

## Supplementary Information

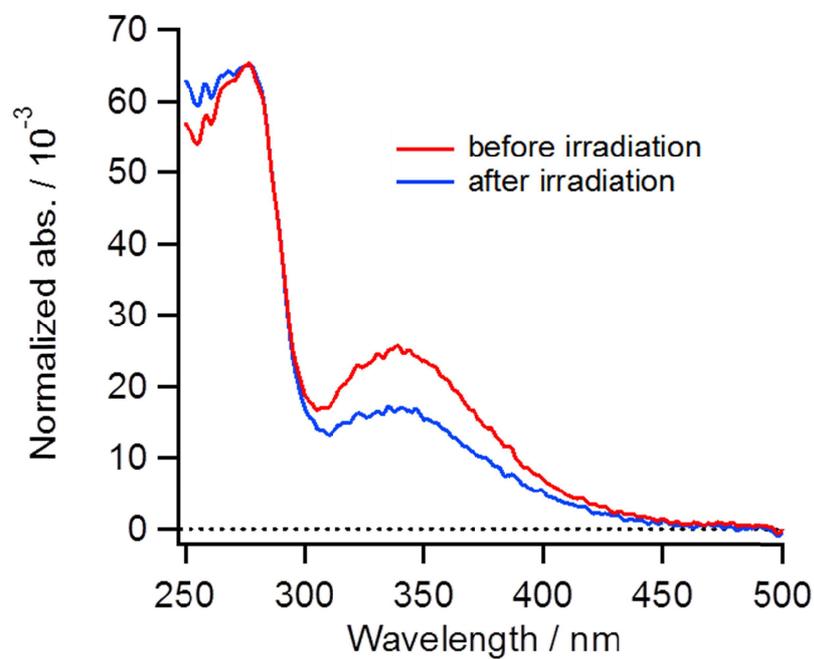
### Time-resolved FTIR study on the structural switching of human galectin-1 by light-induced disulfide bond formation

