

## ELECTRONIC SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### PHOTOCHEMICAL AND PHOTOSENSITISED REACTIONS INVOLVING 1-NITRONAPHTHALENE AND NITRITE IN AQUEOUS SOLUTION

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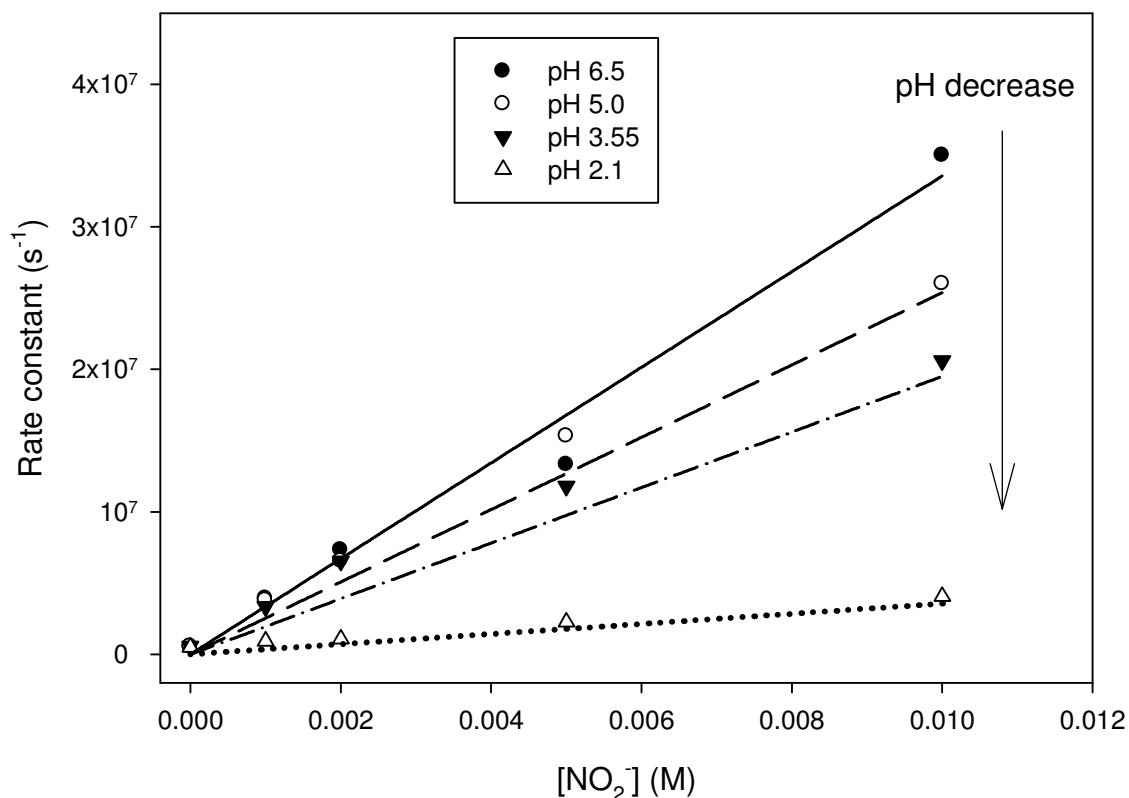
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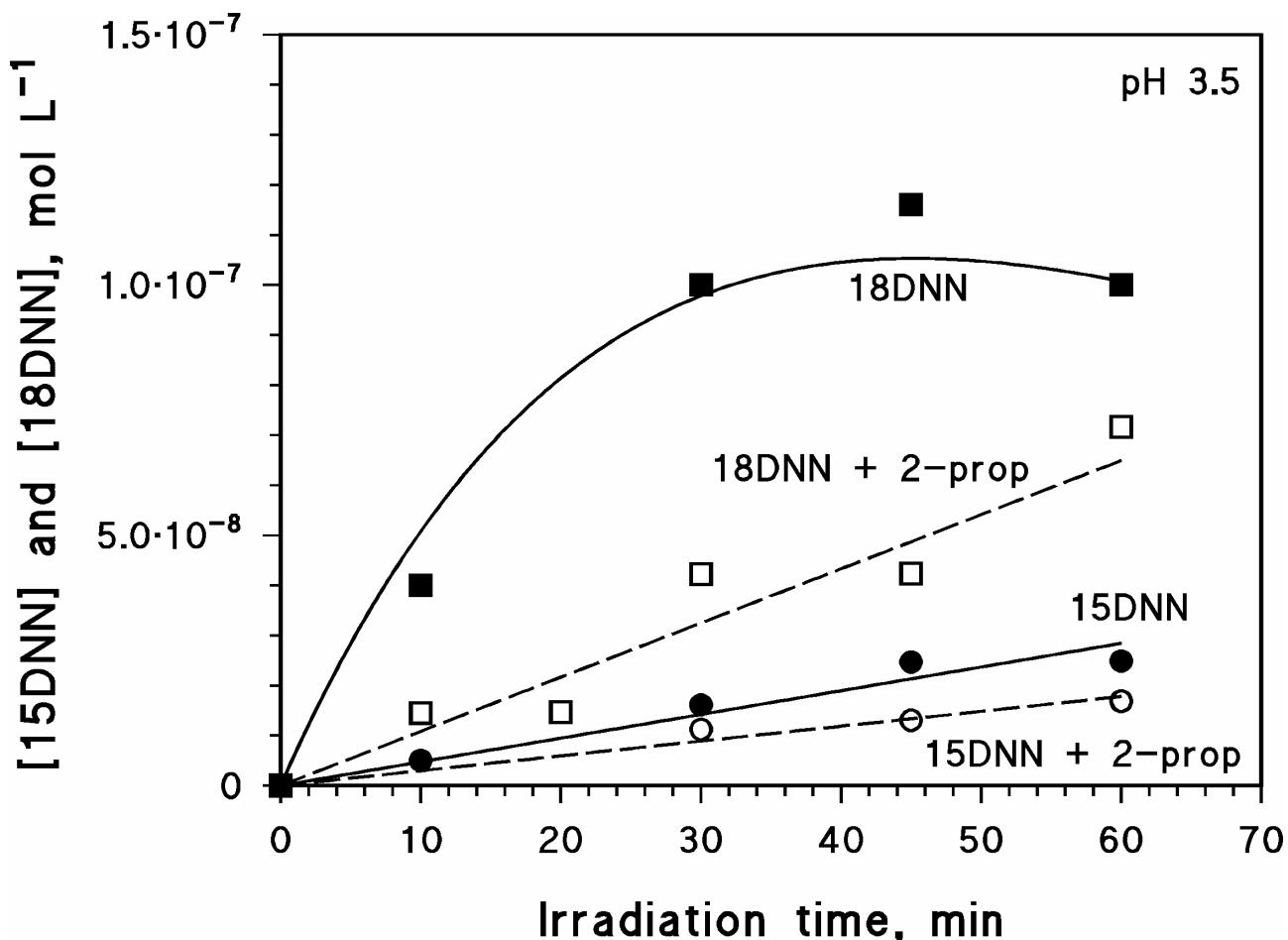
