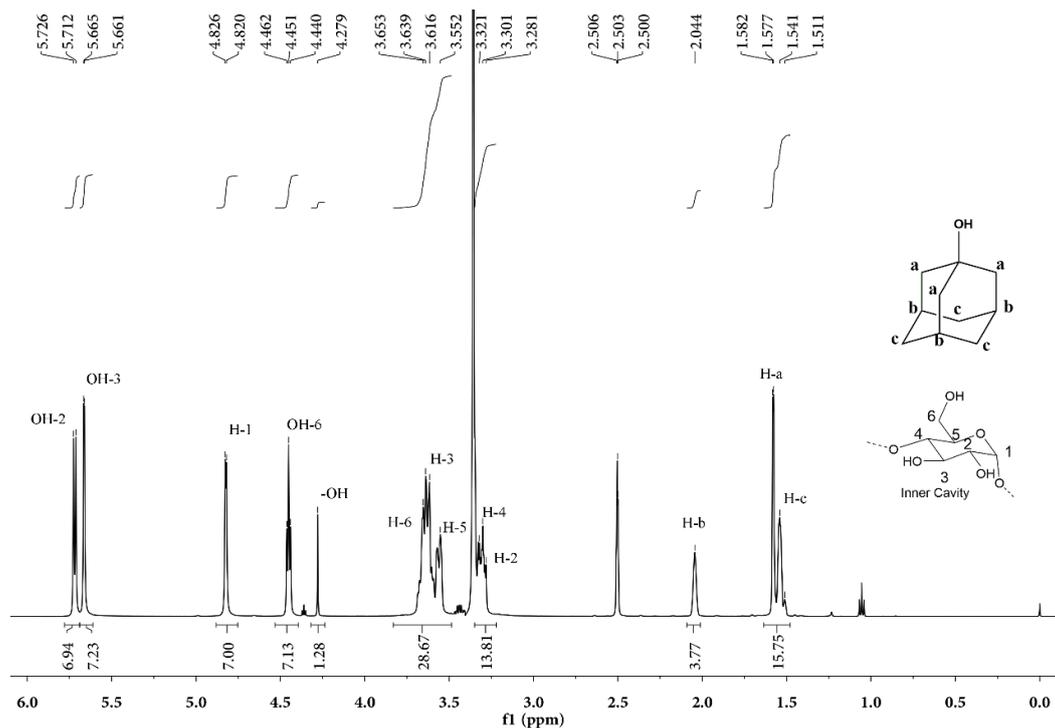


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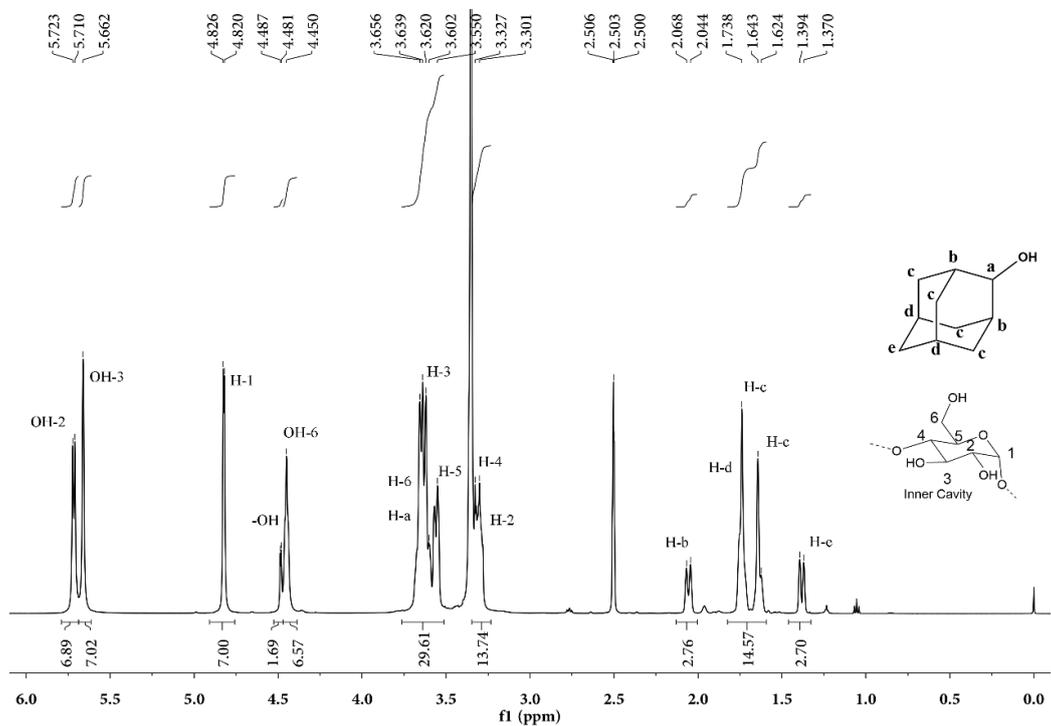
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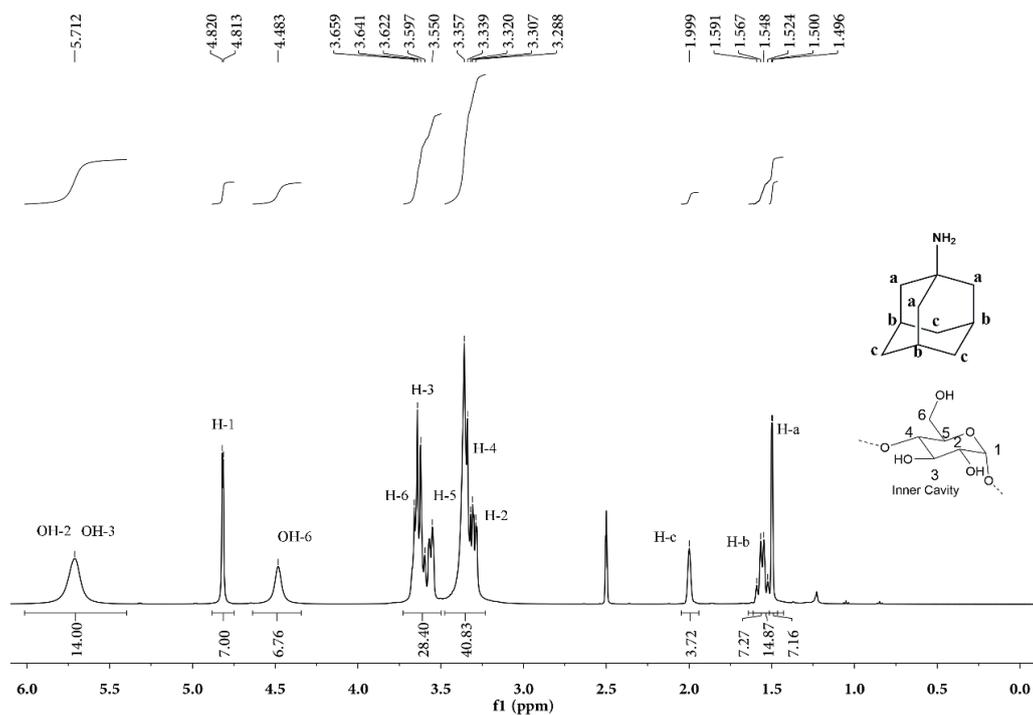
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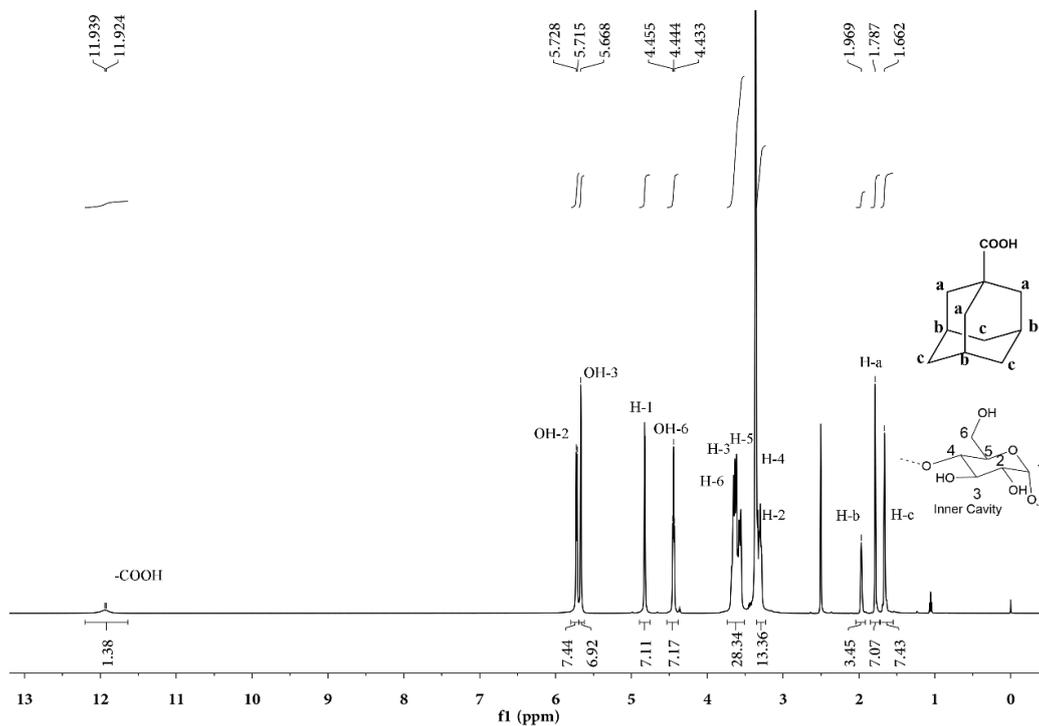
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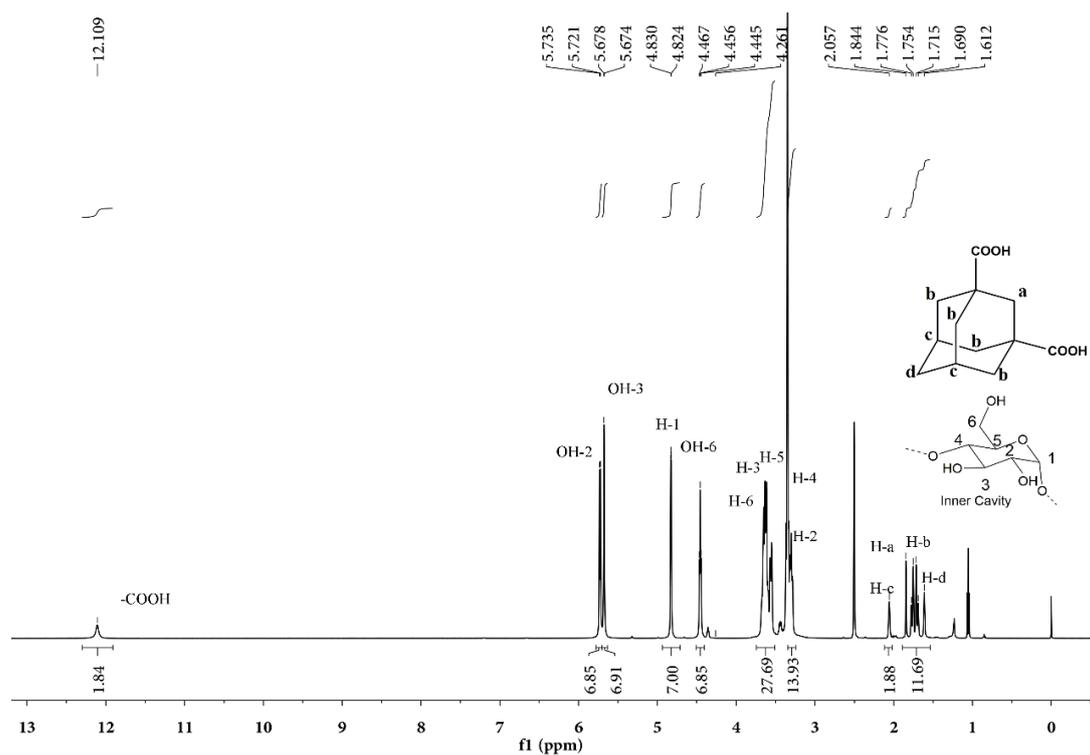


