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ABSTRACT

A series of novel sulfonamide based quaternary ammonium (QUAT's) antimicrobials containing a variety of chemical anchors $R-SO_2-NH-(CH_2)_3-N(CH_3)_2-(CH_2)_3-Y$ (where R = alkyl or aryl and Y = organosilane ($Si(OMe)_3$), organophosphorus ($P(O)(OR^1)$) and benzophenone ($-O-C_6H_4-C(O)-C_6H_5$)) were used to immobilize them on different substrates. Sulfonamide organosilane QUAT's were immobilized on to textiles substrates, whereas benzophenone QUAT's were used to exclusively coat plastic surfaces (polyethylene (PE), and polyvinylchloride (PVC)), and organophosphorus QUAT's were prepared for testing on metal surfaces (stainless steel). The covalently attached antimicrobial coatings were found to kill gram +ve and -ve bacteria on contact, hindering their attachment and colonization without any leachate. The partially water soluble sulfonamide QUAT's presented are readily prepared, easy to apply and are relatively inexpensive.

Textile samples were prepared by immersion in a MeOH:H₂O (30:70) solution of organosilane QUAT's followed by curing/drying at room temperature for 2 – 24 hours. Plastic samples were prepared by electrospraying an EtOH:H₂O (10:90) solution containing benzophenone QUAT's followed by UV curing using for 2 – 5 minutes. All samples showed a 100% reduction ($10^7 - 10^6$ cells) of viable *Arthrobacter*, *S. aureus*, and *E.coli* after 3 hours of contact time and maintained their activity over 24 hours versus the control (untreated) samples.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

cfu.	Colony forming units
MIC	Minimum Inhibitory Concentration
EPS	Exopolysaccharides
WHO	World Health Organization
HAI's	Hospital Acquired Infections
IAI's	Implant Associated Infections
QUAT's	Quaternary Ammonium Compound
SAM	Self-Assembled Monolayers
DCM	Dichloromethane
<i>i</i>Pr	<i>iso</i> -propanol
MeOH	Methanol
MeCN	Acetonitrile
Et₃N	Triethylamine
HCl	Hydrochloric acid
K₂CO₃	Potassium carbonate
Et₂O	Diethylether
CDCl₃	Deuterated Chloroform
PABA	<i>p</i> -Aminobenzoic acid
ATMP	aminotris(methylene phosphonic acid)
EDTMP	ethylenediamine tetra(methylene phosphonic acid)
DTPMP	diethylenetriamine penta(methylene phosphonic acid)
PE	Polyethylene
PEI	Polyethylene imine
PEG	Polyethylene glycol
PP	Polypropylene
PET	Polyethylene terephthalate
PVC	Polyvinyl chloride
ATRP	Atom Transfer Radical Polymerization
NMR	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectroscopy
HRMS	High Resolution Mass Spectrum
wks.	Weeks

yrs.	Years
hrs.	Hours
mon.	Months
d.	Days

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Rationale for Antimicrobials

Common surfaces that are frequently handled are called “touch surfaces”. Touch surfaces are inhabited by various microorganisms such as bacteria, viruses and fungi which can persist in the right environment for a prolonged period (Table 1.1).¹⁻³ Both pathogenic and non-pathogenic microorganisms can persist on touch surfaces such as door knobs, elevator buttons, staircase railings, stethoscopes, uniforms, food preparation and packaging surfaces (Table 1.2).²⁻⁵

For centuries antibiotics and biocides have been used in variety of applications.⁶ Antibiotics have been administered to patients due to their selective toxicity whereas, biocides have been regarded as antiseptics, disinfectants and preservatives and are used more generally. The concept of biocides dates back to early empirical approaches of using copper or silver based utensils for water storage; salting as a process of preservation of meat products and the use of vinegar and honey as wound cleansing agents.⁶ A library of common biocides and antibiotics for prevention against a wide variety of infections and diseases is shown in Tables 1.3 and 1.4 respectively.

Even with advances in the science of antibiotics and biocides, the healthcare and food industries continue to face an ever-growing microbial contamination problem. Contamination of food packaging, storage containers, medical devices, garments and hygiene products pose a real threat to public safety and are costly.⁷ To date, standard hygiene procedures (hand washing, personal hygiene products, and masks) and the use of disinfectants on medical devices and hospital environments have been widely used as stopgap solutions to prevent infectious outbreaks. However, these efforts have not been fully successful due to the evolution and development of

resistance by microorganisms and the lack of compliance to safety protocols by health care professionals.⁸

Table 1.1: Persistence of different nosocomial pathogens on surfaces (adapted from Ref.^{2,3}).

Type of Bacterium	Duration of persistence	Type of Virus	Duration of persistence	Type of Fungi	Duration of persistence
<i>Acinetobacter spp.</i>	3 d. – 5 mon.	Adenovirus	7 d. – 3 mon.	<i>Candida albicans</i>	1 – 20 d.
<i>Clostridium difficile</i> (spores)	5 mon.	Astrovirus	7 – 90 d.	<i>Candida parapsilosis</i>	14 d.
<i>Corynebacterium diphtheride</i>	7 d. – 6 mon.	SARS	72 – 96 hrs	<i>Torulopsis glabrata</i>	102 – 150 d.
<i>E. Coli</i>	1.5 hrs. – 16 mon.	HAV	2 hrs. – 60 d.		
<i>Listeria spp.</i>	1 d. – mon.	HIV	7 d.		
<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	6 hrs. – 16 mon.	Rotavirus	6 – 30 d.		
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i>	10 d. – 4.2 yrs.	Vacciniavirus	3 wks. – 20 wks.		

Table 1.2: Typical bacterial loads on surfaces related to healthcare and food industry (cfu/cm²) (adapted from Ref.^{3,5}).

Field of study	Site	Bacterial load (cfu/cm ²)
Healthcare	Hospital ward surfaces	2.5 to 40
Healthcare	Hospital kitchen surfaces	2 to 294
Healthcare	Stethoscope membrane	In > 54% of cases > 5; in 18% of cases > 29
Healthcare	Nurse workstation	< 9
Healthcare	Under ward bed	< 25
Food	Meat preparation surfaces	10 ⁵
Food	Vegetable preparation surfaces	> 10 ⁵
Food	Refrigerator surfaces	813 to 6 x 10 ⁸
Food	Food contact surfaces	630 to 1.8 x 10 ⁹

Table 1.3: Discovery and introduction of biocides (adapted from ref.⁶).

Biocide (Antiseptic or disinfectant)	Discovery	Introduction
Alcohols	BC	Early AD
Chlorine	1774	1847
Sodium hypochlorite	1789	1827
Chlorine dioxide	1925	1946
Iodine	1812	1816
Phenols		
Phenol	1834	1867
Cresol	1842	1890
Triclosan	1906	1908
QUAT's	1916	1933
Amphoterics	1952	1954
Acridines	1870	1913

Table 1.4: Introduction of antibiotics for clinical use (adapted from ref.⁶).

Decade	Introduction
1930s/1940s	Sulphonamides
1940s	Benzylpenicillin
	Streptomycin
	Erythromycin
1950s	Chloramphenicol
	Vancomycin
	Cephalosporin's
1960s	Gentamicin
	Broad-spectrum penicillin's
1970s	Clindamycin
	Trimethoprim-sulphamethoxazole
1980s	Fluoroquinolones
	β -lactams
	Pristinamycin derivatives
1990s, 2000s	New macrolides
	New β -lactams
	Oxazolidinones
	Everninomycins,
2000 onwards	Glycylcyclines
	Ketolides
	Moxifloxacin

Based on several studies conducted by World Health Organization (WHO) and the Auditor General of Ontario and British Columbia, hospital-acquired infections (HAIs) or nosocomial infections have become an economic burden due to prolonged hospitalization and in some cases, have led to death due to severe infection related complications.⁹⁻¹¹ Specifically in North America, approximately 220,000 Canadians and 2 million people in the United States contract pathogen related HAIs. This has resulted in 8000 deaths in Canada and over 100,000 deaths in the U.S. each

year.⁸⁻¹¹ HAI related infections result on average 10 – 20 days of additional hospitalization for the patient, costing the health system billions of dollars.⁸⁻¹⁰ Alongside HAIs, Implant Associated Infections (IAIs) have also strained healthcare systems. For example, approximately 500,000 patients in the U.S. contract urinary tract infections related to catheter implants, which incur an additional \$25,000 – \$30,000 treatment cost per infection resulting in approximately \$3 billion healthcare associated costs.⁷ The increased severity and rate of infections (HAIs and IAIs) can be associated with decreased antibiotic efficacy and drug-resistance by pathogens that are found in surface biofilms.^{3,7,12}

1.2 Biofilms

Biofilms are complex communities of bacteria which involve three phases for its formation. The first phase is a rapid nonspecific, reversible adhesion to the surfaces via adhesin proteins secreted by the bacterial membrane structures fimbriae or pilli (Stage I, Figure 1.1), followed by a second phase which occurs over several hours allowing the bacteria to irreversibly bind to a surface via adhesive ligand-receptor complexes (Stage II, Figure 1.1).¹³ Once permanently bound, the bacteria begins to synthesize a protective (slime like) peptidoglycan matrix consisting of DNA, proteins and polysaccharides such as exopolysaccharide (EPS).¹⁴ With increased accumulation of constituents in the matrix, bacterial colonies proliferate into mature biofilms which are resistant to strong antibiotic doses and are difficult to eradicate.¹⁵ Therefore, to prevent infectious outbreak caused by biofilms, strategies have been explored to prevent the bacterial adhesion to surfaces or destroy the microorganisms upon adsorption.¹³⁻¹⁶

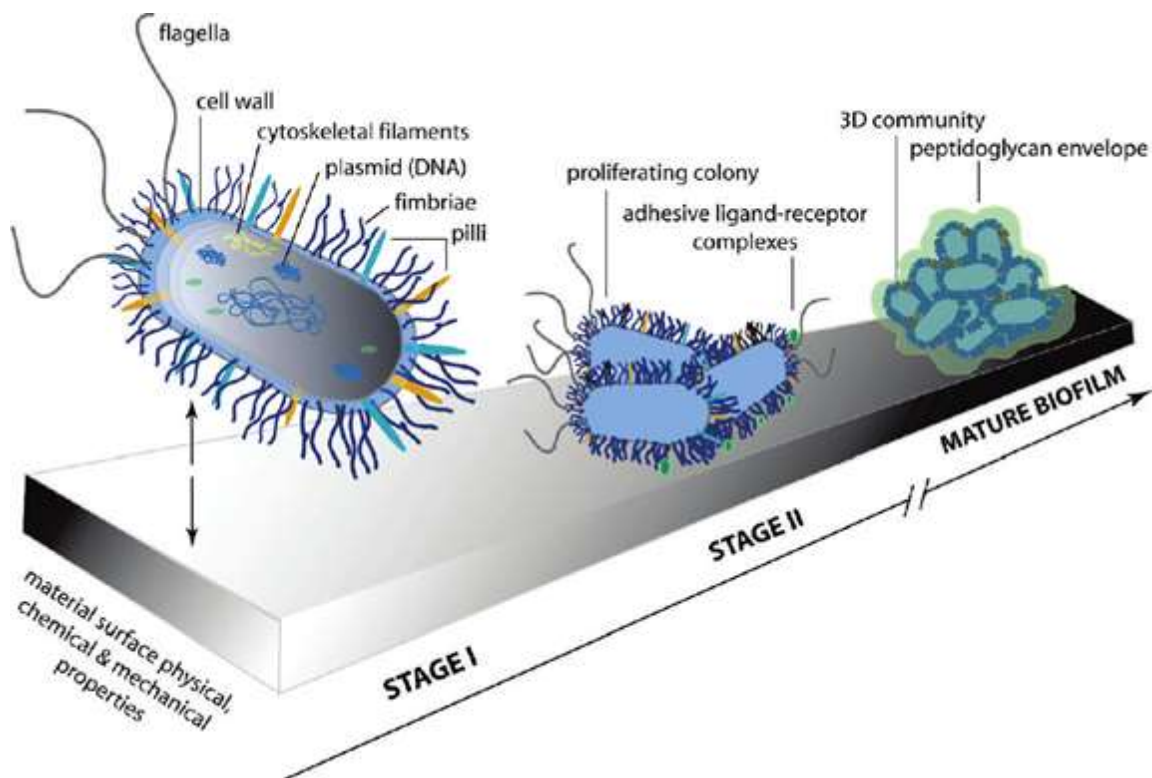


Figure 1.1: Schematic of bacterial adhesion and biofilm formation (adapted from ref.^{3,13} and used with permission from ref.¹³)

Persistent biofilms pose a great threat for the medical, food, oil refining and water treatment industries which directly impact a mass populous. Antimicrobial textiles have been integrated widely in to different work sectors as preventive measures. Treated textiles work well with daily consumer use, but cannot prevent biofilm formation on nonporous surfaces (eg. instrumentation, equipment and structural features in industries). Therefore, medical device makers along with medical and food industries are keen to introduce antimicrobial coatings as part of an infection control strategy along with proper hygiene and disinfection protocols.³ Introducing the antimicrobial coatings on surfaces would help prevent biofilm formation and thus reduce the spread of pathogenic infections between surfaces, patients and healthcare workers (nosocomial infection loop, Figure 1.2).^{2,3,5}

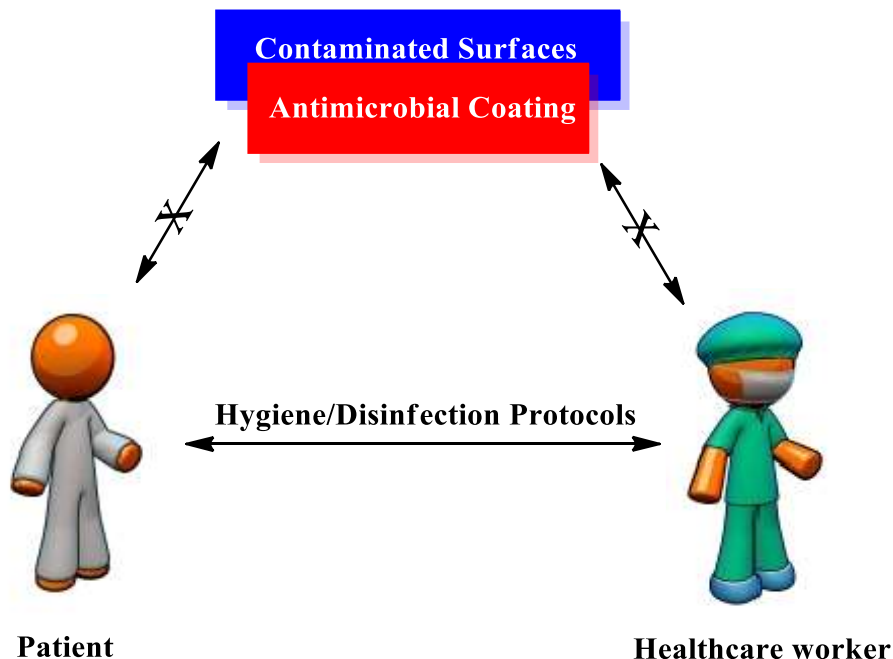


Figure 1.2: Prevention of the nosocomial infection loop with the application of an antimicrobial coating (adapted from ref. ³).^{2,5}

1.3 Antimicrobial Surfaces

Porous and non-porous surfaces are common sites of microbial infestation, proliferation and biofilm formation. One common strategy being employed to prevent microbial infection is the use of disinfectants; however, they are often a source of environmental pollution and have been a major contributor for the resistance development in microbial strains.¹⁷ An alternative strategy to the use of chemical poisons was the development of surface attached antimicrobials. Since the late 1960's, polymer based thin films or self-assembling monolayers have been widely investigated and used to render surfaces antimicrobial. Different approaches have been used to prepare these antimicrobial surfaces, but they can be mainly categorized as being either antibiofouling or bacteriostatic.^{17,18} Antibiofouling coatings include thin film coatings that are hydrophobic in nature, have low surface tension, and/or pack tightly together. This prevents bacterial adhesion, but does not kill them. Bacteriostatic coatings are classified in two main categories; one that kills

microbes on contact by releasing a biocide that is adsorbed by the organism and poison it, and the second being a contact active biocide which contains a biocidal component within the coating that kills microbes upon contact (Figure 1.3).^{17,18}

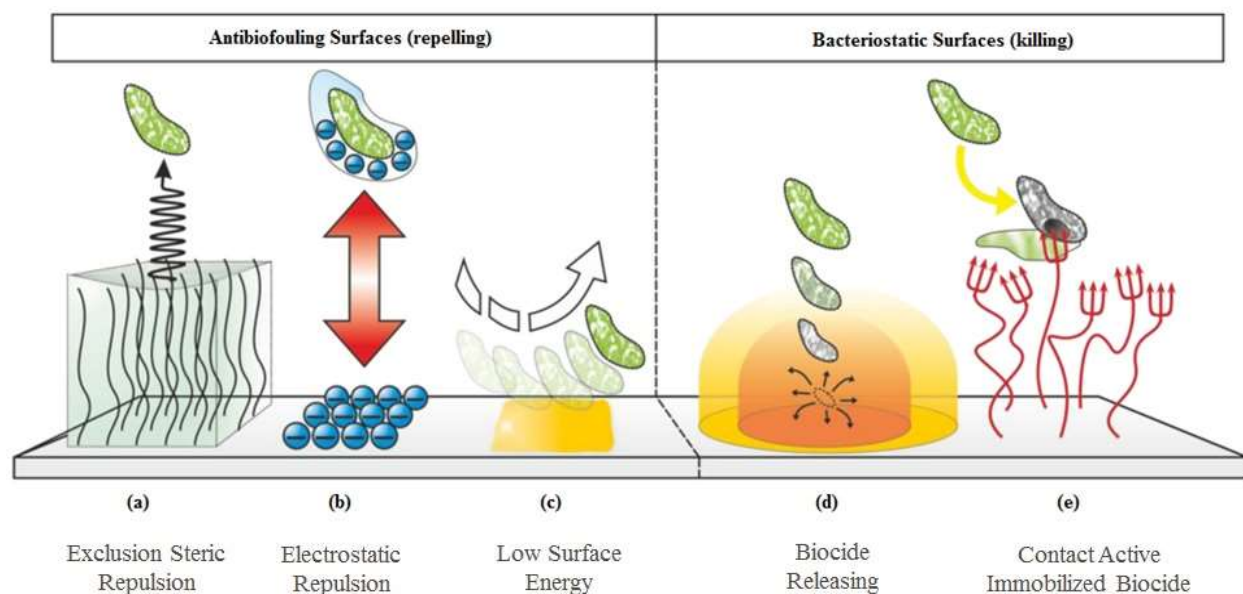


Figure 1.3: Literature example of various types of antimicrobial surfaces. (adapted from ref. ³ and used with permission from ref. ^{17,18}).

Older approaches for preventing biofilm formation on the surfaces relied heavily on biocide (active) releasing antimicrobial coatings. These coatings consist of a polymer matrix in which the biocide is impregnated. The biocide is gradually released from the matrix and kills the microorganisms through its mode of action (biocide specific).⁶ Examples of a leachable biocide includes copper¹ or silver ions, the latter being the most preferable.^{19,20} Eventually the biocide depletes from the coatings and these surfaces are once again prone to biofilm formation due to the loss of antimicrobial activity. Currently, there is no known method/procedure to regenerate the biocide on the applied coatings. An alternative to the leaching of biocides is the use of quaternary ammonium compounds (QUAT's). These active materials are immobilized onto the surfaces and provide contact based killing with no leachable agent/biocide. The non-leaching immobilized

QUAT's provide a prolonged antimicrobial efficacy, have a minimized risk of bacteria developing resistance, and are significantly more environmentally friendly.^{3,12,14}

1.4 Quaternary Ammonium Compound

Cationic surface-active agents and polymers containing a zwitterionic head have been extensively studied due to their biocompatibility and biocidal properties.^{15,21} Studies by Cheng *et al.*¹⁵ and Rose *et al.*²² found that the polar zwitterionic head plays a key role in prevention of biofilm formation and/or adhesion (Figure 1.4).

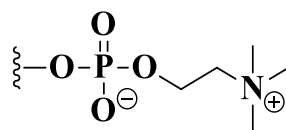


Figure 1.4: Phosphorylcholine zwitterionic compound inhibiting biofilm adhesion (adapted from ref.¹⁶).²³

Solutions containing cationic compounds includes Quaternary Ammonium Cations are widely used due to their biocidal properties in both clinical and industrial settings.¹⁶ In general antimicrobial QUAT's consist of a positively charged nitrogen atom attached to one or more hydrophobic alkyl chains and are synthesized using the Menshutkin reaction.

1.4.1 Menshutkin Quaternization Reaction

The quaternization formation reaction was first discovered in 1865 by Russian chemist Nikolai Menshutkin.²⁴ The quaternization reaction involves the reaction between two neutral molecules, a tertiary amine with an alkylhalide. The reaction proceeds in an S_N2 manner, wherein the alkylhalide is substituted by the amine producing a positively charged quaternary amine with four bonds and a negatively charged counter ion (Figure 1.5).³

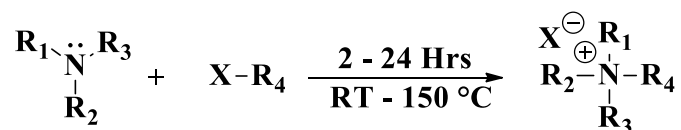


Figure 1.5: The Menshutkin quaternization reaction.²⁴

For S_N2 reactions, the reaction rate is greatly affected by the nucleophilicity of the amines, the leaving group, increased pressure and elevated temperature. Polar solvents were found to accelerate the reaction by stabilizing the charged transition state along with the leaving group (Table 1.5) and halides further down Group 17 (i.e. Br, I) serve as excellent leaving groups. When working with alkyltosyl or mesylates, polar protic solvents and lower reaction temperatures are preferred to avoid a competitive elimination reaction.²⁵

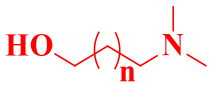
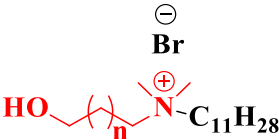
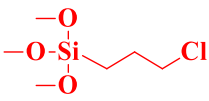
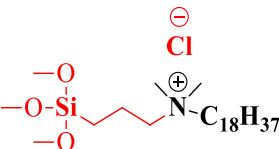
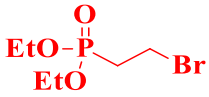

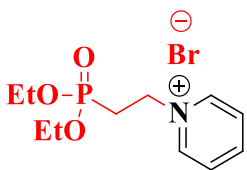
Table 1.5: Rate of reaction for Menshutkin quaternization in various solvents (adapted from ref.³)²⁶

Solvent	Relative Rate (s ⁻¹)
CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₄ CH ₃	1
Et ₂ O	4
C ₆ H ₆	38
<i>n</i> -BuOH	70
CHCl ₃	100
EtOH	200
MeOH	285
ACN	375
DMF	900

For the purpose of this thesis, all quaternary ammonium compounds described in this work will be synthesized using the Menshutkin reaction. A typical reaction would be carried out at refluxing temperature in polar anhydrous solvents and in a closed environment (vials). Often the

resulting product can be recovered by precipitation from Et₂O. Select literature examples portraying the reaction conditions for the formation of QUAT's have been tabulated in Table 1.6.

Table 1.6: Literature examples of Menshutkin quaternization reaction (adapted from ref.³).

Starting Materials	Product	Solvent & Temp. (°C)	Time (Hrs.)	Yield & Ref.
 $\text{Br}-\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{28}$		<i>i</i> Pr:MeOH (80)	0-12	na ²⁷
 $\text{N}-\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{37}$		neat (110)	48	na ^{a 28}
 		H ₂ O (82)	48	na ^{b 29}

(a) Diluted directly to 50% w/v in MeOH, and (b) used directly following hydrolysis with HCl.

Various surfaces can be treated by immobilizing small size quaternary ammonium compounds containing linker groups such as thiol³⁰, phosphonate^{31,32}, organosilane³³, catechol³⁴ or as polymers (Figure 1.6).^{33,35}

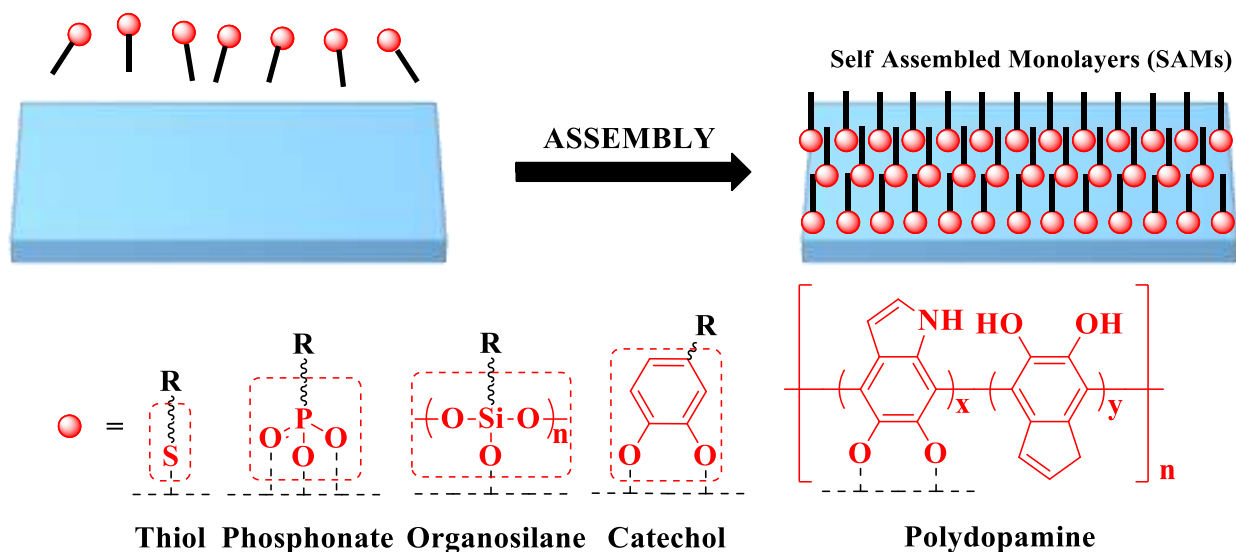


Figure 1.6: Various anchor/linker functionalities used to form self-assembled monolayers on various substrates (adapted from ref.^{3,34}).

Surfaces treated with a polymeric coating are prepared using either a “grafting to” or “grafting from” strategy. A grafting to strategy attaches biocides by adsorption of the polymer to the surface (Figure 1.7A)^{36,37} or through covalent bond formation between a linker group and complementary functional group on the substrate (Figure 1.7B)^{38,39}; whereas the grafting from strategy employs growth of polymeric brushes directly from the substrate. This can be accomplished using Atom Transfer Radical Polymerization (ATRP) (Figure 1.7C),^{40,41} which requires an initiator directly bound to surfaces or to an immobilized anchor (Table 1.7).³⁶

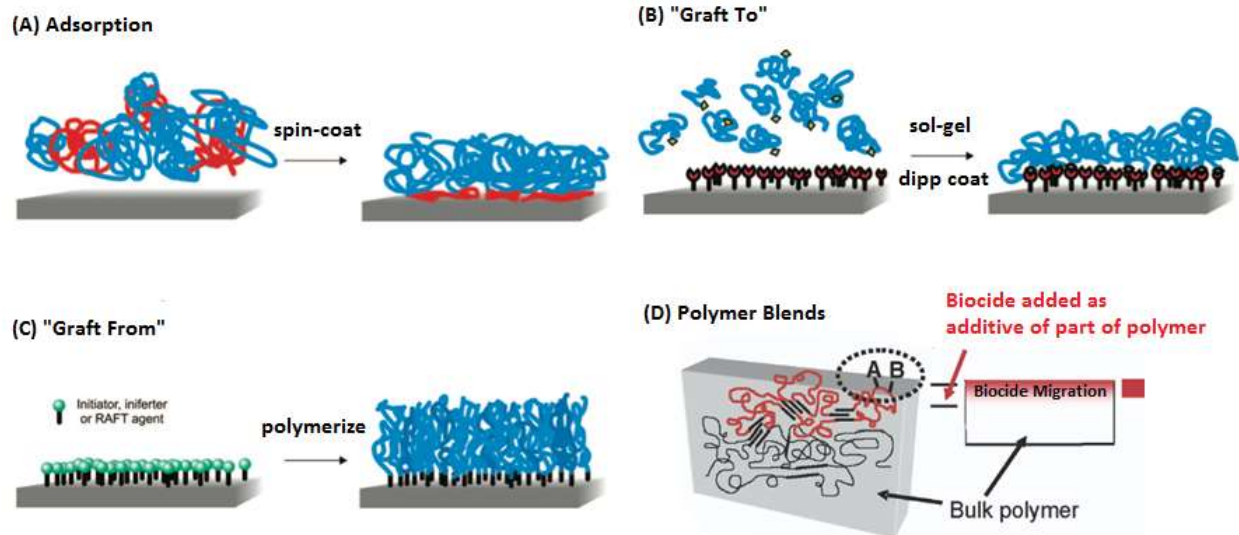


Figure 1.7: Various biocide immobilization strategies: (A) Polymeric thin film coatings are adsorbed on to the surfaces; (B) Self assembled polymers or monolayers of small molecule; (C) Surface grown biocidal polymer via (ATRP) initiator, and (D) Polymer based surfaces where biocide is either attached to monomer prior to or added during the polymerization process (adapted from ref.^{3,34}).

Table 1.7: Initiators used in “grafting from” technique for growing antimicrobial polymers.³

$\text{Anchoring Group} + \text{Br}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2 \text{ Initiator} \longrightarrow \text{Anchor}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{Polymer}$			
Substrate	Anchoring Group	Surface Grafted Initiator	Reference
PET (Film)	$\text{H}_2\text{N}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{NH}_2$	$\text{H}_2\text{N}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{NH}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2$	42
Gold coated Ti (wafer)	$\text{HS}-\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2)_9-\text{OH}$	$\text{HS}-\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2)_9-\text{O}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2$	43
Magnetite (nanoparticles)	$\text{HO}-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{OH})-\text{CH}_2-\text{OH}$	$\text{HO}-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{OH})-\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2$	16
Silicone (wafer)	$-\text{O}-\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{OH}$	$-\text{O}-\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{O}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2$	44
PP (wafer)	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{OH}$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}(\text{Br})(\text{CH}_3)_2$	45

PET = Polyethylene and PP = Polypropylene

1.5 Sulfonamides (Sulfa Drugs)

Sulfonamide based drugs were the first widely prescribed antibiotics that helped revolutionize the medical industry.⁶ Sulfonamides are synthetic agents containing a $\text{S}(\text{O})_2=\text{N}$ linkage (see Figure 1.8) which acts as antimicrobial agent.⁴⁶ The first known sulfonamide was sulfanilamide synthesized in 1908 by German chemist Paul Gelmo⁴⁷ and was later patented as the prodrug Prontosil by Bayer AG in 1909. Applications of Prontosil were not widely researched until the 1930's.⁴⁸

Around the same time Bayer AG was also investigating the use of coal-tar dyes that were able to bind and harm parasites and bacteria. In 1935, under the direction of German chemist Gerhard Domagk the group found that Prontosil was able to treat a range of streptococcal

infections.^{48,49} Studies by Trefouels *et al.*⁵⁰ found that Prontosil (**1**) was metabolized in the body to give sulfanilamide (**2**) and 1,2,4-triaminobenzene (**3**). Further examination of individual components revealed that the activity of **1** was entirely dependent on its *in vivo* reduction to **2** (see Section 1.6.2).^{49,50}

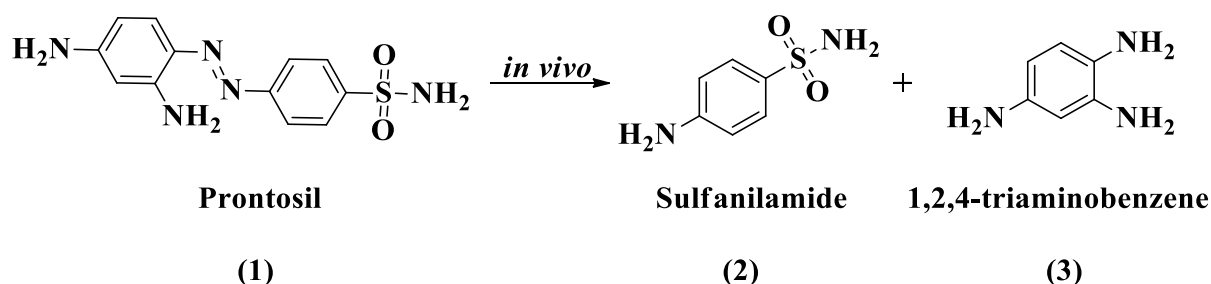


Figure 1.8: The *in vivo* conversion of Prontosil to its substituent form (adapted from ref.⁴⁹).⁵⁰

1.5.1 Sulfonamide QUAT's

For more than 100 years sulfonamide based antibiotics and QUAT based antimicrobials have been shown individually to play important roles in the control of illness and the spread of diseases. Researchers have long desired to design a compound that was bactericidal and possessed the functional properties of antibiotics. The work by Barry and Puetzer resulted in the preparation of a salt that comprised a QUAT cation and a sulfonamide radical anion, yielding a dual natured compound (Figure 1.10).⁵¹

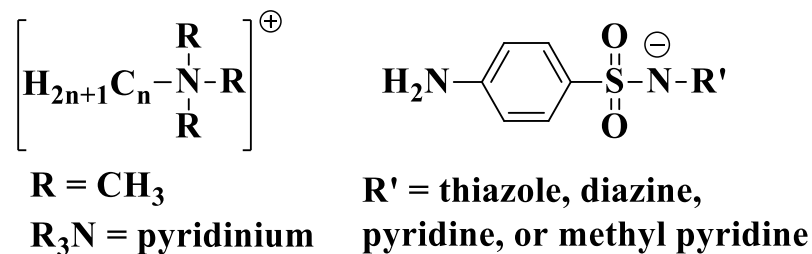
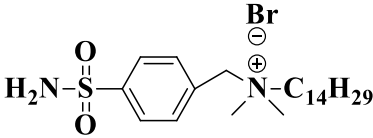
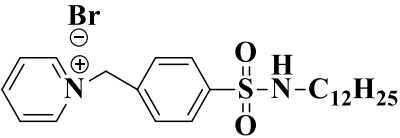
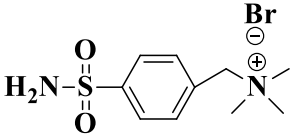
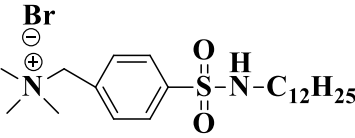
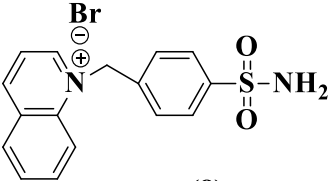
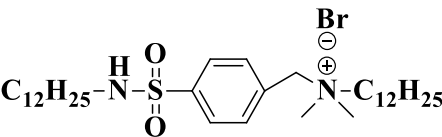
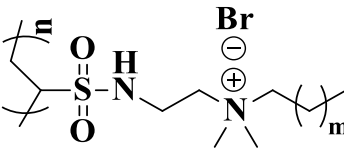


Figure 1.9: Ionic sulfonamide quaternary ammonium compound for chemotherapeutics applications.⁵¹

Barry and Puetzer's ionic sulfonamide QUAT's were found to be highly bactericidal against *E. Coli* and *S. Auereus*. Lawrence *et al.*⁵² furthered this research by synthesizing compounds **4-9** (Figure 1.10) where the QUAT and the sulfonamide moiety are within the same molecule with a halogen acting as the counter-ion. These compounds featured the benzylsulfonamide group within the backbone and standard phenolic coefficient testing of these compounds were conducted. The test indicated that compounds **4** and **5** were highly biocidal, compound **7** was moderately biocidal, and the remainder of compounds provided only bacteriostatic effect.⁵³

Substrate	Compound	Reference
Liquid Broth	 (4)	52
	 (5)	
	 (6)	
	 (7)	
	 (8)	
	 (9)	
PE	 (10)	(10a) m = 10 (10b) m = 14 54

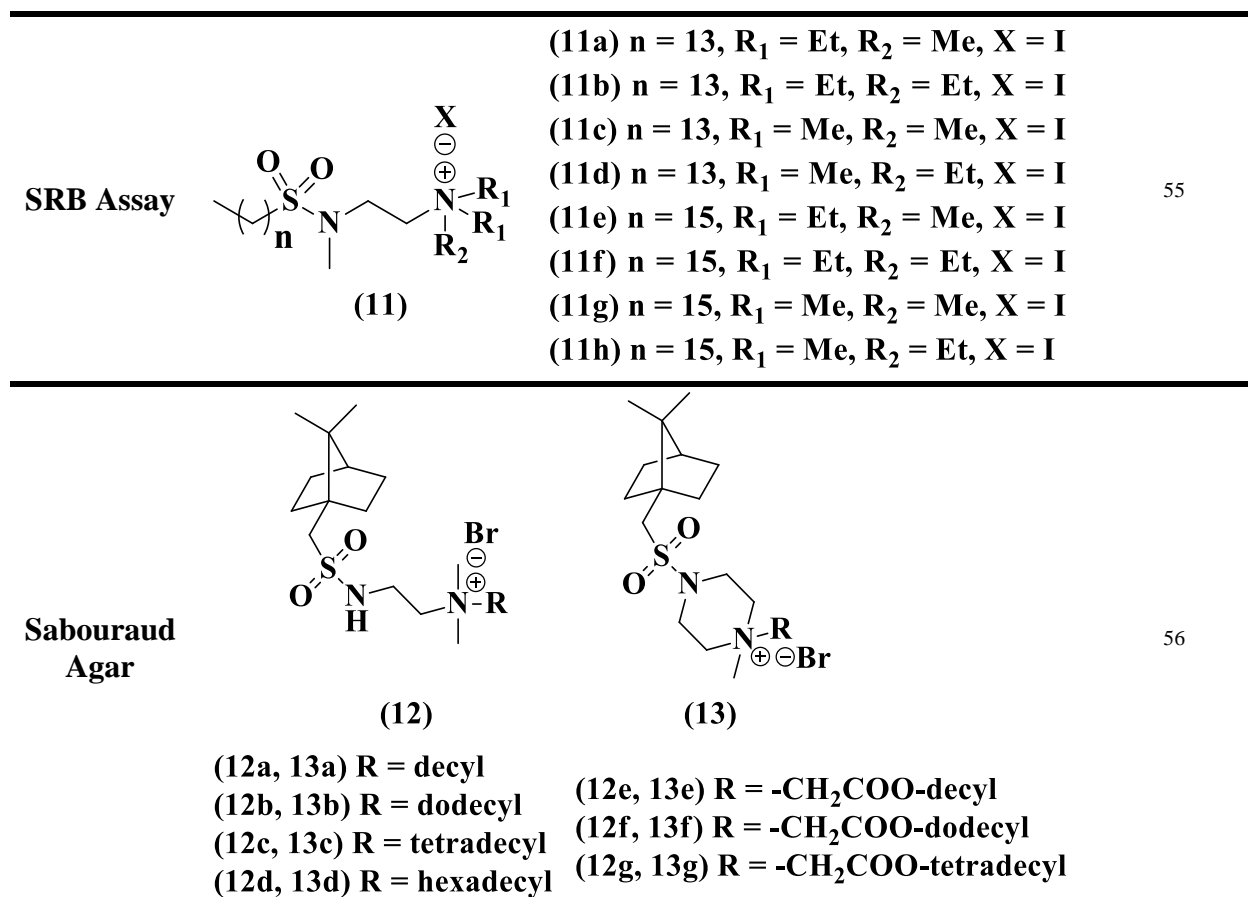


Figure 1.10: Literature examples of known sulfonamide quaternary ammonium compounds. PE = polyethylene.

Aliphatic sulfonamide QUAT's consisting of 13 – 15 hydrocarbon chain tails (**11**) were widely investigated by Song *et al.* for their use as anticancer chemotherapeutic agents.⁵⁵ On the other hand, Mikláš *et al.* developed bicyclic camphor based sulfonamide QUAT's to enhance bioactivity.⁵⁶ All of these specialty QUAT's were designed to work in liquid mediums and were not surface bound. U.S. Patent No. 5,104,649 illustrates a multistep process to develop biocide-treated polymers and surfaces such as polyvinylchloride (PVC) and polyvinylbenzylchloride (PVBC) using compound **10**, where the biocide is directly linked to the surface.⁵⁴ The surfaces were functionalized with sulfonyl group by heat and UV irradiation followed by a sequential synthetic process using an alkyl amine and alkyl bromide to obtain **10**.

1.6 Mode of Action

1.6.1 Quaternary Ammonium Compound Mode of Action

The mode of Action of QUAT's has been extensively investigated but no firm mechanism could be elucidated, hence only proposed pathways have been widely reported.⁵⁷ One of the proposed mechanisms that has been more broadly accepted is that the treated surfaces adsorb the negative net charge on microbes, causing cells to be pulled towards the cationic surface which eventually leads to the destruction of cell envelope and loss of essential cytoplasmic fluids, and finally cell death (Figure 1.11).¹⁷

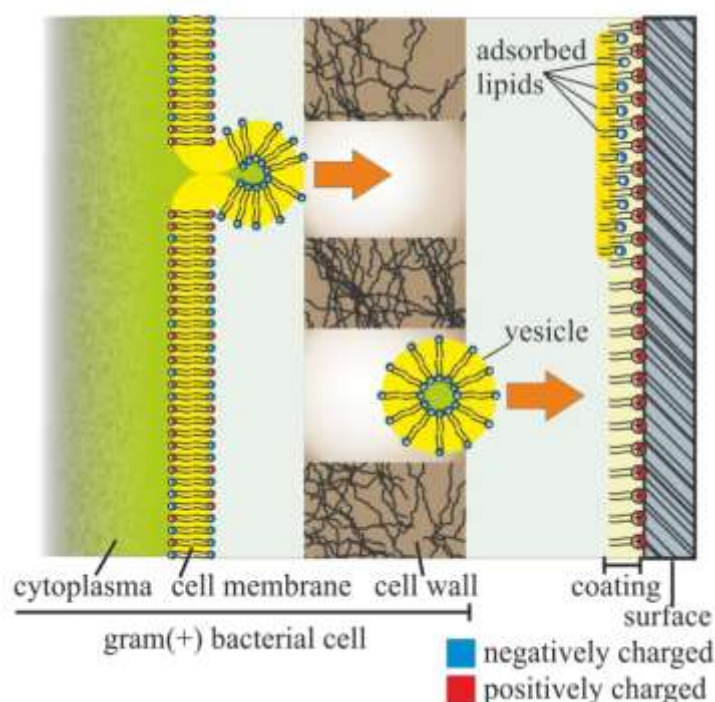


Figure 1.11: Mechanism of immobilized contact active QUAT (adapted from ref.^{3,17})

1.6.2 Sulfonamides (Sulfa Drugs)

All cells, prokaryotic and eukaryotic, require folic acid for development of individual cellular components.⁵⁸ Human beings obtain folic acid through diet and supplements whereas microorganisms acquire folic acid through a specific metabolic pathway. Microorganisms use a pteridine based precursor along with *p*-benzoic acid in presence of dihydropteroate synthatase enzyme to generate the required folic acid for its nourishment (Figure 1.12).⁵⁹

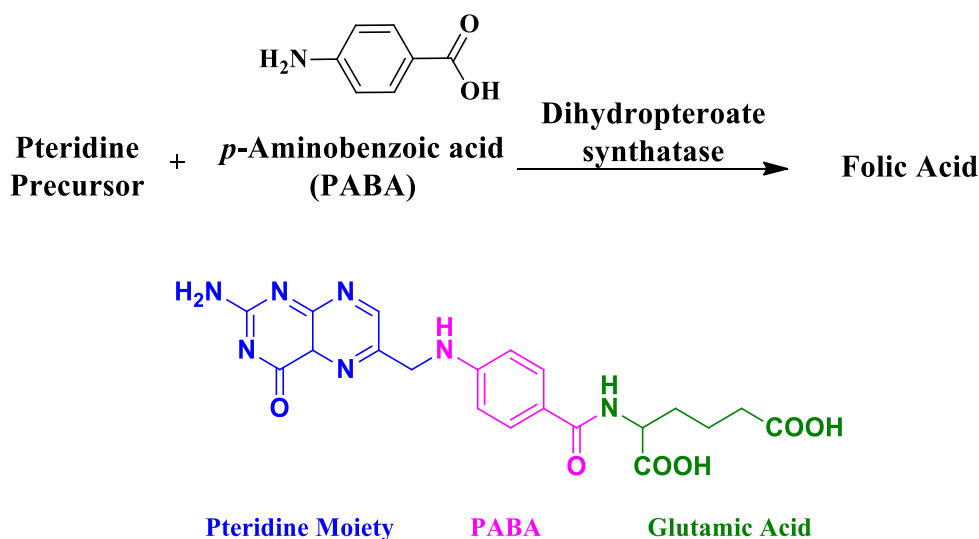


Figure 1.12: Biosynthetic pathway for folic acid in microorganisms.

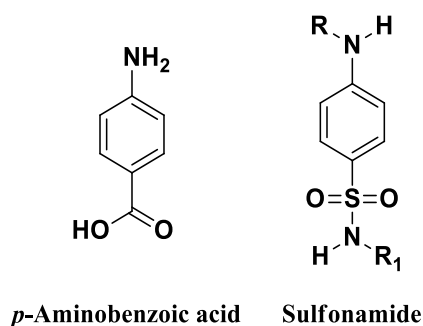


Figure 1.13: Structural analogs: *p*-aminobenzoic acid and sulfonamide.

Sulfonamides and/or sulfa drugs are analogs of *p*-aminobenzoic acid (PABA) (Figure 1.13) having two tertiary amine sites where R and R₁ can be either a hydrogen atom or a methyl group. When introduced in to the microorganism's folic acid pathway, the sulfonamide competitively inhibits

the binding of PABA molecule to form folic acid, which results in inhibiting the microorganisms growth and reproduction cycles (Figure 1.14).^{58,60,61}

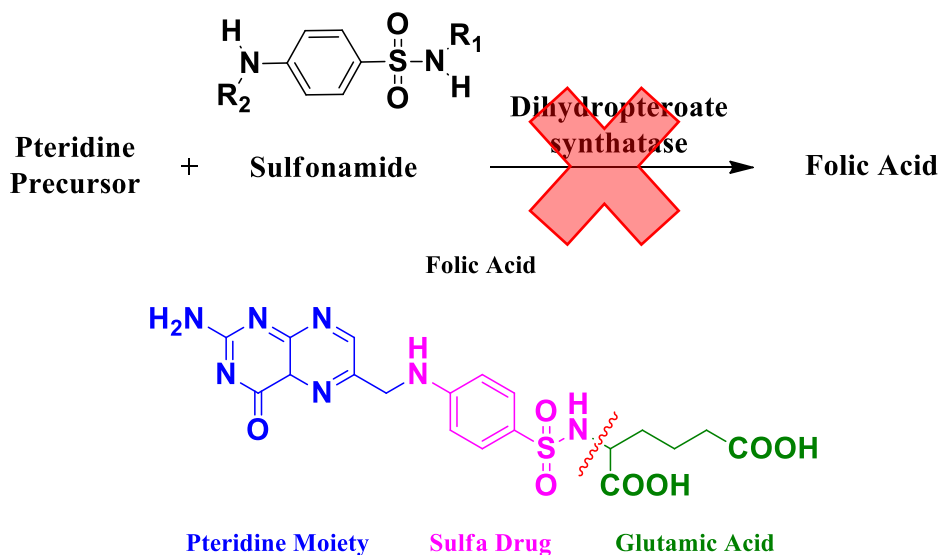


Figure 1.14: Competitive inhibition of sulfonamide for the pteridine precursor.

The absence of a similar biosynthetic pathway in mammals and its exclusiveness in pathogenic microorganisms suggests that the folate biosynthetic pathway is a natural target for antimicrobial drug development.⁵⁸

1.7 Literature Examples of Contact Active Quaternary Ammonium Antimicrobial Surfaces

1.7.1 Organosilanes (Textiles, Silica, and Glass)

Surface attached antimicrobial technology was first widely investigated in the late 1960's using alkoxysilanes and catecholamines as anchoring groups. The first surface bound contact active molecule that presented antimicrobial activity on contact was reported by Isquith *et al.* in 1972 at DOW Corning. Isquith *et al.* successfully functionalized cotton and glass samples with octadecyldimethyl(3-trimethoxysilylpropyl) ammonium chloride (Si-QUAT's) (**22**).²⁸ This work was a continuation of Abbot's work, who was the first to investigate alkoxysilane based

compounds for antimicrobial activity in solution. In solution, silane based QUAT's were observed to have very low values ($\text{cfu} \approx 0$) for minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC). As a result, it was postulated that the active Si-QUAT was being adsorbed on to the equipment walls.⁶² Further investigation demonstrated that a series of (3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyldimethyl-alkyl ammonium chlorides with chain lengths of 6 to 22 showed antimicrobial activity against gram +ve/-ve bacteria and were patented by DOW Corning (Figure Compound **14-24**).^{62,63}

Compounds			Reference
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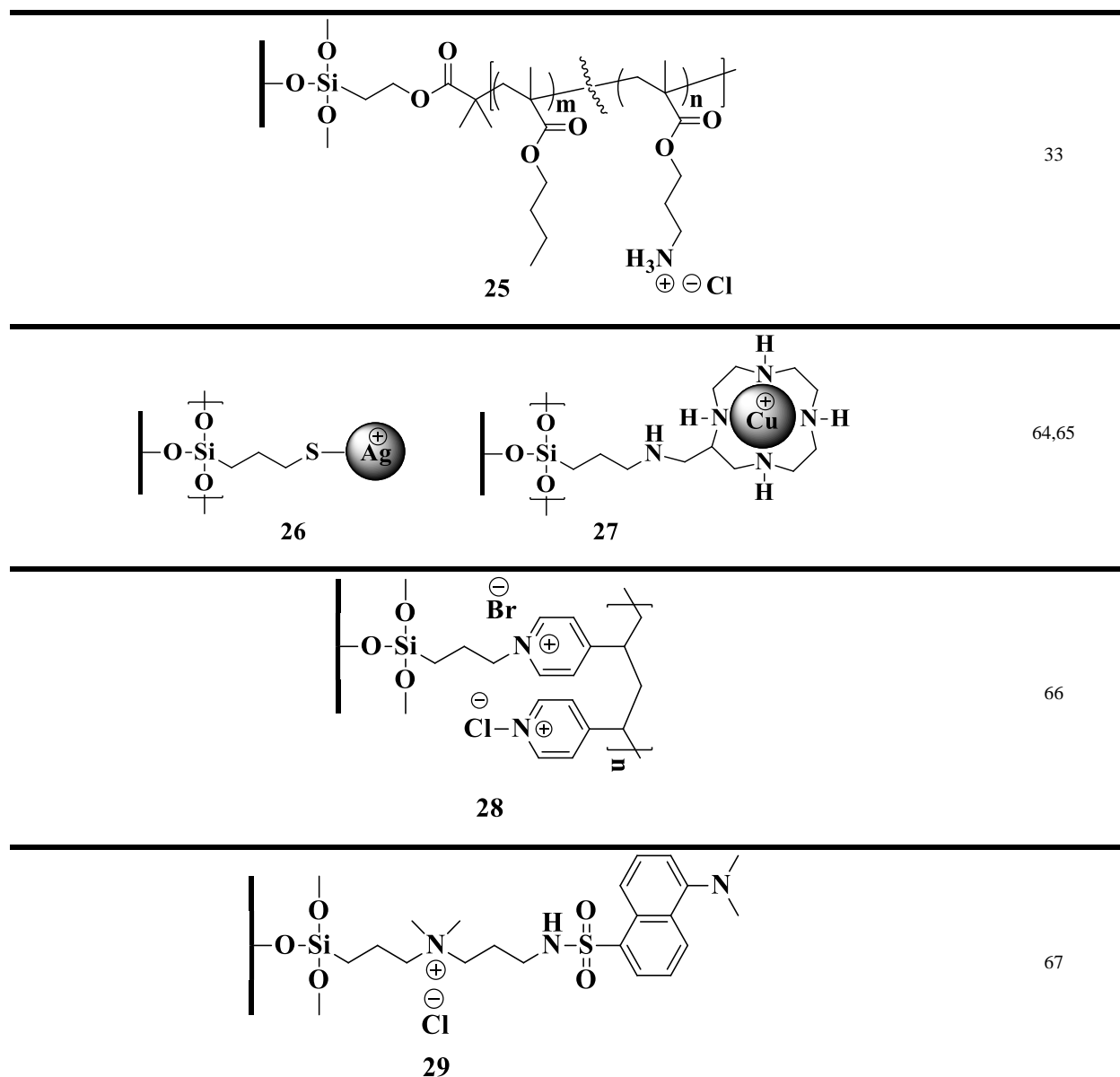


Figure 1.15: Literature examples of organosilane based antimicrobials (adapted from ref.³).

After extensive experimentation and analysis, Si-QUAT **22** was approved by the EPA in 1977 and was commercially sold as an antimicrobial finish for textiles.⁴ Si-QUAT **9** is commercially available as 40 – 72% methanolic solution or 0.75 – 5% water solution from DOW Corning® (9-6346), Microban (Liquid solution and treated textiles), Innovative Chemical Technologies (Flexipel MMP-25), Piedmont Chemical Industries (Ztrex 72, Pomofresh 42,

Pomofresh 4850, Pomofresh X 105), and SiShield (SiS 7200, SiSAM500, SiS AM150, SiS AM75).

Isquith *et.al.* were the first to apply Si-QUAT (72%) as 0.1% (w/v) solution in water on pretreated glass or cotton surfaces, followed by 30 min. annealing process at 70 °C to allow siloxane linkages to form on the pretreated substrate. However, the industrial application was limited by the rapid polymerization of the neighboring silanes in water, causing it to precipitate over time in storage or form a gel like layer on the substrate upon drying. In aqueous environments the alkoxy silanes undergo rapid hydrolyzation, followed by condensation of the neighbouring silanols, forming a polymeric linkage with the substrate (Figure 1.16). Compound **22** is commercially available as a methanol based solution which is undesirable for large scale production due to toxicity and flammability.

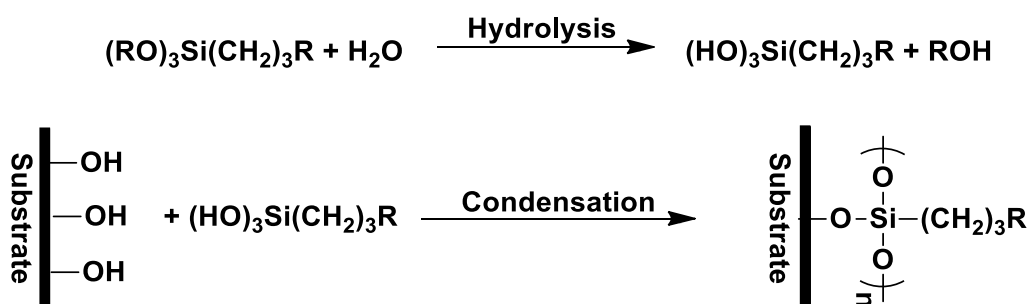


Figure 1.16: Anchoring process of alkoxy silane onto polyhydroxylated surfaces.

Organosilanes have been widely studied in literature as a treatment to polyhydroxylated substrates. Isquith *et al.* reported that immobilized Si-QUAT on natural fibers, metals and siliceous surfaces have great antimicrobial activity.⁶⁸ Other published work include surfaces such as cotton gauze, cotton textile, polyester fabrics, titanium and silica nanoparticles. These materials were treated mostly using trialkoxysilane **1**, which possessed great antimicrobial activity.

1.7.2 Organophosphorous (metals)

Robust surface modifications on metal oxide surfaces can be achieved by covalent attachment of phosphonate monolayers. Such monolayers form tenacious M-O-P bonds and allow for various surface tuning properties. Phosphonates may either be naturally occurring and isolated from plants where they are part of membranes, i.e. 2-aminoethylphosphonic acid, or synthesized for applications as corrosion inhibition/scale inhibitors, or contact killing microbiostatic coatings.⁶⁹ Commonly used organic phosphoric acids in corrosion inhibition tests include: aminotris(methylenephosphonic acid) (ATMP), ethylenediamine tetra(methylene phosphoric acid) (EDTMP) and diethylenetriamine penta(methylene phosphoric acid) (DTPMP).⁷⁰

Antimicrobial attachment via phosphonate linkers was performed by Porosa *et al.* in the Foucher group, who utilized a three step microwave procedure (Arbuzov, Menshutkin and bis-dealkylation reactions) for the synthesis of γ -phosphonic acid quaternary ammonium antimicrobials possessing great antimicrobial efficacy.⁷¹

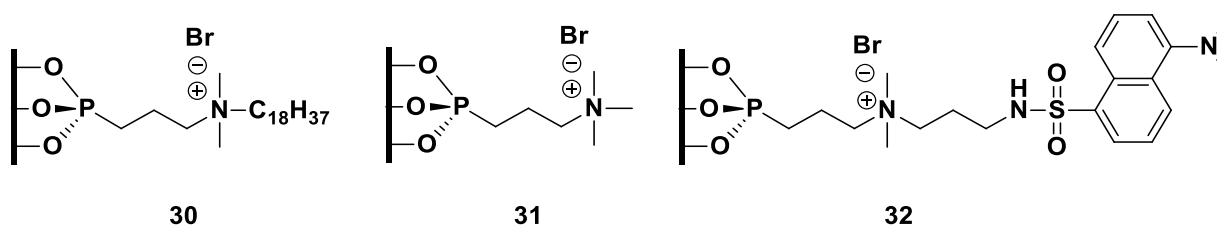


Figure 1.17: Literature examples of organophosphorus QUAT's made in the Foucher lab.^{3,71}

1.7.3 Benzophenone (plastics)

Plastic-based products have been well integrated in to various industries; specifically, the medical and food industries where plastic serves as an essential packaging material. However, plastic surfaces are prone to biofilm colonization.⁷² Unlike the organosilane and organophosphorous coatings that require hydroxylated surfaces, plastics lack the initiation/anchoring site for coating purposes. Recent studies have shown that when exposed to UV light benzophenone forms a di-radical which acts as a cross-linker for coating plastic surfaces. The di-radical benzophenone group abstracts a hydrogen atom from the polymeric surface (C – H) forming a strong (C – C) bond (Figure 1.18).⁷³

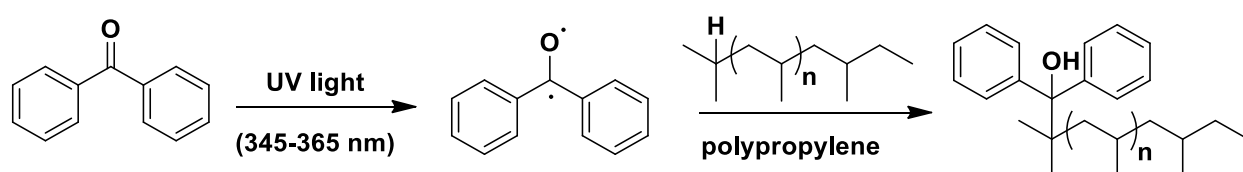


Figure 1.18: Benzophenone “grafted from” the surface of polypropylene upon UV irradiation.⁷³

Dhende *et al.* were the first to report covalent attachment of quaternized polyethyleneimine (PEI) polymer on various surfaces (Figure 1.19).⁷⁴ The Foucher group recently reported successful synthesis of a benzophenone functionalized QUAT comprising a C₁₈ carbon chain and/or Dansyl fluorescent tag (Figure 1.19, Compounds **34** and **35**) which were coated on different surfaces (PP, PVC, and silicone tubing) exhibiting a complete reduction of *E.coli* and *S. aureus*.

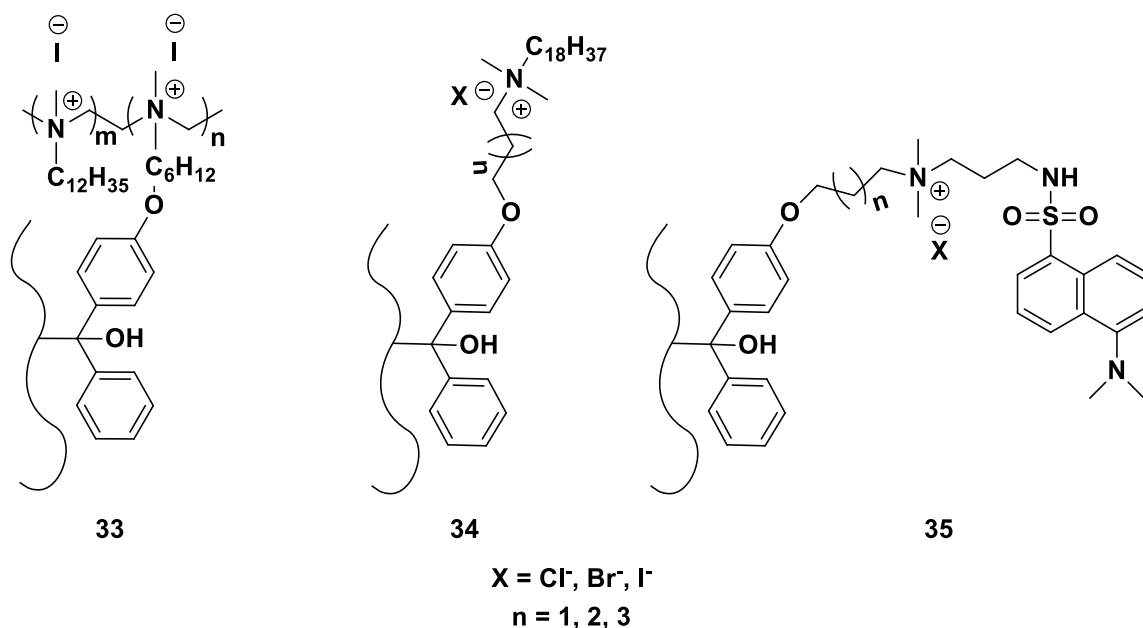


Figure 1.19: Literature examples of benzophenones used to prepare antimicrobial plastic surfaces. (33)⁷⁴, (34)⁷⁵ and (35)⁶⁷

1.8 QUAT Detection on Surfaces

With the widespread application of QUAT's as disinfectants and sanitizers in various environments (households, hospital, food production, water processing, and public institutions), it is essential to quantify/assay the presence of residual QUAT's for safety and environmental risks that may arise. Over the years, various titration, colorimetric and LC – GC spectrum methods using dyes have been employed to quantify the amount of QUAT present in consumer products and waste water.⁷⁶ The most commonly used qualitative method involves a water soluble bromophenol blue dye that binds to the QUAT through ionic interactions (Figure 1.20) allowing for visual conformation of a QUAT molecule bound to porous (fabrics) and non-porous surfaces (plastics, and glass).⁷⁷

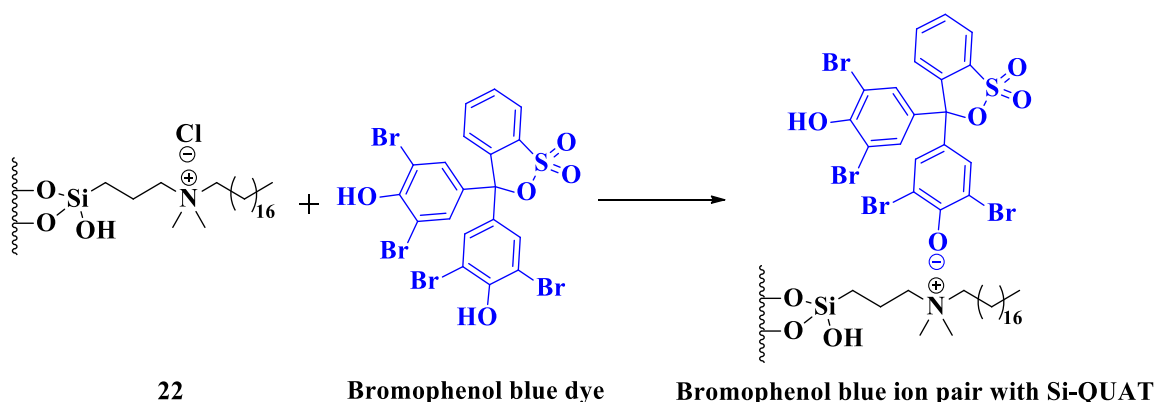
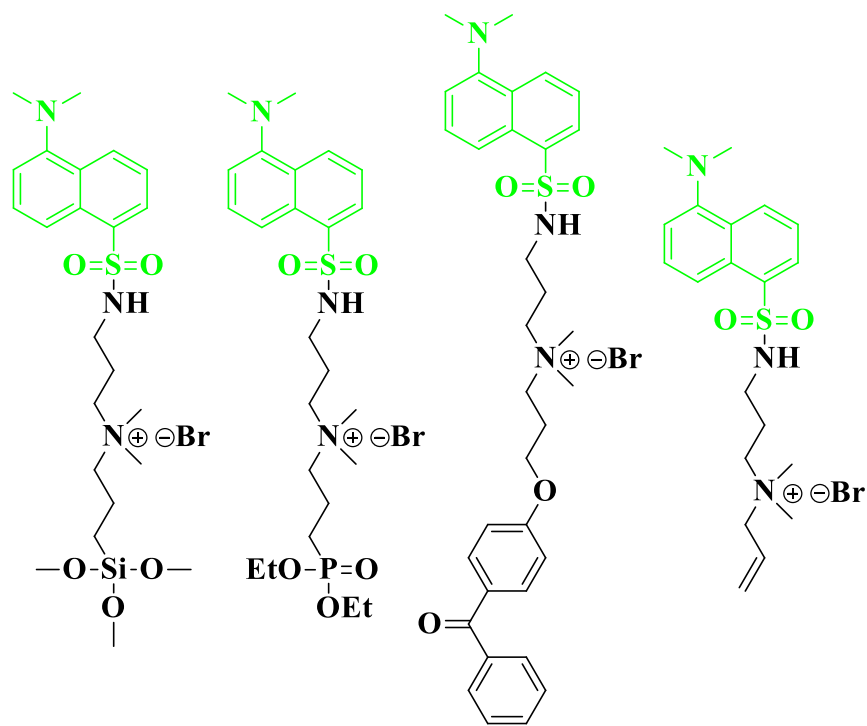


Figure 1.20: Bromophenol blue ion pair formation with silyl based QUAT (adapted from ref.³).

The bromophenol blue dye complexes with the surface bound QUAT resulting in a blue stain. Once complexed, the material is permanently stained, damaged and unusable. An alternative to the bromophenol blue detection method is fluorescent incorporation; once treated, the surfaces containing a small amount of an attachable fluorophore would fluoresce (glow) upon exposure to a low intensity/power UV lamp. The fluorescent detection method allows for easy visibility of poorly coated areas as well as missed areas during the application process. Fluorescent detection could be implied as unique identifier and as security feature for treated surfaces when added in trace amounts to an antimicrobial solution. Previously, the Foucher group demonstrated the use of fluorescent detection by incorporating dansyl moiety/tags into the structures of organosilanes¹⁶, phosphonates¹⁶, benzophenones⁷⁵, and vinyl⁷⁸ functionalities (Figure 1.21).⁶⁷



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Figure 1.21: Linkers with the fluorescent dansyl tag previously synthesized in the Foucher lab (adapted from ref.³).^{16,67,75,78}

1.9 Research Goals

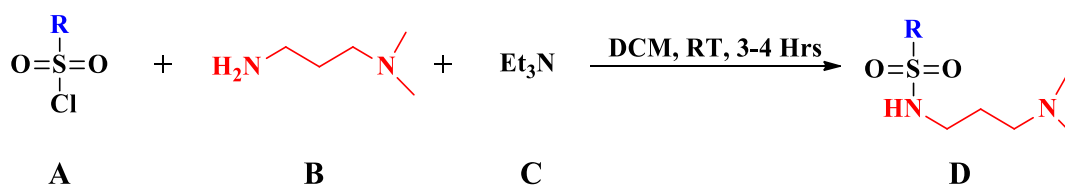
The aim of this thesis project was to develop new generation of QUAT's that are more water soluble and relatively safe in comparison to commercially available products which are sold as methanolic solutions. Another aspect of this project was to combine the already known sulfonamide chemistry with the modern chemistry of QUAT's to provide enhanced antimicrobial activity. This project involves synthesis and characterization of sulfonamide based QUAT's that are water soluble and can attach to any designed surface.

2.0 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

2.1 Synthesis and Characterization

2.1.1 Sulfonamide Synthesis

A series of sulfonamide derivatives **1** – **9** (aromatic **1D** – **5D**, aliphatic **6D** – **9D**) were prepared using **Method 5.2.1a** and **Method 5.2.1b** respectively (Scheme 2.1 and 2.2) as precursors for Menshutkin Quaternization reactions with various linking functionalities. These compounds are commercially available (although rather expensive), with the synthetic summary, commercial source and pricing tabulated below (Table 2.1 and 2.2).



Scheme 2.1: General reaction for aromatic sulfonamides.

Compound	Sulfonyl Chloride (R)	Reagents (A:B:C)	Time (hrs.)	Yield (%)	Pricing	Commercial Source
1		1:1.5:1.5	4	98	\$25.50/1 mg	LabNetwork Compounds
2		1:1.5:1.5	4	96	\$105/5 mg	TimTec Building Blocks and Screening Compounds
3		1:1.5:1.5	3	99	\$40/1 mg	ChemBridge Screening Library

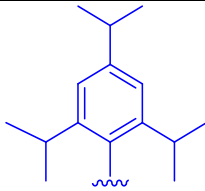
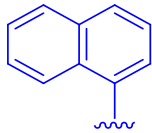
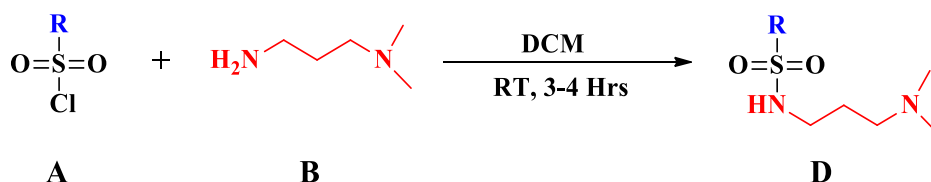
4		1:1.5:1.5	3	97	\$45/5 mg	Zelinsky Institute Inc. HTS Stock Compounds
5		1:1.5:1.5	3	95	Screening amounts	Otava Stock Chemicals

Table 2.1: Summary and commercial pricing of aromatic sulfonamide precursors.

Sulfonamides have been widely studied since the late 20th century. Compound **2D** was previously synthesized by Rosatelli *et al.* in a single step process using a flow mesoreactor equipped with two-loop injection system, solvent pumps, a reactor, a back pressure regulator, UV detector and a fraction collector. The synthesis was carried out using acetone and water as solvents and PEG 400 as co-solvent in 1:2:1 ratio (v/v/v). The reagents were injected into the loop, and collected as crude mixtures followed by quenching with 3N HCl and Et₂O extraction workup to obtain a pure product in 91% yield.^{79,80} While the Rosatelli *et al.* synthetic process is rather intricate, by comparison, the current research provides a simpler approach for the synthesis and recovery of the sulfonamide derivatives. Compounds **1D** – **5D** were initially synthesized as shown in Scheme 2.1, followed by a K₂CO₃ (1N) wash to yield viscous oils as products. Several later synthetic attempts have shown that washing the reaction mixture with only distilled water results in a similar yields and recovered as viscous oil that readily solidify over time (2 – 3 days) or under high vacuum (4 – 12 hrs.). These sulfonamides were later isolated as a waxy solid product upon addition of hexanes 10% (v/v) to the extracted organic phase and drying over high vacuum (5 – 15 min.).

The synthesis of **1D** was initially described in patent DE 2744137 A1, but lacked any characterization detail.⁸¹ Similarly, compounds **3D** – **5D** are commercially available but there is

no known published processes or characterization data available. In this work, compounds **1D** – **5D** were obtained in high yields (>90%) and high purity based on NMR (¹H and ¹³C) spectroscopy and mass spectrometry.



Scheme 2.2: General reaction for aliphatic sulfonamides.





Compound	Sulfonyl Chloride (R)	Reagents (A:B)	Time (hrs.)	Yield (%)	Pricing	Commercial Source
6		1:1.5	4	65	\$105/5 mg	TimTec Building Blocks and Screening Compounds
7		1:1.5	4	61	EUR 459/ 1 g	UORSY Building Blocks Library
8		1:1.5	4	81	-	AKos Out of Stock Catalog
9		1:1.5	4	80	-	-

Table 2. 2: Summary and commercial pricing of aliphatic sulfonamide precursors.

Compounds (**6D** – **9D**) were synthesized according to **Scheme 2.1** and **Method 5.2.1a**, and formed a salt upon addition of Et₃N or diamine **B** to the reaction, and following washes with K₂CO₃ (1N) resulted in only very low yield (<5%). In later attempts, Et₃N was eliminated from reaction, and the addition of reagents **A** and **B** was reversed and the workup was conducted with K₂CO₃ (0.05M) resulting yielding the desired product as clear to pale yellow coloured viscous oil. For compounds **6D** – **9D** there is no published processes or characterization data currently available, however **6D** and **7D** are commercially available.

2.1.1.1 Characterization of Aromatic Sulfonamide Precursors

The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra of the aromatic sulfonamides **1D** – **5D** were collected and peak assignments made using 2D HSQC and COSY NMR experiments. Analysis for **1D** will serve as a template for compounds **2D** – **5D**.

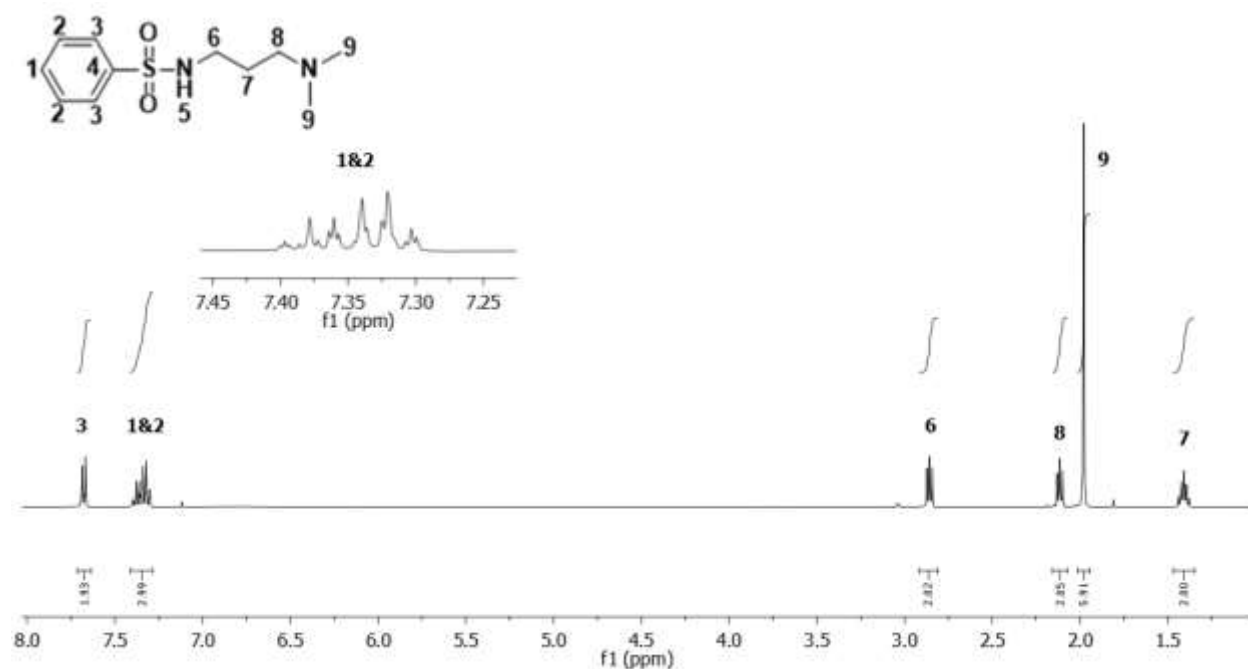


Figure 2.1: ^1H NMR (CDCl_3) of **1D**.

In the ^1H NMR of **1D** (Figure 2.1), the doublet at 7.68 ppm integrates for two hydrogens (H3) and corresponds to the hydrogen on the *ortho*-carbons from the sulfonyl group, followed by an overlap of peaks for hydrogens (H1 & H2) corresponding to the *meta* and *para* positions respectively. The singlet at 1.98 ppm (H9) integrating for six hydrogens corresponds to the methyl groups attached to nitrogen. The downfield triplet at 2.86 ppm integrates for two hydrogens has coupling ($^3J_{\text{H6-H7}} = 5.8 \text{ Hz}$) to the upfield multiplet is the methylene group bound to the amide of sulfonyl group. The second triplet signal at 2.11 ppm (H8) also couples to the upfield multiplet indicating that it is the methylene group bound to the nitrogen atom with dimethyl substitution and hence the multiplet (H7) corresponds to intermediary methylene group.

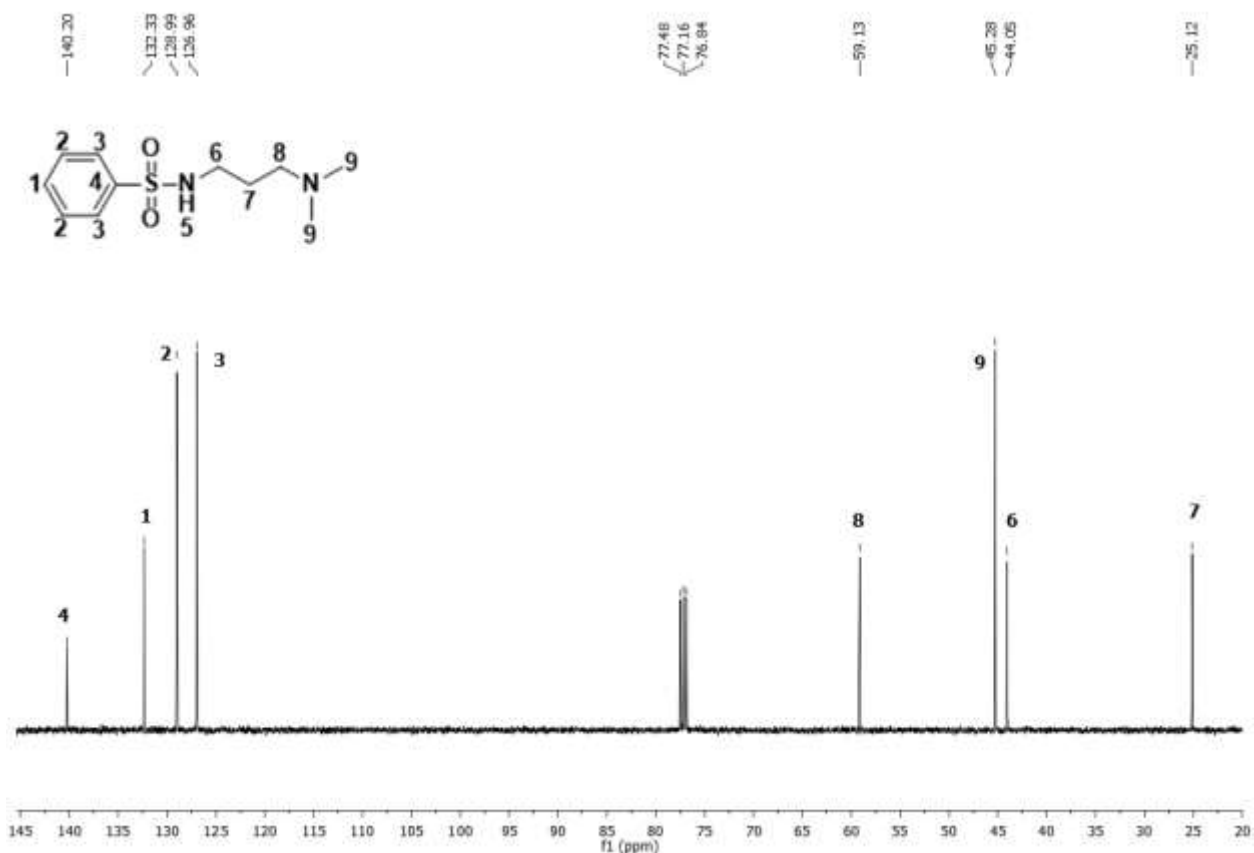


Figure 2.2: ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3) of **1D**.

The ^{13}C NMR assignments were made in conjunction with 2D HSQC NMR (Appendix Figure A4), where the peaks from 140.20 – 132.33 ppm (C1-C4) were attributed to the aromatic ring. The furthest downfield resonance at 140.20 (C4) ppm was identified as the *ipso* carbon bound to the sulfonyl group due to the absence of coupling in 2D HSQC NMR spectrum. The peak at 45.28 ppm (C9) was attributed to the methyl groups of the tertiary amine whereas the peaks at $\delta = 59.13$, 44.05, 25.12 ppm (C6-C8) were attributed to the propylene carbons between the two nitrogen centers. For compounds **2D** – **5D**, the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR are differentiated from **1D** based on the substitution on the aromatic ring (**2D** – **4D**) and the different substituent on the sulfonyl group (**5D**).

2.1.1.2 Characterization of Aliphatic Sulfonamide Precursors

The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra of aliphatic sulfonamide **6D** – **9D** were collected and peak assignments were made using 2D HSQC and COSY NMR experiments. The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectrums of **6D** – **9D** have a similar trend to aromatic sulfonamides (**1D**-**5D**) for the *N,N*-dimethylpropylamine end bound to the sulfonyl group (Figure 2.3). The ^1H NMR of **9D** was similar to that of **6D** with the absence of a methyl peak at 2.91 ppm (H1, **6D**) and the presence of additional singlet peak at 2.75 ppm (H1, **9D**). Similar patterns were observed for the ^{13}C NMR spectra of **6D**–**9D**.

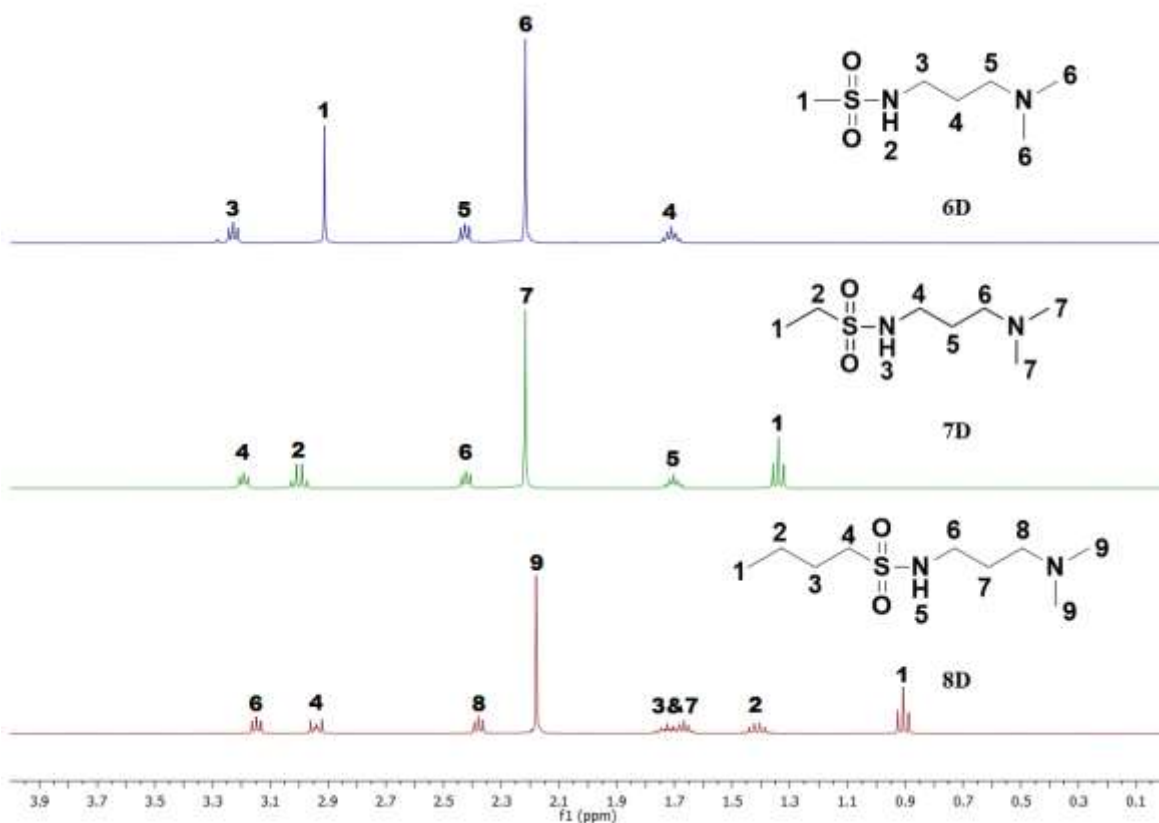
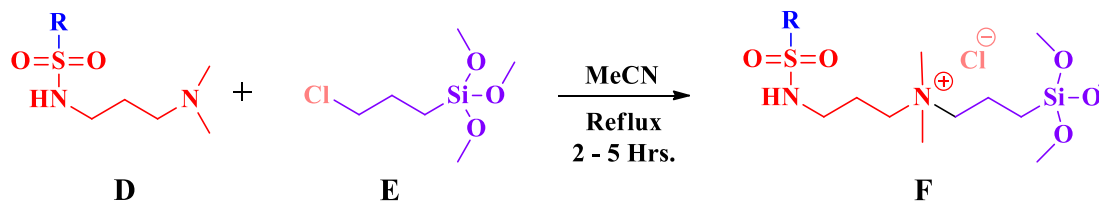


Figure 2.3: ^1H NMR (CDCl₃) comparison of **6D** – **8D**.

2.1.2 Organosilane Functionalized Quaternary Ammonium Sulfonamide Antimicrobial



Scheme 2.3: General Reaction for Organosilane Functionalized QUAT's

Compound (D)	Reagents (D:E)	Time (hrs.)	Yield (%)	²⁹ Si NMR δ (ppm)
1	1:1.5	4	82	- 44.49
2	1:1.5	3.5	97	- 44.43
3	1:1.5	4.5	93	- 44.70
4	1:1.5	3 – 5	-	-
5	1:1.5	5	80	- 44.50
6	1:1.5	2 – 5	-	-
7	1:1.5	5	86	- 44.45
8	1:1.5	5	60	- 44.50
9	1:1.5	3 – 4.5	-	-

Table 2.3: Synthesis summary of organosilane functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's.

Organosilane functionalized QUAT's have been widely investigated for their antimicrobial properties (**14** – **29**, Figure 1.15). Porosa *et al.* were the first to prepare a sulfonamide based organosilane QUAT (**29**), wherein the substituent of the sulfonyl group served as a fluorescent detector/indicator.⁶⁷ Other than **29**, there is no published literature on sulfonamide based QUAT's possessing a terminal binding group. Compounds **1F** – **9F** were synthesized according to **Scheme 2.3** to yield the desired products as clear pale brown to pale yellow coloured gummy/viscous oils in moderate to high yields (60 – 97%) (Table 2.3). The purity of these compounds was confirmed based on the mass spectrometry, ¹H, ¹³C, and ²⁹Si NMR experiments. ²⁹Si NMR signal of **E** (-46.56 ppm) was used as a reference to confirm formation of **1F** – **9F**; a downfield shift of ~ 2 ppm was seen for the synthesized products (Figure 2.4 and Table 2.3).

Several attempts to synthesize compounds **4F**, **6F**, and **9F** were made; **4F** could not be isolated employing **Method 5.2.2**, whereas as the synthesis of **5F** and **9F** was unsuccessful based on the absence of a distinguishable ^{29}Si NMR resonance or the presence of the expected resonances in the respective ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra. Initially the synthesis of **1F** – **9F** was conducted using published methods by Porosa *et al.* uses conventional thermal methods which took up to 48 hours and resulted either a moderate yield (< 60%) or in no product formation. Attempts to prepare these products by microwave processing failed. In this research it was established that the use of a minimum amount of solvent (anhydrous ACN) allowed the reactions to proceed towards completion in less time than conventional Menshutkin reactions.

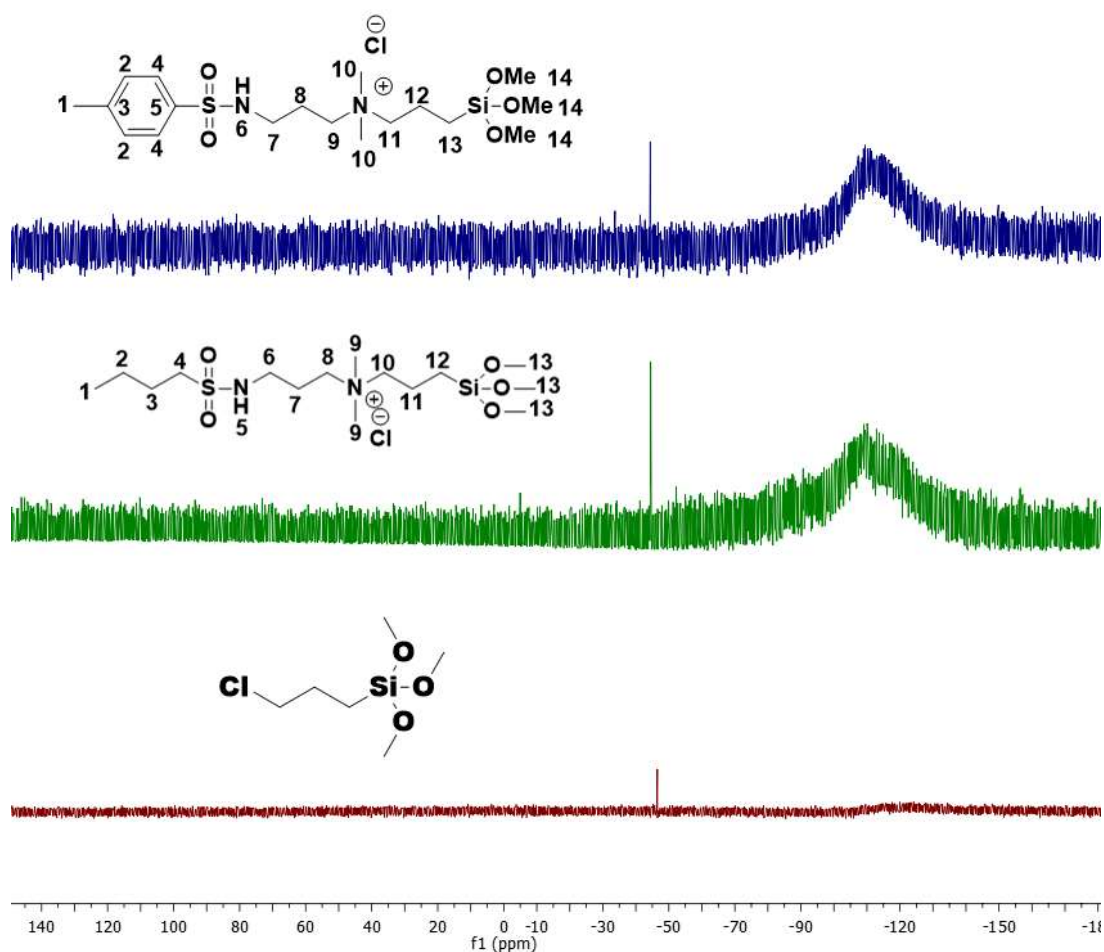


Figure 2.4: ^{29}Si NMR (CDCl_3) comparison of **2F**, **8F**, and the starting material.

2.1.2.1 Characterization of Organosilane Functionalized Sulfonamide QUAT's

The ^1H , ^{13}C and ^{29}Si NMR spectra of the organosilane functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **1F** – **9F** were collected and peak assignments were made using 2D HSQC and COSY NMR experiments. Analysis for **1F** will serve as a template for compounds **2F** – **9F**.

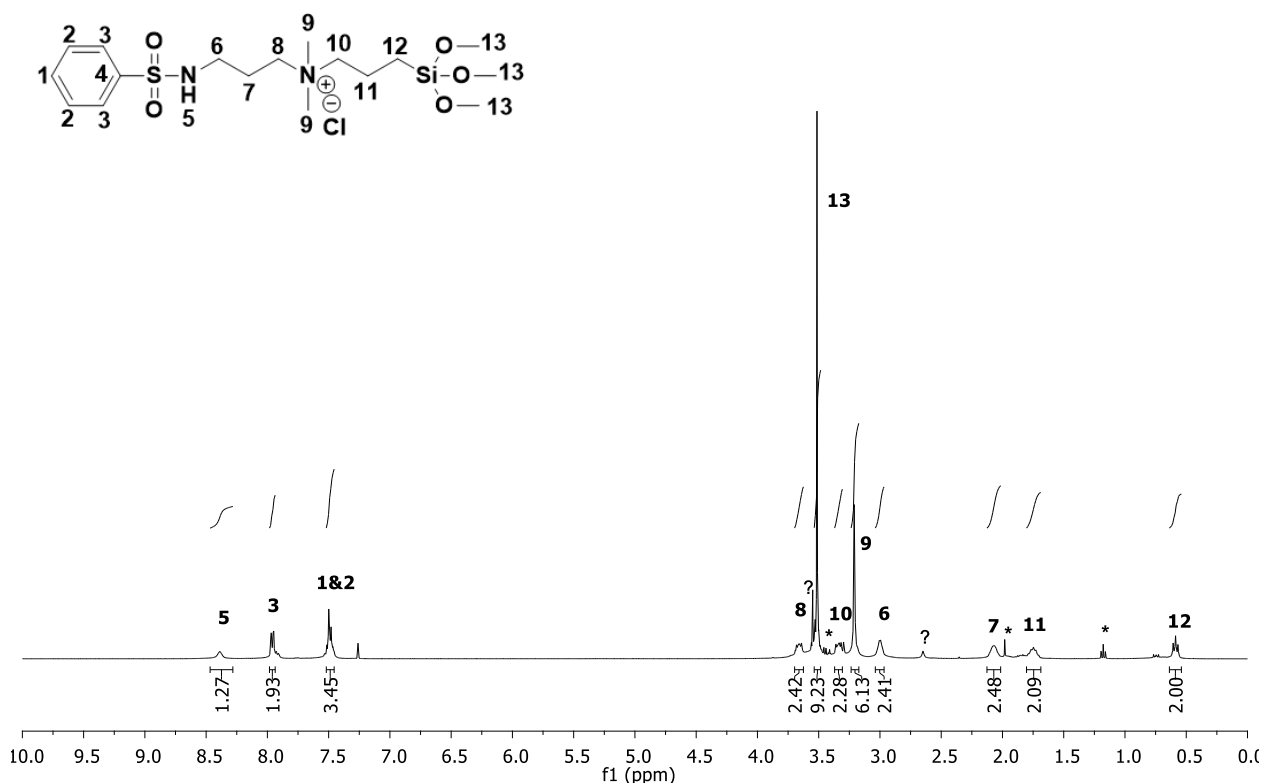


Figure 2.5: ^1H NMR (CDCl_3) of **1F**.

In the ^1H NMR of **1F** (Figure 2.5), the peak at 7.96 ppm (H3) and multiplet from 7.54 -7.34 ppm (H1 and H2) were attributed to that of the phenyl moiety bound to the sulfonamide group as was observed in ^1H NMR of **1D**. The upfield triplet at 0.59 ppm (H12) integrating for two hydrogens corresponds to the methylene group directly bound to the silane functional group. The broad singlet at 1.75 ppm (H11) integrating for two hydrogens corresponds to the hydrogens of β -methylene group from the silane group and the multiplet at 3.66 ppm (H8) corresponds to hydrogens bound to methylene group bound to QUAT as established by 2D COSY NMR. The upfield broad singlet

at 8.39 ppm (H5) integrating for one hydrogen corresponds to the hydrogen of the amide bound to the sulfonyl group. The singlet at 3.51 ppm (H13) integrating for nine hydrogens corresponds to the hydrogens of the methoxy group directly bound to silane group, whereas the singlet at 3.21 ppm (H9) integrating for six hydrogens belongs to the two methyl groups bound to the quaternized amine. The broad singlet at 3.01 ppm (H6) couples with the amide proton (H5) and integrates for two hydrogens and corresponds to the methylene group bound to sulfonamide whereas assignments for H7, H8, and H10 were assigned based on observed coupling in 2D COSY NMR. The peaks at 3.45 ppm, 1.98 ppm and 1.18 corresponds to trace solvents ACN and Et₂O (*), and one other unassigned unknown impurities.

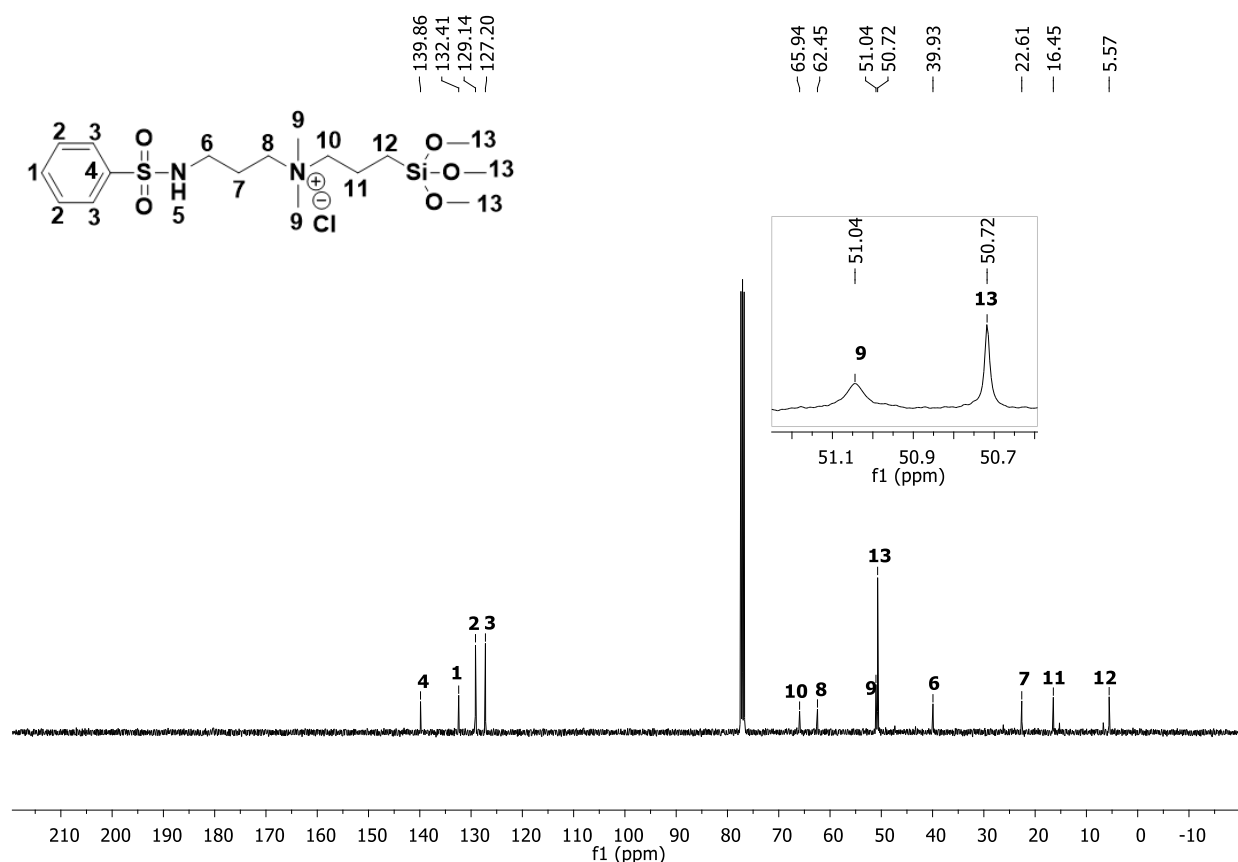
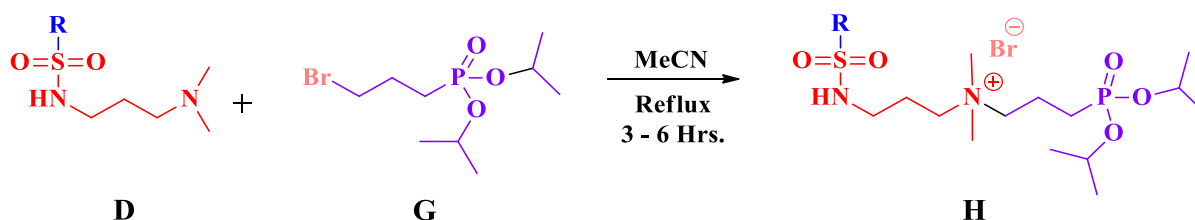


Figure 2.6: ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of **1F**.

