

Photochromic and molecular switching behaviour of new Schiff base-containing hydantoin ring: Synthesis, characterization and crystal structure

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IR-spectrum

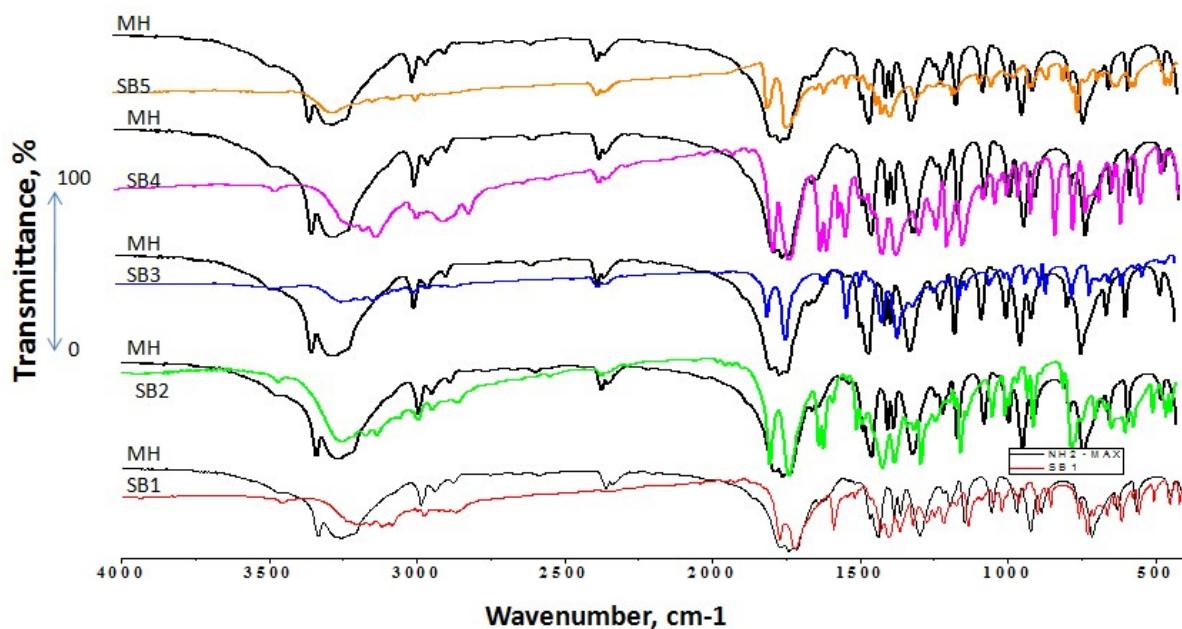


Fig.S1 IR-spectrum of synthesis 3-amino-5,5'-dimethylhydantoin Schiff bases (SB1, SB2, SB3, SB4 and SB5) and free ligand 3-amino-5,5'-dimethylhydantoin (MH).

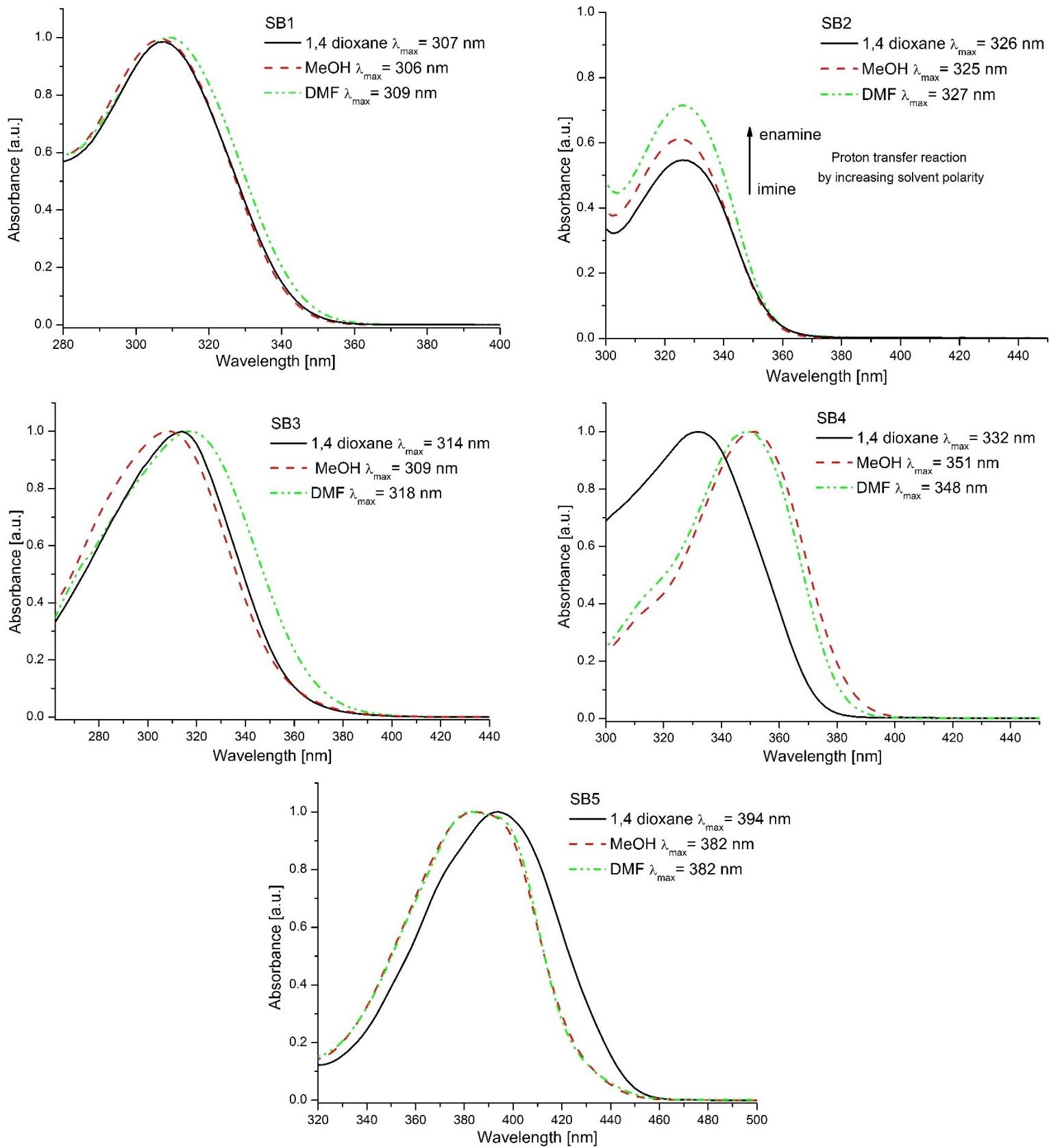


Fig. S2 Normalized UV-VIS spectra of the SB's in 1,4-dioxane, MeOH and DMF solutions.