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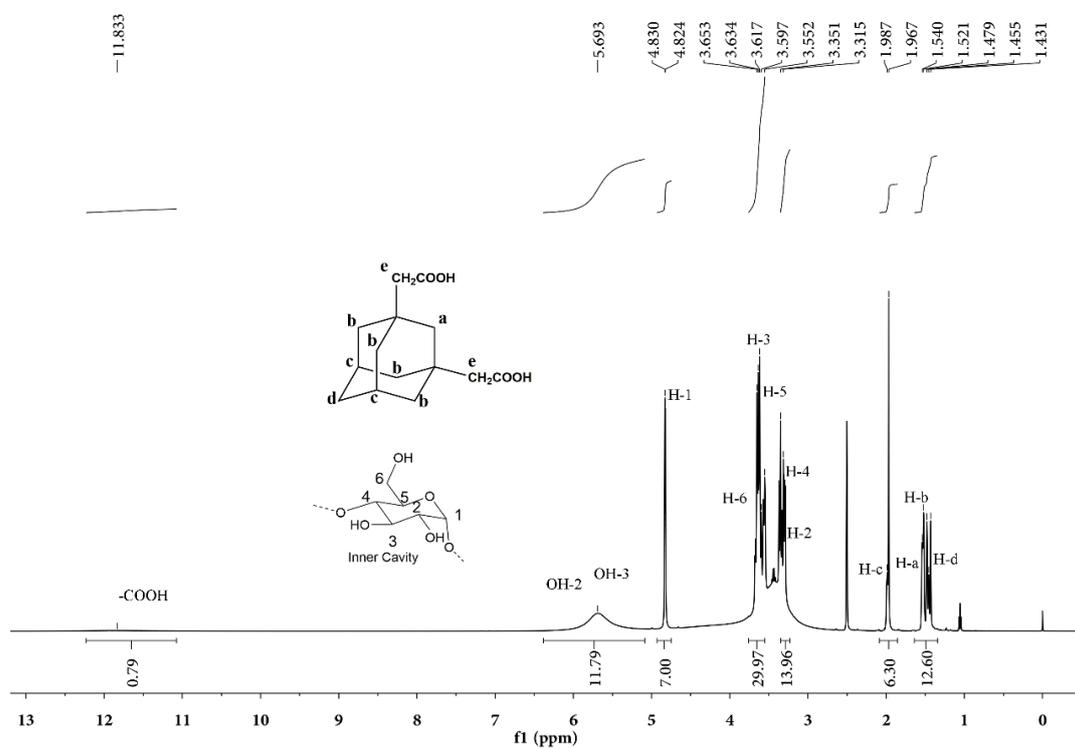
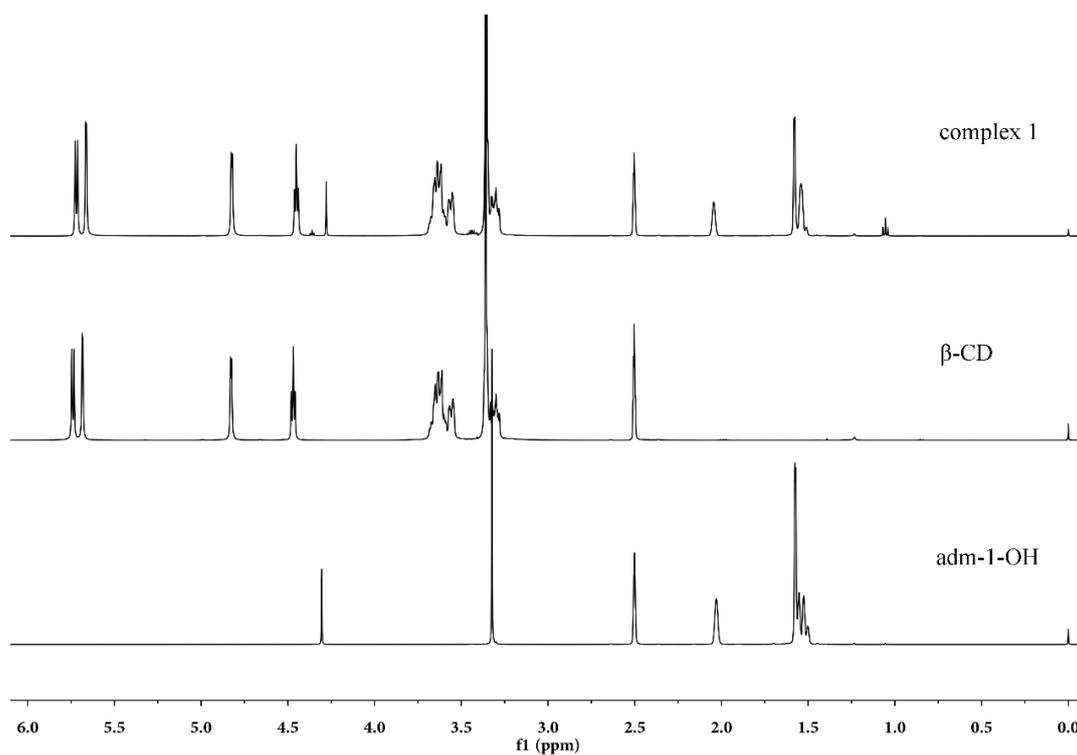
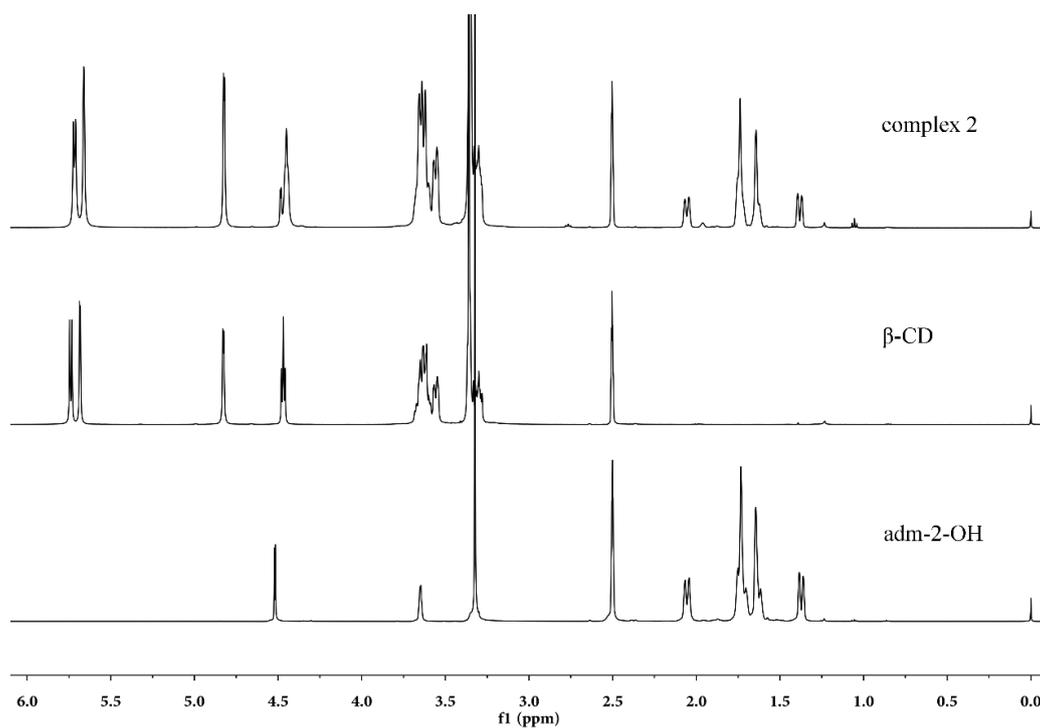


