

***Burkholderia cenocepacia* H111 Produces a Water-Insoluble Exopolysaccharide in Biofilm:
Structural Determination and Molecular Modelling.**

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Figure S1. *Burkholderia cenocepacia* H111 biofilm developed on nutrient-yeast extract-glycerol agar plates.

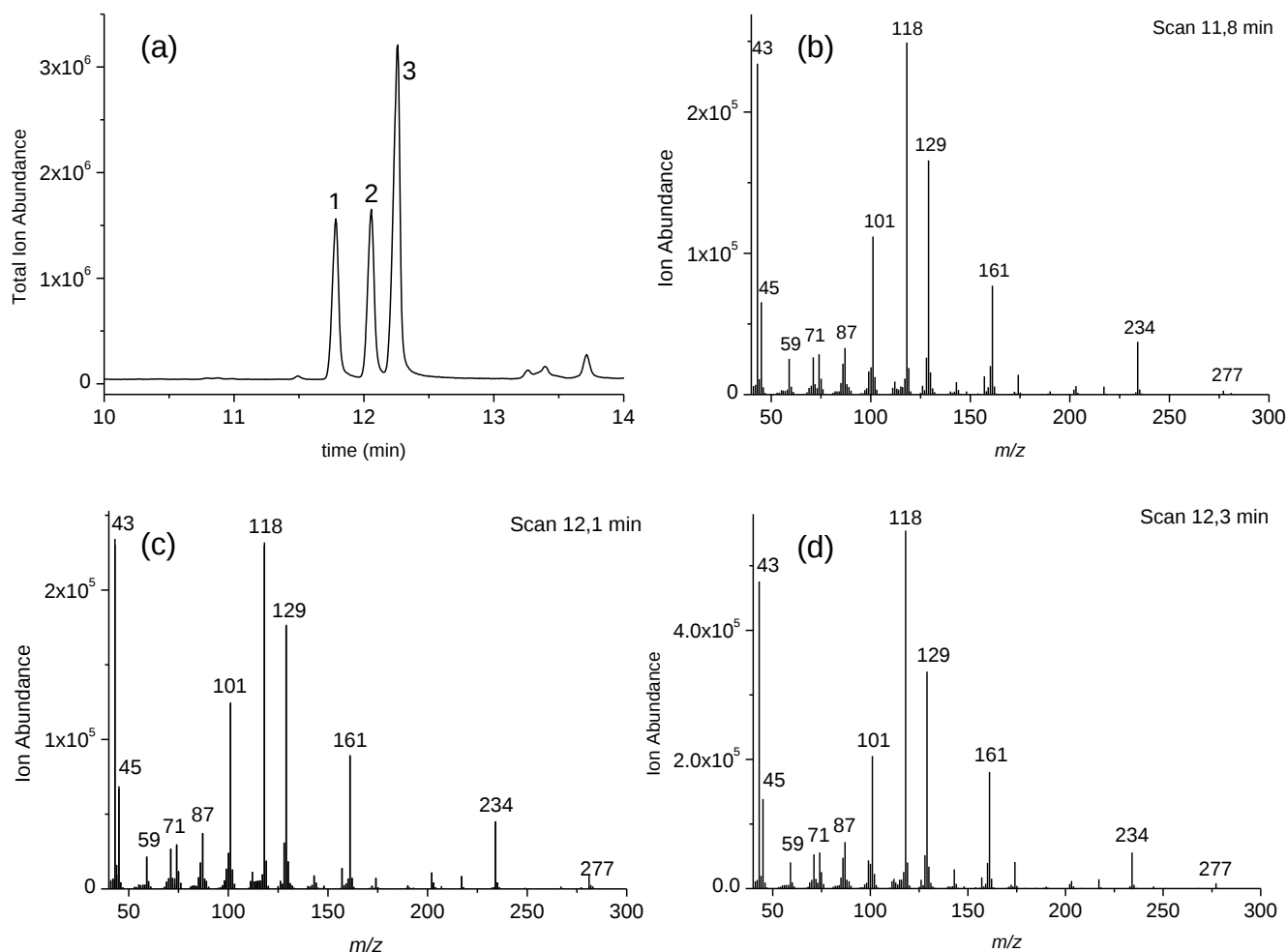


Figure S2. GLC-MS analysis of the partially methylated alditol acetate mixture obtained after derivatisation of the Epol H111-INS: (a) Total Ion Chromatogram; (b) e.i. mass spectrum of peak 1 shown in (a) and attributed to 3-linked Glc; (c) e.i. mass spectrum of peak 2 shown in (a) and attributed to 3-linked Man; (d) e.i. mass spectrum of peak 3 shown in (a) and attributed to 3-linked Gal.

