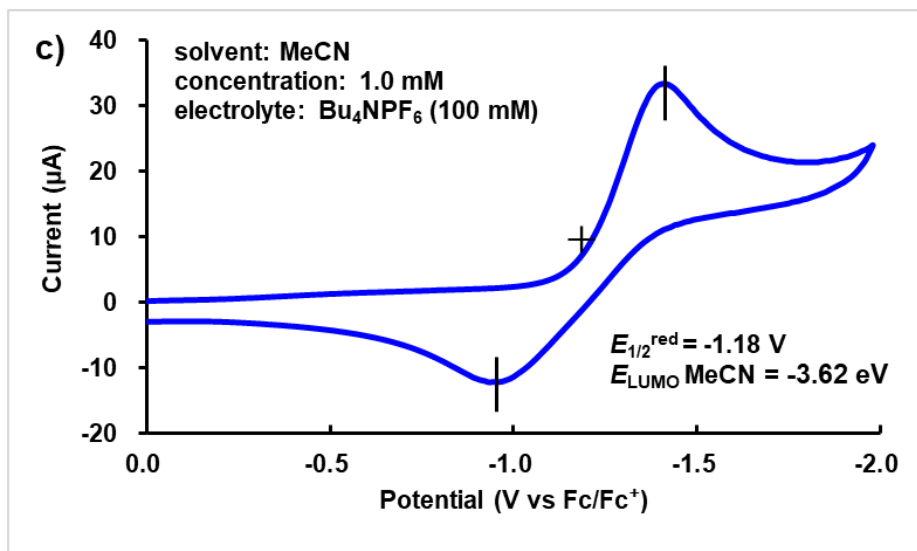
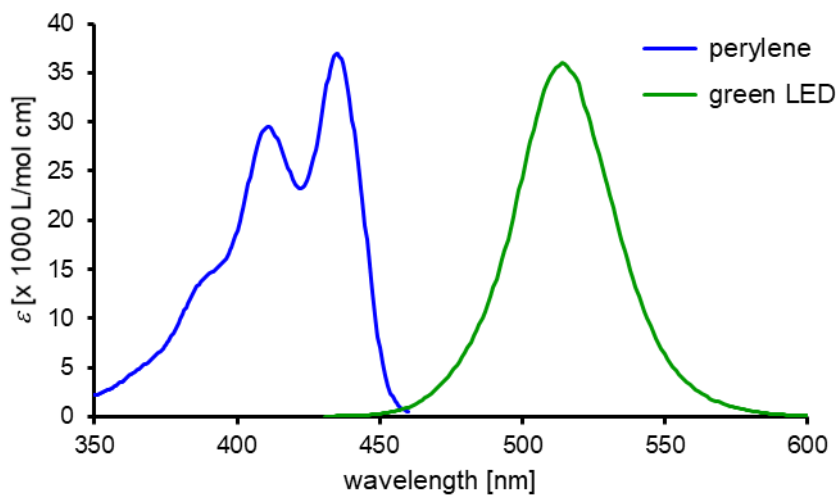


Figure S4. The CV profile of **2a** in reduction (MeCN)



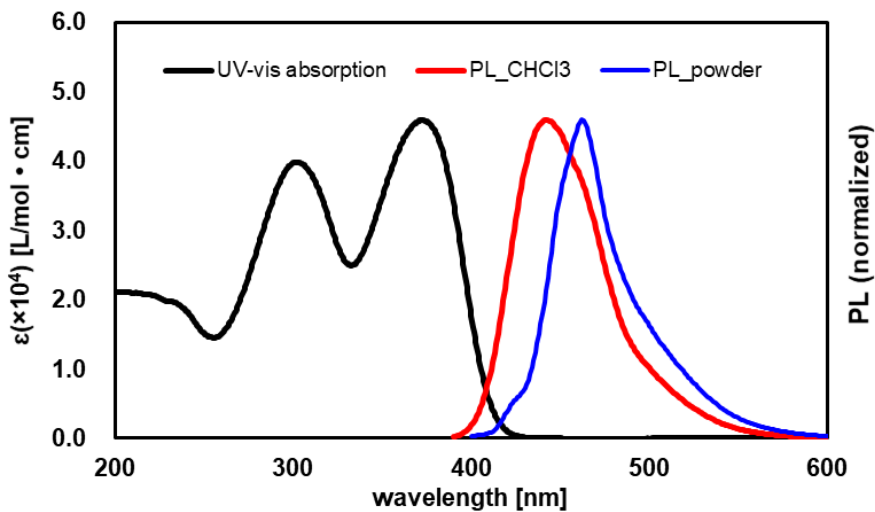
9. UV-vis absorption of perylene and emission spectra of green-LED (Figure S5)



10. UV-vis absorption and photoluminescence spectra of **4** in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  (Figure S6)

Aminodiyne **4** was synthesized according to the literature.<sup>S5</sup>

**Figure S6.** UV-vis absorption and photoluminescence spectra of **4**





**Table S4.** Summary of UV-vis absorption and photoluminescence of **4**

	UV-vis absorption ( $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$ M) [nm] ( $\epsilon(10^4)$ L/mol·cm)	photoluminescence	
		In CHCl <sub>3</sub> ( $1.0 \times 10^{-7}$ M) [nm] ( $\Phi_F$ ) <sup>a</sup>	powdery state [nm] ( $\Phi_F$ ) <sup>a</sup>
<b>4</b>	373 (4.6)	442 (0.92)	462 (0.53)
<sup>a</sup> Absolute fluorescence quantum yield measured by integrated sphere system (Hamamatsu photonics C9920-02).			

11. DFT calculations for transformation of **2a** anionic radical to **3**.

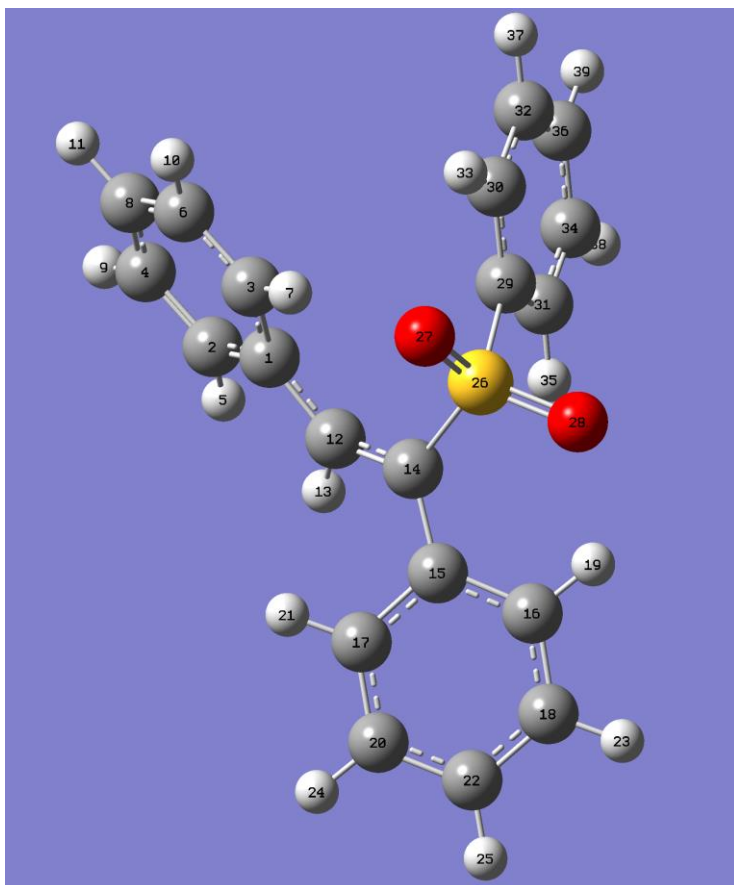
**Table S5.** The heats of formation (HOFs) simulated for **2**<sup>•-</sup>, **7**<sup>•</sup>, **7**<sup>-</sup>, **3a**, and PhSO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> at the B3LYP/6-31G(d) level of theory.

stage	Chemical species	HOF [kcal/mol] (Hartree)	$\Delta(\Sigma\text{HOF})$ [kcal/mol] <sup>a</sup>
1	<b>2a</b> <sup>•-</sup>	-828523.2 (-1320.33574900)	0.0
2	<b>7</b> <sup>•</sup> (radical)	-828879.7 (-1320.90388274)	-356.5
3	<b>7</b> <sup>-</sup> (anion)	-828904.4 (-1320.94318120)	-381.2
4	<b>3</b>	-339300.6 (-540.70996388)	-405.1
	PhSO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup>	-489627.7 (-780.27136535)	

(a)  $\Delta(\Sigma\text{HOF})$  was calculated by the following equation.

$$\Delta(\Sigma\text{HOF}) = \Sigma\text{HOF}(\text{stage } x) - \text{HOF}(\text{stage } 1)$$

Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **2a**<sup>•-</sup> (anionic radical).

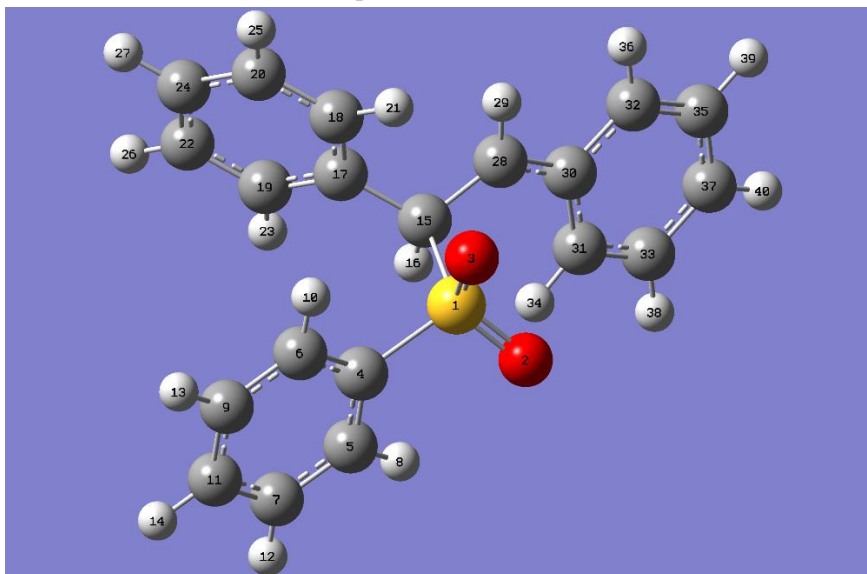


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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of 7• (radical).



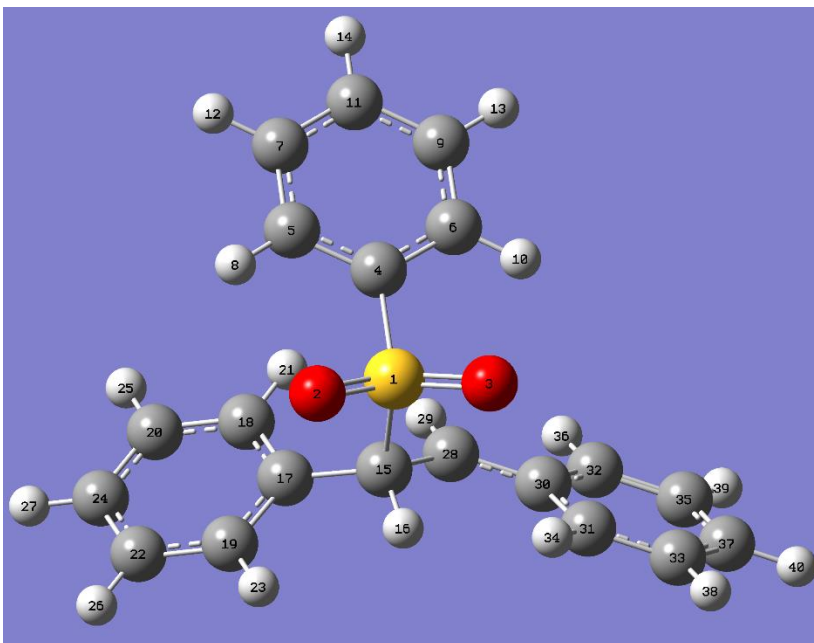
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18	6	-0.000001516	-0.000002703	0.000004283
19	6	0.000005188	-0.000000670	0.000002388
20	6	0.000005929	-0.000000511	0.000003616
21	1	0.000001657	0.000001766	0.000000674
22	6	0.000000485	-0.000006291	0.000002266
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26	1	0.000003810	-0.000004491	0.000001119
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28	6	0.000002402	0.000002707	0.000001454
29	1	-0.000000040	0.000002685	0.000002845
30	6	-0.000002420	0.000001262	0.000000583
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32	6	0.000003591	0.000003019	0.000001563
33	6	-0.000002064	0.000003339	0.000000663
34	1	-0.000000464	0.000002067	-0.000001503
35	6	0.000000187	0.000005294	0.000002465
36	1	0.000001555	0.000005083	0.000002500
37	6	0.000000579	0.000005710	0.000000644
38	1	-0.000001966	0.000003515	-0.000000236
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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of  $7^-$  (anion).



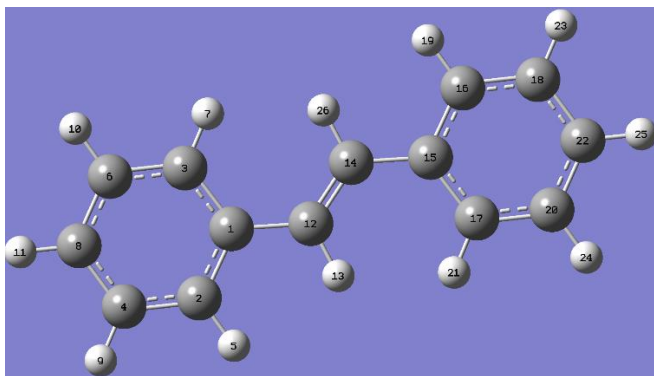

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5	6	0.001765057	0.002078575	-0.001859060
6	6	0.001501662	-0.001068762	-0.001756203
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19	6	-0.003062718	-0.001596313	-0.001422627
20	6	0.001801994	0.000239220	0.000972618
21	1	0.001037661	-0.000487734	0.001315349
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25	1	-0.000588146	0.000244632	-0.000735852
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35	6	-0.004000899	-0.000949481	0.004226465
36	1	-0.001074746	0.000052538	-0.000772220
37	6	0.009209552	0.000145206	0.000505889
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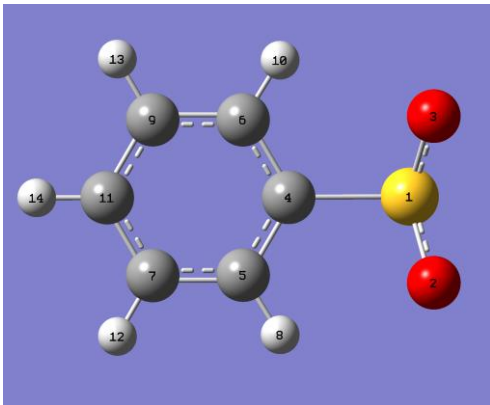
Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **3a**.



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			X	Y	Z
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2	6	0	-2.829346	-1.277577	-0.000057
3	6	0	-2.493580	1.109755	0.000058
4	6	0	-4.210002	-1.088447	-0.000054
5	1	0	-2.424761	-2.287179	-0.000100
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14	6	0	0.498623	0.453878	0.000005
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18	6	0	4.209978	1.088471	-0.000054
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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of PhSO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> (anion).






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Center Number	Atomic Number	Forces (Hartrees/Bohr)		
		X	Y	Z
1	16	-0.000064689	-0.000049993	-0.000002288
2	8	0.000002631	0.000000889	-0.000004209
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5	6	0.000006318	0.000005660	-0.000006158
6	6	-0.000012919	0.000014511	-0.000015609
7	6	0.000000196	0.000005482	-0.000003199
8	1	-0.000003441	0.000001656	-0.000001516
9	6	0.000008974	-0.000001744	0.000004189
10	1	0.000000749	0.000001851	-0.000000877
11	6	-0.000009019	-0.000001980	-0.000004458
12	1	0.000001507	-0.000004643	0.000003340
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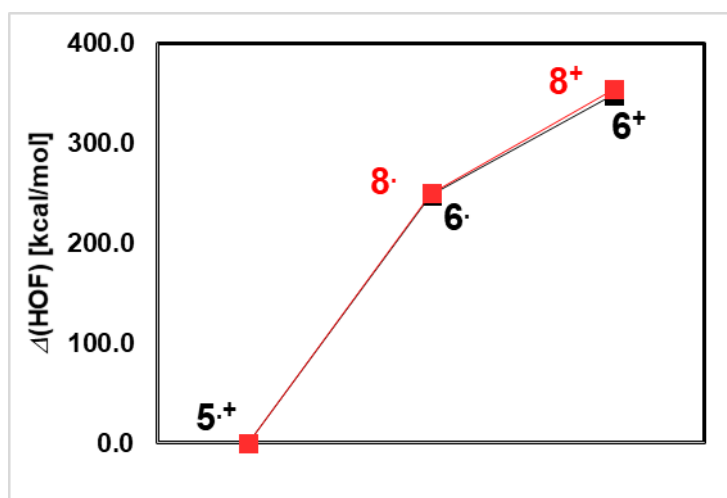
**Table S6.** The heats of formation (HOFs) simulated for **5** derivatives at the B3LYP/6-31G(d) level of theory.

stage	Chemical species	HOF [kcal/mol] (Hartree)	$\Delta(\text{HOF})$ [kcal/mol] <sup>a</sup>
1	<b>5</b> <sup>•+</sup>	-232670.7 (-370.78439105)	0.0
2	<b>6</b> <sup>•</sup>	-232423.1 (-370.38984393)	+247.6
3	<b>6</b> <sup>+</sup>	-232322.8 (-370.22998015)	+347.9
2'	<b>8</b> <sup>•</sup>	-232421.0 (-370.38634735)	+249.8
3'	<b>8</b> <sup>+</sup>	-232317.1 (-370.22087328)	+353.6

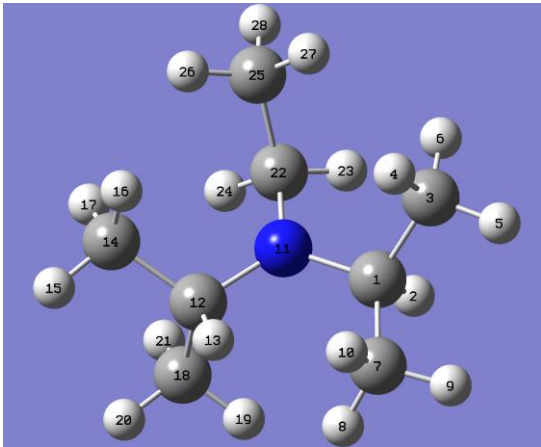
(a)  $\Delta(\text{HOF})$  was calculated by the following equation.

$$\Delta(\text{HOF}) = \text{HOF}(\text{stage } x) - \text{HOF}(\text{stage } 1)$$

**Figure S7.** An energy diagram in transformation of **5**<sup>•+</sup> to **6**<sup>+</sup> and **8**<sup>+</sup>.



Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **5**<sup>•+</sup> (cationic radical).



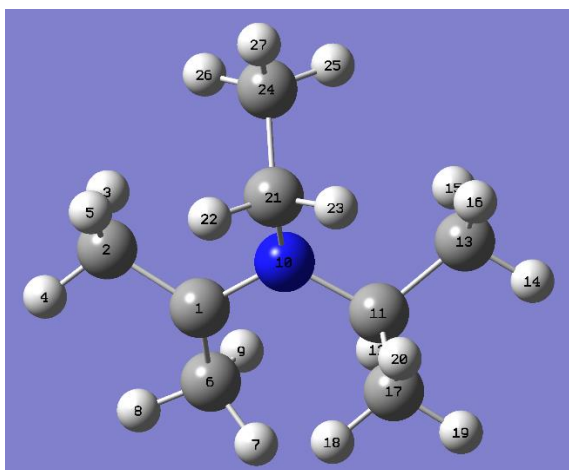

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Center Number	Atomic Number	Forces (Hartrees/Bohr)		
		X	Y	Z
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3	6	0.000003915	-0.000006577	0.000003547
4	1	-0.000000719	0.000000347	0.000000580
5	1	-0.000000768	-0.000001133	0.000002026
6	1	-0.000000182	0.000000999	0.000000773
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9	1	0.000001584	0.000000736	0.000000927
10	1	0.000000943	-0.000000272	-0.000000168
11	7	-0.000016455	0.000015057	0.000010508
12	6	0.000013107	-0.000004147	-0.000006711
13	1	-0.000002251	0.000001672	-0.000000263
14	6	-0.000004276	-0.000006240	0.000002378
15	1	-0.000000213	0.000002580	-0.000001978
16	1	-0.000000948	0.000002618	-0.000000625
17	1	0.000001474	0.000002330	-0.000002488
18	6	0.000000496	-0.000001402	-0.000002804
19	1	0.000002209	0.000001255	-0.000000749
20	1	0.000001100	0.000000793	-0.000002229
21	1	0.000000492	0.000000999	-0.000001516

22	6	0.000000574	-0.000013685	-0.000006228
23	1	0.000000161	0.000000289	0.000000539
24	1	0.000000942	0.000000981	0.000000804
25	6	-0.000001208	0.000003545	0.000002483
26	1	-0.000003243	0.000000272	-0.000000499
27	1	-0.000001810	-0.000000041	0.000000142
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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **6•** (radical).

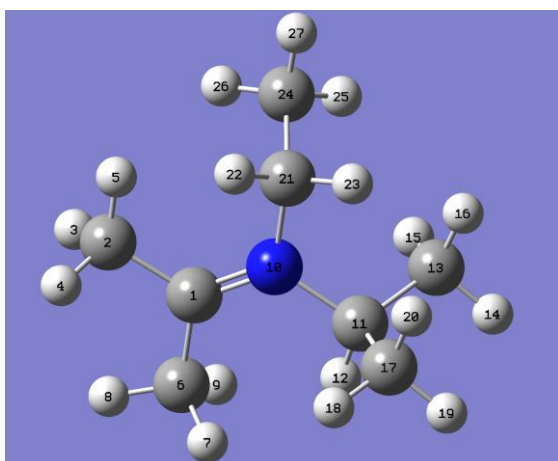



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Center Number	Atomic Number	Forces (Hartrees/Bohr)		
		X	Y	Z
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3	1	0.000003522	0.000004927	-0.000003183
4	1	0.000002015	0.000001389	-0.000005915
5	1	-0.000001451	-0.000004333	-0.000005447
6	6	0.000003843	0.000010512	-0.000004136
7	1	0.000002868	0.000002809	0.000002977
8	1	0.000003992	0.000001333	-0.000001021
9	1	0.000004883	0.000002707	0.000001822
10	7	0.000007403	0.000008982	0.000001550

11	6	0.000000788	-0.000005782	0.000000958
12	1	-0.000001666	0.000006341	0.000005323
13	6	0.000000990	-0.000004053	0.000004465
14	1	0.000001913	0.000000816	0.000009015
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16	1	0.000001448	-0.000002898	0.000005622
17	6	-0.000003964	-0.000004311	0.000007562
18	1	-0.000002316	-0.000002098	0.000006387
19	1	-0.000001455	-0.000002337	0.000008752
20	1	-0.000003676	-0.000003506	0.000006749
21	6	0.000000338	-0.000003996	0.000000634
22	1	-0.000004197	-0.000002900	-0.000004851
23	1	-0.000004182	-0.000001026	-0.000002915
24	6	-0.000003715	0.000003850	-0.000004416
25	1	0.000002816	0.000000809	-0.000004653
26	1	-0.000000319	0.000001117	-0.000005843
27	1	-0.000001559	0.000000047	-0.000003022

Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **6<sup>+</sup>** (cation).

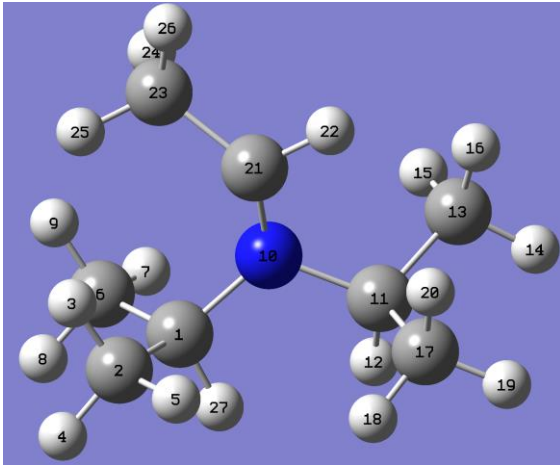


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3	1	-0.000002805	0.000001152	0.000000914
4	1	0.000003505	0.000001852	0.000000386
5	1	0.000000392	0.000000619	-0.000000029
6	6	-0.000007482	-0.000001586	-0.000000020
7	1	-0.000000341	0.000000252	-0.000001063
8	1	0.000000413	0.000002791	0.000001698
9	1	0.000000521	0.000001869	0.000000593
10	7	-0.000001542	-0.000011328	-0.000005070
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12	1	-0.000000547	0.000000704	-0.000002836
13	6	0.000003264	-0.000003940	-0.000001215
14	1	-0.000002852	0.000000604	-0.000003491
15	1	-0.000001472	0.000001104	-0.000001080
16	1	0.000000868	-0.000000099	-0.000001931
17	6	-0.000003124	0.000007532	0.000003379
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20	1	-0.000000002	0.000003145	-0.000003965
21	6	-0.000000690	-0.000005452	0.000008934
22	1	0.000003722	0.000001089	0.000004182
23	1	0.000003211	-0.000009409	0.000001632
24	6	0.000003619	0.000006600	-0.000002056
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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **8**• (radical).



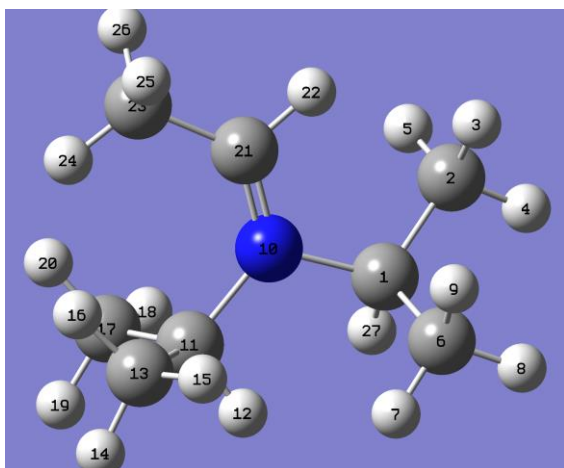

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8	1	0.000001518	-0.000000363	-0.000005817
9	1	0.000001546	-0.000001158	-0.000004226
10	7	0.000003607	0.000012536	-0.000026858
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12	1	-0.000001594	0.000008064	-0.000002390
13	6	-0.000007115	0.000000739	0.000003421
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15	1	0.000002234	0.000001732	0.000002335
16	1	0.000000954	0.000001460	0.000003181
17	6	-0.000005942	-0.000003220	-0.000006215
18	1	0.000000023	0.000000320	0.000000518
19	1	-0.000001630	0.000000191	0.000004246
20	1	-0.000003014	-0.000000457	0.000005722
21	6	0.000002754	-0.000001345	0.000013775
22	1	-0.000000106	-0.000004593	0.000002619

23	6	-0.000003374	-0.000002115	-0.000004989
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27	1	-0.000002104	-0.000000378	-0.000003230

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Cartesian coordinates for optimized structure of **8<sup>+</sup>** (cation).