The ^{13}C NMR assignments were made in conjunction with 2D HSQC NMR (Appendix Figure A49), where the aromatic resonance for the phenyl moiety bound to the sulfonamide are similar to **1D**. The peaks at 65.94 ppm (C10) and 62.45 ppm (C8) belong to the methylene carbons bound to the central QUAT amine, whereas the downfield peak at 5.57 ppm (C12) corresponds to the carbon bound directly to the silane functionality. The peaks at 51.04 ppm (C9) and 50.72 ppm (C13) corresponds to the methyl groups on QUAT and the methoxy carbons bound to silane respectively. The methylene carbon bound to amide group was observed at 39.93 ppm (C6), similar to chemical shifts for similar compounds found in the literature.⁶⁷ Peak assignments for C7 and C11 were made based on the 2D HSQC NMR experiment. For compounds **2F**, **3F**, **5F**, **7F** and **8F**, the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR are differentiated from **1F** based on the substitution of the aromatic ring (**2F**, **3F**, and **5F**) and the different substituent on the sulfonyl group (**7F** and **8F**).

2.1.3 Organophosphorous Functionalized Quaternary Ammonium Antimicrobials



Scheme 2.4: General Reaction for Organophosphorus Functionalized QUAT's.

Compound (D)	Reagents (D:G)	Time (hrs.)	Yield (%)	^{31}P NMR δ (ppm)
1	1:1	4	68	27.08
2	1:1	3	89.5	27.15
3	1:1	4	70.5	27.13
4	1:1	4 - 6	-	-
5	1:1	5.5	77.5	27.19
6	1:1	3 - 5	-	-
7	1:1	5	86	27.05
8	1:1	3	82	27.22
9	1:1	3	91.7	27.27

Table 2.4: Synthesis summary of organophosphorus functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's.

Compounds **1H** – **9H** were synthesized according to **Scheme 2.6** employing **Method 5.2.2**. Initial attempts using conventional method (reflux for 48 hrs.) and reagents **D:G** in ratio 1:1.5 resulted in mixed product formation based on multiple ^{31}P NMR peaks. Later attempts using reagents **D:G** in 1:1 ratio and minimum solvent resulted in white/pale yellow coloured gummy powder in moderate to high yields of product. The products were recovered in high purity based on mass spectrometry, as well as ^{31}P , ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectrometry (Table 2.4). Product **4H** could not be isolated employing **Method 5.2.2**, whereas synthesis of **6H** was unsuccessful based on analysis by ^{31}P NMR spectroscopy.

2.1.3.1 Characterization of Organophosphorous Functionalized Sulfonamide QUAT's

The ^1H , ^{13}C and ^{31}P NMR spectra of the organophosphorous functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **1H** – **9H** were collected and peak assignments were made using 2D HSQC and COSY NMR experiments. Analysis for **1H** will serve as a template for compounds **2H** – **9H**.

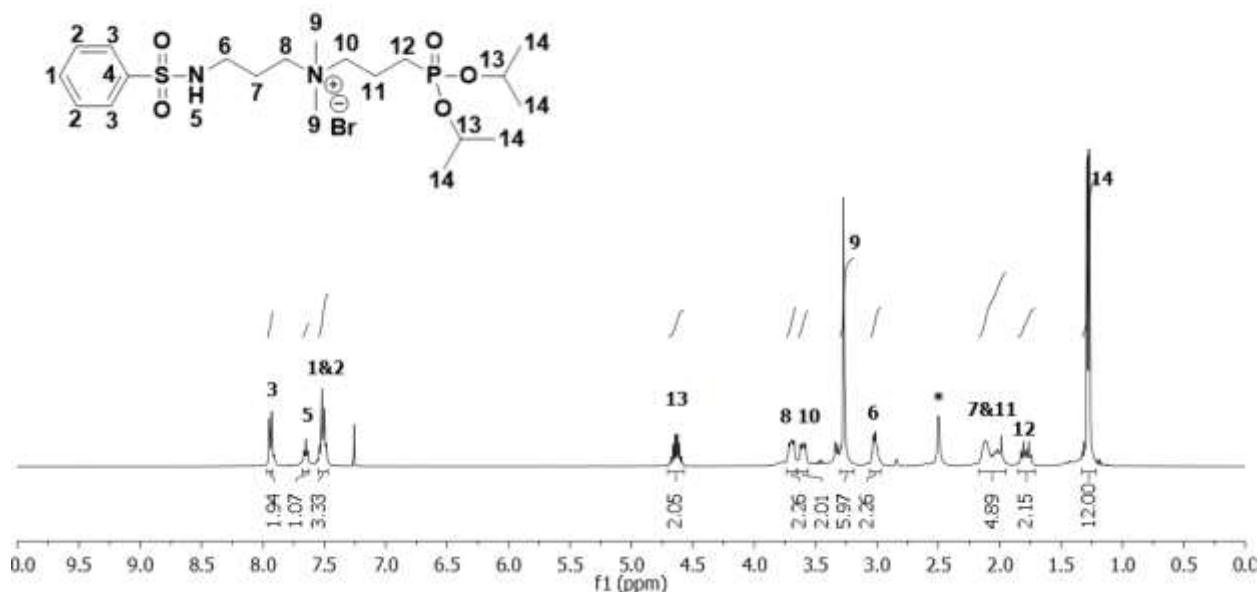


Figure 2.7: ^1H NMR (CDCl₃) of **1H**.

In the ^1H NMR of **1H** (Figure 2.7), the shifts in aromatic region were similar to that of precursor **1D** and organosilane **1F**. The triplet at 7.65 ppm (H5) integrates for one hydrogen and corresponds to the amide hydrogen, which couples with the methylene hydrogens (H6) of the carbon bound to the amide group with a coupling constant of $^3J_{5-6} = 5.9$ Hz. The signal at 1.79 ppm (H12) displays a splitting of doublets of triplets integrating for two hydrogens are of methylene group directly bound to the phosphorous group with coupling constant of $^1J_{12-P} = 17.7$ Hz. The downfield peak at 1.28 ppm (H14) integrating for twelve hydrogens corresponds to the terminal methyl hydrogens of the isopropyl group, which gives rise to a doublet of doublets with a splitting due to far range coupling of $^3J_{14-P} = 6.2$ Hz with phosphorous through the oxygen bond. The multiplet at 4.63 ppm (H13) integrating for two hydrogens displays coupling with the resonance for H14, corresponding to the hydrogen on the central carbons of the terminal isopropyl groups bound to oxygen. The singlet at 3.27 ppm corresponds to the methyl groups bound to the QUAT amine, whereas the multiplet from 2.16 – 1.94 ppm (H7, H11, and ACN) is the overlap of peaks corresponding to the hydrogens bound to β -carbons on both sides of the central QUAT. The multiplets at 3.70 ppm (H8) and 3.60 ppm (H10) were assigned to the methylene hydrogens on the α -carbons alongside the central QUAT based on coupling observed in 2D COSY NMR.

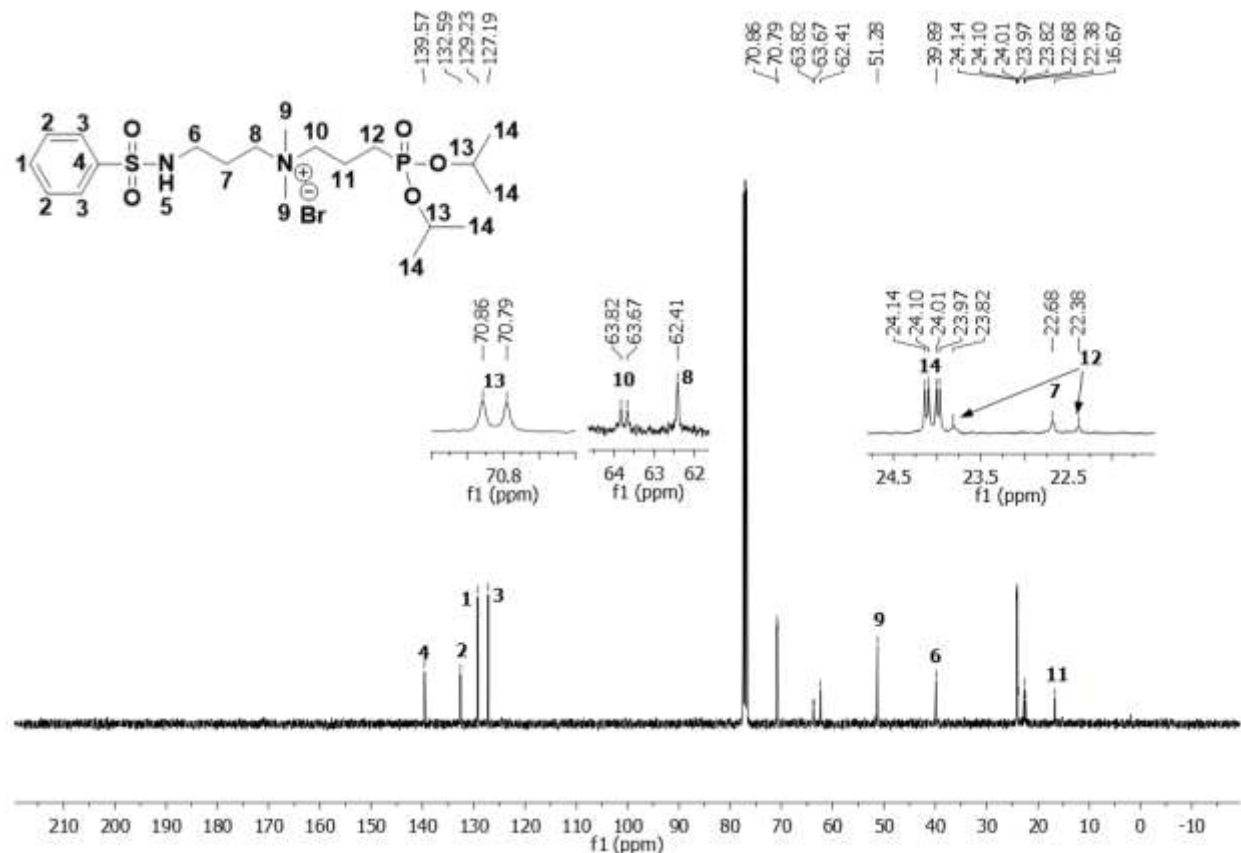
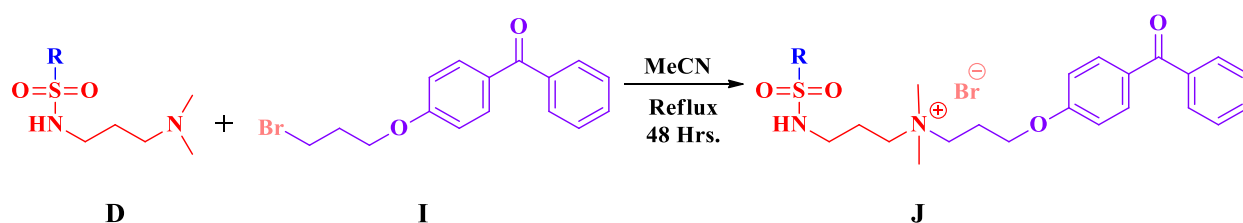


Figure 2.8: ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of **1H**.

The ¹³C NMR assignments were made in conjunction with 2D HSQC NMR (Appendix Figure 85), where the aromatic region bears essentially the same shifts as the precursor **1D**. The doublet at 70.82 ppm (C13) corresponds to the central carbon of the isopropyl moiety bound to phosphorus through oxygen linkage with coupling of $^2J_{13-P} = 6.7$ Hz. The peak at 62.41 ppm (C8) corresponds to the carbon bound to QUAT on the sulfonamide side, whereas the carbon bound to the QUAT towards the terminal organophosphorus moiety yields a doublet at 63.74 ppm (C10) which couples with phosphorus through ethyl linkage with coupling constant of $^3J_{10-P} = 15.1$ Hz. The terminal methyl carbons of the isopropyl gives rise to a sets of doublets at 24.12 and 23.99 ppm (C14) with coupling constants of $^3J_{14-P} = 4.5$ and 4.0 Hz respectively. This scenario was attributed to a slight offset in spatial arrangement of the terminal isopropyl moiety. The peaks at 23.10 ppm (C12)

corresponds to carbon bound directly to phosphorus group with a coupling constant of $^1J_{12-P} = 144.3$ Hz based on the 2D HSQC NMR spectra. For compounds **2H**, **3H**, **5H**, and **7H – 9H**, the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR are differentiated by **1H** based on the substitution of the aromatic ring (**2H**, **3H**, and **5H**) and the different substituent on the sulfonyl group (**7F - 9F**).

2.1.4 Benzophenone Functionalized Quaternary Ammonium Antimicrobials



Scheme 2.5: General Reaction for Benzophenone Functionalized QUAT's.

Compound (D)	Reagents (D:I)	Time (hrs.)	Yield (%)
1	1:1	48	82
2	1:1	48	80
3	1:1	48	67
4	1:1	48	92
5	1:1	48	82
6	1:1	48	-
7	1:1	48	77
8	1:1	48	73
9	1:1	48	60

Table 2.5: Synthesis summary of benzophenone functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's.

Compounds **1J – 9J** were synthesized according to **Scheme 2.6** employing **Method 5.2.2**. Initial experiments followed methodology similar to those used to prepare organosilane and organophosphorus QUAT's (Section 2.2 and 2.3). This methodology resulted in very low yields or no product formation based on ^1H and ^{13}C NMR experiments. Hence **1J – 9J** were synthesized using method described by Porosa *et al.*⁶⁷ to yield fluffy pale white to pale yellow coloured powders. The identity and purity of these compounds was confirmed using mass spectrometry and

^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectroscopy. Synthesis of **6J** was unsuccessful, similar to its counterpart in organosilane and organophosphorus QUAT's.

2.1.4.1 Characterization of Benzophenone Functionalized Sulfonamide QUAT's

The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra of the benzophenone functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **1H** – **9H** were collected and peak assignments were made using 2D HSQC and COSY NMR experiments. Analysis for **1H** will serve as a template for compounds **2H** – **9H**.

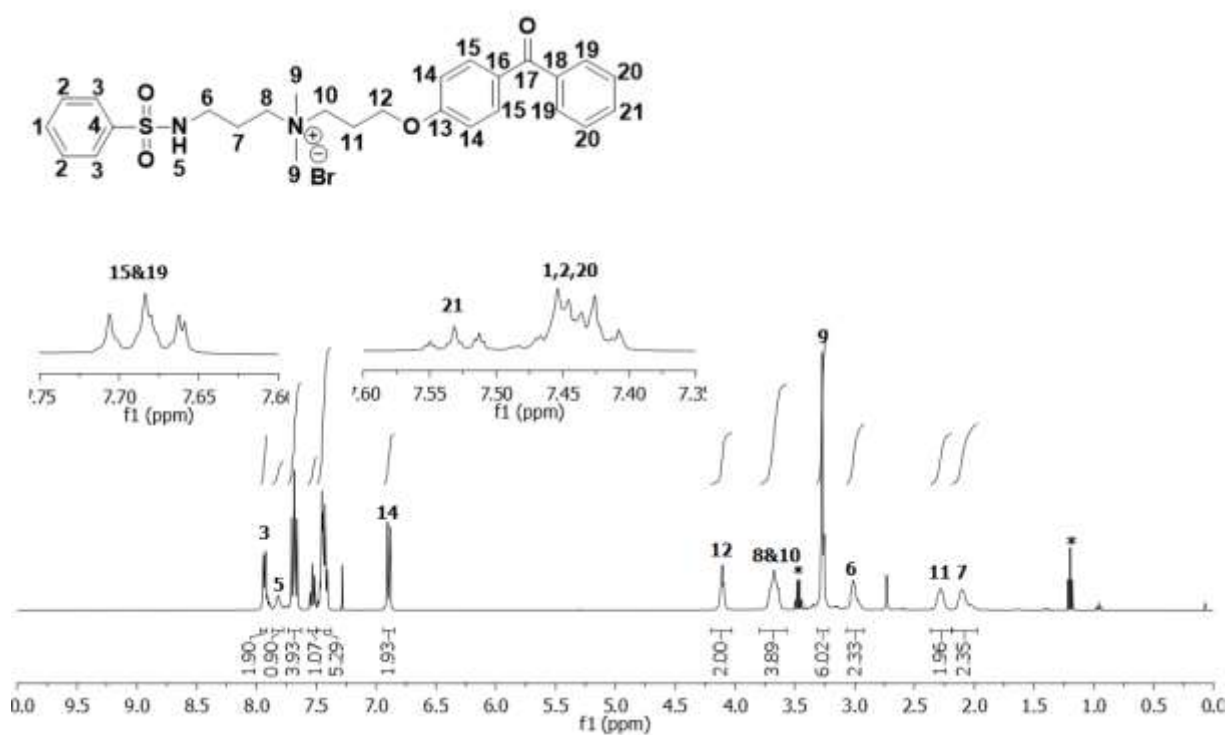


Figure 2.9: ^1H NMR (CDCl₃) of **1J**.

In the ^1H NMR of **1J** (Figure 2.9), the singlet at 3.27 ppm (H9) integrating for six hydrogen corresponds to the two methyl groups on the QUAT nitrogen, whereas the multiplet from 7.86 – 7.77 ppm (H5) integrating for one hydrogen of the amide of the sulfonyl group as seen in the ^1H NMR of **1D**. The upfield triplet at 4.11 ppm (H12) integrating for two hydrogen corresponds to the methylene hydrogens bound to oxygen of the benzophenone moiety, which also couples to the

The ^{13}C NMR assignments were made in conjunction with 2D HSQC NMR (Appendix Figure A126), where the peak at 195.58 ppm (C17) corresponds to the carbonyl carbon of the benzophenone moiety and the peak at 161.87 ppm (C13) corresponds to the para carbon bound to the oxygen atom. The peaks at 139.64 (C1), 137.99 (C4), 129.75 (C2), and 127.22 (C3) ppm were attributed to the aromatic carbons of the phenyl moiety bound to sulfonamide group based on the ^{13}C NMR of **1D**. The aromatic peak assignments for the benzophenone moiety was assigned based on 2D HSQC NMR experiment. The peak at 64.68 ppm (C12) corresponds to the propoxy carbon, whereas the peaks at 62.44 (C8) and 62.06 (C10) corresponds to the carbon directly bound to the QUAT. The peak at 39.98 ppm (C6) corresponds to the carbon directly bound to the sulfonamide group. For compounds **2J – 5J** and **7J – 9J**, the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR are differentiated from **1J** based on the substitution of the aromatic ring (**2D – 5D**) and the different substituent on the sulfonyl group (**7J – 9J**).

2.2 Antimicrobial Activity

2.2.1 Contact Killing at Solid-Air Interface

Organosilicon functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **1F – 3F** and **5F** were prepared using **Method 5.2.3.1a** and tested together for comparison purposes. After 3 hrs. of inoculation, the test samples showed complete reduction in viable bacteria versus the control (Figure 2.11). Similarly, the benzophenone QUAT's **1J** and **5J** were evaluated and resulted in completed reduction in viable bacteria (Figure 2.12). Regardless of the aromatic ring size and substitution it was evident from the test that sulfonamide based QUAT's resulted in complete reduction of bacteria after 3 hrs. in comparison to controls.

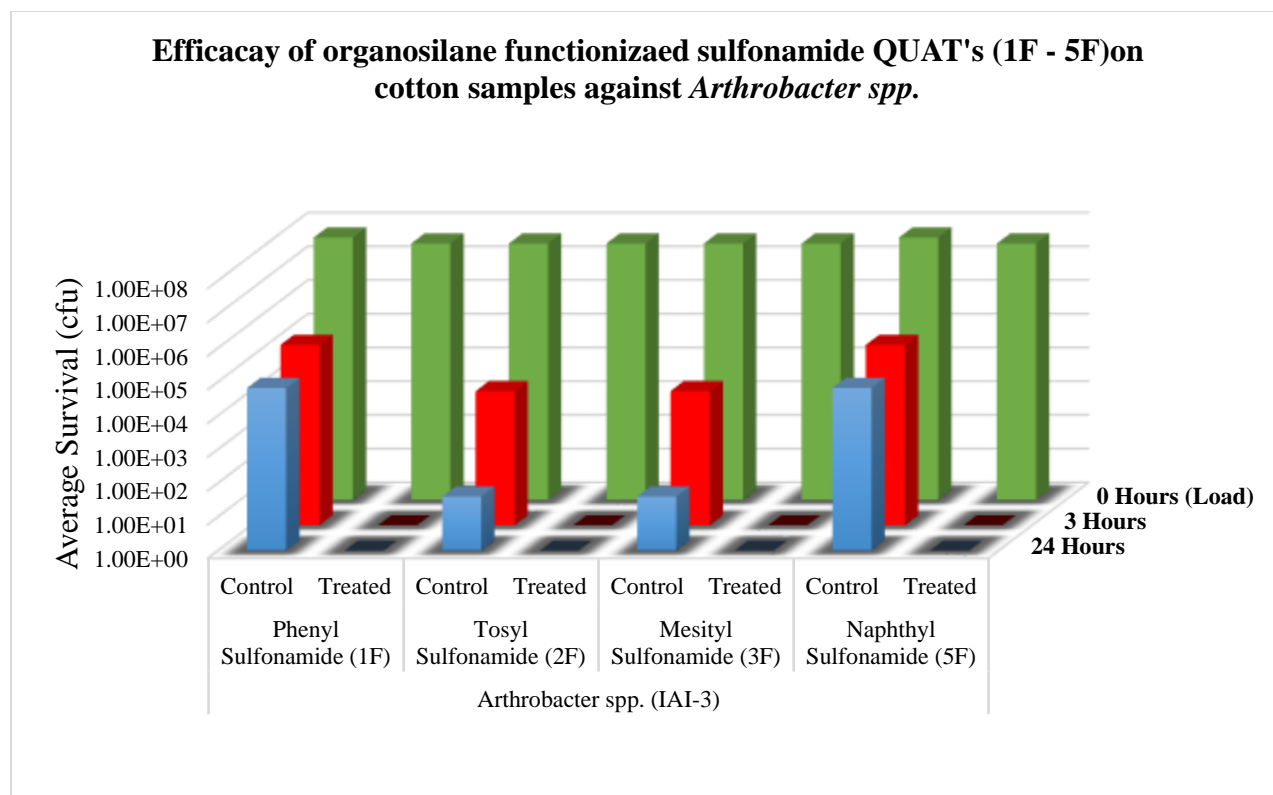


Figure 2.11: Antimicrobial efficacy of organosilane functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **1F- 3F** and **5F** against *Arthrobacter* spp.

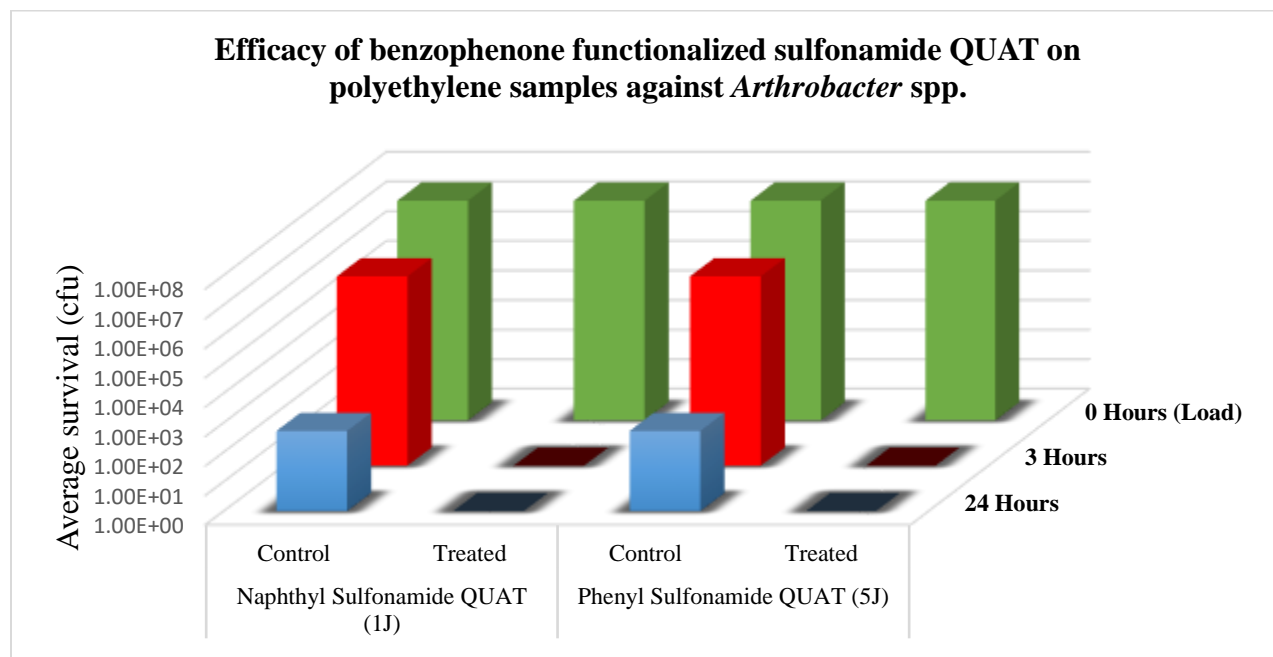


Figure 2.12: Antimicrobial efficacy of benzophenone functionalized sulfonamide QUAT's **5J** and **1J** against *Arthrobacter* spp.

Antimicrobial activity of sulfonamide based benzophenone QUAT **3J** and the silane QUAT **2F** for comparison purposes were prepared on polystyrene and cotton using **Method 5.2.3.1b** and **5.2.3.1a** respectively. The antimicrobial activity was tested by the enumeration method developed in the Wolfaardt lab against lab grown gram positive *Arthrobacter spp.* strain. The inoculated samples were sampled after 3 hrs. of drying and showed 100% reduction in viable bacteria versus the control (Figure 2.13).

Efficacy of 3J and 2F against *Arthrobacter spp.* on different surfaces

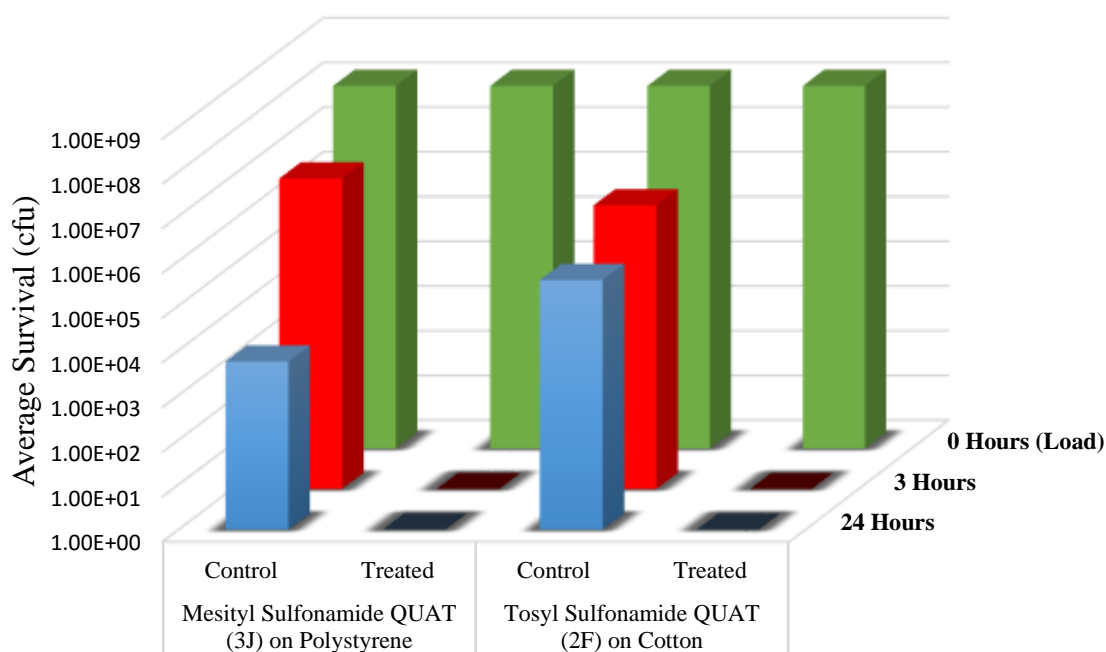


Figure 2.13: Antimicrobial efficacy of benzophenone functionalized **3J** on polystyrene and organosilane functionalized **2F** on cotton against *Arthrobacter spp.*

Efficacy of 3J on polyethylene samples against *E. coli* and *S. aureus*

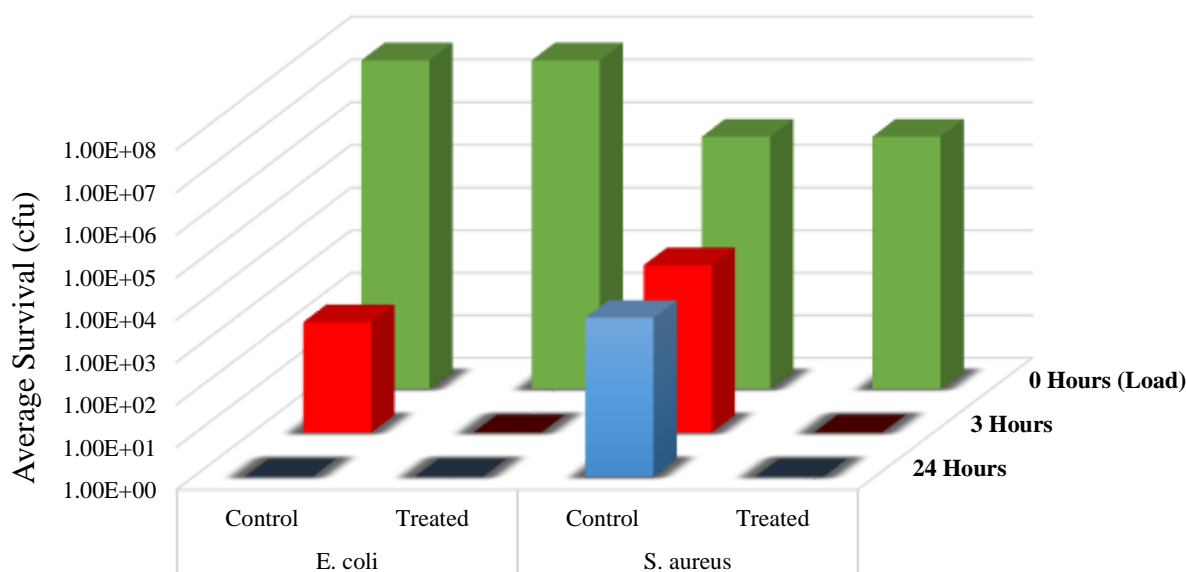


Figure 2.14: Antimicrobial efficacy of **3J** on polyethylene against gram negative *E. coli* and gram positive *S. aureus*.

To test the range of antimicrobial activity benzophenone functionalized QUAT **3J** was tested against gram positive *S. aureus* and gram negative *E. coli* using **Method 5.2.3.2a**. A test sample taken after 3 hrs. of drying showed complete reduction of both gram positive and negative bacteria (Figure 2.14).

2.2.1 Solution Killing at Solid-Liquid Interface

Benzophenone QUAT **3J** was treated on the inside of polyethylene tubes using method 5.3.2.1a and tested according to **Method 5.2.3.2b** against planktonic cell and *Arthrobacter spp.* bacterial culture. After 48 hrs. enumeration of both bacterial strains showed complete reduction at the solid-liquid interface; hence a rechallenge was performed without reapplying the antimicrobial coating to ensure the efficacy (Figures 2.15 and 2.16).

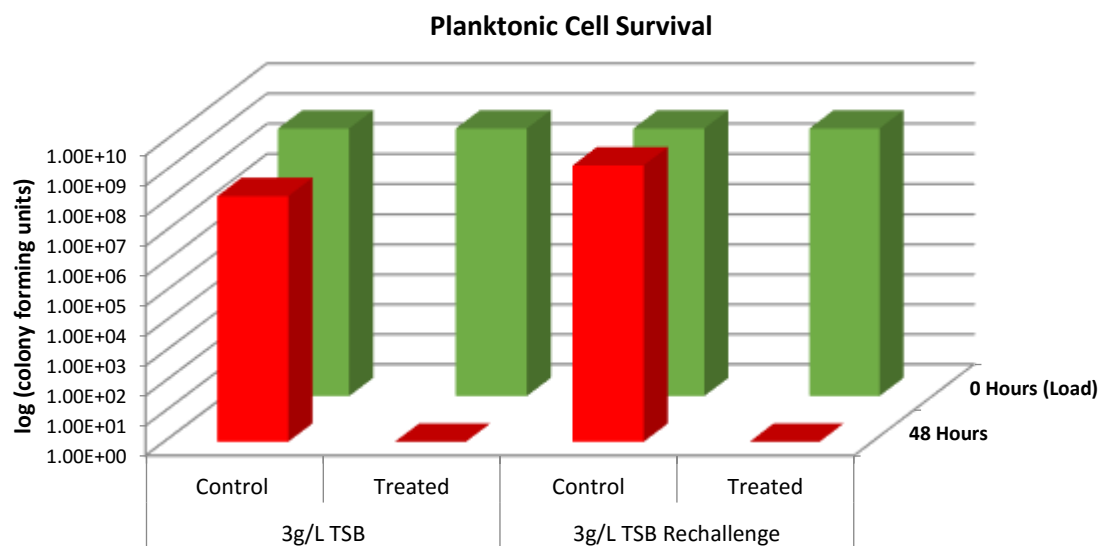


Figure 2.15: Efficacy of **3J** against planktonic cells at solid-liquid interface under static condition.

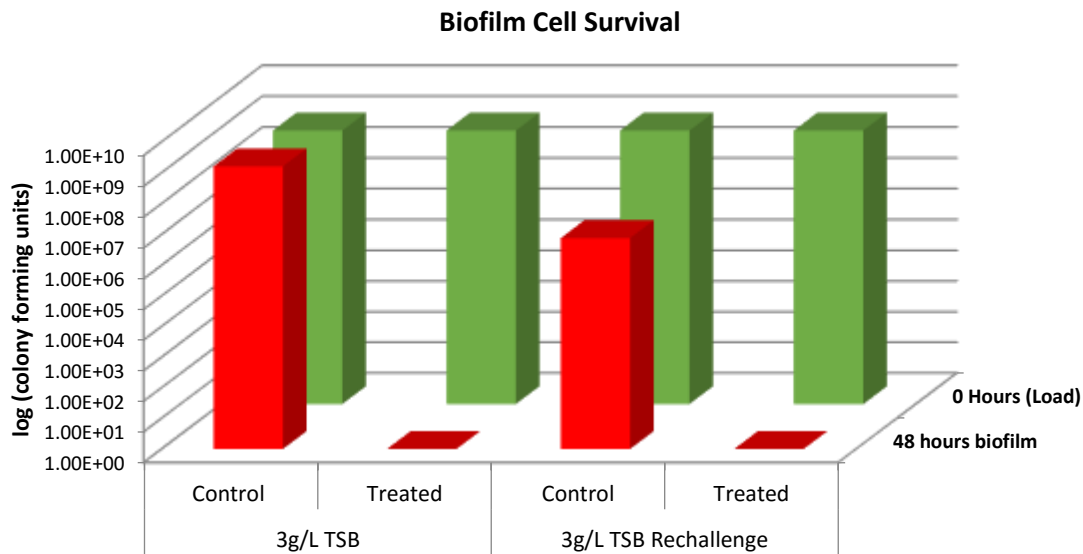


Figure 2.16: Efficacy of **3J** against *Arthrobacter spp.* at solid-liquid interface.

3.0 CONCLUSIONS

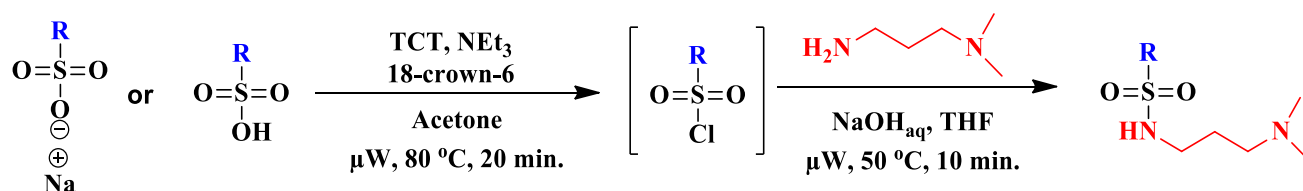
Sulfonamide QUAT's with specific anchoring functionalities such as organosilanes (textiles), phosphonates (metals), and benzophenone (plastics) were synthesized using the Menshutkin reaction and were used to prepare antimicrobial coatings for surfaces. The majority of the sulfonamides synthesized are commercially available but rather expensive, and there is no available synthetic and characterization data. Sulfonamides **1D** – **9D** were synthesized using a simplified approach and obtained in high yields and purity. All compounds were successfully characterized by NMR spectroscopy (^1H , ^{13}C , COSY, HSQC, ^{29}Si , and ^{31}P), and HRMS spectrometry.

The synthesized QUAT's were found to be more water soluble with only a minimum amount of EtOH/MeOH required for complete solvation in comparison to available organosilanes. Organosilane functionalized QUAT's (**1D** – **3D** and **5D**) were physically attached to cotton textiles by immersion in EtOH/H₂O solutions containing the active QUAT, whereas the solutions of benzophenone functionalized QUAT's (**1J** – **3J**, and **5J**) were UV cured on to plastic substrates (PE, PS, PEEK, and PVC) and visualized using bromophenol blue test.

Antimicrobial activity was evaluated at solid-air interfaces (cotton and plastics) by growth enumeration in the dry state and at solid-liquid interface by determining MIC. Both the organosilane functionalized QUAT's (**1D** – **3D** and **5D**) and benzophenone functionalized QUAT's (**1J** – **3J**, and **5J**) showed excellent antimicrobial efficacy and were able to reduce initial concentration of *Arthrobacter spp*, *E. coli*, and *S. aureus* by a factor of $10^9/10^7$ after 3 hrs. Compound **3J** subjected to solid-liquid interface antimicrobial testing showed reduction of 10^9 (100%) over 48 hrs. against planktonic cells and *Arthrobacter spp*. The same substrates were rechallenged without reapplication of coatings showed complete reduction over 48 hrs.

4.0 FUTURE WORK

Sulfonyl chlorides are commercially available but rather expensive due to extensive synthesis and purification process. Alternatively, sulfonates and sulfonic acid analogs cost less and are readily available in large quantities. Sulfonamide precursors of these sulfonates and sulfonic acids can be synthesized using microwave irradiation as described in **Scheme 4.1**.



Scheme 4. 1: Microwave assisted sulfonamide synthesis using sulfonates or sulfonic acids.

Luca et al. reported successful synthesis of various analogs of sulfonic acids/sulfonates using this process.⁸² In this work it was found that it was not necessary to isolate the sulfonyl chloride intermediate, since they were readily converted into the corresponding sulfonamides in presence of an amine. For future, this process could be used to synthesize sulfonamide precursors required for quaternization reactions. Some of the possible starting sulfonates and sulfonic acids are illustrated in Figure 4.1, which are believed to provide great antimicrobial activity.

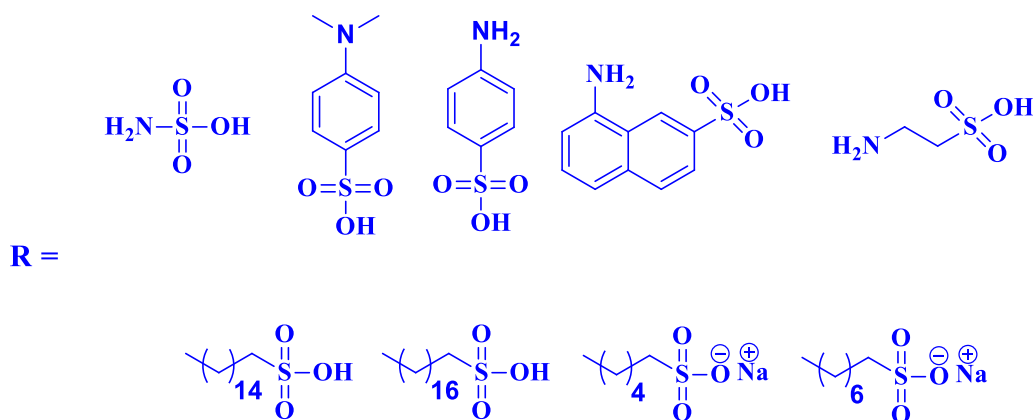


Figure 4.1: Possible sulfonates/sulfonic acids as starting material.

5.0 EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURES

5.1 Materials and Instrumental Methods

The reagents used consist of *p*-Toluenesulfonyl chloride, Benzenesulfonyl chloride, 2-Mesitylenesulfonyl chloride, 2,4,6-Triisopropylbenzenesulfonyl chloride, Methanesulfonyl chloride, Ethanesulfonyl chloride, 1-Butanesulfonyl chloride, *N,N*-Dimethylsulfamoyl chloride, 1-Napthalenesulfonyl chloride, Triethylamine, 3-(Dimethylamino)-1-propylamine, 4-hydroxybenzophenone, and 1,3-dibromopropane were used as received from Sigma-Aldrich, Triisopropyl phosphite received from Alfa Aesar was distilled prior to use. Dichloromethane (CH_2Cl_2) and Diethyl ether (Et_2O) used was pre-dried using an M Braun solvent system under nitrogen environment. Acetonitrile (99.8%, $\rho = 0.782 \text{ g/mL}$) from Sigma-Aldrich was distilled and stored under nitrogen environment prior to use.

Nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) experiments were recorded on a 400 MHz Bruker Avance II Spectrometer (Ryerson University) using deuterated chloroform (CDCl_3) as the solvent. ^1H and $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectra were referenced to an internal TMS standard or the residual CDCl_3 ($\delta_{\text{H}} = 7.26 \text{ ppm}$ and $\delta_{\text{C}} = 77.0 \text{ ppm}$) solvent signal. The $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ spectra were referenced externally to 85% phosphoric acid ($\delta_{\text{P}} = 0.00 \text{ ppm}$).⁶⁷ In all cases ^1H and ^{13}C assignments were interpreted with the aid of the corresponding COSY and HSQC spectra respectively (see appendix). High resolution mass spectra (MS) were recorded by electron spray ionization in real time by ESI-TOF at the University of Toronto.

5.2 General Procedures

Precursors 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone⁶⁷ and diisopropyl(3-bromopropyl)phosphonate⁷¹ were synthesized according to published work and NMR spectra (¹H and ¹³C) corresponded well with previously published NMR data.

Method 5.2.1 Sulfonamide Synthesis

Method 5.2.1a Aromatic Sulfonamides General Synthesis

To a flame dried, round bottom flask in an ice bath equipped with a stir bar containing an appropriate amount of anhydrous DCM an adequate amount of respective sulfonyl chloride was added followed by an equimolar amount of Et₃N, and dropwise addition of a stoichiometric quantity of 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine. After 30 min. the reaction mixture was removed from the ice bath and allowed to stir at room temperature for the indicated time. The reaction was then transferred to a separatory funnel and extracted with an appropriate amount of distilled water. Volatiles and/or solvent were removed from the organic phase using a rotary evaporator followed by drying under high vacuum.

Method 5.2.1b Aliphatic Sulfonamides

To a flame dried, round bottom flask in an ice bath equipped with a stir bar containing appropriate amount of anhydrous DCM a stoichiometric amount of 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine was added followed by the dropwise addition of the respective sulfonyl chlorides. The reaction mixture was removed from the ice bath and allowed to stir for the indicated time at room temperature. Upon completion, the reaction solvent was evaporated using a rotary evaporator. The resultant residue was then dissolved in an appropriate amount of potassium carbonate solution (0.05 M) and extracted using appropriate amount of DCM. Volatiles

and/or solvent were removed from the organic phase using a rotary evaporator followed by drying under high vacuum.

Method 5.2.2 General Synthesis for Sealed Tube Reactions

In a 20 mL scintillation / microwave vial the appropriate reagents were added along with a magnetic stir bar and sealed with a screw cap. The reaction mixture was heated using an oil bath at 110 °C for the indicated time. The crude material was purified by addition of Et₂O directly into the reaction mixture followed by decanting (Et₂O wash x 3) and dried under high vacuum.

Method 5.2.3 Antimicrobial Testing and Detection

Antimicrobial activity tests of the synthesized QUAT's was carried out by Alexander Caschera in the Wolfaardt lab at Ryerson University. The testing was conducted at solid – air interface as well as solid – liquid interface to determine sulfonamide based QUAT's efficacy in both environments. The presence of the sulfonamide QUAT's was visualized with the aid of bromophenol blue dye (Section 1.8).

Method 5.2.3.1 Surface treatment

Method 5.3.2.1a Textiles

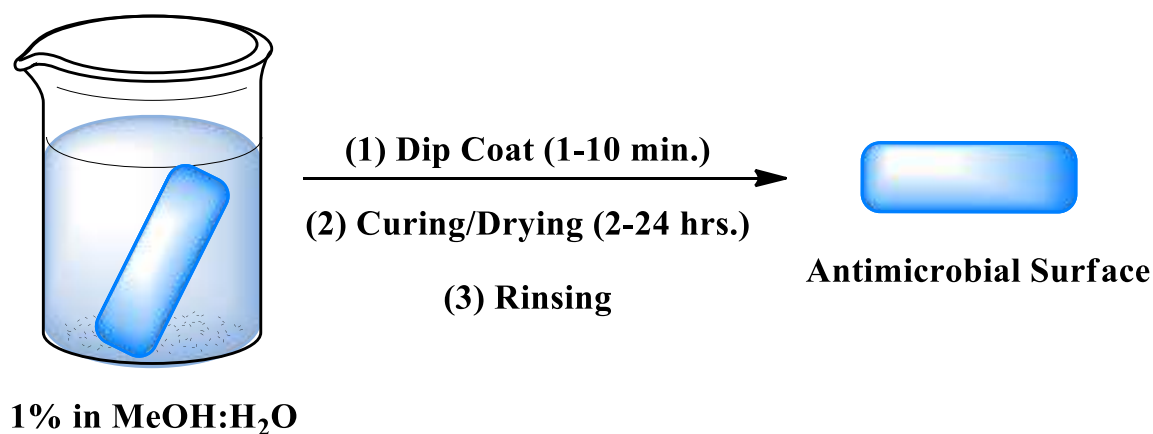


Figure 5.1: Coating procedure of QUAT's onto textiles (cotton) sample.⁶⁷

Cotton textile samples were dipcoated with 1% (w/v) of sulfonamide organosilane QUAT's in lukewarm methanol:water mixture (30:70 ratio) with mild agitation. After application, the treated samples were allowed to dry for 2 – 24 hrs.; followed by water rinsing. The quality/presence of QUAT's coating was visualized/confirmed with bromophenol blue dye.

Method 5.3.2.1b Plastics

1% (w/v) solution of sulfonamide QUAT's with benzophenone functionality were prepared in EtOH:Water solution (10:90 – 40:60 ratio). Test samples consisted of 25 mm (\pm 5 mm) x 25 mm (\pm 5 mm) x 1 mm coupons of polystyrene (PS), polyvinyl chloride (PVC), and polyether ether ketone (PEEK). The coupons were coated using an ESS AD – LG electrospray apparatus set to 150 kPa. After application, coupons were air dried followed by UV curing using EFOS N2001-A1 Novacure Ultraviolet spot curing light source set at 5000mW intensity for 1 min. (repeated 2 times).

Method 5.2.3.2 Antimicrobial Testing Interfaces

Method 5.2.3.2a Solid-Air Interface

Antimicrobial testing at solid – air interface was conducted using modified ISO 22196 large-droplet (50 μ L) inoculation method developed by Evan Ronan in Dr. Wolfaardt's lab at Ryerson University. The method allows for the droplet of inoculum to dry directly on to the coated surface. Once dried, the surface is washed with saline to remove unbound cells followed by serial dilutions and enumeration (Figure 5.2).^{3,83}

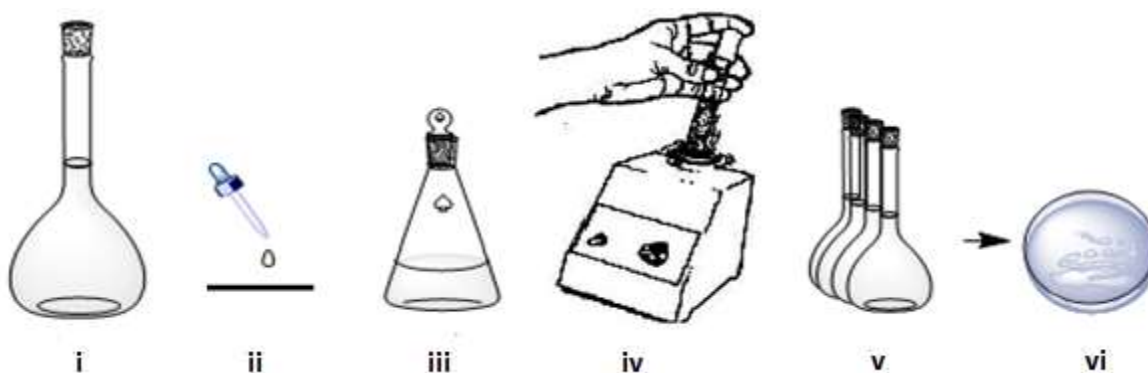
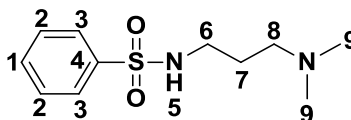


Figure 5.2: Antimicrobial testing method for Solid-Air interface developed by Evan Roan in the Wolfaardt Lab. (i) 1×10^8 CFU/mL (inoculum), (ii) 1 mL inoculum added to 1 cm \times 1 cm solid sample and left to dry for appropriate time 2-24 hrs, (iii) sample is added to 0.9% saline solution, (iv) vortex saline solution to remove attached cells, (v) serial dilutions and agar plating, (vi) compare to controls and calculate percent of log 10 reduction. (adapted from ref. ³)⁸³

Method 5.2.3.2b Solid-Liquid Interface

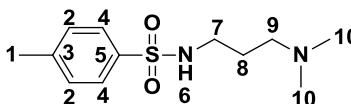
The pretreated tubes were filled with growth media (3g/L TSB) containing 300 μ L inoculation of *Arthobacter spp.* bacterial culture and were compared against planktonic cell culture. After 48 hrs. of incubation the tubes were emptied and gently washed with saline solution to remove unbound planktonic or *Arthobacter spp.* Cells. 1 mL of saline was added to tubes and vortexed for 1 min. (Figure 5.2, iv) and transferred to the collection liquid (Figure 5.2, iii) followed by serial dilutions and enumeration.⁸³

5.3 Synthesis of Aromatic Sulfonamides



N-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)benzenesulfonamide (**1D**):⁸¹

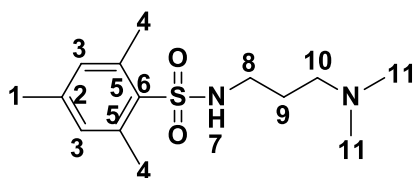
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1a** with benzenesulfonyl chloride (1.4 mL, 11.32 mmol), triethylamine (2.4 mL, 16.99 mmol, 1.5 eqv.), and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (2.1 mL, 16.99 mmol, 1.5 eqv.) in DCM (30 mL) for 4 hours yielding a clear solution. The solution was then washed using distilled water (40 mL), and the organic layer was evaporated using a rotary evaporator to yield a green yellow coloured oil. The product was further dried under reduced pressure using a schlenk line yielding a pale yellow coloured waxy solid. Yield 98 % (2.69 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.68 (d, 2H, ³*J*_{H3-H2} = 8.3 Hz, H3), 7.35 (m, 3H, H1 and H2), 2.86 (t, 2H, ³*J*_{H6-H7} = 5.8 Hz, H6), 2.11 (t, 2H, ³*J*_{H8-H7} = 5.9 Hz, H8), 1.98 (s, 6H, H9), 1.41 (tt, 2H, ³*J*_{H7-H6} = 9.0 Hz, ³*J*_{H7-H8} = 3.1 Hz, H7) ppm; ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 140.20 (C4), 132.33 (C1), 128.99 (C2), 126.96 (C3), 59.13 (C8), 45.28 (C9), 44.05 (C6), 25.12 (C7) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [*M*⁺ + *H*⁺] calculated for C₁₁H₁₉N₂O₂S₁, 243.1162, found, 243.1170.



N-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (**2D**):^{79,84}

This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1a** with *p*-toluenesulfonyl chloride (10.505 g, 55.10 mmol), triethylamine (11.5 mL, 82.65 mmol, 1.5 eqv.), and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (10.4 mL, 82.65 mmol, 1.5 eqv.) in DCM (100 mL) for 4 hours

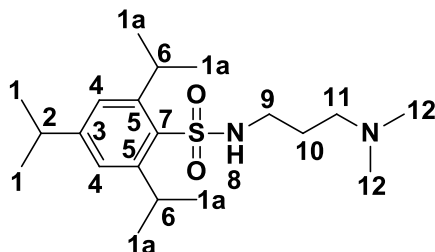
yielding a milky white solution. The solution was then washed using distilled water (100 mL), and the volatile organic layer removed using a rotary evaporater to yield a pale yellow coloured oil. The product was further dried under reduced pressure using schlenk line yielding a pale white coloured waxy solid. Yield 98 % (13.85 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.73 (d, 2H, ³J_{H4-H2} = 8.3 Hz, H4), 7.29 (d, 2H, ³J_{H2-H4} = 7.9 Hz, H2), 3.03 (t, 2H, ³J_{H7-H8} = 5.8 Hz, H7), 2.42 (s, 3H, H1), 2.29 (t, 2H, ³J_{H9-H8} = 5.8 Hz, H9), 2.16 (s, 6H, H10), 1.58 (tt, 2H, ³J_{H8-H7} = 9.2 Hz, ³J_{H8-H9} = 2.5 Hz, H8) ppm; **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 142.83 (C5), 137.11 (C3), 129.44 (C2), 126.88 (C4), 58.76 (C9), 45.15 (C10), 43.65 (C7), 25.23 (C8), 21.32 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ + H⁺] calculated for C₁₂H₂₁N₂O₂S₁, 257.1318, found, 257.1322.



***N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-trimethylbenzenesulfonamide (3D):**

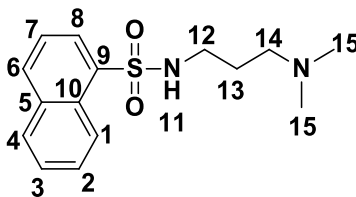
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1a** with 2,4,6-trimethylbenzene-1-sulfonyl chloride (2 g, 9.14 mmol), triethylamine (1.9 mL, 13.72 mmol, 1.5 eqv.), and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (1.7 mL, 13.72 mmol, 1.5 eqv.) in DCM (50 mL) for 3 hours yielding a clear solution. The solution was then washed using distilled water (75 mL), and the volatile organic layer evaporated using a rotary evaporater to yield a clear oil. The product was dried under reduced pressure using a schlenk line yielding a pale white coloured waxy solid. Yield 98.5 % (2.56 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.04 (br s, 1H, H7), 6.93 (s, 2H, H3), 2.94 (t, 2H, ³J_{H8-H9} = 5.7 Hz, H8), 2.61 (s, 6H, H4), 2.32 (t, 2H, ³J_{H10-H9} = 5.6 Hz, H10), 2.27 (s, 3H, H1), 2.18 (s, 6H, H11), 1.62 (tt, 2H, ³J_{H9-H8} = 9.5 Hz, ³J_{H9-H10} = 2.2 Hz, H9) ppm; **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 141.74 (C6), 139.07 (C2), 133.80 (C5), 131.87 (C3), 59.66 (C10), 45.48 (C11),

43.72 (C8), 24.99 (C9), 22.88 (C4), 20.95 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[M^+ + H^+]$ calculated for $C_{14}H_{25}N_2O_2S_1$, 285.1631, found, 285.1643.



***N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-triisopropylbenzenesulfonamide (4D):**

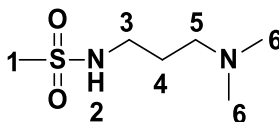
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1a** with 2,4,6-triisopropylbenzene-1-sulfonyl chloride (2 g, 6.60 mmol), triethylamine (1.4 mL, 9.91 mmol, 1.5 eqv.), and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (1.2 mL, 9.91 mmol, 1.5 eqv.) in DCM (50 mL) for 3 hours yielding a clear solution. The solution was then washed using distilled water (75 mL), and the volatile organic layer removed using a rotary evaporator to yield a faint green coloured oil. The product was further dried under reduced pressure using schlenk line yielding a pale white coloured waxy solid. Yield 97 % (2.36 g). **1H NMR** ($CDCl_3$, 400 MHz, δ): 7.15 (s, 2H, H4), 4.17 (sep., 2H, $^3J_{H6-H1a} = 6.8$ Hz, H6), 3.08 (t, 2H, $J_{H9-H10} = 5.9$ Hz, H9), 2.89 (sep., 1H, $^3J_{H2-H1} = 7.0$ Hz, H2), 2.50 (br s, 2H, H11), 2.30 (br s, 6H, H12), 1.75 (br s, 2H, H10), 1.26 (br m, 18H, H1 and H1a) ppm; **^{13}C { 1H } NMR** ($CDCl_3$, 100 MHz, δ): 152.48 (C7), 150.45 (C5), 132.57 (C3), 123.79 (C4), 59.03 (C11), 45.28 (C12), 42.93 (C9), 34.25 (C2), 29.74 (C6), 25.61 (C10), 25.10 (C1a), 23.73 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[M^+ + H^+]$ calculated for $C_{20}H_{37}N_2O_2S_1$, 369.2570, found, 369.2570.



***N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)naphthalene-1-sulfonamide (5D):**

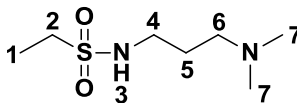
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1a** with naphthalene-1-sulfonyl chloride (4 g, 18.04 mmol), triethylamine (3.8 mL, 27.06 mmol, 1.5 eqv.), and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (3.4 mL, 27.06 mmol, 1.5 eqv.) in DCM (50 mL) for 3 hours yielding a clear solution. The solution was then washed using distilled water (50 mL), and the organic layer was evaporated using a rotary evaporator to yield a greenish yellow coloured oil. The product was further dried under reduced pressure using a schlenk line yielding a pale white coloured waxy solid product. Yield 99.7 % (5.27 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.67 (d, 1H, ³*J*_{H1-H2} = 8.5 Hz, H1), 8.25 (d, 1H, ³*J*_{H8-H7} = 6.2 Hz, H8), 8.05 (d, 1H, ³*J*_{H6-H7} = 8.2 Hz, H6), 7.95 (d, 1H, ³*J*_{H4-H3} = 7.8 Hz, H4), 7.65 (m, 1H, H2), 7.59 (m, 1H, H3), 7.52 (m, 1H, H7), 2.95 (t, 2H, ³*J*_{H12-H13} = 5.6 Hz, H12), 2.21 (t, 2H, ³*J*_{H14-H13} = 5.6 Hz, H14), 2.12 (s, 6H, H15), 1.55 (m, 2H, H13) ppm; **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 134.85 (C9), 134.45 (C5), 133.96 (C4), 129.79 (C6), 129.16 (C2), 128.42 (C10), 128.21 (C3), 126.82 (C8), 124.76 (C7), 124.28 (C1), 59.80 (C14), 45.56 (C15), 44.77 (C12), 24.68 (C13) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ + H⁺] calculated for C₁₅H₂₁N₂O₂S₁, 293.1318, found, 293.1319.

5.4 Synthesis of Aliphatic Sulfonamides



N-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)methanesulfonamide (**6D**):⁸⁵

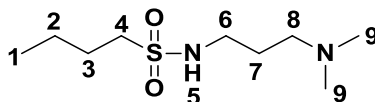
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1b** with methanesulfonyl chloride (1.4 mL, 17.46 mmol) and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (2.2 mL, 17.46 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in DCM (50 mL) for 4 hours. The solution was washed with K₂CO₃ (0.05 M, 40 mL), and the volatile organic layer was removed using a rotary evaporator yielding in clear oil. Yield: 65 % (2.05 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 3.23 (t, 2H, $^3J_{\text{H3-H4}} = 5.8$ Hz, H3), 2.91 (s, 3H, H1), 2.43 (t, 2H, $^3J_{\text{H5-H4}} = 5.8$ Hz, H5), 2.22 (s, 6H, H6), 1.71 (m, 2H, H4) ppm; **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 59.26 (C5), 45.37 (C6), 44.08 (C3), 39.70 (C1), 25.72 (C4) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ + H⁺] calculated for C₆H₁₇N₂O₂S₁, 181.1005, found, 181.1005.



N-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)ethanesulfonamide (**7D**):⁸⁶

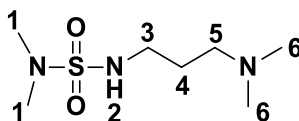
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1b** with ethanesulfonyl chloride (0.7 mL, 7.78 mmol) and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (1.5 mL, 11.67 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in DCM (50 mL) for 4 hours. The solution was washed with K₂CO₃ (0.05 M, 50 mL), and the volatile organic layer was removed using a rotary evaporator yielding in clear oil. Yield: 61 % (0.92 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 3.19 (t, 2H, $^3J_{\text{H4-H5}} = 5.8$ Hz, H4), 3.0 (q, 2H, $J_{\text{H2-H1}} = 7.4$ Hz, H2), 2.42 (t, 2H, $J_{\text{H6-H5}} = 5.8$ Hz, H6), 2.22 (s, 6H, H7), 1.70 (m, 2H, H5), 1.34 (t, 3H, $^3J_{\text{H1-H2}} = 7.4$ Hz, H1) ppm; **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 59.33 (C6), 46.05 (C2), 45.41 (C7), 44.11 (C4), 25.91

(C5), 8.35 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [$M^+ + H^+$] calculated for $C_9H_{23}N_2O_2S_1$, 223.1475, found, 223.1480.



***N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)butane-1-sulfonamide (8D):**^{87,88}

This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1b** with butanesulfonyl chloride (1.7 mL, 12.77 mmol) and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (2.4 mL, 19.15 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in DCM (50 mL) for 4 hours. The solution was washed with K_2CO_3 (0.05 M, 50 mL), and the volatile organic layer was removed using a rotary evaporator yielding in a clear oil. Yield: 81 % (2.31 g). **1H NMR** ($CDCl_3$, 400 MHz, δ): 3.15 (t, 2H, $^3J_{6-7} = 5.9$ Hz, H6), 2.94 (t, 2H, $^3J_{4-3} = 7.9$ Hz, H4), 2.38 (t, 2H, $^3J_{8-7} = 5.9$ Hz, H8), 2.18 (s, 6H, H9), 1.78-1.61 (m, 4H, H3 and H7), 1.48-1.34 (m, 2H, H2), 0.91 (t, 3H, $^3J_{1-2} = 7.3$ Hz, H1) ppm; **^{13}C { 1H } NMR** ($CDCl_3$, 100 MHz, δ): 59.08 (C8), 51.56 (C4), 45.38 (C9), 43.83 (C6), 26.05 (C3), 25.70 (C7), 21.54 (C2), 13.63 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [$M^+ + H^+$] calculated for $C_7H_{10}N_3O_2S_1$, 210.1271, found, 210.1276.



***N*-(2-(dimethylamino)propyl)-N,N-Dimethyl-sulfamide (9D):**

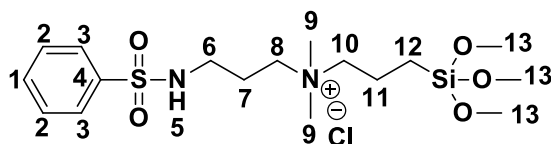
This compound was synthesized according to **Method 5.1.1b** using *N,N*-Dimethylsulfamoyl chloride (1.5 mL, 13.93 mmol) and 3-(dimethylamino)propylamine (2.6 mL, 20.89 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in DCM (50 mL) for 4 hours and extracted using K_2CO_3 (0.05 M, 50 mL) yielding in clear oil. Yield: 79.8 % (2.33 g). **1H NMR** ($CDCl_3$, 400 MHz, δ): 3.11 (t, 2H, $^3J_{3-4} = 6.0$ Hz, H3), 2.75 (s,

6H, H1), 2.38 (t, 2H, $J_{5-4} = 6.0$ Hz, H5), 2.19 (s, 6H, H6), 1.66 (m, 2H, H4) ppm. ^{13}C $\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 59.24 (C5), 45.39 (C6), 44.31 (C3), 38.00 (C1), 25.62 (C4) ppm.

5.5 General Procedure for the Menshutkin Quaternization

An appropriate amount of sulfonamide containing a tertiary amine and a trimethoxy silane, diallyl phosphonate or benzophenone (silane, phosphorus or benzophenone) along with alkyl halide were mixed with ACN using **Method 5.2** and heated for the indicated time. The reaction vial was allowed to cool to RT and the crude product purified as indicated in **Method 5.2**.

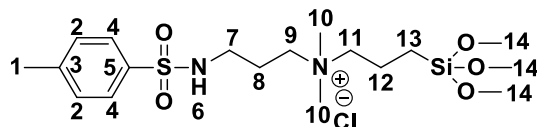
5.5.1 Synthesis of Organosilane based QUAT's



N,N-dimethyl-3-(phenylsulfonamido)-*N*-(3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (**1F**):

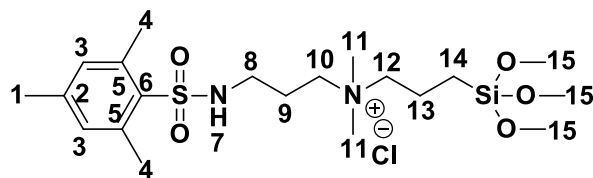
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)benzenesulfonamide (1.0 g, 4.13 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (1.1 mL, 6.19 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 4 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL \times 3) and obtained as clear golden brown coloured gummy oil. Yield: 97.5 % (1.77 g). ^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.39 (br s, 1H, H5), 7.96 (d, 2H, H3), 7.54 – 7.341 (m, 3H, H1 & H2), 3.66 (m, 2H, H8), 3.51 (s, 9H, H13), 3.34 (m, 2H, H10), 3.21 (s, 6H, H9), 3.00 (m, 2H, H6), 2.06 (m, 2H, H7), 1.75 (m, 2H, H11), 0.59 (t, 2H, $^3J_{12-11} = 7.8$ Hz, H12) ppm. ^{13}C $\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 139.86 (C4), 132.41 (C1), 129.14 (C2), 127.20 (C3), 65.94 (C10), 62.45 (C8), 51.10 (C9), 50.72 (C13), 39.93 (C6), 22.61 (C7), 16.45 (C11), 5.57 (C12) ppm. ^{29}Si $\{^1\text{H}\}$

NMR (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.41 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ - Cl⁻] calculated for C₁₇H₃₃N₂O₅Si₁Si₁, 405.1874, found, 405.8166.



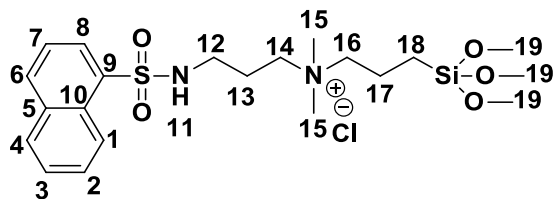
***N,N*-dimethyl-3-(4-methylphenylsulfonamido)-*N*-(3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (2F):**

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (1.0 g, 3.9 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (1.1 mL, 5.85 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 3.5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown coloured solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL \times 3) and obtained as clear golden brown gummy oil. Yield: 97 % (1.67 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.18 (br s, 1H, H6), 7.85 (d, 2H, ³*J*₄₋₂ = 7.9 Hz, H4), 7.29 (d, 2H, ³*J*₂₋₄ = 7.7 Hz, H2), 3.69 (m, 2H, H9), 3.55 (s, 9H, H14), 3.37 (m, 2H, H11), 3.25 (s, 6H, H10), 3.01 (m, 2H, H7), 2.40 (s, 3H, H1), 2.10 (m, 2H, H8), 1.79 (m, 2H, H12), 0.63 (t, 2H, ³*J*₁₃₋₁₂ = 7.7 Hz, H13) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 143.08 (C5), 136.85 (C3), 129.70 (C2), 127.85 (C4), 65.82 (C11), 62.45 (C9), 51.10 (C14), 50.70 (C10), 39.91 (C7), 22.66 (C1), 21.46 (C8), 16.44 (C12), 5.57 (C13) ppm. **²⁹Si {¹H} NMR** (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.37 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ - Cl⁻] calculated for C₁₈H₃₅N₂O₅Si₁Si₁, 419.2030, found, 419.2026.



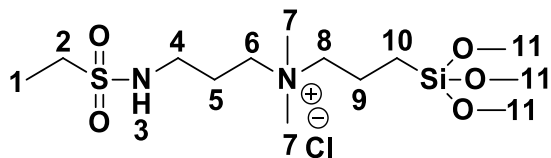
***N,N*-dimethyl-3-(trimethoxysilyl)-*N*-(3-(2,4,6-trimethylphenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (3F):**

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-trimethylbenzenesulfonamide (2.0 g, 7.03 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (1.9 mL, 10.55 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 4.5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as clear golden brown coloured gummy oil. Yield: 92.6 % (3.27 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.74 (t, 1H, ³J₇₋₈ = 6.0 Hz, H7), 6.90 (s, 2H, H3), 3.70 (m, 2H, H8), 3.53 (s, 9H, H15), 3.37 (m, 2H, H12), 3.25 (s, 6H, H11), 2.98 (m, 2H, H10), 2.62 (br s, 6H, H4), 2.25 (s, 3H, H1), 2.09 (m, 2H, H9), 1.78 (m, 2H, H13), 0.62 (t, 2H, ³J₁₄₋₁₃ = 7.9 Hz, H14) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 142.01 (C6), 139.22 (C5), 133.83 (C2), 132.01 (C3), 66.06 (C12), 62.51 (C10), 51.22 (C11), 50.81 (C15), 39.33 (C8), 23.28 (C4), 22.88 (C1), 20.95 (C9), 16.57 (C13), 5.70 (C14) ppm. ²⁹Si {¹H} NMR (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.43 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Cl⁻] calculated for C₂₀H₃₉N₂O₅Si₁Si₁, 447.2343, found, 447.2357.



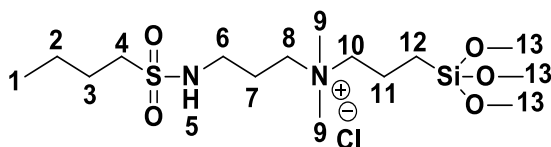
***N,N*-dimethyl-3-(naphthalene-1-sulfonamido)-*N*-(3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (5F):**

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)naphthalene-1-sulfonamide (0.5 g, 2.21 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (0.6 mL, 3.31 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as clear golden brown coloured gummy oil. Yield: 78.8 % (0.85 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.83 (d, 1H, ³*J*₈₋₇ = 8.6 Hz, H8), 8.47 (t, 1H, ³*J*₁₁₋₁₂ = 5.7 Hz, H11), 8.20 (d, 1H, ³*J*₆₋₇ = 7.3 Hz, Hs6), 7.99 (d, 1H, ³*J*₁₋₂ = 8.1 Hz, H1), 7.87 (d, 1H, ³*J*₄₋₃ = 8.1 Hz, H4), 7.69 (m, 1H, H7), 7.55 – 7.46 (m, 2H, H3 & H2), 3.49 (br s, 11H, H14 & H19), 3.20 (m, 2H, H16), 3.06 (br s, 8H, H12 & H15), 1.98 – 1.86 (m, 2H, H13), 1.68 – 1.54 (m, 2H, H17), 0.51 (t, 2H, ³*J*₁₈₋₁₇ = 7.8 Hz, H18) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 135.12 (C9), 134.16 (C5), 133.91 (C1), 129.07 (C6), 128.8 (C4), 128.56 (C7), 128.12 (C10), 127.02 (C3), 125.30 (C8), 124.31 (C2), 65.84 (C16), 62.32 (C14), 50.92 (C15), 50.69 (C19), 39.79 (C12), 22.81 (C13), 16.33 (C17), 5.48 (C18) ppm. **²⁹Si {¹H} NMR** (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.49 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Cl⁻] calculated for C₂₁H₃₅N₂O₂Si₁Si₁, 455.2030, found, 455.2018.



3-(ethylsulfonamido)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (7F):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)ethanesulfonamide (1.0 g, 5.15 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (1.4 mL, 7.72 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as clear golden brown coloured gummy oil. Yield: 86.0 % (1.73 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.63 (s, 1H, H3), 3.66 (m, 2H, H6), 3.53 (m, 9H, H11), 3.36 (m, 2H, H8), 3.25 – 3.15 (m, 8H, H7 & H4), 3.03 (m, 2H, H2), 2.12 (m, 2H, H5), 1.78 (m, 2H, H9), 1.31 (m, 3H, H1), 0.62 (t, 2H, ³J₁₀₋₉ = 7.8 Hz, H10) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 65.89 (C8), 62.40 (C6), 51.18 (C7), 50.81 (C11), 46.37 (C2), 40.09 (C4), 23.58 (C5), 16.54 (C9), 8.28 (C1), 5.73 (C10) ppm. ²⁹Si {¹H} NMR (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.51 ppm.

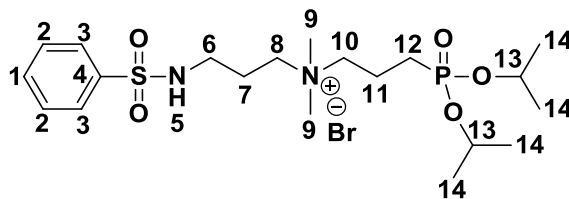


3-(butylsulfonamido)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(trimethoxysilyl)propyl)propan-1-aminium chloride (8F):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)butanesulfonamide (1.0 g, 4.50 mmol) and (3-chloropropyl)trimethoxysilane (1.2 mL, 6.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using

Et₂O (10 mL × 5) and obtained as clear golden brown coloured gummy oil. Yield: 60.0 % (1.13 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.62 (br s, 1H, H5), 3.64 (m, 2H, H8), 3.51 (s, 9H, H13), 3.34 (m, 2H, H4), 3.24 – 3.12 (m, 8H, H9 and H6), 2.98 (m, 2H, H4), 2.09 (m, 2H, H7), 1.83 – 1.66 (m, 4H, H11 & H3), 1.38 (m, 2H, H2), 0.86 (m, H1), 0.60 (t, 2H, ³J₁₂₋₁₁ = 7.3 Hz, H12) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 65.82 (C10), 51.81 (C4), 51.12 (C9), 50.74 (C13), 40.04 (C6), 25.38 (C3), 23.50 (C7), 21.58 (C2), 16.50 (C11), 13.62 (C1), 5.68 (C12) ppm. ²⁹Si {¹H} NMR (79.4 MHz, CDCl₃, δ): - 44.50 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Cl⁻] calculated for C₁₅H₃₇N₂O₅Si₁Si₁, 385.2187, found, 385.2185.

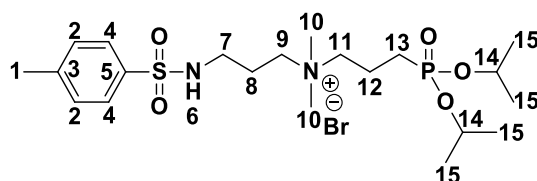
5.5.2 Synthesis of Organophosphorus based QUAT



3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(phenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (1H):

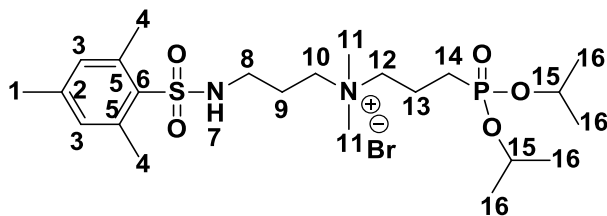
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)benzenesulfonamide (1.0 g, 4.13 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (1.10 mL, 4.13 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 4 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL X 3) and obtained as pale yellow coloured fluffy/gummy powder. Yield: 86.0 % (1.87 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.94 (d, 2H, ³J₃₋₂ = 6.5 Hz, H3), 7.65 (t, 1H, ³J₅₋₆ = 5.9 Hz, H5), 7.54 – 7.46 (m, 3H, H1 & H2), 4.63 (m, 2H, H13), 3.70 (m, 2H, H8), 3.60 (m, 2H, H10), 3.27 (s, 6H, H9), 3.01 (m, 2H, H6), 2.16 – 1.94 (m, 4H, (H7, H11, & ACN), 1.79 (dt, 2H, ²J_{12-P} = 17.7 Hz, H8, ³J₁₂₋₁₁ = 7.2 Hz, H12), 1.28 (dd, 12H, ⁴J_{14-P} = 6.2 Hz, H8, ³J₁₄₋₁₃ = 1.7 Hz, H14) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 139.57 (C4), 132.59 (C2), 129.23 (C1), 127.19 (C3), 70.82

(d, $^2J_{13-P} = 6.7$ Hz, C13), 63.74 (d, $^3J_{10-P} = 15.1$ Hz, C10), 62.41 (C8), 51.28 (C9), 39.89 (C6), 24.12 (d, $^3J_{14-P} = 4.5$ Hz, C14), 23.99 (d, $^3J_{14-P} = 4.0$ Hz, C14), 23.10 (d, $^1J_{12-P} = 144.3$ Hz, C12), 22.68 (C7), 16.67 (C11) ppm. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3 , 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.36 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[\text{M}^+ - \text{Br}^-]$ calculated for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{P}_1\text{S}_1$, 449.2234, found, 449.2232.



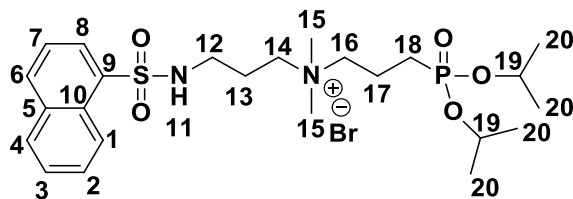
3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-N,N-dimethyl-N-(3-(4-methylphenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (2H):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide (0.50 g, 1.95 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.50 mL, 1.95 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 3 hours resulting in pale yellow solution with some precipitate formation. The product was purified using Et_2O (10 mL \times 3) and obtained as white puffy powder. Yield: 89.5 % (0.95 g). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, δ): 7.78 (d, 2H, $^3J_{4-2} = 8.2$ Hz, H4), 7.55 (t, 1H, $^3J_{6-7} = 5.8$ Hz, H6), 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 2H, H2 and CDCl_3), 4.61 (m, 2H, H14), 3.67 (m, 2H, H9), 3.59 (m, 2H, H11), 3.25 (s, 6H, H10), 2.95 (m, 2H, H7), 2.36 (s, 3H, H1), 2.16 – 1.90 (m, 4H, H8 & H12), 1.75 (dt, 2H, $^2J_{13-P} = 17.8$ Hz, $^3J_{13-12} = 7.1$ Hz, H13), 1.25 (dd, 12H, $^4J_{15-P} = 56.15$ Hz, $^3J_{15-14} = 2.1$ Hz, H15) ppm. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, δ): 143.25 (C5), 136.46 (C3), 129.74 (C2), 127.22 (C4), 70.71 (d, $^2J_{14-P} = 6.7$ Hz, C14), 63.67 (d, $^3J_{11-P} = 15.8$ Hz, C11), 62.42 (C9), 51.17 (C10), 39.86 (C7), 24.10 (d, $^3J_{15-P} = 4.5$ Hz, C15), 23.97 (d, $J_{15-P} = 4.0$ Hz, C15), 23.07 (d, $^1J_{13-P} = 144.1$ Hz, C13), 22.52 (C8), 21.47 (C1), 16.69 (d, $^2J_{12-P} = 4.1$ Hz, C12) ppm. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3 , 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.15 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[\text{M}^+ - \text{Br}^-]$ calculated for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{P}_1\text{S}_1$, 463.2390, found, 463.2394.



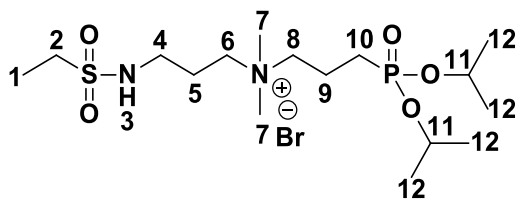
3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(2,4,6-trimethylphenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (3H):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-trimethylbenzenesulfonamide (0.50 g, 1.76 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.40 mL, 1.76 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 4 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as pale yellow coloured fluffy/gummy powder. Yield: 71.0 % (0.71 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.14 (t, 1H, ³*J*₇₋₈ = 6.0 Hz, H7), 6.92 (s, 2H, H3), 4.65 (m, 2H, H15), 3.80 (m, 2H, H10), 3.67 (m, 2H, H12), 3.32 (s, 6H, H11), 3.01 (dd, 2H, ³*J*₈₋₉ = 11.2 Hz, ³*J*₈₋₉ = 5.6 Hz, H8), 2.63 (s, 6H, H4), 2.27 (s, 3H, H1), 2.22 – 2.00 (m, 4H, H9 & H13), 1.81 (dt, 2H, ²*J*_{14-P} = 17.8 Hz, ³*J*₁₄₋₁₃ = 7.0 Hz, H14), 1.30 (d, 12H, ³*J*₁₆₋₁₅ = 6.2 Hz, H16) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 142.11 (C6), 139.07 (C2), 133.33 (C5), 132.00 (C3), 70.80 (d, ²*J*_{15-P} = 6.7 Hz, C15), 63.68 (d, ³*J*_{12-P} = 15.0 Hz, C12), 62.35 (C10), 51.32 (C11), 39.20 (C8), 24.13 (d, ³*J*_{16-P} = 4.5 Hz, C16), 24.00 (d, ³*J*_{16-P} = 4.0 Hz, C16), 23.09 (d, ¹*J*_{14-P} = 144.3 Hz, C14), 23.22 (C4), 22.68 (C9), 20.89 (C1), 16.76 (C13) ppm. **³¹P{¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.16 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₂₃H₄₄N₂O₅P₁S₁, 491.2703, found, 491.2693.



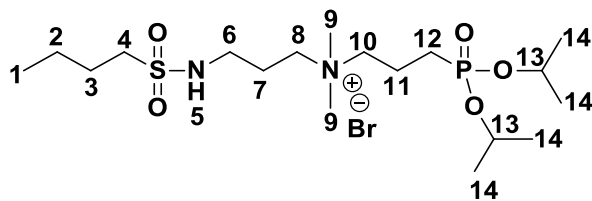
3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(naphthalene-1-sulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (5H):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)naphthalene-1-sulfonamide (0.50 g, 4.13 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.50 mL, 3.42 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 5.5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as pale yellow coloured fluffy/gummy powder. Yield: 77.4 % (0.77 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.82 (d, 1H, ³*J*₈₋₇ = 8.7 Hz, H8), 8.20 (d, 1H, ³*J*₆₋₇ = 7.3 Hz, H6), 8.02 (d, 1H, ³*J*₁₋₂ = 8.3 Hz, H1), 7.92 – 7.84 (m, 2H, H4 & H11), 7.69 (m, 1H, H7), 7.57 – 7.48 (m, 2H, H3 & H2), 4.60 (m, 2H, H19), 3.62 – 3.47 (m, 4H, H14 & H16), 3.12 (s, 6H, H15), 3.03 (dd, 2H, ³*J*₁₂₋₁₁ = 11.2 Hz, ³*J*₁₂₋₁₃ = 5.6 Hz, H12), 2.08 – 1.82 (m, 7H, (ACN, H13 & H17)), 1.71 (dt, 2H, ²*J*_{18-P} = 17.5 Hz, ³*J*₁₈₋₁₇ = 7.2 Hz, H18), 1.12 (m, 12H, H20) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 134.63 (C9), 134.18 (C5), 13.14 (C1), 129.37 (C6), 128.92 (C4), 128.63 (C7), 128.03 (C10), 127.08 (C3), 125.17 (C8), 124.36 (C2), 70.80 (d, ²*J*_{19-P} = 6.7 Hz, C19), 63.60 (d, ³*J*_{16-P} = 15.1 Hz, C16), 62.36 (C14), 51.14 (C15), 39.74 (C12), 24.12 (d, ³*J*_{20-P} = 4.5 Hz, C20), 23.99 (d, ³*J*_{20-P} = 4.0 Hz, C20), 23.02 (d, ¹*J*_{18-P} = 144.5 Hz, C18), 22.68 (C13), 16.65 (d, ²*J*_{17-P} = 144.3 Hz, C17) ppm. **³¹P{¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.19 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [*M*⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₂₄H₄₄N₂O₅P₁Si₁, 499.2390, found, 499.2385.



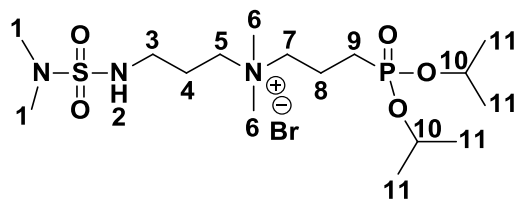
3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-N-(3-(ethylsulfonamido)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (7H):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)ethanesulfonamide (0.25 g, 1.29 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.30 mL, 1.29 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 5 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as white coloured gummy powder. Yield: 86.0 % (0.53 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.08 (t, 1H, *J*₃₋₄ = 5.8 Hz, H3), 4.66 (m, 2H, H11), 3.74 (m, 2H, H6), 3.63 (m, 2H, H8), 3.35 – 3.16 (m, 8H, H7 & H4), 3.07 (q, 2H, ³*J*₂₋₁ = 7.4 Hz, H2), 2.19 (m, 2H, H5), 2.04 (m, 2H, H9), 1.82 (dt, 2H, ²*J*_{10-P} = 17.4 Hz, ³*J*₁₀₋₉ = 7.2 Hz, H10), 1.44 – 1.24 (m, 15H, H1 & H12) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 70.74 (d, ²*J*_{11-P} = 6.7 Hz, C11), 63.75 (d, ³*J*_{8-P} = 15.7 Hz, C8), 62.36 (C6), 51.20 (C7), 46.22 (C2), 39.97 (C4), 24.12 (d, ³*J*_{12-P} = 4.5 Hz, C12), 23.98 (d, ³*J*_{12-P} = 4.0 Hz, C12), 23.14 (d, ¹*J*_{10-P} = 144.3 Hz, C10), 23.36 (C5), 16.74 (C9), 8.24 (C1) ppm. ³¹P{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.05 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₁₆H₃₈N₂O₅P₁S₁, 401.2234, found, 401.2235.



3-(butylsulfonamido)-N-(3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (8H):

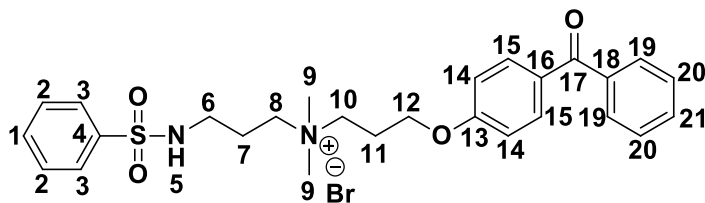
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)butane-1-sulfonamide (0.50 g, 2.25 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.60 mL, 2.25 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 3 hours resulting in viscous golden yellow brown solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL × 3) and obtained as pale yellow coloured gummy powder. Yield: 82.0 % (0.94 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.07 (t, 1H, ³J₃₋₄ = 6.1 Hz, H5), 4.69 (m, 2H, H13), 3.78 (m, 2H, H8), 3.66 (m, 2H, H10), 3.33 (s, 6H, H9), 3.28 (m, 2H, H6), 3.29 (t, 2H, ³J₄₋₃ = 8.4 Hz, H4), 2.21 (m, 2H, H7), 2.08 (m, 2H, H11), 1.89 – 1.75 (m, 4H, H3 & H12), 1.45 (m, 2H, H2), 1.34 (m, 12H, H14), 0.96 (t, 3H, ³J₁₋₂ = 7.4 Hz, H1) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 70.77 (d, ²J_{13-P} = 6.7 Hz, C13), 63.73 (d, ³J_{10-P} = 15.5 Hz, C10), 62.36 (C8), 51.72 (C4), 51.25 (C9), 39.98 (C6), 25.35 (C3), 24.14 (d, ³J_{14-P} = 4.5 Hz, C14), 24.00 (d, ³J_{14-P} = 4.0 Hz, C14), 23.87 & 22.43 (d, ¹J_{12-P} = 144.4 Hz, C12), 23.37 (C7), 21.51 (C2), 16.73 (d, ²J_{11-P} = 4.2 Hz, C11), 13.62 (C1) ppm. **³¹P{¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.22 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₁₈H₄₂N₂O₅P₁S₁, 429.2547, found, 429.2543.



3-(diisopropoxyphosphoryl)-N-(3-((N,N-dimethylsulfamoyl)amino)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (9H):

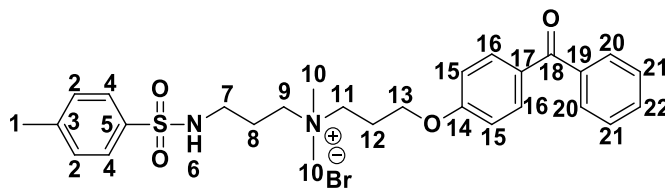
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(2-(dimethylamino)propyl)-*N,N*-Dimethyl-sulfamide (0.50 g, 2.39 mmol) and diisopropyl (3-bromopropyl)phosphonate (0.6 mL, 2.39 mmol, 1 eq.) in ACN (3 mL) for 3 hours resulting in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was purified using Et₂O (10 mL X 3) and obtained as pale yellow coloured fluffy/gummy powder. Yield: 91.7 % (1.09 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.02 (t, 1H, *J*₂₋₃ = 5.9 Hz, H2), 4.62 (m, 2H, H10), 3.66 (m, 2H, H5), 3.59 (m, 2H, H7), 3.26 (s, 6H, H6), 3.14 (m, 2H, H3), 2.75 (s, 6H, H1), 2.12 (m, 2H, H4), 2.05 – 1.97 (m, 2H, H8), 1.78 (dt, 2H, ²*J*_{9-P} = 17.4 Hz, ³*J*₉₋₈ = 7.2 Hz, H9), 1.25 (m, 12H, H11) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 70.78 (d, ²*J*_{10-P} = 6.6 Hz, C10), 63.74 (d, ³*J*_{7-P} = 15.4 Hz, C7), 62.44 (C5), 51.24 (C6), 40.19 (C6), 38.15 (C1), 24.13 (d, ³*J*_{11-P} = 4.5 Hz, C11), 24.06 (d, ³*J*_{11-P} = 4.0 Hz, C11), 23.15 (d, ¹*J*_{9-P} = 144.0 Hz, C9), 22.84 (C4), 16.74 (C8) ppm. **³¹P{¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 121.45 MHz, δ): 27.27 ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₁₆H₃₉N₂O₅P₁S₁, 416.2343, found, 416.2341.

5.5.3 Synthesis of Benzophenone based QUAT



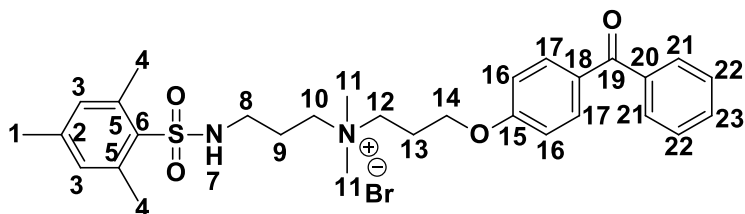
3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(phenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (1J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)phenylsulfonamide (0.921 g, 3.8 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (1.29 g, 4.0 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy pale yellow coloured powder after purification. Yield: 82% (1.74 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.93 (m, 2H, H3), 7.82 (m, 1H, H5), 7.74 – 7.62 (m, 4H, H15 & H19), 7.53 (m, 1H, H21), 7.49 – 7.37 (m, 5H, (H1, H2, & H20)), 6.89 (d, 2H, ³*J*₁₄₋₁₅ = 8.9 Hz, H14), 4.11 (t, ³*J*₁₂₋₁₁ = 5.3 Hz, H12), 3.79 – 3.56 (m, 4H, H8 & H10), 3.27 (s, 6H, H9), 3.01 (m, 2H, H6), 2.29 (m, 2H, H11), 2.10 (m, 2H, H7) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.58 (C17), 161.80 (C13), 139.64 (C1), 137.99 (C4), 132.71 (C18), 132.51 (C15), 132.19 (C21), 130.60 (C16), 139.75 (C2), 129.32 (C19), 128.35 (C20), 127.22 (C3), 114.31 (C14), 64.68 (C12), 62.44 (C8), 62.06 (C10), 39.98 (C6), 23.08 (C11), 22.75 (C7) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [*M*⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₂₇H₃₃N₂O₄S, 481.2156; found 481.2155.



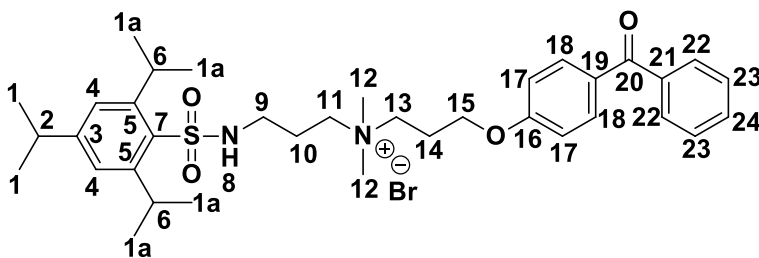
3-(4-benzoyloxy)-N,N-dimethyl-N-(3-(4-methylphenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (2J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-4-methylphenyl)sulfonamide (1.05 g, 4.1 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (1.417 g, 4.44 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy white coloured powder after purification. Yield: 80 % (1.88 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.80 (d, 2H, *J*₄₋₂ = 8.2 Hz, H4), 7.73 – 7.65 (m, 4H, H16 & H20), 7.56 – 7.59 (m, 1H, H22), 7.42 (t, *J*₄₋₂ = 7.2 Hz 2H, H22), 7.21 (d, 2H, *J*₂₋₄ = 8.2 Hz, H2), 6.89 (d, 2H, *J*₁₅₋₁₆ = 8.8 Hz, H15), 4.12 (t, 2H, *J*₁₃₋₁₂ = 5.4 Hz, H13), 3.79 – 3.59 (m, 4H, H9 & H11), 3.29 (s, 6H, H10), 3.07 – 2.90 (m, 2H, H7), 2.35 – 2.23 (m, 5H, H1 & H12), 2.19 – 2.03 (m, 2H, H8) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.57 (C18), 161.82 (C14), 143.50 (C3), 138.05 (C5), 136.53 (C19), 132.54 (C16), 132.19 (C22), 130.69 (C17), 129.90 (C20), 129.80 (C2), 128.36 (C21), 127.34 (C4), 114.32 (C15), 64.71 (C13), 62.53 (C9), 62.11 (C11), 51.62 (C10), 40.01 (C7), 23.15 (C12), 22.75 (C8), 21.57 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₂₈H₃₅N₂O₄S, 495.2312; found 495.2319.



3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-N,N-dimethyl-N-(3-(2,4,6-trimethylphenylsulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (3J):

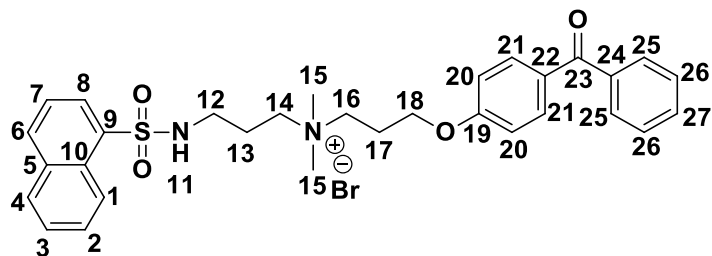
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-trimethylphenylsulfonamide (0.853 g, 3.0 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (1.0 g, 3.13 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy white coloured powder after purification. Yield: 67 % (1.20 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.76 (d, 2H, *J*₁₇₋₁₆ = 8.7 Hz, H17), 7.72 (d, 2H, *J*₂₁₋₂₂ = 7.2 Hz, H21), 7.56 (t, 2H, ³*J*₂₃₋₂₂ = 7.4 Hz, H23), 7.56 (m, 2H, H22), 7.22 (t, 1H, ³*J*₇₋₈ = 6.2 Hz, H7), 6.94 (t, 2H, ³*J*₁₆₋₁₇ = 6.0 Hz, H16), 6.90 (s, 2H, H3), 4.21 (t, 2H, ³*J*₁₄₋₁₃ = 5.4 Hz, H14), 3.85 (m, 2H, H10), 3.75 (m, 2H, H12), 3.37 (s, 6H, H11), 3.04 (m, 2H, H8), 2.63 (s, 6H, H4), 2.38 (m, 2H, H13), 2.25 (s, 3H, H1), 2.20 (m, 2H, H9) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.63 (C19), 161.81 (C15), 142.40 (C5), 139.24 (C2), 138.15 (20), 133.41 (C6), 132.66 (C17), 132.22 (C23), 132.18 (C3), 130.91 (C18), 129.90 (C21), 128.39 (C22), 64.72 (C14), 62.68 (C10), 62.29 (C12), 51.77 (C11), 39.36 (C8), 23.42 (C4), 23.27 (C13), 23.05 (C9), 21.03 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₃₀H₃₉N₂O₄S, 523.2625; found 523.2636.



3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-N,N-dimethyl-N-(3-(2,4,6-triisopropylphenyl)sulfonamido)propylpropan-1-aminium bromide (4J):

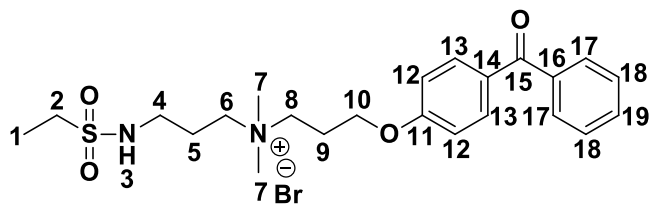
This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)-2,4,6-triisopropylbenzenesulfonamide (0.379 g, 1.03 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (0.329 g, 1.03 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy pale white coloured powder after purification. Yield: 92% (0.65 g).

¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.78 – 7.65 (m, 4H, H18 & H22), 7.57 – 7.49 (m, 1H, H24), 7.43 (t, 2H, ³J₂₃₋₂₂ = 7.5 Hz, H23), 7.12 (s, 2H, H4), 7.06 (t, 1H, ³J₈₋₉ = 6.1 Hz, H8), 6.93 (d, 2H, ³J₁₇₋₁₈ = 8.9 Hz, H17), 4.20 (t, 2H, ³J₁₅₋₁₄ = 5.5 Hz, H15), 4.12 (m, 2H, H6), 3.86 (m, 2H, H11), 3.75 (m, 2H, H13), 3.39 (s, 6H, H12), 3.10 (m, 1H, H9), 2.85 (m, 1H, H2), 2.37 (m, 2H, H14), 2.20 (m, 2H, H10), 1.21 (m, 18H, H1 & H1a) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.55 (C20), 161.75 (C16), 152.76 (C3), 150.33 (C7), 138.01 (C21), 132.50 (C18), 132.06 (C24), 131.96 (C5), 130.66 (C19), 129.74 (C22), 128.24 (C23), 123.88 (C4), 114.22 (C17), 64.67 (C15), 62.49 (C11), 62.03 (C13), 51.66 (C12), 39.47 (C9), 34.10 (C2), 29.54 (C6), 25.12 (C1), 23.14 (C14), 23.07 (C10) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₃₆H₅₁N₂O₄S, 607.3564; found 607.3555.



