

## An Efficient Electrochemical Synthesis of Diamino-*o*-benzoquinone: Mechanistic and Kinetic Evaluation of the Reaction of Azide Ion with *o*-Benzoquinone

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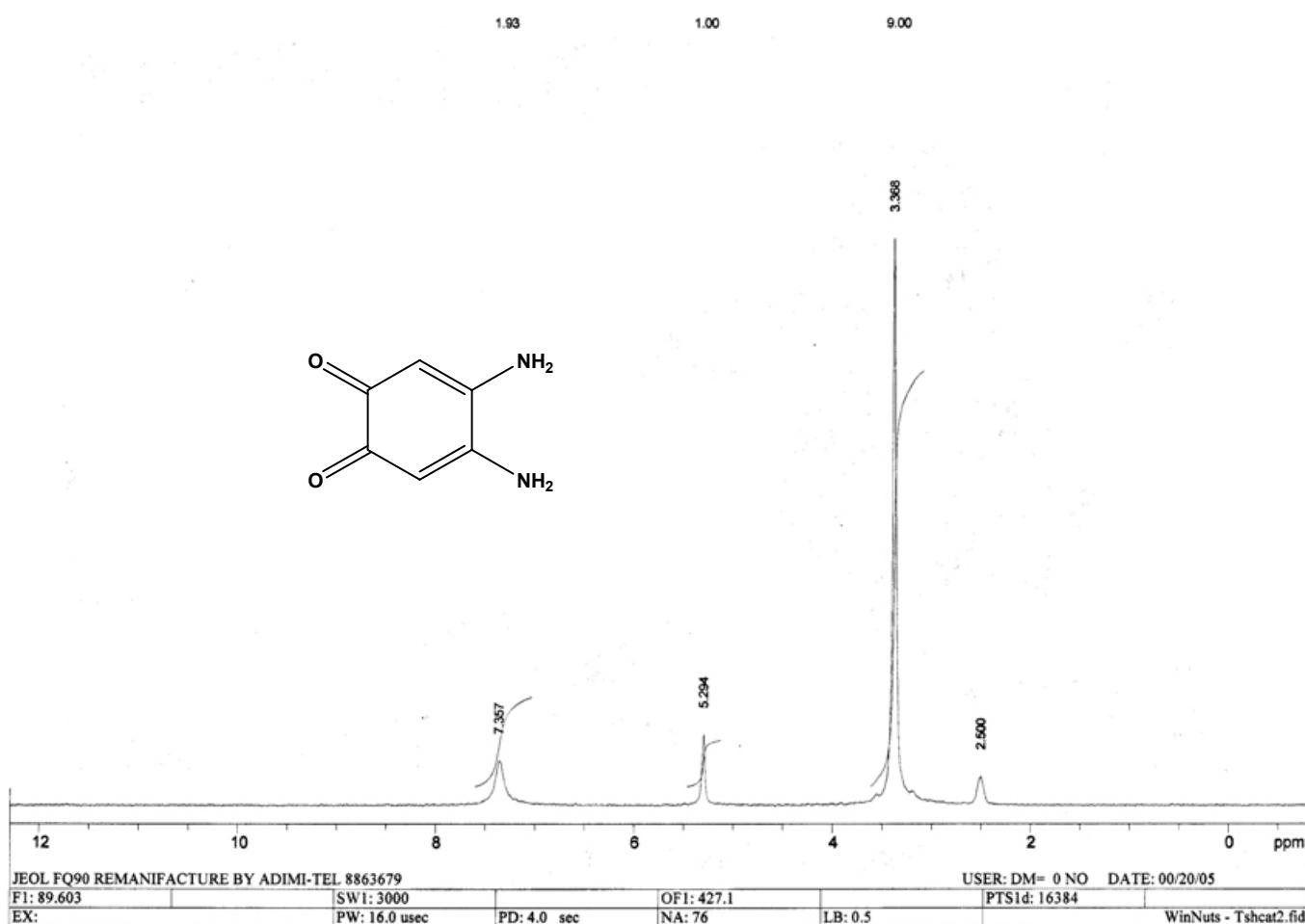
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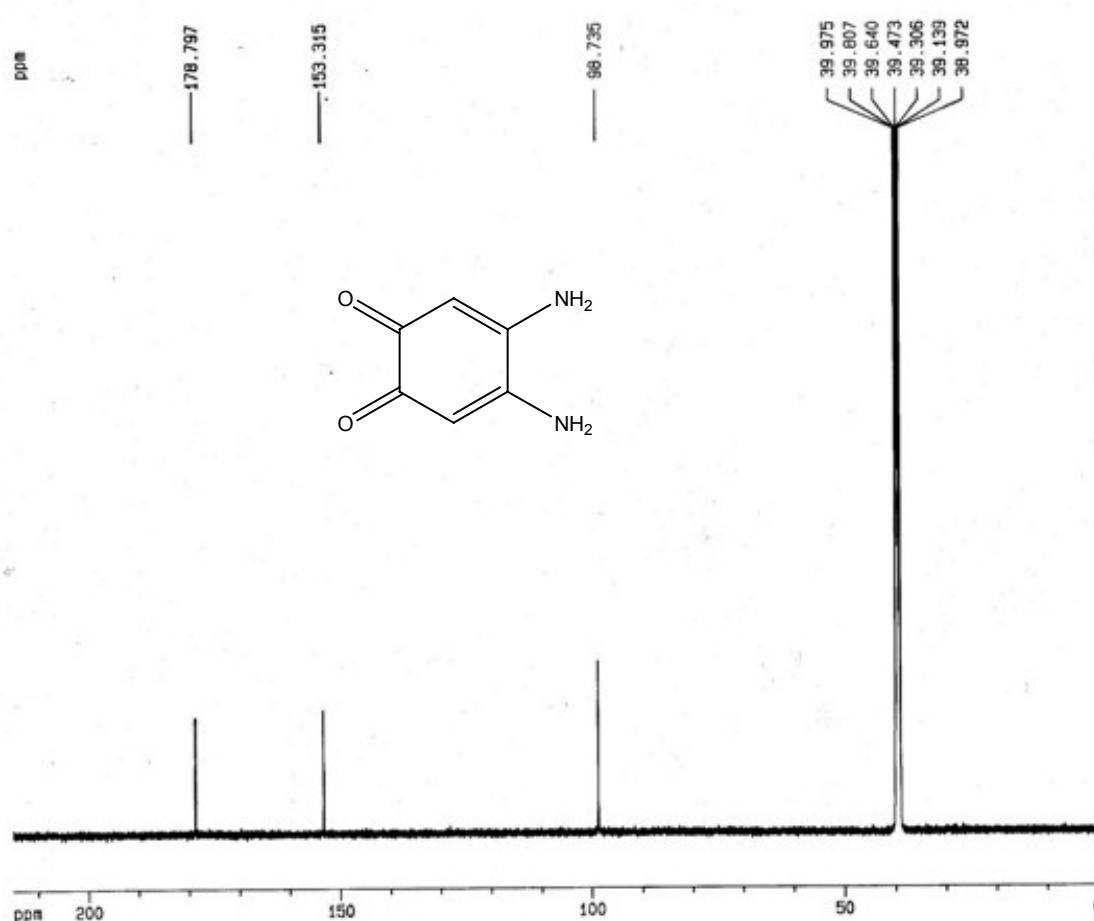
