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Spectroscopic data of norbornene and oxanorbornene dicarboximides functionalized with carbazole and coumarin groups.

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ABSTRACT

This article describes data related to the research paper entitled "ROMP of norbornene and oxanorbornene derivatives with pendant fluorophore carbazole and coumarin groups" [1]. Six novel norbornene and oxanorbornene dicarboximides derivatives functionalized with carbazole or coumarin moieties, are synthesized and investigated in the preparation of fluorescent polymers by Ring-Opening Metathesis Polymerization (ROMP). Herein, we report on the characterization of all these compounds by 1D and 2D Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR), UV-Visible and fluorescence spectroscopy. The characterization data include information obtained from ^1H , ^{13}C , Homonuclear Correlation Spectroscopy ($^1\text{H}-^1\text{H}$ COSY) and Heteronuclear Single Quantum Coherence ($^1\text{H}-^{13}\text{C}$ HSQC). The absorbence and fluorescence spectra for all these compounds are given. This work provides useful characterization data for the design of new norbornene and oxanorbornene-based monomers with fluorescent carbazole and coumarin groups, which can be employed for the synthesis of functional materials via ROMP.

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Specifications Table

Subject	<i>Chemistry</i>
Specific subject area	Organic and polymer chemistry, spectroscopic characterization
Type of data	Table
How the data were acquired	Figure NMR spectra were recorded on an NMR Bruker ASCEND 600 spectrometer or 400 MHz AVANCE spectrometer. Processing with TopSpin 4.1.0 software. UV-Vis measurements were performed by a Varian Cary 50 spectrophotometer and fluorescent measurements by a Varian Cary Eclipse spectrophotometer. Precision cell made of quartz SUPRASIL was used to house the samples. All figures of UV-Vis and emission spectra were generated using Origin 7.0 software.
Data format	Raw and analyzed
Description of data collection	NMR of all the compounds were measured in CDCl ₃ . Chemical shifts were shown as δ-values and expressed in ppm with reference to tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal chemical shift reference. absorbence and fluorescence spectra were measured in tetrahydrofuran inhibitor-free, HPLC grade, ≥99.9% (UV-absorbence ≤0.02 at 300 nm) for solutions of carbazole compounds (1 × 10 ⁻⁴ M), and in Chloroform HPLC grade, ≥99.9% (UV-absorbence ≤0.01 at 400 nm, 0.01 at 290 nm, 0.01 at 270 nm) for solutions of coumarin compounds (1 × 10 ⁻⁶ M).
Data source location	Dipartimento di Chimica e Biologia "Adolfo Zambelli", Università di Salerno, Via Giovanni Paolo II 132, I-84084 Fisciano, Salerno, Italy. Latitude: 40° 46' 9.59" N Longitude: 14° 47' 15.59" E 40.769330256 14.787663516. Istituto di Scienze e Tecnologie Chimiche "G. Natta" (SCITEC), Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, Via A. Corti, 12, 20133 Milano, Italy Latitude: 45° 48' 05.70" N Longitude: 9° 23' 18.20" E 45.48065 9.23166
Data accessibility	Repository name: Mendeley Data Data identification number (DOI): 10.17632/h3khzrtcg7.1 Direct URL to data: https://data.mendeley.com/datasets/h3khzrtcg7/1
Related research article	R. Troiano, M. Carratù, S. Pragliola, A. C. Boccia, Fabia Grisi, ROMP of norbornene and oxanorbornene derivatives with pendant fluorophore carbazole and coumarin groups, Eur. Polym. J. 167 (2022) 111065. 10.1016/j.eurpolymj.2022.111065

Value of the Data

- The following data serve as characterization of six norbornene and oxanorbornene dicarboximide derivatives, presenting carbazole and coumarin as fluorophore pendant groups, that have great potential in materials sciences.
- The comparison with various other ROMP monomers presenting similar fluorophore groups can help in understanding the role of the structure of the polymerizable unit in influencing fluorescence properties.
- The data can be useful to researchers interested in the design of fluorescent norbornene and oxanorbornene-based monomers for the synthesis via ROMP of functional materials.
- The data can be used for further modification of the structure norbornene and oxanorbornene monomers towards improved photoluminescence properties.

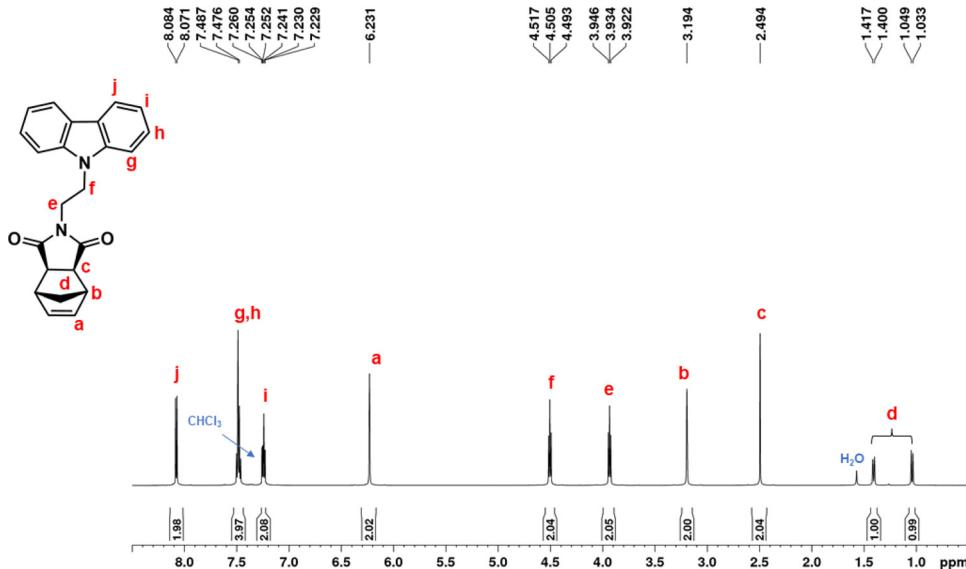


Fig. 1. ^1H NMR spectrum of **NDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz).

1. Data Description

Six norbornene and oxanorbornene dicarboximide monomers containing carbazole and coumarin group were synthesized [1]. These compounds were characterized by using 1D and 2D solution NMR spectroscopy, UV-Visible absorption and photoluminescence spectroscopy, mass spectrometry and DSC. For each monomer, complete assignments of resonances in the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were obtained by means of homonuclear Correlation Spectroscopy (^1H - ^1H COSY) and Heteronuclear single quantum coherence spectroscopy (^1H - ^{13}C HSQC) experiments. ^1H - ^1H COSY spectrum is an experiment of homonuclear correlation amongst protons that are coupled to each other and allows to define a spin system. Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons. With this experiment it is possible establish who is near to whom. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectrum is an experiment of heteronuclear correlation amongst protons and carbons through single bond correlation. It is a very informative experiment as, the presence of a cross peak in the spectrum indicates which proton is directly bonded to which carbon. The ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of all the monomers are presented, along with their structure showing the alphabetical labels used to assign the NMR data summarized in Table 1. Therefore, Figs. 1–4 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectra of 2-(2-(9H-carbazol-9-yl)ethyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-1H-4,7 methanoisoindole-1,3(2H)-dione (**NDI-EtCAR**); Figs. 5–8 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of 2-(2-(9H-carbazol-9-yl)ethyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-1H-4,7-epoxyisoindole-1,3(2H)-dione (**ONDI-EtCAR**); Figs. 9–12 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of 2-(4-((9H-carbazole-9-yl)methyl)benzyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-1H-4,7 methanoisoindole-1,3(2H)-dione (**NDI-XyCAR**); Figs. 13–16 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of 2-(4-((9H-carbazol-9-yl)methyl)benzyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-1H-4,7-epoxyisoindole-1,3(2H)-dione (**ONDI-XyCAR**); Figs. 17–20 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of 3-methylene-2-(2-((2-oxo-2H-chromen-7-yl)oxy)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,7,7a hexahydro-1H-4,7-methanoisoindol-1-one (**NDI-EtCOU**); Figs. 21–24 show ^1H , ^{13}C , ^1H - ^1H COSY, and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC spectra of 2-(4-((2-oxo-2H-chromen-7-yl)oxy) methyl)benzyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-1H-4,7-methanoisoindole-1,3(2H)-dione (**NDI-XyCOU**).

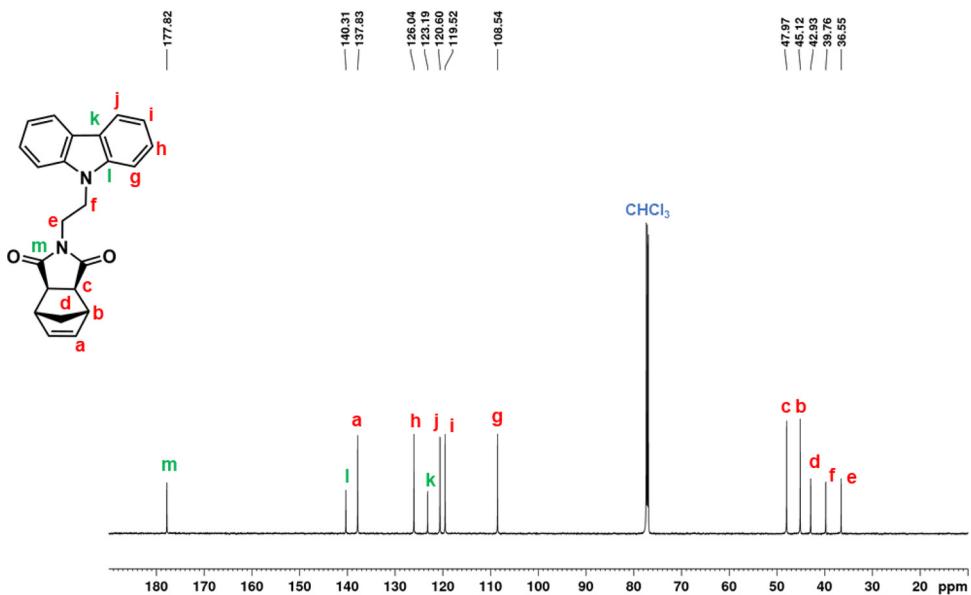


Fig. 2. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of NDI-EtCAR (CDCl_3 , 150 MHz).

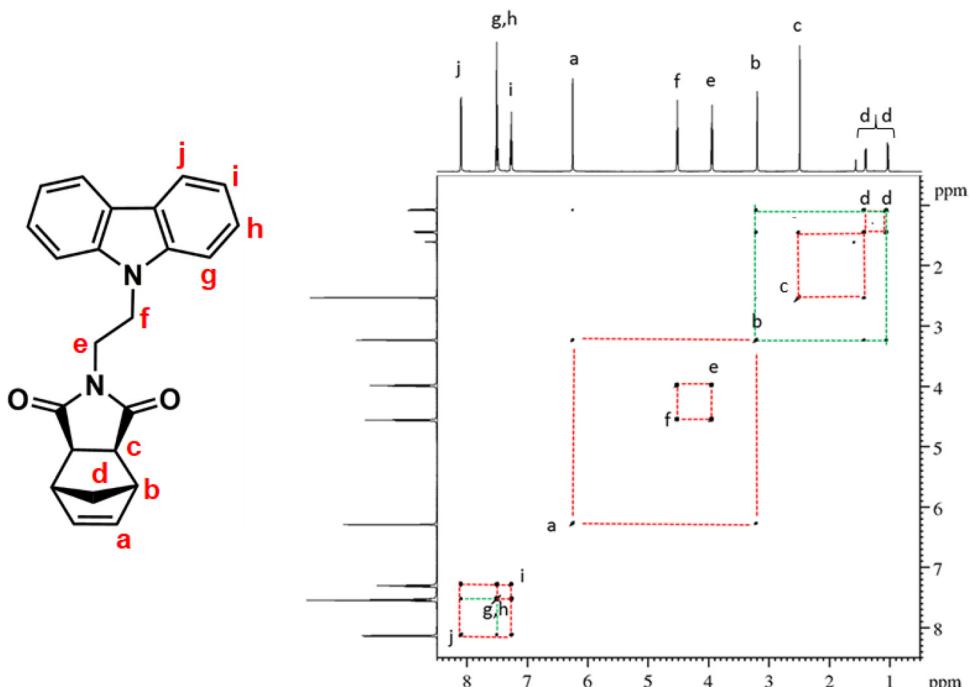


Fig. 3. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of NDI-EtCAR (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

Table 1¹H and ¹³C NMR data of **NDI** and **ONDI** compounds in CDCl₃ at 25 °C.

