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**APPENDICES**

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**APPENDIX A**

**SPECTRA OF SYNTHESIZED NITRATE COMPOUNDS**

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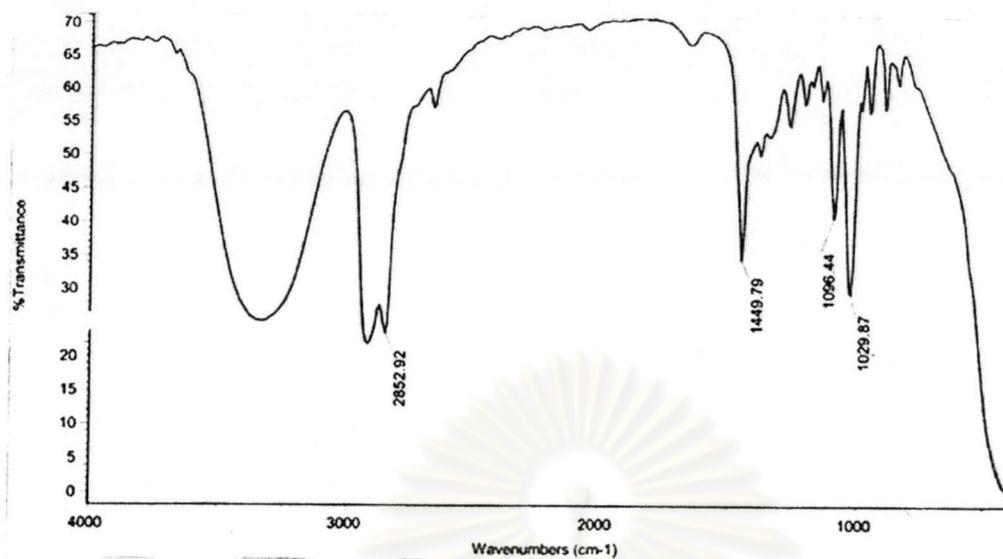


Figure A1 FTIR Spectrum of Cyclohexylmethanol (NaCl)

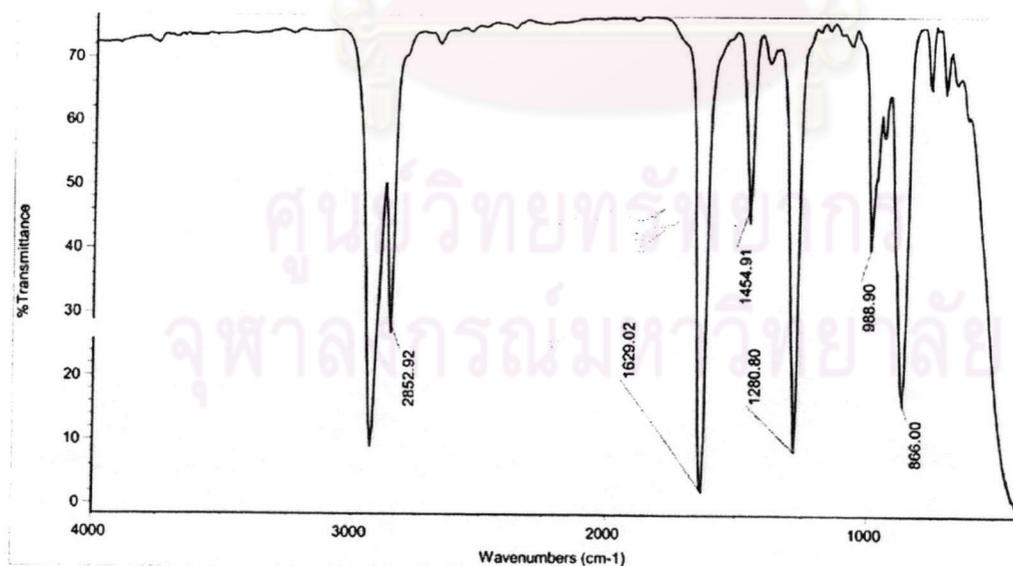
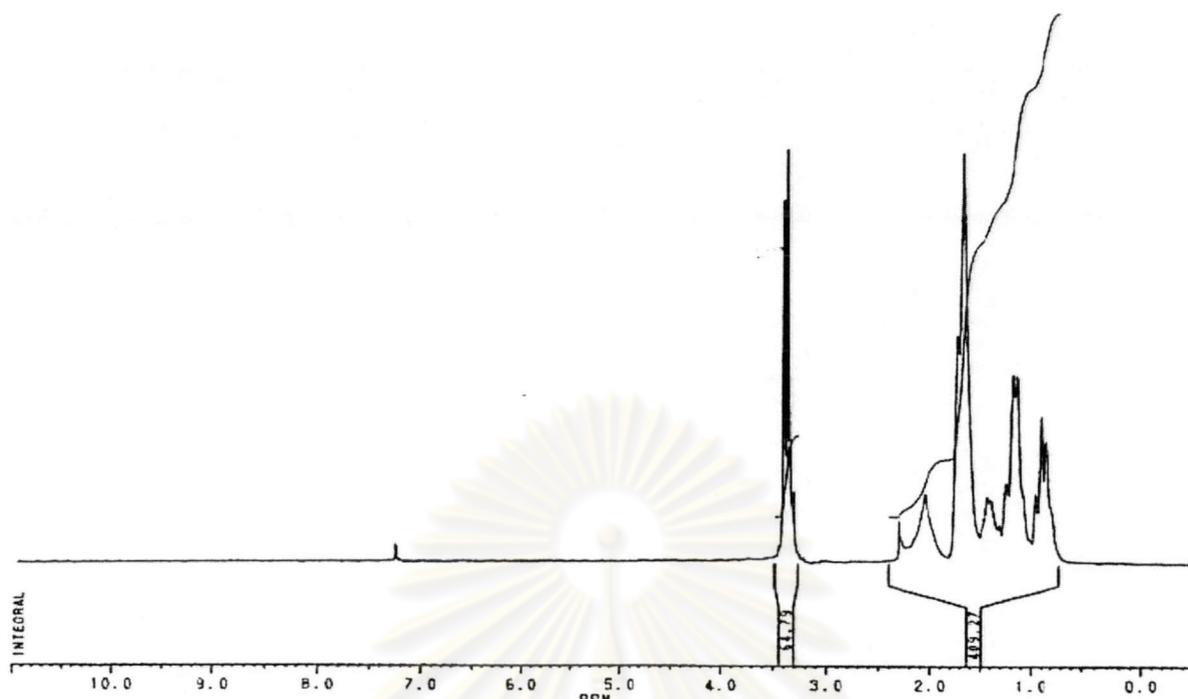
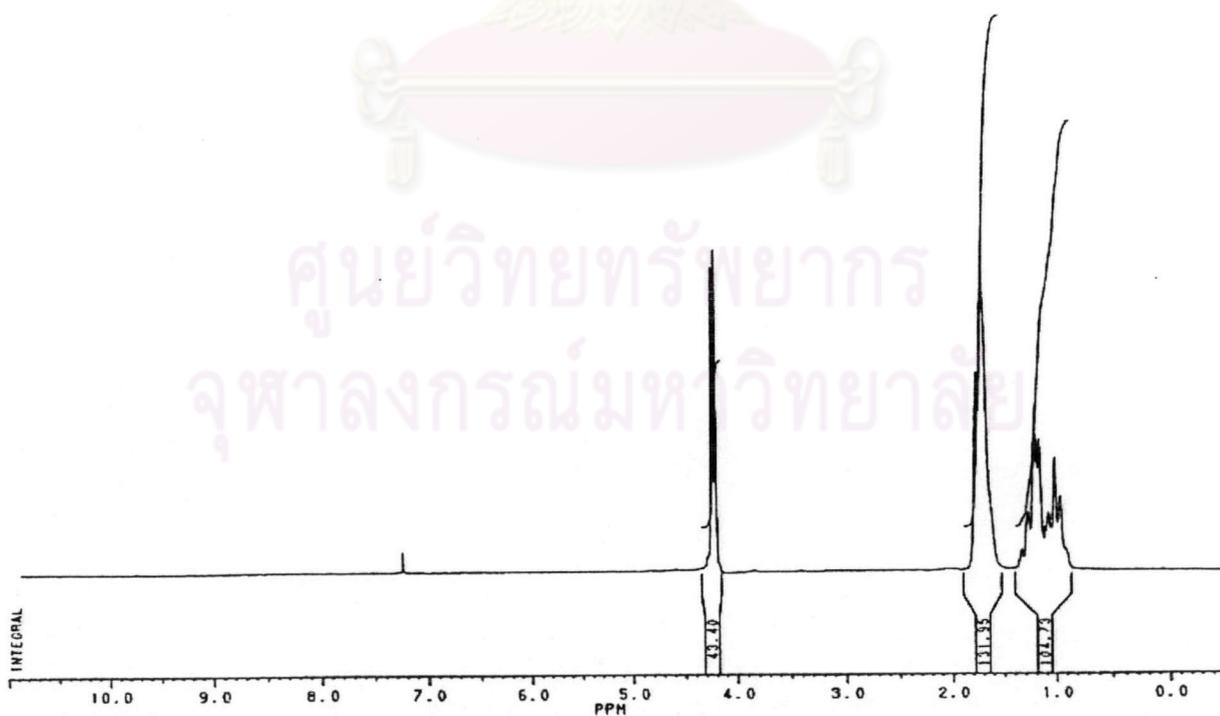


Figure A2 FTIR Spectrum of Cyclohexylmethyl Nitrate (NaCl)



**Figure A3**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  Spectrum of Cyclohexylmethanol ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure A4**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  Spectrum of Cyclohexylmethyl Nitrate ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