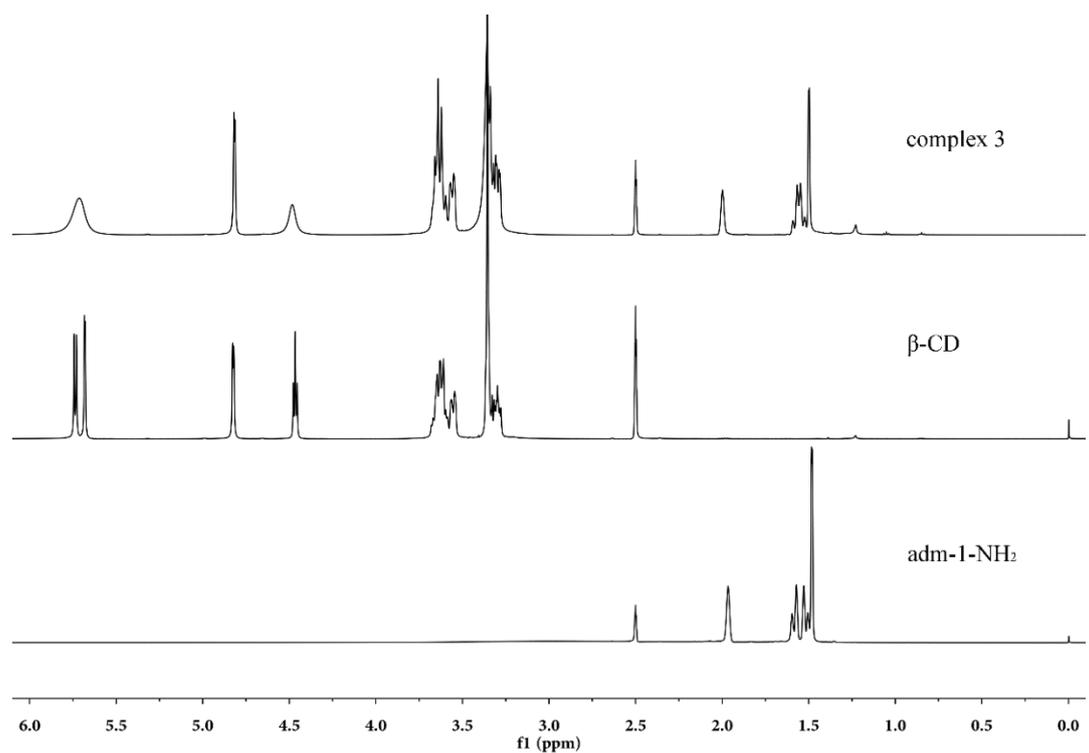
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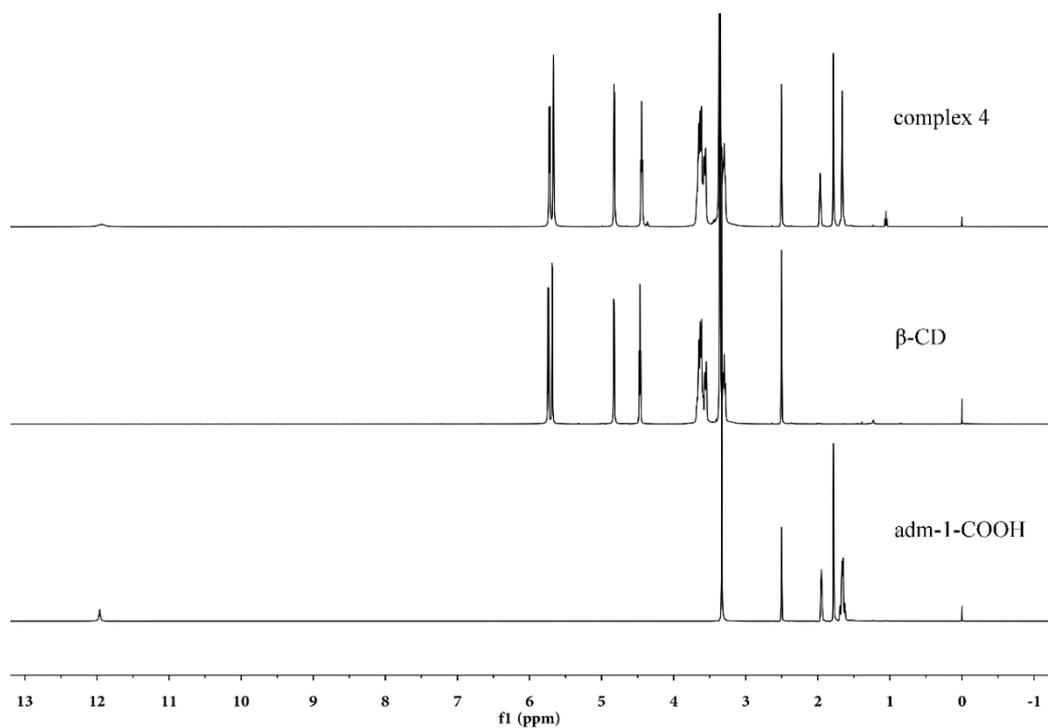
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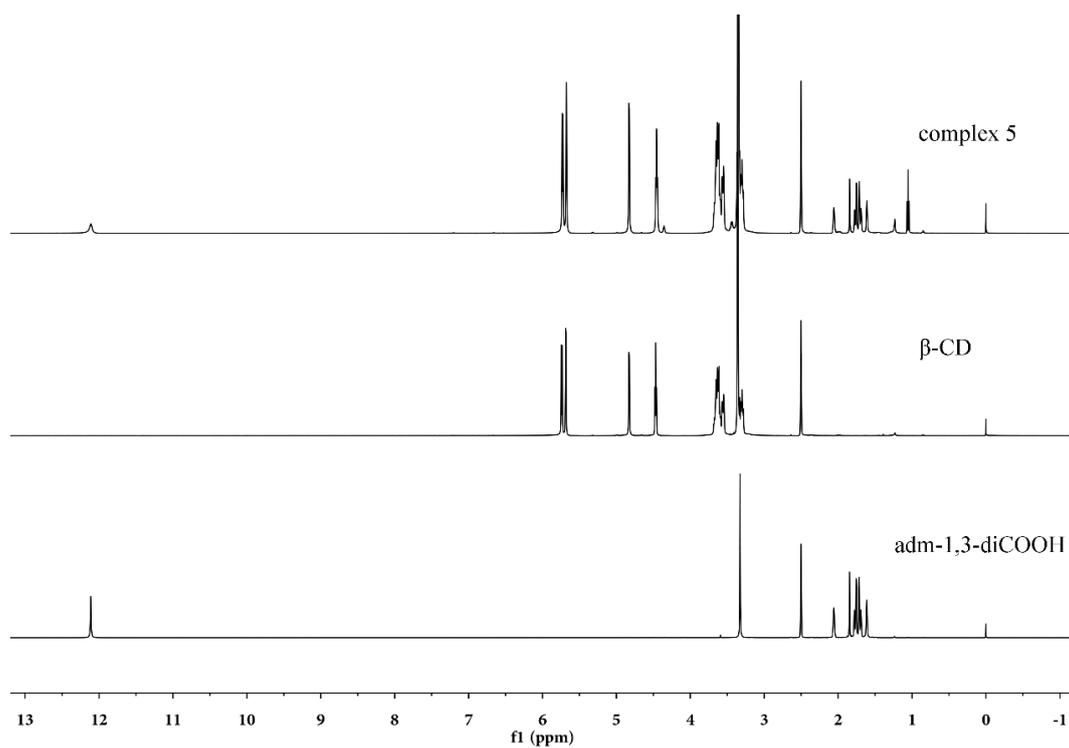
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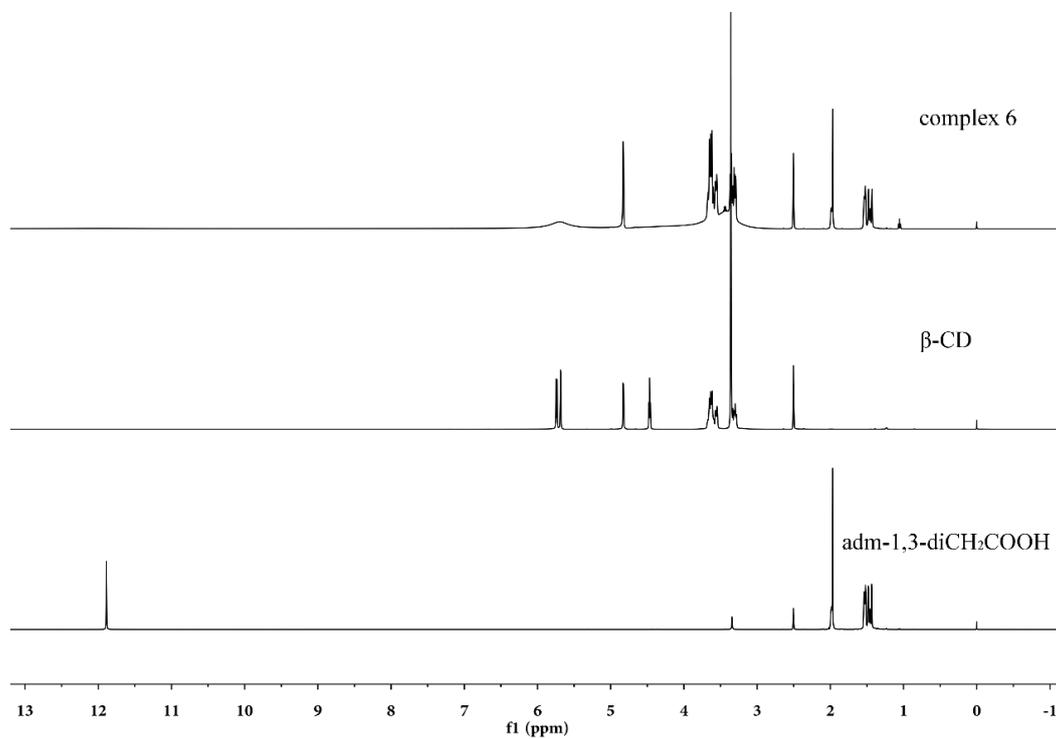
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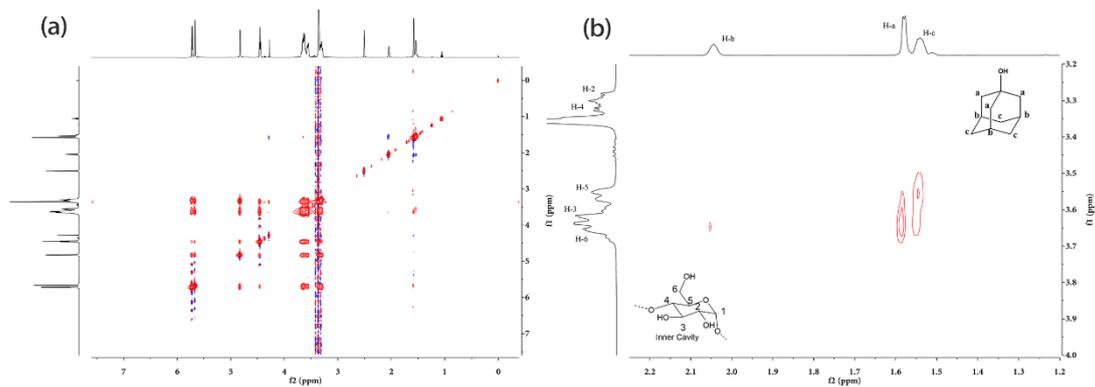
