

Electronic supplementary information

${}^n\text{Bu}_2\text{Sn}(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})_2$ and ${}^n\text{Bu}_3\text{SnE}^n\text{Bu}$ (E = S or Se) - effective single source precursors for the CVD of SnS and SnSe thermoelectric thin films

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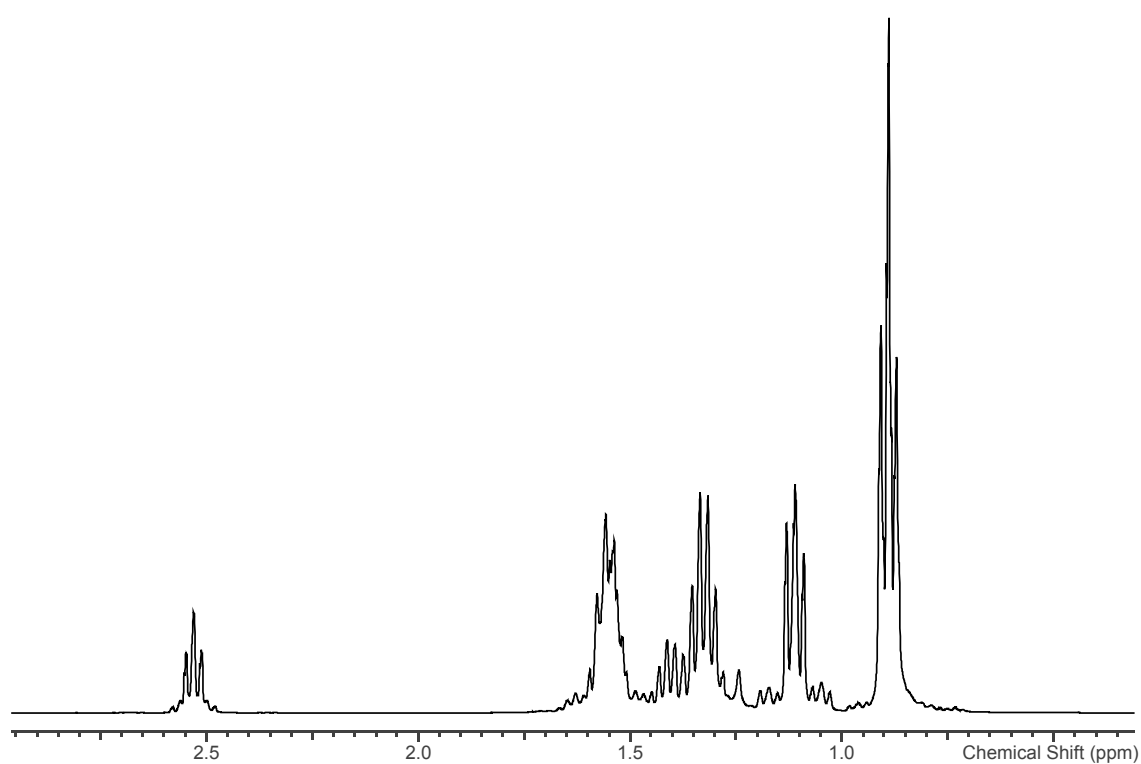


Figure S1- ${}^1\text{H}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3)

