

Electronic Supplementary Information

**Antimicrobial and Antioxidant Supramolecular Ionic Liquid
Gels from Biopolymer Mixtures**

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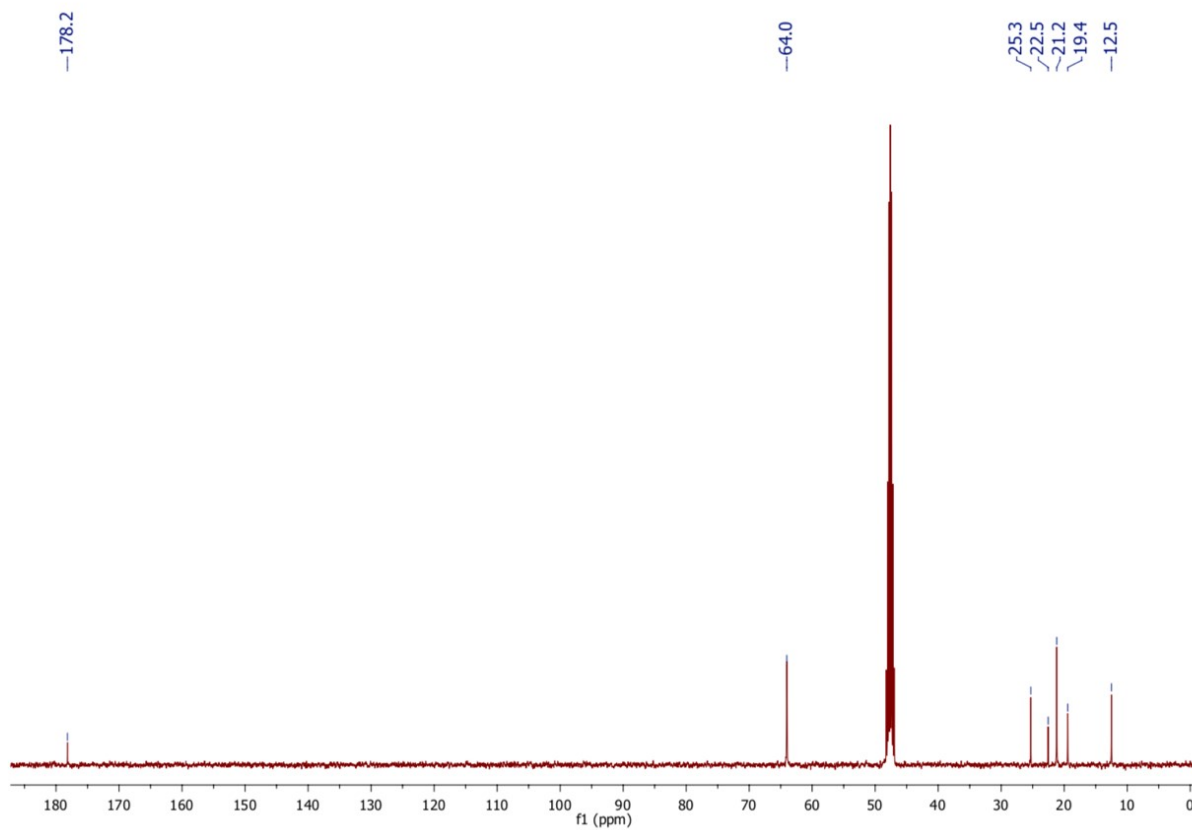
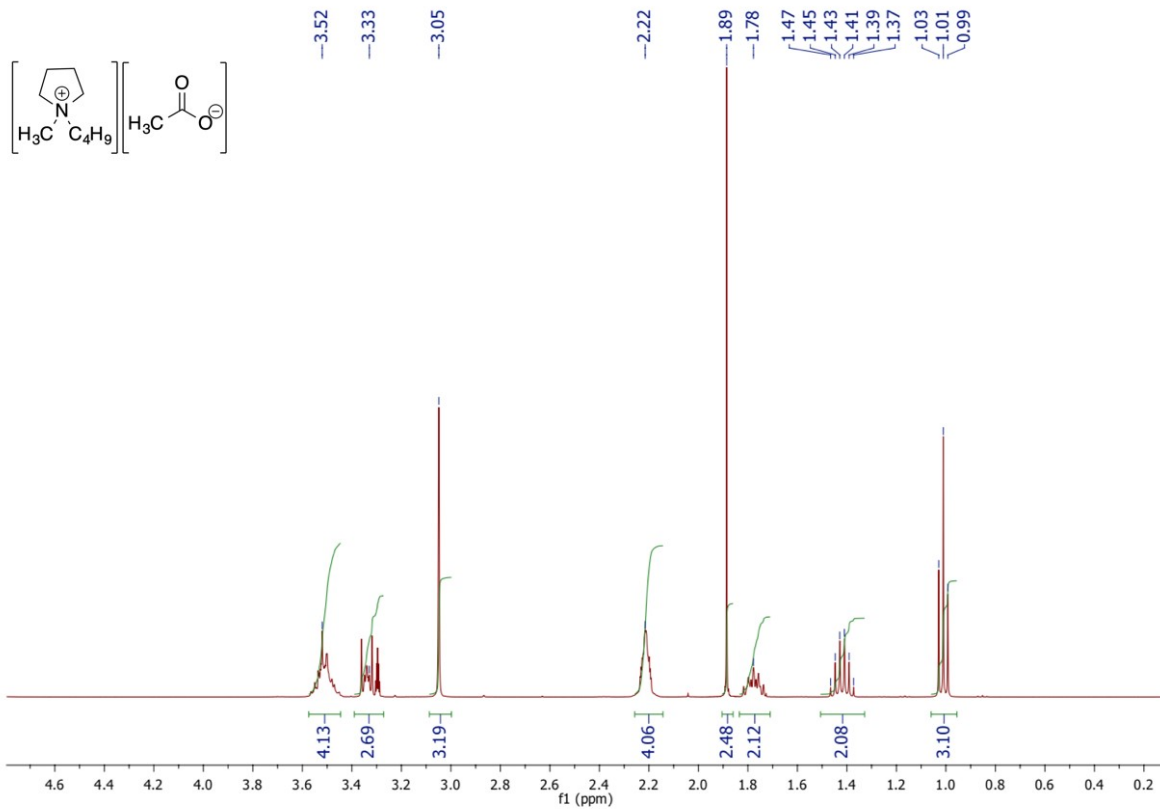
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Table S1. Protocols for the formation of biopolymer-based ionic liquid gels.