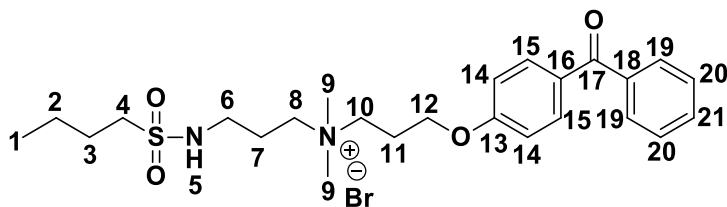
3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-*N,N*-dimethyl-*N*-(3-(naphthalene-1-sulfonamido)propyl)propan-1-aminium bromide (5J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)naphthalene-1-sulfonamide (0.584 g, 2.0 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (0.702 g, 2.2 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy white coloured powder after purification. Yield: 82 % (1.0 g). **¹H NMR** (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 8.80 (d, 1H, ³*J*₁₋₂ = 8.7 Hz, H1), 8.15 (d, 1H, ³*J*₈₋₇ = 7.3 Hz, H8), 7.96 (s, 1H, H11), 7.91 (d, 1H, ³*J*₆₋₇ = 8.3 Hz, H6), 7.78 (d, 1H, ³*J*₄₋₃ = 8.2 Hz, H4), 7.70 – 7.55 (m, 4H, (H2, H25, & H21)), 7.51 (t, 2H, ³*J*₂₇₋₂₆ = 7.4 Hz, H27), 7.46 – 7.34 (m, 4H, (H3, H26, & H7)), 6.77 (d, 2H, ³*J*₂₀₋₂₁ = 8.7 Hz, H20), 3.92 (m, 2H, H18), 3.59 – 3.37 (m, 4H, H14 & H16), 3.19 – 2.91 (m, 8H, H15 & H12), 2.04 (m, 2H, H17), 1.91 (m, 2H, H13) ppm. **¹³C {¹H} NMR** (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.59 (C23), 161.77 (C19), 138.04 (C24), 134.85 (C9), 134.21 (C6), 132.50 (C25), 132.20 (C27), 130.56 (C10), 129.80 (C2), 129.36 (C8), 129.05 (C4), 128.76 (C21), 128.37 (C7), 128.00 (C22), 127.18 (C3), 125.20 (C1), 124.52 (C26), 114.25 (C20), 64.59 (C18), 62.42 (C14), 62.10 (C16), 51.42 (15), 39.83 (C12), 22.92 (C17 & C13) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (*m/z*): [*M*⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₃₁H₃₅N₂O₄S, 531.2312; found 531.2328.



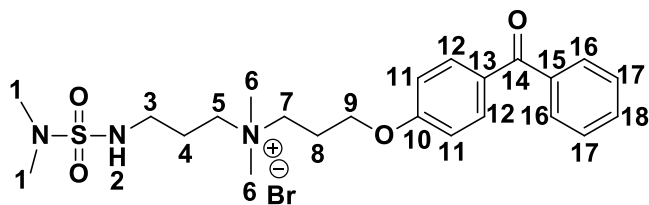
3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-N-(3-(ethylsulfonamido)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (7J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)ethanesulfonamide (0.250 g, 1.29 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (0.411 g, 1.29 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy pale yellow coloured powder after purification. Yield: 77% (0.52 g). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, δ): 7.78 (d, 2H, $^3J_{13-12} = 8.7$ Hz, H13), 7.72 (d, 2H, $^3J_{17-18} = 7.4$ Hz, H17), 7.56 (t, 2H, $^3J_{19-18} = 7.4$ Hz, H19), 7.50 – 7.40 (m, 2H, H18), 7.12 (t, 1H, $^3J_{3-4} = 6.0$ Hz, H3), 6.98 (d, 2H, $^3J_{12-13} = 8.8$ Hz, H12), 4.21 (t, 2H, $^3J_{10-9} = 5.3$ Hz, H10), 3.80 (m, 2H, H6), 3.71 (m, 2H, H8), 3.35 (s, 6H, H7), 3.31 – 3.22 (m, 2H, H4), 3.07 (q, 2H, $J_{2-3} = 7.3$ Hz, H2), 2.37 (m, 2H, H9), 2.20 (m, 2H, H5), 1.34 (t, 3H, $^3J_{2-3} = 7.4$ Hz, H1) ppm. ^{13}C $\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, δ): 195.55 (C15), 161.66 (C11), 137.94 (C16), 132.55 (C13), 132.16 (C19), 130.83 (C14), 129.78 (C17), 128.29 (C18), 114.22 (C12), 64.57 (C10), 62.46 (C6), 62.17 (C8), 51.61 (C7), 46.44 (C2), 39.95 (C4), 23.64 (C5), 23.11 (C9), 8.27 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[\text{M}^+ - \text{Br}^-]$ calculated for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}$, 433.2156; found 433.2153.



3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-N-(3-(butylsulfonamido)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (8J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(3-(dimethylamino)propyl)butane-1-sulfonamide (0.324 g, 1.46 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (0.466 g, 1.46 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy pale yellow coloured powder after purification. Yield: 73% (0.58 g) ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz, δ): 7.74 (d, 2H, $^3J_{15-14} = 8.7$ Hz, H15), 7.69 (d, 2H, $^3J_{19-20} = 7.1$ Hz, H19), 7.54 (t, 1H, $^3J_{21-20} = 7.4$ Hz, H21), 7.44 (m, 2H, H20), 7.10 (t, 1H, $^3J_{5-6} = 5.6$ Hz, H5), 6.96 (d, 2H, $^3J_{14-15} = 8.8$ Hz, H14), 4.18 (t, 1H, $^3J_{12-11} = 5.2$ Hz, H12), 3.79 – 3.61 (m, 2H, H8 & H10), 3.33 (s, 6H, H9), 3.24 (m, 2H, H6), 3.02 (m, 2H, H4), 2.33 (m, 2H, H11), 2.18 (m, 2H, H7), 1.73 (m, 2H, H3), 1.38 (m, 2H, H2), 0.87 (t, 3H, $^3J_{1-2} = 7.3$ Hz, H1) ppm. ^{13}C $\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz, δ): 195.56 (C17), 161.17 (C13), 137.89 (C18), 132.50 (C15), 132.16 (C21), 130.62 (C16), 129.71 (C19), 128.29 (C20), 114.27 (C14), 64.67 (C12), 62.30 (C8), 61.96 (C10), 51.79 (C4), 51.56 (C9), 25.37 (C3), 23.55 (C7), 23.05 (C11), 21.51 (C2), 13.64 (C1) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): $[\text{M}^+ - \text{Br}^-]$ calculated for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}$, 461.2469; found 461.2458.



3-(4-benzoylphenoxy)-N-(3-((N,N-dimethylsulfamoyl)amino)propyl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-aminium bromide (9J):

This compound was synthesized using *N*-(2-(dimethylamino)propyl)-*N,N*-Dimethyl-sulfamide (0.232 g, 1.11 mmol) and 4-(3-bromopropoxy)benzophenone (0.354 g, 1.11 mmol) in ACN (10 mL) for 48 hours; yielding in viscous pale yellow solution. The product was obtained as fluffy pale yellow coloured powder after purification. Yield: 60 % (0.36 g). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz, δ): 7.70 (d, 2H, ³J₁₂₋₁₁ = 8.7 Hz, H12), 7.65 (d, 2H, ³J₁₆₋₁₇ = 7.2 Hz, H16), 7.51 (t, 1H, ³J₁₈₋₁₇ = 7.4 Hz, H18), 7.40 (m, 2H, H17), 7.03 – 6.87 (m, 3H, H11 & H2), 4.15 (t, 2H, J₉₋₈ = 4.7 Hz, H9), 3.71 – 3.53 (m, 4H, H5 & H7), 3.28 (s, 6H, H6), 3.15 (m, 2H, H3), 2.72 (s, 6H, H1), 2.29 (m, 2H, H8), 2.11 (m, 2H, H4) ppm. ¹³C {¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz, δ): 195.62 (C14), 161.88 (C9), 137.87 (C15), 132.50 (C12), 132.17 (C18), 130.49 (C13), 129.73 (C16), 128.30 (C17), 114.35 (C11), 64.82 (C9), 62.24 (C5), 61.76 (C7), 51.62 (C6), 40.18 (C3), 38.15 (C1), 23.06 (C4), 22.97 (C8) ppm. HRMS-ESI-TOF (m/z): [M⁺ - Br⁻] calculated for C₂₃H₃₄N₂O₄S, 448.2265; found 448.2262.

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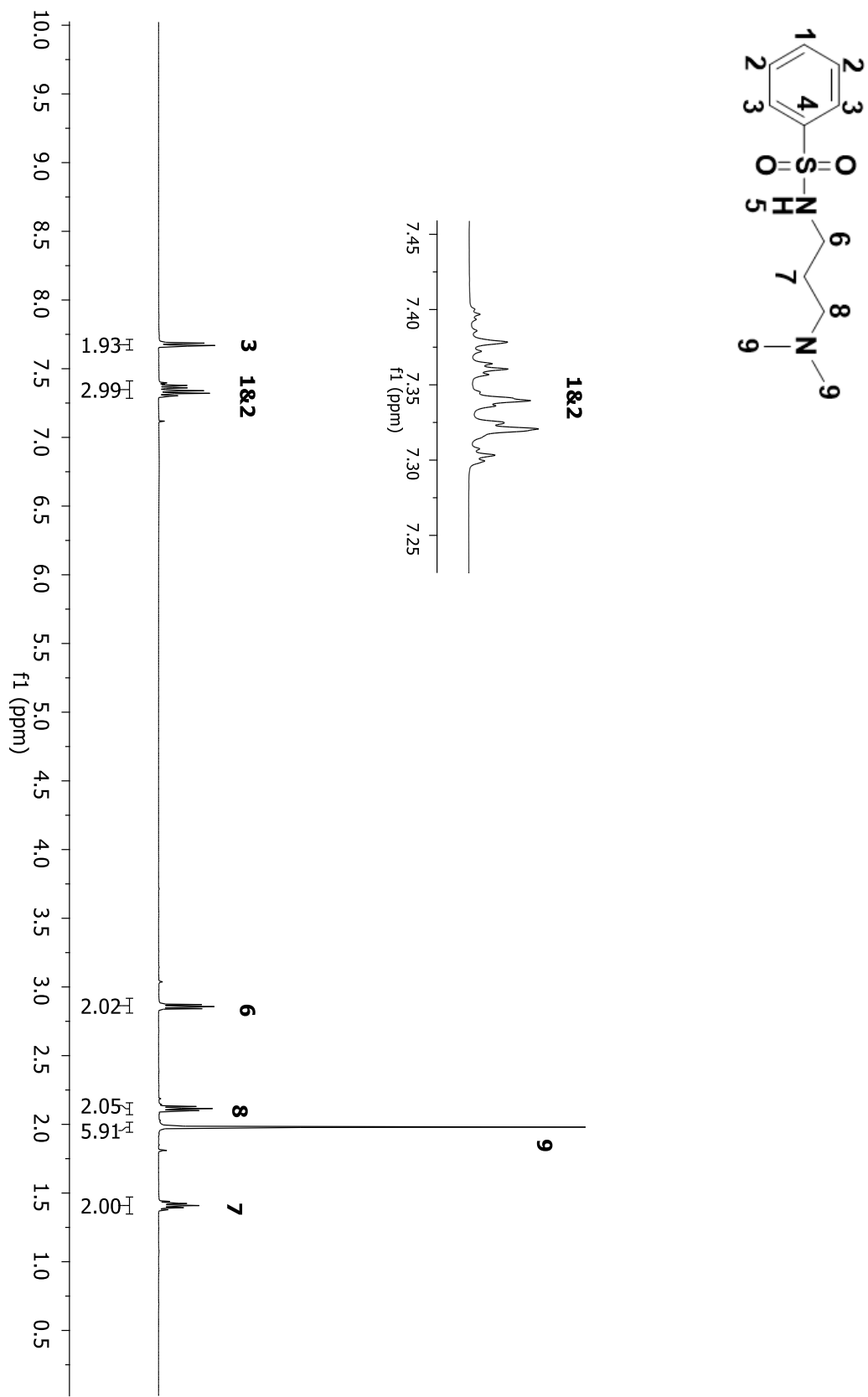


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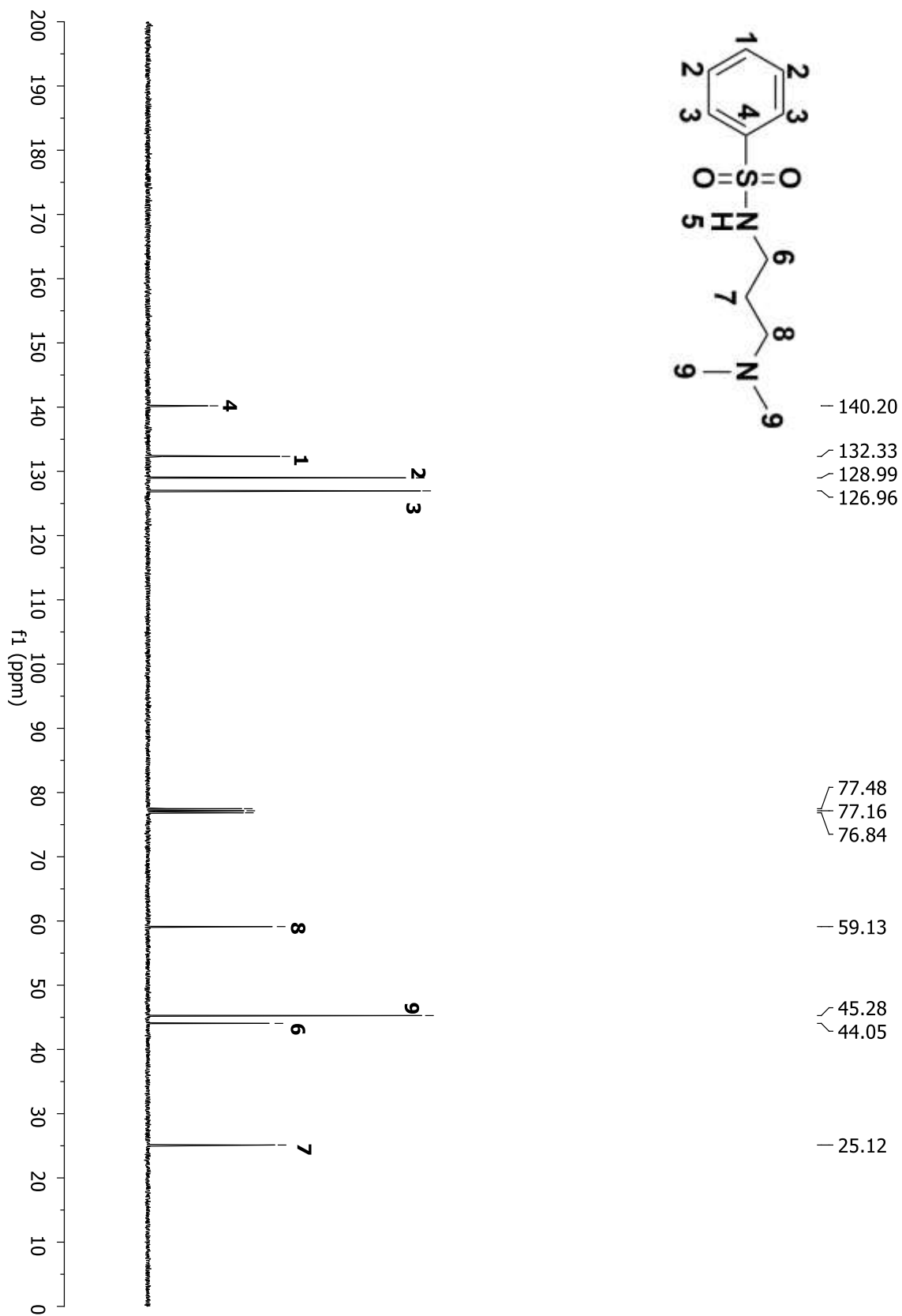


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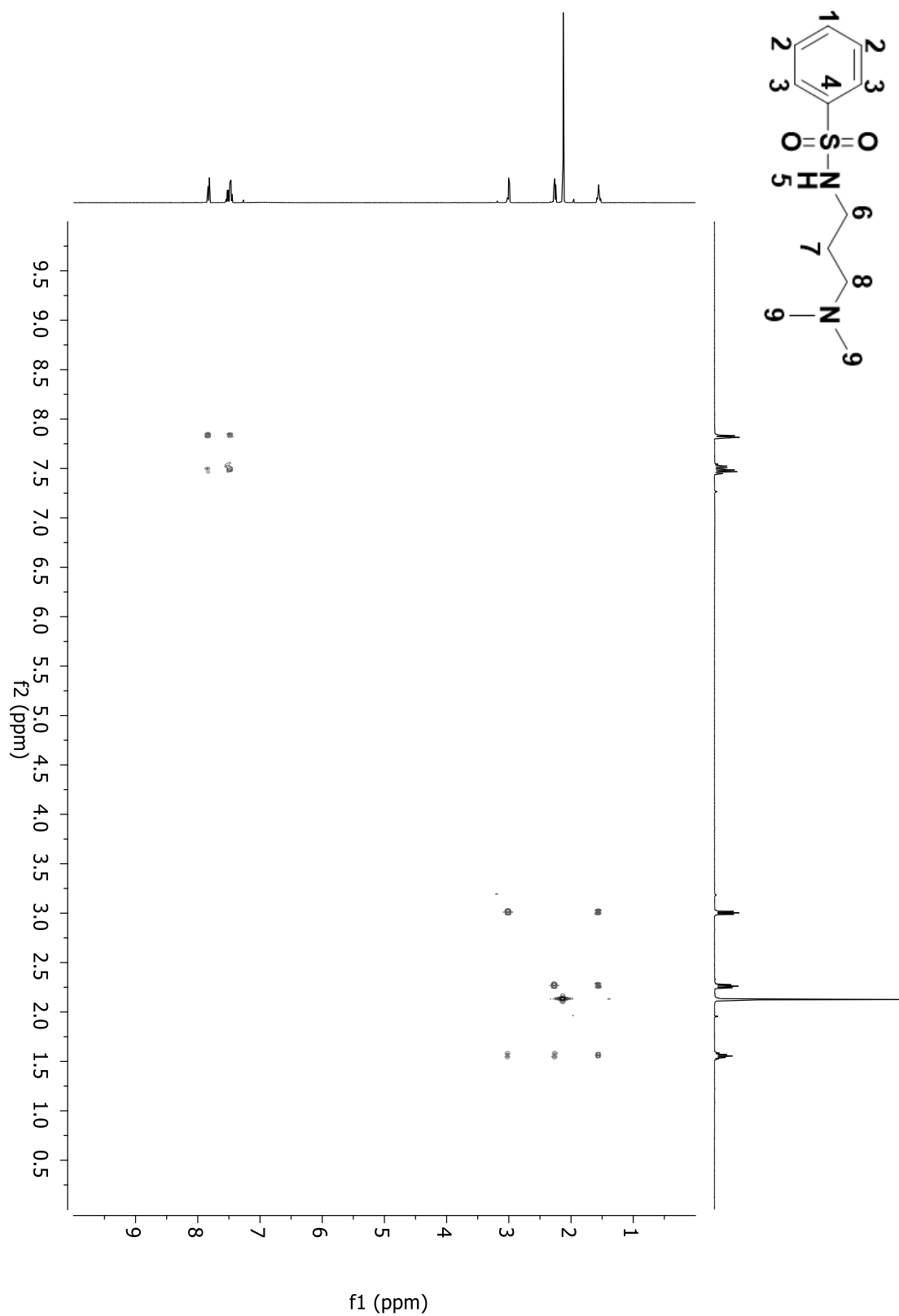


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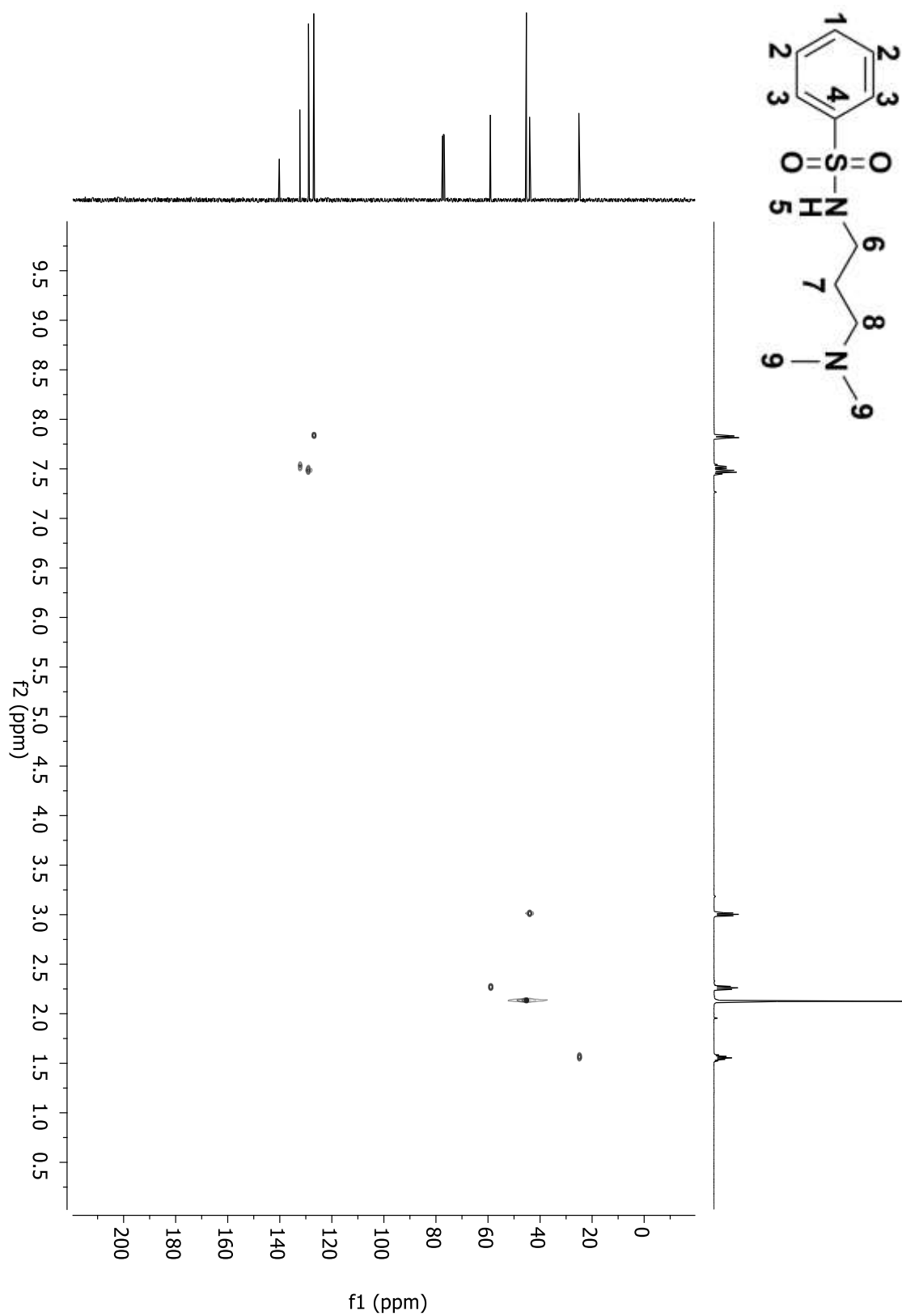


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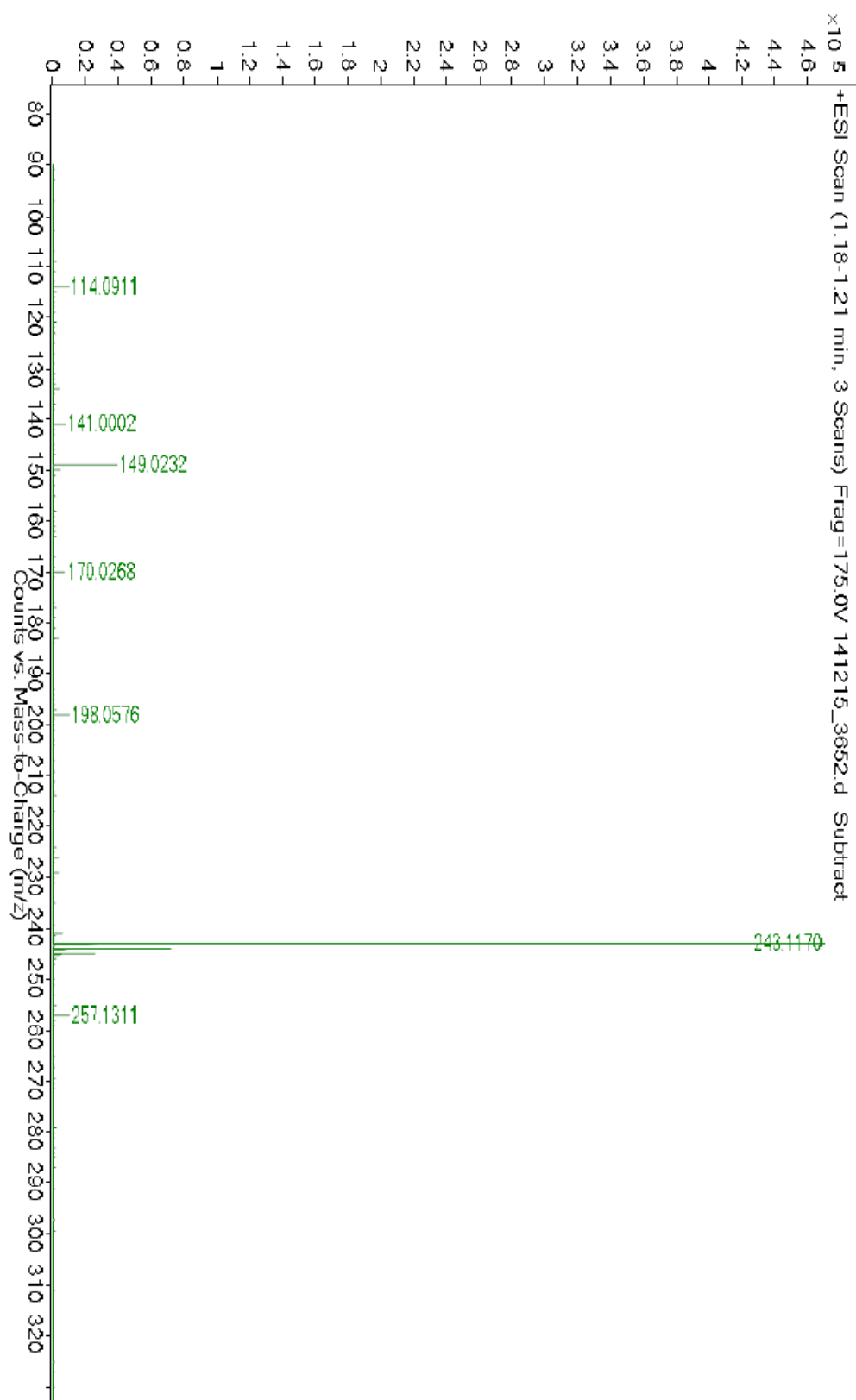


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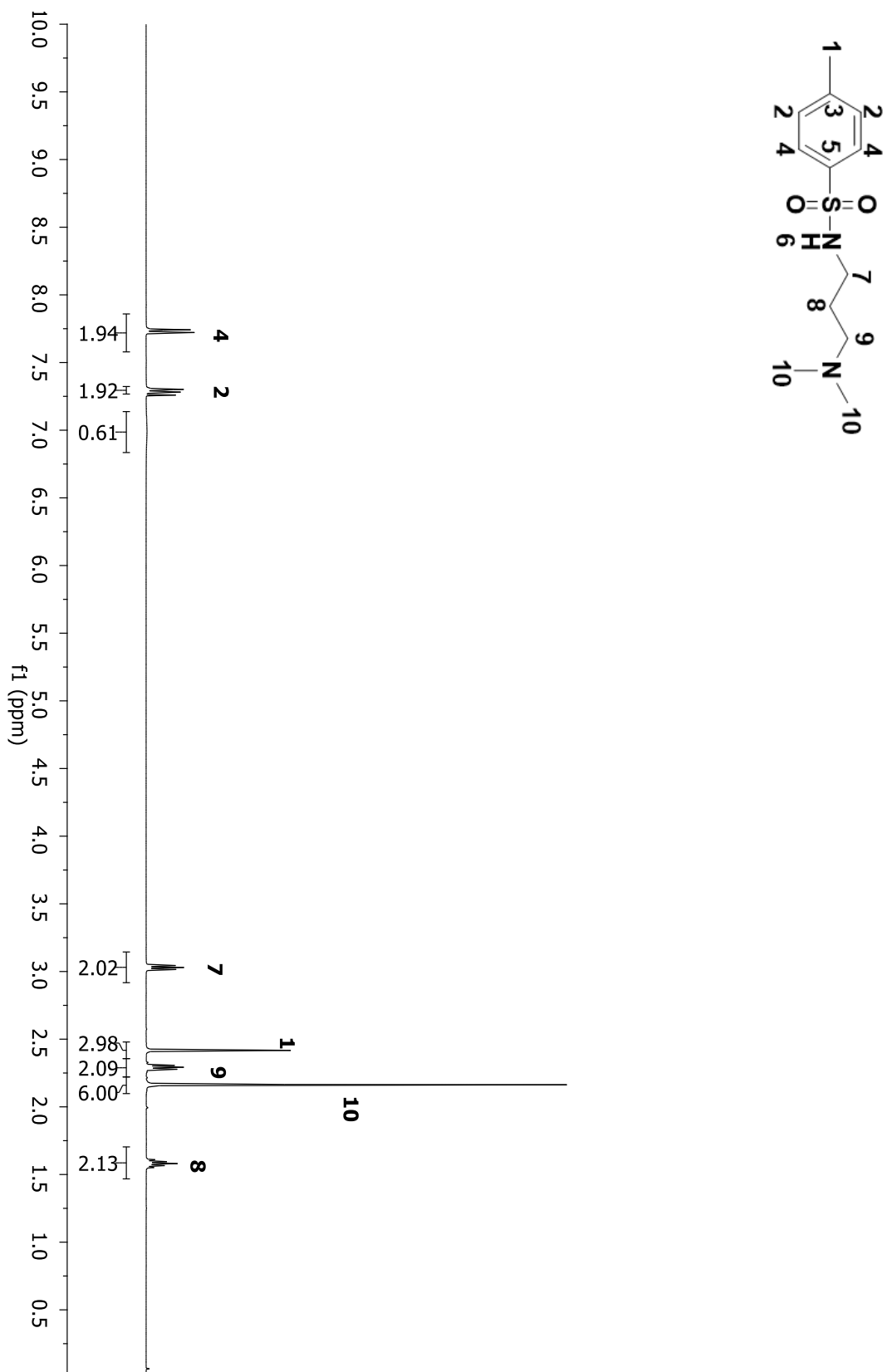


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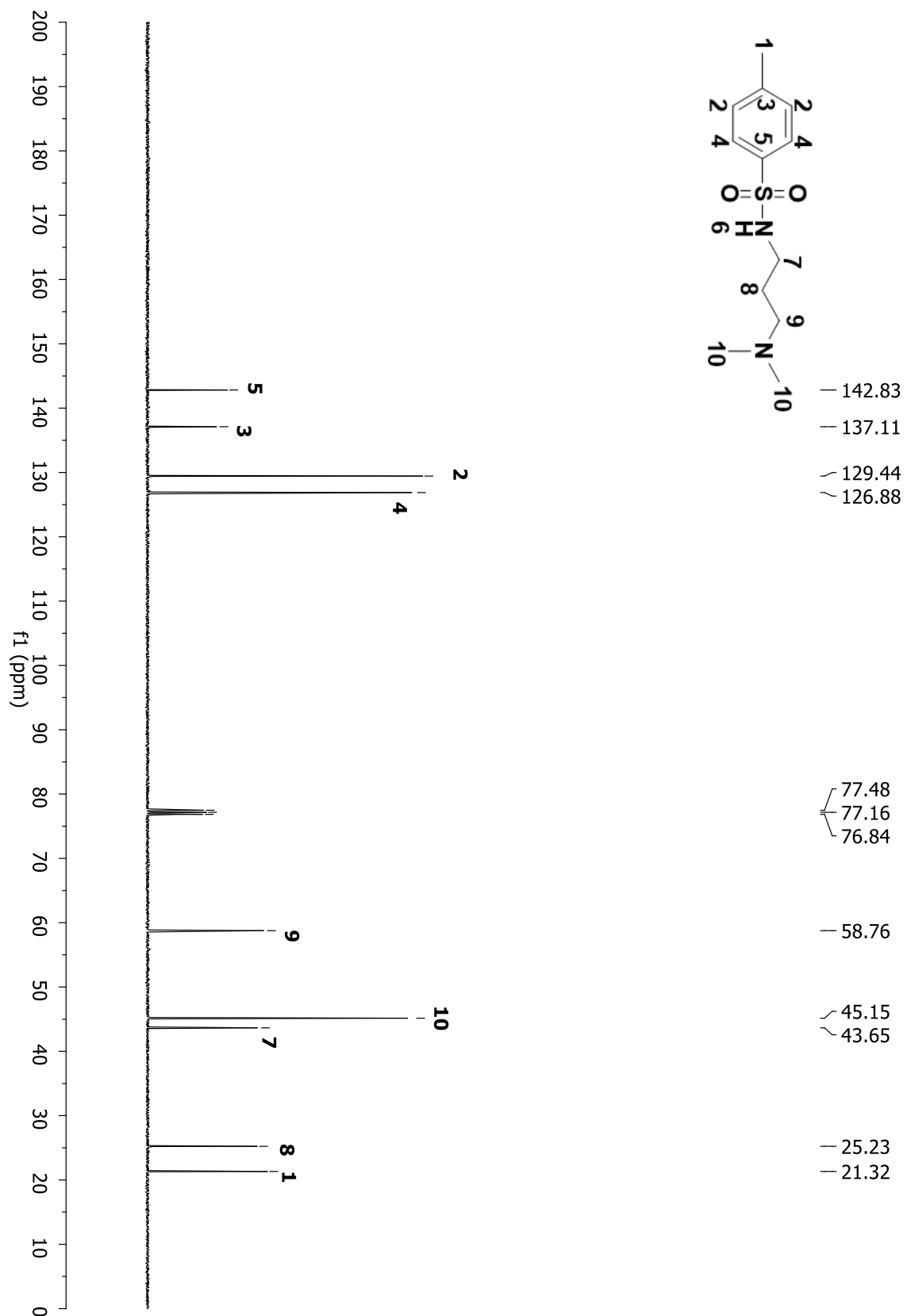


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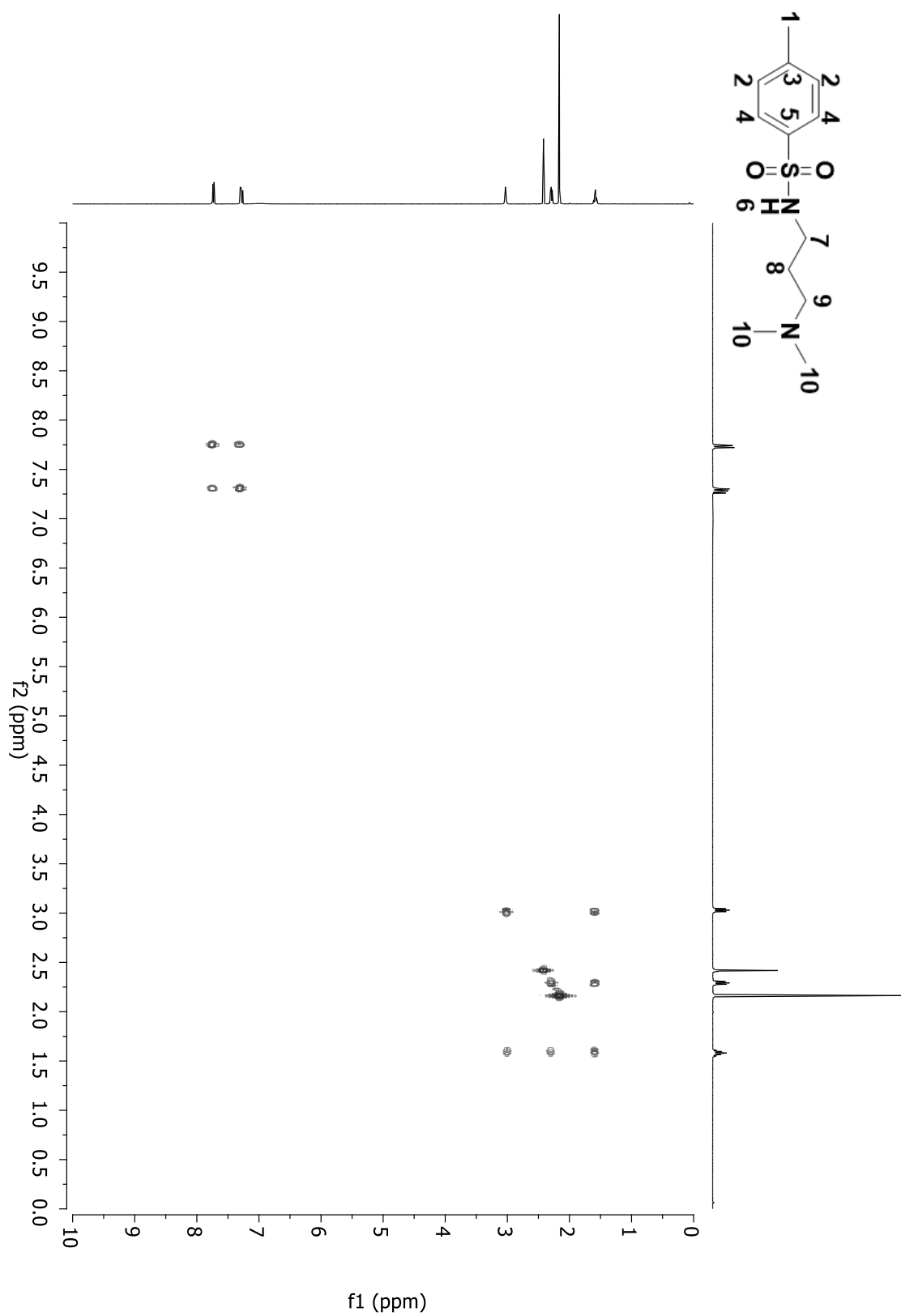


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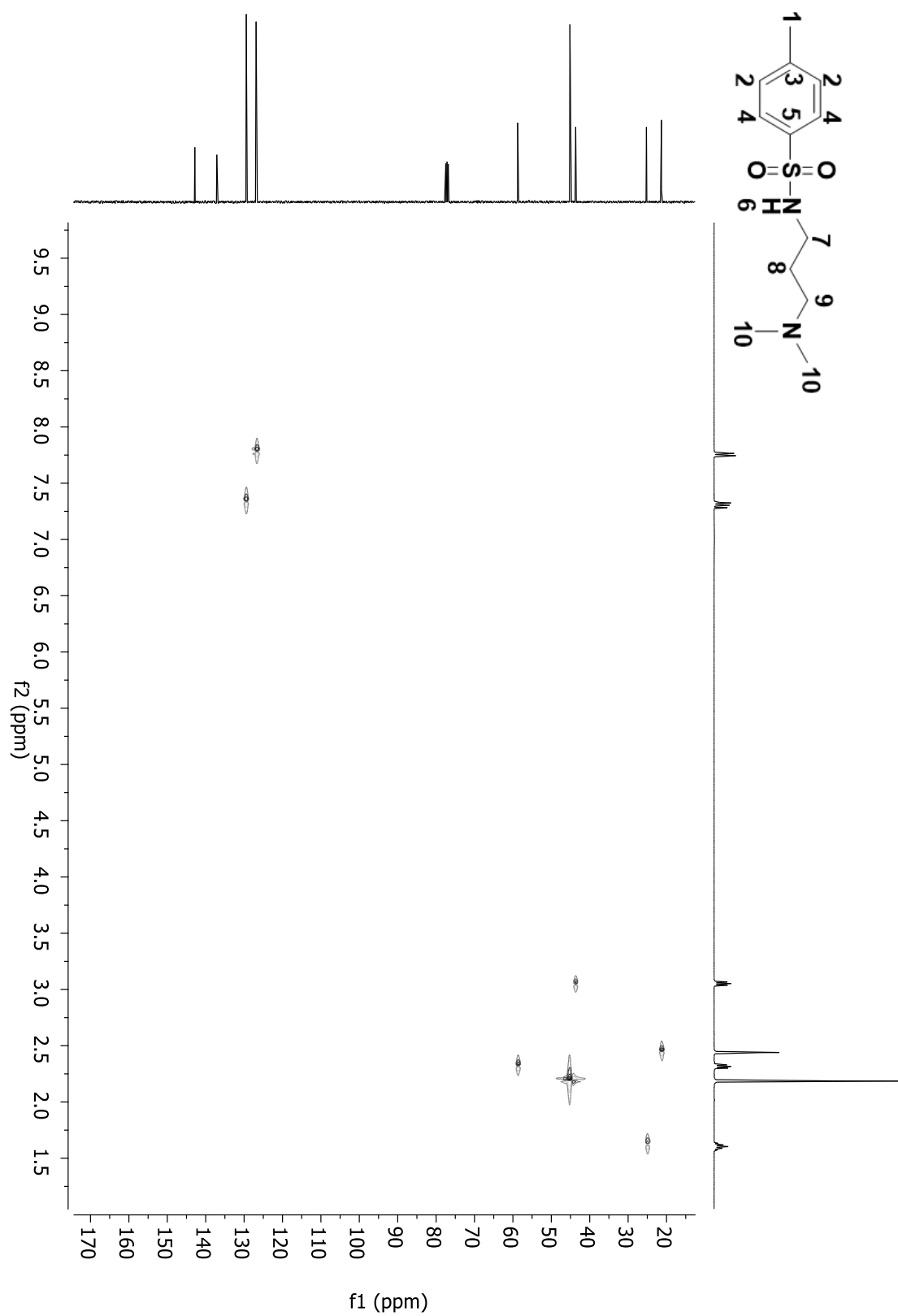


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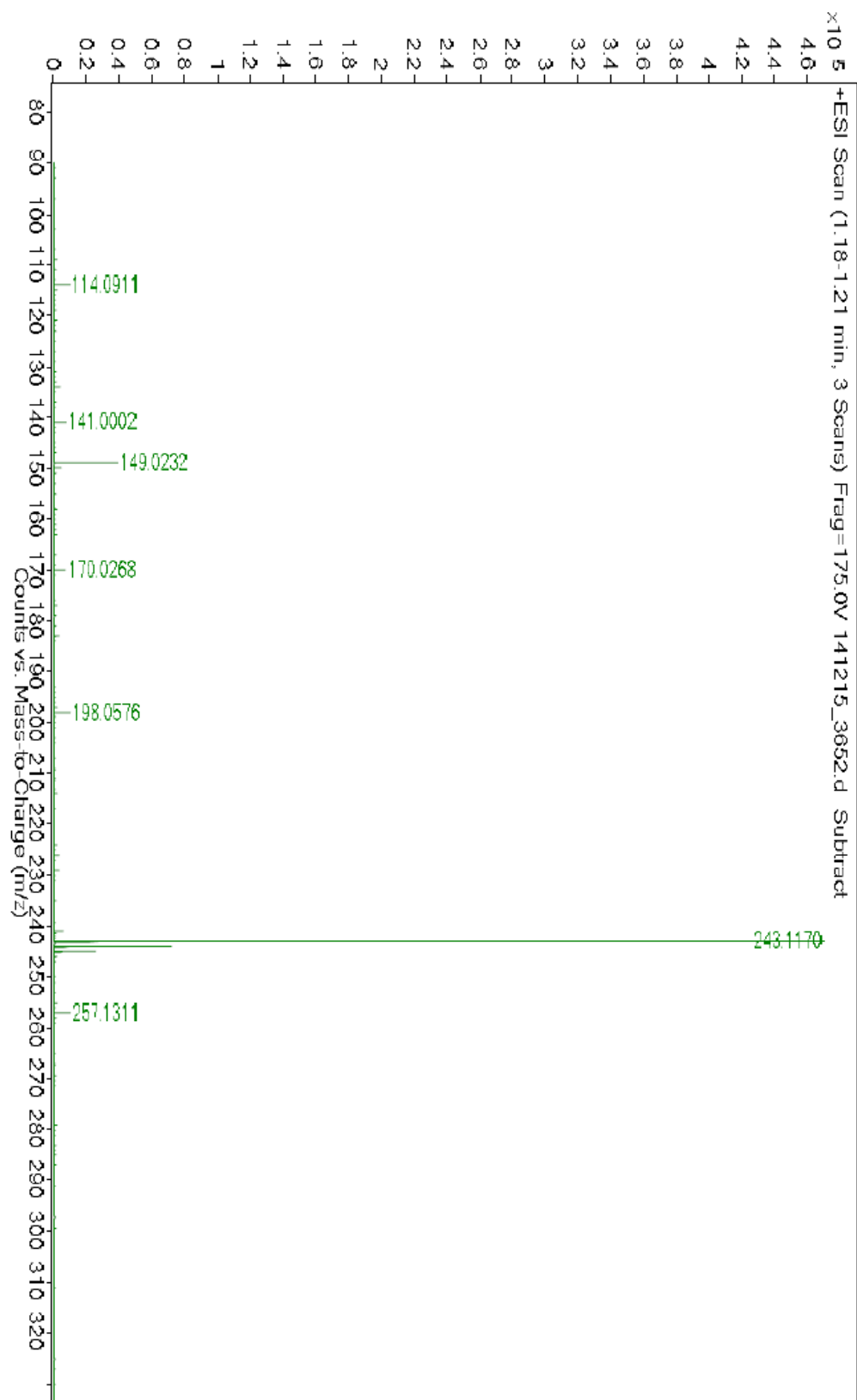


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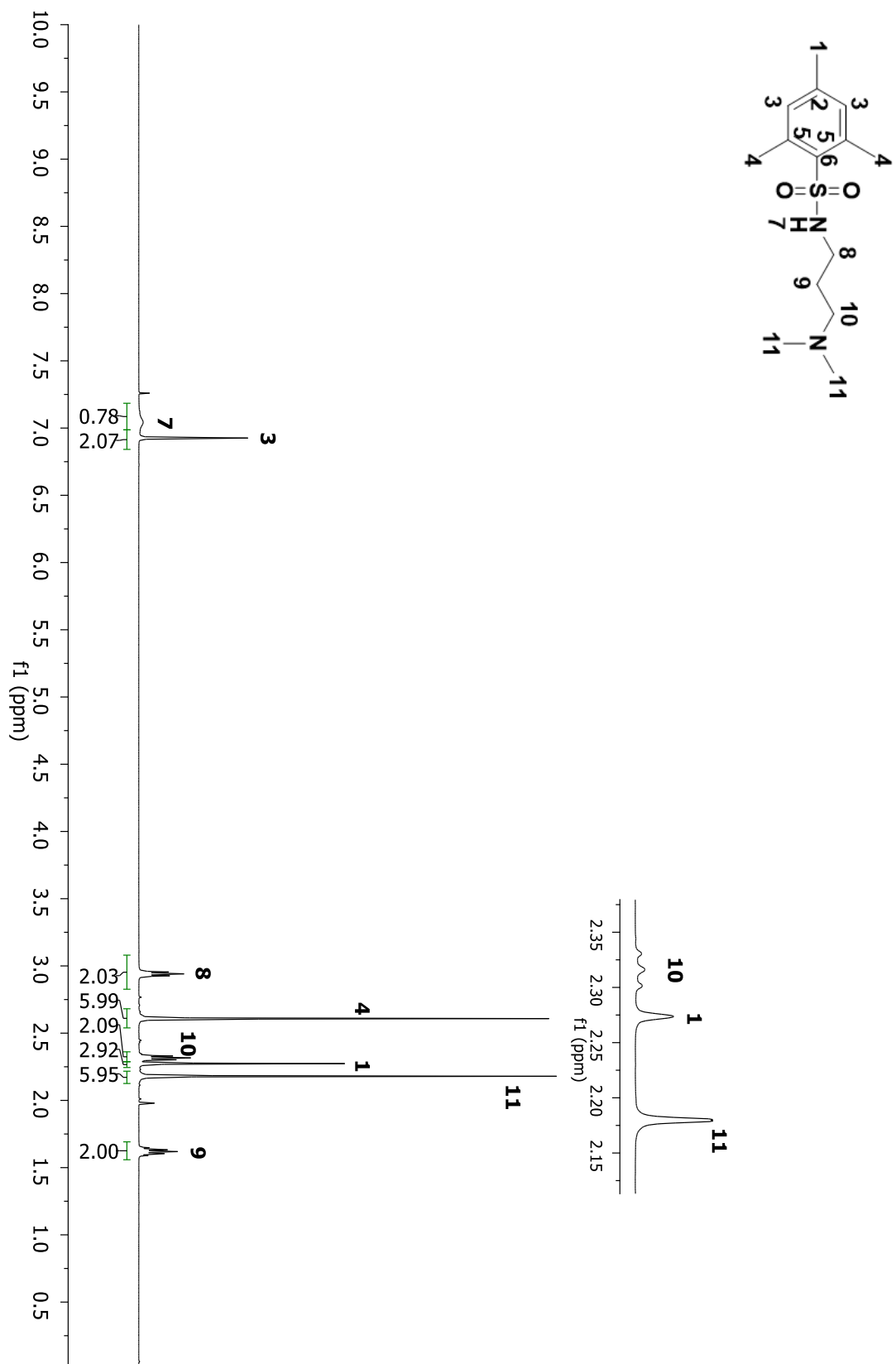


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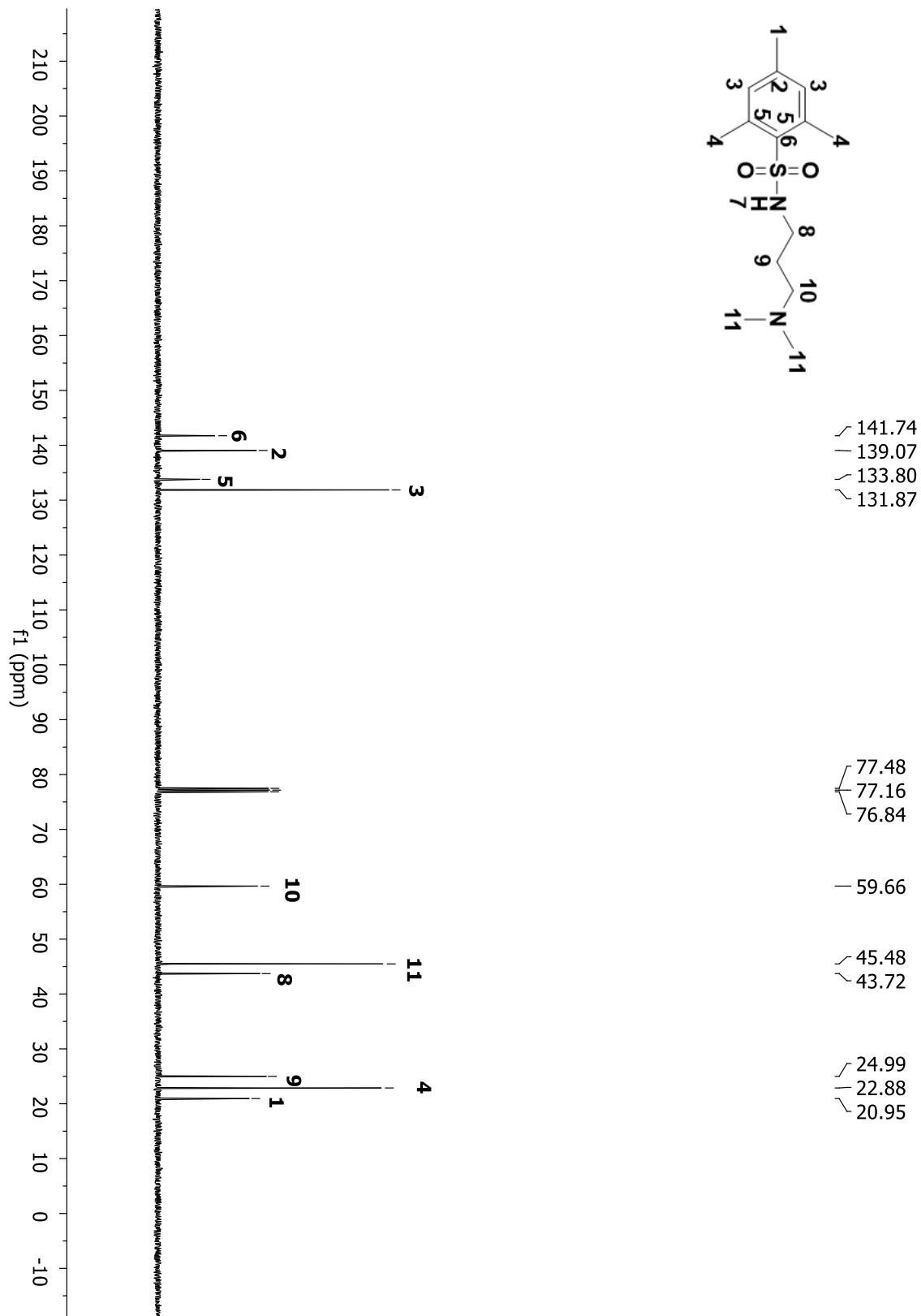


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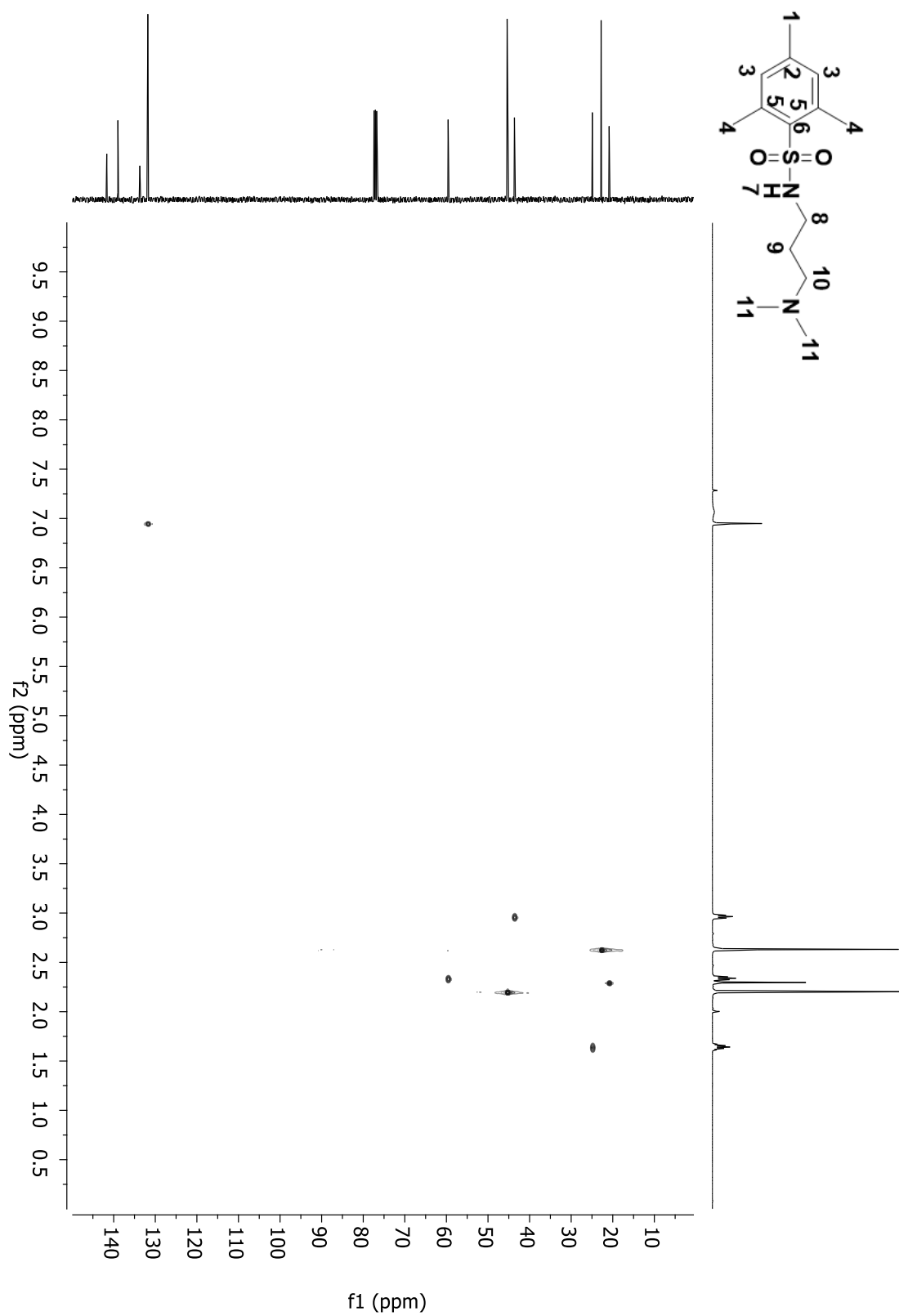


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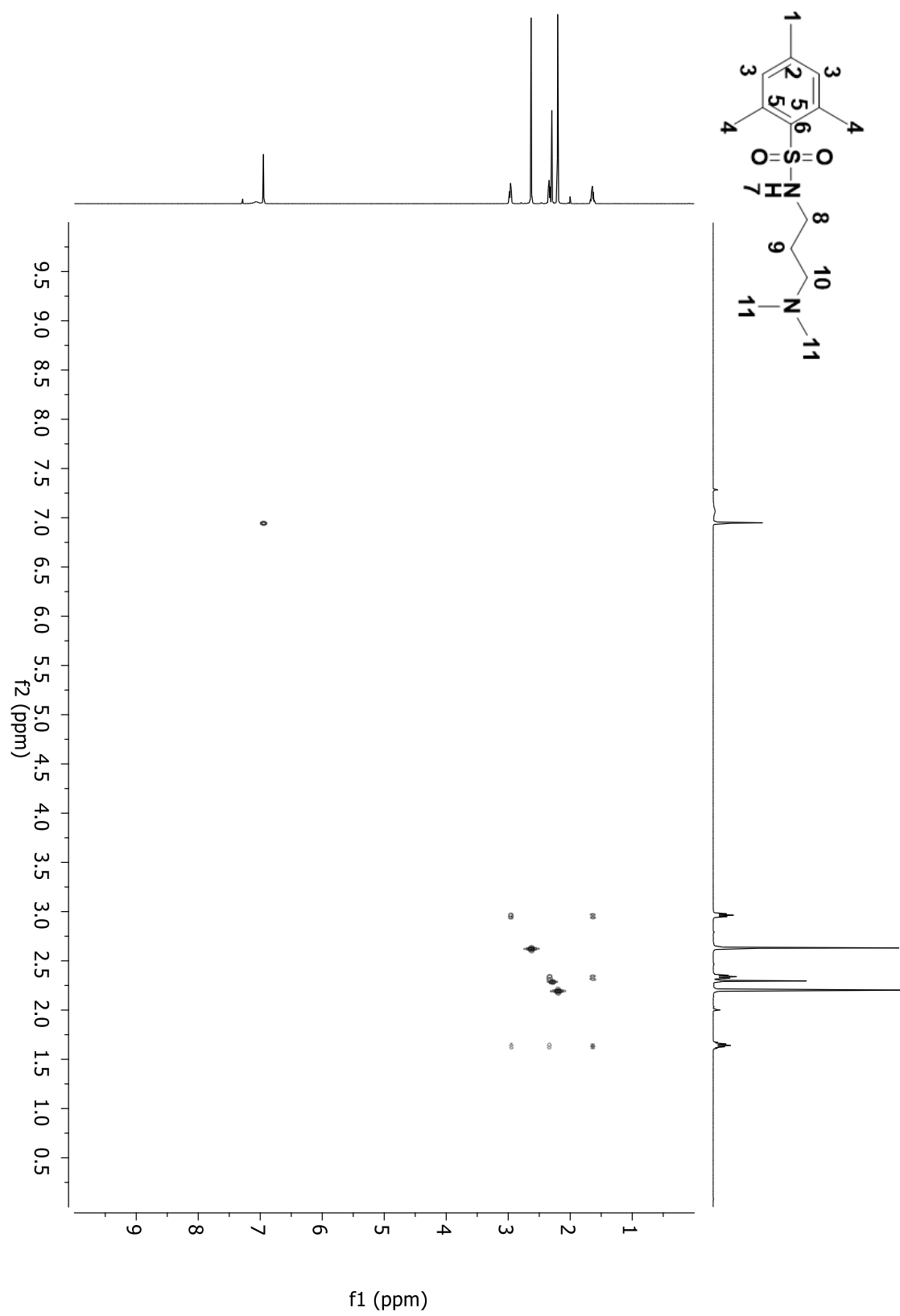


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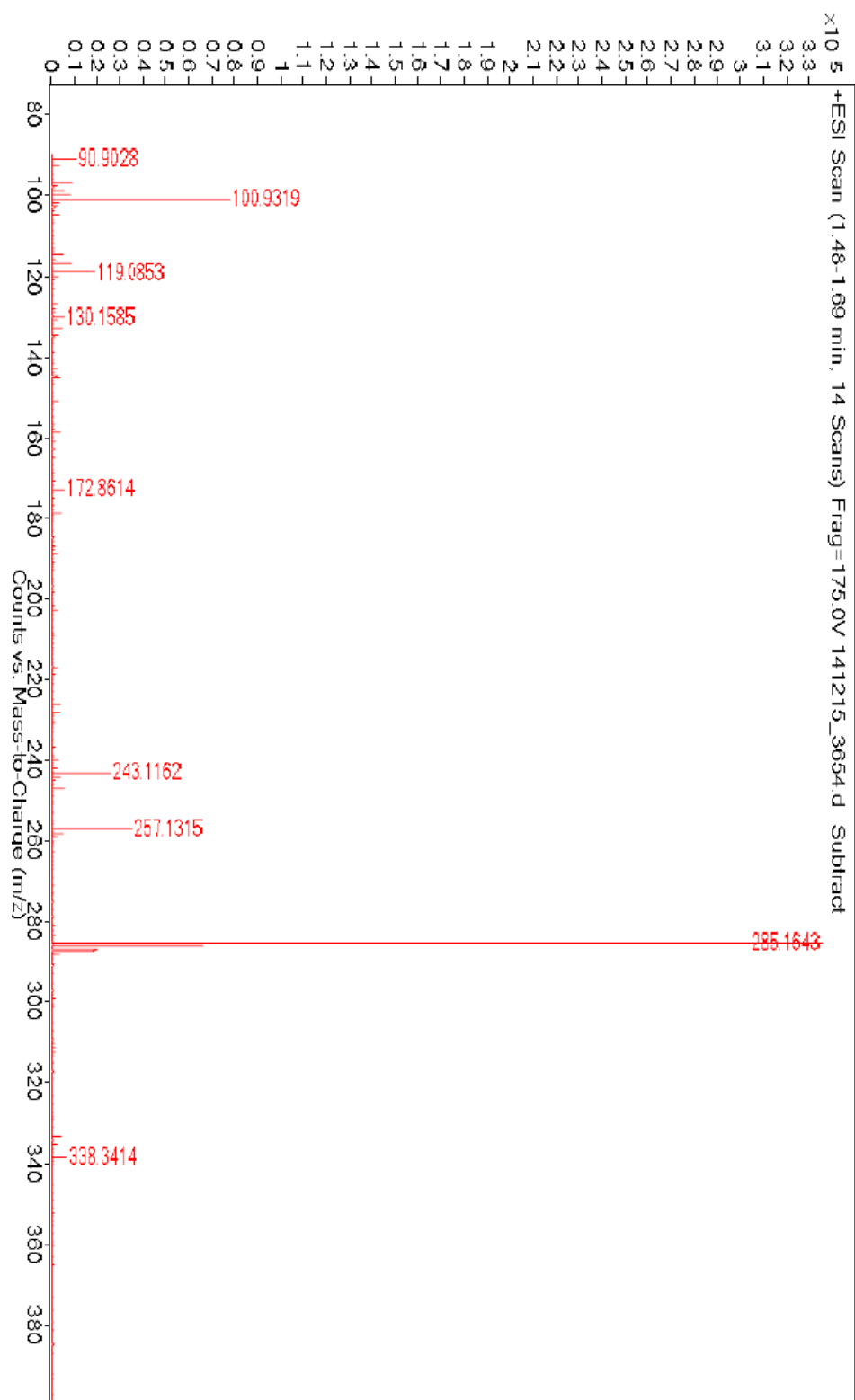


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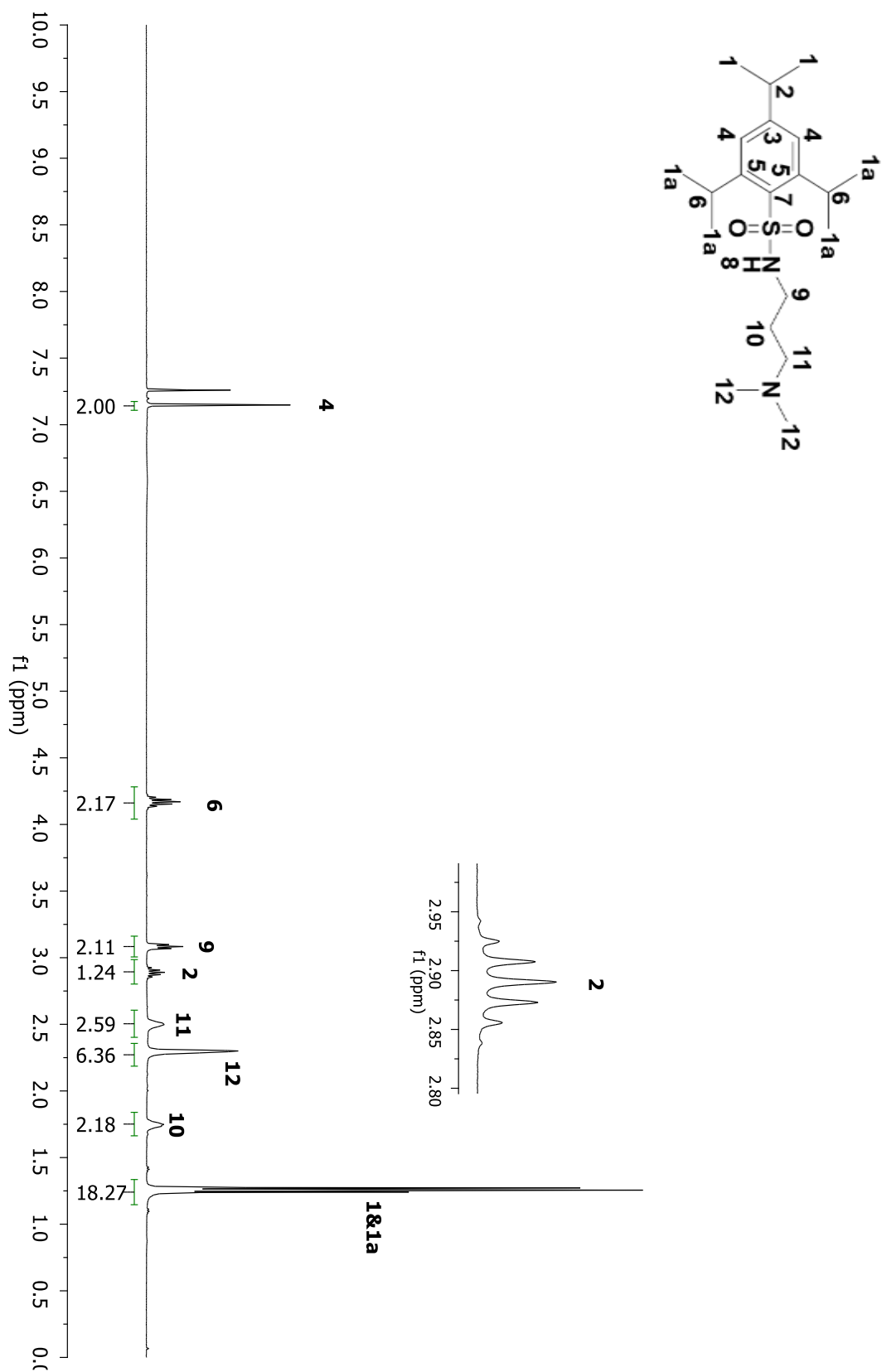


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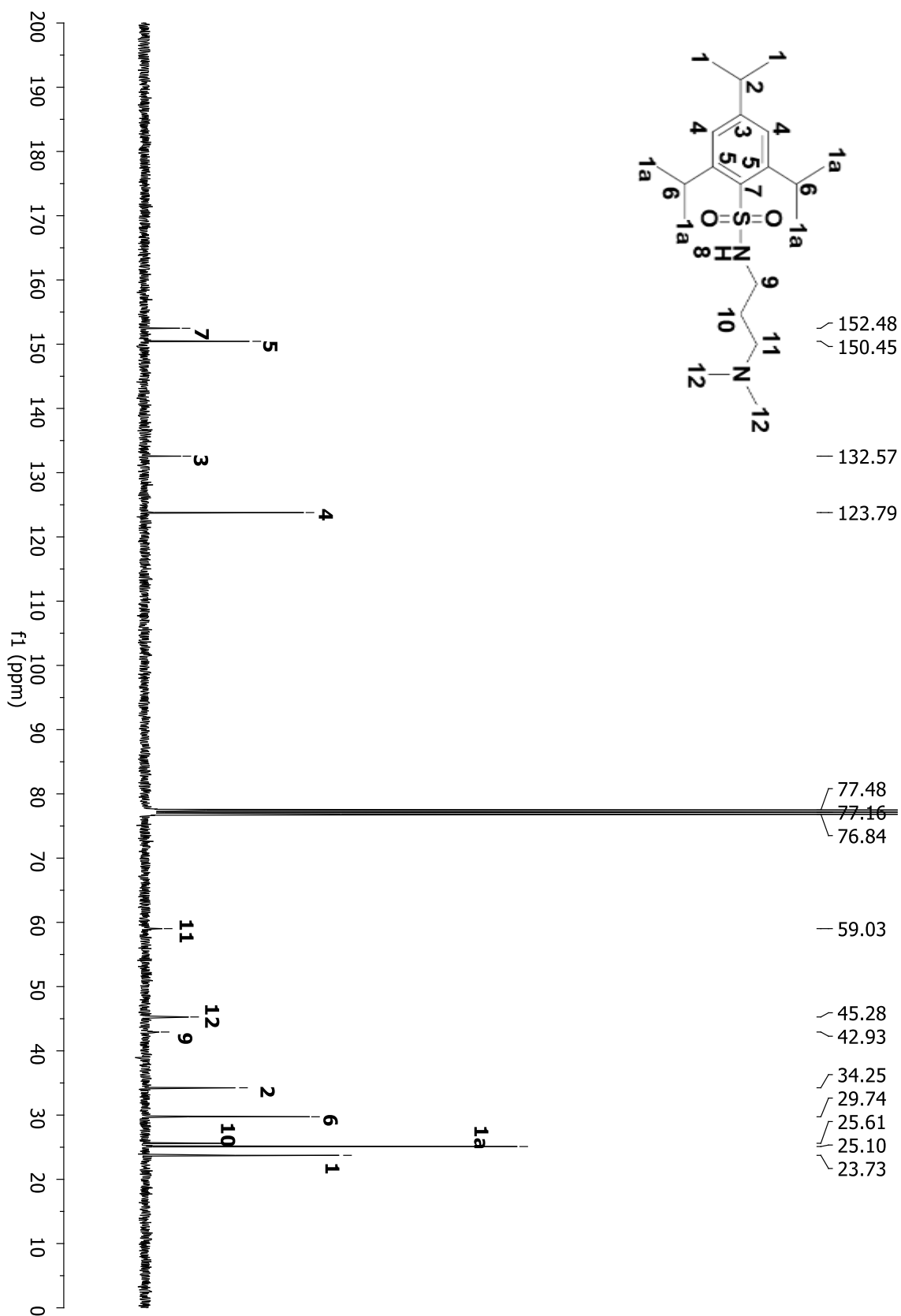


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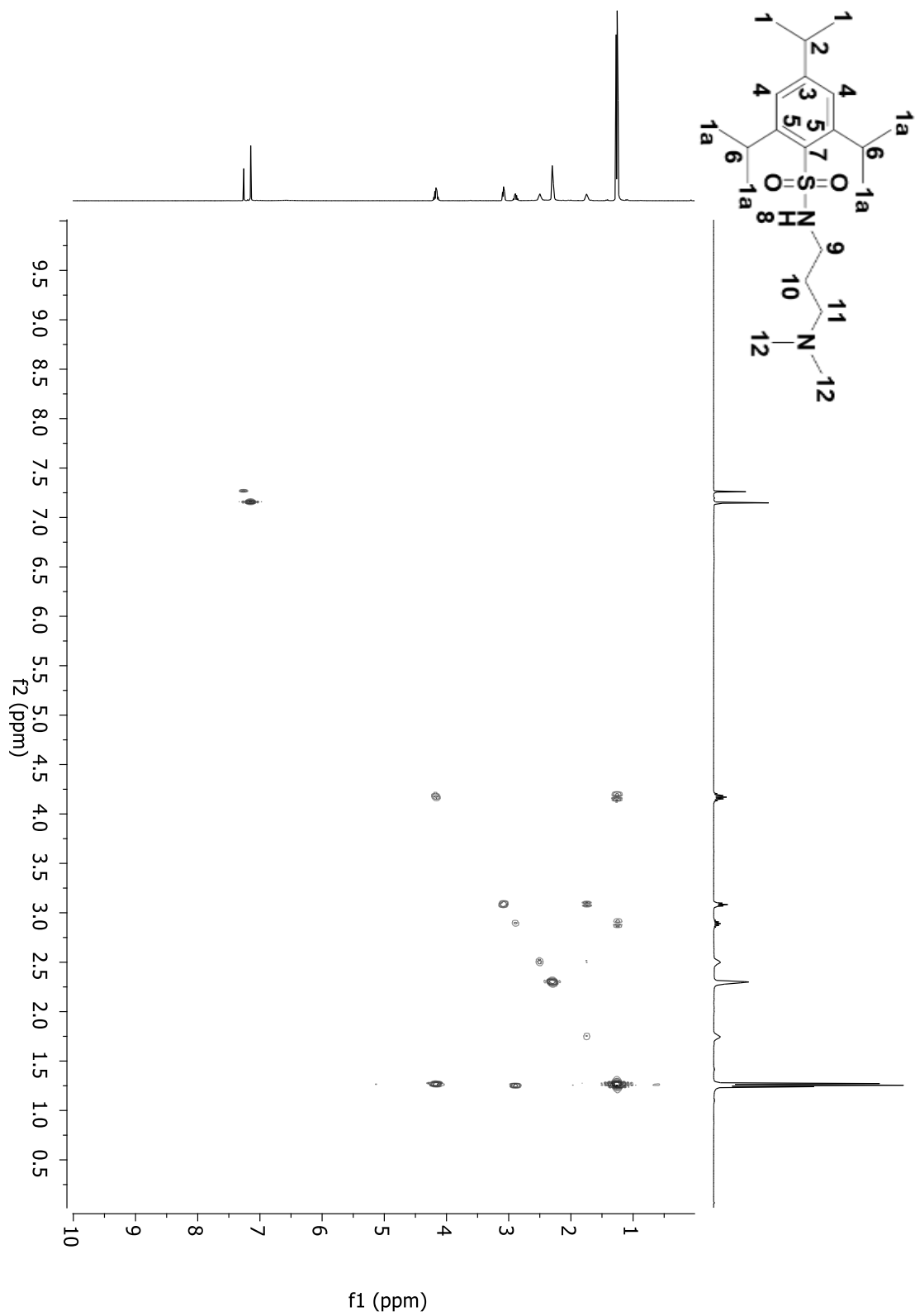


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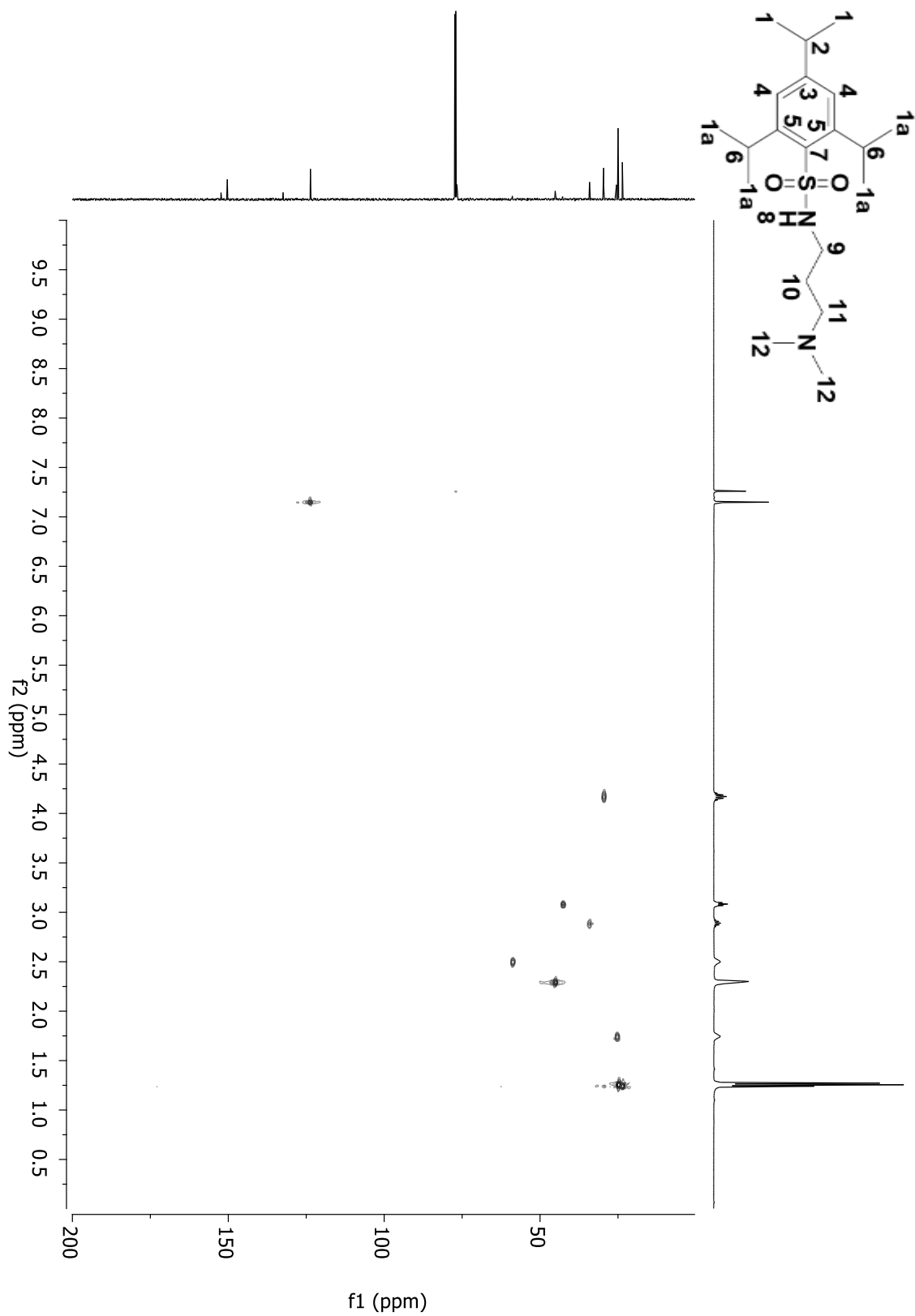


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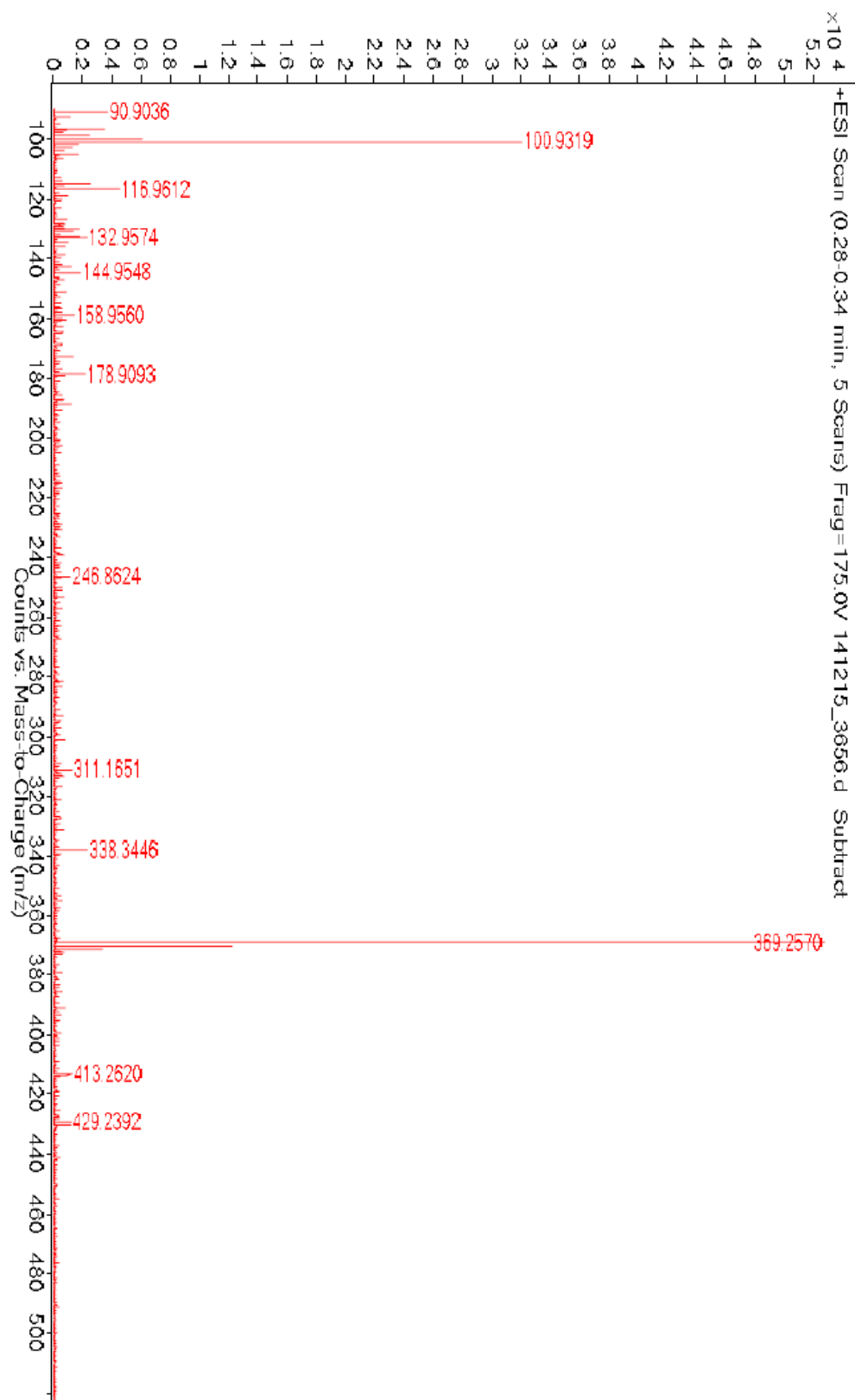


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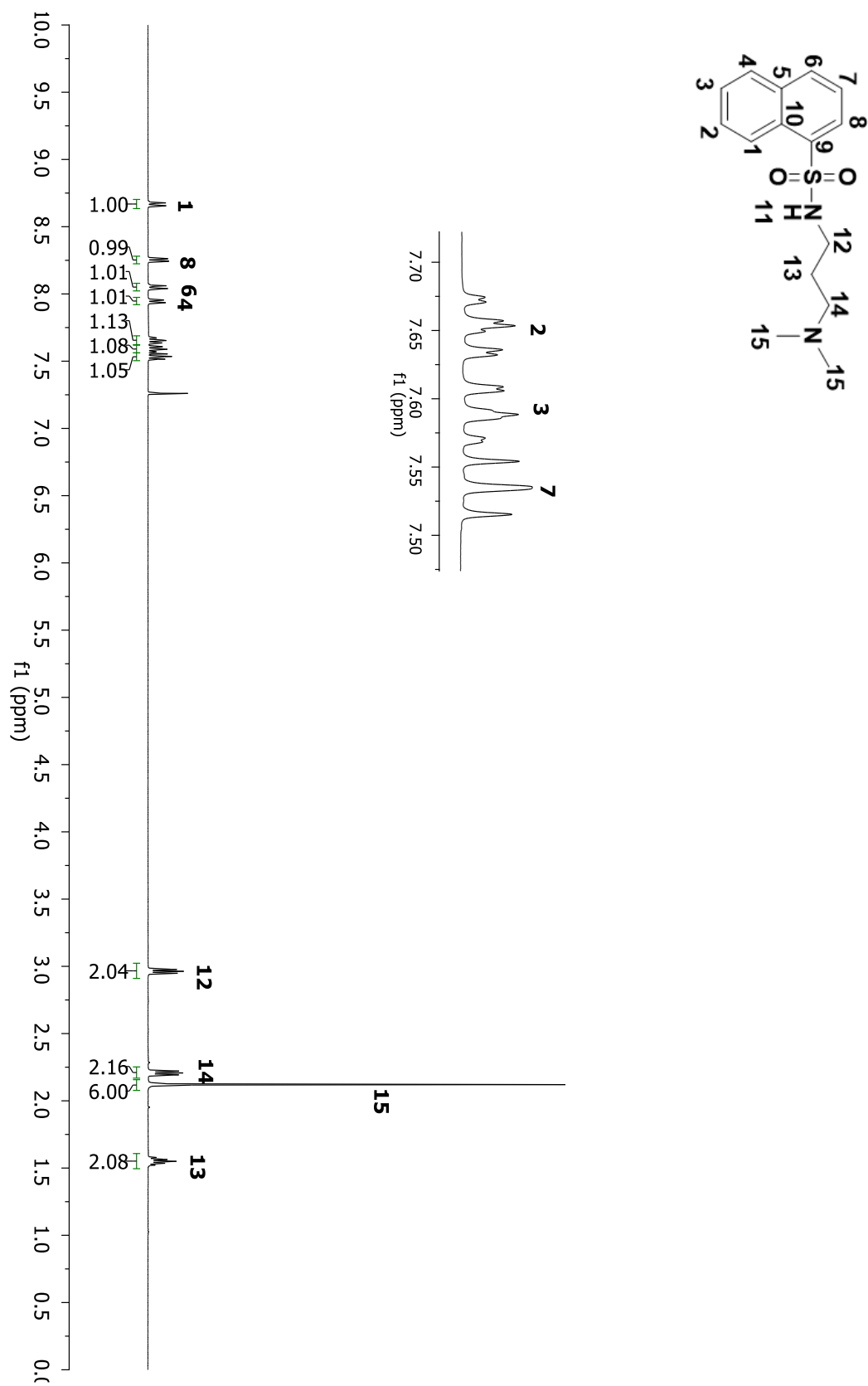


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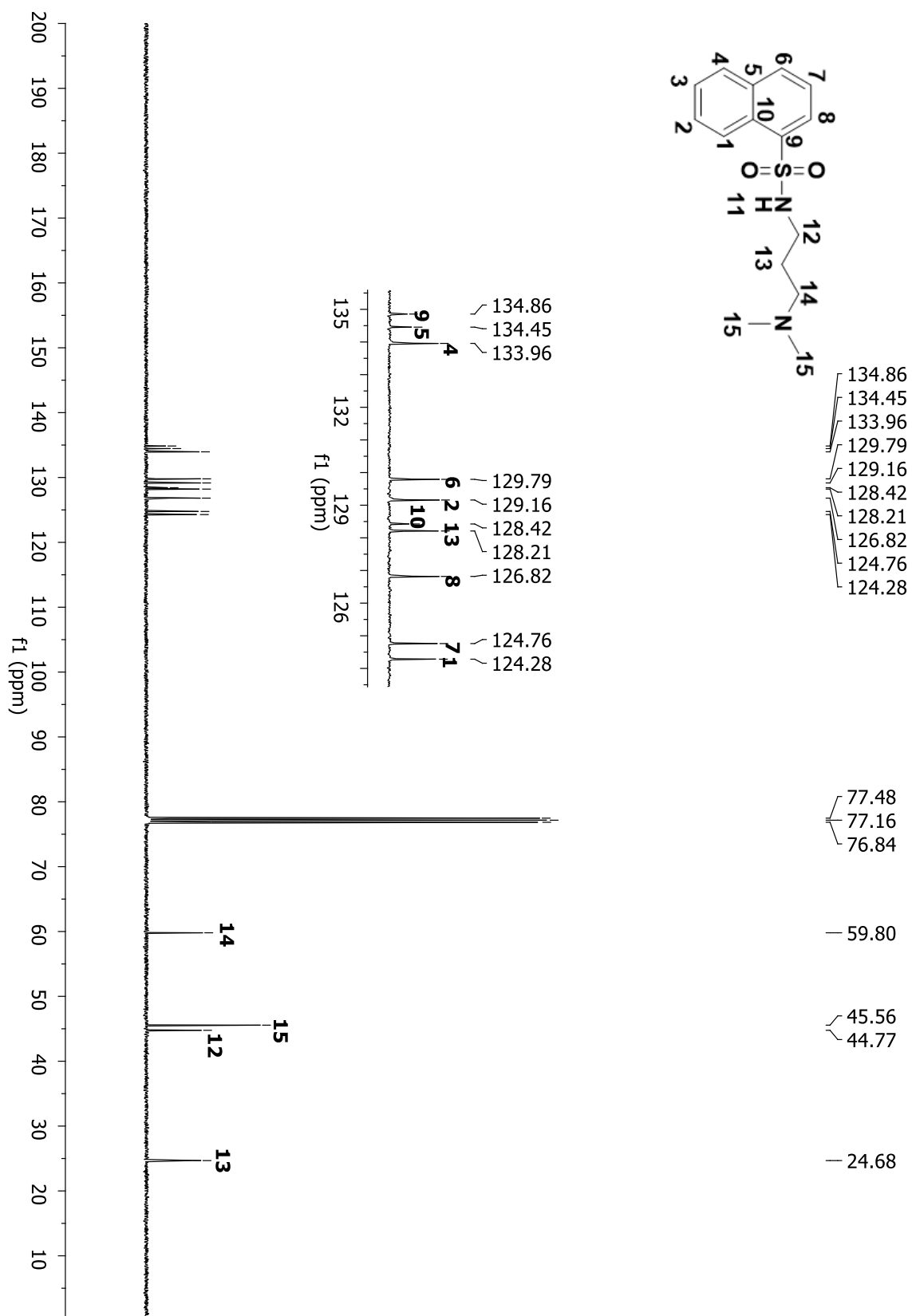


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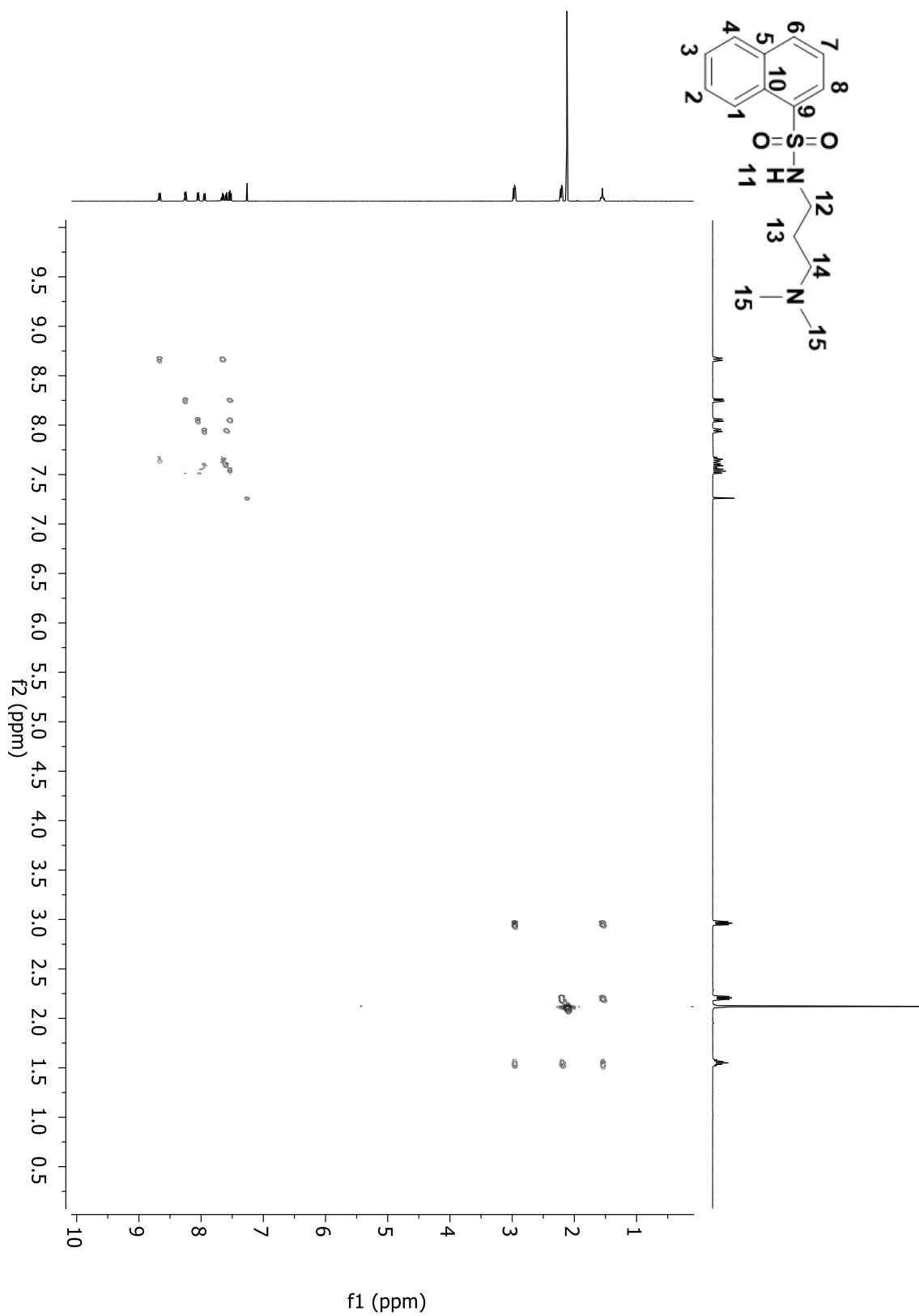


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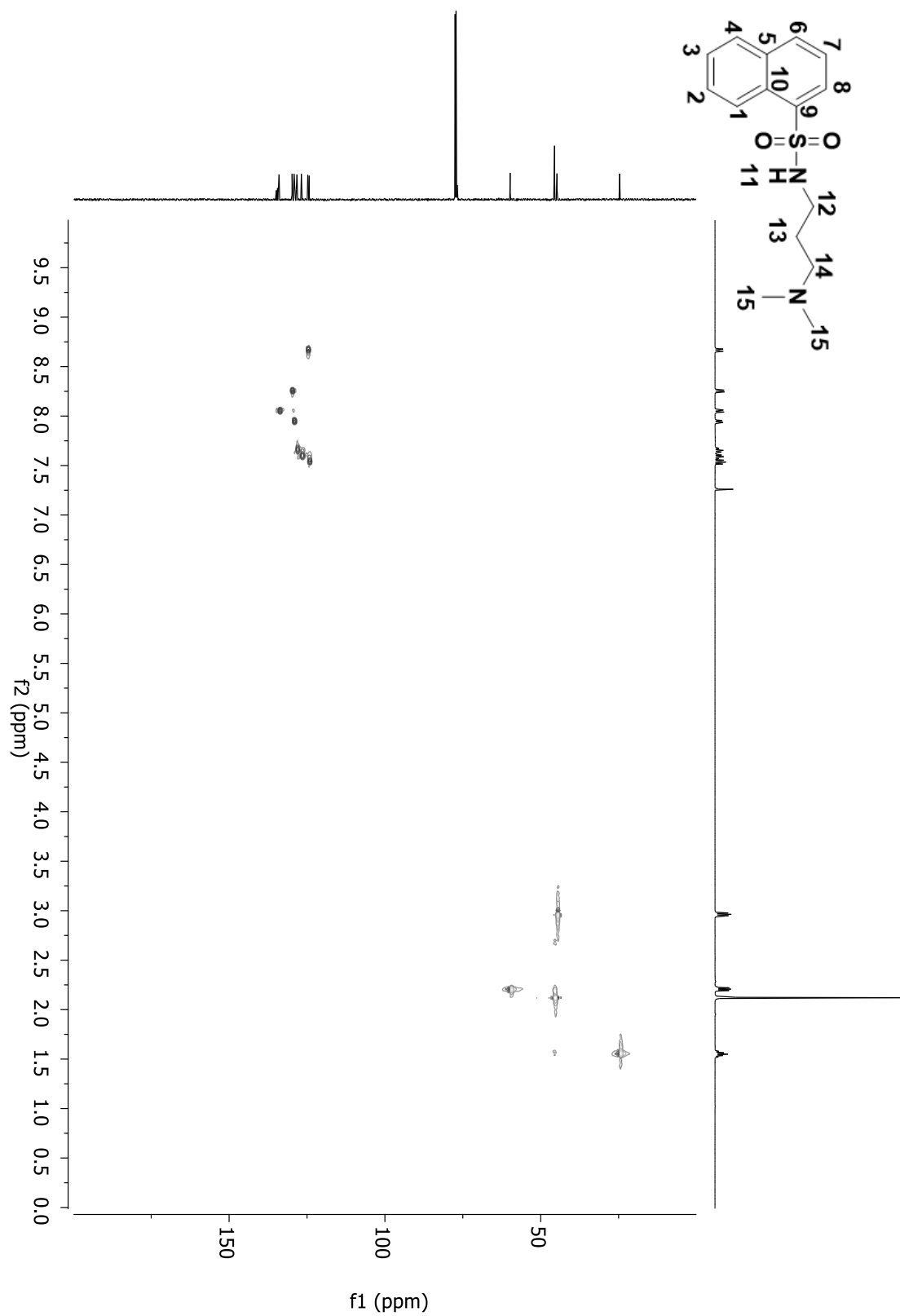


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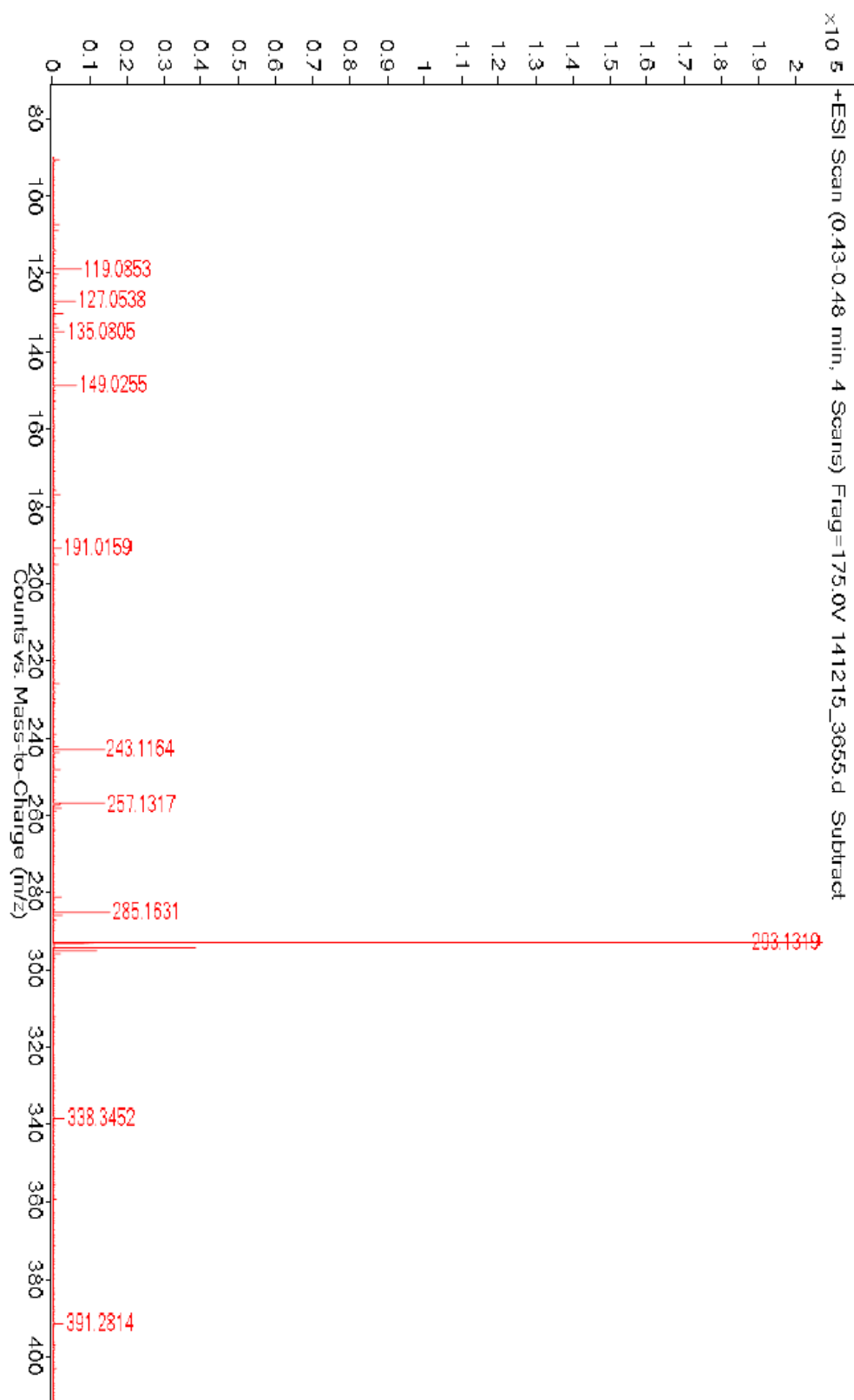


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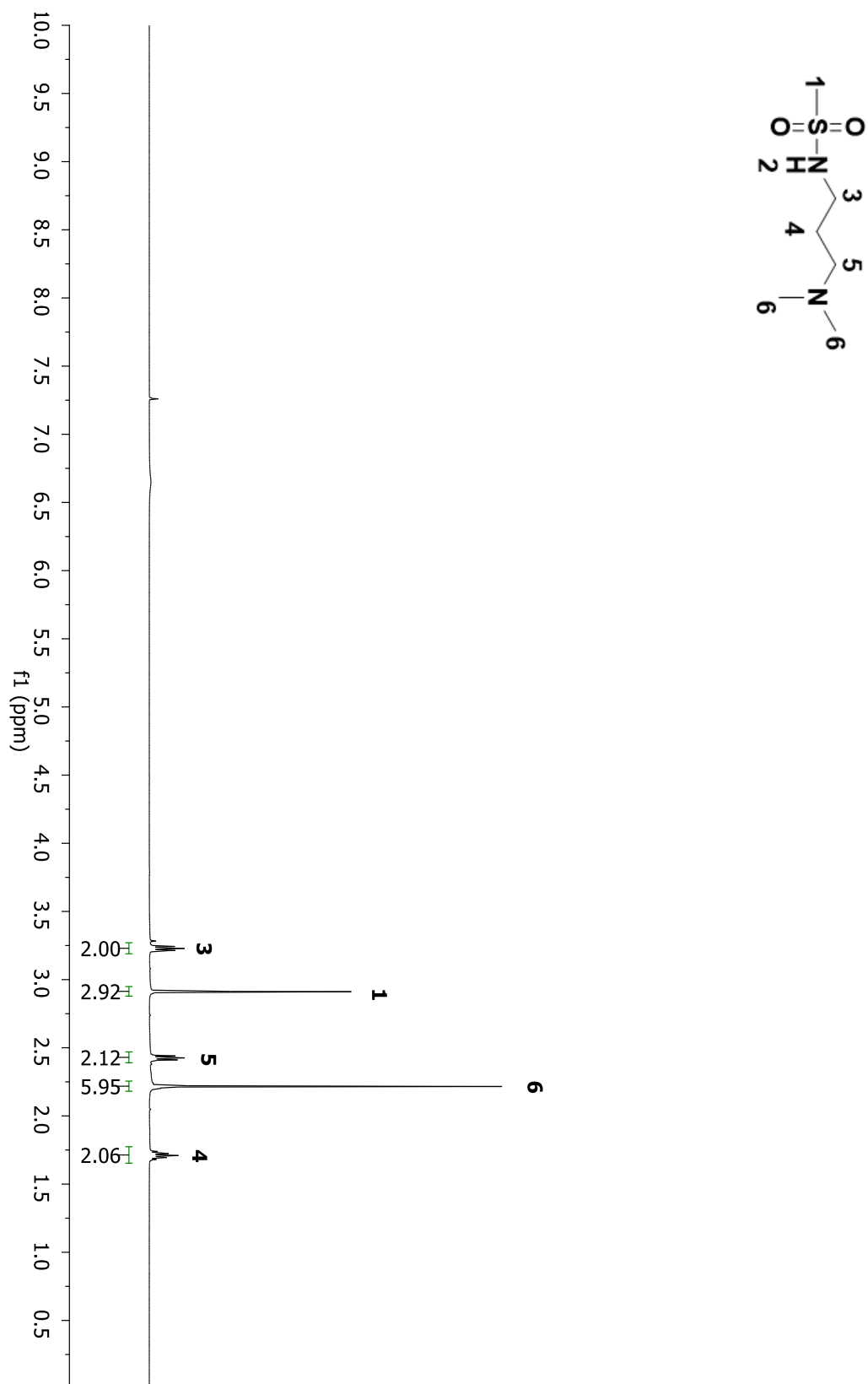


Figure A25: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **6D** in CDCl_3 .

