

Towards the Development of novel Diclofenac Multicomponent Pharmaceutical Solids

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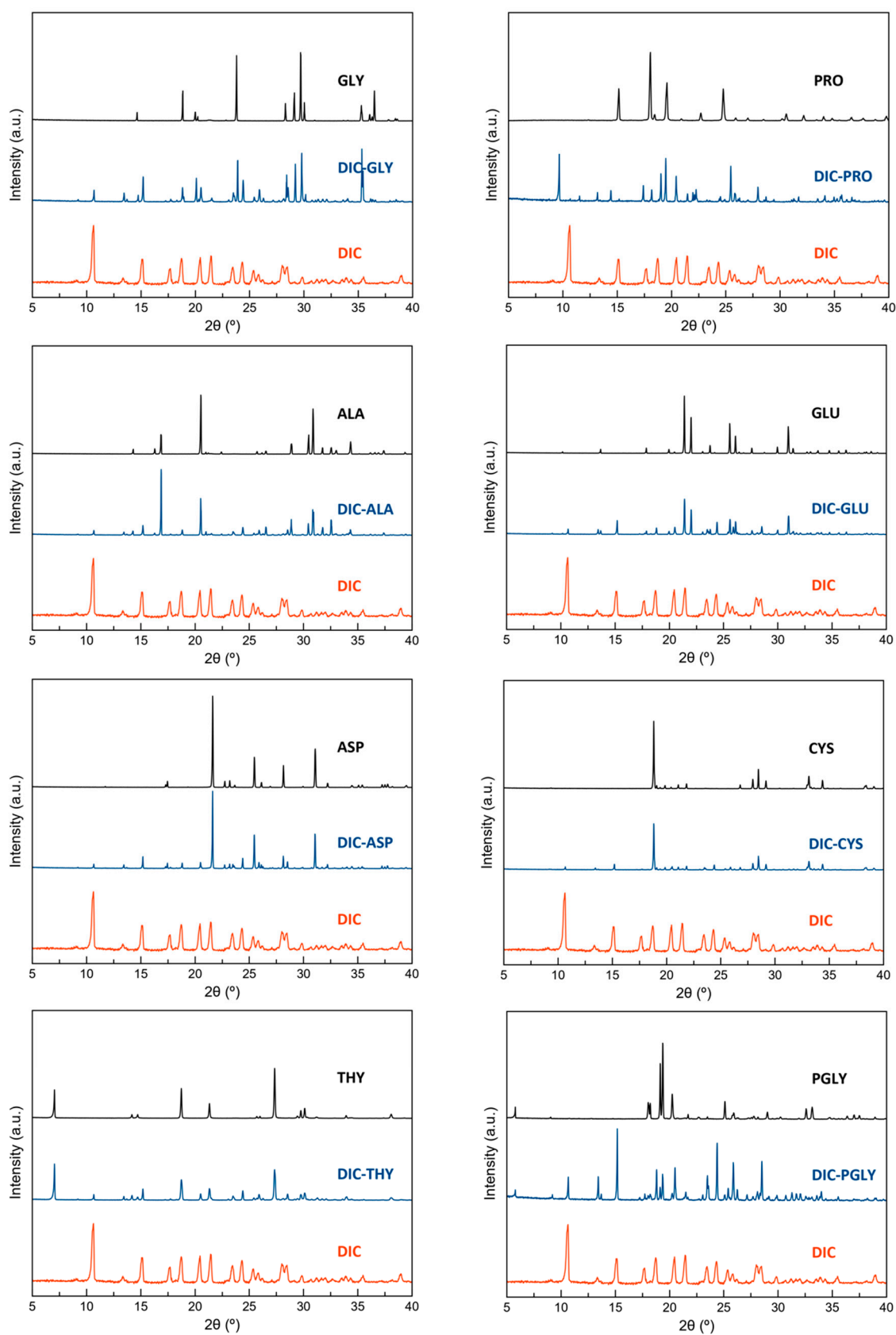