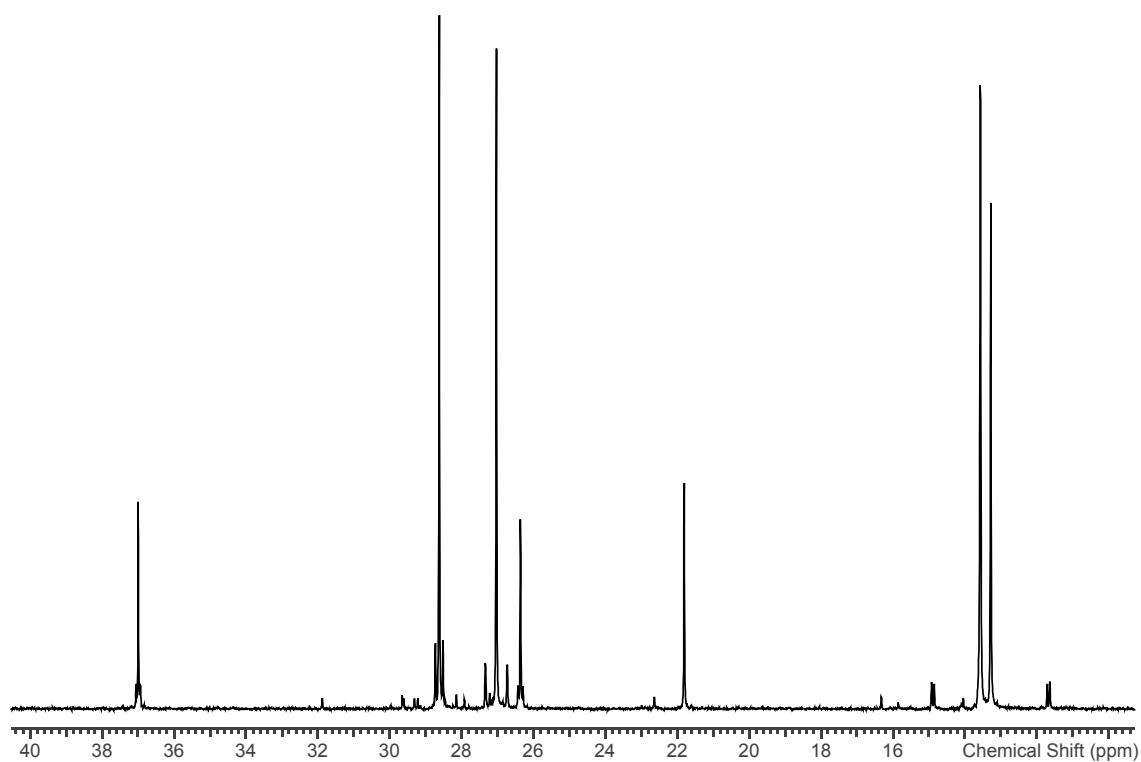


Figure S2- $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3)

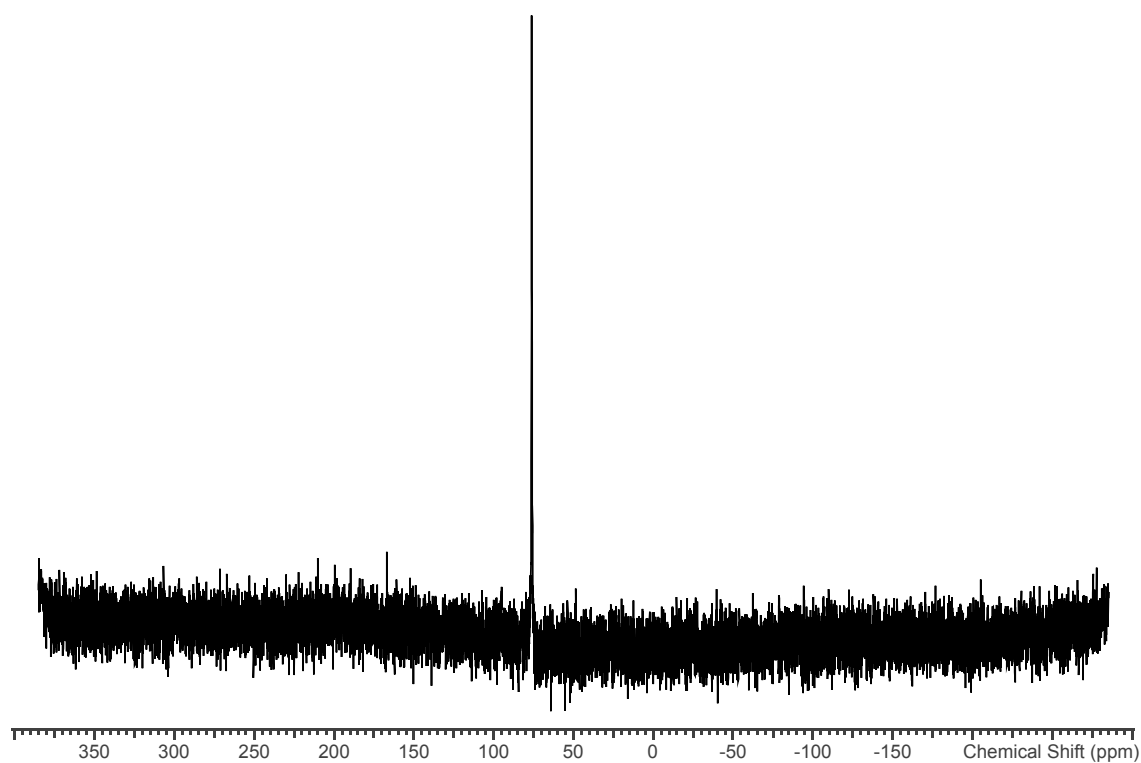


Figure S3- $^{119}\text{Sn}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3)