NDI-EtCAR	¹ H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 1): $\delta = 1.04$ (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 1.41 (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 2.49 (c, 2H, s), 3.19 (b, 2H, s), 3.93 (e, 2H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 4.50 (f, 2H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 6.23 (a, 2H, s), 7.24 (i, 2H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 7.48 (g + h, 4H, overlapping peaks), 8.08 (j, 2H, d, $J = 7.7$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 2): $\delta = 36.55$ (e), 39.16 (f), 42.93 (d), 45.12 (b), 47.97 (c), 108.54 (g), 119.52 (i), 120.60 (j), 123.19 (k), 126.04 (h), 137.83 (a), 140.31 (l), 177.82 (m).
ONDI-EtCAR	¹ H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 5): $\delta = 2.62$ (c, 2H, s), 3.91 (d, 2H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 4.49 (e, 2H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 5.20 (b, 2H, s), 6.46 (a, 2H, s), 7.25 (h, 2H, br m), 7.48 (f + g, 4H, overlapping peaks), 8.08 (i, 2H, d, $J = 7.7$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 6): $\delta = 36.80$ (d), 39.81 (e), 47.55 (c), 80.92 (b), 108.49 (f), 119.51 (h), 120.62 (i), 123.22 (j), 126.03 (g), 136.61 (a), 140.34 (k), 175.92 (l).
NDI-XyCAR	¹ H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 9): $\delta = 1.02$ (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 1.39 (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 2.64 (c, 2H, s), 3.22 (b, 2H, s), 4.56 (e, 2H, s), 5.48 (h, 2H, s), 6.25 (a, 2H, s), 7.09 (g, 2H, d, $J = 7.9$ Hz), 7.25 (f + k, 4H, overlapping peaks), 7.33 (i, 2H, d, $J = 7.9$ Hz), 7.42 (j, 2H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 8.13 (l, 2H, d, $J = 7.7$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 10): $\delta = 42.03$ (e), 42.81 (d), 45.39 (b), 46.41 (h) 47.92 (c), 108.96 (i), 119.38 (k), 120.53 (l), 123.16 (m), 125.97 (g), 126.91 (j), 129.40 (f), 135.37 (p), 137.08 (o), 138.04 (a), 140.70 (n), 177.75 (q).
ONDI-XyCAR	¹ H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 13): $\delta = 2.80$ (c, 2H, s), 4.58 (d, 2H, s), 5.25 (b, 2H, s), 5.47 (g, 2H, s), 6.48 (a, 2H, s), 7.08 (f, 2H, d, $J = 7.4$ Hz), 7.23 (e + j, 4H, overlapping peaks), 7.33 (h, 2H, d, $J = 8.1$ Hz), 7.42 (i, 2H, t, $J = 7.5$ Hz), 8.12 (k, 2H, d, $J = 7.7$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 14): $\delta = 42.15$ (d), 46.34 (g), 47.61 (c), 81.02 (b), 108.97 (h), 119.35 (j), 120.51 (k), 123.12 (l), 125.97(f), 126.86 (i), 128.61 (e), 134.80 (o), 136.64 (a), 136.90 (n), 140.68 (m), 175.93 (p).
NDI-EtCOU	¹ H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 17): $\delta = 1.27$ (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 1.47 (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.9$ Hz), 2.72 (c, 2H, s), 3.28 (b, 2H, s), 3.94 (e, 2H, t, $J = 5.6$ Hz), 4.21 (f, 2H, t, $J = 5.6$ Hz), 6.25 (k, dd, 2H, $J = 9.5$ Hz, $J = 1.4$ Hz), 6.28 (a, 2H, s), 6.76 (g, 2H, s), 6.77 (h, 2H, d, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.35 (i, 2H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz), 7.61 (j, 2H, d, $J = 9.5$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 18): $\delta = 37.64$ (e), 42.73 (d), 45.43 (b), 47.98 (c), 64.41 (f), 101.80 (g), 112.76 (h), 113.11 (n), 135.65 (k), 128.99 (i), 137.93 (a), 143.37 (j), 155.86 (m), 161.12 (o), 161.32 (l), 177.97 (p).
NDI-XyCOU	¹ H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 21): $\delta = 1.06$ (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.8$ Hz), 1.42 (d, 1H, d, $J = 9.8$ Hz), 2.69 (c, 2H, s), 3.25 (b, 2H, s), 4.63 (e, 2H, s), 5.09 (h, 2H, s), 6.24 (m, 2H, d, $J = 9.5$ Hz), 6.27 (a, 2H, s), 6.85 (i, 2H, s), 6.89 (j, 2H, d, $J = 9.0$ Hz), 7.37 (g + k, 3H, overlapping peaks), 7.41 (f, 2H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.62 (l, d, 2H, $J = 9.5$ Hz). ¹³ C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl ₃ , Fig. 22): $\delta = 42.15$ (e), 42.83 (d), 45.44 (b), 47.97 (c), 70.27 (h), 102.02 (i), 112.92 (p), 113.35 (m), 113.44 (j), 127.94 (g), 128.94 (k), 129.48 (f), 135.63 (r), 136.22 (s), 138.06 (a), 143.47 (l), 155.95 (o), 161.24 (q), 161.89 (n), 177.80 (t).

The raw ¹H, ¹³C, ¹H-¹H COSY, and ¹H-¹³C HSQC data obtained from NMR instrument were in the form of FID files. They were processed and plotted using BRUKER TOPSPIN software to obtain images shown in Figs. 1–24. The raw NMR data are shared a Mendeley Data repository in the form of text files (.txt), JCAMP-DX files and in Microsoft Excel Worksheet format for 1D spectra [2].

UV-Vis and fluorescence spectroscopy were used to determine the fluorescent properties of all compounds. Figs. 25–28 show the UV-Visible absorption spectra of carbazole derivatives **NDI-EtCAR**, **ONDI-ETCAR**, **NDI-XyCAR** and **ONDI-XyCAR**. All the spectra present typical peak maxima (in the range 318–343 nm) derived from $\pi-\pi^*$ absorption of the carbazole group [3].

Figs. 29 and 30 display the UV-Visible absorption spectra of coumarin derivatives **NDI-EtCOU** and **NDI-XyCOU**. In these spectra, the two bands at around 294 and 319 nm are due to $\pi-\pi^*$ transitions attributed to electrons of benzene nucleus and pyrone one, respectively [4].

Figs. 31–34 depict the fluorescence spectra of carbazole derivatives **NDI-EtCAR**, **ONDI-ETCAR**, **NDI-XyCAR** and **ONDI-XyCAR** with bands at 349 and 364 typical of carbazole group emission

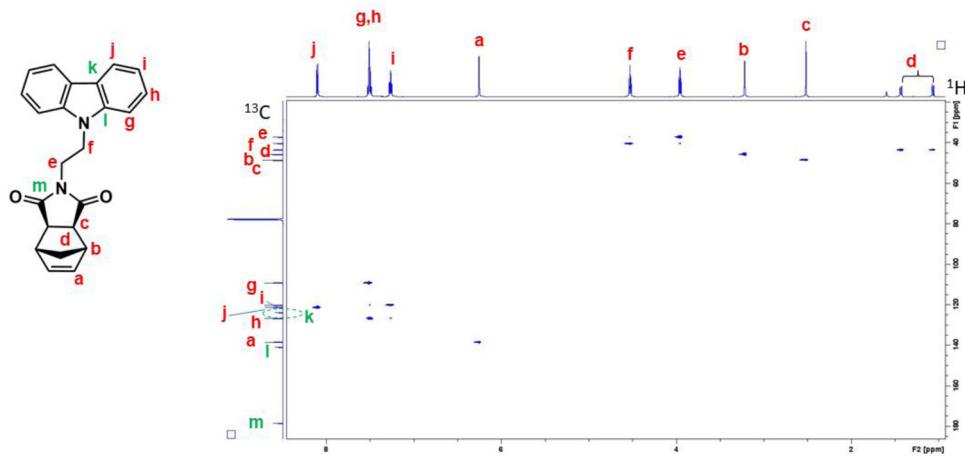


Fig. 4. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectrum of **NDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). The presence of cross peaks in the spectrum indicates protons and carbons that are directly bonded.

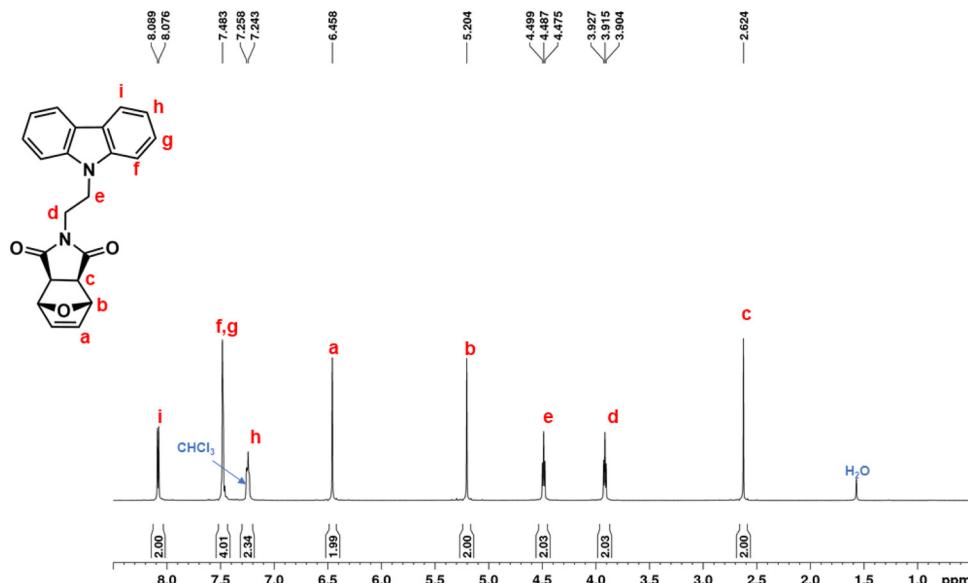


Fig. 5. ^1H NMR spectrum of **ONDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz).

[5]. Figs. 35 and 36 show the fluorescence spectra of coumarin derivatives **NDI-EtCOU** and **NDI-XyCOU**, where is observed a broad band peaked at 384 nm characteristic of coumarin group emission [6]. The raw UV-Vis and fluorescence data are shared as a Mendeley Data repository in Microsoft Excel file formats [2].

