

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION

### Thieno[3,4-*b*]pyrazine-based Oligothiophenes: Simple Models of Donor-Acceptor Polymeric Materials

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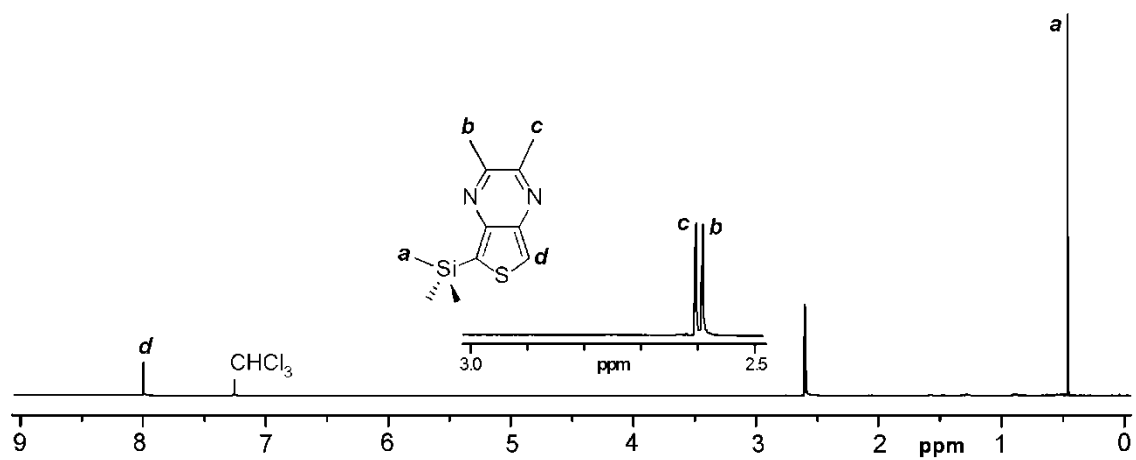