Heating at 100 °C for 1h, under stirring. Cooled at room temperature.	Sonication 5 min, followed by heating at 100 °C for 1h. Cooled ad room temperature.
CS:CT/[bmim][OAc]	CS:LG/[bmim][OAc]
CS:CT/[bmpyrr][OAc]	CS:LG/[bmpyrr][OAc]
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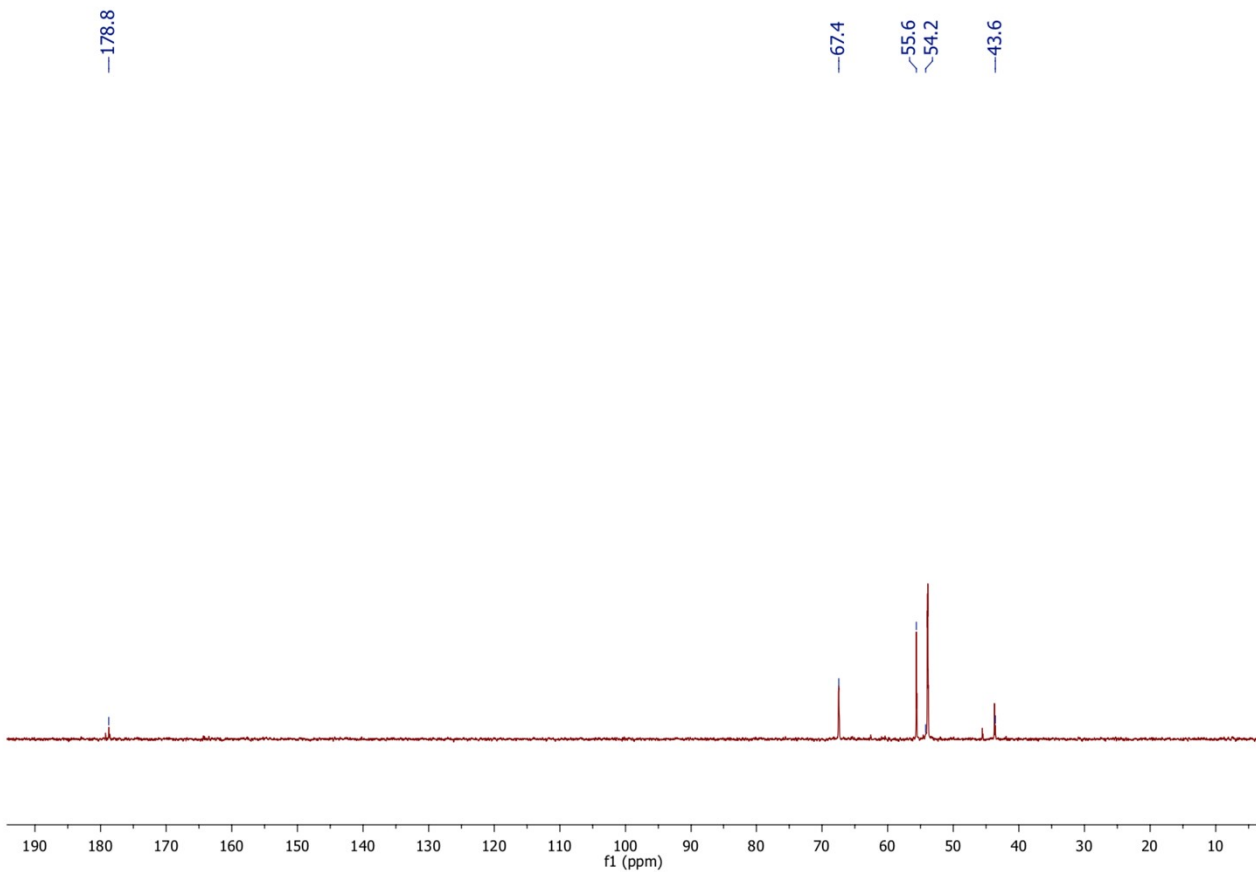
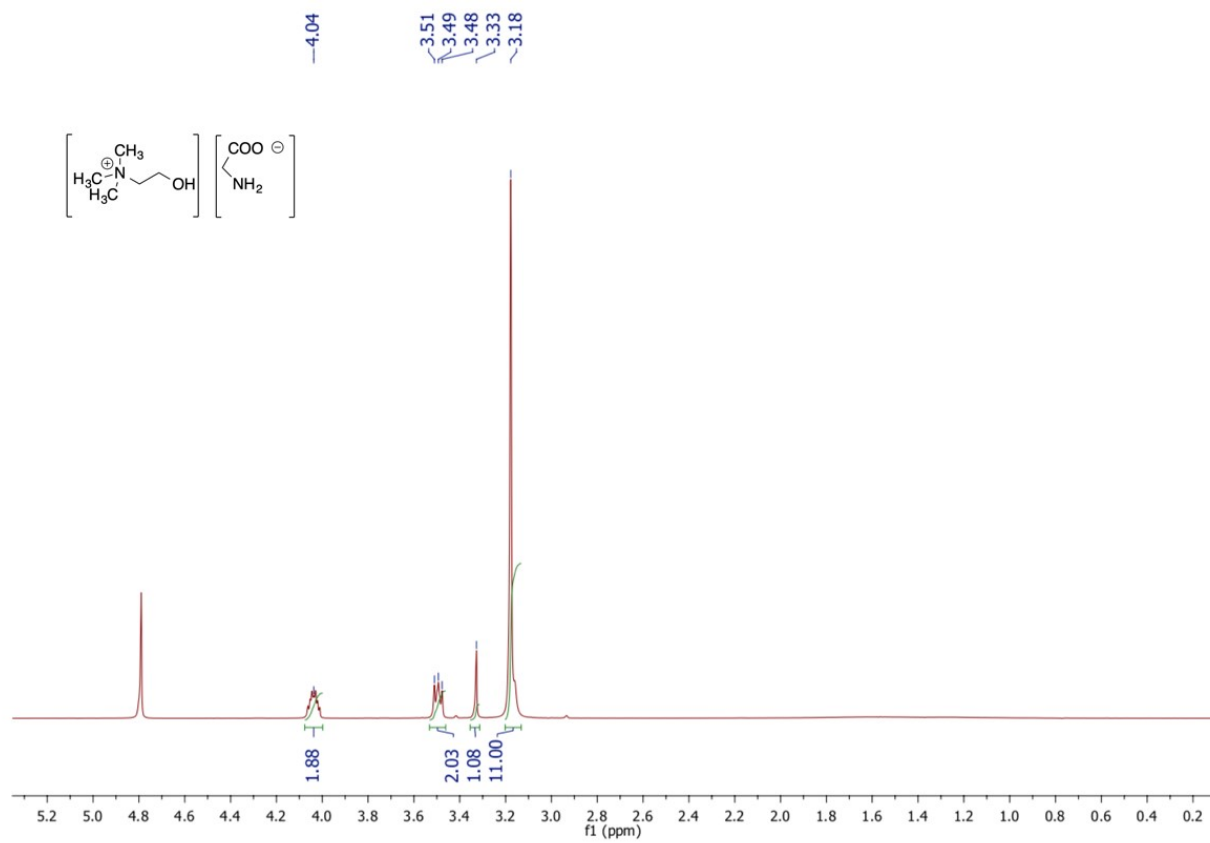