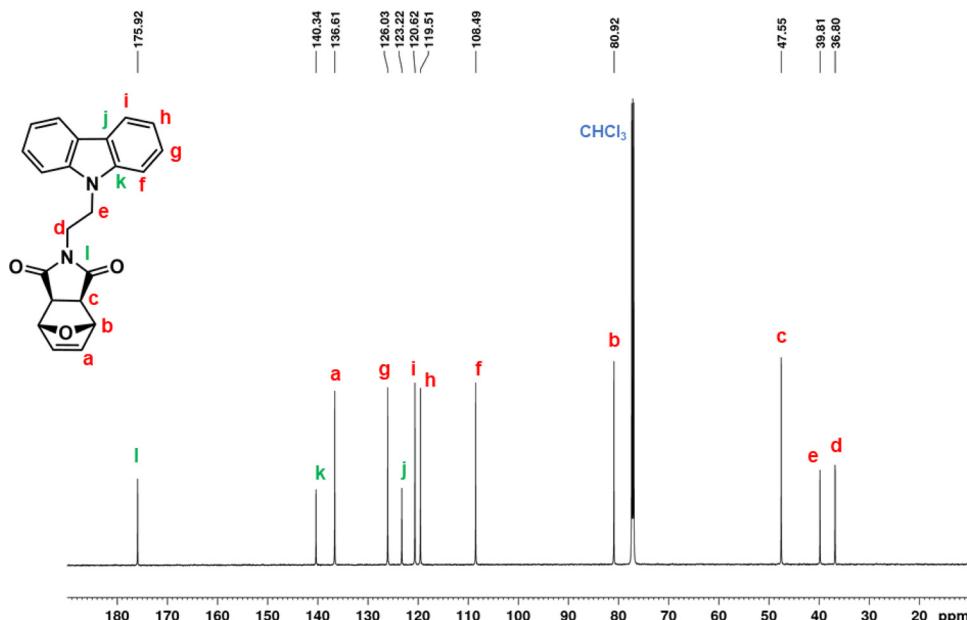


Fig. 6. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **ONDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 150 MHz).

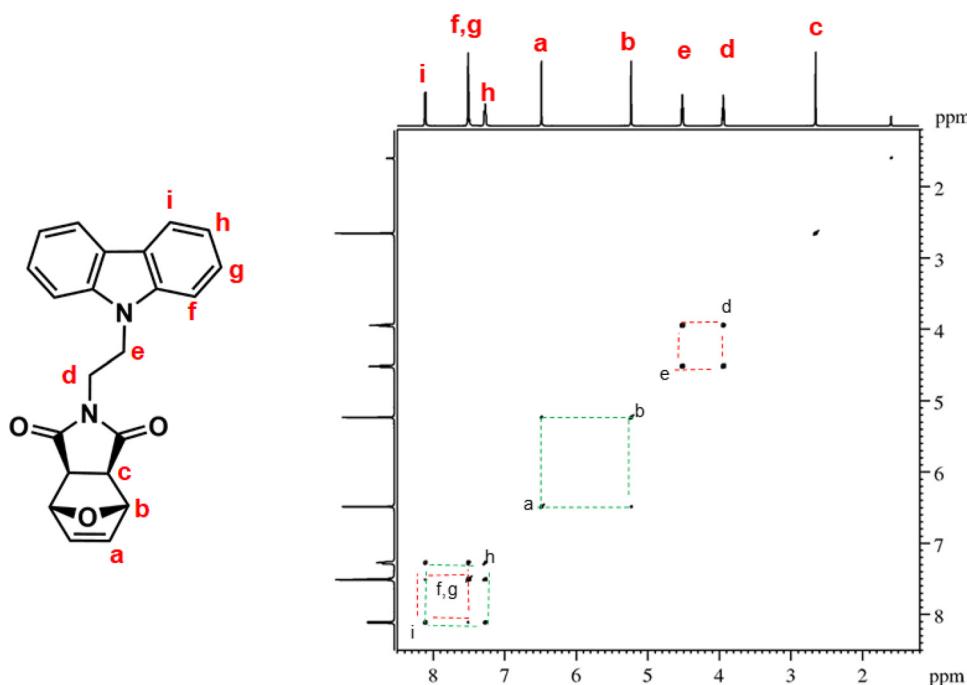


Fig. 7. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of **ONDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

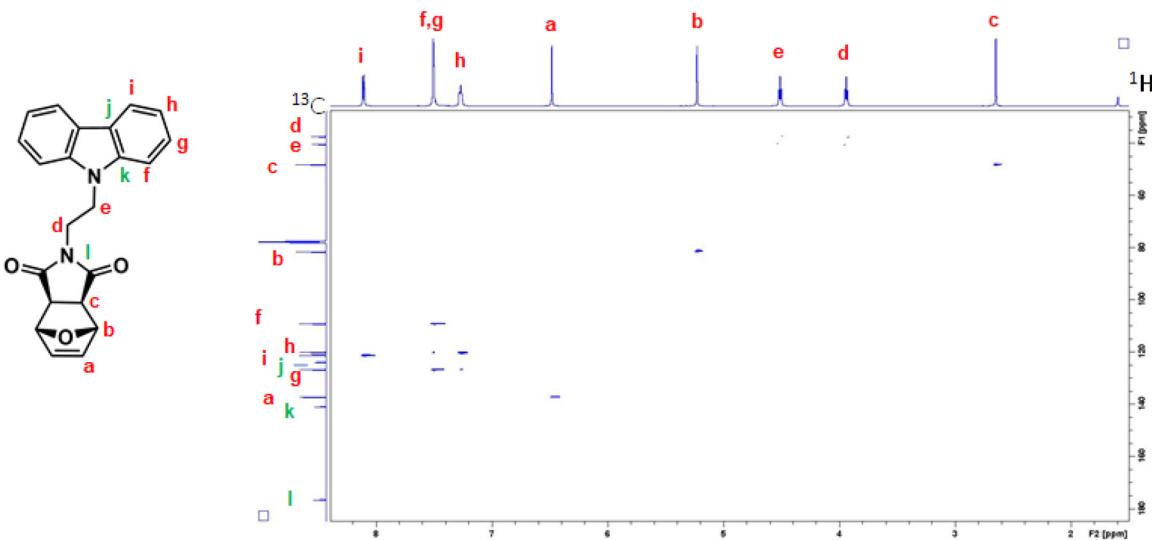


Fig. 8. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectrum of **ONDI-EtCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). The presence of cross peaks in the spectrum indicates protons and carbons that are directly bonded.

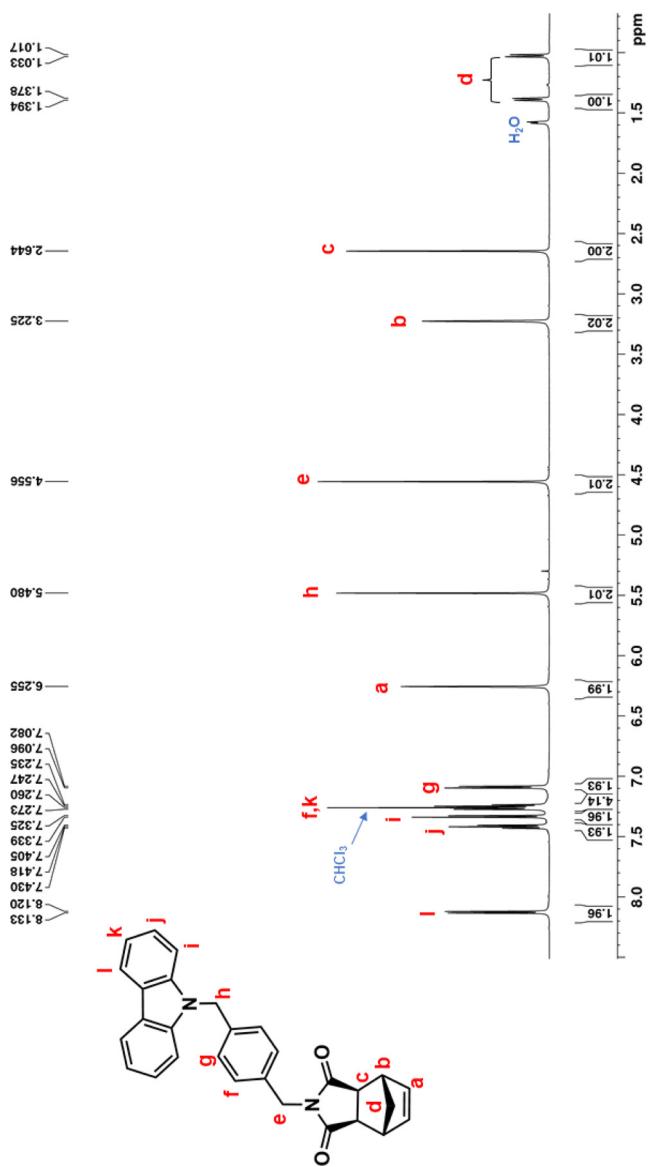


Fig. 9. ^1H NMR spectrum of NDI-XyCAR (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz).

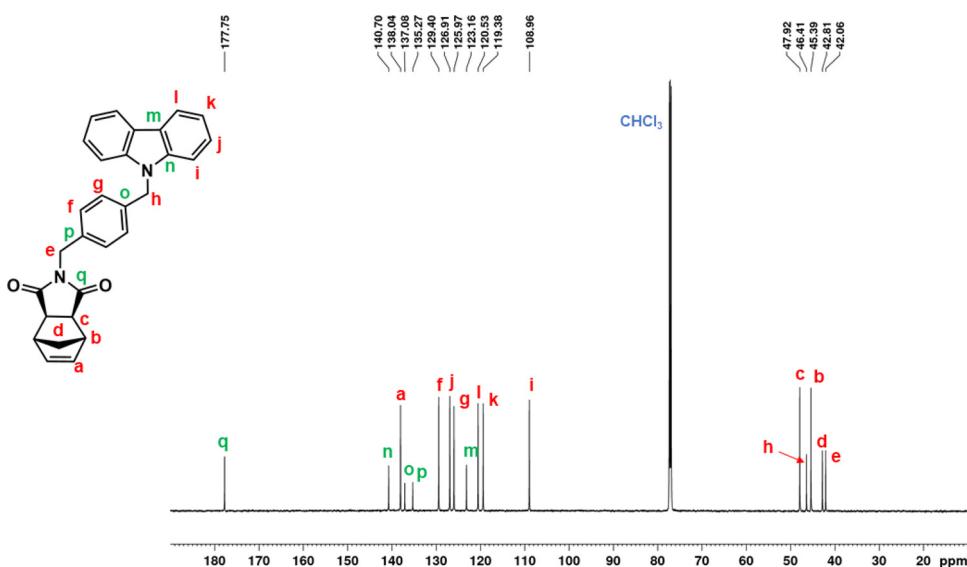


Fig. 10. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of NDI-XyCAR (CDCl_3 , 150 MHz).

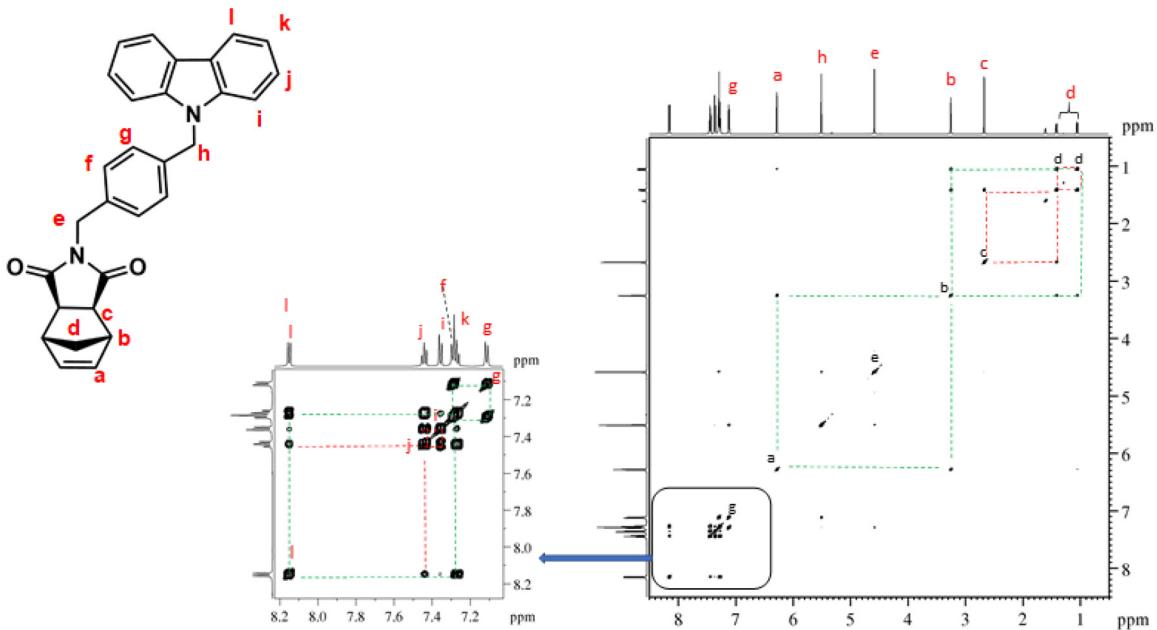


Fig. 11. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of NDI-XyCAR (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