Figure S1.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound **3a**

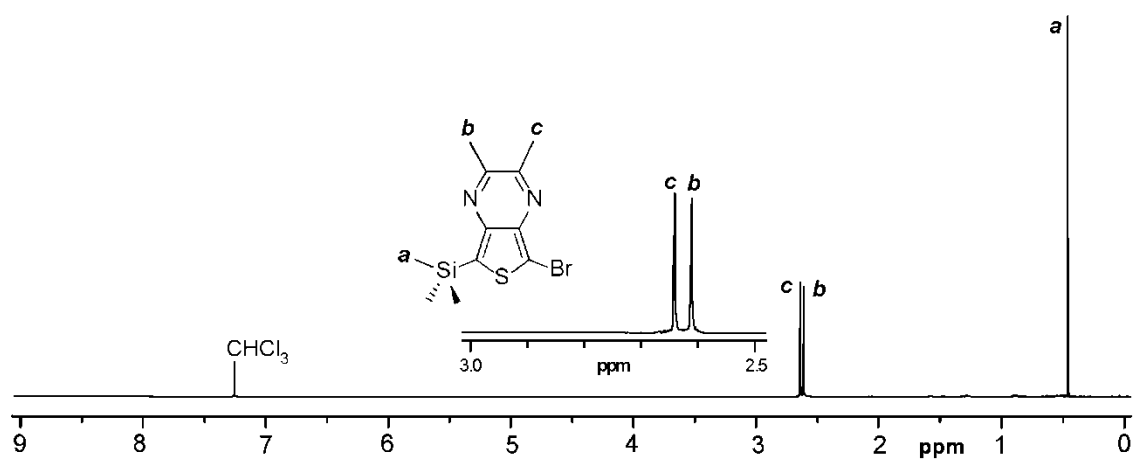


Figure S2.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound **10a**

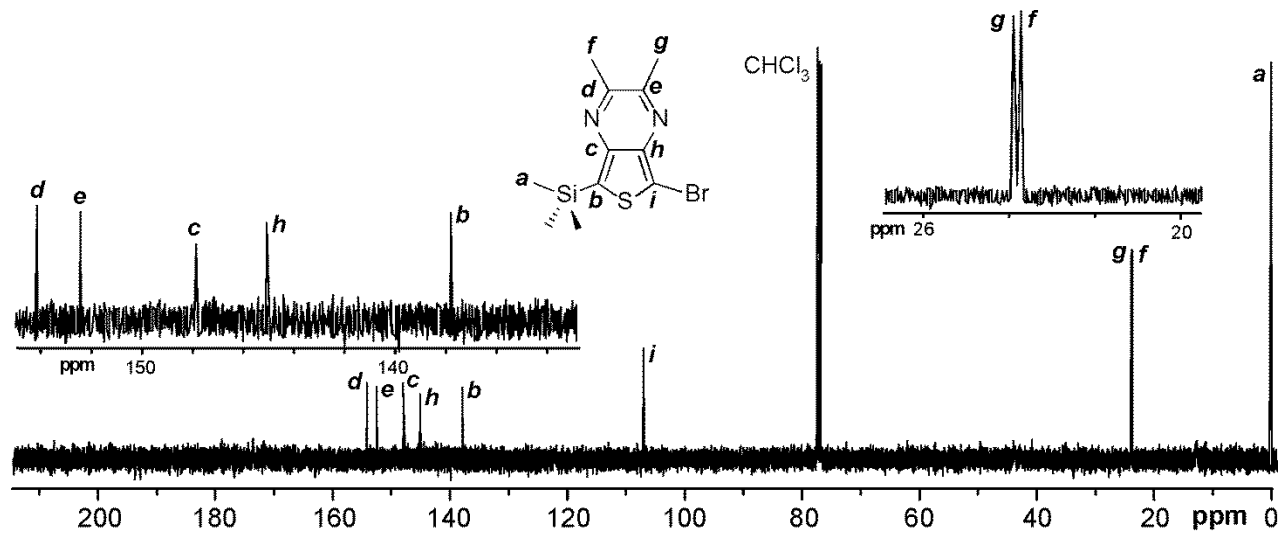
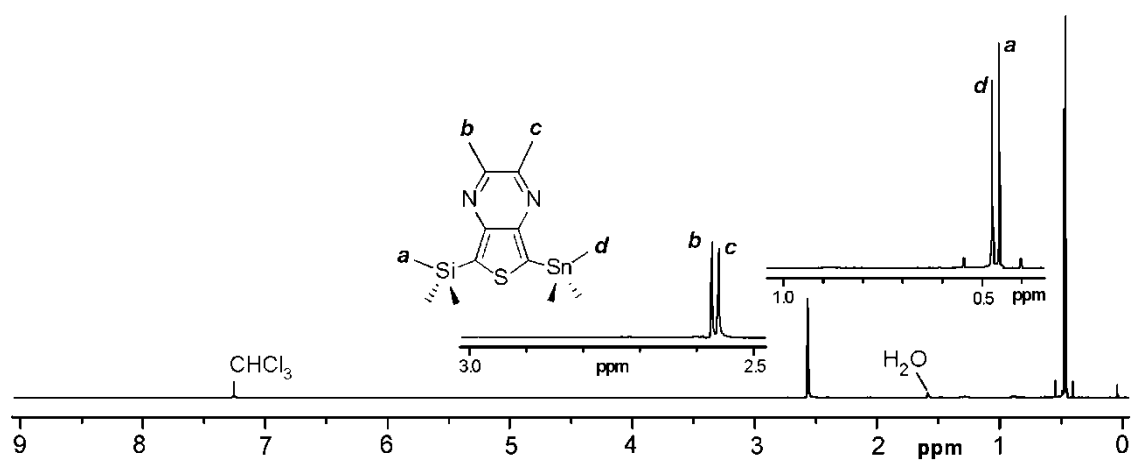
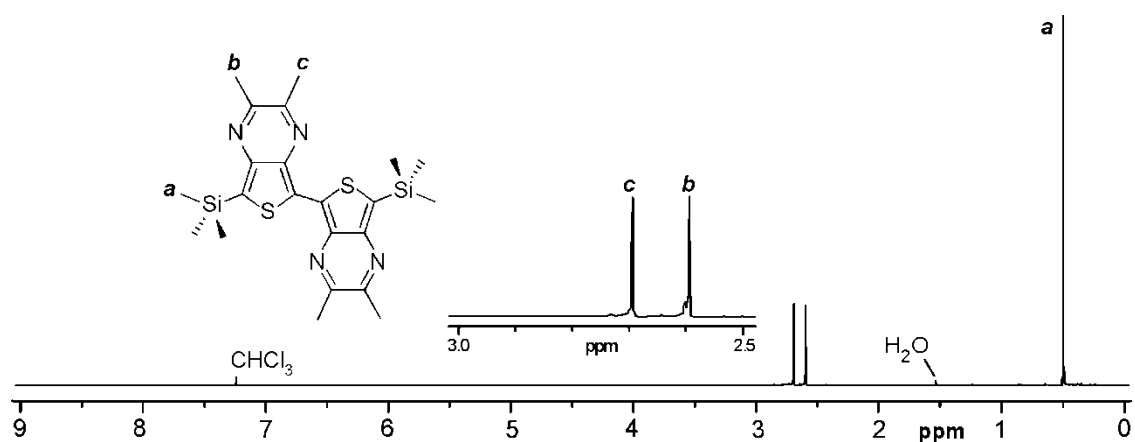


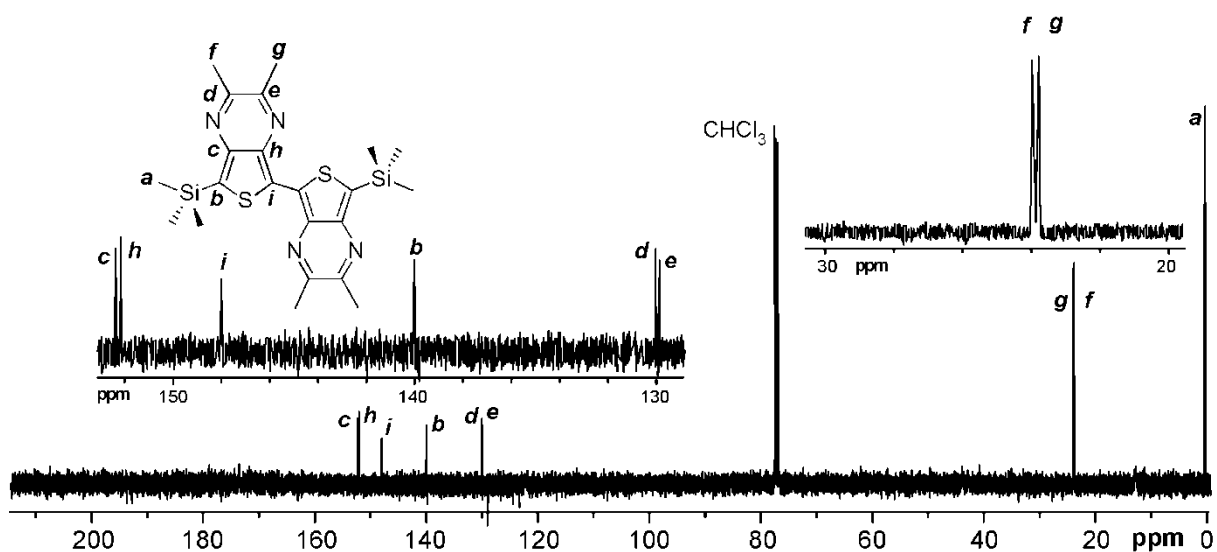
Figure S3.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound **10a**



