

Human Serum Albumin Labelling with a New BODIPY Dye Having a Large Stokes Shift

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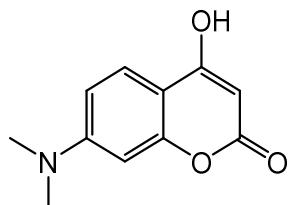
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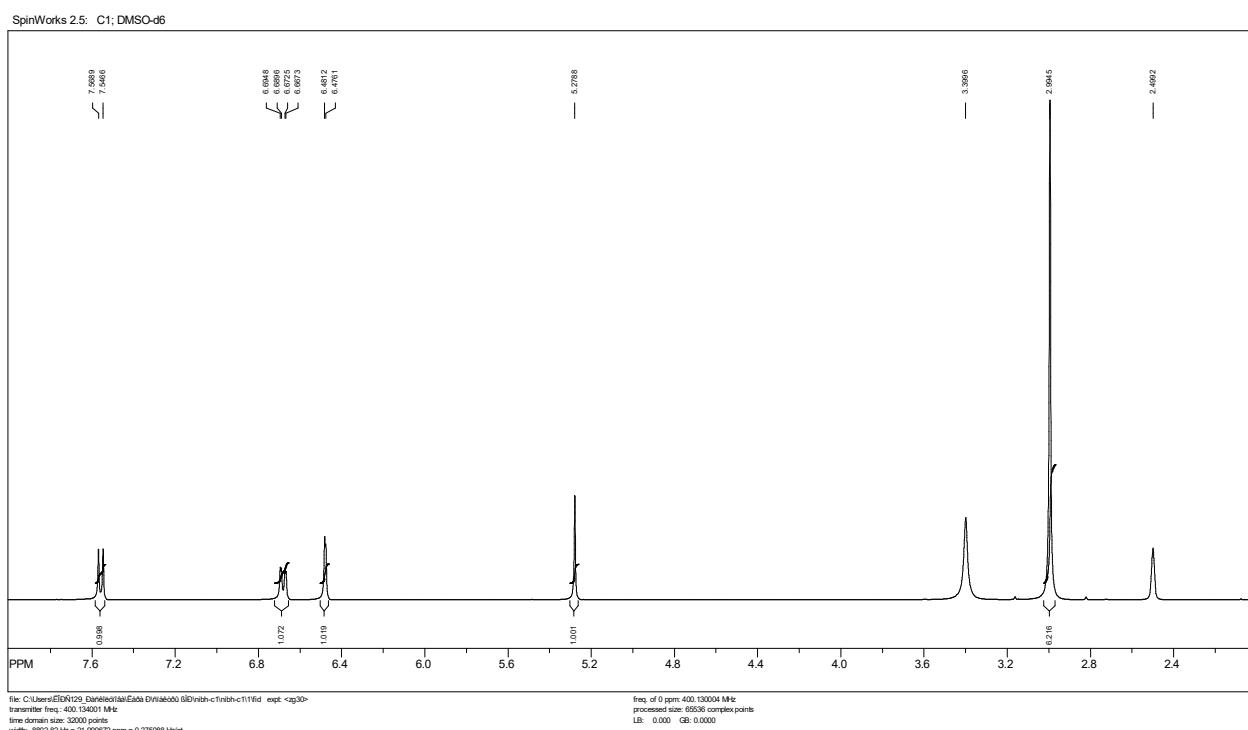
Synthetic protocols and spectral data for new compounds

7-(Dimethylamino)-4-hydroxy-2H-chromen-2-one (3)

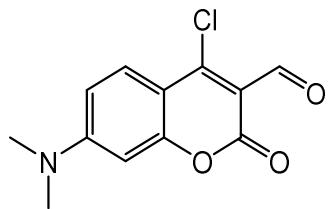


Solution of diphenyl malonate (2.36 g, 10 mmol) and 3-(*N,N*-dimethylamino)phenol (1.52 g, 16 mmol) in toluene (30 mL) was refluxed for 10 h. The reaction mixture was cooled and crystals formed were filtered off. The crude product was recrystallized from ethanol. Yield: 1.84 g, 9.0 mmol, 89%. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): 7.56 (1H, d, *J* 8.9, H5), 6.68 (1H, dd, *J* 9.0, 2.2, H6), 6.48 (1H, d, *J* 2.1, H8), 5.28 (1H, s, H3), 2.99 (6H, s, N(CH₃)₂).

¹H NMR

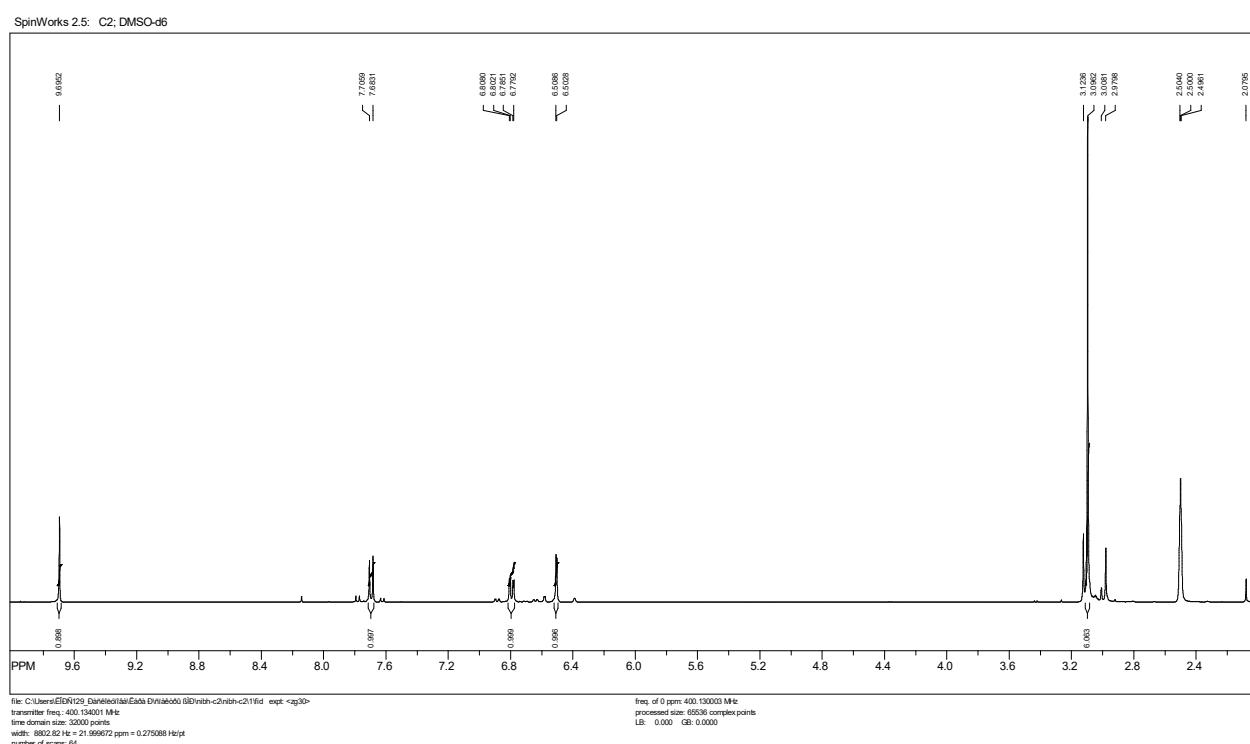


4-Chloro-7-(dimethylamino)-2-oxo-2H-chromene-3-carbaldehyde (4)

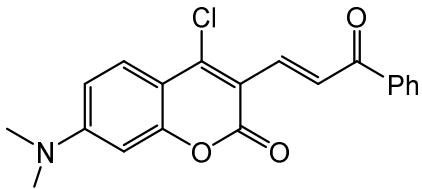


Phosphorus oxychloride (1.60 mL, 17 mmol) was added to a solution of hydroxycoumarin (**3**) (1.31 g, 6.4 mmol) in DMF (5 mL) and stirred at RT for 24 h. Then the reaction mixture was cooled, poured into 0.6 M aqueous sodium acetate and stirred for 1 h. The precipitate formed was filtered off and washed with water to give crude aldehyde which was recrystallized from ethanol. Yield: 1.32 g, 5.2 mmol, 82%. Orange crystals. ^1H NMR (DMSO-*d*6): 9.70 (1H, s, CHO), 7.70 (1H, d, *J* 9.2, H5), 6.79 (1H, dd, *J* 9.2, 2.4, H6), 6.51 (1H, d, *J* 2.3, H8), 3.10 (6H, s, N(CH₃)₂).