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Center Number	Atomic Number	Forces (Hartrees/Bohr)		
		X	Y	Z
1	6	-0.000016869	-0.000013379	-0.000003267
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4	1	0.000000697	-0.000001784	0.000002439
5	1	0.000000360	0.000001318	0.000001551
6	6	0.000001101	0.000009334	0.000009377
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8	1	-0.000001406	-0.000002530	0.000001913
9	1	-0.000002685	-0.000001410	-0.000000668
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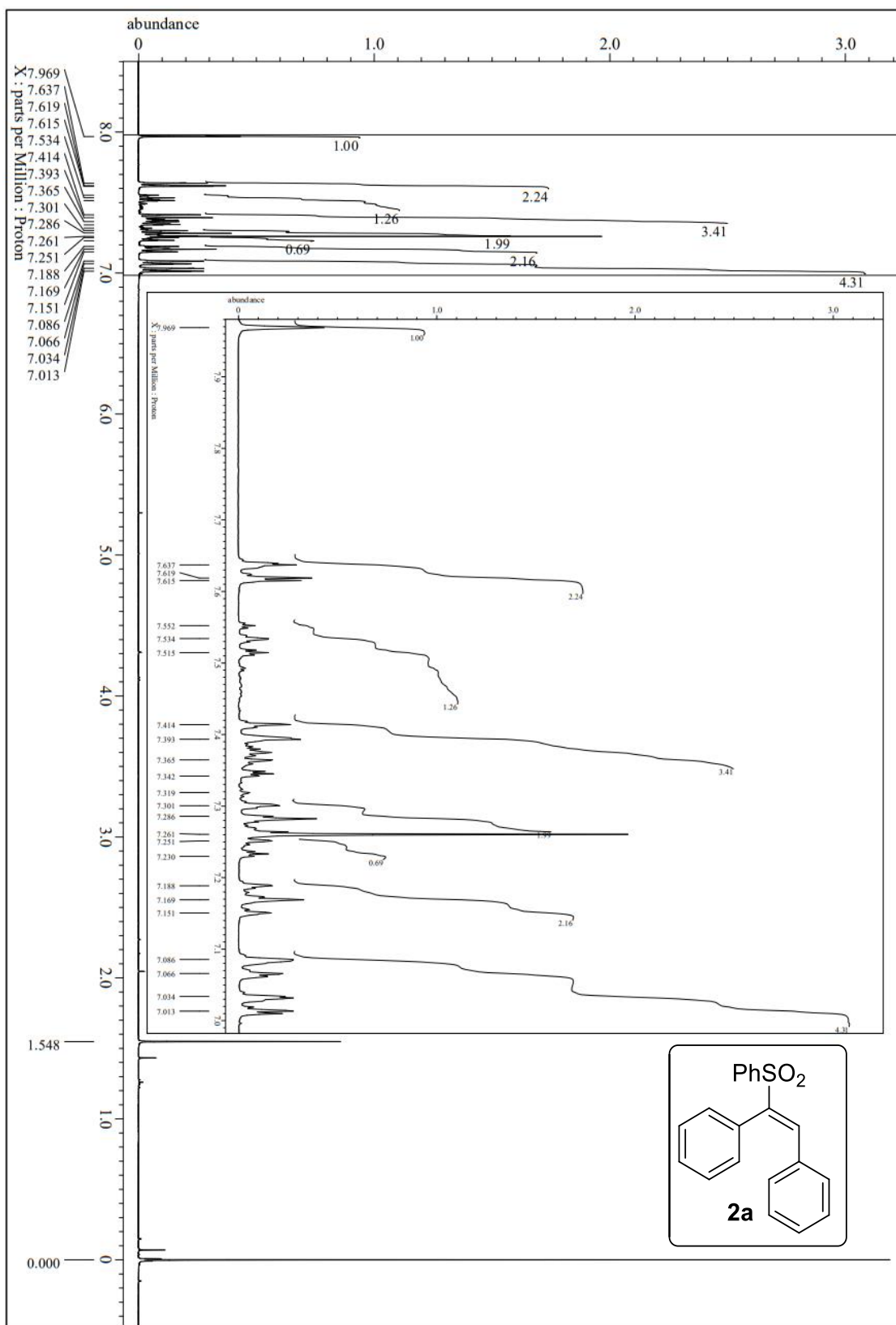
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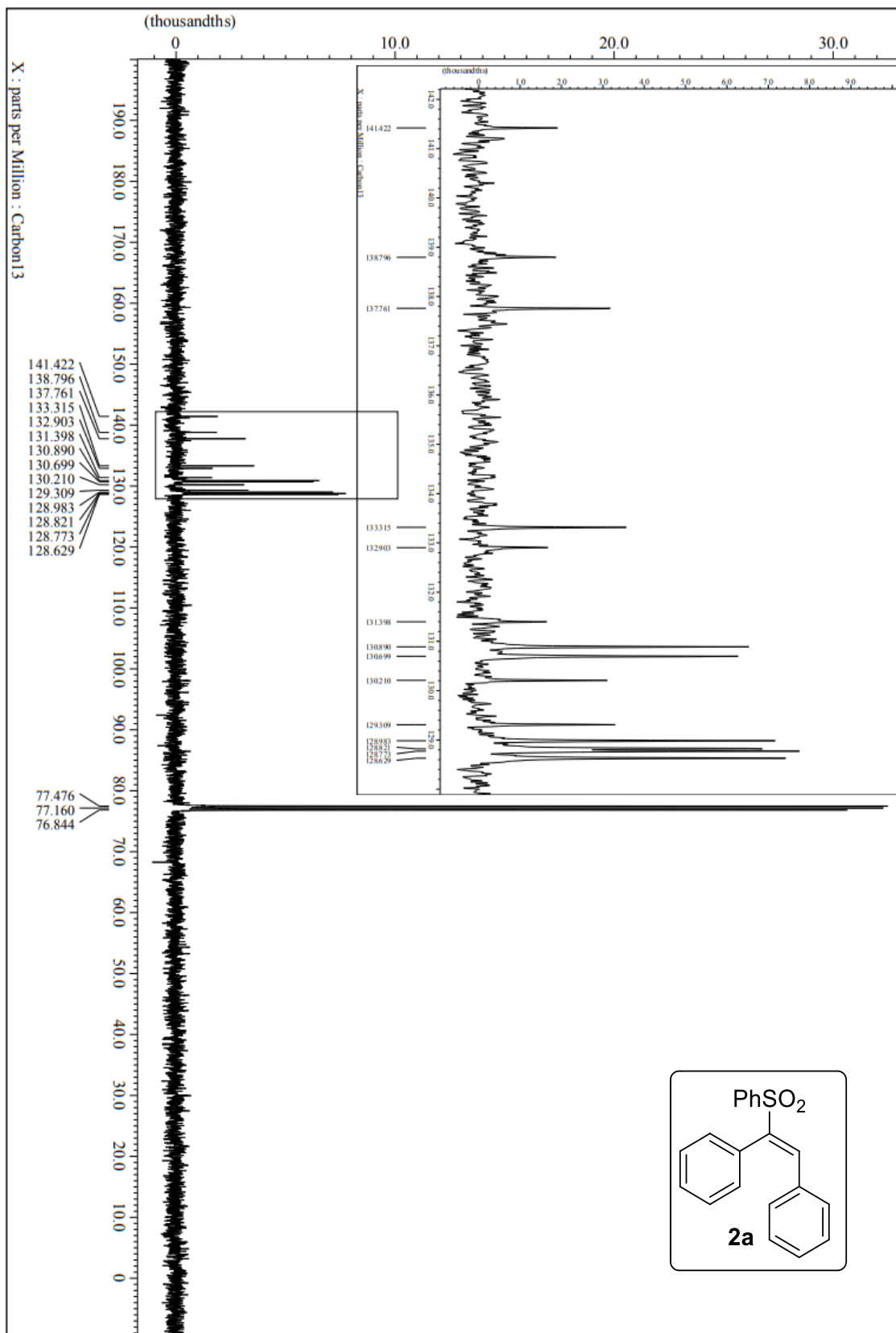
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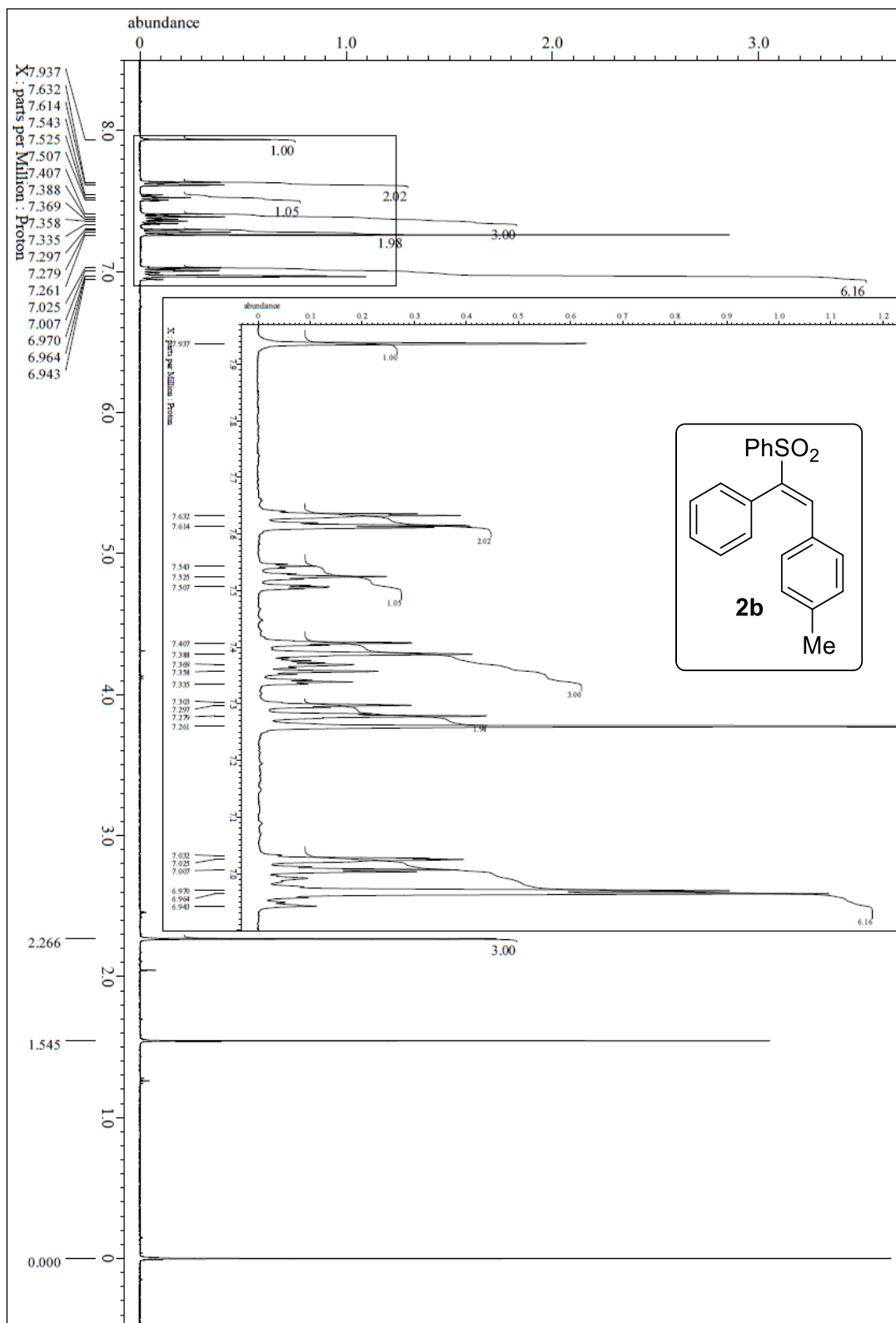
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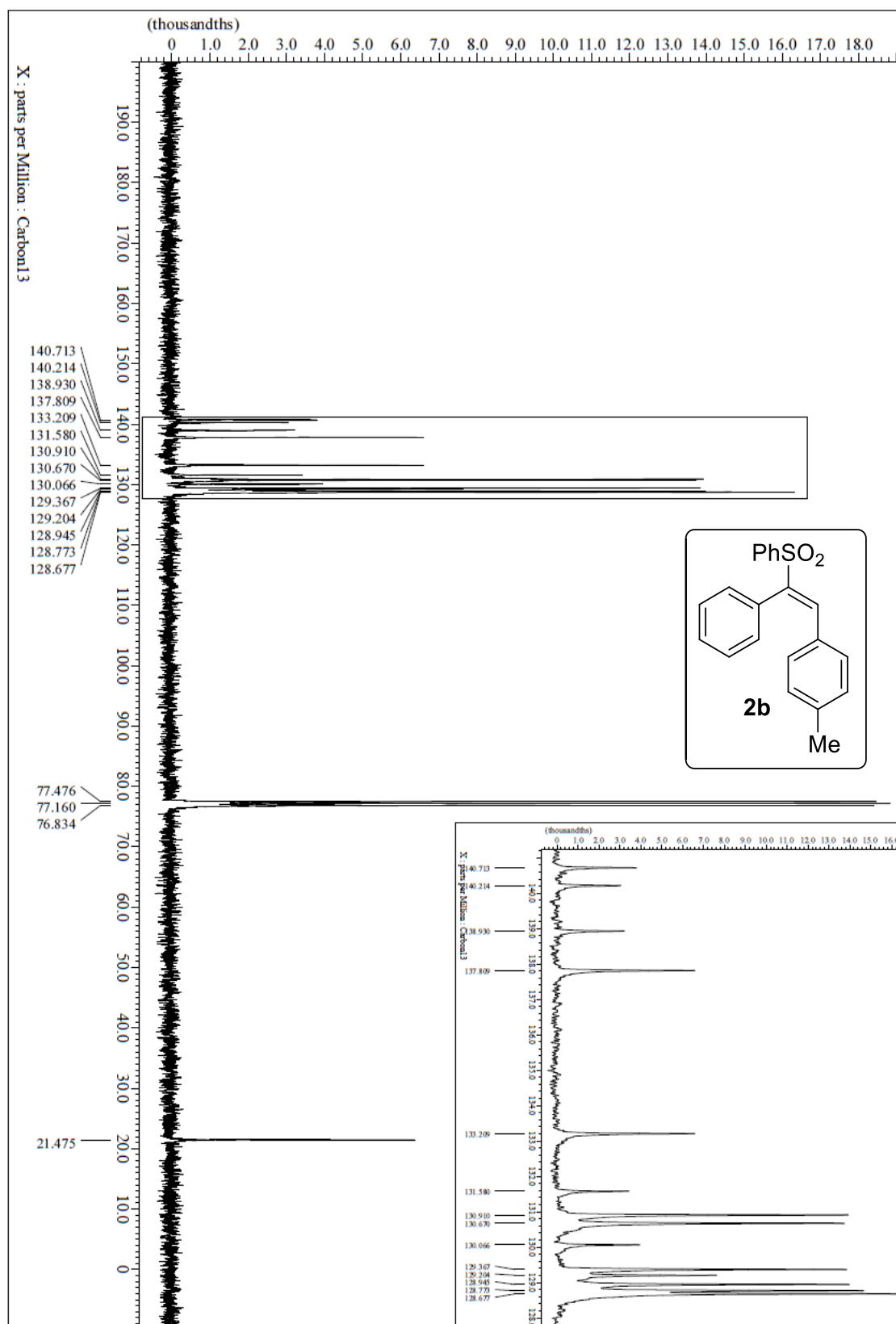
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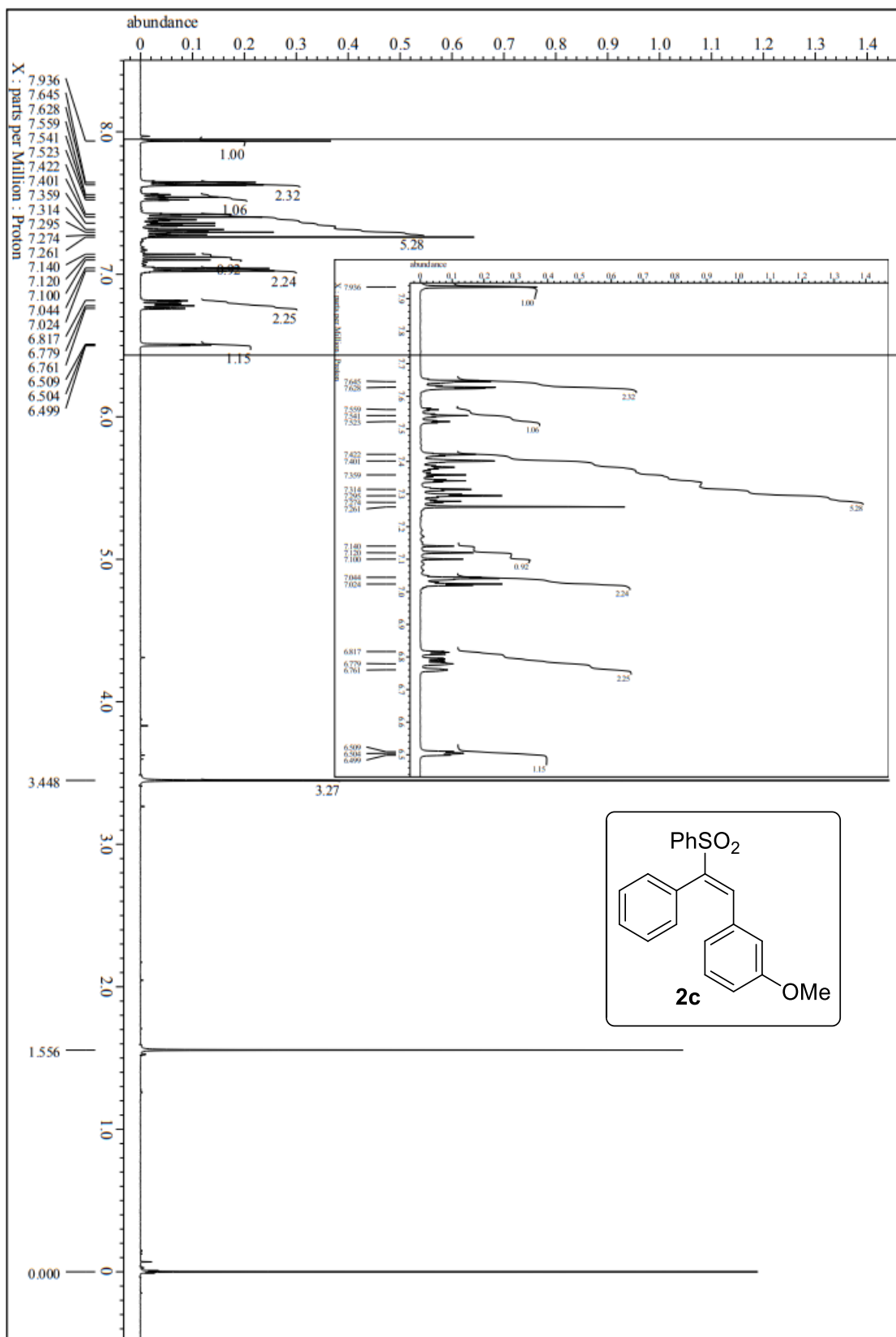
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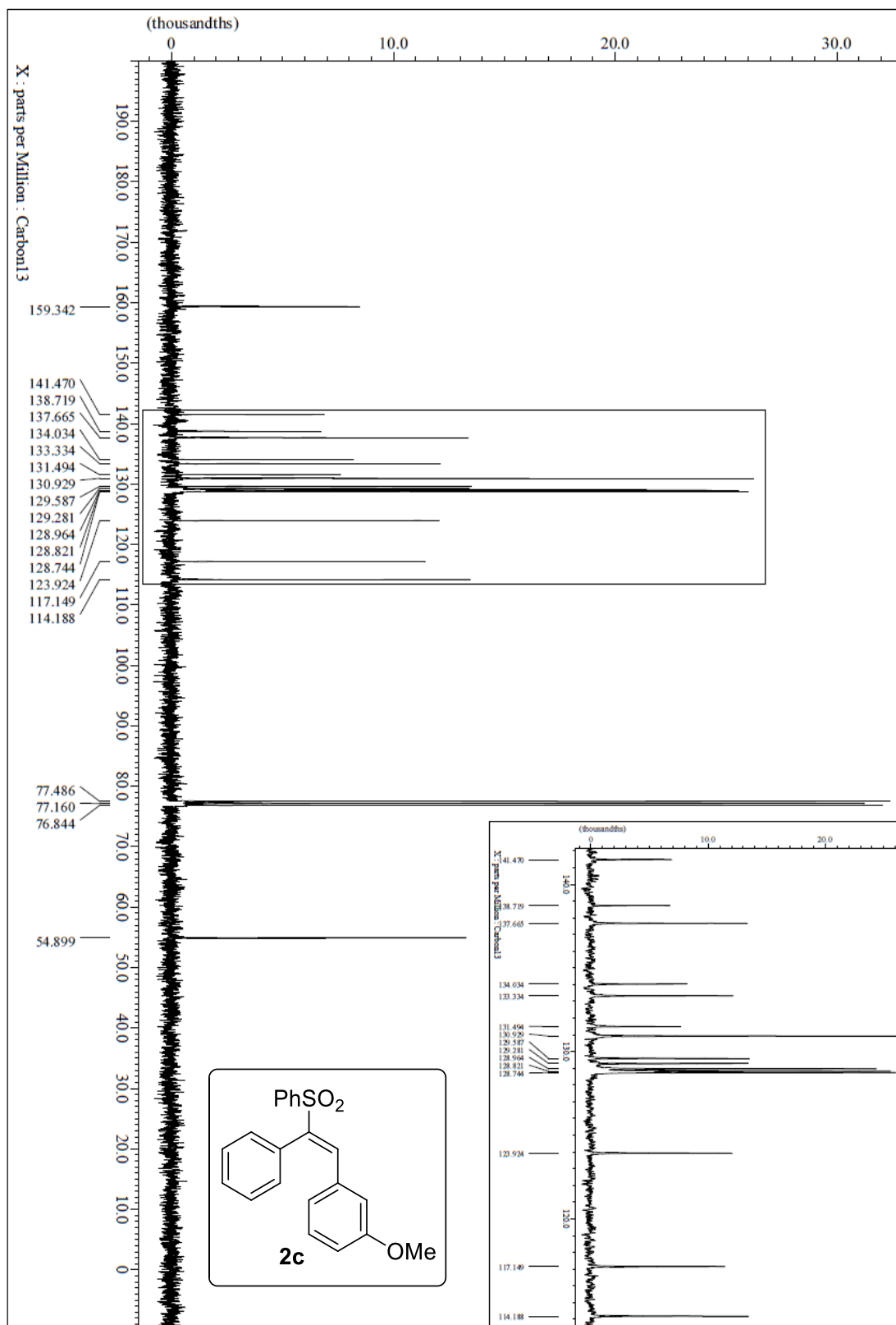
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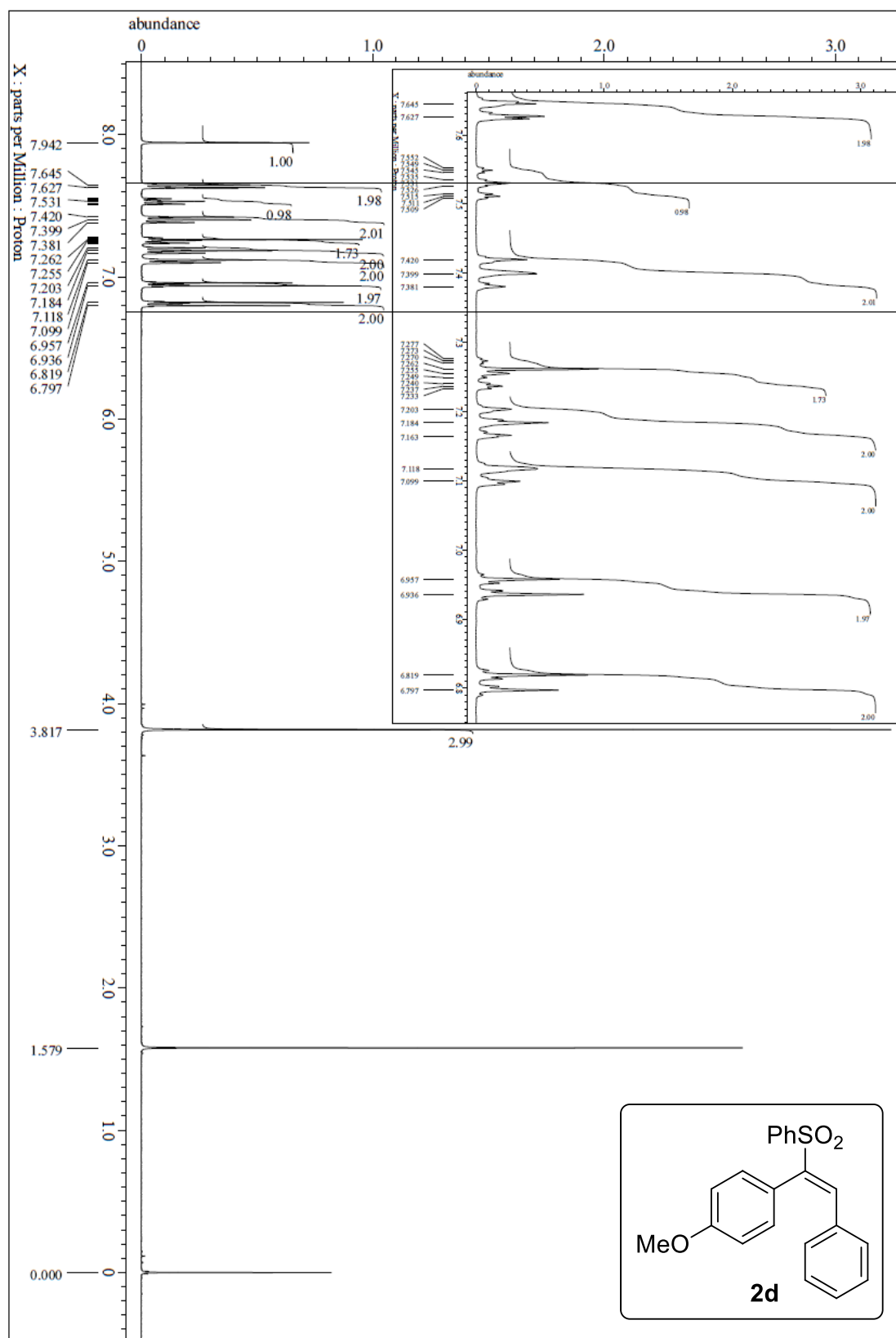


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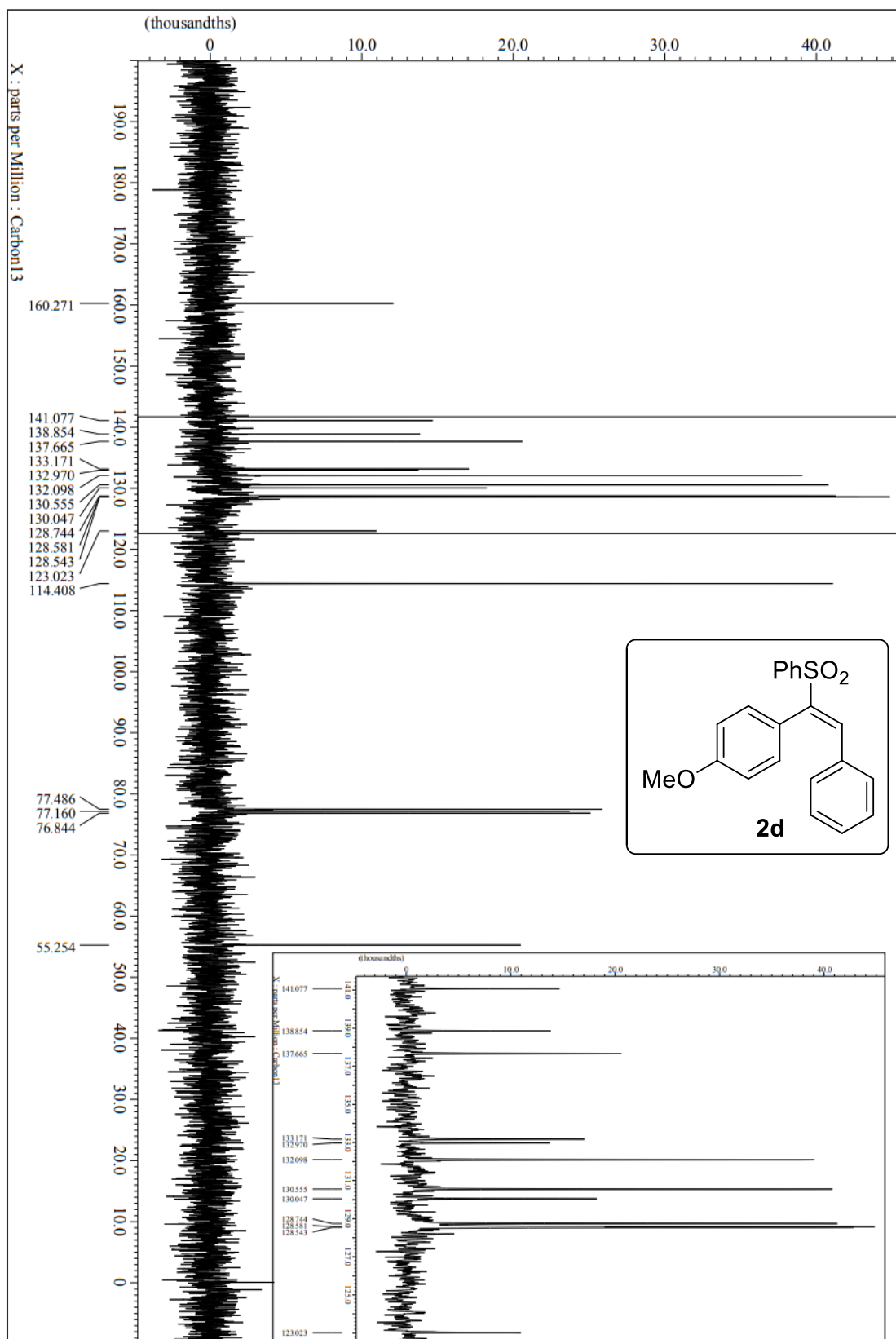


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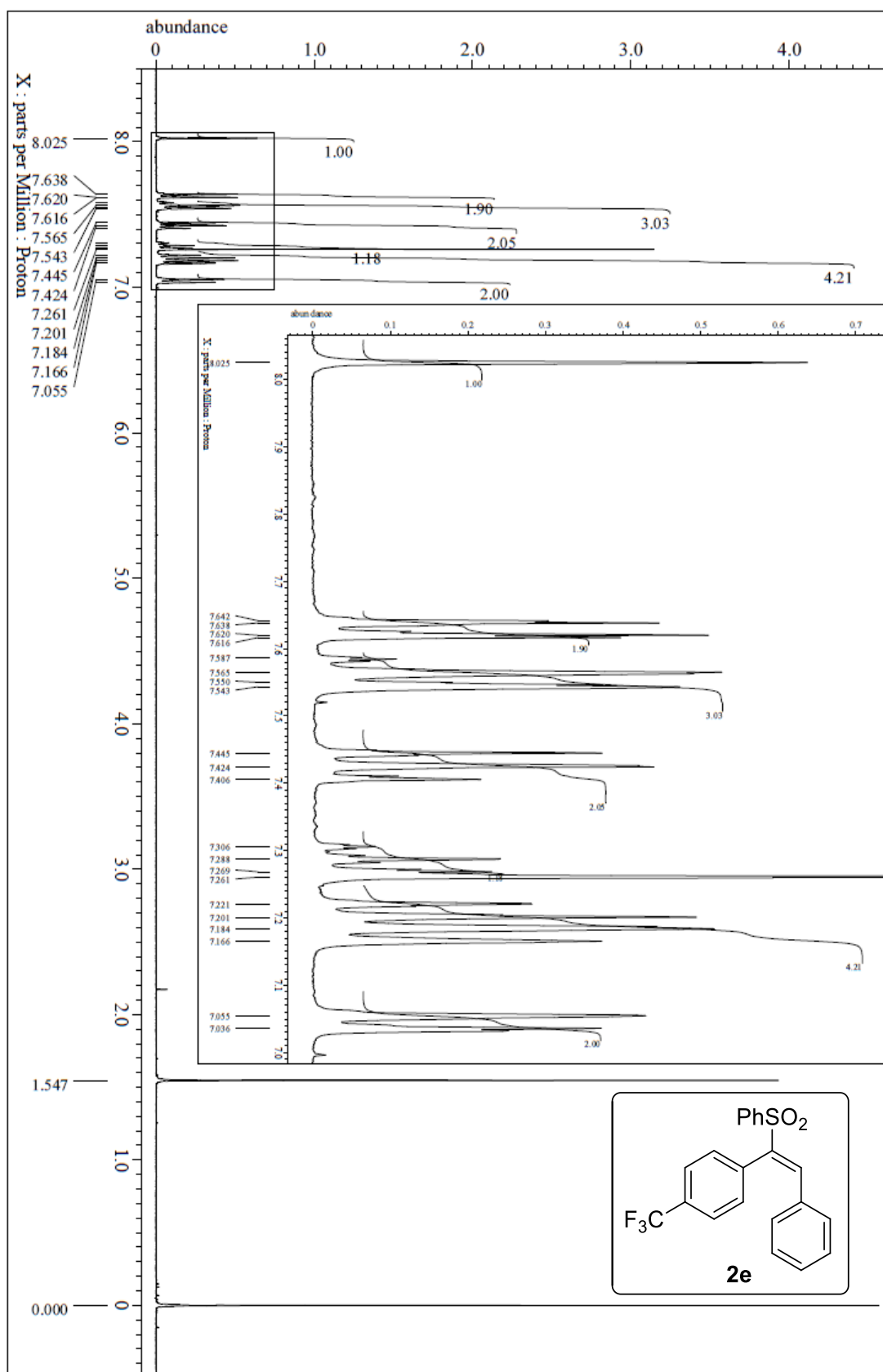




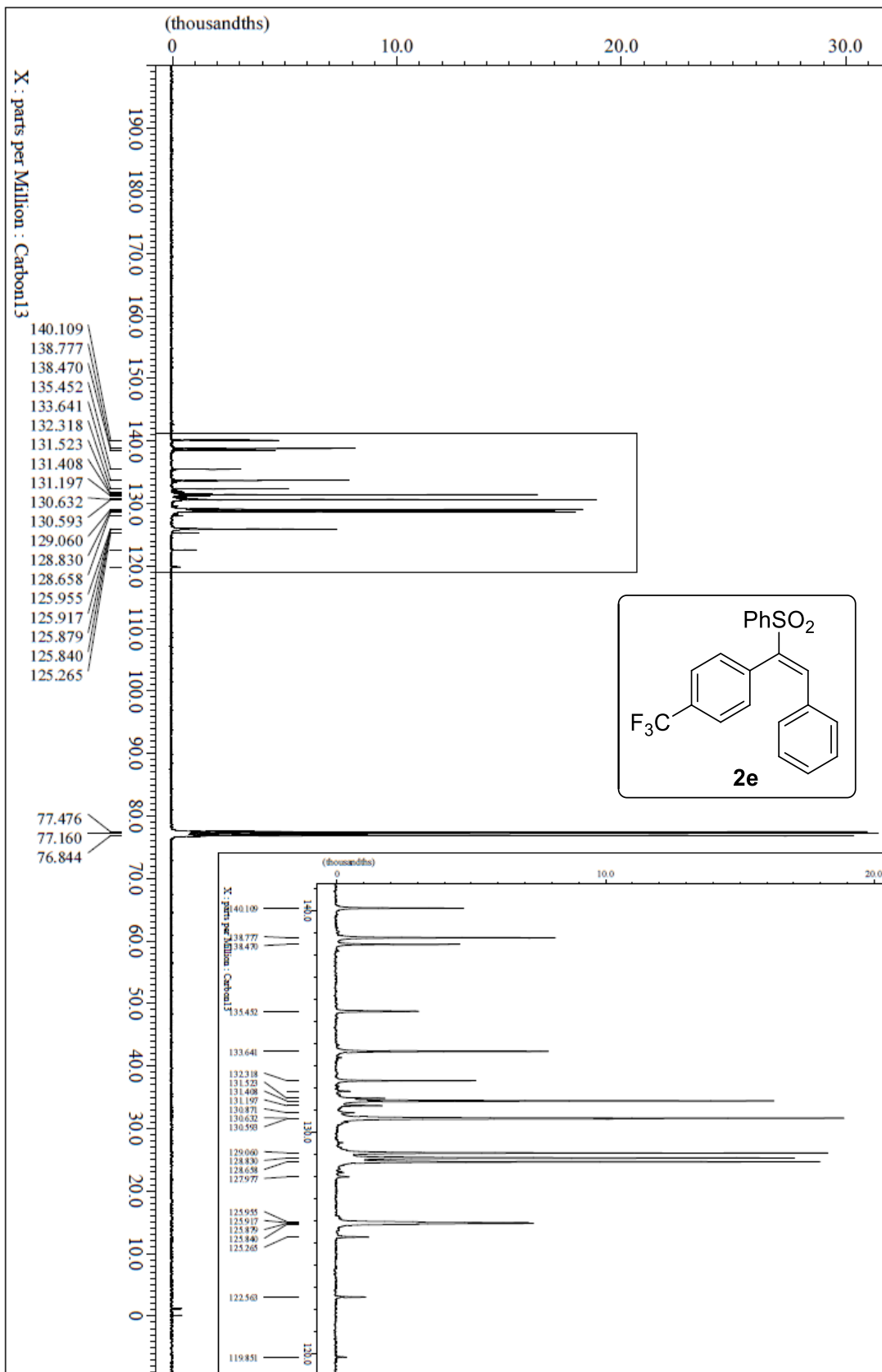
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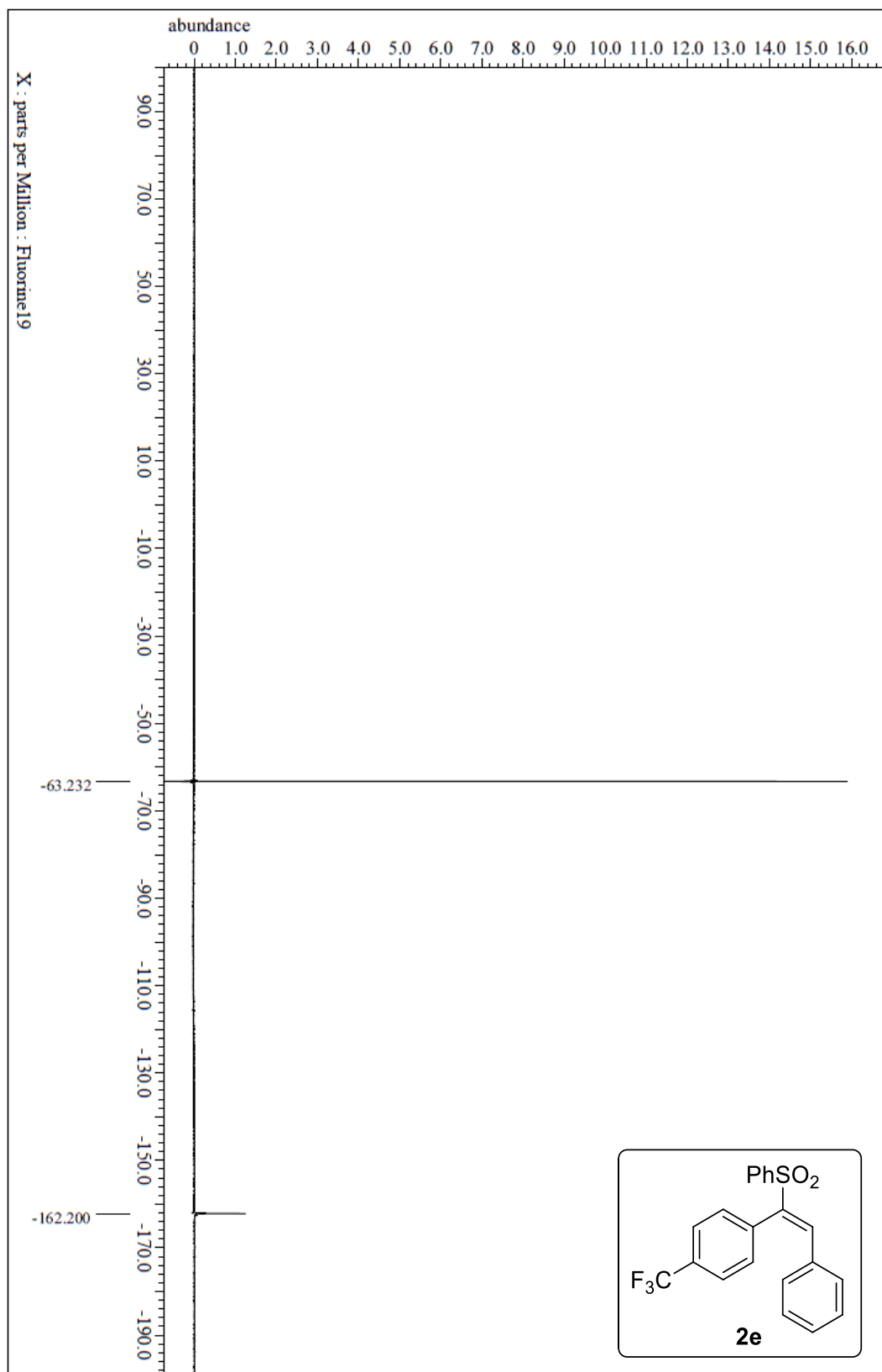
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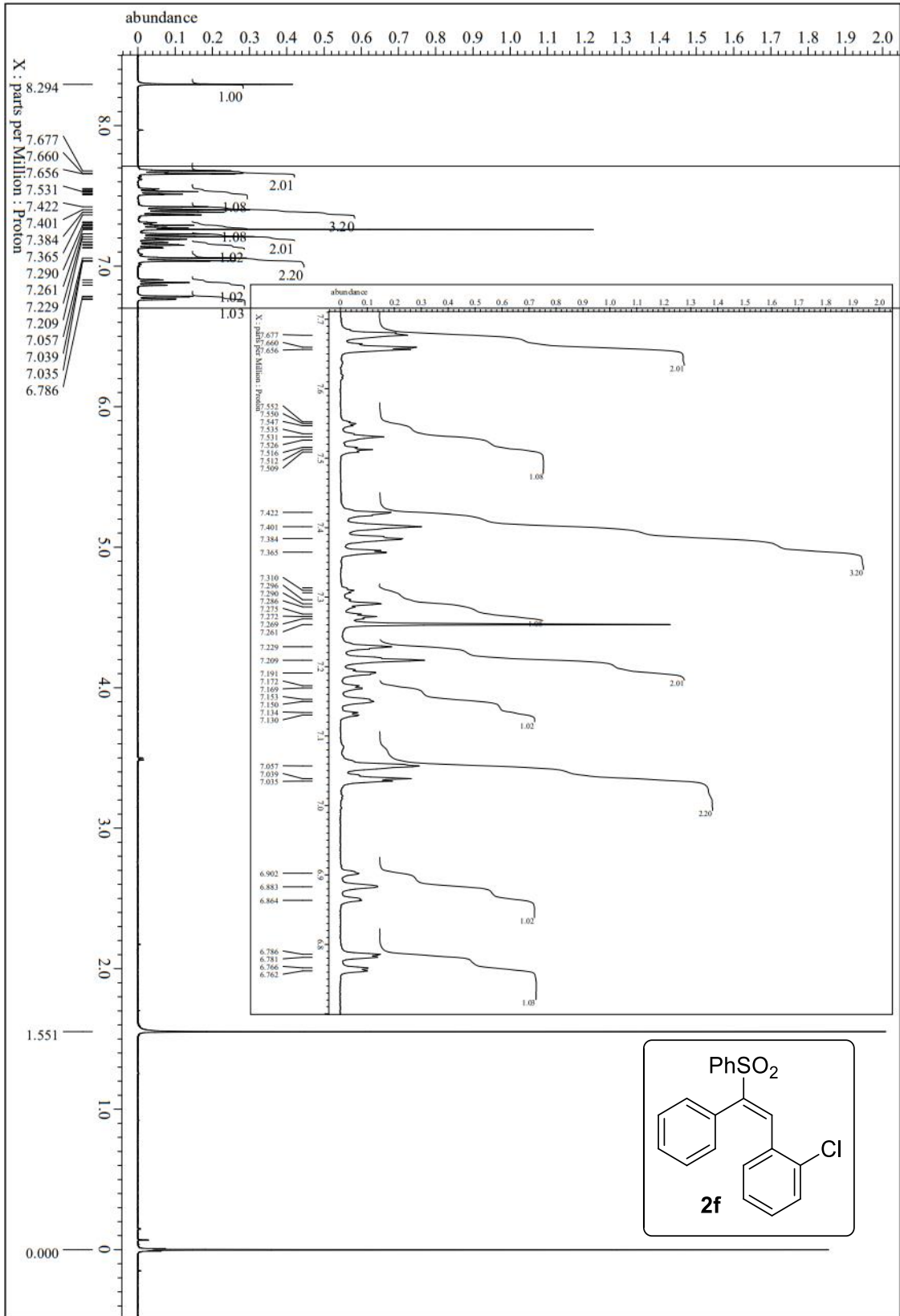
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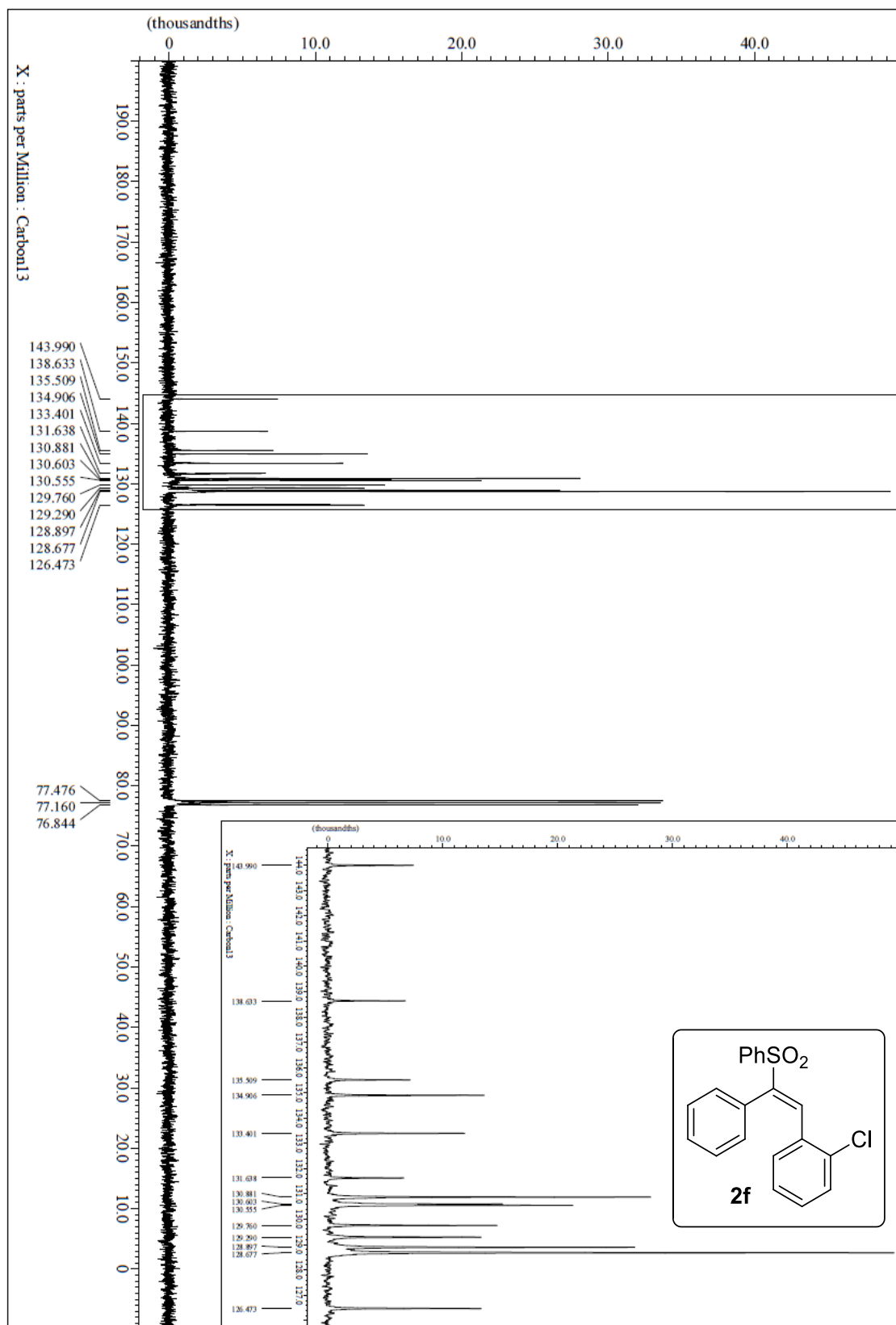
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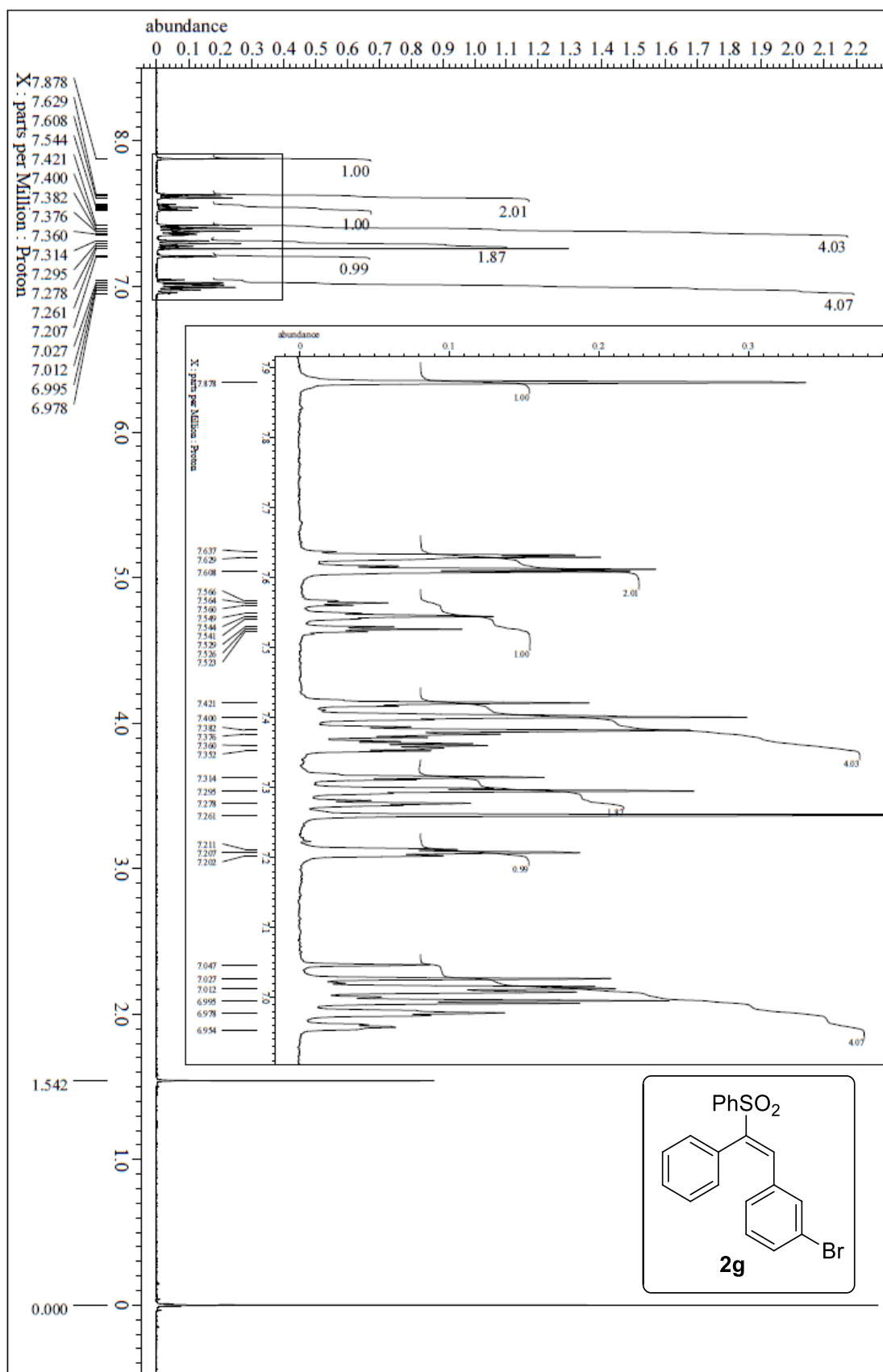
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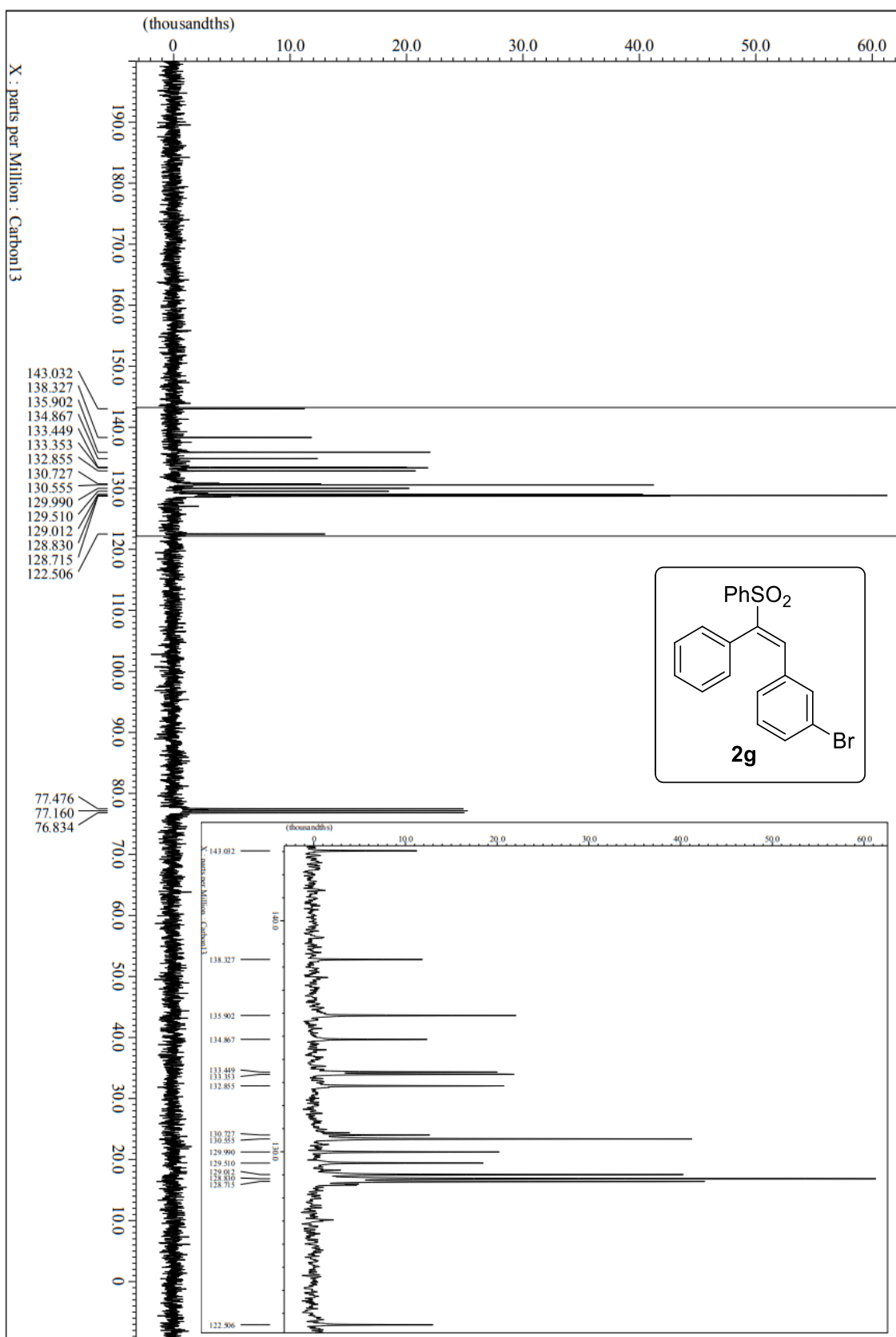