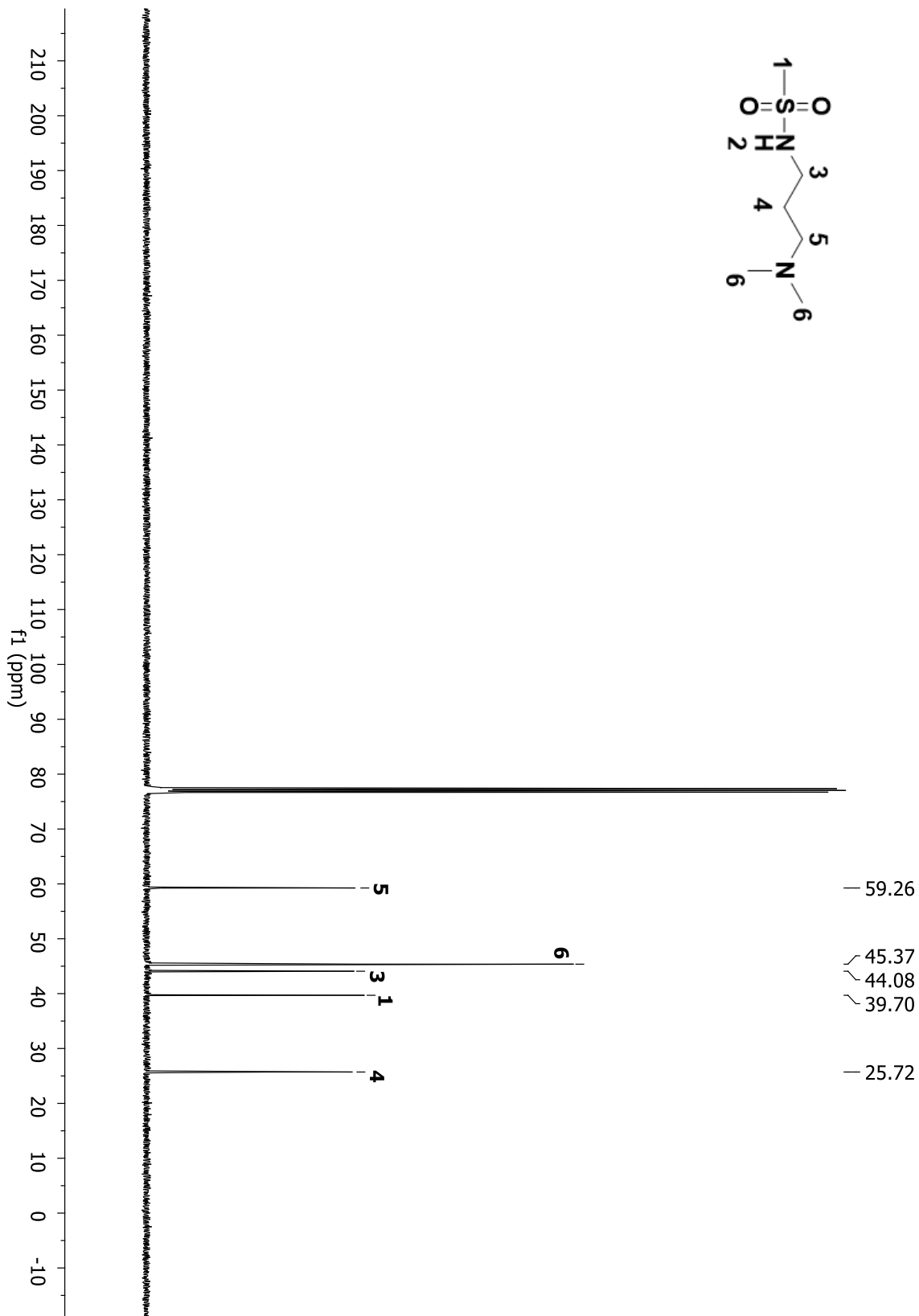


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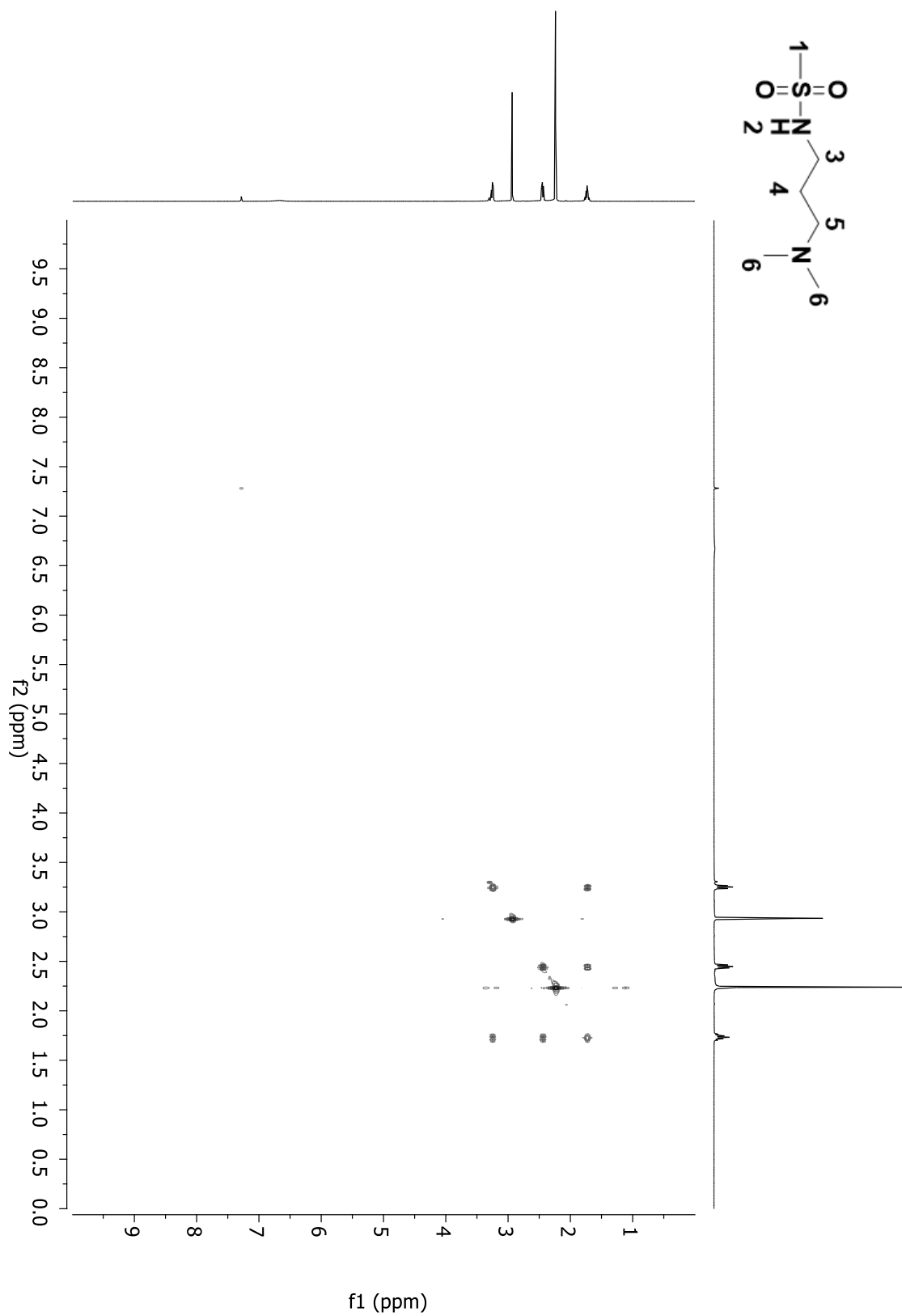


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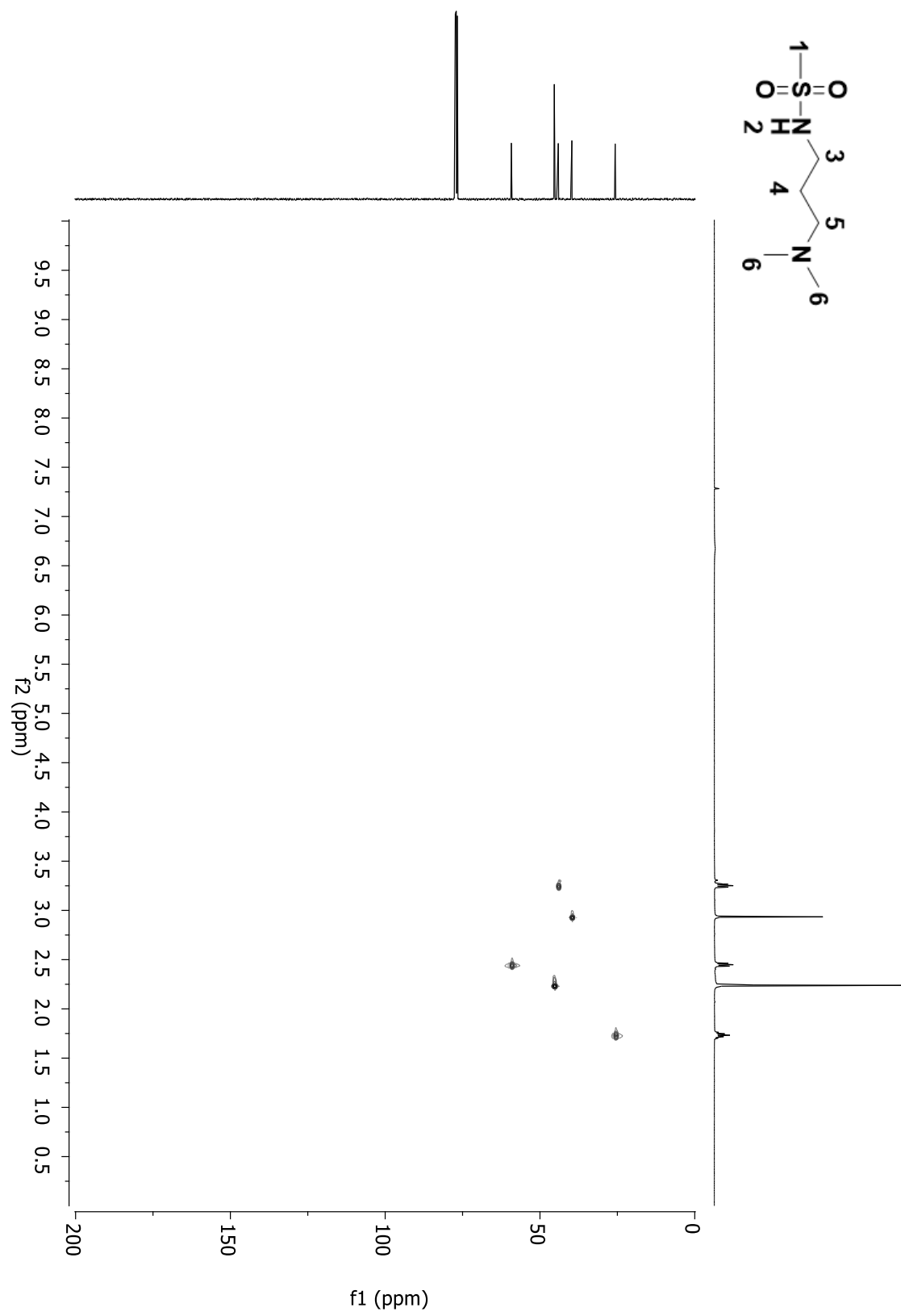


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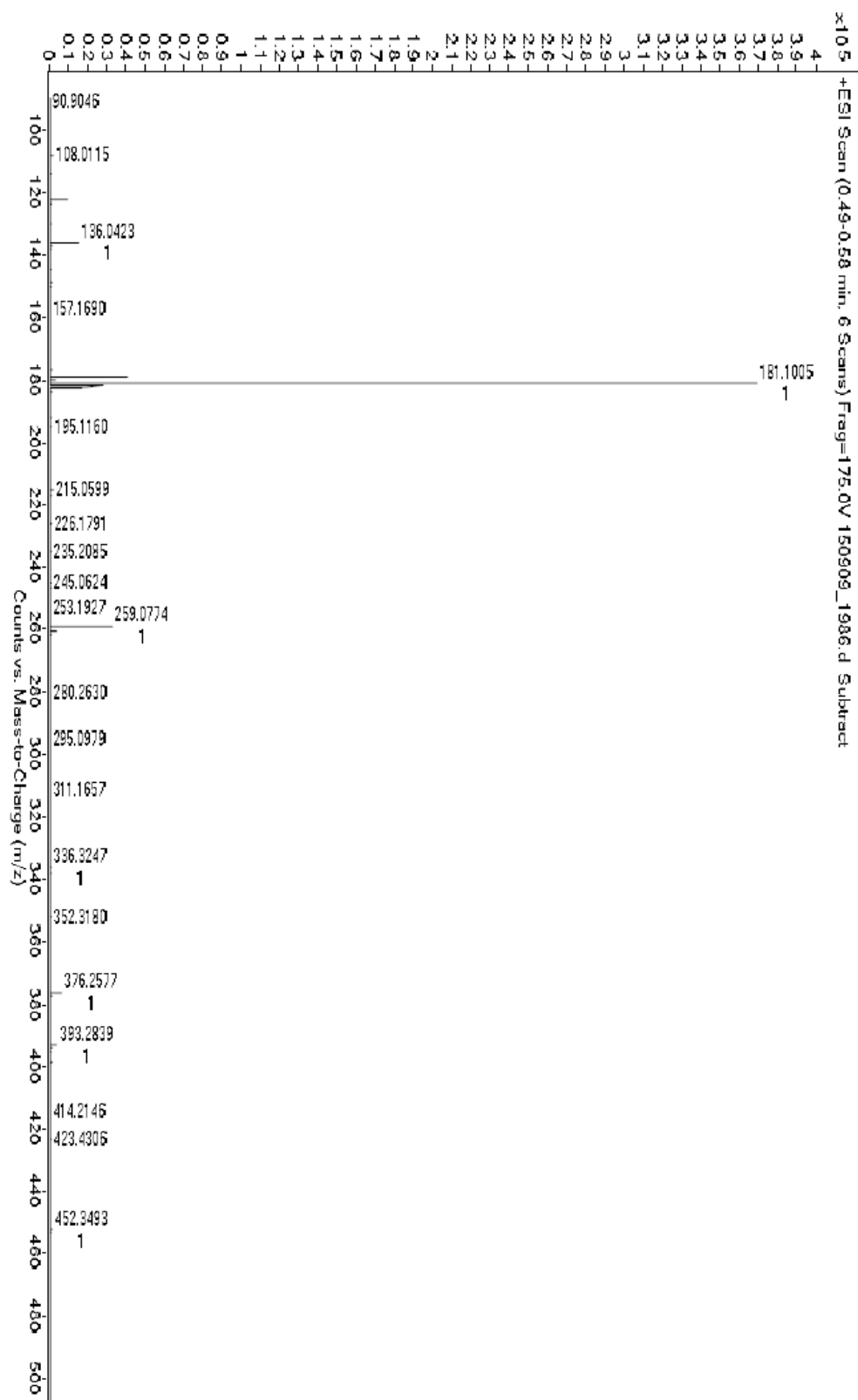


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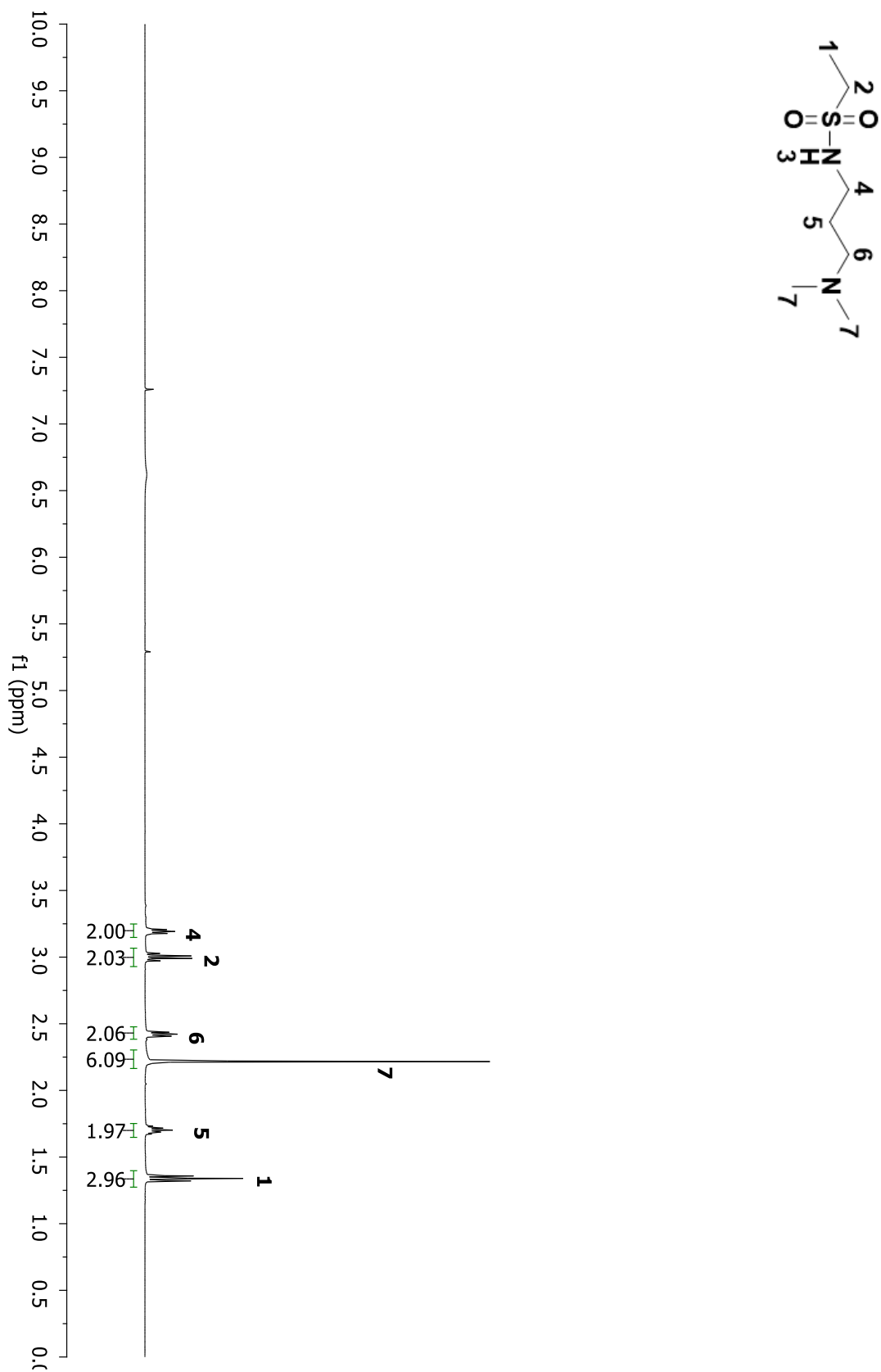


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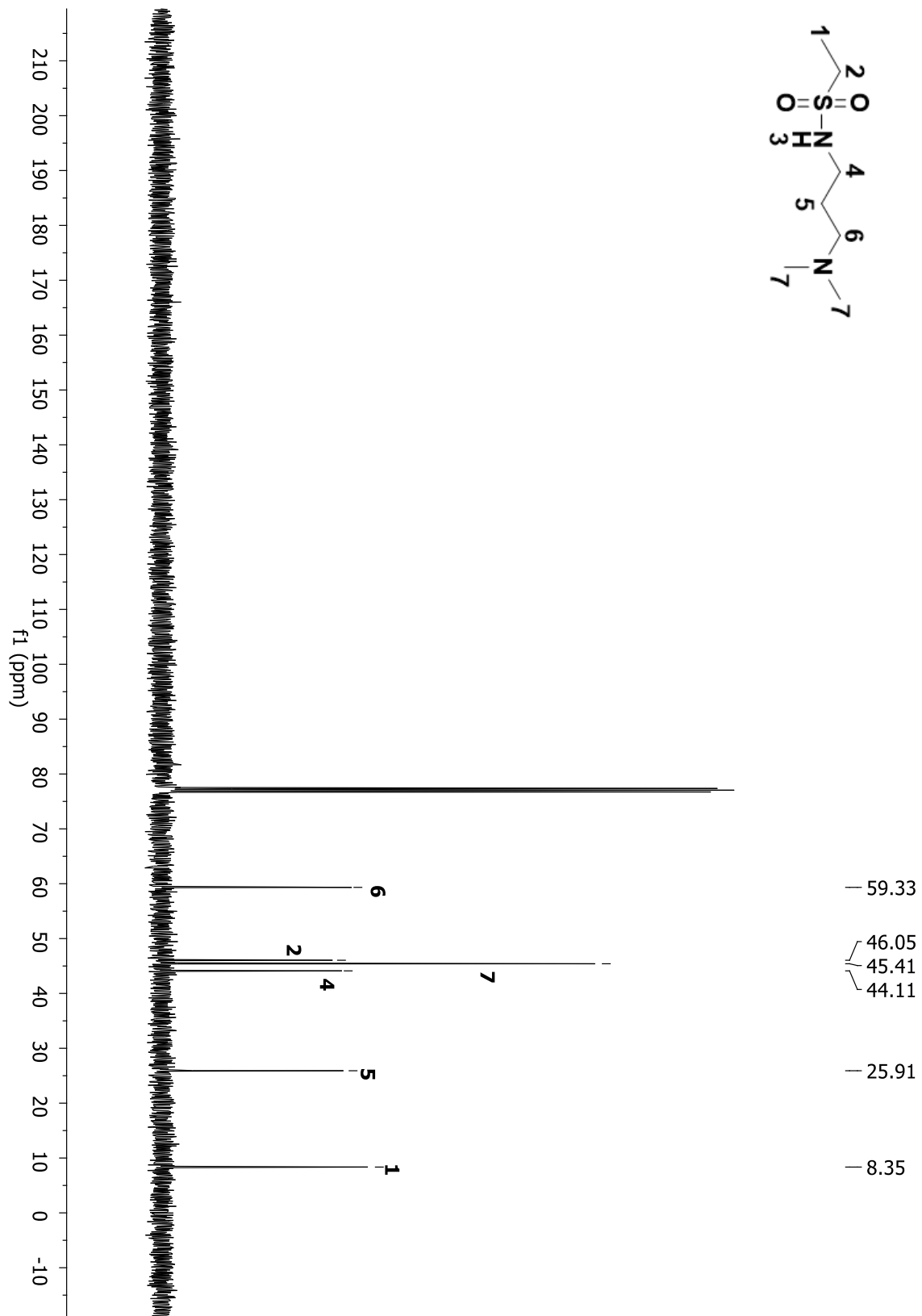


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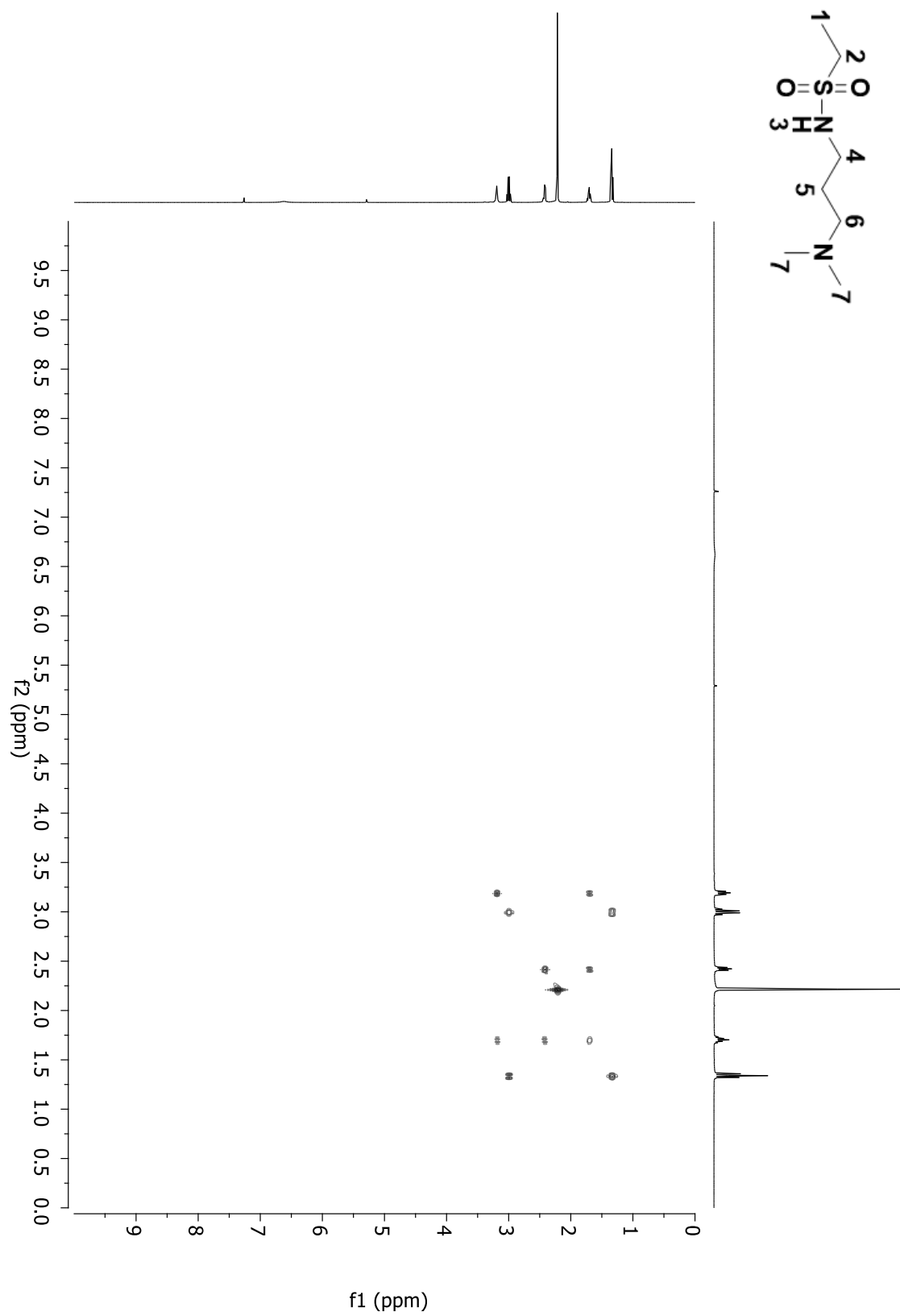


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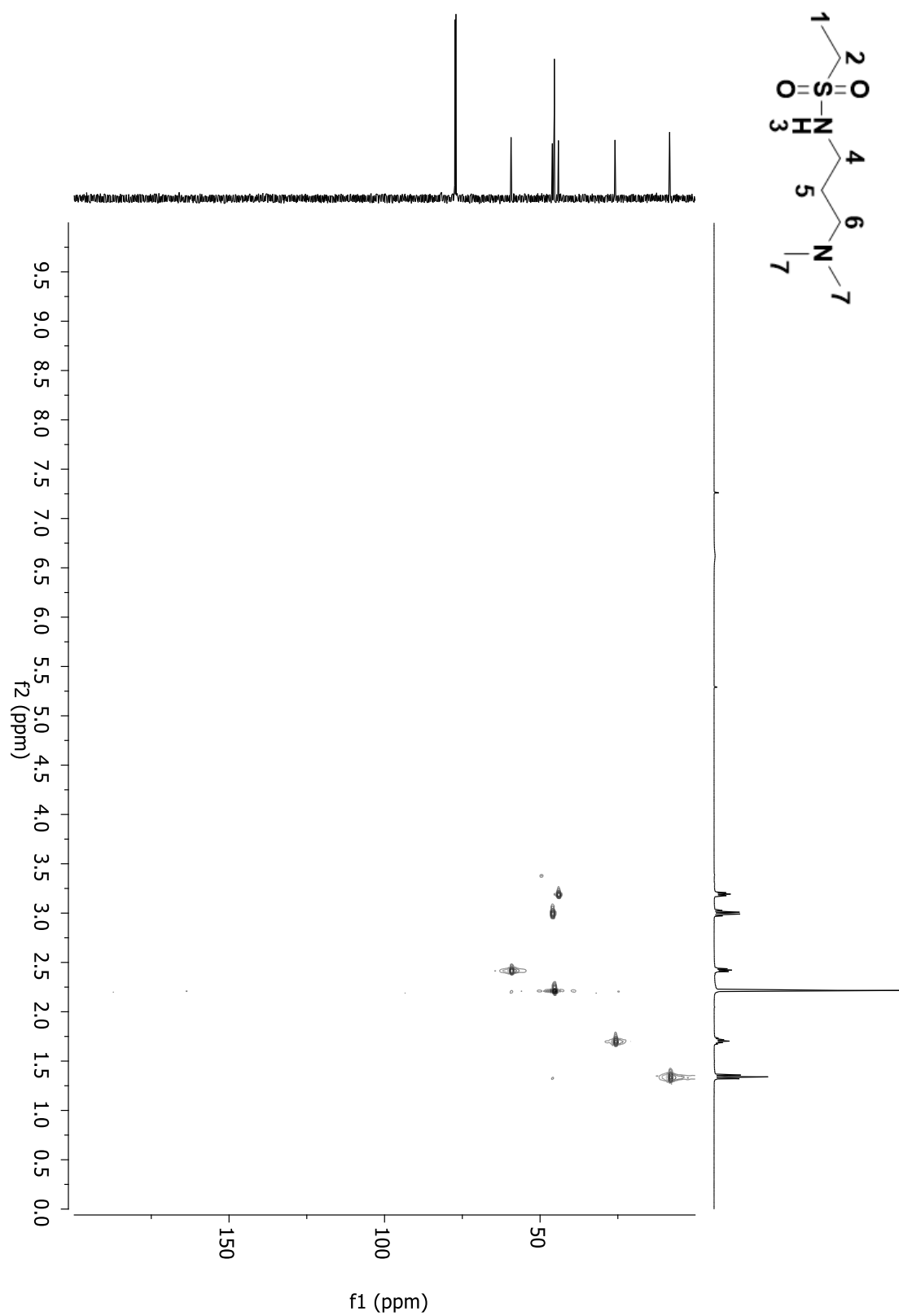


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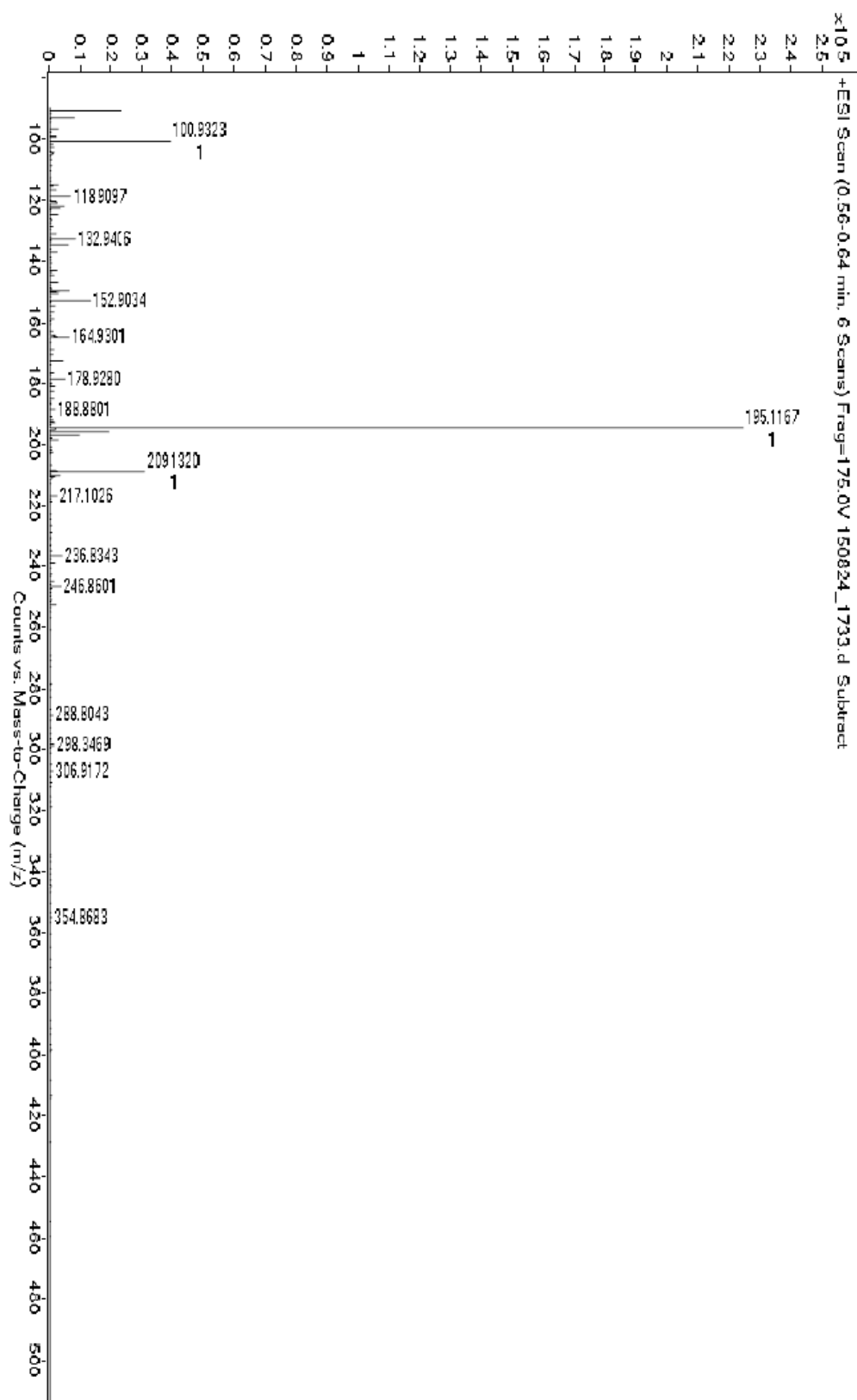


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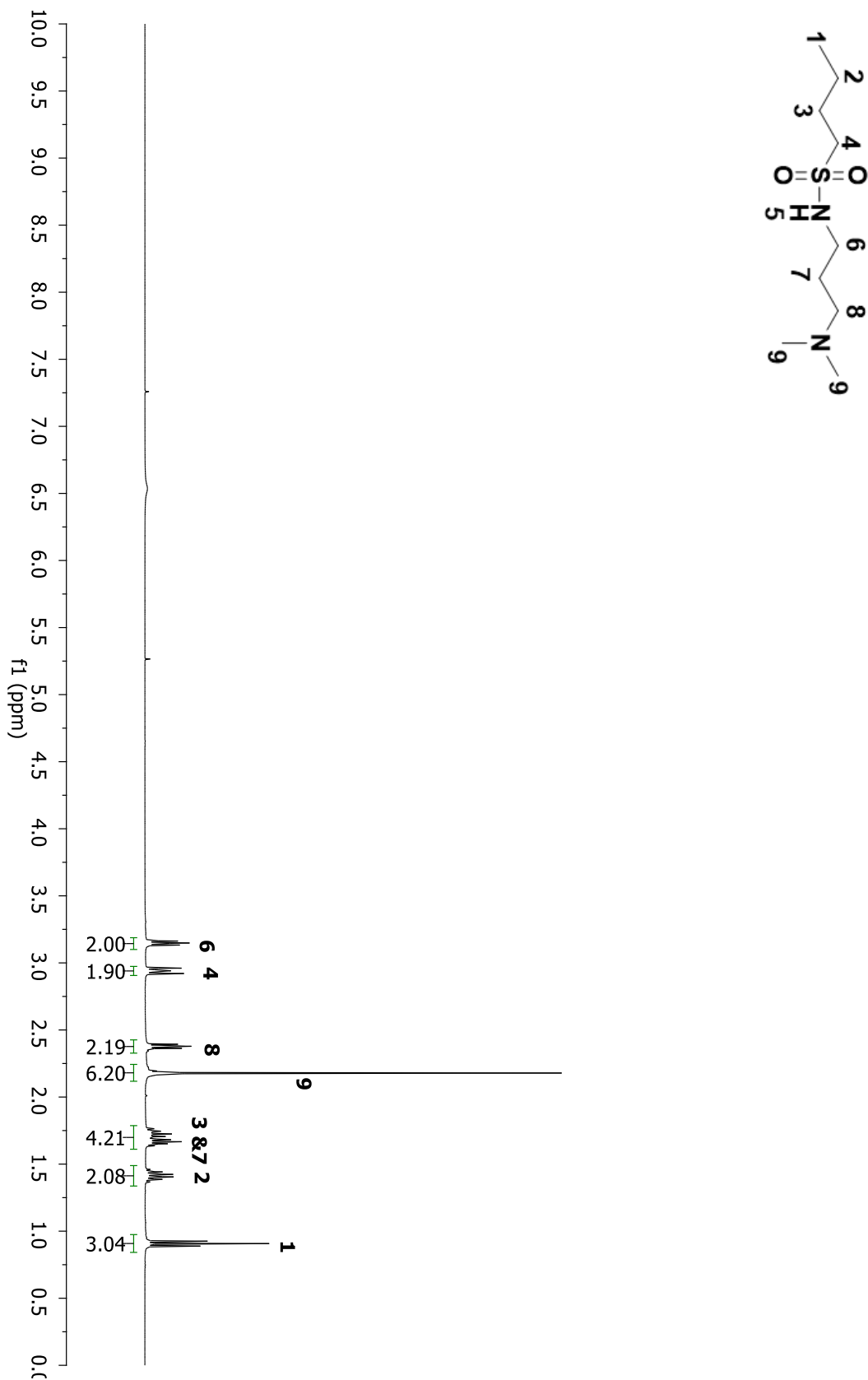


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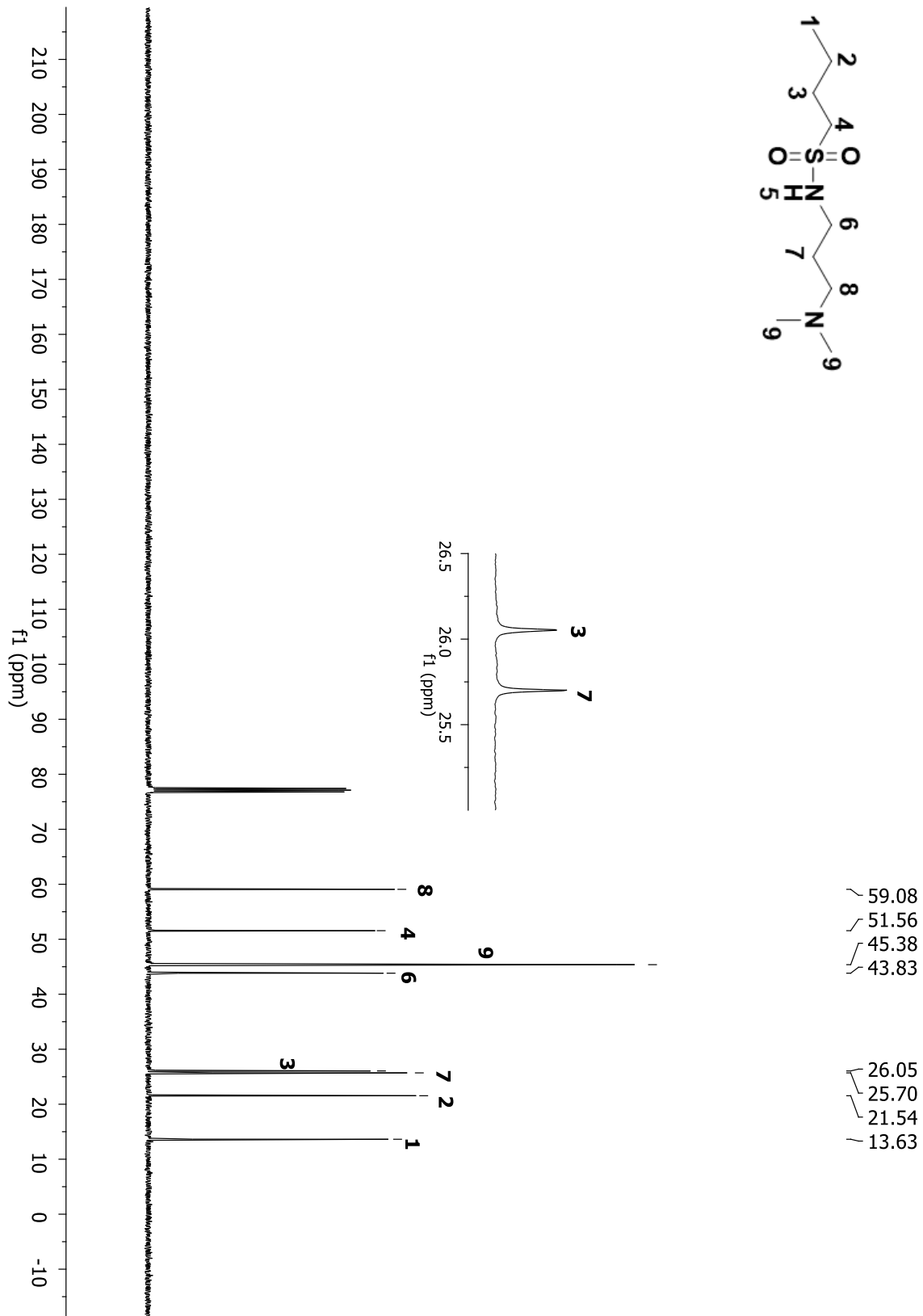


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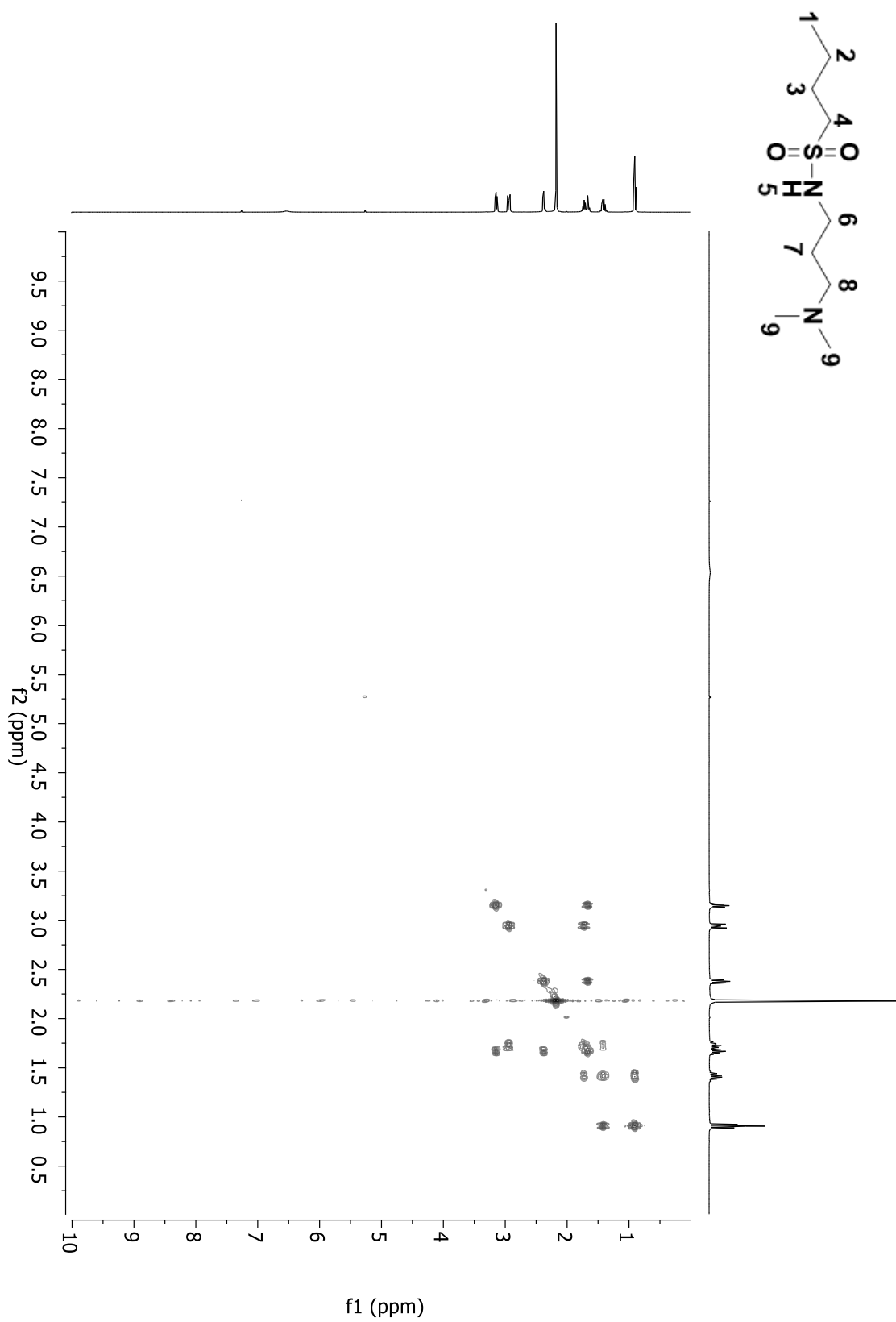


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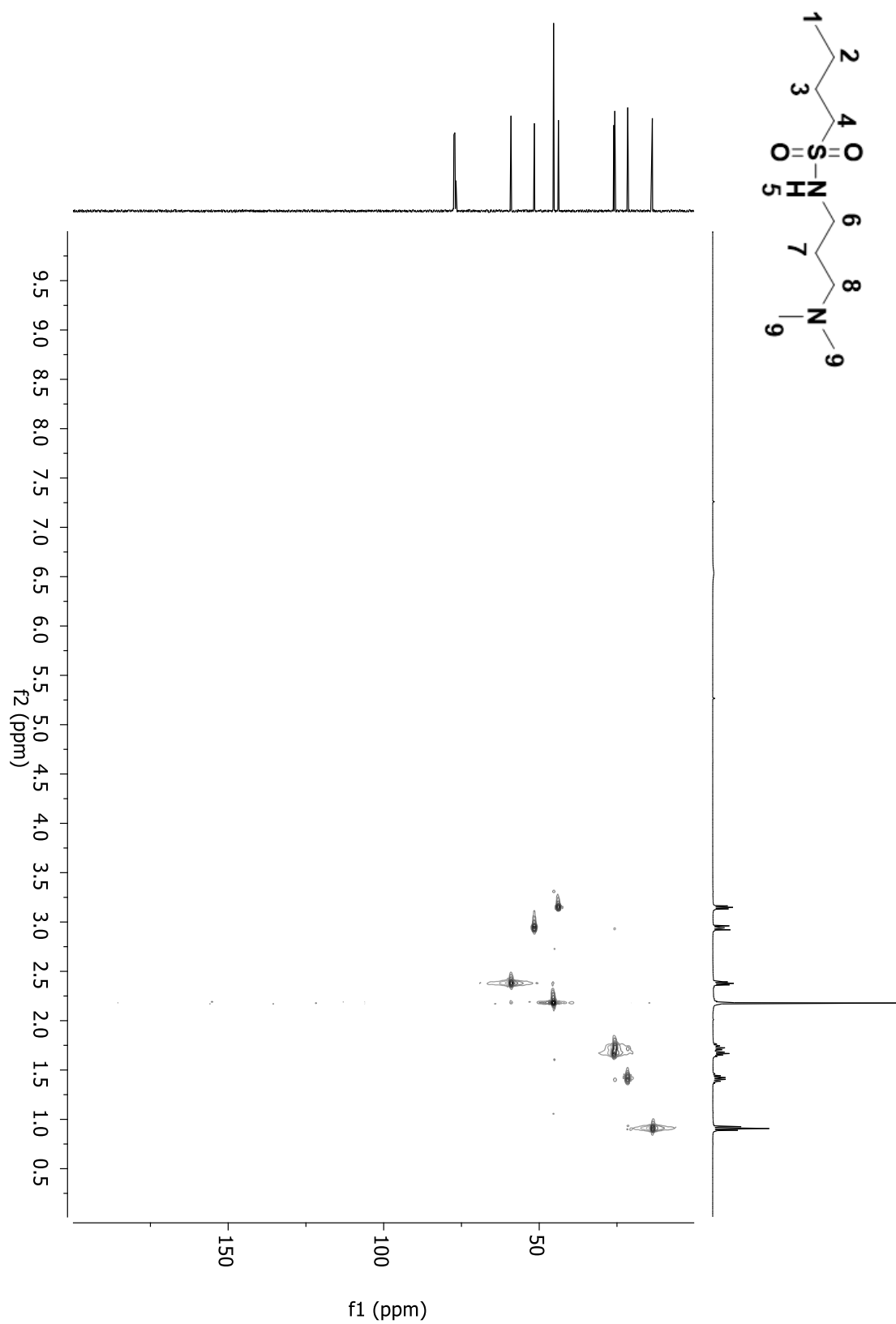


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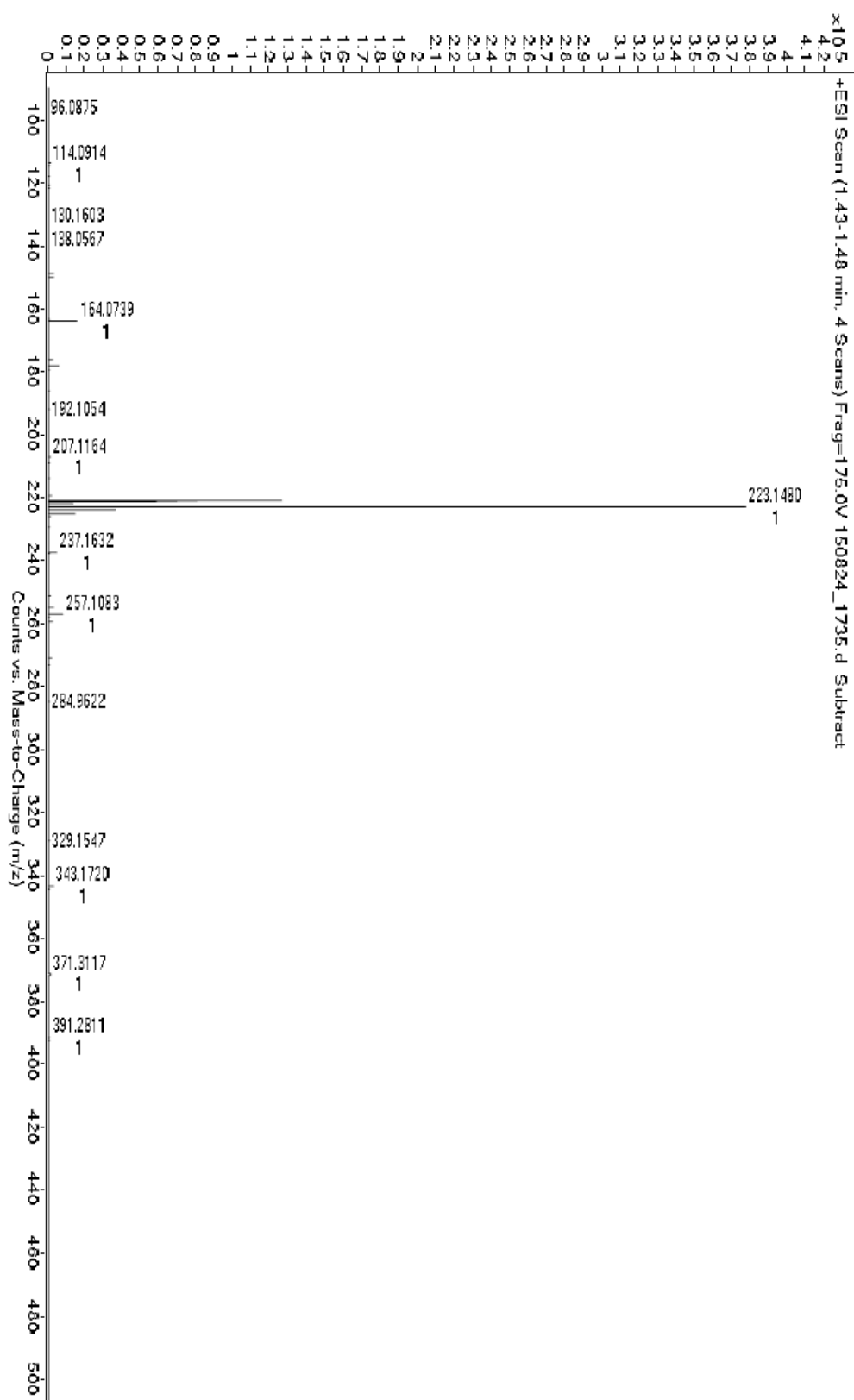


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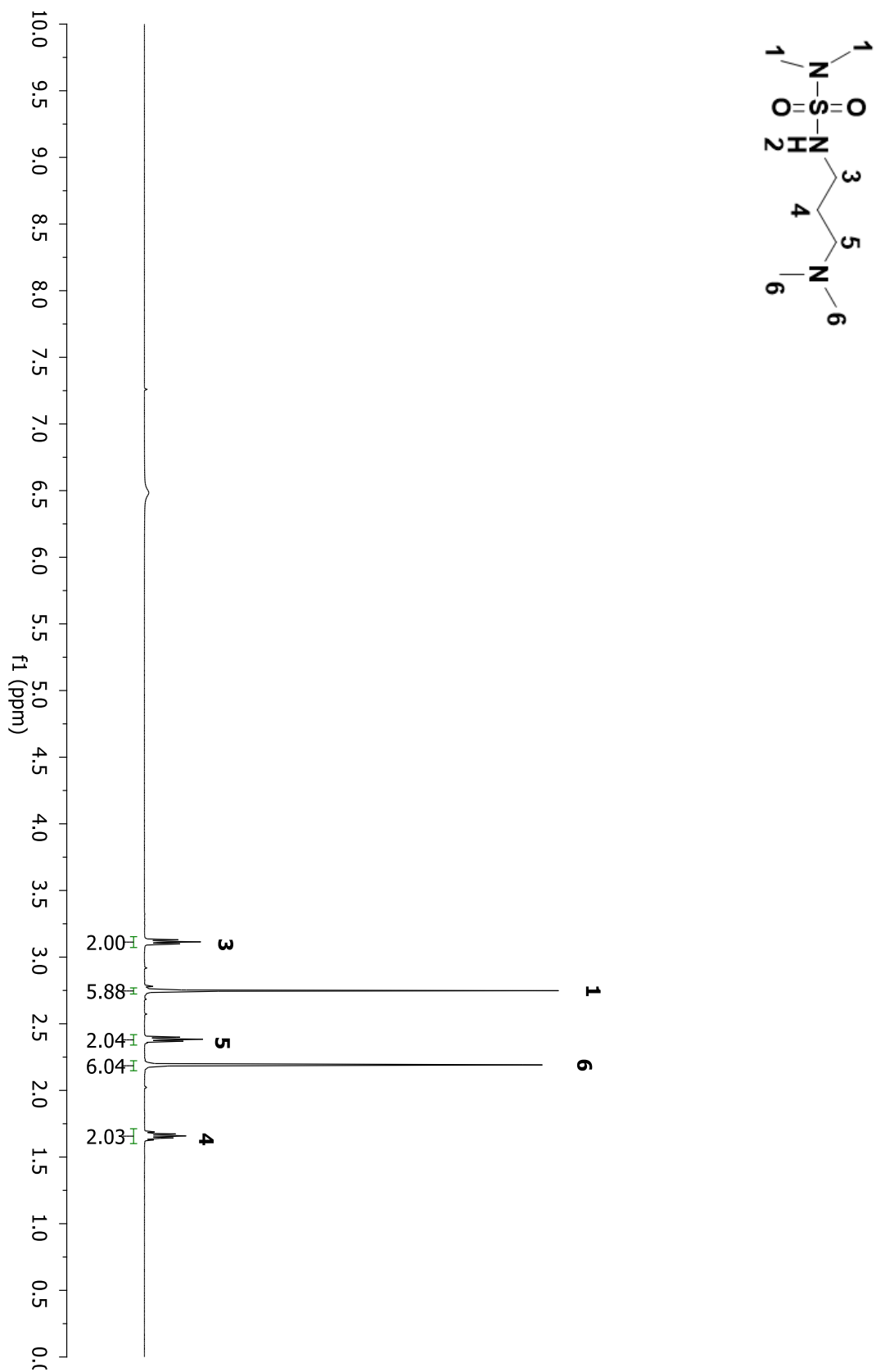


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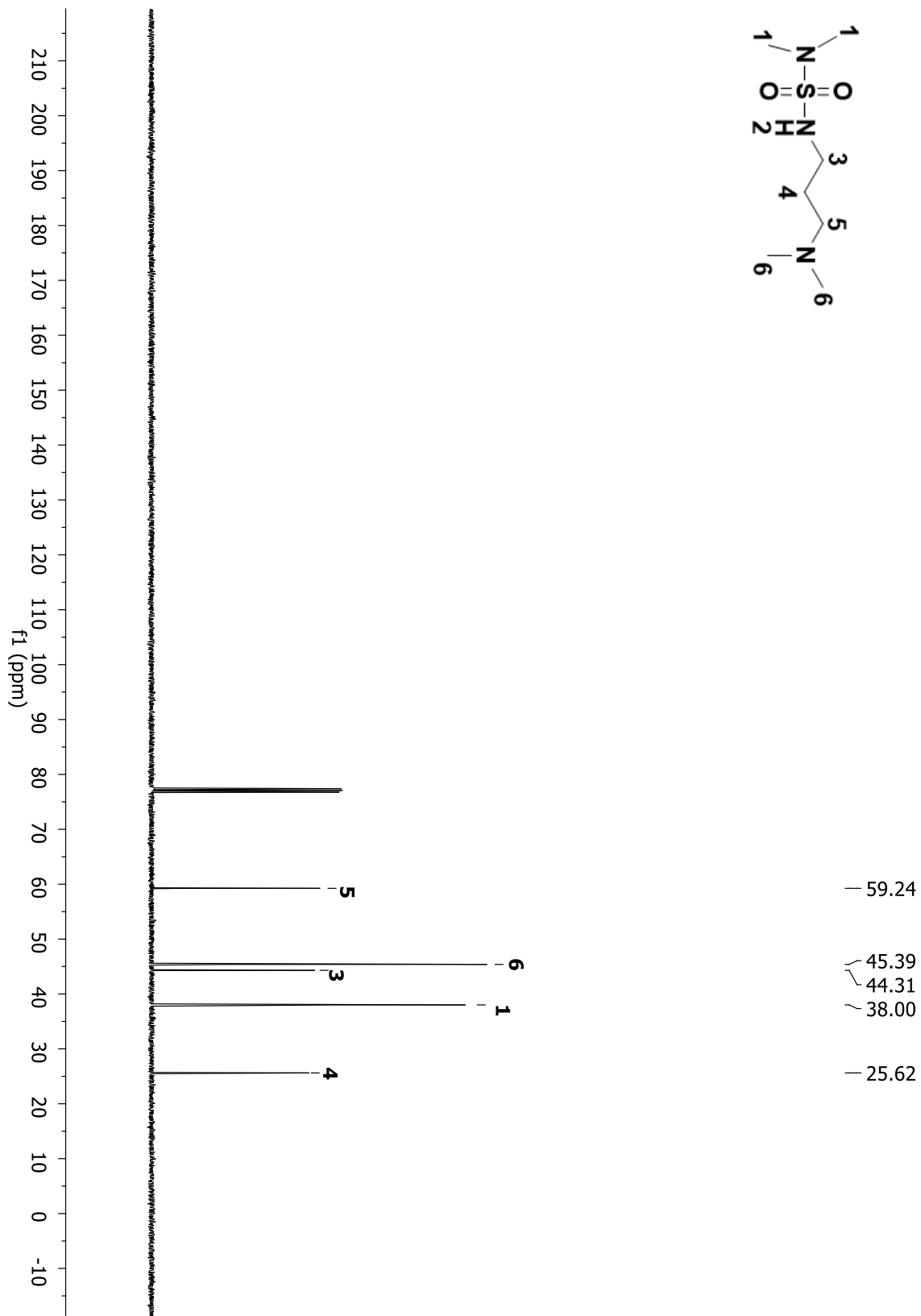


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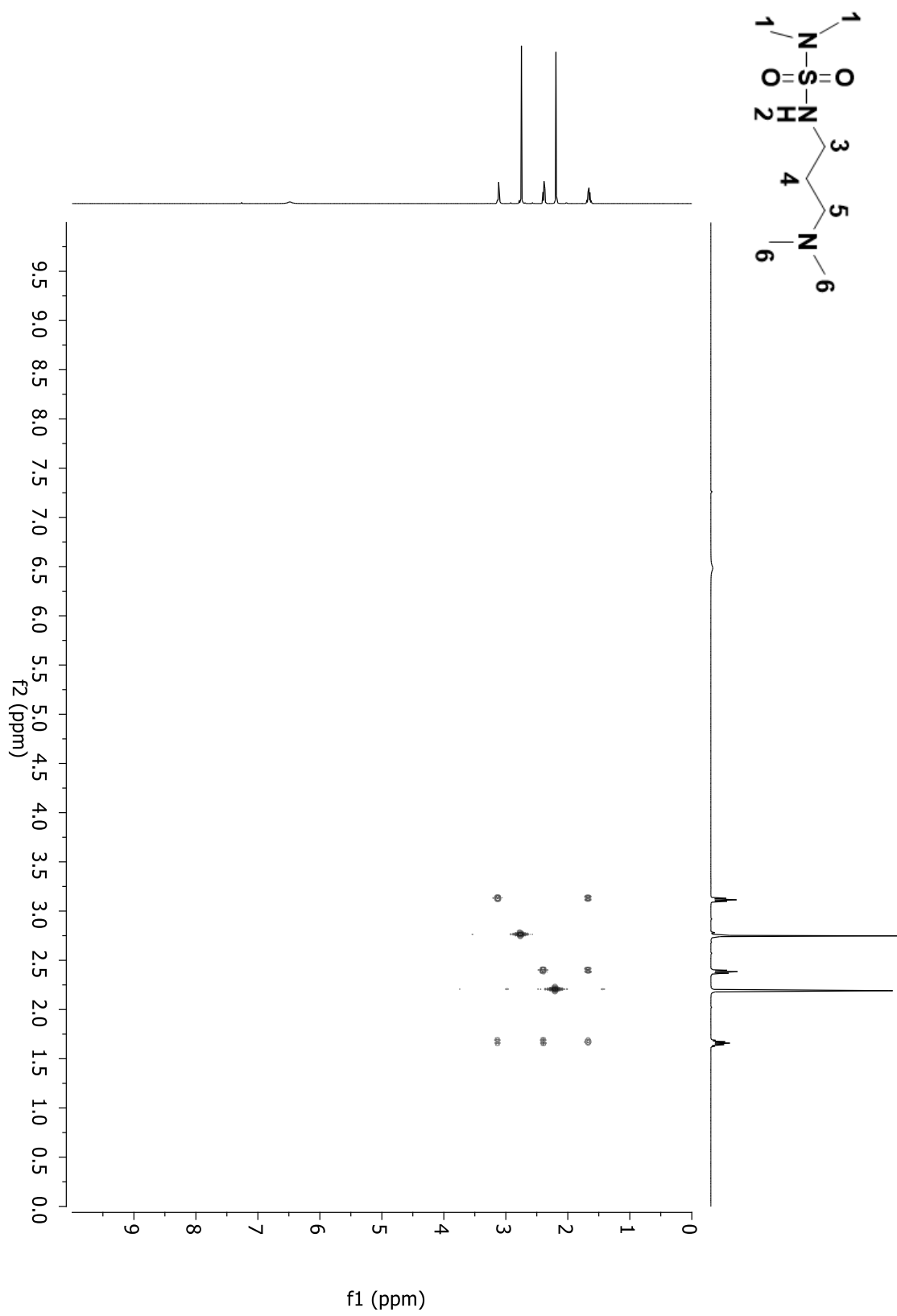


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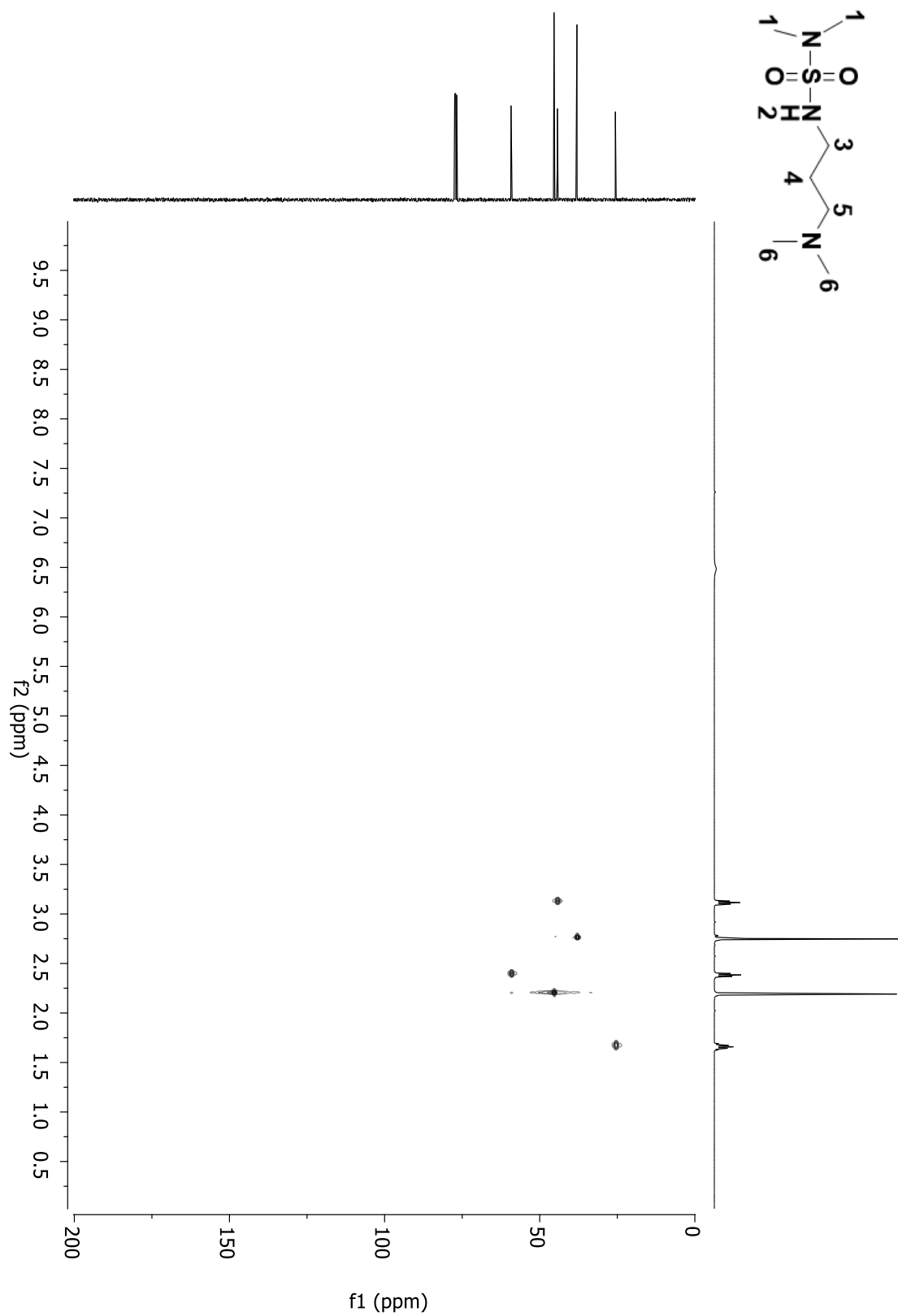


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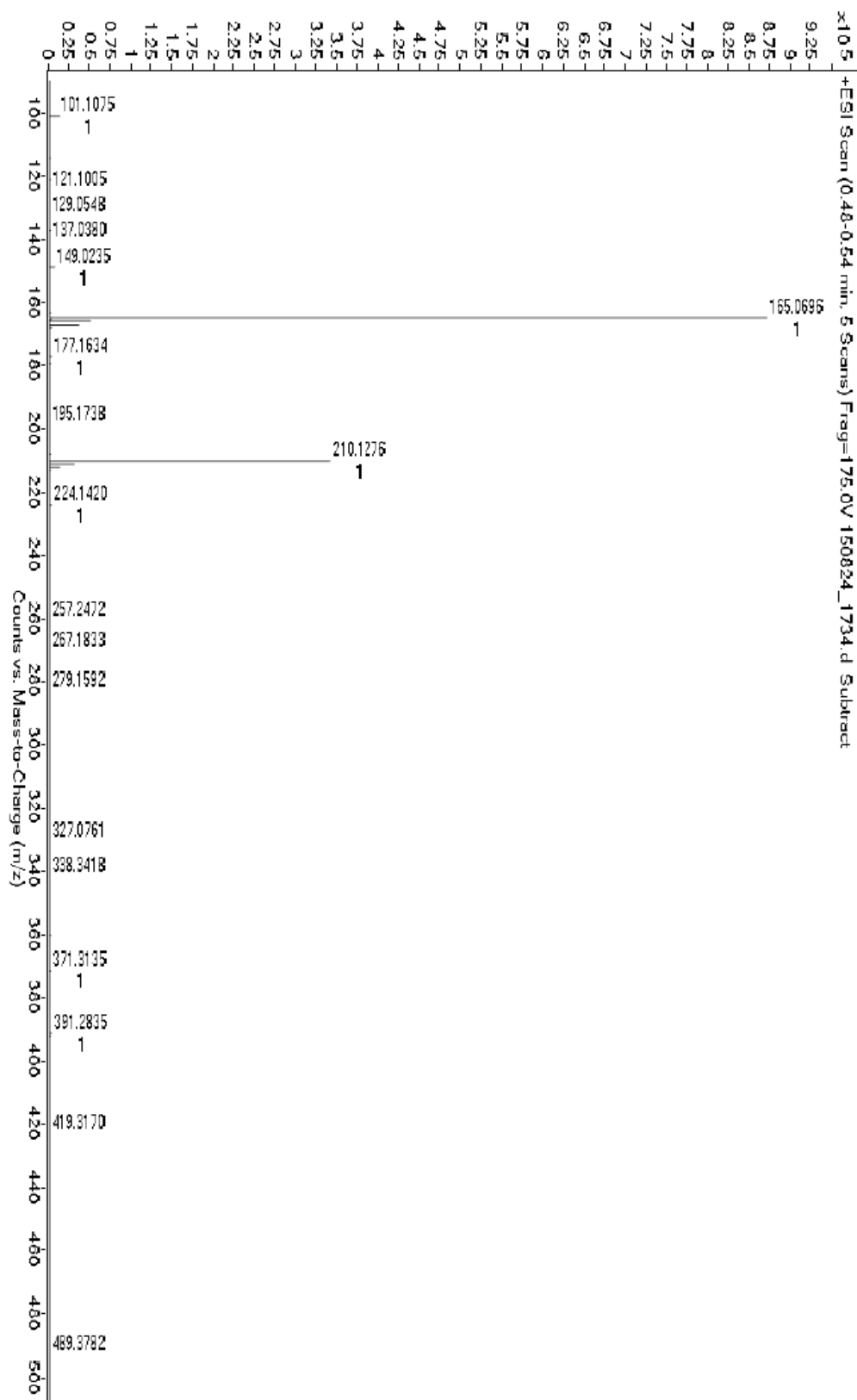


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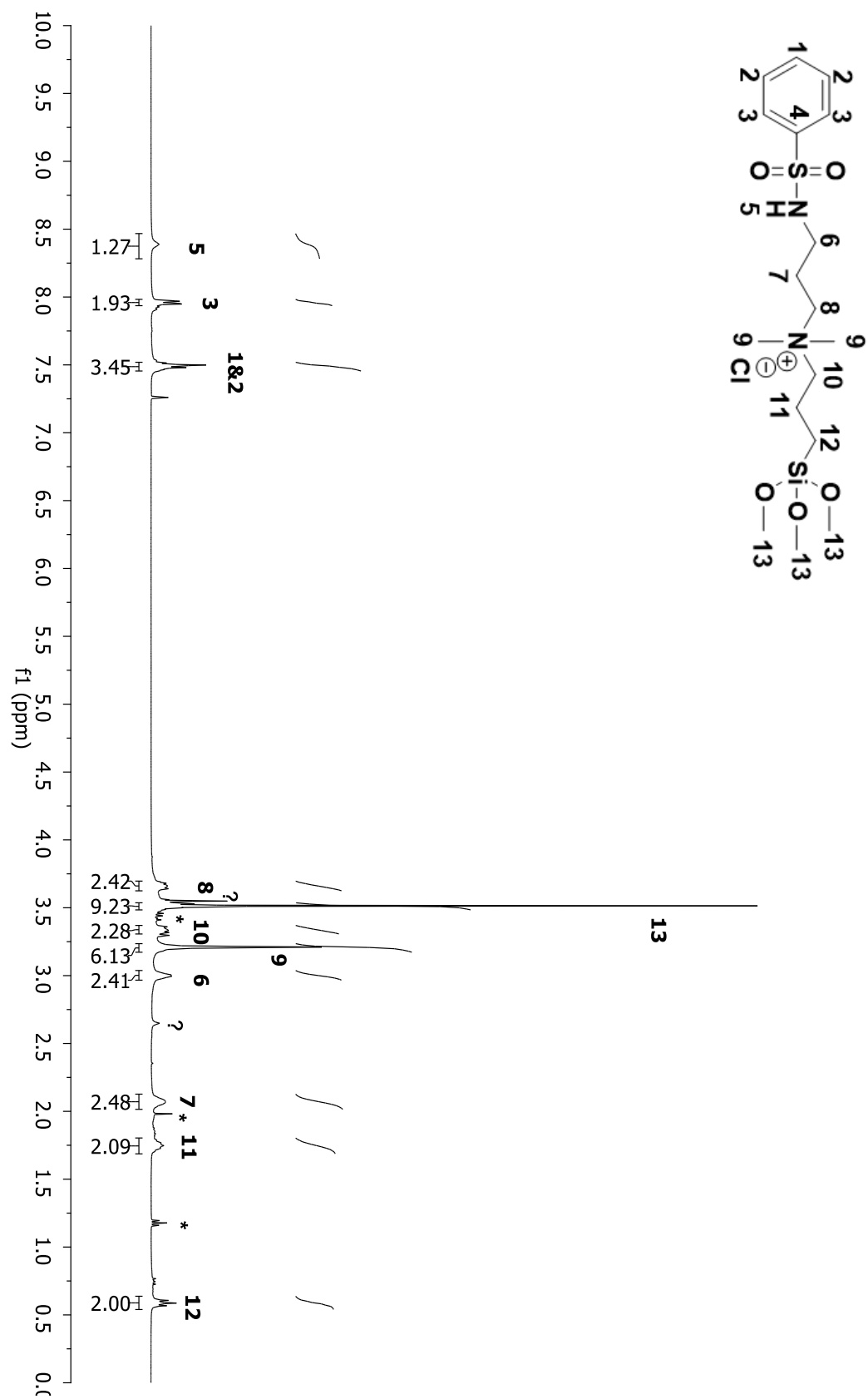


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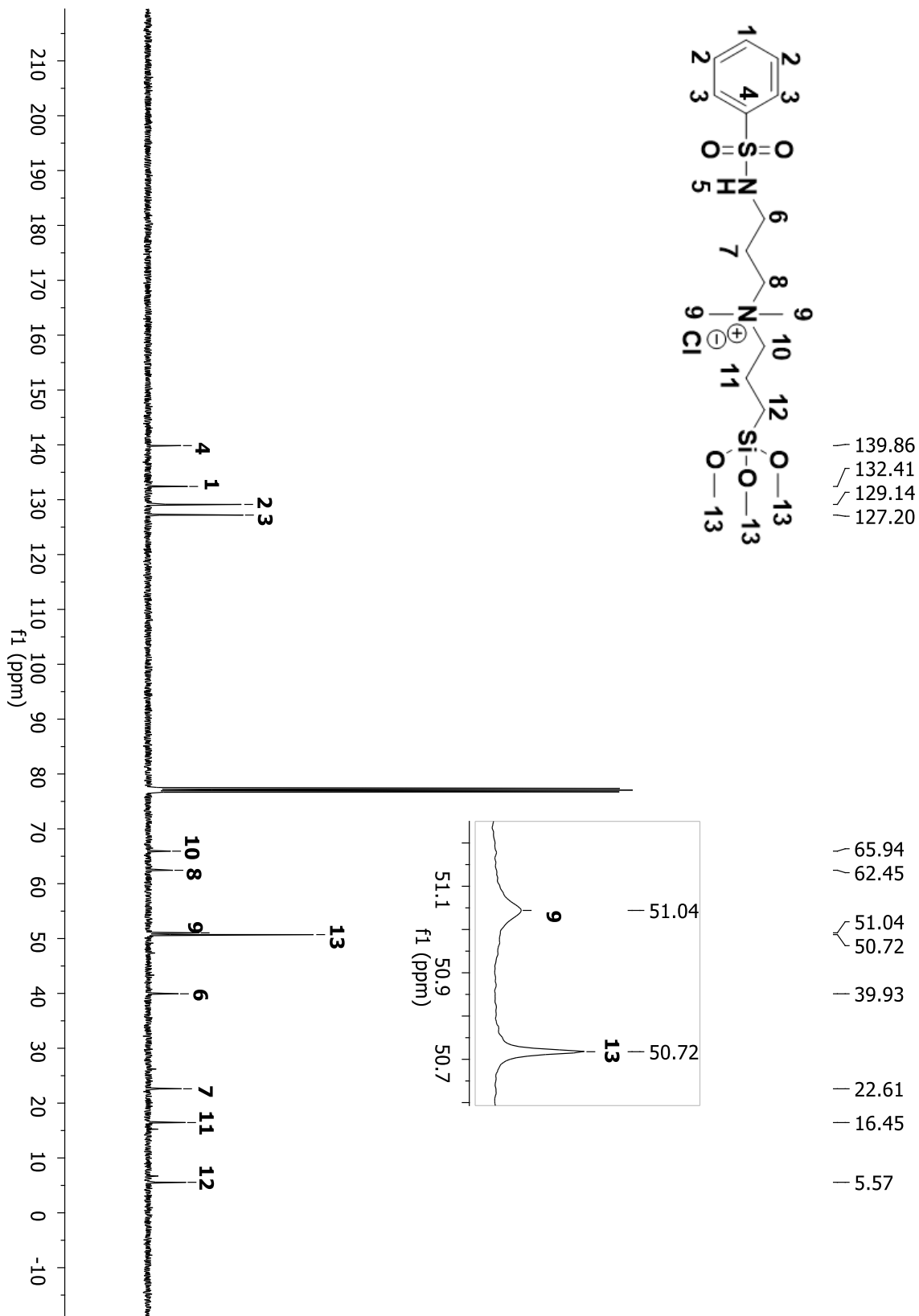


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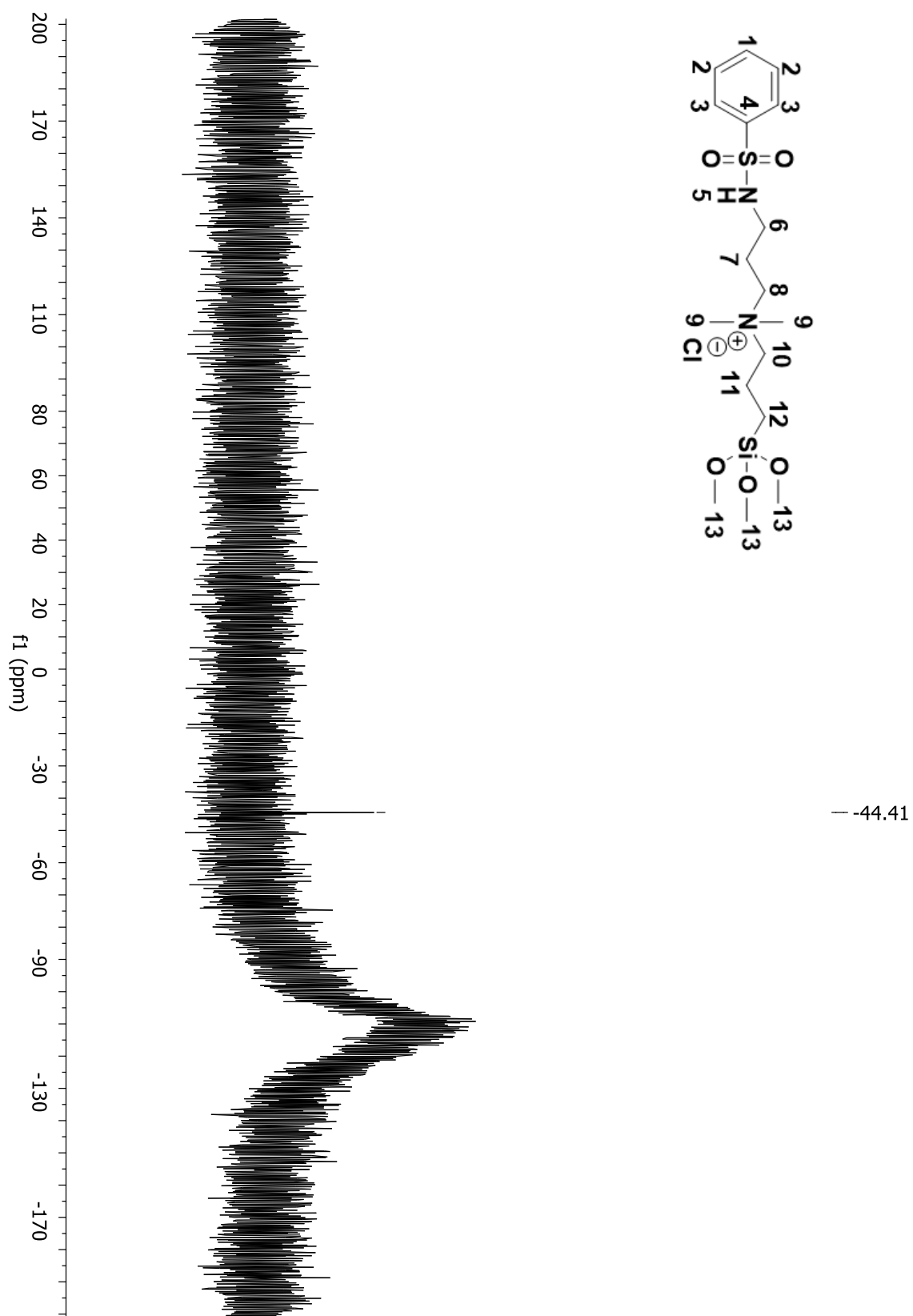


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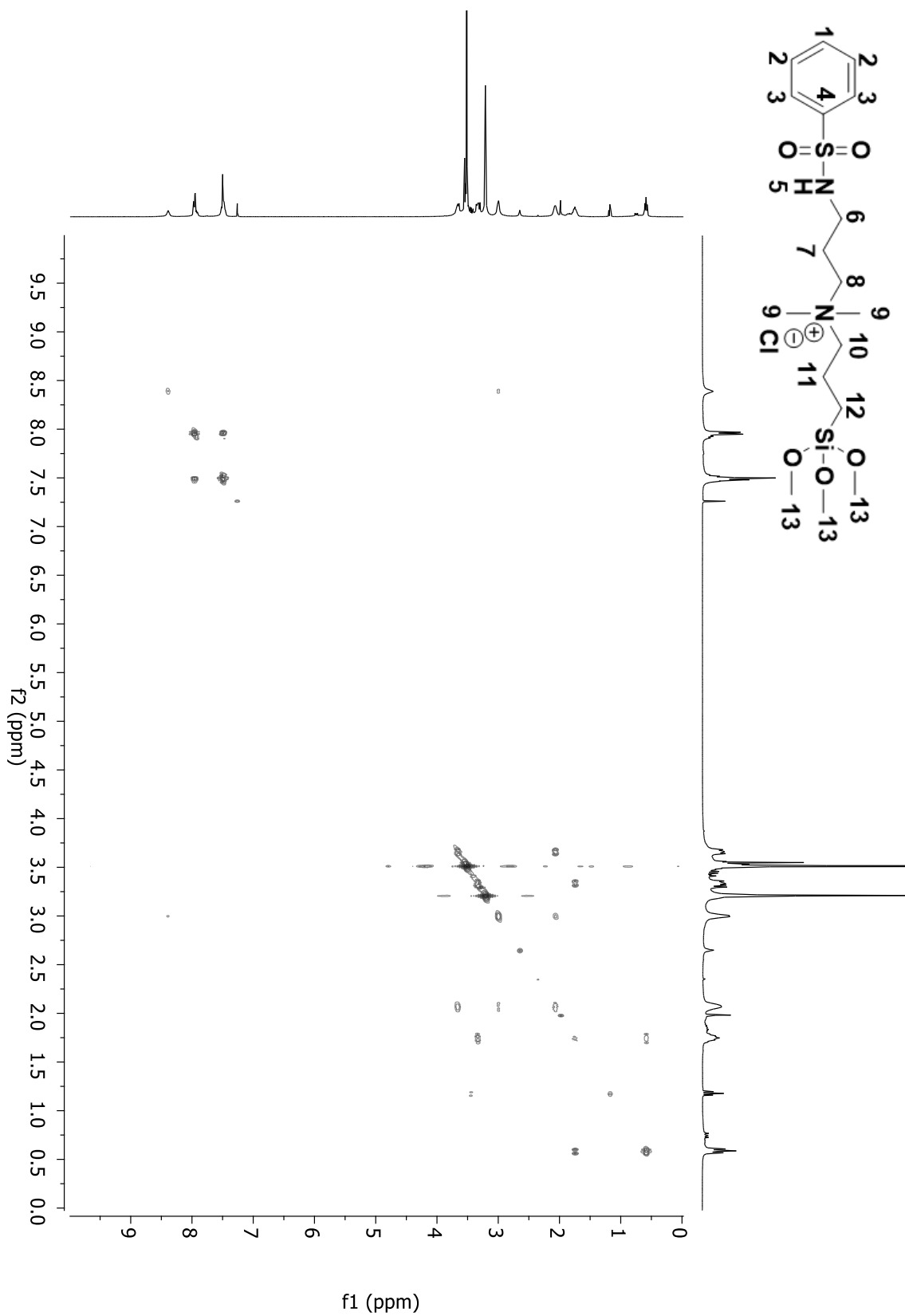


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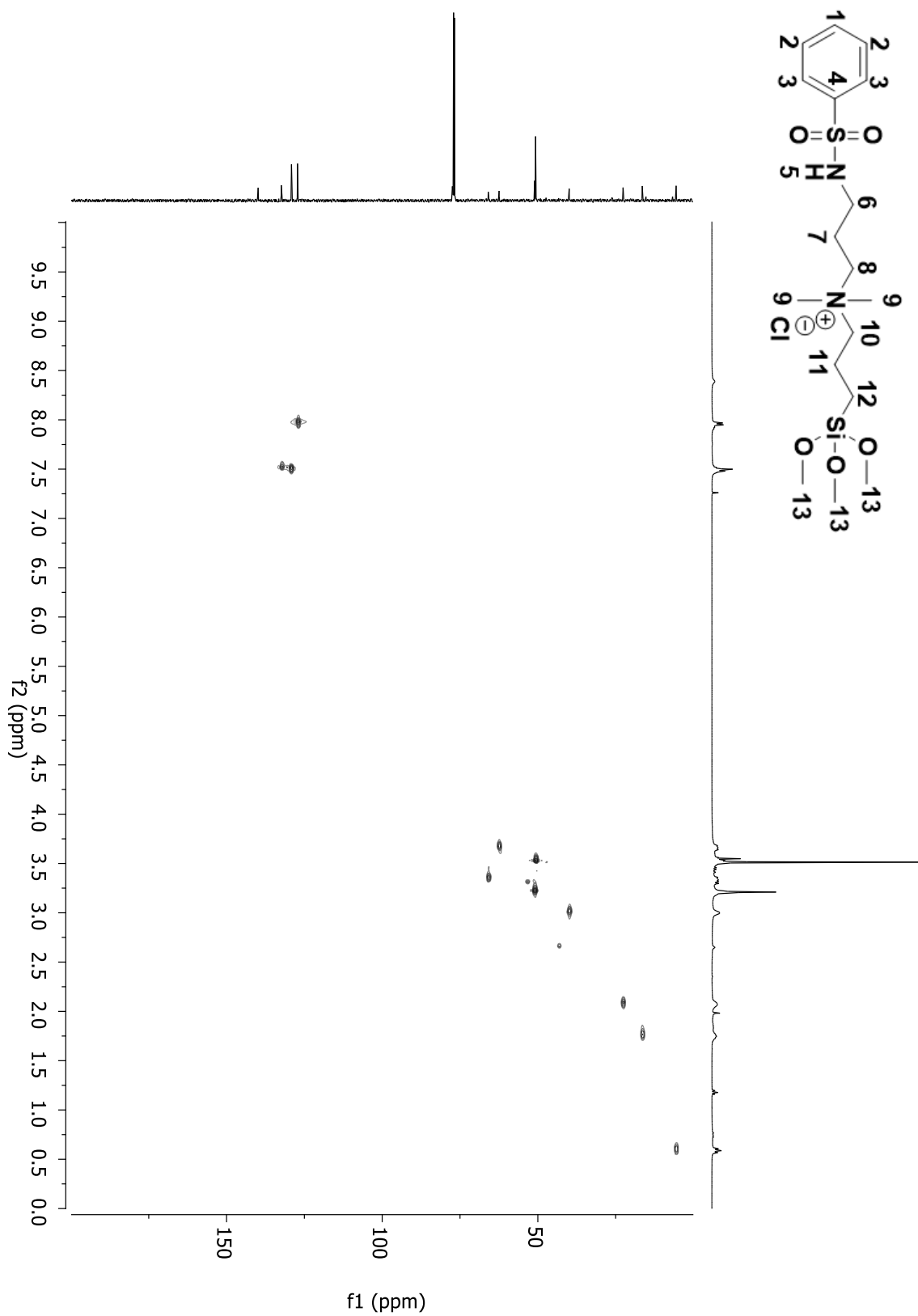


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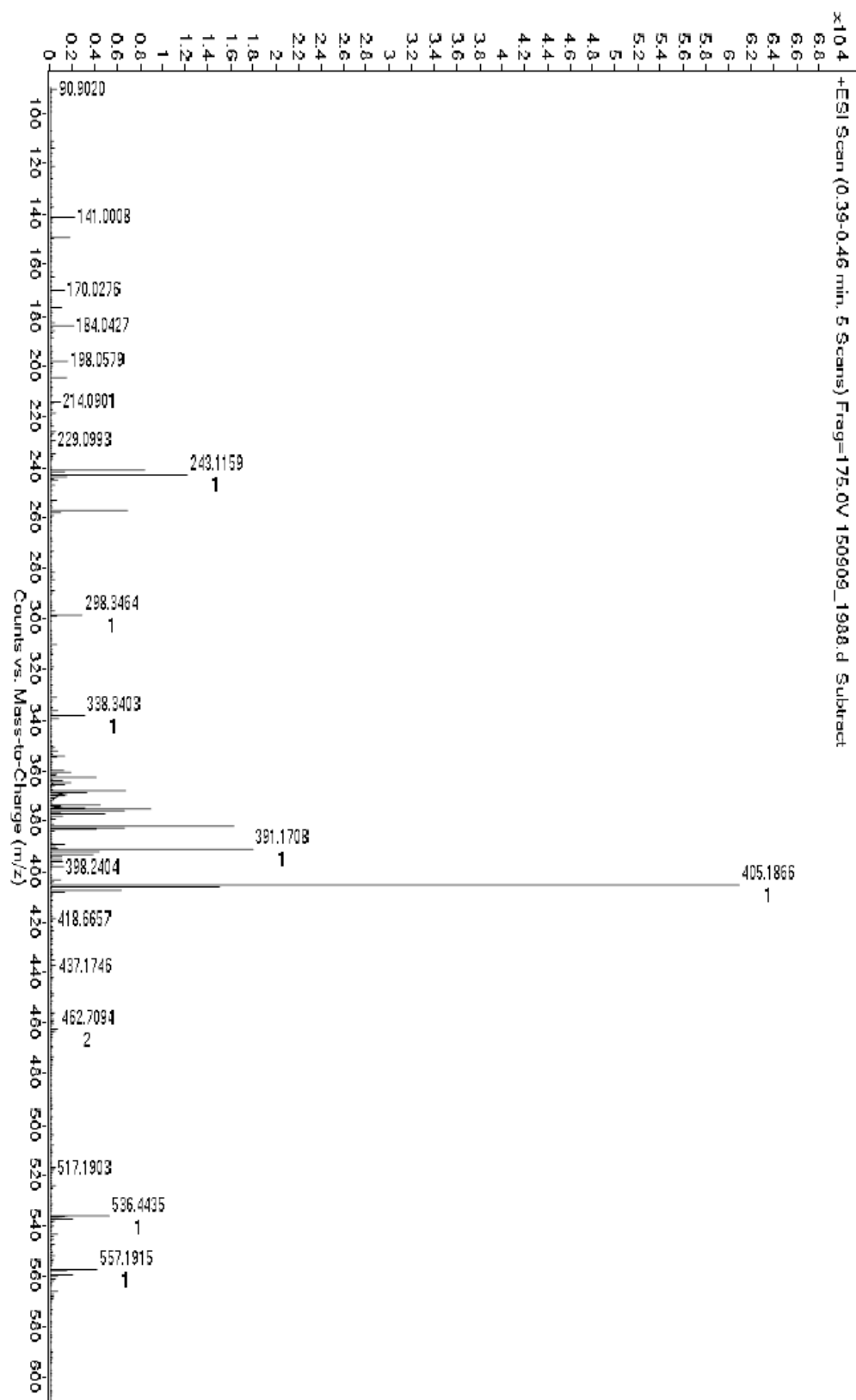


Figure A50: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **1F**.