Figure S1. ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectra of [bmpyr][OAc] and [Ch][Gly].

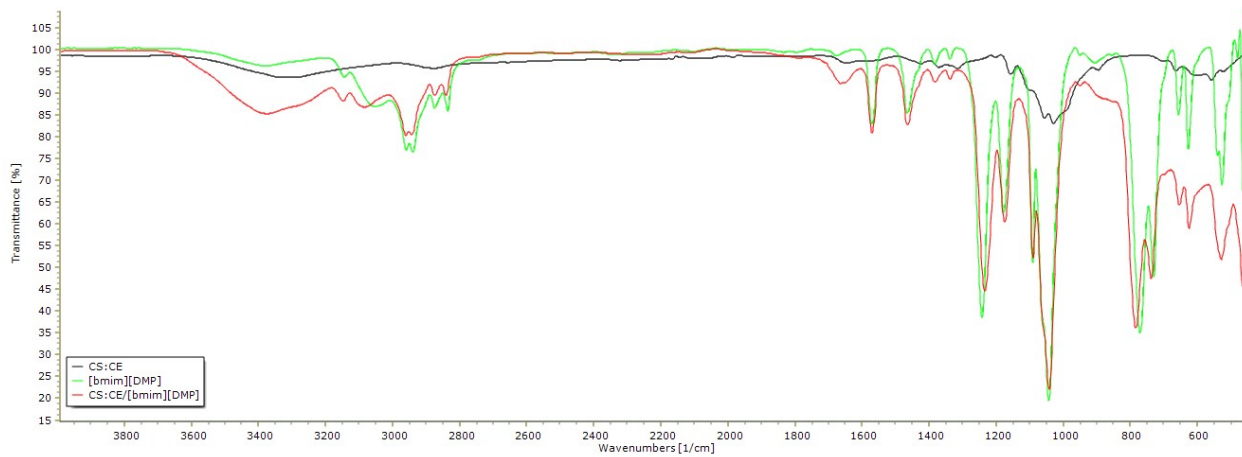
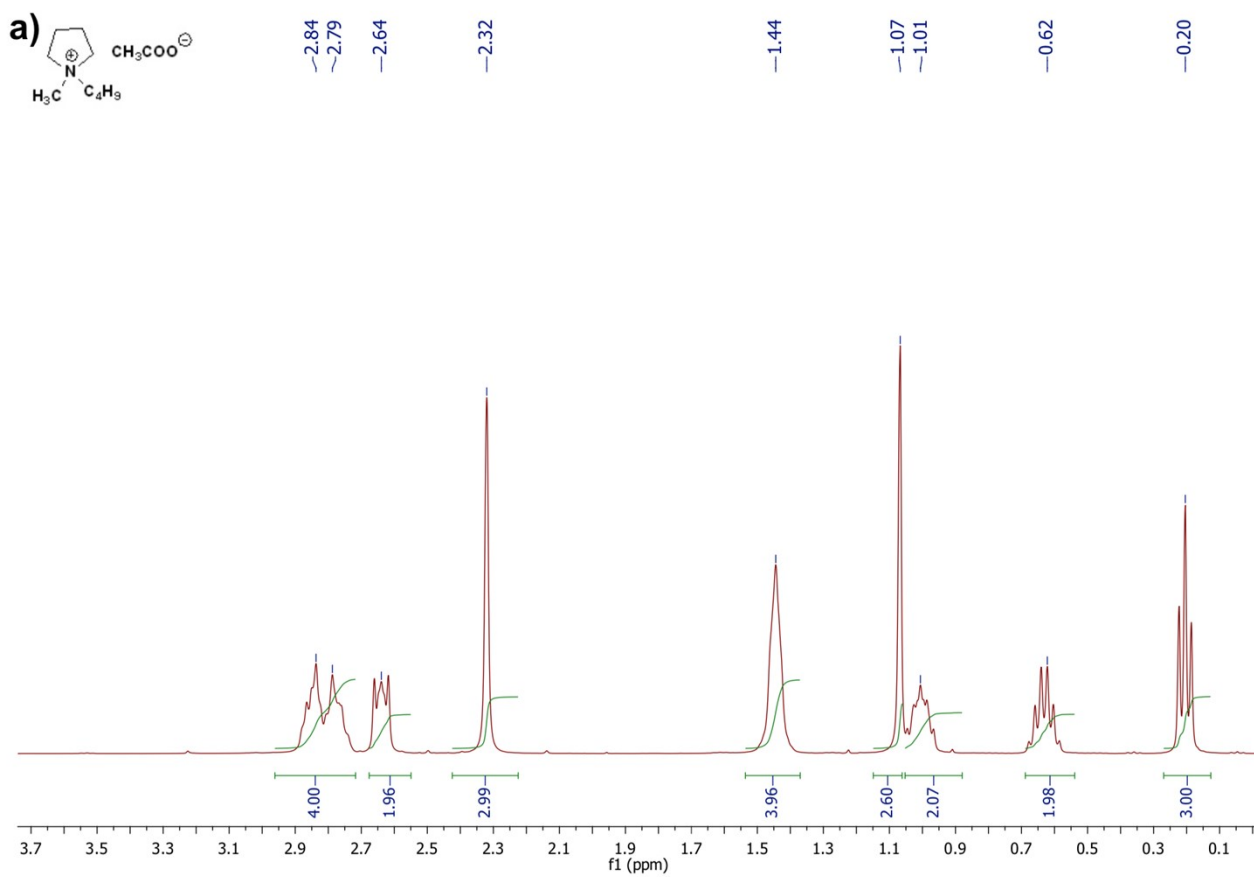