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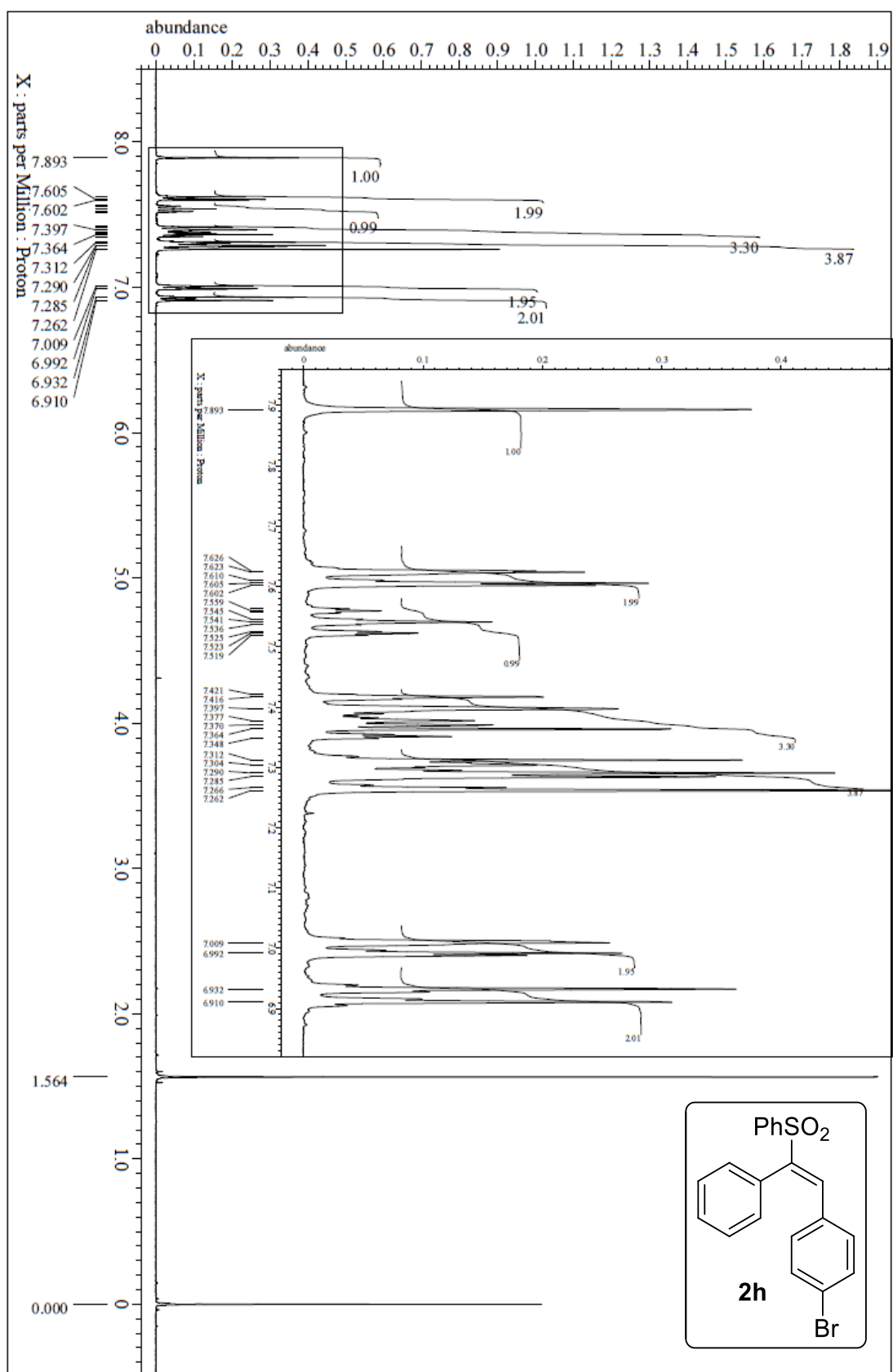


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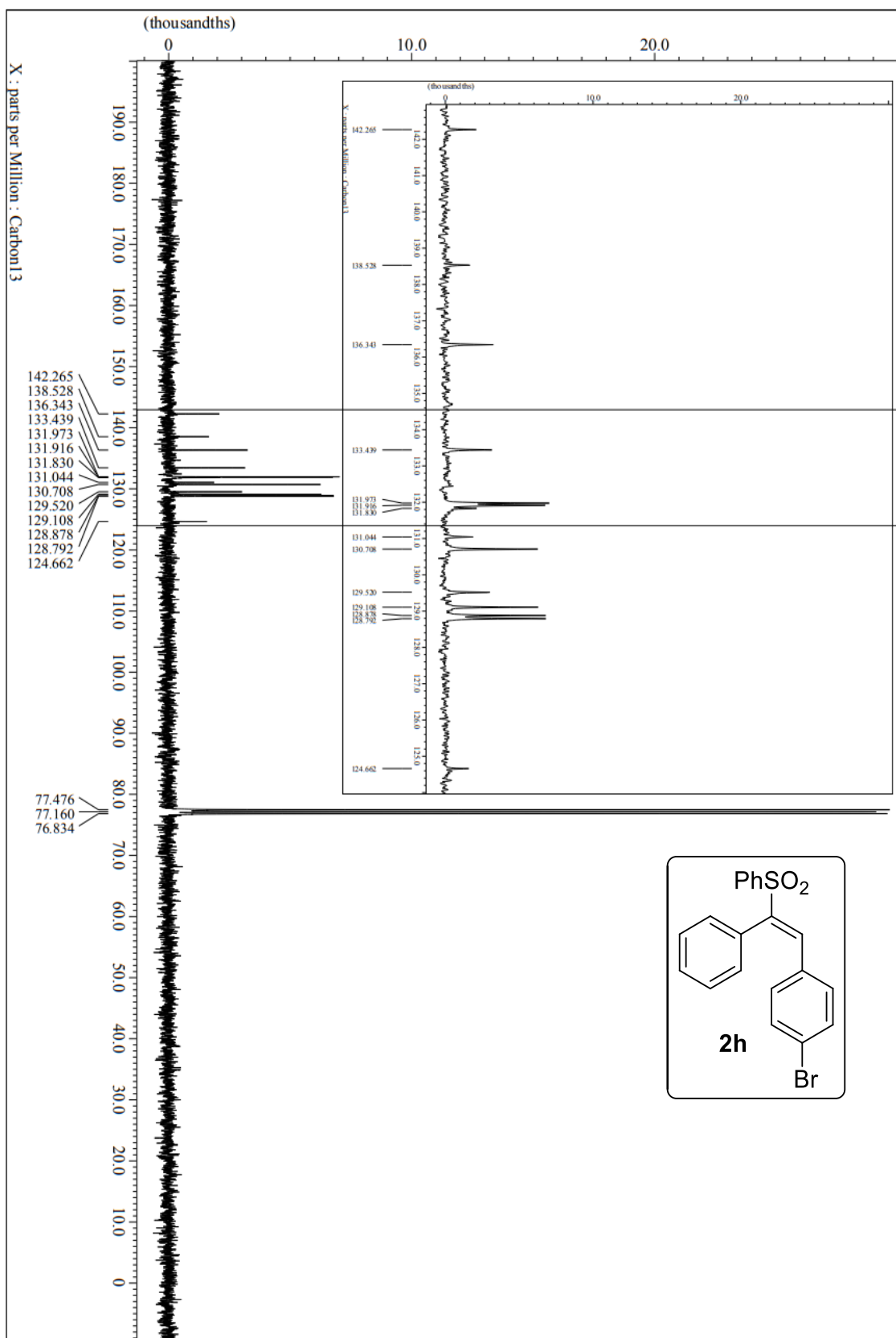




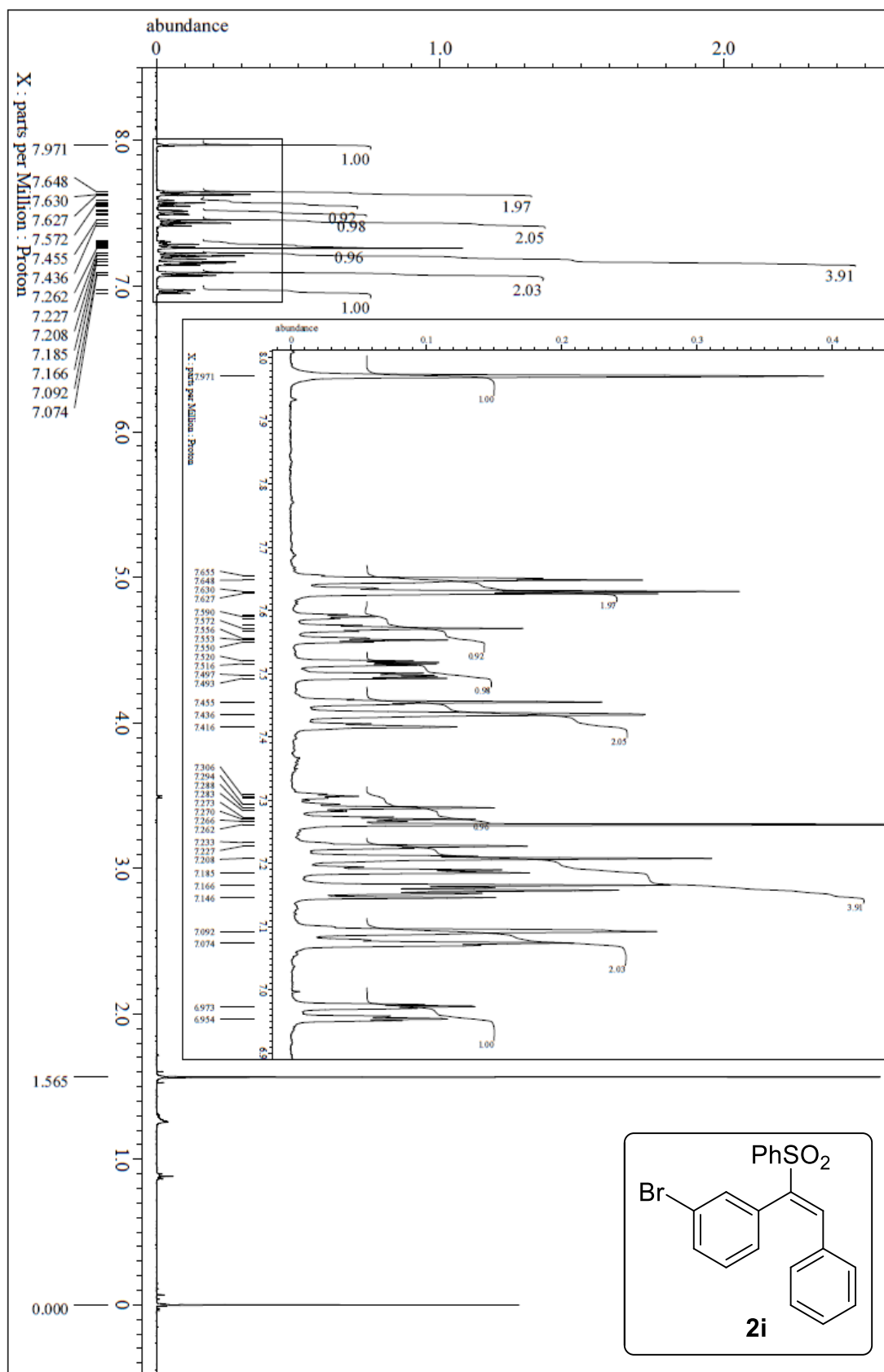
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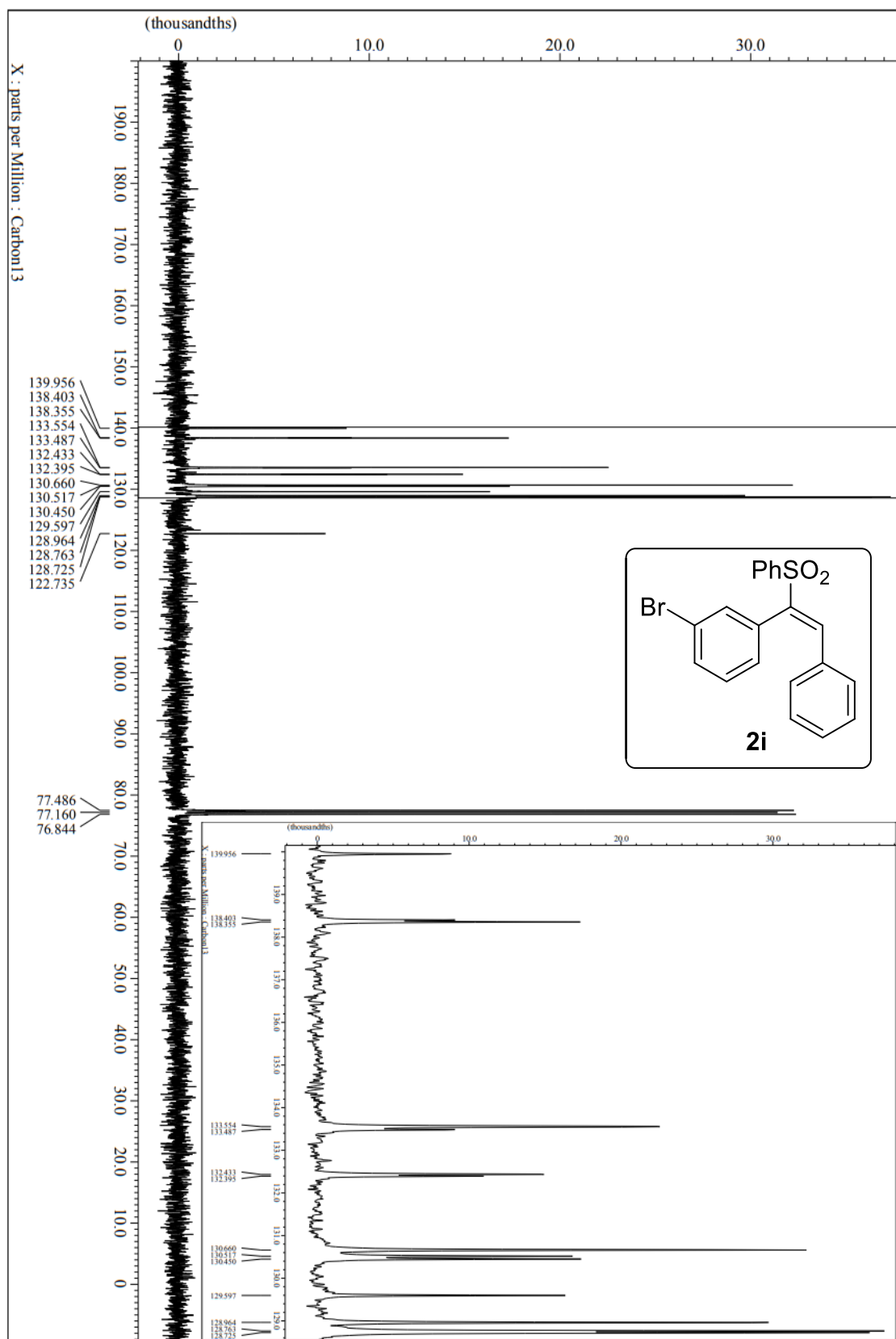
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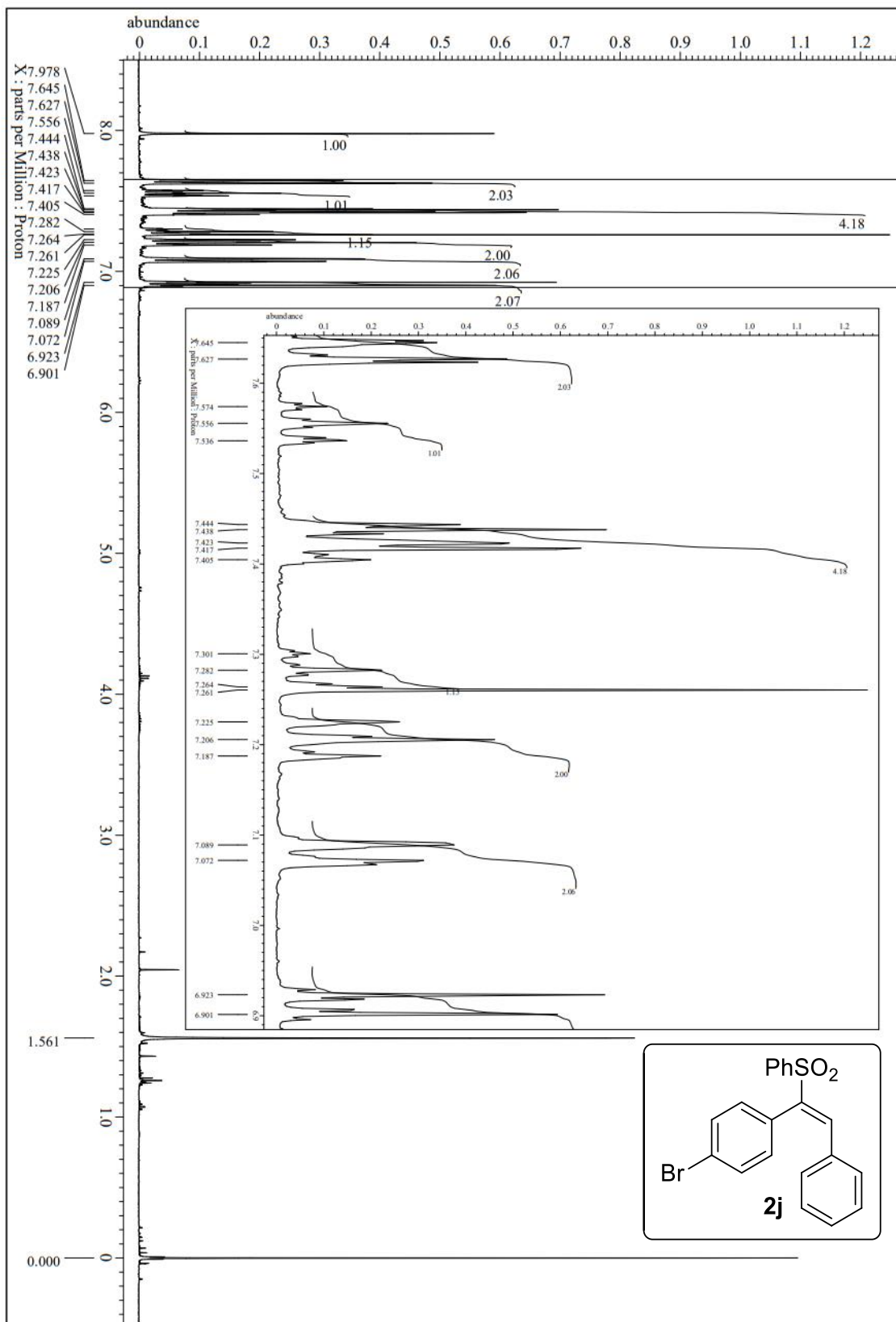
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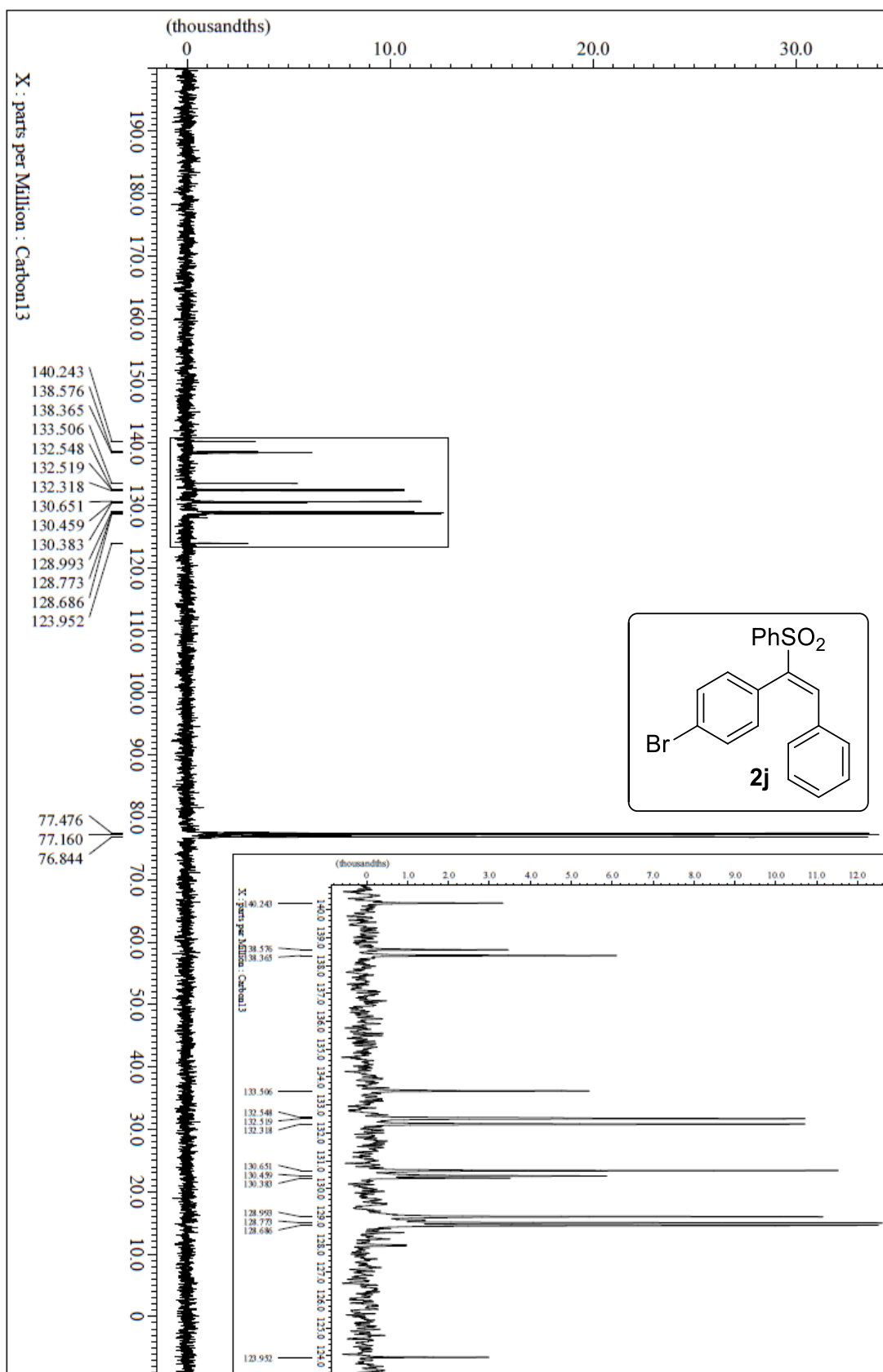
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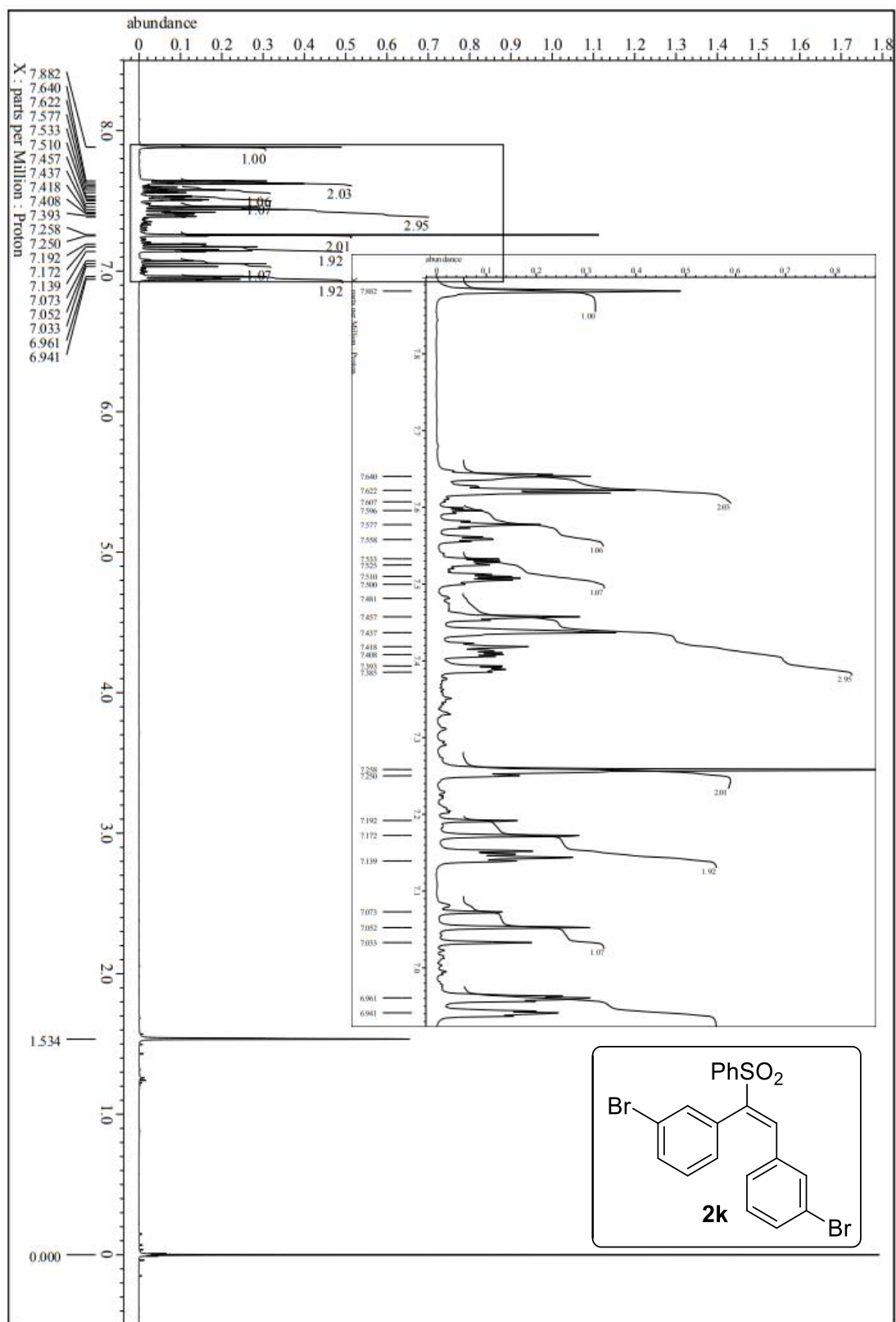
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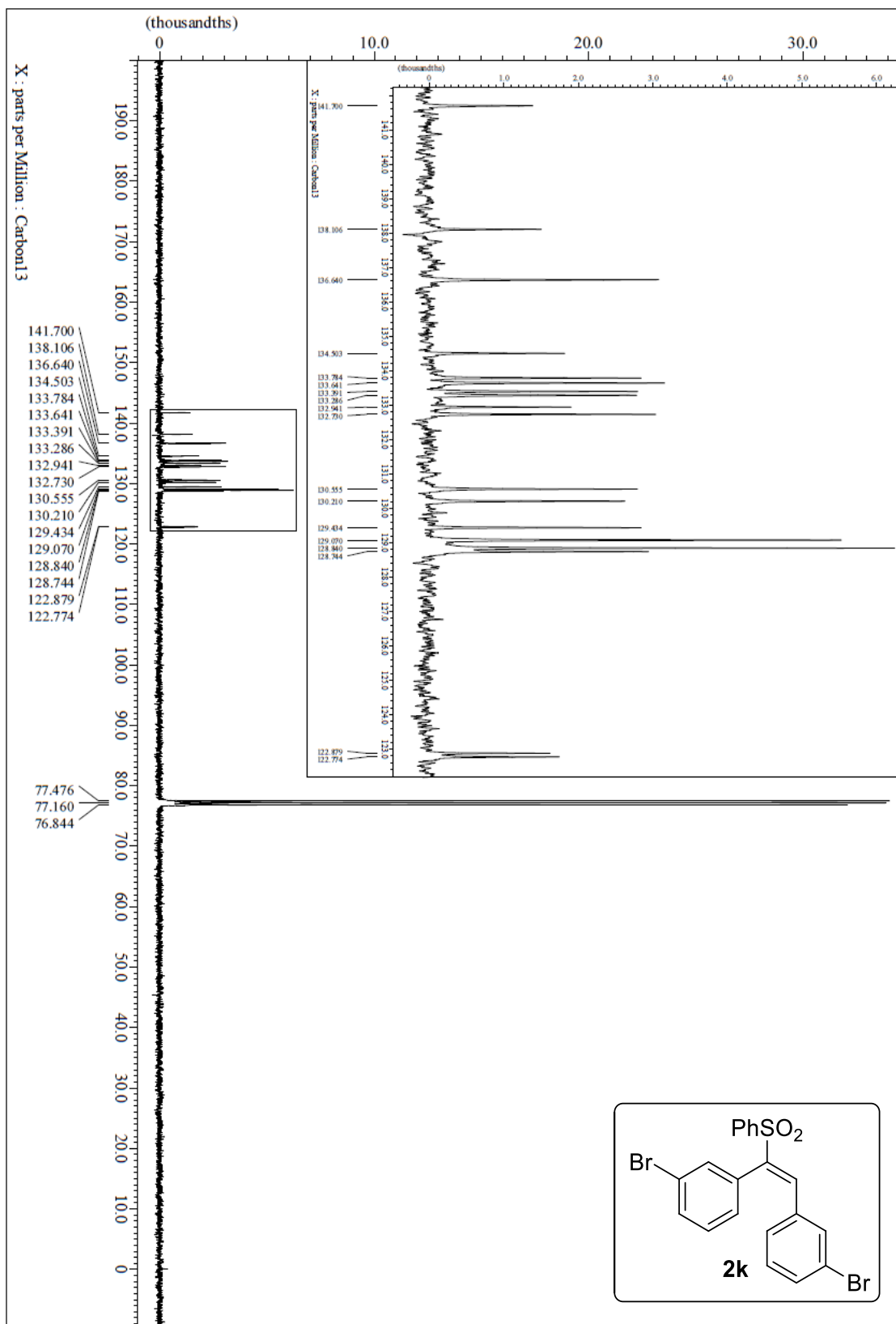