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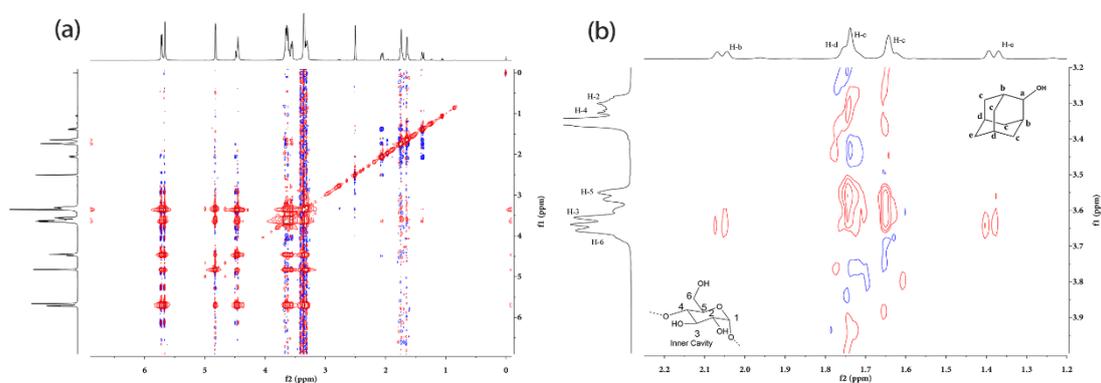
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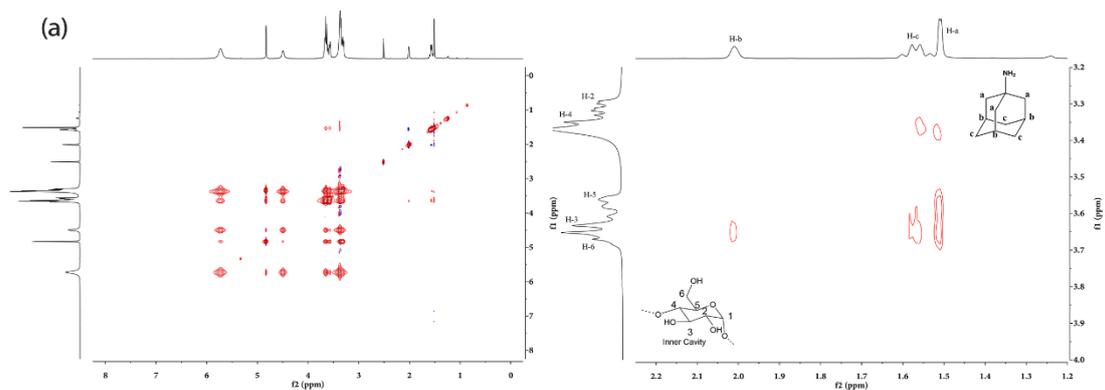
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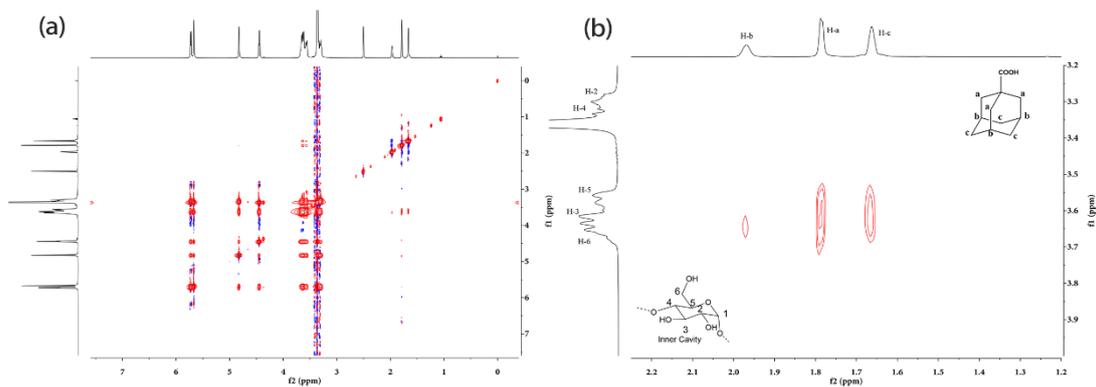
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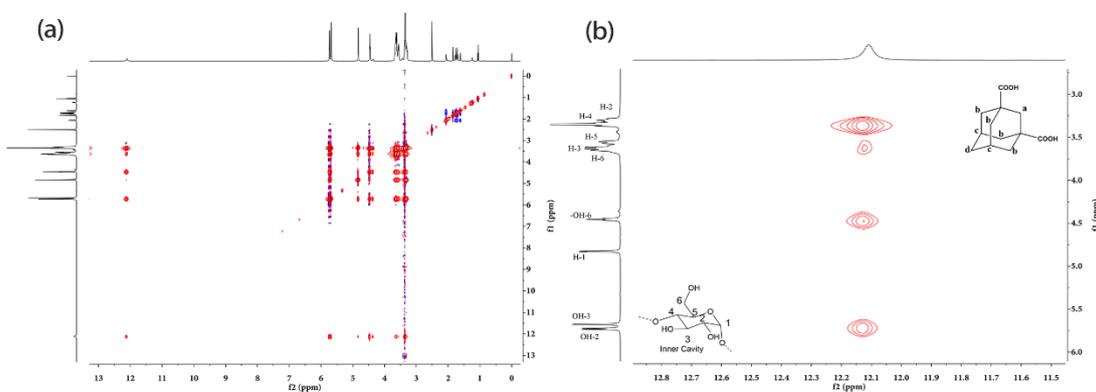