^1H NMR

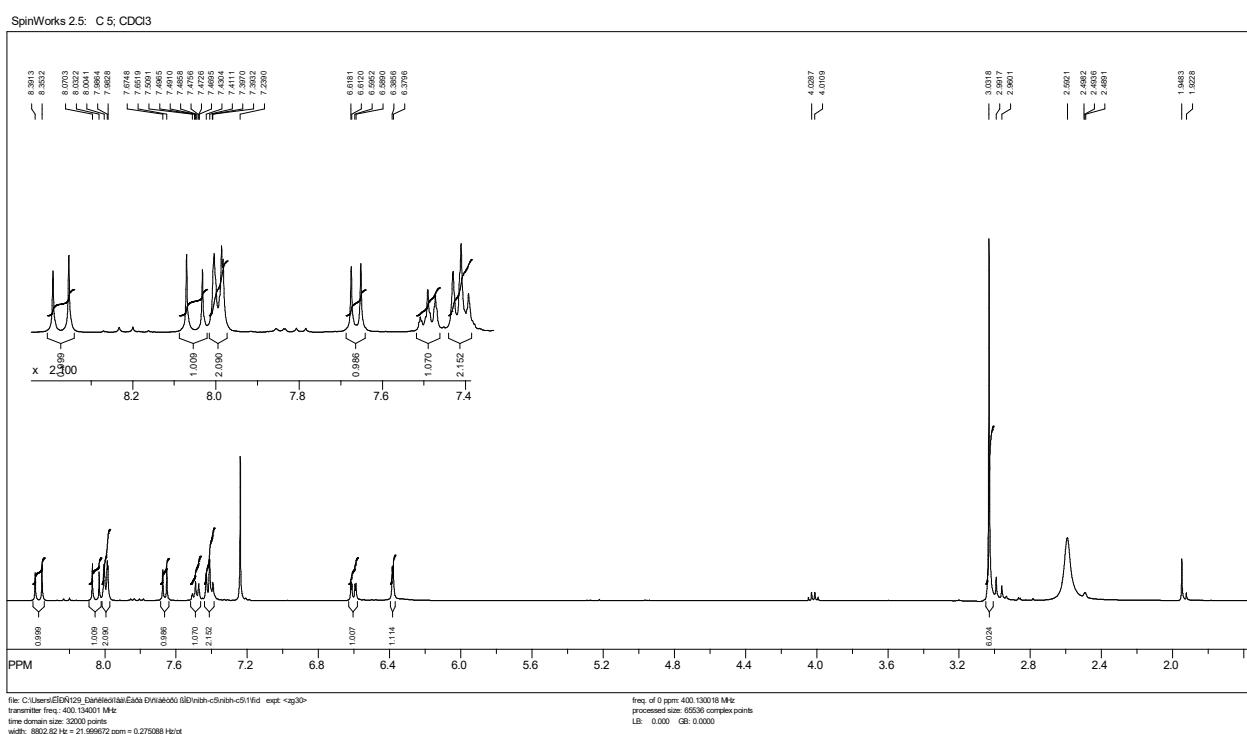


(E)-4-Chloro-7-(dimethylamino)-3-(3-oxo-3-phenylprop-1-en-1-yl)-2H-chromen-2-one (5)

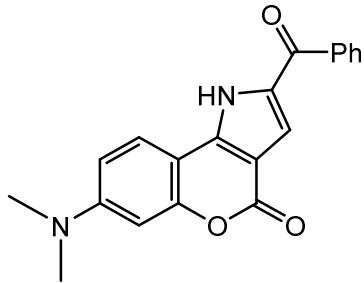


Coumarin (**4**) (1.32 g, 5.3 mmol) and (benzoylmethylene)triphenylphosphorane (2.02 g, 5.3 mmol,) were dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (30 mL) and stirred at RT for 24 h. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified on a silica gel using gradient of EtOH in CH₂Cl₂ (0-10%) as an eluent. The appropriate fractions were evaporated and then recrystallized from ethanol/acetonitrile (5/2) mixture to give orange crystals. Yield: 0.650 g, 1.8 mmol, 35%. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): 8.37 (1H, d, *J* 15.2, CH=CH), 8.05 (1H, d, *J* 15.2, CH=CH), 8.01-7.97 (2H, m, *o*-Ph), 7.66 (1H, d, *J* 9.2, H5), 7.49 (1H, t, *J* 7.3, *p*-Ph), 7.41 (2H, t, *J* 7.4, *m*-Ph), 6.60 (1H, dd, *J* 9.1, 2.4, H6), 6.38 (1H, d, *J* 2.4, H8), 3.03 (6H, s, N(CH₃)₂).

¹H NMR

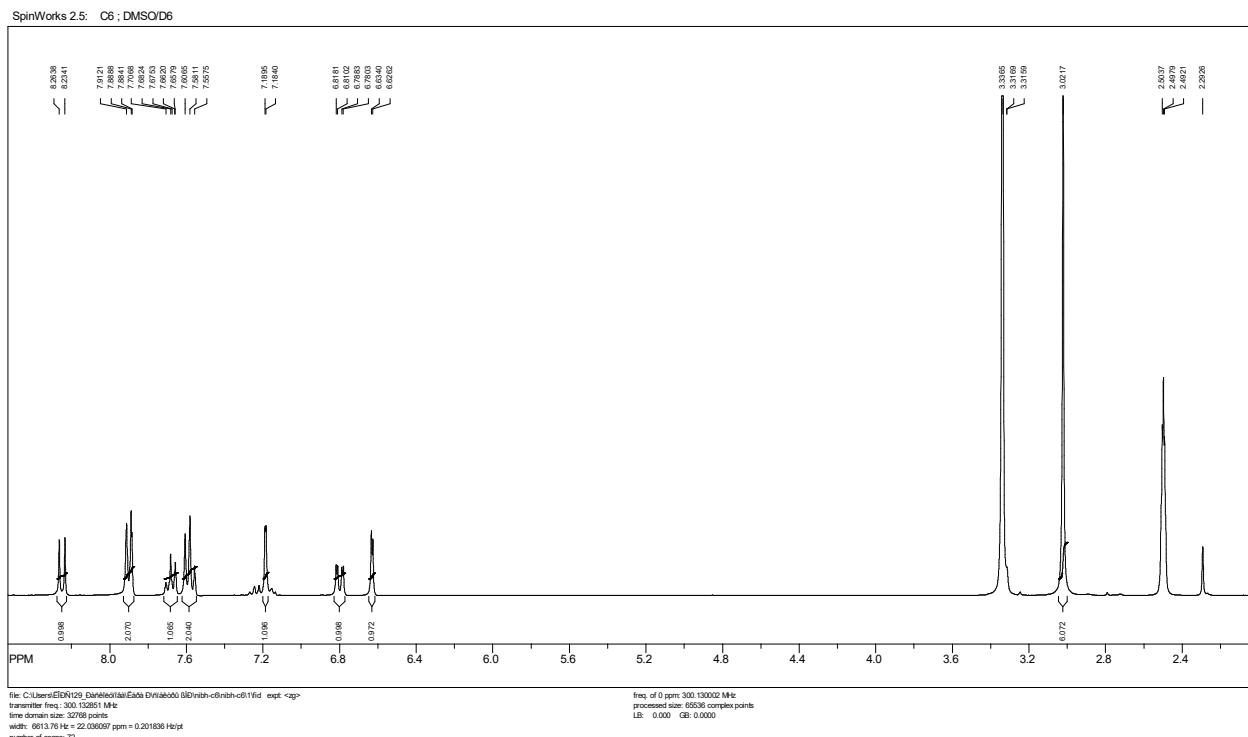


2-Benzoyl-7-(dimethylamino)chromeno[4,3-*b*]pyrrol-4(1*H*)-one (7)