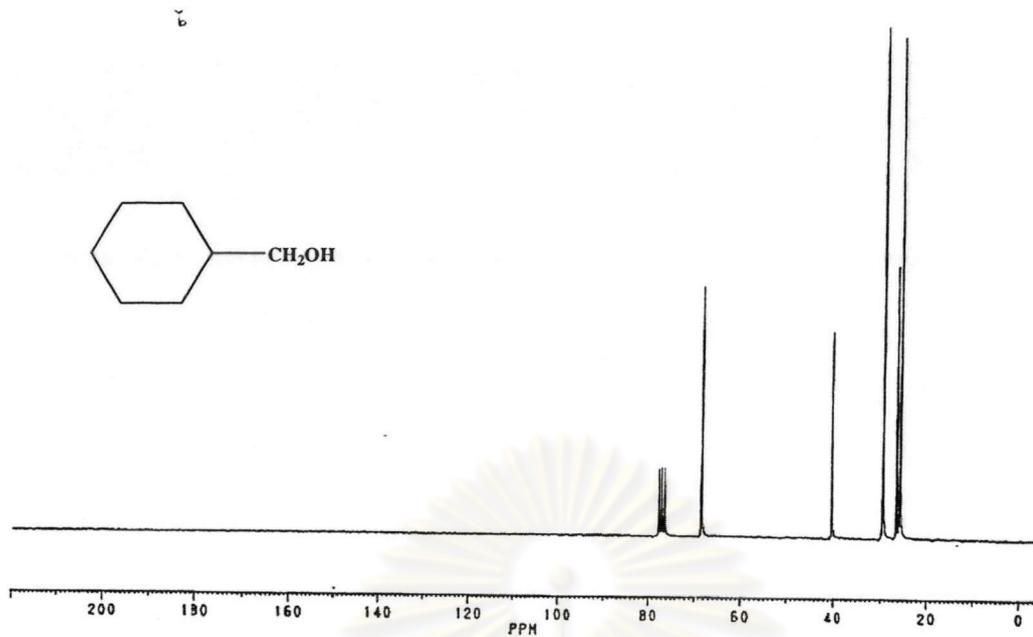


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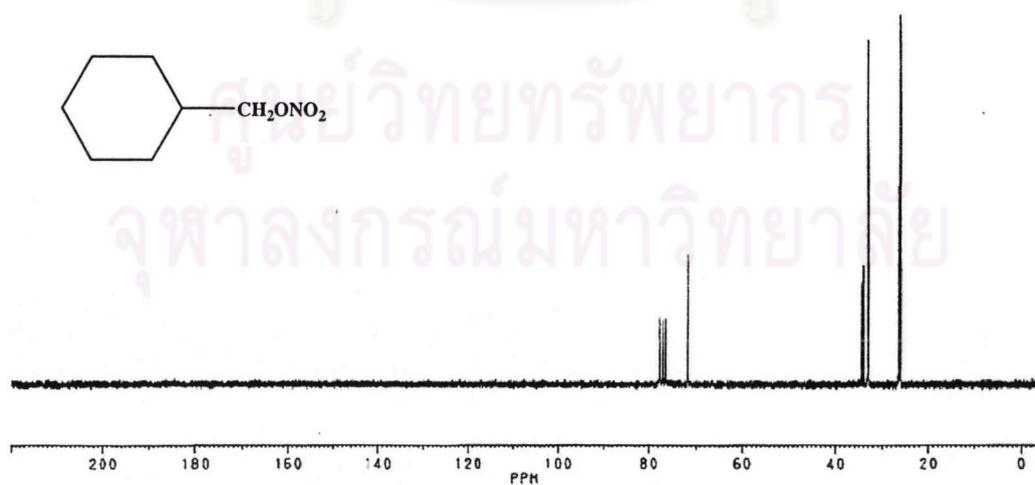


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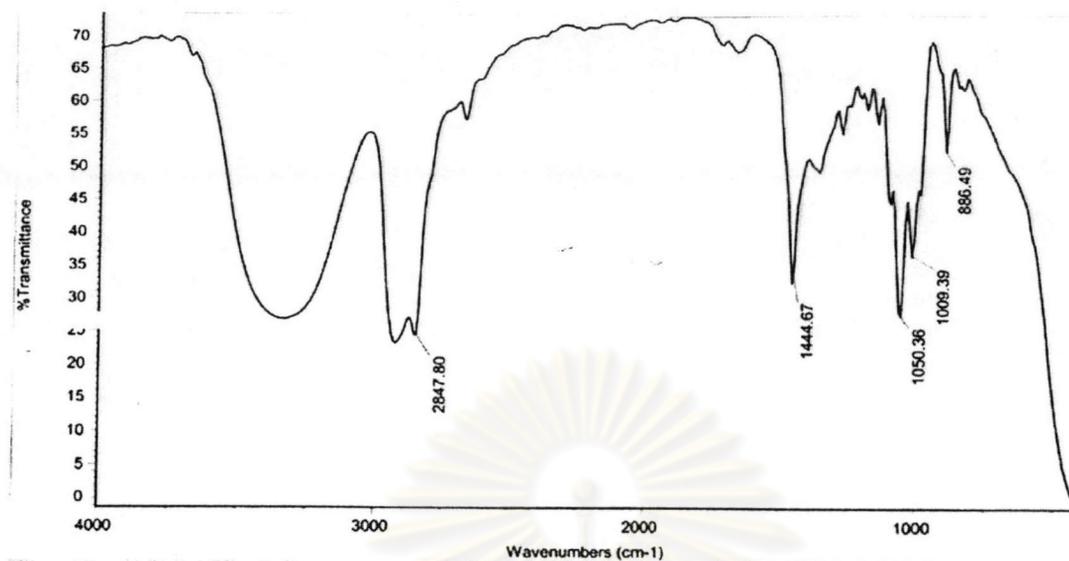


Figure A7 FTIR Spectrum of 2-Cyclohexylethanol (NaCl)

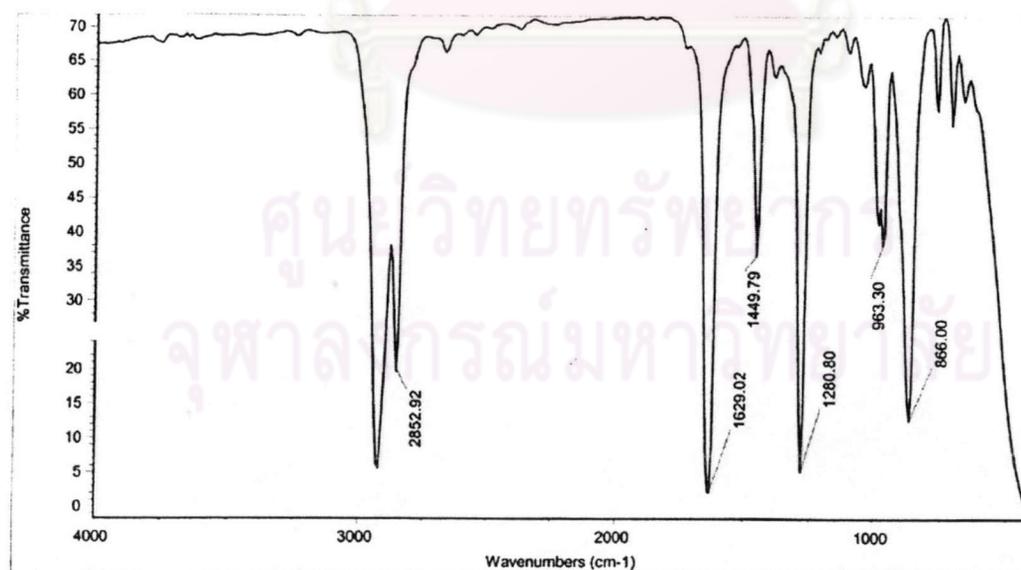


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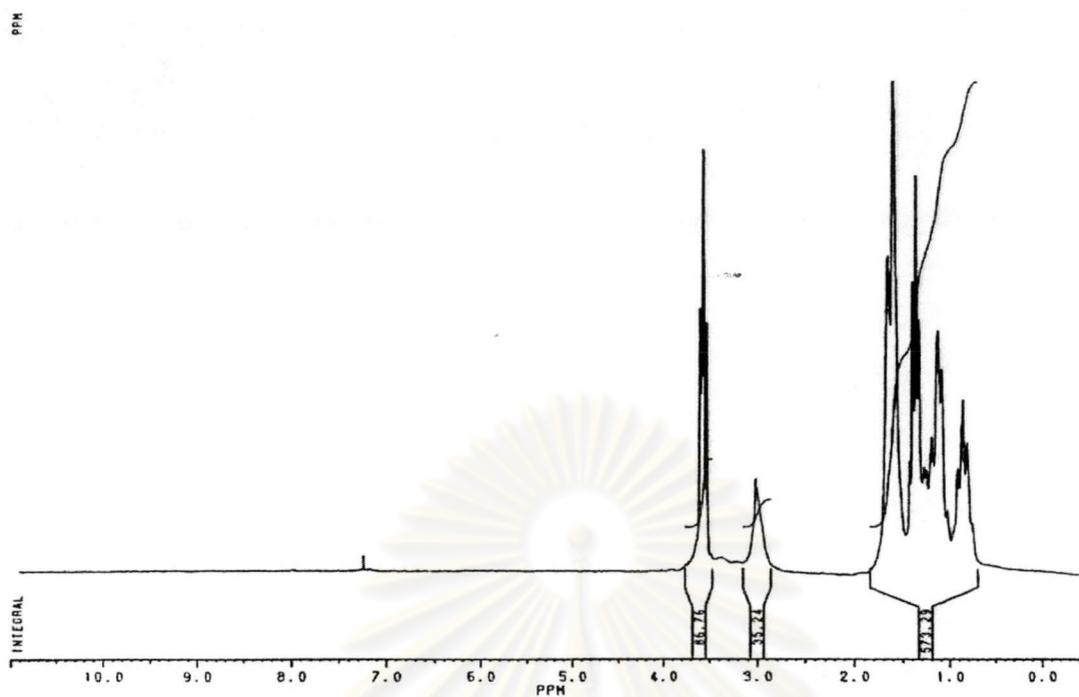


