

Chemistry 30B Discussion - Week 3: Structure Determination - DCF

There are 10 problems in this problem set. You will be provided with a chemical formula, mass spectrum, IR spectrum, ^1H NMR spectrum, & a ^{13}C NMR spectrum. Use this information to determine the structure of the unknown compounds.

In addition to determining the structure you will need to explain the following experimental data by doing the following.

First, you need to indicate the number of degrees of unsaturation of the system. As a reminder, the equation is given:

$$\text{Degree of Unsaturation} = [2 + (2 \times \text{\#Carbons}) + \text{\#Nitrogens} - \text{\#Hydrogens} - \text{\#Halogens}]/2$$

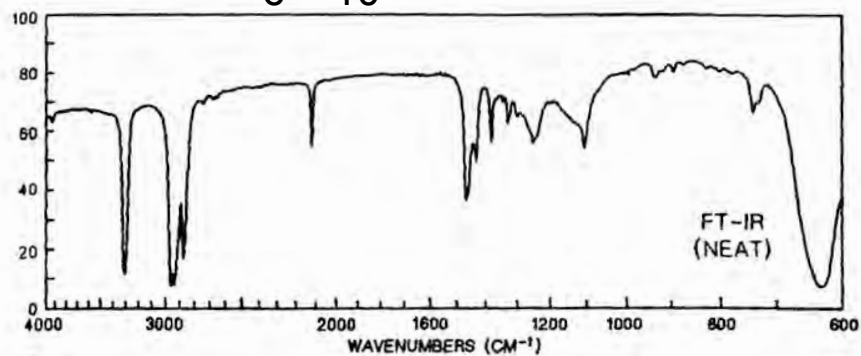
(note: I did not forget oxygen, it isn't part of the equation)

In the mass spectra you need to identify the key molecular fragments and their corresponding molecular structure, not that signals in mass spectrometry come only from charged species.

Indicate the species involved and type of vibration for the important signals in the IR spectra.

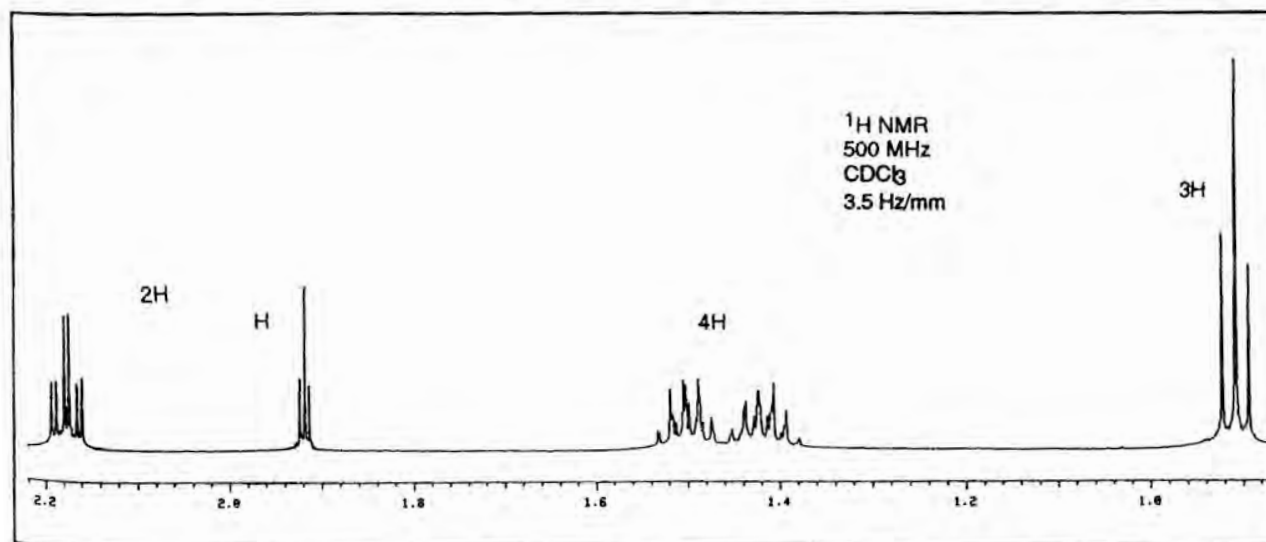
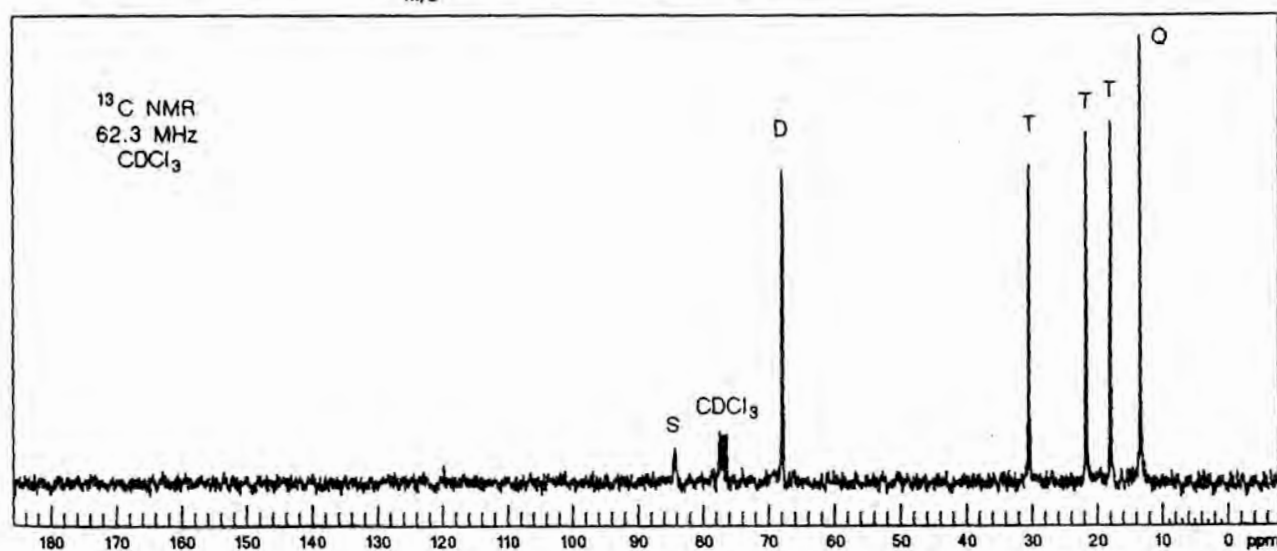
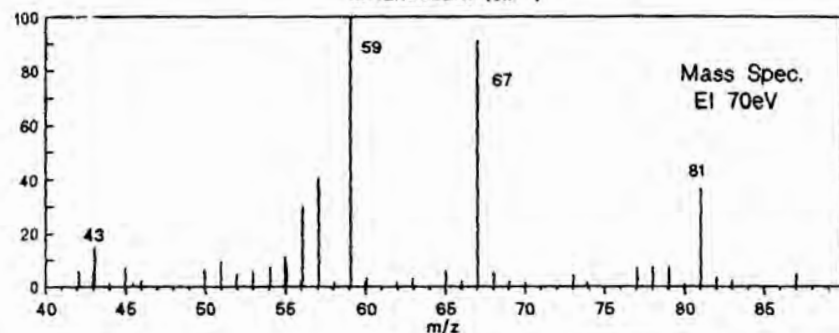
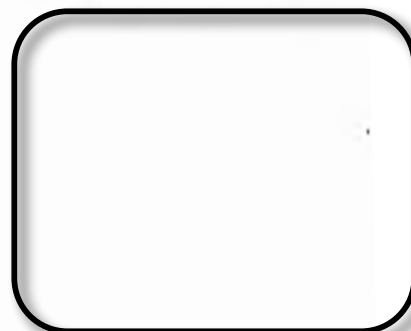
Finally, assign the ^1H & ^{13}C NMR signals for each compound. Indicate, if not already done, if the signal is a singlet (s), doublet (d), triplet (t), or multiplet (m).

