

Solvothermal synthesis of cobalt PCP pincer complexes from [Co₂(CO)₈]

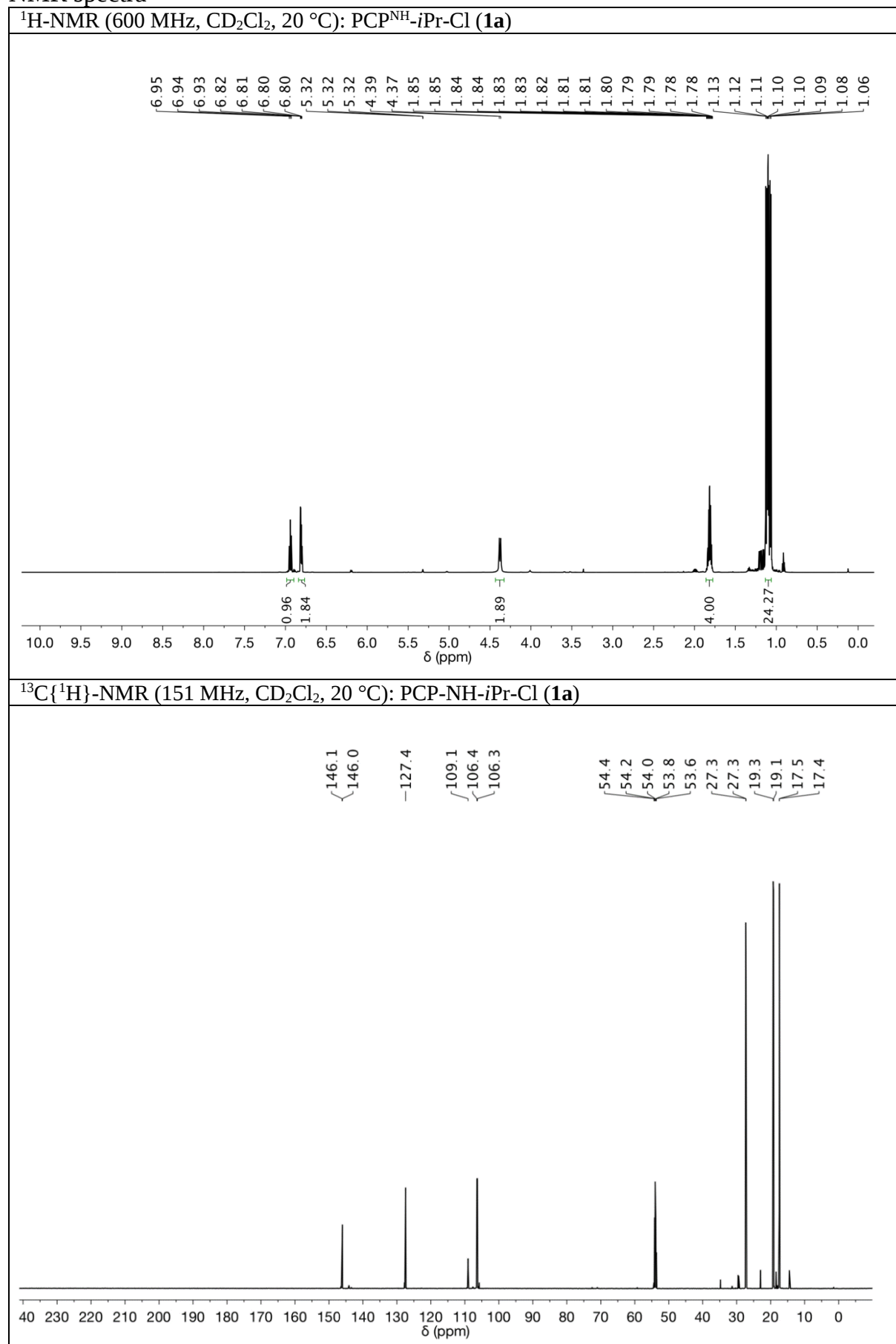
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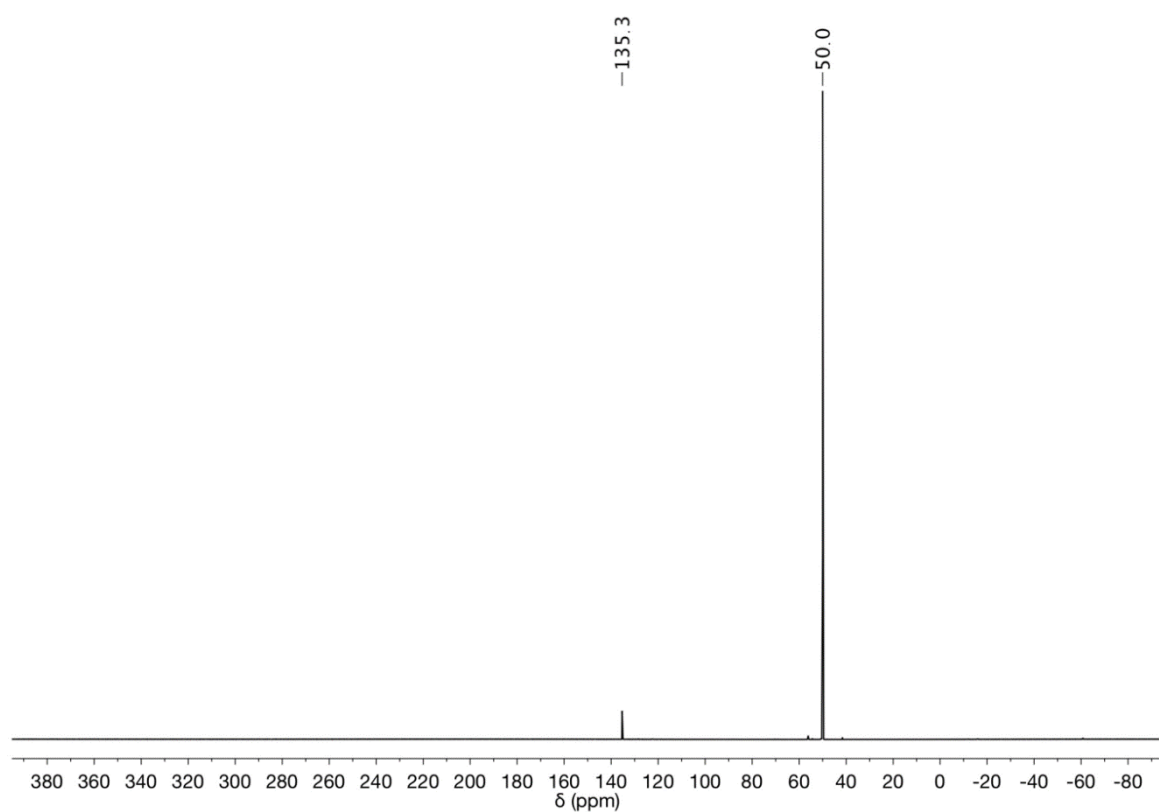
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Supporting Information