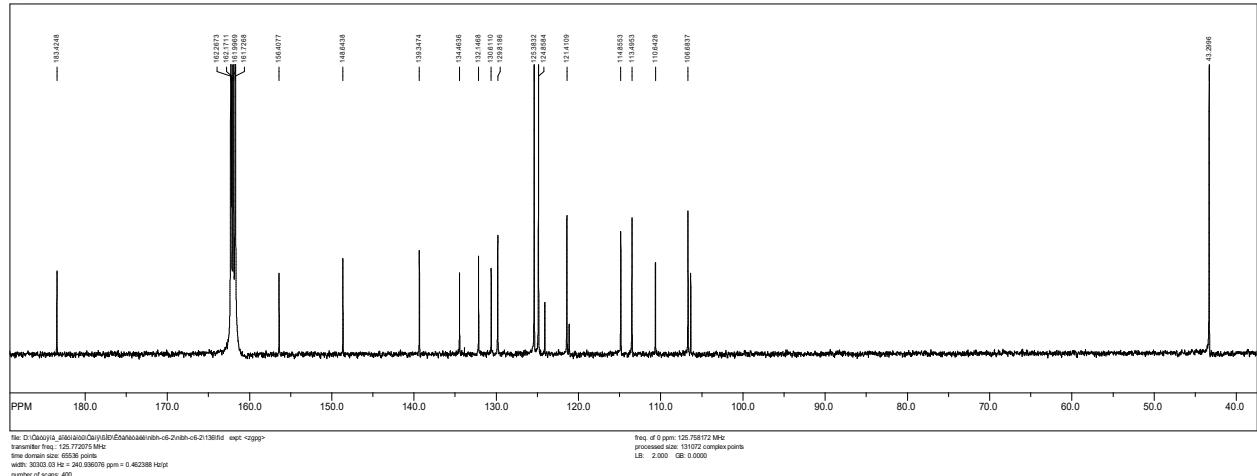
To a suspension of compound (5) (0.654 g, 1.9 mmol) in acetone (50 mL) sodium azide (0.200 g, 3.0 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was vigorously stirred at 40°C for 2 h. Solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was treated with water to give precipitate. Crystals were filtered off and dried in vacuum to give mixture of coumarins **6** and **7**. This solid mixture was suspended in dry toluene (15 mL) and refluxed for 2 h. Reaction mixture was cooled, the precipitate was filtered off, washed with toluene and dried to give pure title compound **7**. Light yellow powder. Yield: 0.554 g, 1.7 mmol, 88%. ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*6): 8.25 (1H, d, *J* 8.9, H9), 7.90 (2H, d, *J* 7.0, *o*-Ph), 7.68 (1H, t, *J* 7.4, *p*-Ph), 7.58 (2H, t, *J* 7.4, *m*-Ph), 7.19 (1H, d, *J* 1.6, H3), 6.80 (1H, dd, *J* 2.5, 9.1, H8), 6.63 (1H, d, *J* 2.4, H6), 3.02 (6H, s, N(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR (DCOOD): 183.43, 162.17, 156.41, 148.64, 139.35, 134.46, 132.15, 130.62, 129.83, 125.39, 124.86, 121.41, 114.86, 113.50, 110.65, 106.69, 43.29; MS ESI (m/z): [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₀H₁₇N₂O₃ 333.12; found 333.00.

¹H NMR

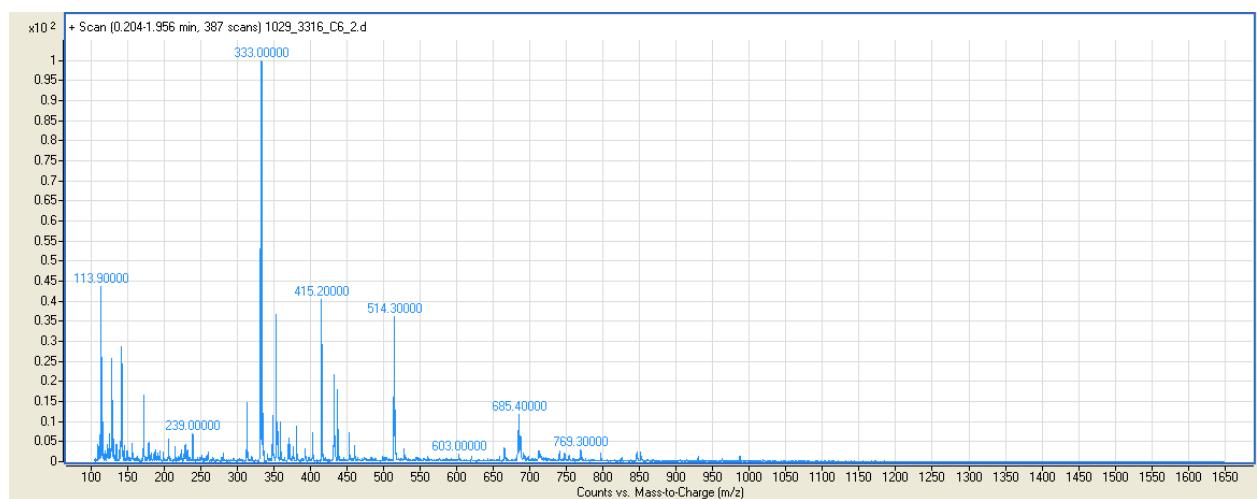


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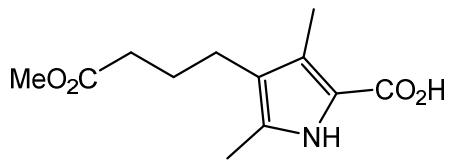
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ESI mass spectra

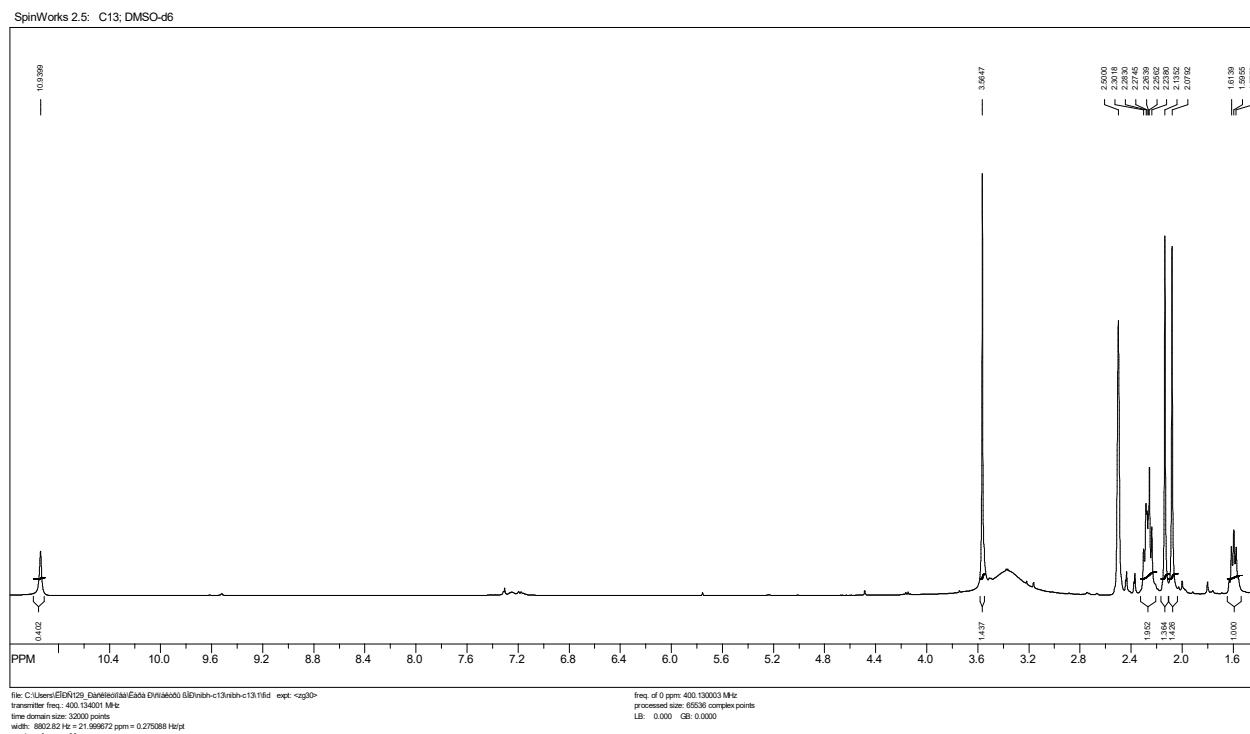


4-(4-Methoxy-4-oxobutyl)-3,5-dimethyl-1H-pyrrole-2-carboxylic acid (10)

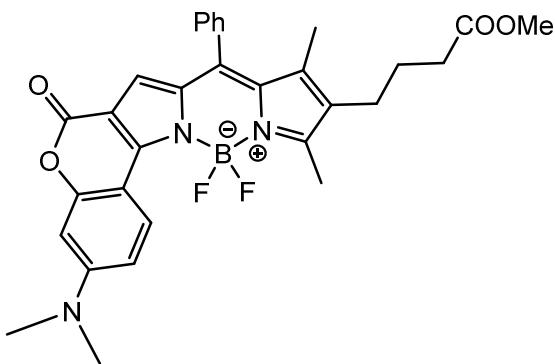


¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*6): 10.94 (1H, s, NH), 3.56 (3H, s, OCH₃), 2.28 (2H, t, *J* 7.6, CH₂), 2.26 (2H, t, *J* 7.3, CH₂), 2.14 (3H, s, CH₃), 2.08 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.64-1.54 (2H, m, CH₂).

