

# Supporting Information

## New materials based on cationic porphyrins conjugated to chitosan or titanium dioxide: synthesis, characterization and antimicrobial efficacy

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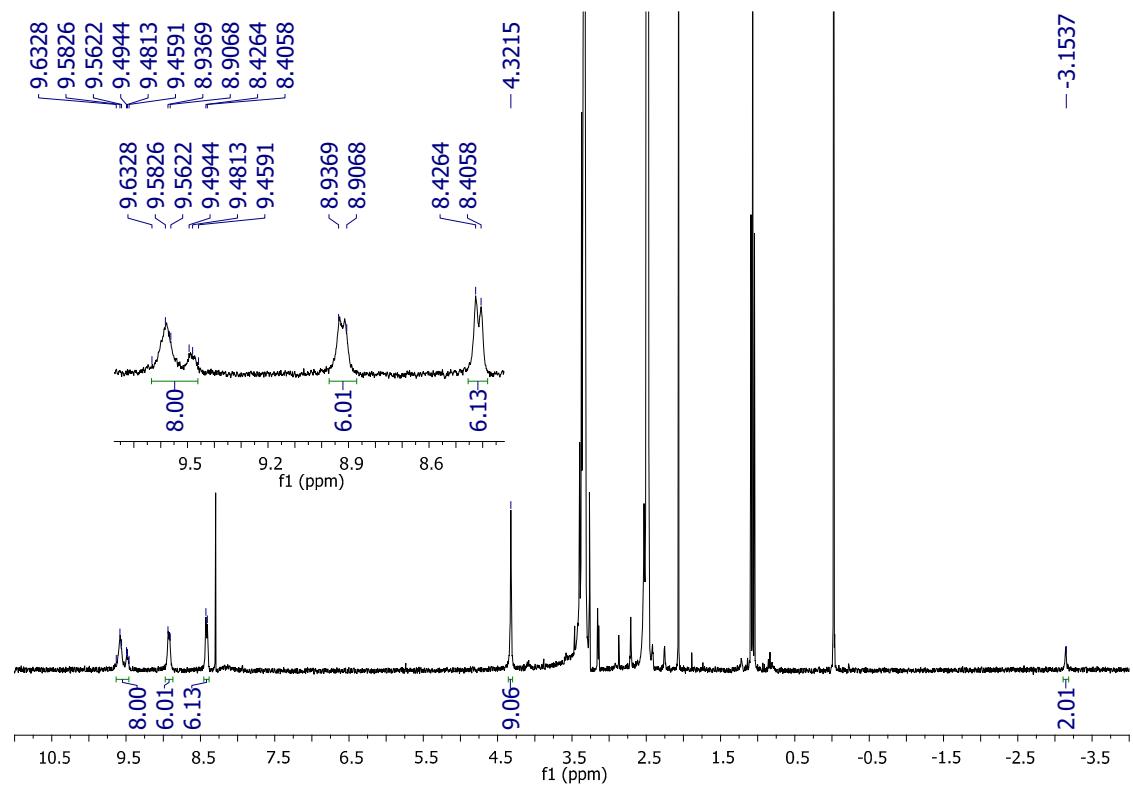
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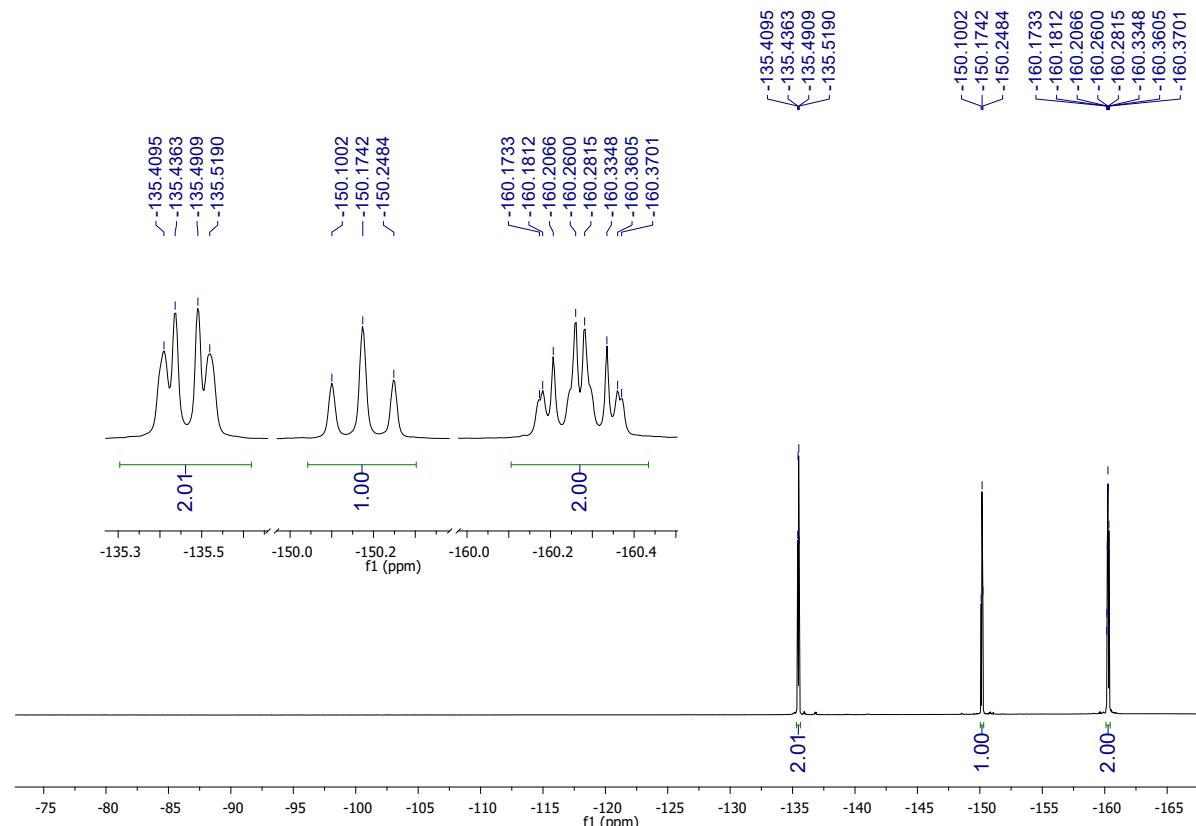
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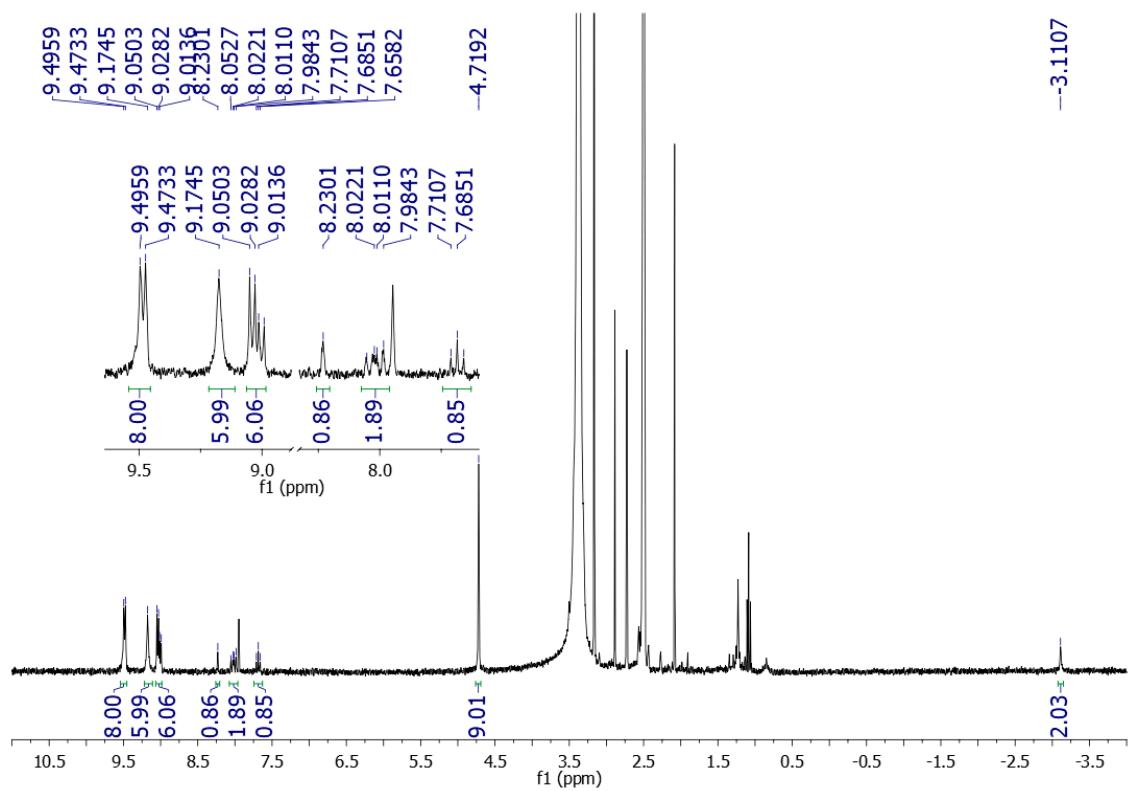
**$^1\text{H}$ ,  $^{13}\text{C}$  and  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR**