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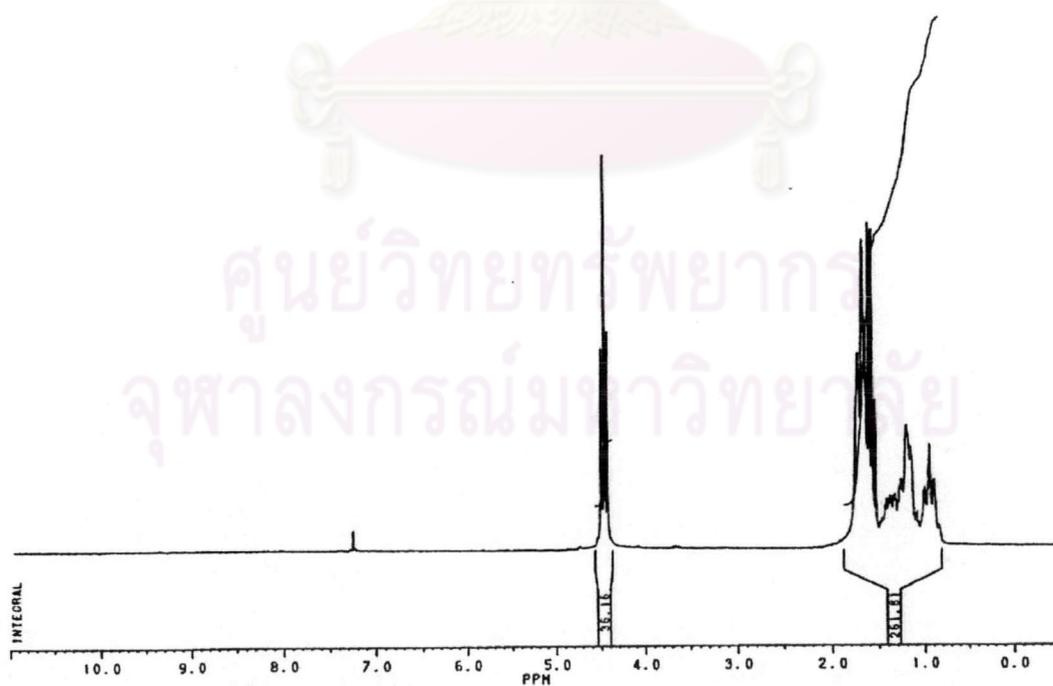


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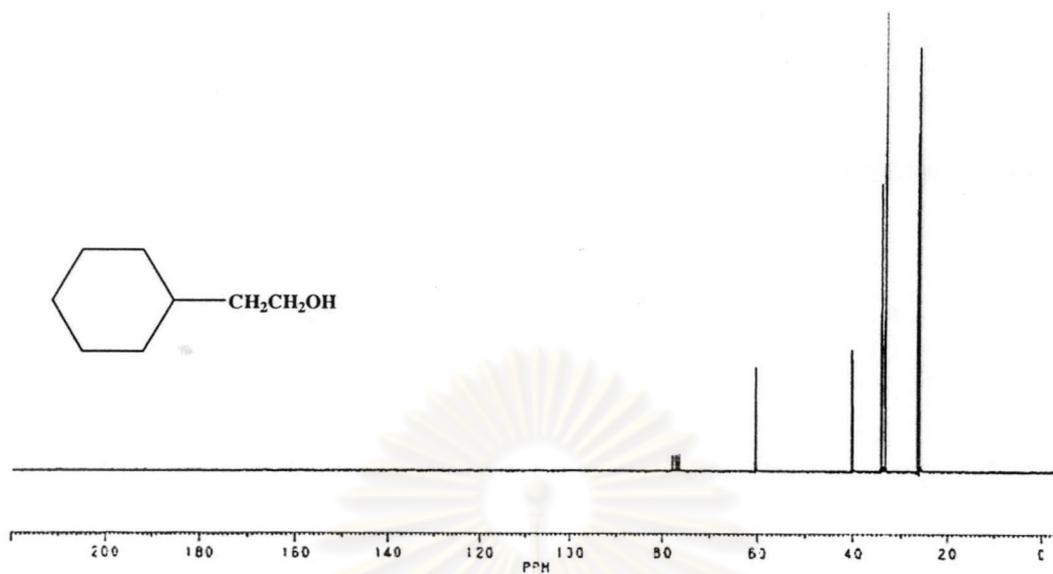


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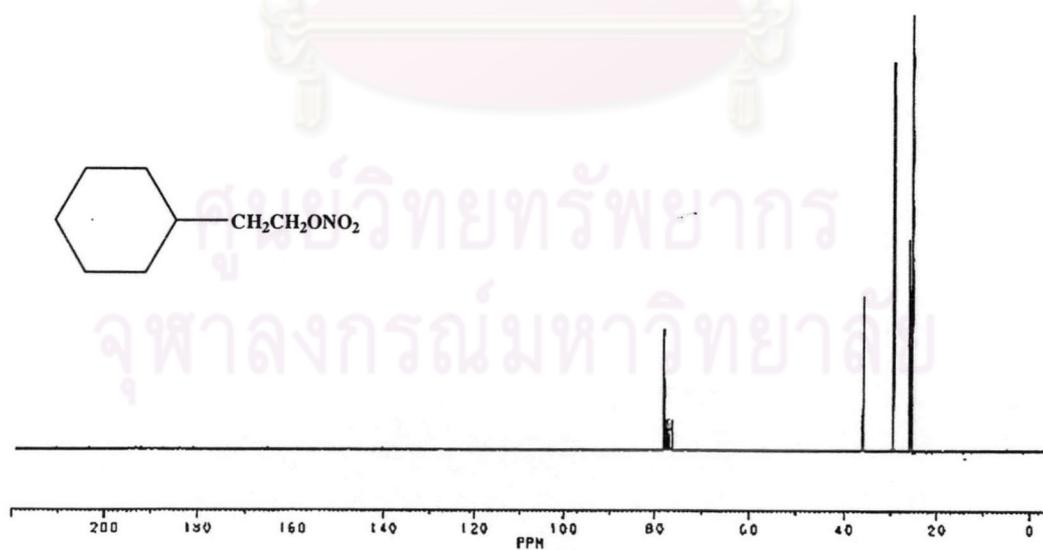


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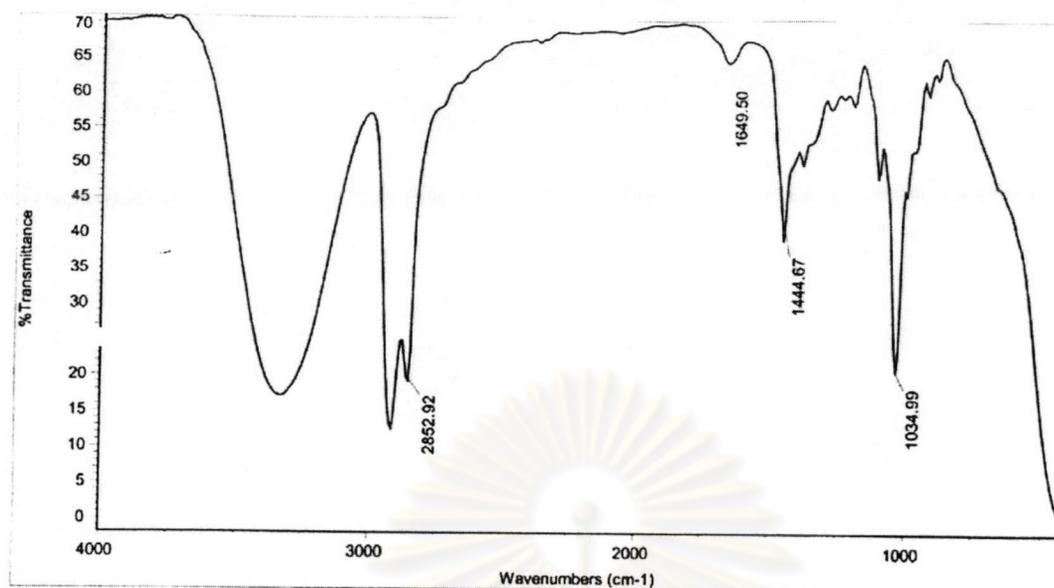


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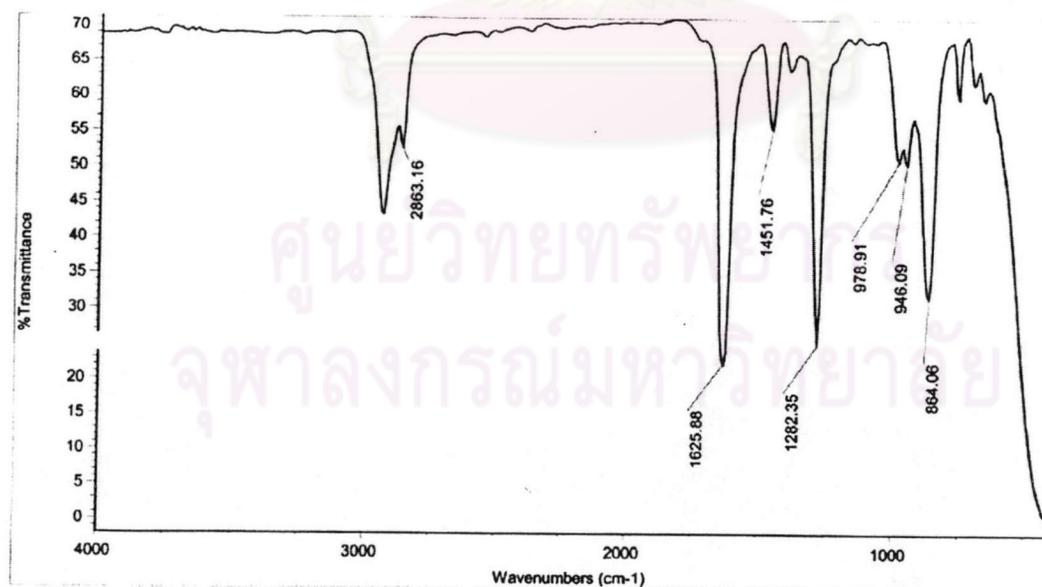


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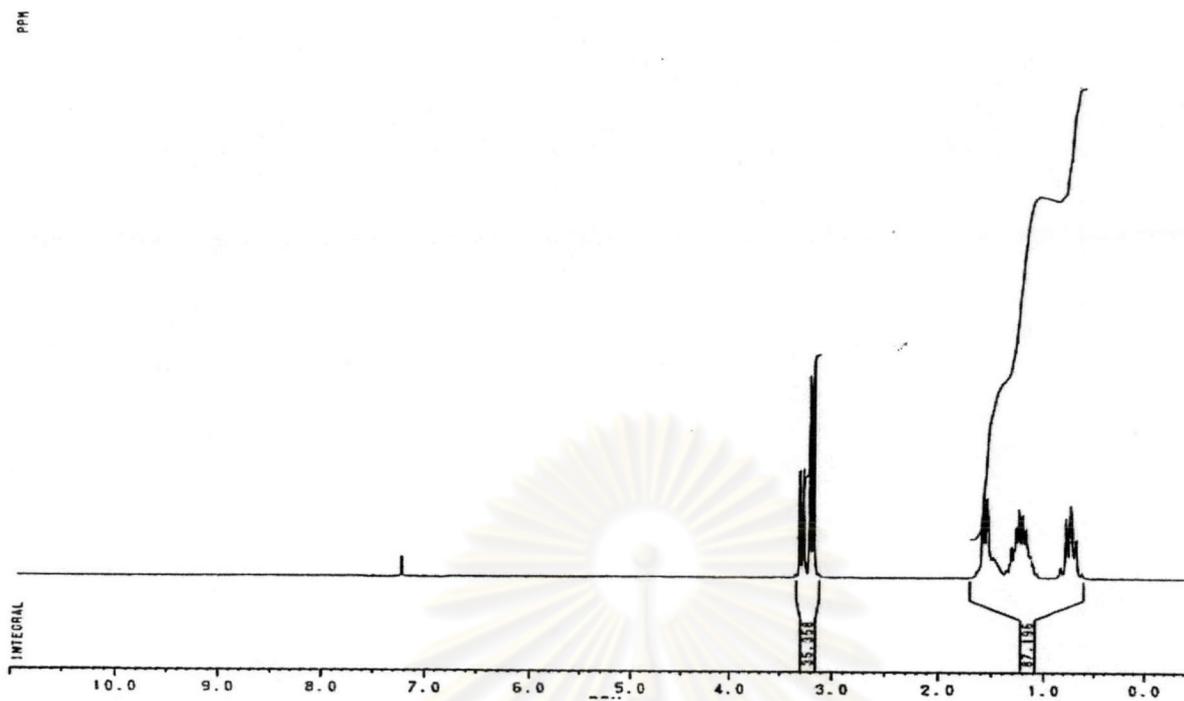


