

# Electronic supplementary information for : Enhanced Li<sup>+</sup> Charge Storage in Naphthalene Diimide/Vanadium Pentoxide Intercalates.

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## 1 NDI-ph characterization

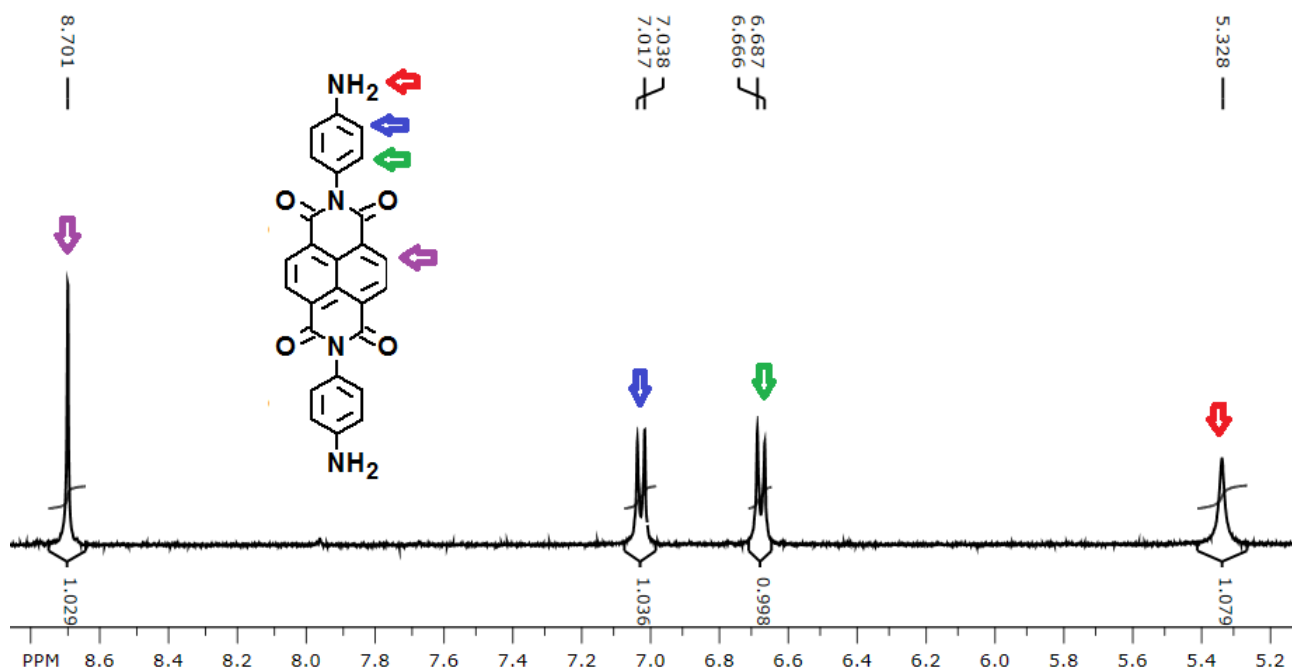


Fig. 1 <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of NDI-ph.

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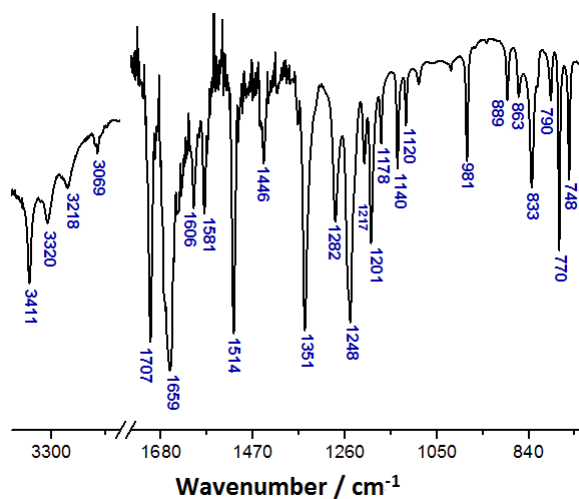


Fig. 2 FTIR spectrum of NDI-ph.