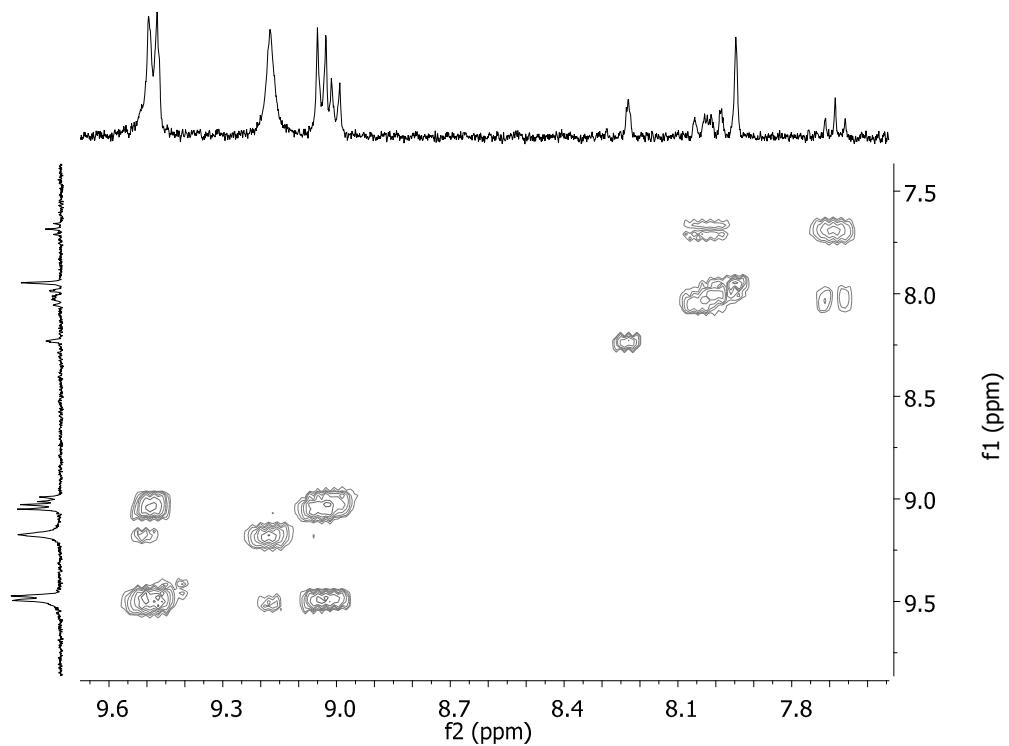
**Figure S1.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **P2** in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ .



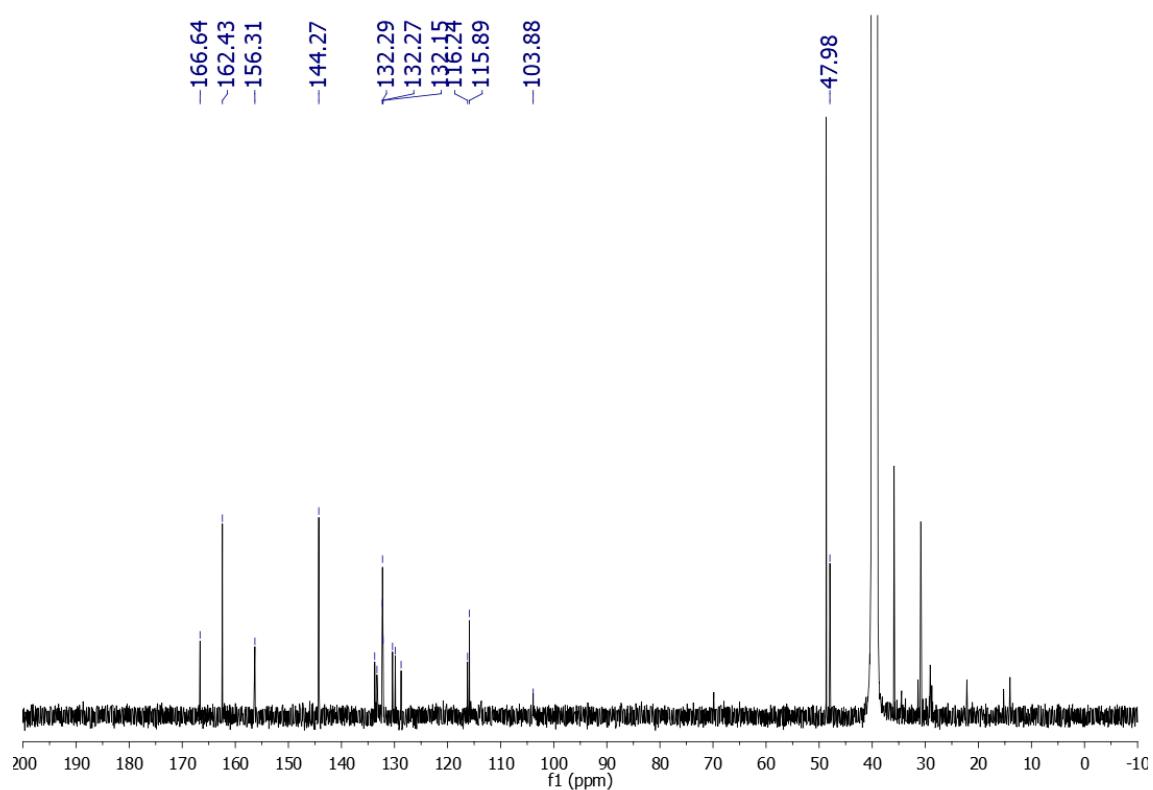
**Figure S2.**  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR spectrum of compound **P2** in  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ .