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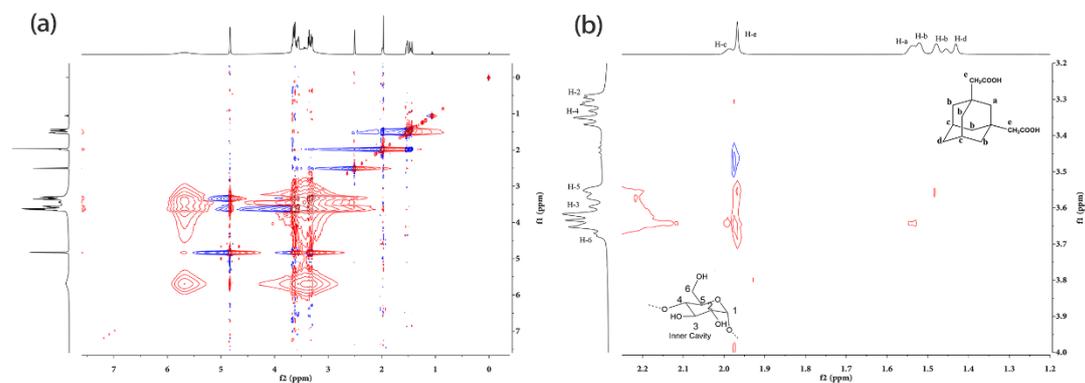
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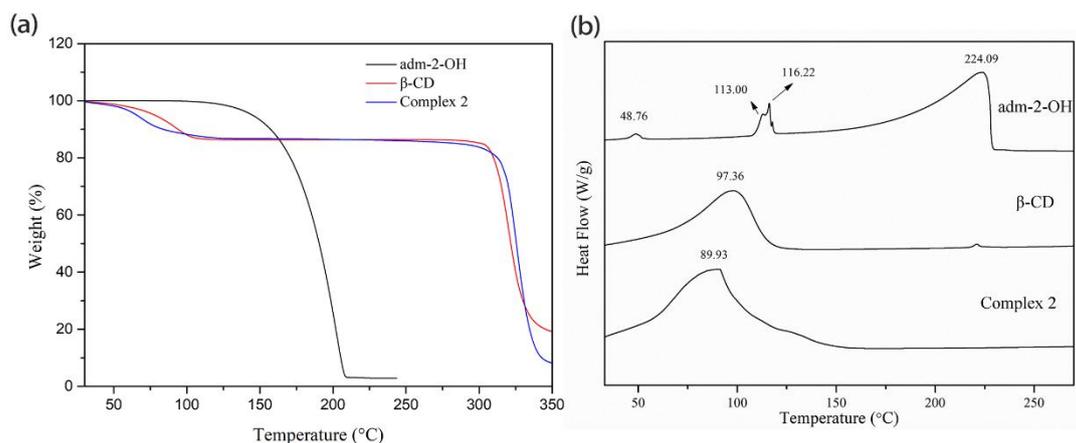
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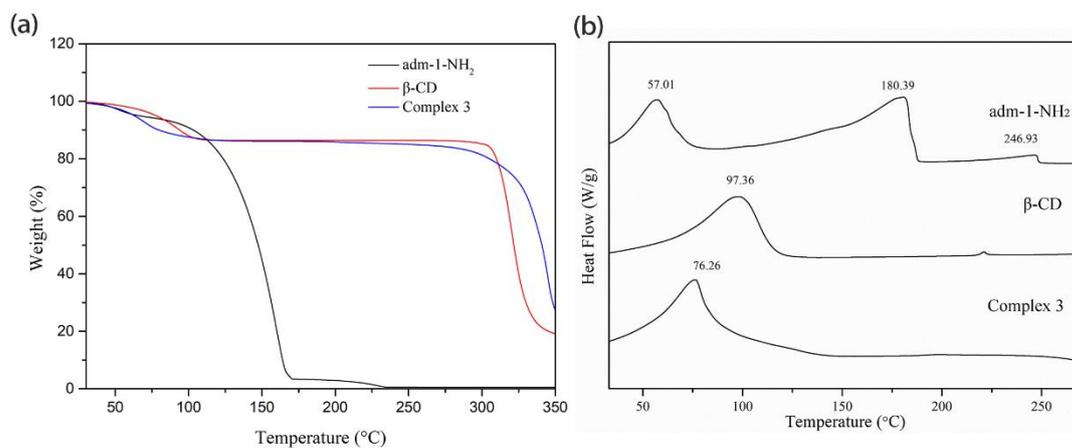
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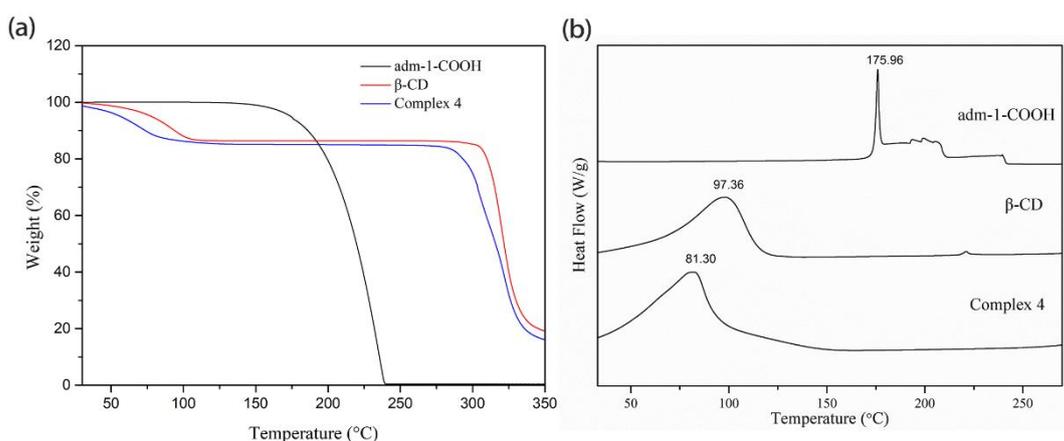
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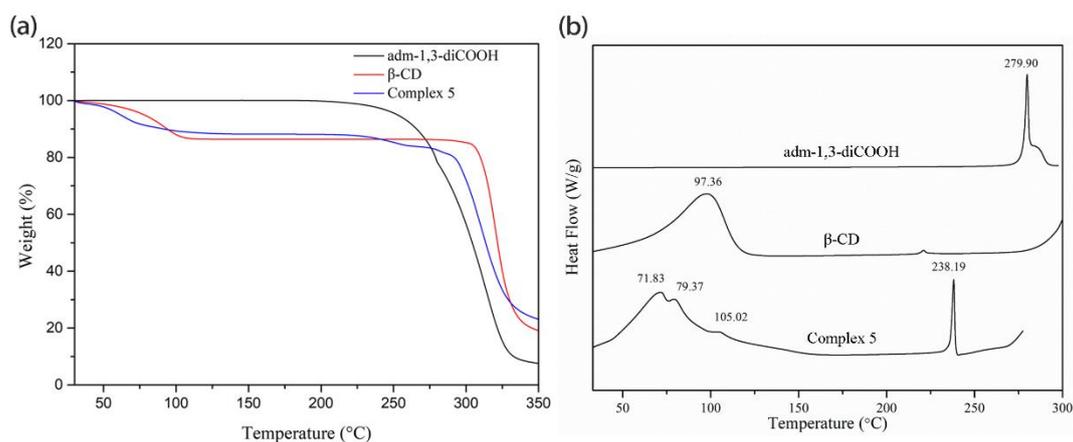