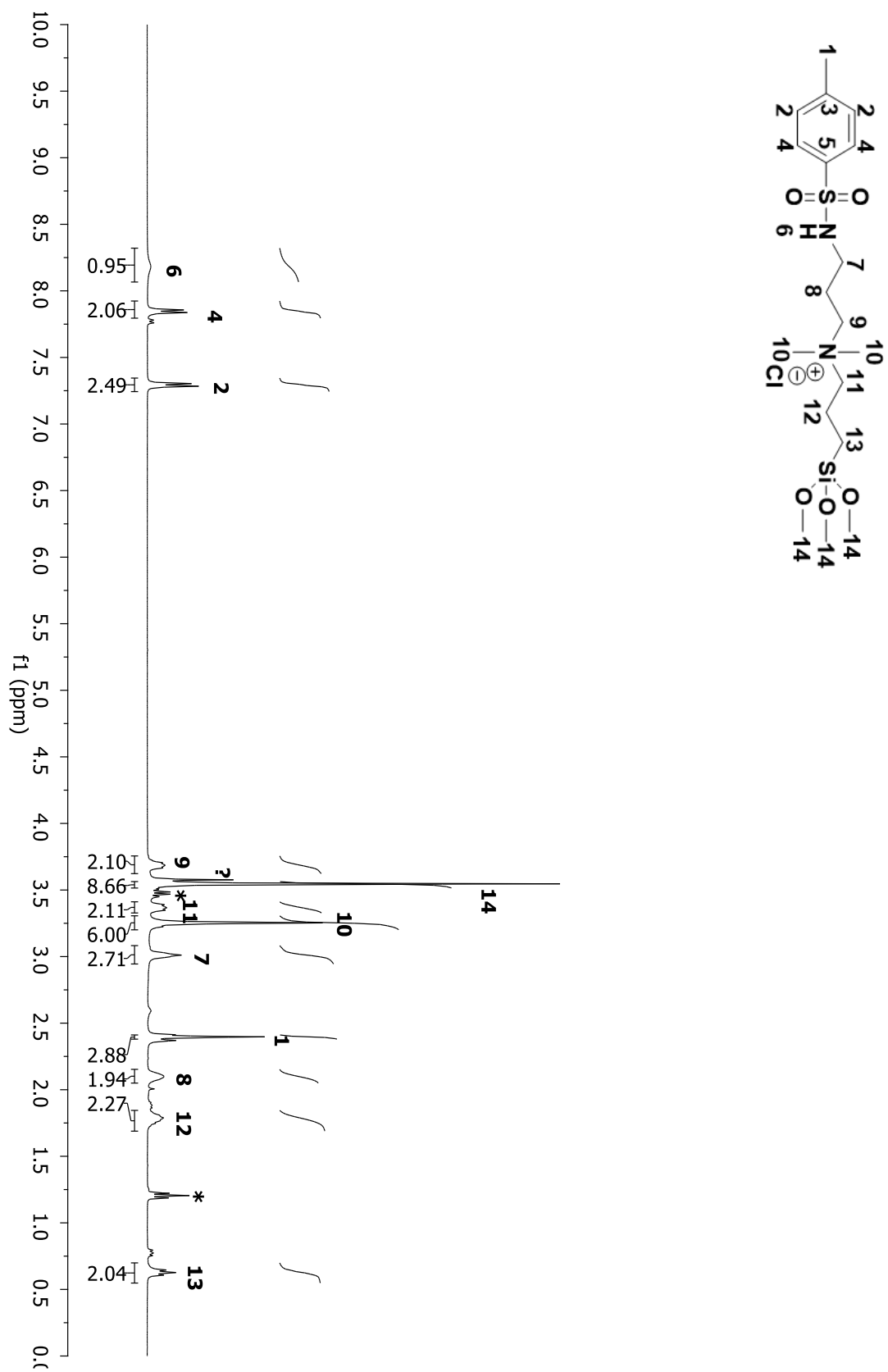


Figure A51: ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **2F** in CDCl₃.

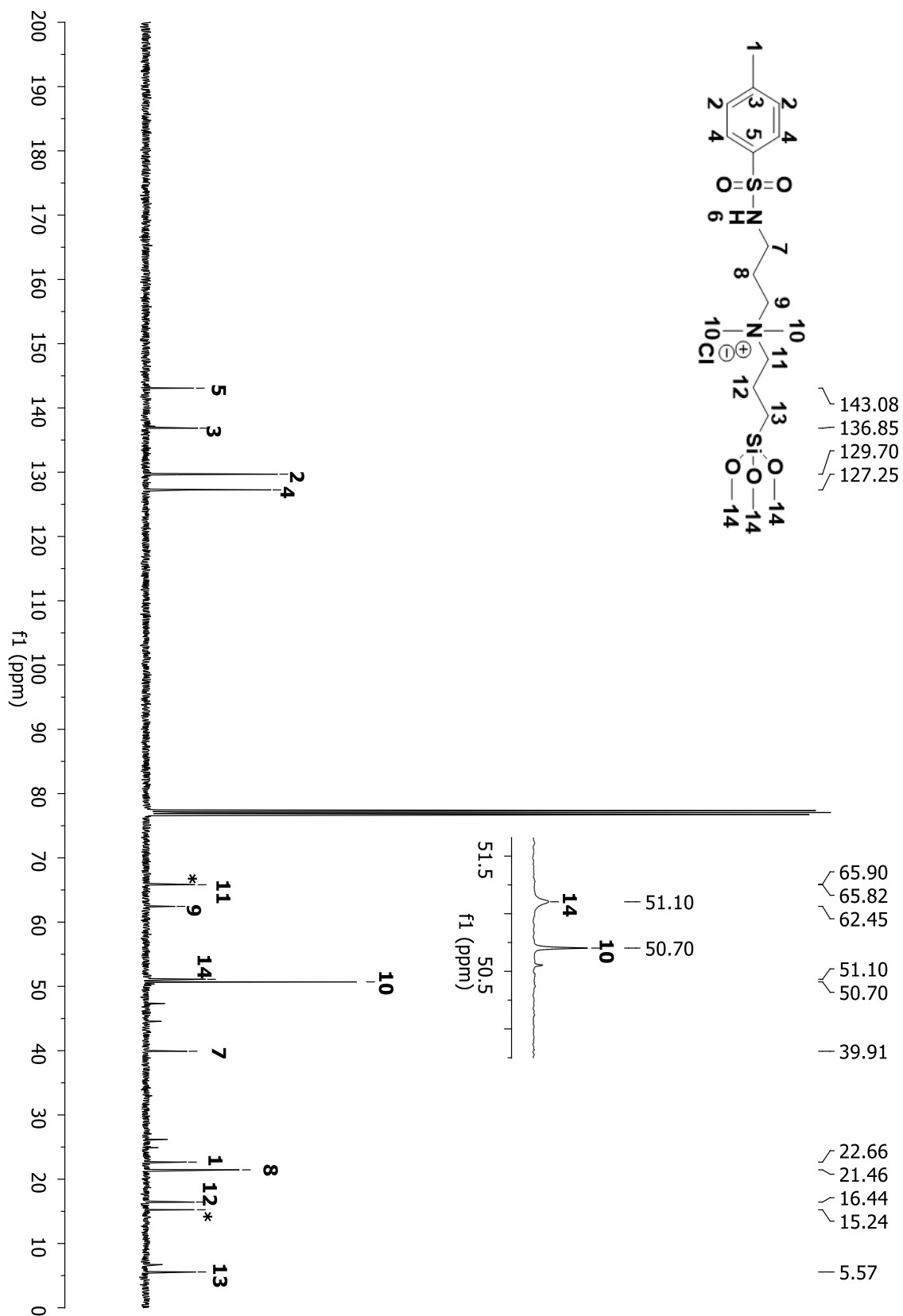


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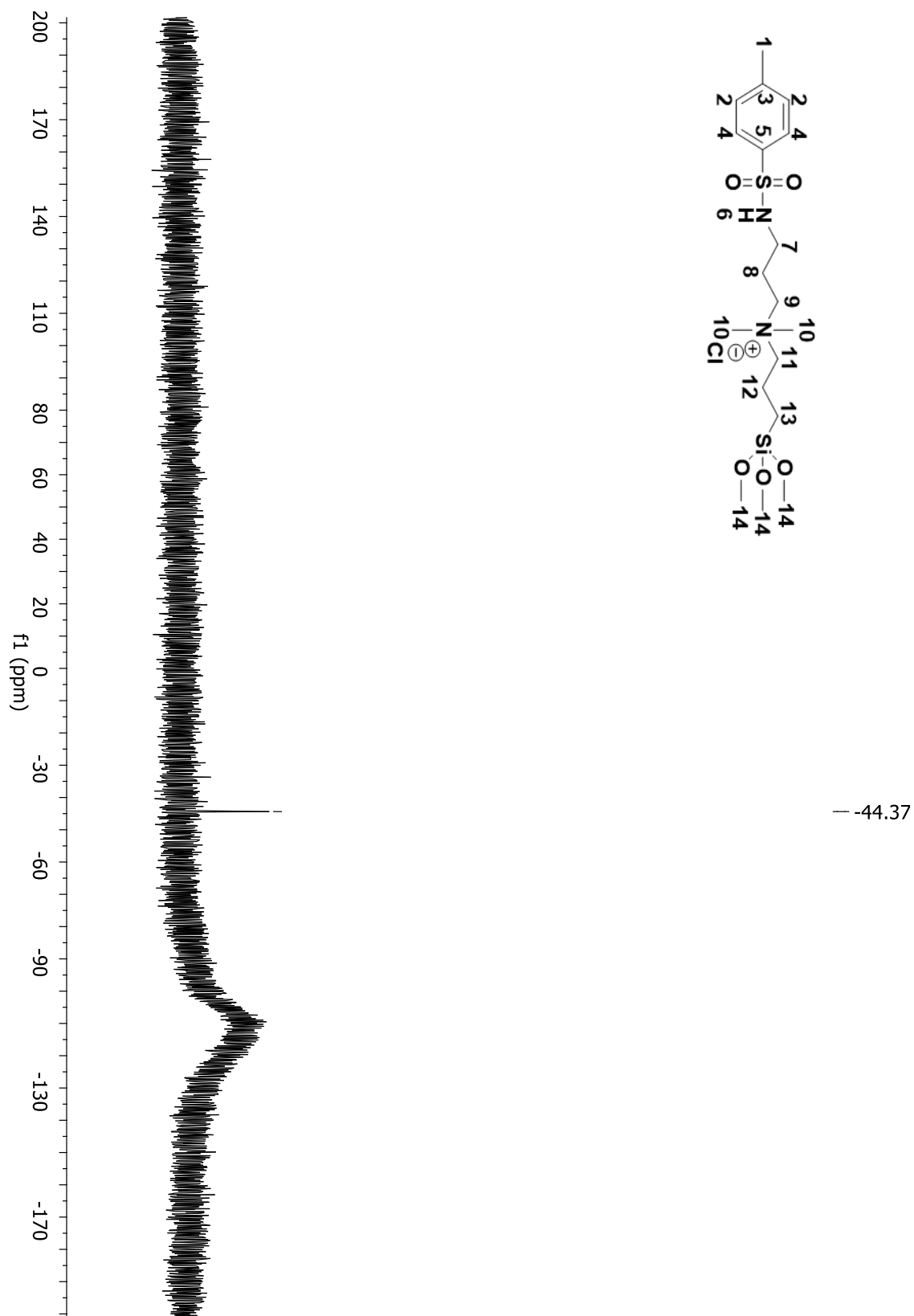


Figure A53: ^{29}Si NMR spectrum of compound **2F** in CDCl_3 .

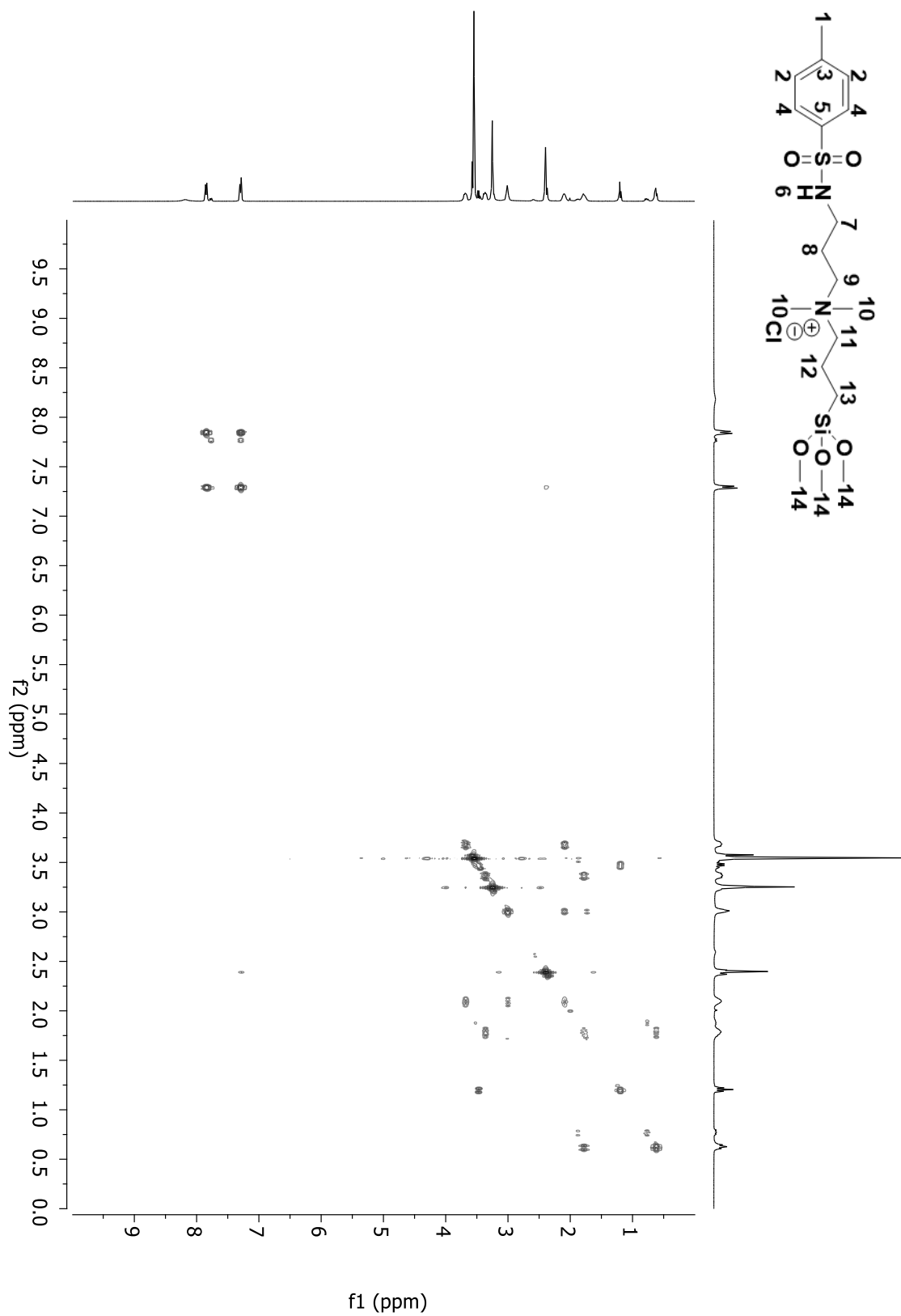


Figure A54: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **2F** in CDCl₃.

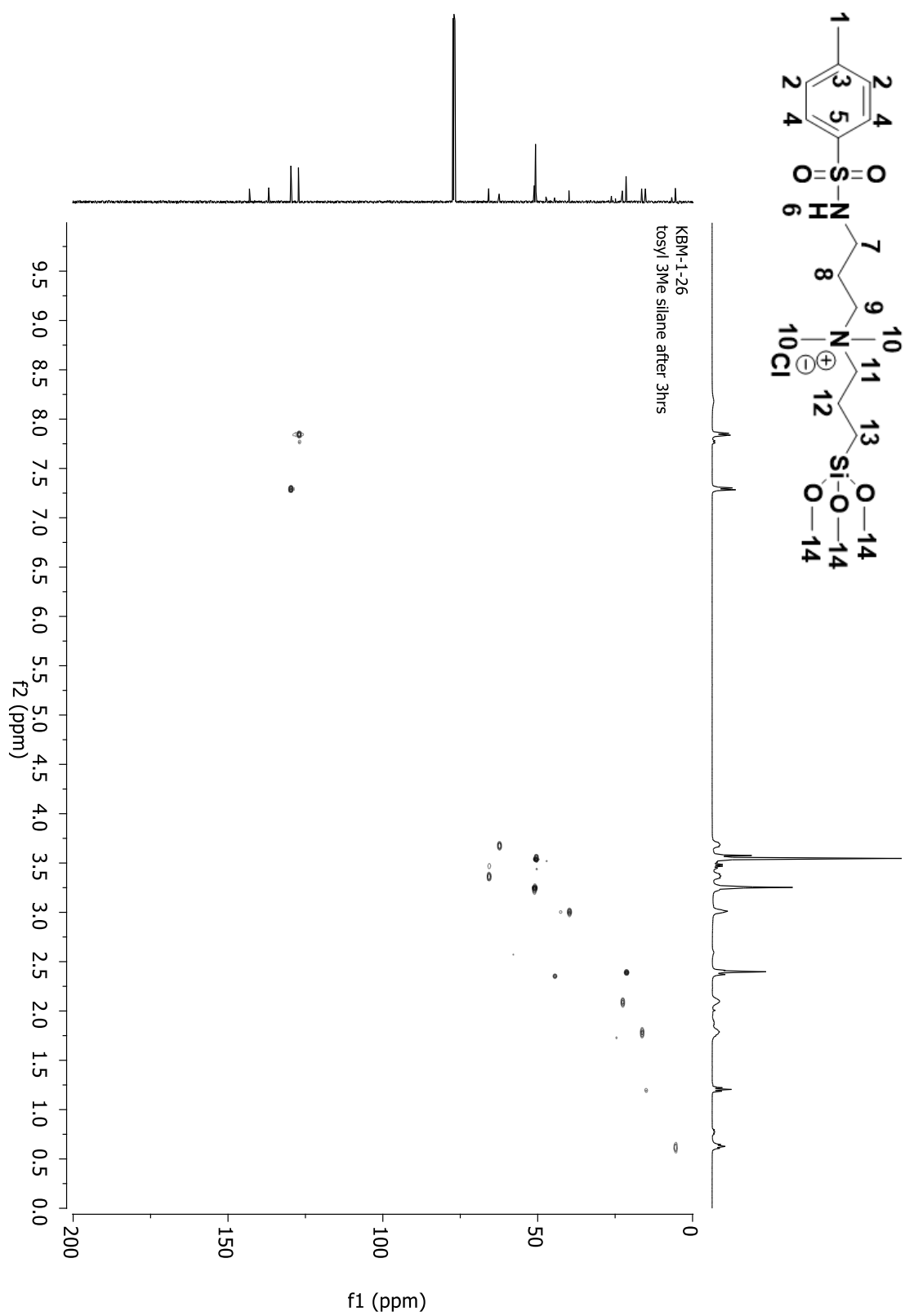


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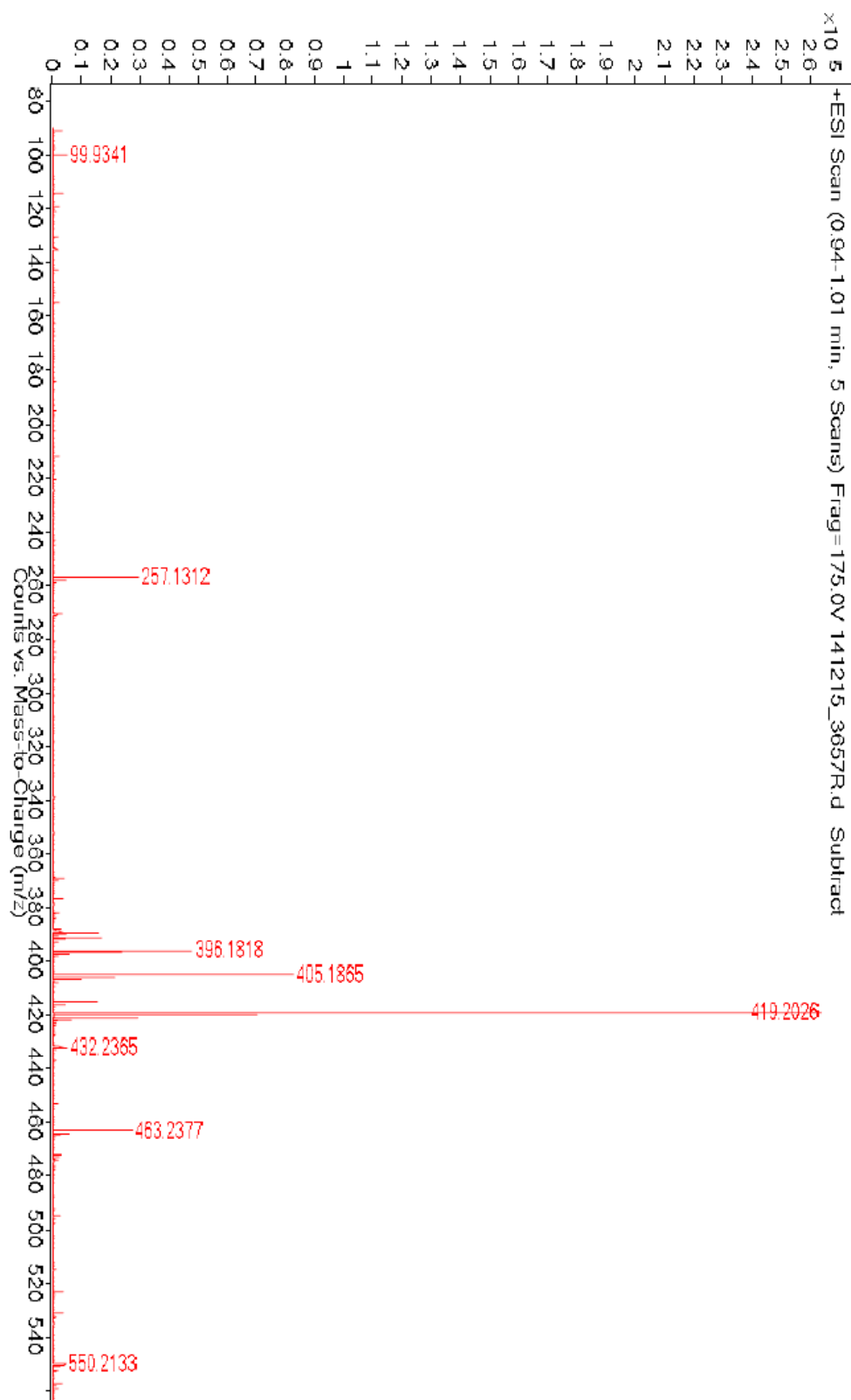


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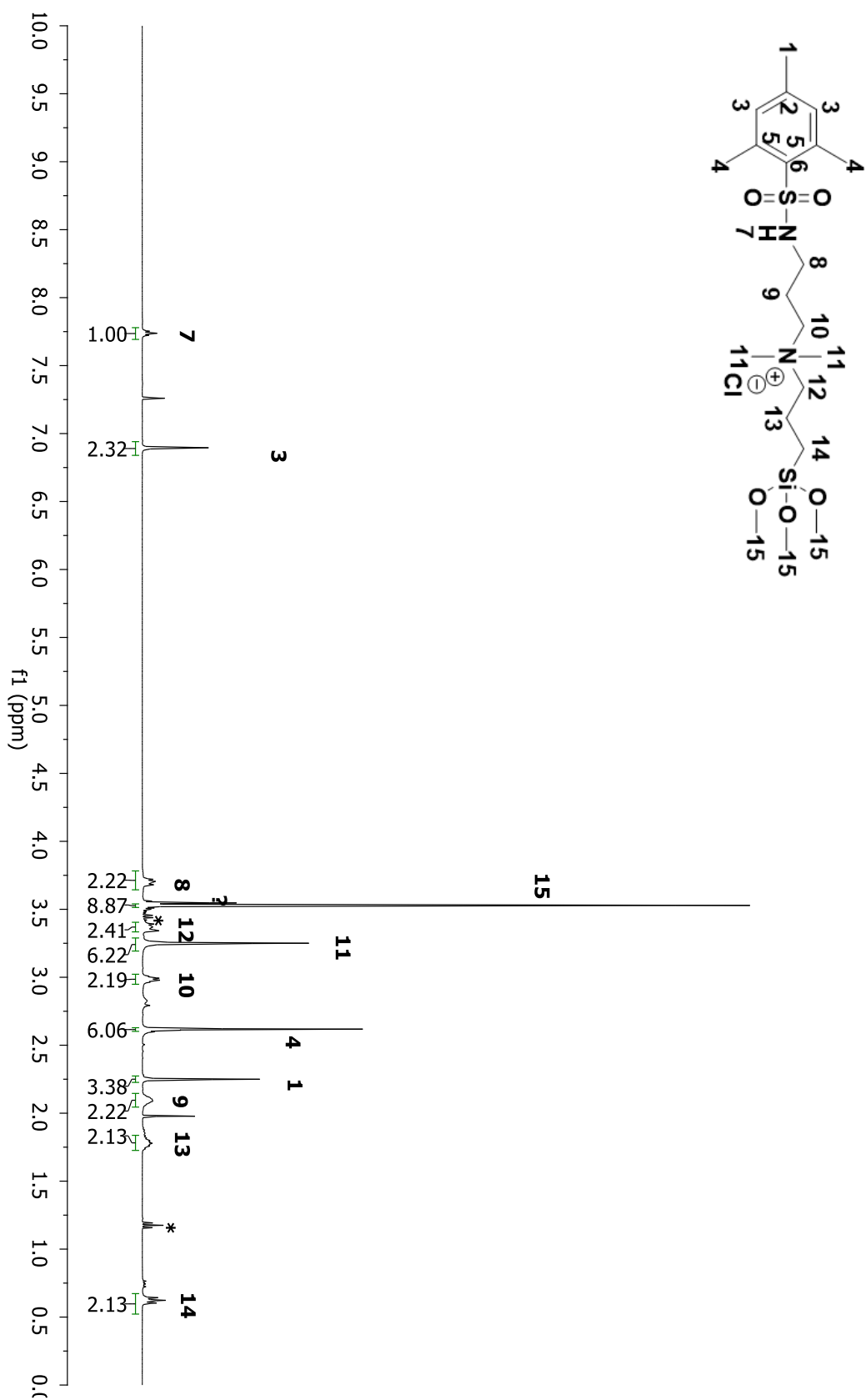


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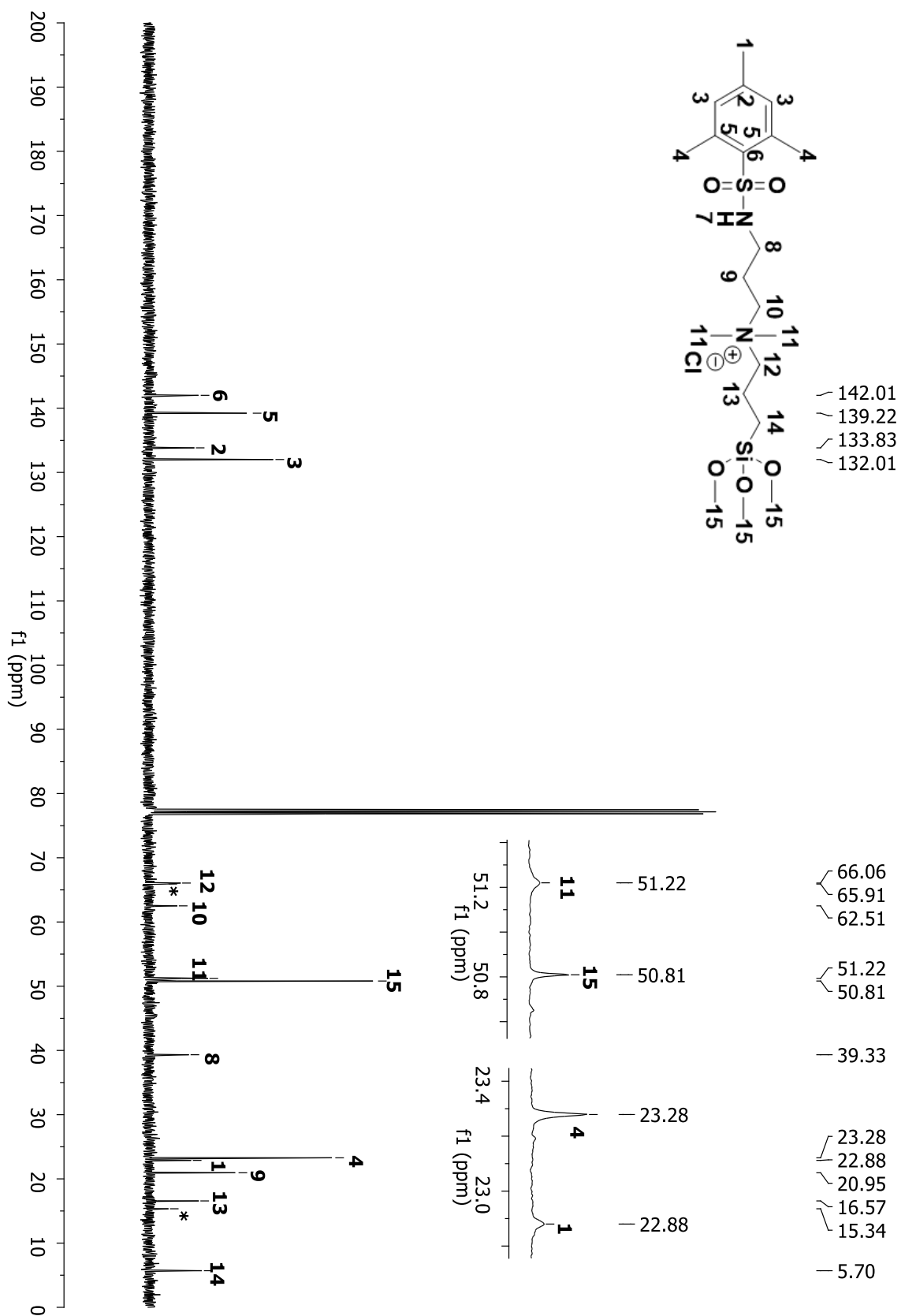


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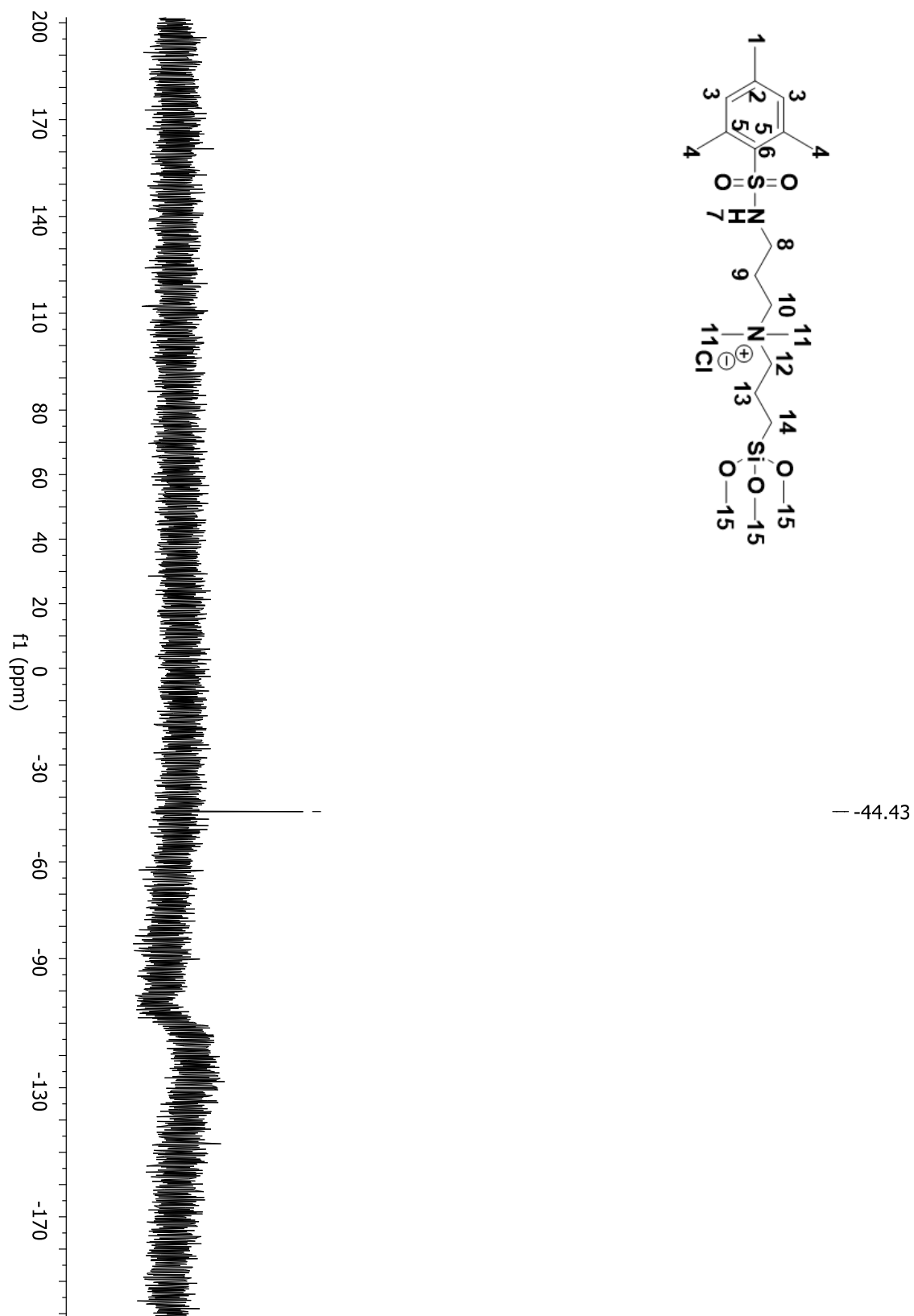


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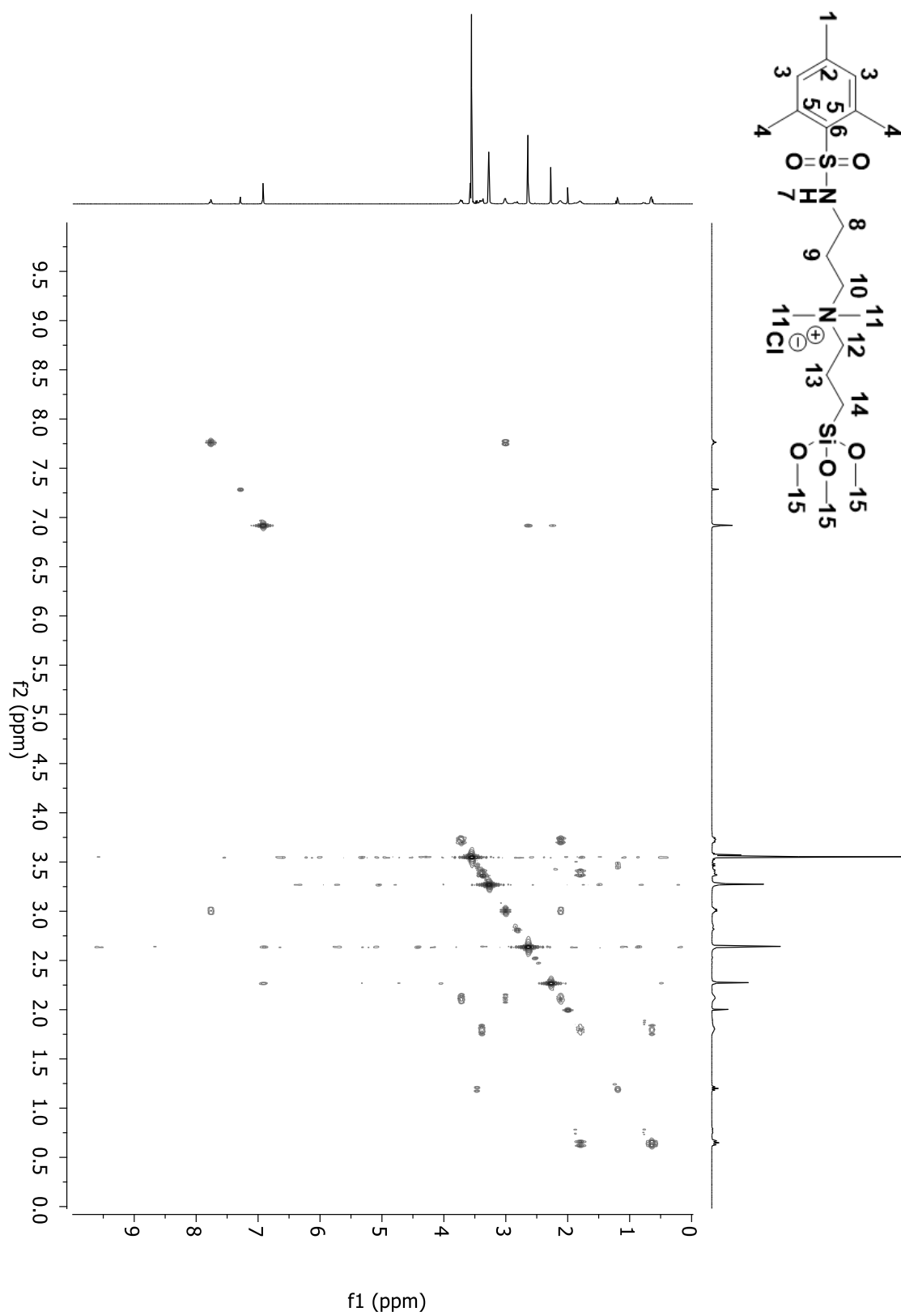


Figure A60: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **3F** in CDCl_3 .

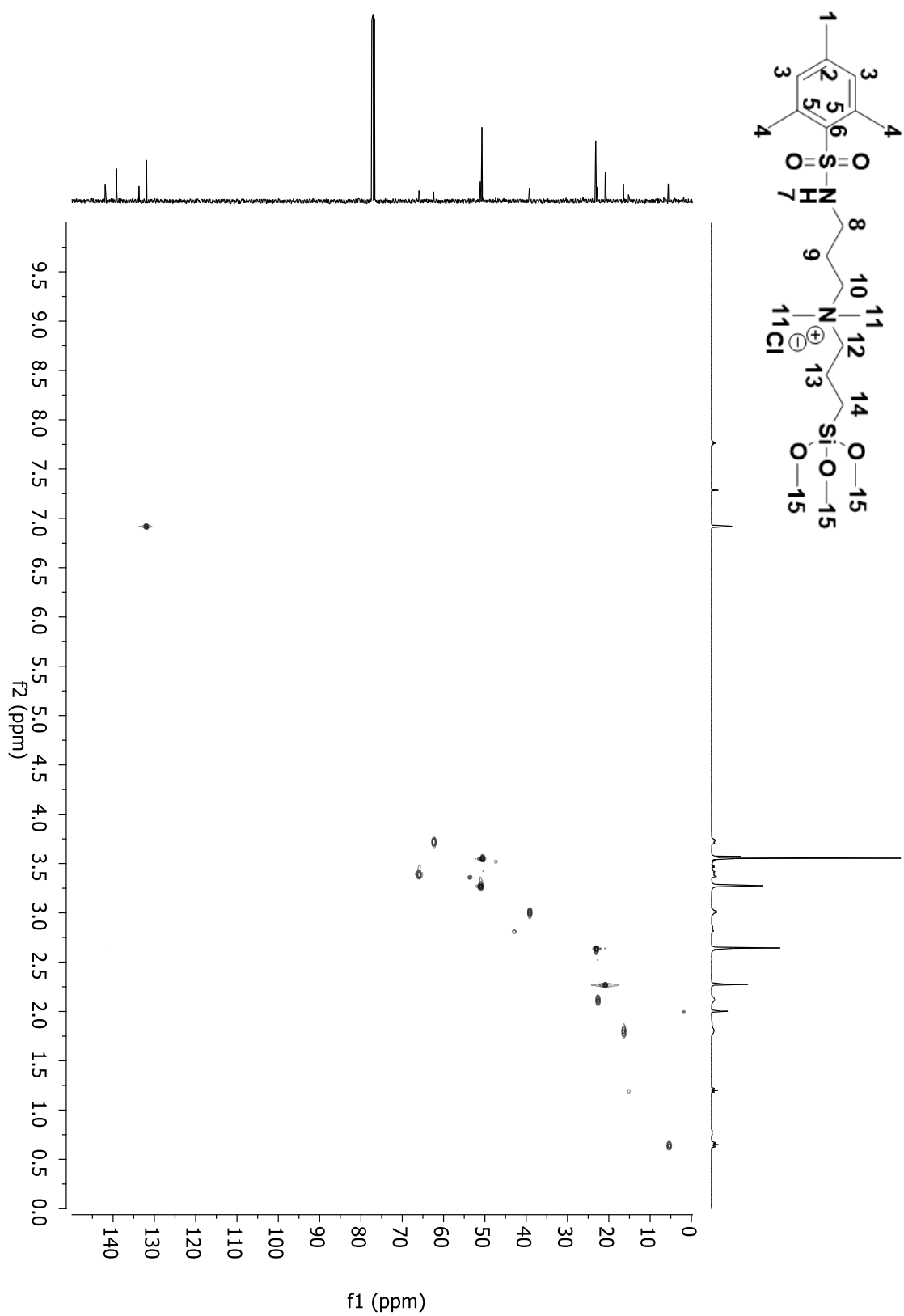


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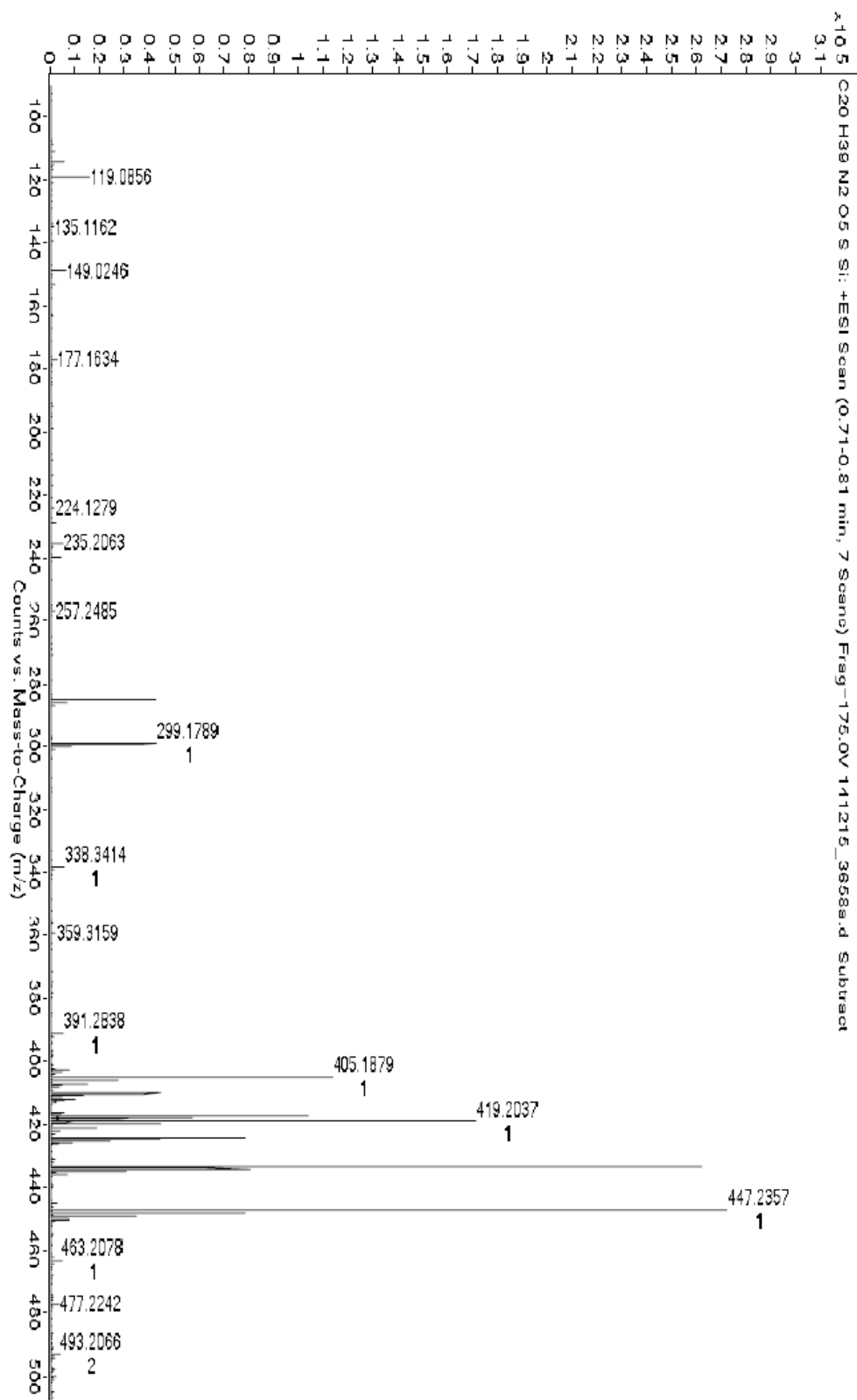


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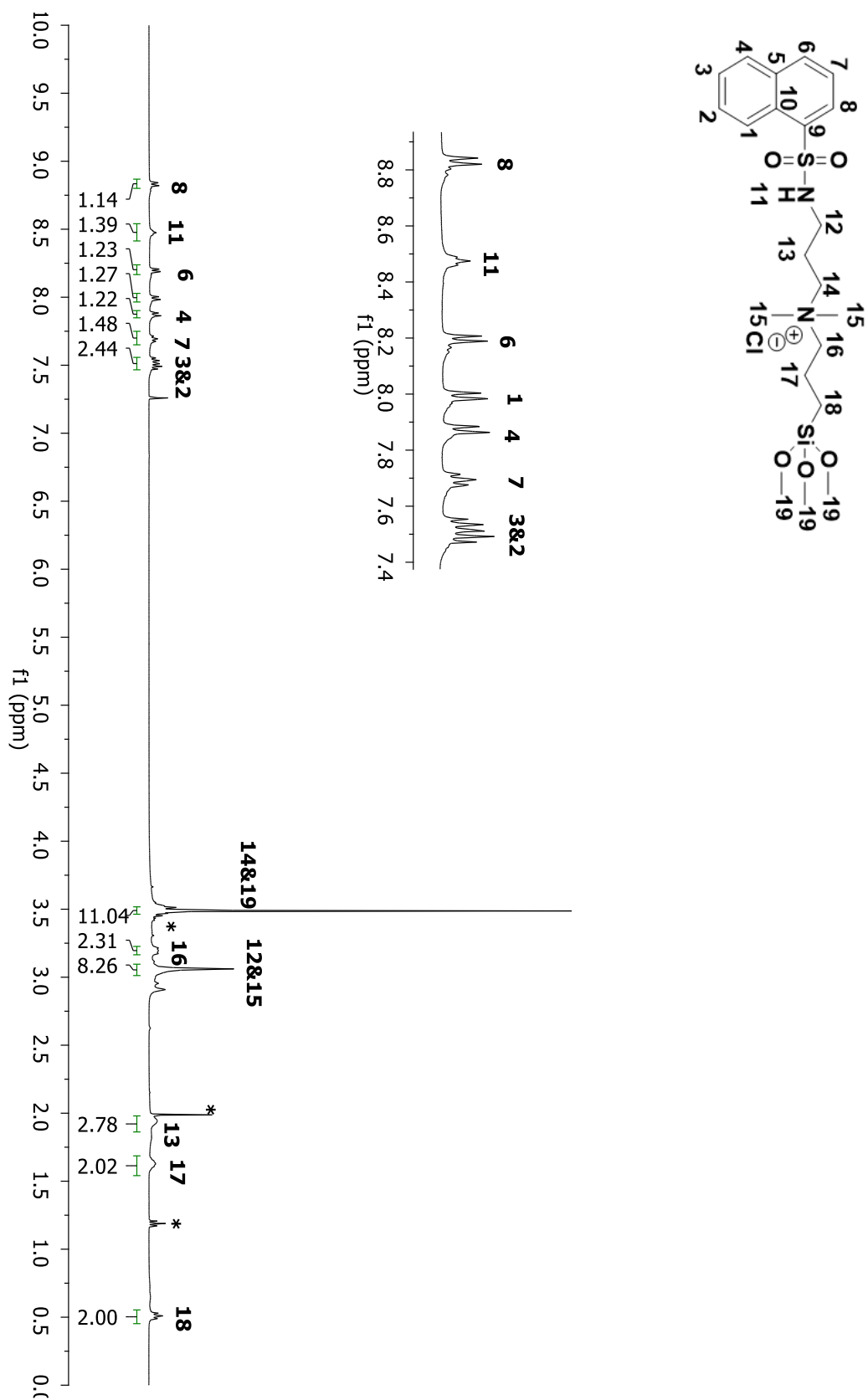


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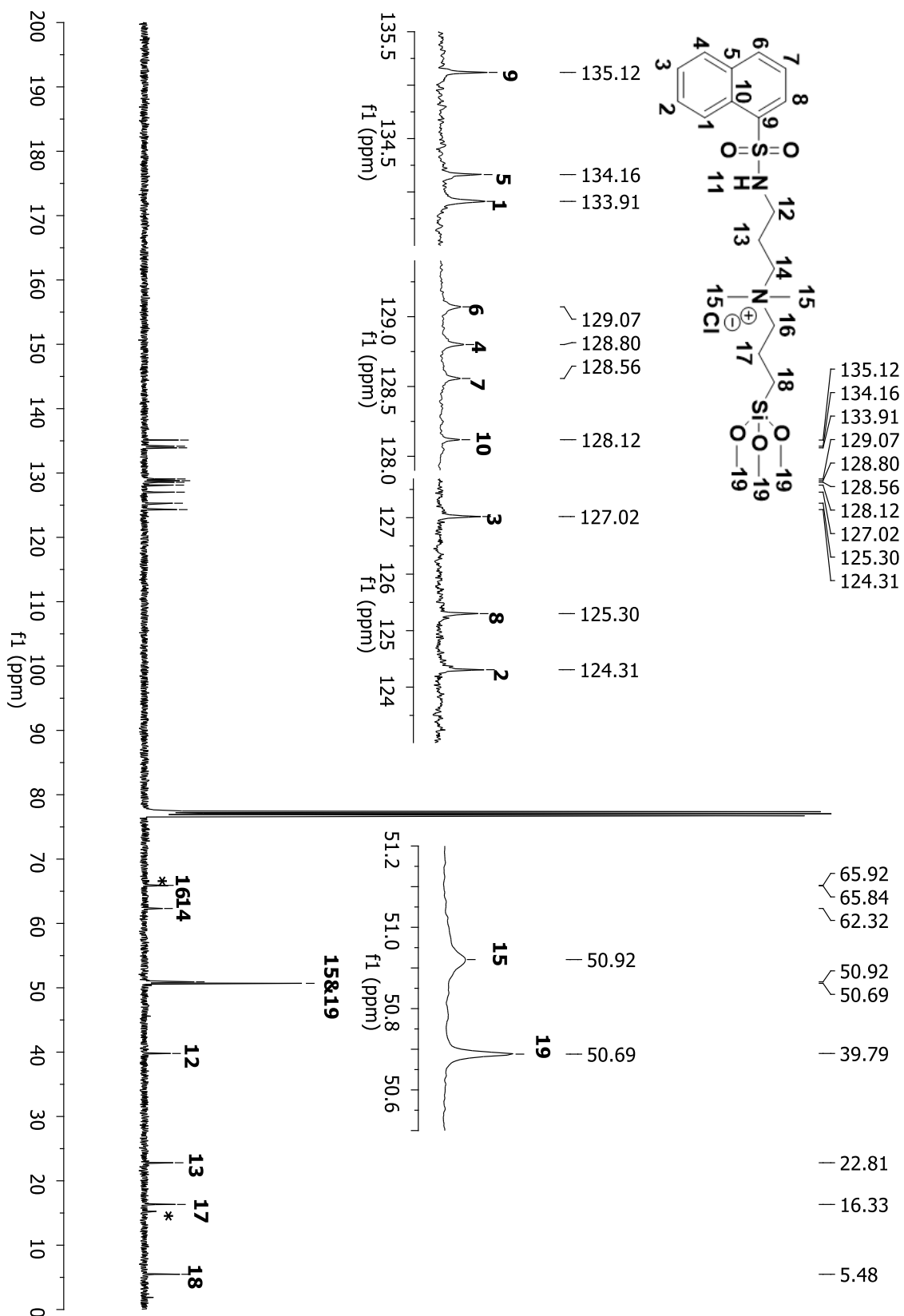


Figure A64: ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **5F** in CDCl_3 .

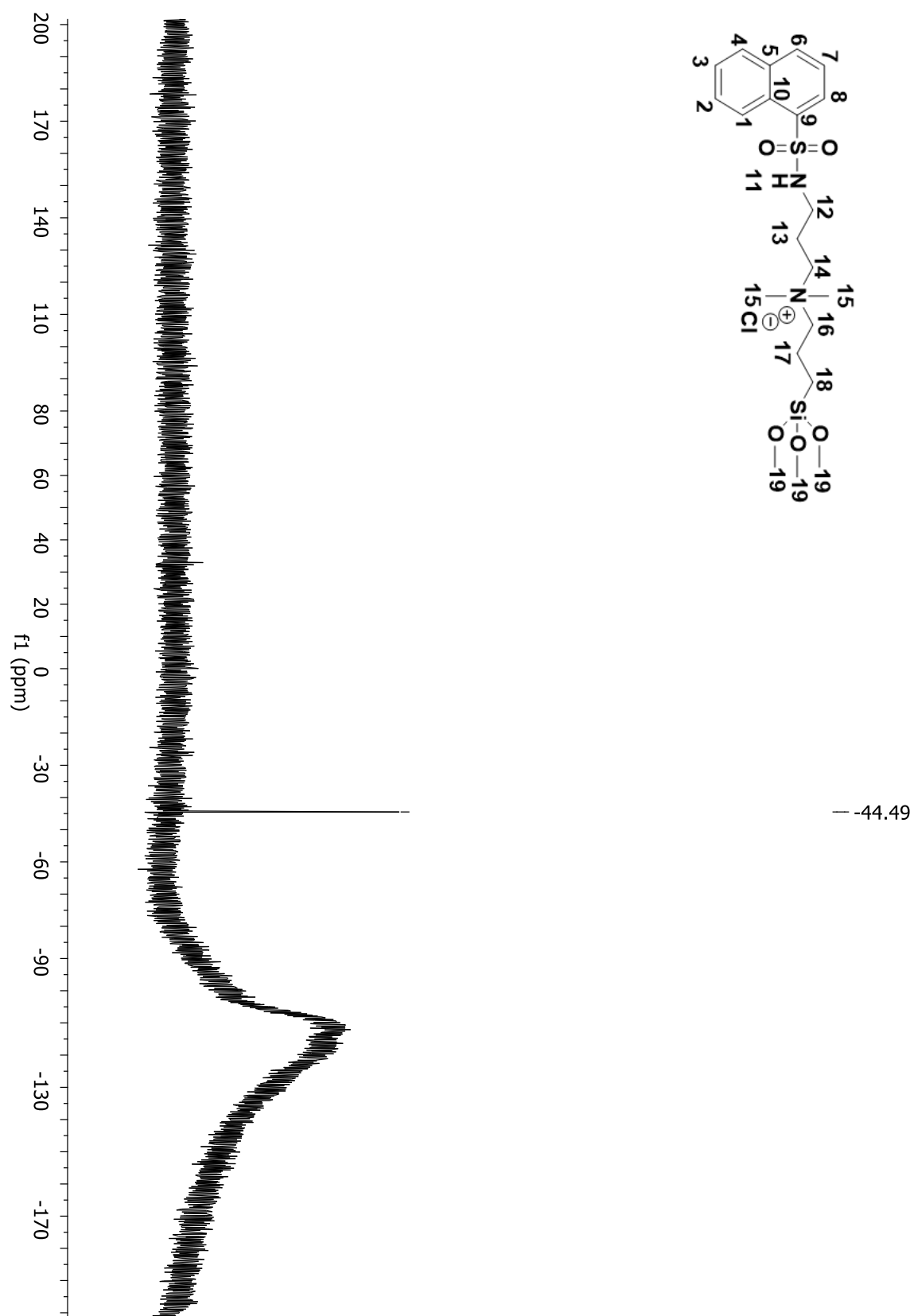


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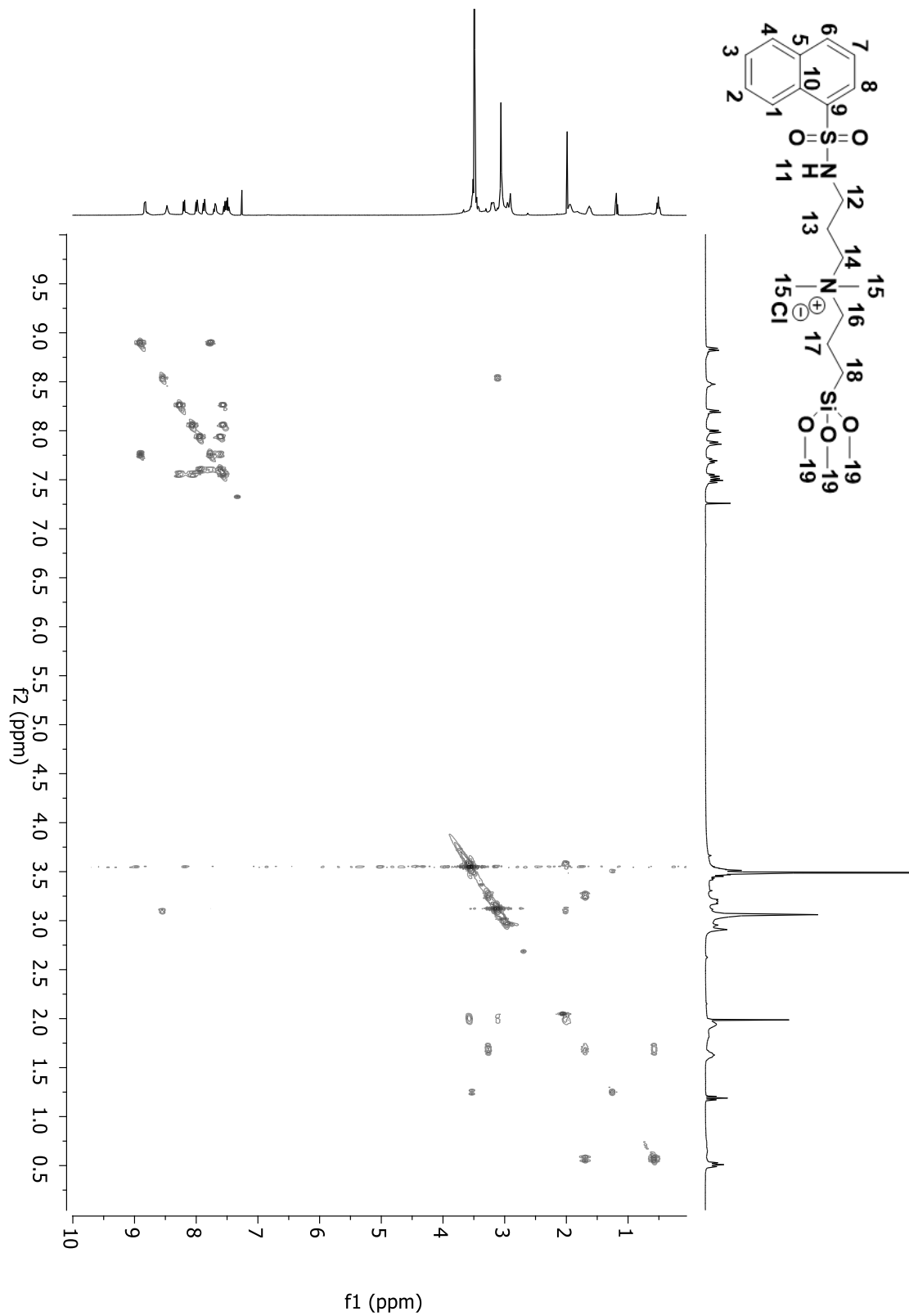


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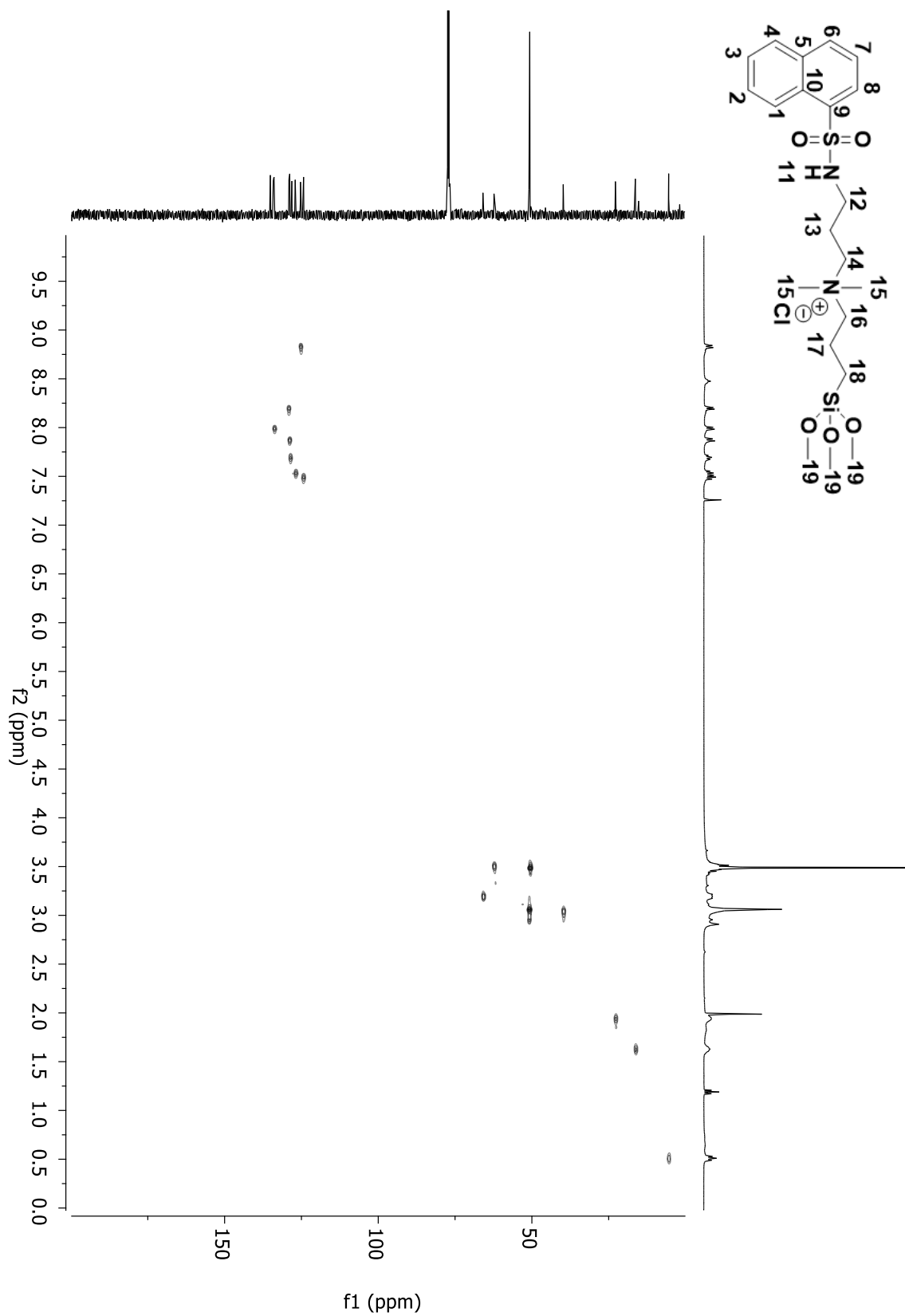


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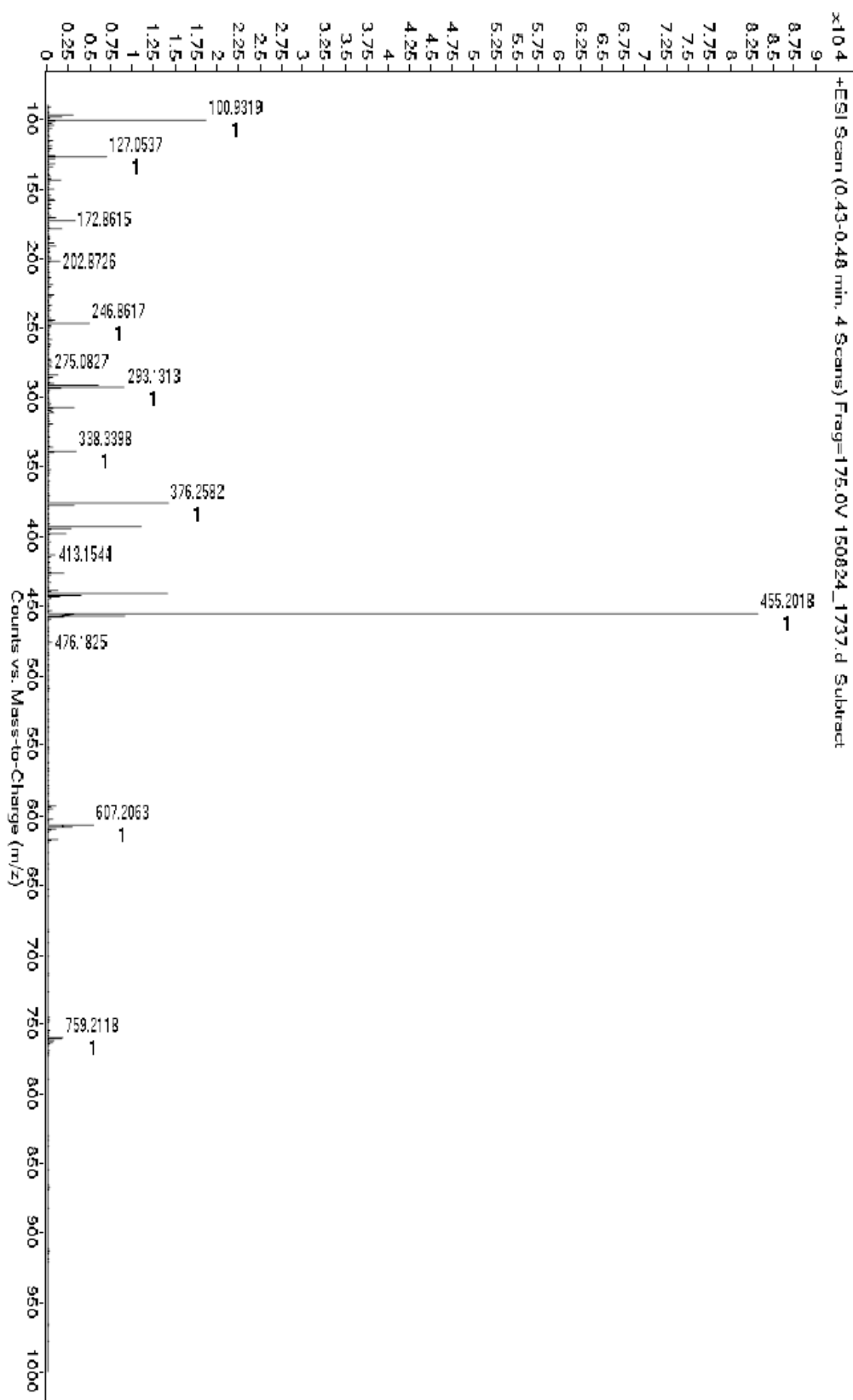


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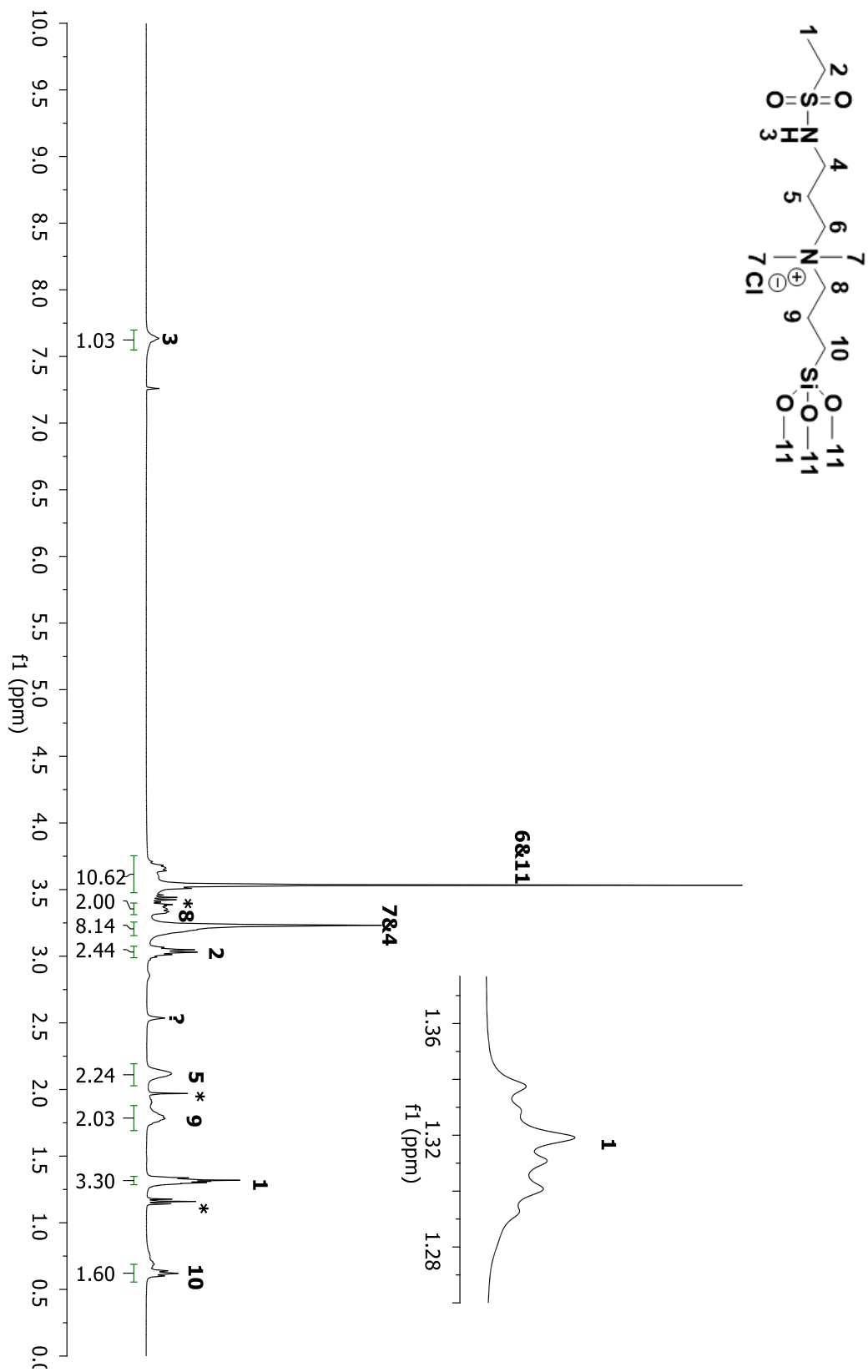


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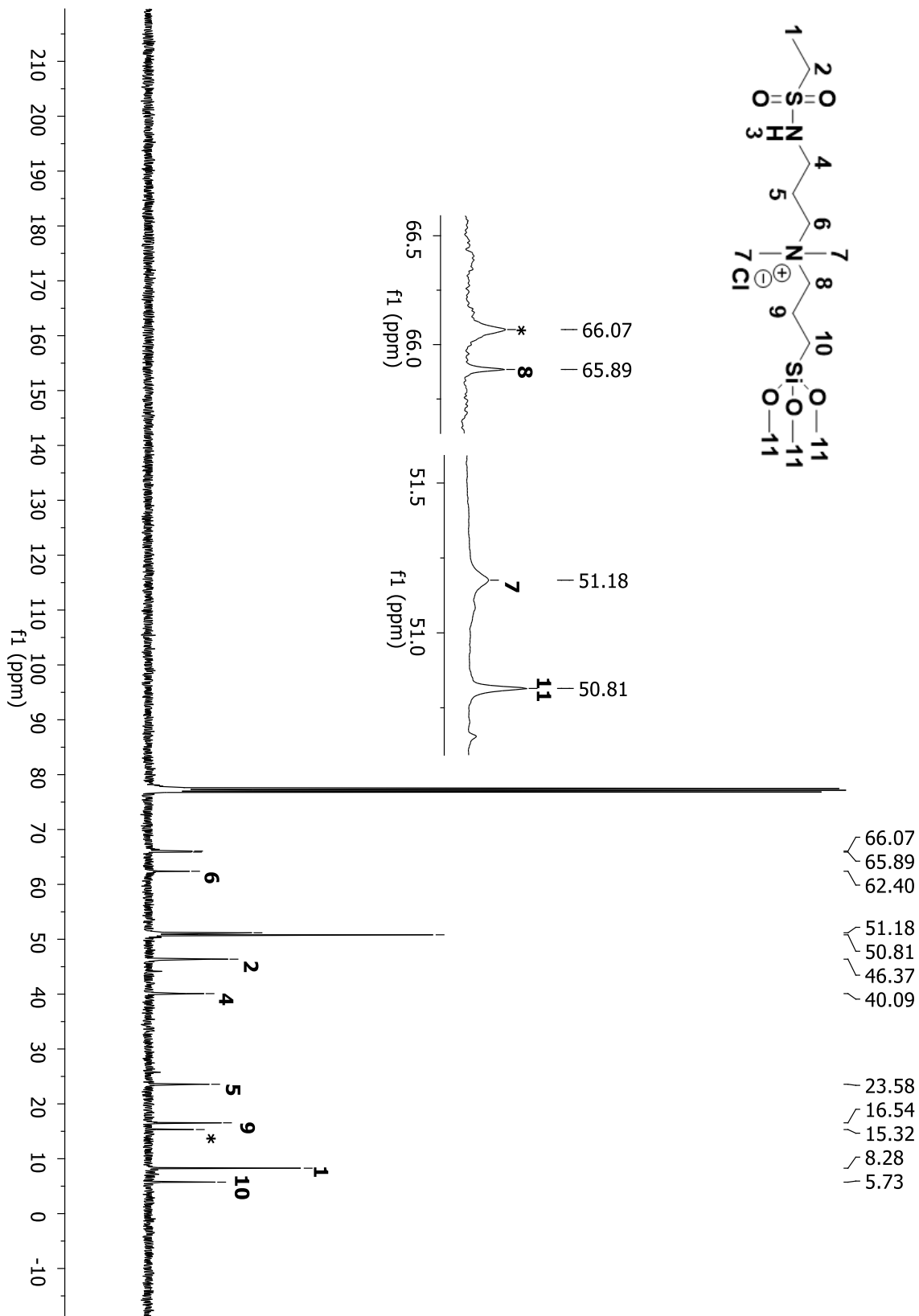


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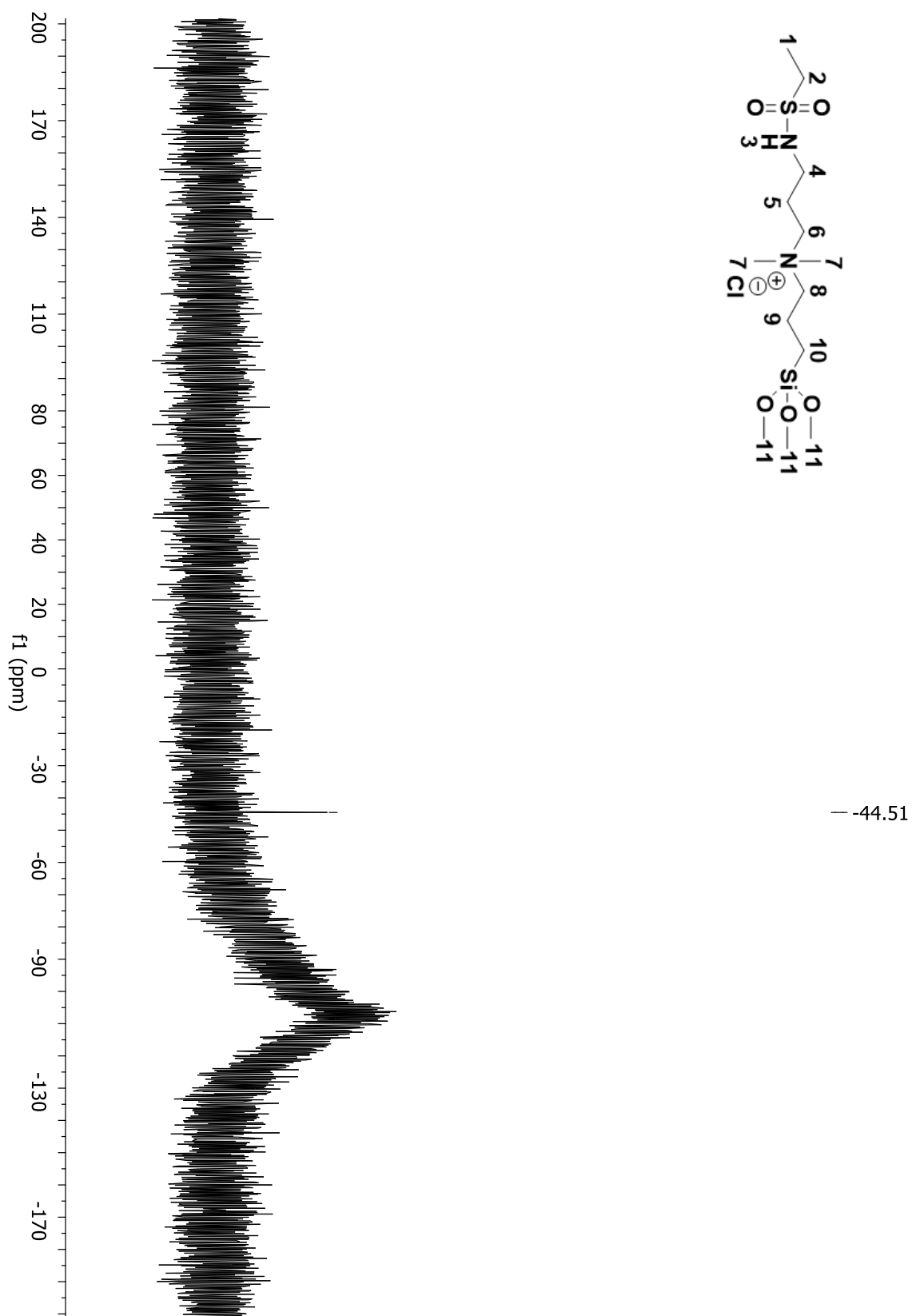
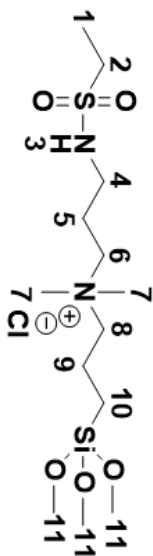


Figure A71: ²⁹Si NMR spectrum of compound **7F** in CDCl₃.



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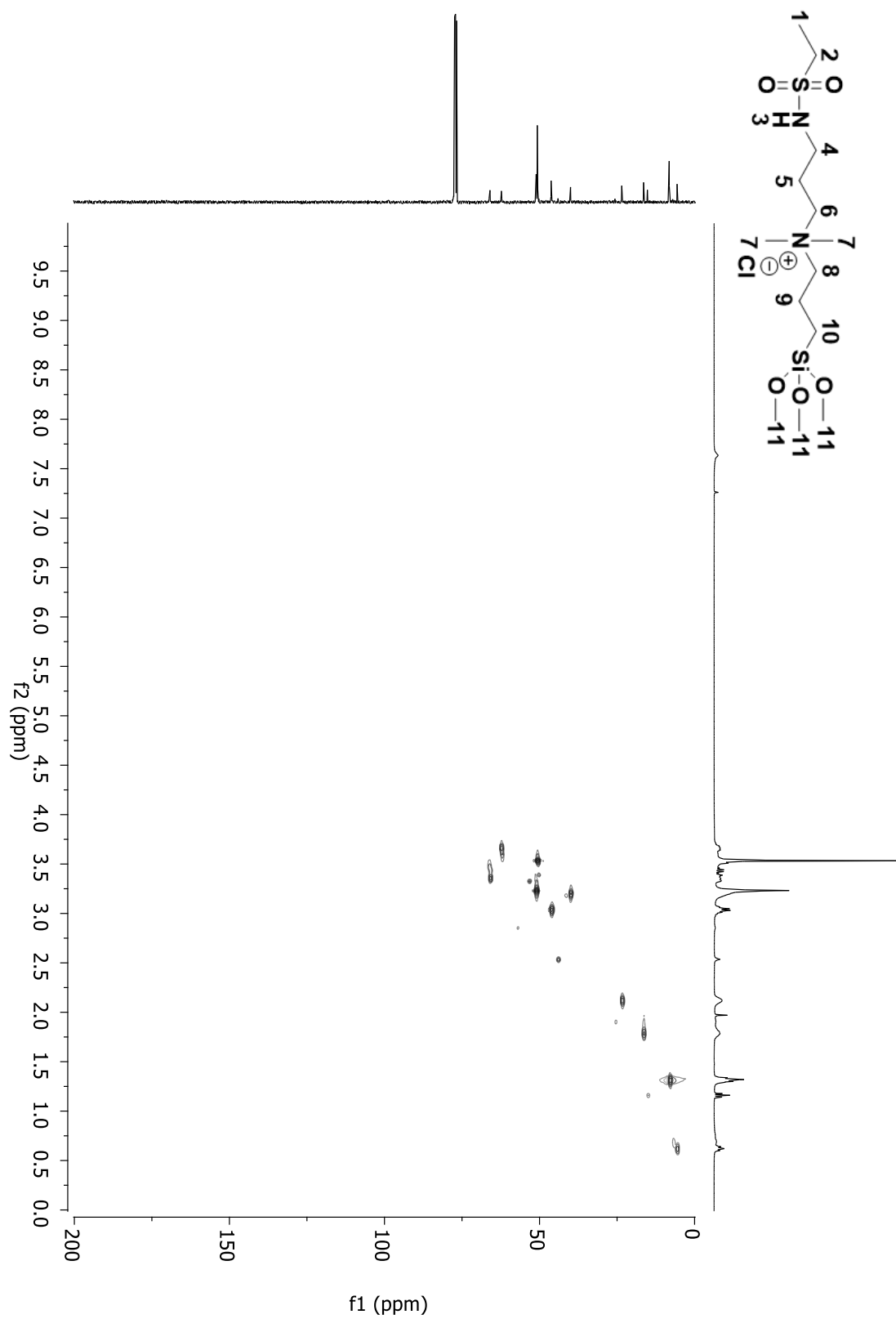


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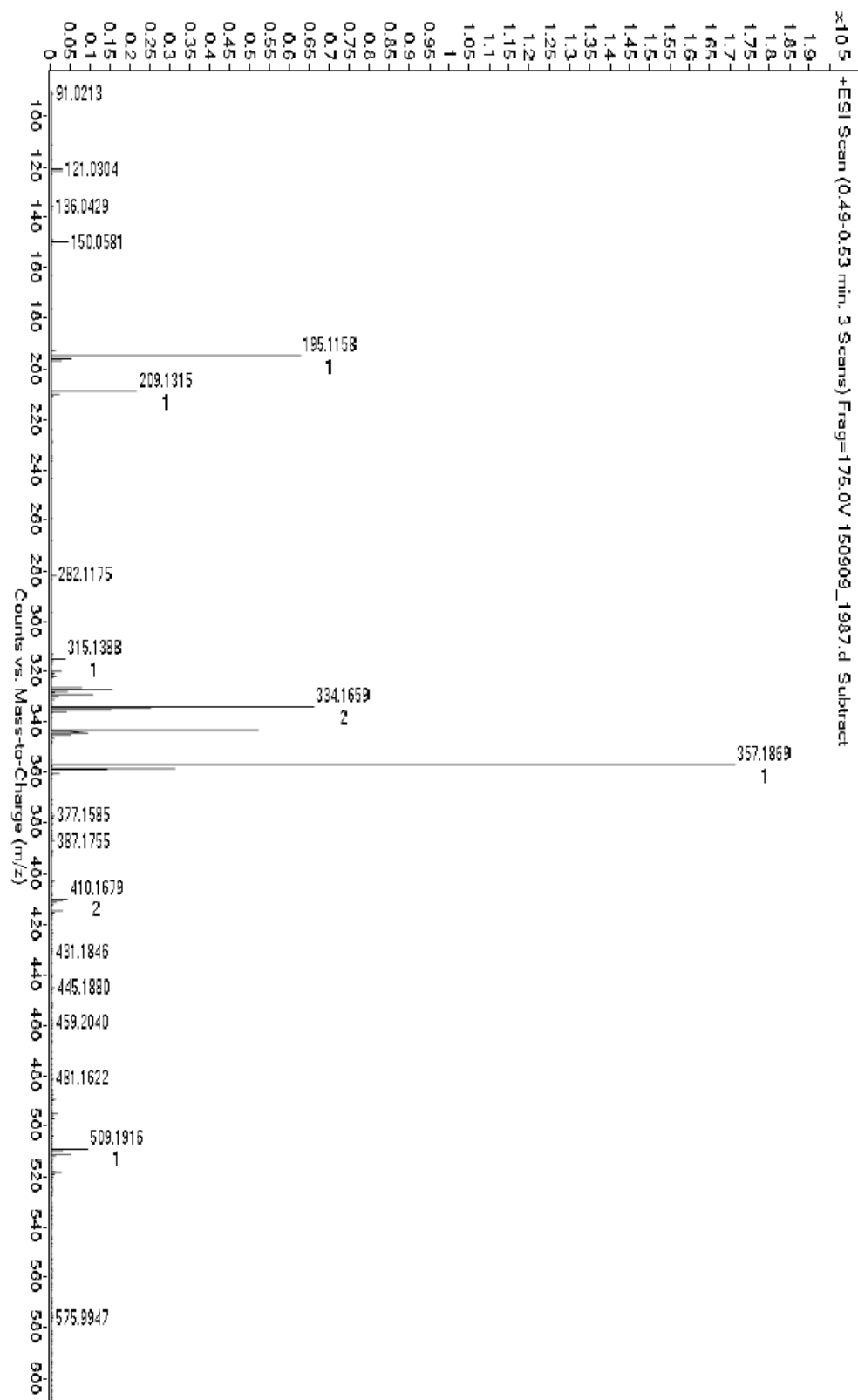


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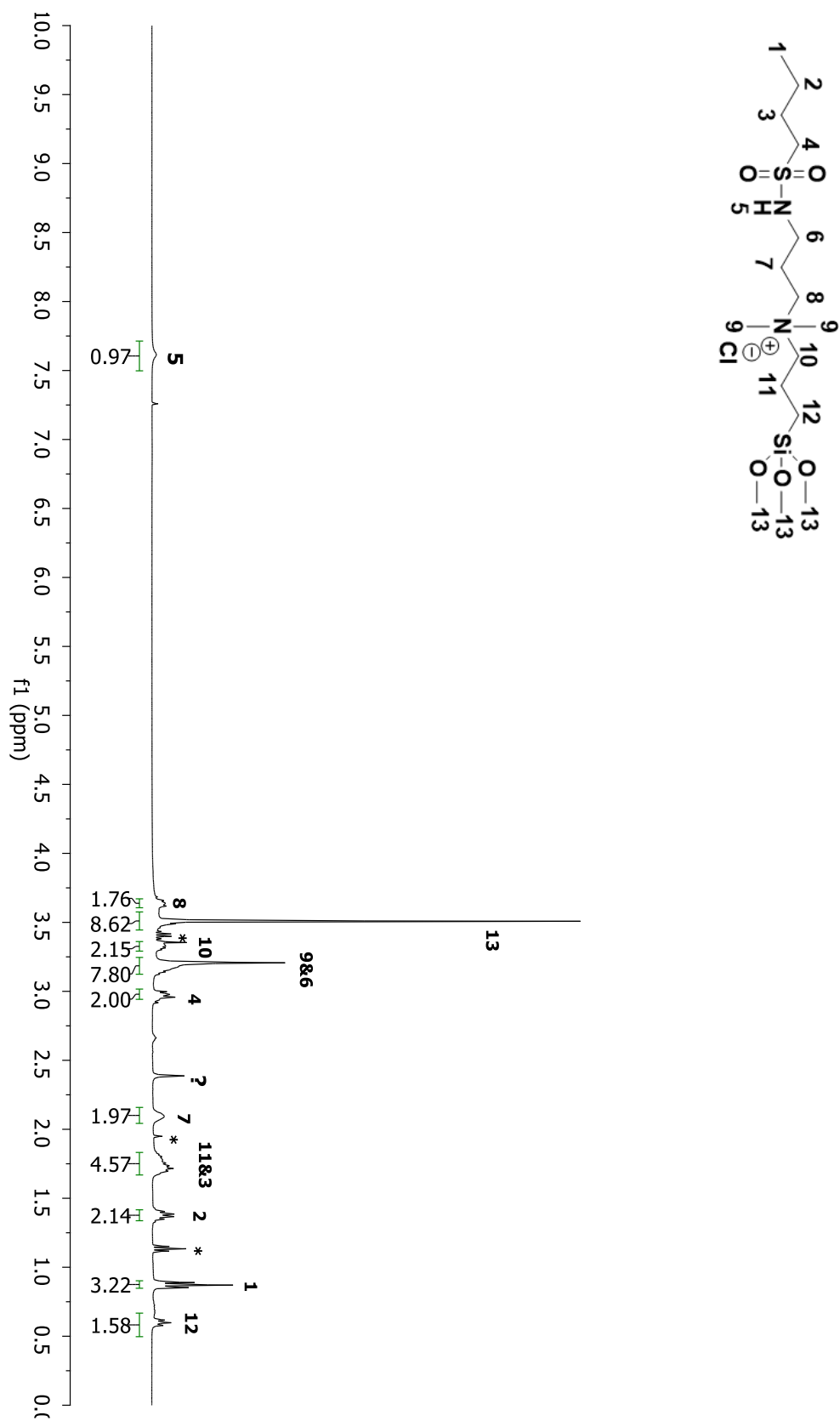


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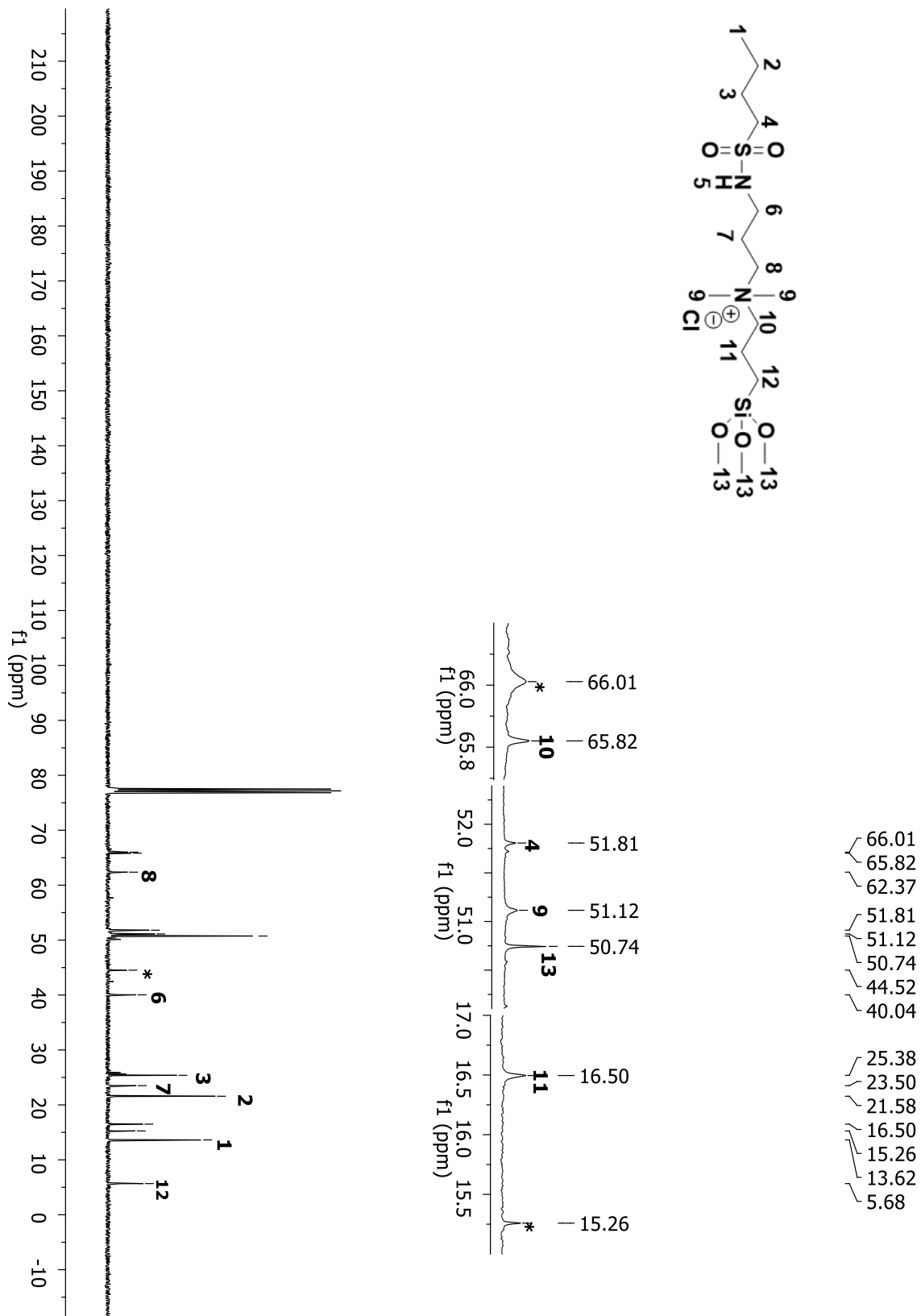


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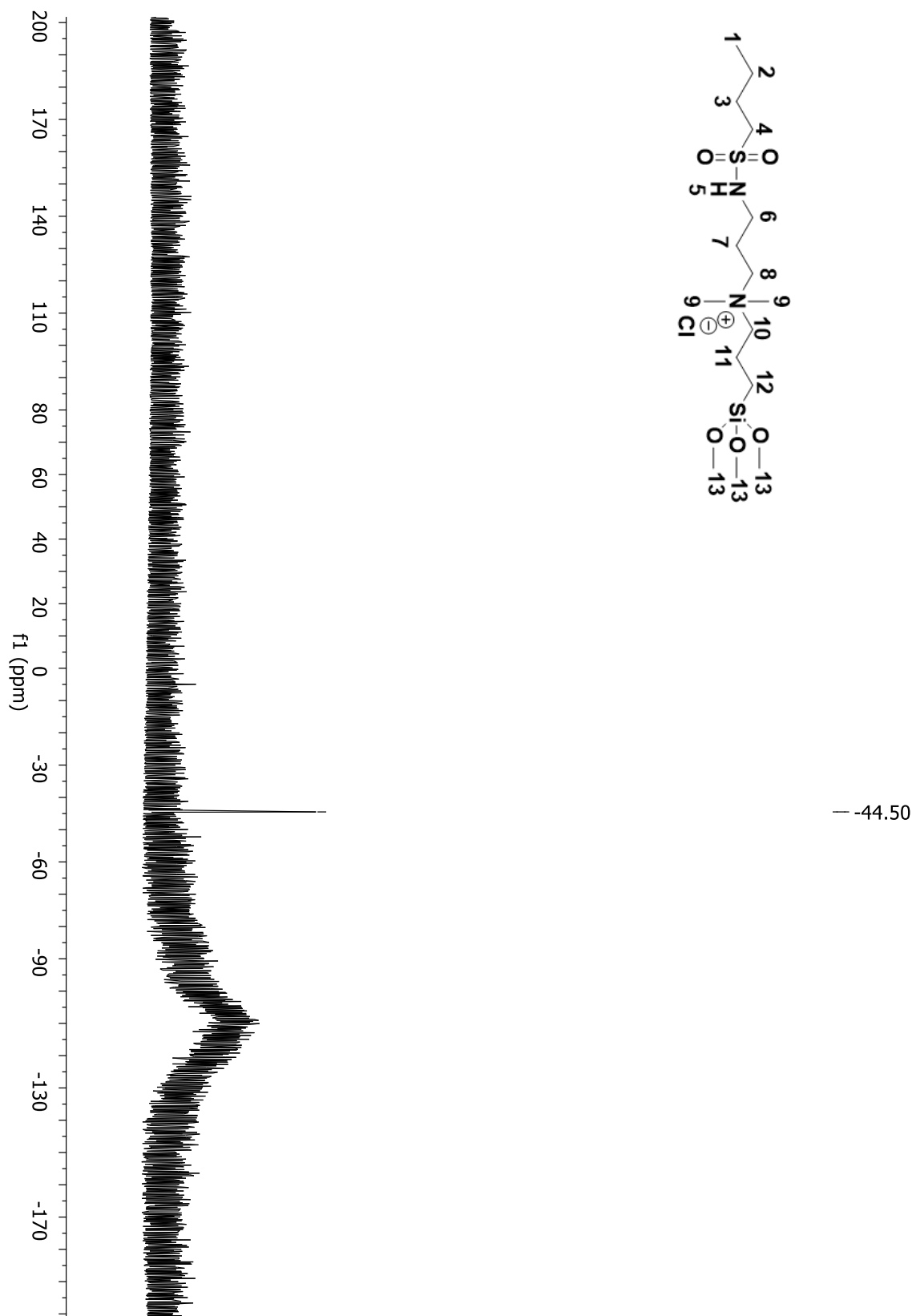


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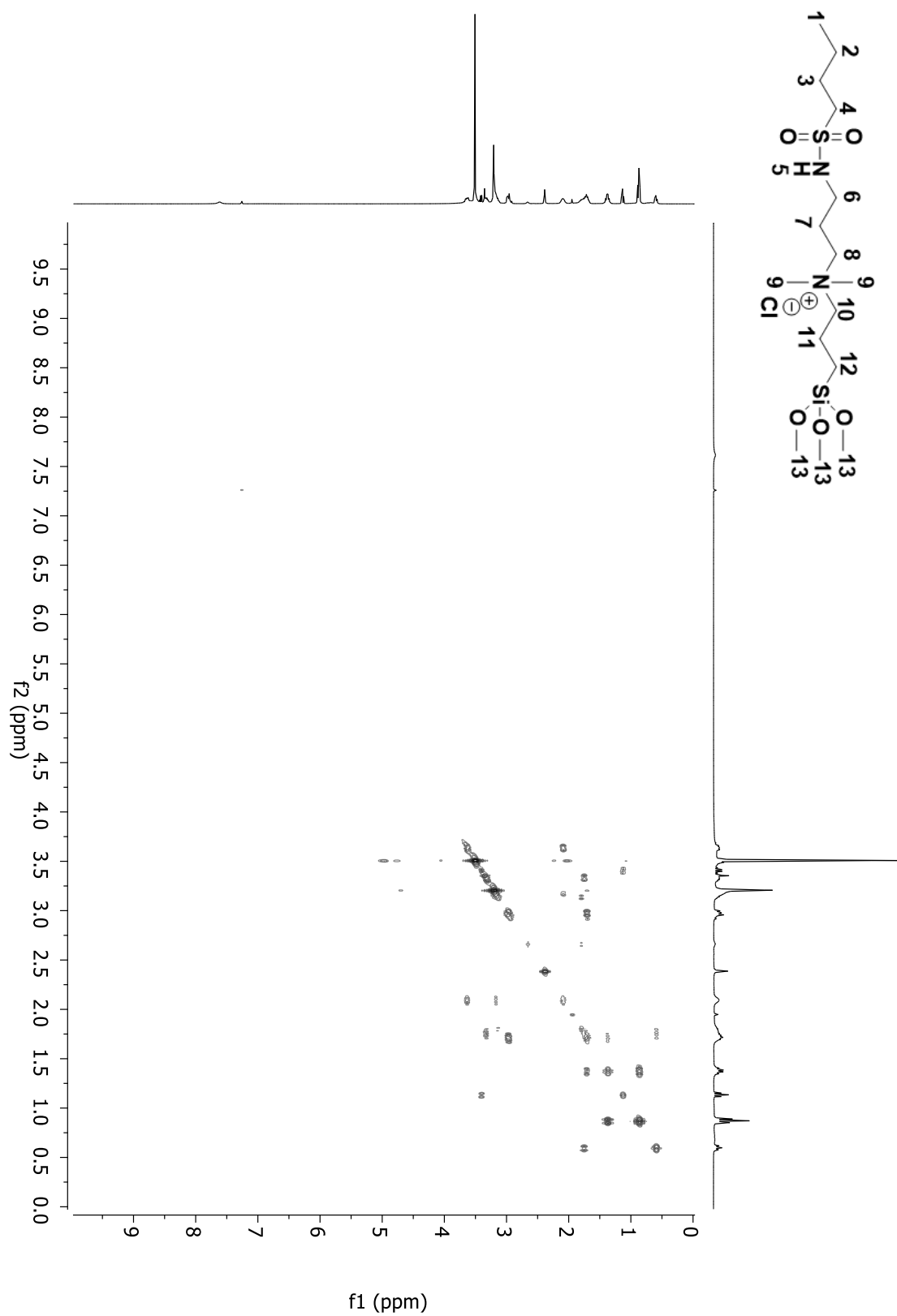


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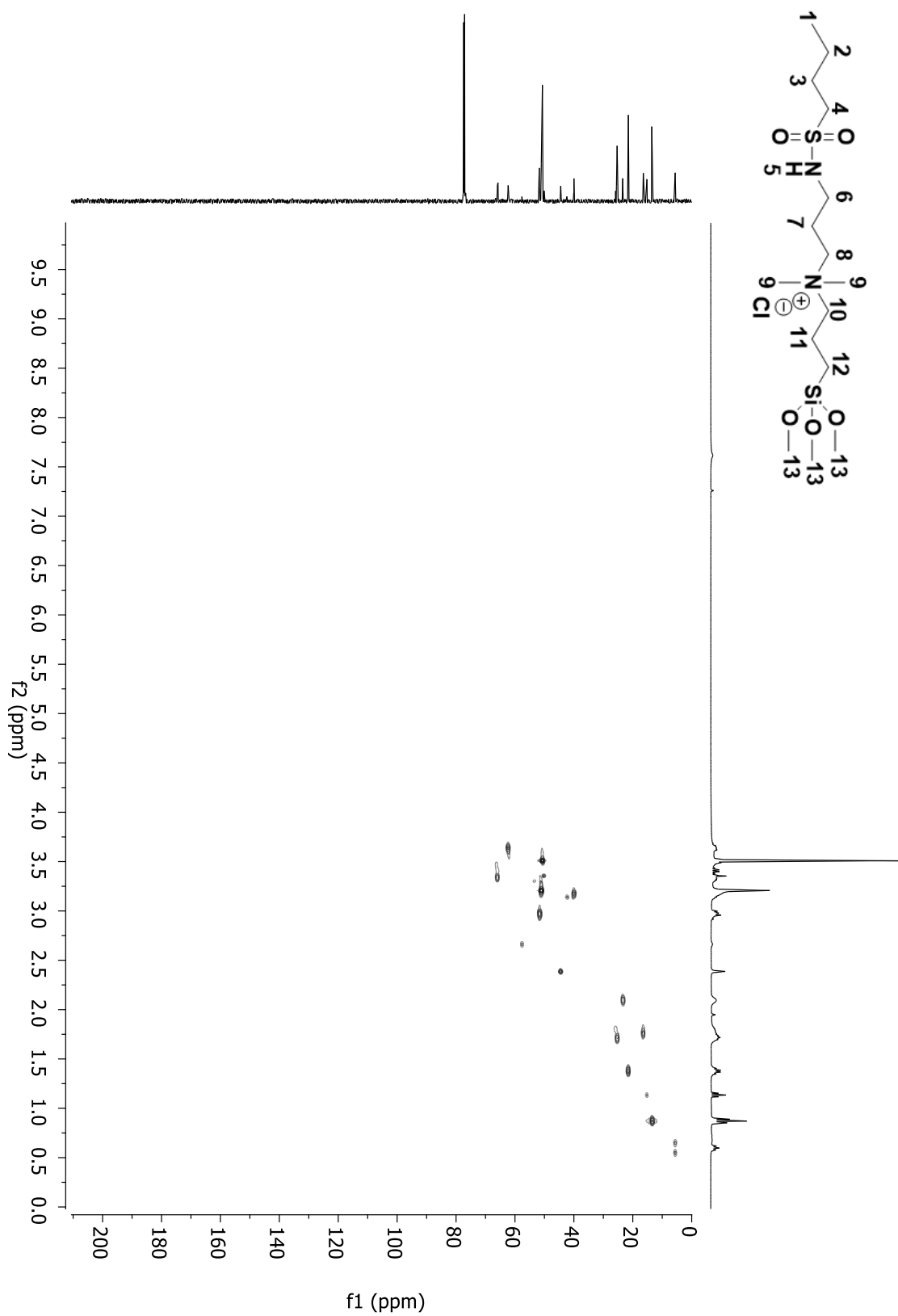


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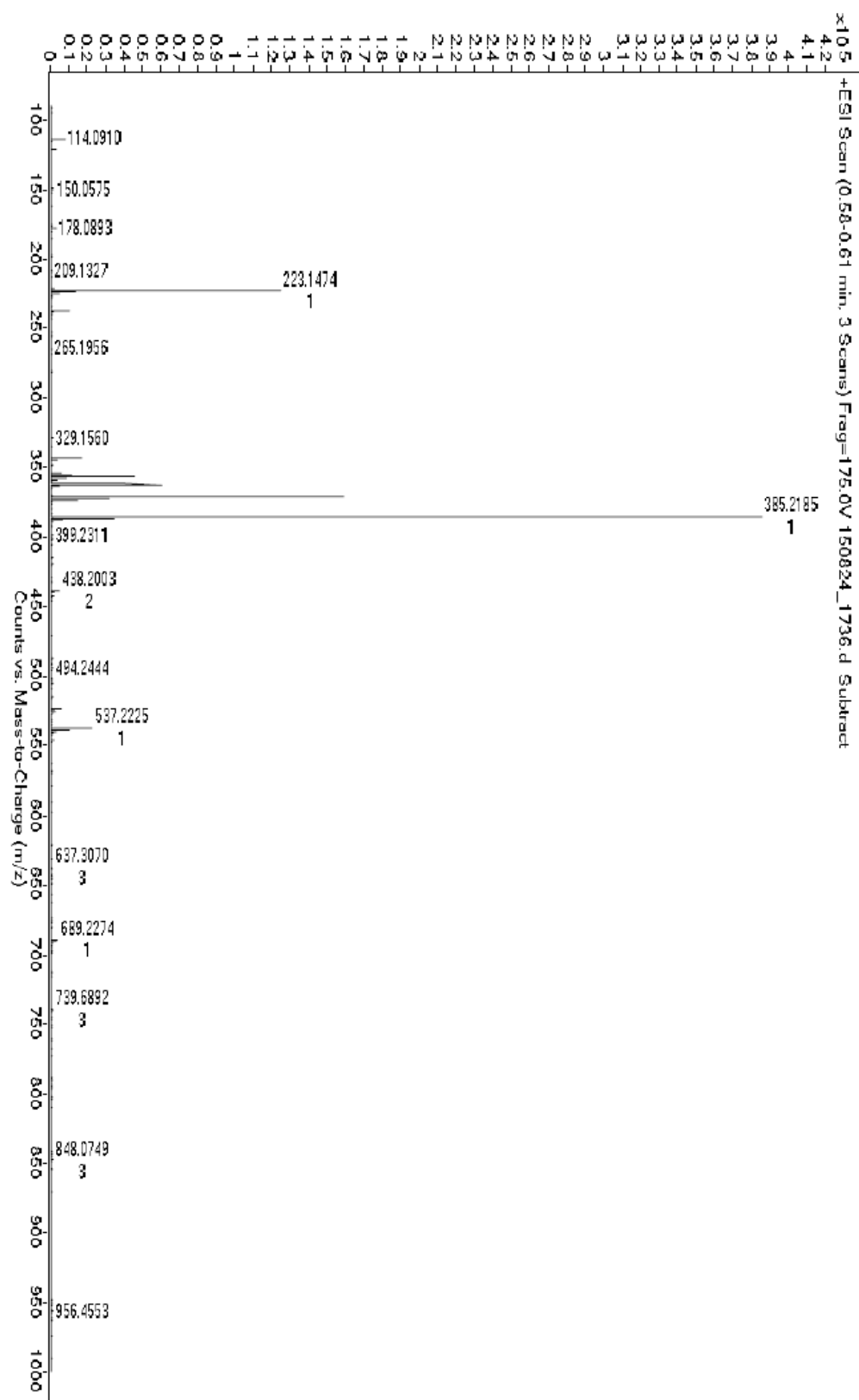


Figure A80: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **8F**.