**Figure S4.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of 2,3-dimethyl-5-(trimethylsilyl)-7-(trimethylstannyl)thieno[3,4-*b*]pyrazine



**Figure S5.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound **3b**



**Figure S6.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound **3b**

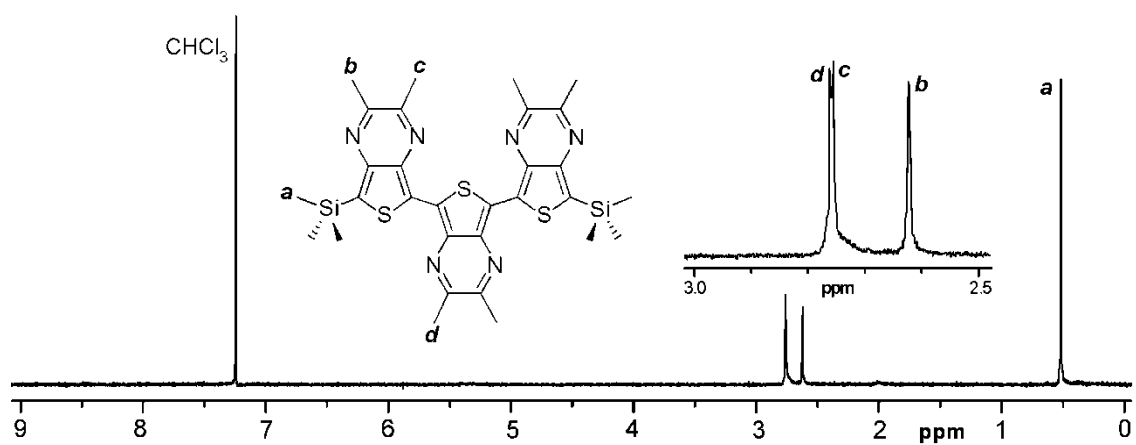


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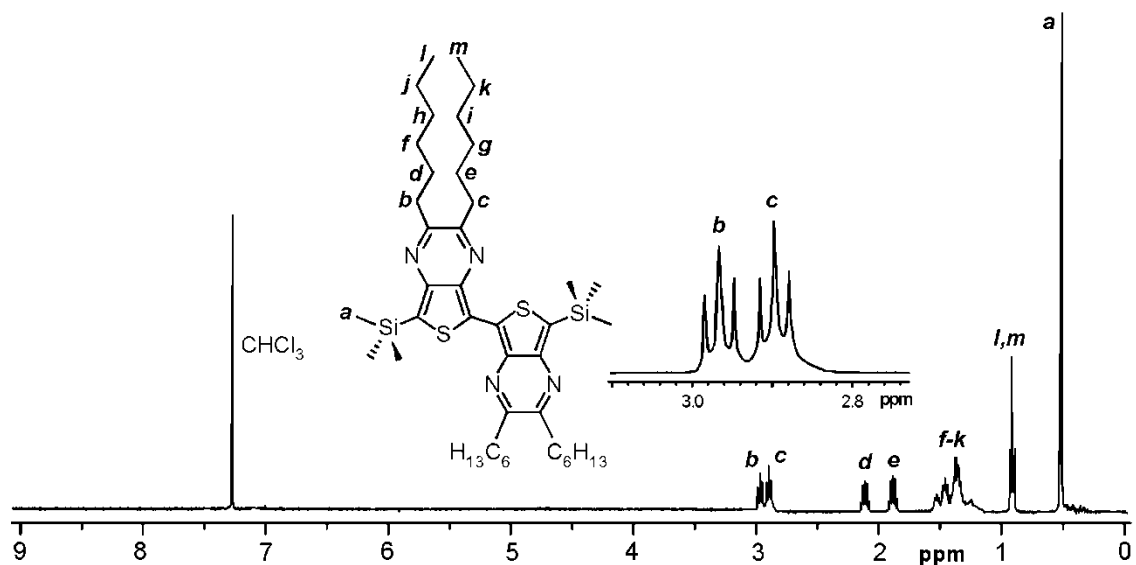