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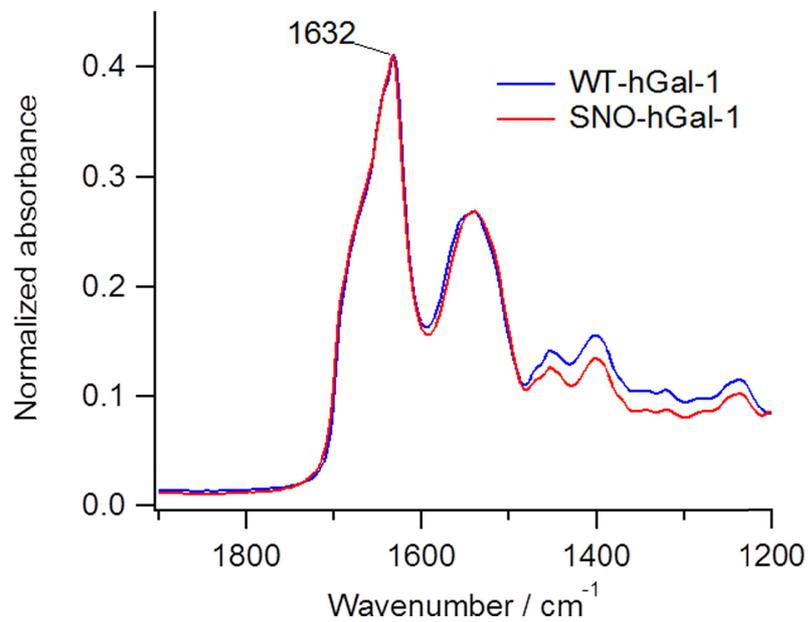
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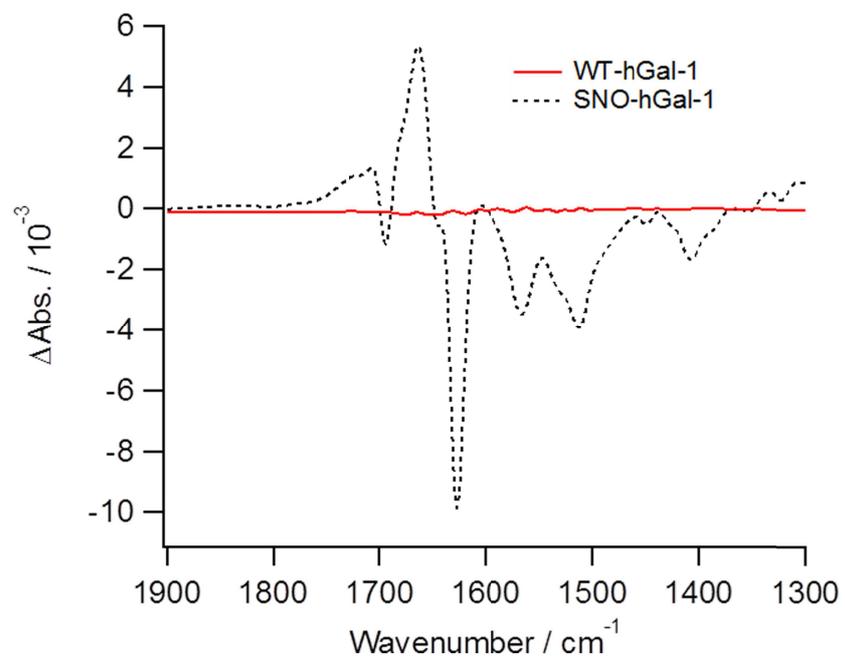
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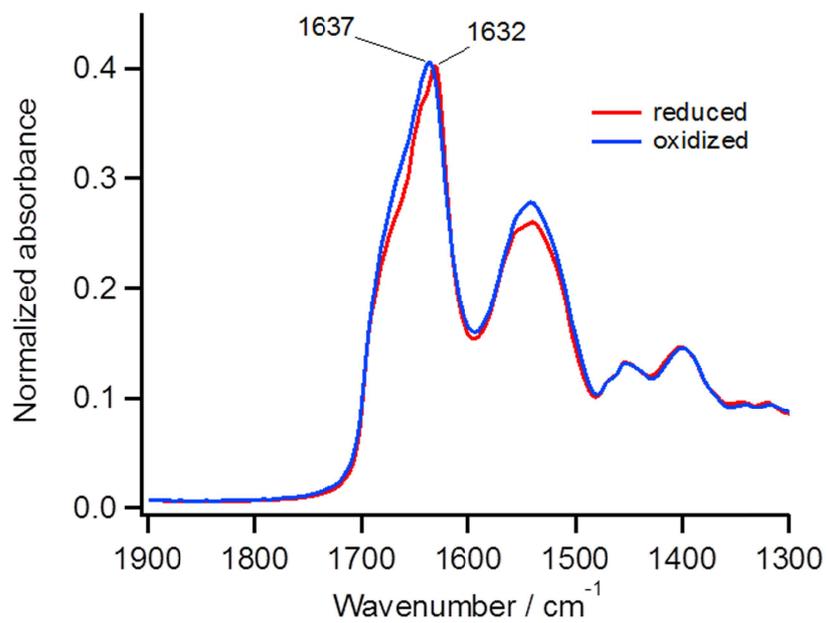
**Fig. S1** UV-Vis spectra of SNO-hGal-1 before and after 5 min of photoirradiation with 355 nm light. Both spectra are normalised at ~280 nm due to Trp. The broad absorption at ~340 nm corresponds to the SNO group. The absorption of SNO reduced to one-third upon photoirradiation.