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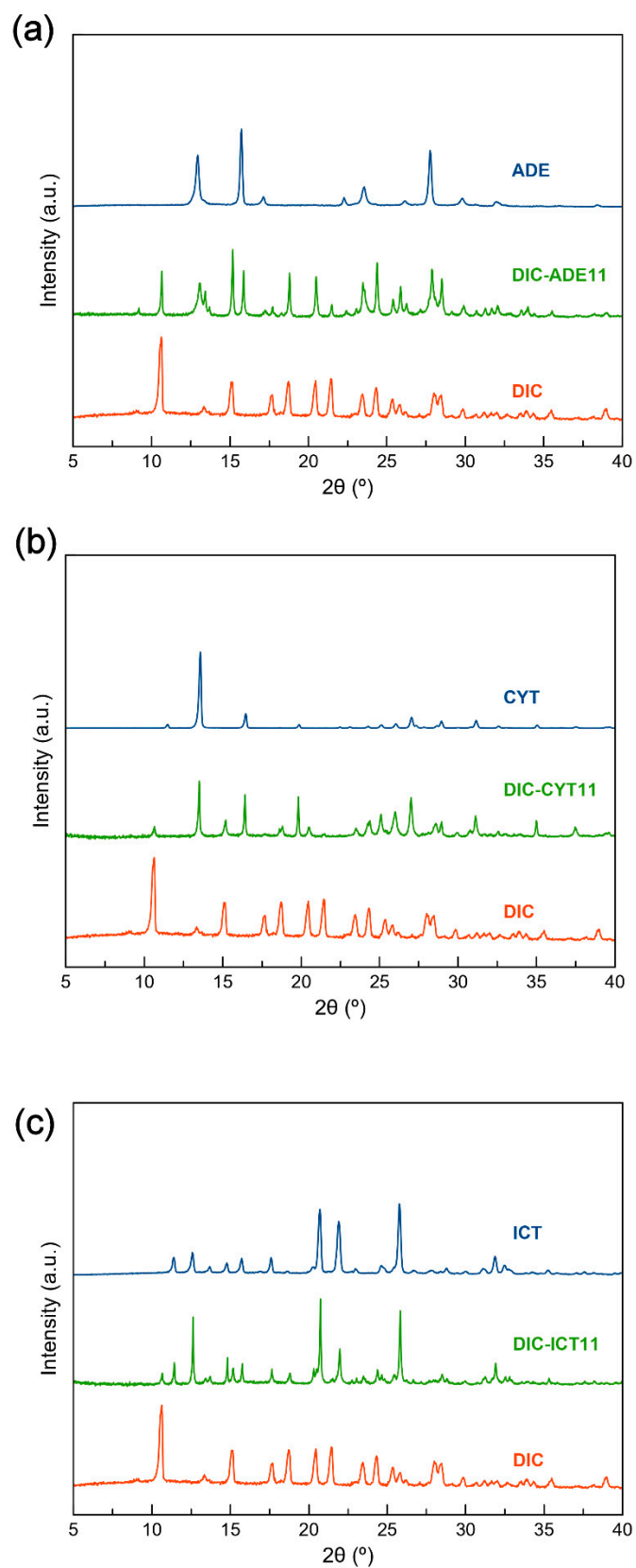