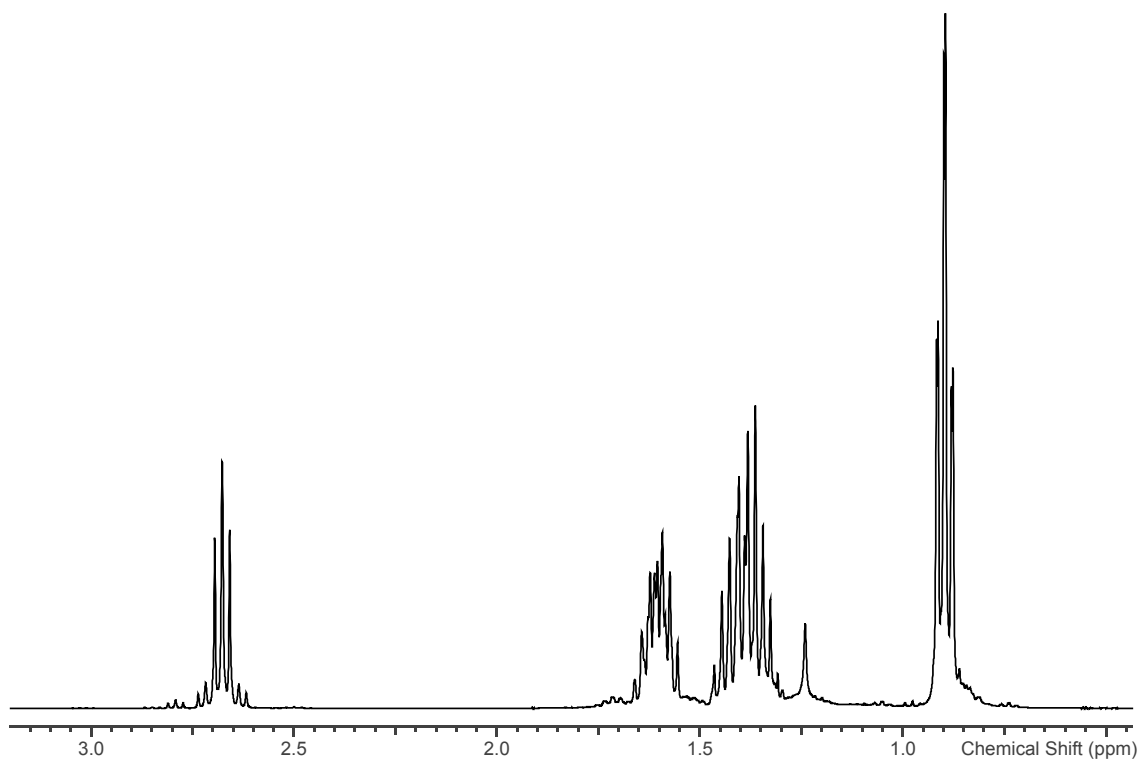


Figure S4- ^1H NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_2(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})_2]$ (CDCl_3)