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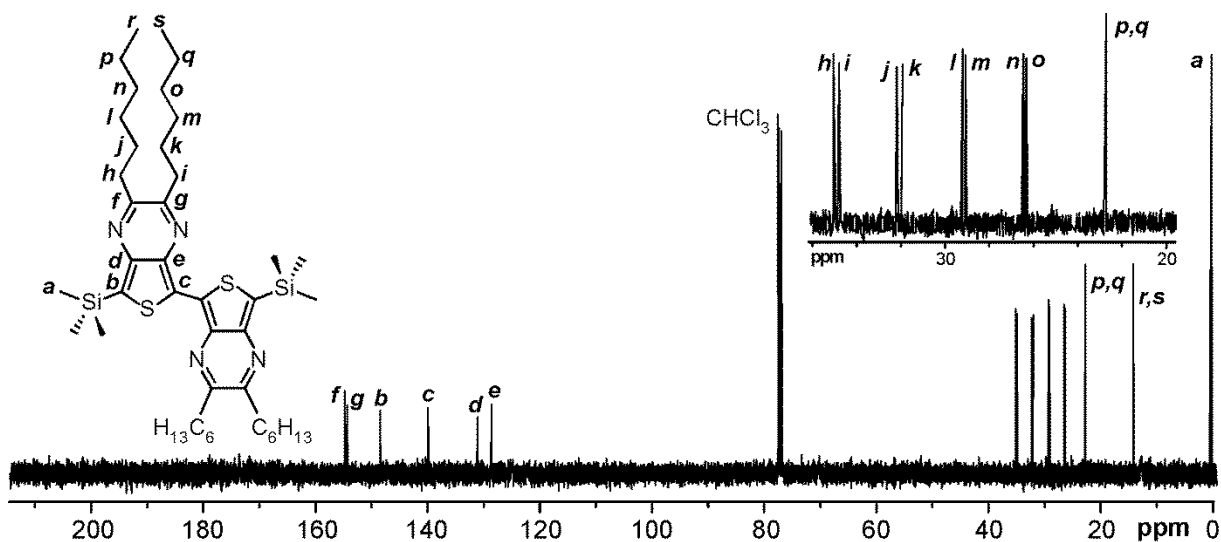


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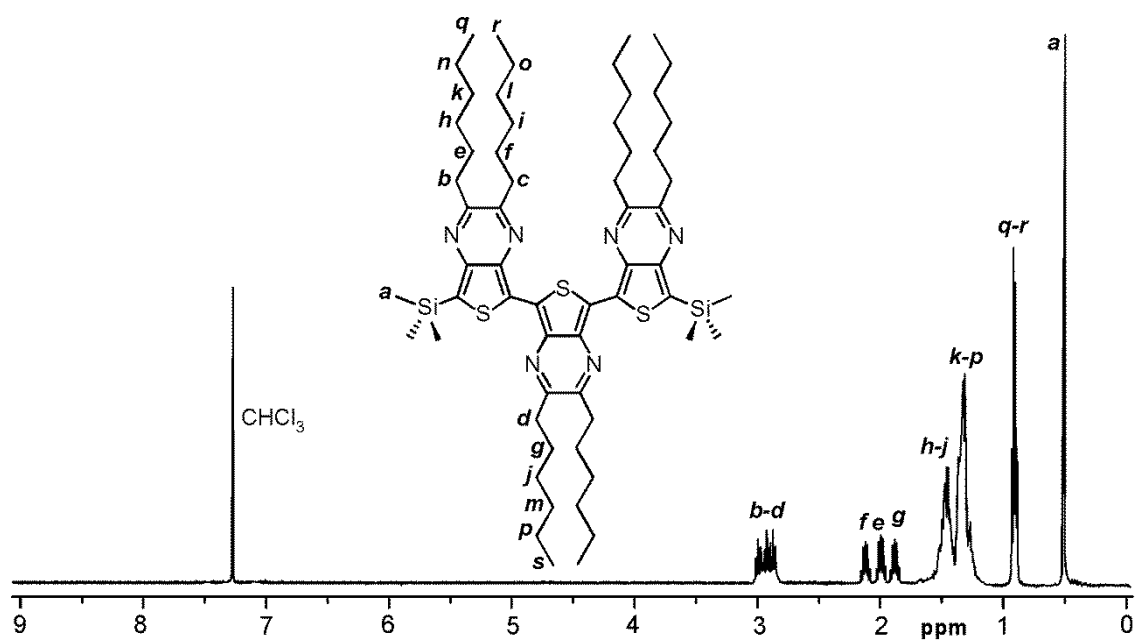


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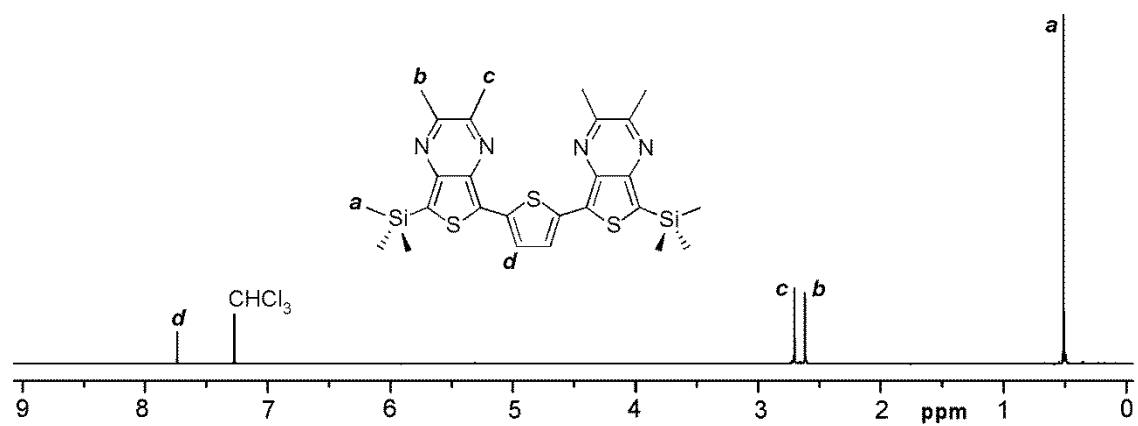


Figure S11.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound 6.