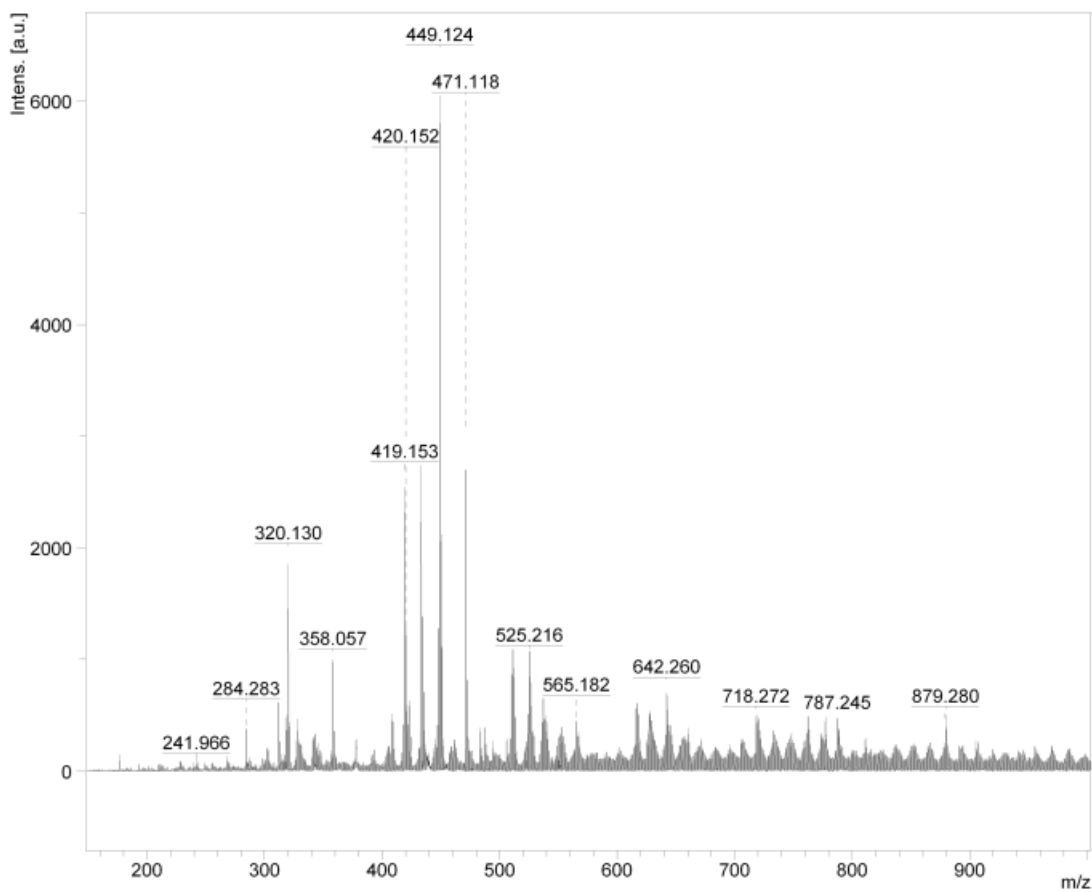


Fig. 3 Maldi-TOF for NDI-ph.