Figure S2. FTIR-ATR spectra of polymers, ILs and gels. Spectra were plotted with Spectragryph.¹



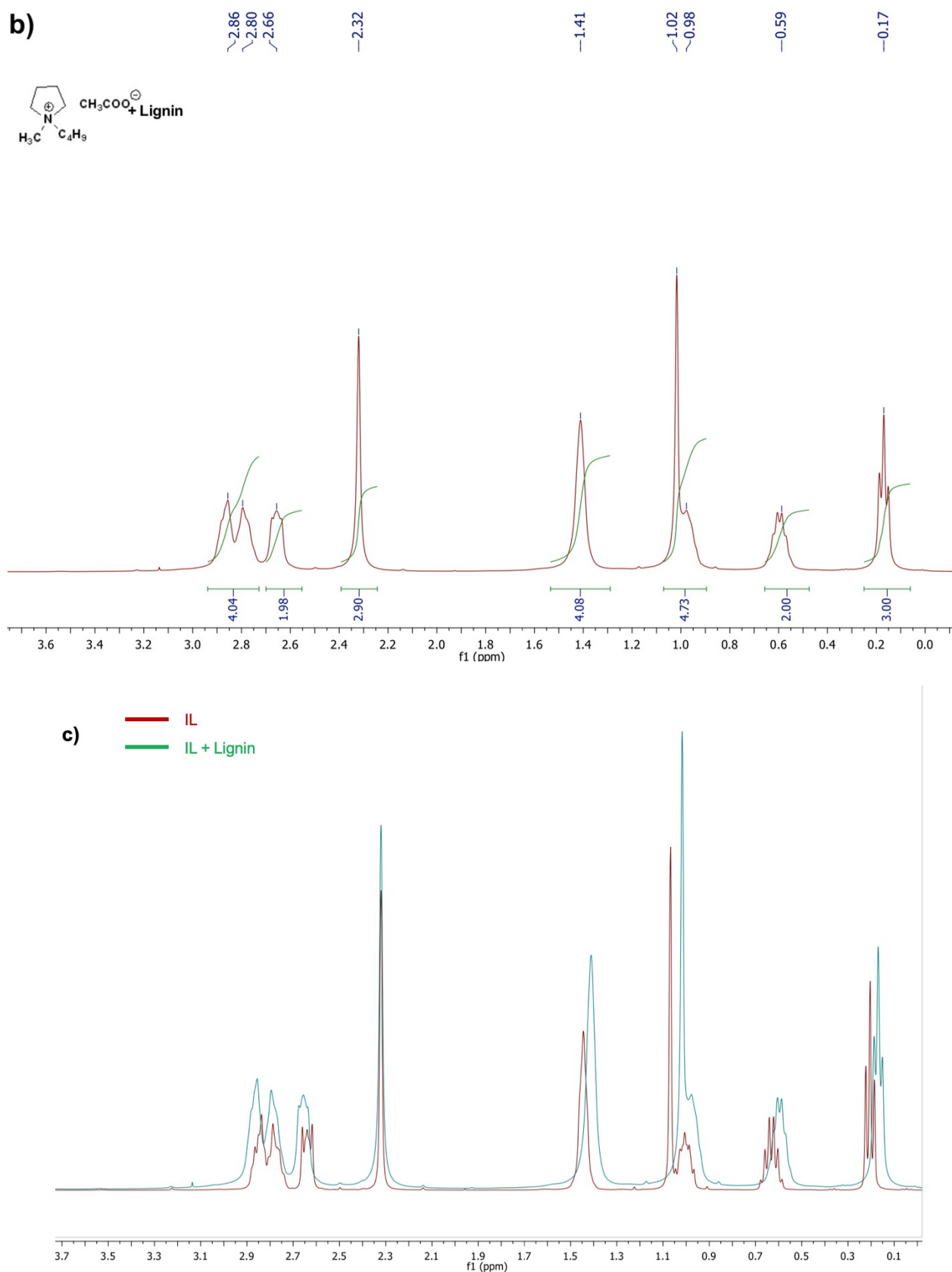


Figure S3. ^1H NMR spectra of a) [bmpyr][OAc], b) [bmpyr][OAc] in the presence of lignin and c) superimposed spectra.