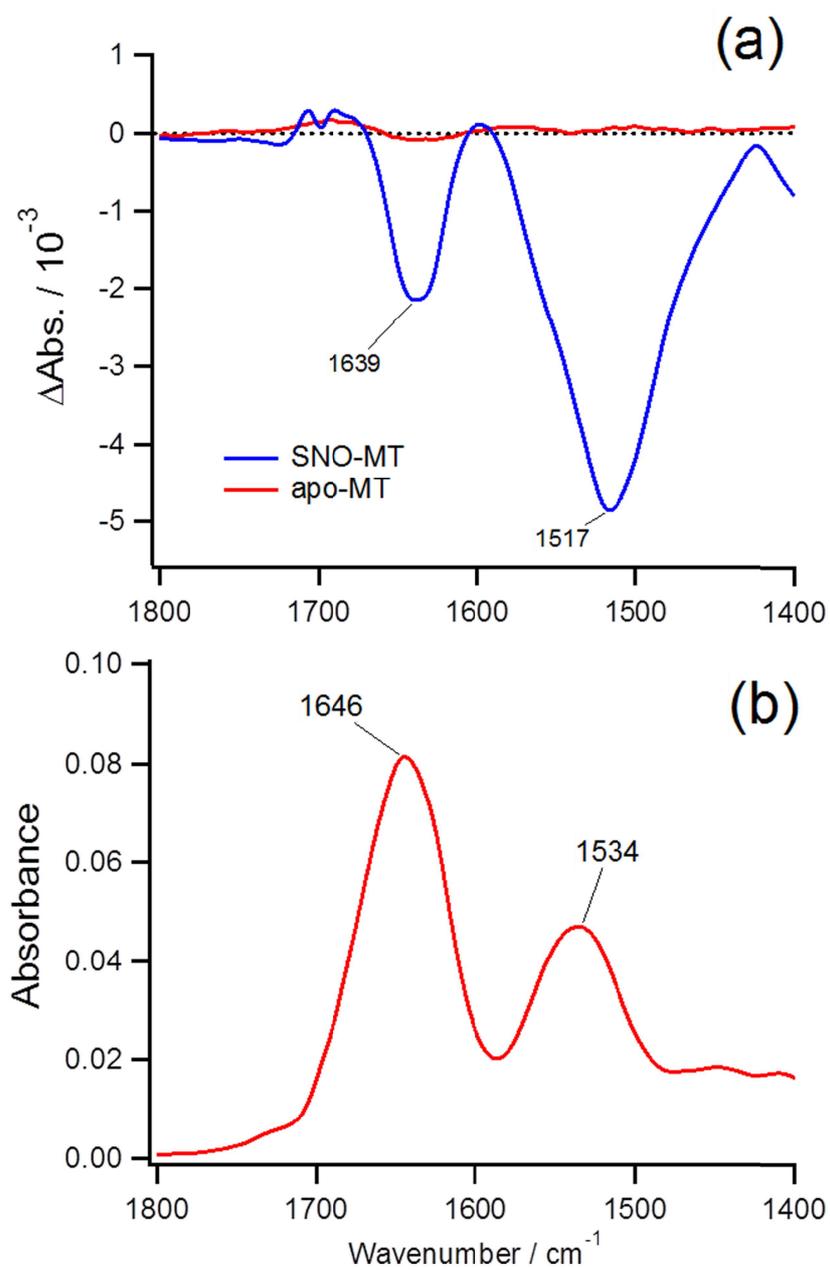
**Fig. S2** IR spectra of SNO-hGal-1 and reduced WT-hGal-1 in the dried film state. Spectra are normalised at the amide I band at 1632 cm<sup>-1</sup>.



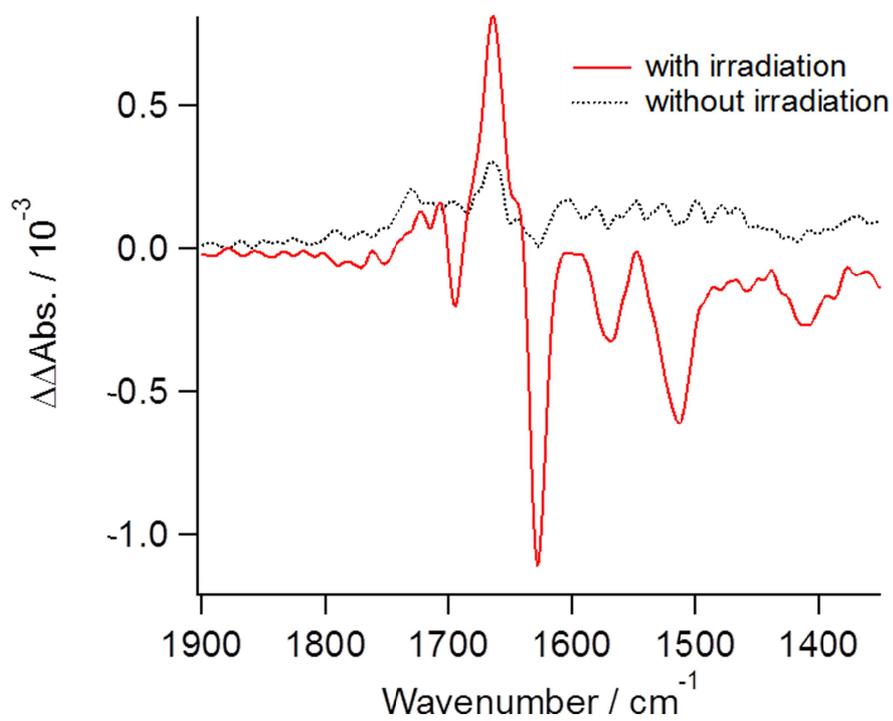
**Fig. S3** Photo-induced IR difference (light-minus-dark) spectrum of WT-hGal-1 (red solid line) and SNO-hGal-1 (black dotted line). The photoirradiation wavelength was 355 nm. Only negligible changes were observed for WT-hGal-1.