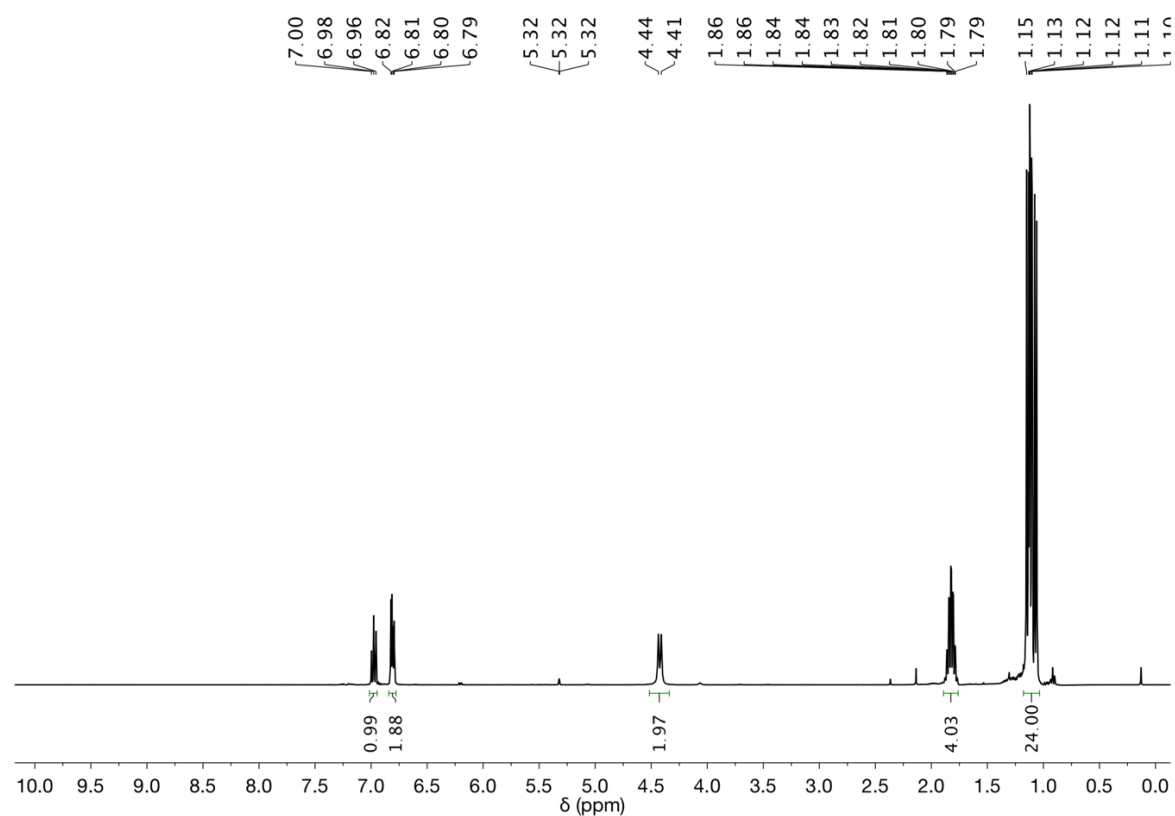
NMR spectra

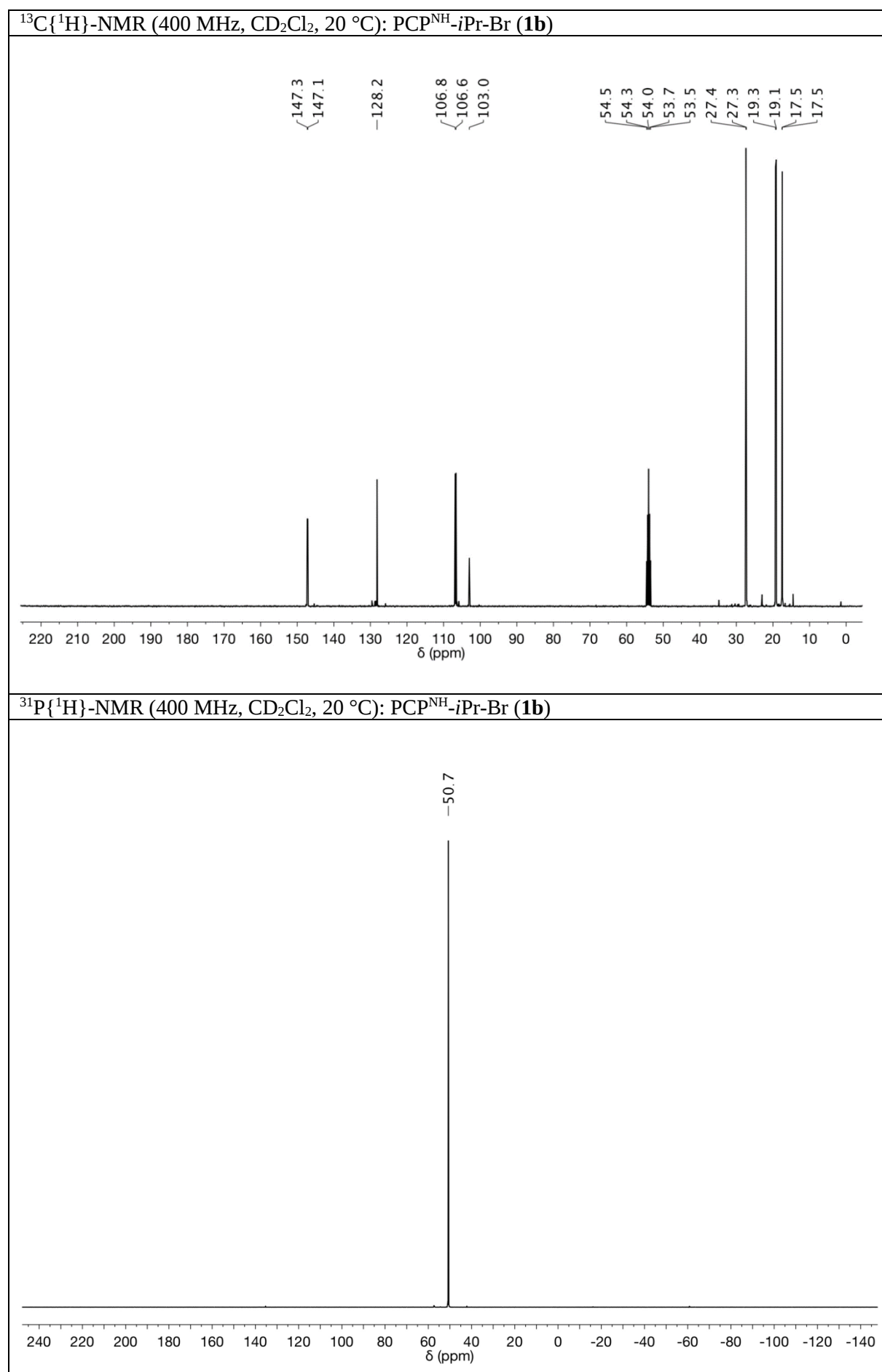


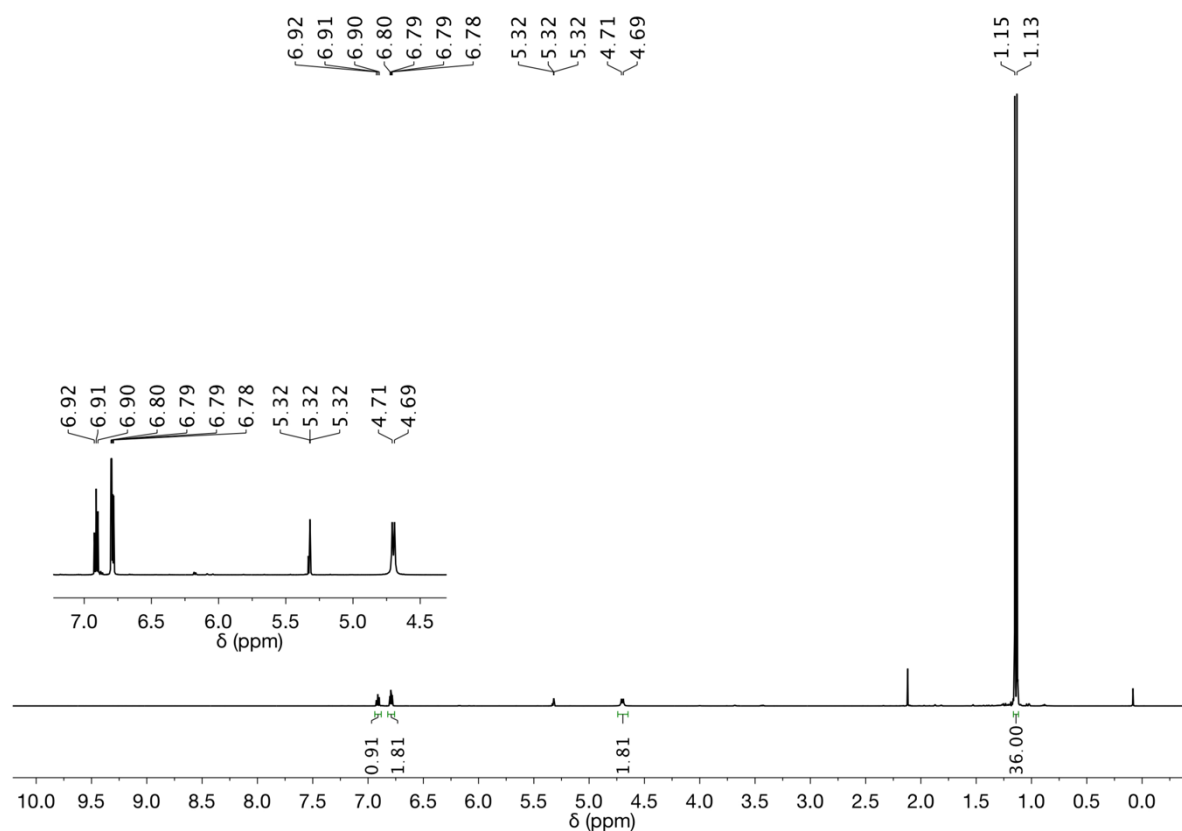
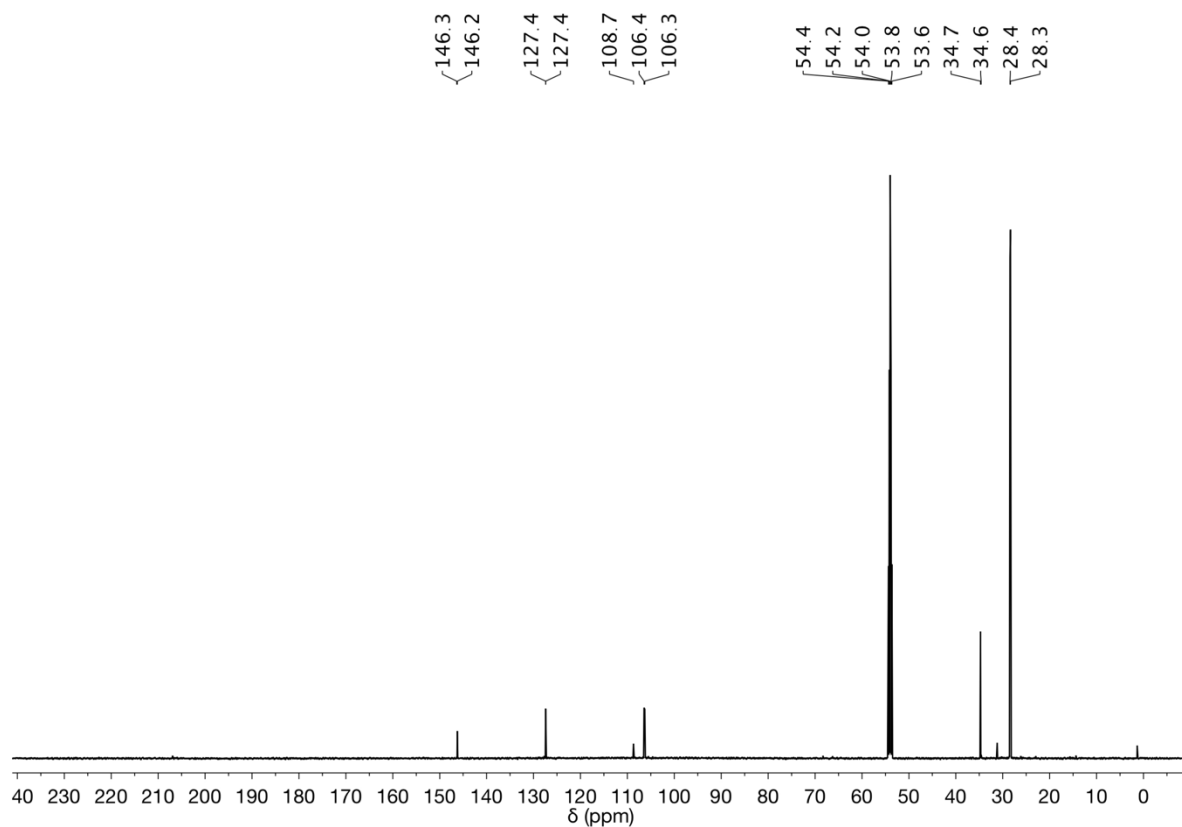
$^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (243 