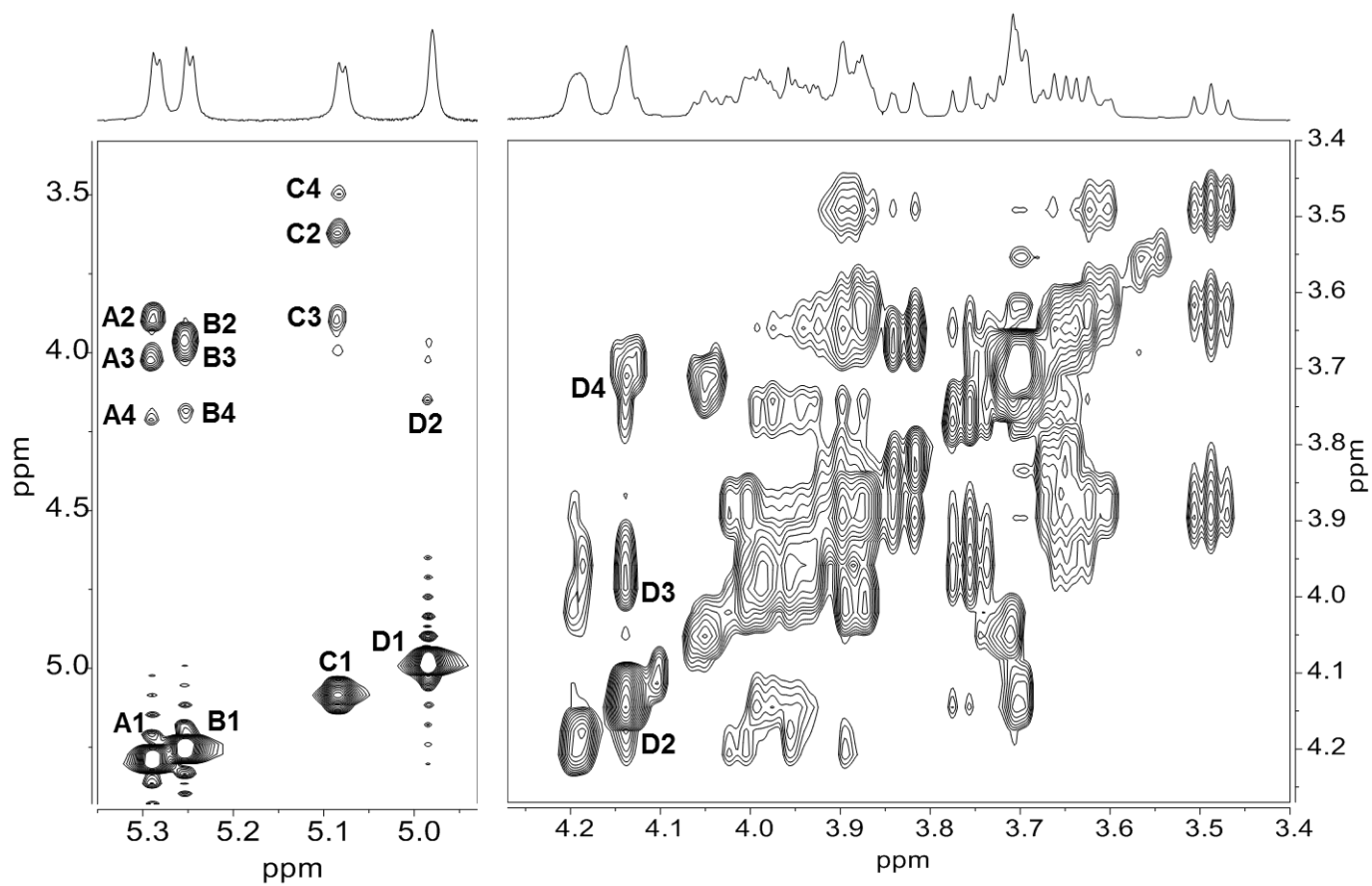


Figure S3. Expansion of the TOCSY anomeric region of Epol H111-INS recorded at 500 MHz and 50 °C. Crosspeaks have been labelled according to the corresponding residue (**A** to **D**, see Table 1).