Electrochemistry

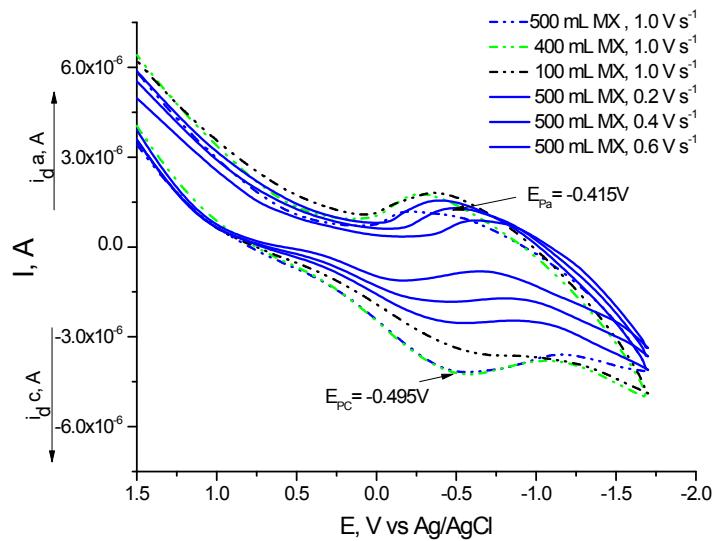
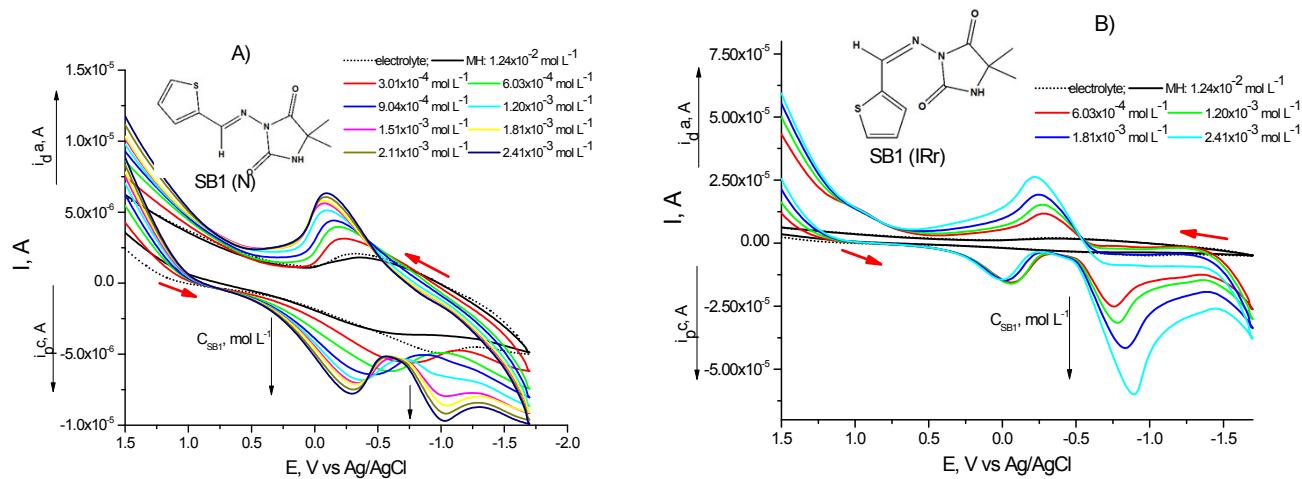
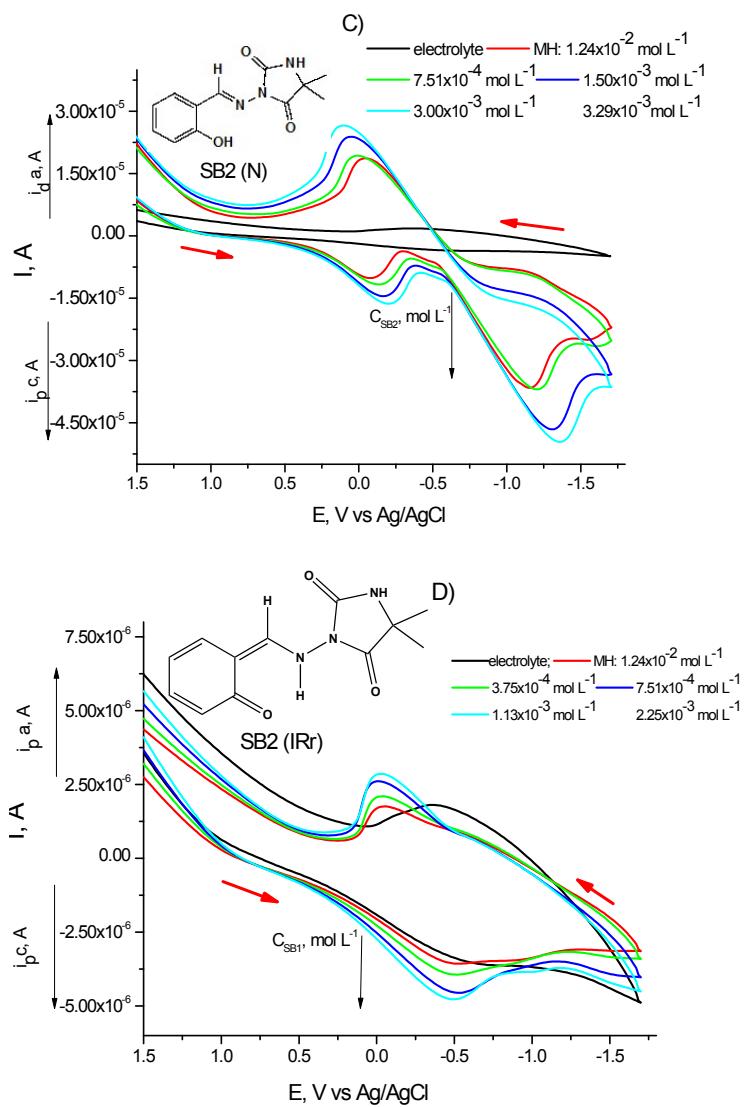
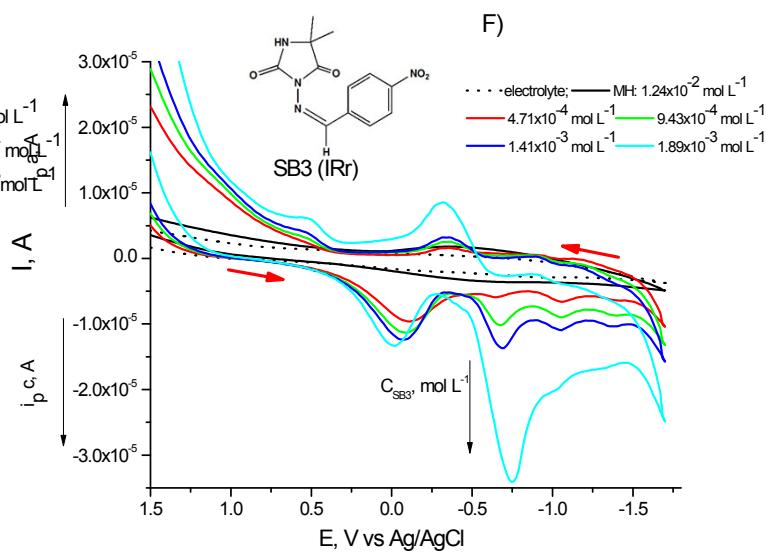
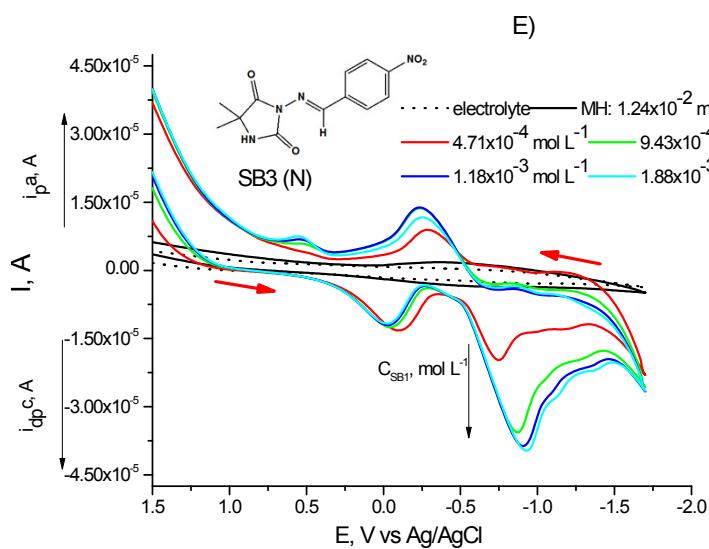
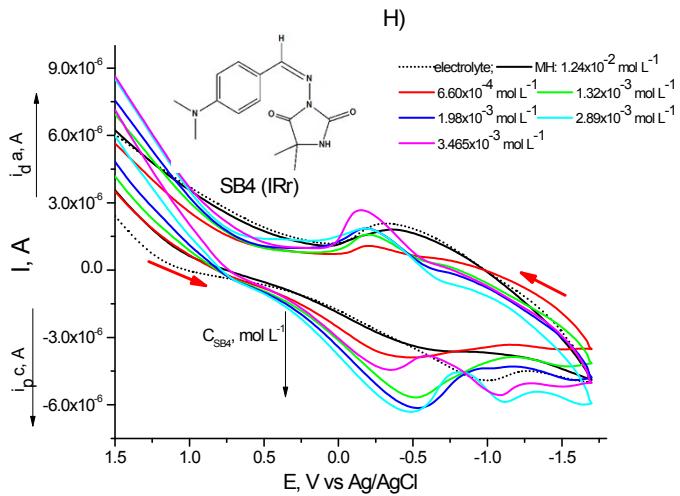
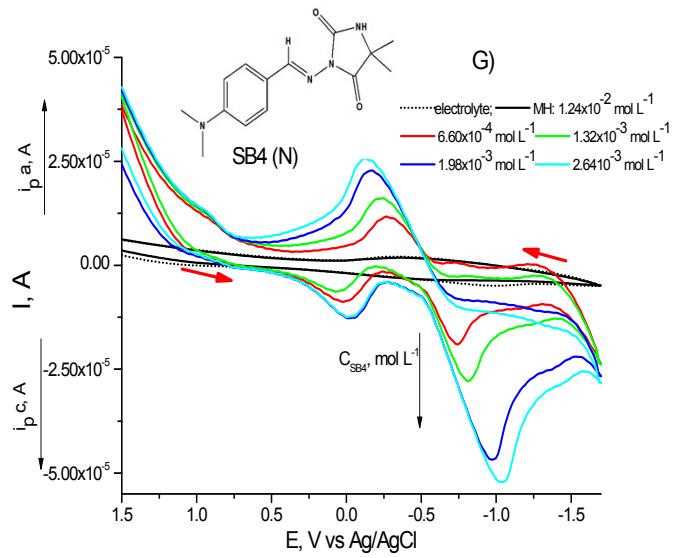


Fig. S3 Cvs of free 3-amino-5,5'-dimethylhydantoin (MH) (0.0868mol L^{-1}) at different volumes and scan rate.