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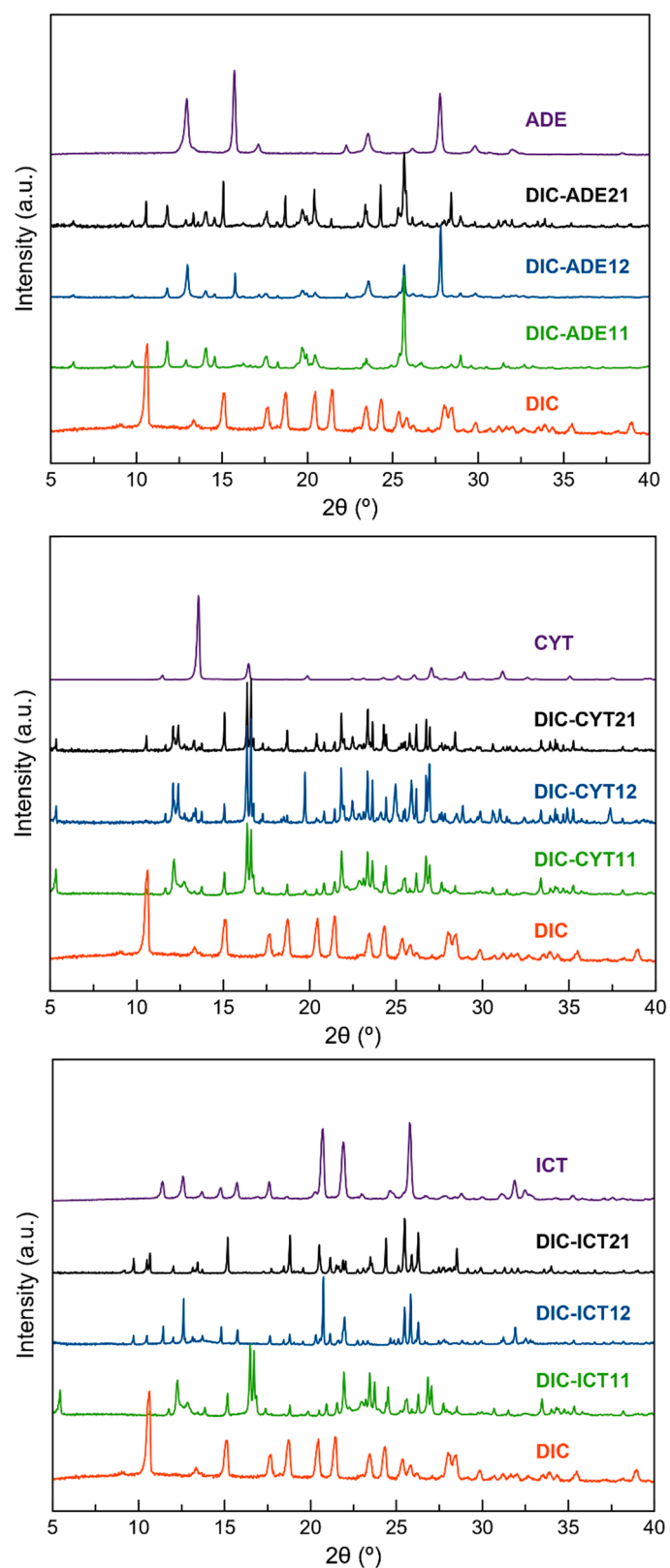


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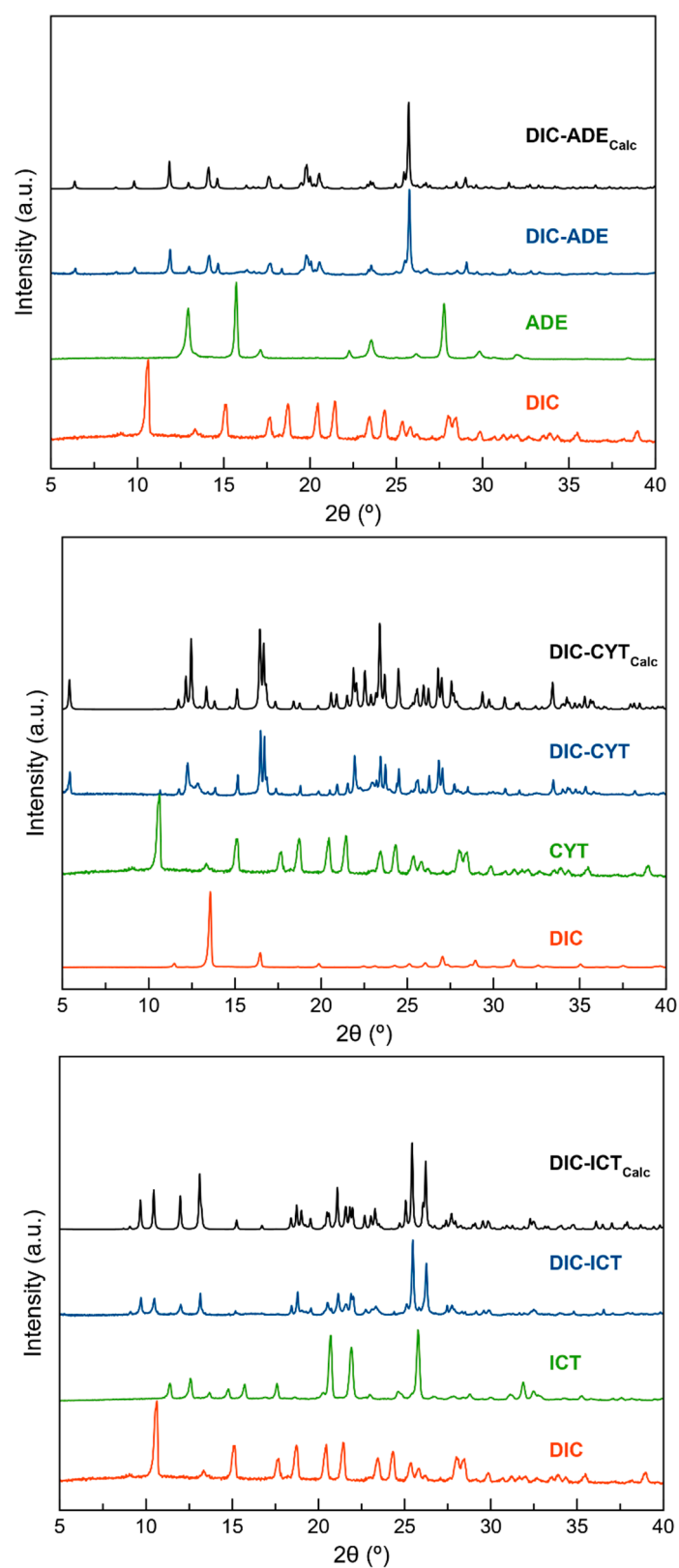