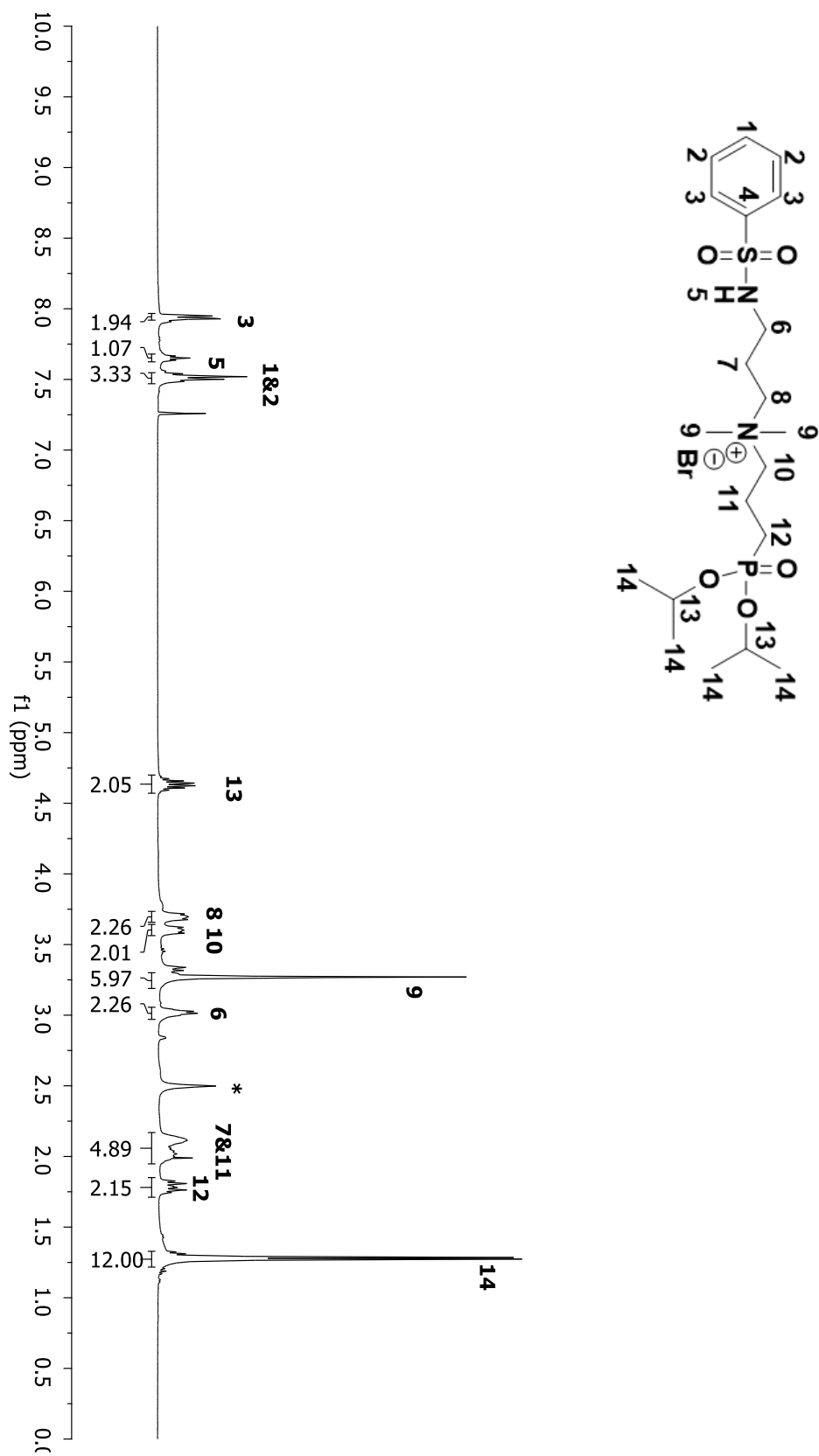


Figure A81: ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **1H** in CDCl₃.

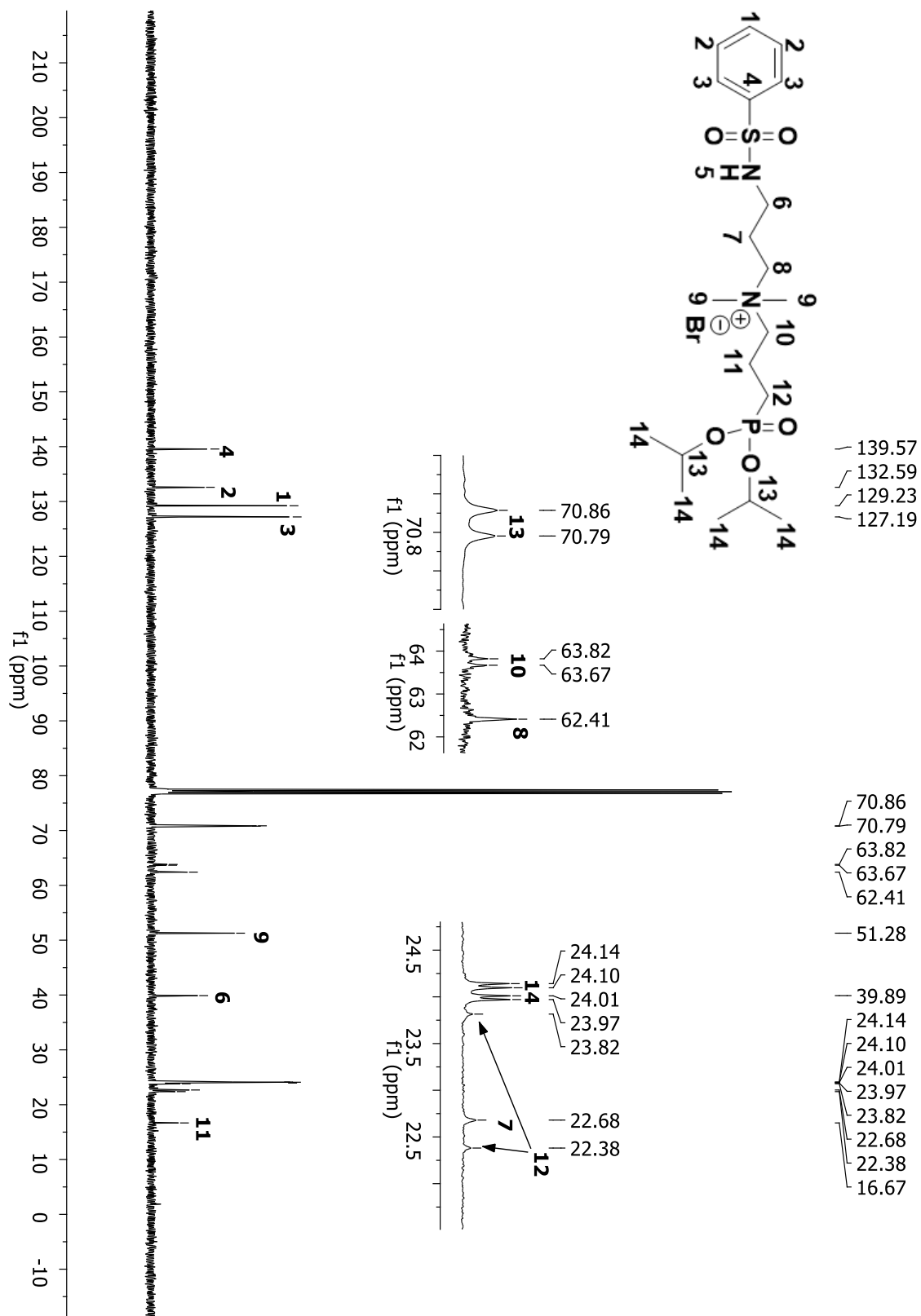


Figure A82: ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **1H** in CDCl₃.

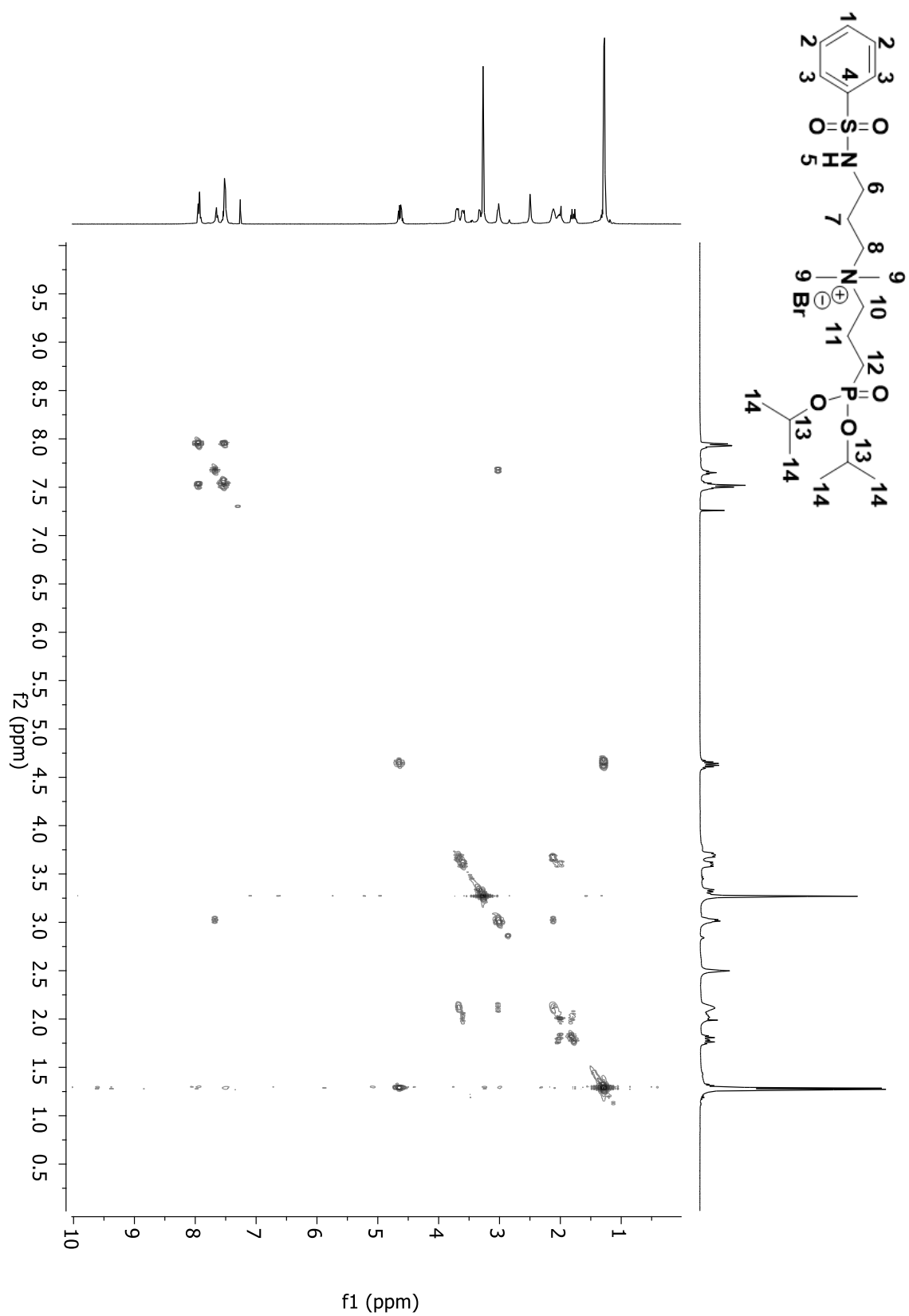


Figure A84: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **1H** in CDCl_3 .

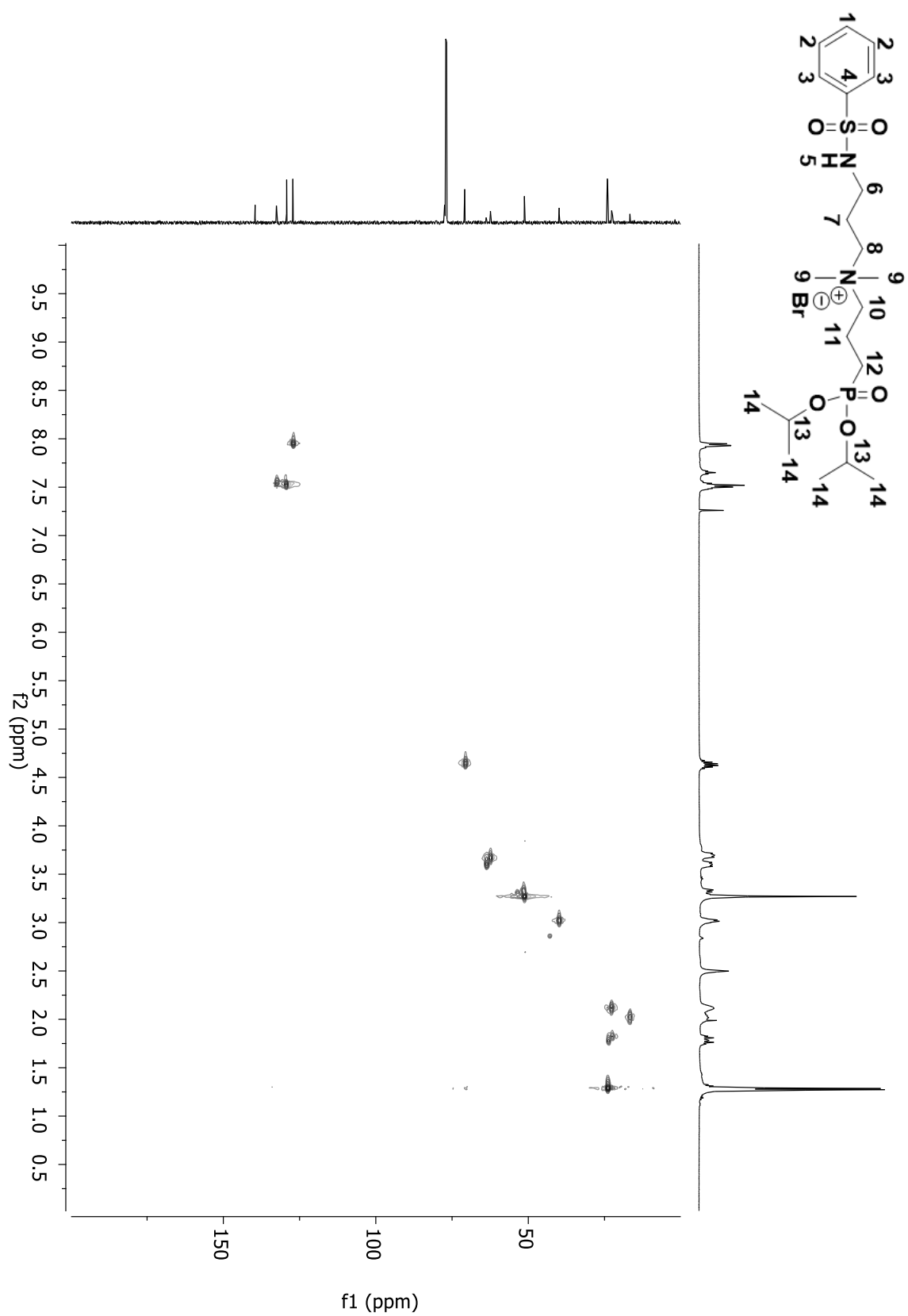


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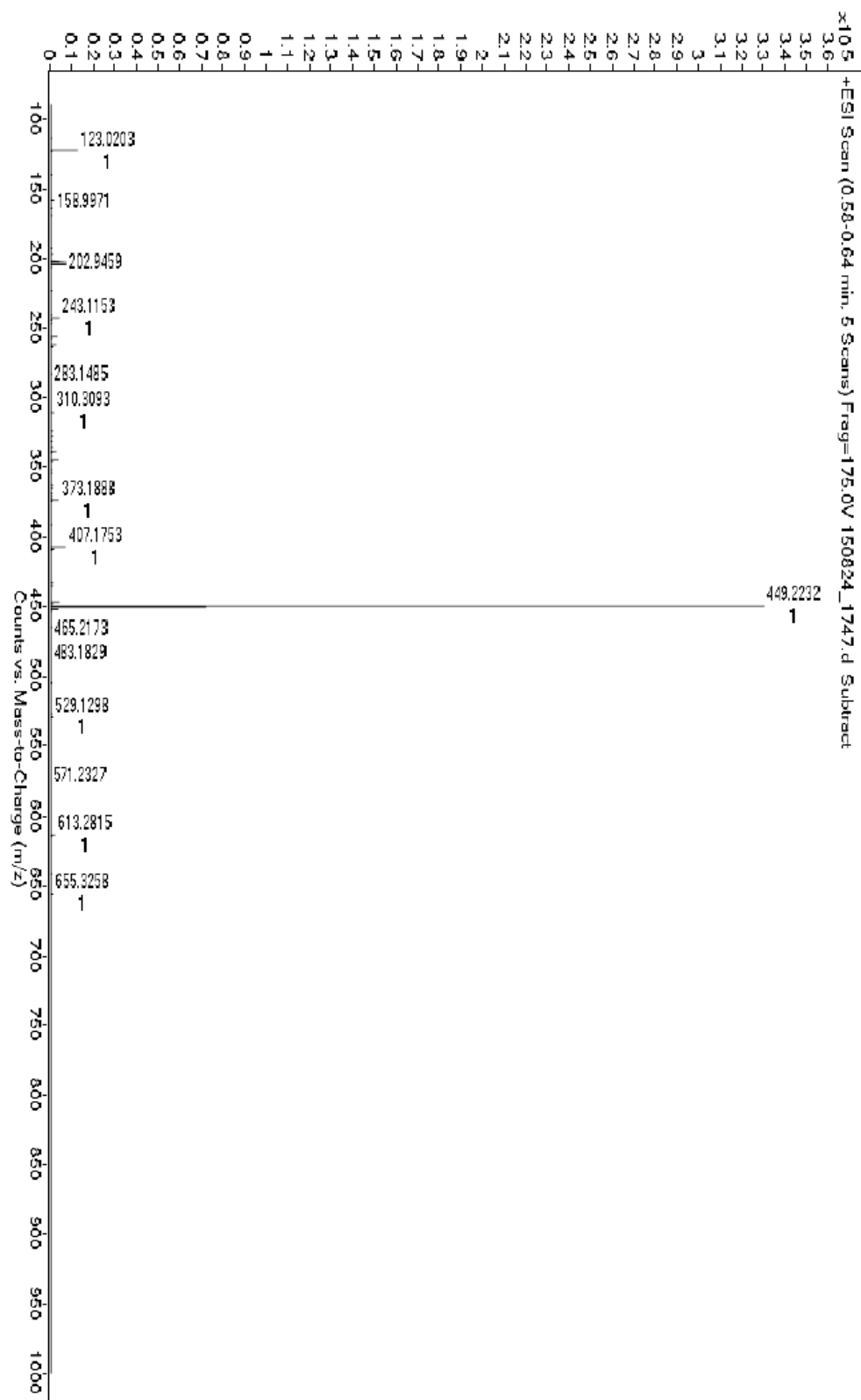


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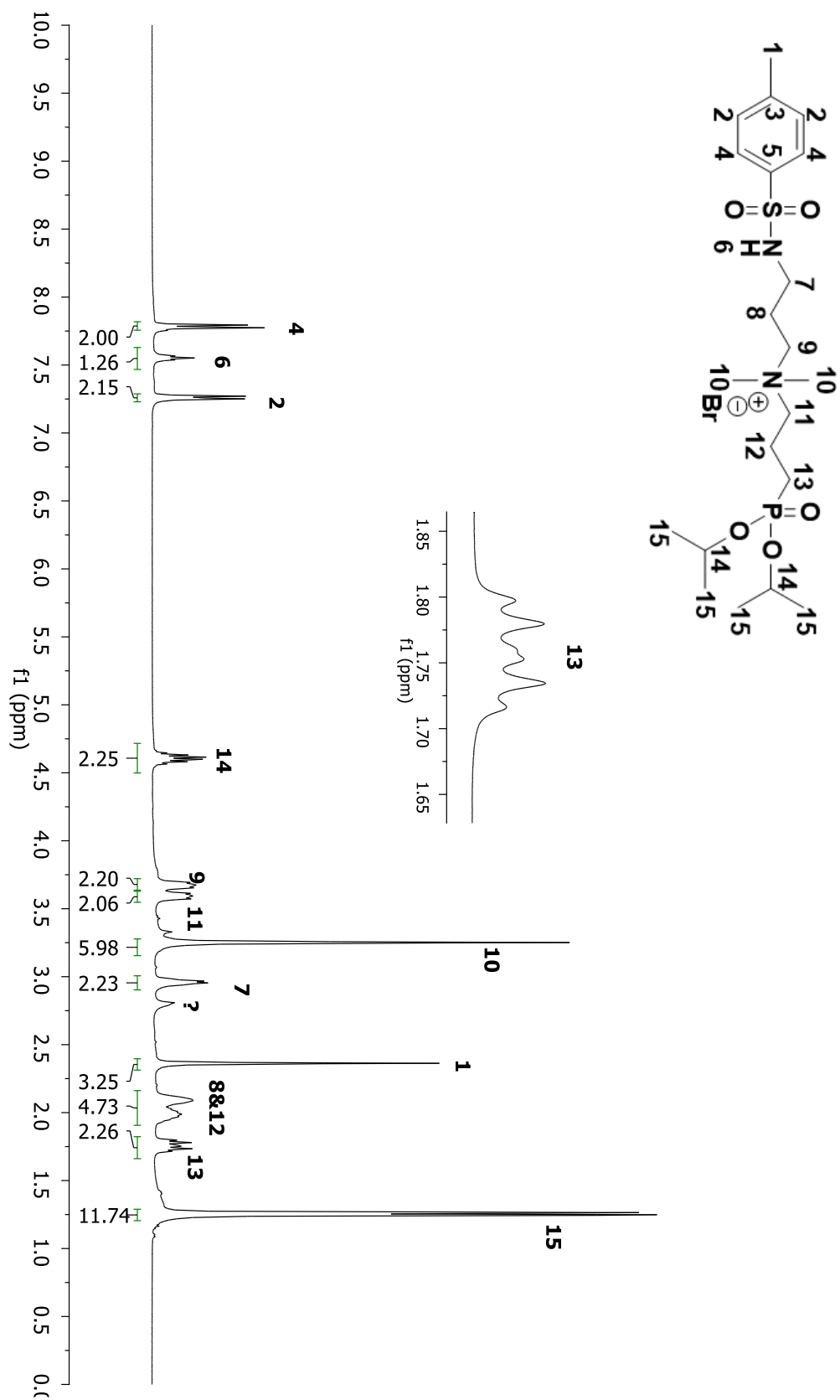


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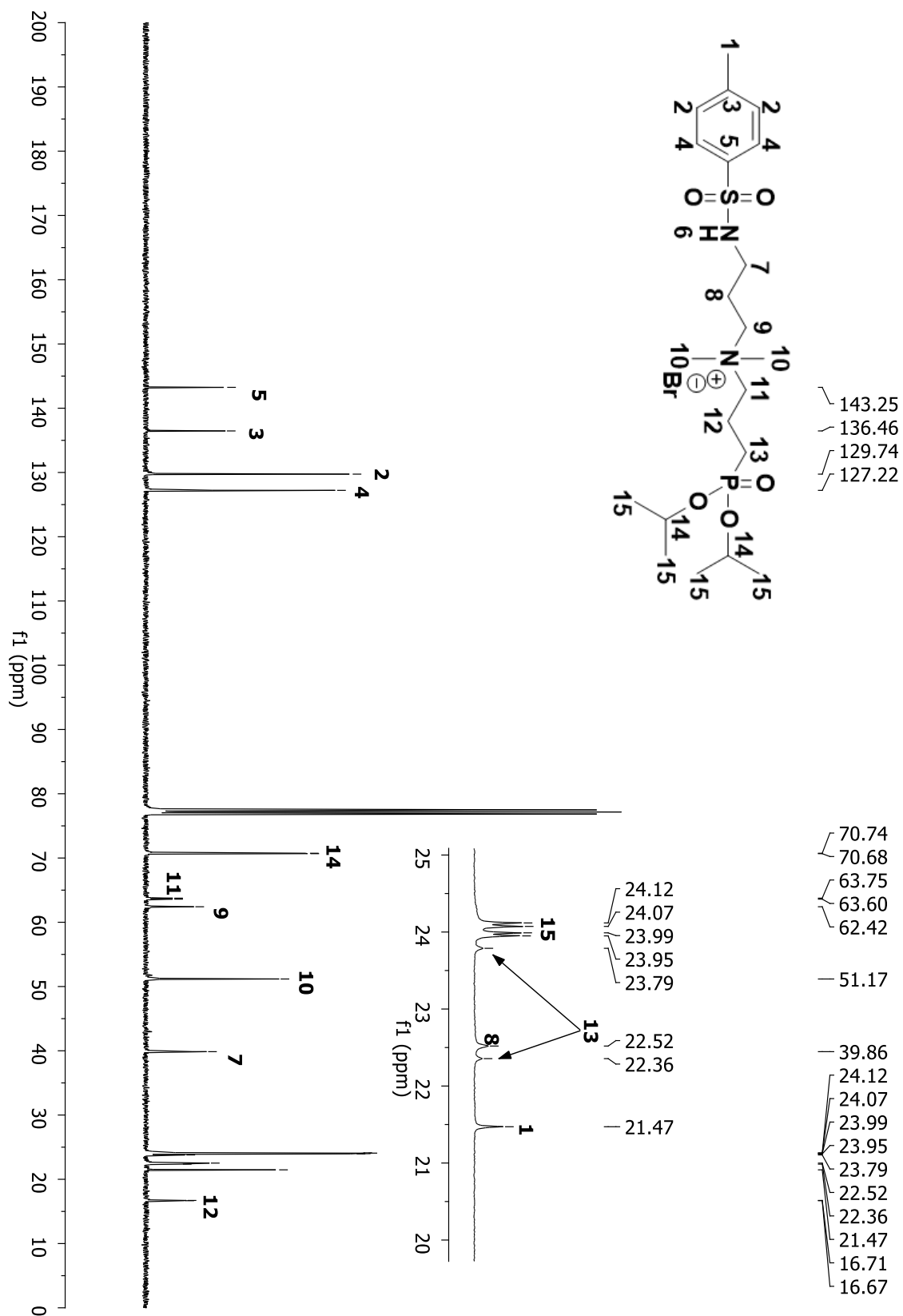


Figure A88: ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **2H** in CDCl₃.

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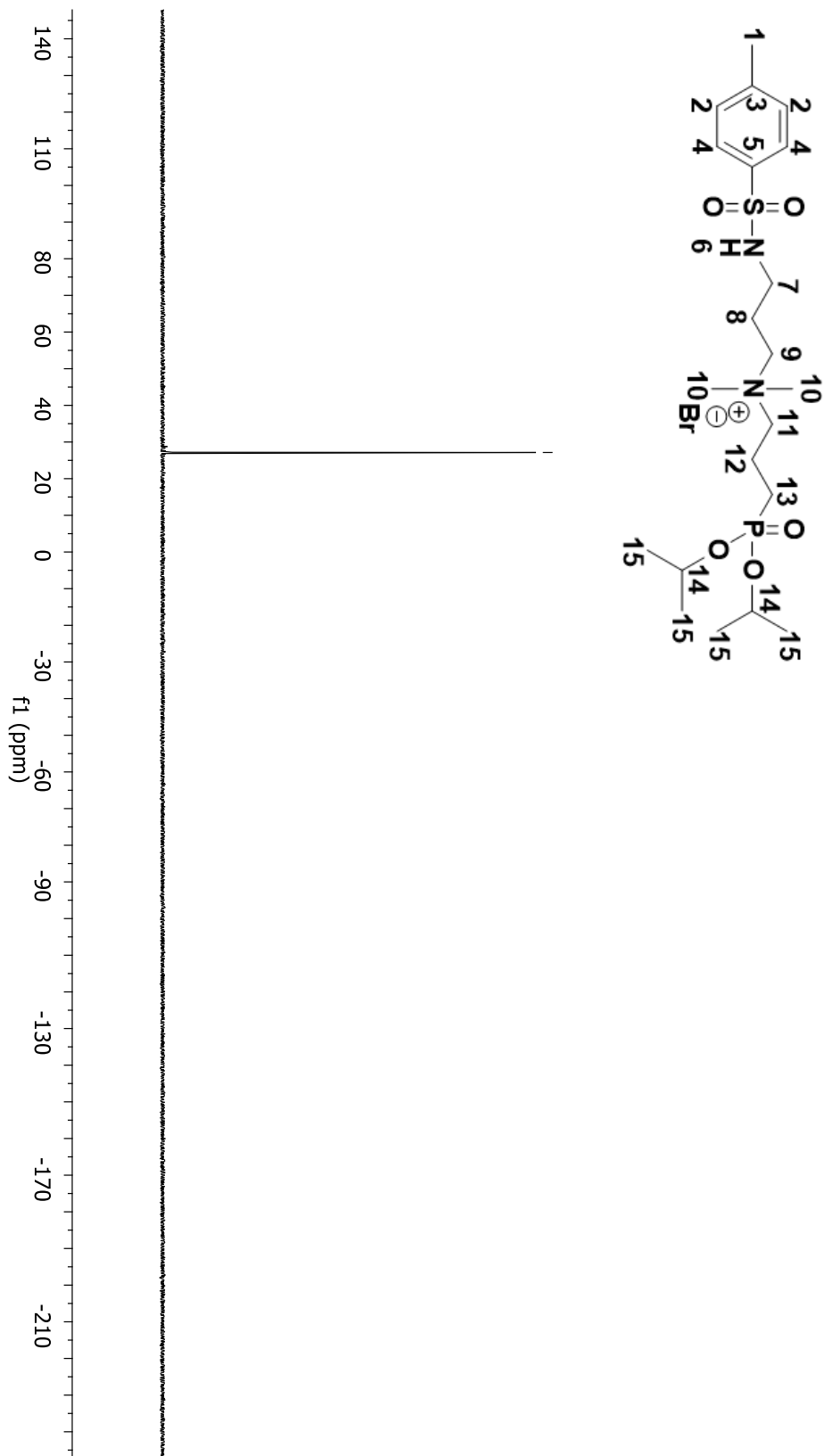


Figure A89: ^{31}P NMR spectrum of compound **2H** in CDCl_3 .

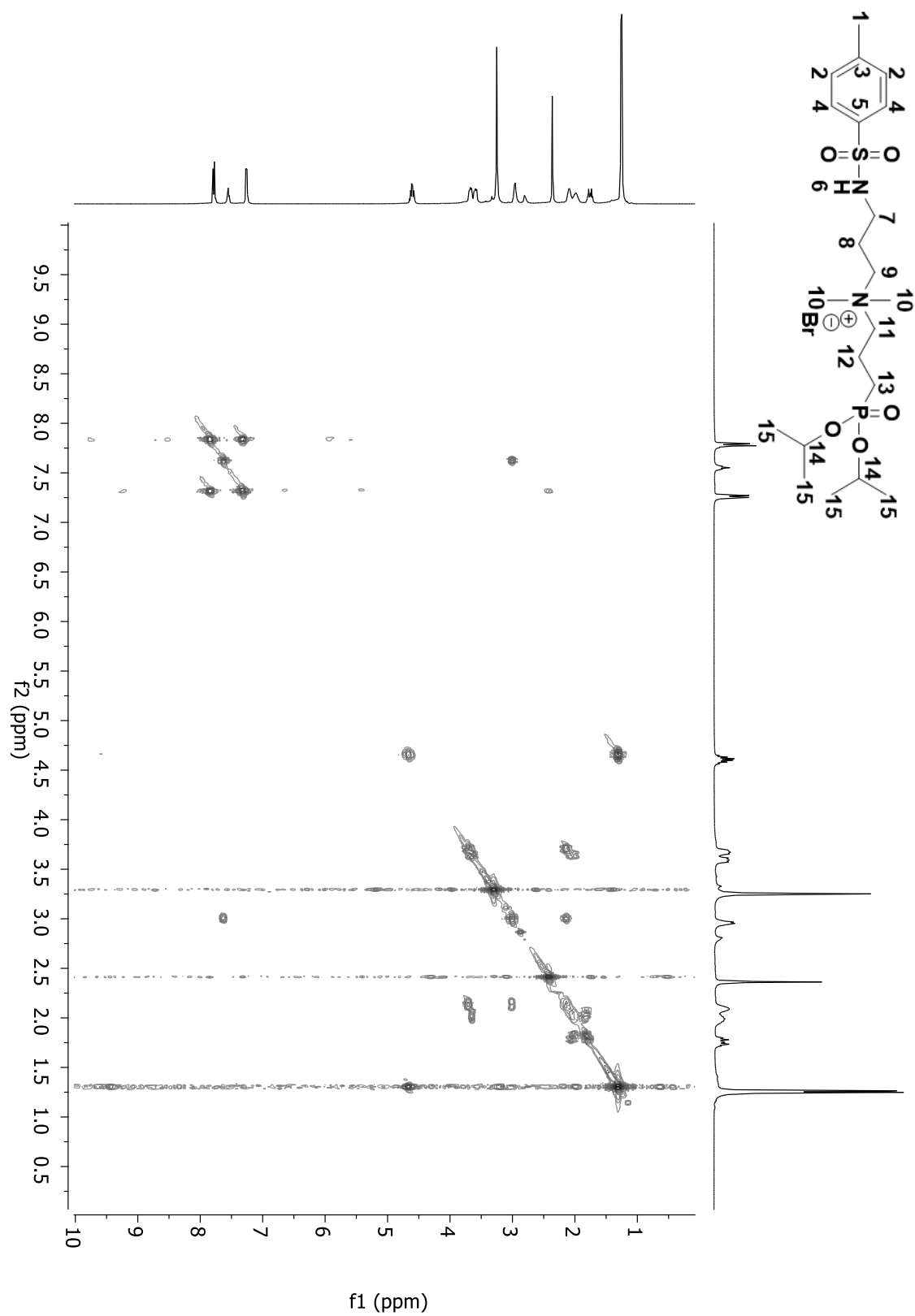


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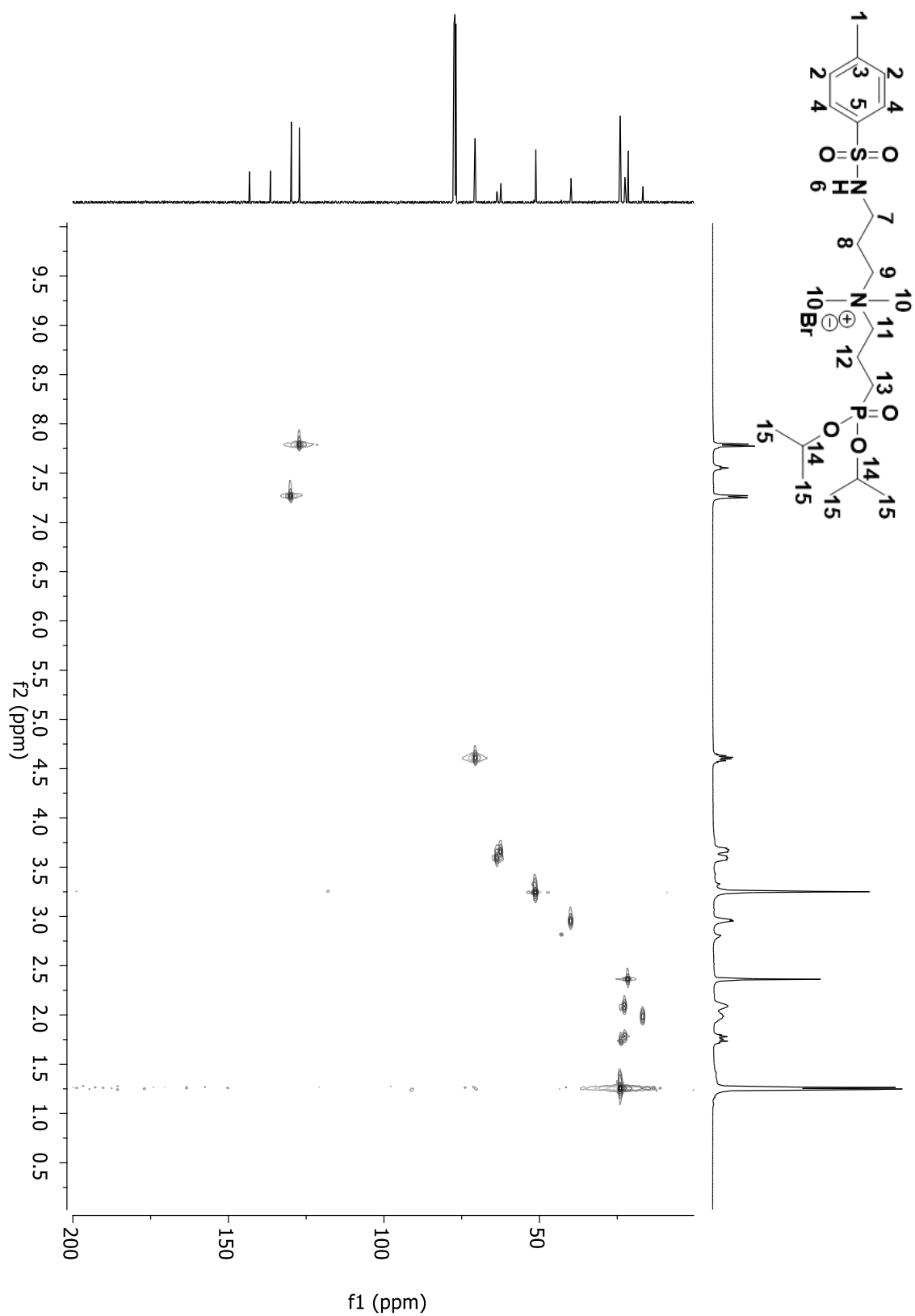


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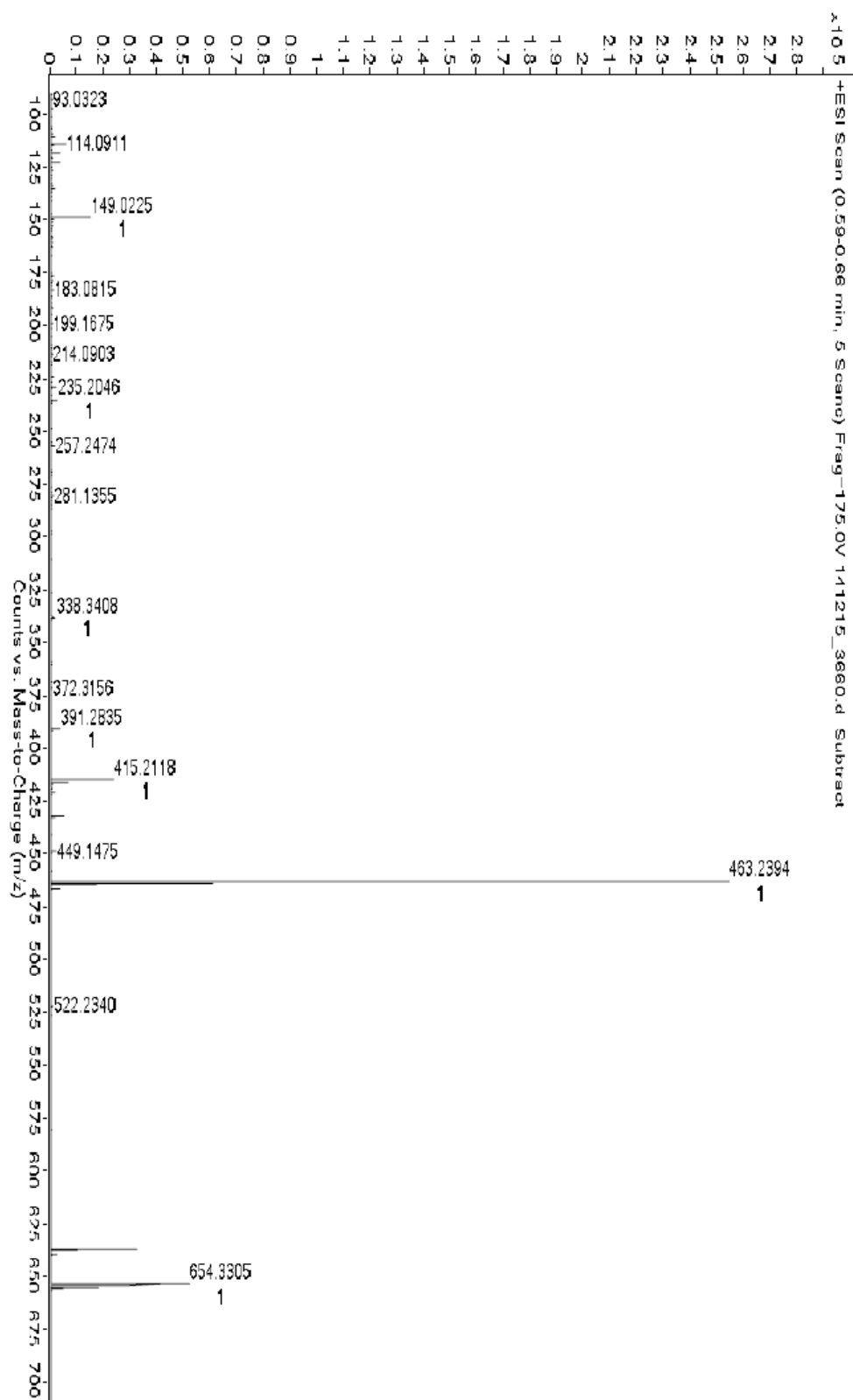


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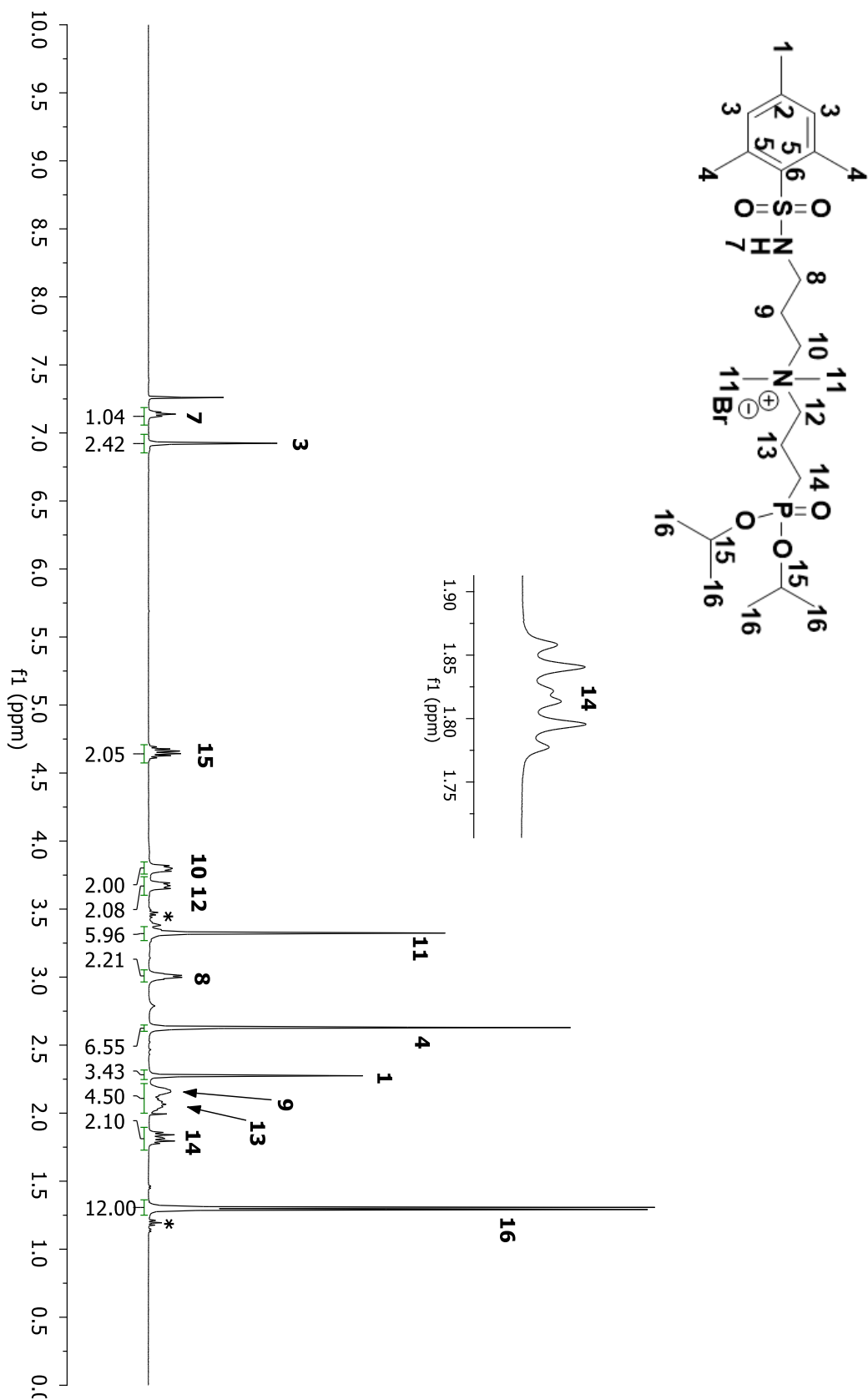


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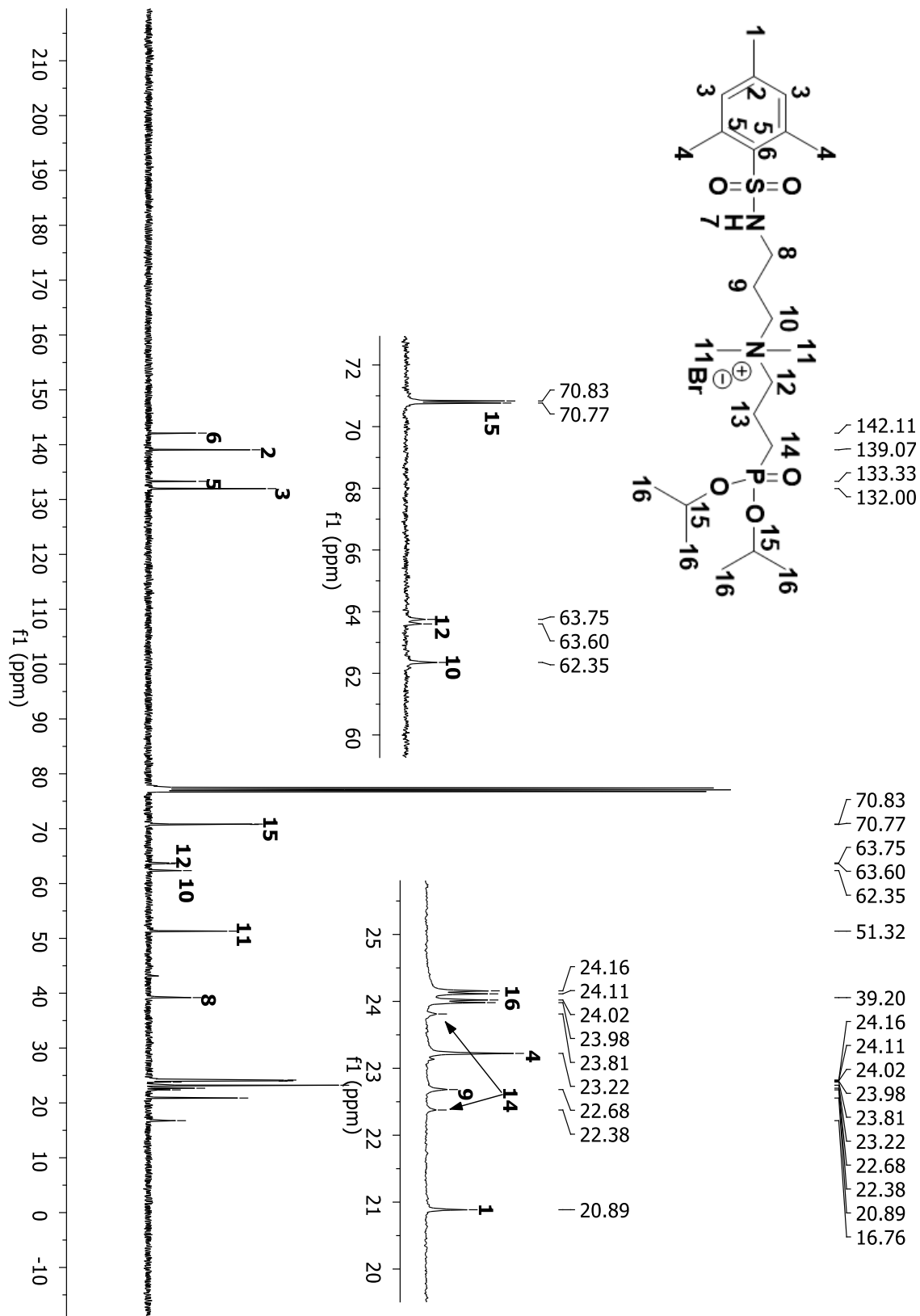


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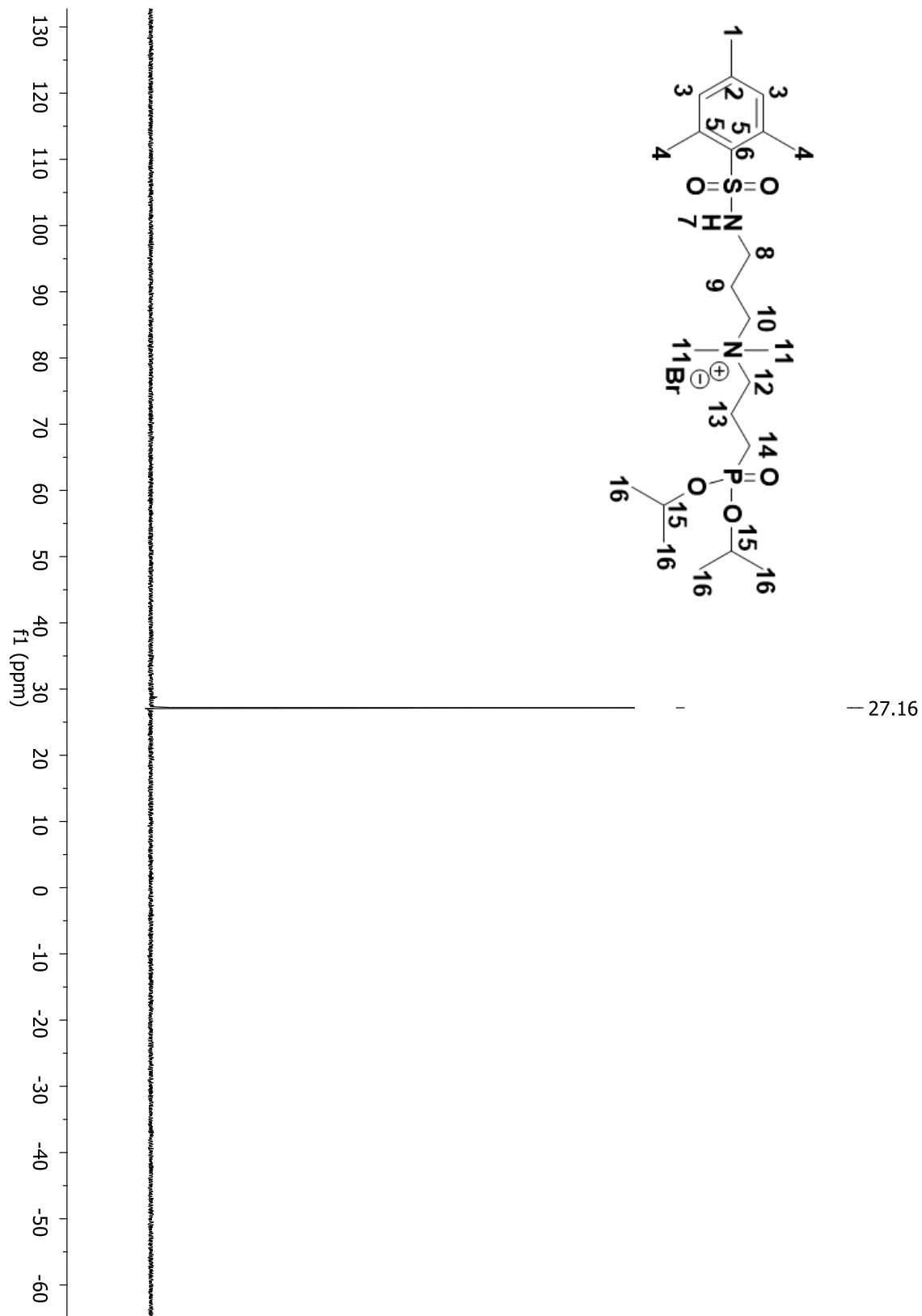


Figure A95: ^{31}P NMR spectrum of compound **3H** in CDCl_3 .

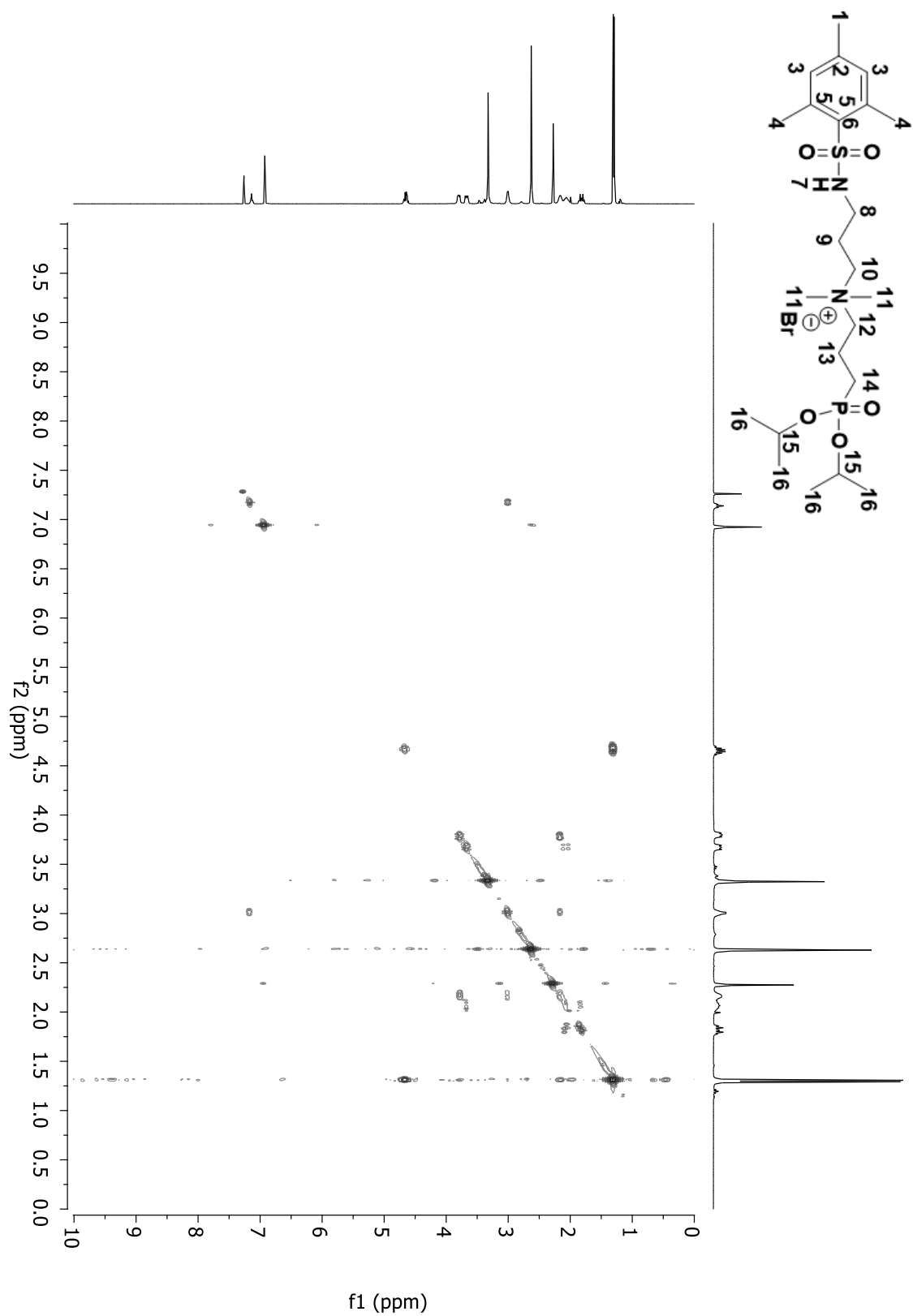


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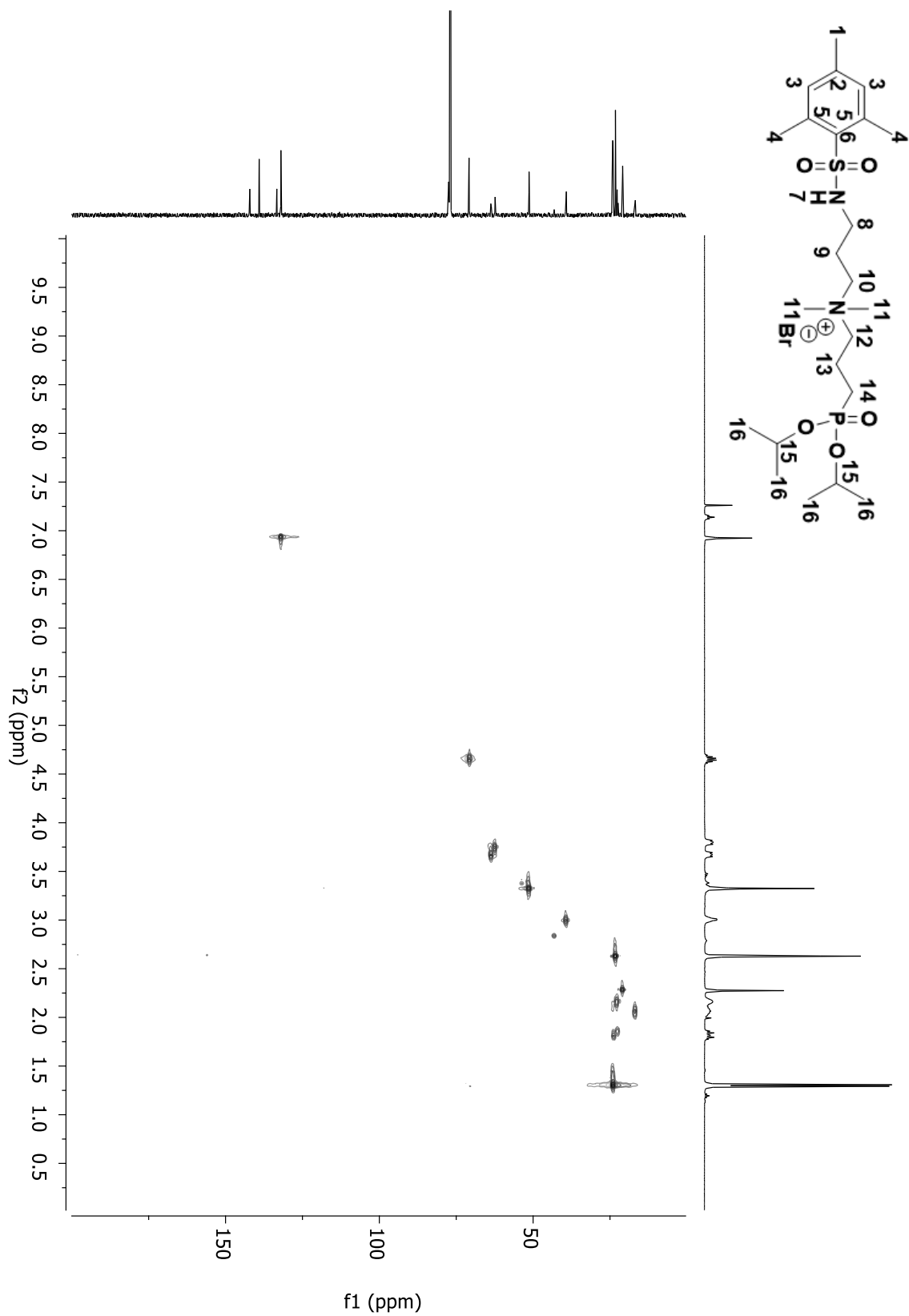


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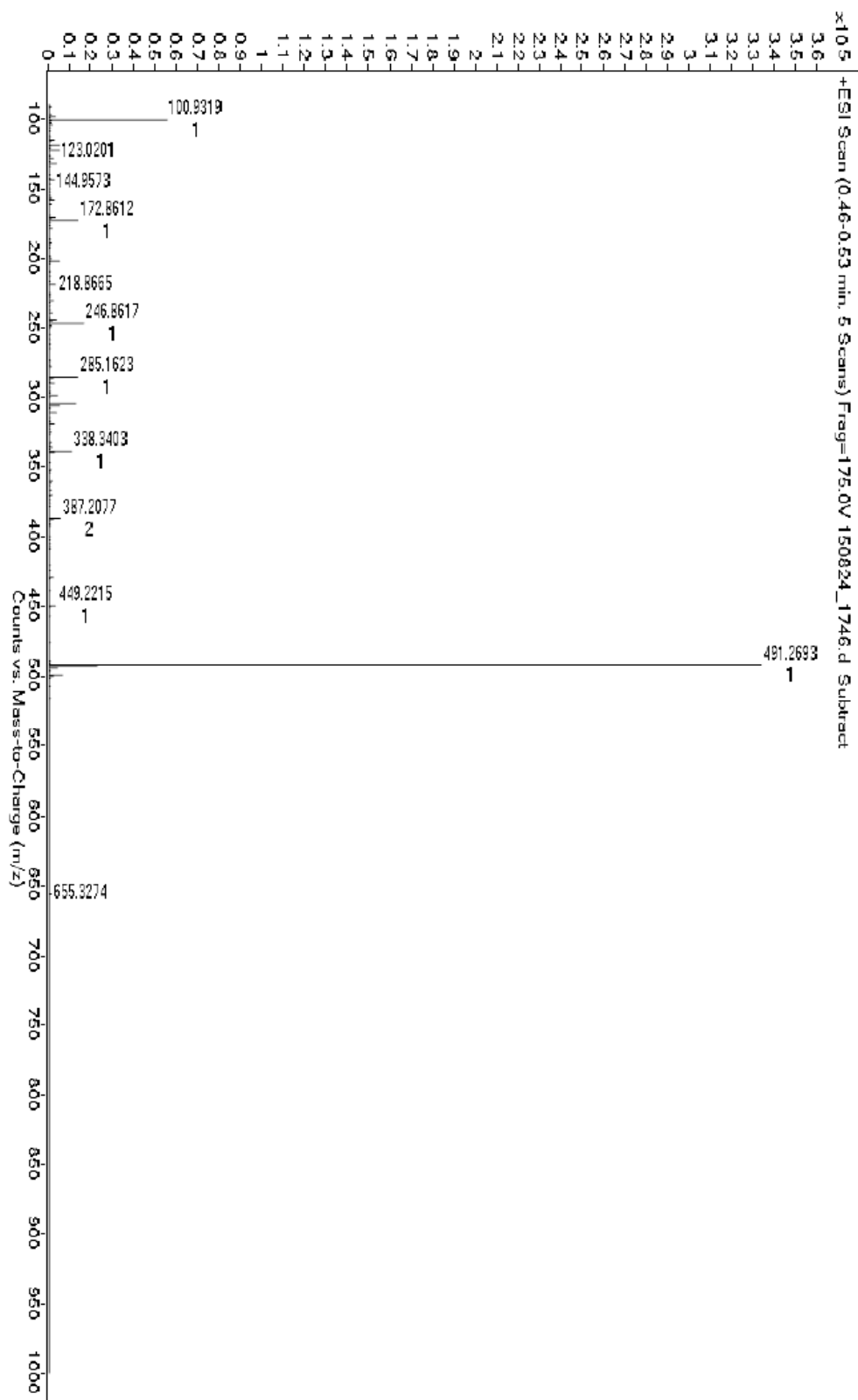


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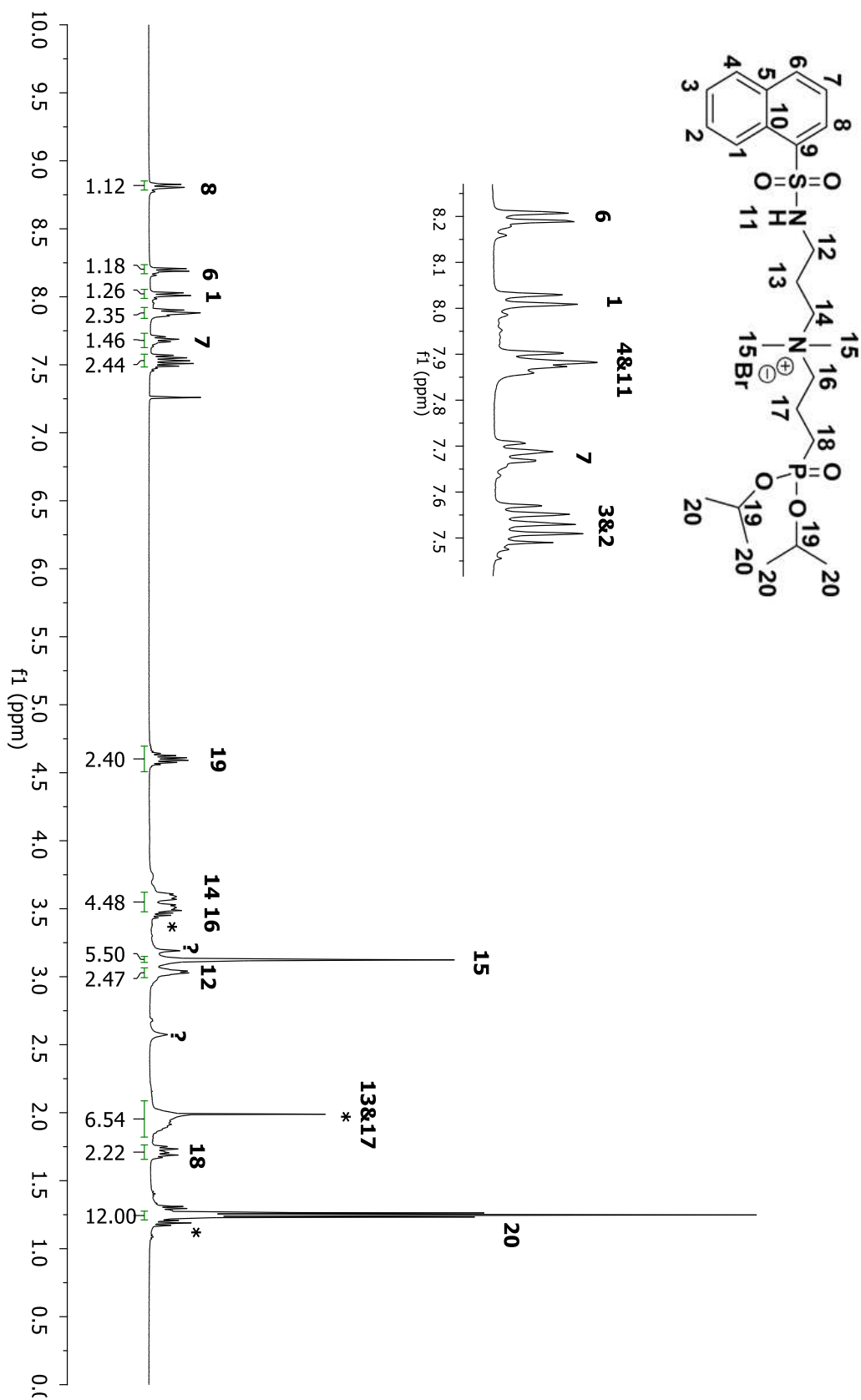


Figure A99: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **5H** in CDCl₃.

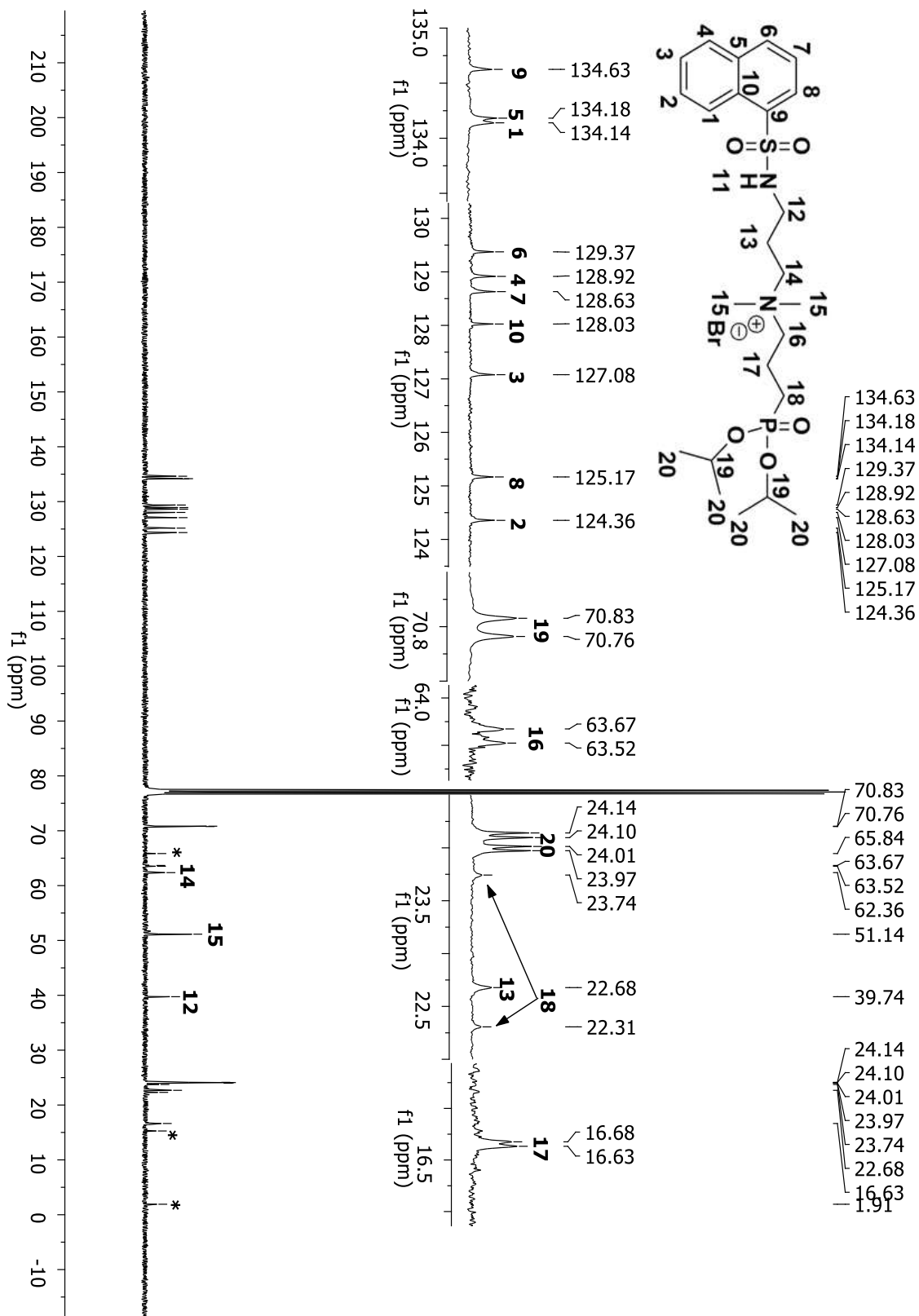


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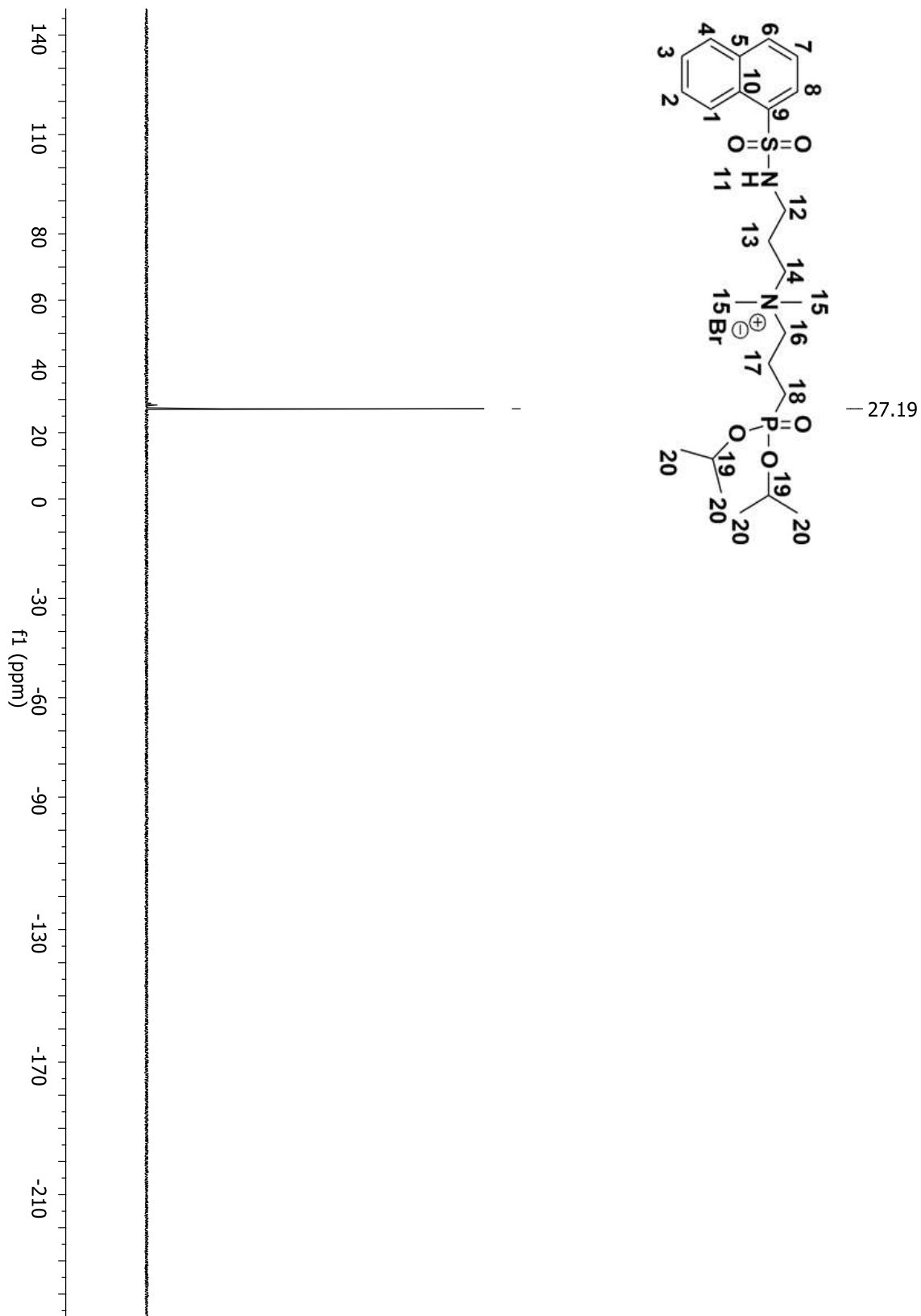


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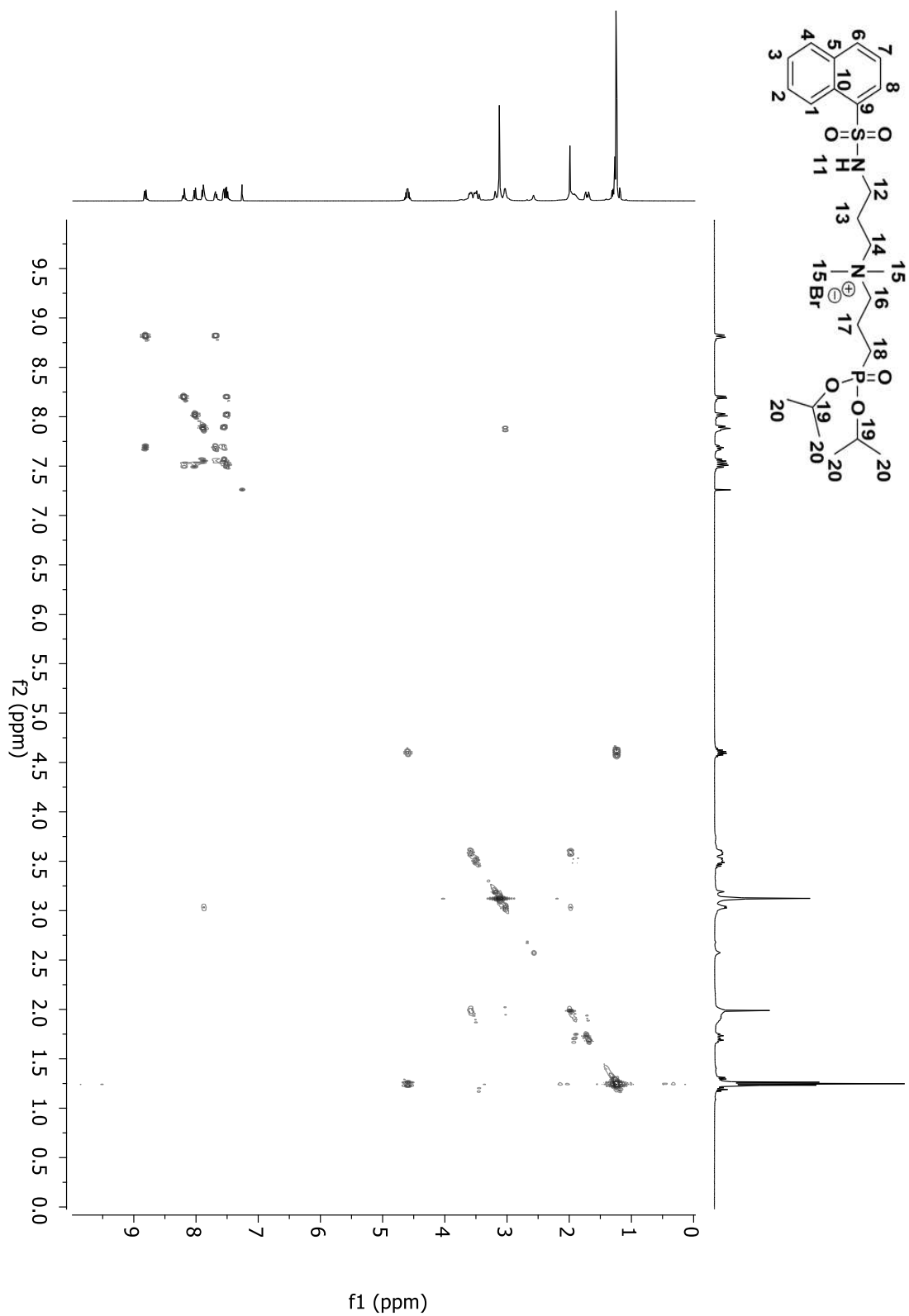


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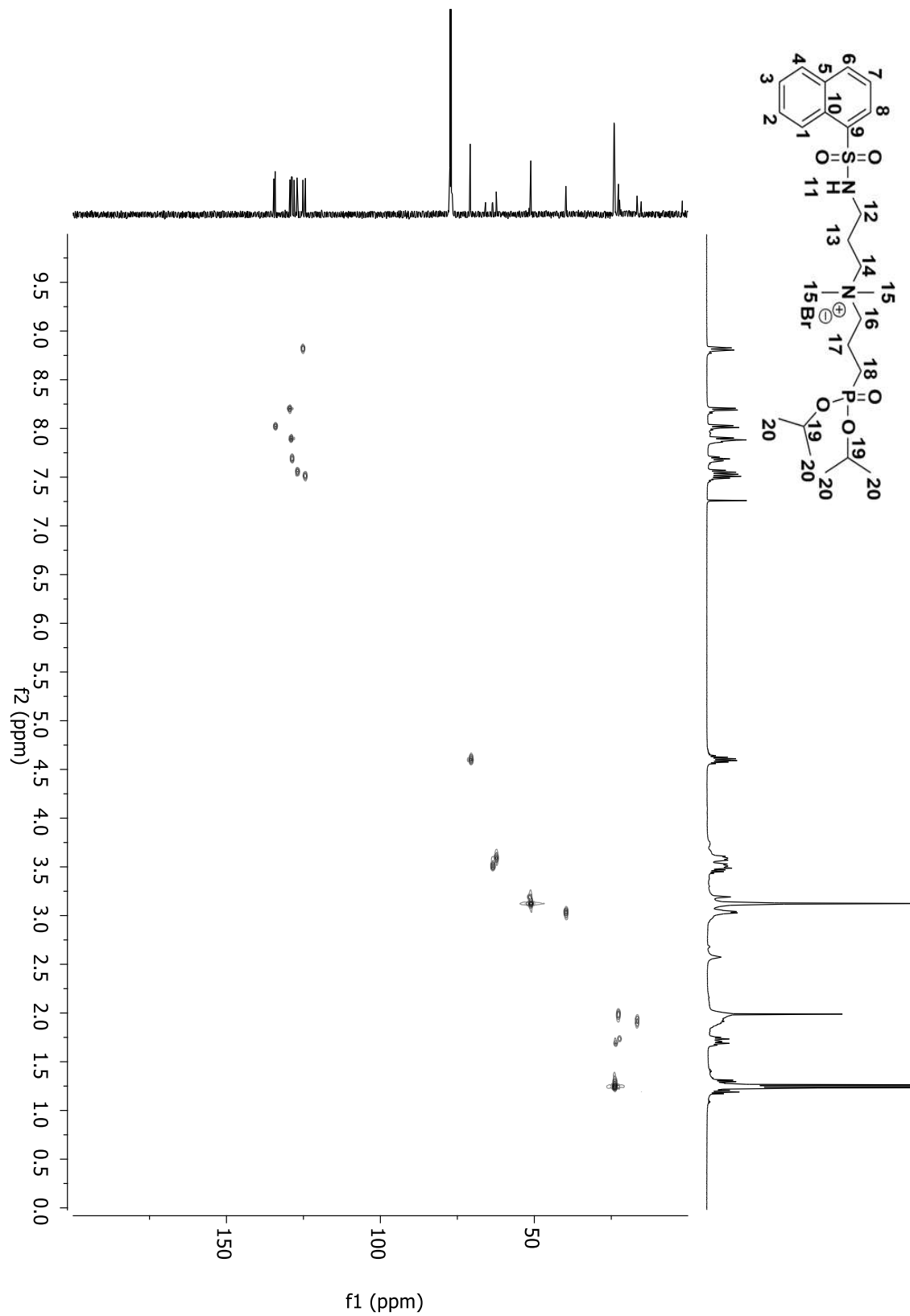


Figure A103: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **5H** in CDCl_3 .