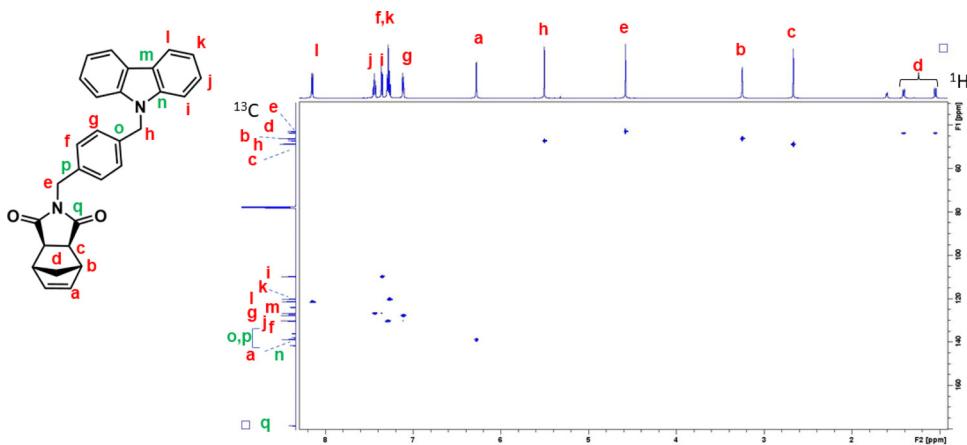


Fig. 12. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectrum of **NDI-XyCAR** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). The presence of cross peaks in the spectrum indicates protons and carbons that are directly bonded.

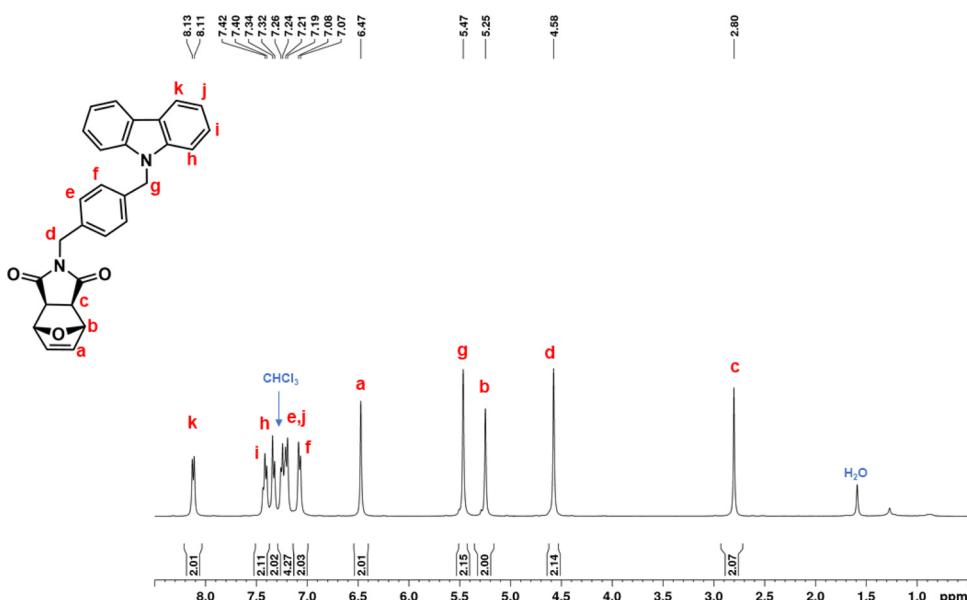


Fig. 13. ^1H NMR spectrum of **ONDI-XyCAR** (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz).

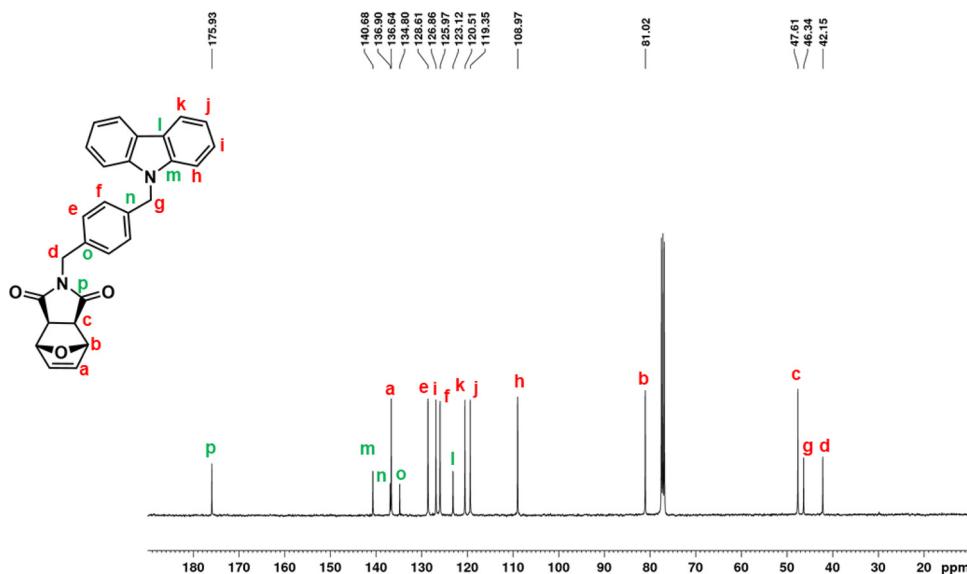


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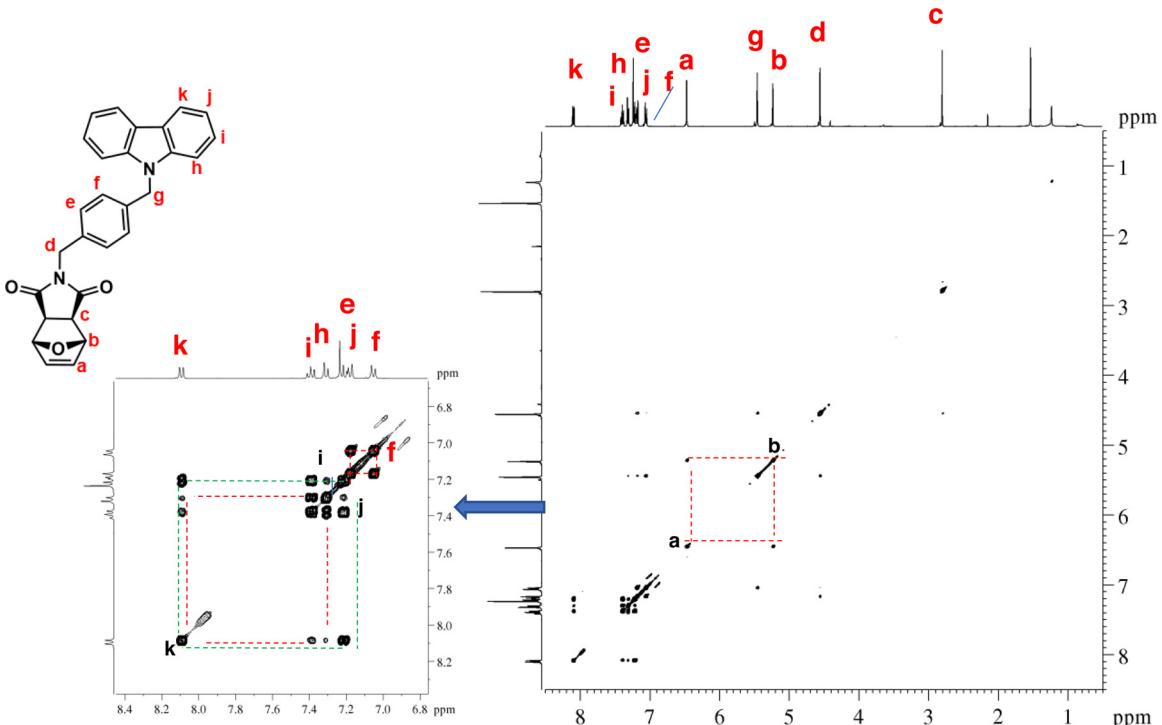


Fig. 15. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of ONDI-XyCAR (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

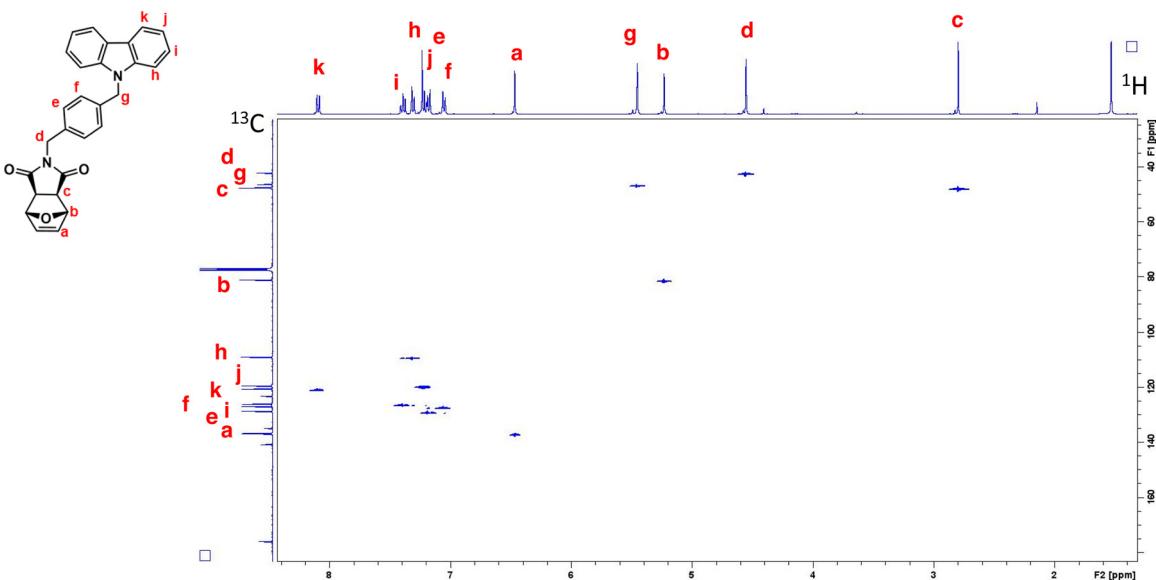


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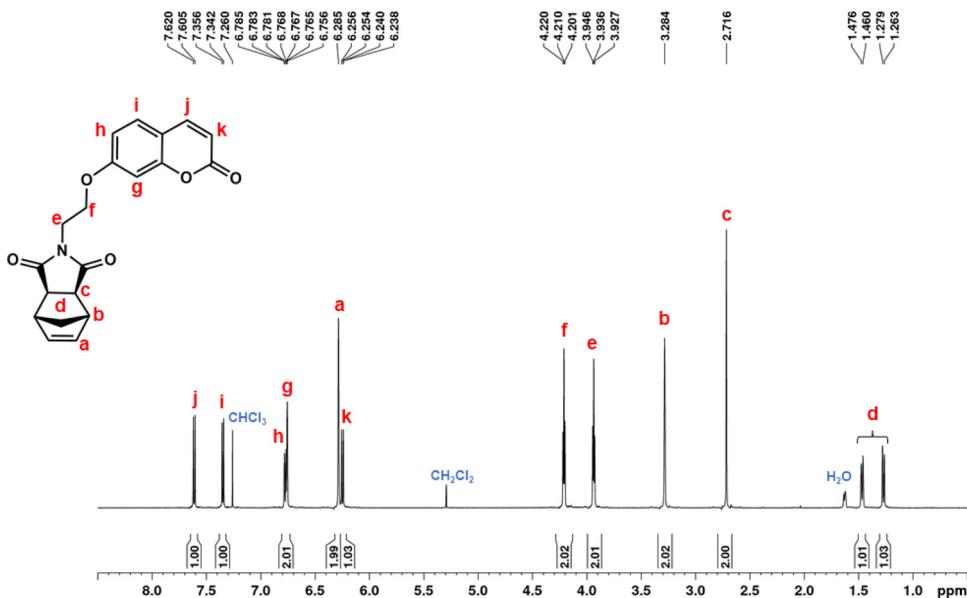


Fig. 17. ¹H NMR spectrum of NDI-EtCOU (CDCl₃, 600 MHz).

