

Electronic Supplementary Information

Naphthyridine Based Fluorescent Receptors for Recognition of Uric Acid

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1. Complexation studies of R1 by UV-vis and fluorescence method

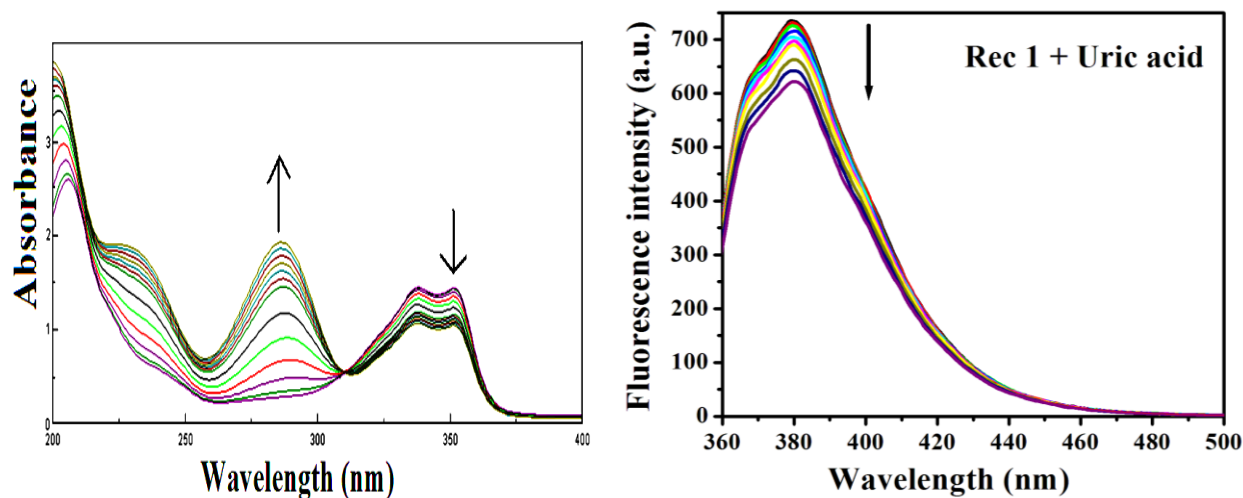


Figure 1: (i) UV-Vis absorption spectra of **R1** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 351$ nm) with uric acid; (ii) Fluorescence emission spectra of **R1** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 380$ nm) on complexation with uric acid (after excitation at 351 nm).

2. Complexation studies of R2 by UV-vis and fluorescence method

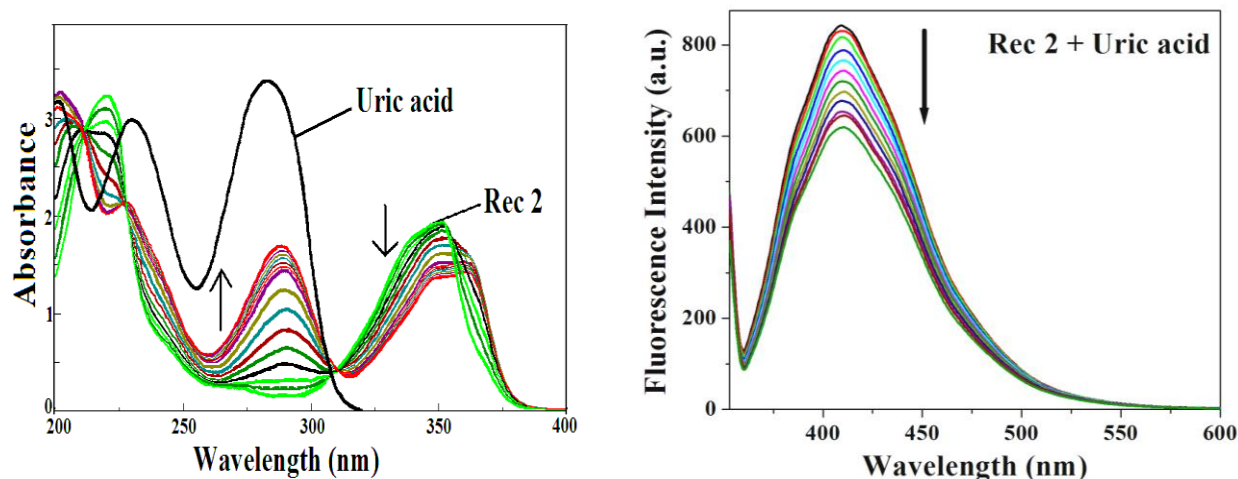


Figure 2: (i) UV-Vis absorption spectra of **R2** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 351$ nm) with uric acid; (ii) Fluorescence emission spectra of **R2** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 409$ nm) on complexation with uric acid (after excitation at 351 nm).

3. Complexation studies of R3 by UV-vis and fluorescence method

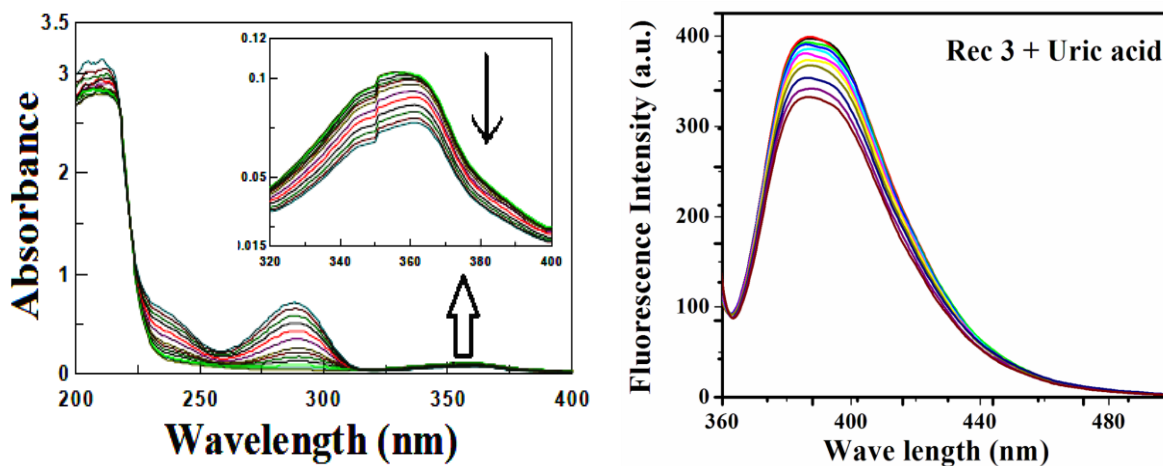


Figure 3: (i) UV-Vis absorption spectra of **R3** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 355$ nm) with uric acid; (ii) Fluorescence emission spectra of **R3** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 390$ nm) on complexation with uric acid (after excitation at 355 nm).

4. Complexation studies of R4 by UV-vis and fluorescence method:

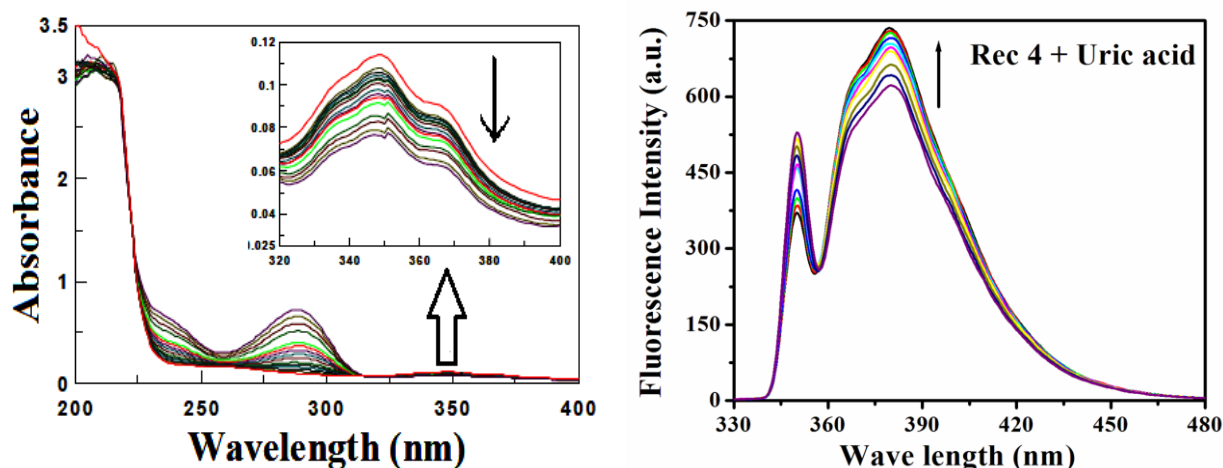


Figure 4: (i) UV-Vis absorption spectra of **R4** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 348$ nm) with uric acid; (ii) Fluorescence emission spectra of **R4** ($\lambda_{\text{max}} = 380$ nm) on complexation with uric acid (after excitation at 348 nm).

5. Experimental

General

^1H NMR spectra were recorded either on a Bruker AM 300L MHz or a Bruker 500 MHz spectrometer. For NMR spectra, CDCl_3 was used as solvent unless otherwise mentioned using TMS as internal standard. UV-VIS spectra were recorded on JASCO V-530. Mass and fluorescence spectra, JEOL JMS600 and Perkin Elmer Instruments, LS 55, were used.

7-Amino-1H-[1,8]naphthyridin-2-one [**R1**]:

2,6-diaminopyridine (2.2 g, 0.02 mmol) and malic acid (3.0 g, 0.02 mmol) were thoroughly mixed and taken in a round bottomed (RB) flask and to this conc. H_2SO_4 (10 mL) was added dropwise in continuous cooling. The mixture was warmed until no more gases formed (3.5 hrs). Then it was poured onto ice and made basic with ammonium hydroxide. The yellow precipitate was filtered and washed with water and finally it was dried to yield the desired product [5.2g, Mp. 222°C - 223°C].

$^1\text{H-NMR}$, $d_6\text{-DMSO}$; 300MHz): δ 11.55 (bs, 1H), 7.62 (d, 2H, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 6.75 (bs, 2H), 6.31 (d, 1H, $J = 8.4$ Hz), 6.08 (d, 1H, $J = 9.3$ Hz).

MS (EI) (m/z, %): 178.8 (20), 161.0 (M^+ , 100), 147.0 (5).

FT-IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 3468 (NH str.), 2974, 1650 (C=O str.), 1563 (Ar. C=C str.), 1465 (Ar. C=N str.), 1431.

1,8-Naphthyridine-2,7-diamine [R2]:

R2 was prepared by the procedure, which was previously reported in our laboratory.^{5c}

¹H-NMR (d_6 -DMSO; 300MHz) of R2: δ 7.58 (d, 2H, J = 8.4 Hz), 6.37 (d, 2H, J = 8.4 Hz), 6.24 (bs, 4H).

MS (EI) (m/z, %): 160.1 (M^+ , 100), 121.2 (25), 93.2 (10).

FT-IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 3478 (NH str.), 2932, 1630, 1571 (Ar. C=C str.), 1454 (Ar. C=N str.).

¹H-NMR (d_6 -DMSO; 300MHz) of complex of R2 with uric acid: δ 10.57 (bs, 4H), 7.76 (d, 2H, J = 8.5 Hz), 6.93 (bs, 4H), 6.50 (d, 2H, J = 8.6 Hz).