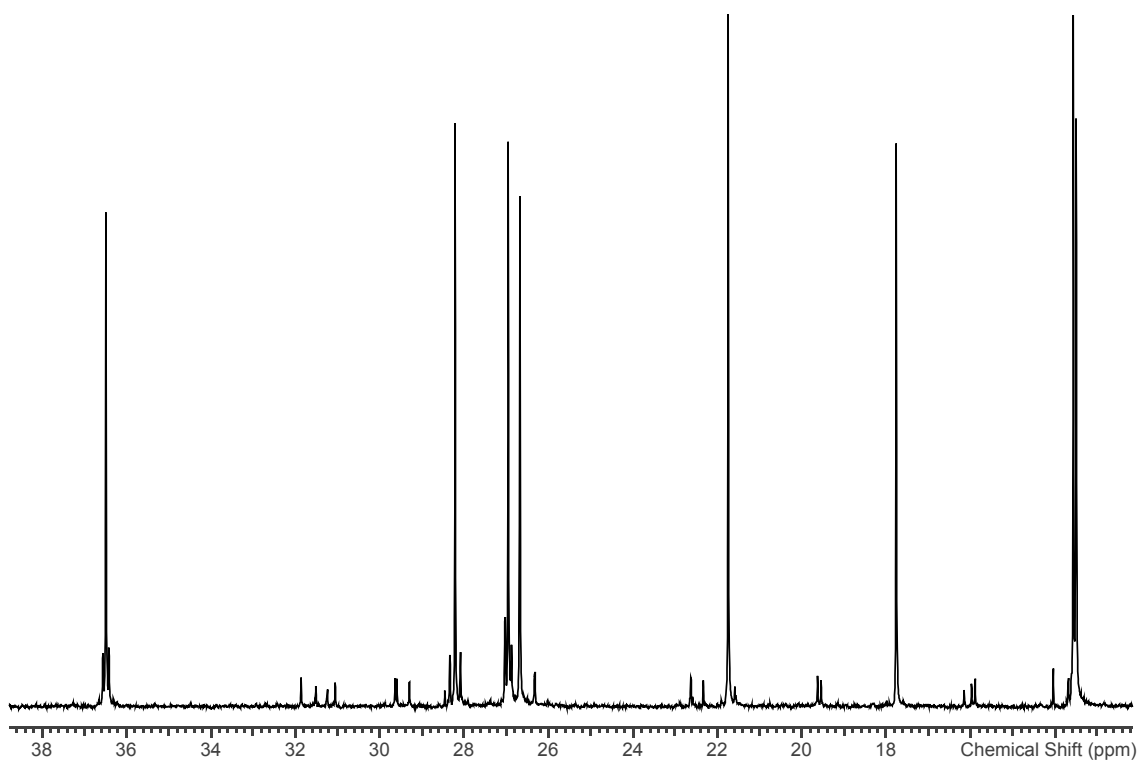


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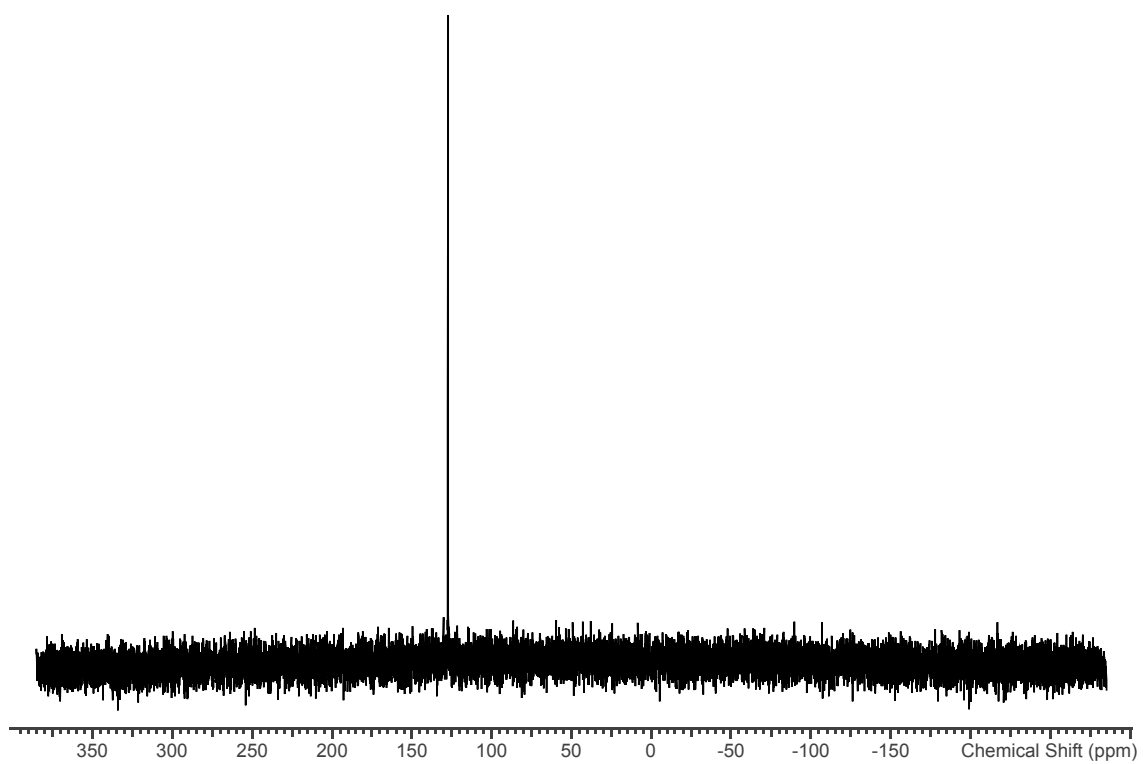