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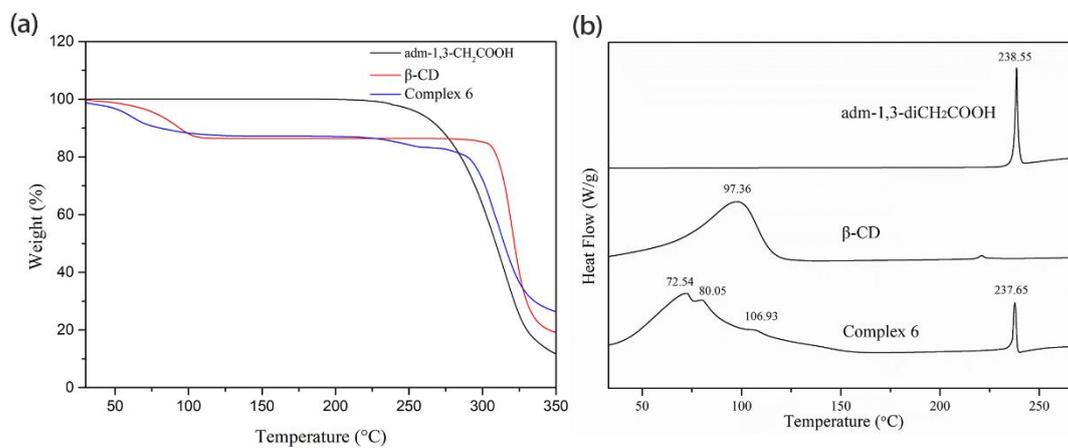
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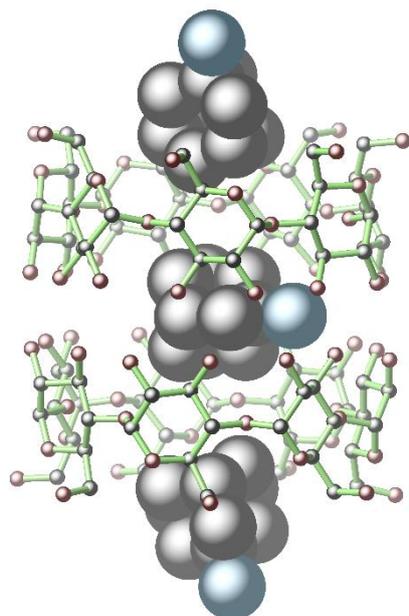
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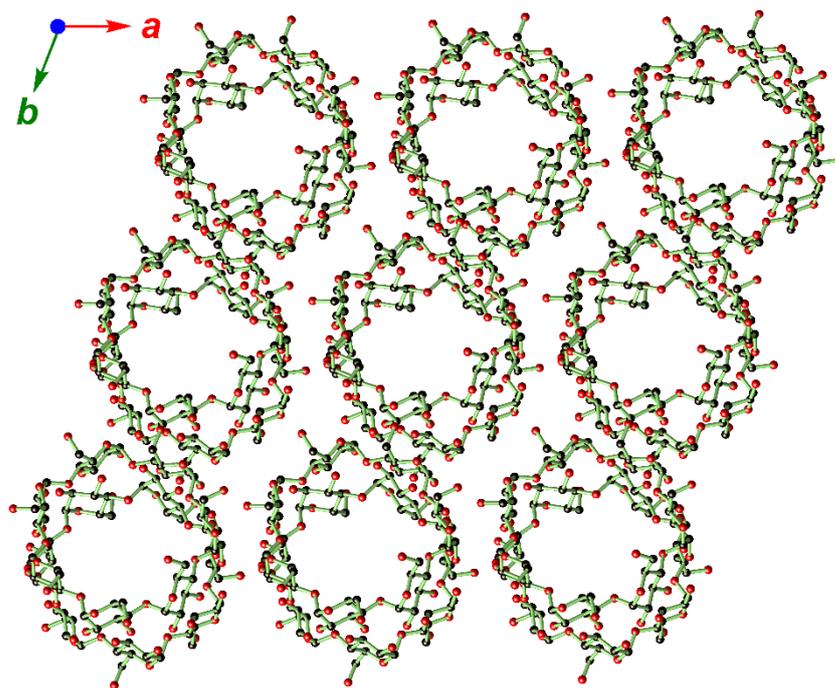
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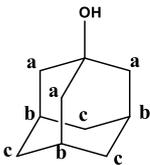