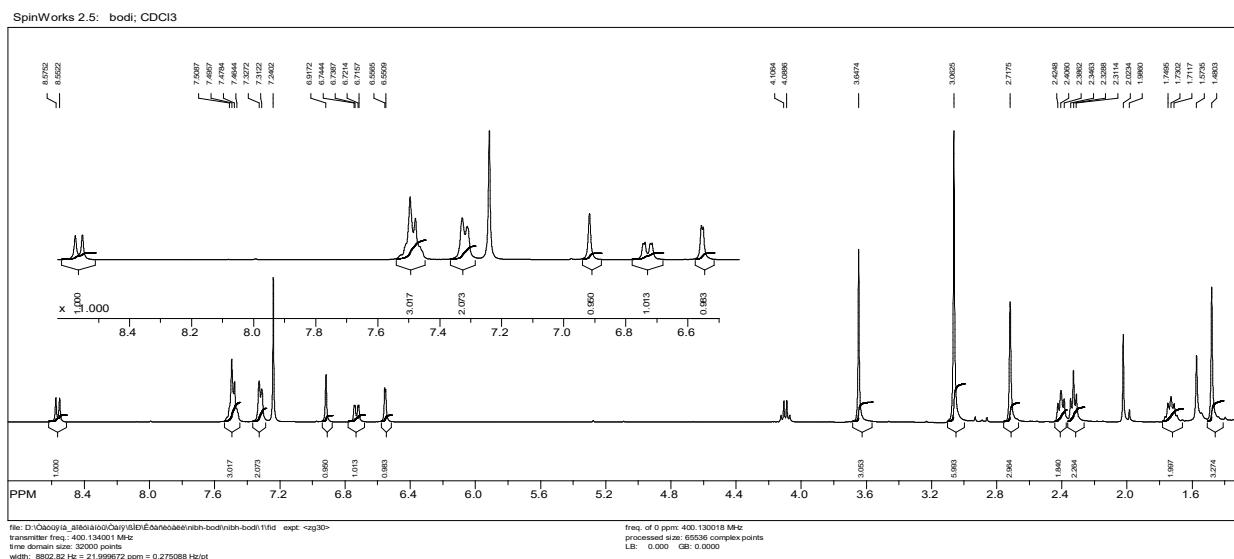
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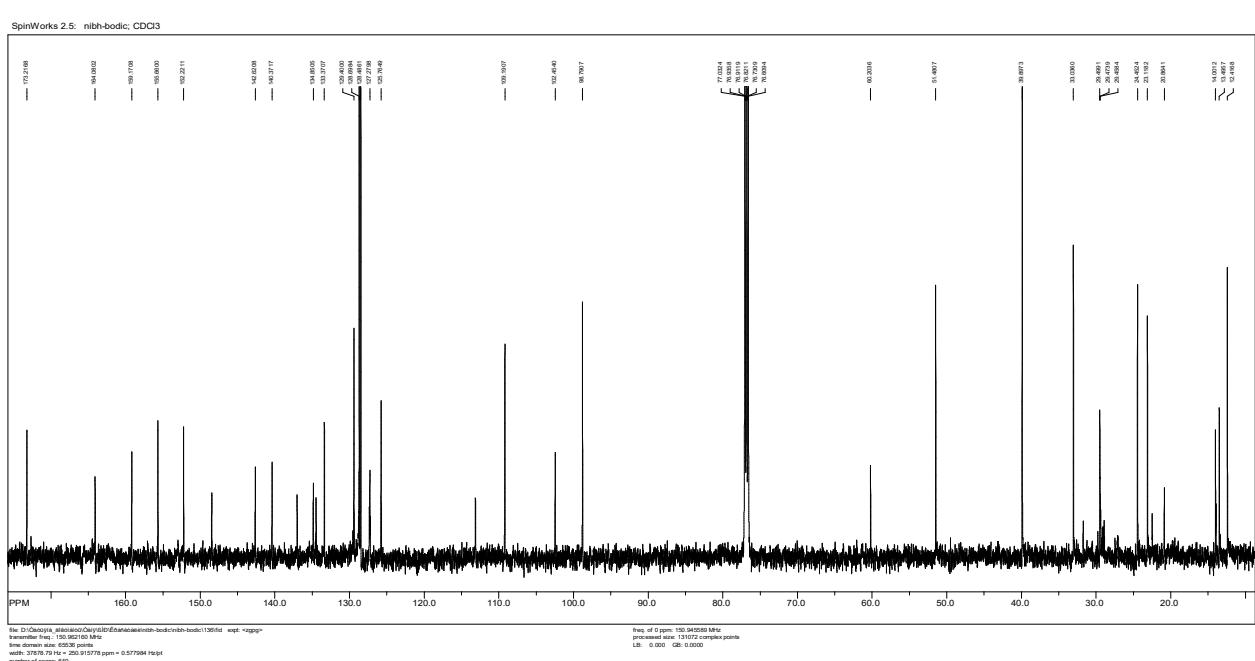
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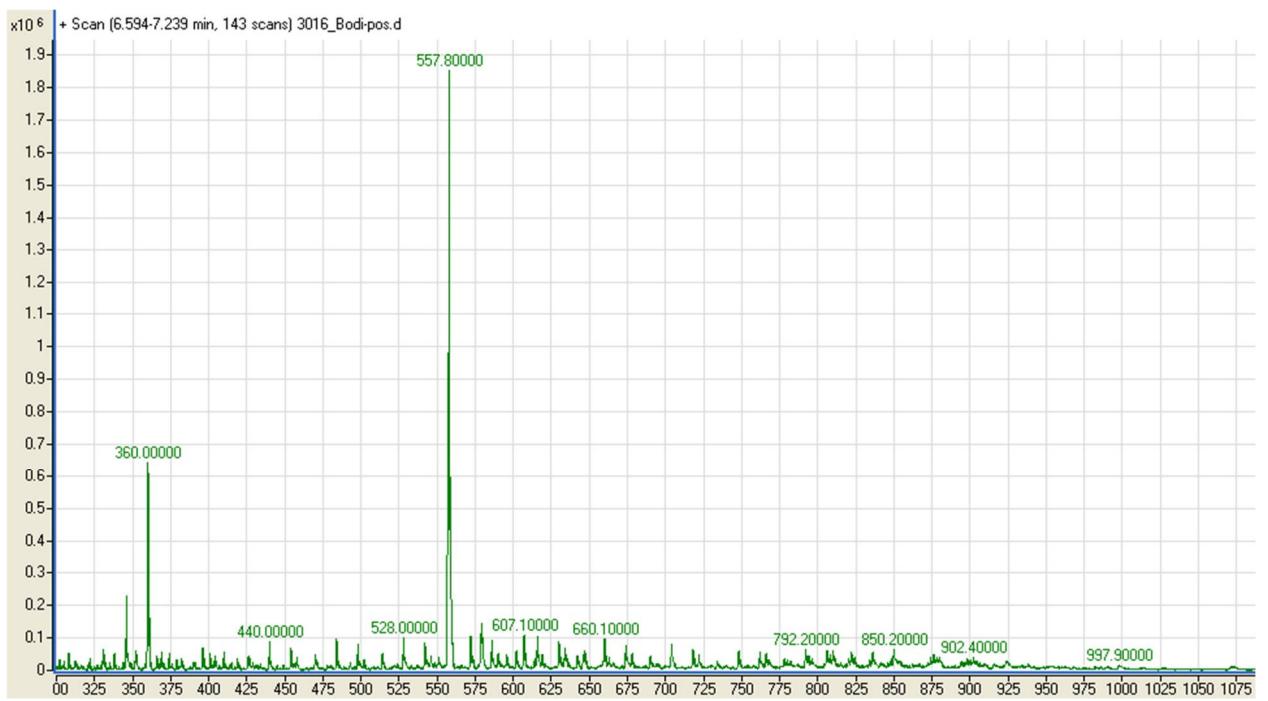
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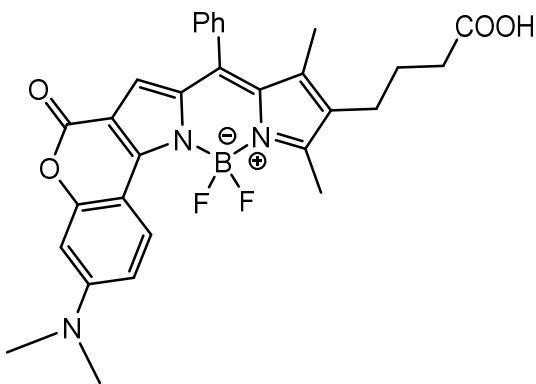
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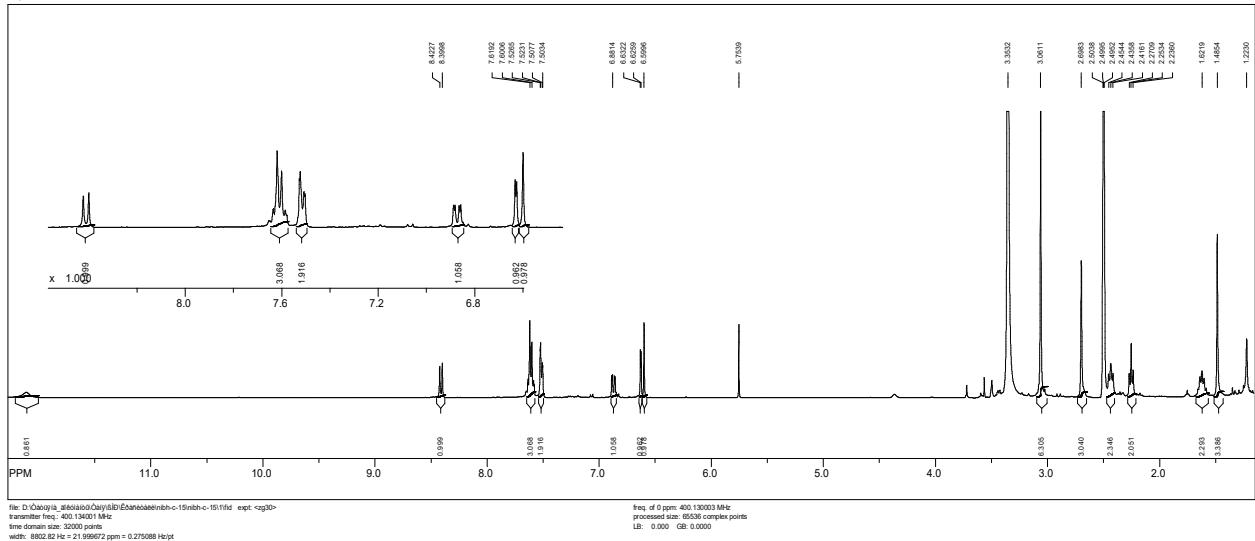


