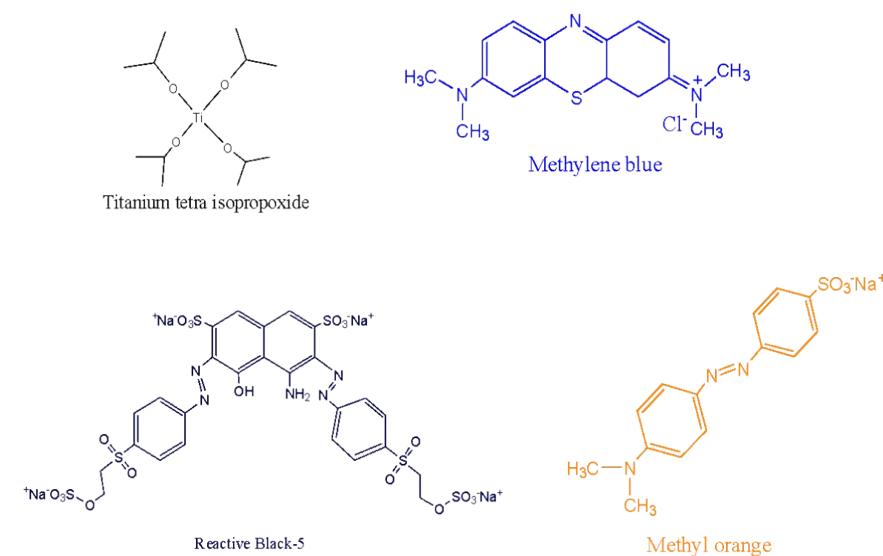


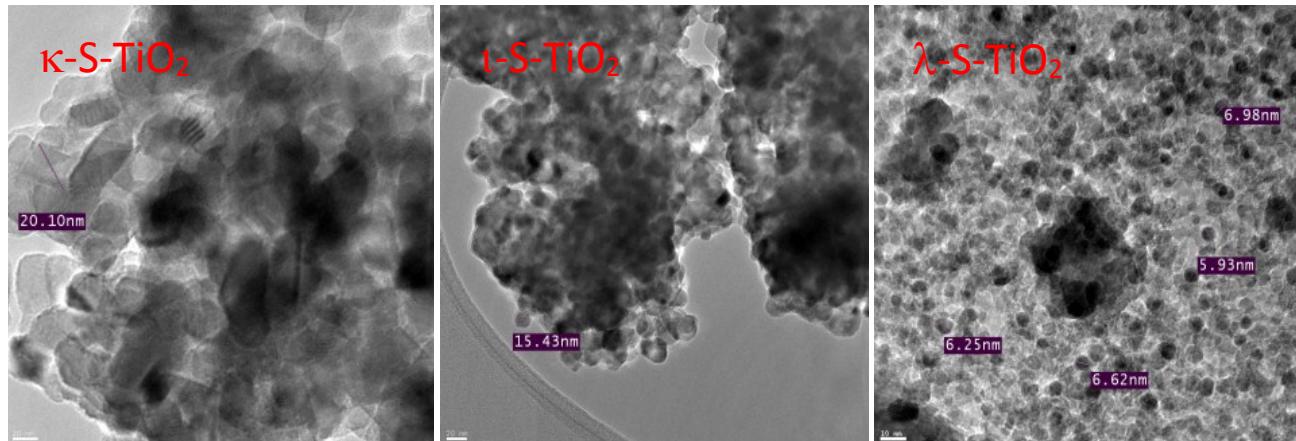
## Electronic Supporting Information (ESI)

### Fabrication of carbon and sulphur-doped nanocomposites with seaweed polymer carrageenan as efficient catalyst for rapid degradation of dye pollutants using solar concentrator