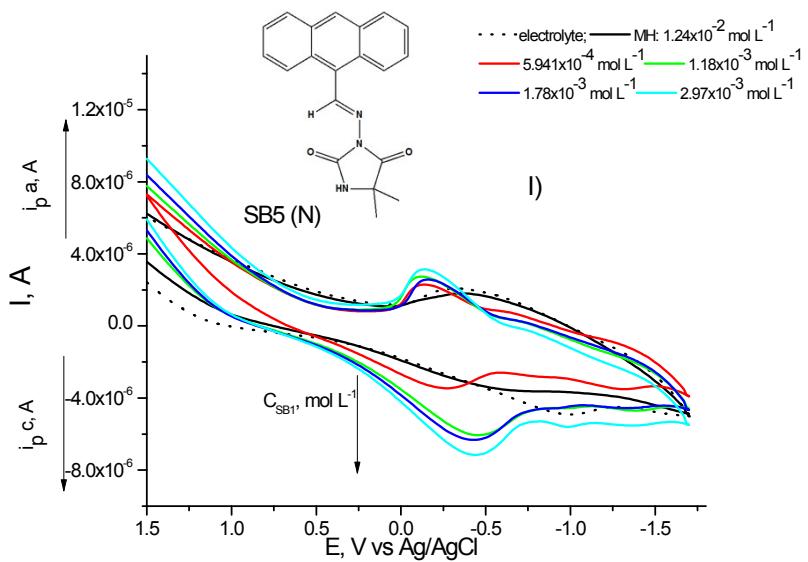


Fig. S4 Cyclic voltammograms of 3-amino-5,5'-dimethylhydantoin Schiff bases from A) to I) before (SB(N)) and after (SB(IRr)) UV illumination with $\lambda = 365 \text{ nm}$ at scan rate 100 mV s^{-1} and different concentrations.

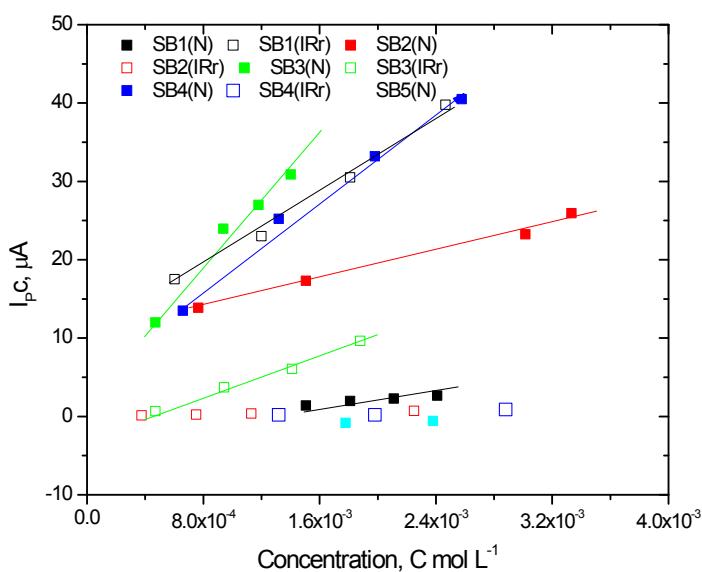


Fig.S5 CVs of I_{pc} vs. different concentrations of 3-amino-5,5'-dimethylhydantoin Schiff bases before (SB(N)) and after (SB(IRr)) UV illumination with $\lambda = 365 \text{ nm}$ and scan rate 100 mV s^{-1}

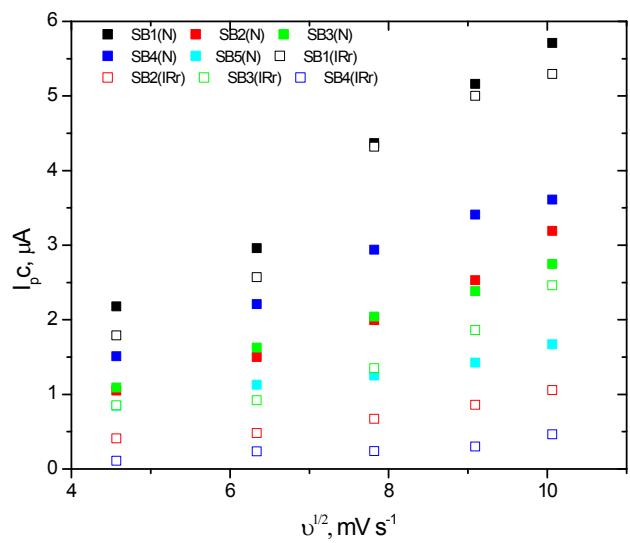


Fig. S6 Plot of cathodic peak high, I_{pc} μA vs. scan rate, $v^{1/2}$ mV s^{-1} in rang from 20 to 100 mV s^{-1}