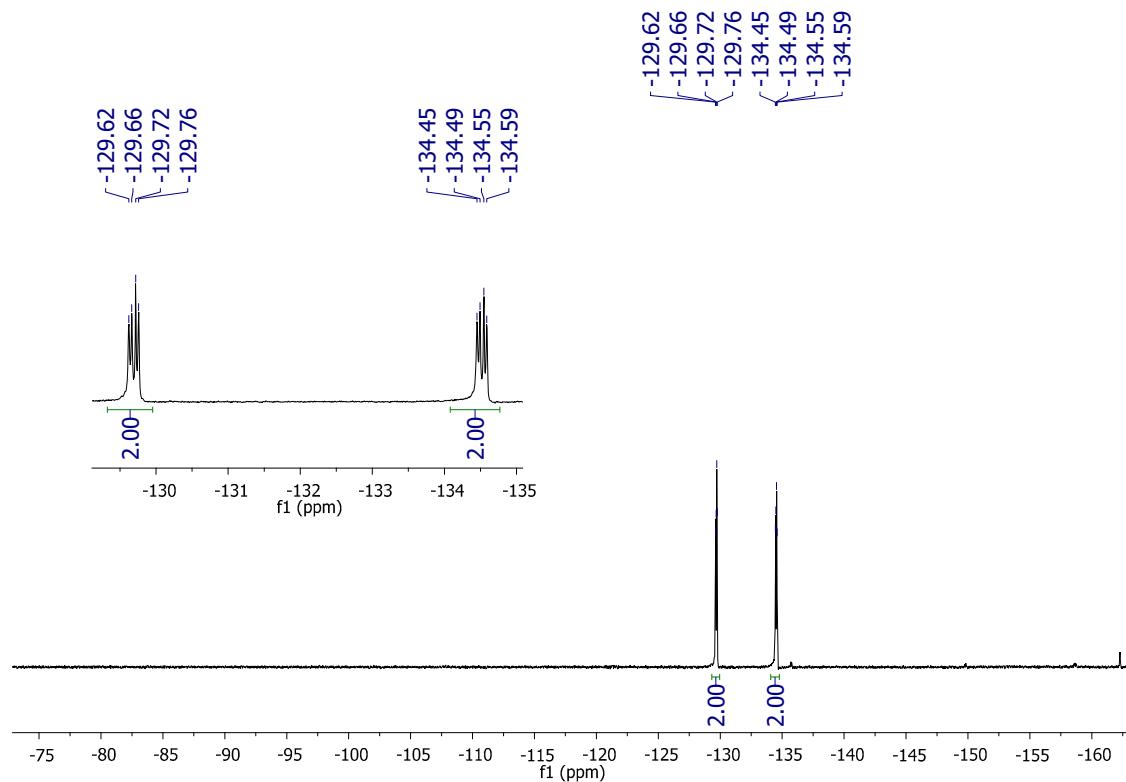
**Figure S3.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **P3** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>.



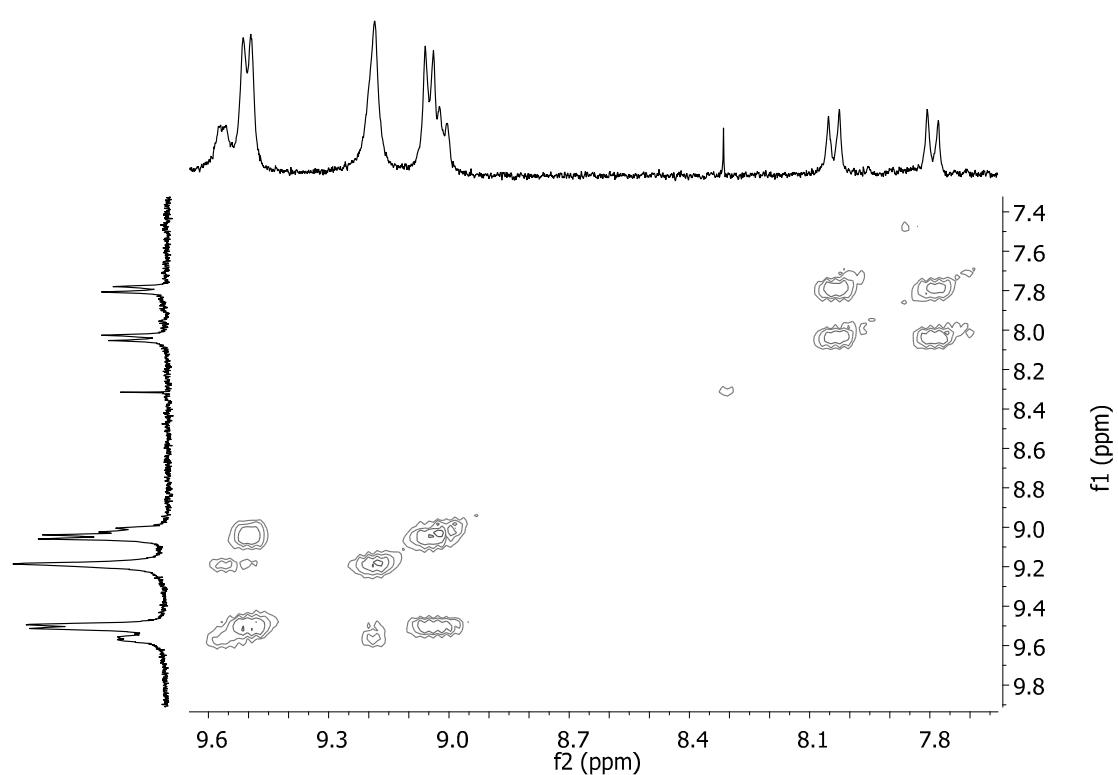
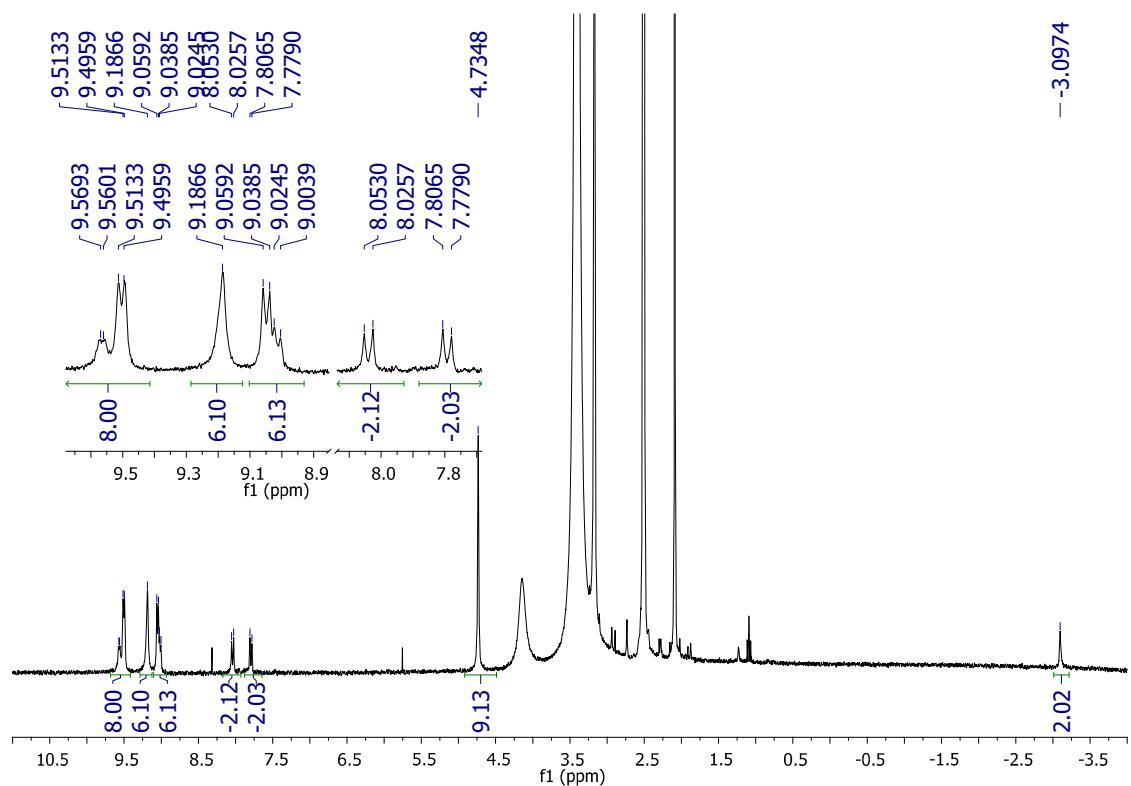
**Figure S4.** Partial COSY spectrum of compound **P3** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>.