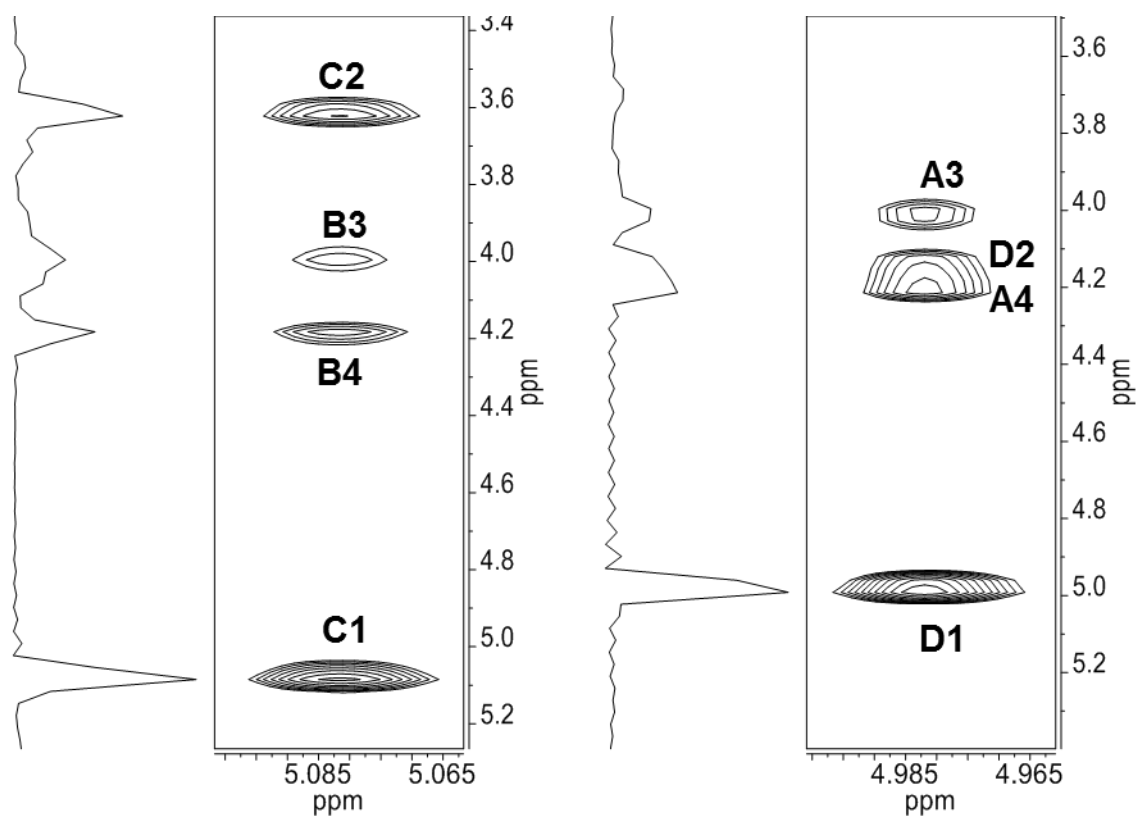


Figure S4. Anomeric region of the NOESY plot of the Epol H111-INS showing NOE connectivities and vertical traces for α -Glc (**C1**) (left) and α -Man (**D1**) (right). Crosspeaks have been labelled according to the corresponding residue (**A** to **D**, see Table 1).