NMR-spectrum

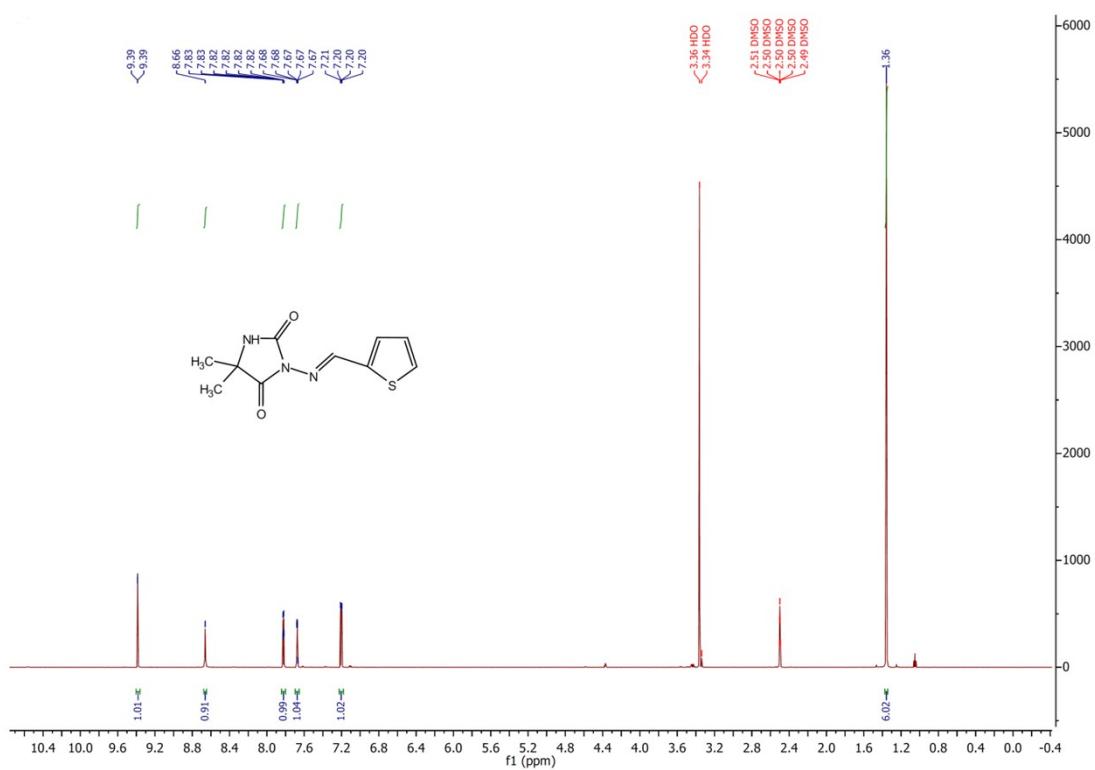


Fig. S7 ¹HNMR spectrum of SB1

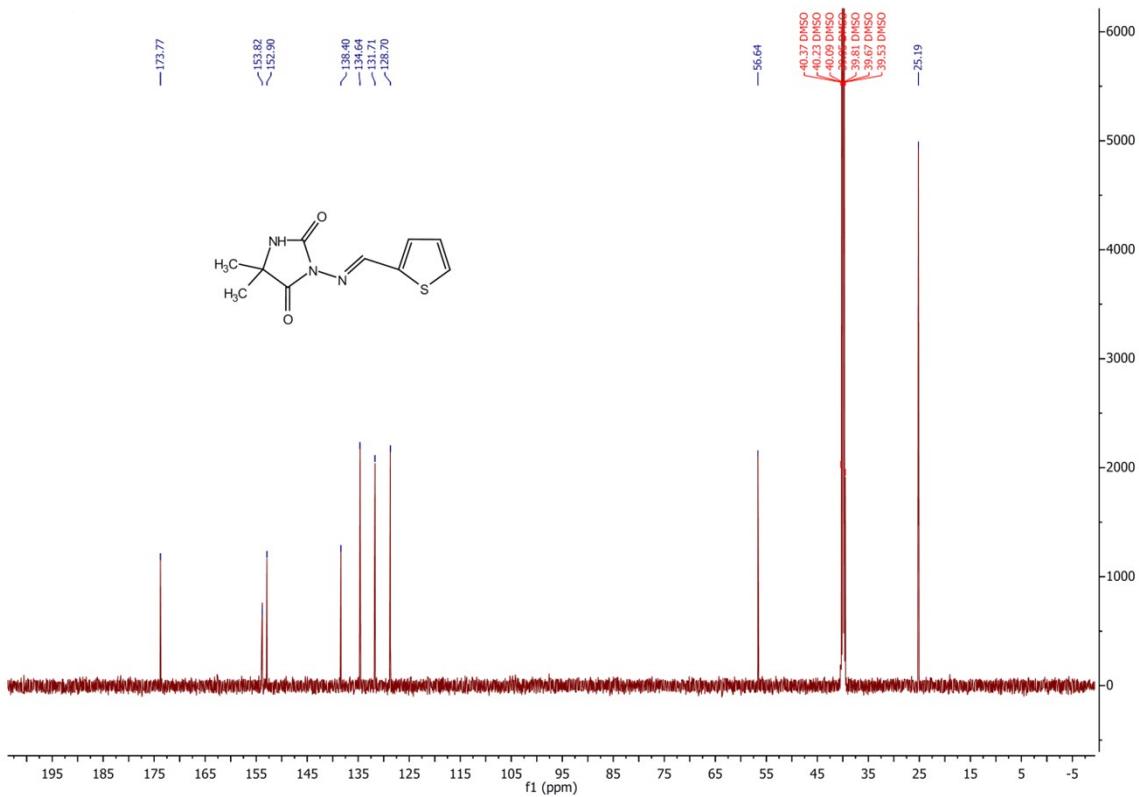


Fig. S8 ¹³CNMR spectrum of SB1

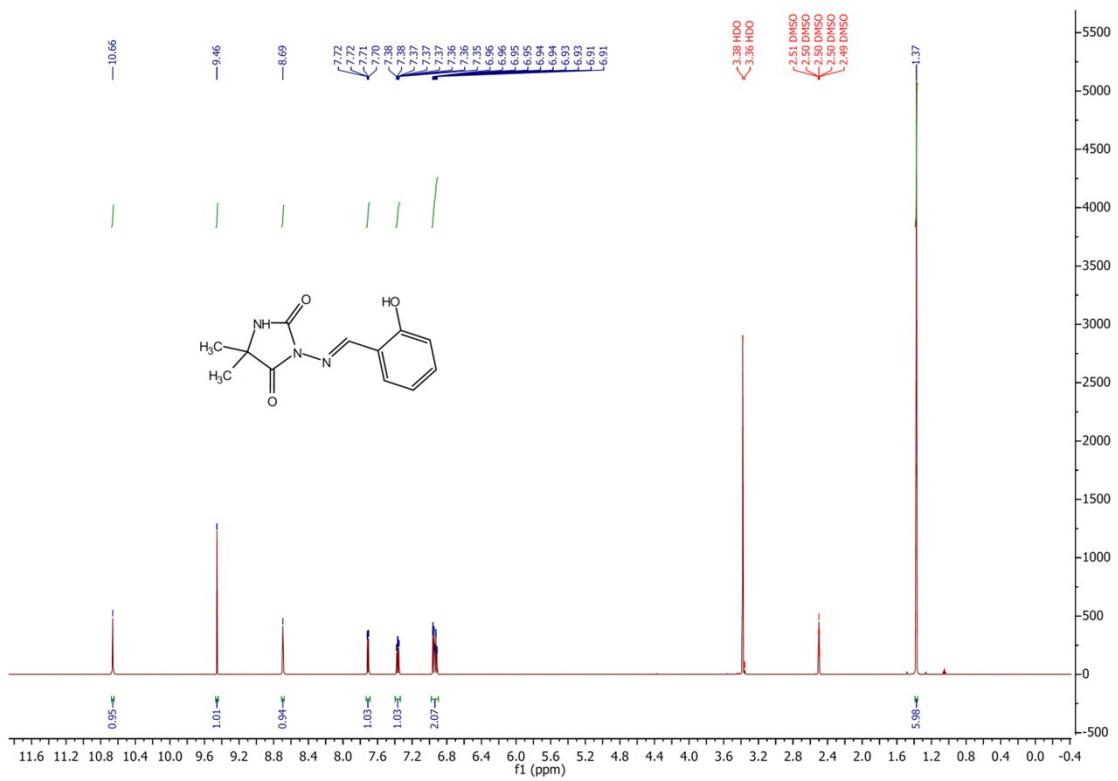


Fig. S9 ¹HNMR spectrum of SB2

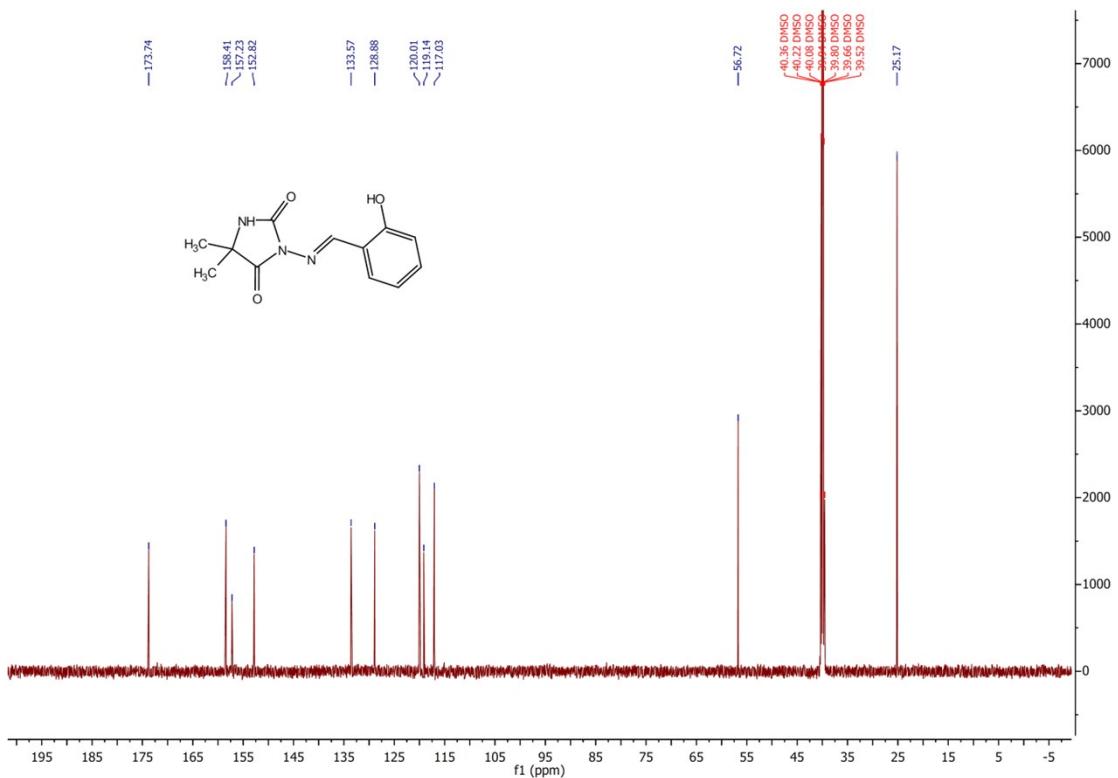


Fig. S10 ¹³CNMR spectrum of SB2

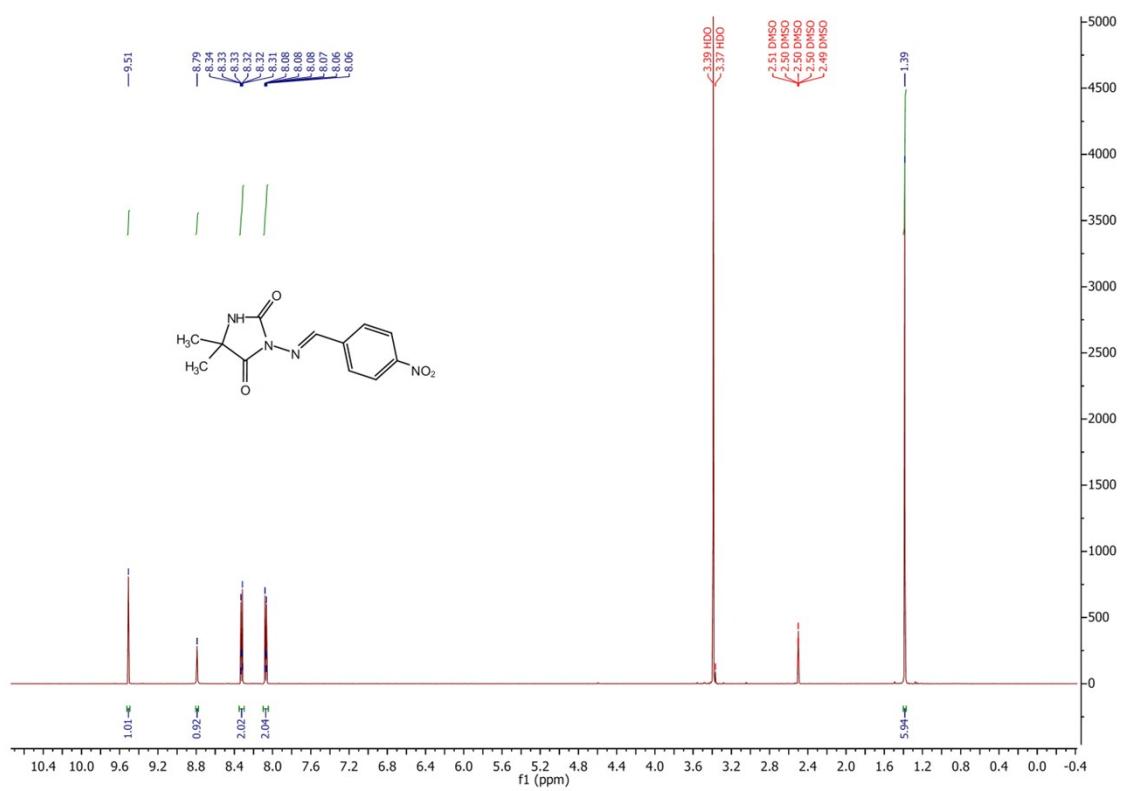


Fig. S11 ¹HNMR spectrum of **SB3**

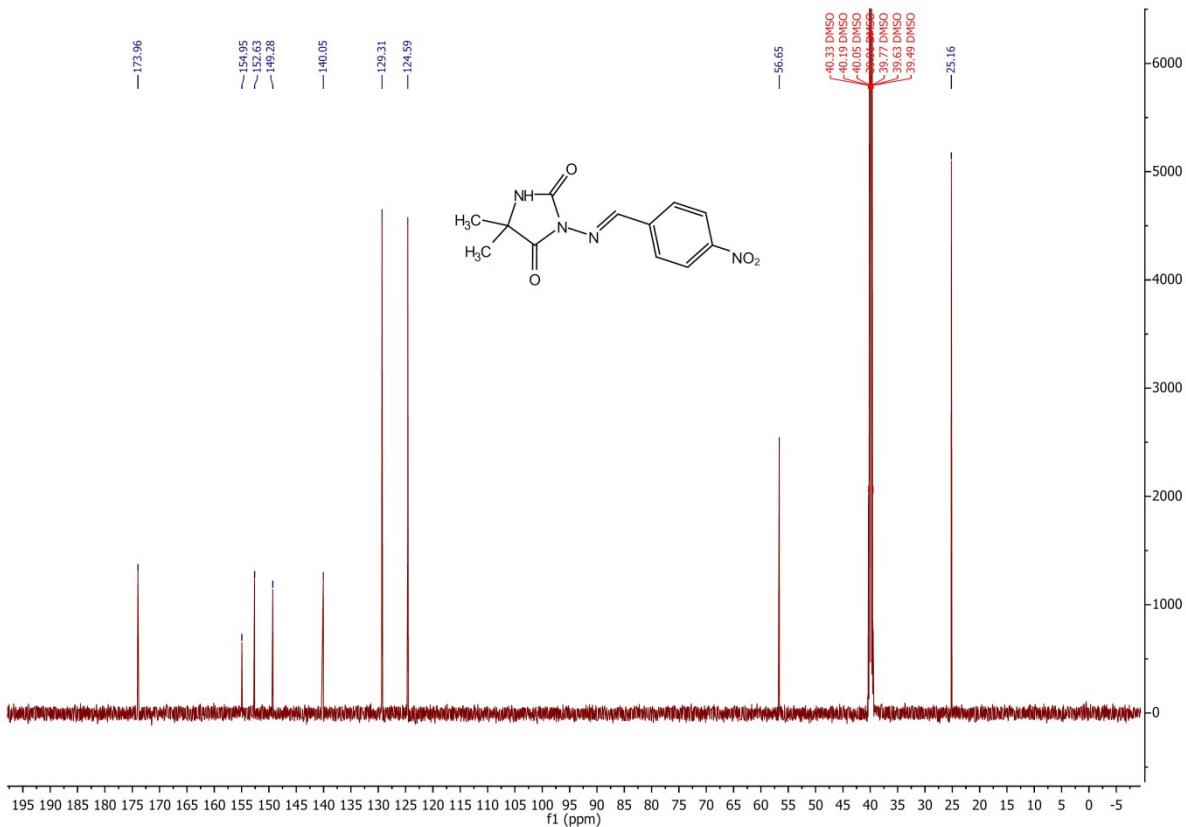


Fig. S12 ¹³CNMR spectrum of **SB3**

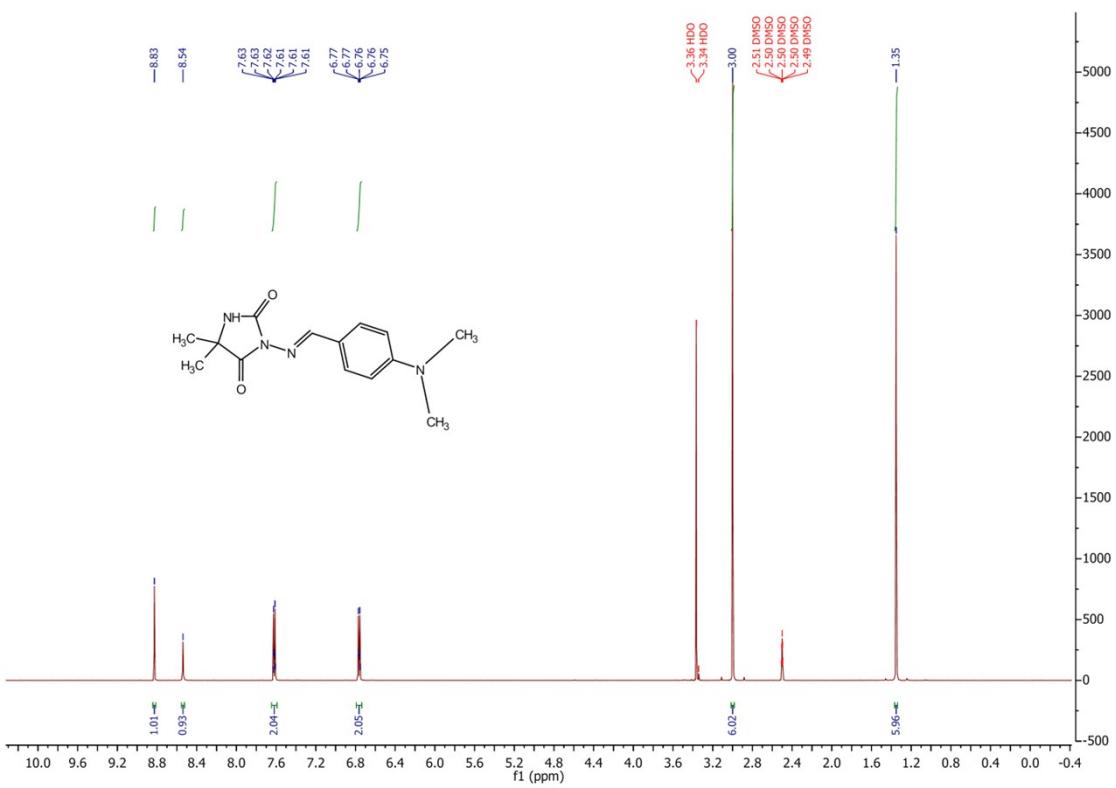


Fig. S13 ¹H NMR spectrum of **SB4**

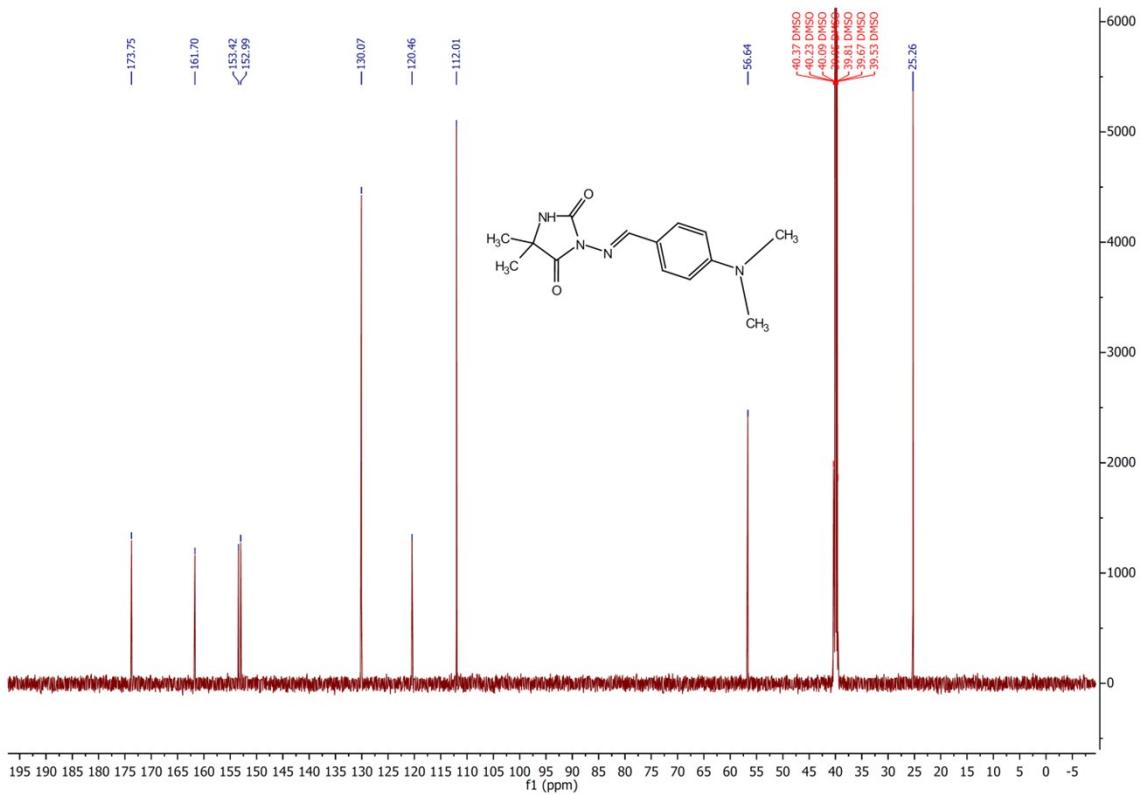


Fig. S14 ¹³C NMR spectrum of **SB4**

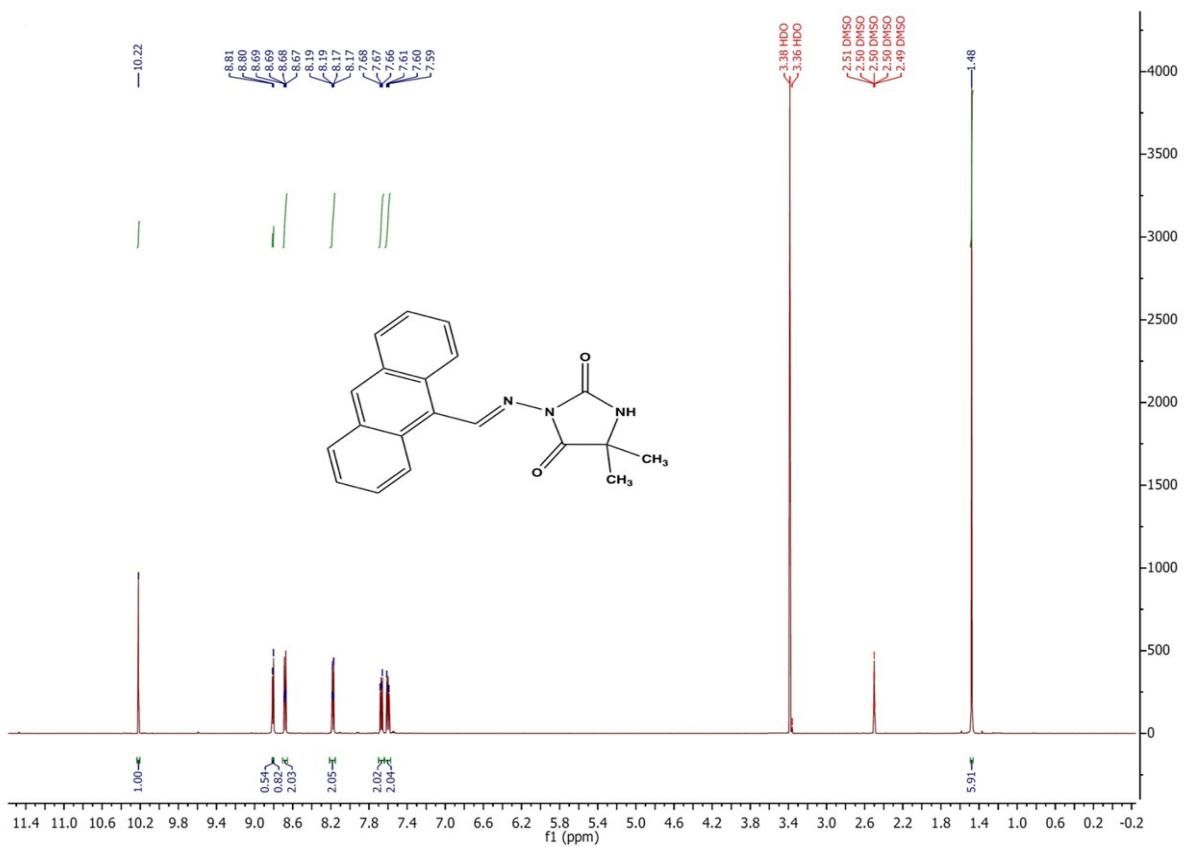


Fig. S15 ¹H NMR spectrum of **SB5**

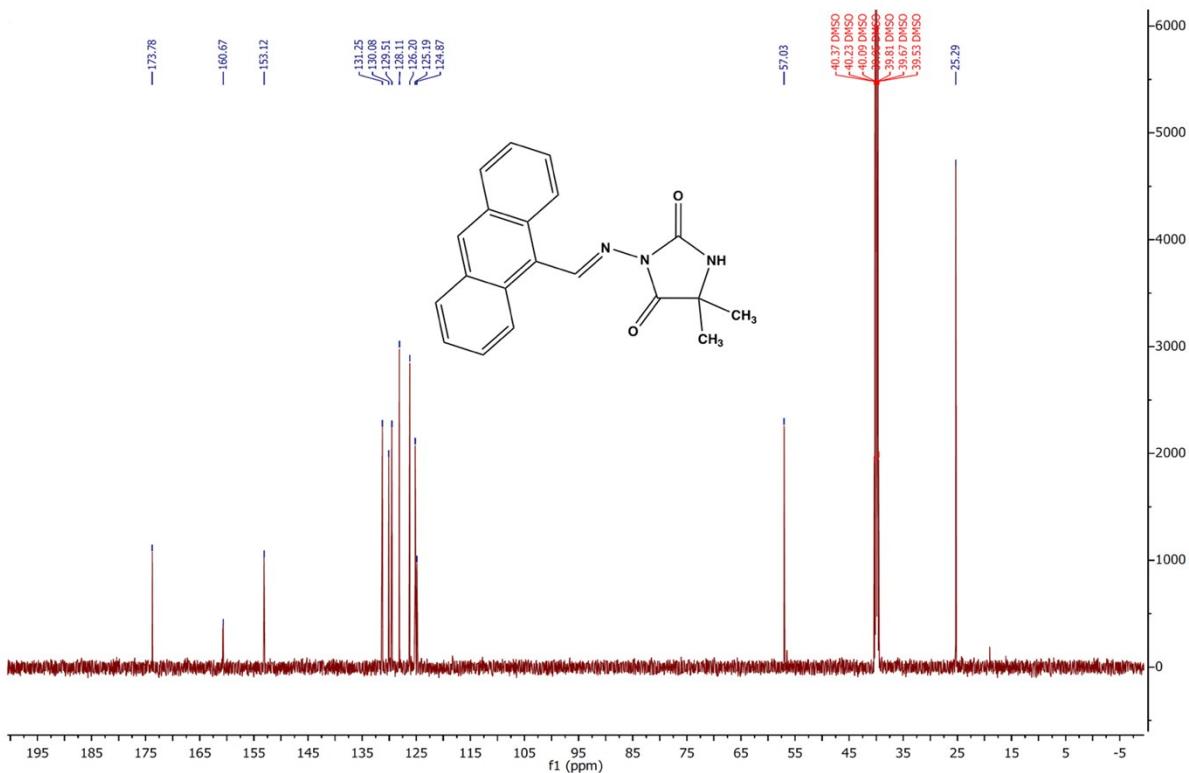


Fig. S16 ¹³C NMR spectrum of **SB5**

X-ray Diffraction

Table S1 Bond lengths, angles and torsion angles for compounds **SB1-3** and **SB5**.