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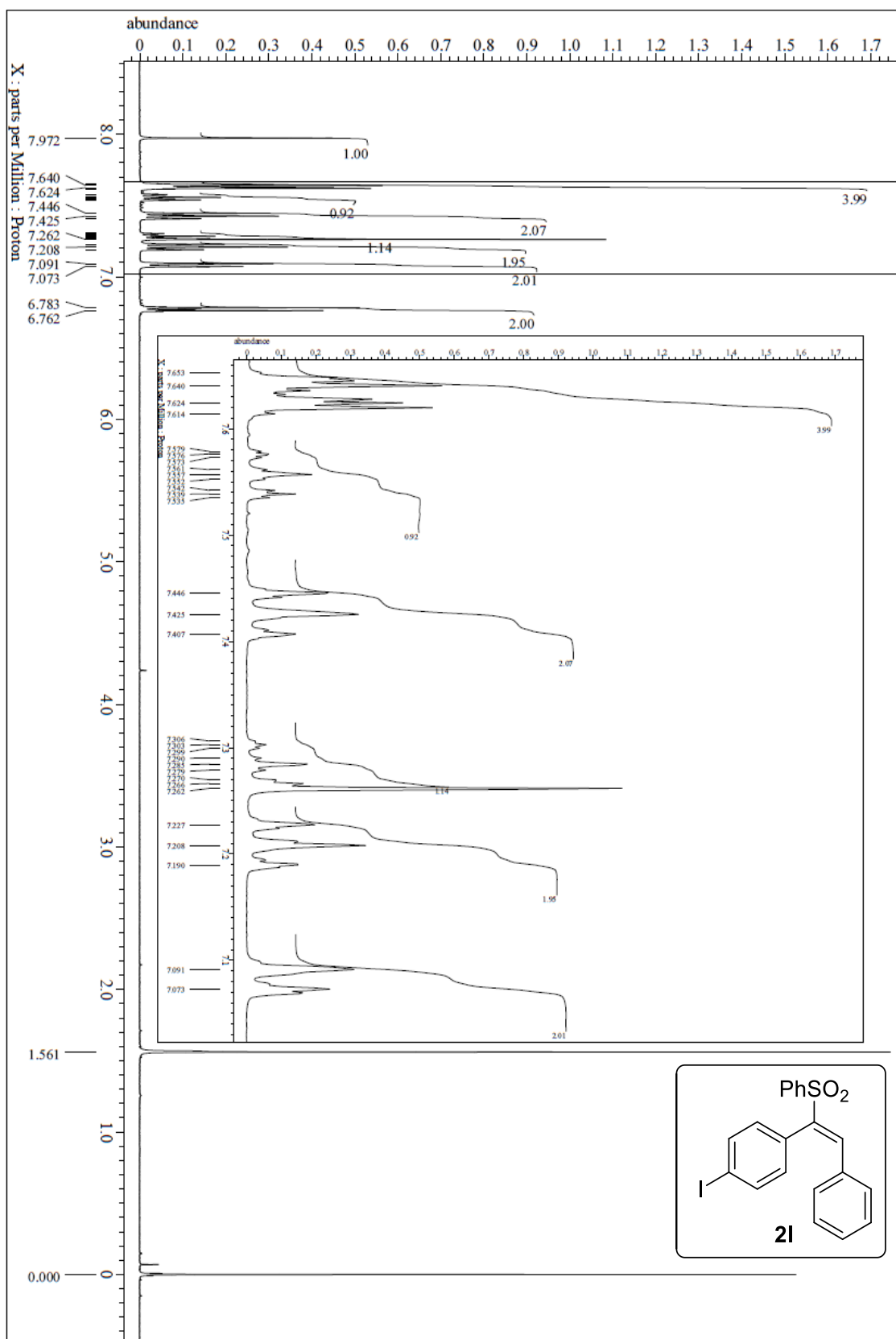


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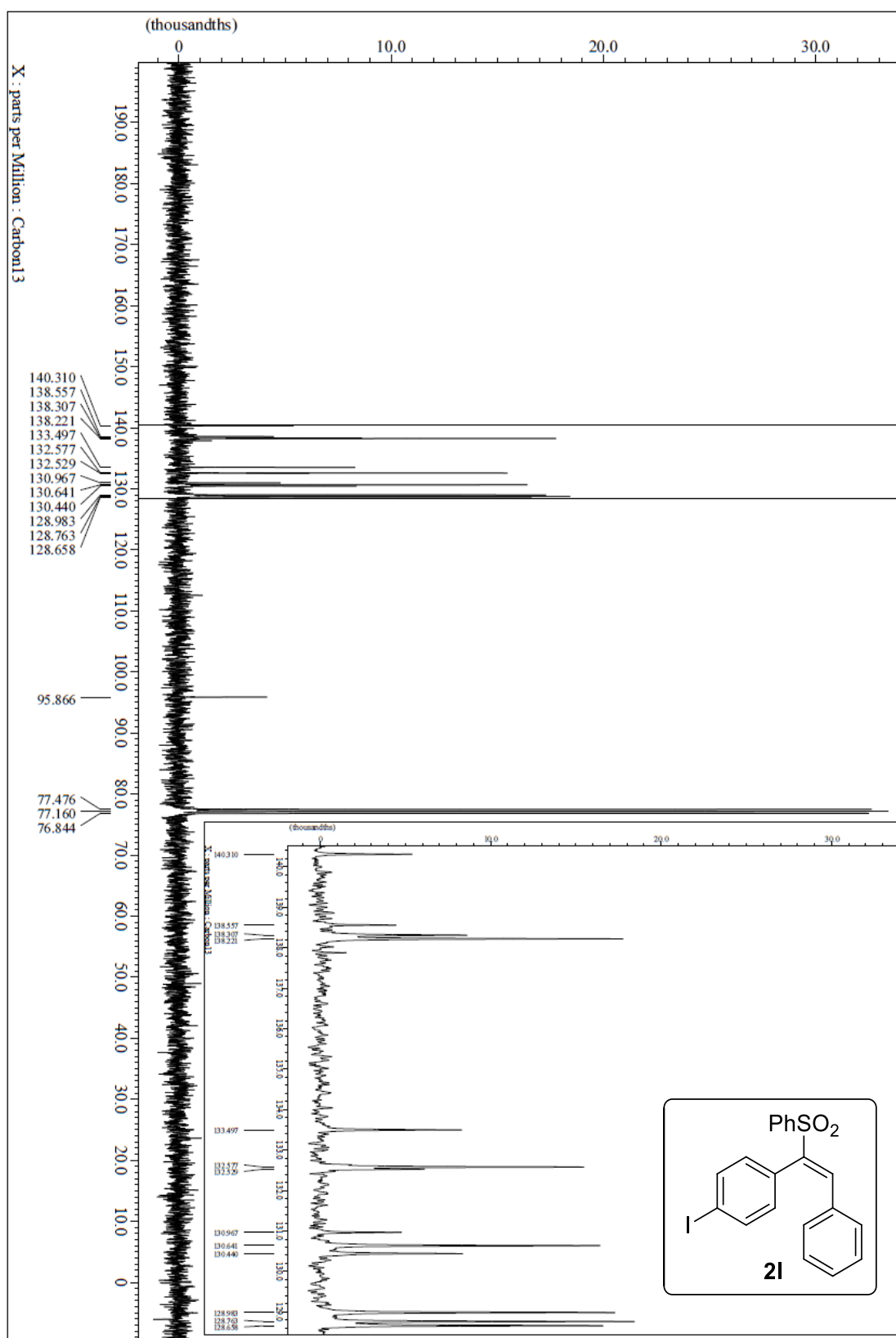




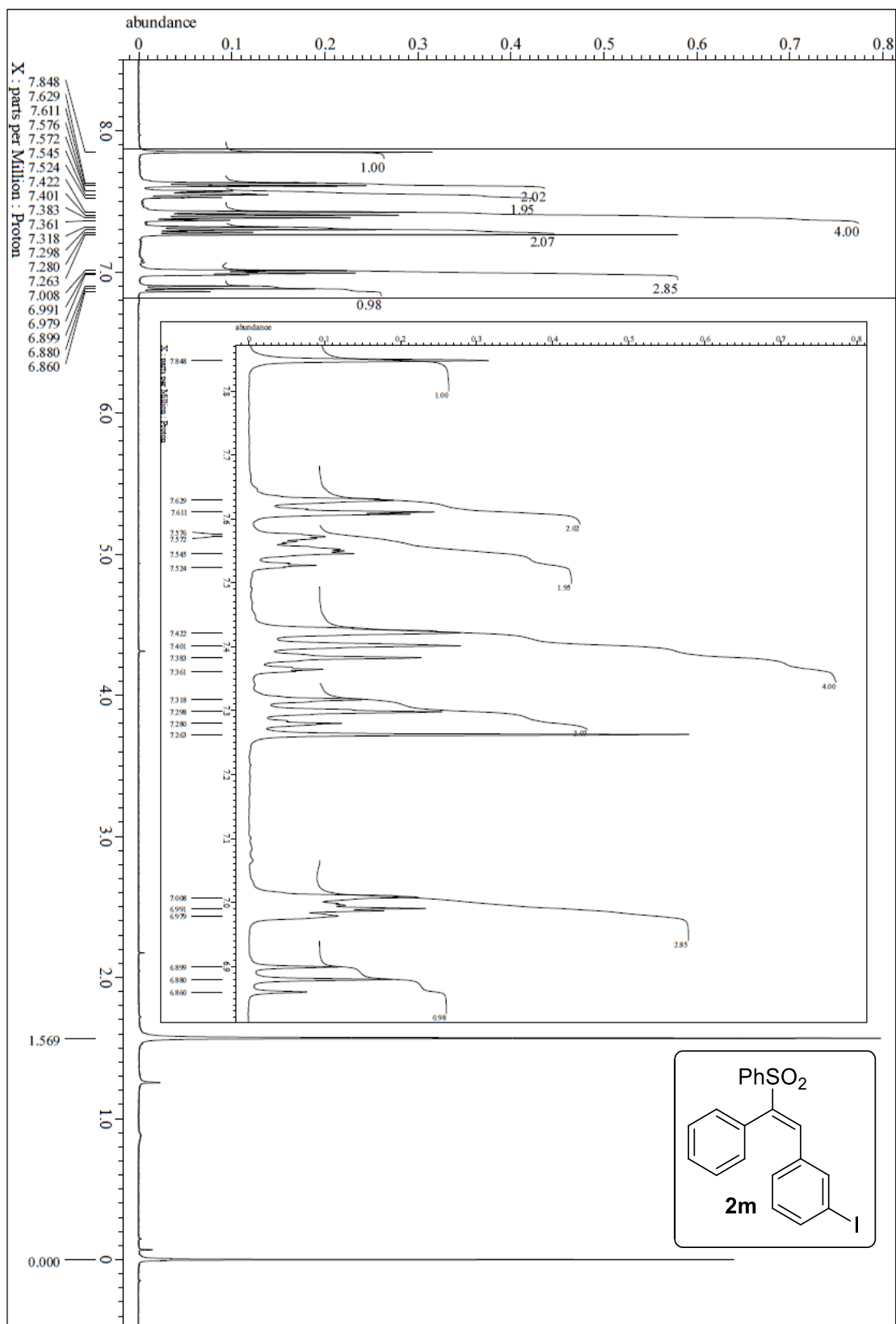
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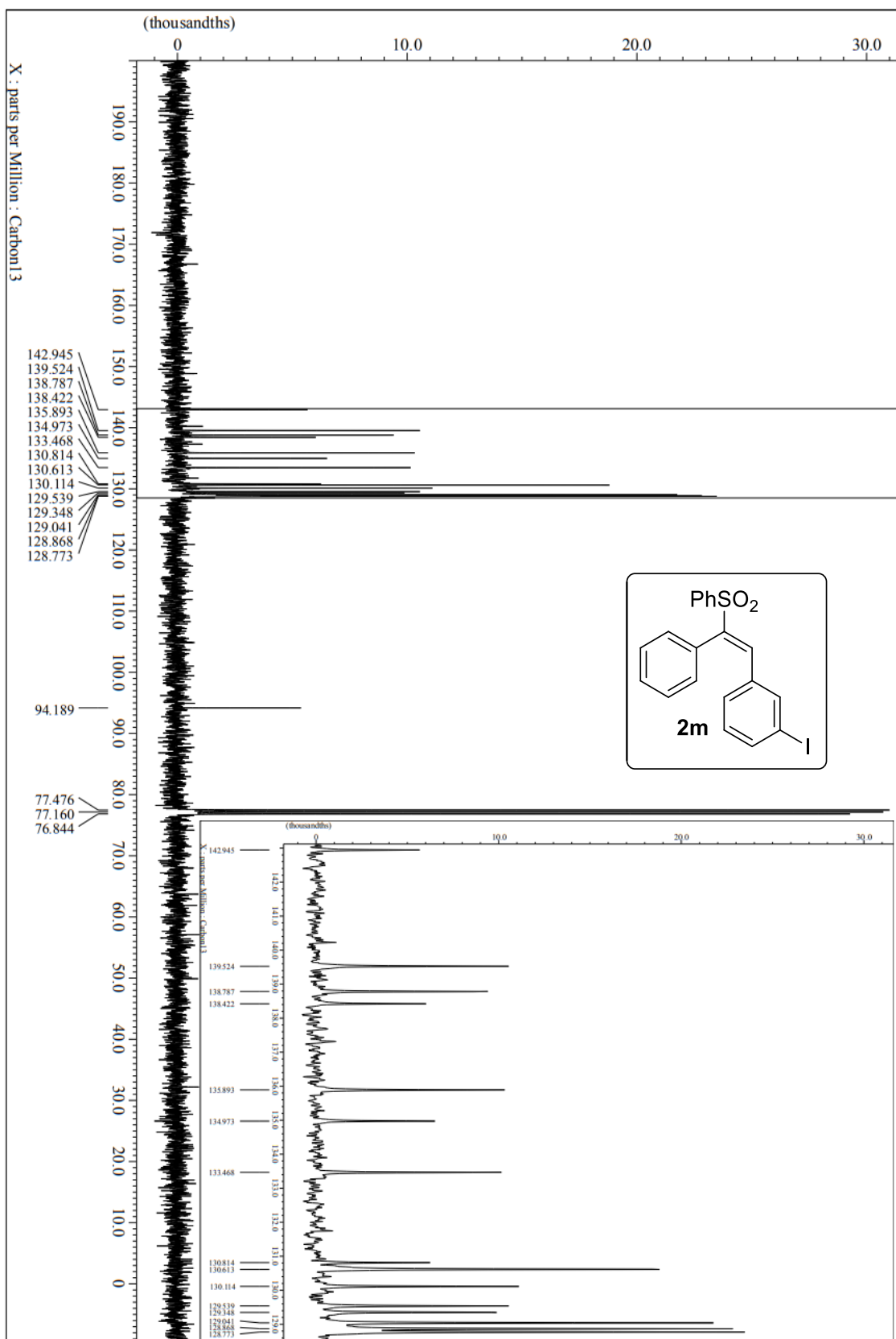
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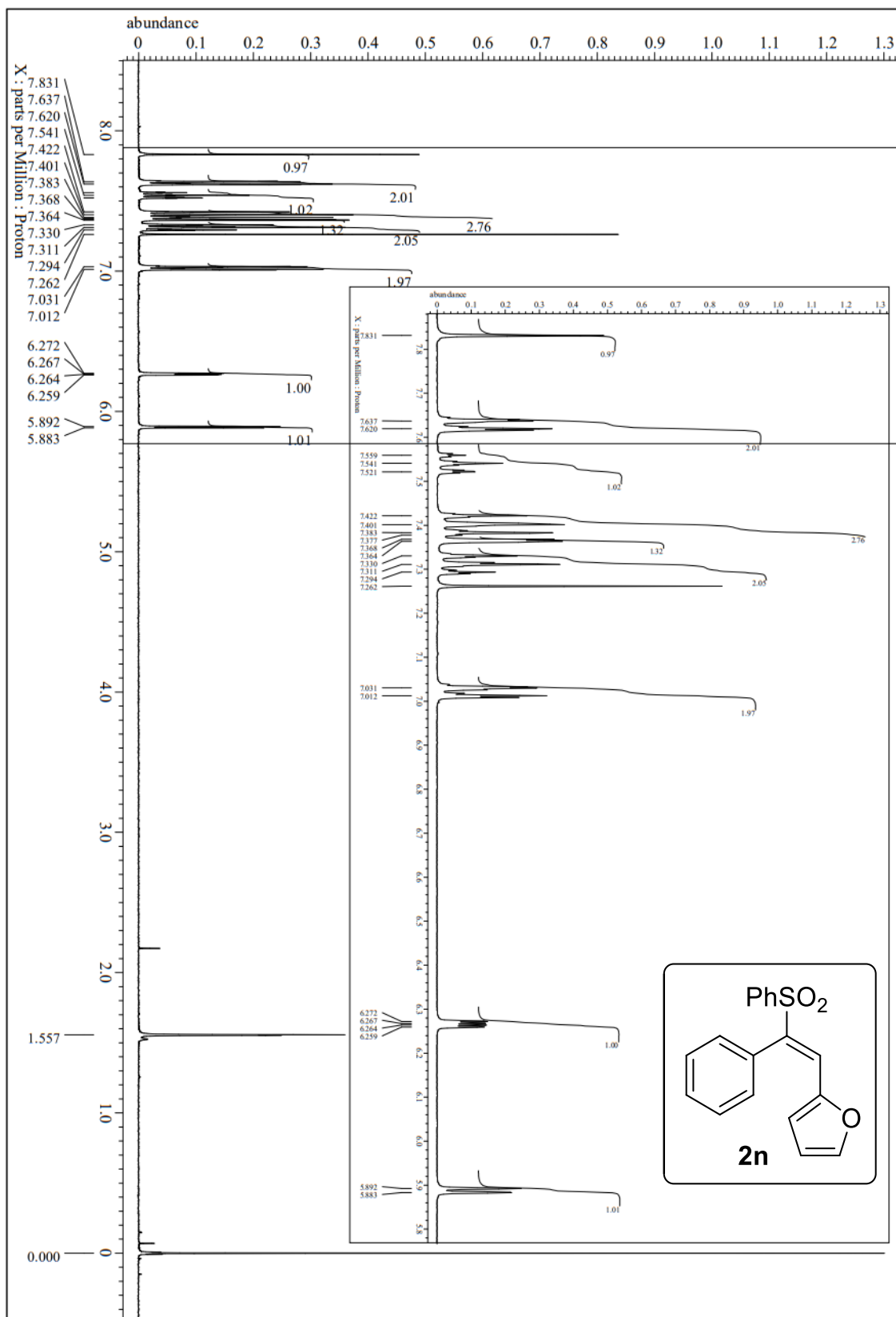
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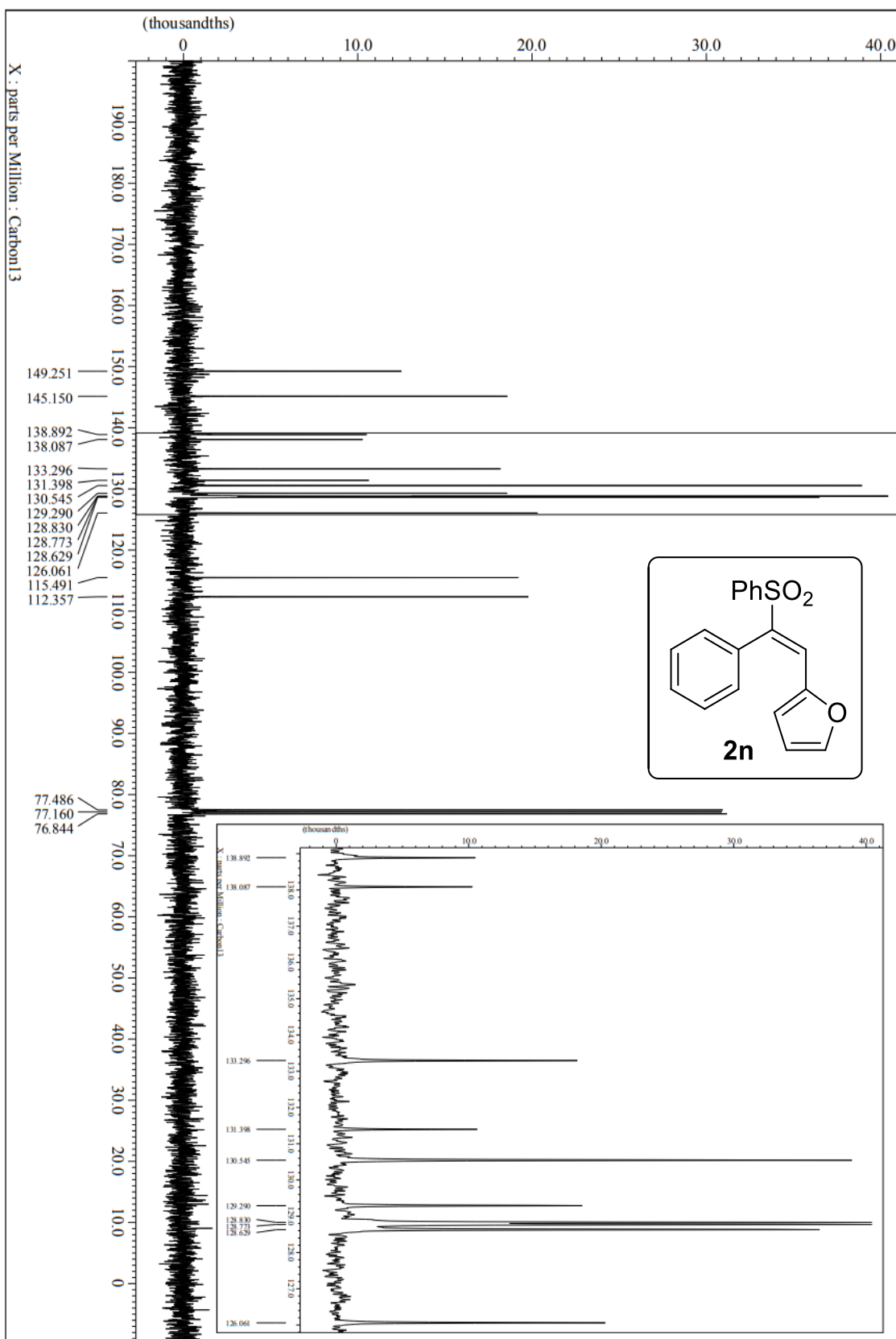
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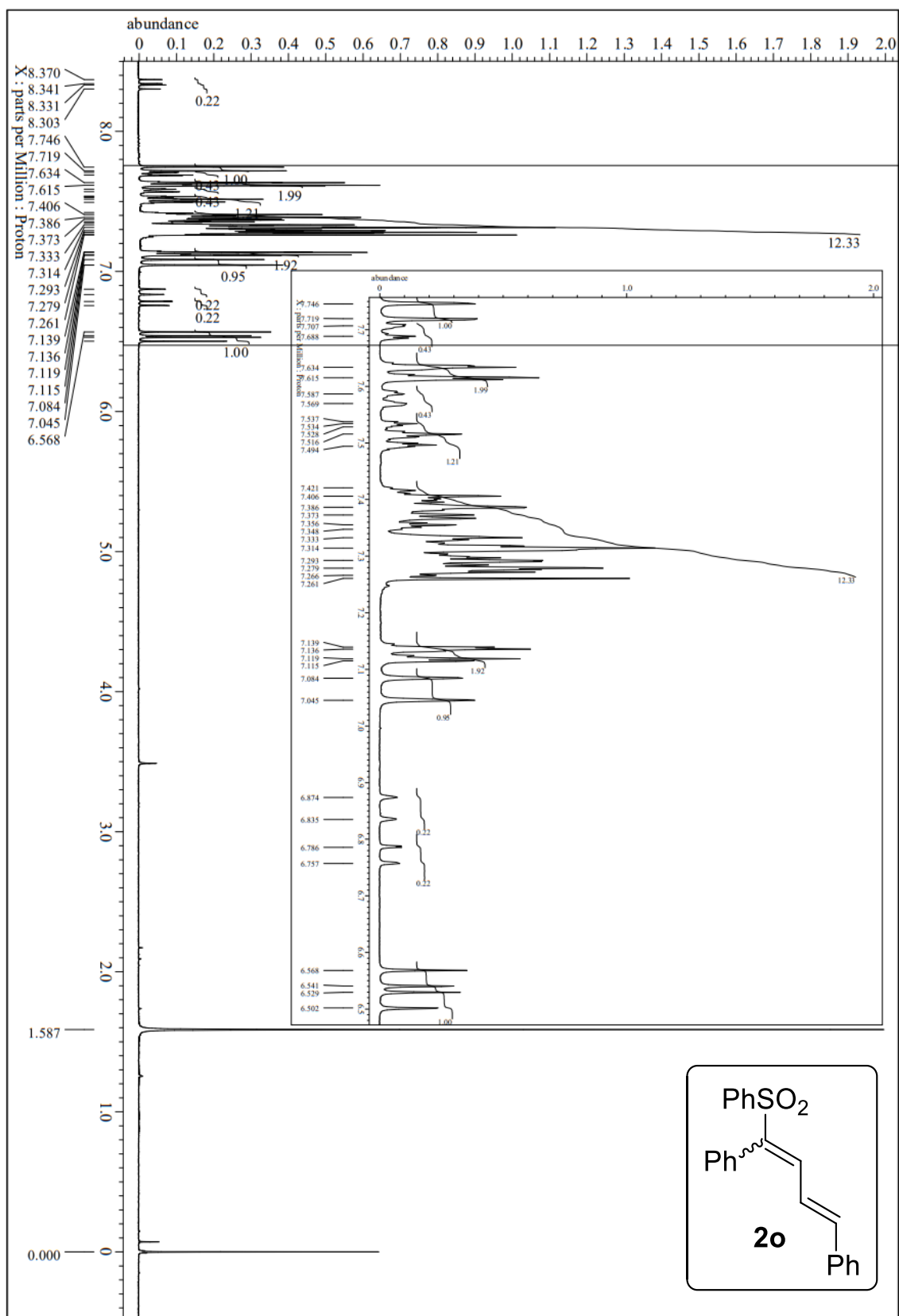
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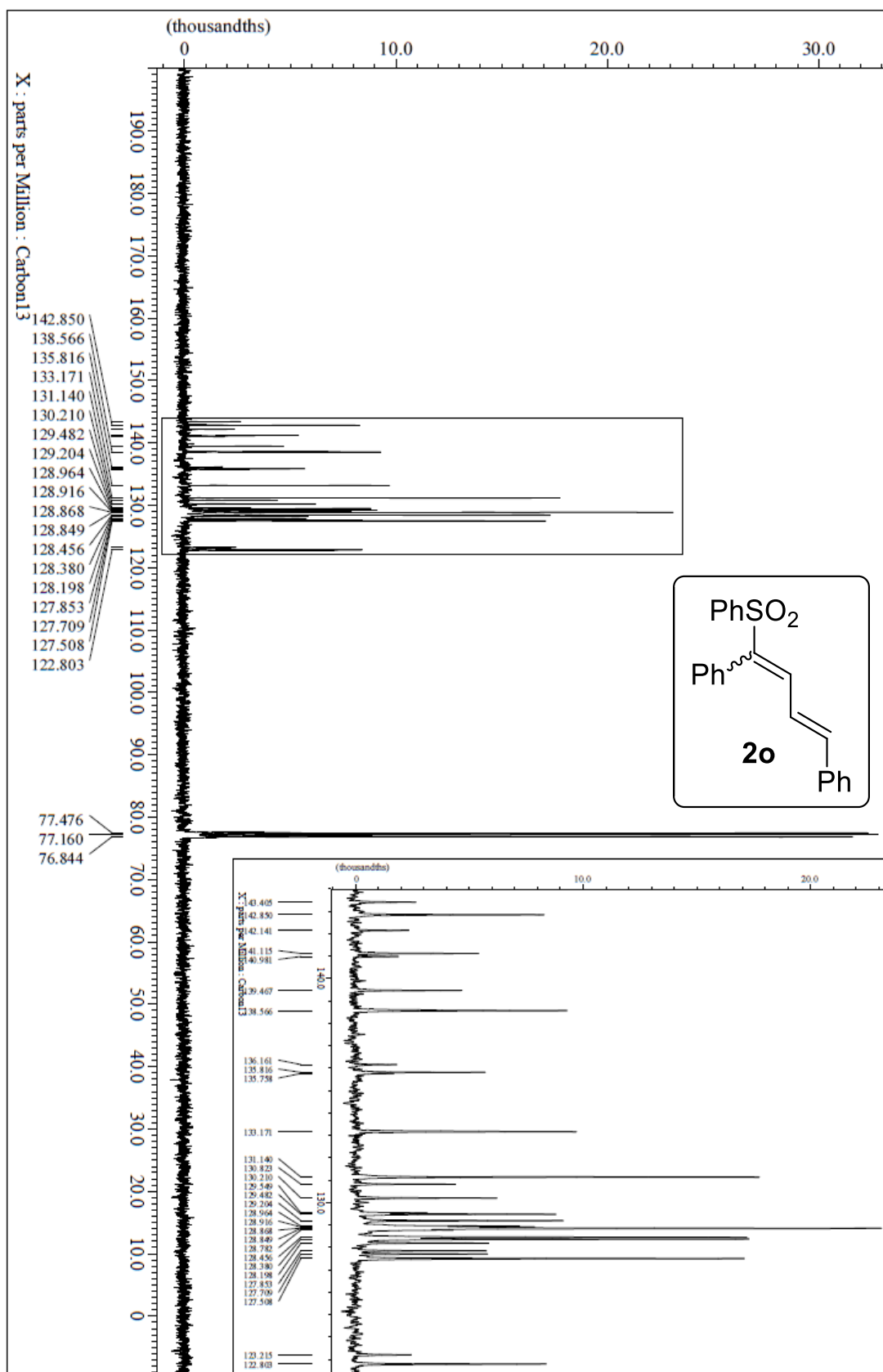


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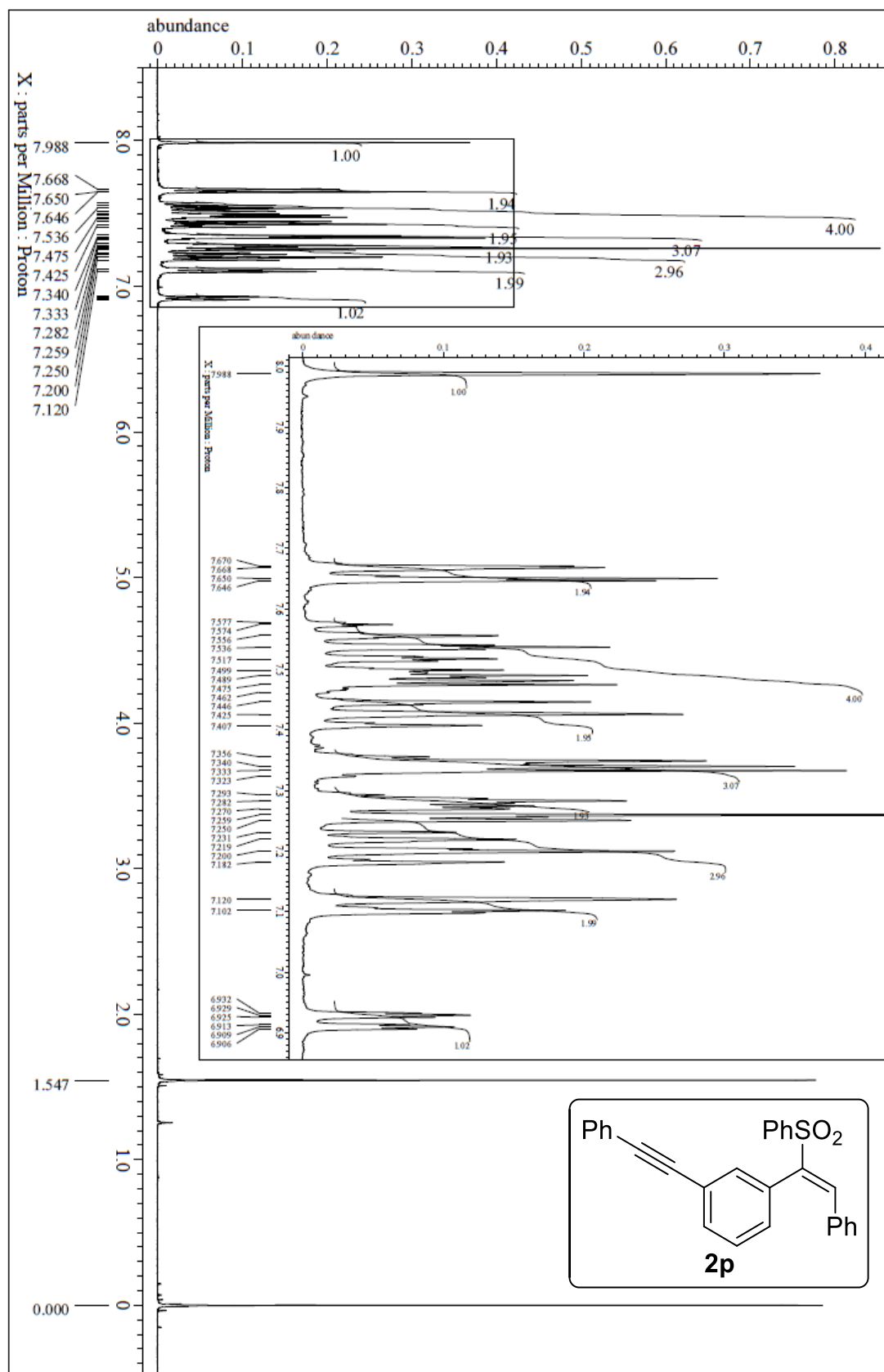