#1 - C₆H₁₀

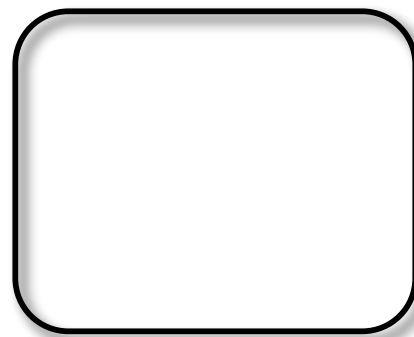
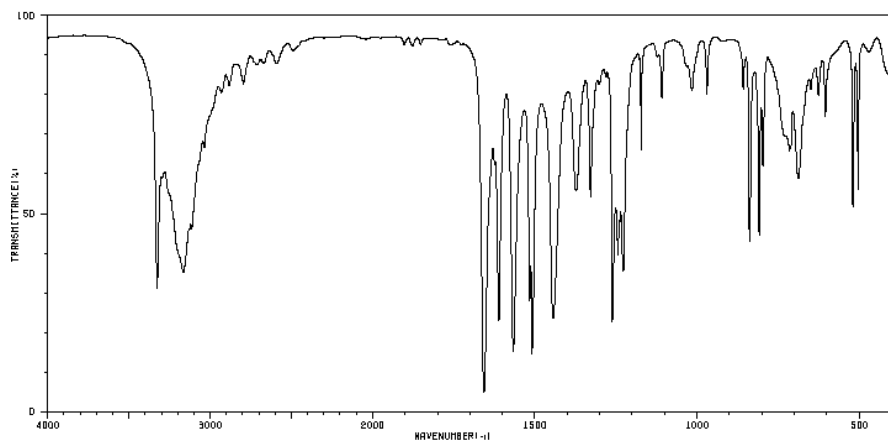


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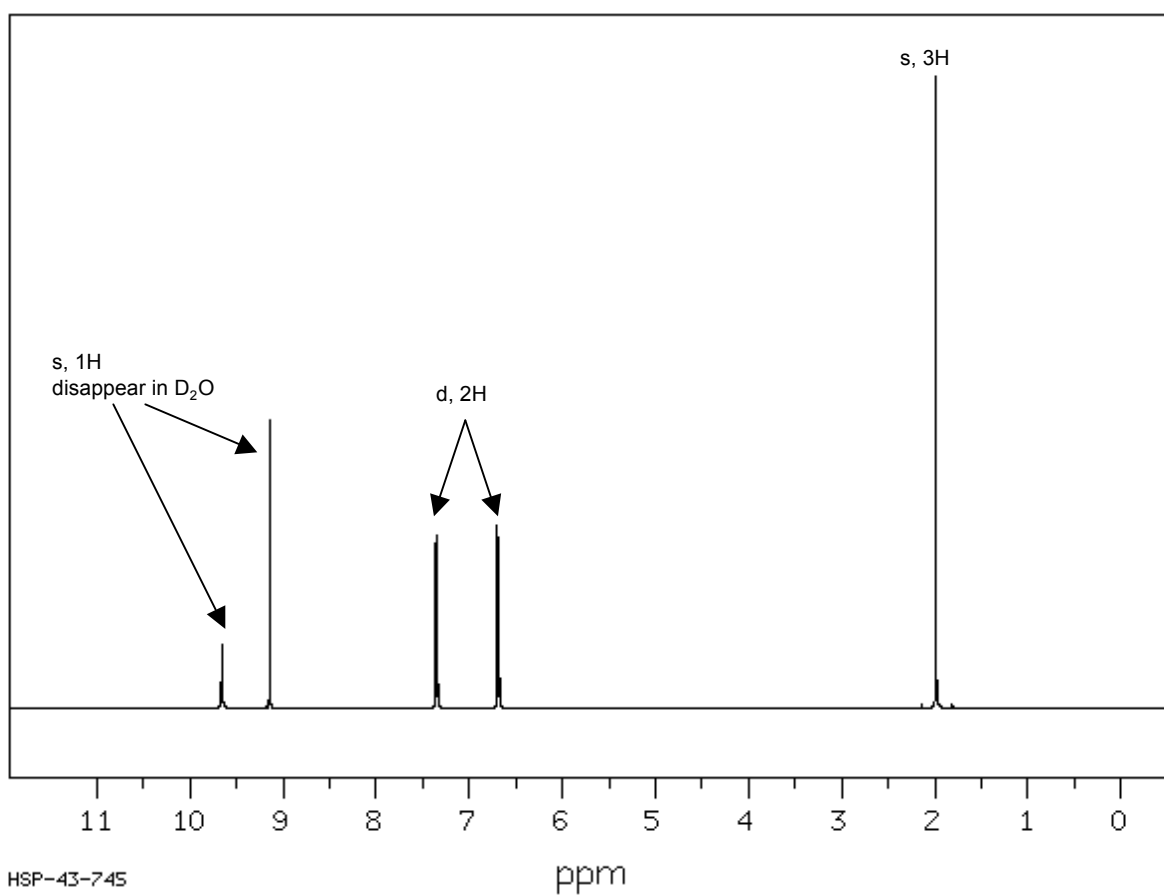
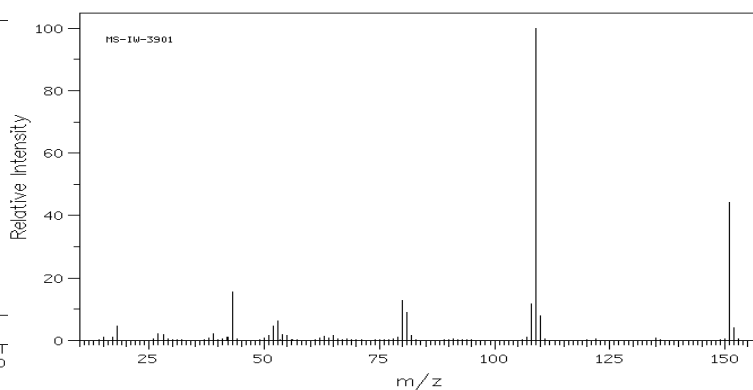
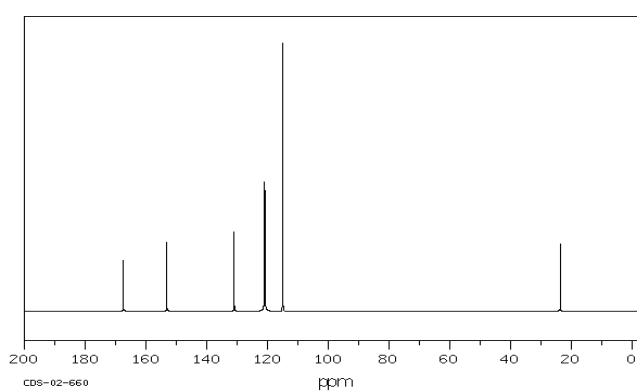
UVλ_{max} = 220 (ε = 1,200)