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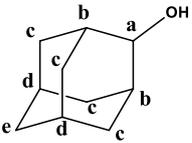
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Adamantane Derivative 1	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	1.5739	1.5796	0.0057	
	H-b	2.0296	2.0442	0.0146	
	H-c	1.5394	1.5406	0.0012	no split
	-OH	4.3049	4.2786	-0.0263	

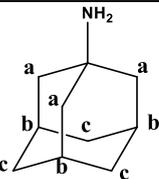
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**Table S2.** Chemical shifts of adamantane derivative **2** with/without complexation with  $\beta$ -CD (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Adamantane Derivative 2	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	3.6495	3.6019	-0.0476	
	H-b	2.0549	2.0561	0.0012	
	H-c	1.6889	1.6905	0.0016	
	H-d	1.7029	Merge with peak of 1.7381	0.0352	
	H-e	1.3723	1.3818	0.0095	
	-OH	4.5192	4.4843	-0.0349	

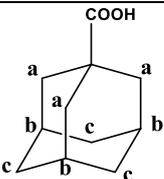
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**Table S3.** Chemical shifts of adamantane derivative **3** with/without complexation with  $\beta$ -CD (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Adamantane Derivative 3	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	1.4813	1.4983	0.017	
	H-b	1.9655	1.9987	0.0332	
	H-c	1.5492	1.5573	0.0081	
	-NH <sub>2</sub>	broad	disappear		