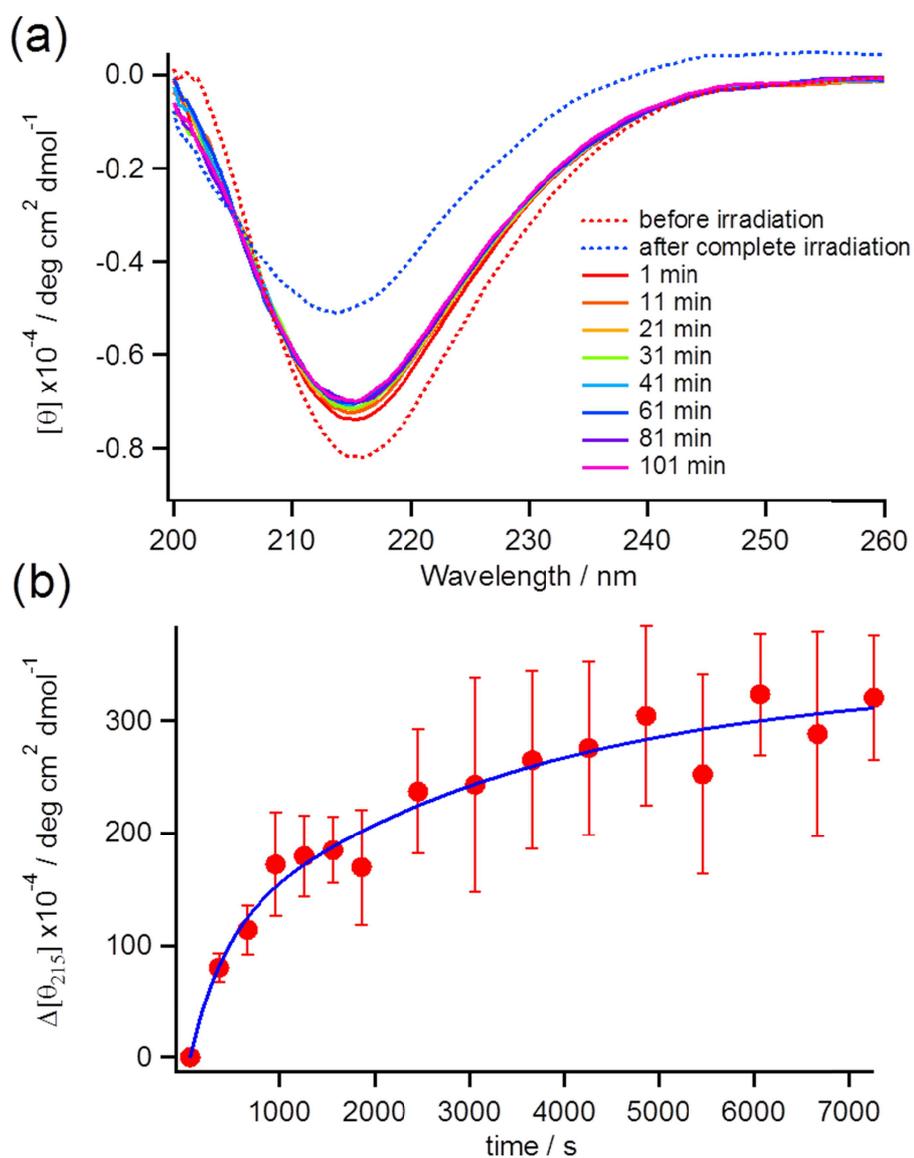
**Fig. S4** IR spectra of reduced and oxidized WT-hGal-1 in a dried film state. Spectra are normalized at the amide I band.