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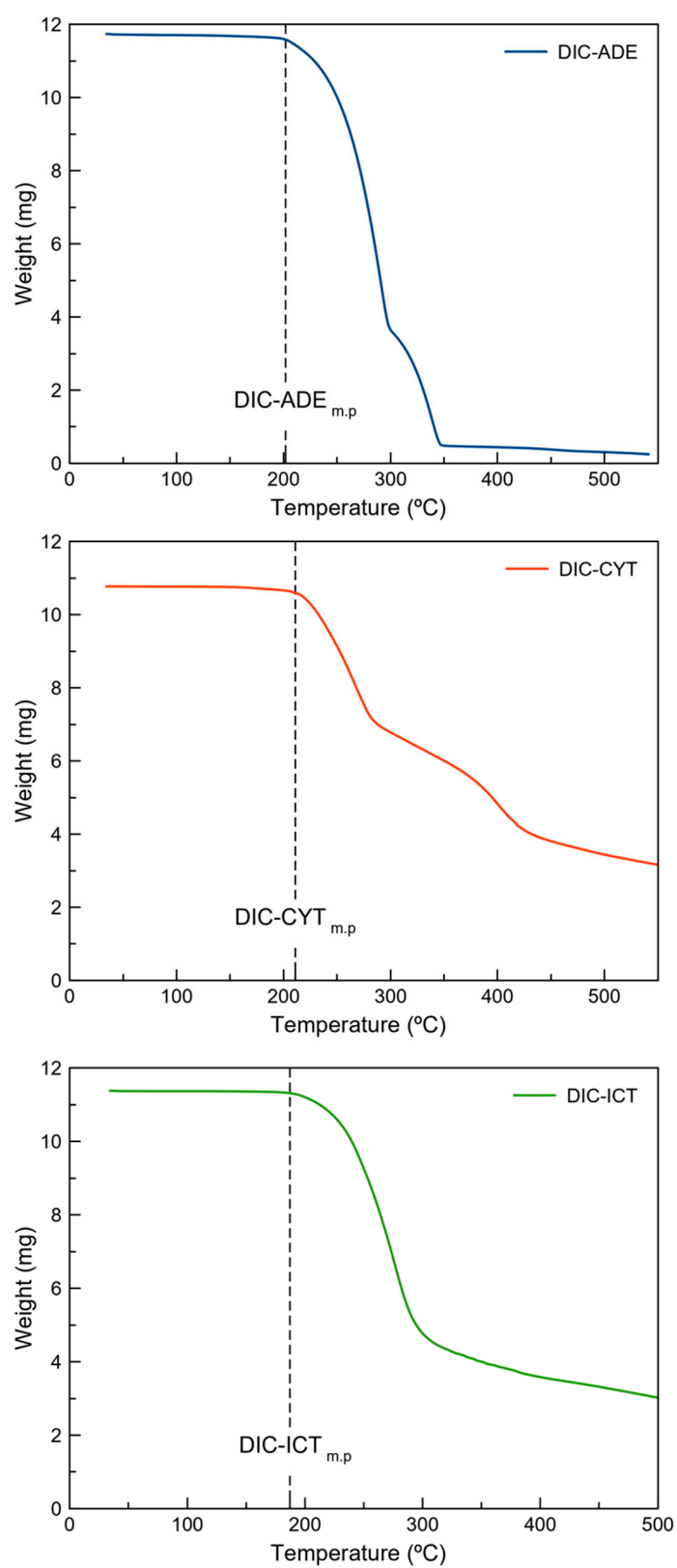


