Supporting information

Synthesisand Characterization of Benzo- and Naphtho[2,1-b:3,4-b']dithiophene-Containing Oligomers for Photovoltaic Applications

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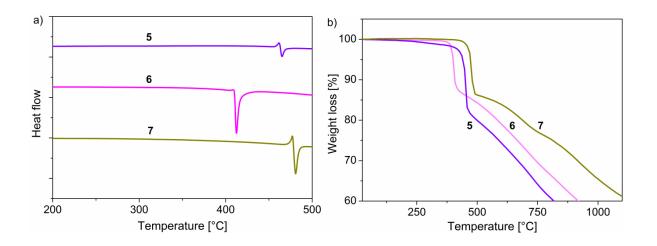


Figure S1: (a) TGA curves for oligomers 5-7 measured under nitrogen flow at a heating rate of 10 $^{\circ}$ C min.; (b) DSC curves measured under argon flow at a heating rate of 10 $^{\circ}$ C min.

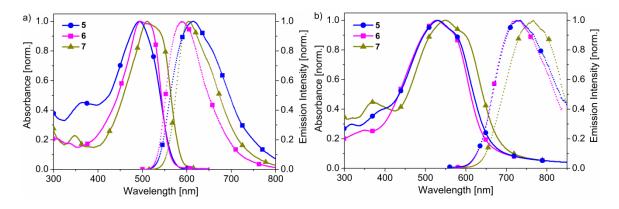


Figure S2: (a) Absorption and fluorescence spectra of BDT 5, 6, and NDT 7 in dichloromethane at room temperature. (b) Thin film (30 nm) absorbance and fluorescence spectra of 5, 6 and 7.

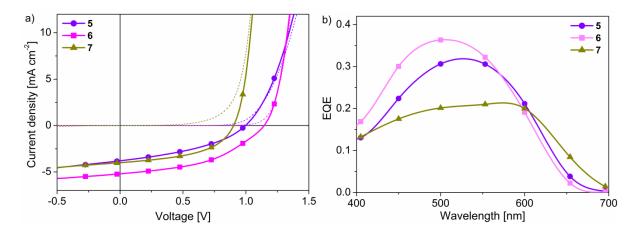


Figure S3: (a) *J-V*-characteristics of planar heterojunction solar cells with DCV end-capped oligomers **5-7** as donor material and C_{60} as acceptor. (b) Corresponding EQE spectra of PHJ solar cells.