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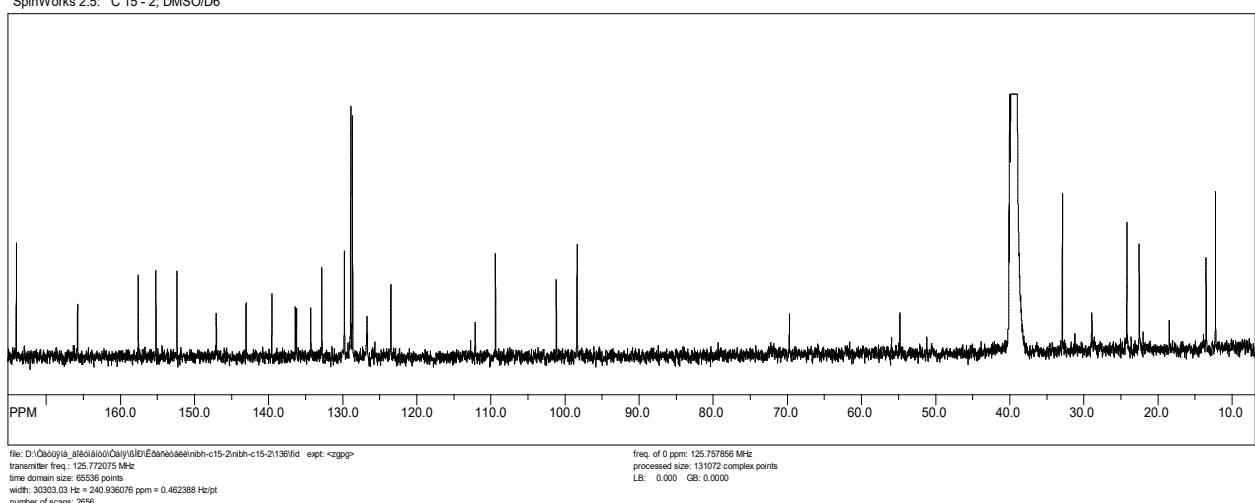
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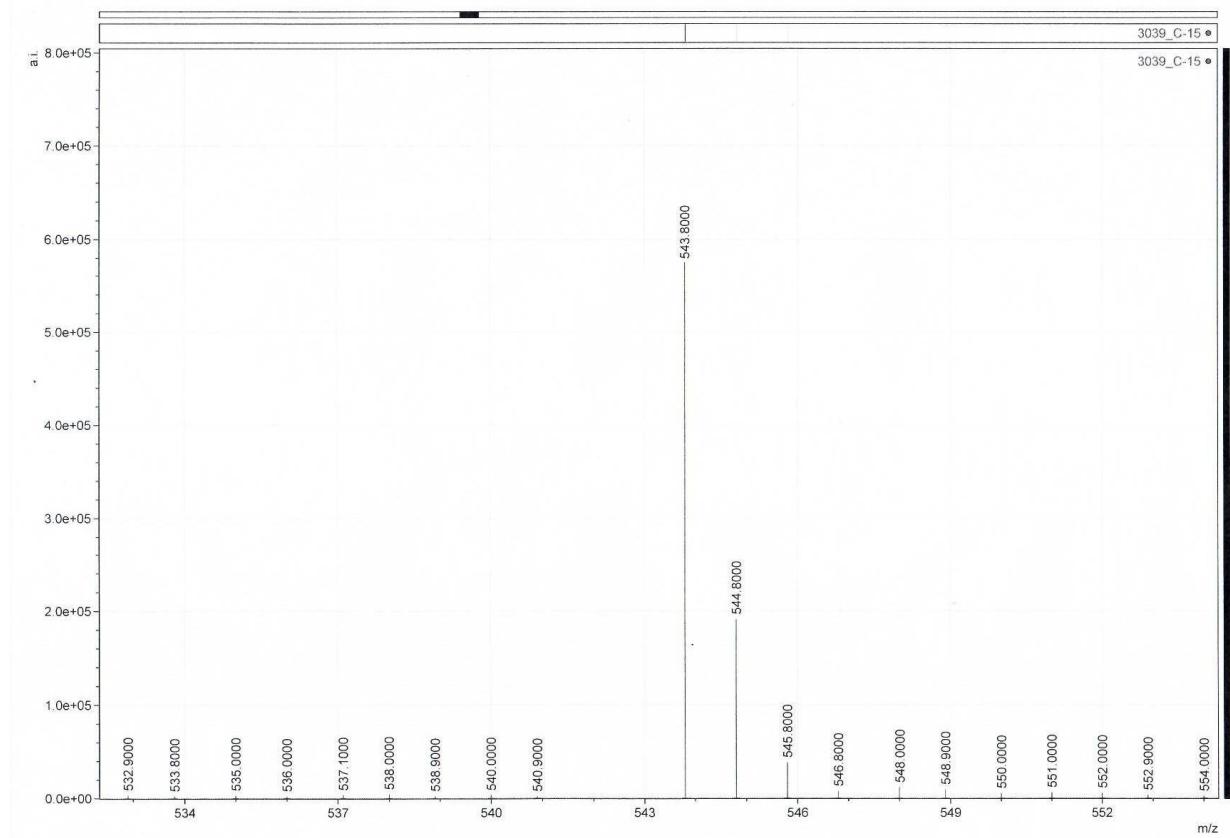
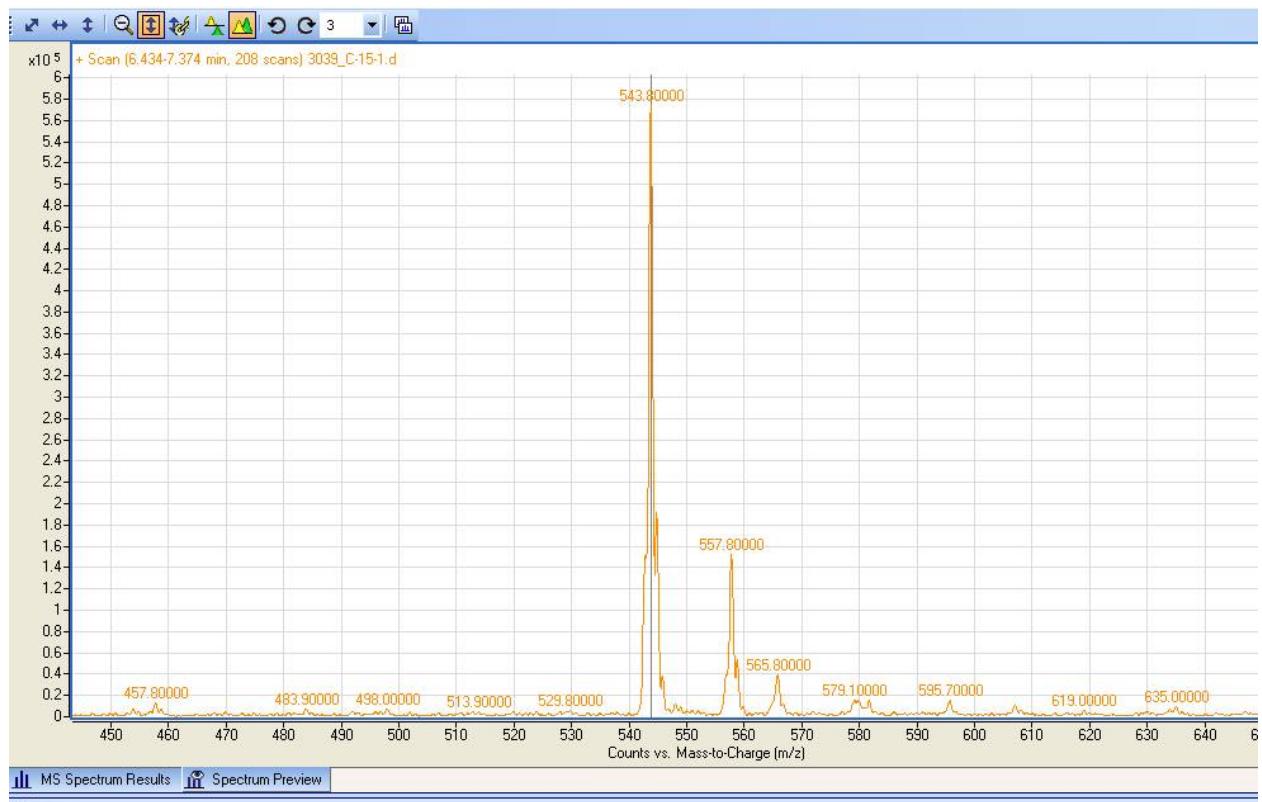