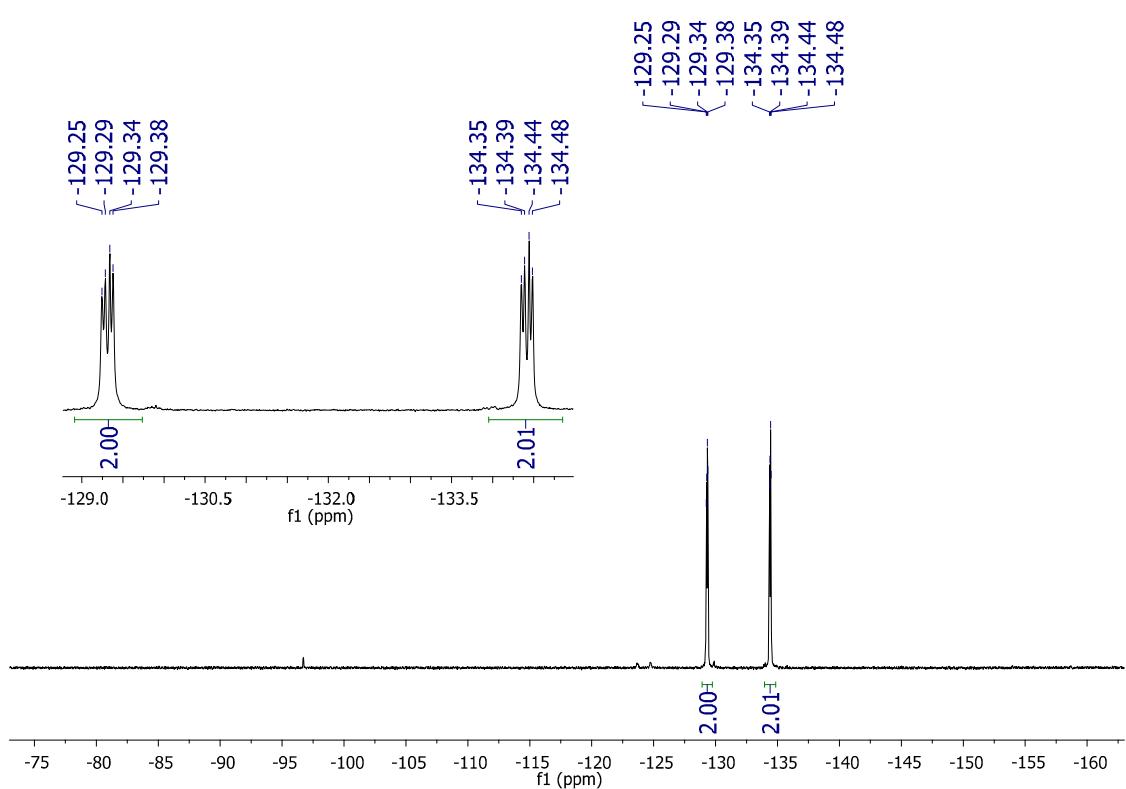
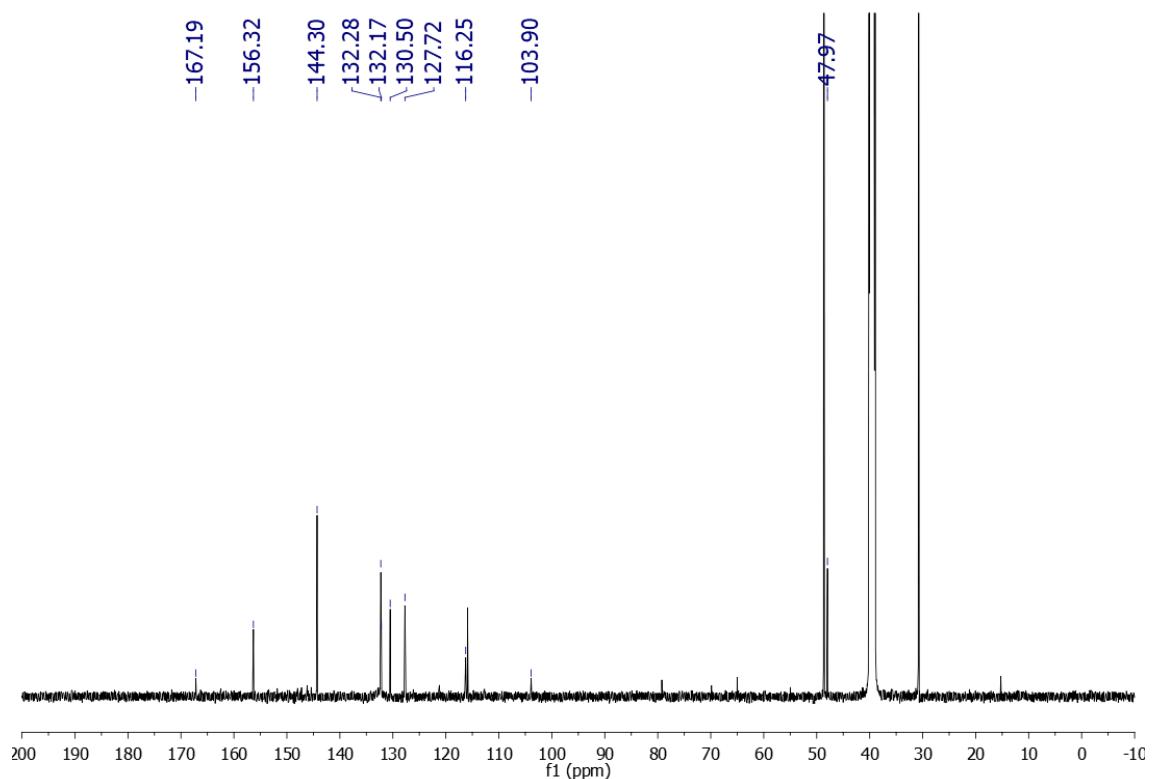


**Figure S5.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound **P3** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>.



