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## Explanation and Prediction for the Selective Crystallization of Boscalid by Mid-Frequency Raman Difference Spectra Analysis

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Figure S1. Thermogravimetry-differential scanning calorimetry analysis (TGA-DSC) curve of

BOS monohydrate.



Figure S2. PXRD patterns of BOS monohydrate prepared by anti-solvent method. 1 ml BOS saturated acetone/ethyl acetate/methanol/ethanol solution and 100 ml deionized water were mixed quickly and stirred overnight.



Figure S3. PXRD pattern of BOS monohydrate after vacuum drying overnight.



**Figure S4.** PXRD pattern of the product prepared by evaporation of 50  $\mu$ l BOS saturated acetone solution at room temperature with low ambient humidity.



**Figure S5.** The MFRS of boscalid Form I prepared by different methods in this work. Form I prepared by heating AmQ at 100 °C for 10 min is referred as Form I (AmQ), Form I prepared by heating monohydrate at 100 °C for 10 min is referred as Form I (monohydrate), and Form I prepared by solvent evaporation of 50 µl BOS acetone solution at 60 °C is referred as Form I (acetone solution) here.

**Table S1.** Summary of the a.d. and s.d. of all the data in the MFRDS with baseline deduction of

 BOS Form I prepared by the three different methods.

MFRDS	a.d.×10 <sup>3</sup>	s.d.×10 <sup>3</sup>
self-Form I (AmQ)	7.8 (2.2)	15 (6)
self-Form I (monohydrate)	4.7 (1.7)	5.9 (2.0)
self-Form I (acetone solution)	9.4 (3.4)	14 (6)
Form I (AmQ) with Form I (monohydrate)	11.5	18 (5)
	(2.9)	
Form I (AmQ) with Form I (acetone solution)	9.8 (1.6)	15 (4)



Figure S6. Thermogravimetry curves of 50  $\mu$ l BOS acetone/ethyl acetate/ethanol/methanol solutions. The residual of BOS solids was set to 0%.



Figure S7. PXRD patterns of the evaporation products of 50  $\mu$ l BOS saturated ethyl acetate/ethanol/methanol solution at room temperature in a day without rain ( $\circ$  Form I,  $\triangle$  Form II,  $\Box$  monohydrate).



**Figure S8.** (a) MFRS of BOS acetone solutions with different concentrations, (b) MFRS of solute BOS in acetone solutions with different concentrations.