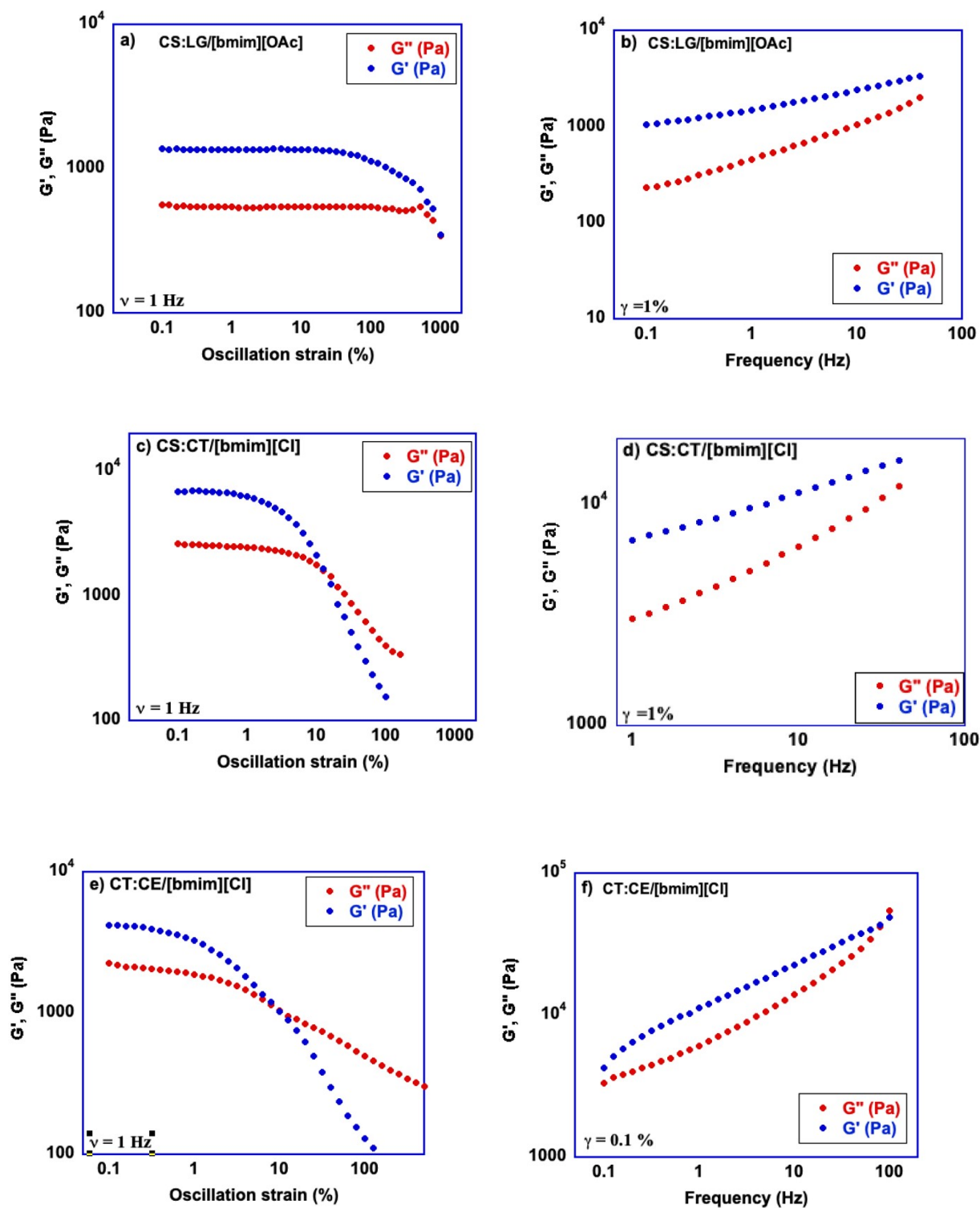


Figure S4. Plots of strain and frequency sweeps measurements for biopolymer-based ionic liquid gels.

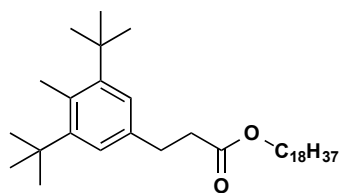


Figure S5. Structure of octadecyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-propionate.