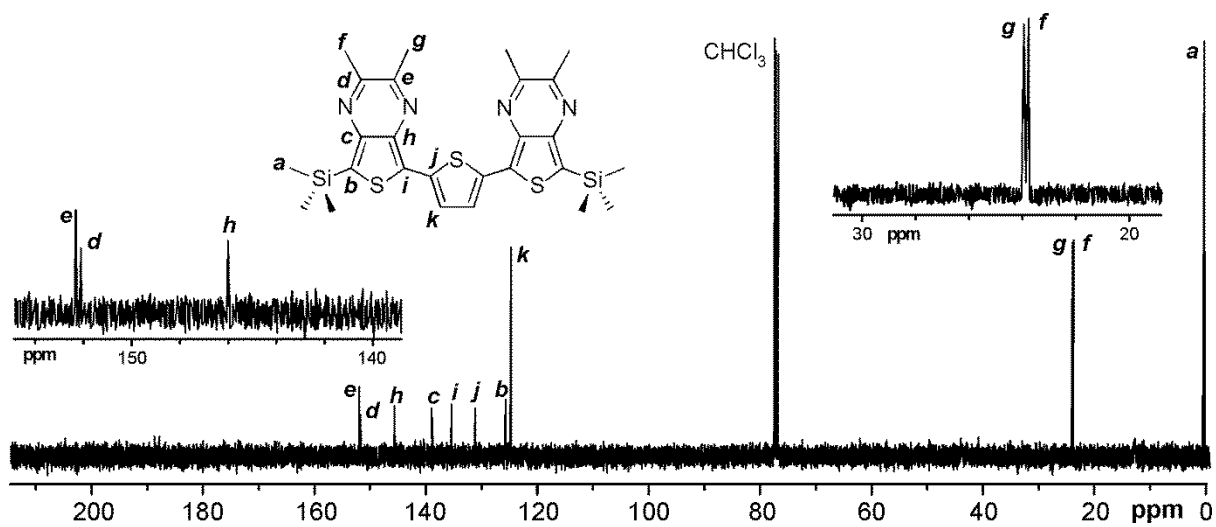


Figure S12.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectrum of Compound 6