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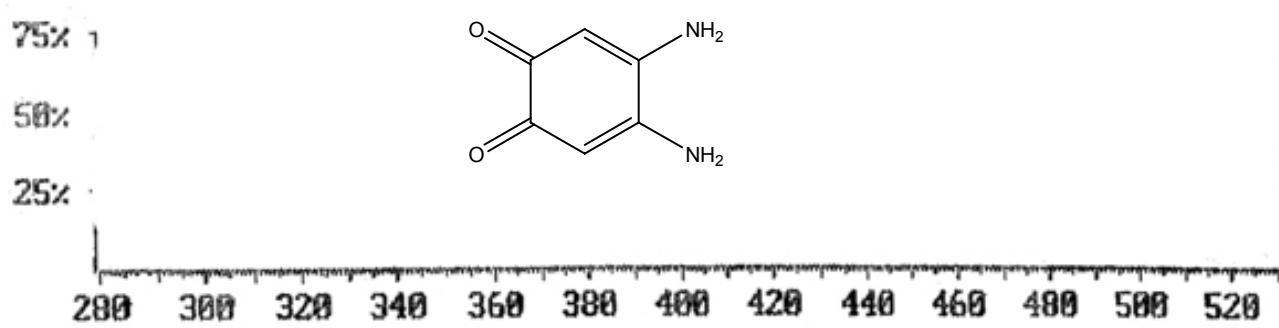
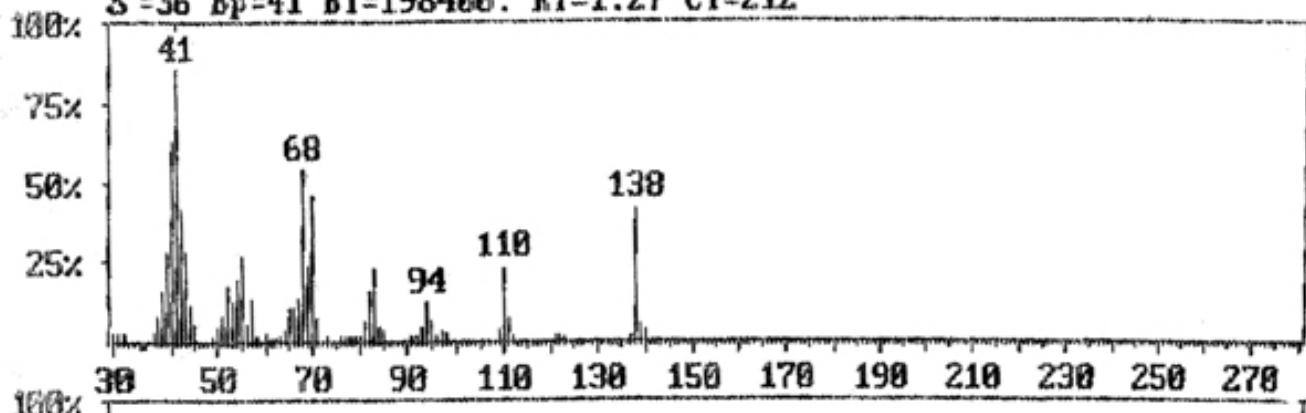
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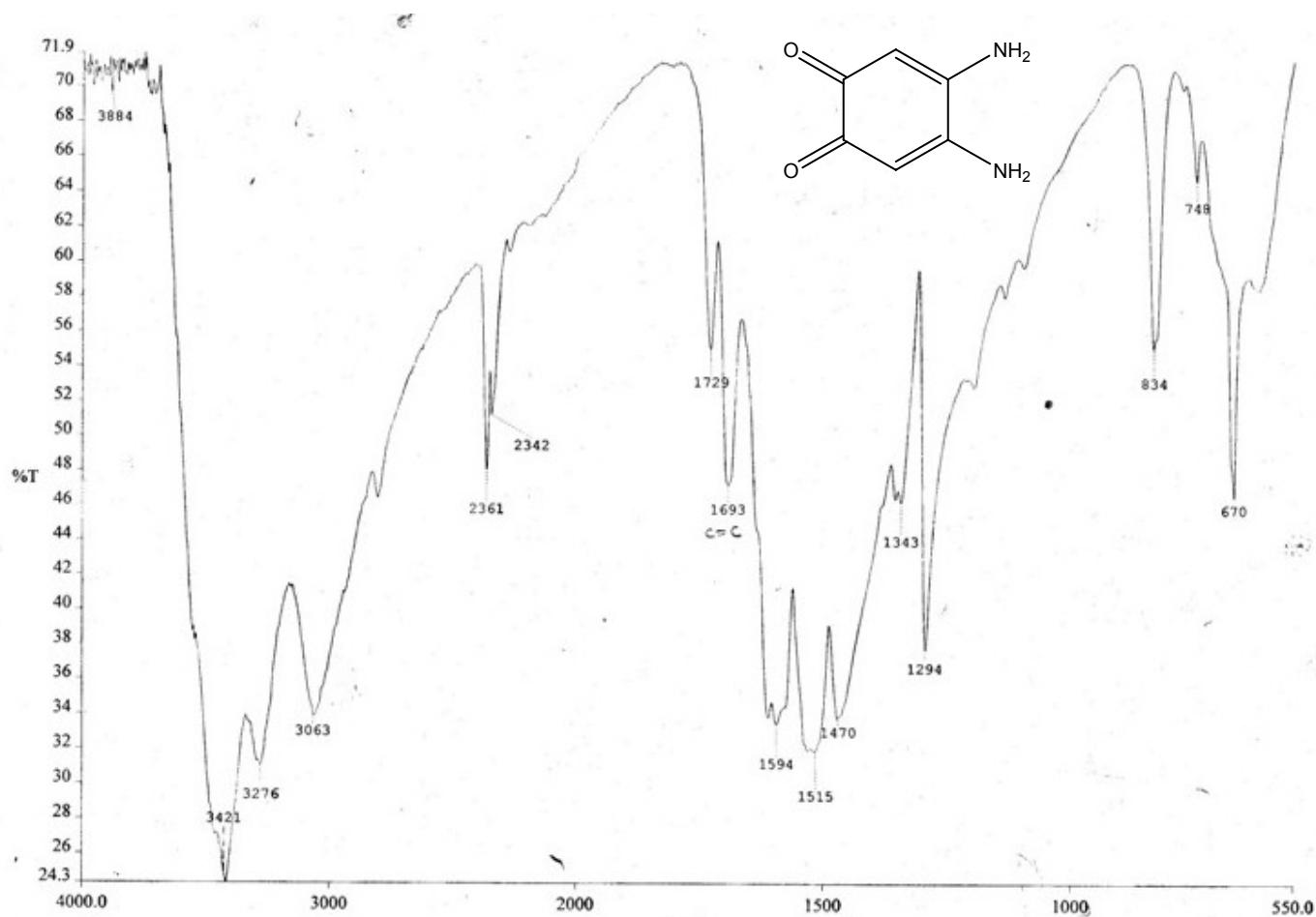
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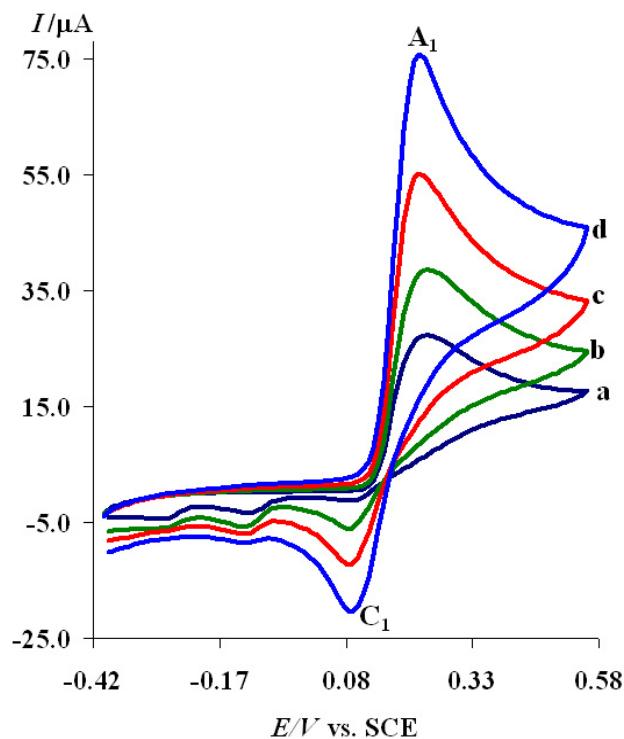
