

**Catalyzing cascade production of methyl levulinate from polysaccharides using  
heteropolyacids  $H_nPW_{11}MO_{39}$  with Brønsted/Lewis acidic sites**

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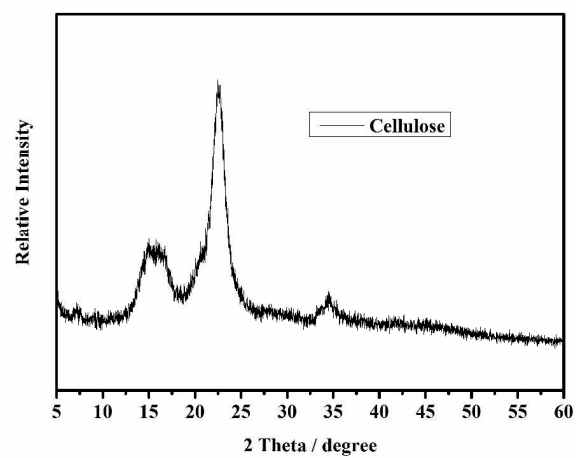
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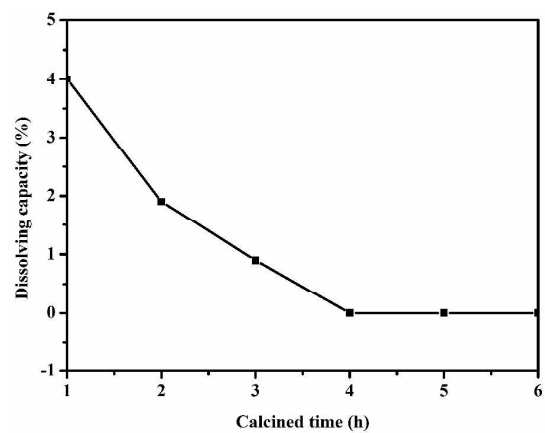