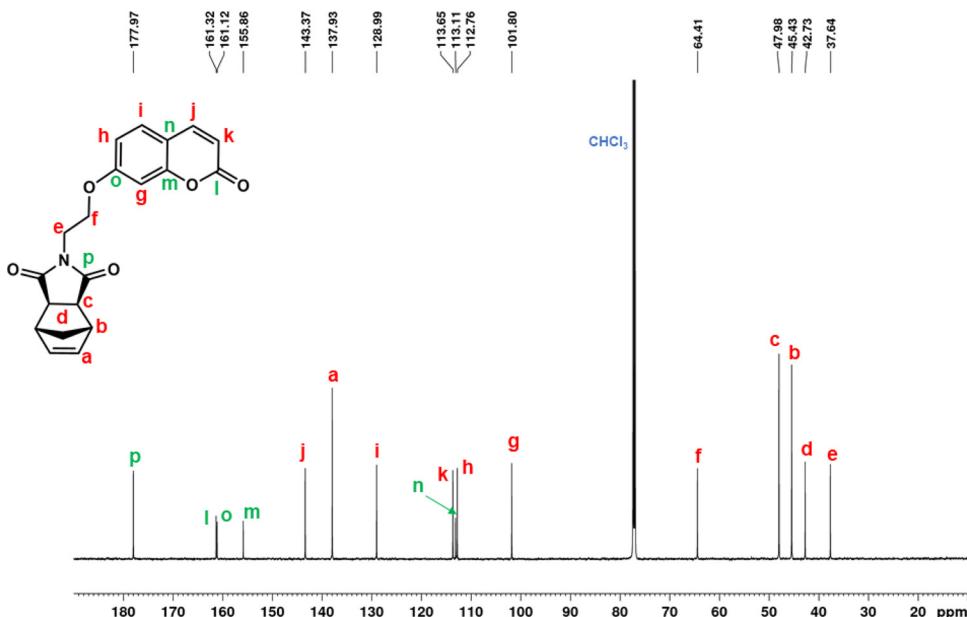


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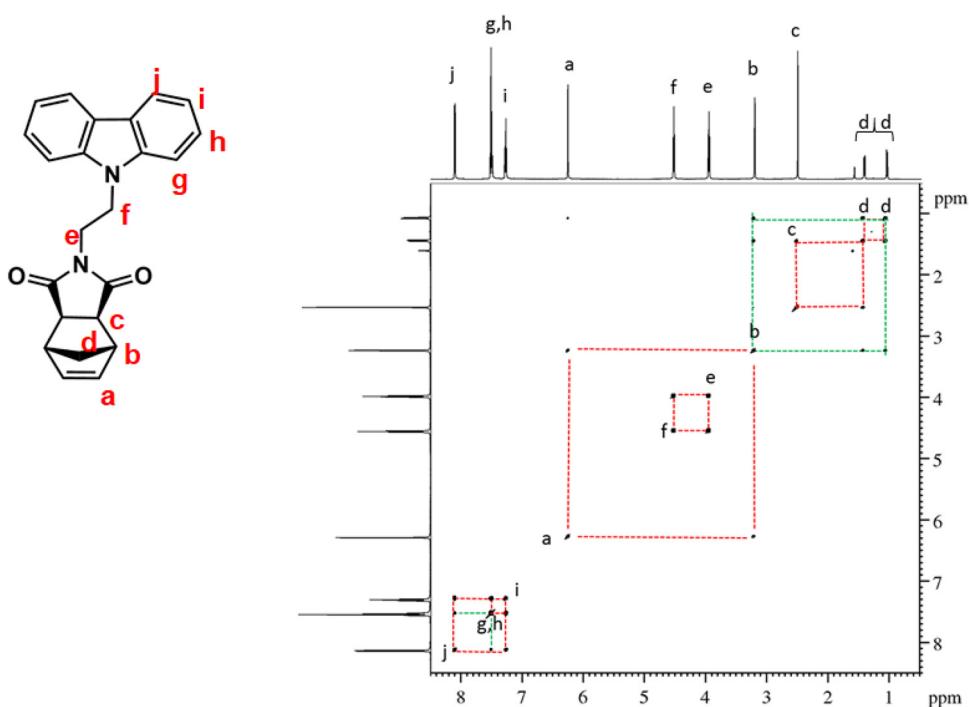


Fig. 19. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of NDI-EtCOU (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

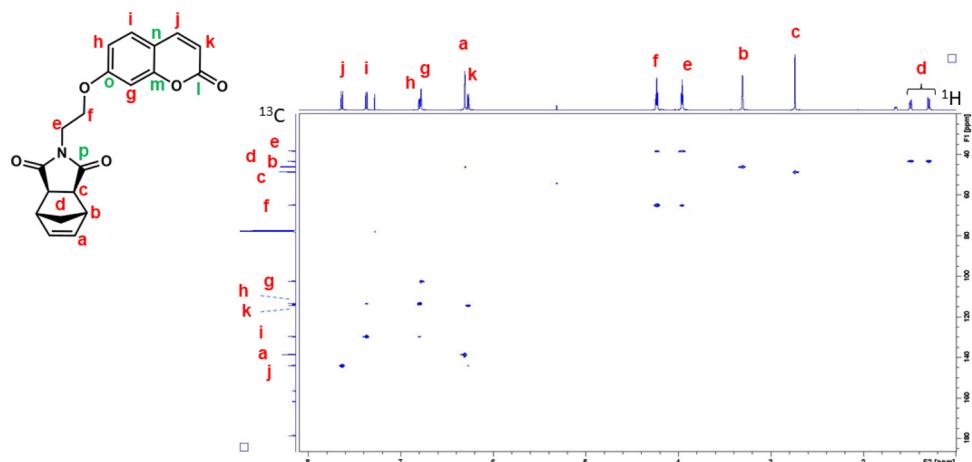


Fig. 20. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectrum of NDI-EtCOU (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). The presence of cross peaks in the spectrum indicates protons and carbons that are directly bonded.

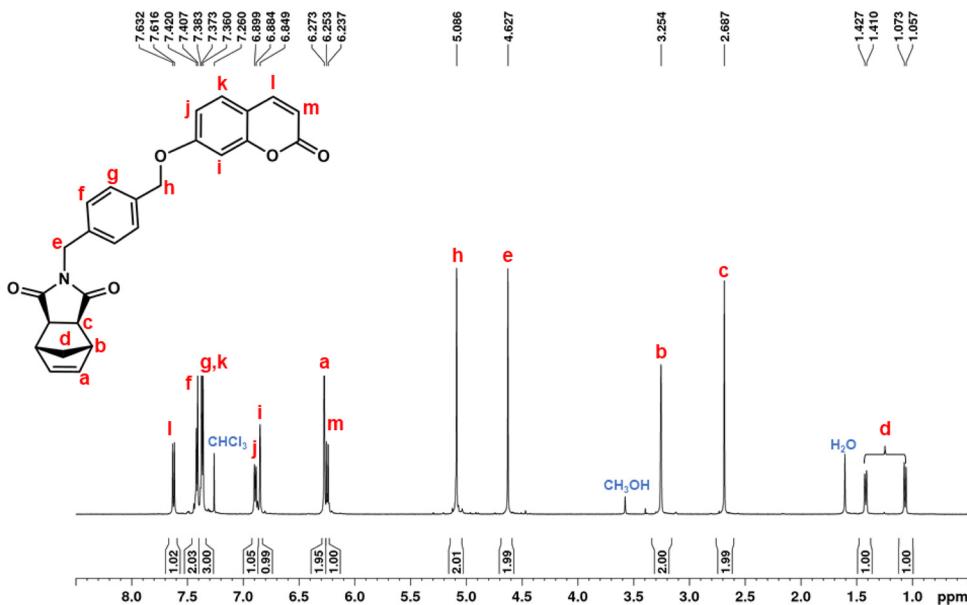


Fig. 21. ¹H NMR spectrum of NDI-XyCOU (CDCl₃, 600 MHz).

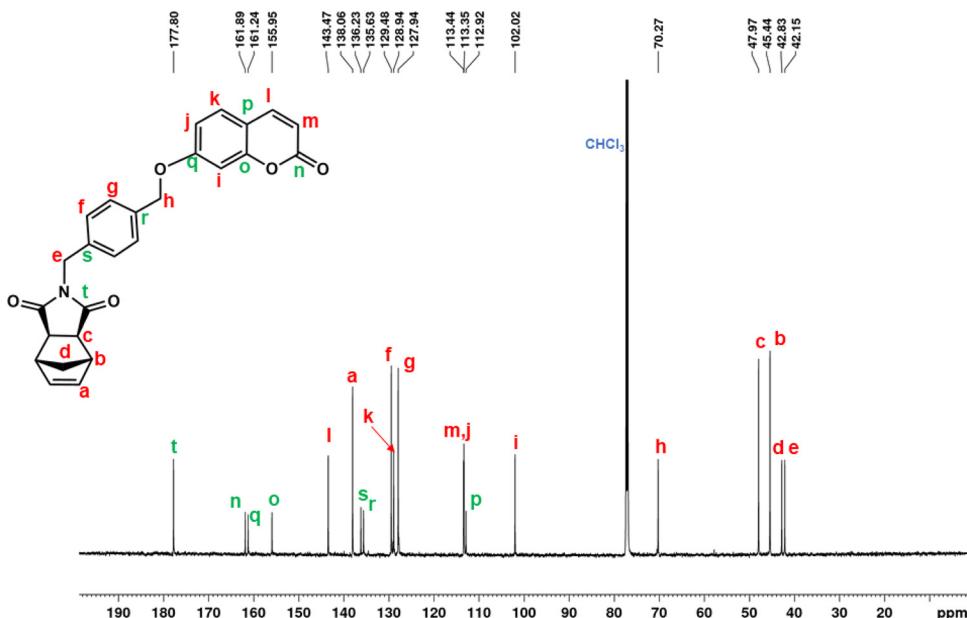


Fig. 22. ¹³C NMR spectrum of NDI-XyCOU (CDCl₃, 150 MHz).