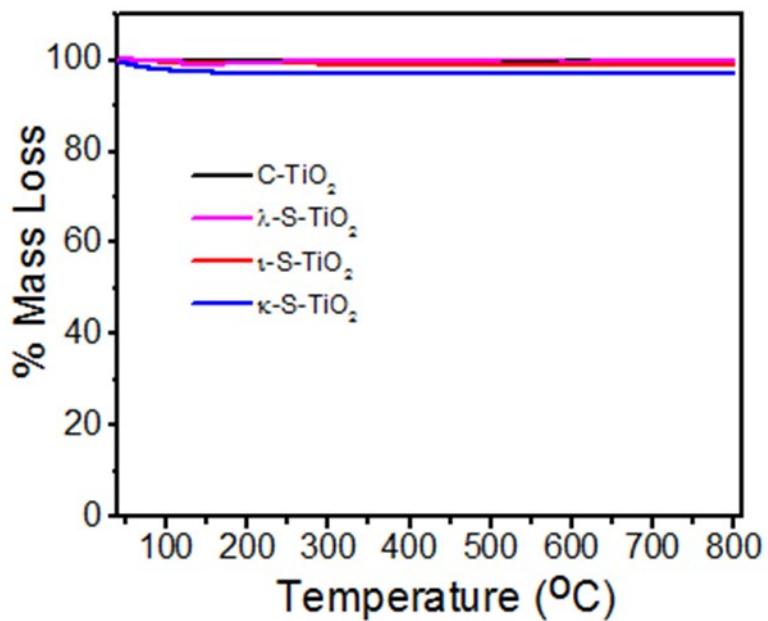
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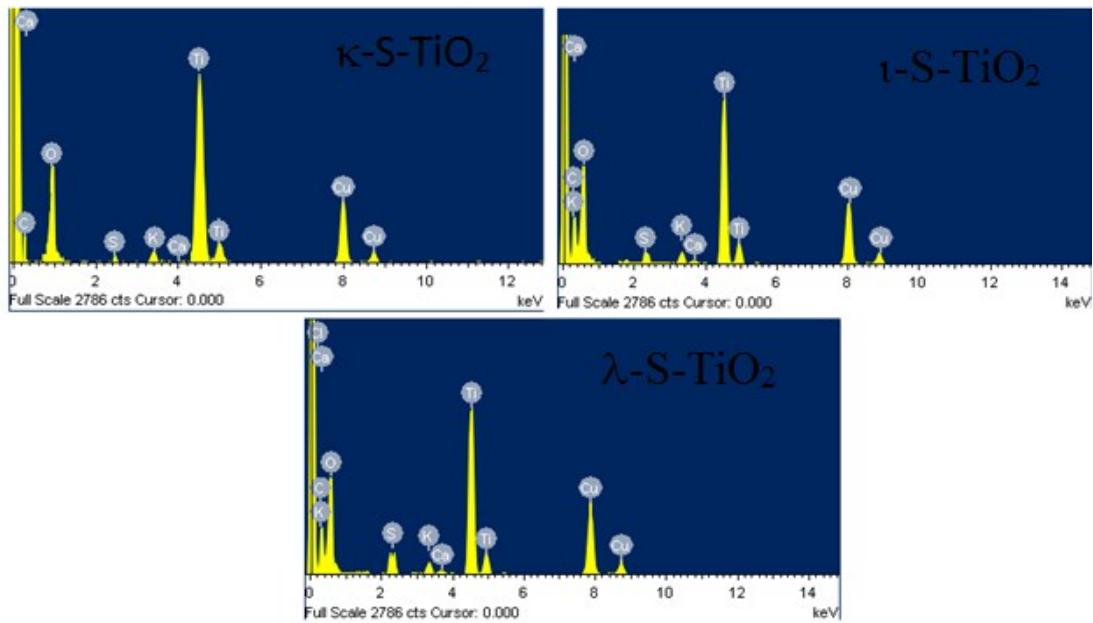
**Figure S1.** Molecular formula of titania precursor and dyes used in the current study (MB, RB-5, MO)



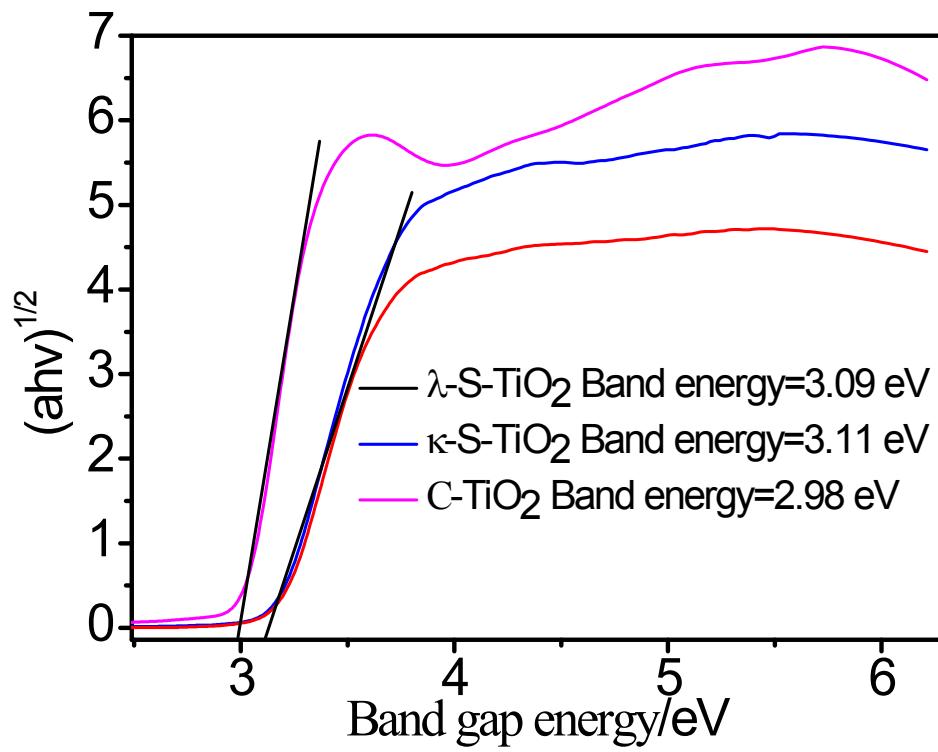
**Figure S2.** TEM images of composite TiO<sub>2</sub> nanocomposite mass prepared from (a) *kappa* (b) *iota* and (c) *lambda* carrageenans referred as  $\kappa$ -S-TiO<sub>2</sub>,  $\iota$ -S-TiO<sub>2</sub> and  $\lambda$ -S-TiO<sub>2</sub>, respectively.



**Figure S3.** Thermo gravimetric analysis of C-TiO<sub>2</sub> and TiO<sub>2</sub> nanocomposite prepared from (a) *kappa* (b) *lambda* and (c) *lambda* carrageenans referred as κ-S-TiO<sub>2</sub>, i-S-TiO<sub>2</sub> and λ-S-TiO<sub>2</sub> respectively



**Figure S4.** TEM-EDX images of various  $\text{TiO}_2$  prepared in present study



**Figure S5.** Kubelka-Munk function versus light energy for each materials