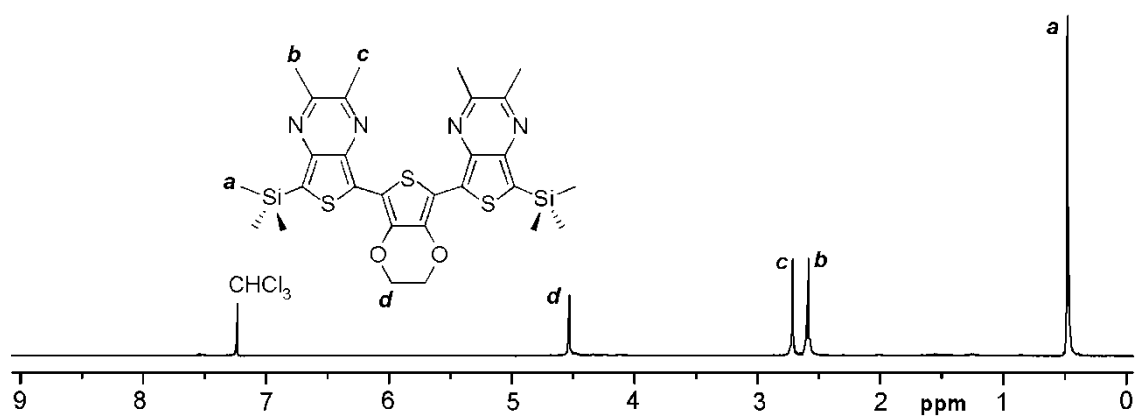


Figure S13. <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of Compound 8

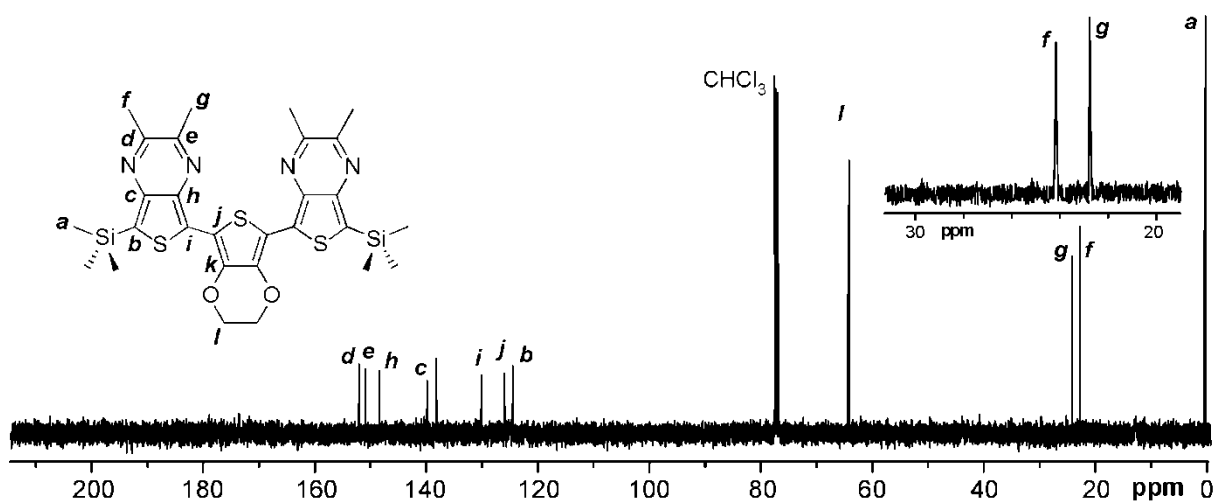


Figure S14. <sup>13</sup>C NMR Spectrum of Compound 8

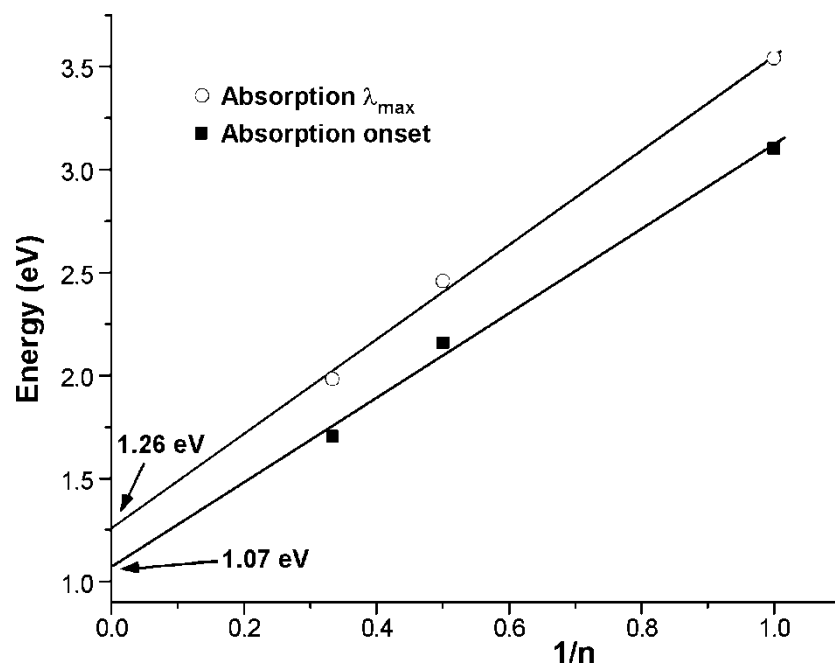
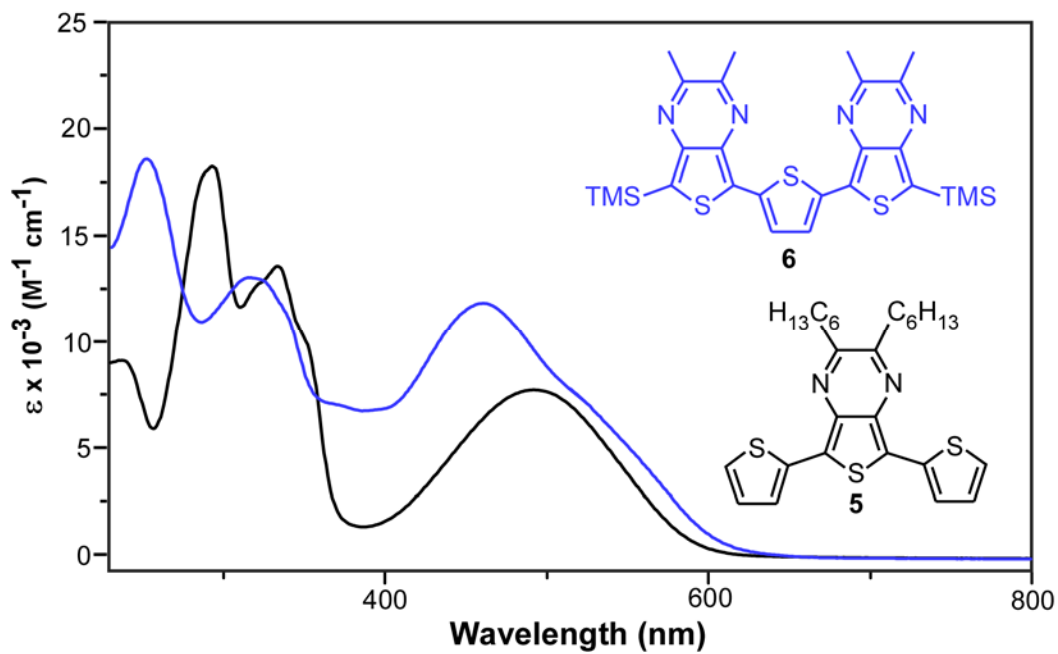
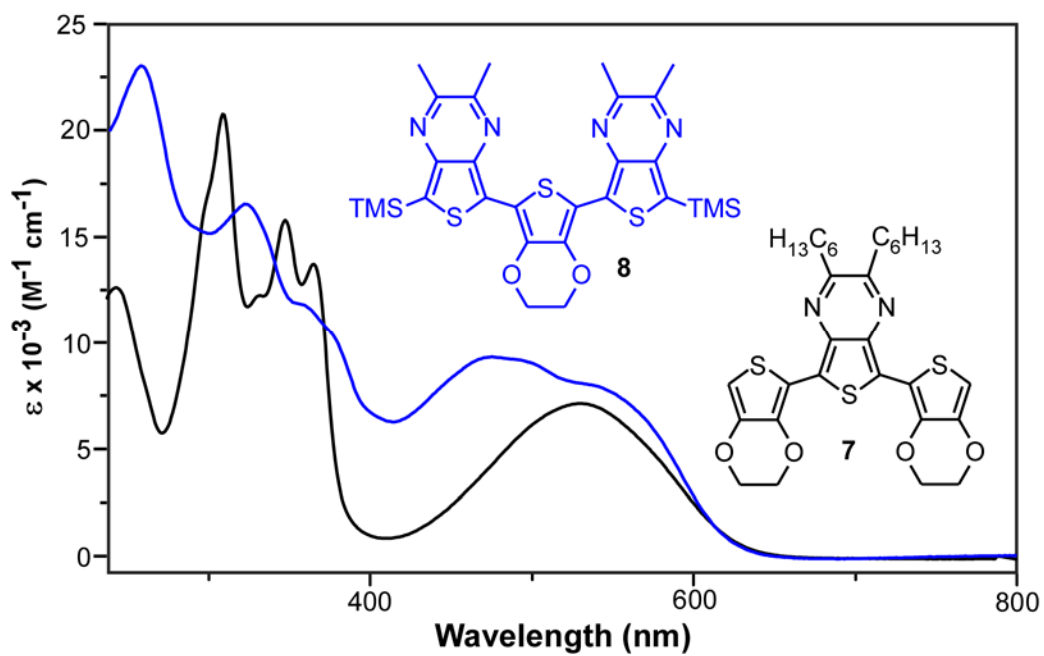