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): PCP-NH-*i*Pr-Cl (**1a**)

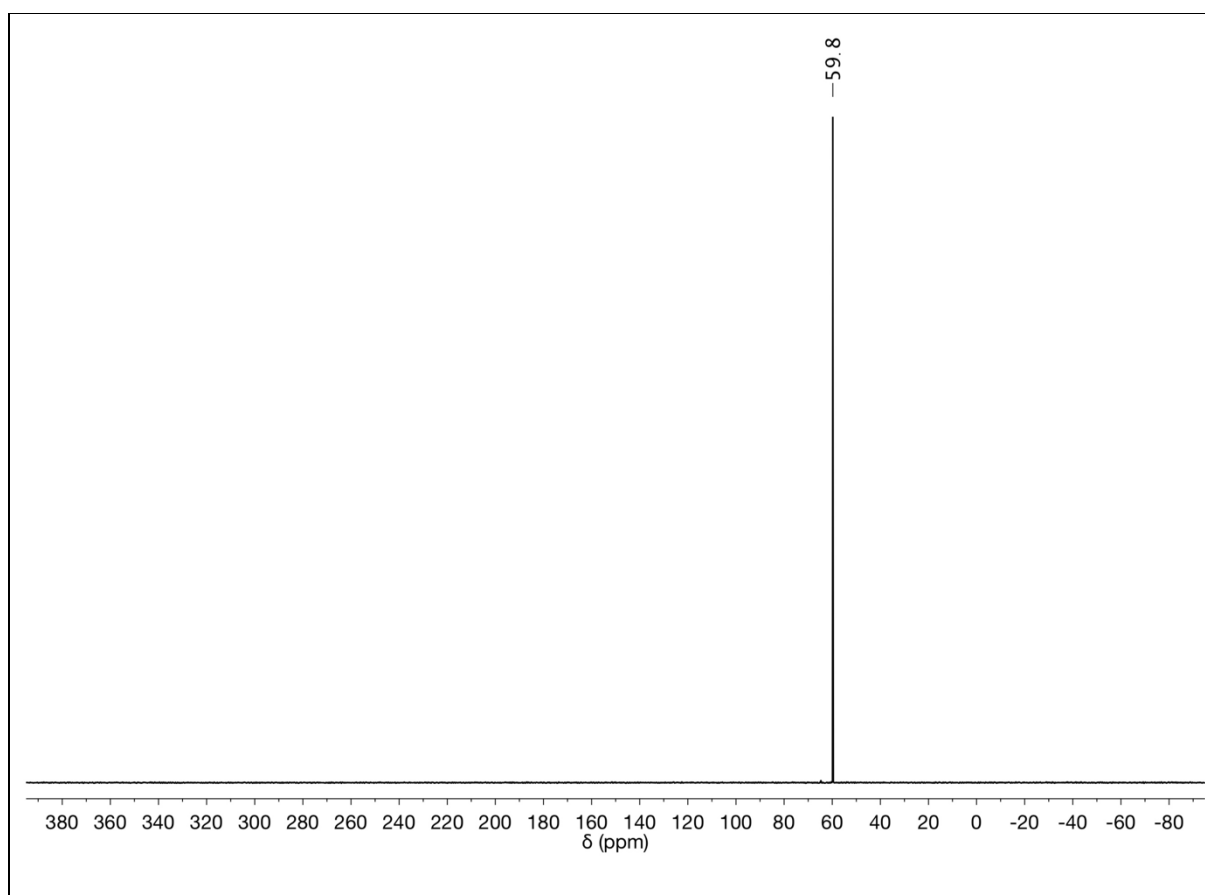


^1H -NMR (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): PCP^{NH}-*i*Pr-Br (**1b**)