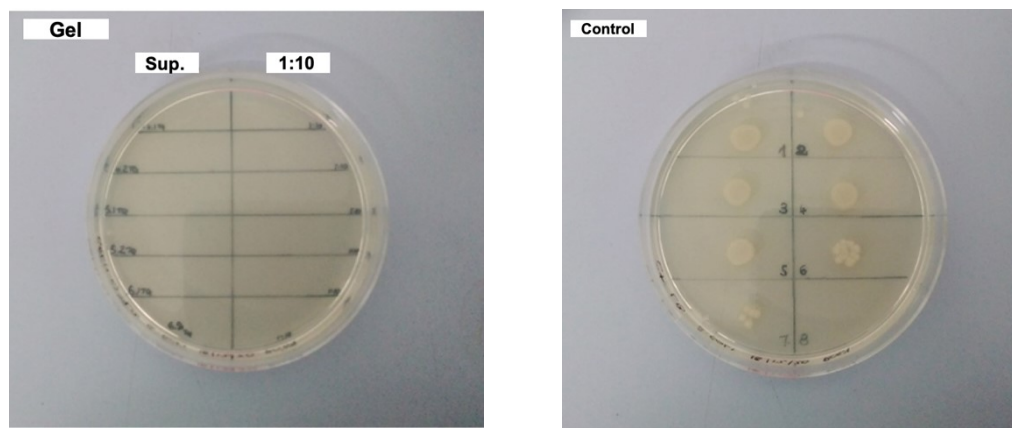
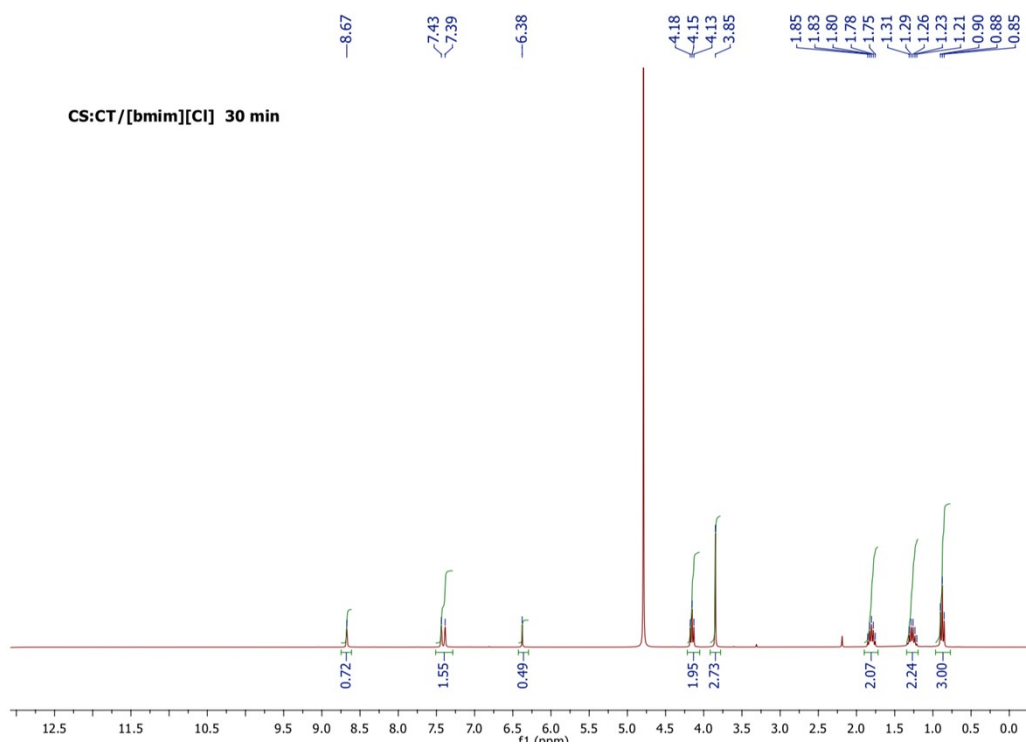
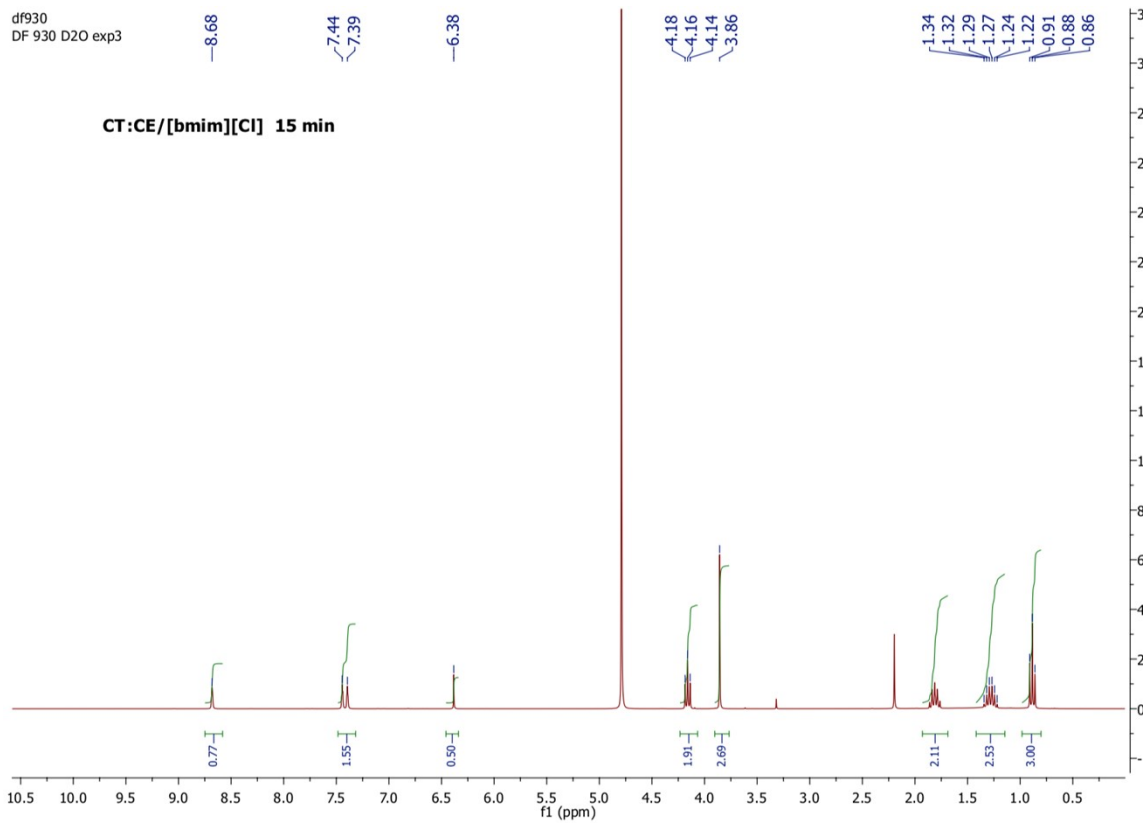
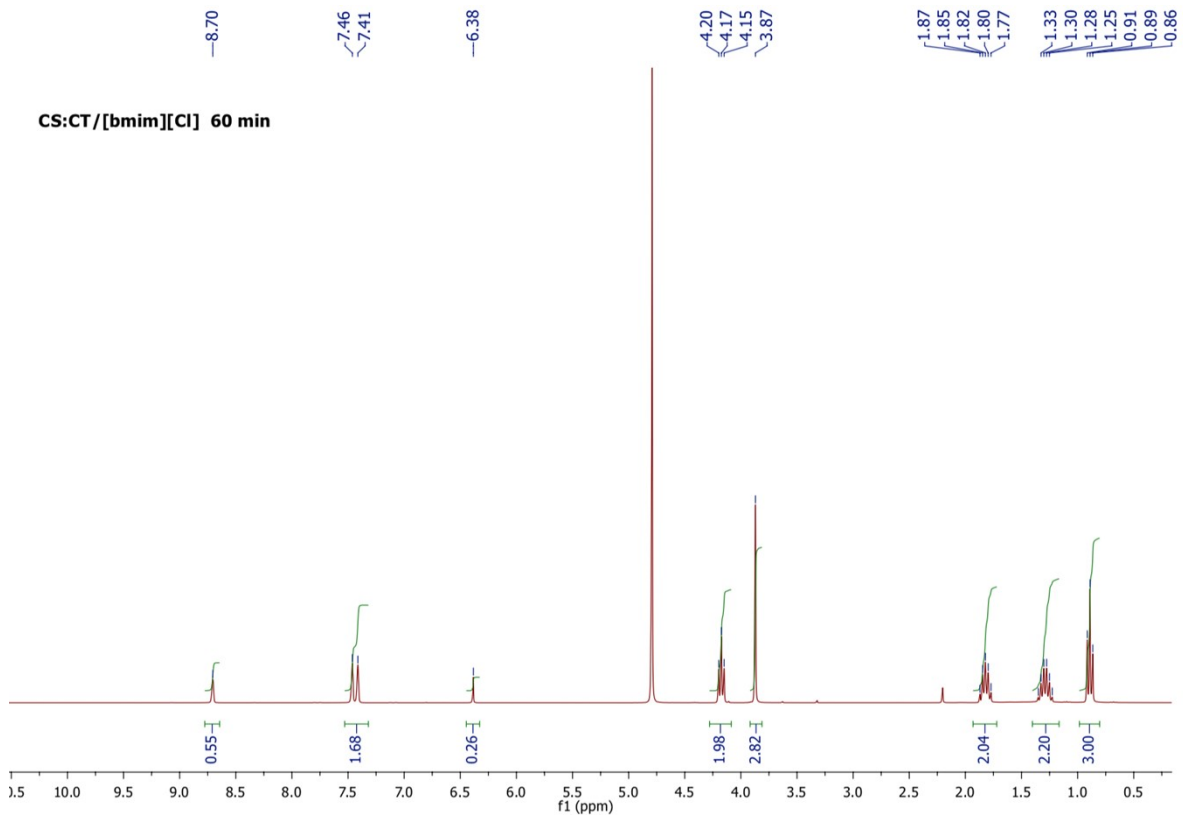