2-[[7-[(E)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)methylidene]amino][1,8-naphthyridin-2-yl]imino]methyl]phenol (R3):

2,7-diaminonaphthyridine (0.5 g, 3.12 mmol) and salicylaldehyde (1.0 g, 8.19 mmol) were taken in a dry RB,. To this RB, dry methanol (5.0 mL) was added to it. The RB was put on a oil bath and refluxed for 12 hrs. A solid residue was found, adhered to the wall of RB. The residue was filtered and washed several times with methanol. Finally an orange residue was obtained (Mp > 250⁰C; 0.4 g, yield 35%).

¹H-NMR (d_6 -DMSO; 500MHz): δ 10.19 (bs, 2H), 8.27 (s, 2H), 7.59 (d, 2H, J = 8.1 Hz), 7.45 (bs, 2H), 6.92 (bs, 2H), 6.37 (d, 2H, J = 8.1 Hz), 6.26 (bs, 4H).

MS (EI) (m/z, %): Mass spectra not found.

FT-IR (KBr, cm^{-1}): 3420 (OH str.), 2964, 1759, 1608 (Ar. C=C str.), 1509, 1456 (Ar. C=N str.).

¹H-NMR (d_6 -DMSO; 500MHz) of R3 with uric acid: δ 10.66 (bs, 2H), 10.51 (bs, 2H), 8.27(s, 2H), 7.84 (d, 2H, J = 8.7 Hz), 7.64 (d, 2H, J = 9.3 Hz), 7.50 (t, 2H, J = 8.5 Hz), 7.28(bs, 2H), 6.98-6.92 (m, 2H), 6.54 (d, 2H, J = 8.7 Hz).

N1-{7-[(2-hydroxybenzoyl)amino][1,8]naphthyridin-2-yl}-2-hydroxybenzamide (R4):

Salicylic acid (0.5 g, 3.6 mmol) was taken in dry benzene (8.0 mL). Then excess thionyl chloride (2.5 mL) was added to it and then refluxed for 4 hrs. After refluxation completed, excess thionyl

chloride and benzene were distilled out. CH_2Cl_2 was poured into it and the whole mixture was transferred into a two-neck rb.

On the other side, naphthyridine diamine (1.15 g, 7.24 mmol), dry Et_3N (0.4 mL) and CH_2Cl_2 (5.0 mL) were mixed together. The whole system was kept under nitrogen atmosphere. This solution was added dropwise to the acid chloride during one hour. After 12 hours with continuous stirring, tlc was checked. The desired compound was purified through preparative tlc using 8% methanol-chloroform solvent (yield 25%, Mp. $> 250^\circ\text{C}$).

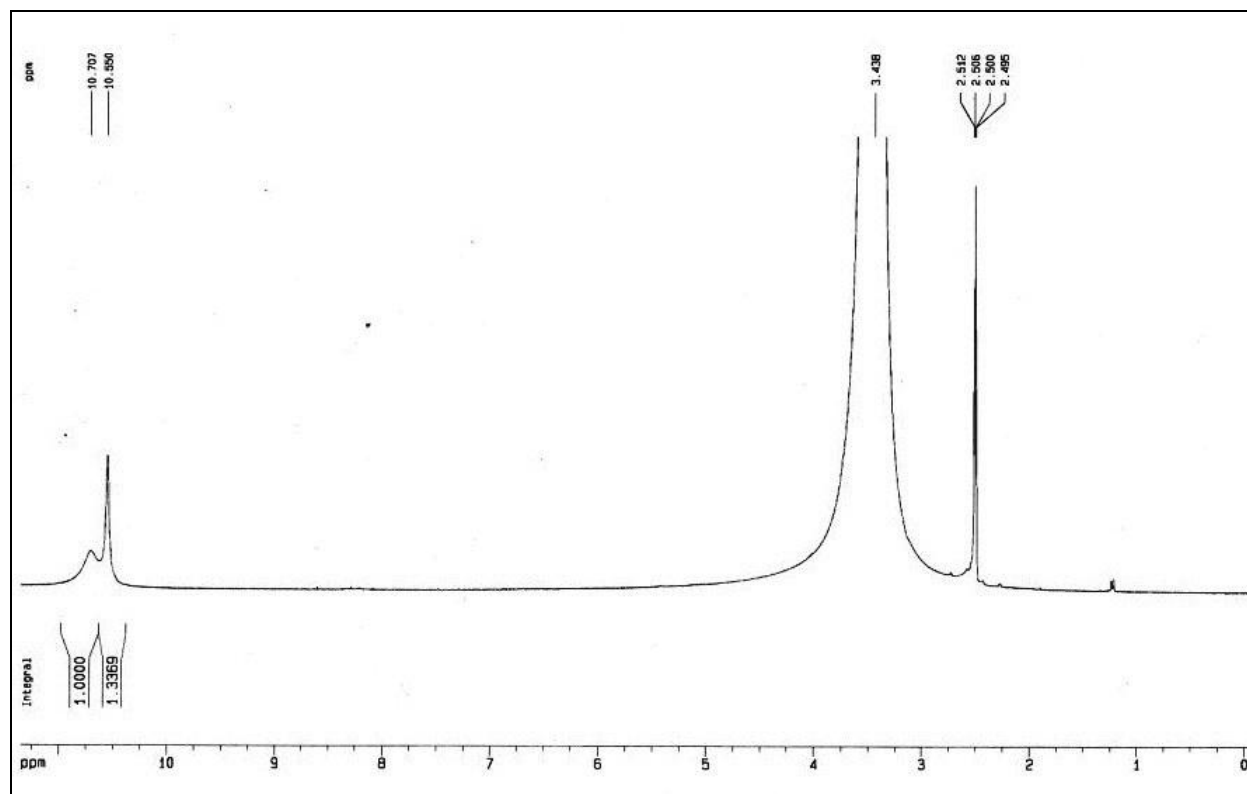
$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($d_6\text{-DMSO}$; 500MHz): δ 11.32 (bs, 2H), 9.69 (bs, 2H), 8.47-8.41 (m, 4H), 8.05 (d, 2H, $J = 6.3$ Hz), 7.47 (t, 2H, $J = 8.4$ Hz), 7.07 (d, 2H, $J = 8.1$ Hz), 7.00 (t, 2H, $J = 7.4$ Hz).

MS (EI) (m/z, %): 400 (M^+ , 69.5), 280 (34), 160 (92), 121 (21), 28 (100).

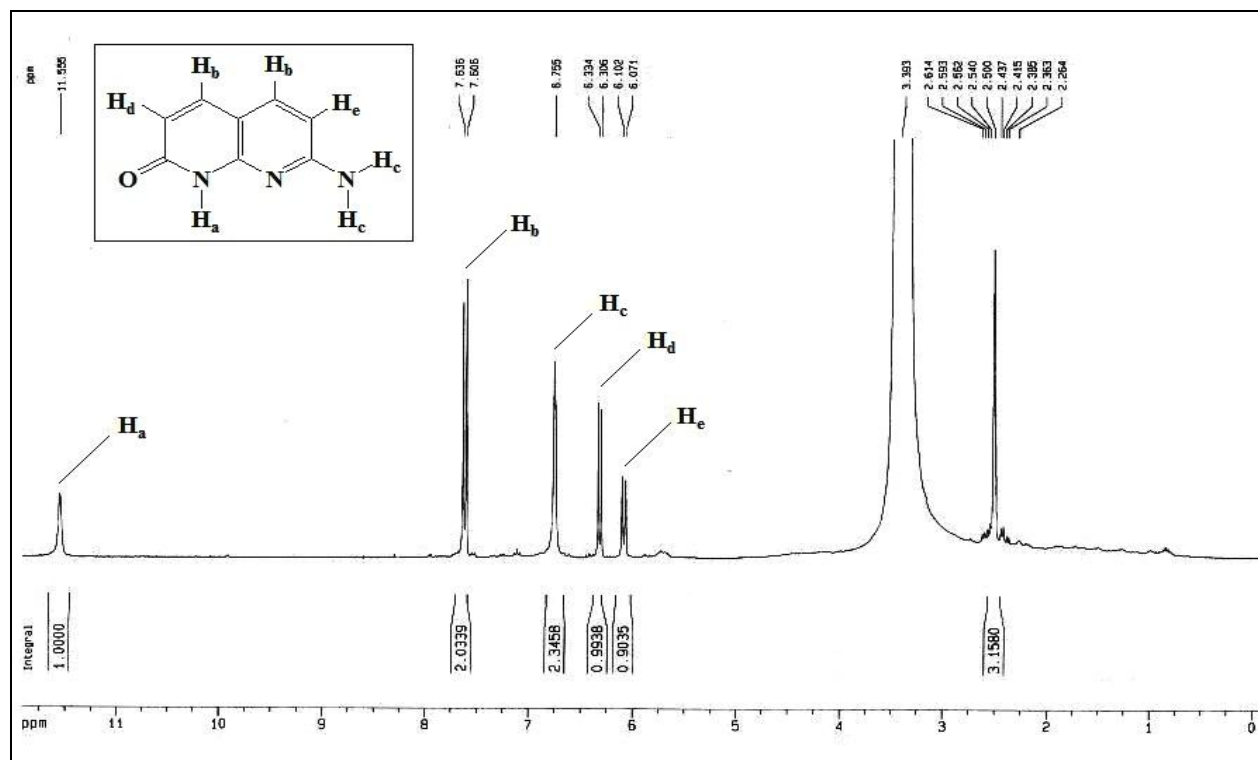
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$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($d_6\text{-DMSO}$; 500MHz) of R4 with uric acid: δ 11.08 (bs, 2H), 10.50 (bs, 2H), 10.34 (bs, 2H), 9.40 (bs, 2H), 8.28-8.23 (m, 4H), 7.87 (d, 2H, $J = 9.3$ Hz), 7.29 (t, 2H, $J = 8.4$ Hz), 6.89 (d, 2H, $J = 8.1$ Hz), 6.82 (t, 2H, $J = 7.4$ Hz).