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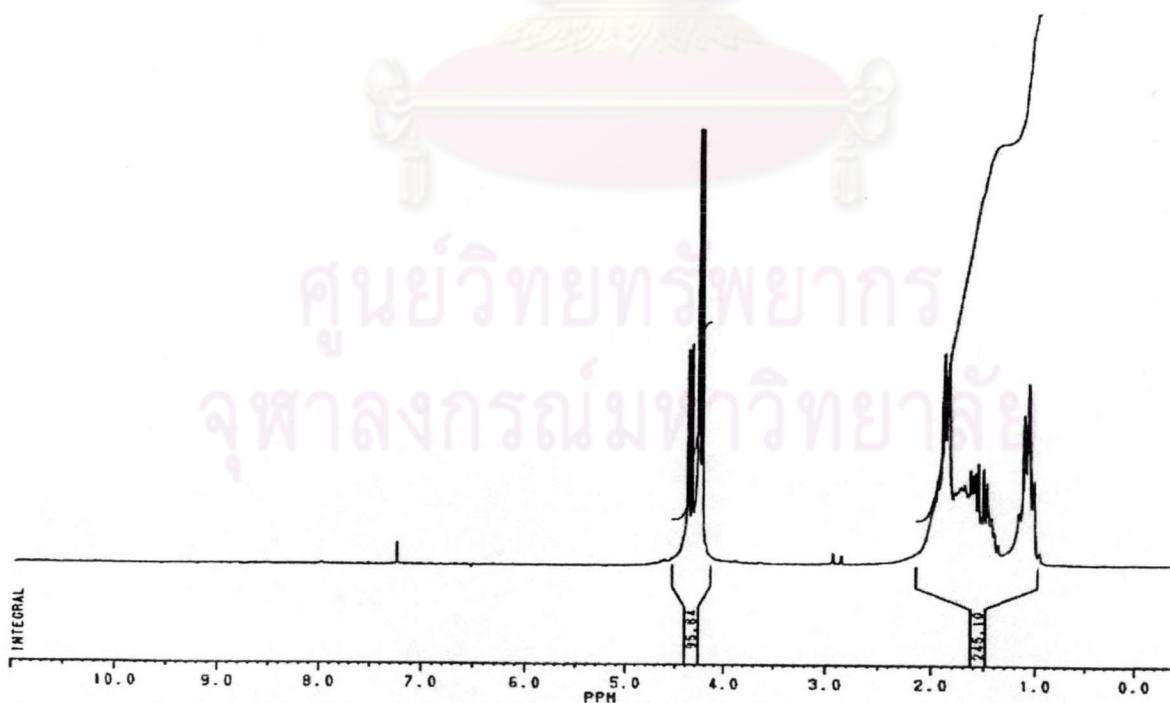


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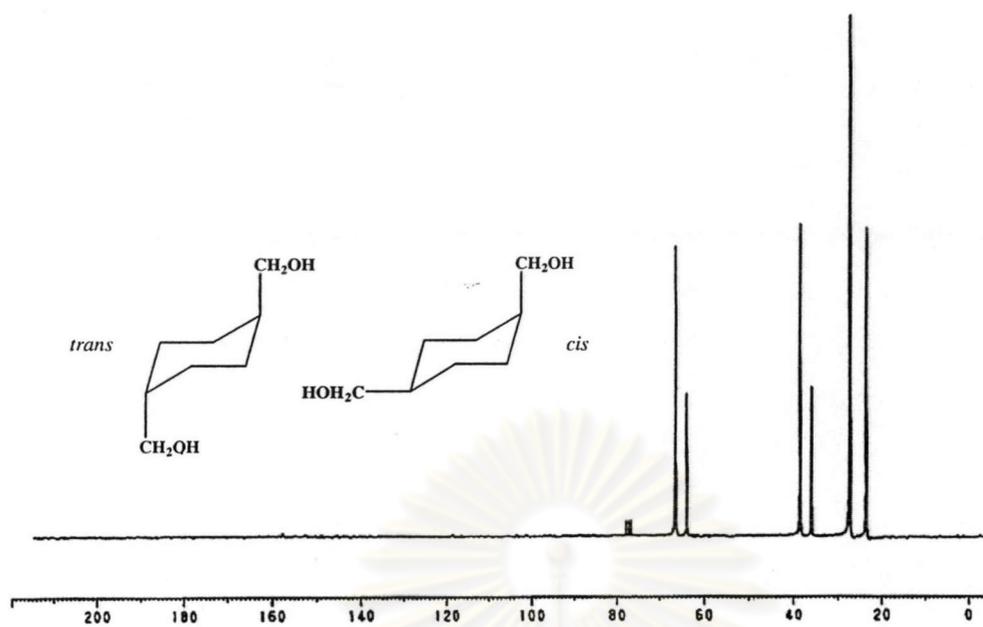


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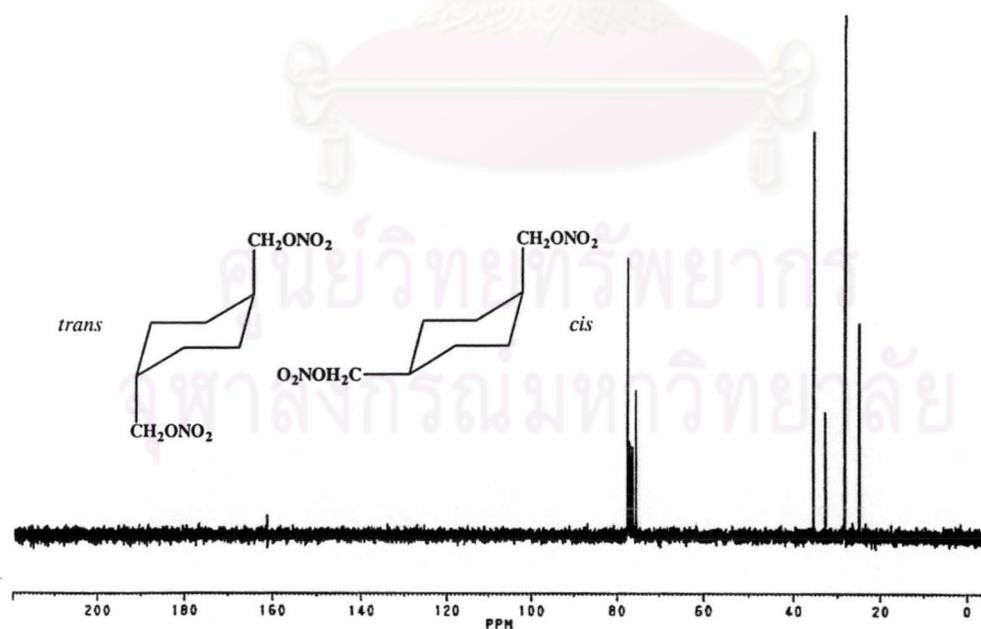


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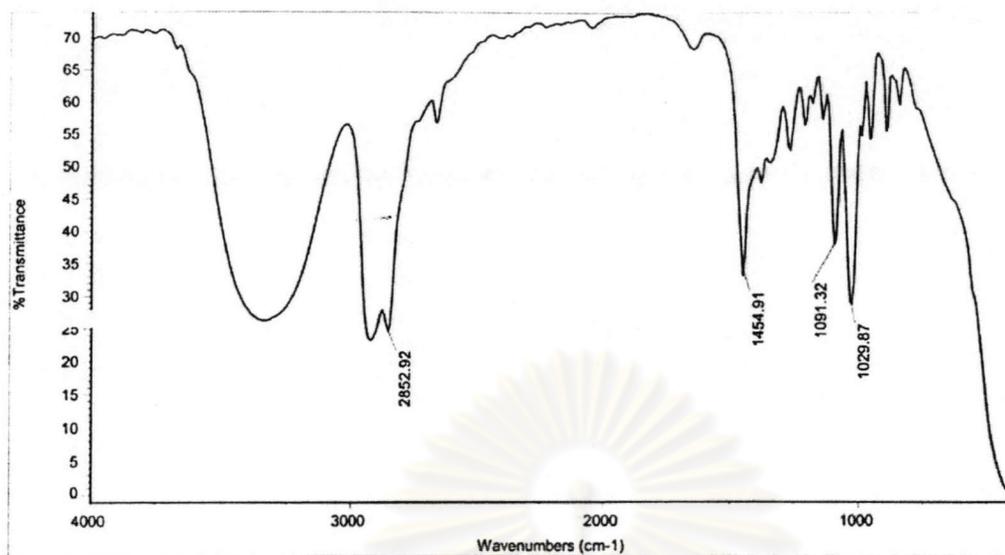