**Figure S6.** <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of compound **P3** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>.





## Mass spectrometry

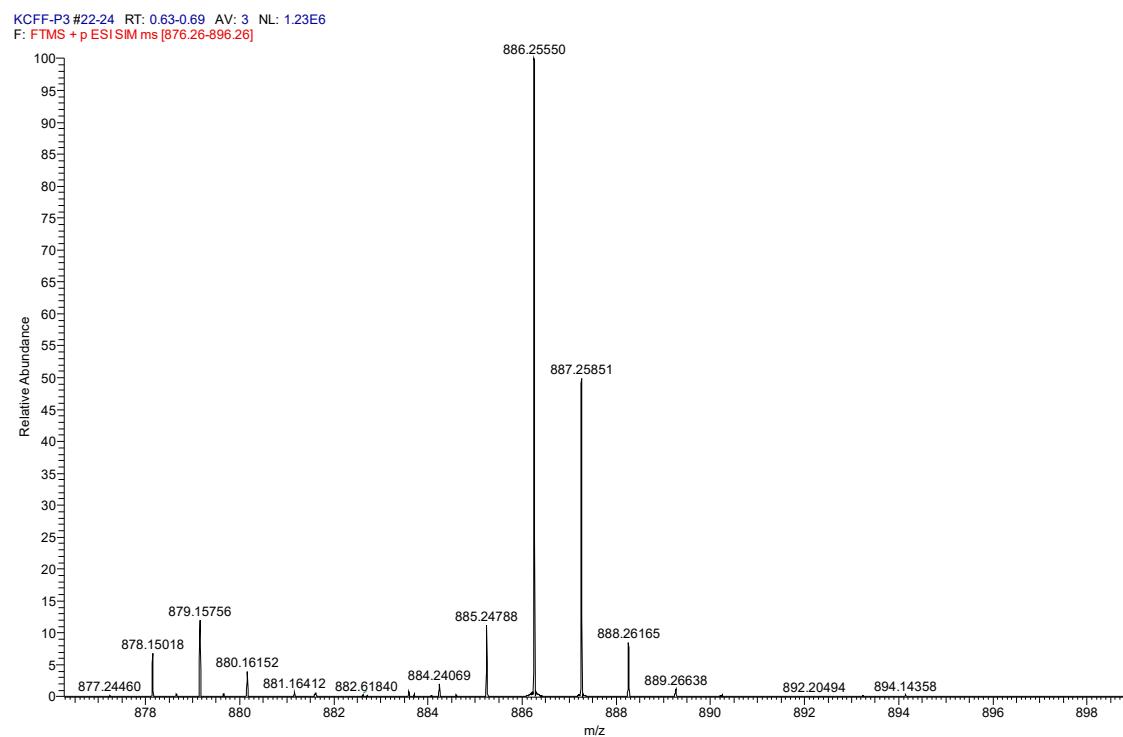


Figure 11. HRMS-ESI(+) spectrum of porphyrin P3.

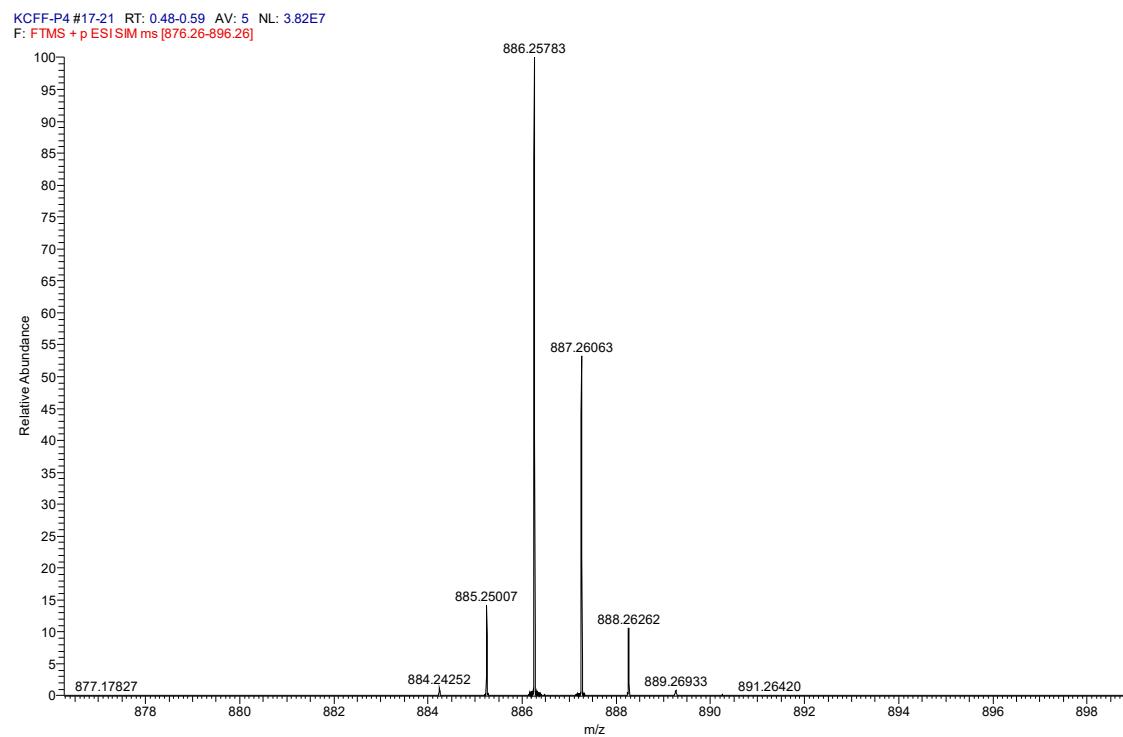
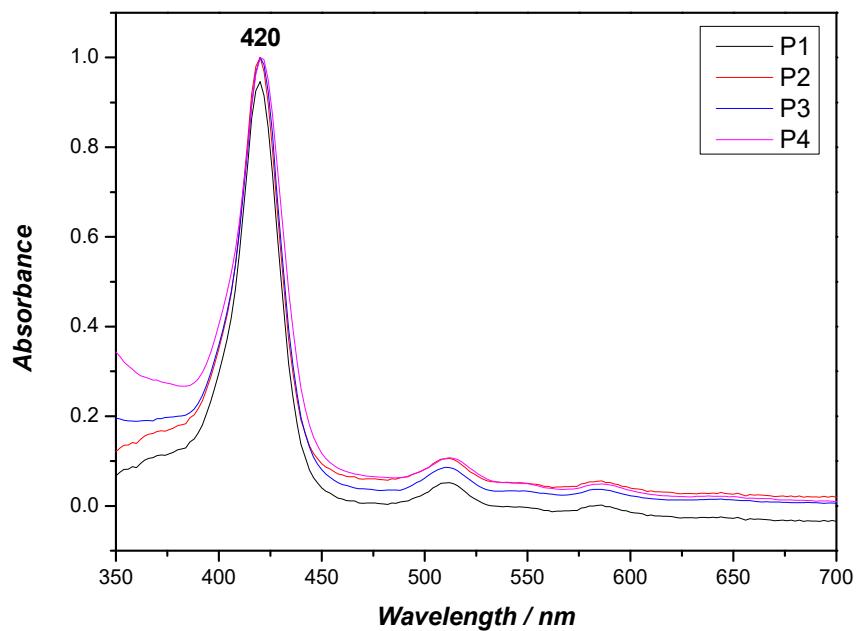
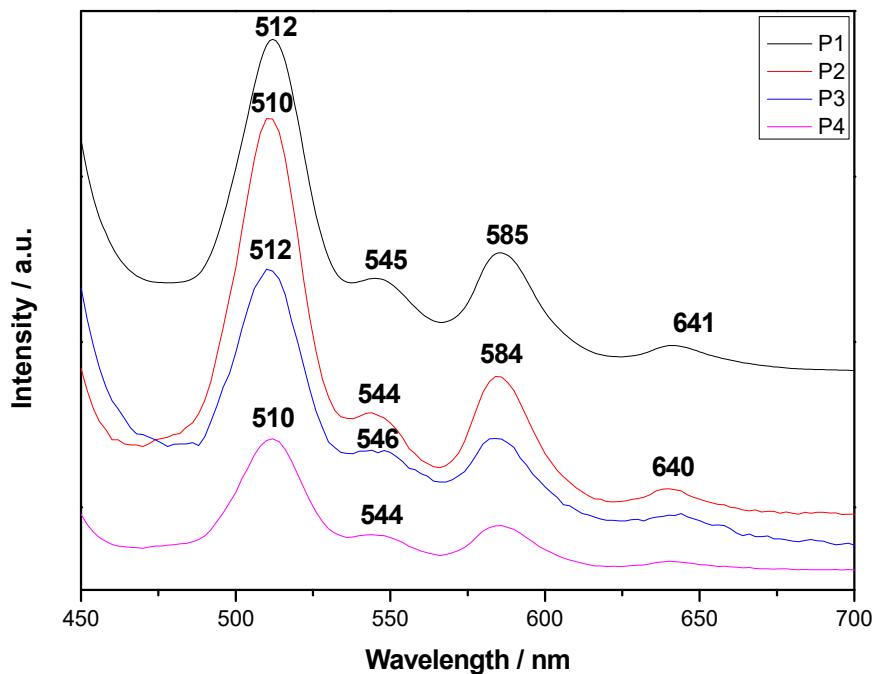