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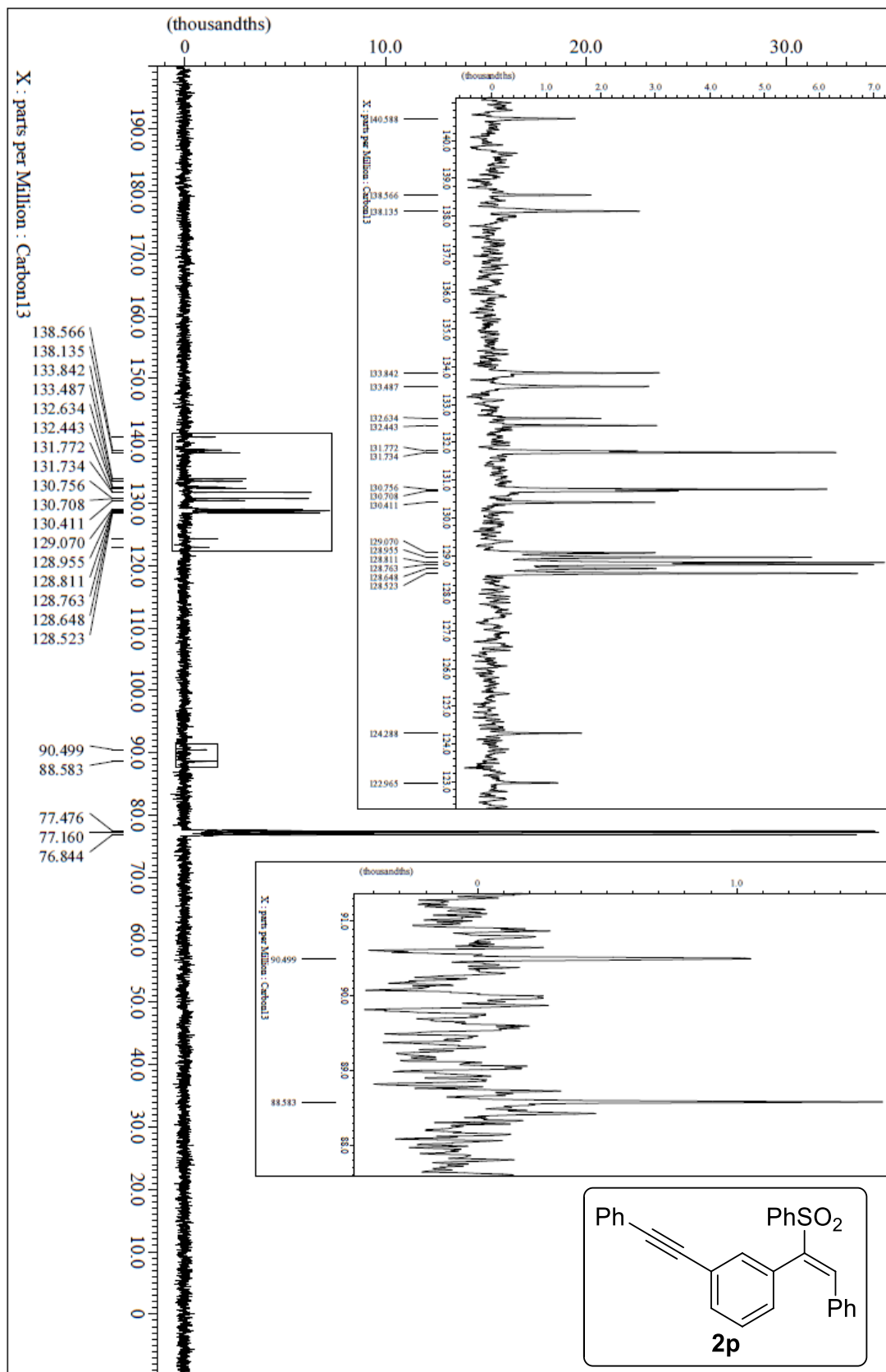




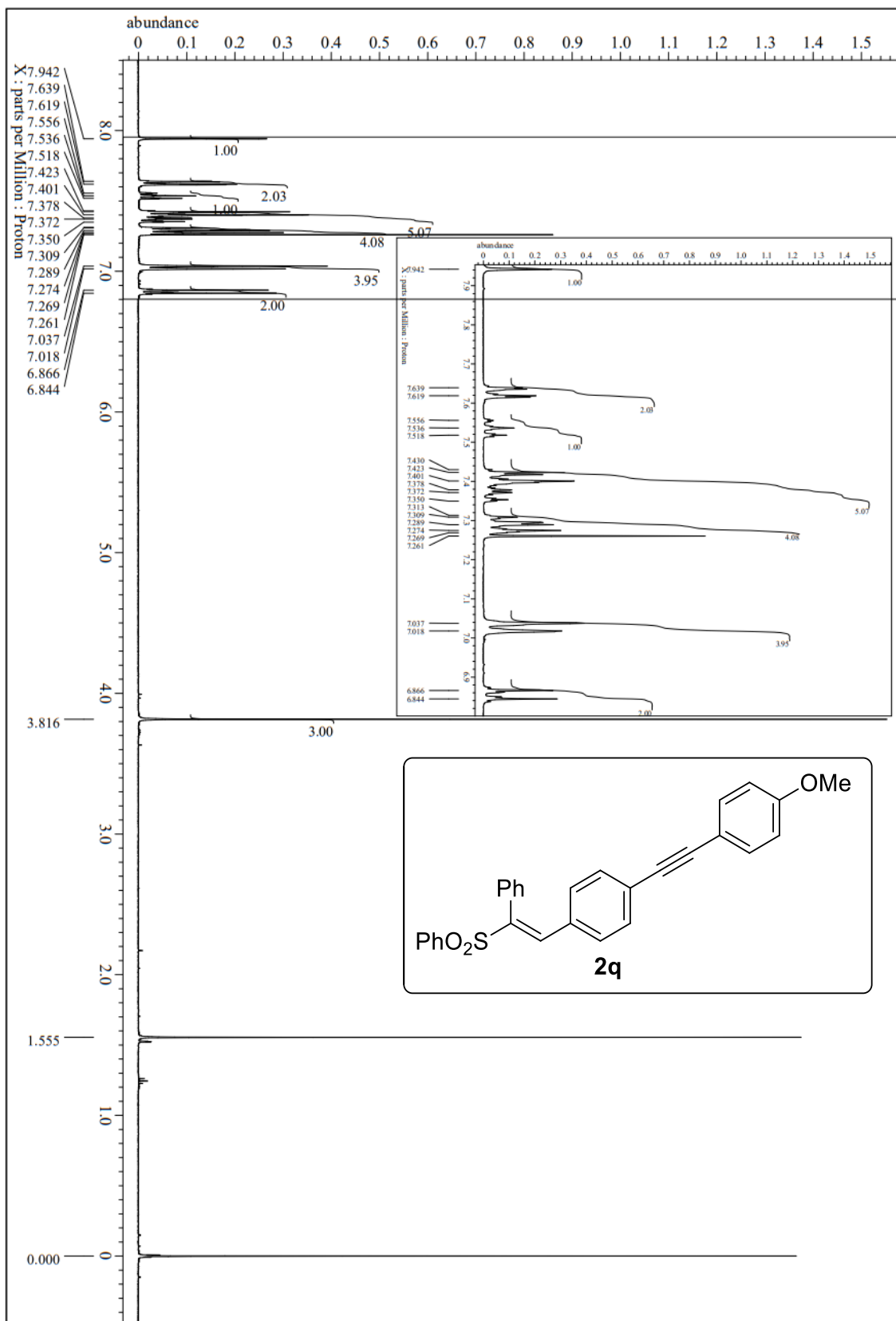
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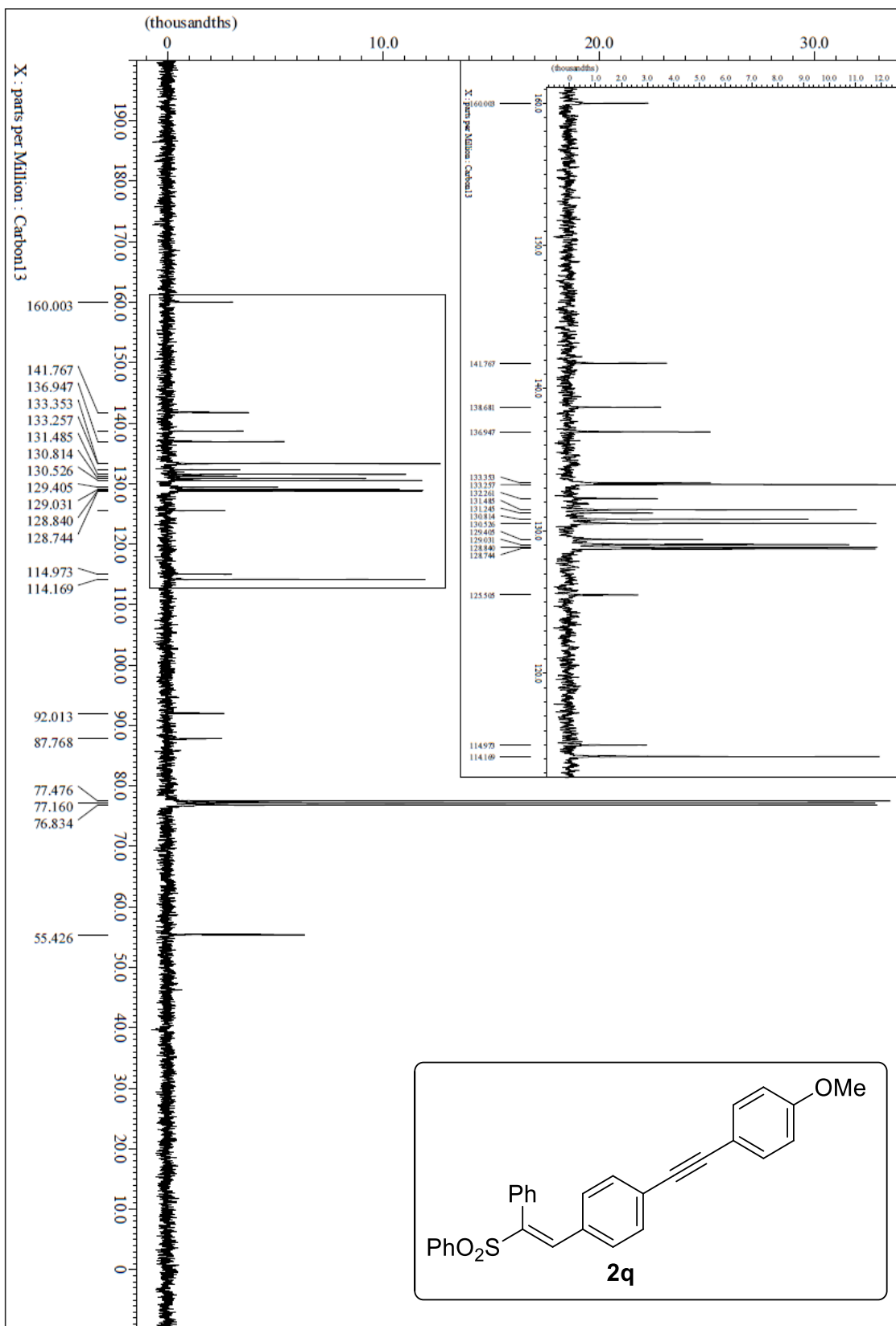
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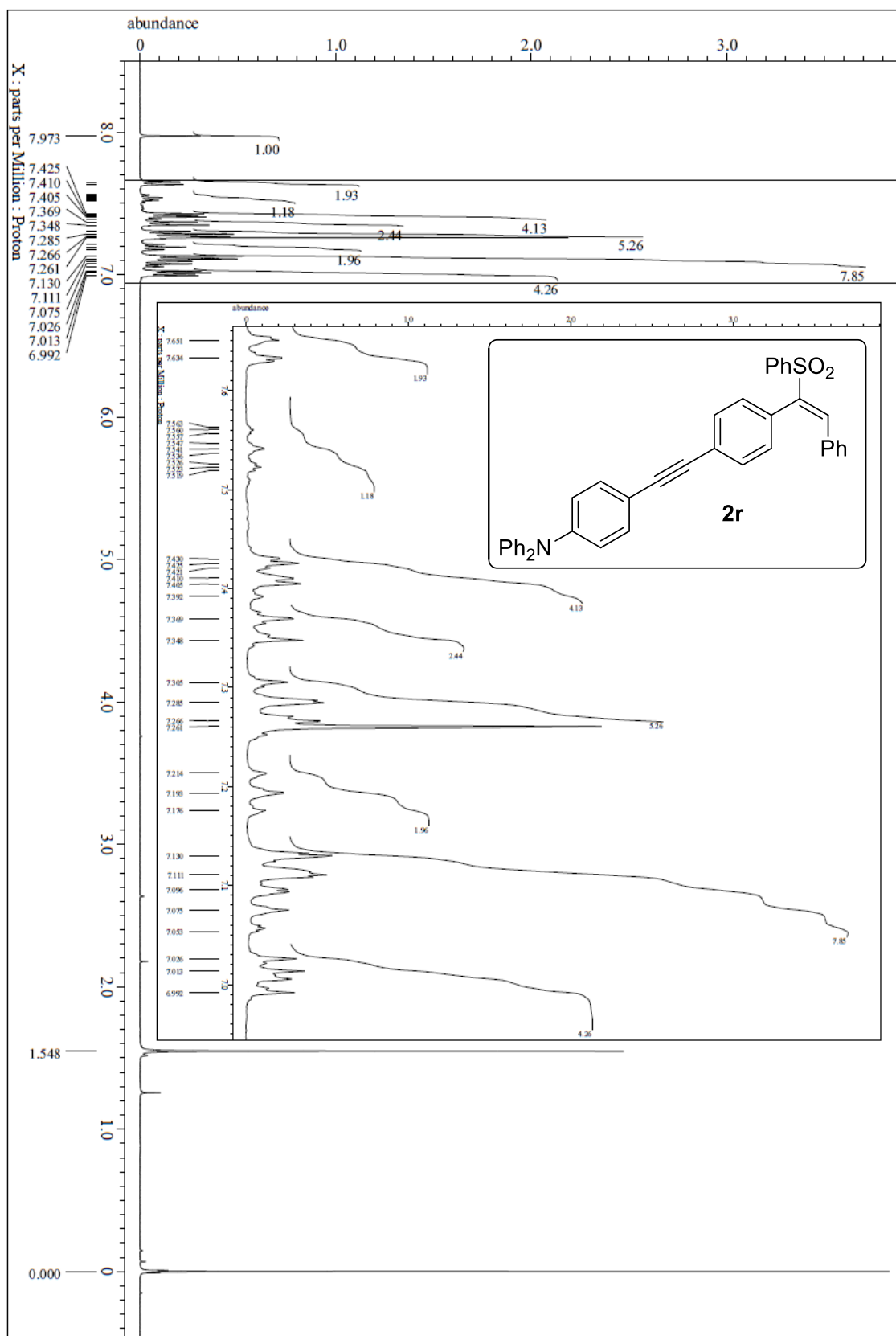
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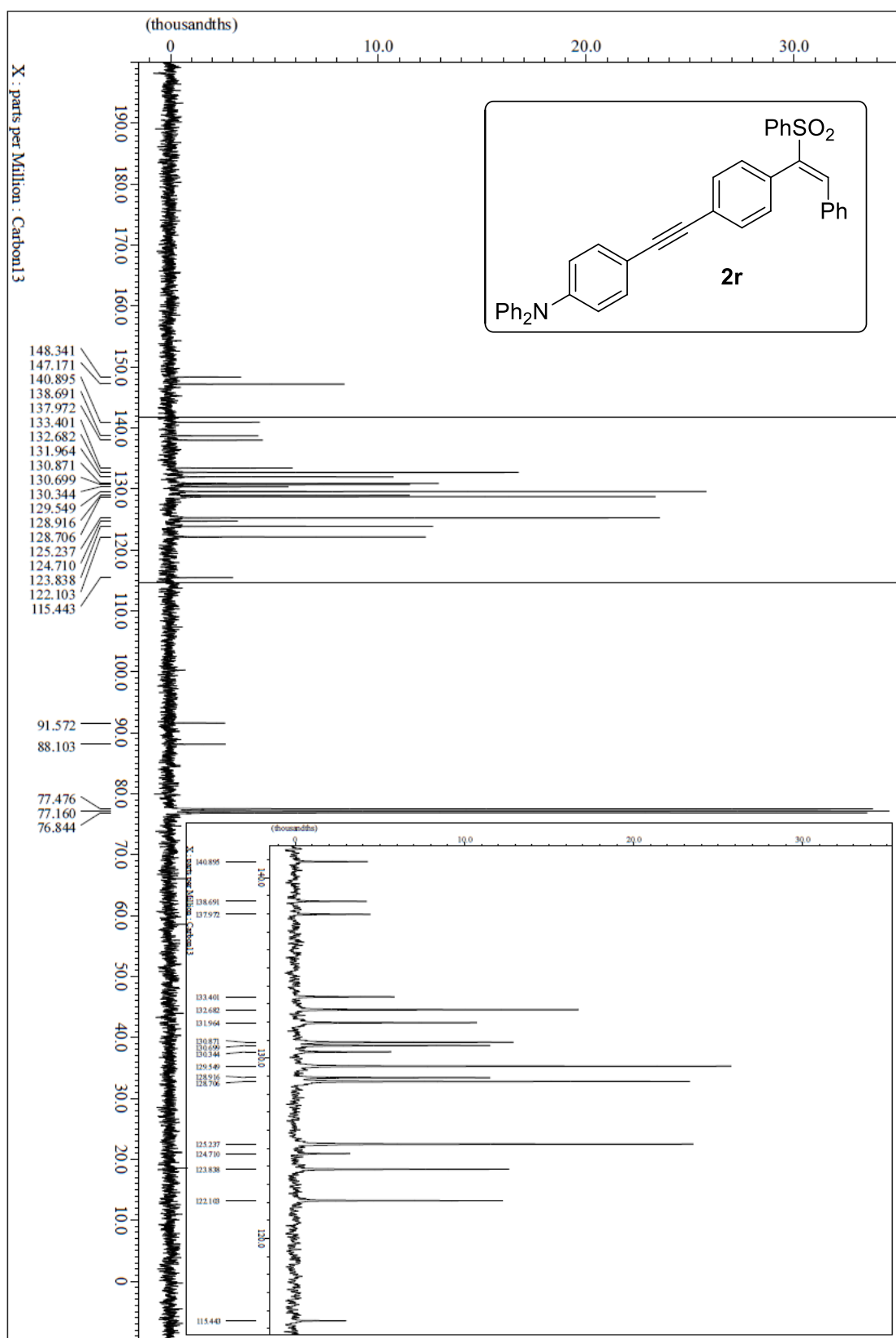
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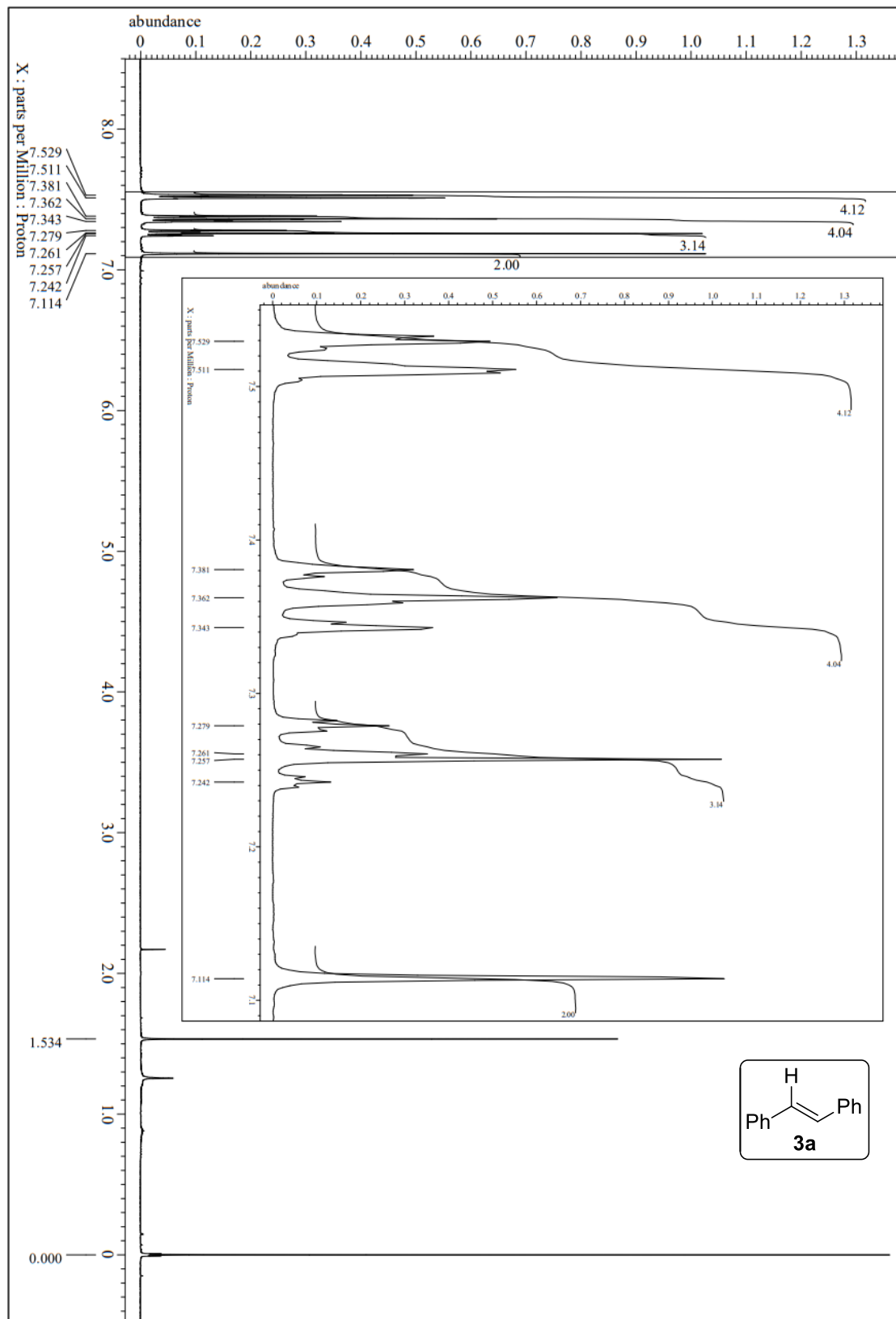
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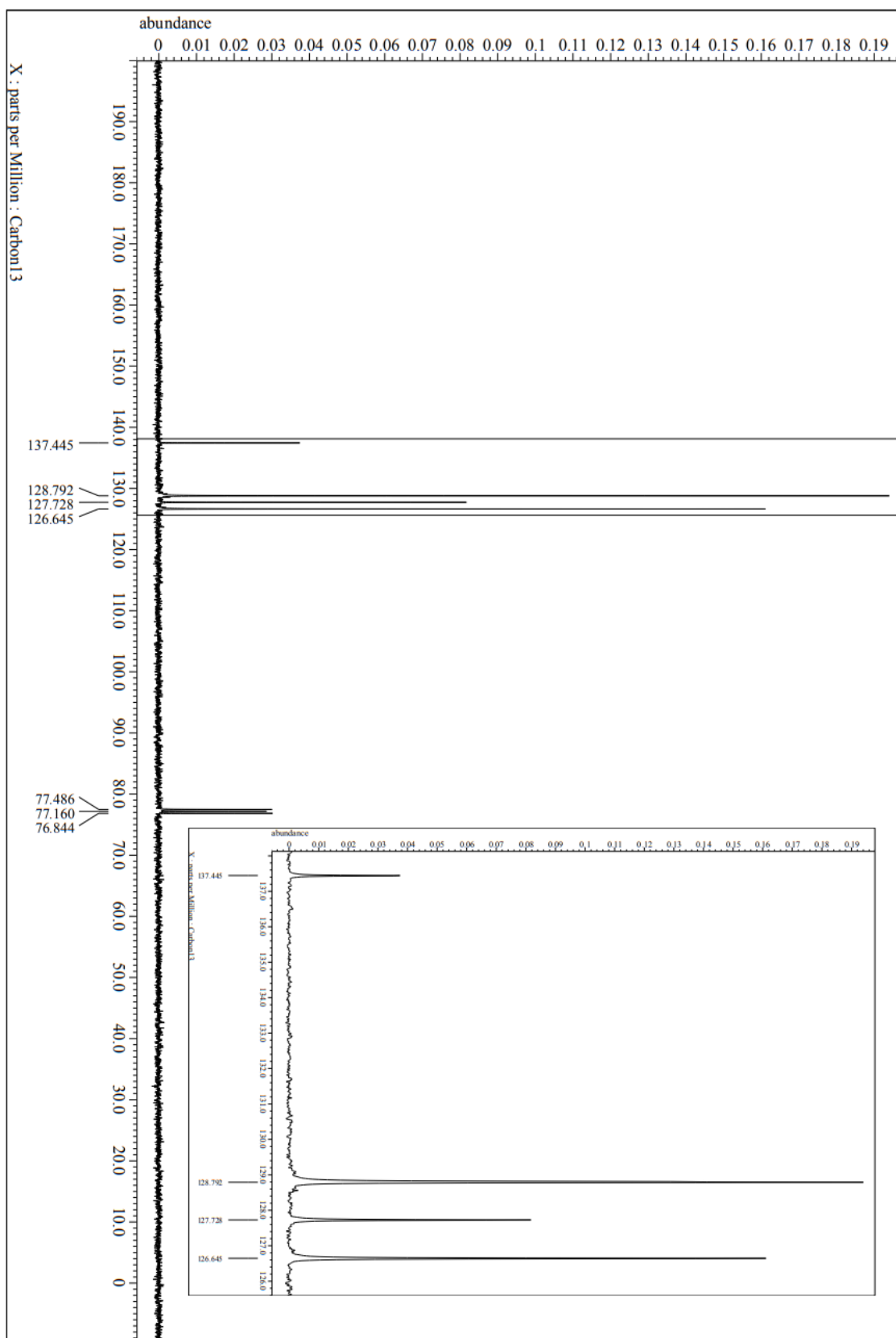


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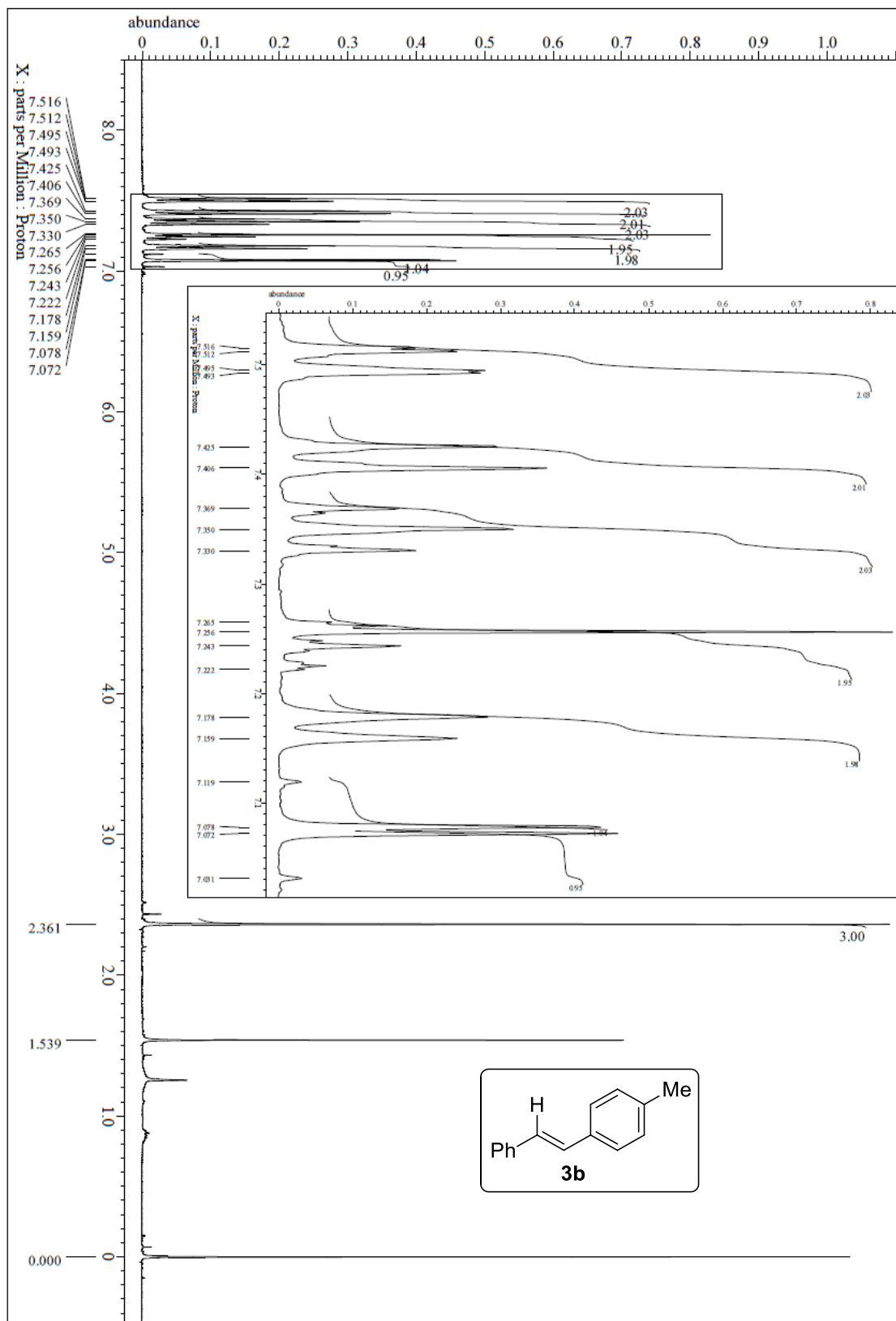


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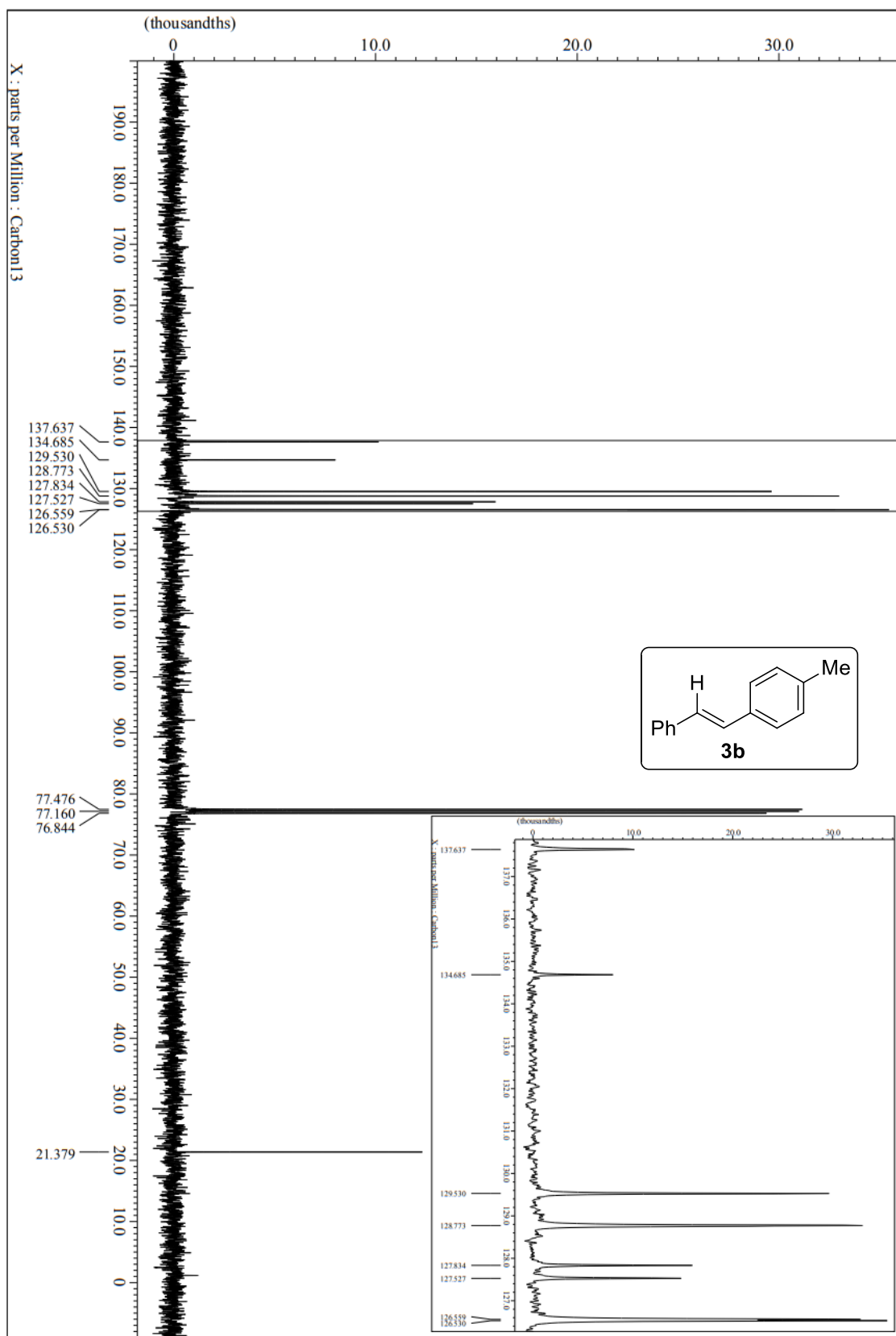