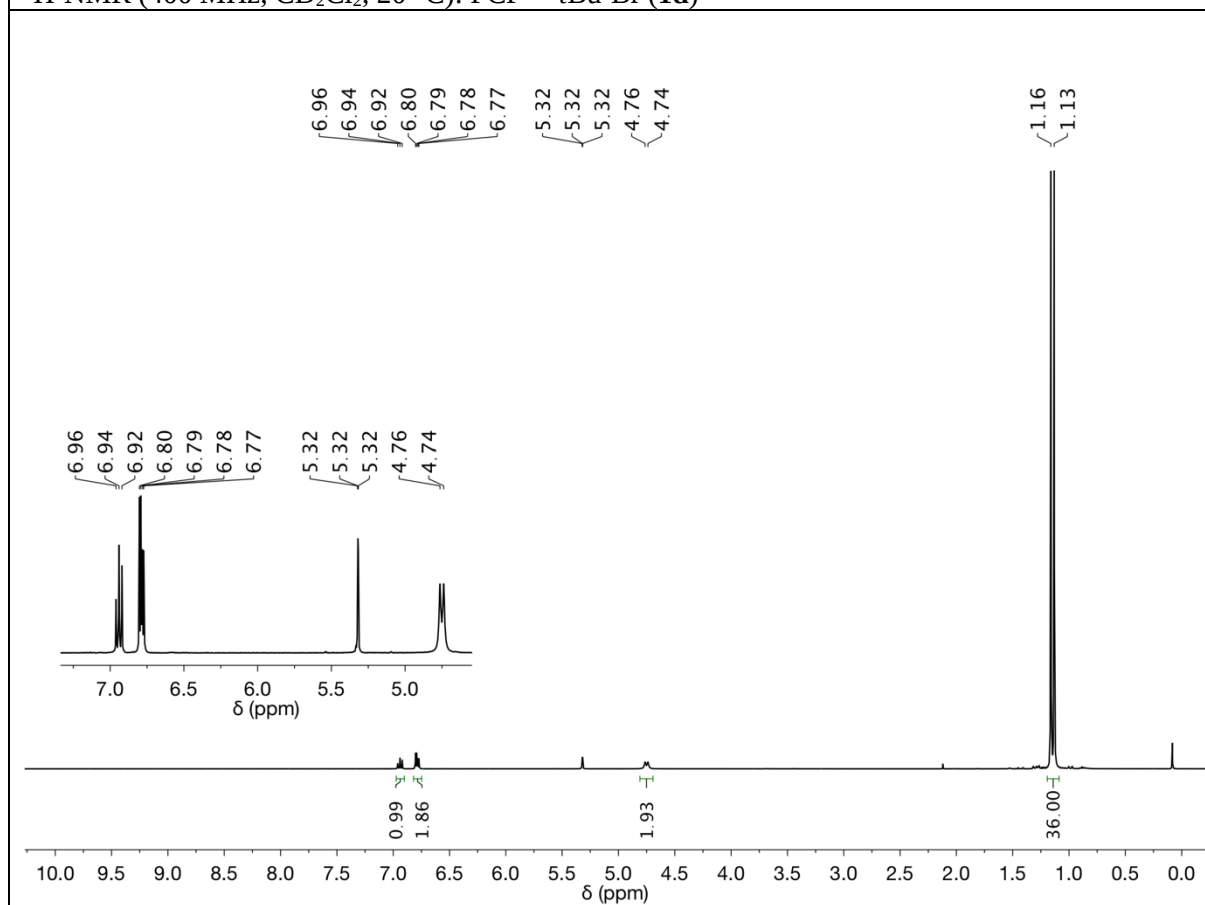




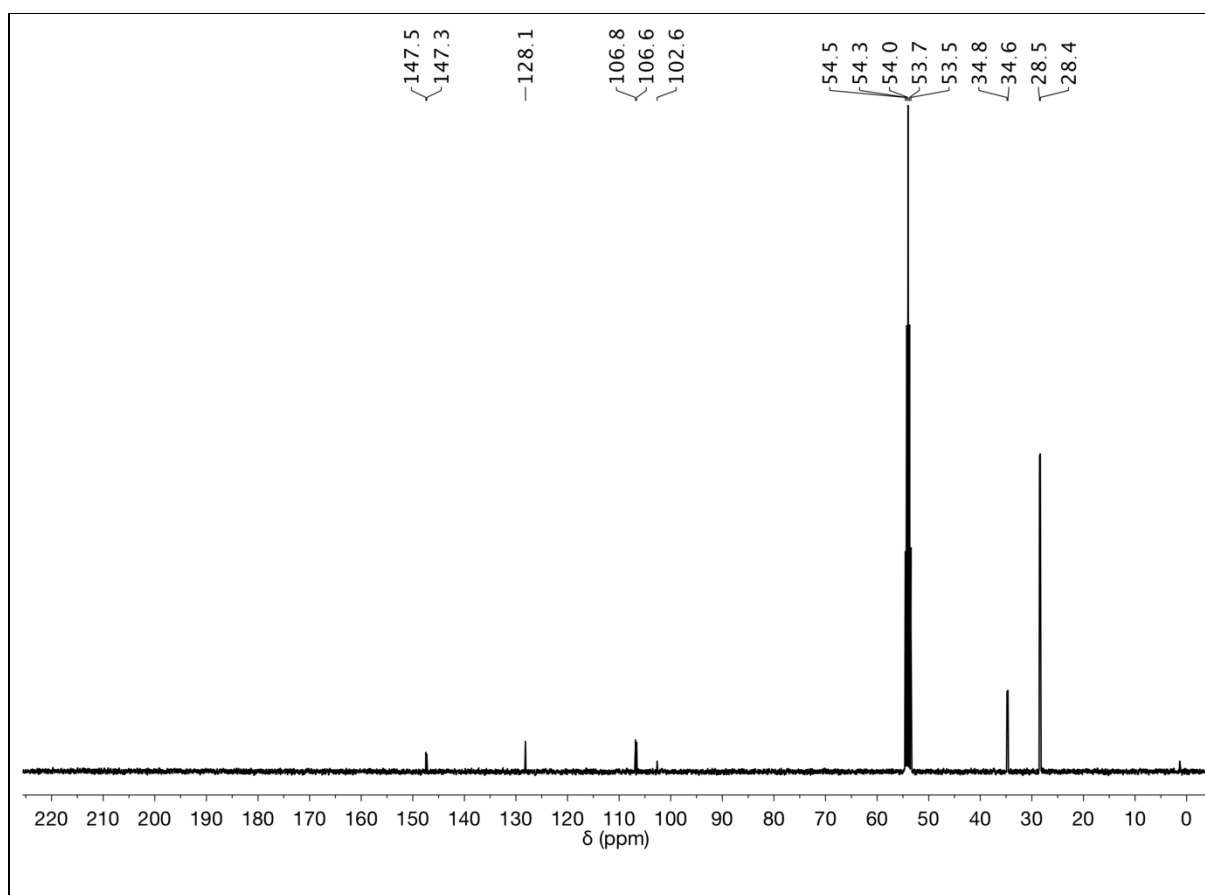
^1H -NMR (600 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Cl}$ (**1c**) $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (151 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Cl}$ (**1c**) $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (243 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Cl}$ (**1c**)