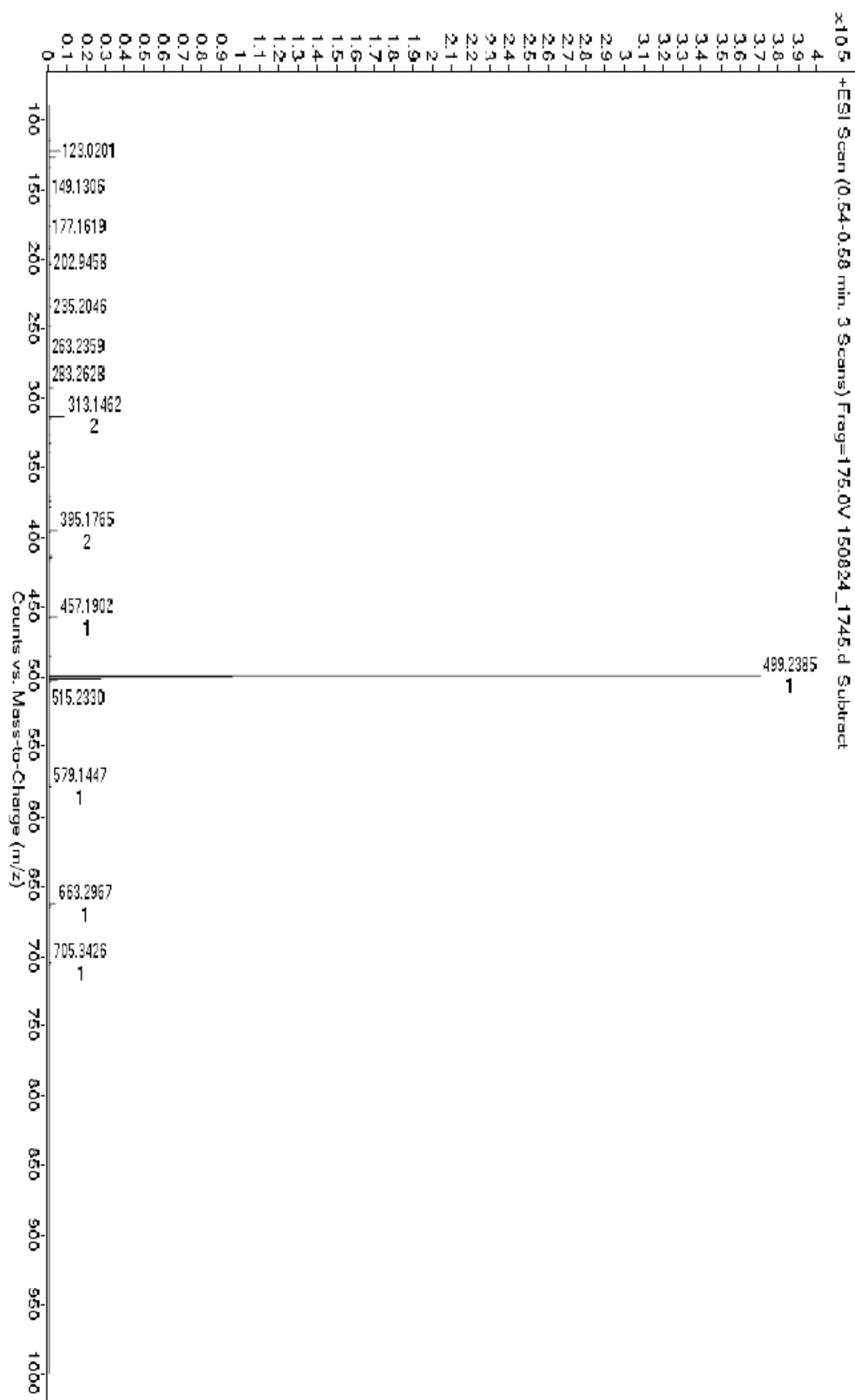


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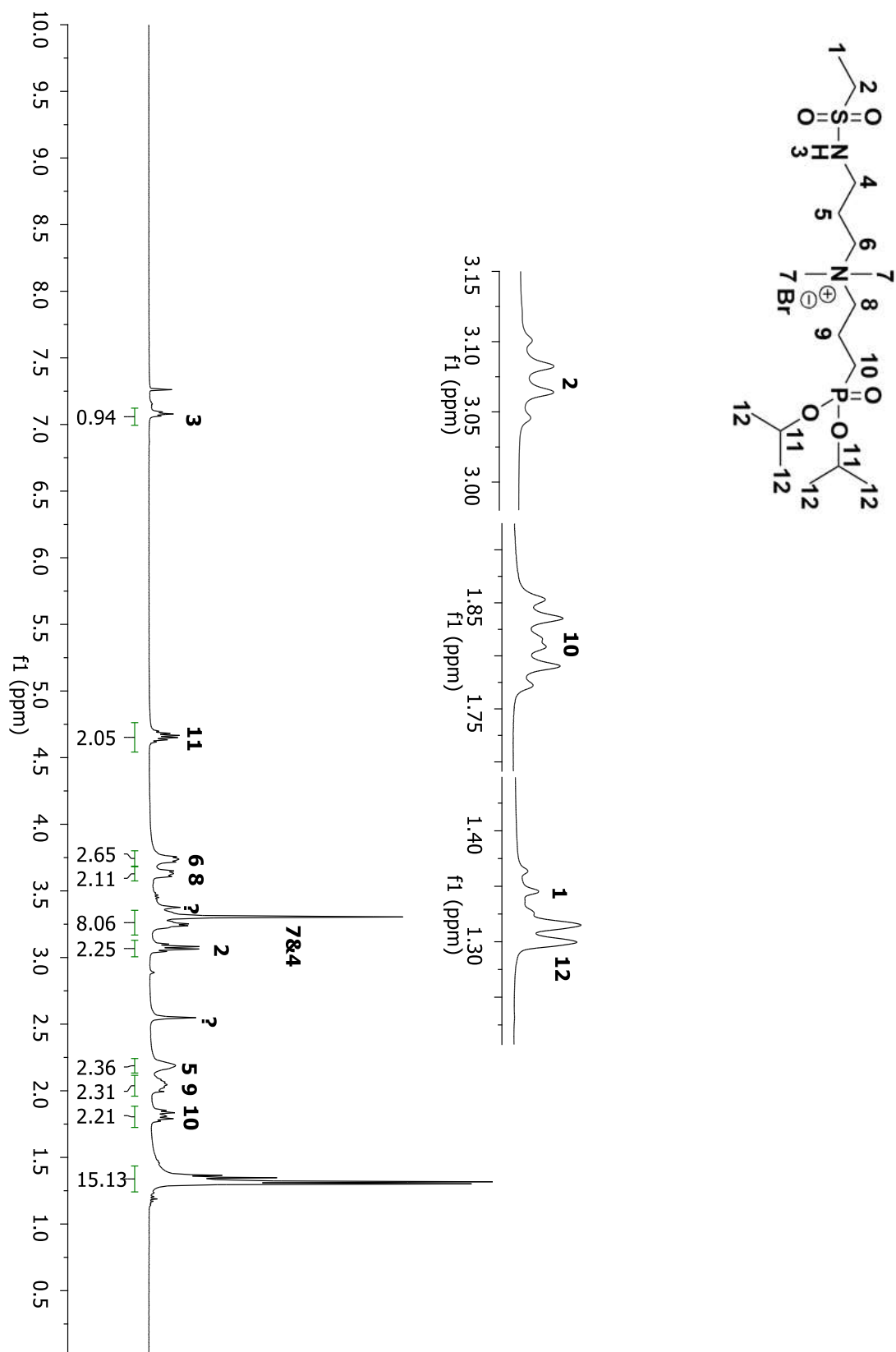


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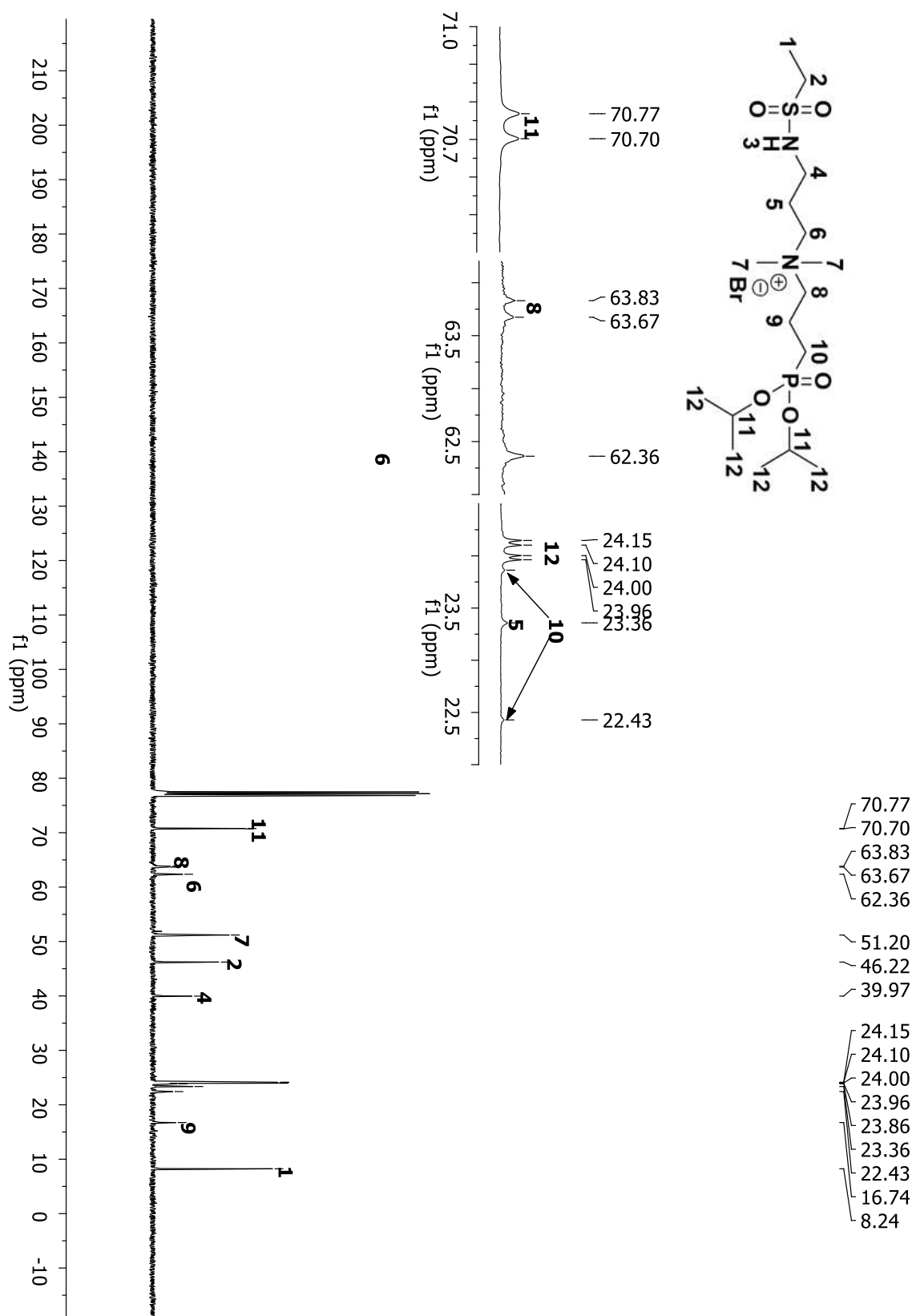


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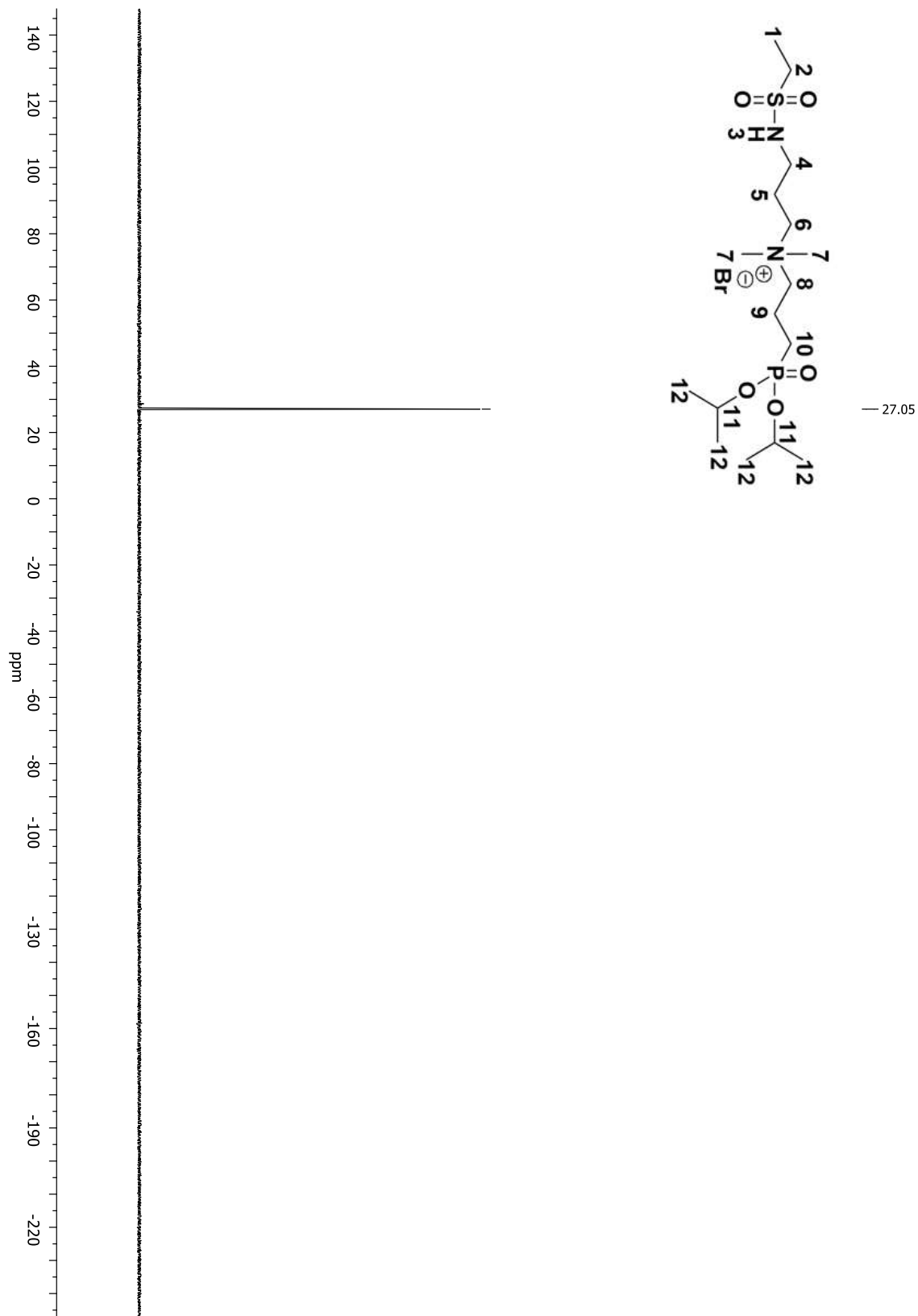


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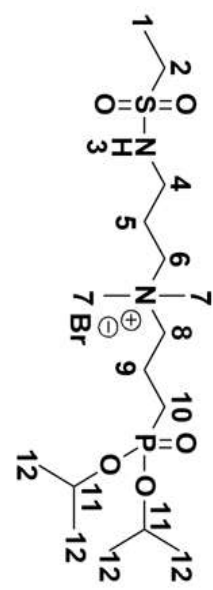


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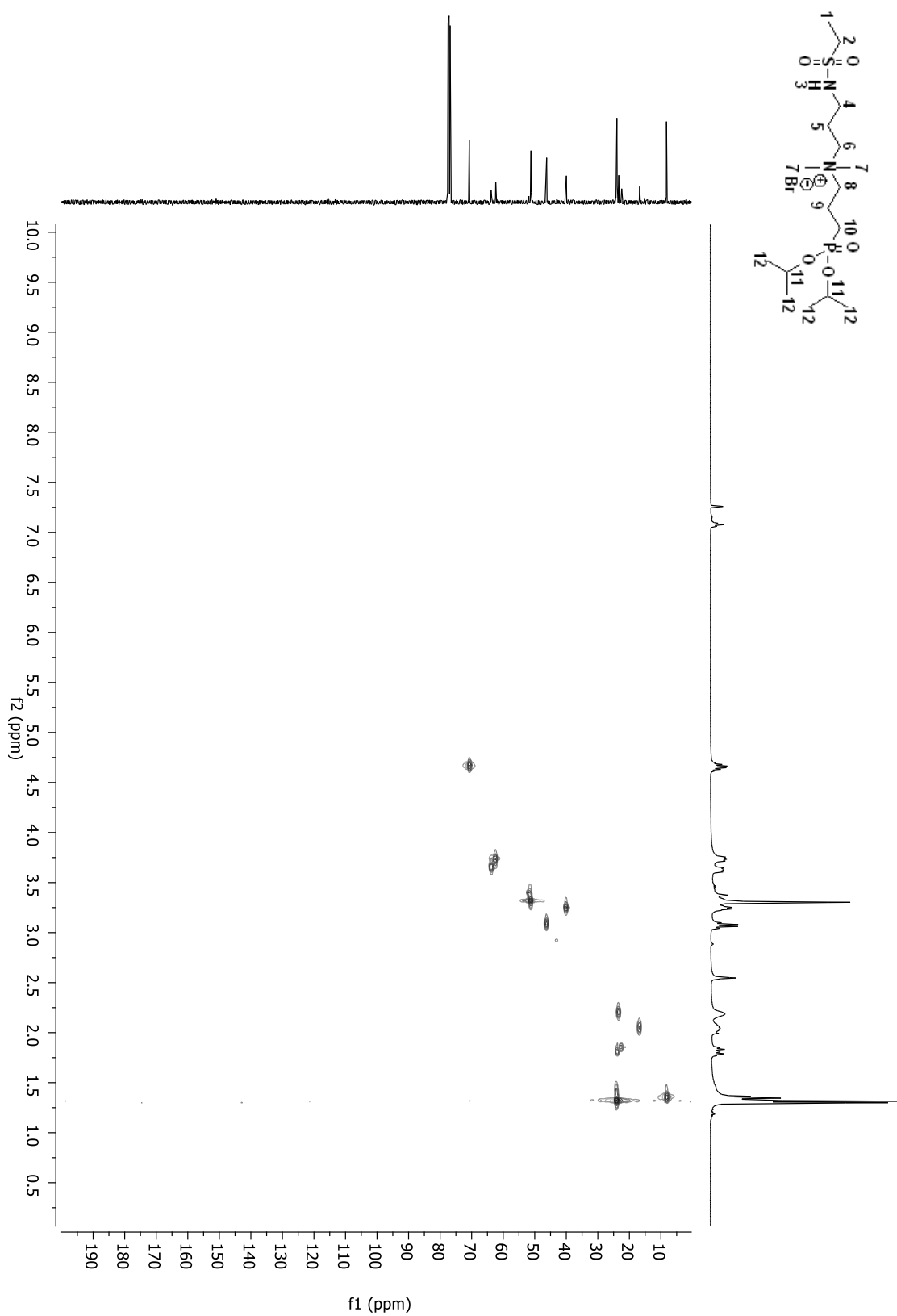


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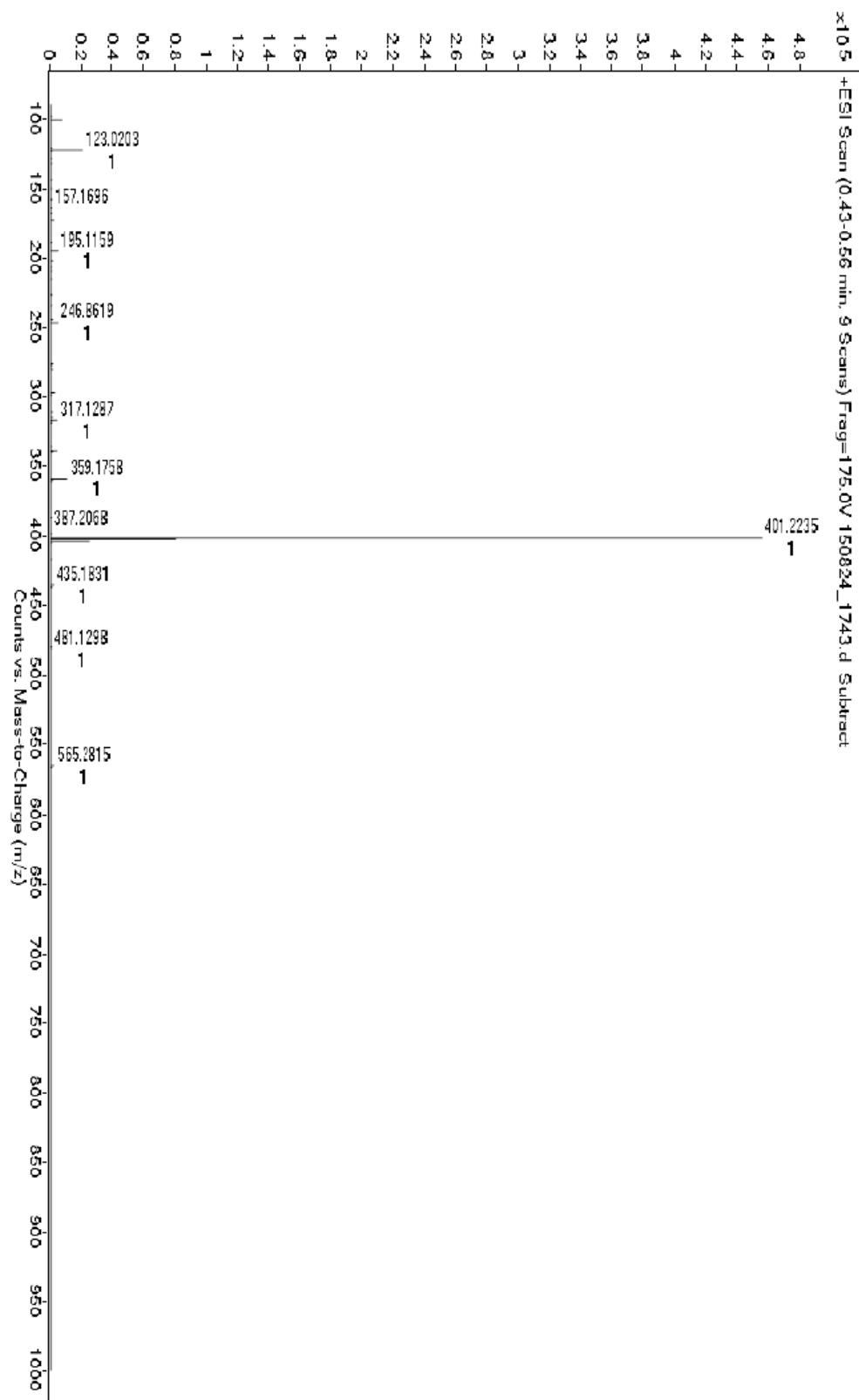


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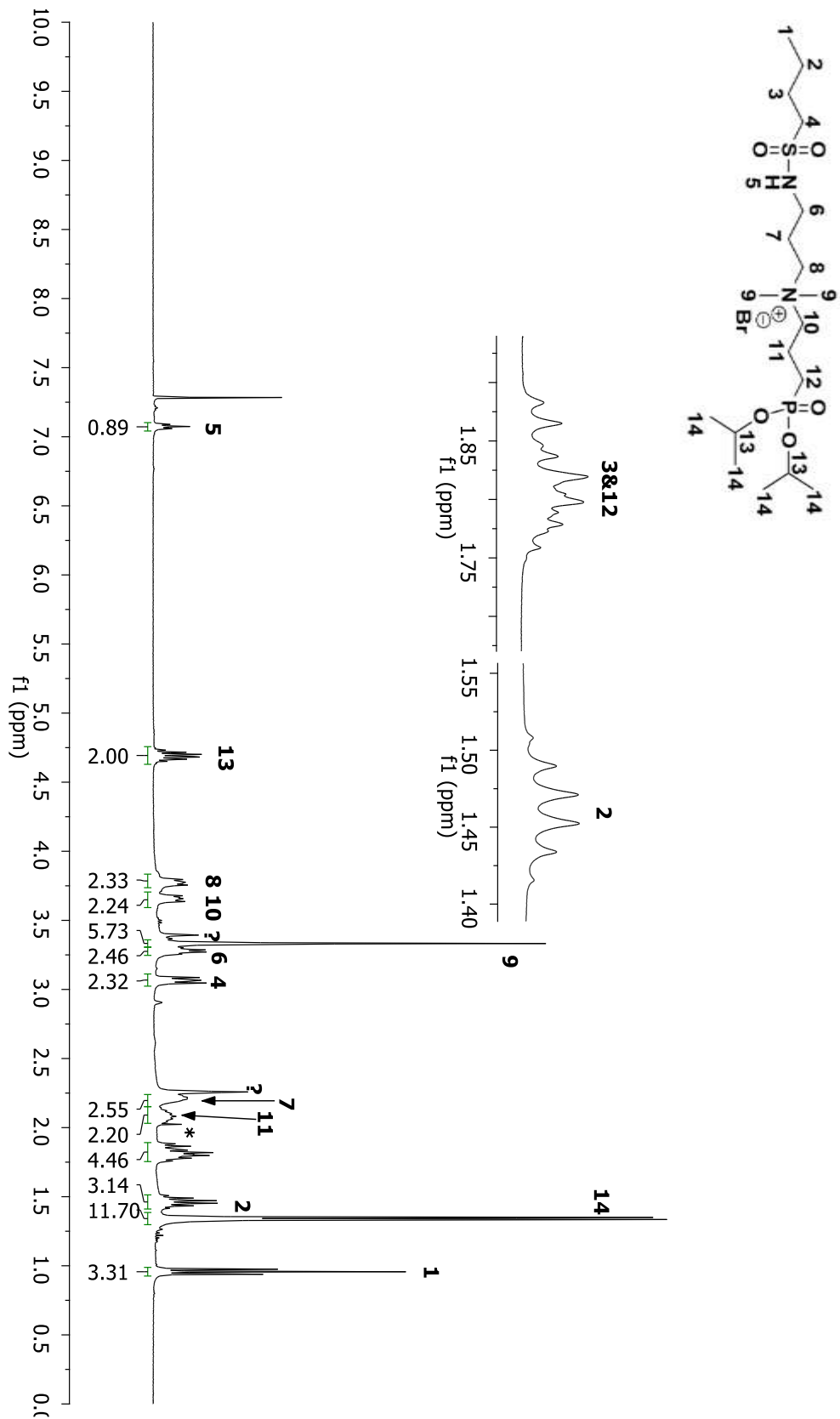


Figure A111: ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **8H** in CDCl₃.

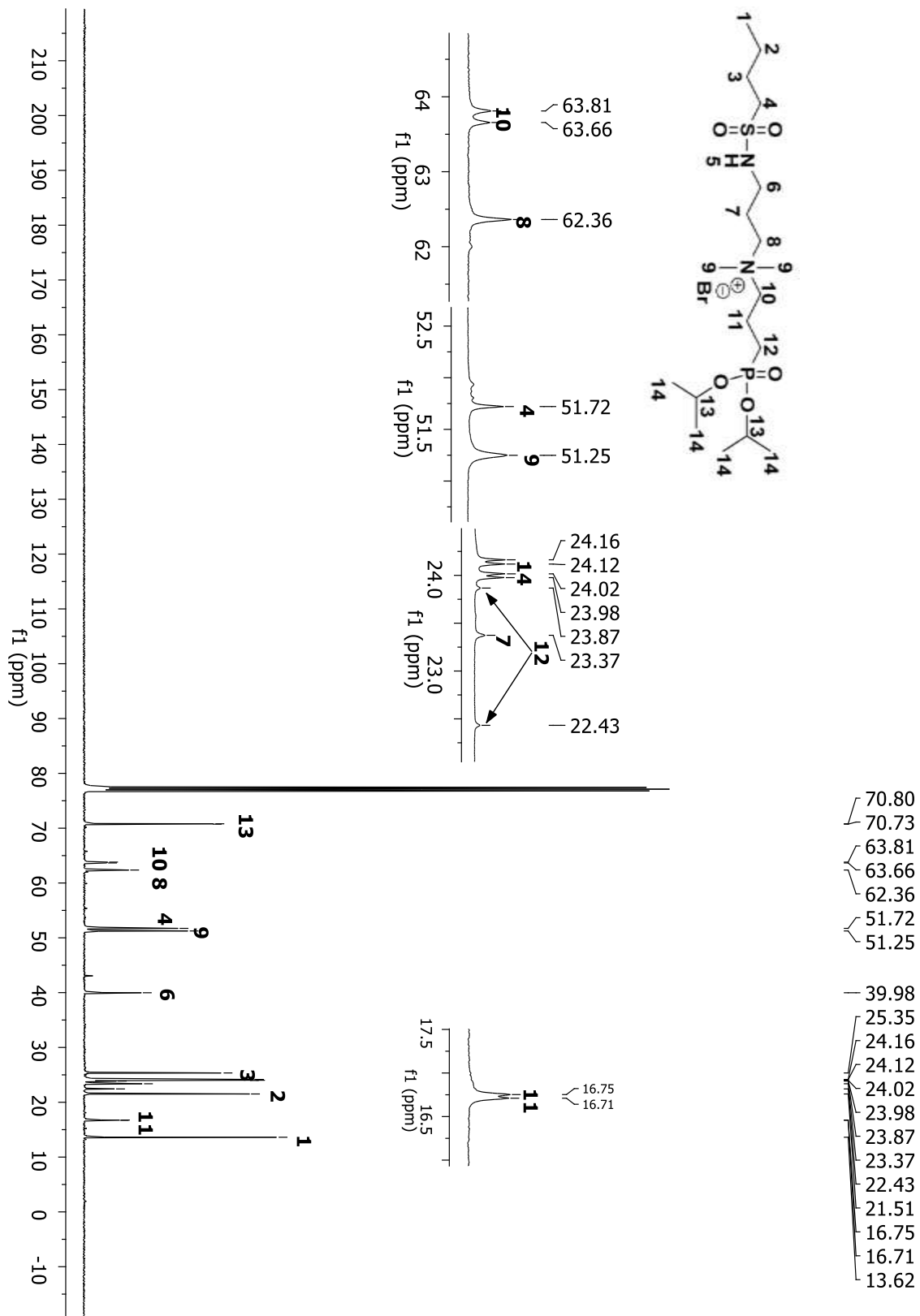


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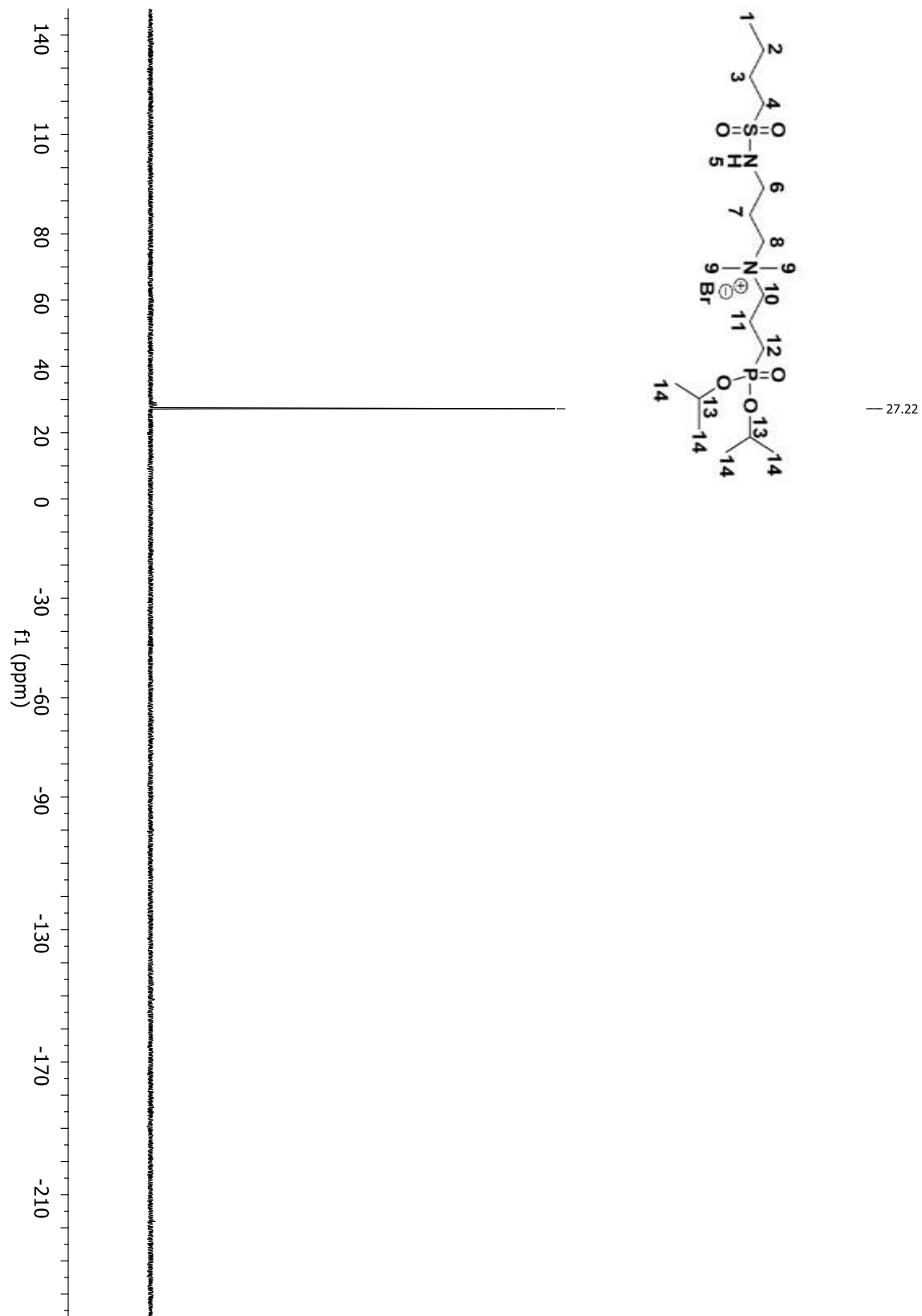


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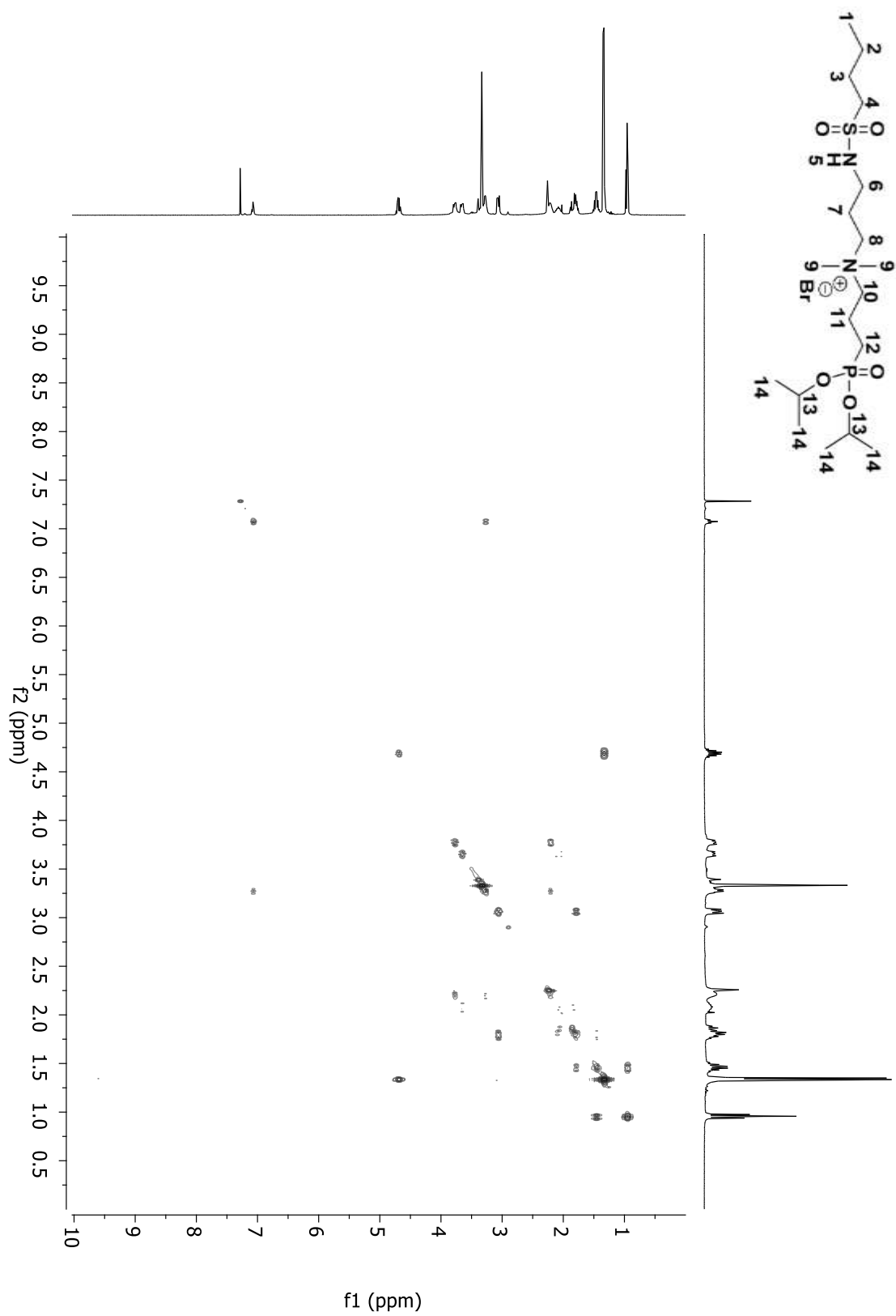


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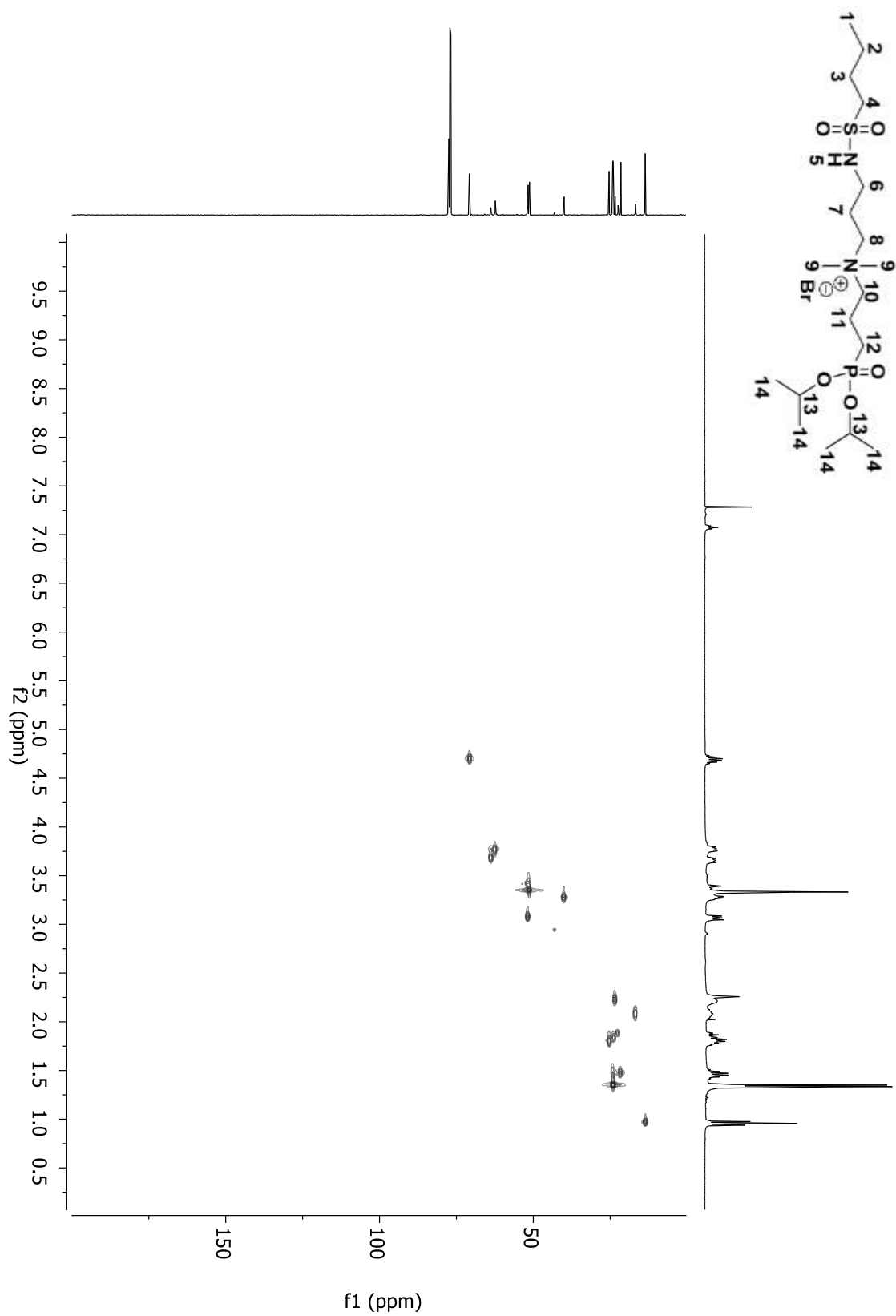


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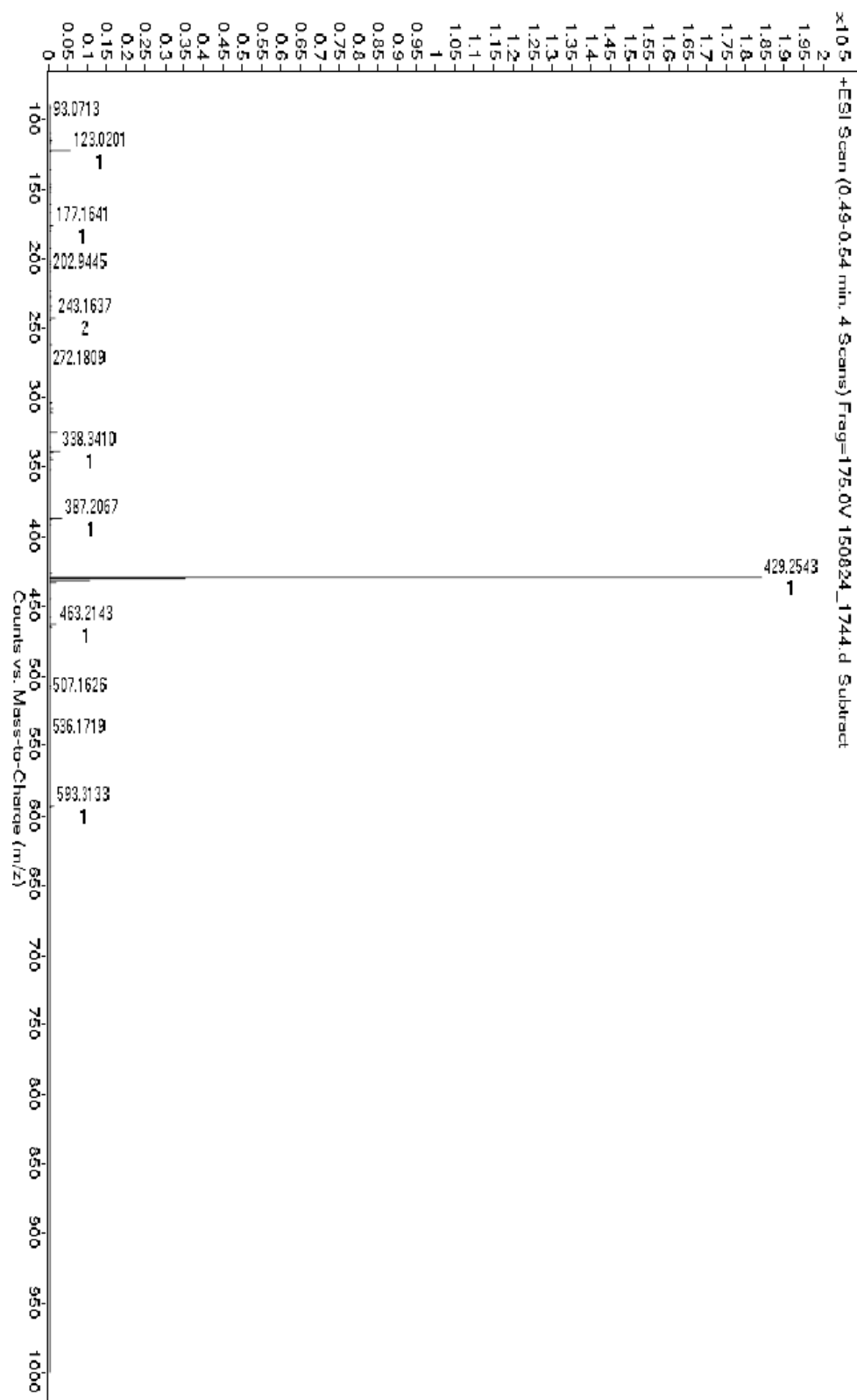


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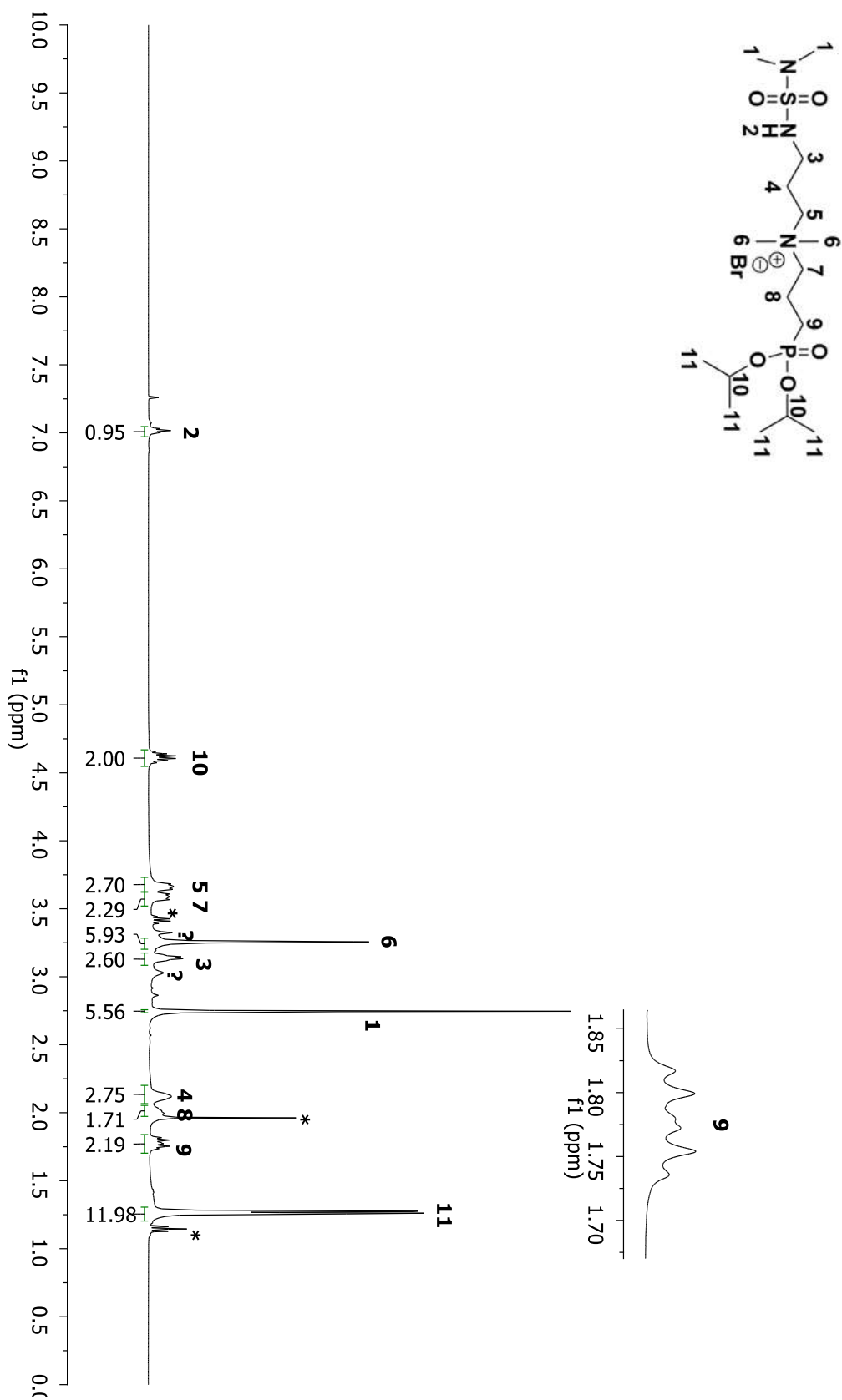


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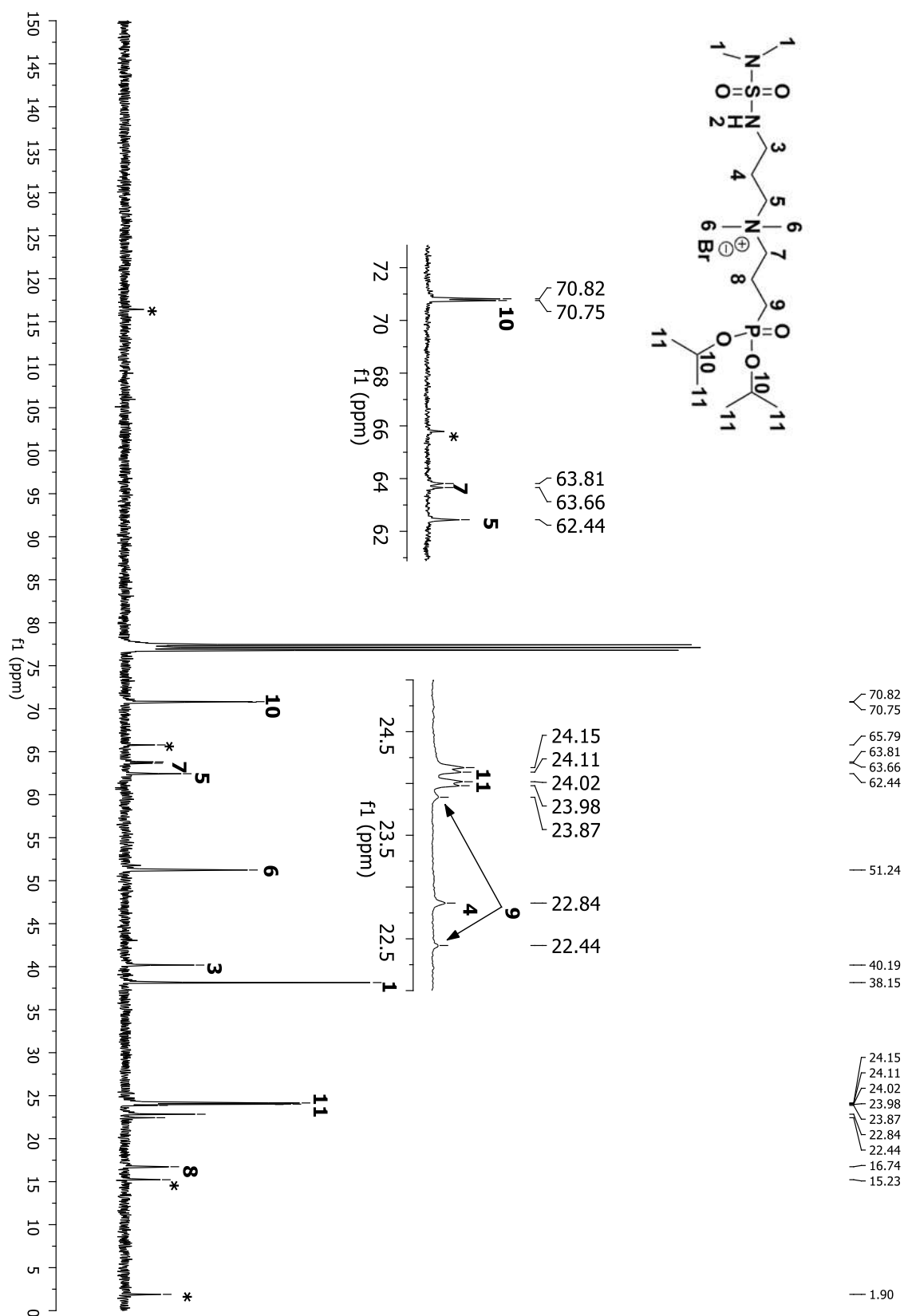


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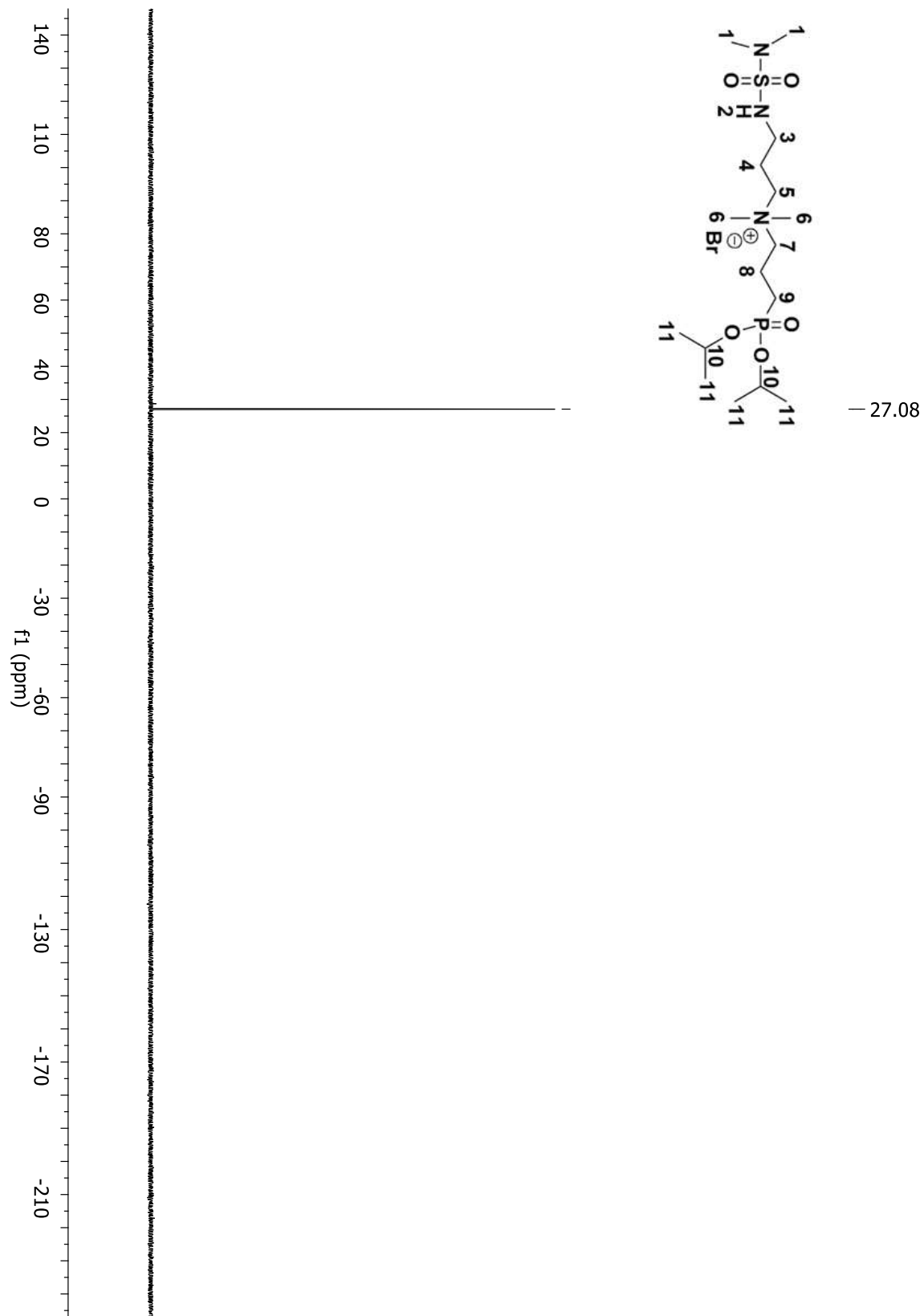


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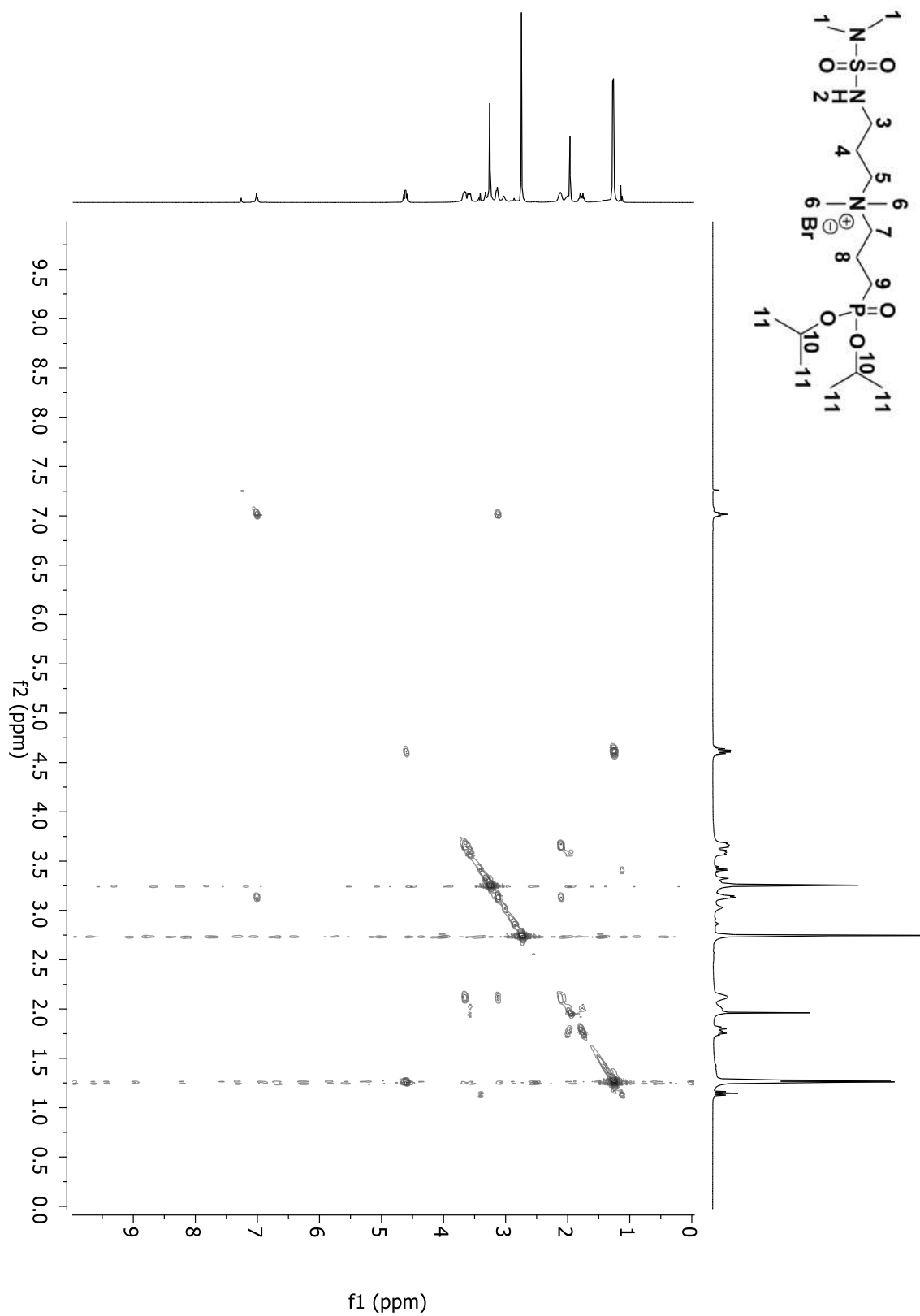


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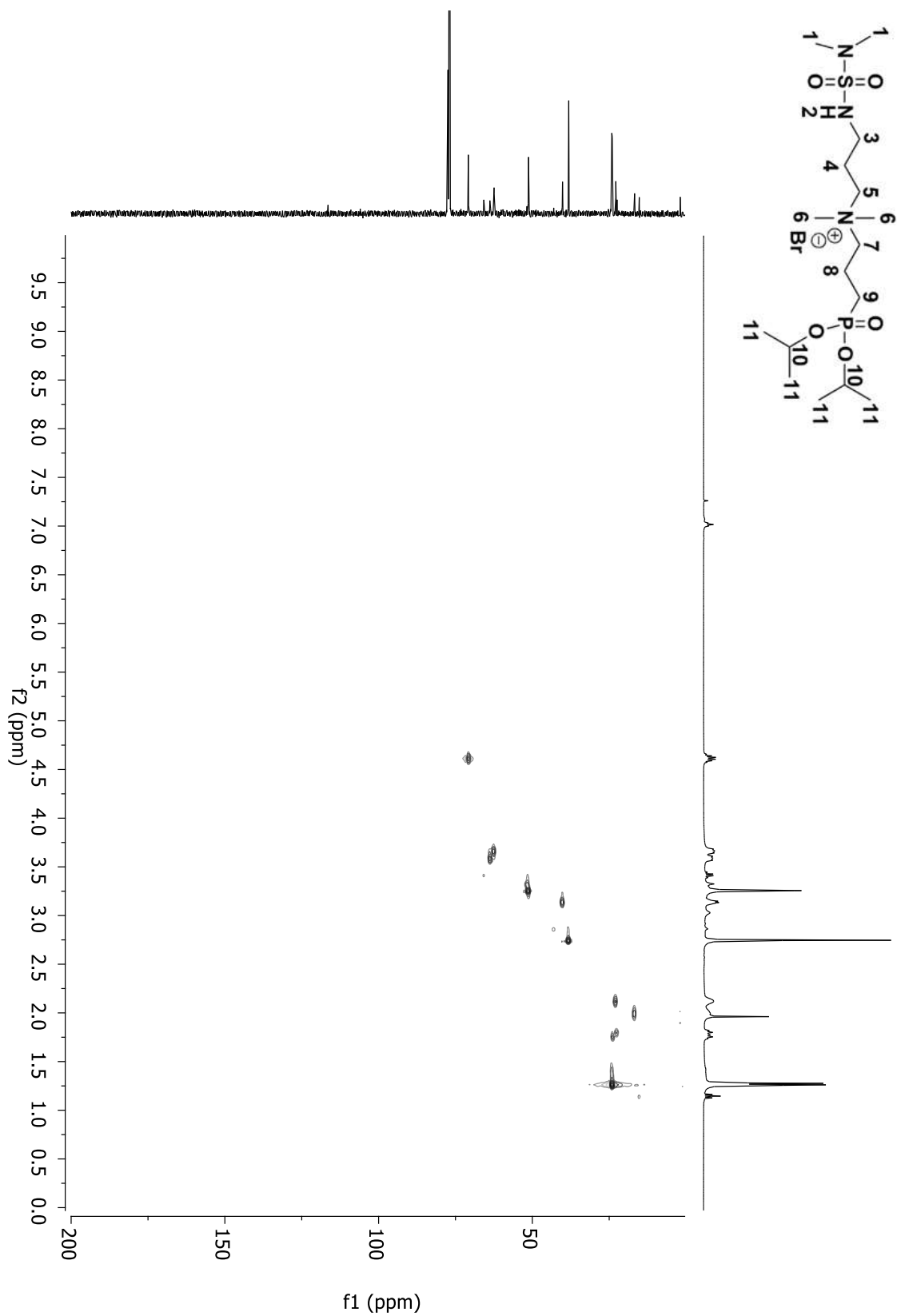


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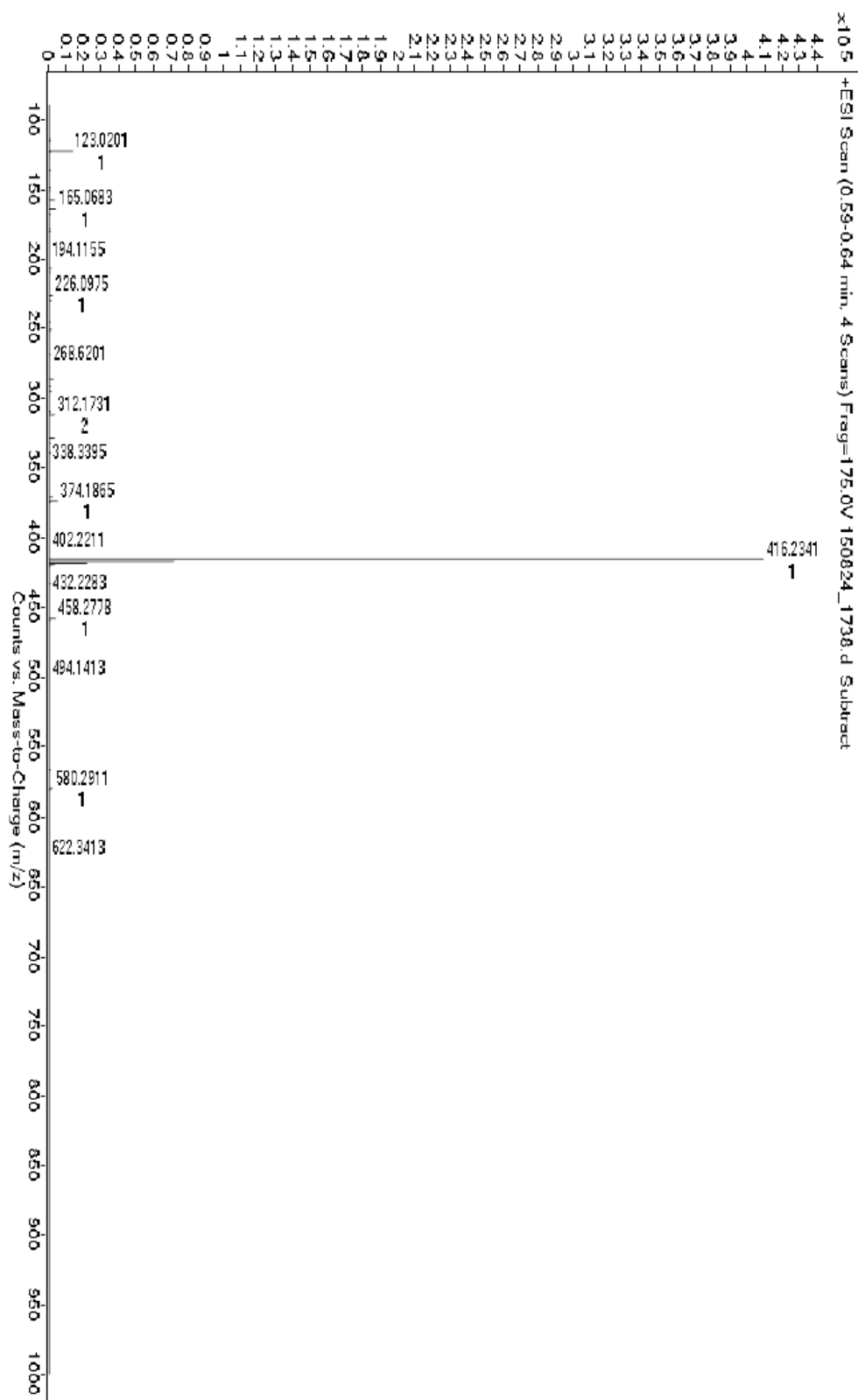


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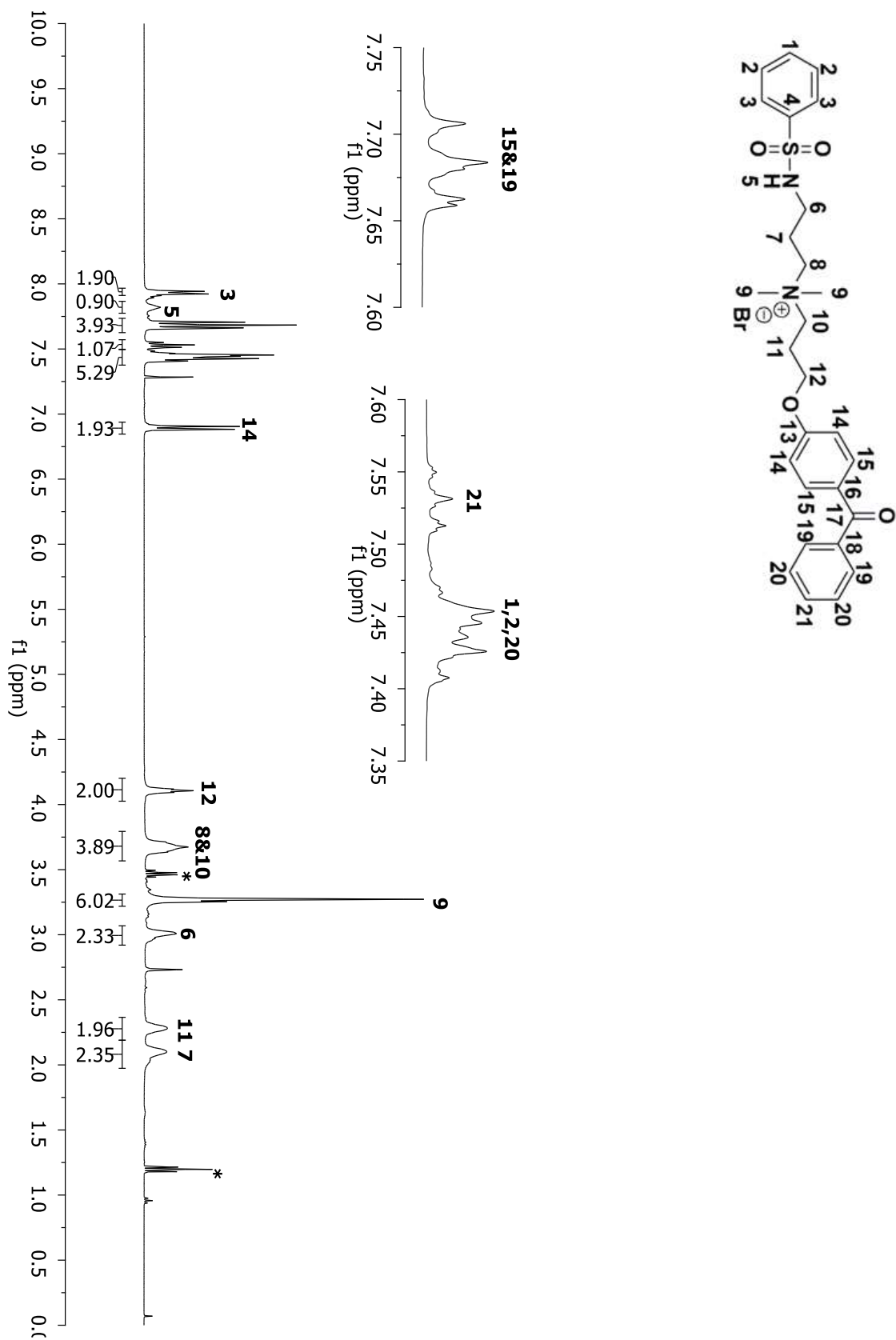


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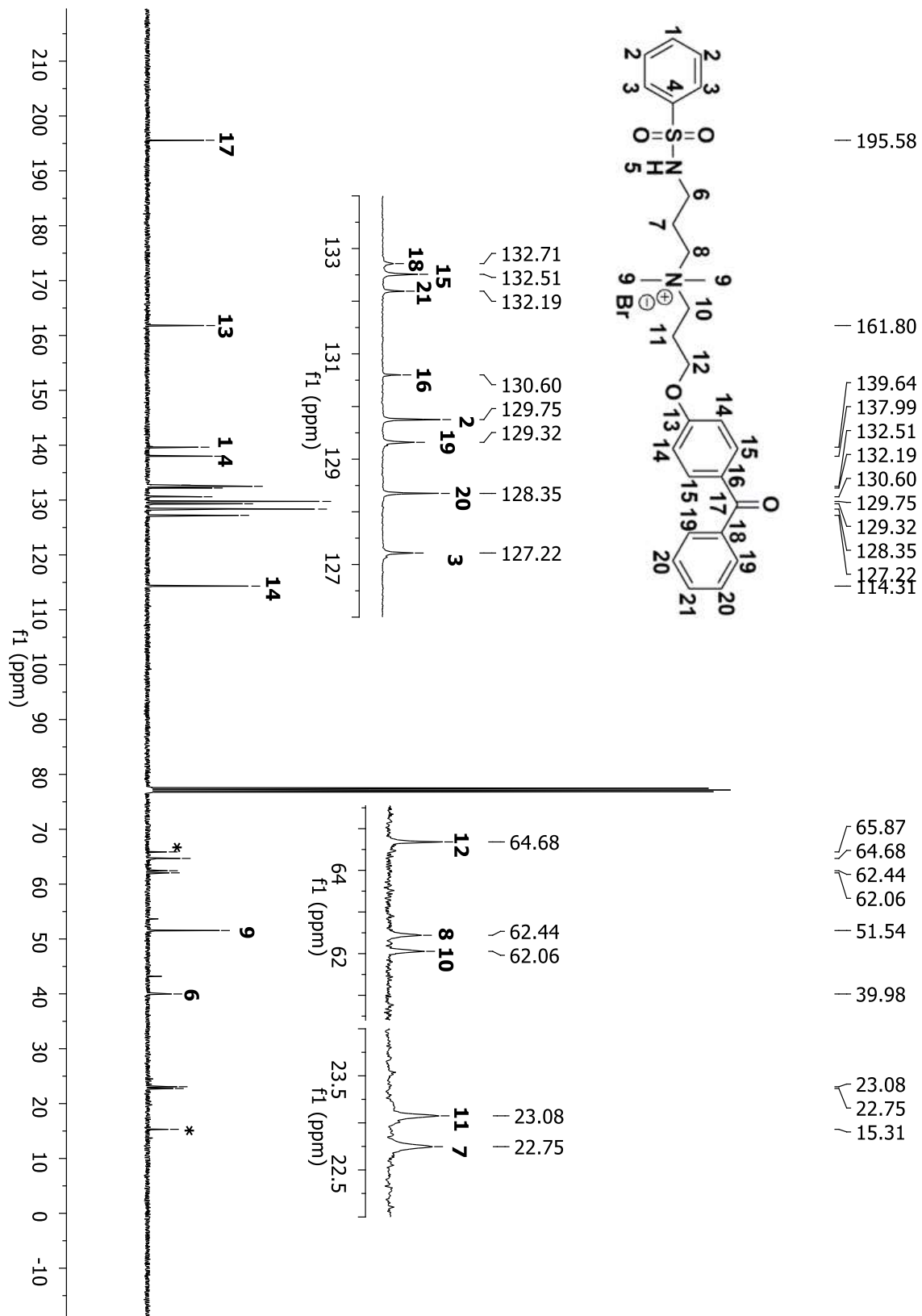


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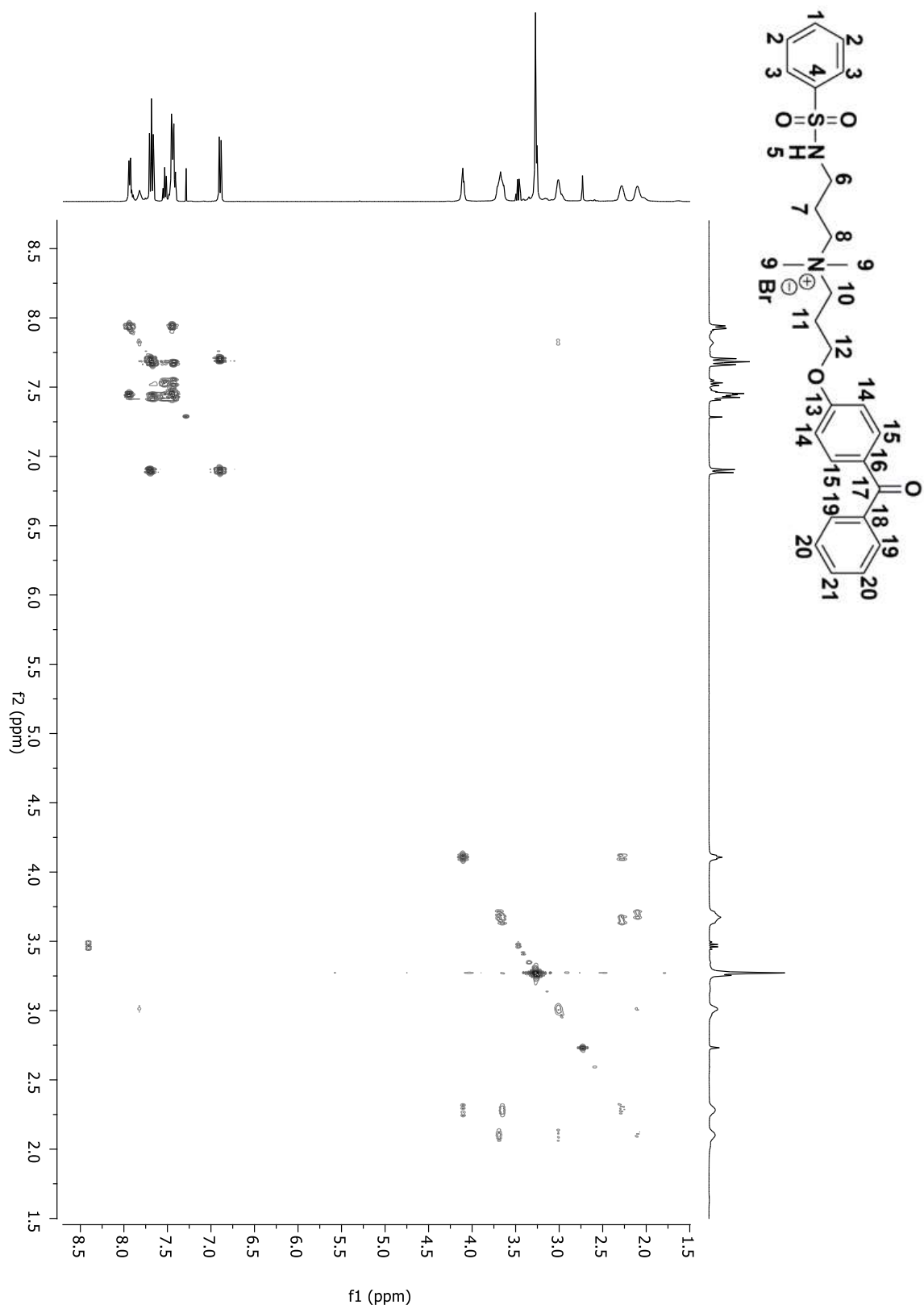


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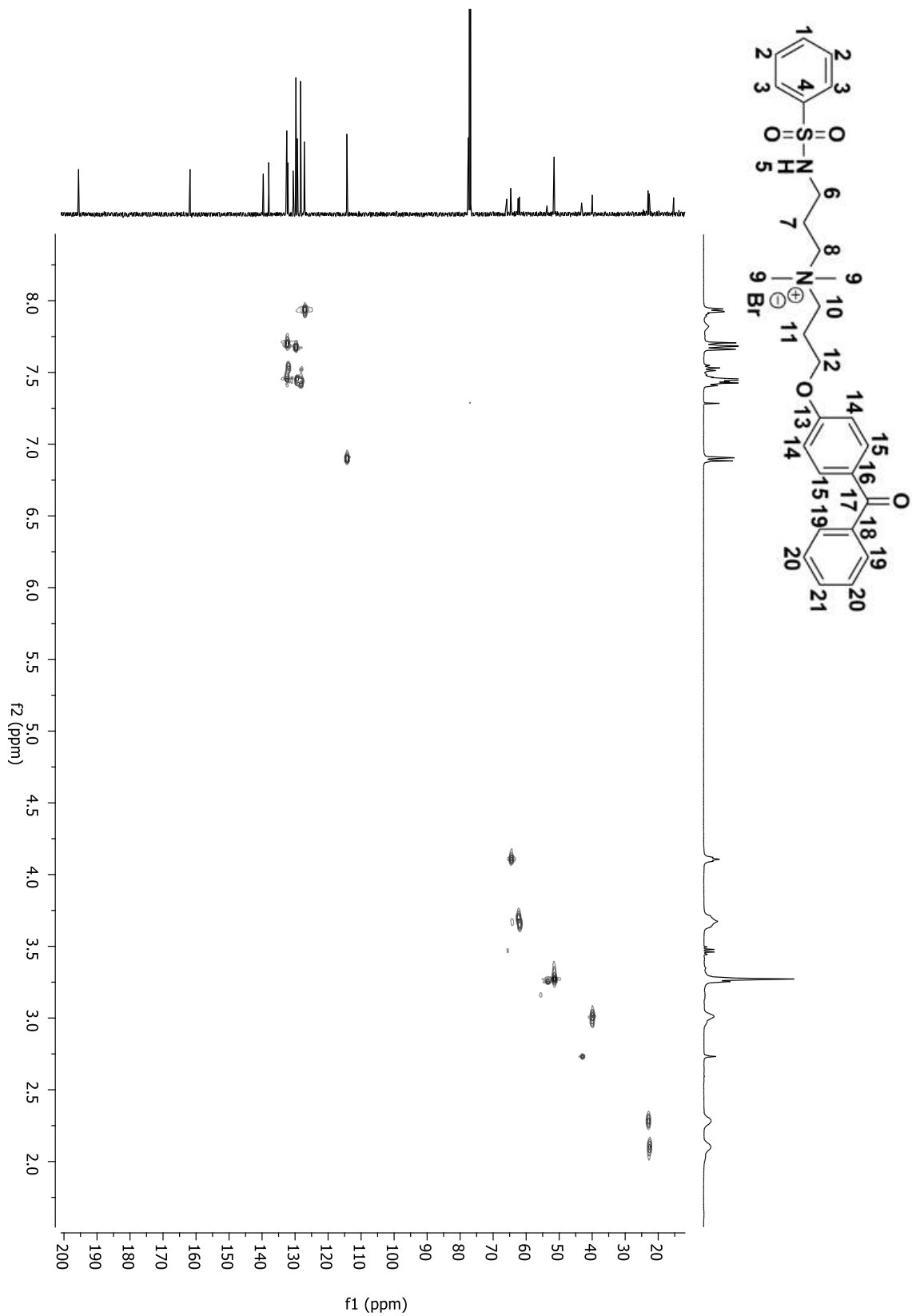


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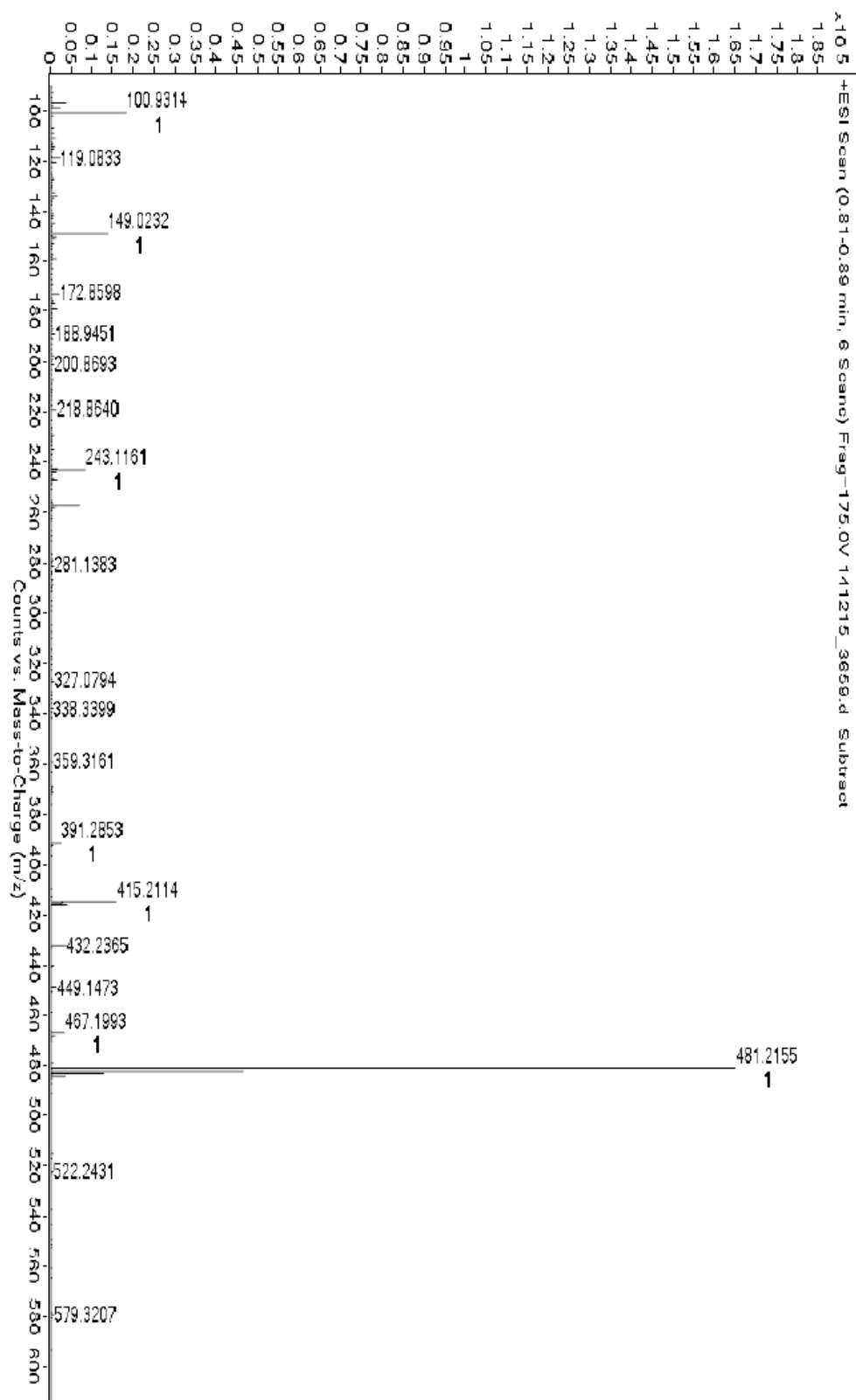


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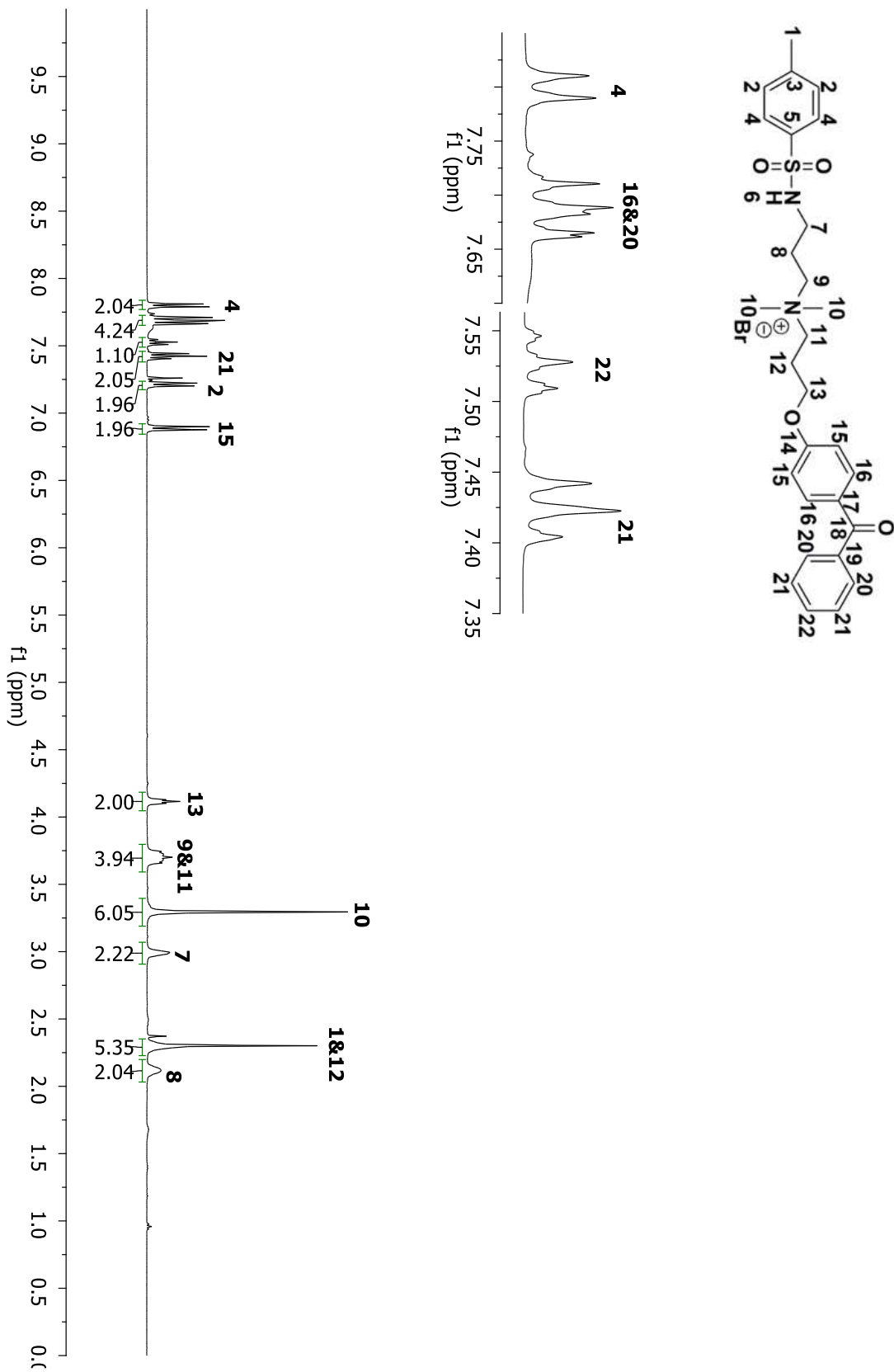


Figure A128: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **2J** in CDCl_3 .

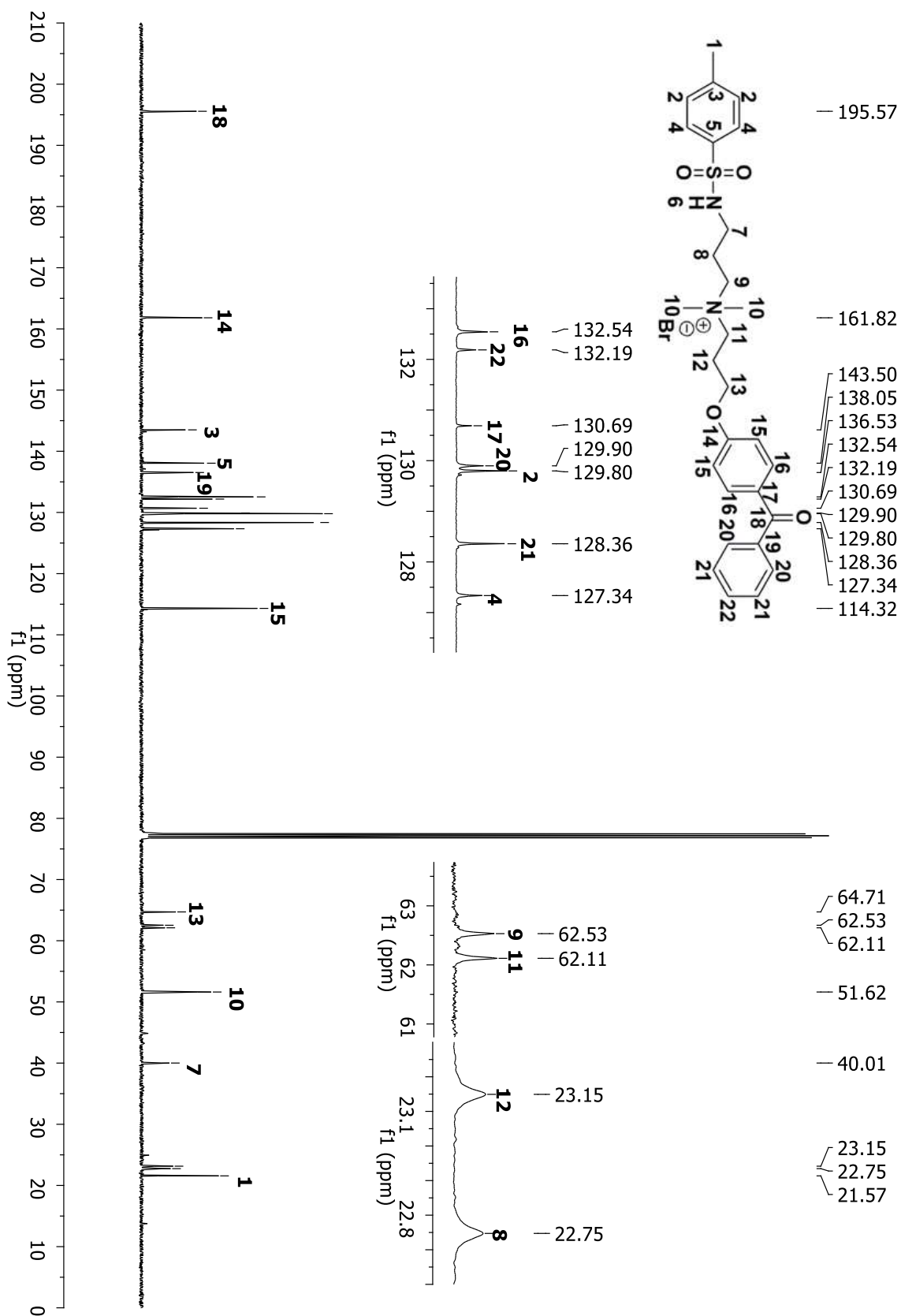


Figure A129: ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **2J** in CDCl_3 .

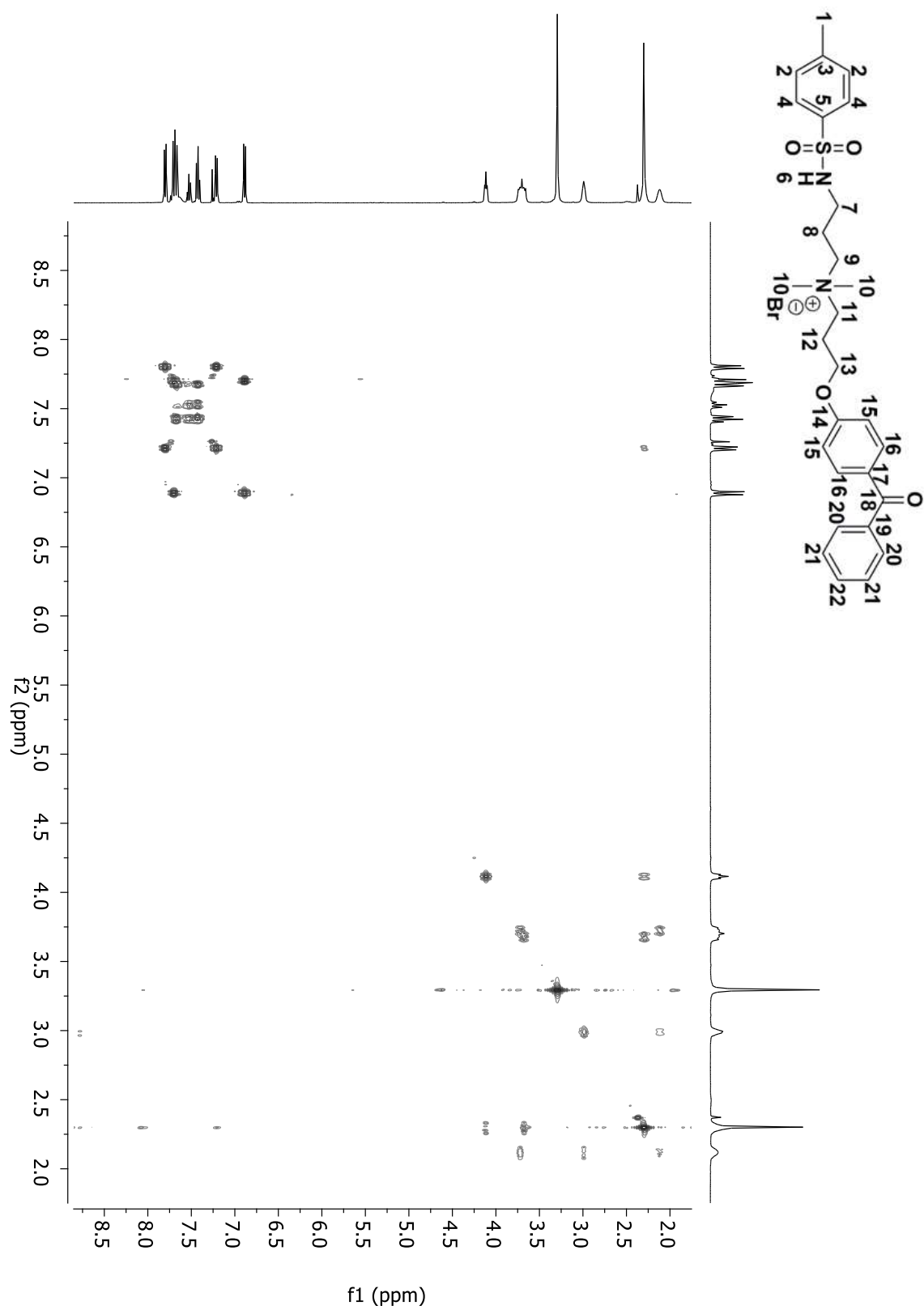


Figure A130: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **2J** in CDCl₃.

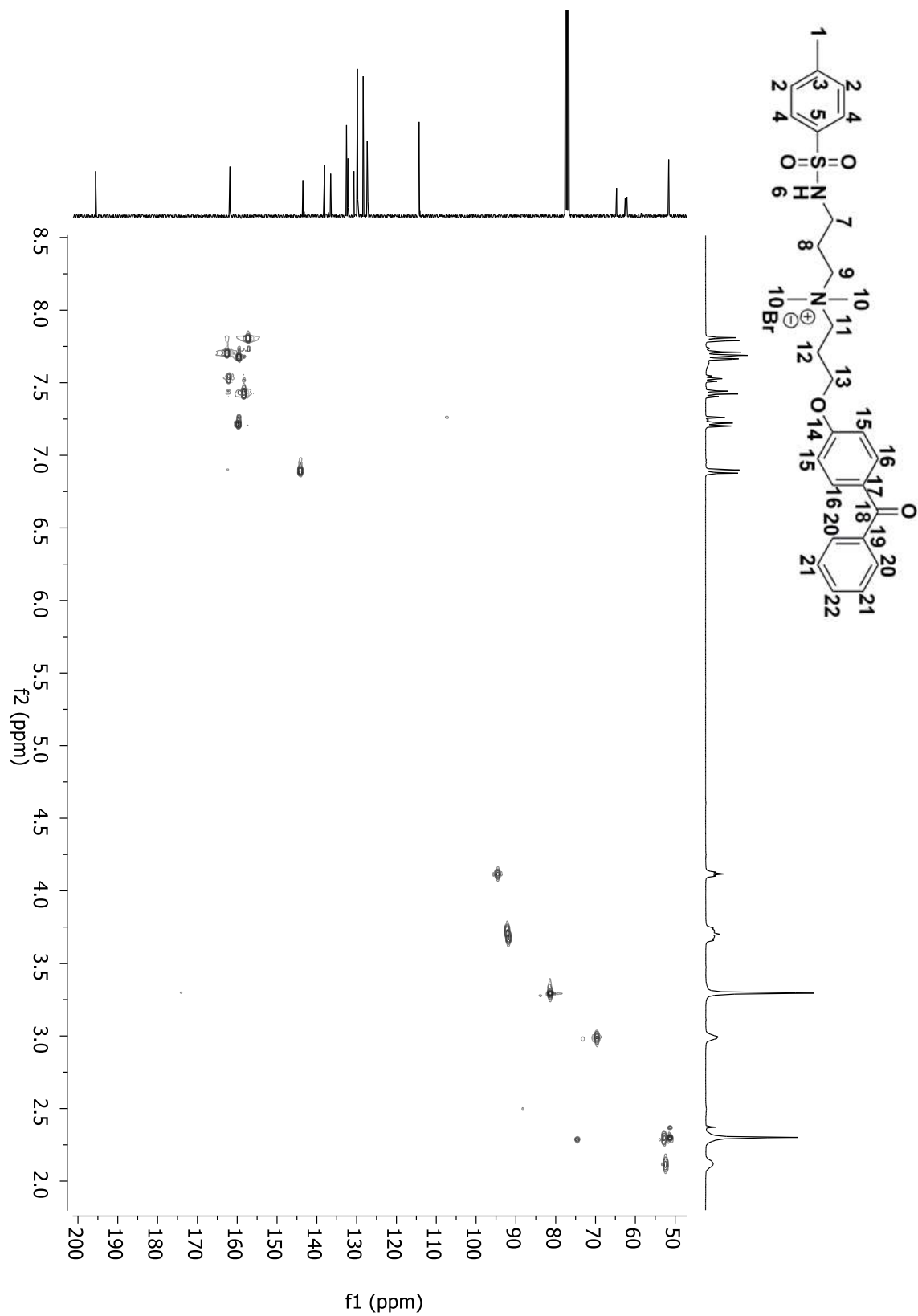


Figure A131: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **2J** in CDCl_3 .

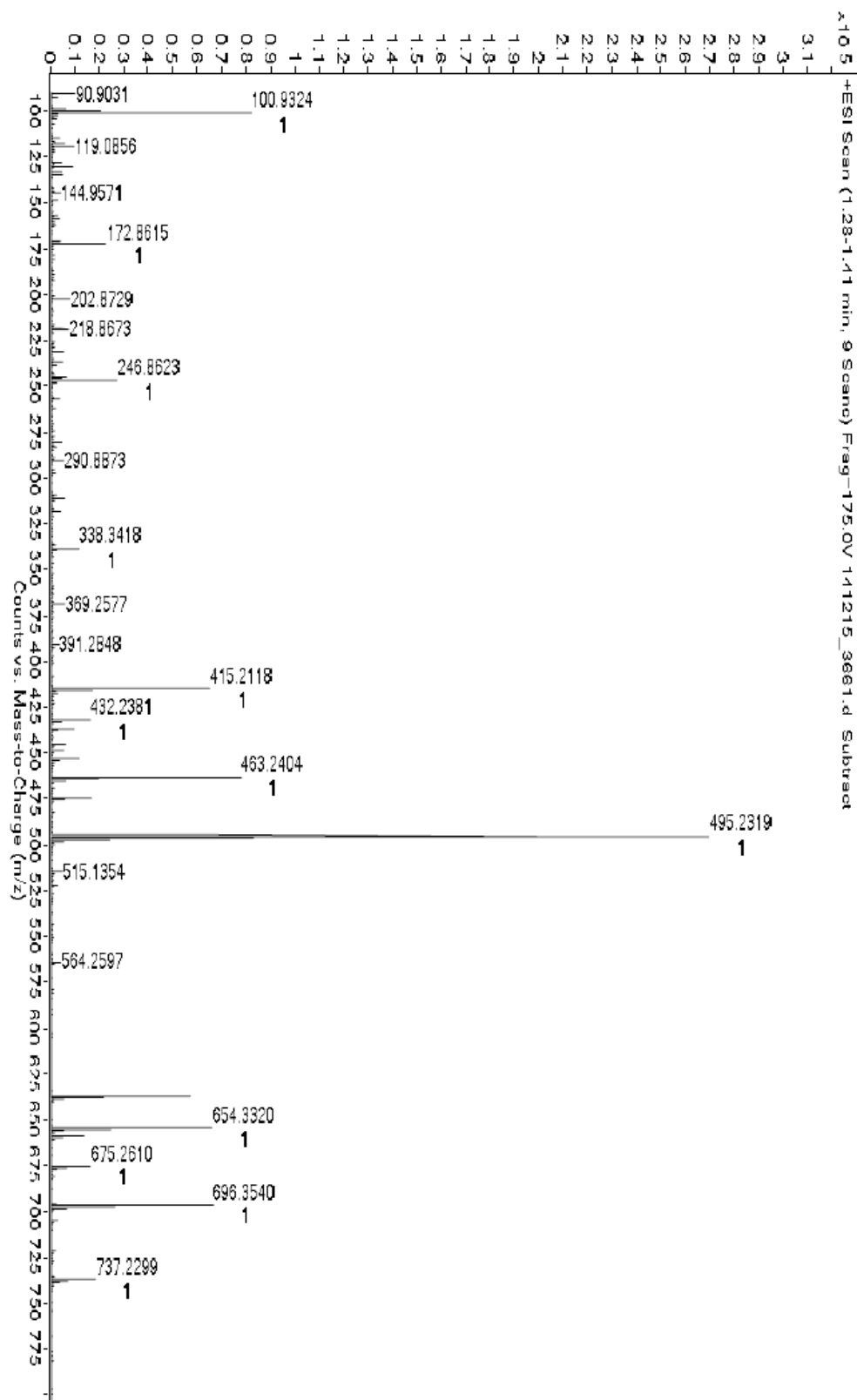


Figure A132: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **2J**.

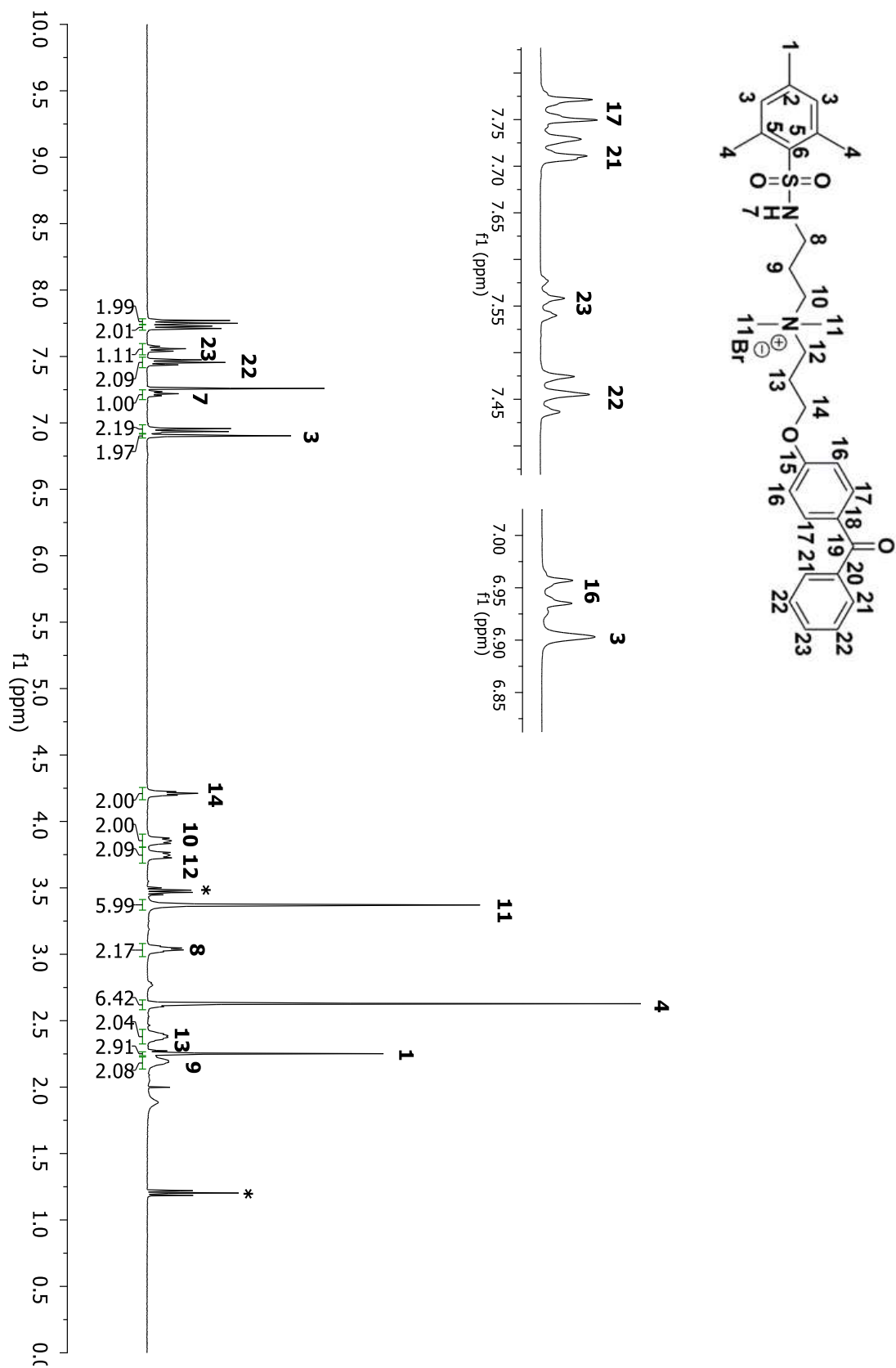


Figure A133: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **3J** in CDCl_3 .

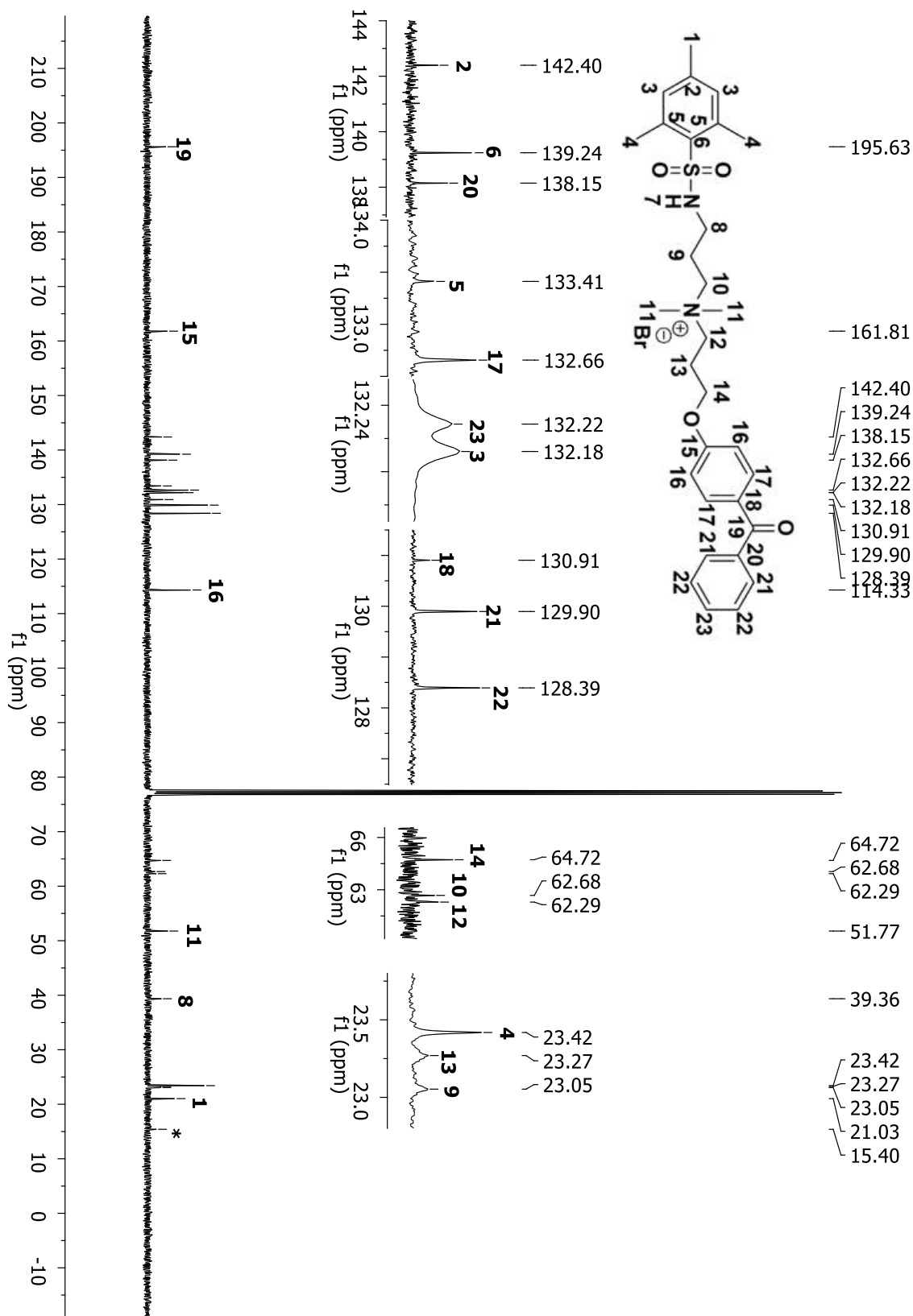


Figure A134: ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **3J** in CDCl₃.