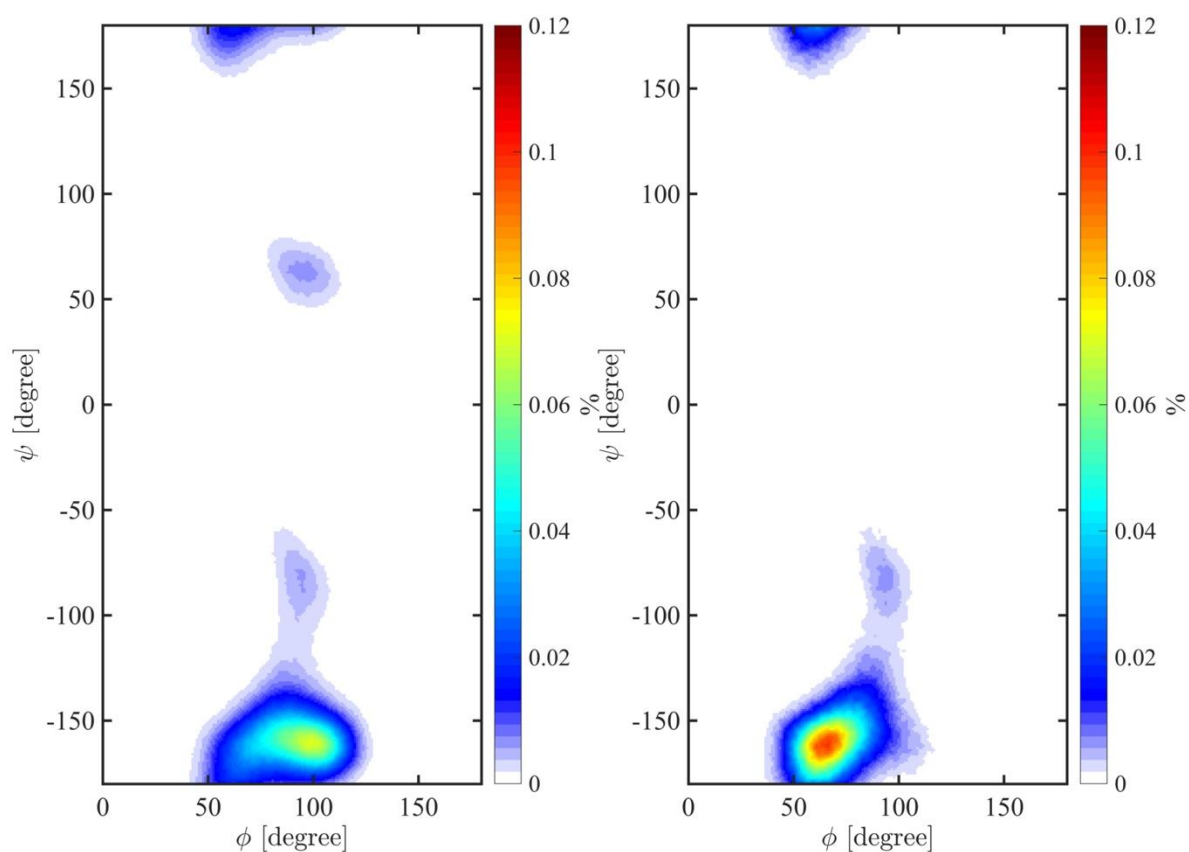


Figure S5. Probability density maps for α -D-Glcp-(1 $\rightarrow$ 3) α -D-Galp in vacuum (left 1 μ s) and in explicit solvent (right- 100 ns) at 300 K. Negative ϕ are neglected for readability as no point occurs in that region, in agreement with fully relaxed maps.

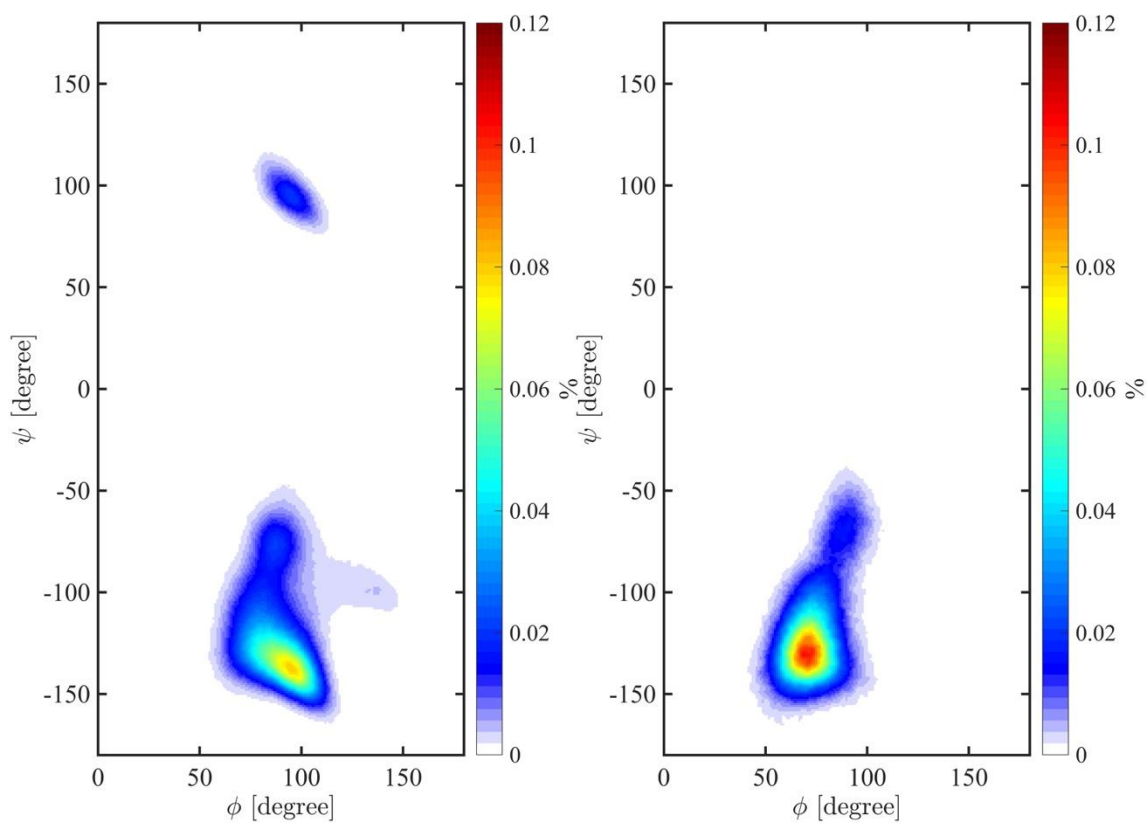


Figure S6. Probability density maps for α -D-Galp (1 $\rightarrow$ 3)- α -D-Manp in vacuum (left 1 μ s) and in explicit solvent (right- 100 ns) at 300 K. Negative ϕ are neglected for readability as no point occurs in that region, in agreement with fully relaxed maps