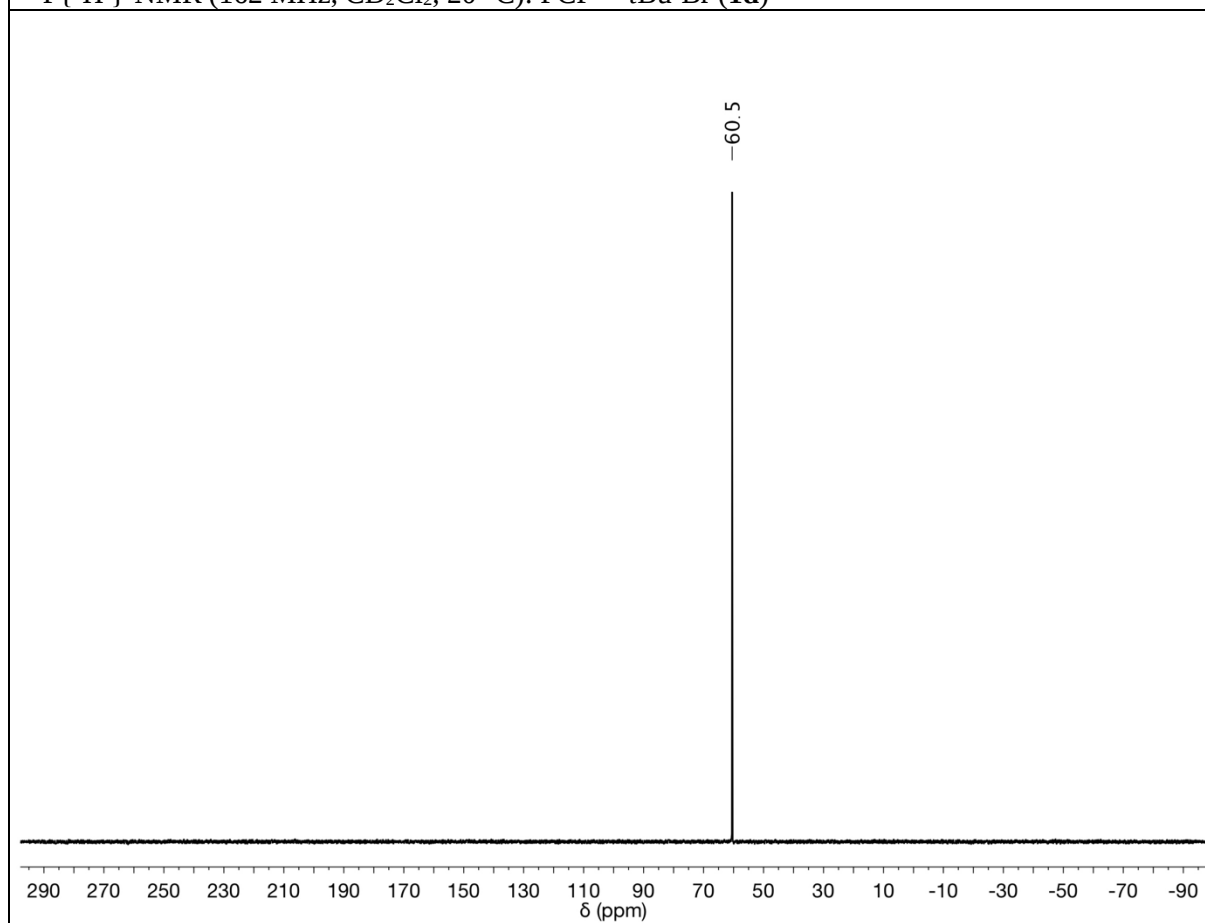
^1H -NMR (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Br}$ (**1d**)



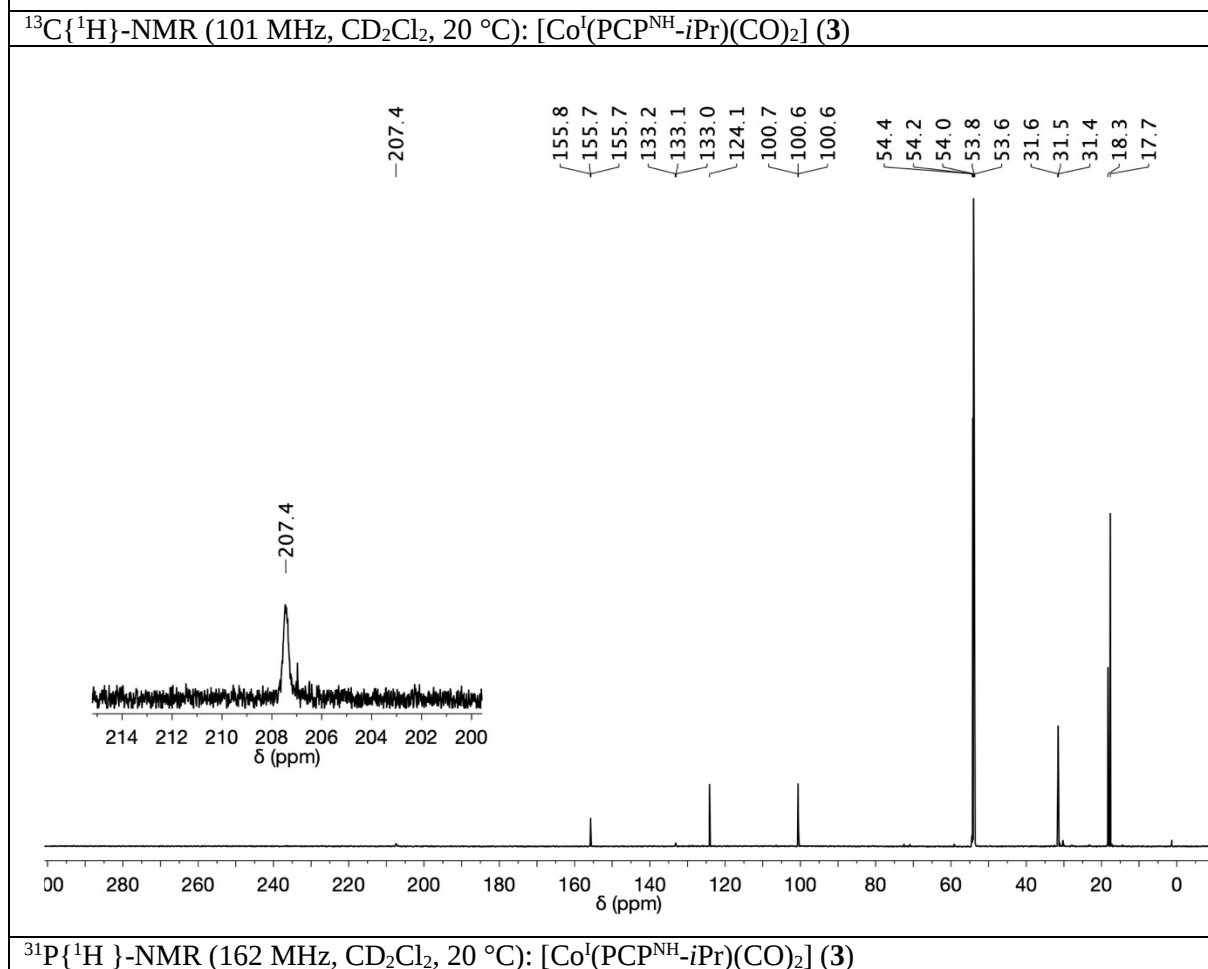
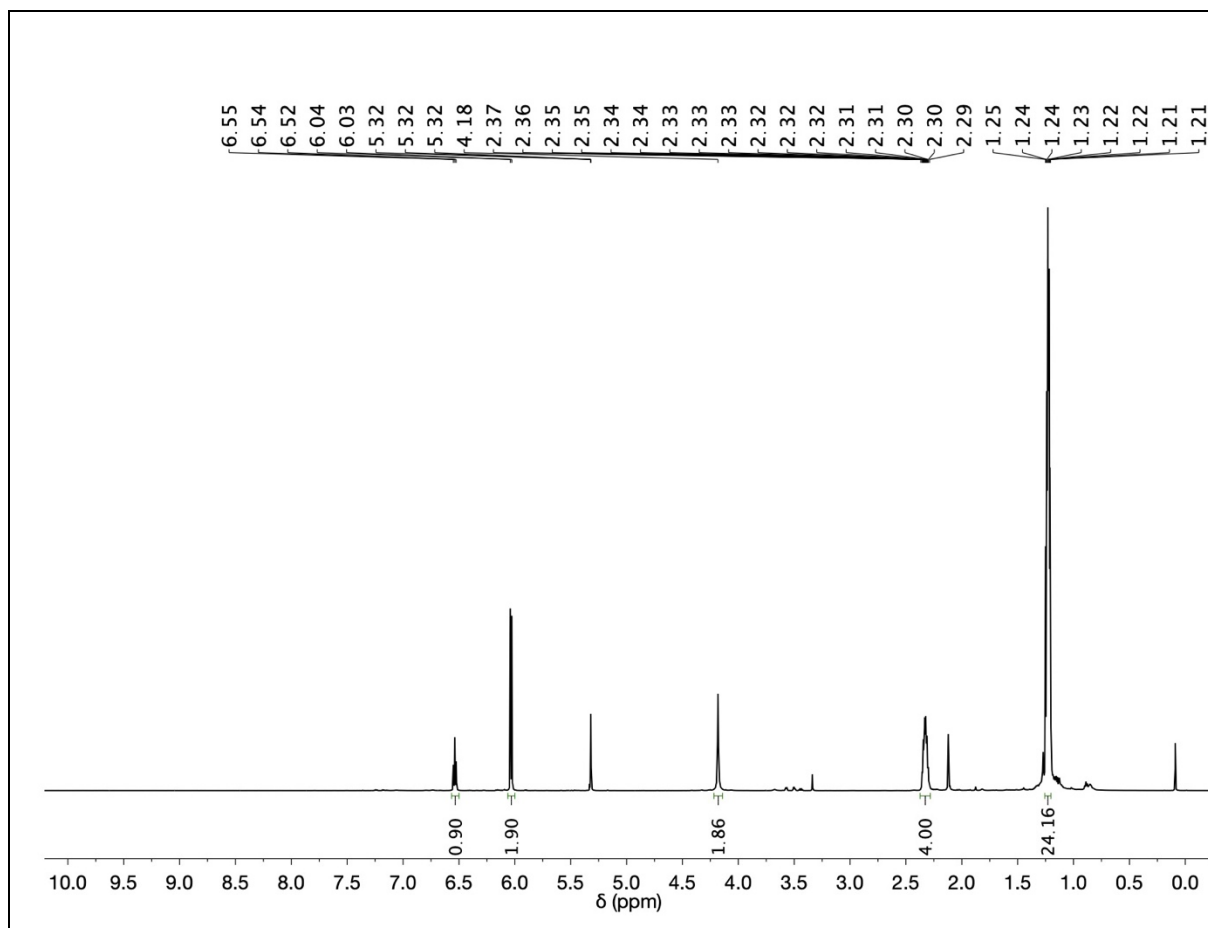
$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (101 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Br}$ (**1d**)