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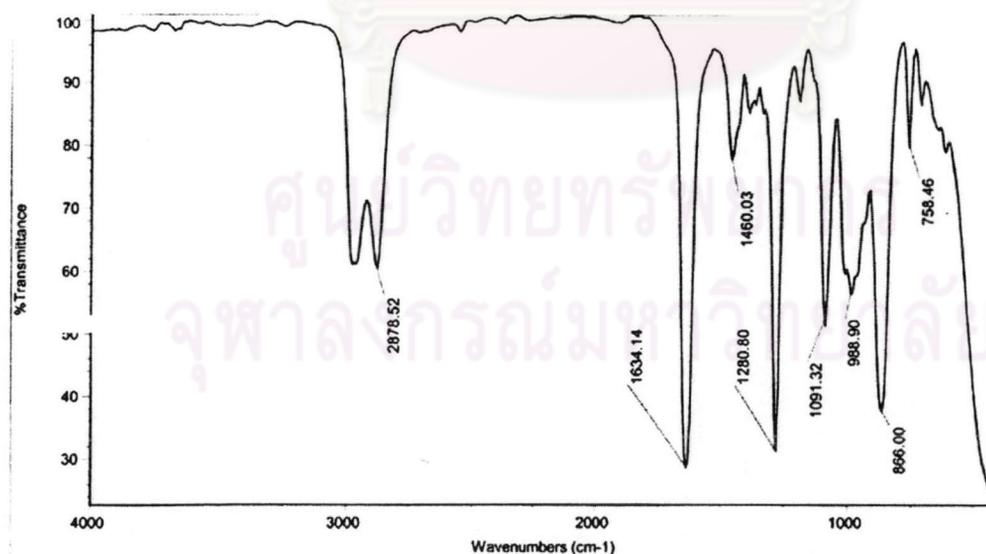


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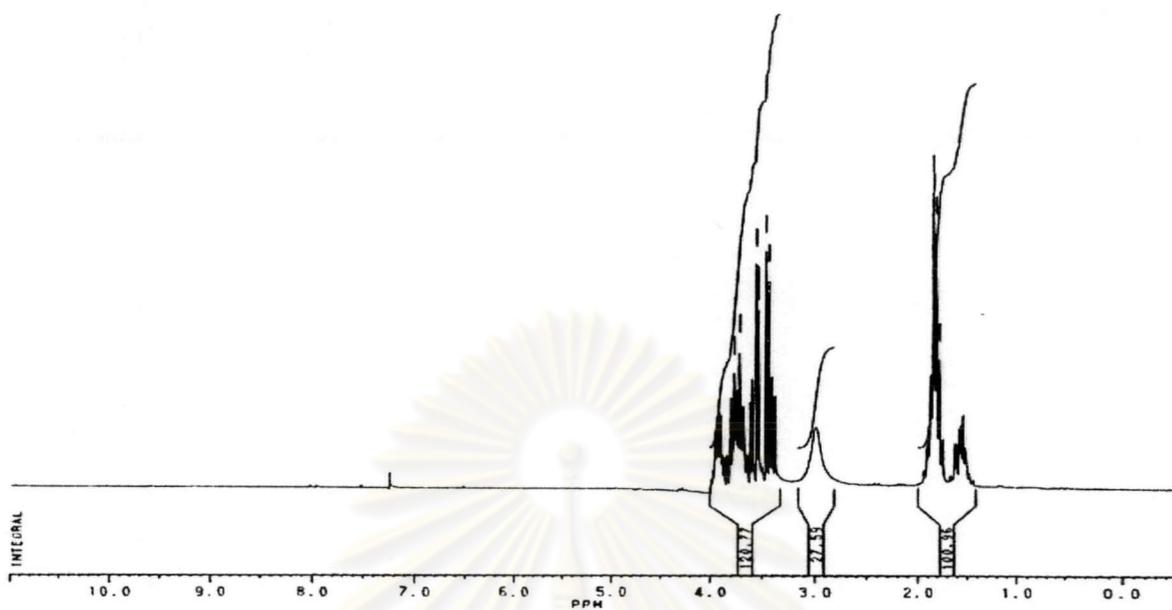


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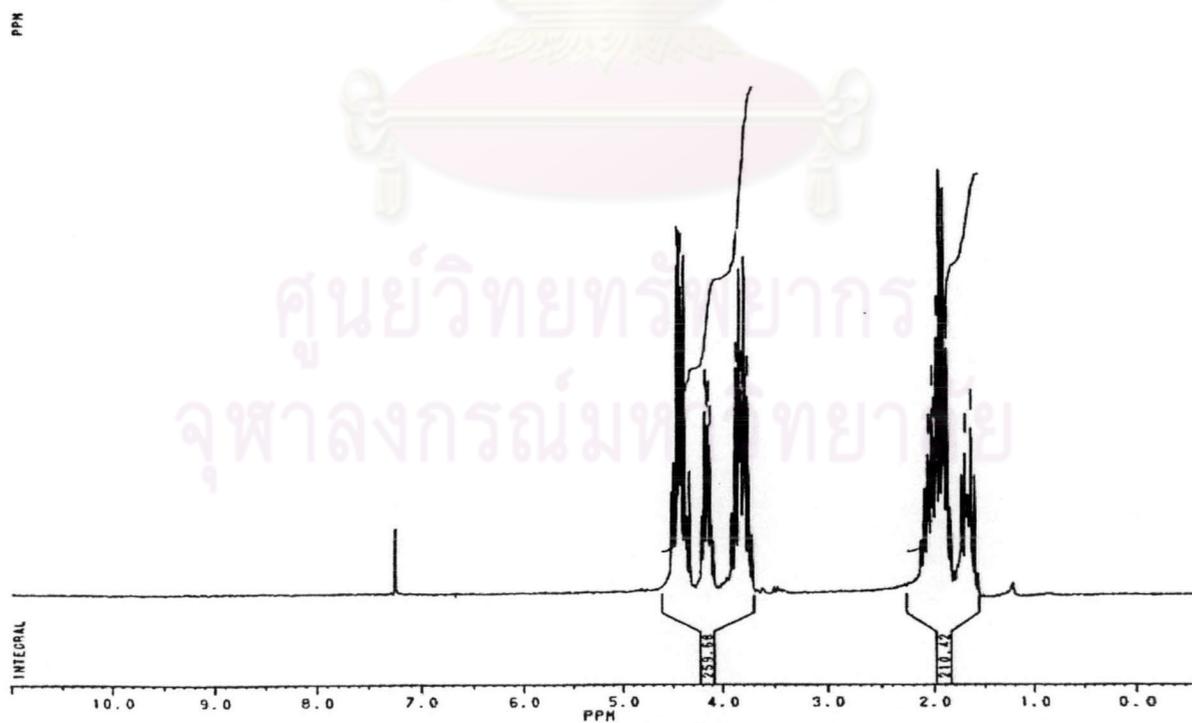


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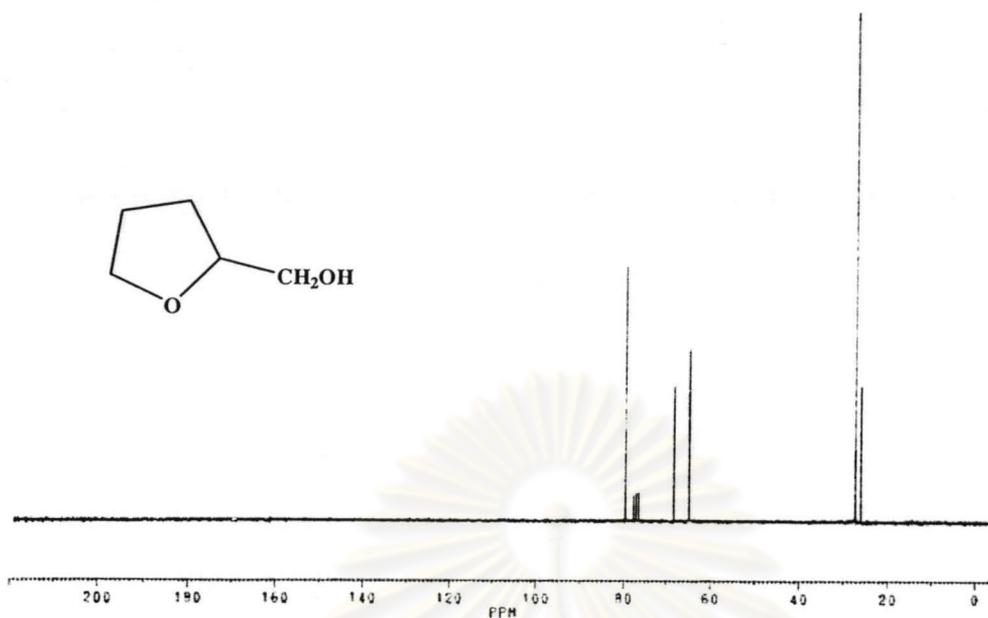


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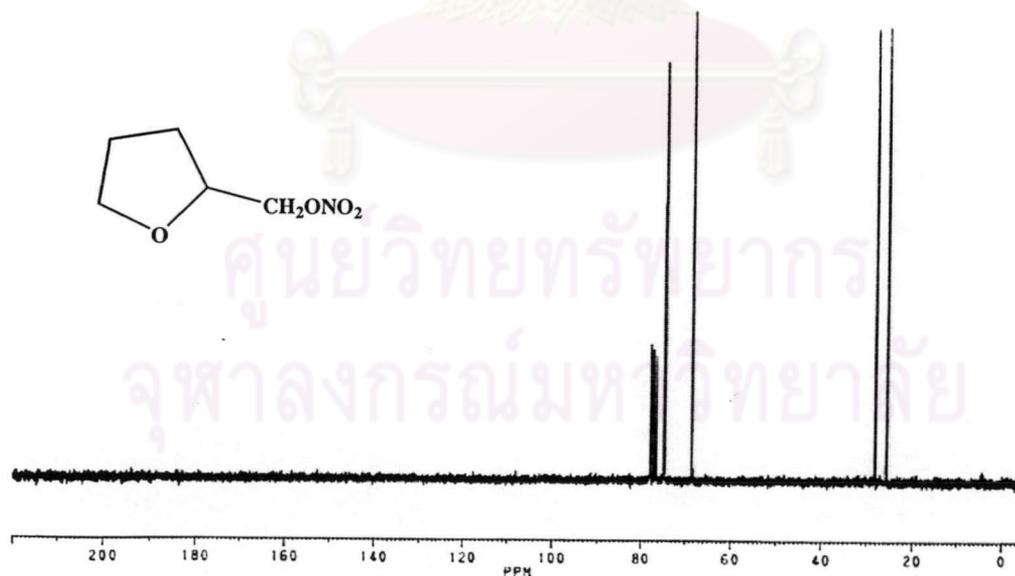