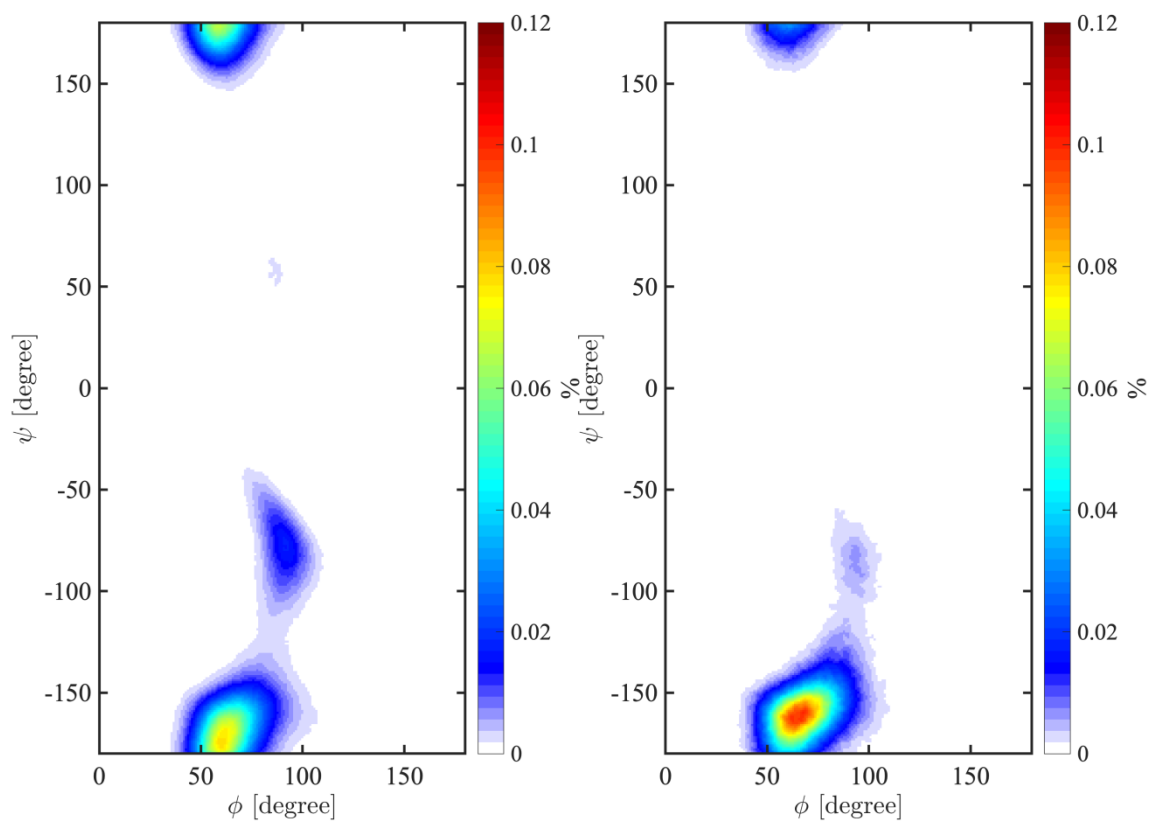


Figure S7. Probability density maps for α -D-Manp-(1 $\rightarrow$ 3)- α -D-Galp in vacuum (left 1 μ s) and in explicit solvent (right- 100 ns) at 300 K. Negative ϕ are neglected for readability as no point occurs in that region, in agreement with fully relaxed maps.