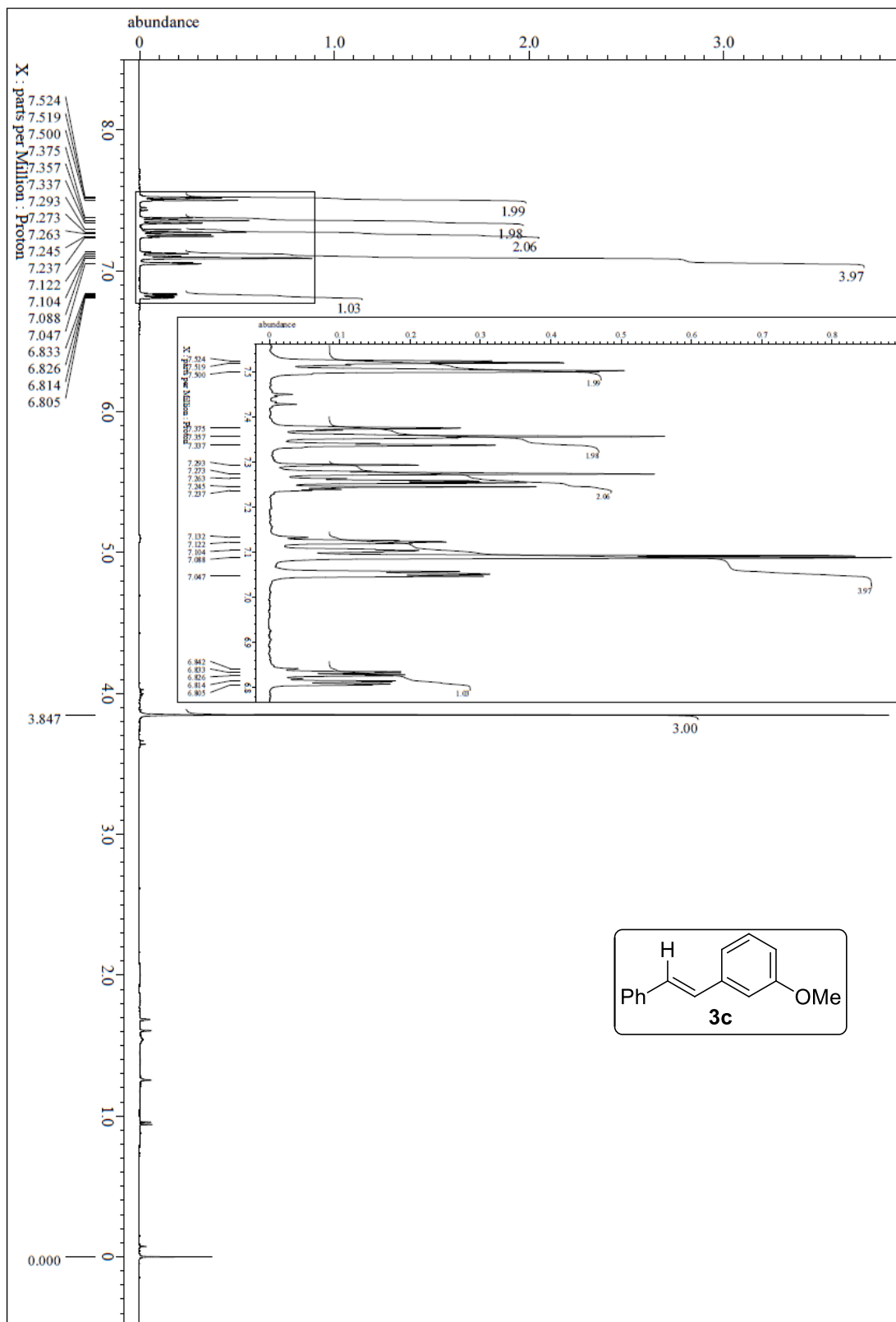
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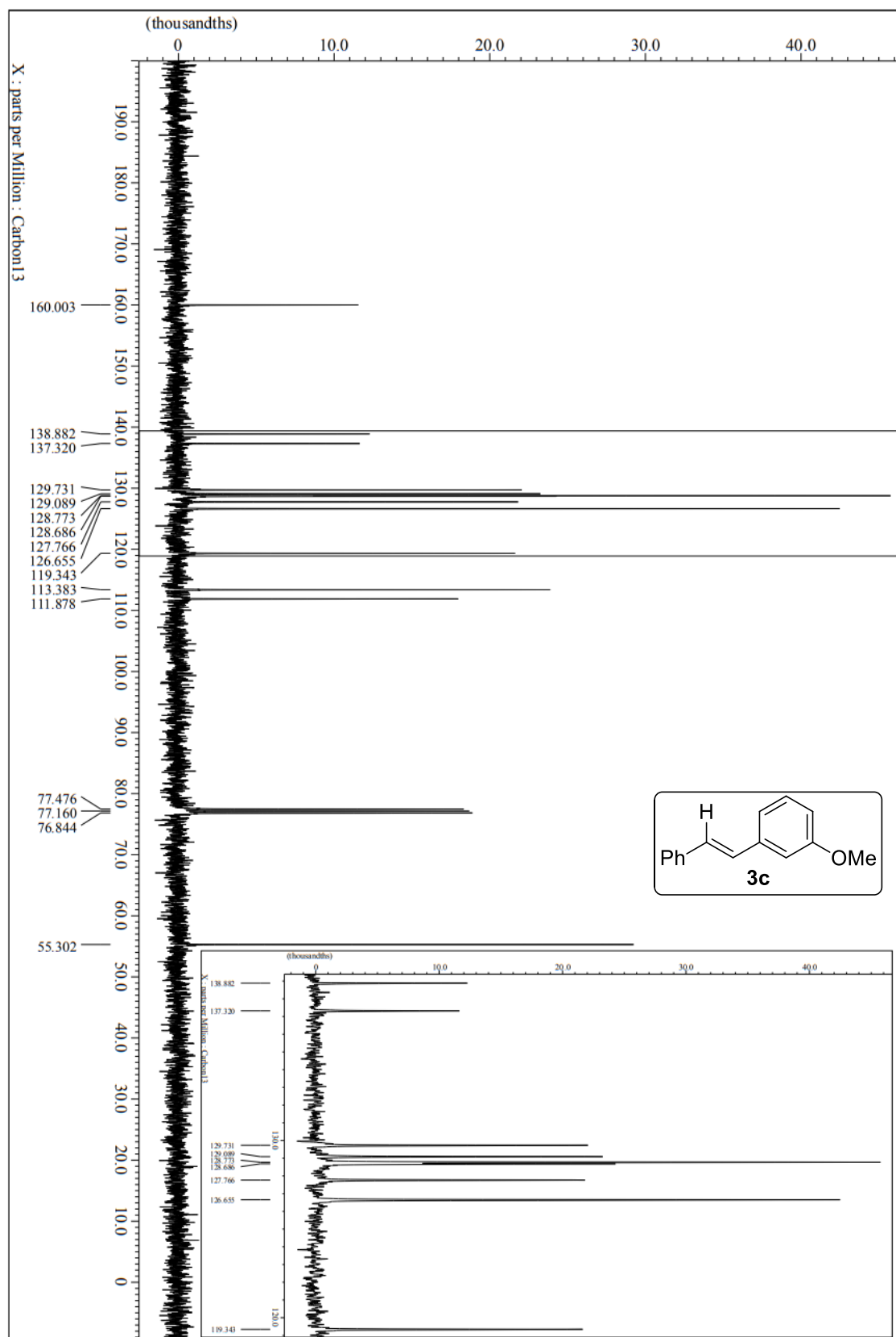
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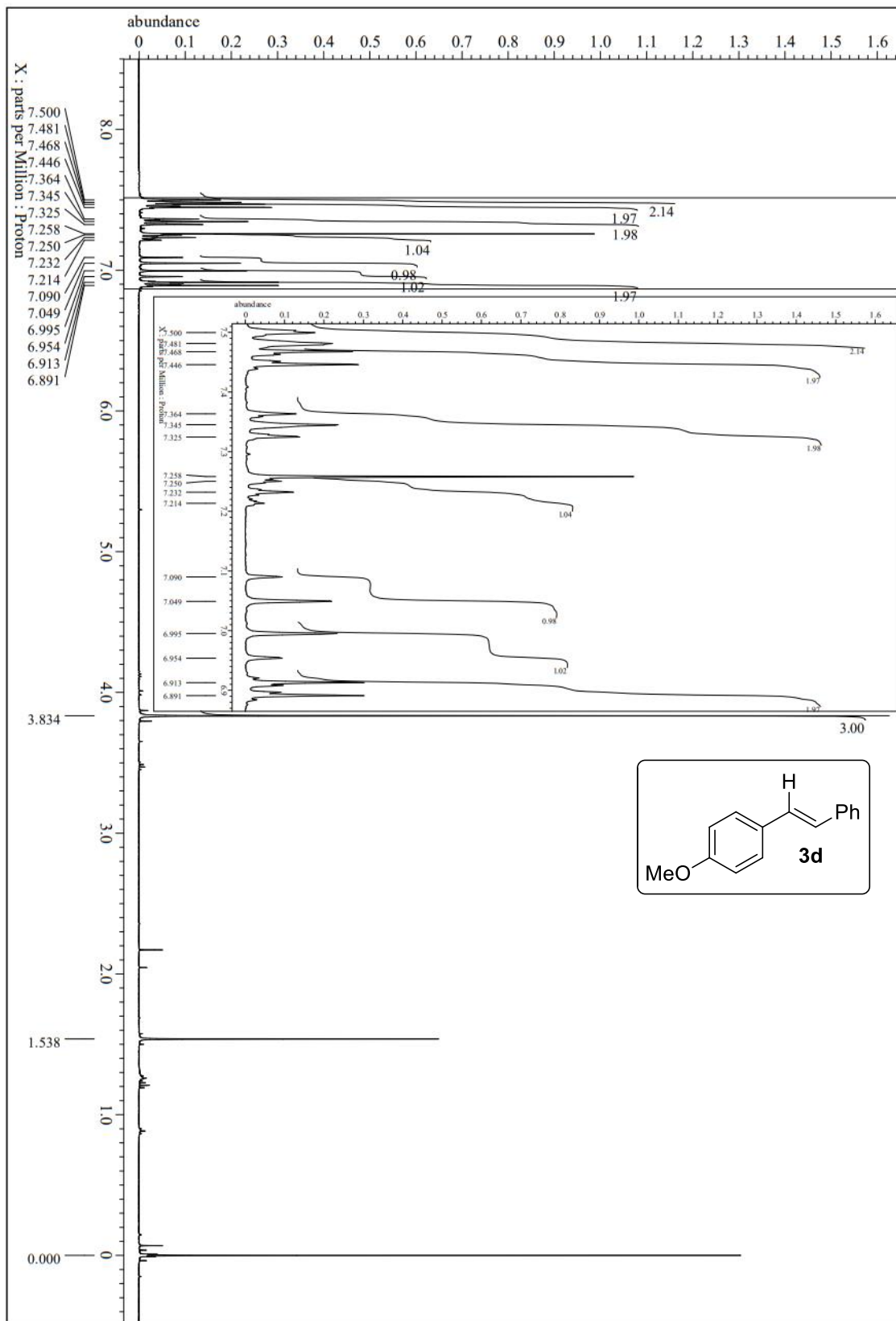
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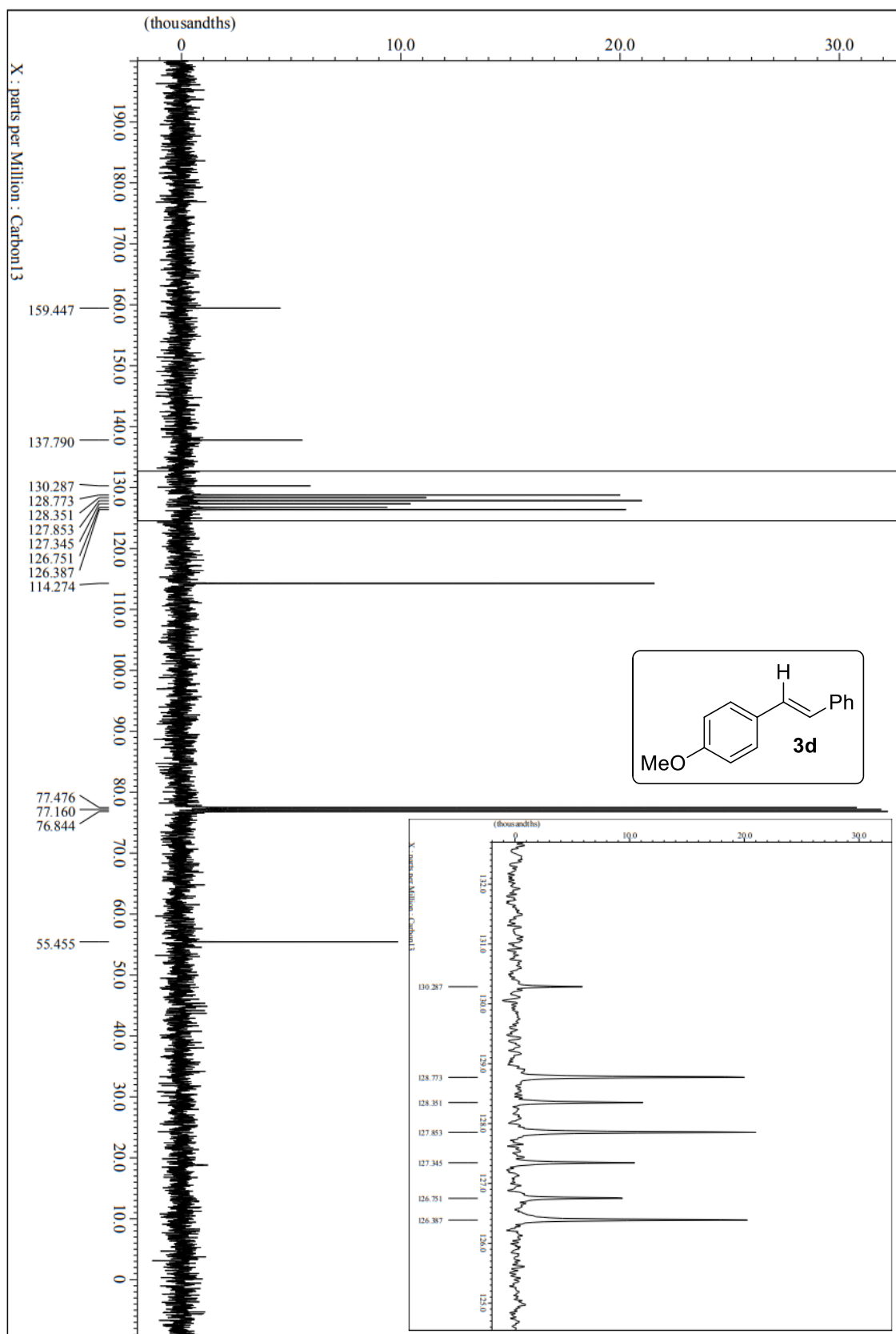
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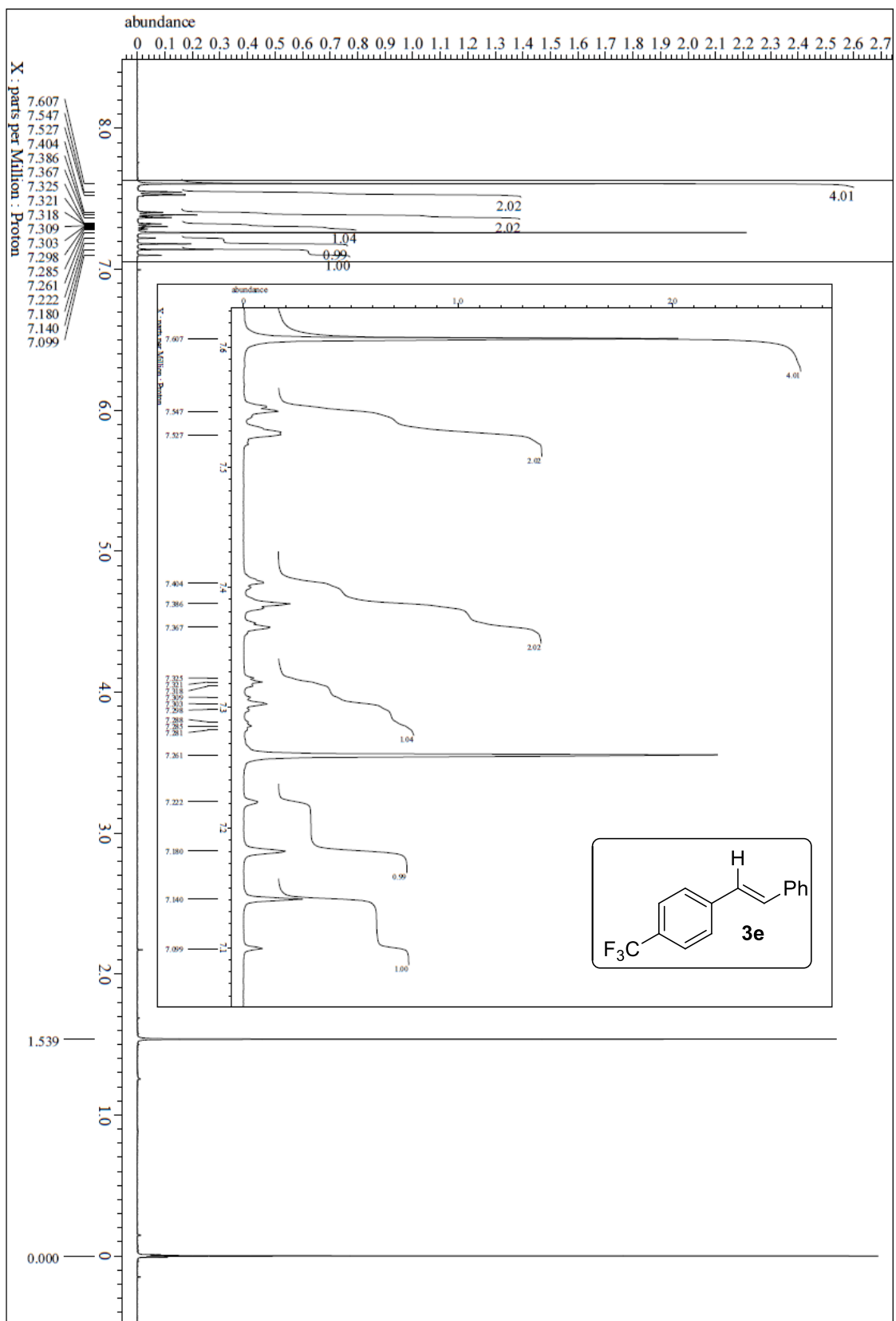


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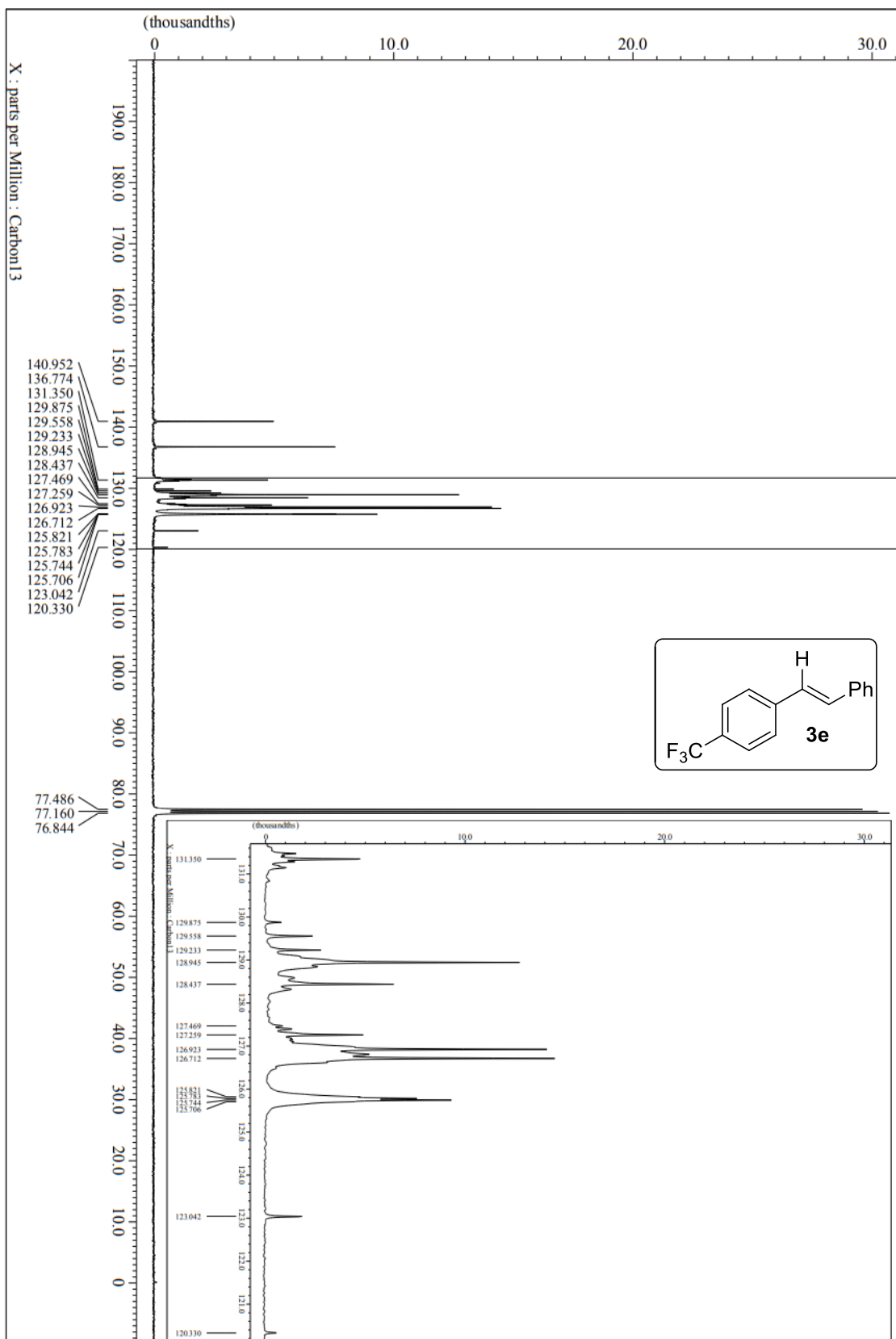
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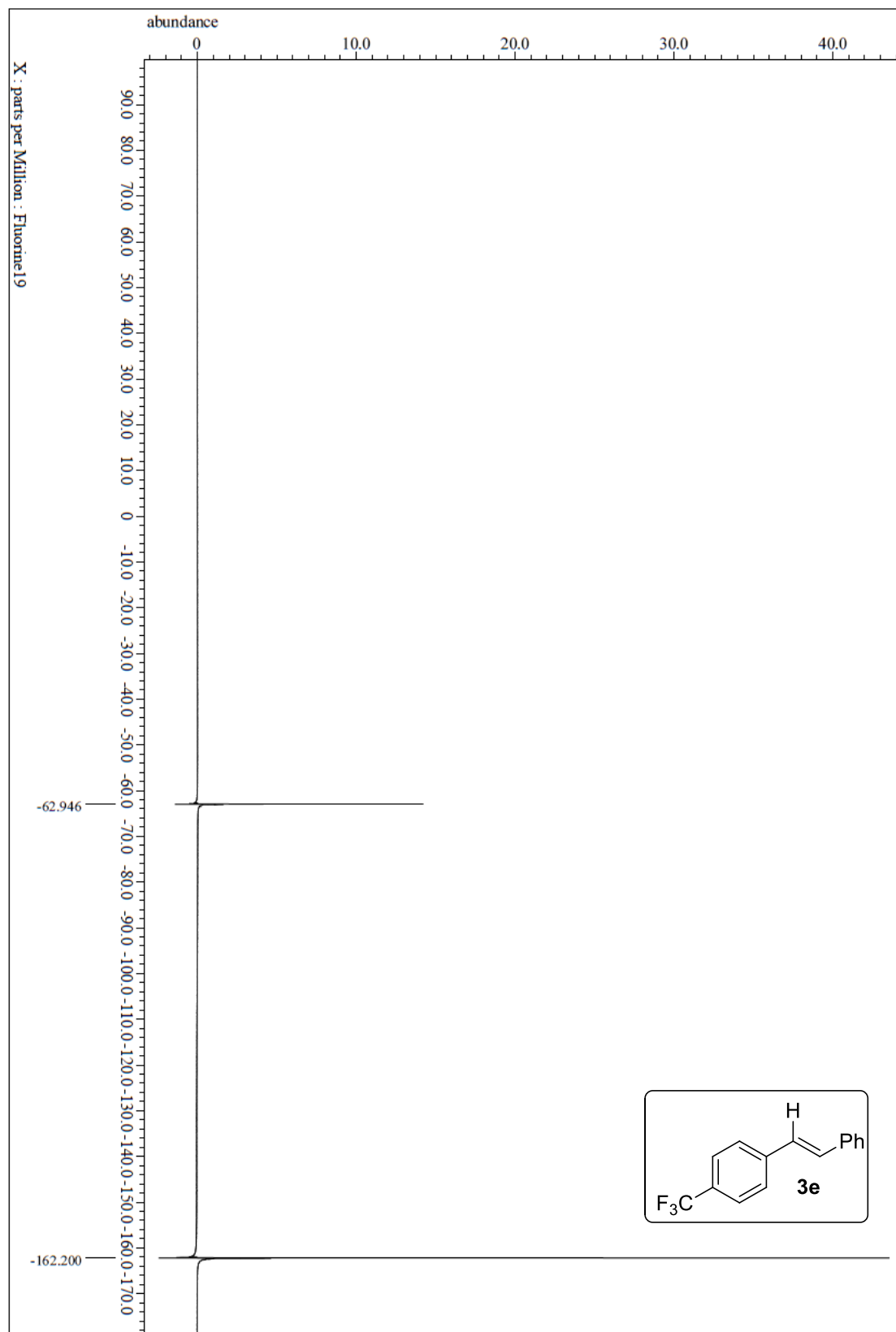


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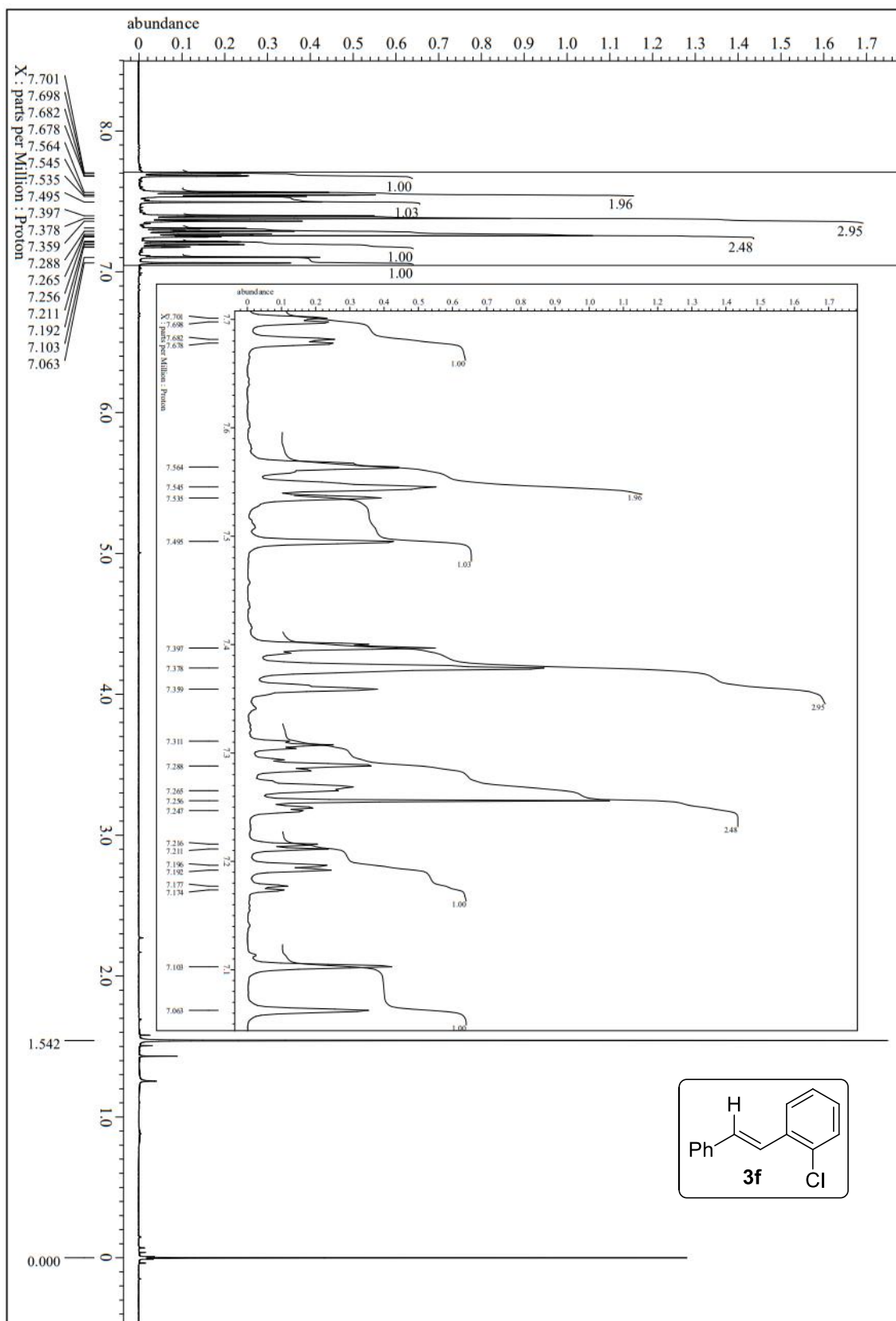




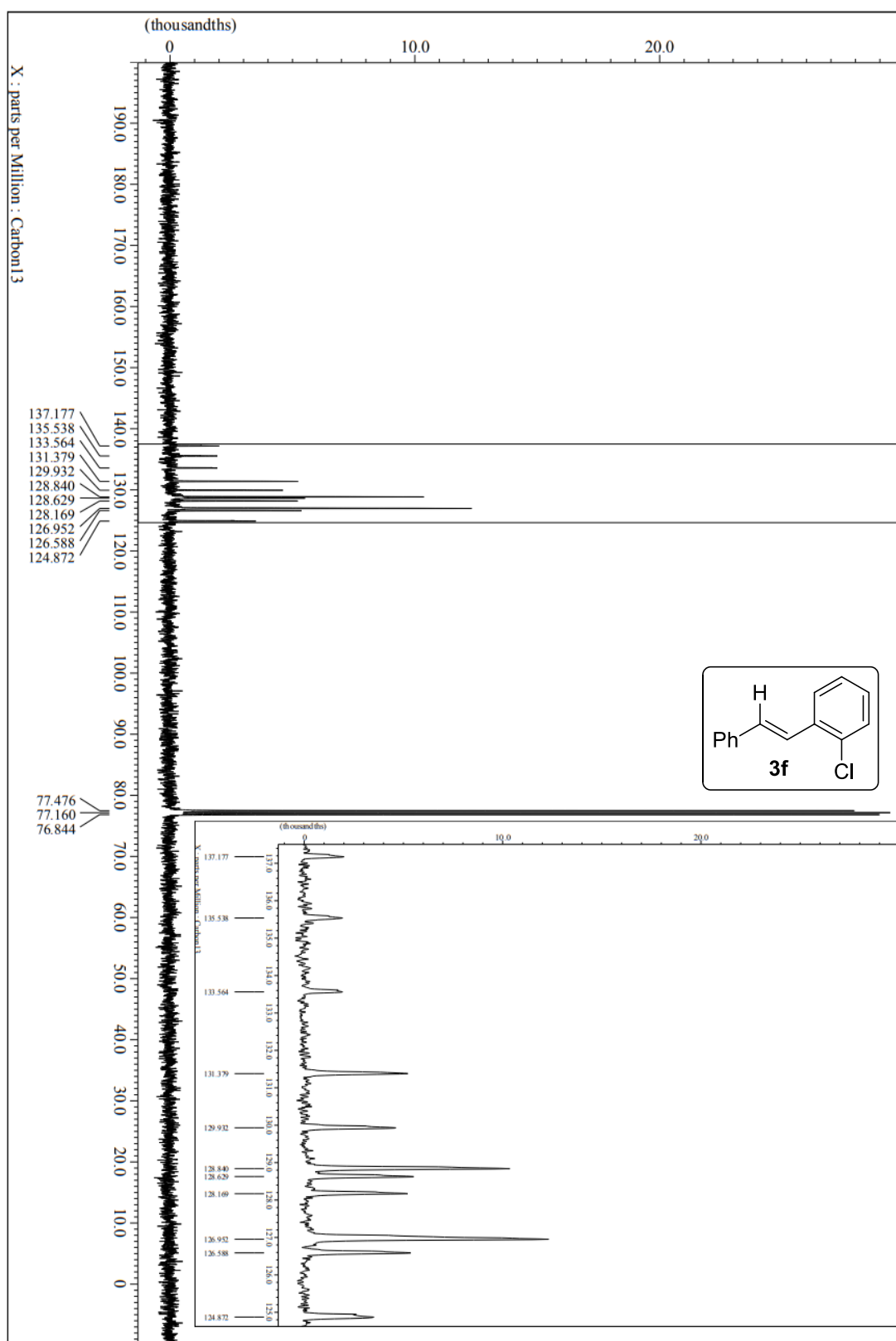
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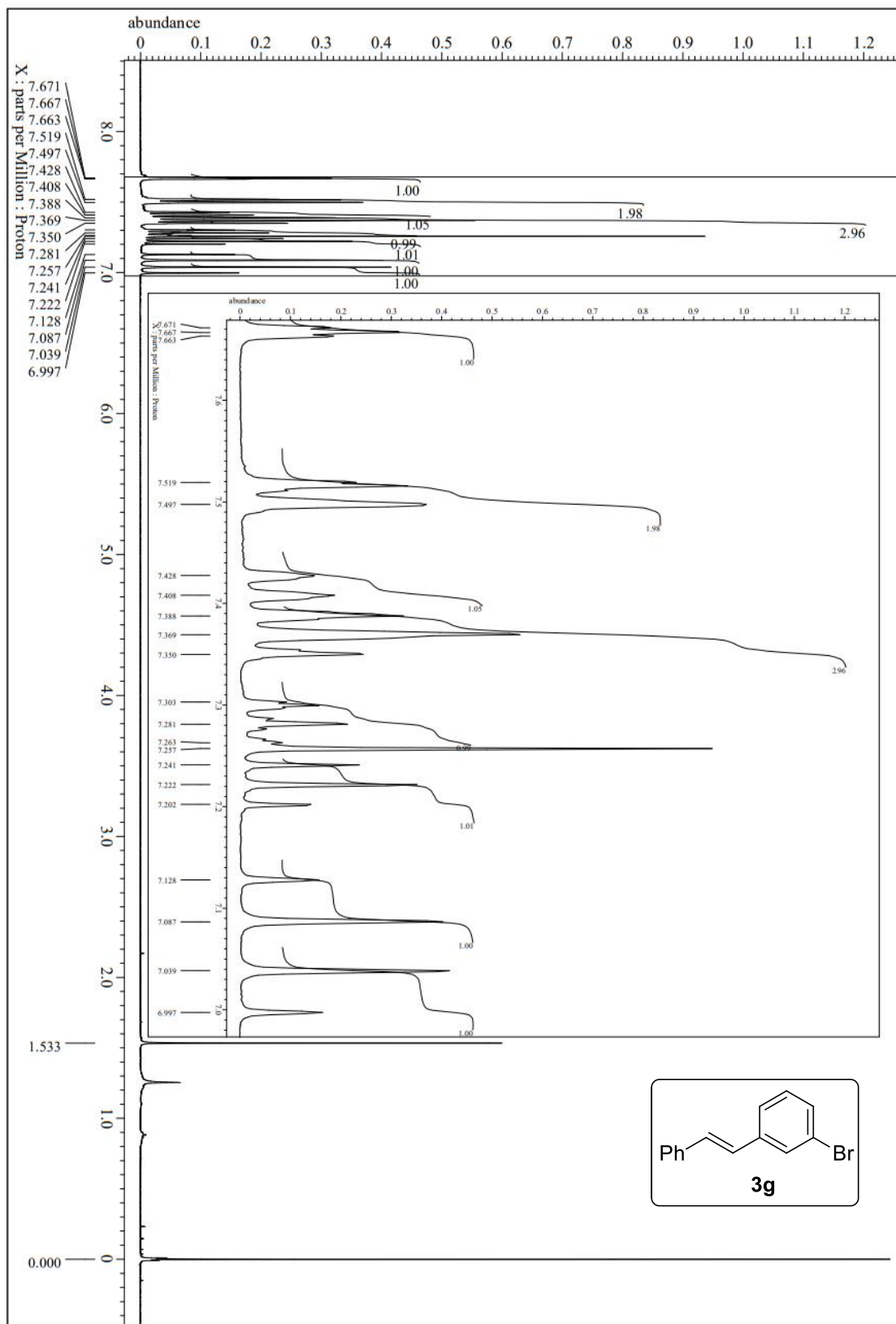
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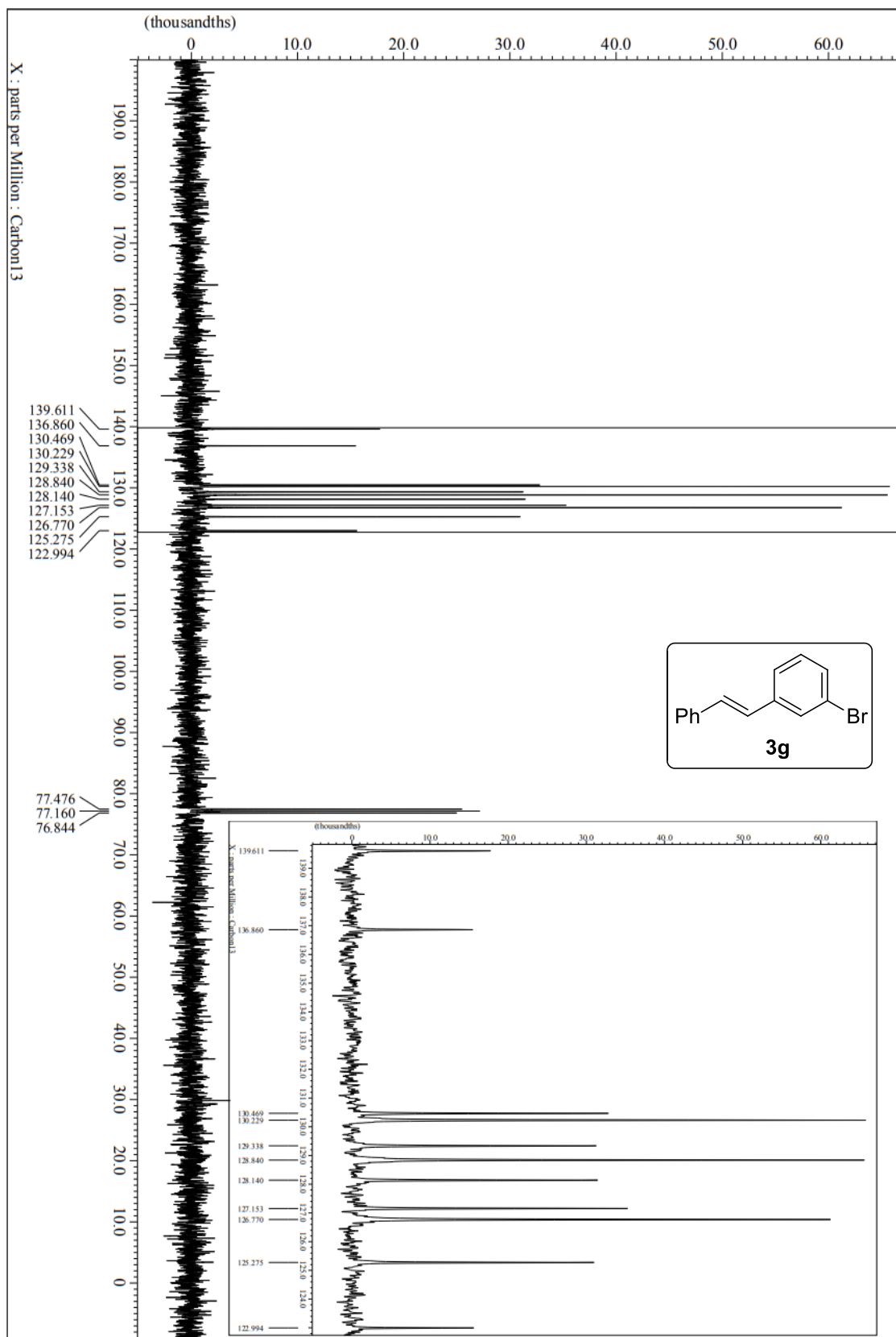
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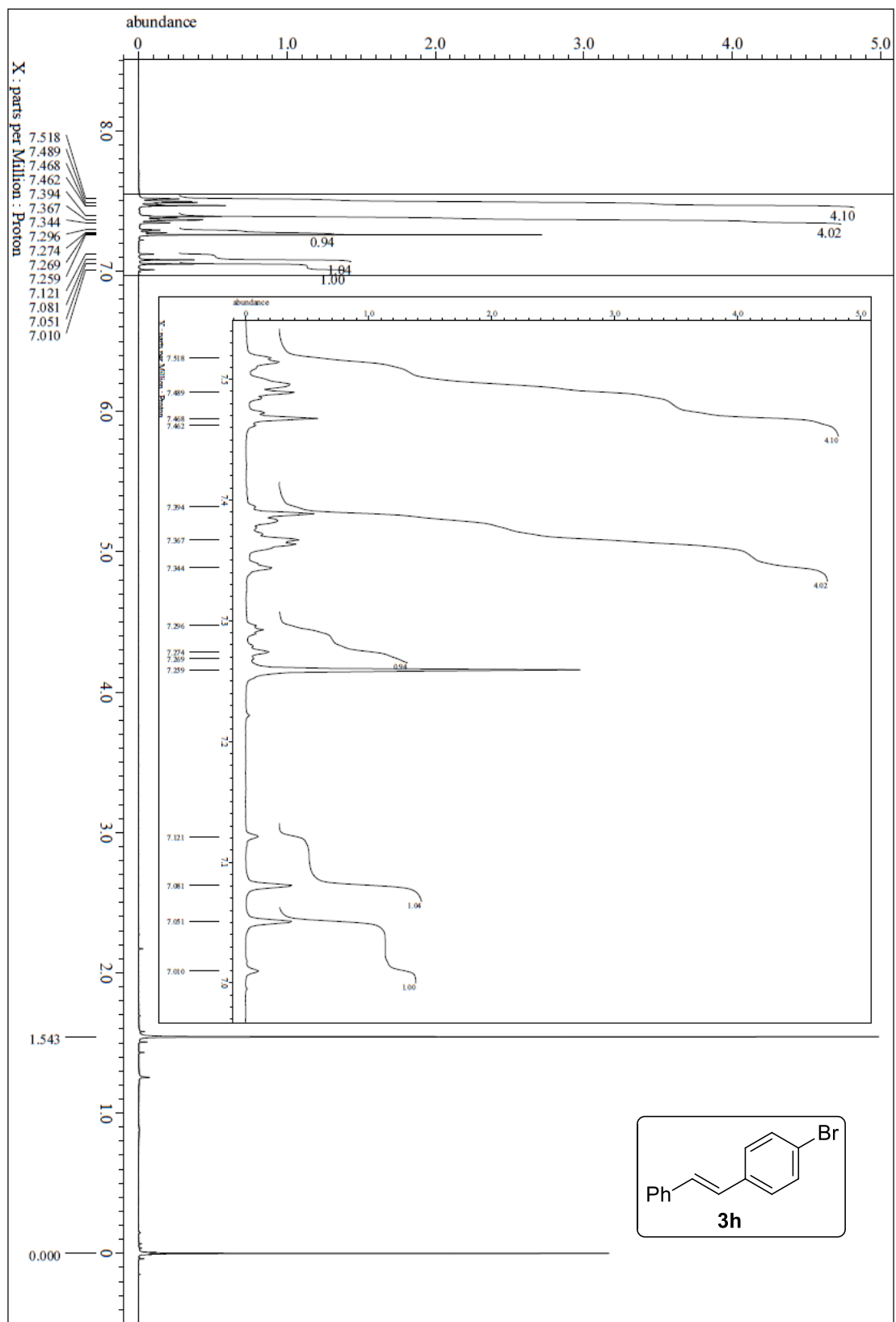
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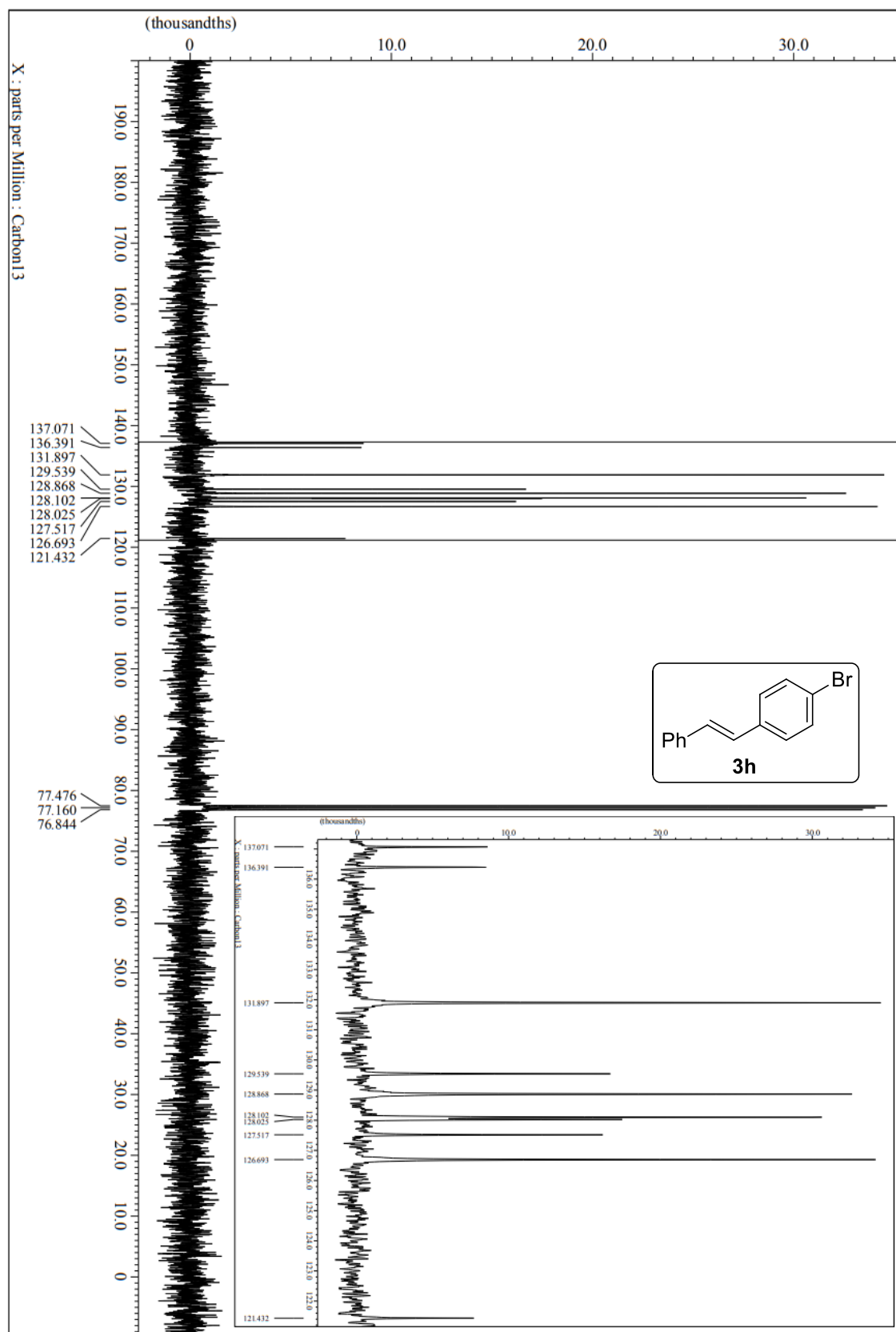
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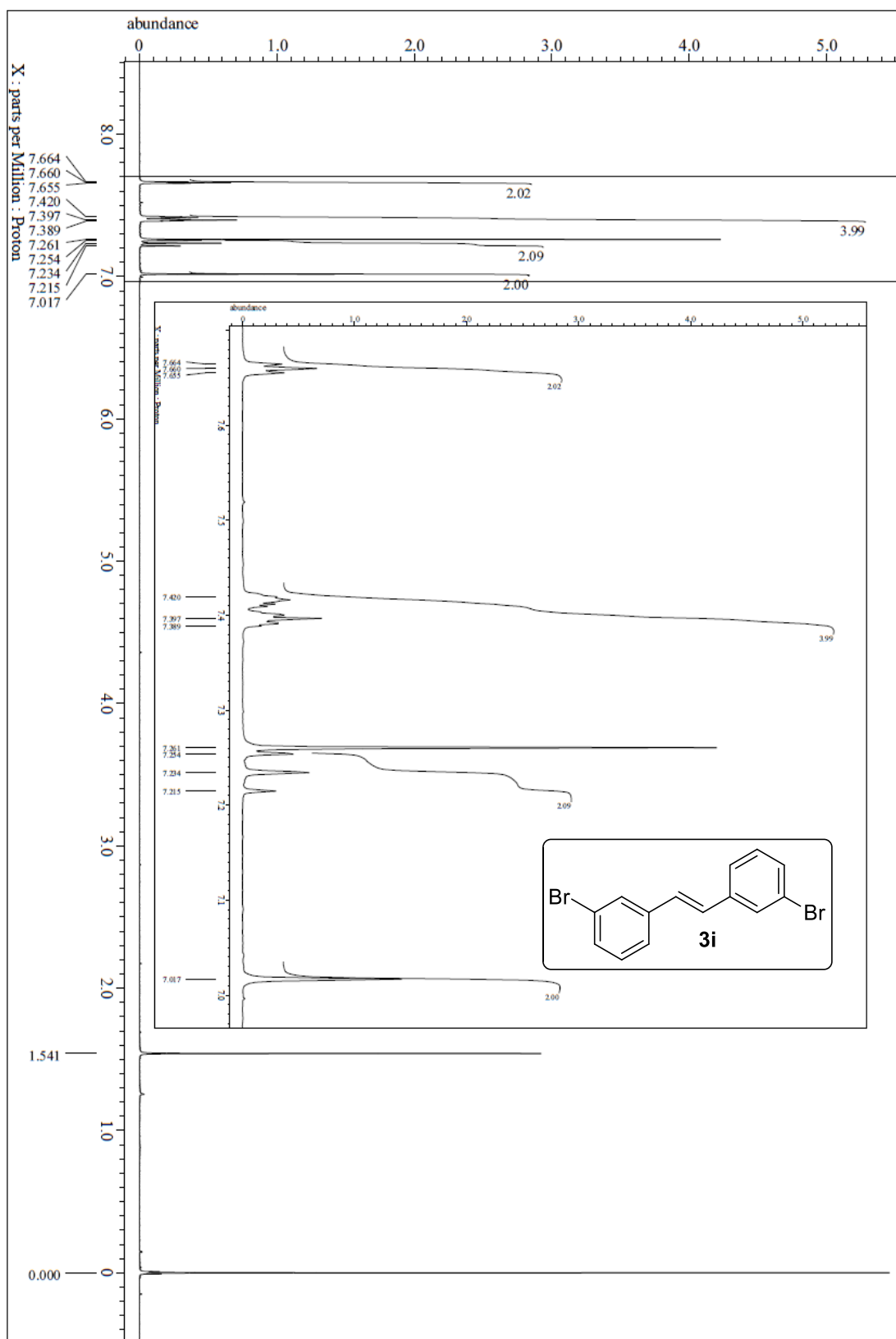