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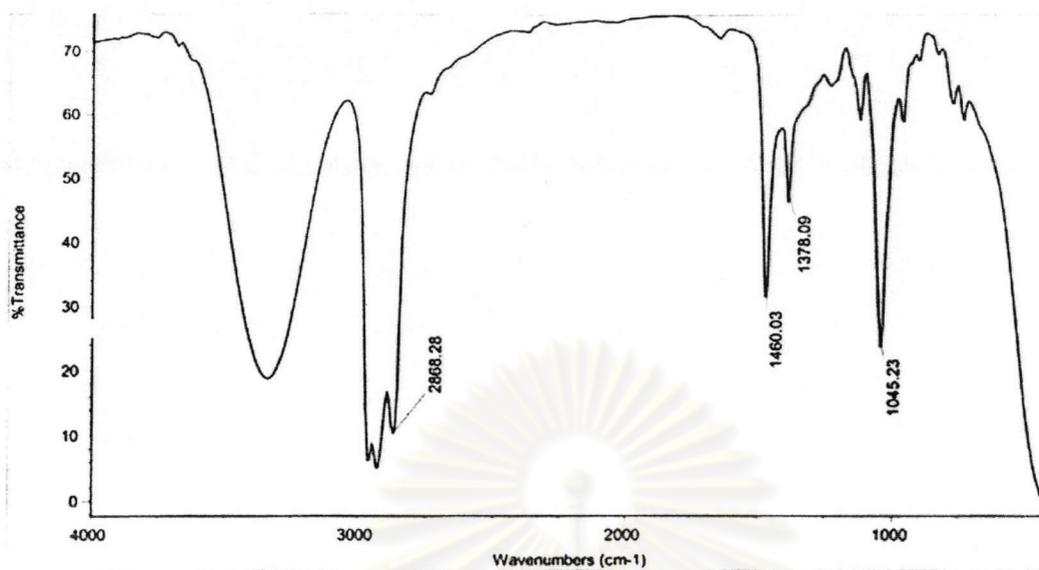


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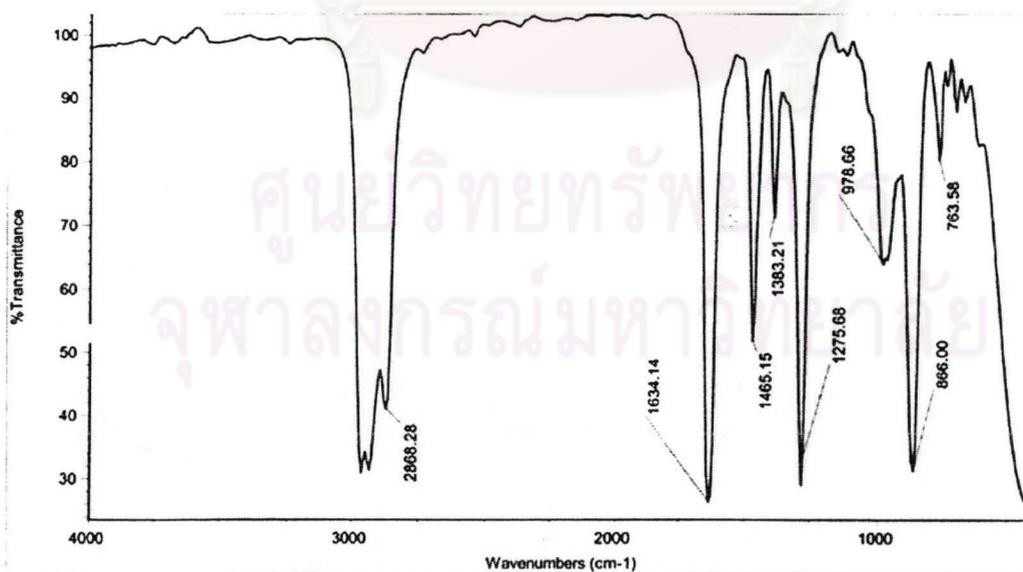


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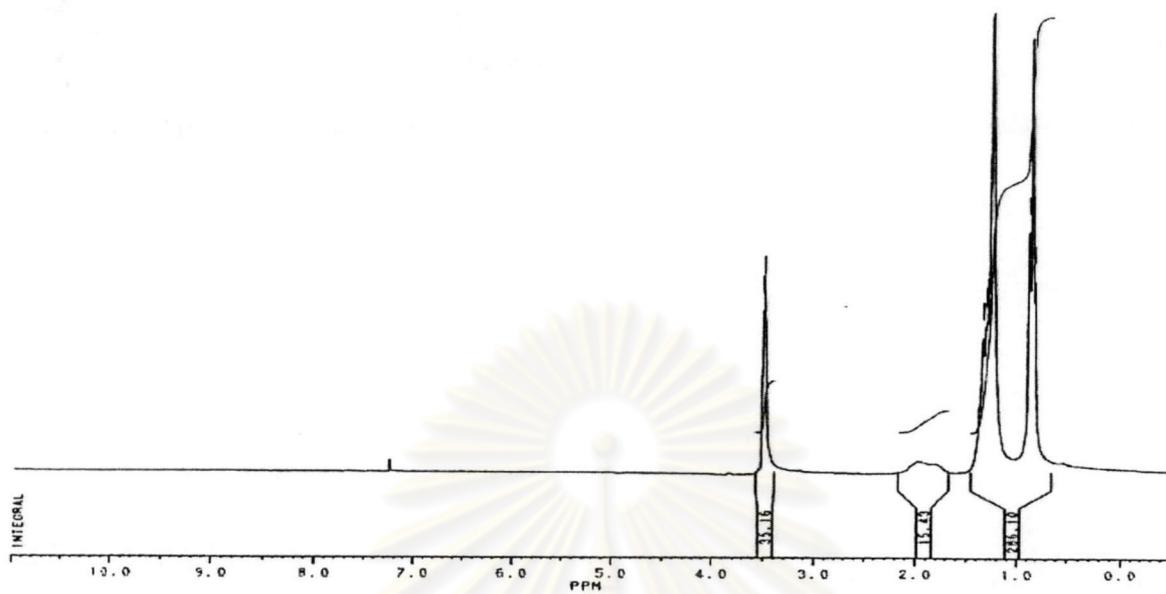


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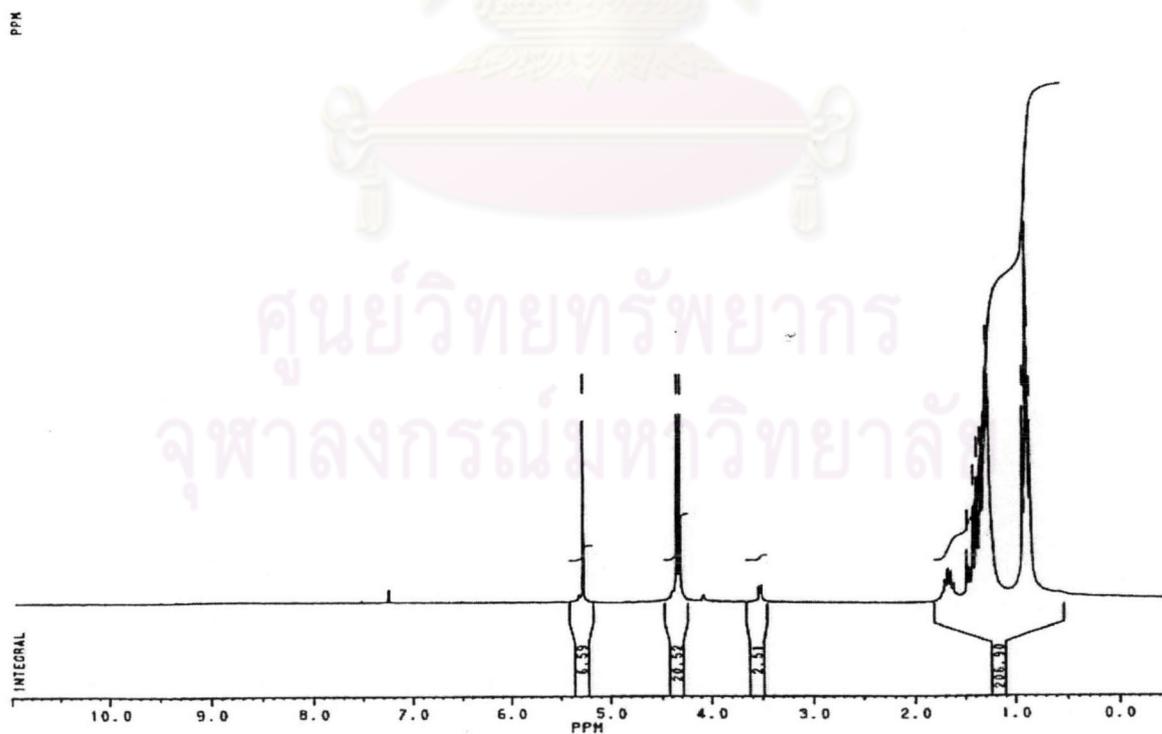


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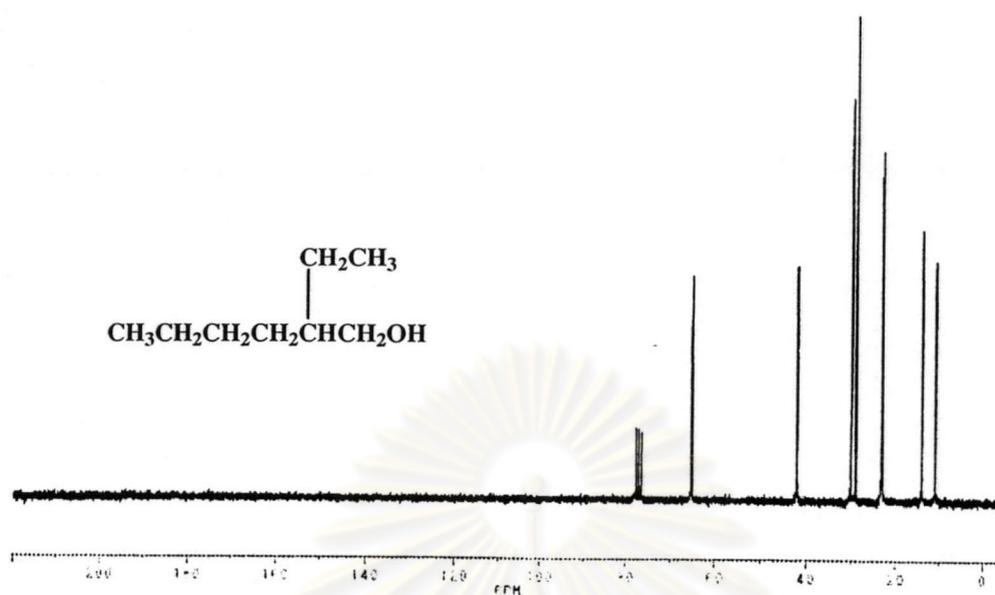