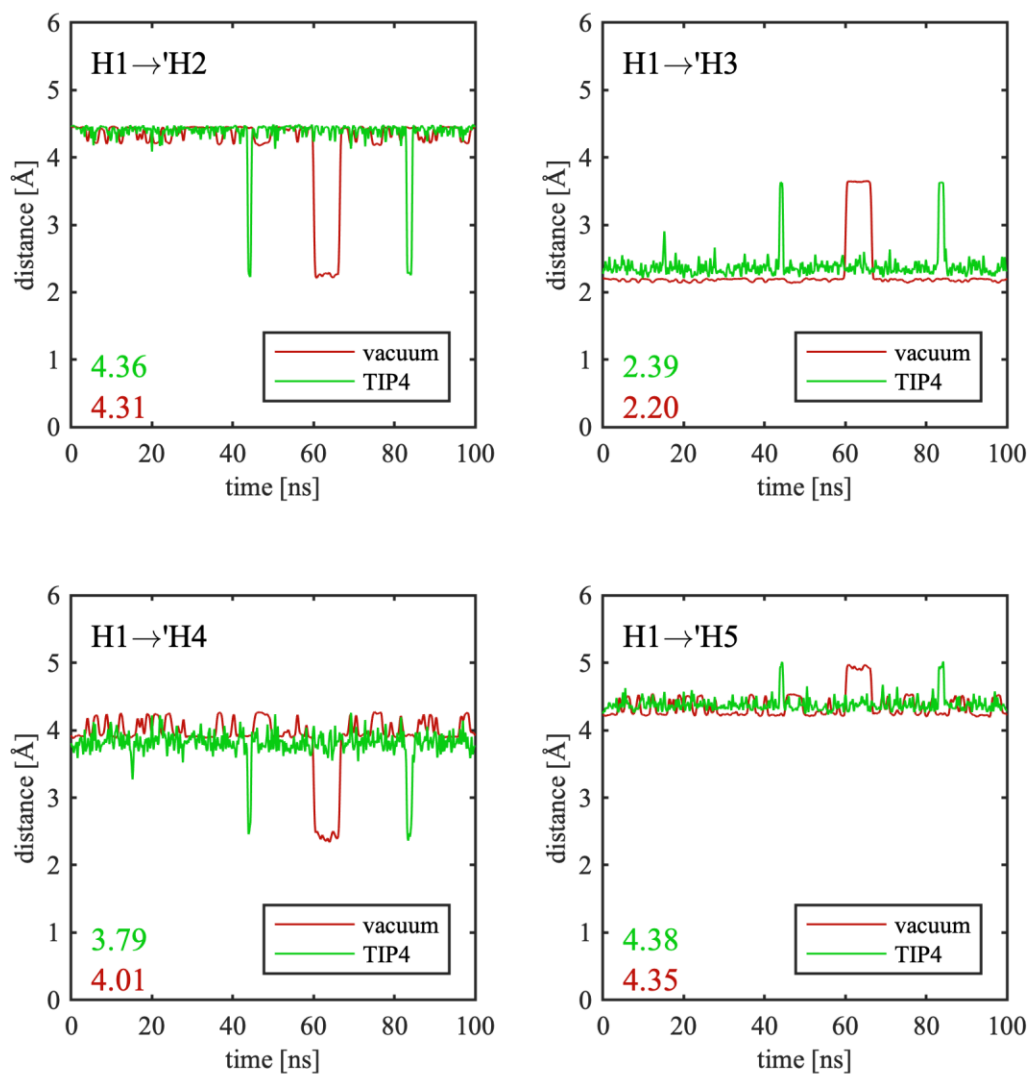


Figure S8. Interatomic distances for α -D-Galp-(1 $\rightarrow$ 3)- α -D-Glcp.