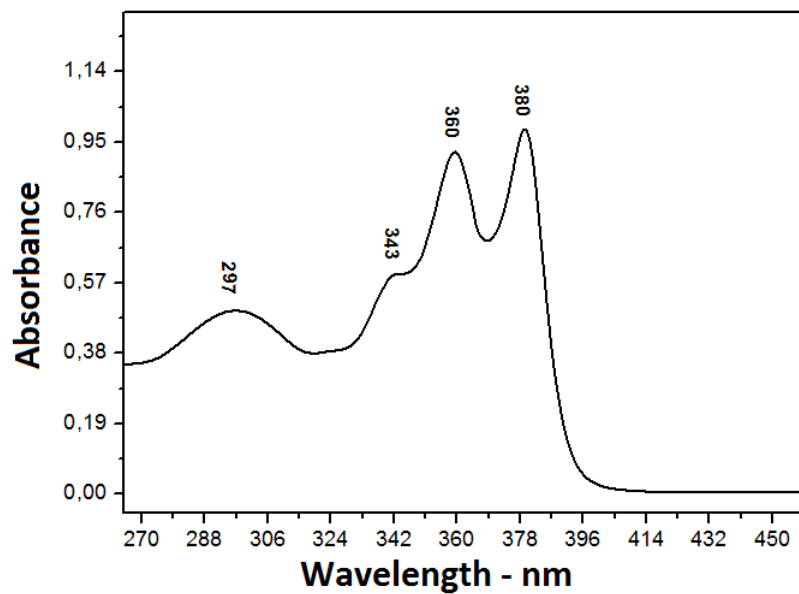


Fig. 4 Electronic spectrum of NDI-ph in DMF

## 2 Composites characterization

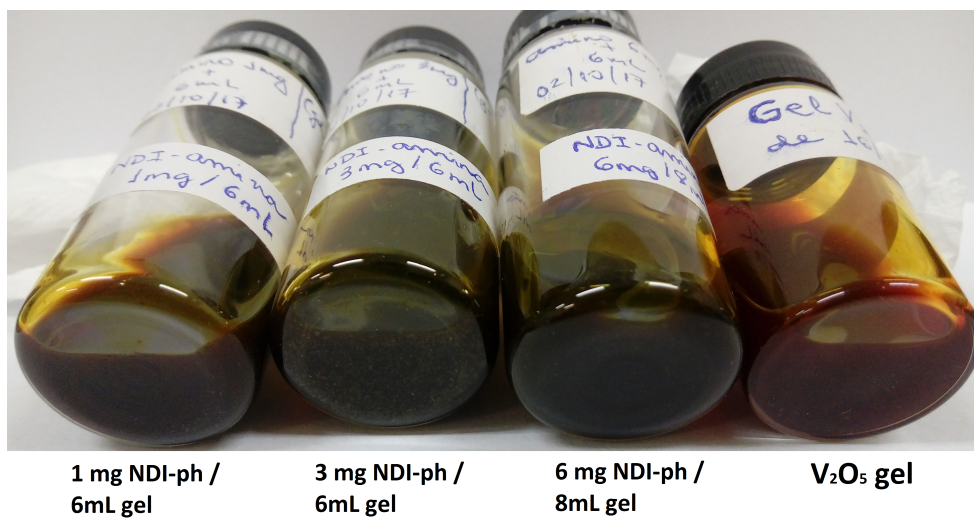


Fig. 5 Gels containing NDI-ph, and the control sample, before drying.

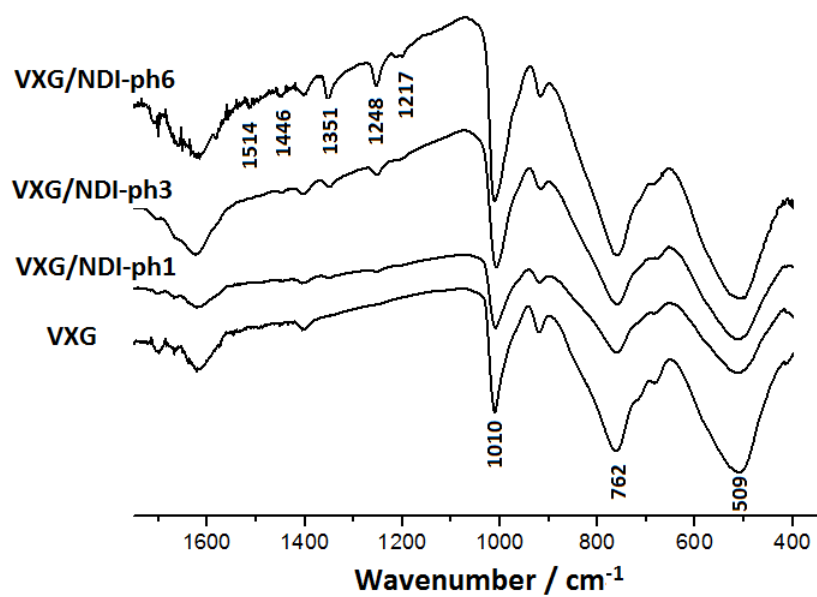


Fig. 6 FTIR spectra of the composites and VXG.

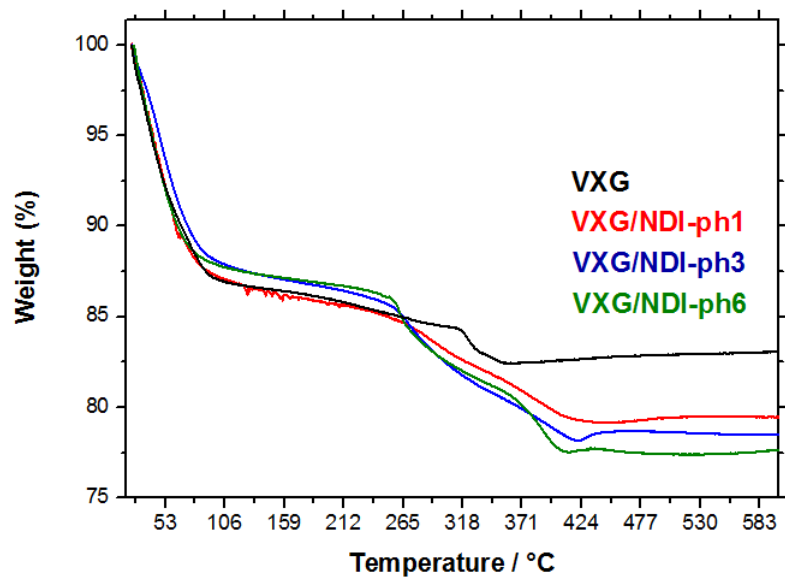


Fig. 7 Thermogravimetric analysis of the composites and VXG.