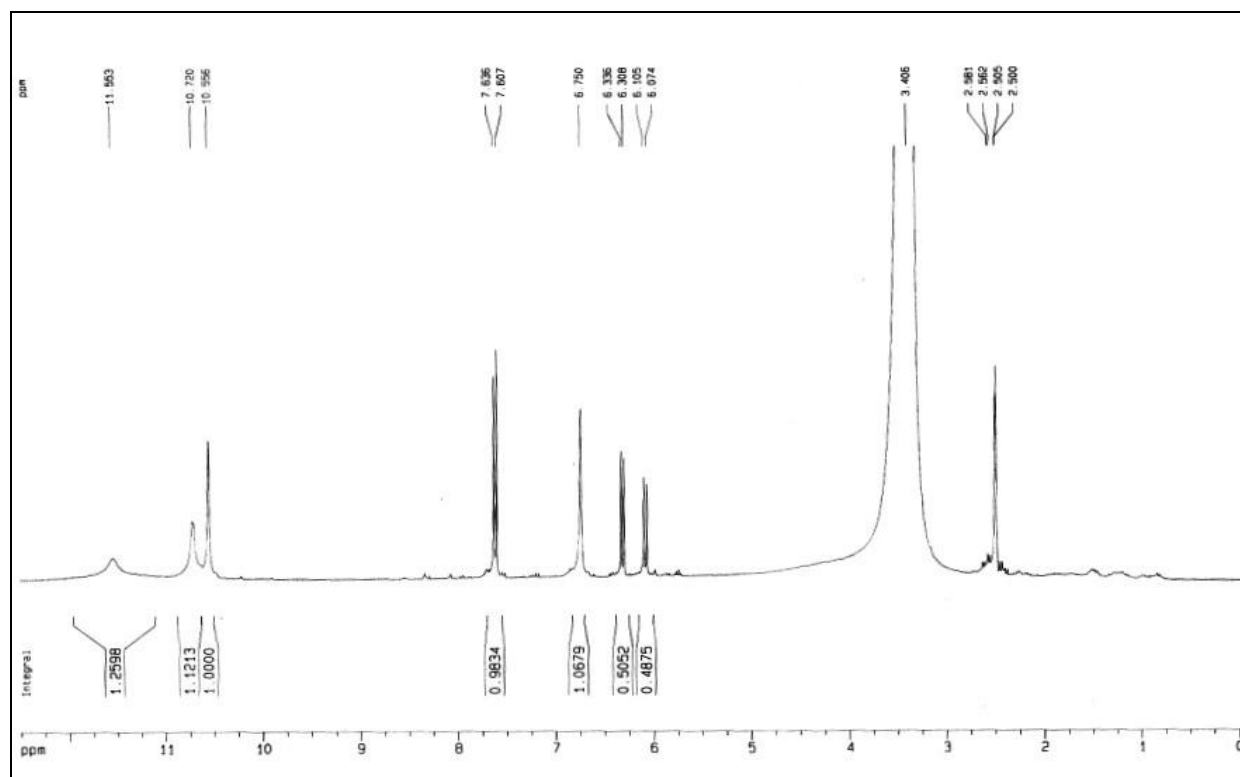
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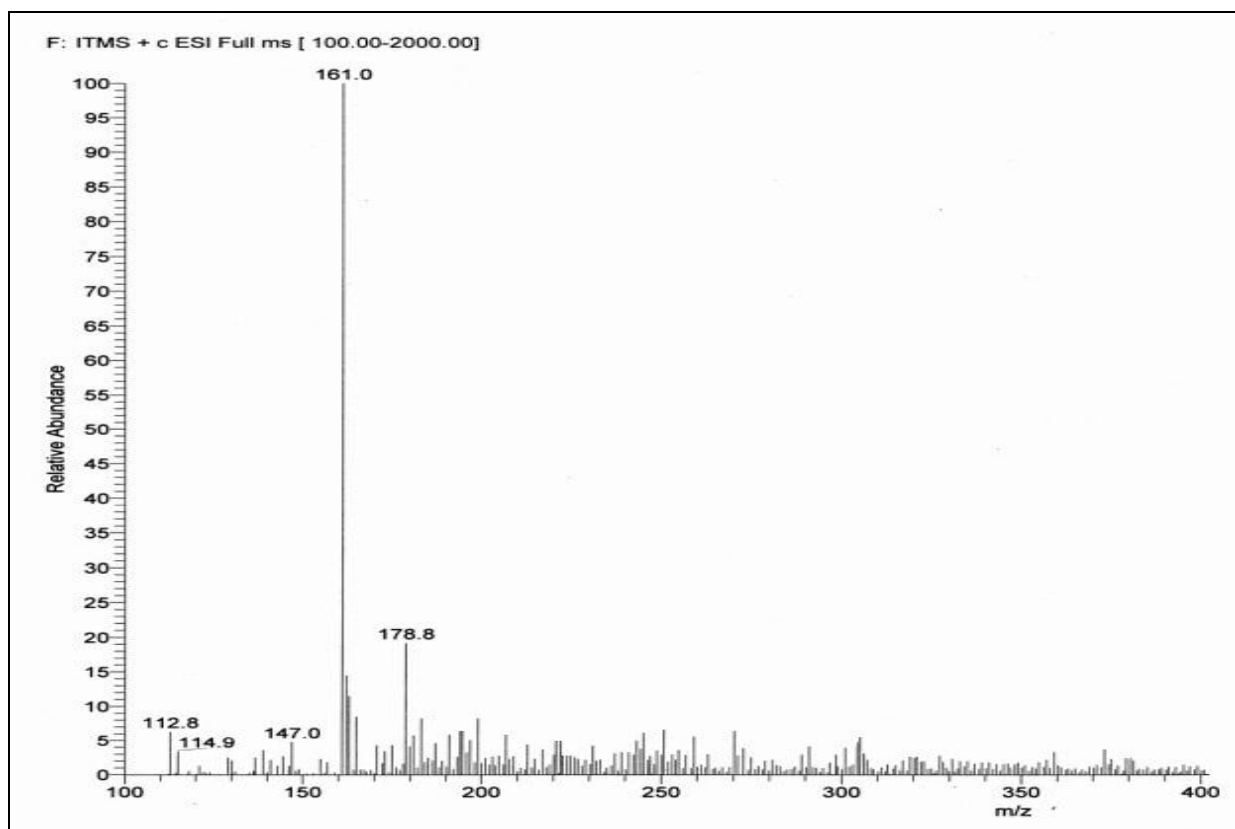
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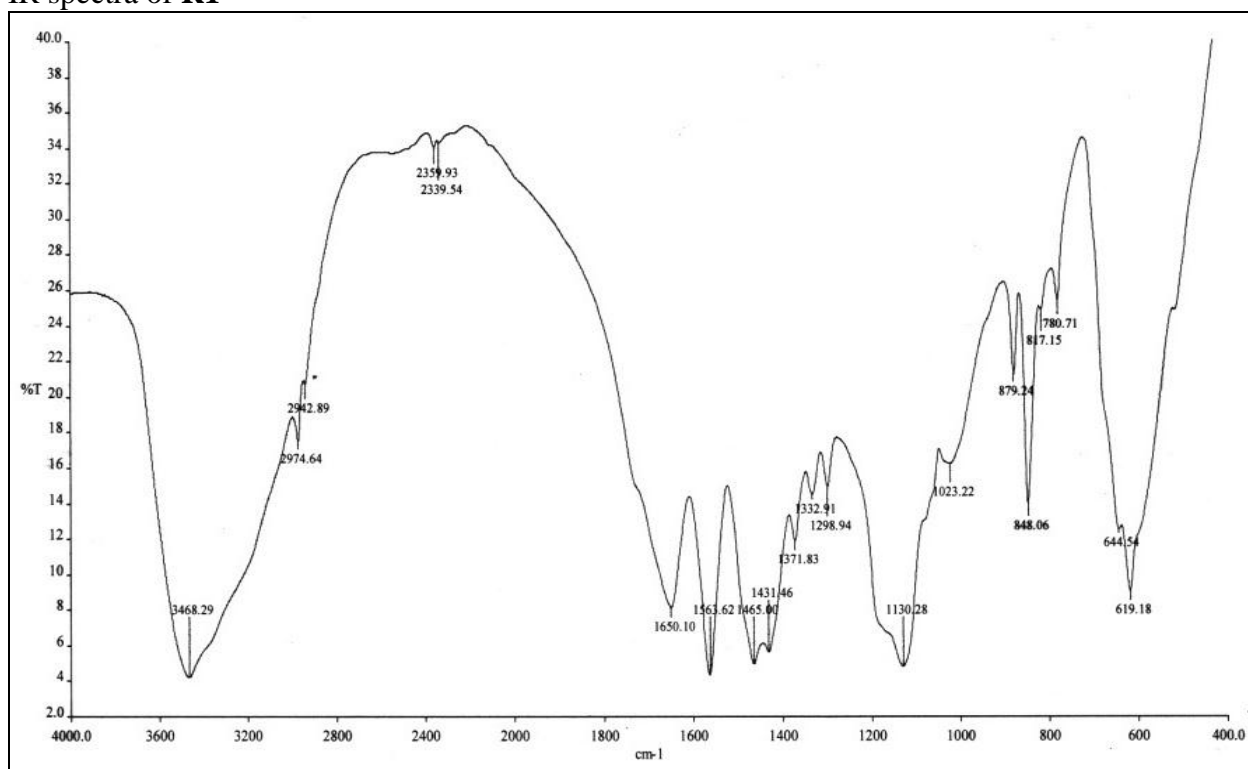
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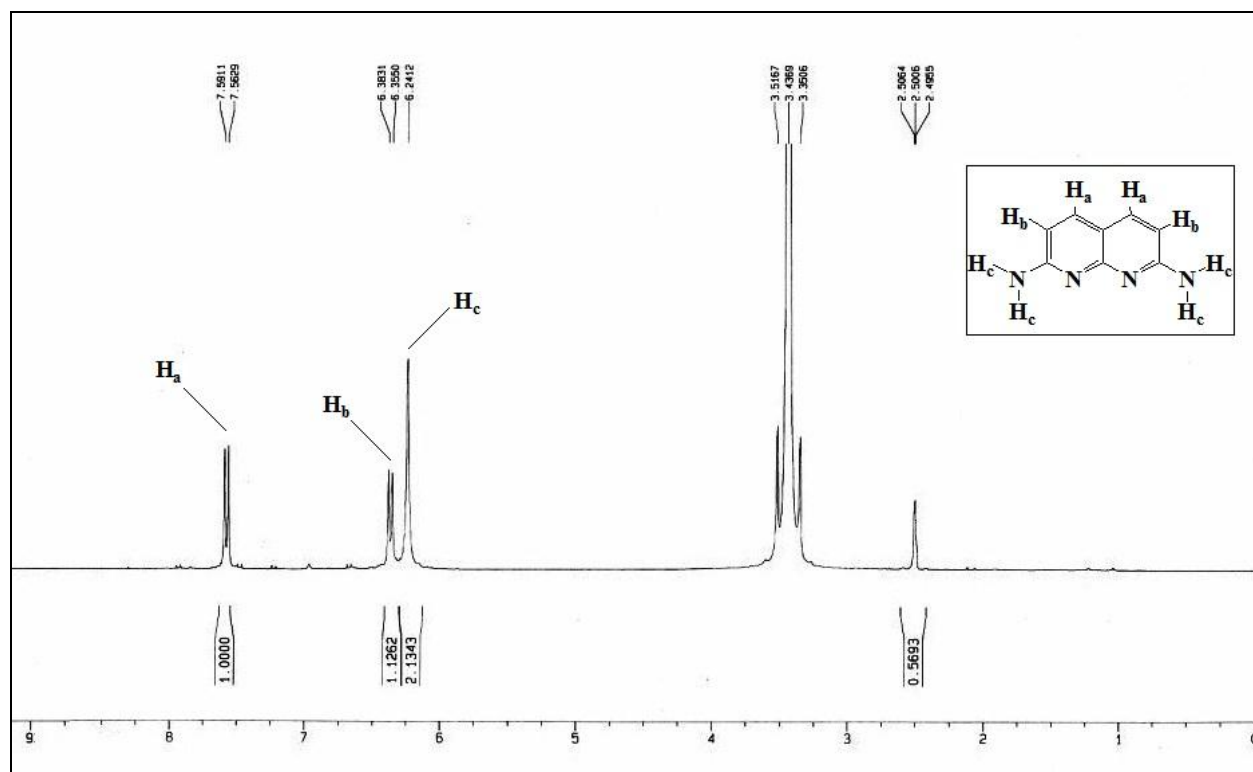
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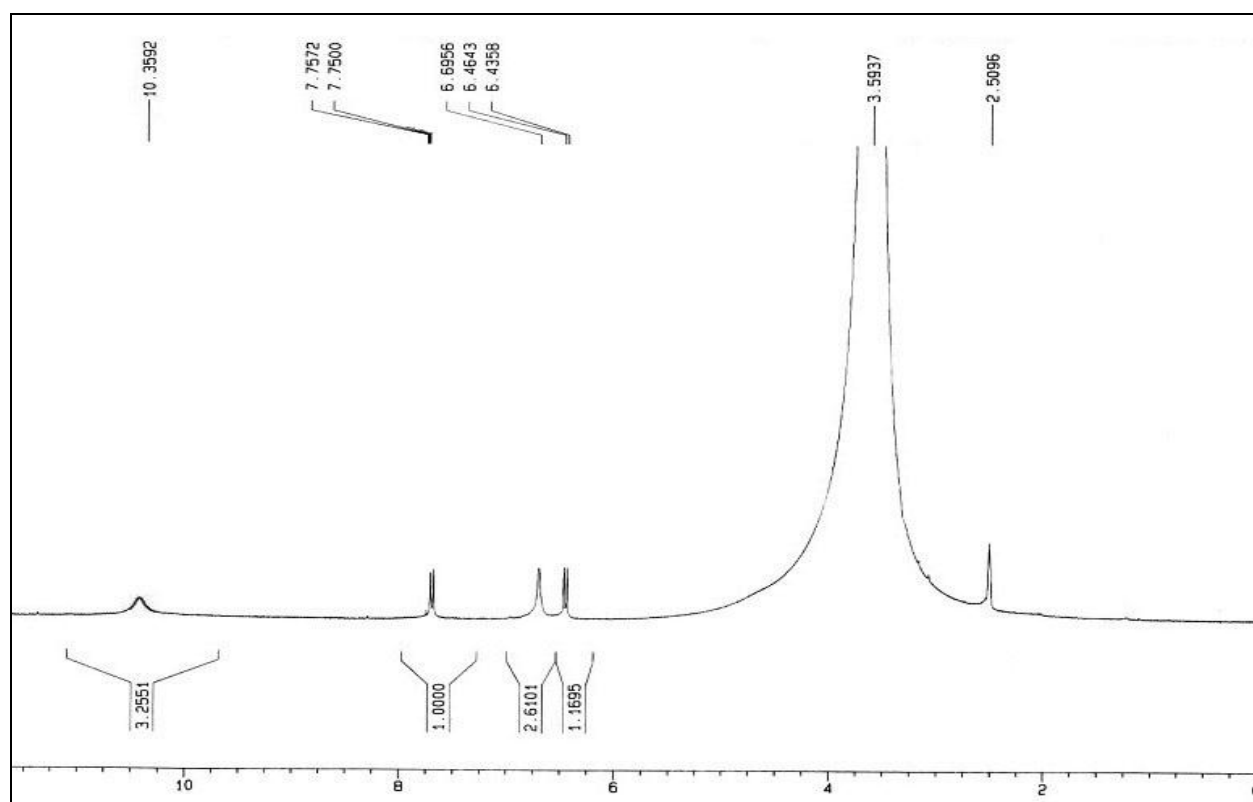
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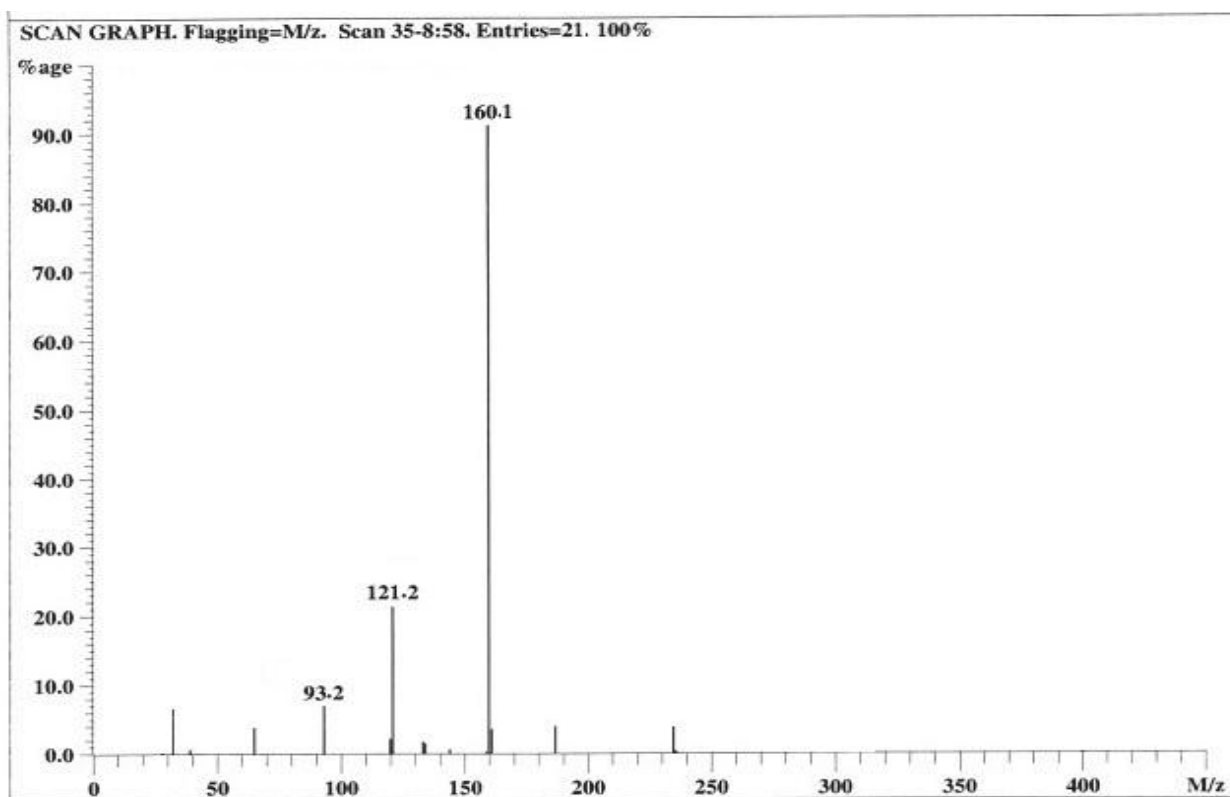
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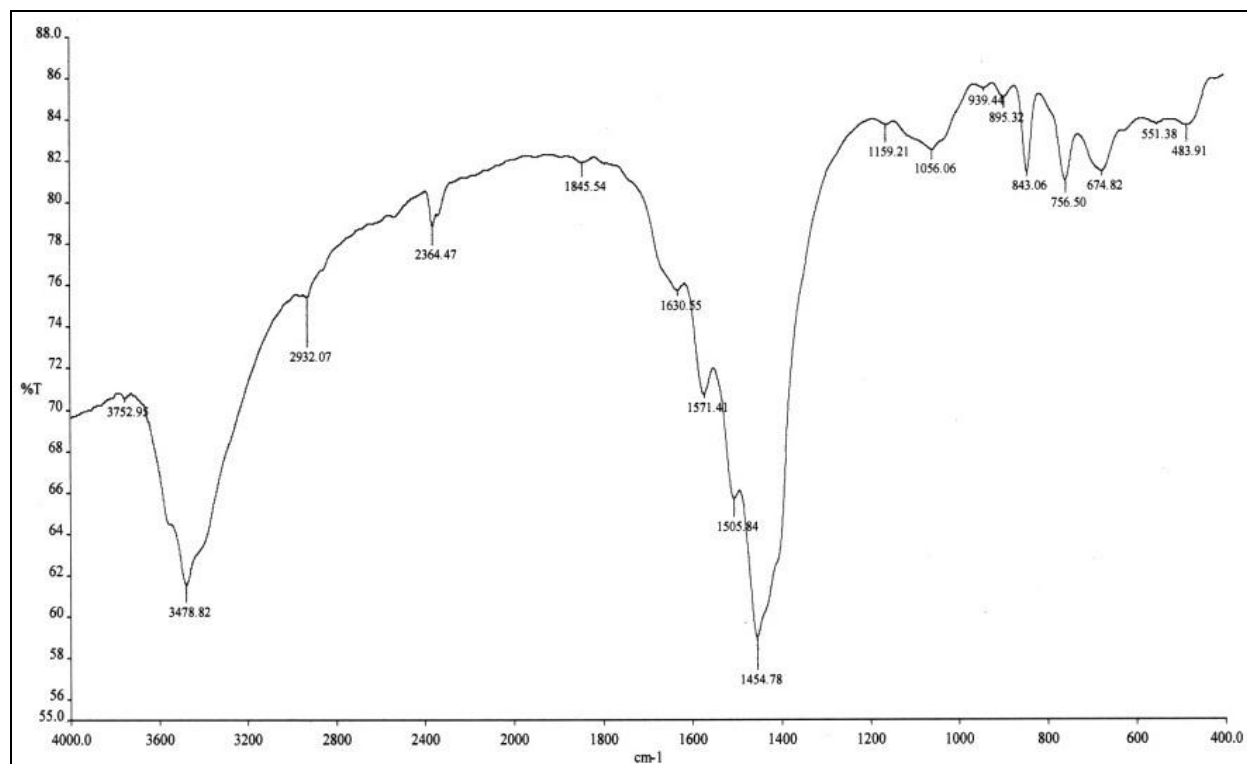
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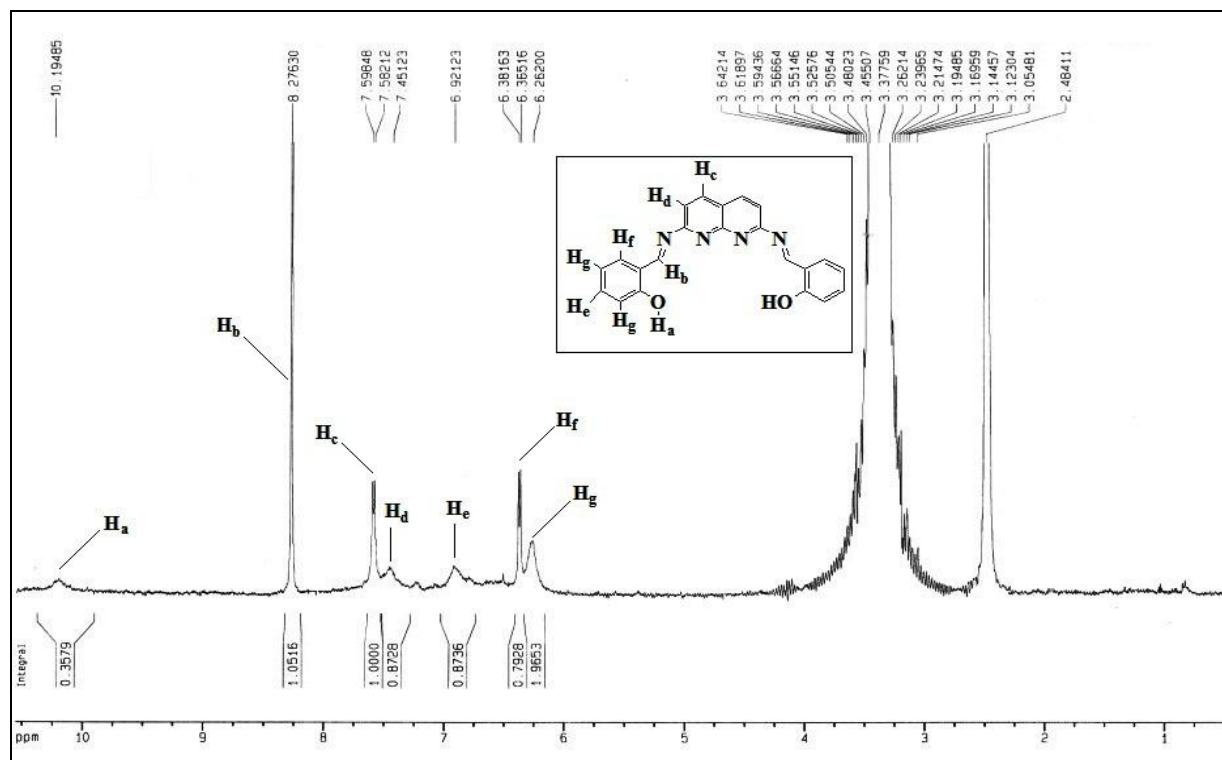