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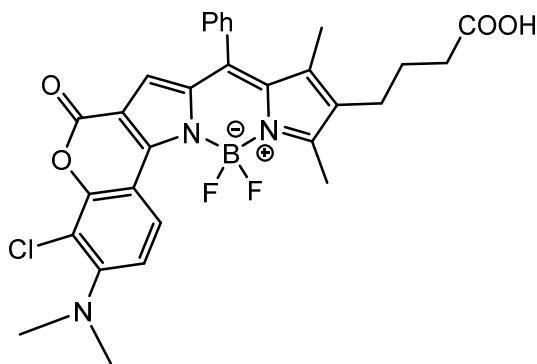
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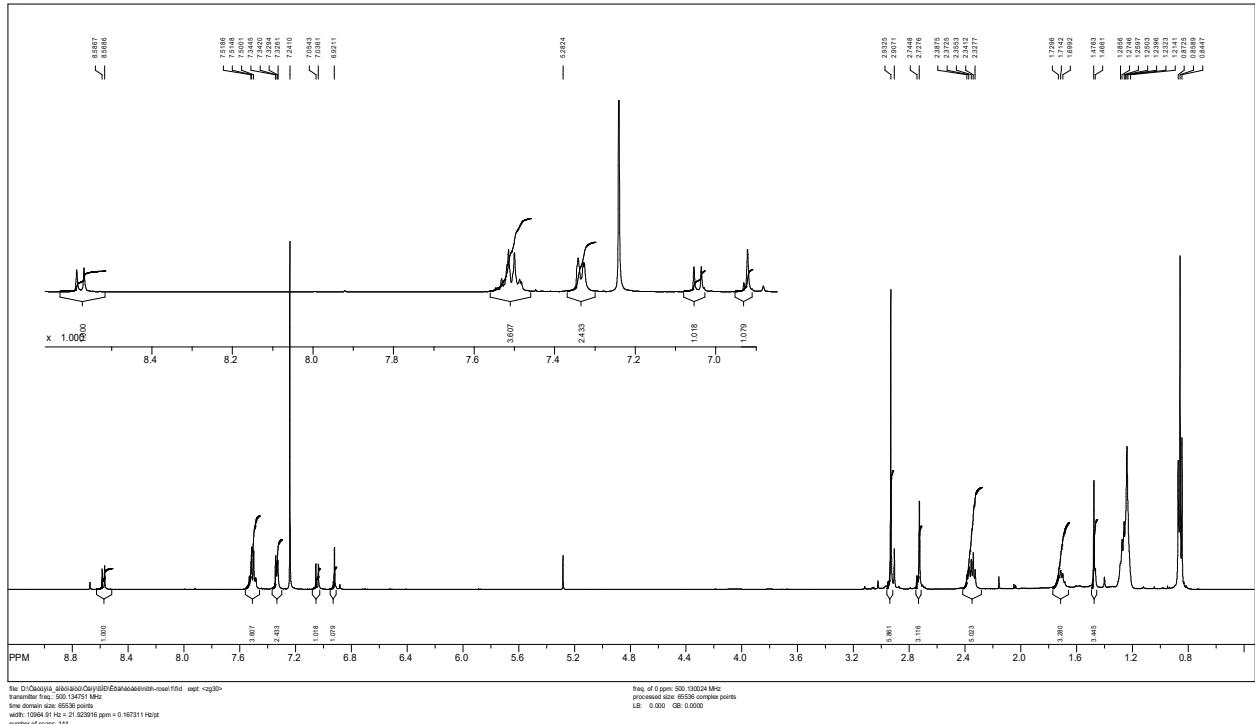