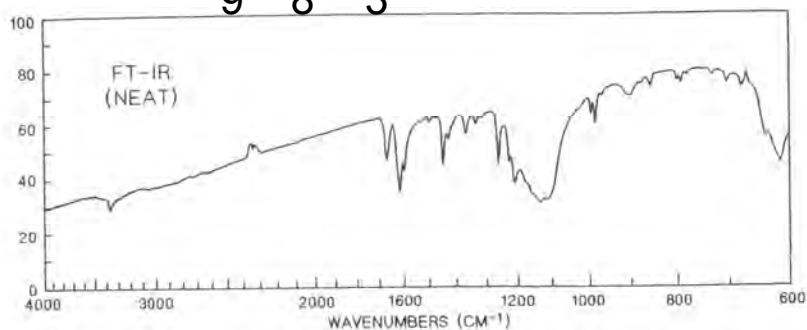
#2 - C₈H₉NO₂



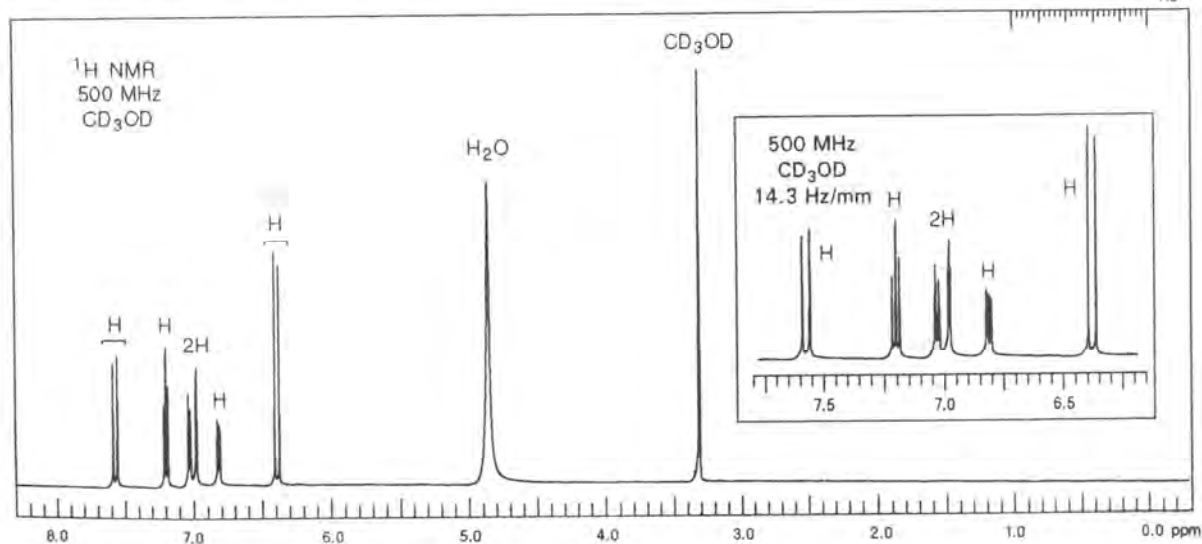
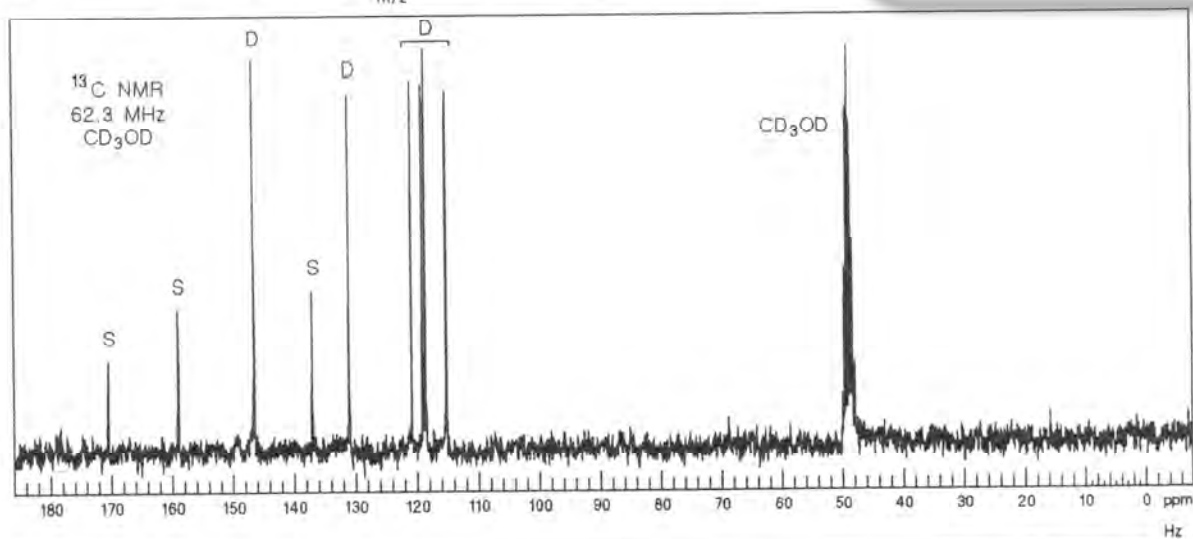
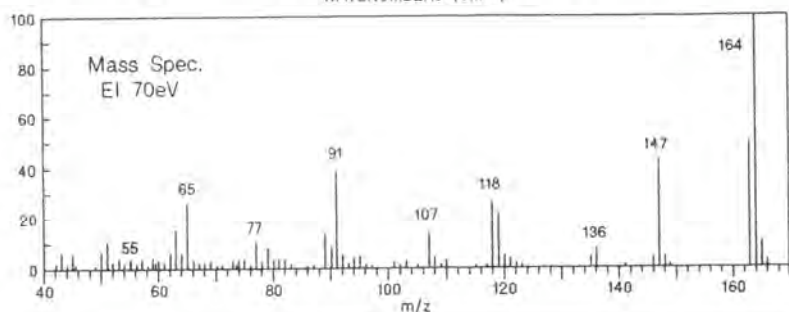
What is the common name of this compound?