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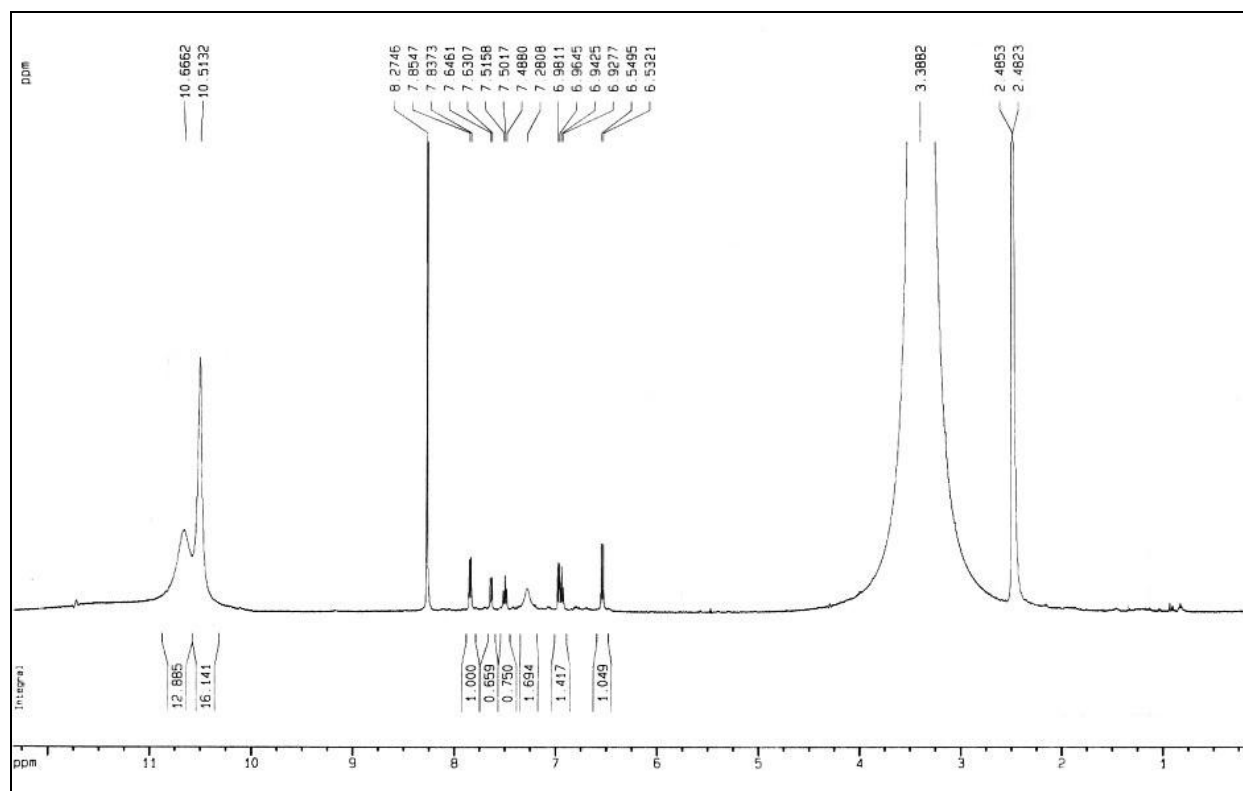
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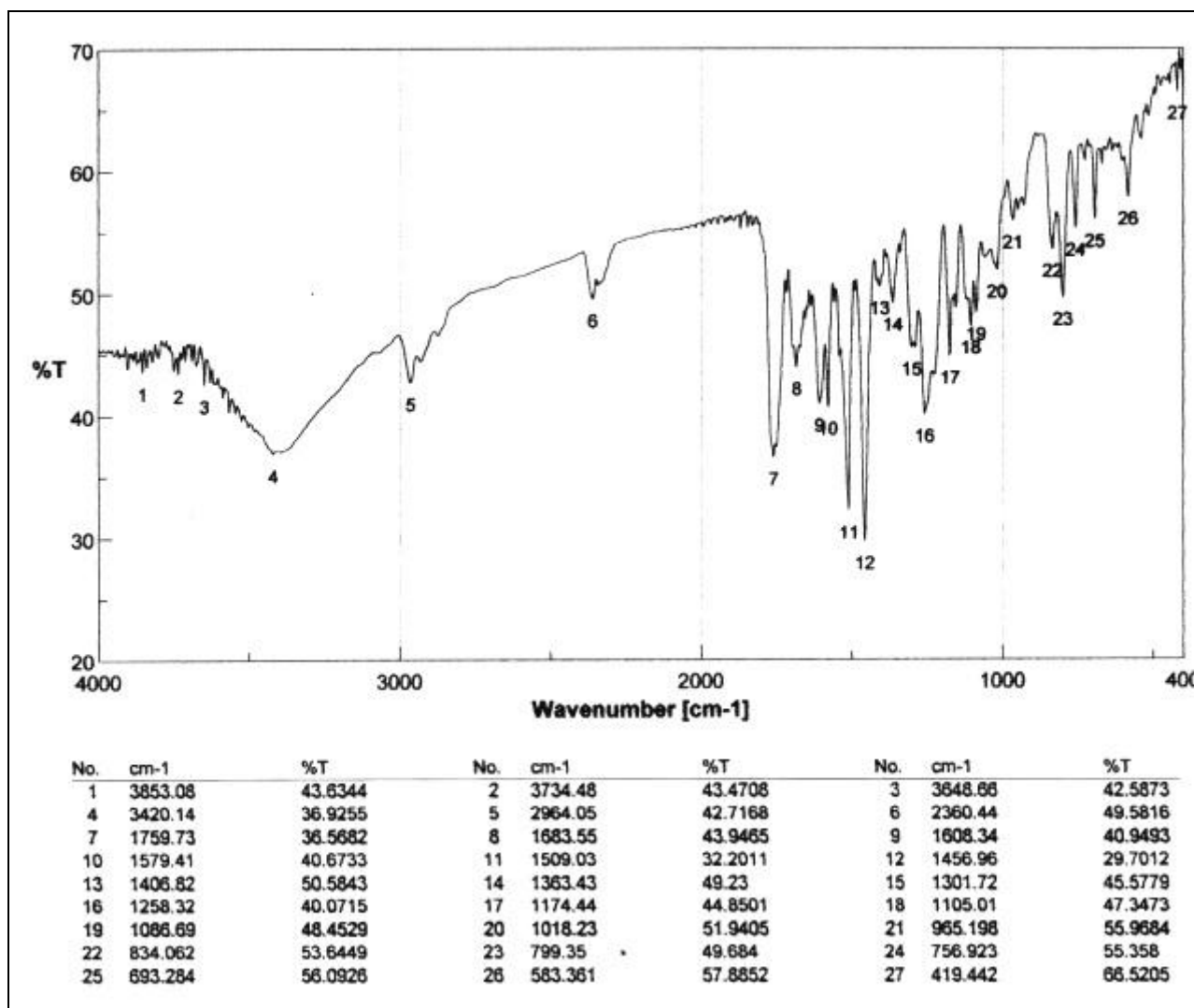
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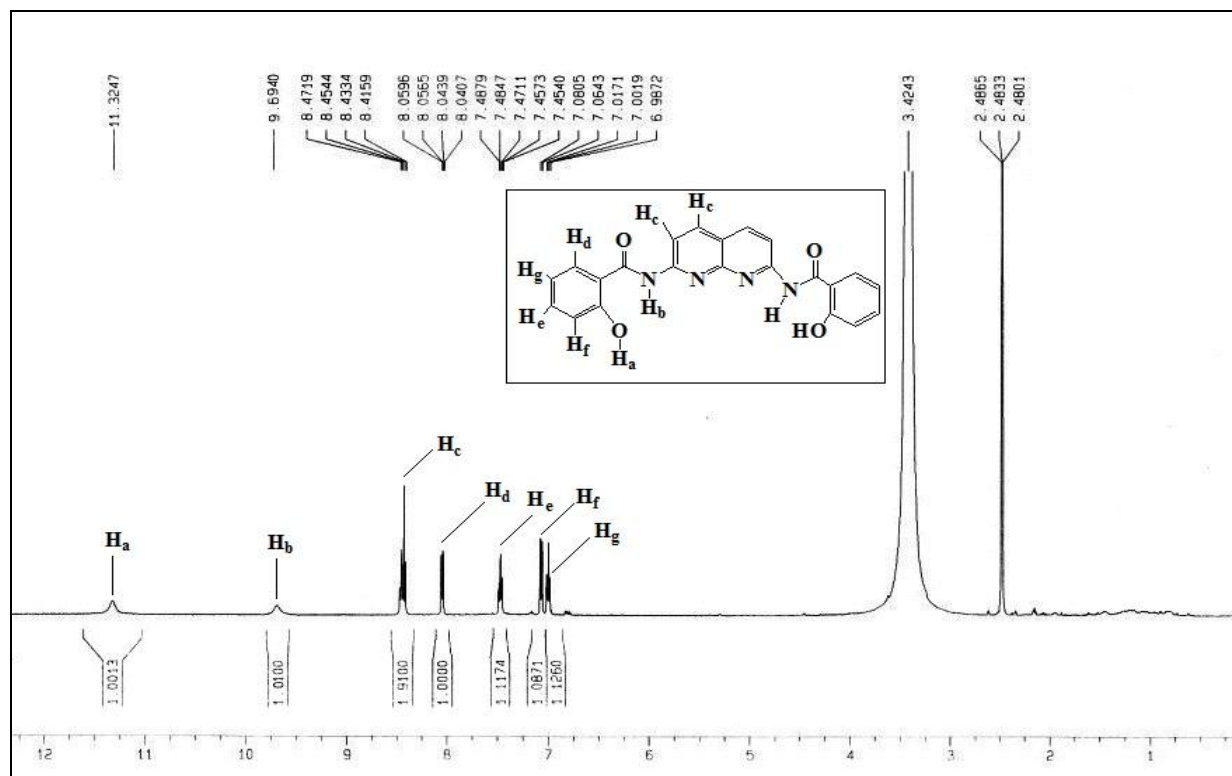
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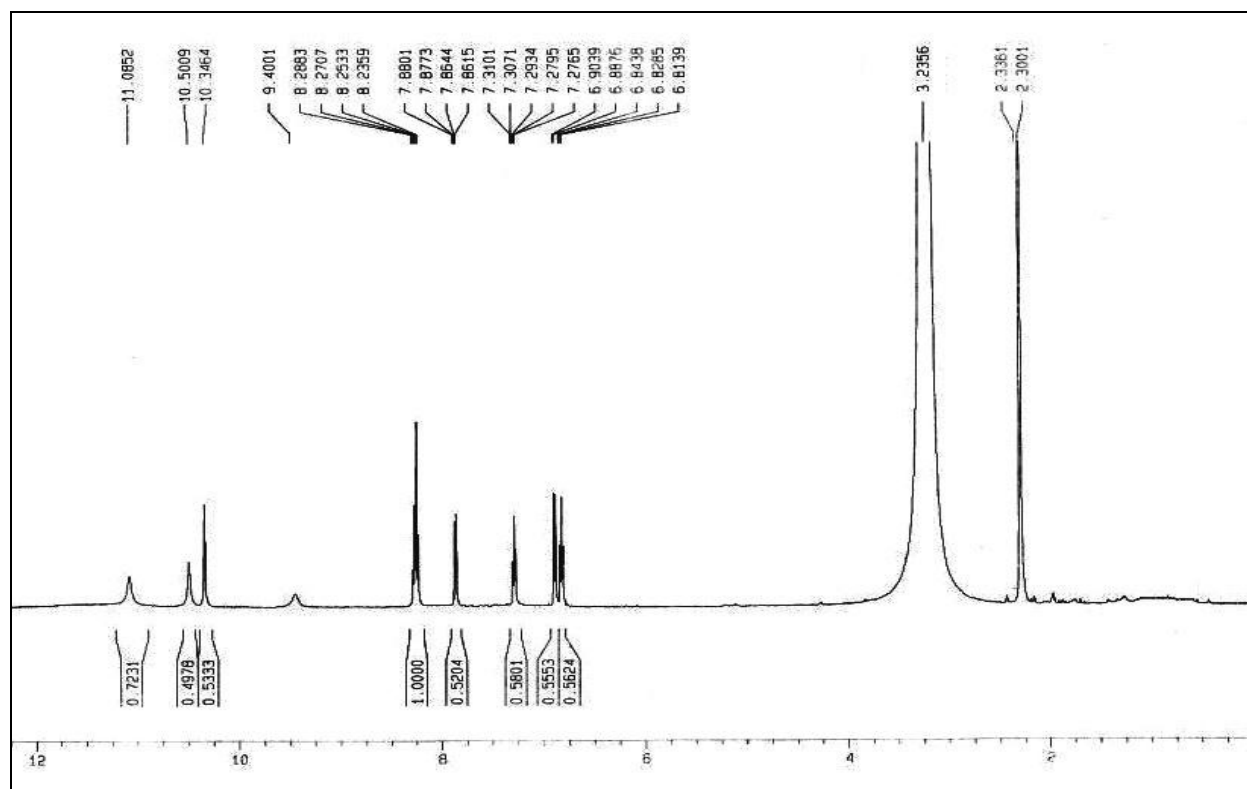
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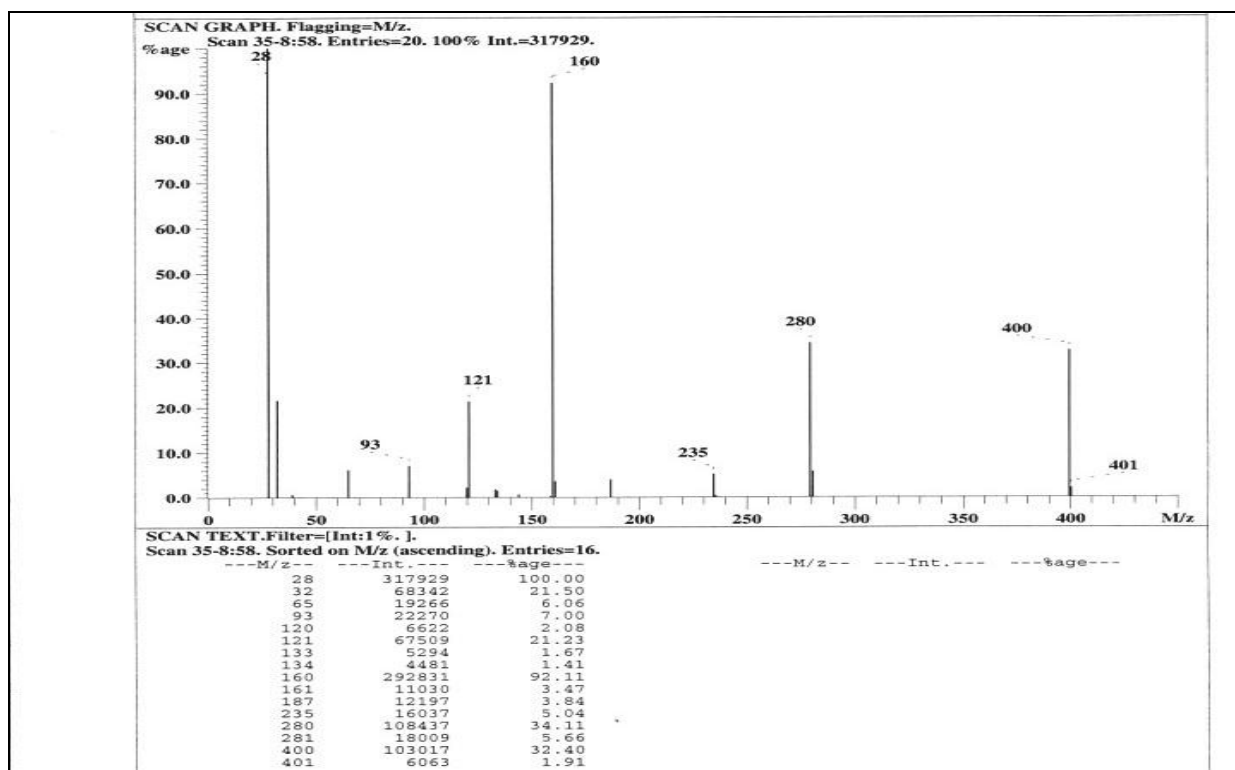
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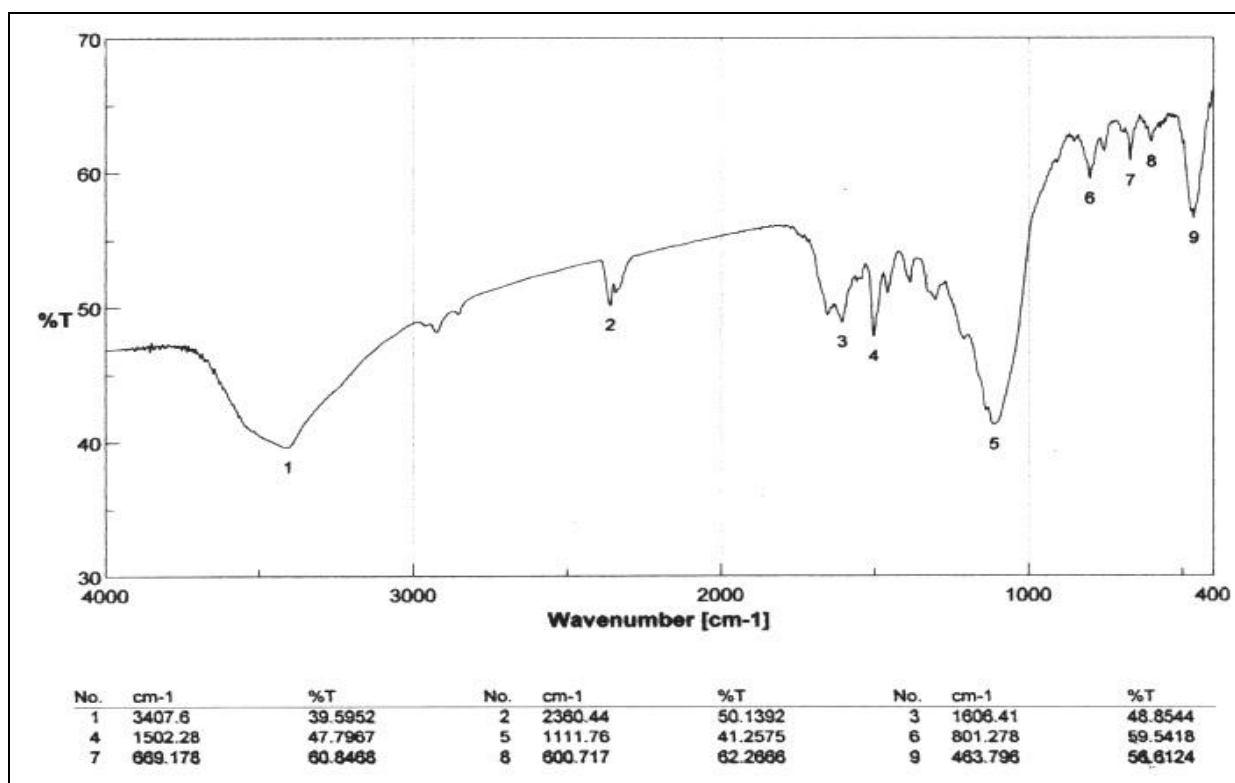
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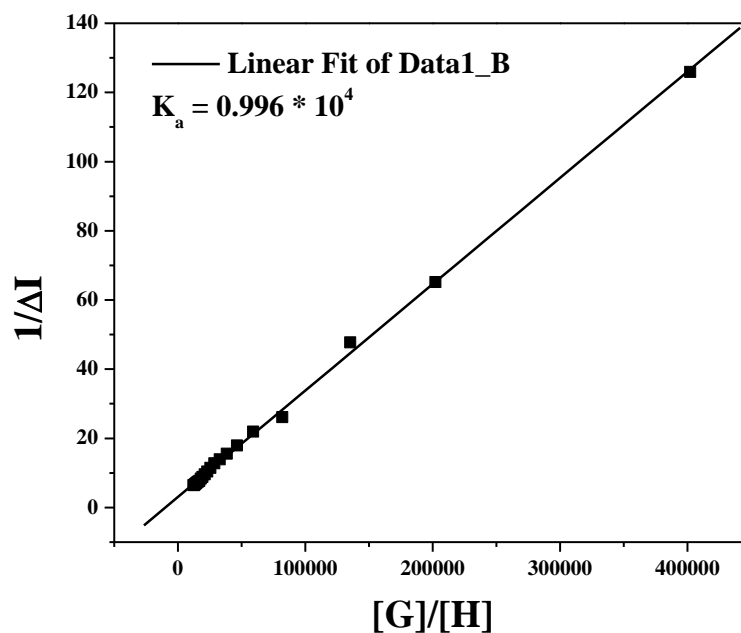