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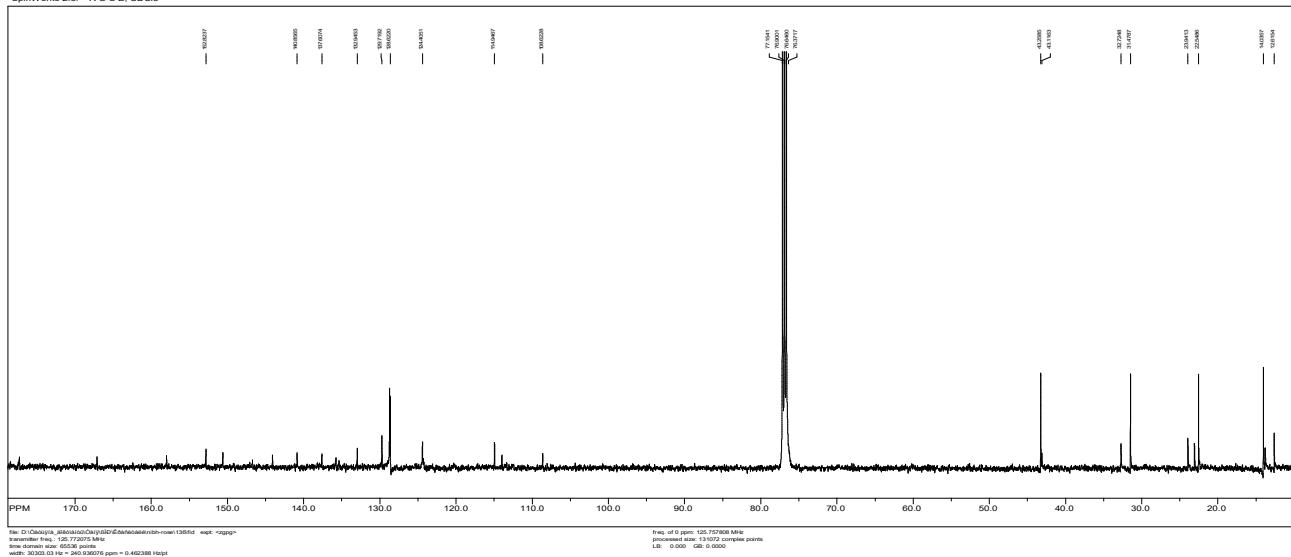
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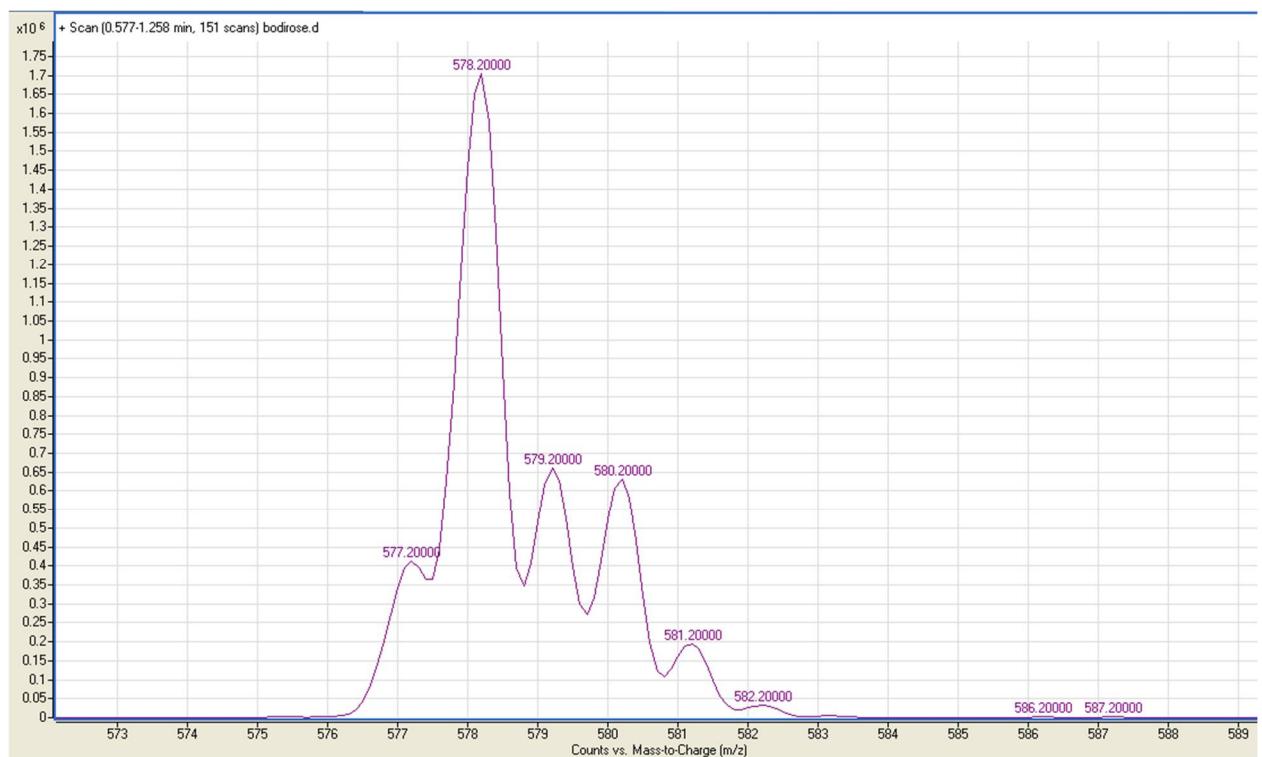
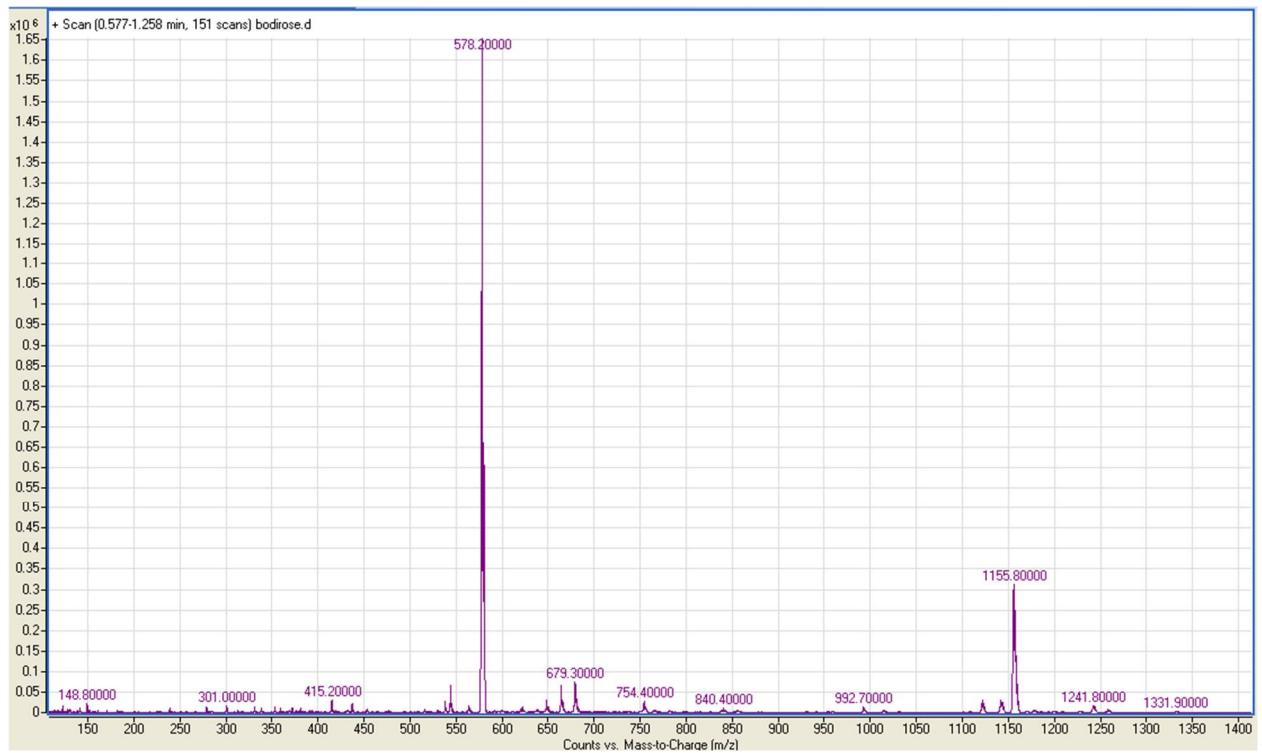


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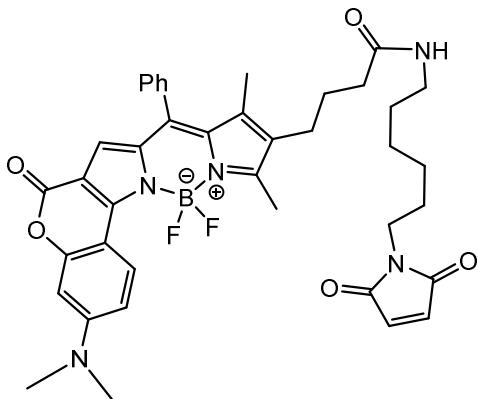
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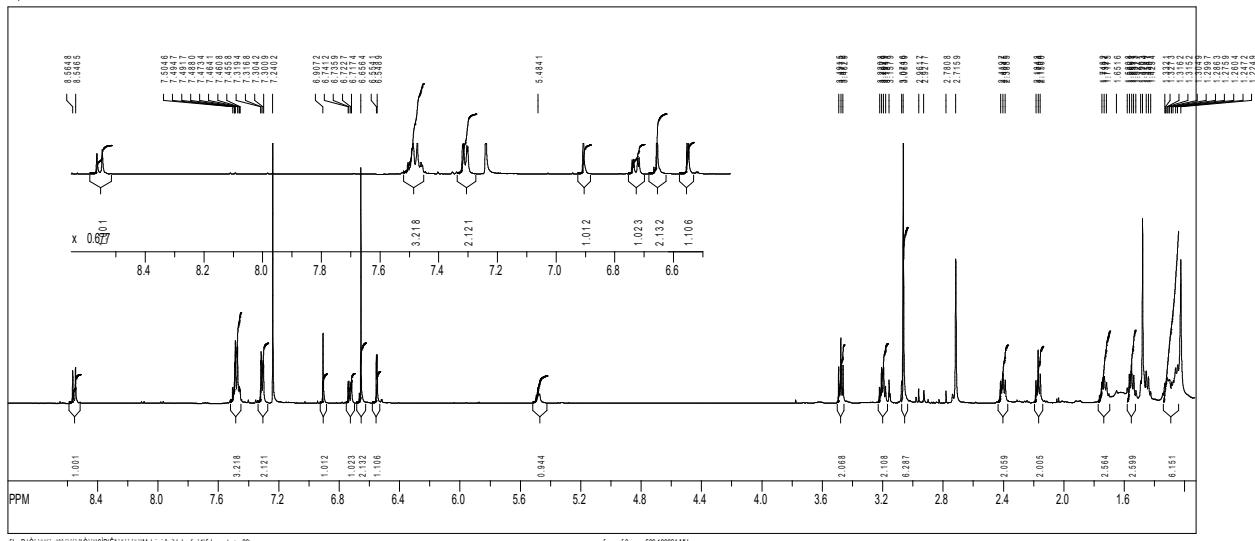


BODIPY maleimide derivative (12)