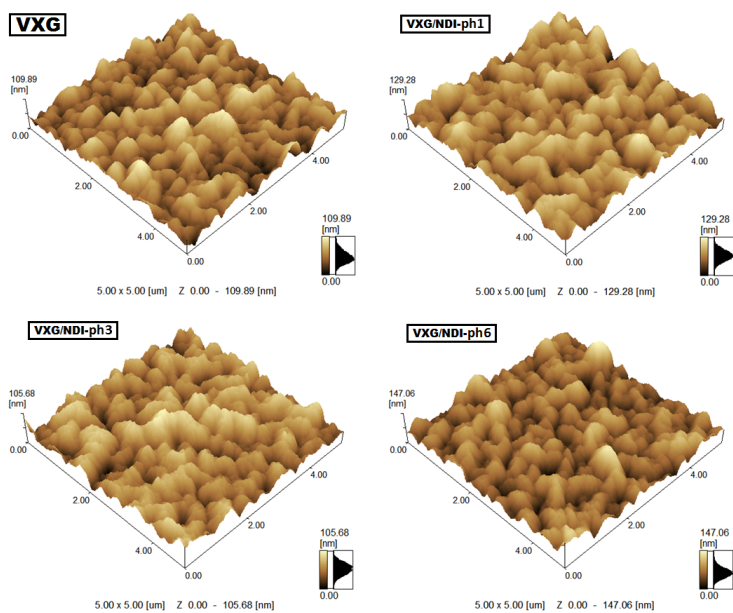


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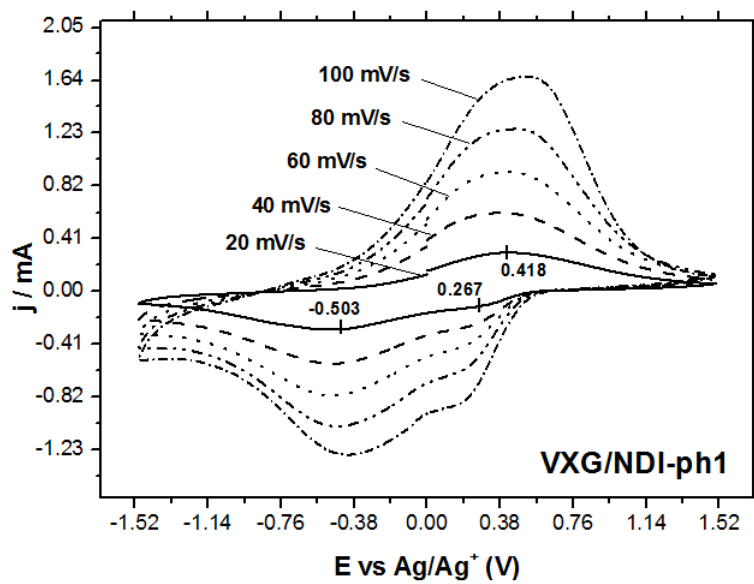


Fig. 9 Cyclic voltammograms of VXG. at 20mV/s (LiClO<sub>4</sub>/MeCN).

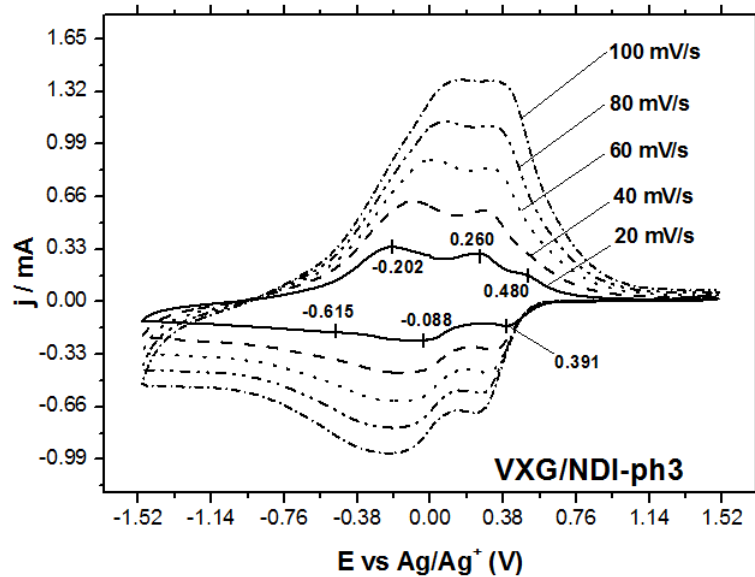


Fig. 10 Cyclic voltammograms of VXG at 20mV/s (LiClO<sub>4</sub>/MeCN).