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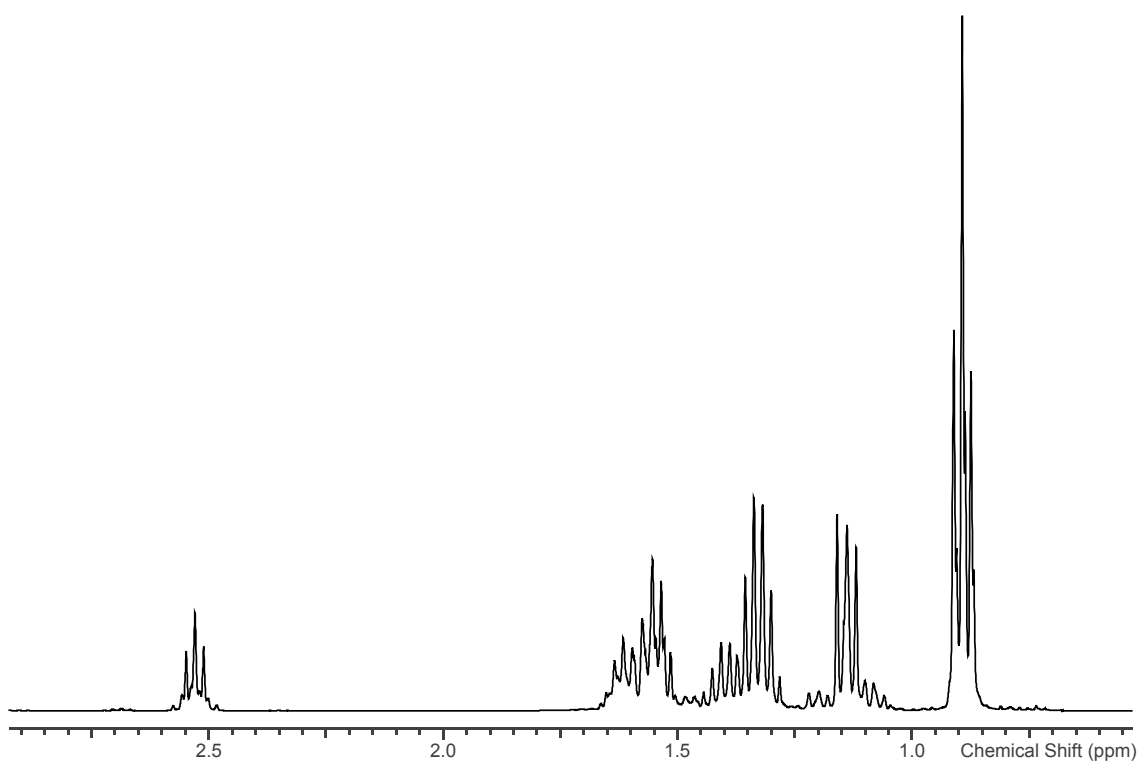


Figure S7- ^1H NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{Se}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3)