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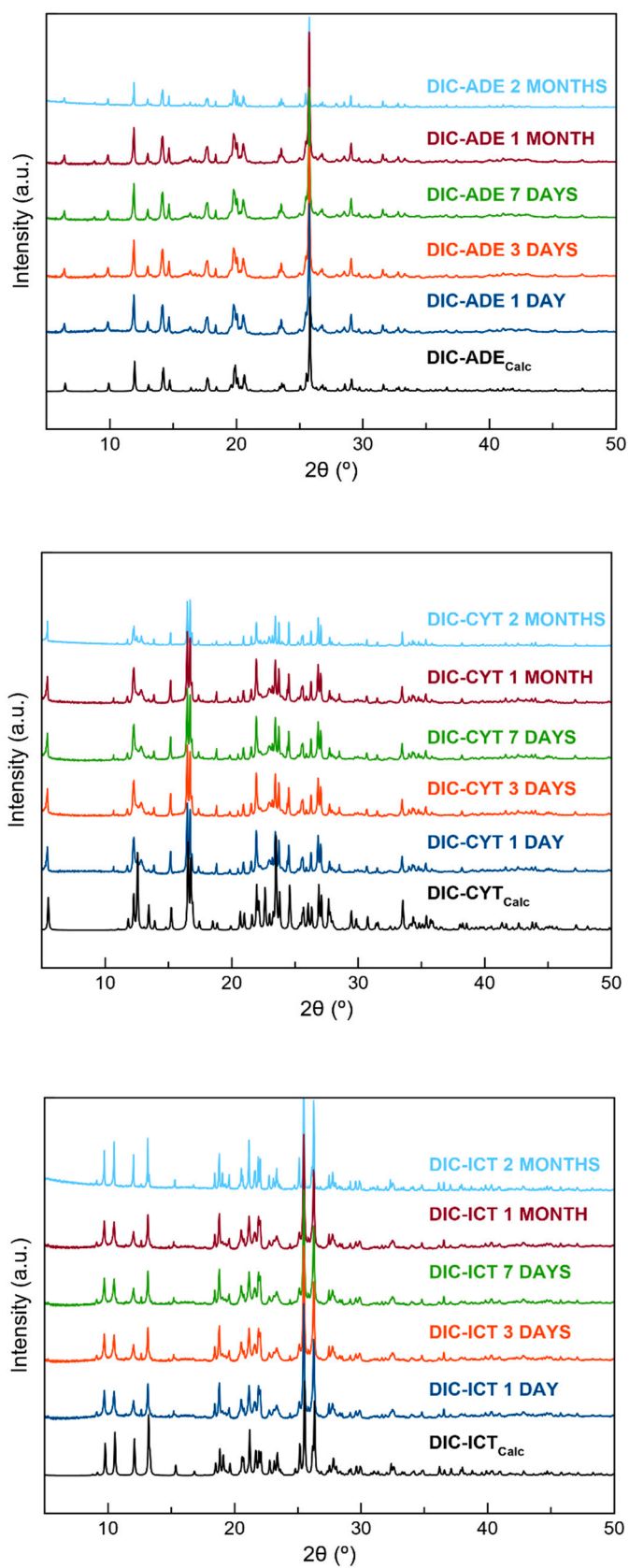