| Structure | S459 – SB1 | S453 – SB2 | S467 – SB3 | S458 – SB5 |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Bonds | Å | Å | Å | Å |
| N1—C3 | 1.4542 (19) | 1.461 (2) | 1.470 (3) | 1.452 (5) |
| N1—C5 | 1.3342 (18) | 1.325 (2) | 1.332 (3) | 1.343 (5) |
| N2—C4 | 1.3847 (18) | 1.376 (2) | 1.383 (3) | 1.365 (4) |
| N2—C5 | 1.4113 (18) | 1.423 (2) | 1.424 (3) | 1.422 (4) |
| N3—N2 | 1.3936 (16) | 1.380 (2) | 1.389 (3) | 1.392 (4) |
| N3—C6 | 1.278 (2) | 1.283 (2) | 1.281 (3) | 1.263 (4) |
| O4—C4 | 1.2029 (19) | 1.212 (2) | 1.216 (3) | 1.217 (4) |
| O5—C5 | 1.2184 (17) | 1.217 (2) | 1.224 (3) | 1.198 (4) |
| O8—C8 | — | 1.350 (2) | — | — |
| N4—O1 | — | — | 1.225 (3) | — |
| N4—O2 | — | — | 1.221 (3) | — |
| S1—C7 | 1.7166 (17) | — | — | — |
| S1—C8 | 1.708 (2) | — | — | — |
| Angles | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| N3—N2—C5 | 117.59 (11) | 117.92 (14) | 117.89 (19) | 119.0 (3) |
| C6—N3—N2 | 116.23 (13) | 119.56 (15) | 117.9 (2) | 115.6 (3) |