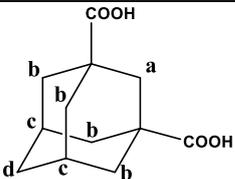
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**Table S4.** Chemical shifts of adamantane derivative **4** with/without complexation with  $\beta$ -CD (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Adamantane Derivative 4	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	1.7836	1.7874	0.0038	
	H-b	1.9526	1.9688	0.0162	
	H-c	1.6588	1.6624	0.0036	no split
	-COOH	11.9616	11.9389	-0.0227	

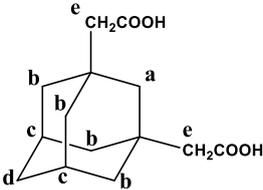
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**Table S5.** Chemical shifts of adamantane derivative **5** with/without complexation with  $\beta$ -CD (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Adamantane Derivative 5	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	1.8453	1.8439	-0.0014	
	H-b	1.7361	1.7343	-0.0018	
	H-c	2.0573	2.0570	-0.0003	
	H-d	1.6132	1.6119	-0.0013	
	-COOH	12.1117	12.1087	-0.0030	

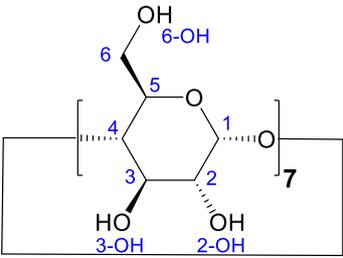
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**Table S6.** Chemical shifts of adamantane derivative **6** with/without complexation with  $\beta$ -CD (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Adamantane Derivative <b>6</b>	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-a	1.5392	1.5396	0.0004	Merge with peak H-b
	H-b	1.5011	1.5003	-0.0008	
	H-c	1.9866	1.9873	0.0007	
	H-d	1.4352	1.4311	-0.0041	
	H-e	1.9692	1.9674	-0.0018	
	-COOH	11.8876	11.8325	-0.0551	

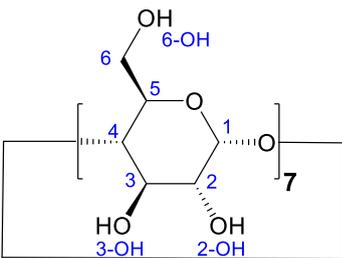
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**Table S7.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **1** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex <b>1</b>	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8231	-0.0039	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6161	0.0044	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5614	0.0033	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.7189	-0.0203	
	3-OH	5.6841	5.6632	-0.0209	
	6-OH	4.4690	4.4511	-0.0179	

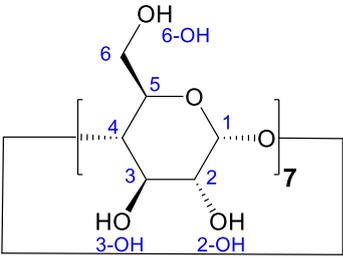
$$a. \Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$$

**Table S8.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **2** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex <b>2</b>	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8231	-0.0039	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6196	0.0079	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5597	0.0016	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.7165	-0.0227	
	3-OH	5.6841	5.6616	-0.0225	Doblet to siglet
	6-OH	4.4690	4.4497	-0.0193	Triplet to pro-siglet peak

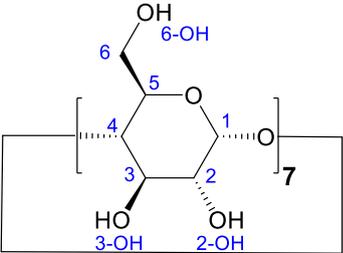
$$a. \Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$$

**Table S9.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **3** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex 3	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8168	-0.0102	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6220	0.0103	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5598	0.0017	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.7116	-0.0276	Fused into one peak
	3-OH	5.6841	5.7116	0.0275	
	6-OH	4.4690	4.4829	0.0139	Doublet to singlet

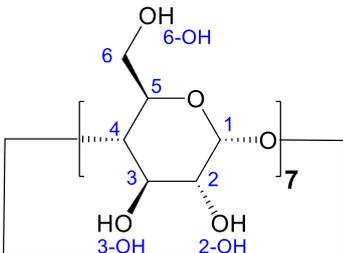
a.  $\Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$ .

**Table S10.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **4** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex 4	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8237	-0.0033	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6145	0.0028	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5689	0.0108	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.7214	-0.0178	Doublet peak to singlet
	3-OH	5.6841	5.6677	-0.0164	
	6-OH	4.4690	4.4445	-0.0245	

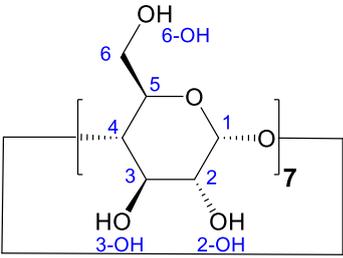
a.  $\Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$ .

**Table S11.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **5** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex 5	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8272	0.0002	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6134	0.0017	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5597	0.0016	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.7283	-0.0109	No peak shape change
	3-OH	5.6841	5.6759	-0.0082	
	6-OH	4.4690	4.4559	-0.0131	

a.  $\Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$ .

**Table S12.** Chemical shifts of  $\beta$ -CD in **6** with/without complexation with adamantane derivative (recorded in DMSO- $d_6$  with TMS as the internal standard) for comparison.

Complex <b>6</b>	Hydrogen	$\delta_{\text{free state}}$	$\delta_{\text{complexed state}}$	$\Delta\delta^a$	Remark
	H-1	4.8270	4.8272	0.0002	
	H-2	/	/		
	H-3	3.6117	3.6168	0.0051	
	H-4	/	/		
	H-5	3.5581	3.5616	0.0035	
	H-6	/	/		
	2-OH	5.7392	5.6927	-0.0465	Fused into one peak
	3-OH	5.6841	5.6927	0.0086	
	6-OH	4.4690	vanish	0.0002	

a.  $\Delta\delta = \delta_{\text{complexed state}} - \delta_{\text{free state}}$ .