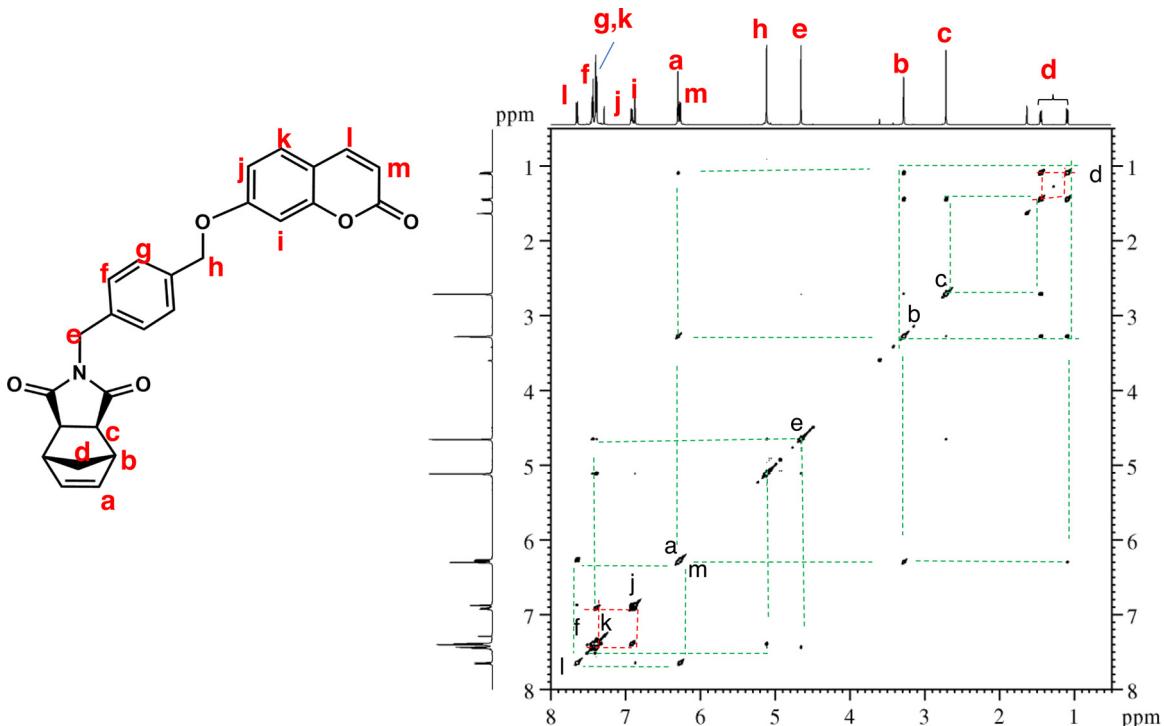


Fig. 23. ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectrum of **NDI-XyCOU** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). Diagonal peaks refer to the resonances in the ^1H NMR spectrum, while the cross peaks indicate the coupled protons defining a spin system.

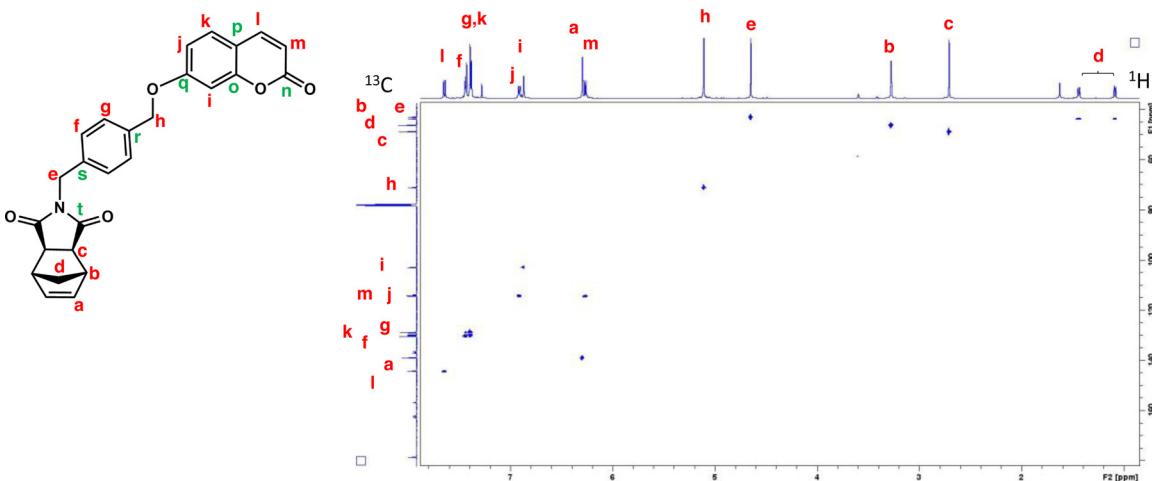


Fig. 24. ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC NMR spectrum of **NDI-XyCOU** (CDCl_3 , 600 MHz). The presence of cross peaks in the spectrum indicates protons and carbons that are directly bonded.

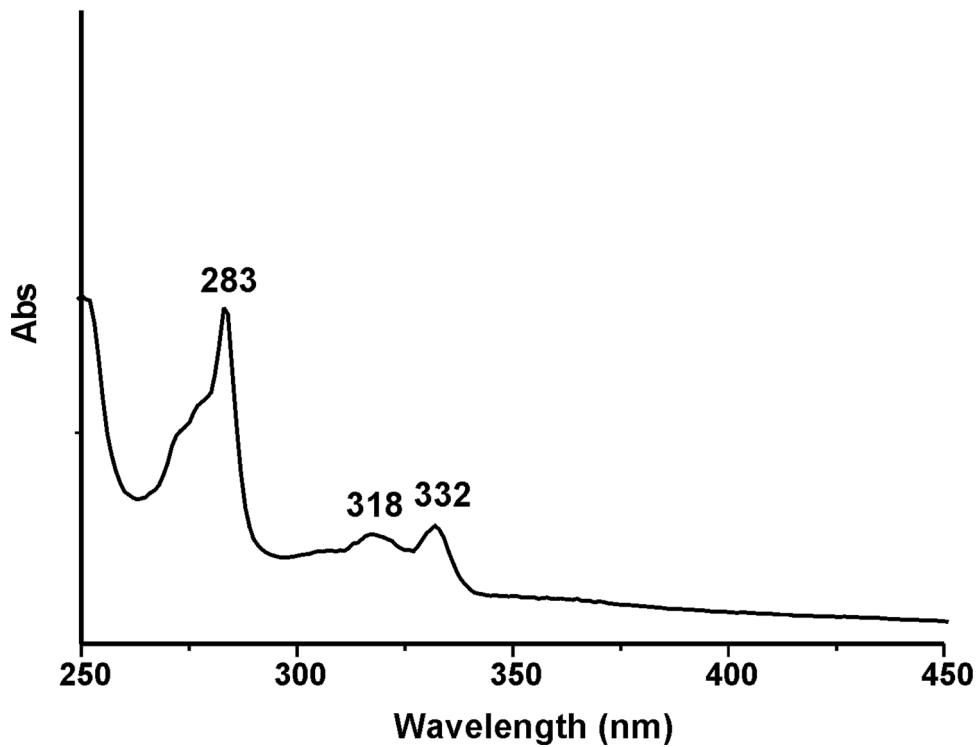


Fig. 25. UV-Visible absorption spectrum of **NDI-EtCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF).

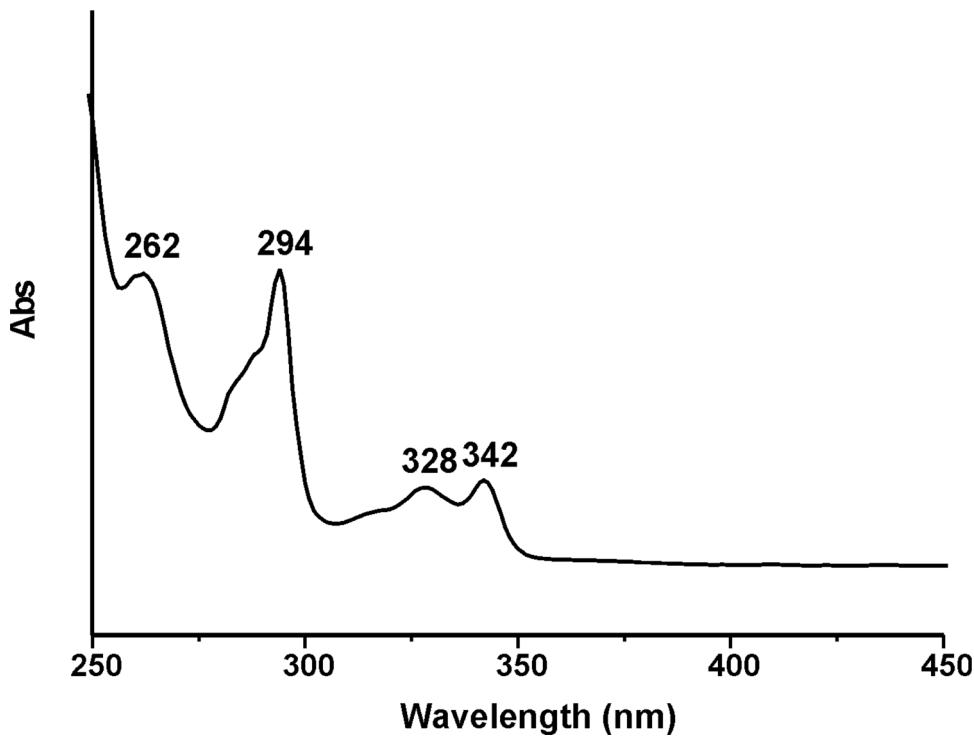


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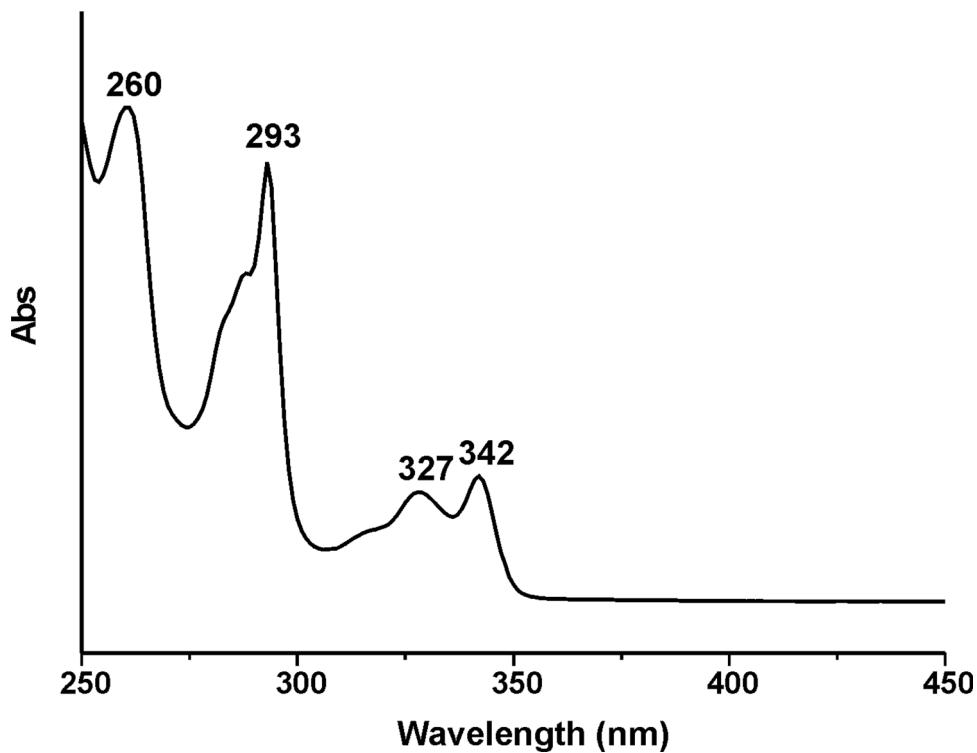


Fig. 27. UV-Visible absorption spectrum of **NDI-XyCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF).