| C4—N2—N3 | 128.87 (12) | 130.37 (14) | 130.0 (2) | 128.4 (3) |
| O4—C4—N2 | 126.66 (14) | 126.77 (17) | 127.0 (3) | 126.1 (3) |
| O5—C5—N1 | 129.05 (14) | 129.70 (17) | 129.1 (3) | 129.7 (4) |
| O5—C5—N2 | 124.00 (13) | 123.81 (17) | 124.1 (2) | 124.8 (3) |
| O8—C8—C7 | — | 122.30 (18) | — | — |
| C8—S1—C7 | 90.98 (10) | — | — | — |
| C6—C7—S1 | 123.05 (12) | — | — | — |
| O2—N4—O1 | — | — | 122.5 (2) | — |
| Torsion angles | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| N3—N2—C4—O4 | -12.6 (3) | -10.4 (3) | -10.0 (5) | 8.4 (6) |
| N3—N2—C5—O5 | 15.6 (2) | 8.1 (3) | 8.0 (4) | -8.9 (5) |
| C6—C7—C8—O8 | — | -1.6 (3) | — | — |
| N2—N3—C6—C7 | -175.22 (13) | -176.37 (15) | -176.5 (2) | 177.4 (3) |
| C8—C7—C6—N3 | — | — | 0.8 (4) | 32.6 (5) |
| C20—C7—C6—N3 | — | — | — | -150.6 (3) |
| S1—C7—C6—N3 | 0.0 (2) | — | — | — |
| S1—C7—C10—C9 | -0.5 (2) | — | — | — |
| O2—N4—C10—C11 | — | — | -10.2 (4) | — |
| O1—N4—C10—C9 | — | — | 9.8 (4) | — |