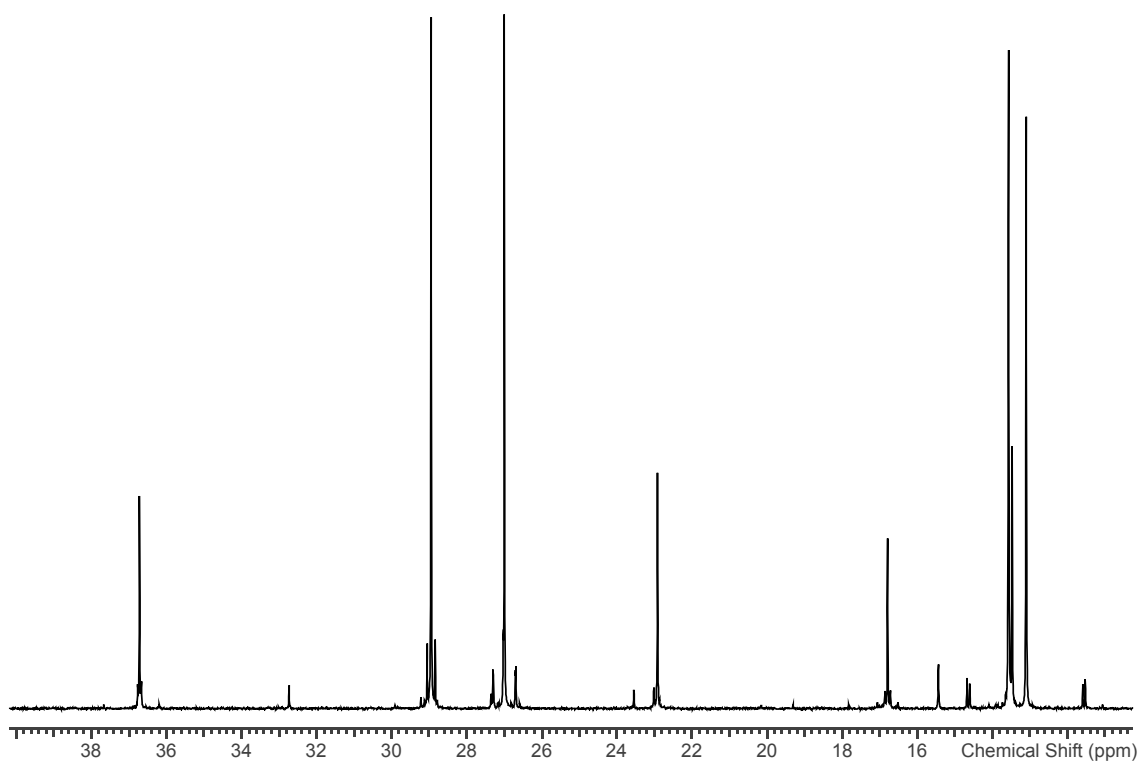


Figure S8- $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{Se}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3)

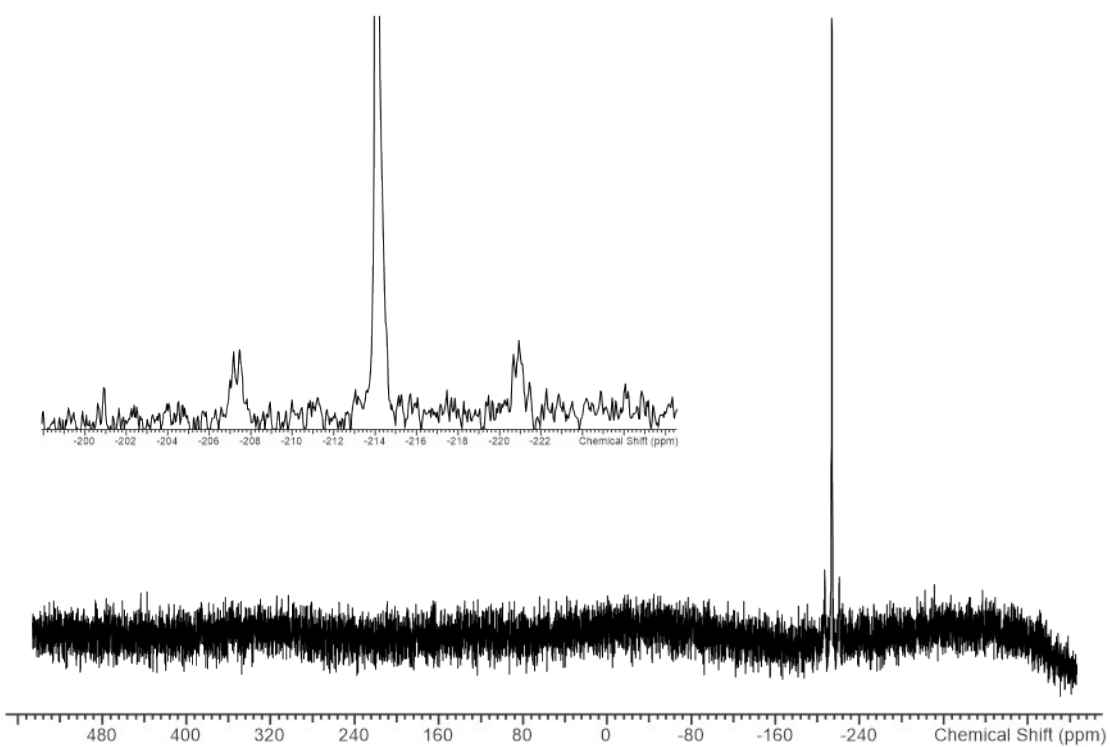


Figure S9- $^{77}\text{Se}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{Se}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3) (insert shows an expanded view with the $^{117}/^{119}\text{Sn}$ satellites clearly visible).