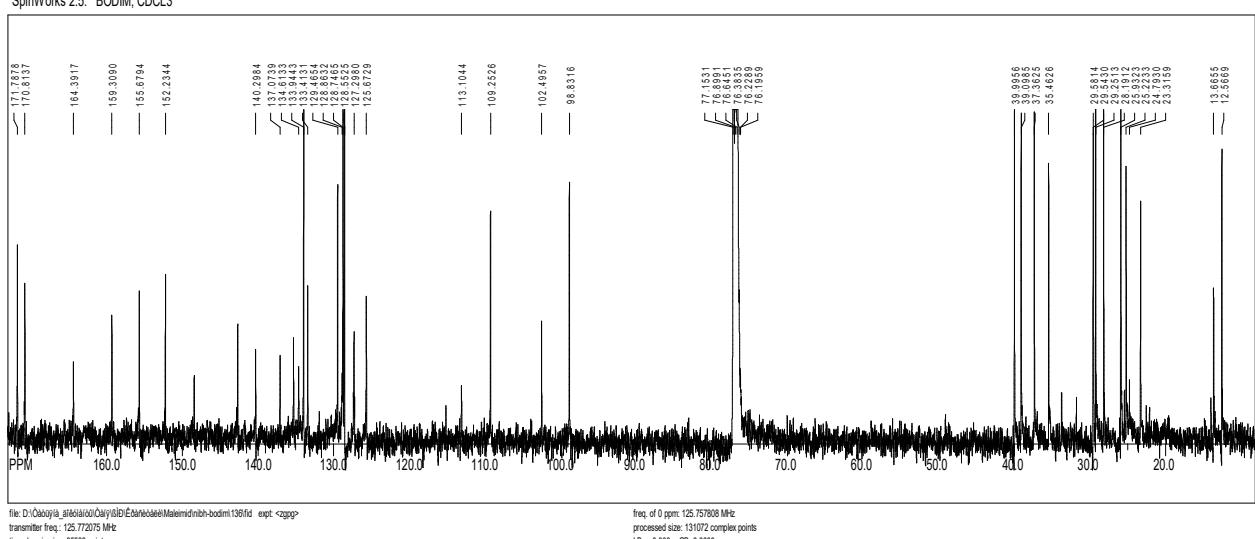
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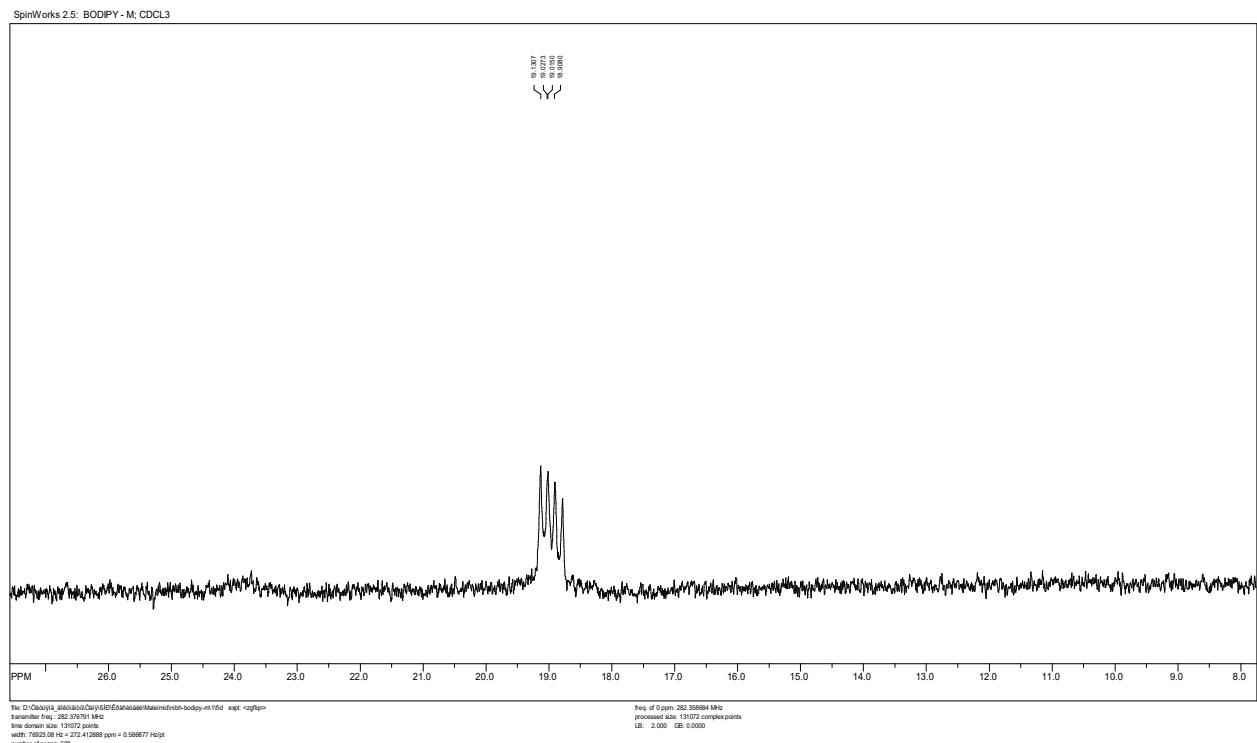


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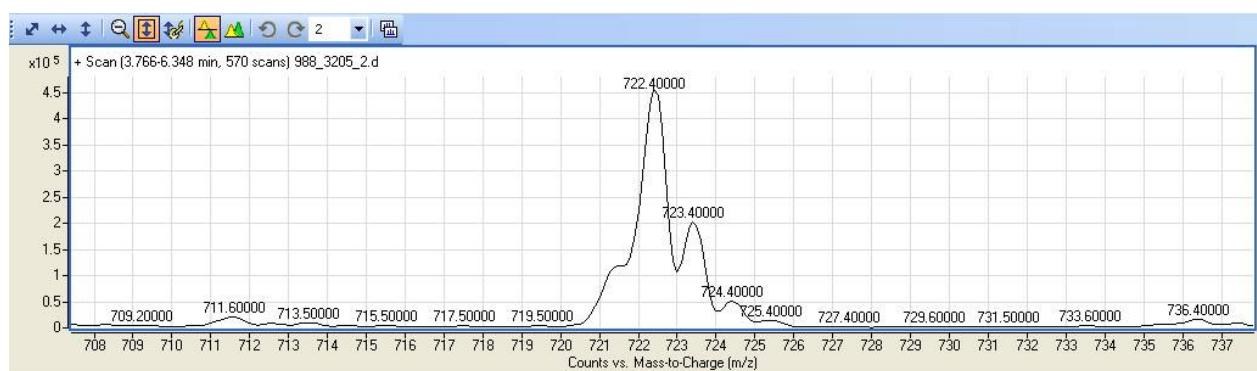
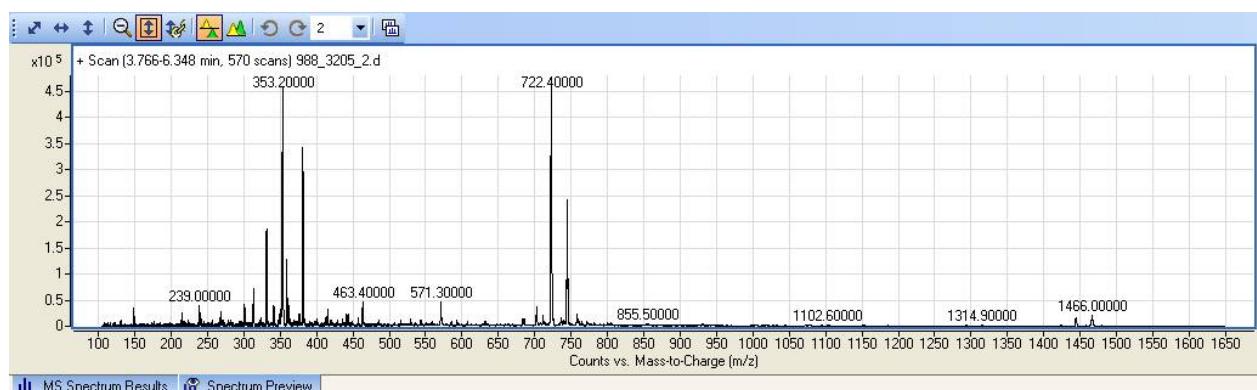
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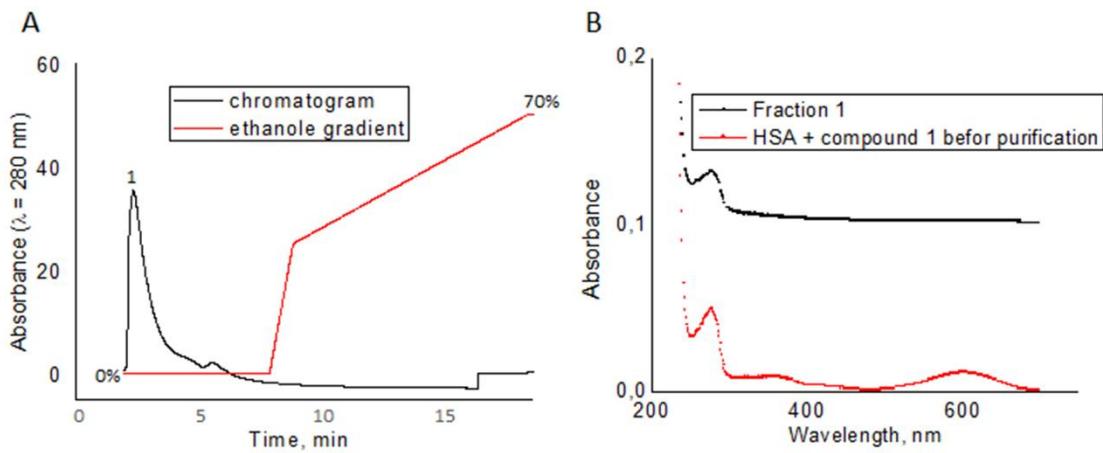


Figure S1. Panel A: ion exchange HPLC of a mixture of HSA and BODIPY dye (**1**). Polysil CA-500 column, 10 μm , 250 x 4.6 mm., elution: 0.3 M phosphate buffer, pH 7.4, ethanol gradient 0-70%, UV detection at 280 nm; panel B: UV-vis spectra of the HSA and BODIPY (**1**) mixture (red line) and fraction 1 (black line).