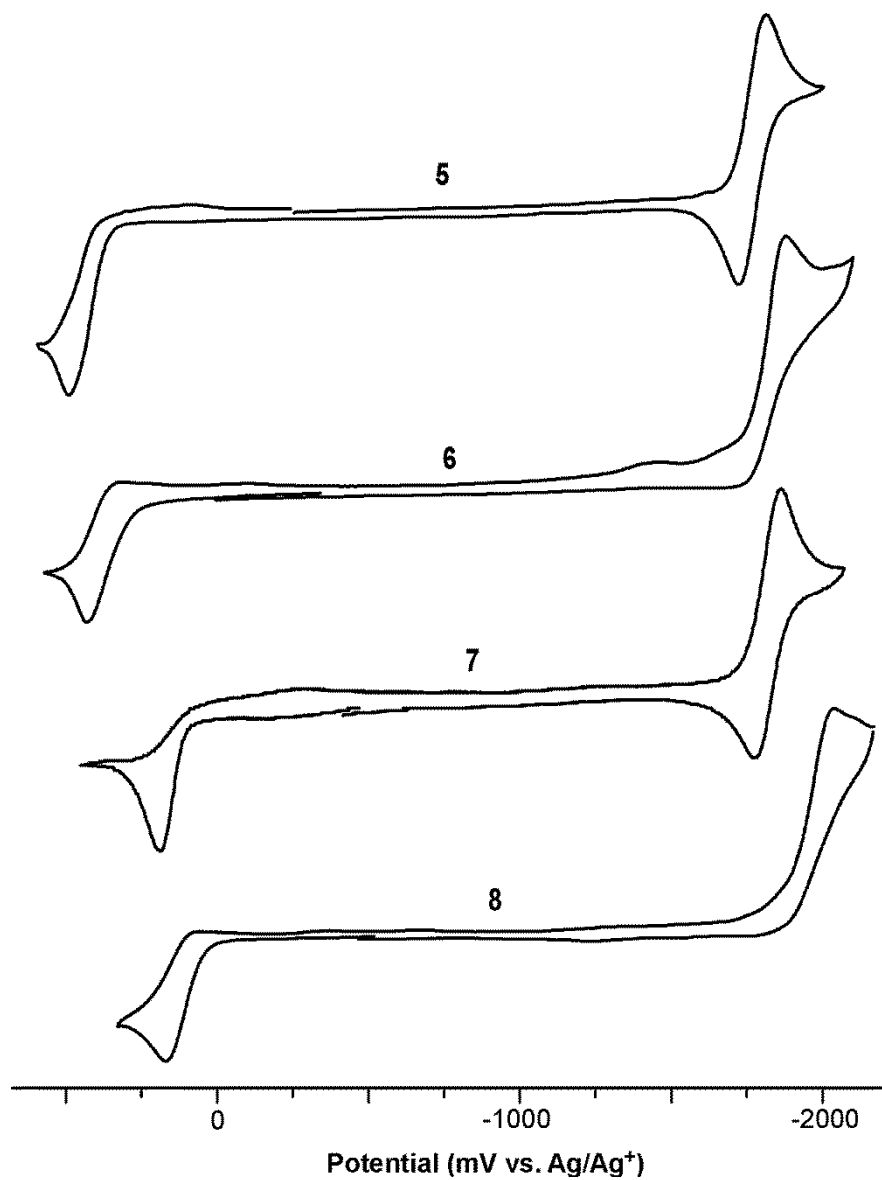
Figure S15. Extrapolation of absorption data for the oligomeric series 3a-c