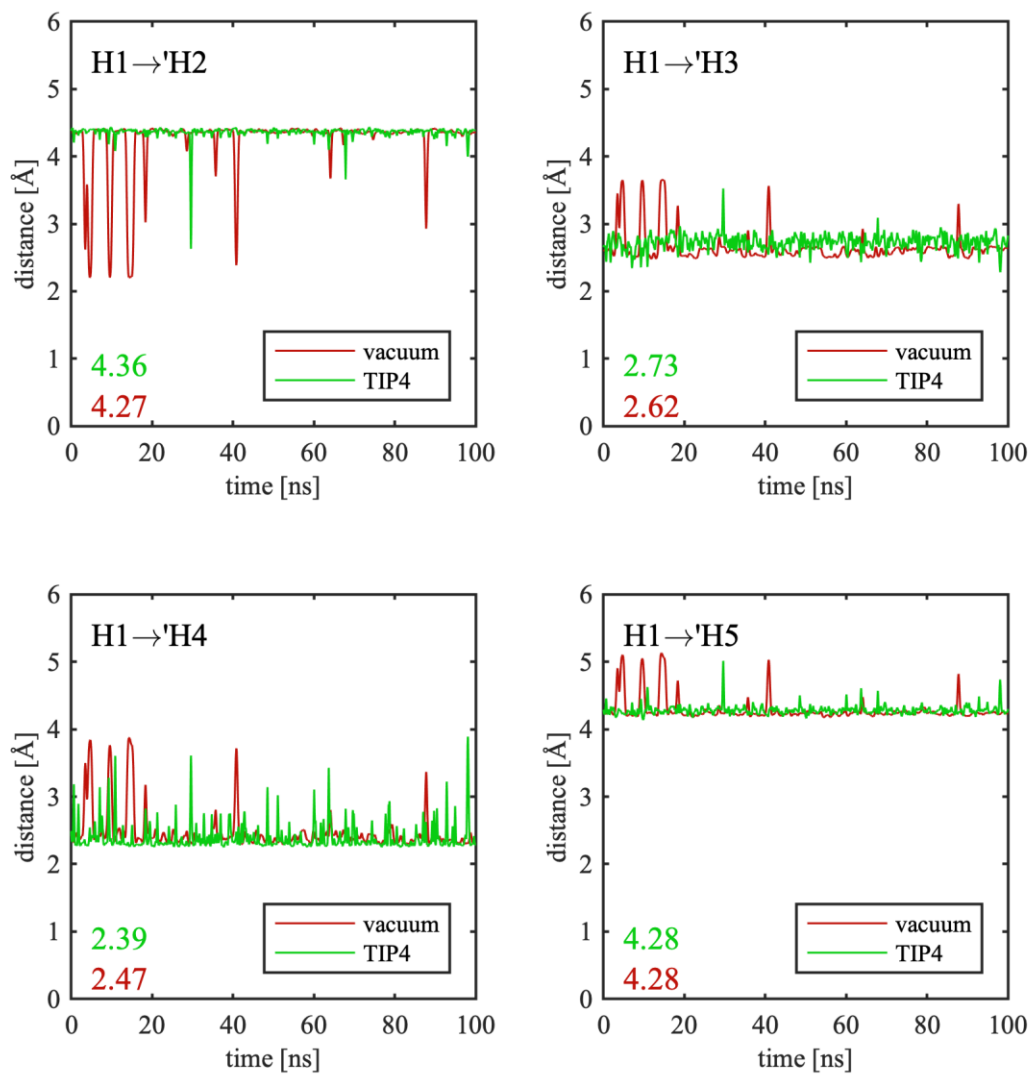


Figure S9. Interatomic distances for α -D-Glcp-(1→3)- α -D-Galp.