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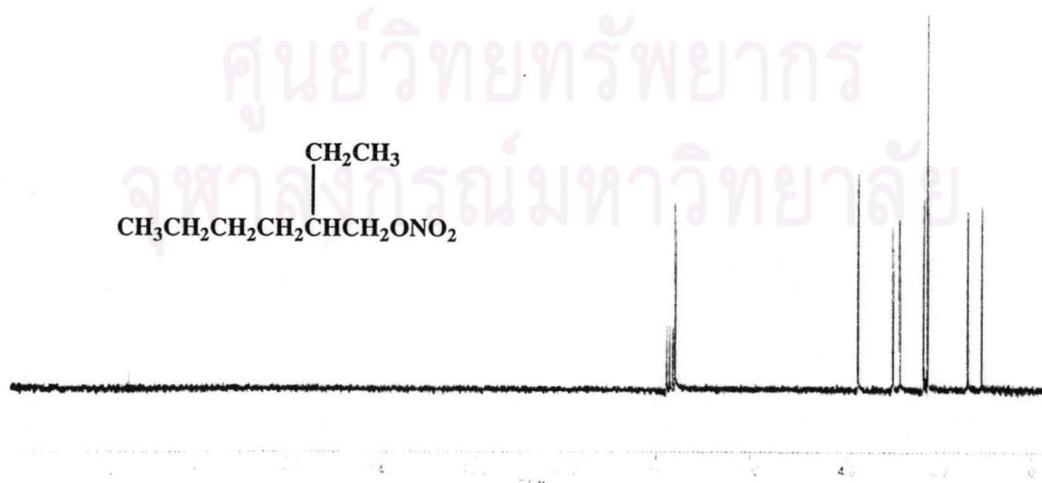


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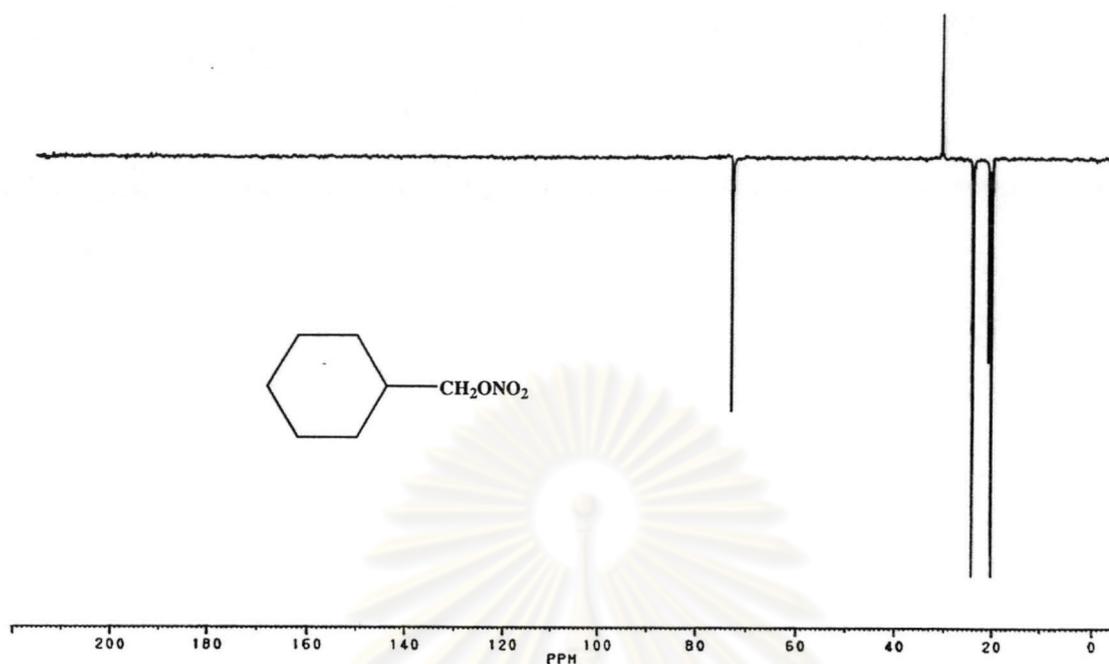


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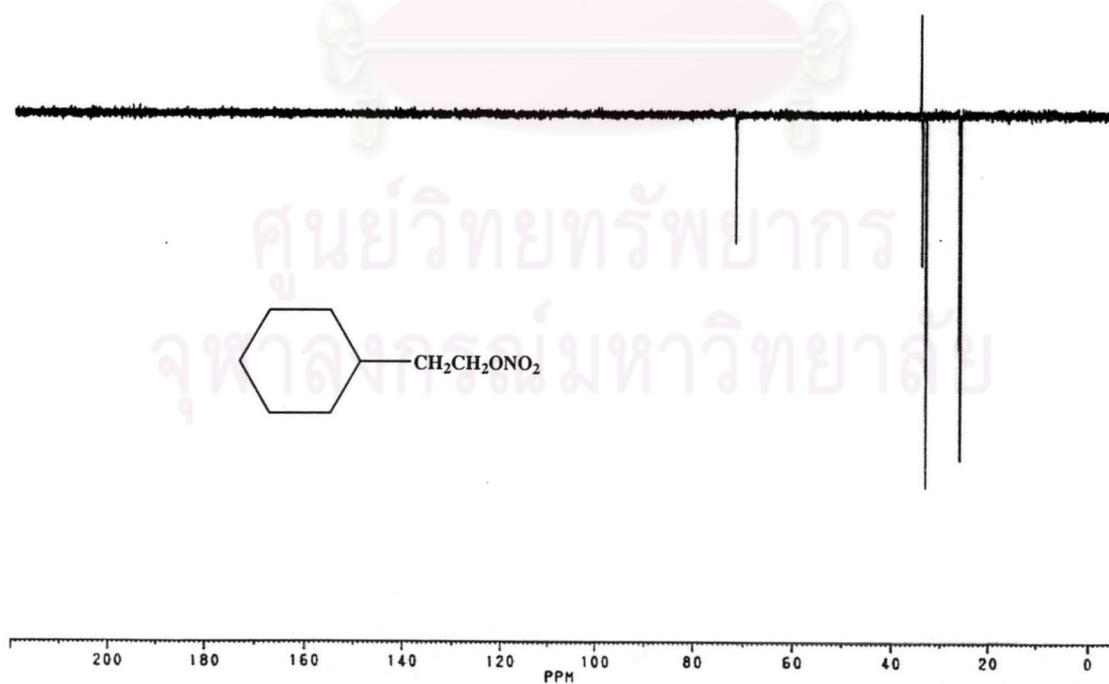
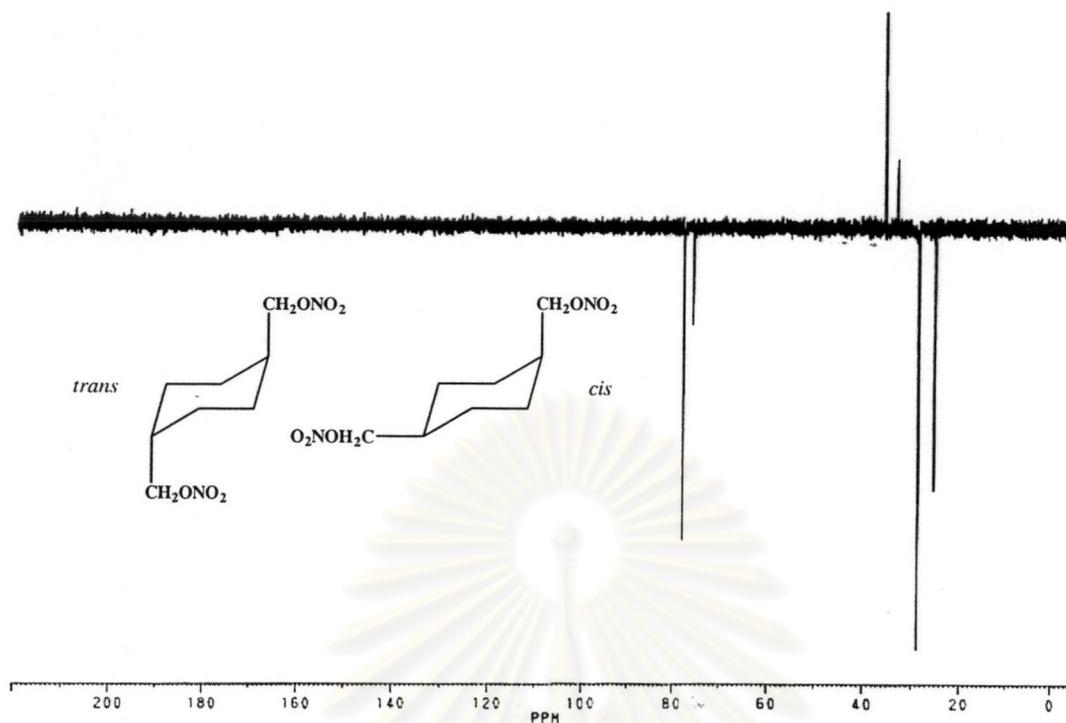
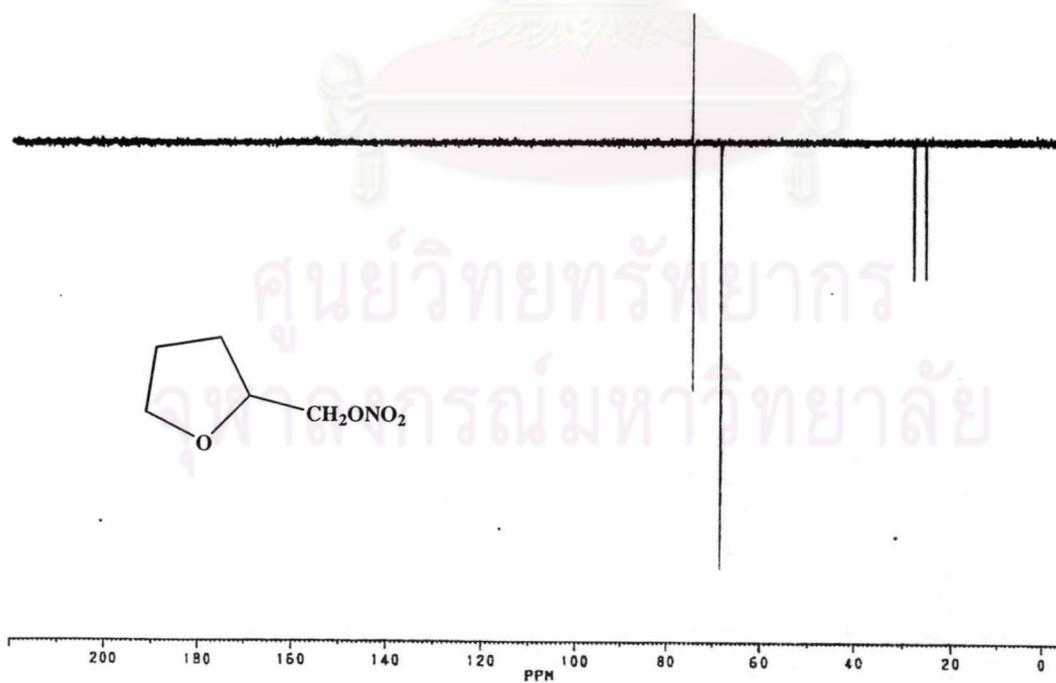