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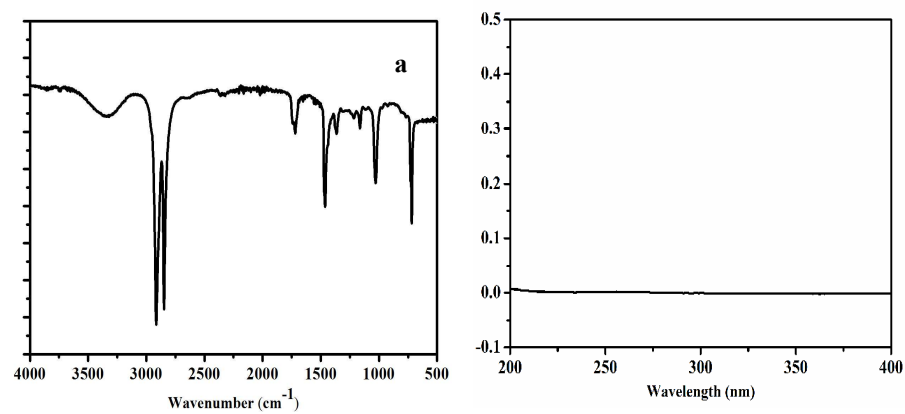
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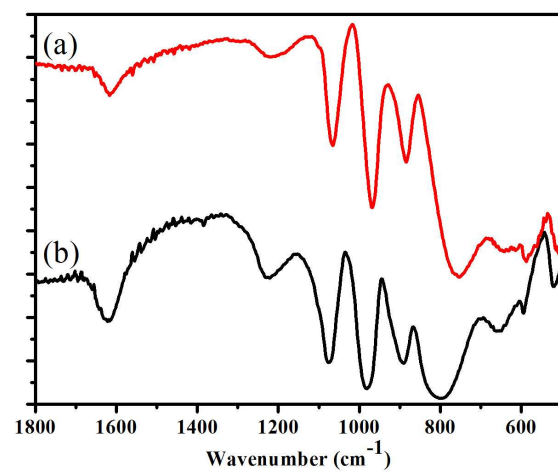
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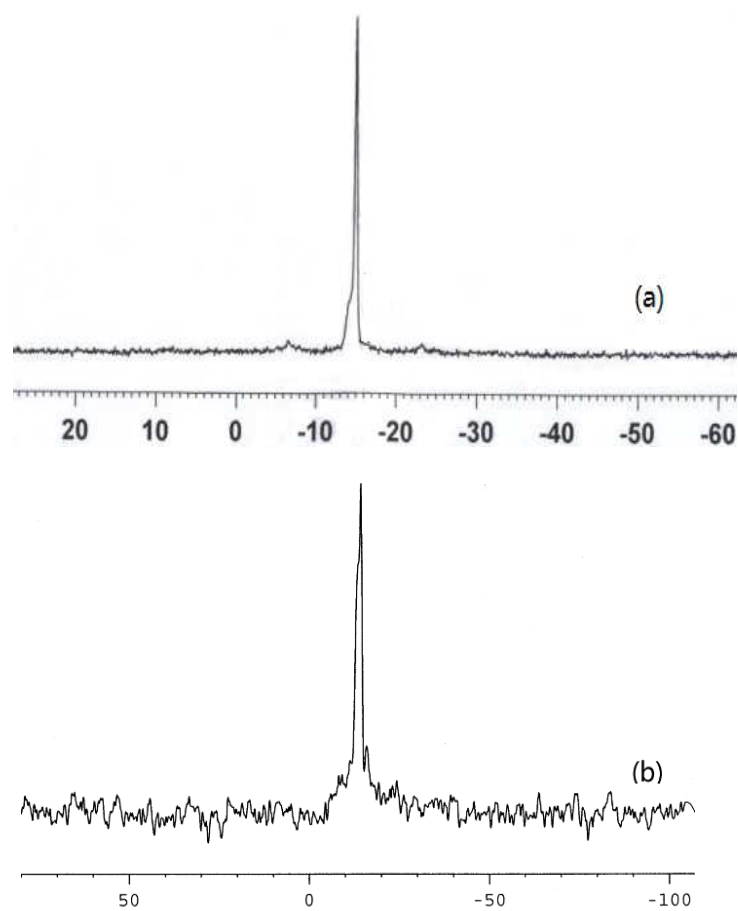
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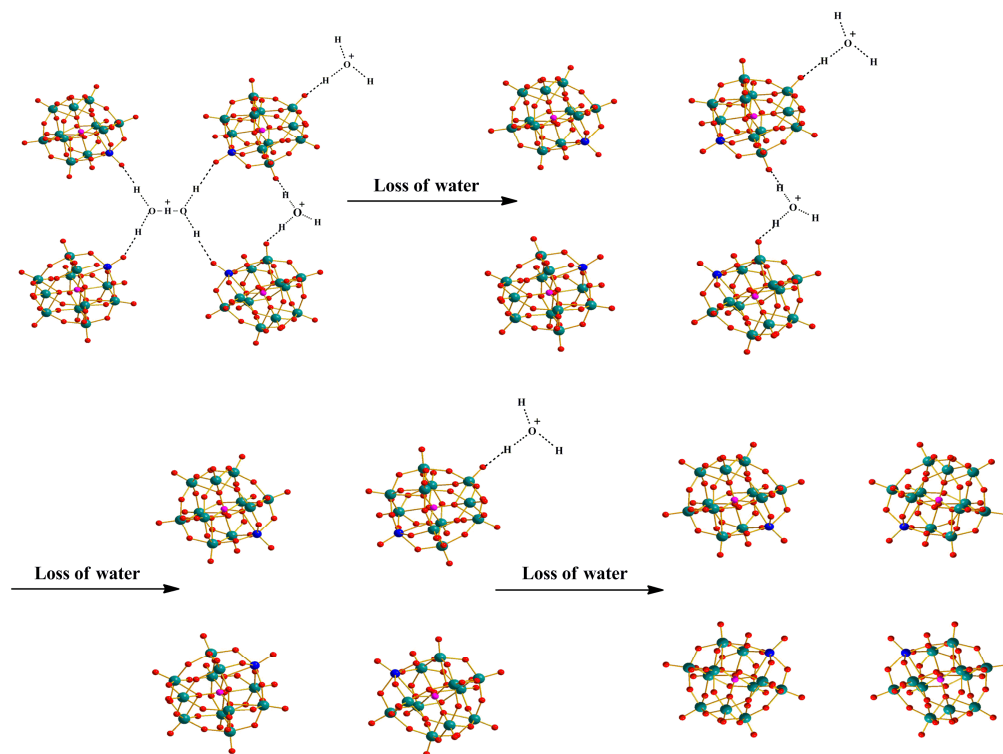


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