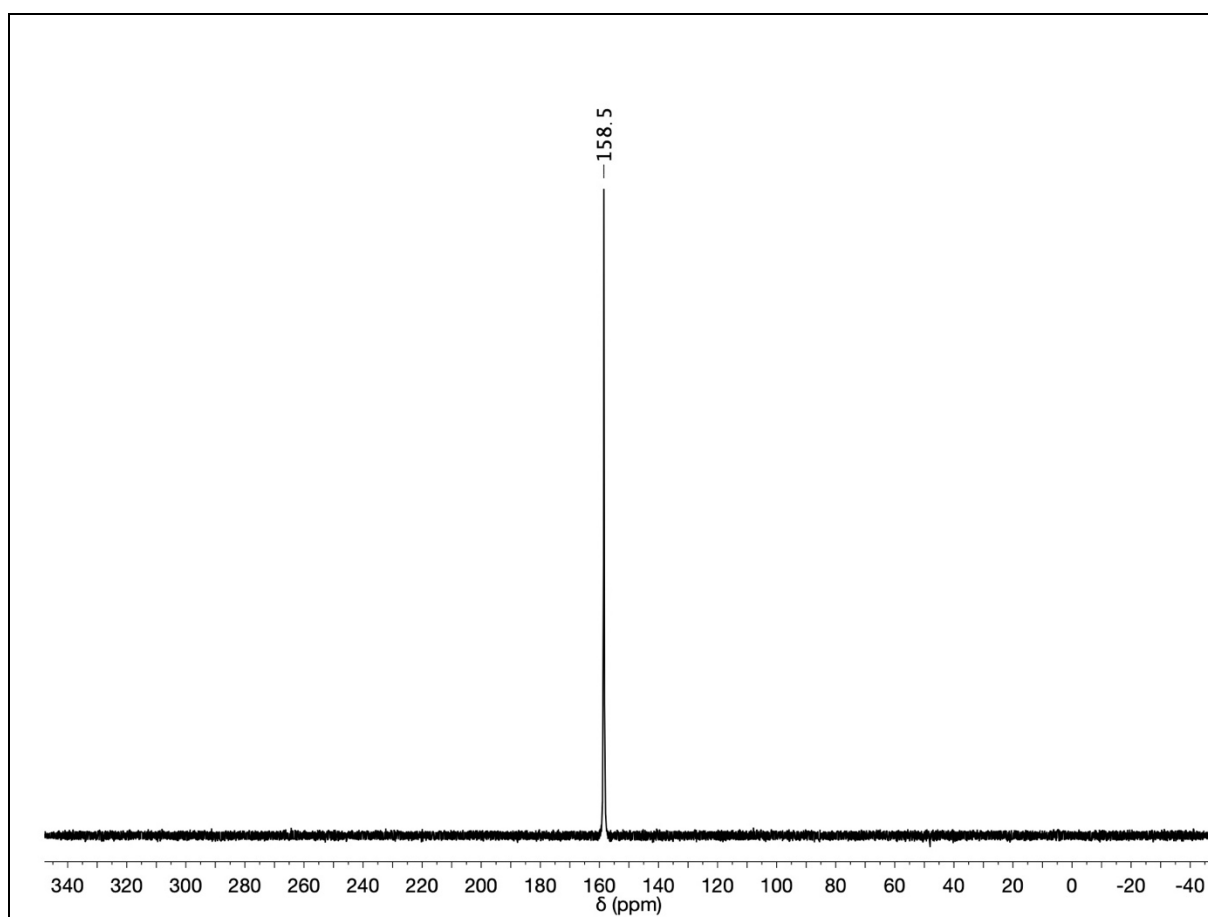


$^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (162 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu-Br}$ (**1d**)

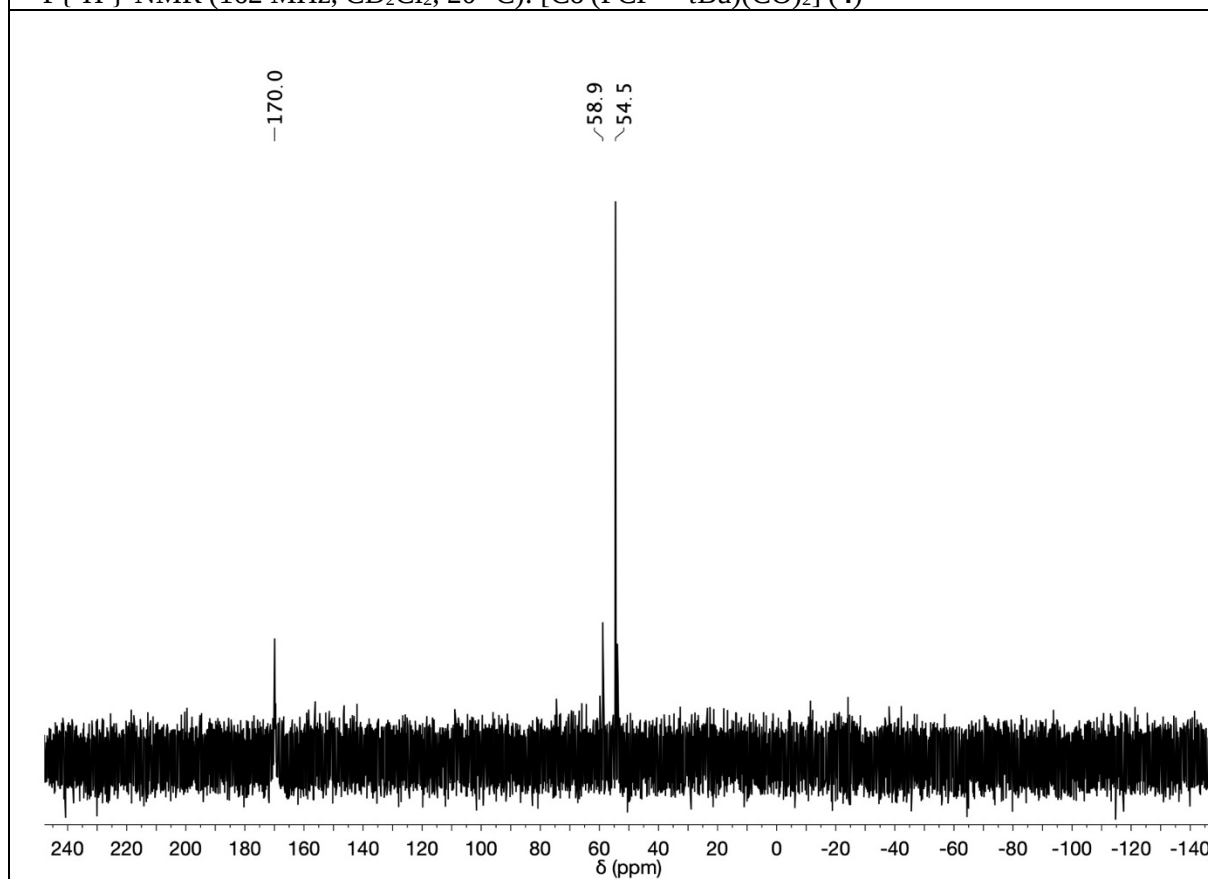


^1H -NMR (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $[\text{Co}^{\text{I}}(\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-iPr})(\text{CO})_2]$ (**3**)