Figure A32 DEPT 135 Spectrum of 2-Cyclohexylethyl Nitrate ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure A33** DEPT 135 Spectrum of 1,4-Cyclohexanedimethyl Nitrate ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )



**Figure A34** DEPT 135 Spectrum of Tetrahydrofurfuryl Nitrate ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

## APPENDIX B

### THE CALCULATION OF CETANE INDEX

The Calculated Cetane Index was determined from the following equation:

1. When it is not applicable to fuels containing additives for raising cetane number.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Calculated Cetane Index} = & - 420.34 + 0.016G^2 + 0.192G \log M + 65.01(\log M)^2 \\ & - 0.0001809M^2 \dots\dots\dots(B1) \end{aligned}$$

2. When it is applicable to fuels containing additives for raising cetane number. The Calculated Cetane Index is determined from the equation B1 plus equation B2

$$\text{Improver Value} = 0.1742(0.1G)^{1.4444}(0.01M)^{1.0052} \{ \ln(1+17.5534) \} \dots\dots\dots(B2)$$

where

G = API gravity at 60°F, determined by Test Method ASTM D287 or D1298

M = Mid-boiling temperature, °F, determined by Test Method ASTM D 86 and corrected to standard barometric pressure.

D = Percent weight of cetane improver

**For example:**

Determine the cetane index of the blended diesel fuel with tetrahydrofurfuryl nitrate when percent weight of cetane improver at 0.10% wt., mid-boiling point at 525.2°F, API gravity = 38.0

**Solution:**

From the equation B1

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CCI} &= -420.34 + \{0.016 \times (38.0)^2\} + \{0.192(38.0) \times \log 525.2\} + \{65.01 \times (\log 525.2)^2\} \\ &\quad - \{0.0001809 \times (525.2)^2\} \\ &= 53.80 \end{aligned}$$

And from the equation B2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Improver Value} &= 0.1742 \times (0.1 \times 38.0)^{1.4444} \times (0.01 \times 525.2)^{1.0052} \times \ln \{1 + (17.5534 \times 0.10)\} \\ &= 6.43 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CCI Improver} &= \text{CCI} + \text{Improver Value} \\ &= 53.80 + 6.43 \\ &= 60.23 \end{aligned}$$

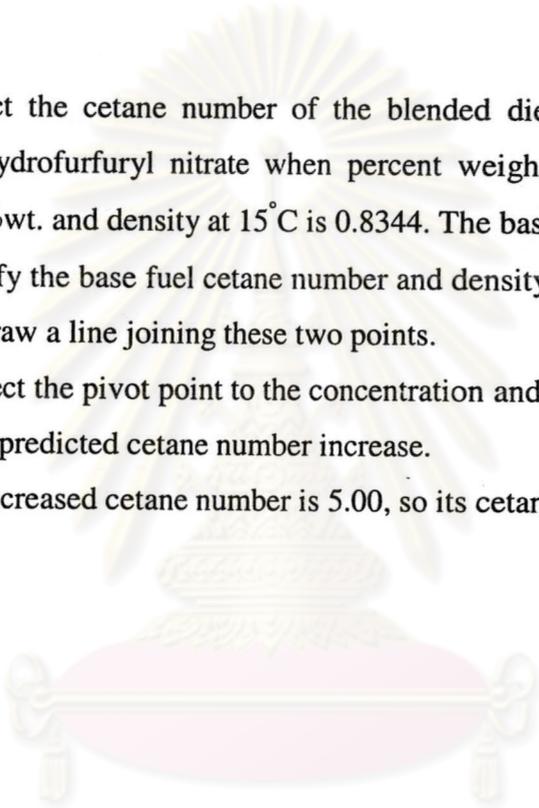
## APPENDEX C

### THE CALCULATION OF CETANE NUBER

#### BY USING NOMOGRAPH

For example:

1. Predict the cetane number of the blended diesel fuel with fuel with tetrahydrofurfuryl nitrate when percent weight of cetane improver at 0.10%wt. and density at 15°C is 0.8344. The base cetane number is 54.0.
2. Identify the base fuel cetane number and density on the appropriate axes and draw a line joining these two points.
3. Connect the pivot point to the concentration and read back along the line to the predicted cetane number increase.
4. The increased cetane number is 5.00, so its cetane number is 59.00.



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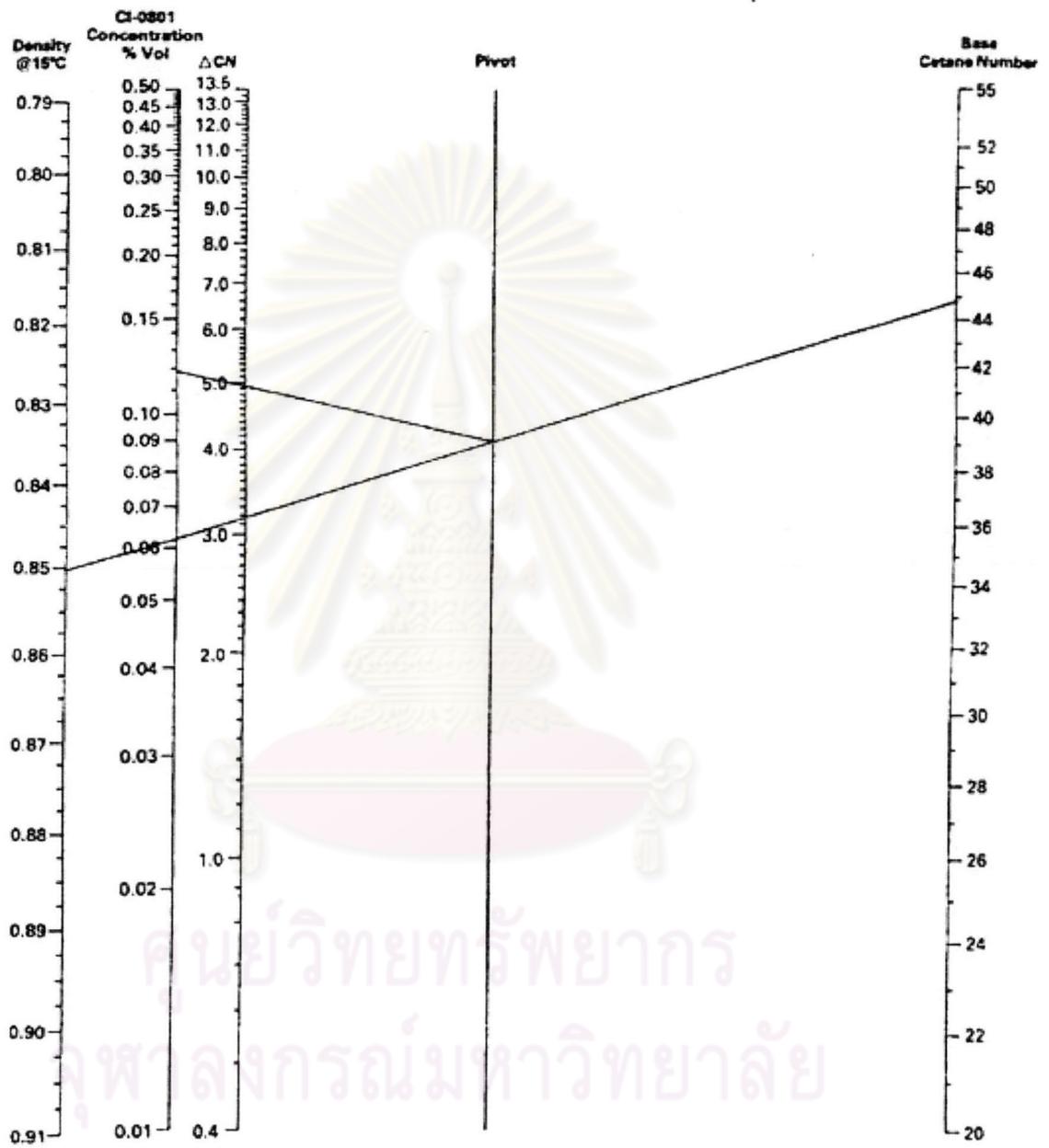


Figure C1 Example for the calculation of cetane number by using nomograph[10]

## APPENDIX D

### SPECIFICATION AND TEST METHOD FOR DIESEL

#### FUEL IN THAILAND

Characteristics	Specification		
	High-Speed Engine	Low-Speed Engine	Methods
Density at 15.6/15.6 °C	0.81-0.87	0.92	ASTM D1286
Cetane Number	min 47	min 45	ASTM D 613
Or Calculated Cetane Index	min 47	min 45	ASTM D 976
Viscosity at 40 °C, cSt	1.8-4.1	max 8.0	ASTM D 445
or at 50 °C, cSt		max 6.0	
Pour Point, °C	max 10	max 16	ASTM D 97
Sulfur Content, %wt.	max 0.25	max 1.5	ASTM D 129
Copper Strip Corrosion, number	max 1	-	ASTM D 130
Carbon Residue, %wt.	max 0.05	-	ASTM D 189
Water and Sediment, %vol.	max 0.05	max 0.3	ASTM D 2709
Ash Content, %wt.	max 0.01	max 0.02	ASTM D 482
Flash Point, °C	min 52	min 52	ASTM D 93
Distillation (temperature of 90% distillation)	max 357	-	ASTM D 86
Color	max 4.0	-	ASTM D 1500
Detergent Additive	Test by the Standard CUMMINS Tandem L-10 (Superior Level)	-	-

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