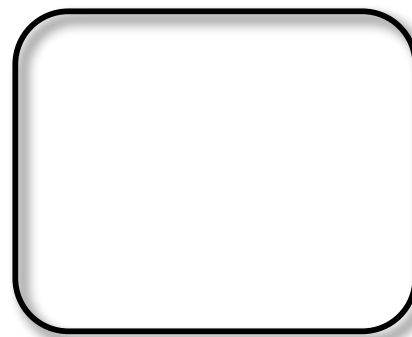
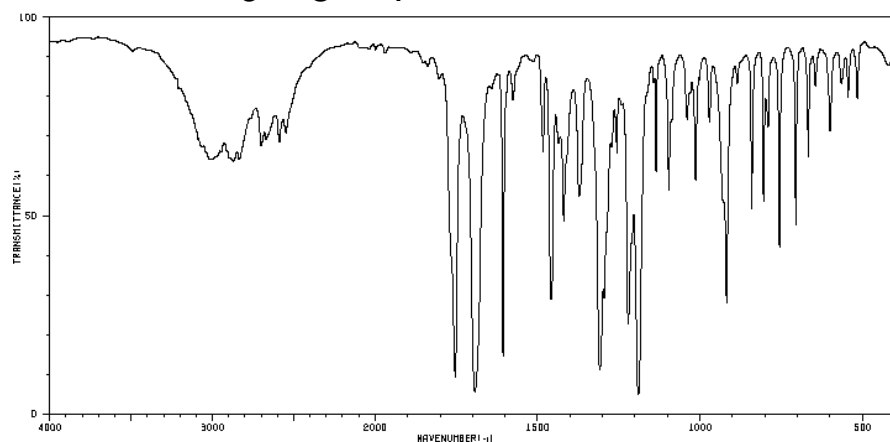
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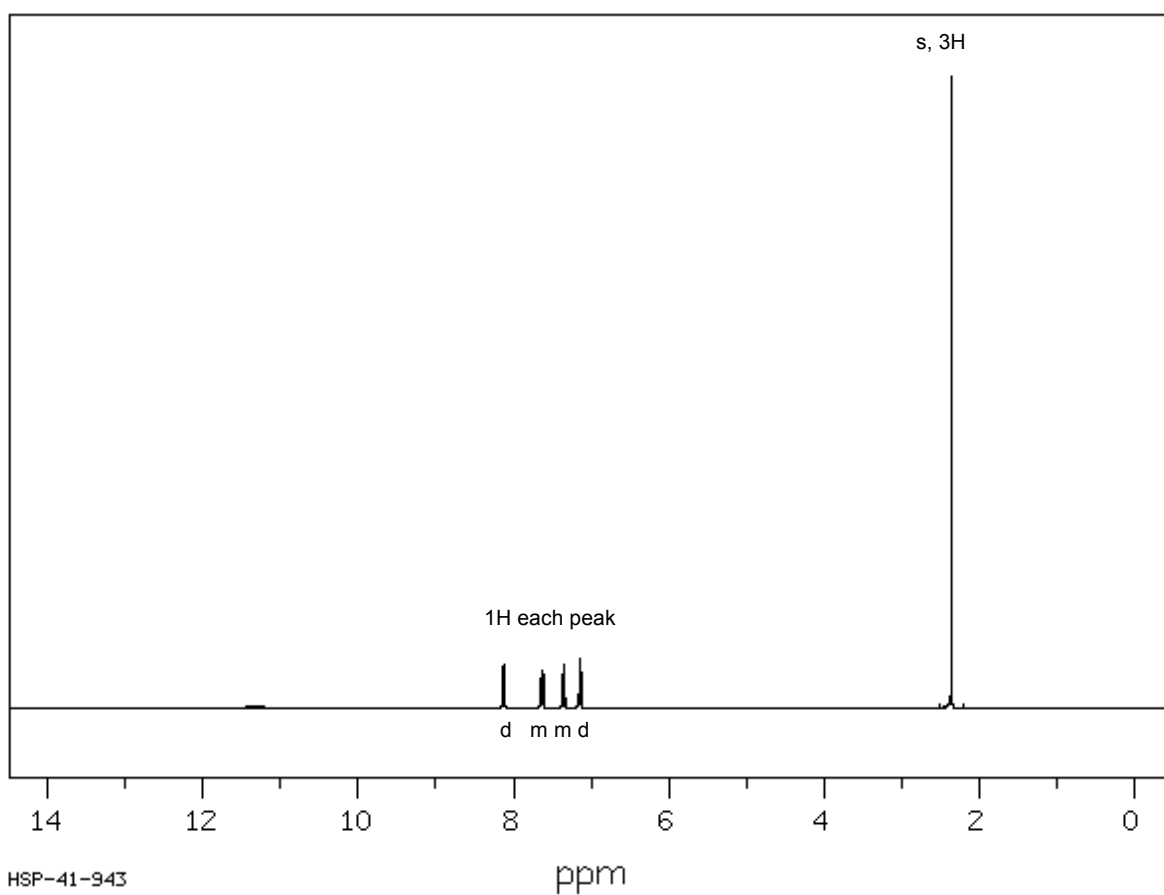
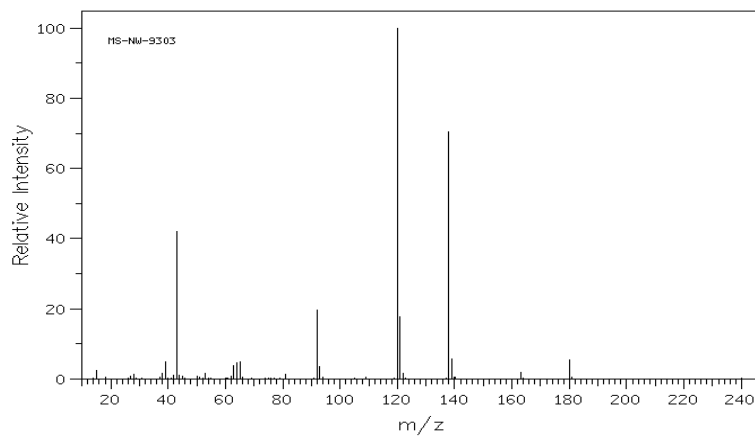
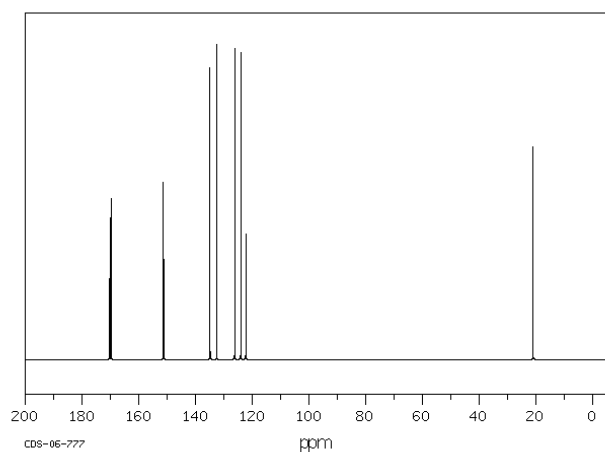
UVλ_{max} = 214 (ε = 16,000)
 233 (ε = 13,000)
 276 (ε = 19,000)



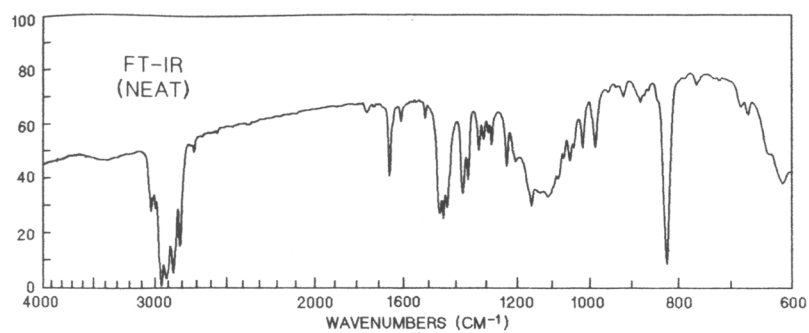
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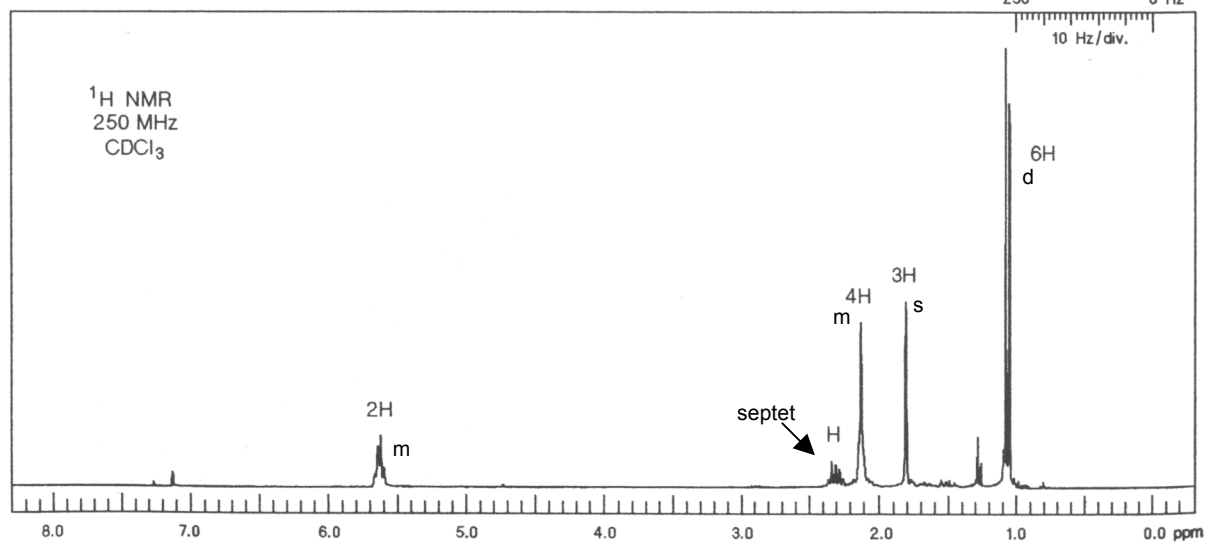
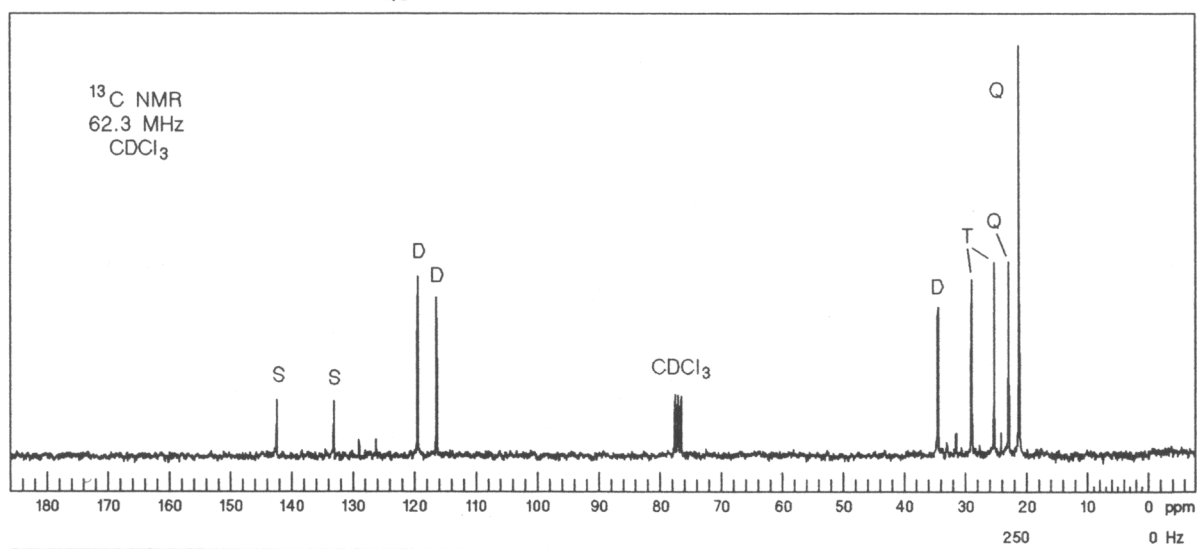
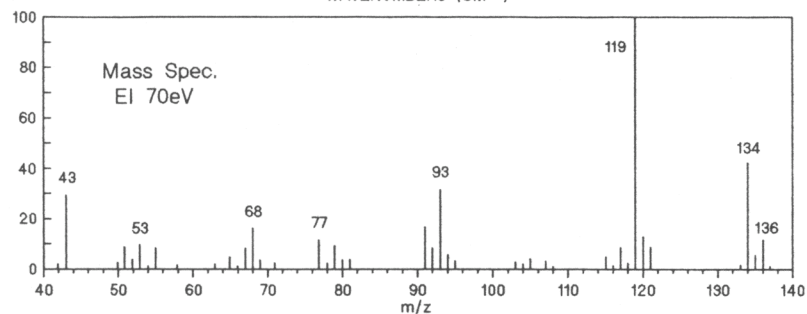
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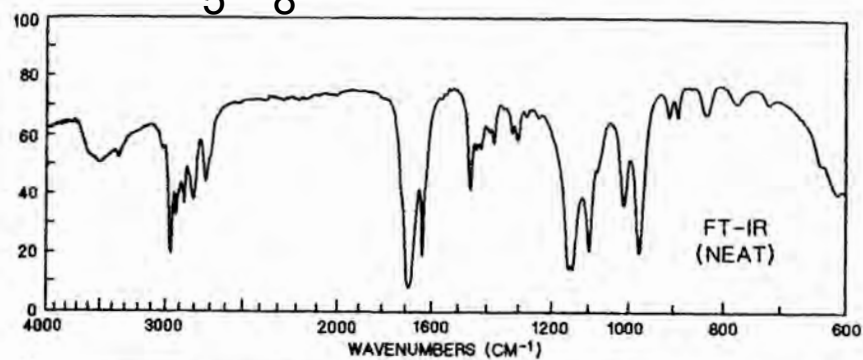
#5 - C₁₆H₁₀