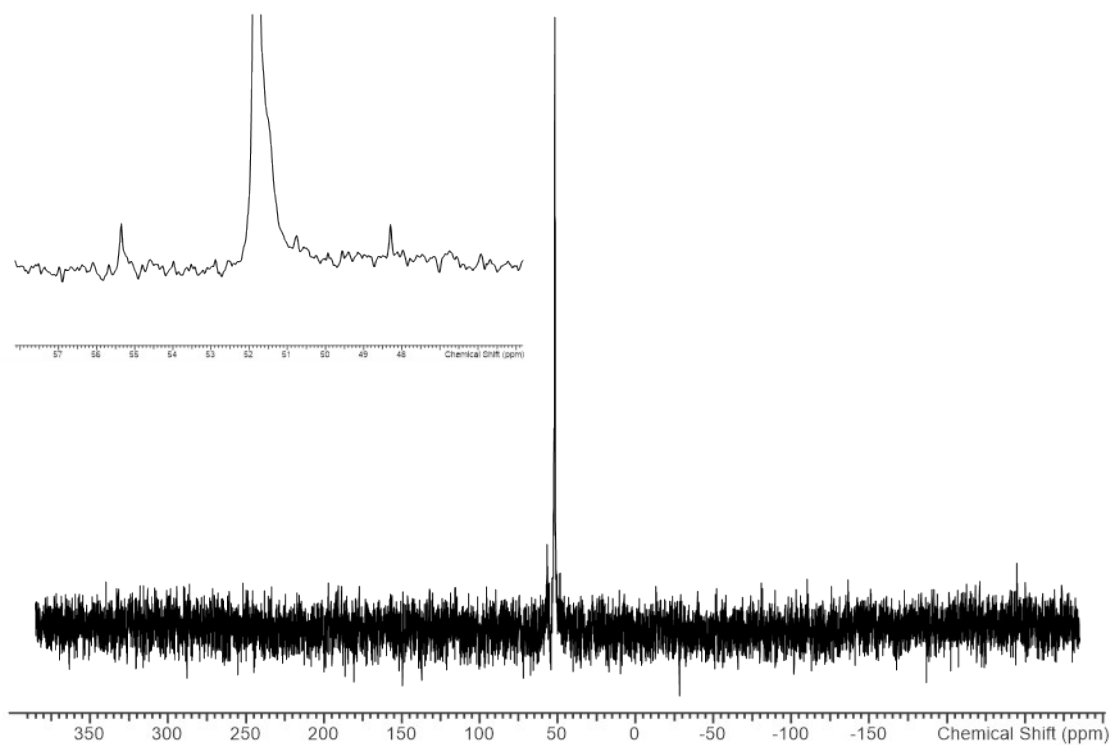


Figure S10- $^{119}\text{Sn}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of $[\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})]$ (CDCl_3) (insert shows an expanded view with the ^{77}Se satellites clearly visible)

Sample	Precursor	O%	Si%	S%	Sn%
Dep ⁿ 1 tile 1	(1)	7.8	1.2	36.4	54.6
Dep ⁿ 2 tile 1	(1)	-	-	40.2	59.8
Dep ⁿ 2 tile 2	(1)	-	-	39.9	60.1
Dep ⁿ 3 tile 1	(2)	6.6	1.3	40.8	51.3
Dep ⁿ 4 tile 1	(2)	-	0.7	44.2	55.0
Dep ⁿ 5 tile 1	(2)	13.4	24.1	31.2	31.2
Dep ⁿ 5 tile 2	(2)	12.3	12.5	37.2	38.1

Table S1: Energy dispersive X-ray analysis results for some SnS films (atom % values); (1) = $\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_3(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})$; (2) = $\text{Sn}^n\text{Bu}_2(\text{S}^n\text{Bu})_2$