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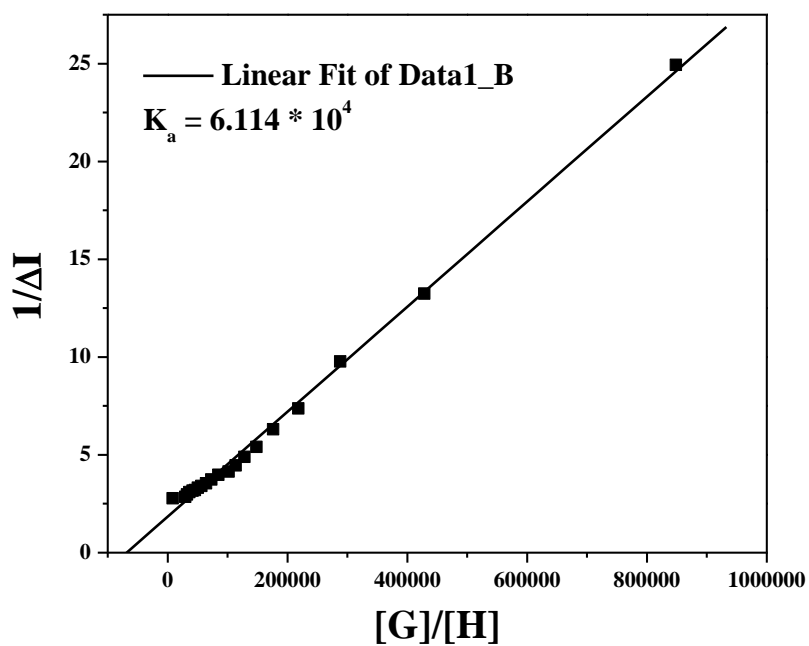