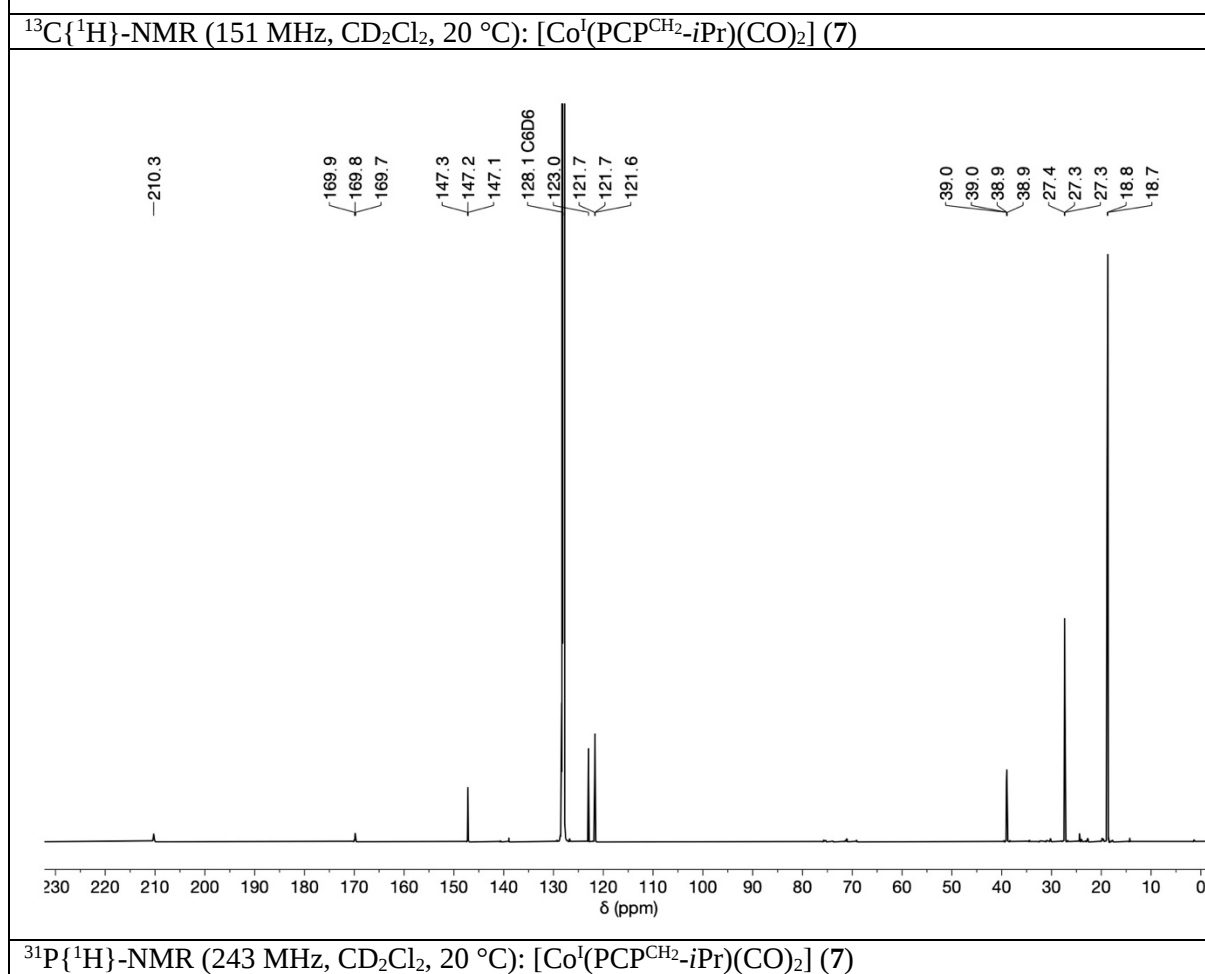
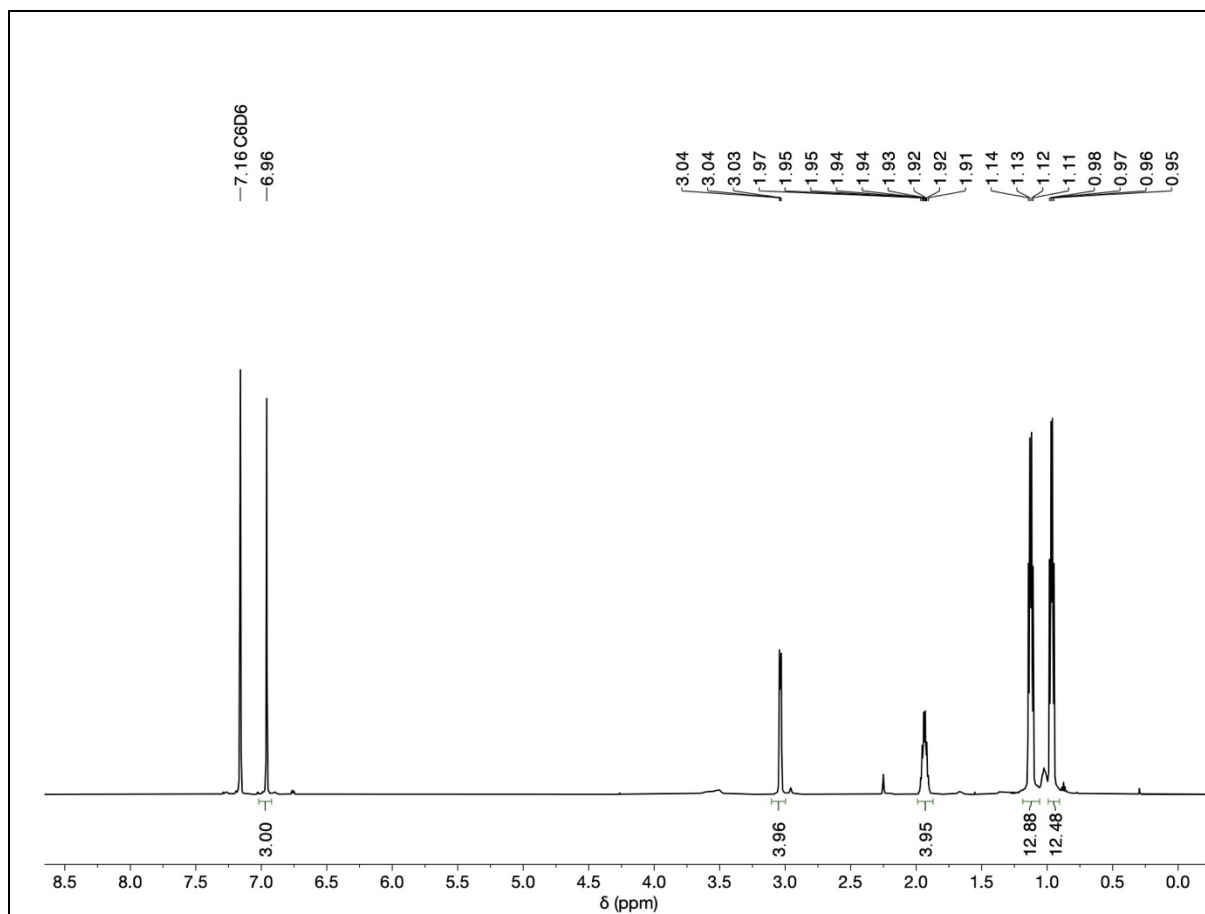


