## Effect of structure on charge distribution in the isatin anions in aprotic environment: spectral study.

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Figure S1. Concentration effect of the A-azanion on the UV-Vis spectra in CH<sub>3</sub>CN.



**Figure S2.** UV-Vis spectral changes of **B**-azanion depending on concentration of **B** in the presence of TBAF in CH<sub>3</sub>CN.



Figure S3. Change in UV-Vis spectra A and C (1 × 10<sup>-4</sup> mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) after addition of TBAAc in DMSO.



Figure S4. Effect of TBAAc on UV-Vis spectra of **B** and **D**  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  in DMSO.



**Figure S5.** Change of UV-Vis spectra of **A** - **E** ( $1 \times 10^{-4}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) in the presence of TBAF and TBAOH in DMSO.



**Figure S6.** UV-Vis spectrum of TBA salt 2-(2-aminophenyl)-2-oxoacetic acid ( $1 \times 10^{-4}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) and UV-Vis spectrum of **B** ( $1 \times 10^{-4}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) after addition TBAOH in DMSO.



**Figure S7.** Effect of water on **B** UV-Vis spectra  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  in the presence of TBAOH  $(1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  in DMSO.



**Figure S8.** Effect of water on UV-Vis spectra 1-metyl-5-nitroisatin ( $1 \times 10^{-4}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) in the presence of TBAOH ( $1 \times 10^{-2}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) in DMSO.



**Figure S9.** AgNO<sub>3</sub> effect on UV-Vis spectra of **B**  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  in DMSO.



**Figure S10. B** UV-Vis spectra change  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  with TBAF  $(1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3})$  depending on AgNO<sub>3</sub> concentration in DMSO.



**Figure S11. B** UV-Vis spectra in DMSO in the presence of TBAF ( $1 \times 10^{-3}$  mol.dm<sup>-3</sup>) after CdCl<sub>2</sub>, AgNO<sub>3</sub>, CuI and HgSO<sub>4</sub> addition.



Figure S12. FTIR spectra (ATR) A - E and their azanions



Figure S13. FTIR spectrum of the silver salt of A (ATR spectrum).

Table S1. Calculated bond lengths	A) of structures A	<b>A</b> - <b>E</b> and of their azanions.
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	Α	Aazanion	В	Bazanion	С	Cazanion	D	Dazanion	E	Eazanion
N1-H	1.00763	-	1.00834	-	1.00913	-	1.00819	-	1.00947	-
<b>C</b> <sub>2</sub> - <b>N</b> <sub>1</sub>	1.37969	1.35211	1.38667	1.36918	1.38284	1.35777	1.38617	1.37576	1.37717	1.35345
C2-O	1.19550	1.21998	1.19223	1.21115	1.20308	1.22498	1.20073	1.21691	1.20324	1.22528
C2-C3	1.56764	1.58531	1.56581	1.57919	1.56890	1.58737	1.56901	1.59239	1.56607	1.58466
С3-О	1.19476	1.20623	1.19252	1.20285	1.20477	1.21400	1.20607	1.21988	1.20302	1.21352
C₃-C9	1.47322	1.46741	1.47680	1.46826	1.46235	1.46096	1.46545	1.44472	1.48125	1.47533
<b>C</b> 9- <b>C</b> 4	1.38283	1.37975	1.37793	1.36787	1.39744	1.38759	1.43228	1.42157	1.40112	1.39909
C4-O	-	-	-	-	1.33998	1.36270	-	-	-	-
O-CH₃	-	-	-	-	1.41678	1.40464	-	-	-	-
C4-C5	1.38992	1.39311	1.38637	1.39795	1.40411	1.40506	1.41481	1.42356	1.40381	1.40228
C₅-N	-	-	1.46902	1.43231	-	-	-	-	-	-
N-O	-	-	1.21222	1.22580	-	-	-	-	-	-
N-O	-	-	1.21330	1.22747	-	-	-	-	-	-
C5-C6	1.39246	1.39998	1.38936	1.40682	1.40103	1.40960	1.46719	1.47271	1.39290	1.40307
C6-O	-	-	-	-	1.34937	1.37430	-	-	-	-
O-CH₃	-	-	-	-	1.41623	1.40460	-	-	-	-
C6-C7	1.39370	1.38722	1.38770	1.37285	1.40632	1.38868	1.42081	1.41731	1.39711	1.38717
C7-C8	1.38173	1.40583	1.38570	1.41722	1.37739	1.40552	1.42976	1.45425	1.38474	1.41092
C8-C9	1.39827	1.41907	1.40224	1.43186	1.40875	1.43192	1.37219	1.40523	1.40812	1.43027
C <sub>8</sub> -N <sub>1</sub>	1.40099	1.37003	1.39082	1.34657	1.39688	1.36400	1.39677	1.34718	1.40115	1.36753
C4-C10	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.40937	1.41323	1.48382	1.48756
C10-C11	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.37714	1.37882	1.40025	1.40107
C11-C12	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.40886	1.40654	-	-
C <sub>12</sub> -N <sub>13</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.31974	1.32345	-	-
N13-C5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.34576	1.34424	-	-
C <sub>6</sub> -N <sub>14</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.34651	1.34965	-	-