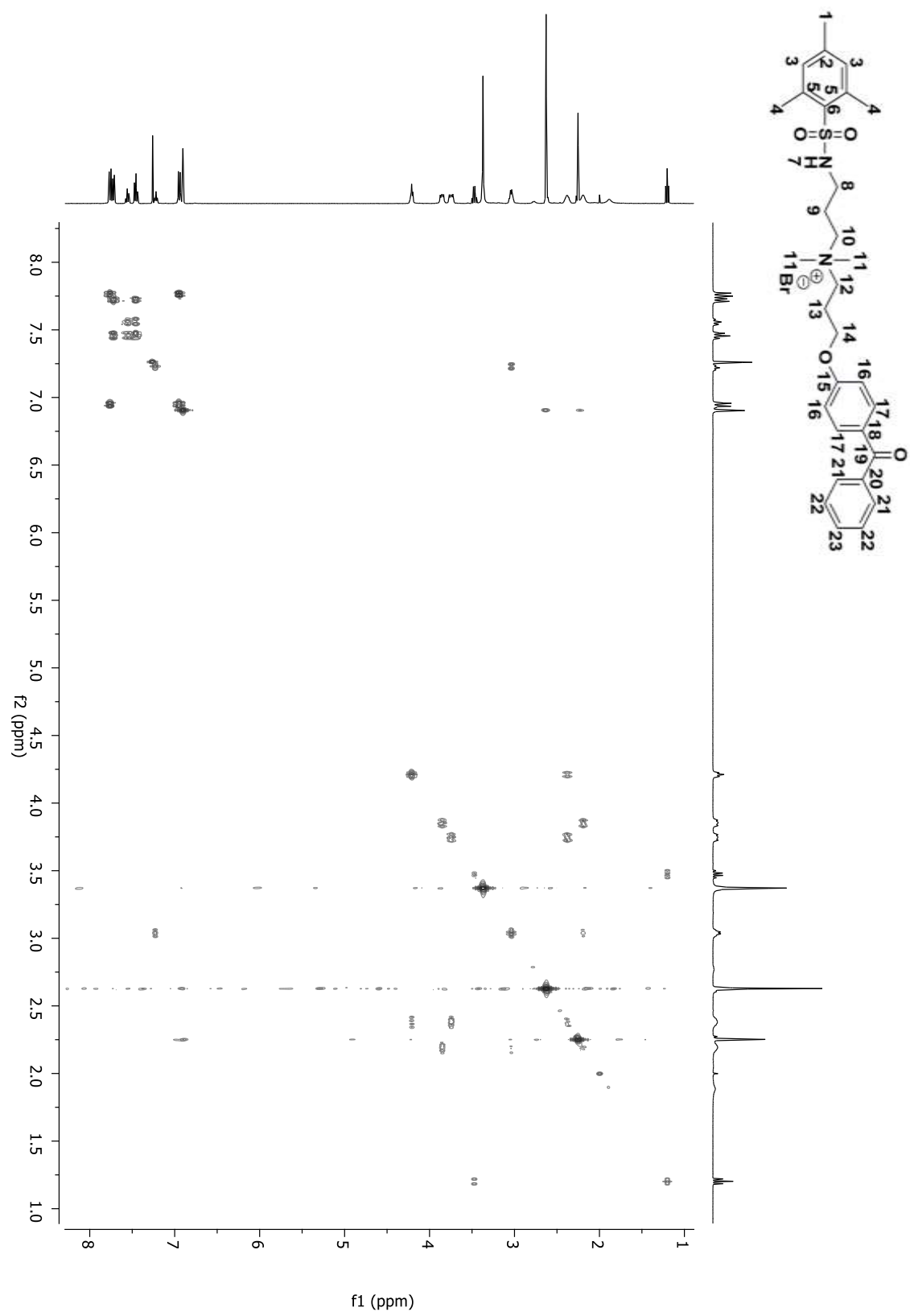


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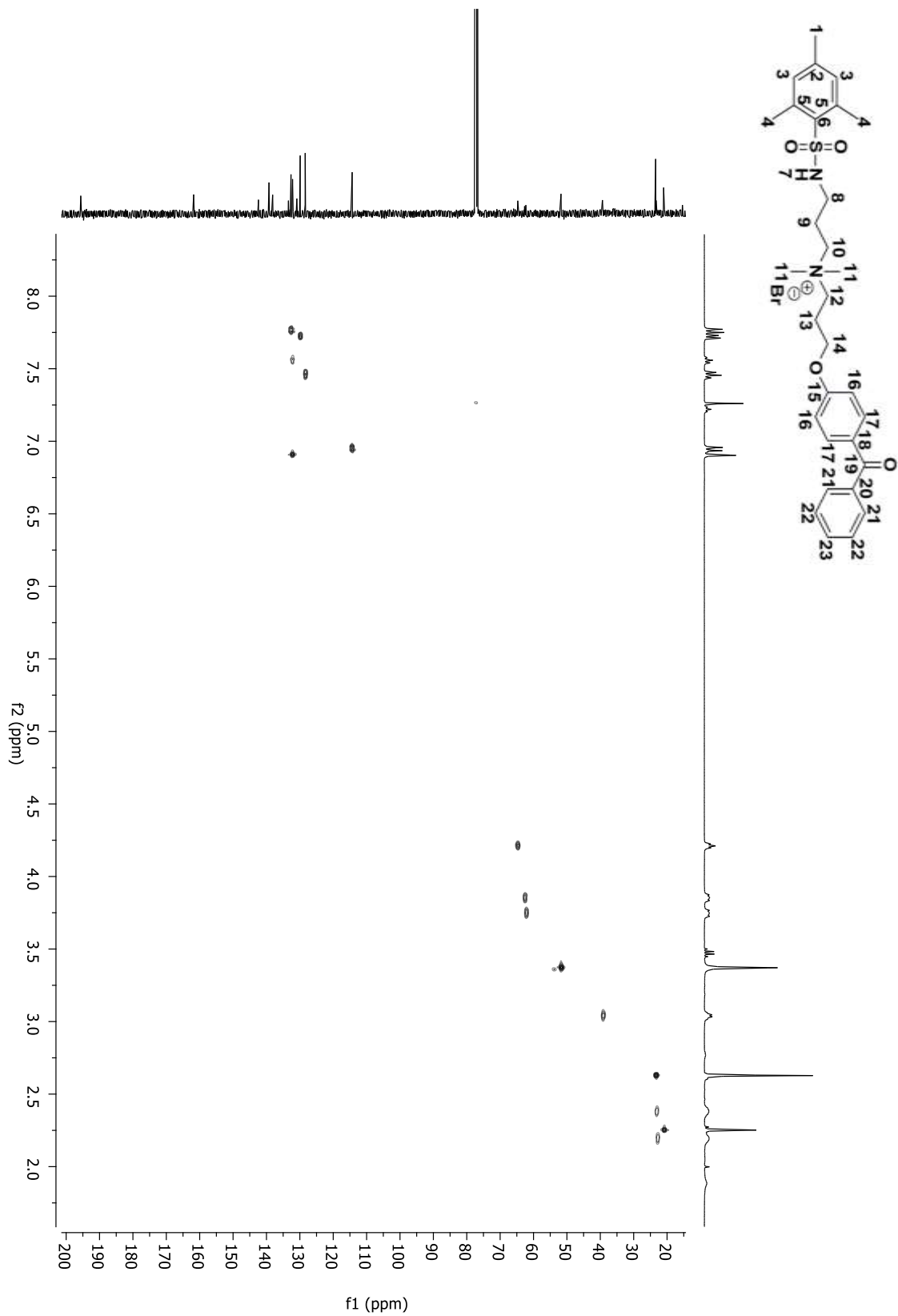


Figure A136: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **3J** in CDCl_3 .

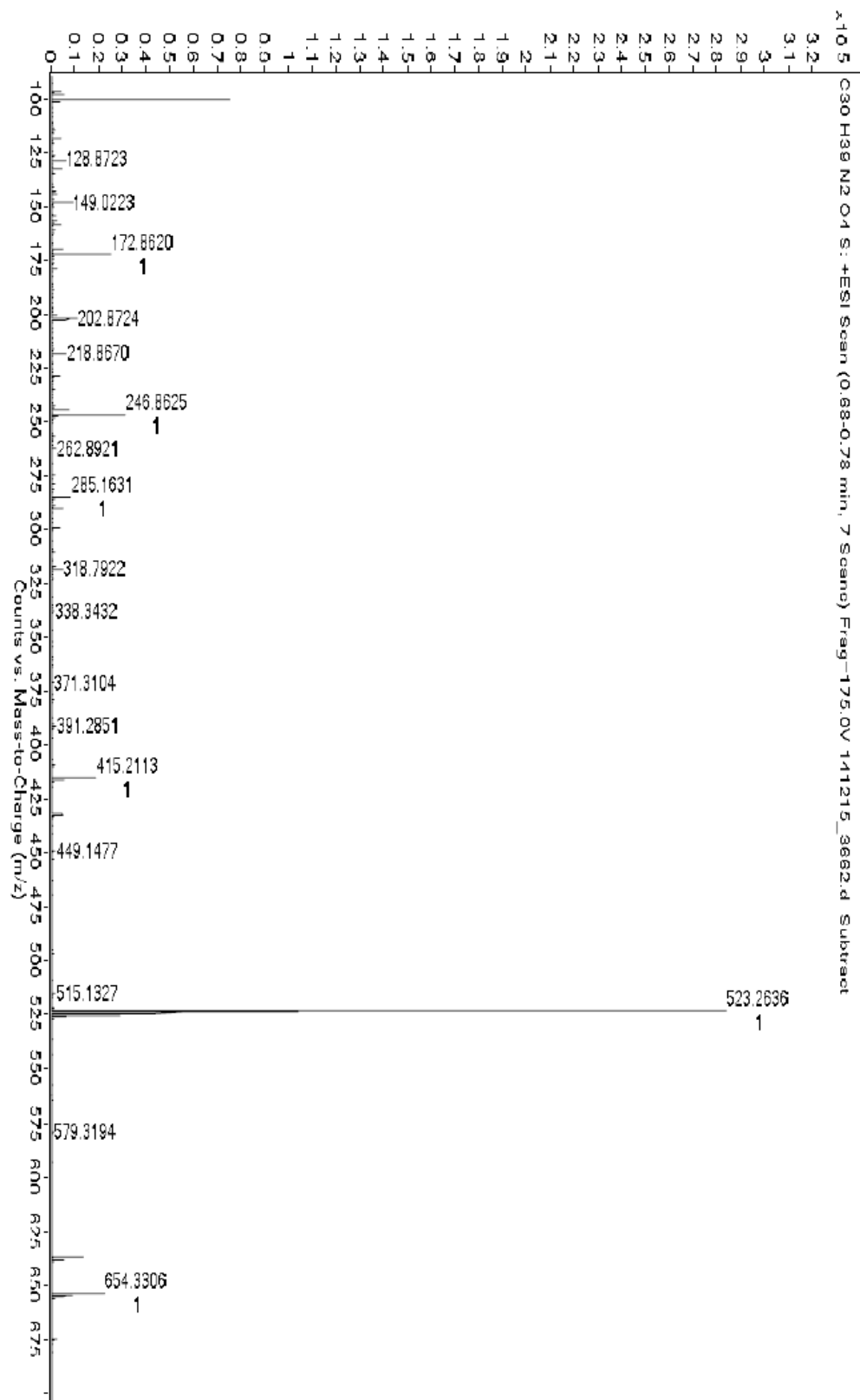


Figure A137: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **3J**.

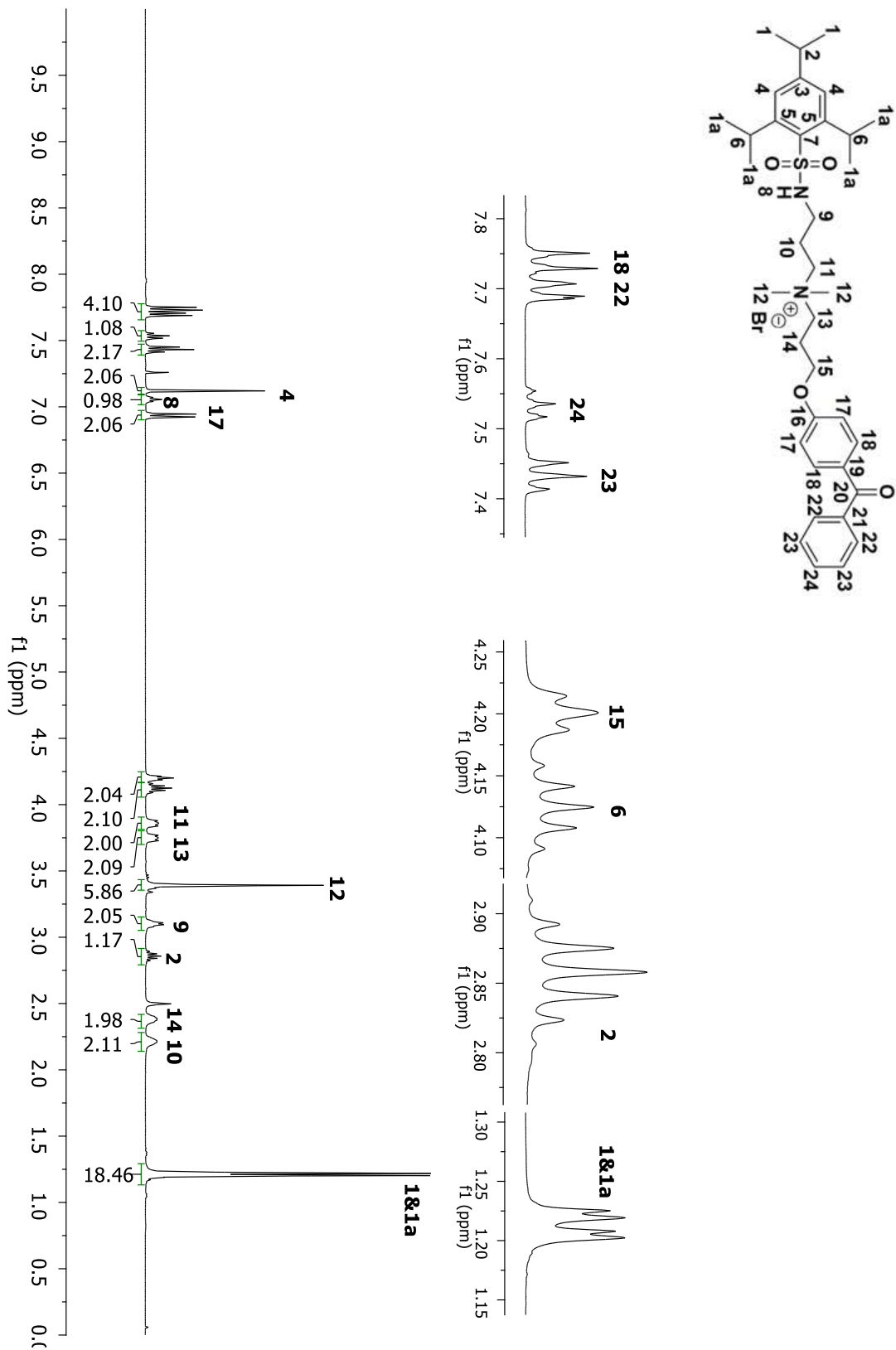


Figure A138: ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **4J** in CDCl₃.

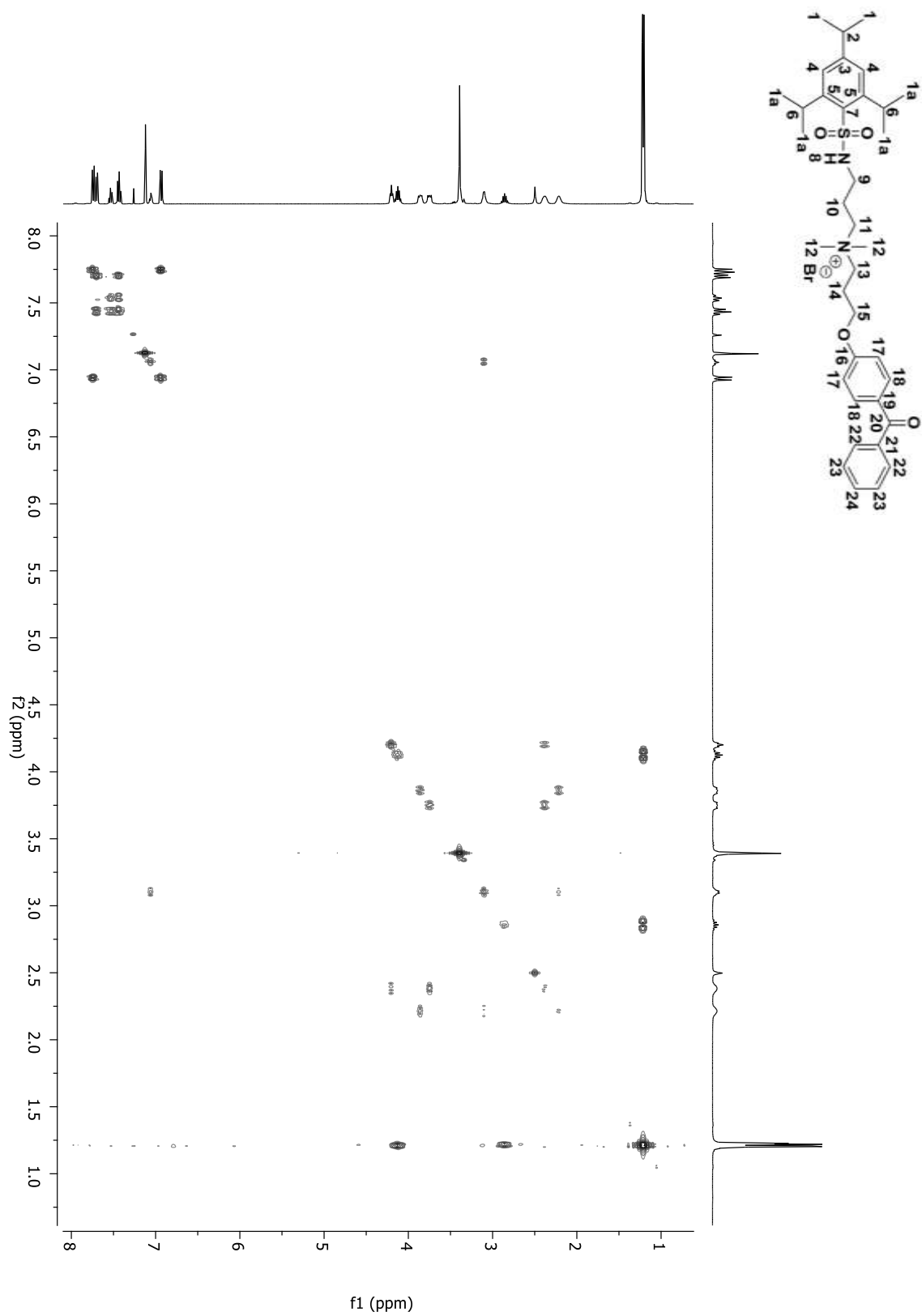


Figure A140: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **4J** in CDCl₃.

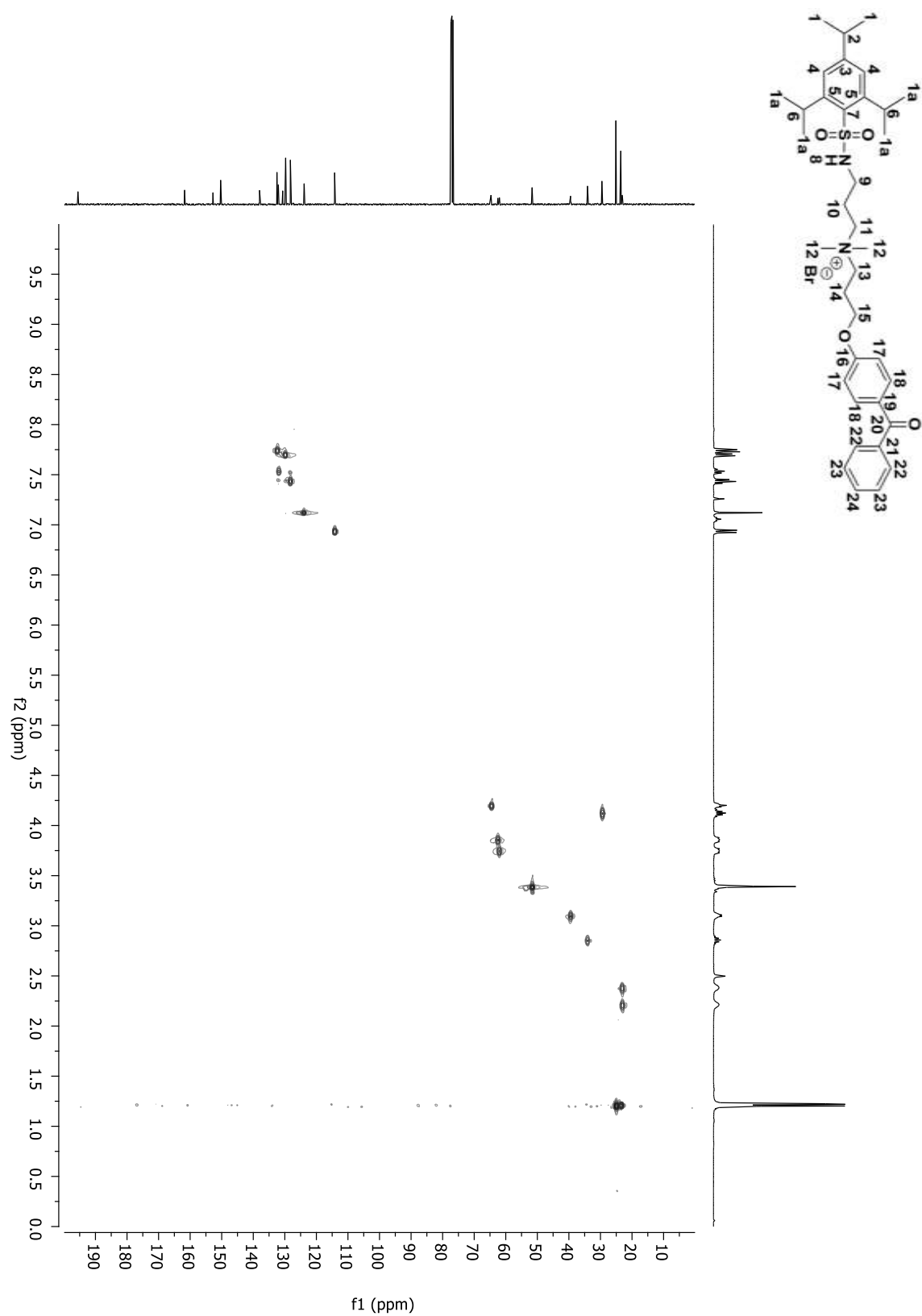


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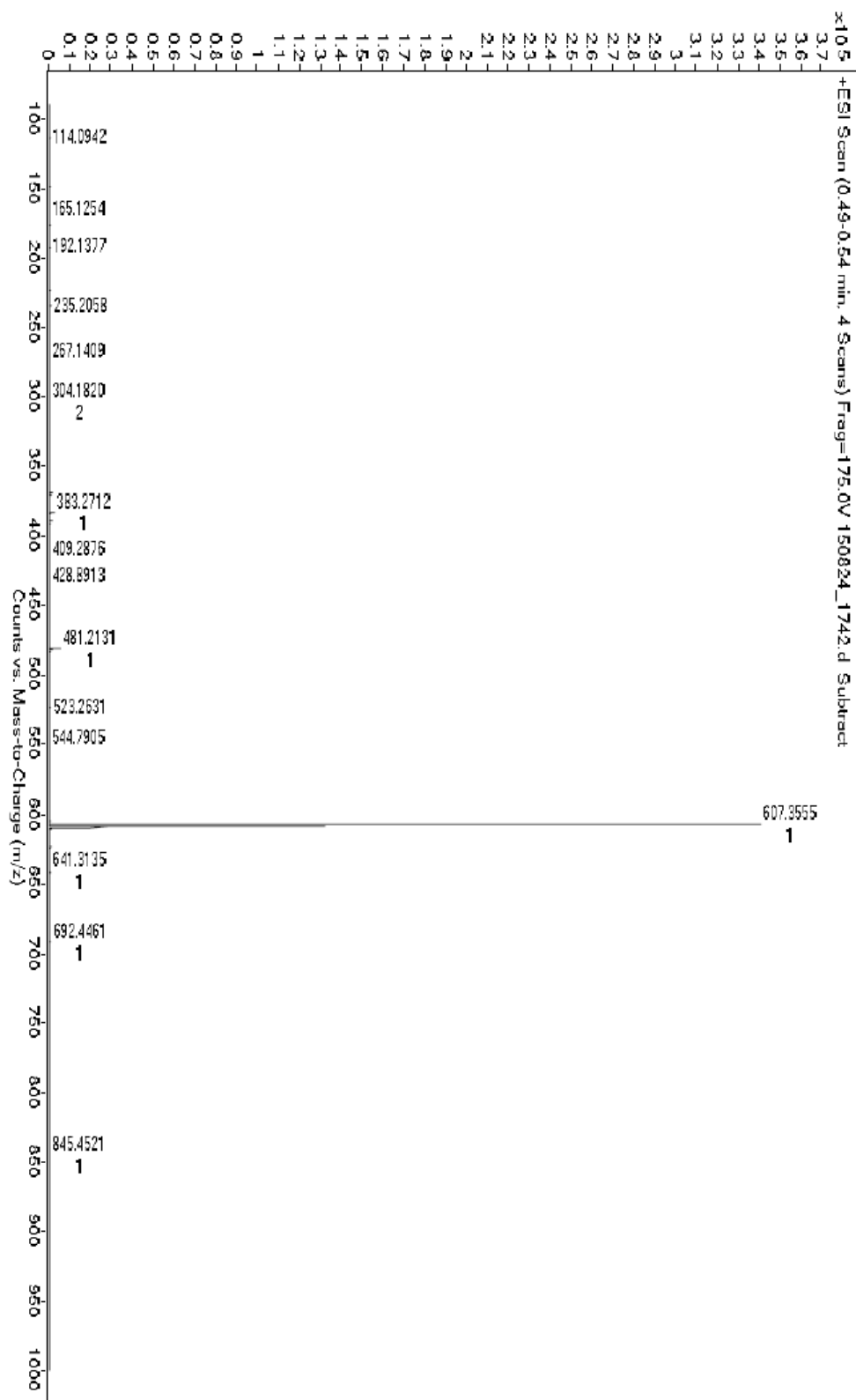


Figure A142: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **4J**.

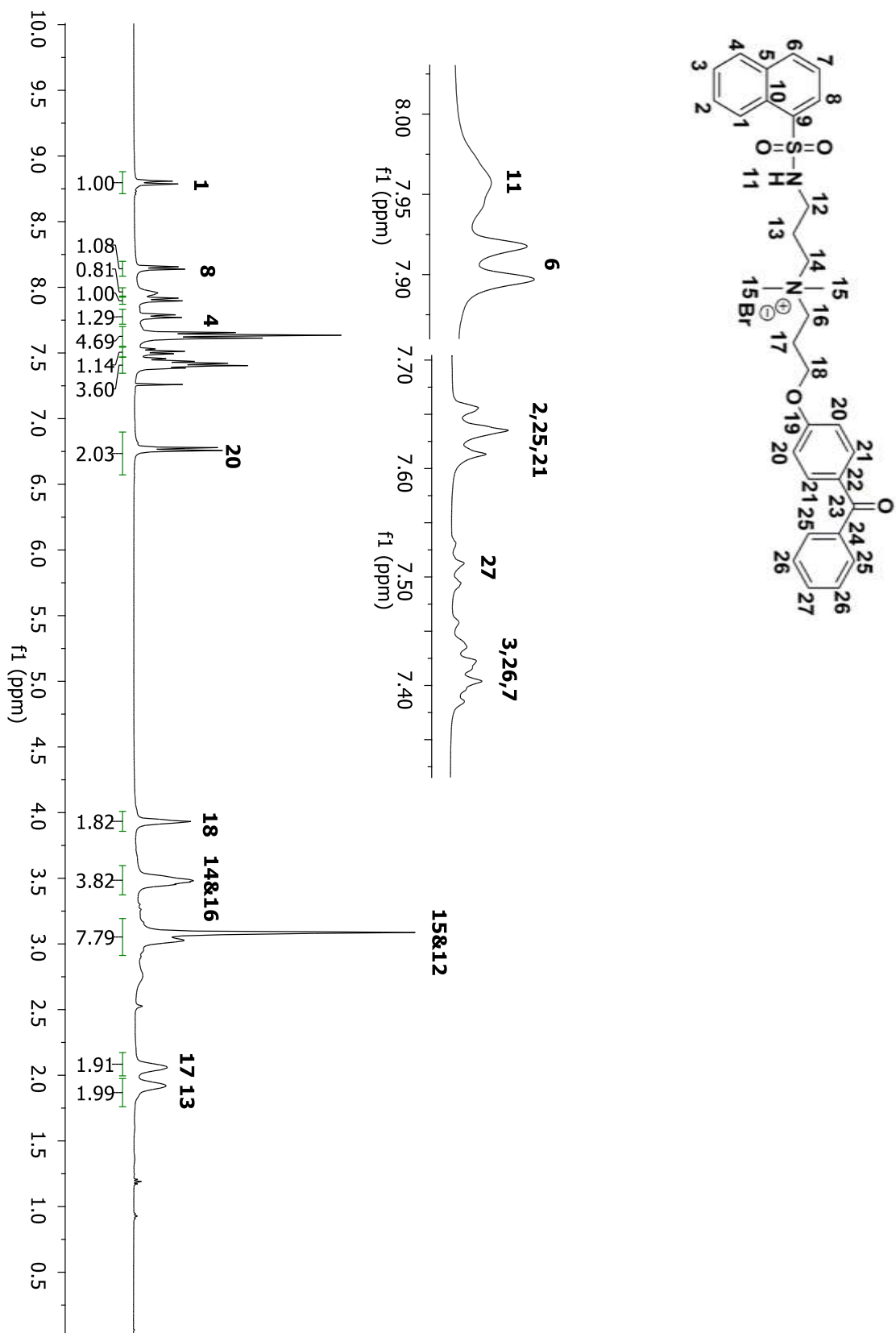


Figure A143: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **5J** in CDCl_3 .

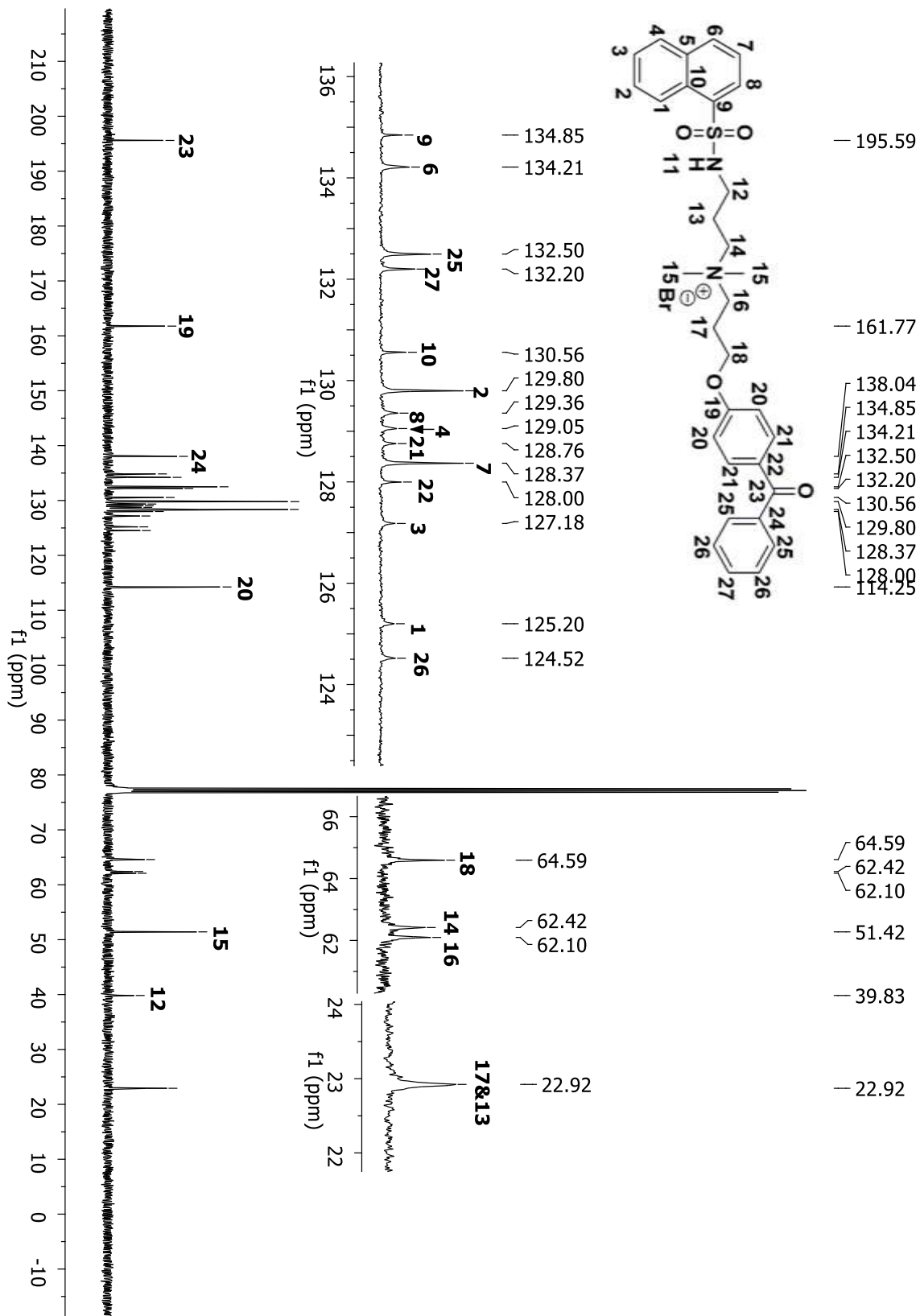


Figure A144: ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **5J** in CDCl_3 .

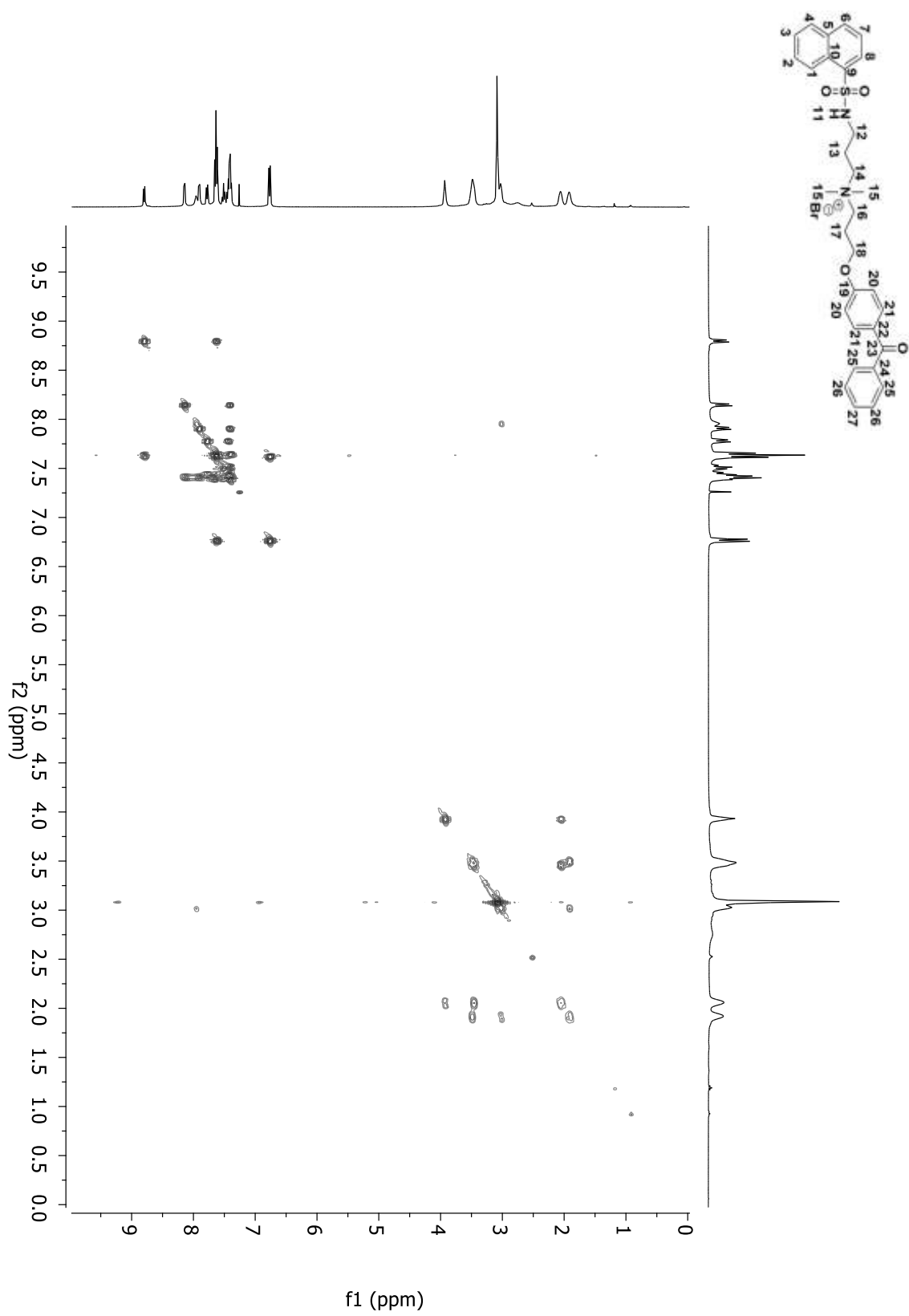


Figure A145: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **5J** in CDCl₃.

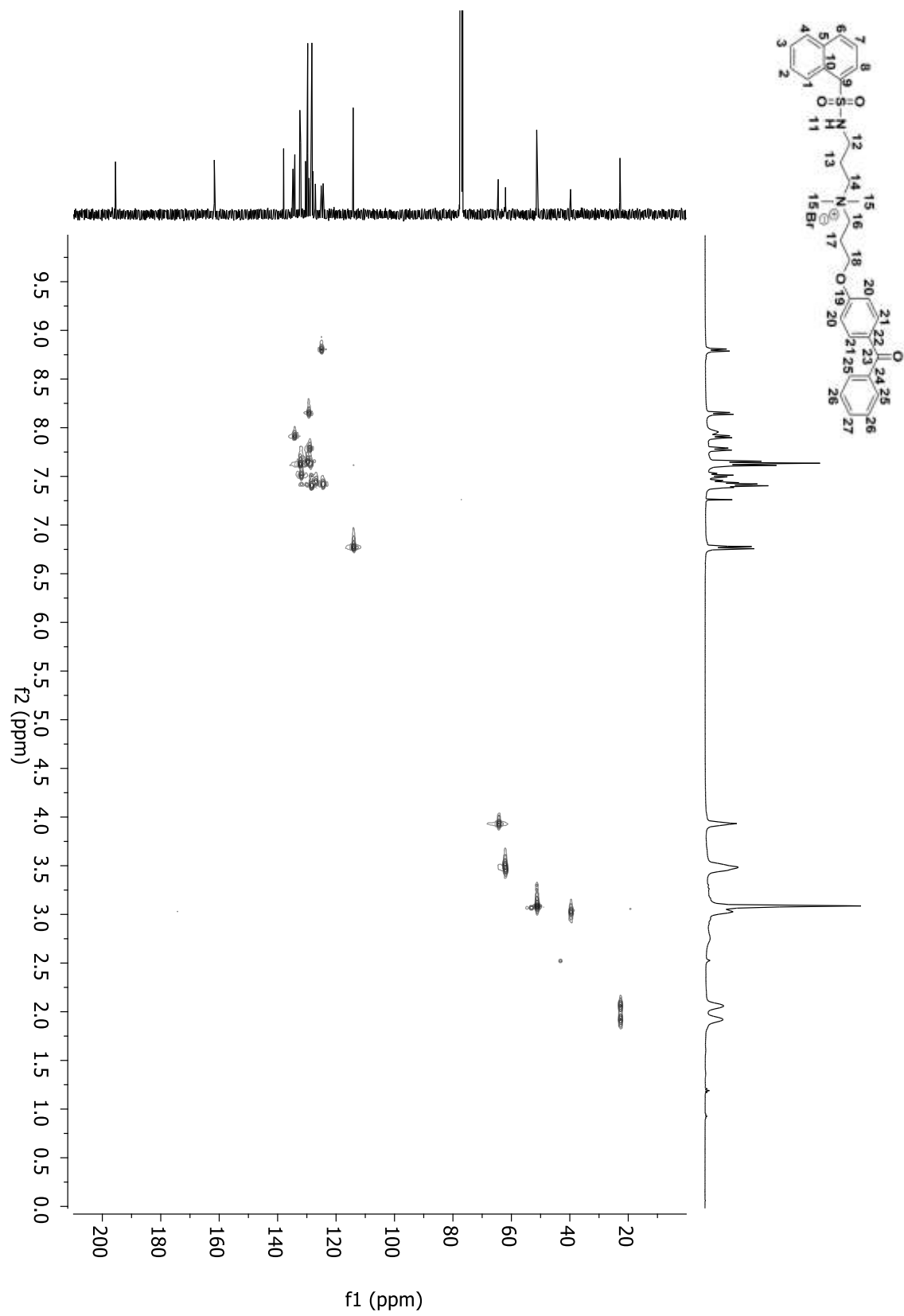


Figure A146: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **5J** in CDCl₃.

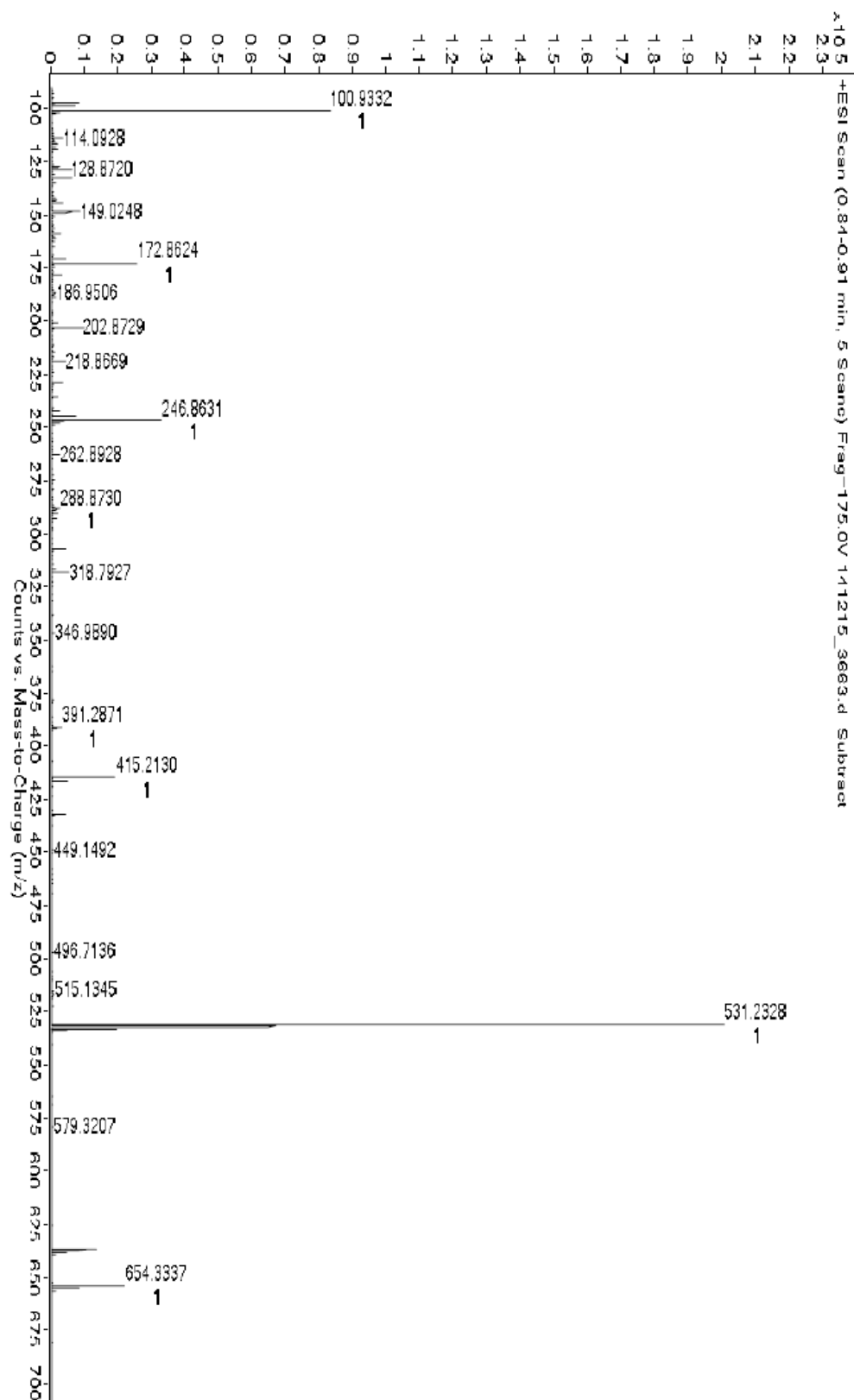


Figure A147: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **5J**.

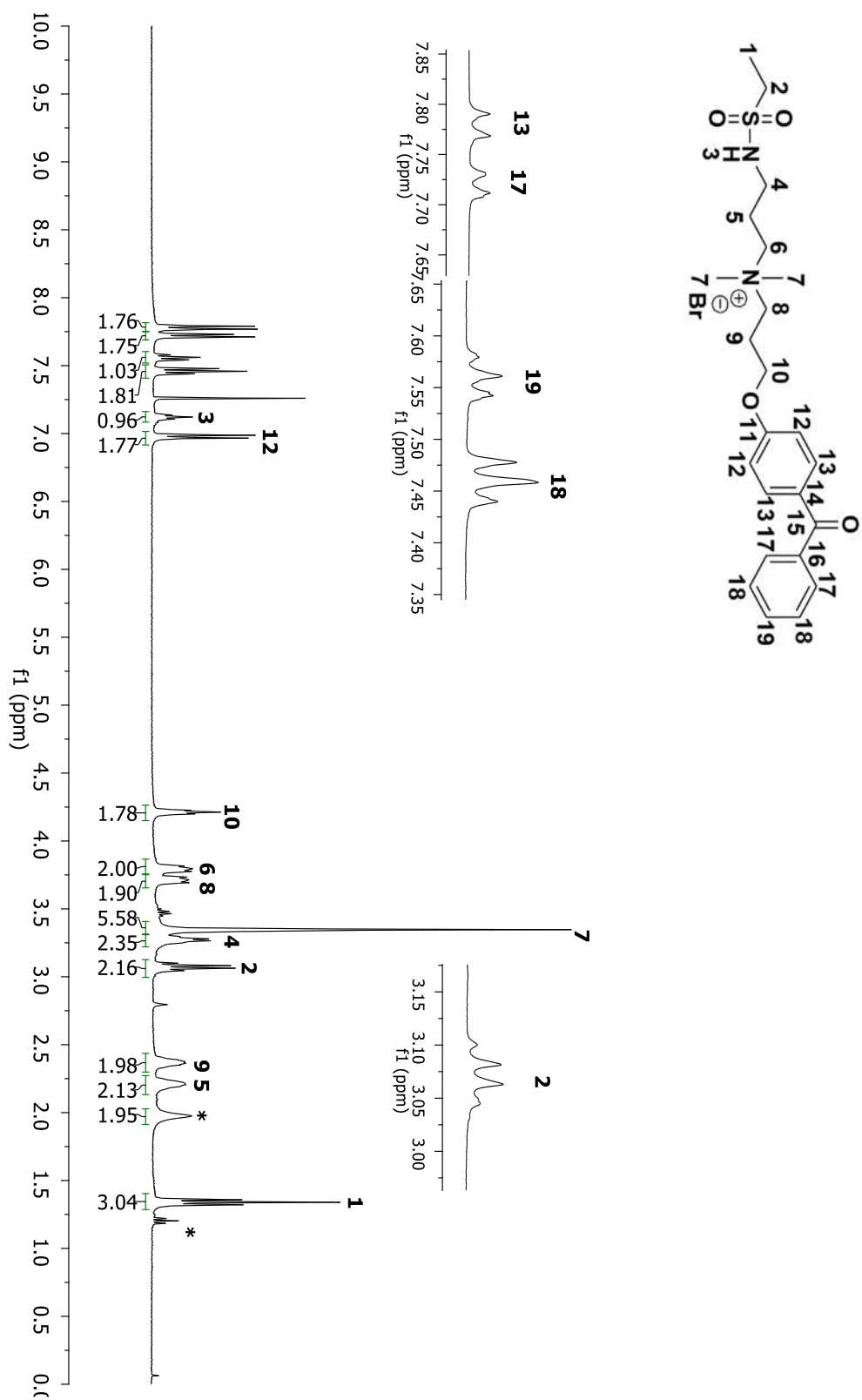


Figure A148: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **7J** in CDCl₃.

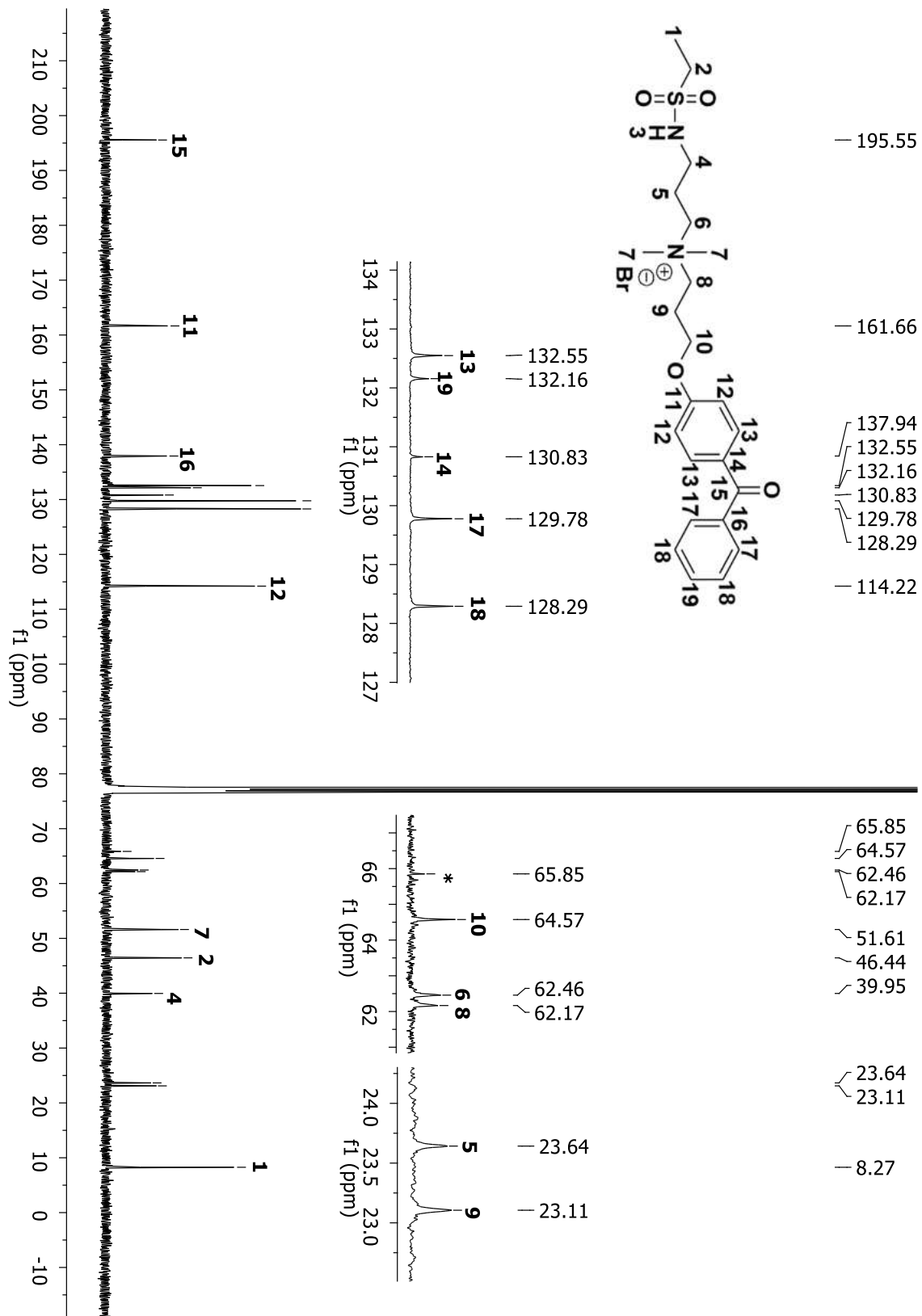


Figure A149: ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound **7J** in CDCl₃.

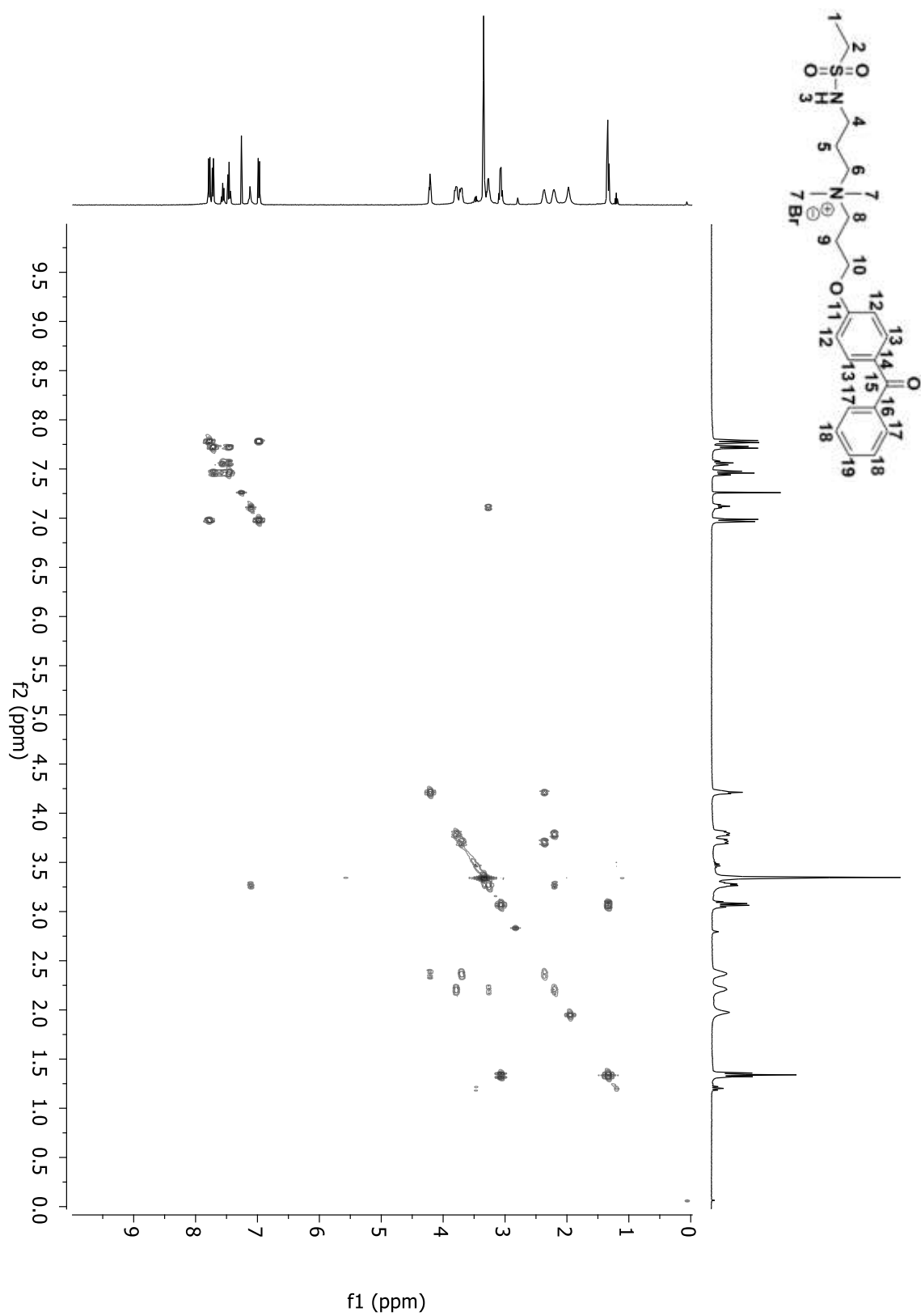


Figure A150: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **7J** in CDCl₃.

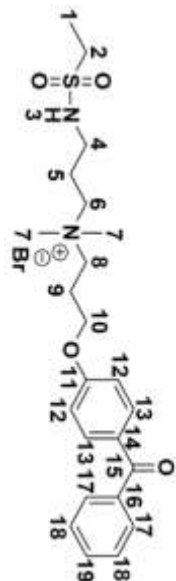


Figure A151: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **7J** in CDCl₃.

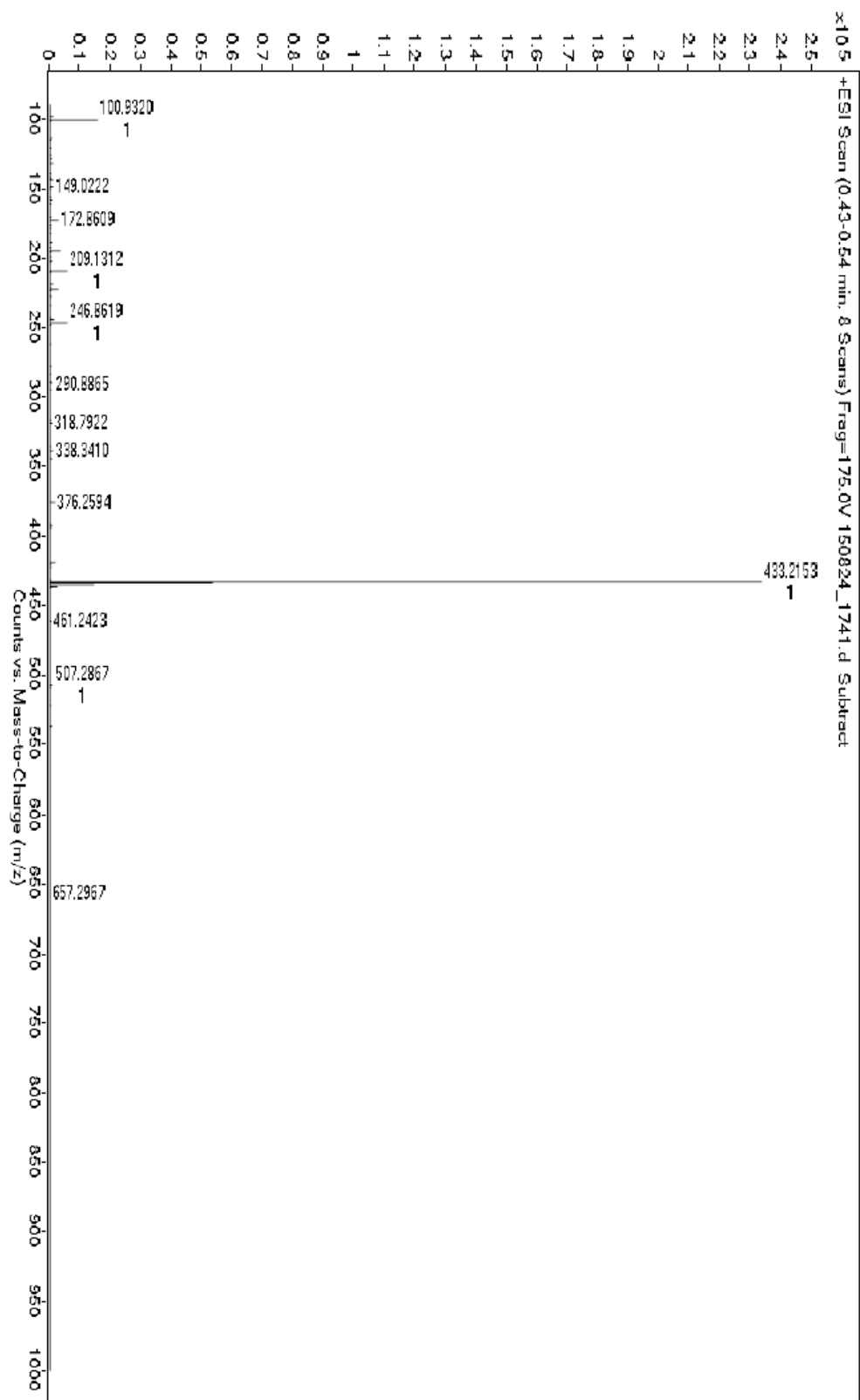


Figure A152: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **7J**.

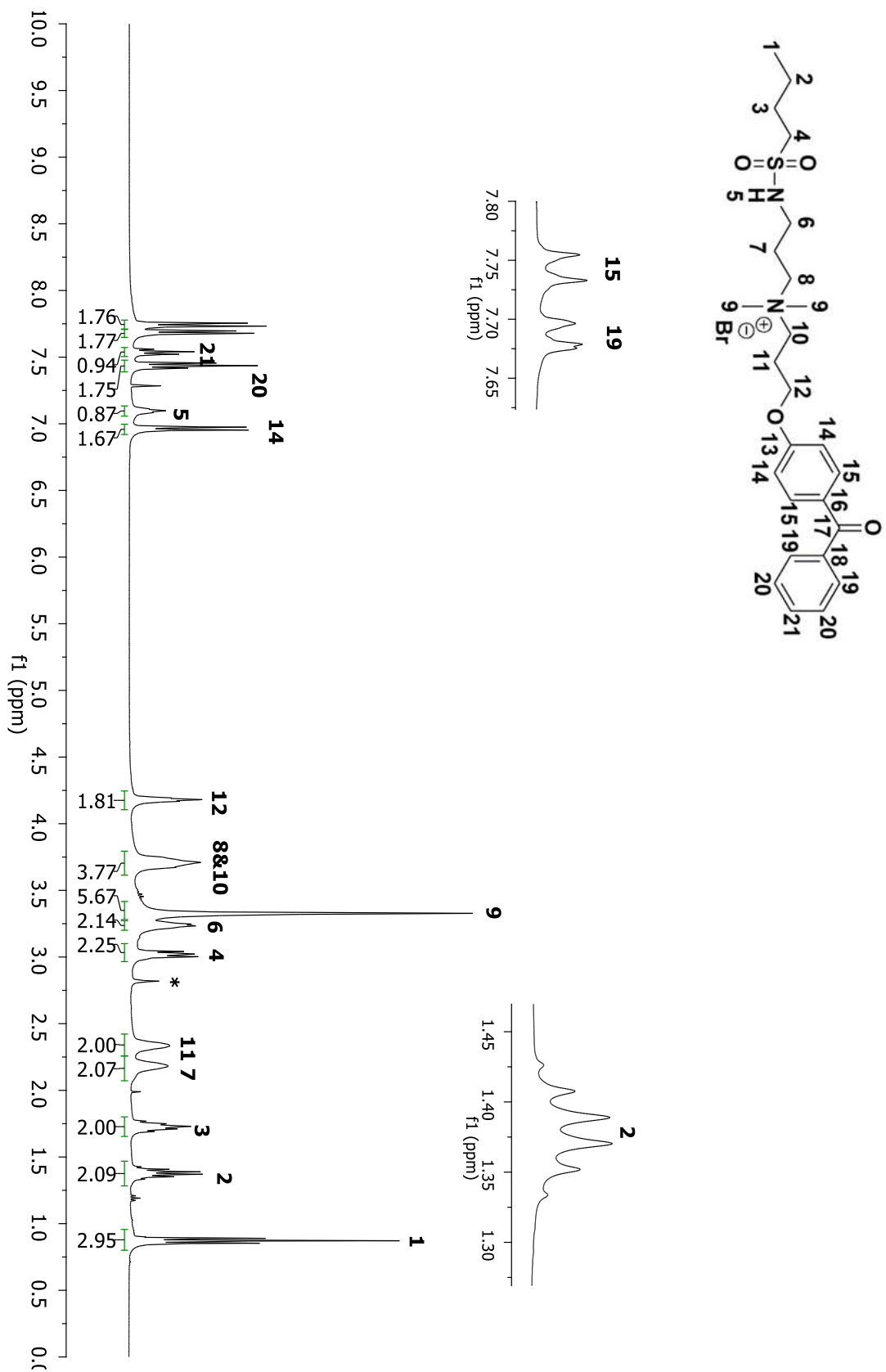


Figure A153: ¹H NMR spectrum of compound **8J** in CDCl₃.

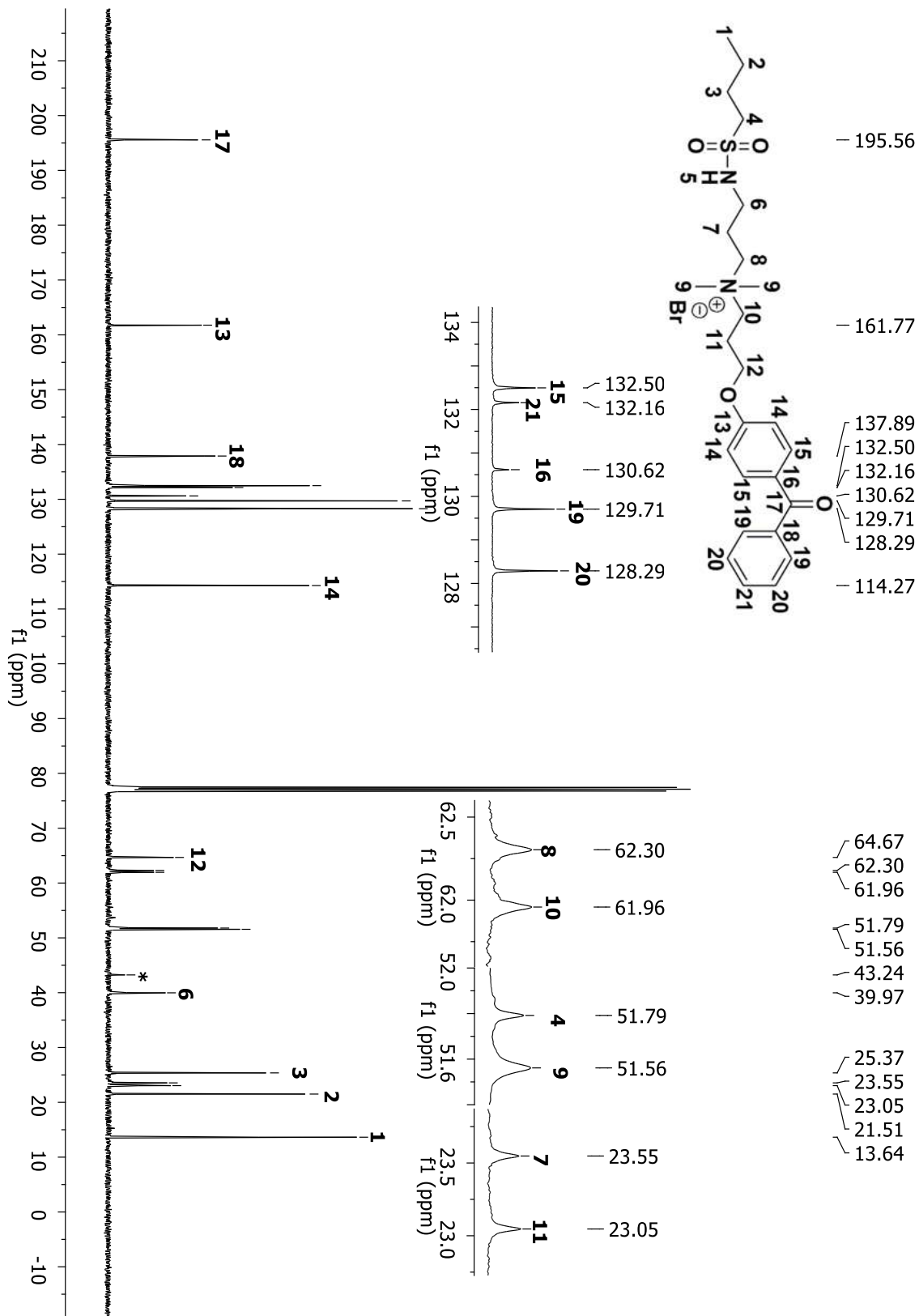


Figure A154: ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **8J** in CDCl₃.

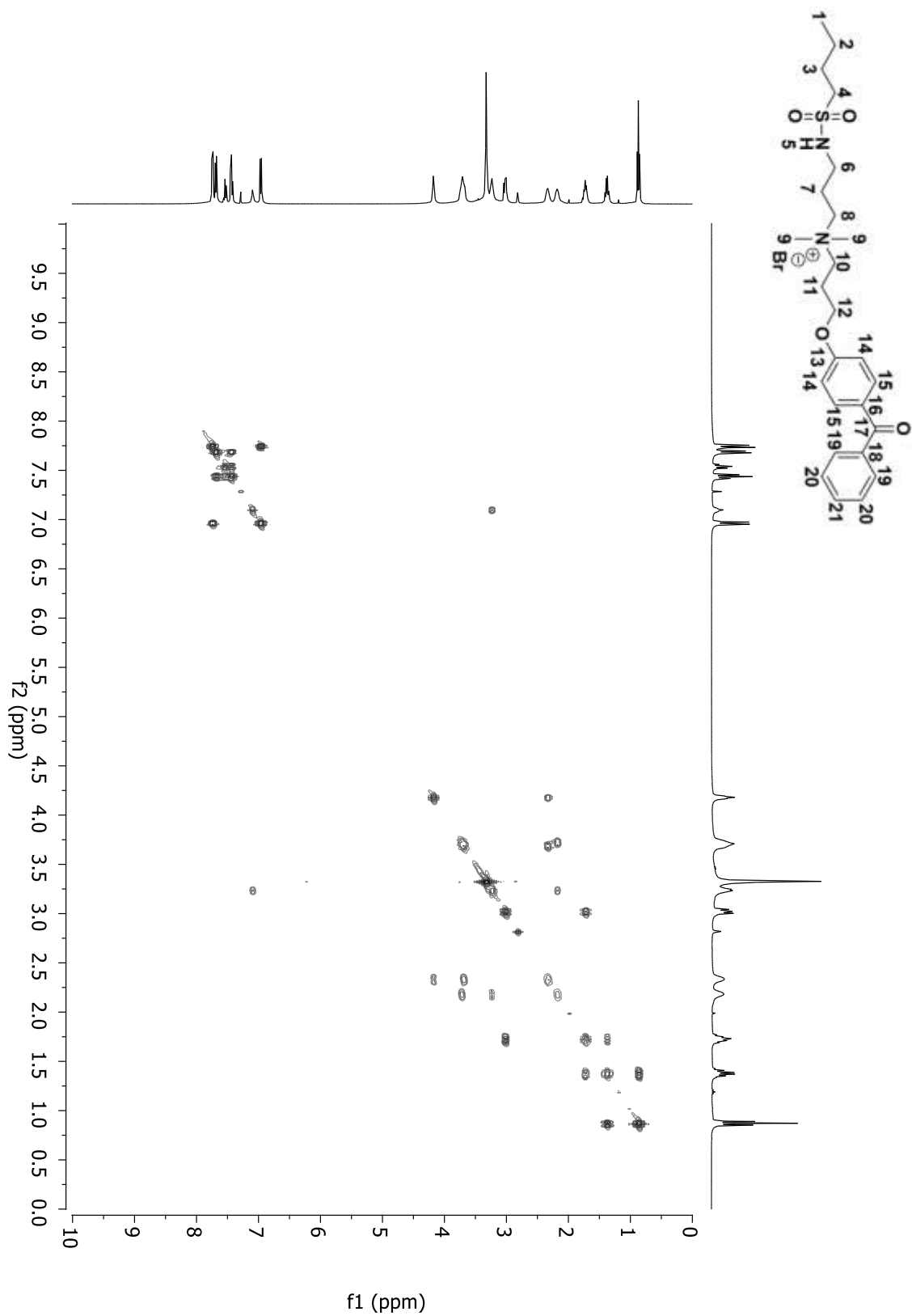


Figure A155: 2D COSY spectrum of compound **8J** in CDCl₃.

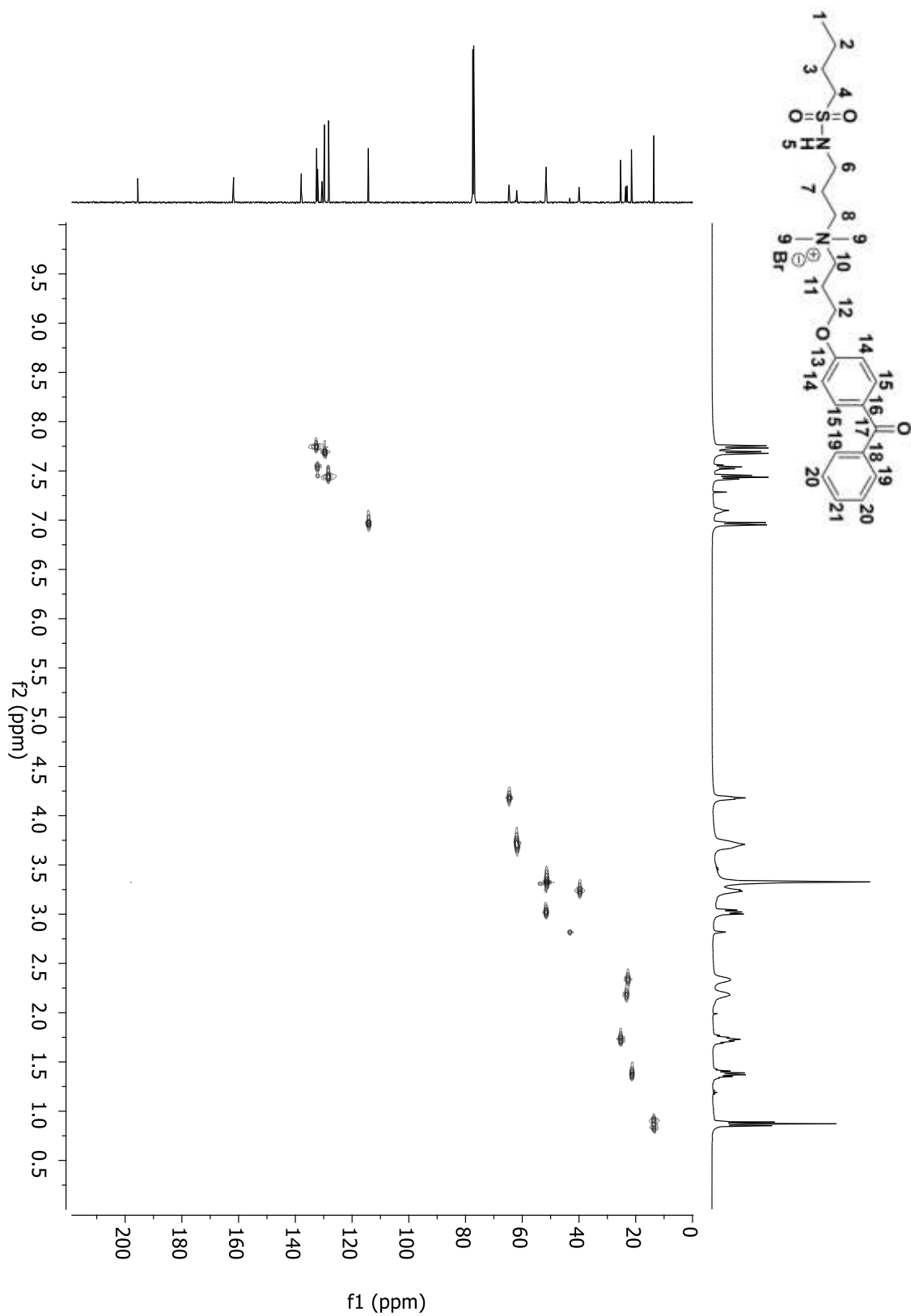


Figure A156: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **8J** in CDCl_3 .

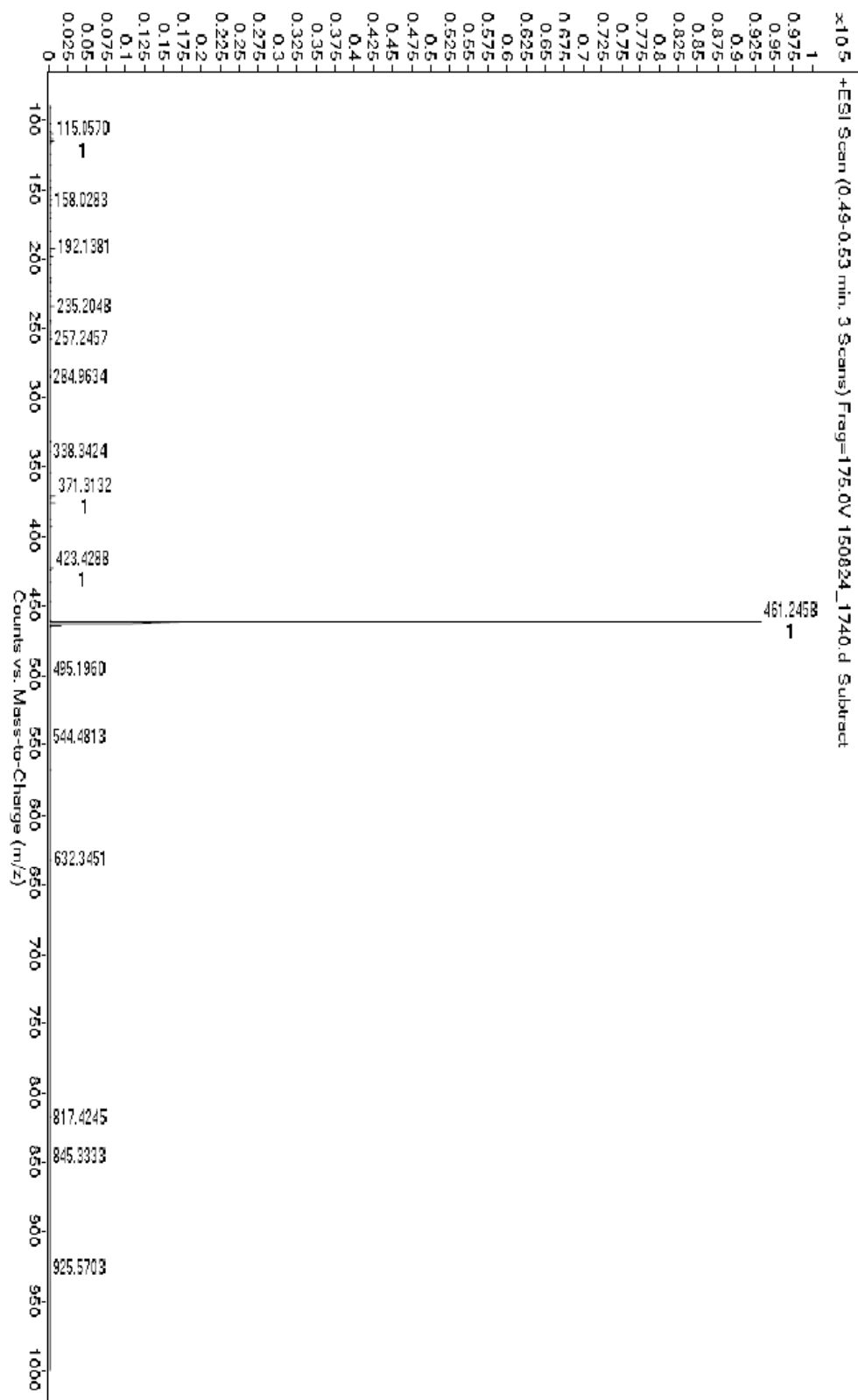


Figure A157: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **8J**.

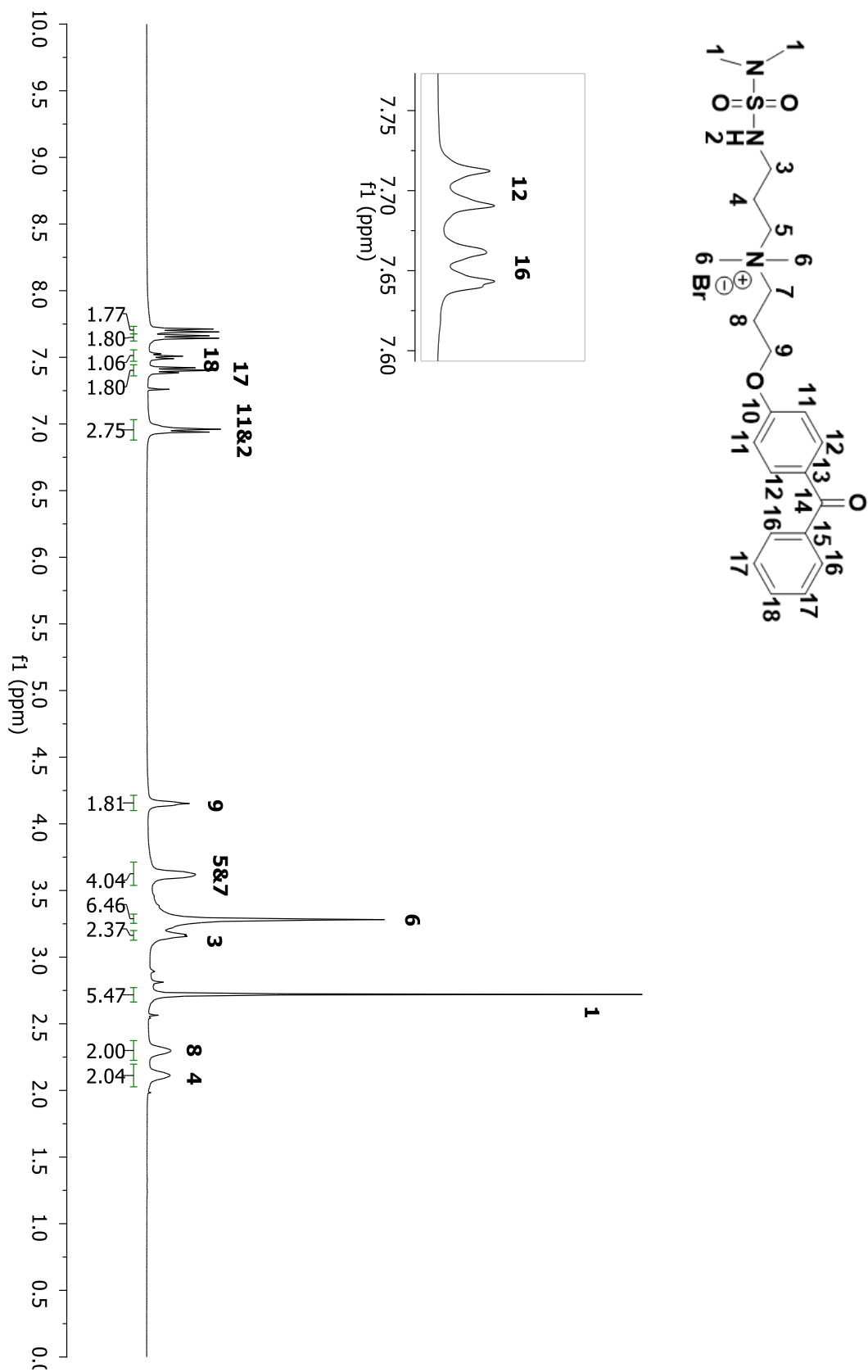


Figure A158: ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **9J** in CDCl_3 .

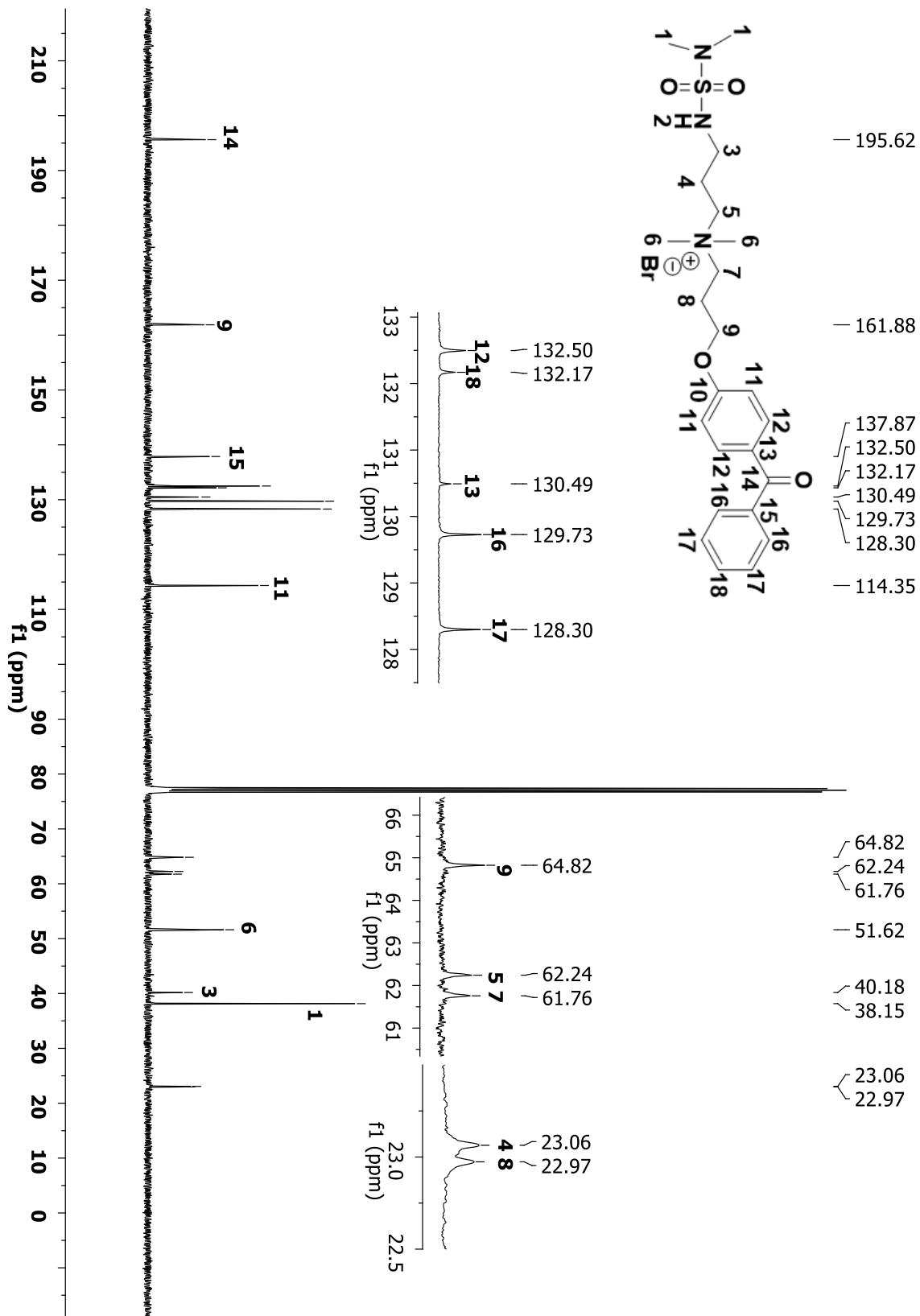


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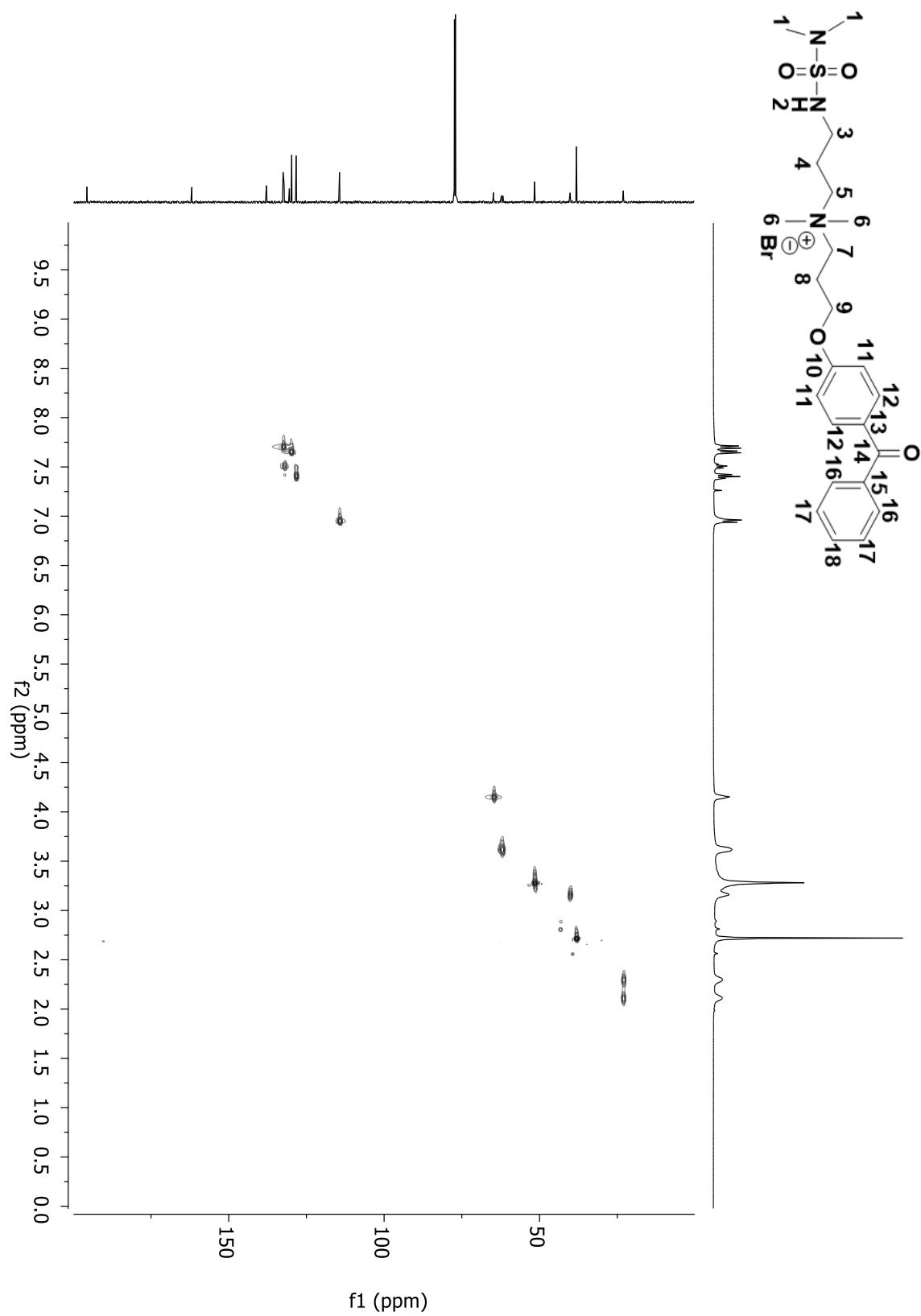


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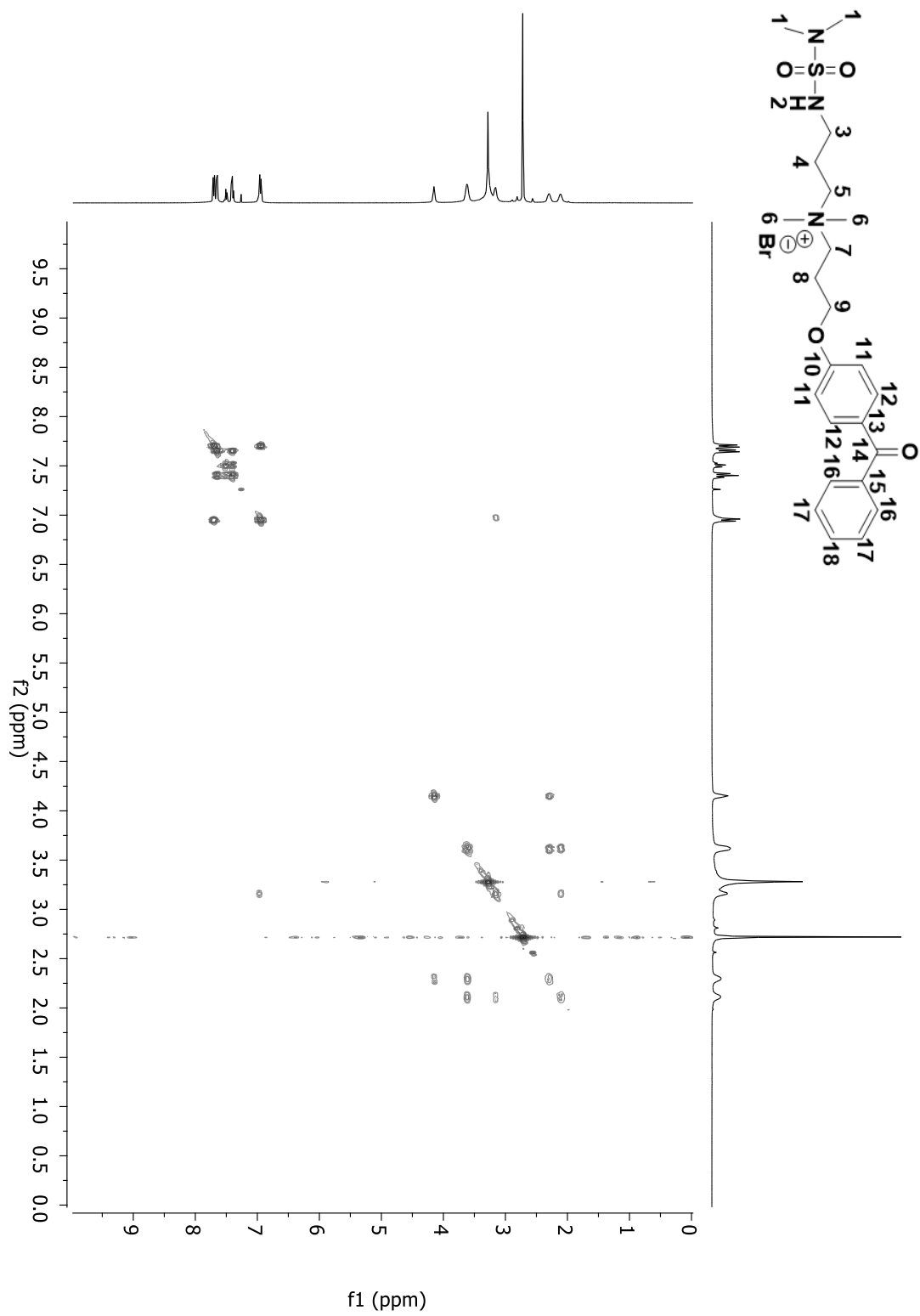


Figure A161: 2D HSQC spectrum of compound **9J** in CDCl₃.

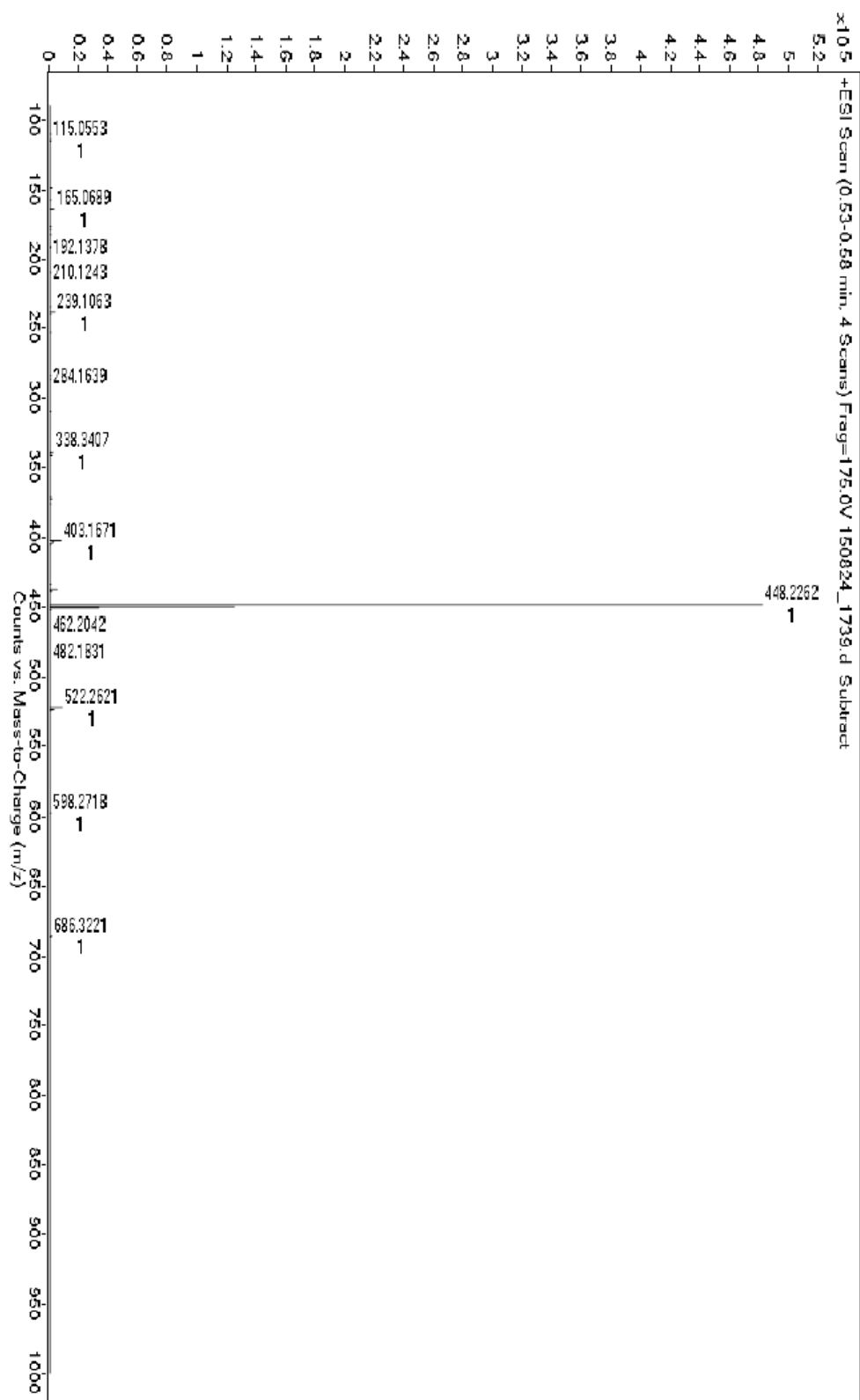


Figure A162: HRMS-ESI-TOF of compound **9J**.

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