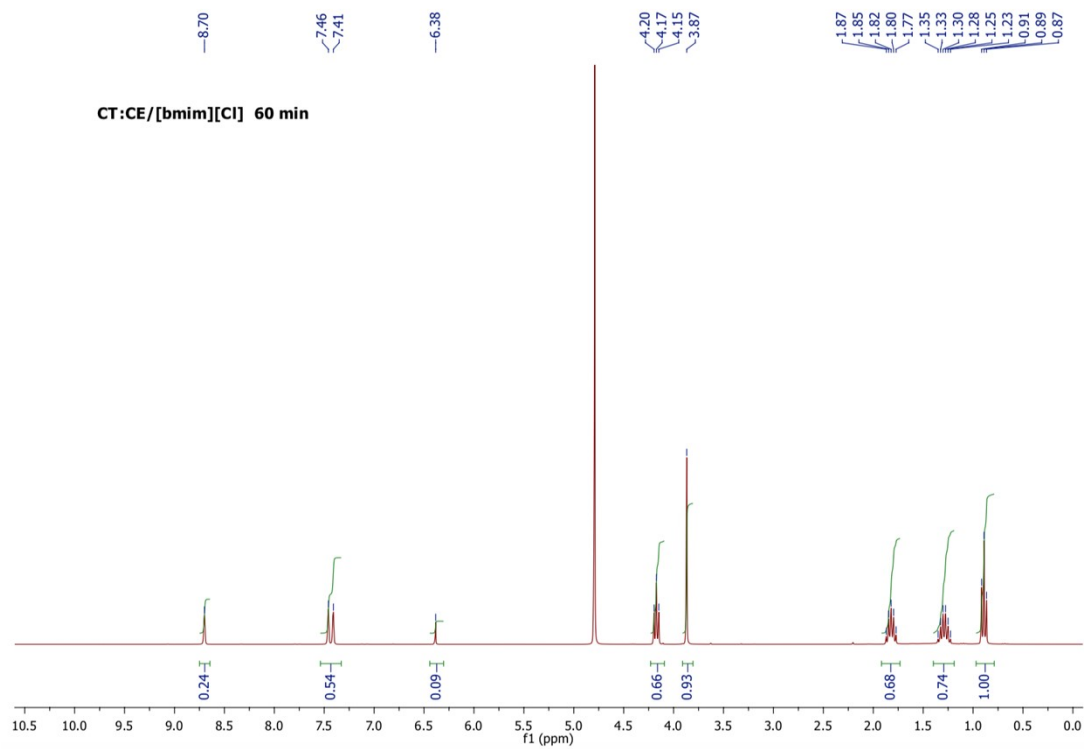
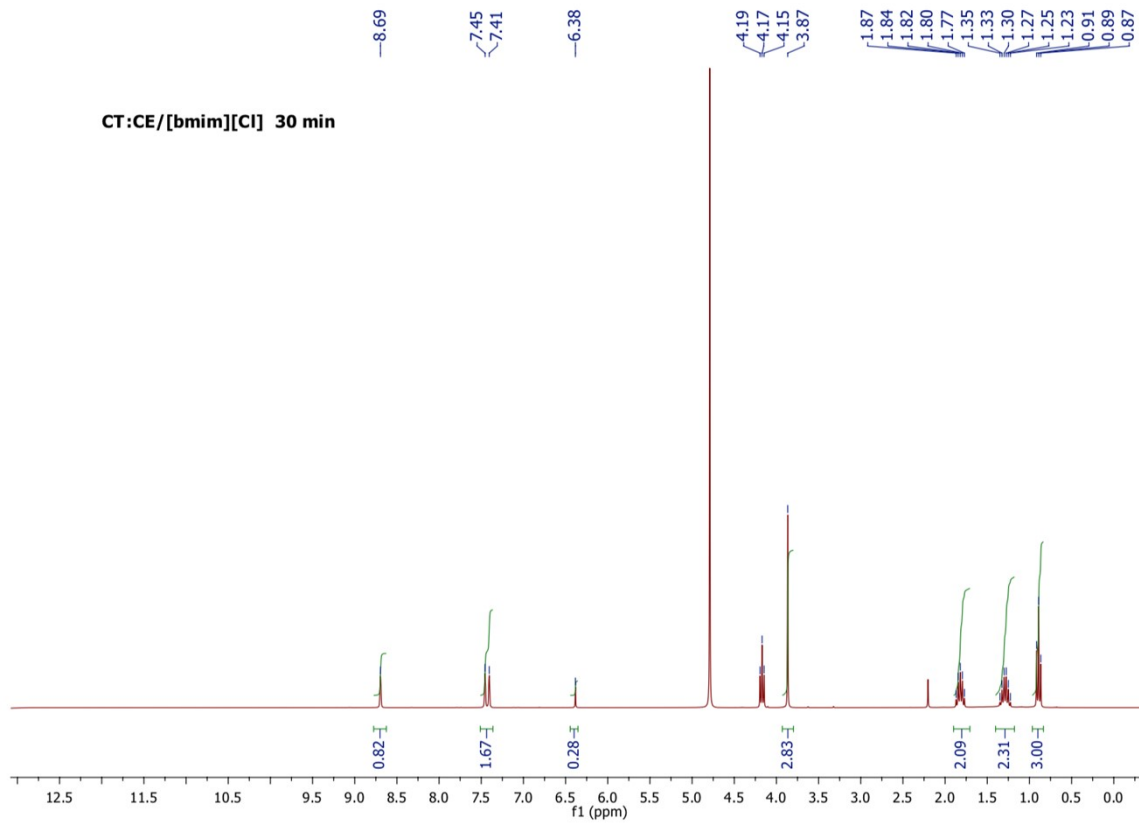
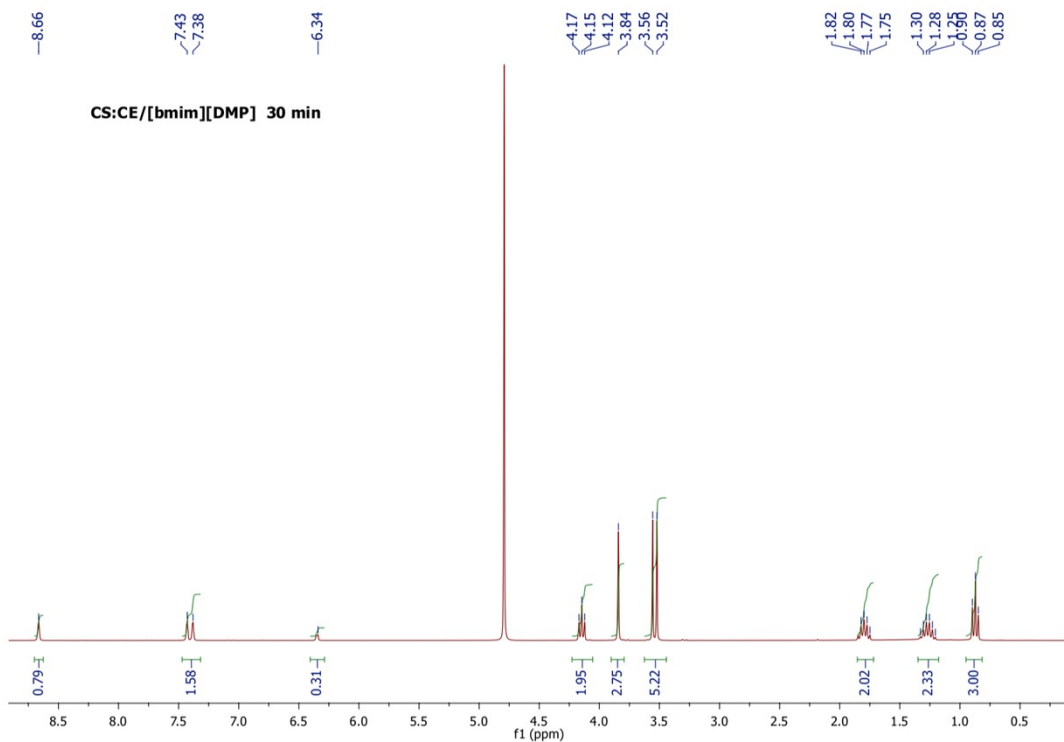
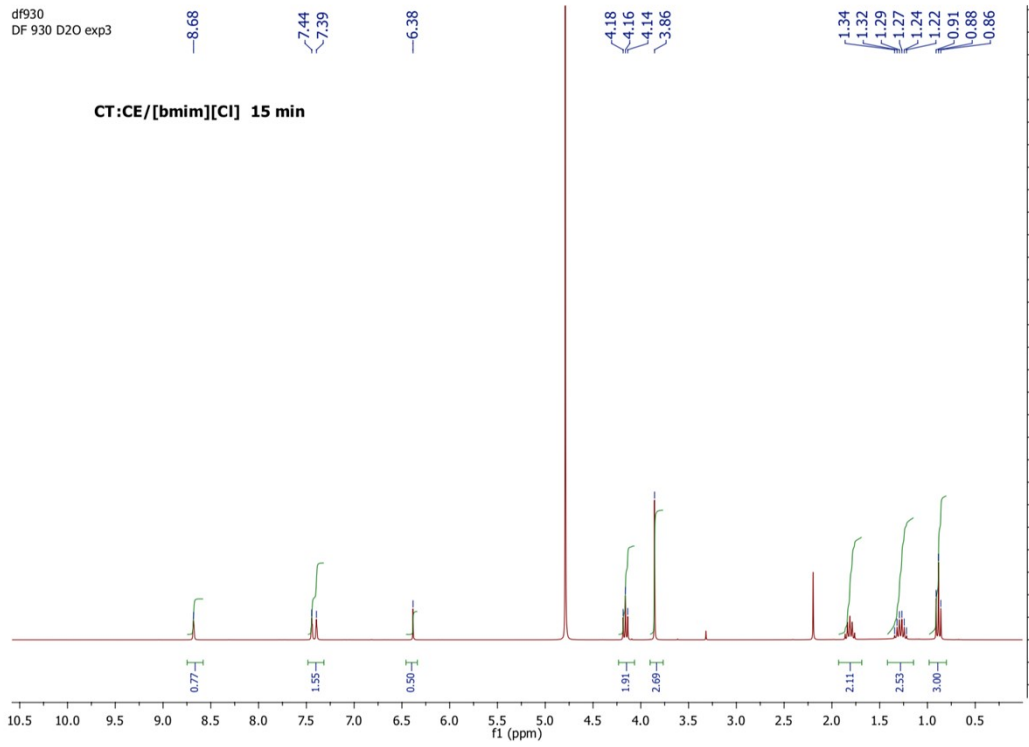