Figure 12. HRMS-ESI(+) spectrum of porphyrin P4.

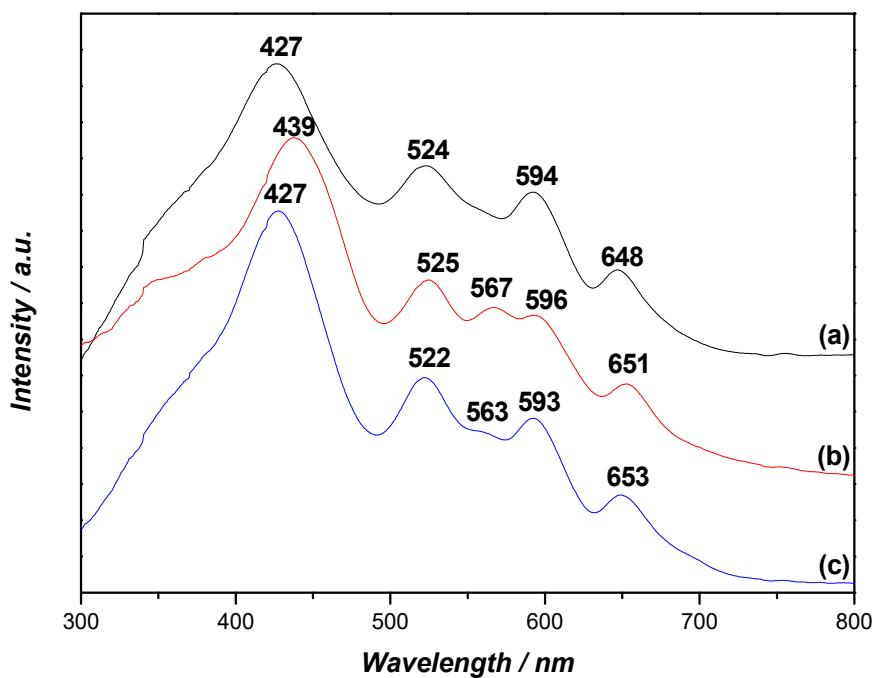
## UV-Vis



**Figure S13.** UV-Vis spectra of porphyrins **P1-P4** in DMF. **P1** (black line), **P2** (red line), **P3** (blue line) and **P4** (pink line).

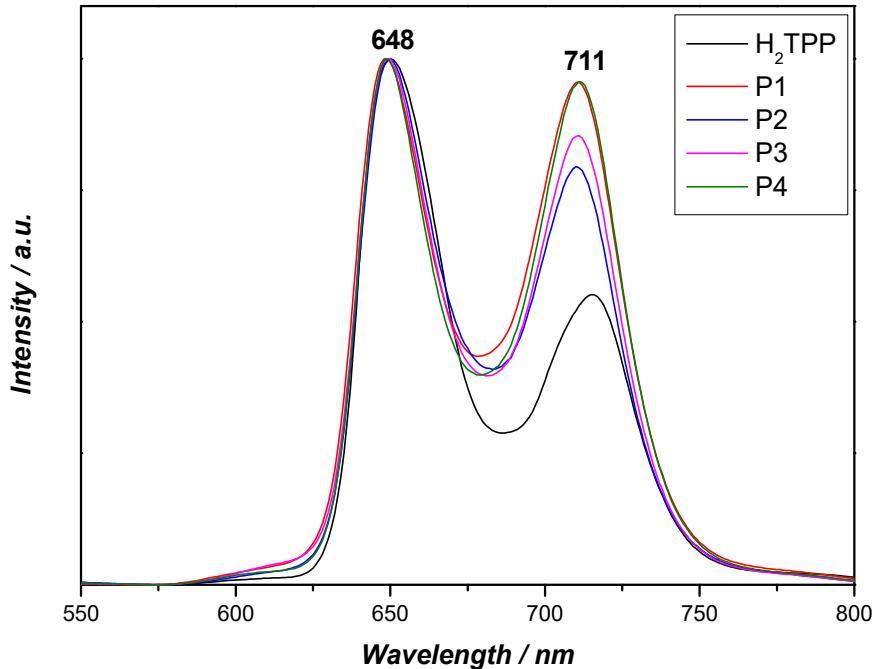


**Figure S14.** UV-Vis spectra of porphyrins **P1-P4** in DMF (the Q-bands). **P1** (black line), **P2** (red line), **P3** (blue line) and **P4** (pink line).