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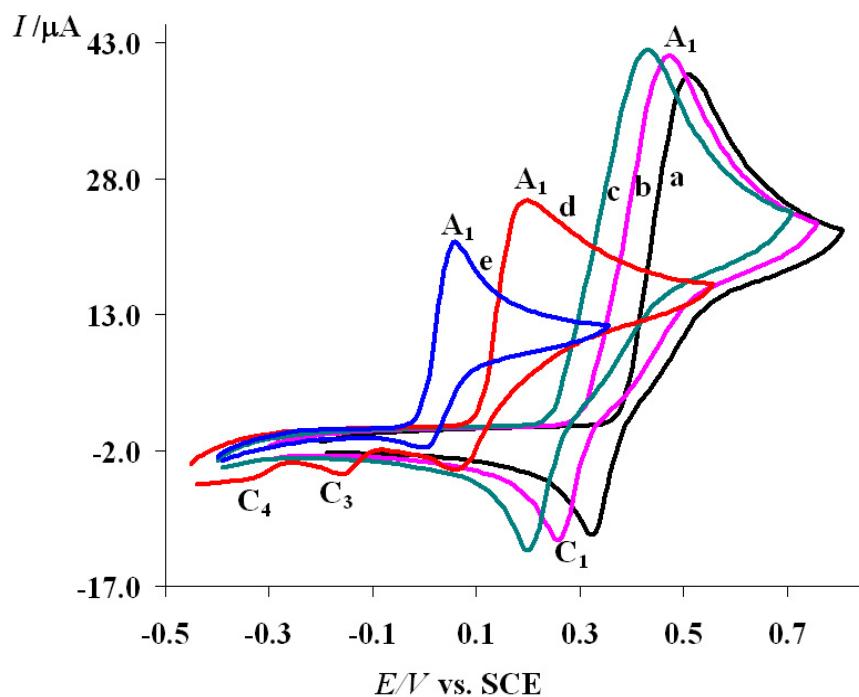


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Typical voltammograms for 1.5 mM catechol in the presence of 5 mM azide ion at various scan rates. Scan rates from (a) to (d) are 10, 25, 50 and 100  $\text{mVs}^{-1}$ , respectively. ).  
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Cyclic voltammograms for 1 mM catechol in the presence of 5 mM azide ion in different pH, at glassy carbon electrode. pHs from a to e, are 2.0, 3.0, 4.0, 7.0 and 9.0 respectively. Scan rate 25 mV/s.  $t = 25 \pm 1^\circ\text{C}$ .