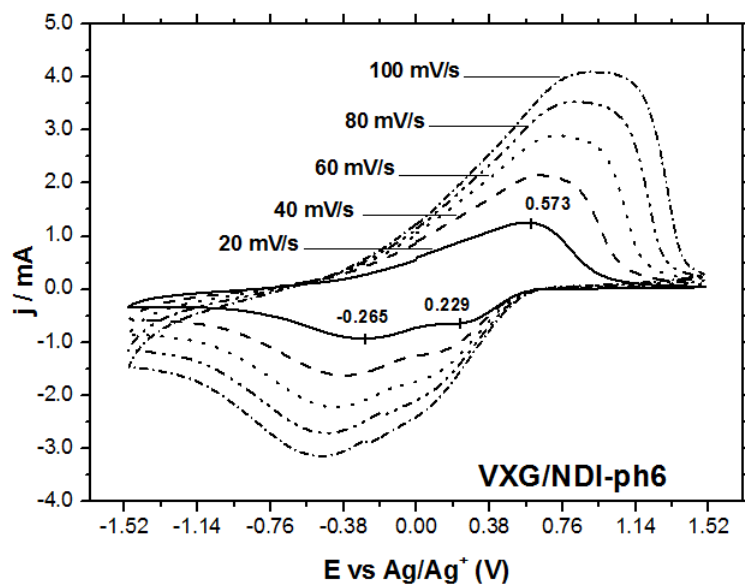
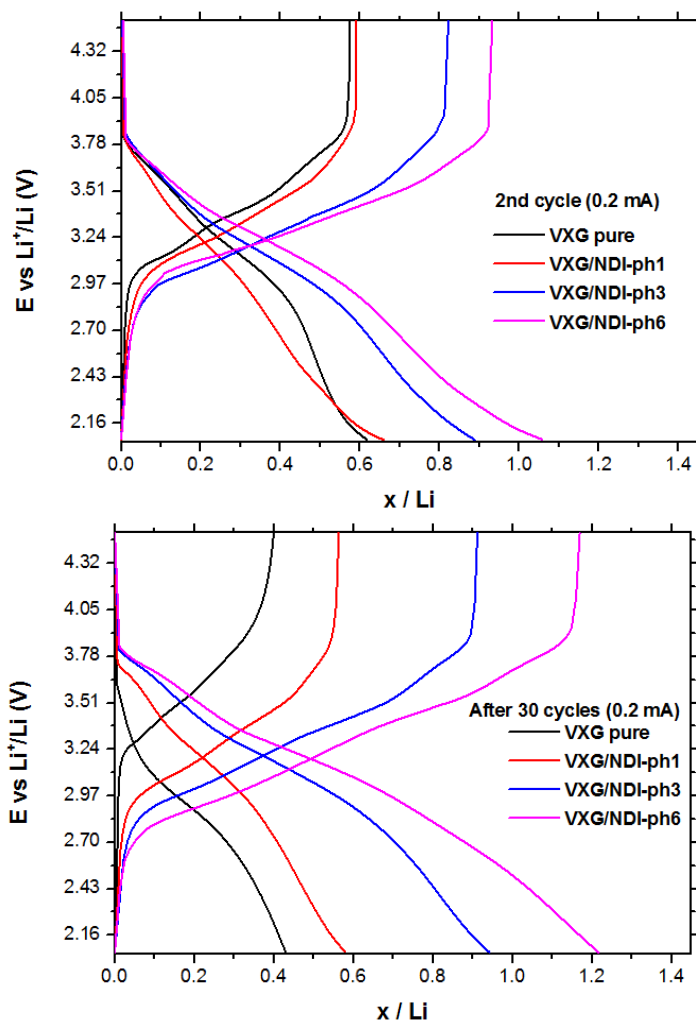


Fig. 11 Cyclic voltammograms of VXG.at 20mV/s (LiClO<sub>4</sub>/MeCN).



**Fig. 12** (a) Lithium ion inserted/extracted in the films as a function of discharge/charge current (cutoff E 4.47 V to 2.07 vs  $\text{Li}^+/\text{Li}$ ,  $j = 0.2$  mA) per mol of  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$ ; (b) Lithium ion inserted/extracted in the films as a function of discharge/charge current (cutoff E 4.47 V to 2.07 vs  $\text{Li}^+/\text{Li}$ ,  $j = 0.2$  mA) per mol of  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$  - after 30th cycles.