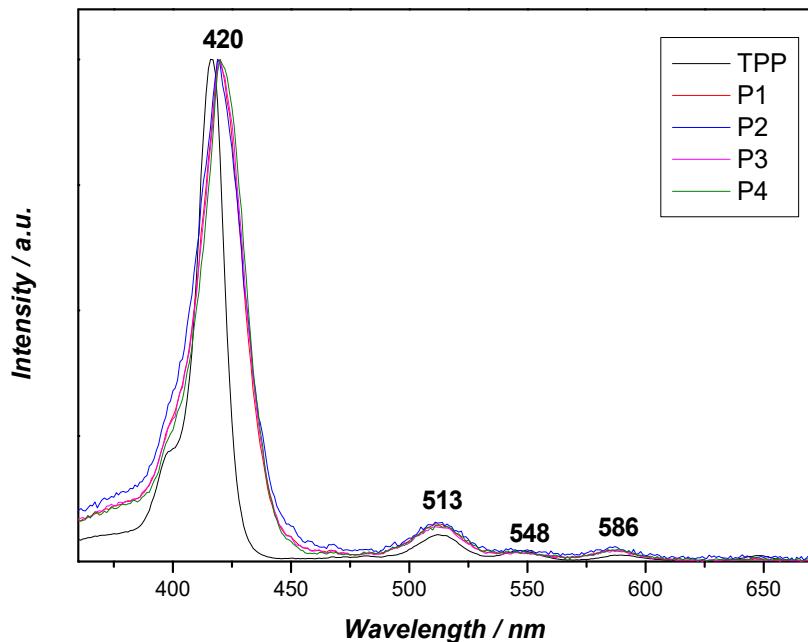


**Figure S15.** UV-Vis spectra of the solid samples: (a) **P2**, (b) **P3** and (c) **P4**.

## Fluorescence

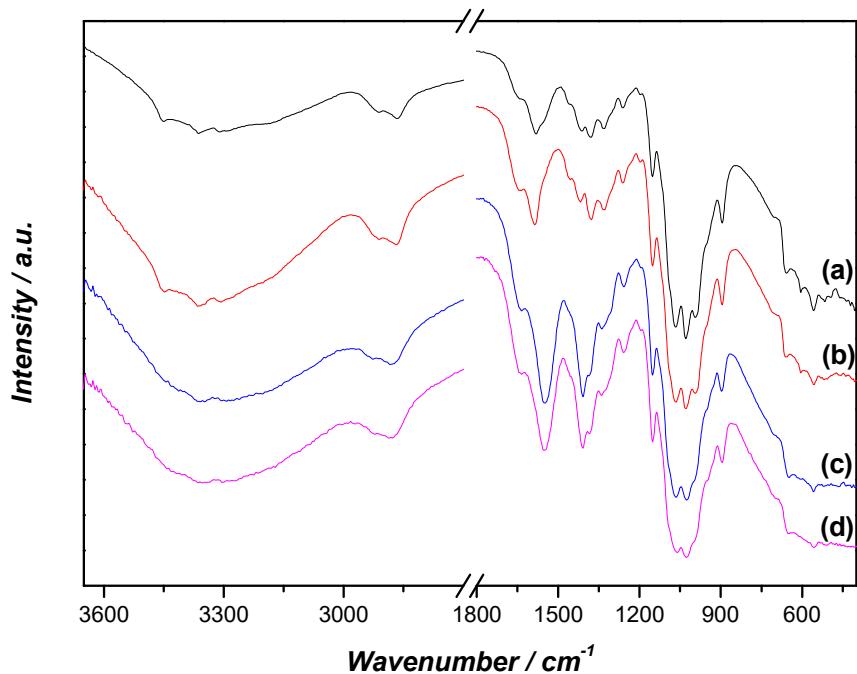


**Figure S16.** Normalized emission spectra of porphyrins **P1-P4** and **H<sub>2</sub>TPP** in DMF:  $\lambda$  excitation at 420 nm. **H<sub>2</sub>TPP** (black line), **P1** (red line), **P2** (blue line) **P3** (pink line) and **P4** (green line).

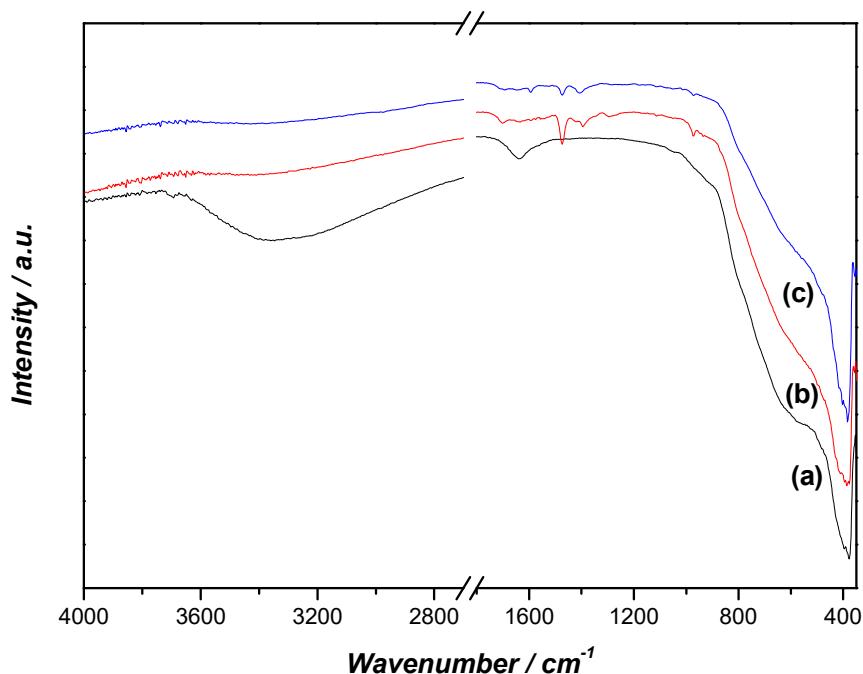


**Figure S17.** Normalized excitation spectra of porphyrins **P1-P4** and **H<sub>2</sub>TPP** in DMF:  $\lambda$  emission at 711 nm. **H<sub>2</sub>TPP** (black line), **P1** (red line), **P2** (blue line) **P3** (pink line) and **P4** (green line).