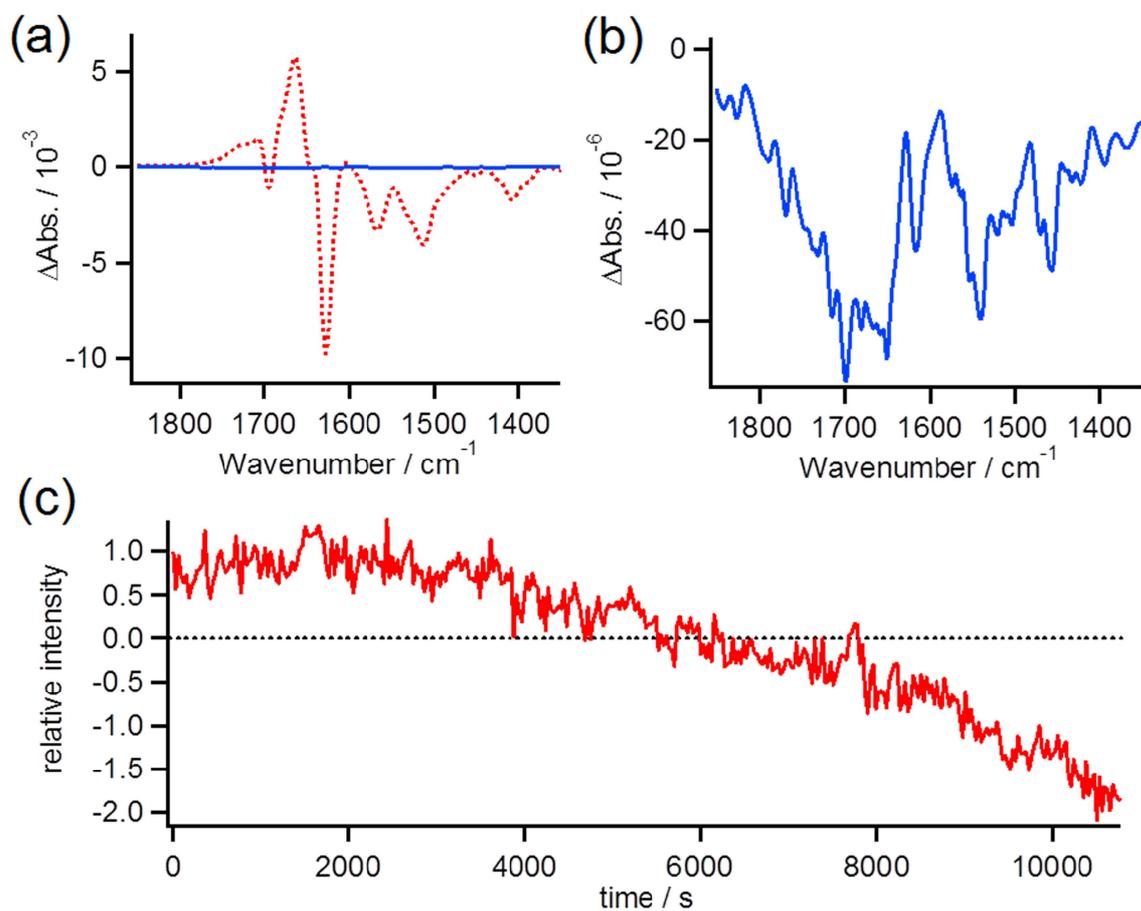
**Fig. S5** (a) Photo-induced IR difference spectrum of *S*-nitrosylated metallothionein (SNO-MT) (blue line) and apo-MT (red line). The photoirradiation wavelength was 355 nm. (b) IR spectrum of SNO-MT in the dried film state.