UVλ_{max} = 268 (ε = 8000)

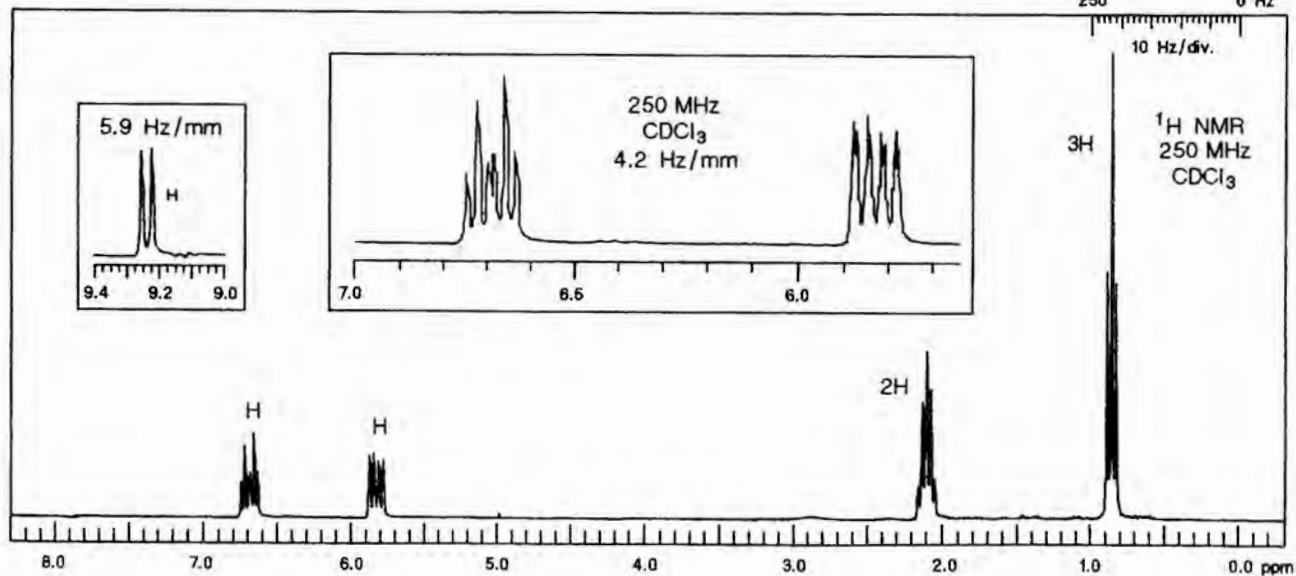
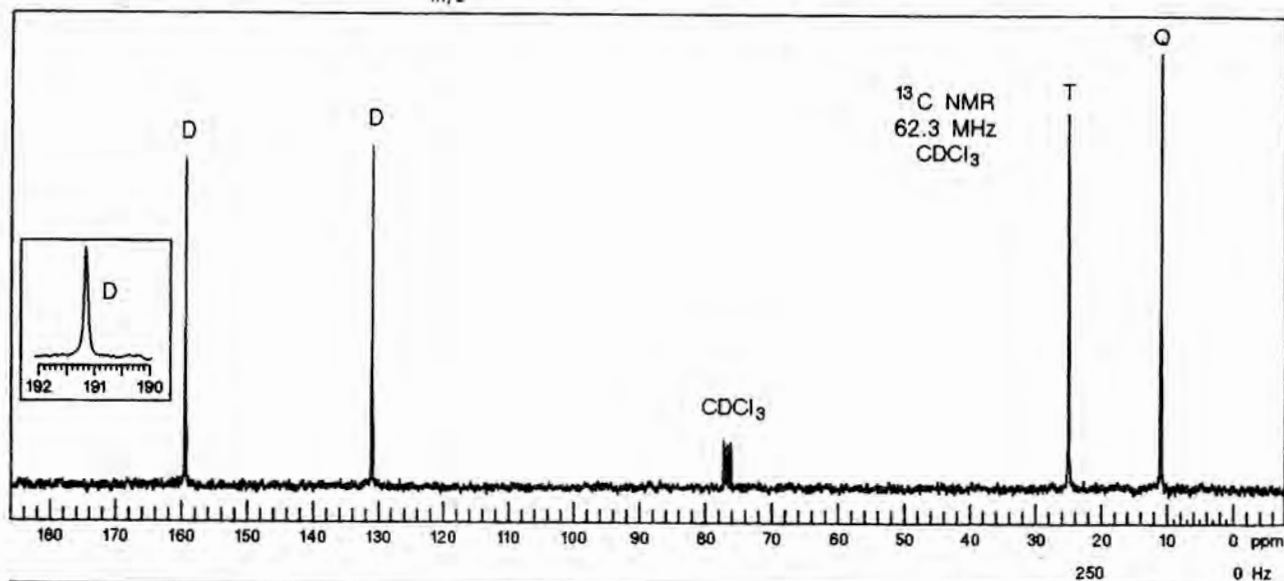
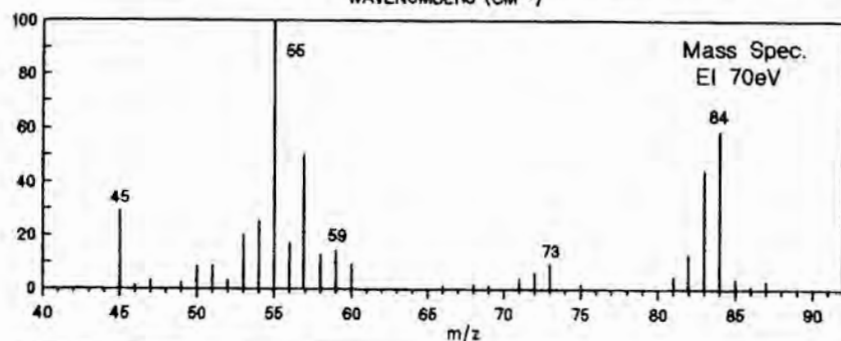