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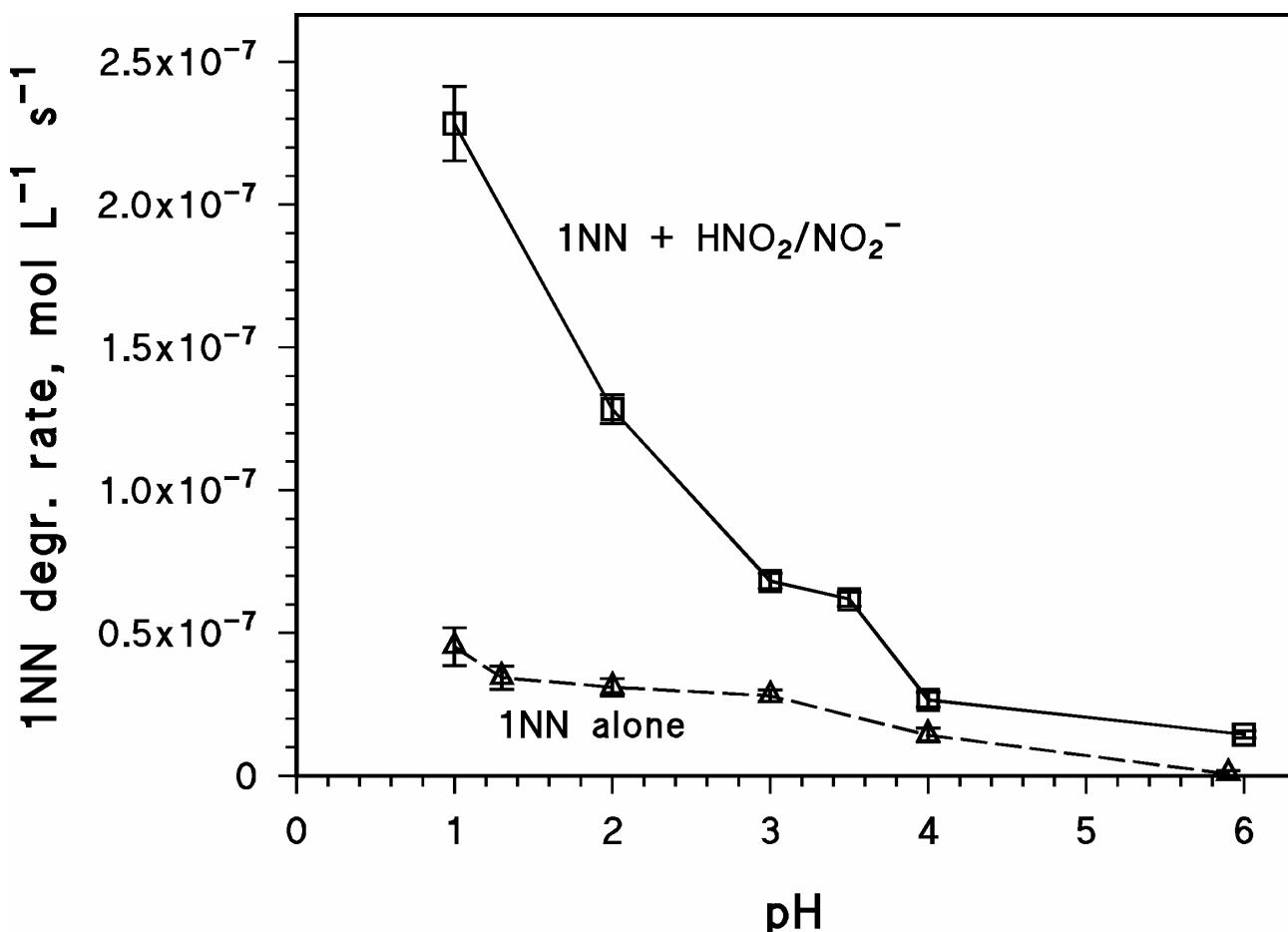
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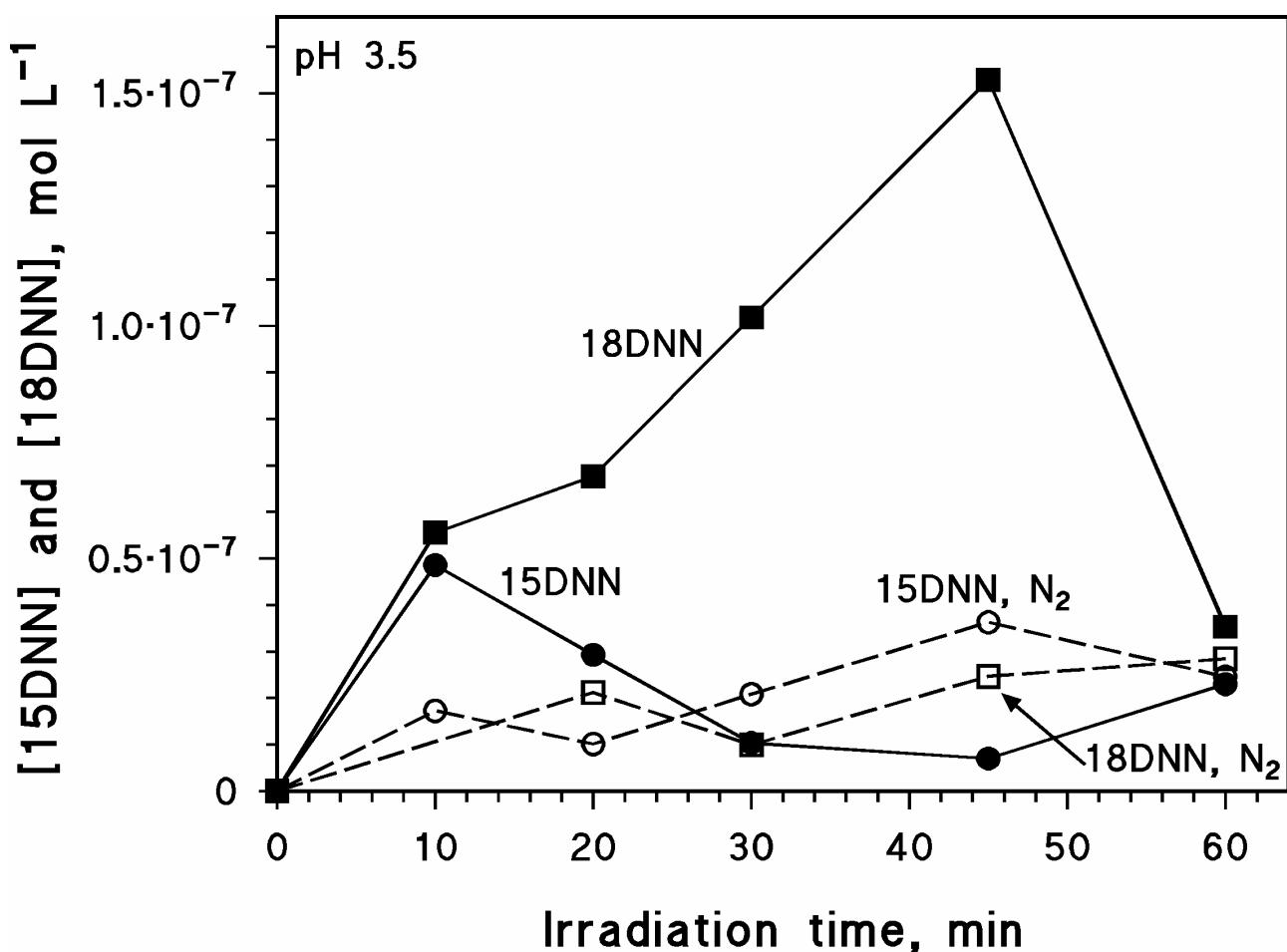
**Figure ESI1.** Pseudofirst order decay of  $^{31}\text{NN}$  (at 620 nm) in the presence of different nitrite anions concentration at different pHs: 6.5 (filled circle), 5.0 (empty circles), 3.55 (filled triangles) and 2.1 (empty triangles).



**Figure ESI2.** Time trend of 15DNN and 18DNN upon UVA irradiation of 0.1 mM 1NN + 1 mM NaNO<sub>2</sub>, with and without 0.1 M 2-propanol, pH 3.5, adjusted with HClO<sub>4</sub>.



**Figure ESI3.** Initial transformation rates of 0.1 mM 1NN irradiated under the TL K05 lamp, alone and in the presence of 1 mM NaNO<sub>2</sub>. The solution pH was adjusted with HClO<sub>4</sub>.



**Figure ESI4.** Time evolution of 15DNN and 18DNN upon UVA irradiation of 0.1 mM 1NN + 1 mM NaNO<sub>2</sub>, in aerated solution and under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere. pH 3.5, adjusted with HClO<sub>4</sub>.