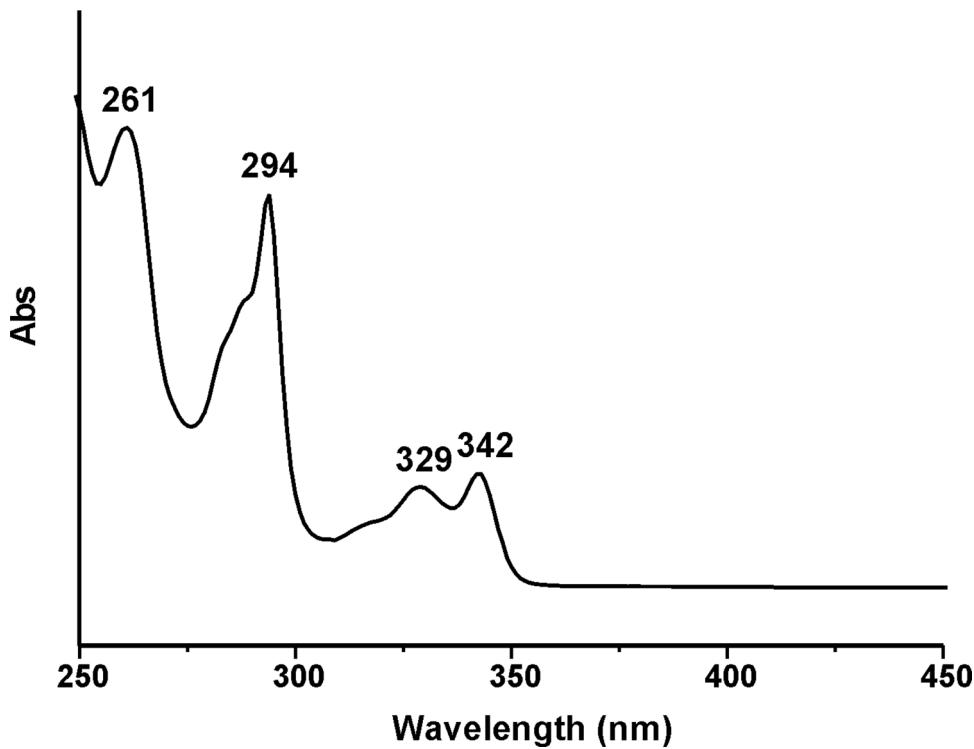


Fig. 28. UV-Visible absorption spectrum of **ONDI-XyCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF).

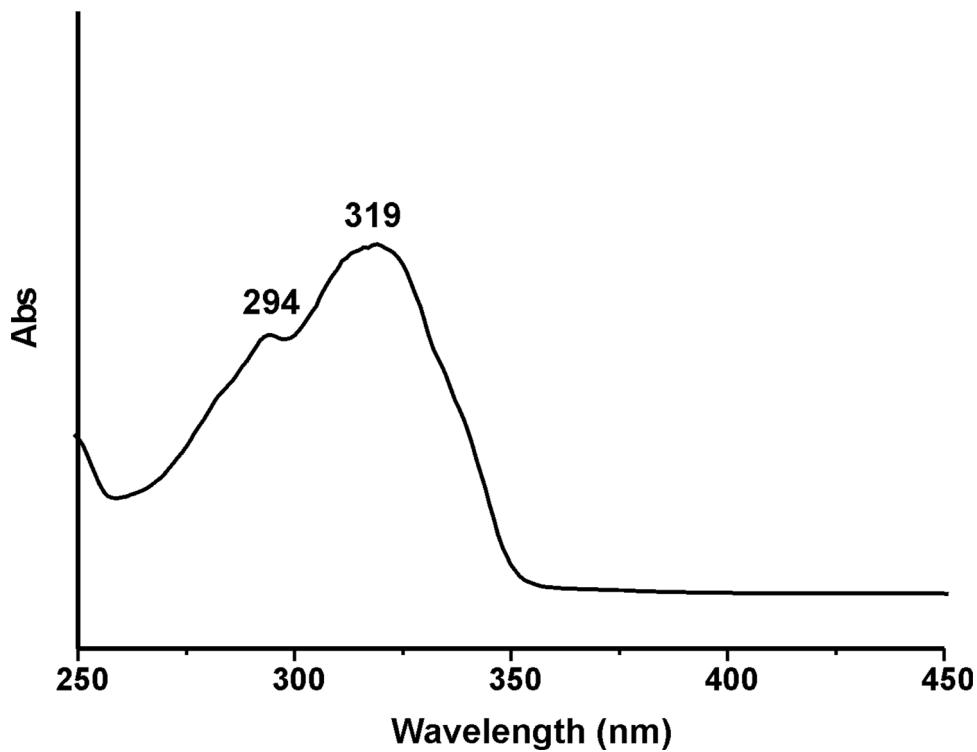


Fig. 29. UV-Visible absorption spectrum of **NDI-EtCOU** (10^{-6} M in CHCl_3).

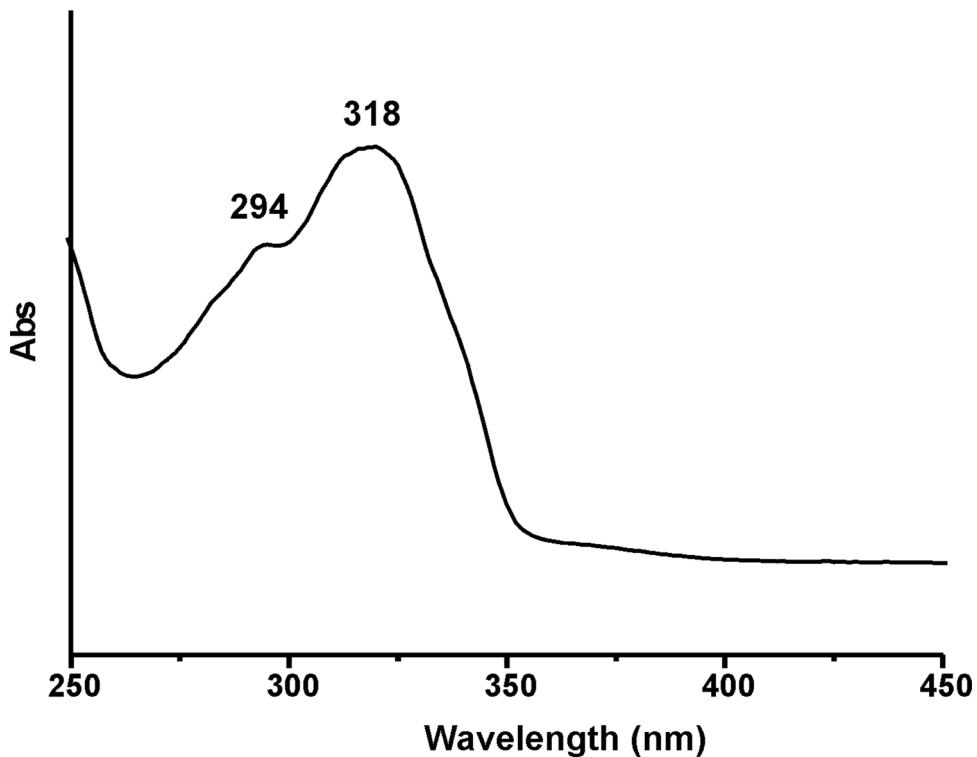


Fig. 30. UV-Visible absorption spectrum of **NDI-XyCOU** (10^{-6} M in CHCl_3).

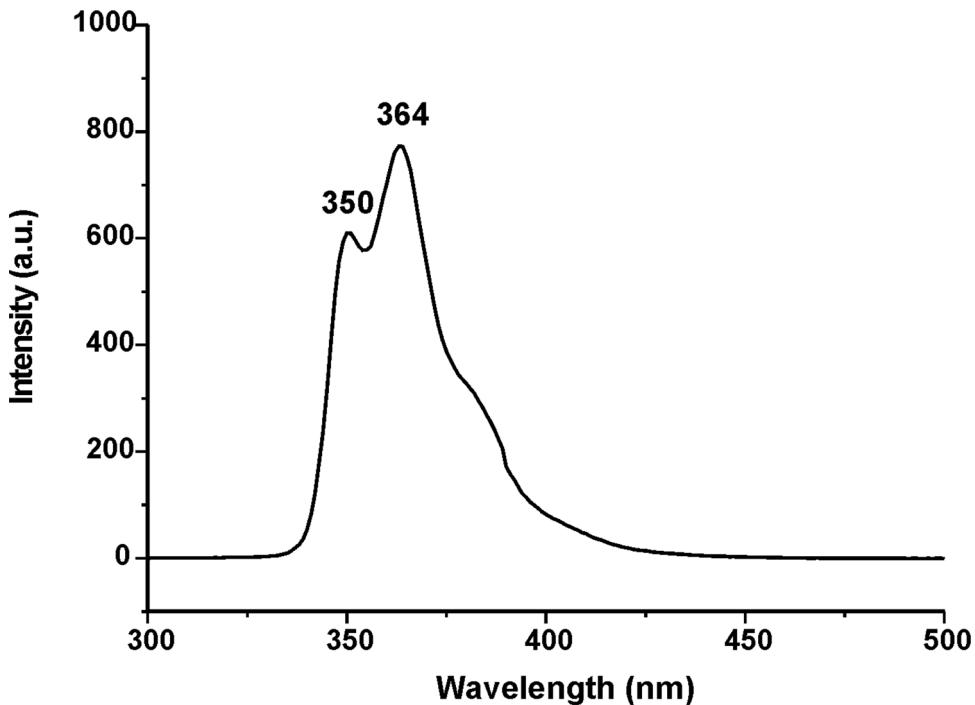


Fig. 31. Fluorescence spectrum of **NDI-EtCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF) ($\Delta_{\text{exc}} = 290$ nm).

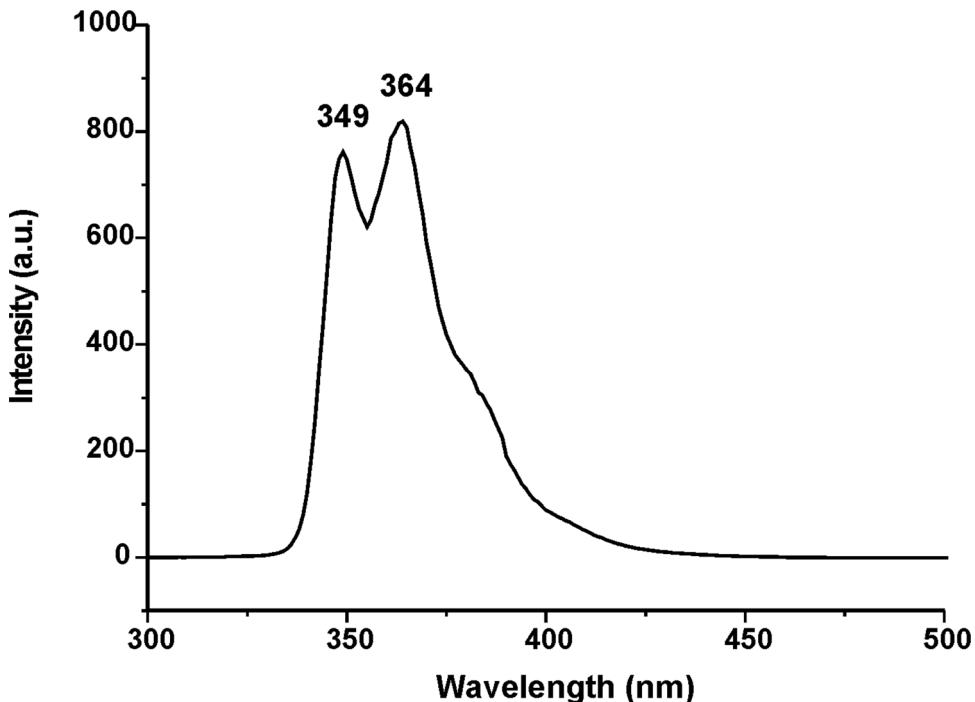


Fig. 32. Fluorescence spectrum of **ONDI-EtCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF) ($\Delta_{\text{exc}} = 290$ nm).