**Figure S16.** UV-vis spectra of mixed TP-thiophene terthienyls **5** and **6**

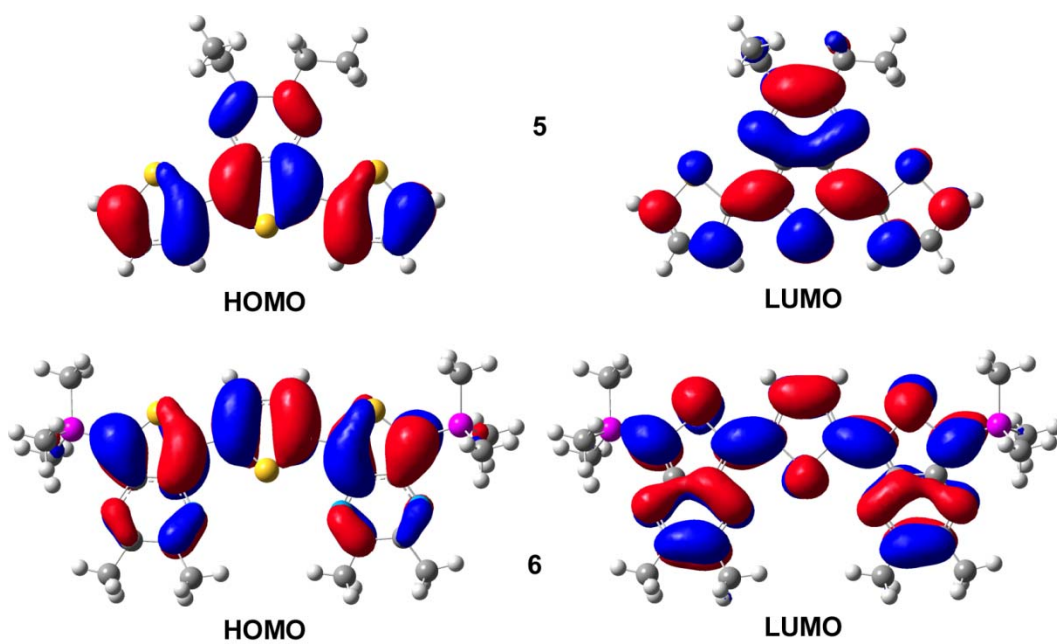


**Figure S17.** UV-vis spectra of mixed TP-EDOT terthienyls **7** and **8**

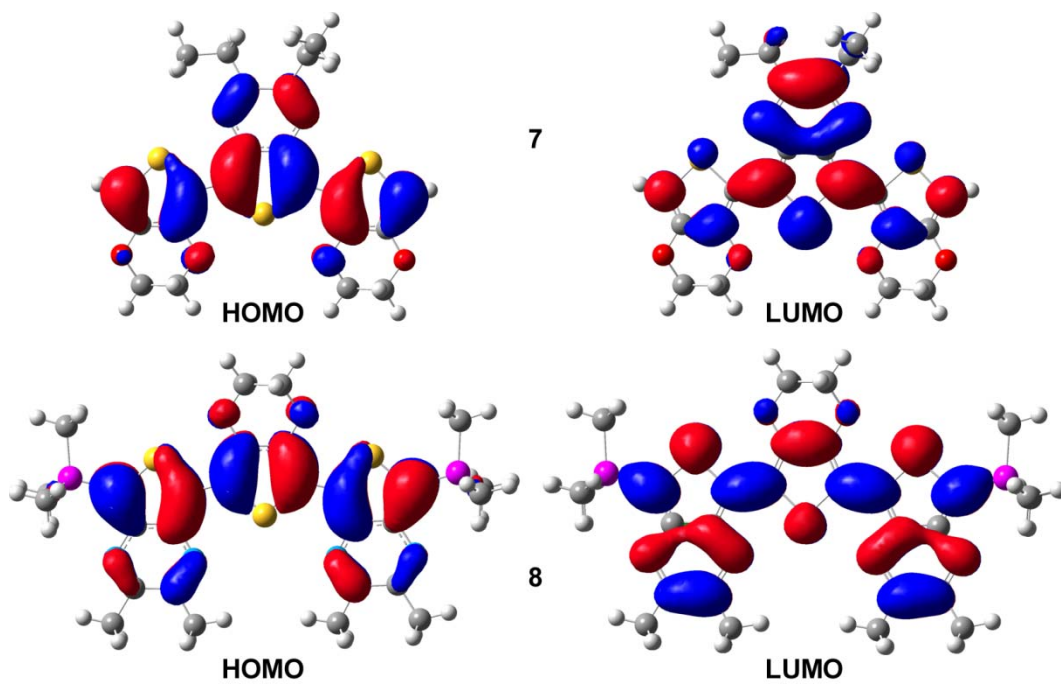


**Figure S18.** Cyclic voltammograms of mixed terthienyls 5-8





**Figure S19.** Electronic density contours for mixed TP-thiophene oligomers 5 and 6.



**Figure S20.** Electronic density contours for mixed TP-EDOT oligomers 7 and 8.