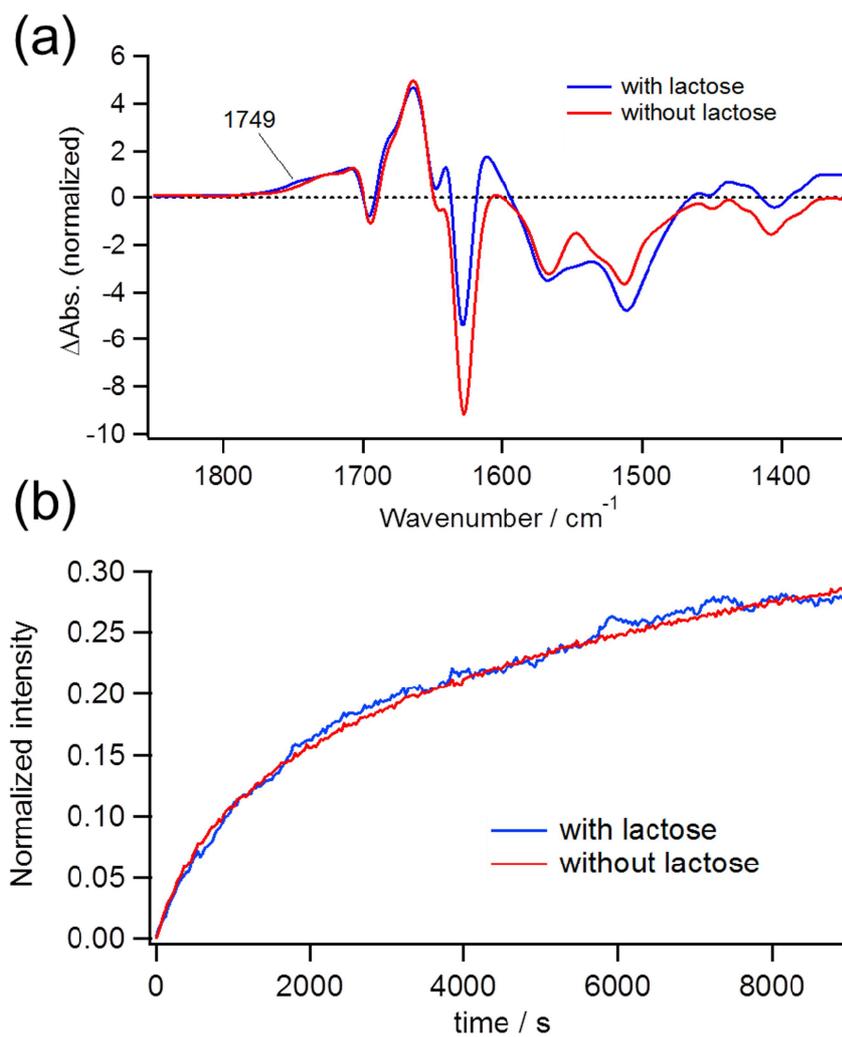
**Fig. S6** Difference of the IR spectra of SNO-hGal-1 between the 0 and 45 min after irradiation of 355 nm light (red solid line) or without photo-irradiation (black dotted line).



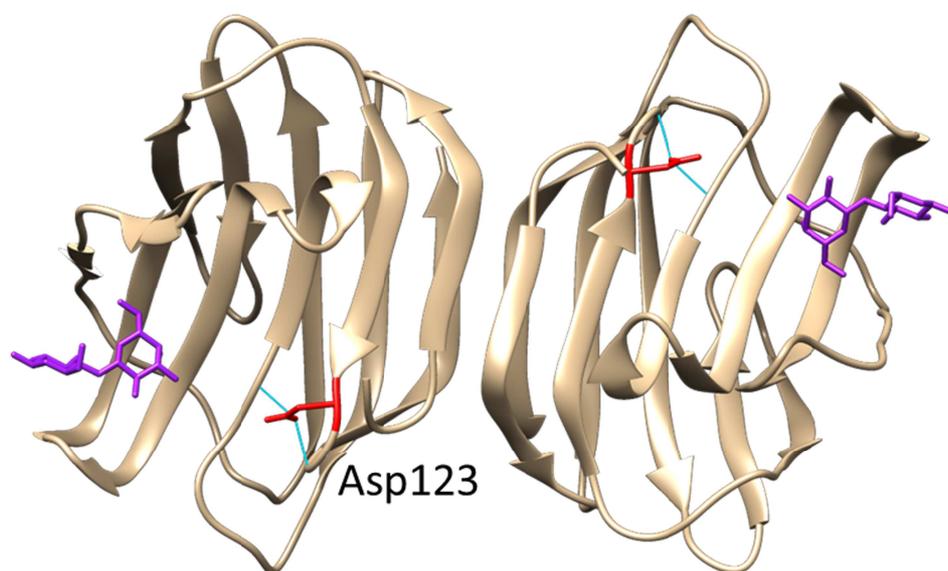
**Fig. S7** (a) Time-resolved CD spectra of SNO-hGal-1 after irradiation of 355 nm light for 5 min (solid lines) in the solution state. The concentration of SNO-hGal-1 was 3.3  $\mu\text{M}$ . Red and blue dotted lines are the CD spectra before and after 15 min of photoirradiation, respectively. Most of SNO-hGal-1 changed to the oxidised form after 15 min of photoirradiation. (b) Temporal profile of the CD intensity at 215 nm ( $\theta_{215}$ ) in (a). The difference ( $\theta_{215}$  (at  $t$  min) minus  $\theta_{215}$  (at 1 min)) is plotted. Blue solid line represents the fitting curve by a double-exponential function.