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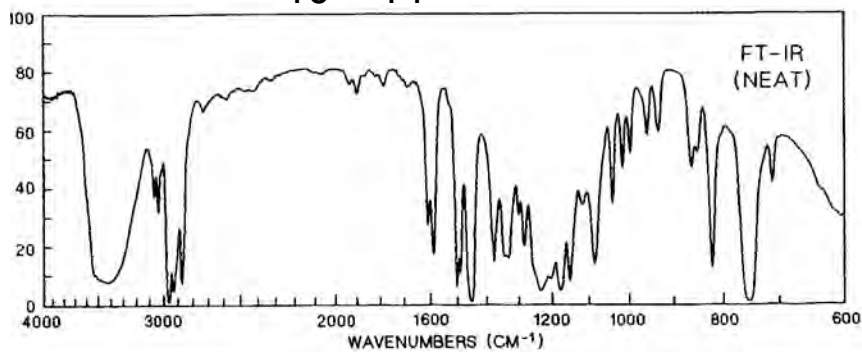


Exact M.S. (EI) = 84.0575

UVλ_{max} = 209 (ε = 16,000)
328 (ε = 50)

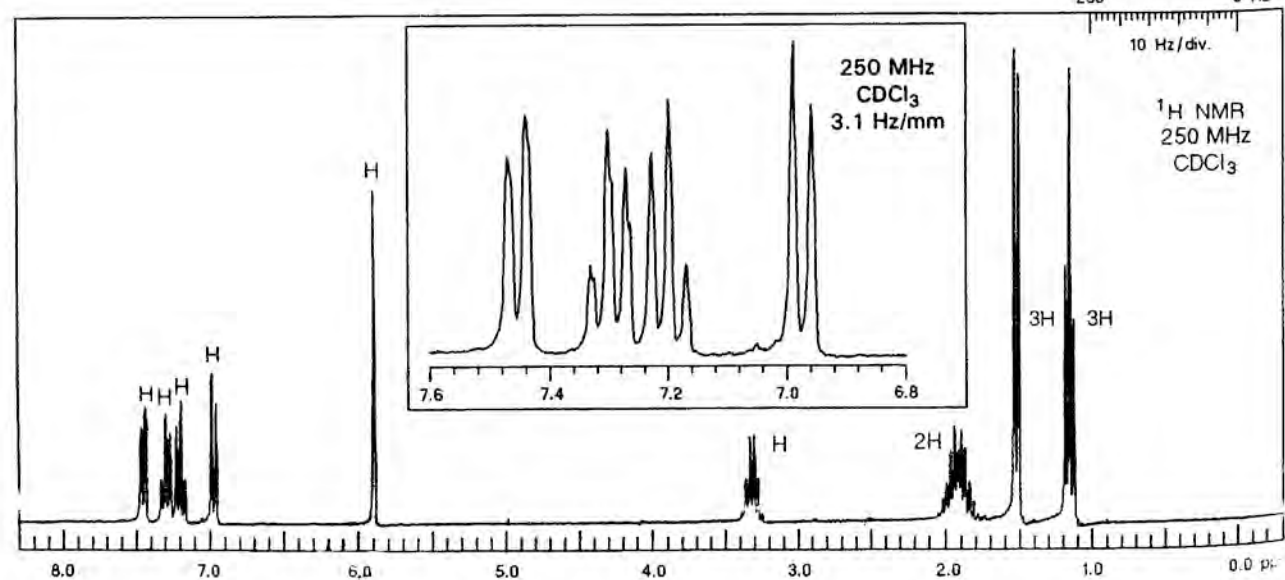
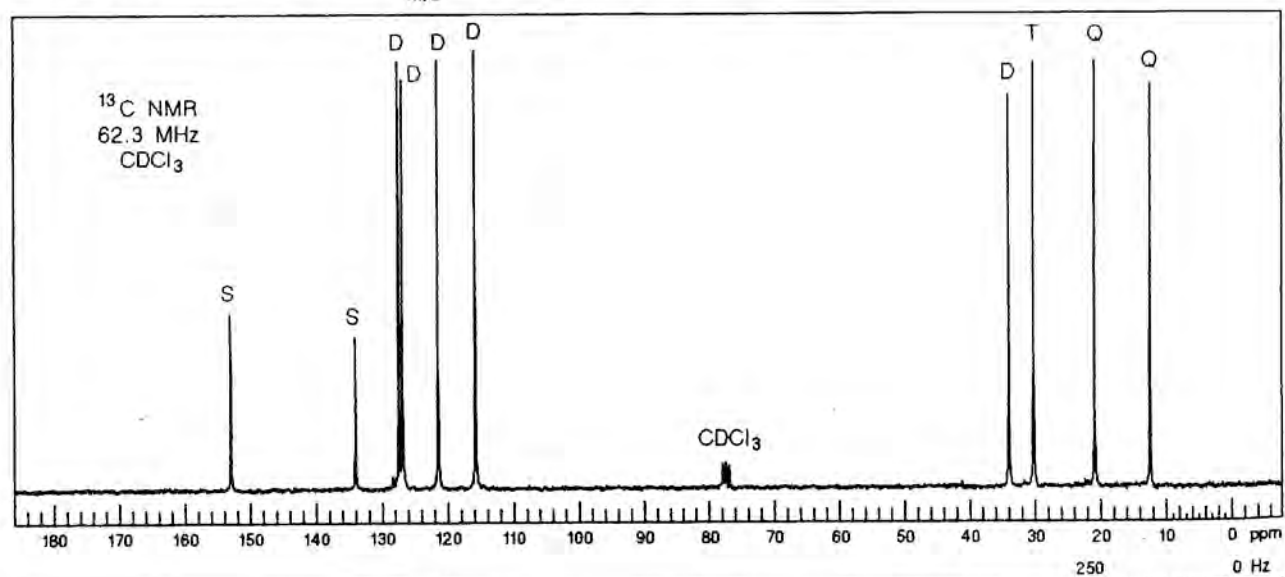
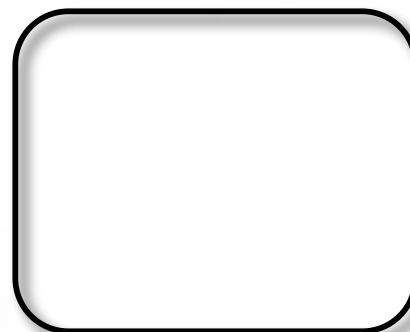
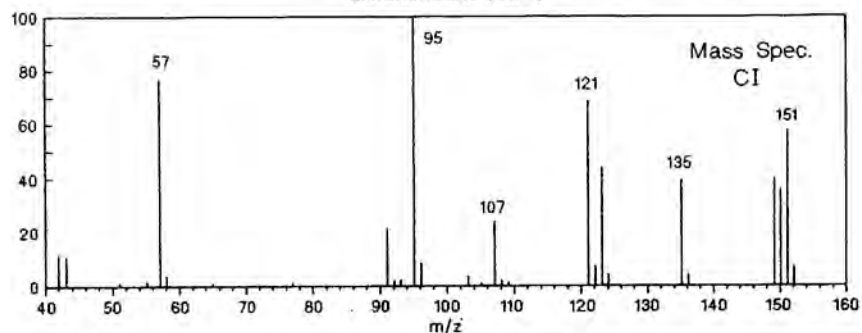