## ATR-FTIR

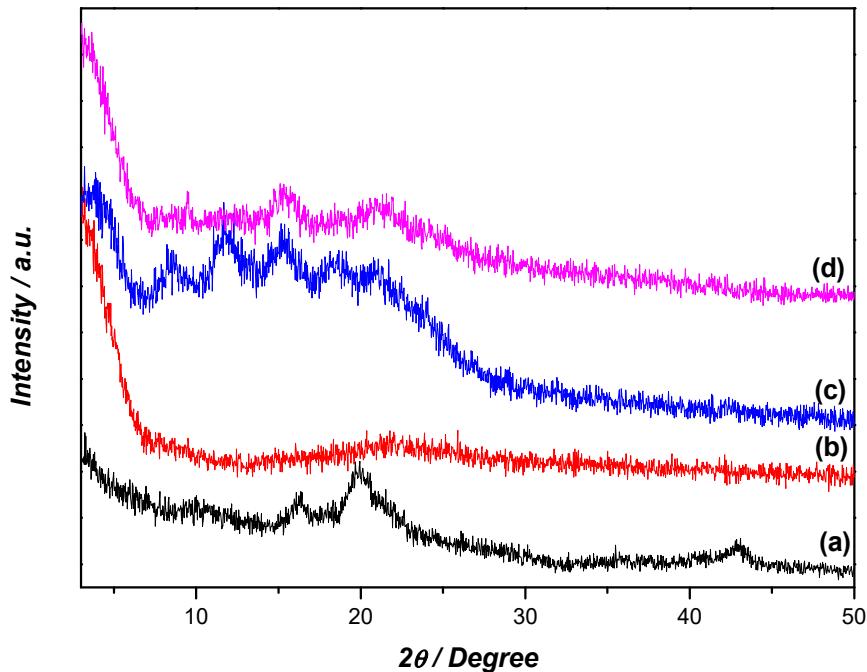


**Figure S18.** ATR-FTIR spectra of (a) **CF**, (b) **P2-CF**, (c) **P3-CF** and (d) **P4-CF**.

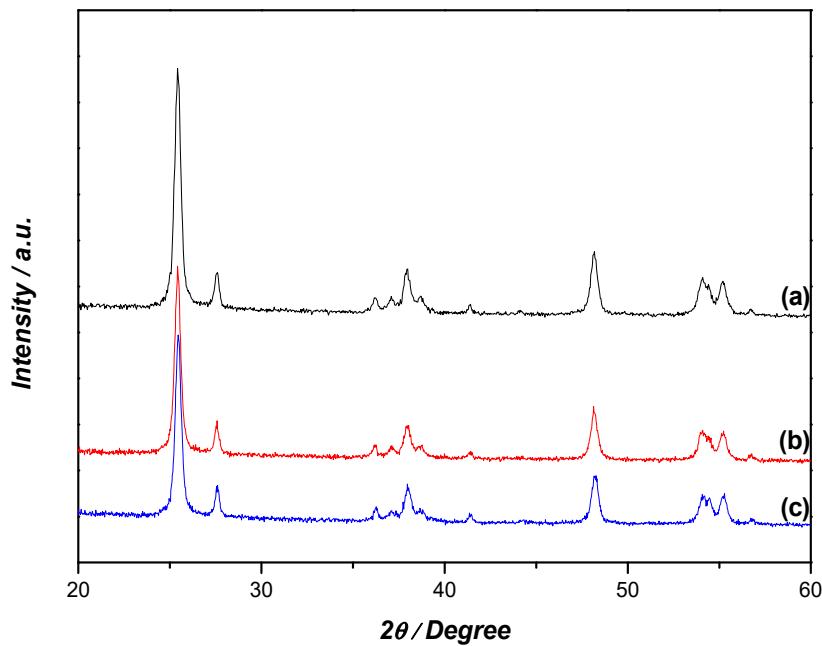


**Figure S19.** ATR-FTIR spectra of (a) **TiO<sub>2</sub>**, (b) **P3-TiO<sub>2</sub>** and (c) **P4-TiO<sub>2</sub>**.

## PXRD



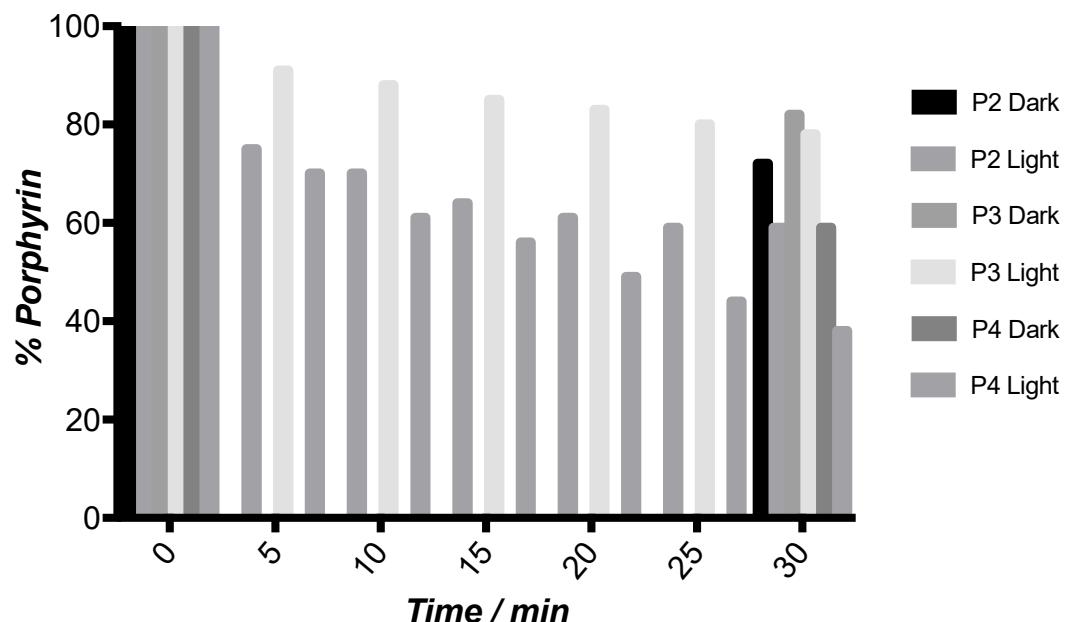
**Figure S20.** PXRD for (a) CF, (b) P2-CF, (c) P3-CF and (d) P4-CF.



**Figure S21.** PXRD for (a)  $\text{TiO}_2$ , (b) P3- $\text{TiO}_2$  and (c) P4- $\text{TiO}_2$ .

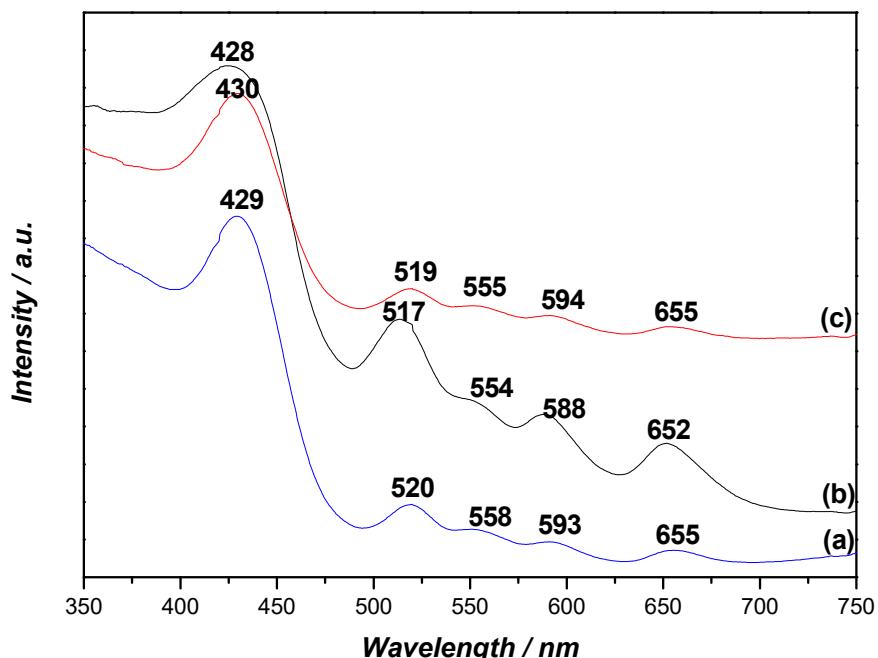
## Photostability study

### Stability of porphyrins P2-4



**Figure S22.** UV-Vis spectrophotometric study of **P2-P4** solution in dark and after irradiation at different times using the same conditions of PDI experiments. The Soret band intensity was monitored over time. The ordinate axis shows the percentage of porphyrin in the PBS solution.

## Stability of PS-CF after photoinactivation



**Figure S23.** UV-Vis spectra of PS-CF after photoinactivation. **P2-CF** after first use (black line), **P3-CF** after first use (red line) and **P4-CF** after first use (blue line).