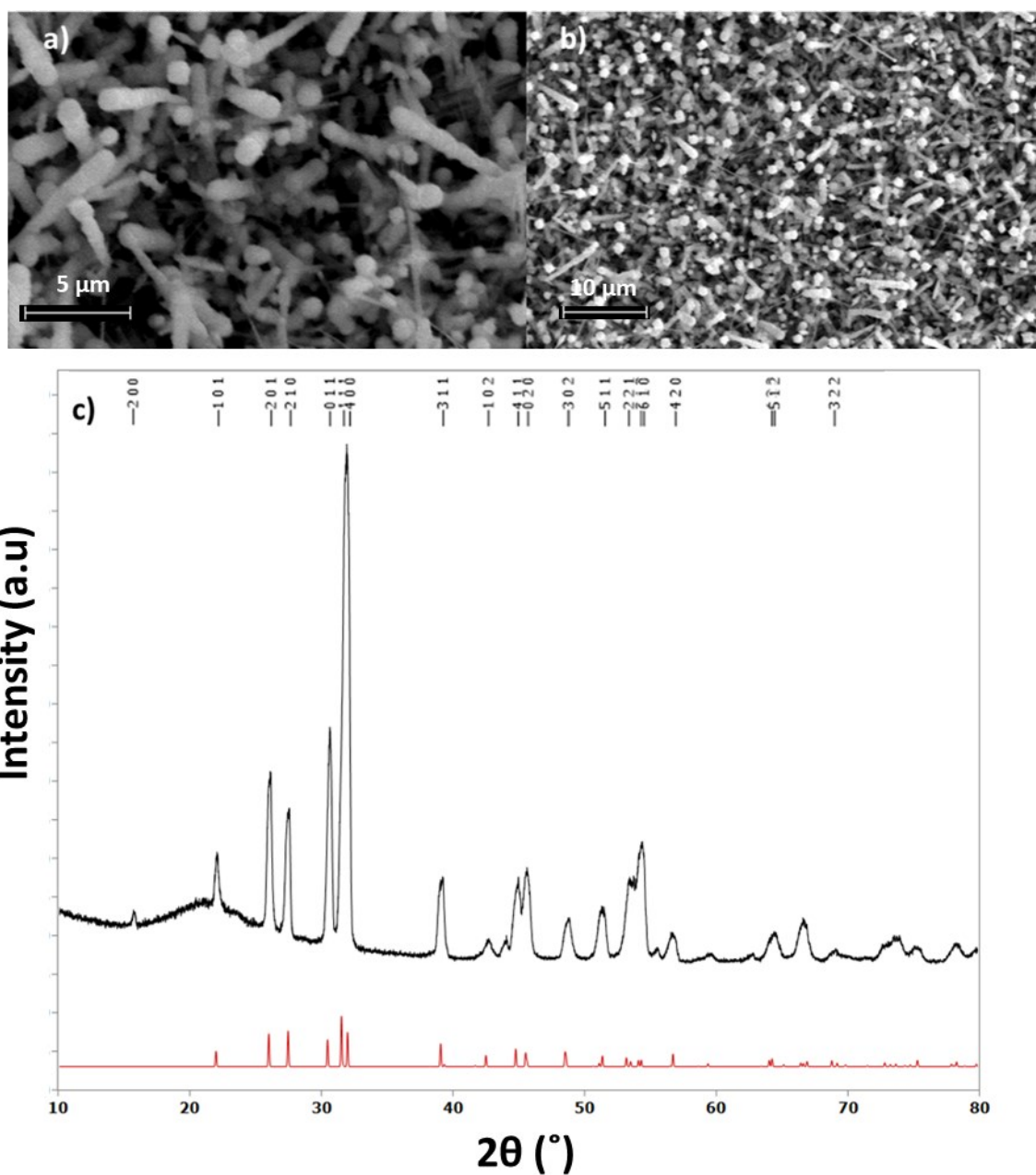


Figure S11: Top down SEM images a) and b) of two thin films of sulfur deficient SnS deposited using (1) and c) a GIXRD pattern (black) for the film seen in b) matched to a bulk literature pattern (red).¹⁵

Sample	%C	%O	% Si	%Se	%Sn
dep ⁿ 1	-	11.3	29.4	29.1	30.2
dep ⁿ 2 tile 1	17.4	10.1	-	35.4	37.1
dep ⁿ 2 tile 2	-	7.54	4.2	44.4	43.9
dep ⁿ 3	11.7	7.1	-	38.9	42.3
dep ⁿ 4	12.2	8.0	7.1	37.5	35.2

Table S2: Energy dispersive X-ray analysis results for SnSe thin films (atom % values)