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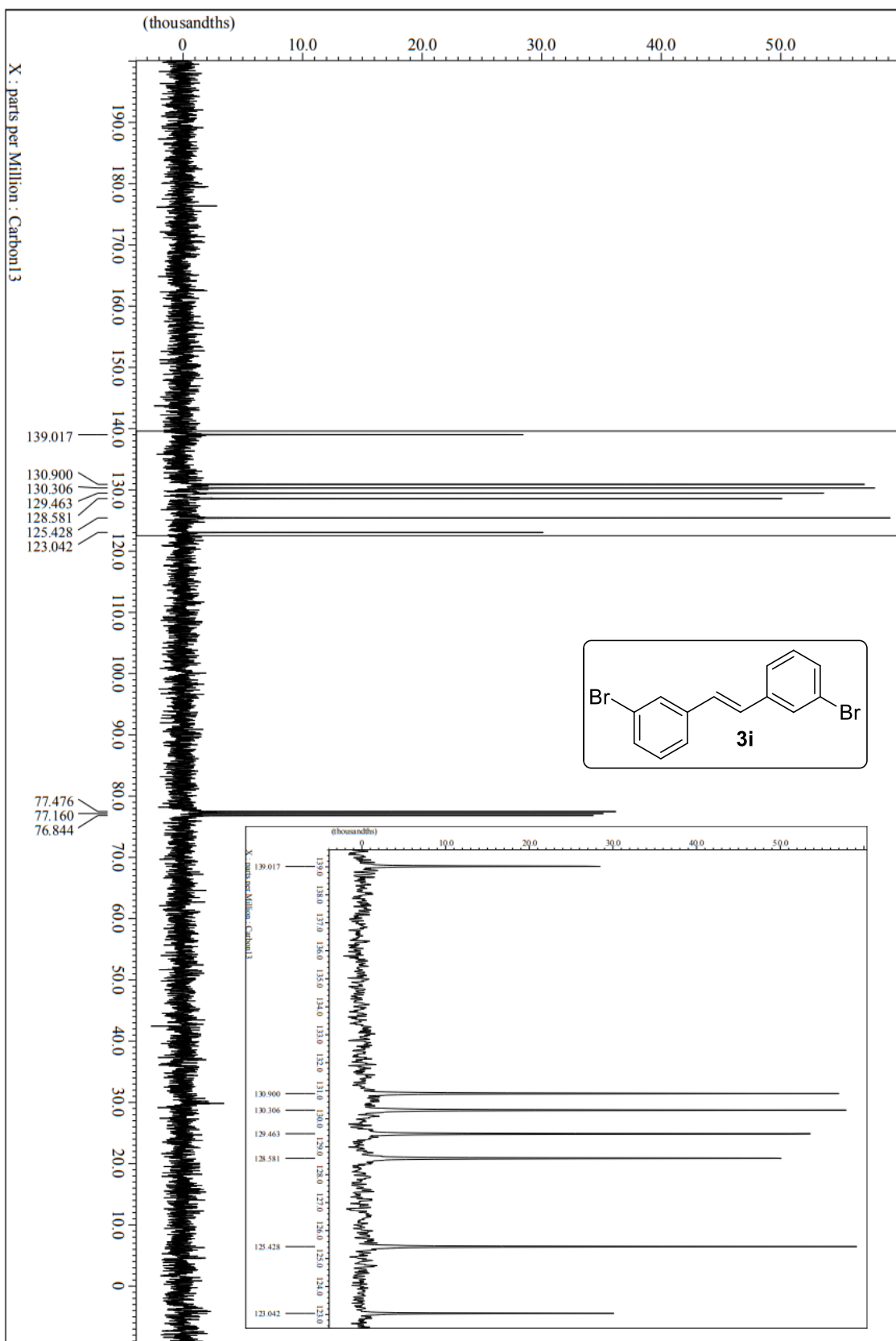


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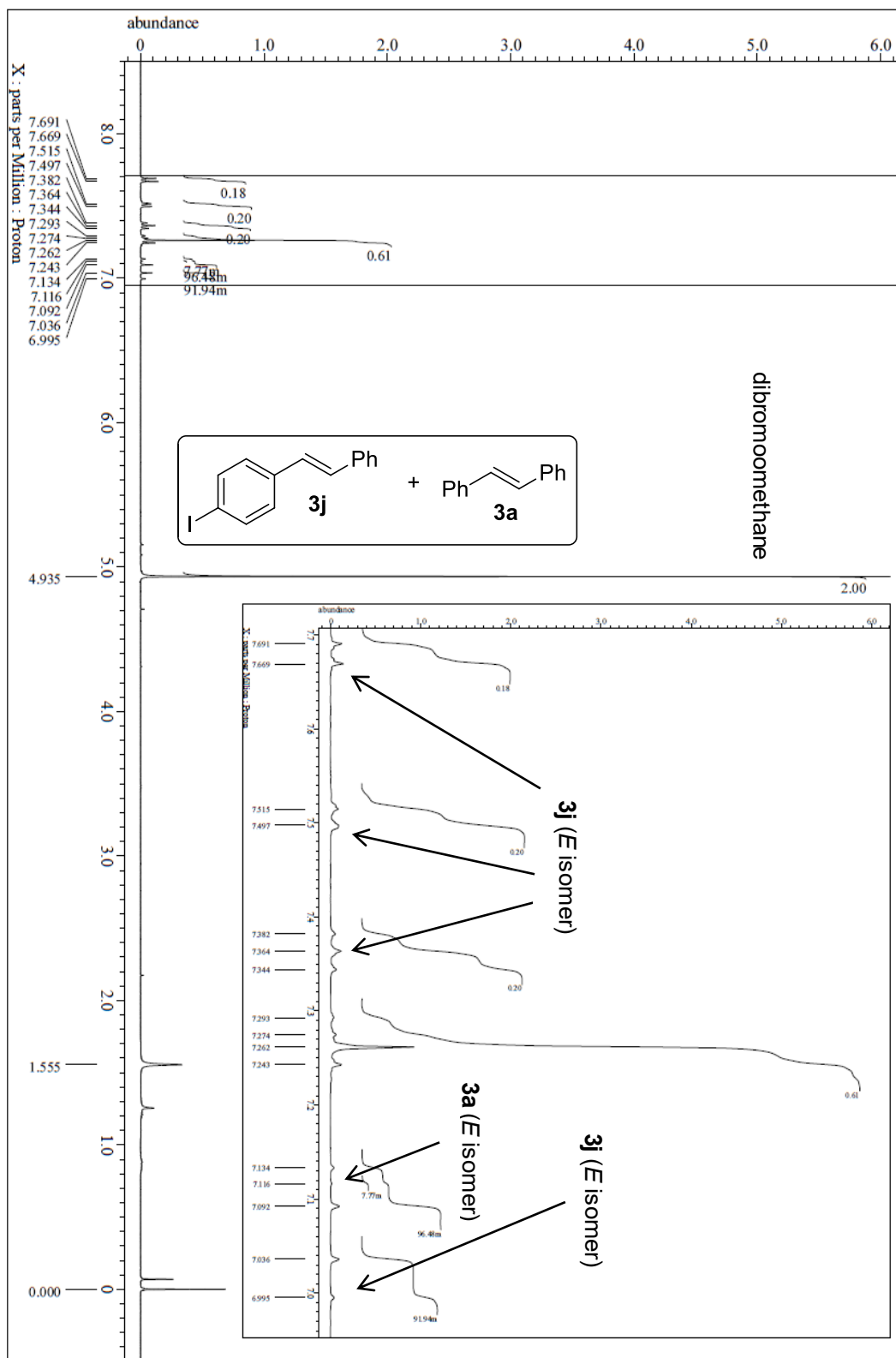




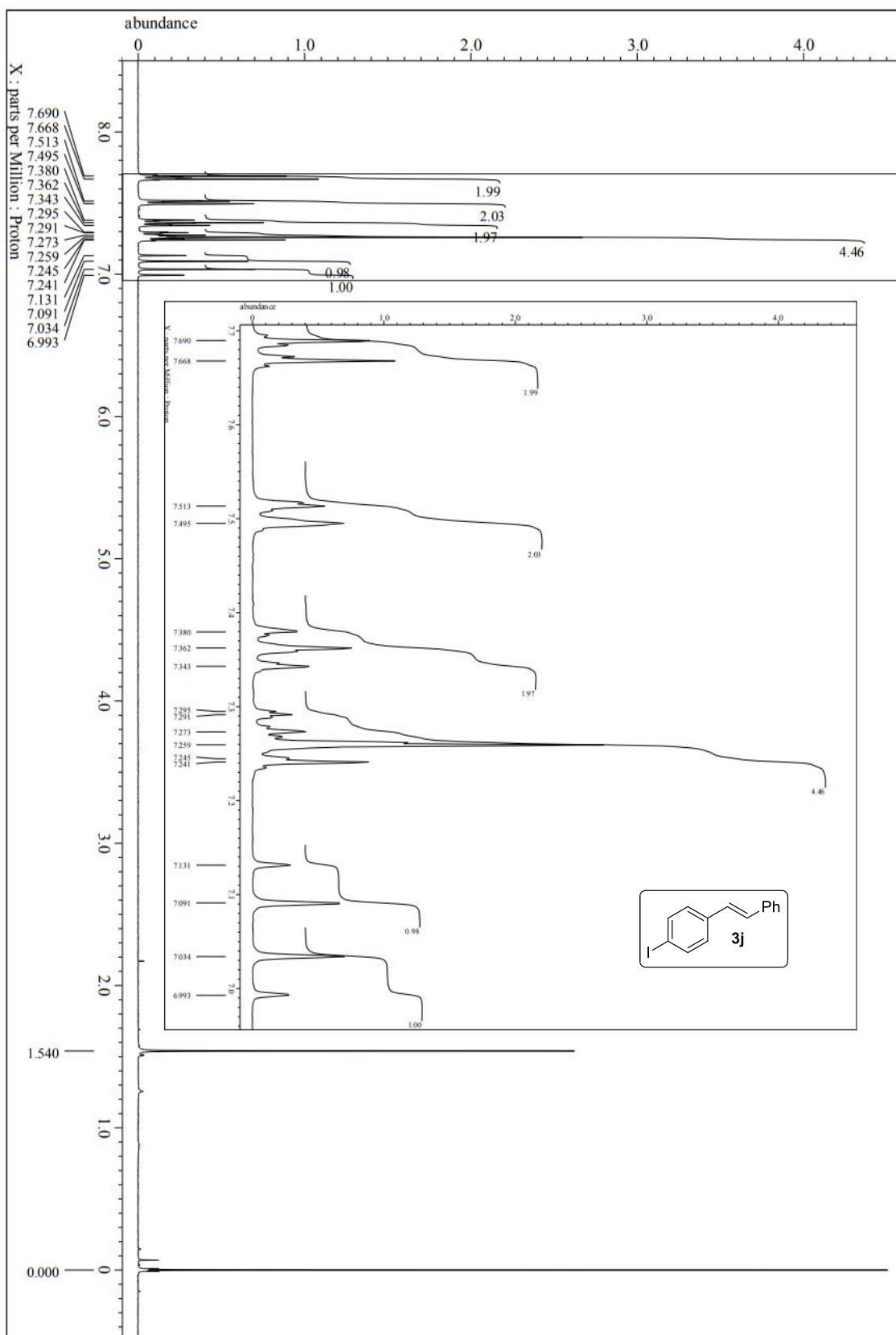
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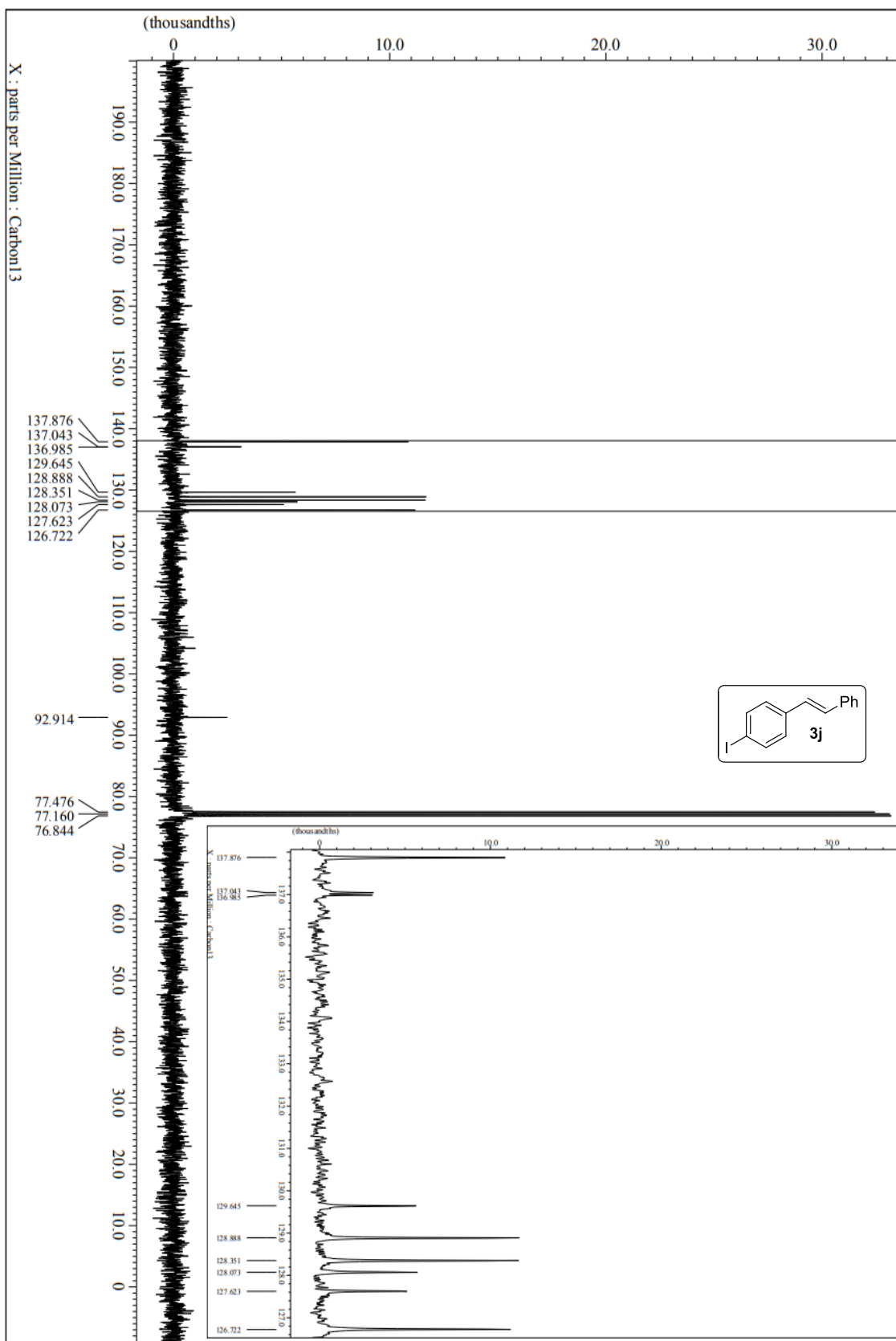
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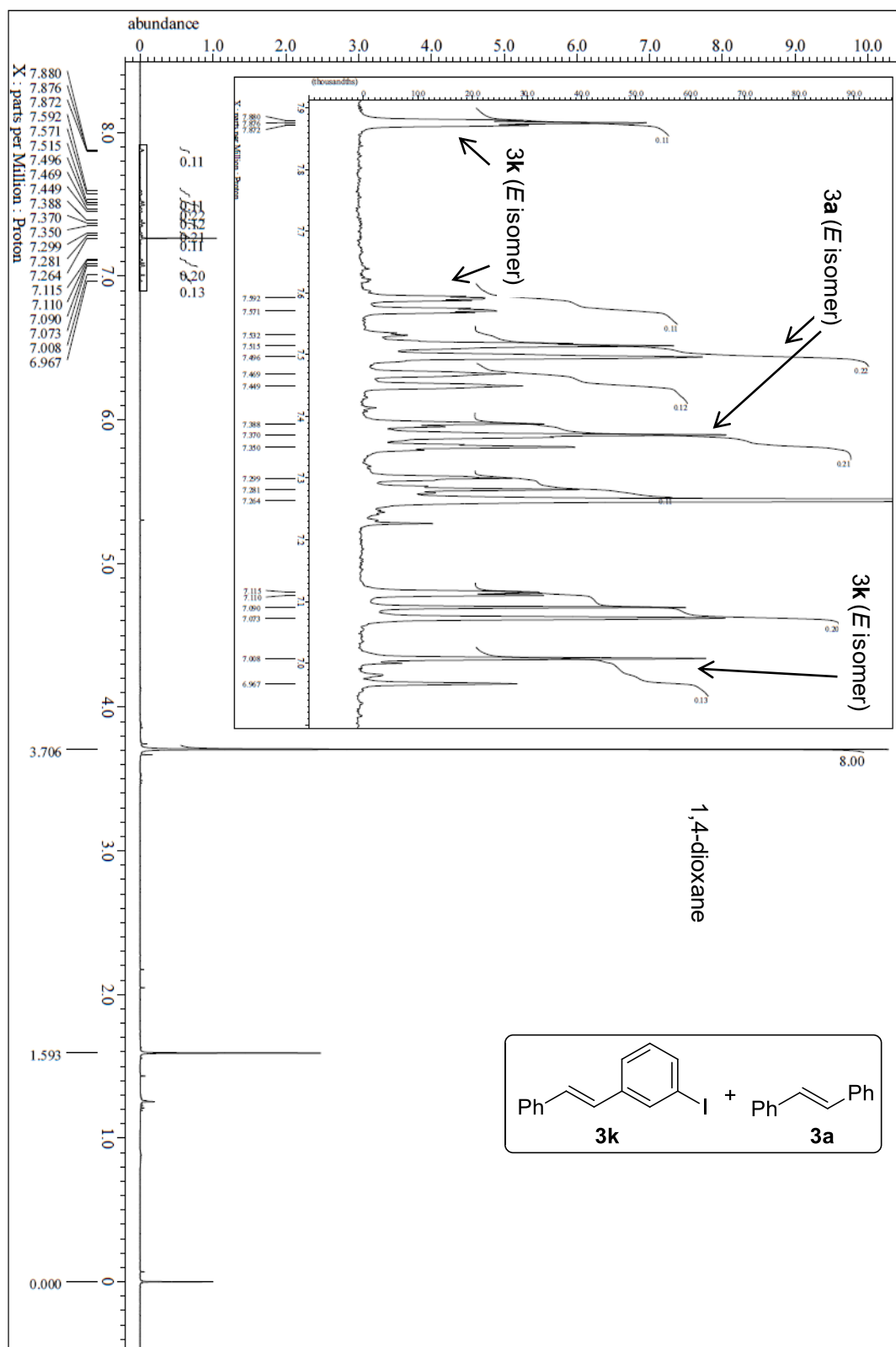
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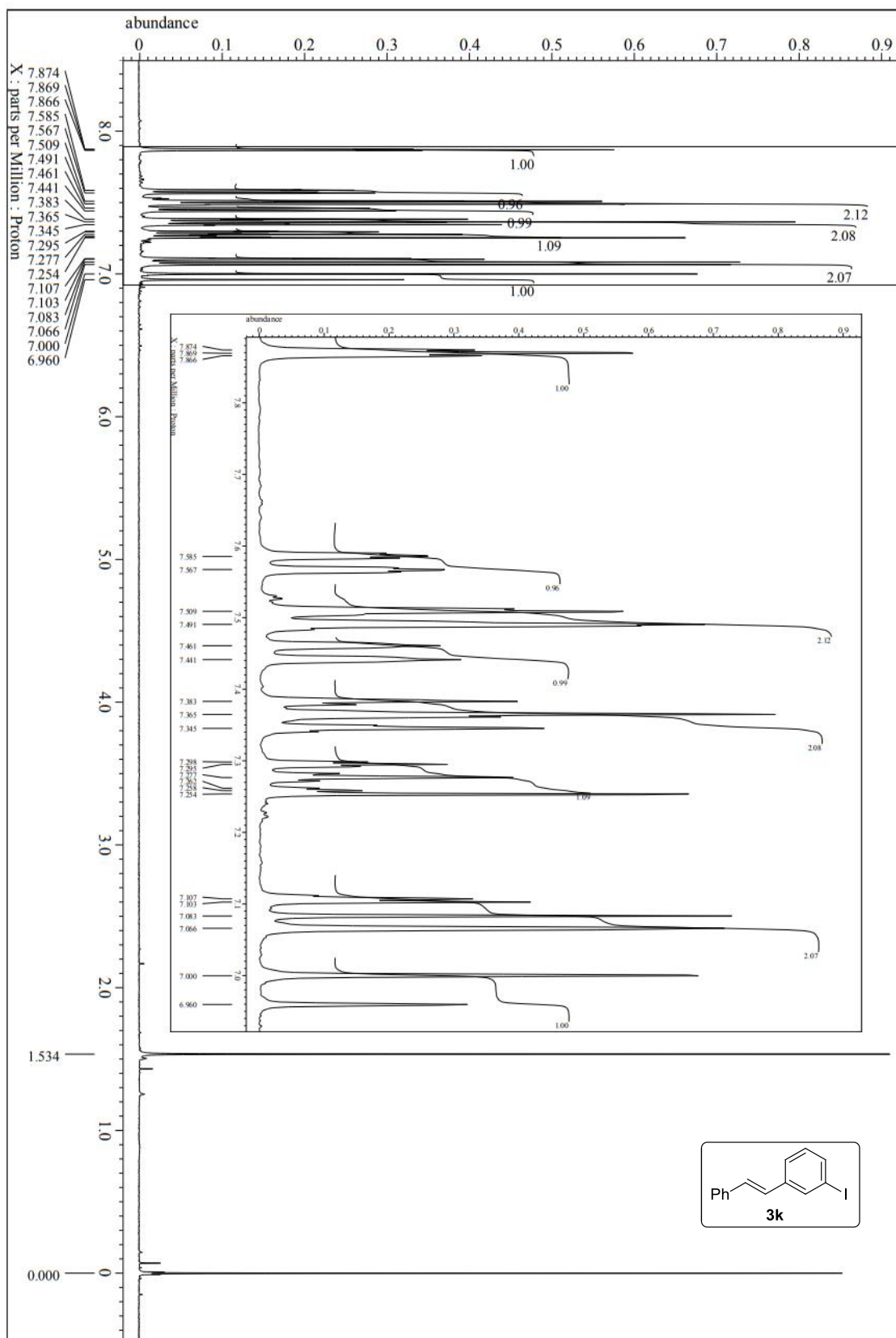
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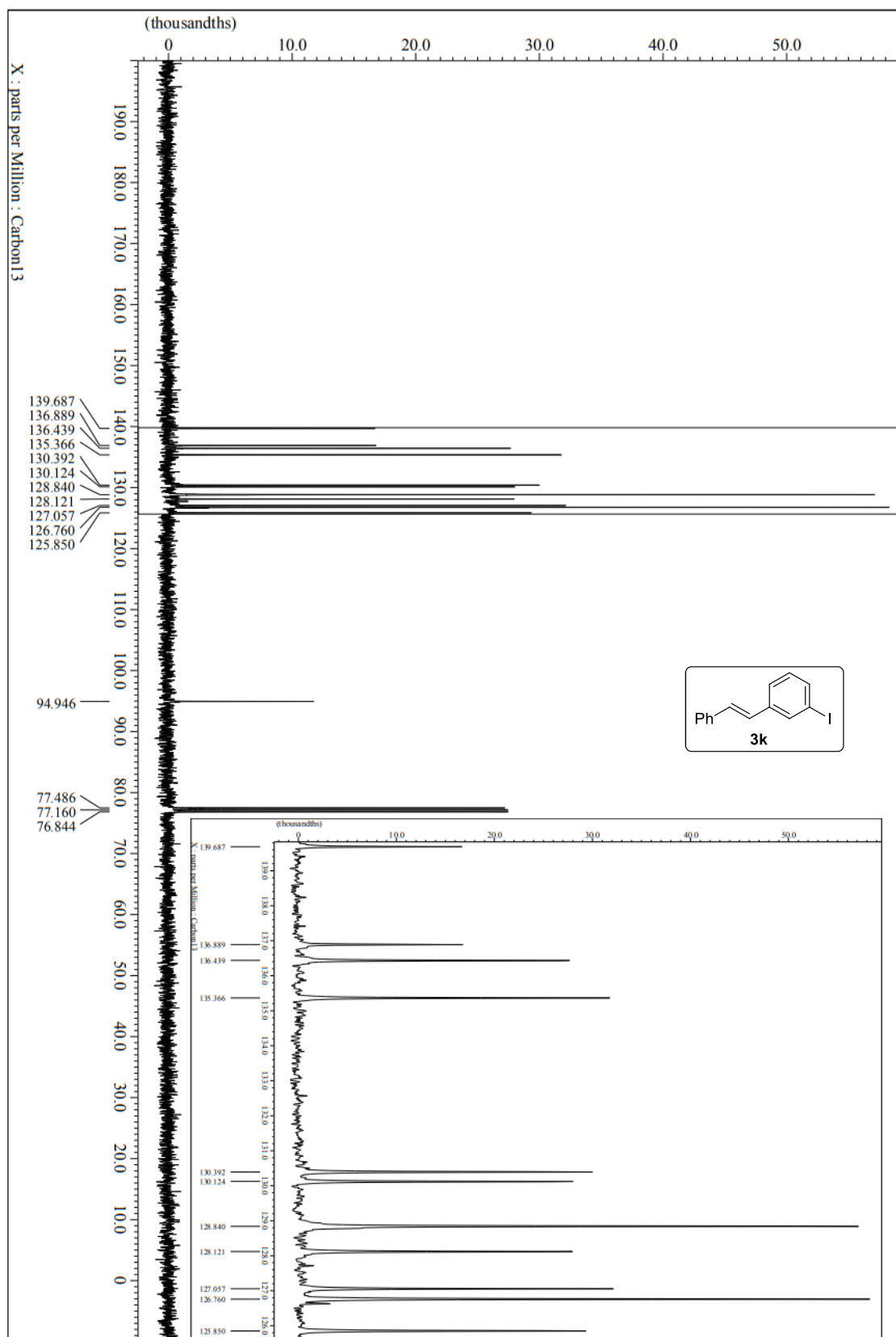
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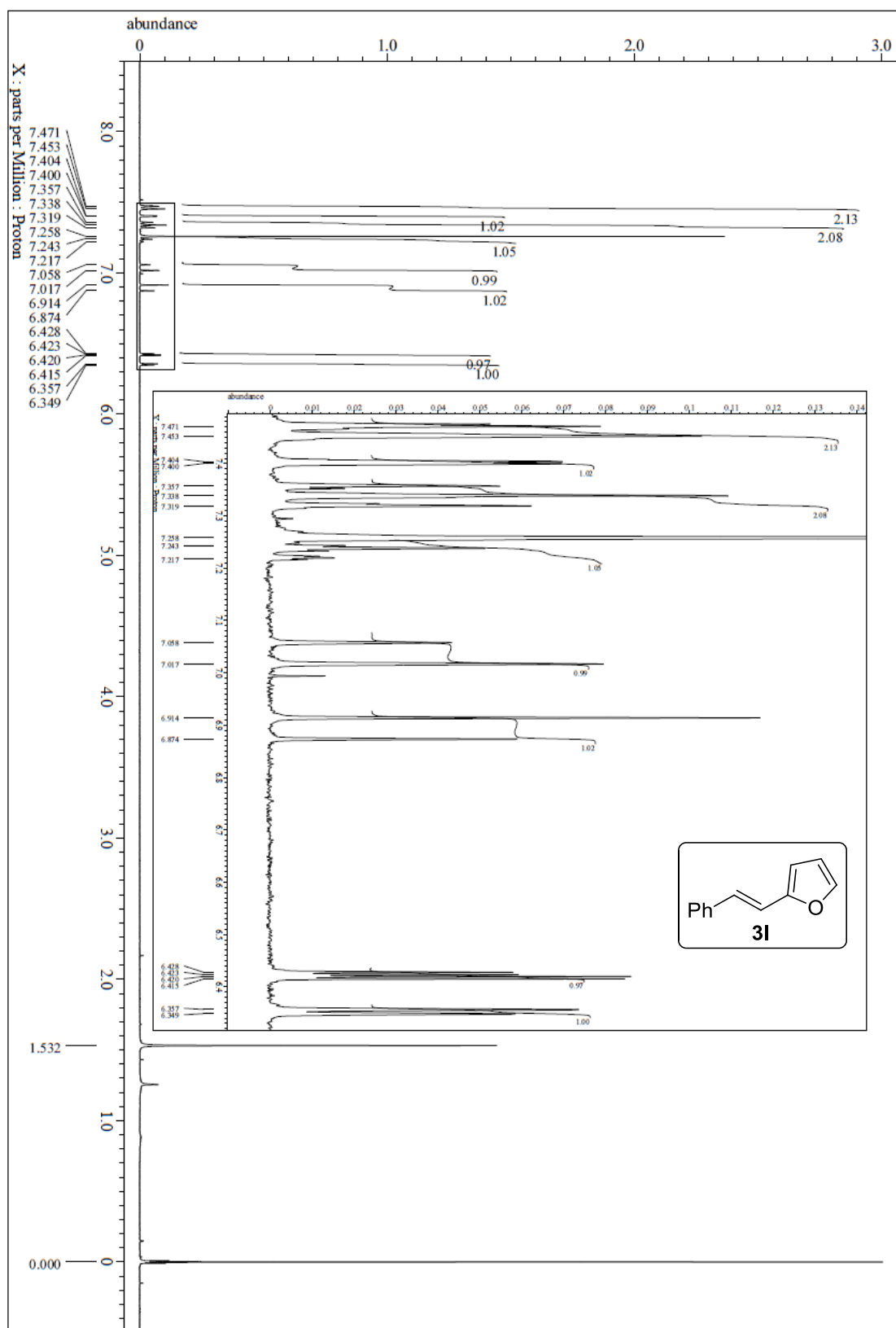