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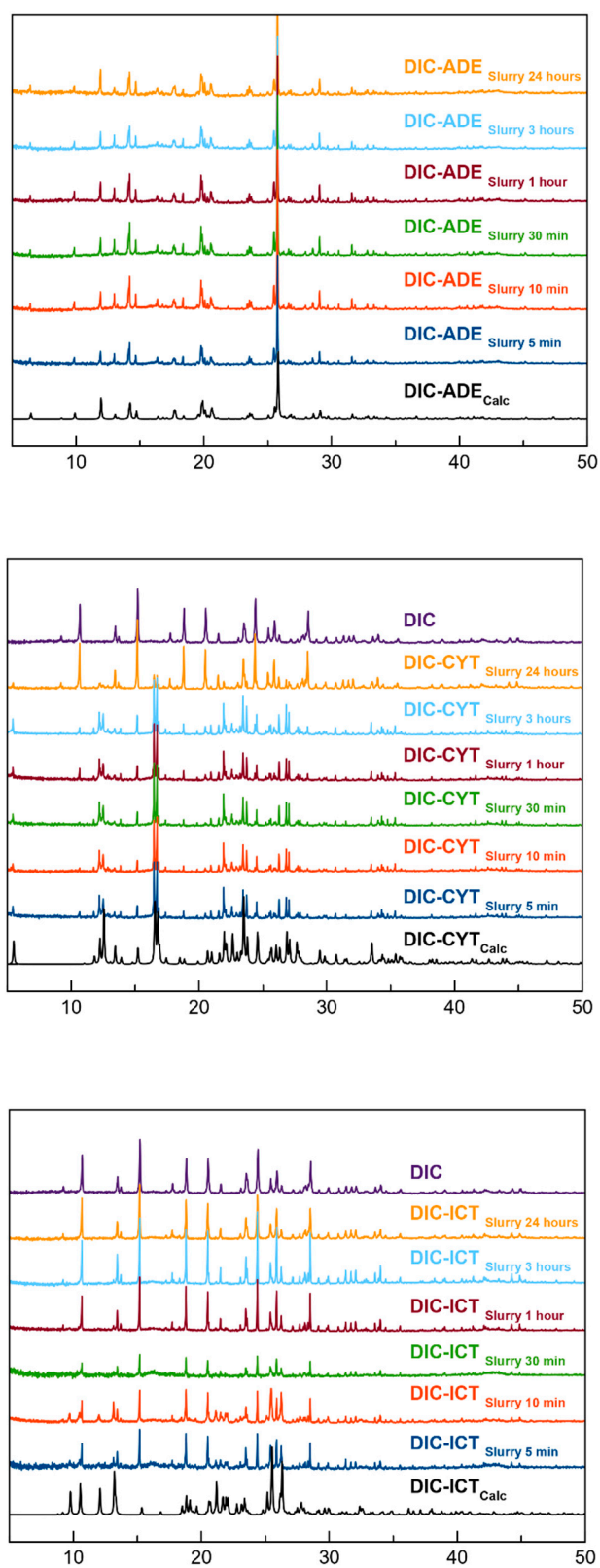


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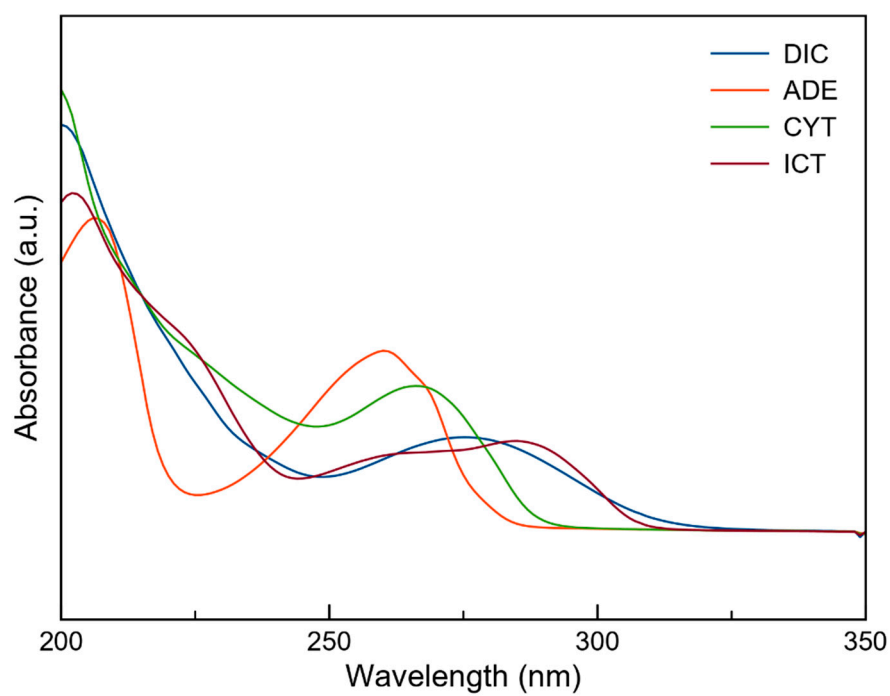