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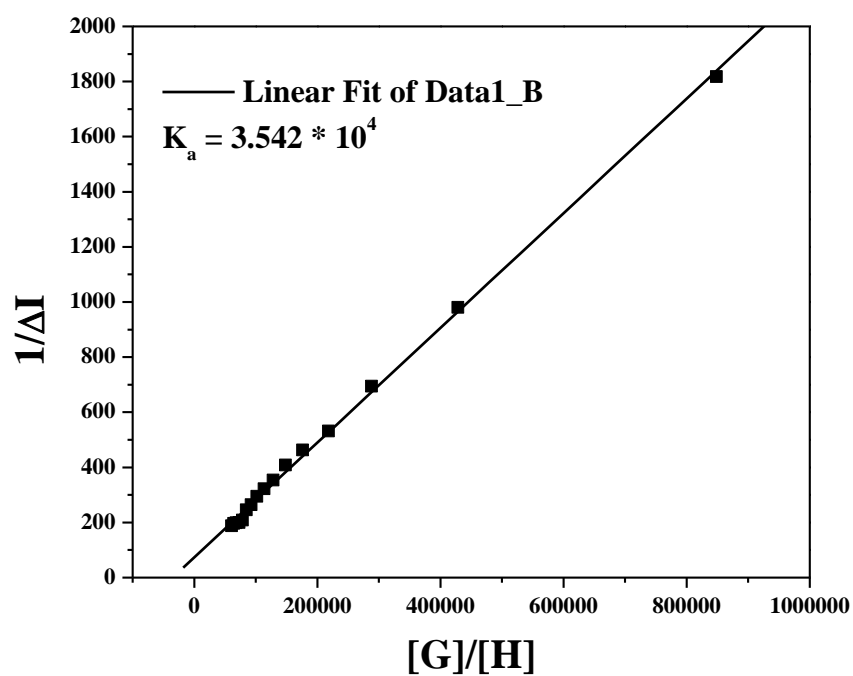
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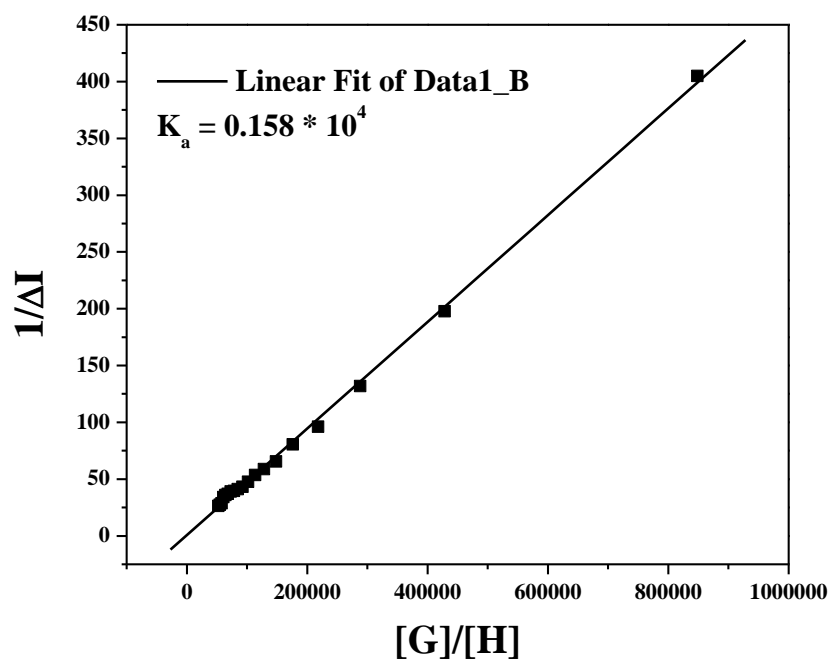
(ii) R2 with Uric acid:



(iii) R3 with Uric acid:

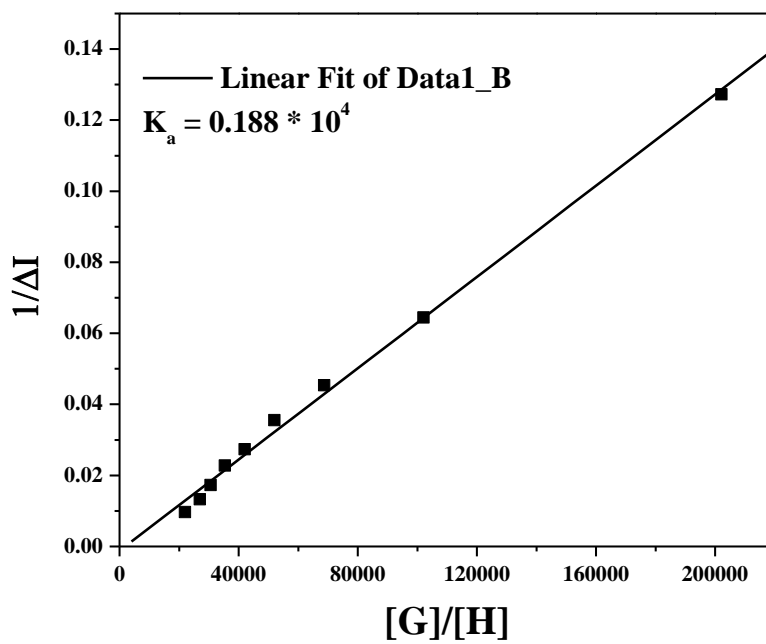


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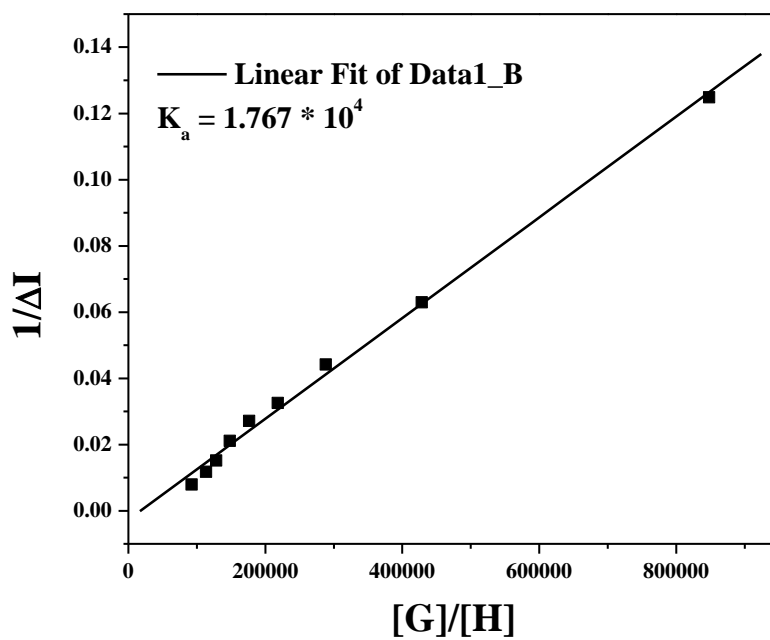


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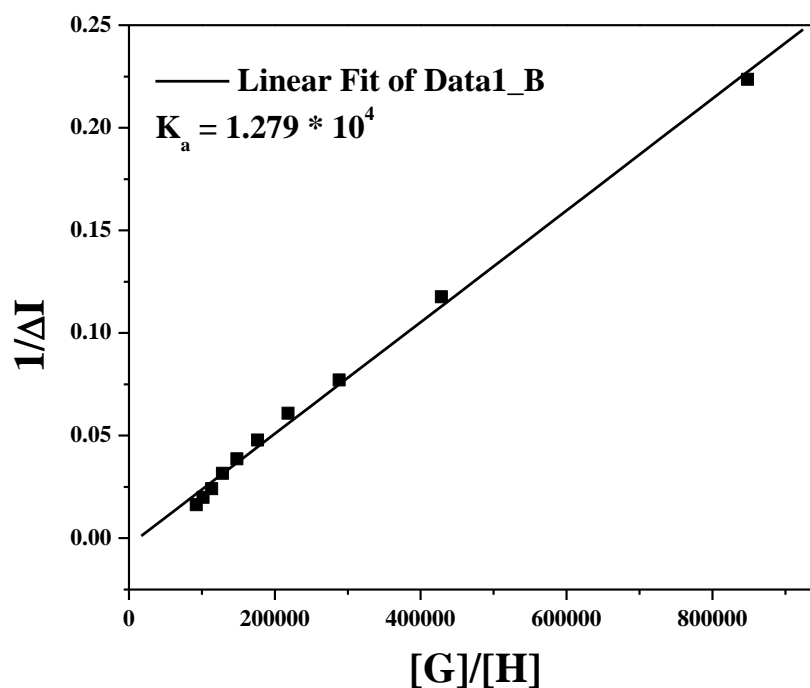
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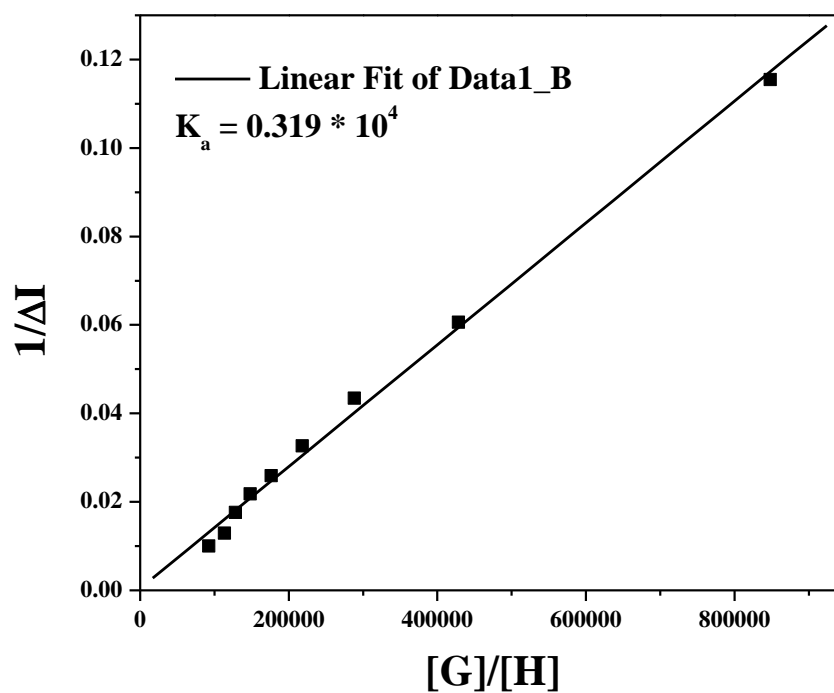
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(iii) R3 with Uric acid:



(iv) R4 with Uric acid:



Calculation of limit of detection (LOD):

The detection limit of the receptors for uric acid was calculated on the basis of fluorescence titration. To determine the standard deviation for the fluorescence intensity, the emission intensity of four individual receptors without uric acid was measured by 10 times and the standard deviation of blank measurements was calculated.