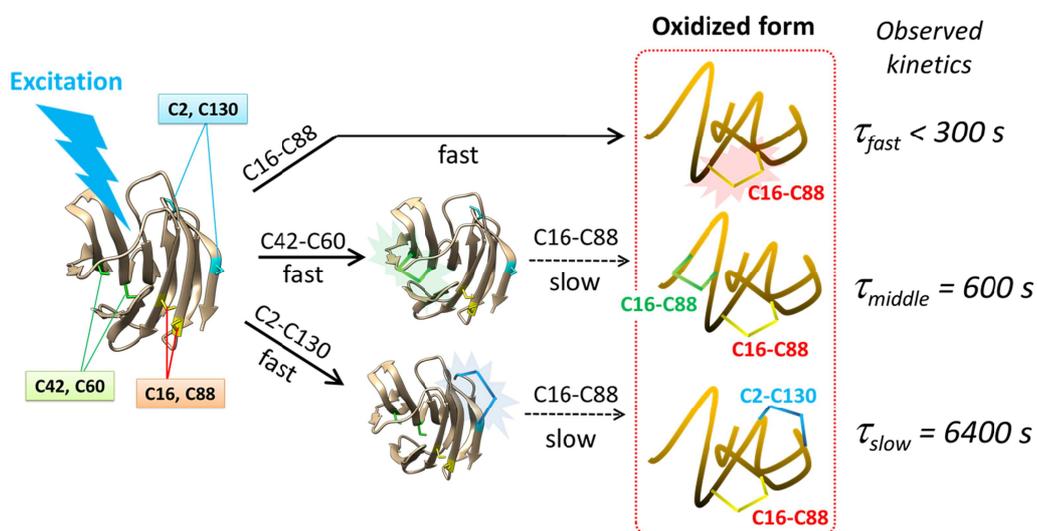
**Fig. S8** Spectral ( $W(\lambda)$ ) and temporal ( $T(t)$ ) profiles extracted from the SVD analysis of the time-resolved IR spectra of SNO-hGal-1. (a)  $S_V W(\lambda)$  of the first (red dotted line) and second (blue solid line) components. Note that the contribution of the second component is negligibly small. (b) Expanded figure of  $S_V W(\lambda)$  of the second component. (c) Temporal intensity change relative to that at 0 min ( $T(t)$ ) of the second component.



**Fig. S9** (a) Photo-induced IR difference spectra of SNO-hGal-1 with (blue line) and without (red line) lactose. (b) Temporal profile relative to that at 0 min ( $T(t)$ ) of the time-resolved IR of SNO-hGal-1 with (blue line) and without (red line) lactose from SVD analysis. In the figure,  $T(t)-1$  is plotted and normalized between both of the conditions (with and without lactose) to compare temporal behaviours.



**Fig. S10** Location of Asp123 in the hGal-1 dimer. Asp123 is shown as a red stick model, and its hydrogen bonds connecting adjacent loops are shown as blue solid lines. Lactose molecules are depicted as purple stick models.



**Fig. S11** Schematic figure of the proposed three reaction pathways of SNO-hGal-1 after the photo-induced disulfide formation in Cys16-Cys88, Cys42-Cys60 and Cys2-Cys130, which are assignable to observed three kinetics ( $\tau_{fast} < 300$  s,  $\tau_{middle} = 600$  s,  $\tau_{slow} = 6400$  s). Three pairs of Cys16-Cys88, Cys42-Cys60, and Cys2-Cys130 are shown by yellow, green, and blue, respectively. In the right of the figure, oxidized structures of hGal-1 having different disulfide bonds are depicted. These oxidized forms of hGal-1 are all induced by the key disulfide bond of Cys16-Cys88.