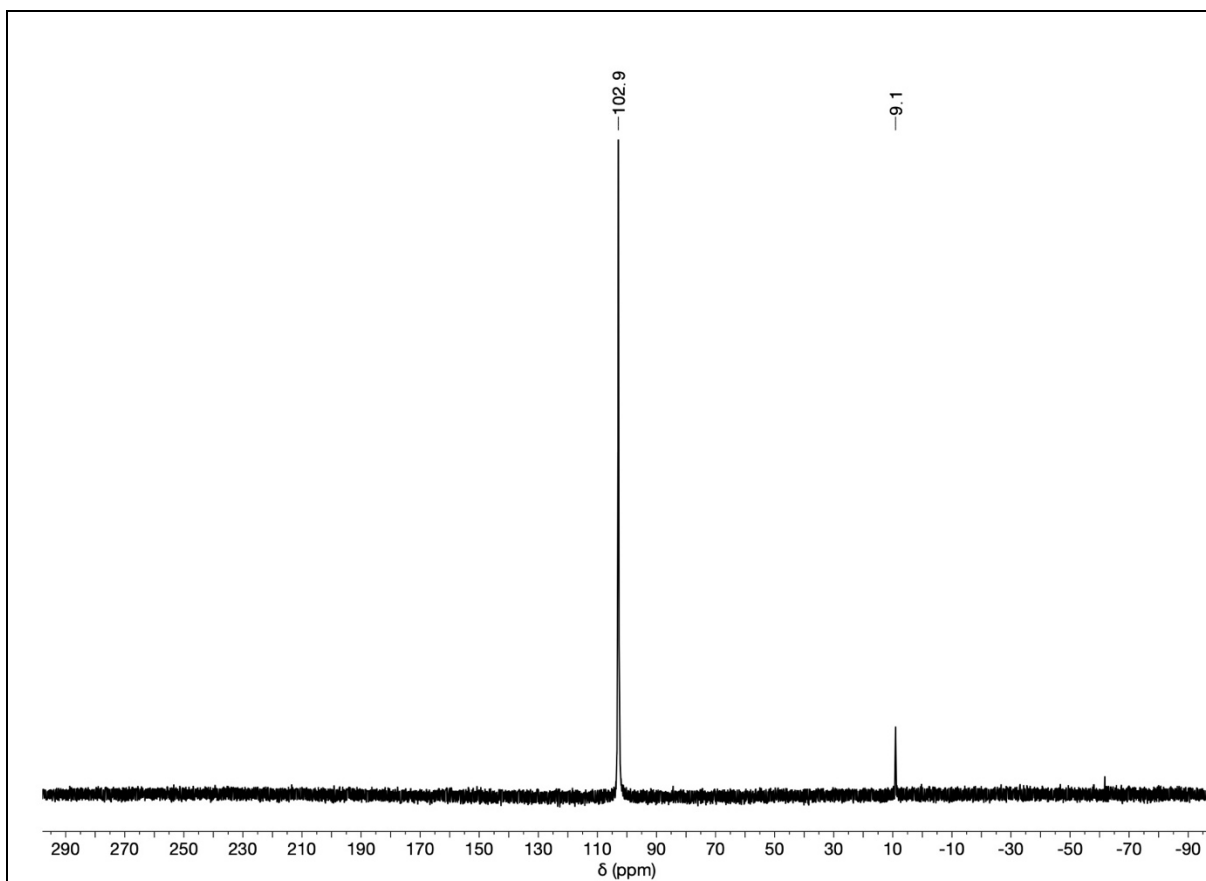


$^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (162 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $[\text{Co}^{\text{I}}(\text{PCP}^{\text{NH}}\text{-tBu})(\text{CO})_2]$ (**4**)

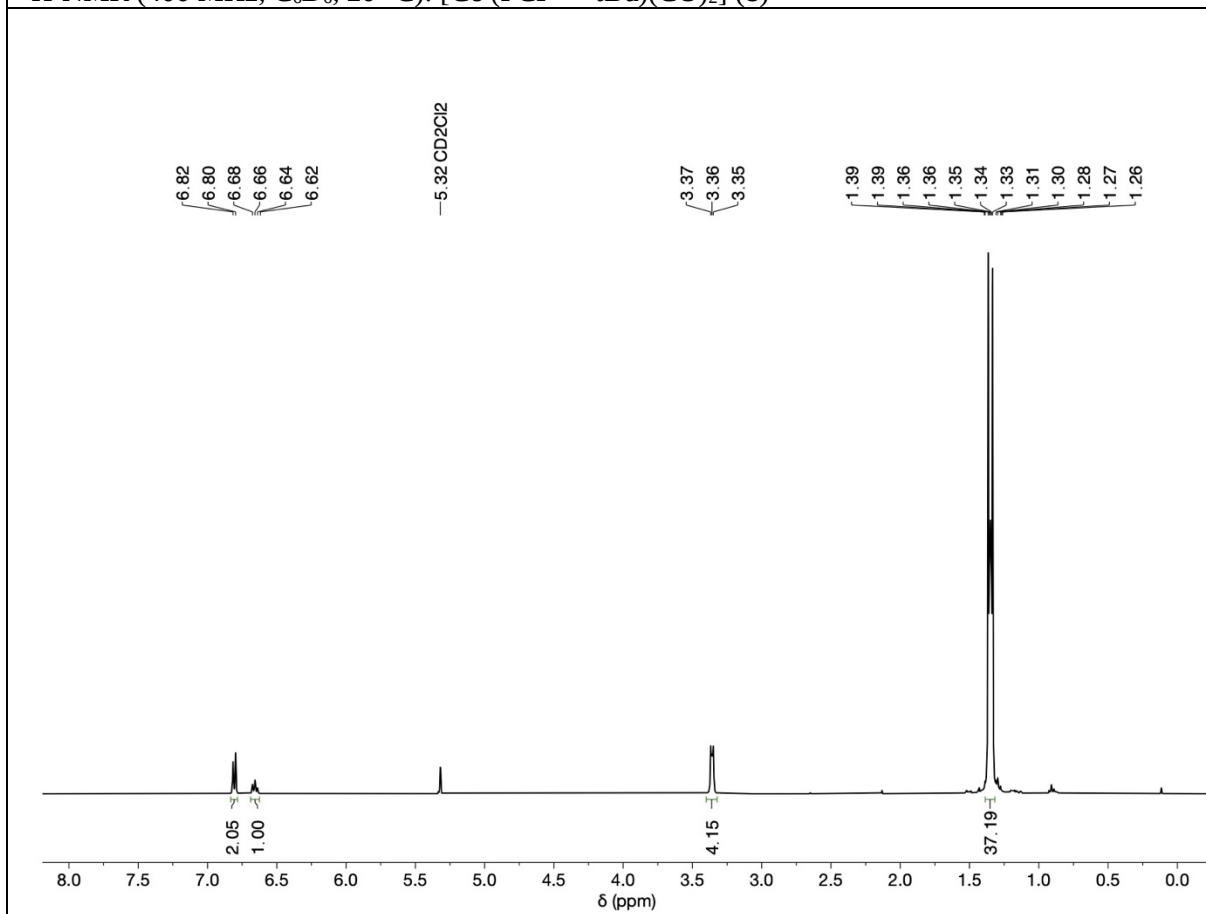


^1H -NMR (600 MHz, C_6D_6 , 20 °C): $[\text{Co}^{\text{I}}(\text{PCP}^{\text{CH}_2}\text{-iPr})(\text{CO})_2]$ (**7**)





^1H -NMR (400 MHz, C_6D_6 , 20 °C): $[\text{Co}^{\text{I}}(\text{PCP}^{\text{CH}_2}\text{-tBu})(\text{CO})_2]$ (**8**)



$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ -NMR (101 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , 20 °C): $[\text{Co}^{\text{I}}(\text{PCP}^{\text{CH}_2}\text{-tBu})(\text{CO})_2]$ (**8**)

The figure displays a ^{13}C NMR spectrum. The horizontal axis represents the chemical shift δ in ppm, ranging from 240 to -140. A single, sharp, and intense peak is observed at a chemical shift of -118.0 ppm, which is labeled above the peak. The baseline of the spectrum is flat and shows low-level noise across the entire range.