

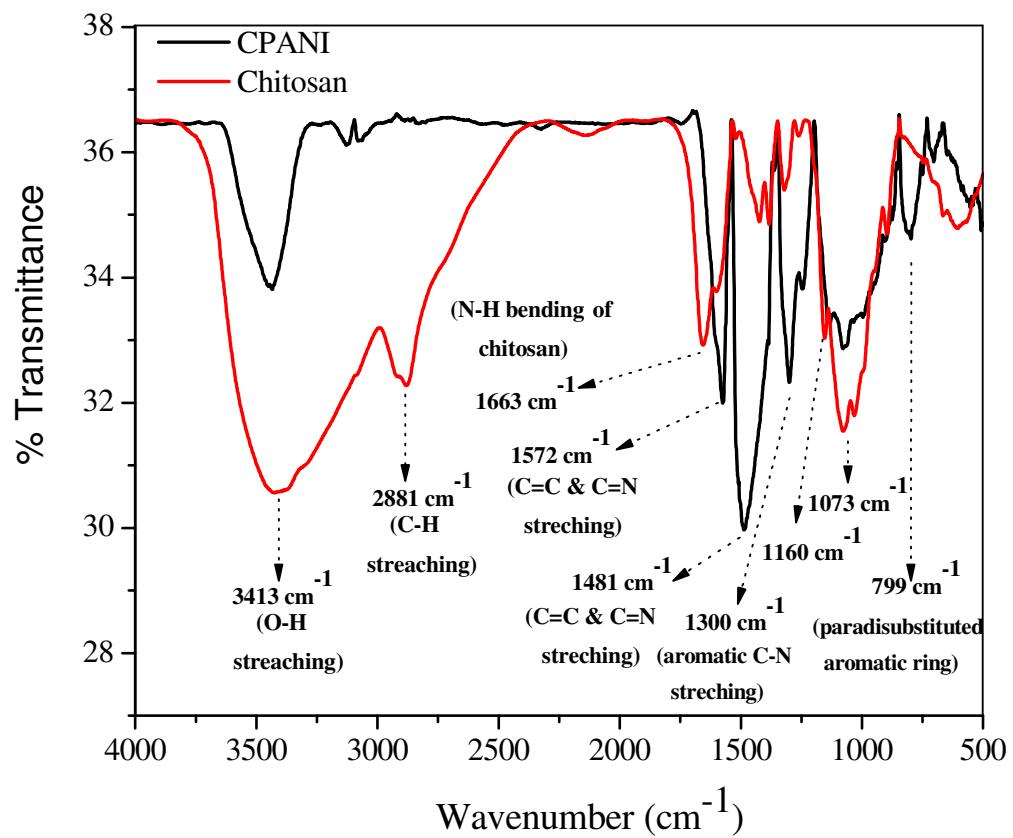
## **Supporting Information**

### **Multilayer Self-Assembly of TiO<sub>2</sub> Nanoparticles and Polyaniline-Grafted-Chitosan Copolymer (CPANI) for Photocatalysis**