#7 - C₁₀H₁₄O

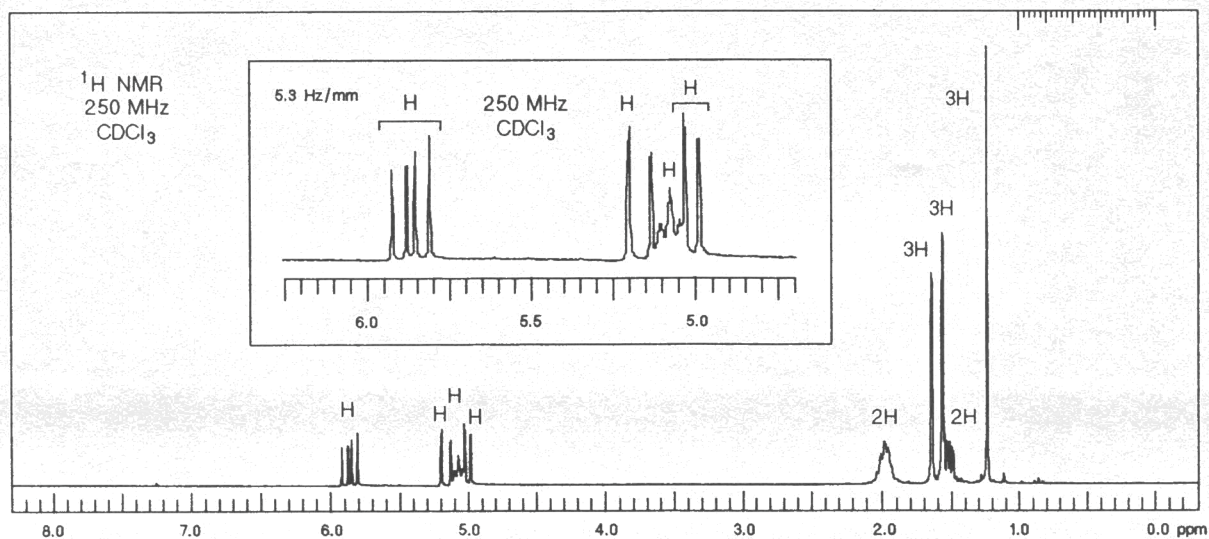
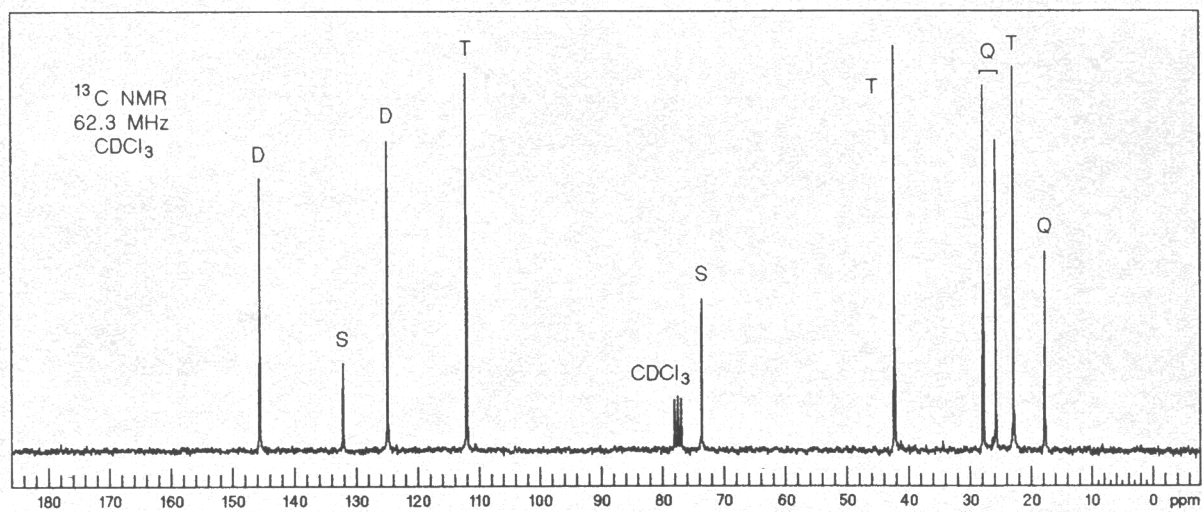
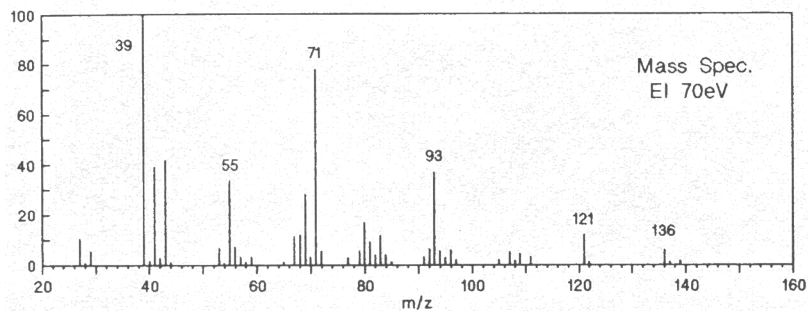
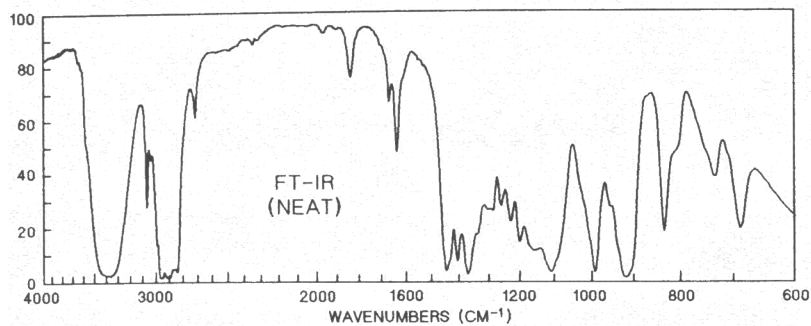


Exact M.S. (CI) = 151.1123

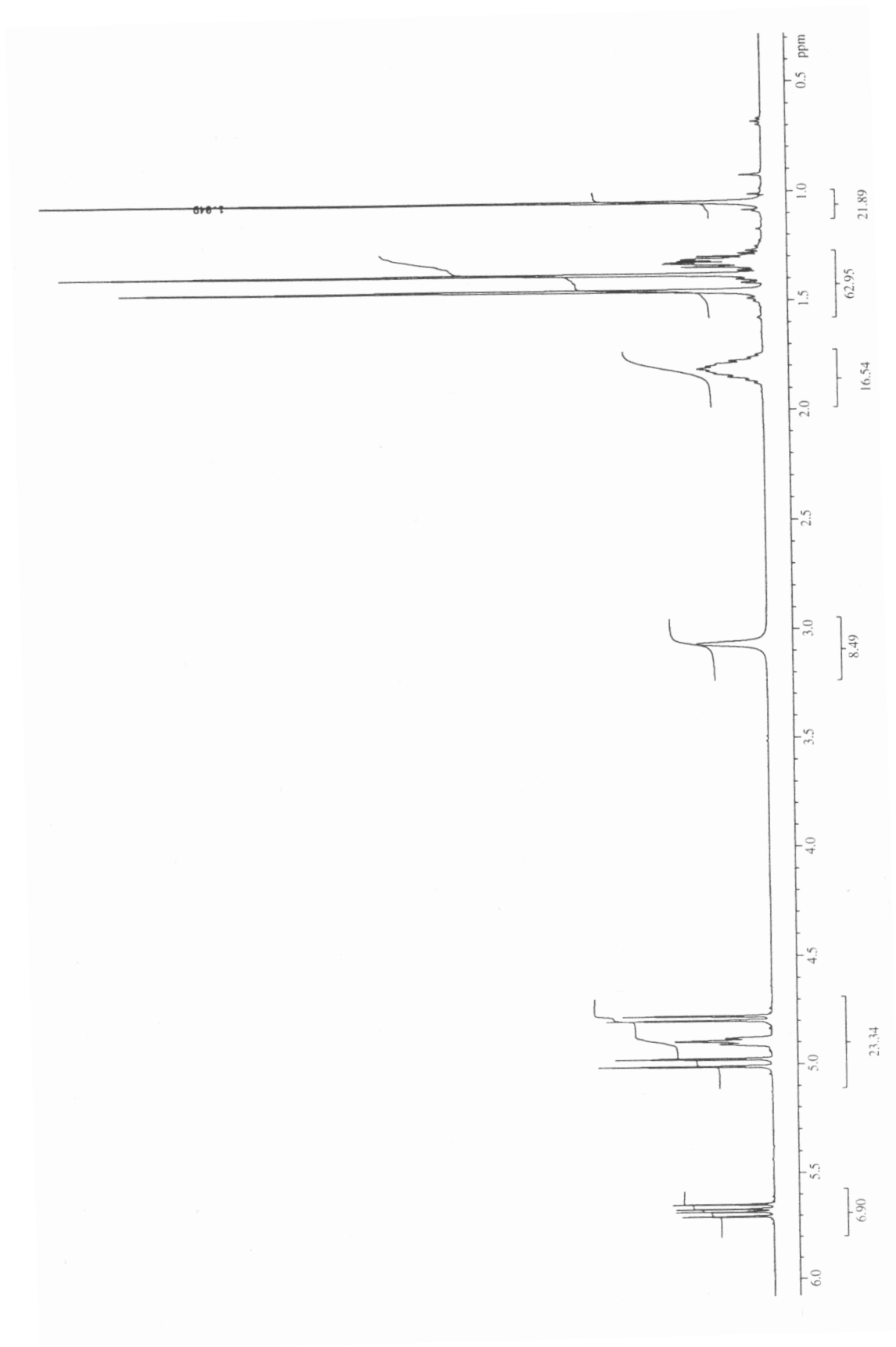
UVλ_{max} = 215 (ε = 6000)
274 (ε = 1500)