The limit of detection (LOD) of four receptors for sensing uric acid was determined from the following equation¹:

$$\text{LOD} = K \times \text{SD}/S$$

Where $K = 2$ or 3 (we take 3 in this case); SD is the standard deviation of the blank receptor solution; S is the slope of the calibration curve.

For **R1** with uric acid:

From the linear fit graph we get slope = -7.88496×10^6 , and SD value is 0.51284

Thus using the above formula we get the Limit of Detection = 19.512×10^{-8} M i.e. **R1** can detect uric acid up to this very lower concentration by fluorescence techniques.

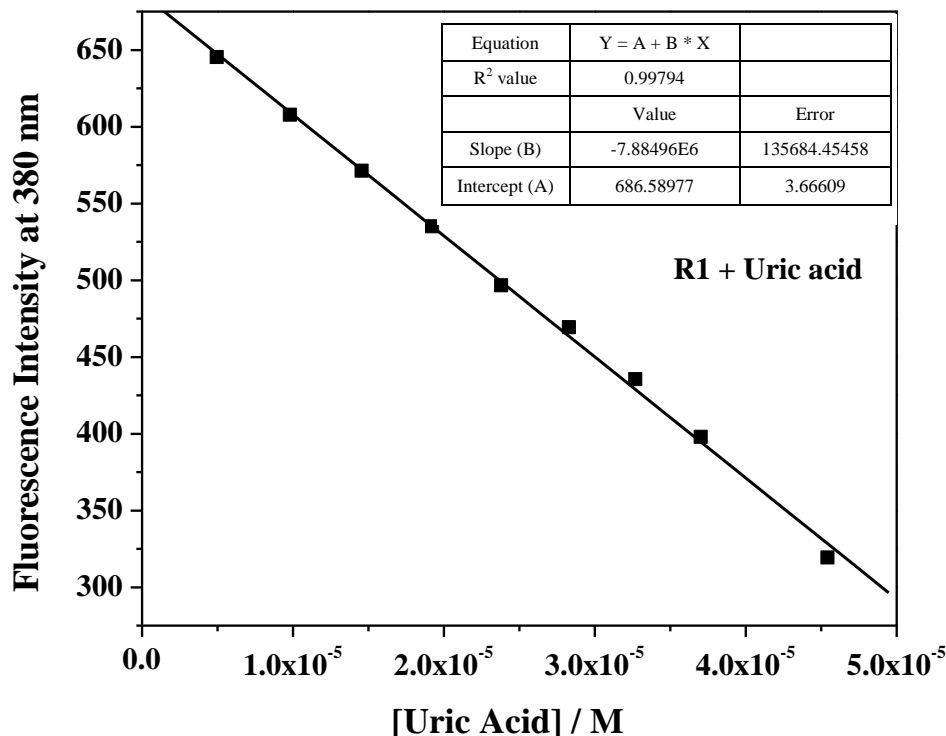


Figure: Linear fit curve of **R1** at 380 nm with respect to uric acid concentration.

For R2 with uric acid:

From the linear fit graph we get slope = -1.62726×10^7 , and SD value is 0.49148

Thus using the above formula we get the Limit of Detection = 9.0609×10^{-8} M i.e. **R2** can detect uric acid up to this minimum concentration by fluorescence techniques.

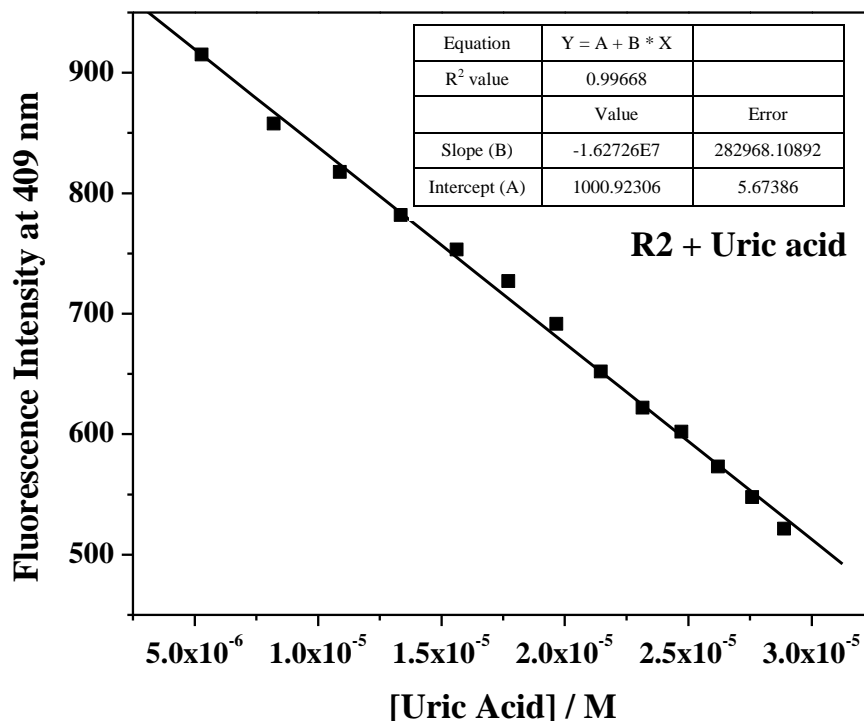


Figure: Linear fit curve of **R2** at 409 nm with respect to uric acid concentration.

For R3 with uric acid:

From the linear fit graph we get slope = -1.52969×10^7 , and SD value is 0.49559

Thus using the above formula we get the Limit of Detection = 9.7194×10^{-8} M i.e. **R3** can detect uric acid up to this minimum concentration by fluorescence techniques.

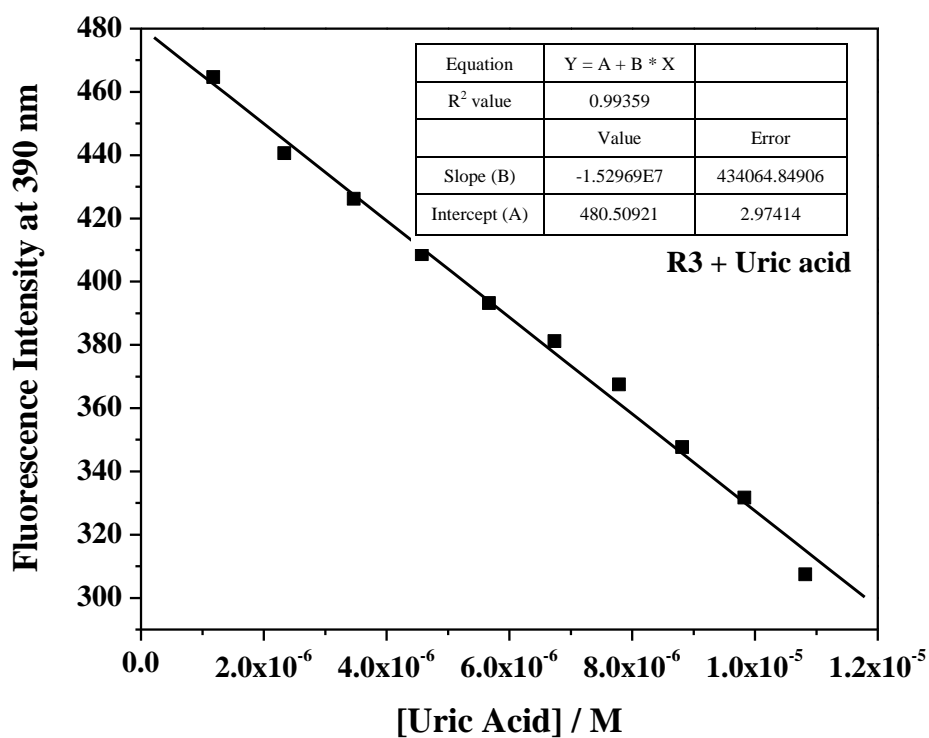


Figure: Linear fit curve of **R3** at 390 nm with respect to uric acid concentration.

For R4 with uric acid:

From the linear fit graph we get slope = -1.50734×10^7 , and SD value is 0.50085

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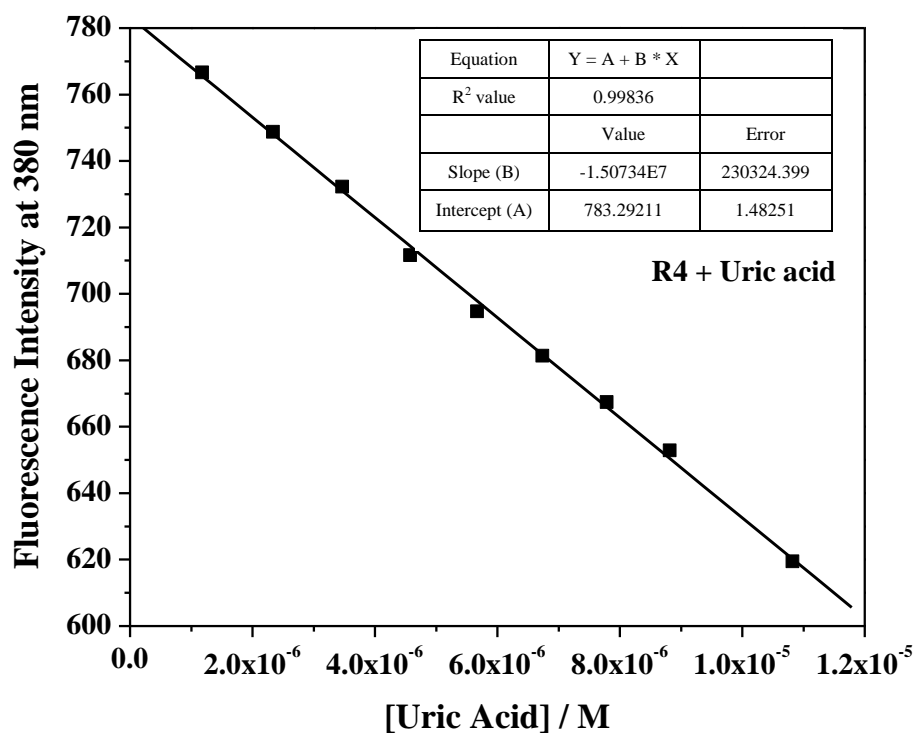


Figure: Linear fit curve of **R4** at 380 nm with respect to uric acid concentration.

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