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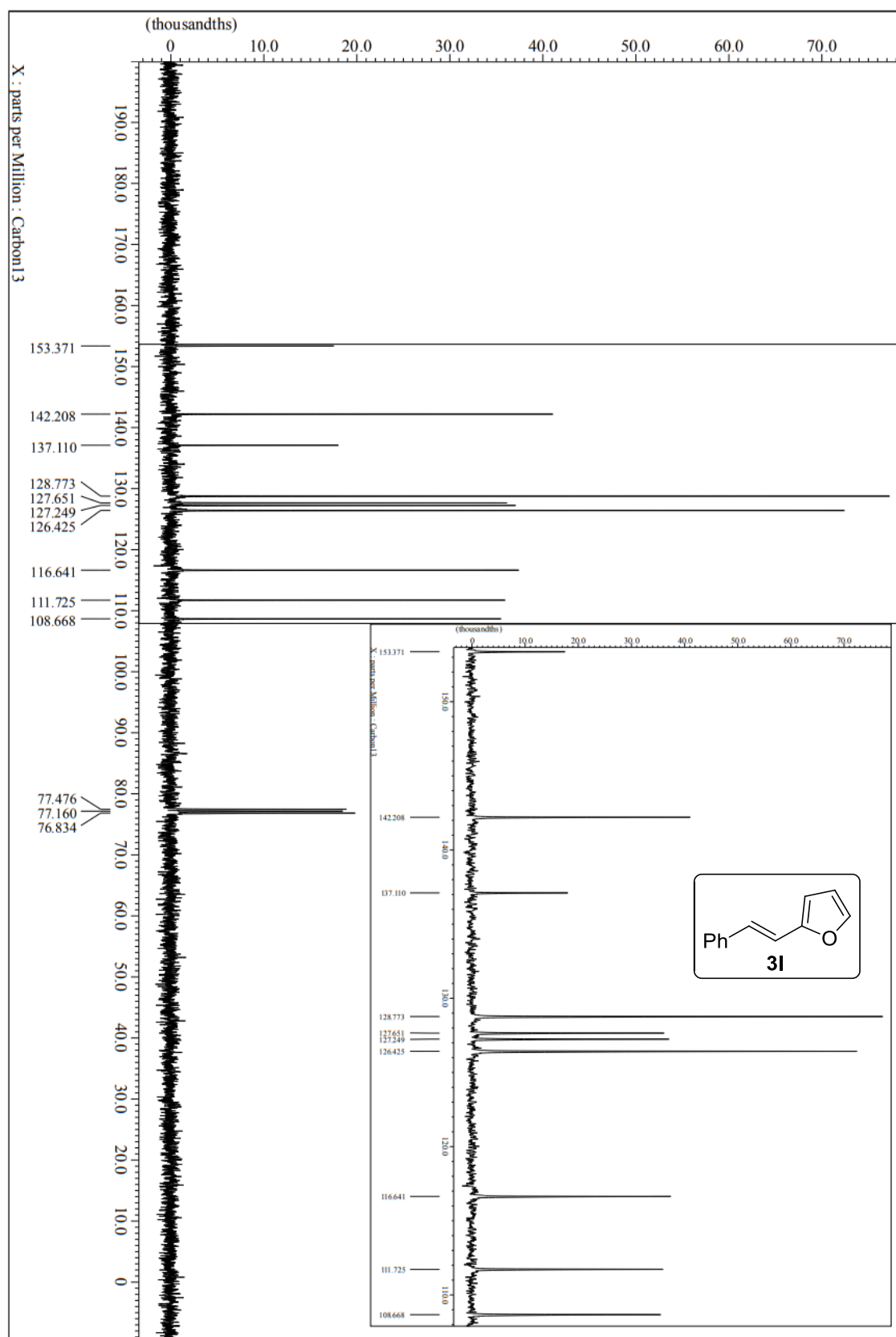


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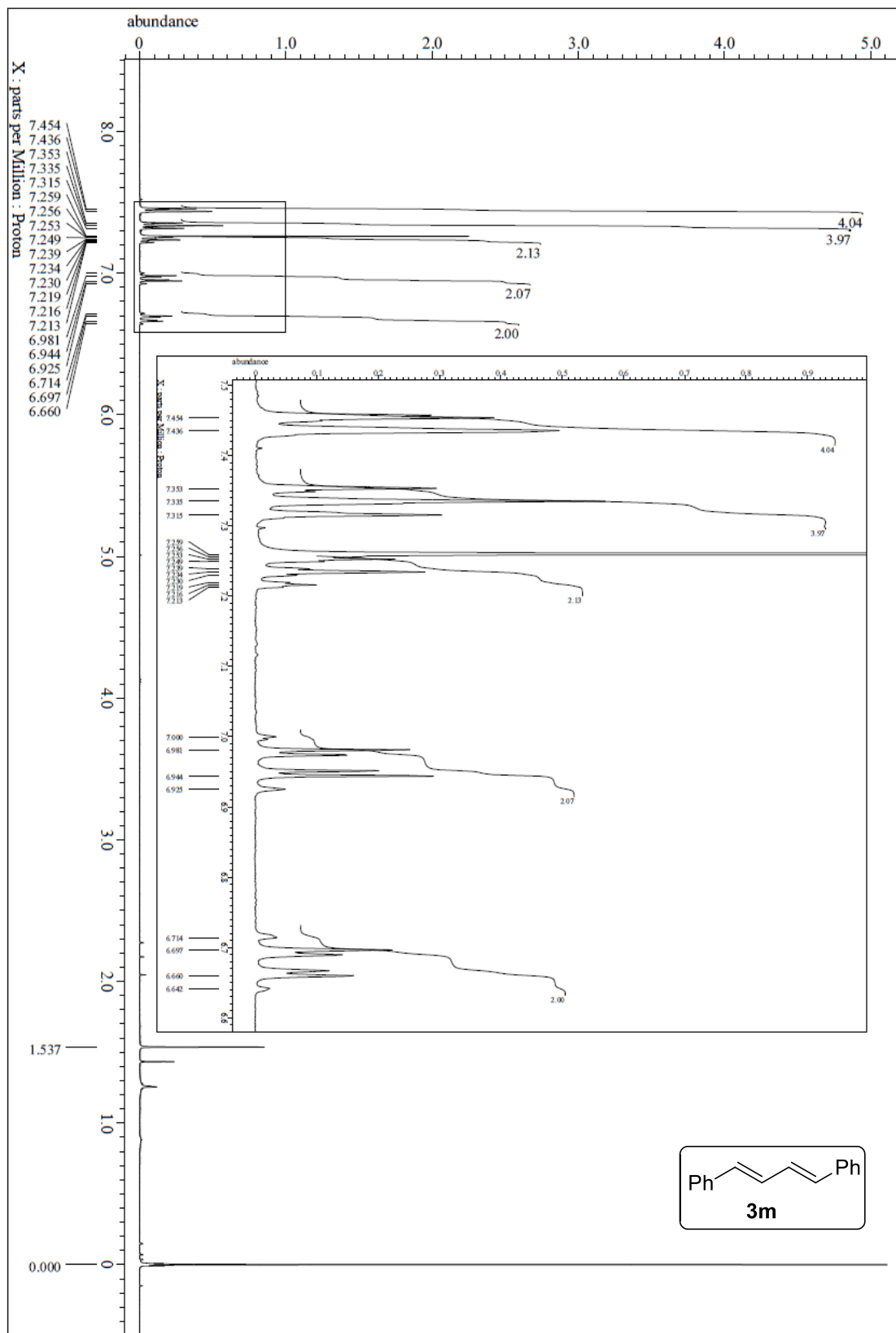




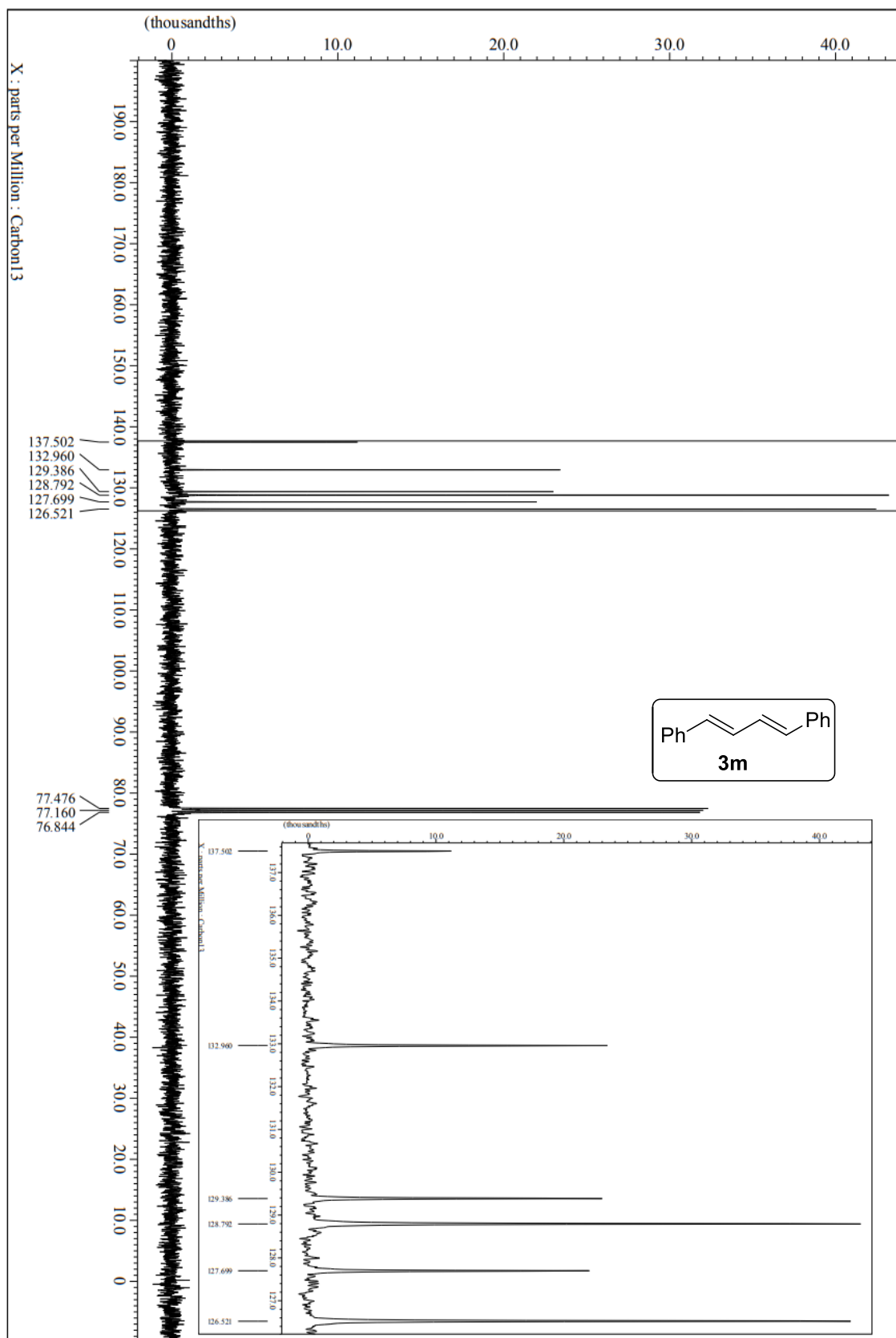
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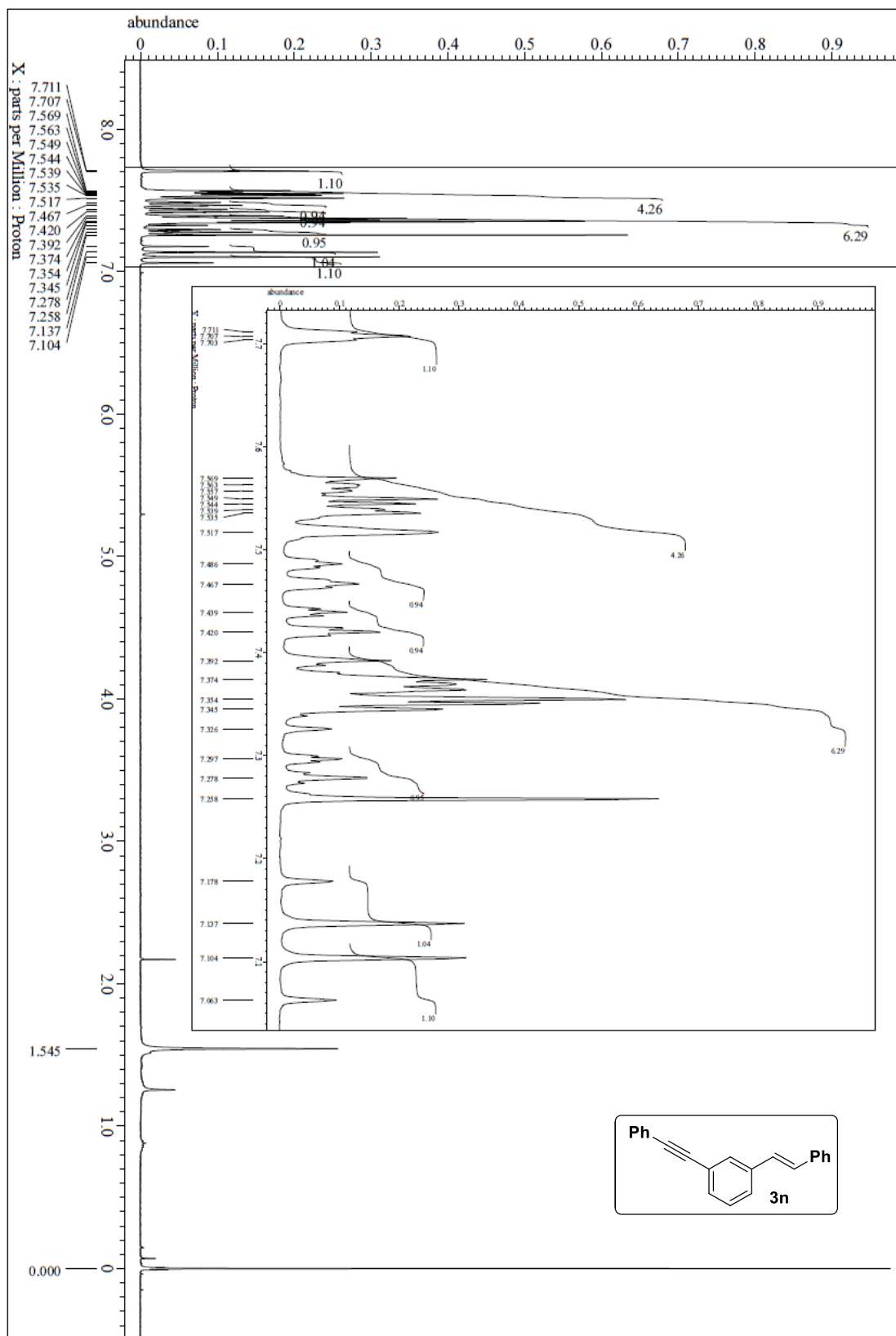
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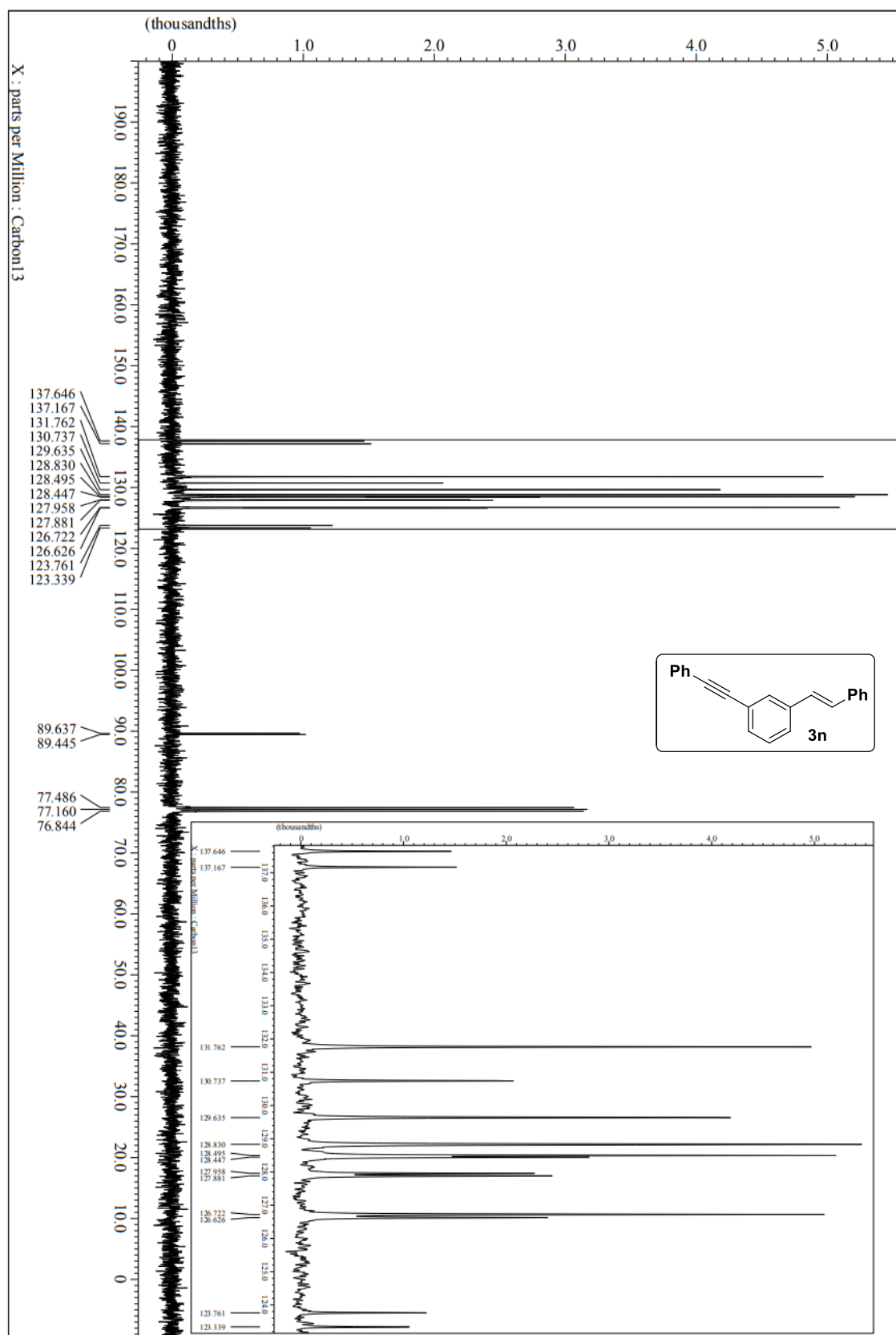
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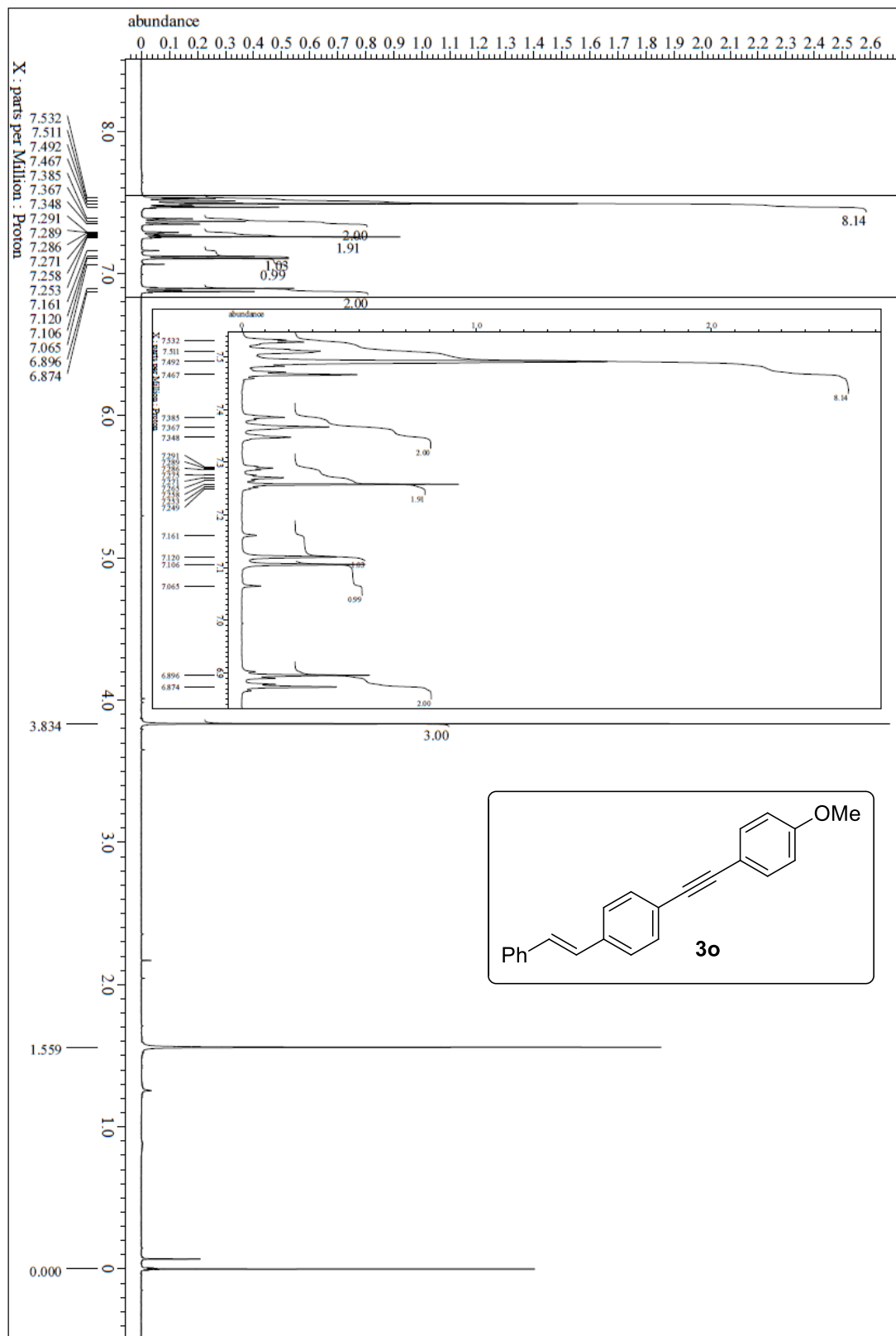
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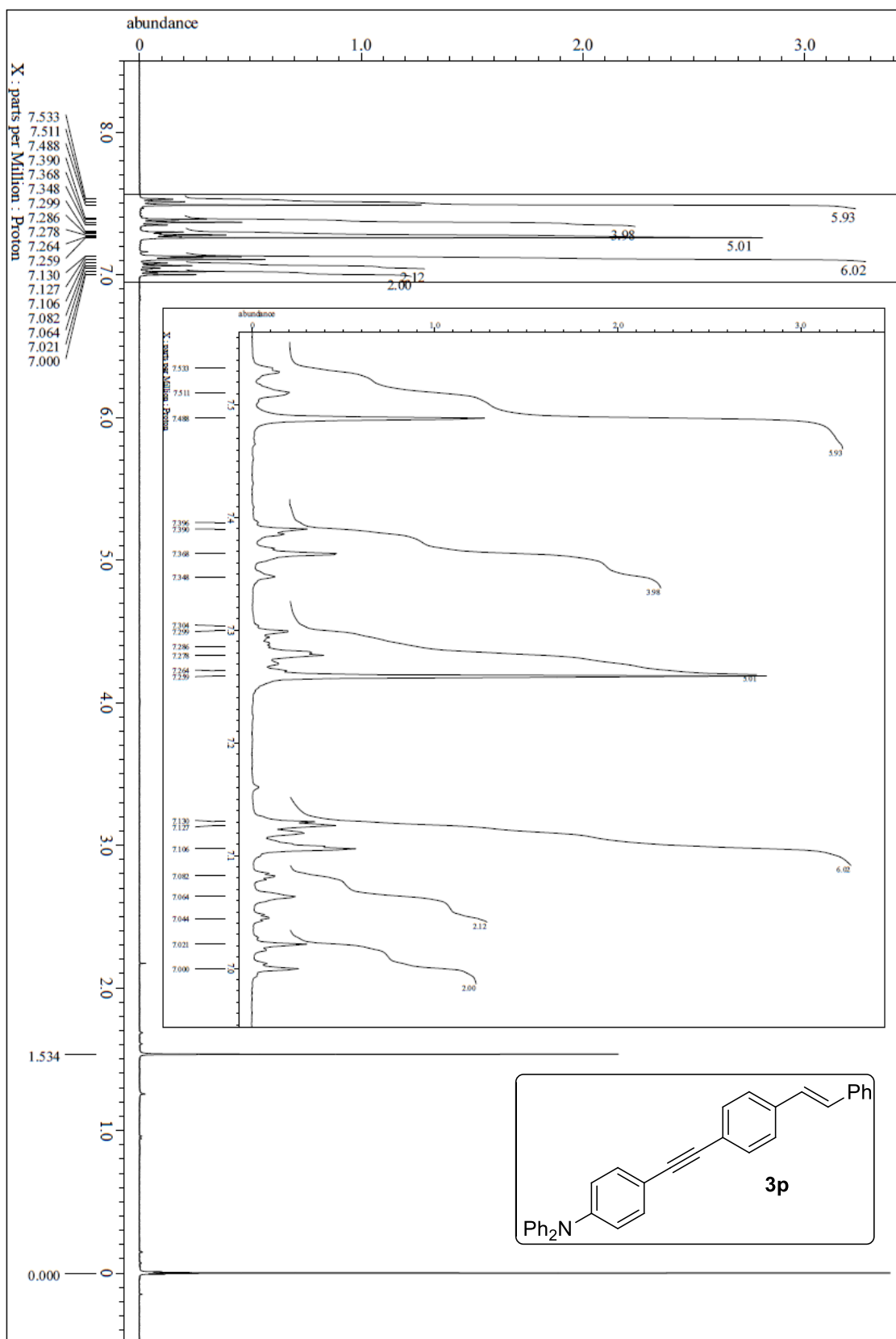
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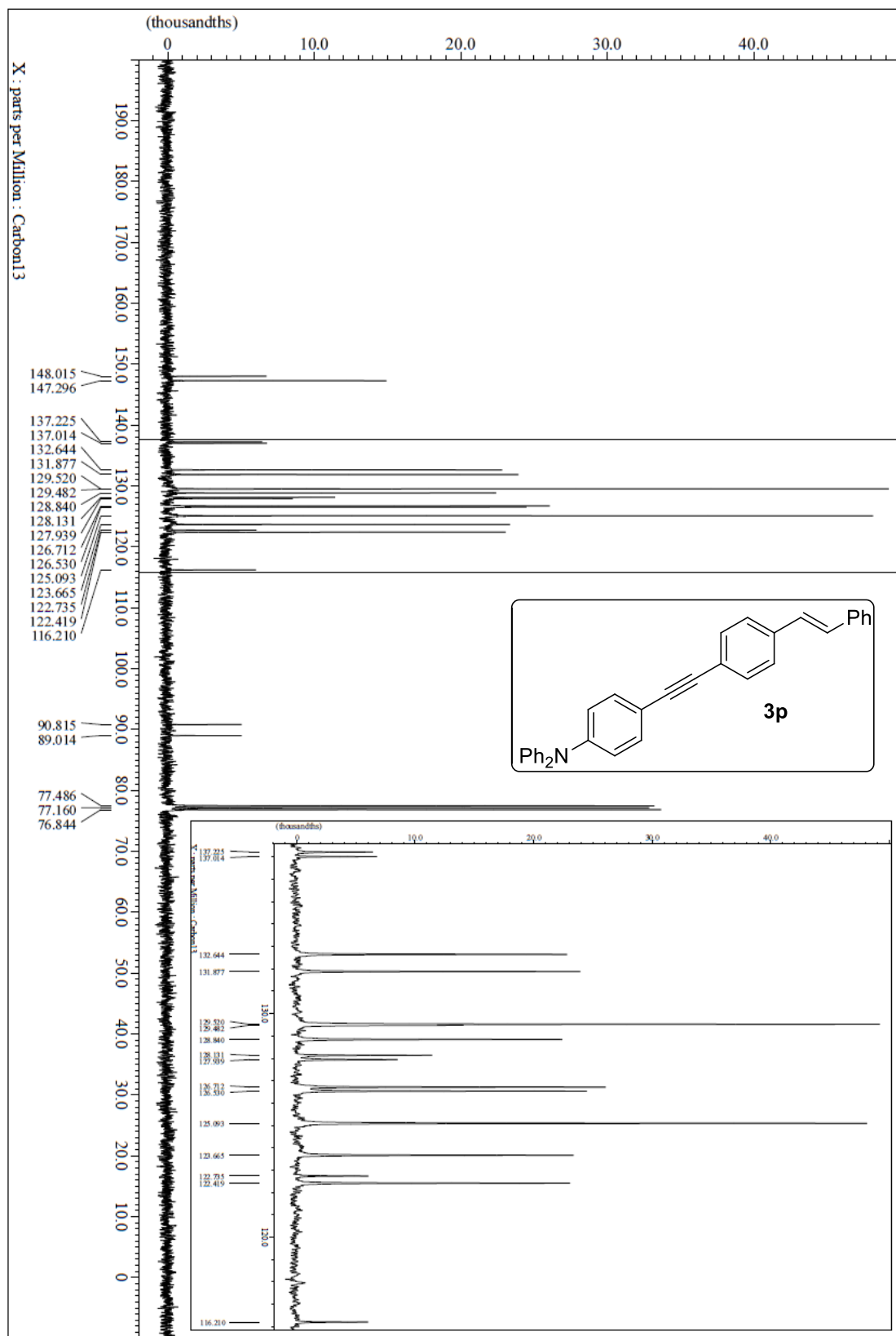
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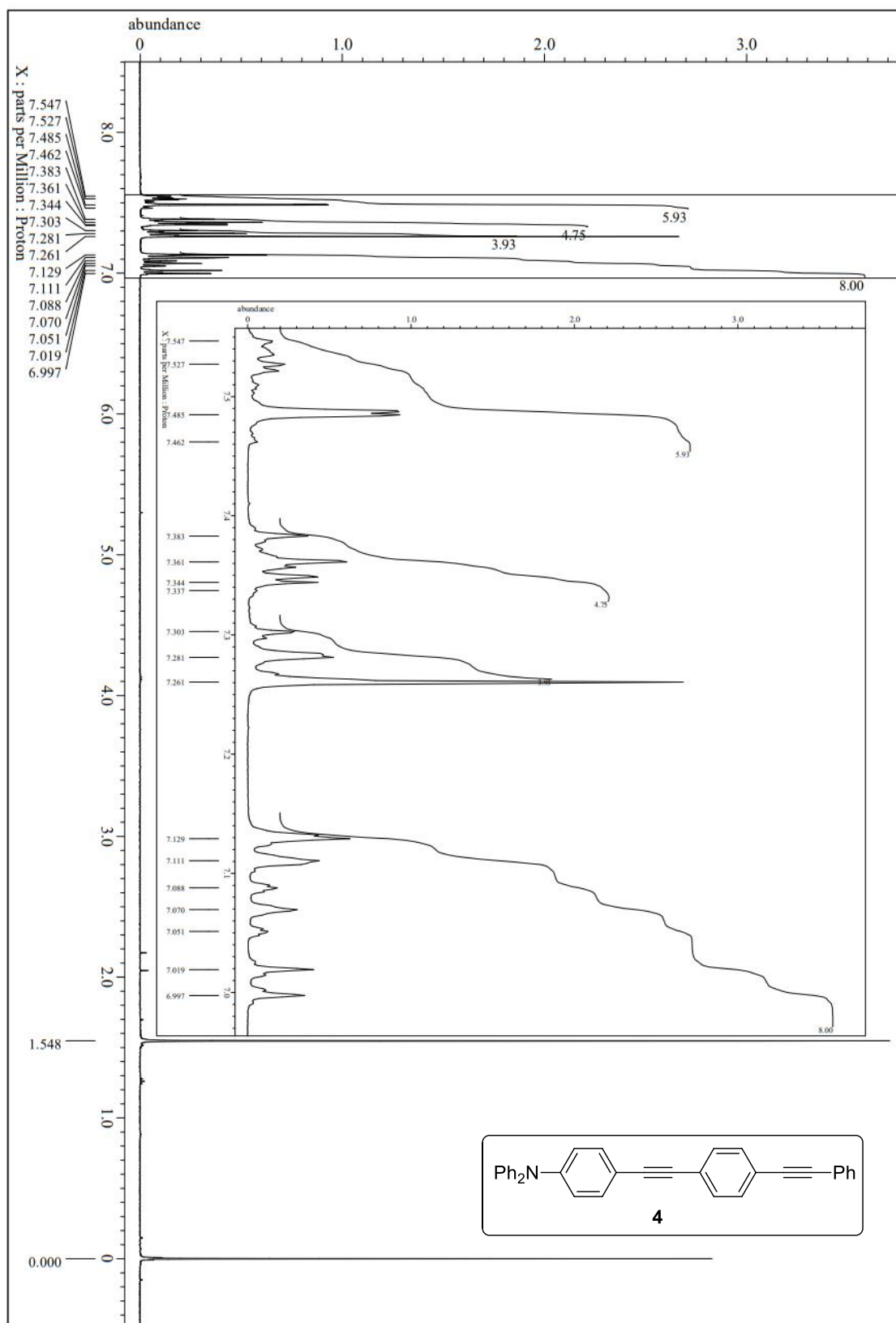




$^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz) spectrum of **3p** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , rt)



$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR (101 MHz) spectrum of **3p** ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , rt)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz) spectrum of **4** (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, rt)