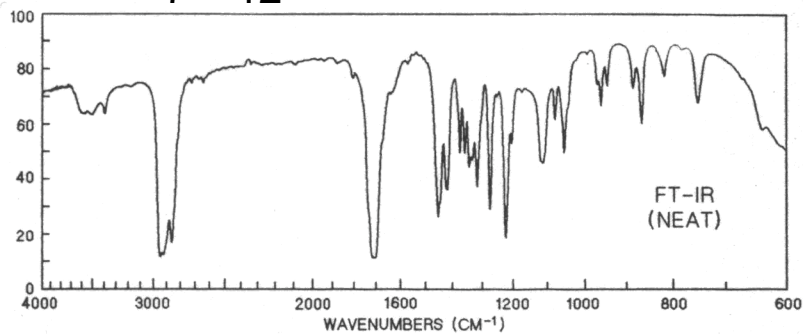
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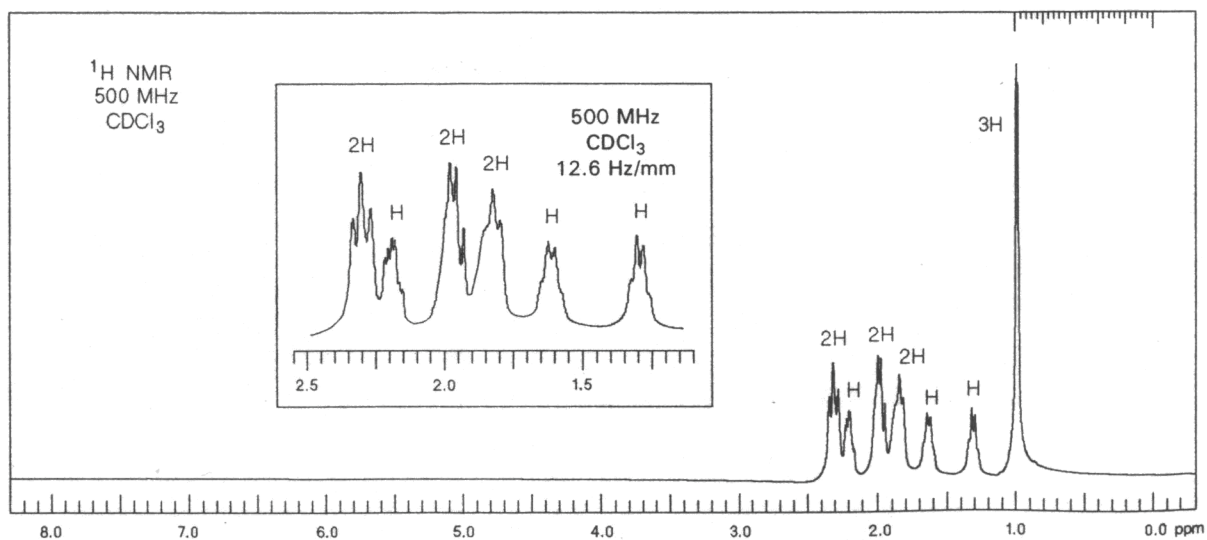
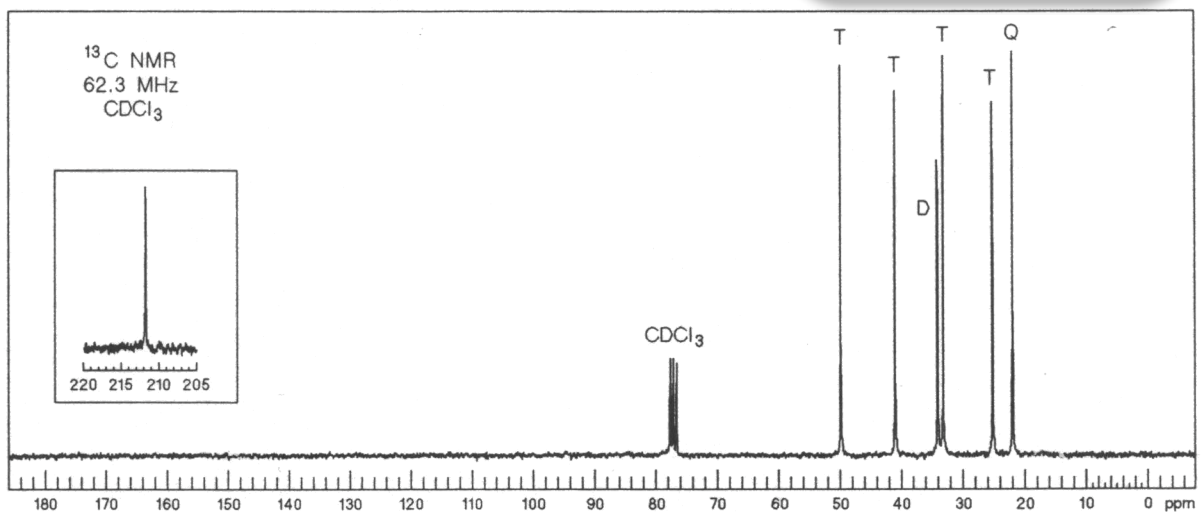
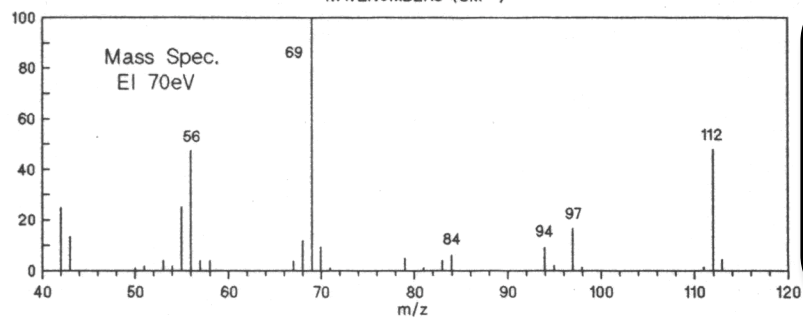
#8 - C₁₀H₁₈O Full Page ¹H NMR



#9 - C₇H₁₂O



UVλ_{max} = 291 (ε = 15)



#10 - C₇H₁₂O₂