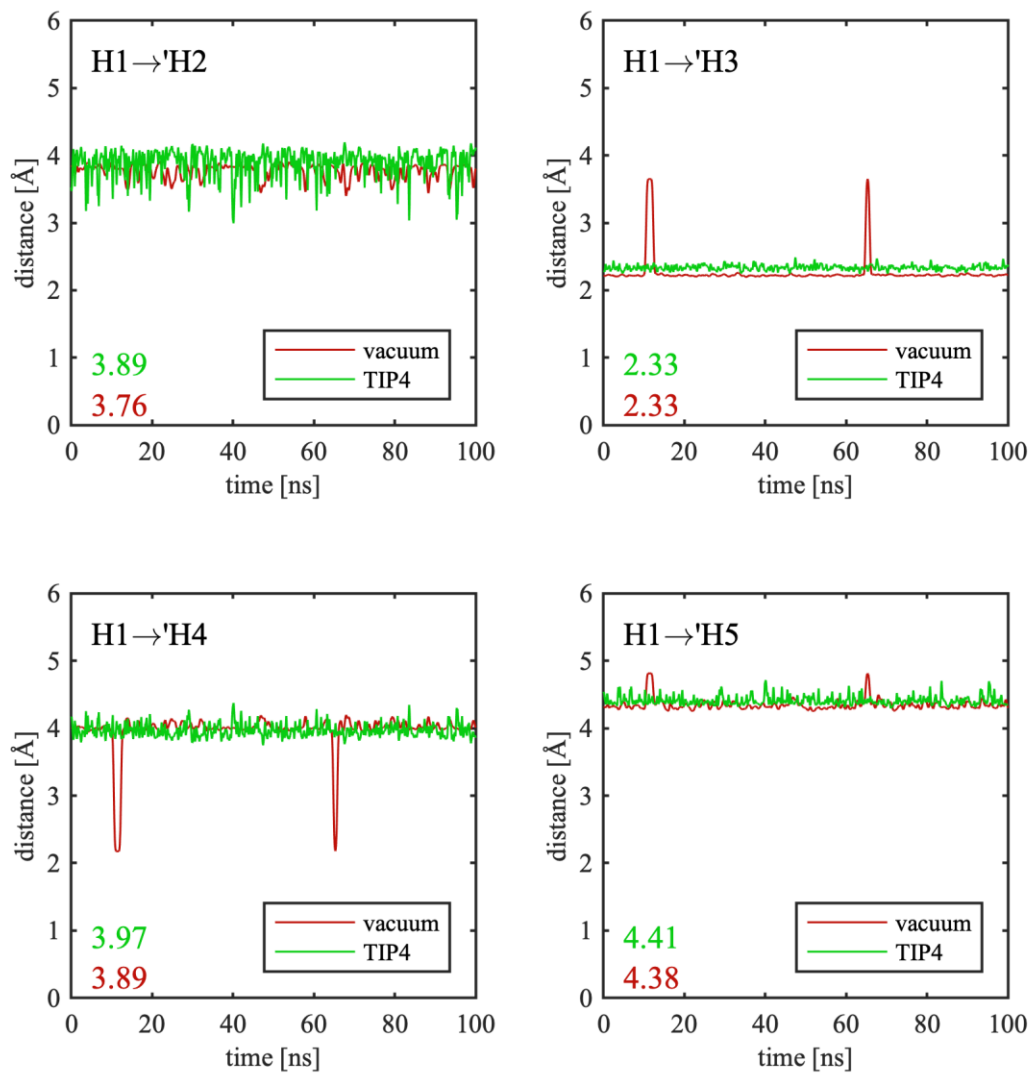


Figure S10. Interatomic distances for α -D-Galp-(1 $\rightarrow$ 3)- α -D-Manp.

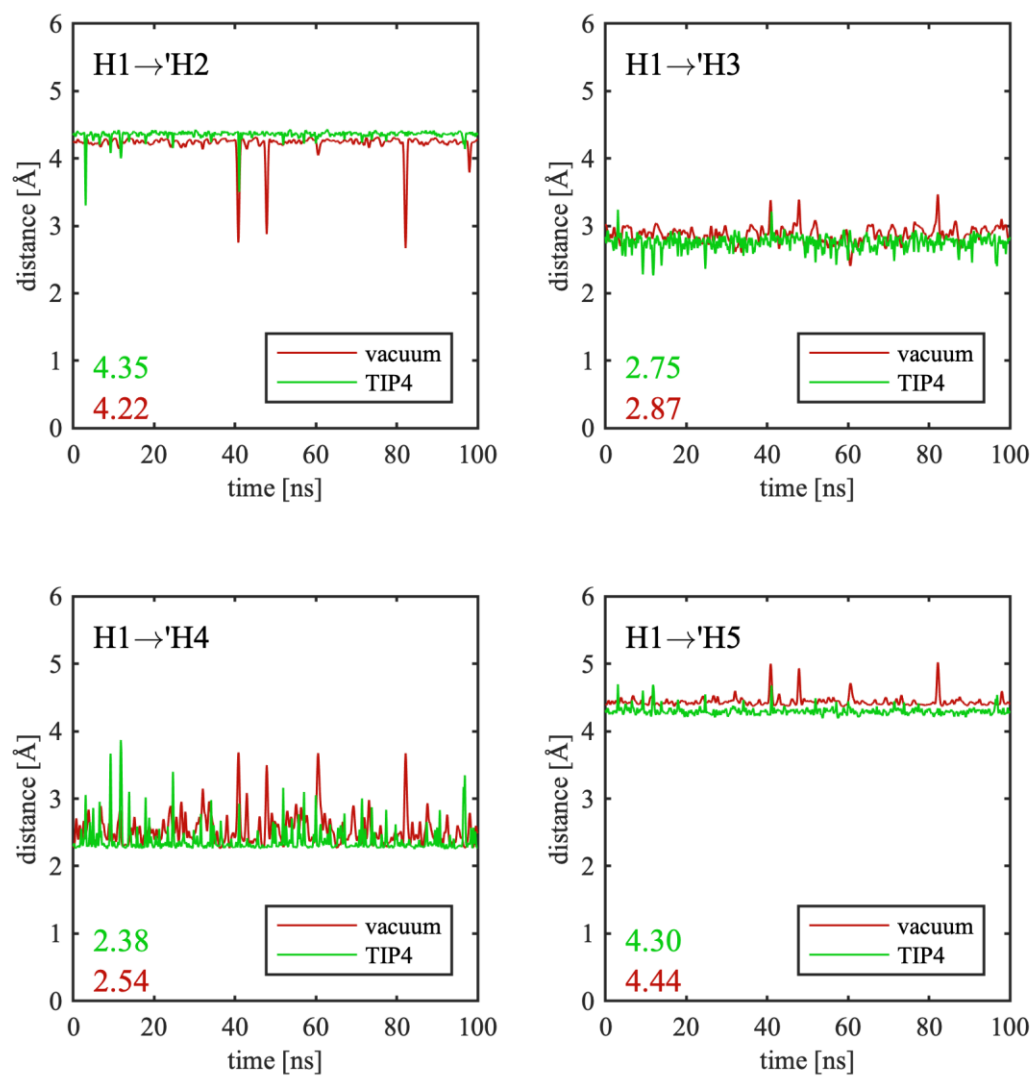


Figure S11. Interatomic distances for α -D-Manp-(1 $\rightarrow$ 3)- α -D-Galp.