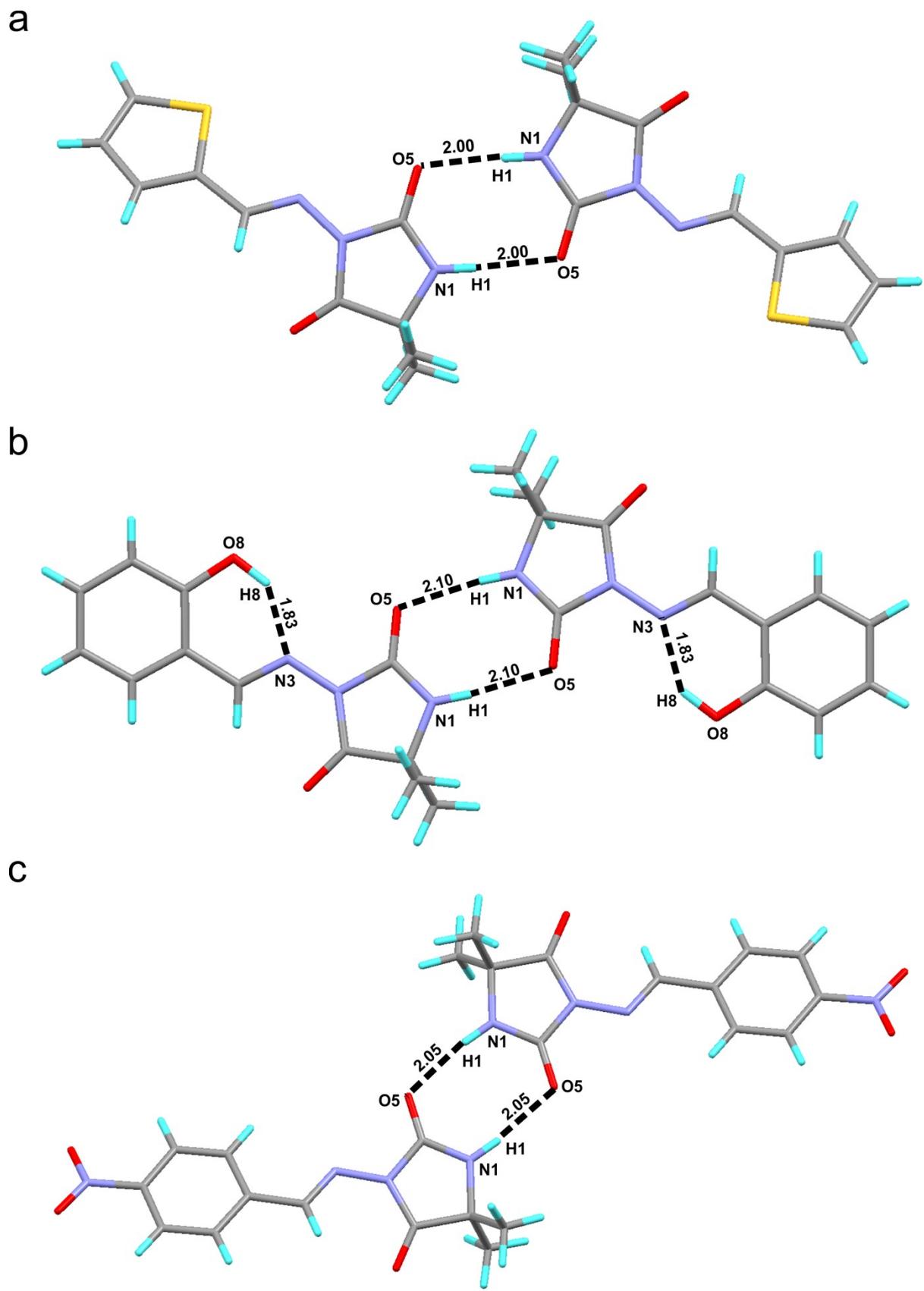


Fig. SX3 Observed N-H...O interactions in a) **SB1**, b) **SB2** and c) **SB3**.

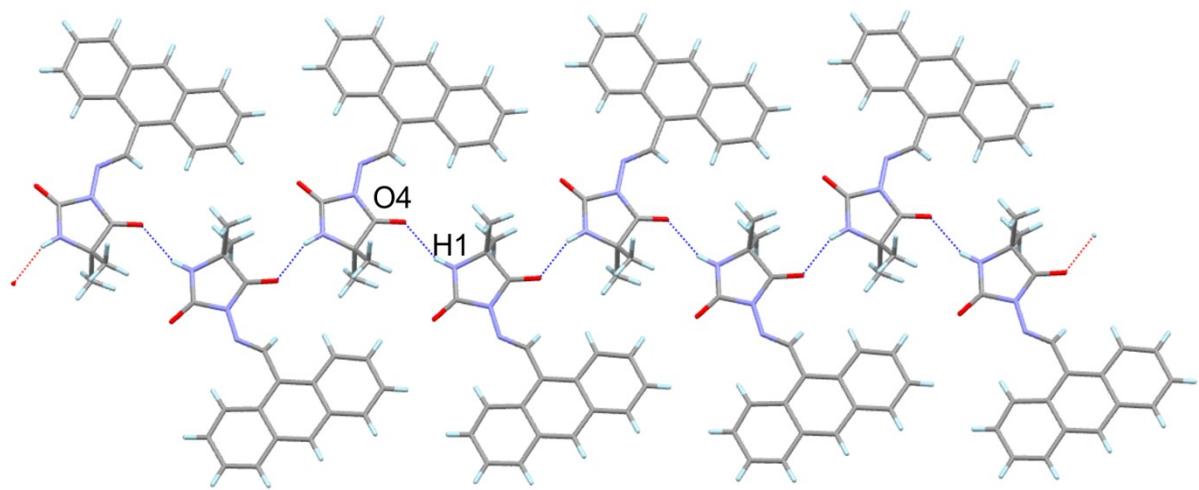
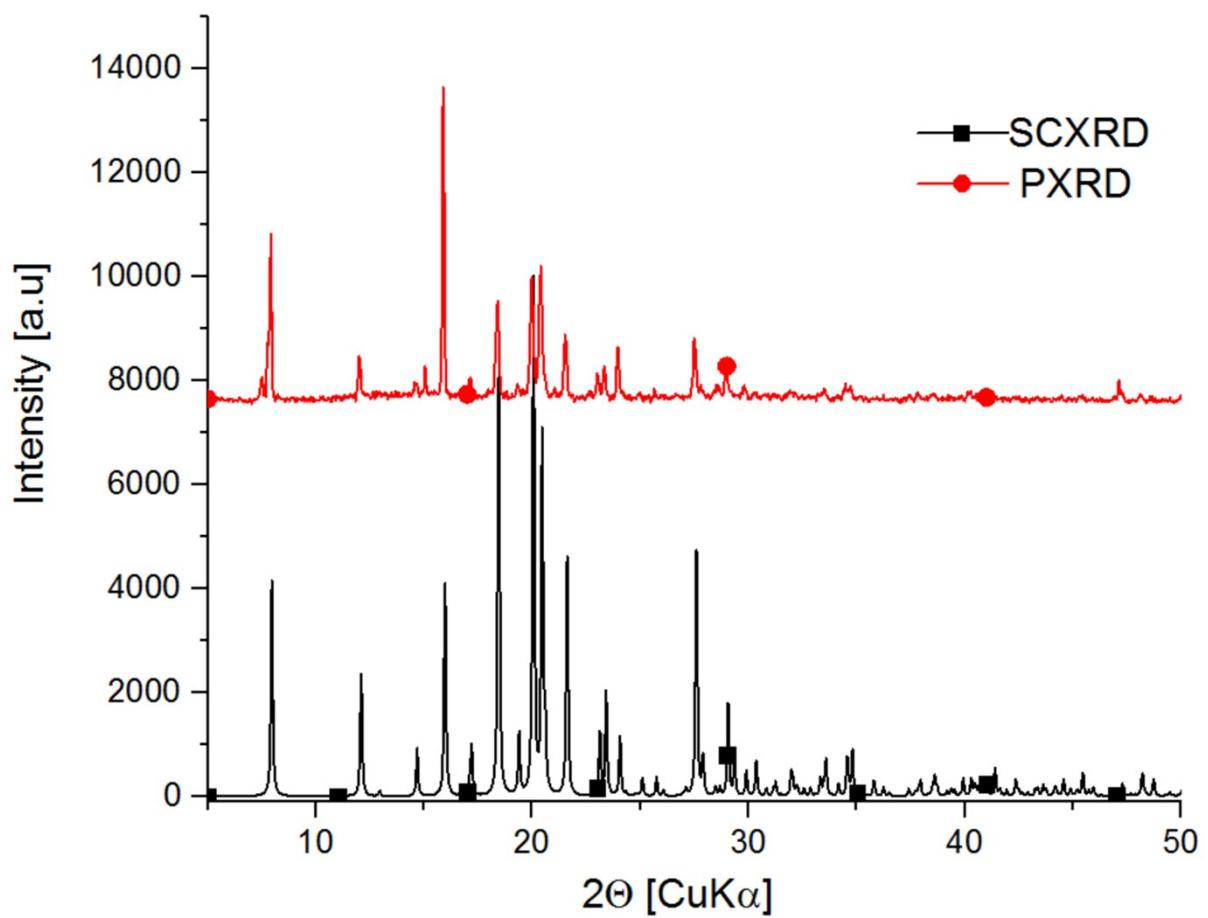