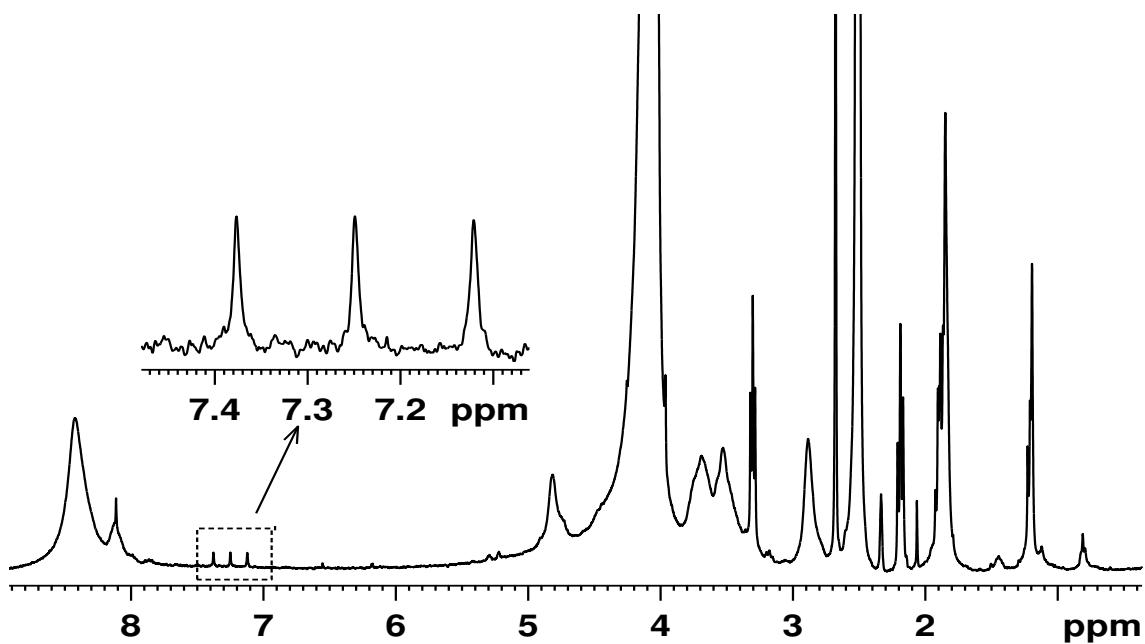
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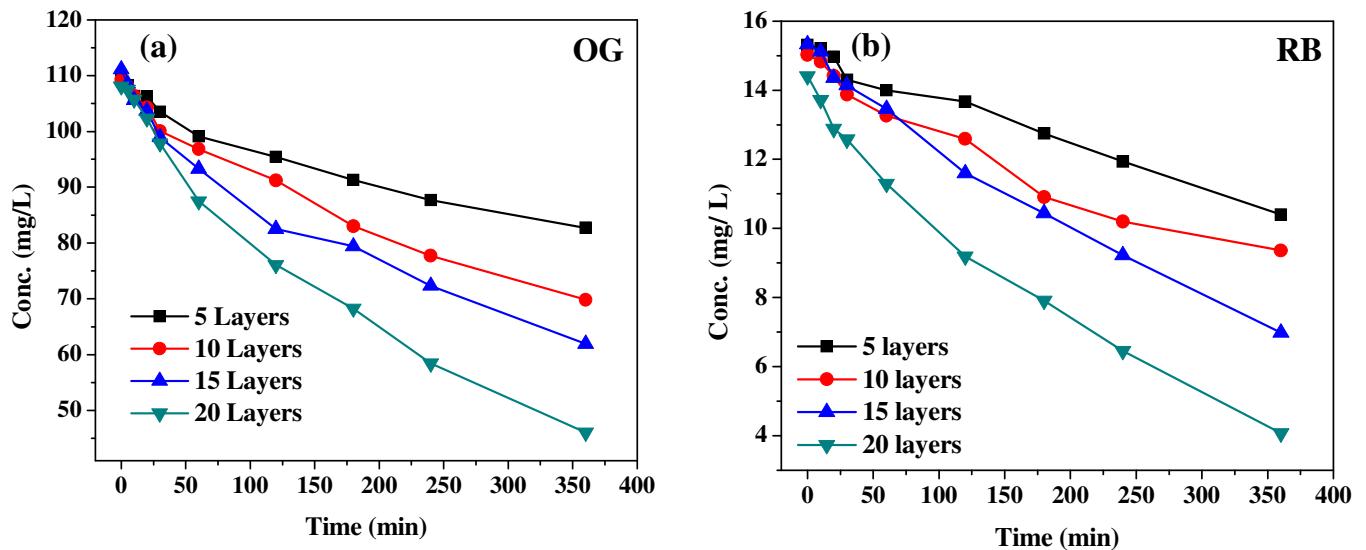
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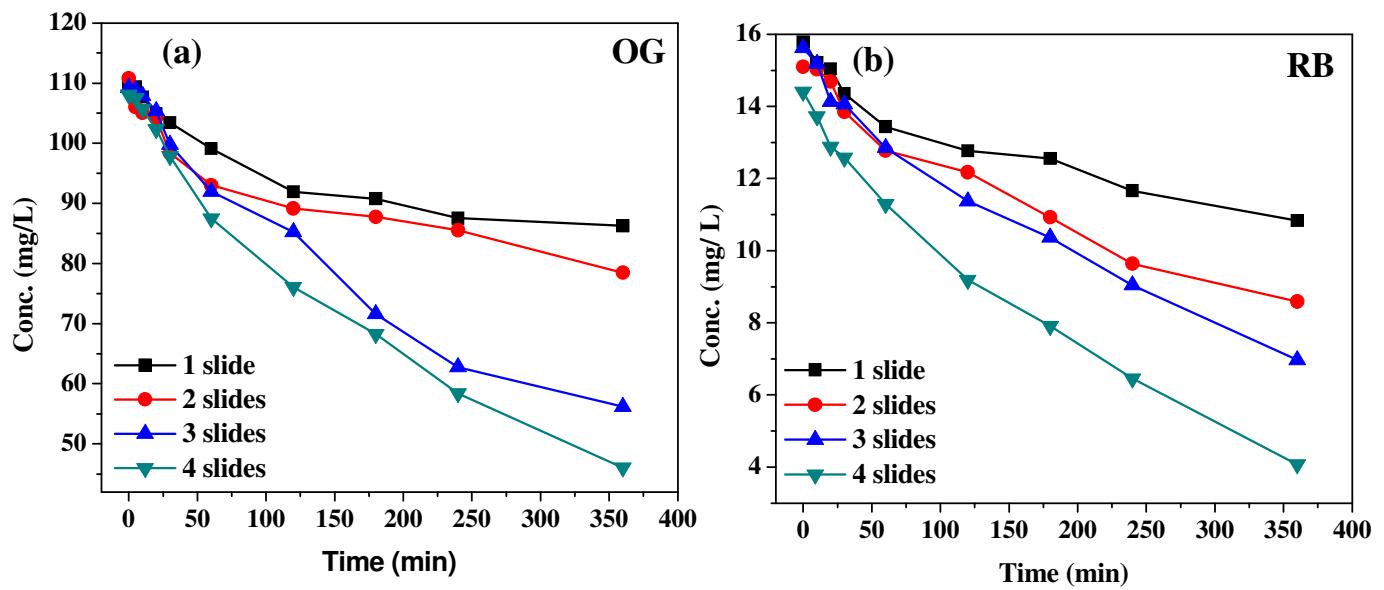
**Figure S1:** FTIR spectra of chitosan and Polyaniline-*Grafted*-Chitosan Copolymer (**CPANI**).



**Figure S2:**  ${}^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectra of Polyaniline-Grafted-Chitosan Copolymer (**CPANI**)



**Figure S3:** (a) and (b) Degradation profile of Orange G and Rhodamine B with an initial concentration 110 and 15 mg/ L respectively. Each experiment was with four catalytic slides having different number of  $\text{TiO}_2$  nanoparticles layers.



**Figure S4:** Degradation profiles of (a) Orange G and (b) Rhodamine B dye molecules with different number of catalytic slides of **CPANI/PSS/TiO<sub>2</sub>** nanoparticles. For each experiment, 50 ml of initial concentration of 110 mg/ L and 15 mg/L of **OG** and **RB** were used in all experiments.