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N14-C15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.31934	1.32276	-	-
C15-C16	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.40900	1.40436	-	-
C16-C17	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.37510	1.38096	-	-
C17-C7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.40817	1.40101		
C11-C18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.39202	1.39330
C18-C19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.39357	1.39375
C19-C20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.39429	1.39496
C <sub>20</sub> -C <sub>21</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.39103	1.39165
C21-C10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.39897	1.40039

Table S2. Calculated charge densities of atoms in structures A - E and of their azanions.

	Α	A <sub>azanion</sub>	В	Bazanion	С	<b>C</b> azanion	D	Dazanion	E	Eazanion
N-H	0.318	-	0.327		0.321	-	0.300	-	0.320	-
N1	-0.335	-0.581	-0.321	-0.528	-0.368	-0.585	-0.313	-0.589	-0.314	-0.563
C <sub>2</sub>	0.440	0.516	0.442	0.515	0.391	0.552	0.375	0.428	0.433	0.546
<b>O-</b> C <sub>2</sub>	-0.491	-0.622	-0.467	-0.569	-0.498	-0.516	-0.461	-0.560	-0.497	-0.622
C₃	0.180	-0.031	0.335	0.161	0.312	-0.030	0.388	0.316	-0.014	-0.188
<b>O</b> -C₃	-0.450	-0.509	-0.436	-0.489	-0.495	-0.545	-0.469	-0.551	-0.429	-0.491
<b>C</b> <sub>4</sub>	-0.368	-0.213	-0.636	-0.436	0.541	0.327	1.099	1.059	0.555	0.543
C4-O	-	-	-	-	-0.325	-0.346	-	-	-	-
O-CH₃	-	-	-	-	-0.307	-0.345	-	-	-	-
C₅	-0.107	-0.162	0.210	0.147	0.47	0.428	-0.678	-0.760	-0.384	-0.416
<b>C</b> <sub>6</sub>	-0.153	-0.164	-0.013	-0.003	-0.161	-0.127	-0.516	-0.491	0.264	-0.288
C6-O	-	-	-	-	-0.306	-0.335	-	-	-	-
O-CH₃	-	-	-	-	-0.307	-0.295	-	-	-	-
<b>C</b> <sub>7</sub>	-0.348	-0.154	-0.591	-0.388	-0.384	-0.859	1.151	0.856	-0.699	-0.530
<b>C</b> <sub>8</sub>	-0.516	-0.617	-0.485	-0.604	-0.467	-0.418	0.028	0.129	-0.274	-0.365
<b>C</b> 9	1.190	0.964	1.380	1.108	0.153	0.800	0.119	-0.084	1.23	1.102
<b>C</b> <sub>10</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.624	-0.584	0.837	0.784
<b>C</b> 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.435	-0.421	-0.430	-0.401
<b>C</b> <sub>12</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.006	-0.029	-	-
N13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.232	-0.255	-	-
<b>N</b> 14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.205	-0.239	-	-
<b>C</b> 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.099	0.094	-	-
<b>C</b> <sub>16</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.234	-0.368	-	-
<b>C</b> 17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.371	0.090	-	-
<b>C</b> <sub>18</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.230	-0.222
<b>C</b> 19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.229	-0.248
C <sub>20</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.251	-0.247
<b>C</b> <sub>21</sub>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.609	-0.570



Figure S14. Calculated UV-Vis spectra of isatin derivatives (A-E) and their respective azanions.