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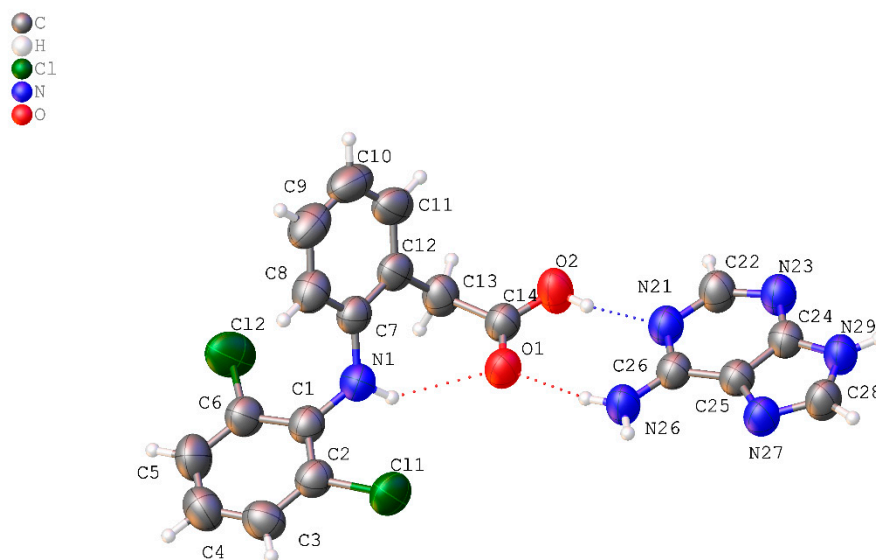


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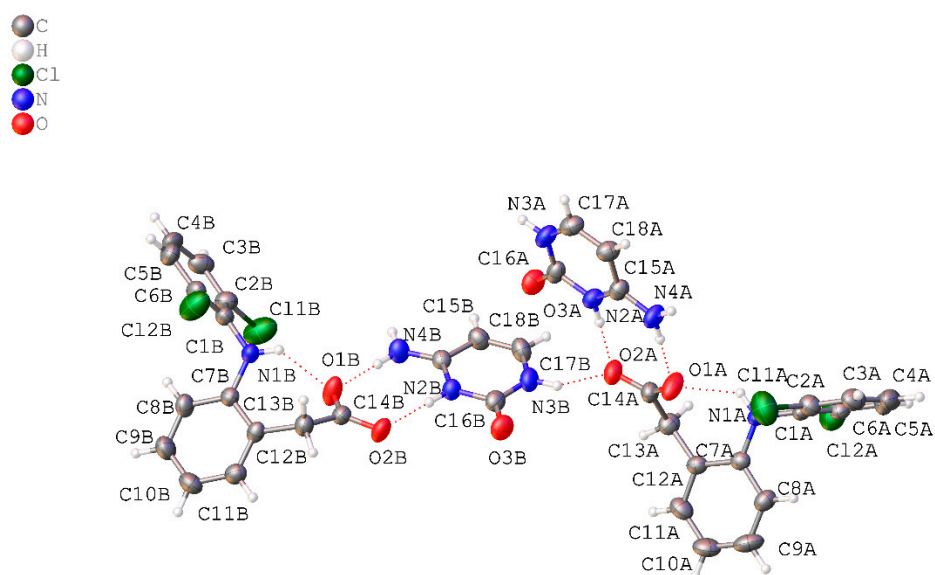


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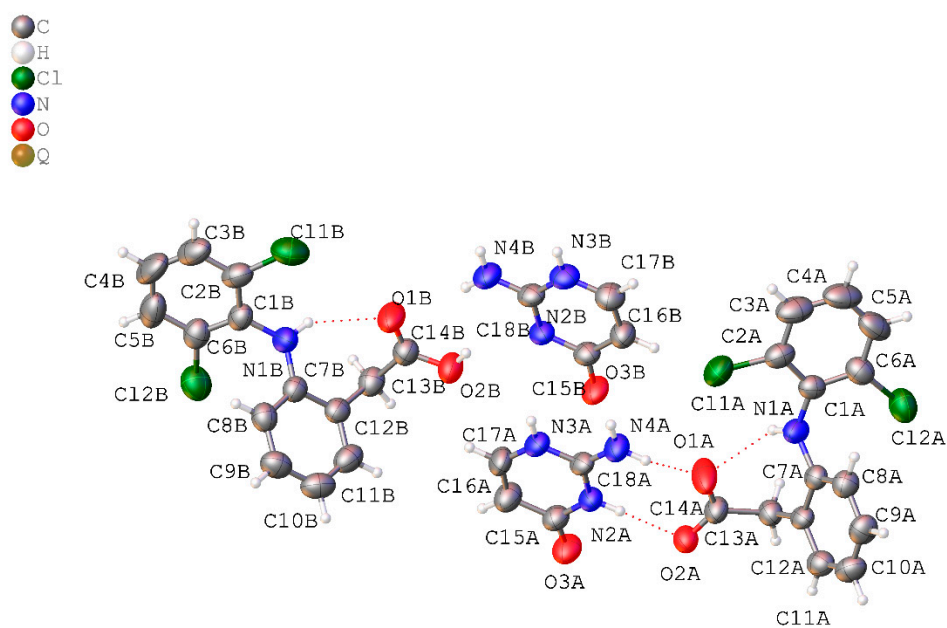