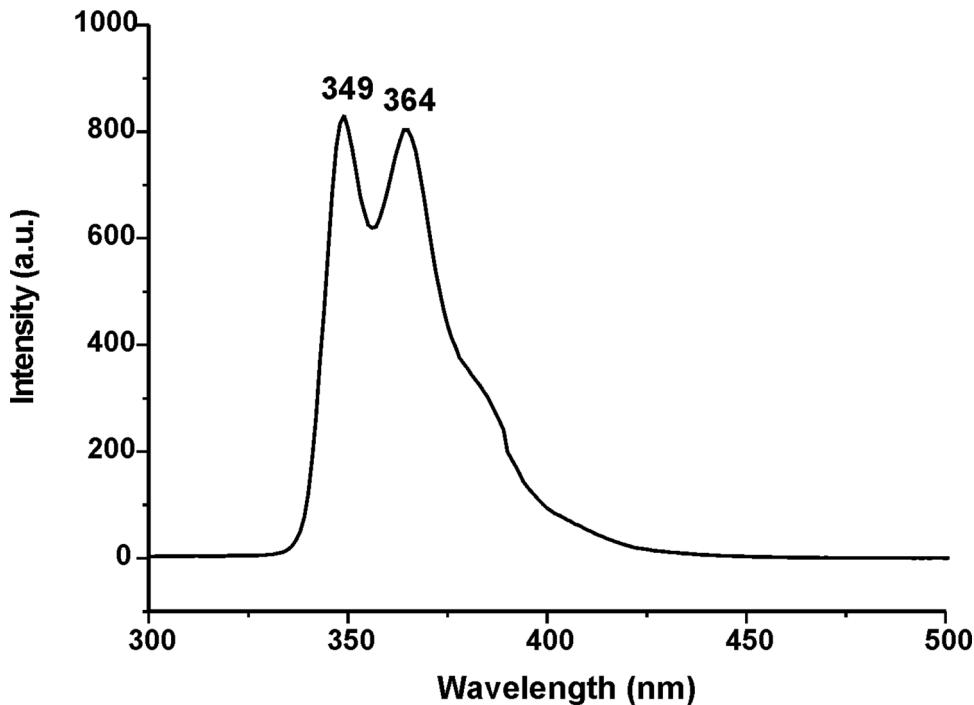


Fig. 33. Fluorescence spectrum of **NDI-XyCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF) ($\Delta_{\text{exc}} = 290$ nm).

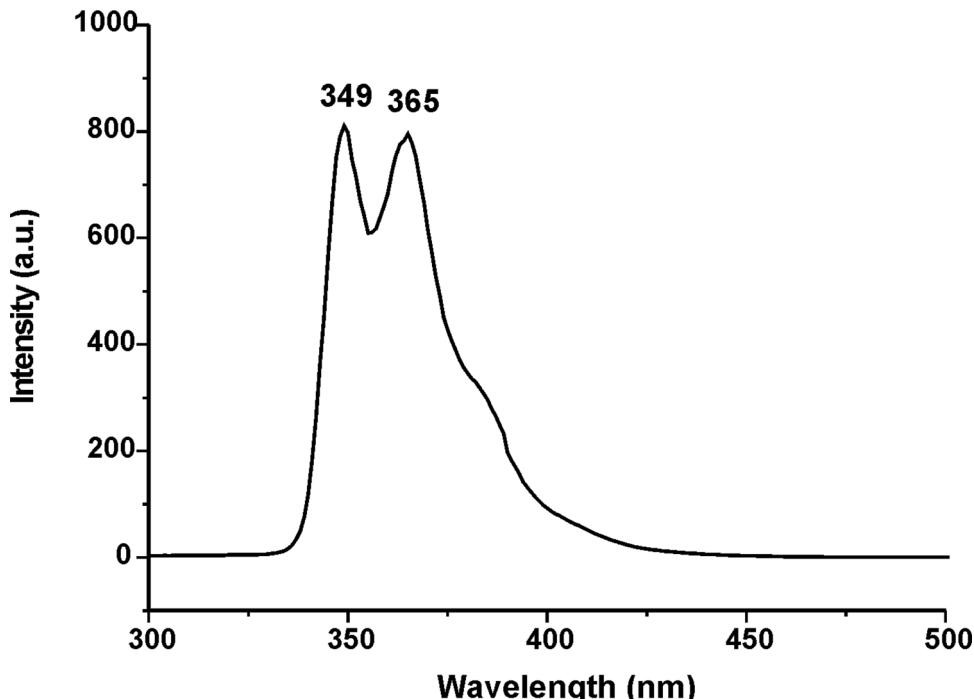


Fig. 34. Fluorescence spectrum of **ONDI-XyCAR** (10^{-4} M in THF) ($\Delta_{\text{exc}} = 290$ nm).

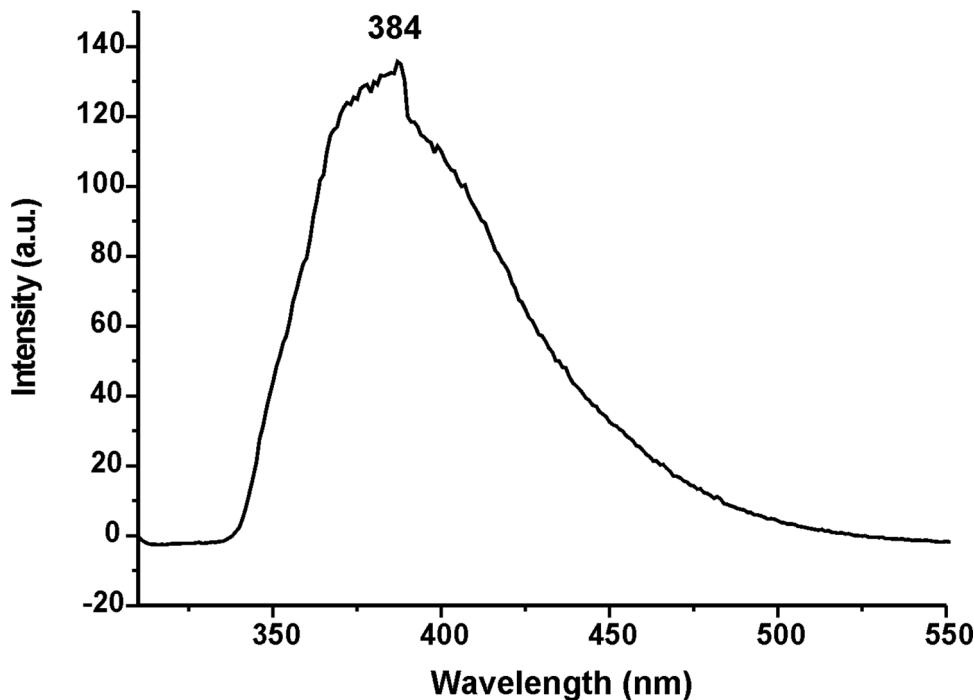


Fig. 35. Fluorescence spectrum of **NDI-EtCOU** (10^{-6} M in CHCl_3) ($\Delta\text{ecc} = 300$ nm).

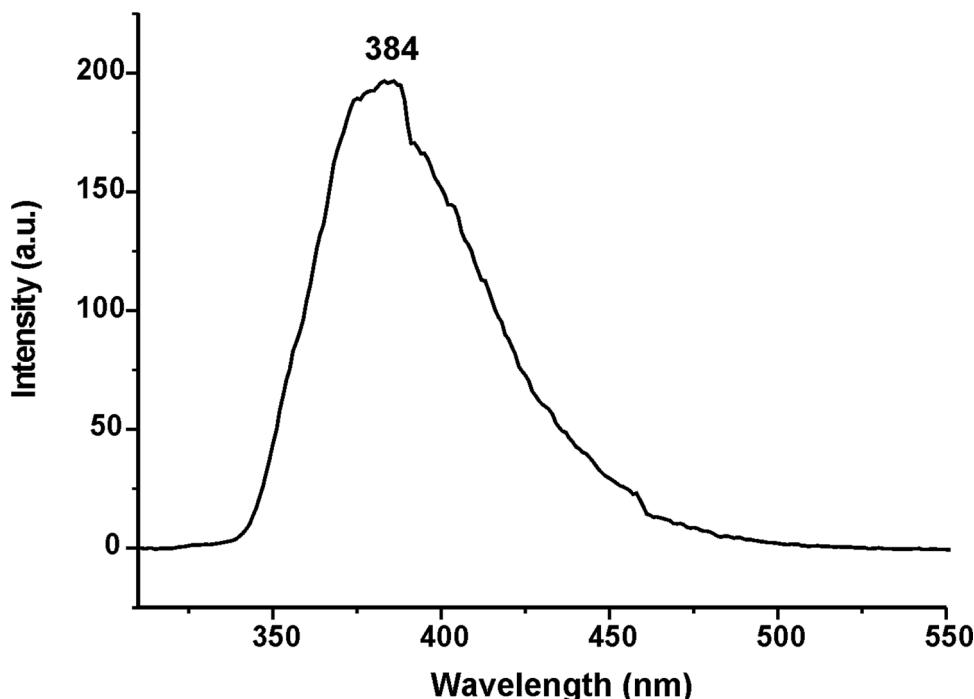


Fig. 36. Fluorescence spectrum of **NDI-XyCOU** (10^{-6} M in CHCl_3) ($\Delta\text{ecc} = 300$ nm).

2. Experimental Design, Materials and Methods

Materials and methods to prepare monomers **NDI-EtCAR**, **ONDI-EtCAR**, **NDI-XyCAR**, **ONDI-XyCAR**, **NDI-EtCOU** and **NDI-XyCOU** are described in ref. [1].

2.1. NMR spectroscopy

The monomer samples for NMR analysis were prepared dissolving 10 mg of each compound in 0.5 mL of deuterated chloroform (CDCl_3), and tetramethylsilane (TMS) was used as the internal chemical shift reference.

^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were acquired on a Bruker ASCEND 600 spectrometer at 298.0 K. The ^1H NMR spectra were recorded at 600 MHz and ^{13}C NMR spectra at 150 MHz. The spectral width is 10.0138 ppm/ 6009.615 Hz for the ^1H NMR and 197.21 ppm / 29,761.904 Hz for the ^{13}C NMR.

^1H - ^1H COSY and ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC experiments were used to complete assignments of the NMR signals. The acquisition time for the COSY was 0.170 and 0.206 s for the ^1H . The spectral width of the ^1H - ^1H COSY for the ^1H is 10.0 ppm / 6009.615 Hz.

The acquisition time for the ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC was 0.170 s for the ^1H and 1.101 s for the ^{13}C . The spectral width of the HSQC for the ^1H is 10.0138 ppm/ 6009.615 Hz and 200.00 ppm / 30,183.881 Hz for ^{13}C .

2.2. UV-Visible and fluorescence spectroscopy

The solutions of monomer samples containing compounds with carbazole group (**NDI-EtCAR**, **ONDI-EtCAR**, **NDI-XyCAR**, **ONDI-XyCAR**) for UV-Vis and fluorescence analysis were prepared by using Tetrahydrofuran inhibitor-free, HPLC grade, $\geq 99.9\%$ (UV-absorbence ≤ 0.02 at 300 nm). The absorption spectra of THF solutions (1×10^{-4} M) were recorded in the range of 250–500 nm in air at room temperature, while the emission spectra were recorded in the range of 300–600 nm in air at room temperature. The excitation wavelength was selected at 290 nm.

The solutions of monomer samples containing coumarin group (**NDI-EtCOU**, **NDI-XyCOU**) for UV-vis and fluorescence analysis were prepared by using Chloroform HPLC grade, $\geq 99.9\%$ (UV-absorbence ≤ 0.01 at 400 nm, 0.01 at 290 nm, 0.01 at 270 nm). The absorption spectra of CHCl_3 solutions (1×10^{-6} M) were recorded in the range of 250–500 nm in air at room temperature, while the emission spectra were recorded in the range of 310–600 nm in air at room temperature. The excitation wavelength was selected at 300 nm.

Declaration of Competing Interest

The authors declare that they have no known competing financial interests or personal relationships that could have appeared to influence the work reported in this paper.

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Data Availability

Dataset for norbornene and oxanorbornene dicarboximides functionalized with carbazole and coumarin groups. (Original data) (Mendeley Data).

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