Figure S6. Pictures of supernatant solution treated with culture medium (left) and control sample (right).









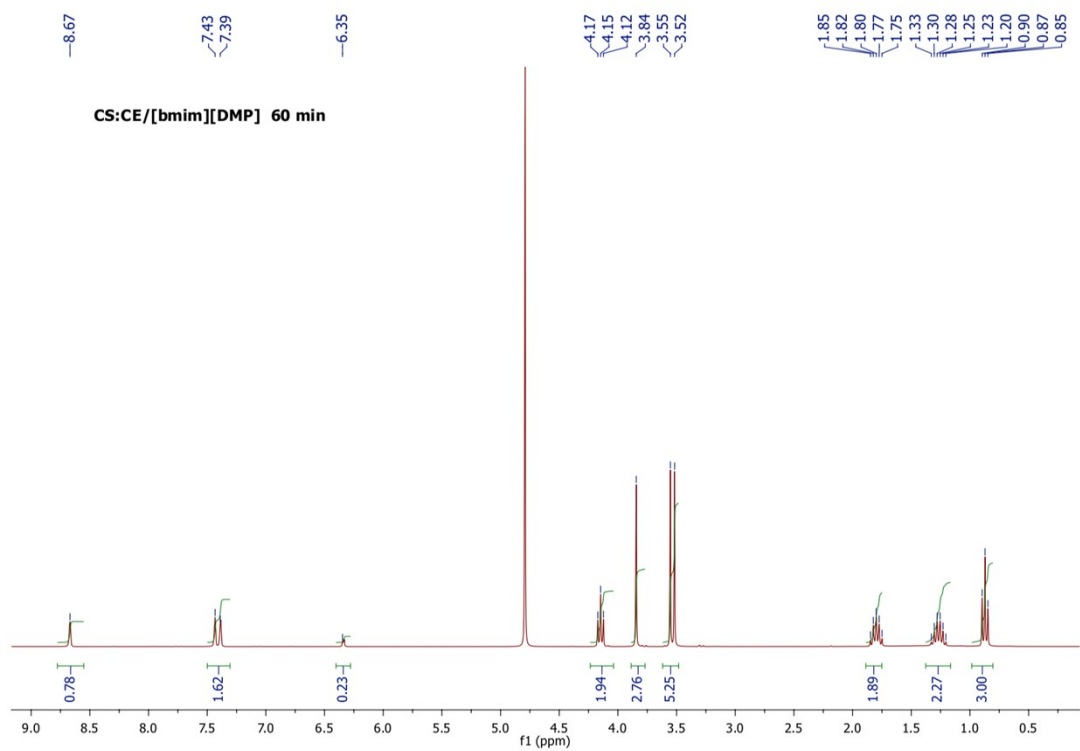


Figure S7. ^1H NMR spectra obtained upon contact of ionic liquid gels at variable times with D_2O .

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