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Table S1. Results of the LAG experiments between DIC and selected coformers.

Coformer	Solvent	Result
Glycine	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Proline	EOH	Cocrystal reported [11]
Alanine	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Glutamic Acid	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Aspartic Acid	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Cytosine	MET	New phase, this work
Adenine	MET	New phase, this work
Cysteine	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Thymine	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Phenylglycine	MET, EOH, ACE	Physical mixture
Isocytosine	MET	New phase, this work

Table S2. Hydrogen bonds for DIC—ADE [\AA and deg.].

D-H...A	d(D-H)	d(H...A)	d(D...A)	<(DHA)
O(2)-H(2)...N(21)	0.82	1.84	2.650(2)	169.0
N(1)-H(1)...O(1)	0.86	2.38	3.005(2)	129.7
N(26)-H(26A)...O(1)	0.86	2.10	2.946(3)	169.0
N(26)-H(26B)...N(27)#1	0.86	2.10	2.933(3)	162.5
N(29)-H(29)...N(23)#2	0.86	2.00	2.847(3)	166.6

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 $-x+2, -y+1, -z$ #2 $-x+3, -y+2, -z$

Table S3. Hydrogen bonds for DIC—CYT [Å and deg.].

D-H...A	d(D-H)	d(H...A)	d(D...A)	<(DHA)
N(1A)-H(1A)...O(1A)	0.86	2.18	2.739(7)	122.1
N(1B)-H(1B)...O(1B)	0.86	2.17	2.737(6)	123.3
N(2A)-H(2A)...O(2A)	0.86	1.92	2.778(7)	176.3
N(3A)-H(3AA)...O(2B)#1	0.86	1.96	2.729(6)	148.9
N(4A)-H(4AA)...O(1A)	0.86	1.85	2.705(7)	178.0
N(4A)-H(4AB)...O(3A)#2	0.86	1.98	2.840(7)	179.1
N(2B)-H(2B)...O(2B)	0.86	1.92	2.780(6)	176.5
N(3B)-H(3BA)...O(2A)	0.86	1.94	2.727(6)	152.2
N(4B)-H(4BA)...O(1B)	0.86	1.84	2.699(7)	178.4
N(4B)-H(4BB)...O(3B)#3	0.86	1.99	2.851(7)	178.5

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 $x, y-1, z$ #2 $x-1/2, -y, z$ #3 $x+1/2, -y+1, z$

Table S4. Hydrogen bonds for DIC—ICT [Å and deg.].

D-H...A	d(D-H)	d(H...A)	d(D...A)	<(DHA)
N(1A)-H(1A)...O(1A)	0.86	2.26	2.846(9)	125.5
O(2B)-H(2B)...N(2B)#1	0.82	1.80	2.618(9)	171.7
N(1B)-H(1B)...O(1B)	0.86	2.41	3.000(10)	126.4
N(2A)-H(2A)...O(2A)	0.86	1.99	2.844(8)	174.0
N(3A)-H(3AA)...O(3B)#1	0.86	2.03	2.774(9)	144.5
N(4A)-H(4AA)...O(3B)#1	0.86	2.01	2.761(8)	146.0
N(4A)-H(4AB)...O(1A)	0.86	1.82	2.637(9)	158.1
N(3B)-H(3BA)...O(2A)#2	0.86	1.91	2.768(8)	178.7
N(4B)-H(4BA)...O(1B)#3	0.86	2.02	2.864(11)	166.4
N(4B)-H(4BB)...O(3A)#2	0.86	2.09	2.829(9)	144.2

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 $x+1, y, z$ #2 $x+1, y-1, z$ #3 $x-1, y, z$