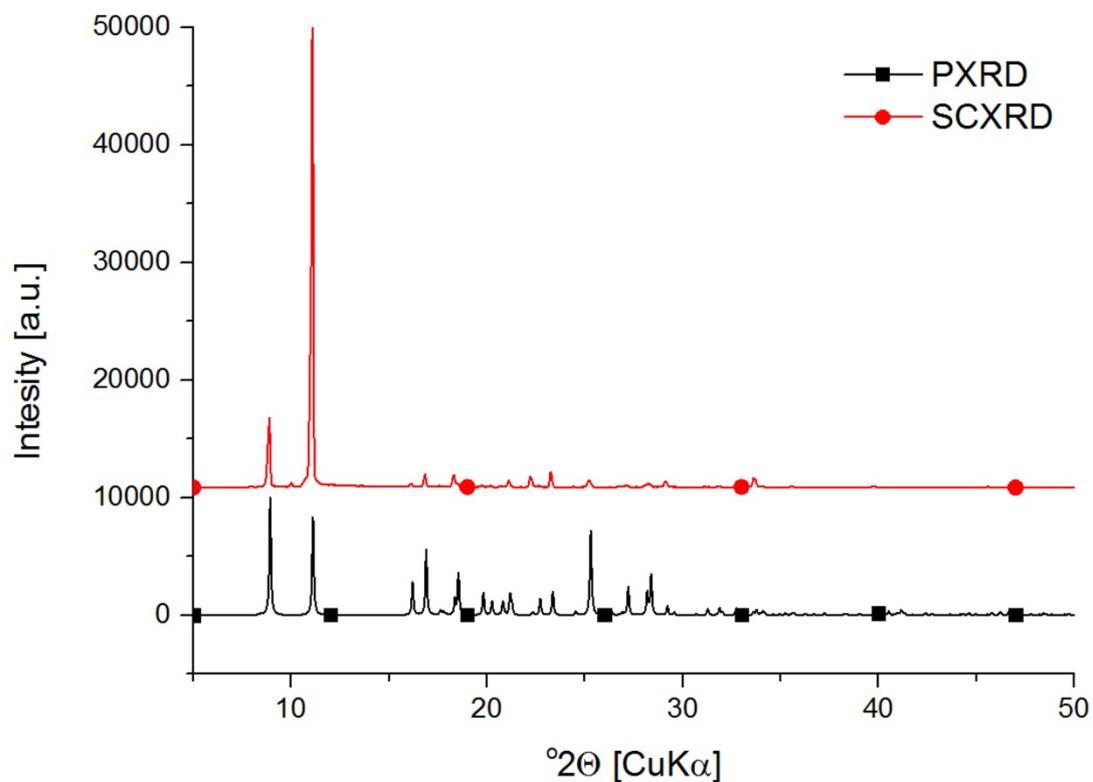
Fig. SX4 Observed N-H...O interactions in **SB5**.

Powder diffraction data

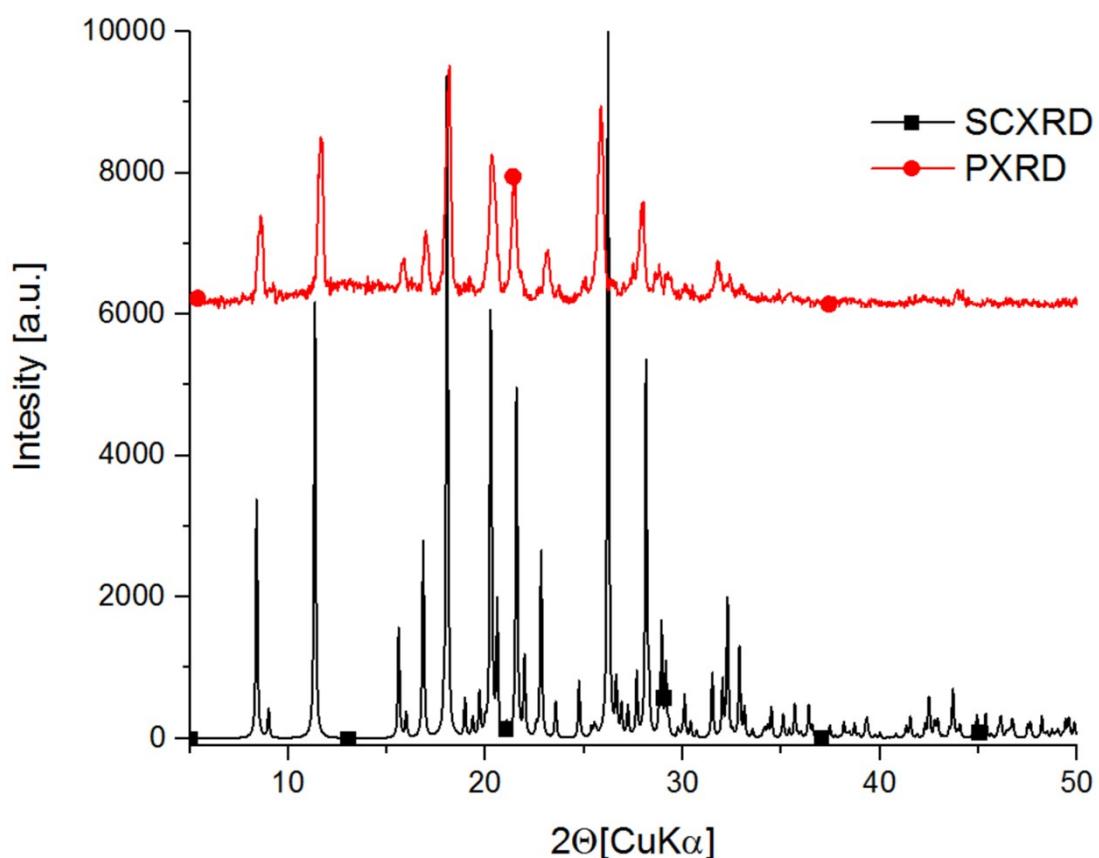
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SB3



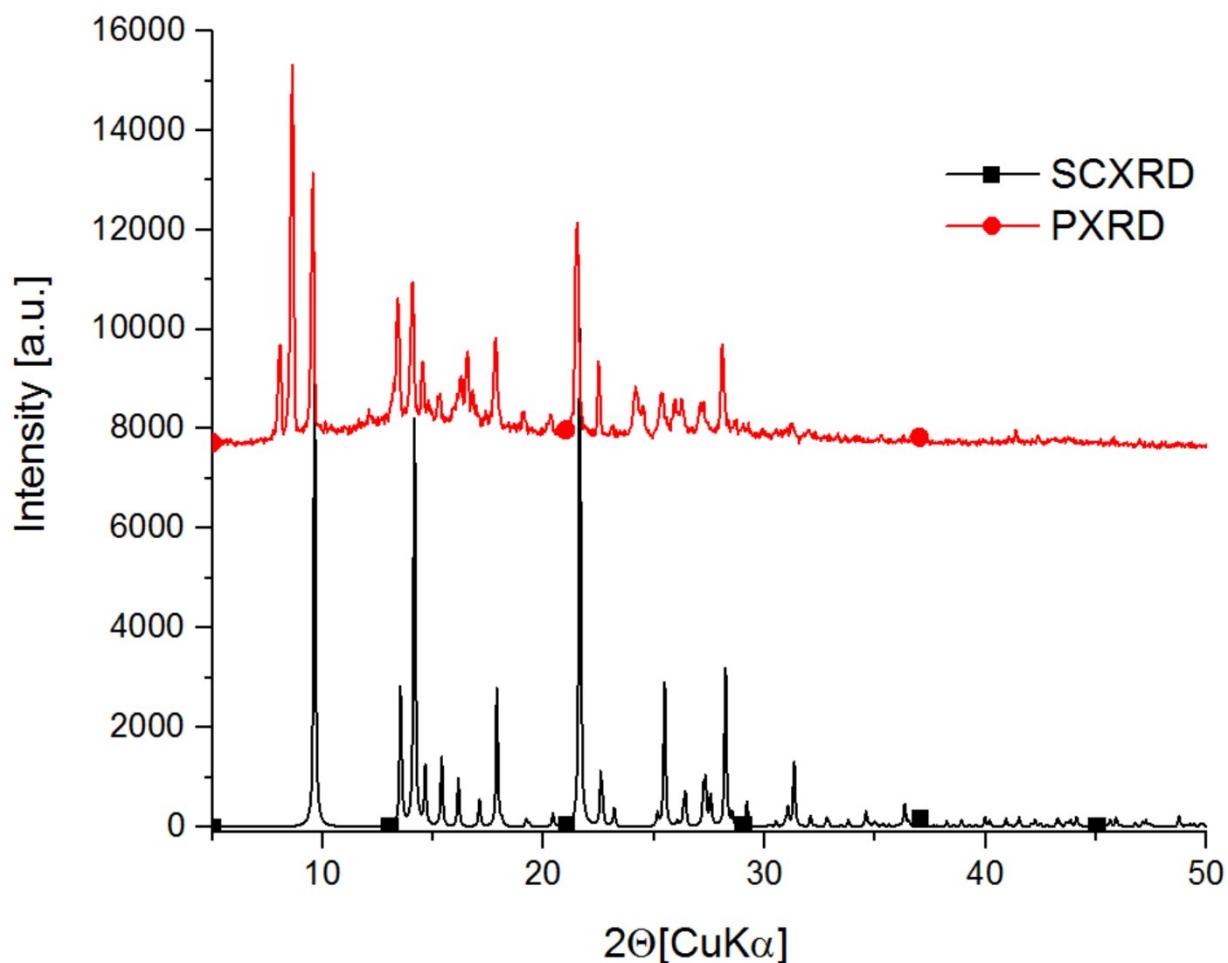
SB5

Fig. SX5 Estimation of the purity of the compounds by comparison of powder diffraction data and those generated from single crystal structure. For SB5 in addition the observed structure crystal of a supposed polymorph is present. Peaks observed in the diffractogram cannot be related those of the starting compounds.